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Foreword

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- Part 1: Test method
- Part 2: Rating methods

Introduction

In hydraulic fluid power systems, power is transmitted and controlled under pressure within a closed circuit. It is important for the manufacturer and user of hydraulic components to have information on their global reliability because of the importance of the fatigue failure mode and the relationship with their functional safety and service life. This part of ISO 10771 provides a method for fatigue-testing in order to verify the rating of a pressure-containing envelope.

During operation, components in a system can be subjected to loads that arise from:

—	internal pressure;
—	external forces;
	inertia and gravitational effects;
—	impact or shock;
	temperature changes or gradients.

The nature of these loads can vary from a single static application to continuously varying amplitudes, repetitive loadings and even shocks. It is important to know how well a component can withstand these loads, but this part of ISO 10771 addresses only the loads due to internal pressure.

There are several International Standards already in existence for pressure rating of individual components (e.g. for determining maximum allowable rated pressure) and this part of ISO 10771 is not intended to replace them. Instead, a method of fatigue verification is provided.

This part of ISO 10771 describes a universal verification test to give credibility to the many in-house and other methods of determining the pressure rating of the components. Credibility is based upon the fundamental nature of metal fatigue with its statistical treatment and a mathematical theory of statistical verification. Nevertheless, it is necessary to have design knowledge of the component and its representative specimens to maximize accuracy of the verification method. The use of this test method can reduce the risk of fatigue failure for a hydraulic component regardless of sample size.

In order to rate components in accordance with this part of ISO 10771, it is necessary to propose a rating for the component, select test specimens and select a test pressure. A fatigue test is then conducted in accordance with ISO 10771-1. If the test is successful, the proposed rating is verified for the family of components represented by the sample.

This part of ISO 10771 is based on ANSI/(NFPA) T 2.6.1, a standard which was developed and has been used in the United States for over 25 years and has been adopted for use in Japan as JSME S006-1985. If sufficient experience is gained in other parts of the world, and additional data on materials are obtained, this part of ISO 10771 might be re-drafted as an International Standard in the future.

It should be noted that the test factors in Annex A are based on material data obtained from sources originating in the USA. One of the objectives in issuing this part of ISO 10771 is to obtain material data from other countries. The test factors are based only on the material properties and not on any tolerances of the elements in the pressure-containing envelope.

Annex C describes a possible method for accelerating testing. The example shows how material property data can be used to determine an acceleration factor and shows that they have to be carefully chosen. Another objective of this part of ISO 10771 is to seek additional data as described in Annex C. Contributors are asked to submit any available data to the secretary of ISO TC 131/SC 8.