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## Foreword

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## Introduction

This International Standard provides guidelines for Information Security Risk Management in an organization, supporting in particular the requirements of an ISMS according to ISO/IEC 27001. However, this International Standard does not provide any specific methodology for information security risk management. It is up to the organization to define their approach to risk management, depending for example on the scope of the ISMS, context of risk management, or industry sector. A number of existing methodologies can be used under the framework described in this International Standard to implement the requirements of an ISMS.

This International Standard is relevant to managers and staff concerned with information security risk management within an organization and, where appropriate, external parties supporting such activities.