

Seismic FAQ's

Does Eaton's B-Line Division comply with MSS (Manufacturers Standardization Society)?

Yes, we comply with the current MSS Standard of MSS-SP-58-2009.

What information is required to quote a seismic job?

- Pipe, conduit and/or duct layout drawings
- Project Specifications
- 1st page of the structural drawings (Also known as the S1 drawing)

What type of quality assurance certification does Eaton's B-Line Division have?

We are certified by Bureau Veritas to be compliant with ISO 9001:2008. We also hold specific agency approvals such as the California Department of Transportation (Caltrans) and National Security Technologies, LLC, (a DOE Contractor for Managing Nevada Nuclear facilities).

My TOLCO™ OSHPD Catalog is dated 2003. Is it still valid?

No, it is not valid. The current OSHPD OPM-0052-13 Catalog is valid for California Building Code (CBC) 2013 and CBC 2016. Please contact our Technical Services department for further details at (800) 786-5266, or e-mail us at TolcoSupport@eaton.com.

Is a more up-to-date version Pre-Approved Seismic Bracing Guidelines available?

Yes, it is stamped by California OSHPD, and complies with the International Building Code.

From where are the materials shipped?

Materials ship from three primary locations:

- Fontana, CA
- Philadelphia, PA
- Highland, IL

Do Eaton's B-Line series fire protection products meet NFPA 13 Requirements?

Yes, many of our products are UL Listed and FM Approved. They are intended to be installed per NFPA 13 guidelines. Please refer to our catalog for more detailed information.

How can I obtain the TOLBrace™ Fire Protection Seismic Bracing Software?

TOLBrace Fire Protection Software, version 8.0, is now available for free download at www.eaton.com/tolco. This new version has many new exciting features, and includes the latest updates on TOLCO™ seismic bracing products. Please contact our Technical Services or Customer Service departments at (800) 786-5266, or e-mail us at TolcoSupport@eaton.com.

Does Eaton provide engineering support or structural calculations on its custom built supports?

Yes. We will provide engineering support or work with your own engineer to produce stamped calculations of load capacity as well as seismic or wind-related loads.

Does Eaton provide services such as engineering and post-installation inspection for seismic bracing projects?

Yes. We can provide services from the bidding phase all the way through post-installation, if needed. Email our Seismic Bracing department for more information at Seismicquotes@eaton.com.

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