



Functional Safety

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SIL assessment (summary)

The element safety function(s) of the

SAUNDERS® DN8 to DN100

S360 Pneumatically Actuated Diaphragm Valves (with accessories)

are suitable for use in SIL 2 safety functions according to IEC 61508-2:2010 when integrated and used in accordance with the manufacturer's safety manual *

The following element safety functions have been assessed:

- Close on demand (spring closed)

The above products meet the requirements of IEC 61508-2 for a 'type A' device with systematic capability SC 2.

Failure data (established by 'Route 1_H'), assumptions used in the FMEDA, conditions and important notes for the integrator/user are shown overleaf. The safety manual shall be complied with when integrating the valves into safety functions, and for all post-integration lifecycle activities.

* The achieved SIL of a safety function that uses these valves shall be verified considering all relevant factors outside the scope of this assessment.

Manufacturer: CRANE Process Flow Technologies
Full report: RPT23015-1 assessment report for CRANE rev 1.0
Safety manual: SIL_SM_001 rev 1
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Functional safety information in this document is based on an assessment using the CASS methodology


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F U N C T I O N A L S A F E T Y A S S E S S M E N T

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Summary of assessment and conditions

SUMMARY OF FAILURE DATA (ALL SIZES)			
SAFETY FUNCTION: CLOSE ON DEMAND			
Dangerous undiagnosed failure rate	λ_{DU}	4.5E-07	
Dangerous diagnosed failure rate	λ_{DD}	5.8E-07	<i>See Note 3</i>
Safe failure rate	λ_S	8.5E-07	
No-effect failure rate	λ_{NE}	1.0E-06	
Safe failure fraction	SFF	76%	<i>See Note 3</i>
Device 'type'	A or B	Type A	<i>See Note 4</i>
Probability of failure on demand	PFD_{AVG}	2.0E-03	<i>See Note 5</i>
Average frequency of dangerous failure per hour	PFH	4.5E-07	<i>See Note 6</i>
SIL capability in low demand mode of operation		SIL 2	<i>See Note 7</i>
SIL capability in high demand mode of operation		SIL 2	<i>See Note 8</i>

General notes, assumptions and conditions regarding the failure data in table(s) above

- 1) Mechanical failure modes and basis for failure rates are described in confidential FMEDA report RPT23015-2.
- 2) The failure data applies equally across the range of DN8 through DN100 Lite/Strong valves, and to the PTFE or rubber diaphragm materials.
- 3) The estimated diagnostics coverage (and hence SFF) assumes switchbox signals are used to confirm correct actuator movement. See also Note 6 below.
- 4) The device type is defined according to IEC 61508-2 clause 7.4.4.1.2 and 7.4.4.1.3 (type A is generally a non-complex device).
- 5) The PFD_{AVG} calculation assumes the proof test interval (T) is 8,760h, the mean repair time (MRT) is 24h, and mean time to restoration (MTTR) is 24h.
- 6) The PFH and PFD_{AVG} calculations assume the diagnostic (switchbox) signals are used, and the test interval is significantly shorter than the expected interval between demands for the application.
- 7) 'SIL capability' in low demand mode is limited by the PFD_{AVG} , architectural constraints (SFF, type A device, and HFT 0), and systematic capability (SC 2).
- 8) 'SIL capability' in high demand mode is limited by the PFH, architectural constraints (SFF, type A device, and HFT 0), and systematic capability (SC 2).
- 9) Accessories: The solenoid valve with switch box (ASCO 3/2 Way Pilot Operated Solenoid with Signalling Unit) must be integrated and used in accordance with its SIL capability specifications (ref. certificate 568326-C01) and instruction manual.
- 10) Refer to product specification CPE-SAUNDERS-HC4-S360-BU-EN-A4-2019_10_02-web for details of the actuated diaphragm valves and accessories, and CPE-SAUNDERS-HC4-S360-IM-EN-A4-2019_10_02-web for details of installation and maintenance.

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