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The committee responsible for this document is ISO/TC 72, *Textile machinery and accessories*, Subcommittee SC 8, *Safety requirements for textile machinery*.

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ISO 11111 consists of the following parts, under the general title *Textile machinery — Safety requirements*:

- *Part 1: Common requirements*
- *Part 2: Spinning preparatory and spinning machines*
- *Part 3: Nonwoven machinery*
- *Part 4: Yarn processing, cordage and rope manufacturing machinery*
- *Part 5: Preparatory machinery to weaving and knitting*
- *Part 6: Fabric manufacturing machinery*
- *Part 7: Dyeing and finishing machinery*

## Introduction

ISO 11111-1 to ISO 11111-7 were prepared simultaneously by ISO/TC 72 and CEN/TC 214, and adopted under the Vienna Agreement in order to obtain identical standards on technical safety requirements for the design and construction of textile machinery.

ISO 11111 as a whole is intended for use by any person concerned with the safety of textile machinery, for example, textile machinery designers, manufacturers and systems integrators. It is also of interest to users of textile machines and safety experts.

This part of ISO 11111 is a type C standard as stated in ISO 12100. The various parts of ISO 11111 deal with significant hazards generated by machines used in the textile industry. The machinery concerned and the extent to which hazards are covered are indicated in the scope of this part of ISO 11111.

When provisions of this type C standard are different from those which are stated in type A or B standards, the provisions of this type C standard take precedence.

For machines or machine equipment not dealt with in the relevant parts of ISO 11111, the designer performs a risk assessment according to ISO 12100 and provides means for reducing the risk from significant hazards. These risk reduction measures that need to be identified by the designer/manufacturer of the machinery by risk assessment are outside the scope of this standard.

This part of ISO 11111 contains a summary of safety requirements and/or measures for frequently occurring hazards of textile machinery (see [Clause 5](#)) which apply whenever referred to in this, or the other parts of ISO 11111.

Significant hazards and corresponding safety requirements and/or measures for certain machine elements (e.g. rollers) and their combination of textile machines are also described (see [Clause 6](#)).

The various parts of ISO 11111 address significant hazards and corresponding safety requirements and/or measures for specific types of textile machines. As far as possible, these are treated by way of reference to [Clauses 5](#) and [6](#) and other cross-references (see general safety requirements), thus reducing considerably the volume by avoiding many repetitions. The standard for a specific textile machine will normally consist of this part of ISO 11111 and the specific part relevant to that machine. ISO 11111-2 to ISO 11111-7 may also contain exceptions or additions to the requirements given in this part of ISO 11111 (see specific safety requirements).