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This European Standard has been submitted for reference into the RID and/or in the technical annexes of the ADR.

Compared with EN 13094:2015, the following changes are the principal modifications which have been made:

- a) a new form of protection was added to 6.8.2.2;
 - b) 6.9.4 was revised;
 - c) subclause 6.10 was revised;
 - d) for the protection of service equipment mounted on top of the shell, the addition of an alternative steel and, where longitudinal and transverse members are used, additional requirements for drainage were added;
 - e) references were updated, in particular related to welding and NDT standards;
 - f) requirements for non-destructive testing have been removed;
- NOTE These are now included in EN 12972.
- g) requirements for cut-outs in the shell, protrusions and pipework have been introduced;
 - h) requirements for non-destructive testing of welds have been strengthened; and
 - i) literal mistakes were corrected.

1 Scope

This document specifies requirements for the design and construction of metallic gravity-discharge tanks intended for the carriage of substances having a vapour pressure not exceeding 110 kPa (1,1 bar) (absolute pressure) at 50 °C.

NOTE 1 Gravity discharge tanks have no maximum working pressure. However, during operation, pressure in the shell may occur, for example due to flow restrictions in vapour recovery systems or opening pressures of breather devices. It is important that these operating pressures do not exceed the test pressure of the tank or 0,5 bar, whichever is the highest.

This document specifies requirements for openings, closures, pipework, mountings for service equipment and structural equipment.

NOTE 2 This document does not specify requirements for items of service equipment other than pipework.

This document is applicable to aircraft refuelers that are used on public roads. It is also applicable to inter-modal tanks (e.g. tank containers and tank swap bodies) for the transport of dangerous goods by road and rail.

NOTE 3 This document is not applicable to fixed rail tank wagons.

2 Normative references

The following documents are referred to in the text in such a way that some or all of their content constitutes requirements of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

EN 10204, *Metallic products — Types of inspection documents*

EN 12972:2018, *Tanks for transport of dangerous goods — Testing, inspection and marking of metallic tanks*
<https://standards.iteh.ai/catalog/standards/sist/9b814541-dd77-4b9f-88d3-19f2da583b42/sist-en-13094-2020>

EN 13317, *Tanks for transport of dangerous goods — Service equipment for tanks — Manhole cover assembly*

EN 14025, *Tanks for the transport of dangerous goods — Metallic pressure tanks — Design and construction*

EN ISO 3834-1, *Quality requirements for fusion welding of metallic materials — Part 1: Criteria for the selection of the appropriate level of quality requirements (ISO 3834-1)*

EN ISO 3834-2, *Quality requirements for fusion welding of metallic materials — Part 2: Comprehensive quality requirements (ISO 3834-2)*

EN ISO 6892-1, *Metallic materials — Tensile testing — Part 1: Method of test at room temperature (ISO 6892-1)*

EN ISO 7500-1, *Metallic materials — Verification of static uniaxial testing machines — Part 1: Tension/compression testing machines — Verification and calibration of the force-measuring system (ISO 7500-1)*

EN ISO 9606-1, *Qualification testing of welders — Fusion welding — Part 1: Steels (ISO 9606-1)*

EN ISO 9606-2, *Qualification test of welders — Fusion welding — Part 2: Aluminium and aluminium alloys (ISO 9606-2)*

EN ISO 14732, *Welding personnel — Qualification testing of welding operators and weld setters for mechanized and automatic welding of metallic materials (ISO 14732)*

EN ISO 15607, *Specification and qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials — General rules (ISO 15607)*

EN ISO 15609-1, *Specification and qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials — Welding procedure specification — Part 1: Arc welding (ISO 15609-1)*

EN ISO 15609-2, *Specification and qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials — Welding procedure specification — Part 2: Gas welding (ISO 15609-2)*

EN ISO 15613, *Specification and qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials — Qualification based on pre-production welding test (ISO 15613)*

EN ISO 15614 (all parts), *Specification and qualification of welding procedures for metallic materials — Welding procedure test (ISO 15614, all parts)*

EN 10028-2, *Flat products made of steels for pressure purposes — Part 2: Non-alloy and alloy steels with specified elevated temperature properties*

ISO 1496-3, *Series 1 freight containers — Specification and testing — Part 3: Tank containers for liquids, gases and pressurized dry bulk*

3 Terms, definitions, symbols and abbreviations

3.1 Terms and definitions

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

ISO and IEC maintain terminological databases for use in standardization at the following addresses:

- IEC Electropedia: available at <http://www.electropedia.org/>
- ISO Online browsing platform: available at <https://www.iso.org/obp>

NOTE See also Figure A.1.

3.1.1

baffle

structure, other than a surge plate, intended to inhibit the movement of the shell contents

3.1.2

capacity

total inner volume of shell or shell compartment

Note 1 to entry: When it is impossible to fill completely the shell or shell compartment because of its shape or construction, this reduced capacity should be used for the determination of the degree of filling and for the marking of the tank.

prEN 13094:2019 (E)**3.1.3****competent authority**

authority or authorities or any other body or bodies designated as such in each country and in each specific case in accordance with domestic law

Note 1 to entry: Attention is drawn to ADR [2] and to the OTIF regulations (commonly referred to as RID) [3] in respect of Competent Authorities.

3.1.4**partition**

hermetically sealed dividing wall between adjacent compartments in compartmented shells

3.1.5**section modulus**

second moment of area of a structure (and, where appropriate, its associated shell) about its neutral axis divided by the maximum distance from the neutral axis to the extreme fibre of the section used in the calculation

3.1.6**shell**

part of the tank which retains the substance intended for carriage, including its openings and closures, but not including service equipment or external structural equipment

3.1.7**specific resilience**

integral of the applied force and the measured deflection of a test piece up to the point at which the test bar punctures the test piece, as indicated by the point of maximum force

3.1.8**global resilience**

ability of a shell with multiple partitions or surge plates to withstand a sideways impact with a beam

3.1.9**mild steel**

steel with a guaranteed minimum tensile strength of 360 N/mm² to 490 N/mm² and a guaranteed minimum elongation at fracture conforming to the requirement for steel specified in 5.2.2.3.1

3.1.10**reference steel**

steel with a tensile strength of 370 N/mm² and an elongation after fracture of 27 %

3.1.11**surge plate**

non-hermetically sealed wall in shells or compartments of shells intended to reduce the effect of surge, mounted at right angles to the direction of travel, having an area of at least 70 % of the cross-sectional area of the shells where the surge plate is located

3.1.12**maximum design mass**

sum of the tare of the tank and the maximum permissible load for which the tank is designed

3.1.13**elliptical cross section**

cross section that respects the following criteria:

- the cross section of the shape is contained into a circle;
- the elliptical cross section has the same width as the circle;
- the minimum radius of curvature is not less than 250 mm;
- the maximum width of the circle is 2 550 mm;
- the maximum width of the elliptical cross section is no more than the maximum allowed width of the vehicle;
- the maximum radius of curvature is no more than 2 000 mm;
- the cross section is convex.

[SOURCE EN 14564:2019, 3.10]

3.2 Symbols

For the purposes of this document, the following symbols apply.

A	percentage (%) elongation after fracture
A_1	minimum percentage (%) elongation after fracture of the metal used (see 6.9.1)
B	pitch circle diameter or, if elliptical, average of major and minor diameters, in millimetres (mm)
c	distance from the start of a knuckle bend to the edge of a shell, in millimetres (mm)
	NOTE 1 This is used for the attachment of a dished end to a shell.
e	shell thickness, in millimetres (mm)
e_c	thickness of a flat closure, in millimetres (mm)
e_d	thickness of a domed closure, in millimetres (mm)
e_f	thickness of an end or partition, in millimetres (mm)
e_{rs}	thickness of a reinforcing section, in millimetres (mm)
e_r	thickness of an opening flange, in millimetres (mm)
e_{rd}	thickness of a domed closure flange, in millimetres (mm)
e_{vn}	adopted thickness(es) of a shell, in millimetres (mm)
$e_{v, \min}$	minimum thickness of a shell according to 6.9.1, in millimetres (mm)
e_0	minimum thickness of shell in reference steel, in millimetres (mm)

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e_1	thickness of the thickest part of a shell, in millimetres (mm)
e_2	thickness of the thinner part of the metal used, in millimetres (mm)
g	acceleration due to gravity, in metres per second squared (m/s^2)
NOTE 2	The value of g is $9,81 \text{ m/s}^2$.
L	overlap of a lapped joint, in millimetres (mm)
L_c	length of reinforcing piece, in millimetres (mm)
L_r	length of reinforcing ring, in millimetres (mm)
L_0	initial gauge length of the test piece used in the tensile test, in millimetres (mm)
l	length of transition between plates of different thickness, in millimetres (mm)
l_1	length of overlap of swaged edge, in millimetres (mm)
l_2	length of weld at base of swaged joint, in millimetres (mm)
N	safety factor
P_{ta}	static pressure (gauge pressure), in MegaPascals (MPa)
P_e	tank test pressure, in MegaPascals (MPa)
P_{ec}	compartment test pressure, in MegaPascals (MPa)
P_c	calculation pressure of tank, in MegaPascals (MPa)
P_{dyn}	dynamic pressure, in MegaPascals (MPa)
P_{ts}	opening pressure of the breather device, in MegaPascals (MPa)
P_{vd}	substance vapour pressure at design temperature (gauge pressure), in MegaPascals (MPa)
R	internal radius of a domed closure, in millimetres (mm)
R_d	determined tensile strength, in Newtons per square millimetre (N/mm^2)
R_e	apparent yield strength for steels having a clearly defined yield point or guaranteed 0,2 % proof strength for steels with no clearly defined yield point (1 % proof strength for austenitic steels) Newtons per square millimetre (N/mm^2)
R_{et}	apparent yield strength for steels having a clearly defined yield point or guaranteed 0,2 % proof strength for steels with no clearly defined yield point (1 % proof strength for austenitic steels) at minimum design temperature Newtons per square millimetre (N/mm^2)
R_m	tensile strength, in Newtons per square millimetre (N/mm^2)
R_{mt}	tensile strength at minimum design temperature, in Newtons per square millimetre (N/mm^2)
R_{m1}	minimum tensile strength of the metal used, in Newtons per square millimetre (N/mm^2)

S_B	total tensile area, in square millimetres (mm ²)
S_0	initial cross-sectional area of a test piece used in the tensile test, in square millimetres (mm ²)
w	effective depth of fillet weld (i.e. distance from the surface of the weld to the minimum penetration point of the molten metal into the base material)
Z_0	minimum section modulus in reference steel, in cubic centimetres (cm ³)
Z_1	minimum section modulus in the metal used, in cubic centimetres (cm ³)
σ_c	design stress for cover material, according to 6.8, in newtons per square millimetre (N/mm ²)
σ_r	design stress for flange material, according to 6.8, in newtons per square millimetre (N/mm ²)

3.3 Abbreviations

FEM Finite element method

4 Service equipment

As a minimum, the service equipment shall be in conformance with the relevant regulations.

NOTE For pipework, see 6.13.

5 Materials

5.1 General

5.1.1 The designer shall select the materials to be used in the construction of the shell using ferritic steel, austenitic steel, austenitic-ferritic stainless steel or aluminium alloy material standards published by a national or international standards body or otherwise approved by the competent authority. The material shall in any case meet the requirements specified in 5.2.

5.1.2 Materials used in the construction of shells shall be suitable for shaping. Materials shall be deemed unsuitable if, even though they meet the material requirements of this European Standard, the degree of shaping required by a particular shell design generates cracking or other signs of distress in the shell material.

5.1.3 Materials shall be used that are known to be resistant to brittle fracture and to stress corrosion cracking.

5.1.4 When tested in accordance with the appropriate clauses of EN ISO 15614-1, the properties of materials used in the fabrication of welded shells shall not be less than the minimum values specified for the material selected in accordance with 5.1.1 throughout the welded area after welding without post-weld heat treatment.

5.2 Material properties

5.2.1 Impact strength

If a lower design temperature is prescribed, this strength shall be achieved at the lower temperature. Ferritic steel materials shall only be used when the material standard (e.g. EN 10028-2) guarantees an impact strength of at least 27 J at -20 °C.

5.2.2 Yield strength, tensile strength and elongation after fracture

5.2.2.1 General

5.2.2.1.1 The values of A , R_e and R_m to be used shall be the minimum values specified for the material selected in accordance with the relevant standard for the material with the exception of 5.2.2.1.2 and 5.2.2.1.3.

5.2.2.1.2 When austenitic steels are used, the value of R_e used in the calculation may exceed the minimum value in accordance with the relevant standard for the material specified for the material selected provided that:

- the higher values are attested in a certificate 3.1 issued in accordance with EN 10204; and
- the value of R_e used in the calculation does not exceed 1,15 multiplied by the value of R_e as specified for the material selected in accordance with the relevant standard for the material.

5.2.2.1.3 When fine-grained steels are used, the value of R_e shall not exceed 460 N/mm² and the value of R_m shall not exceed 725 N/mm² in accordance with the specifications of the relevant standard for the material.

5.2.2.2 Yield strength and tensile strength

Steels with a ratio of R_e/R_m exceeding 0,85 shall not be used in the construction of welded shells. The values specified in certificate 3.1 issued in accordance with EN 10204 shall be used to determine the R_e/R_m ratio.

5.2.2.3 Elongation after fracture

5.2.2.3.1 The material shall be tested in accordance with EN ISO 6892-1. The percentage elongation after fracture, A , shall be not less than:

- 16 % for fine grained steels;
- 20 % for other steels; and
- 12 % for aluminium alloys.

5.2.2.3.2 Additionally, for steel, the percentage elongation after fracture, A , shall be not be less than the value calculated using Formula (1):

$$A = \frac{10\,000 \text{ N/mm}^2}{R_d} \quad (1)$$

NOTE For A , R_d and R_{m1} only the numerical value with the unit according to 3.2 is given.

5.2.2.3.3 For sheet metal, when measuring the percentage elongation after fracture in accordance with EN ISO 6892-1, the axis of the tensile test piece shall be at right angles to the direction of rolling; where the material standard gives lower values in the direction of rolling, these values shall be used in the calculation.

5.2.2.3.4 When measuring the percentage elongation after fracture, a test piece of circular cross-section shall be used in which the initial gauge length is equal to five times the diameter. If test pieces of rectangular section are used, the gauge length shall be calculated using Formula (2):

$$L_0 = 5,65\sqrt{s_0} \quad (2)$$

NOTE Elongations based on fixed lengths can be converted to proportional elongations using EN ISO 2566-1 or EN ISO 2566-2 as applicable.

5.3 Compatibility of shell materials with substances carried

5.3.1 The manufacturer shall make available a list of the dangerous goods that may be carried without damage to the tank, or as applicable, its lining. The substances or group of substances approved in the certificate shall be compatible with the characteristics of the tank.

NOTE RID/ADR (4.3.4.1.2) states that the listing of approved substances may be replaced by groups of substances according to the tank code taking into account any relevant special provision.

5.3.2 If contact between the substance carried and the material used for the construction of the shell is deemed likely to entail a progressive decrease in the thickness of the shell, this thickness shall be increased at manufacture by an appropriate amount.

NOTE This additional thickness, to allow for corrosion, is not taken into consideration in determining the minimum shell thickness (see 6.9.1).

5.3.3 If the shell is fitted with a non-metallic protective lining, only materials and their means of bonding to the shell that are known to remain leakproof, whatever the deformation liable to occur in normal conditions of carriage, shall be used.

5.3.4 If shells intended for the carriage of liquids having a flash-point of not more than 60 °C are fitted with non-conductive protective linings, precautions shall be taken to prevent the accumulation of electrostatic charges that could present a danger of ignition.

NOTE This requirement is also applicable to UN No. 1361 carbon and UN No. 1361 carbon black, packing group II.

6 Design

6.1 Shell cross section

6.1.1 General

A shell may have a circular, elliptical or other cross section shape (including box-shaped) or combinations thereof, as defined in EN 14564.