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## Introduction

The ISO/IEC 22460 series consists of the following parts, under the general title *Cards and security devices for personal identification — UAS license and drone/UAS security module*:

- Part 1<sup>1)</sup>: *Physical characteristics and basic data sets for UAS licence*. Part 1 describes the basic terms for the ISO/IEC 22460 series, including physical characteristics, basic data element set, visual layout, and physical security features.
- Part 2 (this document): *Drone/UAS security module*. This document describes data and cryptographic functions of the drone/UAS security module. The drone security module does not limit the types of data contained in this module and the cryptographic functions it provides.
- Part 3<sup>2)</sup>: *Logical data structure, access control, authentication and integrity validation for drone license*. Part 3 describes guidelines for the design format and data content of a UAS license with regard to logical data structure, access control, authentication and integrity validation.

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# Cards and security devices for personal identification — ISO UAS license and drone/UAS security module —

## Part 2: Drone/UAS security module

### 1 Scope

This document specifies cryptographic functions of the drone/unmanned aircraft system (UAS) security module. The drone/UAS security module is a security device that serves as a container for the drone/UAS pilot license, drone/UAS operator license, and other personal identification. It provides storage space for storing optional elements and has the capability of cryptographic functions including integrity validation, authentication and data encryption.

### 2 Normative references

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ISO 21384-4, *Unmanned aircraft systems — Part 4: Vocabulary*