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Foreword

This document (EN 14427:2014) has been prepared by Technical Committee CEN/TC 286 "Liquefied petroleum gas equipment and accessories", the secretariat of which is held by NSAI.

This European Standard shall be given the status of a national standard, either by publication of an identical text or by endorsement, at the latest by December 2014 and conflicting national standards shall be withdrawn at the latest by December 2014.

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This document supersedes EN 14427:2004.

This document has been prepared under a mandate given to CEN by the European Commission and the European Free Trade Association.

This standard has been submitted for reference into the RID and ADR (see [11] and [12]).

Environmental considerations recorded in Annex C.

The main technical changes to this revision include a full revision of the manufacturing processes in line with advances in manufacturing processes.

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Introduction

This European Standard calls for the use of substances and procedures that can be injurious to health if adequate precautions are not taken. It refers only to technical suitability and does not absolve the user from legal obligations relating to health and safety at any stage.

It has been assumed in the drafting of this European Standard that the execution of its provisions is entrusted to appropriately qualified and experienced people.

It is recommended that manufacturers develop an environmental management policy. For guidance see ISO 14000 series.

All pressures are gauge unless otherwise stated.

NOTE This standard requires measurement of material properties, dimensions and pressures. All such measurements are subject to a degree of uncertainty due to tolerances in measuring equipment, etc. It may be beneficial to refer to the leaflet "Measurement uncertainty leaflet SP INFO 2000 27" [14].

1 Scope

This European Standard

- specifies minimum requirements for materials, design, construction, prototype testing and routine manufacturing inspections of fully wrapped composite cylinders with a water capacity from 0,5 litre up to and including 150 litres for liquefied petroleum gases (LPG) exposed to ambient temperatures, with a test pressure of at least 30 bar;
- is only applicable to cylinders which are fitted with a pressure relief valve (see 4.1.3);
- is applicable to cylinders with a liner of metallic material (welded or seamless) or non-metallic material (or a mixture thereof), reinforced by fibres of glass, carbon or aramid (or a mixture thereof);
- is also applicable to composite cylinders without liners.

Cylinders manufactured to this European Standard are suitable for temperatures down to -40 °C.

This European Standard does not address the design, fitting and performance of removable protective sleeves. Where these are fitted, the choice of material and sleeve performance should be considered separately.

2 Normative references

The following documents, in whole or in part, are normatively referenced in this document and are indispensable for its application. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

EN 1439, LPG equipment and accessories - Procedure for checking LPG cylinders before, during and after filling

EN 1442, LPG equipment and accessories - Transportable refillable welded steel cylinders for LPG - Design and construction

EN 1964-3, Transportable gas cylinders - Specification for the design and construction of refillable transportable seamless steel gas cylinders of water capacities from 0,5 litre up to and including 150 litres - Part 3: Cylinders made of seamless stainless steel with an Rm value of less than 1100 MPa

EN 12807, LPG equipment and accessories - Transportable refillable brazed steel cylinders for liquefied petroleum gas (LPG) - Design and construction

EN 13110, LPG equipment and accessories - Transportable refillable welded aluminium cylinders for liquefied petroleum gas (LPG) - Design and construction

EN 14140, LPG equipment and accessories - Transportable refillable welded steel cylinders for LPG - Alternative design and construction

EN 14717, Welding and allied processes - Environmental check list

EN 14894, LPG equipment and accessories - Cylinder and drum marking

EN ISO 75-1, Plastics - Determination of temperature of deflection under load - Part 1: General test method (ISO 75-1)

EN ISO 75-3, Plastics - Determination of temperature of deflection under load - Part 3: High-strength thermosetting laminates (ISO 75-3)



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