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Foreword

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This second edition cancels and replaces the first edition (ISO 21149:2006), of which it constitutes a minor revision with the following changes:

— in the Scope, "validated" has been changed to "shown to be suitable";

— in the Scope, "see ISO 29621" has been added and the reference has been added to the Bibliography;

— in 4.1, "validated" has been changed to "demonstrated";

— in 4.3, "validated" has been changed to "described";

— in 5.1, "specifications" has been changed to "instructions";

— in 9.3.2.1, 9.3.2.2 and 9.3.2.3, "validated" has been changed to "described";

— in 9.3.2.3, "procedure developed during the validation" has been changed to "suitability test procedure";

— in 9.4.1, "validation" has been changed to "suitability test";

— in 12.2.1, "validated according to the chosen method" has been changed to "demonstrated to be suitable for the chosen method";

— in 13.3 and 13.4, "validation" has been changed to "suitability";

— in 13.3.2, 13.3.3 and 13.3.4, "validation" has been changed to "suitability";

— in 13.3.2, 13.3.3 and 13.3.4, "if the validation count is at least 50 % (0,3 log) of the control count" has been changed to "if the count is at least 50 % of the control";

— in 13.4.1, instances of "validation test" have been changed to "suitability test";

— in 13.4.2, instances of “validation plate” have been changed to “suitability test plate”;

— in 13.5, “validation results” has been changed to “suitability test results” and “validation plates” has been changed to “suitability test plates”;

— in Clause 14 f), “validation of the method” has been changed to “demonstration of the suitability”;

— in A.1, B.1 and C.1, “validated” has been changed to “demonstrated to be suitable”.