

NRC STANDARDS FORUM

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Agenda

- IEEE and NPEC Introduction
- NPEC Industry Contribution
- New Project- IEEE Activity

The world's largest professional association

Global Reach

430,000+
Members



160+
Countries



1,300+
Annual Conferences



Technical Breadth

39 Technical Societies
6 Technical Councils



4,000,000+
Technical Documents

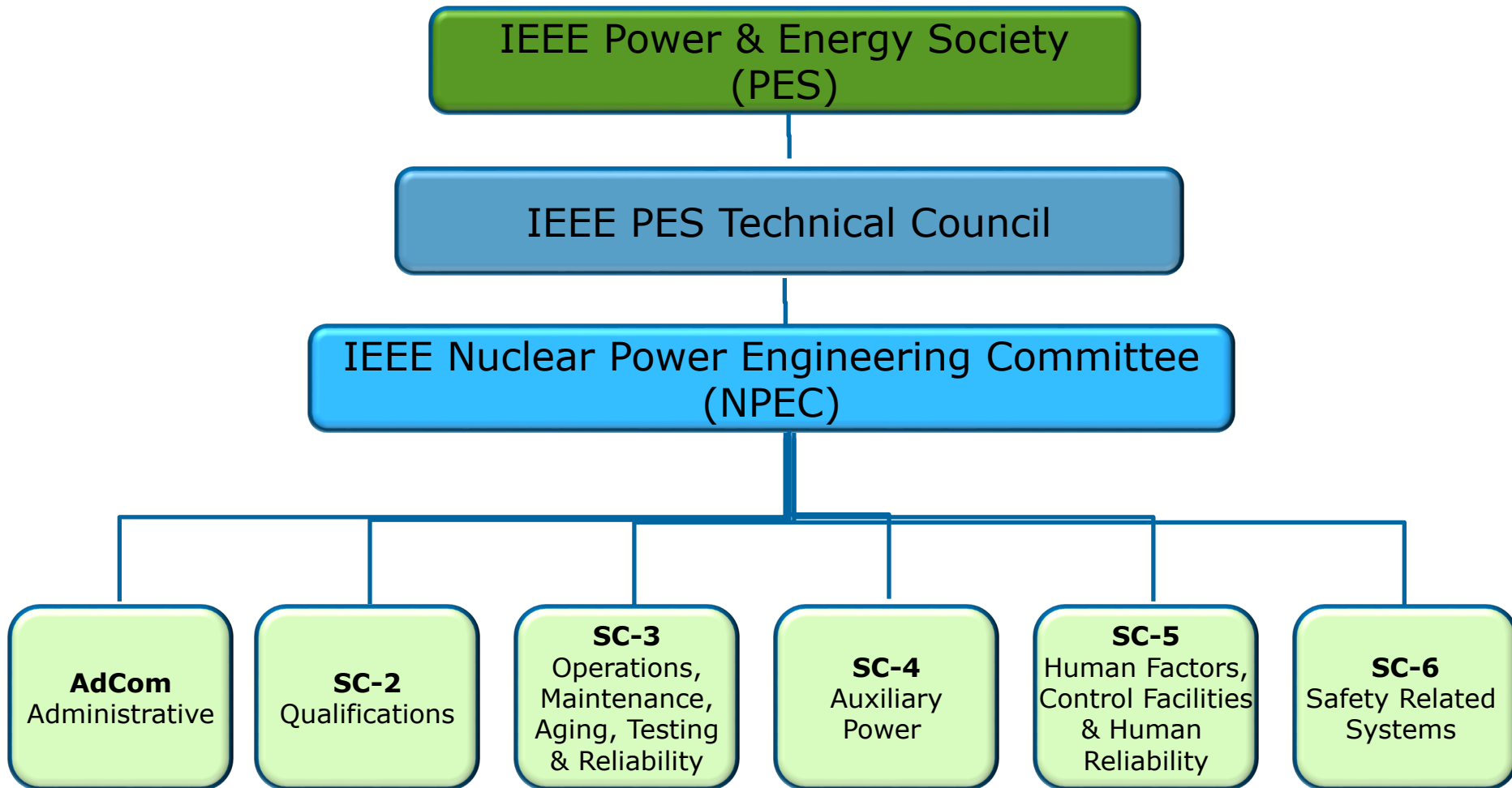


180+
Top-cited Periodicals



- Aerospace and Electronic Systems
- Antennas and Propagation
- Biometrics Council
- Broadcast Technology
- Circuits and Systems
- Communications
- Components, Packaging, and Manufacturing Technology
- Computational Intelligence
- Computer
- Consumer Electronics
- Control Systems
- Council on Electronic Design Automation
- Council on Superconductivity
- Dielectrics and Electrical Insulation
- Education
- Electron Devices
- Electromagnetic Compatibility
- Engineering in Medicine and Biology
- Geoscience and Remote Sensing
- Industrial Electronics
- Industry Applications
- Information Theory
- Instrumentation and Measurement
- Intelligent Transportation Systems
- Magnetics
- Microwave Theory and Techniques
- Nanotechnology Council
- Nuclear and Plasma Sciences
- Oceanic Engineering
- Photonics
- Power Electronics
- **Power & Energy**
- Product Safety Engineering
- Professional Communications
- Reliability
- Robotics and Automation
- Sensors Council
- Signal Processing
- Social Implications of Technology
- Solid-State Circuits
- Systems, Man, and Cybernetics
- Systems Council
- Technology and Engineering Management
- Ultrasonics, Ferroelectrics, and Frequency Control
- Vehicular Technology

IEEE PES Nuclear Power Engineering Committee (NPEC) Structure



IEC –IEEE Joint Standards

Joint Standards Issued

Standard	Year	Title
62582-1	2011	Nuclear power plants - Instrumentation and control important to safety - Electrical equipment condition monitoring methods - Part 1: General
62582-2	2011	Nuclear power plants - Instrumentation and control important to safety - Electrical equipment condition monitoring methods - Part 2: Indenter modulus
62582-3	2012	Nuclear Power Plants - Instrumentation and control important to safety - Electrical equipment condition monitoring methods - Part 3: Elongation at break
62582-4	2011	Nuclear power plants - Instrumentation and control important to safety - Electrical equipment condition monitoring methods - Part 4: Oxidation induction techniques
62582-5	2015	Nuclear Power Plants - Instrumentation and control important to safety - Electrical equipment condition monitoring methods Part 5: Optical time domain reflectometry
60780-323	2016	Qualification of Electrical Equipment Important to Safety for Nuclear Facilities REGULATORY GUIDE 1.89 - to be revised

Project	Type	Title
IEEE-344	Revision	Seismic Qualification of 1E Equipment (PAR being developed)
IEEE-1082	Revision	Human Action Reliability Analysis for Nuclear Power Generating Stations. THE NEW REVISION WILL BE ADOPTED BY IEC
P62582-6	New	Nuclear power plants -- Instrumentation and control important to safety -- Electrical equipment condition monitoring methods. Part 6: Insulation resistance

NPEC's Industry Contribution

New area of IEEE effort to efficiency and effectiveness in the procurement of

Environmentally

Qualified

Electrical

components

(A dozen labs waiting to be audited)



FILE # / Category

NPEC XXXXX

NEW Project- IEEE ACTIVITY

Sponsor ORG	TASK ID	Research Project	IEEE Standard	Current IEEE Activity
EPRI	2014-08	Advanced Battery Evaluation	IEEE 535	EPRI & NRC participates
EPRI	2015-02	SMR Staff Optimization	None	Under review
EPRI	2015-09	Seismic Hi-Freq. Loadings	IEEE 344	Joint IEC revision on progress
		HTGRs	None	Under consideration
		Liquid metal Reactors +SFR	None	Under Consideration

Comments ?

Questions ?

NPEC Objective

Consensus building forum to produce standards from diverse organizations:

- Nuclear Plant owners, operators/utilities
- NSSS developers and vendors
- Architect Engineers Regulators
- Product & servicing companies
- Manufacturers

NPEC Scope

- NPEC scope covers all nuclear power related technical and standards writing activities within the IEEE.
- **NPEC Fact Sheet**
 - Identifies all subcommittees/working groups and standards maintained by them
 - Available to the public at:
<http://grouper.IEEE.org/groups/npec/index.html>

IEEE Standards Endorsed Through Codifying & Regulatory Guides

Battery sizing & maintenance

Instrumentation & Control Systems (Analog &
Digital)

Class 1E Electrical Power System

Primary Guidance for Environmental Qualification

Seismic Qualification

Human Factors (*in process*)

Post Accident Monitoring

NPEC's Industry Contribution

- Working aggressively to address increased use of digital technology (IEEE 603 – just balloted, IEEE 7-4.3.2)
- Committed to addressing evolving issues and producing acceptable solutions
- Committed to the nuclear promise in reducing costs and achieving operational excellence
- Welcoming ideas on areas where NPEC can facilitate advancements in these areas through new standards or revision to existing standards

International Collaboration & Benefits

- IEEE continues to build collaboration with other standards development organizations
- Various cooperation agreements with IEC exist and a memorandum with IAEA was recently signed
- Such collaboration leads to new plant designs conforming to joint / shared standards that have US requirements embedded
- Joint standards help the designers to get regulatory acceptance in multiple countries without undue effort.