



# ADDENDA

**ANSI/ASHRAE Addendum d to  
ANSI/ASHRAE Standard 62.1-2022**

# Ventilation and Acceptable Indoor Air Quality

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*Published Addendum ab to Standard 62.1-2022 extended the range for accuracy requirements in CO<sub>2</sub> sensors to accommodate the DCV ΔCO<sub>2</sub> limits for all occupancy types. The current accuracy requirements at 2500 ppm exceed the accuracy of the most advanced commercial sensors on the market. This was an unintended consequence. Addendum d modifies the accuracy range to reflect the capabilities of current technology.*

**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.

### Addendum d to Standard 62.1-2022

*Modify Section 6.2.6.1.3.4 as shown. Section 6.2.6.1.3.4 was added by published Addendum ab to 62.1-2022. Addenda are available for free download at <https://www.ashrae.org/technical-resources/standards-and-guidelines/standards-addenda>.*

**6.2.6.1.3.4** CO<sub>2</sub> sensors shall be certified by the manufacturer to be accurate within ~~±75 ppm~~ ±30 ppm ± 3% of reading at concentrations of 600, 1000, and 2500 ppm when measured at sea level at 77°F (25°C). Sensors shall be factory calibrated and certified by the manufacturer to require calibration not more frequently than once every five years. Upon detection of sensor failure, the system shall provide a signal that resets the ventilation system to supply the required minimum quantity of outdoor air ( $V_{bz}$ ) to the breathing zone for the design zone population ( $P_z$ ).

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