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types 1, 2 and 3 – General
specifications, safety requirements,
dimensions for master shield and
clearance zone**

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PREFACE

This Standard was prepared by the Australian members of the Joint Standards Australia/Standards New Zealand Committee ME-065, Agricultural Tractors and Machinery, as a revision, in part, of AS 1121—1983, *Guards for agricultural tractor PTO drives*. After consultation with stakeholders in both countries, Standards Australia and Standards New Zealand decided to develop this Standard as an Australian Standard rather than an Australian/New Zealand Standard.

This Standard is Part 1 of a series of Parts dealing with the guarding of power take-offs (PTO), and power take-off shafts for agricultural tractors. Other Parts in the series are the following.

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The objective of this Standard is to provide designers, manufacturers and suppliers of rear-mounted power take-offs with means for reducing the risks to the health and safety of those who must work with or near rear-mounted power take-offs.

This Standard is identical with and has been reproduced from ISO 500-1:2004 and ISO 500-1:2004/Cor.1:2005, *Agricultural tractors—Rear-mounted power take-off types 1, 2 and 3—Part 1: General specifications, safety requirements, and dimensions for master shield and clearance zone*.

As this Standard is reproduced from an International Standard, the following applies:

- (a) Its number appears on the cover and title page while the International Standard number appears only on the cover.
- (b) In the source text ‘this part of ISO 500’ should read ‘this Australian Standard.’
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The text of this Standard includes Technical Corrigendum 1 to ISO 500-1:2004, which appears at the end of the original source text.

None of the normative references listed in Clause 2 have been adopted as Australian or Australian/New Zealand Standards.

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Part 1:

Rear-mounted power take-off types 1, 2 and 3—General specifications, safety requirements, dimensions for master shield and clearance zone

1 Scope

This part of ISO 500 gives general specifications, including speeds, safety requirements, the dimensions for the master shield and clearance zones for rear-mounted power take-offs (PTOs) of types 1, 2 and 3 on agricultural tractors with a track setting of more than 1 150 mm (those with a track setting of 1 150 mm or less are covered in ISO 500-2).

2 Normative references

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

ISO 5673-2, *Agricultural tractors and machinery — Power take-off drive shafts and power-input connection — Part 2: Specifications of PTO draft shaft, and PIC position and clearance for attachments*

ISO 6489 (all parts), *Agricultural vehicles — Mechanical connections on towing vehicles*

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the following terms and definitions apply.

3.1

power take-off shaft

PTO

external shaft on the rear of the tractor to provide rotational power to implements

4 Specifications

4.1 The tractor rear PTO is classified into three types (see Table 1).

4.2 The direction of PTO rotation shall be clockwise when viewed from behind the tractor.

4.3 The nominal PTO rated rotational frequency may be realized by one or more engine speed ranges.