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1. Scope

This specification covers the pneumatic leak testing of above ground piping systems. It describes the requirements for the testing procedure and the precautions to be taken.

2. Reference documents

The reference documents listed below form an integral part of this General Specification. Unless otherwise stipulated, the applicable version of these documents, including relevant appendices and supplements, is the latest revision published at the EFFECTIVE DATE of the CONTRACT.

Standards

Reference	Title
Not applicable	

Professional Documents

Reference	Title
BS 1780	Specification for bourdon tube pressure and vacuum gauges

Regulations

Reference	Title
Not applicable	

Codes

Reference	Title
ASME B 31.3	Code for Pressure Piping. Chemical plant and petroleum refinery piping

Other documents

Reference	Title
Not applicable	

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Reference	Title
GS EP PVV 171	Steel piping fabrication