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- *Protection against lightning-Part 3: Physical damage to structures and life hazard*
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- a) MS IEC 61024-1:2001, *Protection of structures against lightning Part 1: General principles*
- b) MS IEC 61024-1-1:2001, *Protection of structures against lightning Part 1: General principles Section 1: Guide A - Selection of protection levels of lightning protection systems*
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