

Summary of recommended inspection/thorough examination requirements for equipment used on fishing vessels

(1) Frequency of Thorough Examinations of Lifting Equipment and Inspections of Work Equipment where both are required.

Work equipment	Lifting Equipment Thorough Examination (section 6 of this MGN)	Inspection of work equipment (section 5 of this MGN)	COMMENTS
Trawl blocks, gantries and lifting points	Annual	1 Month	All replacement fixed gear blocks (except trawl blocks) should be marked with a safe working load (SWL) or equivalent (and may also be certified)
Power block/crane	3 Months	3 Months	
Cod end Derrick	1 Month	1 Month	
Derricks and cranes including landing derrick	1 Month	1 Month	
Booms (beam trawler)	1 Month	1 Month	
Scotch poles (clammer)	1 Month	1 Month	
Hand blocks and pulleys (including catch loading pulley)	1 Month	1 Month	
Miscellaneous lifting gear eg. Chain blocks, engine room lifting equipment	Annually and before use if used frequently	Annually and before use if used frequently	

(2) Frequency where Inspection of Work Equipment only is required

Work Equipment	Inspection Frequency	COMMENTS
Trawl Winch and seats	3 Months	
Fishing blocks and leads	3 Months	
Rope reels and net drums	3 Months	
Haulers	3 Months	
Net stacker	3 Months	
Fish handling and processing systems	6 Months	Check guards
Gutting Machines	1 Month	Check guards
Tipping doors (clammer)	3 Months	
Auto hooks and baiter (long liner)	1 Month	Check guards
Riddler	1 Month	Check guards