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American National Standards

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Revisions

 BSR/BHMA A156.15-200x, Release Devices - Closer Holder, Electromagnetic and Electromechanical (revision of ANSI/BHMA A156.15-2001)

This Standard establishes requirements for door closers combined with hold-open devices or free-swinging door closers combined with releasing devices, and includes performance tests covering operational, cyclical and finish criteria. Tests described in this Standard are performed under laboratory conditions. In actual usage, results vary because of installation, maintenance and environmental conditions.

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Send comments (with copy to BSR) to: Michael Tierney, BHMA; mptierney@snet.net

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ANSI/ASTM F2127-2001, Test Method for Treestand Adherence (withdrawal of ANSI/ASTM F2127-2001)

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AWS (American Welding Society)

Revisions

BSR/AWS A5.9/A5.9M-200x, Specification for Bare Stainless Steel Welding Electrodes and Rods (revision of ANSI/AWS A5.9-93 (R1999))

This specification prescribes the requirements for classification of solid and composite stainless steel electrodes (both as wire and strip) for gas metal arc welding, submerged arc welding, and other fusion welding processes. It also includes wire and rods for use in gas tungsten arc welding. Classification is based on chemical composition of the filler metal.

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ESTA (ASC E1) (Entertainment Services and Technology Association)

New Standards

BSR E1.6-2-200x, Entertainment Technology - Serial Manufactured Electric Chain Hoists (new standard)

This draft American National Standard is a continuation of the BSR E1.6 powered theatrical rigging sytem project. The project has been split into two parts: BSR E1.6-2 dealing with electrical chain hoists used in entertainment applications and BSR E1.6-1 dealing with other powered winches. This document, BSR E1.6-2, covers the design, inspection, and maintenance of serially manufactured electric chain hoists having capacity of two tons or less and used in the entertainment industry as part of a performance or preparation for a performance.

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New Standards

BSR/HL7 V3 MR, R1-200x, HL7 Version 3 Standard: Medical Records, Release 1 (new standard)

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BSR/HL7 V2.6-200x, An Application Protocol for Electronic Data Exchange in Healthcare Environments (revision of ANSI/HL7 V2.5-2003)

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New Standards

Draft INCITS 413-200x, Information technology - RapidIO (TM) Interconnect Specification (Version 1.3) (new standard)

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Reaffirmations

INCITS/ISO/IEC 13842-1995 (R200x), Information Technology - 130-mm Optical Disk Cartridges for Information Interchange - Capacity: 2 Gbytes per Cartridge (formerly ANSI/ISO/IEC 13842-1995 (R2001)) (reaffirmation of INCITS/ISO/IEC 13842-1995 (R2001))

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INCITS/ISO/IEC 15286-1999 (R200x), Information Technology - 130 mm Optical Disk Cartridges for Information Interchange - Capacity: 5,2 Gbytes per Cartridge (formerly ANSI/ISO/IEC 15286:1999) (reaffirmation of INCITS/ISO/IEC 15286-1999 (R2006))

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INCITS/ISO/IEC 15486-1998 (R200x), Information Technology - Data Interchange on 130 mm Optical Disk Cartridges of Type WORM (Write Once Read Many) Using Irreversible Effects - Capacity: 5,2 Gbytes per Cartridge (formerly ANSI/ISO/IEC 18093:1999) (reaffirmation of INCITS/ISO/IEC 15486-1998 (R2005))

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NECA (National Electrical Contractors Association)

Reaffirmations

BSR/NECA/EGSA 404-2000 (R200x), Standard Procedures for Installing and Maintaining Generator Sets (reaffirmation of ANSI/NECA/EGSA 404-2000)

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NFPA2 (National Fluid Power Association)

New Standards

BSR (NFPA) T3.6.8 R-200x, Fluid power systems - Cylinders -Dimensions for accessories for catalogued square head industrial types (new standard)

This standard includes:

- nominal accessory dimensions for catalogued industrial square head fluid power cylinders;

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Reaffirmations

BSR B93.35-1978 (R200x), Cavity dimensions for fluid power exclusion devices (inch series) (reaffirmation of ANSI B93.35-1978 (R2001))

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BSR B93.62M-1982 (R200x), Hydraulic fluid power - Reciprocating dynamic sealing devices in linear actuators - Method of testing, measuring and reporting leakage (reaffirmation of ANSI B93.62M-1982 (R2001))

This standard includes standard methods for testing, measuring, and reporting leakage of reciprocating dynamic hydraulic fluid power sealing devices in linear actuators.

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BSR/(NFPA) T3.6.59-1993 (R200x), Hydraulic fluid power - Cylinders -Cushion performance (reaffirmation of ANSI/(NFPA) T3.6.59-1993 (R2001))

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New Standards

BSR/TIA 1096-200x, Telephone Terminal Equipment TIA - Connector Requirements for Connection of Terminal Equipment to the Telephone Network (new standard)

The technical criteria in this standard are intended to protect the telephone network from the harms defined by the Federal Communications Commission (FCC) Part 68, Section 3 rules in Title 47 of the Code of Federal Regulations (47 CFR 68.3).

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Revisions

BSR/TIA 571-B-200x, Telephone Terminal Equipment Electrical, Thermal, Mechanical Environmental Performance Requirements (revision and redesignation of ANSI/TIA 571-A-1999)

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UL (Underwriters Laboratories, Inc.)

Revisions

BSR/UL 1581-200x, Standard for Safety - Reference Standard for Electrical Wires, Cables, and Flexible Cords (revision of ANSI/UL 1581-2003)

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ANS (American Nuclear Society)

New Standards

BSR/ANS 2.27-200x, Criteria for Investigations of Nuclear Facility Sites for Seismic Hazard Assessments (new standard)

This standard provides requirements and recommended practices for conducting investigations and acquiring data sets needed to evaluate seismic source characterization for probabilistic seismic hazard analysis (PSHA), site response and soil structure interaction (SSI) effects, and liquefaction. These data also are used to evaluate fault rupture and associated secondary deformation, and other seismically-induced ground failure hazards (i.e., ground settlement, slope failure, and subsidence and collapse).

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BSR/ASME A112.19.16-200x, Terrazzo Fixture Requirements (new standard)

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AWWA (American Water Works Association)

Revisions

BSR/AWWA A100-200x, Water Wells (revision of ANSI/AWWA A100-1997)

This standard describes the minimum requirements for vertical water supply wells.

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EIA (Electronic Industries Alliance)

Revisions

BSR/EIA 364-23C-200x, Low Level Contact Resistance Test Procedure for Electrical Connectors (revision of ANSI/EIA 364-23B-2000)

This test procedure may applies to any type or combination of current carrying members such as pin and socket contacts, relay contacts, wire and crimp connectors, or printed circuit board.

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EOS/ESD (ESD Association, Inc.)

Reaffirmations

BSR/ESD S1.1-1998 (R200x), Protection of Electrostatic Discharge Susceptible Items - Wrist Straps (reaffirmation of ANSI/ESD S1.1-1998)

This standard provides electrical and mechanical test methods and performance limits for evaluation, acceptance, and functional testing of wrist straps.

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BSR/ESD S4.1-1997 (R200x), Worksurfaces - Resistance Measurements (reaffirmation of ANSI/ESD S4.1-1997)

This standard establishes methods for resistance measurements of worksurface materials used at workstations where protection of ESD susceptible items is required.

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BSR/ESD STM4.2-1998 (R200x), ESD Protective Worksurfaces Charge Dissipation Characteristics (reaffirmation of ANSI/ESD STM4.2-1998)

This standard provides a test method that measures the charge dissipation characteristics of worksurfaces. To accomplish this, a conductive test object is charged, placed on the worksurface under test, then removed. The resultant charge on the test object is an indicator of the ability of the tested worksurface to dissipate charge from the test object placed on it.

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This standard test method provides test methods for measuring the electrical resistance of seating used for the control of electrostatic discharge. The standard test method provides test methods for the

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BSR/ESD STM97.1-1999 (R200x), Floor Materials and Footwear -Resistance Measurement in Combination with a Person (reaffirmation of ANSI/ESD STM97.1-1999)

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BSR B11 TR2-2006, Mist Control Considerations for the Design, Installation and Use of Machine Tools Using Metalworking Fluids (technical report)

This document provides guidelines for a uniform approach to the control of airborne contaminants generated by stationary machine tools used to cut and form materials. Control shall be through the proper design, installation, use, and maintenance of the machine tool and its support systems (such as, but not limited to, metalworking fluid delivery systems and air cleaning equipment).

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ANSI/UL 427-1996, Refrigerating Units

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Revisions

ANSI Z129.1-2006, Standard for Hazardous Industrial Chemicals -Precautionary Labeling (revision of ANSI Z129.1-2000): 3/28/2006

AGMA (American Gear Manufacturers Association)

Reaffirmations

ANSI/AGMA 2007-C00/ISO 14104-1995, IDT (R2006), Gears - Surface Temper Etch Inspection After Grinding (reaffirmation of ANSI/AGMA 2007-C00/ISO 14104:1995, IDT): 3/31/2006

ASTM (ASTM International)

New Standards

- ANSI/ASTM D7212-2005, Test Method for Low Sulfur in Automotive Fuels by Energy-Dispersive X-Ray Flurosecence Spectrometry Using a Low-Background Proportional Counter (new standard): 12/20/2005
- ANSI/ASTM D7220-2005, Test Method for Sulfur in Automotive Fuels by Polarization X-Ray Flurescence Spectrometry (new standard): 11/29/2005
- ANSI/ASTM E2404-2005, Practice for Specimen Preparation and Mounting of Paper or Vinyl Wall Coverings to Assess Surface Burning Characteristics (new standard): 12/20/2005
- ANSI/ASTM E2457-2005, Standard Terminology for Healthcare Informatics (new standard): 8/25/2005

Revisions

- ANSI/ASTM D2699-2005, Test Method for Research Octane Number of Spark-Ignition Engine Fuel (revision of ANSI/ASTM D2699-2004a): 11/29/2005
- ANSI/ASTM E648-2005, Test Method for Critical Radiant Flux of Floor-Covering Systems Using a Radiant Heat Energy Source (revision of ANSI/ASTM E648-2004): 12/20/2005
- ANSI/ASTM F1867-2005, Practice for Installation of Folded/formed Poly(Vinyl Chloride) (PVC) Pipe Type A for Existing Sewer and Conduit Rehabilitation (revision of ANSI/ASTM F1867-1998 (R2004)): 11/29/2005

ESTA (ASC E1) (Entertainment Services and Technology Association)

New Standards

- ANSI E1.15-2006, Entertainment Technology Recommended Practices and Guidelines for the Assembly and Use of Theatrical Boom and Base Assemblies (new standard): 3/31/2006
- ANSI E1.20-2006, Entertainment Technology RDM, Remote Device Management over DMX512 Networks (new standard): 3/31/2006

IEEE (Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers)

New Standards

- ANSI/IEEE 1247-2005, Standard for Interrupter Switches for Alternating Current, Rated Above 1000 Volts (new standard): 3/28/2006
- ANSI/IEEE 1267-2005, Guide for Development of Specification for Turnkey Substation Projects (new standard): 3/28/2006

- ANSI/IEEE 1484.11.3-2005, Standard for Learning Technology Extensible Markup Language (XML) Schema Binding for Data Model for Content Object Communication (new standard): 3/28/2006
- ANSI/IEEE 1666-2005, Standard System C Language Reference Manual (new standard): 3/28/2006

Revisions

ANSI/IEEE 802.1Q-2005, Standard for Local and Metropolitan Area Networks - Virtual Bridged Local Area Networks (revision, redesignation and consolidation of ANSI/IEEE 802.1Q-1998 (R2003), ANSI/IEEE 802.1s-2002, ANSI/IEEE 802.1u-2001, and ANSI/IEEE 802.1v-2001): 3/28/2006

Supplements

- ANSI/IEEE 802.1ad-2005, Standard for Local and Metropolitan Area Networks - Virtual Bridged Local Area Networks - Amendment 4: Provider Bridges (supplement to ANSI/IEEE 802.1Q-1998 (R2003)): 3/28/2006
- ANSI/IEEE 802.15.3b-2005, LAN/MAN Specific Requirements Part 15.3: Wireless Medium Access Control (MAC) and Physical Layer (PHY) Specifications for High Rate Wireless Personal Area Networks (WPAN): Amendment to MAC Sublayer (supplement to ANSI/IEEE 802.15.3-2003): 3/28/2006
- ANSI/IEEE C57.19.03-1996/Cor 1-2005, Standard Requirements, Terminology, and Test Code for Bushings for DC Applications -Corrigendum 1 (supplement to ANSI/IEEE C57.19.03-1996 (R2002)): 3/28/2006

NSF (NSF International)

Revisions

 ANSI/NSF 173-2006, Dietary Supplements (revision of ANSI/NSF 173-2003): 3/27/2006

UL (Underwriters Laboratories, Inc.)

Revisions

- ANSI/UL 864-2006, Control Units and Accessories for Fire Alarm Systems (proposals dated 11/25/05) (revision of ANSI/UL 864-2005): 3/30/2006
- ★ ANSI/UL 2250-2006, Standard for Safety for Instrumentation Tray Cable (revision of ANSI/UL 2250-2004): 3/29/2006

Project Initiation Notification System (PINS)

ANSI Procedures require notification of ANSI by ANSI-accredited standards developers (ASD) of the initiation and scope of activities expected to result in new or revised American National Standards (ANS). Early notification of activity intended to reaffirm or withdraw an ANS and in some instances a PINS related to a national adoption is optional. The mechanism by which such notification is given is referred to as the PINS process. For additional information, see clause 2.4 of the ANSI Essential Requirements: Due Process Requirements for American National Standards.

Following is a list of proposed actions and new ANS that have been received recently from ASDs. Please also review the section in Standards Action entitled "American National Standards Maintained Under Continuous Maintenance" for additional or comparable information with regard to standards maintained under the continuous maintenance option. To view information about additional standards for which a PINS has been submitted and to search approved ANS, please visit www.NSSN.org, which is a database of standards information. Note that this database is not exhaustive.

Directly and materially affected interests wishing to receive more information or to submit comments are requested to contact the standards developer directly within 30 days of the publication of this announcement.

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BSR/AIAA S-102.1.6-200x, Performance-Based Reliability and Maintainability Programs - Critical Item Risk Management (new standard)

Stakeholders: Satellite manufacturers, launch providers, mobile defense system developers.

Project Need: Provides a structured process, which is not provided by any other standards, for managing R&M risk. A series of 40 small R&M task standards will be developed instead of one big R&M program standard.

This standard provides the basis for the performance-based identification and control of system items that require special attention because of complexity, application of state-of-the-art techniques, anticipated reliability problems, or the impact of potential failure on safety, readiness, or mission success. The linkage of this Standard to the other standards in the new family of performance-based R&M standards is described, and a large number of keyword data element descriptions (DED) for use in automating the R&M critical item risk management process are provided.

BSR/AIAA S-102.2.1-200x, Performance-Based Reliability and Maintainability Programs - Functional Dependency Modeling (new standard)

Stakeholders: Satellite manufacturers, launch providers, mobile defense system developers.

Project Need: Provides a structured process, which is not provided by any other standards, for managing R&M risk. A series of 40 small R&M task standards will be developed instead of one big R&M program standard.

This standard provides the basis for developing performance-based hierarchical functional flow models to represent the causal relationships between inputs and outputs of all the different functional elements in a device or system. The principle objective is to model the physical architecture of the system to the extent necessary to support R&M assessments.

BSR/AIAA S-102.2.3-200x, Performance-Based Reliability and Maintainability Programs - Component Reliability Predictions (new standard)

Stakeholders: Satellite manufacturers, launch providers, mobile defense system developers.

Project Need: Provides a structured process, which is not provided by any other standards, for managing R&M risk. A series of 40 small R&M task standards will be developed instead of one big R&M program standard.

This Standard provides the basis for developing performance-based estimates of the probability that a component, whether it be the lowest indenture-level piece part or the full system, will not fail for a specified period of time or number of operating cycles, under specified operating conditions. The linkage of this Standard to the other standards in the new family of performance-based R&M standards is described, and a large number of keyword data element descriptions (DEDs) for use in automating the Component Reliability Predictions process are provided.

BSR/AIAA S-102.2.5-200x, Performance-Based Reliability and Maintainability Programs - Sneak Circuit Analysis (new standard) Stakeholders: Satellite manufacturers, launch providers, mobile defense system developers.

Project Need: Provides a structured process, which is not provided by any other standards, for managing R&M risk. A series of 40 small R&M task standards will be developed instead of one big R&M program standard.

This Standard provides the basis for developing the analysis of sneak circuits, which are unexpected functional paths or logic flow that may cause the occurrence of unwanted functions, or inhibit desired functions. The paths may consist of hardware, software, operator actions, or combinations of these elements. The requirements for contractors, the planning and reporting needs, along with the analytical tools are established.

BSR/AIAA S-102.3.5-200x, Performance-Based Reliability and Maintainability Programs - Design of Experiments (new standard) Stakeholders: Satellite manufacturers, launch providers, mobile defense system developers.

Project Need: Provides a structured process, which is not provided by any other standards, for managing R&M risk. A series of 40 small R&M task standards will be developed instead of one big R&M program standard.

This Standard provides the basis for the performance-based assessment of the significance of different factors affecting product reliability and process quality, and for calculating optimal setting for controllable factors. The linkage of this standard to the other standards in the new family of performance-based R&M standards is described, and a large number of keyword data element descriptions (DEDs) for use in automating the Design of Experiments process are provided. BSR/AIAA S-102.2.13-200x, Performance-Based Reliability and Maintainability Programs - Operational Dependability and Operational Availability Modeling (new standard)

Stakeholders: Satellite manufacturers, launch providers, mobile defense system developers.

Project Need: Provides a structured process, which is not provided by any other standards, for managing R&M risk. A series of 40 small R&M task standards will be developed instead of one big R&M program standard.

This Standard provides the basis for developing performance-based operational dependability and operational availability models, whether mathematical-based, simulation-based, or combinations thereof, to be used for making numerical apportionments and dependability and availability predictions based on the operational reliability and maintainability (R&M) characteristics of all configuration items required to perform the mission.

BSR/AIAA S-102.2.17-200x, Performance-Based Reliability and Maintainability Programs - Event Tree Analysis (new standard) Stakeholders: Satellite manufacturers, launch providers, mobile defense system developers.

Project Need: Provides a structured process, which is not provided by any other standards, for managing R&M risk. A series of 40 small R&M task standards will be developed instead of one big R&M program standard.

This Standard provides the basis for developing the performance-based Event Tree Analysis (ETA) to examine system-level accident scenarios that lead to the undesired events and evaluate the accident mitigation measures. The requirements for contractors, the planning and reporting needs, along with the analytical tools are established. The linkage of this Standard to the other standards in the new family of performance-based Reliability and Maintainability (R&M) standards is described, and all of the keywords for use in automating the Event Tree Analysis (ETA) process are provided.

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BSR B11.2-200x, Safety Requirements for Hydraulic Power Presses (revision of ANSI B11.2-1995 (R2005))

Stakeholders: Users/Suppliers.

Project Need: To revise and update an existing standard.

The requirements of this standard apply only to those machine tools, commonly referred to as hydraulic power presses, which transmit force hydraulically to cut, form, or assemble metal or other materials by means of tools or dies attached to or operated by slides.

BSR B11.3-200x, Safety Requirements for Power Press Brakes (revision of ANSI B11.3-2002)

Stakeholders: Users/Suppliers.

Project Need: To revise and update an existing standard.

The requirements of this standard apply to those machine tools classified as power press brakes, which are designed and constructed for the specific purpose of bending material.

BSR B11.5-200x, Safety Requirements for Ironworkers (revision of ANSI B11.5-1988 (R2002))

Stakeholders: Users/Suppliers.

Project Need: To revise and update an existing standard.

The requirements of this standard apply to those combination, multipurpose powered machines that punch, shear, notch, cope and form metal or other materials commonly referred to as ironworkers. The requirements of this standard also apply to those single or multipurpose powered machines similar in construction to, and identical in the use of, an ironworker or portions thereof. BSR B11.7-200x, Safety Requirements for Cold Headers & Cold Formers (revision of ANSI B11.7-1995 (R2005)) Stakeholders: Users/Suppliers.

Project Need: To revise and update an existing standard.

The requirements of this standard apply only to those mechanically-powered machines commonly referred to as cold headers and cold formers, which perform many operations such as shearing, heading, upsetting, extruding, trimming, forming, cold working, or warm forming material by means of tools and dies. This type of equipment generally has the ram in a horizontal position. Included are pointers and roll formers when they are mechanically an integral part of the basic machine.

BSR B11.23-200x, Safety Requirements for Machining Centers and Automatic Numerically Controlled Milling, Drilling and Boring Machines (revision of ANSI B11.23-2001) Stakeholders: Users/Suppliers.

Project Need: To revise and update an existing standard.

This standard specifies the safety requirements for the design, construction, operation and maintenance (including installation, dismantling, and transport) of machining centers and automatic numerically controlled milling, drilling and boring machines.

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BSR/ANS 18.1-200x, Radioactive Source Term for Normal Operation of Light Water Reactors (revision of ANSI/ANS 18.1-1999)

Stakeholders: Nuclear power plant owners/operators, nuclear vendors, nuclear regulatory and government agencies. Project Need: Changes in plant operating characteristics warrant

additions and/or modifications of the methodology for implementation of the standard. The standard should also address new light water reactor designs as well as plant power uprates and/or extended plant life.

This standard provides a set of typical radionuclide concentrations for estimating the radioactivity in the principal fluid systems of light water reactors and for projecting the expected releases of radioactivity from nuclear plants. It is not intended that the values be used as the sole basis for design, but be used in environmental reports and elsewhere where expected operating conditions over the life of the plant would be appropriate.

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BSR/ASME B31LT-200x, Standard Requirements for Low Temperature

Service for Piping (new standard)

Stakeholders: Industries that utilize pressure piping constructed to the ASME B31 Code.

Project Need: There is a need for a common standard, which may be incorporated by reference in the ASME B31 Code sections or invoked by users in technical specifications.

The new standard shall cover low-temperature toughness requirements for metallic piping materials (including weld metal deposits) that are listed as acceptable materials in various sections of the ASME B31 Pressure Piping Code.

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BSR/HL7 RLUS, R1-200x, HL7 Version 3 Standard: Resource Location and Updating Service (RLUS), Release 1 (new standard) Stakeholders: Healthcare, medical records.

Project Need: HL7 members have articulated the need for service-oriented standards to support the retrieval, location, and

update of information.

Describes an interface through which healthcare participants can share information for the benefit of the patient's health outcomes as well as their individual business goals. RLUS will provide a transparent means of locating and accessing health data regardless of underlying data structures, security concerns, or delivery mechanisms.

BSR/HL7 V3 CRPAI, R1-200x, HL7 Version 3 Standard: Claims and Reimbursement: Predetermination-Authorization Interactions, Release 1 (new standard)

Stakeholders: Claims payors and healthcare providers.

Project Need: This new topic area and new suite of interactions were created to reflect the true business work flow requirements in Canada.

The goal of the NeCST project in Canada was to create a new suite of Predetermination-Authorization combination interactions that better reflects the business flow process in Canada. This new set of interactions will eliminate the requirement to submit multiple interactions (the predetermination followed by the authorization) thereby streamlining the business flow process.

BSR/HL7 V3 DTCONST, R1-200x, HL7 Version 3 Standard: Data Type Specialization Constraints, Release 1 (new standard) Stakeholders: Users of V3 standards.

Project Need: Various regions, projects, and other localizations have expressed the desire for localized constraints that can be used to

expressed the desire for localized constraints that can be used to restrict HL7 data type definitions in specific contexts. This document describes the expression of HL7 Version 3 constraints

This document describes the expression of HL7 Version 3 constraints that restrict data types, resulting in data type flavors that are applicable to a specific region, project or other localization. It will discuss methods to document the flavors, and assert their use in models and instances.

BSR/HL7 V3 PA, R2-200x, HL7 Version 3 Standard: Patient

Administration, Release 2 (new standard)

Stakeholders: Users of V3 standards.

Project Need: The Technical Committee chose to iteratively ballot Patient Administration content.

Patient Administration Version 3 Release 2 Committee 1 defines query messages and interactions for Person registries and Patient registries. Patient Administration Version 3 Release 2 Committee Ballot1 includes the following content: Revised Person query interaction for Find Candidates Query. Although this content passed Membership during the January 2006 ballot cycle, the Technical Committee is withdrawing the previous Query By Person Demographics message and balloting revised content.

BSR/HL7 V3 RMMI, R1-200x, HL7 Version 3 Standard: Transport Specification - ISO 9660-Compliant Removable Media, Release 1 (new standard)

Stakeholders: Healthcare.

Project Need: Project is needed to provide a standard means of transporting HL7 payloads over removable media, such as CD and USB Flash.

This document defines an implementable technology specification (ITS) for ISO 9660-compliant (e.g., CD, flash) removable media.

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BSR/(NFPA) T2.12.12-200x, Hydraulic systems and products - Method of measuring average steady-state flow rate (new standard) Stakeholders: Component manufacturers, system integrators, and OEM manufacturers.

Project Need: To provide standard methods to measure steady-state flow rate; to reflect current state of the art; and to expand the testing technology standards to include flow rate.

This standard is limited to the measurement of flow rate in a closed hydraulic conductor that meets the following criteria:

- must be transmitting hydraulic fluid power;

- must have average velocities less than 9 m/s (30 ft/sec);

- must have average steady state pressures less than 70 MPa (10 kpsi); and

- is limited to the most common types of instruments used in hydraulic flow rate measurement.

BSR/(NFPA) T2.24.1 R1-200x, Hydraulic fluid power - Systems standard for stationary industrial machinery - Supplement to ISO 4413:1998 - Hydraulic fluid power - General rules relating to systems (new standard)

Stakeholders: Component manufacturers, system integrators, and $\ensuremath{\mathsf{OEM}}$ manufacturers.

Project Need: To be used as a supplement in conjunction with ISO 4413:1998, Hydraulic fluid power - General rules relating to systems.

This standard applies to all hydraulic applications on industrial equipment. The term industrial equipment referred to in this standard is any equipment hydraulically actuated or controlled, used in or necessary for stationary industrial processes.

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BSR/SCTE DSS 06-03-200x, IPCablecom 1.5 Part 1 - Speech Codec Specification (new standard)

Stakeholders: Cable Telecommunications Industry.

Project Need: To implement bit-stream compatible and functionally equivalent encoders and decoders.

This document contains the description of IPCablecom 1.5 16 speech codec and contains sufficient details to allow those skilled in the art to implement bit-stream compatible and functionally equivalent encoders and decoders. This specification compresses 8-kHz sampled narrowband speech to a bit rate of 16 kb/s by employing a speech coding algorithm called Two-Stage Noise Feedback Coding (TSNFC).

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BSR/UL 634-200x, Standard for Connectors and Switches for Use with Burglar-Alarm Systems (new standard)

Stakeholders: Burglar-Alarm System Industry.

Project Need: To develop a new ANSI/UL standard.

These requirements cover connectors and switches for use with burglar-alarm systems in mercantile premises, mercantile safes and vaults, bank safes and vaults, and residences. They are intended to be used in circuits of limited energy, for these applications, in accordance with Article 725 of the National Electrical Code, NFPA 70. The connectors and switches covered by these requirements include insulated contact springs and mating brackets; magnetically actuated and mercury switches; heat, smoke, and vibration detectors; floor mats; floor traps, special contacts for safes and vaults; flexible connectors; foil connectors; and shunting devices.

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,%20a nd%20Forms/.

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ISO Draft International Standards

This section lists proposed standards that the International Organization for Standardization (ISO) is 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 members for comment and vote. Standards Action readers interested in reviewing and commenting on these documents should order copies from ANSI.

Comments

Comments regarding ISO documents should be sent to Henrietta Scully, at ANSI's New York offices. The final date for offering comments is listed after each draft.



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ACOUSTICS (TC 43)

ISO/DIS 3743-1, Acoustics - Determination of sound power levels and sound energy levels of noise sources using sound pressure -Engineering method for small, movable sources in reverberant fields - Part 1: Comparison method for a hard-walled test room - 7/8/2006, \$98.00

AGRICULTURAL FOOD PRODUCTS (TC 34)

ISO/DIS 663. Animal and vegetable fats and oils - Determination of insoluble impurities content - 7/13/2006, \$46.00

EARTH-MOVING MACHINERY (TC 127)

ISO/DIS 9244, Earth-moving machinery - Safety signs - General principles - 7/7/2006, \$146.00

INDUSTRIAL AUTOMATION SYSTEMS AND INTEGRATION (TC 184)

IEC/DIS 62264-3, Enterprise-control system integration - Part 3: Activity models of manufacturing operations management, \$165.00

INDUSTRIAL TRUCKS (TC 110)

- ISO/DIS 22915-1, Industrial trucks Verification of stability Part 1: General - 7/2/2006, \$46.00
- ISO/DIS 22915-2, Industrial trucks Verification of stability Part 2: Counterbalanced trucks with mast - 7/2/2006, \$40.00
- ISO/DIS 22915-3, Industrial trucks Verification of stability Part 3: Reach and straddle fork-lift trucks - 7/2/2006, \$46.00
- ISO/DIS 22915-4, Industrial trucks Verification of stability Part 4: Pallet stackers, double stackers and order-picking trucks up to and including 1200 mm lift height - 7/2/2006, \$46.00

LEATHER (TC 120)

ISO/DIS 15115, Leather - Vocabulary - 7/7/2006, \$165.00

OTHER

ISO/CIE FDIS 26182, Lighting of outdoor work places - Lighting requirements for safety and security - 5/20/2006, \$40.00

PAPER, BOARD AND PULPS (TC 6)

ISO/DIS 5350-3. Pulps - Estimation of dirt and shives - Part 3: Visual inspection by reflected light using Equivalent Black Area (EBA) method - 7/6/2006, \$46.00

PLASTICS (TC 61)

ISO/DIS 472, Plastics - Vocabulary - 6/29/2006, \$29.00

- ISO/DIS 15105-1, Plastics Film and sheeting Determination of gas-transmission rate - Part 1: Differential-pressure method -7/6/2006, \$58.00
- ISO/DIS 22196. Plastics Measurement of antibacterial action on plastic surfaces - 7/9/2006, \$67.00

ROAD VEHICLES (TC 22)

ISO/DIS 11460, Two-wheeled motorcycles - Positioning of lighting and light-signalling devices - 7/6/2006, \$46.00

RUBBER AND RUBBER PRODUCTS (TC 45)

ISO/DIS 48. Rubber, vulcanized or thermoplastic - Determination of hardness (hardness between 10 IRHD and 100 IRHD) - 7/9/2006, \$77.00

ISO/DIS 1382, Rubber - Vocabulary - 7/7/2006, \$125.00

- ISO/DIS 4666-4. Rubber. vulcanized Determination of temperature rise and resistance to fatigue in flexometer testing - Part 4: Constant stress flexometer - 7/7/2006, \$71.00
- ISO/DIS 17052, Rubber, raw Determination of residual monomers and other volatile low-molecular-mass compounds by capillary gas chromatography - Thermal desorption (dynamic headspace) method - 7/9/2006, \$62.00

SAFETY OF TOYS (TC 181)

ISO 8124-1/DAmd1, Safety of toys - Part 1: Safety aspects related to mechanical and physical properties - 7/7/2006, \$58.00

TEXTILES (TC 38)

ISO/DIS 18695, Textiles - Determination of resistance to water penetration - Impact penetration test - 7/8/2006, \$46.00

TYRES, RIMS AND VALVES (TC 31)

ISO 4000-1/DAmd2, Passenger car tyres and rims - Part 1: Tyres (metric series) - 7/7/2006, \$33.00

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. All paper copies are available from Global Engineering Documents.

ISO Standards

AIRCRAFT AND SPACE VEHICLES (TC 20)

ISO 22670:2006, Space data and information transfer systems - Space link extension (SLE) - Return-channel-frames service, \$175.00

APPLICATIONS OF STATISTICAL METHODS (TC 69)

<u>ISO 3951-2:2006</u>, Sampling procedures for inspection by variables -Part 2: General specification for single sampling plans indexed by acceptance quality limit (AQL) for lot-by-lot inspection of independent quality characteristics, \$155.00

BUILDING CONSTRUCTION MACHINERY AND EQUIPMENT (TC 195)

 <u>ISO 11886/Cor1:2006</u>, Building construction machinery and equipment
Pile driving and extracting equipment - Terminology and commercial specifications - Corrigendum, FREE

CORROSION OF METALS AND ALLOYS (TC 156)

ISO 12473:2006, General principles of cathodic protection in sea water, \$93.00

ERGONOMICS (TC 159)

ISO 9241-110:2006, Ergonomics of human-system interaction - Part 110: Dialogue principles, \$82.00

FIRE SAFETY (TC 92)

ISO 16312-1:2006. Guidance for assessing the validity of physical fire models for obtaining fire effluent toxicity data for fire hazard and risk assessment - Part 1: Criteria, \$58.00

GLASS CONTAINERS (TC 63)

<u>ISO 9057/Cor1:2006</u>, Glass containers - 28 mm tamper-evident finish for pressurized liquids - Dimensions - Corrigendum, FREE

HYDROGEN ENERGY TECHNOLOGIES (TC 197)

ISO 17268:2006, Compressed hydrogen surface vehicle refuelling connection devices, \$77.00

INTERNAL COMBUSTION ENGINES (TC 70)

<u>ISO 8178-11:2006</u>, Reciprocating internal combustion engines -Exhaust emission measurement - Part 11: Test-bed measurement of gaseous and particulate exhaust emissions from engines used in nonroad mobile machinery under transient test conditions, \$146.00

MARKET, OPINION AND SOCIAL RESEARCH (TC 225)

ISO 20252:2006, Market, opinion and social research - Vocabulary and service requirements, \$102.00

MATERIALS, EQUIPMENT AND OFFSHORE STRUCTURES FOR PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS INDUSTRIES (TC 67)

<u>ISO 13503-3/Cor1:2006</u>, Petroleum and natural gas industries -Completion fluids and materials - Part 3: Testing of heavy brines -Corrigendum, FREE

MECHANICAL VIBRATION AND SHOCK (TC 108)

ISO 20283-3:2006, Mechanical vibration - Measurement of vibration on ships - Part 3: Pre-installation vibration measurement of shipboard equipment, \$82.00

NATURAL GAS (TC 193)

<u>ISO 6978-2/Cor2:2006.</u> Natural gas - Determination of mercury - Part 2: Sampling of mercury by amalgamation on gold/platinum alloy -Corrigendum, FREE

NUCLEAR ENERGY (TC 85)

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Comment Deadline: June 7, 2006

On March 8, 2005 ANSI Accreditation Committee (ACC) approved the following three key policy documents which govern the ANSI accreditation of product certification program:

- i) ANSI-ACP-CA-001: Policy and Criteria for Accreditation of Product Certification Programs;
- ii) ANSI-ACP-CA-002: Manual of Operations for Accreditation of Product Certification Programs; and
- iii) ANSI-ACP-CA-003: Operating Procedures of the Accreditation Committee

The changes have been made in order to bring the ANSI policies in compliance with ISO/IEC 17011 (Conformity assessment - General requirements for accreditation bodies accrediting conformity assessment bodies) – a new international standard approved by ISO/CASCO which specifies requirements for accreditation bodies assessing and accrediting conformity assessment bodies. In order to view these draft policies, please click here.

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Scope of Standard: This Standard establishes requirements for door closers combined with hold-open devices or free-swinging door closers combined with releasing devices and includes performance tests covering operational, cyclical and finish criteria.

Reballot due in response to objections to paragraphs in section 3.7 as shown in draft.