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Foreword

This document (EN 1536:2010) has been prepared by Technical Committee CEN/TC 288 "Execution of special geotechnical works", 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of an identical text or by endorsement, at the latest by March 2011, and conflicting national standards shall be withdrawn at the latest by March 2011.

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This document supersedes EN 1536:1999.

The general scope of TC 288 is the standardisation of the execution procedures for geotechnical works (including testing and control methods) and of the required material properties. WG15 has been charged to revise EN 1536:1999, with the subject area of bored piles, including barrettes, but not "micro piles" of diameter less than 0,3 m.

The design, planning and execution of bored piles call for experience and knowledge in this specialised field. The execution phase requires skilled and qualified personnel and the present standard cannot replace the expertise of specialist contractor.

The document has been prepared to complement EN 1997-1, *Eurocode 7: Geotechnical design — Part 1: General rules* and EN 1997-2, *Eurocode 7 — Geotechnical design — Part 2: Ground investigation and testing*. Clause 7 "Considerations related to design" of this European Standard expands on design only where necessary (e.g. the detailing of reinforcement), but provides full coverage of the construction and supervision requirements.

This standard contains additional requirements on concrete complementing the respective provisions of EN 206-1 and of EN 13670. The three standards are not yet fully accorded. It is anticipated that during future revisions several provisions now contained in EN 1536:2010, e.g. in 6.1, 6.3, 8.3 and 8.4 could be transferred to EN 206-1 and EN 13670.

The document has been revised by a working group comprising delegates from eleven European countries and the comments from ten European countries have been received and taken into account.

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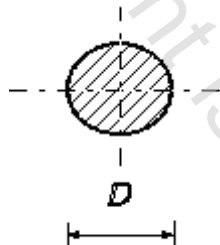
1 Scope

1.1 This European Standard establishes general principles for the execution of bored piles (see 3.2).

NOTE 1 This standard covers piles or barrettes which are formed in the ground by excavation and are structural members used to transfer actions and/or limit deformations.

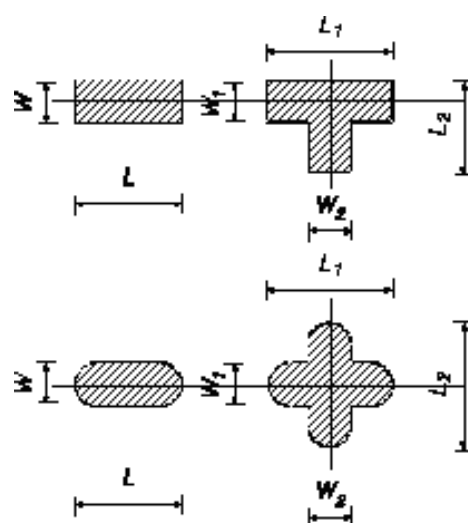
NOTE 2 This standard covers piles with circular cross-section (see Figures 1 and A.1a)) and barrettes (see 3.3) with rectangular, T or L or any other similar cross-section (see Figure 2) concreted in a single operation.

NOTE 3 In the standard the term pile is used for circular cross-section structure and the term barrette for other shapes. Both are bored piles.



Key

D Shaft diameter



Key

L Barrette length

W Barrette thickness

A Cross-sectional area of the shaft

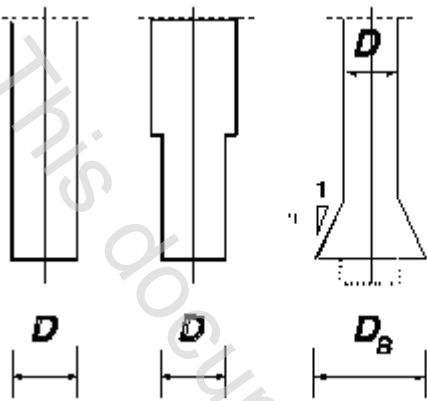
Figure 1 — Bored pile with circular cross-section

Figure 2 — Bored pile with non circular cross-section (barrettes)

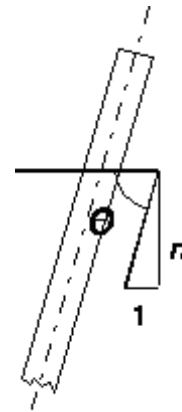
1.2 This European Standard applies to bored piles (see Figure 3) with:

- uniform cross-section (straight shaft);
- telescopically changing shaft dimensions;
- excavated base enlargements; or
- excavated shaft enlargements.

NOTE The shape of a pile base and of an enlargement depends on the tool used for the excavation.

**Key**

- D Shaft diameter
 D_B Base enlargement diameter
 D_E Shaft enlargement diameter

**Key**

- n Rake

Figure 3 — Examples for straight shaft piles and piles with shaft and base enlargement **Figure 4 — Definition of the rake**

1.3 This European Standard applies (see Note) to:

- bored piles with a depth to width ratio ≥ 5 ;
- piles (see Figures 1 and 3) with a shaft diameter $0,3 \text{ m} \leq D \leq 3,0 \text{ m}$;
- barrettes (see Figure 2) with the least dimension $W_i \geq 0,4 \text{ m}$, a ratio L_i / W_i between its largest and its least dimensions ≤ 6 and a cross-sectional area $A \leq 15 \text{ m}^2$;
- piles with circular precast elements used as structural member (see Figure 7) with a least dimension $D_p \geq 0,3 \text{ m}$;
- barrettes with rectangular precast elements used as structural member with a least dimension $W_p \geq 0,3 \text{ m}$.

NOTE The standard covers a large range of diameters. For small diameter bored piles less than 450 mm, the general specification can be adapted to cater for the lack of space (e.g. minimum bars number and spacing).

1.4 This European Standard applies to piles with the following rake (see Figure 4):

- $n \geq 4$ ($\theta \geq 76^\circ$);
- $n \geq 3$ ($\theta \geq 72^\circ$) for permanently cased piles.

1.5 This European Standard applies to bored piles with the following dimensions of the shaft or base enlargements (see Figure 3):

a) base enlargements:

- 1) in non-cohesive ground: $D_B / D \leq 2$;
- 2) in cohesive ground: $D_B / D \leq 3$;

b) shaft enlargements in any ground: $D_E / D \leq 2$;

c) slope of the enlargement in non-cohesive ground $m \geq 3$;

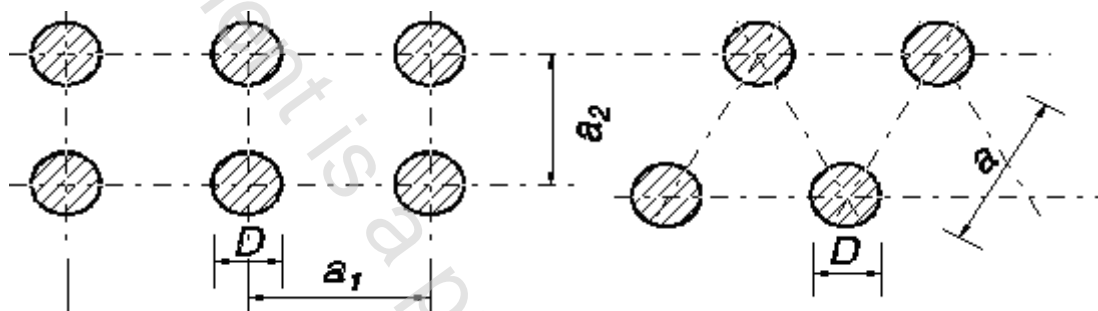
1) in non-cohesive ground: $m \geq 3$;

2) in cohesive ground: $m \geq 1,5$;

d) base enlargements area of barrettes: $A \leq 15 \text{ m}^2$;

1.6 The provisions of this European Standard apply to:

- single bored piles;
- bored pile groups (see Figure 5);
- walls formed by piles (see Figure 6).



Key

D Shaft diameter

a_i Centre to centre spacing of the piles

Figure 5 — Examples of pile groups

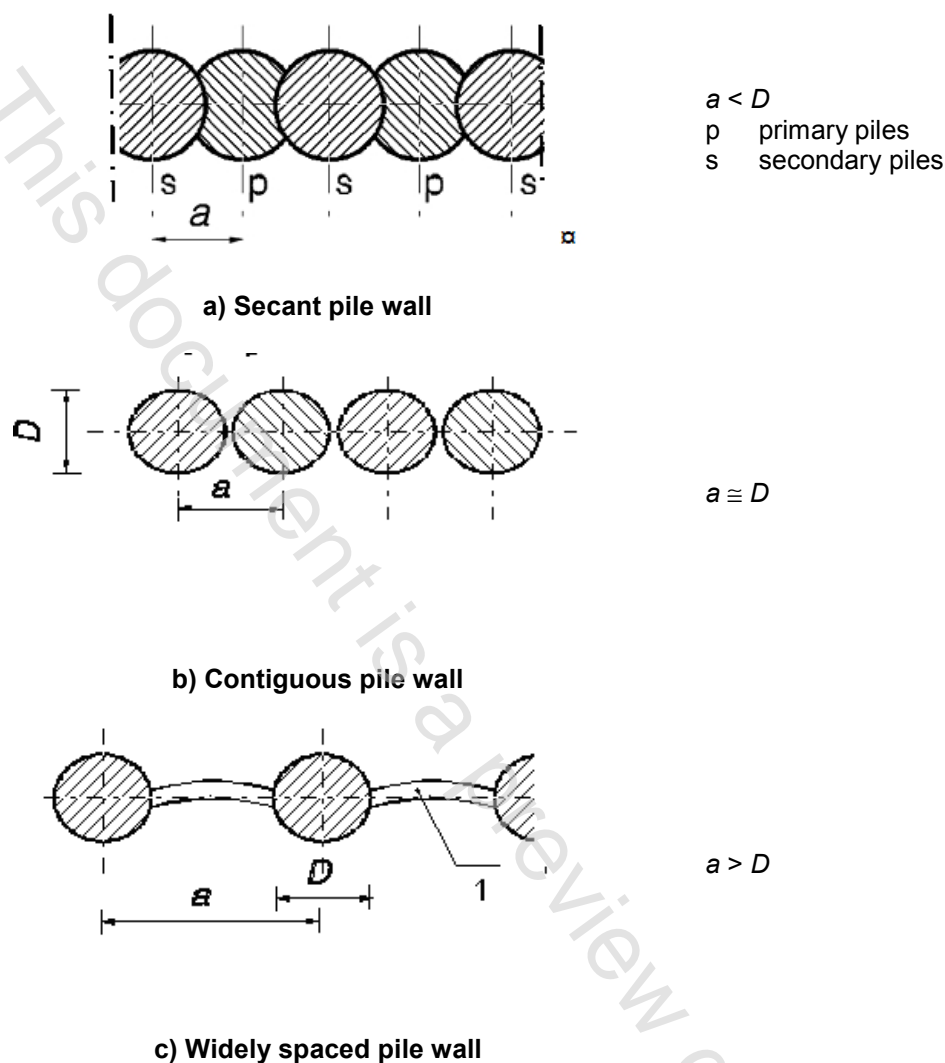


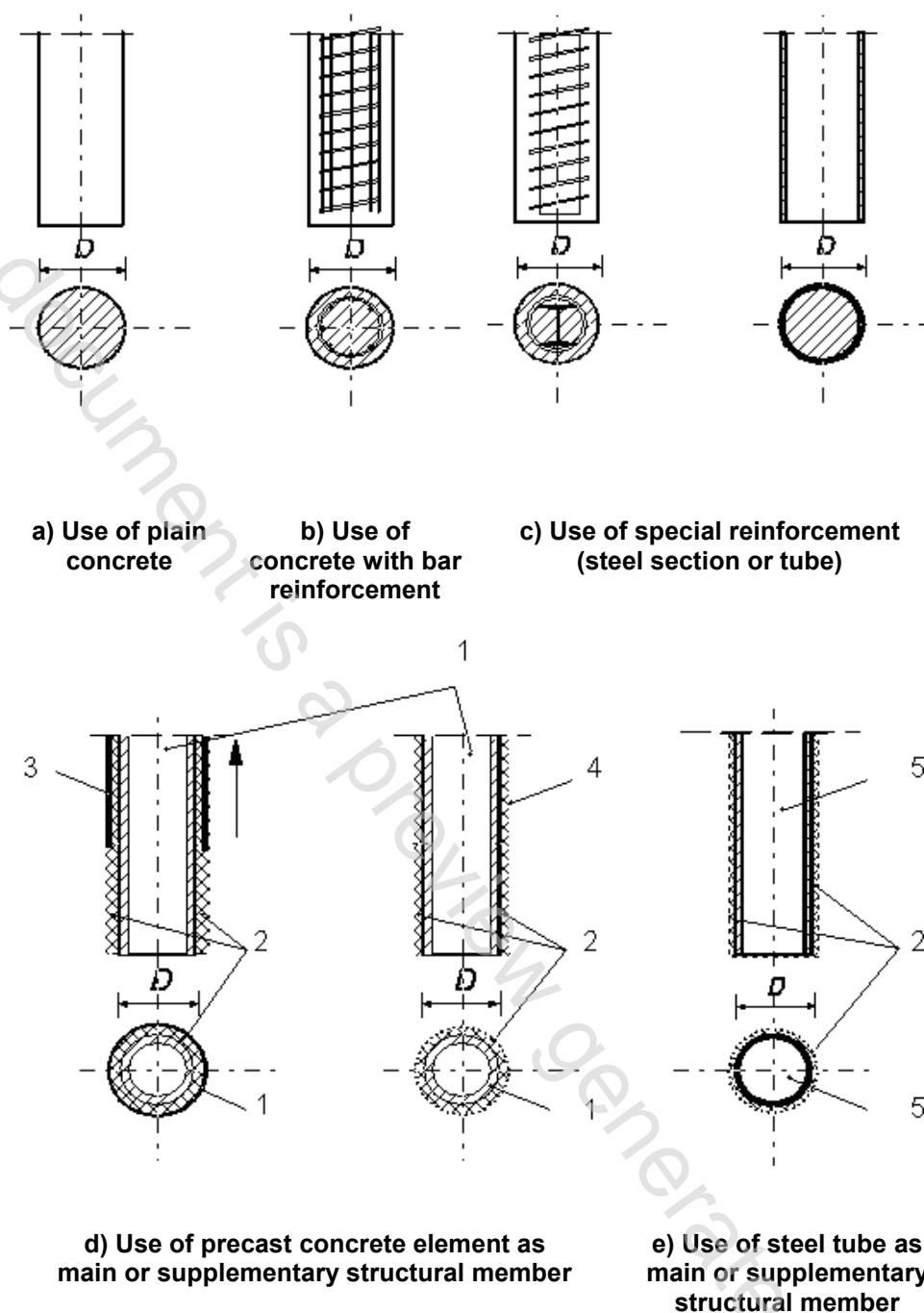
Figure 6 — Examples of pile walls

1.7 The bored piles which are the subject of this European Standard can be excavated by continuous or discontinuous methods using support methods for stabilizing the excavation walls where required.

1.8 This European Standard applies only to construction methods that allow the designed cross-sections to be produced.

1.9 The provisions apply to bored piles (see Figure 7) constructed of:

- unreinforced (plain) concrete;
- reinforced concrete;
- concrete reinforced by means of special reinforcement such as steel tubes, steel sections or steel fibres;
- precast concrete (including prestressed concrete) elements or steel tubes where the annular gap between the element or tube and the ground is filled by concrete, cement or cement-bentonite grout.



Key

- 1 Precast concrete element
- 2 Grout
- 3 Temporary casing (extracted)
- 4 Uncased excavation
- 5 Unreinforced or reinforced concrete or cement grout
- D Shaft diameter

Figure 7 — Examples of bored piles with circular cross-section

1.10 Micropiles, mixed-in-place columns, columns constructed by jet grouting, ground improvement for piling, mixed-in-place pile bases and diaphragm walls are not covered by this European Standard.

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.

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EN 934-2, *Admixtures for concrete, mortar and grout — Part 2: Concrete admixtures — Definitions, requirements, conformity, marking and labelling*

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