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ISO 8466 consists of the following parts, under the general title *Water quality – Calibration and evaluation of analytical methods and estimation of performance characteristics*:

- Part 1: Statistical evaluation of the linear calibration function
- Part 2: Calibration strategy for non-linear calibration functions
- Part 3: Method of standard addition

- Part 4: Estimation of limit of detection and limit of determination of an analytical basis method.

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