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# Ships and marine technology — Standard specification for thermosetting resin fibreglass pipe and fittings to be used for marine applications

## 1 Scope

This International Standard applies to reinforced thermosetting resin pipe systems with nominal diameter (DN) 0 through 1 200 mm and nominal pipe sizes (NPS) 0 through 48, which are to be used in marine piping systems.

Values stated in SI units are to be regarded as the standard. Values given in English units are for information only.

The dimensionless designators DN and NPS have been substituted for traditional terms such as “nominal diameter”, “size”, and “nominal size”.

The following safety hazard caveat pertains to the test methods that are included in this International Standard. This standard does not purport to address all of the safety concerns associated with its use.

**SAFETY PRECAUTIONS** — It is the responsibility of the user of this standard to establish appropriate safety and health practices and determine the applicability of regulatory limitations prior to use.

## 2 Normative references

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application 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.

American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) B16.1:1998, *Cast Iron Pipe Flanges and Flanged Fittings*

American Society of Mechanical Engineers (ASME) B16.5:1996, *Pipe Flanges and Flanged Fittings*

American Society for Testing and Materials (ASTM) D883, *Standard Terminology Relating to Plastics*

ASTM D1598, *Standard Test Method for Time-To-Failure of Plastic Pipe Under Constant Internal Pressure*

ASTM D1599, *Standard Test Method for Resistance to Short-Time Hydraulic Failure Pressure of Plastic Pipe, Tubing, and Fittings*

ASTM D2310, *Standard Classification for Machine-Made Fibreglass (Glass-Fibre-Reinforced Thermosetting-Resin) Pipe*

ASTM D2583, *Standard Test Method for Indentation Hardness of Rigid Plastics by Means of a Barcol Impressor*

ASTM D2584, *Standard Test Method for Ignition Loss of Cured Reinforced Resins*

ASTM D2924, *Standard Test Method for External Pressure Resistance of Fibreglass (Glass-Fibre-Reinforced Thermosetting-Resin) Pipe*

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ASTM D2992: 2001, *Standard Practice for Obtaining Hydrostatic or Pressure Design Basis for Fibreglass (Glass-Fibre-Reinforced Thermosetting-Resin) Pipe and Fittings*

ASTM D3567, *Standard Practice for Determining Dimensions of Fibreglass (Glass-Fibre-Reinforced Thermosetting Resin) Pipe and Fittings*

ASTM E1529: 2000, *Standard Test Methods for Determining Effects of Large Hydrocarbon Pool Fires on Structural Members and Assemblies*

ASTM F412, *Standard Terminology Relating to Plastic Piping Systems*

International Maritime Organisation (IMO), *International Convention for the Safety of Life at Sea (SOLAS)*

International Maritime Organisation (IMO) Resolution A.753 (18), *Guidelines for the Application of Plastic Pipes on Ships*

IMO Resolution MSC.61 (67), *International Code for Application of Fire Test Procedures*

ISO 75-1:—<sup>1)</sup>, *Plastics — Determination of temperature of deflection under load — Part 1: General test method*

ISO 75-2:—<sup>2)</sup>, *Plastics — Determination of temperature of deflection under load — Part 2: Plastics and ebonite*

ISO 4901, *Reinforced plastics based on unsaturated polyester resins — Determination of residual styrene monomer content*

ISO 9001:2000, *Quality management systems — Requirements*

ISO 11357-2 *Plastics — Differential scanning calorimetry (DSC) — Part 2: Determination of glass transition temperature*

National Sanitation Foundation (NSF) International, *Standard 61 Drinking Water System Components — Health Effects*

United Kingdom Health and Safety Executive (HSE) Offshore Technology Report (OTI) 95 634, *Jet-Fire Resistance Test of Passive Fire Protection Materials*

United States Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), Title 21 — Food and Drugs, Sections 175.105, 177.2280, 177.2410 and 177.2420.

United States CFR, Title 46 — Shipping

### 3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in ASTM D383 and ASTM F412 and the following apply.

#### 3.1

##### **continuously conductive**

pipe and fittings made conductive using continuous conductive filaments, liners or layers

1) To be published. Revision of ISO 75-1:1993.

2) To be published. Revision of ISO 75-2:1992.



### 3.2

#### **homogeneously conductive**

pipe and fittings made conductive using a resin additive so that conductivity is maintained between any two points on the pipe or fitting

NOTE For conveying non-conducting fluids (those having conductance less than 1 000 picosiemens per metre), pipe systems which are homogeneously conductive or have conductivity from the inside surface to the outside surface are recommended.

### 3.3

#### **maximum operating pressure**

highest pressure that can exist in a system or subsystem under normal operating conditions

### 3.4

#### **non-conducting fluid**

fluid having conductance less than 1 000 picosiemens per metre

### 3.5

#### **representative piping system**

system composed of a single manufacturer's pipes, fittings, joints and adhesives that would normally be used by a customer or installer

## 4 Classification

### 4.1 General

Pipe and fittings are to be classified using the system described in 4.2 through 4.6, which are similar to the requirements of ASTM D2810 for pipe.

### 4.2 Types

The following are pipe and fitting types:

- a) Type I — Filament wound
- b) Type II — Centrifugally cast
- c) Type III — Moulded (fittings only)

### 4.3 Resin

The following are examples of resin classifications:

- a) Resin 1 — Epoxy resin
- b) Resin 2 — Vinylester resin
- c) Resin 3 — Polyester resin
- d) Resin 4 — Phenolic resin
- e) Resin 5 — Customer-specified resin

### 4.4 Class

The following represent class types:

- a) Class A — No liner
- b) Class B — Reinforced liner
- c) Class C — Non-reinforced liner

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