

# Building-related standards

The Ministry of Business Innovation and Employment (Building System Performance) has funded the following building standards, used for Building Code compliance, for free download

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A: General	A1 Classified uses A2 Interpretation A3 Building importance levels	<a href="#">VIEW NOW</a>
B: Stability	B1 Structure B2 Durability	
C: Fire Safety	C1 Objectives of clauses C2 to C6 (protection from fire) C2 Prevention of fire occurring C3 Fire affecting areas beyond the fire source C4 Movement to a place of safety C5 Access and safety for firefighting operations C6 Structural stability	
D: Access	D1 Access routes D2 Mechanical installations for access	
E: Moisture	E1 Surface water E2 External moisture E3 Internal moisture	
F: Safety of users	F1 Hazardous agents on site F2 Hazardous building materials F3 Hazardous substances and processes F4 Safety from falling F5 Construction and demolition hazards F6 Visibility in escape routes	
G: Services and facilities	G1 Personal hygiene G2 Laundering G3 Food preparation and prevention of contamination G4 Ventilation G5 Interior environment G6 Airborne and impact sound G7 Natural light G8 Artificial light G9 Electricity G10 Piped services G11 Gas as an energy source G12 Water supplies G13 Foul water G14 Industrial liquid waste G15 Solid waste	
H: Energy efficiency	H1 Energy efficiency	
For specific buildings	Back country huts Simple house	