



Special Hazards Systems Level I Selected General References

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Candidates are permitted to bring only the following references into the test center:

<u>Title</u>	<u>Edition*</u>
¹ NFPA 12	2022
² NFPA 70	2020
³ NFPA 72	2022
⁴ NFPA 2001	2022

*The test questions are based on the standard editions listed above; therefore, candidates are strongly urged to bring these editions to the exam. Candidates may bring older or newer editions—instead of the editions listed above—at their own risk.

Note: An NFPA Handbook will NOT be accepted as a substitute for any of the titles listed above.

References must be bound or secured in a three-ring binder with a title page (example provided on the main program page). They may have highlighted text and self-adhesive index tabs or dividers; however, they must be permanently attached. No other additions or modifications to the references are allowed. Handwritten notes are NOT permitted. References with loose paper or pages and freestanding tabs (e.g., repositionable sticky notes/tabs of any kind) are not permitted into the testing centers.

During the exam, the following titles will be available to candidates on-screen:

NFPA 12 (2022): Standard on Carbon Dioxide Extinguishing Systems

NFPA 70 (2020): National Electrical Code

NFPA 72 (2022): National Fire Alarm and Signaling Code

NFPA 2001 (2022): Standard on Clean Agent Fire Extinguishing Systems

*Test questions are based on the editions listed above. These editions will be available to candidates during the exam in view-only format.

In addition to the references listed above, the following publications can provide some of the job knowledge required by a special hazards systems technician. While these books may help you prepare for the exam, they are NOT permitted in the test center.

⁵CGA C-6 (2022): Standards for Visual Inspection of Steel Compressed Gas Cylinders, Compressed Gas Association (CGA)

⁶NIST S 7101.61 (2022): Compressed Gas Safety, National Institute of Standards and Technology

⁷NFPA 11 (2024): Standard for the Low-, Medium-, and High-Expansion Foam

⁸NFPA 13 (2022): Standard for the Installation of Sprinkler Systems

⁹NFPA 58 (2024): Liquefied Petroleum Gas Code

¹⁰NFPA 75 (2022): Standard for the Fire Protection of Information Technology Equipment

¹¹NFPA 170 (2021): Standard for Fire Safety and Emergency Symbols

¹²OSHA 29 CFR 1910: General Industry, U.S. Dept. of Labor

¹³OSHA 29 CFR 1926: Safety and Health Regulations for Construction, U.S. Dept. of Labor

¹⁴OSHA Brief - Hazard Communication Standard: Safety Data Sheets (BR-3514), U.S. Dept. of Labor

¹⁵*Ugly's Electrical References, 7th Edition*. (2023) Miller, Charles R., Jones & Bartlett Learning

¹⁶"Using Engineer and Architect Scales." *U.S. Fire Administration*. usfa.fema.gov

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