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## ISO general purpose metric screw threads — Selected sizes for screws, bolts and nuts

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## FOREWORD

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Prior to 1972, the results of the work of the Technical Committees were published as ISO Recommendations; these documents are now in the process of being transformed into International Standards. As part of this process, International Standard ISO 262 replaces ISO Recommendation R 262-1969, drawn up by Technical Committee ISO/TC 1, *Screw threads*.

The Member Bodies of the following countries approved the Recommendation :

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The Member Bodies of the following countries expressed disapproval of the Recommendation on technical grounds :

Australia  
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