

ISBN 978-0-626-35207-3

SANS 17034:2017

Edition 1

ISO 17034:2016

Edition 1

SOUTH AFRICAN NATIONAL STANDARD

General requirements for the competence of reference material producers

This national standard is the identical implementation of ISO 17034:2016, and is adopted with the permission of the International Organization for Standardization.

WARNING

**This document references other
documents normatively.**

Published by the South African Bureau of Standards
1 Dr Lategan Road Groenkloof ☒ Private Bag X191 Pretoria 0001
Tel: +27 12 428 7911 Fax: +27 12 344 1568

www.sabs.co.za

© SABS

SABS

This page has been left blank intentionally



COPYRIGHT PROTECTED DOCUMENT

© SABS

In terms of the Standards Act 8 of 2008, the copyright in all South African National Standards or any other publications published by the SABS Standards Division, vests in the SABS. Any use of South African National Standards is limited to use specifically prescribed by the SABS. In the case of a South African National Standard based on an international standard, ownership of the copyright vests in the organization from which the SABS adopted the standard, whether it be under licence or membership agreement. The SABS is obliged to protect such copyright and is authorized to make the relevant international organization aware of any misuse thereof. Unless exemption has been granted, no extract or full text of any South African National Standard may be copied, reproduced, stored in a retrieval system or transmitted in any form or by any means without prior written permission from the SABS Standards Division. This does not preclude the free use, in the course of implementing the standard, of necessary details such as symbols, and size, type or grade designations. If these details are to be used for any purpose other than implementation, prior written permission must be obtained.

Details, advice and limitations of use can be obtained from the Manager: Standards Sales and Information Services. Tel: +27 (0) 12 428 6883 email: sales@sabs.co.za

SABS – Standards Division

The objective of the SABS Standards Division is to develop, promote and maintain South African National Standards. This objective is incorporated in the Standards Act, 2008 (Act No. 8 of 2008).

The SABS continuously strives to improve the quality of its products and services and would therefore be grateful if anyone finding an inaccuracy or ambiguity while using this standard would inform the secretary of the technical committee responsible, the identity of which can be found in the foreword.

Buying Standards

Contact the Sales Office for South African and international standards, which are available in both electronic and hard copy format. Tel: +27 (0) 12 428 6883 email: sales@sabs.co.za

South African National Standards are also available online from the SABS Webstore www.store.sabs.co.za

Information on Standards

SABS Customer Services provide comprehensive standards-related information on national, regional and international standards. Tel: +27 (0) 12 428 7911 / 0861 27 7227 email: info@sabs.co.za

SANS 17034:2017

Edition 1

ISO 17034:2016

Edition 1

Table of changes

Change No.	Date	Scope

National foreword

This South African standard was prepared by National Committee SABS/TC 003, *Conformity assessment (CASCO)*, in accordance with procedures of the South African Bureau of Standards, in compliance with annex 3 of the WTO/TBT agreement.

This document was approved for publication in August 2017.

Compliance with this document cannot confer immunity from legal obligations.

SANS 17034:2017
INTERNATIONAL
STANDARD

ISO
17034

First edition
2016-11-01

**General requirements for the
competence of reference material
producers**

*Exigences générales pour la compétence des producteurs de
matériaux de référence*



Reference number
ISO 17034:2016(E)

© ISO 2016