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* Standard for consumer products
Comment Deadline: September 14, 2003

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

Supplements

BSR Z21.5.2b-200x, Gas Clothes Dryers, Volume II, Type 2 Clothes Dryers (same as CSA 7.2b) (supplement to ANSI Z21.5.2-2001)
Details test and examination criteria for Type 2 clothes dryers for use with natural, manufactured or mixed gases, liquefied petroleum gases or LP gas-air mixtures.

Click here to see these changes in full, or look at the end of “Standards Action.”

Send comments (with copy to BSR) to: Allen Callahan, CSA; al.callahan@csa-america.org

NAHBRC (ASC Z765) (NAHB Research Center, Inc.)

Revisions

The 1996 edition of ANSI standard Z765, “Single-Family Residential Buildings - Square Footage Method for Calculating,” is undergoing a 30-day public review. This standard describes the procedures to be followed in measuring and calculating the square footage of detached and attached single-family houses. The standard is undergoing a second public review.

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Comment Deadline: October 6, 2003

ASA (ASC S3) (Acoustical Society of America)

Reaffirmations

This standard provides definitions for a wide variety of terms used in human bioacoustics, including hearing, speech, psychoacoustics, and physiological acoustics. It is intended to supplement ANSI S1.1-1994 American National Standard Acoustical Terminology in which more-generally-used terms in acoustics are defined, including a number of terms from physiological and psychological acoustics and music.

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ASME (American Society of Mechanical Engineers)

Revisions

Covers safety requirements for elevators, escalators, dumbwaiters, moving walks and material lifts.
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UL (Underwriters Laboratories, Inc.)

New Standards

The requirements cover shut-off valves for use on cylinders that comply with the specifications and charging and maintenance regulations of the U.S. Department of Transportation (DOT) or the corresponding specifications and regulations of Transport Canada (TC). Valves covered by these requirements are for use on DOT or TC cylinders used in applications such as, but not limited to, automotive, medical, or industrial systems or facilities.
Single copy price: Contact comm2000 for pricing and delivery options
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Revisions

BSR/UL 136-200x, Pressure Cookers (Bulletin dated 12/11/02) (revision of ANSI/UL 136-1993)
The requirements cover household-type cooking utensils known as pressure cookers or pressure sauce pans which operate at a nominal pressure of 15 psig (103 kPa) or less. They are intended for use over gas- or electric-top burners of residential-type cooking ranges. These requirements do not cover pressure cookers intended for pressure frying with oil.
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Changes are being proposed to address comments received on the 2-14-03 bulletin. The changes are in reference to caps for unused connectors and circuit ID for receptacles.
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BSR/UL 1028-200x, Standard for Safety for Hair Clipping and Shaving Appliances (Bulletin dated 08/14/03) (revision of ANSI/UL 1028-2000)
The following UL 1028 items are subject to comment:

(1) Revisions to provide clarification of appliance configurations and the corresponding cord lengths and types.

(2) Additional requirements and revisions for wet shavers.

(3) Additional revision to paragraph 30.1.1 resulting from the addition of requirements for hot-lather dispensers.
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Comment Deadline: October 14, 2003

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AAMI (Association for the Advancement of Medical Instrumentation)

Revisions

BSR/AAMI ST50-200x, Dry heat (heated air) sterilizers (revision of ANSI/AAMI ST50-1995)
Establishes minimum labeling and performance requirements for dry heat (heated air) sterilizers intended for use in dental and physicians offices, laboratories, ambulatory-care clinics, hospitals, and other health care facilities.
Single copy price: $25.00 ($20.00 print for AAMI members)
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AHAM (Association of Home Appliance Manufacturers)

Revisions

Applies to household refrigerators, refrigerator-freezers, freezers and wine chillers. This standard covers definitions, methods for computing volumes and shelf areas, methods for determining volumes of special features, performance test procedures, durability test procedures, methods for determining energy consumption and energy factor, and safety recommendations.
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AWS (American Welding Society)

Revisions

BSR/AWS D1.1/D1.1M-200x, Structural Welding Code - Steel (revision of ANSI/AWS D1.1/D1.1M-2001)
Covers the welding requirements for any type of welded structure made from the commonly used carbon and low-alloy constructional steels. Sections 1 through 8 constitute a body of rules for the regulation of welding in steel construction. There are twelve mandatory and fifteen nonmandatory annexes in this code. A commentary of the code is included with the document.
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CSA (ASC Z21/83) (CSA America, Inc.)

Revisions

BSR Z21.50a-200x, Vented Gas Fireplaces (same as CSA 2.22a)
(Revision of ANSI/AHAM HRF-1-2002)
Revisions

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

Revisions

BSR Z21.50a-200x, Vented Gas Fireplaces (same as CSA 2.22a)
(Revision of ANSI/AHAM HRF-1-2002)
Details test and examination criteria for vented gas fireplace for use with natural and propane gases. The only function of a vented gas fireplace lies in the aesthetic effect of the flame; the appliance is not a source of heat.
Single copy price: $30.00
Order from: Allen J. Callahan, CSA (ASC Z21/83); al.callahan@csa-america.org
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Test and examination criteria for vented gas fireplace heaters for use with natural and liquefied petroleum (propane) gases, which allows the view of flames and provides the simulation of a solid fuel fireplace and furnishes warm air to the space in which it is installed with or without duct connections. A vented gas-fired fireplace heater is designed to comply with minimum thermal efficiency requirements and may be controlled by an automatic thermostat.

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EOS/ESD (ESD Association, Inc.)

New Standards

BSR/ESD DSP 5.5.1-200x, Practice for the Protection of Electrostatic Discharge Susceptible Items - System Level Electrostatic Discharge Sensitivity Testing - Transmission Line Pulse (TLP) - Component Level (new standard)
This draft standard practice defines a method for pulse testing to evaluate the voltage current response of the component under test.
Single copy price: $37.50 (non-member); $25.00 (member)
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BSR/ESD DSP 5.3.2-200x, Practice for the Protection of Electrostatic Discharge Susceptible Items - Sensitivity Testing - Socketed Device Model (SDM) - Component Level (new standard)
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BSR/ESD DSP 5.4-200x, Practice for the Protection of Electrostatic Discharge Susceptible Items - Transient Latch-up Testing - Component Level - Supply Transient Stimulation (new standard)
This draft standard practice seeks to instruct the reader on the methods and materials needed to perform Transient Latch-up Testing.
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MHI (Material Handling Industry)

New Standards

BSR MH30.3-200x, Trailer Restraining Devices: Safety, Performance, and Testing (new standard)
Defines safety, performance and testing requirements with regard to the design, use, and maintenance of trailer restraining devices. Provides definitions of trailer restraining device types and component parts. Safety requirements are considered and owner responsibilities are discussed. Buyers and specifiers of loading dock trailer restraint devices may use this standard to ensure equal comparison of various manufacturers' representations as to features, performance and safety features.
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NEMA (ASC C78) (National Electrical Manufacturers Association)

Revisions

BSR C78.20-200x, Incandescent Lamps - A, G, PS, and Similar Shapes with E26 Medium Screw Bases (revision of ANSI C78.20-1995 (R2002))
Sets forth the physical and electrical characteristics of the group of incandescent lamps that have A, G, PS, and similar bulb shapes with E26 medium screw (single- or double-contact) bases, including the reduced-wattage versions.
Single copy price: $52.00
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BSR C78.21-200x, Incandescent Lamps - PAR and R Shapes (revision of ANSI C78.21-1995 (R2002))
Sets forth the physical and electrical characteristics of the group of incandescent lamps that have PAR and R bulb shapes.
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NEMI (ASC C82) (National Electrical Manufacturers Association)
Revisions

BSR C82.11 consolidated-200x, Lamp Ballasts - High Frequency Fluorescent Lamp Ballasts - Supplements (revision, redesignation and consolidation of ANSI C82.11-1993 (R1998), ANSI C82.11a-1999, ANSI C82.11b-1999 & ANSI C82.11c-2001)

Contains a collection of amendments which supercede the 1993 standard and consists of three supplements (C82.11a, b, c), which were approved by the ANSI ASC method of standard development. This consolidated standard is intended to cover high-frequency ballasts which have rated open-circuit voltages of 200 volts or less and are intended to operate at a supply frequency of 50 Hz or 60 Hz.
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CPA (Composite Panel Association)

* BSR/AHA A135.7-200x, Hardboard Trim (new standard)

NSF (NSF International)

BSR/NSF 55-5, Microbiological Water Treatment Systems - Ozonation (new standard)
BSR/NSF 55-2-200x, Microbiological Water Treatment Systems - Distillation (new standard)
BSR/NSF 55-3-200x, Microbiological Water Treatment Systems - Halogenation (new standard)
BSR/NSF 55-4-200x, Microbiological Water Treatment Systems - Filtration (new standard)

UL (Underwriters Laboratories, Inc.)

BSR/UL 525-200x, Flame Arresters for Use on Vents of Storage Tanks for Petroleum Oil and Gasoline (revision of ANSI/UL 525-1995)

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/ICEA S-88-626-1993, Telephone Cordage and Cord Sets
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ADA (American Dental Association)

Reaffirmations


AMCA (Air Movement and Control Association)

New Standards


API (American Petroleum Institute)

New Standards


ASA (ASC S12) (Acoustical Society of America)

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ASA (ASC S3) (Acoustical Society of America)

New National Adoptions


ASAE (American Society of Agricultural Engineers)

Revisions

ANSI/ASAE S493.1-2003, Guarding for Agricultural Equipment (revision and redesignation of ANSI/ASAE S493-JUL93 (RNOV98)): 8/7/2003

ASC X9 (Accredited Standards Committee X9, Incorporated)

Revisions


ASHRAE (American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air-Conditioning Engineers, Inc.)

New Standards


Revisions


Supplements


ASME (American Society of Mechanical Engineers)

Reaffirmations

ANSI/ASME B18.2.4.5M-1979 (R2003), Metric Hex Jam Nuts (reaffirmation of ANSI/ASME B18.2.4.5M-1979 (R1998)): 7/29/2003
ANSI/ASME B18.2.4.6M-1979 (R2003), Metric Heavy Hex Nuts (reaffirmation of ANSI/ASME B18.2.4.6M-1979 (R1998)): 7/29/2003
ANSI/ASME B18.5.2.3M-1990 (R2003), Round Head Square Neck Bolts with Large Head (Metric Series) (reaffirmation of ANSI/ASME B18.5.2.3M-1990 (R1998)): 7/29/2003


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ASTM (ASTM International)

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AWS (American Welding Society)

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BHMA (Builders Hardware Manufacturers Association)

Revisions


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

Supplements


EIA (Electronic Industries Alliance)

Revisions


I3A (International Imaging Industry Association)

Reaffirmations


Withdrawals


IEEE (Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers)

New Standards
ANSI/IEEE 1159.3-2003, Recommended Practice for the Transfer of Power Quality Data (new standard): 8/7/2003

Reaffirmations

Revisions

IEST (Institute of Environmental Sciences and Technology)

New National Adoptions

IPC (IPC - Association Connecting Electronics Industries)

New Standards

NACE (NACE International, the Corrosion Society)

Revisions

NEMA (National Electrical Manufacturers Association)

Revisions

NFPA (National Fire Protection Association)

New Standards

Revisions


Withdrawals


NPES (ASC CGATS) (Association for Suppliers of Printing, Publishing and Converting Technologies)

Revisions

ANSI CGATS.5-2003, Graphic technology - Spectral measurement and colorimetric computation for graphic arts images (revision of ANSI CGATS.5-1993): 8/7/2003

NSC (ASC Z244) (National Safety Council)

Revisions


TIA (Telecommunications Industry Association)

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UL (Underwriters Laboratories, Inc.)

New Standards


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Correction

ANS Approval Reinstated

ARI (Air-Conditioning and Refrigeration Institute)

The temporary suspension of the following referenced standards as announced in the March 22, 2002 issue of Standards Action, is hereby removed. Questions may be directed to Michael W. Woodford of ARI at woodford@ari.org.

Identical National Adoptions


Project Initiation Notification System (PINS)

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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.

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BSR/AAMI/ISO 10993-19-200x, Biological Evaluation of Medical Devices - Part 19: Physico-chemical, mechanical, and topographical characterization of materials (identical national adoption)

Provides a framework for identification and evaluation of the physico-chemical, mechanical, morphological and topographical properties of materials in finished medical devices.

BSR/AAMI/ISO 15223/A2-200x, Medical Devices - Symbols to be Used with Medical Device Labels, Labelling and Information to be Supplied - Amendment 2 (identical national adoption)

Provides two additional symbols to ISO 15223: 2000.

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BSR/AIAA S-096-200x, Space systems - Flywheel rotor assemblies (new standard)

This standard establishes baseline requirements for the design, fabrication, test, inspection, storage, and transportation of a flywheel rotor assembly used in a spaceflight flywheel system for energy storage and/or attitude control. These requirements when implemented on a particular system will assure a high level of confidence in achieving safe and reliable operation.

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BSR/API 8B/API 13534-2000 Addendum 1, Recommended Practice for Procedures for Inspections, Maintenance, Repair, and Remanufacture of Hoisting Equipment (revision of ANSI/API 8B/ISO 13534-2000)

Makes modifications as recommended by the committee.

BSR/API 8C/API 13535-200x Addendum 1, Specification for Drilling and Production Hoisting Equipment (PSL1 and PSL2) (revision of ANSI/API 8C/ISO 13535-2002)

Makes modifications as recommended by the committee.

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BSR S1.1-200X, Acoustical Terminology (revision of ANSI S1.1-1994 (R1999))

This standard provides definitions for a wide variety of terms, abbreviations, and letter symbols used in acoustics and electroacoustics. Terms of general use in all branches of acoustics are defined, as well as many terms of special use for architectural acoustics, acoustical instruments, mechanical vibration and shock, physiological and psychological acoustics, underwater sound, sonics and ultrasonics, and music.

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BSR S2.62-200X, Shock Test Requirements for Commercial Electronics Systems (new standard)

To develop a new American National Standard to define minimum qualification test requirements for shelf-mounted and other electronic systems such as personal computers, data analyzers, and similar equipment purchased by industrial and government customers who require a predefined level of shock ruggedness for their applications.

ASC X9 (Accredited Standards Committee X9, Incorporated)

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This standard recognizes the need for formats of track 3 that can be used independently of, or in conjunction with, track 2, as defined in ISO 7813. This approach is intended to permit the greatest degree of flexibility within the financial community in facilitating international interchange.


This standard classifies the merchant type at a level of detail sufficient for retail financial transaction industry purposes. It is intended to include only those merchant types generally expected to originate retail financial transactions. This standard establishes the procedures for a registration authority and a maintenance agency and specifies the method for applying for codes.
This new standard will provide design professionals with guidance to provide for the continuity of these vital services for buildings and facilities tasked with providing critical infrastructure functions.

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This test method covers the quantitative determination of phosphorus in unused lubricating oils such as GF4, and similar grade engine oils. The precision statements are valid for dilutions in which the mass % sample in solvent is held constant in the range of 1 to 5 mass % oil. The precision tables define the concentration ranges covered in the interlaboratory study (500 to 800 mg/kg). However, both lower and higher concentrations can be determined by this test method.

BSR/ASTM WK2216-200x, Test Method for Sulfur in Gasoline and Diesel Fuel by Monochromatic Wavelength Dispersive X-ray Fluorescence Spectrometry (new standard)

This test method covers the determination of total sulfur by monochromatic, wavelength-dispersive X-ray fluorescence (MWDXRF) spectrometry in single-phase gasolines, diesel fuels, and refinery process streams used to blend gasoline and diesel, at concentrations from 2 mg/kg to 500 mg/kg.

BSR/ASTM WK2229-200x, Test Method for Determination of Trace Elements in Middle Distillate Fuels by Inductively Coupled Plasma Atomic Emission Spectrometry (ICP-AES) (new standard)

This test method covers the determination of selected elements in middle distillate fuels by inductively coupled plasma atomic emission spectrometry (ICP-AES). The specific elements are listed in Table 1 of the standard. The concentration range of this method is approximately 0.1 mg/kg to 2.0 mg/kg.

BSR/ASTM WK2248-200x, Hot Plate Digestion, Microwave Digestion and Ultrasonic Extraction of Dust Wipe, Soil, Paint, and Air Samples for the Determination of Lead (new standard)

This practice covers the extraction of lead from environmental samples for subsequent lead determination. Procedures for each sample matrix are presented in the annexes of this practice. Environmental matrices of concern in this practice include settled dust, soil, paint, and air-borne particulates. Methods include use of hot plate, ultrasonic and microwave. Samples are prepared for subsequent determination of lead using measurement techniques such as atomic spectrometry and electroanalysis.

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BSR/SAE J3449-200x, EMM - Falling Object Protective Structures - Laboratory Tests and Performance Requirements (identical national adoption)

Establish a consistent repeatable means of evaluating characteristics of a falling-object protective structure under loading and prescribe performance requirements for these structures under such loading in a representative test.

BSR/SAE J3450-200x, EMM - Braking Systems of Rubber Tyred Machines - Systems and Performance Requirements and Test Procedures (identical national adoption)

Specifies minimum performance and test criteria for brake systems to enable uniform assessment of the braking capability of EMM that operates on work sites or travels on public roads.

BSR/SAE J3471-200x, EMM - Roll-Over Protective Structures - Laboratory Tests and Performance Requirements (identical national adoption)

Establishes a consistent, repeatable means of evaluating roll-over protective structures of EMM under loading and prescribes performance requirements for these structures under such loading in a representative test.

Specifies a method to determine the static external sound power of the defined machines with a hemisphere measurement surface consisting of a six-microphone array.

BSR/SAE J6394-200x, Acoustics - Measurement at the Operator's Position of Noise Emitted by Earthmoving Machinery - Stationary Test Conditions (identical national adoption)

Specifies a method to determine the static sound levels of the defined machines at the operator's location.

BSR/SAE J6395-200x, Acoustics - Measurement of Exterior Noise Emitted by Earthmoving Machines - Dynamic Test Conditions (identical national adoption)

Specifies a method to determine the dynamic external sound power of the defined machines with a hemisphere measurement surface consisting of a six-microphone array.


Specifies a method to determine the dynamic sound levels of the defined machines at the operator's location.

BSR/SAE J17132-200x, EMM - Dumpers - Terminology and Commercial Specifications (identical national adoption)

Establishes terminology and the content of commercial literature specifications for self-propelled dumpers.

BSR/SAE J17133-200x, EMM - Tractors Scrapers - Terminology and Commercial Specifications (identical national adoption)

Established terminology and the content of commercial literature specifications for self-propelled tractor scrapers and their equipment.

BSR/SAE J17134-200x, EMM - Graders - Terminology and Commercial Specifications (identical national adoption)

Establishes terminology and the content of commercial literature specifications for self-propelled graders and their equipment.

BSR/SAE J17135-200x, EMM - Hydraulic Excavators - Terminology and Commercial Specifications (identical national adoption)

Establishes terminology and the content of commercial literature specifications, system fluid capacities, filter system tracks or tires, brakes, operating mass, and shipping mass for self-propelled crawler and wheeled hydraulic excavators and their equipment.

BSR/SAE J17136-200x, EMM - Pipelayers - Definitions and Commercial Specifications (identical national adoption)

Defines terms and specifies the content of commercial literature specifications for self-propelled pipelayers and their equipment as defined in clause 3 of the standard.

BSR/SAE J17216-200x, Acoustics - Agricultural and Forestry Wheeled and Self-Propelled Machines - Measurement of Noise Emitted when in Motion (identical national adoption)

Describes a method for measuring the A-weighted sound pressure level of the noise emitted by agricultural and forestry wheeled tractors and self-propelled machines, fitted with elastic tires, the noise being measured while the vehicle is in motion.

BSR/SAE J17451-200x, EMM - Volumetric Ratings for Hydraulic Excavator Buckets and Backhoe Loader Buckets (identical national adoption)

BSR/SAE J17457-200x, EMM - Determination of Turning Dimensions of Wheeled Machines (identical national adoption)

Describes methods for determining the turning radius, turning diameter, machine clearance diameter, and inside and outside tire clearance diameters described in the horizontal plan by a wheeled machine with its equipment and attachments when executing a turn.

BSR/SAE J17464-200x, EMM - Methods of Test for the Measurement of Drawbar Pull (identical national adoption)

Describes a test method to measure the drawbar pull performance of machines and their combinations with mounted trailed equipment with or without payload.

BSR/SAE J18813-200x, EMM - Lift Capacity of Pipelayers and Wheeled Tractors of Loaders Equipped with Side Boom (identical national adoption)

Provides a uniform method of calculating, and test method for validating, rated lift capacity as presented in commercial literature for pipelayers and wheeled tractors or loaders equipped with a vertical-only pivot.

BSR/SAE J19244-200x, EMM - Safety Signs and Hazard Pictorials - General (identical national adoption)

Covers safety and hazard pictorials for off-road work machines as defined in SAE J1116, with the exception of agricultural tractors.

BSR/SAE J19246-200x, EMM - Crawler and Wheel Tractor Dozer Blades - Volumetric (identical national adoption)

Specifies a procedure for calculating the volume of dozer blades. It is intended to be used for consistent comparisons of dozer blade capacities presented in commercial literature for tractors.

BSR/SAE J19248-200x, EMM - Units for Dimensions, Performance, and Capacities and Their Measurement Accuracies (identical national adoption)

Specifies basic units, symbols, and tolerances for the measurements of general machine dimensions performance and capacities of EMM.

BSR/SAE J19533-200x, EMM - Machine-Mounted Forward and Reverse Audible Warning Alarm - Sound Test Method (identical national adoption)

Outlines the procedures and sets the criteria necessary to evaluate the audible performance of alarms mounted on EMM intended to warn personnel of the potential hazard of the machine moving under its own power.

BSR/SAE J19614-1-200x, Acoustics - Determination of Sound Power Levels of Noise Sources using Sound Intensity - Part 1: Measurement at Discrete Points (identical national adoption)

Specifies a method for measuring the component of sound intensity normal to a measurement surface, which is chosen so as to enclose the noise source of which the sound power level is to be determined.

BSR/SAE J19614-2-200x, Acoustics - Determination of Sound Power Levels of Noise Sources using Sound Intensity - Part 2: Measurement by Scanning (identical national adoption)

Specifies a method for measuring the component of sound intensity normal to a measurement surface, which is chosen so as to enclose the noise source of which the sound power level is to be determined.

BSR/SAE J110261-200x, EMM - Product Identification Numbering Systems (identical national adoption)

Provides the necessary technical specifications to establish a PIN and locate it on an EMM, as defined in ISO 6165.

BSR/SAE J110265-200x, EMM - Crawler Machines - Performance Requirements and Test Procedures for Braking Systems (identical national adoption)

BSR/SAE J110266-200x, EMM - Determination of Slope Limits for Machine Fluid Systems Operation - Static Test Method (identical national adoption)

Provides laboratory test procedure to determine the static slope capability of a machine by evaluating the performance parameters of fluid systems that limit slope operation.

BSR/SAE J110268-200x, EMM - Retarders for Dumpers and Tractor Scrapers - Performance Tests (identical national adoption)

Specifies a test procedure for verifying the continuous retarding capability for dumpers, tractor scrapers and other EMM that utilize retarders.

BSR/SAE J110532-200x, EMM - Machine-Mounted Retrieval Device - Performance Requirements (identical national adoption)

Defines the performance requirements of a retrieval device mounted on a machine.

BSR/SAE J110533-200x, EMM - Lift Arm Support Devices (identical national adoption)

Requirements and test method for mechanical lift arm support devices for loaders, backhoe loaders, and skid steer loaders.
Provides a uniform of calculation of tipping load and hydraulic lift capacity as well as a test procedure for verifying the calculations. Annex A describes a typical rated lift capacity chart.

Applies to self-propelled rubber-tired special forestry machines defined in ISO 6814. Specifies test methods and criteria to enable uniform assessment of the service secondary and parking brake systems.

Applies to compact excavators with swing type boom, having an operating mass of 1000 kg to 6000 kg.

Establishes general principles for the design and application of safety signs and hazard pictorials permanently affixed to cranes, as defined in ISO 4306-1.

Provides the performance and test requirements for mechanical support devices for dumper bodies, dumper body substitutes, and operators cabs on earthmoving machines, as defined in ISO 6165.

Provides test methods and acceptance criteria for the evaluation of the electromagnetic compatibility of EMM as defined in ISO 6165.

Provides specifications and nomenclature for feller bunchers.

Provides a procedure for approximating the volume of typical materials contained in the bucket of front end loaders and excavators with front loading bucket.

Defines identifying terms specifies a means of classification and gives a nomenclature of component for this type of machine.

Provides test methods and criteria to enable uniform assessment of the service secondary and parking brake systems of tracked specially designed forestry machines.

Provides test methods and acceptance criteria for the evaluation of the electromagnetic compatibility of EMM as defined in ISO 6165.

Provides specifications and nomenclature for diesel driven rubber-tired specially designed forestry machines.

Provides specifications and nomenclature for feller bunchers.

Provides a typical rated lift capacity chart.

Provides test methods and criteria to enable uniform assessment of the service secondary and parking brake systems of tracked specially designed forestry machines.

Provides test methods and acceptance criteria for the evaluation of the electromagnetic compatibility of EMM as defined in ISO 6165.

BSR/SAE J10567-200x, EMM - Hydraulic Excavators - Lift Capacity

BSR/SAE J111169-200x, Machinery for Forestry - Wheeled Special Machines - Vocabulary, Performance Test Methods and Criteria for Brake Systems (identical national adoption)

BSR/SAE J11512-200x, Machinery for Forestry - Tracked Special Machines - Performance Criteria for Brake Systems (identical national adoption)

BSR/SAE J12117-200x, EMM - Tip Over Protection Structure (TOPS) - Support Devices (identical national adoption)

BSR/SAE J13200-200x, Cranes - Safety Signs and Hazard Pictorials - General Principles (identical national adoption)

BSR/SAE J13333-200x, EMM - Dumper Body Support and Operator’s Cab Tilt - Support Devices (identical national adoption)

BSR/SAE J13539-200x, EMM - Trenchers - Definitions and Commercial Specifications (identical national adoption)

BSR/SAE J13766-200x, EMM - Electromagnetic Compatibility (identical national adoption)

BSR/SAE J13860-200x, Machinery for Forestry - Forwarders - Terms, Definitions, and Commercial Specifications (identical national adoption)

BSR/SAE J13861-200x, Machinery for Forestry - Wheeled Skidders - Terms, Definitions, and Commercial Specifications (identical national adoption)

BSR/SAE J13862-200x, Machinery for Forestry - Feller Bunchers - Terms, Definitions, and Commercial Specifications (identical national adoption)

BSR/SAE J14397-1-200x, EMM - Loaders and Backhoe Loaders - Part 1: Calculation of Rated Operating Capacity and Test Method for Verifying Calculated Tipping Load (identical national adoption)

BSR/SAE J14397-2-200x, EMM - Loaders and Backhoe Loaders - Part 2: Test Method for Measuring Breakout Forces and Lift Capacity to Maximum Lift Height (identical national adoption)

BSR/SAE J14791-200x, Road Vehicles - Heavy Commercial Vehicle Combinations and Articulated Buses - Lateral Stability Test Methods (identical national adoption)

BSR/SAE J17591-200x, Machinery for Forestry - Knuckleboom Log Loaders - Identification, Terminology, Classification, and Component Nomenclature (identical national adoption)
The requirements cover devices for use on stationary containers or portable LP-Gas containers that consist of a shutoff mechanism that works in conjunction with a liquid level sensing device that shuts off the incoming flow of LP-Gas during a refilling operation when the liquid level reaches a predetermined point. The sensing mechanism may be a float, dip tube, or other type of sensor that is intended to cause operation of the shutoff mechanism.

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.
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.

Comments
Comments regarding ISO documents should be sent to Henrietta Scully at ANSI's New York offices, those regarding IEC documents to Charles T. Zegers, also at ANSI New York offices. The final date for offering comments is listed after each draft.

ISO Standards

AGRICULTURAL FOOD PRODUCTS (TC 34)
ISO/DIS 6658, Sensory analysis - Methodology - General guidance - 11/9/2003, $62.00

CONTROL AND SAFETY DEVICES FOR NON INDUSTRIAL GAS-FIRED APPLIANCES AND SYSTEMS (TC 161)
ISO/DIS 23551-3, Safety and control devices for gas burners and gas-burning appliances - Particular requirements - Part 3: Gas/air ratio controls of pneumatic type - 11/5/2003, $39.00

EARTH-MOVING MACHINERY (TC 127)
ISO/DIS 15998, Earth-moving machinery - Machine-control systems (MCS) using electronic components - Performance criteria and tests - 11/5/2003, $60.00

FLUID POWER SYSTEMS (TC 131)
ISO/DIS 16860, Hydraulic fluid power - Filters - Method of test for differential pressure devices - 11/9/2003, $39.00

INDUSTRIAL AUTOMATION SYSTEMS AND INTEGRATION (TC 184)
ISO/DIS 18629-1, Industrial automation systems and integration - Process specification language - Part 1: Overview and basic principles - 11/5/2003, $84.00

MATERIALS, EQUIPMENT AND OFFSHORE STRUCTURES FOR PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS INDUSTRIES (TC 67)
ISO/DIS 11960, Petroleum and natural gas industries - Steel pipes for use as casing or tubing for wells - 11/8/2003, $185.00

MECHANICAL TESTING OF METALS (TC 164)

PLASTICS (TC 61)
ISO/DIS 21509, Plastics and ebonite - Verification of Shore hardness durometers - 11/9/2003, $46.00

ROAD VEHICLES (TC 22)
ISO/DIS 16246, Road vehicles - M12 x 1.25 spark-plugs with flat seating and 14 mm hexagon and their cylinder head housing - 11/8/2003, $33.00

SMALL TOOLS (TC 29)
ISO/DIS 2280-2, Assembly tools for screws and nuts - Screwdrivers for slotted-head screws - Part 2: General requirements, lengths of blades and marking of hand-operated screwdrivers - 11/9/2003, $26.00

STEEL (TC 17)
ISO/DIS 9328-6, Steel flat products for pressure purposes - Technical delivery conditions - Part 6: Weldable fine grain steels, quenched and tempered - 11/8/2003, $46.00
ISO/DIS 9328-2, Steel flat products for pressure purposes - Technical delivery conditions - Part 2: Non-alloy and alloy steels with specified elevated temperature properties - 11/8/2003, $66.00
ISO/DIS 9328-4, Steel flat products for pressure purposes - Technical delivery conditions - Part 4: Nickel-alloy steels with specified low temperature properties - 11/8/2003, $46.00
ISO/DIS 9328-5, Steel flat products for pressure purposes - Technical delivery conditions - Part 5: Weldable fine grain steels, thermomechanically rolled - 11/8/2003, $46.00

TECHNICAL SYSTEMS AND AIDS FOR DISABLED OR HANDICAPPED PERSONS (TC 173)
ISO/DIS 10542-4, Technical systems and aids for disabled or handicapped persons - Wheelchair tiedown and occupant restraint systems - Part 4: Clamping tiedown systems - 11/6/2003, $42.00

IEC Standards

10/566/FDIS, IEC 60296, Ed.3: Fluids for electrotechnical applications - Unused mineral insulating oils for transformers and switchgear, 10/03/2003
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.

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### 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.

- **prEN 492 REVIEW**, Fibre-cement slates and fittings - Product specification and test methods - 12/31/2003, $80.00
- **prEN 494 REVIEW**, Fibre-cement profiled sheets and fittings - Product specification and test methods - 12/31/2003, $88.00
- **prEN 14737-1**, Space engineering - Ground systems and operations - Part 1: Principles and requirements - 10/30/2003, $94.00
- **prEN 14737-2**, Space engineering - Ground systems and operations - Part 2: Documents requirements definitions (DRDs) - 10/30/2003, $94.00
- **prEN 14738**, Space product assurance - Hazard analysis - 10/30/2003, $64.00
- **prEN 14744**, Inland navigation vessels and sea-going vessels - Navigation light - 12/31/2003, $64.00

### 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.

- **prCEN/TR 14549**, Guide to the use of ISO 15649 and ANSI/ASME B31.3 for piping in Europe in compliance with the Pressure Equipment Directive
- **prEN 12255-15**, Wastewater treatment plants - Part 15: Measurement of the oxygen transfer in clean water in activated sludge aeration tanks
prEN 13465, Ventilation for buildings - Calculation methods for the
determination of air flow rates in dwellings

prEN 14183, Step stools

prEN 14484, Health informatics - International transfer of personal
health data covered by the EU data protection directive - High level
security policy

prEN ISO 3745, Acoustics - Determination of sound power levels of
noise sources using sound pressure - Precision methods for
anechoic and hemi-anechoic rooms (ISO/FDIS 3745: 2003)

prEN ISO 14819-3, Traffic and Traveller Information (TTI) - TTI
messages via traffic message coding - Part 3: Location referencing

prEN ISO 15614-5, Specification and qualification of welding
procedures for metallic materials - Welding procedure test - Part 5:
Arc welding of titanium, zirconium and their alloys (ISO/FDIS
15614-5: 2003)

prEN ISO 21572, Foodstuffs - Methods for the detection of genetically
modified organisms and derived products - Protein based methods
(ISO/FDIS 21572: 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**

Department of Labor
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Regional Information System
Public Review: June 27, 2003 to September 25, 2003

Unisys Corporation
Organization: Unisys Corporation
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Public Review: July 4, 2003 to October 2, 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

ANSI Accredited Standards Developers

Approval of 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 for documenting consensus on proposed American National Standards, effective August 5, 2003. For additional information, please contact: Ms. Cynthia Duncan, Director of Specifications, American Institute of Steel Construction, One East Wacker Drive, Suite 3100, Chicago, IL 60601; PHONE: (312) 670-5410; FAX: (312) 644-4226; E-mail: duncan@aisc.org.

Reaccreditation
NSF International

Comment Deadline: September 15, 2003

NSF International has submitted revisions to the operating procedures under which it was originally accredited. As these revisions appear to be substantive in nature, the reaccreditation process is initiated.

Meeting Notices

ASC Z359

On Wednesday, October 1, the ANSI Z359.2-200X “Safety Requirements for Work Positioning and Restraint Systems” subcommittee will meet at ASSE Headquarters in Des Plaines, IL, from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm. Furthermore, the Editorial Taskforce will meet from 6:00 pm to 10:00 pm.

On Thursday, October 2, the Z359.1-1998 (R1998) subcommittee will meet with Z359.0-200X subcommittee from 8:00 am to 12:00 pm and, from 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm, the Full Z359 Committee will meet with Z359.0-200X subcommittee. Later that night, from 6:00 pm to 9:00 pm, the Executive Committee will meet.

Finally, on Friday, October 3, from 8:00 am to 11:00 am, the full Z359 ASC will meet, and, from 11:15 am to 1:15 pm, the US TAG to ISO TC94/SC4 will meet.

For more information, contact Patrick Arkins at parkins@asse.org.
Proposed revisions to

AMERICAN NATIONAL STANDARD/CSA STANDARD FOR
GAS CLOTHES DRYERS, VOLUME II, TYPE 2 CLOTHES DRYERS,
ANSI Z21.5.2•CSA 7.2 (to become the “b” addenda)

PART I
CONSTRUCTION

1.2 GENERAL CONSTRUCTION

(Present 1.2.1 through 1.2.7, unchanged)

1.2.8 The dryer shall not tip under the following Method of Test.

Method of Test

The dryer shall not tip when the following load is suspended from the outer edge of an open door:

a. Door with horizontal hinge – 50 pounds (22.7 kg)
b. Door with vertical hinge – 35 pounds (13.6 kg)

This test shall be conducted with all gas supply and exhaust piping disconnected.

RATIONALE: Vertical hinge load was inadvertently changed from 35 to 30 pounds during harmonization and is being revised to the formerly correct value.

EXHIBIT B
ITEMS UNIQUE TO CANADA

(Present B.1 and B.2, unchanged)

B.3 HIGH ALTITUDE

B.3.1 A clothes dryer designed for high altitude applications in Canada shall comply with CAN1-2.17 Gas Fired Appliances for Use at High Altitudes.

RATIONALE: The inclusion of the requirement for compliance with CAN1 2.17 is to reflect historical certification and installation practices on Type 2 dryers. This issue was unintentionally left out in the standard during harmonization.
American National Standard for Single-Family Residential Buildings
Square Footage - Method for Calculating
(Revision of ANSI Z765-1996)

BACKGROUND
Listed below are substantive changes to the body of the standard that resulted from the 1st public review. These substantive changes provide for another calculation method that allows measurement of a structure by indirect methods. The underlined paragraphs are the new provisions. Omitted are the provisions that were not altered and section headings are provided for clarity. This 2nd public review is limited to the provisions that have been altered as a result of the 1st public review. The balance of the standard is not open for comment at this time.

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3. CALCULATION OF SQUARE FOOTAGE

Calculation Methods

Circumstances can exist where direct measurement of a structure is not possible. Access to the interior may not be available and the nature of the terrain, structure, or other obstacles may preclude direct physical measurement of the exterior in the time available. Building dimensions developed through some means other than direct measurement or plans can be susceptible to inaccuracy, as is the calculated area. Calculation of square footage developed under such circumstance must be identified as such when reporting the result of the calculation.

4. STATEMENT OF FINISHED SQUARE FOOTAGE

Other Methods

Circumstances can exist where direct measurement of a structure is not possible. Access to the interior may not be available and the nature of the terrain, structure, or other obstacles may preclude direct physical measurement of the exterior in the time available. Building dimensions developed through some means other than direct measurement or plans can be susceptible to inaccuracy, as is the calculated area. Calculations developed under such circumstance must include a declaration similar to the following: “Finished square footage calculations for this house were made based on estimated dimensions only and may include unfinished areas, or openings in floors not associate with stairs, or openings in floors exceeding the area of associated stairs.”