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Introduction

Within the rapidly developing field of inkjet media, there is a need to establish clear and unambiguous classifications with regard to descriptions of product types, formats/sizes, thicknesses/grammages and general nomenclature. It is important that all participants in the inkjet market, i.e. producers, processing industries, trade and end-users, achieve an agreed, consistent understanding of all these elements of the market.

It is the aim of this part of ISO 18055 to establish such an understanding, in respect of photo-grade media.

