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GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS	PUBLIC REVIEW—CALL FOR MEMBERS
<p>ASHRAE Standards staff will host virtual trainings for project committee members from 12:00 PM to 12:30 Eastern Time on the dates below. Interested parties can register for each training at the corresponding link.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ Thursday, May 1st, 2025 – Responding to Public Review Comments (https://ashrae.webex.com/weblink/register/r6428515c69558a07d847eaf5e9f1c296) ◆ Thursday, June 5th, 2025 – Duplication/Harmonization of Standards and Guidelines https://ashrae.webex.com/weblink/register/r63b2b3b8908e3d86ee8b91668b022116 	<p>A <i>Call for Members</i> is announced for the following PCs. Persons who are interested in serving on these ASHRAE committees are asked to indicate their interest by completing the online membership application forms listed under Instructions for New Applicants at https://www.ashrae.org/pcmmemberapp or by contacting Ryan Shanley at: ASHRAE, 180 Technology Parkway, Peachtree Corners, GA 30092; phone: 678-539-1138; fax: 678-539-2138; email Standards.Section@ashrae.org.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ SGPC 44, <i>Protecting Building Occupants from Smoke During Wildfire and Prescribed Burn Events</i>
INTERIM MEETINGS	<p>PURPOSE: The purpose of this guideline is to recommend building measures to minimize occupant health impacts caused by smoke from wildfire and prescribed burn events.</p> <p>SCOPE:</p> <p>2.1 This guideline applies to commercial buildings; institutional buildings, including healthcare facilities; and multi-unit residential buildings, as well as dedicated spaces within these building types intended for temporary human occupancy during a wildfire or prescribed burn event.</p> <p>2.2 This guideline includes buildings expected to be occupied by potentially susceptible populations, including children and the elderly.</p> <p>2.3 This guideline provides recommendations related to the design, installation, commissioning, operation, and maintenance of building envelope, ventilation, and air cleaning systems.</p>
<p>A complete listing of project committee interim meetings is provided on ASHRAE’s website at: https://www.ashrae.org/technical-resources/standards-and-guidelines/project-committee-interim-meetings</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ◆ SSPC 41, <i>Standard Methods of Measurement, Standard 41.3-2022R, Standard Methods for Pressure Measurement</i>, will hold a web meeting on Friday, April 25, 2025 from 2:00 pm to 3:00 pm (Eastern). <p>For additional information, please contact Haotian Liu (liu1460@purdue.edu), Chair of the 41.3 Subcommittee.</p>	



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Constructive comments are invited for the following Public Review Drafts, which can be accessed on ASHRAE’s website at <https://www.ashrae.org/technical-resources/standards-and-guidelines/public-review-drafts>. All activity for reviewing and commenting on public review drafts can be accomplished completely online. To obtain a paper copy of any Public Review Draft contact ASHRAE, Inc. Attn: Standards Public Review, 180 Technology Parkway, Peachtree Corners, GA 30092, or via email at: standards.section@ashrae.org.

Note: Paper copies are available for \$35.00/copy if 100 pages or less and \$45.00 if over 100 pages.

**30-day Public Review from
April 4, 2025 to May 4, 2025**

- ♦ **1st Public Review Draft of BSR/ASHRAE Addendum a to ANSI/ASHRAE Standard 185.1-2020, Method of Testing UV-C Lights for Use in Air-Handling Units or Air Ducts to Inactivate Airborne Microorganisms (First)**

This addendum adds an optional MS2 test for UV-C systems so Standard 185.1 results can be used directly under the requirements of Standard 241.

- ♦ **1st Public Review Draft of BSR/ASHRAE Addendum w to ANSI/ASHRAE Standard 62.2-2022, Ventilation and Acceptable Indoor Air Quality in Residential Buildings**

This proposed addendum updates the references in the standard.

- ♦ **2nd Publication Public Review (Independent Substantive Change) of BSR/ASHRAE Addendum d to ANSI/ASHRAE Standard 15-2024, Safety Standard for Refrigeration Systems**

This addendum addresses changes of refrigerant to existing refrigeration systems, whether for changes within the same refrigerant safety group or to a different refrigerant safety group.

- ♦ **1st Publication Public Review of BSR/ASHRAE Addendum g to ANSI/ASHRAE Standard 15-2024, Safety Standard for Refrigeration Systems**

The revisions add a definition for “authorized personnel”, access limitations to machinery rooms and additional guidance intended to provide further information on the “authorized personnel” requirements of Section 8.9.4.

- ♦ **2nd Publication Public Review (Independent Substantive Change) of BSR/ASHRAE Addendum a to ANSI/ASHRAE Standard 15.2-2024, Safety Standard for Refrigeration Systems in Residential Applications**

This addendum is modifying Section 8 by eliminating one of the options for field applied joints, 8.2.5.1.c.

- ♦ **1st Publication Public Review of BSR/ASHRAE Addendum b to ANSI/ASHRAE Standard 15.2-2024, Safety Standard for Refrigeration Systems in Residential Applications**

This addendum proposes modifications to require a leak detection system to be part of a refrigeration system installed in a room where open flame appliances are present.



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<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ♦ 1st Publication Public Review of BSR/ASHRAE Addendum c to ANSI/ASHRAE 15.2-2024, Safety Standard for Refrigeration Systems in Residential Applications This addendum addresses requirements for installation of refrigeration systems used in combined air and water conditioning applications. ♦ 1st Publication Public Review of BSR/ASHRAE Addendum e to ANSI/ASHRAE 15.2-2024, Safety Standard for Refrigeration Systems in Residential Applications This addendum clarifies the requirements for dispersal height determination in multi-story applications or spaces with different levels. ♦ 1st Publication Public Review of BSR/ASHRAE Addendum f to ANSI/ASHRAE 15.2-2024, Safety Standard for Refrigeration Systems in Residential Applications This addendum clarify requirements for application of joints for copper linesets, and expands welded joints to copper tube. <u>45-day Public Review from April 4, 2025 to May 19, 2025</u> ♦ 1st Publication Public Review of BSR/ASHRAE Addendum h to ANSI/ASHRAE Standard 15-2024, Safety Standard for Refrigeration Systems This addendum makes changes to several sub-sections in Section 7 of the standard. The revisions make use of defined terms where appropriate, amend section titles to better reflect their content, and use mandatory language in normative sections. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ♦ 2nd ISC Public Review Draft of BSR/ASHRAE Addendum d to Standard 205-2023, Representation of Performance Data for HVAC&R and Other Facility Equipment This addendum generalizes the RS0001 representation specification to cover liquid-cooled, air-cooled, and evaporatively-cooled chillers. The representation specification title is changed from “Liquid-Cooled Chiller” to “Chiller” to reflect this broader scope. The addendum makes editorial changes to the previous public review draft. ♦ 1st Public Review Draft of BSR/ASHRAE Addendum c to ANSI/ASHRAE Standard 62.2-2022, Ventilation and Acceptable Indoor Air Quality in Residential Buildings The bulk of the proposed addendum is for the new IAQ Procedure (Normative Appendix D). This procedure is an alternative compliance method to Section 4, the Ventilation Rate Procedure (VRP), and thus is only for those who wish to take it. With low contaminant levels, for example, the IAQP would allow the dwelling to be operated at lower ventilation rates than the VRP. The section could also be used for those wishing to improve IAQ when sources were unusually high. Compliance with the IAQP may include contaminant measurements either for real-time or commissioning purposes. Compliance with the IAQP may include air cleaning to reduce some contaminants. ♦ 1st Public Review Draft of BSR/ASHRAE Standard 24-2019R, Methods of Testing for Rating Evaporators Used for Cooling Liquids This revision of ANSI/ASHRAE Standard 24-2019 prescribes methods of testing the thermal performance and liquid-side pressure drop of evaporators that operate at subcritical pressures of the evaporating refrigerant.



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- ♦ GPC 36 — High Performance Sequences of Operation for HVAC Systems
- ♦ SSPC 41 — Standard Methods for Measurement
- ♦ SSPC 62.1 — Ventilation for Acceptable Indoor Air Quality
- ♦ SSPC 62.2 — Ventilation and Acceptable Indoor Air Quality in Residential Buildings
- ♦ SSPC 90.1 — Energy Standard for Buildings Except Low-Rise Residential Buildings
- ♦ SSPC 90.2 — Energy Efficient Design of Low-Rise Residential Buildings
- ♦ SPC 90.4 — Energy Standard for Data Centers and Telecommunications Buildings
- ♦ SSPC 161 — Air Quality within Commercial Aircraft
- ♦ SSPC 188 — Legionellosis: Risk Management for Building Water Systems
- ♦ SSPC 189.1 — Standard for the Design of High-Performance Green Buildings Except Low-Rise Residential Buildings
- ♦ SPC 201 — Facility Smart Grid Information Model
- ♦ ASHRAE Standards Action list serve
- ♦ Code Interaction Subcommittee (CIS)