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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: June 30, 2003

ASQ (ASC Z1) (American Society for Quality)

New National Adoptions

BSR/ISO/ASQ QE19011-2002, Guidelines for Quality and/or Environmental Management Systems Auditing (identical national adoption)

Provides guidance on the principles of auditing, managing audit programs, conducting quality management system audits and environmental management system audits, as well as guidance on the competence of quality and environmental management system auditors. Single copy price: \$50.00

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Revisions

BSR/ASQ E4-200x, Quality Systems for Environmental Data and Technology Programs: Specification with Guidance for Use (revision of ANSI/ASQC E4-1994)

Specifies requirements for a quality system to enable an organization to formulate policies and procedures to plan and implement sufficient and adequate quality management practices for environmental programs.

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MHI (ASC MH10) (Material Handling Industry)

New Standards

BSR MH10.8.6-200x, Packaging - Bar Code and Two-Dimensional (2D) Symbols for Product Packaging (new standard)

Develop application standard for the marking of product packages with linear bar code and two-dimensional symbols. Defines minimum requirements for identifying product packages that are distributed outside the originating location. Specifies label data content and requirements, including data element requirements; data representation; rules for encoding of mandatory and optional data elements in machine readable symbols; human readable information; data carriers.

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New Standards

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Revisions

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Issue 32

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BSR/NSF 60-200x (i23), Drinking Water Treatment Chemicals - Health Effects (revision of ANSI/NSF 60-2000)

Issue 23: Revisions to section 6.3.2.1 - Hypochlorite treatment

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BSR/NSF 61-200x (i49), Drinking water system components - Health effects (revision of ANSI/NSF 61-2002)

Issue 49 - The proposed revision will update the wash section (Sec. B.4.2) to allow products to be tested as they are in field installation.

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TIA (Telecommunications Industry Association)

Revisions

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Presents a recommended plan for the implementation of Uniform Features for use in the Wireless Radiotelephone Service.

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Identifies those cellular services which require intersystem cooperation, to present the general background.

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Radio-telecommunications Intersystem Operations - X.25 Transport
Signaling Protocols (revise and partition ANSI/TIA/EIA 41-D-1997)

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Radio-telecommunications Intersystem Operations - MAP Operations
Signaling Protocol (revise and partition ANSI/TIA/EIA 41-D-1997)

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Radio-telecommunications Intersystem Operations - MAP Parameters
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AAMI (Association for the Advancement of Medical Instrumentation)

New National Adoptions

BSR/AAMI/IEC 60601-1-6-200x, Medical electrical equipment - Part 1-6:
General requirements for safety - Collateral standard: Usability
(identical national adoption and revision of ANSI/AAMI HE74-2001)

Specifies requirements for a process to analyze, design, verify, and
validate the usability to ensure the safety of medical electrical equipment.
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AAN (American Association of Nurserymen)

Revisions

BSR Z60.1-200x, Nursery Stock (revision of ANSI Z60.1-1996)

Nursery crop growers, landscape architects, landscape contractors, and
others trading in or specifying nursery plants have assisted in developing
these standards for various kinds of nursery plants. The standards
establish a common framework for sizing and describing plants.
Illustrations, examples, and written descriptions have been combined to
clarify the standards.

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API (American Petroleum Institute)

New National Adoptions

BSR/API RP 5A3-200x, Recommended Practice on Thread Compounds
for Casing, Tubing and Line Pipe (identical national adoption)

Provides requirements, recommendations and methods for the
manufacture, testing and selection of thread compounds for use on
ISO/API round thread, buttress thread and proprietary casing, tubing and
line pipe connections.

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ASME (American Society of Mechanical Engineers)

Revisions

BSR/ASME MH1-200x, Pallets, Slip Sheets, and Other Bases for Unit
Loads (revision of ANSI/ASME MH1-1997)

Provides the following information: definitions and terminology covering
pallets and related structures, sizes of wood pallets, wood pallets, export
pallets, driven fasteners for assembly of pallets and related structures,
protocol for measuring quality of pallet nails and staples, determination
of durability of wood pallets and related structures, testing procedures for
pallets and related structures, slip sheets, wood pallets for military use,
and performance specification for pallets to be used in automated
unit-load material handling equipment. For the 2003 edition, all 10 parts
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BSR/ASME Y14.34M-200x, Associated Lists (revision of ANSI/ASME Y14.34M-1996)

Establishes the minimum requirements for the preparation and revision of parts lists, application lists, data lists, and index lists. In addition, this Standard presents certain options that may be incorporated into parts lists, data lists, index lists, application lists, indented data lists, and wire lists at the discretion of the design activity.

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Reaffirmations

BSR/ASME PTC 22-1997 (R200x), Performance Test Code on Gas Turbines (reaffirmation of ANSI/ASME PTC 22-1997)

Provides for the test of gas turbines supplied with gaseous or liquid fuels (or solid fuels converted to liquid or gas prior to entrance to the gas turbine). Tests of gas turbines with water or steam injection for emission control and/or power augmentation are included. It may be applied to gas turbines in combined-cycle power plants or with other heat recovery systems.

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AWS (American Welding Society)

Revisions

BSR/AWS C5.10-200x, Recommended Practices for Shielding Gases for Welding and Cutting (revision of ANSI/AWS C5.10-1994)

Concerned with six industrial gases: argon (Ar), carbon dioxide (CO₂), helium (He), hydrogen (H₂), Nitrogen (N₂), and oxygen (O₂). Properties, uses, safe handling, distribution, mixtures and effects on arc characteristics and welds are presented for flux cored arc welding (FCAW), gas tungsten arc welding (GTAW), gas metal arc welding (GMAW), electrogas welding (EGW), plasma arc welding (PAW), plasma arc cutting (PAC), laser welding (LW) and laser cutting (LC). Gas purging, gas distribution and safety practices are also covered.

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AWWA (American Water Works Association)

Revisions

BSR/AWWA C206-200x, Field Welding of Steel Water Pipe (revision of ANSI/AWWA C206-1997)

Covers manual, semiautomatic, and automatic field welding by the metal arc-welding processes for steel water pipe manufactured in accordance with ANSI/AWWA C200, Standard for Steel Water Pipe - 6 In. (150 mm) and Larger.

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Covers the procedures for shock chlorination and bacteriological testing for the disinfection of wells for potable water service. These procedures shall be followed prior to using any new or existing well for potable water service if the well may have been contaminated as a result of construction, servicing, or maintenance.

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BSR/AWWA D102-200x, Coating Steel Water-Storage Tanks (revision of ANSI/AWWA D102-1997)

Covers coating systems for coating and recoating the inside and outside surfaces of steel tanks used for potable water storage in water supply service. Coating systems for new bolted steel tanks are not covered by this standard (see ANSI/AWWA D103).

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ISEA (International Safety Equipment Association)

Revisions

BSR Z89.1-200x, Industrial Head Protection (revision of ANSI Z89.1-1997)

Establishes minimum performance requirements for protective helmets that reduce the forces of impact and penetration and that may provide protection from electric shock. The standard describes Types and Classes, testing and performance requirements for protective helmets. These include recommended safety requirements for authorities considering the establishment of regulations or codes concerning the use of protective helmets.

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ASME (American Society of Mechanical Engineers)

BSR/ASME B31.8b-200x, Gas Transmission and Distribution Piping Systems (supplement to ANSI/ASME B31.8-1995)

Notice of Withdrawal: ANS at least 10 years past approval date

The following American National Standards have not been revised or reaffirmed within ten years from the date of their approval as American National Standards and accordingly are withdrawn:

ANSI/IPC QF-143-1992, Finished Fabric Woven from Quartz (Pure Fused Silical) for Printed Boards, Specification for

Correction

BSR/NB 23-2003

In the Call-for-Comment section of the May 2, 2003 Standards Action, the title for BSR/NB 23-2003 was incorrectly listed as "National Board Inspection Code, Addendum 2002." The correct title is: "National Board Inspection Code, Addendum 2003."

Call for Comment Contact Information

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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.

ASME (American Society of Mechanical Engineers)

Revisions

ANSI/ASME B107.8M-2003, Adjustable Wrenches (revision of ANSI/ASME B107.8M-1996): 5/6/2003

ISA (ISA-The Instrumentation, Systems, and Automation Society)

New National Adoptions

ANSI/ISA 12.12.02-2003 (IEC 60079-15-1987), Electrical Apparatus for Use in Class I Zone 2 Hazardous (Classified) Locations - Type of Protection "n" (identical national adoption): 5/5/2003

OLA (ASC Z80) (Optical Laboratories Association)

Reaffirmations

ANSI Z80.26-1996 (R2003), Ophthalmics - Data Processing and Interchange Information for Ophthalmic Instruments (reaffirmation of ANSI Z80.26-1996): 5/6/2003

SCTE (Society of Cable Telecommunications Engineers)

New Standards

ANSI/SCTE 27-2003, Subtitling Methods for Broadcast Cable (new standard): 5/2/2003

ANSI/SCTE 87-1 2003, Graphic Symbols for Cable Telecommunications Part 1 - HFC Symbols (new standard): 5/2/2003

UL (Underwriters Laboratories, Inc.)

Revisions

ANSI/UL 5A-2003, Standard for Safety for Non-Metallic Surface Raceways and Fittings (revision of ANSI/UL 5A-2002): 5/1/2003

Project Initiation Notification System (PINS)

ANSI Procedures require notification of ANSI by ANSI-accredited standards developers of the initiation and scope of activities expected to result in new or revised American National Standards. This information is a key element in planning and coordinating American National Standards. For additional information, see clause 2.4 of the ANSI Essential Requirements: Due Process Requirements for American National Standards (January 2003 edition).

Following is a list of proposed new American National Standards or revisions to existing American National Standards that have been received from ANSI-accredited standards developers that utilize the periodic maintenance option in connection with their standards. Please also review the section entitled "American National Standards Maintained Under Continuous Maintenance" contained in Standards Action for comparable information with regard to standards maintained under the continuous maintenance option. Directly and materially affected interests wishing to receive more information should contact the standards developer directly.

CSA (CSA America, Inc.)

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BSR/CSA FC 6-200x, Portable Hydrogen Generators Using Fuel Processing Technologies (new standard)

This product safety and performance standard applies to packaged, self-contained portable hydrogen generation systems, herein referred to as portable hydrogen generators, that convert a hydrocarbon feedstock to a hydrogen rich stream.

IPC (IPC - Association Connecting Electronics Industries)

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BSR/IPC 2226-200x, Sectional Design Standard for High Density Interconnect (HDI) Printed Boards (new standard)

This standard provides recommendations for signal, power, ground and mixed distribution layers, dielectric separation, via formation and metallization requirements and other design features that are necessary for HDI-advanced IC interconnection substrates in printed board design.

ISA (ISA-The Instrumentation, Systems, and Automation Society)

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BSR/ISA 84.00.01, Part 1 (IEC 61511-1 Mod)-200x, Functional safety - Safety instrumented systems for the process industry sector - Part 1: Framework, definitions, system, hardware and software requirements (national adoption with modifications and revision of ANSI/ISA S84.01-1996)

Places requirements on the specification, design, installation, operation, and maintenance of a safety instrumented system, so that it can be confidently entrusted to place and/or maintain the process in a safe state. Developed as a process sector implementation of IEC 61508, "Functional safety of electrical/electronic/programmable electronic safety related systems."

BSR/ISA 84.00.01, Part 3 (IEC 61511-3 Mod)-200x, Functional safety - Safety instrumented systems for the process industry sector - Part 3: Guidance for the determination of the required safety integrity levels (national adoption with modifications and revision of ANSI/ISA S84.01-1996)

Provides information on the underlying concepts of risk, the relationship of risk to safety integrity, the determination of tolerable risk, and a number of different methods that enable the safety integrity levels for Safety Instrumented Functions to be determined. Like Parts 1 and 2, this standard was developed as a process sector implementation of IEC 61508, "Functional safety of electrical/electronic/programmable electronic safety related systems."

ITI (INCITS) (InterNational Committee for Information Technology Standards)

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BSR INCITS PN-1625-D-200x, Information technology - Fibre Channel Physical Interface (FC-PI-3) (new standard)

The FC-PI-3 standard will define the requirements for new physical layer variants used by the FC Protocol transport layer and the command sets above it, while maintaining a high degree of compatibility with the requirements in the FC-PI, FC-PI-2, and 10GFC standards.

OLA (ASC Z80) (Optical Laboratories Association)

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BSR Z80.9-200x, For Ophthalmics - Low Vision Aids - Requirements (national adoption with modifications and revision of ANSI Z80.9-1998)

This Standard applies to optical devices specified by the manufacturer for use by visually impaired persons as low vision aids. It specifies optical and mechanical requirements and test methods. It includes optical devices with electrical and/or electronic components for image capture or display.

TIA (Telecommunications Industry Association)

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BSR/TIA PN-3-0107-200x, CDMA High Rate Broadcast Packet Data Air Interface Specification (new standard)

To standardize the functionality of broadcast/multicast services that can be incorporated into the operation of High Rate Packet Data based Telecommunication Networks.

BSR/TIA PN-3-0109-200x, IP over Satellite (Targeted to Residential Markets) (new standard)

To develop a satellite solution of an air interface targeted for IP services to the residential market.

UL (Underwriters Laboratories, Inc.)

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BSR/UL 710B-200x, Standard for Safety for Recirculating Systems (new standard)

These requirements cover the following exhaust recirculating systems intended to control smoke or grease-laden vapors from commercial cooking equipment rated 600 volts or less and intended for indoor use:

(a) Electric commercial cooking appliances provided with integral recirculating systems; (b) Non-integral recirculating systems; (c) Gas cooking appliances provided with integral recirculating systems; and (d) Vending machines provided with integral recirculating systems.

American National Standards Maintained Under Continuous Maintenance

The ANSI Essential Requirements: Due Process Requirements for American National Standards provide two options for the maintenance of American National Standards (ANS): periodic maintenance (see clause 4.7.1) and continuous maintenance (see clause 4.7.2). Continuous maintenance is defined as follows:

The standard shall be maintained by an accredited standards developer. A documented program for periodic publication of revisions shall be established by the standards developer. Processing of these revisions shall be in accordance with these procedures. The published standard shall include a clear statement of the intent to consider requests for change and information on the submittal of such requests. Procedures shall be established for timely, documented consensus action on each request for change and no portion of the standard shall be excluded from the revision process. In the event that no revisions are issued for a period of four years, action to reaffirm or withdraw the standard shall be taken in accordance with the procedures contained in the ANSI Essential Requirements.

The Executive Standards Council (ExSC) has determined that for standards maintained under the Continuous Maintenance option, separate PINS announcements are not required. The following ANSI Accredited Standards Developers have formally registered standards under the Continuous Maintenance option.

- AAMVA
- AGRSS
- ASC B109 (AGA)
- ASHRAE
- ASME
- ASTM
- NBBPVI
- NSF International
- TIA
- Underwriters Laboratories Inc.

To obtain additional information with regard to these standards, such as contact information at the ANSI accredited standards developer, please visit ANSI Online at www.ansi.org, select Internet Resources, click on "Standards Information," and see "American National Standards Maintained Under Continuous Maintenance". This information is also available directly at <http://public.ansi.org/ansionline/Documents/Standards%20Activities/American%20National%20Standards/Procedures,%20Guides,%20and%20Forms/>.

Alternatively, you may contact the Procedures & Standards Administration Department (PSA) at psa@ansi.org or via fax at 212-840-2298. If you request that information be provided via E-mail, please include your E-mail address; if you request that information be provided via fax, please include your fax number. Thank you.



Newly Published ISO Standards

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

Weblinks are now provided from Standards Action to ANSI's Electronic Standards Store. To purchase a PDF copy of the desired standard, click on the blue, underlined designation.

AGRICULTURAL FOOD PRODUCTS (TC 34)

[ISO 15213:2003](#), Microbiology of food and animal feeding stuffs - Horizontal method for the enumeration of sulfite-reducing bacteria growing under anaerobic conditions, \$33.00

ANALYSIS OF GASES (TC 158)

[ISO 6145-6:2003](#), Gas analysis - Preparation of calibration gas mixtures using dynamic volumetric methods - Part 6: Critical orifices, \$48.00

BANKING AND RELATED FINANCIAL SERVICES (TC 68)

[ISO 10383:2003](#), Securities and related financial instruments - Codes for exchanges and market identification (MIC) -, \$30.00

BUILDING CONSTRUCTION MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT (TC 195)

[ISO 15688:2003](#), Road construction and maintenance equipment - Soil stabilizers - Terminology and commercial specifications, \$71.00

COMPRESSORS, PNEUMATIC TOOLS AND PNEUMATIC MACHINES (TC 118)

[ISO 8573-6:2003](#), Compressed air - Part 6: Test methods for gaseous contaminant content, \$48.00

[ISO 8573-7:2003](#), Compressed air - Part 7: Test method for viable microbiological contaminant content, \$45.00

CRANES (TC 96)

[ISO 4308-1:2003](#), Cranes and lifting appliances - Selection of wire ropes - Part 1: General, \$71.00

EARTH-MOVING MACHINERY (TC 127)

[ISO 6747/Amd1:2003](#), Earth-moving machinery - Tractors - Terminology - Amendment 1, \$13.00

FLUID POWER SYSTEMS (TC 131)

[ISO 15407-2:2003](#), Pneumatic fluid power - Five-port directional control valves, sizes 18 mm and 26 mm - Part 2: Mounting interface surfaces with optional electrical connector, \$45.00

GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION/GEOMATICS (TC 211)

[ISO 19107:2003](#), Geographic information - Spatial schema, \$164.00

[ISO 19115:2003](#), Geographic information - Metadata, \$156.00

INDUSTRIAL AUTOMATION SYSTEMS AND INTEGRATION (TC 184)

[ISO 10303-42:2003](#), Industrial automation systems and integration - Product data representation and exchange - Part 42: Integrated generic resource: Geometric and topological representation, \$225.00

OPTICS AND OPTICAL INSTRUMENTS (TC 172)

[ISO 16671:2003](#), Ophthalmic implants - Irrigating solutions for ophthalmic surgery, \$71.00

PALLETS FOR UNIT LOAD METHOD OF MATERIALS HANDLING (TC 51)

[ISO 18613:2003](#), Repair of flat wooden pallets, \$53.00

PHOTOGRAPHY (TC 42)

[ISO 15739:2003](#), Photography - Electronic still-picture imaging - Noise measurements, \$76.00

PLASTICS (TC 61)

[ISO 16014-2:2003](#), Plastics - Determination of average molecular mass and molecular mass distribution of polymers using size-exclusion chromatography - Part 2: Universal calibration method, \$48.00

REFRACTORIES (TC 33)

[ISO 12677:2003](#), Chemical analysis of refractory products by XRF - Fused cast bead method, \$129.00

ROAD VEHICLES (TC 22)

[ISO 13555-2:2003](#), Diesel engines - Procedure for checking the dynamic timing of diesel fuel injection equipment - Part 2: Test method, \$38.00

[ISO 15500-1/Amd1:2003](#), Road vehicles - Compressed natural gas (CNG) fuel system components - Part 1: General requirements and definitions - Amendment 1, \$13.00

TOBACCO AND TOBACCO PRODUCTS (TC 126)

[ISO 15152:2003](#), Tobacco - Determination of the content of total alkaloids as nicotine - Continuous-flow analysis method, \$48.00

[ISO 15153:2003](#), Tobacco - Determination of the content of reducing substances - Continuous-flow analysis method, \$33.00

[ISO 15154:2003](#), Tobacco - Determination of the content of reducing carbohydrates - Continuous-flow analysis method, \$38.00

[ISO 15517:2003](#), Tobacco - Determination of nitrate content - Continuous-flow analysis method, \$38.00

WOOD-BASED PANELS (TC 89)

[ISO 16979:2003](#), Wood-based panels - Determination of moisture content, \$30.00

ISO Technical Reports

QUALITY MANAGEMENT AND QUALITY ASSURANCE (TC 176)

[ISO/TR 10017:2003](#), Guidance on statistical techniques for ISO 9001:2000, \$76.00

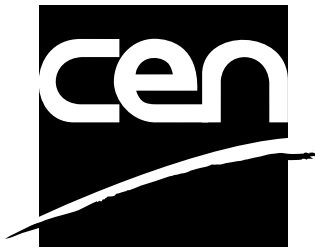
ROAD VEHICLES (TC 22)

[ISO/TR 7861:2003](#), Road vehicles - Injury risk curves for evaluation of occupant protection in frontal impact, \$63.00

ISO/IEC JTC 1, Information Technology

[ISO/IEC 10118-3:2003](#), Information technology - Security techniques - Hash-functions - Part 3: Dedicated hash-functions, \$139.00

CEN/CENELEC Standards Activity



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This section provides information on standards activity within CEN - the European Committee for Standardization - and CENELEC - the European Committee for Electrotechnical Standardization. CEN and CENELEC are composed of European member bodies whose countries cooperate within the European Economic Community (Common Market) and the European Free Trade Association (EFTA). Their primary purpose is to develop standards needed to harmonize European interests and prevent technical barriers. Both CEN and CENELEC are committed to adopting standards developed by ISO and IEC wherever possible.

ANSI is publishing this information to give U.S. interests an opportunity to obtain information, and to comment on proposed European Standards and/or Harmonization Documents being circulated for enquiry. Anyone interested in obtaining this information, and/or commenting on proposals should order copies from ANSI.

Comments regarding CEN are to be sent to Henrietta Scully at ANSI's New York offices. Comments regarding CENELEC are to be sent to Charles T. Zegers, also at ANSI's New York offices.

Ordering Instructions

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CEN

European drafts sent for CEN enquiry

The following European drafts have been sent to CEN members for enquiry and comment. If the draft is a proposed adoption of an International Standard, it is so noted. The final date for offering comments is listed after each proposal.

EN 303-3: 1998/prA2, Heating boilers - Part 3: Gas-fired central heating boilers - Assembly comprising a boiler body and a forced draught burn - 8/9/2003, \$24.00

EN 12259-1: 1999 + A1: 2002/prA2, Fixed firefighting systems - Components for sprinkler and water spray systems - Part 1: Sprinklers - 8/9/2003, \$24.00

prEN 46-1, Wood preservatives - Determination of the preventive action against recently hatched larvae of *hylotrupes bajulus* (Linnaeus) - Part 1: Application by surface treatment (Laboratory method) - 10/8/2003, \$54.00

prEN 47 REVIEW, Wood preservatives - Determination of the toxic values against larvae of *Hylotrupes bajulus* (Linnaeus) (Laboratory method) - 10/8/2003, \$50.00

prEN 49-1 REVIEW, Wood preservatives - Determination of the protective effectiveness against *Anobium punctatum* (De Geer) by egg-laying and larval survival - Part 1: Application by surface treatment (Laboratory method) - 10/8/2003, \$50.00

prEN 49-2 REVIEW, Wood preservatives - Determination of the protective effectiveness against *Anobium punctatum* (De Geer) by egg-laying and larval survival - Part 2: Application by impregnation (Laboratory method) - 10/8/2003, \$50.00

prEN 117 REVIEW, Wood preservatives - Determination of toxic values against European Reticulitermes species (Laboratory method) - 10/8/2003, \$42.00

prEN 118 REVIEW, Wood preservatives - Determination of preventive action against European Reticulitermes species (Laboratory method) - 10/8/2003, \$42.00

prEN 228 REVIEW, Automotive fuels - Unleaded petrol - Requirements and test methods - 10/8/2003, \$35.00

prEN 589 REVIEW, Automotive fuels - LPG - Requirements and test methods - 10/8/2003, \$38.00

prEN 590 REVIEW, Automotive fuels - Diesel - Requirements and test methods - 10/8/2003, \$30.00

prEN 847-1 REVIEW, Tools for woodworking - Safety requirements - Part 1: Milling tools and circular saw blades - 10/8/2003, \$64.00

prEN 10253-4, Butt-welding pipe fittings - Part 4: Wrought austenitic and austenitic-ferritic (duplex) stainless steels with specific inspection requirements - 10/8/2003, \$88.00

prEN 14175-4, Fume cupboards - Part 4: On-site test method - 10/8/2003, \$35.00

prEN 14652, Water conditioning equipment inside buildings - Membrane separation device - Requirements for performance, safety and testing - 10/8/2003, \$88.00

prEN 14700, Welding consumables - Welding consumables for hard-facing - 10/8/2003, \$35.00

prEN 14701-3, Characterization of sludges - Filtration properties - Part 3: Determination of the compressibility - 10/8/2003, \$24.00

prEN 14702-2, Characterization of sludges - Settling properties - Part 2: Determination of thickenability - 10/8/2003, \$24.00

prEN 14703, Furniture - Links for linked seating - Strength and safety requirements and test methods - 10/8/2003, \$42.00

prEN 14704-1, Determination of the elasticity of fabrics - Part 1: Strip tests - 10/8/2003, \$50.00

prEN 14705, Heat exchangers - Method of measurement and evaluation of thermal performances of wet cooling towers - 10/8/2003, \$88.00

prEN ISO 10139-1 REVIEW, Dentistry - Soft lining materials for removable dentures - Part 1: Materials for short-term use (ISO/DIS 10139-1: 2003) - 9/1/2003, \$20.00

prEN ISO 14116, Protective clothing - Protection against heat and flame - Limited flame spread materials, material assemblies and clothing (ISO/DIS 14116: 2003) - 9/8/2003, \$30.00

prEN ISO 16665, Water quality - Guidelines for quantitative sampling and sample processing of marine soft-bottom macro fauna (ISO/DIS 16665: 2003) - 10/8/2003, \$20.00

prEN ISO 19879, Metallic tube connections for fluid power and general use - Test methods for hydraulic fluid power connections (ISO/DIS 19879: 2003) - 9/8/2003, \$20.00

prEN ISO 21329, Petroleum and natural gas industries - Pipeline transportation systems - Test procedures for mechanical connectors (ISO/DIS 21329: 2003) - 10/8/2003, \$20.00

prEN ISO 22612, Clothing for protection against infectious agents - Test method for resistance to penetration by biologically contaminant dust through protective clothing materials (ISO/DIS 22612: 2003) - 9/1/2003, \$35.00

European drafts sent for formal vote (for information)

The following European drafts have been sent to CEN members for formal vote. If the draft is a proposed adoption of an International Standard, it is so noted.

EN 12566-1: 2000/prA1, Small wastewater treatment systems 50 PT - Part 1: Prefabricated septic tanks

prCEN /TR 14709, Postal services - Quality of service - Guide for the implementation of EN 13850

prCEN ISO/TS 17845, Welding and allied processes - Designation system for imperfections (ISO/DTS 17845: 2003)

prEN 1262 REVIEW, Surface active agents - Determination of pH value of solutions or dispersions

prEN 1762 REVIEW, Rubber hoses and hose assemblies for liquefied petroleum gas, LPG (liquid or gaseous phase), and natural gas up to 25 bar (2,5 MPa) - Specification

prEN 10058, Hot rolled flat steel bars for general purposes - Dimensions and tolerances on shape and dimensions

prEN 10059, Hot rolled square steel bars for general purposes - Dimensions and tolerances on shape and dimensions

prEN 10060, Hot rolled round steel bars - Dimensions and tolerances on shape and dimensions

prEN 10061, Hot rolled hexagon steel bars - Dimensions and tolerances on shape and dimensions

prEN 10092-1, Hot rolled spring steel flat bars - Part 1: Flat bars - Dimensions and tolerances on shape and dimensions

prEN 10092-2, Hot rolled spring steel flat bars - Part 2: Ribbed and grooved spring leaves - Dimensions and tolerances on shape and dimensions

prEN 12255-14, Wastewater treatment plants - Part 14: Disinfection

prEN 12269-2, Determination of the bond behaviour between reinforcing steel and autoclaved aerated concrete by the "beam test" - Part 2: Long term test

prEN 12697-21, Bituminous mixtures - Test methods for hot mix asphalt - Part 21: Indentation using plate specimens

prEN 13135-1, Cranes - Safety - Design - Requirements for equipment - Part 1: Electrotechnical equipment

prEN 13851, Methods of test for hydraulic setting floor smoothing and/or levelling compounds - Determination of flexural and compressive strength

prEN 14010, Safety of machinery - Equipment for power driven parking of motor vehicles - Safety and EMC requirements for design, manufacturing, erection and commissioning stages

prEN 14176, Foodstuffs - Determination of domoic acids in mussels by HPLC

prEN 14204, Chemical disinfectants and antiseptics - Quantitative suspension test for the evaluation of microbactericidal activity of chemical disinfectants and antiseptics used in veterinary field - Test method and requirements (phase 2, step 1)

prEN 14205, Natural stone test methods - Determination of Knoop hardness

prEN 14278-1, Textiles - Determination of cotton fibre stickness - Part 1: Method using a manual thermodetection device

prEN ISO 3175-3, Textiles - Professional care, drycleaning and wetcleaning of fabrics and garments - Part 3: Procedure for testing performance when cleaning and finishing using hydrocarbon solvents (ISO/FDIS 3175-3: 2003)

prEN ISO 3175-4, Textiles - Professional care, drycleaning and wetcleaning of fabrics and garments - Part 4: Procedure for testing performance when cleaning and finishing using simulated wetcleaning (ISO/FDIS 3175-4: 2003)

prEN ISO 4674-1, Rubber- or plastics-coated fabrics - Determination of tear resistance - Part 1: Constant rate of tear methods (ISO/FDIS 4674-1: 2003)

prEN ISO 10846-4, Acoustics and vibration - Laboratory measurement of vibro-acoustic transfer properties of resilient elements - Part 4: Dynamic stiffness of elements other than resilient supports for translatory motion (ISO/FDIS 10846-4: 2003)

prEN ISO 13790, Thermal performance of buildings - Calculation of energy use for space heating (ISO/FDIS 13790: 2003)

prEN ISO 17834, Thermal spraying - Coatings for protection against corrosion and oxidation at elevated temperatures (ISO/FDIS 17834: 2003)

prEN ISO 18330, Milk and milk products - Guidelines for the standardized description of immunoassays or receptor assays for the detection of antimicrobial residues (ISO/FDIS 18330: 2003)

prEN ISO 20843, Petroleum and related products - Determination of pH of fire-resistant fluids within categories HFAE, HFAS and HFC (ISO/FDIS 20843: 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

Applied Materials Inc.

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Public Review: April 21, 2003 to July 20, 2003

Thomson Financial

Organization: Thomson Financial
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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.

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

Information Concerning

Accredited Organizations

Change in Scope of Accreditation

Material Handling Industry (MHI)

The Material Handling Industry (MHI) has advised ANSI of the following additions to its scope of standards activity. MHI's revised scope reads as follows:

Underhung cranes and monorails; industrial metal containers; overhead traveling cranes; storage racks; shelving; welded wire rack decking; demountable remountable/relocatable multiple use platforms. Portable, dock-face mounted, and fixed loading dock levelers; industrial scissor lifts; vertical and horizontal carousels; vertical lift modules; dock boards; restraints for trailers/vehicles at loading docks; plastic bulk containers; and plastic hand-held totes (rigid and folding).

Definitions for each product are provided below:

Plastic Bulk Containers

Large plastic containers, rigid or collapsible, designed to transport and or store a wide variety of products. Usually requires additional material handling equipment to move or stack containers within facility or transport trailer. May or may not be used with a lid. Also referred to as bulk boxes, bulk bins, pallet boxes, or plastic gaylord boxes. Does not include Intermediate Bulk Containers (IBCs) or Flexible Intermediate Bulk Containers (FIBCs)

Plastic Hand Held Containers

Smaller plastic containers, rigid or collapsible, with or without lids, typically designed for smaller loads that can be handled by a single operator, or can be used with other material handling equipment such as pallets of all materials, manual or powered handling equipment, Automated Storage and Retrieval Systems (ASRS), picking equipment or conveyors. Occasionally referred to as totes, bins, plastic box, or distribution containers

For additional information, please contact: Mr. Mike Ogle, Director of Technical & Engineering Services, Material Handling Industry of America, 8720 Red Oak Blvd., Suite 201, Charlotte, NC 28217-3992; PHONE: (704) 676-1190; FAX: (704) 676-1199; E-mail: mogle@mhia.org.

Reaccreditation

American Institute of Steel Construction (AISC)

The Executive Standards Council has approved the reaccreditation of the American Institute of Steel Construction (AISC) under revised operating procedures, effective May 5, 2003. For additional information, please contact: Ms. Cynthia Duncan, Director of Specifications, American Institute of Steel Construction, 1 East Wacker Drive, Suite 3100, Chicago, IL 60601; PHONE: (312) 670-5410; FAX: (312) 644-4226; E-mail: duncan@aisc.org.

U.S. Technical Advisory Groups

Call for Candidates to Serve as TAG and TAG Administrator

JTC 1/SC22/WG 9 - Programming Language Ada

Comment Deadline: June 15, 2003

ANSI has been requested by the InterNational Committee for Information Technology Standards (INCITS), U.S. TAG for ISO/IEC JTC1, to issue a call for a candidate to serve in the following capacity:

A US organization(s) to serve as the National Body TAG Administrator for JTC 1/SC22/WG 9 - Programming Language Ada

The duties of a TAG and TAG Administrator are detailed in Sections 2.2 and 2.3 of the ANSI Procedures for the U.S. Participation in the International Standards Activities of ISO (January 2002 edition).

If your organization has an interest in serving as the TAG, please contact Henrietta Scully (hscully@ansi.org) by June 15, 2003.