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## 1 Scope

This International Standard specifies requirements for two types of thermoplastics hose with textile reinforcement, with design working pressures in the range 6,9 MPa to 34,5 MPa. The hoses are suitable for use with petroleum, water and synthetic-based hydraulic fluids within a temperature range of -40 °C to +100 °C.

The Standard does not include requirements for end fittings. It is limited to the performance of hoses and hose assemblies.

NOTE 1 Operating temperatures in excess of 93 °C may reduce the life of the hose.

ISO 4671:1984, *Rubber and plastics hose and hose assemblies — Methods of measurement of dimensions*.

ISO 4672:1988, *Rubber and plastics hoses — Sub-ambient temperature flexibility tests*.

ISO 6803:1984, *Rubber or plastics hoses and hose assemblies — Hydraulic pressure impulse test without flexing*.

ISO 7326:1991, *Rubber and plastics hoses — Assessment of ozone resistance under static conditions*.

ISO 7751:—<sup>1)</sup>, *Rubber and plastics hoses and hose assemblies — Ratios of proof and burst pressure to design working pressure*.

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## 3 Types

Two types of hose are specified, type 1 and type 2, characterized by the design working pressures given in table 2.

## 4 Materials and construction

**4.1** The hose shall consist of a seamless thermoplastics lining resistant to hydraulic fluids, with a suitable synthetic-fibre reinforcement and a thermoplastics cover resistant to hydraulic fluids and the weather.

**4.2** The hose shall be uniformly constructed so that the measurement, in accordance with ISO 4671, of the wall thickness at different points shall not differ by more than the values given in table 1.

1) To be published. (Revision of ISO 7751:1983)

**Table 1 — Maximum permitted variation in wall thickness**

Values in millimetres

| Nominal bore                        | Difference in thickness |
|-------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Up to and including 6,3             | 0,8                     |
| Over 6,3 and up to and including 19 | 1,0                     |
| Over 19                             | 1,3                     |

## 5 Dimensions

The bore diameter of the hose shall comply with the requirements of table 2, when measured in accordance with ISO 4671.

**Table 2 — Nominal bore, tolerances and maximum outside diameters**

Dimensions in millimetres

| Nominal bore | Diameter range |      |        |      | Maximum outside diameter |        |
|--------------|----------------|------|--------|------|--------------------------|--------|
|              | Type 1         |      | Type 2 |      | Type 1                   | Type 2 |
|              | min.           | max. | min.   | max. |                          |        |
| 5            | 4,6            | 5,4  | 4,6    | 5,4  | 11,4                     | 14,6   |
| 6,3          | 6,2            | 7,0  | 6,2    | 7,0  | 13,7                     | 16,8   |
| 8            | 7,7            | 8,5  | —      | —    | 15,6                     | —      |
| 10           | 9,3            | 10,3 | 9,3    | 10,3 | 18,4                     | 20,3   |
| 12,5         | 12,3           | 13,5 | 12,3   | 13,5 | 22,5                     | 24,6   |
| 16           | 15,5           | 16,7 | 15,5   | 16,7 | 25,8                     | 29,8   |
| 19           | 18,6           | 19,8 | 18,6   | 19,8 | 28,6                     | 33,0   |
| 25           | 25,0           | 26,4 | 25,0   | 26,4 | 36,7                     | 38,6   |

NOTE 2 ISO 1307 has not been followed for nominal bore or permitted range; the dimensions adopted in table 2 are to ensure compatibility with fittings which are in wide use throughout the world.

## 6 Hydrostatic requirements

**6.1** The design working pressure, proof test pressure and minimum burst pressure of the hose shall comply with the requirements of table 3 in accordance with category 3 of ISO 7751, i.e. the proof pressure shall be twice the design working pressure, and the minimum burst pressure four times the design working pressure.

**6.2** The hose shall withstand without damage a proof test pressure as shown in table 3, maintained for a period of 1 min by the method specified in ISO 1402.

**Table 3 — Design working pressure, proof test pressure and minimum burst pressure**

Pressures in megapascals

| Nominal bore<br>mm | Design working pressure |        | Proof test pressure |        | Minimum burst pressure |        |
|--------------------|-------------------------|--------|---------------------|--------|------------------------|--------|
|                    | Type 1                  | Type 2 | Type 1              | Type 2 | Type 1                 | Type 2 |
| 5                  | 20,5                    | 34,5   | 41,0                | 69,0   | 82,0                   | 138,0  |
| 6,3                | 19,0                    | 34,5   | 38,0                | 69,0   | 76,0                   | 138,0  |
| 8                  | 17,0                    | —      | 34,0                | —      | 68,0                   | —      |
| 10                 | 15,5                    | 27,5   | 31,0                | 55,0   | 62,0                   | 110,0  |
| 12,5               | 13,5                    | 24,0   | 27,0                | 48,0   | 54,0                   | 96,0   |
| 16                 | 10,0                    | 19,0   | 20,0                | 38,0   | 40,0                   | 76,0   |
| 19                 | 8,6                     | 15,5   | 17,2                | 31,0   | 34,4                   | 62,0   |
| 25                 | 6,9                     | 13,8   | 13,8                | 27,5   | 27,6                   | 55,0   |

## 7 Minimum bend radius and change in length at design working pressure

**7.1** The hose shall be capable of performing at design working pressure when curved to a radius not less than that in table 4, measured on the inside of the bend. A hose shall not be installed for use at the design working pressure if a smaller bend radius is used than shown in table 4.

NOTE 3 Should any portion of the hose be curved to a radius less than the specified minimum bend radius, the performance capability of the hose will be reduced.

**7.2** The change in length of the hose at the design working pressure shall not be greater than that specified in table 4.

**Table 4 — Minimum bend radius and maximum permitted change in length**

| Nominal bore<br>mm | Minimum bend radius |    | Change in length<br>% |
|--------------------|---------------------|----|-----------------------|
|                    | mm                  | mm |                       |
| 5                  | 90                  | —  | ± 3                   |
| 6,3                | 100                 | —  | ± 3                   |
| 8                  | 115                 | —  | ± 3                   |
| 10                 | 125                 | —  | ± 3                   |
| 12,5               | 180                 | —  | ± 3                   |
| 16                 | 205                 | —  | ± 3                   |
| 19                 | 240                 | —  | ± 3                   |
| 25                 | 300                 | —  | ± 3                   |