Present	Amendment	Note
Part 7 <rule></rule>	Part 7 <rule></rule>	
CHAPTER 5 SHIPS CARRYING LIQUEFIED GASES IN BULK	CHAPTER 5 SHIPS CARRYING LIQUEFIED GASES IN BULK	
Section 1 \sim Section 3 <omit></omit>	Section 1 \sim Section 3 <same as="" current=""></same>	
Section 4 Cargo Containment	Section 4 Cargo Containment	
403. ~ 405. <omit> 406. Design of secondary barriers [See Rules] 1. Standards of secondary barrier <omit></omit></omit>	 403. ~ 405. <same as="" current=""></same> 406. Design of secondary barriers [See Rules] 1. Standards of secondary barrier <same as="" current=""></same> 	
2. Periodical Inspection of Secondary Barrier	2. Periodical Inspection of Secondary Barrier	
 (1) With respect to the requirement of 406. 2 (4), it is to be verified that secondary barriers keep a specific level of tightness required in the system design in accordance with an appropriated procedures. (2) For cargo containment system with glued secondary barriers, at the time of construction, tightness test are to be carried out in accordance with approved system designers' procedure and acceptance criteria before and after initial cool down <u>and related values obtained in the test are to be recorded for the use as reference for periodical surveys.</u> (A) Low differential pressures tests are not considered an acceptable test. (B) If the designer's threshold values are exceeded, an investigation is to be carried out and additional testing such as differential pressure, thermographic or acoustic emissions testing is to be carried out as necessary. (3), (4) <omit></omit> 3. Thermal stress analysis for hull structure <omit></omit> 407. ~ 428. <omit></omit> Section 5 ~ Section 19 <omit></omit> 	 With respect to the requirement of 406. 2 (4), it is to be verified that secondary barriers keep a specific level of tightness required in the system design in accordance with an appropriated procedures. For cargo containment system with glued secondary barriers, at the time of construction, tightness test are to be carried out in accordance with approved system designers' procedure and acceptance criteria before and after initial cool down. The values recorded are to be used as reference for future assessment of secondary barrier tightness. (A) Low differential pressures tests are not considered an acceptable test. (B) If the designer's threshold values are exceeded, an investigation is to be carried out and additional testing such as differential pressure, thermographic or acoustic emissions testing is to be carried out as necessary. (3), (4) <same as="" current=""></same> 3. Thermal stress analysis for hull structure <same as="" current=""></same> 407. ~ 428. <same as="" current=""></same> 	- UI GC 12 Interpreta tion
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Amendments of the Rule Guidance

(Internal review)

Pt. 7 Ships for Special Service

Ch. 6 Ships Carrying Dangerous Chemicals in Bulk



2020. 02. Hull Rule Development Team

Present	Amendment	Note
Pt. 7 Ships of Special Service <guidance> Ch. 6 SHIPS CARBYING DANGEBOUS</guidance>	Pt. 7 Ships of Special Service <guidance> Ch. 6. SHIPS CARBYING DANGEBOUS</guidance>	
CHEMICALS IN BULK	CHEMICALS IN BULK	
Section 1, Section 2 <omit></omit>	Section 1, Section 2 <same as="" current=""></same>	
Section 3 Ship Arrangements	Section 3 Ship Arrangements	
301. Cargo segregation <omit></omit>	301. Cargo segregation <same as="" current=""></same>	
302. Accommodation, service and machinery spaces and con- trol stations [See Rule]	302. Accommodation, service and machinery spaces and con- trol stations [See Rule]	
1.,2 <omit></omit>	1.,2 <same as="" current=""></same>	
 3. Entrances, air inlets and openings to accommodation, service and machinery spaces and control stations (1) <omit></omit> (2) Spaces where doors can be provided are to be restricted to lockers containing cargo gears and safety equipment, cargo control room and decontamination shower room. As given in Fig 7.6.15 of the Guidance, these spaces are not provided with passageways led to accommodation spaces and service spaces and control station, and the casings, floors and ceilings adjacent to the accommodation spaces are to be insulated to "A-60" standard. 	 3. Entrances, air inlets and openings to accommodation, service and machinery spaces and control stations (1) <same as="" current=""></same> (2) Spaces where doors can be provided are to be restricted to lockers containing cargo gears and safety equipment, cargo control room and decontamination shower room. As given in Fig 7.6.15 of the Guidance, these spaces are not provided with passageways led to accommodation spaces and service spaces and control station, and the casings, floors and ceilings adjacent to the accommodation spaces are to be insulated to "A-60" standard. However for ships carrying cargoes having a flash point above 60°C, the requirements for boundaries with cargo areas may apply to the provisions of Ch.11 1101. 3 (or Pt.8 Ch. 7 103.) of the Rule. 	

Present	Amendment	Note
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	Insulation for ships carrying cargoes having a flash point above 60° C	
(3), (4) <omit></omit>		
303. ~ 307. <omit></omit>	(3), (4) <same as="" current=""></same>	
	303. ~ 307. <same as="" current=""></same>	
Section 5 [~] Section 21 <omit></omit>		
Ψ	Section 5 \sim Section 21 <same as="" current=""></same>	
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GUIDANCE RELATING TO THE RULES FOR THE CLASSIFICATION OF STEEL SHIPS

(Guidance Part 7 Ships of Special Service[Ch 5,6])

- External Inquiry -

2019.12.



Hull Rule Development Team

• To reflect Request for Establishment/Revision of Classification Technical Rules

- Reflection of GC20(Tee welds in type A or type B independent tanks) and GC21(Welds of type C independent bi-lobe tank with centreline bulkhead)

Present	Amendment	reason
CHAPTER 5 SHIPS CARRYING LIQUEFIED GASES IN BULK	CHAPTER 5 SHIPS CARRYING LIQUEFIED GASES IN BULK	
Section 1 \sim Section 3 <omitted></omitted>	Section 1 \sim Section 3 <same as="" guidances="" present="" the=""></same>	
Section 4 Cargo Containment	Section 4 Cargo Containment	
401. ~ 419. <omitted></omitted>	401. \sim 419. <same as="" guidances="" present="" the=""></same>	
420. Construction processes [See Rule]		
1. Independent tanks	420. Construction processes [See Rule]	
(1) \sim (2) <omitted></omitted>	1. Independent tanks	
(3) <new></new>	(1) \sim (2) <same as="" guidances="" present="" the=""></same>	
(3) In welding of the penetrations referred to in the proceeding (2) full penetration type welding may not be required, but are to have proper grooves. <omitted></omitted>	(3) The requirements in 420. 1 (1) of the Rules is applicable to in- dependent tanks of type A or type B, primarily constructed of plane surfaces. This includes the tank corners which are con- structed using bent plating which is aligned with the tank surfa- ces and connected with in-plane welding.	Reflection of GC20(Tee welds in type A or type B independent tanks)
	(A) The applicability of the expression "For dome-to-shell con- nections only" is clarified as follows:	
	(a) Welded corners(i.e. corners made of weld metal) shall not be used in the main tank shell construction, I.e. corners between shell side(sloped plane surfaces parallel to hopper or top side in- clusive if any) and bottom or top of the tank, and between tank end transverse bulkheads and bottom, top or shell sides(sloped plane surfaces inclusive if any) of the tank. Instead, tank corners which are constructed using bent plating aligned with the tank surfaces and connected with in-plane welds are to be used.	
	(b) Tee welds can be accepted for other localised constructions of the shell such as suction well, sump, dome, etc. where tee welds of full penetration type shall also be used.	
	(4) In welding of the penetrations referred to in the proceeding (2) full penetration type welding may not be required, but are to have proper grooves. <same as="" guidances="" present="" the=""></same>	

Present	Amendment	reason
CHAPTER 5 SHIPS CARRYING LIQUEFIED GASES IN BULK	CHAPTER 5 SHIPS CARRYING LIQUEFIED GASES IN BULK	
Section 6 Materials of Construction and Quality Control	Section 6 Materials of Construction and Quality Control	
603. ~ 604. <omitted></omitted>	603. \sim 604. <same as="" guidances="" present="" the=""></same>	
605. Welding of metallic materials and non-destructive testing	605. Welding of metallic materials and non-destructive testing	
1. <omitted></omitted>	1. <same as="" guidances="" present="" the=""></same>	
2. Welding procedure qualification tests of cargo tanks and process pressure vessels [See Rule]	2. Welding procedure qualification tests of cargo tanks and process pressure vessels [See Rule]	
(1) \sim (3) <omitted></omitted>	(1) ~ (3) <same as="" guidance="" present="" the=""></same>	
(4) For the purpose of the requirements in 605. 3 (5) (A) of the Rules, the transverse tensile strength of weld metal which has lower tensile strength than that of the parent metal, e.g. in the case of 9% nickel stee, is to comply with the requirements in Pt 2, Ch 2, 404. 5 of the Rules.	 (4) For the purpose of the requirements in 605. 3 (5) (B) of the Rules, bend tests are also to comply with the requirements in Pt 2, Ch 2, 404. 5 of the Rules. In case where the base metal is of RLP9 specified in Pt 2, Ch 1 of the Rules, bend tests may be omitted. 	Reflection of request for establishment/revision
 (5) For the purpose of the requirements in 605. 3 (5) (B) of the Rules, bend tests are also to comply with the requirements in Pt 2, Ch 2, 404. 6 of the Rules. In case where the base metal is of RLP9 specified in Pt 2, Ch 1 of the Rules, bend tests may be omitted. (6) For the purpose of the requirements in 605. 3 (5) of the Rules, the test temperature of impact tests may be determined in accordance with the requirements in 603. 2 of the Guidance. 	 (5) For the purpose of the requirements in 605. 3 (5) of the Rules, the test temperature of impact tests may be determined in accordance with the requirements in 603. 2 of the Guidance. (6) In application to 605. 3 (3) of the Rules, radiographic or ultrasonic testing may be performed at the option of the Society. (2017) (7) In application to 605. 3 (5) of the Rules, besides aluminium allow it may also be accorded subject to accomment with the 	of classification technical rules
 (7) In application to 605. 3 (3) of the Rules, radiographic or ultrasonic testing may be performed at the option of the Society. (2017) (8) In application to 605. 3 (5) of the Rules, besides aluminium alloys, it may also be accepted subject to agreement with the Society that the transverse weld tensile strength is not to be less than the specified minimum tensile strength for the deposited metal, where the weld metal has lower tensile strength than that of the parent metal. (2017) 	loys, it may also be accepted subject to agreement with the Society that the transverse weld tensile strength is not to be less than the specified minimum tensile strength for the deposited metal, where the weld metal has lower tensile strength than that of the parent metal. (2017)	
606. <omitted></omitted>	606. <same_as guidances="" present="" the=""></same_as>	
Section / ~ Section 19 < Omitted>	Section 7 \sim Section 19 < Same as the present Guidances>	

GUIDANCE RELATING TO THE RULES FOR THE CLASSIFICATION OF STEEL SHIPS

(Guidance Part 7 Ships of Special Service[Ch 5,6])



Hull Rule Development Team

(1) Enter into force on 1 January 2020 (the contract date for ship construction)

• To reflect Request for Establishment/Revision of Classification Technical Rules

Present	Amendment
CHAPTER 1 SHIPS CARRYING LIQUEFIED GASES IN BULK	CHAPTER 1 SHIPS CARRYING LIQUEFIED GASES IN BULK
Section 1 \sim Section 3 <omitted></omitted>	Section 1 \sim Section 3 <sames as="" guidance="" present="" the=""></sames>
Section 4 Cargo Containment	Section 4 Cargo Containment
401. ~ 418. <omitted></omitted>	401. \sim 418. <sames as="" guidance="" present="" the=""></sames>
419. Materials [See Rule] 1. ~ 8. <omitted> <u>9. <new></new></u></omitted>	 419. Materials [See Rule] 1. ~ 8. <sames as="" guidance="" present="" the=""></sames> 9. Materials of primary and secondary barriers (1) The high manganese austenitic steel for cargo tank for the carriage of liquefied natural gases is to comply with Annex 7A-4. (2020)
Section 5 ~ Section 19 <omitted></omitted>	Section 5 ~ Section 19 <sames as="" guidance="" present="" the=""></sames>

Present	Amendment	
Annex 7A-1 ~ Annex 7A-3 <omitted></omitted>	Annex 7A-1 ~ Annex 7A-3 <omitted></omitted>	
Annex 7A-4 High manganese	Annex 7A-4 High manganese austenitic steel for Cryogenic Service	
austenitic steel for Cryogenic		
	Section 1 General	
	101. Scope	
	 This Annex provides the designer and manufacturer with practical information on the design and construction of cargo tanks using high manganese austenitic steel for cryogenic service to comply with the Design Conditions defined in Pt7, Chapter 5, 418. 	
	102. Application	
	1. This Annex are not intended to replace any requirements of Pt7, Chapter They are intended as complementary guidelines on how to utilize high ma ganese austenitic steel in the design and fabrication of cargo tanks complyin with the Pt7, Chapter 5.	
	103. Definitions	
	1. Under-matched welds means for welded connections where the weld meta has lower yield- or tensile-strength than the parent metal.	
	Section 2 Application	
	201. Design application	
	1. The relevant load conditions and design conditions should be established in ac- cordance with Pt7, Chapter 5, 418. A guidance on special considerations to the high manganese austenitic steel is described beolw.	
	2. For the selection of relevant safety factors for high manganese austenitic steels(see Pt7, Chapter 5, 421 to 423), the safety factors specified for "Austenitic Steels" should be applied both for base material and for as welded condition	

Present	Amendment		
	 202. Ultimate design condition 1. It should be noted that high manganese austenitic steels normally have under-matched welds and, therefore, it is of great importance that the design values of the yield strength and tensile strength are based on the "minimum mechanical properties" for the base material and as welded condition(see 6 Mechanical Properties). Note the limitation to under-matched welds defined in Pt7, Chapter 5, 418.1.(3).(B). 		
	 203. Buckling strength 1. Buckling strength analysis should be carried out based on recognized standards. Functional loads as defined in Pt7, Chapter 5, 403.4 should be considered. Note that design tolerances should be considered where relevant and be in- cluded in the strength assessment as required in Pt7, Chapter 5, 606.2.(1). 204. Fatigue design condition The fatigue design curves for base material and for butt weld joint should use S-N curve of D grade in IIW. The fatigue design curves for other weld joints except butt weld joint should be agreed with the Society. Design S-N curve given in Table 1 correspond to a probability of survival of 07.6% 		
	Table 1 S-N curves in airS-N $N \le 10^7$ cycles $N > 10^7$ cyclesFatigue limit atThicknesscurve $\underline{m_1}$ $\underline{\log a_1}$ $\underline{m_2 = 5.0}$ $\underline{10^7}$ cycle(MPa)exponent kD $\underline{3.0}$ $\underline{12.164}$ $\underline{15.606}$ $\underline{52.63}$ $\underline{0.20}$		

Present	Amendment	
	205. Fracture mechanics analyses	
	1. For a cargo tank where a reduced secondary barrier is applied, fracture me- chanics analysis should be carried out in accordance with Pt7 , Chapter 5 .	
	 Fracture toughness properties should be expressed using recognized standards. Depending on the material, fracture toughness properties determined for loading rates similar to those expected in the tank system should be required. The fatigue crack propagation rate properties should be documented for the tank material and its welded joints for the relevant service conditions. These properties should be expressed using a recognized fracture mechanics practice relating the fatigue crack propagation rate to the variation in stress intensity, \$\Delta K\$, at the crack tip. The effect of stresses produced by static loads should be taken into account when establishing the choice of fatigue crack propagation rate parameters. Note that for the application where very high static load utilization is relevant, alternative methods such as ductile fracture mechanics analysis should be considered. A fracture mechanics analysis is required for type B tank(Pt7, Chapter 5, 422.4) where a reduced secondary barrier is applied. Fracture mechanics analysis used in fracture mechanics analysis may in any case be an important property to analyze to ensure that materials are considered suitable for the application. 	

Present	Amendment	
	 206. Welding 1. Welding should be carried out in accordance with Pt7, Chapter 5, 605. 2. For welding the following points can be considered: (1) For reducing the heat input during production: (A) special attention should be given to the first root pass when applying flux-cored arc welding(FCAW); reduced amperage should be considered; (B) welding heat input is to be equal to 30 kJ/cm or below; (2) Distance between the weld and nozzle should be kept to a minimum to reduce the oxygen content at the vicinity of the weld pool; (3) Weld gas composition of FCAW should normally be an 80/20 mix of argon and carbon dioxide; and (4) Appropriate ventilation should be provided to reduce exposure to hazardous 	
	 welding fumes. 207. Non-destructive testing(NDT) 1. The scope of non-destructive testing(NDT) should be as required by Pt7, Chapter 5, 605.6. NDT procedures should be in accordance with recognized standards to the satisfaction of the Society. For high manganese austenitic steel suitable NDT procedure normally applicable for austenitic steels should be used. 208. Corrosion resistance 	
	1. High manganese austenitic steel is not considered a very strong corrosion resistant material in line with several similar materials such as 304 stainless steel Particularly for LNG cargo tanks that may not be in operation, appropriate environment should be maintained to prevent corrosion.	

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(Development Review : External Opinion Inquiry)

Part 7 Chapter 5 Ships Carrying Liquefied Gases in Bulk

2019. 11.



(1) Reflecting IACS Res. <2020.01.01.>

- IACS UI GC 25 (Rev.1, April 2019)
 - exception of Cargo piping insulation to protect personnel
- IACS UI GC 28 (New, Dec. 2018)
 - Guidance for sizing pressure relief systems for interbarrier spaces

Present	Amendment	Reason
Section 5 Process Pressure Vessels and liquid, Vapour and Pressure Piping Systems	Section 5 Process Pressure Vessels and liquid, Vapour and Pressure Piping Systems	
501. to 511. <omitted></omitted>	501. to 511. <same as="" present="" rules="" the=""></same>	
512. Materials [See Rule]	512. Materials [See Rule]	
 to 3. <omitted></omitted> With reference to 3. (1) of the Rules, the phrase 'a ther- 	 to 3. <same as="" present="" rules="" the=""></same> With reference to 3. (1) of the Rules, the phrase 'a ther- 	<iacs gc25="" rev.1="" ui=""></iacs>
 mal insulation system as required to minimize heat leak into the cargo during transfer operations' means that the properties of the thermal insulation for cargo piping systems are to take into consideration the overall heat calculation undertaken for the tank containment system and the capacity of the proposed pressure/temperature control system (e.g. refrigeration plants) adopted on each ship in accordance with the requirements of Ch.7 of the Rule. The phrase 'cargo piping systems are to be provided with a thermal insulation system as required to protect personnel from direct contact with cold surfaces' means that surfaces of cargo piping systems with which personnel is likely to contact under normal conditions are to be protected by a thermal insulation. with the exception for the following ones; (1) surfaces of cargo piping systems which are protected by physical screening measures to prevent such direct contact; (2) surfaces of cargo piping systems whose design temperature, (3) surfaces of cargo piping systems whose design temperature (to be determined from inner fluid temperature) is above minus 10 °C. 	 mal insulation system as required to minimize heat leak into the cargo during transfer operations' means that properties of the piping insulation are to be taken into consideration when calculating the heat balance of the containment system and capacity of the pressure/temperature control system. The phrase 'cargo piping systems shall be provided with a thermal insulation system as required to protect personnel from direct contact with cold surfaces' means that surfaces of cargo piping systems with which personnel is likely to contact under normal conditions shall be protected by a thermal insulation, with the exception for the below examples: (1) surfaces of cargo piping systems which are protected by physical screening measures to prevent such direct contact; (2) surfaces of cargo piping systems whose design temperature (to be determined from inner fluid temperature) is above minus 10 °C. 	

Present	Amendment	Reason
Section 8 Vent System for Cargo Containment 801. General [See Rule] For the purpose of the requirements in 801. of the Rules, the pressure relief system of hold spaces is to be in ac- cordance with the following requirements : (1) to (3) <omitted></omitted>	 Section 8 Vent System for Cargo Containment 801. General [See Rule] 1. For the purpose of the requirements in 801. of the Rules, the pressure relief system of hold spaces is to be in accordance with the following requirements : (1) to (3) <same as="" present="" rules="" the=""></same> 2. For the purpose of the requirements in 801. of the Rules, the pressure relief system of interbarrier spaces is to be in accordance with 802. 1. 	<iacs gc28="" new="" ui=""></iacs>
 802. Pressure relief systems 1. Pressure relief system for interbarrier spaces (1) to (3) <omitted></omitted> (4) The relieving capacity of pressure relief devices for interbarrier spaces is to be determined as followings : (A) to (D) <omitted></omitted> (E) Interbarrier space pressure relief devices in the scope of this paragraph are emergency devices for protecting the hull structure from being unduly overstressed in case of a pressure rise in the interbarrier space due to primary barrier failure. Therefore, such devices need not comply with the requirements in 802. 10 and 802. 11 of the Rules. 	 802. Pressure relief systems 1. Pressure relief system for interbarrier spaces (1) to (3) <same as="" present="" rules="" the=""></same> (4) The relieving capacity of pressure relief devices for interbarrier spaces is to be determined as followings : (A) to (D) <omitted></omitted> (E) Interbarrier space pressure relief devices in the scope of this paragraph are emergency devices for protecting the hull structure from being unduly overstressed in case of a pressure rise in the interbarrier space due to primary barrier failure. Therefore, such devices need not comply with the requirements in 802. 10 and 802. 11 of the Rules: 	<result 6th="" ccc="" meeting="" of=""></result>

GUIDANCE RELATING TO RULES FOR CLASSIFICATION OF STEEL SHIPS

(Development Review : External Opinion Inquiry)

Part 7 Chapter 5 Ships Carrying Liquefied Gases in Bulk

2020. 01.



- (1) Requirements for inert gas system <2020.07.01.>
 - revised to be applicable to inert gas system for liquefied gas carrier
- (2) Reflected MSC Circ.1617 <2020.07.01.>
 - revised to be applicable to inert gas system for liquefied gas carrier

	Present		Amendment	Reason
Ş	Section 9 Cargo Containment System Atmosphere Control		Section 9 Cargo Containment System Atmosphere Control	
901. to	o 903. <omitted></omitted>	901	. to 903. <same as="" present="" the=""></same>	
904. In	nerting [See Rule]	904	. Inerting [See Rule]	
1. to	2. <omitted></omitted>	1.	. to 2. <same as="" present="" the=""></same>	
3. Pr	revention of the back flow of cargo vapour	3.	. Prevention of the back flow of cargo vapour	
Fo Ru va co of	for the purpose of the requirements in <u>904. 3</u> of the ules, the arrangement to prevent the back flow of cargo apour from entering the inert gas system is to be in acordance with <u>301. 4 (1)</u> of the Guidance. (See Fig 7.5.36 f the Guidance)		For the purpose of the requirements in <u>904. 4</u> of the Rules, the arrangement to prevent the back flow of cargo vapour from entering the inert gas system is to be in accordance with <u>502. 1 (1)</u> of the Guidance. (See Fig 7.5.36 of the Guidance)	- correction of errors
4. <c< td=""><td>omitted></td><td>4.</td><td>. <same as="" present="" the=""></same></td><td></td></c<>	omitted>	4.	. <same as="" present="" the=""></same>	
905. In	nert gas production on board	905	. Inert gas production on board	
1. In (1) (2)	<pre>pert gas production equipment [See Rule]) For the purpose of the requirements in 905. 1 of the Rules, the combustion type inerting systems are to be in accordance with the relevant requirements of Pt 8, <u>Annex 8-5, 5</u> of the Guidance and the following re- quirements (A) to (C). (A) to (C) <omitted>)) to (3) <omitted> </omitted></omitted></pre>	1.	 Inert gas production equipment [See Rule] (1) For the purpose of the requirements in 905. 1 of the Rules, the combustion type inerting systems are to be in accordance with the relevant requirements of Pt 8, Annex 8-5, 5 (1) to (5) of the Guidance and the following requirements (A) to (C). (A) to (C) <same as="" present="" the=""></same> (2) to (3) <same as="" present="" the=""></same> 	- reflected UR F20 20.4

Present	Amendment	Reason
Section 11 Fire Protection and Fire Extinction	Section 11 Fire Protection and Fire Extinction	
	FIGT. to FIG2. <same as="" present="" the=""></same>	
1103. Water spray system	1103. Water spray system	
1. to 5. <omitted></omitted>	1. to 5. <same as="" present="" the=""></same>	
<newly added=""></newly>	6. Extension of cargo area	
	Where "F.O. tanks" are installed at the after end of the af- termost hold space or at the forward end of the forward- most hold space instead of cofferdams as allowed for in paragraphs 301. 2 and 2 of the Rules, the weather deck area above these tanks is to be regarded as a "cargo area" for the purpose of applying 1103. 6 of the Rules.	- reflected MSC Circ.1617
1104. Dry chemical powder fire-extinguishing systems [See Rule]	1104. Dry chemical powder fire-extinguishing systems [See Rule]	
1. to 3. <omitted></omitted>	1. to 3. <same as="" present="" the=""></same>	
<newly added=""></newly>	4. Testing of systems	
	For the purpose of the requirements in 1104 . 8 of the Rules, testing arrangements are to involve the discharge using dry chemical powder from all monitors and hand hose lines on board but it is not required that there is a full discharge of the installed quantity of dry powder. This testing can also be used to satisfy the requirement that the piping is free of obstructions, in lieu of blowing through with dry air all the distribution piping. However, after the completion of this testing, the system, including all monitors and hand hose lines, is to be blown through with dry air but only for the purpose of the system subsequently being clear from any residues of dry chemical powder.	- reflected MSC Circ.1617

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(Development Review : External Opinion Inquiry)

Part 1 Classification and Survey

2020. 01.



- (1) Additional Installations Notations "IGS" <2020.07.01.>
 - Relevant Requirements of Additional Installations Notations "IGS" of liquefied gas carrier has been revised.

Present			Amendment				Reason		
Annex 1-1	Character of Classification		Annex 1	-1	Character of Classification				
1. Class Notation		1. (Class Notatio	on					
1.1 Ship Type and S	pecial Feature Notations	1.1	Ship Type	and S	pecial Feature Notations				
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1.2 Additional Install	ations Notations	1.2	Additional I	nstall	ations Notations				
The following Add pended to ships con	itional Installations Notations may be ap- uplying with the relevant requirements.] F	The following pended to ship	Addi os con	tional Installations Notations may be ap- uplying with the relevant requirements.				
Additional Installations Notations	Relevant Requirements		Additiona Installation Notation	ıl ns s	Relevant Requirements				
Machinery Items IGS <hereafter, omitted=""></hereafter,>	to ships where the Inert Gas Systems specified in Pt 8, Ch 2, 405. of the Rules are provided onboard.		Machinery Items	IGS	to ships where the Inert Gas Systems specified in Pt 8 , Ch 2 , 405 . of the Rules are provided onboard, other than ships car- rying liquefied gases in bulk. to ships carrying liquefied gases in bulk where the Inert Gas Systems specified in Pt 7 , Ch 5 , 905 . 1 of the Rules are pro- vided onboard.	- related amendment Ch 5 905. Guidance	with the of Pt 7 1 (1) of		
		 <he< td=""><td>reafter, same</td><td>as the</td><td>present></td><td></td><td></td></he<>	reafter, same	as the	present>				

Revised Guidance Relating to the Rules for the Classification of Steel Ships

(Development Review : For external opinion inquiry)

Part 7 Ships of Special Service Chapter 5 Ships Carrying Liquefied Gases in Bulk 2020. 1.



Effective Date : 1 July 2020

(The contract date for construction)

Present	Amendment	Remark
CHAPTER 5 SHIPS CARRYING LIQUEFIED GASES IN BULK	CHAPTER 5 SHIPS CARRYING LIQUEFIED GASES IN BULK	
Section 1 - 9 <same as="" present="" rules="" the=""></same>	Section 1 - 9 <same as="" present="" rules="" the=""></same>	
Section 10 Electrical Installations	Section 10 Electrical Installations	
1002. General [See Rule]	1002. General [See Rule]	
1. Certified safe type equipment	1. Certified safe type equipment	
 (1) Excertain equipment instanted in instanted in instanted in instanted in instanted in instanted by Pt 6, Ch 1, Sec 9 of the Rules and having the performance classified by Gases and Vapours Group and Temperature Class according to Table 7.5.9 of the Guidance by the type of vapour or equivalent. (2) - (3) <same as="" present="" rules="" the=""></same> Table 7.5.9 Gases and Vapours Groups and Temperature Class 	 (1) Interfect equipment instance in instances is to be at explosion protected electrical equipment required by Pt 6, Ch 1, Sec 9 of the Rules and having the performance classified by Gases and Vapours Group and Temperature Class according to Table 7.5.9 of the Guidance by the type of vapour or equivalent. (2) - (3) <same as="" present="" rules="" the=""></same> Table 7.5.9 Gases and Vapours Groups and Temperature Class (2020) 	
Product name UN Gases and vapours number groups Temperature class	Product nameUN numberGases and vapours groupsTemperature class	(Amondod)
Acetic aldehyde ~ Nitrogen <same as="" present="" rules="" the=""></same>	Acetic aldehyde ~ Nitrogen <same as="" present="" rules="" the=""></same>	- The temperature class
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Propylene ~ Vinylidene chloride <same as="" present="" rules="" the=""></same>	Propylene ~ Vinylidene chloride <same as="" present="" rules="" the=""></same>	amended from T1 to
Notes: 1 2. <same as="" present="" rules="" the=""></same>	Notes: 1 2. <same as="" present="" rules="" the=""></same>	T2 according to IEC 60079-10-1.
Section 11 - 19 <same as="" present="" rules="" the=""></same>	Section 11 - 19 <same as="" present="" rules="" the=""></same>	

Revised Guidance Relating to the Rules for the Classification of Steel Ships

(Final)

Part 7 Ships of Special Service Chapter 5 Ships Carrying Liquefied Gases in Bulk 2020. 1.



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(The keels of which are laid or which are at a similar stage of construction)

• reflected IACS UI GC27(New Dec 2018)

- The requirement for maintenance for installing only one level gauge have been newly added.

Present	Amendment	Remark
CHAPTER 5 SHIPS CARRYING LIQUEFIED GASES IN BULK	CHAPTER 5 SHIPS CARRYING LIQUEFIED GASES IN BULK	
Section 1 - 12 <same as="" present="" rules="" the=""></same>	Section 1 - 12 <same as="" present="" rules="" the=""></same>	
Section 13 Instrumentation and Automation Systems	Section 13 Instrumentation and Automation Systems	
1301. <same as="" present="" rules="" the=""></same>	1301. <same as="" present="" rules="" the=""></same>	
1302. Level indicators for cargo tanks [See Rule]	1302. Level indicators for cargo tanks [See Rule]	
1. <same as="" present="" rules="" the=""></same>	1. <same as="" present="" rules="" the=""></same>	(Newly added)
<newly added=""> <u>2.</u> <same as="" present="" rules="" the=""></same></newly>	 2. For the purpose of the requirements in 1302. 2 of the Rules, in order to assess whether or not only one level gauge is acceptable in relation to the aforesaid sentence, the expression 'can be maintained' means that any part of the level gauge other than passive parts can be overhauled while the cargo tank is in service. However, passive parts are those parts assumed not subject to failures under normal service conditions. (2020) 2. <u>3.</u> <same as="" present="" rules="" the=""></same> 	- Reflecting the IACS UI GC27(New Dec 2018), the requirement for maintenance for installing only one level gauge have been newly added.
1303 1307. <same as="" present="" rules="" the=""></same>	1303. – 1307. <same as="" present="" rules="" the=""></same>	

Effective Date : 1 July 2020

(The contract date for construction)

- reflected IACS UI GC29(New May 2019)

Present	Amendment	Remark
CHAPTER 5 SHIPS CARRYING LIQUEFIED GASES IN BULK	CHAPTER 5 SHIPS CARRYING LIQUEFIED GASES IN BULK	
Section 1 - 12 <same as="" present="" rules="" the=""></same>	Section 1 - 12 <same as="" present="" rules="" the=""></same>	
Section 13 Instrumentation and Automation Systems	Section 13 Instrumentation and Automation Systems	
1301 1307. <same as="" present="" rules="" the=""></same>	1301 1307. <same as="" present="" rules="" the=""></same>	
<newly added=""></newly>	 1309. System integration (2020) [See Rule] 1. For the purpose of the requirements in 1309. 3 of the Rules, the expression "integrated system" means a combination of computer-based systems which are used for the control, monitoring/alarm and safety functions required for the carriage, handling and conditioning of cargo liquid and vapours and are interconnected in order to allow communication between computer-based systems and to allow centralized access to monitoring/alarm and safety information and/or command/control. 	(Newly added) Reflecting the IACS UI GC29(New May 2019), the definition and function of the integrated system have been newly added.

GUIDANCE RELATING TO THE RULES FOR CLASSIFICATION OF STEEL SHIPS

(Development Review : For external opinion inquiry)

Part 7 Ships of Special Service

2019. 11.



(1) Effective date : 1 July. 2020 (Date of which the contract for construction is signed)

• Test requirements for piping have been amended.

CHAPTER 6 SHIPS CARRYING DANGEROUS CHEMICALS IN BULK

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			S	hop tests for pipe fabr	rication	Shop	
	Materials of pipe	Materials of valves, cocks and pipe fittings	Welding procedure qualification tests	Non-destructive tests	Hydraulic tests	tests for valves and pipe fittings	Shipboard tests for piping
55	Materials complying, as a rule, with the re- quirements in Pt 2, Ch 1 of the Rules.	Materials complying, as a rule, with the requirements in Pt 2, Ch 1 of the Rules. However, materials complying with the requirements of KS or equivalent may be accepted at the discretion of the Society.	To be carried out on piping of Class I or Class II where the following ① to ③ are relevant : ① Joinings between pipes, pipes and valves, and pipes and valves, and pipes and fittings are made welding for the first time. ② When new welding method is employed. ③ When base material, type of welding	 ①Radiographic testing for the entire length of butt-welded joints of pipes with nominal diameter exceeding 65A. ②Radiographic testing for the sampled buttwelded joints of pipes with nominal diameter not more than 65A. ③In place of radiographic testings, suitable other non-destructive testing may be accepted. ④ Magneticparticle testing or suitable other for fillet weld of pipes. 	 All pipes of Class I, Class II and Class III, steam pipes, feed pipes, compressed air pipes, fuel oil pipes of which design pressure exceeds 0.35 MPa are to be subjected to hydraulic tests with fittings attached after fabrication at a test pressure 1.5 times the design pressure. The test pressure for hydraulic test for pipes with design temperature exceeding 300°C is to be specified senarately 	Valves and fittings of piping of Class I or Class II are subject to hydraulic test at a pressure of 1.5 times the design pressure.	 All pipes are subject to leak test in their service condition. All pipes are to be subjected to preliminary test together with the equipment they serve. Fuel oil pipes and tank heating pipes are to be subjected to leak test at a pressure of 1.5 times the design pressure. However, the test pressure is to be at least 0.4MPa or more. The piping of the refrigerating instal lation is to be sub- jected to the requirements specified in Pt 5, Ch 6 1205 (4) of
555			materials or type of joints is changed.	testing or suitable other testing for buttwelded pipes with nominal diameter exceeding 80A. (2)Magnetic particle testing or suitable other testing for fillet weld of pipes.	3 The hydraulic test for welded joints between pipes or pipes and valves of piping arranged onboard the ship is to be specified separately.		the Rules. (5) All cargo pipes are to be subjected to the hydraulic test at a pressure of 1.5 times the design pressure.
iss I	Materials complying with the requirements of KS or equivalent	Materials complying with the requirements of KS or equivalent		- 3 -			

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CHAPTER 6 SHIPS CARRYING DANGEROUS CHEMICALS IN BULK	(amendmen t)
Section 5 Cargo Transfer	- Piping
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Table 7.6.4. Test Requirements for Piping

			S	hop tests for pipe fab	rication	Shop		+)
	Materials of pipe	Materials of valves, cocks and pipe fittings	Welding procedure qualification tests	Non-destructive tests	Hydraulic tests	tests for valves and pipe fittings	Shipboard tests for piping	- P not lated g trar
Class I	Materials complying, as a rule, with the re- quirements in Pt 2, Ch 1 of the Rules.	Materials complying, as a rule, with the requirements in Pt 2, Ch 1 of the Rules. However, materials complying with the requirements of KS or equivalent may be accepted at the discretion of the Society.	To be carried out on piping of Class I or Class II where the following ① to ③ are relevant : ①Joinings between pipes, pipes and valves, and pipes and fittings are made welding for the first time. ② When new welding method is employed. ③ When base material, type of welding materials or type of joints is changed.	 ①Radiographic testing for the entire length of butt-welded joints between pipes, pipes and valves, and pipes and fittings with nominal diameter exceeding 65A. ②Radiographic testing for the sampled butt-welded joints between pipes, pipes and valves, and pipes and fittings with nominal diameter not more than 65A. ③In place of radiographic testings, suitable other non-destructive testing may be accepted. ④ Magneticparticle testing or suitable other for fillet weld between pipes, pipes and valves, and pipes and fittings. 	 ①All pipings of Class I, Class <u>II</u> and Class III, are to be subjected to hydraulic tests <u>with fittings</u> attached after fabrication at a test pressure 1.5 times the design pressure. ② The test pressure for hydraulic test for pipes with design temperature exceeding 300°C is to be specified separately. ③ The hydraulic test for welded joints between pipes or pipes and valves(or cocks) of piping arranged onboard the ship is to be specified separately. 	Valves(o r cocks) and fittings of piping of Class I or Class II are subject to hydraulic test at a pressure of 1.5 times the design pressure.	 All <u>pipings</u> are subject to leak test in their service condition. All pipes are to be subjected to preliminary test together with the equipment they serve. All cargo <u>pipings</u> are to be subjected to the hydraulic test at a pressure of 1.5 times the design pressure. 	h a b e dele - weld joints t w p i : a v al (or cocks), p i : and fitti h a b e adde non stru t e subj

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Class II	Materials	Materials	①Radiographic testing or suitable other testing for buttwelded pipes joints between pipes, pipes and valves(or cocks), and pipes and fittings with nominal diameter exceeding 80A. ②Magnetic particle testing or suitable other testing for fillet weld between pipes, pipes and valves(or cocks), and pipes and fittings	(amendmen t) - Piping not re- lated to the car- g o transfer h a v e b e e n deleted. - Butt welded joints be- t w e e n p i p e s a n d val v e s (or
Class III	with the requirements of KS or equivalent	with the requirements of KS or equivalent		fittings and fittings h a v e b e e n added to non-de- structive t e s t subject.

Present	Amendments	Remark
CHAPTER 6 SHIPS CARRYING DANGEROUS CHEMICALS IN BULK	CHAPTER 6 SHIPS CARRYING DANGEROUS CHEMICALS IN BULK	
Section 8 Cargo Tank Venting and Gas-freeing Arrangements	Section 8 Cargo Tank Venting and Gas-freeing Arrangements	(amendment) - Quoted require- ment of Rule
802. Cargo tank venting	802. Cargo tank venting	Part 8 has been amended as re-
<omitted></omitted>	<same as="" present=""></same>	vised Rule Part
3. Provision to protect liquefied head exceeding design head [See Rule]	3. Provision to protect liquefied head exceeding design head [See Rule]	8.
<omitted></omitted>	<same as="" present=""></same>	
(3) The system fitted with valves and flanges for connecting cargo hoses at hatches on the top of cargo tank for preventing cargo tank over- pressure as given in Fig 7.6.35 of the Guidance may be accepted on- ly when either of the following (A) or (B) is relevant :	(3) The system fitted with valves and flanges for connecting cargo hoses at hatches on the top of cargo tank for preventing cargo tank over- pressure as given in Fig 7.6.35 of the Guidance may be accepted on- ly when either of the following (A) or (B) is relevant :	
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(B) Where method of cargo transfer to other cargo tanks has been established. In this case, however, cargo loading may be restricted under the requirements for mutual reaction with each other. In either case of (A) or (B), much difficulty is involved in observ- ing the operational restrictions and hence it is desirable to install the high level alarm or overflow control system specified in 1519. of the Rules. For tanks carrying the cargo with a flash point of not more than 60°C, provision of the high level alarm system or overflow control system conforming to Pt 8, Ch 3, 505. 3 (1) of the Rules is required where spill valves are not to be used. (Spill valves are not deemed equivalent.)	(B) Where method of cargo transfer to other cargo tanks has been established. In this case, however, cargo loading may be restricted under the requirements for mutual reaction with each other. In either case of (A) or (B), much difficulty is involved in observ- ing the operational restrictions and hence it is desirable to install the high level alarm or overflow control system specified in 1519. of the Rules. For tanks carrying the cargo with a flash point of not more than 60°C, provision of the high level alarm system or overflow control system conforming to <u>Pt 8, Ch 9, 503. 1</u> of the Rules is required where spill valves are not to be used. (Spill valves are not deemed equivalent.) <same as="" present=""></same>	

GUIDANCE RELATING TO RULES FOR CLASSIFICATION OF STEEL SHIPS

(Development Review : External Opinion Inquiry)

Part 7 Chapter 5 Ships Carrying Liquefied Gases in Bulk

2020. 03.



- (1) Annex 7A-3 LNG Bunkering Systems
 - To clarify that application of Annex 7A-3 LNG Bunkering Systems is optional
 - To clarify that portable radios are subject to means of voice communication
 - To describe requirements for alarm and ESD conditions in the table and delete impractical conditions.

Present	Amendment	Reason
Annex 7A-3 LNG Bunkering Systems	Annex 7A-3 LNG Bunkering Systems	
Section 1 General	Section 1 General	
101. Application	101. Application	
 <u>This</u> Annex applies to ships carrying liquefied gas in bulk fitted with systems for delivering LNG bunker to ships using LNG as fuel. This Annex also applies to a ship carrying liquefied gas in bulk transferring LNG cargo to another ships carrying liquefied gas in bulk. 2. <omitted></omitted> 	1. At the request of the owner, the requirements in this Annex applies to ships carrying liquefied gas in bulk fitted with systems for delivering LNG bunker to ships using LNG as fuel. This Annex also applies to a ship carrying liquefied gas in bulk transferring LNG cargo to another ships carrying liquefied gas in bulk.	 To clarify that application of Annex 7A-3 LNG Bunkering Systems is optional
	2. <same as="" present="" the=""></same>	
Section 2 to Section 4 <omitted></omitted>	Section 2 to Section 4 < same as the present>	
Section 5 Arrangements and Design of Bunkering Systems	Section 5 Arrangements and Design of Bunkering Systems	
501. to 508. <omitted></omitted>	501. to 508. <same as="" present="" the=""></same>	
509. Communication systems	509. Communication systems	
1. A communication system is to be provided between the bunkering facility and the receiving ship and be provided with back-up. This may be achieved by electric, fibre-optic or pneumatic links, or a combination of these systems.	1. A communication system is to be provided between the bunkering facility and the receiving ship and be provided with back-up. This may be achieved by electric, fibre-optic or pneumatic links, or a combination of these systems.	
2. The components of the communication system located in hazardous area are to be of certified safe type.	2. The components of the communication system located in hazardous area are to be of certified safe type.	- To clarify that portable
3. Where portable radios are used for <u>communication</u> , they are to be of certified safe type for hazardous area.	3. Where portable radios are used for <u>voice communication</u> , they are to be of certified safe type for hazardous area.	radios are subject to means of voice communication

Present	Amendment	Reason
Section 6 Control, Monitoring and Safety Systems	Section 6 Control, Monitoring and Safety Systems	
 601. General 1. to 3. <omitted></omitted> 4. Safety function for parameter monitored during bunkering operation is to be in accordance with 602. 2, 3 and 603. 1. 	 601. General to 3. <same as="" present="" the=""></same> Safety function for parameter monitored during bunkering operation is to be in accordance with <u>Table 1</u>. Table 1 Alarms and ESD actions during bunkering operation <u>Parameters Alarms and ESD actions during bunkering operation</u> Parameters <u>Alarm Activation of ESD system</u> <u>High level in the receiving tank 01</u> <u>UNG leakage in manifold area</u> <u>Gas detection in the ducting around the bunkering lines at 30% LEL</u> <u>Gas detection in enclosed cargo machinery</u> <u>spaces at 30% LEL</u> <u>Gas detection in enclosed cargo machinery</u> <u>spaces at 30% LEL</u> <u>Manual or automatic activation of the emergency shutdown system</u> <u>Manual or automatic activation of the emergency shutdown system</u> <u>Manual or automatic activation of the emergency clease system</u> <u>Safe working envelope of the loading arm exceeded</u> <u>Note:</u> <u>1) Signal need not indicate the event initiating ESD</u>. 	 To describe requirements for alarm and ESD conditions in the table To delete impractical conditions for ESD link with receiving ship To clarify that signal need not indicate the event initiating ESD for high level in the receiving tank

Present	Amendment	Reason
602. Monitoring, alarm and control systems	602. Monitoring, alarm and control systems	
1. Visible and audible alarms are to be provide on bunkering control station.	1. Visible and audible alarms are to be provide on bunkering control station.	
 Alarms are to be activated in the following cases. Low pressure in the supply tank Sudden pressure drop at the transfer pump discharge High level in the receiving tank High pressure in the receiving tank High pressure in the receiving tank ENG leakage in manifold area Gas detection in the ducting around the bunkering lines a 30% LEL Gas detection in enclosed cargo machinery spaces at 30% LEL Manual or automatic activation of the emergency shutdown system Manual or automatic activation of the emergency release system Safe working envelope of the loading arm exceeded Fire detection on receiving ship or bunkering ship Electrical power failure Where transfer arms are used as transfer systems, in addition to Par. 2, the followings are be complied with. A system of constant monitoring of the position of arms is to be installed to provide real time information to the oper ator and receiving ship. For the hydraulic systems of the transfer arm, visible and audible alarms are to be activated in the following cases. (A) low pressure in hydraulic accumulators; (B) abnormal pressure in actuators chambers; (C) low oil level in tank; (D) low nitrogen pressure in accumulators. 	 Alarms are to be activated in accordance with 601. 4, Table 1. Where transfer arms are used as transfer systems, in addition to 601. 4, Table 1, the followings are be complied with. (1) A system of constant monitoring of the position of arms is to be installed to provide real time information to the operator and receiving ship. (2) For the hydraulic systems of the transfer arm, visible and audible alarms are to be activated in the following cases. (A) low pressure in hydraulic accumulators; (B) abnormal pressure in actuators chambers; (C) low oil level in tank; (D) low nitrogen pressure in accumulators. 	- To describe requirements for alarm and ESD conditions in the table

Present	Amendment	Reason
603. Emergency shutdown systems	603. Emergency shutdown systems	
 1. Emergency shutdown systems 1. Emergency shutdown system is to safely stop and isolate the bunker transfer between bunkering ship and receiving ship in the following cases: Low pressure in the supply tank Sudden pressure drop at the transfer pump discharge High level in the receiving tank LNG leakage in manifold area Gas detection in the ducting around the bunkering lines at 60% LEL Manual or automatic activation of the emergency shutdown system Manual or automatic activation of the emergency release system Safe working envelope of the loading arm exceeded Fire detection on receiving ship or bunkering ship Electrical power failure 	 Emergency shutdown systems ESD actions during bunkering operation is to be in accordance with 601. 4, Table 1. Emergency shutdown system is to safely stop and isolate the bunker transfer between bunkering ship and receiving ship. 	- To describe requirements for alarm and ESD conditions in the table
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