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SECTION 230500 - COMMON WORK RESULTS FOR HVAC

PART 1 -

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. These basic Mechanical Requirements apply to all Division 23000 Sections.
- B. The work of this Section consists of providing of all materials, labor and equipment and the like necessary and/or required for the complete execution of all HVAC and related work for this project, as required by the contract documents.

1.2 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

1.3 PRODUCTS FURNISHED BUT NOT INSTALLED UNDER RESPECTIVE SECTIONS OF THIS DIVISION

- A. Motor starters shall be furnished under this Division. Refer to Specification Section 230513 Common motor requirements for HVAC equipment" for technical information.

1.4 REFERENCES

- A. ASHRAE - American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air Conditioning Engineers Guides and Standards, latest editions.
- B. SMACNA - Sheet Metal and Air Conditioning Contractors National Association.
- C. ASME - American Society of Mechanical Engineers.
- D. UL - Underwriters Laboratory.
- E. NFPA - National Fire Protection Association.

1.5 REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS

- A. Conform to New York State Building Codes and Energy Code as well as all local codes.
- B. Mechanical : Conform to New York State Mechanical and Plumbing Code.
- C. Obtain permits, and request inspections from authority having jurisdiction.

## 1.6 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. The Contractor shall have the work indicated on the drawings and/or specified in each section performed by vendors or mechanics experienced and skilled in its implantation or by a "Specialist", "Specialty Contractor" or "Specialty Subcontractor" under contractual agreement with the Contractor. These terms mean an individual or firm of established reputation, or, if newly organized, whose personnel have previously established a reputation in the same field, which is regularly engaged in, and which maintains a regular force of workmen skilled in either manufacturing or fabricating items required by the Contract, installing items required by the Contract, or otherwise performing work required by the Contract.
- B. Where the Contract Specifications require installation by a "Specialist," that term shall also be deemed to mean either the manufacturer of the item, an individual or firm licensed by the manufacturer, or an individual or firm who will perform such work under the manufacturer's direct supervision.

## 1.7 PROJECT/SITE CONDITIONS

- A. Install Work in locations shown on Drawings, unless prevented by Project conditions.
- B. Prepare drawings showing proposed arrangement of Work to meet Project conditions, including changes to Work specified in other Sections.

## 1.8 SCOPE OF WORK

- A. This Contractor shall be responsible for coordinating his work with all other trades.
- B. The Contractor shall provide all materials, labor, equipment, tools, appliances, services, hoisting, scaffolding, supervision and overhead for the furnishing and installing of all mechanical work and related work including but not limited to the following:
  - 1. Demolition of existing work including, piping, sheet metalwork, miscellaneous equipment, fans, chillers, steam boilers, cooling towers, pumps and tanks.
  - 2. Boilers.
  - 3. Chillers.
  - 4. Cooling Towers.
  - 5. Pumps. Condenser water, primary and secondary pumps
  - 6. Condenser water side steam filtration
  - 7. Expansion tanks.
  - 8. Chemical treatment
  - 9. Unit heaters
  - 10. Louvers and dampers
  - 11. Fans.
  - 12. Hydronic piping, valves, fittings, and specialties.
  - 13. Ductwork and specialties.
  - 14. Pipe and duct insulation.
  - 15. Equipment Supports
  - 16. Automatic temperature controls.
  - 17. Grilles, registers, louvers, and diffusers.

18. Vibration isolation.
19. Equipment supports.
20. Motor starters and disconnects.
21. Protection.
22. Identification.
23. Coordination.
24. Phasing.
25. Rigging.
26. Testing and Balancing Reports Air and Water.
27. Shop Drawings.
28. As-Built Drawings and Maintenance Manuals.
29. Warranties.
30. Commissioning

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS – NOT USED

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

### 3.1 GENERAL

- A. Construct all apparatus of materials and pressure ratings suitable for the conditions encountered during continuous operation.
- B. Construct all equipment in accordance with requirements of all applicable codes. All pressure vessels and safety devices that fall within the scope of the ASME Code shall conform to the Code and bear the ASME label or stamp.
- C. Match and balance all system components to achieve compatibility of equipment or satisfactory operation and performance throughout the entire operating temperature and control ranges. All installations shall be in accordance with manufacturer's recommendations.
- D. Provide all controls, wiring, piping, valves, accessories and other components necessary to make all systems complete and operable.
- E. The contractor shall warranty all work, including labor and materials, and equipment furnished and installed as part of this contract for a minimum period of year from the date of acceptance by the owner, in writing. Certain equipment, such as underground fuel tanks, may have longer warranties as indicated in the specifications. In such cases the longer of the two warranties shall prevail.

### 3.2 SHOP DRAWINGS AND SUBMITTALS (COORDINATE WITH DIVISION 1)

- A. Shop drawings and samples shall be prepared and submitted in accordance with the requirements established in the contract and shall consist of all items listed in the following paragraphs.

- B. Manufacturer's data or shop drawings giving full information as to dimensions, materials, and all information pertinent to the adequacy of the submitted equipment shall be submitted for review. Shop drawings shall include, but not be limited to the following:
- C. Submit all Mechanical equipment noted and scheduled on plans including but not limited to the following:
1. Automatic Temperature Controls, Operation Sequences & Wiring Diagrams, and Control Diagrams hardware and software
  2. Motor Starters disconnects and Controllers.
  3. Hydronic piping and specialties
  4. Expansion, and Water Treatment Equipment Tanks
  5. Side stream separator
  6. Chillers
  7. Cooling Towers
  8. Boilers
  9. Pumps and bases
  10. Vibration isolation
  11. Unit heaters
  12. Louvers and dampers and registers
  13. Fans and air handling units
  14. Hangers and Inserts
  15. Equipment Supports and Vibration Eliminators
  16. Sheet Metal Construction Standards
  17. Piping Layout (1/4 scale)
  18. Ductwork Layout (1/4 scale)
  19. Insulation (piping and ductwork)
  20. Piping, Valves, fittings, and Specialties
  21. Filters
  22. Fan Curves and Sound Rating
  23. Coils
  24. Fire dampers, Motorized Dampers, Smoke dampers
  25. Diffusers Registers and Grilles
  26. Balancing Reports, Air and Water
  27. Coordinated Composite Drawings on Mylar with Piping, Ductwork, Conduits, Lights, registers Grilles and Smoke Detectors, etc.
- D. The contractor shall, upon award, submit a schedule for the engineer's review indicating when each of the above shop drawings shall be submitted. Submittals shall be made in a timely manner as the project progresses in accordance with the Construction manager or General contractor's work schedules. The contractor shall allow sufficient time for the engineers to perform his review. A minimum of 10 business days shall be required. Untimely submittals shall be cause for the owner to make a delay against the contractor.
- E. Demolition, purchase and or installation shall not begin until shop drawings pertaining to the equipment associated with any related portion of the work have been submitted.
- F. Sheet metal shop drawings shall indicate all existing and/or new lights, walls, piping, structural elements, existing work, etc. and dimension locations of ductwork including elevations in relation to these items.

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- G. Where shop drawings have been reviewed by the Engineer, such review shall not be considered as a guarantee of measurements or building conditions. Where drawings have been reviewed, said review does not mean that drawings have been checked in detail; said review does not substantiate any quantities and in any way relieve the Contractor from his responsibility nor the necessity of furnishing materials or performing work required by the Contract Drawings and Specifications. It does not relieve the contractor of the responsibility to perform all work to accepted industry standards and in a code compliant manor. Approval of shop drawings containing errors does not relieve the contractor from making corrections at his expense.
- H. Where substitutions are submitted for approval the review shall be for general performance comparison to the specified product. Products shall not be reviewed for size, clearance or coordination with other trades. Coordination with other trades shall be the responsibility of the contractor. And changes to existing conditions or changes required to the work of other trades such as a result of substituted material or equipment approved or not shall be the responsibility of this contractor.
- I. Approval of shop drawings
1. The Contractor shall be specifically responsible for checking equipment dimensions and clearances and confirming that equipment will fit into the designated space and connect properly to adjoining equipment and/or materials.
  2. Submittals marked "Make Corrections Noted" give authority to proceed in accordance with the notes. However, if drawings are also marked "Amend and Resubmit", corrected drawings must be resubmitted for final review.
  3. Submittals marked "Rejected" do not give authority to proceed with any portion of the work shown there-on. Drawings must be resubmitted.
  4. Submittals marked "Rejected" or "Amend and Resubmit" shall include a specific written response to the engineer's comments. Resubmission of a submittal without a written response to the engineer's comments will be considered incomplete and shall be returned un-reviewed.
- J. The contractor shall submit a composite shop drawing layout plan. This shall include all trades including plumbing mechanical and electrical trades. It shall indicate all equipment, piping conduit. It shall include an accurate architectural background. The composite drawing is for contractors and subcontractors to coordinate their work with the work of other trades prior to submitting to the engineer for review and approval. Identify equipment clearances as required for service and maintenance by the manufacture. Indicate conflicts for resolution.
- K. Coordination submittals for piping, conduit and equipment within the building shall be made using 3-D software such as Autocad and shall include plan view sections and elevations as necessary to full illustrate and evaluate and resolve all structural, piping, major conduit and equipment for conflicts with other trades.

### 3.3 CHARTS AND TAGS

- A. The Contractor shall provide three sets of charts and diagrams of all piping systems indicating the number and location of valves, controls, etc.
- B. All valves, dampers, and controls shall be designated with brass tags. Refer to section 23 05 23 Identification for HVAC Piping and equipment.
- C. Comply with Supplemental and general Conditions

### 3.4 CODES AND STANDARDS

- A. All equipment and installation methods shall conform to the applicable standards and/or recommendations set forth in the New York State Building Code, Local Codes as well as all Codes and Standards listed in the general requirements sections of the specification.

### 3.5 FEES & PERMITS

- A. The Contractor shall obtain all permits and pay all fees required related to this scope of work

### 3.6 PAINTING

- A. All motors, fans and all other factory manufactured and assembled apparatus shall be factory coated with one coat of primer and one coat of machinery enamel standard color at the factory and after installation, all finishes shall be cleaned and touched up to repair any damage incurred during construction.
- B. All piping shall be painted in colors conforming with OSHA Standards. All new and existing exposed iron and supplementary dunnage steel shall be finished according to specifications.
- C. All supports, nuts, bolts and hanger fasteners located outside shall be galvanized or nickel plated.

### 3.7 RIGGING

- A. Furnish all labor, materials and equipment required to rig equipment and materials.
- B. The rigger shall secure any necessary permits and comply with all applicable Federal, State and local safety regulations. A copy of permits to be kept at both the project site and Engineer's Office.
- C. The rigger shall have a minimum of five (5) years of practical experience and hold a master riggers license if required.
- D. The procedure for rigging shall be submitted to the Engineer for review. All possible precautions should be taken to prevent damage to the structure, streets, sidewalks, curbs, lawns, etc.

## 3.8 CUTTING AND PATCHING

- A. All cutting and patching required for piping, ductwork, control conduits, etc., passing through walls, floors, and roof shall be provided by the this Contractor under this contract unless otherwise noted.
- B. Patching materials and application shall match existing construction. It also includes patch to match any voids left behind by HVAC removals. MC will hire a skilled tradesman (mason, carpenter, etc.) to perform this work.
- C. Where applicable, new holes for piping installation shall be core drilled.
- D. Pipe Sleeves & Fire-stopping:
  - 1. Provide for all pipes, conduits ducts, and other elements passing through floors, walls, partitions and structural elements, sleeves as specified. Sleeves shall be of adequate diameter to allow for a minimum of 3/4 inches clear all around sleeve and pipe. When pipe, conduit ducts or other such element penetrates other than fire rated assembly and is insulated, insulation shall pass continuously through sleeves with 1/2 inch clearance between insulation and sleeve.
  - 2. Where pipes, conduits and other such elements penetrate fire rated assemblies, or where holes or voids are created to extend mechanical systems through fire rated assemblies (walls, floors, ceilings, structure, etc.); sleeves and fire-stopping systems shall be installed.
- E. Furnish access doors, to the General Contractor for installation where required in finished walls, partitions and the like for access to junction boxes, controls, valves, etc, concealed behind finished construction.
- F. Submit location drawings and sizes for review prior to installation.

## 3.9 PROTECTION-COORDINATE WITH DIVISION 1

- A. Special protection is required for installation of a Derrick or other device for rigging purposes. This Contractor shall coordinate with the rigger to facilitate rigging work.
- B. Recommendations and Provisions of ANSI Bulletin A10.2 and OSHA shall be complied with in-so-far as applicable to the work.
- C. The Contractor shall provide temporary partitions or tarpaulins to protect adjacent spaces and/or equipment. He shall be responsible for any damage or injury to person or property of any character resulting from any act, omission, neglect or misconduct in his manner or method of executing his work.
- D. The Contractor shall restore at his own expense such property to a condition similar or equal to that existing before such damage or injury in an acceptable manner.
- E. The Contractor, furthermore, shall conduct his operations in such a manner as to prevent dust and debris from transferring on to adjoining property or into existing spaces.



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- F. All openings cut in walls, floors, roof or ceilings of the building, for conduit, pipe, ductwork, etc., shall be closed off with box-type temporary protective enclosures of ¼" tempered hardboard, except when mechanics are actually working at the particular opening. Enclosures shall be constructed of fireproof 2x4 frame, four (4) sides covered and made completely dust and water tight.
- G. All finished floor areas through which the contractor must pass with materials or equipment shall be protected with a layer of ¼" hardboard, "Masonite", laid with joints taped together. Roofs shall be protected with ½" plywood

### 3.10 EQUIPMENT SUPPORTS

- A. A. Provide supplementary steel dunnage, curbs, angle iron stands, etc., to properly set and install all equipment, including supports necessary to properly pitch piping.

### 3.11 WELDING

- A. Welding and equipment shall conform to the American Welding Society's Code for Welding in Building Construction, latest edition as well as state and local laws and ordinances.
- B. The handling and storage of all welding materials, acetylene and oxygen tanks, burners, and other equipment required for the execution of welding and cutting work shall be subject at all times to the approval of the Owner and/or Architect. All welding materials and gas tanks shall be promptly removed from the premises upon completion of each day's work or stored in a manner satisfactory to the owner. Welding and equipment shall conform to the American Welding Society's Code for Welding in Building Construction, latest edition as well as state and local laws and ordinances.
- C. Provide all temporary ventilation , and ventilation air systems required during welding operations as required by OSHA.

### 3.12 AS-BUILT DRAWINGS

- A. The Contractor shall provide a complete set of As-Built drawings showing actual installation and locations of all new and existing equipment, piping, and ductwork in the entire building. Schedules shall be revised to indicate actual equipment installed.
- B. As-Built drawings shall be submitted as per contract requirements in accordance with Division 1 and shall be submitted in paper format for review. Accepted as built shall then be submitted in AutoCAD format on hard disc.

### 3.13 CONDITIONS

- A. Inspection: Prior to all work of this Section, carefully inspect the installed work of all other trades and verify that all such work is complete to the point where this installation may properly commence. Verify that the work of this Section may be completed in strict accordance with all

pertinent codes and regulations, the approved Shop Drawings, and the Manufacturers' recommendations.

- B. Discrepancies: In the event of discrepancy, immediately notify the Engineer. Do not proceed in areas of discrepancy until all such discrepancies have been fully resolved.

### 3.14 INSTALLATION OF EQUIPMENT

- A. Locations: Install all equipment in the locations shown on the approved Shop Drawings except where specifically otherwise approved on the job by the Owner and/or Engineer.
- B. Interferences: Avoid interference with structure, and with work of other trades, preserving adequate headroom and clearing all doors and passageways to the approval of the Engineer.
- C. Inspection: Check each piece of equipment in the system for defects, verifying that all parts are properly furnished and installed, and that all items function properly, and that all adjustments have been made.

### 3.15 CLOSING-IN OF UNINSPECTED WORK

- A. General: Do not allow or cause any of the work to be covered up or enclosed until it has been inspected, tested, and accepted by the Engineer and by all other authorities having jurisdiction.
- B. Uncovering: Should any of the work of this Section be covered up or enclosed before it has been completely inspected, tested, and approved, do all things necessary to uncover all such work. After the work has been completely inspected, tested, and approved, provide all materials and labor necessary and make all repairs necessary to restore the work to its original and proper condition at no additional cost to the owner.

### 3.16 BUILDING ACCESS

- A. The Contractor shall inform himself fully regarding peculiarities and limitations of space available for the passage and installation of all equipment and materials under the Contract.
- B. Verify and coordinate removal of existing construction and/or knock-down of equipment to suit conditions. Special attention should be given to equipment installation. Provide all labor and material to facilitate installation.

### 3.17 COOPERATION WITH OTHER TRADES PHASING

- A. Cooperate with other trades in order that all systems in the work may be installed in the best arrangements.
- B. Coordinate as required with all other trades to share space in common areas and to provide the maximum of access to each system.

- C. This Contractor shall submit fully coordinated shop drawings showing all piping, ductwork and equipment, as well as relevant work of all other trades such as light, conduits, structural and steel, which may impact the final size or placement of piping, ductwork, equipment, diffusers and grilles.
- D. The work shall be scheduled and phased in accordance with the requirements of the contract and the client. Prior to the commencement of work the HVAC contractor shall submit a schedule in writing to the Architect and owner for approval. There shall be no shut downs of any systems without prior written approval from the owner.

### 3.18 CLEANING

- A. It is the intent of the contract documents that all work, including the inside of equipment be left in a clean condition. All construction dirt shall be removed from material and equipment.
- B. All removed items shall be taken off the premises and discarded in a manner satisfactory to the Owner.

### 3.19 COMPLETENESS

- A. It is the intent of the contract documents to provide complete systems. Completeness shall mean not only that all material and equipment has been installed properly, but that all material and equipment is installed, adjusted, and operating as per the design intent in the opinion of the Engineer and in accordance with generally accepted industry good practice.

### 3.20 FIRE PREVENTION DURING HOT WORK

- A. Before starting operations, the Contractor shall furnish trained personnel to provide fire watches for locations where hot work is to be performed. One fire watcher may observe several locations in a relatively small contiguous area. Contractor shall furnish suitable type, fully-charged, operable portable fire extinguisher to each fire watcher.
- B. The Contractor shall provide fire watchers who know how to operate the fire extinguisher, how to turn on a fire alarm and how to summon the fire department.
- C. Before starting operations, take suitable precautions to minimize the hazard of a fire communicating to the opposite side of walls, floors, ceilings and roofs from the operations.

### 3.21 SAFETY MEASURES

- A. Hot work shall not be done in or near rooms or areas where flammable liquids or explosive vapors are present or thought to be present. A combustible gas indicator (explosimeter) test shall be conducted to assure that each area is safe. The Contractor is responsible for arranging and paying for each test.

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- B. Insofar as possible, the Contractor shall remove and keep the area free from all combustibles, including rubbish, paper and waste within a radius of 25 feet from hot operations.
- C. If combustible material cannot be removed, the Contractor shall furnish fireproof blankets to cover such materials. At the direction of the owner floors, walls, and ceilings of combustible material shall be wetted thoroughly with water before, during, and after operations sufficiently to afford adequate protection.
- D. Where possible, the Contractor shall furnish and use baffles of metal or gypsum board to prevent the spraying of sparks, hot slag and other hot particles into surrounding combustible material.
- E. The Contractor shall prevent the spread of sparks and particles of hot metal through open windows, doors, and holes and cracks in floors, walls, ceilings and roofs.
- F. Cylinders of gas used in hot work shall be placed a safe distance from the work. The Contractor shall provide hoses and equipment free of deterioration, malfunction and leaks. Suitable supports shall be provided to prevent accidental overturning of cylinders. All cylinder control valves shall be shut off while in use with the gas pressure regulator set at 15 psi or less.
- G. When hot work operations are completed or ended for the day, each location of the days work shall be inspected by the Contractor 30 to 60 minutes after completion of operations to detect for hidden or smoldering fires and to ensure that proper housekeeping is maintained. Contractor shall cleanup the area of work at the end of each shift or workday.
- H. Where sprinkler protection exists, the sprinkler system shall be maintained without interruption while operations are being performed. If operations are performed close to automatic sprinkler heads, gypsum board sheets or damp cloth guards may be used to shield the individual heads temporarily. The heads shall be inspected by the Contractor immediately after hot work operations cease, to ensure all materials have been removed from the heads and that the heads have not been damaged.
- I. Suitable type, fully-charged, operable portable fire extinguisher shall be available at all times during hot work operations.
- J. If any of the above safeguards are not employed, or are violated, the Contracting owners Representative may, by written notice, stop the work until compliance is obtained. Such stoppage shall not relieve the Contractor from performing his work within the Contract period for the Contract price.

### 3.22 USE OF OWNERS EQUIPMENT

- A. The contractor shall not use any the owner's HVAC system or equipment, new or existing, for any purpose. The contractor shall provide temporary HVAC equipment, ductwork, power, and controls for use during construction for the purpose of ventilation, or heating during the construction process. All such equipment, ductwork, power, and controls shall be removed and the completion of work.

## 3.23 CLOSEOUT PROCEDURES

- A. General Operating and Maintenance Instructions: Arrange for each installer of operating equipment and other work that requires regular or continuing maintenance, to meet at the site with the Owner's personnel to provide necessary basic instructions in the proper operation and maintenance of the entire Work. Where installers are not expert in the required procedures, include instruction by the manufacturer's representatives.
- B. Where applicable, provide instruction and training, including application of special coatings systems, at manufacturer's recommendation.
- C. Provide a detailed review of the following items:
  - 1. Maintenance manuals
  - 2. Record documents and catalog cuts for each piece of equipment.
  - 3. Spare parts and materials
  - 4. Tools
  - 5. Lubricants
  - 6. Fuels
  - 7. Identification systems
  - 8. Control sequences
  - 9. Hazards
  - 10. Cleaning
- D. Warranties, bonds, maintenance agreements, and similar continuing commitments.
- E. Demonstrate the following procedures:
  - 1. Start-up
  - 2. Shut-down
  - 3. Emergency operations
  - 4. Noise and vibration adjustments
  - 5. Safety procedures
  - 6. Economy and efficiency adjustments
  - 7. Effective energy utilization.
  - 8. Periodic maintenance
- F. Prepare instruction periods to consist of classroom and or "hands-on" instruction. Provide all equipment including the following.
  - 1. Boilers
  - 2. Chillers
  - 3. Pumps – primary and secondary
  - 4. Cooling towers
  - 5. Water treatment, seasonal draining and filling of systems.
  - 6. Air handling units
  - 7. Make up air and exhaust systems
  - 8. Refrigerant exhaust systems

Consult individual equipment specification sections for additional training requirements.

- G. Prepare a written agenda for each session and submit for review and approval. Include date, location, purpose, specific scope, proposed attendance and session duration.

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- H. Record training sessions in digital format, format as selected by the Owner. Turn over digital files to the Owner after training has been completed.

END OF SECTION

## SECTION 230513 - COMMON MOTOR REQUIREMENTS FOR HVAC EQUIPMENT

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.
- B. Division 24 - Equipment Wiring Systems: Electrical characteristics and wiring connections.

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Section includes general requirements for single-phase and polyphase, general-purpose, horizontal, small and medium, squirrel-cage induction motors for use on alternating-current power systems up to 600 V and installed at equipment manufacturer's factory or shipped separately by equipment manufacturer for field installation.

#### 1.3 COORDINATION

- A. Coordinate features of motors, installed units, and accessory devices to be compatible with the following:
  - 1. Motor controllers.
  - 2. Torque, speed, and horsepower requirements of the load.
  - 3. Ratings and characteristics of supply circuit and required control sequence.
  - 4. Ambient and environmental conditions of installation location.

#### 1.4 REFERENCES

- A. AFBMA 9 - Load Ratings and Fatigue Life for Ball Bearings.
- B. AFBMA 11 - Load Ratings and Fatigue Life for Roller Bearings.
- C. NEMA MG 1 - Motors and Generators.
- D. NFPA 70 - National Electrical Code.

#### 1.5 REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS

- A. Conform to UL Component Recognition for appropriate sizes.
- B. Conform to NFPA 70 applicable electrical code, Underwriters Laboratories, Inc., and NEMA

- C. Conform to New York State energy code.

## 1.6 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND PROTECTION

- A. Protect motors stored on site from weather and moisture by maintaining factory covers and suitable weatherproof covering. For extended outdoor storage, remove motors from equipment and store separately.

## 1.7 WARRANTY

- A. Provide five year manufacturer warranty for all motors larger than ½ horsepower.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

### MANUFACTURERS

- A. Products: Subject to compliance with requirements, available products that may be incorporated into the Work include, but are not limited to, the following:

1. Gould.
2. Century.
3. General Electric.
4. Square D

## 2.2 GENERAL MOTOR REQUIREMENTS

- A. Comply with NEMA MG 1 unless otherwise indicated.
- B. Comply with IEEE 841 for severe-duty motors.
- C. All electric motors of sizes and types as specified for driving mechanical equipment shall be provided under this section.
- D. Electrical Service: All motors shall be 60 Hertz unless otherwise noted. Refer to Electrical Specifications for required electrical characteristics.
- E. Motors: Design for continuous operation in 40° C environment, and for temperature rise in accordance with ANSI/NEMA MG limits for insulation class, Service Factor, and motor enclosure type. Motors shall be of sufficient size for duty to be performed.
- F. Visible Nameplate: Indicating manufacturer's name and model number, motor horsepower, RPM, frame size, voltage, phase, cycles, full load amps, insulation system class, service factor, maximum ambient temperature, temperature rise at rated horsepower, minimum efficiency, power factor.



- G. Electrical Connection: Conduit connection boxes, threaded for conduit. For fractional horsepower motors where connection is made directly, provide screwed conduit connection in end frame. Size motor boxes to receive motor feeders and ground cable indicated on electrical drawing schedules.
- H. Duty: Continuous duty at ambient temperature of 40 deg C and at altitude of 3300 feet above sea level.
- I. Capacity and Torque Characteristics: Sufficient to start, accelerate, and operate connected loads at designated speeds, at installed altitude and environment, with indicated operating sequence, and without exceeding nameplate ratings or considering service factor.

## 2.3 MOTOR EFFICIENCY

- A. Electric motors shall meet the minimum efficiency requirement of the following tables in accordance with International Energy conservation code when tested in accordance with DOE CFR 431. Performance data shall be certified by approved testing agency.
- B. Subtype I motors – NEMA premium efficiency as per table NEMA MG 1 table 12-12 and International Energy Conservation code table 405.8(1). This shall apply to general purpose, T-frame, single speed, squirrel cage, induction type; 230/460-V, NEMA Designs A or B, continuous rated, 60 Hz, from 1 to 200 hp, 2-, 4- and 6-pole (3600-, 1800- and 1200-rpm), open and enclosed. Subtype I motors 250 hp to 500 hp motor efficiency shall be able NEMA MG 1 table 12-11 and International Energy Conservation Code table 405.8(1).
- C. Subtype II motors – NEMA efficiency as per table NEMA MG 1 table 12-11 and International Energy Conservation code table 405.8(2). This shall apply to general purpose motors but can configured as U-frame motors; NEMA Design C motors; close-coupled pump motors; footless motors; vertical solid shaft normal thrust motors (as tested in a horizontal position); eight-pole (900 rpm) motors, and polyphase motors with a voltage of not more than 600 V (other than 230 or 460 V).
- D. Minimum average full load efficiency of polyphase small electric motors up to 3 hp shall be in accordance with Table C405.8(3) of the International Energy Conservation Code
- E. Minimum average full load efficiency for capacitor-start, capacitor-run and capacitor-start induction-run small electric motors up to 3 hp shall be in accordance with Table C405.8(4) of the International Energy Conservation Code.

## 2.4 POLYPHASE MOTORS

- A. Description: NEMA MG 1, Design B, medium induction motor.
- B. Service Factor: 1.15.
- C. Multispeed Motors: Variable torque.
  - 1. For motors with 2:1 speed ratio, consequent pole, single winding.

2. For motors with other than 2:1 speed ratio, separate winding for each speed.
- D. Multispeed Motors: Separate winding for each speed.
- E. Rotor: Random-wound, squirrel cage.
- F. Bearings: Regreasable, shielded, antifriction ball bearings suitable for radial and thrust loading. Grease lubricated anti-friction ball bearings with housings equipped with plugged provision for relubrication, rated for minimum AFBMA 9, L-10 life of 200,000 hours. Calculate bearing load with NEMA minimum V-belt pulley with belt centre line at end of NEMA standard shaft extension. Stamp bearing sizes on nameplate.
- G. Thermistor System (Motor Frame Sizes 254T and Larger): Three PTC thermistors embedded in motor windings and epoxy encapsulated solid state control relay with wiring to terminal box.
- H. Sound Power Levels: To NEMA MG 1.
- I. Temperature Rise: Match insulation rating.
- J. Insulation: Class B or better.
- K. Code Letter Designation:
  1. Motors [15] HP and Larger: NEMA starting Code F or Code G.
  2. Motors Smaller Than 15 HP: Manufacturer's standard starting characteristic.
- L. Enclosure Material: Cast iron for motor frame sizes 324T and larger; rolled steel for motor frame sizes smaller than 324T.

## 2.5 ADDITIONAL REQUIREMENTS FOR POLYPHASE MOTORS

- A. Motors Used with Reduced-Voltage and Multispeed Controllers: Match wiring connection requirements for controller with required motor leads. Provide terminals in motor terminal box, suited to control method.
- B. Use part winding Start above 254T Frame Size: Use part of winding to reduce locked rotor starting current to approximately 60 percent of full winding locked rotor current while providing approximately 50 percent of full winding locked rotor torque.
- C. Motors Used with Variable-Frequency Controllers: Ratings, characteristics, and features coordinated with and approved by controller manufacturer.
  1. Windings: Copper magnet wire with moisture-resistant insulation varnish, designed and tested to resist transient spikes, high frequencies, and short time rise pulses produced by pulse-width-modulated inverters.
  2. Premium-Efficient Motors: Class B temperature rise; Class F insulation.
  3. Inverter-Duty Motors: Class F temperature rise; Class H insulation.
  4. Thermal Protection: Comply with NEMA MG 1 requirements for thermally protected motors.

- D. Severe-Duty Motors: Comply with IEEE 841, with 1.15 minimum service factor.

## 2.6 SINGLE-PHASE MOTORS

- A. Motors larger than 1/20 hp shall be one of the following, to suit starting torque and requirements of specific motor application:
  - 1. Permanent-split capacitor.
  - 2. Split phase.
  - 3. Capacitor start, inductor run.
  - 4. Capacitor start, capacitor run.
- B. Multispeed Motors: Variable-torque, permanent-split-capacitor type.
- C. Bearings: Prelubricated, antifriction ball bearings or sleeve bearings suitable for radial and thrust loading.
- D. Motors 1/20 HP and Smaller: Shaded-pole type.
- E. Thermal Protection: Internal protection to automatically open power supply circuit to motor when winding temperature exceeds a safe value calibrated to temperature rating of motor insulation. Thermal-protection device shall automatically reset when motor temperature returns to normal range.
- F. Drip-proof Enclosure: Class A (50 degrees C temperature rise) insulation, NEMA Service Factor, pre-lubricated sleeve ball bearings.

## 2.7 POWER FACTOR CORRECTION

- A. Provide a capacitor for each three phase, single speed motor rated 3 HP or larger shall be provided to correct the full load power factor to 95%. The capacitor shall be mounted at the motor for connection across the motor terminals by Electrical Contractor
- B. Capacitors;
  - 1. Capacitors shall be totally enclosed, fused and with discharge resistors.
  - 2. Capacitors based on nominal motor RPM shall be provided in accordance with the following table to correct power factor to 95% and verify sizes with motor manufacturer.

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Motor HP	Capacitor KVAR	Capacitor KVAR
	3600 RPM Motor	1800 RPM Motor
3	1.5	1.5
5	2	2
7.5	2.5	2.5
10	3	3
15	4	4
20	5	5
25	6	6
30	7	7
40	9	9
50	12	12
60	14	14

## 2.8 STARTERS

### A. GENERAL

1. See specification Section 16485 and Division 1 for additional information.
2. Starters for motors operating at 120 volts shall be manual starters unless otherwise indicated. Starters for motors operating at other than 120 volts shall be magnetic starters.
3. All starters shall be enclosed. Enclosures shall be surface mounted NEMA 1 unless otherwise indicated.
4. Where weatherproof starters are required, the enclosure shall be NEMA 4.
5. It shall be verified that the correct overload heaters have been installed in the starter before energizing any motor. Sizing shall be based on motor nameplate current and taking into account any reduction in current due to power factor correction.
6. Alternate Manufacturers –
  - a. Allen-Bradley
  - b. Crouse-Hinds Co.
  - c. Cutler-Hammer, Inc.
  - d. General Electric Co.
  - e. Square D Co.
  - f. Westinghouse Electric Corp.

### B. MANUAL STARTERS

1. Two-pole, toggle operated, thermal overload device in each phase leg, handle guard for padlocking toggle handle and with indicated control and signal devices.
2. Where a motor is controlled automatically by an interlock or pilot device, a “HAND-OFF-AUTO” switch shall be provided in the starter cover. Where the rating of the interlock or pilot device is inadequate to control the motor currents directly, a properly rated contactor shall be provided between the controlling device and the motor.

3. An "ON" pilot light shall be provided in the starter cover.

#### C. MAGNETIC STARTERS

1. Starters shall be sized in accordance with NEMA standards and the following table except that starters shall not be smaller than NEMA size 0. Starters shall be provided with one N.O. electrical holding interlock, under voltage protection and two additional auxiliary contacts within the same enclosure. NEMA size starters shall be provided as follows

STARTER	MAX HP	
SIZE	AT 460 VOLTS	
0	5	
1	10	
2	25	

2. All starters shall be combination type with the starter and disconnect in the same enclosure. All starters shall be Type 2 coordination protected. Fuses shall be Bussman "Low Peak" type or equal sized at 125% of motor nameplate rating. Verify and coordinate requirements for fused disconnect switches with the Electrical Contractor prior to ordering starters.
3. Provide S.S.P.B. or H-O-A switches and pilot light in covers as required to facilitate control operation sequences.

#### D. CRITICAL FAULT

1. Where starters are not integral to equipment and are furnished and installed separately from equipment by the contractor, provide a 3 phase line voltage monitor by ICM Controls model 450 or approved equal. Unit shall be installed in the motor starter or in a separate enclosure with the same rating as the starter. It shall be arranged to monitor critical faults including phase loss or reversal, and when detected, de-energize the load. It shall monitor non-critical faults including high/low voltage, voltage unbalance and when detected, after a time delay de-energize the load.

### PART 3 - EXECUTION

- A. Suitable starting and controlling equipment and devices shall be furnished and installed as specified hereinafter and as shown on the Drawings. The starting equipment shall be arranged, generally, in control groups, or in certain cases, as isolated combination starters as specified or indicated. The Heating Ventilating and Air Conditioning Sequences of Operation, drawings and specifications shall be referred to for the manner of control, operation and monitoring of motors and the electrically operated equipment.

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- B. A starter and disconnect switch or combination motor starter disconnect shall be provided for every motor and each and every electrically operated piece of equipment by this contractor except where complete starters and controls are furnished by the manufacturer of the motor or piece of equipment. Starters shall be internally wired to provide the required control operation and monitoring. All control devices such as push buttons, break-glass stations, alternators, relays, pilot lights, etc., shall be provided as required for operation of mechanical equipment. All roof top and remotely located equipment shall have remote starters as located on plan and shall have local disconnect switches. All equipment located in equipment rooms can use combination starters/disconnects located within line of site of controlled equipment. All starters and disconnect switches shall be in enclosures suitable for the environment in which they are installed. Starters and disconnect switches located in machine rooms shall use NEMA 1. Starters and disconnect switches located outdoors shall use NEMA 4x. Starters and disconnect switches located in machine rooms which are subject to potential water damage shall use NEMA 2
- C. Starting equipment and devices specified in this section (and section 23 29 13 Variable Frequency Controllers), shall be furnished by the mechanical subcontractor and shall be installed by the Electrical subcontractor. In general the mechanical subcontractor shall furnish all motor starters and disconnect switches **except where they are an integral part of a motor control center MCC**, in this case starters and disconnects shall be provided, (furnished and installed), by the electrical contractor. The mechanical contractor shall provide a separate local disconnect for each motor. The Electrical subcontractor shall also provide all wiring necessary to supply power to the electric motors specified under this section, including connections from the starters to the motors. Starters and disconnects shall also include variable frequency drives. Refer to the electrical plans for equipment which have starters in the MCC.
- D. The mechanical Contractor shall furnish and install all wiring between control devices and controlled equipment furnished under this Section, including interlock control wiring between motor starters, and all automatic temperature control wiring. All wiring shall be installed in conformance with applicable codes and the requirements of the Electrical Division of the Specifications.
- E. The Electrical Contractor shall furnish a 120 volt power source to temperature control panels and equipment requiring a separate 120 volt control power source. Power for control circuits for all devices connecting to motor starters shall be obtained from 120-volt control transformers provided in each starter operating at other than 120 volts. Provide transformers for all low voltage control systems as required.
- F. Furnish detailed composite wiring diagrams and such other information necessary to assure the proper connection, operation and control of motorized equipment, including interlocks, automatic controls, safety controls and all auxiliary circuits.
- G. All control units shall be furnished with a nameplate indicating which device or equipment it controls, the voltage. Additional nameplates on each push button, selector switch and pilot light indicating their functions shall be provided. Nameplates shall be laminated phenolic with white letters on black background, minimum 2" high.
- H. All motors supplied either with equipment or installed separately that are to be used in conjunction with variable frequency drive shall be inverter duty motors.

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## SECTION 230519 - METERS AND GAGES FOR HVAC PIPING

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Section Includes:
  - 1. Bimetallic-actuated thermometers.
  - 2. Filled-system thermometers.
  - 3. Liquid-in-glass thermometers.
  - 4. Light-activated thermometers.
  - 5. Thermowells.
  - 6. Dial-type pressure gages.
  - 7. Gage attachments.
  - 8. Test plugs.
  - 9. Test-plug kits.
  - 10. Sight flow indicators.
  - 11. Orifice flow Meters
- B. Related Sections:
  - 1. Section 232113 hydronic piping
  - 2. Section 232116 hydronic pipe specialties

#### 1.3 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product indicated.
- B. Wiring Diagrams: For power, signal, and control wiring.

#### 1.4 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Certificates: For each type of meter and gage, from manufacturer.

#### 1.5 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS

- A. Operation and Maintenance Data: For meters and gages to include in operation and maintenance manuals.



## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

2.1 Thermometer Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:

1. Terrice, H. O. Co.
2. Watts; a Watts Water Technologies company.
3. Weiss Instruments, Inc.
4. Weksler Glass Thermometer Corp.

## 2.2 BIMETALLIC-ACTUATED THERMOMETERS

- A. Standard: ASME B40.200.
- B. Case: Liquid-filled and sealed type(s); stainless steel with 5-inch nominal diameter.
- C. Dial: Nonreflective aluminum with permanently etched scale markings and scales in deg F and deg C.
- D. Connector Type(s): Union joint, adjustable angle, with unified-inch screw threads.
- E. Connector Size: 1/2 inch, with ASME B1.1 screw threads.
- F. Stem: 0.25 or 0.375 inch in diameter; stainless steel.
- G. Window: Plain glass.
- H. Ring: Stainless steel.
- I. Element: Bimetal coil.
- J. Pointer: Dark-colored metal.
- K. Accuracy: Plus or minus 1 percent of scale range.

## 2.3 FILLED-SYSTEM THERMOMETERS

- A. Direct-Mounted, Metal-Case, Vapor-Actuated Thermometers:
  1. Standard: ASME B40.200.
  2. Case: Sealed type, cast aluminum or drawn steel; 5-inch nominal diameter.
  3. Element: Bourdon tube or other type of pressure element.
  4. Movement: Mechanical, dampening type, with link to pressure element and connection to pointer.
  5. Dial: Nonreflective aluminum with permanently etched scale markings graduated in deg F and deg C.
  6. Pointer: Dark-colored metal.
  7. Window: Glass.
  8. Ring: Stainless steel.

9. Connector Type(s): Union joint, adjustable, 180 degrees in vertical plane, 360 degrees in horizontal plane, with locking device; with ASME B1.1 screw threads.
10. Thermal System: Liquid-filled bulb in copper-plated steel, aluminum, or brass stem and of length to suit installation.
  - a. Design for Air-Duct Installation: With ventilated shroud.
  - b. Design for Thermowell Installation: Bare stem.
11. Accuracy: Plus or minus 1 percent of scale range.

## 2.4 LIQUID-IN-GLASS THERMOMETERS

- A. Metal-Case, Compact-Style, Liquid-in-Glass Thermometers:
  1. Standard: ASME B40.200.
  2. Case: Cast aluminum; 6-inch nominal size.
  3. Case Form: Back angle unless otherwise indicated.
  4. Tube: Glass with magnifying lens and blue or red organic liquid.
  5. Tube Background: Nonreflective aluminum with permanently etched scale markings graduated in deg F and deg C.
  6. Window: Glass or plastic.
  7. Stem: Aluminum or brass and of length to suit installation.
    - a. Design for Air-Duct Installation: With ventilated shroud.
    - b. Design for Thermowell Installation: Bare stem.
  8. Connector: 3/4 inch, with ASME B1.1 screw threads.
  9. Accuracy: Plus or minus 1 percent of scale range or one scale division, to a maximum of 1.5 percent of scale range.
- B. Metal-Case, Industrial-Style, Liquid-in-Glass Thermometers:
  1. Standard: ASME B40.200.
  2. Case: Cast aluminum; 9-inch nominal size unless otherwise indicated.
  3. Case Form: Adjustable angle Back angle unless otherwise indicated.
  4. Tube: Glass with magnifying lens and blue or red organic liquid.
  5. Tube Background: Nonreflective aluminum with permanently etched scale markings graduated in deg F and deg C.
  6. Window: Glass.
  7. Stem: Aluminum and of length to suit installation.
    - a. Design for Air-Duct Installation: With ventilated shroud.
    - b. Design for Thermowell Installation: Bare stem.
  8. Connector: 1-1/4 inches, with ASME B1.1 screw threads.
  9. Accuracy: Plus or minus 1 percent of scale range or one scale division, to a maximum of 1.5 percent of scale range.

## 2.5 DUCT-THERMOMETER MOUNTING BRACKETS

- A. Description: Flanged bracket with screw holes, for attachment to air duct and made to hold thermometer stem.

## 2.6 THERMOWELLS

- A. Thermowells:

1. Standard: ASME B40.200.
2. Description: Pressure-tight, socket-type fitting made for insertion into piping tee fitting.
3. Material for Use with Copper Tubing: CNR or CUNI.
4. Material for Use with Steel Piping: CRES CSA.
5. Type: Stepped shank unless straight or tapered shank is indicated.
6. External Threads: NPS 1/2, NPS 3/4, or NPS 1, ASME B1.20.1 pipe threads.
7. Internal Threads: 1/2, 3/4, and 1 inch, with ASME B1.1 screw threads.
8. Bore: Diameter required to match thermometer bulb or stem.
9. Insertion Length: Length required to match thermometer bulb or stem.
10. Lagging Extension: Include on thermowells for insulated piping and tubing.
11. Bushings: For converting size of thermowell's internal screw thread to size of thermometer connection.

- B. Heat-Transfer Medium: Mixture of graphite and glycerin.

## 2.7 PRESSURE GAGES

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:

- a. Terice, H. O. Co.
- b. Watts; a Watts Water Technologies company.
- c. Weiss Instruments, Inc.
- d. Weksler Glass Thermometer Corp.

- B. Direct-Mounted, Metal-Case, Dial-Type Pressure Gages:

1. Standard: ASME B40.100.
2. Case: Liquid-filled Sealed Solid-front, pressure relief type(s); cast aluminum or drawn steel; 4-1/2-inch nominal diameter.
3. Pressure-Element Assembly: Bourdon tube unless otherwise indicated.
4. Pressure Connection: Brass, with NPS 1/4 or NPS 1/2, ASME B1.20.1 pipe threads and bottom-outlet type unless back-outlet type is indicated.
5. Movement: Mechanical, with link to pressure element and connection to pointer.
6. Dial: Nonreflective aluminum with permanently etched scale markings graduated in psi and kPa.
7. Pointer: Dark-colored metal.
8. Window: Glass.

9. Ring: Metal.
10. Accuracy: Grade A, plus or minus 1 percent of middle half of scale range.

## 2.8 GAGE ATTACHMENTS

- A. Snubbers: ASME B40.100, brass; with NPS 1/4 or NPS 1/2, ASME B1.20.1 pipe threads and piston-type surge-dampening device. Include extension for use on insulated piping.
- B. Siphons: Loop-shaped section of brass or stainless-steel pipe with NPS 1/4 or NPS 1/2 pipe threads.
- C. Valves: Brass or stainless-steel needle, with NPS 1/4 or NPS 1/2, ASME B1.20.1 pipe threads.

## 2.9 TEST PLUGS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  1. Trerice, H. O. Co.
  2. Watts; a Watts Water Technologies company.
  3. Weiss Instruments, Inc.
  4. Weksler Glass Thermometer Corp.
- B. Description: Test-station fitting made for insertion into piping tee fitting.
- C. Body: Brass or stainless steel with core inserts and gasketed and threaded cap. Include extended stem on units to be installed in insulated piping.
- D. Thread Size: NPS 1/4 or NPS 1/2, ASME B1.20.1 pipe thread.
- E. Minimum Pressure and Temperature Rating: 500 psig at 200 deg F.
- F. Core Inserts: EPDM self-sealing rubber.

## 2.10 TEST-PLUG KITS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  1. Sisco Manufacturing Company, Inc.
  2. Trerice, H. O. Co.
  3. Watts; a Watts Water Technologies company.
  4. Weiss Instruments, Inc.
- B. Furnish one test-plug kit(s) containing two thermometer(s), one pressure gage and adapter, and carrying case. Thermometer sensing elements, pressure gage, and adapter probes shall be of diameter to fit test plugs and of length to project into piping.

- C. Low-Range Thermometer: Small, bimetallic insertion type with 1- to 2-inch- diameter dial and tapered-end sensing element. Dial range shall be at least 25 to 125 deg F.
- D. High-Range Thermometer: Small, bimetallic insertion type with 1- to 2-inch- diameter dial and tapered-end sensing element. Dial range shall be at least 0 to 220 deg F.
- E. Pressure Gage: Small, Bourdon-tube insertion type with 2- to 3-inch- diameter dial and probe. Dial range shall be at least 0 to 200 psig.
- F. Carrying Case: Metal or plastic, with formed instrument padding.

## 2.11 SIGHT FLOW INDICATORS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. ARCHON Industries, Inc.
  - 2. Dwyer Instruments, Inc.
  - 3. Emerson Process Management; Rosemount Division.
  - 4. OPW Engineered Systems; OPW Fluid Transfer Group; a Dover company.
  - 5. Pentair Valves & Controls; Penberthy Brand.
- B. Description: Piping inline-installation device for visual verification of flow.
- C. Construction: Bronze or stainless-steel body, with sight glass and ball, flapper, or paddle wheel indicator, and threaded or flanged ends.
- D. Minimum Pressure Rating: 150 psig.
- E. Minimum Temperature Rating: 200 deg F.
- F. End Connections for NPS 2 and Smaller: Threaded.
- G. End Connections for NPS 2-1/2 and Larger: Flanged.

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

### 3.1 INSTALLATION

- A. Install thermowells with socket extending one-third of pipe diameter and in vertical position in piping tees.
- B. Install thermowells of sizes required to match thermometer connectors. Include bushings if required to match sizes.
- C. Install thermowells with extension on insulated piping.
- D. Fill thermowells with heat-transfer medium.

- E. Install direct-mounted thermometers in thermowells and adjust vertical and tilted positions.
- F. Install remote-mounted thermometer bulbs in thermowells and install cases on panels; connect cases with tubing and support tubing to prevent kinks. Use minimum tubing length.
- G. Install duct-thermometer mounting brackets in walls of ducts. Attach to duct with screws.
- H. Install direct-mounted pressure gages in piping tees with pressure gage located on pipe at the most readable position.
- I. Install remote-mounted pressure gages on panel.
- J. Install valve and snubber in piping for each pressure gage for fluids (except steam).
- K. Install test plugs in piping tees.
- L. Install flow indicators in piping systems in accessible positions for easy viewing.
- M. Assemble and install connections, tubing, and accessories between flow-measuring elements and flowmeters according to manufacturer's written instructions.
- N. Install flowmeter elements in accessible positions in piping systems.
- O. Install wafer-orifice flowmeter elements between pipe flanges.
- P. Install differential-pressure-type flowmeter elements, with at least minimum straight lengths of pipe, upstream and downstream from element according to manufacturer's written instructions.
- Q. Install permanent indicators on walls or brackets in accessible and readable positions.
- R. Install connection fittings in accessible locations for attachment to portable indicators.
- S. Mount thermal-energy meters on wall if accessible; if not, provide brackets to support meters.
- T. Install thermometers in the following locations:
  - 1. Inlet and outlet of each hydronic zone.
  - 2. Inlet and outlet of each hydronic boiler.
  - 3. Inlet and outlet of each hydronic coil in air-handling units.
  - 4. Two inlets and two outlets of each hydronic heat exchanger.
  - 5. Two inlets and two outlets of each chiller
- U. Install pressure gages in the following locations:
  - 1. Inlet and Discharge of each pressure-reducing valve.
  - 2. Inlet and outlet of each strainers
  - 3. Suction and discharge of each pump.
  - 4. Inlet and outlet of each hydronic boiler.
  - 5. Two inlets and two outlets of each chiller

- 6. Condenser water supply and return mains.

### 3.2 CONNECTIONS

- A. Install meters and gages adjacent to machines and equipment to allow service and maintenance of meters, gages, machines, and equipment.
- B. Connect flowmeter-system elements to meters.
- C. Connect flowmeter transmitters to meters.
- D. Connect thermal-energy meter transmitters to meters.

### 3.3 ADJUSTING

- A. After installation, calibrate meters according to manufacturer's written instructions.
- B. Adjust faces of meters and gages to proper angle for best visibility.

### 3.4 THERMOMETER SCHEDULE

- A. Thermometers at inlet and outlet of each **hydronic zone** shall be one of the following:
  - 1. Sealed, bimetallic-actuated type.
  - 2. Direct or Remote-mounted, metal-case, vapor-actuated type.
  - 3. Compact or Industrial-style, liquid-in-glass type.
  - 4. Test plug with EPDM self-sealing rubber inserts.
  - 5. Industrial-style, liquid-in-glass type.
- B. Industrial type, liquid in glass type thermometers shall be installed at all the inlets and outlets of each of the following **equipment**.
  - 1. Inlet and outlet of each hydronic zone.
  - 2. Inlet and outlet of each hydronic boiler.
  - 3. Inlet and outlet of each hydronic coil in air-handling units.
  - 4. Two inlets and two outlets of each hydronic heat exchanger.
  - 5. Two inlets and two outlets of each chiller
  - 6. Provide test with EPDM self-sealing rubber inserts.
- C. Thermometers at inlet and outlet of each **hydronic coil** and built-up central systems shall be one of the following:
  - 1. Liquid-filled or Sealed, bimetallic-actuated type.
  - 2. Direct or Remote-mounted, metal-case, vapor-actuated type.
  - 3. Compact or Industrial-style, liquid-in-glass type.
  - 4. Test plug with EPDM self-sealing rubber inserts.

- D. Thermometers at inlet and outlet of each hydronic piece of equipment shall be one of the following:

1. Liquid-filled or Sealed, bimetallic-actuated type.
2. Direct or Remote-mounted, metal-case, vapor-actuated type.
3. Compact or Industrial-style, liquid-in-glass type.
4. Test plug with EPDM self-sealing rubber inserts.

### 3.5 THERMOMETER SCALE-RANGE SCHEDULE

- A. Scale Range for Chilled-Water Piping: 0 to 150 deg F.
- B. Scale Range for Condenser-Water Piping: 0 to 150 deg F.
- C. Scale Range for Heating, Hot-Water Piping: 0 to 250 deg F.
- D. Scale Range for Steam and Steam-Condensate Piping: 0 to 250 deg F.
- E. Scale Range for Air Ducts: 0 to 150 deg F.

### 3.6 PRESSURE-GAGE SCHEDULE

- A. Pressure gages at all the inlet and discharge connections of each of the following equipment shall be liquid filled and sealed direct mounting, metal case.
1. Inlet and Discharge of each pressure-reducing valve.
  2. Inlet and outlet of each strainers
  3. Suction and discharge of each pump.
  4. Inlet and outlet of each hydronic boiler.
  5. Two inlets and two outlets of each chiller
  6. Pressure-reducing valve
  7. Thermal storage tank
  8. Cooling tower
  9. Heat exchanger
  10. Provide test with EPDM self-sealing rubber inserts.

### 3.7 PRESSURE-GAGE SCALE-RANGE SCHEDULE

- A. Scale Range for Chilled-Water Piping: 0 to 125 psi.
- B. Scale Range for Condenser-Water Piping: 0 to 150 psi.
- C. Scale Range for Heating, Hot-Water Piping: 0 to 125 psi.

### 3.8 FLOWMETER SCHEDULE

- A. Flowmeters for Cooling Tower cold-water make up piping: Turbine type.

END OF SECTION 230519



## SECTION 230523.11 - VALVES FOR HVAC PIPING

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Section Includes:
  - 1. Globe valves.
  - 2. Ball Valves
  - 3. Butterfly Valves.
  - 4. Check Valves
  - 5. Gate Valves
  - 6. Chainwheels.

#### 1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. CWP: Cold working pressure.

#### 1.4 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of valve.

#### 1.5 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Prepare valves for shipping as follows:
  - 1. Protect internal parts against rust and corrosion.
  - 2. Protect threads, flange faces, grooves, and weld ends.
  - 3. Set angle and globe valves closed to prevent rattling.
- B. Use the following precautions during storage:
  - 1. Maintain valve end protection.
  - 2. Store valves indoors and maintain at higher-than-ambient dew point temperature. If outdoor storage is necessary, store valves off the ground in watertight enclosures.
- C. Use sling to handle large valves; rig sling to avoid damage to exposed parts. Do not use handwheels or stems as lifting or rigging points.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

## 2.1 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR VALVES

- A. Source Limitations for Valves: Obtain each type of valve from single source from single manufacturer.
- B. ASME Compliance:
  - 1. ASME B1.20.1 for threads for threaded-end valves.
  - 2. ASME B16.1 for flanges on iron valves.
  - 3. ASME B16.10 and ASME B16.34 for ferrous valve dimensions and design criteria.
  - 4. ASME B16.18 for solder joint.
  - 5. ASME B31.1 for power piping valves.
  - 6. ASME B31.9 for building services piping valves.
- C. Refer to HVAC valve schedule articles for applications of valves.
- D. Valve Pressure and Temperature Ratings: Not less than indicated and as required for system pressures and temperatures.
- E. Valve Sizes: Same as upstream piping unless otherwise indicated.
- F. Valves in Insulated Piping:
  - 1. Include 2-inch stem extensions.
  - 2. Extended operating handle of nonthermal-conductive material, and protective sleeves that allow operation of valves without breaking the vapor seals or disturbing insulation.
  - 3. Memory stops that are fully adjustable after insulation is applied.
- G. Valve Actuator Types:
  - 1. Gear Actuator: For valves NPS 8 and larger.
  - 2. Handlever: For valves NPS 6 and smaller.
  - 3. Chainwheel: Device for attachment to gear, stem, or other actuator of size and with chain for mounting height, according to "Valve Installation" Article.
- H. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - a. Apollo Valves; Conbraco Industries, Inc.
  - b. Crane; Crane Energy Flow Solutions.
  - c. Milwaukee Valve Company.
  - d. NIBCO INC.
  - e. Stockham; Crane Energy Flow Solutions.
  - f. Watts; a Watts Water Technologies company.
  - g. Keystone

## **GLOBE VALVES**

### **2.2 BRONZE GLOBE VALVES - UP TO 2"**

#### **A. Class 150 Bronze Globe Valves:**

1. Description:
  - a. Standard: MSS SP-80, Type 2.
  - b. CWP Rating: 300 psig.
  - c. Body Material: ASTM B 62, bronze with integral seat and union-ring bonnet.
  - d. Ends: Threaded.
  - e. Stem: Bronze.
  - f. Disc: Bronze or PTFE.
  - g. Packing: Asbestos free.
  - h. Handwheel: Malleable iron, bronze, or aluminum.

### **2.3 IRON GLOBE VALVES – OVER 2"**

#### **A. Class 250 Iron Globe Valves:**

1. Description:
  - a. Standard: MSS SP-85, Type I.
  - b. CWP Rating: 500 psig.
  - c. Body Material: ASTM A 126, gray iron with bolted bonnet.
  - d. Ends: Flanged.
  - e. Trim: Bronze.
  - f. Packing and Gasket: Asbestos free.
  - g. Operator: Handwheel or chainwheel.

## **BALL VALVES**

### **2.4 BRASS BALL VALVES UP TO 3"**

#### **A. Two-Piece Brass Ball Valves with Full Port and Brass Trim:**

1. Description:
  - a. Standard: MSS SP-110.
  - b. SWP Rating: 150 psig.
  - c. CWP Rating: 600 psig.
  - d. Body Design: Two piece.
  - e. Body Material: Forged brass.
  - f. Ends: Threaded.
  - g. Seats: PTFE.
  - h. Stem: Brass.
  - i. Ball: Chrome-plated brass.

**j. Port: Full.****B. Two-Piece Brass Ball Valves with Full Port and Stainless-Steel Trim:****1. Description:**

- a. Standard: MSS SP-110.
- b. SWP Rating: 150 psig.
- c. CWP Rating: 600 psig.
- d. Body Design: Two piece.
- e. Body Material: Forged brass.
- f. Ends: Threaded.
- g. Seats: PTFE.
- h. Stem: Stainless steel.
- i. Ball: Stainless steel, vented.
- j. Port: Full.**

**2.5 BRONZE BALL VALVES UP TO 3"****A. Two-Piece Bronze Ball Valves with Full Port and Bronze or Brass Trim:****1. Description:**

- a. Standard: MSS SP-110.
- b. SWP Rating: 150 psig.
- c. CWP Rating: 600 psig.
- d. Body Design: Two piece.
- e. Body Material: Bronze.
- f. Ends: Threaded.
- g. Seats: PTFE.
- h. Stem: Bronze.
- i. Ball: Chrome-plated brass.
- j. Port: Full.**

**B. Two-Piece Bronze Ball Valves with Full Port and Stainless-Steel Trim:****1. Description:**

- a. Standard: MSS SP-110.
- b. SWP Rating: 150 psig.
- c. CWP Rating: 600 psig.
- d. Body Design: Two piece.
- e. Body Material: Bronze.
- f. Ends: Threaded.
- g. Seats: PTFE.
- h. Stem: Stainless steel.
- i. Ball: Stainless steel, vented.
- j. Port: Full.**

**2.6 HIGH-PERFORMANCE BUTTERFLY VALVES – UP TO 16”****A. Class 300, Single-Flange, High-Performance Butterfly Valves:**

1. Description:
  - a. Standard: MSS SP-68.
  - b. CWP Rating: 720 psig at 100 deg F.
  - c. Body Design: Lug type; suitable for bidirectional dead-end service at rated pressure without use of downstream flange.
  - d. Body Material: **Carbon steel, or ductile iron. Match piping system**
  - e. Seat: Reinforced PTFE or metal.
  - f. Stem: Stainless steel; offset from seat plane.
  - g. Disc: Carbon steel.
  - h. Service: Bidirectional.

**CHECK VALVES****2.7 BRONZE LIFT CHECK VALVES – UP TO 3”****A. Class 125 Lift Check Valves with Bronze Disc:**

1. Description:
  - a. Standard: MSS SP-80, Type 1.
  - b. CWP Rating: 200 psig.
  - c. Body Design: Vertical flow.
  - d. Body Material: ASTM B 61 or ASTM B 62, bronze.
  - e. Ends: Threaded.
  - f. Disc: Bronze.

**B. Class 125 Lift Check Valves with Nonmetallic Disc:**

1. Description:
  - a. Standard: MSS SP-80, Type 2.
  - b. CWP Rating: 200 psig.
  - c. Body Design: Vertical flow.
  - d. Body Material: ASTM B 61 or ASTM B 62, bronze.
  - e. Ends: Threaded.
  - f. Disc: NBR or PTFE.

**2.8 BRONZE SWING CHECK VALVES – UP TO 3”****A. Class 150, Bronze Swing Check Valves with Bronze Disc:**

1. Description:
  - a. Standard: MSS SP-80, Type 3.
  - b. CWP Rating: 300 psig.
  - c. Body Design: Horizontal flow.
  - d. Body Material: ASTM B 62, bronze.

- e. Ends: Threaded.
- f. Disc: Bronze.

B. Class 150, Bronze Swing Check Valves with Nonmetallic Disc:

- 1. Description:
  - a. Standard: MSS SP-80, Type 4.
  - b. CWP Rating: 300 psig.
  - c. Body Design: Horizontal flow.
  - d. Body Material: ASTM B 62, bronze.
  - e. Ends: Threaded.
  - f. Disc: PTFE.

2.9 IRON SWING CHECK VALVES OVER 3"

A. Class 250, Iron Swing Check Valves with Metal Seats:

- 1. Description:
  - a. Standard: MSS SP-71, Type I.
  - b. NPS 2-1/2 to NPS 12, CWP Rating: 500 psig.
  - c. NPS 14 to NPS 24, CWP Rating: 300 psig.
  - d. Body Design: Clear or full waterway.
  - e. Body Material: ASTM A 126, gray iron with bolted bonnet.
  - f. Ends: Flanged.
  - g. Trim: Bronze.
  - h. Gasket: Asbestos free.

2.10 IRON SWING CHECK VALVES WITH CLOSURE CONTROL over 3"

A. Class 125, Iron Swing Check Valves with Lever- and Spring-Closure Control:

- 1. Description:
  - a. Standard: MSS SP-71, Type I.
  - b. NPS 2-1/2 to NPS 12, CWP Rating: 200 psig.
  - c. NPS 14 to NPS 24, CWP Rating: 150 psig.
  - d. Body Design: Clear or full waterway.
  - e. Body Material: ASTM A 126, gray iron with bolted bonnet.
  - f. Ends: Flanged.
  - g. Trim: Bronze.
  - h. Gasket: Asbestos free.
  - i. Closure Control: Factory-installed, exterior lever and spring.

2.11 IRON, CENTER-GUIDED CHECK VALVES

A. Class 250, Iron, Compact-Wafer, Center-Guided Check Valves with Resilient Seat:

- 1. Description:

- a. Standard: MSS SP-125.
- b. NPS 2-1/2 to NPS 12, CWP Rating: 400 psig.
- c. NPS 14 to NPS 24, CWP Rating: 300 psig.
- d. Body Material: ASTM A 126, gray iron.
- e. Style: Compact wafer, spring loaded.
- f. Seat: EPDM or.

B. Class 300, Iron, Compact-Wafer, Center-Guided Check Valves with Resilient Seat:

1. Description:

- a. Standard: MSS SP-125.
- b. NPS 2-1/2 to NPS 12, CWP Rating: 500 psig.
- c. NPS 14 to NPS 24, CWP Rating: 400 psig.
- d. Body Material: ASTM A 395/A 395M or ASTM A 536, ductile iron.
- e. Style: Compact wafer, spring loaded.
- f. Seat: EPDM or NBR.

2.12 IRON, PLATE-TYPE CHECK VALVES

A. Class 250, Iron, Wafer, Single or Dual -Plate Check Valves with Resilient Seat:

1. Description:

- a. Standard: API 594.
- b. NPS 2-1/2 to NPS 12, CWP Rating: 400 psig.
- c. NPS 14 to NPS 24, CWP Rating: 300 psig.
- d. Body Design: Wafer, spring-loaded plate.
- e. Body Material: ASTM A 126, gray iron.
- f. Seat: EPDM or NBR .

B. Class 300, Iron, Single or Dual-Plate Check Valves with Resilient Seat:

1. Description:

- a. Standard: API 594.
- b. NPS 2-1/2 to NPS 12, CWP Rating: 500 psig.
- c. NPS 14 to NPS 24, CWP Rating: 400 psig.
- d. Body Design: Wafer, spring-loaded plates.
- e. Body Material: ASTM A 395/A 395M or ASTM A 536, ductile iron.
- f. Seat: EPDM or NBR .

2.13 BRONZE GATE VALVES UP TO 3"

C. Class 150, RS, Bronze Gate Valves:

1. Description:

- a. Standard: MSS SP-80, Type 2.
- b. CWP Rating: 300 psig.
- c. Body Material: ASTM B 62, bronze with integral seat and union-ring bonnet.
- d. Ends: Threaded.

- e. Stem: Bronze.
- f. Disc: Solid wedge; bronze.
- g. Packing: Asbestos free.
- h. Handwheel: Malleable iron, bronze, or aluminum.

## 2.14 IRON BODY GATE VALVES OVER 3"

### A. Class 125, OS&Y, Iron Gate Valves:

- 1. Description:
  - a. Standard: MSS SP-70, Type I.
  - b. NPS 2-1/2 to NPS 12, CWP Rating: 200 psig.
  - c. NPS 14 to NPS 24, CWP Rating: 150 psig.
  - d. Body Material: ASTM A 126, gray iron with bolted bonnet.
  - e. Ends: Flanged.
  - f. Trim: Bronze.
  - g. Disc: Solid wedge.
  - h. Packing and Gasket: Asbestos free.

### B. Class 250, OS&Y, Iron Gate Valves:

- 1. Description:
  - a. Standard: MSS SP-70, Type I.
  - b. NPS 2-1/2 to NPS 12, CWP Rating: 500 psig.
  - c. NPS 14 to NPS 24, CWP Rating: 300 psig.
  - d. Body Material: ASTM A 126, gray iron with bolted bonnet.
  - e. Ends: Flanged.
  - f. Trim: Bronze.
  - g. Disc: Solid wedge.
  - h. Packing and Gasket: Asbestos free.

## 2.15 CHAINWHEELS

### A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:

- 1. Babbitt Steam Specialty Co.
- 2. Roto Hammer Industries.
- 3. Trumbull Industries.

### B. Description: Valve actuation assembly with sprocket rim, chain guides, chain, and attachment brackets for mounting chainwheels directly to handwheels.

- 1. Sprocket Rim with Chain Guides: Ductile or cast-iron Aluminum, of type and size required for valve.
- 2. Chain: Hot-dip-galvanized steel, of size required to fit sprocket rim.



## PART 3 - EXECUTION

## 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine valve interior for cleanliness, freedom from foreign matter, and corrosion. Remove special packing materials, such as blocks, used to prevent disc movement during shipping and handling.
- B. Operate valves in positions from fully open to fully closed. Examine guides and seats made accessible by such operations.
- C. Examine threads on valve and mating pipe for form and cleanliness.
- D. Examine mating flange faces for conditions that might cause leakage. Check bolting for proper size, length, and material. Verify that gasket is of proper size, that its material composition is suitable for service, and that it is free from defects and damage.
- E. Do not attempt to repair defective valves; replace with new valves.

## 3.2 VALVE INSTALLATION

- A. Install valves with unions or flanges at each piece of equipment arranged to allow service, maintenance, and equipment removal without system shutdown.
- B. Locate valves for easy access and provide separate support where necessary.
- C. Install valves in horizontal piping with stem at or above center of pipe.
- D. Install valves in position to allow full stem movement.
- E. Install chainwheels on operators for all valves NPS 6 and larger and more than 96 inches above floor. Extend chains to 60 inches above finished floor.
- F. Install valve tags. Comply with requirements in Section 230553 "Identification for HVAC Piping and Equipment" for valve tags and schedules.
- G. Install check valves for proper direction of flow and as follows:
  - 1. Swing Check Valves: In horizontal position with hinge pin level.
  - 2. Center-Guided and Plate-Type Check Valves: In horizontal or vertical position, between flanges.
  - 3. Lift Check Valves: With stem upright and plumb.
- H. Furnish all hand valves and accessories and install them as required for the complete and proper valving of the entire installation as defined herein. Valves shall have an equal or greater pressure rating as the system in which they are installed.

- I. Valves with handwheels shall be installed horizontally or vertically upward unless specifically shown otherwise. All valves shall be installed in accessible locations to facilitate easy removal for repair or replacement.
- J. Valves shall be full line size unless otherwise noted. All drain valves in equipment rooms shall be located at an elevation not greater than 6'-0" above the floor and shall be provided with 3/4" hose connections.
- K. Unless otherwise noted or required by the application, screwed valves shall be of bronze construction and flanged valves of cast iron construction with bronze trim. Globe, butterfly, and check valve discs shall be in accordance with manufacturers recommendations for the service. All cast iron body valves shall have renewable bronze seat rings and bronze spindles.

### 3.3 ADJUSTING

- A. Adjust or replace valve packing after piping systems have been tested and put into service but before final adjusting and balancing. Replace valves if persistent leaking occurs.

### 3.4 GENERAL REQUIREMENTS FOR VALVE APPLICATIONS

- A. If valve applications are not indicated, use the following:
  - 1. Throttling Service: Globe valves.
  - 2. Positive shut off, (open closed) - use full port ball valves, butterfly, or gate.
- B. If valves with specified CWP ratings are unavailable, the same types of valves with the next higher CWP ratings may be substituted.
- C. Select valves with the following end connections:
  - 1. For Copper Tubing, NPS 2 and Smaller: Threaded ends except where solder-joint valve-end option is indicated in valve schedules.
  - 2. For Copper Tubing, NPS 2-1/2 to NPS 4: Flanged ends except where threaded valve-end option is indicated in valve schedules.
  - 3. For Copper Tubing, NPS 5 and Larger: Flanged ends.
  - 4. For Steel Piping, NPS 2 and Smaller: Threaded ends.
  - 5. For Steel Piping, NPS 2-1/2 to NPS 4: Flanged ends except where threaded valve-end option is indicated in valve schedules.
  - 6. For Steel Piping, NPS 5 and Larger: Flanged ends.

END OF SECTION 230523.11

SECTION 230529 - HANGERS AND SUPPORTS FOR HVAC PIPING AND EQUIPMENT

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

1.2 SUMMARY

A. Section Includes:

1. Metal pipe hangers and supports.
2. Trapeze pipe hangers.
3. Fiberglass pipe hangers.
4. Metal framing systems.
5. Fiberglass strut systems.
6. Thermal-hanger shield inserts.
7. Fastener systems.
8. Pipe stands.
9. Equipment supports.

B. Related Sections:

1. Section 23 21 13 "Hydronic piping" for duct hangers and supports.

1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. MSS: Manufacturers Standardization Society of The Valve and Fittings Industry Inc.

1.4 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Delegated Design: Design trapeze pipe hangers and equipment supports, including comprehensive engineering analysis by a qualified professional engineer, using performance requirements and design criteria indicated.
- B. Structural Performance: Hangers and supports for HVAC piping and equipment shall withstand the effects of gravity loads and stresses within limits and under conditions indicated according to ASCE/SEI 7.
  1. Design supports for multiple pipes, including pipe stands, capable of supporting combined weight of supported systems, system contents, and test water.
  2. Design equipment supports capable of supporting combined operating weight of supported equipment and connected systems and components.

## 1.5 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product indicated.
- B. Shop Drawings: Show fabrication and installation details and include calculations for the following; include Product Data for components:
  - 1. Trapeze pipe hangers.
  - 2. Metal framing systems.
  - 3. Pipe stands.
  - 4. Equipment supports.
- C. Delegated-Design Submittal: For trapeze hangers indicated to comply with performance requirements and design criteria, including analysis data signed and sealed by the qualified professional engineer responsible for their preparation.
  - 1. Detail fabrication and assembly of trapeze hangers.
  - 2. Design Calculations: Calculate requirements for designing trapeze hangers.

## 1.6 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Welding certificates.

## 1.7 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Structural Steel Welding Qualifications: Qualify procedures and personnel according to AWS D1.1/D1.1M, "Structural Welding Code - Steel."
- B. Pipe Welding Qualifications: Qualify procedures and operators according to ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

### 2.1 METAL PIPE HANGERS AND SUPPORTS

- A. Carbon-Steel Pipe Hangers and Supports:
  - 1. Description: MSS SP-58, Types 1 through 58, factory-fabricated components.
  - 2. Galvanized Metallic Coatings: Pregalvanized or hot dipped.
  - 3. Nonmetallic Coatings: Plastic coating, jacket, or liner.
  - 4. Padded Hangers: Hanger with fiberglass or other pipe insulation pad or cushion to support bearing surface of piping.
  - 5. Hanger Rods: Continuous-thread rod, nuts, and washer made of carbon steel.
- B. Stainless-Steel Pipe Hangers and Supports:
  - 1. Description: MSS SP-58, Types 1 through 58, factory-fabricated components.

2. Padded Hangers: Hanger with fiberglass or other pipe insulation pad or cushion to support bearing surface of piping.
3. Hanger Rods: Continuous-thread rod, nuts, and washer made of stainless steel.

C. Copper Pipe Hangers:

1. Description: MSS SP-58, Types 1 through 58, copper-coated-steel, factory-fabricated components.
2. Hanger Rods: Continuous-thread rod, nuts, and washer made of copper-coated steel or stainless steel.

2.2 TRAPEZE PIPE HANGERS

- A. Description: MSS SP-69, Type 59, shop- or field-fabricated pipe-support assembly made from structural carbon-steel shapes with MSS SP-58 carbon-steel hanger rods, nuts, saddles, and U-bolts.

2.3 METAL FRAMING SYSTEMS

A. MFMA Manufacturer Metal Framing Systems:

1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, available manufacturers offering products that may be incorporated into the Work include, but are not limited to, the following:
  - a. B-line, an Eaton business.
  - b. Flex-Strut Inc.
  - c. Thomas & Betts Corporation; A Member of the ABB Group.
  - d. Unistrut; Part of Atkore International.
  - e. Wesanco, Inc.
2. Description: Shop- or field-fabricated pipe-support assembly for supporting multiple parallel pipes.
3. Standard: MFMA-4.
4. Channels: Continuous slotted steel channel within turned lips.
5. Channel Nuts: Formed or stamped steel nuts or other devices designed to fit into channel slot and, when tightened, prevent slipping along channel.
6. Hanger Rods: Continuous-thread rod, nuts, and washer made of carbon steel or stainless steel.
7. Metallic Coating: Electroplated zinc, Hot-dipped galvanized, Mill galvanized, In-line, hot galvanized, or Mechanically-deposited zinc. Outdoor applications
8. Paint Coating: Epoxy or Alkyd. Indoor application

B. Non-MFMA Manufacturer Metal Framing Systems:

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1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, available manufacturers offering products that may be incorporated into the Work include, but are not limited to, the following:
  - a. Anvil International.
  - b. ERICO International Corporation.
  - c. PHD Manufacturing, Inc.
2. Description: Shop- or field-fabricated pipe-support assembly made of steel channels, accessories, fittings, and other components for supporting multiple parallel pipes.
3. Standard: Comply with MFMA-4.
4. Channels: Continuous slotted steel channel with in-turned lips.
5. Channel Nuts: Formed or stamped steel nuts or other devices designed to fit into channel slot and, when tightened, prevent slipping along channel.
6. Hanger Rods: Continuous-thread rod, nuts, and washer made of carbon steel or stainless steel.
7. Coating: outdoor Zinc, galvanized
8. Coatings: Indoor Paint

#### 2.4 THERMAL-HANGER SHIELD INSERTS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  1. Clement Support Services.
  2. ERICO International Corporation.
  3. National Pipe Hanger Corporation.
  4. Pipe Shields Inc.
  5. Piping Technology & Products, Inc.
  6. Rilco Manufacturing Co., Inc.
- B. Insulation-Insert Material for Hot and cold Piping: Water-repellent treated, ASTM C 533, Type I calcium silicate with 100-psig minimum compressive strength.
- C. For Trapeze or Clamped Systems: Insert and shield shall cover entire circumference of pipe.
- D. For Clevis or Band Hangers: Insert and shield shall cover lower 180 degrees of pipe.
- E. Insert Length: Extend 2 inches beyond sheet metal shield for piping operating below ambient air temperature.

#### 2.5 FASTENER SYSTEMS

- A. Powder-Actuated Fasteners: Threaded-steel stud, for use in hardened portland cement concrete with pull-out, tension, and shear capacities appropriate for supported loads and building materials where used.

- B. Mechanical-Expansion Anchors: Insert-wedge-type, stainless- steel anchors, for use in hardened portland cement concrete; with pull-out, tension, and shear capacities appropriate for supported loads and building materials where used.

## 2.6 PIPE STANDS

- A. General Requirements for Pipe Stands: Shop- or field-fabricated assemblies made of manufactured corrosion-resistant components to support roof-mounted piping.
- B. Compact Pipe Stand: One-piece plastic unit with integral-rod roller, pipe clamps, or V-shaped cradle to support pipe, for roof installation without membrane penetration.
- C. Low-Type, Single-Pipe Stand: One-piece stainless-steel base unit with plastic roller, for roof installation without membrane penetration.
- D. High-Type, Single-Pipe Stand:
  - 1. Description: Assembly of base, vertical and horizontal members, and pipe support, for roof installation without membrane penetration.
  - 2. Base: Stainless steel.
  - 3. Vertical Members: Two or more cadmium-plated-steel or stainless-steel, continuous-thread rods.
  - 4. Horizontal Member: Cadmium-plated-steel or stainless-steel rod with plastic or stainless-steel, roller-type pipe support.
- E. High-Type, Multiple-Pipe Stand:
  - 1. Description: Assembly of bases, vertical and horizontal members, and pipe supports, for roof installation without membrane penetration.
  - 2. Bases: One or more; plastic.
  - 3. Vertical Members: Two or more protective-coated-steel channels.
  - 4. Horizontal Member: Protective-coated-steel channel.
  - 5. Pipe Supports: Galvanized-steel, clevis-type pipe hangers.
- F. Curb-Mounted-Type Pipe Stands: Shop- or field-fabricated pipe supports made from structural-steel shapes, continuous-thread rods, and rollers, for mounting on permanent stationary roof curb.

## 2.7 EQUIPMENT SUPPORTS

- A. Description: Welded, shop- or field-fabricated equipment support made from structural carbon-steel shapes.

## 2.8 MISCELLANEOUS MATERIALS

- A. Structural Steel: ASTM A 36/A 36M, carbon-steel plates, shapes, and bars; black and galvanized.

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- B. Grout: ASTM C 1107, factory-mixed and -packaged, dry, hydraulic-cement, nonshrink and nonmetallic grout; suitable for interior and exterior applications.
1. Properties: Nonstaining, noncorrosive, and nongaseous.
  2. Design Mix: 5000-psi, 28-day compressive strength.
- C. Flashing;  
Metal Flashing: 26gage galvanized steel.
1. Metal Counter-flashing: 22 gage thick galvanized steel.
  2. Flexible Flashing: 47 mil thick sheet butyl or other material compatible with roofing. Verify with roofing manufacturer.
  3. Caps: Steel, 22-gage minimum; 16 gage at fire resistant elements.
- D. Sleeves:
1. Ductwork Sleeve 18 gauge Installation and Closure for Fire Rated Walls and Floors: Fire damper assembly with continuous angles on all sides as per NFPA-90A requirements.
  2. Provide and install sleeves for all penetrations in accordance with Division 1.
- E. Escutcheons;
1. Chrome plated cast brass escutcheons with set screws on all exposed piping at wall penetrations in finished spaces.
- F. Hanger Rods:
1. Hanger Rods: Hot rolled steel threaded both ends, threaded one end, or continuous threaded. In accordance with the following schedule.

HANGER ROD SIZE SCHEDULE	
Pipe Size (in)	Min Rod Dia (in)
3/4" to 2"	3/8"
1/2" to 3-1/2"	1/2"
4" to 5"	5/8"
6"	3/4"
8" to 12"	7/8"
14"	1"
16" to 18"	1-1/8"
20"	1-1/4"
24"	1-1/2"
30"	1-7/8"

2. Hanger spacing shall be in accordance with the following schedule for maximum allowable distance. Provide hanger all changes in direction.

PIPE SUPPORT SPACING SCHEDULE		
Pipe Material/ Size (in)	Maximum Horizontal	Maximum Vertical Spacing (ft)



	Spacing (ft)	
Steel		
Up to 1 ¼"	8	15
1 ½" to 2 ½"	10	15
3" and over	12	15
Copper Pipe	8	10
Copper Tubing		
Up to 1 ¼"	6	10
1 ½" and over	8	10
PVC / HDPE		
Up to 1"	3	10
1 ¼" and over	4	10

## 2.9 VIBRATION ISOLATION HANGERS

- A. Vibration isolation pipe hangers; pre-compressed and locked at the rated deflection by means of a resilient up-stop to keep the piping or equipment at a fixed elevation during installation. The hangers shall be designed with a release mechanism to free the spring after the installation is complete and the hanger is subjected to its full load. Deflection shall be clearly indicated by means of a scale. Submittals shall include a drawing of the hanger showing the 30° capability. Hangers shall be type PC30N as manufactured by Mason Industries, Inc

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

### 3.1 HANGER AND SUPPORT INSTALLATION

- A. Metal Pipe-Hanger Installation: Comply with MSS SP-69 and MSS SP-89. Install hangers, supports, clamps, and attachments as required to properly support piping from the building structure.
- B. Metal Trapeze Pipe-Hanger Installation: Comply with MSS SP-69 and MSS SP-89. Arrange for grouping of parallel runs of horizontal piping, and support together on field-fabricated trapeze pipe hangers.
1. Pipes of Various Sizes: Support together and space trapezes for smallest pipe size or install intermediate supports for smaller diameter pipes as specified for individual pipe hangers.
  2. Field fabricate from ASTM A 36/A 36M, carbon-steel shapes selected for loads being supported. Weld steel according to AWS D1.1/D1.1M.
- C. Metal Framing System Installation: Arrange for grouping of parallel runs of piping, and support together on field-assembled metal framing systems.
- D. Thermal-Hanger Shield Installation: Install in pipe hanger or shield for insulated piping.

## E. Fastener System Installation:

1. Install powder-actuated fasteners for use in lightweight concrete or concrete slabs less than 4 inches thick in concrete after concrete is placed and completely cured. Use operators that are licensed by powder-actuated tool manufacturer. Install fasteners according to powder-actuated tool manufacturer's operating manual.
2. Install mechanical-expansion anchors in concrete after concrete is placed and completely cured. Install fasteners according to manufacturer's written instructions.

## F. Pipe Stand Installation:

1. Pipe Stand Types except Curb-Mounted Type: Assemble components and mount on smooth roof surface. Do not penetrate roof membrane.
2. Curb-Mounted-Type Pipe Stands: Assemble components or fabricate pipe stand and mount on permanent, stationary roof curb. See Section 077200 "Roof Accessories" for curbs.

## G. Install hangers and supports complete with necessary attachments, inserts, bolts, rods, nuts, washers, and other accessories.

## H. Equipment Support Installation: Fabricate from welded-structural-steel shapes.

## I. Install hangers and supports to allow controlled thermal movement of piping systems, to permit freedom of movement between pipe anchors, and to facilitate action of expansion joints, expansion loops, expansion bends, and similar units.

## J. Install lateral bracing with pipe hangers and supports to prevent swaying.

## K. Install building attachments within concrete slabs or attach to structural steel. Install additional attachments at concentrated loads, including valves, flanges, and strainers, NPS 2-1/2 and larger and at changes in direction of piping. Install concrete inserts before concrete is placed; fasten inserts to forms and install reinforcing bars through openings at top of inserts.

## L. Load Distribution: Install hangers and supports so that piping live and dead loads and stresses from movement will not be transmitted to connected equipment.

## M. Pipe Slopes: Install hangers and supports to provide indicated pipe slopes and to not exceed maximum pipe deflections allowed by ASME B31.9 for building services piping.

## N. Insulated Piping:

1. Attach clamps and spacers to piping.
  - a. Piping Operating above Ambient Air Temperature: Clamp may project through insulation.
  - b. Piping Operating below Ambient Air Temperature: Use thermal-hanger shield insert with clamp sized to match OD of insert.
  - c. Do not exceed pipe stress limits allowed by ASME B31.9 for building services piping.

2. Install MSS SP-58, Type 39, protection saddles on all piping with roller hangers installed outside of insulation. Fill interior voids with insulation that matches adjoining insulation.
  - a. Option: Thermal-hanger shield inserts may be used. Include steel weight-distribution plate for pipe NPS 4 and larger if pipe is installed on rollers.
3. Install MSS SP-58, Type 40, protective shields on cold piping with vapor barrier not on roller hangers. Shields shall span an arc of 180 degrees.
  - a. Option: Thermal-hanger shield inserts may be used. Include steel weight-distribution plate for pipe NPS 4 and larger if pipe is installed on rollers.
4. Shield Dimensions for Pipe: Not less than the following:
  - a. NPS 1/4 to NPS 3-1/2: 12 inches long and 0.048 inch thick.
  - b. NPS 4: 12 inches long and 0.06 inch thick.
  - c. NPS 5 and NPS 6: 18 inches long and 0.06 inch thick.
  - d. NPS 8 to NPS 14: 24 inches long and 0.075 inch thick.
  - e. NPS 16 to NPS 24: 24 inches long and 0.105 inch thick.
5. Pipes NPS 8 and Larger: Include wood or reinforced calcium-silicate-insulation inserts of length at least as long as protective shield.
6. Thermal-Hanger Shields: Install with insulation same thickness as piping insulation.

### 3.2 EQUIPMENT SUPPORTS

- A. Fabricate structural-steel stands to suspend equipment from structure overhead or to support equipment above floor.
- B. Grouting: Place grout under supports for equipment and make bearing surface smooth.
- C. Provide lateral bracing, to prevent swaying, for equipment supports.

### 3.3 METAL FABRICATIONS

- A. Cut, drill, and fit miscellaneous metal fabrications for trapeze pipe hangers and equipment supports.
- B. Fit exposed connections together to form hairline joints. Field weld connections that cannot be shop welded because of shipping size limitations.
- C. Field Welding: Comply with AWS D1.1/D1.1M procedures for shielded, metal arc welding; appearance and quality of welds; and methods used in correcting welding work; and with the following:
  1. Use materials and methods that minimize distortion and develop strength and corrosion resistance of base metals.
  2. Obtain fusion without undercut or overlap.

3. Remove welding flux immediately.
4. Finish welds at exposed connections so no roughness shows after finishing and so contours of welded surfaces match adjacent contours.

### 3.4 ADJUSTING

- A. Hanger Adjustments: Adjust hangers to distribute loads equally on attachments and to achieve indicated slope of pipe.
- B. Trim excess length of continuous-thread hanger and support rods to 1-1/2 inches.

### 3.5 PAINTING

- A. Touchup: Clean field welds and abraded areas of shop paint. Paint exposed areas immediately after erecting hangers and supports. Use same materials as used for shop painting. Comply with SSPC-PA 1 requirements for touching up field-painted surfaces.
  1. Apply paint by brush or spray to provide a minimum dry film thickness of 2.0 mils.
- B. Galvanized Surfaces: Clean welds, bolted connections, and abraded areas and apply cold galvanizing-repair paint to comply with ASTM A 780. ZRC cold galvanizing compound

### 3.6 HANGER AND SUPPORT SCHEDULE

- A. Specific hanger and support requirements are in Sections specifying piping systems and equipment.
- B. Comply with MSS SP-69 for pipe-hanger selections and applications that are not specified in piping system Sections.
- C. Use hangers and supports with galvanized metallic coatings for piping and equipment that will not have field-applied finish.
- D. Use nonmetallic coatings on attachments for electrolytic protection where attachments are in direct contact with copper tubing.
- E. Use carbon-steel pipe hangers and supports or metal trapeze pipe hangers and metal framing systems and attachments for general service applications.
- F. Use stainless-steel pipe hangers and stainless-steel attachments for hostile environment applications.
- G. Use copper-plated pipe hangers and copper or stainless-steel attachments for copper piping and tubing.
- H. Use padded hangers for piping that is subject to scratching.
- I. Use thermal-hanger shield inserts for insulated piping and tubing.

- J. Horizontal-Piping Hangers and Supports: Unless otherwise indicated and except as specified in piping system Sections, install the following types:
1. Adjustable, Steel Clevis Hangers (MSS Type 1): For suspension of noninsulated or insulated, stationary pipes NPS 1/2 to NPS 30.
  2. Yoke-Type Pipe Clamps (MSS Type 2): For suspension of up to 1050 deg F, pipes NPS 4 to NPS 24, requiring up to 4 inches of insulation.
  3. Carbon- or Alloy-Steel, Double-Bolt Pipe Clamps (MSS Type 3): For suspension of pipes NPS 3/4 to NPS 36, requiring clamp flexibility and up to 4 inches of insulation.
  4. Pipe Hangers (MSS Type 5): For suspension of pipes NPS 1/2 to NPS 4, to allow off-center closure for hanger installation before pipe erection.
  5. Adjustable, Steel Band Hangers (MSS Type 7): For suspension of noninsulated, stationary pipes NPS 1/2 to NPS 8.
  6. Adjustable, Swivel-Ring Band Hangers (MSS Type 10): For suspension of noninsulated, stationary pipes NPS 1/2 to NPS 8.
  7. Extension Hinged or Two-Bolt Split Pipe Clamps (MSS Type 12): For suspension of noninsulated, stationary pipes NPS 3/8 to NPS 3.
  8. Pipe Saddle Supports (MSS Type 36): For support of pipes NPS 4 to NPS 36, with steel-pipe base stanchion support and cast-iron floor flange or carbon-steel plate.
  9. Pipe Stanchion Saddles (MSS Type 37): For support of pipes NPS 4 to NPS 36, with steel-pipe base stanchion support and cast-iron floor flange or carbon-steel plate, and with U-bolt to retain pipe.
  10. Adjustable Pipe Saddle Supports (MSS Type 38): For stanchion-type support for pipes NPS 2-1/2 to NPS 36 if vertical adjustment is required, with steel-pipe base stanchion support and cast-iron floor flange.
  11. Single-Pipe Rolls (MSS Type 41): For suspension of pipes NPS 1 to NPS 30, from two rods if longitudinal movement caused by expansion and contraction might occur.
  12. Adjustable Roller Hangers (MSS Type 43): For suspension of pipes NPS 2-1/2 to NPS 24, from single rod if horizontal movement caused by expansion and contraction might occur.
  13. Complete Pipe Rolls (MSS Type 44): For support of pipes NPS 2 to NPS 42 if longitudinal movement caused by expansion and contraction might occur but vertical adjustment is not necessary.
  14. Pipe Roll and Plate Units (MSS Type 45): For support of pipes NPS 2 to NPS 24 if small horizontal movement caused by expansion and contraction might occur and vertical adjustment is not necessary.
  15. Adjustable Pipe Roll and Base Units (MSS Type 46): For support of pipes NPS 2 to NPS 30 if vertical and lateral adjustment during installation might be required in addition to expansion and contraction.
- K. Vertical-Piping Clamps: Unless otherwise indicated and except as specified in piping system Sections, install the following types:
1. Extension Pipe or Riser Clamps (MSS Type 8): For support of pipe risers NPS 3/4 to NPS 24.
  2. Carbon- or Alloy-Steel Riser Clamps (MSS Type 42): For support of pipe risers NPS 3/4 to NPS 24 if longer ends are required for riser clamps.
- L. Hanger-Rod Attachments: Unless otherwise indicated and except as specified in piping system Sections, install the following types:

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1. Steel Turnbuckles (MSS Type 13): For adjustment up to 6 inches for heavy loads.
  2. Steel Clevises (MSS Type 14): For 120 to 450 deg F piping installations.
  3. Swivel Turnbuckles (MSS Type 15): For use with MSS Type 11, split pipe rings.
  4. Malleable-Iron Sockets (MSS Type 16): For attaching hanger rods to various types of building attachments.
  5. Steel Weldless Eye Nuts (MSS Type 17): For 120 to 450 deg F piping installations.
- M. Building Attachments: Unless otherwise indicated and except as specified in piping system Sections, install the following types:
1. Steel or Malleable Concrete Inserts (MSS Type 18): For upper attachment to suspend pipe hangers from concrete ceiling.
  2. Top-Beam C-Clamps (MSS Type 19): For use under roof installations with bar-joint construction, to attach to top flange of structural shape.
  3. Side-Beam or Channel Clamps (MSS Type 20): For attaching to bottom flange of beams, channels, or angles.
  4. Center-Beam Clamps (MSS Type 21): For attaching to center of bottom flange of beams.
  5. Welded Beam Attachments (MSS Type 22): For attaching to bottom of beams if loads are considerable and rod sizes are large.
  6. C-Clamps (MSS Type 23): For structural shapes.
  7. Top-Beam Clamps (MSS Type 25): For top of beams if hanger rod is required tangent to flange edge.
  8. Steel-Beam Clamps with Eye Nuts (MSS Type 28): For attaching to bottom of steel I-beams for heavy loads.
  9. Linked-Steel Clamps with Eye Nuts (MSS Type 29): For attaching to bottom of steel I-beams for heavy loads, with link extensions.
  10. Malleable-Beam Clamps with Extension Pieces (MSS Type 30): For attaching to structural steel.
  11. Welded-Steel Brackets: For support of pipes from below or for suspending from above by using clip and rod. Use one of the following for indicated loads:
    - a. Light (MSS Type 31): 750 lb.
    - b. Medium (MSS Type 32): 1500 lb.
    - c. Heavy (MSS Type 33): 3000 lb.
  12. Side-Beam Brackets (MSS Type 34): For sides of steel or wooden beams.
  13. Plate Lugs (MSS Type 57): For attaching to steel beams if flexibility at beam is required.
- N. Saddles and Shields: Unless otherwise indicated and except as specified in piping system Sections, install the following types:
1. Steel-Pipe-Covering Protection Saddles (MSS Type 39): To fill interior voids with insulation that matches adjoining insulation.
  2. Protection Shields (MSS Type 40): Of length recommended in writing by manufacturer to prevent crushing insulation.
  3. Thermal-Hanger Shield Inserts: For supporting insulated pipe.
- O. Spring Hangers and Supports: Unless otherwise indicated and except as specified in piping system Sections, install the following types:

1. Restraint-Control Devices (MSS Type 47): Where indicated to control piping movement.
  2. Spring Cushions (MSS Type 48): For light loads if vertical movement does not exceed 1-1/4 inches.
  3. Spring-Cushion Roll Hangers (MSS Type 49): For equipping Type 41, roll hanger with springs.
  4. Spring Sway Braces (MSS Type 50): To retard sway, shock, vibration, or thermal expansion in piping systems.
  5. Variable-Spring Hangers (MSS Type 51): Preset to indicated load and limit variability factor to 25 percent to allow expansion and contraction of piping system from hanger.
  6. Variable-Spring Base Supports (MSS Type 52): Preset to indicated load and limit variability factor to 25 percent to allow expansion and contraction of piping system from base support.
  7. Variable-Spring Trapeze Hangers (MSS Type 53): Preset to indicated load and limit variability factor to 25 percent to allow expansion and contraction of piping system from trapeze support.
  8. Constant Supports: For critical piping stress and if necessary to avoid transfer of stress from one support to another support, critical terminal, or connected equipment. Include auxiliary stops for erection, hydrostatic test, and load-adjustment capability. These supports include the following types:
    - a. Horizontal (MSS Type 54): Mounted horizontally.
    - b. Vertical (MSS Type 55): Mounted vertically.
    - c. Trapeze (MSS Type 56): Two vertical-type supports and one trapeze member.
  9. [Install vibration isolation hangers or supports on all piping connected to motor driven equipment for a distance of 20' or the first two hangers.](#)
- P. Comply with MSS SP-69 for trapeze pipe-hanger selections and applications that are not specified in piping system Sections.
- Q. Comply with MFMA-103 for metal framing system selections and applications that are not specified in piping system Sections.
- R. Use powder-actuated fasteners or mechanical-expansion anchors instead of building attachments where required in concrete construction.

### 3.7 MISCELLANEOUS:

- A. Equipment bases and supports.
1. Provide housekeeping pads of concrete, minimum 4 inches thick and extending 6 inches beyond supported equipment. Changers edges all four side.
  2. Provide templates, anchor bolts, and accessories for mounting and anchoring equipment. Provide for all equipment, pumps, air handling units, etc.
  3. Refer to 23 0548 Vibration controls for HVAC piping and piping and equipment for vibration inertia bases.
  4. Construct supports of steel members. Brace and fasten with flanges bolted to structure. Provide rigid anchors for pipes after vibration isolation components are installed.
- B. Flashing;

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1. Provide flexible flashing and metal counter-flashing where piping and ductwork penetrate weather or waterproofed walls, floors, and roofs.
  2. Flash piping projecting above finished roof surface with prefabricated steel reinforced boot and counter flashing sleeve.
- C. Sleeves;
1. Sleeves are required for all piping passing through walls and/or slabs. Sleeve diameter to be large enough to accommodate insulated piping.
  2. Sleeves through interior non-fire rated walls are to have annular space between pipe and sleeve filled with materials specified in Division 1.
  3. Sleeves thru fire rated walls to have annular space filled with fire stopping wrapping strips and expanding caulking applied with a caulking gun for a minimum depth of 3" or in another manner suitable for the application as recommended by the manufacturer. See Division 1.
- D. Escutcheons:
1. Provide escutcheons on all wall pipe penetrations that are visible outside MER spaces. All escutcheons shall be chrome plated.

END OF SECTION 230529



SECTION 23 05 53 IDENTIFICATION FOR HVAC PIPING EQUIPMENT

PART 1 GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Section Includes:
  - 1. Equipment labels
  - 2. Warning signs and labels.
  - 3. Pipe labels.
  - 4. Stencils.
  - 5. Valve tags.
  - 6. Warning tags.

1.3 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product indicated.
- B. Samples: For color, letter style, and graphic representation required for each identification material and device.
- C. Equipment Label Schedule: Include a listing of all equipment to be labeled with the proposed content for each label.
- D. Valve numbering scheme.
- E. Valve Schedules: For each piping system to include in maintenance manuals.

1.4 COORDINATION

- A. Coordinate installation of identifying devices with completion of covering and painting of surfaces where devices are to be applied.
- B. Coordinate installation of identifying devices with locations of access panels and doors.
- C. Install identifying devices before installing acoustical ceilings and similar concealment.

## PART 2 PRODUCTS

## 2.1 NAMEPLATES, TAGS, MARKERS, ETC

- A. Manufacturer: W.H. Brady Co., Signmark Div
- B. Acceptable manufacturers offering equivalent products
  - 1. Atlantic Engraving Company.
  - 2. Seton Name Plate Co.
  - 3. MSI Services
  - 4. Substitutions as per Contract Requirements.
- C. Description: Nameplates should be as specified in Division 1.

## 2.3 EQUIPMENT LABELS

- A. Metal Labels for Equipment:
  - 1. Material and Thickness: Brass 0.032-inch, stainless steel 0.025-inch, aluminum, 0.032-inch or anodized aluminum, 0.032-inch minimum thickness, and having predrilled or stamped holes for attachment hardware.
  - 2. Letter Color: As per ANSI depending on service.
  - 3. Background Color: As per ANSI depending on service.
  - 4. Minimum Label Size: Length and width vary for required label content, but not less than 2-1/2 by 3/4 inch.
  - 5. Minimum Letter Size: 1/4 inch for name of units if viewing distance is less than 24 inches, 1/2 inch for viewing distances up to 72 inches, and proportionately larger lettering for greater viewing distances. Include secondary lettering two-thirds to three-quarters the size of principal lettering.
  - 6. Fasteners: Stainless-steel rivets or self-tapping screws.
  - 7. Adhesive: Contact-type permanent adhesive, compatible with label and with substrate.
- B. Plastic Labels for Equipment:
  - 1. Material and Thickness: Multilayer, multicolor, plastic labels for mechanical engraving, 1/8 inch thick, and having predrilled holes for attachment hardware.
  - 2. Letter Color: As per ANSI depending on service.
  - 3. Background Color: As per ANSI depending on service.
  - 4. Maximum Temperature: Able to withstand temperatures up to 160 deg F.
  - 5. Minimum Label Size: Length and width vary for required label content, but not less than 2-1/2 by 3/4 inch.
  - 6. Minimum Letter Size: 1/4 inch for name of units if viewing distance is less than 24 inches, 1/2 inch for viewing distances up to 72 inches, and proportionately larger lettering for greater viewing distances. Include secondary lettering two-thirds to three-quarters the size of principal lettering.
  - 7. Fasteners: Stainless-steel rivets or self-tapping screws.
  - 8. Adhesive: Contact-type permanent adhesive, compatible with label and with substrate.

- C. Label Content: Include equipment's Drawing designation or unique equipment number, Drawing numbers where equipment is indicated (plans, details, and schedules), and the Specification Section number and title where equipment is specified.
- D. Equipment Label Schedule: For each item of equipment to be labeled, on 8-1/2-by-11-inch bond paper. Tabulate equipment identification number and identify Drawing numbers where equipment is indicated (plans, details, and schedules) and the Specification Section number and title where equipment is specified. Equipment schedule shall be included in operation and maintenance data.

## 2.4 WARNING SIGNS AND LABELS

- A. Material and Thickness: Multilayer, multicolor, plastic labels for mechanical engraving, 1/8 inch thick, and having predrilled holes for attachment hardware.
- B. Letter Color: White.
- C. Background Color: Black.
- D. Maximum Temperature: Able to withstand temperatures up to 160 deg F.
- E. Minimum Label Size: Length and width vary for required label content, but not less than 2-1/2 by 3/4 inch.
- F. Minimum Letter Size: 1/2 inch for name of units if viewing distance is less than 3'. For every thing else the lettering shall be no less than 1"
- G. Fasteners: Stainless-steel rivets or self-tapping screws.
- H. Adhesive: Contact-type permanent adhesive, compatible with label and with substrate.
- I. Label Content: Include caution and warning information, plus emergency notification instructions.

## 2.5 PIPE LABELS

- A. General Requirements for Manufactured Pipe Labels: Preprinted, color-coded, with lettering indicating service, and showing flow direction.
- B. Pretensioned Pipe Labels: Precoiled, semirigid plastic formed to partially cover circumference of pipe and to attach to pipe without fasteners or adhesive.
- C. Self-Adhesive Pipe Labels: Printed plastic with contact-type, permanent-adhesive backing.
- D. Pipe Label Contents: Include identification of piping service using same designations or abbreviations as used on Drawings, pipe size, and an arrow indicating flow direction.

- E. Flow-Direction Arrows: Integral with piping system service lettering to accommodate both directions, or as separate unit on each pipe label to indicate flow direction.
- F. Lettering Size: At least 1-1/2 inches high.

## 2.6 VALVE TAGS

- A. Valve Tags: Stamped or engraved with 1/4-inch letters for piping system abbreviation and 1/2-inch numbers.
  - 1. Tag Material: Brass, 0.032-inch minimum thickness, and having predrilled or stamped holes for attachment hardware.
  - 2. Fasteners: Brass wire-link or beaded chain; or S-hook.
- B. Valve Schedules: For each piping system, on 8-1/2-by-11-inch bond paper. Tabulate valve number, piping system, system abbreviation (as shown on valve tag), location of valve (room or space), normal-operating position (open, closed, or modulating), and variations for identification. Mark valves for emergency shutoff and similar special uses.
- C. **All new mechanical valves shall be tagged. All existing mechanical valves that are to remain in the Mechanical equipment Rooms shall be retagged in sequence with new valves.**

## 2.7 WARNING TAGS

- A. Warning Tags: Preprinted or partially preprinted, accident-prevention tags, of plasticized card stock with matte finish suitable for writing.
  - 1. Size: 1 1/2" letters minimum.
  - 2. Fasteners: Brass grommet and wire.
  - 3. Nomenclature: Large-size primary caption such as "DANGER," "CAUTION," or "DO NOT OPERATE."
  - 4. Color: Yellow background with black lettering.

## PART 3 EXECUTION

### 3.1 PREPARATION

- A. Clean piping and equipment surfaces of substances that could impair bond of identification devices, including dirt, oil, grease, release agents, and incompatible primers, paints, and encapsulants

### 3.2 PIPE LABEL INSTALLATION

- A. Painting of Pipe: all piping that does not receive insulation shall be painted with rust inhibiting machine enamel.

1. Clean piping in accordance with paint manufactures recommendations. Remove all grease oil and surface rust before painting.
  2. All condenser water and drain piping shall be painted green with black labels and flow arrows.
  3. Label piping as per ANSI color code over pintoed surfaces.
- B. Locate pipe labels where piping is exposed and above accessible ceilings in finished spaces; machine rooms; accessible maintenance spaces such as shafts, tunnels, and plenums; and exterior exposed locations as follows:
1. Near each valve and control device.
  2. Near each branch connection, excluding short takeoffs for fixtures and terminal units. Where flow pattern is not obvious, mark each pipe at branch.
  3. Near penetrations through walls, floors, ceilings, and inaccessible enclosures.
  4. At access doors, manholes, and similar access points that permit view of concealed piping.
  5. Near major equipment items and other points of origination and termination.
  6. Spaced at maximum intervals of 25' along each run. Reduce intervals to 15 feet in areas of congested piping and equipment.
  7. On piping above removable acoustical ceilings. Omit intermediately spaced labels.
- C. Directional Flow Arrows: provide directional flow arrows spaced at maximum intervals of 25' along each run. Reduce intervals to 15 feet in areas of congested piping and equipment.
- D. Label all mechanical piping and existing piping in the areas of work including hot water chilled water, drain dual temperature and condenser water. Background color and service name shall be in accordance with ANSI and industry standards.
- E. Lettering shall be no less than 1" on small piping and 2" on piping 3" and larger.

### 3.3 VALVE-TAG INSTALLATION

- A. Install tags on valves and control devices in all mechanical piping systems, except check valves; valves within factory-fabricated equipment units; List tagged valves in a valve schedule.
- B. All new mechanical valves shall be tagged. All existing valves that are to remain in the area of work shall be retagged in sequence with new valves. This includes hot water chilled water, drain dual temperature and condenser water piping systems.**

### 3.4 WARNING-TAG INSTALLATION

- A. Write required message on, and attach warning tags to, equipment and other items where required.

### 3.5 INSTALLATION

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- A. Install tags, markers, etc. in conformance with Division 1.
- B. Unless otherwise specified, color shall conform with ANSI/ASME A13.1
- C. Install identifying devices after completion of coverings and painting.
- D. Install plastic nameplates with corrosive-resistant mechanical fasteners, or adhesive.
- E. Install labels with sufficient adhesive to ensure permanent adhesion and seal with clear lacquer. For unfinished cloth covering, apply paint primer before applying labels.
- F. Install tags using corrosion resistant chain. Number tags consecutively by location.
- H. Identify all equipment, including pumps, air handlers, air cooled condensers, boilers, chillers, pumps, packaged AC units, and hot water heater with nameplates. Small devices, such as in-line pumps, may be identified with metal tags. Identify service of all air handling units, ac units split and packaged units. I.E. Ground floor offices.
- I. Identify control panels and major control components outside panels with nameplates.
- J. Identify valves in main and branch piping with brass tags. Main shutoff valves for boilers shall be furnished with special wording as required by ASME IV HG 710.5 "Supply or Return Valve No. X - Do Not Close Without Also Closing Supply or Return Valve No. Y".
- K. Tag automatic controls, instruments, and relays. Key to control schematic.
- L. Identify piping, concealed or exposed, with markers. Use tags on piping 3/4 inch diameter and smaller. Identify service, flow direction, and pressure. Install in clear view and align with axis of piping. Locate identification not to exceed 20 feet on straight runs including risers and drops, adjacent to each valve and tee, at each side of penetration of structure or enclosure, and at each obstruction. Labeling shall be in conformance with OSHA and ANSI A13.1.
- M. Identify all ductwork every 20' with flow arrows and unit or air handler served as well as service, such as SUPPLY AIR, RETURN AIR, EXHAUST AIR. Etc
- N. All smoke purge system components (including supply and exhaust ductwork) shall be clearly identified as such by stenciling the function and zone on the components, e.g. Smoke Purge Supply - Zone 2; Smoke Purge Exhaust - Zone 3; Smoke Damper No. 5; etc. Stenciling shall be 6" high red letters located (every 10 feet along duct).
- O. Identify all Smoke Dampers and Fire Dampers. All dampers shall be sequentially numbered by floor. For example fire damper - FD-1-1 (Fire damper #1, floor 1) Tag shall be 1" high red letters located on damper. Provide red dot stencil on ceiling below damper.

- P. Provide permanent labels for all controls and limits which state function of each control and control set-points.
- Q Provide tags for the following; new and existing **and** on re-piped existing equipment including but not limited to the following;
- Hydronic systems
  - Condenser water

### 3.3 SCHEDULE

- A. Provide valve chart and schedule minimum of 8.5" x 11" in aluminum frame with clear laminate face. Install in the boiler room or at location as directed by the facilities. Indicate Valve #, size, Service and N.O. or N.C.. Included with the schedule shall be a floor plan indicating each valve location. Numbered in accordance with the schedule.

VALVE TAG SCHEDULE			
No.	size	Service	N.O./N.C.

The chart shall contain all new and existing HVAC and related systems valves, new or existing. Including; heating water, chilled water, condenser water dual temperature and cold water make up, and drain.

END OF SECTION

SECTION 230593 – TESTING, ADJUSTING, AND BALANCING FOR HVAC

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

1.2 SUMMARY

A. Section Includes:

- 1. Balancing Air Systems:
  - a. Constant-volume air systems.
- 2. Balancing Hydronic Piping Systems:
  - a. Constant-flow hydronic systems.
  - b. Primary-secondary hydronic systems.
- 3. Testing, Adjusting, and Balancing Equipment:
  - a. Motors.
  - b. Chillers.
  - c. Cooling towers.
  - d. Boilers.
  - e. pumps
- 4. Testing, adjusting, and balancing existing systems and equipment.
- 5. Duct leakage tests.
- 6. Control system verification.

1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. AABC: Associated Air Balance Council.
- B. BAS: Building automation systems.
- C. NEBB: National Environmental Balancing Bureau.
- D. TAB: Testing, adjusting, and balancing.
- E. TABB: Testing, Adjusting, and Balancing Bureau.
- F. TAB Specialist: An independent entity meeting qualifications to perform TAB work.



- G. TDH: Total dynamic head.

#### 1.4 PREINSTALLATION MEETINGS

- A. TAB Conference: If requested by the engineer, conduct a TAB conference at Project site after approval of the TAB strategies and procedures plan to develop a mutual understanding of the details. Provide a minimum of 14 days' advance notice of scheduled meeting time and location.

1. Minimum Agenda Items:

- a. The Contract Documents examination report.
- b. The TAB plan.
- c. Needs for coordination and cooperation of trades and subcontractors.
- d. Proposed procedures for documentation and communication flow.

#### 1.5 SUBMITTALS

- A. Qualification Data: Within 30 days of Contractor's Notice to Proceed, submit documentation that the TAB specialist and this Project's TAB team members meet the qualifications specified in "Quality Assurance" Article.
- B. Contract Documents Examination Report: Within 30 days of Contractor's Notice to Proceed, submit the Contract Documents review report as specified in Part 3.
- C. Certified TAB reports.
- D. Sample report forms.
- E. Instrument calibration reports, to include the following:
1. Instrument type and make.
  2. Serial number.
  3. Application.
  4. Dates of use.
  5. Dates of calibration.

#### 1.6 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. TAB Specialists Qualifications: Certified by AABC NEBB or TABB.
1. TAB Field Supervisor: Employee of the TAB specialist and certified by AABC or NEBB or TABB.
  2. TAB Technician: Employee of the TAB specialist and certified by AABC or NEBB as a TAB technician.
- B. Instrumentation Type, Quantity, Accuracy, and Calibration: Comply with requirements in ASHRAE 111, Section 4, "Instrumentation."

## 1.7 FIELD CONDITIONS

- A. Full Owner Occupancy: Owner will occupy the site and existing building during entire TAB period. Cooperate with Owner during TAB operations to minimize conflicts with Owner's operations.
- B. Partial Owner Occupancy: Owner may occupy completed areas of building before Substantial Completion. Cooperate with Owner during TAB operations to minimize conflicts with Owner's operations.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS (Not Applicable)

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

## 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine the Contract Documents to become familiar with Project requirements and to discover conditions in systems designs that may preclude proper TAB of systems and equipment.
- B. Examine installed systems for balancing devices, such as test ports, gage cocks, thermometer wells, flow-control devices, balancing valves and fittings, and manual volume dampers. Verify that locations of these balancing devices are applicable for intended purpose and are accessible.
- C. Examine the approved submittals for HVAC systems and equipment.
- D. Examine design data including HVAC system descriptions, statements of design assumptions for environmental conditions and systems output, and statements of philosophies and assumptions about HVAC system and equipment controls.
- E. Examine ceiling plenums and underfloor air plenums used for supply, return, or relief air to verify that they are properly separated from adjacent areas. Verify that penetrations in plenum walls are sealed and fire-stopped if required.
- F. Examine equipment performance data including fan and pump curves.
  - 1. Relate performance data to Project conditions and requirements, including system effects that can create undesired or unpredicted conditions that cause reduced capacities in all or part of a system.
  - 2. Calculate system-effect factors to reduce performance ratings of HVAC equipment when installed under conditions different from the conditions used to rate equipment performance. To calculate system effects for air systems, use tables and charts found in AMCA 201, "Fans and Systems," or in SMACNA's "HVAC Systems - Duct Design." Compare results with the design data and installed conditions.
- G. Examine system and equipment installations and verify that field quality-control testing, cleaning, and adjusting specified in individual Sections have been performed.

- H. Examine test reports specified in individual system and equipment Sections.
- I. Examine HVAC equipment and verify that bearings are greased, belts are aligned and tight, filters are clean, and equipment with functioning controls is ready for operation.
- J. Examine terminal units, such as variable-air-volume boxes, and verify that they are accessible and their controls are connected and functioning.
- K. Examine strainers. Verify that startup screens have been replaced by permanent screens with indicated perforations.
- L. Examine control valves for proper installation for their intended function of throttling, diverting, or mixing fluid flows.
- M. Examine heat-transfer coils for correct piping connections and for clean and straight fins.
- N. Examine system pumps to ensure absence of entrained air in the suction piping.
- O. Examine operating safety interlocks and controls on HVAC equipment.
- P. Report deficiencies discovered before and during performance of TAB procedures. Observe and record system reactions to changes in conditions. Record default set points if different from indicated values.

### 3.2 PREPARATION

- A. Prepare a TAB plan that includes the following:
  - 1. Equipment and systems to be tested.
  - 2. Strategies and step-by-step procedures for balancing the systems.
  - 3. Instrumentation to be used.
  - 4. Sample forms with specific identification for all equipment.
- B. Perform system-readiness checks of HVAC systems and equipment to verify system readiness for TAB work. Include, at a minimum, the following:
  - 1. Airside:
    - a. Verify that leakage and pressure tests on air distribution systems have been satisfactorily completed.
    - b. Duct systems are complete with terminals installed.
    - c. Volume, smoke, and fire dampers are open and functional.
    - d. Clean filters are installed.
    - e. Fans are operating, free of vibration, and rotating in correct direction.
    - f. Variable-frequency controllers' startup is complete and safeties are verified.
    - g. Automatic temperature-control systems are operational.
    - h. Ceilings are installed.
    - i. Windows and doors are installed.
    - j. Suitable access to balancing devices and equipment is provided.

## 2. Hydronics:

- a. Verify leakage and pressure tests on water distribution systems have been satisfactorily completed.
- b. Piping is complete with terminals installed.
- c. Water treatment is complete.
- d. Systems are flushed, filled, and air purged.
- e. Strainers are pulled and cleaned.
- f. Control valves are functioning per the sequence of operation.
- g. Shutoff and balance valves have been verified to be 100 percent open.
- h. Pumps are started and proper rotation is verified.
- i. Pump gage connections are installed directly at pump inlet and outlet flanges or in discharge and suction pipe prior to valves or strainers.
- j. Variable-frequency controllers' startup is complete and safeties are verified.
- k. Suitable access to balancing devices and equipment is provided.

## 3.3 GENERAL PROCEDURES FOR TESTING AND BALANCING

- A. Perform testing and balancing procedures on each system according to the procedures contained in AABC's "National Standards for Total System Balance" ASHRAE 111 NEBB's "Procedural Standards for Testing, Adjusting, and Balancing of Environmental Systems" SMACNA's "HVAC Systems - Testing, Adjusting, and Balancing" and in this Section.
- B. Cut insulation, ducts, pipes, and equipment cabinets for installation of test probes to the minimum extent necessary for TAB procedures.
  1. After testing and balancing, install test ports and duct access doors that comply with requirements in Section 233300 "Air Duct Accessories."
  2. Install and join new insulation that matches removed materials. Restore insulation, coverings, vapor barrier, and finish according to Section 230713 "Duct Insulation," Section 230716 "HVAC Equipment Insulation," and Section 230719 "HVAC Piping Insulation."
- C. Mark equipment and balancing devices, including damper-control positions, valve position indicators, fan-speed-control levers, and similar controls and devices, with paint or other suitable, permanent identification material to show final settings.
- D. Take and report testing and balancing measurements in inch-pound (IP) units.

## 3.4 GENERAL PROCEDURES FOR BALANCING AIR ALL SYSTEMS

- A. Prepare test reports for both fans and outlets. Obtain manufacturer's outlet factors and recommended testing procedures. Cross-check the summation of required outlet volumes with required fan volumes.
- B. Prepare schematic diagrams of systems' "as-built" duct layouts.
- C. For variable-air-volume systems, develop a plan to simulate diversity.

- D. Determine the best locations in main and branch ducts for accurate duct-airflow measurements.
- E. Check airflow patterns from the outdoor-air louvers and dampers and the return- and exhaust-air dampers through the supply-fan discharge and mixing dampers.
- F. Locate start-stop and disconnect switches, electrical interlocks, and motor starters.
- G. Verify that motor starters are equipped with properly sized thermal protection.
- H. Check dampers for proper position to achieve desired airflow path.
- I. Check for airflow blockages.
- J. Check condensate drains for proper connections and functioning.
- K. Check for proper sealing of air-handling-unit components.
- L. Verify that air duct system is sealed as specified in Section 233113 "Metal Ducts."
- M. Code requirements;

Each supply air outlet and zone terminal device shall be equipped with means for air balancing in accordance with the requirements of Chapter 6 of the International Mechanical Code. Discharge dampers used for air-system balancing are prohibited on constant-volume fans and variable volume fans with motors 10 hp and larger. Air systems shall be balanced in a manner to first minimize throttling losses then, for fans with system power greater than 1 hp, fan speed shall be adjusted to meet design flow conditions.

### 3.5 PROCEDURES FOR CONSTANT-VOLUME AIR SYSTEMS

- A. Adjust fans to deliver total indicated airflows within the maximum allowable fan speed listed by fan manufacturer.
  - 1. Measure total airflow.
    - a. Set outside-air, return-air, and relief-air dampers for proper position that simulates minimum outdoor-air conditions.
    - b. Where duct conditions allow, measure airflow by Pitot-tube traverse. If necessary, perform multiple Pitot-tube traverses to obtain total airflow.
    - c. Where duct conditions are not suitable for Pitot-tube traverse measurements, a coil traverse may be acceptable.
    - d. If a reliable Pitot-tube traverse or coil traverse is not possible, measure airflow at terminals and calculate the total airflow.
  - 2. Measure fan static pressures as follows:
    - a. Measure static pressure directly at the fan outlet or through the flexible connection.
    - b. Measure static pressure directly at the fan inlet or through the flexible connection.

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- c. Measure static pressure across each component that makes up the air-handling system.
    - d. Report artificial loading of filters at the time static pressures are measured.
  - 3. Review Record Documents to determine variations in design static pressures versus actual static pressures. Calculate actual system-effect factors. Recommend adjustments to accommodate actual conditions.
  - 4. Obtain approval from engineer for adjustment of fan speed higher or lower than indicated speed. Comply with requirements in HVAC Sections for air-handling units for adjustment of fans, belts, and pulley sizes to achieve indicated air-handling-unit performance.
  - 5. Do not make fan-speed adjustments that result in motor overload. Consult equipment manufacturers about fan-speed safety factors. Modulate dampers and measure fan-motor amperage to ensure that no overload occurs. Measure amperage in full-cooling, full-heating, economizer, and any other operating mode to determine the maximum required brake horsepower.
- B. Adjust volume dampers for main duct, submain ducts, and major branch ducts to indicated airflows.
- 1. Measure airflow of submain and branch ducts.
  - 2. Adjust submain and branch duct volume dampers for specified airflow.
  - 3. Re-measure each submain and branch duct after all have been adjusted.
- C. Adjust air inlets and outlets for each space to indicated airflows.
- 1. Set airflow patterns of adjustable outlets for proper distribution without drafts.
  - 2. Measure inlets and outlets airflow.
  - 3. Adjust each inlet and outlet for specified airflow.
  - 4. Re-measure each inlet and outlet after they have been adjusted.
- D. Verify final system conditions.
- 1. Re-measure and confirm that minimum outdoor, return, and relief airflows are within design. Readjust to design if necessary.
  - 2. Re-measure and confirm that total airflow is within design.
  - 3. Re-measure all final fan operating data, rpms, volts, amps, and static profile.
  - 4. Mark all final settings.
  - 5. Test system in economizer mode. Verify proper operation and adjust if necessary.
  - 6. Measure and record all operating data.
  - 7. Record final fan-performance data.

### 3.6 GENERAL PROCEDURES FOR ALL HYDRONIC SYSTEMS

- A. Prepare test reports for pumps, coils, and heat exchangers. Obtain approved submittals and manufacturer-recommended testing procedures. Crosscheck the summation of required coil and heat exchanger flow rates with pump design flow rate.
- B. Prepare schematic diagrams of systems' "as-built" piping layouts.

- C. In addition to requirements in "Preparation" Article, prepare hydronic systems for testing and balancing as follows:
1. Check liquid level in expansion tank.
  2. Check highest vent for adequate pressure.
  3. Check flow-control valves for proper position.
  4. Locate start-stop and disconnect switches, electrical interlocks, and motor starters.
  5. Verify that motor starters are equipped with properly sized thermal protection.
  6. Check that air has been purged from the system.
- D. Code requirements;
1. Individual hydronic heating and cooling coils shall be equipped with means for balancing and measuring flow. Hydronic systems shall be proportionately balanced in a manner to first minimize throttling losses, then the pump impeller shall be trimmed or pump speed shall be adjusted to meet design flow conditions. Each hydronic system shall have either the capability to measure pressure across the pump, or test ports at each side of each pump.
  2. For systems 10 Hp and over, where throttle or balance valves are used on the discharge side of pumps balancing shall be performed by adjusting pumps speed at the variable frequency drive. The balance or throttle valves shall be used for positive shut off and as a means of reading flow across the ports.
  3. Flow shall be balanced to total gpm given in the schedule for the pump and branch gpm as given on plan. Total dynamic head, (TDH), given in the plans and schedule or specifications is an estimate. The system shall be balanced such that the required flow is achieved by adjusting pump speed and branch balancing valves as well as terminal unit balancing valves. Upon balancing the actual required TDH can be established. This shall be used as the design set point used to modulate pump speed.

### 3.7 PROCEDURES FOR CONSTANT-FLOW HYDRONIC SYSTEMS

- A. Adjust pumps to deliver total design gpm.
1. Measure total water flow.
    - a. Position valves for full flow through coils.
    - b. Measure flow by main flow meter, if installed.
    - c. If main flow meter is not installed, determine flow by pump TDH or exchanger pressure drop.
  2. Measure pump TDH as follows:
    - a. Measure discharge pressure directly at the pump outlet flange or in discharge pipe prior to any valves.
    - b. Measure inlet pressure directly at the pump inlet flange or in suction pipe prior to any valves or strainers.
    - c. Convert pressure to head and correct for differences in gage heights.

- d. Verify pump impeller size by measuring the TDH with the discharge valve closed. Note the point on manufacturer's pump curve at zero flow, and verify that the pump has the intended impeller size.
  - e. With valves open, read pump TDH. Adjust pump discharge valve until design water flow is achieved.
3. Monitor motor performance during procedures and do not operate motor in an overloaded condition.
- B. Adjust flow-measuring devices installed in mains and branches to design water flows.
1. Measure flow in main and branch pipes.
  2. Adjust main and branch balance valves for design flow.
  3. Re-measure each main and branch after all have been adjusted.
- C. Adjust flow-measuring devices installed at terminals for each space to design water flows.
1. Measure flow at terminals.
  2. Adjust each terminal to design flow.
  3. Re-measure each terminal after it is adjusted.
  4. Position control valves to bypass the coil, and adjust the bypass valve to maintain design flow.
  5. Perform temperature tests after flows have been balanced.
- D. For systems with pressure-independent valves at terminals:
1. Measure differential pressure and verify that it is within manufacturer's specified range.
  2. Perform temperature tests after flows have been verified.
- E. For systems without pressure-independent valves or flow-measuring devices at terminals:
1. Measure and balance coils by either coil pressure drop or temperature method.
  2. If balanced by coil pressure drop, perform temperature tests after flows have been verified.
- F. Verify final system conditions as follows:
1. Re-measure and confirm that total water flow is within design.
  2. Re-measure final pumps' operating data, TDH, volts, amps, and static profile.
  3. Mark final settings.
- G. Verify that memory stops have been set.

### 3.8 PROCEDURES FOR VARIABLE-FLOW HYDRONIC SYSTEMS

- A. Balance systems with automatic two- and three-way control valves by setting systems at maximum flow through heat-exchange terminals, and proceed as specified above for hydronic systems.



## B. Adjust the variable-flow hydronic system as follows:

1. Verify that the differential-pressure sensor is located as indicated.
2. Determine whether there is diversity in the system.

## C. For systems with no diversity:

1. Adjust pumps to deliver total design gpm.
  - a. Measure total water flow.
    - 1) Position valves for full flow through coils.
    - 2) Measure flow by main flow meter, if installed.
    - 3) If main flow meter is not installed, determine flow by pump TDH or exchanger pressure drop.
  - b. Measure pump TDH as follows:
    - 1) Measure discharge pressure directly at the pump outlet flange or in discharge pipe prior to any valves.
    - 2) Measure inlet pressure directly at the pump inlet flange or in suction pipe prior to any valves or strainers.
    - 3) Convert pressure to head and correct for differences in gage heights.
    - 4) Verify pump impeller size by measuring the TDH with the discharge valve closed. Note the point on manufacturer's pump curve at zero flow and verify that the pump has the intended impeller size.
    - 5) With valves open, read pump TDH. Adjust pump discharge valve until design water flow is achieved.
  - c. Monitor motor performance during procedures and do not operate motor in an overloaded condition.
2. Adjust flow-measuring devices installed in mains and branches to design water flows.
  - a. Measure flow in main and branch pipes.
  - b. Adjust main and branch balance valves for design flow.
  - c. Re-measure each main and branch after all have been adjusted.
3. Adjust flow-measuring devices installed at terminals for each space to design water flows.
  - a. Measure flow at terminals.
  - b. Adjust each terminal to design flow.
  - c. Re-measure each terminal after it is adjusted.
  - d. Position control valves to bypass the coil and adjust the bypass valve to maintain design flow.
  - e. Perform temperature tests after flows have been balanced.
4. For systems with pressure-independent valves at terminals:

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- a. Measure differential pressure and verify that it is within manufacturer's specified range.
  - b. Perform temperature tests after flows have been verified.
5. For systems without pressure-independent valves or flow-measuring devices at terminals:
- a. Measure and balance coils by either coil pressure drop or temperature method.
  - b. If balanced by coil pressure drop, perform temperature tests after flows have been verified.
6. Prior to verifying final system conditions, determine the system differential-pressure set point.
7. If the pump discharge valve was used to set total system flow with variable-frequency controller at 60 Hz, at completion open discharge valve 100 percent and allow variable-frequency controller to control system differential-pressure set point. Record pump data under both conditions.
8. Mark final settings and verify that all memory stops have been set.
9. Verify final system conditions as follows:
- a. Re-measure and confirm that total water flow is within design.
  - b. Re-measure final pumps' operating data, TDH, volts, amps, and static profile.
  - c. Mark final settings.
10. Verify that memory stops have been set.
- D. For systems with diversity:
1. Determine diversity factor.
  2. Simulate system diversity by closing required number of control valves, as approved by the design engineer.
  3. Adjust pumps to deliver total design gpm.
- a. Measure total water flow.
    - 1) Position valves for full flow through coils.
    - 2) Measure flow by main flow meter, if installed.
    - 3) If main flow meter is not installed, determine flow by pump TDH or exchanger pressure drop.
  - b. Measure pump TDH as follows:
    - 1) Measure discharge pressure directly at the pump outlet flange or in discharge pipe prior to any valves.
    - 2) Measure inlet pressure directly at the pump inlet flange or in suction pipe prior to any valves or strainers.
    - 3) Convert pressure to head and correct for differences in gage heights.
    - 4) Verify pump impeller size by measuring the TDH with the discharge valve closed. Note the point on manufacturer's pump curve at zero flow and verify that the pump has the intended impeller size.

- 5) With valves open, read pump TDH. Adjust pump discharge valve until design water flow is achieved.
- c. Monitor motor performance during procedures and do not operate motor in an overloaded condition.
4. Adjust flow-measuring devices installed in mains and branches to design water flows.
  - a. Measure flow in main and branch pipes.
  - b. Adjust main and branch balance valves for design flow.
  - c. Re-measure each main and branch after all have been adjusted.
5. Adjust flow-measuring devices installed at terminals for each space to design water flows.
  - a. Measure flow at terminals.
  - b. Adjust each terminal to design flow.
  - c. Re-measure each terminal after it is adjusted.
  - d. Position control valves to bypass the coil, and adjust the bypass valve to maintain design flow.
  - e. Perform temperature tests after flows have been balanced.
6. For systems with pressure-independent valves at terminals:
  - a. Measure differential pressure, and verify that it is within manufacturer's specified range.
  - b. Perform temperature tests after flows have been verified.
7. For systems without pressure-independent valves or flow-measuring devices at terminals:
  - a. Measure and balance coils by either coil pressure drop or temperature method.
  - b. If balanced by coil pressure drop, perform temperature tests after flows have been verified.
8. Open control valves that were shut. Close a sufficient number of control valves that were previously open to maintain diversity, and balance terminals that were just opened.
9. Prior to verifying final system conditions, determine system differential-pressure set point.
10. If the pump discharge valve was used to set total system flow with variable-frequency controller at 60 Hz, at completion open discharge valve 100 percent and allow variable-frequency controller to control system differential-pressure set point. Record pump data under both conditions.
11. Mark final settings and verify that memory stops have been set.
12. Verify final system conditions as follows:
  - a. Re-measure and confirm that total water flow is within design.
  - b. Re-measure final pumps' operating data, TDH, volts, amps, and static profile.
  - c. Mark final settings.
13. Verify that memory stops have been set.

## 3.9 PROCEDURES FOR PRIMARY-SECONDARY HYDRONIC SYSTEMS

- A. Balance the primary circuit flow first.
- B. Balance the secondary circuits after the primary circuits are complete.
- C. Adjust pumps to deliver total design gpm.
  - 1. Measure total water flow.
    - a. Position valves for full flow through coils.
    - b. Measure flow by main flow meter, if installed.
    - c. If main flow meter is not installed, determine flow by pump TDH or exchanger pressure drop.
  - 2. Measure pump TDH as follows:
    - a. Measure discharge pressure directly at the pump outlet flange or in discharge pipe prior to any valves.
    - b. Measure inlet pressure directly at the pump inlet flange or in suction pipe prior to any valves or strainers.
    - c. Convert pressure to head and correct for differences in gage heights.
    - d. Verify pump impeller size by measuring the TDH with the discharge valve closed. Note the point on manufacturer's pump curve at zero flow and verify that the pump has the intended impeller size.
    - e. With valves open, read pump TDH. Adjust pump discharge valve until design water flow is achieved.
  - 3. Monitor motor performance during procedures and do not operate motor in an overloaded condition.
- D. Adjust flow-measuring devices installed in mains and branches to design water flows.
  - 1. Measure flow in main and branch pipes.
  - 2. Adjust main and branch balance valves for design flow.
  - 3. Re-measure each main and branch after all have been adjusted.
- E. Adjust flow-measuring devices installed at terminals for each space to design water flows.
  - 1. Measure flow at terminals.
  - 2. Adjust each terminal to design flow.
  - 3. Re-measure each terminal after it is adjusted.
  - 4. Position control valves to bypass the coil and adjust the bypass valve to maintain design flow.
  - 5. Perform temperature tests after flows have been balanced.
- F. For systems with pressure-independent valves at terminals:
  - 1. Measure differential pressure and verify that it is within manufacturer's specified range.
  - 2. Perform temperature tests after flows have been verified.

- G. For systems without pressure-independent valves or flow-measuring devices at terminals:
  - 1. Measure and balance coils by either coil pressure drop or temperature method.
  - 2. If balanced by coil pressure drop, perform temperature tests after flows have been verified.
- H. Verify final system conditions as follows:
  - 1. Re-measure and confirm that total water flow is within design.
  - 2. Re-measure final pumps' operating data, TDH, volts, amps, and static profile.
  - 3. Mark final settings.
- I. Verify that memory stops have been set.

### 3.10 PROCEDURES FOR MOTORS

- A. Motors 1/2 HP and Larger: Test at final balanced conditions and record the following data:
  - 1. Manufacturer's name, model number, and serial number.
  - 2. Motor horsepower rating.
  - 3. Motor rpm.
  - 4. Phase and hertz.
  - 5. Nameplate and measured voltage, each phase.
  - 6. Nameplate and measured amperage, each phase.
  - 7. Starter size and thermal-protection-element rating.
  - 8. Service factor and frame size.
- B. Motors Driven by Variable-Frequency Controllers: Test manual bypass of controller to prove proper operation.

### 3.11 PROCEDURES FOR CHILLERS

- A. Balance water flow through each evaporator and condenser to within specified tolerances of indicated flow with all pumps operating. With only one chiller operating in a multiple chiller installation, do not exceed the flow for the maximum tube velocity recommended by the chiller manufacturer. Measure and record the following data with each chiller operating at design conditions:
  - 1. Evaporator-water entering and leaving temperatures, pressure drop, and water flow.
  - 2. For water-cooled chillers, condenser-water entering and leaving temperatures, pressure drop, and water flow.
  - 3. Evaporator and condenser refrigerant temperatures and pressures, using instruments furnished by chiller manufacturer.
  - 4. Power factor if factory-installed instrumentation is furnished for measuring kilowatts.
  - 5. Kilowatt input if factory-installed instrumentation is furnished for measuring kilowatts.
  - 6. Capacity: Calculate in tons of cooling.
  - 7. For air-cooled chillers, verify condenser-fan rotation and record fan and motor data including number of fans and entering- and leaving-air temperatures.

## 3.12 PROCEDURES FOR COOLING TOWERS

## A. Balance total condenser-water flows to towers. Measure and record the following data:

1. Condenser-water flow to each cell of the cooling tower.
2. Entering- and leaving-water temperatures.
3. Wet- and dry-bulb temperatures of entering air.
4. Wet- and dry-bulb temperatures of leaving air.
5. Condenser-water flow rate recirculating through the cooling tower.
6. Cooling-tower spray pump discharge pressure.
7. Condenser-water flow through bypass.
8. Fan and motor operating data.

## 3.13 PROCEDURES FOR BOILERS

## A. Hydronic Boilers:

1. Measure and record entering- and leaving-water temperatures.
2. Measure and record water flow.
3. Record relief valve pressure setting.

## 3.14 PROCEDURES FOR HEAT-TRANSFER COILS

## A. Measure, adjust, and record the following data for each water coil:

1. Entering- and leaving-water temperature.
2. Water flow rate.
3. Water pressure drop for major (more than 20 gpm) equipment coils, excluding unitary equipment such as reheat coils, unit heaters, and fan-coil units.
4. Dry-bulb temperature of entering and leaving air.
5. Wet-bulb temperature of entering and leaving air for cooling coils.
6. Airflow.

## B. Measure, adjust, and record the following data for each electric heating coil:

1. Nameplate data.
2. Airflow.
3. Entering- and leaving-air temperature at full load.
4. Voltage and amperage input of each phase at full load.
5. Calculated kilowatt at full load.
6. Fuse or circuit-breaker rating for overload protection.

## C. Measure, adjust, and record the following data for each steam coil:

1. Dry-bulb temperature of entering and leaving air.
2. Airflow.
3. Inlet steam pressure.

D. Measure, adjust, and record the following data for each refrigerant coil:

1. Dry-bulb temperature of entering and leaving air.
2. Wet-bulb temperature of entering and leaving air.
3. Airflow.

### 3.15 CONTROLS VERIFICATION

A. In conjunction with system balancing, perform the following:

1. Verify temperature control system is operating within the design limitations.
2. Confirm that the sequences of operation are in compliance with Contract Documents.
3. Verify that controllers are calibrated and function as intended.
4. Verify that controller set points are as indicated.
5. Verify the operation of lockout or interlock systems.
6. Verify the operation of valve and damper actuators.
7. Verify that controlled devices are properly installed and connected to correct controller.
8. Verify that controlled devices travel freely and are in position indicated by controller: open, closed, or modulating.
9. Verify location and installation of sensors to ensure that they sense only intended temperature, humidity, or pressure.

B. Reporting: Include a summary of verifications performed, remaining deficiencies, and variations from indicated conditions.

### 3.16 TOLERANCES

A. Set HVAC system's airflow rates and water flow rates within the following tolerances:

1. Supply, Return, and Exhaust Fans and Equipment with Fans: Plus or minus 10 percent.
2. Air Outlets and Inlets: Plus or minus 10 percent.
3. Heating-Water Flow Rate: Plus or minus 10 percent.
4. Cooling-Water Flow Rate: Plus or minus 10 percent.

B. Maintaining pressure relationships as designed shall have priority over the tolerances specified above.

### 3.17 PROGRESS REPORTING

A. Initial Construction-Phase Report: Based on examination of the Contract Documents as specified in "Examination" Article, prepare a report on the adequacy of design for systems balancing devices. Recommend changes and additions to systems balancing devices to facilitate proper performance measuring and balancing. Recommend changes and additions to HVAC systems and general construction to allow access for performance measuring and balancing devices.

- B. Status Reports: Prepare progress reports to describe completed procedures, procedures in progress, and scheduled procedures. Include a list of deficiencies and problems found in systems being tested and balanced. Prepare a separate report for each system and each building floor for systems serving multiple floors.

### 3.18 FINAL REPORT

- A. General: Prepare a certified written report; tabulate and divide the report into separate sections for tested systems and balanced systems.
1. Include a certification sheet at the front of the report's binder, signed and sealed by the certified testing and balancing engineer.
  2. Include a list of instruments used for procedures, along with proof of calibration.
  3. Certify validity and accuracy of field data.
- B. Final Report Contents: In addition to certified field-report data, include the following:
1. Pump curves.
  2. Fan curves.
  3. Manufacturers' test data.
  4. Field test reports prepared by system and equipment installers.
  5. Other information relative to equipment performance; do not include Shop Drawings and Product Data.
- C. General Report Data: In addition to form titles and entries, include the following data:
1. Title page.
  2. Name and address of the TAB specialist.
  3. Project name.
  4. Project location.
  5. Architect's name and address.
  6. Engineer's name and address.
  7. Contractor's name and address.
  8. Report date.
  9. Signature of TAB supervisor who certifies the report.
  10. Table of Contents with the total number of pages defined for each section of the report. Number each page in the report.
  11. Summary of contents including the following:
    - a. Indicated versus final performance.
    - b. Notable characteristics of systems.
    - c. Description of system operation sequence if it varies from the Contract Documents.
  12. Nomenclature sheets for each item of equipment.
  13. Data for terminal units, including manufacturer's name, type, size, and fittings.
  14. Notes to explain why certain final data in the body of reports vary from indicated values.
  15. Test conditions for fans and pump performance forms including the following:



- a. Settings for outdoor-, return-, and exhaust-air dampers.
  - b. Conditions of filters.
  - c. Cooling coil, wet- and dry-bulb conditions.
  - d. Face and bypass damper settings at coils.
  - e. Fan drive settings including settings and percentage of maximum pitch diameter.
  - f. Inlet vane settings for variable-air-volume systems.
  - g. Settings for supply-air, static-pressure controller.
  - h. Other system operating conditions that affect performance.
- D. System Diagrams: Include schematic layouts of air and hydronic distribution systems. Present each system with single-line diagram and include the following:
1. Quantities of outdoor, supply, return, and exhaust airflows.
  2. Water and steam flow rates.
  3. Duct, outlet, and inlet sizes.
  4. Pipe and valve sizes and locations.
  5. Terminal units.
  6. Balancing stations.
  7. Position of balancing devices.
- E. Air-Handling-Unit Test Reports: For air-handling units with coils, include the following:
1. Unit Data:
    - a. Unit identification.
    - b. Location.
    - c. Make and type.
    - d. Model number and unit size.
    - e. Manufacturer's serial number.
    - f. Unit arrangement and class.
    - g. Discharge arrangement.
    - h. Sheave make, size in inches, and bore.
    - i. Center-to-center dimensions of sheave and amount of adjustments in inches.
    - j. Number, make, and size of belts.
    - k. Number, type, and size of filters.
  2. Motor Data:
    - a. Motor make, and frame type and size.
    - b. Horsepower and rpm.
    - c. Volts, phase, and hertz.
    - d. Full-load amperage and service factor.
    - e. Sheave make, size in inches, and bore.
    - f. Center-to-center dimensions of sheave and amount of adjustments in inches.
  3. Test Data (Indicated and Actual Values):
    - a. Total airflow rate in cfm.
    - b. Total system static pressure in inches wg.
    - c. Fan rpm.

- d. Discharge static pressure in inches wg.
- e. Filter static-pressure differential in inches wg.
- f. Preheat-coil static-pressure differential in inches wg.
- g. Cooling-coil static-pressure differential in inches wg.
- h. Heating-coil static-pressure differential in inches wg.
- i. Outdoor airflow in cfm.
- j. Return airflow in cfm.
- k. Outdoor-air damper position.
- l. Return-air damper position.
- m. Vortex damper position.

**F. Apparatus-Coil Test Reports:**

1. Coil Data:

- a. System identification.
- b. Location.
- c. Coil type.
- d. Number of rows.
- e. Fin spacing in fins per inch o.c.
- f. Make and model number.
- g. Face area in sq. ft..
- h. Tube size in NPS.
- i. Tube and fin materials.
- j. Circuiting arrangement.

2. Test Data (Indicated and Actual Values):

- a. Airflow rate in cfm.
- b. Average face velocity in fpm.
- c. Air pressure drop in inches wg.
- d. Outdoor-air, wet- and dry-bulb temperatures in deg F.
- e. Return-air, wet- and dry-bulb temperatures in deg F.
- f. Entering-air, wet- and dry-bulb temperatures in deg F.
- g. Leaving-air, wet- and dry-bulb temperatures in deg F.
- h. Water flow rate in gpm.
- i. Water pressure differential in feet of head or psig.
- j. Entering-water temperature in deg F.
- k. Leaving-water temperature in deg F.
- l. Refrigerant expansion valve and refrigerant types.
- m. Refrigerant suction pressure in psig.
- n. Refrigerant suction temperature in deg F.
- o. Inlet steam pressure in psig.

**G. Fan Test Reports:** For supply, return, and exhaust fans, include the following:

1. Fan Data:

- a. System identification.
- b. Location.

- c. Make and type.
    - d. Model number and size.
    - e. Manufacturer's serial number.
    - f. Arrangement and class.
    - g. Sheave make, size in inches, and bore.
    - h. Center-to-center dimensions of sheave and amount of adjustments in inches.
  - 2. Motor Data:
    - a. Motor make, and frame type and size.
    - b. Horsepower and rpm.
    - c. Volts, phase, and hertz.
    - d. Full-load amperage and service factor.
    - e. Sheave make, size in inches, and bore.
    - f. Center-to-center dimensions of sheave, and amount of adjustments in inches.
    - g. Number, make, and size of belts.
  - 3. Test Data (Indicated and Actual Values):
    - a. Total airflow rate in cfm.
    - b. Total system static pressure in inches wg.
    - c. Fan rpm.
    - d. Discharge static pressure in inches wg.
    - e. Suction static pressure in inches wg.
- H. Round, Flat-Oval, and Rectangular Duct Traverse Reports: Include a diagram with a grid representing the duct cross-section and record the following: **(NOT USED)**
- 1. Report Data:
    - a. System and air-handling-unit number.
    - b. Location and zone.
    - c. Traverse air temperature in deg F.
    - d. Duct static pressure in inches wg.
    - e. Duct size in inches.
    - f. Duct area in sq. ft..
    - g. Indicated airflow rate in cfm.
    - h. Indicated velocity in fpm.
    - i. Actual airflow rate in cfm.
    - j. Actual average velocity in fpm.
    - k. Barometric pressure in psig.
- I. Air-Terminal-Device Reports: **(NOT USED)**
- 1. Unit Data:
    - a. System and air-handling unit identification.
    - b. Location and zone.
    - c. Apparatus used for test.
    - d. Area served.

- e. Make.
  - f. Number from system diagram.
  - g. Type and model number.
  - h. Size.
  - i. Effective area in sq. ft..
2. Test Data (Indicated and Actual Values):
- a. Airflow rate in cfm.
  - b. Air velocity in fpm.
  - c. Preliminary airflow rate as needed in cfm.
  - d. Preliminary velocity as needed in fpm.
  - e. Final airflow rate in cfm.
  - f. Final velocity in fpm.
  - g. Space temperature in deg F.
- J. System-Coil Reports: For reheat coils and water coils of terminal units, include the following:
1. Unit Data:
- a. System and air-handling-unit identification.
  - b. Location and zone.
  - c. Room or riser served.
  - d. Coil make and size.
  - e. Flowmeter type.
2. Test Data (Indicated and Actual Values):
- a. Airflow rate in cfm.
  - b. Entering-water temperature in deg F.
  - c. Leaving-water temperature in deg F.
  - d. Water pressure drop in feet of head or psig.
  - e. Entering-air temperature in deg F.
  - f. Leaving-air temperature in deg F.
- K. Pump Test Reports Primary and secondary : Calculate impeller size by plotting the shutoff head on pump curves and include the following:
1. Unit Data:
- a. Unit identification.
  - b. Location.
  - c. Service.
  - d. Make and size.
  - e. Model number and serial number.
  - f. Water flow rate in gpm.
  - g. Water pressure differential in feet of head or psig.
  - h. Required net positive suction head in feet of head or psig.
  - i. Pump rpm.
  - j. Impeller diameter in inches.

- k. Motor make and frame size.
  - l. Motor horsepower and rpm.
  - m. Voltage at each connection.
  - n. Amperage for each phase.
  - o. Full-load amperage and service factor.
  - p. Seal type.
2. Test Data (Indicated and Actual Values):
- a. Static head in feet of head or psig.
  - b. Pump shutoff pressure in feet of head or psig.
  - c. Actual impeller size in inches.
  - d. Full-open flow rate in gpm.
  - e. Full-open pressure in feet of head or psig.
  - f. Final discharge pressure in feet of head or psig.
  - g. Final suction pressure in feet of head or psig.
  - h. Final total pressure in feet of head or psig.
  - i. Final water flow rate in gpm.
  - j. Voltage at each connection.
  - k. Amperage for each phase.
- L. Chiller Test Reports: Include the following:
1. Unit Data:
- a. Unit identification.
  - b. Location.
  - c. Service.
  - d. Make and size.
  - e. Model number and serial number.
  - f. Water flow rate in gpm.
  - g. Water pressure differential in feet of head or psig.
  - h. Voltage at each connection.
  - i. Amperage for each phase.
  - j. Full-load amperage and service factor.
  - k. Seal type.
2. Test Data (Indicated and Actual Values):
- a.
  - b. Full-operating flow rate in gpm. Chilled and condenser
  - c. Full-operating pressure in feet of head or psig. Chilled and condenser
  - d. Inlet water temperature chilled and condenser
  - e. Outlet water temperature chilled and condenser
  - f. Voltage at each connection.
- M. Amperage for each phase.
- N. Unit Heater Reports:
1. Identification/number

2. Water flow, design and actual

3. Balancing valve setting

O. Instrument Calibration Reports:

1. Report Data:

- a. Instrument type and make.
- b. Serial number.
- c. Application.
- d. Dates of use.
- e. Dates of calibration.

3.19 VERIFICATION OF TAB REPORT

- A. The TAB specialist's test and balance engineer shall conduct the inspection in the presence of commissioning authority.
- B. Commissioning authority shall randomly select measurements, documented in the final report, to be rechecked. Rechecking shall be limited to either 10 percent of the total measurements recorded or the extent of measurements that can be accomplished in a normal 8-hour business day.
- C. If rechecks yield measurements that differ from the measurements documented in the final report by more than the tolerances allowed, the measurements shall be noted as "FAILED."
- D. If the number of "FAILED" measurements is greater than 10 percent of the total measurements checked during the final inspection, the testing and balancing shall be considered incomplete and shall be rejected.
- E. If TAB work fails, proceed as follows:
  - 1. TAB specialists shall recheck all measurements and make adjustments. Revise the final report and balancing device settings to include all changes; resubmit the final report and request a second final inspection.
  - 2. If the second final inspection also fails, Owner may contract the services of another TAB specialist to complete TAB work according to the Contract Documents and deduct the cost of the services from the original TAB specialist's final payment.
- F. Prepare test and inspection reports.

3.20 ADDITIONAL TESTS

- A. Within 90 days of completing TAB, perform additional TAB to verify that balanced conditions are being maintained throughout and to correct unusual conditions.

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- B. Seasonal Periods: If initial TAB procedures were not performed during near-peak summer and winter conditions, perform additional TAB during near-peak summer and winter conditions.

END OF SECTION 230593

SECTION 23 07 13 HVAC DUCTWORK INSULATION

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Ductwork insulation.
- B. Duct Liner.
- C. Insulation jackets.

1.02 RELATED SECTIONS

- A. Section 23 05 53 - Identification for HVAC Piping and Equipment.
- B. Section 23 31 13 - Ductwork.

1.03 REFERENCES

- A. ASTM C553 - Standard Specification for Mineral Fiber Blanket Thermal Insulation for Commercial and Industrial Applications.
- B. ASTM C612 - Standard Specification for Mineral Fiber Block and Board Thermal Insulation.
- C. ASTM E84 - Standard Test Method for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials.
- D. NAIMA National Insulation Standards.
- E. NFPA 255 - Standard Method of Test of Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials.
- F. SMACNA - HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible.
- G. UL 723 - Standard for Test for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials.
- H. ASHRAE 90-75 – Insulation Standards

1.04 SUBMITTALS

- A. Division 1 - Submittals: Procedures for submittals.
- B. Product Data: Provide product description, thermal characteristics, list of materials and thickness for each service, and locations.
- C. Submit manufacturers' insulation instructions under provisions of Division 1.

1.05 QUALITY ASSURANCE



- A. Applicator Qualifications: Company specializing in performing the work of this section with minimum three years experience approved by manufacturer.

#### 1.06 REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS

- A. Materials: Flame spread/fuel contributed/smoke developed rating of 25/50/50 in accordance with NFPA 255.
- B. Insulation thickness shall comply with all applicable energy conservation codes.

#### 1.07 ENVIRONMENTAL REQUIREMENTS

- A. Maintain ambient temperatures and conditions required by manufacturers of adhesives, mastics, and insulation cements.
- B. Maintain temperature during and after installation for minimum period of 24 hours.

### PART 2 PRODUCTS

#### 2.01 ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS - INSULATION

- A. Owen Corning Fiberglass Corp.
- B. Manville Industrial Products
- C. Certain Teed Corporation
- D. 3M Corporation "Firemaster" for Kitchen Exhaust
- E. Substitutions: Under provisions of Division 1.

#### 2.02 GLASS FIBER, RIGID

- A. Type A: Flexible glass fiber duct insulation; ANSI/ASTM C612; commercial grade; "K" value of 0.25 at 75° F; minimum density of 1-1/2 pounds per cu. ft.; factory applied vapor barrier jacket of 0.7 mil minimum aluminum foil laminated to glass fiber reinforced Kraft paper. Similar to Owens-Corning type FRK-25-ED Type 150 commercial grade.
- B. Type B: Rigid glass fiber board insulation with resin binder; ANSI/ASTM C612, Class 1; "K" value of 0.23 at 75° F minimum density of 6 pounds per cu. ft; factory applied white Kraft faced flame retardant vapor barrier jacket of aluminum laminated to heavy Kraft paper with a flame retardant snuffer type adhesive and reinforced with glass fibers; permeability of 0.2. Similar to Owens-Corning type 705 with AST jacket.
- C. Type C: Molded block or board insulation made of asbestos free hydrous calcium silicate; "K" value of 0.42 at 200° F; minimum density of 14 pounds per cubic foot; temperature range up to 1200° F.
- D. Type D1: **Flexible Glass: (For standard applications)**

ANSI/ASTM C553; “K” value of 0.23 at 75° F; minimum density of 1.5 pounds per cu. ft.; surface finish of black pigmented fire resistant resilient mastic coated on air side for maximum velocity of 4000 feet per minute.

a. Maximum Thermal Conductivity

- 1) Type I, Flexible: 0.27 Btu x in./h x sq. ft. x deg F at 75 deg F mean temperature.
- 2) Type II, Rigid: 0.23 Btu x in./h x sq. ft. x deg F at 75 deg F mean temperature.
- b. Antimicrobial Erosion-Resistant Coating: Apply to the surface of the liner that will form the interior surface of the duct to act as a moisture repellent and erosion-resistant coating. Antimicrobial compound shall be tested for efficacy by an NRTL and registered by the EPA for use in HVAC systems.
- c. Solvent Water-Based Liner Adhesive: Comply with NFPA 90A or NFPA 90B and with ASTM C 916.

E Type D2: Flexible Elastomeric Duct Liner: **(Wet Or Damp Applications).**

**Flexible Elastomeric Duct Liner:** Preformed, cellular, closed-cell, sheet materials complying with ASTM C 534, Type II, Grade 1; and with NFPA 90A or NFPA 90B.

1. Surface-Burning Characteristics: Maximum flame-spread index of 25 and maximum smoke-developed index of 50 when tested according to UL 723; certified by an NRTL.
2. Liner Adhesive: As recommended by insulation manufacturer and complying with NFPA 90A or NFPA 90B.

F. Type “E” – Fire resistant duct wrap consisting of light weight, non-asbestos high temperature non-organic ceramic fiber blanket encapsulated in foil/scrim having a service temperature rating of 2300° F. Wrap shall be applied in two temperature layers to provide a two-hour rated enclosure assembly. Bonding material shall be 304 stainless steel, ¾” wide and .015” thick.

G Adhesives: Waterproof fire-retardant type. Smoke and flame spread rating less than 50.

H. Indoor Jacket: Pre-sized glass cloth, minimum 7.8 oz/sq. yd unless otherwise specified above.

I. Outdoor Jackets: All exterior ductwork shall be jacketed as per the specification and jacket with Alumaguard Cool Wrap by Polyguard. For watertight insulation jacket install as per manufacturers recommendations. Furnish all mastics and adhesives as per manufacture system.

## PART 3 EXECUTION

### 3.01 EXAMINATION

- A. Install insulation materials only after ductwork has been sealed, tested and approved.
- B. All insulated surfaces are to be cleaned and dried of any foreign material. This includes but is not limited to oil, water, dirt, rust and scale. Completely cover the entire surface to present a tight, smooth appearance.

3.02 INSTALLATION

- A. Division 1 - Quality Control: Install materials in accordance with manufacturer's instructions, specification requirements and in compliance with local code
- B. Install in accordance with NAIMA National Insulation Standards.
- C. Apply insulation in such a way as to permit expansion and/or contraction of metal without causing damage to insulation, joints, seams or finish.
- D. Do not apply additional coats of mastic, adhesive, or sealers until previous coats have thoroughly dried.
- E. Fill in all surface imperfections such as chipped edges, small joints, cracks, holes and small voids with materials o match insulation. Make smooth with a skim coat of insulation cement. Extend surface finish to protect all surfaces and leave no exposed edges.
- F. Provide flashing for insulation installed outdoors to enclose all exposed edges or ends.
- G. Repair existing insulation where damaged by new work. Use materials to match existing.
- H. Cut, score or miter insulation to fit the slope and contour of surface to be covered. Insulation up to 3 inches thick to be applied in single layer. Over 3 inches apply in multiple layers, with joints staggered.
- I. Refer to the last page for the insulation schedule.

## 3.03 HVAC DUCT INSULATION SCHEDULE

<u>Service</u>	<u>Type</u>	<u>Insulation Thickness</u>
<sup>1</sup> Interior H&V, AC systems; SA, RA & EA, ductwork that is exposed in <u>equip rooms</u> .	B	1-1/2"
<sup>1</sup> Interior H&V, AC systems; SA, RA & EA including flexible run outs, that is concealed.	A	2"
<sup>3</sup> Outside air intake ductwork All	B	1 1/2"
<sup>2</sup> Exterior H&V, AC systems; SA, RA & RA, ductwork that that is exposed outdoors.	B	2"
Acoustically line all SA & RA ductwork For a distance of 20' from fan inlet and outlet and 10' downstream of all VAV boxes.	D1/D2	1/2"
<sup>5</sup> Interior exposed H&V, AC systems; SA, RA located in conditioned spaces rectangular, spiral round or oval ductwork;		
Located in conditioned space	D1/D2	1 "
Located in unconditioned space, plenum or equipment room.	D1/D2	1 1/2"
<sup>4</sup> Smoke purge exhaust and supply	E	2" (not used)
All Stair pressure ductwork	E	2" (not used)
Generator exhaust pipe and muffler	C	2" (not used)
Kitchen hood exhaust (grease duct) layers.	E	2" applied in (2) 1"
1. Reduce external insulation to 1" for internally lined ductwork except for outdoor installations. On outdoor installations insulation thickness shall be as scheduled but not less than the height of standing seams or angle bracing.		
2. Insulation Thickness shall be no less than the size indicated or the height of standing seams or angle bracing.		
3. Outside air intake and Kitchen exhaust ducts shall not be internally lined.		
4. Smoke purge system supply and exhaust ducts passing through a rated Exit-way or within a fire-rated suspended ceiling assembly and all Kitchen Hood exhaust ducts shall be wrapped with thermal fiber - two (2) hour or encased in a two (2) hour rated enclosure. Trapeze hangers to be outside of thermal wrapping.		
5. All square or rectangular ductwork that is exposed to view in finished spaces shall be internally insulated.		
6. All exterior ductwork shall be insulated and jacketed.		

**END OF SECTION**

SECTION 23 07 16 - HVAC EQUIPMENT INSULATION

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Equipment insulation
- B. Covering
- C. Breeching insulation

1.02 RELATED SECTIONS

- A. Section 23 05 53 – Identification for HVAC Piping and Equipment.
- B. Section 23 21 13 - Hydronic Piping.

1.03 REFERENCES

- A. ASHRAE 90-75 – Insulation Standards
- B. ASTM C195 – Standard Specification for Mineral Fiber Thermal Insulation Cement.
- C. ASTM C533 – Standard Specification for Calcium Silicate Block and Pipe Thermal
- D. ASTM C552 – Standard Specification for Cellular Glass Thermal Insulation.
- E. ASTM C553 - Standard Specification for Mineral Fiber Blanket Thermal Insulation for Commercial and Industrial Applications.
- F. ASTM C612 - Standard Specification for Mineral Fiber Block and Board Thermal Insulation.
- G. ASTM C921 - Standard Practice for Determining the Properties of Jacketing Materials for Thermal Insulation.
- H. ASTM E84 - Standard Test Method for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials.
- I. ASTM E96 - Standard Test Methods for Water Vapor Transmission of Materials.
- J. NAIMA National Insulation Standards.
- K. NFPA 255 - Standard Method of Test of Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials.
- L. UL 723 - Standard for Test for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials.

1.04 SUBMITTALS FOR REVIEW

- A. Division 1 – Submittal Requirements.
- B. Product Data: Provide product description, thermal characteristics, list of materials and thickness for equipment scheduled.
- C. Manufacturer's Instructions: Indicate installation procedures which ensure acceptable workmanship and installation standards will be achieved.

#### 1.05 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Manufacturer Qualifications: Company specializing in manufacturing the Products specified in this section with minimum three years documented experience.

#### 1.06 REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS

- A. Materials: Flame spread/fuel contributed/smoke developed rating of 25/50/50 in accordance with NFPA 255.
- B. Insulation thickness shall comply with applicable energy conservation codes.

#### 1.07 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND PROTECTION

- A. Division 1 - Material and Equipment: Transport, handle, store, and protect products.
- B. Accept materials on site in original factory packaging, labeled with manufacturer's identification, including product density and thickness.
- C. Protect insulation from weather and construction traffic, dirt, water, chemical, and mechanical damage, by storing in original wrapping.

#### 1.08 ENVIRONMENTAL REQUIREMENTS

- A. Maintain ambient temperatures and conditions required by manufacturers of adhesives, mastics, and insulation cements.

### PART 2 PRODUCTS

#### 2.01 ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS

- A. Owens Corning Fiberglass Corp.
- B. Certain Teed Corporation
- C. Manville Industrial Products.
- D. Substitutions: Under provisions of Section 01630.

#### 2.02 INSULATION

- A. Type A: Flexible glass fiber blanket; ANSI/ASTM C553; 'k' value of 0.23 at 75° F, 3.5 lb/cu feet density. Temperature range - 35° F to 250° F.

- B. Type B: Rigid glass fiber board; ANSI/ASTM C612; 'k' value of 0.24 at 75° F, 6.0 lb/cu feet. Temperature range - 35° F to 250° F.
- C. Type C: Elastomeric insulation; ASTM C518, C177; 'K' Value of 0.27 at 75°F; non-combustible. Similar to Armstrong "AP Armaflex"; temperature range -40° F to 220° F.
- D. Type D: Molded cellular glass, chemically neutral 'K' valve of 0.38 and 50° minimum density – 8.0 lb/w. ft. Temperature range - 35°F to 800°F.

## 2.03 ACCESSORIES

- A. Bedding Compounds: Non-shrinking, permanently flexible, compatible with insulation
- B. Vapor Barrier Coating: Non-flammable, fire resistant, polymeric resin, compatible with insulation.
- C. Insulating Cement: ANSI/ASTM C195, hydraulic setting mineral wool
- D. Wire Mesh: Corrosive-resistant metal; hexagonal pattern.

## PART 3 EXECUTION

### 3.01 EXAMINATION

- A. Verify that equipment has been tested before applying insulation materials.
- B. Clean and dry all surfaces to be insulated of all foreign material. This includes but is not limited to water, oil, dirt, rust, and scale.

### 3.02 INSTALLATION

- A. Install materials in accordance with manufacturer's instruction, specification requirements and in compliance with local code.
- B. Only insulation and finish materials including adhesives, cements, and mastics which conform to the requirements of all governing codes & ordinances shall be used.
- C. Factory Insulated Equipment: Do not insulate.
- D. Exposed Equipment: Locate insulation and cover seams in least visible locations. Insulate expansion tanks, pumps, pot feeders etc.
- E. Apply insulation as close as possible to equipment by grooving, scoring, and beveling insulation. Fasten insulation to equipment with studs, pins, clips, adhesive, wires, or bands. Insulation shall be applied in single layers up to 3 inches thick; over 3 inches thick it shall be applied in multiple layers.
- F. Fill joints, cracks, seams, and depressions with bedding compound to form smooth surface. On cold equipment, use vapor barrier cement. The surface finish shall be extended to protect all insulation surfaces. No raw edges or ends shall be left exposed.

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- G. Insulated equipment containing fluids below ambient temperature: Insulate entire system.
- H. Cover insulation with metal mesh and finish with heavy coat of insulating cement.
- I. Insulation shall be applied in such a way as to permit expansion or contraction of metal without causing damage to insulation or surface finish. Seal or cement shall not be applied until all previous application of cements and adhesives have thoroughly dried.
- J. Vapor barrier finishes shall not be stapled through.
- K. Clean and dry all surfaces to be insulated of rust, scale, dirt, oil, water and other foreign matter. Apply insulation to completely cover metal surface. Surface finish shall be applied to present a tight, smooth appearance.
- L. Nameplates and ASME Stamps: Bevel and seal insulation around; do not insulate over.
- M. Equipment Requiring Access for Maintenance, Repair, Cleaning: Install insulation so it can be easily removed and replaced without damage.
- N. Insulate all chilled water and dual temperature pumps with type C insulation. Fabricate custom aluminum sheet metal enclosure around pump body and fittings. Cut and fit insulation to tightly fit the size and shape of the pump body parts including the volute and inlet and outlet piping and fittings. The enclosure shall be removable without cutting or breaking the insulation. The enclosure shall be vapor tight to prevent condensation.
- O. Insulate all expansion tanks, and centrifugal air separators.
- P. Insulate all chilled water and dual temperature heat exchangers with type C insulation. Fabricate custom aluminum sheet metal enclosure around the heat exchanger body and fittings. Cut and fit insulation to tightly fit the size and shape of the tank and frame all parts and fittings. The enclosure shall be removable without cutting or breaking the insulation. The enclosure shall be vapor tight to prevent condensation.



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3.03 EQUIPMENT INSULATION SCHEDULE

<u>EQUIPMENT</u>	<u>INSULATION TYPE</u>	<u>THICKNESS</u>
<u>Air Handler Components</u> and Fans, Not Factory insulated including coil & filter sections	B	1.5"
Return fans	B	1.5"
Heat Exchanger	C or D	2"
<u>Hydronic Components;</u> Chilled water expansion tanks	D C	1.5" 2"
Dual temperature expansion tanks	C	2"
Heat exchangers	C or D	2"
All hydronic specialties, valves, fittings	Same as pipe	
Chilled water, & dual temperature Pumps	C	2"

END OF SECTION

SECTION 23 07 19 HVAC PIPING INSULATION

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Piping insulation
- B. Jackets and accessories

1.02 RELATED SECTIONS

- A. Section 23 05 53 – Identification for HVAC Piping and Equipment.
- B. Section 23 21 13 - Hydronic Piping.

1.03 REFERENCES

- A. ASTM C177 - Standard Test Method for Steady-State Heat Flux Measurements and Thermal Transmission Properties by Means of the Guarded Hot Plate Apparatus
- B. ASTM C195 - Standard Specification for Mineral Fiber Thermal Insulating Cement.
- C. ASTM C449/C449M - Standard Specification for Mineral Fiber Hydraulic-Setting Thermal Insulating and Finishing Cement
- D. ASTM C518 - Standard Test Method for Steady-State Heat Flux Measurements and Thermal Transmission Properties by Means of the Heat Flow Meter Apparatus
- E. ASTM C533 - Standard Specification for Calcium Silicate Block and Pipe Thermal Insulation.
- F. ASTM C547 - Standard Specification for Mineral Fiber Preformed Pipe Insulation
- G. ASTM C552 - Standard Specification for Cellular Glass Thermal Insulation.
- H. ASTM C578 - Standard Specification for Preformed, Cellular Polystyrene Thermal Insulation
- I. ASTM C610 - Standard Specification for Expanded Perlite Block and Pipe Thermal Insulation
- J. ASTM E84 - Standard Test Method for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials
- K. NAIMA National Insulation Standards
- L. NFPA 255 - Standard Method of Test of Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials

M. UL 723 - Standard for Test for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials.

N. ASHRAE 90-75 - Insulation Standards

#### 1.04 SUBMITTALS FOR REVIEW

A. Division 1 – Submittal Requirements.

B. Product Data: Provide product description, thermal characteristics, list of materials and thickness for each service, and locations.

C. Manufacturer's Instructions: Indicate installation procedures that ensure acceptable workmanship and installation standards will be achieved.

#### 1.05 QUALITY ASSURANCE

A. Manufacturer Qualifications: Company specializing in manufacturing the Products specified in this section with minimum three years experience.

#### 1.06 REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS

A. Conform to maximum flame spread/smoke developed rating of 25/50 in accordance with NFPA 255

B. Insulation thickness shall comply with applicable Energy Conservation Codes.

### PART 2 PRODUCTS

#### 2.01 ACCEPTABLE MANUFACTURERS

A. Pittsburgh Corning Corporation

B. Certainteed Corporation.

C. Armstrong Corporation.

D. Manville Industrial Products.

E. Owens-Corning Fiberglass Corporation

F. Polyguard

#### 2.02 INSULATION

A. Type A: Molded glass fiber insulation; ANSI/ASTM C547; 'k' value of 0.23 at 75° F; noncombustible. Minimum density of 3.5 lbs./cu. Ft.; temperature range 35° F to 450° F.

B. Type B: Cellular glass insulation; ASTM C552; 'K' Value of 0.53 at 75°F; non-combustible. Minimum density of 8.0 lbs./cu. ft. similar to Pittsburgh Corning Foamglas.

- C. Type C: Elastomeric insulation; ASTM C518, C177; 'K' Value of 0.27 at 75°F; non-combustible. Similar to Armstrong "AP Armaflex"; temperature range -40° F to 220° F
- D. Type D; Underground engineered pipe insulation system shall be as follows; (NOT USED)  
Service pipe insulation shall be spray applied .16k-factor, R141B blowing agent, nominal 2 pound per cubic foot density, polyurethane foam for straight sections and preformed polyurethane foam for all fittings. Insulation shall not be less than 2" and shall be Perma-pipe polytherm

## 2.03 JACKETS

### A. Interior Applications:

- 1. Insulation Type A - Factory applied, white, flame retardant, all service (ASJ) vapor barrier jacket of .001" aluminum foil laminated to Kraft paper with a flame retardant snuffer type adhesive reinforced with glass fibers and having a self sealing lap. Provide 2" longitudinal lap and 4" circumferential sealing strips. Permeability .02 perm.

### B. Exterior Applications:

- 1. Insulation Type A thickness as scheduled with ASJ vapor barrier jacket - [Cover factory interior jacket with Alumaguard Cool Wrap by Polyguard](#), rubberized bitumen membrane designed specifically to be installed over insulation on exterior piping, tanks, vessels, and equipment. The membrane shall be 'peel and stick', self-healing if punctured, UV stable, and will expand and contract with the mechanical system. All seams shall be sealed water tight. Permeability .0053 perm

### C. Piping exposed in Mechanical Rooms or any space: (not used)

- 1. All exposed piping and fittings shall be completely covered with white Zeston 2000 PVC insulated piping and fitting covers for a distance up to 10' above the finished floor. Apply as per manufacturer with perma weld adhesive.

### D. Underground applications: (NOT USED)

All straight sections of the insulated piping system shall be filament wound, polyester resin/fiberglass reinforcement composite directly applied on the insulating foam. The jacket shall be either filament wind fiberglass directly onto the polyurethane foam or injected foam into a fiberglass outer casing.

Fiberglass outer casing shall be A.O. Smith Red Thread or Ameron Bondstrand 3000. Thermoplastic casing material that are not rated for temperatures above 140 degrees F will not be allowed, e.g., PVC or HDPE. The minimum thickness for FRP jacket shall be as 0.55"

## 2.04 ACCESSORIES

- A. Insulation Bands: ¾" wide; 0.007 inch thick aluminum.

- B. Metal Jacket Bands: 3/8" wide; 0.015 inch thick aluminum.
- C. Insulating Cement: ANSI/ASTM C195; hydraulic setting mineral wool.
- D. Finishing Cement: ASTM C449
- E. Fibrous Glass Cloth: Untreated; 9 oz/sq. yd weight.
- F. Adhesives: Compatible with insulation and fire retardant.

## PART 3 EXECUTION

### 3.01 EXAMINATION

- A. Verify that piping has been tested before applying insulation materials.
- B. Verify that surfaces are clean and dry, with all foreign material removed. This includes but is not limited to water, oil, dirt, scale and rust.
- D. Only insulation and finish materials including adhesive cements and mastic which conform to the requirements of all-governing codes and ordinances shall be used.

### 3.02 INSTALLATION

- A. Division 1 – Quality Control: Install materials in accordance with manufacturer's instructions and the best practice of the trade.
- B. Install in accordance with NAIMA National Insulation Standards.
- C. Insulation on all piping shall be vapor sealed. On insulated piping with vapor barrier, insulate all fittings, valves, unions, flanges, strainers, flexible connections, and expansion joints. Vapor seal all exposed edges with jacket material and vapor barrier type adhesive.
- D. Repair or replace any existing insulation and surface finish disturbed or damaged by installation of new work using materials to match existing.
- E. Apply insulation to completely cover metal surface. Surface shall be applied to present a tight, smooth appearance.
- F. Exposed Piping: Locate insulation and cover seams in least visible locations.
- G. For hot piping conveying fluids 140 degrees F or less, and on insulated piping without vapor barrier, do not insulate flanges and unions at equipment, but bevel and seal ends of insulation.
- H. For hot piping conveying fluids over 140 degrees F, insulate flanges and unions at equipment.
- I. Neatly finish insulation at supports, protrusions, and interruptions.

J. Do not use staples on vapor barrier insulation.

K. Jackets:

1. Indoor, Concealed Applications: Insulated pipes conveying fluids above ambient temperature shall have standard jackets, with vapor barrier, factory-applied or field-applied. Insulate fittings, joints, and valves with insulation of like material and thickness as adjoining pipe, and finish with glass cloth and adhesive. PVC jackets may be used
2. Indoor, Concealed Applications: Insulated dual-temperature pipes or pipes conveying fluids below ambient temperature shall have vapor barrier jackets, factory-applied. Insulate fittings, joints, and valves with molded insulation of like material and thickness as adjacent pipe, and finish with glass cloth and vapor barrier adhesive.
3. Indoor, Exposed Applications: For pipe exposed in mechanical equipment rooms or in finished spaces, insulate and jacket as for concealed applications, and finish with PVC jackets.
4. Outdoor Applications: Cover with .016" aluminum jacket with 2" overlap at seams and joints. Lay joints downward to shed water. Secure with 3/8" seals and straps at joints and aluminum bands on 8" centers between joints.
5. Jacket all mechanical piping that is insulated in the MER and areas of work in and adjacent spaces with PVC Jackets for a distance of 10' above the finished floor to the floor. This shall include a new and existing piping.

L. Inserts and Shields:

1. Application: All insulated Piping 2 inches diameter or larger shall be installed with inserts and shields as follows.
2. Shields: Galvanized steel between pipe hangers or pipe hanger rolls and inserts.
3. Insert location: Between support shield and piping and under the finish jacket.
4. Insert configuration: Minimum 6 inches long, of same thickness and contour as adjoining insulation; may be factory fabricated.
5. Insert material: Hydrous calcium silicate insulation or other heavy density insulating material suitable for the planned temperature range.

M. Continue insulation through walls, sleeves, pipe hangers, and other pipe penetrations. Finish at supports, protrusions, and interruptions.

N Underground applications: (NOT USED)

The internal pipe shall be hydrostatically tested to 150 psig or 1½ times the operating pressure, whichever is greater. Insulation shall then be poured in place into the field weld area. All field applied insulation shall be placed only in straight sections. Field insulation of fittings shall not be acceptable. The mold for the polyurethane shall be made of clear adhesive backed polyester film. The installer shall seal the field joint area with a heat shrinkable adhesive backed wrap or with wrappings of glass reinforcement fully saturated with a catalyzed resin identical in properties to the factory-applied resin. Backfilling shall not begin until the heat shrink wrap has cooled or until the FRP lay-up has cured. All insulation and coating materials for making the field joint shall be furnished by the piping system manufacture

### 3.3 PENETRATIONS

- A. Insulation Installation at Roof Penetrations: Install insulation continuously through roof penetrations.
  - 1. Seal penetrations with flashing sealant.
  - 2. For applications requiring only indoor insulation, terminate insulation above roof surface and seal with joint sealant. For applications requiring indoor and outdoor insulation, install insulation for outdoor applications tightly joined to indoor insulation ends. Seal joint with joint sealant.
  - 3. Extend jacket of outdoor insulation outside roof flashing at least 2 inches below top of roof flashing.
  - 4. Seal jacket to roof flashing with flashing sealant.
- B. Insulation Installation at Underground Exterior Wall Penetrations: Terminate insulation flush with sleeve seal. Seal terminations with flashing sealant.
- C. Insulation Installation at Aboveground Exterior Wall Penetrations: Install insulation continuously through wall penetrations.
  - 1. Seal penetrations with flashing sealant.
  - 2. For applications requiring only indoor insulation, terminate insulation inside wall surface and seal with joint sealant. For applications requiring indoor and outdoor insulation, install insulation for outdoor applications tightly joined to indoor insulation ends. Seal joint with joint sealant.
  - 3. Extend jacket of outdoor insulation outside wall flashing and overlap wall flashing at least 2 inches.
  - 4. Seal jacket to wall flashing with flashing sealant.
- D. Insulation Installation at Interior Wall and Partition Penetrations (That Are Not Fire Rated): Install insulation continuously through walls and partitions.
- E. Insulation Installation at Fire-Rated Wall and Partition Penetrations: Install insulation continuously through penetrations of fire-rated walls and partitions.
  - 1. Comply with requirements in Division 7 Section "Through-Penetration Firestop Systems" for firestopping and fire-resistive joint sealers.
- F. Insulation Installation at Floor Penetrations:
  - 1. Pipe: Install insulation continuously through floor penetrations.
  - 2. Seal penetrations through fire-rated assemblies. Comply with requirements in Division 7 Section "Through-Penetration Firestop Systems."

### 3.4 GENERAL PIPE INSULATION INSTALLATION

- A. Requirements in this article generally apply to all insulation materials except where more specific requirements are specified in various pipe insulation material installation articles.

## B. Insulation Installation on Fittings, Valves, Strainers, Flanges, and Unions:

1. Install insulation over fittings, valves, strainers, flanges, unions, and other specialties with continuous thermal and vapor-retarder integrity unless otherwise indicated.
2. Insulate pipe elbows using preformed fitting insulation or mitered fittings made from same material and density as adjacent pipe insulation. Each piece shall be butted tightly against adjoining piece and bonded with adhesive. Fill joints, seams, voids, and irregular surfaces with insulating cement finished to a smooth, hard, and uniform contour that is uniform with adjoining pipe insulation.
3. Insulate tee fittings with preformed fitting insulation or sectional pipe insulation of same material and thickness as used for adjacent pipe. Cut sectional pipe insulation to fit. Butt each section closely to the next and hold in place with tie wire. Bond pieces with adhesive.
4. Insulate valves using preformed fitting insulation or sectional pipe insulation of same material, density, and thickness as used for adjacent pipe. Overlap adjoining pipe insulation by not less than two times the thickness of pipe insulation, or one pipe diameter, whichever is thicker. For valves, insulate up to and including the bonnets, valve stuffing-box studs, bolts, and nuts. Fill joints, seams, and irregular surfaces with insulating cement.
5. Insulate strainers using preformed fitting insulation or sectional pipe insulation of same material, density, and thickness as used for adjacent pipe. Overlap adjoining pipe insulation by not less than two times the thickness of pipe insulation, or one pipe diameter, whichever is thicker. Fill joints, seams, and irregular surfaces with insulating cement. Insulate strainers so strainer basket flange or plug can be easily removed and replaced without damaging the insulation and jacket. Provide a removable reusable insulation cover. For below-ambient services, provide a design that maintains vapor barrier.
6. Insulate flanges and unions using a section of oversized preformed pipe insulation. Overlap adjoining pipe insulation by not less than two times the thickness of pipe insulation, or one pipe diameter, whichever is thicker.
7. Cover segmented insulated surfaces with a layer of finishing cement and coat with a mastic. Install vapor-barrier mastic for below-ambient services and a breather mastic for above-ambient services. Reinforce the mastic with fabric-reinforcing mesh. Trowel the mastic to a smooth and well-shaped contour.
8. For services not specified to receive a field-applied jacket except for flexible elastomeric and polyolefin, install fitted PVC cover over elbows, tees, strainers, valves, flanges, and unions. Terminate ends with PVC end caps. Tape PVC covers to adjoining insulation facing using PVC tape.
9. Stencil or label the outside insulation jacket of each union with the word "union." Match size and color of pipe labels.

C. Insulate instrument connections for thermometers, pressure gages, pressure temperature taps, test connections, flow meters, sensors, switches, and transmitters on insulated pipes. Shape insulation at these connections by tapering it to and around the connection with insulating cement and finish with finishing cement, mastic, and flashing sealant.

D. Install removable insulation covers at locations indicated. Installation shall conform to the following:



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1. Make removable flange and union insulation from sectional pipe insulation of same thickness as that on adjoining pipe. Install same insulation jacket as adjoining pipe insulation.
2. When flange and union covers are made from sectional pipe insulation, extend insulation from flanges or union long at least two times the insulation thickness over adjacent pipe insulation on each side of flange or union. Secure flange cover in place with stainless-steel or aluminum bands. Select band material compatible with insulation and jacket.
3. Construct removable valve insulation covers in same manner as for flanges, except divide the two-part section on the vertical center line of valve body.
4. When covers are made from block insulation, make two halves, each consisting of mitered blocks wired to stainless-steel fabric. Secure this wire frame, with its attached insulation, to flanges with tie wire. Extend insulation at least 2 inches (50 mm) over adjacent pipe insulation on each side of valve. Fill space between flange or union cover and pipe insulation with insulating cement. Finish cover assembly with insulating cement applied in two coats. After first coat is dry, apply and trowel second coat to a smooth finish.

### 3.05 INSULATION SCHEDULE

Refer to the insulation schedule below for pipe insulation thickness by system. Not all systems are necessarily included in this project.

HVAC PIPE INSULATION SCHEDULE							
SERVICE	INSULATION	TEMPERATURE	NOMINAL PIPE SIZE				
	TYPE	RANGE (F°)	<1"	1" to < 1 1/2"	1 1/2" to < 4"	4" to < 8"	≥ 8"
Hot Water (HW)	A	INSULATION THICKNESS					
		> 350°	4 1/2	5	5	5	5
		251°-350°	3	4	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
		201°-250°	2 1/2	2 1/2	3	3	3
		141°-200°	1 1/2	1 1/2	2	2	2
		105°-140°	1	1	1 1/2	1 1/2	1 1/2
Chilled Water (CHW) and Dual Temperature	A	40° - 60°	1/2	1	1 1/2	2	2
		< 40°	1/2	1	1	1	1 1/2
Condensate Drains	A	All	1/2	1/2	1	1	1
Cold Water Make up	A	All	1/2	1/2	1	1	1

END OF SECTION

## SECTION 230800 - COMMISSIONING OF HVAC

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and other Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Section includes commissioning process requirements for HVAC&R systems, assemblies, and equipment.
- B. Related Sections:
  - 1. 019113 – General Commissioning Requirements
  - 2. Division 23 Sections

#### 1.3 SCOPE

- A. Commissioning requires the participation of Division 23, Mechanical Contractor and Subcontractors, to ensure that all systems are operating in a manner consistent with the Contract Documents. The general commissioning requirements and coordination are detailed in Section 019113. Division 23, Mechanical Contractor and Subcontractors shall be familiar with Section 019113 and the Commissioning Plan issued by the Commissioning Agent (CA) and shall execute all commissioning responsibilities assigned to them in the Contract Documents.

#### 1.4 SYSTEMS TO BE COMMISSIONED

- A. The following Mechanical systems will be commissioned on this project:
  - 1. Chilled Water System: includes all of the following equipment: chillers, refrigerant monitoring system, primary chilled water pumps, cooling towers, condenser water pumps, variable frequency drives, control valves, hydronic balancing valves and hydronic balancing.
  - 2. Heating Hot Water System: includes all of the following equipment: boilers, primary heating hot water pumps, variable frequency drives, control valves, hydronic balancing valves and hydronic balancing.
  - 3. Dual Temperature Secondary Pumps
  - 4. Spot checking of air and water balancing readings.
  - 5. All Direct Digital Controls (DDC) shall be verified for proper operation as it relates to the above equipment including interfaces for remote monitoring.

#### 1.5 RESPONSIBILITIES

- A. Commissioning responsibilities applicable to the Mechanical contractor of Division 23 are as described in Section 019113, Paragraph 1.10-I.

#### 1.6 OPERATION AND MAINTENANCE (O&M) MANUALS

- A. Compile and prepare documentation for all equipment and systems covered in Division 23, Mechanical, and deliver to Construction Manager for inclusion in O&M Manuals in accordance with Division 1.
- B. Provide the Commissioning Agent with a copy of O&M Manuals for review.

### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

#### 2.1 TEST EQUIPMENT

- A. Provide test equipment necessary to fulfill testing requirements of Division 23, Mechanical.
- B. Refer to Section 019113 and other Division 23 Sections for additional Division 23, Mechanical requirements.

### PART 3 - EXECUTION

#### 3.1 PREFUNCTIONAL CHECKLISTS AND STARTUP

- A. Prefunctional tests and checklists (PFT's) are important to ensure that the equipment and systems are connected properly and are operational. PFT's ensure that functional performance testing may proceed without unnecessary delays. The Contractor shall be responsible for performing Prefunctional testing. EVERY piece of equipment receives a full Prefunctional checkout.
- B. Division 23, Mechanical, has start-up responsibility and is required to complete systems and sub-systems so they are fully functional, meeting design objectives of Contract Documents. Commissioning procedures and functional testing do not relieve or lessen this responsibility or shift that responsibility partially to CA or Owner.

#### 3.2 FUNCTIONAL PERFORMANCE TESTS

- A. Functional testing is intended to begin upon completion of a system. Functional testing may proceed prior to completion of systems or sub-systems at discretion of CA and CM. Beginning system testing before full completion does not relieve Contractor from fully completing system as soon as possible, including prefunctional checklists.
- B. Functional performance testing requirements are in addition to and do not replace any testing required by Code or listed elsewhere in Division 23.

- C. Functional performance testing procedures will be performed on but not be limited to the following system types and equipment. Final functional testing requirements and procedures will be developed based on approved equipment shop drawings.

1. Cooling System
  - a. Equipment:
    - 1) Chillers
    - 2) Refrigerant Monitoring System
    - 3) Primary Chilled Water Pumps
    - 4) Cooling Towers
    - 5) Condenser Water Pumps
    - 6) Control panel and components
2. Heating System
  - a. Equipment:
    - 1) Condensing Hot Water Boilers
    - 2) Primary Heating Hot Water Pumps
    - 3) Control panel and components
3. Cooling & Heating System
  - a. Equipment:
    - 1) Dual Temperature Secondary Pumps
4. Building Management System
  - a. Equipment:
    - 1) Field control panels
    - 2) Operator workstations
    - 3) File server(s)
    - 4) Verification of controls front end.

### 3.3 ISSUES AND DEFICIENCIES

- A. Refer to Section 019113 for details relating to resolution of issues and deficiencies.

### 3.4 TRAINING OF OWNER PERSONNEL

- A. Contractor shall be responsible for training coordination and scheduling and ultimately to ensure that training is completed. Refer to Section 019113 for details.
- B. Duration of Training: Mechanical Contractor shall provide training on each piece of equipment according to the following schedule:

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<b>System</b>	<b>Minimum Training Hours</b>
Chillers	8
Cooling Towers	8
Primary Chilled Water Pumps, Condenser Water Pumps, Secondary Dual Temperature Pumps, Distribution & Controls	4
Condensing Boilers	4
Primary Heating Hot Water Pumps, Secondary Dual Temperature Pumps, Distribution & Controls	4
BMS Controls – General (anticipate one classroom training and one field training on separate dates)	8
<b>Total Training Time</b>	<b>36 Hours</b>

END OF SECTION 230800

## SECTION 23 09 01 – DIRECT DIGITAL CONTROL EQUIPMENT

## PART 1 - GENERAL

**1.1 SECTION INCLUDES**

- A. The work of this Section consists of providing of all materials, labor and equipment and the like necessary and/or required for the complete execution of all mechanical for this project, as required by the contract documents.

**1.2 Qualifications of Bidder**

- A. All bidders all control systems must have the minimum qualifications listed below in order to be considered for review of products or services
1. Building automation contractors in the business of installing direct digital control building automation systems for a minimum of 10 years.
  2. Building automation contractors must have a service and installation office in the Westchester/Rockland area.
  3. Building automation contractors must be authorized distributors or branch offices of the manufacturers specified.
  4. Building automation contractors must have a trained staff of application engineers, who have been certified by the manufacturer in the configuration, programming and service of the automation system.
- B. Manufacturers: Subject to review and approval by the Engineer and compliance with the contract documents, provide products by the following manufacture as per county standard:
1. Schneider Electric, EcoStruxure Building Operation Controls

**1.3 Scope of Work**

- A. Except as otherwise noted, the control system shall consist of all Ethernet Network Controllers, Standalone Digital Control Units, software, sensors, transducers, relays, valves, dampers, valve and damper operators, control panels, and other accessory equipment, along with a complete system of electrical interlocking wiring to fill the intent of the specification and provide for a complete and operable system. Unless otherwise specified, provide operators for equipment such as dampers and valves if the equipment manufacturer does not provide these. Coordinate requirements with the mechanical contractors.
- B. The Building Automation System (BAS) contractor shall review and study all contract documents, drawings and the entire specification to familiarize himself with the equipment and system operation, and to verify the quantities and types of dampers, operators, alarms, controllers etc. to be provided. ALL NEW TEMPERATURE CONTROLS EQUIPMENT SHALL BE SCHNEIDER ELECTRIC ECOSTRUXURE BUILDING OPERATION.
- C. All interlocking, wiring and installation of control devices associated with the equipment listed below shall be provided under this Contract. When the BAS system is fully installed and operational, the BAS Contractor and representatives of the Owner will review and check out the system. At that time, the BAS contractor shall demonstrate the operation of the system and prove that it complies with the intent of the drawings and specifications.

- D. The Contractor shall furnish and install a complete building automation system including all necessary hardware, network wiring, all operating applications software, and all programming necessary to perform the control sequences of operation as called for in the specifications. The scope of work shall include control over, and graphic representation all new mechanical, and plumbing equipment as well specific electrical equipment listed that are installed as part of this project. .
- E. At a minimum, provide controls for the following:
1. Cooling towers
  2. Chillers
  3. Boilers
  4. Primary hot water pumps
  5. Primary chilled water pumps
  6. Secondary dual temperature pumps
  7. Exhaust fans
  8. Unit heaters
  9. Fuel oil pump set
  10. Motorized dampers
  11. Motorized valves
  12. Domestic hot water recirculation pump
- F. At a minimum, provide status monitoring of the following equipment:
1. Domestic hot water heater
  2. Domestic hot water mixing valve and hot water temperature.
  3. Fuel tank leak and level alarms
  4. Heat trace status and alarms
  5. Generator status and alarms
  6. Side stream separator
- G. **Provide services and manpower necessary for commissioning of systems in coordination with the HVAC Contractor, Balancing Contractor and Owner's representative.**
- H. All work performed under this section of the specifications will comply with all codes, laws and governing bodies. If this specification and associated drawings exceed governing code requirements, the specification will govern. The Contractor shall obtain and pay for all necessary construction permits and licenses.
- I. Provide all labor and materials to perform all programming necessary at the owners new operator work stations to be located in the Operating Engineer's office located in the Plant office and a another work station to be located in building A, at the town engineers desk, GRAPHICALLY REPRESENT, (status) AND/OR CONTROL EACH AND EVERY PIECE OF EQUIPMENT IN THE LISTS ABOVE NEW AND EXISTING, ALL INPUT AND PUT STATUS POINTS, AND FUNCTIONAL POINTS. THIS SHALL INCLUDE BUT IS NOT LIMITED TO ALL EQUIPMENT LISTED IN SECTION E ABOVE.

#### 1.4 System Description

- A. In accordance to the scope of work, the system shall also provide a graphical, web-based, operator interface that allows for instant access to any system through a standard browser. The contractor must provide PC-based programming workstations, operator workstations and



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microcomputer controllers of modular design providing distributed processing capability and allowing future expansion of both input/output points and processing/control functions.

- B. For this project, the system shall consist of the following components:
1. Administration and Programming Workstation(s): The BAS Contractor shall furnish (2) Administration and Programming Workstation Computers as described in Part 2 of the specification. These workstations must be running the standard workstation software developed and tested by the manufacturer of the network server controllers and the standalone controllers. No third-party front-end workstation software will be acceptable. Workstations must conform to the B-OWS BACnet device profile.
  2. Web-Based Operator Workstations: The BAS Contractor shall furnish licenses for web connection to the BAS system. Web-based users shall have access to all system points and graphics, shall be able to receive and acknowledge alarms, and shall be able to control setpoints and other parameters. All engineering work, such as trends, reports, graphics, etc. that are accomplished from the WorkStation shall be available for viewing through the web browser interface without additional changes. The web-based interface must conform to the B-OWS BACnet device profile. There will be no need for any additional computer based hardware to support the web-based user interface.
  3. Ethernet-based Network Router and/or Network Server Controller(s): The BAS Contractor shall furnish (qty) Ethernet-based Network Server Controllers as described in Part 2 of the specification. These controllers will connect directly to the Operator Workstation over Ethernet at a minimum of 100 mbps and provide communication to the Standalone Digital Control Units and/or other Input/Output Modules. Network Server Controllers shall conform to BACnet device profile B-BC. Network controllers that utilize RS232 serial communications or ARCNET to communicate with the workstations will not be accepted.
  4. Network Controllers shall be tested and certified by the BACnet Testing Laboratory (BTL) as Network Server Controllers (B-BC).
  5. Standalone Digital Control Units (SDCUs): Provide the necessary quantity and types of SDCUs to meet the requirements of the project for mechanical equipment control including air handlers, central plant control, and terminal unit control. Each SDCU will operate completely standalone, containing all of the I/O and programs to control its associated equipment. Each BACnet protocol SDCU shall conform to the BACnet device profile B-AAC.
  6. BACnet SDCUs shall be tested and certified by the BACnet Testing Laboratory (BTL) as Advanced Application Controllers (B-AAC).
- C. The Local Area Network (LAN) shall be either a 10 or 100 Mbps Ethernet network supporting BACnet, Modbus, Java, XML, HTTP, and CORBA IIOP for maximum flexibility for integration of building data with enterprise information systems and providing support for multiple Network Server Controllers (NSCs), user workstations and a local host computer system.
- D. The Enterprise Ethernet (IEEE 802.3) LAN shall utilize Carrier Sense Multiple/Access/Collision Detect (CSMA/CD), Address Resolution Protocol (ARP) and User Datagram Protocol (UDP) operating at 10 or 100 Mbps.
- E. The system shall enable an open architecture that utilizes EIA standard 709.1, the LonTalk™ protocol and/or ANSI / ASHRAE™ Standard 135-2007, BACnet functionality to assure

interoperability between all system components. Native support for the LonTalk™ protocol and the ANSI / ASHRAE™ Standard 135-2007, BACnet protocol are required to assure that the project is fully supported by the HVAC open protocols to reduce future building maintenance, upgrade, and expansion costs.

- F. The system shall enable an architecture that utilizes a MS/TP selectable 9.6-76.8 Kbaud protocol, as the common communication protocol between all controllers and integral ANSI / ASHRAE™ Standard 135-2008, BACnet functionality to assure interoperability between all system components. The AAC shall be capable of communicating as a MS/TP device or as a BACnet IP device communicating at 10/100 Mbps on a TCP/IP trunk. The ANSI / ASHRAE™ Standard 135-2008, BACnet protocol is required to assure that the project is fully supported by the leading HVAC open protocol to reduce future building maintenance, upgrade, and expansion costs.
- G. The software tools required for network management of the protocol and the ANSI / ASHRAE™ Standard 135-2008, BACnet protocol must be provided with the system. Drawings are diagrammatic only. Equipment and labor not specifically referred to herein or on the plans and are required to meet the functional intent, shall be provided without additional cost to the Owner. Minimum BACnet compliance is Level 4; with the ability to support data read and write functionality. Physical connection of BACnet devices shall be via Ethernet IP or MS/TP. Physical connection of LonWorks devices shall be via Ethernet IP or FTT-10A.
- H. If project is a retrofit enterprise overlay of an existing TAC Vista system, there shall be no need to re-commission any of the devices to get the system up and running.
- I. If project is a retrofit enterprise overlay of an existing TAC I/NET (proprietary) HVAC system, it shall be capable of interfacing with the legacy I/NET without use of the I/NET host tool.
- J. The system shall support Modbus TCP and RTU protocols natively, and not require the use of gateways.
- K. The field bus shall support the use of wireless communications.
- L. Complete temperature control system to be DDC with electronic sensors and electronic/electric actuation of Mechanical Equipment Room (MER) valves and dampers and electronic actuation of terminal equipment valves and actuators as specified herein. The BMS is intended to seamlessly connect devices throughout the building regardless of subsystem type, i.e. variable frequency drives, low voltage lighting systems, electrical circuit breakers, power metering and card access should easily coexist on the same network channel.
  - 1. The supplied system must incorporate the ability to access all data using HTML5 enabled browsers without requiring proprietary operator interface and configuration programs.
  - 2. Data shall reside on a supplier-installed server for all database access.
  - 3. A hierarchical topology is required to assure reasonable system response times and to manage the flow and sharing of data without unduly burdening the customer's internal Intranet network.
- M. All work described in this section shall be installed, wired, circuit tested and calibrated by factory certified technicians qualified for this work and in the regular employment of the approved manufacturer's local field office. The approved manufacturer's local field office shall have a minimum of 3 years of installation experience with the manufacturer and shall provide

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documentation in the bid and submittal package verifying longevity of the installing company's relationship with the manufacturer when requested. Supervision, hardware and software engineering, calibration and checkout of the system shall be by the employees of the approved manufacturer's local field office and shall not be subcontracted. The control contractor shall have an in place support facility within 100 miles of the site with factory certified technicians and engineers, spare parts inventory and all necessary test and diagnostic equipment for the installed system, and the control contractor shall have 24 hours/day, 7 days/week emergency service available.

- N. Provide the Commissioning, configuration and diagnostic tool (CCDT), color display personnel computer, software, and interfaces to provide uploading/downloading of High Point Count Controllers (AAC), Unitary Equipment Controllers (UEC) and VAV controllers (VAVDDC) monitoring all BACnet objects, monitoring overrides of all controller physical input/output points, and editing of controller resident time schedules.
- O. Provide a Portable Operator's Terminal (POT) color display personnel computer, software, and interfaces to provide uploading/downloading of Custom Application Controller and Application Specific Controllers databases, monitoring of all LonMark™ Standard Network Variables Types (SNVTs) including display of all bound SNVTs, monitoring and overrides of all controller physical input/output points, and editing of controller resident time schedules. POT connectivity shall be via digital wall sensor connected to controller.
- P. Deployed system must satisfy system requirements to meet DIARMF (U.S. Department of Defense Information Assurance Risk Management Framework) compliance. Only exception is if system is employing a PEMS system such as described in subsection 1.6 Q. below.
- Q. The system shall have the capability to provide a web-based AFDD (automated fault detection and diagnostic) system. The AFDD system shall be able to interface directly with the project BAS and energy/performance metering system to provide information on HVAC systems that are being controlled. Pricing is to be a separate line item from the BAS proposal. See specification section 25 08 01 for exact requirements.
- R. The system shall have the capability to provide a web-based APEO (automated predictive energy optimization) system and enable effective participation in local utility Demand Response (DR) programs. The vendor shall provide software and ongoing services that will identify actionable energy saving and peak reduction opportunities to assist the facility in achieving its energy and sustainability objectives, and automatically and continuously operate the systems necessary to achieve the targeted savings and reductions. Pricing is to be a separate line item from the BAS proposal. .
- S. The system shall have the capability to provide a web-enabled PEMS (power and energy management system) monitoring system intended to monitor an entire electrical distribution infrastructure, from incoming utility feeds down to low voltage distribution points. It shall be designed to monitor and manage energy consumption throughout an enterprise, whether within a single facility or across a network of facilities, to improve energy availability and reliability, and to measure and manage energy efficiency. It shall be a standard product offering with no custom programming required. It shall provide a seamless user experience ("Single pane of glass") for managing the mechanical systems (HVAC and lighting) and monitoring the power distribution system (transformers, breakers, relays, switches, capacitors, UPS, invertors, etc.)

Pricing is to be a separate line item from the BAS proposal. See specification 26 09 13 for exact requirements.

- T. The system shall have the capability to provide an app running on a fixed or mobile device (iOS (iPad), Android (tablet), Windows) offering a consistent, aesthetic, customized graphical interface, that allows to aggregate in a graphical manner various types of services such as room temperature control, lighting control, curtain control, remote TV, etc. System shall communicate via web services and have the ability to be designed once and deployed to multiple devices at the same time. Pricing is to be a separate line item from the BAS proposal. Provide costs for develop and deploy and tiered costs for multiple levels of device purchases.

### **1.5 Work by Others**

- A. The BAS Contractor shall cooperate with other contractors performing work on this project necessary to achieve a complete and neat installation. To that end, each contractor shall consult the drawings and specifications for all trades to determine the nature and extent of others' work.
- B. The BAS Contractor shall furnish all control valves, sensor wells, flow meters and other similar equipment for installation by the Mechanical Contractor.
- C. The BAS Contractor shall provide field supervision to the designated contractor for the installation of the following as required:
1. Automatic control Dampers
  2. Automatic control Valves
- D. The Electrical Contractor shall provide:
1. The Electrical contractor shall provide all line voltage power required for automatic controls devices.
  2. BAS contractor shall provide all low voltage wiring and transformer as required for automatic controls devices.
- E. The BAS Contractor shall provide:
1. All control valves and actuators. Turn over to the mechanical contractor for installation.

### **1.6 Code Compliance**

- A. Provide BAS components and ancillary equipment, which are UL-916 listed and labeled.
- B. All equipment or piping used in conditioned air streams, spaces or return air plenums shall comply with NFPA 90A Flame/Smoke/Fuel contribution rating of 25/50/0 and all applicable building codes or requirements.
- C. All wiring shall conform to the National Electrical Code.
- D. All smoke dampers shall be rated in accordance with UL 555S.

- E. Comply with FCC rules, Part 15 regarding Class A radiation for computing devices and low power communication equipment operating in commercial environments.
- F. Comply with FCC, Part 68 rules for telephone modems and data sets.
- G. New York State Building Code, New York State Mechanical Code, and the NEC- Prevailing editions

#### **1.7 Submittals**

- A. All shop drawings shall be prepared in Visio Professional or AutoCAD software. And shall be provided electronically in PDF format.
- B. Shop drawings shall include a riser diagram depicting locations of all controllers and workstations, with associated network wiring. Also included shall be individual schematics of each mechanical system showing all connected points with reference to their associated controller.
- C. Submittal data shall contain manufacturer's data on all hardware and software products required by the specification. Valve, damper, and air flow station schedules shall indicate size, configuration, capacity and location of all equipment.
- D. Submittals shall contain narrative descriptions of sequences of operation, point lists, and a complete description of the graphics, reports, alarms and configuration to be furnished with the workstation software. Information shall be provided in PDF format. All literature, descriptions, equipment spec sheets, sequences etc shall be on 8 1/2 x 11 or larger sized sheets. All details diagrams and schematics shall be on 11X17 sized sheets or larger.
- E. Submit copies of submittal data and shop drawings to the Engineer for review and approval prior to ordering or fabrication of the equipment. The Contractor prior to submitting shall check all documents for accuracy.
- F. The Engineer will make corrections, if required, and return to the Contractor. The Contractor will then resubmit with the corrected or additional data. This procedure shall be repeated until all corrections are made to the satisfaction of the Engineer and the submittals are fully approved.
- G. Submit a training class syllabus and training manual for review with the temperature controls submittal. The training manual shall be custom made for this project. Manufactures brochures, and installation manuals will not be acceptable for this purpose. Submit a type written overview and a written summary of each topic to be covered. The document shall be suitable for a system operator to use as a quick reference guide to basic system operation as applicable for this project. Refer to section 1.9 paragraph B, for the minimum requirement of training to be included.

#### **1.8 System Startup & Commissioning**

- A. Each point in the system shall be tested for both hardware and software functionality. In addition, each mechanical and electrical system under control of the BAS will be tested against the appropriate sequence of operation specified herein. Successful completion of the system test shall constitute the beginning of the warranty period. A written report will be submitted to

the owner indicating that the installed system functions in accordance with the plans and specifications.

- B. The BAS contractor shall commission and set in operating condition all major systems and equipment including boilers, chillers, pumps, cooling towers in the presence of the equipment manufacturer's representatives, and commissioning agent as applicable, and the Owner and Architect's representatives.
- C. The BAS Contractor shall provide all manpower and engineering services required to assist the HVAC Contractor, commissioning agent and Balancing Contractor in testing, adjusting, and balancing all systems in the building. The BAS Contractor shall have a trained technician available on request during the balancing of the systems. The BAS Contractor shall coordinate all requirements to provide a complete air balance with the Balancing Contractor and shall include all labor and materials in his contract.
- D. Refer to the commissioning notes on the trade drawings and the commissioning, (CX) specification sections in order to full understand CX scope of work. Provide labor and materials for pre-functional and functional testing as well as meetings and correctives measure that need to be taken regarding the controls systems.

## **1.9 Training**

- A. The BAS Contractor shall provide on-site training to the Owner's representative and maintenance personnel per the following description:
- B. On-site training shall consist of a minimum of (4) separate 4 - hour sessions of hands-on instruction geared at the operation and maintenance of the systems. The sessions shall be scheduled at the beginning of substantial completion and spaced out over the first year of owner use. The first session curriculum shall include
  - 1. System Overview
  - 2. System Software and Operation
    - a. System access
    - b. Software features overview
    - c. Changing set-points and other attributes
    - d. Scheduling
    - e. Editing programmed variables
    - f. Displaying color graphics
    - g. Running reports
    - h. Workstation maintenance
    - i. Application programming
  - 3. Operational sequences including start-up, shutdown, adjusting and changing system variables. These items shall be reviewed for all equipment installed under this project and or connected to the BMS under this project.
  - 4. Equipment and hardware overview and maintenance. This shall include:
    - a. Review of all hardware installed under this project
    - b. Review of a system schematic.

- c. Review of where each controller is located in the building and what its function is. This shall include a walking, hands-on tour and demonstration of each and every controller.

#### **1.10 Operating and Maintenance Manuals**

- A. The operation and maintenance manuals shall contain all information necessary for the operation, maintenance, replacement, installation, and parts procurement for the entire BAS. This documentation shall include specific part numbers and software versions and dates. A complete list of recommended spare parts shall be included with the lead-time and expected frequency of use of each part clearly identified.
- B. Following project completion and testing, the BAS contractor will submit as-built drawings reflecting the exact installation of the system. The as-built documentation shall also include a copy of all application software both in written form and on diskette.

#### **1.11 Warranty**

- A. The BAS contractor shall warrant the system for 12 months after system acceptance and beneficial use by the owner. During the warranty period, the BAS contractor shall be responsible for all necessary revisions to the software as required to provide a complete and workable system consistent with the letter and intent of the Sequence of Operation section of the specification.
- B. Updates to the manufacturer's software shall be provided at no charge during the warranty period.

#### **1.12 Programming**

- A. Sequence of operations: The controls contractor shall review the sequences of operation given in section 23 09 93 Sequence of Operation. "Canned", preprogrammed, or typical sequences by the manufacture may not be acceptable and shall only be used if accepted by the Engineer. Otherwise, the controls contractor shall be capable of and responsible for providing custom programming, hardware, software, and labor as required to achieve the sequences of operation as specified.

#### **1.13 System Architecture**

- A. General
- B. The Building Automation System (BAS) shall consist of all new Network Control Units (NCUs), a family of Standalone Digital Control Units (SDCUs), Input/Output Unit Modules (IOU Modules), Operator Workstations (OWs), and one File Server to support system configurations where more than one operator workstation is required. The BAS shall provide control, alarm detection, scheduling, reporting and information management for the entire building and all new and existing equipment in the building, and Wide Area Network (WAN) if applicable, from a single ODBC-compliant database
- C. Level 1 Network Description
- D. Level 1, the main backbone of the system, shall be an Ethernet LAN/WAN. Network Control Units, Operator Workstations, and the Central File Server shall connect directly to this network

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without the need for Gateway devices. The contractor shall visit the site and review the existing temperature controls equipment installed in the building and in the physical plant. Certain of these controllers may be suitable for reuse. The network shall be an extension of the existing in the building as required to achieve a complete system,

- E. Level 2 Network Description
- F. Level 2 of the system shall consist of one or more field buses managed by the Network Control Units. The Level 2 field buses may consist of one or both of the following types:
  - G. An RS485, token passing bus that supports up to 127 Standalone Digital Control Units (SDCUs) for operation of HVAC equipment and lighting, or
  - H. An RS485 field bus that supports up to 32 devices from a family of plug-in, IOU modules.
  - I. These IOU modules may be mounted within the NCU enclosure or remotely mounted via a single, twisted, shielded pair of wires.
  - J. The BAS shall be capable of being segmented, through software, into multiple local area networks (LANs) distributed over a wide area network (WAN), sharing a single file server. This enables workstations to manage a single LAN (or building), and/or the entire system with all devices being assured of being updated by and sharing the most current database. In the case of a single workstation system, the workstation shall contain the entire database – with no need for a separate file server.
- K. Standard Network Support
- L. All NCUs, Workstation(s) and File Server shall be capable of residing directly on the owner's Ethernet TCP/IP LAN/WAN with no required gateways. Furthermore, the NCU's, Workstation(s) and File Server shall be capable of using standard, commercially available, off-the-shelf Ethernet infrastructure components such as routers, switches and hubs. With this design the owner may utilize the investment of an existing or new enterprise network or structured cabling system. This also allows the option of the maintenance of the LAN/WAN to be performed by the owner's Information Systems Department as all devices utilize standard TCP/IP components.
- M. Remote Communications
- N. In addition to the above LAN/WAN architecture support, the same workstation software (front end) must be capable of managing remote systems via standard dial-up phone lines as a standard component of the software. Front-end "add-on" software modules to perform remote site communication shall not be acceptable.
- O. The remote system architecture shall consist of two levels providing control, alarm detection, reporting and information management for the remote facility. Level 1 shall contain the Remote Site Control Unit, communicating to the remotely located, Operator Workstation(s) through the use of a modem and a standard dial-up phone line. Level 2 shall consist of one or more field buses controlled by the RSCU. The field buses may consist of one or both of two types:



- P. 1) An RS485, token passing bus that supports up to 127 Standalone Digital Control Units (SDCUs) for operation of HVAC equipment and lighting, or
- Q. 2) An RS485 field bus that supports up to 32 devices from a family of plug-in, IOU modules that may be mounted within the RSCU enclosure or remotely mounted on a single, twisted, shielded pair of wires.
- R. System Expansion
- S. The BAS system shall be scalable and expandable at all levels of the system using the same software interface, and the same Level 1 and Level 2 controllers. Systems that require replacement of either the workstation software or field controllers in order to expand the system shall not be acceptable.
- T. The BAS shall be expandable to include Security and Access Control functions at any time in the future with no additional workstations, front-end software or Level 1 controllers required. Standalone Digital Control Units or IOU modules shall be able to be added to the existing Level 1 controller's field bus(es), to perform security and card access applications. In this way, an owner's existing investment in wiring infrastructure may be leveraged and the cost and inconvenience of adding new field bus wiring will be minimized.
- U. Additionally, an integrated video badging option must be able to be included with no additional workstations required. This photo ID option must share the same database as the BAS in order to eliminate the need for updating multiple databases.
- V. The system shall use the same application programming language for all levels: Operator Workstation, Network Control Unit, Remote Site Control Unit and Standalone Digital Control Unit. Furthermore, this single programming language shall be used for all applications: environmental control, card access control, intrusion detection and security, lighting control, leak detection / underground storage tank monitoring, and digital data communication interfaces to third party microprocessor-based devices.
- W. Support For Open Systems Protocols  
  
The BAS design must include solutions for the integration of the following "open systems" protocols: BACnet, LonTalk™, and digital data communication to third party microprocessors such as chiller controllers, fire panels and variable frequency drives (VFDs).
- X. The system shall also provide the ability to program custom ASCII communication drivers, that will reside in the NCU, for communication to third party systems and devices. These drivers will provide real time monitoring and control of the third party systems.

#### **1.14 Network Control Units (NCUs)**

- A. Network Control Units shall be microprocessor based, multi-tasking, multi-user, and employ a real time operating system. Each NCU control panel shall consist of modular hardware including power supply, CPU board, and input/output modules. A sufficient number of NCUs shall be supplied to fully meet the requirements of this specification and the attached point list. NCUs for telephone dialup sites shall be of the same design as the Ethernet control units but without the plug-in Ethernet network interface card (NIC), i.e., NCUs, which include a NIC, shall be interchangeable whether used on a LAN/WAN or a dialup site.

**B. Webserver Functionality**

All NCUs on the Ethernet TCP/IP LAN/WAN shall be capable, out-of-the box, to be set up as a Web Server. The NCU shall have the ability to store HTML code and “serve” pages to a web browser. This provides the ability for any computing device utilizing a TCP/IP Ethernet connection and capable of running a standard Internet browser (Microsoft Internet Explorer™, Netscape Navigator™, etc.) to access real-time data from the entire BAS via any NCUs.

Graphics and text-based web pages shall be constructed using standard HTML code. The interface shall allow the user to choose any of the standard text or graphics-based HTML editors for page creation. It shall also allow the operator to generate custom graphical pages and forms. The WEB server interface shall be capable of password security, including validation of the requesting PC’s IP address. The WEB server interface shall allow the sharing of data or information between any controller, or process or network interface (BACnet, LonTalk and TCP/IP) that the BMS has knowledge of, regardless of where the point is connected on the BAS network or where it is acquired from.

The BAS network controller must act directly as the WEB server. It must directly generate the HTML code to the requesting user (i.e. WEB browser), eliminating the need for and reliance on any PC-based WEB server hardware or software. To simplify graphic image space allocation, HTML graphic images, if desired, shall be stored on any shared network device. The BAS WEB server shall have the ability to acquire any necessary graphics using standard pathing syntax within the HTML code mounted within the BAS WEB server. External WEB server hardware and software are not acceptable.

**C. Hardware Specifications****1. Memory:**

A minimum of 64MB of RAM shall be provided for NCUs with expansion up to 128 MB. The 64 MB versions shall include a floating-point math co-processor.

**2. Communication Ports:**

Each NCU shall provide communication to both the Workstation(s) and the field buses. In addition, each NCU must have at least 3 other communications ports that support a telephone modem, portable service tool, serial printer and connection to third party controllers such as a chiller control panel. On a LAN/WAN system the NCU shall be provided with a 10Mbps plug-in Ethernet TCP/IP network interface card (NIC).

**3. Input/Output (I/O):**

Each NCU shall support the addition of the following types of inputs and outputs:

- Digital Inputs for status/alarm contacts
- Counter Inputs for summing pulses from meters.
- Thermistor inputs for measuring temperatures in space, ducts and thermowells.
- Analog inputs for pressure, humidity, flow and position measurements.
- Digital Outputs for on/off equipment control.
- Analog Outputs for valve and damper position control, and capacity control of primary equipment including all air handler and fan coil control valves

**4. Modular Expandability:**

The system shall employ a modular I/O design to allow easy expansion. Input and output capacity is to be provided through plug-in modules of various types or DIN-mountable

IOU modules. It shall be possible to combine I/O modules as desired to meet the I/O requirements for individual control applications.

5. Hardware Override Switches:

All digital output units shall include three position manual override switches to allow selection of the ON, OFF, or AUTO output state. These switches shall be built into the unit and shall provide feedback to the controller so that the position of the override switch can be obtained through software. In addition each analog output shall be equipped with an override potentiometer to allow manual adjustment of the analog output signal over its full range, when the 3 position manual override switch is placed in the ON position.

6. Local Status Indicator Lamps:

Provide as a minimum LED indication of CPU status, Ethernet LAN status, and field bus status. For each output, provide LED indication of the value of the output (On/Off). For each output module provide an LED which gives a visual indication of whether any outputs on the module are manually overridden.

7. Real Time Clock (RTC):

Each NCU shall include a battery-backed, real time clock, accurate to 10 seconds per day. The RTC shall provide the following: time of day, day, month, year, and day of week. In normal operation the system clock will be based on the frequency of the AC power. The system shall automatically correct for daylight savings time and leap years and be Year 2000 compliant.

8. Power Supply:

The power supply for the NCUs shall be auto sensing, 120-220VAC, 60/50 Hz power, with a tolerance of +/- 20%. Line voltage below the operating range of the system shall be considered outages. The controller shall contain over voltage surge protection, and require no additional AC power signal conditioning. Optionally, if indicated on the drawings, the power supply shall accept an input voltage of (-48 VDC).

9. Automatic Restart After Power Failure:

Upon restoration of power after an outage, the ECU shall automatically and without human intervention: update all monitored functions; resume operation based on current, synchronized time and status, and implement special start-up strategies as required.

10. Battery backup:

Each NCU with the standard 120-220VAC power supply shall include a programmable DC power backup system rated for a minimum of 72 hours of battery backup to maintain all volatile memory or, a minimum of 2 hours of full UPS including modem power. This power backup system shall be configurable such that at the end of a settable timeframe (such as 1 hour) of running on full UPS, the unit will shut off full UPS and switch to memory retention-only mode for the remainder of the battery power. The system shall allow the simple addition of more batteries to extend the above minimum battery backup times.

D. Software Specifications

1. General.

The NCU shall contain flash ROM as the resident operating system. Application software will be RAM resident. Application software will only be limited by the amount

of RAM memory. There will be no restrictions placed on the type of application programs in the system. Each NCU shall be capable of parallel processing, executing all control programs simultaneously. Any program may affect the operation of any other program. Each program shall have the full access of all I/O facilities of the processor. This execution of control function shall not be interrupted due to normal user communications including interrogation, program entry, printout of the program for storage, etc.

2. User Programming Language:

The application software shall be user programmable. This includes all strategies, sequences of operation, control algorithms, parameters, and setpoints. The source program shall be English language-based and programmable by the user. The language shall be structured to allow for the easy configuration of control programs, schedules, alarms, reports, telecommunications, local displays, mathematical calculations, passwords, and histories. The language shall be self-documenting. Users shall be able to place comments anywhere in the body of a program. Program listings shall be configurable by the user in logical groupings.

E. Control Software:

1. The NCU shall have the ability to perform the following pre-tested control algorithms:

- a. Proportional, Integral plus Derivative Control (PID)
- b. Self Tuning PID
- c. Two Position Control
- d. Digital Filter
- e. Ratio Calculator
- f. Equipment Cycling Protection

2. Mathematical Functions:

- a. Each controller shall be capable of performing basic mathematical functions (+, -, \*, /), squares, square roots, exponential, logarithms, Boolean logic statements, or combinations of both. The controllers shall be capable of performing complex logical statements including operators such as >, <, =, and, or, exclusive or, etc. These must be able to be used in the same equations with the mathematical operators and nested up to five parentheses deep.

3. Energy Management Applications:

- a. NCUs shall have the ability to perform any or all of the following energy management routines:
- b. Time of Day Scheduling
- c. Calendar Based Scheduling
- d. Holiday Scheduling
- e. Temporary Schedule Overrides
- f. Optimal Start
- g. Optimal Stop
- h. Night Setback Control
- i. Enthalpy Switchover (Economizer)
- j. Peak Demand Limiting

- k. Temperature Compensated Duty Cycling
  - l. CFM Tracking
  - m. Heating/Cooling Interlock
  - n. Free Cooling
  - o. Hot Water Reset
  - p. Chilled Water / HW water Reset
  - q. Chiller / boiler Sequencing
4. History Logging:
- a. Each controller shall be capable of logging any system variable over user defined time intervals ranging from 1 second to 1440 minutes. Any system variables (inputs, outputs, math calculations, flags, etc.) can be logged in history. A maximum of 32767 values can be stored in each log. Each log can record either the instantaneous, average, minimum or maximum value of the point. Logs can be automatic or manual. Logged data shall be downloadable to the Operator Workstation for long term archiving based upon user-defined time intervals, or manual command.
5. Alarm Management:
- a. For each system point, alarms can be created based on high/low limits or conditional expressions. All alarms will be tested each scan of the NCU and can result in the display of one or more alarm messages or reports. Up to 8 alarms can be configured for each point in the controller. Messages and reports can be sent to a local terminal, to the front-end workstation(s), or via modem to a remote-computing device. Alarms will be generated based on their priority. A minimum of 255 priority levels shall be provided. If communication with the Operator Workstation is temporarily interrupted, the alarm will be buffered in the NCU. When communications return, the alarm will be transmitted to the Operator Workstation if the point is still in the alarm condition.
6. Reporting.
- a. The NCU shall be able to generate user-definable reports to a locally connected printer or terminal. The reports shall contain any combination of text and system variables. Report templates shall be able to be created by users in a word processing environment. Reports can be displayed based on any logical condition or through a user command.

### **1.15 Standalone Digital Control Units (SDCUs)**

#### **A. General:**

- 1. Standalone Digital Control Units shall provide control of HVAC and lighting. Each controller shall have its own control programs and will continue to operate in the event of a failure or communication loss to its associated NCU.

#### **B. Memory:**

- 1. Control programs shall be stored in battery backed-up RAM and EPROM. Each controller shall have a minimum of 32K bytes of user RAM memory and 128K bytes of EPROM.

## C. Communication Ports:

1. SDCUs shall provide a communication port to the field bus. In addition, a port shall be provided for connection of a portable service tool to support local commissioning and parameter changes with or without the NCU online. It shall be possible from a service port on any SDCU to view, enable/disable, and modify values of any point or program on any controller on the local field bus, any NCU or any SDCU on a different field bus.

## D. Input/Output:

1. Each SDCU shall support the addition of the following types of inputs and outputs:
  - a. Digital Inputs for status/alarm contacts
  - b. Counter Inputs for summing pulses from meters.
  - c. Thermistor Inputs for measuring temperatures in space, ducts and thermowells.
  - d. Analog inputs for pressure, humidity, flow and position measurements.
  - e. Digital Outputs for on/off equipment control.
  - f. Analog Outputs for valve and damper position control, and capacity control of primary equipment.

## E. Expandability:

1. Input and output capacity shall be expandable through the use of plug-in modules. A minimum of two modules shall be added to the base SDCU before additional power is required.

## F. Networking:

1. Each SDCU will be able to exchange information on a peer to peer basis with other Standalone Digital Control Units during each field bus scan. Each SDCU shall be capable of storing and referencing global variables (on the LAN) with or without any workstations online. Each SDCU shall be able to have its program viewed and/or enabled/disabled either locally through a portable service tool or through a workstation connected to an NCU.

## G. Indicator Lamps:

1. SDCUs will have as a minimum, LED indication of CPU status, and field bus status.

## H. Real Time Clock (RTC):

1. An SDCU shall have a real time clock in either hardware or software. The accuracy shall be within 10 seconds per day. The RTC shall provide the following information: time of day, day, month, year, and day of week. Each SDCU shall receive a signal, every hour, over the network from the NCU which synchronizes all SDCU real time clocks.

## I. Automatic Restart After Power Failure:

1. Upon restoration of power, the SDCU shall automatically and without human intervention, update all monitored functions, resume operation based on current, synchronized time and status, and implement special start-up strategies as required.

J. Battery Back Up:

1. Each SDCU shall have at least 3 years of battery back up to maintain all volatile memory.

K. Alarm Management:

1. For each system point, alarms can be created based on high/low limits or conditional expressions. All alarms will be tested each scan of the SDCU and can result in the display of one or more alarm messages or reports. Up to 8 alarms can be configured for each point in the controller enabling the escalation of the alarm priority (urgency) based upon which alarm(s) is/are triggered. Alarm messages can be sent to a local terminal or modem connected to an NCU or to the Operator's Workstation(s). Alarms will be generated based on their priority. A minimum of 255 priority levels shall be provided. If communication with the NCU is temporarily interrupted, the alarm will be buffered in the SDCU. When communications return, the alarm will be transmitted to the NCU if the point is still in the alarm condition.

L. Air Handler Controllers

1. AHU Controllers shall be capable of meeting the requirements of the sequence of operation found in the Execution portion of this specification and for future expansion.
2. AHU Controllers shall support all the necessary point inputs and outputs as required by the sequence and operate in a standalone fashion.
3. AHU Controllers shall be fully user programmable to allow for modification of the application software.
4. An LCD display shall be optionally available for readout of point values and to allow operators to change setpoints and system parameters.
5. A manual override switch shall be provided for all digital and analog outputs on the AHU Controller. The position of the switch shall be monitored in software and available for operator displays and alarm notification.

M. VAV Terminal Unit Controllers

1. VAV Terminal Unit Controllers shall support, but not be limited to the control of the following configurations of VAV boxes to address current requirements as described in the Execution portion of this specification, and for future expansion:
  - a. Single Duct Cooling Only
  - b. Single Duct Cooling with Reheat (Electric or Hot Water)
  - c. Fan Powered (Parallel or Series)
  - d. Dual Duct (Constant or Variable Volume)
  - e. Supply/Exhaust
2. VAV Controllers for single duct applications will come equipped with a built-in actuator for modulation of the air damper. The actuator shall have a minimum torque rating of 35 in.-lb., and contain an override mechanism for manual positioning of the damper during

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startup and service. VAV Controllers shall contain an integral velocity sensor accurate to +/- 5% of the full range of the box's CFM rating. Each controller shall perform the sequence of operation described in Part 3 of this specification, and have the capability for time of day scheduling, occupancy mode control, after hours operation, lighting control, alarming, and trending. VAV Controllers shall be able to communicate with any other Standalone Digital Control Unit on the same field bus with or without communication to the NCU managing the field bus. Systems that fail to provide this (true peer-to-peer) capability will be limited to a maximum of 32 VAV controllers per field bus.

3. Unitary Controllers

- a. Unitary Controllers shall support, but not be limited to, the control of the following systems as described in the Execution portion of this specification, and for future expansion:
  - 1) Cabinet heater and convectors
  - 2) Rooftop top air handling units
  - 3) Fan Coils
  - 4) Unit and cabinet heaters
- b. The I/O of each Unitary Controller shall contain the sufficient quantity and types as required to meet the sequence of operation found in the Execution portion of this specification. In addition, each controller shall have the capability for time of day scheduling, occupancy mode control, after hour operation, lighting control, alarming, and trending.

N. Lighting Controllers (Not Used)

- 1. Lighting controllers shall provide direct control of 20 Amp, 277 VAC lighting circuits using mechanically held, latching relays. Controllers will contain from 8 to 48 circuits per enclosure. Each controller shall also contain inputs for direct connection to light switches and motion detectors. Each controller shall have the capability for time of day scheduling, occupancy mode control, after hour operation, alarming, and trending.

O. Display Controllers

- 1. Display controllers are standalone, touch screen based operator interfaces. The controller shall be designed for flush mounting in a finished space, with a minimum display size of 9 x 9 inches. Software shall be user programmable allowing for custom graphical images that simulate floor plans, menus, equipment schematics along with associated real time point values coming from any NCU on the network. The touch screen display shall contain a minimum of 64 possible touch cells that permit user interaction for changing screens, modifying set-points or operating equipment. Systems that do not offer a display controller as specified must provide a panel mounted computer with touch screen capability as an alternative. All air handling units shall use display controllers.

Q. MP-C Controller

- 1. SmartX IP Controller – MP-C is a multi-purpose, fully programmable, IP based field controller. The MP-C models offer a flexible mix of I/O point types that suit a wide range of HVAC applications. MP-C can either be used as a standalone BACnet/IP field



controller or as part of an EcoStruxure BMS with a SmartX AS-P or AS- B server or an Enterprise Server as the parent server. The MP-C models support an optional display that provides insight and control of the inputs and output. The MP-C has the following features:

- a. IP enabled with dual port Ethernet switch
  - b. Versatile onboard I/O point mix
  - c. High reliability
  - d. Sensor bus for living space sensors
  - e. Mobile commissioning application
  - f. Full EcoStruxure Building Operation software support, providing efficient engineering tools
2. The MP Series controllers are based on open protocols that simplify interoperability, IP configuration, and device management:
  - a. IP addressing BACnet/IP communications
  - b. DHCP for easy network configuration
  - c. The MP Series controllers have a dual-port Ethernet switch, which enables flexible network topologies:
  - d. Star
  - e. Daisy chain
  - f. Rapid Spanning Tree Protocol (RSTP) ring
3. In a star topology, the controller and the parent EcoStruxure BMS server are individually connected to an Ethernet switch. You can reduce the installation time and cost by daisy-chaining multiple controllers together. You can use an RSTP ring topology when you want failures of a single controller to be detected and recovered quickly and efficiently.
4. MP-C comes in five models with different I/O pointcount and a versatile mix of I/O point types that match a wide variety of applications. Most of the I/O points are universal inputs/outputs, which are highly flexible and can be configured as either inputs or outputs.
5. Universal inputs/outputs
  - a. The universal inputs/outputs are ideal for any mix of temperature, pressure, flow, status points, and similar point types in a building control system.
  - b.
  - c. As counter inputs, the universal inputs/outputs are commonly used in energy metering applications. As RTD inputs, they are ideal for temperature points in a building control system. As supervised inputs, they are used for security applications where it is critical to know whether or not a wire has been cut or shorted. These events provide a separate indication of alarms and trouble conditions to the system.
  - d.
  - e. For all analog inputs, maximum and minimum levels can be defined to automatically detect over-range and under-range values.
  - f.
  - g. The universal inputs/outputs can also be used as voltage outputs or current outputs (Uc only), without the need for external bias resistors. Therefore, the universal inputs/outputs support a wide range of devices, such
  - h. as actuators.
6. Triac outputs

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- a. The triac outputs can be used in many applications to switch 24 VAC on or off for external loads such as actuators, relays, or indicators. The triac outputs are isolated from the controller. Triacs are silent and do not suffer from relay contact wear.
7. Relay outputs
  - a. The relay outputs support digital Form A point types. The Form A relays are designed for direct load applications.
8. High power relay output
  - a. MP-C-15A and MP-C-18A have a high power relay output, which is ideal for switching loads of up to 12 A, such as electrical heating elements.
9. High reliability
  - a. The MP Series controllers support local trends, schedules, and alarms, enabling local operation when the controller is offline or used in standalone applications.
  - b. the battery-free power backup of the memory and real-time clock prevents data loss and ensures seamless and quick recovery after a power failure.
  - c. All MP-C models can be equipped with the MP-C Display add-on module, which features an LCD display and five keys. With this module, you can manually override analog and digital outputs for testing, commissioning, and maintenance of equipment connected to the outputs. The module's dedicated processing power ensures reliable override for maintenance applications. The override status is readable through EcoStruxure Building Operation WorkStation and WebStation, enabling precise monitoring and reliable control.
- R. AS-P Controller
  1. At the core of a SmartStruxure solution is a SmartStruxure server device, such as AS-P. AS-P performs key functionality, such as control logic, trend logging, and alarm supervision, and supports communication and connectivity to the I/O and field buses. The distributed intelligence of the SmartStruxure solution ensures fault tolerance in the system and provides a fully featured user interface through WorkStation and WebStation.
  2. AS-P is a powerful device that can act as a standalone server and also control I/O modules and monitor and manage field bus devices. In a small installation, the embedded AS-P device acts as a standalone server, mounted with its I/O modules in a small footprint. In medium and large installations, functionality is distributed over multiple SmartStruxure server devices that communicate over TCP/IP.
  3. Capable of coordinating traffic from above and below its location, AS-P can deliver data directly to you or to other servers throughout the site. AS-P can run multiple control programs, manage local I/O, alarms, and users, handle scheduling and logging, and communicate using a variety of protocols. Because of this, most parts of the system function autonomously and continue to run as a whole even if communication fails or individual SmartStruxure servers or devices go offline.
  4. AS-P has numerous ports that enable it to communicate with a wide range of protocols, devices, and servers.
  5. AS-P has the following ports:
    - Two 10/100 Ethernet ports

- Two RS-485 ports
- One LonWorks TP/FT port
- One built-in I/O bus port
- One USB host port
- One USB device port

The USB device port allows you to upgrade and interact with AS-P using Device Administrator. The USB host port can be used to provide power and communications for the AD touchscreen display.

The two Ethernet ports are connected to a built-in Ethernet switch. One port should be connected to the site network. The other port can be used to connect a single WorkStation or WebStation, a Modbus TCP unit, or a BACnet/IP device, but not another SmartStruxure server.

6. A SmartStruxure solution provides a powerful permission system that is easy to manage, flexible, and adapts to all kinds of system sizes. The permission system provides a security level to the highest standards. Authentication is done against the built-in user account management system or against Windows Active Directory Domains. The built-in account management system allows an administrator to set password policies that meet stringent CyberSecurity guidelines. When Windows Active Directory is used, the administration costs are lower because users do not have to be managed in multiple directories.
7. WorkStation/WebStation interface Through any client, the user experience is similar regardless of which SmartStruxure server the user is logged on to. The user can log directly on to AS-P to engineer, commission, supervise, and monitor AS-P as well as its attached I/O modules and field bus devices. See the WorkStation and WebStation datasheets for additional information.
8. Open building protocol support One of the cornerstones of SmartStruxure solution is support for open standards. AS-P can natively communicate with three of the most popular standards for buildings: BACnet, LonWorks, and Modbus.
9. Native BTL-listed BACnet support AS-P communicates directly to BACnet/IP and BACnet MS/TP networks. AS-P is BTL-listed as a BACnet Building Controller (B-BC), the most advanced BACnet Device Profile. This capability provides access to an extensive range of BACnet devices from Schneider Electric and other vendors. See the BTL Product Catalog for up-to-date details on BTL listed firmware revisions on BACnet International's home page. AS-P can also serve as a BACnet Broadcast Management Device (BBMD) to facilitate BACnet systems that span multiple IP networks.
10. Native LonWorks support
11. Native Modbus support
12. Additional building protocol support AS-P also supports integration and communication with Schneider Electric supplied BMS systems and devices that use the following standards for buildings: I/NET, MicroNet, NETWORK 8000, and Andover Continuum Infinet.
13. Web Services support AS-P supports the use of Web Services based on open standards, such as SOAP and REST, to consume data into the SmartStruxure solution. Use incoming third-party data (temperature forecast, energy cost) over the Web to determine site modes, scheduling, and programming.
14. EcoStruxure Web Services support EcoStruxure Web Services, Schneider Electric's
15. Web Services standard, is natively supported in AS-
16. EcoStruxure Web Services offers extra features between compliant systems whether within Schneider Electric or other authorized systems. These features include system directory browsing, read/write of current values, alarm receipt and acknowledgement,

and historical trend log data. EcoStruxure Web Services is secure. User name and password are required to log on to the system.

17. (4) GB of eMMC memory for data and backup AS-P has an available capacity of 4 GB of eMMC memory. This represents 2 GB for application and historical data and 2 GB dedicated for backup storage. This ensures that all data is safe from damage, loss, or unintended edits. Users can also manually back up or restore AS-P to a storage location on a PC or network. Through the Enterprise Server, users have the ability to perform scheduled backups of associated AS-P devices to network storage for even greater levels of protection.

### **1.16 Advanced Display V3**

- A. General SmartX Advanced Display v3 (AD v3) is an industrial grade Human Machine Interface (HMI) that can easily be locked to an application such as EcoStruxure Building Operation WebStation to create a dedicated tool for local operation and maintenance of an EcoStruxure BMS.
- B. Features v3 provides an easy-to-use interface through which users and engineers can locally access EcoStruxure BMS servers from an HMI terminal installed on a control cabinet. The simplified user interface and the intuitive touchscreen navigation make it easy for you to operate and maintain the system.
- C. Fully integrated HMI solution With AD v3, Schneider Electric offers a fully integrated HMI solution that provides benefits such as ease of use, ease of installation, and robust locking mechanism.
- D. Based on an Android platform AD v3 offers an HMI that is built to last, with a battery- free power supply. The HMI is based on an Android platform with high-resolution touchscreen display, high- quality design, leading technology, and good communications and graphics performance. The display size is 10.1 inches, which is an ideal size for many HMI solutions.
- E. Protective frame and ease of installation AD v3 has an IP54 rated frame that helps protect against dust and moisture. AD v3 is quick and easy to install.
- F. Preinstalled software, AD v3 is delivered with the following preinstalled software: SmartX HMI Kiosk for locking AD v3 into Kiosk mode, USBnet driver for enabling IP over USB communication
- G. Dedicated HMI for operation and maintenance With SmartX HMI Kiosk, you can easily lock AD v3 into Kiosk mode and use AD v3 as a dedicated HMI for operation and maintenance. Kiosk mode enables you to select which app can be used by the end user and helps prevent the user from leaving the selected app, running other apps, interacting with the OS, and accessing the file system. The benefits of Kiosk mode include enhanced data security and easier technical support.
- H. Direct access to EcoStruxure BMS serversWebStation comes built-in with every EcoStruxure BMS server and provides a web-based user interface for operation and maintenance of

EcoStruxure BMS servers. With SmartX HMI Kiosk, you can easily make the embedded web browser run WebStation in Kiosk mode. For more information, see the WebStation specification sheet.

- I. HMI solution for different use casesAD v3 offers an HMI solution that is suitable for different use cases and locations. With AD v3 locked to WebStation and installed on a control cabinet in a plant room, you get an excellent HMI for local maintenance.
- J. Communication and power
- K. The USBnet driver enables AD v3 to communicate with SmartX servers over a wired (USB) connection. AD v3 can be powered by a 24 VDC power supply through the Y-shaped cable (SXWADUSBC10002 or
- L. SXWADUSBC10003). Use only the cables designed for AD v3. The required cables can be ordered from Schneider Electric.

#### **1.17 Web Station**

- A. StruxureWare Building Operation WebStation is a web-based user interface for day-to-day operation in a SmartStruxure solution. WebStation comes built in with every SmartStruxure server, and provides easy access to the software from anywhere in the world.
- B. WebStation provides a portable, fully functioning user interface to access the SmartStruxure servers using a web browser. Users can view and manage graphics, alarms, schedules, trend logs, and reports. User accounts can be created, edited, or removed.
- C. A SmartStruxure solution requires each user to have an account. Access can be through an account maintained by the SmartStruxure solution or through a Windows Active Directory account. IT policies for password formatting, aging, and uniqueness are supported and enforced.
- D. The software adapts the displayed language, measurement system, and date/time format to the operating system settings. Language and measurement system can easily be switched from within WebStation. Translations of WebStation are delivered as separate language packs that are easy to install and deploy.
- E. The software shall have the flexibility to be fully customized to the viewing preference of each user. The main interface, called the Workspace, is a panel-based interface where users can select, position, and re-size a wide variety of components, such as alarms, graphics, and editors. WebStation supports Workspace and Panel functionality without modification.
- F. The search function helps users quickly find information and navigate to wherever they need to go. By typing in all or part of the name, the user sees a list of all items that match. The software shows the current status or value for each item and users can open the item directly from the search list.

- G. Through WebStation, the software can present a large number of alarms in a simple and efficient way to ensure no alarm is overlooked. Alarms can be color coded, grouped, and filtered for maximum efficiency.
- H. WebStation can assign alarms to a user or a group of users by a dispatch center or manager. Using a filter, users can see only the alarms assigned to them and decide whether or not to accept the assignment.
- I. In a SmartStruxure solution, the graphics can be customized to provide the user interface required to effectively run each facility. Graphics are stored locally in the SmartStruxure servers and are available to authorized users from wherever they log o
- J. A SmartStruxure solution uses scalable vector graphic technology so that users can zoom in to see details without losing clarity. Graphics are built once, but can be used on any display regardless of size or resolution. Vector graphic file sizes are small so they can be stored and served directly from the SmartStruxure server device.
- K. Super dynamic live updates A standard live update simply shows the displayed values as conditions change in the field. With SmartStruxure solution's super dynamic live updates, all aspects of graphical elements can change when values change.
- L. Acknowledgement and response alarms can be acknowledged with varying degrees of detail, depending on the importance of the alarm. Users can be required to enter notes or choose from a standard list to explain how the issue was resolved. WebStation can present the user with instructions or a specific view of their system that shows details of the affected equipment. The alarm log records the user's actions.
- M. It is important to log more than basic activity. The software logs every action with a timestamp, the user who performed the action, and the values that were changed.
- N. The software can trend data in many ways, including a periodic method (every day, hour, minute) and a change-of-value (COV) method that only records when a defined threshold has been passed. These trend logs can be shown in trend lists and charts to visualize patterns for diagnostic and optimization purposes. Multiple series can be presented in a single chart, so that data points can be easily compared.
- O. WebStation is based on standard web technologies and requires no special configuration on the client or server side. Platform-independent technologies make it run on most popular browsers. No Schneider Electric specific software has to be installed and maintained on the client computers.
- P. Energy efficiency is achieved when equipment is running only when necessary. Schedules manage that process through a graphical interface that is easy-to-use. Change times with a few simple clicks of the mouse. The powerful Schedule Editor can set up recurring events (every Monday, every third Tuesday, or every January 1st) or an unlimited number of exceptions with priority levels. Schedules go beyond the basic on and off control by enabling direct control of analog values. For example, users can set schedule events to percentages to control lighting levels without writing a program.



- Q. SmartStruxure solution supports customized views of all system events, including alarms and user activity. Each view can be filtered on any event property. Fonts, colors, column sizes, and order can all be specified by the user.
- R. Trend charts are easy to create. The color and weight of all lines can be specified. Display of digital data is automatically shown as high and low horizontal bars, eliminating the need for additional scaling. Log data can be presented as average, minimum, maximum, or delta in addition to the actual log value itself. Users can zoom in to see details without losing clarity. A trend chart can have two different scales on the same chart to see how different data relate to each other.

### **1.18 Operator Workstation Requirements**

A. General.

The BAS workstation software shall be configurable as a multi-workstation system where the database is located on a central file server in the physical plant. The client software on multi-workstation system shall access the file server database program via an Ethernet TCP/IP network running at either 10MBPS or 100MBPS. All Workstations shall be Pentium II based personal computers operating under the Microsoft NT operating system. The application software shall be capable of communication to all Network Control Units and Standalone Digital Control Units, feature high-resolution color graphics, alarming, reporting, and be user configurable for all data collection and data presentation functions.

For multi-workstation systems, a minimum of 256 workstations shall be allowed on the Ethernet network along with the central file server. In this client/server configuration, any changes or additions made from one workstation will automatically appear on all other workstations without the requirement for manual copying of files. Multi-workstation systems with no central database will not be acceptable. Multi-workstation systems with distributed/tiered file servers and a central (master) database will not be acceptable.

B. Workstation Requirements

The workstation shall consist of the following:

3.6 GHz Intel Core i5 processor with 12GB of RAM

Microsoft Windows operating system (latest version compatible with BMS software)

Serial port, parallel port

10/100MBPS Ethernet NIC

500 GB hard disk

CD-ROM drive

High resolution (minimum 1080 x 1920), 17" flat panel display

Mouse

Full function keyboard

Audio sound card and speakers

License agreement for all applicable software.

C. File Server Hardware Requirements.

The file server computer shall contain of the following:

3.6 GHz Intel Core 2 Duo processor with 64GB of RAM

Microsoft Windows operating system (latest version compatible with BMS software)

10/100MBPS Ethernet NIC

500 GB hard disk storage

Mouse

Full function keyboard

License agreement for all applicable software.

Provide one Windows 2000-compatible 56 Kbaud modem.

D. Printer

Provide an alarm printer and a separate report/graphics printer. The alarm printer shall be an Epson dot matrix or equivalent and the report printer shall be a HP LaserJet.

E. Monitor;

1. The monitor shall be flat screen minimum of 22" (16"x20"), LED type, 1920x1080 resolution, 16:9 aspect ratio, VGA.

F. Workstation Software

1. General Description

The software architecture must be object-oriented in design, a true 32-bit application suite utilizing Microsoft's OLE, COM, DCOM and ODBC technologies. These technologies make it easy to fully utilize the power of the operating system to share, among applications (and therefore to the users of those applications), the wealth of data available from the BAS.

The workstation functions shall include monitoring and programming of all DDC controllers. Monitoring consists of alarming, reporting, graphic displays, long term data storage, automatic data collection, and operator-initiated control actions such as schedule and setpoint adjustments.

Programming of controllers shall be capable of being done either off-line or on-line from any operator workstation. All information will be available in graphic or text displays. Graphic displays will feature animation effects to enhance the presentation of the data, to alert operators of problems, and to facilitate location of information throughout the DDC system. All operator functions shall be selectable through a mouse.

2. System Database

The files server database engine must be Microsoft SQL Server, or another ODBC-compliant, relational database program. This ODBC (Open Database Connectivity)-compliant database engine allows for an owner to utilize "their" choice of database and due to it's "open" architecture, allows an owner to write custom applications and/or reports which communicate directly with the database avoiding data transfer routines to update other applications. The system database shall contain all point configurations and programs in each of the controllers that have been assigned to the network. In addition, the database will contain all workstation files including color graphic, alarm reports, text reports, historical data logs, schedules, and polling records.

3. User Interface



The BAS workstation software shall allow the creation of a custom, browser-style interface linked to the user that has logged into the workstation software. This interface shall support the creation of “hot-spots” that the user may link to view/edit any object in the system or run any object editor or configuration tool contained in the software. Furthermore, this interface must be able to be configured to become a user’s “PC Desktop” – with all the links that a user needs to run other applications. This, along with the Windows 10 user security capabilities, will enable a system administrator to setup workstation accounts that not only limit the capabilities of the user within the BAS software but may also limit what a user can do on the PC and/or LAN/WAN. This might be used to ensure, for example, that the user of an alarm monitoring workstation is unable to shutdown the active alarm viewer and/or unable to load software onto the PC.

4. User Security

The software shall be designed so that each user of the software can have a unique username and password. This username/password combination shall be linked to a set of capabilities within the software, set by and editable only by, a system administrator. The sets of capabilities shall range from View only, Acknowledge alarms, Enable/disable and change values, Program, and Administer. The system shall allow the above capabilities to be applied independently to each and every class of object in the system. The system must allow a minimum of 256 users to be configured per workstation. There shall be an inactivity timer adjustable in software that automatically logs off the current operator after the timer has expired.

5. Configuration Interface

The workstation software shall use a familiar Windows Explorer™-style interface for an operator or programmer to view and/or edit any object (controller, point, alarm, report, schedule, etc.) in the entire system. In addition, this interface shall present a “network map” of all controllers and their associated points, programs, graphics, alarms, and reports in an easy to understand structure. All object names shall be alphanumeric and use Windows long filename conventions. Object names shall not be required to be unique throughout the system. This allows consistency in point naming. For example, each fan coil unit controller can have an input called Space Temperature and a setpoint called CFM Setpoint. The FCU controller name shall be unique such as FCU for LAB101. Systems requiring unique object names throughout the system will not be acceptable.

The configuration interface shall also include support for template objects. These template objects shall be used as building blocks for the creation of the BAS database. The types of template objects supported shall include all data point types (input, output, string variables, setpoints, etc.), alarm algorithms, alarm notification objects, reports, graphics displays, schedules, and programs. Groups of template object types shall be able to be set up as template subsystems and systems. The template system shall prompt for data entry if necessary. The template system shall maintain a link to all “child” objects created by each template. If a user wishes to make a change to a template object, the software shall ask the user if he/she wants to update all of child objects with the change. This template system shall facilitate configuration and programming consistency and afford the user a fast and simple method to make global changes to the BAS.

6. Color Graphic Displays

The system shall allow for the creation of user defined, color graphic displays for the viewing of mechanical and electrical systems, or building schematics. These graphics shall contain point information from the database including any attributes associated with the point (engineering units, etc.). In addition operators shall be able to command

equipment or change setpoints from a graphic through the use of the mouse. Requirements of the color graphic subsystem include:

- a. SVGA, bit-mapped displays. The user shall have the ability to import AutoCAD generated picture files as background displays.
- b. A built-in library of animated objects such as dampers, fans, pumps, buttons, knobs, gauges, and graphs which can be “dropped” on a graphic through the use of a software configuration “wizard”. These objects shall enable operators to interact with the graphic displays in a manner that mimics their mechanical equivalents found on field installed control panels. Using the mouse, operators shall be able to adjust setpoints, start or stop equipment, modify PID loop parameters, or change schedules.
- c. Status changes or alarm conditions must be able to be highlighted by objects changing screen location, size, color, text, blinking or changing from one display to another.
- d. Graphic panel objects shall be able to be configured with multiple “tabbed” pages allowing an operator to quickly view individual graphics of equipment, which make up a subsystem or system.
- e. Ability to link graphic displays through user defined objects, alarm testing, or the result of a mathematical expression. Operators must be able to change from one graphic to another by selecting an object with a mouse - no menus will be required.
- f. Automatic monitoring

The software shall allow for the automatic collection of data and reports from any controller through either a hardwire or modem communication link. The frequency of data collection shall be completely user-configurable.

- g. Alarm Management

The software shall be capable of accepting alarms directly from controllers, or generating alarms based on evaluation of data in controllers and comparing to limits or conditional equations configured through the software. Any alarm (regardless of its origination) will be integrated into the overall alarm management system and will appear in all standard alarm reports, be available for operator acknowledgment, and have the option for displaying graphics, or reports.

Alarm management features shall include:

- 1) A minimum of 255 alarm notification levels. Each notification level will establish a unique set of parameters for controlling alarm display, acknowledgment, keyboard annunciation, alarm printout and record keeping.
- 2) Automatic logging in the database of the alarm message, point name, point value, connected controller, timestamp, username and time of acknowledgement, username and time of alarm silence (soft acknowledgement)
- 3) Automatic printing of the alarm information or alarm report to an alarm printer or report printer.
- 4) Playing an audible beep or audio (wav) file on alarm initiation or return to normal.
- 5) Sending an email or alphanumeric page to anyone listed in a workstation's email account address list on either the initial occurrence of an alarm and/or

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if the alarm is repeated because an operator has not acknowledged the alarm within a user-configurable timeframe. The ability to utilize email and alphanumeric paging of alarms shall be a standard feature of the software integrated with the operating system's mail application interface (MAPI). No special software interfaces shall be required.

- 6) Individual alarms shall be able to be re-routed to a workstation or workstations at user-specified times and dates. For example, a critical high temp alarm can be configured to be routed to a Facilities Dept. workstation during normal working hours (7am-6pm, Mon-Fri) and to a Central Alarming workstation at all other times.
- 7) An active alarm viewer shall be included which can be customized for each user or user type to hide or display any alarm attributes.
- 8) The font type and color, and background color for each alarm notification level as seen in the active alarm viewer shall be customizable to allow easy identification of certain alarm types or alarm states.
- 9) The active alarm viewer can be configured such that an operator must type in text in an alarm entry and/or pick from a drop-down list of user actions for certain alarms. This ensures accountability (audit trail) for the response to critical alarms.

h. Custom Report Generation

The software will contain a built-in custom report generator, featuring word processing tools for the creation of custom reports. These custom reports shall be able to be set up to automatically run or be generated on demand. Each workstation shall be able to associate reports with any word processing or spreadsheet program loaded on the machine. When the report is displayed, it will automatically spawn the associated report editor such as MS Word™.

- 1) Reports can be of any length and contain any point attributes from any controller on the network.
- 2) The report generator will have access to the user programming language in order to perform mathematical calculations inside the body of the report, control the display output of the report, or prompt the user for additional information needed by the report.
- 3) It shall be possible to run other executable programs whenever a report is initiated.
- 4) Report Generator activity can be tied to the alarm management system, so that any of the configured reports can be displayed in response to an alarm condition.
- 5) Standard reports shall include:
  - a) Points in each controller.
  - b) Points in alarm
  - c) Disabled points
  - d) Overridden points
  - e) Operator activity report
  - f) Alarm history log.
  - g) Program listing by controller with status.
  - h) Network status of each controller

## i. Spreadsheet-style reports

The software shall allow the simple configuration of row/column (spreadsheet-style) reports on any class of object in the system. These reports shall be user-configurable and shall be able to extract live (controller) data and/or data from the database. The user shall be able to set up each report to display in any text font, color and background color. In addition the report shall be able to be configured to filter data, sort data and highlight data which meets user-defined criteria.

## j. HTML Reporting

The above spreadsheet-style reports shall be able to be run to an HTML template file. This feature will create an HTML “results” file in the directory of the HTML template. This directory can be shared with other computer users, which will allow those users with access to the directory to “point” their web browser at the file and view the report.

## k. Scheduling- It shall be possible to configure and download from the workstation schedules for any of the controllers on the network.

- 1) Time of day schedules shall be in a calendar style and shall be programmable for a minimum of one year in advance. Each standard day of the week and user-defined day types shall be able to be associated with a color so that when the schedule is viewed it is very easy, at-a-glance, to determine the schedule for a particular day even from the yearly view. To change the schedule for a particular day, a user shall simply click on the day and then click on the day type.
- 2) Each schedule will appear on the screen viewable as the entire year, monthly, week and day. A simple mouse click shall allow switching between views. It shall also be possible to scroll from one month to the next and view or alter any of the schedule times.
- 3) Schedules will be assigned to specific controllers and stored in their local RAM memory. Any changes made at the workstation will be automatically updated to the corresponding schedule in the controller.

## l. Programmer's Environment

The programmer's environment will include access to a superset of the same programming language supported in the controllers. Here the programmer will be able to configure application software off-line (if desired) for custom program development, write global control programs, system reports, wide area networking data collection routines, and custom alarm management software. On the same screen as the program editor, the programming environment shall include dockable debug and watch bars for program debugging and viewing updated values and point attributes during programming. In addition a wizard tool shall be available for loading programs from a library file in the program editor.

## m. Saving/Reloading

The workstation software shall have an application to save and restore field controller memory files. This application shall not be limited to saving and reloading an entire controller – it must also be able to save/reload individual objects in the controller. This allows off-line debugging of control programs, for example, and then reloading of just the modified information.

## n. Data Logging

The workstation software shall have the capability to easily configure groups of data points with trend logs and display the trend log data. A group of data points shall be created by drag-and-drop method of the points into a folder. The trend log data shall be displayed through a simply menu selection. This data shall be able to be saved to file and/or printed.

o. Audit Trail

The workstation software shall automatically log and timestamp every operation that a user performs at a workstation, from logging on and off a workstation to changing a point value, modifying a program, enabling/disabling an object, viewing a graphic display, running a report, modifying a schedule, etc.

p. Fault Tolerant File Server Operation

The system shall provide the option to provide fault tolerant operation in the event of the loss of the CPU, disk drives, or other hardware required to maintain the operational integrity of the system. Operational integrity includes all user interfaces, monitoring of alarm points and access points, and executing access control functions.

The switchover mechanism provided shall be automatic. Should the failure be caused by hardware, then the system shall immediately switch to the Backup computer. Should the system failure be caused by software (instruction or data), the system shall not pass the faulted code to the Backup computer, otherwise the Backup shall fail in the same manner of the Primary computer.

Switchover to the Backup computer shall be initiated and effective (complete) in a manner and time frame that precludes the loss of event data, and shall be transparent to the system users, except for an advisory alarm message indicating that the switchover has occurred.

When the system fails-over from the Primary to the Backup computer, no alarm or other event shall be lost, and the Backup computer shall take control of all system functions.

A single component failure in the system shall not cause the entire system to fail. All system users shall be informed of any detectable component failure via an alarm event. System users shall not be logged off as a result of a system failure or switchover.

The Primary computer shall provide continual indication that the Backup computer is unavailable until such time that the fault has been purged.

### 1.19 Portable Operator's Terminal (NOT USED)

- A. Provide one 15" full screen, laptop portable operator terminal shall communicate directly to all controllers. The laptop software shall enable users to monitor both instantaneous and historical point data, modify control parameters, and enable/disable any point or program in any controller on the network.
1. The laptop computer will be a Intel Core 2 Duo-based portable computer with a minimum of 4GB of RAM memory, and a 160GB hard disk drive, running Windows ver 7 or Windows XP.
  2. The laptop service tool will connect to any Ethernet controller or standalone controller via a dedicated service port. From this single connection, the user shall be able to communicate with any other controller on the LAN.

3. The laptop service tool will limit operator access by passwords. The service tool must support, at a minimum, the following password-protected user types: Administrator, Modify Parameters, View Only.
4. The laptop software shall include built-in menus for viewing points by controller, enabling, disabling and viewing programs, configuring controllers, and communicating to other controllers on the network.

## 1.20 DDC Sensors and Point Hardware

### A. Temperature Sensors

1. All temperature devices shall use precision thermistors accurate to  $\pm 1$  degree F over a range of  $-30$  to  $230$  degrees F. Space temperature sensors shall be accurate to  $\pm .5$  degrees F over a range of  $40$  to  $100$  degrees F.
2. Space sensors shall be have off white enclosure and shall be mounted on a standard electrical box. Space sensors shall use surface mounted finished cast electrical box for surface mounting with metal "wire-mold" to conceal wiring for all solid masonry partitions. For space sensors located on gypsum board partitions, wiring shall be concealed inside the walls with recessed flush mounted electrical boxes. In general, control wiring shall run from the ceiling plenum to the box which shall be wall mounted next to the door or as shown on plan. (This shall be the standard for this project)
3. The space sensor housing shall utilize buttons for adjusting the space temperature set-point, as well as a push button for selecting after hours operation, fan speed and all and other operator selectable parameters. Operators shall be able to adjust set points directly from the sensor. All space sensors, (located in public location, office), shall incorporate either an LED or LCD display for viewing the space temperature, set-point and other operator selectable parameters. Space sensors located in store rooms, MER, and unoccupied space are not required have LED or LCD display.
4. Duct temperature sensors shall incorporate a thermistor bead embedded at the tip of a stainless steel tube. Probe style duct sensors are useable in air handling applications where the coil or duct area is less than  $14$  square feet.
5. Averaging sensors shall be employed in ducts which are larger than  $14$  square feet. The averaging sensor tube must contain at least one thermistor for every  $3$  feet, with a minimum tube length of  $12$  feet.
6. Immersion sensors shall be employed for measurement of temperature in all chilled and hot water applications as well as refrigerant applications. Thermal wells shall be brass or stainless steel for non-corrosive fluids below  $250$  degrees F and  $300$  series stainless steel for all other applications. Water temperature sensors shall be accurate to  $\pm .5$  degrees F over a range of  $-30$  to  $230$  degrees F.
7. A pneumatic signal shall not be allowed for anything.

### B. Humidity Sensors

1. Humidity devices shall be accurate to  $\pm 5\%$  at full scale for space and  $\pm 3\%$  for duct and outside air applications. Suppliers shall be able to demonstrate that accuracy is NIST traceable.

2. Provide a hand held field calibration tool that both reads the output of the sensor and contains a reference sensor for ongoing calibration.

C. Pressure Sensors

1. Air pressure measurements in the range of 0 to 10" water column will be accurate to +/- .5% using a solid-state sensing element. Acceptable manufacturers include Modus Instruments and Mamac.
2. Differential pressure measurements of liquids or gases shall be accurate to +/- 0.5% of range. The housing shall be NEMA 4 rated.

D. Current and KW Sensors

1. Current status switches shall be used to monitor fans, pumps, motors and electrical loads. Current switches shall be available in solid and split core models, and offer either a digital or an analog signal to the automation system. Acceptable manufacturer is Veris or approved equal.
2. Measurement of three phase power shall be accomplished with a kW/kWH transducer. This device shall utilize direct current transformer inputs to calculate the instantaneous value (kW) and a pulsed output proportional to the energy usage (kWH). Provide Veris Model 6000 Power Transducer or approved equal.

E. Current Status Switches for Variable Frequency Drive Application

1. Acceptable Manufacturer: Veris Industries.
2. General: Microprocessor controlled, self-learning, self-calibrating current sensor to detect motor undercurrent and overcurrent situations such as belt loss, coupling shear, and mechanical failure on variable loads. Sensor shall store motor current as operating parameter in non-volatile memory. Push-button to clear memory and relearn.
3. Visual LED indicator for status.
4. Alarm Limits:  $\pm 20\%$  of learned current in every 5 Hz freq. band
5. Split core sensor, induced powered from monitored load and isolated to 600 VAC rms. Sensor shall indicate status from 1.5 A to 150 A and from 12 to 115 Hz.
6. Normally open current sensor output. 0.1A at 30 VAC/DC.
7. Basis of Design: Veris Model H614.

F. Flow Sensors

1. Provide an insertion vortex flowmeter for measurement of liquid, gas or steam flows in pipe sizes above 3 inches.
2. Install the flow meter on an isolation valve to permit removal without process shutdown.
3. Sensors shall be manufactured by EMCO or approved equal.

G. Electric/Pneumatic Transducers

1. Electric to pneumatic transducers shall operate from either a PWM or analog signal. E/P transducers shall be rated for 0 - 20 psi operation and accurate to 2% of full scale. E/P transducers shall have a maximum air consumption of 100 SCIM.
2. E/P transducers may be installed at the end device (damper or valve), or mounted separately in a field interface panel, or as part of the controller. All transducers will be calibrated.

**H. Electric/Pneumatic Solenoid Valves**

Electric solenoid operated pneumatic valves (EP's) shall have a three port operation: common, normally open and normally closed. They shall be rated for 50 psig when used for 25 psig or less applications, or rated for 150 psig when used for 100 psig or less applications. The coils shall be equipped with transient suppression devices to limit transients to 150 percent of the rated coil voltage.

**I. Liquid Differential Pressure Transmitters:**

1. Acceptable Manufacturer: Veris Industries
2. Transmitter shall be microprocessor based
3. Transmitter shall use two independent gauge pressure sensors to measure and calculate differential pressure
4. Transmitter shall have 4 switch selectable ranges
5. Transmitter shall have test mode to produce full-scale output automatically.
6. Transmitter shall have provision for zeroing by pushbutton or digital input.
7. Transmitter shall have field selectable outputs of 0-5V, 0-10V, and 4-20mA.
8. Transmitter shall have field selectable electronic surge damping
9. Transmitter shall have an electronic port swap feature
10. Transmitter shall accept 12-30 VDC or 24 VAC supply power
11. Sensor shall be 17-4 PH stainless steel where it contacts the working fluid.
12. Performance:
  - a. Accuracy shall be  $\pm 1\%$  F.S. and  $\pm 2\%$  F.S. for lowest selectable range
  - b. Long term stability shall be  $\pm 0.25\%$
  - c. Sensor temperature operating range shall be  $-4^{\circ}$  to  $185^{\circ}\text{F}$
  - d. Operating environment shall be  $14^{\circ}$  to  $131^{\circ}\text{F}$ ; 10-90% RH noncondensing
  - e. Proof pressure shall be 2x max. F.S. range
  - f. Burst pressure shall be 5x max. F.S. range
13. Transmitter shall be encased in a NEMA 4 enclosure
14. Enclosure shall be white powder-coated aluminum
15. Transmitter shall be available with a certification of NIST calibration
16. [Transmitter shall be preinstalled on a bypass valve manifold]
17. Basis of Design: Veris PW

**1.21 Control Valves**

- A. Provide automatic control valves suitable for the specified controlled media (steam, water or glycol). Provide valves which mate and match the material of the connected piping. Equip control valves with the actuators of required input power type and control signal type to accurately position the flow control element and provide sufficient force to achieve required leakage specification.
- B. Control valves shall meet the heating and cooling loads specified, and close off against the differential pressure conditions within the application. Valves should be sized to operate accurately and with stability from 10 to 100% of the maximum design flow.



- C. Trim material shall be stainless steel for steam and high differential pressure applications.
- D. Electric actuation should be provided on all terminal unit reheat applications.

### **1.22 Dampers**

- A. Automatic dampers, furnished by the Building Automation Contractor shall be single or multiple blade as required. Dampers are to be installed by the HVAC Contractor under the supervision of the BAS Contractor. All blank-off plates and conversions necessary to install smaller than duct size dampers are the responsibility of the Sheet Metal Contractor.
- B. Damper frames are to be constructed of 13 gauge galvanized sheet steel mechanically joined with linkage concealed in the side channel to eliminate noise as friction. Compressible spring stainless steel side seals, and acetal or bronze bearings shall also be provided.
- C. Damper blade width shall not exceed eight inches. Seals and 3/8 inch square steel zinc plated pins are required. Blade rotation is to be parallel or opposed as shown on the schedules.
- D. For high performance applications, control dampers will meet or exceed the UL Class I leakage rating.
- E. Control and smoke dampers shall be Ruskin, or approved equal.
- F. Provide opposed blade dampers for modulating applications and parallel blade for two position control.

### **1.23 Damper Actuators**

- A. Electronic Actuators – the actuator shall be direct coupled over the shaft, enabling it to be mounted directly to the damper shaft without the need for connecting linkage. The actuator shall have electronic overload circuitry to prevent damage. For power-failure/safety applications, an internal mechanical, spring return mechanism shall be built into the actuator housing. Non-spring return actuators shall have an external manual gear release to allow positioning of the damper when the actuator is not powered.
- B. Pneumatic Actuators - shall be of the synthetic elastomer diaphragm piston type and shall be fully proportioning unless otherwise specified. They shall have full metal bodies and utilize replaceable diaphragms. Damper actuators on large sections of modulating dampers (>25 sq.ft.) or high face velocity applications (such as fan inlet vanes) shall be equipped with pilot positioners to provide repeatability and quick response. Also provide pilot positioners on steam valves requiring 1/3 – 2/3 operation. (Not used)

### **1.24 Smoke Detectors**

- A. Air duct smoke detectors shall be by Air Products & Controls or approved equal. The detectors shall operate at air velocities from 300 feet per minute to 4000 feet per minute.
- B. The smoke detector shall utilize a photoelectric detector head.
- C. The housing shall permit mechanical installation without removal of the detector cover.

- D. The detectors shall be listed by Underwrites Laboratories and meet the requirements of UL 268A.

### **1.25 Airflow Measuring Stations**

- A. Provide a thermal anemometer using instrument grade self heated thermistor sensors with thermistor temperature sensors.
- B. The flow station shall operate over a range of 0 to 5,000 feet/min with an accuracy of +/- 2% over 500 feet/min and +/- 10 ft/min for reading less than 500 feet/min.
- C. The output signal shall be linear with field selectable ranges including 0-5 VDC, 0-10VDC and 4-20 mA.
- D. Furnish Ebtron Series 3000 airflow stations or approved equal.

## **PART 2 - EXECUTION**

### **2.1 Contractor Responsibilities**

#### **A. General**

Installation of the building automation system shall be performed by the Contractor or a subcontractor. However, all installation shall be under the personal supervision of the Contractor. The Contractor shall certify all work as proper and complete. Under no circumstances shall the design, scheduling, coordination, programming, training, and warranty requirements for the project be delegated to a subcontractor.

#### **B. Demolition**

- 1. Remove controls which do not remain as part of the building automation system, all associated abandoned wiring and conduit, and all associated pneumatic tubing and or wiring. The Owner will inform the Contractor of any equipment which is to be removed that will remain the property of the Owner. All other equipment which is removed will be disposed of by the Contractor.

#### **C. Access to Site**

- 1. Unless notified otherwise, entrance to building is restricted. No one will be permitted to enter the building unless their names have been cleared with the Owner or the Owner's Representative.

#### **D. Code Compliance**

- 1. All wiring shall be installed in accordance with all applicable electrical codes and will comply with equipment manufacturer's recommendations. Should any discrepancy be found between wiring specifications in Division 17 and Division 16, wiring requirements of Division 17 will prevail for work specified in Division 17.

#### **E. Cleanup**

- 1. At the completion of the work, all equipment pertinent to this contract shall be checked and thoroughly cleaned, and all other areas shall be cleaned around equipment provided under this contract.

## 2.2 Wiring, Conduit, and Cable

- A. All wire will be copper and meet the minimum wire size and insulation class listed below:

Wire Class	Wire Size	Isolation Class
Power	12 Gauge	600 Volt
Class One	14 Gauge Std.	600 Volt
Class Two	18 Gauge Std.	300 Volt
Class Three	18 Gauge Std.	300 volt
Communications	Per Mfr.	Per Mfr.

- B. Power and Class One wiring may be run in the same conduit. Class Two and Three wiring and communications wiring may be run in the same conduit.
- C. Where different wiring classes terminate within the same enclosure, maintain clearances and install barriers per the National Electric Code.
- D. Where wiring is required to be installed in conduit, EMT shall be used. Conduit shall be minimum 1/2 inch galvanized EMT. Set screw fittings are acceptable for dry interior locations. Watertight compression fittings shall be used for exterior locations and interior locations subject to moisture. Provide conduit seal off fitting where exterior conduits enter the building or between areas of high temperature/moisture differential.
- E. Flexible metallic conduit (max. 3 feet) shall be used for connections to motors, actuators, controllers, and sensors mounted on vibration producing equipment. Liquid-tight flexible conduit shall be use in exterior locations and interior locations subject to moisture.
- F. Junction boxes shall be provided at all cable splices, equipment termination, and transitions from EMT to flexible conduit. Interior dry location J-boxes shall be galvanized pressed steel, nominal four-inch square with blank cover. Exterior and damp location JH-boxes shall be cast alloy FS boxes with threaded hubs and gasketed covers.
- G. Where the space above the ceiling is a supply or return air plenum, the wiring shall be plenum rated. Teflon wiring can be run without conduit above suspended ceilings. EXCEPTION: Any wire run in suspended ceilings that is used to control outside air dampers or to connect the system to the fire management system shall be in conduit.
- H. Coaxial cable shall conform to RG62 or RG59 rating. Provide plenum rated coaxial cable when running in return air plenums.
- I. Fiber optic cable shall include the following sizes; 50/125, 62.5/125 or 100/140.
- J. Only glass fiber is acceptable, no plastic.
- K. Fiber optic cable shall only be installed and terminated by an experienced contractor. The BAS contractor shall submit to the Engineer the name of the intended contractor of the fiber optic cable with his submittal documents.
- L. Hardware Installation

**2.3 Installation Practices for Wiring**

- A. All controllers are to be mounted vertically and per the manufacturer's installation documentation.
- B. The 120VAC power wiring to each Ethernet or Remote Site controller shall be a dedicated run, with a separate breaker. Each run will include a separate hot, neutral and ground wire. The ground wire will terminate at the breaker panel ground. This circuit will not feed any other circuit or device.
- C. A true earth ground must be available in the building. Do not use a corroded or galvanized pipe, or structural steel.
- D. Wires are to be attached to the building proper at regular intervals such that wiring does not droop. Wires are not to be affixed to or supported by pipes, conduit, etc.
- E. Conduit in finished areas, will be concealed in ceiling cavity spaces, plenums, furred spaces and wall construction. Exception; metallic surface raceway may be used in finished areas on masonry walls. All surface raceway in finished areas must be color matched to the existing finish within the limitations of standard manufactured colors.
- F. Conduit, in non-finished areas where possible, will be concealed in ceiling cavity spaces, plenums, furred spaces, and wall construction. Exposed conduit will run parallel to or at right angles to the building structure.
- G. Wires are to be kept a minimum of three (3) inches from hot water, steam, or condensate piping.
- H. Where sensor wires leave the conduit system, they are to be protected by a plastic insert.
- I. Wire will not be allowed to run across telephone equipment areas.

**2.4 Installation Practices for Field Devices**

- A. Well-mounted sensors will include thermal conducting compound within the well to insure good heat transfer to the sensor.
- B. Actuators will be firmly mounted to give positive movement and linkage will be adjusted to give smooth continuous movement throughout 100 percent of the stroke.
- C. Relay outputs will include transient suppression across all coils. Suppression devices shall limit transients to 150% of the rated coil voltage.
- D. Water line mounted sensors shall be removable without shutting down the system in which they are installed.
- E. For duct static pressure sensors, the high pressure port shall be connected to a metal static pressure probe inserted into the duct pointing upstream. The low pressure port shall be left open to the plenum area at the point that the high pressure port is tapped into the ductwork.
- F. For building static pressure sensors, the high pressure port shall be inserted into the space via a metal tube. Pipe the low pressure port to the outside of the building.

**2.5 Enclosures**

- A. For all I/O requiring field interface devices, these devices where practical will be mounted in a field interface panel (FIP). The Contractor shall provide an enclosure which protects the device(s) from dust, moisture, conceals integral wiring and moving parts.
- B. FIPs shall contain power supplies for sensors, interface relays and contactors, safety circuits, and I/P transducers.
- C. The FIP enclosure shall be of steel construction with baked enamel finish, NEMA 1 rated with a hinged door and keyed lock. The enclosure will be sized for twenty percent spare mounting space. All locks will be keyed identically.
- D. All wiring to and from the FIP will be to screw type terminals. Analog or communications wiring may use the FIP as a raceway without terminating. The use of wire nuts within the FIP is prohibited.
- E. All outside mounted enclosures shall meet the NEMA-4 rating.
- F. The wiring within all enclosures shall be run in plastic track. Wiring within controllers shall be wrapped and secured.

**2.6 Identification**

- A. Identify all control wires with labeling tape or sleeves using either words, letters, or numbers that can be exactly cross-referenced with as-built drawings.
- B. All field enclosures, other than controllers, shall be identified with a bakelite nameplate. The lettering shall be in white against a black or blue background.
- C. Junction box covers will be marked to indicate that they are a part of the BAS system.
- D. All I/O field devices (except space sensors) that are not mounted within FIP's shall be identified with name plates.
- E. All I/O field devices inside FIP's shall be labeled.

**2.7 Existing Controls.**

- A. Existing controls which are to be reused must each be tested and calibrated for proper operation. Existing controls which are to be reused and are found to be defective requiring replacement, will be noted to the Owner. (Not applicable. Existing controls shall not be reused)
- B. All existing controllers, thermostats, pneumatic tubing, actuators, panels gauges and any device associated with equipment is to be removed completely. Remove pneumatic lines back to wall or floor and cap air tight.
- C. The existing compressors shall remain in place and operational to service devices other than in the plant.

**2.8 Control System Switch-over**

- A. Demolition of the existing control system will occur after the new temperature control system is in place including new sensors and new field interface devices.
- B. Switch-over from the existing control system to the new system will be fully coordinated with the Owner. A representative of the Owner will be on site during switch-over.
- C. The Contractor shall minimize control system downtime during switch-over. Sufficient installation mechanics will be on site so that the entire switch-over can be accomplished in a reasonable time frame.
- D. Provide temporary controls as necessary and as required to operate equipment as equipment is phased into operations.

**2.9 Location**

- A. The location of sensors is per mechanical and architectural drawings.
- B. Space humidity or temperature sensors will be mounted away from machinery generating heat, direct light and diffuser air streams.
- C. Outdoor air sensors will be mounted on the north building face directly in the outside air. Install these sensors such that the effects of heat radiated from the building or sunlight is minimized.
- D. Field enclosures shall be located immediately adjacent to the controller panel(s) to which it is being interfaced.
- E. The new operator work station shall be located in the operating engineers office near the boiler room.

**2.10 Software Installation**

- A. General.  
The Contractor shall provide all labor necessary to install, initialize, start-up and debug all system software as described in this section. This includes any operating system software or other third party software necessary for successful operation of the system.
- B. Database Configuration.  
The Contractor will provide all labor to configure those portions of the database that are required by the points list and sequence of operation.
- C. Color Graphic Slides.  
Unless otherwise directed by the owner, the Contractor will provide color graphic displays as depicted in the mechanical drawings for each system and floor plan. For each system or floor plan, the display shall contain the associated points identified in the point list and allow for setpoint changes as required by the owner. Graphically represent each and every piece of equipment in the building, new and existing, all input and put status point, and functional points. This shall include the new fans, chillers, and convectors, existing boilers, water, fuel, and ejection pumps, fan coil units, convectors, air handlers and fans.

## D. Reports.

The Contractor will configure a minimum of 6 reports for the owner as listed below:

1. Chiller Status
2. Boiler status
3. Hot water and chilled pump report
4. Domestic HW pump status, and hot water temperature
5. All exhaust fans, including general, RF exhaust
6. Chilled water supply and return water temp at the primary loop and secondary loop
7. Hot water supply and return water temp at the primary loop and secondary loop
8. Specialty Equipment Status Report including vacuum and compressed air

## E. Documentation

As built software documentation will include the following:

1. Descriptive point lists
2. Application program listing
3. Application programs with comments.
4. Printouts of all reports.
5. Alarm list.
6. Printouts of all graphics

## F. Commissioning and System Startup

## G. Point to Point Checkout.

Each I/O device (both field mounted as well as those located in FIPs) shall be inspected and verified for proper installation and functionality. A checkout sheet itemizing each device shall be filled out, dated and approved by the Project Manager for submission to the owner or owner's representative.

## H. Controller and Workstation Checkout.

A field checkout of all controllers and front end equipment (computers, printers, modems, etc.) shall be conducted to verify proper operation of both hardware and software. A checkout sheet itemizing each device and a description of the associated tests shall be prepared and submitted to the owner or owner's representative by the completion of the project.

## I. System Acceptance Testing

All application software will be verified and compared against the sequences of operation. Control loops will be exercised by inducing a setpoint shift of at least 10% and observing whether the system successfully returns the process variable to setpoint. Record all test results and attach to the Test Results Sheet.

## J. Test each alarm in the system and validate that the system generates the appropriate alarm message, that the message appears at all prescribed destinations (workstations or printers), and that any other related actions occur as defined (i.e. graphic panels are invoked, reports are generated, etc.). Submit a Test Results Sheet to the owner.

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- K. Perform an operational test of each unique graphic display and report to verify that the item exists, that the appearance and content are correct, and that any special features work as intended. Submit a Test Results Sheet to the owner.
- L. Perform an operational test of each third party interface that has been included as part of the automation system. Verify that all points are properly polled, that alarms have been configured, and that any associated graphics and reports have been completed. If the interface involves a file transfer over Ethernet, test any logic that controls the transmission of the file, and verify the content of the specified information.

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## SECTION 230923.11 - CONTROL VALVES

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Section includes control valves and actuators for DDC systems.

#### 1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. Cv: Design valve coefficient.
- B. DDC: Direct-digital control.
- C. NBR: Nitrile butadiene rubber.
- D. PTFE: Polytetrafluoroethylene
- E. RMS: Root-mean-square value of alternating voltage, which is the square root of the mean value of the square of the voltage values during a complete cycle.

#### 1.4 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product, including the following:
  - 1. Construction details, material descriptions, dimensions of individual components and profiles, and finishes.
  - 2. Operating characteristics, electrical characteristics, and furnished accessories indicating process operating range, accuracy over range, control signal over range, default control signal with loss of power, calibration data specific to each unique application, electrical power requirements, and limitations of ambient operating environment, including temperature and humidity.
  - 3. Product description with complete technical data, performance curves, and product specification sheets.
  - 4. Installation, operation, and maintenance instructions, including factors affecting performance.
- B. Shop Drawings:
  - 1. Include plans, elevations, sections, and mounting details.

2. Include details of product assemblies. Indicate dimensions, weights, loads, and required clearances, method of field assembly, components, and location and size of each field connection.
3. Include diagrams for power, signal, and control wiring.
4. Include diagrams for pneumatic signal and main air tubing.

C. Delegated-Design Submittal:

1. Schedule and design calculations for control valves and actuators, including the following:
  - a. Flow at project design and minimum flow conditions.
  - b. Pressure differential drop across valve at project design flow condition.
  - c. Maximum system pressure differential drop (pump close-off pressure) across valve at project minimum flow condition.
  - d. Design and minimum control valve coefficient with corresponding valve position.
  - e. Maximum close-off pressure.
  - f. Leakage flow at maximum system pressure differential.
  - g. Torque required at worst case condition for sizing actuator.
  - h. Actuator selection indicating torque provided.

## 1.5 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Coordination Drawings: Plan drawings and corresponding product installation details, drawn to scale, on which the following items are shown and coordinated with each other, using input from installers of the items involved:
1. Control valve installation location shown in relationship to room, duct, pipe, and equipment.
  2. Size and location of wall access panels for control valves installed behind walls.
  3. Size and location of ceiling access panels for control valves installed above inaccessible ceilings.

## 1.6 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS

- A. Operation and Maintenance Data: For control valves to include in operation and maintenance manuals.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

### 2.1 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Electrical Components, Devices, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.

- B. ASME Compliance: Fabricate and label products to comply with ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code where required by authorities having jurisdiction.
- C. Delegated Design: Engage a qualified professional, to size products where indicated as delegated design.
- D. Ground Fault: Products shall not fail due to ground fault condition when suitably grounded.
- E. Backup Power Source: Systems and equipment served by a backup power source shall have associated control valve actuators served from a backup power source.
- F. Environmental Conditions:
  - 1. Provide electric control valve actuators, with protective enclosures satisfying the following minimum requirements unless more stringent requirements are indicated. Electric control valve actuators not available with integral enclosures, complying with requirements indicated, shall be housed in protective secondary enclosures.
    - a. Hazardous Locations: Explosion-proof rating for condition.
- G. Body & Trim. Body and trim style and materials shall be in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations for design conditions and service shown in compliance with the following at a minimum:
  - 1. Valve pattern, three-way or straight through, shall be as indicated on Drawings.
  - 2. Modulating two-way pattern control valves shall have equal percentage flow-throttling characteristics unless otherwise indicated.
  - 3. Modulating three-way pattern water valves shall have linear flow-throttling characteristics. The total flow through the valve shall remain constant regardless of the valve's position
  - 4. **Valve bodies shall meet or exceed pressure and temperature class rating based upon design operating temperature and 150% design operating pressure. Unless otherwise specified or scheduled, minimum body rating for any valve is 150 psi and a maximum fluid temperature of 350°F.**
  - 5. Valves shall have stainless-steel stems and stuffing boxes with extended necks to clear the piping insulation.
  - 6. Globe valves shall have replaceable seats.
- H. Determine control valve sizes and flow coefficients by ISA 75.01.01.
  - 1. Water Valves. Unless otherwise specified or scheduled, water valves shall follow the following criteria:
    - a. Two-position service: Line size.
    - b. Two-way modulating service: Pressure drop shall be equal to twice the pressure drop through the heat exchanger (coil, load, etc.), 50% of the pressure difference between the supply and return mains, or 5 psi (Maximum).
    - c. Three-way modulating service: Pressure drop shall be equal to twice the pressure drop through the heat exchanger (coil, load, etc.), (5 psi) maximum.
    - d. Valves 1/2" through 2" shall be bronze or cast brass body ANSI Class 250, spring-loaded, PTFE packing quick opening for two-position service.
    - e. Valves larger than 2 1/2" and shall be cast iron ANSI Class 125 with guided plug and PTFE packing.

- f. Valves 1/2" through 2" shall be ANSI/ASME B1.20.1 (NPT) threaded connections.
    - g. Valves 2 1/2" to 3" shall use flanged connections.
  - 2. Steam Valves. Body and trim style and materials shall be in accordance with the manufacturer's recommendations for design conditions and service shown in compliance with the following at a minimum:
    - a. Linear percentage ports for modulating service.
    - b. Two-position service: Pressure drop 10% to 20% of inlet pressure.
    - c. Modulating service: 15 psig or less; pressure drop 80% of inlet pressure.
    - d. Modulating service: 16-50 psig or less; pressure drop 50% of inlet pressure.
    - e. Modulating service: Greater than 50 psig; pressure drop as scheduled
- I. Control valve characteristics and rangeability of 50:1 and shall comply with ISA 75.11.01.
- J. Control valve shutoff classifications shall be FCI 70-2, Class IV. Close-Off/Differential Pressure Rating. All valves shall be guaranteed to have not more than 1% leakage of design flow rate at the pump shut-off pressure. All valve actuators and trim shall be furnished to provide the following minimum close-off pressure ratings unless otherwise specified or scheduled:
  - 1. Two-way water valves: 150% of total system (pump) head.
  - 2. Three-way water valves: 300% of pressure differential between ports A and B at design flow or 100% of total system (pump) head (whichever is greater).
  - 3. Steam valves: 150% of operating (inlet) pressure.
- K. Fail positions unless otherwise indicated:
  - 1. Chilled Water: Close
  - 2. Condenser Water: Close
  - 3. Heating Hot Water: Open.
- L. General Characteristics:
  - 1. In water systems, use ball- or globe-style control valves for two-position control for valves NPS 2 and smaller and butterfly style for valves larger than NPS 2. Butterfly valves shall be for open close service only.
  - 2. In steam systems, use ball- or globe-style control valves regardless of size.
  - 3. Pneumatic, two-position control valves shall provide a smooth opening and closing characteristic slow enough to avoid water hammer. Valves with pneumatic actuators shall have an adjustable opening time (valve full closed to full open) and an adjustable closing time (valve full open to full closed) ranging from zero to 10 seconds. Opening and closing times shall be independently adjustable. (Not Used This Project)
  - 4. Control valve, pneumatic-control signal shall not exceed 200 feet. For longer distances, provide an electric/electronic control signal to the valve and an electric solenoid valve or electro-pneumatic transducer at the valve to convert the control signal to pneumatic. (Not Used This Project).
  - 5. Valves for chilled water shall use all internal trim, (including seats, rings, modulating plugs and springs), of 316 stainless steel, regardless of body style.
  - 6. Valves for hot water service between 210F and 250F shall have all internal trim (including seats, rings, modulating plugs and springs) of Type 316 Stainless Steel
  - 7. Valves for hot water service below 210F shall have all internal trim (including seats, rings, modulating plugs and springs) of Brass, Bronze or Type 316 Stainless Steel

## 2.2 BALL-STYLE CONTROL VALVES

## A. General:

1. All control ball valves shall feature characterized flow guides when used for modulating applications.

## B. Ball Valves with Single Port and Characterized Disk:

1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by the following:
  - a. Belimo Aircontrols (USA), Inc
2. Pressure Rating for NPS 1 and Smaller: Nominal 600 WOG.
3. Pressure Rating for NPS 1-1/2 through NPS 2: Nominal 400 WOG.
4. Close-off Pressure: 200 psig.
5. Process Temperature Range: Zero to 212 deg F.
6. Body and Tail Piece: Cast bronze ASTM B 61, ASTM B 62, ASTM B 584, or forged brass with nickel plating.
7. End Connections: Threaded (NPT) ends.
8. Ball: Chrome-plated brass or bronze or 300 series stainless steel.
9. Stem and Stem Extension:
  - a. Material to match ball.
  - b. Blowout-proof design.
  - c. Sleeve or other approved means to allow valve to be opened and closed without damaging the insulation or the vapor barrier seal.
10. Ball Seats: Reinforced PTFE.
11. Stem Seal: Reinforced PTFE packing ring with a threaded packing ring follower to retain the packing ring under design pressure with the linkage removed. Alternative means, such as EPDM O-rings, are acceptable if an equivalent cycle endurance can be demonstrated by testing.
12. Flow Characteristic: Equal percentage.

## C. Ball Valves with Two Ports and Characterized Disk:

1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by the following:
  - a. Belimo Aircontrols (USA), Inc.
2. Pressure Rating for NPS 1 and Smaller: Nominal 600 WOG.
3. Pressure Rating for NPS 1-1/2 through NPS 2: Nominal 400 WOG.
4. Close-off Pressure: 200 psig.
5. Process Temperature Range: Zero to 212 deg F.
6. Body and Tail Piece: Cast bronze ASTM B 61, ASTM B 62, ASTM B 584, or forged brass with nickel plating.
7. End Connections: Threaded (NPT) ends.
8. Ball: Chrome-plated brass or bronze or 300 series stainless steel].

9. Stem and Stem Extension:
  - a. Material to match ball.
  - b. Blowout-proof design.
  - c. Sleeve or other approved means to allow valve to be opened and closed without damaging the insulation or the vapor barrier seal.
10. Ball Seats: Reinforced PTFE.
11. Stem Seal: Reinforced PTFE packing ring with a threaded packing ring follower to retain the packing ring under design pressure with the linkage removed. Alternative means, such as EPDM O-rings, are acceptable if an equivalent cycle endurance can be demonstrated by testing.
12. Flow Characteristics for A-Port: Equal percentage.
13. Flow Characteristics for B-Port: Modified for constant common port flow.

D. Ball Valves with Single Port and Segmented Ball:

1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by the following:
  - a. Valve Solutions, Inc.
2. ASME B16.10 face-to-face dimensions.
3. Valves NPS 2 and Smaller: Threaded (NPT) ends.
4. Valves NPS 2-1/2 through NPS 6: Flanged ends suitable for mating to ASME B16.5 flanges.
5. Body: Carbon or stainless steel.
6. Ball and Shaft: Stainless steel.
7. Shaft and Segmented Ball: Pinned and welded.
8. Ball Seat: Graphite.
9. Packing: PTFE V-rings and graphite packing follower.
10. Replaceable seat, ball, and shaft packing.
11. Label each valve with following:
  - a. Manufacturer's name, model number, and serial number.
  - b. Body size.
  - c. Flow directional arrow.

E. Ball Valves with Segmented Ball, Three-Way Pattern:

1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by the following:
  - a. Valve Solutions, Inc.
2. Arrangement: Two single-port valves mated to a fabricated tee with interconnecting mechanical linkage.
3. Performance:
  - a. Process Temperature Rating: Minus 20 to plus 450 deg F.

- b. ASME B16.34, Class 300.
  - c. Leakage: FCI 70-2, Class IV.
  - d. Rangeability: 300 to 1.
  - e. Rotation: Zero to 90 degrees.
  - f. Equal percentage flow characteristic.
- 4. Face-to-Face Dimensions: ASME B16.10.
  - 5. Valves NPS 3 through NPS 6: Flanged ends suitable for mating to ASME B16.5 flanges.
  - 6. Body: Carbon or stainless steel.
  - 7. Ball and Shaft: Stainless steel.
  - 8. Shaft and Segmented Ball: Pinned and welded.
  - 9. Ball Seat: Graphite.
  - 10. Packing: PTFE V-rings and graphite packing follower.
  - 11. Replaceable seat, ball, and shaft packing.
  - 12. Label each valve with following:
    - a. Manufacturer's name, model number, and serial number.
    - b. Body size.
    - c. Flow directional arrow.

F. Ball Valves with Full Ball and Characterized V-Notch:

- 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by the following:
  - a. Flow-Tek, Inc.
- 2. Performance:
  - a. Process Temperature Rating: Minus 20 to plus 500 deg F.
  - b. ASME B16.34, Class 600 for NPS 2 and smaller; Class 150 or Class 300 for larger than NPS 2.
  - c. Leakage: FCI 70-2, Class VI, bi-directional.
  - d. Rangeability: Varies from 200 to 1 up to 800 to 1 based on notch pattern of ball.
  - e. Rotation: Zero to 90 degrees.
  - f. Equal percentage flow characteristic.
  - g. Full port.
- 3. Face-to-Face Dimension: ASME B16.10 long pattern.
- 4. Valves NPS 2 and Smaller: ASME B1.20.1 threaded (NPT) ends and three-piece body.
- 5. Valves NPS 2-1/2 through NPS 12: Flanged ends suitable for mating to ASME B16.5 flanges and two-piece body.
- 6. Hole in the stem slot of each ball equalizes pressure between the body cavity and the line media flow.
- 7. Replaceable seat, ball, and shaft packing.
- 8. Body: Carbon or stainless steel.
- 9. Ball and Shaft: Stainless steel.
- 10. Ball Seat: RPTFE.
- 11. Stem Seals for Valves NPS 2 and Smaller: Live-loaded, self-adjusting, primary and secondary sealing using bevel washers.

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- a. Primary Seal: Combination of thrust washer and thrust washer protector.
  - b. Secondary Seal: Adjustable stem packing composed of RPTFE V-rings.
12. Stem Seals for Valves Larger than NPS 2: Independent packing gland, adjusted without removing mounting hardware or operator, and contoured to uniformly distribute load across packing.
- a. Primary Seal: Combination of thrust washer and thrust washer protector.
  - b. Secondary Seal: Adjustable stem packing composed of RPTFE V-rings.
13. Label each valve with following:
- a. Manufacturer's name, model number, and serial number.
  - b. Body size.
  - c. Flow directional arrow.

G. Pressure-Independent Ball Valves NPS 2 and Smaller:

- 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - a. Belimo Aircontrols (USA), Inc.
  - b. HCI; Hydronics Components Inc.
- 2. Integral Pressure Regulator: Located upstream of ball to regulate pressure, to maintain a constant pressure differential while operating within a pressure differential range of 5 to 50 psig.
- 3. Body: Forged brass, nickel plated, and with threaded ends.
- 4. Ball: Chrome-plated brass.
- 5. Stem and Stem Extension: Chrome-plated brass, blowout-proof design.
- 6. Stem sleeve or other approved means to allow valve to be opened and closed without damaging field-applied insulation and insulation vapor barrier seal.
- 7. Ball Seats: Reinforced PTFE.
- 8. Stem Seal: Reinforced PTFE packing ring stem seal with threaded packing ring follower to retain the packing ring under design pressure with the linkage removed. Alternative means, such as EPDM O-rings, are acceptable if equivalent cycle endurance can be achieved.
- 9. Flow Characteristic: Equal percentage.

2.3 BUTTERFLY-STYLE CONTROL VALVES (open and close service only)

A. General:

- 1. Unless otherwise indicated, butterfly valves shall have a minimum range ability of 10:1. All valves shall be guaranteed to have not more than 1% leakage of design flow rate at the pump shut-off pressure
- 2. Flanges shall meet all ANSI 125 and ANSI 150 standards.
- 3. Valve shall have a long stem design to accommodate 2 inches insulation.
- 4.



## B. Two-Way Butterfly Valves:

1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by the following:
  - a. Keystone; Tyco Flow Control.
2. Body: Cast iron ASTM A 126, Class B, ductile iron ASTM A 536 or cast steel ASTM A 216/A 216M WCB fully lugged, suitable for mating to ASME B16.5 flanges.
3. Disc: 316 stainless steel.
4. Shaft: 316 or 17-4 PH stainless steel.
5. Seat: Reinforced EPDM or reinforced PTFE with retaining ring.
6. Shaft Bushings: Reinforced PTFE or stainless steel.
7. Replaceable seat, disc, and shaft bushings.
8. Corrosion-resistant nameplate indicating:
  - a. Manufacturer's name, model number, and serial number.
  - b. Body size.
  - c. Body and trim materials.
  - d. Flow arrow.

## C. Three-Way Butterfly Valves:

1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by the following:
  - a. Keystone; Tyco Flow Control.
2. Arrangement: Two valves mated to a fabricated tee with interconnecting mechanical linkage.
3. Performance:
  - a. Bi-directional bubble tight shutoff at 250 psig.
  - b. Comply with MSS SP-67 or MSS SP-68.
  - c. Rotation: Zero to 90 degrees.
  - d. Linear or modified equal percentage flow characteristic.
4. Body: Cast iron ASTM A 126, Class B, ductile iron ASTM A 536 or cast steel ASTM A 216/A 216M WCB fully lugged, suitable for mating to ASME B16.5 flanges.
5. Disc: 316 stainless steel.
6. Shaft: 316 or 17-4 PH stainless steel.
7. Seat: Reinforced EPDM or reinforced PTFE seat with retaining ring.
8. Shaft Bushings: Reinforced PTFE or stainless steel.
9. Replaceable seat, disc, and shaft bushings.
10. Corrosion-resistant nameplate indicating:
  - a. Manufacturer's name, model number, and serial number.
  - b. Body size.
  - c. Body and trim materials.
  - d. Flow arrow.

## 2.4 GLOBE-STYLE CONTROL VALVES

## A. General Globe-Style Valve Requirements:

1. Globe-style control valve body dimensions shall comply with ISA 75.08.01.
2. Construct the valves to be serviceable from the top.
3. For cage guided valves, trim shall be field interchangeable for different valve flow characteristics, such as equal percentage, linear, and quick opening.
4. Reduced trim for one nominal size smaller shall be available for industrial valves NPS 1 and larger.
5. Replaceable seats and plugs.
6. Furnish each control valve with a corrosion-resistant nameplate indicating the following:
  - a. Manufacturer's name, model number, and serial number.
  - b. Body and trim size.
  - c. Arrow indicating direction of flow.

## B. Two-Way Globe Valves NPS 2 and Smaller:

1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by the following:
  - a. Johnson Controls, Inc.
2. Globe Style: Single port.
3. Body: Cast bronze or forged brass with ASME B16.5, Class 250 rating.
4. End Connections: Threaded.
5. Bonnet: Screwed.
6. Packing: PTFE V-ring.
7. Plug: Top guided.
8. Plug, Seat, and Stem: Brass or stainless steel.
9. Process Temperature Range: 35 to 248 deg F.
10. Ambient Operating Temperature: 35 to 150 deg F.
11. Leakage: FCI 70-2, Class IV.
12. Rangeability: 25 to 1.
13. Equal percentage flow characteristic.

## C. Three-Way Globe Valves NPS 2 and Smaller:

1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by the following:
  - a. Johnson Controls, Inc.
2. Globe Style: Mix flow pattern.
3. Body: Cast bronze or forged brass with ASME B16.5, Class 250 rating.
4. End Connections: Threaded.
5. Bonnet: Screwed.
6. Packing: PTFE V-ring.
7. Plug: Top guided.

8. Plug, Seat, and Stem: Brass or stainless steel.
9. Process Temperature Range: 35 to 248 deg F.
10. Ambient Operating Temperature: 35 to 150 deg F.
11. Leakage: FCI 70-2, Class IV.
12. Rangeability: 25 to 1.
13. Linear flow characteristic.

D. Two-Way Globe Valves NPS 2-1/2 to NPS 6:

1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by the following:
  - a. Johnson Controls, Inc.
2. Globe Style: Single port.
3. Body: Cast iron complying with ASME B61.1, Class 125.
4. End Connections: Flanged, suitable for mating to ASME B16.5, Class 150 flanges.
5. Bonnet: Bolted.
6. Packing: PTFE cone-ring.
7. Plug: Top or bottom guided.
8. Plug, Seat, and Stem: Brass or stainless steel.
9. Process Temperature Rating: 35 to 281 deg F.
10. Leakage: 0.1 percent of maximum flow.
11. Rangeability: Varies with valve size between 6 and 10 to 1.
12. Modified linear flow characteristic.

E. Three-Way Globe Valves NPS 2-1/2 to NPS 6:

1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by the following:
  - a. Johnson Controls, Inc.
2. Globe Style: Mix flow pattern.
3. Body: Cast iron complying with ASME B61.1, Class 125.
4. End Connections: Flanged suitable for mating to ASME B16.5, Class 150 flanges.
5. Bonnet: Bolted.
6. Packing: PTFE cone-ring.
7. Plug: Top or bottom guided.
8. Plug, Seat, and Stem: Brass or stainless steel.
9. Process Temperature Rating: 35 to 281 deg F.
10. Leakage: 0.1 percent of maximum flow.
11. Rangeability: Varies with valve size between 6 and 10 to 1.
12. Modified linear flow characteristic.

## 2.5 SOLENOID VALVES

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by the following:

1. ASCO Valve, Inc.

B. Description:

1. Action: Either normally open or normally closed in the event of electrical power failure as required by the application.
2. Size to close against the system pressure.
3. Manual override capable.
4. Heavy-duty assembly.
5. Body: Brass or stainless steel.
6. Seats and Discs: NBR or PTFE.
7. Solenoid Enclosure: NEMA 250, Type 4.

2.6 SELF-CONTAINED TEMPERATURE REGULATING VALVE (Not Used)

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by the following:

1. Jordan Valve; Richards Industries Company.

B. Description:

1. Self-contained and self-operated temperature regulating valve. Direct acting or reverse acting as required by application.
2. Direct Acting: A rise in temperature at the sensing bulb vaporizes some of the liquid in the bulb, forcing the remaining liquid through a capillary to apply pressure at the diaphragm, in turn closing the valve. The valve shall fail open.
3. Reverse Acting: A rise in temperature at the sensing bulb vaporizes some of the liquid in the bulb, forcing the remaining liquid through a capillary to apply pressure at the diaphragm, in turn opening the valve. The valve shall fail close.
4. Body: Carbon steel.
5. Trim and Seats: 300 series stainless steel.
6. Yoke: Cast iron.
7. Actuator: 300 series stainless steel.
8. End Connections: Threaded.
9. Capillary, Bulb, and Armor: 300 series stainless steel.
10. Thermal Fill Material: Match to the temperature range.
11. Thermowell: Type 316 stainless-steel thermowell sized to fit the bulb and pipe.

- C. Operational Characteristics: Control flow from between 5 to 100 percent of rated capacity.

- D. Interchangeable trim for one size smaller.

- E. Valve Leakage: Comply with FCI 70-2, Class IV.

- F. Temperature Range: Match application.

1. Drains from Hot Equipment to Sanitary Sewer System: 105 to 165 deg F.

- G. Valve Size: Size to pass the design flow required with not more than 95 percent of the stem lift while operating at design pressure.

## 2.7 PNEUMATIC CONTROL VALVE ACTUATORS (Not Used This Project)

- A. Actuators for Hydronic Control Valves: Shutoff against system pump shutoff head.
- B. Actuators for Steam Control Valves: Shutoff against 1.5 times steam design pressure.
- C. Position indicator and graduated scale on each actuator.
- D. Provide diaphragm action (air-to-open, air-to-close), as required by the sequence of operation, in the event of air supply failure.
- E. For each modulating control valve, provide a positive positioner with the valve actuator. The positioners shall operate on a 3- to 15-psig input signal unless otherwise required to satisfy control sequences of operation. Integrally mount each positioner with an air regulator, air set, and gauges for supply, input and output. The positioner shall have the following performance characteristics:
  - 1. Linearity: Plus or minus 1 percent of the output signal span.
  - 2. Hysteresis: 0.5 percent of span.
- F. Diaphragms shall be replaceable.
- G. Actuator Construction:
  - 1. Cast-iron or steel diaphragm casing and plate. Cast aluminum is acceptable on valves NPS 4 and smaller.
  - 2. Cast iron or steel yoke. Cast aluminum is acceptable on valves NPS 4 and smaller.
  - 3. Reinforced synthetic rubber or nitrile diaphragm.
  - 4. Steel or steel alloy spring, stem, and spring adjuster.
- H. Rate actuators for not less than 1.2 times the main air pressure to the valve, minimum 30 psig.

## 2.8 ELECTRIC AND ELECTRONIC CONTROL VALVE ACTUATORS

- A. Actuators for Hydronic Control Valves: Capable of closing valve against system pump shutoff head.
- B. Actuators for Steam Control Valves: Shutoff against 1.5 times steam design pressure.
- C. Position indicator and graduated scale on each actuator.
- D. Type: Motor operated, with or without gears, electric and electronic.
- E. Voltage: 24-V ac.

- F. Deliver torque required for continuous uniform movement of controlled device from limit to limit when operated at rated voltage.
- G. Function properly within a range of 85 to 120 percent of nameplate voltage.
- H. Construction:
  - 1. For Actuators Less Than 100 W: Fiber or reinforced nylon gears with steel shaft, copper alloy or nylon bearings, and pressed steel enclosures.
  - 2. For Actuators from 100 to 400 W: Gears ground steel, oil immersed, shaft hardened steel running in bronze, copper alloy or ball bearings. Operator and gear trains shall be totally enclosed in dustproof cast-iron, cast-steel or cast-aluminum housing.
  - 3. For Actuators Larger Than 400 W: Totally enclosed reversible induction motors with auxiliary hand crank and permanently lubricated bearings.
  - 4. All control valves shall have a visual position indicator.
  - 5. All non-spring return actuators shall have an external clutch/manual gear release to allow manual positioning of the valve when the actuator is not powered. Spring return actuators with more than 60-in-LB torque capacity shall have a manual crank for this purpose. In lieu of a manual positioning device, it will be acceptable for the contractor to provide a full line size bypass around the control valve. Three bypass shut off valves shall be provided to allow the control valve to be isolated while the open stop valve in the bypass allows flow around the control valve.
- I. Field Adjustment:
  - 1. Spring Return Actuators: Easily switchable from fail open to fail closed in the field without replacement.
  - 2. Gear Type Actuators: External manual adjustment mechanism to allow manual positioning when the actuator is not powered.
- J. Two-Position Actuators: Single direction, spring return or reversing type.
- K. Modulating Actuators:
  - 1. Operation: Capable of stopping at all points across full range, and starting in either direction from any point in range.
  - 2. Control Input Signal:
    - a. Three Point, Tristate, or Floating Point: Clockwise and counter-clockwise inputs. One input drives actuator to open position and other input drives actuator to close position. No signal of either input remains in last position.
    - b. Proportional: Actuator drives proportional to input signal and modulates throughout its angle of rotation. Suitable for zero- to 10- or 2- to 10-V dc 4- to 20-mA signals.
    - c. Pulse Width Modulation (PWM): Actuator drives to a specified position according to pulse duration (length) of signal from a dry contact closure, triac sink, or source controller.
    - d. Programmable Multi-Function:

- 1) Control Input, Position Feedback, and Running Time: Factory or field programmable.
  - 2) Diagnostic: Feedback of hunting or oscillation, mechanical overload, mechanical travel, and mechanical load limit.
  - 3) Service Data: Include, at a minimum, number of hours powered and number of hours in motion.
3. All modulating actuators shall have an external, built-in switch to allow the reversing of direction of rotation

L. Position Feedback:

1. Equip where indicated two-position actuators with limits switches or other positive means of a position indication signal for remote monitoring of open and close position.
2. Equip where indicated, equip modulating actuators with a position feedback through current or voltage signal for remote monitoring.
3. Provide a position indicator and graduated scale on each actuator indicating open and closed travel limits.

M. Fail-Safe:

1. Where indicated, provide actuator to fail to an end position.
2. Internal spring return mechanism to drive controlled device to an end position (open or close) on loss of power.
3. Batteries, capacitors, and other non-mechanical forms of fail-safe operation are acceptable only where uniquely indicated.
4. Any mechanical equipment with direct introduction of outside air shall require fail-safe spring return valve actuators. Terminal equipment (VAV ATU, &c.) without direct introduction of outside air are permitted to have actuators that maintain their last commanded position when power is lost to the actuator. Equipment isolation and differential or temperature pressure bypass valves shall not be required to be provided with a spring return actuator provided that a failure of the valve to return to its "fail-safe" position will not incur damage to property or the system it serves.

N. Integral Overload Protection:

1. Provide against overload throughout the entire operating range in both directions.
2. Electronic overload, digital rotation sensing circuitry, mechanical end switches, or magnetic clutches are acceptable methods of protection.

O. Valve Attachment:

1. Unless otherwise required for valve interface, provide an actuator designed to be directly coupled to valve shaft without the need for connecting linkages.
2. Attach actuator to valve drive shaft in a way that ensures maximum transfer of power and torque without slippage.
3. Bolt and set screw method of attachment is acceptable only if provided with at least two points of attachment.

P. Temperature and Humidity:

1. Temperature: Suitable for operating temperature range encountered by application with minimum operating temperature range of minus 20 to plus 120 deg F.
2. Humidity: Suitable for humidity range encountered by application; minimum operating range shall be from 5 to 95 percent relative humidity, non-condensing.

Q. Enclosure:

1. Suitable for ambient conditions encountered by application.
2. NEMA 250, Type 2 for indoor and protected applications.
3. NEMA 250, Type 4 or Type 4X for outdoor and unprotected applications.
4. Provide actuator enclosure with heater and control where required by application.
5. Actuators used in wet conditions and/or in or near outdoor air streams shall have NEMA 2 housings.

R. Stroke Time:

1. Operate valve from fully closed to fully open within 60 75 90 150 Insert number seconds.
2. Operate valve from fully open to fully closed within 60 seconds.
3. Move valve to failed position within 15 seconds.
4. Select operating speed to be compatible with equipment and system operation.

S. Sound:

1. Spring Return: 62 dBA.
2. Non-Spring Return: 45 dBA.

## 2.9 POWER SUPPLIES AND LINE FILTERING

- A. Power Supplies & Control Transformers. Control transformers and power supplies shall be UL-Listed. Provide Class 2 current-limiting type or over-current protection in both primary and secondary circuits for Class 2 service not to exceed 100 VA in accordance with the applicable following requirements or as directed by the AHJ.
1. NEC 2011 (NFPA 70) Chapter 7 Article 725 – Class 1, Class 2 and Class 3 Remote-Control, Signaling and Power-Limited Circuits.
  2. NEC 2011 (NFPA 70) Chapter 9 Table 11(A) and Table 11(B).
  3. Canadian Electrical Code, Part 1 (CSA C22.1-12) Rule 16-200.
- B. DC Power Supplies. DC power supply output shall match output current and voltage requirements. Power supply shall be half-wave rectified type with the following minimum specifications:
1. Output ripple: 5.0 mV maximum peak-to-peak.
  2. Regulation: 1.0% line and load combined.
  3. Response: 100 ms for 50% load changes.
  4. Built-in overvoltage and overcurrent protection and able to withstand a 150% current overload for a minimum of three (3) seconds without tripping or failure.
- C. Power Line Filtering. Provide transient voltage and surge suppression for all workstations and controllers either internally or as an external component.



- D. Valve Actuators shall be modulating, floating (tri-state) with feedback signal, two-position and spring return fail safe as called out in the control sequence of operation or indicated on the drawings. All modulating valves shall be positive positioning, and respond to a 0-10VDC, 2-10 VDC, or 4-20 mA with a load resistor with the exception that terminal unit zone valves may use an actuator that responds to a floating or tri-state with feedback signal. Coordinate voltage requirements with temperature controls system.

### PART 3 - EXECUTION

#### 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine substrates and conditions for compliance with requirements for installation tolerances and other conditions affecting performance of the Work.
- B. Examine roughing-in for valves installed in piping to verify actual locations of piping connections before installation.
- C. Prepare written report, endorsed by Installer, listing conditions detrimental to performance.
- D. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

#### 3.2 CONTROL VALVE APPLICATIONS

- A. Unless otherwise noted, controls valves shall be globe pattern.
- B. Do not use butterfly valves for steam service or modulating applications.

#### 3.3 INSTALLATION, GENERAL

- A. Furnish and install products required to satisfy most stringent requirements indicated.
- B. Install products level, plumb, parallel, and perpendicular with building construction.
- C. Properly support instruments, tubing, piping, wiring, and conduits to comply with requirements indicated. Brace all products to prevent lateral movement and sway or a break in attachment when subjected to a force.
- D. Provide ceiling, floor, roof, and wall openings and sleeves required by installation. Before proceeding with drilling, punching, or cutting, check location first for concealed products that could potentially be damaged. Patch, flash, grout, seal, and refinish openings to match adjacent condition.
- E. Firestop penetrations made in fire-rated assemblies and seal penetrations made in acoustically rated assemblies.
- F. Fastening Hardware:

1. Stillson wrenches, pliers, and other tools that will cause injury to or mar surfaces of rods, nuts, and other parts are prohibited for assembling and tightening nuts.
  2. Tighten bolts and nuts firmly and uniformly. Do not overstress threads by excessive force or by oversized wrenches.
  3. Lubricate threads of bolts, nuts, and screws with graphite and oil before assembly.
- G. Install products in locations that are accessible and that will permit calibration and maintenance from floor, equipment platforms, or catwalks. Where ladders are required for Owner's access, confirm unrestricted ladder placement is possible under occupied condition.
- H. Corrosive Environments:
1. Use products that are suitable for environment to which they will be subjected.
  2. If possible, avoid or limit use of materials in corrosive environments, including, but not limited to, the following:
    - a. Laboratory exhaust airstreams.
    - b. Process exhaust airstreams.
  3. Use Type 316 stainless-steel tubing and fittings when in contact with a corrosive environment.
  4. When conduit is in contact with a corrosive environment, use Type 316 stainless-steel conduit and fittings or conduit and fittings that are coated with a corrosive-resistant coating that is suitable for environment.
  5. Where control devices are located in a corrosive environment and are not corrosive resistant from manufacturer, field install products in a NEMA 250, Type 4X enclosure constructed of Type 316L stainless steel.

### 3.4 ELECTRIC POWER

- A. Furnish and install electrical power to products requiring electrical connections.
- B. Furnish and install circuit breakers. Comply with requirements in Section 262816 "Enclosed Switches and Circuit Breakers."
- C. Furnish and install power wiring, as per electrical specifications
- D. Furnish and install raceways as per electrical specifications.
- E. Electrical subcontractor shall provide all required line voltage. The mechanical subcontractor shall provide all low voltage wiring and power supply transformers in coordination with the controls subcontractor and control actuator requirements.

### 3.5 CONTROL VALVES

- A. Install pipe reducers for valves smaller than line size. Position reducers as close to valve as possible but at distance to avoid interference and impact to performance. Install with manufacturer-recommended clearance.

- B. Install flanges or unions to allow drop-in and -out valve installation.
- C. Where indicated, install control valve with three-valve bypass manifold to allow for control valve isolation and removal without interrupting system flow by providing manual throttling valve in bypass pipe.
- D. Install drain valves in piping upstream and downstream of each control valve installed in a three-valve manifold and for each control valve larger than NPS 4.
- E. Install pressure temperature taps in piping upstream and downstream of each control valve larger than NPS 2.
- F. Valve Orientation:
  - 1. Where possible, install globe and ball valves installed in horizontal piping with stems upright and not more than 15 degrees off of vertical, not inverted.
  - 2. Install valves in a position to allow full stem movement.
  - 3. Where possible, install butterfly valves that are installed in horizontal piping with stems in horizontal position and with low point of disc opening with direction of flow.
- G. Clearance:
  - 1. Locate valves for easy access and provide separate support of valves that cannot be handled by service personnel without hoisting mechanism.
  - 2. Install valves with at least 12 inches of clear space around valve and between valves and adjacent surfaces.
- H. Threaded Valves:
  - 1. Note internal length of threads in valve ends, and proximity of valve internal seat or wall, to determine how far pipe should be threaded into valve.
  - 2. Align threads at point of assembly.
  - 3. Apply thread compound to external pipe threads, except where dry seal threading is specified.
  - 4. Assemble joint, wrench tight. Apply wrench on valve end as pipe is being threaded.
- I. Flanged Valves:
  - 1. Align flange surfaces parallel.
  - 2. Assemble joints by sequencing bolt tightening to make initial contact of flanges and gaskets as flat and parallel as possible. Use suitable lubricants on bolt threads. Tighten bolts gradually and uniformly with a torque wrench.

### 3.6 CONNECTIONS

- A. Connect electrical devices and components to electrical grounding system. Comply with electrical specifications

## 3.7 IDENTIFICATION

- A. Identify system components, wiring, cabling, and terminals. Each piece of wire, cable, and tubing shall have the same designation at each end for operators to determine continuity at points of connection. Comply with requirements for identification specified in Section 230553.
- B. Install engraved phenolic nameplate with valve identification on valve.

## 3.8 CLEANING

- A. Remove grease, mastic, adhesives, dust, dirt, stains, fingerprints, labels, and other foreign materials from exposed interior and exterior surfaces.
- B. Wash and shine glazing.
- C. Polish glossy surfaces to a clean shine.

## 3.9 CHECKOUT PROCEDURES

- A. Control Valve Checkout:
  - 1. Check installed products before continuity tests, leak tests, and calibration.
  - 2. Check valves for proper location and accessibility.
  - 3. Check valves for proper installation for direction of flow, elevation, orientation, insertion depth, or other applicable considerations that will impact performance.
  - 4. For pneumatic products, verify air supply for each product is properly installed.
  - 5. For pneumatic valves, verify that pressure gauges are provided in each air line to valve actuator and positioner.
  - 6. Verify that control valves are installed correctly for flow direction.
  - 7. Verify that valve body attachment is properly secured and sealed.
  - 8. Verify that valve actuator and linkage attachment are secure.
  - 9. Verify that actuator wiring is complete, enclosed, and connected to correct power source.
  - 10. Verify that valve ball, disc, and plug travel are unobstructed.
  - 11. After piping systems have been tested and put into service, but before insulating and balancing, inspect each valve for leaks. Adjust or replace packing to stop leaks. Replace the valve if leaks persist.

## 3.10 ADJUSTMENT, CALIBRATION, AND TESTING

- A. Stroke and adjust control valves following manufacturer's recommended procedure, from 100 percent open to 100 percent closed back to 100 percent open.
- B. Stroke control valves with pilot positioners. Adjust valve and positioner following manufacturer's recommended procedure, so valve is 100 percent closed, 50 percent closed, and 100 percent open at proper air pressures.

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- C. Check and document open and close cycle times for applications with a cycle time of less than 30 seconds.
- D. For control valves equipped with positive position indication, check feedback signal at multiple positions to confirm proper position indication.

END OF SECTION 230923.11

SECTION 230993 SEQUENCE OF OPERATION

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Sequence of operation:
  - 1. Summer winter change over
  - 2. Boiler Plant
  - 3. Chiller Plant
  - 4. Condenser water
  - 5. Dual Temperature Secondary Pumps
  - 6. Constant Volume Air Handling Unit
  - 7. Unit Heater
  - 8. General Exhaust Fans GEF 1,2,3
  - 9. General Exhaust Fan GEF 4
  - 10. Refrigerant Exhaust Fan REF-1
  - 11. Miscellaneous.

1.02 RELATED SECTIONS

- A. Section 23 0901 - Digital Control Equipment.

1.03 SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

- A. This Section defines the manner and method by which controls function. Requirements for each type of control system operation are specified. Equipment, devices, and system components required for control systems are specified in other Sections.
- B. Provide DDC based electronic controls, panels, wiring and all accessories required to achieve the specified control sequences and establish a complete independent system for all new equipment and existing equipment. In general the equipment shall be controlled through Standalone Digital Control Units (SDCUs).

Provide the necessary quantity and types of SDCUs to meet the requirements of the project for mechanical equipment control including air handlers, central plant control, and terminal unit control. Each SDCU will operate completely standalone, containing all of the I/O and programs to control its associated equipment.

Certain controls are specified to be furnished with the equipment. This contractor shall provide all components to communicate with factory furnished controls and connect them to the building automation control system. The contractor shall also provide all controls, wiring and auxiliaries required to operate equipment not furnished with factory controls. Work required includes, but is not limited to the following:

1. Control wiring between factory mounted unit panels and factory supplied remote panels.
  2. Installation and wiring for factory supplied devices requiring field installation.
  3. Panel mounted transformers and control power wiring for all controllers and control devices.
  4. Control wiring to each remote device (room thermostats, outdoor air sensors, static pressure controllers, control actuators, control panels, etc.).
  6. All control valves, motorized dampers thermostats, relays, sensors, etc. unless furnished as an integral part of the equipment.
  7. All interlock control wiring (24 volt and 120 volt) between units, fans, etc.
- C. All control and interlock wiring shall be run in EMT for indoor locations and in galvanized conduit for outdoor locations.
- D. **All new controllers, hardware software, programming and accessories shall be SCHNEIDER ELECTRIC ECOSTRUXURE automation system.**

#### 1.04 SUBMITTALS FOR REVIEW

- A. Division 1 - Submittals: Procedures for submittals.
- B. Shop Drawings: Indicate mechanical system controlled and control system components.
1. Label with settings, adjustable range of control and limits. Include written description of control sequence.
  2. Include flow diagrams for each control system, graphically depicting control logic.
  3. Include draft copies of graphic displays indicating mechanical system components, control system components, and controlled function status and value.
  4. Submit a complete written sequence of operation for each and every controlled piece of equipment.

#### 1.05 SUBMITTALS AT PROJECT CLOSEOUT

- A. Operation and Maintenance Data.
- B. Project Record Documents: Record actual locations of components and set-points of controls, including changes to sequences made after submission of shop drawings.

#### 1.06 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Design system under direct supervision of a Professional Engineer experienced in design of this Work and licensed in the State of New York.

## PART 2 PRODUCTS - Not Used

## PART 3 EXECUTION

**3.01 Summer/Winter Change Over**

The Building automation System (BAS) or Building management System (BMS) shall index the heating plant and cooling plant into either summer or winter control based upon outdoor air temperature. Below 65 F, (adjustable), outside air temperature, the cooling plant shall be disabled. Above 55F, (adjustable), outside air temperature the heating plant shall disabled. The system operator shall have capacity of overriding the system for manual change over. A minimum time delay, (24 hrs adjustable), between summer/winter changes over shall prevent cycling between the 2 modes. During heating mode, the chillers shall be locked out.

**3.02 Boiler Plant:**

Boilers shall be operated through an application specific unitary controller and the boiler manufactures sequencing controller (MODSYNC Panel) . Refer to section 235216 “Dual Fuel Condensing Boilers” for all safeties and combustion control sequences. The controller shall be microprocessor-based system engineered and programmed exclusively for the operation of multiple hot water boilers.

The communications protocol for the boiler controls shall be based on ASHRA/ANSI BACNET Standard 135-1995. Provide required modules to allow open communication, integration and interoperability with other DDC system. The BMS contractor and boiler manufacturer shall coordinate their work to insure compatibility prior to installation.

The BAS system shall enable the hot water system and change the system from cooling to heating operation based on outdoor air temperature. Set point shall be 55 degrees, adjustable for heating. The hot water primary circulation pumps shall be interlocked to run continuously when respective boilers are started. Furnish a flow switch in each boilers primary supply water main arranged to prevent boiler operation if flow is not proved. The pumps shall be arranged to modulate flow through a variable frequency drive. The pump speed shall be arranged to modulate linearly with boiler output. Minimum pump speed shall correspond to the boiler minimum boiler output and the maximum pump speed.

The boiler’s packaged safety and operating controls shall be enabling them to maintain their individual supply water set-point as set through the DDC system. The BMS shall monitor and alarm primary hot water supply and return temperatures in addition to primary pump status.

The BMS shall sequence the hot water boilers to maintain the secondary hot water loop temperature set-point. The set-point shall be reset by the outdoor air temperature sensor. Reset schedule to be 185 F to 140 F hot water supply temperature as outside air varies from 10 F to 55 F. adjustable). Lead boiler selection shall be made by the BMS according to a rotating seven-day schedule. Boilers shall be rotated for equal running time.



Hot water reset schedule	
HWST (F)	OAT(F)
140	55
145	50
150	45
155	40
160	35
165	30
170	25
175	20
180	15
185	10

Natural gas shall be the primary fuel. Fuel selection shall be selectable by the operator at the operator workstation or remotely. The operator shall be able to select either natural gas or fuel oil.

Upon start up of boiler draft control damper shall open. The draft control panel shall modulate damper position to maintain proper draft upon start up and run.

Fuel oil pumps shall be arranged to be energized when the BMS is in the heating mode and heating plant is enabled and oil has been selected as the fuel source. Fuel oil pumps shall run continuously. The pumps shall be controlled through the pump set packaged controller and arranged to run in a lead lag arrangement. If the lead pump fails to operate the lag pump will start and an alarm will be generated at the pump control panel and the BMS. Furnish a flow switch in the header of each pump with adjustable time delay. The pump controller shall rotate the lead and lag pumps for equal running time on a weekly or daily basis, (adjustable). The pump control will enunciate a common pump alarm and pan leak sensor.

Boiler alarms.  
 Common failure alarm for each boiler.  
 Primary pump fail  
 High temperature  
 Low temperature  
 Fuel oil pump failure  
 Fuel leak  
 Secondary loop Temperature out of bounds  
 Draft control damper failure

### 3.03 Chiller Plant

The cooling plant shall be manually or automatically started through the BMS system. The BMS system shall enable the chilled water system and change the system from heating to cooling operation based on outdoor air temperature. Set point shall be 65 degrees or above, adjustable for cooling enable.

The chillers shall be arranged to automatically start and stop through a Universal Programmable Control Module, (PCM), furnished by the chiller manufacture or BMS manufacture and installed and wired by the contractor. The PCM shall be arranged to “soft start” the chillers bringing on one chiller at a time as applicable.

Each chilled water primary circulation pump shall be interlocked to run continuously when the respective chiller is started. Furnish a flow switch in each chiller’s primary supply water main arranged to prevent chiller operation if chilled water flow is not proved. Furnish a flow switch in each chiller’s condenser water supply mains arranged to prevent chiller operation if condenser water flow is not proved. When the chiller is energized to run the respective chilled water primary pump, condenser water pump, and cooling tower shall be energized to run. Control valves on the condenser water lines to the chiller and cooling tower shall open. (Inlet, outlet and equalizer).

After proof of flow, each chillers packaged safety and operating controls shall be enable them to maintain their individual supply water set-point as set through the BMS system. The BMS system shall monitor and alarm primary chilled water supply and return temperatures in addition to primary pump, condenser water pump and cooling tower status. The BMS system shall sequence the chillers to maintain the secondary chilled water loop temperature set-point at 44 deg F. On a call for cooling the PCM shall modulate chiller capacity until it is fully loaded. A decrease in chilled water demand shall cause the reverse operating sequence.

The set-point shall be 44 deg F supply and 56 def F return water temperature. Once enabled, the chiller sequencing software shall perform the following control strategies.

In general, the chillers shall be sequences so that on light loads the existing 400 ton chiller is used first. The chiller shall match the building load up to its maximum capacity. Upon reaching maximum capacity the chiller shall be shut down and one of the 800 ton chillers shall be used to meet building load until it reached maximum capacity. A further increase in demand shall cause both chillers to run at part load up to 1200 tons. The software shall monitor chiller loading and stage chillers so that they operate in their respective zone of maximum efficiency.

System Scheduling - The chiller sequencing software will start the chiller system based upon an 8 day (7 + Holiday) time of day schedule. The chiller plant shall start in response to the optimum start, night setback or timed override operation of any system air handler.

Chiller Status Report - Provide an operating status report for each chiller. The report(s) shall provide the present status of all binary information and for analog information present value, today's average, and the month to date average for the following information to provide the operator with critical chiller operating data.

- Chiller On/Off Status.
- Chiller Starts/Run Hours
- Phase 1/2/3 Percent RLA
- Active Chiller Diagnostics or Alarms.
- Leaving Chilled Water Temperature.
- Entering Chilled Water Temperature.
- Chilled Water Set point.
- Entering Condenser water temperature

Leaving Condenser water temperature.  
 Refrigerant Temperature Evaporator/Condenser - Circuit 1  
 Operating Mode.  
 Chiller Model and Serial Number.  
 Percent RLA/Percent Current Limit.  
 Outside Air Temperature.

**Optional Sequence** – Chilled water reset shall be programmed and made available through the BMS. Provide the option to enable or disable chilled water reset. The default shall be disabled.

Chilled Water Reset - Provide reset of the chilled water supply temperature set point based on return chilled water temperature or outdoor air temperature. The reset parameters shall be user selectable. The reset schedule shall be as follows:

Chilled water reset schedule	
CWST (F)	OAT(F)
44	92
45	90
46	88
47	86
48	84
49	82
50	80
51	78
52	76
53	74
54	72
55	70
56	68

### 3.04 Condenser Water.

Cooling Towers: The cooling towers shall be enabled to run whenever the plant is indexed to the cooling mode either manually or automatically. Each cooling tower shall be interlocked with its respective chiller and condenser water pump. Condenser water isolation valves at the cooling tower and chiller shall open when the cooling tower is called to run. (cooling tower shall be manually selectable so that any tower can be used with any chiller)

Condenser water temperature shall be maintained by automatically varying the cooling tower fan speed. Condenser water set point shall be 85 deg F. 85 deg F supply and 95 deg return.

Condenser water pumps be interlocked to run with the respective chiller. (the condenser water pump shall be manually selectable so that any pump can be used with any chiller or cooling tower)

A vibration detection switch shall be arranged to generate an alarm at the BMS when vibration is sensed and to stop the running tower chiller.

Side stream separator shall be arranged to run whenever the condenser water system is in operation. The unitary control panel supplied with the system shall start the pump through a dry contact from the BMS whenever any of the condenser water pumps are running. pump for equal time.

Condenser water pumps CWP-1 and CWP-2 have a nominal flow of 2,400 gpm  
Condenser water pumps CWP-3 has a rated flow of 2,400 gpm, and normal operating flow of 1,200 gpm.

When either CWP-1 or CWP-2 are manually indexed to run with Chiller C-3 the pump speed shall automatically be reduced such that the operating flow is 1,200 gpm. The operating pump speed for each flow shall be established during the balancing process.

When CWP-3 is manually indexed to run with either Chiller C-1 or C-2 the pump speed shall automatically be increased such that the flow is 2,400 gpm.

The appropriate pump speed (rpm) for each pump shall be determined during the balancing process. The balancer shall inform the BMS contractor as to the correct pump speed for each sequence of operation.

Provide differential pressures sensors across the each chillers condenser bundle. DP shall be monitored at the BMS with the normal operating DP established during initial balancing. (in the range of 21'). The contractor shall obtain pressure vs flow curves from the chiller manufacture. From this the corresponding increase (or delta) DP which will cause a 5% change reduction in flow shall be set as the setpoint upper limit. DP out of bound shall be announced at the BMS.

#### Alarms.

1. High condenser water temp
2. Low condenser water temp
3. Tower Vibration
4. Condenser water pump failure
5. Cooling tower fan failure
6. Cooling tower fan speed
7. Separator pump failure
8. Condenser water DP out of bounds.

### **3.05 Dual Temperature Secondary Pumps**

When either the cooling or heating plant is enabled, the building dual temperature variable speed pump sets shall be enabled to run. Upon start the operating pump shall be enabled to operate at its lowest speed setting, (35% of design flow refer to pump schedule). Each pump set shall be arranged to operate in a lead lag arrangement. Furnish a flow switch in each pump sets sub header to detect flow with adjustable time delay. If the lead pump fails, the BMS shall switch to the standby pump after the time delay.

Furnish a pump failure alarm at the BMS workstation. The BMS shall also automatically rotate the pumps for equal running time.

Each pump shall be balanced for two seasons. Heating and cooling. Refer to the schedules contained within the contract document. The variable speed drive setting and conditions, (hz) shall be established for each pump for each season during the balancing. Pumps shall be arranged to run at the correct flow and speed during the corresponding heating or cooling season.

All of the secondary pumping systems for each of the buildings is currently constant volume constant flow systems. However, the pumps must be balanced for summer and winter flows within each pumps minimum and max flow rate as listed in the schedule. The BMS shall automatically adjust pump speed automatically depending heating or cooling season. The schedule indicates nominal flow, summer design flow, and winter design flow. Pump speed for each season and gpm shall be established during balancing.

Pump speed shall be arranged to modulate flow in order to maintain a 12°F degree temperature differential (TD) in the cooling season and a 20°F to 40°F, TD in the heating season. The TD shall be adjustable by the operator for each season. Pump speed shall be limited to be in the range of operating seasonal flow and the minimum flow. (min is 30% of nominal flow)

The final TD for each season shall be established during the peak of first heating and cooling season. Provide trend data for one year that shall include supply and return water temperatures, OA temp, pump speed and GPM. (GPM can be derived from pump DP and speed from the manufactures curves). All secondary pump systems shall be fitted temperature sensors in the supply and return main to each building for pump speed control. Provide trend data for all pump systems. The programing shall be set up so that the operator can disable pump speed based on TD if desired.

#### **Pumps PGH-1, PGH-2, PJK-1, PJK-2, PF-1, PF-2**

These pump sets shall have motorized control valves on each of the supply and return branch mains to each building. The valves shall be arranged to be open when the respective pumps are energized to run. Provide current sensors for each pump motor.

Differential pressure shall be measured across the supply and return of each two-pipe secondary system using manifold differential pressure sensor in the boiler room. If the differential pressure decreases while amperage increases, there could be a pipe break. Therefore, there should be an alarm at the BMS, pumps should shut down and valves should close.

#### **All dual temperature secondary pumps Including PAH-1, PPFC-1, PFC-2, PC-1, PC-2, PL-1, PL-2, PD-1, PD-2, PUH-1, PUH-2**

All systems shall be fitted with ports for differential pressure measuring stations across each two-pipe secondary system in the boiler room. The intent is to make ready piping for future variable speed pump systems. As each building is renovated the systems will be modified to modulate pump speed in response to differential pressure.

### **3.06 Constant Volume Heating and Ventilating Units: HV-1,**

The units shall be operated through a unit mounted or remote DDC unitary control panel, capable of providing set-point adjustments and all programming control sequences.

Controls shall include all motorized dampers and valves, damper motors, motor starters, wiring, sensors and all hardware accessories for a complete system. Furnish wall mounted room thermostats with automatic summer/winter change over, and temperature adjustments.

**Units Off:** The outside air intake damper shall be closed, and the return air damper shall be full open. The automatic 2-way valve on the heating coil shall be open. Fan shall be off.

**Unit On Operation:** Upon start up, the control circuits shall be energized. The supply fan shall run continuously. The outside air intake, damper shall open to minimum position the return damper shall open to the maximum position. The heating coil valve shall be arranged as to maintain supply air temperature of 70°F during the heating season.

**Limit Controls:** Provide a High/low limit control(s) in the supply fan discharge arranged to override temperature controls and prevent discharge temperature from rising above 110°F(adjustable).

**Freezestat:** Provide each air handling unit with a manual reset type freezestat,(set at 35°F adjustable),arranged to shut down the unit and sound an audio and visual alarm at the BAS operator station should the set point be reached. The freezestat element shall be the capillary type with lowest point temperature sensing.

**Alarms:**

- Low mixed air temperature detection (freezestat)
- Supply fan failure (current relay or sail switch)
- Hi discharge air temperature (temperature sensor)
- Low discharge air temperature (temperature sensor)
- Dirty filter

### **3.07 Unit heaters**

Provide a space thermostat set at 72°F adjustable for each hot water unit heater. Upon a drop in space temperature below set-point the unit fan shall cycle on and the hot water control valve shall open. On a rise in space temperature above set point the reverse shall take place. Provide a strap-on-aquastat to prevent fan and valve operation when hot water is not detected. In summer mode the control valve shall be closed. All control valves positions and space temperatures shall be monitored and indicated on the BMS

### **3.08 General Exhaust GEF-1, GEF-2 GEF-3:**

General exhaust fans **GEF-1, GEF-2 GEF-3** shall run as scheduled through the BMS system during occupied periods to provide ventilation air to the boiler room. Provide a room thermostat with a set point of 75° F arranged to start the fans and open the OAI and relief air dampers. Refer to the elevation on drawing M3.0 which indicates the correct

dampers to be interlocked with the fans. Fans shall be capable of manual override at the BMS so that they can run continuously.

- 3.09 General Exhaust GEF-4** is located to serve the electric switch gear room. shall run as scheduled through the BMS system during occupied periods to provide ventilation air to the switch rooms. Provide a room thermostat with a set point of 75° F arranged to start the fans and open the OAI and relief air dampers. Fans shall be capable of manual override at the BMS so that they can run continuously.

**3.10 REF-1**

Refrigerant exhaust fan REF-1 – when the refrigerant exhaust detection system reaches alarm level 2 the OAI dampers and spill dampers shall open, and REF-1 fan shall start. Upon reduction in level below level 1 the fan shall stop, and the dampers shall close. Refer to specification section 23 63 00.

**3.11 Miscellaneous:**

Motor starters shall be supplied for each Air Handler, H & V Unit, Fan, pump, etc. When starters are located at the unit,(factory or field installed), or within line of site of the unit combination Starters/disconnects shall be used. All starters shall be equipped with H-O-A switches and pilot lights in cover. For units with remote mounted starters,(i.e. roof-top exhaust fans)furnish disconnects at the unit.

All safety devices shall be interlocked with “hand” and “Automatic” positions in series with motor controller holding coil circuit. Interlocking with other fans and equipment of system shall be through “Automatic” position “Hand” position shall be for maintenance only. Remote starting shall be from through “automatic” position only.

All air handling units 2,000 cfm or greater shall have a duct mounted smoke detector arranged to stop the unit and position all dampers and valves in the “unit off” sequence as described in this section, upon detecting smoke.

All air handling units, unit ventilators, cabinet unit heaters, unit heaters, fans, and fan coil units, shall be interlocked to the building fire alarm system. Upon building fire alarm all units shall shut down and damper and valves shall go to “unit off” positions.

END OF SECTION

## SECTION 232113 - HYDRONIC PIPING

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Section includes pipe and fitting materials and joining methods for the following:
  - 1. Hot-water heating piping.
  - 2. Dual temperature
  - 3. Chilled water
  - 4. Condenser water
  - 5. Makeup-water piping.
  - 6. Condensate-drain piping.
  - 7. Blowdown-drain piping.
  - 8. Air-vent piping.
  - 9. Safety-valve-inlet and -outlet piping.

#### 1.3 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of the following:
  - 1. Pressure-seal fittings.
  - 2. Chemical treatment.
- B. Delegated-Design Submittal:
  - 1. Design calculations and detailed fabrication and assembly of pipe anchors and alignment guides, hangers and supports for multiple pipes, expansion joints and loops, and attachments of the same to the building structure.
  - 2. Locations of pipe anchors and alignment guides and expansion joints and loops.
  - 3. Locations of and details for penetrations, including sleeves and sleeve seals for exterior walls, floors, basement, and foundation walls.
  - 4. Locations of and details for penetration and firestopping for fire- and smoke-rated wall and floor and ceiling assemblies.
  - 5. For underground piping provide size and quantity of pipe expansion loops and thrust blocks.



#### 1.4 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Coordination Drawings: Piping layout, drawn to scale, on which the following items are shown and coordinated with each other, using input from installers of the items involved:
  - 1. Suspended ceiling components.
  - 2. Other building services.
  - 3. Structural members.
- B. Qualification Data: For Installer.
- C. Welding certificates.
- D. Field quality-control reports.
- E. Water Analysis: Submit a copy of the water analysis to illustrate water quality available at Project site.

#### 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Installer Qualifications:
  - 1. Installers of Pressure-Sealed Joints: Installers shall be certified by pressure-seal joint manufacturer as having been trained and qualified to join piping with pressure-seal pipe couplings and fittings.
  - 2. Fiberglass Pipe and Fitting Installers: Installers of RTRF and RTRP shall be certified by manufacturer of pipes and fittings as having been trained and qualified to join fiberglass piping with manufacturer-recommended adhesive.
- B. Steel Support Welding: Qualify procedures and personnel according to AWS D1.1/D1.1M, "Structural Welding Code - Steel."
- C. Pipe Welding: Qualify procedures and operators according to ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code: Section IX.
  - 1. Comply with ASME B31.9, "Building Services Piping," for materials, products, and installation.
  - 2. Certify that each welder has passed AWS qualification tests for welding processes involved and that certification is current.

### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

#### 2.1 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Hydronic piping components and installation shall be capable of withstanding the following minimum working pressure and temperature unless otherwise indicated:

1. Hot-Water Heating Piping: 150 psig at 200 deg F.
2. Chilled-Water Piping: 150 psig at 200 deg F.
3. Dual-Temperature Heating and Cooling Water Piping: 150 psig at 200 deg F.
4. Condenser-Water Piping: 150 psig at 150 deg F.
5. Glycol Cooling-Water Piping: 150 psig at 150 deg F.
6. Makeup-Water Piping: 80 psig at 150 deg F.
7. Condensate-Drain Piping: 150 deg F.
8. Blowdown-Drain Piping: 200 deg F.
9. Air-Vent Piping: 200 deg F.
10. Safety-Valve-Inlet and -Outlet Piping: Equal to the pressure of the piping system to which it is attached.

## 2.2 COPPER TUBE AND FITTINGS

- A. Drawn-Temper Copper Tubing: ASTM B 88, Type L.
- B. Annealed-Temper Copper Tubing: ASTM B 88, Type K.
- C. DWV Copper Tubing: ASTM B 306, Type DWV.
- D. Copper or Bronze Pressure-Seal Fittings: (DRAIN PIPING ONLY)
  1. Manufacturers: Subject to review and approval by the engineer and compliance with project requirements, provide products by one of the following:
    - a. Mueller Industries, Inc.
    - b. NIBCO INC.
    - c. Viega LLC.
  2. Housing: Copper.
  3. O-Rings and Pipe Stops: EPDM.
  4. Tools: Manufacturer's special tools.
  5. Minimum 200-psig working-pressure rating at 250 deg F.
- E. Wrought-Copper Unions: ASME B16.22.

## 2.3 STEEL PIPE AND FITTINGS

- A. Steel Pipe: ASTM A 53/A 53M, black steel with plain ends; welded and seamless, Grade B, and wall thickness as indicated in "Piping Applications" Article.
- B. Cast-Iron Threaded Fittings: ASME B16.4; Classes 125 and 250 as indicated in "Piping Applications" Article.
- C. Malleable-Iron Threaded Fittings: ASME B16.3, Classes 150 and 300 as indicated in "Piping Applications" Article.

- D. Malleable-Iron Unions: ASME B16.39; Classes 150, 250, and 300 as indicated in "Piping Applications" Article.
- E. Cast-Iron Pipe Flanges and Flanged Fittings: ASME B16.1, Classes 25, 125, and 250; raised ground face, and bolt holes spot faced as indicated in "Piping Applications" Article.
- F. Wrought-Steel Fittings: ASTM A 234/A 234M, wall thickness to match adjoining pipe.
- G. Wrought Cast- and Forged-Steel Flanges and Flanged Fittings: ASME B16.5, including bolts, nuts, and gaskets of the following material group, end connections, and facings:
  - 1. Material Group: 1.1.
  - 2. End Connections: Butt welding.
  - 3. Facings: Raised face.
- H. Steel Pipe Nipples: ASTM A 733, made of same materials and wall thicknesses as pipe in which they are installed.

## 2.4 JOINING MATERIALS

- A. Pipe-Flange Gasket Materials: Suitable for chemical and thermal conditions of piping system contents.
  - 1. ASME B16.21, nonmetallic, flat, asbestos free, 1/8-inch maximum thickness unless otherwise indicated.
    - a. Full-Face Type: For flat-face, Class 125, cast-iron and cast-bronze flanges.
    - b. Narrow-Face Type: For raised-face, Class 250, cast-iron and steel flanges.
- B. Flange Bolts and Nuts: ASME B18.2.1, carbon steel, unless otherwise indicated.
- C. Solder Filler Metals: ASTM B 32, lead-free alloys. Include water-flushable flux according to ASTM B 813.
- D. Brazing Filler Metals: AWS A5.8/A5.8M, BCuP Series, copper-phosphorus alloys for joining copper with copper; or BAg-1, silver alloy for joining copper with bronze or steel.
- E. Welding Filler Metals: Comply with AWS D10.12M/D10.12 for welding materials appropriate for wall thickness and chemical analysis of steel pipe being welded.
- F. Gasket Material: Thickness, material, and type suitable for fluid to be handled and working temperatures and pressures.

## 2.5 DIELECTRIC FITTINGS

- A. General Requirements: Assembly of copper alloy and ferrous materials with separating nonconductive insulating material. Include end connections compatible with pipes to be joined.

## B. Dielectric Unions:

1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - a. WATTS.
  - b. Wilkins.
  - c. Zurn Industries, LLC.
2. Description:
  - a. Standard: ASSE 1079.
  - b. Pressure Rating: 150 psig 250 psig.
  - c. End Connections: Solder-joint copper alloy and threaded ferrous.

## C. Dielectric Flanges:

1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - a. WATTS.
  - b. Wilkins.
  - c. Zurn Industries, LLC.
2. Description:
  - a. Standard: ASSE 1079.
  - b. Factory-fabricated, bolted, companion-flange assembly.
  - c. Pressure Rating: 150 psig minimum at 250 deg F.
  - d. End Connections: Solder-joint copper alloy and threaded ferrous; threaded solder-joint copper alloy and threaded ferrous.

## D. Dielectric-Flange Insulating Kits:

1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - a. Advance Products & Systems, Inc.
  - b. Calpico, Inc.
  - c. Central Plastics Company.
  - d. Pipeline Seal and Insulator, Inc.
2. Description:
  - a. Nonconducting materials for field assembly of companion flanges.
  - b. Pressure Rating: 150 psig.
  - c. Gasket: Neoprene or phenolic.
  - d. Bolt Sleeves: Phenolic or polyethylene.
  - e. Washers: Phenolic with steel backing washers.

## E. Dielectric Nipples:

1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - a. Grinnell Mechanical Products.
  - b. Matco-Norca.
  - c. Victaulic Company.
2. Description:
  - a. Standard: IAPMO PS 66.
  - b. Electroplated steel nipple, complying with ASTM F 1545.
  - c. Pressure Rating: 300 psig at 225 deg F.
  - d. End Connections: Male threaded or grooved.
  - e. Lining: Inert and noncorrosive, propylene.

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

## 3.1 PIPING APPLICATIONS

- A. **Hot-Water, Chilled-Water, Dual-Temperature Piping - Aboveground;** NPS 2 1/2 and smaller, shall be any of the following:
  1. Type K, drawn-temper copper tubing, wrought-copper fittings, and soldered, brazed, or pressure-seal joints.
  2. Schedule 40, Grade B, Type 96 steel pipe; Class 150, malleable-iron fittings; cast-iron flanges and flange fittings; and threaded joints.
- B. **Hot-water, Chilled-water, Dual-temperature Piping - Above ground;** NPS 3 and larger, shall be any of the following:
  1. Type K, drawn-temper copper tubing, wrought-copper fittings, and soldered, brazed joints.
  2. Schedule 40 steel pipe, wrought-steel fittings and wrought-cast or forged-steel flanges and flange fittings, and welded and flanged joints.
- C. **Condenser Water Piping:**
  1. Steel Pipe: ASTM A53, Schedule 80, (all sizes)
    - a. Fittings: ASTM B16.3, malleable iron or ASTM A234, forged steel welding type. 150 lb class
    - b. Joints: Threaded, for pipe sized 2 1/2" or less. and AWS D1.1 welded on sized 3" and larger.
  2. Copper Tubing: ASTM B88, Type K, hard drawn.
    - a. Fittings: ASME B16.18, cast brass, or ASME B16.22, solder wrought copper.

- b. Tee Connections: Mechanically extracted collars with notched and dimpled branch tube.
- c. Joints: Braze, AWS A5.8 BCuP silver/phosphorus/copper alloy with melting range 1190 - 1480 degrees F.

**D. Condenser Water Piping - Alternate:**

- 1. Manufacturers: Subject to review and approval by the engineer and compliance with project requirements, provide products by one of the following.
  - a. National Fittings, Inc.
  - b. S. P. Fittings; a division of Star Pipe Products.
  - c. Victaulic Company of America.
- 2. Steel Pipe: ASTM A53, Schedule 80, (all Sizes).
  - a. Fittings: ASTM B16.3, malleable iron or ASTM A234, forged steel welding type. 150 lb class
  - b. Joints: Threaded, for pipe sized 2 1/2" or less. and AWS D1.1 welded on sized 3" and larger.
- 3. Joint Fittings: ASTM A 536, Grade 65-45-12 ductile iron; ASTM A 47/A 47M, Grade 32510 malleable iron; ASTM A 53/A 53M, Type F, E, or S, Grade B fabricated steel; or ASTM A 106, Grade B steel fittings with grooves or shoulders constructed to accept grooved-end couplings; with nuts, bolts, locking pin, locking toggle, or lugs to secure grooved pipe and fittings.
  - a)
- 4. Fittings shall be factory manufactured. Shop or field fabricated fittings are not acceptable. Welding fitting shall be "Sypris Tube-Turns" or equivalent. Fittings shall have the same pressure rating as the system in which they are installed.
- 5. 2.06 All valves shall have the same pressure rating as the system in which they are installed and shall be capable of being repacked while wide open and operating at their rated pressure.

**E. Makeup-Water Piping**

- 1. Type L, drawn-temper copper tubing, wrought-copper fittings, and soldered joints.

**F. Condensate-Drain Piping:**

- 1. Type M, or L drawn-temper copper tubing, wrought-copper fittings, and soldered joints.

**G. Blowdown-Drain Piping:**

- 1. Type M, or L drawn-temper copper tubing, wrought-copper fittings, and soldered joints.

**H. Air-Vent Piping:**

- 1. Type M, or L drawn-temper copper tubing, wrought-copper fittings, and soldered joints.

- I. **Safety-Valve-Inlet and -Outlet Piping:** for Hot-Water Piping: Same materials and joining methods as for piping specified for the service in which safety valve is installed.
- J. **Refrigerant Relief Piping** :- shall be any of the following:
  - 1. Type K, drawn-temper copper tubing, wrought-copper fittings, and soldered, brazed, or pressure-seal joints.
  - 2. Schedule 40, Grade B, Type 96 steel pipe; Class 150, malleable-iron fittings; cast-iron flanges and flange fittings; and threaded joints.

### 3.2 PIPING INSTALLATIONS

- A. Drawing plans, schematics, and diagrams indicate general location and arrangement of piping systems. Install piping as indicated unless deviations to layout are approved on Coordination Drawings.
- B. Install piping in concealed locations unless otherwise indicated and except in equipment rooms and service areas.
- C. Install piping indicated to be exposed and piping in equipment rooms and service areas at right angles or parallel to building walls. Diagonal runs are prohibited unless specifically indicated otherwise.
- D. Install piping above accessible ceilings to allow sufficient space for ceiling panel removal.
- E. Install piping to permit valve servicing.
- F. Install piping at indicated slopes.
- G. Install piping free of sags and bends.
- H. Install fittings for changes in direction and branch connections.
- I. Install piping to allow application of insulation.
- J. Select system components with pressure rating equal to or greater than system operating pressure.
- K. Install groups of pipes parallel to each other, spaced to permit applying insulation and servicing of valves.
- L. Install drains, consisting of a tee fitting, NPS 3/4 ball valve, and short NPS 3/4 threaded nipple with cap, at low points in piping system mains and elsewhere as required for system drainage.
- M. Install piping at a uniform grade of 0.2 percent upward in direction of flow.
- N. Reduce pipe sizes using eccentric reducer fitting installed with level side up.

- O. Install branch connections to mains using tee fittings in main pipe, with the branch connected to the bottom of the main pipe. For up-feed risers, connect the branch to the top of the main pipe.
- P. Install valves according to Section 230523.10 "Valves for HVAC Piping," Install unions in piping, NPS 2 and smaller, adjacent to valves, at final connections of equipment, and elsewhere as indicated.
- Q. Install flanges in piping, NPS 2-1/2 and larger, at final connections of equipment and elsewhere as indicated.
- R. Install shutoff valve immediately upstream of each dielectric fitting.
- S. Comply with requirements in Section 230553 "Identification for HVAC Piping and Equipment" for identifying piping.
- T. Install sleeves for piping penetrations of walls, ceilings, and floors.
- U. Install sleeve seals for piping penetrations of concrete walls and slabs.
- V. Install escutcheons for piping penetrations of walls, ceilings, and floors in finished spaces.
- W. For piping passing through equipment room walls to occupied spaces provide split seals for sound and vibration attenuation between rooms. Comply with section 23 21 16.
- X. Install packless expansion fitting in all hydronic piping sections that are 75' long or over.

### 3.3 DIELECTRIC FITTING INSTALLATION

- A. Install dielectric fittings in piping at connections of dissimilar metal piping and tubing.
- B. Dielectric Fittings for NPS 2 and Smaller: Use dielectric nipples, or unions.
- C. Dielectric Fittings for NPS 2-1/2 to NPS 4: Use dielectric flanges, or nipples.
- D. Dielectric Fittings for NPS 5 and Larger: Use dielectric flange kits.

### 3.4 HANGERS AND SUPPORTS

- A. Comply with requirements in Section 230529 "Hangers and Supports for HVAC Piping and Equipment" for hanger, support, and anchor devices. Comply with the following requirements for maximum spacing of supports and hanger rod size..
- B. Install the following pipe attachments:
  - 1. Adjustable steel clevis hangers for individual horizontal piping less than 20 feet long.
  - 2. Adjustable roller hangers and spring hangers for individual horizontal piping 20 feet or longer.



3. Pipe Roller: MSS SP-58, Type 44 for multiple horizontal piping 20 feet or longer, supported on a trapeze.
  4. Spring hangers to support vertical runs.
  5. Provide copper-clad hangers and supports for hangers and supports in direct contact with copper pipe.
  6. On plastic pipe, install pads or cushions on bearing surfaces to prevent hanger from scratching pipe.
- C. Install hangers for drawn-temper copper piping with the following maximum spacing and minimum rod sizes:
1. NPS 3/4: Maximum span, 6 feet; minimum rod size, 1/4 inch.
  2. NPS 1: Maximum span, 6 feet; minimum rod size, 1/4 inch.
  3. NPS 1-1/4: Maximum span, 7 feet; minimum rod size, 3/8 inch.
  4. NPS 1-1/2: Maximum span, 8 feet; minimum rod size, 3/8 inch.
  5. NPS 2: Maximum span, 8 feet; minimum rod size, 3/8 inch.
  6. NPS 2-1/2: Maximum span, 9 feet; minimum rod size, 3/8 inch.
  7. NPS 3 and Larger: Maximum span, 10 feet; minimum rod size, 3/8 inch.
- D. Plastic Piping Hanger Spacing: Space hangers according to pipe manufacturer's written instructions for service conditions. Avoid point loading. Space and install hangers with the fewest practical rigid anchor points.
- E. Support vertical runs at roof, at each floor, and at 10-foot intervals between floors.

### 3.5 PIPE JOINT CONSTRUCTION

- A. Ream ends of pipes and tubes and remove burrs. Bevel plain ends of steel pipe.
- B. Remove scale, slag, dirt, and debris from inside and outside of pipe and fittings before assembly.
- C. Soldered Joints: Apply ASTM B 813, water-flushable flux, unless otherwise indicated, to tube end. Construct joints according to ASTM B 828 or CDA's "Copper Tube Handbook," using lead-free solder alloy complying with ASTM B 32.
- D. Brazed Joints: Construct joints according to AWS's "Brazing Handbook," "Pipe and Tube" Chapter, using copper-phosphorus brazing filler metal complying with AWS A5.8/A5.8M.
- E. Threaded Joints: Thread pipe with tapered pipe threads according to ASME B1.20.1. Cut threads full and clean using sharp dies. Ream threaded pipe ends to remove burrs and restore full ID. Join pipe fittings and valves as follows:
1. Apply appropriate tape or thread compound to external pipe threads unless dry seal threading is specified.
  2. Damaged Threads: Do not use pipe or pipe fittings with threads that are corroded or damaged. Do not use pipe sections that have cracked or open welds.

- F. Welded Joints: Construct joints according to AWS D10.12M/D10.12, using qualified processes and welding operators according to "Quality Assurance" Article.
- G. Flanged Joints: Select appropriate gasket material, size, type, and thickness for service application. Install gasket concentrically positioned. Use suitable lubricants on bolt threads.
  - 1. Comply with ASTM F 402 for safe-handling practice of cleaners, primers, and solvent cements.
  - 2. CPVC Piping: Join according to ASTM D 2846/D 2846M Appendix.
  - 3. PVC Pressure Piping: Join ASTM D 1785 schedule number, PVC pipe and PVC socket fittings according to ASTM D 2672. Join other-than-schedule number PVC pipe and socket fittings according to ASTM D 2855.
  - 4. PVC Nonpressure Piping: Join according to ASTM D 2855.
- H. Pressure-Sealed Joints: Use manufacturer-recommended tool and procedure. Leave insertion marks on pipe after assembly.

### 3.6 TERMINAL EQUIPMENT CONNECTIONS

- A. Sizes for supply and return piping connections shall be the same as or larger than equipment connections.
- B. Install control valves in accessible locations close to connected equipment.
- C. Install bypass piping with globe valve around control valve. If parallel control valves are installed, only one bypass is required.
- D. Install ports for pressure gages and thermometers at coil inlet and outlet connections. Comply with requirements in Section 230519 "Meters and Gages for HVAC Piping."
- E. Install flexible pipe connections in accordance with specification section 23 05 48 vibration isolation for HVAC equipment.

### 3.7 CHEMICAL TREATMENT

- A. Perform an analysis of makeup water to determine type and quantities of chemical treatment needed to keep system free of scale, corrosion, and fouling, and to sustain the following water characteristics:
  - 1. pH: 9.0 to 10.5.
  - 2. "P" Alkalinity: 100 to 500 ppm.
  - 3. Boron: 100 to 200 ppm.
  - 4. Chemical Oxygen Demand: Maximum of 100 ppm. Revise this value if closed system contains glycol.
  - 5. Corrosion Inhibitor:
    - a. Sodium Nitrate: 1000 to 1500 ppm.

- b. Molybdate: 200 to 300 ppm.
  - c. Chromate: 200 to 300 ppm.
  - d. Sodium Nitrate Plus Molybdate: 100 to 200 ppm each.
  - e. Chromate Plus Molybdate: 50 to 100 ppm each.
- 6. Soluble Copper: Maximum of 0.20 ppm.
- 7. Tolyriazole Copper and Yellow Metal Corrosion Inhibitor: Minimum of 10 ppm.
- 8. Total Suspended Solids: Maximum of 10 ppm.
- 9. Ammonia: Maximum of 20 ppm.
- 10. Free Caustic Alkalinity: Maximum of 20 ppm.
- 11. Microbiological Limits:
  - a. Total Aerobic Plate Count: Maximum of 1000 organisms/mL.
  - b. Total Anaerobic Plate Count: Maximum of 100 organisms/mL.
  - c. Nitrate Reducers: 100 organisms/mL.
  - d. Sulfate Reducers: Maximum of zero organisms/mL.
  - e. Iron Bacteria: Maximum of zero organisms/mL.
- B. Install bypass chemical feeders in each hydronic system where indicated.
  - 1. Install in upright position with top of funnel not more than 48 inches above the floor.
  - 2. Install feeder in minimum NPS 3/4 bypass line, from main with full-size, full-port, ball valve in the main between bypass connections.
  - 3. Install NPS 3/4 pipe from chemical feeder drain to nearest equipment drain and include a full-size, full-port, ball valve.
- C. Fill system with fresh water and add liquid alkaline compound with emulsifying agents and detergents to remove grease and petroleum products from piping. Circulate solution for a minimum of 24 hours, drain, clean strainer screens, and refill with fresh water.
- D. Add initial chemical treatment and maintain water quality in ranges noted above for the first year of operation.
- E. Fill systems that have antifreeze or glycol solutions with the following concentrations:
  - 1. Hot-Water Heating Piping: Minimum of 30% percent propylene glycol.
  - 2. Chilled-Water Piping: Minimum of 30% percent ethylene propylene glycol.
  - 3. Dual-Temperature Heating and Cooling Water Piping: Minimum of 30% percent propylene glycol.
  - 4. Condenser-Water Piping: Minimum of 30% percent propylene glycol.
  - 5. Glycol Cooling-Water Piping: Minimum of 50% percent propylene glycol.

### 3.8 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Prepare hydronic piping according to ASME B31.9 and as follows:
  - 1. Leave joints, including welds, uninsulated and exposed for examination during test.

2. Provide temporary restraints for expansion joints that cannot sustain reactions due to test pressure. If temporary restraints are impractical, isolate expansion joints from testing.
3. Flush hydronic piping systems with clean water; then remove and clean or replace strainer screens.
4. Isolate equipment from piping. If a valve is used to isolate equipment, its closure shall be capable of sealing against test pressure without damage to valve. Install blinds in flanged joints to isolate equipment.
5. Install safety valve, set at a pressure no more than one-third higher than test pressure, to protect against damage by expanding liquid or other source of overpressure during test.

B. Perform the following tests on hydronic piping:

1. Use ambient temperature water as a testing medium unless there is risk of damage due to freezing. Another liquid that is safe for workers and compatible with piping may be used.
2. While filling system, use vents installed at high points of system to release air. Use drains installed at low points for complete draining of test liquid.
3. Isolate expansion tanks and determine that hydronic system is full of water.
4. Subject piping system to hydrostatic test pressure that is not less than 1.5 times the system's working pressure. Test pressure shall not exceed maximum pressure for any vessel, pump, valve, or other component in system under test. Verify that stress due to pressure at bottom of vertical runs does not exceed 90 percent of specified minimum yield strength or 1.7 times the "SE" value in Appendix A in ASME B31.9, "Building Services Piping."
5. After hydrostatic test pressure has been applied for at least 10 minutes, examine piping, joints, and connections for leakage. Eliminate leaks by tightening, repairing, or replacing components, and repeat hydrostatic test until there are no leaks.
6. Prepare written report of testing.

C. Perform the following before operating the system:

1. Open manual valves fully.
2. Inspect pumps for proper rotation.
3. Set makeup pressure-reducing valves for required system pressure.
4. Inspect air vents at high points of system and determine if all are installed and operating freely (automatic type), or bleed air completely (manual type).
5. Set temperature controls so all coils are calling for full flow.
6. Inspect and set operating temperatures of hydronic equipment, such as boilers, chillers, cooling towers, to specified values.
7. Verify lubrication of motors and bearings.

END OF SECTION 232113

## SECTION 232116 - HYDRONIC PIPING SPECIALTIES

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. The section includes special-duty valves and specialties for the following:

1. Hot-water heating piping.
2. Chilled-water piping.
3. Dual-temperature heating and cooling water piping.
4. Condenser-water piping.
5. Glycol cooling-water piping.
6. Makeup-water piping.
7. Condensate-drain piping.
8. Blowdown-drain piping.
9. Air-vent piping.
10. Safety-valve-inlet and -outlet piping.
11. Vibration Isolation
12. Expansion fittings for hydronic piping
13. Pipe guides and anchors
14. Chemical shot feeder

#### 1.3 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of the following:
  1. Valves: Include flow and pressure drop curves based on manufacturer's testing for calibrated-orifice balancing valves and automatic flow-control valves.
  2. Air-control devices.
  3. Hydronic specialties.

#### 1.4 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS

- A. Operation and Maintenance Data: For air-control devices, hydronic specialties, and special-duty valves to include in emergency, operation, and maintenance manuals.

## 1.5 MAINTENANCE MATERIAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Differential Pressure Meter: For each type of balancing valve and automatic flow control valve, include flowmeter, probes, hoses, flow charts, and carrying case.

## 1.6 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Pipe Welding: Qualify procedures and operators according to ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code: Section IX.
  - 1. Safety valves and pressure vessels shall bear the appropriate ASME label. Fabricate and stamp air separators and expansion tanks to comply with ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code: Section VIII, Division 1.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

## 2.1 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Hydronic piping components and installation shall be capable of withstanding the following minimum working pressure and temperature unless otherwise indicated:
  - 1. Hot-Water Heating Piping: **150 psig at 200 deg F**
  - 2. Chilled-Water Piping: **150 psig at 200 deg F.**
  - 3. Dual-Temperature Heating and Cooling Water Piping: **150 psig at 200 deg F**
  - 4. Condenser-Water Piping: **150 psig at 150 deg F**
  - 5. Glycol Cooling-Water Piping: **150 psig at 150 deg F**
  - 6. Makeup-Water Piping: **80 psig at 150 deg F**
  - 7. Condensate-Drain Piping: **150 deg F.**
  - 8. Blowdown-Drain Piping: **200 deg F**
  - 9. Air-Vent Piping: **200 deg F .**
  - 10. Safety-Valve-Inlet and -Outlet Piping: Equal to the pressure of the piping system to which it is attached.

## 2.2 VALVES GENERAL

- A. Gate, Globe, Check, Ball, and Butterfly Valves: Comply with requirements specified in Section 230523.10 "Valves for HVAC Piping,"
- B. Automatic Temperature-Control Valves, Actuators, and Sensors: Comply with requirements specified in Section 230923.11 "Control Valves."

## 2.3 BALANCING VALVES

## A. Bronze, Calibrated-Orifice, Balancing Valves:

1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - a. Armstrong Pumps, Inc.
  - b. Bell & Gossett; a Xylem brand.
  - c. Nexus Valve, Inc.
  - d. TACO Comfort Solutions, Inc.
  - e. Tour & Andersson; available through Victaulic Company.
  - f. Victaulic Company.
2. Body: Bronze, ball or globe type with calibrated orifice or venturi.
3. Ball: Brass or stainless steel.
4. Seat: PTFE.
5. End Connections: Threaded or socket.
6. Pressure Gage Connections: Integral seals for portable differential pressure meter.
7. Handle Style: Lever, with memory stop to retain set position.
8. CWP Rating: Minimum **175 psig**
9. Maximum Operating Temperature: 250 deg F

## B. Cast-Iron or Steel, Calibrated-Orifice, Balancing Valves:

1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - a. Armstrong Pumps, Inc.
  - b. Bell & Gossett; a Xylem brand.
  - c. Nexus Valve, Inc.
  - d. Tour & Andersson; available through Victaulic Company.
2. Body: Cast-iron or steel body, globe pattern with calibrated orifice or venturi.
3. Ball: Brass or stainless steel.
4. Stem Seals: EPDM O-rings.
5. Disc: Glass and carbon-filled PTFE.
6. Seat: PTFE.
7. End Connections: Flanged or grooved.
8. Pressure Gage Connections: Integral seals for portable differential pressure meter.
9. Handle Style: Lever, with memory stop to retain set position.
10. CWP Rating: Minimum **175 psig**
11. Maximum Operating Temperature: 250 deg F

## 2.4 DIAPHRAGM-OPERATED, PRESSURE-REDUCING VALVES: ASME LABELED.

1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with project requirements, provide products by one of the following:

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RENOVATION & IMPROVEMENTS  
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- a. AMTROL, Inc.
  - b. Armstrong Pumps, Inc.
  - c. Bell & Gossett; a Xylem brand.
  - d. Spence Engineering Company, Inc.
  - e. Watts; a Watts Water Technologies company.
2. Body: Bronze or brass.
  3. Disc: Glass and carbon-filled PTFE.
  4. Seat: Brass.
  5. Stem Seals: EPDM O-rings.
  6. Diaphragm: EPT.
  7. Low inlet-pressure check valve.
  8. Inlet Strainer: stainless steel, removable without system shutdown.
  9. Valve Seat and Stem: Noncorrosive.
  10. Valve Size, Capacity, and Operating Pressure: Selected to suit system in which installed, with operating pressure and capacity factory set and field adjustable.

B. DIAPHRAGM-OPERATED SAFETY VALVES: ASME LABELED.

1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - a. AMTROL, Inc.
  - b. Armstrong Pumps, Inc.
  - c. Bell & Gossett; a Xylem brand.
  - d. Spence Engineering Company, Inc.
  - e. Watts; a Watts Water Technologies company.
2. Body: Bronze or brass.
3. Disc: Glass and carbon-filled PTFE.
4. Seat: Brass.
5. Stem Seals: EPDM O-rings.
6. Diaphragm: EPT.
7. Wetted, Internal Work Parts: Brass and rubber.
8. Inlet Strainer: stainless steel, removable without system shutdown.
9. Valve Seat and Stem: Noncorrosive.
10. Valve Size, Capacity, and Operating Pressure: Comply with ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code: Section IV, and selected to suit system in which installed, with operating pressure and capacity factory set and field adjustable.

C. AUTOMATIC FLOW-CONTROL VALVES:

1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - a. Flow Design, Inc.
  - b. Griswold Controls.
  - c. Nexus Valve, Inc.
  - d. NuTech Hydronic Specialty Products.



2. Body: Brass or ferrous metal.
3. Piston and Spring Assembly: Stainless steel, tamper proof, self-cleaning, and removable.
4. Combination Assemblies: Include bronze or brass-alloy ball valve.
5. Identification Tag: Marked with zone identification, valve number, and flow rate.
6. Size: Same as pipe in which installed.
7. Performance: Maintain constant flow, plus or minus 5 percent over system pressure fluctuations.
8. Minimum CWP Rating: **175 psig**
9. Maximum Operating Temperature: **250 deg F**

## 2.5 AIR-CONTROL DEVICES

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
- a. AMTROL, Inc.
  - b. Armstrong Pumps, Inc.
  - c. Bell & Gossett; a Xylem brand.
  - d. TACO Comfort Solutions, Inc.
  - e. John Wood
- B. Manual Air Vents:
1. Body: Bronze.
  2. Internal Parts: Nonferrous.
  3. Operator: Screwdriver or thumbscrew.
  4. Inlet Connection: NPS 1/2
  5. Discharge Connection: NPS 1/8.
  6. CWP Rating: 150 psig
  7. Maximum Operating Temperature: 225 deg F
- C. Automatic Air Vents:
1. Body: Bronze or cast iron.
  2. Internal Parts: Nonferrous.
  3. Operator: Noncorrosive metal float.
  4. Inlet Connection: NPS 1/2
  5. Discharge Connection: NPS 1/4
  6. CWP Rating: 150 psig
  7. Maximum Operating Temperature: 240 deg F
- D. Expansion Tanks:
1. Tank: Welded steel, rated for 175-psig working pressure and 375 deg F maximum operating temperature, with taps in bottom of tank for tank fitting and taps in end of tank for gage glass. Tanks shall be factory tested after taps are fabricated and shall be labeled according to ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code: Section VIII, Division 1. Integral air pressure gage.

2. Air-Control Tank Fitting: Cast-iron body, copper-plated tube, brass vent tube plug, and stainless-steel ball check, 100-gal. unit only; sized for compression-tank diameter. Provide tank fittings for **175-psig** working pressure and **250 deg F** maximum operating temperature.
  3. Tank Drain Fitting: Brass body, nonferrous internal parts; **175-psig** working pressure and **240 deg F** maximum operating temperature; constructed to admit air to compression tank, drain water, and close off system.
  4. Gage Glass: Full height with dual manual shutoff valves, 3/4-inch- diameter gage glass, and slotted-metal glass guard.
- E. Diaphragm or Bladder-Type Expansion Tanks as scheduled or noted on plans:
1. Tank: Welded steel, rated for **175-psig** working pressure and **375 deg F** maximum operating temperature. Factory test after taps are fabricated and supports installed and are labeled according to ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code: Section VIII, Division 1.
  2. Diaphragm or Bladder: Securely sealed into tank to separate air charge from system water to maintain required expansion capacity.
  3. Air-Charge Fittings: Schrader valve, stainless steel with EPDM seats.
  4. Integral air pressure gage.
- F. Tangential-Type Air Separators:
1. Tank: Welded steel; ASME constructed and labeled for **175-psig** minimum working pressure and **375 deg F** maximum operating temperature.
  2. Air Collector Tube: Perforated stainless steel, constructed to direct released air into expansion tank.
  3. Tangential Inlet and Outlet Connections: Threaded for **NPS 2** and smaller; flanged connections for **NPS 2-1/2** and larger.
  4. Blowdown Connection: Threaded.
  5. Size: Match system flow capacity.
- G. In-Line Air Separators:
1. Tank: One-piece cast iron with an integral weir constructed to decelerate system flow to maximize air separation.
  2. Maximum Working Pressure: Up to **175 psig**
  3. Maximum Operating Temperature: Up to **300 deg F**
- H. Air Purgers:
1. Body: Cast iron with internal baffles that slow the water velocity to separate the air from solution and divert it to the vent for quick removal.
  2. Maximum Working Pressure: **175 psig min**
  3. Maximum Operating Temperature: **250 deg F**

## 2.6 HYDRONIC PIPING SPECIALTIES

### A. Y-Pattern Strainers:

1. Body: ASTM A 126, Class B, cast iron with bolted cover and bottom drain connection.
2. End Connections: Threaded ends for NPS 2 and smaller; flanged ends for NPS 2-1/2 and larger.
3. Strainer Screen: Stainless-steel, 20-mesh strainer, or perforated stainless-steel basket.

4. CWP Rating: **175 psig min**

B. Basket Strainers:

1. Body: ASTM A 126, Class B, high-tensile cast iron with bolted cover and bottom drain connection.
2. End Connections: Threaded ends for NPS 2 and smaller; flanged ends for NPS 2-1/2 and larger.
3. Strainer Screen: 40-mesh startup strainer, and perforated stainless-steel basket with 50 percent free area.
4. CWP Rating: **175 psig min**

C. T-Pattern Strainers:

1. Body: Ductile or malleable iron with removable access coupling and end cap for strainer maintenance.
2. End Connections: Grooved ends.
3. Strainer Screen: 40-mesh startup strainer, and perforated stainless-steel basket with 57 percent free area.
4. CWP Rating: **175 psig min**

D. Stainless-Steel Bellow, Flexible Connectors:

1. Body: Stainless-steel bellows with woven, flexible, bronze, wire-reinforcing protective jacket.
2. End Connections: Threaded or flanged to match equipment connected.
3. Performance: Capable of 3/4-inch misalignment.
4. CWP Rating: **175psig**
5. Maximum Operating Temperature: 250 deg F

E. Spherical, Rubber, Flexible Connectors:

1. Rubber flexible connections shall be peroxide cured EPDM throughout with Kevlar tire cord reinforcement. The raised face rubber flanges must encase solid steel rings to prevent pull out. Flexible cable wire is not acceptable. Sizes 1-1/2" through 14" shall have a ductile iron external ring between the two spheres. Sizes 3/4" through 2" may have one sphere, bolted threaded flange assemblies and cable retention.
2. Minimum ratings shall be 250 psi at 170°F and 215 psi at 250°F. Higher published rated connectors may be used where required.
3. Safety factors shall be a minimum of 3/1. All flexible connections must be factory tested to 150% of maximum pressure for 12 minutes before shipment. The piping gap shall be equal to the length of the expansion joint under pressure. Control rods passing through 1/2" thick Neoprene washer bushings large enough to take the thrust at 1000psi of surface area may be used on unanchored piping where the manufacturer determines the condition exceeds the expansion joint rating without them.
4. All flexible joints shall be installed on the equipment side of the shut off valves. Expansion joints shall be SAFEFLEX SFDEJ, SFEJ, SFDCR or SFU and Control Rods CR as manufactured by Mason Industries, Inc

- a. Body: Fiber-reinforced rubber body.
- b. End Connections: Steel flanges drilled to align with Classes 150 and 300 steel flanges.
- c. Performance: Capable of misalignment.
- d. CWP Rating: **150 psig**
- 5. Maximum Operating Temperature: 250 deg F

F. Braided Pipe Flexible Connection; (use only where indicated)

- 1. Flexible stainless-steel hose shall have stainless steel braid and carbon steel fittings. Sizes 3" and larger shall be flanged. Smaller sizes may have male nipples. Minimum sizes listed below.

Flanged (Pipe Dia x Flexible Pipe Length)		
3" x 12"	6" x 18"	12" x 24"
4" x 12"	8" x 18"	14" x 30"
5" x 18"	10" x 18"	16" x 32"

Male Nipples (Pipe Dia x Flexible Pipe Length)		
1/2" x 12"	1-1/4" x 12"	2" x 12"
3/4" x 12"	1-1/2" x 12"	2-1/2" x 18"
1" x 12"		

- 2. At equipment connections, hoses shall be installed on the equipment side of the shut-off valves horizontal and parallel to the equipment shafts wherever possible. Hoses shall be type **FFL or type MN** as manufactured by Mason Industries, Inc
- G. Vibration isolation pipe hangers: pre-compressed and locked at the rated deflection by means of a resilient up-stop to keep the piping or equipment at a fixed elevation during installation. The hangers shall be designed with a release mechanism to free the spring after the installation is complete and the hanger is subjected to its full load. Deflection shall be clearly indicated by means of a scale. Submittals shall include a drawing of the hanger showing the 30° capability. Hangers shall be type PC30N as manufactured by Mason Industries, Inc
- H. **Acoustic Split Seals:** consist of pipe halves with minimum 3/4" thick neoprene sponge cemented to the inner faces. The seal shall be tightened around the pipe to eliminate clearance between the inner sponge face and the piping. Grout seals to make it integral with the floor, wall or ceiling in masonry construction. Seals shall project a minimum of 1" past either face of the wall. Where temperatures exceed 240F, 10 lb. density fiberglass may be used in lieu of the sponge. Seals shall be **Type SPS or SWS** as manufactured by Mason Industries, Inc.

## 2.7 PACKLESS EXPANSION JOINTS

- A. Metal, Compensator Packless Expansion Joints: Metraflex Model HPFF – for copper, Model HP for steel pipe

1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - a. Flexicraft Industries.
  - b. Mason Industries, Inc.
  - c. Metraflex Company (The).
2. Minimum Pressure Rating: 175 psig unless otherwise indicated.
3. Description: Totally enclosed, externally pressurized, multi-ply bellows isolated from fluid flow by an internal pipe sleeve and external housing.
4. Joint Axial Movement: 2 inches of compression and 1/2 inch of extension.
5. Configuration for Copper Tubing: Multi-ply, phosphor-bronze bellows with copper pipe ends.
  - a. End Connections for Copper Tubing NPS 2 and Smaller: Solder joint or threaded.
  - b. End Connections for Copper Tubing NPS 2-1/2 to NPS 4: Threaded.
6. Configuration for Steel Piping: Multi-ply, stainless-steel bellows; steel-pipe end connections; and carbon-steel shroud.
  - a. End Connections for Steel Pipe NPS 2 and Smaller: Threaded.
  - b. End Connections for Steel Pipe NPS 2-1/2 to NPS 4: Threaded Welded.

## 2.8 ALIGNMENT GUIDES AND ANCHORS

1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - a. Advanced Thermal Systems, Inc.
  - b. Flexicraft Industries.
  - c. Mason Industries, Inc.
  - d. Metraflex Company (The).
2. Description: Steel, factory-fabricated alignment guide, with bolted two-section outer cylinder and base for attaching to structure; with two-section guiding slider for bolting to pipe.
3. Steel Shapes and Plates: ASTM A 36/A 36M.
4. Bolts and Nuts: ASME B18.10 or ASTM A 183, steel hex head.
5. Washers: ASTM F 844, steel, plain, flat washers.
6. Mechanical Fasteners: Insert-wedge-type stud with expansion plug anchor for use in hardened concrete, with tension and shear capacities appropriate for application. Threaded stud, expansion plug, nuts and washers shall be zinc-coated carbon steel.
7. Chemical Fasteners: Insert-type stud, bonding-system anchor for use with hardened concrete, with tension and shear capacities appropriate for application.

- a. Bonding Material: ASTM C 881/C 881M, Type IV, Grade 3, two-component epoxy resin suitable for surface temperature of hardened concrete where fastener is to be installed.
- b. Stud: threaded stud washers and nuts shall be ASTM A 307, zinc-coated carbon steel.
- c. Alignment Guides
  - 1) Horizontal split spider type guide – Metraflex – Style IV
  - 2) Slide guide - Metraflex – model PTFE
  - 3) Pre-insulated guide – Metraflex – model PG PRE
  - 4) Vertical glide riser - – Metraflex – model PGQ
- d. Anchors
  - 1) Anchor clamp – Metraflex – model PA
  - 2) Structural I Beam Anchors – Metraflex
  - 3) Pre-insulated Anchor – Metraflex – model PAPI
  - 4) Modular riser guide – Metraflex – modular riser with EPDM insert

## 2.9 BYPASS CHEMICAL FEEDER

- 1. Description: Welded steel construction; 175-psig working pressure; 10-gal. capacity min; with fill funnel and inlet, outlet, and drain valves.
- 2. Chemicals: Specially formulated, based on analysis of makeup water, to prevent accumulation of scale and corrosion in piping and connected equipment.

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

### 3.1 VALVE APPLICATIONS

- A. Install shutoff-duty valves at each branch connection to supply mains and at supply connection to each piece of equipment.
- B. Install calibrated-orifice, balancing valves at each branch connection to return main.
- C. Install calibrated-orifice, balancing valves in the return pipe of each heating or cooling terminal.
- D. Install check valves calibrated-orifice, balancing valves at each pump discharge and elsewhere as required to control flow direction.
- E. Install safety valves at hot-water generators and elsewhere as required by ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code. Install drip-pan elbow on safety-valve outlet and pipe without valves to the outdoors; pipe drain to nearest floor drain or as indicated on Drawings. Comply with ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code: Section VIII, Division 1, for installation requirements.
- F. Install pressure-reducing valves at makeup-water connection to regulate system fill pressure.
- G. **All valves and specialties installed in the system shall have a pressure rating that exceeds the system working pressure.**

## 3.2 HYDRONIC SPECIALTIES INSTALLATION

- A. All valves and specialties installed in the system shall have a pressure rating that exceeds the system working pressure.
- B. Install manual air vents at high points in piping, at heat-transfer coils, and elsewhere as required for system air venting.
- C. Install automatic air vents at high points of system piping in mechanical equipment rooms only. Install manual vents at heat-transfer coils and elsewhere as required for air venting.
- D. Install piping from boiler air outlet, air separator, or air purger to expansion tank with a 2 percent upward slope toward tank.
- E. Install in-line air separators in pump suction. Install drain valve on air separators NPS 2 and larger.
- F. Install tangential air separator in pump suction. Install blowdown piping with gate or full-port ball valve; extend full size to nearest floor drain.
- G. Install steel braided flexible pipe connections at all coil connections and at all piping connections to motor driven equipment except for pumps.
- H. Isolate piping from base mounted pumps with spherical rubber flexible connections
- I. Install vibration isolation hangers or supports on all piping connected to motor driven equipment for a distance of 20' or the first two hangers.
- J. Install expansion tanks on the floor. Vent and purge air from hydronic system, and **ensure that tank is properly charged with air to suit system Project requirements. System pressure shall be 5 psi minimum residual at the top of the system.**
- K. Install Acoustic split seals on all hydronic piping 3" and over, penetrating mechanical equipment room walls.
- L. Install Packless expansion fittings in all hydronic pipe sections, regardless of service, that is over 75' long straight run. Alternative pipe "expansion loop" may be used if space permits. Piping layout submittal shall indicate guide and ridged mount locations.

## 3.3 EXPANSION JOINT INSTALLATION

- A. Install expansion joints of sizes matching sizes of piping in which they are installed.
- B. Install grooved-joint expansion joints to grooved-end steel piping.
- C. Grooved end pipe applications can use multiple grooved coupling installed in an arrangement as approved by the manufacture for the specific application. The manufacture shall recommend the number, placement and arrangement in the piping systems. Submit to the engineer for review and approval.

## 3.4 PIPE LOOP AND SWING CONNECTION INSTALLATION

- A. Install pipe loops cold-sprung in tension or compression as required to partly absorb tension or compression produced during anticipated change in temperature.
- B. Connect risers and branch connections to terminal units with at least four pipe fittings, including tee in riser.
- C. Connect mains and branch connections to terminal units with at least four pipe fittings, including tee in main.

## 3.5 ALIGNMENT-GUIDE AND ANCHOR INSTALLATION

- A. Install alignment guides to guide expansion and to avoid end-loading and torsional stress.
- B. Install one guide(s) on each side of pipe expansion fittings and loops. Install guides nearest to expansion joint or loop not more than three pipe diameters from expansion joint.
- C. Attach guides to pipe, and secure guides to building structure.
- D. Install anchors at locations to prevent stresses from exceeding those permitted by ASME B31.9 and to prevent transfer of loading and stresses to connected equipment.
- E. Anchor Attachments:
  - 1. Anchor Attachment to Steel Pipe: Attach by welding. Comply with ASME B31.9 and ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code: Section IX, "Welding and Brazing Qualifications."
  - 2. Anchor Attachment to Copper Tubing: Attach with pipe hangers. Use MSS SP-69, Type 24; U bolts bolted to anchor.
- F. Fabricate and install steel anchors by welding steel shapes, plates, and bars. Comply with ASME B31.9 and AWS D1.1/D1.1M.
  - 1. Anchor Attachment to Steel Structural Members: Attach by welding.
  - 2. Anchor Attachment to Concrete Structural Members: Attach by fasteners. Follow fastener manufacturer's written instructions.
- G. Use grout to form flat bearing surfaces for guides and anchors attached to concrete.

END OF SECTION 232116



## SECTION 232123 - HYDRONIC PUMPS

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Section Includes:

1. Close-coupled, in-line centrifugal pumps.
2. Close-coupled, end-suction centrifugal pumps.
3. Separately coupled, horizontally mounted, in-line centrifugal pumps.
4. Separately coupled, vertically mounted, in-line centrifugal pumps.
5. Separately coupled, base-mounted, end-suction centrifugal pumps.

#### 1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. Buna-N: Nitrile rubber.
- B. EPT: Ethylene propylene terpolymer.

#### 1.4 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of pump. Include certified performance curves and rated capacities, operating characteristics, furnished specialties, final impeller dimensions, and accessories for each type of product indicated. Indicate pump's operating point on curves.
- B. Shop Drawings: For each pump.
  1. Show pump layout and connections.
  2. Include setting drawings with templates for installing foundation and anchor bolts and other anchorages.
  3. Include diagrams for power, signal, and control wiring.

#### 1.5 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS

- A. Operation and Maintenance Data: For pumps to include in emergency, operation, and maintenance manuals.

## 1.6 MAINTENANCE MATERIAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Furnish extra materials described below that match products installed and that are packaged with protective covering for storage and identified with labels describing contents.
1. Mechanical Seals: One mechanical seal(s) for each pump.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

## 2.1 CLOSE-COUPLED, IN-LINE CENTRIFUGAL PUMPS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to review and approval by the engineer and compliance with the contract document, provide products by one of the following:
1. Armstrong Pumps, Inc.
  2. ITT Corporation.
  3. Mepco, LLC.
  4. PACO Pumps; Grundfos Pumps Corporation, USA.
  5. Patterson Pump Company; a Gorman-Rupp company.
  6. Peerless Pump Company.
  7. TACO Comfort Solutions, Inc.
  8. Thrush Co. Inc.
- B. Description: Factory-assembled and -tested, centrifugal, overhung-impeller, close-coupled, in-line pump as defined in HI 1.1-1.2 and HI 1.3; designed for installation with pump and motor shafts mounted horizontally or vertically.
- C. Pump Construction:
1. Casing: Radially split, cast iron, with threaded gage tappings at inlet and outlet, replaceable bronze wear rings, and threaded or companion-flange connections.
  2. Impeller: ASTM B 584, cast bronze; statically and dynamically balanced, keyed to shaft, and secured with a locking cap screw. For constant-speed pumps, trim impeller to match specified performance.
  3. Pump Shaft: stainless steel
  4. Motor shaft; carbon steel.
  5. Retain first subparagraph for service temperatures above 200 deg F
  6. Seal: Mechanical seal consisting of carbon rotating ring against a ceramic seat held by a stainless-steel spring, and Buna-N or EPT bellows and gasket. Include water slinger on shaft between motor and seal.
  7. Pump Bearings: Oil lubricated; bronze-journal or thrust type.
- D. Motor: Single speed and rigidly mounted to pump casing.
1. Electrical Components, Devices, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.

2. Comply with NEMA designation, temperature rating, service factor, and efficiency requirements for motors specified in Section 230513 "Common Motor Requirements for HVAC Equipment."
  - a. Enclosure: Open, dripproof.
  - b. Enclosure Materials: Cast iron.
  - c. Motor Bearings: Permanently lubricated ball bearings up through 5 HP
  - d. Motor Bearings Grease lubricated ball bearings over 5 HP.
  - e. Unusual Service Conditions:
    - 1) Ambient Temperature: **40 deg C 104 F.**
    - 2) Altitude: 100 feet above sea level.
    - 3) High humidity.
  - f. Efficiency: Premium efficient.
  - g. NEMA Design: B or C
  - h. Service Factor: 1.15.
  - i. All motors used with VFDs shall be inverter duty rated.
- E. Capacities and Characteristics: Refer to plans and schedules.
- F. Electrical Characteristics: Refer to plans and schedules.

## 2.2 CLOSE-COUPLED, END-SUCTION CENTRIFUGAL PUMPS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  1. Armstrong Pumps, Inc.
  2. Aurora Pump; Pentair Ltd.
  3. Buffalo Pumps, Inc.
  4. ITT Corporation.
  5. Mepco, LLC.
  6. PACO Pumps; Grundfos Pumps Corporation, USA.
  7. Patterson Pump Company; a Gorman-Rupp company.
  8. Peerless Pump Company.
- B. Description: Factory-assembled and -tested, centrifugal, overhung-impeller, close-coupled, end-suction pump as defined in HI 1.1-1.2 and HI 1.3; designed for installation with pump and motor shafts mounted horizontally.
- C. Pump Construction:
  1. Casing: Radially split, cast iron, with replaceable bronze wear rings, drain plug at bottom and air vent at top of volute, threaded gage tapings at inlet and outlet, and flanged connections.
  2. Impeller: ASTM B 584, cast bronze; statically and dynamically balanced, keyed to shaft, and secured with a locking cap screw. For constant-speed pumps, trim impeller to match specified performance.

3. Shaft: Carbon steel.
4. Shaft sleeve ; brass or stainless steel
5. Mechanical Seal: Carbon rotating ring against a ceramic seat held by a stainless-steel spring, and Buna-N or EPT bellows and gasket. Include water slinger on shaft between motor and seal.
6. Pump Bearings: Permanently lubricated ball bearings.

D. Motor: Single speed and rigidly mounted to pump casing with integral pump support.

1. Electrical Components, Devices, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.
2. Comply with NEMA designation, temperature rating, service factor, and efficiency requirements for motors specified in Section 230513 "Common Motor Requirements for HVAC Equipment."
  - a. Enclosure: Open, dripproof.
  - b. Enclosure Materials: Cast iron.
  - c. Motor Bearings: Permanently lubricated ball bearings up through 5HP
  - d. Motor Bearings. Grease lubricated over 5HP.
  - e. Unusual Service Conditions:
    - 1) Ambient Temperature: **40 deg C 104 F.**
    - 2) Altitude: 100 feet above sea level.
    - 3) High humidity.
  - f. Efficiency: Premium efficient.
  - g. NEMA Design: B or C.
  - h. Service Factor: 1.15.
  - i. All motors used with VFDs shall be inverter duty rated.

E. Capacities and Characteristics: Refer to plans and schedules.

F. Electrical Characteristics: Refer to plans and schedules.

## 2.3 SEPARATELY COUPLED, HORIZONTALLY MOUNTED, IN-LINE CENTRIFUGAL PUMPS

A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:

1. Armstrong Pumps, Inc.
2. ITT Corporation.
3. Mepco, LLC.
4. PACO Pumps; Grundfos Pumps Corporation, USA.
5. Patterson Pump Company; a Gorman-Rupp company.
6. Peerless Pump Company.
7. TACO Comfort Solutions, Inc.
8. Thrush Co. Inc.

- B. Description: Factory-assembled and -tested, centrifugal, overhung-impeller, separately coupled, in-line pump as defined in HI 1.1-1.2 and HI 1.3; designed for installation with pump and motor shafts mounted horizontally.
- C. Pump Construction:
1. Casing: Radially split, cast iron, with threaded gage tappings at inlet and outlet, and threaded companion-flange connections.
  2. Impeller: ASTM B 584, cast bronze or brass; statically and dynamically balanced, and keyed to shaft. For pumps not frequency-drive controlled, trim impeller to match specified performance.
  3. Pump Shaft: Carbon Steel
  4. Sleeve; Alloy Copper 110.
  5. Mechanical Seal: Carbon rotating ring against a ceramic seat held by a stainless-steel spring, and Buna-N bellows and gasket. Include water slinger on shaft between motor and seal.)
  6. Pump Bearings: permanently Oil lubricated; bronze-journal or thrust type.
- D. Shaft Coupling: Molded-rubber insert with interlocking spider capable of absorbing vibration.
- E. Motor: Single speed and rigidly mounted to pump casing.
1. Electrical Components, Devices, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.
  2. Comply with NEMA designation, temperature rating, service factor, and efficiency requirements for motors specified in Section 230513 "Common Motor Requirements for HVAC Equipment."
    - a. Enclosure: Open, drip-proof.
    - b. Enclosure Materials: Cast iron.
    - c. Motor Bearings: Permanently lubricated ball bearings. Up to 5 hp
    - d. Motor Bearings: Grease-lubricated ball bearings. Over 5 hp
    - e. Unusual Service Conditions:
      - 1) Ambient Temperature: **40 deg C 104 F.**
      - 2) Altitude: 100 feet above sea level.
      - 3) High humidity.
    - f. Efficiency: Premium efficient.
    - g. NEMA Design: B or C
    - h. Service Factor: 1.15.
    - i. All motors used with VFDs shall be inverter duty rated.
- F. Capacities and Characteristics: Refer to plans and schedules.
- G. Electrical Characteristics: Refer to plans and schedules.

## 2.4 SEPARATELY COUPLED, VERTICALLY MOUNTED, IN-LINE CENTRIFUGAL PUMPS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
1. Armstrong Pumps, Inc.
  2. ITT Corporation.
  3. Mepco, LLC.
  4. PACO Pumps; Grundfos Pumps Corporation, USA.
  5. Patterson Pump Company; a Gorman-Rupp company.
  6. Peerless Pump Company.
  7. TACO Comfort Solutions, Inc.
  8. Thrush Co. Inc.
- B. Description: Factory-assembled and -tested, centrifugal, overhung-impeller, separately coupled, in-line pump as defined in HI 1.1-1.2 and HI 1.3; designed for installation with pump and motor shafts mounted vertically.
- C. Pump Construction:
1. Casing: Radially split, cast iron, with threaded gage tapings at inlet and outlet, replaceable bronze wear rings, and threaded companion-flange or union-end connections.
  2. Impeller: ASTM B 584, cast bronze; statically and dynamically balanced, keyed to shaft, and secured with a locking cap screw. For pumps not frequency-drive controlled, trim impeller to match specified performance.
  3. Pump Shaft: Stainless steel.
  4. Seal: Mechanical seal consisting of carbon rotating ring against a ceramic seat held by a stainless-steel spring, and [Buna-N] or EPT bellows and gasket. Include water slinger on shaft between motor and seal.
  5. Seal: Packing seal consisting of stuffing box with a minimum of four rings of graphite-impregnated braided yarn with bronze lantern ring between center two graphite rings, and bronze packing gland.
  6. Pump Bearings: Permanently lubricated ball bearings.
- D. Shaft Coupling: Axially split spacer coupling.
- E. Motor: Single speed and rigidly mounted to pump casing with lifting eyebolt and supporting lugs in motor enclosure.
1. Electrical Components, Devices, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.
  2. Comply with NEMA designation, temperature rating, service factor, and efficiency requirements for motors specified in Section 230513 "Common Motor Requirements for HVAC Equipment."
    - a. Enclosure: Open, drip proof.
    - b. Enclosure Materials: Cast iron.
    - c. Motor Bearings: Permanently lubricated ball bearing up to 5 hp.

- d. Motor Bearings Grease-lubricated ball bearings over 5 hp.
- e. Unusual Service Conditions:
  - 1) Ambient Temperature: **40 deg C 104 F.**
  - 2) Altitude: 100 above sea level.
  - 3) High humidity.
- f. Efficiency: Premium efficient.
- g. NEMA Design: B or C
- h. Service Factor: 1.15.
- i. All motors used with VFDs shall be inverter duty rated.

F. Capacities and Characteristics: Refer to plans and schedules.

G. Electrical Characteristics: Refer to plans and schedules.

## 2.5 SEPARATELY COUPLED, BASE-MOUNTED, END-SUCTION CENTRIFUGAL PUMPS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. Armstrong Pumps, Inc.
  - 2. ITT Corporation.
  - 3. Meppco, LLC.
  - 4. PACO Pumps; Grundfos Pumps Corporation, USA.
  - 5. Patterson Pump Company; a Gorman-Rupp company.
  - 6. Peerless Pump Company.
  - 7. TACO Comfort Solutions, Inc.
  - 8. Thrush Co. Inc.
- B. Description: Factory-assembled and -tested, centrifugal, overhung-impeller, separately coupled, end-suction pump as defined in HI 1.1-1.2 and HI 1.3; designed for base mounting, with pump and motor shafts horizontal.
- C. Pump Construction:
  - 1. Casing: Radially split, cast iron, with replaceable bronze wear rings, threaded gage tapings at inlet and outlet, drain plug at bottom and air vent at top of volute, and threaded companion-flange, flanged connections. Provide integral mount on volute to support the casing, and provide attached piping to allow removal and replacement of impeller without disconnecting piping or requiring the realignment of pump and motor shaft.
  - 2. Impeller: ASTM B 584, cast bronze; statically and dynamically balanced, keyed to shaft, and secured with a locking cap screw. For pumps not frequency-drive controlled, trim impeller to match specified performance.
  - 3. Pump Shaft: Stainless steel.
  - 4. Seal: Mechanical seal consisting of carbon rotating ring against a ceramic seat held by a stainless-steel spring, and Buna-N or EPT bellows and gasket.
  - 5. Pump Bearings: Grease-lubricated ball bearings in cast-iron housing with grease fittings.

- D. Shaft Coupling: molded-rubber insert and interlocking spider capable of absorbing vibration. Couplings shall be drop-out type to allow disassembly and removal without removing pump shaft or motor. EPDM coupling sleeve for variable-speed applications.
- E. Coupling Guard: Dual rated; ANSI B15.1, Section 8; OSHA 1910.219 approved; steel; removable; attached to mounting frame.
- F. Mounting Frame: Welded-steel frame and cross members, factory fabricated from ASTM A 36/A 36M channels and angles. Fabricate to mount pump casing, coupling guard, and motor.
- G. Motor: Single speed, secured to mounting frame, with adjustable alignment.
  - 1. Electrical Components, Devices, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.
  - 2. Comply with NEMA designation, temperature rating, service factor, and efficiency requirements for motors specified in Section 230513 "Common Motor Requirements for HVAC Equipment."
    - a. Enclosure: Open, drip-proof.
    - b. Enclosure Materials: Cast iron.
    - c. Motor Bearings: Permanently lubricated or Grease-lubricated ball bearings.
    - d. Unusual Service Conditions:
      - 1) Ambient Temperature: **40 deg C 104 F.**
      - 2) Altitude: 100 above sea level.
      - 3) High humidity.
    - e. Efficiency: Premium efficient.
    - f. NEMA Design: B or C
    - g. Service Factor: 1.15.
    - h. All motors used with VFDs shall be inverter duty rated.
- H. Capacities and Characteristics: Refer to plans and schedules.
- I. Electrical Characteristics: Refer to plans and schedules.

## 2.6 PUMP SPECIALTY FITTINGS

- A. Suction Diffuser:
  - 1. Angle pattern.
  - 2. 175-psig working pressure rating, cast-iron body and end cap, pump-inlet fitting.
  - 3. Bronze startup and bronze or stainless-steel permanent strainers.
  - 4. Bronze or stainless-steel straightening vanes.
  - 5. Drain plug.
  - 6. Factory-fabricated support.



B. Triple-Duty Valve:

1. Angle or straight pattern.
2. 175-psig working pressure rating, cast-iron body, pump-discharge fitting.
3. Drain plug and bronze-fitted shutoff, balancing, and check valve features.
4. Brass gage ports with integral check valve and orifice for flow measurement.

C. Flexible Pipe/Pump Connections.

1. Rubber flexible connections shall be peroxide cured EPDM throughout with Kevlar tire cord reinforcement. The raised face rubber flanges must encase solid steel rings to prevent pull out. Flexible cable wire is not acceptable. Sizes 1-1/2" through 14" shall have a ductile iron external ring between the two spheres. Sizes 3/4" through 2" may have one sphere, bolted threaded flange assemblies and cable retention.
2. Minimum ratings shall be 250 psi at 170°F and 215 psi at 250°F. Higher published rated connectors may be used where required.
3. Safety factors shall be a minimum of 3/1. All flexible connections must be factory tested to 150% of maximum pressure for 12 minutes before shipment. The piping gap shall be equal to the length of the expansion joint under pressure. Control rods passing through 1/2" thick Neoprene washer bushings large enough to take the thrust at 1000psi of surface area may be used on unanchored piping where the manufacturer determines the condition exceeds the expansion joint rating without them. All flexible joints shall be installed on the equipment side of the shut off valves. Expansion joints shall be [SAFEFLEX SFDEJ](#), [SFEJ](#), [SFDJR or SFU](#) and Control Rods [CR](#) as manufactured by Mason Industries, Inc
4. All flexible joints shall be installed on the equipment side of the shut off valves. Expansion joints shall be [SAFEFLEX SFDEJ](#), [SFEJ](#), [SFDJR or SFU](#) and Control Rods [CR](#) as manufactured by Mason Industries, Inc
  - a. Body: Fiber-reinforced rubber body.
  - b. End Connections: Steel flanges drilled to align with Classes 150 and 300 steel flanges.
  - c. Performance: Capable of misalignment.
  - d. CWP Rating: **150 psig**
  - e. Maximum Operating Temperature: 250 deg F

## 2.7 VIBRATION ISOLATION AND INERTIA BASES FOR PUMPS

- A. Rectangular steel concrete pouring forms for floating concrete inertia base. Bases for split case pumps shall be large enough to provide support for suction and discharge elbows. Bases shall be a minimum of 6" longer than the pump on all sides. The base depth need not exceed 12" unless specifically recommended by the base manufacturer for mass or rigidity. Forms shall include concrete reinforcing bars welded in place on 6" centers running both ways in a layer 1-1/2" above the bottom. Minimum reinforcing bar size shall be 1/2". Forms shall be furnished with steel templates to hold the anchor bolt sleeves and anchor bolts while concrete is being poured. Height saving spring brackets shall be used in all mounting locations to maintain a 1" clearance below the base. Wooden formed bases leaving a concrete are not acceptable. Base shall be type [BMK](#) as manufactured by Mason Industries, Inc

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

## 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine equipment foundations and anchor-bolt locations for compliance with requirements for installation tolerances and other conditions affecting performance of the Work.
- B. Examine roughing-in for piping systems to verify actual locations of piping connections before pump installation.
- C. Examine foundations and inertia bases for suitable conditions where pumps are to be installed.
- D. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

## 3.2 PUMP INSTALLATION

- A. Comply with HI 1.4 and HI 2.4.
- B. Install pumps to provide access for periodic maintenance including removing motors, impellers, couplings, and accessories.
- C. Independently support pumps and piping so weight of piping is not supported by pumps and weight of pumps is not supported by piping.
- D. Automatic Condensate Pump Units: Install units for collecting condensate and extend to open drain.
- E. Equipment Mounting:
  - 1. Install base-mounted pumps on cast-in-place concrete equipment bases. Comply with requirements for equipment bases and foundations specified in Section 033000 "Cast-in-Place Concrete." Section 033053 "Miscellaneous Cast-in-Place Concrete."
- F. Equipment Mounting: Install in-line pumps with continuous-thread hanger rods and elastomeric hangers, spring hangers, spring hangers with vertical-limit stop of size required to support weight of in-line pumps.
  - 1. Comply with requirements for hangers and supports specified in Section 230529 "Hangers and Supports for HVAC Piping and Equipment."

## 3.3 ALIGNMENT

- A. Perform pump alignment. For pumps 20 HP or larger engage a factory-authorized service representative to perform alignment service.
- B. Comply with requirements in Hydronics Institute standards for alignment of pump and motor shaft. Add shims to the motor feet and bolt motor to base frame. Do not use grout between motor feet and base frame.

- C. Comply with pump and coupling manufacturers' written instructions.
- D. After alignment is correct, tighten foundation bolts evenly but not too firmly. Completely fill baseplate with nonshrink, nonmetallic grout while metal blocks and shims or wedges are in place. After grout has cured, fully tighten foundation bolts.

### 3.4 CONNECTIONS

- A. Comply with requirements for piping specified in Section 232213 "Steam and Condensate Heating Piping" and Section 232216 Steam and Condensate Piping Specialties." Drawings indicate general arrangement of piping, fittings, and specialties.
- B. Where installing piping adjacent to pump, allow space for service and maintenance.
- C. Connect piping to pumps. Install valves that are same size as piping connected to pumps.
- D. Install suction and discharge pipe sizes equal to or greater than diameter of pump nozzles.
- E. Install line size check, shutoff, and balancing valves or triple-duty valve on discharge side of pumps.
- F. Install line size Y-type strainer or suction diffuser and shutoff valve on suction side of pumps.
- G. Install flexible connectors on suction and discharge sides of base-mounted pumps between pump casing and valves.
- H. Install pressure gages on pump suction and discharge or at integral pressure-gage tapping, or install single gage with multiple-input selector valve.
- I. Install check valve and gate or ball valve on each condensate pump unit discharge.
- J. Ground equipment according to Section 260526 "Grounding and Bonding for Electrical Systems."
- K. Connect wiring according to Section 260519 "Low-Voltage Electrical Power Conductors and Cables."

### 3.5 STARTUP SERVICE

- A. Perform the following startup service;. For motors 20 HP and over engage a factory-authorized service representative to perform the start up.
  - 1. Complete installation and startup checks according to manufacturer's written instructions.
  - 2. Check piping connections for tightness.
  - 3. Clean strainers on suction piping.
  - 4. Perform the following startup checks for each pump before starting:
    - a. Verify bearing lubrication.

- b. Verify that pump is free to rotate by hand and that pump for handling hot liquid is free to rotate with pump hot and cold. If pump is bound or drags, do not operate until cause of trouble is determined and corrected.
  - c. Verify that pump is rotating in the correct direction.
- 5. Prime pump by opening suction valves and closing drains, and prepare pump for operation.
- 6. Start motor.
- 7. Open discharge valve slowly.

### 3.6 DEMONSTRATION

- A. Train Owner's maintenance personnel to adjust, operate, and maintain hydronic pumps.

END OF SECTION 232123

## SECTION 232513 - WATER TREATMENT FOR CLOSED-LOOP HYDRONIC SYSTEMS

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Section includes the following water treatment for closed-loop hydronic systems:

- 1. Manual chemical-feed equipment.
- 2. Chemicals.
- 3. Glycol Automatic feed Unit

- B. Related Requirements:

- 1. Section 232116 "hydronic piping specialties" .

#### 1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. Low Voltage: As defined in NFPA 70 for circuits and equipment operating at less than 50 V or for remote-control, signaling power-limited circuits.
- B. RO: Reverse osmosis.
- C. TSS: Total suspended solids are solid materials, including organic and inorganic, that are suspended in the water. These solids may include silt, plankton, and industrial wastes.

#### 1.4 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: Include rated capacities, operating characteristics, and furnished specialties and accessories for the following products:
  - 1. Bypass feeders.
  - 2. Chemical material safety data sheets.
- B. Shop Drawings: Pretreatment and chemical treatment equipment showing tanks, maintenance space required, and piping connections to hydronic systems.
  - 1. Include plans, elevations, sections, and attachment details.
  - 2. Include diagrams for power, signal, and control wiring.

## 1.5 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Water Analysis Provider Qualifications: Verification of experience and capability of HVAC water-treatment service provider.
- B. Field quality-control reports.
- C. Other Informational Submittals:
  - 1. Water-Treatment Program: Written sequence of operation on an annual basis for the application equipment required to achieve water quality defined in "Performance Requirements" Article.
  - 2. Water Analysis: Illustrate water quality available at Project site.

## 1.6 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS

- A. Operation and Maintenance Data: For sensors, injection pumps, and controllers to include in emergency, operation, and maintenance manuals.

## 1.7 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. HVAC Water-Treatment Service Provider Qualifications: An experienced HVAC water-treatment service provider capable of analyzing water qualities, installing water-treatment equipment, and applying water treatment as specified in this Section.

## 1.8 MAINTENANCE SERVICE

- A. Scope of Maintenance Service: Provide chemicals and service program to maintain water conditions required above to inhibit corrosion and scale formation for hydronic piping and equipment. Services and chemicals shall be provided for a period of one year from date of Substantial Completion and shall include the following:
  - 1. Initial water analysis and HVAC water-treatment recommendations.
  - 2. Startup assistance for Contractor to flush the systems, clean with detergents, and initially fill systems with required chemical treatment prior to operation.
  - 3. Periodic field service and consultation.
  - 4. Customer report charts and log sheets.
  - 5. Laboratory technical analysis.
  - 6. Analyses and reports of all chemical items concerning safety and compliance with government regulations.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

## 2.1 MANUFACTURERS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:

1. Aqua-Chem, Inc.
2. Cascade Water Services, Inc.
3. Metro Group, Inc. (The).
4. Watcon, Inc.
5. Water Services Inc.

## 2.2 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Water quality for hydronic systems shall minimize corrosion, scale buildup, and biological growth for optimum efficiency of hydronic equipment without creating a hazard to operating personnel or the environment.
- B. Base HVAC water treatment on quality of water available at Project site, hydronic system equipment material characteristics and functional performance characteristics, operating personnel capabilities, and requirements and guidelines of authorities having jurisdiction.
- C. Closed hydronic systems, including hot-water, chilled water and dual temperature shall have the following water qualities:
  1. pH: Maintain a value within 9.0 to 10.5.
  2. "P" Alkalinity: Maintain a value within 100 to 500 ppm.
  3. Boron: Maintain a value within 100 to 200 ppm.
  4. Chemical Oxygen Demand: Maintain a maximum value of 100 ppm.
  5. Soluble Copper: Maintain a maximum value of 0.20 ppm.
  6. TSS: Maintain a maximum value of 10 ppm.
  7. Ammonia: Maintain a maximum value of 20 ppm.
  8. Free Caustic Alkalinity: Maintain a maximum value of 20 ppm.
  9. Microbiological Limits:
    - a. Total Aerobic Plate Count: Maintain a maximum value of 1000 organisms/mL.
    - b. Total Anaerobic Plate Count: Maintain a maximum value of 100 organisms/mL.
    - c. Nitrate Reducers: Maintain a maximum value of 100 organisms/mL.
    - d. Sulfate Reducers: Maintain a maximum value of zero organisms/mL.
    - e. Iron Bacteria: Maintain a maximum value of zero organisms/mL.

## 2.3 MANUAL CHEMICAL-FEED EQUIPMENT

- A. Bypass Feeders: Steel, with corrosion-resistant exterior coating, minimum 3-1/2-inch fill opening in the top, and NPS 3/4 bottom inlet and top side outlet. Quarter turn or threaded fill cap with gasket seal and diaphragm to lock the top on the feeder when exposed to system pressure in the vessel.
  1. Capacity: 10 gal..
  2. Minimum Working Pressure: 175 psig.

## 2.4 CHEMICALS

- A. Chemicals shall be as recommended by water-treatment system manufacturer that are compatible with piping system components and connected equipment and that can attain water quality specified in "Performance Requirements" Article.

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

### 3.1 WATER ANALYSIS

- A. Perform an analysis of supply water to determine quality of water available at Project site.

### 3.2 INSTALLATION

- A. Install chemical application equipment on concrete bases, level and plumb. Maintain manufacturer's recommended clearances. Arrange units so controls and devices that require servicing are accessible. Anchor chemical tanks and floor-mounting accessories to substrate.
- B. Install water testing equipment on wall near water chemical application equipment.
- C. Bypass Feeders: Install in closed hydronic systems, including hot-water heating chilled water dual-temperature water and glycol cooling, and equipped with the following:
  - 1. Install bypass feeder in a bypass circuit around circulating pumps unless otherwise indicated on Drawings.
  - 2. Install test-coupon assembly in bypass circuit around circulating pumps unless otherwise indicated on Drawings.
  - 3. Install a gate or full-port ball isolation valves on inlet, outlet, and drain below the feeder inlet.
  - 4. Install a swing check on the inlet after the isolation valve.

### 3.3 CONNECTIONS

- A. Where installing piping adjacent to equipment, allow space for service and maintenance.
- B. Make piping connections between HVAC water-treatment equipment and dissimilar-metal piping with dielectric fittings. Comply with requirements in Section 232116 "Hydronic Piping Specialties."
- C. Install shutoff valves on HVAC water-treatment equipment inlet and outlet. Metal general-duty valves are specified in Section 230523.10 "Valves for HVAC Piping," Comply with requirements in Section 221119 "Domestic Water Piping Specialties" for backflow preventers required in makeup-water connections to potable-water systems.
- D. Ground equipment according to Section 260526 "Grounding and Bonding for Electrical Systems."



## 3.4 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Perform the following tests and inspections with the assistance of a factory-authorized service representative:
1. Inspect field-assembled components and equipment installation, including piping and electrical connections.
  2. Inspect piping and equipment to determine that systems and equipment have been cleaned, flushed, and filled with water, and are fully operational before introducing chemicals for water-treatment system.
  3. Place HVAC water-treatment system into operation and calibrate controls during the preliminary phase of hydronic systems' startup procedures.
  4. Do not enclose, cover, or put piping into operation until it is tested and satisfactory test results are achieved.
  5. Test for leaks and defects. If testing is performed in segments, submit separate report for each test, complete with diagram of portion of piping tested.
  6. Leave uncovered and unconcealed new, altered, extended, and replaced water piping until it has been tested and approved. Expose work that has been covered or concealed before it has been tested and approved.
  7. Cap and subject piping to static water pressure of 50 psig above operating pressure, without exceeding pressure rating of piping system materials. Isolate test source and allow test pressure to stand for four hours. Leaks and loss in test pressure constitute defects.
  8. Repair leaks and defects with new materials and retest piping until no leaks exist.
- B. Equipment will be considered defective if it does not pass tests and inspections.
- C. Prepare test and inspection reports.
- D. At four-week intervals following Substantial Completion, perform separate water analyses on hydronic systems to show that automatic chemical-feed systems are maintaining water quality within performance requirements specified in this Section. Submit written reports of water analysis advising Owner of changes necessary to adhere to "Performance Requirements" Article.
- E. Comply with ASTM D 3370 and with the following standards:
1. Silica: ASTM D 859.
  2. Acidity and Alkalinity: ASTM D 1067.
  3. Iron: ASTM D 1068.
  4. Water Hardness: ASTM D 1126.

## 3.5 DEMONSTRATION

- A. Engage a factory-authorized service representative to train Owner's maintenance personnel to adjust, operate, and maintain HVAC water-treatment systems and equipment.

END OF SECTION 232513

## SECTION 232516 - WATER TREATMENT FOR OPEN-LOOP HYDRONIC SYSTEMS

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Section includes the following HVAC water-treatment systems:
  - 1. Manual chemical-feed equipment.
  - 2. Automatic chemical-feed equipment.
  - 3. Ozone-generator biocide equipment.
  - 4. Stainless-steel pipes and fittings.
  - 5. UV biocide equipment.
  - 6. Chemical treatment test equipment.
  - 7. Chemicals.
- B. Related Requirements:
  - 1. Section 232513 "Water Treatment For Closed Loop Hydronic Systems"

#### 1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. EEPROM: Electrically erasable, programmable read-only memory.
- B. Low Voltage: As defined in NFPA 70 for circuits and equipment operating at less than 50 V or for remote-control, signaling power-limited circuits.
- C. RO: Reverse osmosis.
- D. TSS: Total suspended solids are solid materials, including organic and inorganic, that are suspended in the water. These solids may include silt, plankton, and industrial wastes.

#### 1.4 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: Include rated capacities, operating characteristics, and furnished specialties and accessories for the following products:
  - 1. Bypass feeders.
  - 2. Water meters.
  - 3. Inhibitor injection timers.

4. pH controllers.
5. TSS controllers.
6. Biocide feeder timers.
7. Chemical solution tanks.
8. Injection pumps.
9. Ozone generators.
10. UV-irradiation units.
11. Chemical test equipment.
12. Chemical material safety data sheets.

- B. Shop Drawings: Pretreatment and chemical treatment equipment showing tanks, maintenance space required, and piping connections to HVAC systems.

1. Include plans, elevations, sections, and attachment details.
2. Include diagrams for power, signal, and control wiring.

#### 1.5 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Water Analysis Provider Qualifications: Verification of experience and capability of HVAC water-treatment service provider.
- B. Field quality-control reports.
- C. Other Informational Submittals:
1. Water-Treatment Program: Written sequence of operation on an annual basis for the application equipment required to achieve water quality defined in "Performance Requirements" Article.
  2. Water Analysis: Illustrate water quality available at Project site.
  3. Passivation Confirmation Report: Verify passivation of galvanized-steel surfaces, and confirm this observation in a letter to Architect.

#### 1.6 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS

- A. Operation and Maintenance Data: For sensors, injection pumps, and controllers to include in emergency, operation, and maintenance manuals.

#### 1.7 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. HVAC Water-Treatment Service Provider Qualifications: An experienced HVAC water-treatment service provider capable of analyzing water qualities, installing water-treatment equipment, and applying water treatment as specified in this Section.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

## 2.1 MANUFACTURERS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
1. Anderson Chemical Company.
  2. Aqua-Chem, Inc.
  3. Cascade Water Services, Inc.
  4. Metro Group, Inc. (The).
  5. Nalco; an Ecolab company.
  6. Water Services Inc.

## 2.2 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Water quality for HVAC systems shall minimize corrosion, scale buildup, and biological growth for optimum efficiency of equipment without creating a hazard to operating personnel or the environment.
- B. Base HVAC water treatment on quality of water available at Project site, HVAC system equipment material characteristics and functional performance characteristics, operating personnel capabilities, and requirements and guidelines of authorities having jurisdiction.
- C. Open HVAC systems, including condenser water, shall have the following water qualities:
1. pH: Maintain a value within 8.0 to 9.1.
  2. "P" Alkalinity: Maintain a maximum value of 100 ppm.
  3. Chemical Oxygen Demand: Maintain a maximum value of 100 ppm.
  4. Soluble Copper: Maintain a maximum value of 0.20 ppm.
  5. TSS: Maintain a maximum value of 10 ppm.
  6. Ammonia: Maintain a maximum value of 20 ppm.
  7. Free "OH" Alkalinity: Maintain a maximum value of zero ppm.
  8. Microbiological Limits:
    - a. Total Aerobic Plate Count: Maintain a maximum value of 10,000 organisms/mL.
    - b. Total Anaerobic Plate Count: Maintain a maximum value of 1000 organisms/mL.
    - c. Nitrate Reducers: Maintain a maximum value of 100 organisms/mL.
    - d. Sulfate Reducers: Maintain a maximum value of zero organisms/mL.
    - e. Iron Bacteria: Maintain a maximum value of zero organisms/mL.
  9. Polymer Testable: Maintain a minimum value within 10 to 40.
  10. .
- D. Passivation for Galvanized Steel: For the first 60 days of operation.
1. pH: Maintain a value within 7 to 8.
  2. Calcium Carbonate Hardness: Maintain a value within 100 to 300 ppm.

3. Calcium Carbonate Alkalinity: Maintain a value within 100 to 300 ppm.

## 2.3 MANUAL CHEMICAL-FEED EQUIPMENT

- A. Bypass Feeders: Steel, with corrosion-resistant exterior coating, minimum 3-1/2-inch fill opening in the top, and NPS 3/4 bottom inlet and top side outlet. Quarter turn or threaded fill cap with gasket seal and diaphragm to lock the top on the feeder when exposed to system pressure in the vessel.
  1. Capacity: 10 gal..
  2. Minimum Working Pressure: 175 psig.

## 2.4 AUTOMATIC CHEMICAL-FEED EQUIPMENT

- A. Water Meter:
  1. AWWA C701, turbine-type, totalization meter.
  2. Body: Bronze.
  3. Minimum Working-Pressure Rating: 150 psig.
  4. Maximum Pressure Loss at Design Flow: 3 psig.
  5. Registration: Gallons or cubic feet.
  6. End Connections: Flanged.
  7. Controls: Flow-control switch with normally open contacts; rated for maximum 10 A, 250-V ac, and that will close at adjustable increments of total flow.
  8. Electrical Components, Devices, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.
- B. Inhibitor Injection Timers:
  1. Microprocessor-based controller with digital display in NEMA 250, Type 12 enclosure with gasketed and lockable door.
  2. Programmable timers with infinite adjustment over full range, and mounted in cabinet with hand-off-auto switches and status lights.
  3. Test switch.
  4. Hand-off-auto switch for chemical pump.
  5. Illuminated legend to indicate feed when pump is activated.
  6. Programmable lockout timer with indicator light. Lockout timer to deactivate the pump and activate alarm circuits.
  7. Digital display makeup totalizer to measure amount of makeup and bleed-off water from two water meter inputs.
  8. Electrical Components, Devices, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.
- C. pH Controller:

1. Microprocessor-based controller, 1 percent accuracy in a range from zero to 14 units. Incorporate solid-state integrated circuits and digital display in NEMA 250, Type 12 enclosure with gasketed and lockable door.
2. Digital display and touch pad for input.
3. Sensor probe adaptable to sample stream manifold.
4. High, low, and normal pH indication.
5. High- or low-pH-alarm-light trip points, field adjustable; with silence switch.
6. Hand-off-auto switch for acid pump.
7. Internal adjustable hysteresis or deadband.
8. Electrical Components, Devices, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.

D. TSS Controller:

1. Microprocessor-based controller, 1 percent accuracy in a range from zero to 5000 micromhos. Incorporate solid-state integrated circuits and digital display in NEMA 250, Type 12 enclosure with gasketed and lockable door.
2. Digital display and touch pad for input.
3. Sensor probe adaptable to sample stream manifold.
4. High, low, and normal conductance indication.
5. High- or low-conductance-alarm-light trip points, field adjustable; with silence switch.
6. Hand-off-auto switch for solenoid bleed-off valve.
7. Bleed-off valve activated indication.
8. Internal adjustable hysteresis or deadband.
9. Bleed Valves:
  - a. Cooling Systems: Forged-brass body, globe pattern, general-purpose solenoid with continuous-duty coil, or motorized valve.
  - b. Steam Boilers: Motorized ball valve, steel body, and TFE seats and seals.

E. Biocide Feeder Timer:

1. Microprocessor-based controller with digital display in NEMA 250, Type 12 enclosure with gasketed and lockable door.
2. 24-hour timer with 14-day skip feature to permit activation any hour of day.
3. Precision, solid-state, bleed-off lockout timer and clock-controlled biocide pump timer. Prebleed and bleed lockout timers.
4. Solid-state alternator to enable use of two different formulations.
5. 24-hour display of time of day.
6. 14-day display of day of week.
7. Battery backup so clock is not disturbed by power outages.
8. Hand-off-auto switches for biocide pumps.
9. Biocide A and Biocide B pump running indication.

F. Chemical Solution Tanks:

1. Chemical-resistant reservoirs fabricated from high-density opaque polyethylene with minimum 110 percent containment vessel.
2. Molded cover with recess for mounting pump.

3. Capacity: 30 gal..

G. Chemical Solution Injection Pumps:

1. Self-priming, positive displacement; rated for intended chemical with minimum 25 percent safety factor for design pressure and temperature.
2. Adjustable flow rate.
3. Metal and thermoplastic construction.
4. Built-in relief valve.
5. Fully enclosed, continuous-duty, single-phase motor. Comply with requirements in Section 230513 "Common Motor Requirements for HVAC Equipment."
6. Electrical Components, Devices, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.

H. Chemical Solution Tubing: Polyethylene tubing with compression fittings and joints except ASTM A 269, Type 304, stainless steel for steam boiler injection assemblies.

I. Injection Assembly:

1. Quill: Minimum NPS 1/2 with insertion length sufficient to discharge into at least 25 percent of pipe diameter.
2. Ball Valve: Two-piece stainless steel as described in "Stainless-Steel Pipes and Fittings" Article; selected to fit quill.
3. Packing Gland: Mechanical seal on quill of sufficient length to allow quill removal during system operation.
4. Assembly Pressure/Temperature Rating: Minimum 600 psig at 200 deg F.

## 2.5 STAINLESS-STEEL PIPES AND FITTINGS

- A. Stainless-Steel Tubing: Comply with ASTM A 269, Type 316.
- B. Stainless-Steel Fittings: Comply with ASTM A 815/A 815M, Type 316, Grade WP-S.
- C. Two-Piece, Full-Port, Stainless-Steel Ball Valves: ASTM A 351/A 351M, Type 316 stainless-steel body; ASTM A 276, Type 316 stainless-steel stem and vented ball, carbon-filled TFE seats, threaded body design with adjustable stem packing, threaded ends, and 250-psig steam working-pressure rating and 600-psig cold working-pressure rating.

## 2.6 UV BIOCIDES EQUIPMENT

- A. Target Irradiation: Minimum 30,000 microwatts x s/sq. cm.
- B. Light Source Vessels:
  1. ASTM A 666, Type 304 stainless steel.
  2. Construct for minimum 150 psig at 150 deg F according to ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code, and equipped with pressure relief valve.

3. Light Source Sleeve: Quartz, with EPDM O-ring seals.
4. Light Source: Replaceable UV lamp producing a minimum target irradiation of 254-nm wavelength light.

C. Controls: Interlock with pumps to operate when water is circulating.

## 2.7 CHEMICAL TREATMENT TEST EQUIPMENT

- A. Test Kit: Manufacturer-recommended equipment and chemicals in a wall-mounting cabinet for testing pH, TSS, inhibitor, chloride, alkalinity, and hardness; sulfite and testable polymer tests for high-pressure boilers, and oxidizing biocide test for open cooling systems.
- B. Corrosion Test-Coupon Assembly: Constructed of corrosive-resistant material, complete with piping, valves, and mild steel and copper coupons. Locate copper coupon downstream from mild steel coupon in the test-coupon assembly.
  1. Four-station rack for open systems.

## 2.8 CHEMICALS

- A. Chemicals shall be as recommended by water-treatment system manufacturer that are compatible with piping system components and connected equipment and that can attain water quality specified in "Performance Requirements" Article.

# PART 3 - EXECUTION

## 3.1 WATER ANALYSIS

- A. Perform an analysis of supply water to determine quality of water available at Project site.

## 3.2 INSTALLATION

- A. Install chemical application equipment on concrete bases, level and plumb. Maintain manufacturer's recommended clearances. Arrange units so controls and devices that require servicing are accessible. Anchor chemical tanks and floor-mounting accessories to substrate.
- B. Install water testing equipment on wall near water chemical application equipment.
- C. Install interconnecting control wiring for chemical treatment controls and sensors.
- D. Mount sensors and injectors in piping circuits.
- E. Install automatic chemical-feed equipment for condenser water and include the following:
  1. Install water meter in makeup-water supply.
  2. Install inhibitor injection pumps and solution tanks with injection timer sensing contacts in water meter.



- a. Pumps shall operate for timed interval on contact closure at water meter in makeup-water supply connection. Injection pump shall discharge into boiler feedwater tank or feedwater supply connection at boiler.
3. Install test equipment and provide test-kit to Owner. Install test-coupon assembly in bypass circuit around circulating pumps unless otherwise indicated on Drawings.
4. Install TSS controller with sensor and bleed valves.
  - a. Bleed valves shall cycle to maintain maximum TSS concentration.
5. Install pH sensor and controller with injection pumps and solution tanks.
  - a. Injector pumps shall operate to maintain required pH.
6. Install biocide feeder alternating timer with two sets of injection pumps and solution tanks.
  - a. Injection pumps shall operate to feed biocide on an alternating basis.

### 3.3 CONNECTIONS

- A. Where installing piping adjacent to equipment, allow space for service and maintenance.
- B. Make piping connections between HVAC water-treatment equipment and dissimilar-metal piping with dielectric fittings. Comply with requirements in Section 232116 "Hydronic Piping Specialties" for dielectric fittings.
- C. Install shutoff valves on HVAC water-treatment equipment inlet and outlet. Metal general-duty valves are specified in Section 230523.11 "Valves for HVAC Piping," "
- D. Comply with requirements in Section 221119 "Domestic Water Piping Specialties" for backflow preventers required in makeup-water connections to potable-water systems.
- E. Confirm applicable electrical requirements in electrical Sections for connecting electrical equipment.
- F. Ground equipment according to Section 260526 "Grounding and Bonding for Electrical Systems."
- G. Connect wiring according to Section 260519 "Low-Voltage Electrical Power Conductors and Cables."

### 3.4 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Manufacturer's Field Service: Engage a factory-authorized service representative to test and inspect components, assemblies, and equipment installations, including connections.
- B. Perform the following tests and inspections with the assistance of a factory-authorized service representative:

1. Inspect field-assembled components and equipment installation, including piping and electrical connections.
  2. Inspect piping and equipment to determine that systems and equipment have been cleaned, flushed, and filled with water, and are fully operational before introducing chemicals for water-treatment system.
  3. Place HVAC water-treatment system into operation and calibrate controls during the preliminary phase of HVAC systems' startup procedures.
  4. Do not enclose, cover, or put piping into operation until it is tested and satisfactory test results are achieved.
  5. Test for leaks and defects. If testing is performed in segments, submit separate report for each test, complete with diagram of portion of piping tested.
  6. Leave uncovered and unconcealed new, altered, extended, and replaced water piping until it has been tested and approved. Expose work that has been covered or concealed before it has been tested and approved.
  7. Cap and subject piping to static water pressure of 50 psig above operating pressure, without exceeding pressure rating of piping system materials. Isolate test source and allow test pressure to stand for four hours. Leaks and loss in test pressure constitute defects.
  8. Repair leaks and defects with new materials and retest piping until no leaks exist.
- C. Equipment will be considered defective if it does not pass tests and inspections.
- D. Prepare test and inspection reports.
- E. For a period of one year, at four-week intervals following Substantial Completion, perform separate water analyses on HVAC systems to show that automatic chemical-feed systems are maintaining water quality within performance requirements specified in this Section. Submit written reports of water analysis advising Owner of changes necessary to adhere to "Performance Requirements" Article.
- F. Comply with ASTM D 3370 and with the following standards:
1. Silica: ASTM D 859.
  2. Acidity and Alkalinity: ASTM D 1067.
  3. Iron: ASTM D 1068.
  4. Water Hardness: ASTM D 1126.

### 3.5 MAINTENANCE SERVICE

- A. Scope of Maintenance Service: Provide chemicals and service program to maintain water conditions required above to inhibit corrosion, scale formation, and biological growth for condenser-water piping and equipment. Services and chemicals shall be provided for a period of one year from date of Substantial Completion and shall include the following:
1. Initial water analysis and hydronic water-treatment recommendations.
  2. Startup assistance for Contractor to flush the systems, clean with detergents, and initially fill systems with required chemical treatment prior to operation.
  3. Periodic field service and consultation.
  4. Customer report charts and log sheets.

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5. Laboratory technical analysis.
6. Analyses and reports of all chemical items concerning safety and compliance with government regulations.

3.6 DEMONSTRATION

- A. Engage a factory-authorized service representative to train Owner's maintenance personnel to adjust, operate, and maintain HVAC water-treatment systems and equipment.

END OF SECTION 232516

SECTION 23 29 13 - VARIABLE FREQUENCY DRIVES

PART 1 GENERAL

1.01 SECTION INCLUDES

- A. Variable frequency drives.

1.02 RELATED SECTIONS

- A. Section 23 21 23 - Hydronic Pumps.

1.03 REFERENCES

- A. Division 1 - Reference Standards: Requirements for references and standards.
- B. NEMA ICS 3.1 - Safety Standards for Construction and Guide for Selection, Installation and Operation of Adjustable-Speed Drive Systems.
- C. NEMA ICS 7 - Industrial Control and Systems: Adjustable Speed Drives.
- D. NEMA 250 - Enclosures for Electrical Equipment (1000 Volts Maximum).
- E. NETA ATS - Acceptance Testing Specifications for Electrical Power Distribution Equipment and Systems (International Electrical Testing Association).
- F. NFPA 70 - National Electrical Code.

1.04 SUBMITTALS FOR REVIEW

- A. Division 1 - Submittals: Procedures for submittals.
- B. Product Data: Provide catalog sheets showing voltage, controller size, ratings and size of switching and over current protective devices, short circuit ratings, dimensions, and enclosure details.
- C. Shop Drawings: Indicate front and side views of enclosures with overall dimensions and weights shown; conduit entrance locations and requirements; and nameplate legends.

1.05 SUBMITTALS FOR INFORMATION

- A. Division 1 - Submittals: Submittals for information.
- B. Test Reports: Indicate field test and inspection procedures and test results.

- C. Manufacturer's Instructions: Indicate application conditions and limitations of use stipulated by testing agency specified under Regulatory Requirements. Include instructions for storage, handling, protection, examination, preparation, and installation of Product.
- D. Manufacturer's Field Reports: Indicate start-up inspection findings.

#### 1.06 SUBMITTALS FOR CLOSEOUT

- A. Division 1 - Contract Closeout.
- B. Operation Data: NEMA ICS 3.1. Include instructions for starting and operating controllers, and describe operating limits that may result in hazardous or unsafe conditions.
- C. Maintenance Data: NEMA ICS 3.1. Include routine preventive maintenance schedule.
- D. Furnish two of each air filters.

#### 1.07 REGULATORY REQUIREMENTS

- A. Conform to requirements of NFPA 70.
- B. Products: Listed and classified by Underwriters Laboratories, Inc. as suitable for the purpose specified and indicated.

#### 1.08 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Division 1 - Material and Equipment: Transport, handle, store, and protect products.
- B. Accept controllers on site in original packing. Inspect for damage.
- C. Store in a clean, dry space. Maintain factory wrapping or provide an additional heavy canvas or heavy plastic cover to protect units from dirt, water, construction debris, and traffic.
- E. Handle in accordance with manufacturer's written instructions. Lift only with lugs provided for the purpose. Handle carefully to avoid damage to components, enclosure, and finish.

#### 1.09 MAINTENANCE SERVICE

- A. Division 1 - Contract Closeout.
- B. Provide service and maintenance of controller for two years from Date of Substantial Completion.

### PART 2 PRODUCTS

#### 2.01 MANUFACTURERS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to review and approval by the engineer and compliance with the contract document, provide products by one of the following:
1. The basis of design is Graham Danfoss series VLT.
  2. Allen Bradley
  3. Schneider Electric
  4. Eaton

## 2.02 DESCRIPTION

- A. Enclosed variable frequency controllers suitable for operating the indicated loads, in conformance with requirements of NEMA ICS 7.
- B. Select unspecified features and options in accordance with NEMA ICS 3.1.
- C. Furnish complete variable frequency VFDs as specified herein for the pumps designated on the drawing schedules to be variable speed. All standard and optional features shall be included within the VFD enclosure, unless otherwise specified. VFD shall be housed in a metal NEMA 1 enclosure, or other NEMA type according to the installation and operating conditions at the job site. The VFD's UL listing shall allow mounting in plenum or other air handling compartments. If a NEMA 12 enclosure is required for the plenum rating, the manufacturer must supply a NEMA 12 rated VFD. VFD's used out doors must be in a NEMA 4x rated enclosure.
- D. The VFD shall convert incoming fixed frequency three-phase AC power into a variable frequency and voltage for controlling the speed of three-phase AC motors. The motor current shall closely approximate a sine wave. Motor voltage shall be varied with frequency to maintain desired motor magnetization current suitable for centrifugal pump and fan control and to eliminate the need for motor derating.
- E. With the motor's rated voltage applied to the VFD input, the VFD shall allow the motor to produce full rated power at rated amps, RMS fundamental volts, and speed without using the motor's service factor. VFDs utilizing sine weighted/coded modulation (with or without 3<sup>rd</sup> harmonic injection) must provide data verifying that the motors will not draw more than full load current during full load and full speed operation.
- F. The VFD shall include an input full-wave bridge rectifier and maintain a fundamental power factor near unity regardless of speed or load.
- G. The VFD and options shall be tested to ANSI/UL Standard 508. The complete VFD, including all specified options, shall be assembled by the manufacturer, which shall be UL-508 certified for the building and assembly of option panels. Assembly of the option panels by a third-party panel shop is not acceptable. The appropriate UL stickers shall be applied to both the VFD and option panel, in the case where these are not contained in one panel. When these VFDs are to be located in Canada, CSA or C-UL certifications shall apply. Both VFD and option panel shall be manufactured in ISO 9001 certified facilities.
- H. The VFD shall have DC link reactors on both the positive and negative rails of the DC bus to minimize power line harmonics. VFDs without DC link reactors shall provide a minimum 3% impedance line reactor.

- I. The VFD's full load amp rating shall meet or exceed NEC Table 430-150. The VFD shall be able to provide full rated output current continuously, 110% of rated current for 60 seconds and 160% of rated current for up to 0.5 second while starting.
- J. The VFD shall be able to provide full torque at any selected frequency from 28 Hz to base speed to allow driving direct drive fans without derating.
- K. An automatic energy optimization selection feature shall be provided standard in the VFD. This feature shall automatically and continually monitor the motor's speed and load and adjust the applied voltage to maximize energy savings and provide up to an additional 3% to 10% energy savings.
- L. Input and output power circuit switching shall be able to be accomplished without interlocks or damage to the VFD. Switching rate may be up to 1 time per minute on the input and unlimited on the output.
- M. An automatic motor adaptation test algorithm shall measure motor stator resistance and reactance to optimize performance and efficiency. It shall not be necessary to run the motor or de-couple the motor from the load to run the test.
- N. Galvanic and/or optical isolation shall be provided between the VFD's power circuitry and control circuitry to ensure operator safety and to protect connected electronic control equipment from damage caused by voltage spikes, current surges, and ground loop currents. VFDs not including either galvanic or optical isolation on both analog I/O and discrete I/O shall include additional isolation modules.
- O. VFD shall minimize the audible motor noise through the used of an adjustable carrier frequency. The carrier frequency shall be automatically adjusted to optimize motor and VFD efficiencies while reducing motor noise.

### 2.03 PROTECTIVE FEATURES

- A. A minimum of Class 20 I<sup>2</sup>t electronic motor overload protection for single motor applications and thermal-mechanical overloads for multiple motor applications shall be provided.
- B. Protection against input transients, loss of AC line phase, output short circuit, output ground fault, over voltage, under voltage, VFD over temperature and motor over temperature. The VFD shall display all faults in plain English. Codes are not acceptable.
- C. Protect VFD from sustained power or phase loss. The VFD shall provide full rated output with an input voltage as low as 90% of the nominal. The VFD will continue to operate with reduced output with an input voltage as low as 164 V AC for 208/230 volt units, and 313 V AC for 460 volt units.
- D. The VFD shall incorporate a motor preheat circuit to keep the motor warm and prevent condensation build up in the stator.
- E. VFD package shall include semi-conductor rated input fuses to protect power components.

- F. To prevent breakdown of the motor winding insulation, the VFD shall be designed to comply with IEC Part 34-17. Otherwise the VFD manufacturer must ensure that inverter rated motors are supplied.
- G. VFD shall include a “signal loss detection” circuit to sense the loss of an analog input signal such as 4 to 20 mA or 2 to 10 V DC, and shall be programmable to react as desired in such an instance.
- H. VFD shall function normally when the keypad is removed while the VFD is running and continue to follow remote commands. No warnings or alarms shall be issued as a result of removing the keypad.
- I. VFD shall catch a rotating motor operating forward or reverse up to full speed.
- J. VFD shall be rated for 100,000 amp interrupting capacity (AIC).
- K. VFD shall include current sensors on all three output phases to detect and report phase loss to the motor. The VFD will identify which of the output phases is low or lost.
- L. VFD shall continue to operate without faulting until input voltage reaches 300 V AC on 208/230 volt VFDs, and 539 V AC on 460 volt VFDs.
- M. All three pole variable frequency controllers (VFD) either integral to equipment or field supplied shall contain voltage fault protection specifically designed to protect all motors and all other 3 phase loads, and associated control circuits from failure or damage due to voltage unbalance, over/under voltage, phase loss, reversal, incorrect sequencing and rapid short cycling.” The VFD shall be arranged to monitor critical faults including phase loss or reversal, and when detected, de-energize the load. It shall monitor non-critical faults including high/low voltage, voltage unbalance and when detected, after a time delay de-energize the load.”

## 2.04 INTERFACE

## FEATURES

- A. Hand/Start, Off/Stop and Auto/Start selector switches shall be provided to start and stop the VFD and determine the speed reference.
- B. The VFD shall be able to be programmed to provide a 24 V DC output signal to indicate that the VFD is in Auto/Remote mode.
- C. The VFD shall provide digital manual speed control. Potentiometers are not acceptable.
- D. Lockable, alphanumeric backlit display keypad can be remotely mounted up to 10 feet away using standard 9-pin cable.
- E. The keypads for all sizes of VFDs shall be identical and interchangeable.
- F. To set up multiple VFDs, it shall be possible to upload all setup parameters to the VFD’s keypad, place that keypad on all other VFDs in turn and download the setup parameters to each VFD. To facilitate setting up VFDs of various sizes, it shall be possible to download from the keypad only size independent parameters.



- G. Display shall be programmable to display in 9 languages including English, Spanish and French.
- H. The display shall have four lines, with 20 characters on three lines and eight large characters on one line.
- I. A red FAULT light, a yellow WARNING light and a green POWER-ON light shall be provided. These indications shall be visible both on the keypad and on the VFD when the keypad is removed.
- J. A quick setup menu with factory preset typical HVAC parameters shall be provided on the VFD eliminating the need for macros.
- K. The VFD shall include a standard RS-485 communications port and capabilities to be connected at a future date to a Johnson Controls N2 Metasys or Siemens FLN system at no additional cost to the owner. The connection shall be software selectable by the user.
- L. As a minimum, the following points shall be controlled and/or accessible:
  - 1. VFD Start/Stop
  - 2. Speed reference
  - 3. Fault diagnostics
  - 4. Meter points
    - a. Motor power in HP
    - b. Motor power in kW
    - c. Motor kW-hr
    - d. Motor current
    - e. Motor voltage
    - f. Hours run
    - g. Feedback signal #1
    - h. Feedback signal #2
    - i. DC link voltage
    - j. Thermal load on motor
    - k. Thermal load on VFD
    - l. Heat sink temperature
  - 5. Four additional Form C 230 volt programmable relays shall be available for factory or field installation within the FD.
- M. The communication protocol shall be native BACNET, LonWorks communication shall be available for factory or field installation within the VFD.
- N. Two set-point control interface (PID control) shall be standard in the unit. VFD shall be able to look at two feedback signals, compare with two set-points and make various process control decisions.
- O. An output signal as a start command to actuate external equipment before allowing the VFD to start.

- P. The following displays shall be accessible from the control panel in actual units: Reference Signal Value in actual units, Output Frequency in Hz or percent, Output Amps, Motor HP, Motor kW, kWhr, Output Voltage, DC Bus Voltage, VFD Temperature in degrees, and Motor Speed in engineering units per application (in GPM, CFM, etc.). VFD will read out the selected engineering unit either in a linear, square or cubed relationship to output frequency as appropriate to the unit chosen.
- Q. The display shall be programmed to read in inches of water column (in-wg) for an air handler application, pressure per square inch (psi) for a pump application, and temperature (°F) for a cooling tower application.
- R. VFD shall be able to be programmed to sense the loss of load and signal a no load/broken belt warning or fault.
- S. If the temperature of the VFD's heat sink rises to 80°C, the VFD shall automatically reduce its carrier frequency to reduce the heat sink temperature. If the temperature of the heat sink continues to rise the VFD shall automatically reduce its output frequency to the motor. As the VFD's heat sink temperature returns to normal, the VFD shall automatically increase the output frequency to the motor and return the carrier frequency to its normal switching speed.
- T. The VFD shall have temperature controlled cooling fans for quiet operation and minimized losses.
- U. The VFD shall store in memory the last 10 faults and related operational data.
- V. Eight programmable digital inputs shall be provided for interfacing with the systems control and safety interlock circuitry.
- W. Two programmable relay outputs, one Form C 240 V AC, one Form A 30 V AC, shall be provided for remote indication of VFD status.
- X. Three programmable analog inputs shall be provided and shall accept a direct-or-reverse acting signal. Analog reference inputs accepted shall include two voltage (0 to 10 V DC, 2 to 10 V DC) and one current (0 to 20 mA, 4 to 20 mA) input.
- Y. Two programmable 0 to 20 mA analog outputs shall be provided for indication of VFD status. These outputs shall be programmable for output speed, frequency, current and power. They shall also be programmable to provide a selected 24 V DC status indication.
- Z. Under fire mode conditions, the VFD shall be able to be programmed to automatically default to a preset speed.

## 2.05 ADJUSTMENTS

- A. VFD shall have an adjustable carrier frequency in steps of not less than 0.1 kHz to allow tuning the VFD to the motor.

- B. Sixteen preset speeds shall be provided.
- C. Four acceleration and four deceleration ramps shall be provided. Accel and decel time shall be adjustable over the range from 0 to 3,600 seconds to base speed. The shape of these curves shall be automatically contoured to ensure no-trip acceleration and deceleration.
- D. Four current limit settings shall be provided.
- E. If the VFD trips on one of the following conditions, the VFD shall be programmable for automatic or manual reset: under voltage, over voltage, current limit and inverter overload.
- F. The number of restart attempts shall be selectable from 0 through 20 or infinitely and the time between attempts shall be adjustable from 0 through 600 seconds.
- G. An automatic "on delay" may be selected from 0 to 120 seconds.

## 2.06 BYPASS

- A. Provide a manual 3-contactor bypass consisting of a door interlocked main fused disconnect padlockable in the off position, a built-in motor starter and a four position DRIVE/OFF/BYPASS/TEST switch controlling three contactors. In the DRIVE position, the motor is operated at an adjustable speed from the VFD. In the OFF position, the motor and VFD are disconnected. In the BYPASS position, the motor is operated at full speed from the AC power line and power is disconnected from the VFD so that service can be performed. In the TEST position, the motor is operated at full speed from the AC line power while power is applied to the input of the VFD. This allows the VFD to be given an operational test while continuing to run the motor at full speed in bypass. In case of an external safety fault, a customer supplied normally closed dry contact shall be able to stop the motor whether in DRIVE or BYPASS mode.
- B. Service personnel shall be able to defeat the main power disconnect and open the bypass enclosure without disconnecting power. This shall be accomplished through the use of a specially designed tool and mechanism while meeting all local and national code requirements for safety.
- C. Bypass shall only be required for applications where equipment is stand alone. Such as an air handling unit or roof top AC unit. For application where redundant pumps, fans or other equipment and the standby equipment utilizes a VFD bypass is not required.

## 2.07 SERVICE CONDITIONS

- A. Ambient temperature, -10 to 40°C (14 to 104°F).
- B. 0 to 95% relative humidity, non-condensing.
- C. Elevation to 3,300 feet without derating.
- D. AC line voltage variation, -10 to +10% of nominal with full output.
- E. No side clearance shall be required for cooling of any units. All power and control wiring shall be done from the bottom.

## PART 3 EXECUTION

### 3.01 EXAMINATION

- A. Verify that surface is suitable for controller installation.
- B. Do not install controller until building environment can be maintained within the service conditions required by the manufacturer.
- C. Verify that field measurements are as indicated on shop drawings and as instructed by manufacturer.

### 3.02 INSTALLATION

- A. Section 01400 - Quality Control: Manufacturer's instructions.
- B. Install in accordance with NEMA ICS 3.1.
- C. Tighten accessible connections and mechanical fasteners after placing controller.
- D. Provide fuses in fusible switches; refer to Section 16477 for product requirements.
- E. Select and install overload heater elements in motor controllers to match installed motor characteristics.
- F. Provide engraved plastic nameplates; refer to Section 16195 for product requirements and location.
- G. Neatly type label inside each motor controller door identifying motor served, nameplate horsepower, full load amperes, code letter, service factor, and voltage/phase rating. Place in clear plastic holder.

### 3.03 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Inspect and test in accordance with NETA ATS, except Section 4.
- B. Perform inspections and tests listed in NETA ATS, Section 7.16.2.

### 3.04 MANUFACTURER'S FIELD SERVICES

- A. The manufacturer shall provide start-up commissioning of the VFD and its optional circuits by a factory certified service technician who is experienced in start-up and repair services. Sales personnel and other agents who are not factory certified shall not be acceptable as commissioning agents. Start-up services shall include checking for verification of proper operation and installation for the VFD, its options and its interface wiring to the building automation system.

### 3.05 ADJUSTING

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- A. Division 1 - Contract Closeout.
- B. Make final adjustments to installed controller to assure proper operation of load system. Obtain performance requirements from installer of driven loads.

3.06 DEMONSTRATION AND INSTRUCTIONS

- A. Division 1 - Contract Closeout:
- B. Demonstrate operation of controllers in automatic and manual modes. Furnish 2 (1) one hour training sessions on the project site with the owner, by factory authorized personal.

END OF SECTION

## SECTION 233113 - METAL DUCTS

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Section Includes:

- 1. Single-wall rectangular ducts and fittings.
  - 2. Single-wall round and flat-oval ducts and fittings.
  - 3. Sheet metal materials.
  - 4. Duct liner.
  - 5. Sealants and gaskets.
  - 6. Hangers and supports.

- B. Related Sections:

- 1. Section 230593 "Testing, Adjusting, and Balancing for HVAC" for testing, adjusting, and balancing requirements for metal ducts.
  - 2. Section 233300 "Air Duct Accessories" for dampers, sound-control devices, duct-mounting access doors and panels, turning vanes, and flexible ducts.

#### 1.3 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Delegated Duct Design: Duct construction, including sheet metal thicknesses, seam and joint construction, reinforcements, and hangers and supports, shall comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible" and performance requirements and design criteria indicated in "Duct Schedule" Article.
- B. Structural Performance: Duct hangers and supports shall withstand the effects of gravity and loads and stresses within limits and under conditions described in SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible".
- C. Airstream Surfaces: Surfaces in contact with the airstream shall comply with requirements in ASHRAE 62.1.

#### 1.4 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of the following products:

1. Liners and adhesives.
2. Sealants and gaskets.

B. Shop Drawings:

1. Fabrication, assembly, and installation, including plans, elevations, sections, components, and attachments to other work.
2. Factory- and shop-fabricated ducts and fittings.
3. Duct layout indicating sizes, configuration, liner material, and static-pressure classes.
4. Elevation of top of ducts.
5. Dimensions of main duct runs from building grid lines.
6. Fittings.
7. Reinforcement and spacing.
8. Seam and joint construction.
9. Penetrations through fire-rated and other partitions.
10. Equipment installation based on equipment being used on Project.
11. Locations for duct accessories, including dampers, turning vanes, and access doors and panels.
12. Hangers and supports, including methods for duct and building attachment.
13. Vibration isolation.

C. Delegated-Design Submittal:

1. Sheet metal thicknesses.
2. Joint and seam construction and sealing.
3. Reinforcement details and spacing.
4. Materials, fabrication, assembly, and spacing of hangers and supports.
5. Design Calculations: Calculations, including analysis data signed and sealed by the qualified professional engineer responsible for their preparation for selecting hangers and supports.

## 1.5 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

A. Coordination Drawings: Plans, drawn to scale, on which the following items are shown and coordinated with each other, using input from installers of the items involved:

1. Duct installation in congested spaces, indicating coordination with general construction, building components, and other building services. Indicate proposed changes to duct layout.
2. Suspended ceiling components.
3. Structural members to which duct will be attached.
4. Size and location of initial access modules for acoustical tile.
5. Penetrations of smoke barriers and fire-rated construction.
6. Items penetrating finished ceiling including the following:
  - a. Luminaires.
  - b. Air outlets and inlets.
  - c. Speakers.
  - d. Sprinklers.

- e. Access panels.
  - f. Perimeter moldings.
- B. Welding certificates.
- C. Field quality-control reports.

## 1.6 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. **Welding Qualifications:** Qualify procedures and personnel according to the following:
1. AWS D1.1/D1.1M, "Structural Welding Code - Steel," for hangers and supports.
  2. AWS D9.1M/D9.1, "Sheet Metal Welding Code," for duct joint and seam welding.
- B. ASHRAE/IES Compliance: Applicable requirements in ASHRAE/IES 90.1, Section 6.4.4 - "HVAC System Construction and Insulation."
- C. Construct ductwork to NFPA 90A and NFPA 90B standards. All work, materials and equipment shall comply with the latest requirements of NFPA 90A, standards and the local authorities having jurisdiction.
- D. All ductwork and fan and apparatus plenums constructed and having supported in accordance with the latest standards of the ASHRAE Guide and the Sheet Metal and Air Conditioning Contractors National Association (SMACNA).
- E. Bracing, gauges, and supports indicated in SMACNA manuals are the minimum acceptable. Additional bracing or supports shall be installed to eliminate any distortion or vibration when the systems are operating or under tests.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

### 2.1 General

- A. General: Non-combustible or conforming to requirements for Class 1 air duct materials, or UL 181.
- B. Galvanized Steel Ducts: ASTM A525 and ASTM A527 galvanized steel sheet, lock-forming quality, having zinc coating of 1.25 oz per sq ft for each side in conformance with ASTM A90.
- C. Dissimilar Metals: Separate connections between dissimilar metals with Dielectric Insulation. Joints between dissimilar metal duct sections to be made with Companion flanges separated by a Neoprene gasket.
- D. Fasteners: Rivets, bolts, screws, and other hardware used in the sheet metal construction to be constructed of materials identical or similar to the duct material to prevent galvanic corrosion.
- E. Sealant: Non-hardening, water resistant, fire resistive, compatible with mating materials; liquid used alone or with tape, or heavy mastic as manufactured by 3M Company EC-800.



- F. Hanger Rod: Steel, galvanized; threaded both ends, threaded one end, or continuously threaded.

## **2.2 SINGLE-WALL RECTANGULAR DUCTS AND FITTINGS**

- A. General Fabrication Requirements: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible" based on indicated static-pressure class unless otherwise indicated.
- B. Transverse Joints: Select joint types and fabricate according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Figure 2-1, "Rectangular Duct/Transverse Joints," for static-pressure class, applicable sealing requirements, materials involved, duct-support intervals, and other provisions in SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible."
- C. Longitudinal Seams: Select seam types and fabricate according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Figure 2-2, "Rectangular Duct/Longitudinal Seams," for static-pressure class, applicable sealing requirements, materials involved, duct-support intervals, and other provisions in SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible."
- D. Elbows, Transitions, Offsets, Branch Connections, and Other Duct Construction: Select types and fabricate according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Chapter 4, "Fittings and Other Construction," for static-pressure class, applicable sealing requirements, materials involved, duct-support intervals, and other provisions in SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible."

## **2.3 SINGLE-WALL ROUND AND FLAT-OVAL DUCTS AND FITTINGS**

- A. General Fabrication Requirements: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Chapter 3, "Round, Oval, and Flexible Duct," based on indicated static-pressure class unless otherwise indicated.
- B. Provide products from one of the following manufactures
1. McGill Airflow LLC
  2. Zen Industries
  3. Lindab
  4. Spiral Manufacturing Co. Inc
- C. Flat-Oval Ducts: Indicated dimensions are the duct width (major dimension) and diameter of the round sides connecting the flat portions of the duct (minor dimension).
- D. Transverse Joints: Select joint types and fabricate according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Figure 3-1, "Round Duct Transverse Joints," for static-pressure class, applicable sealing requirements, materials involved, duct-support intervals, and other provisions in SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible."
1. Transverse Joints in Ducts Larger Than 60 Inches in Diameter: Flanged.

- E. Longitudinal Seams: Select seam types and fabricate according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Figure 3-2, "Round Duct Longitudinal Seams," for static-pressure class, applicable sealing requirements, materials involved, duct-support intervals, and other provisions in SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible."
1. Fabricate round ducts larger than 90 inches in diameter with butt-welded longitudinal seams.
  2. Fabricate flat-oval ducts larger than 72 inches in width (major dimension) with butt-welded longitudinal seams.
- F. Tees and Laterals: Select types and fabricate according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Figure 3-5, "90 Degree Tees and Laterals," and Figure 3-6, "Conical Tees," for static-pressure class, applicable sealing requirements, materials involved, duct-support intervals, and other provisions in SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible."

## **2.4 SHEET METAL MATERIALS**

- A. General Material Requirements: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible" for acceptable materials, material thicknesses, and duct construction methods unless otherwise indicated. Sheet metal materials shall be free of pitting, seam marks, roller marks, stains, discolorations, and other imperfections.
- B. Galvanized Sheet Steel: Comply with ASTM A 653/A 653M.
1. Galvanized Coating Designation: G90.
  2. Finishes for Surfaces Exposed to View: Mill phosphatized.
- C. PVC-Coated, Galvanized Sheet Steel: Comply with ASTM A 653/A 653M.
1. Galvanized Coating Designation: G90.
  2. Minimum Thickness for Factory-Applied PVC Coating: 4 mils thick on sheet metal surface of ducts and fittings exposed to corrosive conditions, and minimum 1 mil thick on opposite surface.
  3. Coating Materials: Acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction for use on ducts listed and labeled by an NRTL for compliance with UL 181, Class 1.
- D. Carbon-Steel Sheets: Comply with ASTM A 1008/A 1008M, with oiled, matte finish for exposed ducts.
- E. Stainless-Steel Sheets: Comply with ASTM A 480/A 480M, Type 316, as indicated in the "Duct Schedule" Article; cold rolled, annealed, sheet. Exposed surface finish shall be No. 2B, No. 2D, No. 3, or No. 4 as indicated in the "Duct Schedule" Article.
- F. Aluminum Sheets: Comply with ASTM B 209 Alloy 3003, H14 temper; with mill finish for concealed ducts, and standard, one-side bright finish for duct surfaces exposed to view.
- G. Factory- or Shop-Applied Antimicrobial Coating:

1. Apply to the surface of sheet metal that will form the interior surface of the duct. An untreated clear coating shall be applied to the exterior surface.
  2. Antimicrobial compound shall be tested for efficacy by an NRTL and registered by the EPA for use in HVAC systems.
  3. Coating containing the antimicrobial compound shall have a hardness of 2H, minimum, when tested according to ASTM D 3363.
  4. Surface-Burning Characteristics: Maximum flame-spread index of 25 and maximum smoke-developed index of 50 when tested according to UL 723; certified by an NRTL.
  5. Shop-Applied Coating Color: Black OR White.
  6. Antimicrobial coating on sheet metal is not required for duct containing liner treated with antimicrobial coating.
- H. Reinforcement Shapes and Plates: ASTM A 36/A 36M, steel plates, shapes, and bars; black and galvanized.
1. Where black- and galvanized-steel shapes and plates are used to reinforce aluminum ducts, isolate the different metals with butyl rubber, neoprene, or EPDM gasket materials.
- I. Tie Rods: Galvanized steel, 1/4-inch minimum diameter for lengths 36 inches or less; 3/8-inch minimum diameter for lengths longer than 36 inches.

## 2.5 DUCT LINER

- A. Fibrous-Glass Duct Liner: Comply with ASTM C 1071, NFPA 90A, or NFPA 90B; and with NAIMA AH124, "Fibrous Glass Duct Liner Standard."
- a. Maximum Thermal Conductivity:
    - 1) Type I, Flexible: 0.27 Btu x in./h x sq. ft. x deg F at 75 deg F mean temperature.
    - 2) Type II, Rigid: 0.23 Btu x in./h x sq. ft. x deg F at 75 deg F mean temperature.
  2. Antimicrobial Erosion-Resistant Coating: Apply to the surface of the liner that will form the interior surface of the duct to act as a moisture repellent and erosion-resistant coating. Antimicrobial compound shall be tested for efficacy by an NRTL and registered by the EPA for use in HVAC systems.
  3. Solvent Water-Based Liner Adhesive: Comply with NFPA 90A or NFPA 90B and with ASTM C 916.
- B. Flexible Elastomeric Duct Liner: Preformed, cellular, closed-cell, sheet materials complying with ASTM C 534, Type II, Grade 1; and with NFPA 90A or NFPA 90B.
1. Surface-Burning Characteristics: Maximum flame-spread index of 25 and maximum smoke-developed index of 50 when tested according to UL 723; certified by an NRTL.
- C. Liner Adhesive: As recommended by insulation manufacturer and complying with NFPA 90A or NFPA 90B. **For application in damp or humid environments.**
- D. Insulation Pins and Washers:

1. Cupped-Head, Capacitor-Discharge-Weld Pins: Copper- or zinc-coated steel pin, fully annealed for capacitor-discharge welding, 0.135-inch- diameter shank, length to suit depth of insulation indicated with integral 1-1/2-inch galvanized carbon-steel washer.
  2. Insulation-Retaining Washers: Self-locking washers formed from 0.016-inch-thick galvanized steel, aluminum, or stainless steel to match ductwork; with beveled edge sized as required to hold insulation securely in place but not less than 1-1/2 inches in diameter.
- E. Shop Application of Duct Liner: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Figure 7-11, "Flexible Duct Liner Installation."
1. Adhere a single layer of indicated thickness of duct liner with at least 90 percent adhesive coverage at liner contact surface area. Attaining indicated thickness with multiple layers of duct liner is prohibited.
  2. Apply adhesive to transverse edges of liner facing upstream that do not receive metal nosing.
  3. Butt transverse joints without gaps, and coat joint with adhesive.
  4. Fold and compress liner in corners of rectangular ducts or cut and fit to ensure butted-edge overlapping.
  5. Do not apply liner in rectangular ducts with longitudinal joints, except at corners of ducts, unless duct size and dimensions of standard liner make longitudinal joints necessary.
  6. Apply adhesive coating on longitudinal seams in ducts with air velocity of 2500 fpm.
  7. Secure liner with mechanical fasteners 4 inches from corners and at intervals not exceeding 12 inches transversely; at 3 inches from transverse joints and at intervals not exceeding 18 inches longitudinally.
  8. Secure transversely oriented liner edges facing the airstream with metal nosings that have either channel or "Z" profiles or are integrally formed from duct wall. Fabricate edge facings at the following locations:
    - a. Fan discharges.
    - b. Intervals of lined duct preceding unlined duct.
    - c. Upstream edges of transverse joints in ducts where air velocities are higher than 2500 fpm or where indicated.
  9. Terminate inner ducts with buildouts attached to fire-damper sleeves, dampers, turning vane assemblies, or other devices. Fabricated buildouts (metal hat sections) or other buildout means are optional; when used, secure buildouts to duct walls with bolts, screws, rivets, or welds.

## 2.6 SEALANT AND GASKETS

- A. General Sealant and Gasket Requirements: Surface-burning characteristics for sealants and gaskets shall be a maximum flame-spread index of 25 and a maximum smoke-developed index of 50 when tested according to UL 723; certified by an NRTL.
- B. Two-Part Tape Sealing System:
1. Tape: Woven cotton fiber impregnated with mineral gypsum and modified acrylic/silicone activator to react exothermically with tape to form hard, durable, airtight seal.

2. Tape Width: 4 inches.
3. Sealant: Modified styrene acrylic.
4. Water resistant.
5. Mold and mildew resistant.
6. Maximum Static-Pressure Class: 10-inch wg, positive and negative.
7. Service: Indoor and outdoor.
8. Service Temperature: Minus 40 to plus 200 deg F.
9. Substrate: Compatible with galvanized sheet steel (both PVC coated and bare), stainless steel, or aluminum.

C. Water-Based Joint and Seam Sealant:

1. Application Method: Brush on.
2. Solids Content: Minimum 65 percent.
3. Shore A Hardness: Minimum 20.
4. Water resistant.
5. Mold and mildew resistant.
6. VOC: Maximum 75 g/L (less water).
7. Maximum Static-Pressure Class: 10-inch wg, positive and negative.
8. Service: Indoor or outdoor.
9. Substrate: Compatible with galvanized sheet steel (both PVC coated and bare), stainless steel, or aluminum sheets.

D. Solvent-Based Joint and Seam Sealant:

1. Application Method: Brush on.
2. Base: Synthetic rubber resin.
3. Solvent: Toluene and heptane.
4. Solids Content: Minimum 60 percent.
5. Shore A Hardness: Minimum 60.
6. Water resistant.
7. Mold and mildew resistant.
8. Maximum Static-Pressure Class: 10-inch wg, positive or negative.
9. Service: Indoor or outdoor.
10. Substrate: Compatible with galvanized sheet steel (both PVC coated and bare), stainless steel, or aluminum sheets.

E. Flanged Joint Sealant: Comply with ASTM C 920.

1. General: Single-component, acid-curing, silicone, elastomeric.
2. Type: S.
3. Grade: NS.
4. Class: 25.
5. Use: O.

F. Flange Gaskets: Butyl rubber, neoprene, or EPDM polymer with polyisobutylene plasticizer.

G. Round Duct Joint O-Ring Seals:

1. Seal shall provide maximum leakage class of 3 cfm/100 sq. ft. at 1-inch wg and shall be rated for 10-inch wg static-pressure class, positive or negative.
2. EPDM O-ring to seal in concave bead in coupling or fitting spigot.
3. Double-lipped, EPDM O-ring seal, mechanically fastened to factory-fabricated couplings and fitting spigots.

## **2.7 HANGERS AND SUPPORTS**

- A. Hanger Rods for Noncorrosive Environments: Cadmium-plated steel rods and nuts.
- B. Hanger Rods for Corrosive Environments: Electrogalvanized, all-thread rods or galvanized rods with threads painted with zinc-chromate primer after installation.
- C. Strap and Rod Sizes: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Table 5-1, "Rectangular Duct Hangers Minimum Size," and Table 5-2, "Minimum Hanger Sizes for Round Duct."
- D. Steel Cables for Galvanized-Steel Ducts: Galvanized steel complying with ASTM A 603.
- E. Steel Cables for Stainless-Steel Ducts: Stainless steel complying with ASTM A 492.
- F. Steel Cable End Connections: Cadmium-plated steel assemblies with brackets, swivel, and bolts designed for duct hanger service; with an automatic-locking and clamping device.
- G. Duct Attachments: Sheet metal screws, blind rivets, or self-tapping metal screws; compatible with duct materials.
- H. Trapeze and Riser Supports:
  1. Supports for Galvanized-Steel Ducts: Galvanized-steel shapes and plates.
  2. Supports for Stainless-Steel Ducts: Stainless-steel shapes and plates.
  3. Supports for Aluminum Ducts: Aluminum or galvanized steel coated with zinc chromate.

## **PART 3 - EXECUTION**

### **3.1 DUCT INSTALLATION**

- A. Drawing plans, schematics, and diagrams indicate general location and arrangement of duct system. Indicated duct locations, configurations, and arrangements were used to size ducts and calculate friction loss for air-handling equipment sizing and for other design considerations. Install duct systems as indicated unless deviations to layout are approved on Shop Drawings and Coordination Drawings.
- B. Install ducts according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible" unless otherwise indicated.
- C. Install ducts in maximum practical lengths and with fewest possible joints

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- D. Install factory- or shop-fabricated fittings for changes in direction, size, and shape and for branch connections. Increase duct sizes gradually, not exceeding 15 degrees divergence wherever possible; maximum 0 degrees divergence upstream of equipment and 45 degrees convergence downstream.
- E. Unless otherwise indicated, install ducts vertically and horizontally, and parallel and perpendicular to building lines.
- F. Install ducts close to walls, overhead construction, columns, and other structural and permanent enclosure elements of building.
- G. Install ducts with a clearance of 2 inch, plus allowance for insulation thickness and with sufficient space around equipment to allow normal operating and maintenance activities. Provide easements where ductwork conflicts with piping and structure. Where easements exceed 10 percent duct area, split into two ducts maintaining original duct area.
- H. Provide standard 45 degree lateral wye takeoffs unless otherwise indicated where 90 degree conical tee connections may be used.
- I. Route ducts to avoid passing through transformer vaults and electrical equipment rooms and enclosures.
- J. Where ducts pass through non-fire-rated interior partitions and exterior walls and are exposed to view, cover the opening between the partition and duct or duct insulation with sheet metal flanges of same metal thickness as the duct. Overlap openings on four sides by at least 1-1/2 inches.
- K. Where ducts pass through fire-rated interior partitions and exterior walls, install fire dampers. Comply with requirements in Section 233300 "Air Duct Accessories" for all installations as well as fire and smoke dampers.
- L. Protect duct interiors from moisture, construction debris and dust, and other foreign materials. Comply with SMACNA's "IAQ Guidelines for Occupied Buildings Under Construction," Appendix G, "Duct Cleanliness for New Construction Guidelines."
- M. Provide openings in ductwork where required to accommodate thermometers and controllers. Provide pilot tube openings where required for testing of systems, complete with metal can with spring device or screw to ensure against air leakage. Where openings are provided in insulated ductwork, install insulation material inside a metal ring.
- N. Where hanger rods must pierce ducts, provide closure plates around rods and fasten to duct using screws, rivets or welding. Seal with sealing compound.
- O. Construct T's, bends, and elbows with radius of not less than 1-1/2 times width of duct on centerline. Where not possible and where rectangular elbows are used, provide airfoil turning vanes. Where acoustical lining is indicated, provide turning vanes of perforated metal with glass fiber insulation.

- P. Where ductwork penetrates roofs or outside walls, seal the space around ductwork air tight with fire rated expanding spray foam sealer similar to 3-M Fire Block Foam. This also applies to duct roof penetrations into roof curbs.
- Q. All ductwork shall be inspected and pressure tested prior to enclosing in general construction or concealment above hung ceilings

### **3.2 INSTALLATION OF EXPOSED DUCTWORK**

- A. Protect ducts exposed in finished spaces from being dented, scratched, or damaged.
- B. Trim duct sealants flush with metal. Create a smooth and uniform exposed bead. Do not use two-part tape sealing system.
- C. Grind welds to provide smooth surface free of burrs, sharp edges, and weld splatter. When welding stainless steel with a No. 3 or 4 finish, grind the welds flush, polish the exposed welds, and treat the welds to remove discoloration caused by welding.
- D. Maintain consistency, symmetry, and uniformity in the arrangement and fabrication of fittings, hangers and supports, duct accessories, and air outlets.
- E. Repair or replace damaged sections and finished work that does not comply with these requirements.
- F. Prime ductwork and paint with one coat enamel base paint. Color as per architectural plans. All ductwork surface finish shall be treated prior to priming by "pickling" in accordance with industry standards and paint manufactures requirements.

### **3.3 DUCT SEALING**

- A. Seal ducts at a minimum to the following seal classes according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible":
  - 1. Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible."
  - 2. Outdoor, Supply-Air Ducts: Seal Class A.
  - 3. Outdoor, Exhaust Ducts: Seal Class C.
  - 4. Outdoor, Return-Air Ducts: Seal Class C.
  - 5. Unconditioned Space, Supply-Air Ducts in Pressure Classes 2-Inch wg and Lower: Seal Class B.
  - 6. Unconditioned Space, Supply-Air Ducts in Pressure Classes Higher Than 2-Inch wg: Seal Class A.
  - 7. Unconditioned Space, Exhaust Ducts: Seal Class C.
  - 8. Unconditioned Space, Return-Air Ducts: Seal Class B.
  - 9. Conditioned Space, Supply-Air Ducts in Pressure Classes 2-Inch wg and Lower: Seal Class C.
  - 10. Conditioned Space, Supply-Air Ducts in Pressure Classes Higher Than 2-Inch wg: Seal Class B.
  - 11. Conditioned Space, Exhaust Ducts: Seal Class B.



## 12. Conditioned Space, Return-Air Ducts: Seal Class C.

**3.4 HANGER AND SUPPORT INSTALLATION**

- A. Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Chapter 5, "Hangers and Supports."
- B. Building Attachments: Concrete inserts, powder-actuated fasteners, or structural-steel fasteners appropriate for construction materials to which hangers are being attached.
  - 1. Where practical, install concrete inserts before placing concrete.
  - 2. Install powder-actuated concrete fasteners after concrete is placed and completely cured.
  - 3. Use powder-actuated concrete fasteners for standard-weight aggregate concretes or for slabs more than 4 inches thick.
  - 4. Do not use powder-actuated concrete fasteners for lightweight-aggregate concretes or for slabs less than 4 inches thick.
- C. Hanger Spacing: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Table 5-1, "Rectangular Duct Hangers Minimum Size," and Table 5-2, "Minimum Hanger Sizes for Round Duct," for maximum hanger spacing; install hangers and supports within 24 inches of each elbow and within 48 inches of each branch intersection.
- D. Hangers Exposed to View: Threaded rod and angle or channel supports.
- E. Support vertical ducts with steel angles or channel secured to the sides of the duct with welds, bolts, sheet metal screws, or blind rivets; support at each floor and at a maximum interval of 16 feet.
- F. Install upper attachments to structures. Select and size upper attachments with pull-out, tension, and shear capacities appropriate for supported loads and building materials where used.
- G. Where hanger rods must pierce ducts, provide closure plates around rods and fasten to duct using screws, rivets or welding. Seal with sealing compound

**3.5 CONNECTIONS**

- A. Make connections to equipment with flexible connectors complying with Section 233300 "Air Duct Accessories."
- B. Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible" for branch, outlet and inlet, and terminal unit connections.
- C. Smoke purge supply and exhaust systems and stair pressure systems. Flexible connection shall be permitted at diffusers, a maximum of 3' long, and flexible connections are permitted at air handling equipment for vibration isolation only.
- D. **INSULATED FLEXIBLE DUCTS**

1. UL 181, Class 0, interlocking spiral of aluminum foil; fiberglass insulation; polyethylene vapor barrier film.
2. Pressure Rating: 8 inches WG positive or negative.
3. Maximum Velocity: 5000 fpm
4. Temperature Range: -20 degrees F to 250 degrees F.

### **3.6 PAINTING**

- A. Paint interior of metal ducts that are visible through registers and grilles and that do not have duct liner. Apply one coat of flat, black, latex paint over a compatible galvanized-steel primer. Paint materials and application requirements are specified in Section 099113 "Exterior Painting" and Section 099123 "Interior Painting."

### **3.7 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL**

- A. Perform tests and inspections.
- B. Leakage Tests:
  1. Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Air Duct Leakage Test Manual." Submit a test report for each test.
  2. Test the following systems:
    - a. All Ducts with a Pressure Class equal to or Higher Than 2-Inch wg: Test representative duct sections totaling no less than 25 percent of total installed duct area for each system of the designated pressure class.
    - b. All smoke purge system Ducts, including supply exhaust and return air. All stair pressurization ductwork. Test representative duct sections totaling no less than 50 percent of total installed duct area of each system.
  3. Disassemble, reassemble, and seal segments of systems to accommodate leakage testing and for compliance with test requirements.
  4. Test for leaks before applying external insulation.
  5. Conduct tests at static pressures equal to maximum design pressure of system or section being tested. If static-pressure classes are not indicated, test system at maximum system design pressure. Do not pressurize systems above maximum design operating pressure.
  6. Give seven days' advance notice for testing.
- C. Duct System Cleanliness Tests:
  1. Visually inspect duct system to ensure that no visible contaminants are present.
  2. Test sections of metal duct system, chosen randomly by Owner, for cleanliness according to "Vacuum Test" in NADCA ACR, "Assessment, Cleaning and Restoration of HVAC Systems."
    - a. Acceptable Cleanliness Level: Net weight of debris collected on the filter media shall not exceed 0.75 mg/100 sq. cm.

- D. Duct system will be considered defective if it does not pass tests and inspections.
- E. Prepare test and inspection reports.

### 3.8 DUCT CLEANING

- A. Clean ALL new and existing ductwork and equipment serving the auditorium system(s) before testing, adjusting, and balancing.
- B. Use service openings for entry and inspection.
  - 1. Create new openings and install access panels appropriate for duct static-pressure class if required for cleaning access. Provide insulated panels for insulated or lined duct. Patch insulation and liner as recommended by duct liner manufacturer. Comply with Section 233300 "Air Duct Accessories" for access panels and doors.
  - 2. Disconnect and reconnect flexible ducts as needed for cleaning and inspection.
  - 3. Remove and reinstall ceiling to gain access during the cleaning process.
- C. Particulate Collection and Odor Control:
  - 1. When venting vacuuming system inside the building, use HEPA filtration with 99.97 percent collection efficiency for 0.3-micron-size (or larger) particles.
  - 2. When venting vacuuming system to outdoors, use filter to collect debris removed from HVAC system, and locate exhaust downwind and away from air intakes and other points of entry into building.
- D. Clean the following components by removing surface contaminants and deposits:
  - 1. Air outlets and inlets (registers, grilles, and diffusers).
  - 2. Supply, return, and exhaust fans including fan housings, plenums (except ceiling supply and return plenums), scrolls, blades or vanes, shafts, baffles, dampers, and drive assemblies.
  - 3. Air-handling unit internal surfaces and components including mixing box, coil section, air wash systems, spray eliminators, condensate drain pans, humidifiers and dehumidifiers, filters and filter sections, and condensate collectors and drains.
  - 4. Coils and related components.
  - 5. Return-air ducts, dampers, actuators, and turning vanes except in ceiling plenums and mechanical equipment rooms.
  - 6. Supply-air ducts, dampers, actuators, and turning vanes.
  - 7. Dedicated exhaust and ventilation components and makeup air systems.
- E. Mechanical Cleaning Methodology:
  - 1. Clean metal duct systems using mechanical cleaning methods that extract contaminants from within duct systems and remove contaminants from building.
  - 2. Use vacuum-collection devices that are operated continuously during cleaning. Connect vacuum device to downstream end of duct sections so areas being cleaned are under negative pressure.

3. Use mechanical agitation to dislodge debris adhered to interior duct surfaces without damaging integrity of metal ducts, duct liner, or duct accessories.
4. Clean fibrous-glass duct liner with HEPA vacuuming equipment; do not permit duct liner to get wet. Replace fibrous-glass duct liner that is damaged, deteriorated, or delaminated or that has friable material, mold, or fungus growth.
5. Clean coils and coil drain pans according to NADCA 1992. Keep drain pan operational. Rinse coils with clean water to remove latent residues and cleaning materials; comb and straighten fins.
6. Provide drainage and cleanup for wash-down procedures.
7. Antimicrobial Agents and Coatings: Apply EPA-registered antimicrobial agents if fungus is present. Apply antimicrobial agents according to manufacturer's written instructions after removal of surface deposits and debris.

### **3.9 SMOKE AND HEAT DETECTOR INSTALLATION**

- A. Duct mounted smoke and heat detectors will be supplied under the Electrical Division. This Contractor to coordinate duct sizes and provide labor to install sensing probes into ductwork.

### **3.10 DUCTWORK PROTECTION**

- A. Duct work under construction or alteration shall not be left open ended during dust producing construction. All new and existing ductwork systems in the area of alteration or under construction shall be protected during construction. Open ends ducts shall be sealed with sheet metal or as approved.
- B. For unenclosed buildings ductwork shall be kept dry and water tight. Seal open ends water tight during construction to prevent water infiltration. Keep all acoustical lining dry during construction. Lining that has become wet shall be replaced. All incomplete ductwork being used to condition spaces in phase I or phase II that will be completed under a later phase must be protected from being internally contaminated by construction dust. All returns opening must have filters placed over them to prevent dust from being returned to the unit.

### **3.11 DUCT SCHEDULE**

- A. Fabricate ducts with galvanized sheet steel except as otherwise indicated and as follows:
  1. Underground Ducts: Concrete-encased, PVC-coated, galvanized sheet steel with thicker coating on duct exterior, stainless steel, fiberglass
- B. Duct Pressure class;
  1. All duct systems shall be constructed to have a pressure classification based on the maximum static pressure (positive or negative) developed by the air handling apparatus connected to the ductwork system. Unless otherwise noted below, refer to the equipment schedules and equipment notes for the design operating pressure of each system. Systems with operating pressures between pressure classes shall be constructed to the next higher pressure class. OP is operating pressure.

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Pressure Classification Table							
System operating pressure (OP) in wc	OP≤1"	1"≥OP<2"	2"≥OP<3"	3"≥OP<4"	4"≥OP<6"	6"≥OP<10"	
SMACNA Construction classification	1"	2"	3"	4"	6"	10"	

2. All ductwork shall be constructed in accordance with the leakage and seal classification. Note that the leakage and seal classification required by current code is more stringent than SMACNA requirements.

Leakage and Seal Classification Table					
System operating pressure in wc			<2" low	2"≥med<3"	High≥3"
Seal Class			C	B	A
Sealing			Transverse joints	Transverse joints and seams	Transverse joints and seams and all wall penetrations
Leakage class CL factor			24	12	4
In addition to the above, any variable air volume system duct of 1" and ½" wg construction class that is upstream of the VAV boxes shall meet Seal Class C.					

C. Intermediate Reinforcement:

1. Galvanized-Steel Ducts: Galvanized steel.
2. PVC-Coated Ducts:
  - a. Exposed to Airstream: Match duct material.
  - b. Not Exposed to Airstream: Match duct material.
3. Stainless-Steel Ducts:
  - a. Exposed to Airstream: Match duct material.
  - b. Not Exposed to Airstream: Match duct material.
4. Aluminum Ducts: Aluminum or galvanized sheet steel coated with zinc chromate.

D. Liner for sound attenuation:

1. Supply, Return and exhaust air ducts: ½" inches thick.
2. Supply and return fan Plenums: 1" inches thick.
3. Transfer Ducts: 1 inch thick.
4. Ductwork down stream from VAV boxes for 10'
5. At the inlet and discharge of all fans for a distance of 20'
- 6.

## E. Elbow Configuration:

1. Rectangular Duct: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Figure 4-2, "Rectangular Elbows."
  - a. Velocity 1000 fpm or Lower:
    - 1) Radius Type RE 1 with minimum 0.5 radius-to-diameter ratio.
    - 2) Mitered Type RE 4 without vanes.
  - b. Velocity 1000 to 1500 fpm:
    - 1) Radius Type RE 1 with minimum 1.0 radius-to-diameter ratio.
    - 2) Radius Type RE 3 with minimum 0.5 radius-to-diameter ratio and two vanes.
    - 3) Mitered Type RE 2 with turning vanes complying with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Figure 4-3, "Vanes and Vane Runners," and Figure 4-4, "Vane Support in Elbows."
  - c. Velocity 1500 fpm or Higher:
    - 1) Radius Type RE 1 with minimum 1.5 radius-to-diameter ratio.
    - 2) Radius Type RE 3 with minimum 1.0 radius-to-diameter ratio and two vanes.
    - 3) Mitered Type RE 2 with turning vanes complying with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Figure 4-3, "Vanes and Vane Runners," and Figure 4-4, "Vane Support in Elbows."
2. Rectangular Duct: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Figure 4-2, "Rectangular Elbows."
  - a. Radius Type RE 1 with minimum 1.5 radius-to-diameter ratio.
  - b. Radius Type RE 3 with minimum 1.0 radius-to-diameter ratio and two vanes.
  - c. Mitered Type RE 2 with turning vanes complying with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Figure 4-3, "Vanes and Vane Runners," and Figure 4-4, "Vane Support in Elbows."
3. Round Duct: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Figure 3-4, "Round Duct Elbows."
  - a. Minimum Radius-to-Diameter Ratio and Elbow Segments: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Table 3-1, "Mitered Elbows." Elbows with less than 90-degree change of direction have proportionately fewer segments.
    - 1) Velocity 1000 fpm or Lower: 0.5 radius-to-diameter ratio and three segments for 90-degree elbow.
    - 2) Velocity 1000 to 1500 fpm: 1.0 radius-to-diameter ratio and four segments for 90-degree elbow.

- 3) Velocity 1500 fpm or Higher: 1.5 radius-to-diameter ratio and five segments for 90-degree elbow.
- 4) Radius-to Diameter Ratio: 1.5.

- b. Round Elbows, 12 Inches and Smaller in Diameter:
- c. Round Elbows, 14 Inches and Larger in Diameter:

F. Branch Configuration:

- 1. Rectangular Duct: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Figure 4-6, "Branch Connection."
  - a. Rectangular Main to Rectangular Branch: 45-degree entry.
  - b. Rectangular Main to Round Branch: Spin in.
- 2. Round and Flat Oval: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible," Figure 3-5, "90 Degree Tees and Laterals," and Figure 3-6, "Conical Tees." Saddle taps are permitted in existing duct.
  - a. Velocity 1000 fpm or Lower: 90-degree tap.
  - b. Velocity 1000 to 1500 fpm: Conical tap.
  - c. Velocity 1500 fpm or Higher: 45-degree lateral.

3.12 DUCTWORK PRESSURE TESTING

- A. All high pressure ductwork design or operated at 3wc or greater shall pressure tested in accordance with specification section 23 05 93 Testing Adjusting and Balancing.
- B. The contractor review test report results and repair or replace any sections of ductwork with and air leakage rate over 4.0

END OF SECTION 233113

## SECTION 233300 - AIR DUCT ACCESSORIES

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Section Includes:

1. Backdraft and pressure relief dampers.
2. Barometric relief dampers.
3. Manual volume dampers.
4. Control dampers.
5. Fire dampers.
6. Ceiling radiation dampers.
7. Smoke dampers.
8. Combination fire and smoke dampers.
9. Corridor dampers.
10. Flange connectors.
11. Duct silencers.
12. Turning vanes.
13. Remote damper operators.
14. Duct-mounted access doors.
15. Flexible connectors.
16. Duct security bars.
17. Duct accessory hardware.

- B. Related Requirements:

1. Section 233113 Metal Ducts
2. Section 233346 "Flexible Ducts" for insulated and non-insulated flexible ducts.
3. Section 233723 "HVAC Gravity Ventilators" for roof-mounted ventilator caps.

#### 1.3 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product.

1. For duct silencers, include pressure drop and dynamic insertion loss data. Include breakout noise calculations for high transmission loss casings.



- B. Shop Drawings: For duct accessories. Include plans, elevations, sections, details and attachments to other work.
  - 1. Detail duct accessories fabrication and installation in ducts and other construction. Include dimensions, weights, loads, and required clearances; and method of field assembly into duct systems and other construction. Include the following:
    - a. Special fittings.
    - b. Manual volume damper installations.
    - c. Control-damper installations.
    - d. Fire-damper, smoke-damper, combination fire- and smoke-damper, ceiling, and corridor damper installations, including sleeves; and duct-mounted access doors and remote damper operators.
    - e. Duct security bars.
    - f. Wiring Diagrams: For power, signal, and control wiring.

#### 1.4 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Coordination Drawings: Reflected ceiling plans, drawn to scale, on which ceiling-mounted access panels and access doors required for access to duct accessories are shown and coordinated with each other, using input from Installers of the items involved.
- B. Source quality-control reports.

#### 1.5 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS

- A. Operation and Maintenance Data: For air duct accessories to include in operation and maintenance manuals.

#### 1.6 MAINTENANCE MATERIAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Furnish extra materials that match products installed and that are packaged with protective covering for storage and identified with labels describing contents.
  - 1. Fusible Links: Furnish quantity equal to 10 percent of amount installed.

### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

#### 2.1 ASSEMBLY DESCRIPTION

- A. Comply with NFPA 90A, "Installation of Air Conditioning and Ventilating Systems," and with NFPA 90B, "Installation of Warm Air Heating and Air Conditioning Systems."
- B. Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible" for acceptable materials, material thicknesses, and duct construction methods unless otherwise

indicated. Sheet metal materials shall be free of pitting, seam marks, roller marks, stains, discolorations, and other imperfections.

## 2.2 MATERIALS

- A. Galvanized Sheet Steel: Comply with ASTM A 653/A 653M.
  - 1. Galvanized Coating Designation: G90.
  - 2. Exposed-Surface Finish: Mill phosphatized.
- B. Stainless-Steel Sheets: Comply with ASTM A 480/A 480M, Type 304, and having a No. 2 finish for concealed ducts and finish for exposed ducts.
- C. Aluminum Sheets: Comply with ASTM B 209, Alloy 3003, Temper H14; with mill finish for concealed ducts and standard, 1-side bright finish for exposed ducts.
- D. Extruded Aluminum: Comply with ASTM B 221, Alloy 6063, Temper T6.
- E. Reinforcement Shapes and Plates: Galvanized-steel reinforcement where installed on galvanized sheet metal ducts; compatible materials for aluminum and stainless-steel ducts.
- F. Tie Rods: Galvanized steel, 1/4-inch minimum diameter for lengths 36 inches or less; 3/8-inch minimum diameter for lengths longer than 36 inches.

## 2.3 BACKDRAFT AND PRESSURE RELIEF DAMPERS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. Greenheck Fan Corporation.
  - 2. Nailor Industries Inc.
  - 3. Pottorff.
  - 4. Ruskin Company.
  - 5. Buckley
- B. Description: Gravity balanced.
- C. Maximum Air Velocity: 1000 fpm.
- D. Maximum System Pressure: up to 6"wc.
- E. Frame: Hat-shaped, 0.063-inch-thick extruded aluminum, with welded corners or mechanically attached and mounting flange.
- F. Blades: Multiple single-piece blades, center pivoted, or off-center pivoted, maximum 6-inch width, 0.025-inch-thick, roll-formed aluminum or 0.050-inch-thick aluminum sheet noncombustible, tear-resistant, neoprene-coated fiberglass with sealed edges.
- G. Blade Action: Parallel.

- H. Blade Seals: Neoprene, mechanically locked.
- I. Blade Axles:
  - 1. Material: Galvanized, steel Stainless steel, or Aluminum.
  - 2. Diameter: 0.20 inch min.
- J. Tie Bars and Brackets: Aluminum or Galvanized steel.
- K. Return Spring: Adjustable tension.
- L. Bearings: Steel ball or synthetic pivot bushings.
- M. Accessories:
  - 1. Adjustment device to permit setting for varying differential static pressure.
  - 2. Counterweights and spring-assist kits for vertical airflow installations.
  - 3. Electric actuators.
  - 4. Chain pulls.
  - 5. Screen Mounting: Front mounted in sleeve.
    - a. Sleeve Thickness: 20 gage minimum.
    - b. Sleeve Length: 6 inches minimum.
  - 6. Screen Mounting: Rear mounted.
  - 7. Screen Material: Galvanized steel or Aluminum.
  - 8. Screen Type: Bird. ½ x ½ max opening
  - 9. 90-degree stops.

## 2.4 BAROMETRIC RELIEF DAMPERS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. Greenheck Fan Corporation.
  - 2. Nailor Industries Inc.
  - 3. Pottorff.
  - 4. Ruskin Company.
  - 5. Buckley
- B. Suitable for horizontal or vertical mounting.
- C. Maximum Air Velocity: 1000 fpm.
- D. Maximum System Pressure: upto 6-inch wg.
- E. Frame: Hat-shaped, 0.094-inch-thick, galvanized sheet steel or 0.063-inch-thick extruded aluminum or 0.05-inch-thick stainless steel, with welded corners or mechanically attached and mounting flange.

## F. Blades:

1. Multiple, 0.025-inch-thick, roll-formed aluminum or 0.050-inch-thick aluminum sheet.
2. Maximum Width: 6 inches.
3. Action: Parallel.
4. Balance: Gravity.
5. Eccentrically pivoted or Off-center pivoted.

## G. Blade Seals: Neoprene.

## H. Blade Axles: Galvanized steel, aluminum, or Stainless steel.

## I. Tie Bars and Brackets:

1. Material: Aluminum or Galvanized steel.
2. Rattle free with 90-degree stop.

## J. Return Spring: Adjustable tension.

## K. Bearings: Synthetic, Stainless steel, Bronze.

## L. Accessories:

1. Flange on intake.
2. Adjustment device to permit setting for varying differential static pressures.

## 2.5 MANUAL VOLUME DAMPERS

## A. Standard, Steel, Manual Volume Dampers:

1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - a. Flex-Tek Group.
  - b. McGill AirFlow LLC.
  - c. Nailor Industries Inc.
  - d. Pottorff.
  - e. Ruskin Company.
  - f. Vent Products Co., Inc.
  - g. Buckley
2. Standard leakage rating, with linkage outside airstream.
3. Suitable for horizontal or vertical applications.
4. Frames:
  - a. Frame: Hat-shaped, 0.094-inch-thick, galvanized sheet steel or 0.05-inch-thick stainless steel.
  - b. Mitered and welded corners.

- c. Flanges for attaching to walls and flangeless frames for installing in ducts.
  - 5. Blades:
    - a. Multiple or single blade.
    - b. Parallel- or opposed-blade design.
    - c. Stiffen damper blades for stability.
    - d. Galvanized or Stainless-steel, 0.064 inch thick.
  - 6. Blade Axles: Galvanized steel, Stainless or steel Nonferrous metal.
  - 7. Bearings:
    - a. Oil-impregnated bronze, Molded synthetic, Oil-impregnated stainless-steel sleeve.
    - b. Dampers in ducts with pressure classes of 3-inch wg or less shall have axles full length of damper blades and bearings at both ends of operating shaft.
  - 8. Tie Bars and Brackets: Galvanized steel.
- B. Standard, Aluminum, Manual Volume Dampers:
- 1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
    - a. McGill AirFlow LLC.
    - b. Nailor Industries Inc.
    - c. Pottorff.
    - d. Ruskin Company.
    - e. Vent Products Co., Inc.
  - 2. Standard leakage rating, with linkage outside airstream.
  - 3. Suitable for horizontal or vertical applications.
  - 4. Frames: Hat-shaped, 0.10-inch-thick, aluminum sheet channels; frames with flanges for attaching to walls and flangeless frames for installing in ducts.
  - 5. Blades:
    - a. Multiple or single blade.
    - b. Parallel- or opposed-blade design.
    - c. Stiffen damper blades for stability.
    - d. Roll-Formed Aluminum Blades: 0.10-inch-thick aluminum sheet.
    - e. Extruded-Aluminum Blades: 0.050-inch-thick extruded aluminum.
  - 6. Blade Axles: Galvanized steel or Stainless steel.
  - 7. Bearings:
    - a. Oil-impregnated bronze, Molded synthetic, or Stainless-steel sleeve.
    - b. Dampers in ducts with pressure classes of 3-inch wg or less shall have axles full length of damper blades and bearings at both ends of operating shaft.
  - 8. Tie Bars and Brackets: Aluminum.

## C. Low-Leakage, Steel, Manual Volume Dampers:

1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - a. McGill AirFlow LLC.
  - b. Nailor Industries Inc.
  - c. Pottorff.
  - d. Ruskin Company.
  - e. Vent Products Co., Inc.
2. Comply with AMCA 500-D testing for damper rating.
3. Low-leakage rating, with linkage outside airstream, and bearing AMCA's Certified Ratings Seal for both air performance and air leakage.
4. Suitable for horizontal or vertical applications.
5. Frames:
  - a. U or Angle shaped.
  - b. 0.094-inch-thick, galvanized sheet steel or 0.05-inch-thick stainless steel.
  - c. Mitered and welded corners.
  - d. Flanges for attaching to walls and flangeless frames for installing in ducts.
6. Blades:
  - a. Multiple or single blade.
  - b. Parallel- or opposed-blade design.
  - c. Stiffen damper blades for stability.
  - d. Galvanized or Stainless, roll-formed steel, 0.064 inch thick.
7. Blade Axles: Galvanized steel or Stainless steel.
8. Bearings:
  - a. Oil-impregnated bronze, Molded synthetic, Oil-impregnated stainless-steel sleeve, Stainless-steel sleeve.
  - b. Dampers in ducts with pressure classes of 3-inch wg or less shall have axles full length of damper blades and bearings at both ends of operating shaft.
9. Blade Seals: Neoprene.
10. Jamb Seals: Cambered stainless steel or aluminum.
11. Tie Bars and Brackets: Galvanized steel or Aluminum.
12. Accessories:
  - a. Include locking device to hold single-blade dampers in a fixed position without vibration.

## D. Low-Leakage, Aluminum, Manual Volume Dampers:

1. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:

- a. [McGill AirFlow LLC.](#)
  - b. [Nailor Industries Inc.](#)
  - c. [Pottorff.](#)
  - d. [Ruskin Company.](#)
  - e. [Vent Products Co., Inc.](#)
2. Comply with AMCA 500-D testing for damper rating.
  3. Low-leakage rating, with linkage outside airstream, and bearing AMCA's Certified Ratings Seal for both air performance and air leakage.
  4. Suitable for horizontal or vertical applications.
  5. Frames: U or Angle-shaped, 0.10-inch-thick, aluminum sheet channels; frames with flanges for attaching to walls and flangeless frames for installing in ducts.
  6. Blades:
    - a. Multiple or single blade.
    - b. Parallel- or opposed-blade design.
    - c. Roll-Formed Aluminum Blades: 0.10-inch-thick aluminum sheet.
    - d. Extruded-Aluminum Blades: 0.050-inch-thick extruded aluminum.
  7. Blade Axles: Galvanized steel, Stainless steel.
  8. Bearings:
    - a. Oil-impregnated bronze, Molded synthetic, Oil-impregnated stainless-steel sleeve, Stainless-steel sleeve.
    - b. Dampers in ducts with pressure classes of 3-inch wg or less shall have axles full length of damper blades and bearings at both ends of operating shaft.
  9. Blade Seals: Neoprene.
  10. Jamb Seals: Cambered stainless steel, aluminum.
  11. Tie Bars and Brackets: Galvanized steel, Aluminum.
  12. Accessories:
    - a. Include locking device to hold single-blade dampers in a fixed position without vibration.
- E. Jackshaft:
1. Size: 0.5-inch diameter min.
  2. Material: Galvanized-steel pipe rotating within pipe-bearing assembly mounted on supports at each mullion and at each end of multiple-damper assemblies.
  3. Length and Number of Mountings: As required to connect linkage of each damper in multiple-damper assembly.
- F. Damper Hardware:
1. Zinc-plated, die-cast core with dial and handle made of 3/32-inch-thick zinc-plated steel, and a 3/4-inch hexagon locking nut.
  2. Include center hole to suit damper operating-rod size.
  3. Include elevated platform for insulated duct mounting.

## 2.6 CONTROL DAMPERS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
1. Arrow United Industries.
  2. Greenheck Fan Corporation.
  3. McGill AirFlow LLC.
  4. Nailor Industries Inc.
  5. Pottorff.
  6. Ruskin Company.
- B. Low-leakage rating, with linkage outside airstream, and bearing AMCA's Certified Ratings Seal for both air performance and air leakage.
- C. Frames:
1. U or Angle shaped.
  2. 0.094-inch-thick, galvanized sheet steel or 0.05-inch-thick stainless steel.
  3. Mitered and welded corners.
- D. Blades:
1. Multiple blade with maximum blade width of 6 inches.
  2. Parallel blade for non modulating application
  3. Opposed-blade design for all modulating applications
  4. Galvanized-steel, Stainless steel, Aluminum.
  5. 0.064 inch thick single skin or 0.0747-inch-thick dual skin.
  6. Blade Edging: Closed-cell neoprene.
  7. Blade Edging: Inflatable seal blade edging, or replaceable rubber seals.
- E. Blade Axles: 1/2-inch-diameter; galvanized steel, or stainless steel; blade-linkage hardware of zinc-plated steel and brass; ends sealed against blade bearings.
1. Operating Temperature Range: From minus 40 to plus 200 deg F.
- F. Bearings:
1. Oil-impregnated bronze, Molded synthetic, Oil-impregnated, stainless-steel sleeve, or Stainless-steel sleeve.
  2. Dampers in ducts with pressure classes of 3-inch wg or less shall have axles full length of damper blades and bearings at both ends of operating shaft.
  3. Thrust bearings at each end of every blade.

## 2.7 CONTROL DAMPER ACTUATORS

- A. Type: Motor operated, with or without gears, electric and electronic.
- B. Voltage:



1. 24 V.
2. Actuator shall deliver torque required for continuous uniform movement of controlled device from limit to limit when operated at rated voltage.
3. Actuator shall function properly within a range of 85 to 120 percent of nameplate voltage.

C. Construction:

1. Less Than 100 W: Fiber or reinforced nylon gears with steel shaft, copper alloy or nylon bearings, and pressed steel enclosures.
2. 100 up to 400 W: Gears ground steel, oil immersed, shaft-hardened steel running in bronze, copper alloy, or ball bearings. Operator and gear trains shall be totally enclosed in dustproof cast-iron, cast-steel, or cast-aluminum housing.
3. Greater Than 400 W: Totally enclosed reversible induction motors with auxiliary hand crank and permanently lubricated bearings.

D. Field Adjustment:

1. Spring return actuators shall be easily switchable from fail open to fail closed in the field without replacement.
2. Provide gear-type actuators with an external manual adjustment mechanism to allow manual positioning of the damper when the actuator is not powered.

E. Two-Position Actuators: Single direction, spring return or reversing type.

F. Modulating Actuators:

1. Capable of stopping at all points across full range, and starting in either direction from any point in range.
2. Control Input Signal:
  - a. Three Point, Tristate, or Floating Point: Clockwise and counter-clockwise inputs. One input drives actuator to open position, and other input drives actuator to close position. No signal of either input remains in last position.
  - b. Proportional: Actuator drives proportional to input signal and modulates throughout its angle of rotation. Suitable for zero- to 10- or 2- to 10-V dc and 4- to 20-mA signals.
  - c. Pulse Width Modulation (PWM): Actuator drives to a specified position according to a pulse duration (length) of signal from a dry-contact closure, triac sink or source controller.
  - d. Programmable Multi-Function: (Not Used)
    - 1) Control input, position feedback, and running time shall be factory or field programmable.
    - 2) Diagnostic feedback of hunting or oscillation, mechanical overload, mechanical travel, and mechanical load limit.
    - 3) Service data, including at a minimum, number of hours powered and number of hours in motion.

G. Position Feedback:

1. Equip where indicated, equip two-position actuators with limits switches or other positive means of a position indication signal for remote monitoring of open and close position.
2. Equip where indicated, equip modulating actuators with a position feedback through current or voltage signal for remote monitoring.
3. Provide a position indicator and graduated scale on each actuator indicating open and closed travel limits.

H. Fail-Safe:

1. Where indicated, provide actuator to fail to an end position.
2. Internal spring return mechanism to drive controlled device to an end position (open or close) on loss of power.
3. Batteries, capacitors, and other non-mechanical forms of fail-safe operation are acceptable only where uniquely indicated.

I. Integral Overload Protection:

1. Provide against overload throughout the entire operating range in both directions.
2. Electronic overload, digital rotation sensing circuitry, mechanical end switches, or magnetic clutches are acceptable methods of protection.

J. Damper Attachment:

1. Unless otherwise required for damper interface, provide actuator designed to be directly coupled to damper shaft without need for connecting linkages.
2. Attach actuator to damper drive shaft in a way that ensures maximum transfer of power and torque without slippage.
3. Bolt and set screw method of attachment is acceptable only if provided with at least two points of attachment.

K. Temperature and Humidity:

1. Temperature: Suitable for operating temperature range encountered by application with minimum operating temperature range of minus 20 to plus 120 deg F.
2. Humidity: Suitable for humidity range encountered by application; minimum operating range shall be from 5 to 95 percent relative humidity, non-condensing.

## 2.8 FIRE DAMPERS

A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:

1. Arrow United Industries.
2. Greenheck Fan Corporation.
3. Nailor Industries Inc.
4. Pottorff.
5. Ruskin Company.
6. Ward Industries; a brand of Hart & Cooley, Inc.

- B. Type: Dynamic; rated and labeled according to UL 555 by an NRTL.
- C. Closing rating in ducts up to 4-inch wg static pressure class and minimum 2000-fpm velocity.
- D. Fire Rating: 1-1/2 and 3 hours.
- E. Frame: Curtain type with blades inside airstream for application in duct over 24" in height. Curtain type with blades outside airstream for ducts 24" or less in height. Multiple-blade type; fabricated with roll-formed, 0.034-inch-thick galvanized steel; with mitered and interlocking corners.
- F. Mounting Sleeve: Factory- or field-installed, galvanized sheet steel.
  - 1. Minimum Thickness: 0.138 inch upto 4 SF 0.39 over 4 SF inch thick, as indicated, and of length to suit application.
  - 2. Exception: Omit sleeve where damper-frame width permits direct attachment of perimeter mounting angles on each side of wall or floor; thickness of damper frame must comply with sleeve requirements.
- G. Mounting Orientation: Vertical or horizontal as indicated.
- H. Blades: Roll-formed, interlocking, 0.034-inch- thick, galvanized sheet steel. In place of interlocking blades, use full-length, 0.034-inch-thick, galvanized-steel blade connectors.
- I. Horizontal Dampers: Include blade lock and stainless-steel closure spring.
- J. Heat-Responsive Device: Replaceable, 165 deg F rated, fusible links.

## 2.9 CEILING RADIATION DAMPERS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. Aire Technologies.
  - 2. Nailor Industries Inc.
  - 3. Pottorff.
  - 4. Prefco.
  - 5. Ruskin Company.
- B. General Requirements:
  - 1. Labeled according to UL 555C by an NRTL.
  - 2. Comply with construction details for tested floor- and roof-ceiling assemblies as indicated in UL's "Fire Resistance Directory."
- C. Frame: Galvanized sheet steel, round or rectangular, style to suit ceiling construction.
- D. Blades: Galvanized sheet steel with refractory insulation.

- E. Heat-Responsive Device: Replaceable, 165 deg F rated, fusible links.
- F. Fire Rating: 1hr for applications in assemblies up to 1 ½ hr rating. 2hr for application in assemblies of up to 3hr

## 2.10 SMOKE DAMPERS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. Greenheck Fan Corporation.
  - 2. Nailor Industries Inc.
  - 3. Pottorff.
  - 4. Ruskin Company.
- B. General Requirements: Label according to UL 555S by an NRTL.
- C. Smoke Detector: Integral, factory wired for single-point connection. Except for NYC smoke detector shall be provided by the fire alarm contractor.
- D. Frame: Hat-shaped, 0.094-inch-thick, galvanized sheet steel, with welded or mechanically attached corners and mounting flange.
- E. Blades: Roll-formed, horizontal, overlapping, 0.063-inch- thick, galvanized sheet steel.
- F. Leakage: Class I.
- G. Rated pressure and velocity to exceed design airflow conditions.
- H. Mounting Sleeve: Factory-installed, 0.05-inch- thick, galvanized sheet steel; length to suit wall or floor application with factory-furnished silicone caulking.
- I. Damper Motors: Modulating or two-position action.
- J. Comply with NEMA designation, temperature rating, service factor, enclosure type, and efficiency requirements for motors specified in Section 230513 "Common Motor Requirements for HVAC Equipment."
  - 1. Motor Sizes: Minimum size as indicated. If not indicated, large enough so driven load will not require motor to operate in service factor range above 1.0.
  - 2. Controllers, Electrical Devices, and Wiring: Comply with requirements for electrical devices and connections specified in Section 230923 "Direct Digital Control (DDC) System for HVAC."
  - 3. Permanent-Split-Capacitor or Shaded-Pole Motors: With oil-immersed and sealed gear trains.
  - 4. Spring-Return Motors: Equip with an integral spiral-spring mechanism where indicated. Enclose entire spring mechanism in a removable housing designed for service or adjustments. Size for running torque rating of 150 in. x lbf and breakaway torque rating of 150 in. x lbf.

5. Outdoor Motors and Motors in Outdoor-Air Intakes: Equip with O-ring gaskets designed to make motors weatherproof. Equip motors with internal heaters to permit normal operation at minus 40 deg F.
6. Nonspring-Return Motors: For dampers larger than 25 sq. ft., size motor for running torque rating of 150 in. x lbf and breakaway torque rating of 300 in. x lbf.
7. Electrical Connection: 115 V, single phase, 60 Hz.

K. Accessories:

1. Auxiliary switches for signaling, fan control and position indication.
2. Test and reset switches, damper or remote mounted.
3. Manual damper testing by physically depressing the low temperature thermal disc from the inside of the damper sleeve and resetting the sensor from the exterior side of the damper sleeve.
4. Dual position blade indicator switch package shall connect directly to the blade axel for positive annunciation (interconnecting arms, wire-forms, or brackets shall not be accepted) and provide full open and full closed blade indication to a remote location.
5. Dual Position Indicator Switch Package: Shall connect directly to the blade axel for positive annunciation (interconnecting arms, wire-forms, or brackets shall not be accepted) and provide full open and full closed blade indication to a remote location.
6. Duct Smoke Detector: Factory mounted in the damper sleeve with interconnecting wiring from the damper actuator to the smoke detector enabling a single power connection point for easy field wiring.

2.11 COMBINATION FIRE AND SMOKE DAMPERS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
1. Greenheck Fan Corporation.
  2. Pottorff.
  3. Ruskin Company.
- B. Type: Dynamic; rated and labeled according to UL 555 and UL 555S by an NRTL.
- C. Closing rating in ducts up to 4-inch wg static pressure class and minimum 2000-fpm velocity.
- D. Fire Rating: 1-1/2 for assemblies upto 2 hour and 3 hr rating for assemblies over 1 1/2hours.
- E. Frame: Hat-shaped, 0.094-inch-thick, galvanized sheet steel, with welded corners and mounting flange.
- F. Primary heat responsive device set at 285 deg F, resettable.
- G. Secondary heat closure device, set at 350 deg F, resettable.
- H. Smoke Detector: Integral, factory wired for single-point connection.
- I. Blades: Roll-formed, horizontal, interlocking, 0.063-inch- thick, galvanized sheet steel.

- J. Leakage: Class I.
- K. Rated pressure and velocity to exceed design airflow conditions.
- L. Mounting Sleeve: Factory-installed, 0.039-inch- thick, galvanized sheet steel; length to suit wall or floor application with factory-furnished silicone calking.
- M. Master control panel for use in dynamic smoke-management systems.
- N. Damper Motors: Modulating or two-position action.
- O. Comply with NEMA designation, temperature rating, service factor, enclosure type, and efficiency requirements for motors specified in Section 230513 "Common Motor Requirements for HVAC Equipment."
  - 1. Motor Sizes: Minimum size as indicated. If not indicated, large enough so driven load will not require motor to operate in service factor range above 1.0.
  - 2. Controllers, Electrical Devices, and Wiring: Comply with requirements for electrical devices and connections specified in Section 230923 "Direct Digital Control (DDC) System for HVAC."
  - 3. Permanent-Split-Capacitor or Shaded-Pole Motors: With oil-immersed and sealed gear trains.
  - 4. Spring-Return Motors: Equip with an integral spiral-spring mechanism where indicated. Enclose entire spring mechanism in a removable housing designed for service or adjustments. Size for running torque rating of 150 in. x lbf and breakaway torque rating of 150 in. x lbf.
  - 5. Outdoor Motors and Motors in Outdoor-Air Intakes: Equip with O-ring gaskets designed to make motors weatherproof. Equip motors with internal heaters to permit normal operation at minus 40 deg F.
  - 6. Nonspring-Return Motors: For dampers larger than 25 sq. ft., size motor for running torque rating of 150 in. x lbf and breakaway torque rating of 300 in. x lbf.
  - 7. **Electrical Connection: 115 V, single phase, 60 Hz.**
- P. Accessories:
  - A. DRS-30 Two-Temperature Fire Closure Device:
    - 1. UL classified two-temperature device permits the damper to be re-opened after initial temperature closure allowing the damper to remain operable for smoke management purposes until the high temperature limit is reached.
    - 2. Manual damper testing is permitted by physically depressing the low temperature thermal disc from the inside of the damper sleeve and resetting the sensor from the exterior side of the damper sleeve.
    - 3. Dual position blade indicator switch package shall connect directly to the blade axel for positive annunciation (interconnecting arms, wire-forms, or brackets shall not be accepted) and provide full open and full closed blade indication to a remote location.
  - B. PI-50 Dual Position Indicator Switch Package: Shall connect directly to the blade axel for positive annunciation (interconnecting arms, wire-forms, or brackets shall not be accepted) and provide full open and full closed blade indication to a remote location.

- C. Duct Smoke Detector: Factory mounted in the damper sleeve with interconnecting wiring from the damper actuator to the smoke detector enabling a single power connection point for easy field wiring.

## 2.12 FLANGE CONNECTORS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
1. CL WARD & Family Inc.
  2. Ductmate Industries, Inc.
  3. Hardcast, Inc.
  4. Ward Industries; a brand of Hart & Cooley, Inc.
- B. Description: Add-on or roll-formed, factory-fabricated, slide-on transverse flange connectors, gaskets, and components.
- C. Material: Galvanized steel.
- D. Gage and Shape: Match connecting ductwork.

## 2.13 DUCT SILENCERS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
1. Industrial Noise Control, Inc.
  2. McGill AirFlow LLC.
  3. Ruskin Company.
  4. Vibro-Acoustics.
  5. Industrial Acoustics
- B. General Requirements:
1. Factory fabricated.
  2. Fire-Performance Characteristics: Adhesives, sealants, packing materials, and accessory materials shall have flame-spread index not exceeding 25 and smoke-developed index not exceeding 50 when tested according to ASTM E 84.
  3. Airstream Surfaces: Surfaces in contact with the airstream shall comply with requirements in ASHRAE 62.1.
- C. Shape:
1. Rectangular straight with splitters or baffles.
  2. Round straight with center bodies or pods.
  3. Rectangular elbow with splitters or baffles.
  4. Round elbow with center bodies or pods.
  5. Rectangular transitional with splitters or baffles.

- D. Rectangular Silencer Outer Casing: ASTM A 653/A 653M, G90 , galvanized sheet steel, 0.040 inch thick.
- E. Round Silencer Outer Casing: ASTM A 653/A 653M, G90, galvanized sheet steel.
  - 1. Sheet Metal Thickness for Units up to 24 Inches in Diameter: 0.034 inch thick.
  - 2. Sheet Metal Thickness for Units 26 through 40 Inches in Diameter: 0.040 inch thick.
  - 3. Sheet Metal Thickness for Units 42 through 52 Inches in Diameter: 0.05 inch thick.
  - 4. Sheet Metal Thickness for Units 54 through 60 Inches in Diameter: 0.064 inch thick.
- F. Inner Casing and Baffles: ASTM A 653/A 653M, G60 galvanized sheet metal, 0.034 inch thick, and with 1/8-inch-diameter perforations.
- G. Special Construction:
  - 1. Suitable for outdoor use.
  - 2. High transmission loss to achieve STC 45.
- H. Connection Sizes: Match connecting ductwork unless otherwise indicated.
- I. Principal Sound-Absorbing Mechanism:
  - 1. Controlled impedance membranes and broadly tuned resonators without absorptive media.
  - 2. Dissipative or Film-lined type with fill material.
    - a. Fill Material: Inert and vermin-proof fibrous material, packed under not less than 15 percent compression and Moisture-proof nonfibrous material.
    - b. Erosion Barrier: Polymer bag enclosing fill, and heat sealed before assembly.
  - 3. Lining: Fiberglas cloth.
- J. Fabricate silencers to form rigid units that will not pulsate, vibrate, rattle, or otherwise react to system pressure variations. Do not use mechanical fasteners for unit assemblies.
  - 1. Joints: Lock formed and sealed or continuously welded or flanged connections.
  - 2. Suspended Units: Factory-installed suspension hooks or lugs attached to frame in quantities and spaced to prevent deflection or distortion.
  - 3. Reinforcement: Cross or trapeze angles for rigid suspension.
- K. Accessories:
  - 1. Integral 1-1/2 3-hour fire damper with access door. Access door to be high transmission loss to match silencer.
  - 2. Factory-installed end caps to prevent contamination during shipping.
  - 3. Removable splitters.
  - 4. Airflow measuring devices.
- L. Source Quality Control: Test according to ASTM E 477.



1. Testing to be witnessed by Engineer.
2. Record acoustic ratings, including dynamic insertion loss and generated-noise power levels with an airflow of at least 2000-fpm face velocity.
3. Leak Test: Test units for airtightness at 200 percent of associated fan static pressure or 6-inch wg static pressure, whichever is greater.

M. Capacities and Characteristics:

1. Configuration: Straight or 90-degree elbow as indicated on plan
2. Shape: Rectangular or Round as indicated on plan
3. Attenuation Mechanism: Acoustical glass fiber with protective film liner.
4. Maximum Pressure Drop: 0.25-inch wg.
5. Casing:
  - a. Attenuation: Standard.
  - b. Outer Material: Galvanized steel.
  - c. Inner Material: Galvanized steel.
6. Velocity Range: 500 fpm max.
7. End Connection: 1-inch slip joint or Flange.
8. Length: as per plan
9. Face Dimension:
  - a. Width: as per plan
  - b. Height: as per plan
10. Face Velocity: as per plan
11. Dynamic Insertion Loss: as per plan
12. Generated Noise: as per plan
13. Accessories:
  - a. Access door.
  - b. Birdscreen.

2.14 TURNING VANES

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  1. Aero-Dyne Sound Control Co.
  2. CL WARD & Family Inc.
  3. Ductmate Industries, Inc.
  4. Duro Dyne Inc.
  5. METALAIRE, Inc.
  6. Ward Industries; a brand of Hart & Cooley, Inc.
- B. Manufactured Turning Vanes for Metal Ducts: Curved blades of galvanized sheet steel; support with bars perpendicular to blades set; set into vane runners suitable for duct mounting.

1. Acoustic Turning Vanes: Fabricate airfoil-shaped aluminum extrusions with perforated faces and fibrous-glass fill.
- C. Manufactured Turning Vanes for Nonmetal Ducts: Fabricate curved blades of resin-bonded fiberglass with acrylic polymer coating; support with bars perpendicular to blades set; set into vane runners suitable for duct mounting.
- D. General Requirements: Comply with SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible"; Figures 4-3, "Vanes and Vane Runners," and 4-4, "Vane Support in Elbows."
- E. Vane Construction: Single wall for ducts up to 48 inches wide and double wall for larger dimensions.

## 2.15 REMOTE DAMPER OPERATORS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  1. Pottorff.
  2. Ventfabrics, Inc.
  3. Young Regulator Company.
- B. Description: Cable system designed for remote manual damper adjustment.
- C. Tubing: Copper or Aluminum.
- D. Cable: Steel.
- E. Wall-Box Mounting: Recessed.
- F. Wall-Box Cover-Plate Material: Stainless steel.

## 2.16 DUCT-MOUNTED ACCESS DOORS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  1. CL WARD & Family Inc.
  2. Ductmate Industries, Inc.
  3. Greenheck Fan Corporation.
  4. McGill AirFlow LLC.
  5. Nailor Industries Inc.
  6. Pottorff.
- B. Duct-Mounted Access Doors: Fabricate access panels according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible"; Figures 7-2, "Duct Access Doors and Panels," and 7-3, "Access Doors - Round Duct."

1. Door:
  - a. Double wall, rectangular.
  - b. Galvanized sheet metal with insulation fill and thickness as indicated for duct pressure class.
  - c. Vision panel.
  - d. Hinges and Latches: 1-by-1-inch butt or piano hinge and cam latches.
  - e. Fabricate doors airtight and suitable for duct pressure class.
2. Frame: Galvanized sheet steel, with bend-over tabs and foam gaskets.
3. Number of Hinges and Locks:
  - a. Access Doors Less Than 12 Inches Square: No hinges and two sash locks.
  - b. Access Doors up to 18 Inches Square: Two hinges and two sash locks.
  - c. Access Doors up to 24 by 48 Inches: Three hinges and two compression latches with outside and inside handles for plenum applications.
  - d. Access Doors Larger Than 24 by 48 Inches: Four hinges or Continuous and two compression latches with outside and inside handles.

C. Pressure Relief Access Door:

1. Door and Frame Material: Galvanized sheet steel.
2. Door: Double wall with insulation fill with metal thickness applicable for duct pressure class.
3. Operation: Open outward for positive-pressure ducts and inward for negative-pressure ducts.
4. Factory set at 3.0- to 8.0-inch wg.
5. Doors close when pressures are within set-point range.
6. Hinge: Continuous piano.
7. Latches: Cam.
8. Seal: Neoprene or foam rubber.
9. Insulation Fill: 1-inch-thick, fibrous-glass or polystyrene-foam board.

2.17 DUCT ACCESS PANEL ASSEMBLIES

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  1. 3M.
  2. Ductmate Industries, Inc.
  3. Flame Gard, Inc.
- B. Labeled according to UL 1978 by an NRTL.
- C. Panel and Frame: Minimum thickness 0.0528-inch carbon steel.
- D. Fasteners: Carbon steel. Panel fasteners shall not penetrate duct wall.

- E. Gasket: Comply with NFPA 96; grease-tight, high-temperature ceramic fiber, rated for minimum 2000 deg F.
- F. Minimum Pressure Rating: 10-inch wg, positive or negative.

## 2.18 FLEXIBLE CONNECTORS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. CL WARD & Family Inc.
  - 2. Ductmate Industries, Inc.
  - 3. Duro Dyne Inc.
  - 4. Elgen Manufacturing.
- B. Materials: Flame-retardant or noncombustible fabrics.
- C. Coatings and Adhesives: Comply with UL 181, Class 1.
- D. Metal-Edged Connectors: Factory fabricated with a fabric strip 3-1/2 inches or 5-3/4 inches wide attached to two strips of 2-3/4-inch-wide, 0.028-inch-thick, galvanized sheet steel or 0.032-inch-thick aluminum sheets. Provide metal compatible with connected ducts.
- E. Indoor System, Flexible Connector Fabric: Glass fabric double coated with neoprene.
  - 1. Minimum Weight: 26 oz./sq. yd..
  - 2. Tensile Strength: 480 lbf/inch in the warp and 360 lbf/inch in the filling.
  - 3. Service Temperature: Minus 40 to plus 200 deg F.
- F. Outdoor System, Flexible Connector Fabric: Glass fabric double coated with weatherproof, synthetic rubber resistant to UV rays and ozone.
  - 1. Minimum Weight: 24 oz./sq. yd..
  - 2. Tensile Strength: 530 lbf/inch in the warp and 440 lbf/inch in the filling.
  - 3. Service Temperature: Minus 50 to plus 250 deg F.
- G. High-Temperature System, Flexible Connectors: Glass fabric coated with silicone rubber.
  - 1. Minimum Weight: 16 oz./sq. yd..
  - 2. Tensile Strength: 285 lbf/inch in the warp and 185 lbf/inch in the filling.
  - 3. Service Temperature: Minus 67 to plus 500 deg F.
- H. High-Corrosive-Environment System, Flexible Connectors: Glass fabric with chemical-resistant coating.
  - 1. Minimum Weight: 14 oz./sq. yd..
  - 2. Tensile Strength: 450 lbf/inch in the warp and 340 lbf/inch in the filling.
  - 3. Service Temperature: Minus 67 to plus 500 deg F.

- I. Thrust Limits: Combination coil spring and elastomeric insert with spring and insert in compression, and with a load stop. Include rod and angle-iron brackets for attaching to fan discharge and duct.
1. Frame: Steel, fabricated for connection to threaded rods and to allow for a maximum of 30 degrees of angular rod misalignment without binding or reducing isolation efficiency.
  2. Outdoor Spring Diameter: Not less than 80 percent of the compressed height of the spring at rated load.
  3. Minimum Additional Travel: 50 percent of the required deflection at rated load.
  4. Lateral Stiffness: More than 80 percent of rated vertical stiffness.
  5. Overload Capacity: Support 200 percent of rated load, fully compressed, without deformation or failure.
  6. Elastomeric Element: Molded, oil-resistant rubber or neoprene.
  7. Coil Spring: Factory set and field adjustable for a maximum of 1/4-inch movement at start and stop.

## 2.19 DUCT ACCESSORY HARDWARE

- A. Instrument Test Holes: Cast iron or cast aluminum to suit duct material, including screw cap and gasket. Size to allow insertion of pitot tube and other testing instruments and of length to suit duct-insulation thickness.
- B. Adhesives: High strength, quick setting, neoprene based, waterproof, and resistant to gasoline and grease.

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

### 3.1 INSTALLATION

- A. Install duct accessories according to applicable details in SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards - Metal and Flexible" for metal ducts and in NAIMA AH116, "Fibrous Glass Duct Construction Standards," for fibrous-glass ducts.
- B. Install duct accessories of materials suited to duct materials; use galvanized-steel accessories in galvanized-steel and fibrous-glass ducts, stainless-steel accessories in stainless-steel ducts, and aluminum accessories in aluminum ducts.
- C. Compliance with ASHRAE/IESNA 90.1-2004 includes Section 6.4.3.3.3 - "Shutoff Damper Controls," restricts the use of backdraft dampers, and requires control dampers for certain applications. Install backdraft dampers at inlet of exhaust fans or exhaust ducts as close as possible to exhaust fan unless otherwise indicated.
- D. Install volume dampers at points on supply, return, and exhaust systems where branches extend from larger ducts. Where dampers are installed in ducts having duct liner, install dampers with hat channels of same depth as liner, and terminate liner with nosing at hat channel.
1. Install steel volume dampers in steel ducts.

2. Install aluminum volume dampers in aluminum ducts.
  3. Install stainless steel volume dampers in stainless steel ducts.
- E. Set dampers to fully open position before testing, adjusting, and balancing.
- F. Install test holes at fan inlets and outlets and elsewhere as indicated.
- G. Install fire and smoke dampers according to UL listing.
- H. Connect ducts to duct silencers rigidly.
- I. Install duct access doors on sides of ducts to allow for inspecting, adjusting, and maintaining accessories and equipment at the following locations:
1. On both sides of duct coils.
  2. Upstream from duct filters.
  3. At outdoor-air intakes and mixed-air plenums.
  4. At drain pans and seals.
  5. Downstream from manual volume dampers, control dampers, backdraft dampers, and equipment.
  6. Adjacent to and close enough to fire or smoke dampers, to reset or reinstall fusible links. Access doors for access to fire or smoke dampers having fusible links shall be pressure relief access doors and shall be outward operation for access doors installed upstream from dampers and inward operation for access doors installed downstream from dampers.
  7. At each change in direction and at maximum 50-foot spacing and the bottom of all riser in Laundry exhaust ducts.
  8. Upstream from turning vanes.
  9. Upstream or downstream from duct silencers.
  10. Control devices requiring inspection.
  11. Elsewhere as indicated.
- J. Install access doors with swing against duct static pressure.
- K. Access Door Sizes:
1. One-Hand or Inspection Access: 8 by 5 inches.
  2. Two-Hand Access: 12 by 6 inches.
  3. Head and Hand Access: 18 by 10 inches.
  4. Head and Shoulders Access: 21 by 14 inches.
  5. Body Access: 25 by 14 inches.
  6. Body plus Ladder Access: 25 by 17 inches.
- L. Label access doors according to Section 230553 "Identification for HVAC Piping and Equipment" to indicate the purpose of access door.
- M. Install flexible connectors to connect ducts to equipment.
- N. For fans developing static pressures of 5-inch wg and more, cover flexible connectors with loaded vinyl sheet held in place with metal straps.

- O. Connect terminal units to supply ducts with maximum 12-inch lengths of flexible duct. Do not use flexible ducts to change directions.
- P. Connect diffusers or light troffer boots to ducts with maximum 30-inch lengths of flexible duct clamped or strapped in place.
- Q. Connect flexible ducts to metal ducts with draw bands.
- R. Install duct test holes where required for testing and balancing purposes.
- S. Install thrust limits at centerline of thrust, symmetrical on both sides of equipment. Attach thrust limits at centerline of thrust and adjust to a maximum of 1/4-inch movement during start and stop of fans.

### 3.2 DAMPER INSTALLATION

### 3.3 CONTROL-DAMPER APPLICATIONS

- A. Control Dampers:
  - a. Use opposed blade type dampers for all modulating damper applications
  - b. Use parallel blade type damper for all open closed applications.
  - c. Damper actuation stroke time shall be adjustable
  - d. Damper position feedback is required for all dampers that are part of a smoke purge or smoke control system.

### 3.4 INSTALLATION, GENERAL

- A. Properly support dampers and actuators, wiring, and conduit to comply with requirements indicated. Brace all products to prevent lateral movement and sway or a break in attachment when subjected to a force.
- B. Provide ceiling, floor, roof, and wall openings and sleeves required by installation. Before proceeding with drilling, punching, or cutting, check location first for concealed products that could potentially be damaged. Patch, flash, grout, seal, and refinish openings to match adjacent condition.
- C. Seal penetrations made in fire-rated and acoustically rated assemblies.
- D. Fastening Hardware:
  - 1. Stillson wrenches, pliers, or other tools that will cause injury to or mar surfaces of rods, nuts, and other parts are prohibited for assembling and tightening nuts.
  - 2. Tighten bolts and nuts firmly and uniformly. Do not overstress threads by excessive force or by oversized wrenches.
  - 3. Lubricate threads of bolts, nuts, and screws with graphite and oil before assembly.

- E. Install products in locations that are accessible and that will permit calibration and maintenance from floor, equipment platforms, or catwalks. Where ladders are required for Owner's access, confirm unrestricted ladder placement is possible under occupied condition.
- F. Corrosive Environments:
  - 1. Use products that are suitable for environment to which they will be subjected.
  - 2. If possible, avoid or limit use of materials in corrosive environments, including, but not limited to, the following:
    - a. Laboratory exhaust airstreams.
    - b. Process exhaust airstreams.
  - 3. Use Type 316 stainless-steel tubing and fittings when in contact with a corrosive environment.
  - 4. When conduit is in contact with a corrosive environment, use Type 316 stainless-steel conduit and fittings or conduit and fittings that are coated with a corrosive-resistant coating that is suitable for environment.
  - 5. Where actuators are located in a corrosive environment and are not corrosive resistant from manufacturer, field install products in a NEMA 250, Type 4X enclosure constructed of Type 316L stainless steel.

### 3.5 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Tests and Inspections:
  - 1. Operate dampers to verify full range of movement.
  - 2. Inspect locations of access doors and verify that purpose of access door can be performed.
  - 3. Operate fire, smoke, and combination fire and smoke dampers to verify full range of movement and verify that proper heat-response device is installed.
  - 4. Inspect turning vanes for proper and secure installation.
  - 5. Operate remote damper operators to verify full range of movement of operator and damper.

**END OF SECTION 233300**



## SECTION 23 34 23 HVAC POWER VENTILATORS

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Section Includes:
  - 1. Utility set fans.
  - 2. Centrifugal roof ventilators.
  - 3. In-line centrifugal fans.
  - 4. Propeller fans.

#### 1.3 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Project Altitude: Base fan-performance ratings on sea level.
- B. Operating Limits: Classify according to AMCA 99.

#### 1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product indicated. Include rated capacities, operating characteristics, and furnished specialties and accessories. Also include the following:
  - 1. Certified fan performance curves with system operating conditions indicated.
  - 2. Certified fan sound-power ratings.
  - 3. Motor ratings and electrical characteristics, plus motor and electrical accessories.
  - 4. Material thickness and finishes, including color charts.
  - 5. Dampers, including housings, linkages, and operators.
  - 6. Roof curbs.
  - 7. Fan speed controllers.
- B. Shop Drawings: Include plans, elevations, sections, details, and attachments to other work.
  - 1. Detail equipment assemblies and indicate dimensions, weights, loads, required clearances, method of field assembly, components, and location and size of each field connection.
  - 2. Wiring Diagrams: For power, signal, and control wiring.

- C. Delegated-Design Submittal: For unit hangars and supports indicated to comply with performance requirements and design criteria, including analysis data signed and sealed by the qualified professional engineer responsible for their preparation.
  - 1. Vibration Isolation Base Details: Detail fabrication including anchorages and attachments to structure and to supported equipment. Include adjustable motor bases, rails, and frames for equipment mounting.
- D. Coordination Drawings: Reflected ceiling plans and other details, drawn to scale, on which the following items are shown and coordinated with each other, using input from Installers of the items involved:
  - 1. Roof framing and support members relative to duct penetrations.
  - 2. Ceiling suspension assembly members.
  - 3. Size and location of initial access modules for acoustical tile.
  - 4. Ceiling-mounted items including light fixtures, diffusers, grilles, speakers, sprinklers, access panels, and special moldings.
- E. Field quality-control reports.
- F. Operation and Maintenance Data: For power ventilators to include in emergency, operation, and maintenance manuals.

#### 1.5 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Electrical Components, Devices, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.
- B. AMCA Compliance: Fans shall have AMCA-Certified performance ratings and shall bear the AMCA-Certified Ratings Seal.
- C. UL Standards: Power ventilators shall comply with UL 705. Power ventilators for use for restaurant kitchen exhaust shall also comply with UL 762.

#### 1.6 COORDINATION

- A. Coordinate size and location of structural-steel support members.
- B. Coordinate sizes and locations of concrete bases with actual equipment provided.
- C. Coordinate sizes and locations of roof curbs, equipment supports, and roof penetrations with actual equipment provided.

#### 1.7 EXTRA MATERIALS

- A. Furnish extra materials that match products installed and that are packaged with protective covering for storage and identified with labels describing contents.

1. Belts: 2 set(s) for each belt-driven unit.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

### 2.1 UTILITY SET FANS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  1. ACME Company.
  2. Loren Cook Company.
  3. New York Blower Company
  4. PennBarry.
  5. Greenheck.
- B. Housing: Fabricated of galvanized steel with side sheets fastened with a deep lock seam or welded to scroll sheets.
  1. Housing Discharge Arrangement: Adjustable to eight standard positions.
- C. Fan Wheels: Single-width, single inlet; welded to cast-iron or cast-steel hub and spun-steel inlet cone, with hub keyed to shaft.
  1. Blade Materials: Steel or Aluminum.
  2. Blade Type: Backward inclined or Forward curved, or Airfoil As scheduled
  3. Spark-Resistant Construction: AMCA 99, Type A
- D. Fan Shaft: Turned, ground, and polished steel; keyed to wheel hub.
- E. Shaft Bearings: Prelubricated and sealed, self-aligning, pillow-block-type ball bearings with ABMA 9, L<sub>50</sub> of 200,000 hours.
  1. Extend grease fitting to accessible location outside of unit.
- F. Belt Drives:
  1. Factory mounted, with final alignment and belt adjustment made after installation.
  2. Service Factor Based on Fan Motor Size: 1.2
  3. Motor Pulleys: Adjustable pitch for use with motors through 5 hp; fixed pitch for use with larger motors. Select pulley so pitch adjustment is at the middle of adjustment range at fan design conditions.
  4. Belts: Oil resistant, nonsparking, and nonstatic; matched sets for multiple belt drives.
  5. Belt Guards: Fabricate of steel for motors mounted on outside of fan cabinet.
- G. Accessories:
  1. Inlet and Outlet: Flanged.
  2. Companion Flanges: Rolled flanges for duct connections of same material as housing.
  3. Backdraft Dampers: Gravity actuated with counterweight and interlocking aluminum blades with felt edges in steel frame installed on fan discharge.

4. Access Door: Gasketed door in scroll with latch-type handles.
5. Scroll Dampers: Single-blade damper installed at fan scroll top with adjustable linkage.
6. Inlet Screens: Removable wire mesh.
7. Drain Connections: NPS 3/4 threaded coupling drain connection installed at lowest point of housing.
8. Weather Hoods: Weather resistant with stamped vents over motor and drive compartment.
9. Discharge Dampers: Assembly with opposed blades constructed of two plates formed around and to shaft, channel frame, sealed ball bearings, with blades linked outside of airstream to single control lever of same material as housing.
10. Speed Controller: Solid-state control to reduce speed from 100 to less than 50 percent.
11. Disconnect switch - Nonfusible type, with thermal-overload protection. Externally mounted outdoor disconnects shall be NEMA 3R

## 2.2 CENTRIFUGAL ROOF VENTILATORS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  1. ACME Company.
  2. Central Blower Company.
  3. Greenheck Fan Corporation.
  4. Loren Cook Company.
  5. PennBarry.
- B. Housing: Removable, spun-aluminum, dome top and outlet baffle; square, one-piece, aluminum base with venturi inlet cone.
  1. Upblast Units: Provide spun-aluminum discharge baffle to direct discharge air upward, with rain and snow drains and grease collector (for kitchen hood applications).
  2. Hinged Subbase: Galvanized-steel hinged arrangement permitting service and maintenance.
- C. Fan Wheels: Aluminum hub and wheel with backward-inclined blades.
- D. Belt Drives:
  1. Resiliently mounted to housing.
  2. Fan Shaft: Turned, ground, and polished steel; keyed to wheel hub.
  3. Shaft Bearings: Permanently lubricated, permanently sealed, self-aligning ball bearings.
  4. Pulleys: Cast-iron, adjustable-pitch motor pulley.
  5. Fan and motor isolated from exhaust airstream.
- E. Accessories:
  1. Variable-Speed Controller: Solid-state control to reduce speed from 100 to less than 50 percent.
  2. Disconnect Switch: Nonfusible type, with thermal-overload protection mounted inside or outside fan housing, factory wired through an internal aluminum conduit.
  3. Bird Screens: Removable, 1/2-inch mesh, aluminum or brass wire.

4. Barometric Dampers: Counterbalanced, parallel-blade, backdraft dampers mounted in curb base; factory set to close when fan stops.
- F. Roof Curbs: Galvanized steel; mitered and welded corners; 1-1/2-inch- thick, rigid, fiberglass insulation adhered to inside walls; and 1-1/2-inch wood nailer. Size as required to suit roof opening and fan base.
1. Configuration: Self-flashing without a cant strip, with mounting flange.
  2. Minimum Height: 18 inches. For Kitchen exhaust applications coordinate the curb height in the field so that the top of the fan is a minimum of 40" above the roof.
  3. Sound Curb: Curb with sound-absorbing insulation.
  4. Pitch Mounting: Manufacture curb for roof slope.
  5. Metal Liner: Galvanized steel.
  6. Burglar Bars: 1/2-inch- thick steel bars welded in place to form 6-inch squares. (Not required unless scheduled)
  7. Mounting Pedestal: Galvanized steel with removable access panel.
  8. Vented Curb: Unlined with louvered vents in vertical sides. (for kitchen hood exhaust applications)

## 2.3 IN-LINE CENTRIFUGAL FANS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
1. Carnes Company.
  2. Greenheck Fan Corporation.
  3. ACME Fan Incorporated.
  4. Loren Cook Company.
  5. PennBarry.
- B. Housing: Split, spun aluminum with aluminum straightening vanes, inlet and outlet flanges, and support bracket adaptable to floor, side wall, or ceiling mounting.
- C. Direct-Drive Units: Motor mounted in airstream, factory wired to disconnect switch located on outside of fan housing.
- D. Belt-Driven Units: Motor mounted on adjustable base, with adjustable sheaves, enclosure around belts within fan housing, and lubricating tubes from fan bearings extended to outside of fan housing.
- E. Fan Wheels: Aluminum, airfoil blades welded to aluminum hub.
- F. Accessories:
1. Variable-Speed Controller: Solid-state control to reduce speed from 100 to less than 50 percent. (where scheduled or indicated on plan)
  2. Volume-Control Damper: Manually operated with quadrant lock, located in fan outlet.
  3. Companion Flanges: For inlet and outlet duct connections.
  4. Fan Guards: 1/2- by 1-inch mesh of galvanized steel in removable frame. Provide guard for inlet or outlet for units not connected to ductwork.
  5. Motor and Drive Cover (Belt Guard): Epoxy-coated steel.

6. Disconnect Switch: Nonfusible type, with thermal-overload protection mounted inside or outside fan housing, factory wired through an internal aluminum conduit

## 2.4 PROPELLER FANS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  1. Carnes Company.
  2. Chicago Blower Corporation.
  3. Loren Cook Company.
  4. ACME
  5. PennBarry.
- B. Housing: Galvanized-steel sheet with flanged edges and integral orifice ring with baked-enamel finish coat applied after assembly.
- C. Steel Fan Wheels: Formed-steel blades riveted to heavy-gage steel spider bolted to cast-iron hub.
- D. Fan Wheel: Replaceable, cast or extruded-aluminum, airfoil blades fastened to cast-aluminum hub; factory set pitch angle of blades.
- E. Fan Drive: Motor mounted in airstream, factory wired to disconnect switch located on outside of fan housing.
- F. Fan Drive:
  1. Resiliently mounted to housing.
  2. Statically and dynamically balanced.
  3. Selected for continuous operation at maximum rated fan speed and motor horsepower, with final alignment and belt adjustment made after installation.
  4. Extend grease fitting to accessible location outside of unit.
  5. Service Factor Based on Fan Motor Size: 1.4.
  6. Fan Shaft: Turned, ground, and polished steel; keyed to wheel hub.
  7. Shaft Bearings: Permanently lubricated, permanently sealed, self-aligning ball bearings.
    - a. Ball-Bearing Rating Life: ABMA 9,  $L_{10}$  of 100,000 hours.
  8. Pulleys: Cast iron with split, tapered bushing; dynamically balanced at factory.
  9. Motor Pulleys: Adjustable pitch for use with motors through 3 hp; fixed pitch for use with larger motors. Select pulley so pitch adjustment is at the middle of adjustment range at fan design conditions.
  10. Belts: Oil resistant, nonsparking, and nonstatic; matched sets for multiple belt drives.
  11. Belt Guards: Fabricate of steel for motors mounted on outside of fan cabinet.
- G. Accessories:
  1. Gravity Shutters: Aluminum blades in aluminum frame; interlocked blades with nylon bearings.

2. Motor-Side Back Guard: Galvanized steel, complying with OSHA specifications, removable for maintenance.
3. Wall Sleeve: Galvanized steel to match fan and accessory size.
4. Weathershield Hood: Galvanized steel to match fan and accessory size.
5. Weathershield Front Guard: Galvanized steel with expanded metal screen.
6. Variable-Speed Controller: Solid-state control to reduce speed from 100 to less than 50 percent.
7. Disconnect Switch: Nonfusible type, with thermal-overload protection mounted inside fan housing, factory wired through an internal aluminum conduit.

## 2.5 MOTORS

- A. Comply with NEMA designation, temperature rating, service factor, enclosure type, and efficiency requirements for motors specified in Division 15 Section "Common Motor Requirements for HVAC Equipment."
  1. Motor Sizes: Minimum size as indicated. If not indicated, large enough so driven load will not require motor to operate in service factor range above 1.0.
  2. Controllers, Electrical Devices, and Wiring: Comply with requirements for electrical devices and connections specified in Division 26 Sections.
- B. Enclosure Type: Totally enclosed, fan cooled.

## 2.6 SOURCE QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Certify sound-power level ratings according to AMCA 301, "Methods for Calculating Fan Sound Ratings from Laboratory Test Data." Factory test fans according to AMCA 300, "Reverberant Room Method for Sound Testing of Fans." Label fans with the AMCA-Certified Ratings Seal.
- B. Certify fan performance ratings, including flow rate, pressure, power, air density, speed of rotation, and efficiency by factory tests according to AMCA 210, "Laboratory Methods of Testing Fans for Aerodynamic Performance Rating." Label fans with the AMCA-Certified Ratings Seal.

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

### 3.1 INSTALLATION

- A. Install power ventilators level and plumb.
  1. Secure vibration controls to concrete bases using anchor bolts cast in concrete base.
- B. Install floor-mounted units on concrete bases. Concrete, reinforcement, and formwork requirements are specified in Division 03 Section "Cast-in-Place Concrete."

- C. Secure roof-mounted fans to roof curbs with cadmium-plated hardware. Ceiling Units: Suspend units from structure; use steel wire or metal straps.
- D. Support suspended units from structure using threaded steel rods and elastomeric hangers or spring hangers with vertical-limit stops having a static deflection of 1 inch. Vibration-control devices are specified in Section "Vibration Controls for HVAC Piping and Equipment."
- E. Install units with clearances for service and maintenance.
- F. Label units according to requirements specified in Division 23 Section "Identification for HVAC Piping and Equipment."

### 3.2 CONNECTIONS

- A. Duct installation and connection requirements are specified in other Sections. Drawings indicate general arrangement of ducts and duct accessories. Make final duct connections with flexible connectors. Flexible connectors are specified in Section "Air Duct Accessories."
- B. Kitchen exhaust hood fans shall not have flexible connections or back draft dampers.
- C. Install ducts adjacent to power ventilators to allow service and maintenance.
- D. Prove flexible duct connections for all fans except Kitchen exhaust fans.

### 3.3 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Perform tests and inspections.
  - 1. Manufacturer's Field Service: Engage a factory-authorized service representative to inspect components, assemblies, and equipment installations, including connections, and to assist in testing.
- B. Tests and Inspections:
  - 1. Verify that shipping, blocking, and bracing are removed.
  - 2. Verify that unit is secure on mountings and supporting devices and that connections to ducts and electrical components are complete. Verify that proper thermal-overload protection is installed in motors, starters, and disconnect switches.
  - 3. Verify that cleaning and adjusting are complete.
  - 4. Disconnect fan drive from motor, verify proper motor rotation direction, and verify fan wheel free rotation and smooth bearing operation. Reconnect fan drive system, align and adjust belts, and install belt guards.
  - 5. Adjust belt tension.
  - 6. Adjust damper linkages for proper damper operation.
  - 7. Verify lubrication for bearings and other moving parts.
  - 8. Verify that manual and automatic volume control and fire and smoke dampers in connected ductwork systems are in fully open position.
  - 9. Disable automatic temperature-control operators, energize motor and adjust fan to indicated rpm, and measure and record motor voltage and amperage.



- 10. Shut unit down and reconnect automatic temperature-control operators.
- 11. Remove and replace malfunctioning units and retest as specified above.
- C. Test and adjust controls and safeties. Replace damaged and malfunctioning controls and equipment.
- D. Prepare test and inspection reports.

#### 3.4 ADJUSTING

- A. Adjust damper linkages for proper damper operation.
- B. Adjust belt tension.
- C. Lubricate bearings.
- D. Comply with requirements in "Testing, Adjusting, and Balancing for HVAC" for testing, adjusting, and balancing procedures.
- E. Mechanical schedules and equipment notes indicate estimated static pressures and resultant RPM. If, during balancing, it is determined that the sheaves supplied with and fan or air handling unit have reached the maximum adjustment and design static pressure and or CFM can not be obtained then it shall be the mechanical contractors responsibility to remove and change the drive as required to reach design conditions. And it shall be the balancers responsibility to rebalance the system as appropriate to achieve design conditions after the drives have been changed.

**END OF SECTION**

SECTION 235100 - BREECHINGS, CHIMNEYS, AND STACKS

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes the following:
  - 1. Listed special gas vents.
  - 2. Outside air intake ducts.
  - 3. Draft control damper and remote terminal panel
- B. Product Data: For the following:
  - 1. Special gas vents.
  - 2. OAI Ductwork
- C. Shop Drawings and Delegated-Design Submittals: For vents, breechings, chimneys, and stacks. Include plans, elevations, sections, details, and attachments to other work.
  - 1. Detail equipment assemblies and indicate dimensions, weights, loads, required clearances, methods of field assembly, components, hangers, and location and size of each field connection.
  - 2. For installed products indicated to comply with design loads, include calculations required for selecting restraints and structural analysis data signed and sealed by the qualified professional engineer responsible for their preparation.
  - 3. The inner diameter of the flue system shall be verified by the manufacturer's venting computations. The computations used shall be technically sound, follow ASHRAE calculation methods and shall incorporate the specific flow characteristics of the inner pipe. The contractor shall furnish the exact operating characteristics of all equipment to the factory representative. Flue gas velocity shall not exceed the manufactures maximum requirement or 1000 ft/min. The required draft shall be .1" min at the farthest appliance connected.
  - 4. The manufacturer shall provide "to scale" drawings depicting the actual layout. The prefabricated flue system shall be installed as designed by the manufacturer and in accordance with the terms of the manufacturer's warranty and in conjunction with sound engineering practices
  - 5. Submit full draft calculations for review and approval this shall include velocity in each section.
  - 6. Submit field verified plan view layout for coordination review and approval.
  - 7. Submit riser diagram for review and coordination.

8. Submittal will not be released or accepted until draft calculation and field verified dimensional drawings are review and accepted.

### 1.3 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Welding certificates.

### 1.4 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Source Limitations: Obtain listed system components through one source from a single manufacturer.
- B. Welding: Qualify procedures and personnel according to AWS D1.1/D1.1M, "Structural Welding Code--Steel," for hangers and supports and AWS D9.1/D9.1M, "Sheet Metal Welding Code," for shop and field welding of joints and seams in vents, breechings, and stacks.
- C. Certified Sizing Calculations: Manufacturer shall certify venting system sizing calculations.

### 1.5 COORDINATION

- A. Coordinate size and location of concrete bases. Cast anchor-bolt inserts into bases. Concrete, reinforcement, and formwork requirements are specified with concrete.
- B. Coordinate installation of roof curbs, equipment supports, and roof penetrations. These items are specified in Section 077200 "Roof Accessories."

### 1.6 WARRANTY

- A. Special Warranty: Manufacturer's standard form in which manufacturer agrees to repair or replace components of venting system that fail in materials or workmanship within specified warranty period. Failures include, but are not limited to, structural failures caused by expansion and contraction.

1. Warranty Period: 25 years from date of Substantial Completion.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

### 2.1 LISTED SPECIAL GAS VENTS, (USED FOR DOMESTIC CONDENSING HOT WATER HEATERS AND CONDENSING BOILERS)

- A. Basis-of-Design Product: the basis of design shall be Security Chimney model SSID. Subject to review and approval by the engineer and compliance with the contract documents, provide the product indicated on drawings or a comparable product by one of the following:

1. ENERVEX.

2. Metal-Fab, Inc.
  3. Selkirk Inc.; Selkirk Metalbestos and Air Mate.
- B. Description: Double-wall metal vents tested according to UL 1738 and rated for 480 deg F continuously, with positive or negative flue pressure complying with NFPA 211. And ULC – S636
- C. Construction: Inner shell and outer jacket separated by at least a 2” inch high-temperature, ceramic-fiber insulation.
- D. Inner Shell: ASTM A 959, **Type 29-4C stainless steel.**
- E. Outer Jacket: **Aluminized steel or type 441 stainless**
- F. Assembly shall be made by joining stacked sections with factory supplied high temperature sealant and overlapping “V” bands on interior section. With Vitron O ring gaskets. Exterior sections shall be made by joining stacked sections with high temperature joint cement and continuous welded joint grinded to a smooth finish.
- G. Breeching lengths thru exterior wall, or roof in same construction as for flue and in diameter as shown on the drawings with a minimum penetration of 6 inches into the space. Connections to equipment and balance of breeching shall be done with provisions for expansion/contraction at the engine, boilers, etc. and along entire length of run.
- H. Where exposed outside the building, the outer jacket shall be factory painted with heat resistant paint such as Rust-Down Series 4200 or 4300. Color as selected by Architect.
- I. Accessories: Tees, elbows, increasers, draft-hood connectors, terminations, adjustable roof flashings, storm collars, support assemblies, thimbles, firestop spacers, and fasteners; fabricated from similar materials and designs as vent-pipe straight sections; all listed for same assembly.
1. Termination: Stack cap designed to exclude minimum 90 percent of rainfall.
  2. Termination: Round chimney top designed to exclude minimum 98 percent of rainfall.
  3. Termination: Exit cone with drain section incorporated into riser.
  4. Smoke tight cleanout sections.
  5. Gasket material for cleanout door and caps, high temperature ceramic fiber rope; joint cement, acid resistant cement; sealant - Type VII as/07900.
  6. Footing connectors and bracing, design and number as per manufacturers' requirements and as required by construction conditions
  7. Provide base supports, wall supports and guides.
  8. Provide expansion segments as required.
  9. Riser drain with valve
- J. Provide a self supporting prefabricated metal chimney, flue, breeching extensions and accessories arranged and sized as indicated on the drawings. Provide connections for boilers, domestic hot water heater and generator exhaust as indicated.
- K. Applications;

1. Dual fuel boilers – shall use double wall with mineral wool insulation up to the chimney riser. Model SSID. Inside the existing chimney the riser shall be single wall to the top. Model SS.
2. The domestic hot water heaters shall use double wall with 1” air space. Model SSD

## 2.2 OUTSIDE AIR INTAKE DUCTWORK

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  1. Spot – Spiral pipe.
  2. United McGill
  3. R.L. Craig Company
  4. US Duct.
- B. Outside air intake ductwork and fittings for all gas-fired direct venting condensing & non-condensing appliance shall be single-wall spiral round galvanized steel. All ductwork and accessories shall be 4-ply spiral lock seam meeting ASTM A-653. All duct connections shall be made with a double legged EPDM gasket creating an airtight connection meeting ASTM a-653. Single-wall duct gauge shall be selected for positive, or negative pressure SMACNA leak class 3, and up to 10” WC with a minimum gauge of 24. The product is rated for zero clearance to combustibles. Provide straight sections, elbows, offsets, connection adapters, wall sleeves, and screened terminations.

## 2.3 LISTED BUILDING-HEATING-APPLIANCE CHIMNEYS, BOILER AND HOT WATER HEATERS BREECHING (**NOT USED**)

- A. Basis-of-Design Product: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide the product indicated on Drawings or a comparable product by one of the following:
  1. Security Chimney International type SSID
  2. Heat-Fab, Inc.
  3. United McGill Uni-Stack, 1402
  4. Metal-Fab, Inc. IPC-2
  5. Selkirk Inc.; Metalbestos Metal Bestos IPS C-2.
- B. Description: Double-wall metal vents tested according to UL 103 and UL 959 and rated for 1400 deg F continuously, or 1800 deg F for 10 minutes; with positive or negative flue pressure complying with NFPA 211.
- C. Construction: Inner shell and outer jacket separated by at least a 2-inch annular space filled with high-temperature, ceramic-fiber insulation. For lining applications inside existing masonry chimneys the annular space insulation may be omitted.
- D. Inner Shell: ASTM A 666, Type 304 stainless steel .035” thick for gas and #2 oil application. Type 316 .035” thick stainless steel for #4, #5, #6, and any solid fuel applications including coal.
- E. Outer Jacket: Aluminized steel. 24 gage gauge .025” thick  
Flue sections shall be circular with internal and external diameters as indicated on the drawings.

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- F. Assembly shall be made by joining stacked sections with factory supplied high temperature sealant and overlapping "V" bands on interior section. Exterior sections shall be made by joining stacked sections with high temperature joint cement and continuous welded joint grinded to a smooth finish.
- G. Breeching lengths thru exterior wall, or roof in same construction as for flue and in diameter as shown on the drawings with a minimum penetration of 6 inches into the space. Connections to equipment and balance of breeching shall be done with provisions for expansion/contraction at the engine, boilers, etc. and along entire length of run.
- H. Where exposed outside the building, the outer jacket shall be factory painted with heat resistant paint such as Rust-Down Series 4200 or 4300. Color as selected by Architect.
- I. Accessories: Tees, elbows, increasers, draft-hood connectors, terminations, adjustable roof flashings, storm collars, support assemblies, thimbles, firestop spacers, and fasteners; fabricated from similar materials and designs as vent-pipe straight sections; all listed for same assembly. Including;
  - 1. Smoke tight cleanout sections.
  - 2. Gasket material for cleanout door and caps, high temperature ceramic fiber rope; joint cement, acid resistant cement; sealant - Type VII as/07900.
  - 3. Footing connectors and bracing, design and number as per manufacturers' requirements and as required by construction conditions.
  - 4. Spark arrester. (generator exhaust)
  - 5. Provide air pollution control test ports, gas sampling platforms, and the like as required to complete the installation.
  - 6. Provided an explosion relief valve in accordance with NFPA 37 requirements for engine exhaust. (generator exhaust)
  - 7. Provide base supports, wall supports and guides.
  - 8. Provide expansion segments as required.
  - 9. Termination Stack cap designed to exclude minimum 90 percent of rainfall
  - 10. Riser drain with valve
  - 11. Barometric damper at each appliance.
- J. Provide a self supporting prefabricated metal chimney, flue, breeching extensions and accessories arranged and sized as indicated on the drawings. Provide connections for boilers, domestic hot water heater and generator exhaust as indicated.

## 2.4 GUYING AND BRACING MATERIALS

- A. Cable: Three galvanized, stranded wires of the following thickness:
  - 1. Minimum Size: 1/4 inch in diameter.
  - 2. For ID Sizes 4 to 15 Inches: 5/16 inch.
  - 3. For ID Sizes 18 to 24 Inches: 3/8 inch.
  - 4. For ID Sizes 27 to 30 Inches: 7/16 inch.
  - 5. For ID Sizes 33 to 36 Inches: 1/2 inch.
  - 6. For ID Sizes 39 to 48 Inches: 9/16 inch.
  - 7. For ID Sizes 51 to 60 Inches: 5/8 inch.

- B. Pipe: Three galvanized steel, NPS 1-1/4.
- C. Angle Iron: Three galvanized steel, 2 by 2 by 0.25 inch.

## 2.5 DRAFT CONTROL DAMPER SYSTEM

- A. Basis-of-Design Product: The draft control damper system shall be manufacturer by US Draft Co. of Fort Worth, Texas; listed to UL/ULC378. Subject to review and approval by the Engineer and compliance with requirements of the contract documents, provide the product indicated on Drawings or a comparable product by an alternate manufacture:
- B. The draft control damper system shall consist of a US Draft Co. Remote Terminal Unit, Model RTU1, and one or more US Draft Co. Connector Draft Systems, Model CDS2. The CDS2(s) shall be self-contained, fully-factory assembled and wired for ease of installation. The draft control damper system shall consist of the following equipment and features:
  - 1. Model RTU1 remote terminal unit shall be capable of connecting up to six CDS2's. The RTU1 shall be capable of adjusting each connected CDS2's settings remotely. The RTU1 shall communicate to the BMS or a cellular network to send notifications building maintenance. The RTU1 shall feature a full color 7" touchscreen user interface. Provide three remote terminal units for this project. Connect 3 boilers each panel.
  - 2. Model SB single-blade damper with a positive seal corrosion-resistant FKM gasket (as defined by ASTM D1418); the gasket cannot be riveted or screwed to damper's blade. The damper's blade and housing shall be 316L stainless steel with an integrated test port. The damper's bearings shall be sealed 1/2" graphite. The damper shall be equipped with a 24V rotary fast-acting actuator with a two second 0-90 degree span. The damper shall fail in the closed position.
  - 3. Model CDS2 constant pressure controller with a bi-directional pressure differential transducer capable of measuring pressures +/- 0.75" W.C.; unidirectional systems shall not be approved. The controller shall include an integrated feedback signal to confirm damper-actuator functionality. The system shall provide both a high and low- pressure alarm to ensure safe performance; a single alarm point will not be accepted. The system's controller shall include a trial phase to allow appliance to purge prior to operation. Provide one damper at the outlet of each boiler typical for 9 boilers
- C. The CDS2(s) shall be installed at locations as indicated on the drawings and in accordance with manufacturer's listing and instructions. The RTU1 shall be located as shown on the drawings.
- D. A factory-authorized startup technician shall ensure proper electrical and control connections prior to operation. The set points shall be provided by the appliance manufacturer.
- E. Contractor shall install any structural, mechanical, and electrical connections as designed by the manufacturer and in accordance with the terms of the manufacturer's warranties.
- F. Follow all pertinent national, state, and/or local codes where applicable.

### PART 3 - EXECUTION

#### 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine areas and conditions for compliance with requirements for installation tolerances and other conditions affecting performance of work.
  - 1. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

#### 3.2 APPLICATION

- A. Listed Special Gas Vent: Condensing gas appliances.
- B. Listed Building-Heating-Appliance Chimneys: Dual-fuel boilers, oven vents, water heaters, and exhaust for engines. Fireplaces and other solid-fuel-burning appliances.

#### 3.3 INSTALLATION GENERAL:

- A. Installations shall be made in accordance with the Specifications of the Underwriters' Laboratories, Inc. and those of the manufacturer, by the manufacturer of an authorized and experienced installer approved by the manufacturer and the Architect.
- B. Chimney shall be set plumb to within 1 inch in 60 feet. Where applicable, grout base plate with non-shrink grout.
- C. Required welding shall be accomplished by certified welders.
- D. Furnish clean out at the ends of headers and drain at the base of risers. Provide temperature plug at the outlet of each boiler.
- E. Provide patching of existing brick chimney at breeching penetration with new brick and mortar to match existing construction. Seal breeching with high temperature cement at penetration.
- F. All connection from appliances to main breeching shall be made with 45 deg laterals fittings.

#### 3.4 INSTALLATION OF LISTED VENTS AND CHIMNEYS

- A. Locate to comply with minimum clearances from combustibles and minimum termination heights according to product listing or NFPA 211, whichever is most stringent.
- B. Seal between sections of positive-pressure vents and grease exhaust ducts according to manufacturer's written installation instructions, using sealants recommended by manufacturer.
- C. Support vents at intervals recommended by manufacturer to support weight of vents and all accessories, without exceeding appliance loading. Install guide and support wire as per the manufacturers recommendations.



- D. Slope breechings down in direction of appliance, with condensate drain connection at lowest point piped to nearest drain.
- E. Lap joints in direction of flow.
- F. Connect base section to foundation using anchor lugs of size and number recommended by manufacturer.
- G. Join sections with acid-resistant joint cement to provide continuous joint and smooth interior finish.
- H. Erect stacks plumb to finished tolerance of no more than 1 inch out of plumb from top to bottom.
- I. Provide a 1" drain line at the bottom of each stack as recommended by the manufacturer with a valve. Pipe to floor drain.
- J. Stack shall extend to the bottom of the existing chimney. Support with a stand above the floor of the chimney and at intervals up the chimney.

### 3.5 CLEANING

- A. After completing system installation, including outlet fittings and devices, inspect exposed finish. Remove burrs, dirt, and construction debris and repair damaged finishes.
- B. Clean breechings internally, during and after installation, to remove dust and debris. Clean external surfaces to remove welding slag and mill film. Grind welds smooth and apply touchup finish to match factory or shop finish.
- C. Provide temporary closures at ends of breechings, chimneys, and stacks that are not completed or connected to equipment.
- D. **The existing masonry chimney shall be brushed and vacuumed clean including all debris at the base prior of the chimney prior to installation of new chimney stack. Inspect the inside of the existing chimney and provide a written report of condition including any defects, cracks or structural problems with the masonry structure to the engineer, owner.**

**END OF SECTION 235100**

## SECTION 235216.1 – DUAL FUEL CONDENSING BOILERS

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Section includes gas-fired, fire-tube condensing boilers, trim, and accessories for generating hot water.

#### 1.3 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product.
  - 1. Include construction details, material descriptions, dimensions of individual components and profiles, and finishes for boilers.
  - 2. Include rated capacities and performance data, operating characteristics, and furnished specialties and accessories as well as wiring diagrams and controls. Clearly differentiate between portions of wiring that are factory installed and portions to be field installed.
- B. Shop Drawings: For boilers, boiler trim, and accessories.
  - 1. Include plans, elevations, sections, and mounting attachment details.
  - 2. Include details of equipment assemblies. Indicate dimensions, weights, loads, required clearances, method of field assembly, components, and location and size of each field connection.
  - 3. Include diagrams for power, signal, and control wiring.
- C. Delegated-Design Submittal: For each boiler.
  - 1. Design calculations and vibration isolation base details, signed and sealed by a qualified professional engineer.
    - a. Design Calculations: Calculate requirements for selecting vibration isolators and for designing vibration isolation bases.
    - b. Vibration Isolation Base Details: Detail fabrication, including anchorages and attachments to structure and to supported equipment. Include adjustable motor bases, rails, and frames for equipment mounting.

## 1.4 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Source quality-control reports.
- B. Field quality-control reports.
- C. Sample Warranty: For special warranty.
- D. Product Certificates:
  - 1. ASME Stamp Certification and Report: Submit "A," "S," or "PP" stamp certificate of authorization, as required by authorities having jurisdiction, and document hydrostatic testing of piping external to boiler.
  - 2. CSA B51 pressure vessel Canadian Registration Number (CRN).

## 1.5 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS

- A. Operation and Maintenance Data: For boilers to include in emergency, operation, and maintenance manuals.

## 1.6 WARRANTY

- A. Manufacturer's Warranty: Manufacturer agrees to repair or replace components of boilers that fail in materials or workmanship within specified warranty period.
  - 1. Warranty Period for Fire-Tube Condensing Boilers:
    - a. The boiler manufacturer will repair or replace any part of the boiler that is found to be defective in workmanship or material within eighteen twelve (12) months from start-up,
    - b. The pressure vessel and heat exchanger shall be covered against failures resulting from flue gas corrosion and/or defective material or workmanship for a period of five (5) years from the date of shipment from the factory. The manufacturer will repair, replace, exchange or credit at their option, the pressure vessel as defined above, provided this equipment has been installed, operated and maintained in accordance with the Installation, Operation and Maintenance Manual.
    - c. Leakage and Materials: 10 years from date of Substantial Completion.
    - d. Heat Exchanger Damaged by Thermal Stress and Corrosion: Non-prorated for 2 years from date of Substantial Completion.

## 1.7 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Manufacturer's Qualifications: Firms regularly engaged in the manufacture of condensing hydronic boilers with welded steel pressure vessels, whose products have been in satisfactory use in service for not less than twenty-five (25) years. The boilers must be manufactured in North America and be able to participate in projects that require a level of content for boiler materials. The specifying engineer, contractor and end customer must have the option to visit

the factory during the manufacture of the boilers and be able to witness test fire and other relevant procedures.

- B. The boiler shall have an ASME Section IV pressure vessel rated for a maximum allowable working pressure of 160 PSIG and a maximum allowable working temperature of 210°F.
- C. The flame safeguard control on the boiler shall be the Siemens LMV series for full linkageless operation with servo motors to control the supply of fuel and air to the boiler for combustion.
- D. The entire boiler system and its installation shall conform to the manufacturer's instructions, applicable codes and associated National Board requirements.
- E. The equipment shall be in strict compliance with the requirements of this specification and shall be the manufacturer's standard commercial product unless specified otherwise. Additional equipment features, details, accessories, etc. which are not specifically identified but which are a part of the manufacturer's standard commercial product, shall be included in the equipment being furnished.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

### 2.1 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Electrical Components, Devices, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.
- B. ASME Compliance: Fabricate and label boilers to comply with 2010 ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code.
- C. ASHRAE/IES 90.1 Compliance: Boilers shall have minimum efficiency according to "Gas and Oil Fired Boilers - Minimum Efficiency Requirements."
- D. DOE Compliance: Minimum efficiency shall comply with 10 CFR 430, Subpart B, Appendix N.
- E. UL Compliance: Test boilers for compliance with UL 795. Boilers shall be listed and labeled by a testing agency acceptable to authorities having jurisdiction.
- F. CSA Compliance: Test boilers for compliance with CSA B51.
- G. Mounting Base: For securing boiler to concrete base.

### 2.2 WATER JACKETED FORCED-DRAFT, FIRE-TUBE CONDENSING BOILERS

- A. Manufacturers: Subject to compliance with requirements, provide products by one of the following:
  - 1. AERCO; A WATTS Brand.
  - 2. Bosch Thermotechnology Corp.

3. Camus.
4. Cleaver-Brooks.
5. Fulton.
6. Lochinvar.

## 2.3 GENERAL

- A. Description: Factory-fabricated, -assembled, and -tested, fire-tube condensing boiler with heat exchanger sealed pressure tight, built on a steel base, including insulated jacket; flue-gas vent; combustion-air intake connections; water supply, return, and condensate drain connections; and controls and skid mounted
- B. External convection and radiation heat losses to the boiler room from the boiler shall be less than 0.5% of the rated boiler input.
- C. The boiler shall have its efficiency witnessed and certified by an independent third party, and the efficiency must be listed on the AHRI directory ([www.ahridirectory.org](http://www.ahridirectory.org)) for natural gas operation. The test parameters for efficiency certification shall be the BTS-2000 standard, with 80°F return water temperature, 180°F supply water temperature, steady state operation at full input firing capacity. The certified thermal efficiency for natural gas/oil firing shall not be less than:
- D. The boiler shall be designed to operate on #2 fuel oil using the same burner as is used for natural gas firing. The boiler shall achieve full rated input capacity on the backup fuel. The boiler's flame programmer shall have two independent load profiles, each profile programmed for a specific fuel.
- E. The boilers shall have no minimum return water temperature when firing on natural gas and shall be capable of operating in condensing mode.
- F. The boiler shall be capable of operating in a condensing mode when firing on #2 fuel oil, provided the #2 fuel oil has a guaranteed Sulfur content of <15 ppm. The minimum return water temperature for this application is 100°F.
- G. The boiler shall be capable of operating in condensing mode when firing on B100 Bio-Diesel. The minimum return water temperature for this application is 100 deg F.
- H. The boiler shall be capable of operating on #2 fuel oil as a primary fuel.
- I. The boiler shall have an optional configuration for dual fuel with natural gas/propane.
- J. The boiler shall have an optional configuration for NEMA 3R construction (outdoor operation).
- K. The boiler shall be designed and rated for zero flow or low flow condition. Low flow shall not cause any harm to the pressure vessel or heat exchanger of the boiler. Flow switches, dedicated circulator pumps, or primary/secondary piping arrangements shall not required to protect the heat exchanger or pressure vessel from thermal shock or other system related considerations.
- L. The boiler shall be capable of operating with an exhaust draft not exceeding -0.04" W.C. and a combined air intake and exhaust venting pressure drop not exceeding +0.35" W.C.

## 2.4 CONSTRUCTION

- A. The pressure vessel design and construction shall be in accordance with Section IV of the ASME Code for heating boilers. The boiler shall comply with CSD-1 code requirements.
- B. The firetube area of the heat exchanger where the flue gases will condense shall be constructed using duplex alloys of stainless steel.
- C. Heat Exchanger: Stainless-steel primary and secondary combustion chamber. Cast aluminum, cast iron or copper finned tube design heat exchangers are unacceptable.
- D. Pressure Vessel: Carbon steel with welded heads and tube connections where not in contact with combustion or flue gases. The pressure vessel shell and furnace chamber shall be a minimum 3/8" thick steel, SA-53B ERW pipe or SA-516 Grade 70 plate. A dished head attached to the furnace chamber shall be SA-516 Grade 70 plate. Exhaust pipes attached to the furnace chamber shall be minimum 3" diameter Schedule 40 steel.
- E. The boiler shall be a fire tube design. The furnace location shall be such that all furnace components are within water-backed areas.
- F. Burner: Natural gas, forced draft; swing-open front and burner observation port.
- G. Blower: Centrifugal fan to operate during each burner firing sequence and to pre-purge and post-purge the combustion chamber.
  - 1. Motors: Comply with NEMA designation, temperature rating, service factor, and efficiency requirements for motors specified in Section 230513 "Common Motor Requirements for HVAC Equipment."
    - a. Motor Sizes: Minimum size as indicated; if not indicated, large enough so driven load will not require motor to operate in service factor range above 1.0.
- H. Gas Train: Combination gas valve with manual shutoff and pressure regulator. Include 100 percent safety shutoff with electronic flame supervision.
- I. Ignition: Spark ignition with 100 percent main-valve shutoff with electronic flame supervision.
- J. Casing:
  - 1. Jacket: Sheet metal, with snap-in or interlocking closures.
  - 2. Control Compartment Enclosures: NEMA 250, Type 1A.
  - 3. Finish: Baked-enamel or Powder-coated protective finish.
  - 4. Insulation: Minimum 4-inch-thick, mineral-fiber insulation surrounding the heat exchanger.
  - 5. Combustion-Air Connections: Inlet and vent duct collars.
- K. Capacities and Characteristics:
  - 1. Refer to plans and schedules for capacities
  - 2. Minimum Thermal Efficiency: 94.0% OIL / 95.6% NAT GAS .
  - 3. Minimum Combustion Efficiency: 86%
  - 4. AGA Output Capacity: refer to plans

## 5. DOE Output Capacity: refer to plans

## 2.5 TRIM

- A. Include devices sized to comply with ASME B31.9.
- B. Aquastat Controllers: Operating, firing rate, and high limit.
- C. Safety Relief Valve: ASME Section IV safety relief valve.
- D. Pressure and Temperature Gage: Minimum 3-1/2-inch-diameter, combination water-pressure and -temperature gage. Gages shall have operating-pressure and -temperature ranges, so normal operating range is about 50 percent of full range.
- E. Boiler Air Vent: Automatic.
- F. A condensate drain connection shall be provided in the exhaust outlet. A condensate drain kit will be provided to collect and drain the flue gas condensate.
- G. Supply and return water connections shall 6" 150 # flanges
- H. Drain Valve: Minimum NPS 3/4 hose-end gate valve.
- I. Circulation Pump: Non overloading, in-line pump with split-capacitor motor having thermal-overload protection and lubricated bearings; designed to operate at specified boiler pressures and temperatures.
- J. Condensate neutralizing kit with marble chips piping and removable cartage.

## 2.6 CONTROLS

- A. Refer to Section 230923 "Direct Digital Control (DDC) System for HVAC" and Section 230993.11 "Sequence of Operations for HVAC DDC."
- B. Boiler operating controls shall be direct digital and fully self-contained. The operating control panel shall be mounted on the boiler front panel and shall be fully installed and programmed factory packed controller by the boiler manufacture. The controller shall have an LCD screen for user or operator interface.
- C. All controls are to be burner or panel mounted and so located on the boiler to provide servicing the boiler without disturbing the controls. All controls shall be mounted and wired according to UL requirements. Electrical power supplied shall be 208/230/460/3/60. A control circuit transformer shall be factory supplied, wired and mounted.
- D. The flame safeguard control shall be capable of linkage-less modulation and shall provide the following:
  - 1. The control shall provide a 30-second pre-purge and post-purge time.
  - 2. The control shall maintain a running history of operating hours, number of cycles, and the most recent six control lockouts.

3. The control is connected to a display module, which is capable of retrieving the information listed above.
- E. Turndown; full modulation with a turn down of 5:1 on gas and 3:1 on oil
- F. Airflow shall be controlled by a butterfly valve connected to a precision servo-motor. Fuel flow shall be controlled by a butterfly valve for gas operation.
- G. The burner shall be a forced draft flame retention type automatic burner. The burner housing shall be cast aluminum monobloc type construction. The burner mounting flange must support the burner weight on the boiler independent of any support. Burner shall be furnished with a stainless steel flame retention type of combustion head, capable of withstanding temperatures up to 1400F. This combustion head shall incorporate a diffuser and sleeve that is to direct excess air either around the flame or directly through the diffuser vanes. Adjustment to the diffuser insertion shall be made external to the burner and can be made while the burner is in full operation. Burner must have a flame inspection window positioned at the rear center of the burner housing. Flame shall be viewed without removing any covers. Burner shall come complete with a high efficiency, totally enclosed fan cooled motor (TEFC) and a dynamically balanced blower wheel. The blower wheel must be of the energy efficient, self-cleaning, reverse inclined fan blade type. The sound rating of the burner shall not exceed 80 dBA when measured at 3 feet from the burner.
- H. The burner gas ignition system for the main gas shall utilize natural gas or as the fuel source. The gas pilot system components shall include spark ignited pilot assembly, 7000 Volt ignition transformer, pilot safety shut off valve, pilot gas pressure regulator and manual gas shutoff cock. The burner oil ignition system shall be by means of a separate 2 x 5000 Volt direct spark ignition system.
- I. The burner shall be equipped with a single pole double throw air pressure switch that will not allow burner to start if there is insufficient combustion air, which is checked prior to each ignition attempt. Before the burner can start the airflow switch must be in the open position to prove the switch is not giving a false signal of sufficient combustion air pressure.
- J. Boiler operating controls shall include the following devices and features:
  1. Control transformer.
  2. Set-Point Adjust: Set points shall be adjustable.
  3. Operating temperature Control: Factory wired and mounted to cycle burner.
  4. Low-Water Cutoff and Pump Control: Cycle feedwater pump(s) for makeup water control.
  5. Sequence of Operation: Electric, factory-fabricated and OR field-installed panel to control burner firing rate to reset supply-water temperature inversely with outside-air temperature. At 0 deg F outside-air temperature, set supply-water temperature at 180 deg F; at 50 deg F outside-air temperature, set supply-water temperature at 140 deg F.
    - a. Include automatic, alternating-firing sequence for multiple boilers to ensure maximum system efficiency throughout the load range and to provide equal runtime for boilers.



- b. Furnish optional MODSYNC controller for multiple boiler operation and sequencing.
- K. Burner Operating Controls: To maintain safe operating conditions, burner safety controls limit burner operation.
  - 1. High Cutoff: Manual reset stops burner if operating conditions rise above maximum boiler design temperature.
  - 2. Low-Water Cutoff Switch: (1) Electronic AND (1) Float and electronic probe shall prevent burner operation on low water. Cutoff switch shall be (1) manual AND (1) automatic-reset type.
  - 3. Blocked Inlet Safety Switch: Manual-reset pressure switch field mounted on boiler combustion-air inlet.
  - 4. Audible Alarm: Factory mounted on control panel with silence switch; shall sound alarm for above conditions.
  - 5. Air Safety Switch to prevent operation unless sufficient combustion air is assured.
  - 6. Flame detector to prove combustion.
- L. When multiple boilers are to be installed in a common hydronic loop, a Synex ModSync Boiler Sequencing System shall be used. Please refer to the specification for the ModSync for complete details of the parameters and capabilities associated with it.
- M. Building Automation System Interface: Factory install hardware and software to enable building automation system to monitor, control, and display boiler status and alarms.
  - 1. Hardwired Points:
    - a. Monitoring: On/off status, common trouble alarm low-water-level alarm.
    - b. Control: On/off operation, hot-water-supply temperature set-point adjustment.
  - 2. A communication interface with building automation system shall enable building automation system operator to remotely control and monitor the boiler from an operator workstation. Control features available, and monitoring points displayed, locally at boiler control panel shall be available through building automation system.

## 2.7 ELECTRICAL POWER

- A. Controllers, Electrical Devices, and Wiring: Electrical devices and connections are specified in electrical Sections.
- B. Single-Point Field Power Connection: Factory-installed and -wired switches, motor controllers, transformers, and other electrical devices necessary shall provide a single-point field power connection to boiler.
  - 1. House in NEMA 250, Type 1 enclosure.
  - 2. Wiring shall be numbered and color coded to match wiring diagram.
  - 3. Install factory wiring outside of an enclosure in a metal raceway.
  - 4. Field power interface shall be to nonfused disconnect switch.
  - 5. Provide branch power circuit to each motor and to controls with a disconnect switch. Provide each motor with overcurrent protection.

## 2.8 MAIN FUEL TRAIN COMPONENTS

- A. A factory mounted main gas train. The gas train shall be fully assembled, wired, and installed on the boiler and shall comply with CSD-1 code. The maximum pressure rating of the components shall not be less than one psi. The gas train shall consist of at least two manual shutoff valves, one gas pressure regulator, one automatic safety shutoff valve with prove of closure, one flow control valve, one high gas pressure switch, and one low gas pressure switch. The automatic safety shutoff valve and flow control valve may be the same valve. A pilot gas train, when supplied, shall comply with the same code and maximum gas pressure rating as the main gas train.
- B. A factory mounted oil pump set shall be mounted to the boiler assembly and shall be directly driven by a motor independent from the combustion air motor. The oil pump must have an integral regulator to adjust the flow of oil to burner nozzles. There shall be three safety shut off valves (main safety, first stage, and second stage). All piping on the burner valve train must be factory installed. Field connections must be NPT. All wiring of oil train valves and switches must be done at the factory. All components factory installed on the boiler that will come into contact with the B100 Biodiesel shall be of the specific material required for this fuel.
- C. The boiler shall *not* require a compressed air supply to fire on #2 fuel oil.
- D. Standard CSD-1 fuel trains shall comply with IRI, which has been replaced by GE GAP. Normally open vent valves are no longer required between the safety shut off valves. NFPA 85 compliance shall be available from the factory to comply with local codes or regulations that specifically require a vent valve.

## 2.9 VENTING KITS

- A. Provide full boiler venting and OAI ducting. Refer to Section 235100 "breeching chimneys and stacks." For full requirements. The following paragraphs are the minimum requirements.
- B. ASTM A 959, Type 29-4C stainless steel, pipe, vent terminal, thimble, indoor plate, vent adapter, condensate trap and dilution tank, and sealant.
  - 1. UL-1738/C-UL S636 approved for Category IV condensing, positive pressure applications.
  - 2. Provide all specialty fittings, including offsets, elbows, roof thimble, wall thimble screens and caps from boiler flue to termination point outdoors. Refer to plans for duct arrangement. Boiler vent piping shall be double wall with 2" of insulation and aluminum jacket. Vertical vent piping located inside existing masonry chimneys shall be single wall.
- C. Combustion-Air Intake: Complete system, stainless steel, pipe, vent terminal with screen, inlet air coupling, and sealant.
  - 1. Provide all specialty fittings, including offsets, elbows, screens for CA intake from boiler to OAI louver or termination point outdoors. Refer to plans for duct arrangement.

## 2.10 SOURCE QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Burner and Hydrostatic Test: Factory adjust burner to eliminate excess oxygen, carbon dioxide, oxides of nitrogen emissions, and carbon monoxide in flue gas and to achieve combustion efficiency; perform hydrostatic test.
- B. Test and inspect factory-assembled boilers, before shipping, according to 2010 ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code.
- C. Allow Owner access to source quality-control testing of boilers. Notify engineer 14 days in advance of testing.
- D. When operating on Natural Gas, the boiler shall have CO emissions less than 50 ppm corrected to 3% O<sub>2</sub> and NO<sub>x</sub> emissions less than 45 ppm corrected to 3% O<sub>2</sub>, over the entire turndown range.
- E. When operating on #2 fuel oil, the boiler shall have CO emissions less than 50 ppm corrected to 3% O<sub>2</sub> and NO<sub>x</sub> emissions less than 100 ppm corrected to 3% O<sub>2</sub>, over the entire turndown range.

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

## 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine roughing-in for concrete equipment bases, anchor-bolt sizes and locations, and piping and electrical connections to verify actual locations, sizes, and other conditions affecting performance of the Work.
  - 1. Final boiler locations indicated on Drawings are approximate. Determine exact locations before roughing-in for piping and electrical connections.
- B. Examine mechanical spaces for suitable conditions where boilers will be installed.
- C. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

## 3.2 BOILER INSTALLATION

- A. Assemble equipment, materials, unit sections and parts shipped loose in accordance with manufacturer's installation recommendations and instructions and requirements.
- B. Equipment Mounting:
  - 1. Install boilers on cast-in-place concrete equipment base(s). Comply with requirements for equipment bases and foundations specified in Section 033000 "Cast-in-Place Concrete." Section 033053 "Miscellaneous Cast-in-Place Concrete." Provide a 3 ½" concrete housekeeping pad. Coordinate the size in the field.
- C. Install gas-fired boilers according to NFPA 54.

- D. Assemble and install boiler trim.
- E. Install electrical devices furnished with boiler but not specified to be factory mounted.
- F. Install control wiring to field-mounted electrical devices.

### 3.3 CONNECTIONS

- A. Piping installation requirements are specified in other Sections. Drawings indicate general arrangement of piping, fittings, and specialties. Install all piping in accordance with manufactures recommendations.
- B. Install piping adjacent to boiler to allow service and maintenance.
- C. Install electrical control items furnished by manufacturer per wiring diagram provided by manufacturer.
- D. Install drain line from boiler condensate neutralizer to nearest floor drain.
- E. Install piping from acid neutralizing device / equipment drain connection to discharge indirectly to nearest floor drain. Piping shall be at least full size of connection. Provide an isolation valve if required by manufacturer.
- F. Connect piping to boilers, except safety relief valve connections, with flexible connectors of materials suitable for service. Flexible connectors and their installation are specified in Section 232116 "Hydronic Piping Specialties."
- G. Safety relief valves shall be hard piped, full size of relief valve outlet. Pipe down to within 18" of floor or to nearest floor drain. Discharge at floor drain shall be indirect connection.
- H. Connect gas piping to boiler gas-train inlet with union and shut off valve. Piping shall be at least full size of gas-train connection. Provide a reducer if required.
- I. Connect hot-water piping to supply- and return-boiler tappings with shutoff valve and union or flange at each connection.
- J. Install piping from safety valves to drip-pan elbow and to nearest floor drain.
- K. Boiler Venting:
  - 1. Install flue venting kit and combustion-air intake.
  - 2. Connect full size to boiler connections. Comply with requirements in Section 235123 "Gas Vents."
  - 3. [Install one draft control damper for each boiler.](#)
- L. Ground equipment according to Section 260526 "Grounding and Bonding for Electrical Systems."
- M. Connect wiring according to Section 260519 "Low-Voltage Electrical Power Conductors and Cables."

## 3.4 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Testing Agency: Engage a qualified testing agency to perform tests and inspections.
- B. Manufacturer's Field Service: Engage a factory-authorized service representative to test and inspect components, assemblies, and equipment installations, including connections.
- C. Perform the following tests and inspections with the assistance of a factory-authorized service representative:
  - 1. Perform installation and startup checks according to manufacturer's written instructions.
  - 2. Leak Test: Hydrostatic test. Repair leaks and retest until no leaks exist.
  - 3. Operational Test: Start units to confirm proper motor rotation and unit operation. Adjust air-fuel ratio and combustion.
  - 4. Test and adjust controls and safeties. Replace damaged and malfunctioning controls and equipment.
    - a. Check and adjust initial operating set points and high- and low-limit safety set points of fuel supply, water level, and water temperature.
    - b. Set field-adjustable switches and circuit-breaker trip ranges as indicated.
- D. Boiler will be considered defective if it does not pass tests and inspections.
- E. Prepare test and inspection reports.
- F. Occupancy Adjustments: When requested within 12 months of date of Substantial Completion, provide on-site assistance in adjusting system to suit actual occupied conditions. Provide up to two visits to Project during other-than-normal occupancy hours for this purpose.
- G. Performance Tests:
  - 1. Engage a factory-authorized service representative to inspect component assemblies and equipment installations, including connections, and to conduct performance testing.
  - 2. Boilers shall comply with performance requirements indicated, as determined by field performance tests. Adjust, modify, or replace equipment to comply.
  - 3. Perform field performance tests to determine capacity and efficiency of boilers.
    - a. Test for full capacity.
    - b. Test for boiler efficiency at low fire 20, 40, 60, 80, 100, 80, 60, 40, and 20 percent of full capacity. Determine efficiency at each test point.
  - 4. Repeat tests until results comply with requirements indicated.
  - 5. Provide analysis equipment required to determine performance.
  - 6. Provide temporary equipment and system modifications necessary to dissipate the heat produced during tests if building systems are inadequate.
  - 7. Notify engineer 48 hours minimum in advance of test dates.
  - 8. Document test results in a report and submit to Architect.

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3.5 DEMONSTRATION

- A. Train Owner's maintenance personnel to adjust, operate, and maintain boilers. Refer to Section 017900 "Demonstration and Training."

END OF SECTION 235216

SECTION 23635 - REFRIGERANT DETECTION AND ALARM

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 1 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

1.2 SUMMARY

- A. This Section includes refrigerant monitors, notification appliances.

1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. CMOS: Complementary metal-oxide semiconductor.
- B. LCD: Liquid-crystal display.
- C. LED: Light-emitting diode.
- D. MOS: Metal-oxide semiconductor.

1.4 SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data:
  - 1. For each type of refrigerant monitor, include refrigerant sensing range in ppm, temperature and humidity range, alarm outputs, display range, furnished specialties, installation requirements, and electric power requirement.
- B. Shop Drawings:
  - 1. Wiring Diagrams: Power, signal, and control wiring.
  - 2. sensors and panels
  - 3. sequence of operation
- C. Coordination Drawings: Include machinery-room layout showing location of monitoring devices and air-sampling tubing with filter/inlet locations in relation to refrigerant equipment.
- D. Product Certificates: For monitoring devices signed by product manufacturer.
- E. Field quality-control test reports.

- F. Operation and Maintenance Data: For refrigerant monitoring equipment to include in emergency, operation, and maintenance manuals.

## 1.5 COORDINATION

- A. Coordinate refrigerant detection and alarm system with refrigerant contained in refrigeration equipment for compatibility.

## 1.6 EXTRA MATERIALS

- A. Not used

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

### 2.1 CMOS, MOS REFRIGERANT MONITOR

- A. Manufacturers: Haloguard, model Haloguard II
- B. Description: Sensor shall be factory tested, calibrated, and certified to continuously measure and display the specific gas concentration and shall be capable of indicating, alarming, shutting down fuel-fired equipment, and automatically activating ventilation system.
- C. ASHRAE: Monitoring system shall comply with ASHRAE 15.
- D. Performance:
1. Refrigerant to Be Monitored: R-134a.
  2. Range: 0 to 1000 ppm.
  3. Minimum Detectability: 50 ppm.
  4. Accuracy: Maximum 10 percent of full scale.
  5. Repeatability: Maximum plus or minus 2 percent of full scale.
  6. Response: Maximum 150 seconds for 90 percent of full scale, and 20-second step change.
  7. Detection Level Set Points:
    - a. Detection Level 1: 30 -50 ppm.
    - b. Detection Level 2: 250 - 350 ppm.
  8. Operating Temperature: 32 to 104 deg F.
  9. Relative Humidity: 20 to 95 percent, noncondensing over the operating temperature range.
- E. Input/Output Features:
1. Maximum Power Input: 120-V ac, 60 Hz, 75 W.
  2. Number of Sensor/Transmitter Points: One.
  3. Alarm Relays: Minimum 3 relays at a minimum of 5-A resistive load each.

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4. Alarm Set Points: Displayed and adjustable through keypad on front of meter.
5. Alarm Silence Switch: Mount in the front panel of the monitor to stop audible and visual notification appliances, but alarm LED remains illuminated.
6. Alarm Manual Reset: Momentary-contact push button in the front panel of the monitor stops audible and visual notification appliances, extinguishes alarm LED, and returns monitor to detection mode at current detection levels.
7. Display: Alphanumeric LCD, LED indicating lights for each detection level; acknowledge switch and test switch mounted on front panel; alarm status LEDs and service fault/trouble LEDs.
8. Audible Output: Minimum 75 dB at 10 feet.
9. Visible Output: Strobe light.
10. Analog Output: 0- to 10-V dc into 2k ohms, or 4- to 20-mA into 1k ohms.
11. Serial Output: RS-232 or RS-485 compatible with HVAC controls.
12. Enclosure: NEMA 250, Type 1, with locking quarter-turn latch and key.
13. furnish battery back up

## 2.2 MONITOR ALARM SEQUENCE

- A. Detection Level 1: this shall be in the range of 30ppm to 50ppm. Notify BMS control workstation of detection in the refrigeration equipment room on a rise of refrigerant concentration to this level. The fault light and horn strobe located at the panel shall be energized. Upon reduction in level below set point the horn and strobe shall be manually reset.
- B. Detection Level 2: this shall be in the range of 300ppm to 350ppm. Notify BMS control workstation of detection in the refrigeration equipment room on a rise of refrigerant concentration to this level. The fault light and horn strobe located at the panel shall be energized. The Chillers, cooling tower, boilers, and chiller primary pumps shall be stopped. The horn strobes at each of the entrance doors shall be energized. Outside air intake and exhaust dampers shall be opened and the exhaust fans REF-1 shall be started. Upon reduction in level below set point the horns and strobes shall be manually reset, fans shall stop and dampers shall close.
- C. Sensor Fault/Trouble: Notify HVAC control workstation of fault/trouble detection in monitor.

## 2.3 NOTIFICATION APPLIANCES

- A. Horns: Comply with UL 464; electric-vibrating-polarized type, listed by a qualified testing agency with provision for housing the operating mechanism behind a grille. Horns shall produce a sound-pressure level of 90 dBA, measured 10 feet from the horn.
- B. Visible Alarm Devices: Comply with UL 1971; three color xenon strobe lights, with clear or nominal white polycarbonate lens mounted on an aluminum faceplate. The words "REFRIGERANT DETECTION" printed in minimum 1/2-inch- high letters on the lens. Rated light output is 75 candela.
- C. Annealed-Temper Copper Tubing: ASTM B 88, Type L.

- D. Polyethylene Tubing: ASTM D 2737, flame-retardant, nonmetallic tubing rated for ambient temperature range of 10 to 150 deg F.

### PART 3 - EXECUTION

#### 3.1 INSTALLATION

- A. Comply with ASHRAE 15 and ASHRAE 147.
- B. Wall mount the refrigerant leak sensor to the column in the chiller room where shown on plan 12 to 18 inches above the floor. This location is near the refrigerant source and between the refrigerant source and the ventilation duct inlet.
- C. Mount the control panel on the same column 5' above the finished floor.
- D. Place warning signs inside and outside each door to the refrigeration equipment room. Sample wording: "AUDIBLE AND VISUAL ALARM SOUNDING INDICATES REFRIGERANT DETECTION"
- E. Audible Alarm-Indicating Devices: Install at each entry door to refrigeration equipment room, and position not less than 6 inches below the ceiling. Install horns on flush-mounted back boxes with the device-operating mechanism concealed behind a grille.
- F. Visible Alarm-Indicating Devices: Install adjacent to each alarm horn at each entry door to refrigeration equipment room, and position at least 6 inches below the ceiling.

#### 3.2 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Manufacturer's Field Service: Engage a factory-authorized service representative to inspect, test, and adjust components, assemblies, and equipment installations, including connections. Report results in writing. Submit tests and inspections and prepare test reports
1. Manufacturer's Field Service: Engage a factory-authorized service representative to inspect components, assemblies, and equipment installations, including connections, and to assist in testing.
- B. Tests and Inspections:
1. Inspect field-assembled components, equipment installation, and electrical connections for compliance with requirements.
  2. Test and adjust controls and safeties.
  3. Test Reports: Prepare a written report to record the following:
    - a. Test procedures used.
    - b. Test results that comply with requirements.
    - c. Test results that do not comply with requirements and corrective action taken to achieve compliance with requirements.

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- C. Repair or replace malfunctioning units and retest as specified above.

3.3 DEMONSTRATION

- A. Engage a factory-authorized service representative to train Owner's maintenance personnel to adjust, operate, and maintain refrigerant detection devices and SCBA equipment. Refer to requirements in Division 1 Section "Demonstration and Training."
- B. SCBA Training: Provide an instructional video that details operating procedures of equipment.

END OF SECTION 15635

## SECTION 236416 - CENTRIFUGAL WATER CHILLERS

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Section Includes:

- 1. Packaged, water-cooled, electric-motor-driven centrifugal chillers.
  - 2. Packaged, portable refrigerant-recovery units.
  - 3. Heat-exchanger, brush-cleaning system.

- B. Related Requirements:

- 1. Section 284400 "Refrigerant Detection and Alarm" for refrigerant monitors, alarms, supplemental breathing apparatus, and ventilation equipment interlocks.

#### 1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. COP: Coefficient of performance. The ratio of the rate of heat removal to the rate of energy input, using consistent units for any given set of rating conditions.
- B. DDC: Direct digital control.
- C. EER: Energy-efficiency ratio. The ratio of the cooling capacity given in terms of Btu/h to the total power input given in terms of watts at any given set of rating conditions.
- D. IPLV: Integrated part-load value. A single-number part-load efficiency figure of merit for a single chiller calculated according to the method defined by AHRI 550/590 and referenced to AHRI standard rating conditions.
- E. kVAR: Kilovolt-ampere reactive.
- F. kW/Ton: The ratio of total power input of the chiller in kilowatts to the net refrigerating capacity in tons at any given set of rating conditions.
- G. NPLV: Nonstandard part-load value. A single-number part-load efficiency figure of merit for a single chiller calculated according to the method defined by AHRI 550/590 and intended for operating conditions other than the AHRI standard rating conditions.
- H. SCCR: Short-circuit current rating.

## 1.4 ACTION SUBMITTALS

## A. Product Data: For each type of product.

1. Include refrigerant, rated capacities, operating characteristics, furnished specialties, and accessories.
2. Performance at AHRI standard conditions and at conditions indicated.
3. Performance at AHRI standard unloading conditions.
4. Minimum evaporator flow rate.
5. Minimum condenser flow rate.
6. Refrigerant capacity of chiller.
7. Oil capacity of chiller.
8. Fluid capacity of evaporator, condenser.
9. Characteristics of safety relief valves.
10. Minimum entering condenser-fluid temperature.
11. Performance at varying capacities with constant design condenser-fluid temperature. Repeat performance at varying capacities for different condenser-fluid temperatures from design to minimum in 5 deg F increments.
12. Force and moment capacity of each piping connection.

## B. Shop Drawings: Include plans, elevations, sections, details, and attachments to other work.

1. Detail equipment assemblies and indicate dimensions, weights, load distribution, required clearances, method of field assembly, components, and location and size of each field connection.
2. Wiring Diagrams: For power, signal, and control wiring.

## 1.5 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

## A. Coordination Drawings:

1. Drawings, drawn to scale, on which the following items are shown and coordinated with each other, using input from installers of the items involved:
  - a. Structural supports.
  - b. Piping roughing-in requirements.
  - c. Wiring roughing-in requirements, including spaces reserved for electrical equipment.
  - d. Access requirements, including working clearances for mechanical controls and electrical equipment, and tube pull and service clearances.
2. Coordination drawings showing plan, section, and elevation views, drawn to 3/8" = 1'-0" scale
3. Each view to show screened background with the following:
  - a. Column grids, beams, columns, and concrete housekeeping pads.
  - b. Room layout with walls, floors, and roofs, including each room name and number.
  - c. Equipment and products of other trades that are located in vicinity of chillers and part of final installation, such as lighting, fire-suppression, and plumbing systems.

- B. Certificates: For certification required in "Quality Assurance" Article.
- C. Seismic Qualification Data: Certificates, for chillers, accessories, and components, from manufacturer.
  - 1. Basis for Certification: Indicate whether withstand certification is based on actual test of assembled components or on calculation.
  - 2. Dimensioned Outline Drawings of Equipment Unit: Identify center of gravity and locate and describe mounting and anchorage provisions.
  - 3. Detailed description of equipment anchorage devices on which the certification is based and their installation requirements.
- D. Source quality-control reports.
- E. Field Quality-Control Reports: Startup service reports.
- F. Sample Warranty: For special warranty.

#### 1.6 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS

- A. Operation and Maintenance Data: For each chiller to include in emergency, operation, and maintenance manuals.
- B. Instructional Videos: Including those that are pre-recorded and those that are recorded during training.

#### 1.7 MAINTENANCE MATERIAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Tool kit to include the following:
  - 1. A tool kit specially designed by chiller manufacturer for use in servicing chiller(s) furnished.
  - 2. Special tools required to service chiller components not readily available to Owner service personnel in performing routine maintenance.
  - 3. Lockable case with hinged cover, marked with large and permanent text to indicate the special purpose of tool kit, such as "Chiller Tool Kit." Text size shall be at least 1 inch high.
  - 4. A list of each tool furnished. Permanently attach the list to underside of case cover. Text size shall be at least 1/2 inch high.
- B. Touch-up Paint: 32-oz. container of paint used for finish coat. Label outside of container with detailed description of paint to allow for procurement of a matching paint in the future.

#### 1.8 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. AHRI Certification: Certify chiller according to AHRI 550 certification program.

- B. Green Seal Compliance: Signed by manufacturer and Green Seal, certifying compliance with GS-31.

#### 1.9 DELIVERY, STORAGE, AND HANDLING

- A. Ship chillers from the factory fully charged with refrigerant.
- B. Ship each chiller with a full charge of refrigerant. Charge each chiller with nitrogen if refrigerant is shipped in containers separate from chiller.
- C. Ship each oil-lubricated chiller with a full charge of oil.
  - 1. Ship oil factory installed in chiller.
- D. Package chiller for export shipping in totally enclosed crate with bagging.

#### 1.10 WARRANTY

- A. Special Extended Warranty: Manufacturer agrees to repair or replace components of chillers that fail in materials or workmanship within specified warranty period.
  - 1. Extended warranties include, but are not limited to, the following:
    - a. Complete chiller, including refrigerant and oil charge.
    - b. Complete compressor and drive assembly, including refrigerant and oil charge.
    - c. Refrigerant and oil charge.
      - 1) Loss of refrigerant charge for any reason due to manufacturer product defect and product installation.
    - d. Parts and labor.
  - 2. Warranty Period: Five years from date of Substantial Completion.

### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

#### 2.1 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Condenser-Fluid Temperature Performance:
  - 1. Startup Condenser-Fluid Temperature: Chiller shall be capable of starting with an entering condenser-fluid temperature of 60 deg F and providing stable operation until the system temperature is elevated to the minimum operating entering condenser-fluid temperature.
  - 2. Minimum Operating Condenser-Fluid Temperature: Chiller shall be capable of continuous operation over the entire capacity range indicated with an entering condenser-fluid temperature of 65 deg F.

3. Make factory modifications to standard chiller design if necessary to comply with performance indicated.
- B. Site Altitude: Chiller shall be suitable for altitude at which installed without affecting performance indicated. Make adjustments to affected chiller components to account for site altitude.
- C. Performance Tolerance: Comply with the following in lieu of AHRI 550/590:
- D. ASHRAE Compliance:
  1. ASHRAE 15 for safety code for mechanical refrigeration.
  2. ASHRAE 147 for refrigerant leaks, recovery, and handling and storage requirements.
- E. ASHRAE/IES Compliance: Applicable requirements in ASHRAE/IES 90.1.
- F. ASME Compliance: Fabricate and label chillers to comply with ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code: Section VIII, Division 1, as applicable to chiller design. For chillers charged with R-134a refrigerant, include an ASME U-stamp and nameplate certifying compliance.
- G. Electrical Components, Devices, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.
- H. Comply with requirements of Underwriters Laboratories and include label by a qualified testing agency showing compliance.
- I. Operation Following Loss of Normal Power:
  1. Equipment associated factory- and field-installed controls, and associated electrical equipment and power supply connected to backup power system shall automatically return equipment and associated controls to the operating state occurring immediately before loss of normal power without need for manual intervention by an operator when power is restored either through a backup power source, or through normal power if restored before backup power is brought online.
  2. Refer to Drawings for equipment served by back-up power systems.
  3. Provide means and methods required to satisfy requirement, even if not explicitly indicated.

## 2.2 MANUFACTURERS

- A. Manufacturers: carrier shall be the basis of design. Subject to review and approval by the engineer and compliance with contract requirements, available manufacturers offering products that may be incorporated into the Work include, limited to the following:
  1. Carrier Global Corporation.
  2. Daikin Applied.
  3. YORK; brand of Johnson Controls International plc, Building Solutions North America.



## 2.3 MANUFACTURED UNIT

- A. Description: Factory-assembled and -tested chiller complete with compressor, compressor motor, compressor motor controller, lubrication system evaporator, condenser, controls, interconnecting unit piping and wiring, and indicated accessories.
1. Multi-Piece Assembly: Disassemble chiller into major assemblies as required by the installation after factory testing and before packaging for shipment.
  2. Dual-Compressor Chillers: For chillers with dual compressors, provide each compressor with a dedicated motor and motor controller, and provide for continued operation when either compressor-drive assembly fails.
- B. Fabricate chiller mounting base with reinforcement strong enough to resist chiller movement during a seismic event when chiller is anchored to field support structure.

## 2.4 COMPRESSOR-DRIVE ASSEMBLY

- A. Description: Single-stage or multistage, variable- or dynamic-displacement, centrifugal-type compressor driven by an electric motor.
- B. Oil-Free Technology:
1. Where indicated, compressors shall have oil-free technology using a permanent magnet synchronous motor, magnetic bearings, integral variable-frequency controller, and digital electronic controls.
    - a. Magnetic Bearings or Roller Element Bearings:
      - 1) Levitated shaft position shall be actively controlled and monitored by an X-, Y-, and Z-axis digital position sensor.
      - 2) Compressor assembly shall be capable of coming to a controlled, safe stop without damage during a power failure by diverting stored power to the magnetic bearing control system.
    - b. Integrate monitoring and controls associated with magnetic bearings into chiller controls, including following:
      - 1) Operating Information: Positions, currents, temperatures, rotor elongation, and speed.
      - 2) Warning Messages: Vibration.
      - 3) Safety Shutdown: Internal fault, high bearing temperature or current, startup failure, speed signal fault, overspeed fault, communication error, rotor elongation, oscillator fault, rotor contraction, unauthorized rotation, and high and low voltage.
      - 4) Cycling Shutdown: Position, low-frequency displacement, vibration, speed signal fault, startup failure, serial communications fault.
- C. Compressor:
1. Casing: Cast iron, precision ground.

2. Impeller: High-strength cast-aluminum or cast-aluminum alloy on carbon- or alloy-steel shaft.
- D. Drive: Gear-drive, hermetic Gear-drive, open design, using an electric motor as the driver.
1. Gear Drives:
    - a. For chillers with oil-lubricated gear drives, provide single- or double-helical gear design continuously coated with oil while chiller is operating.
    - b. For chillers with oil-free technology, gear drives shall be of single- or double-helical gear design without the need for oil while chiller is operating, starting, and stopping.
    - c. Gears shall comply with American Gear Manufacturer Association standards.
  2. Drive Coupling: For chillers with open drives, provide flexible disc with all-metal construction and no wearing parts to ensure long life without the need for lubrication.
  3. Seals: Seal drive assembly to prevent refrigerant leakage.
- E. Compressor Motor:
1. Continuous-duty, squirrel-cage, induction-type, two-pole motor with energy efficiency required to suit chiller energy efficiency indicated.
  2. Factory mounted, aligned, and balanced as part of compressor assembly before shipping.
  3. Motor shall be of sufficient capacity to drive compressor throughout entire operating range without overload and with sufficient capacity to start and accelerate compressor without damage.
  4. For chillers with open drives, provide motor with open-drip-proof enclosure.
  5. Provide open-drive motor with internal electric heater, internally powered from chiller power supply.
- F. Vibration Balance: Balance chiller compressor and drive assembly to provide a precision balance that is free of noticeable vibration over the entire operating range.
1. Overspeed Test: At least 25 percent above design operating speed.
  2. Vibration Limits: Velocities not to exceed 0.15 inches/s and 0.8 mils peak to peak on all axes.
- G. Service: Easily accessible for inspection and service.
1. Compressor's internal components shall be accessible without having to remove compressor-drive assembly from chiller.
  2. Provide lifting lugs or eyebolts attached to casing.
- H. Economizers: For multistage chillers, provide interstage economizers.
- I. Capacity Control: Modulating, variable-inlet, guide-vane assembly combined with hot-gas bypass, if necessary, to achieve performance indicated.
1. Maintain stable operation that is free of surge, cavitation, and vibration throughout range of operation. Configure to achieve most energy-efficient operation possible.

2. Operating Range: From 100 to 5 percent of design capacity.
  3. Condenser-Fluid Unloading Requirements over Operating Range: Constant-design of entering condenser-fluid temperature.
  4. Chillers with variable-frequency controllers shall modulate compressor speed with variable-inlet, guide-vane control to achieve optimum energy efficiency.
  5. Avoid use of hot-gas bypass if other options are available to achieve performance indicated. Apply hot-gas bypass according to ASHRAE/IES 90.1 and governing codes.
- J. Oil Lubrication System: Consisting of pump, filtration, heater, cooler, factory-wired power connection, and controls.
1. Bearings, gears, and other rotating surfaces shall be lubricated at all operating, startup, coast down, and standby conditions, including power failure.
  2. Thermostatically controlled oil heater properly sized to remove refrigerant from oil.
  3. Dual oil filters, one redundant, shall be the easily replaceable cartridge type, minimum 0.3-micron efficiency, with means of positive isolation while servicing.
  4. Refrigerant- or water-cooled oil cooler.
  5. Factory-installed and pressure-tested piping with isolation valves and accessories.
  6. Oil compatible with refrigerant and chiller components.
  7. Positive visual indication of oil level.

## 2.5 REFRIGERATION

- A. Refrigerant:
1. Type: R-134a; ASHRAE 34, Class A1.
  2. Compatibility: Chiller parts exposed to refrigerants shall be fully compatible with refrigerants, and pressure components shall be rated for refrigerant pressures.
- B. Refrigerant Flow Control: Manufacturer's standard refrigerant flow-control device satisfying performance requirements indicated.
- C. Pressure Relief Device:
1. Comply with requirements in ASHRAE 15, ASHRAE 147, and applicable portions of ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code, Section VIII, Division 1.
  2. Select and configure pressure relief devices to protect against corrosion and inadvertent release of refrigerant.
  3. Where dual pressure relief devices are installed in series, provide a sensor with indicator between devices to indicate refrigerant release past first device.
  4. For Chillers Using R-134a: ASME-rated, spring-loaded, pressure relief valve; single- or multiple-reseating type. Pressure relief valve(s) shall be provided for each heat exchanger. Condenser shall have dual valves with one being redundant and configured to allow either valve to be replaced without loss of refrigerant.
- D. Refrigeration Transfer: Provide service valves and other factory-installed accessories required to facilitate transfer of refrigerant from chiller to a remote refrigerant storage and recycling system. Comply with requirements in ASHRAE 15 and ASHRAE 147.

## E. Refrigerant Isolation for Chillers Using R-134a:

1. Factory install positive shutoff, manual isolation valves in the compressor discharge line to the condenser and the refrigerant liquid line leaving the condenser to allow for isolation and storage of full refrigerant charge in the chiller condenser shell.
2. Suction side of compressor from evaporator shall have an isolation valve to allow for isolation and storage of full refrigerant charge in the chiller evaporator shell.

## F. Positive-Pressure System:

1. For chillers operating at sub-atmospheric pressures (using R-123 refrigerant), factory install an automatic positive-pressure system.
2. During nonoperational periods, positive-pressure system shall automatically maintain a positive pressure for atmosphere in the refrigerant-pressure vessel of not less than 0.5 psig adjustable up to a pressure that remains within the vessel design pressure limits.
3. System shall be factory wired and include controller, electric heat, pressure transmitter, or switch.

## 2.6 EVAPORATOR

- A. Description: Shell-and-tube design, with water in tubes and refrigerant surrounding tubes within shell. Shell is separate from condenser.
- B. Shell Material: Carbon-steel rolled plates with continuously welded seams or seamless pipe.
- C. Designed to prevent liquid refrigerant carryover from entering compressor.
- D. Evaporator shall have sight glass or other form of positive visual verification of liquid-refrigerant level.
- E. Tubes:
1. Individually replaceable from either end and without damage to tube sheets and other tubes.
  2. Mechanically expanded into end sheets and intermediate tube sheets.
  3. Material: Copper, copper-nickel alloy, stainless steel, or titanium.
  4. Nominal OD: 3/4 or 1 inch.
  5. Minimum Wall Thickness: 0.025 inch or greater
  6. External Finish: Manufacturer's standard.
  7. Internal Finish: Enhanced or smooth.
- F. End Tube Sheets: Continuously welded to each end of shell; drilled and reamed to accommodate tubes, with positive seal between fluid in tubes and refrigerant in shell.
- G. Intermediate Tube Sheets: Installed in shell and spaced along length of tube at intervals required to eliminate vibration and to avoid contact of tubes resulting in abrasion and wear, but not more than 4 feet apart.
- H. Water Box: (not Used)

1. Cast-iron or carbon-steel construction; arranged to provide visual inspection and cleaning of tubes from either end without disturbing refrigerant in shell.
2. Standard or Marine type for water box with piping connections; standard type for water box without piping connections.
3. Provide water boxes and marine water-box covers with lifting lugs or eyebolts.
4. Hinged or davited water boxes.
5. Hinged or davited marine water-box covers.
6. Nozzle Pipe Connections: Welded, ASME B16.5, flat-face flange or Welded, ASME B16.5, raised-face flange.
7. Thermistor or RTD temperature sensor factory installed in each nozzle.
8. Fit each water box with 3/4- or 1-inch drain connection at low point and vent connection at high point, each with threaded plug.

I. Additional Corrosion Protection:

1. Electrolytic corrosion-inhibitor anode, zinc.
2. Coat wetted surfaces with a corrosion-resistant finish.
3. Using same material as tubes, clad surfaces of end tube sheets in contact with fluid. Coat other wetted surfaces, including water boxes, with a corrosion-resistant finish.

J. Flow Sensor: Thermal dispersion type, factory calibrated for project-specific application.

## 2.7 CONDENSER

- A. Description: Shell-and-tube design, with water in tubes and refrigerant surrounding tubes within shell. Shell is separate from evaporator.
- B. Shell Material: Carbon-steel rolled plates with continuously welded seams or seamless pipe.
- C. Designed to prevent direct impingement of high-velocity hot gas from compressor discharge on tubes.
- D. Condenser shall have sight glass or other form of positive visual verification of refrigerant charge and condition.
- E. Tubes:
1. Individually replaceable from either end and without damage to tube sheets and other tubes.
  2. Mechanically expanded into end sheets and intermediate tube sheets.
  3. Material: Copper, copper-nickel alloy, stainless steel, or titanium.
  4. Nominal OD: 3/4 or 1 inch.
  5. Minimum Wall Thickness: 0.025 inch minimum.
  6. External Finish: Manufacturer's standard.
  7. Internal Finish: Enhanced or smooth.
- F. End Tube Sheets: Continuously welded to each end of shell; drilled and reamed to accommodate tubes, with positive seal between fluid in tubes and refrigerant in shell.

- G. Intermediate Tube Sheets: Installed in shell and spaced along length of tube at intervals required to eliminate vibration and to avoid contact of tubes resulting in abrasion and wear, but not more than 4 feet apart.
- H. Water Box: (not Used)
1. Cast-iron or carbon-steel construction; arranged to provide visual inspection and cleaning of tubes from either end without disturbing refrigerant in shell.
  2. Standard or Marine type for water box with piping connections. Standard type for water box without piping connections.
  3. Water boxes and marine water-box covers shall have lifting lugs or eyebolts.
  4. Hinged or davited water boxes.
  5. Hinged or davited marine water-box covers.
  6. Nozzle Pipe Connections: Welded, ASME B16.5, flat-face flange or Welded, ASME B16.5, raised-face flange.
  7. Thermistor or RTD temperature sensor factory installed in each nozzle.
  8. Fit each water box with 3/4- or 1-inch drain connection at low point and vent connection at high point, each with threaded plug.
- I. Additional Corrosion Protection:
1. Electrolytic corrosion-inhibitor anode, zinc.
  2. Coat wetted surfaces with a corrosion-resistant finish.
  3. Using same material as tubes, clad surfaces of end tube sheets in contact with fluid. Coat other wetted surfaces, including water boxes, with a corrosion-resistant finish.
- J. Flow Sensor: Thermal dispersion type, factory calibrated for project-specific application.

## 2.8 INSULATION

- A. Closed-cell, flexible elastomeric thermal insulation complying with ASTM C534, Type I for tubular materials and Type II for sheet materials.
1. Thickness: 1-1/2 inches.
- B. Adhesive: As recommended by insulation manufacturer.
- C. Factory-applied insulation over all cold surfaces of chiller capable of forming condensation. Components shall include, but not be limited to, evaporator shell and end tube sheets, evaporator water boxes including nozzles, refrigerant suction pipe from evaporator to compressor, cold surfaces of compressor, refrigerant-cooled motor, and auxiliary piping.
1. Apply adhesive to 100 percent of insulation contact surface.
  2. Before insulating steel surfaces, prepare surfaces for paint, and prime and paint as indicated for other painted components. Do not insulate unpainted steel surfaces.
  3. Seal seams and joints to provide a vapor barrier.
  4. After adhesive has fully cured, paint exposed surfaces of insulation to match other painted parts.

5. Manufacturer has option to factory or field insulate chiller components installed in multiple pieces to reduce potential for damage during installation.
6. Manufacturer has option to factory or field insulate water boxes and nozzles to reduce potential for damage during installation.

D. Field-Applied Insulation:

1. Components that are not factory insulated shall be field insulated to comply with requirements indicated.
2. Manufacturer shall be responsible for chiller insulation whether factory or field installed, to ensure manufacturer is the single point of responsibility for chillers.
3. Manufacturer factory-authorized service representative shall instruct and supervise installation of field-applied insulation.
4. After field-applied insulation is complete, paint insulation to match factory-applied finish.

## 2.9 ELECTRICAL

- A. Factory installed and wired, and functionally tested at factory before shipment.
- B. Single-point, field-power connection to nonfused disconnect switch. Minimum short circuit current rating (SCCR) according to UL 508 shall be as required by electrical power distribution system, but not less than 65,000 A.
  1. Branch power circuit to each motor, electric heater, dedicated electrical load, and control, with circuit breaker or disconnect switch having SCCR to match main disconnecting means.
    - a. NEMA KS 1, heavy-duty fusible switch with rejection-type fuse clips rated for fuses. Select and size fuses to provide Type 2 protection according to IEC 60947-4-1.
    - b. NEMA AB 1, motor-circuit protector (circuit breaker) with field-adjustable, short-circuit-trip set point.
  2. NEMA ICS 2-rated motor controller for auxiliary motors, hand-off-auto switch, and overcurrent protection for each motor. Provide variable-frequency controller for each variable-speed motor furnished.
  3. Control-circuit transformer with primary and secondary side fuses.
- C. Terminal blocks with numbered and color-coded wiring to match wiring diagram. Spare wiring terminal block for connection to external controls or equipment.
- D. Factory install and wire capacitor bank for the purpose of power factor correction to 0.95 at all operating conditions.
  1. If capacitors are mounted in a dedicated enclosure, use same NEMA enclosure type as that for motor controller. Provide enclosure with service entrance knockouts and bushings for conduit.

2. Capacitors shall be of non-PCB dielectric fluid, metallized electrode design, with low loss with low-temperature rise. The kVAR ratings shall be indicated and shall not exceed the maximum limitations set by NFPA 70. Provide individual cells as required.
3. Provide each cell with current-limiting replaceable fuses and carbon-film discharge resistors to reduce residual voltage to less than 50 V within one minute after de-energizing.
4. Provide a ground terminal and a terminal block or individual connectors for phase connection.

## 2.10 MOTOR CONTROLLER

- A. Enclosure: Factory installed, unit mounted, NEMA 250, Type 1, with hinged full-front access door with lock and key or padlock and key.
- B. Control Circuit: Obtained from integral control power transformer with a control power source of enough capacity to operate connected control devices.
- C. Overload Relay shall be sized according to UL 1995 or shall be an integral component of chiller control microprocessor.
- D. Accessories: Devices shall be factory installed in controller enclosure unless otherwise indicated.
  1. Externally Operated Disconnect: Nonfused disconnect switch. Short circuit current rating (SCCR) according to UL 508 shall be as required by electrical power distribution system, but not less than 65,000 A.
  2. Push-Button Stations, Pilot Lights, and Selector Switches: NEMA ICS 2, heavy-duty type.
  3. Stop and Lockout Push-Button Station: Momentary-break, push-button station with a factory-applied hasp arranged so padlock can be used to lock push button in depressed position with control circuit open.
  4. Control Relays: Time-delay relays.
  5. Elapsed-Time Meters: Numerical readout in hours on face of enclosure.
  6. Number-of-Starts Counter: Numerical readout on face of enclosure.
  7. Meters: Panel type, 4-1/4 inches with 90-degree scale and 1 percent accuracy. Where indicated, provide transfer device with an off position. Meters shall indicate the following:
    - a. Ammeter: Output current for each phase, with current sensors rated to suit application.
    - b. Voltmeter: Output voltage for each phase.
    - c. Frequency Meter: Output frequency.
    - d. Real-time clock with current time and date.
    - e. Total run time.
    - f. .
  8. Multifunction Digital-Metering Monitor: Microprocessor-based unit suitable for three- or four-wire systems and with the following features:



- a. Selectable, digital display of the following:
    - 1) Phase Currents, Each Phase: Plus or minus 1 percent.
    - 2) Phase-to-Phase Voltages, Three Phase: Plus or minus 1 percent.
    - 3) Phase-to-Neutral Voltages, Three Phase: Plus or minus 1 percent.
    - 4) Three-Phase Real Power: Plus or minus 2 percent.
    - 5) Three-Phase Reactive Power: Plus or minus 2 percent.
    - 6) Power Factor: Plus or minus 2 percent.
    - 7) Frequency: Plus or minus 0.5 percent.
    - 8) Integrated Demand with Demand Interval Selectable from Five to 60 Minutes: Plus or minus 2 percent.
    - 9) Accumulated energy, in megawatt hours (joules), plus or minus 2 percent; stored values unaffected by power outages for up to 72 hours.
  - b. Mounting: Display and control unit flush or semirecessed in instrument compartment door.
9. Phase-Failure, Phase-Reversal, Undervoltage Relays: Solid-state sensing circuit with adjustable undervoltage setting and isolated output contacts for hardwired connection.
  10. Power Protection: Chiller shall shut down within six cycles of power interruption.

## 2.11 VARIABLE-FREQUENCY CONTROLLER

- A. Motor controller shall be factory mounted and wired on the chiller to provide a single-point, field-power termination to the chiller and its auxiliaries.
- B. Description: NEMA ICS 2; listed and labeled according to UL 508 as a complete unit and arranged to provide variable speed by adjusting output voltage and frequency.
- C. Enclosure: Unit mounted, NEMA 250, Type 1, with hinged full-front access door with lock and key.
- D. Integral Disconnecting Means: NEMA AB 1, instantaneous-trip circuit breaker with lockable handle. Minimum short circuit current rating (SCCR) according to UL 508 shall be as required by electrical power distribution system, but not less than 100,000 A.
- E. Technology: Pulse width modulated (PWM) output with insulated gate bipolar transistors; suitable for variable torque loads.
- F. Controller shall consist of a rectifier converter section, a digital/analog driver regulator section, and an inverter output section.
  1. Rectifier section shall be a full-wave diode bridge that changes fixed-voltage, fixed-frequency, ac line power to a fixed dc voltage. Silicon controller rectifiers, current source inverters, and paralleling of devices are unacceptable. Rectifier shall be insensitive to phase rotation of the ac line.
  2. Regulator shall provide full digital control of frequency and voltage.

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3. Inverter section shall change fixed dc voltage to variable-frequency, variable ac voltage for application to a squirrel-cage motor. Inverter shall produce a sine-coded, PWM output waveform and shall conduct no RFI back to the input power supply.
- G. Output Rating: Three phase, with voltage proportional to frequency throughout voltage range.
- H. Operating Requirements:
  1. Input AC Voltage Tolerance: 460-V ac, plus 10 percent or 506 V maximum.
  2. Input frequency tolerance of 60 Hz, plus or minus 2 Hz.
  3. Capable of driving full load, without derating, under the following conditions:
    - a. Ambient Temperature: to 50 deg C.
    - b. Relative Humidity: Up to 95 percent (noncondensing).
    - c. Altitude: Up to 3300 feet.
  4. Minimum Efficiency: 96 percent at 60 Hz, full load.
  5. Minimum Displacement Primary-Side Power Factor: 95 percent without harmonic filter; 98 percent with harmonic filter.
  6. Overload Capability: 1.05 times the full-load current for seven seconds.
  7. Starting Torque: As required by compressor-drive assembly.
  8. Speed Regulation: Plus or minus 1 percent.
  9. Isolated control interface to allow controller to follow control signal over a 10:1 speed range.
  10. To avoid equipment resonant vibrations, provide critical speed lockout circuitry to allow bands of operating frequency at which controller shall not operate continuously.
  11. Capable of being restarted into a motor coasting in either the forward or reverse direction without tripping.
- I. Internal Adjustability Capabilities: Integral to controller or through chiller control panel.
  1. Minimum Output Frequency: 6 Hz.
  2. Maximum Output Frequency: 60 Hz.
  3. Acceleration: Two seconds to a minimum of 60 seconds.
  4. Deceleration: Two seconds to a minimum of 60 seconds.
  5. Current Limit: 30 percent to a minimum of 100 percent of maximum rating.
- J. Self-Protection and Reliability Features: Subjecting the controller to any of the following conditions shall not result in component failure or the need for replacement:
  1. Overtemperature.
  2. Short circuit at controller output.
  3. Ground fault at controller output. Variable-frequency controller shall be able to start a grounded motor.
  4. Open circuit at controller output.
  5. Input undervoltage.
  6. Input overvoltage.
  7. Loss of input phase.
  8. Reverse phase.
  9. AC line switching transients.

10. Instantaneous overload, line to line or line to ground.
  11. Sustained overload exceeding 100 percent of controller-rated current.
  12. Starting a rotating motor.
- K. Motor Protection: Controller shall protect motor against overvoltage and undervoltage, phase loss, reverse phase, overcurrent, overtemperature, and ground fault.
- L. Automatic Reset and Restart:
1. Capable of three restarts after controller fault or on return of power after an interruption and before shutting down for manual reset or fault correction.
  2. Controller shall be capable of automatic restart on phase-loss and overvoltage and undervoltage trips.
- M. Visual Indication: On face of controller enclosure or chiller control enclosure. indicating the following conditions:
1. Power on.
  2. Run.
  3. Overvoltage.
  4. Line fault.
  5. Overcurrent.
  6. External fault.
  7. Motor speed (percent).
  8. Fault or alarm status (code).
  9. DC-link voltage.
  10. Motor output voltage.
  11. Input kilovolt amperes.
  12. Total power factor.
  13. Input kilowatts.
  14. Input kilowatt-hours.
  15. Three-phase input voltage.
  16. Three-phase output voltage.
  17. Three-phase input current.
  18. Three-phase output current.
  19. Three-phase input voltage THD.
  20. Three-phase input current THD.
  21. Output frequency (Hertz).
  22. Elapsed operating time (hours).
  23. Diagnostic and service parameters.
- N. Operator Interface: At controller or chiller control panel; with start-stop and auto-manual selector with manual-speed-control potentiometer.
- O. Control Signal Interface:
1. Electric Input Signal Interface: A minimum of two analog inputs (0 to 10 V or 0/4-20 mA) and six programmable digital inputs.
  2. Manufacturer has option to incorporate control signal interface into chiller control panel.

- P. Active Harmonic Distortion Filter:
  - 1. Factory mounted and wired to limit total voltage and current distortion to 5 percent.
- Q. Input Line Conditioning:
- R. Cooling: Air or Refrigerant cooled.
- S. Accessories: Devices shall be factory installed in controller enclosure unless otherwise indicated.
  - 1. Control Relays: Auxiliary and adjustable time-delay relays.
- T. Chiller Capacity Control Interface: Equip chiller with adaptive control logic to automatically adjust the compressor motor speed and the compressor pre-rotation inlet vane position independently to achieve maximum part-load efficiency in response to sensor inputs that are integral to the chiller controls.

## 2.12 CONTROLS

- A. Control: Standalone and microprocessor based, with all memory stored in nonvolatile memory, so that reprogramming is not required on loss of electrical power.
- B. Enclosure: Unit mounted, NEMA 250, Type 1, hinged or lockable, factory wired with a single-point, with field-power connection and a separate control circuit.
- C. Factory-installed wiring outside of enclosures shall be in a NFPA 70-approved raceway.
- D. Operator Interface: Multiple-character digital or graphic display with dynamic update of information and with keypad or touch-sensitive display located on front of control enclosure. In either imperial or metric units selectable through the interface, display the following information:
  - 1. Date and time.
  - 2. Operating or alarm status.
  - 3. Fault history with not less than last 10 faults displayed.
  - 4. Set points of controllable parameters.
  - 5. Trend data.
  - 6. Operating hours.
  - 7. Number of chiller starts.
  - 8. Outdoor-air temperature or space temperature if required for chilled-water reset.
  - 9. Entering- and leaving-fluid temperatures of evaporator and condenser.
  - 10. Difference in fluid temperatures of evaporator and condenser.
  - 11. Fluid flow of evaporator and condenser.
  - 12. Fluid-pressure drop of evaporator and condenser.
  - 13. Refrigerant pressures in evaporator and condenser.
  - 14. Refrigerant saturation temperature in evaporator and condenser shell.
  - 15. Compressor refrigerant suction and discharge temperature.
  - 16. Compressor bearing temperature.

17. Motor bearing temperature.
18. Motor winding temperature.
19. Oil temperature.
20. Oil discharge pressure.
21. Phase current.
22. Percentage of motor-rated load amperage.
23. Phase voltage.
24. Demand power (kilowatts).
25. Energy use (kilowatt-hours).
26. Power factor.
27. For chillers equipped with variable-frequency controllers and harmonic filters, include the following:
  - a. Output voltage and frequency.
  - b. Voltage THD for each phase.
  - c. Supply current TDD for each phase.
  - d. Inlet vane position.
  - e. Controller internal ambient temperature.
  - f. Heatsink temperature.
28. Purge suction temperature if purge system is provided.
29. Purge elapsed time if purge system is provided.
30. .

E. Control Functions:

1. Manual or automatic startup and shutdown time schedule.
2. Entering and leaving chilled-water temperatures, control set points, and motor load limits. Evaporator-fluid temperature shall be reset based on return-water or outdoor-air temperature as programmed
3. Current limit and demand limit.
4. Condenser-fluid temperature.
5. External chiller emergency stop.
6. Variable evaporator flow.
7. Thermal storage.
8. Heat reclaim.

F. Manually Reset Safety Controls: The following conditions shall shut down chiller and require manual reset:

1. Low evaporator pressure or temperature; high condenser pressure.
2. Low evaporator-fluid temperature.
3. Low oil differential pressure.
4. High or low oil pressure.
5. High oil temperature.
6. High compressor-discharge temperature.
7. Loss of condenser-fluid flow.
8. Loss of evaporator-fluid flow.
9. Motor overcurrent.
10. Motor overvoltage.

11. Motor undervoltage.
  12. Motor phase reversal.
  13. Motor phase failure.
  14. Sensor- or detection-circuit fault.
  15. Processor communication loss.
  16. Motor controller fault.
  17. Extended compressor surge.
- G. Trending: Capability to trend analog data of up to five parameters simultaneously over an adjustable period and frequency of polling.
- H. Security Access: Provide electronic security access to controls through identification and password, with at least three levels of access: view only; view and operate; and view, operate, and service.
- I. Control Authority: At least four conditions: Off, local manual control at chiller, local automatic control at chiller, and automatic control through a remote source.
- J. Communication Port: RS-232 port, USB 2.0 port or higher, or equivalent connection capable of connecting a printer and a notebook computer.
- K. DDC System Interface: Factory install hardware and software to enable system to monitor, control, and display chiller status and alarms.
1. Communication Interface: **ASHRAE 135 (BACnet)** communication interface shall enable control system operator to remotely control and monitor the chiller from an operator workstation.
    - a. Control features and monitoring points displayed locally at chiller control panel shall be available through the control system, including, as a minimum, the following:
      - 1) Start-stop command from remote source.
      - 2) Unit control source, local, analog, digital or modem.
      - 3) Chiller control panel start-stop.
      - 4) Accumulated operating hours.
      - 5) Accumulated starts.
      - 6) Compressor motor status.
      - 7) Unit operation code.
      - 8) Unit safety fault code.
      - 9) Unit cycling fault code.
      - 10) Chilled-water pump status.
      - 11) Chilled-water flow proof.
      - 12) Chilled-water entering temperature.
      - 13) Chilled-water leaving temperature.
      - 14) Chilled-water leaving temperature set-point adjustment from remote source.
      - 15) Condenser(s) water entering temperature.
      - 16) Condenser(s) water leaving temperature.
      - 17) Evaporator refrigerant pressure.
      - 18) Condenser(s) refrigerant pressure.

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- 19) Evaporator refrigerant saturation temperature.
- 20) Condenser(s) refrigerant saturation temperature.
- 21) Refrigerant discharge temperature.
- 22) Refrigerant level.
- 23) Refrigerant liquid level set point.
- 24) Oil pressure differential.
- 25) Oil sump pressure.
- 26) Oil pump pressure.
- 27) Oil sump temperature.
- 28) High-speed thrust bearing proximity position.
- 29) High-speed thrust bearing proximity reference.
- 30) Motor current percent of full-load amps.
- 31) Motor current phase A.
- 32) Motor current phase B.
- 33) Motor current phase C.
- 34) Motor current set-point adjustment from remote source.
- 35) Motor bearing shaft end vibration.
- 36) Motor bearing opposite shaft end vibration.
- 37) Motor bearing shaft end temperature.
- 38) Motor bearing opposite shaft end temperature.
- 39) Motor average winding temperature.
- 40) Variable-frequency controller selection, auto or fixed.
- 41) Variable-frequency controller output voltage.
- 42) Variable-frequency controller input power, rate.
- 43) Variable-frequency controller input power, consumption.
- 44) Variable-frequency controller DC bus voltage.
- 45) Variable-frequency controller inverter link current.
- 46) Variable-frequency controller output frequency.
- 47) Variable-frequency controller internal ambient temperature.
- 48) Variable-frequency controller converter heatsink temperature.
- 49) Variable-frequency controller harmonic filter installed, true or false.
- 50) Harmonic Filter THD at maximum voltage, percent.
- 51) Harmonic filter total demand distortion at maximum current, percent.
- 52) Harmonic filter total supply kVA.
- 53) Anti-recycle time remaining.
- 54) Liquid line solenoid.
- 55) Pre-rotation vanes position.
- 56) Adaptive capacity control valve surge map installed, true or false.
- 57) Adaptive capacity control new surge point, true or false.
- 58) Adaptive capacity control surge type, pressure differential or current.
- 59) Adaptive capacity control surge count.
- 60) Adaptive capacity control PRV position.
- 61) Adaptive capacity control output frequency.

L. Quick-Start Feature:

1. Automatically restore chiller operation up to 100 percent capacity within three minutes after a 15 -second power interruption.

2. Quick-start feature shall ensure guide vanes remain open following a power interruption event and quick ramp-up speed logic is employed to facilitate shortest time to deliver chilled water at set-point temperature.
3. Chiller manufacturer shall provide integral UPS unit(s) with chiller controls if required to keep chiller integral controls operational to comply with requirement.
4. Chiller manufacturer shall demonstrate chiller start time with the quick-start feature enabled while simulating power fault, power service return, restart time, and capacity control, to produce desired chilled-water temperature at load indicated.

## 2.13 FINISH

- A. Paint chiller, using manufacturer's standard procedures, except comply with the following minimum requirements:
1. Provide at least one coat of primer with a total dry film thickness of at least 1.5 mils.
  2. Provide at least one coat of alkyd-modified, vinyl enamel or epoxy finish with a total dry film thickness of at least 2 mils. minimum
  3. Paint surfaces that are to be insulated before applying the insulation.
  4. Paint installed insulation to match adjacent uninsulated surfaces.
  5. Color of finish coat shall be manufacturer's standard.

## 2.14 UNIT MOUNTED VARIABLE FREQUENCY DRIVE

- A. Design:
1. VFD shall be refrigerant cooled, microprocessor based, pulse width modulated (PWM) design. Water cooled designs are not acceptable.
  2. Output power devices shall be insulated gate bipolar transistors (IGBTs).
  3. Converter section with full-wave fixed diode bridge rectifier shall convert incoming fixed voltage/frequency to fixed DC voltage.
  4. DC link shall filter and smooth the converted DC voltage.
  5. Transistorized inverter and control regulator shall convert fixed DC voltage to a sinusoidal PWM waveform.
  6. Integrated controls shall coordinate motor speed and guide vane position to optimize chiller performance over a wide variety of operating conditions.
  7. Surge prevention and surge protection algorithms shall take action to prevent surge and move chiller operation away from surge.
- B. Enclosure:
1. Pre-painted, unit mounted NEMA 1 cabinet shall include hinged, lockable doors and removable lifting lugs.
  2. VFD shall have a short circuit interrupt and withstand rating of at least 100,000 amps.
  3. Provisions to padlock main disconnect handle in the "Off" positions shall be provided. Mechanical interlock to prevent opening cabinet door with disconnect in the "On" position or moving disconnect to the "ON" position while the door is open shall be provided.
  4. Provisions shall be made for top entry of incoming line power cables.

- C. Heat Sink:



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1. The heat sink shall be refrigerant cooled. Heat sink and mating flanges shall be suitable for ASME design working pressure of 185 psig (1276 kPa).
  2. Refrigerant cooling shall be metered by integrated standard controls to maintain heat sink temperature within acceptable limits for ambient temperature.
- D. VFD Rating:
1. Drive shall be suitable for nameplate voltage  $\pm 10\%$ .
  2. Drive shall be suitable for continuous operation at 100% of nameplate amps and 150% of nameplate amps for 3 seconds.
  3. Drive shall comply with applicable UL, CE, and NEMA standards.
  4. Drive shall be suitable for operation in ambient temperatures between 40 and 104°F (4.4 and 40°C), 95% humidity (non-condensing) for altitudes up to 3300 ft (1006 m) above sea level. Specific drive performance at jobsite ambient temperature and elevation shall be provided by the manufacturer in the bid.
- E. User Interface:
1. Displays shall provide interface for programming and display of VFD and chiller parameters. Viewable parameters include:
  2. Operating, configuration and fault messages
  3. Frequency in hertz
  4. Load and line side voltage and current (at the VFD)
  5. kW (on the VFD interface)
- F. VFD Performance:
1. VFD full load efficiency shall meet or exceed 97% at 100% VFD Rated ampacity.
  2. Displacement Input Power Factor shall meet or exceed 95% soft start, linear acceleration, coast to stop.
  3. Base motor frequency shall be either 50 or 60 Hz. Adjustable frequency range from 38 to 60 Hz or 32.5 to 50 Hz.
- G. VFD Electrical Service (single point power):
1. VFD shall have input circuit breaker with minimum 100,000 amp interrupt capacity.
  2. VFD shall have standard 15 amp branch oil pump circuit breaker to provide power for chiller oil pump.
  3. VFD shall have standard 3 kva control power transformer with circuit breaker provides power for oil heater, VFD controls and chiller controls.
  4. The branch oil pump circuit breaker and control power transformer shall be factory wired.
  5. Input power shall be 380/480 vac,  $\pm 10$  percent, 3 phase, 50/60 Hz,  $\pm 3$  Hz.
- H. Discrete Outputs:
1. 115-v discrete contact outputs shall be provided for:
  2. Circuit breaker shunt trip
  3. Chilled water pump
  4. Condenser water pump
  5. Alarm status.
- I. Analog Output:

1. An analog (4 to 20 mA) output for head pressure reference shall be provided. This signal shall be suitable to control a 2-way or 3-way water regulating valve in the condenser piping.

J. Protection (the following shall be supplied):

1. Under-voltage
2. Over voltage
3. Phase loss
4. Phase reversal
5. Ground fault
6. Phase unbalance protection
7. Single cycle voltage loss protection
8. Programmable auto re-start after loss of power
9. Motor overload protection (NEMA Class 10)
10. Motor overtemperature protection

K. VFD Testing:

1. VFD shall be factory mounted, wired and tested on the chiller prior to shipment.

## 2.15 ACCESSORIES

A. Flow Switches:

1. Chiller manufacturer shall furnish a switch for each evaporator and condenser and verify field-mounting location before installation.
2. Paddle Flow Switches:
  - a. Vane operated to actuate a double-pole, double-throw switch, with one pole field wired to the chiller control panel and the other pole field wired to the DDC system for HVAC.
  - b. Contacts: Platinum alloy, silver alloy, or gold-plated switch contacts with a rating of 10 A at 120-V ac.
  - c. Pressure rating equal to pressure rating of heat exchanger.
  - d. Construct body and wetted parts of Type 316 stainless steel.
  - e. House switch in a NEMA 250, Type 4 enclosure constructed of die-cast aluminum.
  - f. Vane length to suit installation.

B. Vibration Isolation:

1. Chiller manufacturer shall furnish vibration isolation for each chiller.
2. Neoprene Pad:
  - a. Two layers of 0.375-inch-thick, ribbed- or waffle-pattern neoprene pads separated by a 16-gage, stainless-steel plate.
  - b. Fabricate pads from 40- to 60-durometer neoprene.
  - c. Provide stainless-steel square bearing plate to load the pad uniformly between 20 and 40 psig with a 0.12- to 0.16-inch deflection.
3. Spring Isolator: (NOT USED)

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- a. Stable in operation and designed for not less than 30 percent reserve deflection beyond actual operating conditions.
- b. Isolators shall be designed so that the Kx/Ky ratio shall be 1.0 or more for stability.
- c. Provide PVC or neoprene-coated springs and hot-dip, galvanized-steel components. Aluminum components shall be etched and painted. Nuts, bolts, and washers shall be zinc electroplated.
- d. Isolators shall be adjustable and with an open spring, having one or more coil springs attached to a top compression plate and a baseplate.
- e. An elastomeric pad with a minimum thickness of 0.25 inch shall be bonded to the baseplate.
- f. Spring assembly shall be removable and fit within a welded-steel enclosure consisting of a top plate and rigid lower housing, which serves as a blocking device during installation.
- g. Isolated restraining bolts shall not be engaged during normal operation and shall connect the top plate and lower housing to prevent the isolated equipment from rising when drained of fluid.
- h. Isolators shall be selected for a nominal [1-inch] [2-inch] <Insert dimension> deflection.
- i. Integrate seismic restraints in applications that require seismic requirements.

C. Sound Barrier:

1. Furnish removable and reusable sound-barrier covers over the compressor housing, hermetic motor, compressor suction and discharge piping, and condenser shell.
2. Provide for repeated installation and removal without use of tape or caulk.
3. Inner and outer cover shall consist of a PTFE-impregnated fiberglass cloth enclosing heavy-density, needled fiberglass insulation material with a mass-loaded vinyl acoustic barrier.
4. Covers shall be double sewn and lock stitched, with edges folded and sewn so no raw cut edges are exposed.
5. Form covers around control devices, gages, conduit, piping, and supports without degrading sound-barrier performance.
6. Continuously lap all exposed seams at least 2 inches for better sound containment.
7. Permanently label each section of cover to indicate its location, description, size, and number sequence.
8. Randomly place stainless-steel quilting pins to prevent covers from shifting and sagging.

D. Other Optional Manufacture Accessories that shall be provided.

1. Unit mounted variable frequency drive.
2. Factory charged refrigerant.
3. Hot gas bypass envelope stability controls
4. 5 year extended warranty.
5. Refrigerant isolation valves
6. Soleplate package.
7. BACnet communication option
8. Discharge line sound attenuation kit – field installed.
9. Acoustic isolation kit.

## 2.16 CAPACITIES AND CHARACTERISTICS

- A. Capacity: Refer to plans and schedules
- B. Full-Load Efficiency:
  - 1. COP: 9.72
  - 2. EER: .048
  - 3. Power Input/Cooling Output: .5763 kw/ton
  - 4. Comply with GS-31.
  - 5. Comply with FEMP.
- C. Part-Load Efficiency:
  - 1. NPLV: .3618 kw/tonR.
- D. Evaporator:
  - 1. Pressure Rating: 300 psig.
  - 2. Number of Passes: Three.
  - 3. Fluid Type: Water.
  - 4. Design Fluid Flow Rate: 1,600 gpm
  - 5. Minimum Fluid Flow Rate: .
  - 6. Entering-Fluid Temperature: 54 deg F.
  - 7. Leaving-Fluid Temperature: 42 deg F.
  - 8. Fluid-Pressure Drop: 18.9 feet of head.
  - 9. Fluid Velocity: .
  - 10. Fouling Factor: 0.00025 sq. ft. x h x deg F/Btu.
- E. Condenser:
  - 1. Pressure Rating: 300 psig.
  - 2. Number of Passes: Three.
  - 3. Fluid Type: Water.
  - 4. Design Fluid Flow Rate: 2,404 gpm.
  - 5. Minimum Fluid Flow Rate: .
  - 6. Entering-Fluid Temperature: 85 deg F.
  - 7. Leaving-Fluid Temperature: 95 deg F.
  - 8. Fluid-Pressure Drop: 21 feet of head.
  - 9. Fluid Velocity: .
  - 10. Fouling Factor: 0.0005 sq. ft. x h x deg F/Btu.
- F. Compressor:
- G. Noise Rating: 85 -dBA sound power level when measured according to AHRI 575. Provide factory-installed sound treatment if necessary to achieve performance indicated.

## 2.17 PACKAGED REFRIGERANT-RECOVERY UNITS

- A. Packaged portable unit consisting of compressor, air- or water-cooled condenser, recovery system, tank pressure gages, filter dryer, and valving that allows for switching between liquid- and vapor-recovery mode.
- B. Refrigerant-recovery unit shall be factory mounted on an ASME-constructed and -stamped refrigerant storage vessel that is sized to hold the full refrigerant charge of the largest chiller furnished.
- C. Units shall have lockable casters that permit rolling unit into position before locking position in place.
- D. Review chiller layout and provide refrigerant hoses of sufficient length to permit positioning of unit near chiller without compromising service access and safety.
- E. Water-cooled units shall have water hoses of sufficient length and pressure rating to permit positioning unit near chiller while connecting to closest field water source.
- F. Terminate hoses with quick-connect fittings and mating adapters.
- G. Unit shall have a power cord terminated with NEMA-rated plug suitable for unit power requirements.
  - 1. Quantity of mating receptacle(s) shall be as required by application..
  - 2. Power cord shall be of sufficient length and rating to permit positioning unit near chiller while connecting to closest field power source. Power cord shall be not less than long.

## 2.18 SOURCE QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Perform functional run tests of chillers before shipping.
- B. Factory Performance Testing:
  - 1. Factory performance test chillers, before shipping, according to AHRI 550/590.
  - 2. Test the following conditions:
    - a. Design conditions indicated.
    - b. Reduction in capacity from design to minimum load in steps of 10 with condenser fluid at design conditions.
  - 3. Allow [Owner] <Insert entity> access to place where chillers are being tested. Notify Owner in writing at least [30] <Insert number> days in advance of testing.
  - 4. Prepare test report indicating test procedures, instrumentation, test conditions, and results. Submit copy of results within one week of test date.
- C. Factory Sound Testing:
  - 1. For chillers located indoors, rate sound power level according to AHRI 575.

2. Factory sound test chillers, before shipping, according to AHRI 575.
  3. Test the following conditions:
    - a. Design conditions indicated.
    - b. Chiller operating at calculated worst-case sound condition.
    - c. At three point(s) of varying part-load performance to be selected by Owner at time of test.
  4. Allow Owner access to place where chillers are being tested. Notify Owner in writing at least 30 days in advance of testing.
  5. Prepare test report indicating test procedures, instrumentation, test conditions, and results. Submit copy of results within one week of test date.
- D. Factory test and inspect evaporator and condenser according to ASME Boiler and Pressure Vessel Code: Section VIII, Division 1.
- E. Eddy Current Testing:
1. Perform factory testing of evaporator and condenser tubes of each chiller to ensure tube quality and longevity.
  2. Submit test report, including, as a minimum:
    - a. List of equipment used and equipment settings.
    - b. Test data reports and accompanying strip charts of calibrations.
    - c. Identify tubes with significant defects and typical indications.
    - d. Statistical summary of defect indications.
    - e. Recommendations concerning tube condition, tube replacement, tube removal for evaluation, and future frequency of testing.
    - f. Approval by an American Society for Nondestructive Testing, Level III eddy current technician.
- F. Owner Travel Expenses:
1. Include cost associated with Owner travel expenses to witness factory testing. Total value attributed to travel expenses shall be clearly indicated.
  2. Expenses shall include roundtrip coach airfare, out-of-town hotel accommodations, out-of-town meals (breakfast, lunch, dinner), out-of-town ground transportation, and all associated taxes and fees.
  3. Exclude other incidental expenses not indicated.
  4. Include travel expenses for one Owner representative(s).

### PART 3 - EXECUTION

#### 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine chillers before installation. Reject chillers that are damaged.

- B. Examine roughing-in for equipment support, anchor-bolt sizes and locations, piping, control and electrical connections to verify actual locations, sizes, and other conditions affecting chiller performance, maintenance, and operations before equipment installation.
  - 1. Chiller locations indicated on Drawings are approximate. Determine exact locations before roughing-in for piping and control and electrical connections.
- C. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

### 3.2 CHILLER INSTALLATION

- A. Coordinate sizes and locations of concrete bases with actual equipment provided. Cast anchor-bolt inserts into bases.
- B. Coordinate sizes, locations, and anchoring attachments of structural-steel support structures.
- C. Install chillers on support structure indicated.
- D. Equipment Mounting:
  - 1. chiller shall be ordered with optional "soleplate" package. This will include jacking screws, leveling pads and neoprene vibration isolation pads.
- E. Maintain manufacturer's recommended clearances for service and maintenance.
- F. Maintain clearances required by governing code.
- G. Chiller manufacturer's factory-trained service personnel shall charge chiller with refrigerant and fill with oil if not factory installed.
- H. Install separate devices furnished by manufacturer and not factory installed.
  - 1. Chillers shipped in multiple major assemblies shall be field assembled by chiller manufacturer's factory-trained service personnel.

### 3.3 PACKAGED REFRIGERANT-RECOVERY UNIT INSTALLATION

- A. Install field electric power as required for unit furnished. Install power connections at multiple locations as recommended by chiller manufacturer for unit to service chillers indicated. Install receptacle(s) furnished with unit.
- B. Install field water source as required for unit furnished. Install connections at multiple locations as recommended by chiller manufacturer for unit to service chillers indicated. Terminate connections with valves.
- C. Install quick-connect adapters furnished with unit.
- D. Functionally test unit for proper operations with field connections to power and water, as applicable.

## 3.4 PIPING CONNECTIONS

- A. Comply with requirements for piping specified in Section 232113 "Hydronic Piping," Section 232116 Hydronic Piping Specialties," and Section 232300 "Refrigerant Piping." Drawings indicate general arrangement of piping, fittings, and specialties.
- B. Where installing piping adjacent to chillers, allow space for service and maintenance.
- C. Evaporator-Fluid Connections:
  - 1. Connect to evaporator inlet with shutoff valve, strainer, flexible connector, thermometer, and plugged tee with pressure gage.
  - 2. Connect to evaporator outlet with shutoff valve, flexible connector, thermometer, plugged tee with shutoff valve and pressure gage, and drain connection with valve.
  - 3. Make connections to chiller with a flange.
- D. Condenser-Fluid Connections:
  - 1. Connect to condenser inlet with shutoff valve, strainer, motorized valve, flexible connector, thermometer, and plugged tee with pressure gage.
  - 2. Connect to condenser outlet with shutoff valve, balancing valve, flexible connector, thermometer, plugged tee with shutoff valve and pressure gage, and drain connection with valve.
  - 3. Make connections to chiller with a flange.
- E. Refrigerant-Pressure Relief Device Connections:
  - 1. For chillers installed indoors, extend vent piping separate vent piping for each chiller to the outdoors without valves or restrictions.
  - 2. Comply with ASHRAE 15.
  - 3. Connect to chiller pressure relief device with flexible connector and dirt leg with drain valve.
- F. For chillers equipped with a purge system, extend purge vent piping separate purge vent piping for each chiller to the outdoors. Comply with ASHRAE 15 and ASHRAE 147.
- G. Connect each chiller drain connection with a drain valve, which is full size of drain connection. Connect drain pipe to drain valve with union, and extend drain pipe to terminate over floor drain.
- H. Connect each chiller water box vent connection with an automatic or manual vent, which is full size of vent connection.

## 3.5 ELECTRICAL POWER CONNECTIONS

- A. Connect wiring according to Section 260519 "Low-Voltage Electrical Power Conductors and Cables."



- B. Ground equipment according to Section 260526 "Grounding and Bonding for Electrical Systems."
- C. Install nameplate for each electrical connection, indicating electrical equipment designation and circuit number feeding connection. Nameplate shall be laminated phenolic layers of black with engraved white letters at least 1/2 inch high. Locate nameplate where easily visible.

### 3.6 CONTROLS CONNECTIONS

- A. Install control and electrical power wiring to field-mounted control devices.
- B. Connect control wiring between chillers and other equipment to interlock operation as required to provide a complete and functioning system.
- C. Connect control wiring between chiller control interface and DDC control system for remote monitoring and control of chillers. Comply with requirements in Section 230923 "Direct Digital Control (DDC) System for HVAC."
- D. Install nameplate on face of chiller control panel indicating the control equipment designation serving chiller and the I/O point designation for each control connection. Nameplate shall be laminated phenolic layers of black with engraved white letters at least 0.5 inch high.

### 3.7 STARTUP SERVICE

- A. Engage a factory-authorized service representative to perform startup service.
  - 1. Complete installation and startup checks according to manufacturer's written instructions.
  - 2. Verify that refrigerant charge is sufficient and chiller has been leak tested.
  - 3. Verify that pumps are installed and functional.
  - 4. Verify that thermometers and gages are installed.
  - 5. Operate chiller for run-in period.
  - 6. Check bearing lubrication and oil levels.
  - 7. Verify that refrigerant pressure relief device is vented outside.
  - 8. Verify proper motor rotation.
  - 9. Verify static deflection of vibration isolators, including deflection during chiller startup and shutdown.
  - 10. Verify and record performance of fluid flow and low-temperature interlocks for evaporator and condenser.
  - 11. Verify and record performance of chiller protection devices.
  - 12. Test and adjust controls and safeties. Replace damaged or malfunctioning controls and equipment.
- B. Inspect field-assembled components, equipment installation, piping, controls and electrical connections for proper assembly, installation, and connection.
- C. Visually inspect chiller for damage before starting. Repair or replace damaged components, including insulation. Do not start chiller until damage that is detrimental to operation has been corrected.

- D. Prepare test and inspection startup reports.

### 3.8 WARRANTY PERIOD TESTING

- A. Within one month(s) of warranty period expiration, perform testing, analysis, and reporting indicated for each chiller.
- B. Eddy Current Testing:
  - 1. Solicit services of a third-party testing agency, specializing in such analysis, to perform testing of evaporator and condenser tubes, to ensure tube quality and longevity.
  - 2. Submit test report to Owner, including, as a minimum:
    - a. List of equipment used and equipment settings.
    - b. Test data reports and accompanying strip charts of calibrations.
    - c. Identify tubes with significant defects and typical indications.
    - d. Statistical summary of defect indications.
    - e. Recommendations concerning tube condition, tube replacement, tube removal for evaluation, and future frequency of testing.
    - f. Approval by an American Society for Nondestructive Testing, Level III eddy current technician.
- C. Oil Analysis:
  - 1. Take oil sample and solicit services of a third-party testing agency, specializing in such analysis, to perform oil analysis.
  - 2. Submit analysis results and recommendations to Owner.
- D. Refrigerant Analysis:
  - 1. Take refrigerant sample and solicit services of a third-party testing agency, specializing in such analysis, to perform refrigerant analysis.
  - 2. Submit analysis results and recommendations to Owner.
- E. Site Access and Scheduling:
  - 1. Contact Owner to schedule testing at least 30 days in advance of testing.
  - 2. Make mutually agreeable schedule adjustments to accommodate Owner's request for testing.
  - 3. Review, with Owner, requirements for visitors in advance of testing.
  - 4. Comply with Owner requirements for visitors while on-site.

### 3.9 DEMONSTRATION

- A. Engage a factory-authorized service representative to train Owner's maintenance personnel to adjust, operate, and maintain chillers. Video record the training sessions and provide electronic copy to Owner.

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1. Instructor shall be factory trained and certified.
2. Provide not less than 16 hours of training spread across consecutive days, not to exceed fourhours per day.
3. Train personnel in operation and maintenance and to obtain maximum efficiency in plant operation.
4. Provide instructional videos showing general operation and maintenance that are coordinated with operation and maintenance manuals.
5. Obtain Owner sign-off that training is complete.
6. Owner training shall be held at Project site.

END OF SECTION 236416

## SECTION 236500 – COOLING TOWERS

### PART 1 - GENERAL

#### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

#### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Section Includes:
  - 1. Open-circuit, induced-draft, crossflow cooling towers.

#### 1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. BMS: Building management system.
- B. FRP: Fiber-reinforced polyester.

#### 1.4 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Structural Performance: Cooling tower support structure shall withstand the effects of gravity loads and the following loads and stresses within limits and under conditions indicated according to SEI/ASCE 7.
- B. Energy Efficiency Requirements: The cooling tower(s) shall comply with the energy efficiency requirements of ASHRAE Standard 90.1-2013
  - 1. Deflection Limits: Design system to withstand design loads without deflections greater than the following:
  - 2. The cooling tower unit shall be designed in accordance with the 2012 IBC and ASCE/SEI 7-10. The unit shall be suitable for applications with a design horizontal wind pressure up to in accordance with NYC code as well the international code. Design wind pressure shall be calculated in accordance with Sections 29.5 and 29.5.1, as applicable, of ASCE/SEI 7-05. A concurrent uplift pressure equivalent to the horizontal pressure shall be considered in the unit design. Unit resistance shall be determined in accordance with the material design specifications referenced in the 2012 IBC, and shall be reviewed and approved by a licensed professional engineer independent of the manufacturer.
  - 3.

## 1.5 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product indicated. Include rated capacities, pressure drop, fan performance data, rating curves with selected points indicated, furnished specialties, and accessories.
1. Maximum flow rate.
  2. Minimum flow rate.
  3. Drift loss as percent of design flow rate.
  4. Volume of water in suspension for purposes of sizing a remote storage tank.
  5. Sound power levels in eight octave bands for operation with fans off, fans at minimum, and design speed.
  6. Performance curves for the following:
    - a. Varying entering-water temperatures from design to minimum.
    - b. Varying ambient wet-bulb temperatures from design to minimum.
    - c. Varying water flow rates from design to minimum.
    - d. Varying fan operation (off, minimum, and design speed).
  7. Fan airflow, brake horsepower, and drive losses.
  8. Motor amperage, efficiency, and power factor at 100, 75, 50, and 25 percent of nameplate horsepower.
  9. Electrical power requirements for each cooling tower component requiring power.
- B. Shop Drawings: Complete set of manufacturer's prints of cooling tower assemblies, control panels, sections and elevations, and unit isolation. Include the following:
1. Assembled unit dimensions.
  2. Weight and load distribution.
  3. Required clearances for maintenance and operation.
  4. Sizes and locations of piping and wiring connections.
  5. Wiring Diagrams: For power, signal, and control wiring.

## 1.6 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Coordination Drawings: Floor plans, drawn to scale, on which the following items are shown and coordinated with each other, using input from Installers of the items involved:
1. Structural supports.
  2. Piping roughing-in requirements.
  3. Wiring roughing-in requirements, including spaces reserved for electrical equipment.
  4. Access requirements, including working clearances for mechanical controls and electrical equipment, and tube pull and service clearances.
- B. Certificates: For certification required in "Quality Assurance" Article.
- C. Source quality-control reports.
- D. Field quality-control reports.

- E. Startup service reports.
- F. Warranty: Sample of special warranty.

#### 1.7 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS

- A. Operation and Maintenance Data: For each cooling tower to include in emergency, operation, and maintenance manuals.

#### 1.8 QUALITY ASSURANCE

- A. Testing Agency Qualifications: Certified by CTI.
- B. Electrical Components, Devices, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.
- C. The cooling tower manufacturer shall have a Management System certified by an accredited registrar as complying with the requirements of ISO- 9001:2000 to ensure consistent quality of products and services.
- D. ASHRAE/IESNA 90.1 Compliance: Applicable requirements in ASHRAE/IESNA 90.1, Section 6 - "Heating, Ventilating, and Air-Conditioning."
- E. CTI Certification: Cooling tower thermal performance according to CTI STD 201, "Certification Standard for Commercial Water-Cooling Towers Thermal Performance."
- F. FMG approval and listing in the latest edition of FMG's "Approval Guide."

#### 1.9 COORDINATION

- A. Coordinate sizes and locations of concrete bases with actual equipment provided.
- B. Coordinate sizes, locations, and anchoring attachments of structural-steel support structures.

#### 1.10 WARRANTY

- A. Special Warranty: Manufacturer's standard form in which manufacturer agrees to repair or replace the following components of cooling towers that fail in materials or workmanship within specified warranty period:
  - 1. Fan assembly including fan, drive, and motor.
  - 2. All components of cooling tower.
  - 3. Unless otherwise noted, the manufacturer's standard equipment warranty shall be for a period of not less than one year from date of startup or eighteen months from date of shipment, whichever occurs first. In addition, the manufacturer shall warrant the rotating mechanical equipment, including fans, fan motors, fan shafts, bearings, sheaves and associated supports for not less than five (5) years from date of shipment..

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

## 2.1 OPEN-CIRCUIT, INDUCED-DRAFT, CROSSFLOW COOLING TOWERS

- A. Basis-of-Design Product: Subject to review and approval by the engineer and compliance with requirements of the contract documents, provide product indicated on Drawings or comparable product by one of the following:
  - 1. Baltimore Aircoil Company.
  - 2. Marley Cooling Technologies; SPX Cooling Technologies.
  - 3. Evapco
- B. Cooling tower designed to resist wind load of 60 lbf/sq. ft.
- C. Casing and Frame:
  - 1. Casing and Frame Material: Galvanized steel, ASTM A 653/A 653M, G235 coating.
  - 2. Frame Material: Galvanized steel, ASTM A 653/A 653M, G235 coating.
  - 3. Fasteners: Stainless steel.
  - 4. Joints and Seams: Sealed watertight.
  - 5. Welded Connections: Continuous and watertight.
- D. Collection Basin: Configure tower for installation with a field-constructed collection basin.
- E. Collection Basin:
  - 1. Material: Stainless steel.
  - 2. Removable stainless-steel strainer with openings smaller than nozzle orifices.
  - 3. Overflow and drain connections.
  - 4. Makeup water connection.
  - 5. Outlet Connection: ASME B16.5, Class 150 flange.
  - 6. Equalizer connection for field-installed equalizer piping.
  - 7. Corrosion resistant make-up valve with large diameter plastic float for easy adjustment of the operating water level.
  - 8. Basin Sweeper Distribution Piping and Nozzles:
    - a. Pipe Material: PVC.
    - b. Nozzle Material: Plastic.
    - c. Configure piping and nozzles to minimize sediment from collecting in the collection basin.
  - 9. Bottom water inlet connection with integral riser pipe up through tower.
- F. Ultrasonic Collection Basin Water-Level Controller with Solenoid Valve:
  - 1. Enclosure: NEMA 250, Type 4X.
  - 2. Controller: Ultrasonic level sensor/transmitter and relays factory wired to a terminal strip to control water makeup valve and signal a level alarm. Controller shall provide continuous level indication through a 4- to 20-mA signal for connection to BMS.

3. Water Stilling Chamber: Stainless steel.
  4. Solenoid Valve: Slow closing with stainless-steel body; controlled and powered through level controller in response to water-level set point.
  5. Electrical Connection Requirements: 120 V, single phase, 60 Hz.
- G. Gravity Water Distribution Basin: Nonpressurized design with head of water level in basin adequate to overcome spray nozzle losses and designed to evenly distribute water over fill throughout the flow range indicated.
1. Material: Stainless steel.
  2. Location: Over each bank of fill with easily replaceable spray nozzles mounted in bottom of basin.
  3. Inlet Connection: ASME B16.5, Class 150 flange.
  4. Joints and Seams: Sealed watertight.
  5. Removable Panels: Same material as basin to completely cover top of basin. Secure panels to basin with removable stainless-steel hardware.
  6. Single-Inlet, Field Pipe Connection: Galvanized-steel pipe arranged to provide balancing of flow within cooling tower cell without the need for additional balancing valves. Pipe each cooling tower cell internally to a single, field connection suitable for mating to ASME B16.5, Class 150 flange and located on the bottom or side unless otherwise indicated.
- H. Fill:
1. Materials: PVC, with maximum flame-spread index of 5 according to ASTM E 84.
  2. Minimum Thickness: 20 mils, before forming.
  3. Fabrication: Fill-type sheets, fabricated, formed, and bonded together after forming into removable assemblies that are factory installed by manufacturer.
  4. Fill Material Operating Temperature: Suitable for entering-water temperatures up through 120 deg F.
- I. Drift Eliminator:
1. Material: PVC; with maximum flame-spread index of 5 according to ASTM E 84.
  2. UV Treatment: Inhibitors to protect against damage caused by UV radiation.
  3. Configuration: Multipass, designed and tested to reduce water carryover to achieve performance indicated.
- J. Air-Intake Louvers:
1. Material: Matching casing.
  2. UV Treatment: Inhibitors to protect against damage caused by UV radiation.
  3. Louver Blades: Arranged to uniformly direct air into cooling tower, to minimize air resistance, and to prevent water from splashing out of tower during all modes of operation including operation with fans off.
  4. Location: Separate from fill.
  5. Provide optional combined inlet shield (CIS)
- K. Removable Air-Intake Screens: Galvanized-steel wire mesh.



- L. Axial Fan: Balanced at the factory after assembly.
1. Blade Material: Aluminum.
  2. Hub Material: Aluminum.
  3. Protective Enclosure: Removable, galvanized-steel, wire-mesh screens complying with OSHA regulations.
  4. Fan Shaft Bearings: Self-aligning ball or roller bearings with moisture-proof seals and premium, moisture-resistant grease suitable for temperatures between minus 20 and plus 300 deg F. Bearings designed for an L-10 life of 150,000 hours.
  5. Bearings Grease Fittings: Extended lubrication lines to an easily accessible location.
  6. Optional low sound fan – 9 dba
- M. Direct Drive:
1. Service Factor: 1.5 based on motor nameplate horsepower.
  2. Endura drive fan system direct drive
  3. Variable speed fan drive package with VFD
  4. 7-year motor warranty
  5. 5- year drive warranty
  6. Extended lubrication lines
- N. Fan Motor:
1. General Requirements for Fan Motors: Comply with NEMA designation and temperature-rating requirements specified in Section 230513 "Common Motor Requirements for HVAC Equipment" and not indicated below.
  2. Motor Enclosure: Totally enclosed air over (TEAO).
  3. Energy Efficiency: Comply with ASHRAE/IESNA 90.1 and NEMA Premium Efficient.
  4. Service Factor: 1.15.
  5. Insulation: Class H.
  6. Variable-Speed Motors: Inverter-duty rated per NEMA MG-1, Section IV, "Performance Standard Applying to All Machines," Part 31, "Definite-Purpose, Inverter-Fed, Polyphase Motors."
  7. Motor Location: Mounted outside of cooling tower casing and cooling tower discharge airstream.
  8. Severe-duty rating with the following features:
    - a. Rotor and stator protected with corrosion-inhibiting epoxy resin.
    - b. Double-shielded, vacuum-degassed bearings lubricated with premium, moisture-resistant grease suitable for temperatures between minus 20 and plus 300 deg F
    - c. Internal heater automatically energized when motor is de-energized.
  9. Motor Base: Adjustable, or other suitable provision for adjusting belt tension.
- O. Fan Discharge Stack: Material shall match casing, manufacturer's standard design.
1. Stack Termination: Wire-mesh, galvanized-steel screens; complying with OSHA regulations.
- P. Vibration Switch: For each fan drive.

1. Enclosure: NEMA 250, Type 4X.
  2. Vibration Detection: Sensor with a field-adjustable, acceleration-sensitivity set point in a range of 0 to 1 g and frequency range of 0 to 3000 cycles per minute. Cooling tower manufacturer shall recommend switch set point for proper operation and protection.
  3. Provide switch with manual-reset button for field connection to a BMS and hardwired connection to fan motor electrical circuit.
  4. Switch shall, on sensing excessive vibration, signal an alarm through the BMS and shut down the fan.
- Q. Controls: Comply with requirements in Section 230923 "Direct Digital Control (DDC) System for HVAC."
- R. Control Package: Factory installed and wired, and functionally tested at factory before shipment.
1. NEMA 250, Type 4X enclosure with removable internally mount backplate.
  2. Control-circuit transformer with primary and secondary side fuses.
  3. Terminal blocks with numbered and color-coded wiring to match wiring diagram. Spare wiring terminal block for connection to external controls or equipment.
  4. Microprocessor-based controller for automatic control of fan based on cooling tower leaving-water temperature with control features to improve operating efficiency based on outdoor ambient wet-bulb temperature by using adaptive logic.
  5. Fan motor sequencer for multiple-cell and two-speed applications with automatic lead stage rotation.
  6. Oil-level switch for each fan with a gear drive, complying with requirement in "Gear-Drive, Oil-Level Switch" Paragraph.
  7. Single-point, field-power connection to a nonfused disconnect switch for each cooling tower cell.
  8. Factory-installed wiring outside of enclosures shall be in metal raceway, except make connections to each motor and electric basin heater with liquidtight conduit.
  9. Cooling tower shall have hardware to enable BMS to remotely monitor and display the following:
    - a. Operational status of each motor.
    - b. Position of dampers.
    - c. Cooling tower leaving-fluid temperature.
    - d. Fan vibration alarm.
- S. Personnel Access Components:
1. Doors: Large enough for personnel to access cooling tower internal components from both cooling tower end walls. Doors shall be operable from both sides of the door.
  2. External Ladders with Safety Cages: Aluminum, galvanized- or stainless-steel, fixed ladders with ladder extensions to access external platforms and top of cooling tower from adjacent grade without the need for portable ladders. Comply with 29 CFR 1910.27.
  3. External Platforms with Handrails: Aluminum, FRP, or galvanized-steel bar grating at cooling tower access doors when cooling towers are elevated and not accessible from grade.

4. Handrail: Aluminum, galvanized steel, or stainless steel complete with kneerail and toeboard, around top of cooling tower. Comply with 29 CFR 1910.23.
5. Internal Platforms: Aluminum, or galvanized-steel bar grating.
  - a. Spanning the collection basin from one end of cooling tower to the other and positioned to form a path between the access doors. Platform shall be elevated so that all parts are above the high water level of the collection basin.
  - b. Elevated internal platforms with handrails accessible from fixed vertical ladders to access the fan drive assembly when out of reach from collection basin platform.
6. Equalizer option for connection of multitower connection.

## 2.2 SOURCE QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Verification of Performance: Test and certify cooling tower performance according to CTI STD 201, "Certification Standard for Commercial Water-Cooling Towers Thermal Performance."
- B. Factory pressure test heat exchangers after fabrication and prove to be free of leaks.

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

### 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Before cooling tower installation, examine roughing-in for tower support, anchor-bolt sizes and locations, piping, and electrical connections to verify actual locations, sizes, and other conditions affecting tower performance, maintenance, and operation.
  1. Cooling tower locations indicated on Drawings are approximate. Determine exact locations before roughing-in for piping and electrical connections.
- B. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

### 3.2 INSTALLATION

- A. Install cooling towers on support structure indicated.
- B. Equipment Mounting:
  1. Mount cooling tower on neoprene vibration isolators at all point loading locations. coordinate with manufacture for locations. Mason Industries model WMSW.
- C. Install anchor bolts to elevations required for proper attachment to supported equipment.
- D. Maintain manufacturer's recommended clearances for service and maintenance.
- E. Loose Components: Install electrical components, devices, and accessories that are not factory mounted.

### 3.3 CONNECTIONS

- A. Piping installation requirements are specified in other Sections. Drawings indicate general arrangement of piping, fittings, and specialties.
- B. Install piping adjacent to cooling towers to allow service and maintenance.
- C. Install flexible pipe connectors at all pipe connections of cooling towers mounted on vibration isolators. Including cold water make up, supply and return and equalizer connections
- D. Provide drain piping with valve at cooling tower drain connections and at low points in piping. (not at overflow connections)
- E. Connect cooling tower overflows and drains, and piping drains to sanitary sewage system.
- F. Domestic Water Piping: Comply with applicable requirements in Section 221116 "Domestic Water Piping." Connect to water-level control with shutoff valve and union, flange, or mechanical coupling at each connection.
- G. Supply and Return Piping: Comply with applicable requirements in Section 232113 "Hydronic Piping" and Section 232116 Hydronic Piping Specialties." Connect to entering cooling tower connections with motorized isolation valve, thermometer, plugged tee with pressure gage, and drain connection with valve. Connect to leaving cooling tower connection with shutoff valve thermometer and motorized valve. Make connections to cooling tower with a flange and flexible connections on supply and return.
- H. Equalizer Piping: Piping requirements to match supply and return piping. Connect an equalizer pipe, full size of cooling tower connection, between tower cells. Connect to cooling tower with shutoff valve.
- I. Mount the manufactures provided variable speed drive in the field. Provide supplemental Unistruct bracing mounted to the cooling tower dunnage and or cooling tower for each drive.

### 3.4 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Manufacturer's Field Service: Engage a factory-authorized service representative to perform field tests and inspections.
  - 1. Manufacturer's Field Service: Engage a factory-authorized service representative to inspect components, assemblies, and equipment installations, including connections, and to assist in testing.
- B. Tests and Inspections: Comply with ASME PTC 23, "ASME Performance Test Codes - Code on Atmospheric Water Cooling Equipment."
- C. Cooling towers will be considered defective if they do not pass tests and inspections.
- D. Prepare test and inspection reports.

### 3.5 STARTUP SERVICE

- A. Perform startup service.
- B. Inspect field-assembled components, equipment installation, and piping and electrical connections for proper assemblies, installations, and connections.
- C. Obtain performance data from manufacturer.
  - 1. Complete installation and startup checks according to manufacturer's written instructions and perform the following:
    - a. Clean entire unit including basins.
    - b. Verify that accessories are properly installed.
    - c. Verify clearances for airflow and for cooling tower servicing.
    - d. Check for vibration isolation and structural support.
    - e. Lubricate bearings.
    - f. Verify fan rotation for correct direction and for vibration or binding and correct problems.
    - g. Adjust belts to proper alignment and tension.
    - h. Operate variable-speed fans through entire operating range and check for harmonic vibration imbalance. Set motor controller to skip speeds resulting in abnormal vibration.
    - i. Check vibration switch setting. Verify operation.
    - j. Verify water level in tower basin. Fill to proper startup level. Check makeup water-level control and valve.
    - k. Verify that cooling tower air discharge is not recirculating air into tower or HVAC air intakes. Recommend corrective action.
    - l. Replace defective and malfunctioning units.
- D. Start cooling tower and associated water pumps. Follow manufacturer's written starting procedures.
- E. Prepare a written startup report that records the results of tests and inspections.

### 3.6 ADJUSTING

- A. Set and balance water flow to each tower inlet.
- B. Adjust water-level control for proper operating level.

### 3.7 DEMONSTRATION

- A. Train Owner's maintenance personnel to adjust, operate, and maintain cooling towers.

END OF SECTION 236500

## SECTION 237313.13 – INDOOR AIR-HANDLING UNITS

### 1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

### 1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Section Includes: Factory-assembled, indoor air-handling units with limited features.

### 1.3 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each air-handling unit.
  - 1. Unit dimensions and weight.
  - 2. Cabinet material, metal thickness, finishes, insulation, and accessories.
  - 3. Fans:
    - a. Certified fan-performance curves with system operating conditions indicated.
    - b. Certified fan-sound power ratings.
    - c. Fan construction and accessories.
    - d. Motor ratings, electrical characteristics, and motor accessories.
  - 4. Certified coil-performance ratings with system operating conditions indicated.
  - 5. Dampers, including housings, linkages, and operators.
  - 6. Filters with performance characteristics.
- B. Delegated-Design Submittal: For vibration isolation indicated to comply with performance requirements and design criteria, including analysis data signed and sealed by the qualified professional engineer responsible for their preparation.
  - 1. Include design calculations for selecting vibration isolators and for designing vibration isolation bases.

### 1.4 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Coordination Drawings: Floor plans and other details, drawn to scale, on which the following items are shown and coordinated with each other, using input from installers of the items involved:
  - 1. Mechanical-room layout and relationships between components and adjacent structural and mechanical elements.
  - 2. Support location, type, and weight.
  - 3. Field measurements.

- B. Source quality-control reports:
- C. Field quality-control reports.

#### 1.5 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS

- A. Operation and Maintenance Data: For air-handling units to include in emergency, operation, and maintenance manuals.

#### 1.6 MAINTENANCE MATERIAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Furnish extra materials that match products installed and that are packaged with protective covering for storage and identified with labels describing contents.
  - 1. Filters: One set(s) for each air-handling unit.
  - 2. Gaskets: One set(s) for each access door.
  - 3. Fan Belts: One set(s) for each air-handling unit fan.

#### 1.7 COORDINATION

- A. Coordinate sizes and locations of concrete bases with actual equipment provided.
- B. Coordinate sizes and locations of structural-steel support members, if any, with actual equipment provided.

### PART 2 - PRODUCTS

#### 2.1 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

- A. Electrical Components, Devices, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.
- B. NFPA Compliance: Comply with NFPA 90A for design, fabrication, and installation of air-handling units and components.
- C. ASHRAE Compliance: Applicable requirements in ASHRAE 62.1, Section 5 - "Systems and Equipment" and Section 7 - "Construction and Startup."
- D. ASHRAE/IES 90.1 Compliance: Applicable requirements in ASHRAE/IES 90.1, Section 6 - "Heating, Ventilating, and Air-Conditioning."
- E. Structural Performance: Casing panels shall be self-supporting and capable of withstanding positive/negative 4-inch wg of internal static pressure, without exceeding a midpoint deflection of 0.005 inches/inch of panel span.

## 2.2 INDOOR, BASIC AIR-HANDLING UNIT MANUFACTURERS

- A. Manufacturers: Carrier shall be the basis of design. Subject to review and approval by the engineer and compliance with contract documents requirements, products by one of the following:
1. AAON
  2. Carrier Corporation; a unit of United Technologies Corp.
  3. Daikin Applied.
  4. YORK; a Johnson Controls company.

## 2.3 UNIT CASINGS

- A. General Fabrication Requirements for Casings;
1. Forming: Form walls, roofs, and floors with at least two breaks at each joint.
  2. Joints: Sheet metal screws or pop rivets.
  3. Sealing: Seal all joints with water-resistant sealant. Hermetically seal at each corner and around entire perimeter.
  4. Base Rail:
    - a. Material: Galvanized steel.
    - b. Height: 4 inches.
- B. Single Wall:
1. Material: 20 gage galvanized steel with manufacturer's standard finish. Gasket sections.
  2. Floor Plate: G 90 mil Galvanized steel, minimum 18 gauge thick.
  3. Insulation and Adhesive:
    - a. Materials: ASTM C 1071, Type I or Type II glass-fiber blanket or board insulation, neoprene coated.
    - b. Insulation Thickness; 1.5" nominal density of 1.5 lb per cubic foot.
    - c. Location and Application: Factory applied with adhesive and mechanical fasteners to the internal surface of section panels downstream from, and including, the cooling coil section.
      - 1) Liner Adhesive: Comply with ASTM C 916, Type I.
      - 2) Mechanical Fasteners: Galvanized steel, suitable for adhesive attachment, or mechanical attachment, to duct without damaging liner when applied as recommended by manufacturer and without causing leakage in cabinet.
  4. Base Rail:
    - a. Material: Galvanized steel.
    - b. Height: 4 inches min
- C. Pressure Classifications:



1. For Unit Sections Upstream of Fans: Minus 1.5-inch wg minimum but not less than the system operating pressure.
  2. For Unit Sections Downstream and Including Fans: 2-inch wg minimum, but not less than the system operating pressure.
- D. Airstream Surfaces: Surfaces in contact with the airstream shall comply with requirements in ASHRAE 62.1.
- E. Access Doors:
1. Doors:
    - a. Fabrication: Formed and reinforced with same materials and insulation thickness as casing.
    - b. Hinges: A minimum of two ball-bearing hinges or stainless-steel piano hinge and two wedge-lever-type latches, operable from inside and outside. Arrange doors to be opened against airflow. Provide safety latch retainers on doors so that doors do not open uncontrollably.
    - c. Gasket: Neoprene, applied around entire perimeters of frame.
    - d. Size: Large enough to allow for unobstructed access for inspection and maintenance of air-handling unit's internal components. At least 18 inches wide by full height of unit casing up to a maximum height of 60 inches.
  2. Locations and Applications:
    - a. Provide access doors for the following sections
      - 1) Fan Section:
      - 2) Access Section:
      - 3) Access Sections Immediately Upstream and Downstream of Coil Sections: Doors.
      - 4) Damper Section: Doors.
      - 5) Filter Section: Doors large enough to allow periodic removal and installation of filters.
      - 6) Mixing Section: Doors.
- F. Condensate Drain Pans:
1. Construction:
    - a. Double wall, stainless steel.
  2. Drain Connection:
    - a. Located at lowest point of pan and sized to prevent overflow. Terminate with threaded nipple on both ends of pan.
    - b. Minimum Connection Size: NPS 1 1/4".
  3. Slope: Minimum 0.125 in./ft. slope, to comply with ASHRAE 62.1, in at least two planes to collect condensate from cooling coils (including coil piping connections, coil headers, and return bends) and from humidifiers, and to direct water toward drain connection.

4. Length: Extend drain pan downstream from leaving face for distance to comply with ASHRAE 62.1. or a minimum of 6"
5. Width: Entire width of water producing device.

## 2.4 FAN, DRIVE, AND MOTOR SECTION

- A. Fan and Drive Assemblies: Statically and dynamically balanced and designed for continuous operation at maximum-rated fan speed and motor horsepower.
  1. Shafts: With field-adjustable alignment.
    - a. Turned, ground, and polished hot-rolled steel with keyway. Ship with a protective coating of lubricating oil.
    - b. Designed to operate at no more than 70 percent of first critical speed at top of fan's speed range.
- B. Centrifugal Fan Housings: Formed- and reinforced-steel panels to form curved scroll housings with shaped cutoff and spun-metal inlet bell.
  1. Bracing: Steel angle or channel supports for mounting and supporting fan scroll, wheel, motor, and accessories.
  2. Horizontal-Flanged, Split Housing: Bolted construction.
  3. Housing for Supply Fan: Attach housing to fan-section casing with metal-edged flexible duct connector.
  4. Flexible Connector: Factory fabricated with a fabric strip minimum 3-1/2 inches wide, attached to two strips of minimum 2-3/4-inchwide by 0.028-inch- thick, galvanized-steel sheet.
    - a. Flexible Connector Fabric: Glass fabric, double coated with neoprene. Fabrics, coatings, and adhesives shall comply with UL 181, Class 1.
      - 1) Fabric Minimum Weight: 26 oz./sq. yd..
      - 2) Fabric Minimum Tensile Strength: 480 lbf/inch in the warp and 360 lbf/inch in the filling.
      - 3) Fabric Minimum Service Temperature Range: Minus 40 to plus 200 deg F.
- C. Forward-Curved, Centrifugal Fan Wheels: Inlet flange, backplate, and shallow blades with inlet and tip curved forward in direction of airflow and mechanically fastened to flange and backplate; steel aluminum hub swaged to backplate and fastened to shaft with setscrews. Wheels shall be bonderized steel with baked enamel, or galvanized steel.
- D. Fan Shaft Bearings:
  1. Self-aligning, pillow-block type with an L-50 rated life of minimum 200,000 hours according to ABMA 9.
  2. 4. Fan shafts shall be solid steel, turned, ground and polished
- E. Belt Drives: Factory mounted, with adjustable alignment and belt tensioning, and with 1.5 service factor based on fan motor.

1. Pulleys: Cast iron or cast steel with split, tapered bushing; dynamically balanced at factory.
2. Motor Pulleys: Select pulley size so pitch adjustment is at the middle of adjustment range at fan design conditions. Motors over 5 hp shall use VFD
3. Belts: Oil resistant, non-sparking, and non-static; in matched sets for multiple-belt drives.
4. Belt Guards: For air-handling units with motors mounted on outside of casing. Comply with requirements specified by OSHA and fabricate according to SMACNA's "HVAC Duct Construction Standards"; 0.146-inch- thick, 3/4-inch diamond-mesh wire screen, welded to steel angle frame; prime coated.
5. Enclosure Type: Totally enclosed, fan cooled.
6. NEMA Premium Efficient motors as defined in NEMA MG 1.
7. Motor Sizes: Minimum size as indicated. If not indicated, large enough so driven load will not require motor to operate in service factor range above 1.0
8. Controllers, Electrical Devices, and Wiring: Comply with requirements for electrical devices and connections specified in electrical Sections.
9. Mount unit-mounted disconnect switches on exterior of unit.
10. Design B with sizes and electrical characteristics as shown on the equipment schedule.
11. Service factor 1.5

## 2.5 COIL SECTION

### A. General Requirements for Coil Section:

1. Comply with AHRI 410.
2. Fabricate coil section to allow removal and replacement of coil for maintenance and to allow in-place access for service and maintenance of coil(s).
3. Coils shall not act as structural component of unit.
4. All coils shall have mill galvanized casings. Coils shall be factory leak tested at 450 psig air pressure

## 2.6 HYDRONIC COILS (Heating or Cooling)

### A. Performance Ratings: Tested and rated according to AHRI 410 and ASHRAE 33.

### B. Minimum Working-Pressure/Temperature Ratings:

- a. Hot water; 175 psig, 400 deg F.
- b. Chilled water; 300 psig, 200 deg F.

### C. Source Quality Control: Factory tested to 300 psig.

### D. Tubes: ASTM B 743 copper, minimum thickness;

1. 1/2" OD tubes - .025" thick
2. 5/8" OD tubes - .035" thick
3. 7/8" OD tubes - .049" thick

### E. Fins: Aluminum, minimum thickness;

1. Plate fins – 0.0065" thick
2. Spiral fins – 0.010" thick

- F. Headers: Seamless copper tube with brazed joints, prime coated.
- G. Frames: Galvanized-steel channel frame, minimum thickness;
  - 1. ½" OD and smaller, up to 4 rows and not longer than 48" finned length – 18 gage galvanized steel.
  - 2. 5/8" OD and larger, longer than 48" and less than 72" finned length – 16 gage galvanized steel.
  - 3. 5/8" OD and larger, longer than 72" finned length – 14 gage galvanized steel
- H. Mounting; Slip in frame for retrofits, Flange frame for new construction.
- I. Connections;
  - 1. Coordinate left hand, right hand connections or supply return on opposite sides in the field. Coordinate with field requirements. Use supply and return connections on the same side whenever possible

## 2.7 AIR FILTRATION SECTION

- A. Particulate air filtration is specified in Section 234100 "Particulate Air Filtration."
- B. The filter section shall be designed and constructed to house the specific type of filter specified on the equipment schedule.
- C. Angle filter section shall accept 2-in. filters arranged in horizontal V formation. Double-walled hinged doors shall be provided.
- D. Side-Access Filter Mounting Frames:
  - 1. Particulate Air Filter Frames: Match inner casing and outer casing material, and insulation thickness. Galvanized steel track.
    - a. Sealing: Incorporate positive-sealing device to ensure seal between gasketed material on channels to seal top and bottom of filter cartridge frames to prevent bypass of unfiltered air.

## 2.8 DAMPERS

- A. General Requirements for Dampers: Leakage rate, according to AMCA 500, "Laboratory Methods for Testing Dampers for Rating," shall not exceed 4 cfm/sq. ft. at 1-inch wg and 8 cfm/sq. ft. at 4-inch wg.
- B. Dampers shall be sectionalized to limit blade width to no more than 50-in. to minimize blade warpage and to ensure tight closure.
- C. Damper operators may be supplied by the AHU manufacturer or field supplied.
  - 1. Direct-coupled type designed for minimum 60,000 full-stroke cycles at rated torque.

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2. Electronic damper position indicator shall have visual scale indicating percent of travel and 2- to 10-V dc, feedback signal.
  3. Operator Motors:
    - a. Comply with NEMA designation, temperature rating, service factor, enclosure type, and efficiency requirements for motors specified in Section 230513 "Common Motor Requirements for HVAC Equipment."
    - b. Size to operate with sufficient reserve power to provide smooth modulating action or two-position action.
    - c. Permanent Split-Capacitor or Shaded-Pole Type: Gear trains completely oil immersed and sealed. Equip spring-return motors with integral spiral-spring mechanism in housings designed for easy removal for service or adjustment of limit switches, auxiliary switches, or feedback potentiometer.
  4. Nonspring-Return Motors for Dampers Larger Than 25 Sq. Ft.: Size for running torque of 150 in. x lbf and breakaway torque of 300 in. x lbf.
  5. Spring-Return Motors for Dampers Larger Than 25 Sq. Ft.: Size for running and breakaway torque of 150 in. x lbf.
  6. Size dampers for running torque calculated as follows:
    - a. Parallel-Blade Damper with Edge Seals: 7 inch-lb/sq. ft. of damper.
    - b. Opposed-Blade Damper with Edge Seals: 5 inch-lb/sq. ft. of damper.
    - c. Parallel-Blade Damper without Edge Seals: 4 inch-lb/sq. ft. of damper.
    - d. Opposed-Blade Damper without Edge Seals: 3 inch-lb/sq. ft. of damper.
    - e. Dampers with 2- to 3-Inch wg of Pressure Drop or Face Velocities of 1000 to 2500 fpm: Increase running torque by 1.5.
    - f. Dampers with 3- to 4-Inch wg of Pressure Drop or Face Velocities of 2500 to 3000 fpm: Increase running torque by 2.0.
  7. Coupling: V-bolt and V-shaped, toothed cradle.
  8. Overload Protection: Electronic overload or digital rotation-sensing circuitry.
  9. Fail-Safe Operation: Mechanical, spring-return mechanism with external, manual gear release on nonspring-return actuators.
  10. Power Requirements (Two-Position Spring Return): 24 V dc.
  11. Power Requirements (Modulating): Maximum 10 VA at 24 V ac or 8 W at 24 V dc.
  12. Proportional Signal: 2 to 10 V dc or 4 to 20 mA, and 2- to 10-V dc position feedback signal.
  13. Temperature Rating: Minus 22 to plus 122 deg F.
  14. Run Time: 12 seconds open, 5 seconds closed.
- D. Outdoor- and Return-Air Dampers: Low-leakage, double-skin, airfoil-blade, galvanized-steel dampers with compressible jamb seals and extruded-vinyl blade edge seals in opposed-blade arrangement with zinc-plated steel operating rods rotating in sintered bronze or nylon bearings mounted in a single galvanized-steel frame, and with operating rods connected with a common linkage. Leakage rate shall not exceed 4 cfm/sq. ft. at 1-inch wg and 8 cfm/sq. ft. at 4-inch wg.
- E. Mixing Section: Multiple-blade, air-mixer assembly located immediately downstream of mixing section.
- F. Combination Filter and Mixing Section:

1. Cabinet support members shall hold 2-inch- thick, pleated, flat, permanent or throwaway filters.
2. Multiple-blade, air-mixer assembly shall mix air to prevent stratification, located immediately downstream of mixing box.
3. Mixing boxes and filter mixing boxes shall have parallel blade, interconnecting outside-air and return-air dampers.

## 2.9 Access Sections:

- A. Access sections shall be installed where indicated on the drawings and shall be as specified on the equipment schedule.
- B. Access sections shall have double-walled hinged doors.

## 2.10 STARTERS AND DISCONNECTS

- A. All fan and damper motors shall be furnished with starter and disconnect switches. All VAV units shall be furnished with variable frequency drives.
- B. Starters that are unit mounted may be combination motor starter/disconnect switches. When fan starters are remotely mounted, or installed in a motor control center, provide separate disconnect for all fan motors mounted on the fan section of the air handler. Refer to plans and schedules for starter / disconnect locations
- C. For a complete description of requirements for motor starters and combination starters/disconnects refer to specification section 23 05 13 Common motor requirements for HVAC.
- D. Minimum requirements for starters without disconnect switch.
  1. Adjustable motor overload with trip indication.
  2. Manual overload reset button (accessible without opening enclosure).
  3. 115-v fused secondary control transformer (fuse included — fused primary and secondary over 50 amps).
  4. Hand/Off/Auto selector switch (accessible without opening enclosure).
  5. Separate 4-position terminal strip for remote H-O-A wiring.
  6. C series contactors.
  7. Horsepower rated for motor applications.
  8. NEMA 4X type non-metallic enclosures.
  9. Lug connections for field wiring.
  10. Factory mounted, wired, and run tested with factory-supplied motor.
  11. UL listed.
- E. Minimum requirements for combination starters / disconnect switch.
  1. Non-fused UL 508 disconnect switch with lockable handle (locks not provided).
  2. Cover interlock.
  3. Adjustable motor overload with trip indication.
  4. Manual overload reset button (accessible without opening enclosure).

5. 115-v fused secondary control trans- former (fuse included — fused primary and secondary over 50 amps).
6. Hand/Off/Auto selector switch (accessible without opening enclosure).
7. Separate 4-position terminal strip for remote H-O-A wiring.
8. C series contactors.
9. Horsepower rated for motor applica- tions.
10. NEMA 4X type non-metallic enclosures.
11. Lug connections for field power wiring.
12. Factory mounted, wired, and run tested with factory-supplied motor.
13. UL listed.

- F. For a complete description of requirements for Variable-Frequency Motor Controller: Comply with Section 262923 "Variable-Frequency Motor Controllers."

## 2.11 FILTER/MIXING BOX

- A. Section shall be designed to accommodate 2" angled filter media. The filter media shall be side-loading.
- B. A magnahelic differential pressure gauge shall be factory installed and flush mounted to measure the pressure drop across the filter bank.
- C. The return air inlet shall have standard control damper, constructed of galvanized steel with parallel opposed blades. Damper configuration shall be full faced 50%/50% split.
- D. The outside air inlet have standard control damper, constructed of galvanized steel with parallel opposed blades. Damper configuration shall be full faced 50%/50% split.
- E. The airflow monitoring station must be tested for pressure drop in accordance with AMCA Standard 611-95 in an AMCA registered laboratory. The airflow monitoring station must bear the AMCA Certified Ratings Seal for Airflow Measure- ment Performance.

## 2.12 MATERIALS

- A. Steel:
  1. ASTM A 36/A 36M for carbon structural steel.
  2. ASTM A 568/A 568M for steel sheet.
- B. Stainless Steel:
  1. Manufacturer's standard grade for casing.
  2. Manufacturer's standard type, ASTM A 240/A 240M for bare steel exposed to airstream or moisture.
- C. Galvanized Steel: ASTM A 653/A 653M.
- D. Aluminum: ASTM B 209.

- E. Corrosion Resistant Coating: Coat with a corrosion-resistant coating capable of withstanding a 3000-hour salt-spray test according to ASTM B 117.

1. Standards:
  - a. ASTM B 117 for salt spray.
  - b. ASTM D 2794 for minimum impact resistance of 100 in-lb
  - c. ASTM B 3359 for cross hatch adhesion of 5B.
2. Application: Immersion or Spray.
3. Thickness: 1 mil.
4. Gloss: Minimum gloss of 60 on a 60-degree meter.

## 2.13 SOURCE QUALITY CONTROL

- A. AHRI 430 Certification: Air-handling units and their components shall be factory tested according to AHRI 430 and shall be listed and labeled by AHRI.
1. AMCA 210 Compliance: Fan performance according to AMCA 210.
- B. AMCA 300 and AMCA 301, or AHRI 260 Certification: Air-handling unit fan sound ratings shall comply with AMCA 300, "Methods for Calculating Fan Sound Ratings from Laboratory Test Data" and AMCA 301, "Methods for Calculating Fan Sound Ratings from Laboratory Test Data," or with AHRI 260, "Sound Rating of Ducted Air Moving and Conditioning Equipment."
- C. Water Coils: Factory tested to 300 psig according to AHRI 410 and ASHRAE 33.
- D. Steam Coils: Factory tested to 300 psig, and to 200 psig underwater, according to AHRI 410 and ASHRAE 33.
- E. Refrigerant Coils: Factory tested to minimum 450-psig internal pressure, and to minimum 300-psig internal pressure while underwater, according to AHRI 410 and ASHRAE 33.

## 2.14 VIBRATION ISOLATION EXTERNAL TO THE UNIT.

- A. Floor mounted air handling units shall be mounted on free standing Spring isolators and laterally stable without any housing and complete with a molded neoprene cup or 1/4" neoprene acoustical friction pad between the baseplate and the support. All mountings shall have leveling bolts that must be rigidly bolted to the equipment and housekeeping pad. Installed and operating heights shall be equal. The ratio of the spring diameter divided by the compressed spring height shall be no less than 0.8. Springs shall have a minimum additional travel to solid equal to 50% of the rated deflection. Submittals shall include spring diameters, deflection, compressed spring height and solid spring height. Mountings shall be type [SLR](#), as manufactured by Mason Industries, Inc
- B. All suspended air handling units shall use hanger consisting of rigid steel frames containing minimum 1-1/4" thick neoprene elements at the top and a steel spring seated in a steel washer reinforced neoprene cup on the bottom. The neoprene element and the cup shall have neoprene



bushings projecting through the steel box. In order to maintain stability the boxes shall not be articulated as clevis hangers nor the neoprene element stacked on top of the spring. Spring diameters and hanger box lower hole sizes shall be large enough to permit the hanger rod to swing through a 30° arc from side to side before contacting the cup bushing and short circuiting the spring. Submittals shall include a hanger drawing showing the 30° capability. Hangers shall be type PC30N as manufactured by Mason Industries, Inc.

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

### 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine areas and conditions, with Installer present, for compliance with requirements for installation tolerances and other conditions affecting performance of the Work.
- B. Examine casing insulation materials and filter media before air-handling unit installation. Replace with new insulation materials and filter media that are wet, moisture damaged, or mold damaged.
- C. Examine roughing-in for steam, hydronic, and condensate drainage piping systems and electrical services to verify actual locations of connections before installation.
- D. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

### 3.2 INSTALLATION

- A. Equipment Mounting:
  - 1. Install base-mounted air handling units on cast-in-place concrete housekeeping pads **[Comply with requirements for equipment bases and foundations specified in Section 033000 "Cast-in-Place Concrete." and Section 033053 "Miscellaneous Cast-in-Place Concrete."]** Concrete housekeeping pads shall be 3 ½" high and extend 6" longer on all sides than the mountings and shall have 45° chamfered edges.
    - a. Air handling units shall be mounted on spring isolation in accordance with section 2.14
  - 2. Suspended Units: Suspend and brace units from structural-steel support frame using threaded steel rods and spring hangers. Comply with requirements for vibration isolation devices specified in section 2.14
- B. Arrange installation of units to provide access space around air-handling units for service and maintenance.
- C. Do not operate fan system until filters (temporary or permanent) are in place. Replace temporary filters used during construction and testing with new, clean filters.
- D. Connect duct to air-handling units with flexible connections. Comply with requirements in Section 233300 "Air Duct Accessories."

## 3.3 PIPING CONNECTIONS

- A. Piping installation requirements are specified in other Sections. Drawings indicate general arrangement of piping, fittings, and specialties.
- B. Where installing piping adjacent to air-handling unit, allow for service and maintenance.
- C. Connect piping to air-handling units mounted on vibration isolators with flexible connectors.
- D. Connect condensate drain pans using NPS 1-1/4, ASTM B 88, Type M copper tubing. Extend to nearest equipment or floor drain. Construct deep trap at connection to drain pan and install cleanouts at changes in direction.
- E. **Hot- and Chilled-Water Piping:** Comply with applicable requirements in Section 232113 "Hydronic Piping" and Section 232116 "Hydronic Piping Specialties." Install shutoff valve and union or flange at each coil supply connection. Install balancing valve and union or flange at each coil return connection.

## 3.4 ELECTRICAL CONNECTIONS

- A. Connect wiring according to Section 260519 "Low-Voltage Electrical Power Conductors and Cables."
- B. Ground equipment according to Section 260526 "Grounding and Bonding for Electrical Systems."
- C. Install electrical devices furnished by manufacturer, but not factory mounted, according to NFPA 70 and NECA 1.
- D. Install nameplate for each electrical connection, indicating electrical equipment designation and circuit number feeding connection.
  - 1. Nameplate shall be laminated acrylic or melamine plastic signs with a black background and engraved white letters at least 1/2 inch high.

## 3.5 CONTROL CONNECTIONS

- A. Install control and electrical power wiring to field-mounted control devices.
- B. Connect control wiring according to Section 260523 "Control-Voltage Electrical Power Cables."

## 3.6 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Testing Agency: Engage a qualified testing agency to perform tests and inspections.
- B. Perform the following tests and inspections with the assistance of a factory-authorized service representative:

1. Leak Test: After installation, fill water and steam coils with water, and test coils and connections for leaks.
  2. Charge refrigerant coils with refrigerant and test for leaks.
  3. Fan Operational Test: After electrical circuitry has been energized, start units to confirm proper motor rotation and unit operation.
- C. Air-handling unit or components will be considered defective if unit or components do not pass tests and inspections.
- D. Prepare test and inspection reports.

### 3.7 STARTUP SERVICE

- A. Perform startup service.
1. Complete installation and startup checks according to manufacturer's written instructions.
  2. Verify that shipping, blocking, and bracing are removed.
  3. Verify that unit is secure on mountings and supporting devices and that connections to piping, ducts, and electrical systems are complete. Verify that proper thermal-overload protection is installed in motors, controllers, and switches.
  4. Verify proper motor rotation direction, free fan wheel rotation, and smooth bearing operations. Reconnect fan drive system, align belts, and install belt guards.
  5. Verify that bearings, pulleys, belts, and other moving parts are lubricated with factory-recommended lubricants.
  6. Verify that outdoor- and return-air mixing dampers open and close, and maintain minimum outdoor-air setting.
  7. Comb coil fins for parallel orientation.
  8. Verify that proper thermal-overload protection is installed for electric coils.
  9. Install new, clean filters.
  10. Verify that manual and automatic volume control and fire and smoke dampers in connected duct systems are in fully open position.
- B. Starting procedures for air-handling units include the following:
1. Energize motor; verify proper operation of motor, drive system, and fan wheel. Adjust fan to indicated rpm. Replace fan and motor pulleys as required to achieve design conditions.
  2. Measure and record motor electrical values for voltage and amperage.
  3. Manually operate dampers from fully closed to fully open position and record fan performance.

### 3.8 ADJUSTING

- A. Adjust damper linkages for proper damper operation.
- B. Comply with requirements in Section 230593 "Testing, Adjusting, and Balancing for HVAC" for air-handling system testing, adjusting, and balancing.

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3.9 CLEANING

- A. After completing system installation and testing, adjusting, and balancing of air-handling unit and air-distribution systems, and after completing startup service, clean air-handling units internally to remove foreign material and construction dirt and dust. Clean fan wheels, cabinets, dampers, coils, and filter housings, and install new, clean filters.

3.10 DEMONSTRATION

- A. Train Owner's maintenance personnel to adjust, operate, and maintain air-handling units.

**END OF SECTION 237313.13**

SECTION 238239.16 - PROPELLER UNIT HEATERS

PART 1 - GENERAL

1.1 RELATED DOCUMENTS

- A. Drawings and general provisions of the Contract, including General and Supplementary Conditions and Division 01 Specification Sections, apply to this Section.

1.2 SUMMARY

- A. Section includes propeller unit heaters with hot-water, steam, and electric coils.

1.3 DEFINITIONS

- A. CWP: Cold working pressure.
- B. PTFE: Polytetrafluoroethylene plastic.
- C. TFE: Tetrafluoroethylene plastic.

1.4 ACTION SUBMITTALS

- A. Product Data: For each type of product.
  - 1. Include rated capacities, operating characteristics, furnished specialties, and accessories.
- B. Shop Drawings:
  - 1. Include plans, elevations, sections, and details.
  - 2. Include details of equipment assemblies. Indicate dimensions, weights, loads, required clearances, method of field assembly, components, and location and size of each field connection.
  - 3. Include location and size of each field connection.
  - 4. Include details of anchorages and attachments to structure and to supported equipment.
  - 5. Include equipment schedules to indicate rated capacities, operating characteristics, furnished specialties, and accessories.
  - 6. Indicate location and arrangement of piping valves and specialties.
  - 7. Indicate location and arrangement of integral controls.
  - 8. Wiring Diagrams: Power, signal, and control wiring.

## 1.5 INFORMATIONAL SUBMITTALS

- A. Coordination Drawings: Floor plans, reflected ceiling plans, and other details, drawn to scale, on which the following items are shown and coordinated with each other, using input from installers of the items involved:
1. Suspended ceiling components.
  2. Structural members to which propeller unit heaters will be attached.
  3. Method of attaching hangers to building structure.
  4. Size and location of initial access modules for acoustical tile.
  5. Items penetrating finished ceiling, including the following:
    - a. Lighting fixtures.
    - b. Air outlets and inlets.
    - c. Speakers.
    - d. Sprinklers.
    - e. Access panels.
    - f. Other equipment
- B. Field quality-control reports.

## 1.6 CLOSEOUT SUBMITTALS

- A. Operation and Maintenance Data: For propeller unit heaters to include in emergency, operation, and maintenance manuals.

## PART 2 - PRODUCTS

### 2.1 MANUFACTURERS

- A. Products shall be one of the following;
1. Rattling
  2. Sterling
  3. Modine
  4. Vulcan

### 2.2 DESCRIPTION

- A. Assembly including casing, coil, fan, and motor in vertical and/or horizontal discharge configuration as scheduled with adjustable discharge louvers.
- B. Electrical Components, Devices, and Accessories: Listed and labeled as defined in NFPA 70, by a qualified testing agency, and marked for intended location and application.
- C. Electric propeller unit heaters shall comply with UL 2021

- D. Explosion-proof electric propeller unit heaters shall comply with UL 823.

## 2.3 PERFORMANCE REQUIREMENTS

- A. ASHRAE/IESNA 90.1 Compliance: Applicable requirements in ASHRAE/IESNA 90.1, Section 6 - "Heating, Ventilating, and Air-Conditioning."

## 2.4 HOUSINGS

- A. Finish: Manufacturer's standard baked enamel applied to factory-assembled and -tested propeller unit heaters before shipping.
- B. Airstream Surfaces: Surfaces in contact with the airstream shall comply with requirements in ASHRAE 62.1.
- C. Discharge Louver: Adjustable fin diffuser for horizontal units and conical diffuser for vertical units.

## 2.5 COILS

- A. General Coil Requirements: Test and rate hot-water and steam propeller unit-heater coils according to ASHRAE 33.
- B. Hot-Water Coil: Copper tube, minimum 0.025-inch wall thickness, with mechanically bonded aluminum fins spaced no closer than 0.1 inch and rated for a minimum working pressure of 200 psig and a maximum entering-water temperature of 325 deg F, with manual air vent. Test for leaks to 350 psig underwater.

## 2.6 FAN AND MOTOR

- A. Fan: Propeller type with aluminum wheel directly mounted on motor shaft in the fan venturi.
- B. Motor: Permanently lubricated, multispeed. Comply with requirements in Section 230513 "Common Motor Requirements for HVAC Equipment."

## 2.7 CONTROLS

- A. Control Devices:
  - 1. Wall-mounted, fan-speed switch, and thermostat by BMS contractor.
  - 2. Built in "aquastat" to prevent fan operation when hot water is not detected.

## 2.8 CAPACITIES AND CHARACTERISTICS

- A. Heating Capacity are as scheduled or noted on plans.

## PART 3 - EXECUTION

## 3.1 EXAMINATION

- A. Examine areas to receive propeller unit heaters for compliance with requirements for installation tolerances and other conditions affecting performance of the Work.
- B. Examine roughing-in for **piping and** electrical connections to verify actual locations before unit-heater installation.
- C. Proceed with installation only after unsatisfactory conditions have been corrected.

## 3.2 INSTALLATION

- A. Install propeller unit heaters to comply with NFPA 90A.
- B. Install propeller unit heaters level and plumb.
- C. Suspend propeller unit heaters from structure with all-thread hanger rods and **elastomeric hangers or spring hangers**. Hanger rods and attachments to structure are specified in Section 230529 "Hangers and Supports for HVAC Piping and Equipment."
- D. Install wall-mounted thermostats and switch controls in electrical outlet boxes at heights to match lighting controls. Verify location of thermostats and other exposed control sensors with Drawings and room details before installation.

## 3.3 CONNECTIONS

- A. Drawings indicate general arrangement of piping, fittings, and specialties. Piping installation requirements are specified in the following Sections:
  - 1. Section 232113 "Hydronic Piping."
  - 2. Section 232116 "Hydronic Piping Specialties."
- B. Install piping adjacent to machine to allow service and maintenance.
- C. Connect piping to propeller unit heater's factory, hot-water piping package. Install the piping package if shipped loose.
- D. For units' hot water or steam coils comply with safety requirements in UL 1995.
- E. For hot water unit, unless otherwise indicated, install union and gate or ball valve and strainer on supply-water connection and union and calibrated balancing valve on return-water



connection of propeller unit heater. Hydronic specialties are specified in Section 232113 "Hydronic Piping" and Section 232116 "Hydronic Piping Specialties."

- F. Ground according to Section 260526 "Grounding and Bonding for Electrical Systems."
- G. Wiring according to Section 260519 "Low-Voltage Electrical Power Conductors and Cables."

### 3.4 FIELD QUALITY CONTROL

- A. Perform the following tests and:
  - 1. Operational Test: After electrical circuitry has been energized, start units to confirm proper motor rotation and unit operation.
  - 2. Operate electric heating elements through each stage to verify proper operation and electrical connections.
  - 3. Test and adjust controls and safety devices. Replace damaged and malfunctioning controls and equipment.
- B. Units will be considered defective if they do not pass tests and inspections.
- C. Prepare test and inspection reports.

### 3.5 ADJUSTING

- A. Adjust initial temperature set points.
- B. Occupancy Adjustments: When requested within 12 months of date of Substantial Completion, provide on-site assistance in adjusting system to suit actual occupied conditions. Provide up to two visits to Project during other-than-normal occupancy hours for this purpose.

### 3.6 DEMONSTRATION

- A. Train Owner's maintenance personnel to adjust, operate, and maintain propeller unit heaters.

END OF SECTION 238239.16