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INTRODUCTION

172 This document considers and supports the designation of processes and activities within
173 industrial systems. The application of a reference designation system tailored for this purpose
174 may lead to innovative perspectives and structuring of these elements, offering opportunities
175 and potential for enhanced efficiency and optimization.

176 The users of this standard will be able to manage processes, relation among these and related
177 properties in a more efficient and consistent way. When implemented, information across
178 various data processing systems can be handled in an unambiguous way.

179 The focus of this addition to the 81346 International Standard series is to define classes of
180 processes which are used in life cycle of a technical system or product.

181 The following advantages of designation systems in accordance with this international standard
182 and the 81346-standard series in general will be more and more important in the future:

- 183 • The reference designation system can be applied in several technical fields in the same
184 way and is not designed only for one;
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