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European foreword

This document (EN 13160-6:2016) has been prepared by Technical Committee CEN/TC 393 “Equipment for storage tanks and for filling stations”, the secretariat of which is held by DIN.

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- *Part 1: General principles*
- *Part 2: Requirements and test/assessment methods for pressure and vacuum kits*
- *Part 3: Requirements and test/assessment methods for liquid systems for tanks*
- *Part 4: Requirements and test/assessment methods for sensor based leak detection systems*
- *Part 5: Requirements and test/assessment methods for in-tank gauge systems and pressurized pipework systems*
- *Part 6: Sensors in monitoring wells*
- *Part 7: Requirements and test/assessment methods for interstitial spaces, leak detection linings and leak detection jackets*

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1 Scope

This European Standard specifies the requirements for leak detection systems – class V for use with systems designed for fuels that are flammable, having a flash point up to but not exceeding 100 °C.

2 Normative references

The following documents, in whole or in part, are normatively referenced in this document and are indispensable for its application. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

EN 13160-1:2016, *Leak detection systems — Part 1: General principles*

EN 13160-3:2016, *Leak detection systems — Part 3: Requirements and test/assessment methods for liquid systems for tanks*

EN 13160-4:2016, *Leak detection systems — Part 4: Liquid and/or vapour sensor systems for use in leakage containments or interstitial spaces*

EN 60529:1991, *Degrees of protection provided by enclosures (IP Code) (IEC 60529:1989)*

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in EN 13160-1:2016 apply.

4 General

This type of leak detection kit is classified according to EN 13160-1:2016 as class V.

The general requirements on leak detection systems according to Clause 5 of EN 13160-1:2016 shall be met.

5 Monitoring wells

Monitoring wells shall be installed in the ground, with a minimum diameter of 300 mm.

Where liquid sensors are used, the monitoring well shall extend from the ground level to a depth of at least 1,0 m below:

a) the lowest normal groundwater level

or

b) the lowest point of any tank or pipe, whichever is lower.

Where vapour sensors are used, the monitoring well shall extend from the ground level to a depth of at least 1,0 m below the lowest point of any tank or pipe.

Where there is the risk that the normal groundwater level will fall below the point 1,0 m above the lowest perforation opening of a monitoring well, vapour sensors shall be used.

Shall have a casing which is perforated uniformly, both vertically and circumferentially, which extends from ground level to the lowest point of the well. The pattern of perforations shall be designed to permit entry of liquid into the well at any height, but shall be small enough to prevent inflow of the surrounding ground material.