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The objective of this Standard is to give guidance on the selection, design and location of displays to avoid potential ergonomic hazards associated with their use. It covers visual, audible and tactile displays and applies to displays used in machinery for occupational and private use.

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