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## Part 2-6: Particular requirements for hand-held hammers

### 1 Scope

This clause of Part 1 is applicable, except as follows:

*Addition:*

This part of IEC 62841 applies to hand-held hammers.

Tools covered by this document include **percussion hammers** and **rotary hammers**, including **rotary hammers** with the capability to rotate only with the percussion system disengaged (drill only mode).

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NOTE 101 Drills and impact drills are covered by IEC 62841-2-1.

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### 3 Terms and definitions

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#### 3.101

##### **percussion hammer**

tool equipped with a built-in percussion system where the impact energy is not dependent on the feed force applied by the operator and has no capability of rotational motion

Note 1 to entry: **Percussion hammers** are also known as chisel hammers, hammers, breakers, concrete breakers and picks.

#### 3.102

##### **rotary hammer**

tool capable of rotational motion and equipped with a built-in percussion system where the impact energy is not dependent on the feed force applied by the operator (**rotary hammer mode**) and additionally, may have one or more of the following modes:

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