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3.3.23.2* Solid-Fuel Cooking Equipment.

Equipment that utilizes solid fuel for cooking, ~~and~~ flavoring, or both.

A.3.3.23.2 Solid-Fuel Cooking Equipment.

This equipment includes ovens, tandoori charcoal pots, grills, broilers, rotisseries, barbecue pits, smokers and any other type of cooking equipment that derives all or part of its heat source from the burning of solid cooking fuel.

3.3.46* Solid Cooking Fuel.

Any solid, organic, ~~or consumable~~ fuel such as for cooking, or flavoring, or both, including briquettes, mesquite, hardwood, or charcoal.

A.3.3.46 Solid Cooking Fuel.

Hardwood and mesquite can be in various forms including logs, split logs, chips, pellets, and sawdust. The combustion or consumption of such wood products produces creosote, and may produce sparks and embers, which can create a fire hazard in the appliance and exhaust.

15.8 Procedures for Inspection, Cleaning, and Maintenance for Solid-Fuel Cooking Equipment Appliances.

Solid-fuel cooking appliances shall be inspected, cleaned, and maintained in accordance with the procedures outlined in Chapter 12 and with 15.8.1 through 15.8.5.

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2.3.2 ASTM Publications.

ASTM International, 100 Barr Harbor Drive, P.O. Box C700, West Conshohocken, PA 19428-2959.

ASTM E84, *Standard Test Method for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials*, 2024.

ASTM E119, *Standard Test Methods for Fire Tests of Building Construction and Materials*, 2024.

ASTM E136, *Standard Test Method for Assessing Combustibility of Materials Using a Vertical Tube Furnace at 750°C*, 2024c.

ASTM E814, *Standard Test Method for Fire Tests of Through-Penetration Fire Stops*, 2024.

ASTM E2336, *Standard Test Methods for Fire Resistive Grease Duct Enclosure Systems*, 2020 2025 .

ASTM E2652, *Standard Test Method for Assessing Combustibility of Materials Using a Tube Furnace with a Cone-shaped Airflow Stabilizer, at 750°C*, 2018 2022 .

ASTM E2965, *Standard Test Method for Determination of Low Levels of Heat Release Rate for Materials and Products Using an Oxygen Consumption Calorimeter*, 2022a 2025 .

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2.3.4 UL Publications.

Underwriters Laboratories Inc., 333 Pfingsten Road, Northbrook, IL 60062-2096.

ANSI/ CAN/UL 144, Standard for Safety LP-Gas Regulators, 2024a .

UL 197, *Commercial Electric Cooking Appliances*, 2010, revised 2023.

UL 263, *Fire Tests of Building Construction and Materials*, 2011, revised ~~2022~~ 2025 .

ANSI/CAN/UL/ULC 300, *Fire Testing of Fire Extinguishing Systems for Protection of Commercial Cooking Equipment*, 2024.

~~UL 499, *Electric Heating Appliances* , 2014, revised 2025.~~

UL 705, *Power Ventilators*, ~~2022~~ 2017, revised 2024 .

UL 710, *Exhaust Hoods for Commercial Cooking Equipment*, 2024.

UL 710A, *Safety for Rooftop Grease and Oil Collection and Containment Systems*, 2015.

UL 710B, *Recirculating Systems*, 2011, revised 2021.

UL 723, *Test for Surface Burning Characteristics of Building Materials*, ~~2023~~ 2018, revised 2025 .

UL 1046, *Grease Filters for Exhaust Ducts*, 2010, revised 2022.

UL 1479, *Fire Tests of Through-Penetration Firestops*, 2015, revised ~~2024~~ 2025 .

UL 1484, *Residential Fuel Gas Detectors Alarms* , 2016, revised ~~2022~~ 2025 .

~~UL 1889, *Commercial Filters for Cooking Oil* , 2024.~~

UL 1978, *Grease Ducts*, 2010, revised 2024.

UL 2221, *Tests of Fire Resistive Grease Duct Enclosure Assemblies*, 2010, revised ~~2014~~ .

UL 8782, *Outline of Investigation for Pollution Control Units for Commercial Cooking Operations*, 2017.

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Second Revision No. 5-NFPA 96-2025 [Section No. 9.3.7]

9.3.7*

If the heat source is nonelectric and open flames are used, at least one listed carbon monoxide alarm or detector shall be installed in both the kitchen and dining areas.

A.9.3.7

Listing requirements for carbon monoxide alarms are contained in UL 2034, *Single or Multiple Station Carbon Monoxide Alarms*, and listing requirements for carbon monoxide detectors are contained in UL 2075, *Gas and Vapor Detectors and Sensors*. Installations should be in accordance with the product's installation instructions and NFPA 72. At a minimum, an AC-powered battery-backup CO alarm should be considered.

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Second Revision No. 6-NFPA 96-2025 [Section No. 17.10.1]

17.10.1*

If the heat source is nonelectric and open flames are used, at least one listed carbon monoxide alarm or detector shall be installed in the kitchen area.

A.17.10.1

Listing requirements for carbon monoxide alarms are contained in UL 2034, *Single or Multiple Station Carbon Monoxide Alarms*, and listing requirements for carbon monoxide detectors are contained in UL 2075, *Gas and Vapor Detectors and Sensors*. Installations should be in accordance with the product's installation instructions and NFPA 72. Due to the nature of the mobile and temporary cooking operations, at a minimum, a battery-powered CO alarm should be considered.

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B.1.2.9 UL Publications.

Underwriters Laboratories Inc., 333 Pfingsten Road, Northbrook, IL 60062-2096.

UL 197, *Commercial Electric Cooking Appliances*, 2010, revised 2023.

ANSI/CAN/UL/ULC 199, *Automatic Sprinklers for Fire-Protection Service*, 2022, revised 2024.

UL 199B, *Outline of Investigation for Automatic Sprinkler Systems Used for Protection of Commercial Cooking Equipment*, 2015.

UL 199E, *Outline of Investigation for Fire Testing of Sprinklers and Water Spray Nozzles for Protection of Deep Fat Fryers*, 2004 2025 .

ANSI/CAN/UL/ULC 300, *Fire Testing of Fire Extinguishing Systems for Protection of Commercial Cooking Equipment*, 2024.

UL 499, *Electric Heating Appliances* , 2014, revised 2025.

UL 710B, *Recirculating Systems*, 2011, revised 2021.

UL 896, *Oil-Burning Stoves*, 1993, revised 2022.

UL 923, *Microwave Cooking Appliances*, 2013, revised 2024.

UL 1046, *Grease Filters for Exhaust Ducts*, 2010, revised 2022.

UL 1598, *Luminaires*, 2021, revised 2024

UL 1889, *Commercial Filters for Cooking Oil* , 2024.

UL 2034, *Single or Multiple Station Carbon Monoxide Alarms* , 2024.

UL 2075, *Gas and Vapor Detectors and Sensors* , 2013, revised 2025.

UL 2108, *Low Voltage Lighting Systems*, 2015, revised 2023 2024

UL 2162, *Commercial and/or Outdoor Wood-Fired Baking Ovens - Refractory Type*, 2014, revised 2019 2025 .

UL 8782, *Outline of Investigation for Pollution Control Units for Commercial Cooking Operations*, 2017.

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B.1.2.10 ULC Publications.

Underwriters Laboratories of Canada, 7 Underwriters Road, Toronto, ON M1R 3A9, Canada.

CAN/ULC-S649, *Standard for Grease Filters for Commercial and Institutional Kitchen Exhaust Fans*, R2021 2024 .

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