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Editorial Comments

In the drawings of strut-and-tie models the following well known convention is used:

for struts: dashed lines and for ties: solid lines.

The notation follows that of the CEB-FIP Model Code 1990 respectively that of the FIP Recommendations 1999 “Practical design of structural concrete.

For the spacing of reinforcing bars various symbols were used in the examples according to the different traditions in the various countries:

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In the calculations the decimal symbol is a comma (,), and for the thousands separator a point (.) is used. However, due to different conventions in CAD programs, in some figures the decimal point used instead of a comma; in such cases a note has been added the relevant figure caption.