
**Gas cylinders — Refillable composite
gas cylinders — Design, construction
and testing —**

Part 4:
**Fully wrapped fibre reinforced
composite gas cylinders up to 150 l
with load-sharing welded metallic
liners**

*Bouteilles à gaz — Bouteilles à gaz rechargeables en matériau
composite et tubes — Conception, construction et essais —*

*Partie 4: Bouteilles à gaz composites entièrement bobinées renforcées
par des fibres et tubes d'une contenance allant jusqu'à 150 l avec
liners métalliques transmettant la charge*

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Foreword

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The committee responsible for this document is ISO/TC 58, *Gas cylinders*, Subcommittee SC 3, *Cylinder design*.

ISO 11119 consists of the following parts, under the general title *Gas cylinders — Refillable composite gas cylinders and tubes — Design, construction and testing*:

- *Part 1: Hoop wrapped fibre reinforced composite gas cylinders and tubes up to 450 l*
- *Part 2: Fully wrapped fibre reinforced composite gas cylinders and tubes up to 450 l with load-sharing metal liners*
- *Part 3: Fully wrapped fibre reinforced composite gas cylinders and tubes up to 450L with non-load-sharing metallic or non-metallic liners*
- *Part 4: Fully wrapped fibre reinforced composite gas cylinders up to 150 l with load-sharing welded metallic liners*

Introduction

The purpose of this part of ISO 11119 is to provide a specification for the design, manufacture, inspection, and testing of a cylinder for worldwide usage. The objective is to balance design and economic efficiency against international acceptance and universal utility.

This part of ISO 11119 aims to eliminate the concern about climate, duplicate inspection, and restrictions currently existing because of a lack of definitive International Standards and is not to be construed as reflecting on the suitability of the practice of any nation or region.

It is possible that some procedures and tests will require precautions to be taken for the health and/or safety of the operator(s). Safety, health, and environmental concerns are not addressed and is to be addressed by those who wish to implement this International Standard.

This part of ISO 11119 is intended to be used under a variety of national and international regulatory regimes. Where there is any conflict between this part of ISO 11119 and any applicable regulation, the regulation always takes precedence.

This part of ISO 11119 has been written so that it is suitable to be referenced in the UN Model Regulations.^[1]

[Annexes A](#) and [B](#) of this part of ISO 11119 are for information only.

[Annex C](#) of this part of ISO 11119 is normative.

Gas cylinders — Refillable composite gas cylinders — Design, construction and testing —

Part 4:

Fully wrapped fibre reinforced composite gas cylinders up to 150 l with load-sharing welded metallic liners

1 Scope

This part of ISO 11119 specifies requirements for composite gas cylinders with load-sharing welded liners between 0,5 l and 150 l water capacity and a maximum test pressure of 450 bar for the storage and conveyance of compressed or liquefied gases.

NOTE 1 1 bar = 10⁵Pa = 10⁵N/m².

The cylinders are constructed in the form of a welded stainless steel liner or welded ferritic steel liner or welded aluminium alloy liner and overwrapped with carbon fibre or aramid fibre or glass fibre (or a mixture thereof) in a matrix to provide longitudinal and circumferential reinforcement.

The cylinders in this part of ISO 11119 are type 3 fully wrapped cylinders with a load-sharing metal liner and composite reinforcement on both the cylindrical portion and the dome ends.

Cylinders produced in accordance with this part of ISO 11119 have a minimum design life of 15 years. Cylinders with test pressure of up to 60 bar have an unlimited design life.

This part of ISO 11119 does not address the design, fitting, and performance of removable protective sleeves.

This part of ISO 11119 does not apply to cylinders with seamless liners. For seamless liners, ISO 11119-2 applies.

NOTE 2 ISO 11623 covers periodic inspection and re-testing of composite cylinders.

2 Normative references

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

ISO 3341, *Textile glass — Yarns — Determination of breaking force and breaking elongation*

ISO 4706:2008, *Gas cylinders — Refillable welded steel cylinders — Test pressure 60 bar and below*

ISO 5817:2014, *Welding — Fusion-welded joints in steel, nickel, titanium and their alloys (beam welding excluded) — Quality levels for imperfections*

ISO 6506-1, *Metallic materials — Brinell hardness test — Part 1: Test method*

ISO 6508-1, *Metallic materials — Rockwell hardness test — Part 1: Test method*

ISO 8521, *Plastics piping systems — Glass-reinforced thermosetting plastics (GRP) pipes — Test methods for the determination of the apparent initial circumferential tensile strength*

ISO 10042:2005, *Welding — Arc-welded joints in aluminium and its alloys — Quality levels for imperfections*

ISO 11119-4:2016(E)

ISO 10618, *Carbon fibre — Determination of tensile properties of resin-impregnated yarn*

ISO 11114-1, *Gas cylinders — Compatibility of cylinder and valve materials with gas contents — Part 1: Metallic materials*

ISO 13341, *Gas cylinders — Fitting of valves to gas cylinders*

ISO 13769, *Gas cylinders — Stamp marking*

ISO 13919-1:1996, *Welding — Electron and laser-beam welded joints — Guidance on quality levels for imperfections — Part 1: Steel*

ISO 13919-2:2001, *Welding — Electron and laser beam welded joints — Guidance on quality levels for imperfections — Part 2: Aluminium and its weldable alloys*

ISO 14130, *Fibre-reinforced plastic composites — Determination of apparent interlaminar shear strength by short-beam method*

ISO 18172-2:2007, *Gas cylinders — Refillable welded stainless steel cylinders — Part 2: Test pressure greater than 6 MPa*

ISO 20703:2006, *Gas cylinders — Refillable welded aluminium-alloy cylinders — Design, construction and testing*

ASTM D2290-12, *Standard test method for apparent hoop tensile strength of plastic or reinforced plastic pipe*

ASTM D2291-09, *Standard practice for fabrication of ring test specimens for glass-resin composites*

ASTM D2343-09, *Standard test method for tensile properties of glass fiber strands, yarns, and rovings used in reinforced plastics*

ASTM D2344/D2344M-13, *Standard test method for short-beam strength of polymer matrix composite materials and their laminates*

ASTM D4018-11, *Standard test methods for properties of continuous filament carbon and graphite fiber tows*

EN 14638-3:2010, *Transportable gas cylinders. Refillable welded receptacles of a capacity not exceeding 150 litres. Welded carbon steel cylinders made to a design justified by experimental methods*

3 Terms and definitions

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

3.1 fibre

continuous filaments laid up in tow form

3.2 autofrettage

pressure application procedure that strains the metal liner past its yield point sufficient to cause permanent plastic deformation and results in the liner having compressive stresses and the fibres having tensile stresses when at zero internal gauge pressure

3.3 batch of liners

production quantity of up to 200 finished liners successively produced, plus units required for destructive testing of the same nominal diameter, length, thickness welding procedure, and design from the same material cast and heat treated (if applicable) at the same temperature and for the same period of time