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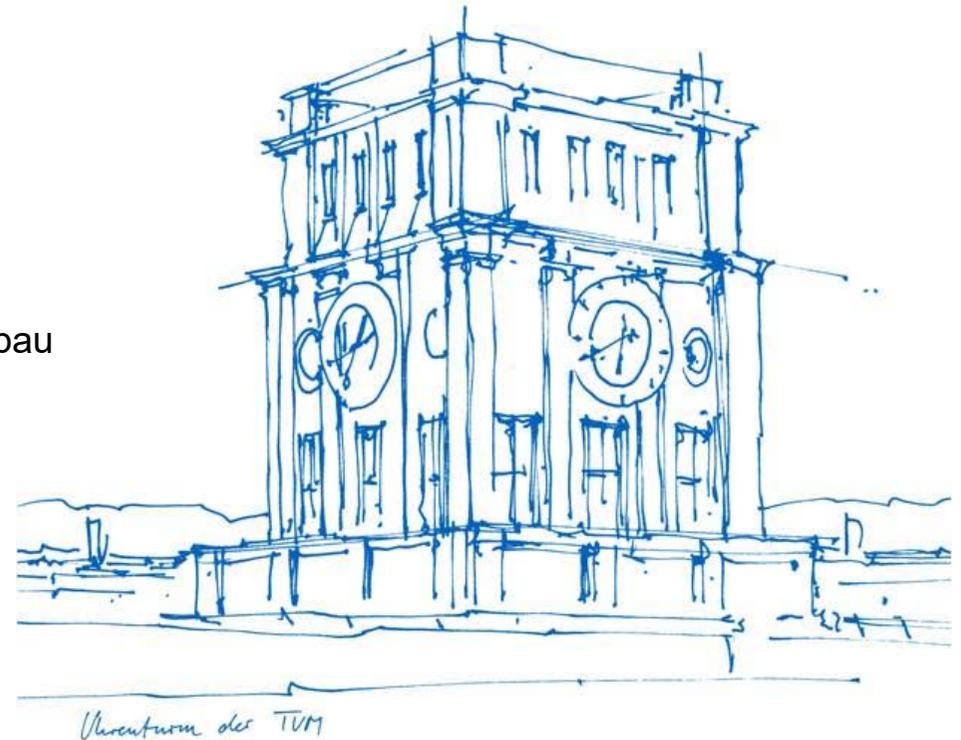
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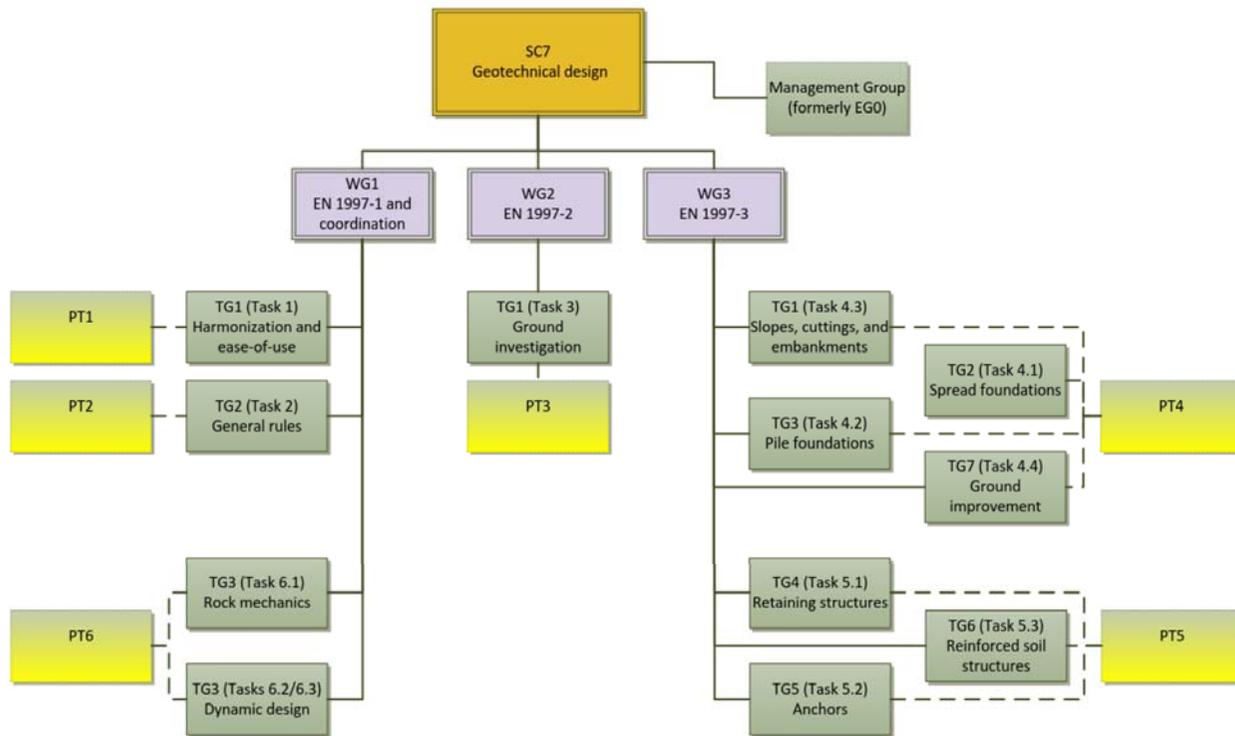
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# Eurocode 7 – DIN EN 1997



**EC 0: Basis of structural and geotechnical design**  
(Grundlagen der Tragwerksplanung)

**EC 7-1: General rules**  
(Allgemeine Regeln)

**EC 7-2: Ground properties**  
(Baugrunduntersuchungen)

**EC 7-3: Geotechnical structures**  
(Geotechnische Bauwerke)

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# prEN 1997-3:202x „Geotechnical structures“



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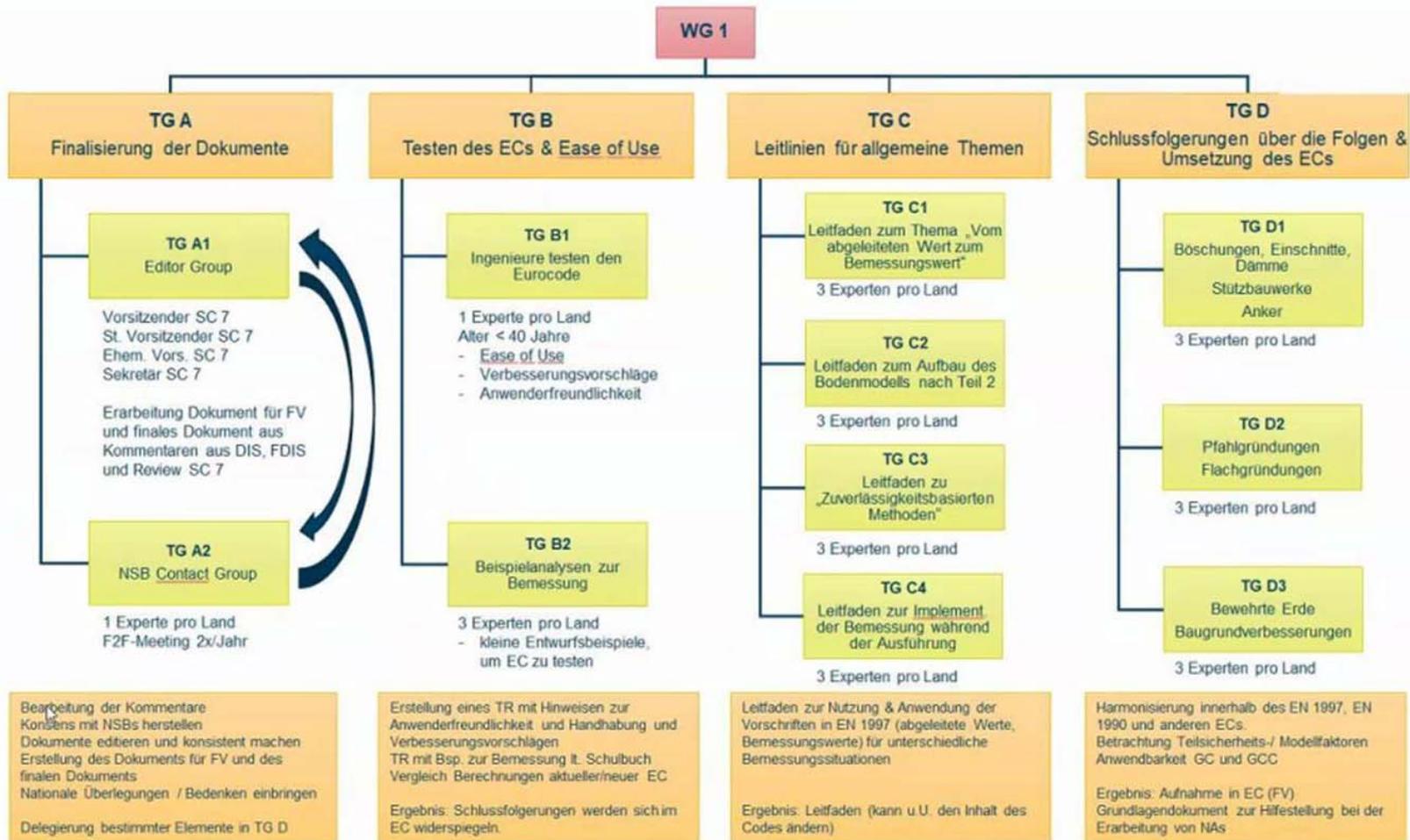
## **Arbeitsbeginn für**

Task Group D3 – Geotechnical Structures – “Improvement”  
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Task Group B1 – Testing by next Generation engineers

Task Group B2 – Design examples analysis

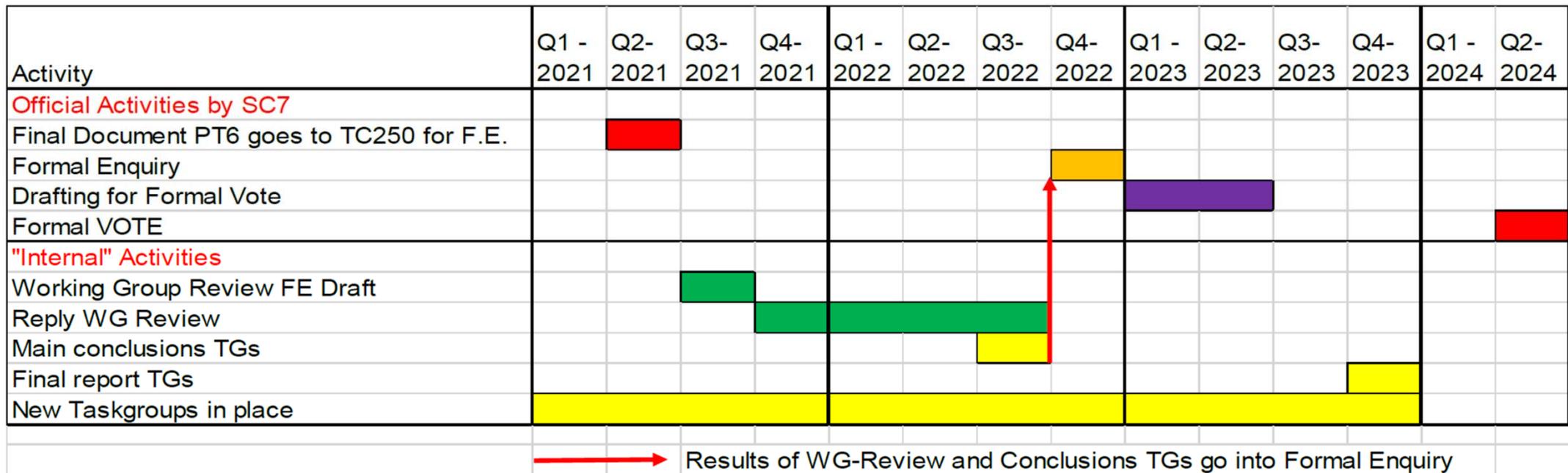
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## **9 Reinforced fill structures**

**9.1 Scope and field of application**

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# 9 Reinforced fill structures

## 9.1 Scope and field of application

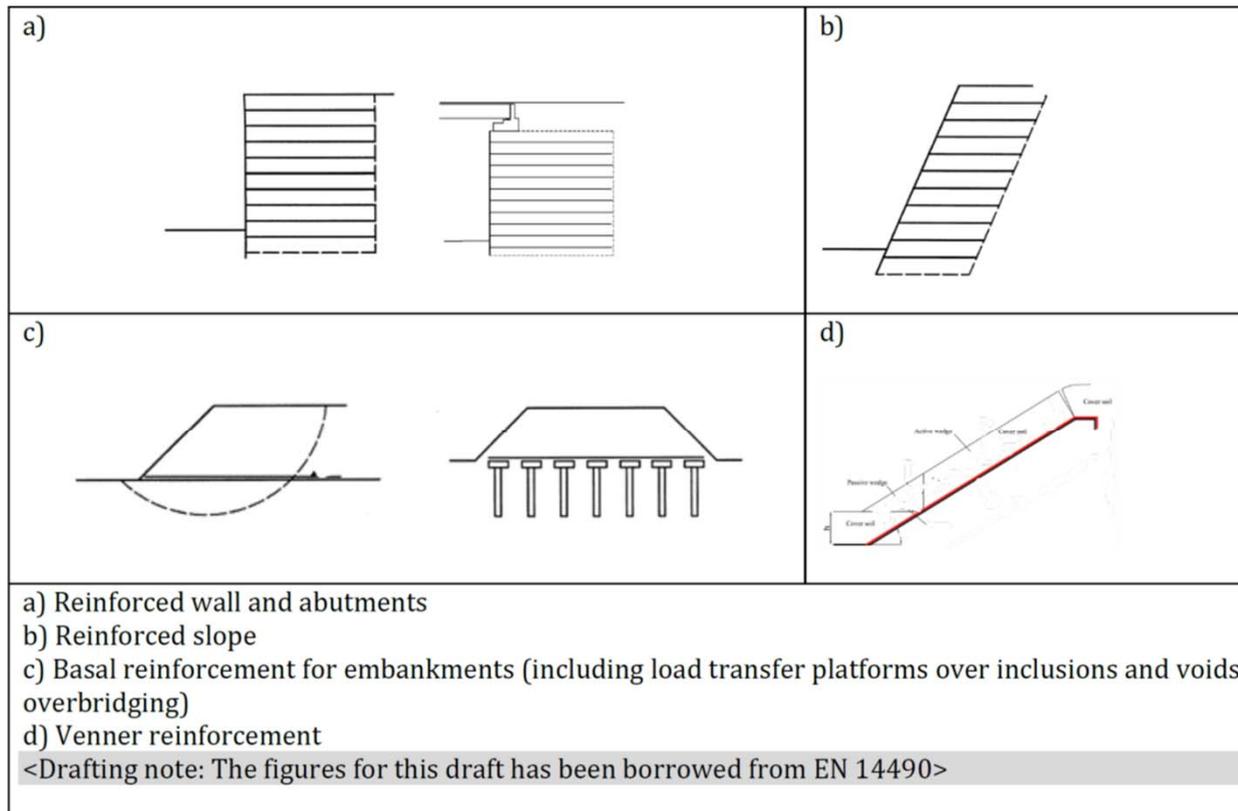


Figure 9.1 – Reinforced fill structures covered by this standard

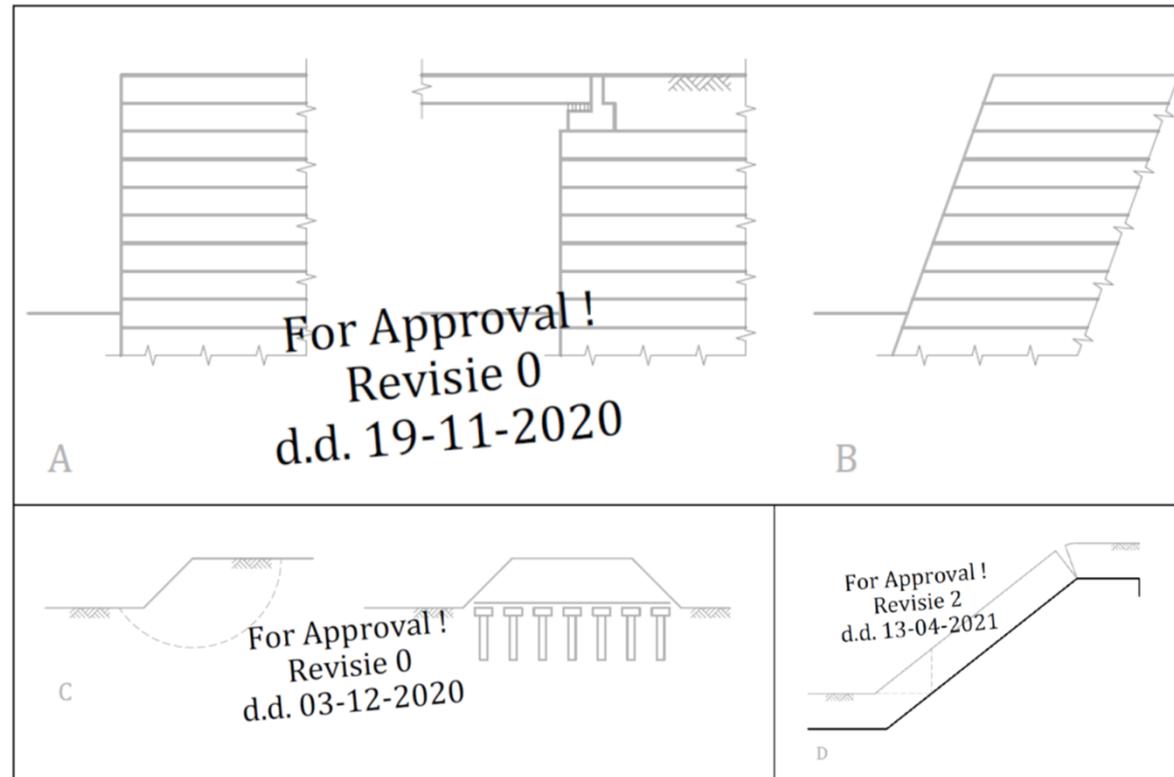
# 9 Reinforced fill structures

## 9.1 Scope and field of application

- A Reinforced wall and abutments
- B Reinforced slope
- C Basal reinforcement for embankments (including load transfer platforms over inclusions and voids overbridging)
- D Venner reinforcement

### Nicht für:

- Earthwork structures **without reinforcement** (clause 4 embankments)
- Design of **asphalt reinforcement** of pavements
- Geotextile **encases columns** (clause 11)



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## 9.2.5.1 Ultimate Limit State

(1) <REQ> In addition to EN 1997-1, 8, the following ultimate limit states shall be verified for all reinforced fill structures:

- rupture of the reinforcing element;
- rupture of any connection between a reinforcing element and the facing of the structure or between the reinforcing elements themselves;
- failure along slip surfaces that pass wholly or partially through the reinforced block;
- failure at the interface between the ground and the reinforcing element from the ground beyond the assumed slip surface (pullout);
- failure by sliding between the ground and reinforcing element;
- failure by sliding between the reinforced block and its foundation;
- structural failure of any facing element;
- potential brittle failure in the reinforcing elements;
- failure of the connection between any facing elements;
- bearing failure of the foundation;
- squeezing of any weak foundation soils.
- excessive deformation in the reinforcement elements over the design life of the structure.

(2) <RCM> Potential ultimate limit states other than those given in (1) should be verified.



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## 9.2.5.2 Servicability Limit State

(1) <REQ> In addition to EN 1997-1, 9, the following serviceability limit states shall be verified for all reinforced structures:

- deformations of the reinforced structure itself;
- differential settlement along the facing due to subsoil deformation;
- differential movement between facing and reinforced structure;
- deformation of the reinforced structure, which may cause serviceability limit states of nearby structures or services that rely on it;
- bulging and deformation of the face;
- cracking or spalling of precast facing panels (differential settlement or movement).

Note 220: Deformations of the reinforced structure can be caused/influenced by the elongation or postconstruction elongation of the reinforcement elements themselves

(2) <RCM> Potentiall serviceability limit states other than those given in (1) should be verified.

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## 9.3 Materials

Erstmals werden die unterschiedlichen Bewehrungsmaterialien behandelt!

- Geokunststoffe
- Stahl
- Polymerbeschichtete Stahldrahtgeflechte

Bislang in EBGEO (2010) nur Geokunststoffe:

2.2.1 **Geokunststoffe** sind europäisch harmonisierte Bauprodukte, deren Konformität mit dem **CE-Kennzeichen** dokumentiert wird. Sie unterliegen in Deutschland dem **Bauproduktengesetz (BauPG)**.

### 2.2.2 Rohstoffe

Für den Anwendungsbereich dieser Empfehlungen werden u. a. folgende **Polymere** als Ausgangsmaterialien für Geokunststoffe (in alphabetischer Ordnung) angesehen: Aramide (AR), Polyamide (PA), Polyester (Polyethylenterephthalat) (PET), Polyolefine (Polyethylen (PE, PEHD), Polypropylen (PP), Polyvinylalkohol (PVA).

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## 9.3 Materials

### 9.3.2 General related to durability

(1) <REQ> Determination of the loss of strength of reinforcing elements for fills shall, for the structures **intended design service life**, take account of the long-term effects of sustained load in reinforcement (creep) and long-term changes in fill properties.

(2) <REQ> In addition to (1) the potential damage of the reinforcement during **transport, storage and installation** shall be considered.

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## 9.3.3 Geosynthetics

- (1) <RCM> In addition to EN 1997-1, 5.3, geosynthetic reinforcing elements **should** comply with **EN 13251**.
- (2) <RCM> The characteristic tensile strength of geosynthetic reinforcement,  $T_k$  **should** be determined in accordance with **EN ISO 10319**.

War SHALL, jetzt SHOULD???

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## 9.3.3 Geosynthetics

(4) <REQ> In addition to 9.3.2 (1), a reduction factor  $\eta_{gs}$  shall be applied to the tensile strength of geosynthetic reinforcing elements to account for the loss of strength.

(5?) <REQ> The representative tensile resistance  $R_{t,rep,el}$  of a geosynthetic reinforcing element shall be determined from Formula (9.1):

$$R_{t,rep,el} = \eta_{gs} T_k \quad (9.1)$$

where:

$T_k$  is the characteristic tensile strength of the reinforcing element (see (2));

$\eta_{gs}$  is a reduction factor accounting for anticipated loss of strength **with time and other influences.**

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## 9.3.3 Geosynthetics

(5) <RCM>The reduction factor  $\eta_{gs}$  should account for the adverse effect of:

- **tensile creep** due to sustained static load over the design service life of the structure at the **design temperature**;
- the adverse effects of **mechanical damage during transportation, installation and execution**;
- **weathering**;
- **chemical and biological degradation** of the reinforcing element over the design service life of the structure at the design temperature;
- **intense and repeated loading** over the design service life of the structure (fatigue); and
- **joints and seams** for geosynthetic reinforcing elements and **polymeric coated steel woven wire mesh**.

Guidance on determination of the reduction factor is given in F.8.1



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Warum hier?

Es gibt eigenes

Kapitel

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## F.8.1 Reduction factors for geosynthetic reinforcing element

(1) <REQ> The value of the reduction factor for tensile strength of geosynthetic reinforcement,  $\eta_{gs}$  shall be determined from Formula (F.9):

$$\eta_{gs} = \eta_{cr} \cdot \eta_{dmg} \cdot \eta_w \cdot \eta_{ch} \cdot \eta_{dyn} \cdot \eta_{con} \quad (F.9)$$

where:

- $\eta_{cr}$  is a factor accounting for the adverse effect of **tensile creep** due to sustained static load over the design service life of the structure at the design temperature;
- $\eta_{dmg}$  is a factor accounting for the adverse effects of **mechanical damage during transportation, installation and execution**;
- $\eta_w$  is a factor accounting for the adverse effects of **weathering**;
- $\eta_{ch}$  is a factor accounting for the adverse effects of **chemical and biological degradation** of the reinforcing element over the design service life of the structure at the design temperature;
- $\eta_{dyn}$  is a factor accounting for the adverse effects of **intense and repeated loading** over the design service life of the structure (fatigue).
- $\eta_{con}$  is a factor accounting for the adverse effects of **joints and seams** for geosynthetic reinforcing elements and polymeric coated steel woven wire mesh.

The values of  $\eta_{cr}$ ,  $\eta_{dmg}$ ,  $\eta_w$ , and  $\eta_{ch}$  are the **reciprocals of the reduction factors specified in ISO TR 20432**, as RFCR, RFID, RFW, and RFCH, respectively.

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## 9.3.4 Steel

<Drafting note: This Sub-clause will be updated based on the discussion dis AdHoc group after PT6 submission. The comments on this sub-clause will be addressed at that stage>

- (1) <REQ> Reinforcement in the form of **strips, bars, or rods** shall comply with **EN 10025-2, EN 10025-4, or EN10080**, as appropriate for the **type of steel used**.
- (2) <REQ> Reinforcement in the form of **welded wire ladders or meshes** shall comply with **EN 10218-2, EN 10223-8, or EN 10080**, as appropriate for the type of steel used.
- (3) <REQ> Metallic reinforcement shall have a total extension at the maximum load  $A_{gt}$  defined in EN ISO 6892-1 of at least 5%.
- (4) <REQ> If a steel reinforcing element is galvanised, the hot dip galvanized coating to steel strips, rods, bars, ladders, and welded wire meshes shall comply with EN ISO 1461.
- (5) <REQ> Where steel welded wire meshes are treated with a zinc-aluminium alloy coating (Zn95Al5 or Zn90Al10) conforming to EN 10244-2, the minimum coating unit weight shall comply with Table 2 of EN 10244-2.
- (6) <REQ> Stainless steel and aluminium alloys shall only be used for reinforcement if they comply with a relevant standard specified by the relevant authority or, where not specified, agreed for a specific project by appropriate parties.

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## 9.3.4 Steel

(7) <REQ> The representative tensile resistance ( $R_{t,rep,el}$ ) for steel reinforcement to use in reinforced fill structures shall be designed in agreement with one of the following approaches:

- according to EN 1993-1-1;
- according to Formula (9.4).

EC Stahl!

NOTE 229: Unless the National Annex gives a specific choice, the approach to be used is as specified by the relevant authority or, where not specified, as agreed for a specific project by the relevant parties.

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Fehlt bei Geosynthetics!

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## 9.3.4 Steel

(7) <REQ> ...

$$R_{t,rep,el} = \min (A_{ry} f_{yk}; A_{ru} f_{uk} ) \quad (9. 3)$$

where

$f_{yk}$  is the characteristic **yield strength** of the steel;

$R_{t,rep,el}$  representative tensile resistance;

$f_{uk}$  is the characteristic **ultimate strength** of the steel;

$A_{ry}, A_{ru}$  are the reduced cross-sectional areas of the reinforcing element at yield and ultimate resistance, respectively, allowing for the effects of potential corrosion.

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## 9.3.5 Polymeric coated steel woven wire meshes

(1) <RCM> Reinforcement in the form of **polymer coated woven wire mesh** shall comply with **EN 10218-2**, in case of **steel wire only** and **EN 10223-3** for the whole reinforcement product.

**Stahl!**

(2) <RCM> Polymeric coated steel woven wire meshes shall be treated with a zinc-aluminium alloy coating (Zn95Al5 or Zn90Al10) conforming to EN 10244-2, the minimum coating unit weight shall comply with Table 2 of EN 10244-2 and further protected by:

- PVC coating conforming to EN 10245-2; or
- PE coating conforming to EN 10245-3; or
- PET coating conforming to EN 10245-4; or
- PA coating conforming to EN 10245-5.

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(3) <REQ> The characteristic tensile strength of polymeric coated steel woven wire mesh reinforcement shall be determined in accordance with **EN ISO 10319**.

# 9 Reinforced fill structures



## 9.3.5 Polymeric coated steel woven wire meshes

(4) <REQ> The representative tensile resistance  $R_{t,rep,el}$  of a polymeric coated woven wire mesh reinforcing element shall be determined from Formula (9.8):

$$R_{t,rep,el} = \eta_{pwm} \cdot T_k \quad (9.8)$$

Where

$T_k$  is the characteristic tensile strength of the reinforcing element;

$\eta_{pwm}$  is a reduction factor accounting for anticipated **loss of strength with time and other influences**.

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angesprochen,  
aber kein ???

(5) <REQ> In addition to 9.3.2 (1), a reduction factor  $\eta_{pwm}$  shall be applied to the tensile strength of polymeric coated steel woven wire meshes to account for the loss of strength.

**Guidance on determination of the  
reduction factor is given in F.8.2**



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## 9.3.5 Polymeric coated steel woven wire meshes

- (6) <REQ> The evaluation of  $\eta_{\text{dmg}}$  shall account for the decrease of tensile strength at short term due to damage during **transportation, installation and execution**.
- (7) <REQ> The evaluation of  $\eta_{\text{cor}}$  shall account for the **loss of protection to the metallic wires** caused by **mechanical damage during execution to the polymeric and zinc-aluminium alloy coatings as well as to the metallic wires**.
- (8) <RCM> If the polymeric coated steel woven wire mesh is **cut**, the **coating** should be treated as **damaged**.

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## F.8.2 Reduction factors for **Polymeric coated** steel woven wire meshes

Fehlt! Redaktionell!

(5) <REQ> The reduction factor  $\eta_{pwm}$  shall be determined from Formula (9.9):

$$\eta_{pwm} = \eta_{dmg} \cdot \eta_{cor}$$

where:

$\eta_{dmg}$  is a reduction factor accounting for the adverse effects of **mechanical damage during transportation, installation and execution**;

$\eta_{cor}$  is a reduction factor accounting for the adverse effects of degradation of the element by **corrosion** over the design service life of the structure, corrosion being triggered by the local loss of watertightness of the polymeric coating by chemical degradation and/or the loss of the Zinc or Zinc/Aluminium layer by corrosion, where applicable

Wenn schon „Geokunststoffe“ dann auch für alles: Test der Einzelkomponenten!

Kriechen, Anschluss, Bewitterung, Chemie/Biologie, Dynamik ???

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## 9.3.6 Other materials

- (1) <REQ> Materials **other than those specified** in 9.3.3, 9.3.4, and 9.3.5 **shall only be used** for reinforcement if they comply with a standard **specified by the relevant authority** or, where not specified, agreed for a specific project **by appropriate parties**.

Öffnung für alles?  
Harmonisierung?  
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# 9 Reinforced fill structures



## 9.5 Geotechnical analysis

### 9.5.1 General

See EN 1997-1, 7

- (1) <REQ> The **external and compound stability** of a reinforced fill structure, shall be analysed according to **Clauses 4, 5, or 7**, as appropriate, **with the beneficial effect of reinforcing elements**.
- (2) <REQ> The **internal stability** of a reinforced fill structure shall be analysed **according to the type of reinforced fill structure (9.5.2)**.
- (3) <REQ> Horizontal and vertical deformations of a reinforced fill structure shall be analysed according to Clauses 4, 5, or 7, as appropriate.
- (4) <REQ> The execution specification shall state requirement on properties of the fill needed to fulfil the verification of the limit states.
- (5) <PER> The compound stability of reinforced slopes, walls, and bridge abutments may be verified using a method not given in 9.5.2.1 (1) provided it has been validated against comparable experience.
- (6) <REQ> Verification of the compound stability of a reinforced fill structure shall include the potential beneficial effect of any reinforcing elements.

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Nicht nur internal!  
Passt allenfalls bei  
Stützkonstruktion!

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## 9.5 Geotechnical analysis

### 9.5.2 Mode of failure for reinforced fill structures

#### 9.5.2.1 Reinforced slopes, walls, and bridge abutments

(1) <RCM> The **internal stability** of reinforced slopes, walls, and bridge abutments should be verified using one or more of the following methods:

- coherent gravity method;
- tie-back wedge method;
- **multiple wedge method;**
- **slope stability methods;**
- numerical methods.

Bei Stützkonstruktionen:  
Wieder nur „internal!“

Details of some of these methods are given in **Annex F.3**.

(2) <PER> Other methods than those given in (1) may be used.

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## 9.5 Geotechnical analysis

### 9.5.2 Mode of failure for reinforced fill structures

#### 9.5.2.1 Reinforced slopes, walls, and bridge abutments

#### 9.5.2.2 Basal reinforcement for embankments

#### 9.5.2.3 Load transfer platforms over rigid inclusions

#### 9.5.2.4 Overbridging systems in areas prone to subsidence

#### 9.5.2.5 Veneer stability

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## 9.5 Geotechnical analysis

### 9.5.3 Resistance of reinforcing elements

#### 9.5.3.1 General

... Tensile resistance ...

### 9.5.4 Pull-out resistance

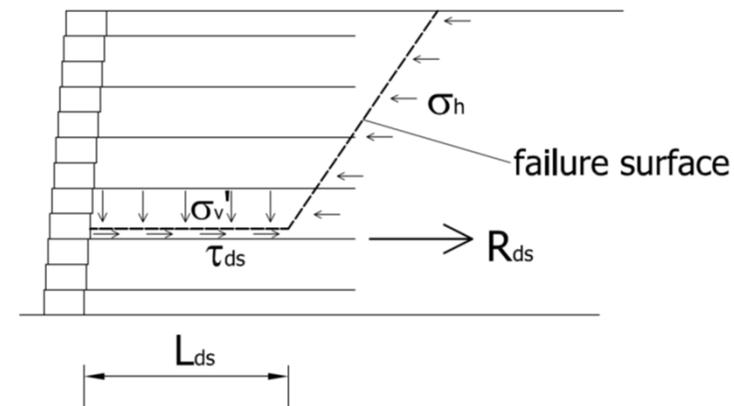
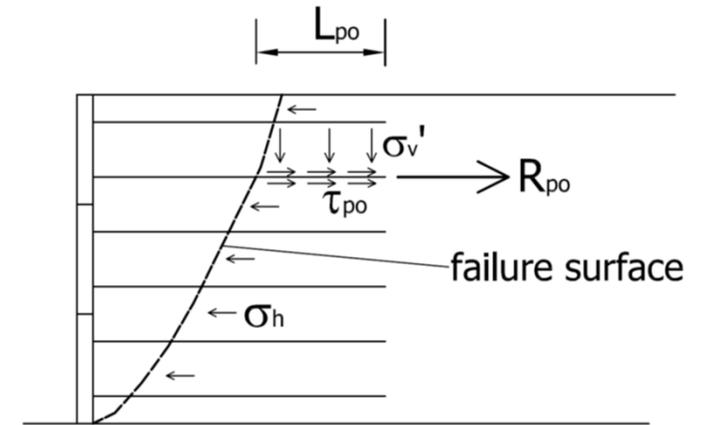
#### 9.5.4.1 General

#### 9.5.4.2 Sheet reinforcement for fill

#### 9.5.4.3 Discrete fill reinforcement

### 9.5.5 Resistance in direct shear

### 9.5.6 Resistance of connections



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## 9.5 Geotechnical analysis

### 9.5.3.1 General

(1) <REQ> The representative **tensile resistance** ( $R_{t,rep}$ ) of a reinforcing element shall be determined from Formula (9.9):

$$R_{t,rep} = \min (R_{t,rep,el}; R_{rep,po}; R_{rep,ds}; R_{rep,con}) \quad (9. 11)$$

where:

$R_{t,rep,el}$  is the representative **tensile resistance strength of the reinforcing element**;

$R_{rep,po}$  is the representative value of the **pull-out resistance** mobilised along the interface between the **fill** and the reinforcing element; **war „ground“ – fehlt jetzt**

$R_{rep,ds}$  is the representative value of the **direct shear resistance**; **für Aufstandsfläche!**

$R_{rep,con}$  is the representative value of the resistance at the **connection** both at the point between the facing and the reinforcing element (i.e., connection device), and the reinforcement at the connection point.

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## 9.6 Ultimate limit states

### 9.6.1 General

- (1) <REQ> The design value of the ultimate limit state resistance of a reinforcement element shall satisfy formule

$$E_d \leq \min(R_{t,d,el}; R_{d,po}; R_{d,ds}; R_{d,con})$$

where

$E_d$  is the maximum value of the **design value of the effects of actions** in ultimate limit state (see 9.2.3.2);

$R_{t,d,el}$  is the design value of the resulting resistance of the reinforcement element;

$R_{d,po}$  is the design value of interface resistance between fill and reinforcement elements at the ultimate limit state (pullout);

$R_{d,ds}$  is the design value of direct shear mobilised along the interface between the fill or ground and the reinforcing element;

$R_{d,con}$  is the design tensile resistance of a connection for geosynthetics or polymer woven wire mesh.

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## 9.6 Ultimate limit states

### 9.6.2 Verification by the partial factor method

#### 9.6.2.1 Rupture of the reinforcing elements (tensile)

##### 9.6.2.1.1 Geosynthetics

(1) <REQ> The design tensile resistance ( $R_{td,el}$ ) of a geosynthetic reinforcing element shall be determined from Formula (9.18):

$$R_{td,el} = \frac{R_{t,rep,el}}{\gamma_{Rd,re} \gamma_{M,re}}$$

where:

$R_{t,rep,el}$  is the representative tensile resistance of the reinforcing element;

$\gamma_{M,re}$  is a partial factor, given in 9.6.2.6;

$\gamma_{Rd,re}$  is a model factor accounting for additional uncertainty owing to extrapolation of measured strengths to the design service life.

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## 9.6 Ultimate limit states

<Drafting note: This Sub-clause will be updated based on the discussion in the AdHoc group after PT6 submission. The comments on this sub-clause will be addressed at that stage>

### 9.6.2.1.2 Steel reinforcement for fill

(1) <RCM> The design tensile resistance ( $R_{td,el}$ ) of steel reinforcement should comply with EN 1993-1-1

(2) <PER> As an alternative, for steel reinforcement complying with EN 10025-2 or EN 10080, the design tensile resistance ( $R_{td,el}$ ) may be determined from Formula (9.21):

$$R_{td,el} = \min \left( \frac{A_{ry} f_{yk}}{\gamma_{Rd,0} \gamma_{M0}}; \frac{A_{ru} f_{uk}}{\gamma_{Rd,2} \gamma_{M2}} \right)$$

Where

$f_{yk}$  is the characteristic yield strength of the steel;

$f_{uk}$  is the characteristic ultimate strength of the steel;

$A_{ry}$  and  $A_{ru}$  are the reduced cross-sectional areas defined in 9.3.2.3;

$\gamma_{M0}$  and  $\gamma_{M2}$  are partial factors whose values are specified in EN 1993-1-1;

$\gamma_{Rd,0}$  and  $\gamma_{Rd,2}$  are model factors that take account of the degree to which the strength of the steel reinforcing element is mobilized in a reinforced soil structure.

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## 9.6 Ultimate limit states

### 9.6.2.1.3 Polymeric coated steel woven wire mesh

(1) <REQ> The design tensile resistance ( $R_{td,el}$ ) of polymeric-coated woven wire mesh reinforcing element shall be determined from Formula (9.25):

$$R_{td,el} = \frac{R_{t,rep,el}}{\gamma_{Rd}\gamma_{M,pwm}}$$

where:

$R_{t,rep,el}$  is the representative tensile resistance of the reinforcing element;

$\gamma_{M,pwm}$  is a partial factor, given in 9.6.2.5;

$\gamma_{Rd}$  is a model factor accounting for additional uncertainty owing to extrapolation of measured strengths to the design service life.

Note 251 A method to determine the value of  $\gamma_{Rd}$  is given in [ISO TR 20432](#), where it has the symbol  $f_s$ .

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## 9.6 Ultimate limit states

### 9.6.2.6 Partial factors

Table 9.3 (NDP) – Partial factors for the verification of resistance of reinforced fill structures for fundamental (persistent and transient) design situations

Verification of	Partial factor on		Symbol	Values of the partial factors
Overall and compound stability	See clause 4			
Bearing resistance and sliding	See clause 5			
Overturning	See clause 7			
Pull-out failure of reinforcing elements	Pull-out resistance of	sheet fill reinforcement	$\gamma_{R,po,gs}$	1,25
		discrete fill reinforcement	$\gamma_{R,po,dis}$	1,25
		polymeric coated steel wire mesh reinforcement	$\gamma_{R,po,pwm}$	1,25
Direct shear failure along interface	Resistance to direct shear along interface for sheet fill reinforcement		$\gamma_{R,ds}$	1,25

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## 9.6 Ultimate limit states

### 9.6.2.6 Partial factors

Table 9.3 (NDP) – Partial factors for the verification of resistance of reinforced fill structures for fundamental (persistent and transient) design situations

Rupture Reinforcing element	Tensile strength of geosynthetic reinforcement	$\gamma_{M, re}$	1,1
	steel reinforcement	$\gamma_{M0}, \gamma_{M2}$	specified in EN 1993-1-1
	steel reinforcement	$\gamma_{M, re}$	1,2
	polymeric coated steel wire mesh reinforcement	$\gamma_{M, pwm}$	1,25
Rupture Connections between reinforcing elements	Tensile strength of polymeric coated steel wire mesh reinforcement	$\gamma_{R, con}$	1,25
	Tensile strength of polymeric coated steel woven wire mesh connection		1,35
	Geosynthetic		1,35
Rupture Connections to facing	Tensile strength	$\gamma_{R, con}$	1,35

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## 9.6 Ultimate limit states

### 9.6.2.6 Partial factors

Table 9.3 (NDP) – Partial factors for the verification of resistance of reinforced fill structures for fundamental (persistent and transient) design situations

So war es schon mal –  
ist so auch wieder versprochen!!!

1,0 oder not factored

Verification of	Partial factor on	Symbol	Material factor approach (MFA)	Resistance factor approach (RFA)
All situations	Actions and effects of actions	$\gamma_F$ and $\gamma_E$	DC3 <sup>1</sup>	DC4 <sup>1</sup>
	Ground properties	$\gamma_M$	M2 <sup>2</sup>	M1 <sup>2</sup>
Reinforcing element Rupture, resistance factors	Tensile strength of geosynthetic reinforcement	$\gamma_{Rd, re}$	1,0	1,2
	Tensile strength of steel reinforcement	$\gamma_{Rd, 0}$	1,0	1,0
	Tensile strength of steel reinforcement	$\gamma_{Rd, 2}$	1,0	1,0
	Tensile strength of polymeric coated steel wire mesh reinforcement	$\gamma_{Rd, pwm}$	1,0	1,2
Reinforcing element Rupture, material factors	Tensile strength of geosynthetic reinforcement	$\gamma_{M, re}$	1,2	1,0
	Tensile strength of steel reinforcement	$\gamma_{M0}$	EN 1993-1-1	
	Tensile strength of steel reinforcement	$\gamma_{M2}$	EN 1993-1-1	
	Tensile strength of polymeric coated steel wire mesh reinforcement	$\gamma_{M, pwm}$	1,2	1,0

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## 9.6 Ultimate limit states

### 9.6.2.6 Partial factors

Table 9.3 (NDP) – Partial factors for the verification of resistance of reinforced fill structures for fundamental (persistent and transient) design situations

Verification of	Partial factor on	Symbol	Material factor approach (MFA)	Resistance factor approach (RFA)
Pull-out failure of reinforcing elements	Pull-out resistance of reinforcing elements	$\gamma_{R,po}$	1,25	1,25
Direct shear failure along interface	Resistance to direct shear along interface	$\gamma_{R,ds}$	1,25	1,25
Connection between reinforcement and facing element	Reinforcement strength at connections	$\gamma_{con,el}$ $\gamma_{connector}$ $\gamma_{con,fac}$	$\gamma_{Rd,re} \gamma_{M,re}$ for geosynthetic reinforcement (this table)  $\gamma_{Rd,2} \gamma_{M2}$ for steel reinforcement (this table and EN 1993-1-8)	

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## 9 Reinforced fill structures

9.1 Scope and field of application

9.2 Basis of design

9.3 Materials

9.4 Groundwater

9.5 Geotechnical analysis

9.6 Ultimate limit states

**9.7 Serviceability limit states**

**9.8 Implementation of design**

**9.9 Testing**

**9.10 Reporting**

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## 10 Ground reinforcing elements

10.1 Scope and field of application

10.2 Basis of design

10.3 Materials

10.4 Groundwater

10.5 Rock bolts

10.6 Soil Nailing

10.7 Wire mesh

10.8 Sprayed concrete

**10.9 Facing element**

10.10 Reporting

Problem:

Nach wie vor Sammlung von Hinweisen zu „Bewehrungselementen“

Muss geändert werden in „Bauweise“:

***Soil nailed and rock bolted structures***

***Facing zu Clause 9***

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## **Annex F (informative) Reinforced fill structures**

### **F.1 Use of this Informative Annex**

### **F.2 Scope and field of application**

### **F.3 Calculation models for reinforced fill structures**

#### **F.3.1 Method of slices for slip surface analysis**

#### **F.3.2 Coherent gravity method**

#### **F.3.3 Tie-back wedge method**

#### **F.3.4 Multi-part wedge method**

### **F.4 Calculation models for reinforced embankment bases**

#### **F.4.1 Resistance to transverse sliding**

#### **F.4.2 Resistance to foundation extrusion**

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## Annex F (informative) Reinforced fill structures

### F.5 Calculation models for load transfer platform over rigid inclusions

F.5.1 General

F.5.2 Hewlett and Randolph method

F.5.3 EBGEO method

F.5.4 Concentric Arches method

### F.6 Calculation models for embankments over voids

### F.7 Veneer reinforcement Ground reinforcing elements

### F.8 Durability, reduction factor for tensile strength

F.8.1 Reduction factors for geosynthetic reinforcing element

F.8.2 Reduction factors for steel woven wire meshes

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## Zusammenfassung und Ausblick

### Cons

- Zeitaufwand enorm, 1000de Einsprüche
- ständiges vor und zurück, Zeitschiene sehr fragwürdig
- noch viele Ungereimtheiten
- „Ease of use“ sicher nicht gewährleistet
- Jetzt Bearbeitung in neuen Gruppen, die Hintergrund, Historie und nationale Befindlichkeiten vielleicht nicht kennen

### Pros

- Bodenbewehrung in EC7 dann „offiziell“
- Geokunststoffe, Stahl und „coated meshes“ separat aufgeführt und behandelt!
- Deutsche Sichtweise weitgehend umgesetzt
- vieles in „NDP“ bzw. im Anhang => kann national angepasst werden – aber: international kritisch!

**Absolute Aufmerksamkeit gefordert!**