



## STANDARDS ACTIONS

### PUBLIC REVIEW-CALL FOR COMMENTS

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.

**45-day Public Review from**  
**August 22, 2025 to October 6, 2025**

- ♦ **First Public Review of BSR/ASHRAE Addendum b to ANSI/ASHRAE Standard 140-2023, *Method of Test for Evaluating Building Performance Simulation Software***

This addendum updates several sections and annexes and adds substantive Section 13 "Building Thermal Fabric Empirical Validation Tests."

### CALL FOR MEMBERS

A *Call for Members* 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: 678-539-1125; fax: 678-539-2138; email

[Standards.Section@ashrae.org](mailto:Standards.Section@ashrae.org).

- ♦ **SPC 219-2021, *Method of Testing the Ability of Liquid Line Filter Driers or Adsorbents to Remove Organic Acid***

**Purpose:** This standard establishes a suitable laboratory apparatus and test method for determining the ability of various adsorbents and refrigerant liquid line filter driers to remove specific organic acids from refrigerant-lubricant mixtures.

**Scope:** This standard applies to the measurement of the mass of a specific organic acid removed from a refrigerant-lubricant mixture by a liquid line filter drier containing an adsorbent desiccant material or through a specific adsorbent material which can remove acid by adsorption and/or chemical reaction. The standard applies to methods associated with the extraction of both short and long chain carboxylic acids.



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### INTERIM MEETINGS

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>

- ♦ **SPC 240P, *Evaluating Greenhouse Gas (GHG) and Carbon Emissions in Building Design, Construction and Operation***, will hold a web meeting on the following dates:

- ⇒ September 15, 2025 from 2:00 pm to 5:00 pm (Eastern)
- ⇒ September 29, 2025 from 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm (Eastern)
- ⇒ October 17, 2025 from 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm (Eastern)

For additional information contact Stephanie Reiniche, Chair of SPC 240 ([sreiniche@ashrae.org](mailto:sreiniche@ashrae.org)) or Amber Thomas, Administrative Assistant Technology ([athomas@ashrae.org](mailto:athomas@ashrae.org)).

- ♦ **SSPC 90.4, *Energy Standard for Data Centers***, will have their third quarterly meeting on August 25, 2025. Please visit the [PC Website](#) for more information to access the meeting link.

- ♦ **SSPC 189.1, *Standard for the Design of High-Performance, Green Buildings Except Low-Rise Residential Buildings***, will have their monthly meeting on August 26, 2025. Please visit the [PC Website](#) for more information to access the meeting link.



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### STANDARD ACHIEVEMENT AWARD

Each year the Society recognizes the outstanding efforts of a single volunteer in the area of standards development. The Standards Achievement Award recognizes excellence in volunteer service and serves to heighten general membership awareness of, and interest in, standards activities.

The award is open to ASHRAE members who have demonstrated outstanding achievement in the ASHRAE standards development process based on criteria presented in Appendix B of the Standards Committee Reference Manual, which can be found on the ASHRAE website at: <http://www.ashrae.org/standards-forms-procedures>.

Nominations are solicited during the first half of the Society year and then the Standards Committee will select the recipient at the ASHRAE Winter Meeting in Las Vegas, NV.

The Standards Achievement Award will be presented during the Honors and Awards portion of the Plenary Session at the ASHRAE Winter Meeting in Las, Vegas, NV. A certificate will be presented to the recipient by the ASHRAE President.

Please submit your nomination to the Sr. Manager of Standards Ryan Shanley by December 31, 2025. The nomination form can be found listed under the "Other Forms" heading on the ASHRAE website at: <http://www.ashrae.org/standards-forms-procedures>.

### JOIN A LISTSERVE

Click on the following link to learn more about ASHRAE Standards Activities <https://www.ashrae.org/listserves>.

- ♦ SGPC 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 Sites and Buildings Except Low-Rise Residential Buildings
- ♦ SSPC 90.2 — High-Performance Energy Design of Residential Buildings
- ♦ SSPC 90.4 — Energy Standard for Data Centers
- ♦ SSPC 161 — Air Quality within Commercial Aircraft
- ♦ SSPC 189.1 — Standard for the Design of High-Performance Green Buildings Except Low-Rise Residential Buildings
- ♦ ASHRAE Standards Action list serve
- ♦ Code Interaction Subcommittee (CIS)