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## American National Standards

### Call for comment on proposals listed

This section solicits your comments on proposed draft new American National Standards, including the national adoption of ISO and IEC standards, and on proposals to revise, reaffirm or withdraw approval of existing American National Standards. A draft standard is listed in this section under the ANSI-accredited standards developer (ASD) that sponsors it and from whom a copy may be obtained. Comments in connection with a draft American National Standard must be submitted in writing to the ASD no later than the last day of the comment period specified herein. Such comments should be specific to the section(s) of the standard under review and include sufficient detail so as to enable the reader to understand the commenter's position, concerns and suggested alternative language, if appropriate.

★ Standard for consumer products

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## Comment Deadline: May 4, 2003

### UL (Underwriters Laboratories, Inc.)

#### Revisions

BSR/UL 651-200x, Standard for Safety for Schedule 40 and 80 Rigid PVC Conduit and HDPE Conduit (Bulletin Dated April 4, 2003) (revision of ANSI/UL 651-2002)

These requirements cover Schedule 40 and Schedule 80 extruded rigid PVC (poly (vinyl chloride)) electrical conduit, and fittings consisting of elbows and other bends made from and for use with this conduit. The designations "Schedule 40" and "Schedule 80" refer to USA trade sizes of conduit having iron-pipe-size outside diameters and specific wall thicknesses.

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### ASA (ASC S1) (Acoustical Society of America)

#### Revisions

- ★ BSR S1.17/Part 1-200x, Microphone Windscreens - Part 1: Measurements and Specification of Insertion Loss in Still or Slightly Moving Air (revision of ANSI S1.17/Part 1-2000)

This Standard, Part 1 of ANSI S1.17, specifies a test method that characterizes the acoustical performance of windscreens for measuring microphones in still or slightly moving air. The insertion loss is determined by measuring the sound pressure levels at a microphone with and without a windscreen in either a reverberant- (diffuse-) or free-field condition, or both.

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#### New Standards

BSR/BHMA A156.27-200x, Revolving Doors (new standard)

Requirements in this standard apply to power operated revolving type doors which rotate automatically when approached by pedestrians, some small vehicular use, and manual revolving type doors for pedestrians. Included are provisions to reduce the chance of user injury and entrapment. Revolving doors for industrial or trained traffic are not covered in this Standard.

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#### Reaffirmations

BSR INCITS 210-1998 (R200x), Information Technology - High-Performance Parallel Interface - Framing Protocol (HIPPI-FP) (reaffirmation of ANSI INCITS 210-1998)

Recommends revisions to the existing HIPPI-FP standard (Project 702) with the following goals: (a) No changes required for existing applications, (b) additional upper-layer protocol identifiers to support new applications, (c) Inclusion of the material in the separate addendum, (d) It is possible that this proposed standard might define desirable additional capabilities identified during the development process.  
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Defines the mechanical, electrical, timing, and protocol requirements of the SCSI parallel interface to allow conforming devices to inter-operate. The SCSI parallel interface is a local I/O bus that may be operated over a wide range of transfer rates.  
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Recommends the development of a third generation physical interface for Fibre Channel. This interface will be fully backwards-compatible with the architecture defined in both FC-PH and FC-PH-2, but will also incorporate significant new technologies and functionality.  
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Details the SCSI Enclosure Services (SES) command set documents, the commands and parameters necessary to manage and sense the state of the power supplies, cooling devices, displays, indicators, individual drives, and other non-SCSI elements installed in an enclosure.  
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Defines the command set extensions to facilitate operation of SCSI block devices. The clause(s) of this standard pertaining to the SCSI block device class, implemented in conjunction with the applicable clauses of the SCSI-3 Primary Commands, fully specify the standard command set for SCSI block devices.  
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BSR INCITS 314-1998 (R200x), Information Technology - SCSI-3 Medium Changer Commands (SMC) (reaffirmation of ANSI INCITS 314-1998)

Defines the command set extensions for operation of SCSI medium changer devices, and command set extensions that allow medium changer functions in other types of SCSI devices.  
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BSR INCITS 318-1998 (R200x), Information Technology - SCSI Controller Commands-2 (SCC-2) (reaffirmation of ANSI INCITS 318-1998)

Defines the command set extensions to facilitate operation of SCSI storage array devices. Clauses of this standard pertaining to the SCSI storage array device class, implemented in conjunction with the applicable clauses within any of the SCSI command standards, shall specify the standard command set available for SCSI storage arrays.

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BSR INCITS 323-1998 (R200x), Information Technology - High-Performance Parallel Interface - 6400 Mbit/s Physical Layer (HIPPI-6400-PH) (reaffirmation of ANSI INCITS 323-1998)

Specifies a physical-level, point-to-point, full-duplex, link interface for reliable, flow-controlled transmission of user data at 6400 Mbit/s, per direction, across distances of up to 1 km. A parallel copper cable interface for distances of up to 40 m is specified. Connections to a separate longer-distance optical interface are provided. Small fixed-size micropackets provide an efficient, low-latency, structure for small transfers, and a component for large transfers.

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BSR INCITS 325-1998 (R200x), Information Technology - Serial Bus Protocol 2 (SBP-2) (reaffirmation of ANSI INCITS 325-1998)

Defines a protocol for the transport of commands and data over high performance serial bus, as specified in American National Standard for High Performance Serial Bus, ANSI/IEEE1394-1995.

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BSR INCITS 305/AM1-2000 (R200x), Information Technology - SCSI-3 Enclosure Services (SES) (reaffirmation of ANSI INCITS 305/AM1-2000)

Consists of corrections to INCITS 305: 1998.

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BSR INCITS/ISO 4873-1991 (R200x), Information Processing - Bit Code for Information Interchange - Structure and Rules for Implementation (reaffirmation of INCITS/ISO 4873-1991 (R1998))

Standard specifies an 8-bit code derived from, and compatible with, the 7-bit coded character set specified in ISO/IEC 646. The characteristics of this code are also in conformance with the code extension techniques specified in ISO 2022. Also specifies an 8-bit code with a number of options.

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BSR INCITS/ISO 9593-3-1990 (R200x), Information Technology - Computer Graphics - Programmer's Hierarchical Interactive Graphics System (PHIGS) Language Bindings - Part 3: Ada (reaffirmation of INCITS/ISO 9593-3-1990 (R1998))

ISO/IEC 9592 specifies a language independent nucleus of a graphics system. For integration into a programming language, PHIGS is embedded in a language dependent layer obeying the particular conventions of that language. This part of ISO/IEC 9593 specifies such a language dependent layer for the Ada computer programming language.

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## Withdrawals

BSR INCITS 321-200x, Information Technology - Fibre Channel - Switch Fabric (FC-SW) (withdrawal of ANSI INCITS 321-1998)

Specifies tools and algorithms for interconnection and initialization of Fibre Channel switches to create a multi-switch Fibre Channel Fabric. This standard defines an E\_Port ("Expansion Port") that operates in a manner similar to an N\_Port and F\_Port, as defined in ANSI X3.230, with additional functionality provided for interconnecting switches.

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## NFPA (ASC B93) (National Fluid Power Association)

### New Standards

BSR B93.77M-1987, Hydraulic fluid power - Cleanliness of parts and components - Inspection document and principles related to contaminant collection, analysis and data reporting (new standard)

This standard includes:

- a) A series of mounting surfaces which describe the working port interface between hydraulic fluid power directional, flow or pressure control valves and a hydraulic cylinder actuator for 350 bar maximum (5 040 psi) hydraulic service.
- b) Dimensional criteria:
  - 1) minimum surface dimensions
  - 2) sizes and locations of tapped holes for mounting bolts
  - 3) sizes and location of ports
  - 4) sizes and location of dowel or rest pins, where required.
- c) General criteria
  - 1) surface finish and flatness
  - 2) indication of tolerances, where pertinent.

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BSR/(NFPA) T3.10.18-1990, Hydraulic fluid power - Filter artwork universal symbols (new standard)

This standard provides recommended universal symbols for filter artwork which are capable of communicating specific filter performance parameters of interest to users. These symbols may be used with either the standards noted in the references or with any standard which has been harmonized with the reference shown.

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### Revisions

BSR/(NFPA) T2.12.1-200x, Hydraulic fluid power - Systems and products - Method of measuring average steady-state pressure (to be used in conjunction with ANSI/(NFPA)T2.12.10) (revision of ANSI/(NFPA) T2.12.1-1993)

This standard is limited to the measurement of average steady-state static pressure in a closed conductor that meets the following criteria: must be transmitting hydraulic fluid power; average fluid velocities are less than 25 meters per second (82 ft/sec); average steady-state static pressure is less than 70 Mpa (10,000 psi); inside diameters are greater than 3.0 millimeters (0.120 in); and sensor is not flush-mounted with, or an integral part of, the closed fluid conductor wall.

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BSR/(NFPA) T2.12.10-200x, Recommended practice - Hydraulic fluid power - Systems and products - Testing general measurement principles and tolerances (to be used in conjunction with ANSI/(NFPA) T2.12.1) (revision of ANSI/(NFPA) T2.12.10-1993)

Use of this recommended practice shall be limited to measurement situations encountered in the testing of hydraulic fluid power components or systems under static or average steady state conditions and include: general instrument calibration techniques; methods for assessing instrument uncertainties and measurement uncertainty; evaluation methods for error propagation in derived results; measurement system uncertainty assurance control techniques; and criteria for system measurement acceptance.

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BSR/(NFPA) T3.5.46-200x, Hydraulic fluid power - Valves - Mounting surfaces (revision of ANSI/(NFPA) T3.5.46-1990 (R1998))

This standard includes mounting surfaces for the following: directional control valves; compensated flow control valves; check valves; pilot operated check valves; pressure control valves; sequence valves; throttle valves; unloading valves; pressure relief valves. This standard includes the following dimensional criteria: minimum surface dimensions; sizes and locations of tapped holes for mounting bolts; sizes and locations of ports; sizes and locations of dowel or rest pins where required.

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BSR/(NFPA) T3.19.25-200x, Information report - Fluid power systems - Sealing devices - Storage, handling and installation of elastomeric seals and exclusion devices (revision of ANSI/(NFPA) T3.19.25-1998)

This document addresses the storage, handling, and installation of elastomer seals in broad terms. Information regarding specific elastomers and seal geometries should be obtained in this document are molded preforms fabricated from thermoset elastomers which can either be thermoset or thermoplastic.

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BSR/(NFPA) T2.13.1 R3-200x, Recommended practice - Hydraulic fluid power - Use of fire-resistant fluids in industrial systems (revision of ANSI/(NFPA) T2.13.1 R3-1998)

This national standard provides a general educational publication covering many of the aspects of each of the general industrial types of fire resistant fluids used in hydraulic fluid power systems. This standard will:

- a) provide a composite reference of pertinent general data on fire resistant fluids;
- b) facilitate the design of industrial fluid power systems that use fire resistant fluids;
- c) improve the operation and increase the reliability of fluid power systems using fire resistant fluids;
- d) clarify the maintenance of fire resistant fluids;
- e) provide basic procedures for initial filling or changing types of fire resistant fluids considered for use in fluid power systems.

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## Reaffirmations

BSR B93.46-1978 (R200x), Method of determining the pore size of a cleanable surface type hydraulic fluid power filter element (reaffirmation of ANSI B93.46-1978 (R1998))

To include a standard method for determining the pore size of a cleanable surface type wire cloth hydraulic fluid power filter element with a pore size less than 600 micrometres. This size is the coarsest filter normally used in hydraulic systems.

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BSR/(NFPA) T3.10.17-1995 (R200x), Finite life hydraulic filter pressure/life rating - Method for verifying the fatigue life rating and the burst pressure rating of the pressure containing envelope of a spin-on hydraulic filter (reaffirmation of ANSI/(NFPA) T3.10.17-1995)

To include methods for verifying the ratings of the burst and fatigue pressure strength of a finite life hydraulic filter, disposable element, container (spin-on filter). The purpose is to provide standard methods for verifying the fatigue and static burst pressure ratings of the metal housing of a finite life hydraulic filter with regard to cyclic and steady pressure loads.

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BSR/(NFPA) T2.13.7 R1-1997 (R200x), Hydraulic fluid power - Petroleum fluids - Prediction of bulk moduli (reaffirmation of ANSI/(NFPA) T2.13.7 R1-1997)

This national standard specifies a procedure for predicting the bulk moduli of petroleum or hydrocarbon oils used as fluids (in the absence of air bubbles) in hydraulic fluid power systems and for other purposes. This national standard provides graphical techniques to obtain moduli of these fluids without extended calculations and with such accuracy as would be required for the practical calculation of hydraulic systems parameters.

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## Withdrawals

ANSI B93.20M-1972 (R1994), Hydraulic fluid power - Fluid sample containers - Qualifying and controlling cleaning methods (withdrawal of ANSI B93.20M-1972 (R1994))

This standard specifies a method for qualifying and controlling the cleaning methods for sample containers used in conjunction with contamination analysis techniques on hydraulic fluids used in industrial, mobile, marine and aerospace hydraulic fluid power applications. It establishes a means for ensuring that the accuracy of particulate contamination analysis in hydraulic fluid power systems is not degraded by a lack of sample container cleanliness.

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ANSI B93.39-1978 (R1993), Requirements for presenting of catalog data, fluid compatibility, cleaning media, markings and dimensional identification codes, and pressure drop characteristics for fluid power air line filters (withdrawal of ANSI B93.39-1978 (R1993))

To include the minimum catalog rating data of flow, temperature, pressure and pressure drop required for manually drained, industrial type fluid power air line filters. To include specifications for listing compatible fluids and cleaning media for manually drained, industrial type fluid power air line filters. To include standard connecting port markings and standard dimensional codes for manually drained, industrial type fluid power air line filters.

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ANSI/(NFPA) T3.9.2R3-1998, Hydraulic fluid power - Positive displacement pumps and motors - Dimensions and identification code for mounting flanges and shaft ends (withdrawal of ANSI/(NFPA) T3.9.2R3-1998)

This standard specifies sizes, dimensions and identification code for positive displacement hydraulic fluid power pump and motor mounting flanges:

- two-bolt flanges;
- four-bolt flanges.

It also specifies sizes, dimensions and identification for positive displacement hydraulic fluid power pump and motor shafts:

- straight shafts without thread;
- straight shafts with thread;
- tapered shafts with thread;
- 30o involute spline.

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BSR/(NFPA) T3.5.45-1996, Hydraulic fluid power - Two-port slip-in cartridge valves - Cavities (withdrawal of ANSI/(NFPA) T3.5.45-1996)

This standard specifies the dimensions and other data relating to cavities in which two-port hydraulic slip-in cartridge valves are mounted in order to ensure interchangeability. It applies to cavities for two-port hydraulic slip-in cartridge valves which are generally applicable to industrial equipment.

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## NSF (NSF International)

### Revisions

BSR/NSF 42-200x (i36), Drinking water treatment units - Aesthetic Effects (revision of ANSI/NSF 42-2002a)

Issue 36 - Modify Acrylonitrile MDWL & advisory concentration requirement in Table 2.

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BSR/NSF 44-200x (i12), Residential cation exchange water softners (revision of ANSI/NSF 44-2002)

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BSR/NSF 53-200x (i36), Drinking water treatment units - Health Effects (revision of ANSI/NSF 53-2002a)

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BSR/NSF 58-200x (i25), Reverse osmosis drinking water treatment systems (revision of ANSI/NSF 58-2002a)

Issue 25 - Modify Acrylonitrile MDWL & advisory concentration requirement in Table 2.

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BSR/NSF 62-200x (i5), Drinking water distillation systems (revision of ANSI/NSF 62-1999)

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## TIA (Telecommunications Industry Association)

### Revisions

BSR/TIA 470-C-200x, Telecommunications - Telephone Terminal Equipment - Performance and Compatibility Requirements for Telephone Sets with Loop Signalling (revision of ANSI/TIA/EIA 470-B-1997)

This document provides an overview of the entire Analog Wireline Terminals Performance Specification.

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BSR/TIA 569-B-200x, Commercial Building Standard for Telecommunications Pathways and Spaces (revision of ANSI/TIA/EIA 569-A-1998)

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## UL (Underwriters Laboratories, Inc.)

### New National Adoptions

- ★ BSR/UL 60745-1-200x, Standard for Safety for Hand Held Motor-Operated Electric Tools (Bulletin dated July 31, 2002) (identical national adoption and revision of ANSI/UL 745-1-1996)

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- ★ BSR/UL 60745-2-1-200x, Standard for Safety for Hand-Held Motor-Operated Electric Tools - Safety - Part 1: Particular Requirements for Drills and Impact Drills (identical national adoption and revision of ANSI/UL 745 Series-1996)  
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- Revisions**
- ★ BSR/UL 217-200x, Single and Multiple Station Smoke Detectors (Bulletin Dated: April 4, 2003) (revision of ANSI/UL 217-1994)  
These requirements cover electrically operated single and multiple station smoke alarms intended for open area protection in indoor locations of residential units in accordance with the National Fire Alarm Code, NFPA 72, smoke alarms intended for use in recreational vehicles in accordance with the Standard for Recreational Vehicles, NFPA 501C, and portable smoke alarms used as "travel" alarms.  
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#### New National Adoptions

BSR/AAMI/ISO 10993-1-1997, Biological Evaluation of Medical Devices - Part 1: Evaluation and Testing (identical national adoption and revision of ANSI/AAMI/ISO 10993-1-1997)

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### AGMA (American Gear Manufacturers Association)

#### Revisions

BSR/AGMA 6011-200x, Specification for High-Speed Helical Gear Units (revision of ANSI/AGMA 6011-H97)

This standard includes information on design, lubrication, bearings, testing and rating of single and double helical external tooth, parallel shaft gear reducers or increasers. Units covered include those operating with at least one stage having a pitch line velocity equal to or greater than 35 meters per second or rotational speeds greater than 4500 rpm, and other stages having pitch line velocities equal to or greater than 8 meters per second.

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#### New Standards

BSR/ASME A112.20.3-200x, Qualification of Installers of Fire Sprinkler Systems for 1 & 2 Family Dwellings (new standard)

This Standard provides minimum performance criteria for installers of residential fire sprinkler systems. It applies to any individual who installs fire sprinkler systems in 1 & 2 family dwellings. Fire sprinkler systems covered in this Standard include all dwellings within the scope of ANSI/NFPA 13D. Installers include anyone who works on or installs fire sprinkler piping or components.

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#### Revisions

BSR/ASME A112.18.6M-200x, Flexible Water Connectors (revision of ANSI/ASME A112.18.6M-1999)

This Standard establishes requirements for flexiblewater connectors used in potable water systems under continuous pressure and in accessible locations only. It covers physical and performance requirements, test methods, materials, connections, and other significant properties, in addition to a general description of materials used. Certain features of construction of the finished product are given, together with the method of marking and identification.

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BSR/ASME A112.19.2-200x, Vitreous China Plumbing Fixtures and Hydraulic Requirements for Water (revision, redesignation and consolidation of ANSI/ASME A112.19.2M-1998, ANSI/ASME A112.19.2M - Supplement 1-2000, ANSI/ASME A112.19.6-1995)

This Standard establishes requirements and test methods pertaining to materials, significant dimensions and functional performance for vitreous china plumbing fixtures. The sanitary performance requirements and test procedures apply to all types of water closets and urinals that discharge into gravity waste systems in permanent buildings and structures independent of occupancy.

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BSR/ASME B16.9-200x, Factory-Made Wrought Steel Butt Welding Fittings (revision of ANSI/ASME B16.9-2001)

This Standard covers overall dimensions, tolerances, ratings, testing, and markings for wrought factory-made butt welding fittings in sizes NPS 1/2 through 48 (DN 15 through 1200).

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#### Reaffirmations

BSR/ASME PTC 4.2-1969 (R200x), Performance Test Code - Coal Pulverizers (reaffirmation of ANSI/ASME PTC 4.2-1969 (R1997))

The purpose of this code is to establish procedures for conducting performance tests to determine:

- 1) Capacity
- 2) Fineness of product
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  - c) Sizing
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BSR/ASME PTC 10-1998 (R200x), Performance Test Code on Compressors and Exhausters (reaffirmation of ANSI/ASME PTC 10-1998)

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### ASSE (American Society of Sanitary Engineering)

#### New Standards

- ★ BSR/ASSE 1020-200x, Performance Requirements for Pressure Vacuum Breaker Assembly (new standard)

This standard covers devices installed in water supply lines to prevent the entrance of non-potable material into the potable water supply by backsiphonage only. They are designed for continuous pressure applications with a mechanical means to open the air inlet valve should a negative pressure be created in the supply line.

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**Revisions**

BSR/ASSE 1024-200x, Dual Check Valve Type Backflow Preventers  
(revision of ANSI/ASSE 1024-1998)

This standard covers devices installed in water supply lines to prevent the entrance of non-potable material into the potable water supply when pressure is temporarily higher in the polluted part of the system than in the potable water piping. They protect against low hazard pollution in residential service lines; and are intended for cold water service under continuous or intermittent pressures. under intermittent or continuous pressure conditions.

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**CSA (ASC Z21/83) (CSA America, Inc.)****Revisions**

- ★ BSR Z21.63-200x, Portable Camp Heaters of Other than the Catalytic Type for Use with Liquefied Petroleum Gases (same as CSA 11.3) (revision, redesignation and consolidation of ANSI Z21.63-1999, ANSI Z21.63a-2001, ANSI Z21.63b-200x)

Details test and examination criteria for unvented portable camp heaters, of the infrared type only, up to and including a maximum input of 12,000 Btuh (3.52 kW) using propane, butane and liquefied petroleum gases and mixtures thereof and intended for outdoor use. This standard applies to camp heaters having regulated or non-regulated pressure and intended for direct or remote connection to the fuel container.

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**Supplements**

- ★ BSR Z21.13b-200x, Gas-Fired Low Pressure Steam and Hot Water Boilers (same as CSA 4.9b) (supplement to ANSI Z21.13-2000)

Details test and examination criteria for Category I, Category II, Category III and Category IV low-pressure steam and hot water boilers for use with natural, manufactured and mixed gases, liquified petroleum gases and LP gas-air mixtures. A boiler is defined in the standard as a boiler operating at or below the following pressures or temperatures: steam heating boiler - 15 psig steam pressure; hot water heating or supply boiler - 160 psig water pressure, 250 F water temperature.

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**NEMA (ASC C78) (National Electrical Manufacturers Association)****Reaffirmations**

BSR C78.40a-1998 (R200x), Electric Lamps - Specifications for Mercury Lamps - Maximum Outline Drawing of Bulb BT56, page 56  
(reaffirmation of ANSI C78.40a-1998)

Concerns the maximum outline drawing of Bulb BT56, Page 56.

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**NFPA (ASC B93) (National Fluid Power Association)****Reaffirmations**

BSR/(NFPA) T2.9.14-1993 (R200x), Hydraulic Fluid Power - Fluid Contamination - Determination of Solid Contaminant Level by the Gravimetric Method (reaffirmation of ANSI/(NFPA) T2.9.14-1993)

This standard specifies a method for determining the mass per unit volume quantity of solid contaminant in fluids used in hydraulic fluid power systems.

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**Correction****Correction of Intent**

In the Call for Comments section of the March 28th issue of Standards Action, BSR/UL 817-200x was listed as a revision of ANSI/UL 817-1995. It is actually a revision of ANSI/UL 817-2003.



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# Initiation of Canvasses

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BSR/ALI ALCTV-200x, Automotive Lifts - Safety Requirements for Construction, Testing and Validation (revision of ANSI/ALI ALCTV-1998)

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BSR/NALFA LF 01-200x, Laminate Flooring, Specifications and Test Methods (revision of ANSI/NALFA LF 01-2001)

# Final actions on American National Standards

The standards actions listed below have been approved by the ANSI Board of Standards Review (BSR) or by an ANSI-Audited Designator, as applicable.

## AAMI (Association for the Advancement of Medical Instrumentation)

### *New National Adoptions*

ANSI/AAMI/ISO 10993-12-2002, Biological Evaluation of Medical Devices - Part 12: Sample Preparation and Reference Materials (identical national adoption and revision of ANSI/AAMI/ISO/CEN 10993-12-1996): 3/27/2003

ANSI/AAMI/ISO 14155-1-2003, Clinical Investigation of Medical Devices for Human Subjects - Part 1: General Requirements (identical national adoption and revision of ANSI/AAMI/ISO 14155-1996): 3/27/2003

ANSI/AAMI/ISO 14155-2-2003, Clinical investigation of medical devices for human subjects - Part 2: Clinical investigation plans (identical national adoption): 3/27/2003

### *Reaffirmations*

ANSI/AAMI/ISO 10993-16-1997 (R2003), Biological Evaluation of Medical Devices - Part 16: Toxicokinetic Study Design for Degradation Products and Leachables from Medical Devices (reaffirmation of ANSI/AAMI/ISO 10993-16-1997): 3/27/2003

## ASME (American Society of Mechanical Engineers)

### *Revisions*

ANSI/ASME B1.1-2003, Unified Inch Screw Threads (UN and UNR Thread Form) (revision of ANSI/ASME B1.1-1989): 3/27/2003

## ASSE (American Society of Sanitary Engineering)

### *Revisions*

ANSI/ASSE 1022-2003, Performance Requirements for Backflow Preventers for Beverage Dispensing Equipment (revision of ANSI/ASSE 1022-1998): 3/27/2003

## ASTM (ASTM International)

### *New Standards*

ANSI/ASTM E2280-2003, Guide for the Fire Hazard Assessment of the Effect of Upholstered Seating Furniture Within Patient Rooms of Health Care Facilities (new standard): 3/10/2003

## ATIS (ASC T1) (Alliance for Telecommunications Industry Solutions)

### *Reaffirmations*

ANSI T1.610-1998 (R2003), Generic Procedures for the Control of ISDN Supplementary Services (reaffirmation of ANSI T1.610-1998): 4/1/2003

ANSI T1.610a-1998 (R2003), Generic Procedures for the Control of ISDN Supplementary Services, Modification to the Redirection Number Information Element (reaffirmation of ANSI T1.610a-1998): 4/1/2003

ANSI T1.612-1992 (R2003), Integrated Services Digital Network (ISDN) - Terminal Adaptation Using Statistical Multiplexing (reaffirmation of ANSI T1.612-1992 (R1998)): 4/1/2003

ANSI T1.620a-1992 (R2003), Multi-Rate Circuit-Mode Bearer Service for ISDN - Addendum to the Circuit-Mode Bearer Service Category Description (reaffirmation of ANSI T1.620a-1992 (R1999)): 4/1/2003

ANSI T1.622a-1998 (R2003), Message Waiting Indicator Control and Notification Supplementary Services and Associated Switching and Signaling Specifications (reaffirmation of ANSI T1.622a-1998): 4/1/2003

ANSI T1.622-1999 (R2003), Message Waiting Indicator Control and Notification Supplementary Services and Associated Switching and Signaling Specifications (reaffirmation of ANSI T1.622-1999): 4/1/2003

ANSI T1.625-1993 (R2003), Integrated Services Digital Network (ISDN) - Calling Line Identification Presentation and Restriction Supplementary Services (reaffirmation of ANSI T1.625-1993 (R1999)): 4/1/2003

ANSI T1.625a-1998 (R2003), Integrated Services Digital Network (ISDN) - Calling Line Identification Presentation and Restriction Supplementary Services, Application of Standard to Wireless PCS Applications (reaffirmation of ANSI T1.625a-1998): 4/1/2003

ANSI T1.643-1998 (R2003), Integrated Services Digital Network (ISDN) - Explicit Call Transfer Supplementary Service (reaffirmation of ANSI T1.643-1998): 4/1/2003

ANSI T1.653a-1998 (R2003), Integrated Services Digital Network (ISDN) - Call Park Supplementary Service - Generic Procedures for the Control of ISDN Supplementary Services, Clarification for Number Identification (reaffirmation of ANSI T1.653a-1998): 4/1/2003

ANSI T1.654-1996 (R2003), Broadband Integrated Services Digital Network (B-ISDN) - Operations and Maintenance (OAM) Principles and Functions (reaffirmation of ANSI T1.654-1996): 4/1/2003

## CSA (ASC Z21/83) (CSA America, Inc.)

### *Supplements*

ANSI Z21.11.2a-2003, Gas-Fired Room Heaters, Volume II, Unvented Room Heaters, First Addenda (supplement to ANSI Z21.11.2-2002): 4/1/2003

ANSI Z21.60a-2003, Decorative Gas Appliances for Installation in Solid-Fuel Burning Fireplaces, First Addenda (same as CSA 2.26a) (supplement to ANSI Z21.60-1996 (R2001)): 4/1/2003

★ ANSI Z21.63b-2003, Portable Type Gas Camp Heaters (same as CSA 11.3b) (supplement to ANSI Z21.63-2000 & ANSI Z21.63a-2001): 3/27/2003

ANSI Z21.84a-2003, Manually Lighted, Natural Gas Decorative Gas Appliances for Installation in Solid-Fuel Burning Fireplaces, First Addenda (supplement to ANSI Z21.84-2002): 4/1/2003

## IEEE (Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers)

### *New Standards*

ANSI/IEEE 82-2002, Standard Test Procedure for Impulse Voltage Tests on Insulated Conductors (new standard): 3/31/2003

ANSI/IEEE 1278.4-2002, Recommended Practice for Distributed Interactive Simulation - Verification, Validation, and Accreditation (new standard): 3/31/2003

ANSI/IEEE 1523-2002, Guide for the Application, Maintenance, and Evaluation of Room Temperature Vulcanizing (RTV) Silicone Rubber Coatings for Outdoor Ceramic Insulators (new standard): 3/31/2003

ANSI/IEEE 1536-2002, Standard for Rail Transit Vehicle Battery Physical Interface (new standard): 3/31/2003

ANSI/IEEE C57.113-2002, Guide for Partial Discharge Measurement in Liquid-Filled Power Transformers and Shunt Reactors (new standard): 3/31/2003

#### **Reaffirmations**

ANSI/IEEE 637-1985 (R2002), Guide for the Reclamation of Insulating Oil and Criteria for Its Use (reaffirmation of ANSI/IEEE 637-1985 (R1992)): 3/31/2003

ANSI/IEEE 945-1984 (R2002), Recommended Practice for Preferred Metric Units for Use in Electrical and Electronics Science and Technology (reaffirmation of ANSI/IEEE 945-1984 (R1997)): 3/31/2003

ANSI/IEEE 1178-1991 (R2002), Standard for the Scheme Programming Language (reaffirmation of ANSI/IEEE 1178-1991 (R1995)): 3/31/2003

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### **NEMA (ASC C50) (National Electrical Manufacturers Association)**

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### ***Reaffirmations***

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### ***Revisions***

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ANSI/UL 1581-2003, Standard for Safety for Reference Standard for Electrical Wires, Cables, and Flexible Cords (revision of ANSI/UL 1581-1998): 3/26/2003

## **Corrections**

### **Approval Rescinded**

At the request of ASTM, the approval of ANSI/ASTM D6890-2003 is rescinded. The standard was listed in the March 28th issue of Standards Action.

### **Correction of Intent**

In the Final Actions section of the March 21st issue of Standards Action, ANSI/UL 817-2003 was listed as a revision of ANSI/UL 817-1995. It is actually a revision of ANSI/UL 817-2002.

### **Designation Correction**

In the March 28th issue of Standards Action, the supplement to ANSI/AAMI RD47-2002 has an incorrect designation. The correct designation is ANSI/AAMI RD47:2002/A1:2003.

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BSR/ALI ALCTV-200x, Automotive Lifts - Safety Requirements for Construction, Testing and Validation (revision of ANSI/ALI ALCTV-1998)

Covers lifts used to raise self-propelled ground vehicles typically used in facilities for the repair and service of automobiles, trucks, buses, rail and similar vehicles.

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BSR X9.103-200x, Consumer Credit: Electronic contracting, chattel paper and promissory note (new standard)

The purpose of this American National Standard is to define the technical business specification that will permit the uncomplicated, safe and secure creation, transfer and clearing of electronic contracts consisting of electronic chattel paper and promissory notes (e.g., leases, retail installment sales contracts and loans secured by personal property).

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BSR/ASHRAE 158.2P-200x, Methods of Testing for Rating Refrigerant Pressure Regulating Valves (new standard)

This standard establishes methods of testing for rating refrigerant pressure regulating valves and applies to regulating valves used to control the flow of volatile refrigerants and responsive to inlet, to outlet, or to differential pressure, sensed locally or remotely.

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BSR/CSA HV1-200x, Standard for Hydrogen Vehicle Fueling Connection Devices (new standard)

This standard details construction and performance criteria for hydrogen vehicle fueling connection devices consisting of (1) a receptacle and protective dust cap (mounted vehicle), (2) a nozzle (mounted on fueling dispenser) and (3) three-way valve (internal or external to the nozzle).

BSR/CSA HPRD1-200x, Basic Requirements for Pressure Relief Devices for Compressed Hydrogen Vehicle Fuel Containers (new standard)

This standard contains specifications for the materials, design, manufacture and testing of pressure relief devices produced for use on compressed hydrogen fuel containers.

BSR/CSA HV2-200x, Basic Requirements for Compressed Hydrogen Vehicle Fuel Containers (new standard)

This standard contains requirements for the material, design, manufacture and testing of serially produced, refillable containers intended only for the storage of compressed hydrogen for vehicle operation. These containers are to be permanently attached to the vehicle.

BSR/CSA HV3.1-200x, Fuel System Components for Compressed Hydrogen Powered Vehicles (new standard)

This standard details construction and performance criteria for the hydrogen gas fuel system components constructed entirely of new unused parts and materials. Every component shall be designed to secure mounting to the vehicle, maintain a fixed relationship between essential parts under normal and reasonable conditions of handling and usage and minimize the possibility of incorrect assembly.

BSR/CSA HV4.1-200x, Hydrogen Dispensing Systems (new standard)

This standard details mechanical and electrical features and construction of newly manufactured systems that dispense hydrogen for vehicles, intended primarily to dispense fuel directly into the vehicle fuel storage container. The dispensers can be contained in single housing; or multiple housings for metering and registering devices, remote electronics, hoses and nozzles. Each dispenser may have the capability of independently fueling more than one vehicle simultaneously.

BSR/CSA HV4.2-200x, Hoses for Hydrogen Vehicles and Dispensing Systems (new standard)

This standard details construction and performance of compressed hydrogen hose assemblies which are used for hydrogen vehicle dispensing stations to connect the dispenser to the refueling nozzle, or as part of a vehicle on-board fuel system

**BSR/CSA HV4.3-200x, Temperature Compensation Devices for Hydrogen Dispensing Systems (new standard)**

This standard details construction and performance requirements for temperature compensation devices (TCD) to allow dispensing systems to adjust for full fill of vehicle fuel storage containers under all surrounding outdoor ambient temperature conditions. TCD's also prevent overpressurization of vehicle fuel containers when the vehicle is fueled while in a cold environment and then parked in a warm environment.

**BSR/CSA HV4.4-200x, Breakaway Devices for Hydrogen Dispensing Systems (new standard)**

This standard details construction and performance of newly produced hydrogen dispenser and fueling hose breakaway emergency shutoff devices.

**BSR/CSA HV4.5-200x, Priority and Sequencing for Hydrogen Dispensing Systems (new standard)**

This standard details construction and performance requirements of priority and sequencing equipment which is part of a hydrogen dispensing system.

**BSR/CSA HV4.6-200x, High Pressure Manually Operated Valves for Hydrogen Dispensing Systems (new standard)**

This standard details construction and performance requirements for manually operated valves for use with high pressure hydrogen.

**BSR/CSA HV4.7-200x, Automatic High Pressure Operated Valves for Hydrogen Dispensing Systems (new standard)**

This standard details construction and performance requirements for automatic, pressure operated valves for high pressure hydrogen service, including those for use on compressed hydrogen vehicles and dispensing systems.

**BSR/CSA HV4.8-200x, Hydrogen Vehicle Fueling Station Compressor Guidelines (new standard)**

This standard details construction and performance requirements for hydrogen compressors for use in compressed hydrogen fueling stations service.

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**BSR/DASMA 203-200x, Non-Fire Rated Rolling Doors (new standard)**

This standard defines minimum design and performance specifications for non-fire rated rolling doors in commercial and industrial applications, consisting of assembled, interlocking slats of steel, stainless steel, or aluminum and is intended to cover commercial and industrial type doors normally used on garages, warehouses, factories and other places requiring doors generally used for vehicular traffic.

**BSR/DASMA 204-200x, Standard for Fire Rated Rolling Door Assemblies (new standard)**

This standard defines minimum design and performance specifications for fire rated rolling door assemblies in commercial and industrial applications, consisting of assembled, interlocking slats of steel or stainless steel. It is intended to cover commercial and industrial type warehouses, factories, and other facilities where a fire door is required to close an opening in a firewall during an emergency. Rolling fire doors intended for frequent use should be designed for high cycle operation.

**BSR/DASMA 206-200x, Standard Method for Testing Rolling Steel Doors: Determination of Structural Performance Under Uniform Static Air Pressure Difference (new standard)**

This test method describes the determination of the structural performance of door systems under uniform static air pressure difference, using a test chamber and is intended only for evaluating the structural performance associated with the specified test specimen and not the structural performance of adjacent construction. The proper use of this test method requires a knowledge of the principles of pressure and deflection measurement.

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**BSR E1.25-200x, Recommended basic conditions for measuring the photometric output of stage and studio luminaries by measuring illumination levels produced on a planar surface (new standard)**

This document describes the basic conditions for measuring the photometric output of stage and studio luminaries by testing methods that measure the illumination levels produced by the luminaires on a planar surface.

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**BSR/NALFA LF 01-200x, Laminate Flooring, Specifications and Test Methods (revision of ANSI/NALFA LF 01-2001)**

The product standard shall apply to the performance or residential and commercial use laminate flooring. The standard will be useful in guiding manufacturers and educating suppliers and consumers about the minimum requirements of laminate flooring in residential, light commercial, and commercial use settings.

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**ANSI/NFPA 11A-1998, Standard for Medium- and High-Expansion Foam Systems (withdrawal of ANSI/NFPA 11A-1998)**

Covers minimum requirements for the installation, design, operation, testing, and maintenance of medium and high expansion foam systems.

**ANSI/NFPA 50-2001, Standard for Bulk Oxygen Systems at Consumer Sites (withdrawal of ANSI/NFPA 50-2001)**

Covers the general principles recommended for the installation of bulk oxygen systems on consumer premises where the supply to the consumer premises originates outside the consumer premises and is delivered by mobile equipment.

**BSR/NFPA 10-200x, Standard for Portable Fire Extinguishers (revision of ANSI/NFPA 10-2002)**

Covers the selection, installation, inspection, maintenance, and testing of portable extinguishing equipment.

**BSR/NFPA 12A-200x, Standard on Halon 1301 Fire Extinguishing Systems (revision of ANSI/NFPA 12A-1997)**

Covers minimum requirements for Halon 1301 fire extinguishing systems for the use and guidance of those charged with the purchasing, designing, installing, testing, inspecting, approving, listing, operating and maintaining such systems.

**BSR/NFPA 12-200x, Standard on Carbon Dioxide Extinguishing Systems (revision of ANSI/NFPA 12-2000)**

Covers minimum requirements for carbon dioxide fire extinguishing systems for the use and guidance of those charged with the purchasing, designing, installing, testing, inspection, approving, listing, operating or maintaining such systems.



BSR/NFPA 13-200x, Standard for the Installation of Sprinkler Systems (revision of ANSI/NFPA 13-2002)

Covers minimum requirements for the design and installation of automatic sprinkler systems and of exposure protection sprinkler systems including the character and adequacy of water supplies to sprinkler systems.

BSR/NFPA 13D-200x, Standard for the Installation of Sprinkler Systems in One- and Two-Family Dwellings and Manufactured Homes (revision of ANSI/NFPA 13D-2002)

Covers the design and installation of automatic sprinkler systems for one- and two-family dwellings and mobile homes.

BSR/NFPA 13E-200x, Recommended Practice for Fire Department Operations in Properties Protected by Sprinkler and Standpipe Systems (revision of ANSI/NFPA 13E-2000)

Covers procedures for fire department operations in properties protected by automatic sprinklers; having outside sprinkler systems for exposure protection; and in buildings having standpipe systems.

BSR/NFPA 13R-200x, Standard for the Installation of Sprinkler Systems in Residential Occupancies up to and Including Four Stories in Height (revision of ANSI/NFPA 13R-2002)

Covers design and installation of automatic sprinkler systems for the protection against fire hazards in residential occupancies up to four stories in height.

BSR/NFPA 15-200x, Standard for Water Spray Fixed Systems for Fire Protection (revision of ANSI/NFPA 15-2001)

Covers the design, installation, maintenance and testing of water spray fixed systems.

BSR/NFPA 24-200x, Standard for the Installation of Private Fire Service Mains and Their Appurtenances (revision of ANSI/NFPA 24-2002)

Covers requirements for installation of private fire service mains and their appurtenances supplying automatic sprinkler systems, open sprinkler systems, water spray fixed systems, foam systems, private hydrants, monitor nozzles or standpipe systems with references to water supplies private hydrants and hose houses. Also applies to combined service mains used to carry water for both fire service and other use.

BSR/NFPA 32-200x, Standard for Drycleaning Plants (revision of ANSI/NFPA 32-2000)

Covers the reasonable safeguards for the prevention and control of fire and explosion hazards incident to drycleaning operations and for the protection of the employees and the public.

BSR/NFPA 35-200x, Standard for the Manufacture of Organic Coatings (revision of ANSI/NFPA 35-1999)

Applies to facilities and processes used for the manufacture of protective and decorative finishes or coatings for industrial, automotive, marine, transportation, institutional, household and other purposes.

BSR/NFPA 36-200x, Standard for Solvent Extraction Plants (revision of ANSI/NFPA 36-2001)

Covers reasonable requirements for the safety to life and property from explosion and fire in the design, construction and operation of solvent extraction processes involving the use of flammable solvents.

BSR/NFPA 45-200x, Standard on Fire Protection for Laboratories Using Chemicals (revision of ANSI/NFPA 45-2000)

Applies to laboratories in which hazardous chemicals are handled or

BSR/NFPA 55-200x, Standard for the Storage, Use, and Handling of Compressed Gases and Cryogenic Fluids in Portable and Stationary Containers, Cylinders, and Tanks (revision of ANSI/NFPA 55-2003)

Applies to the storage, use and handling of compressed and liquefied gases in portable cylinders in all occupancies.

BSR/NFPA 72-200x, National Fire Alarm Code(r) (revision of ANSI/NFPA 72-2002)

Deals with the the application, installation, performance, and maintenance of protective signaling systems and their components.

BSR/NFPA 76-200x, Recommended Practice for the Fire Protection of Telecommunications Facilities (revision of ANSI/NFPA 76-2002)

Standard proves minimum requirements for fire protection of telecommunication facilities, where telephone, data, cellular, internet, and video services are rendered.

BSR/NFPA 79-200x, Electrical Standard for Industrial Machinery (revision of ANSI/NFPA 79-2002)

Covers electric/electronic equipment, apparatus or systems supplied as part of industrial machinery or mass production industrial equipment that will promote safety to life and property.

BSR/NFPA 96-200x, Standard for Ventilation Control and Fire Protection of Commercial Cooking Operations (revision of ANSI/NFPA 96-2001)

Covers requirements for the design, installation and use of exhaust system components.

BSR/NFPA 102-200x, Standard for Grandstands, Folding and Telescopic Seating, Tents, and Membrane Structures (withdrawal of ANSI/NFPA 102-1995)

Covers the construction, location, protection and maintenance of tents and air-supported structures used for places of assembly; temporary, permanent and portable grandstands and bleachers; interior folding or telescopic seating normally used in gymnasiums, multi-use rooms and similar indoor mass seating.

BSR/NFPA 214-200x, Standard on Water-Cooling Towers (revision of ANSI/NFPA 214-2000)

Covers fire protection considerations for field-erected water cooling towers of combustible construction or those in which the fill is of combustible material.

BSR/NFPA 241-200x, Standard for Safeguarding Construction, Alteration, and Demolition Operations (revision of ANSI/NFPA 241-2000)

Applies to buildings in the course of erection, alteration or demolition.

BSR/NFPA 271-200x, Standard Method of Test for Heat and Visible Smoke Release Rates for Materials and Products Using an Oxygen Consumption Calorimeter (revision of ANSI/NFPA 271-2001)

Covers test methods to measures the response of materials exposed to controlled levels of radiant heating, with or without an external igniter.

BSR/NFPA 273-200x, Standard Method of Test for Determining the Degrees of Combustibility of Building Materials (new standard)

Determines the degree of combustibility of building materials by measuring the heat release rate and total heat release from specimens exposed to radiant heat using an oxygen consumption calorimeter.

BSR/NFPA 289-200x, Method of Fire Test for Room Fire Growth Contribution of Individual Fuel Packages (new standard)

This document describes a method of determining the contribution of individual fuel packages to heat and smoke release in a room environment, and is applicable to individual fuel packages that do not exceed 2.4m high by 2.4m wide by 2.4m deep in dimensions. This documentspecified three types of specimen mounting, depending on the fuel package to be investigated, as follows: (1) single decorative object, including combustible vegetation; (2) exhibit booth; and (3) stage settings.

BSR/NFPA 291-200x, Recommended Practice for Fire Flow Testing and Marking of Hydrants (revision of ANSI/NFPA 291-2002)

Covers testing procedures, classification, and color coding of hydrants.

BSR/NFPA 326-200x, Standard for the Safeguarding of Tanks and Containers for Entry, Cleaning, or Repair (revision of ANSI/NFPA 326-1999)

Applies to the entry of underground storage tanks, operating at nominal atmospheric pressure, that have contained flammable or combustible liquids, and that might contain flammable or combustible vapors or residues.

BSR/NFPA 329-200x, Recommended Practice for Handling Releases of Flammable and Combustible Liquids and Gases (revision of ANSI/NFPA 329-1999)

Covers the procedures to be followed in the handling of underground leakage and flammable and combustible liquids. Included are procedures when life and property may be in danger; locating the sources of leakage; testing for underground leaks; tracing liquids underground; and, the removal and disposal of such liquids.

BSR/NFPA 405-200x, Recommended Practice for the Recurring Proficiency Training of Aircraft Rescue and Fire-Fighting Services (revision of ANSI/NFPA 405-1999)

Contains the minimum training evolutions and frequency requirements for maintaining a proficient and effective aircraft rescue and fire fighting (ARFF) team.

BSR/NFPA 408-200x, Standard for Aircraft Hand Portable Fire Extinguishers (revision of ANSI/NFPA 408-1999)

Covers fire safety requirements for the type, capacity, rating, number, location, installation, and maintenance of aircraft hand fire extinguishers to be provided for the use of flight crew members or other occupants of an aircraft for the control of incipient fires in the areas of aircraft that are accessible during flight.

BSR/NFPA 410-200x, Standard on Aircraft Maintenance (revision of ANSI/NFPA 410-1999)

Covers the fire safety requirements to be followed during aircraft maintenance.

BSR/NFPA 422-200x, Guide for Aircraft Accident Response (revision of ANSI/NFPA 422-1999)

Provides recommendations to assist investigating teams on all matters relating to fire; to assess effectiveness of airborne fire detecting and extinguishing systems and crew emergency operations, rescue and fire fighting services; and to collect data for study and analysis.

BSR/NFPA 423-200x, Standard for Construction and Protection of Aircraft Engine Test Facilities (revision of ANSI/NFPA 423-1999)

Covers the fire safety practices regarding location, construction, services, utilities, fire protection, operation and maintenance of new aircraft engine test facilities and modifications made to existing test facilities with could effect the fire and explosion hazard potential with such facilities. These facilities include test cells, test stands and engine run-up enclosures designed to operate only on ground level conditions of temperature and pressure.

BSR/NFPA 450-200x, Guide for Emergency Medical Services and Systems (new standard)

This document is designed to assist individuals, agencies, organizations, or systems as well as those interested or involved in EMS System design.

BSR/NFPA 502-200x, Standard for Road Tunnels, Bridges, and Other Limited Access Highways (revision of ANSI/NFPA 502-2001)

Covers guidance for those individuals responsible for the construction, operation, maintenance, and fire protection of limited access highways, tunnels, bridges, elevated roadways, and air right structures.

BSR/NFPA 555-200x, Guide on Methods for Evaluating Potential for Room Flashover (revision of ANSI/NFPA 555-2000)

Applies to methods for evaluating potential for room flashover from fire involving the contents, furnishings, and interior finish of a room. The methods addressed by this Guide include prevention of ignition, installation of automatic fire suppression systems, control of ventilation factors, and limitation of the rate of heat release of individual and grouped room contents, furnishings and interior finish.

BSR/NFPA 600-200x, Standard on Industrial Fire Brigades (revision of ANSI/NFPA 600-2000)

Covers the organizing, operating, training, and equipping of private fire brigades.

BSR/NFPA 601-200x, Standard for Security Services in Fire Loss Prevention (revision of ANSI/NFPA 601-2000)

Covers the selection and training of guards who will perform fire loss prevention duties.

BSR/NFPA 720-200x, Recommended Practice for the Installation of Household Carbon Monoxide (CO) Warning Equipment (revision of ANSI/NFPA 720-2003)

Contains requirements for the selection, installation, operation, and maintenance of equipment that detects concentrations of carbon monoxide that could pose a risk to the health of most occupants in family living units. This document is limited to carbon monoxide warning equipment for use in family living units.

BSR/NFPA 850-200x, Recommended Practice for Fire Protection for Electric Generating Plants and High Voltage Direct Current Converter Stations (revision of ANSI/NFPA 850-2000)

Provides recommendations for fire prevention and fire protection for electric generating plants.

BSR/NFPA 851-200x, Recommended Practice for Fire Protection for Hydroelectric Generating Plants (revision of ANSI/NFPA 851-2000)

Provides recommendations (not requirements) for fire prevention and fire protection for hydroelectric generating plants.

BSR/NFPA 900-200x, Building Energy Code (new standard)

These regulations shall control the minimum energy efficient requirements for:

- a) the design, construction, reconstruction, alteration, repair, demolition, removal, inspection, issuance and revocation of permits or licenses, installation of equipment related to energy conservation in all buildings and structures and parts thereof;
- b) the rehabilitation and maintenance of construction related to energy efficiency in existing buildings;
- c) the standards or requirements for materials to be used in connection therewith;
- d) the establishment of reasonable fees for permits and inspections.

BSR/NFPA 909-200x, Code for the Protection of Cultural Resources (revision of ANSI/NFPA 909-2001)

Describes principles and practices of fire safety for cultural properties and for those who operate, use, or visit them. It covers ongoing operation and rehabilitation and acknowledges the need to preserve historic integrity.

BSR/NFPA 914-200x, Code for Fire Protection of Historic Structures (revision of ANSI/NFPA 914-2001)

Provides background material on the historic preservation field and its requirements, information regarding the identification of fire hazards, and recommendations for planning and design approaches and solutions appropriate for the historic building.

BSR/NFPA 1003-200x, Standard for Airport Fire Fighter Professional Qualifications (revision of ANSI/NFPA 1003-2000)

Identifies the level of professional competence required of the airport fire fighter for aircraft rescue and fire fighting.

BSR/NFPA 1035-200x, Standard for Professional Qualifications for Public Fire and Life Safety Educator (revision of ANSI/NFPA 1035-2000)

Identifies the professional levels of competence required of public fire educators. It specifically covers the requirements for knowledge and a progression through three levels of competency.

BSR/NFPA 1150-200x, Standard on Fire-Fighting Foam Chemicals for Class A Fuels in Rural, Suburban, and Vegetated Areas (revision of ANSI/NFPA 1150-1999)

Specifies requirements and test procedures for foam chemicals used in wildland fire fighting.

BSR/NFPA 1192-200x, Standard on Recreational Vehicles (revision of ANSI/NFPA 1192-2002)

Covers fire safety guidelines for fuel systems, fire detection equipment, existing facilities, and plumbing systems, including water distribution and drainage systems.

BSR/NFPA 1194-200x, Standard for Recreational Vehicle Parks and Campgrounds (revision of ANSI/NFPA 1194-2002)

Provides construction requirements and use of land areas designated for recreational vehicle parks.

BSR/NFPA 1221-200x, Standard for the Installation, Maintenance, and Use of Public Emergency Service Communications Systems (revision of ANSI/NFPA 1221-2002)

Covers the installation, maintenance and use of all public fire service communications systems and facilities.

BSR/NFPA 1410-200x, Standard on Training for Initial Emergency Scene Operations (revision of ANSI/NFPA 1410-2000)

Covers the evaluation of prior training in initial fire flow delivery procedures by fire department personnel engaged in structural fire fighting efforts.

BSR/NFPA 1452-200x, Guide for Training Fire Service Personnel to Conduct Dwelling Fire Safety Surveys (revision of ANSI/NFPA 1452-2000)

Provides the fire department training officers or other fire service personnel with guidance on the establishment of a dwelling fire safety program.

BSR/NFPA 1561-200x, Standard on Emergency Services Incident Management System (revision of ANSI/NFPA 1561-2002)

Covers minimum requirements for an incident management system to be used by fire departments to manage all emergency incidents.

BSR/NFPA 1581-200x, Standard on Fire Department Infection Control Program (revision of ANSI/NFPA 1581-2000)

Contains minimum requirements for a fire department infection control program.

BSR/NFPA 1931-200x, Standard on Design of and Design Verification Tests for Fire Department Ground Ladders (revision of ANSI/NFPA 1931-1999)

Provides requirements for the construction, care and use of fire department ground ladders.

BSR/NFPA 1932-200x, Standard on Use, Maintenance and Service Testing of Fire Department Ground Ladders (revision of ANSI/NFPA 1932-1999)

Covers requirements for the use, maintenance, inspection and service testing of fire department ground ladders.

BSR/NFPA 1936-200x, Standard on Powered Rescue Tool Systems (revision of ANSI/NFPA 1936-1999)

Specifies the minimum requirements for the design, performance, testing, and certification of newly manufactured hydraulic powered rescue tools used to facilitate the extrication of victims from entrapment.

BSR/NFPA 1951-200x, Standard on Protective Ensemble for USAR Operations (revision of ANSI/NFPA 1951-2001)

Applies to the design, manufacturing, and certification of new protective ensembles or new individual elements of the protective ensemble.

BSR/NFPA 1971-200x, Standard on Protective Ensemble for Structural Fire Fighting (revision of ANSI/NFPA 1971-2000)

Covers minimum design and performance criteria and test methods for protective clothing designed to protect fire fighters against adverse environmental effects during structural fire fighting.

BSR/NFPA 1976-200x, Standard on Protective Ensemble for Proximity Fire Fighting (revision of ANSI/NFPA 1976-2000)

Specifies minimum design and performance criteria and test methods for protective clothing designed to provide limb/torso protection for fire fighters against adverse environmental effects encountered during proximity fire fighting operations.

BSR/NFPA 1991-200x, Standard on Vapor-Protective Ensembles for Hazardous Materials Emergencies (revision of ANSI/NFPA 1991-2000)

Covers design criteria, performance criteria, and test methods for Vapor-Protective Suits designed to protect emergency response personnel against exposure to specified chemicals in vapor and liquid splash environments during hazardous chemical emergencies.

BSR/NFPA 1992-200x, Standard on Liquid Splash-Protective Ensembles and Clothing for Hazardous Materials Emergencies (revision of ANSI/NFPA 1992-2000)

Covers design criteria, performance criteria, and test methods for Liquid Splash-Protective Suits designed to protect emergency response personnel against exposure to specified chemicals in liquid-splash environments during hazardous chemical emergencies.

BSR/NFPA 2010-200x, Standard on Aerosol Fire Extinguishing Systems (new standard)

To provide a system that will be designed, manufactured and installed in a manner that is safe and truly beneficial to society.

BSR/NFPA 5000-200x, NFPA Building Construction and Safety Code (revision of ANSI/NFPA 5000-2002)

Provide minimum design regulations to safeguard life and limb, health, property, and public welfare by regulating and controlling the permitting, design, construction, quality of materials, use and occupancy, location, and maintenance of all buildings and structures within the jurisdiction and certain equipment specifically regulated herein.

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BSR/SCTE DVS 042-200x, DES CBC Packet Encryption (new standard)

Data Encryption Standard (DES) Cipher Block Chaining (CBC) specifies the encryption and decryption of packet data in digital audio, video and data signals. It provides guidelines for implementing and using the modes of operation.

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# ISO and IEC Draft International Standards



This section lists proposed standards that the International Organization for Standardization (ISO) and the International Electrotechnical Commission (IEC) are considering for approval. The proposals have received substantial support within the technical committees or subcommittees that developed them and are now being circulated to ISO and IEC members for comment and vote. Standards Action readers interested in reviewing and commenting on these documents should order copies from ANSI.

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## ISO Standards

### AIRCRAFT AND SPACE VEHICLES (TC 20)

ISO/DIS 4118, Air cargo - Non-certified lower-deck containers for large-capacity aircraft - Specification and testing - 6/21/2003, \$84.00

### DENTISTRY (TC 106)

ISO/DIS 10650, Dentistry - Powered polymerization activators - 6/28/2003, \$62.00

### MECHANICAL VIBRATION AND SHOCK (TC 108)

ISO/DIS 18437-2, Mechanical vibration and shock - Characterization of the dynamic mechanical properties of resilient materials - Part 2: Resonance method - 6/28/2003, \$46.00

### MICROBEAM ANALYSIS (TC 202)

ISO/DIS 17470, Microbeam analysis - Electron probe microanalysis - Guidelines for qualitative point analysis by wavelength dispersive X-ray spectrometry - 6/28/2003, \$39.00

### PLASTICS (TC 61)

ISO/DIS 13894-2, High-pressure decorative laminates - Composite elements - Part 2: Specifications for composite elements with wood-based substrates for interior use - 6/28/2003, \$42.00

ISO/DIS 21368, Adhesives - Guidelines for the fabrication of adhesively bonded structures and for reporting procedures suitable for the risk evaluation of such structures - 6/21/2003, \$51.00

### ROAD VEHICLES (TC 22)

ISO/DIS 11407, Commercial road vehicles - Mechanical coupling between towing vehicles, with coupling mounted forward and below, and centre-axle trailers - Interchangeability - 6/28/2003, \$39.00

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23/332/FDIS, IEC 61534-1 Ed.1: Powertrack systems - Part 1: General requirements, 05/30/2003

56/856/FDIS, IEC 60300-1, Ed.2: Dependability management - Part 1: Dependability management systems, 05/30/2003

66/324/FDIS, IEC 61010-2-010 Ed.2: Safety requirements for electrical equipment for measurement, control, and laboratory use - Part 2-010: Particular requirements for laboratory equipment for the heating of material, 05/30/2003

66/325/FDIS, IEC 61010-2-051 Ed.2: Safety requirements for electrical equipment for measurement, control, and laboratory use - Part 2-051: Particular requirements for laboratory equipment for mixing and stirring, 05/30/2003

66/326/FDIS, IEC 61010-3-061 Ed.2: Safety requirements for electrical equipment for measurement, control, and laboratory use - Part 2-061: Particular requirements for laboratory atomic spectrometers with thermal atomization and ionization, 05/30/2003

66/327/FDIS, IEC 61010-2-081 A1 Ed.1: Safety requirements for electrical equipment for measurement, control and laboratory use - Part 2-081: Particular requirements for automatic and semi-automatic laboratory equipment for analysis and other purposes, 05/30/2003

68/271/FDIS, IEC 60404-6, Ed. 2: Magnetic materials - Part 6: Methods of measurement of the magnetic properties of magnetically soft metallic and powder materials at frequencies in the range 20 Hz to 200 kHz by the use of ring specimens, 05/30/2003

108/65/FDIS, IEC 62018 Ed.1: Power consumption of information technology equipment - Measurement methods, 05/30/2003

15C/1488/FDIS, IEC 60893-2, Ed. 2: Industrial rigid laminated sheets based on thermosetting resins for electrical purposes - Part 2: Methods of test, 05/23/2003

17B/1277/FDIS, IEC 60947-5-7, Ed. 1: Low-voltage switchgear and controlgear - Part 5-7: Control circuit devices and switching elements - Requirements for proximity devices with analogue output, 05/23/2003

18A/243/FDIS, Electrical installations in ships- Part 354: Single- and three-core power cables with extruded solid insulation for rated voltages 6kV ( $U_m = 7.2$  kV) up to 30kV ( $U_m = 36$  kV), 05/23/2003

20/626/FDIS, Amendment 2 to IEC 60227-5, Ed. 2: Polyvinyl chloride insulated cables of rated voltages up to and including 450/750 V - Part 5: Flexible cables (cords), 05/23/2003

34A/1032/FDIS, Amendment 1 to IEC 62035, Ed.1: Discharge lamps (excluding fluorescent lamps) - Safety specifications, 05/23/2003

45A/485/FDIS, 61468 A1 Ed. 1: Nuclear power plants - In-core instrumentation - Characteristics and test methods of self-powered neutron detectors, 05/23/2003

86A/852/FDIS, IEC 60793-1-54 Ed 1.0: Optical Fibres - Part 1-54: Measurement methods and test procedures - Gamma irradiation, 05/23/2003

89/587/FDIS, Amendment 1 to IEC 60695-11-10, Ed.1: Fire hazard testing - Part 11-10: Test flames - 50 W horizontal and vertical flame test methods, 05/23/2003

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91/382/FDIS, IEC 61188-5-2, Ed.1: Printed boards and printed board assemblies - design and use -Part 5-2: Attachment (land/joint) considerations - Discrete components, 05/23/2003

# Newly Published ISO and IEC Standards



Listed here are new and revised standards recently approved and promulgated by ISO - the International Organization for Standardization – and IEC – the International Electrotechnical Commission. Most are available at the ANSI Electronic Standards Store (ESS) at [www.ansi.org](http://www.ansi.org). All paper copies are available from Global Engineering Documents.

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## ISO Standards

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### OPTICS AND OPTICAL INSTRUMENTS (TC 172)

[ISO 9345-2:2003](#), Optics and optical instruments - Microscopes - Imaging distances related to mechanical reference planes - Part 2: Infinity-corrected optical systems, \$33.00

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[ISO 1268-9:2003](#), Fibre-reinforced plastics - Methods of producing test plates - Part 9: Moulding of GMT/STC, \$26.00

### ROAD VEHICLES (TC 22)

[ISO 6626-2:2003](#), Internal combustion engines - Piston rings - Part 2: Coil-spring-loaded oil control rings of narrow width made of cast iron, \$66.00

### SOIL QUALITY (TC 190)

[ISO 14507:2003](#), Soil quality - Pretreatment of samples for determination of organic contaminants, \$46.00

### STERILIZATION OF HEALTH CARE PRODUCTS (TC 198)

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[ISO 8082:2003](#), Self-propelled machinery for forestry - Roll-over protective structures - Laboratory tests and performance requirements, \$51.00

## ISO Technical Reports

### FIRE SAFETY (TC 92)

[ISO/TR 15655:2003](#), Fire resistance - Tests for thermo-physical and mechanical properties of structural materials at elevated temperatures for fire engineering design, \$92.00

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[ISO/IEC 13865:2003](#), Information technology - Telecommunications and information exchange between systems - Private Integrated Services Network Specification, functional model and information flows Call Transfer supplementary service, \$80.00

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[ISO/IEC 14846:2003](#), Information technology - Telecommunications and information exchange between systems - Private Integrated Services Network Inter-exchange signalling protocol Call Intrusion supplementary service, \$103.00

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[ISO/IEC 15431:2003](#), Information technology - Telecommunications and information exchange between systems - Private Integrated Services Network Inter-exchange signalling protocol Wireless terminal call handling additional network features, \$92.00

[ISO/IEC 15772:2003](#), Information technology - Telecommunications and information exchange between systems - Private Integrated Services Network Inter-exchange signalling protocol Common Information additional network feature, \$70.00

[ISO/IEC 15992:2003](#), Information technology - Telecommunications and information exchange between systems - Private Integrated Services Network Inter-exchange signalling protocol Call Priority Interruption and Call Priority Interruption Protection supplementary services, \$84.00

[ISO/IEC 17876:2003](#), Information technology - Telecommunications and information exchange between systems - Private Integrated Services Network Inter-exchange signalling protocol Private User Mobility (PUM) Registration supplementary service, \$103.00

[ISO/IEC 23270:2003](#), Information technology - C# Language Specification, \$70.00

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[ISO/IEC 17024:2003](#), Conformity assessment - General requirements for bodies operating certification of persons, \$39.00

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[ISO/IEC TR 23272:2003](#), Information technology - Common Language Infrastructure - Profiles and Libraries, \$70.00

## IEC Standards

### AUDIO, VIDEO AND MULTIMEDIA SYSTEMS AND EQUIPMENT (TC 100)

[IEC 62104 Ed. 2.0 b:2003](#), Characteristics of DAB receivers, \$68.00

[IEC 62315-1 Ed. 1.0 en:2003](#), DTV profiles for uncompressed digital video interfaces - Part 1: General, \$61.00

### CABLES, WIRES, WAVEGUIDES, R.F. CONNECTORS, AND ACCESSORIES FOR COMMUNICATION AND SIGNALLING (TC 46)

[IEC 60966-2-4 Ed. 2.0 en:2003](#), Radio frequency and coaxial cable assemblies - Part 2-4: Detail specification for cable assemblies for radio and TV receivers - Frequency range 0 to 3 000 MHz, IEC 61169-2 connectors, \$17.00

[IEC 60966-2-5 Ed. 2.0 en:2003](#), Radio frequency and coaxial cable assemblies - Part 2-5: Detail specification for cable assemblies for radio and TV receivers - Frequency range 0 to 1 000 MHz, IEC 61169-2 connectors, \$17.00

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[IEC 60227-7 Amd.1 Ed. 1.0 b:2003](#), Amendment 1, \$20.00

### ELECTRICAL EQUIPMENT IN MEDICAL PRACTICE (TC 62)

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### FIBRE OPTICS (TC 86)

[IEC 61282-2 TR Ed. 1.0 en:2003](#), Fibre optic communication system design guides - Part 2: Multimode and single-mode Gbit/s applications - Gigabit ethernet model, \$35.00

[IEC 61290-10-1 Ed. 1.0 en:2003](#), Optical amplifiers - Test methods - Part 10-1: Multichannel parameters - Pulse method using an optical switch and optical spectrum analyzer, \$33.00

### INDUSTRIAL-PROCESS MEASUREMENT AND CONTROL (TC 65)

[IEC 61511-3 Ed. 1.0 en:2003](#), Functional safety - Safety instrumented systems for the process industry sector - Part 3: Guidance for the determination of the required safety integrity levels, \$68.00

### MARITIME NAVIGATION AND RADIOCOMMUNICATION EQUIPMENT AND SYSTEMS (TC 80)

[IEC 62238 Ed. 1.0 en:2003](#), Maritime navigation and radiocommunication equipment and systems - VHF radiotelephone equipment incorporating Class "D" Digital Selective Calling (DSC) - Methods of testing and required test results, \$77.00

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[CISPR 13 Ed. 4.1 b:2003](#), Sound and television broadcast receivers and associated equipment - Radio disturbance characteristics - Limits and methods of measurement, \$95.00

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[IEC 60700-1 Ed. 1.1 b:2003](#), Thyristor valves for high voltage direct current (HVDC) power transmission - Part 1: Electrical testing, \$95.00

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[IEC 61478 Ed. 1.1 b:2003](#), Live working - Ladders of insulating material, \$77.00

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[IEC 62272-1 Ed. 1.0 b:2003](#), Digital Radio Mondiale (DRM) - Part 1: System specification, \$178.00

## IEC Technical Specifications

### SWITCHGEAR AND CONTROLGEAR (TC 17)

[IEC 61915 TS Ed. 1.0 b:2003](#), Low-voltage switchgear and controlgear - Principles for the development of device profiles for networked industrial devices, \$127.00

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- EN 2: 1992/prA1, Classification of fires - 8/27/2003, \$20.00
- EN 1888: 2003/prA1, Child care articles - Wheeled child conveyances - Effectiveness of integral restraint system - 8/27/2003, \$24.00
- EN 1888: 2003/prA2, Child care articles - Wheeled child conveyances - Variants of wheeled child conveyances: Jogger type pushchair - New type of seat unit - Pushchair fitted with a platform - Bike buggies (baby carriers) - 8/27/2003, \$30.00
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- prEN 13481-8, Railway applications - Track - Performance requirements for fastening systems - Part 8: Fastening systems for track with heavy axle loads - 8/27/2003, \$26.00
- prEN 14125, Pipework for underground installation at petrol stations - 5/27/2003, \$60.00
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- prEN 14648, Building hardware - Fittings for shutters - Requirements and test methods - 8/27/2003, \$50.00
- prEN 14649, Precast concrete products - Test method for strength retention of glass fibres in cement and concrete (SIC TEST) - 8/27/2003, \$30.00

- prEN 14650, Precast concrete products - General rules for factory production control of metallic fibre concrete - 8/27/2003, \$20.00
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- prEN 14653-1, Manually operated hydraulic shoring systems for groundwork support - Part 1: Product specifications - 8/27/2003, \$88.00
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- prEN 14654, Management and control of cleaning operations in drains and sewers - 8/27/2003, \$50.00
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- prEN ISO 10993-1 REVIEW, Biological evaluation of medical devices - Part 1: Evaluation and testing (ISO 10993-1: 1997) - 6/13/2003, \$20.00
- prEN ISO 24234, Dentistry - Mercury and alloys for dental amalgam (ISO/DIS 24234: 2003) - 7/13/2003, \$20.00

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- prCEN/TR 14823, Durability of wood and wood-based products - Quantitative determination of pentachlorophenol in wood - Gas chromatographic method
- prEN 246 REVIEW, Sanitary tapware - General specifications for flow rate regulators
- prEN 1463-1: 1997/prA1, Road marking materials - Retroreflecting road studs - Part 1: Initial performance requirements
- prEN 1759-4, Flanges and their joints - Circular flanges for pipes, valves, fittings and accessories, class designated - Part 4: Aluminium alloy flanges
- prEN 1839, Determination of explosion limits of gases and vapours
- prEN 13820, Thermal insulating materials for building applications - Determination of organic content
- prEN 13858, Corrosion protection of metals - Non-electrolytically applied zinc flake coatings on iron or steel components
- prEN 14143, Respiratory protective devices - Self-contained re-breathing diving apparatus
- prEN 14149, Packaging - Complete, filled transport packages and unit loads - Impact test by rotational drop
- prEN ISO 284 REVIEW, Conveyor belts - Electrical conductivity - Specification and test methods (ISO/FDIS 284: 2003)
- prEN ISO 6887-2, Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs - Preparation of test samples, initial suspension and decimal dilutions for microbiological examination - Part 2: Specific rules for the preparation of meat and meat products (ISO/FDIS 6887-2: 2003)
- prEN ISO 6887-3, Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs - Preparation of test samples, initial suspension and decimal dilutions for microbiological examination - Part 3: Specific rules for the preparation of fish and fishery products (ISO/FDIS 6887-3: 2003)
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- prEN ISO 8754 REVIEW, Petroleum products - Determination of sulfur content - Energy-dispersive X-ray fluorescence spectrometry (ISO/FDIS 8754: 2003)
- prEN ISO 9920, Ergonomics of the thermal environment - Estimation of the thermal insulation and evaporative resistance of a clothing ensemble (ISO 9920: 1995)
- prEN ISO 14915-2, Software ergonomics for multimedia user interfaces - Part 2: Multimedia control and navigation (ISO/FDIS 14915-2: 2003)
- prEN ISO 19901-4, Petroleum and natural gas industries - Specific requirements for offshore structures - Part 4: Geotechnical and foundation design considerations (ISO/FDIS 19901-4:2003)
- prEN ISO 20482, Metallic materials - Sheet and strip - Erichsen cupping test (ISO/FDIS 20482: 2003)

# Registration of Organization Names in the United States

The Procedures for Registration of Organization Names in the United States of America (document ISSB 989) require that alphanumeric organization names be subject to a 90-day Public Review period prior to registration. For further information, please contact the Registration Coordinator at (212) 642-4975.

The following is a list of alphanumeric organization names that have been submitted to ANSI for registration. Alphanumeric names appearing for the first time are printed in bold type. Names with confidential contact information, as requested by the organization, list only public review dates.

## PUBLIC REVIEW

### Sonus Networks

Organization: Sonus Networks, Inc.  
5 Carlisle Road  
Westford, MA 01886  
Contact: Mike Mosca  
PHONE: 978-589-8539; FAX: 978-392-9118  
E-mail: [Mmosca@sonusnet.com](mailto:Mmosca@sonusnet.com)

Public review: January 27, 2003 to April 27, 2003

### Thomson Financial

Organization: Thomson Financial  
22 Thomson Place, M/S 41F3  
Boston, MA 02210  
Contact: Bob Lamoureux  
PHONE: 617-856-1436; FAX: 617-261-5499  
E-mail: [Robert.lamoureux@tfn.com](mailto:Robert.lamoureux@tfn.com)

Public review: March 31, 2003 to June 29, 2003

NOTE: Challenged alphanumeric names are underlined. The Procedures for Registration provide for a challenge process, which follows in brief. For complete details, see Section 6.4 of the Procedures.

A challenge is initiated when a letter from an interested entity is received by the Registration Coordinator. The letter shall identify the alphanumeric organization name being challenged and state the rationale supporting the challenge. A challenge fee shall accompany the letter. After receipt of the challenge, the alphanumeric organization name shall be marked as challenged in the Public Review list. The Registration Coordinator shall take no further action to register the challenged name until the challenge is resolved among the disputing parties.

# Proposed Foreign Government Regulations

## Call for Comment

U.S. manufacturers, exporters, regulatory agencies and standards developing organizations may be interested in proposed foreign technical regulations issued by members of the World Trade Organization (WTO). In accordance with the WTO Agreement on Technical Barriers to Trade (TBT Agreement), members are required to report proposed technical regulations that may significantly affect trade to the WTO Secretariat in Geneva, Switzerland, who in turn disseminates the information to all WTO members. The purpose of this requirement is to provide trading partners with an opportunity to review and comment on the regulation before it becomes final.

To distribute information on these proposed foreign technical regulations, the National Center for Standards and Certification Information

(NCSCI), National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST), provides an on-line service - Export Alert! - that allows interested parties to register and obtain notifications, via e-mail, for countries and industry sectors of interest to them. To register, go to <http://ts.nist.gov/ncsci> and click on "Export Alert!".

NCSCI serves as the U.S. WTO TBT inquiry point and receives copies of all notifications, in English, to disseminate to U.S. industry. To obtain copies of the full text of the regulations or for further information, contact NCSCI, NIST, 100 Bureau Drive, Stop 2160, Gaithersburg, MD 20899-2160; telephone (301) 975-4040; fax (301) 926-1559, e-mail - [ncsci@nist.gov](mailto:ncsci@nist.gov).

NCSCI will also request an extension of the comment period and transmit comments to the issuing foreign agency for consideration.

# Information Concerning

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## Accredited Organizations

### Approval of Accreditation

#### North American Electric Reliability Council (NERC)

The Executive Standards Council has approved the accreditation of the North American Electric Reliability Council (NERC) as a Developer of American National Standards using its own procedures for documenting consensus, effective March 24, 2003. For additional information, please contact: Mr. Ron Niebo, Assistant to the President, North American Electric Reliability Council, 116-390 Village Boulevard, Princeton, NJ 08540; PHONE: (609) 452-8060; FAX: (609) 452-9550; E-mail: Ron.Niebo@nerc.net.

## ANSI Accreditation Program for Third Party Personnel Certification Agencies

### Application for Accreditation

#### Exterior Assessments

#### Comment Deadline: April 28, 2003

Exterior Assessments, 1360 Energy Park Drive, St. Paul, MN 55108, PHONE: (651) 647-1723, has submitted an application for ANSI/CFP accreditation of its personnel certification program utilizing the Conference for Food Protection Standards. Please send your comments by April 28, 2003 to Dr. Roy Swift, Program Director, Personnel Certifier Accreditation, American National Standards Institute, 1819 L Street, NW, 6th Floor, Washington, DC 20036, FAX: (202) 293-9287 or e-mail: rswift@ansi.org.

## ANSI Accreditation Program for Third Party Product Certification Agencies

### Application for Scope Expansion

#### Underwriters Laboratories, Inc.

#### Comment Deadline: April 28, 2003

Underwriters Laboratories, Inc., 1655 Scott Blvd., Santa Clara, CA 98607-8542, PHONE: (408) 985-2400, has submitted an application for expanding its scope of accreditation at its Santa Clara facility to include the following product area:

- Licensed Radio Service Equipment

Please send your comments by April 28, 2003 to Reinaldo Balbino Figueiredo, Program Director, Product Certification Accreditation, American National Standards Institute, 1819 L Street, NW, 6th Floor, Washington, DC 20036, FAX: (202) 293-9287 or e-mail: rfigueir@ansi.org.

### Change of Fee Structure

#### Comment Deadline: April 28, 2003

The ANSI Accreditation Program for Third Party Product Certification Agencies has proposed the following addition to its fee structure.

ANSI scope extension fee: \$1000.00 per request

Please send your comments by April 28, 2003 to Reinaldo Balbino Figueiredo, Program Director Conformity Assessment, American National Standards Institute, 1819 L Street, NW, 6th Floor, Washington, DC 20036, FAX: (202) 293 9287 or e-mail: rfigueir@ansi.org.

## ANSI-RAB National Accreditation Program for Quality Management Systems

### Notice of Accreditation

#### Registrar

#### Cotecna Quality Resources Inc.

The ANSI-RAB National Accreditation Program for Registrars of Quality Management Systems is pleased to announce that the following registrar has earned accreditation:

Cotecna Quality Resources Inc.  
Ricardo Reyes  
14505 Commerce Way, Suite 501  
Miami Lakes, FL 33061  
PHONE: (305) 828-8141  
FAX: (305) 827-0616  
E-mail: ricardo.reyes@cotecnausa.com

## U.S. National Committee of the IEC

### U.S. Proposal for Initiation of International Standard

#### SC45A - Reactor Instrumentation

The following proposal for the initiation of an international Standard has been submitted to the International Electrotechnical Commission: SC 45A: Reactor Instrumentation

#### Title:

Nuclear Power Plant - Instrumentation and Control, Methods for Verifying the Performance of Safety-Related Instrument Channels

#### Scope:

The purpose of this standard is to describe methods to the nuclear power industry in demonstrating acceptable performance of safety system instrument channels through response time testing, calibration verification, and other means. This standard contains the main topics in its body and the details in its Appendices. In addition to safety-related instrument channels, this standard may also be used for non-safety-related and other instrument channels.

For further information, contact Gary Johnson, Computer Safety and Reliability Center, Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory, 7000 East Avenue, Building, 543, Rm 1237, L632, Livermore, CA 94550, PHONE: (925) 423-8834, FAX: (925) 422-9913, E-Mail: johnson27@llnl.gov.

# U.S. Technical Advisory Groups

## Approval of Reaccreditation

### ISO/TC 96 - Cranes

The Executive Standards Council has approved the reaccreditation under revised operating procedures of the U.S. Technical Advisory Group to ISO/TC 96, Cranes, and the appointment of ASME International as the new TAG Administrator, effective March 28, 2003. For additional information, please contact: Mr. Joseph Wendler, Senior Engineering Administrator, ASME International, Three Park Avenue, New York, NY 10016-5990; PHONE: (212) 591-8524; FAX: 212/591-8501; E-mail: wendlerj@asme.org.

## Call for Participants

### U.S. TAG Organizational Meeting of IEC/TC 8 - System Aspects for Electrical Energy Supply

The U.S. has not been a Participating Member of IEC/TC 8 prior to its recent expansion. The United States National Committee is hosting a fact-finding meeting in April 2003 for all material interests in order to organize this country's interface with the newly constructed TC. The scope of TC 8 is as follows:

To prepare the necessary standards framework and coordinate the development, in co-operation with other TC/SCs, of the international standards needed to facilitate the functioning of electricity supply systems in open markets.

Anyone wishing to participate in this Technical Committee should contact: Kevin Sullivan, American National Standards Institute, USNC/IEC Assistant Secretary, 25 West 43rd Street, New York, NY 10036, PHONE: (212) 642-4963, E-mail: ksulliva@ansi.org.

**PROPOSED REQUIREMENTS FOR THE SIXTH EDITION OF THE STANDARD FOR  
SCHEDULE 40 AND 80 RIGID PVC CONDUIT, UL 651**

For your convenience in review, proposed additions to existing requirements are shown underlined. New requirements are identified as (NEW).

3.3 Both ends of each length of conduit shall be perpendicular to the longitudinal axis of the conduit.

Exception: An exterior chamfer on the end of conduit is not prohibited. A chamfered end is not considered to be a taper.

(NEW)

5.3 When provided, conduit with a chamfer shall be evaluated to represent unchamfered conduit.