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# Acoustics — Noise emitted by machinery and equipment — Engineering method for the determination of emission sound pressure levels *in situ* at the work station and at other specified positions using sound intensity

## 1 Scope

This International Standard specifies an engineering method (grade 2 accuracy) to determine the emission sound pressure level of machines *in situ*, at the work station or at other specified positions, using sound intensity. It is an alternative to ISO 11201, ISO 11202 and ISO 11204 for *in situ* measurements. It is applicable to all kinds of test environments provided that the requirements on background noise and field indicators are fulfilled.

This International Standard is applicable to equipment emitting stationary broadband noise. The noise can differ between operational cycles and can be with or without discrete frequency or narrow band components.

## 2 Normative references

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

ISO 7574-1, *Acoustics — Statistical methods for determining and verifying stated noise emission values of machinery and equipment — Part 1: General considerations and definitions*

ISO 12001, *Acoustics — Noise emitted by machinery and equipment — Rules for the drafting and presentation of a noise test code*

IEC 60942:2003, *Electroacoustics — Sound calibrators*

IEC 61043:2003, *Electroacoustics — Instruments for the measurement of sound intensity — Measurements with pairs of pressure sensing microphones*

## 3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the following terms and definitions apply.

### 3.1 sound intensity

$\bar{I}$

time-averaged instantaneous flow of sound energy per unit of area and per unit time in the direction of the local instantaneous acoustic particle velocity in a temporally stationary sound field

$$\bar{I} = \lim_{T \rightarrow \infty} \frac{1}{T} \int_0^T p(t) \bar{u}(t) dt$$

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