



Certificate / Certificat Zertifikat / 合格証

BIF 1102075 C003

exida hereby confirms that the:

SPR Series Spool Valves (1/4 to 1 inch Body Sizes)

**Bifold Fluidpower Ltd.
Chadderton, Manchester - UK**

Has been assessed per the relevant requirements of:

IEC 61508 : 2010 Parts 1-2

and meets requirements providing a level of integrity to:

Systematic Capability: SC 3 (SIL 3 Capable)

Random Capability: Type A, Route 2_H Device

**PFH/PFD_{AVG} and Architecture Constraints
must be verified for each application**

Safety Function:

The Spool Valve will move to the designed safe position when de-energized within the specified safety time.

Application Restrictions:

The unit must be properly designed into a Safety Instrumented Function per the Safety Manual requirements.

The manufacturer may use the mark:



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October 1, 2026



Evaluating Assessor

Certifying Assessor

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Systematic Capability:

The Product has met manufacturer design process requirements of Safety Integrity Level (SIL) 3. These are intended to achieve sufficient integrity against systematic errors of design by the manufacturer.

A Safety Instrumented Function (SIF) designed with this product must not be used at a SIL level higher than stated.

Random Capability:

The SIL limit imposed by the Architectural Constraints must be met for each element. This Device meets *exida* criteria for Route 2_H.

IEC 61508 Failure Rates in FIT*

Model	Application	λ_{SD}	λ_{SU}	λ_{DD}	λ_{DU}
SPRxx-P1(or P16)-32-Nx-00	De-Energize to Trip	0	137	0	205
SPRxx-P1-52-Nx-00	De-Energize to Trip	0	143	0	246

* FIT = 1 failure / 10⁹ hours

SIL Verification:

The Safety Integrity Level (SIL) of an entire Safety Instrumented Function (SIF) must be verified via a calculation of PFH/PFD_{AVG} considering redundant architectures, proof test interval, proof test effectiveness, any automatic diagnostics, average repair time and the specific failure rates of all products included in the SIF. Each subsystem must be checked to assure compliance with minimum hardware fault tolerance (HFT) requirements.

The following documents are a mandatory part of certification:

Assessment Report: BIF 11/02-075 R002 V5R1 (or later)

Safety Manual: SIL-SM.008 Rev 8 or later



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SPRxx-P1(or P16)-32-
Nx-00 and SPRxx-P1-
52-Nx-00 Series Valves