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# Information technology — Information Resource Dictionary System (IRDS) framework

## 1 Scope

This International Standard describes the framework for a number of International Standards that specify a specialised information system, called an Information Resource Dictionary System (IRDS). An IRDS is used to control and document an enterprise's information resources.

This International Standard defines the data levels relevant to an IRDS. It defines the IRDS interfaces which are prescribed by other International Standards in the IRDS family of standards. It also defines the kinds of data content that are prescribed by other International Standards in the family.

## 2 Normative references

The following International Standards contain provisions which, through reference in this text, constitute provisions of this International Standard. At the time of publication, the editions indicated were valid. All International Standards are subject to revision, and parties to agreements based on this International Standard are encouraged to investigate the possibility of applying the most recent editions of the International Standards listed below. Members of IEC and ISO maintain registers of currently valid International Standards.

ISO 7498 : 1984, *Information processing systems - Open Systems Interconnection - Basic Reference Model*.

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