

Eurocode 3 — Design of steel structures —

Part 1-3: General rules — Supplementary rules for cold-formed members and sheeting

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National foreword

This British Standard is the UK implementation of EN 1993-1-3:2006, incorporating corrigendum November 2009. It supersedes DD ENV 1993-1-3:2001 which is withdrawn. It partially supersedes BS 5950-5:1998, BS 5950-6:1995 and BS 5950-9:1994.

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The UK participation in its preparation was entrusted by Technical Committee B/525, Building and civil engineering structures, to Subcommittee B/525/31, Structural use of steel.

A list of organizations represented on this subcommittee can be obtained on request to its secretary.

The structural Eurocodes are divided into packages by grouping Eurocodes for each of the main materials: concrete, steel, composite concrete and steel, timber, masonry and aluminium; this is to enable a common date of withdrawal (DOW) for all the relevant parts that are needed for a particular design. The conflicting national standards will be withdrawn at the end of the coexistence period, after all the EN Eurocodes of a package are available. Following publication of the EN, there is a period allowed for national calibration during which the National Annex is issued, followed by a coexistence period of a maximum three years. During the coexistence period Member States are encouraged to adapt their national provisions. Conflicting national standards will be withdrawn by March 2010 at the latest. Where a normative part of this EN allows for a choice to be made at national level, the range and possible choice will be given in the normative text, and a note will qualify it as a Nationally Determined Parameter (NDP). NDPs can be a specific value for a factor, a specific level or class, a particular method or a particular application rule if several are proposed in the EN. To enable EN 1993-1-3 to be used in the UK, the NDPs will be published in a National Annex, which will be made available by BSI in due course after public consultation has taken place.

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