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ASABE REVISES COMBINE HARVESTER EQUIPMENT STANDARD

ST JOSEPH, MICHIGAN— The American Society of Agricultural and Biological Engineers (ASABE) has completed an identical adoption of ISO 5687:2018.

The ASABE Standard ASAE/ISO 5687:2018, Equipment for harvesting — Combine harvesters — Determination and designation of grain tank capacity and unloading device performance, replaces the adoption of an earlier version, ISO 5687:1999. The 2018 version of ISO 5687 was revised with input from ASABE members, demonstrating the commitment among engineers and farmers to have a consistent and analytical procedure for measuring grain tank capacity and unloading rate.

The adoption further harmonizes national and international standardization, a goal that facilitates manufacturing, safety advancements, and product marketing worldwide.

Completed standards: ASABE members with standards access and those with site-license privileges can access the full-text via electronic download on the ASABE online Technical Library at elibrary.asabe.org/. Others can obtain a copy for a fee directly from the library or by contacting ASABE headquarters at OrderStandard@asabe.org.

ASABE is recognized worldwide as a standards developing organization for food, agricultural, and biological systems, with more than 260 standards currently in publication. Conformance to ASABE standards is voluntary, except where required by state, provincial, or other governmental requirements, and the documents are developed by consensus in accordance with procedures approved by the American National Standards Institute. For information on this or any other ASABE standard, contact Scott Cedarquist at 269-932-7031, cedarq@asabe.org. A current listing of all ASABE standards projects can be found on the ASABE web site at www.asabe.org/projects.

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