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## Single lifting hooks with shank — Capacity up to 25 tonnes — Grades M, P, S (T, V) — Hammer and drop forged hooks

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## 1 SCOPE

This International Standard, complementing the general characteristics defined by ISO 2141, specifies the shape, numbering, grade, capacity, dimensions and preparation for tests of single lifting hooks with shanks. This International Standard is primarily intended for grades M, P and S hooks but values for grades T and V have been included in the table for the sake of completeness.

## 2 FIELD OF APPLICATION

This International Standard applies to hooks with a lifting capacity of up to 25 t, made by drop forging<sup>1)</sup>, or by hammer forging<sup>2)</sup>, which are normally used, after suitable machining of the shank, on lifting appliances.

## 3 REFERENCES

ISO/R 643, *Micrographic determination of the austenitic grain size of steels*.

ISO/R 1837, *Nomenclature of lifting hooks*.

ISO 2141, *Lifting hooks — General characteristics*.

## 4 SHAPE

The shape of the hooks is defined by Figure 1, as a function of the data given in the Table; the hooks are characterized by the choice of the optimum load bearing properties of the metal, the form of a flat or concave-sided trapezoid<sup>3)</sup> being generally chosen for those sections of the body subject to bending stresses. They are designated by the index 1.1 (see ISO/R 1837).

### 4.1 Boss

The term refers to a shoulder intended to accommodate a safety catch, if this is fitted. The shape and position of the boss is given in Figures 1 and 2, the corresponding sizes being given in the Table. Whether or not a boss is provided depends on the wishes of the purchaser and on the regulations of the countries in which the hook is to be used<sup>4)</sup>.

## 5 NUMBERING OF HOOKS

### Pattern numbers

The hooks are numbered according to their dimensional characteristics which are such that, for a given grade of hook, the maximum lifting capacities are in accordance with the R 10 series of preferred numbers (see Table). The number thus defined is called the "pattern number", to make clear that it does not correspond with the lifting capacity.

## 6 MATERIALS

### 6.1 Hooks of grades M and P

The steel is defined as follows :

- It shall be produced by the open hearth process, the electrical process, or an oxygen top blown process.
- In its finished state, as supplied to the manufacturers of the hooks, it shall comply with the following specifications, according to the cast analysis or analysis of the finished hook.
- It shall be fully killed, be capable of being conveniently forged and be capable of being heat treated to obtain the required mechanical properties.

The proportions of sulphur and phosphorus shall be limited as follows :

|                    | Cast<br>analysis | Check<br>analysis |
|--------------------|------------------|-------------------|
| Maximum sulphur    | 0,045 %          | 0,050 %           |
| Maximum phosphorus | 0,040 %          | 0,045 %           |

The steel shall be made in conformity with fine grain practice, to obtain an austenitic grain size of 5 or finer, the test being carried out in accordance with ISO/R 643.

This can be accomplished, for example, by ensuring that it contains sufficient aluminium, or equivalent element, to permit the manufacture of hooks resistant to ageing during use; a minimum value of 0,020 % of metallic aluminium is quoted for guidance.

1) Generally in the case of mass-production.

2) Generally in the case of high-capacity units made in limited numbers.

3) Drop-forged hooks are generally hollow-sided, and hand-forged hooks are generally flat-sided.

4) The boss is situated at the beginning of the shank; it may be partly removed by machining.

Within the above limitations, the hook manufacturer is in all cases responsible for the choice of steel so that the finished hook, when suitably heat-treated, will meet the required mechanical properties.

## 6.2 Steel alloy hooks (grade S and above)

The steel is defined as follows :

- It shall be produced by the open-hearth process, the electrical process or by an oxygen top blown process.
- In its finished state, as supplied to the manufacturers of the hooks, it shall comply with the following specifications, according to the cast analysis or analysis of the finished hook.
- It shall be fully killed, be capable of being conveniently forged, and shall contain alloying elements in sufficient quantities to guarantee the mechanical properties of the hook after appropriate heat treatment.

For example, the steels for grade S hooks shall contain at least one of the following elements :

|            |   |                     |
|------------|---|---------------------|
| Nickel     | } | or their equivalent |
| Chromium   |   |                     |
| Molybdenum |   |                     |

and the steels for grade T hooks shall contain at least two of the following elements :

|            |   |                     |
|------------|---|---------------------|
| Nickel     | } | or their equivalent |
| Chromium   |   |                     |
| Molybdenum |   |                     |
| Boron      |   |                     |

Neither manganese nor silicon shall be considered in this context as alloying elements.

The proportions of sulphur and phosphorus shall be limited as follows :

|                    | Cast analysis | Check analysis |
|--------------------|---------------|----------------|
| Maximum sulphur    | 0,035 %       | 0,040 %        |
| Maximum phosphorus | 0,035 %       | 0,040 %        |

The steel shall be made in conformity with fine grain practice, to obtain an austenitic grain size of 5 or finer, the test being carried out in accordance with ISO/R 643.

This can be accomplished, for example, by ensuring that it contains sufficient aluminium, or equivalent element, to permit the manufacture of hooks resistant to ageing during use; a minimum value of 0,020 % of metallic aluminium is quoted for guidance.

Within the above limitations, the hook manufacturer is in all cases responsible for the choice of steel so that the finished hook, when suitably heat-treated, will meet the required mechanical properties.

1) See the International Standards being prepared by ISO/TC 96.

## 7 GRADE — CAPACITY — MARKING — PROOF LOAD

### 7.1 Grade of hook

The grade of hooks, designated by the letters M,P,S,T,V, is given in the Table in terms of the values of lifting capacity and proof load.

In relation to these values, the hook shall

- have a fatigue strength enabling it to withstand, without breaking, 400 000 applications of a load corresponding to the lifting capacity given in the Table;
- withstand, without permanent deformation, the application of the proof load. This condition shall be considered to have been fulfilled if, after removal of the proof load, the increase in the opening does not exceed 0,25 %;
- withstand, without shedding the load, the application of a tensile force corresponding to twice the proof load.

### 7.2 Lifting capacities ( $C_p$ )

The lifting capacities are given in the Table for the different grades of hooks. These capacities are valid under the lightest conditions of use. For more intensive use, the working load should be decreased to below these values.<sup>1)</sup>

### 7.3 Marking

The marking of hooks shall comprise at least :

- the pattern number N given in the Table;
- an indication of the grade of hook, in accordance with the specifications of the corresponding International Standard;
- the manufacturer's mark and the symbols imposed by national regulations.

### 7.4 Proof load

The proof loads, in accordance with ISO 2141, are given in the Table.

## 8 DIMENSIONS

The Table gives the dimensions required for the manufacture of hooks; they are calculated, in millimetres, from the proof load  $F_a$ , expressed in kilonewtons, and suitably rounded off so that the figures comply with the preferred numbers series.

For hammer forged hooks, the dimensions given should be complied with as far as possible, especially those dimensions determining the strength of hook.

The length  $L$  of the shank is generally specified in relation to the use of the hook. However, it may be stated that, in a large number of cases, the value  $L = A$  is acceptable for the dimensions of rough forgings.

## 9 GEOMETRICAL CONSTRUCTION OF HOOK (see Figures 1 and 2)

This construction is carried out using the dimensions given in the Table. The order of operations is as follows :

1) Plot the vertical axis X-X of the hook and mark on this axis a length  $ab = A$ ;

- with  $a$  as the centre, draw a circle of radius  $0,5 D$ ;
- from  $b$ , draw a perpendicular to X-X;
- from both sides of  $b$ , draw two straight lines  $cj$  and  $hd$ , both parallel to the axis X-X, and at a distance of  $0,5 d_1$  from this axis.

2) Construction of the arc joining the straight line  $cj$  and the circle  $D$  :

- continue horizontally  $cf = ae = 0,5 D$ ;
- join  $af$ ;
- plot the perpendicular bisector of  $af$ ; it intersects the continuation of  $cd$  at  $k$ , which is the centre of the required joining arc of radius  $R$ .

3) Construction of the back of the hook :

- on the continuation of  $ae$ , continue  $el = H_h$ ;
- following the axis X-X, continue  $mn = H_v$ ;
- draw  $nl$  and its perpendicular bisector, which intersects the straight line drawn at  $15^\circ$  to line  $al$  from the point  $a$ , at a point  $p$ ;
- with  $p$  as centre and  $pl$  as the radius, draw the curve of the back of the hook.

4) Connecting the back of the hook with the straight line  $hd$  :

- proceed following the same method as in 2), which gives the centre  $q$  of the connection on the horizontal  $dc$ .

5) Construction of point :

- with  $k$  as the centre, draw an arc of radius  $R + O$  ( $O$  being the opening);
- with radius  $r_1$ , join the arc with centre  $k$  to circle  $D$ ;
- with the same centre as the above connecting arc, draw the arc with radius  $r_1 - r_2$ ;
- draw, at a distance  $B - r_2$  from  $ea$ , a horizontal line to meet the preceeding arc at  $s$ ;

- draw the circle with radius  $r_2$  and centre  $s$ , join it to the arc with centre  $p$  with an arc of radius  $r_1$ .

6) Construction of boss :

a) Drop forged hooks :

- draw a parallel at a distance  $F$  from the vertical axis;
- draw a perpendicular to this axis at point  $t$  so that  $bt = r_3$  (radius of boss), which meets the preceeding straight line at  $u$ ;
- with  $u$  as the centre, draw a circle with radius  $r_3$ ;
- draw, as indicated in Figure 1, two tangents to this circle making an angle between them of  $60^\circ$ .

b) Hammer forged hooks :

- the boss is obtained by pinching the shank while respecting as far as possible the dimensions of the diagram, with the width of the boss not less than  $2 r_3$ .

7) Construction of cross-sections :

These are specified in Figure 2.

## 10 MACHINING

The shank shall be machined in accordance with trade practice. In particular, re-entrant angles must be suitably radiused. The manufacturing details of the thread will be defined as soon as possible, but in the meantime the minimum diameter ( $d_2$ ) at the root of the thread or the machined part shall not be less than the value given in the Table. When the hook is hammer forged or drop forged with a shank shape which enables it to be used directly without machining, the minimum cross-section shall not be less than that corresponding to diameter ( $d_2$ ) given in the Table.

## 11 PREPARATION OF HOOKS FOR TESTING UNDER PROOF LOAD AND FOR THE OVERLOAD TEST

When, by agreement between the interested parties, it is decided to carry out the inspection tests defined in clauses 5.2.1 and 5.2.2 of ISO 2141, the shanks must either be machined for use, as specified in section 10, or forged in a suitable form to allow the force to be applied by means of the complete fixing device.

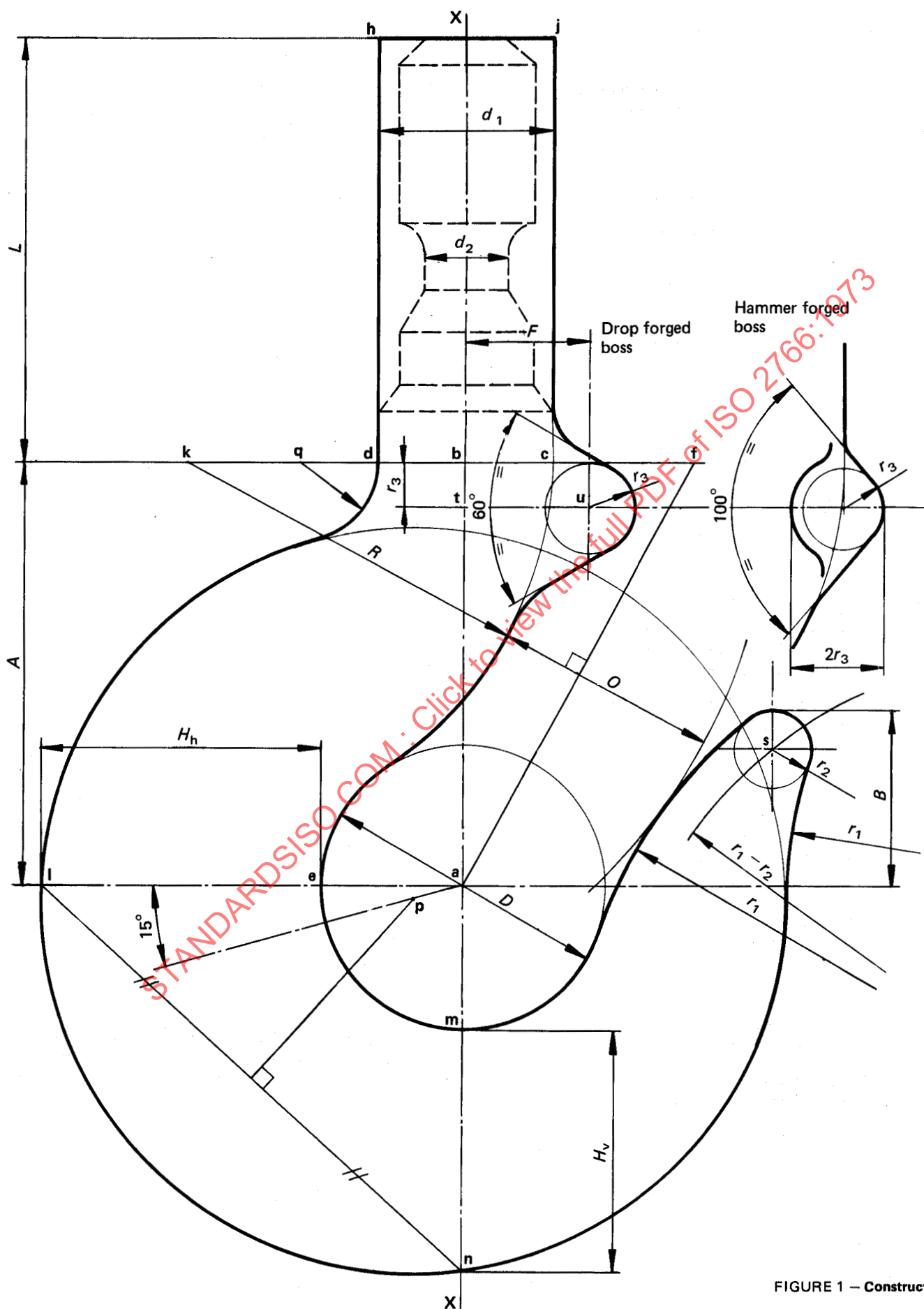


FIGURE 1 — Construction