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Foreword

This specification was prepared under Joint Industry Programme 33 (JIP33) "Standardization of Equipment Specifications for Procurement" organized by the International Oil & Gas Producers Association (IOGP) with the support from the World Economic Forum (WEF). Companies from the IOGP membership participated in developing this specification to leverage and improve industry level standardization globally in the oil and gas sector. The work has developed a minimized set of supplementary requirements for procurement, with life cycle cost in mind, resulting in a common and jointly agreed specification, building on recognized industry and international standards.

Recent trends in oil and gas projects have demonstrated substantial budget and schedule overruns. The Oil and Gas Community within the World Economic Forum (WEF) has implemented a Capital Project Complexity (CPC) initiative which seeks to drive a structural reduction in upstream project costs with a focus on industrywide, non-competitive collaboration and standardization. The CPC vision is to standardize specifications for global procurement for equipment and packages. JIP33 provides the oil and gas sector with the opportunity to move from internally to externally focused standardization initiatives and provide step change benefits in the sector's capital projects performance.

This specification has been developed in consultation with a broad user and supplier base to realize benefits from standardization and achieve significant project and schedule cost reductions.

The JIP33 work groups performed their activities in accordance with IOGP's Competition Law Guidelines (November 2020).



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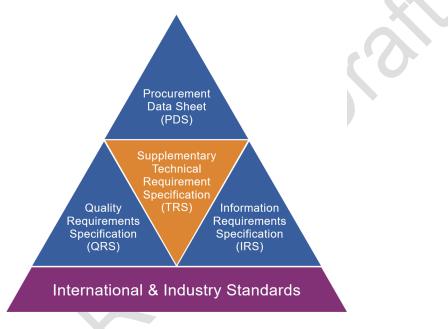
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Introduction

The purpose of the IOGP S-730 specification documents is to define a minimum common set of requirements for the procurement of flanged steel pressure-relief valves in accordance with API Standard 526, Eighth Edition, August 2023, Flanged Steel Pressure-relief Valves for application in the petroleum and natural gas industries.

The IOGP S-730 specification documents follow a common structure (as shown below) comprising a specification, also known as a technical requirements specification (TRS), a procurement data sheet (PDS), an information requirements specification (IRS) and a quality requirements specification (QRS). These four specification documents, together with the purchase order, define the overall technical specification for procurement.



JIP33 Specification for Procurement Documents Supplementary Technical Requirements Specification (TRS)

This specification is to be applied in conjunction with the supporting PDS, IRS and QRS as follows.

IOGP S-730: Supplementary Specification to API Standard 526 for Flanged Steel Pressure-relief Valves

This specification defines technical requirements for the supply of the equipment and is written as an overlay to API 526, following the API 526 clause structure. Clauses from API 526 not amended by this specification apply as written. Modifications to API 526 defined in this specification are introduced by a description that includes the type of modification (i.e. <u>Add, Replace</u> or <u>Delete</u>) and the position of the modification within the clause.

NOTE Lists, notes, tables, figures, equations, examples and warnings are not counted as paragraphs.

IOGP S-730D: Procurement Data Sheet for Flanged Steel Pressure-relief Valves (API)

The PDS defines application-specific requirements. The PDS is applied during the procurement cycle only and does not replace the equipment data sheet. The PDS may also include fields for supplier-provided information required as part of the purchaser's technical evaluation. Additional purchaser-supplied documents may also be incorporated or referenced in the PDS to define scope and technical requirements for enquiry and purchase of the equipment.



IOGP S-730L: Information Requirements for Flanged Steel Pressure-relief Valves (API)

The IRS defines information requirements for the scope of supply. The IRS includes information content, format, timing and purpose to be provided by the supplier, and may also define specific conditions that invoke the information requirements.

IOGP S-730Q: Quality Requirements for Flanged Steel Pressure-relief Valves (API)

The QRS defines quality management system requirements and the proposed extent of purchaser conformity assessment activities for the scope of supply. Purchaser conformity assessment activities are defined through the selection of one of four generic conformity assessment system (CAS) levels on the basis of evaluation of the associated service and supply chain risks. The applicable CAS level is specified by the purchaser in the PDS or in the purchase order.

The specification documents follow the editorial format of API 526 and, where appropriate, the drafting principles and rules of ISO/IEC Directives Part 2.

The PDS and IRS are published as editable documents for the purchaser to specify application-specific requirements. The TRS and QRS are fixed documents.

The order of precedence of documents applicable to the supply of the equipment, with the highest authority listed first, shall be as follows:

- a) regulatory requirements;
- b) contract documentation (e.g. purchase order);
- c) purchaser-defined requirements (e.g. PDS, IRS and QRS);
- d) this specification;
- e) API 526.



1 Scope

Add to section

Ethylene oxide, chlorine, propylene oxide, hydrofluoric acid and oxygen services are excluded from the scope of this specification.

2 Normative References

Add to first paragraph

The following documents are referred to in this specification, the PDS (IOGP S-730D) or the IRS (IOGP S-730L) in such a way that some or all of their content constitutes requirements of these specification documents.

Add to section

API Standard 521, Pressure-relieving and Depressuring Systems

ASME BPVC, Section V:2023, Nondestructive Examination

ASME BPVC, Section VIII, Division 1:2023, Rules for Construction of Pressure Vessels

ASNT SNT-TC-1A, Personnel Qualification and Certification in Nondestructive Testing

ASTM A578/A578M, Standard Specification for Straight-Beam Ultrasonic Examination of Rolled Steel Plates for Special Applications

ASTM A609/A609M:2012, Standard Practice for Castings, Carbon, Low-Alloy, and Martensitic Stainless Steel, Ultrasonic Examination Thereof

IOGP S-563, Material Data Sheets for Piping and Valve Components

IOGP S-715, Supplementary Specification to NORSOK M-501 Coating and Painting for Offshore, Marine, Coastal and Subsea Environments

IOGP S-716, Supplementary Specification for Small Bore Tubing and Fittings

ISO 9712, Non-destructive testing — Qualification and certification of NDT personnel

Replace Section 3 title with

3 Terms, Definitions, and Acronyms

Add new section

3.1 Terms and Definitions

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in this section and API 520, Part 1 apply.

3.1.1

non-wetted part

Part of the pressure-relief valve that does not make contact with the process fluid.

3.1.2

pressure-containing part

Part exposed to and containing pressure. As a minimum, this includes the body, bonnet, cap and full nozzle.



3.1.3

pressure-controlling part

Part intended to prevent or permit the flow of fluids. This includes the semi-nozzle, disc/piston, spindle and spring.

3.1.4

process-wetted part

Part that neither contains nor controls fluid pressure but performs its function immersed in the process fluid.

3.1.5

quality specification level

QSL

Level that defines the extent of control activities, typically including verification, inspection and testing, to be undertaken by the supplier to demonstrate conformance with requirements based on determination of service risk (e.g. on the basis of pressure class, material, valve size and service) or obligations.

Add new section

3.2 Acronyms

- CAS conformity assessment system
- CDTP cold differential test pressure
- DSS duplex stainless steel
- EDS element data sheet
- LTCS low temperature carbon steel (e.g. ASME SA352 grade LCC)
- MDS material data sheet
- MT magnetic particle testing
- NDE non-destructive examination
- NPS nominal pipe size
- NTCS normal temperature carbon steel (e.g. ASME SA216 grade WCB)
- PDS procurement data sheet
- PT penetrant testing
- PWHT post-weld heat treatment
- QSL quality specification level
- RT radiographic testing
- UT ultrasonic testing
- VT visual testing



7 Design

7.1 General

Add to sentence

and ASME BPVC, Section XIII

Add new section

7.1.6

Minimum wall thickness shall be in accordance with ASME B16.34 or ASME BPVC, Section VIII.

Add new section

7.1.7

The reseating pressure shall be at least 3 % greater than the specified maximum operating pressure.

Add new section

7.1.8

Pressure-relief valve inlet and outlet flanges shall be an integral part of the body i.e. from a single forging or casting.

7.5 Lifting Levers

Replace first sentence of first paragraph with

Lifting levers shall be supplied only when specified.

Add new NOTE

NOTE This requirement invokes ASME code case 2203-2 for compliance with ASME BPVC.

7.6 Special Construction Features

Add to section

Test gags (test rods) shall not be provided.

7.8 Threaded Auxiliary Connections

Add new section

7.8.4

Tubing and fittings shall be in accordance with IOGP S-716.



7.9 Lifting

7.9.1

Replace "from 22.7 kg (50 lb) to 250 kg (550 lb)" with

greater than 22.7 kg (50 lb) when the valve is not fitted with lifting lugs

8 Material

8.1 General

Add to section

Galling between sliding elements and threaded components shall be prevented.

Add to section

Material specification and grade shall be defined for all valve parts.

Add to section

Bellows material shall be UNS N06625 or as specified. Add to section

Non-metallic seals, including elastomeric O-rings, shall be fully operable at the valve design rated pressure for the specified temperature range and service conditions.

Add to section

Elastomer O-ring material grade shall be specified.

Add to section

Resilient seat materials shall be as specified.

Add to section

Metallic gaskets shall be 316 stainless steel or a higher corrosion-resistant material matching or exceeding the corrosion resistance of the adjoining valve parts.

Add to section

Coating shall comply with IOGP S-715 or as specified.

Add to section

Stem (spindle) shall be manufactured from wrought material product forms.

8.2 Spring-loaded Pressure-relief Valves

Replace third sentence of first paragraph with

The body and bonnet materials shall be equivalent to the following types and grades or comply with Annex I.

In third paragraph, replace "as indicated on the purchaser's specification sheet" with

Annex I



Table 2—Spring Materials

Replace Table 2 with

		Spring Materi	al for Pressure-relief Va	lve Type and Sprin	g Service
Body/Bonnet Material	Service	Spring-loaded Conventional Process Wetted	Spring-loaded Balanced Bellows Non-wetted ^e	Pilot-operated Snap Action Process Wetted	Pilot-operated Modulating Non-wetted ^e
Carbon steel	Sweet	Carbon steel ^h , chromium alloy steel ⁱ	Carbon steel ^h , chromium alloy steel ⁱ	UNS S31600 ^g , UNS S17700 ^g	UNS S31600 ^g , UNS S17700 ^g
(NTCS)	Sour	a, f	Carbon steel ^h , chromium alloy steel ⁱ	a, f	UNS S31600 ^{.9} , UNS S17700 ^{.9}
1.700	Sweet	Chromium alloy steel ⁱ	Chromium alloy steel ⁱ	UNS S31600 ⁹ , UNS S17700 ⁹	UNS S31600 ⁹ , UNS S17700 ⁹
LTCS	Sour	a, f	Chromium alloy steel i	a, f	UNS S31600 ^g , UNS S17700 ^g
Chromium-	Sweet	Chromium alloy steel ⁱ , UNS N07750 ^f	UNS S31600 ^g , UNS S17700 ^{c, g}	N/A	N/A
molybdenum alloy steel	Sour	a, f	UNS S31600 ^g , UNS S17700 ^{c, g}	N/A	N/A
Austenitic	Sweet	UNS S31600 ^g , UNS N07750 ^f	UNS S31600 ^g , UNS S17700 ^{c, g}	UNS S31600 ^g , UNS N07750 ^{, f}	UNS S31600 ^{.g} , UNS S17700 ^{.c, g}
stainless steel	Sour	a, f	UNS S31600 ⁹ , UNS S17700 ^{c, g}	a, f	UNS S31600 ^{.g} , UNS S17700 ^{.c, g}
High alloy austenitic	Sweet	UNS N07750 ^{b, f}	UNS S31600 ^g , UNS S17700 ^g	UNS N07750 ^{b, f}	UNS S31600 ^{.9} , UNS S17700 ^{.9}
stainless steel (e.g. type 6Mo)	Sour	a, b, f	UNS S31600 ^g , UNS S17700 ^g	a, b, f	UNS S31600 ^g , UNS S17700 ^g
220- DSS	Sweet	UNS N07750 ^f	UNS S31600 ^g , UNS S17700 ^g	UNS N07750 ^{, f}	UNS S31600 ^{.9} , UNS S17700 ^{.9}
22Cr DSS	Sour	a, f	UNS S31600 ^g , UNS S17700 ^g	a, f	UNS S31600 ^{.9} , UNS S17700 ^{.9}
	Sweet	UNS N07750 ^{b, f}	UNS S31600 ^g , UNS S17700 ^g	UNS N07750 ^{b, f}	UNS S31600 ^g , UNS S17700 ^g
25 Cr DSS	Sour	a, b, f	UNS S31600 ^g , UNS S17700 ^g	a, b, f	UNS S31600 ^g , UNS S17700 ^g
Nickel-copper alloy (UNS N24135, alloy 400)	Sweet and sour	UNS N04400, UNS N05500, UNS N06625	UNS S31600 ^g , UNS S17700 ^g	UNS N04400, UNS N05500, UNS N06625	UNS S31600 ^g , UNS S17700 ^g
Alloy 20 (UNS N08007)	Sweet and sour	UNS N08020	UNS S31600 ^g , UNS S17700 ^g	UNS N08020	UNS S31600 ^{.g} , UNS S17700 ^{.g}
Titanium	Sweet and sour	UNS N06625 ^d , UNS N10276	UNS S31600 ^g , UNS S17700 ^g	UNS N06625 ^d , UNS N10276	UNS S31600 ^{.g} , UNS S17700 ^{.g}



Table 2 (continued)

		Spring Materia	al for Pressure-relief Val	ve Type and Spring	g Service
Body/Bonnet Material	Service	Spring-loaded Conventional Process Wetted	Spring-loaded Balanced Bellows Non-wetted ^e	Pilot-operated Snap Action Process Wetted	Pilot-operated Modulating Non-wetted ^e
NOTE Typical spo ASTM A304, ASTM			loy steel spring material inclu	de ASTM A231/A231M,	ASTM A232/A232M,
			fied. Acceptable materials inclu or NACE MR0103 / ISO 17945		07718, UNS R30035
^b Spring material in	n seawater and p	roduced water service shall be	e UNS N06625 or UNS N1027	<i>'</i> 6.	
^c For temperatures	exceeding 427	°C (800 °F), tungsten alloyed	steel spring material or UNS N	107750 shall be used.	
^d UNS N06625 sha	all not be used in	seawater service at operating	g temperatures exceeding 30 °	C (86 °F).	
e The spring mater	ial listed for proc	ess wetted spring service may	y be used for non-wetted sprin	g, but not vice-versa.	
^f The operating ten	nperature range	for UNS N07750 is -60 °C to 5	538 °C (-75 °F to 1000 °F).		<u> </u>
^g The operating ter	mperature range	for UNS S31600 and UNS S1	7700 is -268 °C to 427 °C (-45	50 °F to 800 °F).	
^h The operating ter	mperature range	for carbon steel is -29 °C to 4	27 °C (-20 °F to 800 °F).		
ⁱ The operating ter	nperature range	for chromium alloy steel is -46	6 °C to 427 °C (-50 °F to 800 °	F).	

8.3 Pilot-operated Pressure-relief Valves

Replace second sentence of first paragraph with

The body material shall be equivalent to the following grades or comply with Annex I:

Replace second paragraph with

Except for the spring material, materials for internals and the pilot valve of pilot-operated pressure-relief valves shall be the manufacturer's standards (for the temperature and service) or comply with Annex I.

Add to section

Materials for the pilot spring and main valve dome spring shall be selected from Table 2 based on the selected body material.

Add new section

8.5 Welding

8.5.1

Pressure-containing parts that leak during pressure testing shall not be weld repaired.

8.5.2

Weld repairs shall be inspected to the same quality standards as the original inspection requirements.

8.5.3

Additional weld repairs shall not be permitted on areas that have undergone major weld repair as defined in IOGP S-563.



8.5.4

When specified, welds, including repair welds, shall be post-weld heat treated.

9 Inspection and Shop Tests

Replace section 9.1 title with

9.1 General Requirements for Inspection and Testing

Add to section

Valve inspections shall comply with Annex J for the specified quality specification level (QSL). Add to section

Water used as a test fluid shall contain a corrosion inhibitor.

Add to section

The chloride content of test water in contact with austenitic and duplex stainless steel wetted components of valves shall not exceed 50 mg/kg (50 parts per million by mass).

Add to section

The chloride content of test water shall be tested at least every 12 months.

Add to section

The pH of the test water shall be between 6 and 8.5.

Add to section

On completion of factory acceptance testing, valves shall be drained of test fluids.

9.3 Seat Leakage Test

Add to section

When the specified maximum operating pressure is greater than 90 % of the set pressure, seat leakage testing of spring-loaded valves shall be performed at a pressure equal to 95 % of the set pressure.

Add new section

9.4 Pressure Testing

9.4.1

Pressure-containing parts shall be pressure tested in accordance with ASME BPVC, Section XIII.

9.4.2

Pneumatic testing of the primary pressure zone shall not be permitted.

9.4.3

The hydrostatic test duration shall be in accordance with ASME B16.34.



9.4.4

A backpressure test shall be performed at the specified total backpressure or 200 kPa (30 psig), whichever is greater.

9.4.5

The holding time for backpressure testing shall be at least 3 minutes.

10 Identification and Preparation for Shipment

10.1 Identification

In first sentence, replace "permanently attached" with

riveted or screwed

Add to section

The data on the nameplate shall be in the specified units.

10.2 Preparation for Shipment

Add new list section e)

e) Flanged pressure-relief valves shall be secured in the upright position for storage and transportation.

Add new list section f)

f) Unpainted surfaces shall be protected from atmospheric corrosion during shipping and storage.



Add new Annex I

Annex I (normative)

Material Selection Tables

I.1

When Annex I is specified, material specifications and grades for valve parts shall comply with Table I.1 for spring-loaded valves and Table I.2 for pilot-operated valves.

I.2

Materials for parts not covered in Table I.1 and Table I.2 shall be compatible with the specified body material.

I.3

When a material in the material tables has a corresponding MDS in IOGP S-563, the requirement of the MDS shall apply to pressure-containing parts and bolting.

Add new NOTE

NOTE IOGP S-563 MDSs supplement ASTM material specifications. When ASME *BPVC*, Section II states that the ASME material specification is identical to an ASTM specification, the MDS supplementary requirements to the ASTM specification also apply to the ASME material specification.

I.4

When a weld overlay material (e.g. hardfacing overlay on disc and nozzle) has a corresponding element data sheet (EDS) in IOGP S-563, the requirements of the EDS shall apply.



Add new Table I.1

Table I.1—Spring-loaded Valves, Acceptable Material Specifications, and Grades for Valve Parts

Body Mate	rial Type	Temperature Range	Service	Body, Bonnet, and Cap	Nozzle ^a	Disc ^a	Other Process-Wetted Parts ^b	Body/Bonnet Bolting and Body/Cap Bolting
NITCO		-29 °C (-20 °F) to 427 °C (800 °F)	Sweet	SA-105, SA-216 WCB, SA-216 WCC, SA-350 LF2 Class 1, SA-352 LCC °	SA-182 F316/F316L°, SA-351 CF3M or CF8M, SA-479 316/316L°	SA-182 F316/F316L °, SA-351 CF3M or CF8M, SA-479 316/316L °	SA-105 ^d , SA-182 F316/F316L °, SA-351 CF3M or CF8M, SA-479 316/316L °	SA-193 B7, SA-320 L7, SA-194 2H, SA-194 7
NTCS		-29 °C (-20 °F) to 230 °C (450 °F)	Sour	SA-105, SA-216 WCB, SA-216WCC, SA 350-LF2 Class 1, SA-352 LCC	SA182 F316/F316L °, SA351 CF3M or CF8M, SA479 316/316L °	SA-182 F316/F316L °, SA-351 CF3M or CF8M, SA-479 316/316L °	SA-105 ^d , SA-182 F316/F316L ^e , SA-351 CF3M or CF8M, SA-479 316/316L ^e	SA-193 B7M, SA-320 L7M, SA-194 2HM, SA-194 7M
LTCS		-46 °C (-50 °F) to 427 °C (800 °F)	Sweet	SA-350 LF2 Class 1, SA-352 LCC °	SA-182 F316/F316L°, SA-351 CF3M ^f or CF8M ^f , SA-479 316/316L°	SA-182 F316/F316L°, SA-351 CF3M ^f or CF8M ^f , SA-479 316/316L°	SA-182 F316/F316L °, SA-351 CF3M ^f or CF8M ^f , SA-479 316/316L °	SA-320 L7, SA-194 7
LIUS		-46 °C (-50 °F) to 230 °C (450 °F)	Sour	SA 350-LF2 Class 1, SA-352 LCC	SA182 F316/F316L °, SA351 CF3M ^f or CF8M ^f , SA-479 316/316L °	SA-182 F316/F316L°, SA-351 CF3M ^f or CF8M ^f , SA-479 316/316L°	SA-182 F316/F316L °, SA-351 CF3M ^f or CF8M ^f , SA-479 316/316L °	SA-320 L7M, SA-194 7M
Chromium-	D44	-29 °C (-50 °F) to 538 °C (1000 °F)	Sweet	SA-182 F11 ^k , SA-217 WC6 ^k	SA-182 F316/F316L ^e , SA-351 CF3M ^j or CF8M, SA-479 316/316L ^e	SA-182 F316/F316L ^e , SA-351 CF3M [†] or CF8M, SA-479 316/316L ^e	SA-182 F11 ^k , SA-182 F316/F316L ^e , SA-351 CF3M ^j or CF8M, SA-479 316/316L ^e	SA-193 B16, SA-194 7
molybdenum alloy steel	P11	-29 °C (-50 °F) to 538 °C (1000 °F)	Sour ^m	SA-182 F11 ^k , SA-217 WC6 ^k	SA-182 F316/F316L ^e , SA-351 CF3M ^j or CF8M, SA-479 316/316L ^e	SA-182 F316/F316L ^e , SA-351 CF3M ¹ or CF8M, SA-479 316/316L ^e	SA-182 F11 ^k , SA-182 F316/F316L ^e , SA-351 CF3M ^j or CF8M, SA-479 316/316L ^e	SA-193 B7M, SA-194 7M, SA-194 2HM



Table I.1 (continued)

Body Mate	rial Type	Temperature Range	Service	Body, Bonnet, and Cap	Nozzle ^a	Disc ^a	Other Process-Wetted Parts ^b	Body/Bonnet Bolting and Body/Cap Bolting
	Dec	-29 °C (-50 °F) to 538 °C (1000 °F)	Sweet	SA-182 F22 ^k , SA-217 WC9 ^k	SA-182 F316/F316L ^e , SA-351 CF3M ^j or CF8M, SA-479 316/316L ^e	SA-182 F316/F316L ^e , SA-351 CF3M ^j or CF8M, SA-479 316/316L ^e	SA-182 F22 ^k , SA-182 F316/F316L ^e , SA-351 CF3M ^j or CF8M, SA-479 316/316L ^e	SA-193 B16, SA-194 7
Chromium- nolybdenum	P22	-29 °C (-50 °F) to 538 °C (1000 °F)	Sour ^m	SA-182 F22 ^k , SA-217 WC9 ^k	SA-182 F316/F316L ^e , SA-351 CF3M ^j or CF8M, SA-479 316/316L ^e	SA-182 F316/F316L ^e , SA-351 CF3M ^j or CF8M, SA-479 316/316L ^e	SA-182 F22 ^k , SA-182 F316/F316L ^e , SA-351 CF3M ^j or CF8M, SA-479 316/316L ^e	SA-193 B7M, SA-194 7M, SA-194 2HM
alloy steel (continued)		-29 °C (-50 °F) to 538 °C (1000 °F)	Sweet	SA-182 F9 ^k , SA-217 C12 ^k	SA-182 F316/F316L ^e , SA-351 CF3M ¹ or CF8M, SA-479 316/316L ^e	SA-182 F316/F316L ^e , SA-351 CF3M ^j or CF8M, SA-479 316/316L ^e	SA-182 F9 ^k , SA-182 F316/F316L ^e , SA-351 CF3M ^j or CF8M, SA-479 316/316L ^e	SA-193 B16, SA-194 7
	P9	-29 °C (-50 °F) to 538 °C (1000 °F)	Sour ^m	SA-182 F9 ^k , SA-217 C12 ^k	SA-182 F316/F316L [®] , SA-351 CF3M ¹ or CF8M, SA-479 316/316L [®]	SA-182 F316/F316L ^e , SA-351 CF3M ^j or CF8M, SA-479 316/316L ^e	SA-182 F9 ^k , SA-182 F316/F316L ^e , SA-351 CF3M ^j or CF8M, SA-479 316/316L ^e	SA-193 B7M, SA-194 7M, SA-194 2HM
Austenitic stainless steel	Type 316	-196 °C (-320 °F) to 427 °C (800 °F)	Sweet	SA-182 F316/F316L ^e , SA-351 CF3M ^f or CF8M ^f , SA-479 316/316L ^{e, g}	SA-182 F316/F316L°, SA-351 CF3M ^f or CF8M ^f , SA-479 316/316L°	SA-182 F316/F316L°, SA-351 CF3M ^f or CF8M ^f , SA-479 316/316L°	SA-182 F316/F316L °, SA-351 CF3M ^f or CF8M ^f , SA-479 316/316L °	SA-193 B8M ^h , SA-194 8M, SA-194 8MA, SA-320 B8M ^h , SA-320 B8MA ^h , SB-637 UNS N07718, SB-446 UNS N06625 Grade 1
		-196 °C (-320 °F) to 427 °C (800 °F)	Sour	SA-182 F316/F316L ^e , SA-351 CF3M ^f or CF8M ^f , SA-479 316/316L ^{e, g}	SA-182 F316/F316L°, SA-351 CF3M ¹ or CF8M ¹ , SA-479 316/316L°	SA-182 F316/F316L ^e , SA-351 CF3M ^f or CF8M ^f , SA-479 316/316L ^e	SA-182 F316/F316L °, SA-351 CF3M ^f or CF8M ^f , SA-479 316/316L °	SA-194 8MA, SA-320 B8MA ^h , SB-637 UNS N07718, SB-446 UNS N06625 Grade 1



Table I.1 (continued)

Body Mate	erial Type	Temperature Range	Service	Body, Bonnet, and Cap	Nozzle ^a	Disc ^a	Other Process-Wetted Parts ^b	Body/Bonnet Bolting and Body/Cap Bolting
High alloy austenitic stainless steel	Туре 6Мо	-196 °C (-320 °F) to 370 °C (700 °F)	Sweet and sour	SA-351 CK3MCuN ⁿ , SA-351 CN3MN, SA-182 F44, SB-462 UNS N08367, SB-691 UNS N08367 ⁹	SA-351 CK3MCuN ⁿ , SA-351 CN3MN, SA-182 F44, SB-462 UNS N08367, SB-691 UNS N08367	SA-351 CK3MCuN ", SA-351 CN3MN, SA-182 F44, SB-462 UNS N08367, SB-691 UNS N08367	SA-351 CK3MCuN ⁿ , SA-351 CN3MN, SA-182 F44, SB-462 UNS N08367, SB-691 UNS N08367	SA-182 F44, SB-462 UNS N08367, SB-691 UNS N08367, SA-194 8MA, SA-320 B8MA ^h , SB-637 UNS N07718, SB-446 UNS N06625 Grade 1
DOOL	Type 22Cr	-46 °C (-50 °F) to 260 °C (500 °F)	Sweet and sour	SA-182 F51, SA-995 4A, SA-479 UNS S31803 ^g	SA-182 F51, SA-995 4A, SA-479 UNS S31803	SA-182 F51, SA-995 4A, SA-479 UNS S31803	SA-182 F51, SA-995 4A, SA-479 UNS S31803, SB-564 UNS N06625	SB-446 UNS N06625 Grade 1
DSS ¹	Type 25Cr	-46 °C (-50 °F) to 316 °C (600 °F)	Sweet and sour	SA-182 F53 or F55, SA-995 6A, SA-479 UNS S32760 ^g	SA-182 F53 or F55, SA-995 6A, SA-479 UNS S32760	SA-182 F53 or F55, SA-995 6A, SA-479 UNS S32760	SA-182 F53 or F55, SA-995 6A, SA-479 UNS S32760, SB-564 UNS N06625	SB-446 UNS N06625 Grade 1
Nickel-coppe	r alloy	-29 °C (-20 °F) to 482 °C (900 °F)	Sweet and sour	SA-494 M35-1 ⁿ , SB-564 UNS N04400, SB-164 UNS N04400 ^g , SB-127 UNS N04400	SA-494 M35-1 ⁿ , SB-564 UNS N04400, SB-164 UNS N04400	SB-564 UNS N04400, SB-164 UNS N04400, SB-865 UNS N05500	SA-494 M35-1 ⁿ , SB-564 UNS N04400, SB-164 UNS N04400, SB-865 UNS N05500	SB-164 UNS N04400, SF-468 UNS N05500, SF-467 UNS N05500
Alloy 20 (UNS	S N08007)	-29 °C (-20 °F) to 149 °C (300 °F)	Sweet and sour	SA-351 CN7M, SB-462 UNS N08020, SB-473 UNS N08020 ⁹ , SB-463 UNS N08020	SA-351 CN7M, SB-462 UNS N08020, SB-473 UNS N08020	SA-351 CN7M, SB-462 UNS N08020, SB-473 UNS N08020	SA-351 CN7M, SB-462 UNS N08020, SB-473 UNS N08020	SB-473 UNS N08020
Titanium		-46 °C (-50 °F) to 260 °C (500 °F)	Sweet and sour	SB-381 F-2 (UNS R50400), SB-367 C-2 (UNS R52550), SB-348 2 (UNS R50400) ^g	SB-381 F-2 (UNS R50400), SB-367 C-2 (UNS R52550), SB-348 2 (UNS R50400)	SB-381 F-2 (UNS R50400), SB-367 C-2 (UNS R52550), SB-348 2 (UNS R50400)	SB-381 F-2 (UNS R50400), SB-367 C-2 (UNS R52550), SB-348 2 (UNS R50400)	SB-381 F-2 (UNS R50400), SB-348 2 (UNS R50400), SB-637 UNS N07718, SB-446 UNS N06625 Grade 1



Table I.1 (continued)

Body Material Type	Temperature Range	Service	Body, Bonnet, and Cap	Nozzle ^a	Disc ª	Other Process-Wetted Parts ^b	Body/Bonnet Bolting and Body/Cap Bolting
NOTE 1 Materials for parts	not listed in this table are de	efined in I.2.				$\mathbf{\lambda}$	
NOTE 2 IOGP S-563 MDS	equirements apply to mate	rials in acco	dance with I.3.				
When hardfacing is specifie	d on the disc and nozzle. h	ardfacing sh	all comply with I.4.				
Spring material shall complete							
			nce with ASME BPVC, Code Case	e 1750-31.			
^d Acceptable for base and bo	nnet threaded plugs.						
^e Dual-certified grade.							
SA-351 CF3M and CF8M sl	nall be impact tested in acc	ordance with	ASME BPVC, Section VIII, Divisio	on 1:2023, UHA-51 for design tem	perature colder than -29 °C (-20 °	°F).	
			. Bars shall comply with the IOGP ound the perimeter of the bar.	S-563 MDS. When the bar diamet	er exceeds 205 mm (8 in.), two tr	ransverse (tangential) tension test	specimens shall be tested per bar lot
Acceptance class for bolting	g shall be in accordance wit	th the IOGP	S-563 MDS.				
In addition to the requirement	nts in the IOGP S-563 MDS	, the lateral	expansion of each impact test sam	ple shall be greater than or equal	to 0.38 mm (0.015 in.).		
SA-351 CF3M is limited to a	maximum of 454 °C (850 °	°F).					
Except for bolting, in addition	on to the requirements in the	e IOGP S-56	3 MDS, the material shall be impa	ct tested in accordance with ASM	BPVC, Section VIII, Division1:2	023, UCS-66.	
^m At temperatures exceeding	230 °C (450 °F) sulfidation	can occur.	Refer to API 939-C.				
SA-494 M35-1 and SA-351	CK3MCuN casting in acco	rdance with	ASME BPVC, Code Case 1750-31				
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Table I.2—Pilot-operated Valves, Acceptable Material Specifications, and Grades for Valve Parts

Body Material Type	Temperature Range	Service	Main Valve Body, Bonnet, and Cap	Pilot Valve Body and Pressure Parts	Nozzle ^a	Disc ª	Other Process Wetted parts ^b	Body/Bonnet Bolting and Body/Cap Bolting (Main Valve)	Body/Bonnet Bolting (Pilot Valve)
	-29 °C (-20 °F) to 260 °C (500 °F)	Sweet	SA-105, SA-216 WCB, SA-216 WCC, SA-350 LF2 Class 1, SA-352 LCC, SA-516 Grade 60, 65 or 70 ¹	SA-182 F316/F316L ^d , SA-351 CF3M or CF8M, SA-479 316/316L ^d , SA-240 316/316L ^d	SA-182 F316/F316L ^d , SA-351 CF3M or CF8M, SA-479 316/316L ^d	SA-182 F316/F316L ^d , SA-351 CF3M or CF8M, SA-479 316/316L ^d	CF8M,	SA-193 B7, SA-320 L7, SA-194 2H, SA-194 7	SA-193 B8M ⁹ , SA-194 8M
NTCS	-29 °C (-20 °F) to 230 °C (450 °F)	Sour	SA-105, SA-216 WCB, SA-216 WCC, SA-350 LF2 Class 1, SA-352 LCC, SA-516 Grade 60, 65 or 70 ¹	SA-182 F316/F316L ^d , SA-351 CF3M or CF8M, SA-479 316/316L ^{d, f} , SA-240 316/316L ^d	SA-182 F316/F316L ^d , SA-351 CF3M or CF8M, SA-479 316/316L ^d	SA-182 F316/F316L ^d , SA-351 CF3M or CF8M, SA-479 316/316L ^d		SA-193 B7M, SA-320 L7M, SA-194 2HM, SA-194 7M	SA-194 8MA, SA-320 B8MA ⁹
	-46 °C (-50 °F) to 260 °C (500 °F)	Sweet	SA-350 LF2 Class 1, SA-352 LCC, SA-516 Grade 60, 65 or 70 ^{1, j}	SA-182 F316/F316L ^d , SA-351 CF3M ^e or CF8M ^e , SA-479 316/316L ^{d, f} , SA-240 316/316L ^d	SA-182 F316/F316L ^d , SA-351 CF3M ^e or CF8M ^e , SA-479 316/316L ^d	SA-182 F316/F316L ^d , SA-351 CF3M ^e or CF8M ^e , SA-479 316/316L ^d	SA-182 F316/F316L ^d , SA-351 CF3M ^e or CF8M ^e , SA-479 316/316L ^d , SA-240 316/316L ^d	SA-320 L7, SA-194 7	SA-193 B8M ^g , SA-194 8M
LTCS	-46 °C (-50 °F) to 230 °C (450 °F)	Sour	SA-350 LF2 Class 1, SA-352 LCC, SA-516 Grade 60, 65 or 70 ^{1, j}	SA-182 F316/F316L ^d , SA-351 CF3M ^e or CF8M ^e , SA-479 316/316L ^{d, f} , SA-240 316/316L ^d	SA-182 F316/F316L ^d , SA-351 CF3M ^e or CF8M ^e , SA-479 316/316L ^d	SA-182 F316/F316L ^d , SA-351 CF3M ^e or CF8M ^e , SA-479 316/316L ^d		SA-320 L7M, SA-194 7M	SA-194 8MA, SA-320 B8MA ^g



Table I.2 (continued)

Body Mat	erial Type	Temperature Range	Service	Main Valve Body, Bonnet, and Cap	Pilot Valve Body and Pressure Parts	Nozzle ^a	Disc ª	Other Process Wetted parts ^b	Body/Bonnet Bolting and Body/Cap Bolting (Main Valve)	Body/Bonnet Bolting (Pilot Valve)
Austenitic stainless	Type 316	-196 °C (-320 °F) to 260 °C (500 °F)	Sweet	SA-182 F316/F316L ^d , SA-351 CF3M ^e or CF8M ^e , SA-479 316/316L ^{d, f} , SA-240 316/316L ^{d, i}	SA-351 CF3M ^e or CF8M ^e , SA-479 316/316L ^{d, f} .	SA-182 F316/F316L ^d , SA-351 CF3M ^e or CF8M ^e , SA-479 316/316L ^d	SA-182 F316/F316L ^d , SA-351 CF3M ^e or CF8M ^e , SA-479 316/316L ^d	CF8M ^e , SA-479 316/316L ^d , SA-240 316/316L ^d	SA-193 B8M ^h , SA-194 8M, SA-320 B8M ^h , SB-637 UNS N07718, SB-446 UNS N06625 Grade 1	SA-193 B8M ⁹ , SA-194 8M, SA-320 B8M ⁹ , SB-637 UNS N07718, SB-446 UNS N06625 Grade 1
steel		-196 °C (-320 °F) to 260 °C (500 °F)	Sour	SA-182 F316/F316L ^d , SA-351 CF3M ^e or CF8M ^e , SA-479 316/316L ^{d, f} , SA-240 316/316L ^{d, i}	SA-351 CF3M ^e or CF8M ^e , SA-479 316/316L ^{d, f}	SA-182 F316/F316L ^d , SA-351 CF3M ^e or CF8M ^e , SA-479 316/316L ^d	SA-182 F316/F316L ^d , SA-351 CF3M ^e or CF8M ^e , SA-479 316/316L ^d	SA-240 316/316L ^d	SA-194 8MA, SA-320 B8MA ^h , SB-637 UNS N07718, SB-446 UNS N06625 Grade 1	SA-194 8MA, SA-320 B8MA ⁹ , SB-637 UNS N07718, SB-446 UNS N06625 Grade 1
		-46 °C (-50 °F) to	Sweet and sour	SA-182 F51, SA-995 4A, SA-479 UNS S31803 [†] , SA-240 UNS S31803 [†]	SA-995 4A, SA-479 UNS S31803 ^f .	SA-182 F51, SA-995 4A, SA-479 UNS S31803	SA-182 F51, SA-995 4A, SA-479 UNS S31803	SA-182 F51, SA-995 4A, SA-479 UNS S31803, SA-240 UNS S31803, SB-564 UNS N06625	SB-446 UNS N06625 Grade 1	SB-446 UNS N06625 Grade 1
DSS ^h	Type 25Cr	-46 °C (-50 °F) to	Sweet and sour	SA-182 F53 or F55, SA-995 6A, SA-479 UNS S32760 [†] , SA-240 UNS S32750 [†] or S32760 [†]	0/1 000 0/1,	SA-182 F53 or F55, SA-995 6A, SA-479 UNS S32760	SA-182 F53 or F55, SA-995 6A, SA-479 UNS S32760	SA-182 F53 or F55, SA-995 6A, SA-479 UNS S32760, SA-240 UNS S32750 or S32760, SB-564 UNS N06625	SB-446 UNS N06625 Grade 1	SB-446 UNS N06625 Grade 1



Table I.2 (continued)

Body Material Type Temperature Range Service Main Valve Body, Bonnet, and Cap Pilot Valve Body and Pressure Parts Nozzle* Disc* Other Process Wetted Body/Cap Boling (Main Valve) NOTE 1 Material for parts not listed in this table is defined in 1.2. NOTE 2 IOGP S-563 MDS requirements apply to materials in accordance with 1.3. * When hardfacing is specified on the disc and nozzle, hardfacing shall comply with 8.1. c Acceptable for base and bonnet threaded plug. * Out-certified grade. * SA-351 CF3M and CF8M shall be impact tested in accordance with ASME <i>BPVC</i> , Section VIII, Division 1:2023, UHA-51 for design temperatures colder than -29 °C (-20 °F). * Body, bonnet up to 102 mm (4 in.) can be manufactured from bars. Bars shall comply with the IOGP S-563 MDS. When the bar diameter exceeds 205 mm (8 in.), two transverse (tangential) tensile test specimens shall be located 90° apart around the perimeter of the bar. * Acceptance class for bolting shall be in accordance with the IOGP S-563 MDS. * In addition to the requirements in the IOGP S-563 MDS, the lateral expansion of each impact test sample shall be greater than or equal to 0.38 mm (0.015 in.).
 NOTE 2 IOGP S-563 MDS requirements apply to materials in accordance with 1.3. When hardfacing is specified on the disc and nozzle, hardfacing shall comply with 1.4. Spring material shall comply with Table 2. Bellow material shall comply with 8.1. Acceptable for base and bonnet threaded plug. Dual-certified grade. SA-351 CF3M and CF8M shall be impact tested in accordance with ASME <i>BPVC</i>, Section VIII, Division 1:2023, UHA-51 for design temperatures colder than -29 °C (-20 °F). Body, bonnet up to 102 mm (4 in.) can be manufactured from bars. Bars shall comply with the IOGP S-563 MDS. When the bar diameter exceeds 205 mm (8 in.), two transverse (tangential) tensile test specimens shall be tested part the work transverse tensile specimens shall be in accordance with the IOGP S-563 MDS. Acceptance class for bolting shall be in accordance with the IOGP S-563 MDS.
 Acceptable for the main valve cap only. SA-516 impact tested in accordance with IOGP S-563 MDS IC105.



Add new Annex J

Annex J (normative)

Supplementary Requirements for Inspection

J.1 General

J.1.1

This annex specifies QSLs for non-destructive examination (NDE) of pressure-relief valves.

J.1.2

QSL1 is the default quality level and corresponds to the level of NDE required by API 526 with no supplementary requirements.

J.2 NDE Requirements

J.2.1

NDE shall comply with Table J.1 and Table J.2 for the specified QSL and the applicable material product form.

J.2.2

NDE activities shall be conducted after final heat treatment or post-weld heat treatment (PWHT).

J.2.3

NDE personnel shall be qualified to ASNT SNT-TC-1A Level II or Level III, or ISO 9712 Level 2 or Level 3.

J.2.4

Certification shall be performed by an independent third-party certification body or authorized qualifying body in accordance with the ASNT Central Certification Program (ACCP) or ISO 9712.



Add new Table J.1

Valve part	QSL1		QSL2		QSL3		QSL4		
	Cast	Wrought ^a	Cast	Wrought ^a	Cast	Wrought ^a	Cast	Wrought ^a	
Body ^b ,			VT1	VT2	VT1	VT2	VT1	VT2	
bonnet ^b , cap and integral lifting lugs	VT1	VT2	MT2 ^c or PT2 ^c	MT1 ° or PT1 °	MT2 ° or PT2 °	MT1 $^\circ$ or PT1 $^\circ$	MT2 ° or PT2 °	MT1 ° or PT1 °	
			RT1 ^{d, e}		RT1 ^d	UT2	RT3 ^{d, f}	UT2	
Nozzle and disc	VT1	VT2	VT1	VT2	VT1	VT2	VT1	VT2	
					MT2 or PT2	MT1 or PT1	MT2 or PT1	MT1 or PT1	
Stem/spindle	N/A	VT2	N/A	VT2	N/A	VT2	N/A	VT2	
						MT1 or PT1		MT1 or PT1	
								UT2	
Pressure- boundary bolting	N/A	VT4	N/A	VT4	N/A	VT4	N/A	VT4	
								MT1 or PT1	
Spring	N/A	VT4	N/A	VT4	N/A	VT4	N/A	VT4	
Other internal wetted parts (e.g. bellow)	VT1	VT2	VT1	VT2	VT1	VT2	VT1	VT2	
					MT2 or PT2	MT1 or PT1	MT2 or PT2	MT1 or PT1	
Seals and gaskets			VT4						
Pressure- containing welds	VT3								
	VT3		MT1 ° or PT1 °						
			RT2 ^g						
Fillet and	VT3		VT3						
attachment welds to pressure- containing parts			MT1 ° or PT1 °						
Hard facing	VT4		VT4						
			PT1						
Sealing	VT4		VT4						
surfaces			MT3 or PT3						

Table J.1—NDE Requirements

Key

N/A: not applicable.

VT1, VT2, VT3, VT4, PT1, PT2, PT3, MT1, MT2, RT1, RT2, RT3, UT1, UT2, UT3, UT4: NDE codes. Refer to Table J.2.

NOTE 1 The NDE codes used in this table are defined in Table J.2 which specifies the extent, method and acceptance criteria of examination for each NDE code.

NOTE 2 When valve materials are selected in accordance with Annex I, NDE requirements for pilot casting are specified in IOGP S-563 MDS.

^a Requirements for NDE of wrought material apply to bar, rod, wire, forgings, and plate material product forms.

^b When this specification permits the manufacture of body and bonnet parts from bar, bar with a hot-worked diameter exceeding 205 mm (8 in.) shall be examined by UT before machining in accordance with ASME *BPVC*, Section VIII, Division 1:2023, UG-14 (b) (4) (-c).

^c MT or PT shall be performed prior to coating, plating or overlay.

^d RT1 and RT3 may be replaced by UT4 by agreement.

^e RT1 inspection frequency for QSL2 shall be 5 %, minimum one part per component batch to be examined. If defects outside the acceptance criteria are detected, two additional parts shall be tested, and if any of these two parts fail the test, all items from the batch shall be examined.

^f RT1 plus UT1 may be replaced for RT3.

⁹ If RT2 is not possible due to geometrical constraints, UT3 shall be performed.



Add new Table J.2

Table J.2—Extent, Method, and Acceptance Criteria for the NDE Codes in Table J.1

			Acceptance Criteria		
RT1	Areas defined by ASME B16.34 for special class valves, at abrupt changes in sections and at the junctions of risers, gates or feeders to the casting	ASME <i>BPVC</i> , Section V:2023, Article 2	ASME <i>BPVC</i> , Section VIII, Division 1:2023, Appendix 7		
RT2	100 %	ASME <i>BPVC</i> , Section V:2023, Article 2	ASME <i>BPVC</i> , Section VIII, Division 1:2023, UW-51 for linear indications and ASME <i>BPVC</i> , Section VIII, Division 1:2023, Appendix 4 for rounded indications		
RT3	100 %	ASME <i>BPVC</i> , Section V:2023, Article 2	ASME <i>BPVC</i> , Section VIII, Division 1:2023, Appendix 7		
UT1	Areas not covered by RT1	ASME <i>BPVC</i> , Section V:2023, Article 5	ASTM A609/A609M:2012, Table 2, Quality Level 2		
UT2	All surfaces	ASME <i>BPVC</i> , Section V:2023, Article 5	Forgings and bars: ASME <i>BPVC</i> , Section VIII, Division 1:2023, UF-55 for angle beam and ASME B16.34 for straight beam Plate: ASTM A578/A578M		
UT3	All surfaces	ASME <i>BPVC</i> , Section V:2023, Article 4	ASME <i>BPVC</i> , Section VIII, Division 1:2023, Appendix 12		
UT4	100 %	ASME <i>BPVC</i> , Section V:2023, Article 5	ASTM A609/A609M:2012, Table 2, Quality Level 1		
MT1	All accessible surfaces	ASME <i>BPVC</i> , Section V:2023, Article 7	ASME <i>BPVC</i> , Section VIII, Division 1:2023, Appendix 6		
MT2	All accessible surfaces	ASME <i>BPVC</i> , Section V:2023, Article 7	ASME <i>BPVC</i> , Section VIII, Division 1:2023, Appendix 7		
MT3	All sealing surfaces	ASME <i>BPVC</i> , Section V:2023, Article 7	No rounded or linear indications in pressure-contact sealing surfaces. Re-examination of indications as per ASME <i>BPVC</i> , Section VIII, Division 1:2023, Appendix 6-3 (c) is acceptable.		
PT1	All accessible surfaces	ASME <i>BPVC</i> , Section V:2023, Article 6	ASME BPVC, Section VIII, Division 1:2023, Appendix 8		
PT2	All accessible surfaces	ASME BPVC, Section V:2023, Article 6	ASME BPVC, Section VIII, Division 1:2023, Appendix 7		
PT3	All sealing surfaces	ASME <i>BPVC</i> , Section V:2023, Article 6	No rounded or linear indications in pressure-contact sealing surfaces. Re-examination of indications as per ASME <i>BPVC</i> , Section VIII, Division 1:2023, Appendix 8-3 (c) is acceptable.		
VT1	100 % accessible as cast surfaces	MSS SP-55	MSS SP-55		
VT2	100 % accessible as forged surfaces	Applicable IOGP S-563 MDS ^a	Applicable IOGP S-563 MDS ^a		
VT3	100 % accessible as welded surfaces	Applicable IOGP S-563 EDS ^a	Applicable IOGP S-563 EDS ^a		
VT4 ^b	100 % accessible surfaces	In accordance with manufacturer requirements and applicable IOGP S-563 EDS ^a	In accordance with manufacturer requirements and applicable IOGP S-563 EDS ^a		



J.2.5

Visual examination after assembly shall include dimensional inspection of the following items in accordance with 7.4:

- centre-to-face dimensions;
- flange dimensions including bolt hole orientation, bolt hole diameters and flange facings.

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