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# **European foreword**

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#### Scope 1

This standard specifies design criteria and features of disc springs, whether as single disc springs or as stacks of disc springs. It includes the definition of relevant concepts as well as design formulae, and covers the fatigue life of such springs.

#### 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 16983:2016, Disc springs - Quality specifications - Dimensions

EN ISO 26909, Springs - Vocabulary (ISO 26909)

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### 3.1 Terms and definitions

For the purposes of this document, the terms and definitions given in EN ISO 26909 apply.

Disc springs are annular coned elements that offer resistance to a compressive load applied axially. They may be designed as single disc springs or as disc springs stacked in parallel or in series, either singly or in multiples. They may be subjected to both static and fatigue loading, and may have flat bearings.

Table 1 — Symbols, units and abbreviated terms

### 3.2 Symbols, units and abbreviated terms

For the purposes of this document, the following symbols, units and abbreviated terms apply

Symbol Unit Description

Symbol	UIII	Description
$D_{e}$	mm	Outer diameter of spring
$D_{\mathrm{i}}$	mm	Inner diameter of spring
$D_0$	mm	Diameter of centre of rotation
E	МРа	Modulus of elasticity (see EN 16983:2016)
F	N	Spring load
F <sub>1</sub> , F <sub>2</sub> , F <sub>3</sub>	N	Spring loads related to spring deflections s <sub>1</sub> , s <sub>2</sub> , s <sub>3</sub>
$F_{C}$	N	Design spring load when spring is in the flattened position
$F_{ m ges}$	N	Spring load of springs stacked in parallel, related to spring deflection $s_{\rm ges}$
F <sub>ges R</sub>	N	Spring load of springs stacked in parallel, allowance being made for friction
F <sub>t</sub>	N	Test load for length $L_t$ or $l_t$
$K_1, K_2, K_3, K_4$		Constants (see 5.3)
$L_0$	mm	Length of springs stacked in series or in parallel, in