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EN 1990: Eurocode: Basis of Structural Design

The Head Eurocode
An Innovative Structural Safety Code Of Practice

Introduction to EN 1990

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Objectives of EN 1990: Basis of Structural Design

EN 1990 establishes principles and requirements for the

- Safety
- Serviceability
- Durability

of structures; and describes

- The basis for their design and verification, and
- Gives guidelines for related aspects of structural reliability



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EN 1990 is the Head Eurocode

For the design of buildings and civil engineering works every Eurocode part from, EN 1991:Eurocode 1: Actions on Structures, and The design Eurocodes EN 1992 to EN 1999 has to be used together with EN 1990

EN 1990 provides the material independent and safety related information required for the design of buildings, and civil engineering works for the Eurocodes suite.



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Intended Users of EN 1990

EN 1990 is intended for use by

- Committees drafting Standards for Structural Design and related products, testing and execution Standards
- Clients (e.g. for the formulation of the specific requirements on reliability levels and durability)
- Designers and Constructors
- Relevant Competent Authorities



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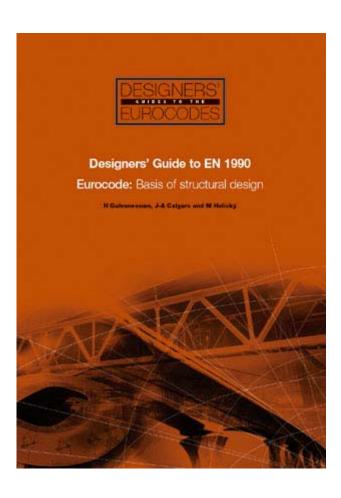
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