

Shredder DIN Level Classifications

In 2013, document destruction security level specifications identified in DIN 32757 were replaced with the new DIN 66399 specifications. The new DIN 66399 had implications on the shredding security levels that were previously in place.



WHAT CHANGED?

- 7 security levels of protection are defined within DIN 66399, where prior to 2013 there were only 5 security levels.
- There are specific classification levels dependent upon the type of media being destroyed; for example, there are different levels specified for paper vs. CDs and DVDs vs. Hard Disks.

DIN 66399 LEVEL CLASSIFICATIONS

CLASSIFICATION	ORIGINAL FORM	OPTICAL MEDIA
EXAMPLES	PAPER, FILM, ETC	CD, DVD
1	P-1 Particle size $\leq 3.10 \text{ in}^2$ or strip-cut $\leq 0.472 \text{ in}$	O-1 Particle size $\leq 3.10 \text{ in}^2$
2	P-2 Particle size $\leq 1.24 \text{ in}^2$ or strip-cut $\leq 0.236 \text{ in}$	O-2 Particle size $\leq 1.24 \text{ in}^2$
3	P-3 Particle size $\leq 0.496 \text{ in}^2$ or strip-cut $\leq 0.078 \text{ in}$	O-3 Particle size $\leq 0.248 \text{ in}^2$
4	P-4 Particle size $\leq 0.248 \text{ in}^2$	O-4 Particle size $\leq 0.046 \text{ in}^2$
5	P-5 Particle size $\leq 0.046 \text{ in}^2$	O-5 Particle size $\leq 0.015 \text{ in}^2$
6	P-6 Particle size $\leq 0.015 \text{ in}^2$	O-6 Particle size $\leq 0.008 \text{ in}^2$
7	P-7 Particle size $\leq 0.008 \text{ in}^2$	O-7 Particle size $\leq 0.0003 \text{ in}^2$

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Staples No.	Mfr. No.	Model	Rated Cut Size	DIN Standard
898312	3306301	HS-440	1/32" X 3/16"	P-7
898308	3306601	HS-1010	1/32" X 3/16"	P-7
279690	4616301	2250S	5/32"	P-2
284817	4616001	2250C	5/32" X 1 9/16"	P-4
279686	4616601	2250M	2/32" X 9/16"	P-5
279704	4617101	3250S	5/32"	P-2
279688	4617001	3250C	5/32" X 1 9/16"	P-4
279683	4617901	3850S	5/32"	P-2
279685	4617801	3850C	5/32" X 1 9/16"	P-4
279715	4618301	4250S	5/32"	P-2
279713	4618001	4250C	5/32" X 1 9/16"	P-4
279674	4619301	4850S	7/32"	P-2
279710	4619001	4850C	5/32" X 1 9/16"	P-4
898212	3350301	C-525C	5/32" X 1 3/5"	P-4
898213	3350201	C-525	1/4"	P-2
223867	4652001	500C	5/32" X 1 1/2"	P-4
223866	4651501	300C	5/32" X 1 1/2"	P-4
1058319	4653501	200C	5/32" X 1 1/2"	P-4
1058310	4680001	130C	5/32" X 2"	P-3
750294	3312001	125i	7/32"	P-2
750296	3312501	125Ci	5/32" X 1 1/2"	P-4
750292	3322001	225i	7/32"	P-2
811469	3825001	225Ci	5/32" X 1 1/2"	P-4
946198	4620001	225Mi	5/64" X 15/32"	P-5
812732	3830001	325i	7/32"	P-2
811478	3831001	325Ci	5/32" X 1 1/2"	P-4
421207	38420	425i	1/4"	P-2
407529	38425	425Ci	5/32" X 1 1/8"	P-4
487920	38480	485i	1/4"	P-2
487921	38485	485Ci	5/32" X 1 1/8"	P-4
946196	4606001	60Cs	5/32" X 2"	P-3
900983	3343301	69Cb	5/32" X 2"	P-3
946195	4601001	73Ci	5/32" X 1 1/2"	P-4
703104	3227901	79Ci	5/32" X 1 1/2"	P-4
703107	3229901	99Ci	5/32" X 1 1/2"	P-4
56408	4609001	99Ms	5/64" X 9/16"	P-5
1842487	4685101	62MC	7/64" X 25/64"	P-5

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