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Preface

This Standard was prepared by the Joint Standards Australia/Standards New Zealand Committee CS-110, Bicycle and Bicycle Accessories, to supersede AS/NZS 2063:2008, *Bicycle helmets*.

The objective of this Standard is to provide lightweight helmets that protect against, and reduce the severity of, head injury from hazards associated with cycling, skateboarding and other wheeled recreational activities.

The major changes in this edition are as follows:

- (a) The addition to the scope of wheeled recreational devices, such as skateboards, roller skates, roller blades and kick-scooters.
- (b) Specification of normative product conformity and batch testing requirements.
- (c) Specification of impact velocities and indicative drop heights.
- (d) Clarification of the intent of test site selection.

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