

Classification of methods for

Mounting and joining of fishing nets

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Foreword

This British Standard has been prepared under the authority of the Ropes, Cordage and Netting Standards Committee. It is intended as a guide to purchasers and users of fishing nets, so that discussions between parties involved in the field will be simplified by reference to the classification number of the required mounting method.

Pictorial representation, without other explanation or description, has been chosen as the simplest method of supplying the necessary information. Clear diagrams of types of knots used in the mounting and joining of nets are also given. International Standard ISO 3660 is on the same subject and gives illustrations with definitions and explanations. The United Kingdom voted against the International Standard because many of the explanations were unacceptable; however, the majority of the illustrations were agreed and are used in this British Standard.

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1 Scope

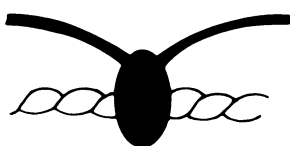
This British Standard illustrates, by means of diagrams, methods for the mounting and joining of fishing nets. Each method is given a reference number and the standard comprises three main divisions: mounting, joining and knots.

2 Reference

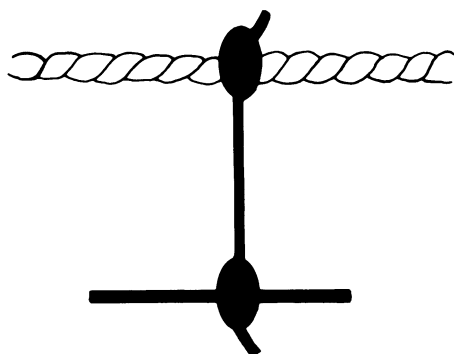
The title of the publication referred to in this standard is listed on the inside back cover.

3 Mounting

3.1 Key to mounting diagrams



Attachment by the mounting yarn



Spaced attachment by a separate yarn



Mounting yarn



Netting yarn



Mounting rope or frame