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FOREWORD

This standard provides a comprehensive set of symbols for use in drawings and other documents relating to the design of heating, ventilating, air-conditioning, and refrigerating (HVAC&R) systems. The symbols are intended to be usable in both the manual and automatic (CAD system) creation of drawings.

To develop this standard, the project committee surveyed symbols solicited from governments, standards organizations, and consultants from around the world. While the committee found general agreement in some areas of symbol usage and symbolic practice, it discovered wide variation in others. This standard therefore intends to establish a common symbol language for use in HVAC&R drawings, thereby facilitating the understanding of these documents and making them accessible to a wider variety of users. It is anticipated that as the use and understanding of these symbols increase, the accuracy and efficiency with which engineering drawings are translated into actual systems will also increase.

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1. PURPOSE

The purpose of this standard is to define graphic symbols for heating, ventilating, air-conditioning and refrigerating systems.

2. SCOPE

- **2.1** This standard covers graphic symbols for heating, ventilating, air-conditioning, and refrigerating systems and equipment, including related controls.
- **2.2** This standard identifies graphic symbols by name, configuration, and description.

2.3 The graphic symbols in this standard are intended for use in manual drawings and drawings produced by computer-aided drafting (CAD).

3. DEFINITIONS

- **3.1** Definitions of terms used in this standard may be found in *ASHRAE Terminology of Heating, Ventilation, Air Conditioning, and Refrigeration.* ¹
- **3.2** Additional terms used in this standard but not found in *ASHRAE Terminology* are defined in this section.

accessories (controls): equipment such as air compressors, air line dryers, compressed air filters, and indicating devices (pressure and temperature) to facilitate monitoring of control system activity.

auxiliary devices (controls): equipment such as relays and switches to manipulate signals.

filename: an alphanumeric designation assigned to each symbol for ease in referencing.

tag: an acronym or abbreviation for identifying equipment.

ACU: air-conditioning unit

AD: access door
AHU: air-handling unit
AP: access panel
AS: air separator

CAV: constant air volume terminal

CC: cooling coil
CH: chiller

CP: condensate pump
CSG: clean steam generator
CUH: cabinet unit heater
EAHU: exhaust air-handling unit

EAV: exhaust air valve EFC evaporative fan cooler

ET: expansion tank
EX: exhaust fan
F: air filter
FCU: fan coil unit

FT: flash tank or fin tube FTR: finned tube radiation

H: humidifierHC: heating coilHRC: heat recovery unit

HVU: heating and ventilating unit

HX: heat exchanger

P: pump

PRV: pressure reducing valve

RAF: return air fan RHC: reheat coil

SA: sound attenuator (trap) SAV: supply air valve