

Information about the Pressure Equipment Directive (PED) 97/23/EG

Since June 2002, the PED will replace all national directives as TRD and TRbF. The following regulations will be valid for instrument valves and air headers from Armaturenfabrik Schneider.

According to the PED guideline 2/17 Instrument valves and manifolds with ND < 25 are classified acc. to section 3.3 (sound engineering practice).

A CE marking is not permitted to be done.

This regulation applies to:

- Shut-off valves
- Manifolds
- Manifold combinations
- Monoflanges
- Multi-way cocks
- VariAS - Blocks
- Ball valves
- Gauge protectors
- Gauge snubbers
- Condensation chambers
- Water syphons

According to the PED, there is no marking obligation for flanges and flush rings.

Orifices are subject to the PED and are not classified acc. to section 3.3.

Air headers are designed for media listed in Group II and are integrated into vessels.


In case of a classification to the following categories, the respective marking will be made:

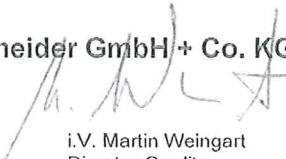
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| 1. Article 3.3 | no marking |
| 2. Category I | Module A Marking „CE“ |
| 3. Category II | Module A1 Marking „CE 0036“ |
| 4. Category III | Module B+C1 Marking „CE 0036“ |

Module A	Internal manufacturing control
Module A1	Internal manufacturing control with inspection test
Module B+C1	Test and conformity of design

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