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## Foreword

This document (EN 40-3-3:2013) has been prepared by Technical Committee CEN/TC 50 “Lighting columns and spigots”, the secretariat of which is held by AFNOR.

This European Standard shall be given the status of a national standard, either by publication of an identical text or by endorsement, at the latest by August 2013, and conflicting national standards shall be withdrawn at the latest by August 2013.

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- Part 1: Definitions and terms;
- Part 2 : General requirements and dimensions;
- Part 3: Design and verification:
  - Part 3-1: Specification for characteristic loads;
  - Part 3-2: Verification by testing;
  - Part 3-3: Verification by calculation;
- Part 4: Requirements for reinforced and prestressed concrete lighting columns,
- Part 5: Requirements for steel lighting columns;
- Part 6: Requirements for aluminium lighting columns;
- Part 7: Requirements for fibre reinforced polymer composite lighting columns.

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### 1 Scope

This European Standard specifies the requirements for the verification of the design of lighting columns by calculation. It applies to lighting columns of nominal height (including any bracket) not exceeding 20 m. Special structural designs to permit the attachment of signs, overhead wires, etc. are not covered by this European Standard.

The requirements for lighting columns made from materials other than concrete, steel, aluminium or fibre reinforced polymer composite (for example wood, plastic and cast iron) are not specifically covered in this standard. Fibre reinforced polymer composite lighting columns are covered in this standard in conjunction with EN 40-7.

This European Standard includes performance requirements for horizontal loads due to wind. Passive safety and the behaviour of a lighting column under the impact of a vehicle are not addressed. Such lighting columns will have additional requirements (see EN 12767).

The calculations used in this European Standard are based on limit state principles, where the effects of factored loads are compared with the relevant resistance of the structure. Two limit states are considered:

- a) the ultimate limit state, which corresponds to the load-carrying capacity of the lighting column;
- b) the serviceability limit state, which relates to the deflection of the lighting column in service.

NOTE In following this approach, simplifications appropriate to lighting columns have been adopted. These are:

- 1) the calculations are applicable to circular and regular octagonal cross-sections;
- 2) the number of separate partial safety factors have been reduced to a minimum;
- 3) serviceability partial safety factors have a value equal to unity.

### 2 Normative references

The following documents, in whole or in part, are normatively referenced in this document and are indispensable for its application. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

EN 40-1:1991, *Lighting columns — Part 1: Definitions and terms*

EN 40-3-1, *Lighting columns — Part 3-1: Design and verification — Specification for characteristic loads*

EN 40-4, *Lighting columns — Part 4: Requirements for reinforced and prestressed concrete lighting columns*

EN 40-7:2002, *Lighting columns — Part 7: Requirements for fibre reinforced polymer composite lighting columns*

EN 1993-1-1, *Eurocode 3: Design of steel structures — Part 1-1: General rules and rules for buildings*

EN 1999-1-1, *Eurocode 9: Design of aluminium structures — Part 1-1: General rules — General rules and rules for buildings*

### 3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in EN 40-1:1991 apply.



## 4 Symbols

The following symbols are used in this European Standard.

The definitions are abbreviated, the full definitions being given in the text.

$a$	Clear length of door opening
$a_r$	Length of the door cut out in the column wall for type 5 reinforcement
$A_e$	Effective cross-sectional area of door reinforcement.
$A_s$	Cross-sectional area of door reinforcement
$b$	Clear width of the door opening
$b_r$	Width of the door cut out in the column wall for type 5 reinforcement
$B_x$	Factor defined in 5.6.2.3.2
$B_y$	Factor defined in 5.6.2.3.2
$C$	Length of halves of straight edge of door opening
$d_w$	Width of door reinforcement
$e$	Specified elongation
$E$	Modulus of elasticity
$f_y$	Characteristic yield strength
$F$	Factor defined in 5.6.2.2
$g$	Factor defined in 5.6.2.2
$G$	Shear Modulus
$h$	Nominal height
$J$	Mean dimension of flat side of octagonal cross section
$J_o$	Mean dimension of flat side at edge of door opening.
$l$	Length of Type 5 reinforcing. (Fig. 6e)
$L$	Effective length of door opening
$m_{ox}$	Distance from centroid of door reinforcement measured normal to the x-x axis.
$m_{oy}$	Distance from centroid of door reinforcement measured normal to the y-y axis.
$m_x$	Distance from centre of column wall at the door opening measured normal to the x-x axis.
$m_y$	Distance from centre of column wall at the door opening measured normal to the y-y axis.
$M_p$	Combined bending moment for closed regular cross-sections.
$M_{up}$	Bending moment of resistance for closed regular cross sections.
$M_{ux}$	Bending moment of resistance about x-x axis.
$M_{uy}$	Bending moment of resistance about y-y axis.
$M_x$	Bending moment about x-x axis.
$M_y$	Bending moment about y-y axis.
$N$	Corner radius of door opening.
$P$	Factor defined in 5.6.2.3.2
$R$	Mean radius of cross-section.
$R_w$	Mean radius of cross-section of type 5 reinforcement
$S$	Length of end connection of door reinforcement.
$t$	Nominal wall thickness
$t_0$	Lesser of $t$ and $t_w$ .
$t_w$	Nominal thickness of reinforcement at the side of the door opening.
$T_p$	Torsion moment
$T_u$	Torsion moment of resistance

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$v$	Radius of gyration of door reinforcement
$w$	Bracket projection
$Z_p$	Plastic modulus of closed regular cross-section
$Z_{pn}$	Plastic modulus of unreinforced door opening cross-section about n-n axis.
$Z_{py}$	Plastic modulus of unreinforced door opening cross-section about y-y axis.
$Z_{pnr}$	Plastic modulus of reinforced door opening cross-section about n-n axis.
$Z_{pyr}$	Plastic modulus of reinforced door opening cross-section about y-y axis.
$\gamma_f$	Partial load factor.
$\gamma_m$	Partial material factor.
$\theta$	Half angle of the clear door opening.
$\theta_r$	Half angle of the door cut out in the column for type 5 reinforcement
$\pi$	Constant = 3,1416
$\varepsilon$	Factor defined in 5.6.2.1
$\phi_1 / \phi_2$	Factors defined in 5.6.2.1
$\phi_3 / \phi_5$	Factors defined in 5.6.2.2
$\phi_6 / \phi_7$	Factors defined in 5.6.2.3.2

## 5 Structural strength requirements (ultimate limit state)

### 5.1 Application of calculations

The adequacy of the strength of the lighting column shall be calculated for the following cross sections:

- the point at which the column is fixed (normally at ground level);
- the lower edge of the door opening. If the positions of the door and the brackets can be changed relative to each other and are not specified, the lower edge of the door opening should be calculated about its weakest axis. If two or more door openings are provided, the strength of each opening shall be verified (see Figure 1);
- in addition to b) for tapered lighting columns the top of the door opening. If two or more door openings are provided, the strength of each opening shall be verified (see Figure 1);
- the point at which the bracket begins if the column and the bracket consist of one piece, or the point at which the bracket is attached if the bracket is detachable and check the junction between the bracket arm and the column;
- transition from one diameter to another or at a change in material thickness;
- anti-rotation device between the columns and the bracket arm, if such a device is present and intended to transfer torsional forces between the bracket arm and the column;
- any other critical position.

### 5.2 Characteristic loads

The characteristic loads for strength requirements shall be calculated in accordance with EN 40-3-1.

## 5.3 Characteristic strength of materials

### 5.3.1 Metal lighting columns

The characteristic yield strength  $f_y$ , in N/mm<sup>2</sup>, of steel and aluminium alloys shall be calculated in accordance with EN 1993-1-1 and EN 1999-1-1 respectively.

The increase in yield strength due to any process (such as cold working) shall not be used for members which are subject to another process (such as heat treatment or welding) which may result in softening.

### 5.3.2 Concrete lighting columns

The characteristic strength shall be determined in accordance with EN 40-4.

### 5.3.3 Fibre reinforced polymer composite lighting columns

The characteristic strength shall be determined in accordance with EN 40-7.

## 5.4 Design loads

The characteristic loads specified in 5.2 shall be multiplied by the appropriate partial load factors,  $\gamma_f$  shown in Table 1 to give the design load to be used for the ultimate limit state calculation.

**Table 1 — Partial load factors  $\gamma_f$**

	Wind load	Dead load
Class A	1,4	1,2
Class B	1,2	1,2
Serviceability Limit State	1,0	1,0

NOTE Refer to National Guidance or National Annex for selection of the correct class.

## 5.5 Calculation of moments

### 5.5.1 Bending moments

The bending moments,  $M_x$  and  $M_y$ , in Nm, about the orthogonal axes  $x$ - $x$  and  $y$ - $y$ , respectively, shall be calculated for each position specified in 5.1 using the design loads specified in 5.4.

For cross-sections with openings the  $x$ - $x$  and  $y$ - $y$  axes shall be taken as shown in Figures 5b and 6.

NOTE For regular octagonal cross-sections the axes can be positioned through the centre of the flat side or through a corner.

For closed regular cross-sections, the bending moments  $M_x$  and  $M_y$  may be combined to give a single moment,  $M_p$ , in Nm, that gives the most adverse action on the column cross-section being considered and shall be calculated from the formula:

$$M_p = \sqrt{M_x^2 + M_y^2} \quad (1)$$