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This second edition cancels and replaces the first edition (ISO 16900-11:2013), which has been technically revised.

The main changes are as follows:

- equipment for RPD headforms specified to use illuminated eyes;
- mounting the RPD in [8.3](#) more specified;
- [Figure 1](#) changed to use headforms according to ISO 16900-5;
- in [Table 1](#) the total visual field score (VFS) and the number of critical dots were added;
- application of uncertainty of measurement former [Annex A](#) was deleted;
- figures revised where appropriate.

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Introduction

This document is intended as a supplement to the respiratory protective devices (RPD) performance standards. Test methods are specified for complete devices or parts of devices. If deviations from the test method given in this document are necessary, these deviations will be specified in the performance standards.

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