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This document includes the following significant technical changes with respect to EN 13374:2013+A1:2018:

- most of the figures have been updated and new figures have been added,
- classification in Clause 4 has been clarified,
- Clause 6 has been clarified and updated and 6.3.8 added,
- Clause 7 has been clarified and updated,
- Annex A has been rewritten and figures added,
- Annex B Simplified methods has been added,
- Annex C with A-deviations from Finland, Italy, Cyprus, United Kingdom and Poland has been added,
- editorial changes and clarifications have been done.

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Introduction

Temporary edge protection systems are used in construction work, primarily to prevent persons and objects from falling to a lower level from roofs, edges, stairs and other areas where protection is required.

In most European countries temporary edge protection, or other types of fall protection devices, are required when a risk assessment identifies a fall risk regardless of height. In contrast to being secured by a lanyard, greater mobility in the working area is provided when edge protection is in place. The temporary edge protection can in some situations also act as a handrail for people to hold onto when working or walking close to an edge. Council Directive 92/57/EEC was taken into consideration when reviewing this product standard.

While this document also includes requirements to protect people from falling objects, e.g. by the provision of toeboards, there could be circumstances where this is insufficient and additional measures, which are beyond the scope of this document, will need to be taken.

Classes specified in this document are intended to cater for the varied requirements appropriate for different uses.

It is important that the structure to which temporary edge protection is attached can support the load that the system is designed for.

For this document A-deviations have been registered for Finland, Italy, Cyprus, United Kingdom and Poland (see Annex C).

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