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Δ Preface

This is the fourth edition of ASME A112.18.1/CSA B125.1, *Plumbing supply fittings*. It supersedes the previous edition published in 2012.

Together with ASME A112.18.2/CSA B125.2, *Plumbing waste fittings*, CSA B125.3, *Plumbing fittings*, and ASME A112.18.6/CSA B125.6, *Flexible water connectors*, this Standard forms a series to cover plumbing fittings.

This Standard is considered suitable for use for conformity assessment within the stated scope of the Standard.

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Plumbing supply fittings

1 Scope

1.1

This Standard covers plumbing supply fittings and accessories located between the supply stop and the terminal fitting, inclusive, as follows:

- a) automatic compensating valves for individual wall-mounted showering systems;
- b) bath and shower supply fittings;
- c) bidet supply fittings;
- d) clothes washer supply fittings;
- e) commercial pre-rinse spray valves;
- f) drinking fountain supply fittings;
- g) humidifier supply stops;
- h) kitchen, sink, and lavatory supply fittings;
- i) laundry tub supply fittings;
- j) lawn and sediment faucets;
- k) low-pressure water dispensers;
- l) metering and self-closing supply fittings;
- m) showerheads, hand-held showers, and body sprays; and
- n) supply stops.

1.2

This Standard does not cover

- a) plumbing waste fittings, which are covered by ASME A112.18.2/CSA B125.2;
- b) other devices (e.g., temperature-actuated in-line mixing valves), which are covered by CSA B125.3 or other plumbing product Standards; and
- c) flexible water connectors under continuous pressure, which are covered by ASME A112.18.6/CSA B125.6.

1.3

Except for push-fit fittings, this Standard does not cover pipes and tubes or pipe and tube fittings.

1.4

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