

Ideal setup for safe doors

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Main Issue of Machinery Directive (2006/42/EC)

- Risks related to moving parts (Chapter 1.3.7)
 - prevent the risk of contact with moving parts, persons cannot reach moving parts (guards, safety devices)
- Safety and reliability of control systems (Chapter 1.2.1)
 - a fault in hardware, software or logic control systems do not lead to hazardous situations (indicated with performance level)
- Exceptions from Emergency stop (Chapter 1.2.4.3)
 - if an emergency stop does not lessen the risk, reduce stopping time, not enable the special measures to deal with the risk, it can be left away (risk assessment)
- Protection Against Mechanical Hazards (1.3)
 - Risk of loss of stability and durability (durability tests)



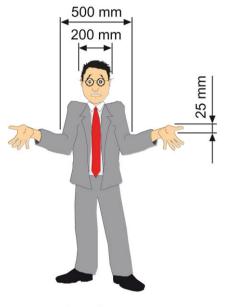
Basics of safety distances

Protection against squeezing

- Body → min. 500mm
- Head → min. 200mm
- Fingers → min. 25mm

Protection against drawing-in

- Fingers → less than 8mm
- Hand → less than 30mm

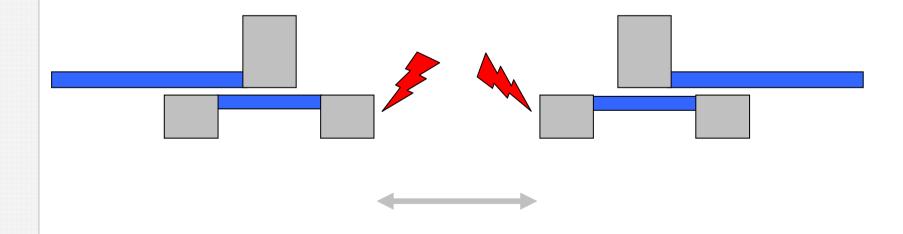






Main closing edge of sliding doors

- Danger:
 - Squeezing / collision on the main closing edge

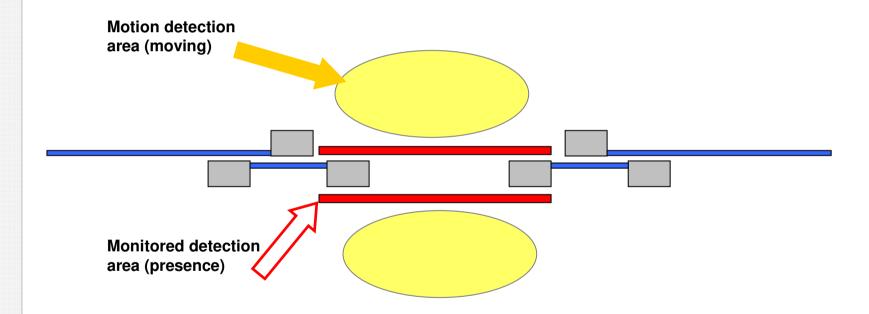




Manage risks on the main closing edge

• Solution:

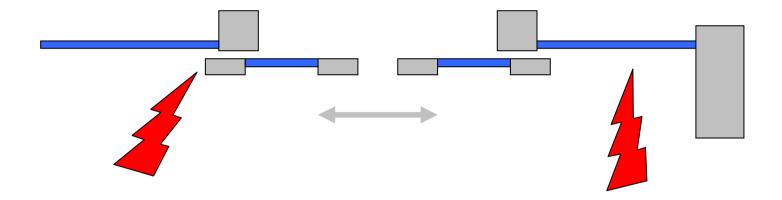
(State of the art since 2007)





Secondary closing edge of sliding doors

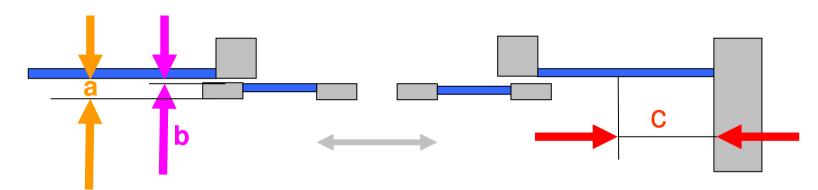
- Danger:
 - Collision and squeezing on secondary closing edge





Manage risks on the secondary closing edge

• Solution for plane walls behind the door



a < 100mm

Accepted as **safe enough** (since DIN18650:2010)

b < 8mm against drawing in of fingers

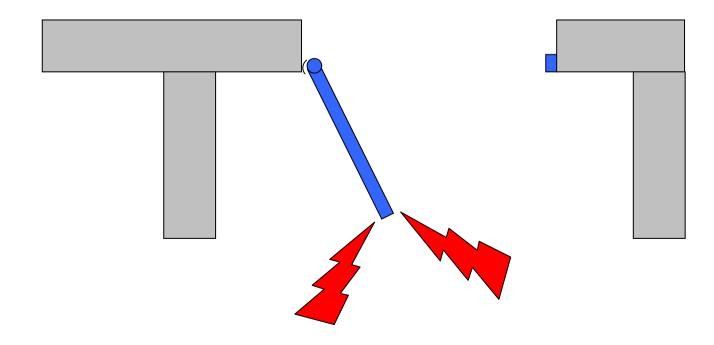
c > 200mm

against squeezing of the head



Main closing edge of swing doors

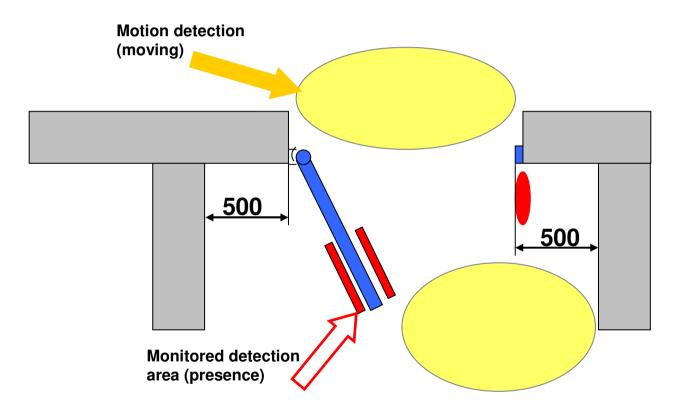
Danger: opening → collision closing → collision and squeeze at closed position





Manage risks on the main closing edge

Solution for opening and closing: Guards, safety distances and sensors

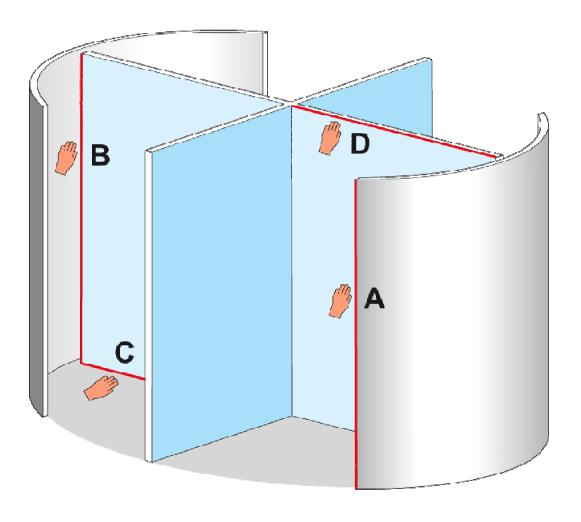


Solution for secondary closing edge:

→apply profiles with a round shape, gap max. 8mm to protect fingers



Main and secondary closing edges of revolve doors

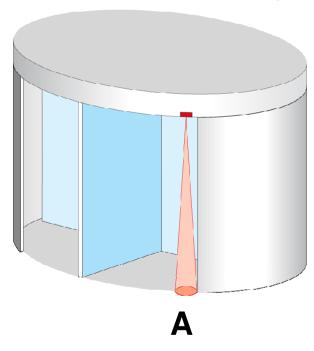


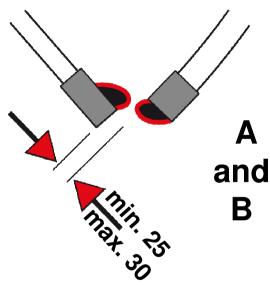


Manage risk on the main closing edge

Solution against risk of shearing at A:

- -pre-mullion Safety sensor to stop
- -safety distance min. 25mm to max. 30mm
- -actively switching safety bumpers for final stop



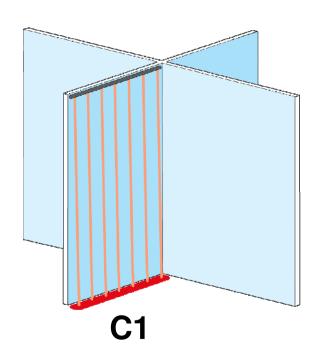


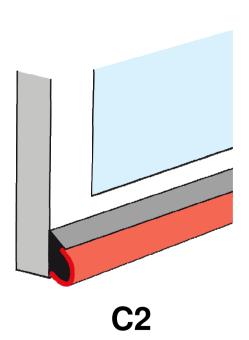
Solution
against drawing in (at B)
between drum wall and main closing edge:
actively switching safety bumpers (stop)



Manage risk on the secondary closing edge

C1; Solution against collision with Door: protection sensor to stop the door





C2; Solution against drawing in: actively switching safety bumpers (stop)



Easy reminders to install good safety

Basics for integration of safety, measures

Information taken out of EU-Machinery directive 2006/42/EC and Standard EN 12100

- a) **avoid** the risks, eliminate them (Safety distances, guards)
- b) **control** the risks, measures according to the risks (Sensors, limited forces and limited energy)
- c) *inform* the users about the remaining risks (Markings on the doors)



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Overview, using the forms on example iMotion 2301

(T-1308, T-1178, T-1310, T-1063)

