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2 SCOPE
The standards in this guide cover alternating-current squirrel-cage motors up to and including the ratings built in frames corresponding to the continuous open-type ratings given in Table 1.