



EN ISO 22000 Food Safety

International Standard for Foodstuffs and Animal Feeding Stuffs

EN ISO 22000 is the only certifiable standard for food safety management systems that is designed for worldwide use and covers all stages of production.

emtechnik connectors and fittings are being used increasingly in the food industry especially, as they not only comply with EN ISO 22000, but are also made of food-safe plastics and thus feature sterilisability, reliability and high media resistance.

The starting point for the development of ISO 22000 was the desire to avoid multiple certification (HACCP, BRC and IFS, etc.) by creating unified standards in the food industry, as these standards previously covered only specific partial aspects. The standards recognised by the GFSI (Global Food Safety Initiative, an organisation of worldwide retail trade) include the IFS and BRC, etc., which are recognised in different ways regionally by retail businesses. EN ISO 22000 now provides for the first time a generally recognised standard of certification for food safety specifically for businesses that do not deliver directly to the food industry (such as manufacturers of semi-finished products, device manufacturers, etc.).