



ADDENDA

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Safety Standard for Refrigeration Systems

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FOREWORD

Addendum af better aligns the definitions of evaporator and condenser.

Informative Note: In this addendum, changes to the current standard are indicated in the text by underlining (for additions) and ~~striketrough~~ (for deletions) unless the instructions specifically mention some other means of indicating the changes.

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Modify Section 3 as shown. The remainder of Section 3 remains unchanged.

3. DEFINITIONS

3.1 Defined Terms

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condenser: ~~that~~ the part of the *refrigeration system* where *refrigerant* is liquefied by the removal of heat.

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evaporator: ~~that~~ the part of the *refrigeration system* designed to vaporize liquid *refrigerant* to produce refrigeration where *refrigerant* is vaporized by the addition of heat.

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