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The committee responsible for this document is ISO/TC 118, *Compressors and pneumatic tools, machines and equipment*, Subcommittee SC 1, *Process compressors*.

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ISO 10439 consists of the following parts, under the general title *Petroleum, petrochemical and natural gas industries — Axial and centrifugal compressors and expander-compressors*:

- *Part 1: General requirements*
- *Part 2: Non-integrally geared centrifugal and axial compressors*
- *Part 3: Integrally geared centrifugal compressors*
- *Part 4: Expander-compressors*

Introduction

This International Standard is based on the 7th edition of the American Petroleum Institute standard API 617.

Users of this International Standard should be aware that further or differing requirements may be needed for individual applications. This International Standard is not intended to inhibit a supplier from offering, or the purchaser from accepting alternative equipment or engineering solutions for the individual application. This may be particularly appropriate where there is innovative or developing technology. Where an alternative is offered, the supplier should identify any variations from this International Standard and provide details.

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This International Standard includes the following annexes:

- [Annex A](#): Procedure for the determination of residual unbalance;
- [Annex B](#): Typical shaft end seals;
- [Annex C](#): Requirements for lateral analysis reports;
- [Annex D](#): Requirements for torsional analysis reports;
- [Annex E](#): Magnetic bearings;
- [Annex F](#): Dry gas seal testing at manufacturer's shop;
- [Annex G](#): Guidelines for anti-surge systems;
- [Annex H](#): Typical bid tab template.

[Annex A](#), [Annex C](#), [Annex D](#), [Annex E](#), and [Annex F](#) form a normative part of this part of ISO 10439. [Annex B](#), [Annex G](#), and [Annex H](#) are for information only.

In this International Standard, where practical, US customary units are included in parentheses for information.

Petroleum, petrochemical and natural gas industries — Axial and centrifugal compressors and expander- compressors —

Part 1: General requirements

1 Scope

This International Standard specifies minimum requirements and gives recommendations for axial compressors, single-shaft, and integrally geared process centrifugal compressors, and expander-compressors for special purpose applications that handle gas or process air in the petroleum, petrochemical, and natural gas industries. This part of ISO 10439 specifies general requirements applicable to all such machines.

This International Standard does not apply to fans (these are covered by API 673) or blowers that develop less than 34 kPa (5 psi) pressure rise above atmospheric pressure. This International Standard also does not apply to packaged, integrally geared centrifugal plant, and instrument air compressors, which are covered by API 672. Hot gas expanders over 300 °C (570 °F) are not covered by this International Standard.

This part of ISO 10439 contains information pertinent to all equipment covered by the other parts of ISO 10439. It shall be used in conjunction with the following parts of ISO 10439, as applicable to the specific equipment covered:

- ISO 10439-2;
- ISO 10439-3;
- ISO 10439-4.

2 Normative references

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NOTE Typical documents submitted as a user inquiry or order are user specifications, industry specifications, (such as ISO and API specifications), data sheets, meeting notes, and supplemental agreements.

ISO 261, *ISO general purpose metric screw threads — General plan*

ISO 6708, *Pipework components — Definition and selection of DN (nominal size)*

ISO 7005-1, *Pipe flanges — Part 1: Steel flanges for industrial and general service piping systems*

ISO 7005-2, *Metallic flanges — Part 2: Cast iron flanges*

ISO 8068, *Lubricants, industrial oils and related products (class L) — Family T (Turbines) — Specification for lubricating oils for turbines*

ISO 21940-32, *Mechanical vibration — Rotor balancing — Part 32: Shaft and fitment key convention*

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