Accessing standards using SAI Global

Standards in SAI Global

Australian Standards, Joint ISO/Australian Standards, Joint NZ/Australian Standards, current Draft Australian Standards, and amendments to Australian Standards. Also indexes ISO, IEC, ASTM, ANSI, BSI, DIN, ETSI and JSA standards. We hold all current Australian Standards, but not all standards in the database.

Updated instructions for use

From 1 July 2020, you will need to have a personal login as well as our ECU login to access standards.

Locating a standard

Log in to SAI Global using the database link: SAI Global. This will prompt you to sign in through our federated login. Use the same username and password you use to log in to Portal or Blackboard.

This will take you to the quick search page for SAI Global.

Only two people from ECU can use this site at one time, so you might need to wait to gain access. Leave yourself enough time to access the standard you need, even if there are disruptions.

The quick search will search for a standard by the standard number.

Any standard with a standard number that includes the text you enter will be returned in your search results. If you are not sure whether you’re looking for 4000 or 4001, searching for 400 will return both.

You can choose to search within Australian standards only, or all standards in this database.

To search for words in the title, use the power search option, and select field Keyword in title. Use as few words as possible: any extra characters might exclude the result you’re looking for. If you only know the ISO or other international standard number, use the international equivs option.

Once you’ve found a standard, click ‘View Document’.
Individual user registration

If this is the first time you’ve used SAI Global since 1 July 2020, you will be asked to register as an individual user before you can view or download a standard. Click ‘New Registration’.

Please register using your ECU email address and your name.

A verification code will be sent to your email address. Check your junk email folder if it doesn’t come through within a minute or two.

Once verified, you will be able to choose a password. Remember this password for future use. This individual login is managed by the database and will not change when your usual ECU login changes.

Changes to the files

You will still be able to access the same files you could access before, and the PDF files will still be time-limited to ensure that you have the most up-to-date version of the standard.

Your name will now appear in the downloaded or printed version.

Use Adobe software to view your PDFs.

This information is accurate as of 31 July 2020, but please note that some details may change. For queries, email library@ecu.edu.au.