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ON 7 TRACK 12.7 mm (1/2 in) MAGNETIC TAPE

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BRIEF HISTORY

The ISO Recommendation R 961, *Implementation of the 6 and 7-bit coded character sets on 7 track 12.7 mm (1/2 in) magnetic tape*, was drawn up by Technical Committee ISO/TC 97, *Computers and information processing*, the Secretariat of which is held by the American National Standards Institute (ANSI).

Work on this question led, in 1967, to the adoption of a Draft ISO Recommendation.

In September 1967 this Draft ISO Recommendation (No. 1320) was circulated to all the ISO Member Bodies for enquiry. It was approved, subject to a few modifications of an editorial nature, by the following Member Bodies :

Belgium	Israel	Switzerland
Canada	Italy	Turkey
Czechoslovakia	Korea, Rep. of	U.A.R.
Denmark	Netherlands	United Kingdom
France	Sweden	U.S.S.R.

No Member Body opposed the approval of the Draft.

The Draft ISO Recommendation was then submitted by correspondence to the ISO Council, which decided, in February 1969, to accept it as an ISO RECOMMENDATION.