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1. Scope

1.1 This guide is a compendium of relevant publications, standards, and other information related to commercial shipbuilding.

2. Significance and Use

2.1 This guide has been developed to aid naval architects, ship designers, material and equipment suppliers, buyers, ship owners and operators, and government agencies by providing pertinent information in one document that can be used during various stages of commercial shipbuilding. These stages include design, planning, purchasing, material fabricating, assembling, testing, quality assurance, and inspection.

2.2 This guide does not specify the use of a particular standard usage nor does it detail what the standard covers.

2.3 There may be more than one standard listed for a particular product, test, or specific application. However, this guide does not compare the different standards or specify which particular standard should be used.

2.4 A partial list of sources for obtaining various standards are included below. Other sources may be located by contacting various information centers such as those at ASTM, the National Institute for Standards and Technology (Codes Standards and Information), and the American National Standards Institute. Information is also available through various sites on the Internet World Wide Web (for example, http\\www.webplus.net\nssn\). When ordering, organizations should consider obtaining the latest copies of standards as complete sets or portions of sets in whatever media are appropriate (for example, hard copy, CD-ROM, or microform since purchasing, quality assurance, and engineering departments are frequently looking for information about standards called out in contract specifications, and these standards vary from one contract to another. The abbreviations used in Table 1 are defined in 2.4. Some of the sources for ordering standards are:

ABS Americas (ABS)
A Division of the American Bureau of Shipping
16855 Northchase Drive
Houston, TX 77060
Telephone: 281–877–6000

Air Movement and Control Association (AMCA)
30 W. University Drive
Arlington Heights, IL 60004
Telephone: 708–394-0150

American Boat and Yacht Council, Inc. (ABYC)
3069 Solomon's Island Road
Edgewater, MD 21037-1416
Telephone: 410–956-1050
Fax: 410–956-2737

American Gas Association (AGA)
1515 Wilson Boulevard
Arlington, VA 22209
Telephone: 703–841-8400

American National Standards Institute (ANSI)
25 W. 43rd Street, 4th Floor
New York, NY 10036
Foreign/International 212–642-4995
Domestic: 212–642-4900
Telex: 42 42 96 ANSI UI
Fax: 212–302-1286
212–398-0023

American Petroleum Institute (API)
1220 L Street, N.W.
Washington, DC 20005–4070
Telephone: 202–682–8375
Fax: 202–962–4776
http://www.api.org

American Society of Heating, Refrigerating and Air Conditioning Engineers, Inc. (ASHRAE)
Publication Sales Department
1791 Tullie Circle, NE
Atlanta, GA 30329

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