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**Appendix A Transformer Evaluation Spreadsheet**

## 1. Scope

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This Practice describes the requirements for design, manufacture, inspection, testing, and shipping of three-phase, liquid-immersed power transformers with a rating of 750 kVA and above.

## 2. References

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Applicable parts of the following Practices and industry codes and standards shall be considered an integral part of this Practice. The edition in effect on the date of contract award shall be used, except as otherwise noted. Short titles are used herein where appropriate.

### 2.1 Process Industry Practices (PIP)

- PIP ELSTR01-D - *Data Sheet for Design and Manufacture of Liquid-Immersed Power Transformers*

### 2.2 Industry Codes and Standards

- American Society for Standards and Materials (ASTM)
  - ASTM D1535 - *Standard Practice for Specifying Color by the Munsell System*
  - ASTM D3487- *Standard Specification for Mineral Insulating Oil Used in Electrical Apparatus*
  - ASTM D1275-2006 - *Standard Test Method for Corrosive Sulfur in Electrical Insulating Oils*
- Factory Mutual
  - FM Global Property Loss Prevention Data Sheets 5-4, Transformers
- Federal Register
  - 10 CFR Part 431 - *Energy Conservation Program for Commercial Equipment: Distribution Transformers Energy Conservation Standards; Final Rule (reference for energy efficiency of 2500kVA or less)*
- Institute of Electrical and Electronic Engineers (IEEE)
  - IEEE C57.110 - *IEEE Guide for the Application of Current Transformers Used for Protective Relaying Purposes*
  - IEEE Std C57.12.00 - *IEEE Standard for Standard General Requirements for Liquid-Immersed Distribution, Power, and Regulating Transformers (ANSI/IEEE)*
  - IEEE Std C57.12.10 - *Standard Requirements for Liquid-Immersed Power Transformers*
  - IEEE Std C57.12.28 - *IEEE Standard for Pad-Mounted Equipment - Enclosure Integrity (reference for coatings only)*
  - IEEE Std C57.12.29 - *IEEE Standard for Pad-Mounted Equipment-Enclosure Integrity for Coastal Environments (reference for coatings only)*
  - IEEE Std C57.12.70 - *IEEE Standard Terminal Markings and Connections for Distribution and Power Transformers (ANSI/IEEE)*
  - IEEE Std C57.12.80 - *IEEE Standard Terminology for Power and Distribution Transformers (ANSI/IEEE)*