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* Standard for consumer products
Comment Deadline: January 27, 2019

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

Addenda

BSR/ASHRAE Addendum br to BSR/ASHRAE Standard 135-201x, BACnet - A Data Communication Protocol for Building Automation and Control Networks (addenda to ANSI/ASHRAE Standard 135-2016)

This addendum adds new engineering units, a new mandate to accept writes of NULL to non-commandable properties, and intrinsic fault reporting to Lighting Output object type; deprecates Time form of timestamps; clarifies the Multi-state object types when Number_Of_States shrinks; fixes the language for event type and message text parameters of event notifications; clarifies the object instance 4194303; extends the ReadPropertyMultiple service to support the Network Port wildcard instance treatment; and clarifies the timestamp of trend log and trend log multiple log records.

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NSF (NSF International)

Revision

BSR/NSF 49-201x (i122r2), Biosafety Cabinetry - Design, Construction, Performance, and Field Certification (revision of ANSI/NSF 49 -2016)

This Standard applies to Class II (laminar flow) biosafety cabinetry designed to minimize hazards inherent in work with agents assigned to biosafety levels 1, 2, 3, or 4. It also defines the tests that shall be passed by such cabinetry to meet this Standard. This Standard includes basic requirements for the design, construction, and performance of biosafety cabinets (BSCs) that are intended to provide personnel, product, and environmental protection; reliable operation; durability and structural stability; cleanability; limitations on noise level; illumination; vibration; and motor / blower performance.

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BSR/NSF 50-201x (i147r1), Equipment and Chemicals for Swimming Pools, Spas, Hot Tubs, and Other Recreational Water Facilities (revision of ANSI/NSF 50-2017)

This Standard covers materials, components, products, equipment, and systems, related to public and residential recreational water facility operation.

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RVIA (Recreational Vehicle Industry Association)

New Standard

BSR/RVIA EXTLAD-201x, Recommended Practice Laboratory Test Procedures for Exterior Ladders on Recreational Vehicles (new standard)

The purpose of this recommended practice, laboratory test procedures, is to provide minimum safety criteria, through uniform testing, of exterior ladders by the ladder manufacturers and by the recreational vehicle manufacturers for exterior ladders as installed and used on recreational vehicles.

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TIA (Telecommunications Industry Association)

Addenda

BSR/TIA 568.2-D-1-201x, Balanced Twisted-Pair Telecommunications Cabling and Components Standard (addenda to ANSI/TIA 568.2-D-2018)

Amendment to specify balun specifications used for testing Category 8 cabling and components described in ANSI/TIA 568.2-D

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ASABE (American Society of Agricultural and Biological Engineers)

New Standard

BSR/ASABE S644 MONSEAR-201x, Performance Measures of Electromagnetic Radiation Systems for Plants (new standard)

This standard establishes appropriate performance criteria of electromagnetic radiation devices designed for horticultural applications and installed systems that use such devices. This standard requires a minimum set of criteria and recommends optional, advanced criteria. This standard also provides methodologies to compare the anticipated plant response and energy performance between alternative devices and installed systems when applied to diverse horticultural operations.

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ASSP (Safety) (American Society of Safety Professionals)

New Standard

BSR/ASSP Z16.1-201x, Safety and Health Metrics and Performance Measures (new standard)

(1) Historical lagging indicators of measuring work-related injuries and illnesses. It will address clarification of guidelines used by BLS for recordability and formulas used to traditionally track employee injury/illness statistics. (2) Methodologies to utilize leading indicators to measure management effectiveness in reducing risk in the workplace. The use of leading indicators has been promoted in all systems management approaches. This portion of the standard will identify what leading indicators should be used and how to measure their effectiveness and turn such indicators into a statistical database. (3) Expanding metrics beyond the traditional tracking of employee injuries/illnesses. In this section, metrics will be developed that apply to areas such as property loss, general liability, fleet, business interruption, and other nontraditional metrics. It will also address, using financial terms, to speak the language of business in addressing such losses.

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ATIS (Alliance for Telecommunications Industry Solutions)

Reaffirmation

BSR ATIS 0600413-2009 (R201x), Network to Customer Installation Interfaces - Asymmetric Digital Subscriber Line (ADSL) Metallic Interface (reaffirmation of ANSI ATIS 0600413-2009 (R2014))

This standard describes the interface between the telecommunications network and the customer installation in terms of their interaction and electrical characteristics. The requirements of this standard apply to a single asymmetric digital subscriber line (ADSL).

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ATIS (Alliance for Telecommunications Industry Solutions)

**Stabilized Maintenance**

BSR ATIS 0900002-2009 (S201x), Synchronization Standard - Physical Interconnection for Intra-Office Ethernet-Based Timing Distribution (stabilized maintenance of ANSI ATIS 0900002-2009 (R2014))

This standard addresses the interconnection between the Timing Signal Generator (TSG) and Network Elements (NE) in an intra-Central-Office environment. The principal focus of this standard is the physical layer connectivity for Ethernet signals, including the connectorization, cabling, and shielding requirements for delivering a timing reference from the Office TSG to the NE. Protection (e.g., lightning) is out of the scope of this document. The higher-layer protocols, formats, and requirements that make the Ethernet signal suitable for timing are not in the scope of this document, but are provided in an Annex for information. This standard does not obsolete timing reference distribution based on traditional twisted-pair cabling used for DS1 and composite-clock (CC) intra-office timing distribution.

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AWWA (American Water Works Association)

**Revision**

BSR/AWWA C500-201x, Metal-Seated Gate Valves for Water Supply Service (revision of ANSI/AWWA C500-2009)

This standard describes iron-body, metal-to-metal seated, nonrising-stem (NRS) gate valves, including tapping gate valves, 3-in. (75-mm) through 72-in. (1,800-mm), and outside screw and yoke (OS&Y) rising-stem gate valves, 3-in. (75-mm) NPS through 72-in. (1,650-mm), with either double-disc gates having parallel or inclined seats, or solid-wedge gates. These valves are suitable for use in approximately level settings within water systems.

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BSR/AWWA F101-201x, Contact-Molded, Fiberglass-Reinforced Plastic Wash-Water Troughs and Launders (revision of ANSI/AWWA F101-2013)

This standard describes the minimum requirements for fiberglass-reinforced plastic wash-water troughs and launders made by the contact-molding process, including flat-bottom, round-bottom, and V-bottom troughs and launders. Requirements are included for materials, properties, design, construction, dimensions, tolerances, work quality, and appearance. This standard also describes the requirements for using general-purpose and chemical-resistant resins.

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B11 (B11 Standards, Inc.)

**Revision**

BSR B11.22-201x, Safety Requirements for Turning Centers and Automatic, Numerically Controlled Turning Machines (revision of ANSI B11.22-2001 (R2012))

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

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BSR B11.23-201x, Safety Requirements for Machining Centers and Automatic, Numerically Controlled Milling, Drilling and Boring Machines (revision of ANSI B11.23-2001 (R2012))
This standard specifies the safety requirements for the design, construction, operation, and maintenance (including installation, dismantling, and transport) of machining centers and automatic numerically controlled milling, drilling, and boring machines.
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BSR B11.24-201x, Safety Requirements for Transfer Machines (revision of ANSI B11.24-2001 (R2012))
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CSA (CSA Group)

New Standard

BSR/CSA 3.21-201x, Standard for Industrial Gas-Fired Natural Draft Heaters for Installation in Non-Hazardous and Hazardous Locations in Oil and Gas Process Applications (new standard)
CSA 3.21 is arranged in two parts. Part 1 of the Standard applies to newly produced industrial gas-fired natural draft heaters utilizing new and unused parts and materials intended for indoor and outdoor installation in non-hazardous locations in oil and gas process applications with a maximum input rating up to 12,500,000 Btu/h (3750 kW). The requirements of the Part 2 apply only to heaters produced in accordance with Part 1 of this Standard and intended for use in Zone 2 [Class 1 Div 2] Hazardous Locations.
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CTA (Consumer Technology Association)

Reaffirmation

CTA 2006-B defines characteristics that, considered collectively, describe the performance of power amplifiers designed for use in mobile applications. Power amplifiers designed for use in mobile applications include, but are not limited to, separate single and multi-channel amplifiers, integrated amplifiers, and bandwidth-limited amplifiers that are connected to and rely solely on the vehicle’s primary electrical system for power input and have output power ratings of greater than 5 watts when measured in accordance with CTA 2006-B.
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This standard defines the necessary mechanisms to allow a user interface to be remotely displayed on and controlled by devices or control points other than the one hosting the logic.
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EOS/ESD (ESD Association, Inc.)

New Standard

BSR/ESD SP5.0-201x, ESD Association Standard Practice for Electrostatic Discharge Sensitivity Testing - Reporting ESD Withstand Levels on Datasheets (new standard)

This document applies to ESD withstand level information in datasheets or other information publications such as reliability or qualification reports. All packaged semiconductor devices, thin film circuits, surface acoustic wave (SAW) devices, opto-electronic devices, hybrid integrated circuits (HICs), and multi-chip modules (MCMs) should have this information provided.

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HL7 (Health Level Seven)

New Standard

BSR/HL7 IG UDI, R1-201x, HL7 Cross Paradigm Implementation Guide: UDI Pattern, Release 1 (new standard)

With the introduction of the Unique Device Identifier (UDI) it is important to enable health IT to exchange the UDI with or without individual components to provide access to implantable device lists, support post-market surveillance, perform recalls, and provide clinical decision support and analysis/research. Exchange across the device ecosystem needs to be enabled for manufacturing, utilization, implanting, monitoring, reporting, and other administrative and clinical uses. HL7 embarked on an effort to ensure that the UDI string, at a minimum, is represented in V2, V3, and FHIR such that implementation guide and profile developers can provide the necessary guidance for the specific use cases of how to apply the standards.

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BSR/HL7 VSD, R1-201x, HL7 Specification: characteristics of a Value Set Definition, Release 1 (new standard)

Specifications of the data elements that formally define and characterize a Value Set definition. These include metadata used to identify and define its coded content, exemplary functions that can be used to construct a value-set content logical definition, and elements needed to support value-set definition versioning.

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SCTE (Society of Cable Telecommunications Engineers)

Revision


The specifications in this document define the performance requirements that apply to the R-ONU and are designed to allow interoperability between R-ONUs from various manufacturers.

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TIA (Telecommunications Industry Association)

Addenda

Creates an addendum to ANSI/TIA 1005-A defining enhanced performance requirements for four-pair industrial cables and cabling supporting 1000BASE-T in MICE2 and MICE3 environments. This addendum will use Connectivity already specified in ANSI/TIA 1005-A.

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TIA (Telecommunications Industry Association)

Revision
BSR/TIA 102.BAEG-A-201x, Mobile Data Peripheral Interface (revision and redesignation of ANSI/TIA 102.BAEG-2013)
The Mobile Data Peripheral Interface specifies the protocols utilized on the interface between the Subscriber Unit and the Mobile Data Peripheral. The information necessary to enable interoperable services and functionality on this interface is provided in this document or referenced in other documents as appropriate.

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BSR/TIA 102.BAEJ-A-201x, Conventional Management Service Specification for Packet Data (revision and redesignation of ANSI/TIA 102.BAEJ-2013)
The objective of this document is to provide a specification of Conventional Management Service (CMS) for Packet Data. The information necessary to enable interoperable CMS functionality for Packet Data is provided in this document or referenced in other documents as appropriate. The purpose of this revision is to address errata comments on the current published document.

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BSR/TIA 102.BAJC-B-201x, Tier 2 Location Services Specification (revision and redesignation of ANSI/TIA 102.BAJC-A-2015)
The Tier 2 Location Service provides a location request/response protocol that allows a Location Service Host to make a request for location information from an SU or MDP, providing parameters that control the transmission of location information. Immediate or periodic reports can be requested, and reports can be requested base on triggering events. The service can be used between SUs in the Direct Data or Repeated Data configurations, or between an SU and a Host in the Conventional FNE Data or Trunked FNE Data configurations. The location information is provided in an XML-based protocol and is compressed using the W3C EXI recommendation.

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ANS (American Nuclear Society)

Revision

BSR/ANS 58.8-201x, Time Response Criteria for Manual Actions at Nuclear Power Plants (revision of ANSI/ANS 58.8-1994 (R2017))

This standard establishes criteria and methods for identifying, calculating, validating, tracking, and documenting time requirements for the performance of nuclear power plant time-limited manual actions that are associated with either design basis events or licensing basis.

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BSR/AAMI 2700-1-201x, Medical devices and medical systems - Essential safety requirements for equipment comprising the patient-centric integrated clinical environment (ICE) - Part 1: General requirements and conceptual model (new standard)

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BSR/AMCA Standard 320-201x, Laboratory Method of Sound Testing of Fans Using Sound Intensity (revision and redesignation of ANSI/AMCA 320-2013)

BSR/AMCA Standard 540-201x, Test Method for Louvers Impacted by Wind-Borne Debris (revision and redesignation of ANSI/AMCA 540-2013)

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BSR/ASSP Z16.1-201x, Safety and Health Metrics and Performance Measures (new standard)

BSR/ASSP Z250.4-201x, Occupational Safety and Health (OSH) Audit Standard for Use and Implementation when Evaluating Organizations for Potential Merger and/or Acquisition (new standard)

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BSR/CTA 766-D-201X, U.S. and Canadian Rating Region Tables (RRT) and Content Advisory Descriptors for Transport of Content Advisory Information using ATSC Program and System Information Protocol (PSIP) (revision of ANSI/CTA 766-D-2013)


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BSR/IES RP-39-201x, Off-Roadway Sign Luminance (new standard)
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INCITS 137-1988 [S2018], Information Systems - One- and Two-Sided, Unformatted, 90-mm (3.5-in), 5.3-tpmm (135-tpi) Flexible Disk Cartridge for 7958 BPR Use - General, Physical, and Magnetic Requirements (stabilized maintenance of INCITS 137-1988 (R2004))


INCITS 224-1994 [S2018], Extended Tape Format for Information Interchange, (18-Track, Parallel, 12.65 mm (0.50 in), 1491 cpm (37 871 cpi), Group-Coded Recording) (stabilized maintenance of INCITS 224-1994 (R2004))

INCITS 225-1994 [S2018], Compaction Algorithm, Binary Arithmetic Coding (stabilized maintenance of INCITS 225-1994 (R2004))


INCITS 229-1994 [S2018], Fiber Distributed Data Interface (FDDI) Station Management (SMT) (stabilized maintenance of INCITS 229-1994 (R2004))


INCITS 242-1994 [S2018], Magnetic Tape Cartridge for Information Interchange, .50 in (12.65 mm) Serial Serpentine, 48-Track, 42 500 bpi (1 673 bpmm), DLT1 Format (stabilized maintenance of INCITS 242-1994 (R2004))


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BSR C136.25-201X, Roadway and Area Lighting Equipment - Ingress Protection for Luminaire Enclosures and Devices (revision of ANSI C136.25-2013)

BSR/NSF 49-201x (i122r2), Biosafety Cabinetry - Design, Construction, Performance, and Field Certification (revision of ANSI/NSF 49-2016)

BSR/NSF 50-201x (i147r1), Equipment and Chemicals for Swimming Pools, Spas, Hot Tubs, and Other Recreational Water Facilities (revision of ANSI/NSF 50-2017)

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BSR/PDA Standard 03-201x, Standard Practice for Quality Risk Management of Aseptic Processes (new standard)

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BSR/TIA 102.BAJC-B-201x, Tier 2 Location Services Specification (revision and redesignation of ANSI/TIA 102.BAJC-A-2015)

BSR/TIA 102.BAEG-A-201x, Mobile Data Peripheral Interface (revision and redesignation of ANSI/TIA 102.BAEJ-2013)

BSR/TIA 102.BAEJ-A-201x, Conventional Management Service Specification for Packet Data (revision and redesignation of ANSI/TIA 102.BAEJ-2013)
BSR/TIA 455-82-C-201x, FOTP-82 - Fluid Penetration Test for Fluid-Blocked Fiber Optic Cable (new standard)

BSR/TIA 568.2-D-1-201x, Balanced Twisted-Pair Telecommunications Cabling and Components Standard (addenda to ANSI/TIA 568.2-D-2018)

BSR/TIA 920.130-B-1-201x, Telecommunications - Telephone Terminal Equipment - Transmission Requirements for Digital Telephones with Headsets (addenda to ANSI/TIA 920.130-B-2018)

BSR/TIA 920.140-201x, Telecommunications - Communications Products - Advanced Audio Processing Requirements for Digital Interface Communications Devices (new standard)

Call for Members (ANS Consensus Bodies)

Call for Committee Members

ASC O1 – Safety Requirements for Woodworking Machinery

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Final Actions on American National Standards

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ASTM (ASTM International)

New Standard


UL (Underwriters Laboratories, Inc.)

Reaffirmation


Revision

ANSI/UL 1254-2018, Standard for Pre-Engineered Dry and Wet Chemical Extinguishing System Units (revision of ANSI/UL 1254-2017): 12/17/2018

ANSI/UL 1254-2018a, Standard for Pre-Engineered Dry Chemical Extinguishing System Units (revision of ANSI/UL 1254-2017): 12/17/2018
Project Initiation Notification System (PINS)

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Following is a list of proposed actions and new ANS that have been received recently from ASDs. Please also review the section in Standards Action entitled "American National Standards Maintained Under Continuous Maintenance" for additional or comparable information with regard to standards maintained under the continuous maintenance option. Use the following Public Document Library url to access PDF & EXCEL reports of approved & proposed ANS: List of Approved and Proposed ANS

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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New National Adoption


Stakeholders: Medical packaging manufacturers, users, regulatory agencies, hospital and health care workers.

Project Need: This proposed standard revises the current standard and serves as the first part of the series. This standard is needed to specify the requirements and test methods used in packaging of the medical devices.

Specifies the requirements and test methods for materials, preformed sterile barrier systems, sterile barrier systems, and packaging systems that are intended to maintain sterility of terminally sterilized medical devices to the point of use.


Stakeholders: Medical packaging manufacturers, users, regulatory agencies, hospitals and health care workers.

Project Need: This proposed standard revises the current standard and completes the series. This standard is needed to specify the requirements for validation in packaging of the medical devices.

Specifies the requirements for development and validation of processes for packaging medical devices that are terminally sterilized and maintain sterility to the point of use. These processes include forming, sealing, and assembly of preformed sterile barrier systems, sterile barrier systems, and packaging systems.

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New Standard

BSR/AAMI 2700-1-201x, Medical devices and medical systems - Essential safety requirements for equipment comprising the patient-centric integrated clinical environment (ICE) - Part 1: General requirements and conceptual model (new standard)

Stakeholders: Medical device manufactures, health care delivery organizations.

Project Need: This standard establishes requirements for a medical system that is intended to have greater error resistance and improved patient safety, treatment efficacy, and workflow efficiency than can be achieved with independently used medical devices.

This standard specifies general requirements, a model and framework for integrating equipment to create an integrated clinical environment (ICE), as defined in 3.6 of this standard. This standard specifies the characteristics necessary for the safe integration of medical devices and other equipment, via an electronic interface, from different manufacturers into a single medical system for the care of a single high-acuity patient. This standard establishes requirements for a medical system that is intended to have greater error resistance and improved patient safety, treatment efficacy and workflow efficiency than can be achieved with independently used medical devices. This series of standards establishes requirements for design, verification, and validation processes of a model-based integration system for an integrated clinical environment. This series of standards is intended to define the requirements essential for safety and thereby facilitate regulatory acceptance.
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Revision
Stakeholders: Designers, engineers, speciflying engineers, service personnel, and installers.
Project Need: This revised standard establishes the procedures to be used to select and size residential cooling equipment, furnaces, and heat pumps. This standard includes the explanation of why “certification ratings” should not be used for selecting equipment.
This manual provides procedures for selecting and sizing residential cooling equipment, heat pumps, electric heating coils, furnaces, boilers, ancillary dehumidification equipment, humidification equipment, equipment tested and rated according to retail appliance standards, and direct-evaporative cooling equipment. These procedures emphasize the importance of using performance data that correlates sensible and latent cooling capacity with all the variables that affect performance. Similar principles apply to heat-pump selection and sizing, and to furnace and boiler selection and sizing. All procedures produce installed design condition capacity that is appropriate for the applicable building loads, but is less than or equal to the over-sizing limit allowed for a given type of equipment.

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Revision
BSR/AMCA Standard 320-201x, Laboratory Method of Sound Testing of Fans Using Sound Intensity (revision and redesignation of ANSI/AMCA 320-2013)
Stakeholders: Manufacturers, building engineers, fan testing labs, acoustic engineers (for fans/sound), product consumers, regulatory bodies, and the like.
Project Need: This project is needed to complete the review of the Standard in accordance with our procedures. We must review a project every 5 years.
This standard establishes a method of determining the octave-band sound power levels of a fan. The method is reproducible when all requirements of the method are met. In this standard, sound power levels are determined using sound intensity measurements on a measurement surface that encloses the sound source. Guidelines are provided on suitable test environment acoustical characteristics, the measurement surface, and the number of intensity measurements.
BSR/AMCA Standard 540-201x, Test Method for Louvers Impacted by Wind-Borne Debris (revision and redesignation of ANSI/AMCA 540-2013)
Stakeholders: Manufacturers, building engineers, fan testing labs, acoustic engineers (for fans/sound), product consumers, regulatory bodies, and the like.
Project Need: This project is needed to complete the review of the Standard in accordance with our procedures. We must review a project every 5 years.
The purpose of this standard is to establish uniform methods for laboratory testing of louvers that are impact tested with the large missile described in ASTM E1996-04 and E1886-05. The scope of this standard is for impact testing of louvers used on the outside of buildings as required by the ICC International Building Code and the ICC International Residential Code.

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New Standard
BSR/ANS 3.5.1-201x, Nuclear Power Plant Simulators for Use in Simulation-Assisted Engineering and Non-Operator Training (new standard)
Stakeholders: NPP/NNB Departments: Operations, engineering, emergency preparedness, maintenance, training, and the like; NPP/NNB designers and simulator vendors; nuclear industry regulators.
Project Need: Nuclear Power Plants (NPPs), Nuclear New Builds (NNBs), and simulator vendors are using simulators for purposes other than operator training and examination (already covered by the ANSI/ANS 3.5 standard).
This standard establishes the requirements for the use of nuclear power plant control room simulators in applications other than operator training and examination. Applications considered in this Standard include plant engineering design and modification verification and validation, engineering design optimization, plant performance optimization, control loop tuning, trip risk reduction, power uprate/downrate pre-testing, human-factors engineering, safety assessment studies, procedure development and verification, and training of plant personnel other than operators. This standard does not establish criteria for the use of simulators in operator training programs.
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Revision

BSR/ASABE S642.1 MONYEAR-201x, Recommended Methods for Measurement and Testing of LED Products for Plant Growth and Development (revision and redesignation of ANSI/ASABE S642-SEPT2018)

Stakeholders: LED and LED lighting manufacturers, testing labs, plant growers, research organizations, government, and other specification agencies.

Project Need: Currently, LED radiation products have been widely used in the plant growth and development applications. These products have demonstrated higher effectiveness and energy-saving potentials. However, there are no standardized methods of measurements for these products. In order to recognize the benefits of these products, reliable, repeatable, and consistent testing and measurements methods must be established. The current lighting standards are based on human perception of light, while light (radiation) perception by plants is quite different and thus new standards are needed. Standards need to be refined to give clear information to plant growers about the light provided within the plant growth spectrum. In particular, the measurements and testing standards developed by other standardization bodies are often LED specific. This document will be based on these specific and add the plant growth and application-related requirements. The measurements include the product characteristics and long-term change behaviors (lifetime performance). This revision will address the following: (a) Establish recommended test methods for actively cooled products; (b) Establish recommendations for the use of portable spectroradiometers to make irradiance and SPD measurements; (c) Establish recommendations for far-field modeling using existing data format.

This document describes methods for measurement and testing of LED packages and arrays or modules, LED lamps, and any other LED optical radiation devices, with a spectral range between 280 nm and 800 nm, used for plant growth and development. These methods are necessary to obtain information about device characteristics and long-term change behaviors.

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Revision

BSR/ASME Y14.44-201x, Reference Designations for Electrical and Electronics Parts and Equipments (revision of ANSI/ASME Y14.44-2008 (R2014))

Stakeholders: Manufacturers that develop designs for electrical diagrams (Aerospace, automotive, medical, and the like).

Project Need: Document is being updated to provide consistency with latest Y14 standards being published (e.g., Y14.41, Y14.47) to provide guidance on use of 3D models for electrical components

This standard covers the formation and application of reference designations of electrical and electronics parts and equipment for uniquely identifying and locating discrete items on diagrams and in a set; for correlating items in a set; graphic symbols on diagrams; and items in parts lists, circuit descriptions, and instructions.

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New Standard

BSR/ASSP Z590.4-201x, Occupational Safety and Health (OSH) Audit Standard for Use and Implementation When Evaluating Organizations for Potential Merger and/or Acquisition (new standard)

Stakeholders: OSH professionals.

Project Need: There are a significant number of standards addressing OSH Management and with the new ISO 45001 there is also an accompanying document for 45001 audits. However, there does not appear to be an audit document created and meant for auditing and reviewing OSH performance management from the perspective of review for acquisitions and mergers.

This standard sets forth a procedure for conducting occupational safety and health due diligence. This practice is intended primarily as a reasonable and prudent approach to conducting an assessment designed to identify risks in connection with a transaction, including safety and health concerns, regulatory gaps, human capital issues and underfunded liabilities.
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**New Standard**

BSR/ASTM WK66071-201x, New Guide for Use of Fire Performance Data in Materials Property Determination (new standard)  
**Stakeholders:** Fire Safety Engineering industry.  
**Project Need:** The use of fire performance data for input into fire safety calculations is becoming prevalent so this draft document will present guidance for how to interpret this data for other purposes.  
**Present guidance for how to use data from fire performance tests in determining materials properties for engineering calculations or modeling.**

BSR/ASTM WK66174-201x, New Guide for Work of Fracture Measurements on Small Nuclear Graphite Specimens (new standard)  
**Stakeholders:** Manufactured Carbon and Graphite Products industry.  
**Project Need:** Structural integrity assessments typically use values of strength and elastic modulus to predict crack initiation in graphite components and there is a suite of ASTM standards to cover the measurement of these properties.  
This guide provides general tutorial information and best practice for measuring the work of fracture on manufactured graphite and carbon specimens. Although applicable to all carbon and graphite materials, this guide is aimed specifically at measurements required on nuclear graphites, where there may be constraints on the geometry and/or volume of the test specimen.

BSR/ASTM WK66202-201x, New Test Method for a Portable Instrumented Surface Indenter for Measurement of Firmness and Stability (new standard)  
**Stakeholders:** Miscellaneous Playing Surfaces industry.  
**Project Need:** The following Instrumented Surface Indenter (ISI) Surface Test Method addresses the need for a means to objectively measure Firmness and Stability.  
**This Surface Test Method specifies a test method for determining the Firmness and Stability of ground and floor surfaces using an instrumented surface indenter.**

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**Revision**

BSR/ATIS 0300094-201x, Trouble Type Codes in Support of ATIS Trouble Administration Standards (revision of ANSI/ATIS 0300094-2015)  
**Stakeholders:** Communications industry.  
**Project Need:** The standard is to be revised in order to provide updated references and add Trouble Type Code 1241 for bouncing in ATIS 0300094.2015, Trouble Type Codes in Support of ATIS Trouble Administration Standards.  
This document contains a canonical listing of Trouble Type Codes to be used in the Electronic Bonding process as specified in ATIS 0300003.

BSR/ATIS 0300218-201x, ISDN Management - Data-Link and Network Layers (revision of ANSI ATIS 0300218-2013)  
**Stakeholders:** Communications industry.  
**Project Need:** This standard is to be revised in order to provide updated references.  
This document covers maintenance of the Layer 2 (data-link-layer) and Layer 3 (network-layer) peer relationships between the exchange termination (ET) and the customer equipment.

BSR/ATIS 0300231.01-201x, DSL - Layer 1 In-Service Digital Transmission (revision of ANSI ATIS 0300231.01-2013)  
**Stakeholders:** Communications industry.  
**Project Need:** This standard is to be revised in order to provide updated references.  
This standard provides performance monitoring functions and requirements applicable to DSL digital transmission lines. This standard provides functional requirements to support maintenance and is not meant to be an equipment specification. This standard is one of a set of standards for specific applications utilizing the common criteria as specified in ATIS 0300231.

BSR/ATIS 0300231.02-201x, DS1 - Layer 1 In-Service Digital Transmission Performance Monitoring (revision of ANSI ATIS 0300231.02-2013)  
**Stakeholders:** Communications industry.  
**Project Need:** This standard is to be revised in order to provide updated references.  
This standard provides performance monitoring functions and requirements applicable to DS1 digital transmission signals. This standard provides functional requirements to support maintenance and is not meant to be an equipment specification. This standard is one of a set of standards that are applications utilizing the common criteria as specified in ATIS 0300231.
BSR/ATIS 0300231.03-201x, DS3 - Layer 1 In-Service Digital Transmission Performance Monitoring (revision of ANSI ATIS 0300231.03-2013)

Stakeholders: Communications industry.

Project Need: This standard is to be revised in order to provide updated references.

This standard provides performance monitoring (PM) functions and requirements applicable to DS3 digital transmission. This standard provides functional requirements to support maintenance and is not meant to be an equipment specification. This standard is one of a set of standards that are applications utilizing the common criteria as specified in ATIS 0300231.

BSR/ATIS 0300231.04-201x, SONET - Layer 1 In-Service Digital Transmission Performance Monitoring (revision of ANSI ATIS 0300231.04-2013)

Stakeholders: Communications industry.

Project Need: This standard is to be revised in order to provide updated references.

This standard provides performance monitoring (PM) functions and requirements applicable to SONET digital transmission. This standard provides functional requirements to support maintenance and is not meant to be an equipment specification. This standard is one of a set of standards that are applications utilizing the common criteria as specified in ATIS 0300231.

BSR/ATIS 0300231-201x, Digital Hierarchy - Layer 1 in-Service Digital Transmission Performance Monitoring (revision of ANSI ATIS 0300231-2013)

Stakeholders: Communications industry.

Project Need: This standard is to be revised in order to provide updated references.

This standard provides performance monitoring (PM) functions and requirements applicable to Layer 1 transmission signals for the covered levels of the North American transmission hierarchy. This standard provides functional requirements to support maintenance and is not meant to be an equipment specification.

BSR/ATIS 0300245-201x, Directory Services for Telecommunications Management Network (TMN) and Synchronous Optical Network (SONET) (revision of ANSI ATIS 0300245-2013)

Stakeholders: Communications industry.

Project Need: This standard is to be revised in order to provide updated references.

This standard specifies the usage of the X.500 Directory, protocols, and services for communications between Directory Users and Directory Servers. These specifications are for use of the Directory in support of management communications within the Telecommunications Management Network (TMN) and for specific technologies, such as Synchronous Optical Network (SONET).

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Revision

BSR/AWS D1.4/D1.4M-201x, Structural Welding Code - Steel Reinforcing Bars (revision of ANSI/AWS D1.4/D1.4M-2018)

Stakeholders: Engineers within the welding industry.

Project Need: Update the technological advances for reinforcing steel bars.

This code covers the requirements for welding reinforcing steel in most reinforced concrete applications. It contains a body of rules for the regulations of welding reinforcing steel and provides suitable acceptance criteria for such welds.

CTA (Consumer Technology Association)

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Revision

BSR/CTA 766-D-201X, U.S. and Canadian Rating Region Tables (RRT) and Content Advisory Descriptors for Transport of Content Advisory Information Using ATSC Program and System Information Protocol (PSIP) (revision of ANSI/CTA 766-D-2013)

Stakeholders: Consumers, manufacturers, retailers.

Project Need: Revise ANSI/CTA 776-D.

This standard augments ATSC A/65 [A65] and designates (a) the RRT which provides the receiver with the definition of the rating system and (b) the Content Advisory Descriptors which provide the receiver with the specific program rating for each program. Specifically, this standard specifies the exact syntax to be used to define the U.S. and Canadian Rating Region Tables (RRT) in accordance with ATSC A/65 [A65] Section 6.4, as well as the exact syntax to be used in the Content Advisory Descriptors.
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Revision
BSR/ASSE 1055-201x, Chemical Dispensing Systems with Integral Backflow Protection (revision of ANSI/ASSE 1055-2018)
Stakeholders: Plumbing manufacturers, plumbing inspectors, backflow preventer, janitorial or custodial services, surface disinfection, and chemical dispensing equipment manufacturers.
Project Need: Goal is to revise the standard in order to jointly release it with IAPMO through their SCC-accredited standards development process. The full, formal designation of the standard will likely be: ANSI/CAN/IAPMO/ASSE 1055.
Chemical dispensing systems (referred to as the “device” in this standard) provide a means of mixing potable water with chemicals to provide the user with a chemical solution that is ready for use. This standard applies to those devices classified as chemical-dispensing systems having integral backflow protection.

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New Standard
BSR/IES RP-39-201x, Off-Roadway Sign Luminance (new standard)
Stakeholders: General public (drivers), sign manufacturers and owners, sign lighting engineers, lighting practitioners.
Project Need: The recommendations apply to signs, including billboards, that are off the right-of-way, and includes signs that are internally and externally lighted.
This recommended practice contains guidelines for restricting the brightness of signs by limiting their luminance as seen by drivers on nearby streets and roads.

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Revision
BSR C136.25-201X, Roadway and Area Lighting Equipment - Ingress Protection for Luminaire Enclosures and Devices (revision of ANSI C136.25-2013)
Stakeholders: Producers, users, test labs, and specifiers.
Project Need: This revision is needed to update the standard to reflect current industry practices.
This standard details the requirements for ingress protection of luminaires and related devices in roadway and area lighting equipment, installed for their intended use, and specified by the end user. While these requirements are suitable for most types of lighting equipment, it should not be assumed that all the listed degrees of protection are applicable to a particular type of equipment. The manufacturer of the equipment should be consulted to determine the degrees of protection available.

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New Standard
BSR/PDA Standard 03-201x, Standard Practice for Quality Risk Management of Aseptic Processes (new standard)
Stakeholders: Quality assurance, quality control, quality engineering, operations, production and manufacturing, MSAT and process development, engineering and maintenance, validation, regulatory, international health authority reviewers and inspectors.
Project Need: Global Health Authority representatives have expressed concern that companies are not using quality risk management principles correctly or effectively in risk assessments. In addition, aseptic processing has unique risk challenges including the level of failure severity, difficulty in detection, rare failure occurrence rates, correlation between failure occurrence and cause, and lack of quantifiable data. A standard approach to the use of quality risk management principles designed to specifically address the challenges of aseptic processing would be beneficial to the industry, regulators, and patients, as it would help improve aseptic processes and reduce risk to product sterility.
Create a practical standard to guide industry and regulators seeking to apply or evaluate Quality Risk Management principles in decisions related to the planning, design, qualification, operation, monitoring, and investigation of various aspects of Aseptic Processing.
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Addenda

BSR/TIA 920.130-B-1-201x, Telecommunications - Telephone Terminal Equipment - Transmission Requirements for Digital Telephones with Headsets (addenda to ANSI/TIA 920.130-B-2018)

Stakeholders: Users, manufacturers, and purchasers of digital telephones and other communications devices.

Project Need: Update standard.

Document is being revised to swap figures 4.4.3 and 4.4.4 as they are incorrect based on the heading and caption titles.

New Standard

BSR/TIA 455-82-C-201x, FOTP-82 - Fluid Penetration Test for Fluid-Blocked Fiber Optic Cable (new standard)

Stakeholders: Users of optical fiber such as optical fiber cable manufacturers and their customers, optical fiber transmission and test equipment manufacturers, specifiers of optical fiber and cable such as telecommunications companies and standards.

Project Need: Create new standard.

Revise ANSI/TIA 455-82B to: (1) update the default test length for water penetration samples from 1m to 3m, (2) update the sample length for retest from 3 m to 40 m), and (3) consider the impact of the length change on test duration. Update the treatment of dry water blocked cable.

BSR/TIA 920.140-201x, Telecommunications - Communications Products - Advanced Audio Processing Requirements for Digital Interface Communications Devices (new standard)

Stakeholders: Manufacturers and users of digital communication devices.

Project Need: Create new standard.

Current digital communication devices are missing requirements and test methodology covered in other industry standards for non-linear aspects, including but not limited to double-talk, ambient background noise canceling, speech quality, and AGC performance.

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Revision

BSR/UL 9540-201x, Standard for Safety for Energy Storage Systems and Equipment (revision of ANSI/UL 9540-2016)

Stakeholders: Energy storage systems and equipment manufacturers, building owners, insurance companies, regulatory agencies/AHJs, local building and electrical inspectors, municipalities, first responders, fire experts, consumers, retailers.

Project Need: To revise relevant stakeholders.

These requirements cover energy storage systems that are intended to receive energy and then to store the energy received in some form so that the energy storage system can provide electrical energy to loads or to the local/area electric power system (EPS) when needed. The types of energy storage covered under this standard include electrochemical, chemical, mechanical, and thermal. The energy storage system shall be constructed either as one unitary complete piece of equipment or as matched assemblies, that when connected, form the system. The systems covered by this standard include those intended to be used in a standalone mode (e.g., islanded) including "self-supply" systems to provide electrical energy and those used in parallel with an electric power system or electric utility grid such as "grid-supply" systems, or applications that perform ancillary operational modes associated with power generation such as, voltage support and regulation, frequency support and regulation, volt-var, capacity reserve, energy shifting or other utility grid support services. Energy storage systems are intended for installation and use in accordance with the National Electrical Code, NFPA 70, the Canadian Electrical Code, Part I: Safety Standard for Electrical Installations, C22.1; the National Electrical Safety Code, IEEE C2; the International Fire Code, IFC; the International Residential Code, IRC; the National Fire Code of Canada, NRC NFC; and the Fire Code, NFPA 1. Requirements for installation, with the exception of installation manuals and documents for installation provided with the system are outside the scope of this standard.
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- AAMI (Association for the Advancement of Medical Instrumentation)
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- ASC X9 (Accredited Standards Committee X9, Incorporated)
- ASHRAE (American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air-Conditioning Engineers, Inc.)
- ASME (American Society of Mechanical Engineers)
- ASTM (ASTM International)
- GBI (Green Building Initiative)
- HL7 (Health Level Seven)
- IES (Illuminating Engineering Society)
- ITI (InterNational Committee for Information Technology Standards)
- MHI (Material Handling Industry)
- NAHBRC (NAHB Research Center, Inc.)
- NBBPVI (National Board of Boiler and Pressure Vessel Inspectors)
- NCPDP (National Council for Prescription Drug Programs)
- NEMA (National Electrical Manufacturers Association)
- NISO (National Information Standards Organization)
- NSF (NSF International)
- PRCA (Professional Ropes Course Association)
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- SAE (SAE International)
- TCNA (Tile Council of North America)
- TIA (Telecommunications Industry Association)
- UL (Underwriters Laboratories, Inc.)

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- Standardization in the field of instruments of small and large size intended for measuring time and time keeping:
  - terminology;
  - technical definitions;
  - standardization of overall dimensions;
  - any other questions which may be proposed in the future

TC 114/SC 3 operates under the following scope:

- Water-resistant watches

TC 114/SC 12 operates under the following scope:

- Antimagnetism

TC 114/SC 13 operates under the following scope:

- Watch-glasses

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- Table and wall clocks

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2. Appeal filed jointly by Fraunhofer-Gesellschaft zur Förderung der angewandten Forschung e. V. and Fraunhofer USA, Inc. of an ANSI Executive Standards Council (ExSC) decision concerning the ANSI patent policy. Appeal denied.

3. Complaint filed by PGMA of UL’s approval, as an Audited Designator, of UL 2201 Standard for Tests for Determining CO Emission Rate of Portable Generators as an ANS. Complaint dismissed. (Appeal pending at the ANSI Appeals Board level.)

**ANSI Board of Standards Review (BSR)**


3. Appeal filed by Techtronic Industries Power Equipment (TTi) with the ANSI Board of Standards Review (BSR) in connection with its decision to approve the revision of PGMA G300-2018 Safety and Performance of Portable Generators as an American National Standard (ANS). Appeal dismissed.


**ANSI Appeals Board**

1. Appeal filed by Fraunhofer-Gesellschaft zur Förderung der angewandten Forschung e. V. and Fraunhofer USA, Inc. (collectively "Fraunhofer") appealing a decision of a Panel of the ANSI Executive Standards Council (ExSC) concerning the ANSI patent policy. Appeal denied.

2. Appeal filed by Ericsson Inc., Koninklijke Philips N.V., Dolby Laboratories and Orange (collectively "Ericsson") appealing a decision of a Panel of the ANSI Executive Standards Council (ExSC) concerning the ANSI patent policy. Appeal denied.


4. Appeal filed by PGMA of the ANSI ExSC’s decision to dismiss its complaint against UL’s approval, as an Audited Designator, of UL 2201 Standard for Tests for Determining CO Emission Rate of Portable Generators as an ANS. Appeal pending before the ANSI Appeals Board.
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Public Review Draft

Proposed Addendum br to Standard 135-2016, BACnet® - A Data Communication Protocol for Building Automation and Control Networks

First Publication Public Review (December 2018)
(Draft shows Proposed Changes to Current Standard)

This draft has been recommended for public review by the responsible project committee. To submit a comment on this proposed standard, go to the ASHRAE website at www.ashrae.org/standards-research--technology/public-review-drafts and access the online comment database. The draft is subject to modification until it is approved for publication by the Board of Directors and ANSI. Until this time, the current edition of the standard (as modified by any published addenda on the ASHRAE website) remains in effect. The current edition of any standard may be purchased from the ASHRAE Online Store at www.ashrae.org/bookstore or by calling 404-636-8400 or 1-800-727-4723 (for orders in the U.S. or Canada).

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FOREWORD

The purpose of this addendum is to present a proposed change for public review. These modifications are the result of change proposals made pursuant to the ASHRAE continuous maintenance procedures and of deliberations within Standing Standard Project Committee 135. The proposed changes are summarized below.

135-2016br-1. Add new engineering units, p. 3.
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In the following document, language to be added to existing clauses of ANSI/ASHRAE Standard 135-2016 and Addenda is indicated through the use of italics, while deletions are indicated by strikethrough. Where entirely new subclauses are proposed to be added, plain type is used throughout. Only this new and deleted text is open to comment at this time. All other material in this addendum is provided for context only and is not open for public review comment except as it relates to the proposed changes.

This is a review of Independent Substantive Changes that were made since the last public review. Areas where substantive changes have been made are highlighted in gray. In these areas, text that was removed from the previous public review is provided for reference but is shown in double strikethrough, and text that has been added is shown with double underlines. This notation allows changes between reviewed versions to be indicated while preserving the traditional meaning of italics and single strikethrough to indicate changes to the standard.

Only the changes highlighted in gray are open to comment at this time. All other material in this addendum is provided for context only and is not open for public review comment except as it relates to the proposed changes.

The use of placeholders like XX, YY, ZZ, X1, X2, NN, x, n, etc., should not be interpreted as literal values of the final published version. These placeholders will be assigned actual numbers/letters only after final publication approval of the addendum.
135-2016br-6. Fix the language for event type and message text parameters of event notifications.

**Rationale**

In Table 13-3, the ‘Event Type’ parameter in the Acknowledgment Transition column is contradicting the structure of the ConfirmedEventNotification request in Clause 13.8.1 and the structure of the UnconfirmedEventNotification request in Clause 13.9.1.

The definition of the ‘Event Type’ parameter in Clauses 13.8.1.1.7 and 13.9.1.1.7 does not mention the ‘Event Type’ for transitions to the FAULT event state and from the FAULT event state.

Also for the ‘Message Texts’ parameter of these services, clarify their requirement to derive the value from the value configured in the corresponding transition in the Event_Message_Texts_Config property, if that property exists, and to place the value into the corresponding Event_Message_Texts, if that property exists.

[Change Clause 13.2.5.2, p. 599]

### 13.2.5.2 Service Parameters of Event Notification Service Requests

**Table 13-3. Event Notification Service Parameter Values**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>Service Parameter</th>
<th>Event State Transition (all transitions)</th>
<th>Acknowledgment Transition</th>
</tr>
</thead>
<tbody>
<tr>
<td>Event Type</td>
<td>When 'To State' or 'From State' is FAULT, set to CHANGE_OF_RELIABILITY, Otherwise the value associated with the event-initiating object's configured event algorithm.</td>
<td>Not present When 'To State' is FAULT, set to CHANGE_OF_RELIABILITY. When 'To State' is NORMAL, and the device can determine reporting acknowledgement of a transition from FAULT, set to CHANGE_OF_RELIABILITY. Otherwise the value associated with the event-initiating object's configured event algorithm.</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Message Text</td>
<td>Optional The value is derived from the value in the Event_Message_Texts_Config property configured in the entry corresponding to the transition, if the property exists. Otherwise the value is a local matter. The Message Text transmitted is reflected into the Event_Message_Texts array, if the property exists.</td>
<td>Optional The value is a local matter.</td>
</tr>
</tbody>
</table>

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13.8.1.1.7 Event Type
This parameter, of type BACnetEventType, shall specify the type of event that has occurred.

If ‘Notify Type’ is ALARM or EVENT when the 'To State' parameter is FAULT, then this parameter shall have a value of CHANGE_OF_RELIABILITY. The Event Type CHANGE_OF_RELIABILITY shall be used for reporting a transition from FAULT. Otherwise, this parameter shall have the value associated with the event-initiating object's configured event algorithm.

If 'Notify Type' is ACK_NOTIFICATION when 'To State' is FAULT, the Event Type shall be CHANGE_OF_RELIABILITY. When 'To State' is NORMAL, and the device can determine reporting acknowledgement of a transition from FAULT, the Event Type shall be CHANGE_OF_RELIABILITY. Otherwise, the Event Type shall be the value associated with the event-initiating object's configured event algorithm.

13.8.1.1.8 Message Text
This optional parameter, of type CharacterString, shall convey a string of printable characters. This parameter may be used to convey a message to be logged or displayed, which pertains to the occurrence of the event.

If ‘Notify Type’ is ALARM or EVENT, the text shall be derived from the value in the Event_Message_Texts_Config entry corresponding to the transition, if the property exists. Otherwise, the value is a local matter. If the optional property Event_Message_Texts is present in the event-initiating generating object, the text conveyed in this Message Text parameter shall be stored in the respective field of the Event_Message_Texts array.

If 'Notify Type' is ACK_NOTIFICATION, the value is a local matter.

13.9.1.1.7 Event Type
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If ‘Notify Type’ is ALARM or EVENT when the 'To State' parameter is FAULT, then this parameter shall have a value of CHANGE_OF_RELIABILITY. The Event Type CHANGE_OF_RELIABILITY shall be used for reporting a transition from FAULT. Otherwise, this parameter shall have the value associated with the event-initiating object's configured event algorithm.

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If 'Notify Type' is ACK_NOTIFICATION, the value is a local matter.
Annex F
(normative)

Field tests

F.12.1 Certification label

Biosafety cabinets field tested to this standard shall include the following information:

- date of certification;
- date cabinet should be recertified: no later than ______________;
- certifier's report number (reference document showing tests performed and results);
- name, address, and telephone number of certifying company, company website and telephone number. A street address shall be used if a website is not available; and
- unit serial number, certifier's report number (reference document showing tests performed and results); and
- printed name and signature of the person who performed the field certification tests.

**Rationale:** information is now easy to access on the internet, and this change will open up more space on labels making it easier to display the important immediate information like model, serial number, due date, etc.
NSF/ANSI Standard

Equipment and Chemicals for Swimming Pools, Spas, Hot Tubs, and other Recreational Water Facilities

Evaluation criteria for materials, components, products, equipment, and systems for use at recreational water facilities

14  Ultraviolet (UV) light process equipment

14.5  Performance indication

Each system shall incorporate on the control panel a constantly visible readout of the actual flow (in US GPM), the actual calculated dose (in mjJ/cm²) and the actual lamp intensity (in w/cm² w/m²).
1.1.3 Figure A-3 Revise the term “beam” in Figure A-3 to read “beam/rail”

6.1.2 Rungs shall be corrugated, serrated, knurled, dimpled, or coated with a slip and skid-resistant material.

6.1.3 The ladder standoffs for attaching to the recreational vehicle wall shall be of such length to provide no less than 7 3-1/2 inches (177.89 mm) minimum clearance between the ladder rungs and the wall surface behind the ladder.

6.1.4 Ladder rungs, cleats and steps shall be parallel, level and uniformly equally spaced.

6.1.5 Rungs, cleats and steps shall be vertically spaced no less than 10 inches (254 mm) apart, and not more than 14 inches (355 mm) 15 inches (380mm) apart, as measured from center to center of the rungs along the full length of the ladder.
Balun requirements for Category 8 testing

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FOREWORD

(This forward is not a part of this Addendum.)

This project was initiated to serve a need to accurately measure Category 8 and better cabling and components using balun transformers in the measurement path. The scope of the project includes frequencies above 500 MHz and up to 2.0 GHz with balun requirements to ensure accuracy of measurement. The requirements of baluns between 500 MHz and 2000 MHz are enhanced to assure accurate measurements.

This Addendum was developed by TIA Subcommittee TR-42.7.

Approval of this Addendum

This Addendum was approved by TIA Sub-Committee TR-42.7, TIA Engineering Committee TR-42, and the American National Standards Institute (ANSI).

ANSI/TIA reviews standards every 5 years. At that time, standards are reaffirmed, rescinded, or revised according to the submitted updates. Updates to be included in the next revision should be sent to the committee chair or to ANSI/TIA.

Contributing Organizations

More than 30 organizations within the telecommunications industry contributed their expertise to the development of this Addendum (including manufacturers, consultants, end users, and other organizations).

Annexes

There are no annexes in this Addendum.
Introduction

This addendum describes balun requirements for obtaining performance measurements of passive devices designed for differential signal transmission. The measurements are generally aimed at swept frequency response measurements where the source signal is provided by test equipment. A network analyzer is typically used for these types of measurements. The primary enhancement of these requirements relative to balun specifications in the main body of the TIA 568.2-D standard is enhanced properties at frequencies above 500 MHz and up to 2 GHz. These frequencies are generally covered using balunless measurement methods described in ANSI/TIA 1183-A.

Purpose

Enhanced balun requirements ensure measurement accuracy at frequencies above 500 MHz and up to 2 GHz when using baluns in the measurement path as opposed to balunless methods.

Specification of criteria

Two categories of criteria are specified; mandatory and advisory. The mandatory requirements are designated by the word "shall"; advisory requirements are designated by the words "should", "may", or "desirable" which are used interchangeably in this Addendum.

Mandatory criteria apply to performance and compatibility; they specify the absolute minimum acceptable requirements. Advisory or desirable criteria are presented when their attainment will enhance the general performance of the testing platform in all its contemplated applications.

A note in the text, table, or figure is used for emphasis or offering informative suggestions.

Metric equivalents of US customary units

The majority of the metric dimensions in this Addendum are metric with soft conversions to US customary units; e.g., 4 inches (in) is the soft conversion of 100 millimeters (mm).

Life of the Addendum

This Addendum is a living document. The criteria contained in this Addendum are subject to revisions and updating as warranted by advances in telecommunications technology.
1 Scope

Balun requirements are defined for measurement of transmission parameters of differential pair devices. These balun requirements have been shown to facilitate measurement of transmission parameters up to 2 GHz. Specifications up to 2 GHz are provided by this document.

2 Balun requirements

Replace Table C.1 with the updated table C.1 below.

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<td>$1 \leq f \leq 2000$</td>
<td>$50 , \Omega$ unbalanced</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Impedance, secondary</td>
<td>$1 \leq f \leq 2000$</td>
<td>$100 , \Omega$ balanced</td>
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<tr>
<td>Insertion loss</td>
<td>$1 \leq f \leq 2000$</td>
<td>2.0 dB maximum</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Return loss, bi-directional 2)</td>
<td>$1 \leq f &lt; 15$</td>
<td>12 dB minimum</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td></td>
<td>$15 \leq f \leq 2000$</td>
<td>20 dB minimum</td>
</tr>
<tr>
<td>Return loss, common mode 2)</td>
<td>$1 \leq f &lt; 15$</td>
<td>15 dB minimum</td>
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<td>$15 \leq f &lt; 400$</td>
<td>20 dB minimum</td>
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<td>$400 \leq f \leq 2000$</td>
<td>15 dB minimum</td>
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<tr>
<td>Power rating</td>
<td>$1 \leq f \leq 2000$</td>
<td>0.1 watt minimum</td>
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<tr>
<td>Longitudinal balance 2)</td>
<td>$1 \leq f &lt; 100$</td>
<td>60 dB minimum)</td>
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<td></td>
<td>$100 \leq f \leq 2000$</td>
<td>50 dB minimum</td>
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<td>Output signal balance 2)</td>
<td>$1 \leq f \leq 2000$</td>
<td>50 dB minimum</td>
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<tr>
<td>Common mode rejection 2)</td>
<td>$1 \leq f \leq 2000$</td>
<td>50 dB minimum</td>
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1) Primary impedance may differ, if necessary, to accommodate analyzer outputs other than 50 Ω.
2) Measured per ITU-T (formerly CCITT) Recommendation G.117 with the network analyzer calibrated using a 50 Ω load.
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