

Proficiency testing by interlaboratory comparisons —

**Part 2: Selection and use of proficiency
testing schemes by laboratory
accreditation bodies**

ICS 03.120.20

National foreword

This Published Document reproduces verbatim ISO/IEC Guide 43-2:1997.

The UK participation in its preparation was entrusted to Technical Committee QS/3, Conformity assessment, which has the responsibility to:

- aid enquirers to understand the text;
- present to the responsible international/European committee any enquiries on the interpretation, or proposals for change, and keep the UK interests informed;
- monitor related international and European developments and promulgate them in the UK.

A list of organizations represented on this committee can be obtained on request to its secretary.

Cross-references

The British Standards which implement international or European publications referred to in this document may be found in the BSI Standards Catalogue under the section entitled “International Standards Correspondence Index”, or by using the “Find” facility of the BSI Standards Electronic Catalogue.

A BSI Published Document does not purport to include all the necessary provisions of a contract. Users of British Standards and BSI Published Documents are responsible for their correct application.

Compliance with a British Standard does not of itself confer immunity from legal obligations.

Summary of pages

This document comprises a front cover, an inside front cover, pages i and ii, the ISO/IEC title page, pages ii to iv, pages 1 to 3 and a back cover.

This standard has been updated (see copyright date) and may have had amendments incorporated. This will be indicated in the amendment table on the inside front cover.

This Published Document, having been prepared under the direction of the Management Systems Sector Committee, was published under the authority of the Standards Committee and comes into effect on 15 April 1999

© BSI 02-2000

Amendments issued since publication

Amd. No.	Date	Comments