

Errata & Clarification

Methodology for the Quantification, Monitoring, Reporting and Verification of the Greenhouse Gas Emissions Reductions and Removals from Advanced Refrigeration Systems

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This is a supplemental document to the ACR Methodology *for the Quantification, Monitoring, Reporting and Verification of the Greenhouse Gas Emissions Reductions and Removals from Advanced Refrigeration Systems v 2.1*, posted for use in August 2021 (“the Methodology”). It is intended those topics in this document will be incorporated into the updated ACR Methodology v 3.0. As supplemental information or clarifications are needed on future versions of this methodology, updates may be found in this document.

1. Errata (May 15, 2021): Start Date Requirements

Chapter 3, Table 2 of the ACR Standard details eligibility criteria for all projects, defines each criterion and articulates ACR requirements. Additional eligibility requirements for specific project types may be summarized in the relevant ACR sector standard and/or methodology.

Per this Errata and Clarification, additional eligibility requirements for start dates for this project date are specified.

Projects must be validated within two years of the start date with the following exception. A project must be validated within 3 years of its start date if it occurs at a facility that has been visited during a successful validation and verification for another project of this same type and registered on ACR by the same Project Proponent.

2. Errata (May 15, 2021): VVB Rotation Requirements

Chapter 13, Section C, of the ACR Validation and Verification Standard v.1.1 states that ACR requires that Project Proponents utilize a different VVB at a minimum of every 5 years or five verifications, whichever comes first.

Per this Errata and Clarification, additional clarification is provided for projects with only 1 reporting period and 1 verification per project, as is the case with this project type.

VBs may conduct no more than 5 out of 9 sequential verifications (multiple projects) for the same project developer, where the date of sequence is determined by the start date of the project.