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## Introduction

The purpose of this International Standard is to ensure uniformity of practice in the scheduling of steel bars for the reinforcement of concrete. To establish a clear and unambiguous system for scheduling, it is necessary to specify the method of indicating dimensions to be used and the order in which the information is given on the bar schedule.

As the use of preferred shapes is considered to be very advantageous both for simplifying design and manufacture and for the use of computers, the opportunity has been taken to include a list of preferred shapes and a coding system; the layout of the bar schedule is based on the use of preferred shapes.

## Construction drawings — Bar scheduling

### 1 Scope

This International Standard establishes a system for the scheduling of reinforcing bars, and comprises

- the method of indicating dimensions;
- a coding system for bar shapes;
- a list of preferred shapes;
- the bar schedule.

This International Standard applies to all types of steel bar for the reinforcement of concrete. It does not apply to steel fabric and prestressing steel reinforcement.

### 2 Indication of bending dimensions

The bending dimensions shall be indicated as shown in figures 1 to 5.

Dimensions shall be outside dimensions, except for radii, and the standard radius of bend shall be the smallest radius permitted by national standards regulations for the size of bar scheduled.

If a national standard specifies different standard radii for different situations, the radius to be used shall be entered in the column  $e/R$ .

Except for shape codes 12, 13, 33, 67 and 77, all bends will be assumed to have standard radii. No dimension shall be zero.

The "free" dimensions shown in brackets shall be available to take up cumulative cutting and bending

tolerances; this dimension need not be shown on schedules.

The total length (cutting length) shall be calculated on the basis of the appropriate bending dimensions with corrections for bends.

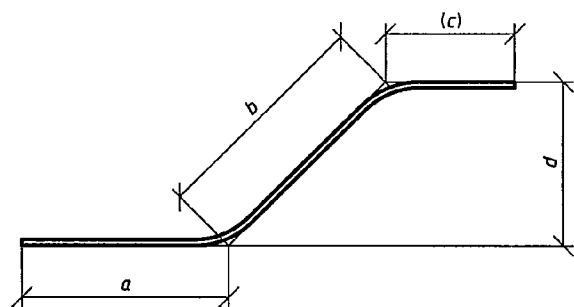


Figure 1 — Bending dimensions — Shape code 26

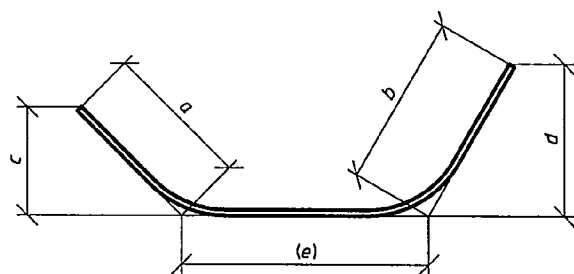


Figure 2 — Bending dimensions — Shape code 25

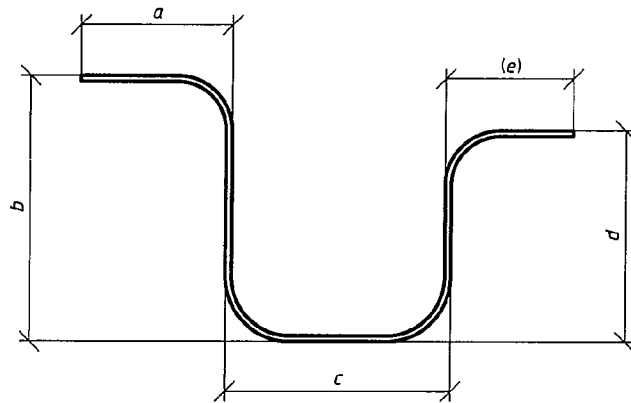


Figure 3 — Bending dimensions — Shape code 44

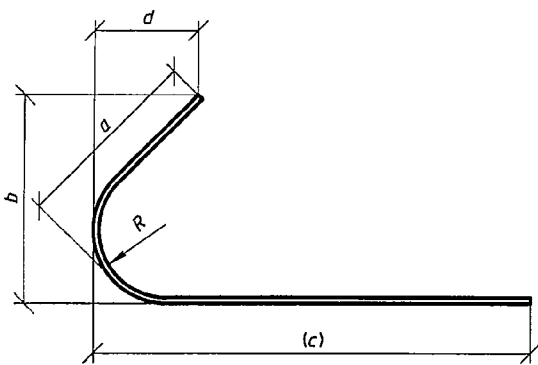
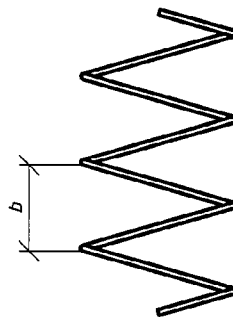
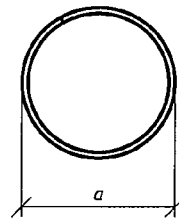


Figure 4 — Bending dimensions — Shape code 99 (non-standard)



a: Final diameter  
c: Number of complete turns

Figure 5 — Bending dimensions — Shape code 77

### 3 Coding system for bar shapes

The shape code number shall consist of two characters, as defined in table 1.

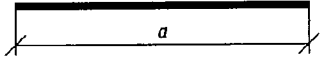
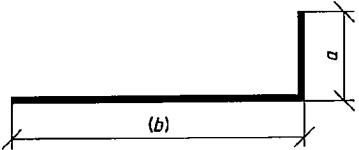

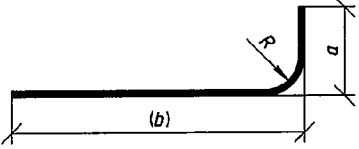

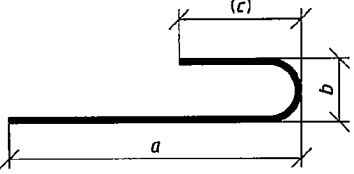

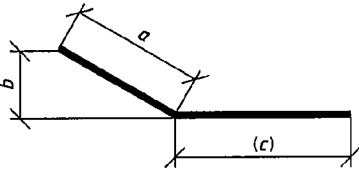

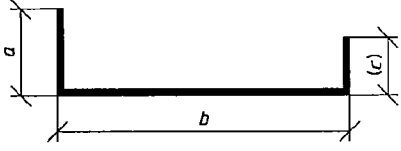

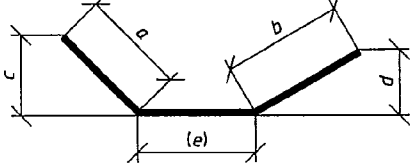
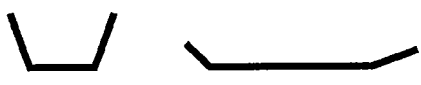
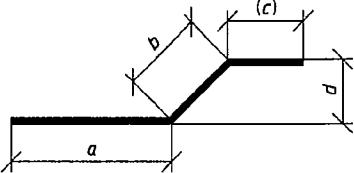
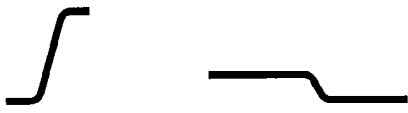
### 4 List of preferred shapes

Preferred shapes for bars are listed in table 2. The letter symbols in table 2 refer to the dimensions which shall be given in the bar schedule (although the "free" dimension may be omitted).

**Table 1 — Code number composition**

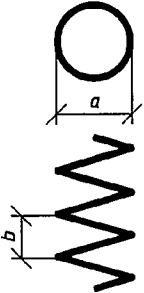

First character	Second character
<b>0</b> — No bends (optional)	<b>0</b> — Straight bars (optional)
<b>1</b> — 1 bend	<b>1</b> — 90° bend(s) of standard radius, all bent towards the same direction
<b>2</b> — 2 bends	<b>2</b> — 90° bend(s) of non-standard radius, all bent towards the same direction
<b>3</b> — 3 bends	<b>3</b> — 180° bend(s) of non-standard radius, all bent towards the same direction
<b>4</b> — 4 bends	<b>4</b> — 90° bends of standard radius, not all bent towards the same direction
<b>5</b> — 5 bends <sup>1)</sup>	<b>5</b> — Bends < 90°, all bent towards the same direction
<b>6</b> — Arcs of circles	<b>6</b> — Bends < 90°, not all bent towards the same direction
<b>7</b> — Helices	<b>7</b> — Arcs or helices
<b>99</b> — Special non-standard shapes defined by a sketch. Shape code 99 shall be used for all non-standard shapes. Bending radii for shape 99 shall be assumed to be standard ( <i>r</i> ) unless specified otherwise ( <i>R</i> ) <sup>2)</sup> .	
NOTE — This table explains the logic behind the numbering of the shapes in table 2. It is not to be used for creating codes for additional shapes.	
1) Shape code 51 is the only preferred shape permitted to have more than four bends. Five bends or more are undesirable and may be impractical within permitted tolerances but they must be drawn out in full and coded 99.	
2) With the exception of shape codes 12 and 67 if a non-standard radius is required the shape code becomes 99 with <i>R</i> specified on the sketch.	

Table 2 — Preferred shapes

Shape code	Shape	Examples
00		
11		
12		
13		
15		
21		
25		
26		

Shape code	Shape	Examples
31		
33	<p>Both ends semicircular</p>	
41		
44		
46		
51		
67		



Shape code	Shape	Examples
77	 <p data-bbox="263 645 550 678">c: number of complete turns</p>	
99	All other shapes	

## 5 Bar schedule

The bar schedule is the document used to specify and identify reinforcing bars. The format specified in 5.1 incorporates the use of preferred shapes.

### 5.1 Schedule information

A bar schedule shall contain the following information in the sequence listed below:

- a) member (identification of the structural member in which the bar is located);
- b) bar mark (unique reference of the bar);
- c) type of steel (a single letter will suffice if clearly defined, then columns for type of steel and size can be combined, e.g. B12);
- d) size (nominal diameter) of bar, in millimetres;
- e) length of each bar, in millimetres [cutting length, allowing for the gain at bends, calculated from the dimensions and radii given in k); see clause 2];
- f) number of members;
- g) number of bars in each member;
- h) total number of bars [f) × g)];
- i) total length [e) × h)], in millimetres (rounded to the nearest multiple of 25 mm);
- j) shape code;
- k) bending dimensions, in millimetres (rounded to the nearest multiple of 5 mm);

- l) revision letter for member [a letter should be entered here, starting A, B, C, etc., whenever a line (or lines) is amended and the schedule re-issued. The same letter should be entered in 5.3 f)];

- m) title block.

An example of a form of bar schedule is shown in table 3.

### 5.2 Special shapes

When special shapes are required, these shall be shown by a dimensioned sketch drawn over columns a to e/R (see table 3) and shall be designated as shape code 99.

### 5.3 Title block

The title block shall be placed below the schedule, and shall contain the following information:

- a) name of the structural designer;
- b) title of the project;
- c) preparation date, by whom prepared, by whom checked;
- d) drawing number;
- e) bar schedule number;
- f) revision letter and date of last revision;
- g) a statement that the schedule has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of ISO 4066 (in or immediately below the title block).

**Table 3 — Example of an ISO bar schedule**

Dimensions in millimetres

Member	Bar mark	Type of steel	Size	Length of each bar	Number of members	Number of bars in each member	Total number	Total length	Shape code	Bending dimensions				Revision letter for member	
										a	b	c	d		e/R
First floor slabs	01	B	12	4 000	6	50	300	1 200 000	00	4 000					
Wall A	02	B	16	6 000	1	25	25	150 000	11	2 000					
Tank wall	03	B	20	12 000	1	100	100	1 200 000	67	12 000				9 000	
Beam 23	04	B	10	3 800	6	25	150	570 000	44	1 000	1 500	300	1 500		
A. B. CDE and PARTNERS 2 XY Street, London W1A Phone: 071-000-0000		Factory for X, Y, Z, etc.				Preparation date 1992-07-09		Drawing number 63		Bar schedule number 6301		Revision date Revision letter			
						Prepared by R.I.L.									
						Checked by R.S.									
This schedule has been prepared in accordance with the requirements of ISO 4066.															

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