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Foreword

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ISO 13577 consists of the following parts, under the general title *Industrial furnaces and associated processing equipment — Safety*:

- Part 4: *Protective systems*
- Part 1: *General requirements*
- Part 2: *Requirements for combustion and fuel handling systems*
- Part 3: *Generation and use of protective and reactive atmosphere gases*

Introduction

This document was developed to specify the requirement of a protective system which is a safety related electrical control system (SRECS) of industrial furnaces and associated processing equipment (TPE).

Mandatory safety-related control functions of TPE are specified in the other parts of ISO 13577.

This part of ISO 13577 provides 4 methods which manufacturers of TPE are to choose in designing the protective system of TPE.

This document is part of a Type C standard as defined in ISO 12100. Since ISO 13577 is a Type-C Standard of ISO 12100, TPE are required to be designed in accordance with the principles of ISO 12100. However, there are cases in which a risk assessment according to IEC 61511 is more suitable for the design of a TPE protective system.

IEC 61511 provides the option of low demand rate on the protective system. IEC 62061 or ISO 13849-1 always assume high demand applications.

Therefore, this part of ISO 13577 permits extended risk assessment for SRECS in which risk assessment based on IEC 61511 may be chosen as an alternative. .

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1 Industrial furnaces and associated processing equipment — 2 Safety — Part 4: Protective systems

3 1. Scope

4 This part of ISO 13577 specifies the requirements for protective systems used in industrial furnaces and
5 associated processing equipment (TPE).

6 The functional requirements to which the protective systems apply are specified in the other parts of ISO
7 13577.

8 2. Normative references

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

12 ISO 13574, *Industrial furnaces and associated thermal processing equipment — Vocabulary*

13 ISO 13577-1, *Industrial furnaces and associated thermal processing equipment — Safety – Part 1: General
14 requirements*

15 ISO 13577-2, *Industrial furnaces and associated thermal processing equipment — Safety – Part 2:
16 Combustion and fuel handling systems*

17 ISO 13577-3, *Industrial furnaces and associated thermal processing equipment — Safety – Part 3: Generation
18 and use of protective and reactive atmosphere gases*

19 ISO 13849-1, *Safety of machinery -- Safety-related parts of control systems -- Part 1: General principles for
20 design*

21 IEC 60204-1, *Safety of machinery - Electrical equipment of machines - Part 1: General requirements*

22 IEC 60730-2-5, *Automatic electrical controls for household and similar use - Part 2-5: Particular requirements
23 for automatic electrical burner control systems*

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

25 IEC 61131-3, *Programmable controllers - Part 3: Programming languages*

26 IEC 61511 (all parts), *Functional safety - Safety instrumented systems for the process industry sector*

27 IEC 62061, *Safety of machinery - Functional safety of safety-related electrical, electronic and programmable
28 electronic control systems*

29 3. Terms and definitions

30 For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in ISO 13574 and the following apply.

31 **3.1**
32 **final element**
33 The device(s) controlled by the logic solver to affect the process being monitored by the sensor. In a
34 protective system, it is the part that physically acts (e.g. actuator, automatic shutoff valve, relay, etc...) to bring
35 the safety function to a safe state.

36 **3.2**
37 **flame detector device**
38 device by which the presence of a flame is detected and signaled; it can consist of a flame sensor, an
39 amplifier and a relay for signal transmission

40 NOTE This term and definition is given in ISO 13574

41 **3.3**
42 **functional safety**
43 capability of a protective system or other means to reduce risk, to execute the actions required for achieving
44 or maintaining a safe state for the process and its related equipment

45 NOTE This term and definition is given in ISO 13574

46 **3.4**
47 **logic function**
48 function which performs the transformations between input information (provided by one or more input
49 functions or sensors) and output information (used by one or more output functions or final elements); logic
50 functions are executed by the logic solver of a protective system.

51 [SOURCE: IEC 61511-1:2003 3.2.39 modified]

52 **3.5**
53 **logic solver**
54 portion of a protective system that performs one or more logic function(s).

55 NOTE Examples are: electrical systems, electronic systems, programmable electronic systems, pneumatic systems,
56 hydraulic systems. Sensors and final elements are not part of the logic solver.

57 [SOURCE: IEC 61511-1:2003 3.2.40 modified]

58 **3.6**
59 **manual reset**
60 action after a lock-out of a safety device (e. g. automatic burner control) carried out manually by the
61 supervising operator

62 NOTE This term and definition is given in ISO 13574

63 **3.7**
64 **performance level**
65 **PL**
66 discrete level used to specify the ability of safety-related parts of control systems to perform a safety function
67 under foreseeable conditions

68 [SOURCE: ISO 13849-1:2006 3.1.23]

69 **3.8**
70 **product standard**
71 the standards for products and devices which are listed in the other parts of ISO 13577

72 **3.9**
73 **programmable logic control**
74 **PLC**
75 electronic device designed for control of the logical sequence of events

76 NOTE This term and definition is given in ISO 13574

77 3.10

78 protective system

79 instrumented system used to implement one or more safety related instrumented functions. A protective
80 system is composed of any combination of sensor(s), logic solver(s), and final elements. (For example see
81 figure 2).

82 NOTE This can include either safety related instrumented control functions or safety related instrumented protection
83 functions or both.

84 [SOURCE: IEC 61511-1:2003, 3.2.72 modified]

85 3.11

86 safety bus

87 A bus system and / or protocol for digital network communication between safety device(s) that is designed to
88 achieve and / or maintain a safe state of the protective system in compliance with IEC 61508 or IEC 60730-2-5.

89 3.12

90 safety device

91 A device which is used to perform protective functions, either on its own or as a part of a protective system
92 (e.g. sensors, limiters, flame monitors, burner control systems, logic systems, final elements, automatic shut-
93 off valves etc.)

94 3.13

95 safety integrity level

96 SIL

97 discrete level (one out of a possible four), corresponding to a range of safety integrity values, where safety
98 integrity level 4 has the highest level of safety integrity and safety integrity level 1 has the lowest

99 NOTE 1 the target failure measures for the four safety integrity levels are specified in Table 2 and 3 of IEC 61508-1.

100 NOTE 2 Safety integrity levels are used for specifying the safety integrity requirements of the safety functions to be
101 allocated to the E/E/PE safety-related systems.

102 NOTE 3 A safety integrity level (SIL) is not a property of a system, subsystem, element or device. The correct
103 interpretation of the phrase "SIL n safety-related system" (where n is 1, 2, 3 or 4) is that the system is potentially capable
104 of supporting safety functions with a safety integrity level up to n .

105 [SOURCE: IEC 61508-4:2010 3.5.8]

106 3.14

107 sensor

108 Limiter, transducer or any other monitoring device which outputs a signal and/or cuts out and only reverses
109 the output signal in the event of a specific change in the performance quantity (e.g. pressure, temperature,
110 flow, level).

111 3.15

112 systematic capability

113 measure (expressed on a scale of SC 1 to SC 4) of the confidence that the systematic safety integrity of an
114 element meets the requirements of the specified SIL, in respect of the specified element safety function, when
115 the element is applied in accordance with the instructions specified in the compliant item safety manual for the
116 element

117 NOTE 1 Systematic capability is determined with reference to the requirements for the avoidance and control of
118 systematic faults (see IEC 61508-2 and IEC 61508-3).

119 NOTE 2 What is a relevant systematic failure mechanism will depend on the nature of the element. For example, for an
120 element comprising solely software, only software failure mechanisms will need to be considered. For an element
121 comprising hardware and software, it will be necessary to consider both systematic hardware and software failure
122 mechanisms.

123 NOTE 3 A Systematic capability of SC N for an element, in respect of the specified element safety function, means that
 124 the systematic safety integrity of SIL N has been met when the element is applied in accordance with the instructions
 125 specified in the compliant item safety manual for the element.

126 [SOURCE: IEC 61508-4:2010 3.5.9]

127 **4. Design requirements for equipment in a Protective System.**

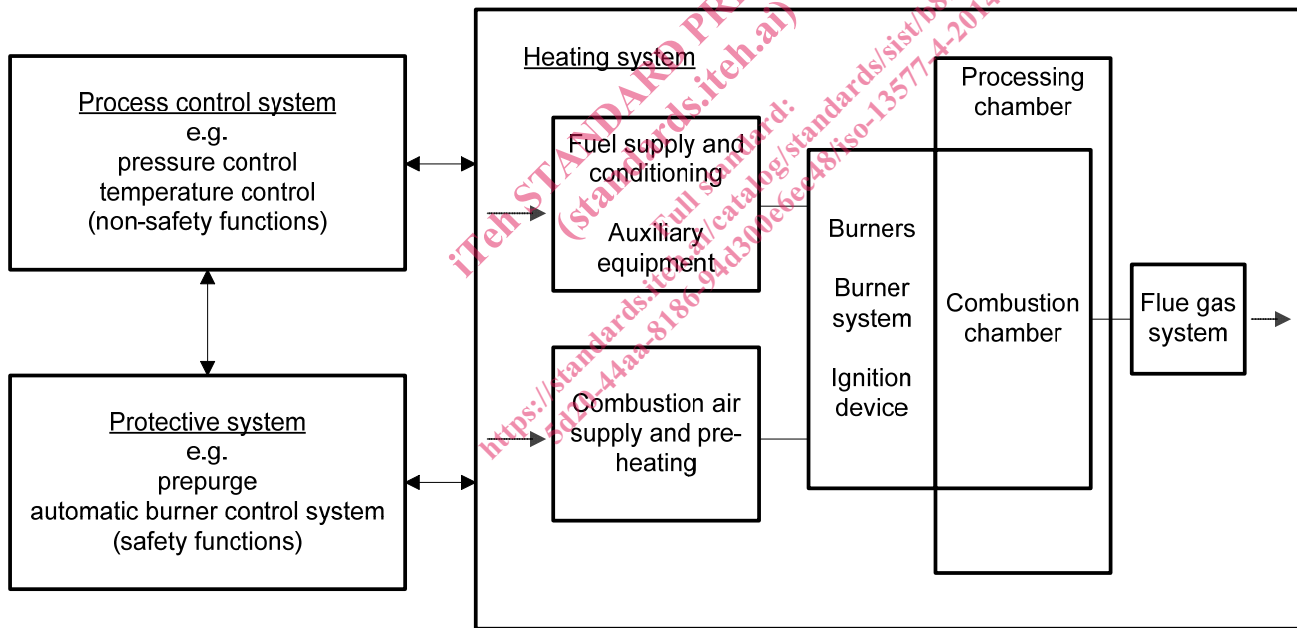
128 **4.1 General**

129 Electrical equipment shall comply with IEC 60204-1 and withstand the hazards identified in the risk
 130 assessment required at the design stage. Electrical equipment shall be protected against damage. In
 131 particular it shall be robust to withstand damage during continuous operation.

132 Devices shall be used in accordance with the manufacturer's instructions including safety manuals. Any
 133 device used outside of its published technical specification shall be verified and validated to be suitable for the
 134 intended application.

135 Devices of a protective system shall withstand the environmental conditions and fulfill their intended function.

136 Figure 1 is provided as an aid to understanding the relationship between the various elements of TPE and
 137 their ancillary equipment, the heating system, the process control system and the protective system.



138
 139 **Figure 1 — Block diagram of control and protective systems**

140 An appropriate group of techniques and measures shall be used that are designed to prevent the introduction
 141 of faults during the design and development of the hardware and software of the protective system. See
 142 Informative Annex A.

143 Failure due to short circuit in external wiring shall be avoided. See Informative Annex B.

144 Requirements for testing and testing intervals for protective systems shall be specified in the instruction
 145 handbook. Except as permitted by Method D, the testing of all safety functions shall be performed at least
 146 annually. Method D shall be used if the testing of all safety functions is performed beyond 1 year.

147 See informative Annex C and D for examples of SIL/PL determinations.

148 **4.2 Requirements for protective systems**

149 Any one or a combination of the four (4) methods below shall be used to implement a protective system for
 150 the safety function(s) requirements identified in other parts of 13577, however, only one method shall be used
 151 for any one specific safety function:

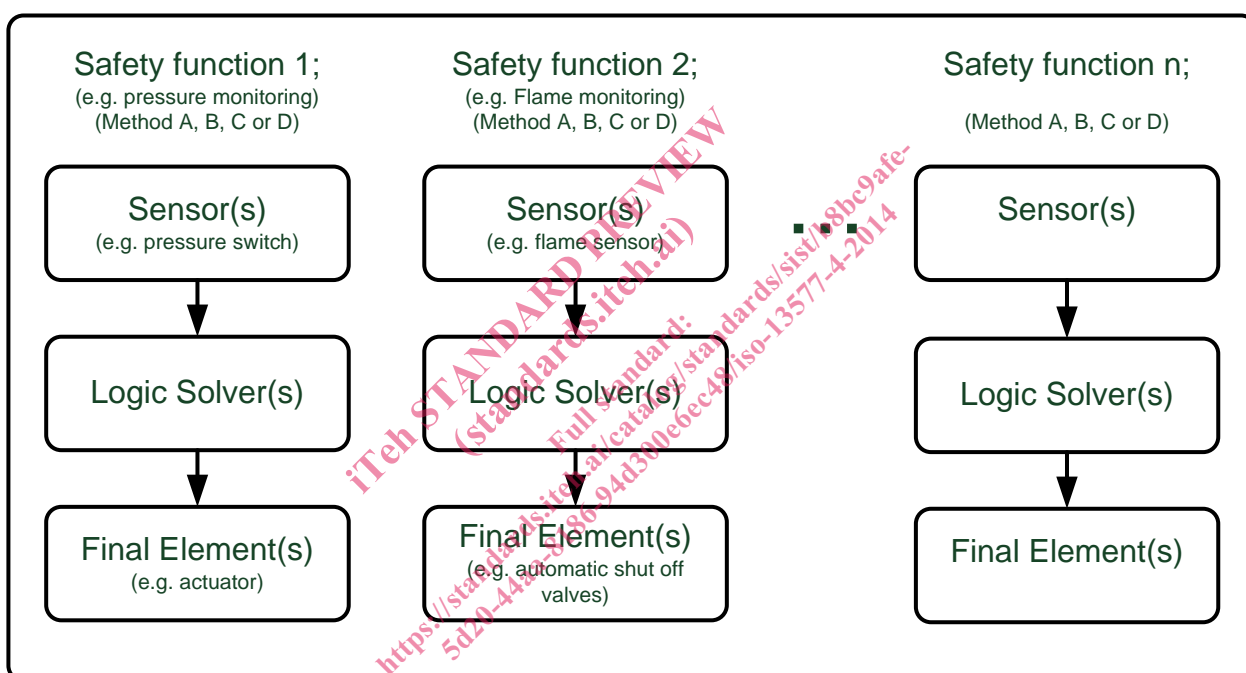
152 — Method A as specified in 4.2.1,

153 — Method B as specified in 4.2.2,

154 — Method C as specified in 4.2.3,

155 — Method D as specified in 4.2.4.

156 Figure 2 is showing the basic configuration of a protective system.



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158 **Figure 2 — Basic configuration of a protective system**

159 Figure 3 is showing the basic characteristics of each method.

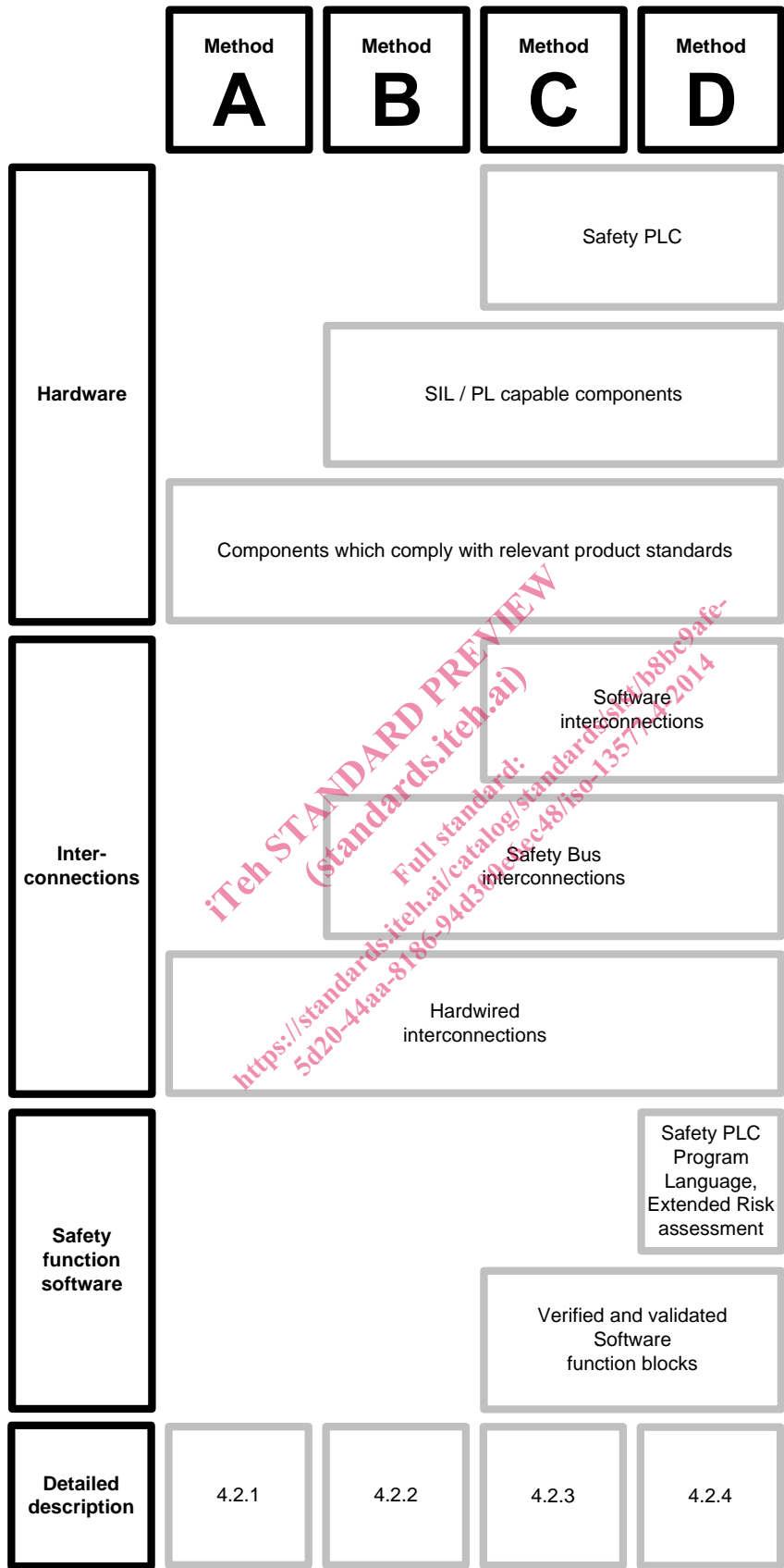


Figure 3 — Method overview

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162 See informative Annex E for example schematics by the various methods.

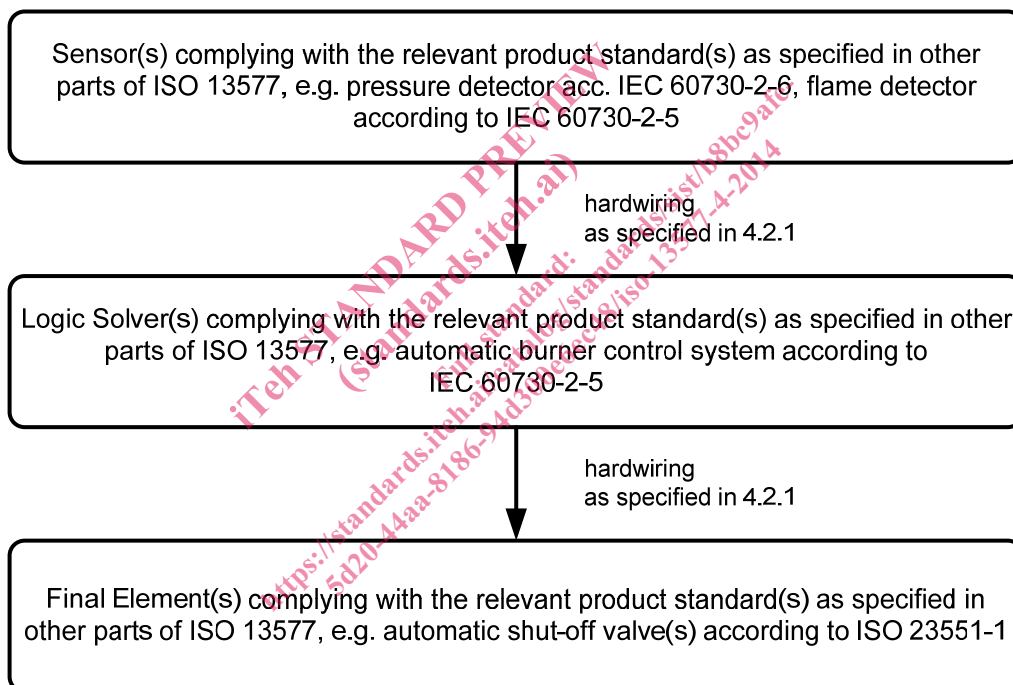
163 **4.2.1. Method A**

164 Method A shall be a hardwired system in which all devices (i.e. Sensors, Logic solver and Final elements
165 described in Figure 4) comply with the relevant product standards as specified in other parts of ISO 13577.

166 The requirements of IEC 61508, IEC 61511, IEC 62061 and ISO 13849 are not applicable for this type of
167 protective system.

168 The following requirements for hardwiring shall be fulfilled:

- 169 — all logic solvers shall be supplied by the devices and via the direct interconnections between the devices;
- 170 — connections shall not be permitted via data communication buses;
- 171 — devices with fixed program language, which meet the relevant product standards, shall be permitted;
- 172 — be in accordance with Annex F.



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Figure 4 — Hardware configuration of Method A

175 **NOTE** The safety devices used here correspond to specific safety requirements, matched to the field of application
176 and the functional requirements made of these devices, as demanded in the corresponding Products Standards for safety
177 devices e.g. automatic burner control systems, valve proving systems, pressure sensing devices, automatic shut-off
178 valves. Even without additional SIL/PL certification of these safety devices, the safety requirements for use of safety
179 devices are in compliance with relevant Product Standards. Implementation of a protective system per clause 4.1.1) must
180 thus be viewed as one of several alternative methods.

181 **4.2.2. Method B**

182 Method B shall be a combination of devices meeting the relevant product standards and/or SIL/PL capable
183 devices for which no relevant product standard exists. Safety PLCs are excluded (see Figure 5).

184 The following requirements for hardwiring shall be fulfilled:

- 185 — All logic solvers shall be supplied by the devices and via the direct interconnections between the devices.