



# DET NORSKE VERITAS

## TYPE APPROVAL CERTIFICATE

CERTIFICATE NO. K-2258  
This Certificate consists of 3 pages

*This is to certify that the*  
**Plastic Pipes, Thermoplastic**

*with type designation(s)*  
**INSTAFLEX®; PB PN10 Pipes**

*Manufactured by*  
**Georg Fischer Rohrleitungssysteme AG**  
**(at Gerodur MPM, Neustadt, Germany)**  
Schaffhausen, Switzerland

*is found to comply with*  
Det Norske Veritas' Rules for Classification of Ships  
Det Norske Veritas' Type Approval Program for Thermoplastic Piping, preliminary

*Application*  
For non-essential systems, for heating systems, hot and cold water and chilled water. For inst. acc. to DNV Rules and Manufacturer's Spec. The piping system is not tested w.r.t. Fire Endurance performance. Flame Spread tested acc. to ASTM D635.

*Place and date*  
Høvik, 2003-04-22  
for DET NORSKE VERITAS AS



*This Certificate is valid until*  
2007-06-30

*Local Office*  
DNV Essen

*Surveyor*  
Gisle Hersvik

**Notice: This Certificate is subject to terms and conditions overleaf. Any significant change in design or construction may render this Certificate invalid. The validity date relates to the Type Approval Certificate and not to the approval of equipment/systems installed.**

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## Product description

Polybutylene (PB) PN10 Pipes (Straight).

Dimensions: D16 to D110 (as per +GF+ PB Product Catalogue)

### Pipes:

	Outside diameters and minimum wall thickness									
OD [mm]	16	20	25	32	40	50	63	75	90	110
t [mm]	2,2	2,8	2,3	2,9	3,7	4,6	5,8	6,8	8,2	10,0

### Fittings:

To be fitted with Type Approved fittings intended used with the INSTAFLEX® pipes.

### Joining techniques:

Socket and Electrofusion

## Application/Limitation

For installation according to DNV Rules and Manufacturer's Specification.

For non-essential systems, for heating systems, hot and cold water and chilled water (fresh and seawater) up to 10 bar. Service temperature 0°C to 70°C (short periods up to 95°C).

The piping system is not tested with respect to Fire Endurance performance.

Flame Spread tested according to ASTM D635 with maximum average burning rate 32.2 mm/min.

## Type Approval documentation

1. Letter from DNV Essen of 2002-04-18, including letter from +GF+ of 2002-04-11, Application for Type Approval dated 2002-04-11, Georg Fischer +GF+ PB Product Catalogue and Georg Fischer +GF+ INSTAFLEX® Technical Manual, and test results.
2. Letter from DNV Essen of 2002-09-28, including various test results.
3. Letter from DNV Essen dated 2001-12-09, including Survey Report ESN-02-3625 of 2002-12-06.
4. Letters from +GF+ of 2003-02-13 and 2002-02-21, including test results and Application for Type Approvals dated 2003-01-14.
5. Various correspondences in the period April 2002 – March 2003.



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### Tests carried out

Type Testing carried out according to **Type Approval documentation**.

### Marking of product

Product shall be marked with *manufacturer's name*; **Georg Fischer Rohrleitungssysteme AG (at Gerodur MPM, Neustadt, Germany), Schaffhausen, Switzerland** and *type designation*.

### Certificate Retention/Renewal Survey

Surveys to be carried out at both *Georg Fischer Rohrleitungssysteme AG* and *HAKA Gerodur MPM*.

The scope of the Retention/Renewal Survey is to verify that the conditions stipulated for the Type Approval is complied with and that no alterations are made to the product design or choice of materials.

Survey to be performed after two (2) years (Certificate Retention Survey) and at renewal after four (4) years (Certificate Renewal Survey).

The main elements of the survey are:

- Ensure that **Type Approval documentation** is available.
- Review design, materials, production process, and performance with respect to possible changes, in order to ensure compliance with **Type Approval documentation** and/or referenced material specifications.
- Ensure traceability between manufacturer's product marking and the DNV Type Approval Certificate.

END OF CERTIFICATE

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