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## **Foreword**

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# Accessible Design— Assessment method of accessibility of consumer products

## Introduction

This Japanese Industrial Standard aims at promoting increase in manufacture and use of consumer products that satisfy the needs of wider range of people including older persons and persons with disabilities by providing details of assessment method for accessibility of such consumer products. The assessment criteria provided in this Standard are organized according to human abilities and characteristics provided in **JIS Z 8071**, and the assessment methodology and procedures in this Standard have been laid out by referring to **JISs** and other standards regarding accessibility considerations for consumer products.

No corresponding International Standard has been established at this point.

## 1 Scope

This Standard provides the details of method for assessing the accessibility of consumer products.

The intended users of the assessment results based on this Standard include consumers who use the consumer products, distributors who mediate the purchase of or directly purchase the consumer products, designers or operators of lodging facilities, houses or care facilities for older persons, and persons involved in public procurement.

## 2 Normative reference

The following standard contains provisions which, through reference in this text, constitute provisions of this Standard. The most recent edition of the standard (including amendments) indicated below shall be applied.

JIS Z 8071 *Guide for addressing accessibility in standards*

## 3 Terms and definitions

For the purpose of this Standard, the terms and definitions given in **JIS Z 8071**, and the following apply.

### 3.1

#### consumer product

product intended to be acquired and used by individual user for personal use, rather than professional use (see **JIS S 0011:2013**)

### 3.2

#### product for assessment

consumer product to be subjected to accessibility assessment specified in this Standard