



Errata

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Standard for the Installation of Sprinkler Systems

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Reference: 14.2.8.2.4

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The Technical Committee on Sprinkler System Installation Criteria, and the Correlating Committee on Automatic Sprinkler Systems note the following error in the 2019 edition of NFPA 13, *Standard for the Installation of Sprinkler Systems*.

1. Correct the text for 14.2.8.2.4 to read as follows:

14.2.8.2.4 Deviations from the maximum sprinkler spacing shall be permitted to eliminate obstructions created by structural elements (such as trusses, bar joists, and wind bracing) by moving a ~~sprinkler along the single~~ branch line a maximum of 1 ft (300 mm) from its allowable spacing, provided coverage for ~~that sprinkler~~ the sprinklers on that branch line and the sprinklers on the branch line it is moving away from does not exceed 110 ft² (10 m²) per sprinkler where all of the following conditions are met:

- (1) The average actual floor area protected by the ~~moved sprinkler and the adjacent~~ sprinklers on the moved branch line and the sprinklers on the adjacent branch lines shall not exceed 100 ft² (9 m²) per sprinkler.
- ~~(2) Adjacent branch lines shall maintain the same pattern.~~
- ~~(3) In no case shall the distance between sprinklers exceed 12 ft (3.7 m).~~
- (3) It shall not be permitted to move a branch line where there are moved sprinklers on a branch line that exceed the maximum sprinkler spacing.

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