

**Timber structures - Test methods - Load bearing
nails, screws, dowels and bolts**

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This document supersedes EN 1380:1999.

The first version of this European Standard was published in September 1999 and considered only connections with nails. When the product standard for dowel type fasteners EN 14592 became available the scope of EN 1380 was expanded. Therefore, this revised version covers dowel type fasteners as nails, screws, dowels and bolts.

Connections with load bearing staples are considered in EN 1381:1999.

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1 Scope

This European Standard specifies test methods for determining the strength and deformation characteristics of laterally loaded connections with nail, screws, dowels and bolts in load-bearing timber structures.

The methods assess connections with members of timber (solid timber or glued laminated timber) or wood-based products or metal plates (but not punched metal plate fasteners) in the combination proposed for use in service.

The methods are used to determine load-slip characteristics and maximum load of connections where various angles between the applied force and the timber grain direction, or the main direction of the wood-based products, respectively, are possible.

2 Normative references

The following referenced documents are indispensable for the application 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.

EN 322, *Wood-based panels — Determination of moisture content*

EN 323, *Wood-based panels — Determination of density*

EN 13183-2, *Moisture content of a piece of sawn timber — Part 2: Estimation by electrical resistance method*

EN 14080, *Timber structures — Glued laminated timber — Requirements*

EN 14081-1, *Timber structures — Strength graded structural timber with rectangular cross section — Part 1: General requirements*

EN 14358, *Timber structures — Calculation of characteristic 5-percentile values and acceptance criteria for a sample*

EN 14592, *Timber structures — Dowel-type fasteners — Requirements*

EN 26891:1991, *Timber structures — Joints made with mechanical fasteners — General principles for the determination of strength and deformation characteristics (ISO 6891:1983)*

EN 28970, *Timber structures — Testing of joints made with mechanical fasteners — Requirements for wood density (ISO 8970:1989)*

ISO 3131, *Wood — Determination of density for physical and mechanical tests*