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# NEMA and the Electroindustry

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#### What is NEMA?

- NEMA is a Federation of Companies, founded in 1926 by the merger of the Electric Power Club and the Associated Manufacturers of Electrical Supplies
- NEMA provides a forum for the Standardization (1) of electrical equipment, enabling consumers to select from a range of safe, effective, and compatible electrical products
- The organization has made numerous contributions to the electrical industry by shaping public policy (2) development and operating as a central confidential agency for gathering, compiling, and analyzing market statistics and economics data (3)

(Core member services)





#### Who is NEMA?

- Approximately 60 employees, located in Arlington Virginia (adj. to Wash DC) with Field Representatives in four major geographic areas and an office in Mexico
  - Former offices in Brasil and Beijing
- Managed by CEO & Staff and by the NEMA Board of Governors (30+ CEOs of member companies. Chair: Annette Clayton, Schneider Electric)
- NEMA represents 58 distinct products sections of 325 member companies, ranging from medical imaging equipment & electrical distribution equipment to electric motors & power electronics





#### **NEMA Motor and Generator Section**

- 20+ major manufacturers represented in two sections
  - Electric Motors (1Hp and greater, Industrial machines)
  - Small Machine Group (Fractional, single- & 3- phase, consumer/commercial machines)
- Very active in Standards development and Regulatory Affairs
- Recent publication: NEMA 10011-2022 Power Index Calculation Procedure Standard Rating Methodology for Power Drive Systems and Complete Drive Modules

https://www.techstreet.com/nema/standards/nema-mg-10011-2022





## NEMA Public Affairs Advocacy

- Representing 370,000 American manufacturing workers across all 50 states, we are the voice of the electroindustry that commands the attention of policymakers and regulators
- As legislation and regulations are proposed, the U.S. electroindustry looks to NEMA for advocacy at every level of government, including local building codes, infrastructure funding, national energy laws, and international trade
- NEMA is nationally recognized for our focused policy expertise





### NEMA and Sustainability Advocacy

- Many members have detailed Sustainability and ESG Policies and Plans
- NEMA assists through a variety of actions and activities
  - Energy Efficiency Legislation, Regulations & Programs (Examples)
    - NEMA Environmental Design and Product Management <u>Resources</u>
    - Defense Production Act (President Biden 06 June 2022)
    - White House: Buy America Office
    - Recent <u>comments</u> on US Security and Exchanges Commission proposed rule for *Enhancement and Standardization of Climate-Related Disclosures for Investors*
    - Infrastructure Investment and Jobs Act of 2021
  - NEMA Campaigns: Infrastructure, Supply Chain Resiliency and Energy Transition





### Regulatory Advocacy of Interest to Motors

- Continue to promote NEMA Standard 10011 to raise focus on end-use energy savings
- US Department of Energy Product/Appliance Rulemakings
  - Over 70 product classes, including electric/small motors
    - By law, must review Standards and Test Procedures every 6 and 7 years, respectively
  - Products must be tested and certified to DOE prior to sale (includes importation)
    - DOE enforcement authority is at "point of sale" (manufacture or import)
  - There are no US Federal regulations for Variable Speed Drives
  - DOE is in open review of Test Procedures and Standards for all Electric Motors
  - NEMA is seeking a formal negotiated rulemaking for Electric Motor TPs and Standards
    - o Pushing for determination to maintain small electric motor standards as-is
  - Always interested in discussion of further global standards/regulatory harmonization





## Regulatory Cooperation

- CEMEP Technical Board plans to assist and support NEMA as needed if/when ASRAC granted
- CEMEP TB will consider opportunities for promotion of NEMA Standards 10011-2022
- Discussions about international harmonization continue
  - The topic is challenging since no regulation can backslide
- NEMA will assist in arrangements for Spring CEMEP meetings in Florida (once location/time is approved)





#### Thanks for the attention!

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