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**Technical product documentation —  
Organization and naming of layers  
for CAD —**

**Part 1:  
Overview and principles**

*Documentation technique de produits — Organisation et  
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## Introduction

The ISO 13567 series consists of two parts which deal with CAD layer organization and naming. ISO 13567-1 has a general application whereas ISO 13567-2 is applicable to construction projects.

The purpose of the ISO 13567 series is to establish a common international basis for organizing data in CAD systems that covers the structuring of data into layers.

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