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- *Part 1: Design, bearing materials and their properties*
- *Part 2: Friction and wear*
- *Part 3: Lubrication*
- *Part 4: Basic symbols*
- *Part 5: Application of symbols*
- *Part 6: Abbreviated terms* [Technical Report]

Introduction

As there is a large number of multiple designations in the domain of plain bearings, there is a considerable risk of error in the interpretation of standards and technical literature. This uncertainty leads to the continuous addition of supplementary designations, which only serves to increase the confusion.

This part of ISO 4378 is an attempt to elaborate a uniform basic system of abbreviated terms.