

**Errata for  
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The Design, Construction, and Operation of Sustainable Buildings**  
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**Page 14, fourth paragraph:**

- The SI conversion for “123,000 ft<sup>2</sup>” in line 5 should not read “11,400 m<sup>2</sup>” but “**11,427 m<sup>2</sup>**.”
- The SI conversion for “\$1.00 per square foot” in line 9 should be listed as “**\$10.80 per square meter.**”

**Page 28, last paragraph:**

The SI conversions for the temperatures in lines 6, 7, and 8 should be listed as indicated:

70°F	<b>21°C</b>
100°F	<b>38°C</b>
200°F	<b>93°C</b>

**Page 33:**

- The first equation is listed in I-P units only. **It should also be listed in SI units:**

$$Q_s = (\text{L/s})(4.187)\Delta T$$

- The second equation is listed in I-P units only. **It should also be listed in SI units:**

$$Q_s = (\text{L/s})(1.21)\Delta T$$

- The fourth and fifth equations are listed in I-P units only. **They should also be listed in SI units:**

$$Q_L = (\text{L/s})(2.97)\Delta W \text{ , where the units for } \Delta W \text{ are g/kg.}$$

- **The footnote should be deleted, as the formulas in SI units have been added.**

**Page 36:**

- The fourth equation is listed in I-P units only. **It should also be listed in SI units:**

$$\text{mkW} = \frac{(\text{L/s})(\Delta P \text{ kPa})(\text{sg})}{(1000)\varepsilon_{Fan}\varepsilon_{Motor-Drive}} = \frac{(13215)(0.996 \text{ kPa})(1)}{(1000)(0.75)(0.95)} = 18.5 \text{ kW}$$

- In the numerator of the last fraction of the fifth equation, “2100” should read “**21000.**”
- The fifth, sixth, and seventh equations are listed in I-P units only. **They should also be listed in SI units:**

$$\frac{\text{mkW}_2}{\text{mkW}_1} = \left( \frac{\text{Flow}_2}{\text{Flow}_1} \right)^3 = \frac{\text{mkW}_2}{18.5 \text{ kW}} = \left( \frac{9910}{13215} \right)^3$$

$$\text{mkW}_2 = 7.8 \text{ kW}$$

$$\Delta \text{kW} = 18.5 - 7.8 = 10.7 \text{ kW}$$

**Page 71, Figure 4.5:**

The SI conversions for “70°F” and “82°F” should be listed as “**21°F**” and “**28°F**,” respectively.

**Page 96, Table 5-1:**

The SI units in row “System design” and column “Reality Checks” are listed as “L/min/m<sup>2</sup>” and “L/s/ton” but should be listed as “**L/s/m<sup>2</sup>**” and “**L/s/kWR**,” respectively.

**Page 98, seventh item:**

- The SI conversions for “60,000 square feet per acre” and “1/2 mile area” in the seventh item should be listed as “**13,779 square meter per hectare**” and “**0.8 kilometers**,” respectively.
- The SI conversions for “1/2 mile” and “1/4 mile” in the ninth item should be listed as “**0.80 km**” and “**0.40 km**,” respectively.

**Page 104, Figure 6-3:**

- The top half of the figure should list the SI conversion for “2000,000 Gallon” as “**757,000 Litre**.”
- The bottom half of the figure currently shows I-P units only. **It should also include SI units:**

**Labels:**

6.3 in./yr	<b>160 mm/yr</b>	0.23	<b>5.84</b>
2200,000 gal	<b>832,700 L</b>	0.10	<b>2.54</b>
~400,000 gal/yr	<b>~1514 kL/yr</b>	0.02	<b>0.51</b>
1.28	<b>32.51</b>	0.38	<b>9.65</b>
1.30	<b>33.02</b>	0.76	<b>19.30</b>
1.06	<b>26.92</b>		

**Y-Axes:**

350,000 gal	<b>1,324,750 L</b>	4.00 in.	<b>101.6 mm</b>
300,000 gal	<b>1,135,500 L</b>	3.50 in.	<b>88.9 mm</b>
250,000 gal	<b>946,250 L</b>	3.00 in.	<b>76.2 mm</b>
200,000 gal	<b>757,000 L</b>	2.50 in.	<b>63.5 mm</b>
150,000 gal	<b>567,750 L</b>	2.00 in.	<b>50.8 mm</b>
100,000 gal	<b>378,500 L</b>	1.50 in.	<b>38.1 mm</b>
50,000 gal	<b>189,250 L</b>	1.00 in.	<b>25.4 mm</b>
5.00 in.	<b>127 mm</b>	0.50 in.	<b>12.7 mm</b>
4.50 in.	<b>114.3 mm</b>		

**Page 106, Figure 6-5:**

The SI conversions for “3 million gal/yr” and “5.4 million gal/yr” should be listed as “**11,355 kL/yr**” and “**20,439 kL/yr**,” respectively.

**Page 130, Figure 7-2:**

The I-P R-value of “R-100” should be followed by the SI R-value of “**R-17.6**.”

**Page 133:**

The SI conversion for “15–18 ft” in the third bullet under “HVAC Zonation” should be listed as “**4.6–5.5 m**.”

**Page 170, Table 9-1:**

- The SI conversion for “216,000 gal” in row “Evaporation” and column “Total per Month” is listed as “818 m” but should be listed as “**817,560 L**.”
- The SI conversion for “72,000 gal” in row “Bleed at four cycles” and column “Total per Month” is listed as “273 m” but should be listed as “**272,520 L**.”
- The SI conversions for “0.060 gpm” and “0.012 gpm” in row “Drift” and column “Release Rate” should be listed as “**0.23 L/min**” and “**0.05 L/min**,” respectively.

**Page 180, Potential GreenTip 1:**

- The SI conversion for “10,000 cfm” in line 3 is listed as “4.72 m/s” but should be listed as “**4720 L/s**.”
- The SI conversion for “24 in.” in line 4 is listed as “61 cm” but should be listed as “**610 mm**.”
- The SI conversion for “22 in.” in line 5 is listed as “55.9 cm” but should be listed as “**559 mm**.”
- The SI conversions for “1610 rpm” and “1953 rpm” in lines 5 and 6 should be listed as “**26.8 rps**” and “**32.6 rps**,” respectively.

**Page 191, paragraph 3:**

In line 5, “Bacteria are encapsulated into this mineral power” should read “Bacteria are encapsulated into this mineral **powder**.”

**Page 217, Figure 11-5:**

The SI conversions for the temperatures in the figure should be listed as indicated:

120°F	<b>49°C</b>	215°F	<b>102°C</b>
160°F	<b>71°C</b>	232°F	<b>111°C</b>
177°F	<b>80°C</b>	350°F	<b>177°C</b>
190°F	<b>88°C</b>	850°F	<b>454°C</b>
207°F	<b>97°C</b>		

**Page 222, second paragraph:**

The SI conversion for 50°F in line 1 should be listed as “**10°C**.”

**Page 248:**

In the first item under “Con,” the airside pressure drop is listed as “typically 0.2 to 0.4 in. w.c. [50 to 100 kPa]” but should be listed as “typically 0.2 to 0.4 in. w.c. [50 to 100 **Pa**].”

**Page 325, Figure 15-2:**

The SI conversions for the temperatures in the figure should be listed as indicated:

59°F	<b>15°C</b>	74°F	<b>23°C</b>
71°F	<b>22°C</b>	79°F	<b>26°C</b>
73°F	<b>23°C</b>		

### **Page 327, Figure 15-4:**

The SI conversions for the following values in the figure should be listed as indicated:

50.2°F	<b>10°C</b>	125 cfm	<b>60 L/s</b>
56.6°F	<b>13.6°C</b>	150 cfm	<b>72 L/s</b>
70.0°F	<b>21.0°C</b>	1000 cfm	<b>473 L/s</b>
70.2°F	<b>21.1°C</b>	5067 cfm	<b>2392 L/s</b>
67 cfm	<b>33 L/s</b>	3.0 in. w.g.	<b>0.747 kPa</b>
100 cfm	<b>48 L/s</b>		

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- Page 183:** In the next-to-last paragraph, the last sentence is repeated. Delete the first instance of the sentence: “For example, the city of Chicago has requirements for green roof or cool roof technologies that vary on the building type, if public assistance is provided for the development.”
- Page 238:** Line six of the first paragraph should read “use medium-pressure steam (60 psig....” instead of “use low-pressure steam (60 psig....”