



Summary of Substantive Changes  
between the 2011 and 2012 editions of  
CSA B125.3, "Plumbing Fittings"

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**General:** The changes to this standard may have an impact on currently listed products. The major changes are:

- Removed flush valves and water closet and urinal spuds from the scope of the standard (see Section 1.1)  
**Note:** *Flush valves and water closet and urinal spuds are now covered by ASME A112.19.5-2011/CSA B45.15-11, "Flush valves and spuds for water closets, urinals, and tanks"*
- Added a requirement for determining the weighted average lead content in accordance with NSF 372 for fittings intended for drinking water (see Section 4.15.3)
- Replaced the references to ASME A112.18.1/CSA B125.1 for automatic temperature-limiting devices and automatic compensating valve performance requirements with references to ASSE 1016/ASME A112.1016/CSA B125.16

Section 1, Scope

Section 1.1: Flush valves and water closet and urinal spuds were removed from the scope of the standard as follows:

*This Standard covers plumbing fittings, including the following:*

- ~~(c) flush valves;~~
- ~~(i) water closet and urinal spuds.~~

Section 4.15, Toxicity and lead content:

Section 4.15.3: Added requirement for determining the weighted average lead content in accordance with NSF 372 for fittings intended for drinking water as follows:

*Fittings intended to convey or dispense water for human consumption through drinking or cooking shall not contain a weighted average lead content in excess of 0.25% when evaluated in accordance with the test method specified in NSF/ANSI 372.*

Former Sections 4.18.1, 4.18.3, 5.8.7, 5.8.8, Figures 2, 4 and 5 were removed.