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Preface

This twenty-fourth edition of the *Canadian Electrical Code, Part I*, was approved by the Committee on the *Canadian Electrical Code, Part I*, and by the Regulatory Authority Committee at their June 2017 meetings in Halifax, Nova Scotia. This twenty-fourth edition supersedes the previous editions, published in 2015, 2012, 2009, 2006, 2002, 1998, 1994, 1990, 1986, 1982, 1978, 1975, 1972, 1969, 1966, 1962, 1958, 1953, 1947, 1939, 1935, 1930, and 1927.

This edition features important revisions to many Sections. Section 26 now mandates the use of tamper-resistant receptacles in additional areas where children may be present. Section 62 now requires ground fault circuit interrupter protection for heating devices and controls in proximity to tubs, sinks, and shower stalls.

Section 10 has been updated, reorganized, and significantly reduced in length. Requirements for power over ethernet systems have been added to Section 16, and requirements for marine wharves and similar facilities have been substantially updated and reorganized in Section 78.

To address the increasing use of electric vehicles, Section 8 now formally recognizes energy management systems as a method of reducing the load on building services. Because lighting control devices associated with energy management or home automation require power to operate, Section 4 now requires that an identified conductor be provided for all devices controlling permanently installed luminaires.

Other revisions in this edition include the following:

- in Section 26, Rules 26-400 to 26-726 have been reorganized and renumbered in order to group related concepts together and provide a more logical flow for the requirements;
- in many Sections, the redundant use of the term “approved” has been eliminated;
- clarification has been provided on arc-fault circuit interrupter protection for bathrooms, washrooms, existing circuits, and circuits supplying carbon monoxide or smoke alarms;
- requirements for dining area and refrigerator circuits have been clarified;
- the terms “jacketed”, “insulated”, and “covered” as applied to conductors have been clarified through a new definition of the term “jacket” and a revised definition of the term “conductor” in Section 0. As a result, the term “conductor” has been replaced with “insulated conductor” in many Sections of the Code;
- Section 82 has been deleted as it covered a technology that is no longer in use; and
- a new Appendix M containing French translations of markings has been added.

Many of the changes in this edition were developed by cross-functional working groups. Their work is gratefully acknowledged.

General arrangement

The Code is divided into numbered Sections, each covering some main division of the work. Sections 0 to 16 and 26 are considered general Sections, and the other Sections supplement or amend the general Sections. The Sections are divided into numbered Rules, with captions for easy reference, as follows:

a) **Numbering system** — With the exception of Section 38, even numbers have been used throughout to identify Sections and Rules. Rule numbers consist of the Section number separated by a hyphen from the 3- or 4-digit figure. The intention in general is that odd numbers may be used for new Rules required by interim revisions. Due to the introduction of some new Rules and the deletion of some existing Rules during the revision of each edition, the Rule numbers for any particular requirement are not always the same in successive editions.

b) **Subdivision of Rules** — Rules are subdivided in the manner illustrated by Rules 8-204 and 8-206, and the subdivisions are identified as follows:

00-000	Rule
1)	Subrule
a)	Item
i)	Item
A)	Item

c) **Reference to other Rules, etc.** — Where reference is made to two or more Rules (e.g., Rules 10-200 to 10-206), the first and last Rules mentioned are included in the reference. Where reference is made to a Subrule or Item in the same Rule, only the Subrule number and/or Item letter and the word "Subrule" or "Item" need be mentioned. If the reference is to another Rule or Section, then the Rule number and the word "Rule" shall be stated (e.g., "Rule 10-206 3)" and not "Subrule 3) of Rule 10-206").

The principal changes that have been made between the 2015 edition of the *Canadian Electrical Code, Part I*, and this new edition, published in 2018, are marked in the text of the Code by the symbol delta (Δ) in the margin. Users of the Code are advised that the change markers in the text are not intended to be all-inclusive and are provided as a convenience only; such markers cannot constitute a comprehensive guide to the reorganization or revision of the Code. Global revisions that improve the overall consistency and precision of Code language without affecting the interpretation of any specific Rule are not identified. Care must therefore be taken not to rely on the change markers to determine the current requirements of the Code. As always, users of the Code must consider the entire Code and any local amendments or interpretations.

This Standard has been developed in compliance with Standards Council of Canada requirements for National Standards of Canada. It has been published as a National Standard of Canada by CSA Group.

Acknowledgement

The use of material contained in the *National Electrical Code* is acknowledged.

The history and operation of the *Canadian Electrical Code, Part I*

The preliminary work in preparing the Canadian Electrical Code began in 1920 when a special committee, appointed by the main Committee of the Canadian Engineering Standards Association, recommended its development. A third meeting of this Committee was held in June 1927 with representatives from Nova Scotia, Québec, Ontario, Manitoba, Saskatchewan, and British Columbia in attendance. At this meeting, the revised draft, which had been discussed at the previous two meetings, was formally approved and it was resolved that it be printed as Part I of the *Canadian Electrical Code*.

The Committee on the *CE Code, Part I*, is composed of 41 members, with representation from inspection authorities, industry, utilities, and allied interests. The main Committee meets once a year and deals with reports that have been submitted by the Section Subcommittees, which work under the jurisdiction of the main Committee. Suggestions for changes to the Code may be made by any member of the Committee or anyone outside the Committee as outlined in Clause C6.

Notes:

1) *Although the intended primary application of this Standard is stated in its Scope, it is important to note that it remains the responsibility of the users of the Standard to judge its suitability for their particular purpose.*

2) *This Standard is subject to review within five years from the date of publication, and suggestions for its improvement will be referred to the appropriate committee.*

3) *All enquiries regarding this Standard should be addressed to CSA Group, 178 Rexdale Blvd., Toronto, Ontario, Canada M9W 1R3. Requests for interpretation should be worded in such a manner as to permit a specific "yes" or "no" answer based on the literal text of the requirement concerned. See Clause C9. Interpretations are available on the* Current Standards Activities *page at standardsactivities.csa.ca.*

Metric units

Symbols and conversion factors for SI units

Recognized symbols for SI units have been used in the *Canadian Electrical Code, Part I*. For the convenience of the user, these symbols and the units they represent have been listed in the following table; the table also gives a multiplying factor that may be used to convert the SI unit to the previously used unit.

Symbol	SI unit	Multiplying factor for conversion to previously used unit	Previously used unit
A	ampere(s)	1	ampere(s)
cm^3	cubic centimetre(s)	0.061	cubic inch(es)
°(s)	degree(s) (angle)	1	degree(s) (angle)
°C rise	degree(s) Celsius	1.8	degree(s) Fahrenheit
°C temperature	degree(s) Celsius	1.8 plus 32	degree(s) Fahrenheit
h	hour(s)	1	hour(s) (time)
Hz	hertz	1	cycles per second
J	joule(s)	0.7376	foot-pound(s)
kg	kilogram(s)	2.205	pound(s)
kJ	kilojoule(s)	737.6	foot-pound(s)
km	kilometre	0.621	mile(s)
kPa	kilopascal(s)	0.295	inch(es) of mercury
		0.334	feet of water
		0.145	pound(s) per square inch (psi)
kW	kilowatt	3415.179	BTU/h
lx	lux	0.093	foot-candle(s)
L	litre	0.220	gallon(s)
m	metre(s)	3.281	feet
m^2	square metre(s)	10.764	square feet
m^3	cubic metre(s)	35.315	cubic feet
MHz	megahertz	1	megacycles per second
min	minute(s)	1	minute(s)
mL	millilitre(s)	0.061	cubic inch(es)
mm	millimetre(s)	0.03937	inch(es)
mm^2	square millimetre(s)	0.00155	square inch(es)
N•m	newton•metre	8.85	pound-force inches
Ω	ohm(s)	1	ohm(s)

Symbol	SI unit	Multiplying factor for conversion to previously used unit	Previously used unit
Pa	pascal(s)	0.000295	inch(es) of mercury
		0.000334	feet of water
		0.000145	pounds per square inch (psi)
s	second(s)	1	second(s)
V	volt(s)	1	volt(s)
W	watt(s)	1	watt(s)
µF	microfarad(s)	1	microfarad(s)

Conduit sizes

Starting in the 2006 edition of the Code, the metric trade designator has been used exclusively to identify conduit size. The following table is provided for convenience only.

Conduit trade sizes

Inches	Metric designator
3/8	12
1/2	16
3/4	21
1	27
1-1/4	35
1-1/2	41
2	53
2-1/2	63
3	78
3-1/2	91
4	103
5	129
6	155
8	200

Reference publications

This Standard refers to the following publications, and the year dates shown indicate the latest editions available at the time the Standard was approved:

CSA Group

6.19-17
Residential carbon monoxide alarming devices

ASME A17.1-2013/CSA B44-13
Safety code for elevators and escalators

CSA B44.1-14/ASME A17.5-2014
Elevator and escalator electrical equipment

B52-13
Mechanical refrigeration code

CAN/CSA-B72-M87 (R2013)
Installation code for lightning protection systems

B108-14
Compressed natural gas fuelling stations installation code

B149.1-15
Natural gas and propane installation code

B149.2-15
Propane storage and handling code

B355-15
Lifts for persons with physical disabilities

CAN/CSA-B613-00 (withdrawn)
Private residence lifts for persons with physical disabilities

CAN/CSA-C22.2 No. 0-10 (R2015)
General requirements — Canadian Electrical Code, Part II

C22.2 No. 1-04 (withdrawn)
Audio, video, and similar electronic equipment

C22.2 No. 3-M1988 (withdrawn)
Electrical features of fuel-burning equipment

C22.2 No. 4-16
Enclosed and dead-front switches

C22.2 No. 5-16
Molded-case circuit breakers, molded-case switches, and circuit-breaker enclosures

C22.2 No. 14-13
Industrial control equipment

C22.2 No. 18.1-13
Metallic outlet boxes

C22.2 No. 18.2-06 (R2016)
Nonmetallic outlet boxes

C22.2 No. 18.3-12 (R2017)
Conduit, tubing, and cable fittings

C22.2 No. 18.4-15
Hardware for the support of conduit, tubing, and cable

C22.2 No. 29-15
Panelboards and enclosed panelboards

C22.2 No. 35-09 (R2014)
Extra-low-voltage control circuit cable, low-energy control cable, and extra-low-voltage control cable

C22.2 No. 38-14
Thermoset-insulated wires and cables

C22.2 No. 41-13
Grounding and bonding equipment

C22.2 No. 42-10 (R2015)
General use receptacles, attachment plugs, and similar wiring devices

C22.2 No. 42.1-13
Cover plates for flush-mounted wiring devices

C22.2 No. 45.1-07 (R2017)
Electrical rigid metal conduit — Steel

C22.2 No. 46-13
Electric air-heaters

C22.2 No. 48-15
Nonmetallic sheathed cable

C22.2 No. 49-14
Flexible cords and cables

C22.2 No. 51-14
Armoured cables

C22.2 No. 52-15
Underground secondary and service-entrance cables

C22.2 No. 56-17
Flexible metal conduit and liquid-tight flexible metal conduit

C22.2 No. 64-10 (R2014)
Household cooking and liquid-heating appliances

C22.2 No. 65-13
Wire connectors

C22.2 No. 66.3-06 (R2015)
Low voltage transformers — Part 3: Class 2 and Class 3 transformers

C22.2 No. 75-17
Thermoplastic insulated wires and cables

C22.2 No. 77-14
Motors with inherent overheating protection

C22.2 No. 82-1969 (R2013)
Tubular support members and associated fittings for domestic and commercial service masts

C22.2 No. 83-M1985 (R2017)
Electrical metallic tubing

C22.2 No. 83.1-07 (R2017)
Electrical metallic tubing — Steel

C22.2 No. 85-14
Rigid PVC boxes and fittings

C22.2 No. 96-17
Portable power cables

C22.2 No. 100-14
Motors and generators

C22.2 No. 106-05 (R2014)
HRC-miscellaneous fuses

C22.2 No. 107.1-16
Power conversion equipment

C22.2 No. 111-10 (R2015)
General-use snap switches

C22.2 No. 123-16
Metal sheathed cables

C22.2 No. 124-16
Mineral-insulated cable

C22.2 No. 126.1-17
Metal cable tray systems

CAN/CSA-C22.2 No. 126.2-02 (R2017)
Nonmetallic cable tray systems

C22.2 No. 127-15
Equipment and lead wires

C22.2 No. 129-10 (R2014)
Neutral-supported cables

C22.2 No. 130-16
Requirements for electrical resistance trace heating and heating device sets

C22.2 No. 131-14
Type TECK 90 cable

C22.2 No. 141-15
Emergency lighting equipment

CAN/CSA-C22.2 No. 157-92 (R2016)
Intrinsically safe and non-incendive equipment for use in hazardous locations

C22.2 No. 174-M1984 (R2017)
Cables and cable glands for use in hazardous locations

C22.2 No. 178.1-14
Transfer switch equipment

C22.2 No. 179-09 (R2014)
Airport series lighting cables

C22.2 No. 208-14
Fire alarm and signal cable

C22.2 No. 211.0-03 (R2013)
General requirements and methods of testing for nonmetallic conduit

C22.2 No. 211.1-06 (R2016)
Rigid types EB1 and DB2/ES2 PVC conduit

C22.2 No. 211.2-06 (R2016)
Rigid PVC (unplasticized) conduit

C22.2 No. 211.3-96 (withdrawn)
Reinforced thermosetting resin conduit (RTRC) and fittings

C22.2 No. 213-16
Non-incendive electrical equipment for use in Class I and II, Division 2 and Class III, Divisions 1 and 2 hazardous (classified) locations

C22.2 No. 214-17
Communications cables

C22.2 No. 218.1-13
Spas, hot tubs, and associated equipment

C22.2 No. 223-15
Power supplies with extra-low-voltage Class 2 outputs

CAN/CSA-C22.2 No. 227.1-06 (R2016)
Electrical nonmetallic tubing

C22.2 No. 227.2.1-14
Liquid-tight flexible non-metallic conduit

C22.2 No. 239-17
Control and instrumentation cables

C22.2 No. 248 series
Low-voltage fuses

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Section 0 — Object, scope, and definitions
(See Appendix G)

Object (see Appendix B)

The object of this Code is to establish safety standards for the installation and maintenance of electrical equipment. In its preparation, consideration has been given to the prevention of fire and shock hazards, as well as proper maintenance and operation.

The requirements in this Code address the fundamental principles of protection for safety contained in Section 131 of International Electrotechnical Commission Standard 60364-1, *Low-voltage electrical installations*. IEC 60364-1, Section 131, contains fundamental principles of protection for safety that encompass protection against electric shock, thermal effects, overcurrent, fault currents, and overvoltage. Therefore, compliance with the requirements of this Code and proper maintenance will ensure an essentially safe installation. Safe installations may be also achieved by alternatives to this Code, when such alternatives meet the fundamental safety principles of IEC 60364-1 (see Appendix K). These alternatives are intended to be used only in conjunction with acceptable means to assess compliance of these alternatives with the fundamental safety principles of IEC 60364-1 by the authorities enforcing this Code.

Wiring installations that do not make provision for the increasing use of electricity may be overloaded in the future, resulting in a hazardous condition. It is recommended that the initial installation have sufficient wiring capacity and that there be some provision made for wiring changes that might be required as a result of future load growth.

This Code is not intended as a design specification nor as an instruction manual for untrained persons.

Scope

This Code applies to all electrical work and electrical equipment operating or intended to operate at all voltages in electrical installations for buildings, structures, and premises, including factory-built relocatable and non-relocatable structures, and self-propelled marine vessels stationary for periods exceeding five months and connected to a shore supply of electricity continuously or from time to time, with the following exceptions:

a) installations or equipment employed by an electric, communication, or community antenna distribution system utility in the exercise of its function as a utility, as recognized by the regulatory authority having jurisdiction, and located outdoors or in buildings or sections of buildings used for that purpose;
b) equipment and facilities that are used in the operation of an electric railway and are supplied exclusively from circuits that supply the motive power;
c) installations or equipment used for railway signalling and railway communication purposes, and located outdoors or in buildings or sections of buildings used exclusively for such installations;
d) aircraft; and
e) electrical systems in ships that are regulated under Transport Canada.

For mines and quarry applications, see also CSA M421.

This Code and any standards referenced in it do not make or imply any assurance or guarantee by the authority adopting this Code with respect to life expectancy, durability, or operating performance of equipment and materials so referenced.