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This International Standard provides guidelines on human aspects of dependability of systems. It fills the need for a standard to address the dependability of human/machine systems.

It gives guidance on how the human aspects of dependability can be considered at all the system life cycle stages, including ergonomic principles during design and human reliability understanding for system applications.

This standard provides an overview of the principles with some examples of the types of methods that can be used.

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