Revision of Wind Farm Certification Onshore Wind Power Plant Edition (NKRE-GL-WFC01)

Comparison Table for Previous and New Versions

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- The underlined parts of the provisions listed in the "Before revision" column shall be amended to the underlined parts of the corresponding provisions listed in the "After revision" column.
- Where a provision is marked with double lines in the "Before revision" column and there is no corresponding provision in the "After revision" column, that provision shall be deleted.
- Where a provision is marked with double lines in the "After revision" column and there is no corresponding provision listed in the "Before revision" column, that provision shall be added.

< Main points of revision >

- 1) Reflection of 20140328 Bureau of Commerce No. 1 "Interpretation of Technical Standards for Wind Power Generation Facilities" (Revision 20230310 Bureau No. 2).
 - Action for amendment effective December 26, 2022, and amendment effective March 20, 2023.
- 2) Revisions to respond to the following items in accordance with the amendment of the Electricity Business Act executed on March 20, 2023.
 - In connection with the abolition of the "Implementation procedures for the examination of construction plans for the installation or modification of wind power plants" (Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry, No.20210518, Bureau No. 1, May 24, 2021), from the viewpoint of ensuring the continuity of examinations, the contents written in those Implementation procedures were incorporated into this document.
 - In connection with the start of the system of registered conformity assessment bodies, as a response to this system, some items were added to address all of the requirements of Articles 4, 5 and 7 of the Ministerial Ordinance Prescribing Technical Standards for Wind Power Generation Facilities (Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry Ordinance of the Ministry of International Trade and Industry No. 53, final revision: Ordinance of the Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry No. 32 of March 31, 2017).
- 3) Incorporation of requirements that have been generalizable in the course of performing the individual examinations for wind farm certification to date.
 - Partial revision of contents of Annexes A, B, C and F.
 - Foundation design requirements were added in Chapters 2, 3, 4 and 6, and Annex G was newly added.
- 4) The items are specified as requirements, which were often commented in the individual evaluations for wind farm certification performed in the past.

Cover and revision history

After revision	Before revision
New issue NKRE-GL-WFC01, Edition: July 2021	New issue NKRE-GL-WFC01, Edition: July 2021
July 31, 2021	July 31, 2021
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March 31, 2023	
Revision History	Revision History
I. (Omitted)	I. (Omitted)
II. New issue dated March 31, 2023 (Document No.: NKRE-GL-WFC01, Edition: March 2023)	(added)
EFFECTIVE DATE and APPLICATION	
1. These guidelines shall be enforced from April 1, 2023.	
2. Notwithstanding the provisions of these guidelines, the provisions then in force shall	
remain applicable to power plants other than those falling under any of the following.	
(1) Power plants for which the application for examination pertaining to wind farm	
certification is accepted on or after June 1, 2023	
(2) Power plants for which the initial certification document of wind farm	
certification is issued on or after September 1, 2023	
3. Regardless of 1 and 2 above, it should be noted that for provisions, etc., based on the requirements	
shown below from Chapter 1, 1.1.1-3. of these Guidelines, the application shall be from the	
effective date of that provision, etc.	
1) 20140328 Bureau of Commerce No. 1 "Interpretation of Technical Standards for Wind Power	
Generation Facilities" (revised 20230310 Bureau No. 2)	

After revision	Before revision
2) Annotations to the Ministerial Ordinance Prescribing Technical Standards for Wind Power	
Generation Facilities and its Interpretation (Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry, revised	
<u>on March 20, 2023)</u>	

Chapter 1 General

After revision	Before revision
1.1 General	1.1 General
1.1.1 to 1.1.3 (Omitted)	1.1.1 to 1.1.3 (Omitted)
1.2 Normative References	1.2 Normative References
1.2.1 General	1.2.1 General
-1. The following standards are the normative references for wind farm certification that are specified	-1. The following standards are the normative references for wind farm certification that are specified
in the "Sector-specific guidelines for 'accreditation criteria' - Wind power generation systems: wind	in the "Sector-specific guidelines for 'accreditation criteria' - Wind power generation systems: wind
farms, projects -" (JAB PD366:2017) document produced by the Japan Accreditation Board, excluding	farms, projects -" (JAB PD366:2017) document produced by the Japan Accreditation Board, excluding
those for offshore and small wind turbines. Where an anno domini year is written for these cited	those for offshore and small wind turbines. Where an anno domini year is written for these cited
standards, the version of the year mentioned shall apply, and subsequent revised versions (including	standards, the version of the year mentioned shall apply, and subsequent revised versions (including
Supplements) shall not apply. If there is no anno domini year written for a cited standard, the most recent	Supplements) shall not apply. If there is no anno domini year written for a cited standard, the most recent
version (including Supplements) shall apply.	version (including Supplements) shall apply.
[J-01] JIS C 1400-1:2017: Wind Energy Generation Systems-Part 1: Design requirements	[J-01] JIS C 1400-1:2017: Wind Energy Generation Systems-Part 1: Design requirements
[J-02] IEC 61400-1:2019 : Wind energy generation systems - Part 1: Design requirements	[J-02] IEC 61400-1:2019 : Wind energy generation systems - Part 1: Design requirements
[J-03] Ministerial Ordinance Prescribing Technical Standards for Wind Power Generation	[J-03] Ministerial Ordinance Prescribing Technical Standards for Wind Power Generation
Facilities (Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry, Ordinance of the Ministry of	Facilities (Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry, Ordinance of the Ministry of
International Trade and Industry No. 53, final revision: Ordinance of the Ministry of	International Trade and Industry No. 53 of March 27, 1997, final revision: Ordinance of
Economy, Trade and Industry No. 32 of March 31, 2017)	the Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry No. 32 of March 31, 2017)
[J-04] 20140328 Bureau of Commerce No. 1 "Interpretation of Technical Standards for Wind	[J-04] Interpretation of Technical Standards for Wind Power Generation Facilities (Ministry of
Power Generation Facilities" (Revision 20230310 Bureau No. 2)	Economy, Trade and Industry, No. 20140328, Bureau of Commerce No. 1, April 1, 2014)
[J-05] Guidelines for Design of Wind Turbine Support Structures and Foundation [2010	[J-05] Guidelines for Design of Wind Turbine Support Structures and Foundation [2010
version] (Japan Society of Civil Engineers)	version] (Japan Society of Civil Engineers)
[J-06] Germanischer Lloyd (GL) Guideline for the Certification of Wind Turbines 2010	[J-06] Germanischer Lloyd (GL) Guideline for the Certification of Wind Turbines 2010
-2. In order to meet the requirements of the standards listed in -1 above, the following standards	-2. In order to meet the requirements of the standards listed in -1 above, the following standards
referenced by these guidelines shall form part of the provisions. Where an anno domini year is written	referenced by these guidelines shall form part of the provisions. Where an anno domini year is written
for these cited standards, the version of the year mentioned shall apply, and subsequent revised versions	for these cited standards, the version of the year mentioned shall apply, and subsequent revised versions
(including Supplements) shall not apply. If there is no anno domini year written for a cited standard, the	(including Supplements) shall not apply. If there is no anno domini year written for a cited standard, the
most recent version (including Supplements) shall apply.	most recent version (including Supplements) shall apply.
[R-01] NKRE-SP-0003 Wind Farm Certification Procedures, Edition October 2021	[R-01] NKRE-SP-0003 Wind Farm Certification Procedures, Edition <u>February</u> 2021
[R-02] Annotations to the Ministerial Ordinance Prescribing Technical Standards for Wind	[R-02] Annotations to the Ministerial Ordinance Prescribing Technical Standards for Wind
Power Generation Facilities and its Interpretation (Ministry of Economy, Trade and	Power Generation Facilities and its Interpretation (Ministry of Economy, Trade and

After revision		Before revision			
Industry, revised on March 20, 2023)			Industry, revised on June 2	21, 2021)	
(Del	eted)		[R-03]	Implementation procedure	s for the examination of construction plans for the installation
				or modification of wind	power plants (Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry,
				<u>No.20210518, Bureau No.</u>	<u>1, May 24, 2021)</u>
<u>[R-0</u>	3] Recommendations for Des	sign of Building Foundations (Architectural Institute of Japan,	[R-04]	Recommendations for Design of Building Foundations (Architectural Institute of Japar	
	2019)			2019)	
<u>[R-0</u>	4] Guidebook on Design	and Fabrication of High Strength Bolted Connections	[<u>R-05]</u>	Guidebook on Design	and Fabrication of High Strength Bolted Connections
	(Architectural Institute of	Japan, 2003)		(Architectural Institute of	Japan, 2003)
<u>[R-0</u>	5] Structural Design Recom	mendation for Chimneys (Architectural Institute of Japan,	[<u>R-06]</u>	Structural Design Recom	mendation for Chimneys (Architectural Institute of Japan,
	2007)			2007)	
<u>[R-0</u>	6] JIS C 1400-12-1:2010	: Wind turbines - Part 12-1: Power performance	[R-07]	JIS C 1400-12-1:2010	: Wind turbines - Part 12-1: Power performance
		measurements of electricity producing wind turbines			measurements of electricity producing wind turbines
<u>[R-0</u>	7] JIS C 1400-24:2014	: Wind turbines - Part 24: Lightning protection	[<u>R-08]</u>	JIS C 1400-24:2014	: Wind turbines - Part 24: Lightning protection
<u>[R-0</u>	8] IEC 61400-6:2020	: Wind energy generation systems - Part 6: Tower and	[R-09]	IEC 61400-6:2020	: Wind energy generation systems - Part 6: Tower and
		foundation design requirements			foundation design requirements
<u>[R-0</u>	<u>9]</u> IEC 61400-13:2015	: Wind turbines - Part 13: Measurement of mechanical	[<u>R-10]</u>	IEC 61400-13:2015	: Wind turbines - Part 13: Measurement of mechanical
		loads			loads
<u>[R-1</u>	0] ISO 273:1979	: Fasteners - Clearance holes for bolts and screws	<u>[R-11]</u>	ISO 273:1979	: Fasteners - Clearance holes for bolts and screws
<u>[R-1</u>	1] ISO 4354:2009	: Wind actions on structures	[R-12]	ISO 4354:2009	: Wind actions on structures
<u>[R-1</u>	2] EN 1993-1-9:2005	: Design of steel structures - Part 1-9: Fatigue	[R-13]	EN 1993-1-9:2005	: Design of steel structures - Part 1-9: Fatigue
<u>[R-1</u>	3] fib Model Code for Concr	ete Structures 2010(CEB-FIP Model Code 2010)	<u>[R-14]</u>	fib Model Code for Concrete Structures 2010 (CEB-FIP Model Code 2010)	
<u>[R-1</u>	4] CEB-FIP Model Code 199	00	[R-15]	CEB-FIP Model Code 1990	
<u>[R-1</u>	5] DNVGL-ST-0126 Suppor	t structures for wind turbines, Edition April 2016	<u>[R-16]</u>	DNVGL-ST-0126 Support structures for wind turbines, Edition April 2016	
<u>[R-1</u>	6] MEASNET Evaluation of	Site-Specific Wind Conditions, Version 2, April 2016	<u>[R-17]</u>	MEASNET Evaluation of	Site-Specific Wind Conditions, Version 2, April 2016
[R-1	7] IEC 61400-12-1:2017	: Wind energy generation system - Part 12-1: Power	<u>[R-18]</u>	IEC 61400-12-1:2017	: Wind energy generation system - Part 12-1: Power
		performance measurements of electricity producing			performance measurements of electricity producing
wind turbines				wind turbines	
1.3 Definitions and abbreviations		1.3 Definiti	ions and abbreviations		
1.3.1 to 1.3.3 (Omitted)		1.3.1 to 1.3.3	(Omitted)		
1.4 Wind farm certification		1.4 Wind fa	arm certification		
1.4.1 General		1.4.1 Gener	ral		

After revision	Before revision		
-1. to -2. (Omitted)	-1. to -2. (Omitted)		
-3. The purpose of wind farm certification is to assess whether the design of type-certified wind	-3. The purpose of wind farm certification is to assess whether the design of type-certified win		
turbines (RNA) and support structure (towers and foundations) are in conformity with the external	turbines (RNA) and support structure (towers and foundations) are in conformity with the external		
conditions and the requirements under the Electricity Business Act, specifically, to confirm compliance	conditions and the requirements under the Electricity Business Act.		
with Articles 4, 5 and 7 of the Technical Standards for Wind Power Generation Facilities ^[J-03] .			
-4. The prerequisites for the issuance of wind farm certification are the conditions that the wind turbine	-4. In principle, wind farm certification is not permitted for power plants that use wind turbines (RNA)		
(RNA) and tower must have obtained type certification, and that the manufacturing of the wind turbine	or towers that have not obtained type certification. However, in the case of a wind turbine which has		
(RNA) and tower and their main parts and components must have been carried out at a place specified	acquired a design evaluation conformity statement and is carrying out type testing for the acquisition of		
in the type certification. The handling of deviations from these conditions is specified in Chapter 5 for	type certification, the wind farm certification may be issued on the condition that the acquisition of the		
the wind turbines (RNA) and in Chapter 6 for the towers.	type certification is set as an outstanding issue and a time limit for the solution of that outstanding issue		
	is established.		
-5. (Omitted)	-5. (Omitted)		
1.4.2 to 1.4.8 (Omitted)	1.4.2 to 1.4.8 (Omitted)		
1.4.9 Certification subcommittee	1.4.9 Certification subcommittee		
-1. to -2. (Omitted)	-1. to -2. (Omitted)		
(Deleted)	-3. In addition to -2. above, in cases where the requirements for general facilities do not apply as a		
	result of the Implementation procedures for the examination of construction plans for the installation or		
	modification of wind power plants ^[R-02] , after the examination by ClassNK is completed, a place may		
	established where the requester directly explains the content of the construction plan to the		
	subcommittee/section meeting members based on the results of the examination by ClassNK. The only		
	language accepted for the materials used for explanation in the relevant subcommittee/section meeting		
	shall be Japanese.		
<u>-3.</u> In principle, the format when the Support Structure Certification Subcommittee Foundation and	<u>-4.</u> In principle, the format when the Support Structure Certification Subcommittee Foundation and		
Ground Section Meeting is held shall be that the requester directly explains the contents related to the	Ground Section Meeting is held shall be that the requester directly explains the contents related to the		
items to be examined to the members of the section meeting. The only language accepted for the materials	items to be examined to the members of the section meeting. The only language accepted for the materials		
used for explanation in the relevant section meeting shall be Japanese.	used for explanation in the relevant section meeting shall be Japanese.		
Table 1-4 Certification subcommittee/section meeting	Table 1-4 Certification subcommittee		
Certification subcommittee Items to be examined	Certification subcommittee Items to be examined		
Large Wind Turbine Certification (Omitted)	Large Wind Turbine Certification (Omitted)		
Subcommittee	Subcommittee		

	After revision	Before revision			
Support Structure Certification Subcommittee Tower Section Meeting	[M3] The Support structure design evaluation (Tower) [including site conditions assessment, design basis evaluation and integrated load analysis] items that deviate from the Guidelines for Design of Wind Turbine Support Structures and Foundation ^[1-05] *Among the items to be examined by the Tower Section Meeting as deviations from the Guidelines for Design of Wind Turbine Support Structures and Foundation ^[1-05] , the items for which the corresponding design methods have been established are summarized in Annex F. If there is deviation in an item not listed in Annex F, or if a method that is different to the methods listed in Annex F is to be applied, the requirements shall be determined separately by the Tower Section Meeting	Support Structure Certification Subcommittee Tower Section Meeting	[M3] The Support structure design evaluation (Tower) [including site conditions assessment, design basis evaluation and integrated load analysis] items that deviate from the Guidelines for Design of Wind Turbine Support Structures and Foundation ^[1-05] (added)		
Support Structure Certification Subcommittee Foundation and Ground Section Meeting	[M4] The Support structure design evaluation (Foundation) [including site conditions assessment, design basis evaluation and integrated load analysis] items that deviate from the Guidelines for Design of Wind Turbine Support Structures and Foundation ^[J-05] *Among the items to be reviewed by the Foundation and Ground Section Meeting as deviations from the Guidelines for Design of Wind Turbine Support Structures and Foundation ^[J-05] the items for which the corresponding design methods have been established are summarized in Annex G. If there is deviation in an item not listed in Annex G is to be applied, the requirements shall be determined separately by the Foundation and Ground Section Meeting.	Support Structure Certification Subcommittee Foundation and Ground Section Meeting	[M4] The Support structure design evaluation (Foundation) [including site conditions assessment, design basis evaluation and integrated load analysis] items that deviate from the Guidelines for Design of Wind Turbine Support Structures and Foundation ^[J-05] (addhed)		
1.5 Documents to be submitted		1.5 Documents to be submitted			
1.5.1 to 1.5.3 (Omitted)		1.5.1 to 1.5.3 (Omitted)			
1.5.4 Materials related to wind turbine	(RNA) design evaluation	1.5.4 Materials related to wind turbine	1.5.4 Materials related to wind turbine (RNA) design evaluation		

After revision	Before revision
-1. (Omitted)	-1. (Omitted)
(1) to (6) <i>(Omitted)</i>	(1) to (6) <i>(Omitted)</i>
(7) Of the items among the wind turbine structural drawings and strength calculation documents	(added)
(including details related to construction) to be attached to the construction plan notification based on	
the Electricity Business Act, the items which are not included in (1) to (6) above.	
(8) Materials summarizing the measures for safely stopping wind turbines specified in $5.5.2$ and the	(7) Materials summarizing the measures for safely stopping the wind turbine as specified in $5.5.1$, and
results of the strength evaluation associated with those measures (It is acceptable for this to be the	the results of the strength evaluation associated with those measures (added)
"Explanation of the measures for the safe and automatic stopping of the wind turbine when the rotational	
speed has increased significantly, or when the functioning of the control equipment for the wind turbine	
has significantly deteriorated," which is an explanation to be attached to the construction plan notification	
based on the Electricity Business Act)	
(9) Materials summarizing the measures taken to protect against lightning strikes specified in 5.5.3 (It is	(8) Materials summarizing the measures taken to protect against lightning strikes as specified in 5.5.2
acceptable for this to be the "Explanation of the protection of the wind turbine against lightning strikes,"	(added)
which is to be attached to the construction plan notification based on the Electricity Business Act)	
(10) Explanation of the power generation method, which is to be attached to the construction plan	
notification based on the Electricity Business Act	(added)
1.5.5 Materials related to the support structure (Tower) design evaluation	1.5.5 Materials related to the support structure (Tower) design evaluation
-1. (Omitted)	-1. (Omitted)
(1) to (4) <i>(Omitted)</i>	(1) to (4) <i>(Omitted)</i>
(5) Report including the results of consideration of the items specified in 6.2 (If there are items that	(5) Report including the results of consideration of the items specified in 6.2 (added)
deviate from the Guidelines for Design of Wind Turbine Support Structures and Foundation ^[J-05] , it must	
include items for the contents of Annex F.)	
(6) (Omitted)	(6) (Omitted)
(7) Of the items among the support structure structural drawings and strength calculation documents	(added)
(including details related to construction) to be attached to the construction plan notification based on	
the Electricity Business Act, the items which are not included in (1) to (6) above.	
(8) Materials summarizing the details listed below for the tower manufacturing evaluation.	
1) If a tower described in the type certification will be selected (including the selection of the	
manufacturing plant described in the type certification), then the expected timing of the	
decision on the manufacturing plant.	
2) In cases other than 1) above, the policy related to the manufacturing evaluation, and the estimated	

After revision	Before revision
timing of the decision on that policy.	
(Deleted)	-2. If no application for examination for the support structure (Foundation) design evaluation is made,
	the following documents shall be submitted to ClassNK from among the examination materials specified
	<u>in 1.5.6-1.</u>
	(1) Of the support structure strength calculation documents attached to the construction plan
	notification based on the Electricity Business Act, a report that corresponds to the following
	details
	- Geotechnical investigation
	- Seismic response analysis
	- Work execution plan
	- Special materials
	- Foundation drawings around tower anchorage zone
1.5.6 Materials related to the support structure (Foundation) design evaluation	1.5.6 Materials related to the support structure (Foundation) design evaluation
-1. (Omitted)	-1. (Omitted)
(1) Support structure structural drawings and strength calculation documents (including details	(1) <u>Support structure strength calculation documents</u> attached to the construction plan notification
related to construction) to be attached to the construction plan notification based on the	based on the Electricity Business Act
Electricity Business Act	
(2) <u>Explanatory materials for the following items related to</u> the support structure design (in case the	(2) <u>Overview materials on</u> the support structure design <u>(in case the Support Structure Certification</u>
Support Structure Certification Subcommittee Foundation and Ground Section Meeting	Subcommittee Foundation and Ground Section Meeting specified in 1.4.9-4. is to be hold)
specified in <u>1.4.9-3.</u> is to be hold)	(added)
- Overview of the power plant plan	
- Items that deviate from the Guidelines for Design of Wind Turbine Support Structures	
and Foundation ^[J-05] related to foundation design, and details of the handling policy and	
study items related to them (including the details related to the applicable items in Annex	
<u>G.)</u>	
- Overview of structural design of support structure	
1.6 Correspondence to the Technical Standards for Wind Power Generation Facilities [Reference]	1.6 Correspondence to the Technical Standards for Wind Power Generation Facilities [Reference]
1.6.1 General	1.6.1 General
-1. (Omitted)	-1. (Omitted)
Table 1 -5 Correspondence between the Technical Standards for Wind Power Generation Facilities and	Table 1-5 Correspondence between the Technical Standards for Wind Power Generation Facilities and

After revision		Before revision		
the requirements of these guidelines		the requirements of these guidelines		
Technical Standards for Wind Power Generation Facilities	Related items in these	(As left)	(As left)	
(Excerpts from the original text, and temporary translation)	guidelines			
(Scope)	=	(Scope)	(added)	
(Omitted)	(Deleted)	(Omitted)	Chapter 1. General	
(Definitions)	(Omitted)	(Definitions)	(Omitted)	
(Omitted)		(Omitted)		
(Hazard prevention measures for persons other than operators)	(Omitted)	(Hazard prevention measures for persons other than operators)	(Omitted)	
(Omitted)		(Omitted)		
(Wind turbine)		(Wind turbine)		
(Omitted)	(Deleted)	(Omitted)	2.Site conditions assessment	
			3. Design basis evaluation	
			4. Integrated load analysis	
			evaluation	
			5. Wind turbine (RNA) design	
			evaluation	
	<u>< Item (i) ></u>		(added)	
	Interpretation] Article 3			
	Paragraphs 1 to 3			
	<u>- 1.4.1-3., 1.5.2</u>			
	<u>- 5.5.2</u>			
	\leq Item (ii) \geq			
	Interpretation] Article 4			
	Paragraphs 1 to 2			
	<u>- 2.1, 2.2, 2.3</u>			
	- Annex A			
	- Annex B			
	- Annex C			
	Interpretation] Calculation			
	of wind pressure in Article			
	<u>4 Paragraph 1, and</u>			

After revision		Before revision	
After revision	Paragraphs 3 and 4 - 3.2.2 - 4.2 - Chapter 5 • [Interpretation] Article 4 Paragraph 5 - Not covered < Item (iii) > • [Interpretation] Article 5	Before revision	
(Ensuring the safety of wind turbines)	$\frac{-5.5.2-2.}{\leq \text{Item (iv)} \geq}$ • [Interpretation] Article 6 $\frac{-5.5.2-2.}{\leq \text{Item (v)} \geq}$ $\frac{\leq \text{Item (v)} \geq}{-5.5.1}$	(Ensuring the safety of wind turbines)	
(Omitted)	(Deleted) ≤ Paragraph 1 ≥ • [Interpretation] Article 7 Paragraphs 1 to 3 - 5.5.2-1. ≤ Paragraph 2 ≥ • [Interpretation] Article 7 Paragraphs 4 to 5 - Not covered ≤ Paragraph 3 ≥ • [Interpretation] Article 7 Paragraph 6	(Omitted)	2.Site conditions assessment 5. Wind turbine (RNA) design evaluation (added)

After revision		Before revision	
	<u>- 2.5</u> - 5.5.3		
(Prevention of dangers of oil pressure systems and compressed	(Omitted)	(Prevention of dangers of oil pressure systems and compressed	(Omitted)
air devices)		air devices)	
(Omitted)		(Omitted)	
(Structure to support the wind turbine)	(Deleted)	(Structure to support the wind turbine)	2.Site conditions assessment
(Omitted)		(Omitted)	3. Design basis evaluation
			4. Integrated load analysis
			evaluation
			6. Support structure design
			evaluation
	<u>< Paragraph 1 ></u>		(added)
	Interpretation] Article 9		
	Paragraph 1		
	<u>- 2.1, 2.2, 2.3, 2.4, 2.6</u>		
	<u>- 3.2.3</u>		
	<u>- 4.3</u>		
	Interpretation Article 9		
	Paragraph 2		
	- Chapter 6		
	Interpretation Article 9		
	Paragraph 3		
	- Chapter 6		
	Interpretation Article 10		
	<u>- 3.2.3</u>		
	Interpretation] Article 11		
	<u>- 3.2.3</u>		
	 [Interpretation] Article 12 		
	<u>- 2.4, 2.6</u>		
	<u>- 3.2.3</u>		
	<u>- 4.3</u>		

After revision		Before revision	
	- Chapter 6		
	 [Interpretation] Article 13 		
	- Chapter 6		
	Interpretation] Article 14		
	- Chapter 6		
	Interpretation] Article 15		
	- Chapter 6		
	Interpretation] Article 16		
	<u>Paragraph 1</u>		
	<u>- 1.2.2</u>		
	Interpretation] Article 16		
	Paragraph 2		
	- Not covered		
	Interpretation] Article 17		
	Paragraph 1		
	- Chapter 6		
	Interpretation] Article 16		
	Paragraph 2		
	- Not covered		
	<pre>< Paragraph 2 ></pre>		
	- Not covered		
(Prevention of pollution, etc.)	(Omitted)	(Prevention of pollution, etc.)	(Omitted)
(Omitted)		(Omitted)	

Chapter 2. Site conditions assessment

After revision	Before revision
2.1 General	2.1 General
2.1.1 General	2.1.1 General
-1. to -2. (Omitted)	-1. to -2. (Omitted)
-3. The wind conditions shall be summarized in accordance with Annex C.4.	(added)
2.2 Wind conditions during power production	2.2 Wind conditions during power production
2.2.1 Wind condition measurement	2.2.1 Wind condition measurement
-1. to -2. (Omitted)	-1. to -2. (Omitted)
-3. As shown in Table 2.1, the observed height shall be not less than 2/3 of the planned hub height,	-3. As shown in Table 2.1, the observed height shall be not less than 2/3 of the planned hub height,
regardless of the topography class. Also, in order to appropriately evaluate the wind shear, the principle	regardless of the topography class. The distance between the measurement point and the wind turbine
shall be to perform observation at three altitudes or more. In addition, the distance between the	construction point must be within the representative radius corresponding to the topographic complexity
measurement point and the wind turbine construction point must be within the representative radius	as shown in Table 2.1.
corresponding to the topographic complexity as shown in Table 2.1.	
-4. to -5. (Omitted)	-4. to -5. (Omitted)
-6. When measurement must be carried out in the vicinity of an existing wind turbine that is in operation,	(added)
a point which is not affected by the wake of the existing wind turbine must be selected. In addition,	
Annex A.6 may be followed if observations are to be made at a point where the wake effect of an existing	
wind turbine cannot be excluded.	
-7. The results of the wind condition measurement must be summarized in accordance with Annex A.5.	
2.2.2 Measurement data evaluation	2.2.2 Measurement data evaluation
-1. to -4. (Omitted)	-1. to -4. (Omitted)
-5. Regarding wind condition measurement data, comparison with normal year values must be carried	-5. Regarding wind condition measurement data, comparison with normal year values must be carried
out using reference data that have a correlation coefficient of 0.8 or higher with the wind condition	out using appropriate reference data such as reanalysis data by a meteorological model and long-term
measurement data, such as reanalysis data by a meteorological model and long-term measurement data	measurement data from a meteorological observatory close to the site, and appropriate corrections must
from a meteorological observatory close to the site, and appropriate corrections must be made.	be made.
-6. to -8. (Omitted)	-6. to -8. (Omitted)
-9. For measurement data from remote sensing equipment, it shall be kept in mind that appropriate	(added)
correction will be required according to the complexity of the topography and the characteristics of the	
observation methods of the equipment used.	
2.2.3 Evaluation of topographic complexity	2.2.3 Evaluation of topographic complexity
-1. In order to select a model for airflow analysis and to evaluate the number of wind direction sectors,	-1. In order to select a model for airflow analysis and to evaluate the number of wind direction sectors,

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the turbulence structure correction parameters (hereinafter, C_{CT}) must be calculated for the <u>measurement</u>	the turbulence structure correction parameters (hereinafter, C_{CT}) must be calculated for the <u>measurement</u>
position (measurement mast and remote sensing equipment) and the wind turbine position in order to	mast position and the wind turbine position in order to judge the topographic complexity at each position.
judge the topographic complexity at each position. The specific method of judgment shall follow one of	The specific method of judgment shall follow one of the following.
the following.	
(1) to (2) <i>(Omitted)</i>	(1) to (2) <i>(Omitted)</i>
-2. (Omitted)	-2. (Omitted)
2.2.4 Airflow analysis	2.2.4 Airflow analysis
-1. to -3. (Omitted)	-1. to -3. (Omitted)
2.2.5 Calculation of the wind speed appearance frequency distribution	2.2.5 Calculation of the wind speed appearance frequency distribution
-1. (Omitted)	-1. (Omitted)
(Deleted)	-2. In addition to the appearance frequency by direction, the energy density by direction must also be
	<u>calculated.</u>
<u>-2.</u> (Omitted)	<u>-3.</u> (Omitted)
2.2.6 Calculation of turbulence intensity	2.2.6 Calculation of turbulence intensity
-1. to -5. (Omitted)	-1. to -5. (Omitted)
2.2.7 Evaluation of wind turbine wake effect from adjacent wind turbines	2.2.7 Evaluation of wind turbine wake effect from adjacent wind turbines
-1. to -2. (Omitted)	-1. to -2. (Omitted)
-3. For the consideration of the effects of ambient turbulence and discrete turbulent wakes, it is possible	-3. For the consideration of the effects of ambient turbulence and discrete turbulent wakes, it is possible
to use the effective turbulence intensity (hereinafter, I_{eff}). This I_{eff} shall be calculated using the model	to use the effective turbulence intensity (hereinafter, I_{eff}). This I_{eff} shall be calculated using the model
given in either of the following. Also, for the extreme turbulence intensity including the wake effects, it	given in either of the following. (added)
is acceptable to use the maximum turbulence at the center of the wake in the most severe direction.	(1) JIS C 1400-1:2017 ^[J-01] , Annex D (IEC 61400-1 Ed.3.1, Annex D)
(1) JIS C 1400-1:2017 ^[J-01] , Annex D (IEC 61400-1 Ed.3.1, Annex D)	(2) IEC 61400-1:2019 ^[J-02] , Annex E
(2) IEC 61400-1:2019 ^[J-02] , Annex E	
-4. (Omitted)	-4. (Omitted)
(Deleted)	-5. For the extreme turbulence including the wake effects, it is possible to use the maximum turbulence
	at the center of the wake in the most severe direction.
2.2.8 Calculation of the wind shear exponent	2.2.8 Calculation of the wind shear exponent
-1. to -3. (Omitted)	-1. to -3. (Omitted)
2.2.9 Calculation of flow inclination angle	2.2.9 Calculation of flow inclination angle
-1. to -3. (Omitted)	-1. to -3. (Omitted)

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2.2.10 Calculation of atmospheric density	2.2.10 Calculation of atmospheric density
-1. to -2. (Omitted)	-1. to -2. (Omitted)
2.3 Wind conditions during parked by storm	2.3 Wind conditions during parked by storm
2.3.1 Calculation of extreme wind speed and turbulence intensity	2.3.1 Calculation of extreme wind speed and turbulence intensity
-1. to -2. (Omitted)	-1. to -2. (Omitted)
-3. If a typhoon simulation is used in the calculation in -1. above, the validity must be sufficiently	(added)
confirmed by comparing the simulation results (upper air winds due to the hypothetical typhoon) with	
the measured values (upper air winds calculated from the atmospheric pressure in the typhoon database).	
If the result of the comparison of the simulation results and the measured values is that the simulation	
results are an underestimation, additional consideration must be given to the effects of uncertainty related	
to the number of years of analysis and the number of years of atmospheric pressure measurement. In	
addition, the validity of the setting of the wind direction to be verified must be sufficiently confirmed.	
<u>-4.</u> (Omitted)	<u>-3.</u> (Omitted)
<u>-5.</u> (Omitted)	<u>-4.</u> (Omitted)
<u>-6.</u> (Omitted)	<u>-5.</u> (Omitted)
2.3.2 Calculation of atmospheric density	2.3.2 Calculation of atmospheric density
-1. (Omitted)	-1. (Omitted)
2.4 Geotechnical and earthquake conditions	2.4 Geotechnical and earthquake conditions
2.4.1 General	2.4.1 General
-1. (Omitted)	-1. (Omitted)
(1) (Omitted)	(1) (Omitted)
(2) Interpretation of Technical Standards for Wind Power Generation Facilities ^[J-04]	(added)
(<u>3</u>) (Omitted)	(<u>2</u>) (Omitted)
-2. The following points shall be taken into consideration when setting the conditions in accordance with	-2. The following points shall be taken into consideration when <u>calculating</u> the conditions in accordance
-1. above.	with -1. above.
(1) (Omitted)	(1) (Omitted)
(2) When setting the engineering base surface, as the conditions for applying one-dimensional wave	(2) When setting the engineering base surface, it must be confirmed that the shear wave velocity is 400
theory, it must be confirmed that the shear wave velocity is 400 m/s or higher, the layer thickness	m/s or higher, the layer thickness is 5 m or higher, and the inclination is 5 degrees or less (conditions
is 5 m or higher, and the inclination is 5 degrees or less. If there is deviation from the above	of application of one-dimensional wave theory). (added)
conditions, the effect must be examined, and the applicability of one-dimensional wave theory	
must be confirmed	

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(3) If the spread foundations are on sloping ground, the effect of the decreased ultimate bearing capacity	(added)
must be considered.	
(4) If the planned construction site is weak ground, it must be taken into consideration that negative	(added)
frictional forces may become significant.	
(5) If the planned construction site falls within the target area specified in the MLIT Housing Bureau	(added)
Building Guidance Division Notice No. 1111 of June 24, 2016, the existence of effects from long-	
period ground motion must be examined.	
(<u>6</u>) (Omitted)	(<u>4</u>) (Omitted)
(<u>7</u>) (Omitted)	(<u>5</u>) (Omitted)
(8) When making a liquefaction judgment, it should be noted that the simplified method can only be	(added)
applied to a depth of up to 20 m. When making a liquefaction judgment when the liquefied layer is	
continuous beyond a depth of 20 m, the cyclic shear stress must be calculated using ground response	
<u>analysis.</u>	
(9) When the planned construction site is near the edge of water line and there is a risk of liquefaction.	(added)
the following points must be checked and the existence of effects from lateral flow must be checked.	
In addition, if there is a possibility of lateral flow occurring, the amount of lateral flow (flow power,	
residual deformation, etc.) must be appropriately considered.	
- The inclination of the ground surface and the thickness and inclination of the liquefied layer.	
(For the inclination, both the direction parallel to the edge of water line and the direction	
perpendicular to it must be checked.)	
- Distance to the edge of water line.	
- If the edge of water line has shore protection, the shape of it.	
(<u>10</u>) (Omitted)	(<u>3</u>) (Omitted)
-3. (Omitted)	-3. (Omitted)
2.5 Lightning environment conditions	2.5 Lightning environment conditions
2.5.1 General	2.5.1 General
-1. to -2. (Omitted)	-1. to -2. (Omitted)
2.6 Other environmental conditions	2.6 Other environmental conditions
2.6.1 General	2.6.1 General
-1. (Omitted)	-1. (Omitted)

Chapter 3. Design basis evaluation

After revision	Before revision
3.1 General	3.1 General
3.1.1 General	3.1.1 General
-1. (Omitted)	-1. (Omitted)
3.2 Design basis requirements	3.2 Design basis requirements
3.2.1 General	3.2.1 General
-1. to -2. (Omitted)	-1. to -2. (Omitted)
3.2.2 Wind turbine (RNA) design basis	3.2.2 Wind turbine (RNA) design basis
-1. (Omitted)	-1. (Omitted)
(Omitted)	(Omitted)
(2) Site conditions	(2) Site conditions
Wind conditions during power production	Wind conditions during power production
- Turbulence intensity correction parameter: C_{CT} (at measurement position / at wind	- Turbulence intensity correction parameter: C_{CT} (at measurement mast position / at wind
turbine position)	turbine position)
(Omitted)	(Omitted)
(Omitted)	(Omitted)
(10) <u>Ultimate</u> and fatigue design loads and response analysis	(10) Extreme and fatigue design loads and response analysis
(Omitted)	(Omitted)
3.2.3 Support structure design basis	3.2.3 Support structure design basis
-1. The document which shows the design basis for the support structure (tower) shall describe how the	-1. The document which shows the design basis for the support structure (tower) shall describe how the
following matters were decided. For the design basis for the support structure (Tower), it should be noted	following matters were decided. (added)
that there must be compliance with Articles 10, 11 and 12 of the Interpretation of Technical Standards	
for Wind Power Generation Facilities ^[J-04] .	
(Omitted)	(Omitted)
-2. Regarding the design basis for the support structure (foundation), in principle, it is acceptable to	-2. Regarding the design basis for the support structure (foundation), in principle, it is acceptable to
follow the regulations in the Guidelines for Design of Wind Turbine Support Structures and Foundation ^{[J-}	follow the regulations in the Guidelines for Design of Wind Turbine Support Structures and Foundation[J-
^{05]} . For the design basis for the support structure (foundation), it should be noted that there must be	^{05]} . (added)
compliance with Articles 10, 11 and 12 of the Interpretation of Technical Standards for Wind Power	
Generation Facilities ^[J-04] .	

Chapter 4. Integrated load analysis evaluation

After revision	Before revision
4.1 General	4.1 General
4.1.1 General	4.1.1 General
-1. (Omitted)	-1. (Omitted)
4.2 Requirements for load analysis for RNA and tower evaluation	4.2 Requirements for load analysis for RNA and tower evaluation
4.2.1 Comparison of the site conditions and the design values set in the type certification	4.2.1 Comparison of the site conditions and the design values set in the type certification
-1. to -3. (Omitted)	-1. to -3. (Omitted)
4.2.2 Load analysis	4.2.2 Load analysis
-1. (Omitted)	-1. (Omitted)
-2. In the case of a wind turbine with a power back-up as a measure for use in the event of a loss of the	-2. In the case of a wind turbine with a backup power supply as a measure for use in the event of a loss
electrical power network, evaluation must be carried out according to 5.4, and a design load case to be	of the electrical power network, evaluation must be carried out according to 5.3, and a design load case
applied in the ultimate load analysis must be decided.	to be applied in the ultimate load analysis must be decided.
-3. (Omitted)	-3. (Omitted)
-4. The definition of the site load to be calculated shall be clearly indicated, and the coordinate definition	-4. The definition of the site load to be calculated shall be clearly indicated, and the coordinate definition
applied in that site load calculation shall be clearly indicated in a diagram. In principle, the definition	applied in that site load calculation shall be clearly indicated in a diagram. In principle, the definition
specified in IEC 61400-13:2015 ^[R-09] shall be used for the coordinate definition.	specified in IEC 61400-13:2015 ^{[<u>R-16]</u> shall be used for the coordinate definition.}
-5. to -7. (Omitted)	-5. to -7. (Omitted)
4.3 Requirements for load analysis for support structure evaluation	4.3 Requirements for load analysis for support structure evaluation
4.3.1 General	4.3.1 General
-1. (Omitted)	-1. (Omitted)
(1) (Omitted)	(1) (Omitted)
(2) Interpretation of Technical Standards for Wind Power Generation Facilities ^[J-04]	(added)
(3) (Omitted)	(2) (Omitted)
4.3.2 Support structure load analysis	4.3.2 Support structure load analysis
-1. In addition to the load calculated in 4.3.1-1., the loading data for the foundation and the tower design	-1. In addition to the load calculated in 4.3.1-1., the loading data for the foundation and the tower design
load at the site shall be set with appropriate consideration of the load applied to the tower at the time of	load at the site shall be set by following the provisions of Paragraphs 2.2 and 4.1.2 of the Guidelines for
the type certification, and the site load on the tower that was calculated based on the site conditions	Design of Wind Turbine Support Structures and Foundation ^[J-05] , and appropriately considering the load
specified in 4.2.2.	applied to the tower at the time of the type certification, and the site load on the tower that was calculated
	based on the site conditions specified in 4.2.2.
-2. to -4. (Omitted)	-2. to -4. (Omitted)
-5. The handling of wind and wind turbine control loads combined with the seismic loads obtained from	(added)

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the results of seismic response analysis must follow the Appended Table 3 of the Interpretation of	
Technical Standards for Wind Power Generation Facilities ^[1-04] . Although the handling of the wind and	
wind turbine control loads shall be as described above, the specific method for combining the seismic	
load and the wind and wind turbine control loads may be carried out in accordance with Paragraph 5.5.4	
of the Guidelines for Design of Wind Turbine Support Structures and Foundation ^[1-05] . When coupled	
analysis simultaneously considering both the seismic and the wind and wind turbine control loads is	
performed, this shall be approved as appropriate by ClassNK.	
<u>-6.</u> In the case of pile foundations, if ground springs <u>and attenuation</u> are set using the thin layer method,	<u>-5.</u> In the case of pile foundations, if ground springs are set using the thin layer method, <u>etc.</u> , and not by
etc., and not by following the provisions of the Guidelines for Design of Wind Turbine Support Structures	following the provisions of the Guidelines for Design of Wind Turbine Support Structures and
and Foundation ^[I-05] , the validity of the setting should be appropriately indicated in accordance with	Foundation ^[J-05] , the validity of the setting should be appropriately indicated.
Annex G.4.	

Chapter 5. Wind turbine (RNA) design evaluation

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5.1 General	5.1 General
5.1.1 General	5.1.1 General
-1. The structural integrity of the wind turbine for the site conditions shall be indicated by comparing the	-1. The structural integrity of the wind turbine for the site conditions shall be indicated by comparing the
site-specific loads obtained by the integrated load analysis with the design loads used in the type	site-specific loads obtained by the integrated load analysis with the design loads used in the type
certification. It is also a prerequisite that the main components of the RNA are composed of components	certification.
specified in the type certificate, and that they are manufactured at a manufacturing site specified in the	
certification documents pertaining to the type certification.	
-2. (Omitted)	-2. (Omitted)
-3. However, in the case of a wind turbine that has not obtained type certification, where the wind turbine	-3. In the case of a wind turbine which has not acquired type certification, the handling shall be as judged
has acquired a design evaluation conformity statement and is carrying out type testing for the acquisition	appropriate by ClassNK.
of type certification, the wind farm certification may be issued on the condition that the acquisition of	
the type certification is set as an outstanding issue and a time limit for the solution of that outstanding	
issue is established. (However, it should be noted that conditional issuance is not acceptable in an	
examination by a registered conformity assessment body.) In other cases, the handling shall be as judged	
appropriate by ClassNK.	
5.2 Wind turbine (RNA) design evaluation	5.2 Wind turbine (RNA) design evaluation
5.2.1 Comparison of site loads with design loads at type certification	5.2.1 Comparison of site loads with design loads at type certification
-1. to -3. (Omitted)	-1. to -3. (Omitted)
5.2.2 Strength evaluation of the components of the RNA based on the site load	5.2.2 Strength evaluation of the components of the RNA based on the site load
-1. If the site load exceeds the certified design load, the integrity of the affected components against the	-1. If the site load exceeds the certified design load, the integrity of the affected components against the
site load must be verified. For the value obtained by dividing the site load by the certified design load in	site load must be verified. (added)
the load comparison, when it can be confirmed that the value after the third decimal place does not affect	
the checking value as a strength evaluation result, then if the value does not exceed 1.00 after rounding	
off the third decimal place, it may be considered that the integrity against the site load has been	
<u>confirmed.</u>	
-2. to -4. (Omitted)	-2. to -4. (Omitted)
5.3 Nacelle cover strength evaluation	5.3 Nacelle cover strength evaluation
5.3.1 General	5.3.1 General
-1. (Omitted)	-1. (Omitted)

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5.3.2 Wind load on the nacelle cover	5.3.2 Wind load on the nacelle cover
-1. to -3. (Omitted)	-1. to -3. (Omitted)
5.3.3 Load cases	5.3.3 Load cases
-1. to -2. (Omitted)	-1. to -2. (Omitted)
5.3.4 Strength evaluation	5.3.4 Strength evaluation
-1. to -2. (Omitted)	-1. to -2. (Omitted)
5.4 Evaluation in the event of the electrical power network loss	5.4 Evaluation in the event of the electrical power network loss
5.4.1 General	5.4.1 General
-1. to -3. (Omitted)	-1. to -3. (Omitted)
-4. When DLC6.2 is omitted from the design load cases applied to the integrated load analysis in	(added)
accordance with -3. above, a test showing that the system using a power back-up operates as assumed in	
the design must be conducted before the start of operation, and a report must be made to ClassNK using	
time-series data on the operation of related equipment such as the yaw control equipment and power	
back-up. The test plan for this testing must be submitted to ClassNK for approval before the test is	
conducted.	
5.4.2 Backup power supply	5.4.2 Backup power supply
-1. (Omitted)	-1. (Omitted)
-2. When setting design values for yaw misalignment, the following items (1) to (8) must be evaluated	-2. When setting design values for yaw misalignment, the following items (1) to (8) must be evaluated
and confirmed under site-specific extreme wind speed conditions. In addition, the validity of the	and confirmed under site-specific extreme wind speed conditions. In addition, the validity of the
evaluation and confirmation of these items must be shown by measured data. If no measured data under	evaluation and confirmation of these items must be shown by measured data. (added)
conditions corresponding to the site-specific extreme wind speed have been obtained at the time of the	
design, then in order to confirm after the start of operations that the operation control assumed in the	
design can be appropriately performed under conditions corresponding to the site-specific extreme wind	
speed, an environment should be prepared to enable the collection of measured data (the history of the	
wind conditions (wind speed and wind direction) near the wind turbine and the history of the wind turbine	
operation control (nacelle orientation) and operating conditions corresponding to those wind conditions),	
and when this data has been obtained, it must be reported to ClassNK.	
(Omitted)	(Omitted)

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5.5 Evaluation to secure a safe state on the wind turbine	5.5 Evaluation to secure a safe state on the wind turbine
<u>5.5.1 General</u>	(added)
-1. A wind turbine must be equipped so as not to come into contact with other structures, plants, etc.,	
during operation.	
5.5.2 Safe and automatic shutdown of wind turbines	5.5.1 Safe and automatic shutdown of wind turbines
-1. Even in the following cases, there shall be a function to stop safely and automatically, and also the	-1. Even in the following cases, there shall be a function to stop safely and automatically, and also the
safe state after stopping shall be maintained. It should be noted that for these items, it is necessary to	safe state after stopping shall be maintained. (added)
conform to Article 7 of the Interpretation of Technical Standards for Wind Power Generation Facilities[J-	
<u>04]</u>	
(Omitted)	(Omitted)
-2. (Omitted)	-2. (Omitted)
5.5.3 Protection against lightning strikes	5.5.2 Protection against lightning strikes
-1. to -3. (Omitted)	-1. to -3. (Omitted)
-4. (Omitted)	-4. (Omitted)
(1) The lightning protection through which the current generated by a lightning strike can flow safely	(1) The lightning protection through which the current generated by a lightning strike can flow safely
into the ground without damaging the structures that support the wind turbine must conform to JIS C	into the ground without damaging the structures that support the wind turbine must conform to JIS C
1400-24:2014 ^[R-07] .	$1400-24:2014^{[R-08]}$.
(2) (<i>Omitted</i>)	(2) (Omitted)
-5. (Omitted)	-5. (Omitted)

Chapter 6. Support structure design evaluation

After revision	Before revision
6.1 General	6.1 General
6.1.1 General	6.1.1 General
-1. The structural integrity of the support structure for the site conditions is confirmed by using integrated	(added)
load analysis to indicate that there is sufficient strength against the site-specific loads. In addition, for the	
tower part of the support structures, the prerequisites are that the design has obtained type certification,	
and that the tower has been manufactured at a manufacturing site specified in the certification documents	
pertaining to the type certification.	
<u>-2.</u> The design of the support structure (tower and foundation) shall comply with the following ministerial	<u>-1.</u> The design of the support structure (tower and foundation) shall comply with the following ministerial
ordinances and guidelines, etc.	ordinances and guidelines.
(1) (Omitted)	(1) (Omitted)
(2) Interpretation of Technical Standards for Wind Power Generation Facilities ^[J-04]	(added)
(<u>3</u>) (Omitted)	(<u>2</u>) (Omitted)
(<u>4</u>) (Omitted)	(<u>3</u>) (Omitted)
<u>-3.</u> (Omitted)	<u>-2.</u> (Omitted)
<u>-4.</u> (Omitted)	<u>-3.</u> (Omitted)
-5. It should be noted that if -3. and -4. above apply, then it is necessary to conduct a separate	(added)
manufacturing evaluation for the tower in light of the prerequisites of -1. above.	
6.2 Support structure (Tower)	6.2 Support structure (Tower)
6.2.1 General	6.2.1 General
-1. In the design of the support structure (tower), if any item does not satisfy the provisions in 6.1.1-2.,	-1. In the design of the support structure (tower), if any item does not satisfy the provisions in 6.1.1- <u>1</u> .,
then it shall be shown that the item satisfies the required criteria regarding safety that are defined by the	then it shall be shown that the item satisfies the required criteria regarding safety that are defined by the
provisions in 6.1.1- <u>2</u> .	provisions in 6.1.1- <u>1</u> .
-2. In the case of -1. above, if the design is based on the method shown in Annex F, and it is confirmed	-2. In the case of -1. above, if the design is based on the method shown in Annex F, and it is confirmed
by the Support Structure Certification Subcommittee/Tower Section Meeting that the contents of it are	by <u>ClassNK</u> that the contents of it are satisfied, then it may be considered that the required <u>criteria</u>
satisfied, then it may be considered that the required criteria regarding safety that are defined by the	regarding safety that are defined by the provisions in 6.1.1-1 are satisfied for the item.
provisions in 6.1.1- <u>2</u> are satisfied for the item.	
-3. If it is necessary to conduct a manufacturing evaluation for the tower, ClassNK will individually	(added)
specify when and how the results of the manufacturing evaluation shall be confirmed, based on the	
content indicated in 1.5.5-1. (8).	

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6.3 Support structure (Foundation)	6.3 Support structure (Foundation)
6.3.1 General	6.3.1 General
-1. In the design of the support structure (foundation), if any item does not satisfy the provisions in 6.1.1-	-1. In the design of the support structure (foundation), if any item does not satisfy the provisions in 6.1.1-
2., then it shall be shown that the item satisfies the required criteria regarding safety that are defined by	1., then it shall be shown that the item satisfies the required criteria regarding safety that are defined by
the provisions in 6.1.1- <u>2</u> .	the provisions in 6.1.1- <u>1</u> .
-2. In the case of -1. above, if the design is based on the method shown in Annex G, and it is confirmed	(added)
by the Support Structure Certification Subcommittee/Foundation and Ground Section Meeting that the	
contents of it are satisfied, then it may be considered that the requirements regarding safety that are	
defined by the provisions in 6.1.1-2 are satisfied for the item.	
6.3.2 Strength evaluation for support structure (foundation)	6.3.2 Strength evaluation for support structure (foundation)
-1. (Omitted)	-1. (Omitted)
(1) The bearing capacity of piles must be additionally evaluated by the formula prescribed in the	(1) The bearing capacity of piles must be additionally evaluated by the formula prescribed in the
Recommendations for Design of Building Foundations ^[R-03] .	Recommendations for Design of Building Foundations ^[R-06] .
(2) (<i>Omitted</i>)	(2) (<i>Omitted</i>)
(3) The horizontal resistance of piles must be additionally evaluated by a method using the group pile	(3) The horizontal resistance of piles must be additionally evaluated by a method using the group pile
frame model specified in the Recommendations for Design of Building Foundations ^[R-03] .	frame model specified in the Recommendations for Design of Building Foundations ^[R-06] .
(4) to (5) <i>(Omitted)</i>	(4) to (5) <i>(Omitted)</i>
(6) When applying certified construction methods in the field of architecture, etc., it is necessary to	(added)
sufficiently confirm that the application of those methods is acceptable. (In particular, it may be that the	
scope of certification is limited to the primary design, so it must be checked whether it can be applied to	
the secondary design, etc.)	
6.3.3 Items to be considered in the design	6.3.3 Items to be considered in the design
-1. (Omitted)	-1. (Omitted)

After revision	Before revision
A.1 Selection of measurement points	A.1 Selection of measurement points
-1. to -3. (Omitted)	-1. to -3. (Omitted)
(Deleted)	-4. When measurement must be carried out in the vicinity of an existing wind turbine that is in operation,
	a point which is not affected by the wake of that wind turbine must be selected. If the separation distance
	from that wind turbine is 10D or more (D: Rotor diameter of the wind turbine in operation), the wind
	turbine may be treated as one that is not affected by the wake.
A.2 Wind speed measurement by measurement mast	A.2 Wind speed measurement by measurement mast
-1. (Omitted)	-1. (Omitted)
-2. The cup type anemometer is calibrated before the measurement period, and the calibration value is	-2. The cup type anemometer is calibrated before the measurement period, and the calibration value is
used in the wind condition evaluation. The calibration of the cup-type anemometer shall be performed in	used in the wind condition evaluation. The calibration of the cup-type anemometer shall be performed in
accordance with the procedure described in Annex F of JIS C 1400-12-1:2010[R-06] or in a procedure	accordance with the procedure described in Annex F of JIS C 1400-12-1:2010[R-07] or in a procedure
judged to be equivalent, and the calibration results shall be attached to the report.	judged to be equivalent, and the calibration results shall be attached to the report.
-3. (Omitted)	-3. (Omitted)
-4. The installation of a wind speed anemometer on a measurement mast shall be in a manner that	-4. The installation of a wind speed anemometer on a measurement mast shall be in a manner that
minimizes the effect on the anemometer from the mast and boom. It is desirable that the installation of a	minimizes the effect on the anemometer from the mast and boom. It is desirable that the installation of a
wind speed anemometer on a measurement mast follows Annex G of JIS C 1400-12-1:2010[R-06]. It is	wind speed anemometer on a measurement mast follows Annex G of JIS C 1400-12-1:2010[R-07]. It is
desirable that the boom installation is at an orientation that is 45° from the principal wind direction in	desirable that the boom installation is at an orientation that is 45° from the principal wind direction in
the case of a cylindrical mast, and 90° from the principal wind direction in the case of a truss structure.	the case of a cylindrical mast, and 90° from the principal wind direction in the case of a truss structure.
When a lightning rod is installed, it is installed at a position where it will not affect the anemometer.	When a lightning rod is installed, it is installed at a position where it will not affect the anemometer.
-5. The 10 minute average and standard deviation of the wind speed are measured. It is desirable that the	-5. The 10 minute average and standard deviation of the wind speed are measured. It is desirable that the
sampling frequency is 1 Hz or higher. In addition, MEASNET ^{[R-16], [A1]} can be used as a reference for the	sampling frequency is 1 Hz or higher. In addition, MEASNET ^{[R-17], [A1]} can be used as a reference for the
calibration, installation method, equipment configuration, and test method, etc.	calibration, installation method, equipment configuration, and test method, etc.
-6. (Omitted)	-6. (Omitted)
A.3 Wind direction measurement by measurement mast	A.3 Wind direction measurement by measurement mast
-1. The wind direction measurement is carried out by using a vane type anemometer. It is desirable to	-1. The wind direction measurement is carried out by using a vane type anemometer. It is desirable to
install one at each altitude to form pairs with the wind speed anemometers described in A.2. The	install one at each altitude to form pairs with the wind speed anemometers described in A.2. The
installation of a wind direction anemometer on a measurement mast shall be in a manner that minimizes	installation of a wind direction anemometer on a measurement mast shall be in a manner that minimizes
the effect on the anemometer from the mast and boom. It is desirable that the installation of a wind	the effect on the anemometer from the mast and boom. It is desirable that the installation of a wind
direction anemometer on a measurement mast follows Annex G of JIS C 1400-12-1:2010 ^[R-06] .	direction anemometer on a measurement mast follows Annex G of JIS C 1400-12-1:2010[R-07].
-2. (Omitted)	-2. (Omitted)

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A.4 Measurement using remote sensing devices	A.4 Measurement using remote sensing devices
-1. (Omitted)	-1. (Omitted)
-2. For the measurement heights, the essential measurement heights shall be the height of the anemometer	-2. For the measurement heights, the essential measurement heights shall be the height of the anemometer
on the measurement mast with which the correlation is being confirmed, and the hub height of the planned	on the measurement mast with which the correlation is being confirmed, and the hub height of the planned
wind turbine. Other heights shall be set appropriately up to close to the top of the rotor plane, with one	wind turbine. Other heights shall be set appropriately, with one every 10 m as the standard setting.
every 10 m as the standard setting.	
-3. (Omitted)	-3. (Omitted)
-4. If the correlation between the measurement data of the remote sensing equipment and of the	(added)
measurement mast does not satisfy the requirements, the effect of the topographic complexity, and of the	
characteristics of the measurement method of the using equipment may be corrected using the results of	
airflow analysis, etc.	
A.5 Measurements and evaluation report of measurement results	A.5 Measurements and evaluation report of measurement results
-1. (Omitted)	-1. (Omitted)
-2. (Omitted)	-2. (Omitted)
(1) to (2) <i>(Omitted)</i>	(1) to (2) <i>(Omitted)</i>
(3) Wind shear exponent:	(added)
a. The average value of the wind shear exponent, described in tabular form with a wind direction	
sector width of 30° or less.	
<u>(4)</u> (Omitted)	(<u>3</u>) (Omitted)
<u>(5)</u> (Omitted)	<u>(4)</u> (Omitted)
<u>(6)</u> (Omitted)	<u>(5)</u> (Omitted)
<u>(7)</u> (Omitted)	(<u>6</u>) (Omitted)
A.6 Measurement at a point affected by the wake of an existing wind turbine	(added)
-1. When measurement must be carried out in the vicinity of an existing wind turbine that is in operation,	
a point which is not affected by the wake of the existing wind turbine should be selected, but, due to	
various constraints, there are cases where measurement must be carried out at a point where the wake	
effect of an existing wind turbine cannot be eliminated. This paragraph summarizes the items that should	
be considered in such cases.	
-2. If the separation distance between the measurement mast and the existing wind turbine is 10D or more	
(D: Rotor diameter of the existing wind turbine), the measurement data may be treated as data that is not	
affected by the wake.	

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-3. If the measurement data within the disturbed sector specified in IEC61400-12-1: 2017 ^[R-17] is rejected	
and the effective data rate of the remaining data satisfies the provisions of 2.2.2-2., the measurement data	
may be treated as data that is not affected by the wake.	
-4. If neither of the items -2. and -3. above is satisfied, consider performing simultaneous measurement	
using a wind condition measurement mast and remote sensing equipment and then performing correction	
for the wake effect of the existing wind turbine. [A2]	
A.7 Reference documents	<u>A.6</u> Reference documents
[A1] (Omitted)	[A1] (Omitted)
[A2] Yoshida et al., Study on the method of wind turbine wake effect exclusion from wind condition	(added)
measurement data in an existing wind farm, Proceedings of the 44th Wind Energy Symposium, pp.	
<u>199-201, 2022.</u>	

Annex B Airflow analysis and verification of its validity [normative]

After revision	Before revision			
B.1 Airflow analysis	B.1 Airflow analysis			
B.1.1 Topographic data and ground surface roughness data	B.1.1 Topographic data and ground surface roughness data			
-1. to -3. (Omitted)	-1. to -3. (Omitted)			
B.1.2 Measurement region	B.1.2 Measurement region			
-1. to -3. (Omitted)	-1. to -3. (Omitted)			
B.1.3 Calculation grid and resolution	B.1.3 Calculation grid and resolution			
-1. to -2. (Omitted)	-1. to -2. (Omitted)			
B.1.4 Boundary conditions	B.1.4 Boundary conditions			
-1. to -2. (Omitted)	-1. to -2. (Omitted)			
B.1.5 Direction division	B.1.5 Direction division			
-1. to -2. (Omitted)	-1. to -2. (Omitted)			
B.2 Verification of airflow analysis validity	B.2 Verification of airflow analysis validity			
B.2.1 Verification of validity of airflow analysis applied to the calculation of wind conditions during	B.2.1 Verification of validity of airflow analysis applied to the calculation of wind conditions during			
power production	power production			
-1. to -2. (Omitted)	-1. to -2. (Omitted)			
-3. The vertical profiles of the wind shear by wind direction are normalized by the wind speed at the	-3. The vertical profiles of the wind shear by wind direction are normalized by the wind speed at the			
highest point on the measurement mast, and then the comparison of the measurement data with the	highest point on the measurement mast, and then the comparison of the measurement data with the			
airflow analysis results must be conducted in a format following the example shown in Figure B.2.	airflow analysis results must be conducted in a format following the example shown in Figure B.2.			
However, if there is measurement data by a vertical lidar, it should be normalized by the wind speed at	However, if there is measurement data by a vertical lidar, it should be normalized by the wind speed at			
hub height in a format following the example shown in Figure B.3. The following points should be kept	hub height in a format following the example shown in Figure B.3. (added)			
in mind when preparing figures.				
- In all cases, the horizontal axis should start at 0.				
- The airflow analysis results should be displayed to the horizontal axis 0 position.				
- An auxiliary line should be inserted at the position where the horizontal axis is 1.0.				
- If displacement height is taken into account, it should be clarified that the value is consistent with				
the figure.				
-4. With regard to the turbulence intensity by wind direction, use the turbulence energy k of the k -epsilon	-4. With regard to the turbulence intensity by wind direction, use the turbulence energy k of the k-epsilon			
model, etc., in the airflow analysis and obtain the standard deviation of the wind speed fluctuation in the	model, etc., in the airflow analysis and obtain the standard deviation of the wind speed fluctuation in the			
principal wind direction that arises due to the terrain and surface roughness σ_u^{surf} by using equation	principal wind direction that arises due to the terrain and surface roughness σ_u^{surf} by using equation			
(B.1). Also, the wind speed U obtained from the airflow analysis and equation (B.2) must be used to	(B.1). Also, the wind speed U obtained from the airflow analysis and equation (B.2) must be used to			

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calculate I_{sim} and then compare the result with the turbulence intensity obtained from measurement data. In this case, in principle, the wind speed bin corresponding to 15 m/s shall be applied, but the wind speed bin may be changed depending on the measurement data (the number of measurement points per wind speed bin, etc.). <u>However, the wind speed bin selected should be appropriately stated.</u>	 t calculate <i>I_{sim}</i> and then compare the result with the turbulence intensity obtained from measured data. In this case, in principle, the wind speed bin corresponding to 15 m/s shall be applied, but the speed bin may be changed depending on the measurement data (the number of measurement point wind speed bin, etc.). <i>(added)</i> 			
(Omitted)	(Omitted)			
$\begin{array}{c} \text{Simulation} \\ \text{-Simulation} \\ \text{-Lover tip} \\ \text{-Lover tip} \\ \text{-Upper tip} \end{array} \begin{array}{c} 150 \\ 140 \\ 120 \\ 100 \\ 100 \\ 00 \\ 00 \\ 00 \\ 00 $	$\begin{array}{c} \begin{array}{c} \begin{array}{c} \begin{array}{c} \begin{array}{c} \\ \\ \end{array} \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ \\ $			
Figure B.2 Measurement mast only Figure B.3 Measurement mast + vertical lidar	Figure B.2 Measurement mast only Figure B.3 Measurement mast + vertical lidar			
(Displacement height not set) (Displacement height not set)	(added) (added)			
B.2.2 Verification of validity of airflow analysis applied to the calculation of wind conditions during	B.2.2 Verification of validity of airflow analysis applied to the calculation of wind conditions during			
parked by storm	parked by storm			
-1. (Omitted)	-1. (Omitted)			
B.3 Report on airflow analysis and its validity	B.3 Report on airflow analysis and its validity			
B.3.1 Report on the airflow analysis applied to the wind conditions during power production and its	B.3.1 Report on the airflow analysis applied to the wind conditions during power production and its			
vandity	validity			
-1. (Ommera) B 3.2 Report on the airflow analysis applied to the wind conditions during narked by storm and its	-1. (Ommed) B 3 2 Report on the airflow analysis annlied to the wind conditions during narked by storm and its			
validity	validity			
-1 Reports on the airflow analysis applied to the calculation of the wind conditions during parked by	valuery			
storm and on the verification of the validity of that analysis shall include at least the following items.	storm and on the verification of the validity of that analysis shall include at least the following items.			

	After revision		Before revision		
(1)	Details of the airflow analysis (including the following content):	(1)	Details of the airflow analysis (including the following content):		
	a. to c. (Omitted)		a. to c. (Omitted)		
	d. The following items when a method that considers the wind directional characteristics shown		(added)		
	<u>in C.3.1-4. (2) is applied</u>				
	1) Probability distribution function for typhoon parameters				
	2) Probability distribution chart for typhoon parameters from analysis results				
<u>(2)</u>	Results of validity verification (including the following content):	<u>(3)</u>	Results of validity verification (including the following content):		
	a. Results of comparison of the airflow analysis with the measurement data regarding the		a. Results of comparison of the airflow analysis with the measurement data regarding the		
	average wind speed by wind direction		average wind speed by wind direction		
	b. Results of comparison of the airflow analysis with the measurement data regarding the		b. Results of comparison of the airflow analysis with the measurement data regarding the		
	vertical profiles of wind shear by wind direction		vertical profiles of wind shear by wind direction		
	c. Results of comparison of the airflow analysis with the measurement data regarding the		c. Results of comparison of the airflow analysis with the measurement data regarding the		
	turbulence intensity by wind direction		turbulence intensity by wind direction		
	d. The following items when a method that considers the wind directional characteristics		(added)		
	shown in C.3.1-4. (2) is applied				
	1) Figure comparing the typhoon simulation results (upper air winds due to the				
	hypothetical typhoon) with the measured values (upper air winds calculated from the				
	atmospheric pressure in the typhoon database)				
	2) Figure showing the non-exceedance probability distribution of the annual maximum				
	wind speed due to typhoons on flat terrain and on the actual terrain				
	3) Figure showing the validity of the setting of the wind direction to be verified				
	e. When the simulation results are an underestimation in d. above, the results of consideration				
	of the effects of uncertainty related to the number of years of analysis and the number of				
	years of atmospheric pressure measurement				

Annex C Evaluation method for wind conditions [informative /partially normative]

After revision	Before revision
C.1 General	C.1 General
-1. to -2. (Omitted)	-1. to -2. (Omitted)
C.2 Wind conditions during power production	C.2 Wind conditions during power production
C.2.1 Wind speed appearance frequency distribution and average wind speed	C.2.1 Wind speed appearance frequency distribution and average wind speed
-1. to -3. (Omitted)	-1. to -3. (Omitted)
C.2.2 Calculation method for turbulence intensity	C.2.2 Calculation method for turbulence intensity
-1. to -3. (Omitted)	-1. to -3. (Omitted)
C.2.3 Calculation method for wind shear exponent	C.2.3 Calculation method for wind shear exponent
-1. to -2. (Omitted)	-1. to -2. (Omitted)
C.2.4 Calculation method for flow inclination angle	C.2.4 Calculation method for flow inclination angle
-1. to -2. (Omitted)	-1. to -2. (Omitted)
C.2.5 Calculation method for atmospheric density	C.2.5 Calculation method for atmospheric density
-1. to -2. (Omitted)	-1. to -2. (Omitted)
C.3 Wind conditions during parked by storm	C.3 Wind conditions during parked by storm
C.3.1 Calculation method for extreme wind speed (10 minutes average wind speed with a return period	C.3.1 Calculation method for extreme wind speed (10 minutes average wind speed with a return period
of 50 years)	of 50 years)
-1. (Omitted)	-1. (Omitted)
-2. The ground surface roughness classification at the wind turbine position is determined according to	-2. The ground surface roughness classification at the wind turbine position is determined according to
the Ministry of Construction Notification No. 1454 in 2000 (Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport	the Building Standards Act or by the situation of the ground surface around the wind power generation
and Tourism Notification No. 1437) according to Table C.1.	facility support according to Table C.1.

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Tab	le C.1 Categorization	of ground surface ro	ughness classificat	ions	Tabl	e C.1 Categorization	of ground surface ro	oughness classificati	ons
Roughness class	Ground surface conditions around the construction site		Roughness class	Ground surface conditions around the construction site			on site		
т	Areas specified in a	regulation by a D	esignated Adminis	strative Agency as	т				
I being extremely flat and having no obstacles				1	Areas with lew obs	Areas with few obstacles, such as the surface of a sea or lake			
Of the areas other than the areas in the ground roughness classes I and IV, the				Areas where the ob	stacles are only arou	nd the level of farm	products, such as		
	areas where the dista	ance to the shoreline	e or lake shoreline	(This is limited to		pastoral areas and grasslands, areas where trees and low-rise buildings, etc.,			
	cases where the dista	ance to the opposite	shore is 1,500 m	or more. The same		are scattered			
П	shall apply hereafter	.) is 500 m or less (E	excluding in cases	where the height of	п				
11	the building is 13 m	or less, or the dista	nce to the shorelin	e or lake shoreline					
	exceeds 200 m and t	he height of the bui	lding is 31 m or le	ess.), or areas other					
	than such areas w	hich are specified	in a regulation	by a Designated					
	Administrative Ager	cy as being extreme	ly flat and intersper	sed with obstacles.					
III Areas other than roughness class I. II or IV			III	Areas with many trees and low-rise buildings, or areas where medium-rise					
		·· ·				buildings (4 to 9 floors) are scattered			
IV Areas specified in a regulation by a Designated Administrative Agency as being extremely urbanized			IV	Urban areas mainly consisting of medium-rise buildings					
-3. (Omitted)					-3. (Omitted)				
Table C.2 Parar	neters to determine the	e altitude correction	coefficient for aver	rage wind speed	Table C.2 Paran	neters to determine th	e altitude correction	coefficient for aver	age wind speed
Roughness class	I	II	III	IV	Roughness class	I	II	III	IV
Z_b	5	5	5	10	Z _b	5	5	10	20
Z_G	250	350	450	550	Z_G	250	350	450	550
α	<u>0.10</u>	0.15	<u>0.20</u>	0.27	α	<u>0.1</u>	0.15	0.2	0.27
-4. The topographic n are determined by eit (1) Method that does (Omitted)	nultiplier for the avera her of the following m not consider the wind	ge wind speed E_{tV} ethods (1) and (2). directional character	and the wind direc	tion to be verified θ_d	-4. The topographic m are determined by eith (1) Method that does (Omitted)	nultiplier for the avera ner of the following n not consider the wind	age wind speed E_{tV} nethods (1) and (2). I directional characte	and the wind direct	tion to be verified θ_d

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$E_{tV} = max(E'_{tV}(\theta_d), 1), \ E'_{tV}(\theta_d) = max(E'_{tV}(\theta)), \ E'_{tV}(\theta) = \frac{U(x, y, H_h, \theta)}{U^P(x, y, H_h)} $ (C.16)	$E_{tV} = max(E'_{tV}, 1), \qquad E'_{tV} = max\left(\frac{U(x, y, H_h, \theta)}{U^P(x, y, H_h)}\right) $ (C.16)
(2) Method that considers the wind directional characteristics The topographic multiplier for the average wind speed E_{tV} is decided by the equation (C.17) based on the results of typhoon simulations for the wind turbine construction site. Here, $U_{50}(x, y, H_h)$ is the expected annual maximum wind speed with a return period of 50 years at the hub height H_h at the wind turbine construction site, which is obtained by statistical analysis from the result of the typhoon simulation, and $U_{50}^p(x, y, H_h)$ is the expected annual maximum wind speed with a return period of 50 years at the hub height above flat terrain of the ground surface roughness classification. In addition, the wind direction to be verified θ_d shall be the wind direction corresponding to $U_{50}(x, y, H_h)$. The validity of the simulation results must be sufficiently confirmed by comparing them with the measured values. Further, if the comparison of the typhoon simulation results (upper air winds due to the hypothetical typhoon) with the measured values (upper air winds calculated from the atmospheric pressure in the typhoon database) indicates that the simulation results are an underestimation, additional consideration must be given to the effects of uncertainty related to the number of years of analysis and the number of years of atmospheric pressure measurement. In addition, the validity of the setting of the	(2) Method that considers the wind directional characteristics The topographic multiplier for the average wind speed E_{tV} is decided by the equation (C.17) based on the results of typhoon simulations for the wind turbine construction site. Here, $U_{50}(x, y, H_h)$ is the expected annual maximum wind speed with a return period of 50 years at the hub height H_h at the wind turbine construction site, which is obtained by statistical analysis from the result of the typhoon simulation, and $U_{50}^p(x, y, H_h)$ is the expected annual maximum wind speed with a return period of 50 years at the hub height above flat terrain of the ground surface roughness classification. In addition, the wind direction to be verified θ_d shall be the wind direction corresponding to $U_{50}(x, y, H_h)$. Furthermore, it must be sufficiently confirmed that there is no problem with the application of the typhoon simulation by conducting a comparison with measurement values, etc., in addition to checking the validity of the simulation itself.
Wind direction to be verified must be sufficiently confirmed. C.3.2 Extreme wind speed (Calculation method for 3 seconds average wind speed) C.3.2.1 Calculation method for turbulence intensity -1. to -2. (Omitted) -3. The correction coefficient for the turbulence intensity due to the terrain E_{tl} is determined by the equation (C.20). Of the methods shown in C.3.1-4., if the method selected is (1) Method that does not consider the wind directional characteristics, then $E'_{tV}(\theta_d)$ is obtained by equation (C.16), and if the method selected is (2) Method that considers the wind directional characteristics, then it is obtained by equation (C.21). Here, $U(x, y, H_h, \theta)$ is the average wind speed obtained by airflow analysis for wind direction θ at hub height H_h at the wind turbine construction site on the actual terrain, and $U^P(x, y, H_h)$ is the average wind speed at the hub height H_h at the wind turbine construction site that was obtained by airflow analysis for flat terrain of ground surface roughness classification P .	C.3.2 Extreme wind speed (Calculation method for 3 seconds average wind speed) C.3.2.1 Calculation method for turbulence intensity -1. to -2. (Omitted) -3. The correction coefficient for the turbulence intensity due to the terrain E_{tl} is determined by the equation (C.20). <u>Here, the topographic multiplier for the average wind speed E'_{tV} is obtained by using equation (C.21) based on the results of airflow analysis by wind direction on the actual terrain and on flat terrain. Here, $U(x, y, H_h, \theta)$ is the average wind speed obtained by airflow analysis for wind direction θ at hub height H_h at the wind turbine construction site on the actual terrain, and $U^P(x, y, H_h)$ is the average wind speed at the hub height H_h at the wind turbine construction site that was obtained by airflow analysis for flat terrain of ground surface roughness classification P.</u>

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$E_{tI} = max(E_{tS}(\theta_d)/E_{tV}'(\theta_d), 1)$	(C. 20)	$E_{tI} = max(E_{tS}/E'_{tV}, 1) $ (C.20)		
$E_{tV}'(\theta_d) = \frac{U(x, y, H_h, \theta_d)}{U^P(x, y, H_h)}$	(C.21)	$E'_{tV} = \max_{\theta} \left(\frac{U(x, y, H_h, \theta)}{U^p(x, y, H_h)} \right) $ (C.21)		
-4. The correction coefficient for the fluctuating wind speed due to the terrain E_{tS} is determ equation (C.22) regardless of whether the method selected is (1) Method that does not consider directional characteristics or (2) Method that considers the wind directional characteristics in Here, $\sigma_u(x, y, H_h, \theta_d)$ is the standard deviation of the wind speed fluctuation in the princip direction at the hub height H_h in the wind direction to be verified on the actual terrain $\sigma_u^P(x, y, H_h)$ is the standard deviation of the wind speed fluctuation in the principal wind direct hub height H_h on flat terrain with a ground surface roughness classification P , which are obtain airflow analysis.	-4. The correction coefficient for the fluctuating wind speed due to the terrain E_{tS} is determined by the equation (C.22). Here, $\sigma_u(x, y, H_h, \theta_d)$ is the standard deviation of the wind speed fluctuation in the principal wind direction at the hub height H_h in the wind direction to be verified on the actual terrain θ_d , and $\sigma_u^P(x, y, H_h)$ is the standard deviation of the wind speed fluctuation in the principal wind direction at the hub height H_h on flat terrain with a ground surface roughness classification P , which are obtained from airflow analysis.			
$\underline{E_{tS}(\theta_d) = \frac{\sigma_u(x, y, H_h, \theta_d)}{\sigma_u^P(x, y, H_h)}}$	(C. 22)	$E_{tS} = \frac{\sigma_u(x, y, H_h, \theta_d)}{\sigma_u^P(x, y, H_h)} $ (C.22)		
-5. (Omitted)		-5. (Omitted)		
C.3.2.2 Calculation method for 3 seconds average wind speed		C.3.2.2 Calculation method for 3 seconds average wind speed		
-1. (Omitted)		-1. (Omitted)		
C.3.2.3 Calculation method for wind shear for extreme wind speed		C.3.2.3 Calculation method for wind shear for extreme wind speed		
-1. (Omitted)		-1. (Omitted)		
C.3.3 Calculation method for U_{e50} using wind condition measurement data [informative]		C.3.3 Calculation method for U_{e50} using wind condition measurement data [informative]		
-1. to -2. (Omitica)		-1. to -2. (Omitted)		
C.4.1 Report on wind conditions during power production		C.4 1 Report on wind conditions during power production		
-1 (Omitted)		-1 (Omitted)		
C.4.2 Report on wind conditions during parked by storm		C.4.2 Report on wind conditions during parked by storm		
-1. to -2. (<i>Omitted</i>)		-1. to -2. (Omitted)		
C.4.3 Other conditions		C.4.3 Other conditions		

After revision	Before revision
-1. to -2. (Omitted)	-1. to -2. (Omitted)
C.5 Reference documents	C.5 Reference documents
(Omitted)	(Omitted)

Annex D Equivalent wind	pressure coefficient for the nacelle cover [[informative]
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After revision	Before revision
D.1 General	D.1 General
-1. to -2. (Omitted)	-1. to -2. (Omitted)
D.2 Equivalent wind pressure coefficient [Wind direction: -15° to +15°]	D.2 Equivalent wind pressure coefficient [Wind direction: -15° to +15°]
-1. to -2. (Omitted)	-1. to -2. (Omitted)
D.3 Equivalent wind pressure coefficient [Wind direction: All wind directions]	D.3 Equivalent wind pressure coefficient [Wind direction: All wind directions]
-1. to -2. (Omitted)	-1. to -2. (Omitted)
D.4 Reference documents	D.4 Reference documents
(Omitted)	(Omitted)

Annex E Measurement testing for fluctuating pressure	e characteristics acting on a nacelle surface [informative]
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After revision	Before revision
E.1 General	E.1 General
-1. (Omitted)	-1. (Omitted)
E.2 Selection of wind tunnel	E.2 Selection of wind tunnel
-1. (Omitted)	-1. (Omitted)
E.3 Model and test conditions	E.3 Model and test conditions
E.3.1 Model	E.3.1 Model
-1. (Omitted)	-1. (Omitted)
E.3.2 Airflow similarity	E.3.2 Airflow similarity
-1. (Omitted)	-1. (Omitted)
E.3.3 Wind speed and wind direction in test implementation	E.3.3 Wind speed and wind direction in test implementation
-1. (Omitted)	-1. (Omitted)
E.3.4 Pressure measurement instrument	E.3.4 Pressure measurement instrument
-1. (Omitted)	-1. (Omitted)
E.3.5 Data processing and recording	E.3.5 Data processing and recording
-1. to -2. (Omitted)	-1. to -2. (Omitted)
E.3.6 Maximum/minimum peak wind pressure coefficient	E.3.6 Maximum/minimum peak wind pressure coefficient
-1. to -2. (Omitted)	-1. to -2. (Omitted)
E.4 Reference documents	E.4 Reference documents
(Omitted)	(Omitted)

Annex F Design methodologies for tower structures [normative]

After revision	Before revision		
F.1 General	F.1 General		
-1. This Annex summarizes the tower structure-related items where the method has been established	-1. This Annex summarizes the methods that meet the requirements for general facility, in 2. (3) [2]		
for items that deviate from the Guidelines for Design of Wind Turbine Support Structures and	specified in the Implementation procedures for the examination of construction plans for the installation		
Foundation ^[1-05] .	or modification of wind power plants ^[R-03] .		
<u>-2. This Annex presents examples of methods based on past examination cases and does not deny the</u>	(added)		
application of other methods.			
F.2 Attenuation	F.2 Attenuation		
-1. For the first and second mode structural damping ratios for cylindrical steel structures, the values	-1. For the first and second mode structural damping ratios for cylindrical steel structures, the values		
obtained from equation (F.1) and equation (F.2) ^{[R-08] [R-11] [F1]} may be applied. When using values other	obtained from equation (F.1) and equation (F.2) ^{[R-09] [R-12] [F1]} may be applied. When using values other		
than this, it is necessary to explain the validity of the values. In addition, for the modal damping ratio	than this, it is necessary to explain the validity of the values. In addition, for the modal damping ratio		
that consists of the structural damping and ground damping, evaluation is possible in the method shown	that consists of the structural damping and ground damping, evaluation is possible in the method shown		
in the reference document ^[F2] . Furthermore, in the time history response analysis using the SR model, the	in the reference document ^[F2] . Furthermore, in the time history response analysis using the SR model, the		
soil damping is considered as a dashpot ^[F2] .			
(Omitted)	(Omitted)		
F.3 Anchor bolt hole diameter	F.3 Anchor bolt hole diameter		
-1. (Omitted)	-1. (Omitted)		
[1] The hole diameter of anchor bolts shall not exceed the clearance based on the nominal bolt diameter	[1] The hole diameter of anchor bolts shall not exceed the clearance based on the nominal bolt diameter		
specified in ISO273 ^[R-10] .	specified in ISO273 ^[R-11] .		
[2] Following the Guidebook on Design and Fabrication of High Strength Bolted Connections ^[R-04] , if	[2] Following the Guidebook on Design and Fabrication of High Strength Bolted Connections ^[R-05] , if		
the nominal bolt diameter exceeds 24 mm, the hole diameter may be the bolt diameter + 8 mm on the the nominal bolt diameter exceeds 24 mm, the hole diameter may be the bolt diameter +			
remise that the slip resistance is reduced (reduction factor: 0.85). Therefore, in the most severer loading premise that the slip resistance is reduced (reduction factor: 0.85). Therefore, in the most			
conditions based on the site conditions, the horizontal force due to the shear force and torsional moment	conditions based on the site conditions, the horizontal force due to the shear force and torsional moment		
acting on the tower base, and the frictional force (resistance friction force) on the underside of the base	acting on the tower base, and the frictional force (resistance friction force) on the underside of the base		
plate should be compared considering the reduction factor of 0.85, and it must be confirmed that the	plate should be compared considering the reduction factor of 0.85, and it must be confirmed that the		
"Resistance friction force considering horizontal force/reduction factor" is less than 1.0.	"Resistance friction force considering horizontal force/reduction factor" is less than 1.0.		
F.4 Design applying the fatigue equivalent design method in structural calculations for anchor bolts	F.4 Design applying the fatigue equivalent design method in structural calculations for anchor bolts		
-1. (Omitted)	-1. (Omitted)		
(1) (Omitted)	(1) (Omitted)		
(2) <i>(Omitted)</i>	(2) <i>(Omitted)</i>		
1) Principle for conducting fatigue strength evaluation	1) Principle for conducting fatigue strength evaluation		

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According to the requirement by 7.4.1 in the Guidelines for Design of Wind Turbine Support Structures and Foundation ^[J-05] , the degree of fatigue damage shall be determined by the cumulative fatigue damage rule.			This shall follow item 7.4.1 in the Guidelines for Design of Wind Turbine Support Structures and Foundation ^[J-05] , and the degree of fatigue damage shall be determined by the cumulative fatigue damage rule.				
2) T	he requireme	nts for each item to be consid	lered shall be as shown in Table F.1.	2)	2) The requirements for each item to be considered shall be as shown in Table F.1.		
	Table F.1 I	tems to be considered for fat	gue strength evaluation and their requirements	.	Table F.1	Items to be considered for fat	igue strength evaluation and their requirements
Ite	ms to be	Applicable specifications	Requirements		Items to be	Applicable specifications	Requirements
con	nsidered	and standards			considered	and standards	
And	chor bolts	EN 1993-1-9: 2005 ^[R-12]	(Omitted)		Anchor bolts	EN 1993-1-9: 2005 ^{[<u>R-13]</u>}	(Omitted)
Grou	it/Concrete	MC2010 ^[R-13] (MC1990 ^{[R-}	(Omitted)	G	Grout/Concrete	MC2010 ^[R-14] (MC1990 ^{[R-}	(Omitted)
		^{14]} is also possible)				^{15]} is also possible)	
*1: See the column of requirements for DC50 on Table 8.1 of EN 1993-1-9: 2005[R-12].		*1:	*1: See the column of requirements for DC50 on Table 8.1 of EN 1993-1-9: 2005[R-13].				
(In addition, refer to the Guidance note in Paragraph 4.12.3.6 of DNVGL-ST-0126[R-15].)		(In	addition, refer to	o the Guidance note in Paragr	aph 4.12.3.6 of DNVGL-ST-0126 ^{[<u>R-12]</u>.)}		
(Omitted)		(Or	(Omitted)				
F.5 Lever ratio of flange joint		F.5	F.5 Lever ratio of flange joint				
-1. (Omitted)		-1. (Omitted)					
F.6 Design applying the fatigue equivalent design method in structural calculations for flange joints		F.6	F.6 Design applying the fatigue equivalent design method in structural calculations for flange joints				
-1. (Omitted)		-1.	-1. (Omitted)				
(1) (0	Omitted)			(1)	(1) <i>(Omitted)</i>		
(2) (0	Omitted)			(2) (Omitted)			
1) P	rinciple for co	onducting fatigue strength ev	aluation	1)	1) Principle for conducting fatigue strength evaluation		
According to the requirement by 7.4.1 in the Guidelines for Design of Wind Turbine			This sha	all follow item 7.4.1 in the Gu	idelines for Design of Wind Turbine Support		
Support Structures and Foundation ^[J-05] , the degree of fatigue damage shall be determined			Structur	es and Foundation ^[-03] , and the	he degree of fatigue damage shall be determined by the		
2) т	be requireme	nts for each item to be consid	<u>ered shall be as shown in Table F 2</u>	2) The requirements for each item to be considered shall be as shown in Table E 2		lered shall be as shown in Table F 2	
2) 1	Table F 2 I	tems to be considered for fat	ique strength evaluation and their requirements	2) The requirements for each nem to be considered shall be as shown in Table F.2. Table F.2. Items to be considered for fatigue strength qualitation and their requirements		ique strength evaluation and their requirements	
It	ems to be	Annlicable	Requirements		Items to be	Applicable	Requirements
	onsidered	specifications and	requirements		considered	specifications and	requirements
	onsidered	standards			considered	standards	
Fl	lange bolt	EN 1993-1-9: 2005 ^[R-12]	• When considering only the axial force on		Flange bolt	EN 1993-1-9: 2005 ^[R-13]	• When considering only the axial force on
			the <u>flange</u> bolt and not bending, apply				the anchor bolt and not bending, apply

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DC36* as the S-N diagram. *1 • The size effect reduction factor: ks shall be considered. *1: See the column of requirements for DC50 on Table 8.1 of EN 1993-1-9: 2005 ^[R-12] . (In addition refer to the Guidance note in Paragraph 4 12 3 6 of DNVGL = ST=0126 ^[R-15] .)	DC36* as the S-N diagram. *1 • The size effect reduction factor: ks shall be considered. *1: See the column of requirements for DC50 on Table 8.1 of EN 1993-1-9: 2005 ^[R-13] . (In addition, refer to the Guidance note in Paragraph 4 12 3 6 of DNVGL-ST-0126 ^[R-12] .)		
 E.7 Distance between flange bolt centers in circumferential direction -1. If the distance between the centers of the flange bolts in the circumferential direction does not satisfy the dimensional specifications in 7.3.3 (1) 2) of the Guidelines for Design of Wind Turbine_Support Structures and Foundation^[1-05], the following must be satisfied. (1) For the tower flange connection, perform finite element analysis for each case where the distance between the centers of the flange bolts in the circumferential direction is 1) and 2) below, and indicate the effect that the difference in the center-to-center distance has on bolt tension, stress, etc., against the site ultimate load (short-term, extremely rare earthquake, IEC load). In the case of 2), also confirm from the results of the finite element analysis that the tower flange connection is structurally safe. 1) In the case of 2.0D (D: nominal bolt diameter), which is the dimensional specification in 7.3.3 (1) 2) of the Guidelines for Design of Wind Turbine Support Structures and Foundation^[1-05] 2) In the case where the planned distance between the centers of the flange bolts in the circumferential direction is (<2.0D) (2) The validity of the model and analysis method for the finite element analysis used in (1) above must be verified by comparison with the results of structural experiments, or by reproducing the context of maximum literature. 	(added)		
 <u>F.8</u> Tower opening <u>-1</u>. For the tower opening, in a case where the tower opening is not provided with a reinforcing material that satisfies the dimensional provisions of 7.3.5 (2) 1) of the Guidelines for Design of Wind Turbine Support Structures and Foundation^[J-05], and the plate thickness around the opening is increased, the following details must be satisfied in accordance with the provisions of 7.3.5 (2) 2) of those Guidelines. (1) In accordance with 7.3.3 of the Structural Design Recommendation for Chimneys^[R-05], the checking of the strength of the opening in terms of bending moment and shear force must be performed for each load of the site ultimate load (long-term, short-term, rare earthquake, extremely rare earthquake and UEC load) calculated based on the site and it is a case of the strength of the opening in the strength of the strength	(added)		

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perform finite element analysis for the opening and then the cross-section where the stress	
concentration is confirmed to be the most severe must be selected and appropriate consideration	
must be given to the stress concentration factor.	
(2) Fatigue strength checks against the site fatigue loads calculated based on the site conditions must	
be performed for the welds at the opening end and around the opening.	
<u>F.9</u> Reference documents	<u>F.7</u> Reference documents
(Omitted)	(Omitted)

Annex G Design methodologies for foundations [normative]

After revision	Before revision
G.1 General	(added)
-1. This Annex summarizes the foundation-related items where the method has been established for items that deviate from	
the Guidelines for Design of Wind Turbine Support Structures and Foundation[1-05].	
-2. This Annex presents examples of methods based on past examination cases and does not deny the application of other	
methods.	
<u>G.2</u> Special earthwork such as ground improvement	(added)
-1. When ground improvement is carried out, in principle, the Foundation and Ground Section Meeting of the Support	
Structure Certification Subcommittee must conduct an examination according to the situation of each site.	
<u>-2. When strength correction using rubble concrete is performed for the foundation floor, the item -1. above shall not apply</u>	
if the depth of that concrete is less than 3 m.	
G.3 Handling of seismic response analysis for the ground	(added)
-1. If the shearing strain exceeds 1% in the results of the seismic response analysis for the ground, then it is not permitted	
to follow the response calculation flow for liquefied ground that is described in the Guidelines for Design of Wind Turbine	
Support Structures and Foundation ^[J-05] (p. 170, Illustration 5.11), so at the subject point, it is not permitted to apply equivalent	
linear analysis or simplified liquefaction analysis in which the equivalent stiffness of the liquefied layer multiplied by the	
stiffness reduction rate is set.	
<u>-2. In the case of -1. above, the following analyses must be performed, depending on whether liquefaction is considered or</u>	
<u>not.</u>	
(1) When liquefaction is not considered: Sequential nonlinear - Total stress analysis	
(2) When liquefaction is considered: Sequential nonlinear - Effective stress analysis (Time-history nonlinear analysis	
considering the soil nonlinearity accompanying the increase in the shear strain and the increase in the excess pore	
water pressure)	
<u>-3. In a case where sequential nonlinear - effective stress analysis is performed in -2. above, the basis for setting the ground</u>	
model (stress-strain model) and its validity must be shown.	
<u>-4. If the shearing strain does not exceed 1% in the results of the seismic response analysis for the ground, but the response</u>	
calculation flow for liquefied ground that is described in the Guidelines for Design of Wind Turbine Support Structures and	
Foundation ^[J-05] (p. 170, Illustration 5.11) is not followed and sequential nonlinear - effective stress analysis is applied, then	
the validity of the analysis results must be shown. (Example: For representative cases, perform comparisons of the equivalent	
linear analysis and simplified liquefaction analysis in which the equivalent stiffness of the liquefied layer multiplied by the	
stiffness reduction rate is set.)	

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-5. When the inclination of the engineering base surface is 5 degrees or more, the existence of effects from the inclination	
of the engineering base surface must be checked. (Example: Perform seismic response analysis using the ground response at	
the wind turbine site that was evaluated by finite element analysis (2-D), and then perform a comparison with the seismic	
response analysis results evaluated using the ground response of a 1-D parallel stratified ground at the time of design.)	
G.4 Handling related to time history response analysis	(added)
-1. When setting ground springs and attenuation by using the thin layer method, the basis for that setting and its validity	
must be shown. In particular, for attenuation, it must be clearly stated how the attenuation coefficient C was set in the form	
shown in Illustration 5.19 of the Guidelines for Design of Wind Turbine Support Structures and Foundation[1-05].	
G.5 Pile design	(added)
-1. When the pile response is calculated using a separated model in which the wind turbine and foundation response	
analysis is performed separately to the pile response analysis, the value of the ultimate bending strength Mu of the pile	
divided by the maximum bending moment M during extremely rare earthquakes should not be less than 1.2. However, this	
does not apply when coupled analysis of the pile response is performed in an integrated model of the wind	
turbine/foundation and pile, and it has been confirmed that the analysis is valid.	
-2. For the shear checks for piles during extremely rare earthquakes, the evaluation may be performed using the ultimate	
strength rather than the short-term allowable value if the following items are satisfied.	
(1) The ultimate shear capacity of piles is evaluated based on each of the Pile Foundation Design Manual ^[G1] and Strength	
and Deformation Capacity of Foundation Structural Members ^[G2] , and it is confirmed to be within the allowable value.	
(2) The tolerance to shear based on the allowable value evaluated in (1) above exceeds the tolerance to bending, and it	
has been confirmed that it is a failure mode where bending failure will occur first.	
G.6 Reference documents	(added)
[G1] Pile Foundation Design Manual (Japan Road Association, September 2020)	
[G2] Strength and Deformation Capacity of Foundation Structural Members (Architectural Institute of Japan, 2022)	