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This third edition cancels and replaces the second edition (ISO 11074:2015), which has been technically revised. It also incorporates the Amendment ISO 11074:2015/Amd 1:2020.

The main changes are as follows:

- terminological entries have been reorganised with all the terms and definitions placed in [Clause 3](#) in alphabetical order;
- terms that have different definitions depending on the context have been grouped, and the domain has been added in angle brackets to differentiate them.

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ISO 11074:2025(en)**Introduction**

This document defines soil quality terms. The previous editions (ISO 11074:2015 and ISO 11074/Amd 1:2020) presented terms and definitions in separate clauses to differentiate the terms about e.g. sampling, remediation. This became more and more artificial, since soil quality experts with different expertise need to work closely together and there is a greater need for one term list instead of multiple ones, where experts first need to find out in which clause a specific term is located. In this edition, all the terms are included in [Clause 3](#).

For some terms, there are different definitions, depending on the context. These terms are presented after each other, with the differentiating domains between brackets: <context>. Often these are a general domain and a specific domain, resulting in different definitions.

Though the terms apply to all other ISO/TC 190 soil quality standards, this document does not cover all the terms used in ISO/TC 190 soil quality standards.

New and revised standards are published continuously though time. The revision periods of soil quality standards differ. That means that definitions of the same terms can be different in specific soil quality standard and in this document.

NOTE For general terms relating to quality, see ISO 9000.

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1 Scope

This document defines terms used in the field of soil quality.

2 Normative references

There are no normative references in this document.

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