



STANDARDS ACTIONS

PUBLIC REVIEW-CALL FOR COMMENTS

PUBLICATION NOTICE

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.

**30-day Public Review from
May 1, 2026 to May 31, 2026**

- ♦ **First Public Review of BSR/ASHRAE Addendum g to Standard 209-2024, *Energy Simulation Aided Design for Buildings except Low-Rise Residential Buildings***

This addendum attempts to make the timing, goal, and intent of climate and site analysis clearer to modelers and design teams, to expand the site information analyzed, and to allow projects to determine which parameters to gather based on what is relevant/important for their specific project.

**45-day Public Review from
May 1, 2026 to June 15, 2026**

- ♦ **First Public Review of BSR/ASHRAE Addendum f to Standard 209-2024, *Energy Simulation Aided Design for Buildings except Low-Rise Residential Buildings***

This addendum introduces Informative Appendix L, which clarifies the analytical intent of Cycle 6 – Design Optimization and places it in context within the overall design-stage modeling cycles (Cycles 1–6). It provides modelers with practical guidance for applying optimization methods in high-performance building design. This appendix also expands upon the minimum requirements of Cycle 6 by outlining a framework for projects that choose to conduct multi-objective optimization to address multiple, and often competing, performance goals.

The standards and guideline documents listed below are now available for purchase on the ASHRAE website at: <http://www.ashrae.org/published-standards>, or by contacting the Sales Department at: ASHRAE, 180 Technology Parkway, Peachtree Corners, GA 30092. Email: orders@ashrae.org. Fax: 404-321-5479. Telephone: 404.636.8400 (worldwide) or toll free at 1.800.527.4723 for orders in the U.S. and Canada. Addenda may be downloaded for free on the ASHRAE website at: <http://www.ashrae.org/standards-addenda>.

- ♦ **ANSI/ASHRAE Addendum i to ANSI/ASHRAE Standard 15.2-2024, *Safety Standard for Refrigeration Systems in Residential Applications***
- ♦ **ANSI/ASHRAE/IBPSA Addendum b to ANSI/ASHRAE/IBPSA Standard 140-2023, *Method of Test for Evaluating Building Performance Simulation Software***
- ♦ **ANSI/ASHRAE Addendum g to ANSI/ASHRAE Standard 147-2019, *Reducing the Release of Halogenated Refrigerants from Refrigerating and Air-Conditioning Equipment and Systems***



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INTERIM MEETINGS

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- ◆ **The Commercial Refrigeration Subcommittee of SSPC 15, *Safety Standard for Refrigeration Systems***, will hold virtual meetings on the third Friday of each month from 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM EDT:
 - ⇒ Friday, May 15, 2026
 - ⇒ Friday, June 12th, 2026 (2nd Friday to accommodate summer meeting)
 - ⇒ Friday, August 21st, 2026
 - ⇒ Friday, September 18th, 2026
 - ⇒ Friday, October 16th, 2026
 - ⇒ Friday, November 20th, 2026
 - ⇒ Friday, December 18th, 2026

For additional information, please contact Lauren MacGowens, Chair, Commercial Refrigeration Subcommittee of SSPC 15 (lauren.macgowens@copeland.com).

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- ◆ SSPC62.1 – Ventilation and Acceptable Indoor Air Quality
- ◆ SSPC62.2 – Ventilation and Acceptable Indoor Air Quality in Residential Buildings
- ◆ SSPC90.1 – Energy Standard for Sites and Buildings Except Low-Rise Residential Buildings
- ◆ SSPC90.2 – High-Performance Energy Design of Residential Buildings
- ◆ SSPC 90.4 – Energy Standard for Data Centers
- ◆ SSPC189.1 – Standard for the Design of High-Performance, Green Buildings Except Low-Rise Residential Buildings
- ◆ Code Interaction Subcommittee (CIS)