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## Acoustics - Measurement and parametric description of of spatial sound distribution curves in workrooms for evaluation of their acoustical performance (ISO 14257:2001)

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