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| **Object under Investigation (***OuI***)**  "the component(s) (1..n) that are to be qualified by the test” | **Test Objectives**  Why is the test needed? What do we expect to find out? | **System under Test** (*SuT*)  Systems, subsystems, components included in the test case or test setup. |
| **Function(s) under Investigation (***FuI***)**  “the referenced specification of a function realized (operationalized) by the object under investigation” |
| **Purpose of Investigation** *(PoI)*  The test purposes classified in with terms *Characterization*, *Verification*, or *Validation* | **Functions under Test** (*FuT*)  Functions relevant to the operation of the system under test, including FuI and relevant interactions btw. OuI and SuT. |
| **Domain under Investigation (***DuI***):**  “the relevant domains of test parameters and connectivity.” |
| **Target metrics** (*TM*)  Measures retrievable from SuT required to quantify each of the identified test criteria | **Test criteria** *(TCR)*  Formulation of criteria *for each PoI* based on properties of SuT; encompasses properties of test signals and output measures. | **Variability attributes** *(VA)*  Identify relevant controllable or uncontrollable factors of the SuT and their required variability; refer to PoI. |
| **Quality attributes** *(QA)*  threshold levels for test result quality as well as pass/fail criteria. |