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April 2010: the death of British Standards

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The Eurocodes and their National Annexes will replace existing British Standards in March 2010. Their use will be mandatory for all public buildings and recommended for private buildings from this date. This talk looks at what happens in April 2010; discusses what we lose and what we gain; describes technical differences between British and European standards; and summarizes the help available to you for this transition.

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