



# ATEX and Functional Safety

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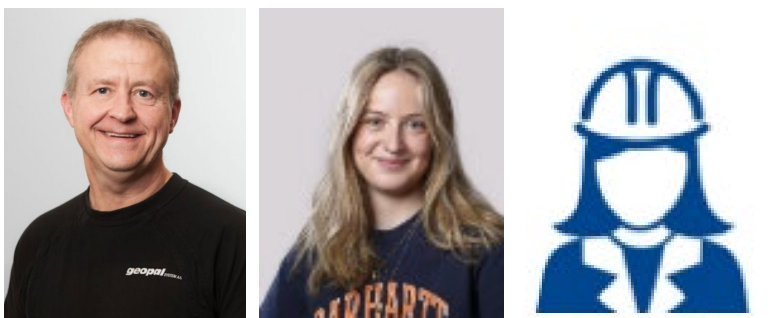
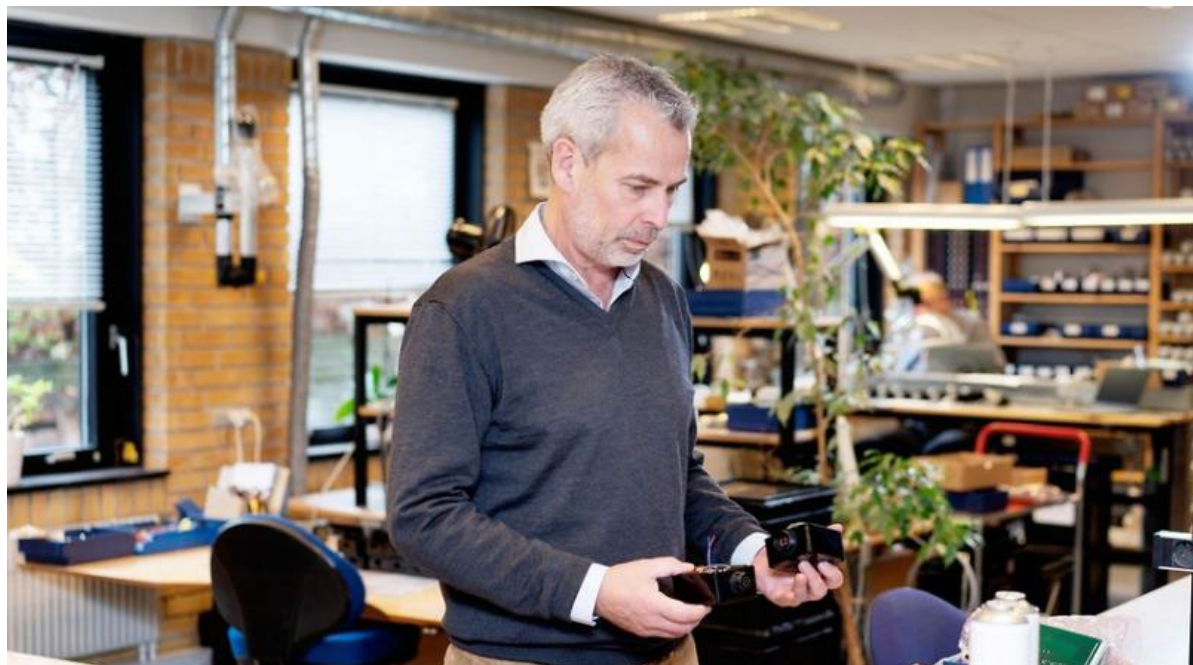
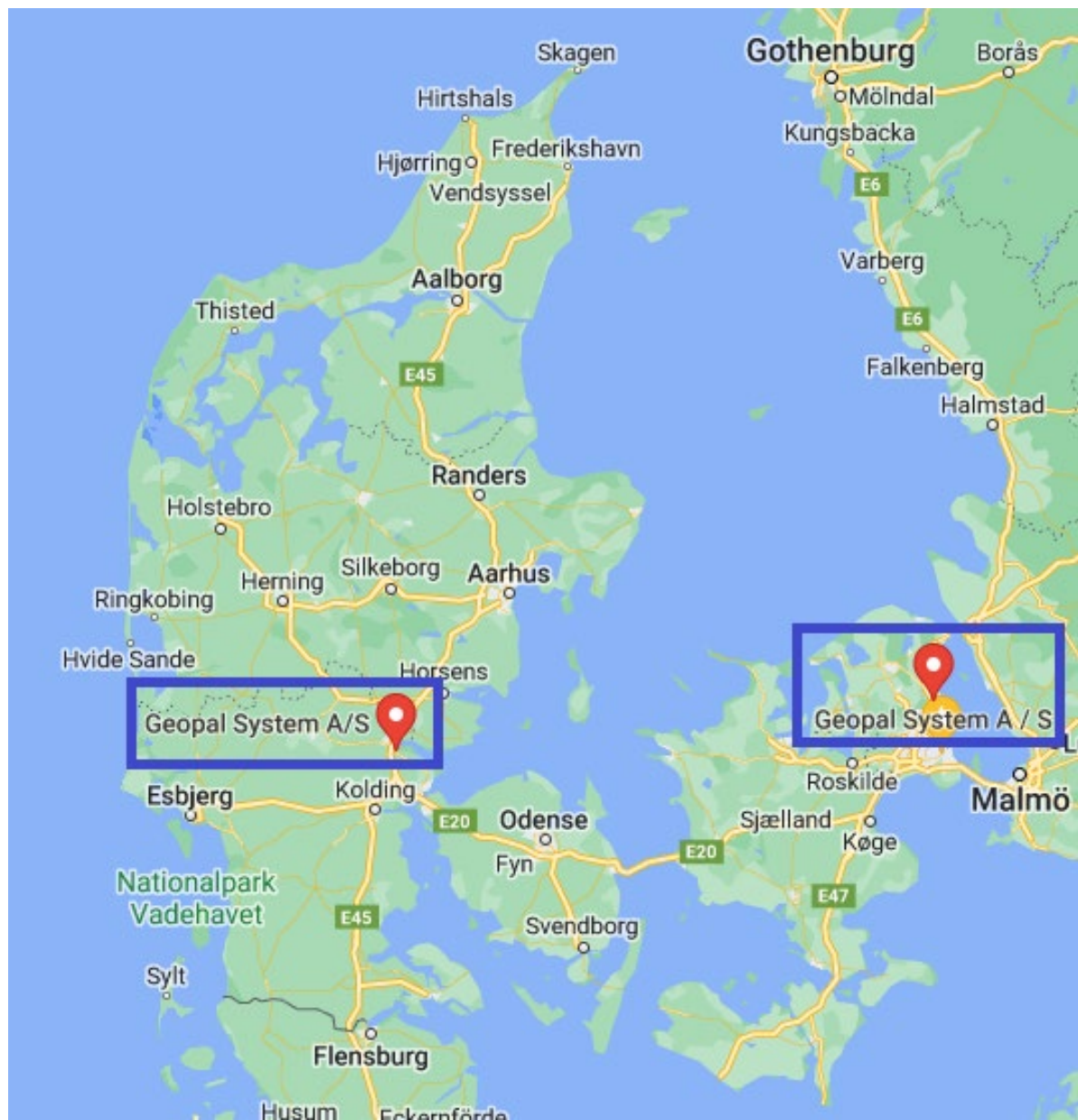
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- **GP-NOVA**
- **ATEX and Functional Safety**
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- **Thank You**



# Introduction – Geopal System A/S, est.1985

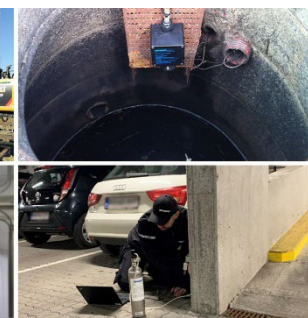


**Geopal develop, manufacture and service professional alarm systems for detection of explosive and toxic gases.**



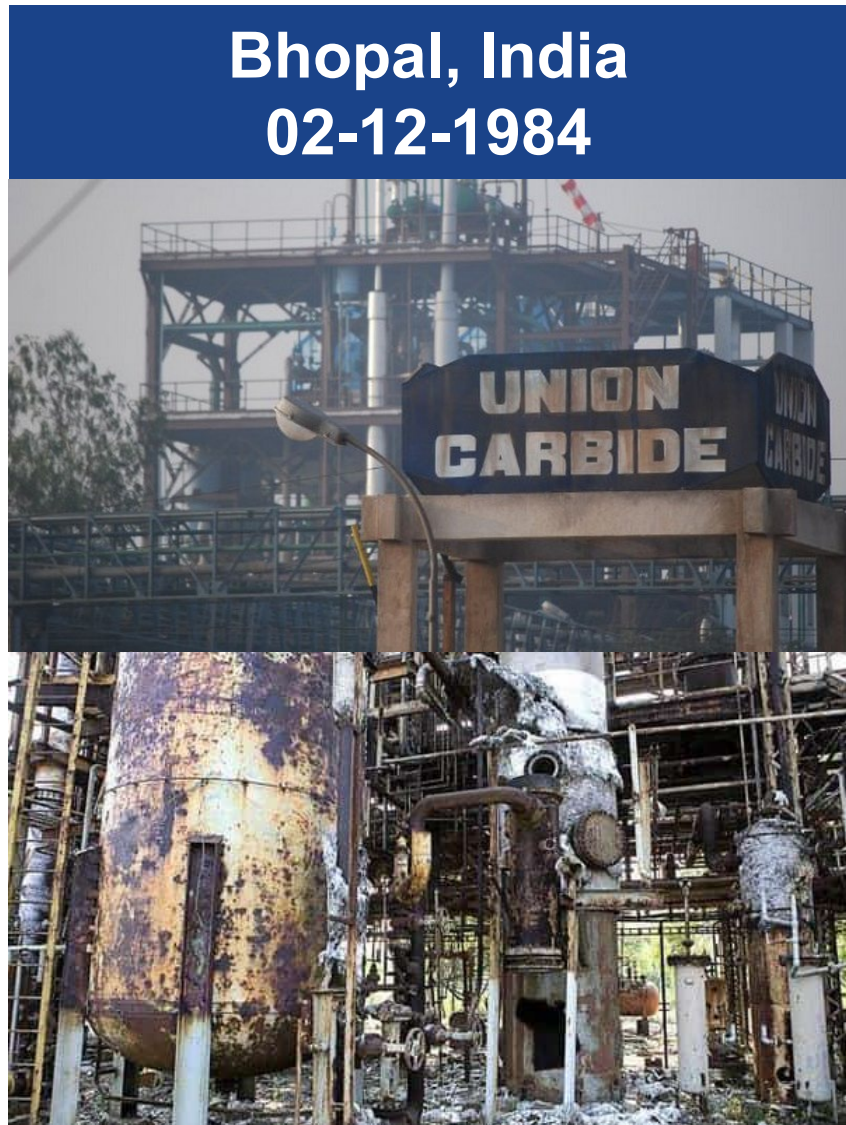
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- Headquarter in Vedbæk
- Project management and service in Vejle

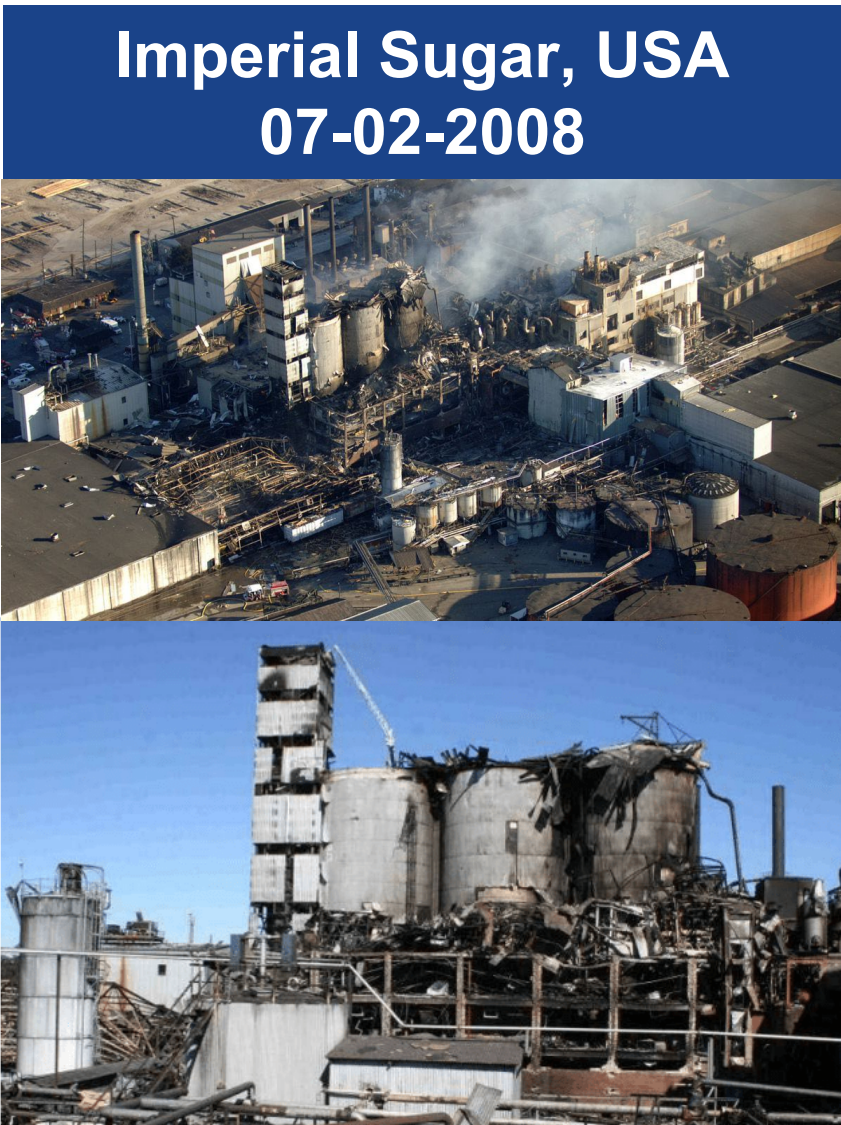




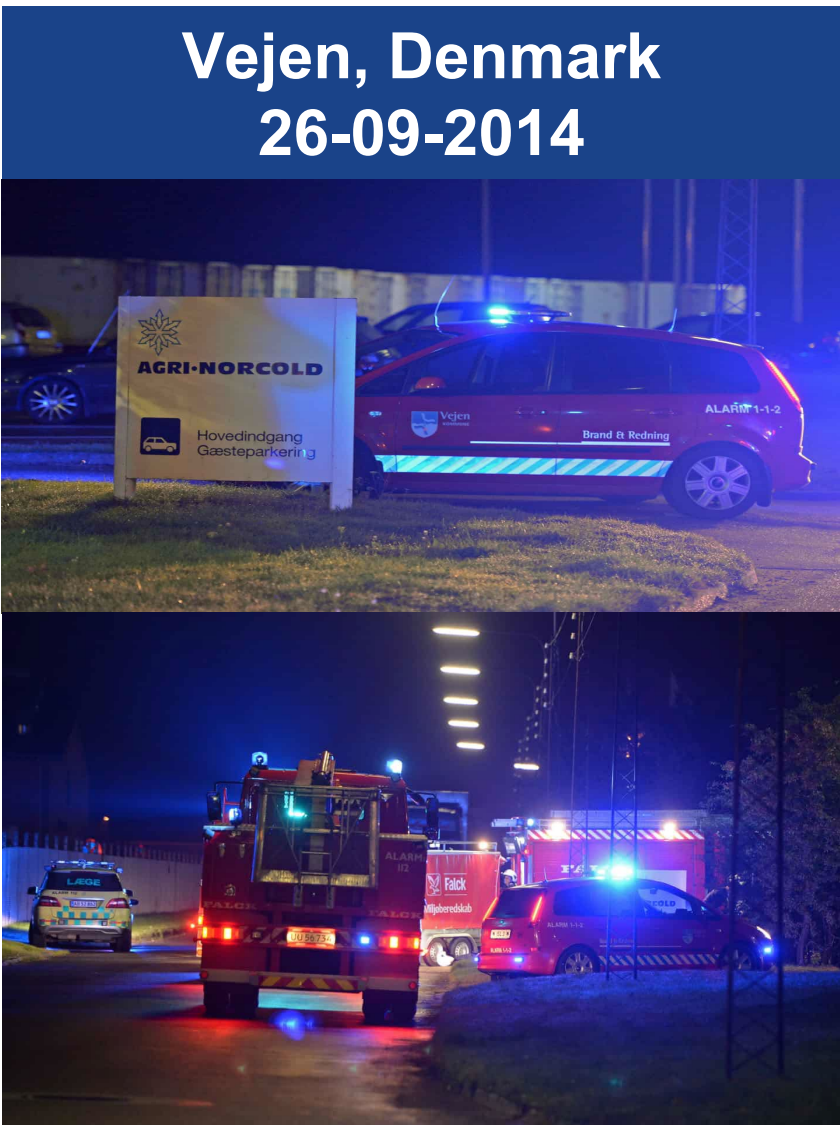
# Introduction – Why Gas Detection



**Toxic gas leak (Methyl isocyanate)**  
**16000 died, 560000 hospitalized**



**Dust explosion**  
**14 died, 40 hospitalized**



**Toxic gas leak (Ammonia)**  
**27 evacuated**



**Explosive gas leak (Propane)**  
**20 died, 270 hospitalized**



**Toxic gas leak (Chlorine)**  
**400 hospitalized**



**Toxic gas leak (Ammonia)**  
**5 hospitalized**



**Explosive gas leak (Propane)**  
**46 died, 53 hospitalized**



# Introduction – Typical Applications



Power-to-X



Refrigerating systems



Research and education



Biogas Plants



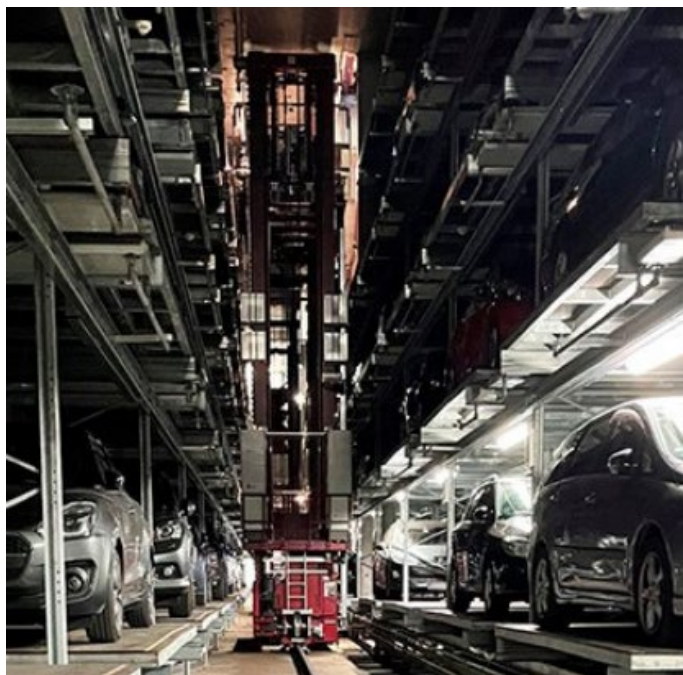
Marine



Battery Charging Stations



Power Plants



Car Parks



Construction Sites



Medico



### Principle of Operation



A gas detector is basically a gas sensor attached to a controller (electronic circuitry). The sensor outputs a signal that is proportional with the target gas concentration. A change in the sensor output is then processed by a controller; if the signal changes beyond a setpoint, the controller ensures to announce this change via its analog-, digital-, and/or relay- outputs.



## Visual Indication

Status LED bars offer clear visibility from distance of  $\geq 10$  m.

## OLED Display

Clear and bright independent of viewing angle.

## Analog output

Configurable galvanically isolated 4-20 mA loop.

## Relay Output

Alarm 1, 2, and Fault

## Digital Output

RS-485 Modbus RTU.

## Electrical Ratings

Input voltage: 18-36 V<sub>DC</sub>.  
Input power: < 6.5 W.



## Bluetooth Communication

Quick and easy way of configuring, monitoring and servicing via Geopal's mobile app.

## Logger and BlackBox Function

Memory containing system settings and logs is battery driven, for quick startup after power cycling.

## Calibration History

Overview of sensor performance by storing previous calibration data for better planning of maintenance and service routines.

## Approvals

- ATEX/IECEx.
- Suitable for SIL 2.





Sensor Technologies



Semiconductor



Catalytic Bead



Photo Ionization  
Detector (PID)



Electrochemical



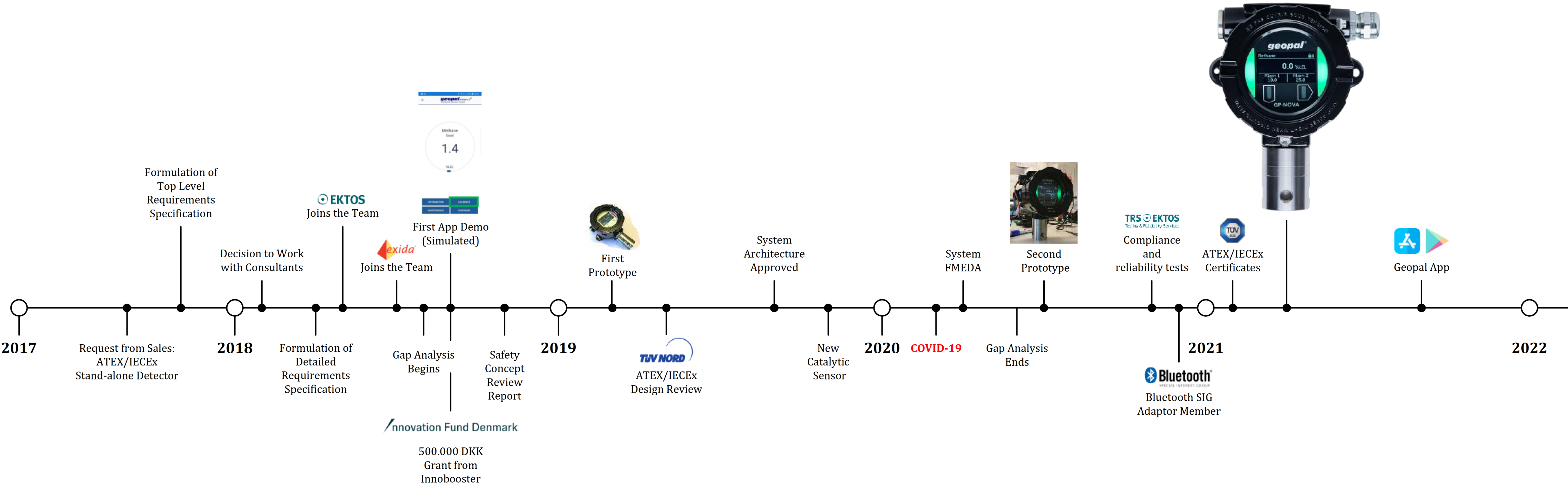
Infrared



Molecular Property  
Spectrometer (MPS)

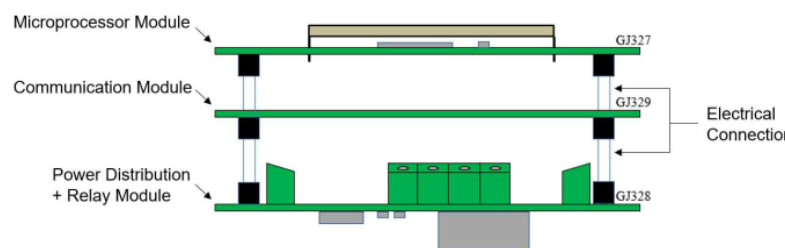
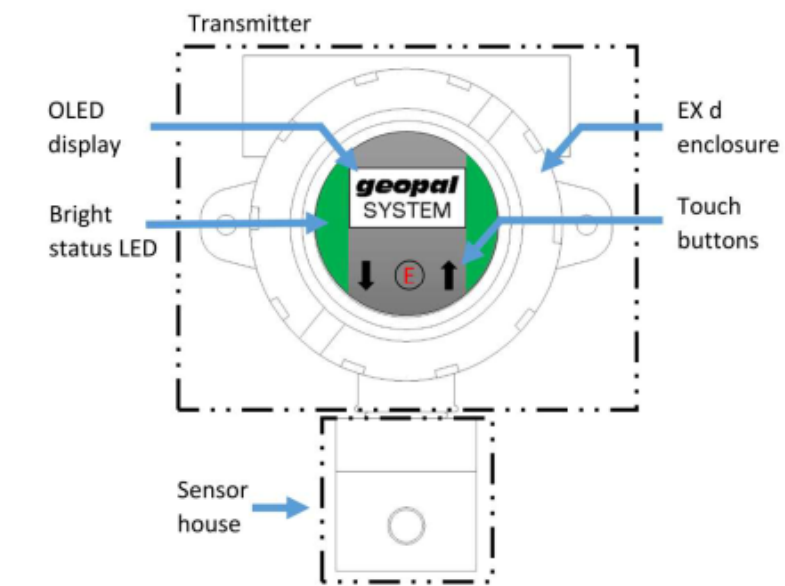
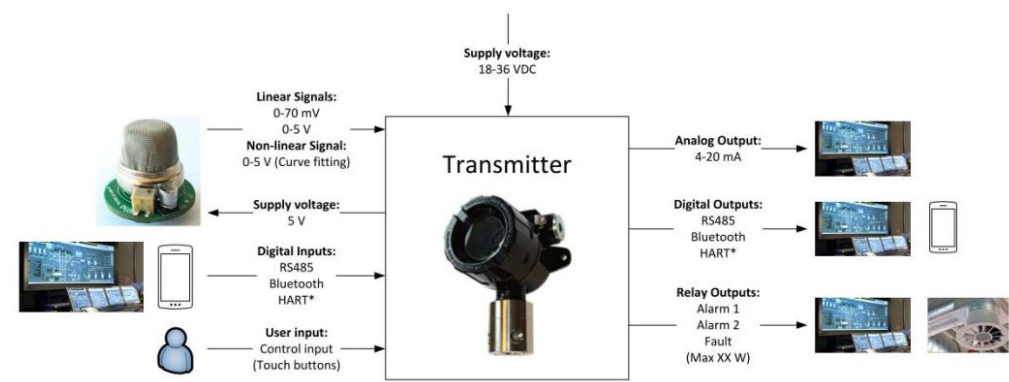
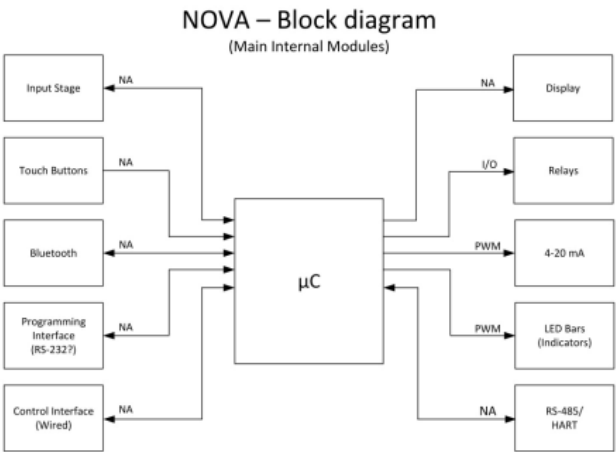
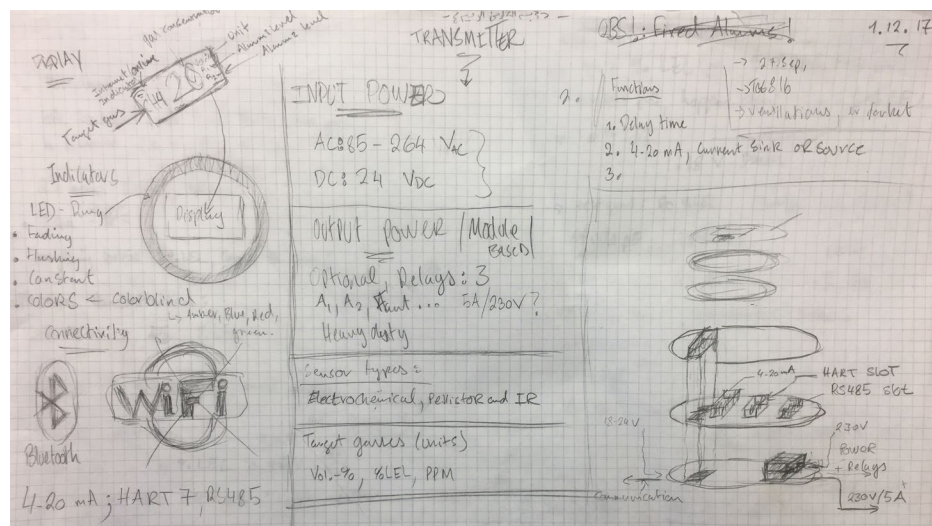


# GP-NOVA – Timeline 2017-2022





GP-NOVA  
Requirements Specification



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Greetings from Ukraine

SIL  
Functional Safety Verification



Gratulations Abdallah with Elektroprisen.  
We are proud of being part of development of your fantastic  
product.

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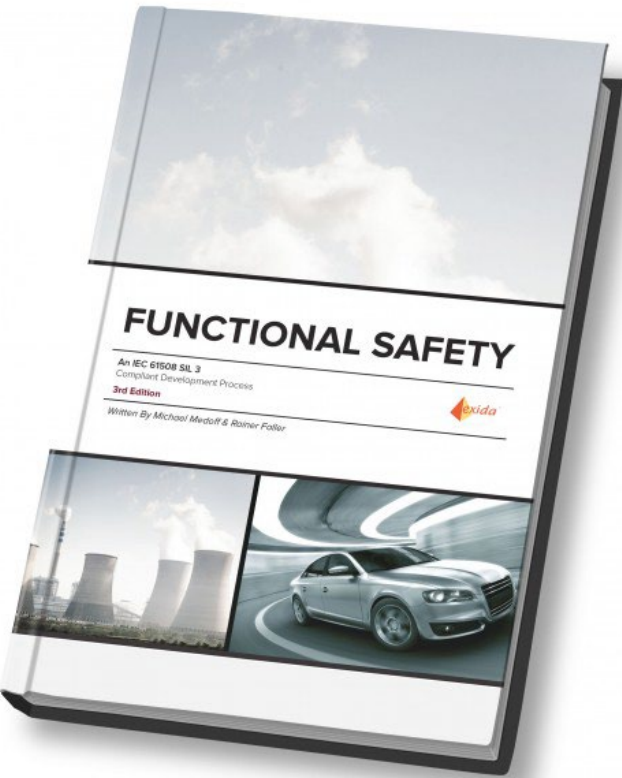
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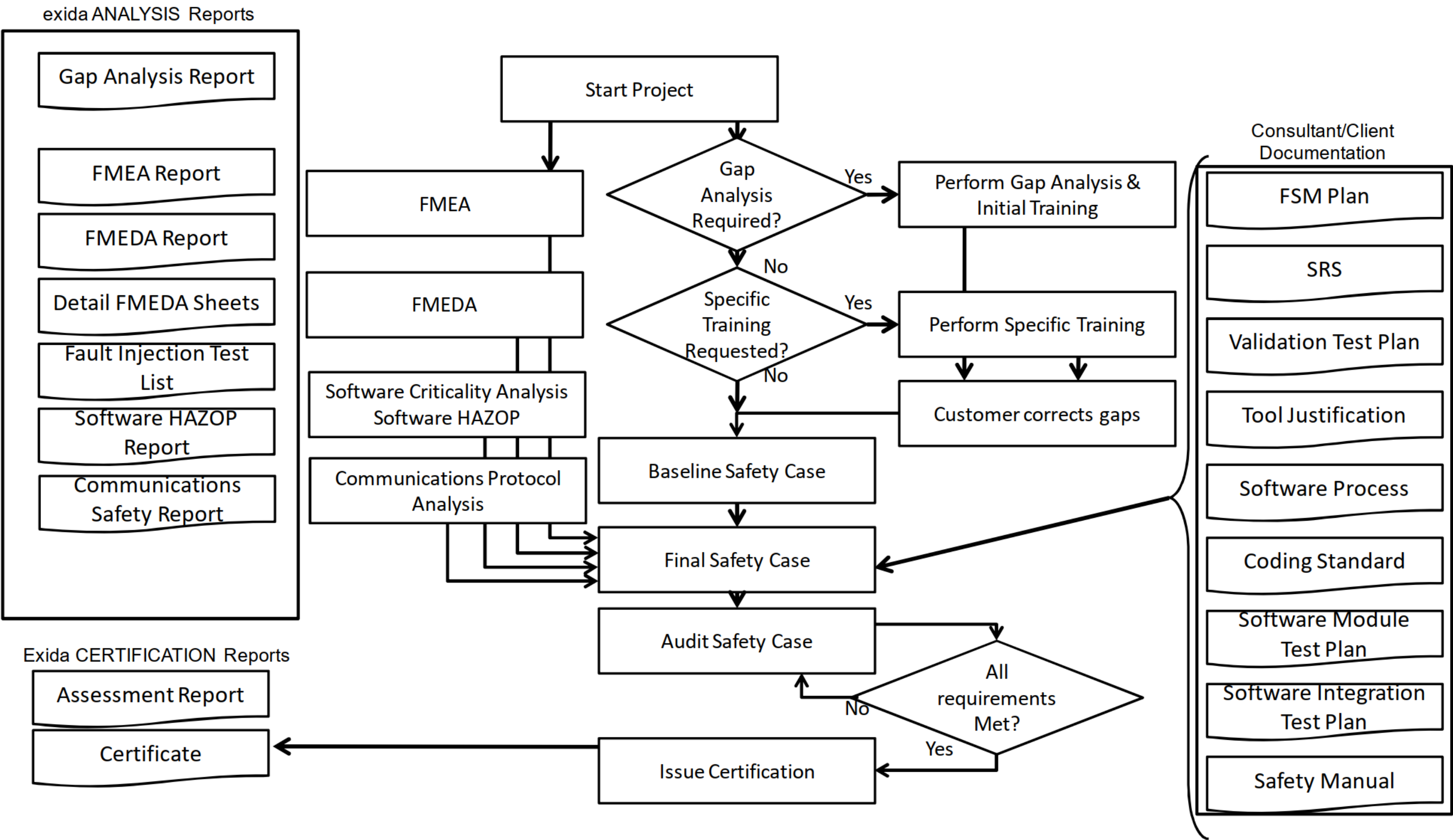
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exida IEC 61508 Certification Process





## ATEX

**ATEX** directives are two EU directives dictates the minimum safety requirements for workplaces and equipment intended for use in explosive atmospheres.

**DIRECTIVE 1999/92/EC** on minimum requirements for improving the safety and health protection of workers potentially at risk from explosive atmospheres

**DIRECTIVE 2014/34/EU** on the harmonisation of the laws of the Member States relating to equipment and protective systems intended for use in potentially explosive atmospheres (recast)

29.3.2014

EN

Official Journal of the European Union

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### 1.5.8. Risks arising from software

In the design of software-controlled equipment, protective systems and safety devices, special account must be taken of the risks arising from faults in the programme.

## Functional Safety

**Functional safety** ensures that an automatic safety function will perform the intended function correctly or the system will fail in a predictable safe manner.

The automatic safety function should be designed to properly handle likely human errors, systematic errors, hardware failures and operational/environmental stress.

### Basically:

- Perform its function correctly – Reliability Engineering
- Fail in predictable manner – Safety Engineering



## ATEX

- **EN 60079 Series**

**EN IEC 60079-0:2018:** Explosive atmospheres - Part 0: Equipment - General requirements

**EN 60079-1:2014:** Explosive atmospheres - Part 1: Equipment protection by flameproof enclosures "d"

**EN 60079-14:2014:** Explosive atmospheres. Electrical installations design, selection and erection

- **Gas detectors**

**EN 60079-29-1:2016:** Explosive atmospheres - Part 29-1: Gas detectors - Performance requirements of detectors for flammable gases

**EN 60079-29-2:2015:** Explosive atmospheres - Part 29-2: Gas detectors - Selection, installation, use and maintenance of detectors for flammable gases and oxygen

- **Others**

**EN 50270:2015:** Electromagnetic compatibility. Electrical apparatus for the detection and measurement of combustible gases, toxic gases or oxygen

**EN 50271:2018:** Electrical apparatus for the detection and measurement of combustible gases, toxic gases or oxygen. Requirements and tests for apparatus using software and/or digital technologies

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Regarding the requirements for the software development process, this European Standard specifies a practical approach to comply with the requirements of [EN 61508-3](#) for SIL 1 without using this generic standard.

It is recommended to apply this European Standard for apparatus used for safety applications with SIL-requirement 1 instead of [EN 50402](#) because EN 50402 is designed for the assessment of more complex gas detection systems with SIL-requirements greater than 1. However, the technical requirements of EN 50271 and EN 50402 are the same for SIL 1.

## Functional Safety

- **IEC (EN) 61508 Series**

**IEC/TR 61508-0:2005:** Functional Safety Of Electrical/Electronic/Programmable Electronic Safety-Related Systems - Part 0: Functional Safety And IEC 61508

**IEC 61508-1:2010:** Functional Safety Of Electrical/Electronic/Programmable Electronic Safety-Related Systems - Part 1: General Requirements

**IEC 61508-2:2010:** Functional Safety Of Electrical/Electronic/Programmable Electronic Safety-Related Systems - Part 2: Requirements For Electrical/Electronic/Programmable Electronic Safety-Related Systems

→ **IEC 61508-3:2010:** Functional Safety Of Electrical/Electronic/Programmable Electronic Safety-Related Systems - Part 3: Software Requirements

**IEC 61508-4:2010:** Functional Safety Of Electrical/Electronic/Programmable Electronic Safety-Related Systems - Part 4: Definitions And Abbreviations

**IEC 61508-5:2010:** Functional Safety Of Electrical/Electronic/Programmable Electronic Safety-Related Systems - Part 5: Examples Of Methods For The Determination Of Safety Integrity Levels

**IEC 61508-6:2010:** Functional Safety Of Electrical/Electronic/Programmable Electronic Safety-Related Systems - Part 6: Guidelines On The Application Of IEC 61508-2 And IEC 61508-3

**IEC 61508-7:2010:** Functional Safety Of Electrical/Electronic/Programmable Electronic Safety-Related Systems - Part 7: Overview Of Techniques And Measures

→ **EN 50402:2017:** Electrical apparatus for the detection and measurement of combustible or toxic gases or vapours or of oxygen - Requirements on the functional safety of gas detection systems

In the event of conflict between the requirements of this European Standard and those of EN 61508, EN 50402 will take precedence.



Functional Safety

The purpose of functional safety is to ensure that the automatic system, that performs a safety function, will operate correctly as intended or the system will fail in a predictable and safe manner.

What is a Safety Instrumented System (SIS)?

An Implementation of one or more Safety Instrumented Functions.

What is a Safety Instrumented Function (SIF)?

A safety function is performed by a set of equipment to implement automatic protection function. Its ability to detect, decide and act is rated by the safety integrity level (SIL 1, 2, 3 or 4) of the specific function.

Safety Integrity Level	Probability of Failure on Demand	Risk Reduction Factor
SIL 4	$\geq 10^{-5}$ to $< 10^{-4}$	100,000 to 10,000
SIL 3	$\geq 10^{-4}$ to $< 10^{-3}$	10,000 to 1,000
SIL 2	$\geq 10^{-3}$ to $< 10^{-2}$	1,000 to 100
SIL 1	$\geq 10^{-2}$ to $< 10^{-1}$	100 to 10

What is a Safety Integrity Level (SIL)?

Discrete rating level, SIL 1-4, specifying the safety integrity requirements of the safety instrumented functions (SIF) to be allocated to the safety instrumented systems (SIS). SIL 4 has the highest safety integrity and SIL 1 has the lowest safety integrity.

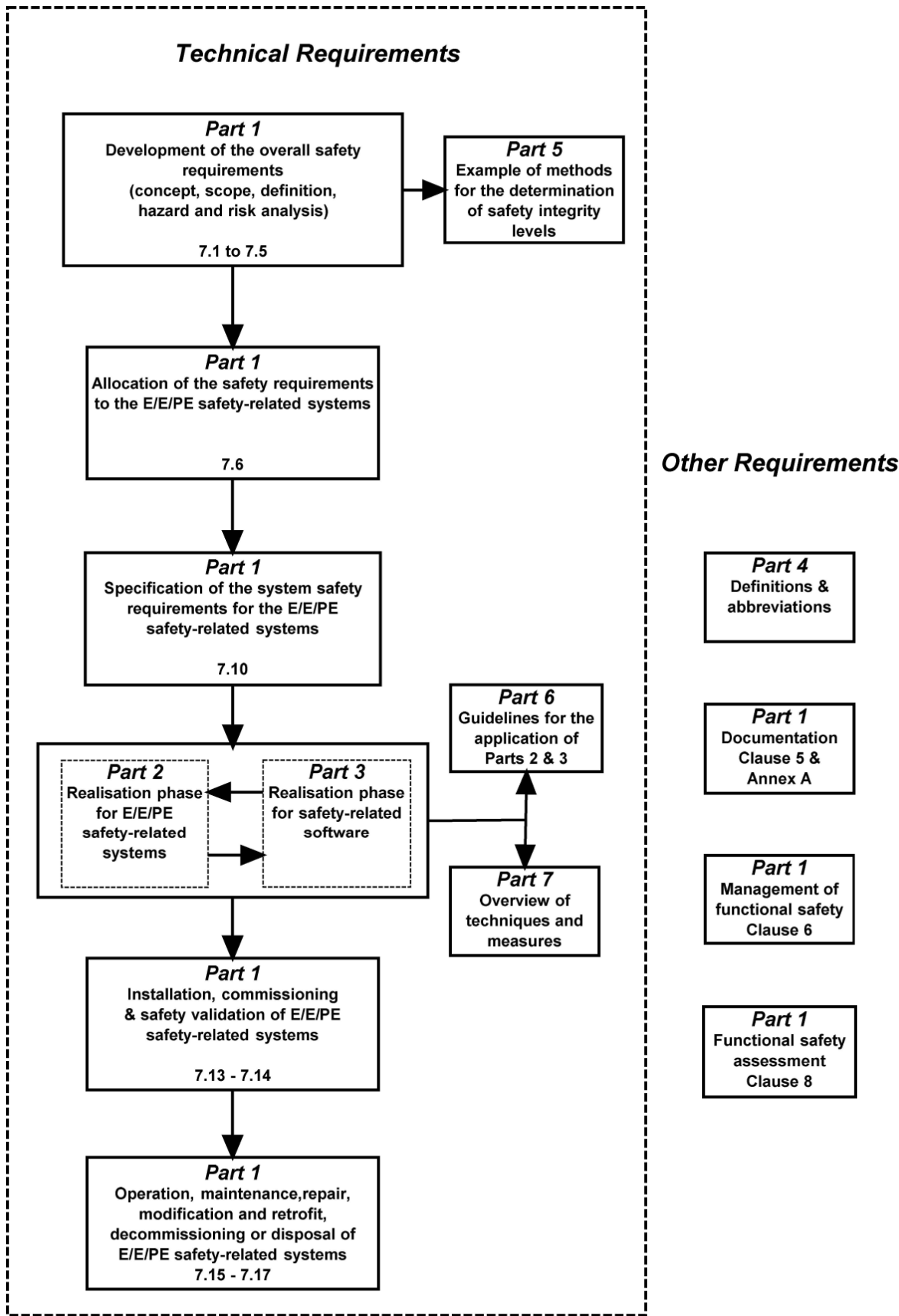


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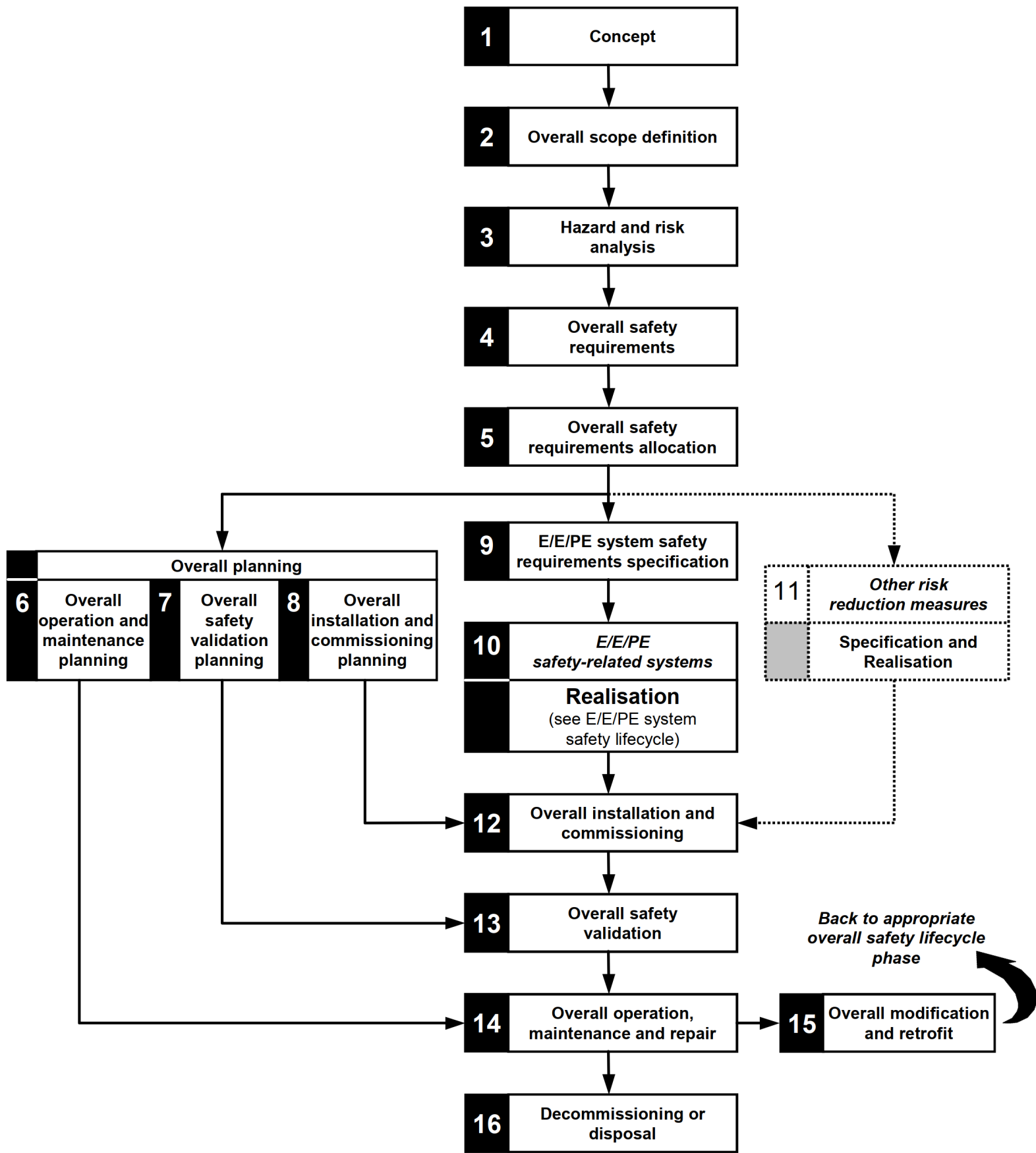
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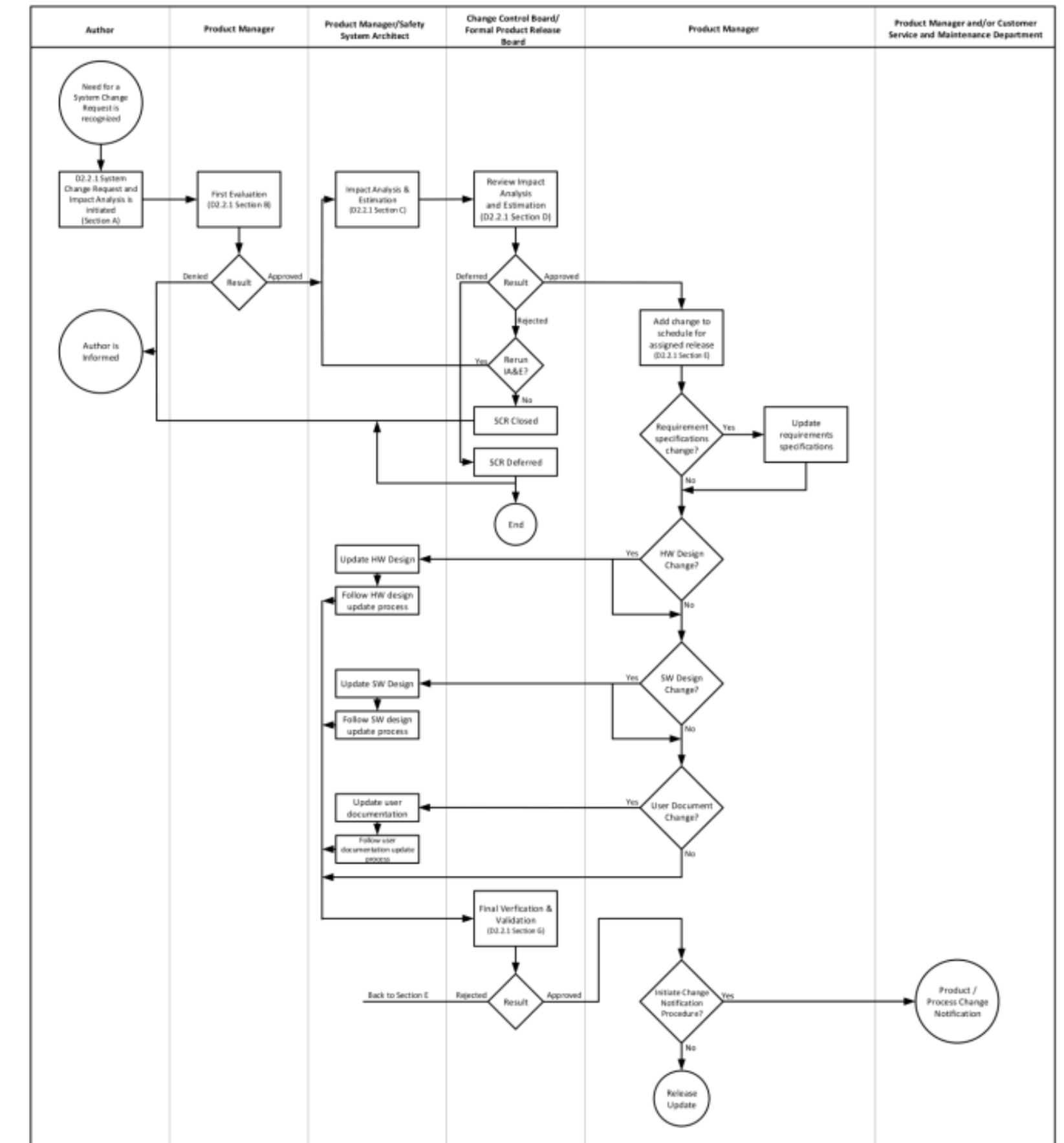
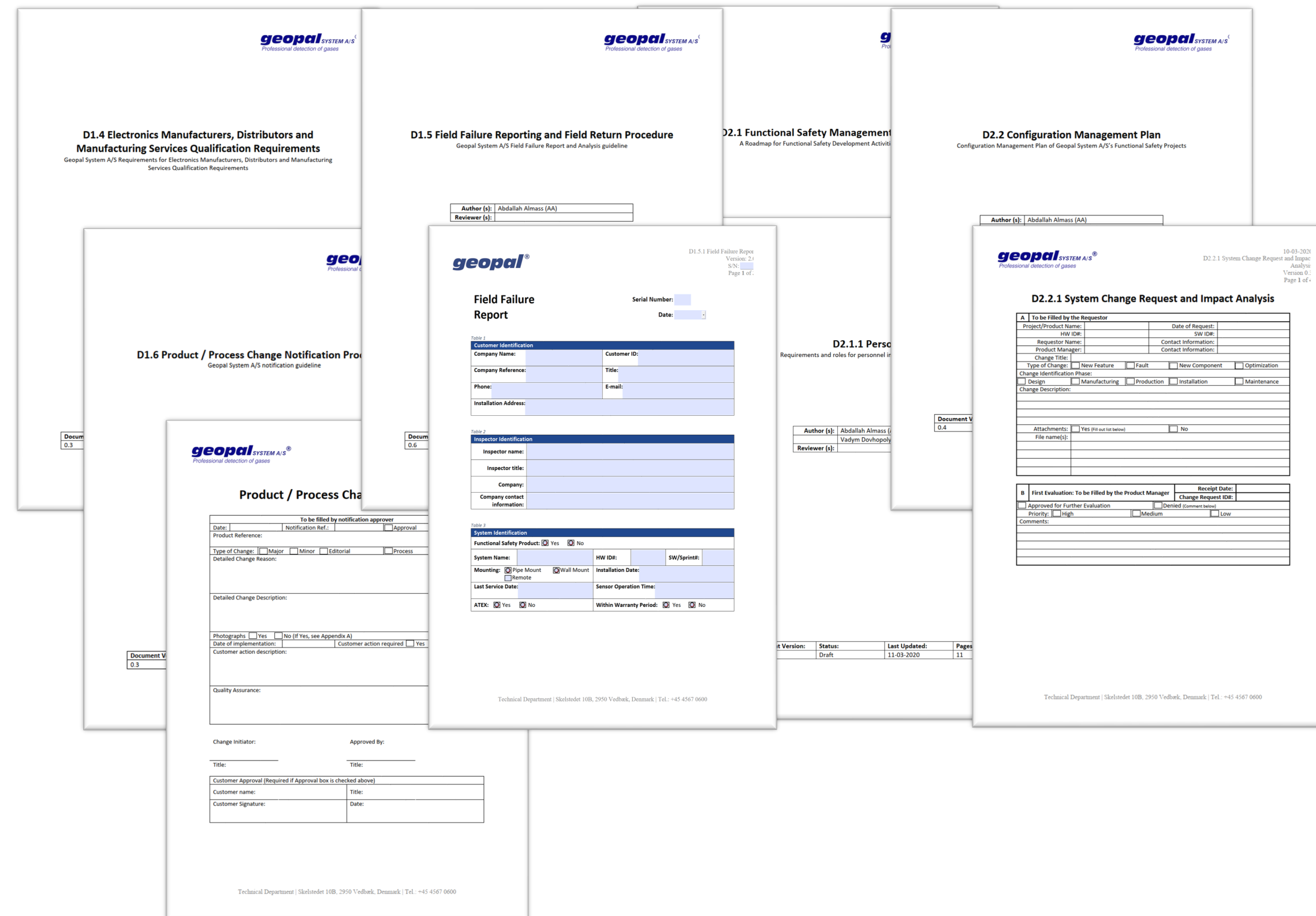
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## Internal Procedures

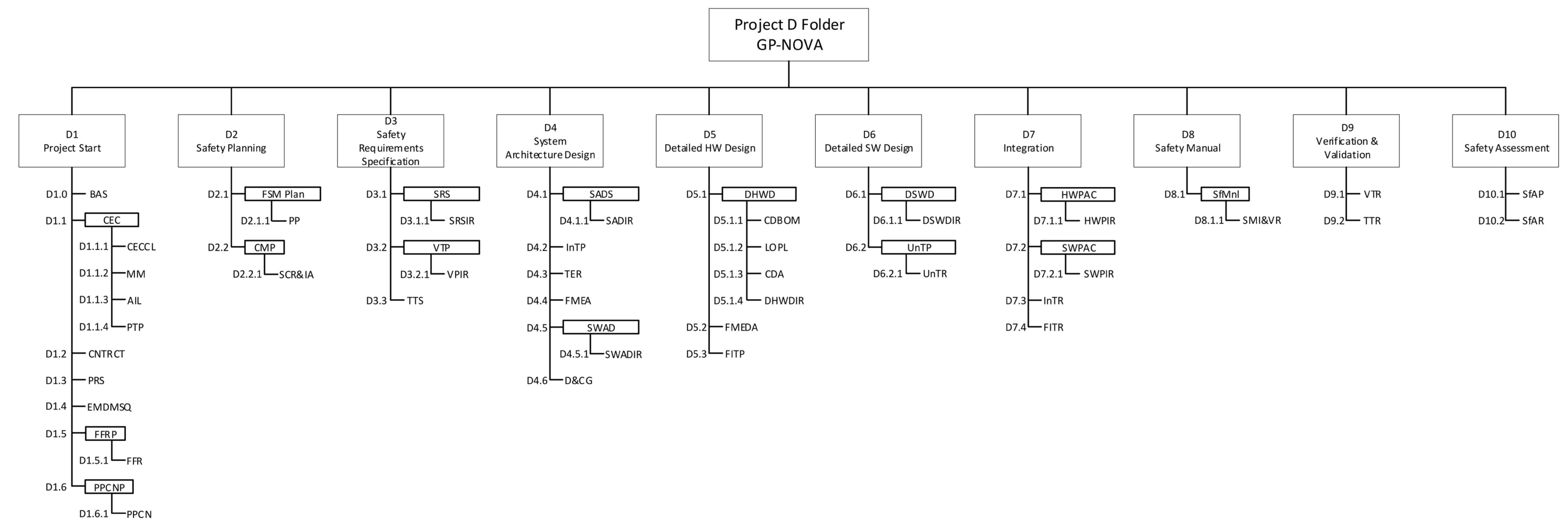




## Requirements and Documentation

### IEC 61508 General Requirements:

- **Management of Functional Safety**
- Safety Cycle Process
- Functional Safety Management Planning
- Configuration Management
- Documentation
- Training
- Functional Safety Assessment
- **Requirements Management**
- **Architecture Design**
- **Design and Implementation**
- **Verification and Validation – Testing**
- Integration Testing
- Safety Validation Testing
- **Modification and Change Management**
- **Safety Manual**





Architecture

There are 3 MCUs in the system:

- 1. Safety MCU
- 2. Application MCU
- 3. Bluetooth MCU

Safety MCU
System Power Circuitry
Sensor Input stage
Analog Output
Relays



Application MCU
Optical Buttons
Display
LED
Communication with RS-485 Modbus RTU module
Communication with Bluetooth Module
Micro SD Card (Logger)

Bluetooth MCU
Wireless communication (App)



Design


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**General Specifications:**

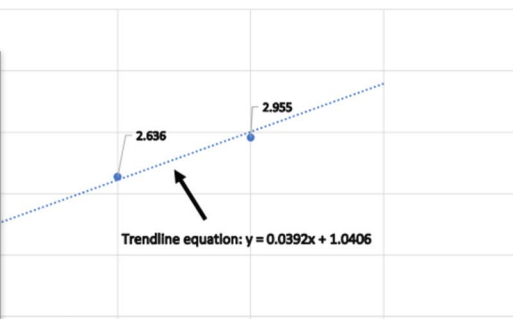
Operating Specifications:	
Detected Gases	Flammable Gases (Specifications are based on the detection of Methane/Natural Gas)
Standard Concentration Range	0-60% LEL
Recommended Bridge Voltage	2.0V +/- 0.1V
Current Consumption (at Recommended Bridge Voltage)	175mA +/- 15mA
Bridge zero offset	0 +/- 30mV
Minimum Output Sensitivity	50 mV for 1% CH <sub>4</sub>
Linearity	Effectively Linear to 60% LEL
Response Time (Measured as T90)	<8secs
Accuracy (Measured as Repeatability)	± 0.5mV for Zero ± 1% LEL for Gas Sensitivity
Long Term Stability Drift	Sensitivity: Less than +/- 1% signal / month Zero: Less than +/- 1mV / month
Expected Lifetime in the field	> 3 Years.
Warranty Period	24 Months


Environmental Specifications:	
Temperature Range	-40°
Standard constant Humidity Range	15 %
Standard constant Pressure Range	1at
Recommended storage Temperature Range	0 to
Recommended Maximum Storage Time	6 m

**Mechanical Data**



The average output voltage of 10 NP-17, as function of %LEL Methane (4.4 vol.-% = 100 %LEL, Flow rate = 0.5 L/min)





**5.2. How to Use Assumptions**

The following assumption is taken when the sensor is incorporated in a safety-related system or integrated into a gas detector:

- the sensor is intended to be used in **SIL 2** for **low demand** applications
- sensor diagnostics shall include
  - monitoring of the max allowed difference between channels  $|tgsVch1-tgsVch2| < 0.3V$
  - output voltage of the sensor is inside the valid range  $0.3V > tgsVch1 > 2.68V$
  - sensing element supply voltage is inside the valid range  $1.9V > seVcc > 2.1V$
  - input supply voltage is inside the valid range  $8.0V > 5VDC > 5.5V$
  - Gas concentration level low limit monitoring  $GCL > 10\%LEL$
- periodical service shall include
  - periodical proof test is performed. The test includes target gas applying
  - periodical calibration (offset and/or span) is performed. The maximum expected offset drifting during the lifetime is  $\pm 0.2V$ . This drift is already included in the output voltage valid range diagnostics
- periodical service steps shall be taken after each exposure to high gas or low oxygen
- sensor replacing before the its lifetime has been gone. The lifetime of the sensor is **2 years**
- Set point in a transmitter or similar equipment shall be less or equal to **60%LEL**
- for safe operation **60 minutes** warm-up timer shall be implemented into a transmitter or similar equipment in which the sensor is incorporated. The equipment shall provide the safe state during the warm-up time

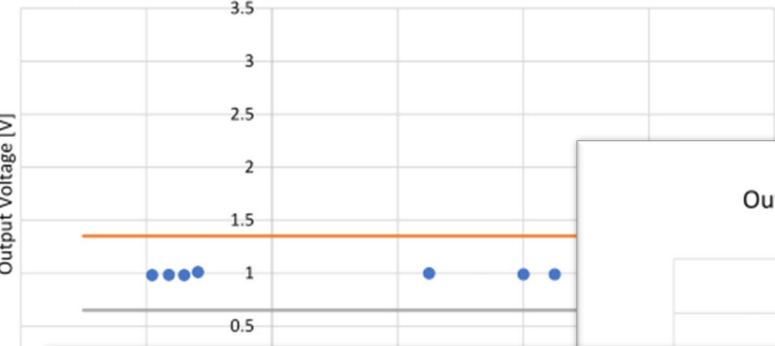
**Table 6 Useful lifetime of components contributing to dangerous undetected failure rate**

Component	Useful Life
Catalytic Bead Sensor	2 years

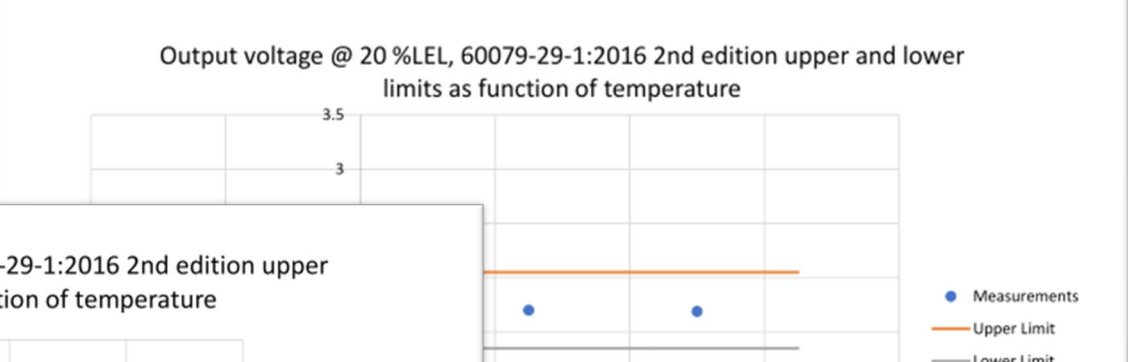
It is the responsibility of the end user to maintain and operate the GP-NOVA per manufacturer's instructions. Furthermore, regular inspection should show that all components are clean and free from damage.

The limiting factor with regard to the useful lifetime of the system is the Catalytic bead sensor. Therefore, the useful is predicted to be 2 years. The remainder of the transmitter is expected to have a useful life of 20 years.

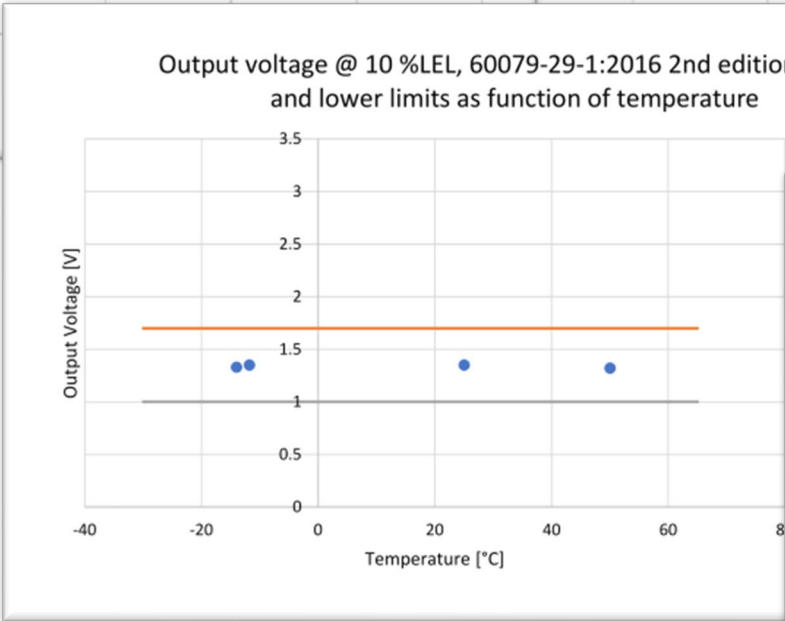
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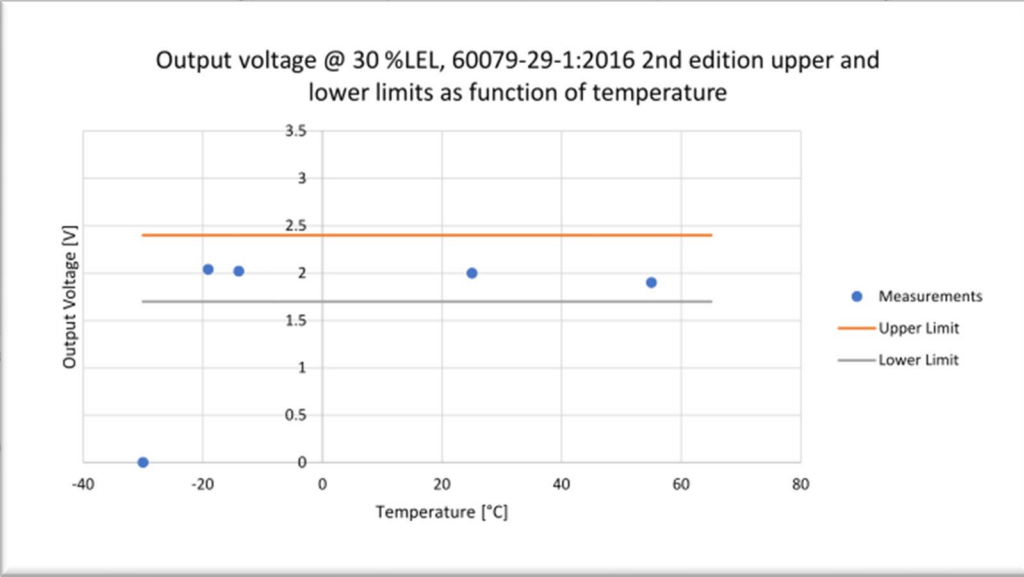
**Output voltage @ 20 %LEL, 60079-29-1:2016 2nd edition upper and lower limits as function of temperature**



**Output voltage @ 10 %LEL, 60079-29-1:2016 2nd edition upper and lower limits as function of temperature**



**Output voltage @ 30 %LEL, 60079-29-1:2016 2nd edition upper and lower limits as function of temperature**



**Example**

$V_{tgs\ min} \approx 0 - \leq 0.3\ V$

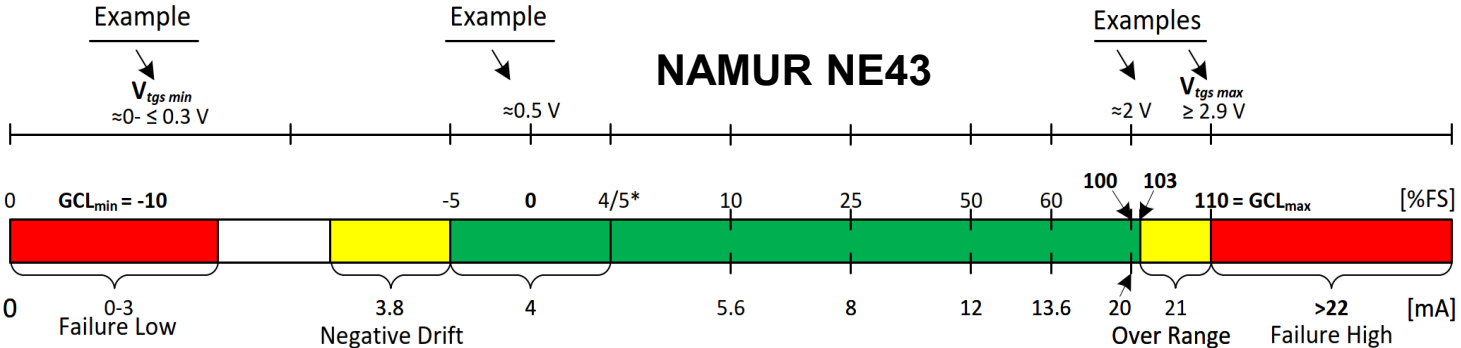
**Example**


$\approx 0.5\ V$

**Examples**

$\approx 2\ V$   $V_{tgs\ max} \geq 2.9\ V$

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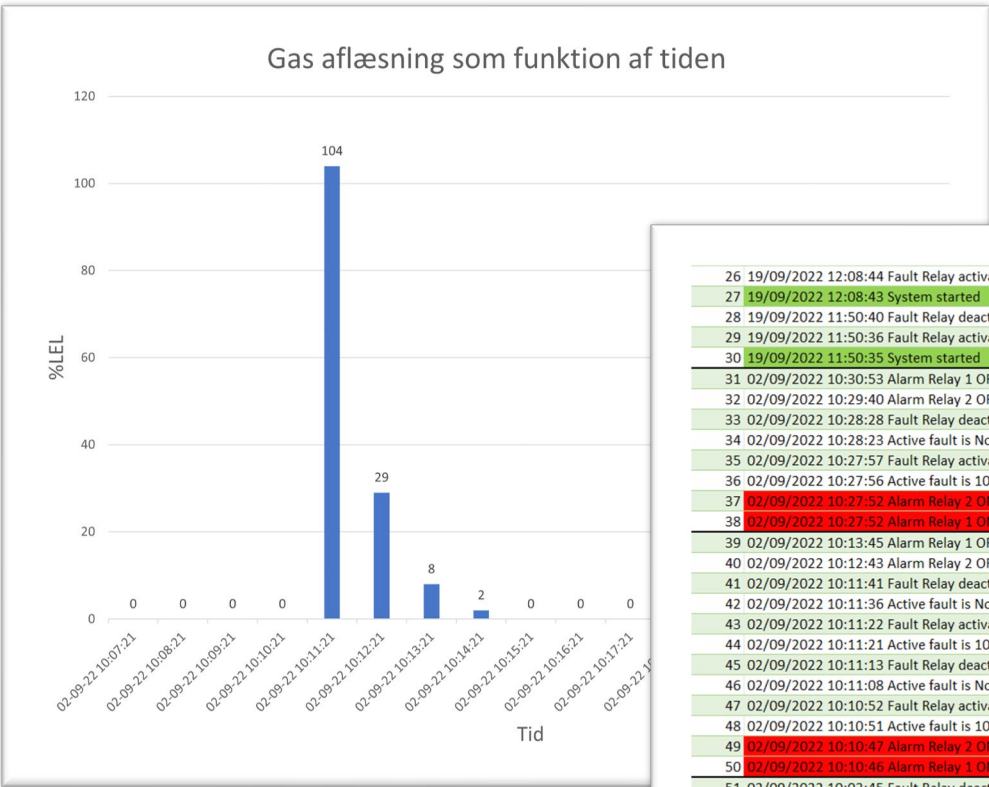
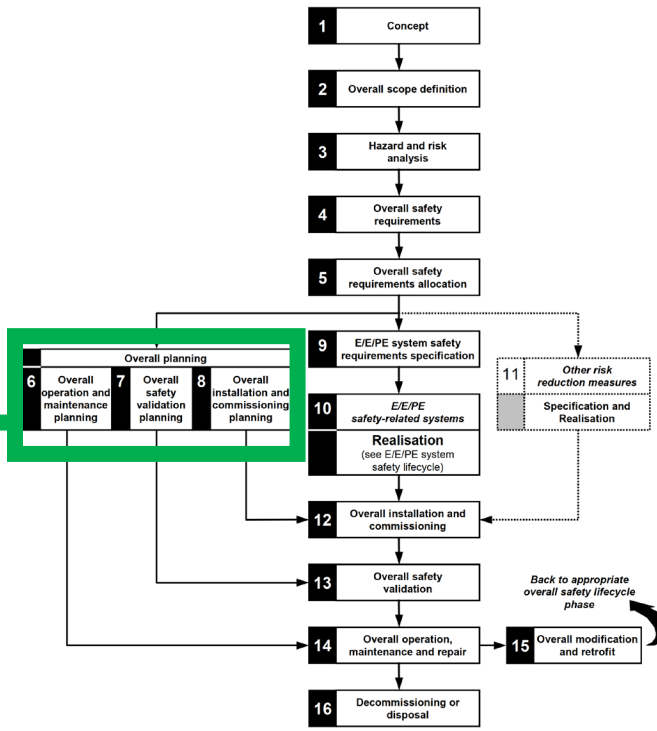
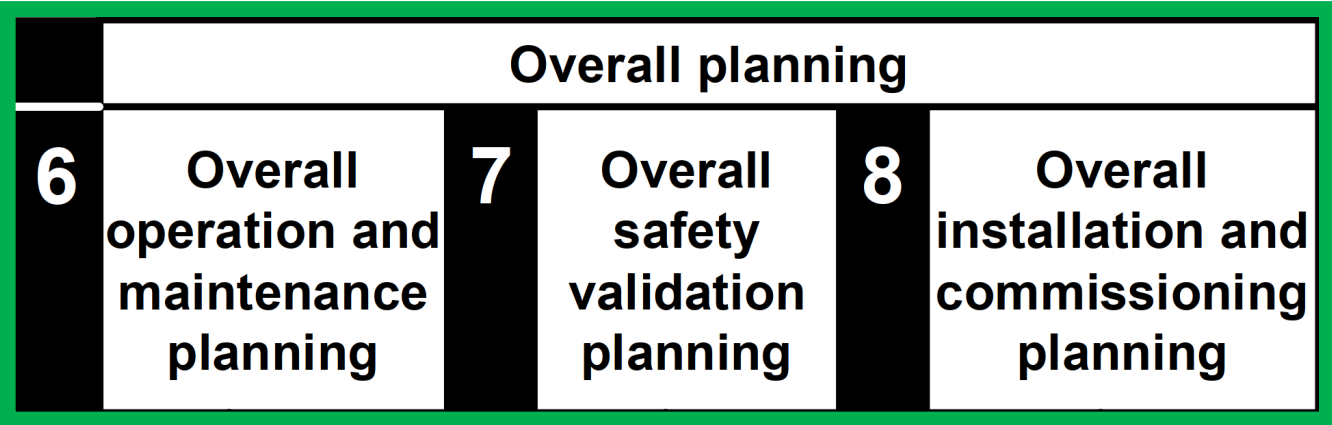
- 8.10 Timing of installation during construction operations
- 8.11 Commissioning
- 8.12 Operating instructions, plans and records
- 10 Training of operational personnel
- 11 Maintenance, routine procedures and general administrative control
  - 11.2 Operational checks
    - 11.2.2 Fixed systems
      - a) Regular visual inspection.
      - b) Regular functional verification.
      - c) Regular re-calibration
      - d) System operation test
  - 11.8.2.7 Maintenance record

Show Log  
19/09/2020 11:22:15  
System Started  
Exit  
0.0 %LEL

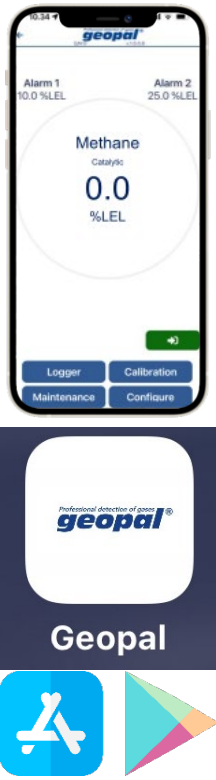
Methane  
0.0 %LEL  
Alarm 1  
10.0

Service  
Service Period  
Last Service  
6 Months  
15/09/2020  
0.0 %LEL

Calibration History  
Ga 50.0 → 50.0  
Va 1.75 → 1.74  
Vo 0.75 → 0.74  
Vs0 0.90 → 0.90  
0.0 %LEL Alarm 1 10.0 Alarm 2 25.0



26 19/09/2022 12:08:44 Fault Relay activated	
27 19/09/2022 12:08:43 System started	
28 19/09/2022 11:50:40 Fault Relay deactivated	
29 19/09/2022 11:50:36 Fault Relay activated	
30 19/09/2022 11:50:35 System started	
31 02/09/2022 10:30:53 Alarm Relay 1 Off	
32 02/09/2022 10:29:40 Alarm Relay 2 Off	
33 02/09/2022 10:28:28 Fault Relay deactivated	
34 02/09/2022 10:28:23 Active fault is None	
35 02/09/2022 10:27:57 Fault Relay activated	
36 02/09/2022 10:27:56 Active fault is 10006	
37 02/09/2022 10:27:52 Alarm Relay 2 ON	
38 02/09/2022 10:27:52 Alarm Relay 1 ON	
39 02/09/2022 10:13:45 Alarm Relay 1 Off	
40 02/09/2022 10:12:43 Alarm Relay 2 Off	
41 02/09/2022 10:11:41 Fault Relay deactivated	
42 02/09/2022 10:11:36 Active fault is None	
43 02/09/2022 10:11:22 Fault Relay activated	
44 02/09/2022 10:11:21 Active fault is 10006	
45 02/09/2022 10:11:13 Fault Relay deactivated	
46 02/09/2022 10:11:08 Active fault is None	
47 02/09/2022 10:10:52 Fault Relay activated	
48 02/09/2022 10:10:51 Active fault is 10006	
49 02/09/2022 10:10:47 Alarm Relay 2 ON	
50 02/09/2022 10:10:46 Alarm Relay 1 ON	
51 02/09/2022 10:03:45 Fault Relay deactivated	
52 02/09/2022 10:03:45 Logout (Admin)	
53 02/09/2022 10:02:22 Fault Relay activated	





Installation, Commissioning, Operation, and Maintenance

1 Safety



**PAY ATTENTION**  
Please read, understand, and follow the instruction below.

SPECIFIC INFORMATION FOR EXPLOSION PROTECTION

- Do not open when an explosive gas is present
- Blanking elements shipped with the enclosure are included as part of the certificate for the complete equipment. Only use ATEX/IECEx certified blanking elements, in case of replacement.
- For information about the dimensions of the flameproof joints, the manufacturer must be contacted.

GENERAL

- Only trained personnel can assemble, install, and conduct maintenance of the system, include but not limited to training in ATEX/IECEx and functional safety.
- Before any interaction with the system, please read and understand all warnings, instructions, and descriptions presented in this manual.
- Use only genuine Geopal replacement parts and accessories when performing any maintenance procedure. Failure to comply will invalidate the certifications and warranty.
- Do not install, mount, disassemble the system within a hazardous working environment.
- Do not subject the system to silicone lubricants and/or vapors. Silicone can inhibit and/or permanently damage catalytic/pellistor type sensors.
- Do not paint near the system.
- Do not place the detector under direct sunlight.
- To reduce the risk of unauthorized access, enable and frequently change system passwords.
- For optimum utilization of the detector's visual features, avoid placing and/or subject the detector to direct light.
- Calibration must be conducted in a gas-free environment. If in doubt, conduct zero-calibration using clean canned atmospheric air.
- Overrange gas concentration reading and/or failure high of the system may indicate the presence of high explosive and/or toxic gas concentration.
- Any flameproof parts, joints, and plugs shall not be repaired.
- Conduct regularly visual inspection and bump tests to ensure that the gas can reach the sensor and the system is reacting to the gas concentration as intended
- Beware of electrostatic charge. When cleaning, use only a damp black/dark cloth.
- Use of alcohol near the system may result in a gas reading and thereby trigger an alarm.
- Always refer to system certifications, safety manual, and this user manual.

FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THE ABOVE CAN RESULT IN SERIOUS PERSONAL INJURY AND/OR DEATH!



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4 Installation



**PAY ATTENTION**  
After reading and understanding Section 1. Safety, ensure the following:

- Product, documents, and mounting parts identification
- Placement and mounting of detector
- Power ratings available for the system
- System start-up, calibration, functional verification, and documentation on-site

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**NOTE**  
Geopal Installation and Commissioning Report template is available upon request.

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Installation & Commissioning Report

Serial Number:

Date:

Table 1

Customer Identification

Company Name:

Customer ID:

Company Reference:

Title:

Phone:

E-mail:

Installation Address:

Table 2

Inspector Identification

Inspector name:

Inspector title:

Company:

Company contact information:

Table 3

System Identification

Functional Safety Product: ☒ Yes ☐ No

System Name:

SW ID:

SW/PrintID:

Mounting: ☒ Pipe Mount ☐ Remote ☐ Wall Mount

Installation Date:

Last Service Date:

Sensor Operation Time:

ATEX: ☒ Yes ☐ No

Within Warranty Period: ☒ Yes ☐ No

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Company Reference:

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Table 2

Inspector Identification

Inspector name:

Inspector title:

Company:

Company contact information:

Table 3

System Identification

Functional Safety Product: ☒ Yes ☐ No

System Name:

SW ID:

SW/PrintID:

Mounting: ☒ Pipe Mount ☐ Remote ☐ Wall Mount

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Last Service Date:

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ATEX: ☒ Yes ☐ No

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Customer Identification

Company Name:

Customer ID:

Company Reference:

Title:

Phone:

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Installation Address:

Table 2

Inspector Identification

Inspector name:

Inspector title:

Company:

Company contact information:

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7 Maintenance

Many factors dictate how and how often a maintenance procedure should be conducted. Site routines, environmental factors, and other operating conditions will have a direct effect on the frequency of routine maintenance and tests. However, Geopal recommends conducting a servicing routine every six months and a test routine every three months as a minimum.

7.1 Service Routine

A service routine must at least include the following:

- Visual inspection: Check all ATEX parts including cable glands for defect and/or damage.
- Clean the system with a damp black cloth.
- Check the system time and date. If incorrect, update them.
- Check and record the last service date.
- Check and record sensor operation time.
- Check the system logs.
- Check and record sensor signal values from the last calibration.
- Conduct system calibration.
- Conduct bump test.
- Reset service timer.
- Reset sensor operation time (if the is replaced).

7.2 Bump Test

The purpose of a bump test is to check if the system is operating as intended or not. During this test, the system is subjected to a well-known gas concentration, enough to trigger alarm 2. The system will pass based on the following criteria:

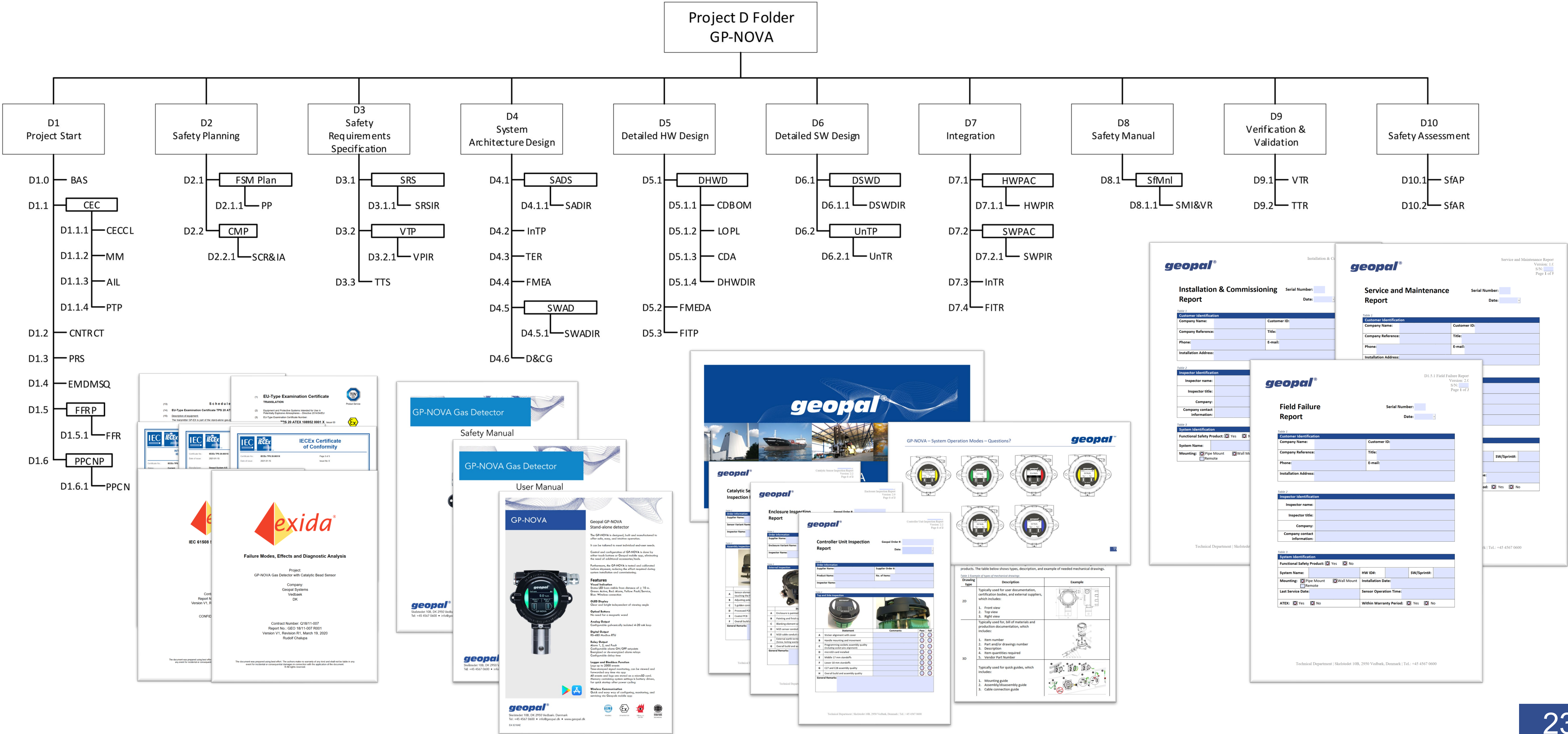
- System display and visual indication, LED bars, are operating as intended during Normal operation and Alarm state.
- The analog output has a value corresponding to the applied gas.
- The alarm relays get activated at on and off setpoints.
- The Modbus RTU is sending a value corresponding to the applied gas and events.



**NOTE**  
Geopal Maintenance Report template is available upon request.



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### 6 Management of functional safety

#### 6.1 Objectives

**6.1.1** The first objective of the requirements of this clause is to specify the responsibilities in the management of functional safety of those who have responsibility for an E/E/PE safety-related system, or for one or more phases of the overall E/E/PE system and software safety lifecycles.

**6.1.2** The second objective of the requirements of this clause is to specify the activities to be carried out by those with responsibilities in the management of functional safety.

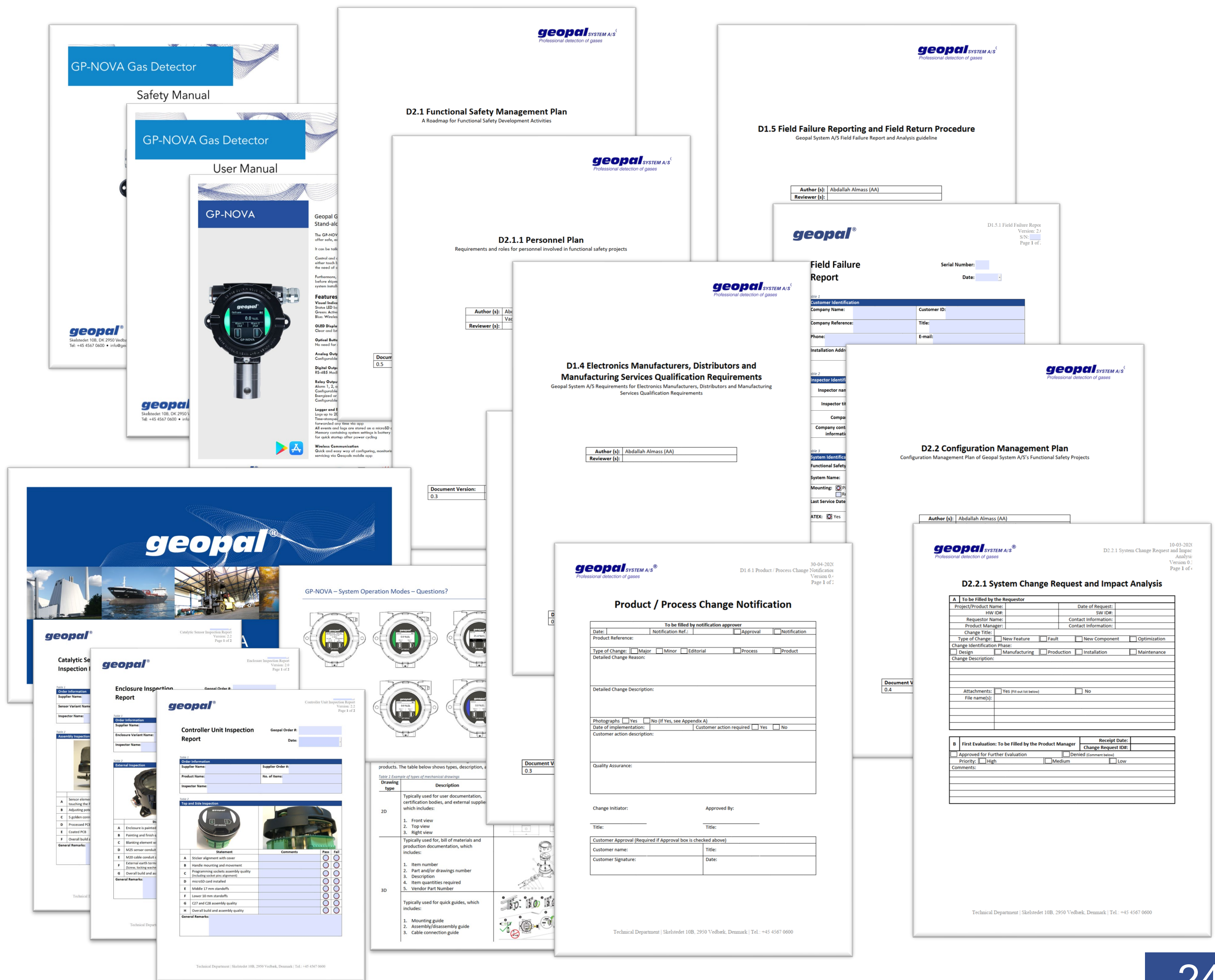
#### 6.2 Requirements

**6.2.1** An organisation with responsibility for an E/E/PE safety-related system, or for one or more phases of the overall, E/E/PE system or software safety lifecycle, shall appoint one or more persons to take overall responsibility for:

- the system and for its lifecycle phases;
- coordinating the safety-related activities carried out in those phases;
- the interfaces between those phases and other phases carried out by other organisations;
- carrying out the requirements of 6.2.2 to 6.2.11 and 6.2.13;
- coordinating functional safety assessments (see 6.2.12 b) and Clause 8) – particularly where those carrying out the functional safety assessment differ between phases – including communication, planning, and integrating the documentation, judgements and recommendations;
- ensuring that functional safety is achieved and demonstrated in accordance with the objectives and requirements of this standard.

NOTE Responsibility for safety-related activities, or for safety lifecycle phases, may be delegated to other persons, particularly those with relevant expertise, and different persons could be responsible for different activities and requirements. However, the responsibility for coordination, and for overall functional safety, should reside in one or a small number of persons with sufficient management authority.

**6.2.2** The policy and strategy for achieving functional safety shall be specified, together with the means for evaluating their achievement, and the means by which they are communicated within the organization.





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