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Introduction

Terms and designations for individual system parts and process steps used in product descriptions and instructions for use provided by manufacturers of dental computer-aided design and computer-aided manufacturing (CAD/CAM) systems differ from each other, creating confusion among dentists and dental technicians. In order to overcome these ambiguities, this document defines terminology used in the process chain for CAD/CAM systems.

In the terminological entries, first the preferred term and then the admitted terms which have been in use so far are given. It is intended that the preferred terms will be used instead of the admitted terms in the future.

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