



STANDARDS ACTIONS

GENERAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

ASHRAE Standards staff will host a virtual training for project committee members from 12:00 PM to 12:30 Eastern Time on the date below. Interested parties can register for the training at the corresponding link.

Thursday, June 5th, 2025 – Duplication/Harmonization of Standards and Guidelines (<https://ashrae.webex.com/webex/register/r63b2b3b8908e3d86ce8b91668b022116>)

Please contact Ryan Shanley, Senior Manager of Standards (rshanley@ashrae.org) with any questions.

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.

**30-day Public Review from
May 23, 2025 to June 22, 2025**

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

This proposed addendum better harmonizes the requirements for Group A2L refrigerants in Sections 7.6 and 7.7. It specifically better aligns the requirements on refrigerant charge limits and ventilation.

- ♦ **Addendum a to ASHRAE Guideline 36-2024, High-Performance Sequences of Operation for HVAC Systems (First Public Review Draft)**

This addendum provides two improvements for the fan array staging logic.

PUBLIC REVIEW-CALL FOR COMMENTS

**45-day Public Review from
May 23, 2025 to July 7, 2025**

- ♦ **First Public Review Draft of Addendum b to ASHRAE Guideline 36-2024, High-Performance Sequences of Operation for HVAC Systems**

This addendum addresses how to meet the humidity control requirements of Section 5.12 of Standard 62.1 for buildings with mechanical cooling systems in humid climates using exception 3 to Section 5.12.

- ♦ **First Public Review Draft of Addendum k to ASHRAE Guideline 36-2024, High-Performance Sequences of Operation for HVAC Systems**

This addendum adds sequences of operation (SOOs) for VAV laboratory controls for 4-pipe VAV systems and 2-pipe VAV systems (more commonly called VAV Reheat systems).

- ♦ **3rd Independent Substantive Change Public Review Draft of ASHRAE/ASHE Addendum m to ANSI/ASHRAE/ASHE Standard 170-2021, Ventilation of Health Care Facilities**

Proposed Addendum m revises Tables 7-1, 8-1, 8-2 and 9-1 to incorporate types of room units that are allowable for each space type. This will provide clarity and consistency within this standard. This addendum comprises the following general edits: New definition for room unit. Revisions to Tables 7-1, 8-1, 8-2 and 9-1 modifying the general requirement for recirculating room units to align with the definition and specify the type of room unit allowable in each space. Revisions to the requirements for air change rate provisions with respect to room units.



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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>

- ♦ **SSPC 62.2, *Ventilation and Acceptable Indoor Air Quality in Residential Buildings*** Systems Subcommittee will hold a virtual meeting on May 29, 2025 from 12:00 pm to 1:00 pm (Eastern).

For additional information contact Mark Weber (mweber@ashrae.org).

INTERPRETATIONS

New official interpretations to the following standards are now available on the ASHRAE website at:

<http://www.ashrae.org/standards-interpretations>

- ♦ **ANSI/ASHRAE Standard 135-2024-4 BACnet®, *A Data Communication Protocol for Building Automation and Control Networks***, dated April 30, 2025. (Refers to ANSI/ASHRAE Standard 135-2024 and pertains to the CONFIGURATION_ERROR requirements in the Reliability property clauses.)
- ♦ **ANSI/ASHRAE Standard 135-2024-5 BACnet®, *A Data Communication Protocol for Building Automation and Control Networks***, dated April 30, 2025. (Refers to ANSI/ASHRAE Standard 135-2024 and pertains to the day of week parameter in properties that require a specified date.)
- ♦ **ANSI/ASHRAE Standard 135-2024-6 BACnet®, *A Data Communication Protocol for Building Automation and Control Networks***, dated May 2, 2025. (Refers to ANSI/ASHRAE Standard 135-2024 and pertains to the WriteProperty requirements of the Network Port object Max_Info_Frames property clause.)

INTERPRETATIONS

- ♦ **ANSI/ASHRAE/ASHE Standard 170-2008-15, *Ventilation of Health Care Facilities***, dated February 11, 2025. (Refers to the requirements in ANSI/ASHRAE/ASHE Standard 170-2008, Section 6.7.2 and Table 6-2, regarding supply air outlets.)
- ♦ **ANSI/ASHRAE/ASHE Standard 170-2013-20, *Ventilation of Health Care Facilities***, dated February 11, 2025. (Refers to the requirements in ANSI/ASHRAE/ASHE Standard 170-2013, Section 6.7.2 and Table 6.7.2, regarding supply air outlets.)
- ♦ **ANSI/ASHRAE/ASHE Standard 170-2017-15, *Ventilation of Health Care Facilities***, dated February 11, 2025. (Refers to the requirements in ANSI/ASHRAE/ASHE Standard 170-2017, Section 6.7.2 and Table 6.7.2, regarding supply air outlets.)
- ♦ **ANSI/ASHRAE/ASHE Standard 170-2021-7, *Ventilation of Health Care Facilities***, dated February 11, 2025. (Refers to the requirements in ANSI/ASHRAE/ASHE Standard 170-2021, Section 6.7.2 and Table 6-2, regarding supply air outlets.)
- ♦ **ANSI/ASHRAE/ASHE Standard 170-2021-8, *Ventilation of Health Care Facilities***, dated April 22, 2025. (Refers to the requirements in ANSI/ASHRAE/ASHE Standard 170-2021, Section 7.4.1b, regarding ORs and Class 3 Imaging Rooms supply diffuser array.)



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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)