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## Foreword

This European Standard has been prepared by Technical Committee CEN/TC 69 "Industrial valves", the secretariat of which is held by AFNOR.

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## 1 Scope

This European Standard specifies the general performance requirements of isolating valves (gate valves, globe valves, plug and ball valves and butterfly valves) used in the production, storage, transmission (by pipeline, rail, road or sea) of Liquefied Natural Gas (LNG). LNG filling valves for vehicle refuelling systems are excluded from the scope of this standard.

DN range from DN 8 to DN 1000.

PN range from PN 16 to PN 100.

Class range from Class 150 to Class 900.

Temperature range from – 196 °C to + 60 °C.

## 2 Normative references

This European Standard incorporates by dated or undated reference, provisions from other publications. These normative references are cited at the appropriate places in the text and the publications are listed hereafter. For dated references, subsequent amendments to or revisions of any of these publications apply to this European Standard only when incorporated in it by amendment or revision. For undated references the latest edition of the publication referred to applies (including amendments).

EN 19, *Industrial Valves – Marking.*

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EN 736-3, *Valves - Terminology - Part 3 : Definition of terms.*

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