
**Safety devices for protection against
excessive pressure —**

**Part 5:
Controlled safety pressure relief systems
(CSPRS)**

*Dispositifs de sécurité pour protection contre les pressions
excessives —*

*Partie 5: Dispositifs de sûreté à décharge contrôlés contre les
surpressions (DSDCS)*



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Throughout the text of this document, read “...this European Standard...” to mean “...this International Standard...”.

ISO 4126 consists of the following parts, under the general title *Safety devices for protection against excessive pressure*:

- *Part 1: Safety valves*
- *Part 2: Bursting disc safety devices*
- *Part 3: Safety valves and bursting disc safety devices in combination*
- *Part 4: Pilot-operated safety valves*
- *Part 5: Controlled safety pressure relief systems (CSPRS)*
- *Part 6: Application, selection and installation of bursting disc safety devices*
- *Part 7: Common data*

For the purposes of this part of ISO 4126, the CEN annex regarding fulfilment of European Council Directives has been removed.

It should be noted that, with regard to the corresponding EN standard, the designations given in Clause 10 have been adapted to the needs of international standardization.

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Foreword

This document (EN ISO 4126-5:2004) has been prepared by Technical Committee CEN/TC 69 "Industrial valves", the secretariat of which is held by AFNOR, in collaboration with Technical Committee ISO/TC 185 "Safety devices for protection against excessive pressure".

This European Standard shall be given the status of a national standard, either by publication of an identical text or by endorsement, at the latest by August 2004, and conflicting national standards shall be withdrawn at the latest by August 2004.

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This standard for safety devices for protection against excessive pressure consists of seven parts of which this is Part 5. The various parts are:

Part 1 : Safety valves

Part 2 : Bursting disc safety devices

Part 3 : Safety valves and bursting disc safety devices in combination

Part 4 : Pilot operated safety valves

Part 5 : Controlled safety pressure relief systems (CSPRS)

Part 6 : Application, selection and installation of bursting disc safety devices

Part 7 : Common data

Part 7 contains data that is common to more than one of the parts of this standard to avoid unnecessary repetition.

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1 Scope

This part of this European Standard specifies the requirements for Controlled Safety Pressure Relief Systems irrespective of the fluid for which they are designed.

It is applicable for main valves having a flow diameter of 6 mm and above which are for use at pressures of 0,1 bar gauge and above. No limitation is placed on temperature.

This is a product standard and is not concerned with applications.

2 Normative references

This European Standard incorporates by dated or undated reference, provisions from other publications. These normative references are cited at the appropriate places in the text and the publications are listed hereafter. For dated references, subsequent amendments to or revisions of any of these publications apply to this European Standard only when incorporated in it by amendment or revision. For undated references the latest edition of the publication referred to applies (including amendments).

EN 1092-1, *Flanges and their joints – Circular flanges for pipes, valves, fittings and accessories PN designated – Part 1: Steel flanges.*

EN 1092-2, *Flanges and their joints – Circular flanges for pipes, valves, fittings and accessories PN designated – Part 2: Cast iron flanges.*

EN 1092-3, *Flanges and their joints – Circular flanges for pipes, valves, fittings and accessories PN designated – Part 3: Copper alloy and composite flanges.*

prEN 1759-1, *Flanges and their joints – Circular flanges for pipes, valves, fittings and accessories, Class designated – Part 1: Steel flanges NPS 1/2 to 24.*

EN 12516-3, *Valves – Shell design strength – Part 3: Experimental method.*

EN 12627, *Industrial Valves – Butt welding ends for steel valves.*

EN 12760, *Valves – Socket welding ends for steel valves.*

EN ISO 6708, *Pipework components – Definition and selection of DN (nominal size) (ISO 6708:1995).*

IEC 61508 (all parts), *Functional safety of electrical/electronic/programmable electronic safety related systems.*

ISO 7-1, *Pipe threads where pressure-tight joints are made on the threads – Part 1: Dimensions, tolerances and designation.*

ANSI B1.20.1, *NPT threads.*

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this European Standard, the following terms and definitions apply.

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controlled safety pressure relief system (CSPRS)

system consisting of a main valve in combination with control units (see Figure 1a, 1b and 1c)

NOTE On reaching the set pressure the controlling forces on the main valve are by means of the control unit automatically applied, released or so reduced that a main valve discharges a specified quantity of the fluid so as to prevent the predetermined