BUREAU OF INDIAN STANDARDS

Program of Work

MSD 6: Graphic Arts Technology

Scope: To formulate standards, for Graphic Arts industry for all of reproduction technology or

applications, that comprises image carriers, pre-press, press, post-press activities, including print and finishing performance aspects of substrates, colours, coatings, and all print related consumables; print quality assurance; including sustainable, recyclable, and green factors in the

print processes; equally applicable for analogue as well as digital print segments.

Liaison: **ISO TC-130 (P):** *Graphic technology*

Published Standards

S.No	IS No.	TITLE	Reaffirm M-Y	No. of Amds	Eqv.
1	IS/ISO/TS 10128 :	Graphic Technology � Methods		=	Identical under single
	2023	of Adjustment of the Colour			numbering
	ISO/TS 10128 :2023	Reproduction of a Printing System			
	ISO/TS 10128	to Match a Set of Characterization			
	:2023	Data			
2	IS 11956 : 2023	Preparation of Trade Catalogues		-	Indigenous
		� Guidelines (First revision)			
3	IS 12000 (Part 1):	Guide for paper spoilage and	September, 2020	-	Indigenous
	2016	wastage for printing industry: Part			
		1 sheetfed letterpress and offset			
	Reviewed In: 2020	processes (First Revision)			
4	IS 12000 (Part 2):	Guide for paper spoilage and		-	Indigenous
	2019	wastage for printing industry: Part			
		2 web offset processes			
5	IS 1250 : 2021	Proof Corrections for Printers and		-	Identical under dual
	ISO 5776: 2015	Authors			numbering
	ISO 5776 :2016				
6	IS/ISO 12632 : 2015	Graphic Technology â€" Ink,	March, 2024	-	Identical under single
	ISO 12632 : 2015	Paper and Labels â€"			numbering
	Reviewed In: 2024	Requirements on Hot Alkali			
	Adoption of ISO	Penetration and Resistance			
	1263				
7	IS/ISO 12640-2:	Graphic technology Prepress	April, 2024	-	Identical under single
	2011	digital data exchange Part 4: Wide			numbering
	ISO 12640-4:2011	gamut display-referred standard			
	Reviewed In: 2024	colour image data [Adobe RGB			
	ISO 12640-4:2011	(1998)/SCID]			
8	IS/ISO 13655 : 2017	Graphic technology Spectral	November, 2021	-	Identical under single
	ISO 13655:2017	measurement and colorimetric			numbering
	Reviewed In: 2021	computation for graphic arts			
	ISO 13655:2017	images			
9	IS/ISO 14298 : 2021	Graphic Technology -		-	Identical under single
	ISO 14298: 2021	Management of Security Printing			numbering
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	ISO 14298: 2021	Processes (First Revision)		1	
10	IS 14640 (Part 2):	Graphic Technology â€" Register	January, 2023	-	Modified/Technically
	2018	Systems for Photographic			Equivalent
	ISO 11084-2 : 2006	Materials, Foils and Paper Part 2			
	Reviewed In: 2023	Register Pin Systems for Plate			
	ISO 10545-4 : 2018	Making			
11	IS 15306 : 2003 Reviewed In : 2021	Printing and Publishing - Glossary of Terms	April, 2021	-	Indigenous
12	IS 15306 (Part 1):	Graphic technology - Vocabulary:	September, 2020	_	Identical under dual
12	2016	Part 1 fundamental terms (First	September, 2020	_	numbering
	ISO 12637-1 : 2006	Revision)			numbering
	Reviewed In: 2020				
	ISO 12637-1: 2006				
13	IS 15306 (Part 2):	Graphic technology - Vocabulary:	September, 2020	-	Identical under dual
	2016	Part 2 prepress terms (First			numbering
	Reviewed In: 2020	Revision)			
1.4	ISO 12637-2:2008		1 2022		X1 2 1 1 1 1
14	IS 15306 (Part 3):	Graphic technology - Vocabulary:	January, 2022	-	Identical under dual
	2017 ISO 12637-3 : 2009	Part 3 printing terms(First Revision)			numbering
	Reviewed In : 2022	ACVISION)			
	ISO 12637-3:2009				
15	IS 15306 (Part 4):	Graphic technology - Vocabulary:	September, 2020	-	Identical under dual
	2016	Part 4 postpress terms (First	-		numbering
	ISO 12637-4 : 2008	Revision)			
	Reviewed In: 2020				
4.5	ISO 12637-4: 2008				
16	IS/ISO/TS 15311-2 :	Graphic technology Print quality		-	Identical under single
	2018 ISO/TS 15311-2:	requirements for printed matter Part 2: Commercial print			numbering
	2018	applications utilizing digital			
	ISO/TS 15311-2:	printing technologies			
	2018	printing toolinorogies			
17	IS/ISO 15341 : 2014	Graphic Technology � Method	July, 2024	-	Identical under single
	ISO 15341 : 2014	for Radius Determination of			numbering
	Reviewed In: 2024	Printing Cylinders			
	ISO 15341 : 2014	g 1: m 1 1			*
18	IS/ISO 15397 : 2014	1 23	April, 2024	-	Identical under single
	ISO 15397: 2014 Reviewed In : 2024	Communication of Graphic Paper			numbering
	ISO 15397: 2014	Properties			
19	IS 15963 (Part 1):	Graphic technology - Process	January, 2022	_	Identical under dual
	2017	control for the production of half -	·		numbering
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	ISO 12647-1:2013	production prints: Part 1			
		parameters and measurement			
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20	IS 15963 (Part 2):	Graphic technology - Process	March, 2024	-	Identical under dual
	2016 ISO 12647 2 : 2013	control for the production of half - Tone colour separations, proof and			numbering
	Reviewed In : 2024	production prints: Part 2 offset			
	ISO 12647-2:2013	lithographic processes (First			
		Revision)			
21	IS 15963 (Part 3):	Graphic technology - Process	April, 2023	-	Identical under dual
	2015	control for the production of half -	-		numbering
	ISO 12647-3 : 2013	Tone colour separations, proof and			
	Reviewed In: 2023	production prints: Part 3 coldset			
	ISO 12647-3:2013	offset lithography on			
<u> </u>		newsprint(First Revision)			

22	IS 15963 (Part 4):	Graphic technology - Process	January, 2023	I -	Identical under dual
		control for the production of half -	3 /		numbering
	ISO 12467 - 4 : 2014	Tone colour separations, proof and			
	Reviewed In: 2023	production prints: Part 4			
	ISO 12647-4:2014	publication gravure printing(First			
		Revision)			
23	IS 15963 (Part 5):	Graphic Technology â€" Process	January, 2023	-	Identical under dual
		Control for the Production of Half-			numbering
	ISO 12647-5 : 2018	Tone Colour Separations, Proofs			
	Reviewed In: 2023	and Production Prints Part 5			
	ISO 12647-5:2015	Screen Printing (First Revision)			X1 2 1 1 1 1
24	IS 15963 (Part 6):	Graphic technology - Process		-	Identical under dual
		control for the production of half -			numbering
	ISO 12647-6	Tone colour separations proof and			
	ISO 12647-6 :2020	production prints: Part 6 flexographic printing Second			
		Revision			
25	IS 15963 (Part 7):	Graphic Technology - Process	March, 2024		Identical under dual
		Control for the Production of Half-	March, 2024	_	numbering
	ISO 12647-7 : 2016	Tone Colour Separations, Proof			namooning
	Reviewed In : 2024	and Production Prints Part 7			
	IS 15963 (part 7) Se	Proofing Processes Working			
	(Puzz.) 20	Directly from Digital Data (
		Second Revision)			
26	IS 15963 (Part 8):	Graphic technology Process		-	Identical under dual
	2022	control for the production of half-			numbering
	ISO 12647-8: 2021	tone colour separations proof and			
	ISO 12647-8: 2021	production prints Part 8:			
		Validation print processes working			
		directly from digital data			
27	IS 15963 (Part 9):	Graphic technology Process		-	Identical under dual
	2022	control for the production of half-			numbering
	ISO 12647-9: 2021	tone colour separations proof and			
	ISO 12647-9: 2021	production prints Part 9 Metal			
		decoration printing processes using offset lithography			
28	IS 16322 : 2022	Graphic technology Displays for			Identical under dual
20	ISO 12646: 2015	colour proofing Characteristics		_	numbering
	ISO12646 : 2008	First Revision			numbering
29		Graphic Technology â€" Exchange		_	Identical under dual
	ISO 28178: 2022	Format for Colour and Process			numbering
		Control Data Using XML or ASCII			
L		Text (First Revision)			
30	IS 16437 (Part 1):	Graphic technology - Prepress	April, 2021	-	Identical under dual
	2016	digital data exchange - Use of			numbering
	ISO 15930-1:2001	PDF: Part 1 complete exchange			
	Reviewed In: 2021	using CMKY data			
	ISO 15930-1 : 2001		· •••		
31	IS 16437 (Part 3):	Graphic technology - Prepress	January, 2023	-	Identical under dual
	2018	digital data exchange - Use of			numbering
	ISO 15930-3 : 2002 Reviewed In : 2023	PDF: Part 3 complete exchange			
	ISO 15930-3:2002	suitable for colour - Managed workflows (PDF / X - 3)			
32	IS 16437 (Part 4):	Graphic technology - Prepress	January, 2023	 	Identical under dual
]]2	2018	digital data exchange using PDF:	January, 2023	_	numbering
	ISO 15930-4 : 2003	Part 4: complete exchange of			indinocinis
	Reviewed In : 2023	CMYK and spot colour printing			
	ISO 15930-4:2003	data using pdf 1.4 (PDF/x - 1a)			
33	IS 16437 (Part 6):	Graphic technology - Prepress	January, 2023	-	Identical under dual
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	2018 ISO 15930-6 : 2003 Reviewed In : 2023 ISO 15930-6 : 2003	digital data exchange using PDF: Part 6 complete exchange of printing data suitable for colour - Managed workflows using PDF 1.4 (PDF - 3)			numbering
34	IS 16437 (Part 7): 2018 ISO 15930-7: 2010 Reviewed In: 2023 ISO 15930-7:2010	Graphic technology - Prepress digital data exchange using PDF: Part 7 complete exchange of printing data (PDF / X - 4) and partial exchange of printing data with external profile reference (Pdf / X - 4p) using pdf 1.6	January, 2023	-	Identical under dual numbering
35	Reviewed In : 2023 ISO 15930-8:2010 and	Graphic Technology â€" Prepress Digital Data Exchange Using Pdf Part 8 Partial Exchange of Printing Data Using PDF 1.6 (PDF / X-5)	April, 2023	-	Identical under dual numbering
36	IS/ISO 16762 : 2016 ISO 16762: 2016 Reviewed In : 2024 ISO 16762: 2016	Graphic technology Post-press General requirements for transfer handling and storage	April, 2024	-	Identical under single numbering
37	IS/ISO 16763 : 2016 ISO 16763 : 2016 Reviewed In : 2024 ISO 16763 : 2016	Graphic technology � Post-press � Requirements for bound products	April, 2024	-	Identical under single numbering
38	IS 16844 : 2019 ISO 14861 : 2015 Reviewed In : 2023 ISO 14861: 2015	Graphic technology - Requirements for colour soft proofing systems	April, 2023	-	Identical under dual numbering
39	IS 16853 (Part 1): 2018 ISO 12642-1: 2011 Reviewed In: 2023 ISO 12642-1: 2011	Graphic Technology â€" Input Data for Characterization of Four- Colour Process Printing Part 1 Initial Data Set	January, 2023	-	Identical under dual numbering
40	IS 16853 (Part 2): 2018 ISO 12642-2:2006 Reviewed In: 2023 ISO 12642-2:2006	Graphic Technology â€" Input data for characterization of 4-colour process printing - Part 2: Expanded data set	January, 2023	-	Identical under dual numbering
41	IS 16853 (Part 3): 2022 ISO 12642-3: 2021 ISO 12642-3: 2021	Graphic technology Input data for characterization of 4-colour process printing Part 3: Extended data set including near neutral scale		-	Identical under dual numbering
42	IS/ISO 18619 : 2015 ISO 18619: 2015 Reviewed In : 2024 ISO 18619: 2015	management Black point compensation	July, 2024	-	Identical under single numbering
43	IS/ISO/TS 18621-11 : 2022 ISO/TS 18621-11:2022 ISO/TS 18621-11:2022	Graphic technology Image quality evaluation methods for printed matter Part 11: Colour gamut analysis		-	Identical under single numbering
44	IS/ISO/TS 18621-21 : 2023 ISO/TS 18621-21: 2023 ISO/TS 18621-21:	quality Evaluation Methods for Printed Matter Part 21 Measurement of 1D Distortions of		-	Identical under single numbering

47	ISO 20294: 2018 ISO 20294: 2018	Scanning Spectrophotometers Graphic technology Variable content replacement Part 1: Using PDFX for variable content replacement PDFVCR-1 Graphic Technology â€" Test method for the Determination of the Binding Strength for Perfect- Bound Products â€" Page-Pull Test Working Upwards Graphic technology Quantification	January, 2022	-	Identical under dual numbering Identical under single numbering
46	2024 ISO 16613-1:2017 ISO 16613-1:2017 IS/ISO 19594 : 2017 ISO 19594 : 2017 Reviewed In : 2022 ISO 19594 IS/ISO 20294 : 2018 ISO 20294: 2018 ISO 20294: 2018	content replacement Part 1: Using PDFX for variable content replacement PDFVCR-1 Graphic Technology â€" Test method for the Determination of the Binding Strength for Perfect- Bound Products â€" Page-Pull Test Working Upwards	January, 2022	-	numbering Identical under single
47	ISO 16613-1:2017 ISO 16613-1:2017 IS/ISO 19594 : 2017 ISO 19594 : 2017 Reviewed In : 2022 ISO 19594 IS/ISO 20294 : 2018 ISO 20294: 2018 ISO 20294: 2018	PDFX for variable content replacement PDFVCR-1 Graphic Technology â€" Test method for the Determination of the Binding Strength for Perfect- Bound Products â€" Page-Pull Test Working Upwards	January, 2022	-	Identical under single
47	ISO 16613-1:2017 IS/ISO 19594 : 2017 ISO 19594 : 2017 Reviewed In : 2022 ISO 19594 IS/ISO 20294 : 2018 ISO 20294: 2018 ISO 20294: 2018	replacement PDFVCR-1 Graphic Technology â€" Test method for the Determination of the Binding Strength for Perfect-Bound Products â€" Page-Pull Test Working Upwards	January, 2022	-	
47	IS/ISO 19594 : 2017 ISO 19594 : 2017 Reviewed In : 2022 ISO 19594 IS/ISO 20294 : 2018 ISO 20294: 2018 ISO 20294: 2018	Graphic Technology â€" Test method for the Determination of the Binding Strength for Perfect- Bound Products â€" Page-Pull Test Working Upwards	January, 2022	-	
47	ISO 19594 : 2017 Reviewed In : 2022 ISO 19594 IS/ISO 20294 : 2018 ISO 20294: 2018 ISO 20294: 2018	method for the Determination of the Binding Strength for Perfect- Bound Products â€" Page-Pull Test Working Upwards			
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48	ISO 20294: 2018	2		-	Identical under single
48		and communication for calculating			numbering
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		Graphic technology Determination		-	Identical under single
	ISO 20690: 2018	of the operating power			numbering
	ISO 20690: 2018	consumption of digital printing			
		devices			
49		Graphic technology Determination		-	Identical under single
	ISO 21632 : 2018	of the energy consumption of		1	numbering
	ISO 21632 : 2018	digital printing devices including		1	
		transitional and related modes			
50	IS/ISO/TS 21830:	Image Technology Colour		-	Identical under single
	2018	Management - Black Point		1	numbering
	ISO/TS 21830:	Compensation for N-Colour ICC			_
	2018	Profiles			
	ISO/TS 21830:				
	2018				
51	IS/ISO 24487-1 :	Graphic technology Processless		-	Identical under single
	2021	lithographic plates Part 1:			numbering
	ISO 24487-1: 2021	Evaluation methods for			indinio er mg
	ISO 24487-1: 2021	characteristics and performance			
52	IS/ISO 2834-1 :	Graphic Technology Laboratory			Identical under single
32	2020	Preparation of Test Prints Part 1:		_	numbering
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	ISO 2834-1 :2020	Paste Inks			
52	ISO 2834-1 :2020	G 1: T 1 1 ^C"	M 1 2020	+	T1 .: 1 1 : 1
53	IS/ISO 2834-2:	Graphic Technology â€"	March, 2020	-	Identical under single
		Laboratory Preparation Test Prints			numbering
	ISO 2834-2 : 2015	Part 2 Liquid Printing Inks			
	Reviewed In: 2020				
	ISO 2834-2:2015				
54	IS/ISO 2834-3:	Graphic Technology Laboratory	June, 2024	-	Identical under single
	2008	Preparation Test Prints Part 3			numbering
	ISO 2834 -3:2008	Screen Printing Inks			
	Reviewed In: 2024			1	
	ISO 2834 -3:2008				
55	IS 3050 : 2018	Code of practice for reinforced	February, 2023	-	Indigenous
		binding of library books and	-	1	
	Reviewed In: 2023	periodicals (First Revision)		1	
56	IS 4:2024	Learned Periodicals - Layout -		-	Indigenous
		Guide (Second Revision)		1	
57	IS 6298 : 2023	Guide for Selection of Type and		-	Indigenous
٠,	15 5275 . 2025	Page Layout in Textbooks		1	margonous
58	IS 6660 : 2023	Guide for illustration in books		 	Indigenous
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59	IS 7140 : 2023	Symbols and notations for		+	Indigenous
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		correction of illustrations and		1	
60	IC 7160 2002	illustration proofs	Cambanak 2020	+	T., J
60	IS 7160 : 2003	Guide for print area, margins and	September, 2020		Indigenous
	Reviewed In: 2020	type sizes for textbooks (First		1	

		Revision)			
61	IS 7400 : 2023	Textbooks � Preparation and	nd - Indigenous		Indigenous
		Production � Guideline (First			
		Revision)			
62	IS 790 : 2023	Guidelines for preliminary pages		-	Indigenous
		of a book			
63	IS 8010 (Part 1):	Guidelines for preparation of		-	Indigenous
	2023	technical reports Part 1: Research			
		and development reports			
64	IS 8010 (Part 2):	Guidelines for preparation of		-	Indigenous
	2023	technical report- Part 2: Feasibility			
		reports			
65	IS 8010 (Part 3):	Guidelines for preparation of		-	Indigenous
	2023	technical reports Part 3 : Industrial			
		potential survey reports			
66	IS 8010 (Part 3):	Guidelines for preparation of	September, 2020	-	Indigenous
	1987	technical reports: Part 3 industrial			
	Reviewed In: 2020	potential survey reports			

Standards under Development

		Projects Approved		
SI. No.	SI. No. Doc No. Title			
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		Preliminary Draft Standards		
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		Drafts Standards in WC Stage		
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		Draft Standards Completed WC Stage
SI. No.	Doc No.	Title
1	MSD 6 (26125)	Graphic technology Laboratory preparation of test prints Part 2 Liquid printing inks First Revision

		Finalized Draft Indian Standard
SI. No.	Doc No.	Title
1	MSD 6 (24581)	Graphic technology Image quality evaluation methods for printed matter Part 31 Evaluation of the perceived resolution of printing systems with the Contrast Resolution chart

		Finalized Draft Indian Standards under Print		
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Total Published Standards:48 Total Standards Under development:2

Aspect Wise Report

Product: 0

Code of Practices: 1 Methods of Test: 2 Terminology: 5

Dimensions: 0 System Standard: 1 Safety Standard: 0

Others: 51

Service Specification: 0 Process Specification: 0

Unclassified: 4

Annexure-I :List of Indian Standards Withdrawn/Superseded

SI. No.	IS No. & Year	Title
1	IS 793 : 1956	Practice for author statement in the title-page of a book

Annexure-II :List of Indian Product Standards

SI. No.	IS No. & Year	Title	
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