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The objective of this Standard is to provide designers of electrical/electronic/programmable electronic devices used in safety-related applications with the concepts and relationship of risk to safety integrity together with methods of determining safety integrity levels.

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