
**Technical product documentation
(TPD) — General principles of
presentation —**

Part 33:
**Representation of views, sections and
cuts in construction drawings**

*Documentation technique de produits (TPD) — Principes généraux de
représentation —*

*Partie 33: Représentation des vues, des sections et des coupes dans les
dessins de construction*



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Representation of views, sections and cuts in construction drawings

1 Scope

This document lays down general rules for marking, designation, placing and orientation of views, sections and cuts, and the position of text in relation to figures on construction drawings.

For all general rules, reference is made to the relevant parts of the ISO 128 series. As regards relative positions of views, the method using reference arrows according to ISO 128-30 is used.

2 Normative references

The following documents are referred to in the text in such a way that some or all of their content constitutes requirements of this document. For dated references, only the edition cited applies. For undated references, the latest edition of the referenced document (including any amendments) applies.

ISO 10209, *Technical product documentation — Vocabulary — Terms relating to technical drawings, product definition and related documentation*

3 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in ISO 10209 apply.

ISO and IEC maintain terminological databases for use in standardization at the following addresses:

- ISO Online browsing platform: available at <https://www.iso.org/obp>
- IEC Electropedia: available at <http://www.electropedia.org/>

4 Marking of views, sections and cuts

The direction of a view shall be marked with an arrow near the reference figure (see [Figures 1, 5 and 6](#)).

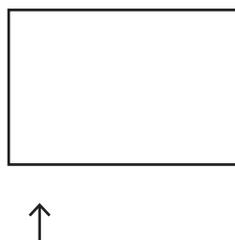


Figure 1 — Mark for direction of a view