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**GUIDE FOR
ILLUSTRATIONS IN BOOKS**

FOREWORD

0.1 This Indian Standard was adopted by the Indian Standards Institution on 6 November 1972, after the draft finalized by the Documentation Sectional Committee had been approved by the Executive Committee,

0.2 Illustrations form an important part of a publication and contribute to its usefulness as well as aesthetic value. In technical works, illustrations help to elucidate the text and show details that are difficult to describe in words. They may bring out functional relationship between variables or make it possible to compare at a glance different sets of observations. In publications of general interest, their function may also be to capture reader attention.

1. SCOPE

1.1 This guide specifies requirements for basic materials for design, the techniques and limitations in designing; scaling of illustrations; handling; and criteria for selection of photographs and transparencies.