General Safety Instructions

General Safety Instructions determine, for defined fields of activity or defined types of equipment, how Safety Regulations (SR), Safety Plans and Procedures (SP) must be implemented. These General Safety Instructions are usually issued to cover CERN-wide aspects.
**GSI-C-1 - Prevention and protection measures** | - Chemical - | en fr

The purpose of this General Safety Instruction is to define the minimum Safety requirements which prevention and protection measures must satisfy in order to ensure the protection of persons from risks to their health and safety arising, or likely to arise, from the effects of hazardous chemical agents that are present at the workplace or used in any CERN activity.

It applies to any CERN activity involving hazardous chemical agents.

**GSI-C-2 - Explosive atmospheres** | - Chemical - | en fr

The purpose of this General Safety Instruction is to define the minimum Safety requirements to ensure the protection of persons from risks to their occupational health and safety arising, or likely to arise, from explosive atmospheres.

It applies to all CERN activities involving hazardous chemical agents where explosive atmospheres are present or may be present.

**GSI-C-3 - Monitoring of exposure to hazardous chemical agents in workplace atmospheres** | - Chemical - | en fr

The purpose of this General Safety Instruction is to define the minimum Safety requirements regarding the monitoring of exposure to hazardous chemical agents in workplace atmospheres.

It applies to all CERN activities where hazardous chemical agents are present or are likely to be present in workplace atmospheres.

**GSI-M1 - Standard Lifting Equipment (Obsolete)**

**GSI-M-1 - Lifting equipment and accessories** | - Mechanical - | en fr
The purpose of this General Safety Instruction is to define the minimum Safety requirements applying to all lifting equipment and accessories belonging to or hired by CERN or the collaborating institutions, used or intended for use at CERN, and to all associated activities. This General Safety Instruction does not apply to the following: • the structures supporting lifting equipment; • lifts, as defined in General Safety Instruction GSI-M-5 “Lifts”.

GSI-M2 - Standard Pressure Equipment (Obsolete)

**GSI-M-2 - Standard pressure equipment | Mechanical | en fr**

The purpose of this General Safety Instruction is to define the minimum Safety requirements applying to all standard pressure equipment and accessories belonging to or hired by CERN or the collaborating institutions, used or intended for use at CERN, and to all associated activities. This General Safety Instruction does not apply to the following: • fire extinguishers; • pressure equipment used with an open-flame; • heating, ventilation and air conditioning (HVAC) equipment; • cryogenic equipment.

GSI-M3 - Special Mechanical Equipment (Obsolete)

Covered by SR-M v.2

**GSI-M-4 - Cryogenic equipment | Mechanical | en fr**

The purpose of this General Safety Instruction is to define the minimum Safety requirements applying to all cryogenic equipment and accessories belonging to or hired by CERN or the collaborating institutions, used or intended for use at CERN, and to all associated activities.

**GSI-M-5 - Lifts | Mechanical | en fr**

The purpose of this General Safety Instruction is to define the minimum Safety requirements applying to lifts and their safety components used or intended for use at CERN. This General Safety Instruction does apply to the worksite lifts.

**GSI-SH-1 - Visits on the CERN site | Safety_Health | en fr**
The purpose of this General Safety Instruction is to define the minimum Safety requirements for all types of visits on the CERN site.

**GSI-SH-2 - Lone working** | - Safety_Health - | en fr

The purpose of this General Safety Instruction is to define the minimum Safety requirements for lone working.

GSI-OHS1 - Visits on the CERN site (Obsolete)

**GSI-SO-1 - Departmental Safety Officer (DSO)** | - Organizational - | en fr

The purpose of this General Safety Instruction is to define the terms of reference of the Departmental Safety Officer (DSO).

**GSI-SO-2 - Territorial Safety Officer (TSO)** | - Organizational - | en fr

The purpose of this General Safety Instruction is to define the terms of reference of the Territorial Safety Officer (TSO).

**GSI-SO-3 - Safety Linkperson (SLP)** | - Organizational - | en fr

The purpose of this General Safety Instruction is to define the terms of reference of the Safety Linkperson (SLP).

**GSI-SO-4 - Large Experiment Group Leader in Matters of Safety (LEXGLIMOS)** | - Organizational - | en fr

The purpose of this General Safety Instruction is to define the terms of reference of the Large Experiment Group Leader in Matters of Safety (LEXGLIMOS).

**GSI-SO-5 - Experiment Safety Officer (EXSO)** | - Organizational - | en fr
The purpose of this General Safety Instruction is to define the terms of reference of the Experiment Safety Officer (EXSO).

**GSI-SO-6 - Specialised Safety Officer (SSO) | - Organizational - | en fr**

The purpose of this General Safety Instruction is to define the terms of reference of the Specialised Safety Officer (SSO).

**GSI-SO-7 - Project Safety Officer (PSO) | - Organizational - | en fr**

The purpose of this General Safety Instruction is to define the terms of reference of the Project Safety Officer (PSO).

**GSI-SO-8 - Radiation Safety Support Officer (RSSO) | - Organizational - | en fr**

The purpose of this General Safety Instruction is to define the terms of reference of the Radiation Safety Support Officer (RSSO).

**GSI-SO-9 - Departmental Safety Officers Committee (DSOC) | - Organizational - | en fr**

The purpose of this General Safety Instruction is to define the terms of reference of the Departmental Safety Officers Committee (DSOC).

**GSI-SO-10 - Complex Safety Advisory Panel (CSAP) | - Organizational - | en fr**

The purpose of this General Safety Instruction is to define the terms of reference of the Complex Safety Advisory Panel (CSAP).

**GSI-SO-11 - Specialised Safety Officers Committees (SSOC) | - Organizational - | en fr**
The purpose of this General Safety Instruction is to define the terms of reference of the Specialised Safety Officers Committees (SSOC).

**GSI-SO-12 - Workshop Supervisor (WS)** | - Organizational - | en fr

The purpose of this General Safety Instruction is to define the terms of reference of the Workshop Supervisor (WS).

**GSI-SO-13 - Establishment and revision of the CERN Safety Rules** | - Organizational - | en fr

The purpose of this General Safety Instruction is to define the different types of the CERN Safety Rules and the principles and procedures governing their establishment and revision.

**GSI-WS-1 - Safety coordination for works and services** | - Worksite - | en fr

The purpose of this General Safety Instruction is to define the minimum Safety requirements for the Safety coordination of operations, managed by CERN or otherwise and executed on the CERN site.

This General Safety Instruction does not apply to the following:
- design aspects;
- technical provisions for the layout of the work area and the execution of works and services;
- organisation of medical monitoring based on the risks associated with the activity or with the location where the operation is carried out.

*This General Safety Instruction shall be implemented as from 1st of June 2016.*