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### Part 2: Chemical and biochemical sensors

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#### 2 Normative references

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IEC 60050-561:-2014, *International Electrotechnical Vocabulary – Part 561: Piezoelectric, dielectric and electrostatic devices and associated materials for frequency control, selection and detection*

IEC 60617, *Graphical symbols for diagrams*, available at <http://std.iec.ch/iec60617>

IEC 63041-1, *Piezoelectric sensors – Part 1: Generic specifications*

ISO 80000-1:2009, *Quantities and units – Part 1: General*

#### 3 Terms and definitions

##### 3.1 General

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NOTE 1 In the market of chemical and biochemical sensors, the terms related in fields such as chemistry, biochemistry, healthcare, etc. are widely used.

NOTE 2 Piezoelectric sensors covered herein are those used for the detection and measurement of either chemical substance in the gas phase or biological molecules in aqueous media.