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Foreword

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The main changes compared to the previous edition are as follows:

- “Terms and definitions” clause has been modified to add new definitions and removed definitions of terms not used in the text;
- annex structure was changed to be consistent with other productivity standards;
- added “ready delay time” requirement to “test measurement” procedures;
- added [Annex D](#) for the procedure to determine the “ready delay time”;
- added *sFCOT* from sleep, *sFCOT* from sleep after 15 min, and *sFCOT* from off tests and reporting;
- added minimum declaration examples to [Annex A](#).

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Introduction

Many digital copying devices produce copied pages at a different rate than their nominal speed when running with different quality modes, different substrate grammage, different job content and job lengths. The degree to which a change in productivity is experienced depends significantly on other parameters of the job stream. The most dominant of the parameters of the job stream are: (image quality modes selected, job content, B&W and colour reproduction job stream, run length). The existing International Standard (ISO/IEC 24735) only addresses the productivity issues for digital copying devices when using both collation and an ADF (automatic document feeder) and cannot be used for a single one sided original.

This document provides a general method for measuring productivity when the above-mentioned job stream parameters for digital copying devices are taken into consideration. This document also includes instructions for the creation of test charts. It allows manufacturers and buyers of digital copying devices to describe the productivity of various digital copying devices with respect to representative office usage.