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- adaption of the normative references and referring to ISO standards;
- consideration of revised type-A and type-B standards;
- moving of the list of significant hazards to an informative annex;
- modification of the safety requirements and protective measures by taking into consideration the technological progress in the plastics and rubber industry and the continuous development of the safety technology;
- modification of all annexes;
- fundamental modification of the annexes specifying the protective types and addition of further examples of application;
- moving of the annex indicating the relationship between this European Standard and the Essential Requirements of EU Directive 2006/42/EC to informative Annex ZA;
- cancellation of the annex indicating the relationship between this European Standard and the Essential Requirements of EU Directive 98/37/EC.

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| 1.2.2  | 4.1.5, 4.2.1.3, 4.2.3.2, 4.2.7, 4.2.8, 4.8.10, Annex E, Annex F  |               |
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| 1.2.4.2  | 4.1.2.2  |               |
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## Introduction

This document is a type-C standard as stated in ISO 12100:2010.

This document is of relevance, in particular, for the following stakeholder groups representing the market players with regard to machinery safety:

- machine manufacturers (small, medium and large enterprises);
- health and safety bodies (regulators, accident prevention organizations, market surveillance, etc.).

Others can be affected by the level of machinery safety achieved with the means of the document by the above-mentioned stakeholder groups:

- machine distributors, resellers, rebuilders and integrators;
- machine users/employers (small, medium and large enterprises);
- machine operators/employees (e.g. trade unions, organizations for people with special needs);
- service providers, e.g. for maintenance (small, medium and large enterprises).

The above-mentioned stakeholder groups have been given the possibility to participate in the drafting process of this document.

The machinery concerned and the extent to which hazards, hazardous situations or hazardous events are covered are indicated in the Scope of this document.

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

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# Plastics and rubber machines — Injection moulding machines — Safety requirements

## 1 Scope

This document specifies the essential safety requirements for the design and construction of injection moulding machines for the processing of plastics and/or rubber and provides information for their safe use.

This document is applicable only to injection moulding machines with hydraulic and/or electrical drives for platen movement.

This document deals with all significant hazards, hazardous situations and events relevant to injection moulding machines, when they are used as intended and under conditions of misuse which are reasonably foreseeable by the manufacturer (see [Annex A](#)) during the life cycle of the machinery (see ISO 12100:2010, 5.4).

The following are not covered:

- machines on which the clamping unit can only be operated by the physical force of the operator;
- machines for which the hydraulic jack can only be manually operated;
- injection blow moulding machines;
- machines for reaction injection moulding;
- compression moulding machines and transfer moulding machines;
- direct-on sole moulding machines, unit sole and footwear component moulding machines, full shoe and boot moulding machines;
- design of an exhaust system;
- design and construction of the mould.

NOTE Moulds and exhaust systems are not part of the machinery.

This document is not applicable to injection moulding machines which are manufactured before the date of its publication.

## 2 Normative references

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ISO 1402:2009, *Rubber and plastics hoses and hose assemblies — Hydrostatic testing*

ISO 3744:2010, *Acoustics — Determination of sound power levels and sound energy levels of noise sources using sound pressure — Engineering methods for an essentially free field over a reflecting plane*

ISO 3746:2010, *Acoustics — Determination of sound power levels and sound energy levels of noise sources using sound pressure — Survey method using an enveloping measurement surface over a reflecting plane*

ISO 3747:2010, *Acoustics — Determination of sound power levels and sound energy levels of noise sources using sound pressure — Engineering/survey methods for use in situ in a reverberant environment*