



STANDARDS ACTIONS

PUBLIC REVIEW—CALL FOR COMMENTS

NEW REVISION PROJECT APPROVED

Comments are invited for the following Public Review Drafts at: <http://www.ashrae.org/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.**

Standards Committee approved the following new revision project. The TPS for this project is not available for public review comment at this time. If you would like to comment, please email Connor Barbaree at: Standards.Section@ashrae.org.

**30-day Public Review from
October 7, 2022 to November 21, 2022**

♦ **1st Public Review of BSR/ASHRAE Addendum h to ANSI/ASHRAE Standard 55-2020, *Thermal Environmental Conditions for Human Occupancy***

Addendum h to Standard 55-2020 proposes multiple changes to the standard, including: A new definition for comfort zone and a cleanup of related definitions; Restructuring to remove the concept of a separate elevated airspeed “method” but instead an “adjustment” to the standard method. This restructuring includes edits to Appendix A, which has had a flow chart added to help guide users through the various models that underpin the standard; Replacing the word “acceptability” with “satisfactory” throughout the standard; A re-write of Appendix H to account for recent changes in the standard and to better explain the concept of comfort zones; An update to the example surveys provided in Appendix L and associated language .

♦ **1st Public Review of BSR/ASHRAE Standard 214-2017RA, *Standard for Determining and Expressing Building Energy Performance in a Rating Program***

The purpose of this standard is to provide a standardized approach and methodology for determining and expressing building energy performance in a rating program. The purpose of this standard is to standardize the content of the label associated with the energy component of a rating program and establish minimum requirements for rating program documentation.

♦ **ANSI/ASHRAE Standard 182-2020R, *Method of Testing Absorption Water-Chilling and Water-Heating Package***

NEW PROJECT—CALL FOR MEMBERS

A *Call for Members* is announced for the following new project committee. Persons who are interested in serving on this ASHRAE committee 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 Connor Barbaree at: ASHRAE, 180 Technology Parkway, Peachtree Corners, GA 30092; phone: 678-539-1138; fax: 678-539-2138; email Standards.Section@ashrae.org.

♦ **ANSI/ASHRAE Standard 182-2020R, *Method of Testing Absorption Water-Chilling and Water-Heating Package***

1. PURPOSE: The purpose of this standard is to prescribe a method of testing absorption water-chilling and water-heating absorption packages to verify capacity and thermal energy input requirements at a specific set of operating conditions.

2. SCOPE: This standard applies to:
(a) absorption packages used to chill and/or heat water, as defined below in Section 3, “Definitions.”
(b) testing that will occur where proper instrumentation and load stability can be provided. It is not the intent of this standard to provide for testing in typical field installations, where steady-state conditions are often difficult to achieve and adequate provisions for measurement are not made.



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PUBLICATION NOTICE

The addenda listed below are now available for free download on the ASHRAE website at:
<http://www.ashrae.org/standards-addenda>.

- ♦ **ANSI/ASHRAE Addenda e, m and n to ANSI/ASHRAE Standard 62.1-2022, *Ventilation and Acceptable Indoor Air Quality***
- ♦ **ANSI/ASHRAE/IES Addenda ag, ap, ar, ay, ba, bp, cc and cy to ANSI/ASHRAE/IES Standard 90.1-2019, *Energy Standard for Buildings Except Low-Rise Residential Buildings***
- ♦ **ANSI/ASHRAE Addenda c and d to ANSI/ASHRAE Standard 147-2019, *Reducing the Release of Halogenated Refrigerants from Refrigerating and Air-Conditioning Equipment and Systems***
- ♦ **ANSI/ASHRAE/ASHE Addenda e, g and h to ANSI/ASHRAE/ASHE Standard 170-2021, *Ventilation of Health Care Facilities***
- ♦ **ANSI/ASHRAE/ASHE Addenda b and c to ANSI/ASHRAE/ASHE Standard 189.3-2021, *Design, Construction, and Operation of Sustainable High-Performance Health Care Facilities***

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 40-2014R, *Methods of Testing for Rating Heat Operated Unitary Air-Conditioning and Heat-Pump Equipment***, will hold web meetings from 12:00 pm to 1:00 pm (Eastern) on the following dates:
 - ⇒ October 12, 2022
 - ⇒ October 19, 2022
 - ⇒ October 28, 2022

For additional information contact Ahmad Abu-Heiba, Chair of SPC 40 (abuheiba@gmail.com).

INTERIM MEETINGS

- ♦ **SSPC 100, *Energy Efficiency in Existing Buildings***, will hold a virtual meeting on Monday, October 17th, 2022, from 4:00 PM to 6:00 PM (Eastern). For additional information, please contact Ryan Shanley, Staff Liaison to SSPC 100 (rshanley@ashrae.org).
- ♦ **SPC 232P, *Schema-Based Building Data Model Protocols***, will hold a web meeting on November 15, 2022 from 3:00 pm to 4:30 pm (Eastern). For additional information contact Tim McDowell, Chair of SPC 232 (mcdowell@tess-inc.com).
- ♦ **SPC 514, *Risk Management for Building Water Systems: Physical, Chemical, and Microbial Hazards***, 514 will hold a virtual meeting on Wednesday, November 2nd, 2022, from 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM (Eastern). For additional information, please contact Ryan Shanley, Staff Liaison to SPC 514 (rshanley@ashrae.org).

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- ⇒ [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](#)
- ⇒ [Code Interaction Subcommittee \(CIS\)](#)