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PREFACE

This standard was prepared by a subcommittee of the Association's Committee on Electrical Indicating and Recording Instruments.

It deals with transducers, as accessories to indicating instruments, to convert electrical quantities or qualities to electrical outputs.

The International Electrotechnical Commission (IEC) have not, as yet, published a recommendation on transducers for electrical measurement; however this standard follows the IEC practice, like AS 1042, Direct-acting Indicating Electrical Measuring Instruments and their Accessories, in using the numerical classification scheme.

The main feature of this classification is the concept of error as an inherent property of a transducer. When the error is determined in an environment where all the conditions that may modify or influence the output of the transducer (such as temperature, frequency and position) are held at standard values, this error is called 'intrinsic error', and is the basis of the numerical classification.

In the application of this standard, reference may be necessary to the following standards:

AS 1024	Direct-recording Electrical Measuring Instruments and their Accessories								
AS 1042	Direct-acting Indicating Electrical Measuring Instruments and their Accessories								
AS 1044	Limits of Electromagnetic Interference for Electrical Appliances and Equipment								
AS 1243	Voltage Transformers for Measurement and Protection								
AS C100 Ap.	Definitions and General Requirements for Electrical Materials and Equipment								
AS C328	High Voltage Testing Techniques								
AS C388	Current Transformers for Measurement and Protection								

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