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## American National Standards

### Call for comment on proposals listed

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

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★ Standard for consumer products

# Comment Deadline: September 12, 2005

## ASAE (American Society of Agricultural Engineers)

### New Standards

BSR/ASAE EP567-200x, Standard for Design and Performance of Livestock Mechanical Ventilation Systems (new standard)

Provides a standard for the design, installation, performance testing and management of ventilation systems for livestock housing. It applies to livestock housing that is mechanically ventilated but not air conditioned, using constant, variable speed or staged inlet and/or exhaust fans and slotted, continuous or segmented air inlets or outlets located on one or more of the walls or the ceiling of the air space, and modulated by adjustable baffles that control the opening area. It also applies to any manure pit ventilation systems using inlets from a space occupied by animals or humans and expelled through exhaust fans to the outside of the building.

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## ASME (American Society of Mechanical Engineers)

### Revisions

BSR/ASME NQA-1a-200x, Quality Assurance Requirements for Nuclear Facility Applications (revision of ANSI/ASME NQA-1a-1999)

This Standard reflects industry experience and current understanding of the quality assurance requirements necessary to achieve safe, reliable, and efficient utilization of nuclear energy, and management and processing of radioactive materials. The Standard focuses on the achievement of results, emphasizes the role of the individual and line management in the achievement of quality, and fosters the application of these requirements in a manner consistent with the relative importance of the item or activity.

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## EIA (Electronic Industries Alliance)

### New Standards

BSR/EIA 364-48A-200x, Metallic Coating Thickness Measurement of Contacts Test Procedure for Electrical Connectors (new standard)

The test methods contained in this standard are being superseded by applicable ASTM standards.

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### Revisions

BSR Z133.1-200x, Arboricultural Operations - Pruning, Trimming, Repairing, Maintaining, and Removing Trees, and Cutting Brush - Safety Requirements (revision of ANSI Z133.1-2000)

Contains arboricultural safety requirements for pruning, repairing, maintaining, and removing trees and for cutting brush, and for the equipment used in such operations.

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## NEMA (ASC C78) (National Electrical Manufacturers Association)

### Revisions

BSR C78.43-200x, Single-Ended Metal Halide Lamps (revision of ANSI C78.43-2004)

This standard sets forth the physical and electrical requirements for single-ended metal halide lamps operated on 60-Hz ballasts to ensure interchangeability and safety.

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## NEMA (ASC C8) (National Electrical Manufacturers Association)

### Revisions

BSR/ICEA S-94-649-200x, Standard for Concentric Neutral Cables Rated 5 Through 46 kV (revision of ANSI/ICEA S-94-649-2000)

This Standard applies to the materials, constructions and testing of crosslinked polyethylene, tree retardant crosslinked polyethylene and ethylene propylene rubber insulated single conductor or multiplexed concentric neutral cables rated 5 to 46kV that are used for the transmission and distribution of electrical energy.

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## NISO (National Information Standards Organization)

### New Standards

BSR/NISO Z39.87-200x, Data Dictionary - Technical Metadata for Digital Still Images (new standard)

This standard defines a standard set of metadata elements for raster digital images to enable users to develop, exchange, and interpret digital image files. The dictionary has been designed to facilitate interoperability between systems, services, and software as well as to support the long-term management of and continuing access to digital image collections.

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**NSF (NSF International)****Revisions**

BSR/NSF 50-200x (i30), Circulation system components and related materials for swimming pools, spas/hot tubs (revision of ANSI/NSF 50-2000)

Issue 30: To incorporate powdered cellulose filter media (NSF performance, health and safety certified products only) as an acceptable substitute for DE in swimming pool and spa filters.

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BSR/NSF 60-200x (i37), Drinking water treatment chemicals - Health effects (revision of ANSI/NSF 60-2000)

Issue 37: To increase the typical use level for carbon dioxide from 100 mg/l to 200 mg/l in Table 5.1.

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**UL (Underwriters Laboratories, Inc.)****Revisions**

BSR/UL 499-200x, Standard for Safety for Electric Heating Appliances (revision of ANSI/UL 499-2004)

The following changes in requirements to UL 499 are being proposed:

- (1) Addition of alternative (IEC) grounding symbol;
- (2) Elimination of "A" from "W-A" suffix for outdoor power supply cord designations;
- (3) Additional requirement intended to exempt industrial ovens and furnaces from the requirement that resistance heaters larger than 48 amperes be broken down into subdivided circuits not to exceed 48 amperes; and
- (4) Additional marking and instruction requirements for steam bath steam generators relative to the effects of steam and heat.

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**ASME (American Society of Mechanical Engineers)****Revisions**

BSR/ASME PTC 19.1-200x, Test Uncertainty (revision of ANSI/ASME PTC 19.1-1998 (R2004))

Specifies procedures for evaluation of uncertainties in test parameters and methods, and for propagation of those uncertainties into the uncertainty of a test result.

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**Reaffirmations**

BSR/ASME PTC 30-1991 (R200x), Air Cooled Heat Exchangers (reaffirmation of ANSI/ASME PTC 30-1991 (R1998))

Provides uniform methods and procedures for testing the thermodynamic and fluid mechanical performance of air cooled heat exchangers and for calculating adjustments to the test results to design conditions for comparison with the guarantee as defined in 5.9.4 of the standard.

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# Final actions on American National Standards

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## AIHA (ASC Z10) (American Industrial Hygiene Association)

### *New Standards*

ANSI/AIHA Z10-2005, Occupational Health and Safety Management Systems (new standard): 7/25/2005

## ANS (American Nuclear Society)

### *Reaffirmations*

ANSI/ANS 57.1-1992 (R2005), Design Requirements for Light Water Reactor Fuel Handling Systems (reaffirmation of ANSI/ANS 57.1-1992 (R1998)): 7/20/2005

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

### *Revisions*

ANSI S1.13-2005, Measurement of Sound Pressure Levels in Air (revision of ANSI S1.13-1995 (R1999)): 7/25/2005

## ATIS (Alliance for Telecommunications Industry Solutions)

### *Reaffirmations*

ANSI T1.703-1995 (R2005), Allocation of Letters to the Keys of Numeric Keypads for Telecommunications (reaffirmation of ANSI T1.703-1995 (R1999)): 7/20/2005

ANSI T1.714-2000 (R2005), Stage 2 Service Description for Personal Communications Service - Enhanced Priority Access and Channel Assignment (PACA-F) Supplementary Service (reaffirmation of ANSI T1.714-2000): 7/20/2005

## AWWA (American Water Works Association)

### *Reaffirmations*

ANSI/AWWA C706-96 (R2005), Direct-Reading, Remote-Registration Systems for Cold-Water Meters (reaffirmation of ANSI/AWWA C706-1996 (R2001)): 7/25/2005

## IEEE (Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers)

### *New Standards*

ANSI/IEEE 539-2005, Standard Definitions of Terms Relating to Corona and Field Effects of Overhead Power Lines (new standard): 7/25/2005

ANSI/IEEE C37.92-2005, Standard for Analog Inputs to Protective Relays from Electronic Voltage and Current Transducers (new standard): 7/25/2005

### *Reaffirmations*

ANSI/IEEE 62-1995 (R2005), Guide for Diagnostic Field Testing of Electric Power Apparatus - Part 1: Oil Filled Power Transformers, Regulators, and Reactors (reaffirmation of ANSI/IEEE 62-1995): 7/25/2005

ANSI/IEEE 377-1997 (R2005), Recommended Practice for Measurement of Spurious Emission from Land-Mobile Communication Transmitters (reaffirmation of ANSI/IEEE 377-1980 (R1997)): 7/25/2005

### *Supplements*

ANSI/IEEE C37.09a-2005, Standard Test Procedure for AC High-Voltage Circuit Breakers Rated on a Symmetrical Current Basis - Amendment 1: Capacitance Current Switching (supplement to ANSI/IEEE C37.09-1999): 7/25/2005

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

### *New National Adoptions*

ANSI/ISA 61010-1 (82.02.01), CSA-C22.2, No. 1010-1, UL-61010-1-2004, Safety Requirements for Electrical Equipment for Measurement, Control, and Laboratory Use - Part 1: General Requirements (national adoption with modifications and revision of ANSI/ISA S82.02.01-1999): 7/22/2005

### *Reaffirmations*

ANSI/ISA 77.20-2005, Fossil Fuel Power Plant Simulators - Functional Requirements (reaffirmation of): 7/20/2005

ANSI/ISA 77.70-2005, Fossil Fuel Power Plant Instrument Piping Installation (reaffirmation of ANSI/ISA 77.70-1994): 7/20/2005

### *Supplements*

ANSI/ISA 61010-1 (82.02.01) 2004, Annex DV US, Safety Requirements for Electrical Equipment for Measurement, Control, and Laboratory Use - Part 1: General Requirements (supplement to ANSI/ISA 61010-1 (82.02.01), CSA-C22.2, No. 1010-1, UL-61010-1-2004): 7/22/2005

## NEMA (ASC C136) (National Electrical Manufacturers Association)

### *Revisions*

ANSI C136.27-2005, Roadway and Area Lighting Equipment - Tunnel and Underpass Lighting Luminaires (revision of ANSI C136.27-1995): 7/25/2005

## NISO (National Information Standards Organization)

### *Revisions*

ANSI/NISO Z39.19-2005, Guidelines for the Construction, Format, and Management of Monolingual Controlled Vocabularies (revision and redesignation of ANSI/NISO Z39.19-2003): 7/25/2005

## SCTE (Society of Cable Telecommunications Engineers)

### *New Standards*

ANSI/SCTE 104-2005, Automation System to Compression System Communications Applications Program Interface (API) (new standard): 7/25/2005

# Project Initiation Notification System (PINS)

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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/ADA 78-200x, Endodontic Obturating Cones (national adoption with modifications and revision of ANSI/ADA 78-2000)

Stakeholders: Dental user, manufacturer

Project Need: To remove Figure 1, which is outdated and no longer relevant.

The specification specifies the dimensions and requirements for prefabricated metallic or polymeric-based cones suitable for the use in the obturation of a root canal system restoration. It also specifies numerical systems and a color coding system for size designation.

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BSR S3.47-200x, Hearing Assistance Device Systems (new standard)

Stakeholders: Manufacturers, audiologists, hearing care professionals, persons with hearing impairment.

Project Need: To verify Hearing Assistive Devices using standardized procedures so that professionals will know performance characteristics.

Describes definitions and measurements suitable for the specification and evaluation of Hearing Assistance Devices/Systems (HADS). HADS are a group of physically configured instruments that are intended to facilitate hearing by providing amplification of an acoustic signal and/or improving the signal-to-noise ratio by means of a non-acoustic signal transmission method.

## ASAE (American Society of Agricultural Engineers)

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BSR/ASAE/ISO 500-2004 Part 1-200x, Agricultural tractors -

Rear-mounted power take-off types 1, 2 and 3 - Part 1: General specifications, safety requirements, dimensions for master shield and clearance zone (identical national adoption)

Stakeholders: All manufacturers and users of tractors that have implements that require a PTO.

Project Need: To adopt this standard as our national standard so that it is aligned with the rest of the world in design and application of PTOs on tractors for North America.

Gives general specifications, including speeds, safety requirements, the dimensions for the master shield and clearance zones for rear-mounted power take-offs (PTOs) of types 1, 2 and 3 on agricultural tractors with a track setting of more than 1 150 mm. (Those with a track setting width of 1 150 mm or less are covered in ISO 500-2.)

BSR/ASAE/ISO 500-2004 Part 3-200x, Agricultural tractors -

Rear-mounted power take-off types 1, 2 and 3 - Part 3: Main PTO dimensions and spline dimensions, location of PTO (identical national adoption)

Stakeholders: All manufacturers and users of tractors that have implements that require a PTO.

Project Need: To adopt this standard as our national standard so that it is aligned with the rest of the world in design and application of PTOs on tractors for North America.

Specifies manufacturing requirements for, and the location of, rear-mounted power take-offs (PTOs) of types 1, 2 and 3 on agricultural tractors.

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BSR/ASME A112.19.12-200x, Wall Mounted and Pedestal Mounted, Adjustable and Pivoting Lavatory and Sink Carrier Systems (revision of ANSI/ASME A112.19.12-2000 (R2004))

Stakeholders: Manufacturers and users of wall-mounted and pedestal-mounted adjustable and pivoting lavatory sinks.

Project Need: Addresses the need for requirements for wall-mounted and pedestal-mounted, adjustable and pivoting lavatory sink carrier systems.

Establishes physical, mechanical, material, testing, marking, and documentation requirements for wall mounted and pedestal mounted adjustable and pivoting lavatories and sink carrier systems intended to facilitate use by individuals who have impaired physical mobility.

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BSR/ASTM Z2423Z-200x, Water Separation Properties of Non-Aviation Compression and Spark Ignition Fuels (new standard)

Project Need: To address demulsibility testing that is done on fuels other than aviation fuels, which are tested by D1094 and to standardize demulsibility or water separation testing within the fuels area.

This test method covers the determination of the effect of water and possible emulsion forming components in liquid fuels with a boiling point less than 390 C.

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BSR ATIS 0100801.04-200x, Multimedia Communications Delay, Synchronization, and Frame Rate (revision and redesignation of ANSI T1.801.04-1997 (R2002))

Stakeholders: Telecommunications equipment manufacturers, service providers, and users.

Project Need: To expand the applicability of the audio delay measurement technique (and thus, the synchronization measurements as well) to the case of audio delays that can vary over short time scales (e.g., packet to packet).

Covers the test methodologies for multimedia transmission systems utilizing digital transport facilities. It gives a set of measurement parameters, without providing limits, to characterize the following aspects of system performance:

- (a) Active Video Frame interarrival time, which is the reciprocal of the elementary frame rate;
- (b) Visual channel transmission time, also called video delay;
- (c) Audio channel transmission time (or audio delay);
- (d) Data channel transmission time or delay (and frame inter-arrival time); and
- (e) Temporal synchronization between channels.

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BSR/AWWA B30Y-200x, Aqueous Ammonia (new standard)

Stakeholders: Drinking water treatment and supply industry, and water utilities.

Project Need: To provide the minimum requirements for aqueous ammonia, including physical, chemical, sampling, testing, packaging, and shipping requirements.

This standard describes the use of aqueous ammonia for water supply service application. Aqueous ammonia is the compound having the formula NH<sub>3</sub>.

BSR/AWWA B50A-200x, Phosphoric Acid (new standard)

Stakeholders: Drinking water treatment and supply industry, and water utilities.

Project Need: To provide the minimum requirements for phosphoric acid, including physical, chemical, sampling, testing, packaging, and shipping requirements.

This standard describes the use of phosphoric acid for water supply service application. Phosphoric acid is the compound having the formula H<sub>3</sub>PO<sub>4</sub>.

BSR/AWWA B50X-200x, Calcium Carbonate (new standard)

Stakeholders: Drinking water treatment and supply industry, and water utilities.

Project Need: To provide the minimum requirements for calcium carbonate, including physical, chemical, sampling, testing, packaging, and shipping requirements.

This standard describes the use of calcium carbonate for water supply service application. Calcium carbonate is the compound having the formula CaCO<sub>3</sub>.

BSR/AWWA B50Y-200x, Blended Orthopolyphosphates (new standard)

Stakeholders: Drinking water treatment and supply industry, and water utilities.

Project Need: To provide the minimum requirements for blended orthopolyphosphates, including physical, chemical, sampling, testing, packaging, and shipping requirements.

This standard describes the use of blended orthopolyphosphates for water supply service application. This material is a blend of orthopolyphosphates that can vary depending on the manufacturer.



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

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BSR/ISA RP77.60.02-200x, Fossil Fuel Power Plant Human-Machine Interface Alarms (new standard)

Stakeholders: Fossil fuel power plant industry.

Project Need: Provides advice and guidance in the development and design of plant alarm systems.

This recommended practice is provided for the benefit of design engineers and, ultimately, plant operators. Use of this recommended practice will result in a more coherent and useful application of plant alarms for operations personnel. The goal of this recommended practice is to reduce alarm discrepancies, clutter, excessive noise levels, and information overload. This recommended practice will address the following alarm-related issues:

- (a) Functional grouping;
- (b) Prioritization;
- (c) Order and consistency;
- (d) Colors;
- (e) Formats and displays;
- (f) Audio tone and pitch;
- (g) Acknowledge, reset, and test functions; and
- (h) Nuisance alarms.

**NCPDP (National Council for Prescription Drug Programs)**

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BSR/NCPDP Sig V1.0-200x, Sig Standard Version 1.0 (new standard)

Stakeholders: Healthcare entities that have need to share patient instructions on prescriptions.

Project Need: To use the industry experiences to create a standard for relaying the SIG between parties.

A standard for relaying dosing instructions (SIG) when included in electronic transactions.

**NETA (InterNational Electrical Testing Association)**

**Office:**

**Contact:**

BSR/NETA MTS-2005-200x, Maintenance Testing Specifications for Electrical Power Distribution Equipment and Systems (new standard)

Stakeholders: Governmental agencies, A&E firms, and inspection authorities.

Project Need: Outlines the tests needed for continued operation of existing electrical systems and equipment.

Specifies the field tests, procedures, personnel, and requirements for use in assessing the suitability for continued service and reliability of electrical power distribution systems.

**NETA (InterNational Electrical Testing Association)**

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BSR/NETA MTS-2005-200x, Maintenance Testing Specifications for Electrical Power Distribution Equipment and Systems (new standard)

Stakeholders: Governmental agencies, A&E firms, and inspection authorities.

Project Need: Outlines the tests needed for continued operation of existing electrical systems and equipment.

It is the intent of this document to specify the field tests, procedures, personnel, and requirements for use in assessing the suitability for continued service and reliability of electrical power distribution systems.

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BSR/UL 1236-200x, Standard for Safety for Battery Chargers for Charging Engine-Starter Batteries (withdrawal of ANSI/UL 1236-1995)

Project Need: UL is administratively withdrawing ANSI approval of UL 1236 because the ANSI approval is approaching 10 years.

UL is administratively withdrawing ANSI approval of UL 1236 because the ANSI approval is approaching 10 years. A PINS is being submitted concurrently with this withdrawal notice, to indicate UL's intent to continue to seek ANSI approval of UL 1236.

# 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](http://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](mailto: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.

# ISO and IEC Draft International Standards



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

## 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.

## Ordering Instructions

**ISO and IEC Drafts can be made available via ANSI's ESS "on-demand" service. Please e-mail your request for an ISO or IEC Draft to Customer Service at [sales@ansi.org](mailto:sales@ansi.org). The document will be posted to the ESS within 3 working days of the request. When making your request, please provide the date of the Standards Action issue in which the draft document you are requesting appears.**

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## ISO Standards

### **NUCLEAR ENERGY (TC 85)**

ISO/DIS 18213-1, Nuclear fuel technology - Tank calibration and volume determination for nuclear materials accountancy - Part 1: Procedural overview - 10/27/2005, \$87.00

### **OPTICS AND OPTICAL INSTRUMENTS (TC 172)**

ISO/DIS 11979-6, Ophthalmic implants - Intraocular lenses - Part 6: Shelf-life and transport stability - 10/15/2005, \$53.00

## IEC Standards

- 3C/1351/FDIS, IEC 60417-5822 Pr: Manual movement, 09/16/2005
- 10/636/FDIS, IEC 60422 Ed.3.0: Mineral insulating oils in electrical equipment - Supervision and maintenance guidance, 09/16/2005
- 77A/498/FDIS, IEC 61000-4-34 Ed.1: Electromagnetic compatibility (EMC) - Part 4-34: Testing and measuring techniques - Voltage dips, short interruptions and voltage variations immunity tests for equipment with input current more than 16A per phase. Basic EMC publication, 09/16/2005
- 23G/251/FDIS, IEC 60320-2-4: Appliance couplers for household and similar general purposes - Part 2-4: Appliance couplers dependent on appliance weight for engagement, 09/23/2005
- 61J/196/FDIS, IEC 60335-2-67-A1 Ed 3.0: Household and similar electrical appliances - Safety - Part 2-67: Particular requirements for floor treatment and floor cleaning machines, for industrial and commercial use, 09/23/2005
- 64/1477/FDIS, IEC 60364-7-704, Ed. 2: Low voltage electrical installations - Part 7-704: Requirements for special installations or locations - Construction and demolition site installations, 09/23/2005
- 64/1478/FDIS, IEC 60364-7-706, Ed. 2: Low voltage electrical installations - Part 7-706: Requirements for special installations or locations - Conducting locations with restricted movement, 09/23/2005
- 108/144/FDIS, IEC 60950-23 Ed 1.0: Information technology equipment - Safety - Part 23: Large data storage equipment, 09/23/2005
- 108/145/FDIS, IEC 60950-22 Ed 1.0: Information technology equipment - Safety - Part 22: Equipment installed outdoors, 09/23/2005



# Newly Published ISO Standards

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

## AIRCRAFT AND SPACE VEHICLES (TC 20)

- [ISO 22641:2005](#), Space data and information transfer systems - TM (telemetry) synchronization and channel coding, \$144.00
- [ISO 22642:2005](#), Space data and information transfer systems - TC (telecommand) synchronization and channel coding, \$101.00
- [ISO 22645:2005](#), Space data and information transfer systems - TM (telemetry) space data link protocol, \$154.00
- [ISO 22646:2005](#), Space data and information transfer systems - Space packet protocol, \$111.00

## CONCRETE, REINFORCED CONCRETE AND PRE-STRESSED CONCRETE (TC 71)

- [ISO 15673:2005](#), Guidelines for the simplified design of structural reinforced concrete for buildings, \$183.00

## GAS CYLINDERS (TC 58)

- [ISO 21007-1:2005](#), Gas cylinders - Identification and marking using radio frequency identification technology - Part 1: Reference architecture and terminology, \$58.00

## IMPLANTS FOR SURGERY (TC 150)

- [ISO 5834-3:2005](#), Implants for surgery - Ultra-high-molecular-weight polyethylene - Part 3: Accelerated ageing methods, \$32.00

## MATERIALS FOR THE PRODUCTION OF PRIMARY ALUMINIUM (TC 226)

- [ISO 14435:2005](#), Carbonaceous materials for the production of aluminium - Petroleum coke - Determination of trace metals by inductively coupled plasma atomic emission spectrometry, \$53.00

## NUCLEAR ENERGY (TC 85)

- [ISO/ASTM 51431:2005](#), Practice for dosimetry in electron beam and X-ray (bremsstrahlung) irradiation facilities for food processing, \$62.00
- [ISO/ASTM 51539:2005](#), Guide for use of radiation-sensitive indicators, \$32.00
- [ISO/ASTM 51649:2005](#), Practice for dosimetry in an electron beam facility for radiation processing at energies between 300 keV and 25 MeV, \$97.00
- [ISO/ASTM 51650:2005](#), Practice for use of a cellulose triacetate dosimetry system, \$45.00
- [ISO/ASTM 51707:2005](#), Guide for estimating uncertainties in dosimetry for radiation processing, \$87.00
- [ISO/ASTM 51939:2005](#), Practice for blood irradiation dosimetry, \$62.00

## OPTICS AND OPTICAL INSTRUMENTS (TC 172)

- [ISO 9802/Cor1:2005](#), Raw optical glass - Vocabulary - Corrigendum, FREE
- [ISO 14880-1/Cor2:2005](#), Microlens array - Part 1: Vocabulary - Corrigendum, FREE

## OTHER

- [ISO/CIE 23539:2005](#), Photometry - The CIE system of physical photometry, \$76.00
- [ISO/CIE 23603:2005](#), Standard method of assessing the spectral quality of daylight simulators for visual appraisal and measurement of colour, \$76.00
- [ISO 17228:2005](#), Leather - Tests for colour fastness - Change in colour with accelerated ageing, \$45.00
- [ISO 20433:2005](#), Leather - Tests for colour fastness - Colour fastness to crocking, \$39.00

## PLASTICS (TC 61)

- [ISO 13894-2:2005](#), High-pressure decorative laminates - Composite elements - Part 2: Specifications for composite elements with wood-based substrates for interior use, \$58.00

## ROAD VEHICLES (TC 22)

- [ISO 11992-4:2005](#), Road vehicles - Interchange of digital information on electrical connections between towing and towed vehicles - Part 4: Diagnostics, \$132.00
- [ISO 22977:2005](#), Road vehicles - M12 x 1,25 spark-plugs with flat seating and 14 mm bi-hexagon and their cylinder head housing, \$45.00

## RUBBER AND RUBBER PRODUCTS (TC 45)

- [ISO 16010:2005](#), Elastomeric seals - Material requirements for seals used in pipes and fittings carrying gaseous fuels and hydrocarbon fluids, \$58.00
- [ISO 18517:2005](#), Rubber, vulcanized or thermoplastic - Hardness testing - Introduction and guide, \$39.00
- [ISO 22762-1:2005](#), Elastomeric seismic-protection isolators - Part 1: Test methods, \$144.00
- [ISO 22762-2:2005](#), Elastomeric seismic-protection isolators - Part 2: Applications for bridges - Specifications, \$124.00
- [ISO 22762-3:2005](#), Elastomeric seismic-protection isolators - Part 3: Applications for buildings - Specifications, \$132.00

## SMALL TOOLS (TC 29)

- [ISO 1703:2005](#), Assembly tools for screws and nuts - Designation and nomenclature, \$106.00

## TRACTORS AND MACHINERY FOR AGRICULTURE AND FORESTRY (TC 23)

- [ISO 10625:2005](#), Equipment for crop protection - Sprayer nozzles - Colour coding for identification, \$32.00

## TRANSFUSION, INFUSION AND INJECTION EQUIPMENT FOR MEDICAL USE (TC 76)

- [ISO 8871-2/Amd1:2005](#), Elastomeric parts for parenterals and for devices for pharmaceutical use - Part 2: Identification and characterization - Amendment 1, \$12.00

[ISO 15137:2005](#), Self-adhesive hanging devices for infusion bottles and injection vials - Requirements and test methods, \$45.00

#### **WATER QUALITY (TC 147)**

[ISO 5667-6:2005](#), Water quality - Sampling - Part 6: Guidance on sampling of rivers and streams, \$67.00

#### **WELDING AND ALLIED PROCESSES (TC 44)**

[ISO 17640:2005](#), Non-destructive testing of welds - Ultrasonic testing of welded joints, \$87.00

### **ISO Technical Specifications**

#### **AGRICULTURAL FOOD PRODUCTS (TC 34)**

[ISO/TS 9941:2005](#), Milk and canned evaporated milk - Determination of tin content - Spectrometric method, \$39.00

#### **GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION/GEOMATICS (TC 211)**

[ISO/TS 19103:2005](#), Geographic information - Conceptual schema language, \$132.00

### **ISO/IEC JTC 1, Information Technology**

[ISO/IEC 19776-1:2005](#), Information technology - Computer graphics, image processing and environmental data representation - Extensible 3D (X3D) encodings - Part 1: Extensible Markup Language (XML) encoding, \$213.00

[ISO/IEC 19776-2:2005](#), Information technology - Computer graphics, image processing and environmental data representation - Extensible 3D (X3D) encodings - Part 2: Classic VRML encoding, \$118.00

[ISO/IEC 22536:2005](#), Information technology - Telecommunications and information exchange between systems - Near Field Communication Interface and Protocol (NFCIP-1) - RF interface test methods, \$97.00

# Proposed Foreign Government Regulations

## Call for Comment

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

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

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

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

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

# Information Concerning

## International Organization for Standardization (ISO)

### Establishment of a New Field of Technical Activity ISO/TS/P 200 - Potentially explosive atmospheres - Explosion prevention and protection

**Comment Deadline: September 1, 2005**

ISO has advised ISO Member Bodies of the submission of a proposal for a new field of technical activity on Potentially explosive atmospheres - Explosion prevention and protection

The proposed scope of work presented in the proposal is as follows:

"Standardization in the field of explosion prevention and protection. Drawing up of standards relating to test methods for determining the flammability characteristics of substances, for equipment and protective systems for use in potentially explosive atmospheres, equipment and systems for explosion prevention and protection and terminology and methodology in the field of potentially explosive atmospheres.

"Excluded: Standardization of electrical apparatus for explosive atmospheres (dealt with by IEC/TC 31)."

Anyone wishing to review the complete proposal, can do so by contacting Steven Cornish via email: [scornish@ansi.org](mailto:scornish@ansi.org); mail: c/o ANSI, 25 West 43rd Street, New York, NY 10036; or fax to (212) 730-1346 before September 1, 2005.

## U.S. National Committee of the IEC

### U.S. Proposals for Initiation of International Standards

#### TC 57: Power Systems Management and Associated Information Exchange – Data and Communication Security

The following proposal for the initiation of an International Standard has been submitted to the International Electrotechnical Commission: TC 57: Power Systems Management and Associated Information Exchange

Title:

Data and Communication Security – Development Recommendations for a Comprehensive Security Process for the Power Industry Operations Environments

Scope:

Develops recommendations for a comprehensive Security Process for Power Industry operations community and addresses specific issues related to the security of IEC TC 57 protocols.

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#### SC 48B: Connectors – Alien NEXT (Near-End-Cross Talk)

The following proposal for the initiation of an international Standard has been submitted to the International Electrotechnical Commission: SC 48B: Connectors

Title:

Create a new test method for alien NEXT (near-end-cross talk) for IEC 6063-7-4 and 6063-7-5 connectors that would be part of the IEC 60512-23 signal integrity test methods as well as any additional methods or fixturing methods necessary to support testing these connectors to 5000 MHz.

Scope:

Develop test method (s) for IEC 60603-7-4 and -5 in support of any new or revised requirements for supporting 10G applications (IEEE 10GBASE-T 802.3 specification) as required by the proposed first amendment of ISO/IEC 11801 edition 2. One method would be Alien Next. Four additional methods for improving fixturing and testing to 500 Mhz may be needed.

For additional information, please contact: Daniel J. Mullin, The Siemon Company, 76 Westbury Park Road, Watertown, CT 06795; PHONE: (860) 945-8488; FAX: (860) 945-4278; E-Mail: [Dan\\_Mullin@siemon.com](mailto:Dan_Mullin@siemon.com).

#### SC 48B: Connectors – Unshielded HSSDC-2 Connectors

The following proposal for the initiation of an international Standard has been submitted to the International Electrotechnical Commission: SC 48B: CONNECTORS

Title:

Detail specification for unshielded HSSDC-2 connectors

Scope:

The outline defines the terminology and physical requirements for the HSSDC-2 connector. The HSSDC-2 connector style is specified in Fibre Channel and infiniband and may be suitable for use with other high speed serial interface standards. These are external shielded systems that require inter-enclosure connections. These standards only specify the mating interface and have no specific performance requirements. This specification defines such requirements.

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#### SC 48B: Connectors – Unshielded SCA-2 (Single Connector Attach-2) Connectors

The following proposal for the initiation of an international Standard has been submitted to the International Electrotechnical Commission: SC 48B: Connectors

Title:

Detail specification for unshielded SCA-2 (Single Connector Attach-2) Connectors

Scope:

This specification defines the terminology and physical requirements for unshielded SCA-2 (Single Connector Attach-2) connectors. There are two overall versions specified: 80-pin SCSI and 40 pin FC-AL. These two versions are identical except for the dimensional changes caused by the difference in pin count and the position of the long and short pins.

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# U.S. Technical Advisory Groups

## U.S. TAG to ISO WG on Social Responsibility

### Approval of Accreditation

ANSI's Executive Standards Council has approved the accreditation of the U.S. Technical Advisory Group to the ISO Working Group on Social Responsibility with the American Society for Quality (ASQ) serving as TAG Administrator, effective July 21, 2005. For additional information, please contact: Mr. Jason Knopes, Standards Administrator, American Society for Quality, 600 N. Plankinton Road, Milwaukee, WI 53203; PHONE: (414) 272-8575, ext. 7857; FAX: (414) 270-8809; E-mail: [jknopes@asq.org](mailto:jknopes@asq.org).