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**Subject:** Classification – Condensate trap

**Question:** How to consider, for the application of PED, a condensate trap installed on piping?

**Answer:** A condensate trap is intended to play an operational role which is the collection of condensates. Therefore it is generally considered as a pressure accessory, placed on the market with CE marking where appropriate.

However, a condensate trap specifically designed and manufactured as a part of a given item of piping may be assessed as part of the whole piping and, in that case, is not subject to individual CE marking.

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