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## 1 Scope

This part of IEC 63093 specifies the dimensions that are of importance for mechanical interchangeability for a preferred range of EP-cores made of ferrite, the essential dimensions of coil formers to be used with them and the locations of their terminal pins on a 2,50 mm printed wiring grid in relation to the base outlines of the cores and the effective parameter values to be used in calculations involving them. It also gives guidelines on allowable limits of surface irregularities applicable to EP-cores.

The specifications contained in this document are useful in negotiations between ferrite core suppliers and users about surface irregularities.

The general considerations upon which the design of this range of cores is based are as given in Annex A.

## 2 Normative references

The following documents are referred to in the text in such a way that some or all of their content constitutes requirements 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.

IEC 60205, *Calculation of the effective parameters of magnetic piece parts*

IEC 60401-1, *Terms and nomenclature for cores made of magnetically soft ferrites - Part 1: Terms used for physical irregularities and reference of dimensions*

IEC 63093-1, *Ferrite cores - Guidelines on dimensions and the limits of surface irregularities - Part 1: General specification*