
**Assembly tools for screws and nuts —
Screwdrivers for slotted-head screws —**

Part 2:

**General requirements, lengths of blades
and marking of hand-operated
screwdrivers**

Outils de manœuvre pour vis et écrous — Tournevis pour vis à tête fendue —

Partie 2: Spécifications générales, longueurs des lames et marquage des tournevis à main



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ISO 2380 consists of the following parts, under the general title *Assembly tools for screws and nuts — Screwdrivers for slotted-head screws*:

- *Part 1: Tips for hand- and machine-operated screwdrivers*
- *Part 2: General requirements, lengths of blades and marking of hand-operated screwdrivers*

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Part 2: General requirements, lengths of blades and marking of hand-operated screwdrivers

1 Scope

This part of ISO 2380 specifies the general requirements, lengths of blades and the marking of hand-operated screwdrivers for slotted-head screws as specified in ISO 4759-1.

The blade tips are specified in ISO 2380-1.

2 Normative references

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

ISO 272, *Fasteners — Hexagon products — Widths across flats*

ISO 2380-1, *Assembly tools for screws and nuts — Screwdrivers for slotted-head screws — Part 1: Tips for hand- and machine-operated screwdrivers*

ISO 4759-1, *Tolerances for fasteners — Part 1: Bolts, screws, studs and nuts — Product grades A, B and C*

3 General requirements

The material, shape and finish of the handle shall be suitable for the normal conditions of use.

The handle and the blade shall not be rough or have faults which could cause accidents during use of the screwdriver.

The torque requirements shall be in accordance with ISO 2380-1.

4 Blade lengths

The blade lengths, l_1 (see Figure 1), shall be in accordance with Table 1, in relation to the tip dimensions of the screwdrivers. Four series of lengths are provided.

For tips of nominal dimensions 1 mm × 5,5 mm and greater, the screwdriver may have a hexagonal drive near the handle, as shown in Figure 2, of which the width across the flats, s , and the respective tolerances shall be in accordance with ISO 272 and ISO 4759-1. The dimension h_{\min} is determined using the formula:

$$h_{\min} = 0,5 s$$