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0 INTRODUCTION

In hydraulic fluid power systems, power is transmitted and controlled through a liquid under pressure within an enclosed circuit. Filters maintain fluid cleanliness by removing insoluble contaminants.

The filter element is the porous device which performs the actual process of filtration.

1 SCOPE AND FIELD OF APPLICATION

This International Standard specifies a method for verifying the collapse/burst rating of a hydraulic fluid power filter element, i.e. the capability of the filter element to withstand a designated differential pressure at the normal (intended direction of) flow.

2 REFERENCES

ISO/R 1219, Graphical symbols for hydraulic and pneumatic equipment and accessories for fluid power transmission.

ISO 2942, Hydraulic fluid power — Filter elements — Determination of fabrication integrity.

ISO 2943, Hydraulic fluid power – Filter elements – Verification of material compatibility.

ISO 5598, Fluid power systems and components – Vocabulary.

3 DEFINITIONS

For definitions of terms used, see ISO 5598.

4 GRAPHICAL SYMBOLS

Graphical symbols used are in accordance with ISO/R 1219.

5 EQUIPMENT

- 5.1 Collapse/burst test stand as shown in the figure.
- **5.2** Test filter housing (recommended by the filter manufacturer) modified as needed to ensure that fluid cannot by-pass the filter element.

- **5.3** Fluid compatible with the filter element material, in accordance with ISO 2943.
- **5.4** For data accuracy, select and maintain measuring instruments so that data are accurate to within \pm 5 %.

6 PROCEDURE

- **6.1** Subject the filter element to a fabrication integrity test in accordance with ISO 2942.
- **6.2** Disqualify from further testing any element failing to exhibit a minimum bubble pressure as specified by the manufacturer.
- **6.3** Install the filter housing in the collapse/burst test stand shown in the figure.
- **6.4** Determine the pressure drop across the empty filter housing at the manufacturer's rated nominal flow at a test temperature in the range of 15 to 40° C.
- 6.5 Install the filter element in a test filter housing.
- **6.6** Subject the filter element to the manufacturer's rated nominal flow at the test temperature selected in 6.4.
- **6.7** Inject into the system a controlled (continuous or intermittent) amount of any inert particulate contaminant that does not add to the strength of the test element, while maintaining the rated nominal flow and test temperature.
- **6.8** Record the pressure drop across the filter as a function of contaminant (grams) added until the pressure drop across the element (filter assembly pressure drop minus housing pressure drop) reaches collapse/burst pressure rating.
- **6.9** Subject the filter element, after removing it from the test filter housing, to a further fabrication integrity test in accordance with ISO 2942.
- **6.10** Report operating conditions, type of contaminant and type of pump.