

ADDENDA

ANSI/ASHRAE Addendum i to ANSI/ASHRAE Standard 62.2-2016

Ventilation and Acceptable Indoor Air Quality in Residential Buildings

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FOREWORD

This addendum makes explicit that placing a new fan in a kitchen or bathroom in an existing dwelling unit can address the airflow deficit that otherwise would have existed through Section A3. This has been assumed true but has not previously been made explicit. The change would make this condition more transparent to users.

Note: In this addendum, changes to the current standard are indicated in the text by <u>underlining</u> (for additions) and <u>strikethrough</u> (for deletions) unless the instructions specifically mention some other means of indicating the changes.

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Revise Section A3.1 as shown below.

A3.1 Initial Room Airflow Deficit. The airflow deficit for each bathroom shall be 50 cfm (24 L/s), less the airflow rating from Section A4.2 of the exhaust equipment. The airflow deficit for each kitchen shall be 100 cfm (47 L/s), less the airflow rating from Section A4.2 of the exhaust equipment. If there is no exhaust device or if the existing device can neither be measured nor rated, the exhaust device airflow shall be assumed to be zero. The airflow deficit shall be zero for a bathroom or kitchen if a new exhaust ventilation device meeting the requirements of Section 5.2 or 5.3 is installed in the bathroom or kitchen.

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