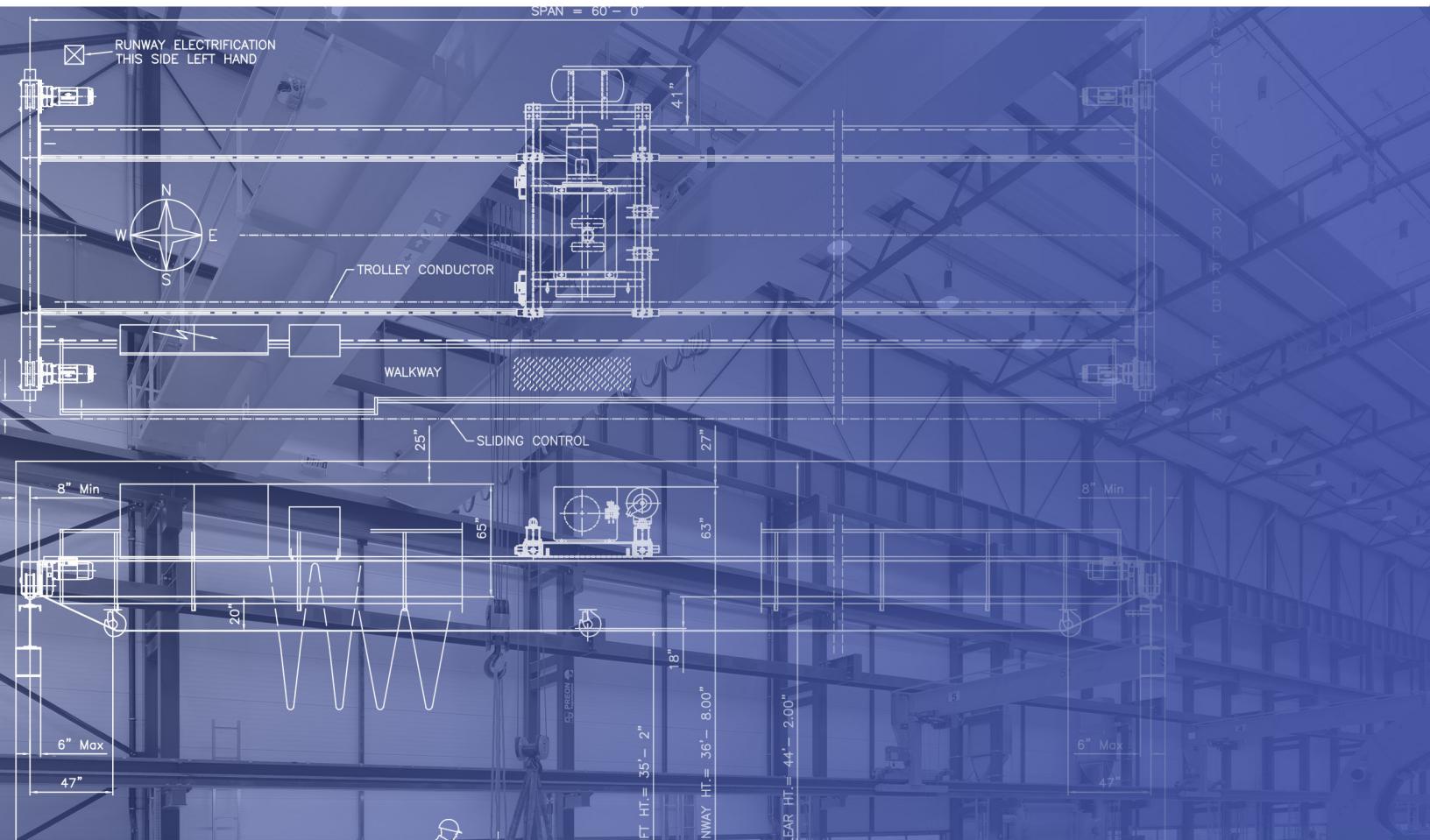




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Article 1.4.7, 3.14.1	Wind restraints
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Article 1.7	Revision of section
Article 1.7.3	FEA design statement
Article 3.3.2.6.3.2	Addition of in service wind load to collision load case
Article 3.4.7	Addition of load case for fatigue
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Article 5.2.1.3.1	Suitable motor design for use with VFD
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Article 5.2.8	Indication of motor design
Article 5.2.9.1.1.1	Variable change W to LL for clarity
Article 5.5.6	Dynamic braking resistors in conductive dust
Article 5.2.8	Low slip motor design (across-the-line starting)
Article 5.4.7.5	Practices inside enclosures (new)
Article 5.4.7.6	Practices outside enclosures (new)
Article 5.4.7.7	Suppression devices (new)
Article 5.5.5 & 5.13.2	Removed duplication and changed text
Article 5.5.6	Resistors in conductive dust (new)
Article 5.6.11	Modified text (additional of intentional reset)
Figures 5.7.3c, 5.8.1, 5.15.6	Added recommended layouts for cab, pendant and radio
Article 5.9.4.3	Added text for operation with molten metal
Article 5.13.12	Regenerative power considerations
Article 5.13.13	Application of IEEE 519 for cranes
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Article 5.18	Magnet controls (new)
Article 5.19	Rail clamps (new)
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Glossary	Angle of loading
Glossary	Bridge rail
Glossary	Common mode failure
Glossary	Conductive dust
Glossary	Crane rail
Glossary	Critical load drop
Glossary	Drum
Glossary	EMC
Glossary	EMI
Glossary	Girder rail
Glossary	Hazardous locations
Glossary	Intentional reset
Glossary	Magnet
Glossary	Magnet controller
Glossary	Plain Reversing Control changed for Reversing Control
Glossary	Regenerative power system
Glossary	Restraint
Glossary	RFI
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