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Foreword

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Introduction

This European Standard is a type C standard as stated in EN ISO 12100.

The machinery concerned and the extent to which hazards, hazardous situations and hazardous events are covered are indicated in the scope of this European Standard.

When provisions of this type-C-standard are different from those which are stated in type-A- and -B-standards, the provisions of this type-C-standard take precedence over the provisions of the other standards for machines that have been designed and built according to the provisions of this type-C-standard.

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1 Scope

This European Standard specifies the safety and hygiene requirements for the design and construction of automatic fish heading and fish filleting machines, and using knives.

This European Standard applies to machinery and equipment for the heading and filleting of fish in the fish processing industry. This document deals with all significant hazards, hazardous situations, and events relevant to fish heading and filleting machines when they are used as intended and under conditions of misuse which are reasonably foreseeable by the manufacturer (see Clause 4). It deals with the hazards during the following phases of the intended use: assembly and installation, commissioning, setting and adjusting, operation, cleaning, fault finding, and maintenance.

When drawing up this European Standard, the following assumptions were made:

- only trained adult persons operate the machines;
- the machines are used in workplaces with an illumination level that can be reasonably expected in such places.

This European Standard is not applicable to fish heading and filleting machines that are manufactured before the date of its publication as EN.

2 Normative references

The following documents, in whole or in part, are normatively referenced in this document and are indispensable for its application. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

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3 Terms and definitions

3.1 General

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in EN ISO 12100:2010 and the following apply.

3.1.1

filleting

process consisting of the removal of spine/spinal cord and/or collarbones from fish

prEN 15467:2012 (E)**3.1.2****splitting**

cutting of fish into fillets with the spine on one of the filets, or the spine divided on both fillets

3.1.3**heading**

deheading process includes V-cutting, flat-cutting, round-cutting, and guillotine-cutting

3.1.4**nobbing**

cutting off the head and pulling out the intestines

3.1.5**gutting**

removal of the intestines from fish

3.1.6**cutting tool**

see 3.1.8, knife

3.1.7**in-feed**

part of the machine where the product is placed and subsequently fed to the machine

3.1.8**knife**

cutting tool with a sharp firm or corrugated cutting edge, intended for cutting of meat, bone and similar parts of a fish

Note 1 to entry: The knife may be

- stationary,
- reciprocating,
- rotating circular,
- or an endless blade

3.1.9**knife-holder (blade removing device)**

device to make the knife safe to grasp during mounting and dismounting

Note 1 to entry: The knife-holder may be an integrated part of the knife or detachable

3.1.10**knife-edge guard**

device guarding the knife-edge during the mounting and dismounting of the knife. A knife-edge guard may be a detachable or an integral part of the machine

3.1.11**knife-carrier**

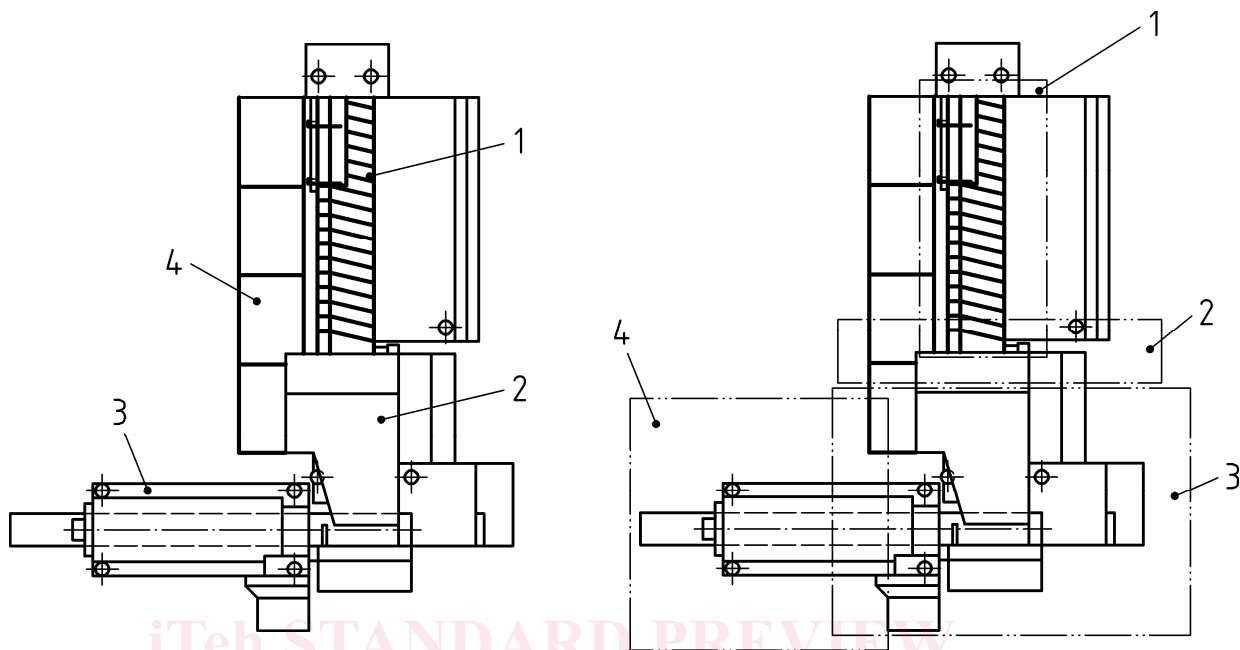
device that protects the operator and guards the knife during transport and storage

3.1.12**processing**

processing covers one or more of the terms: Filleting, splitting, heading, nobbing, gutting and similar handling

3.2 Tray in-feed machine

A processing machine usually with one or two endless chains mounted with fixed trays transporting and positioning the fish through the processing. The fish may be placed manually or automatically in the fixed trays.



Key

- 1 one or two chains with fixed trays
- 2 processing unit (deheading, filleting, nobbing, gutting, etc.)
- 3 transfer or discharge
- 4 operator's platform

Key

- 1 in-feed area: The area where the fish is placed in the tray, either manual or by a feeding machine
- 2 entrance to processing area: The area where the tray-chain and fish moves into the processing area
- 3 processing area
- 4 transfer and/or discharge area: The area where the processed fish and the offal leaves the machine

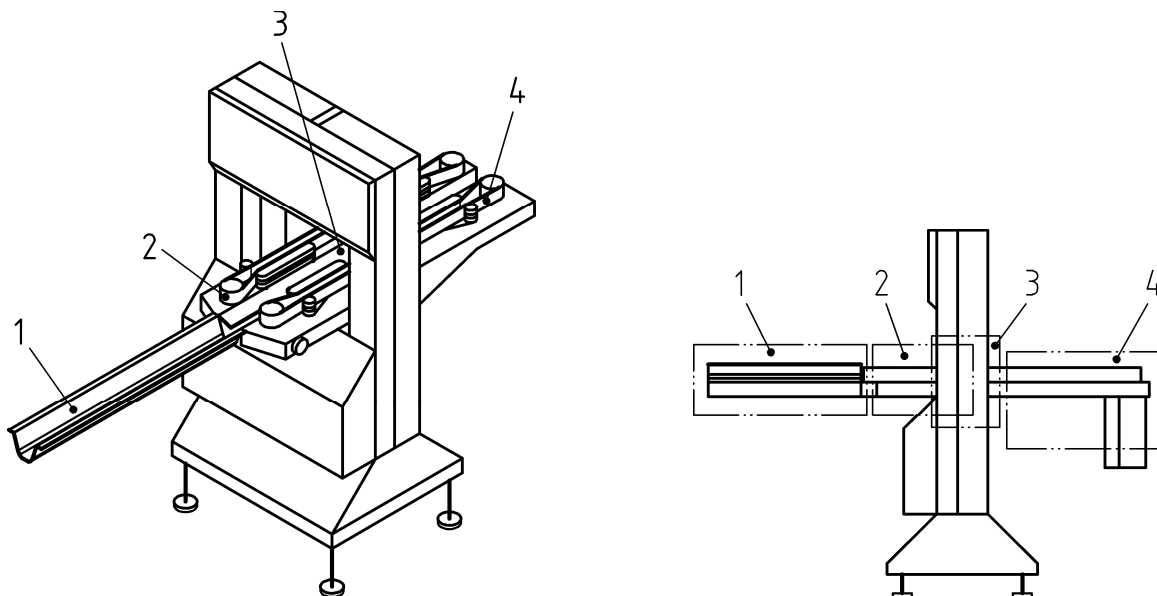
a) Example of a tray in-feed machine

b) Tray-fed machine – Hazard areas

Figure 1 — Tray in-feed machine

3.3 Belt in-feed machine

A processing machine usually with two parallel endless belts. The fish is placed between the belts and is fed to the machine.



Key

- 1 in-fed slide
- 2 parallel belts
- 3 processing area
- 4 transfer or discharge end

Key

- 1 in-feed area: the area where the fish manually is placed between the feeding belts
- 2 entrance to processing area: the area where the feeding belts and fish moves into the processing area
- 3 processing area
- 4 transfer and/or discharge area: the area where the processed fish and the offal leaves the machine

a) Example of a belt-fed machine

b) Belt in-feed machines – Hazard areas shown without guards

Figure 2 — Belt in-feed machine