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Introduction

This document is a geometrical product specifications (GPS) standard and is to be regarded as a general ISO GPS standard (see ISO 14638). It influences the chain links A, B, C, E, F and G in all chains of standards in the general ISO GPS matrix.

The ISO GPS matrix plan given in ISO 14638 gives an overview of the ISO GPS system of which this document is a part. The fundamental rules of ISO GPS given in ISO 8015 apply to this document and the default decision rules given in ISO 14253-1 apply to the specifications made in accordance with this document, unless otherwise indicated.

For more detailed information on the relationship of this document to other International Standards and to the ISO GPS matrix model, see [Annex C](#).

Geometrical product specifications (GPS) — Association

1 Scope

This document gives the terminology and basic concepts of association, including objective functions and association constraints and material offset.

This document is not intended to specify association defaults and GPS syntax which are introduced in other (ISO GPS) International Standards.

NOTE The association can be used to establish for example:

- a datum;
- a reference feature for a geometrical specification or for a surface texture specification;
- an associated toleranced feature;
- any dimensional characteristic;
- an intersection plane, an orientation plane, a collection plane or a direction feature.

2 Normative references

The following documents are referred to in the text in such a way that some or all of their content constitutes requirements of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

ISO 17450-1, *Geometrical product specifications (GPS) — General concepts — Part 1: Model for geometrical specification and verification*

ISO 17450-4, *Geometrical product specifications (GPS) — Basic concepts — Part 4: Geometrical characteristics for quantifying GPS deviations*

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in ISO 17450-1 and ISO 17450-4 and the following apply.

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- ISO Online browsing platform: available at <https://www.iso.org/obp>
- IEC Electropedia: available at <https://www.electropedia.org/>

3.1

association

feature operation used to fit one or more ideal features to one or more *input features* (3.2) according to an association criterion

Note 1 to entry: The definition has been adapted from the definition of ISO 17450-1, to consider the term input feature.

3.2

input feature

<association> portion of an *associated feature* (3.3) or non-ideal feature, which is an extracted feature or a real feature, which can be filtered or not