

MEMO 502

 BSF - MAIN DIMENSIONS AND MATERIAL
 PROPERTIES OF BEAM AND COLUMN
 UNITS
 PLANNING

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1.1 QUALITIES

 Reinforcement 500C (EN 1992-1-1, Annex C): $f_{yd} = f_{yk}/\gamma_s = 500/1,15 = 435 \text{ MPa}$

Steel Sxxx (EN 10025-2):

 S275: Tension/compression: $f_{yd} = f_y/\gamma_{M0} = 275/1,1 = 250 \text{ MPa}$

 Shear: $f_{sd} = f_y/(\gamma_{M0} \times \sqrt{3}) = 275/(1,1 \times \sqrt{3}) = 144 \text{ MPa}$

 Weld: $f_{w,d} = \frac{f_u}{\gamma_{M2} \sqrt{3}} \times \frac{1}{\beta_w} = \frac{430}{1,25 \times \sqrt{3}} \times \frac{1}{0,85} = 233 \text{ MPa}$

 S355: Tension/compression: $f_{yd} = f_y/\gamma_{M0} = 355/1,1 = 322 \text{ MPa}$

 Shear: $f_{sd} = f_y/(\gamma_{M0} \times \sqrt{3}) = 355/(1,1 \times \sqrt{3}) = 186 \text{ MPa}$

 Weld: $f_{w,d} = \frac{f_u}{\gamma_{M2} \sqrt{3}} \times \frac{1}{\beta_w} = \frac{510}{1,25 \times \sqrt{3}} \times \frac{1}{0,9} = 262 \text{ MPa}$

 S355: $t > 40 \text{ mm}$: Tension/compression: $f_{yd} = f_y/\gamma_{M0} = 335/1,1 = 304 \text{ MPa}$

 Shear: $f_{sd} = f_y/(\gamma_{M0} \times \sqrt{3}) = 335/(1,1 \times \sqrt{3}) = 175 \text{ MPa}$

 Weld: $f_{w,d} = \frac{f_u}{\gamma_{M2} \sqrt{3}} \times \frac{1}{\beta_w} = \frac{470}{1,25 \times \sqrt{3}} \times \frac{1}{0,9} = 241 \text{ MPa}$

 Threaded bars/nut: 8.8 quality steel: $f_{yd} = 0,9 \times f_{u} / \gamma_{M2} = 0,9 \times 800 / 1,25 = 576 \text{ MPa}$

¹ The design of the column unit and horizontal anchoring of the threaded bars in the beam/column is based on the assumption of minimum concrete grade C35/45. BSF1100: Assumed concrete grade C45/55 in column. For NDP's and further information, see Memo 521 "BSF units – Design of reinforcement" and Memo "BSF- Design of steel units"

1.2 DIMENSIONS AND CROSS-SECTION PARAMETERS

UNIT	KNIFE				POSITION	HALF ROUND STEEL			HORIZONTAL ANCHORING
	L [mm]	H [mm]	t [mm]	Steel grade		D [mm]	L [mm]	Steel grade	
BSF225	510	195	20	S355	FRONT (TOP)	Ø76	100	S355	2×M12, 8.8+ nut, L=650mm & st.pl.50×50×8, S355
					BACK (BOTTOM)	Ø76	100	S275	1×M16, 8.8+nut, L=350mm & st.pl.70×70×10,S355
BSF300	510	235	20	S355	FRONT (TOP)	Ø76	100	S355	2×M12, 8.8+nut, L=650mm & st.pl.50×50×8, S355
					BACK (BOTTOM)	Ø76	100	S275	1×M16, 8.8+nut, L=350mm & st.pl.70×70×10,S355
BSF450	645	250	30	S355	FRONT (TOP)	Ø76	140	S355	2×M12, 8.8+nut, L=750mm & st.pl.50×50×8, S355
					BACK (BOTTOM)	Ø76	100	S275	1×M16, 8.8+nut, L=350mm & st.pl.70×70×10,S355
BSF700	645	280	40	S355	FRONT (TOP)	Ø175	140	S355	2×M16, 8.8+nut, L=750mm & st.pl.70×70×10, S355
					BACK (BOTTOM)	Ø76	100	S275	1×M20, 8.8+nut, L=350mm & st.pl.90×90×12,S355
BSF1100	980	360	50	S355 ²⁾	FRONT (TOP)	Ø175	200	S355	2×M24, 8.8+nut, L=1000mm & st.pl.110×110×15, S355
					BACK (BOTTOM)	Ø100	100	S275	1×M24, 8.8+nut, L=350mm & st.pl.110×110×15, S355

Table 1: Dimensions and steel qualities - beam unit. ²⁾ Reduced yield stress due to t>40 mm

UNIT	BOTTOM PLATE				VERTICAL REINFORCEMENT BAR	HORIZONTAL ANCHORING
	Length [mm]	Width [mm]	Thickness [mm]	Steel grade		
BSF225	110	110	20	S355	1×Ø20 L=600mm	2×M12, 8.8 +nut & st.pl. 50×50×8, S355
BSF300	110	150	25	S355	1×Ø20 L=600mm	2×M12, 8.8 +nut & st.pl. 50×50×8, S355
BSF450	125	180	30	S355	1×Ø25 L=600mm	2×M16, 8.8 +nut & st.pl. 70×70×10, S355
BSF700	150	200	40	S355	2×Ø25 L=790mm	2×M20, 8.8 +nut & st.pl. 90×90×12, S355
BSF1100	200	250	60	S355 ²⁾	2×Ø32 l=690 mm	2×M24, 8.8 +nut & st.pl. 110×110×15, S355

Table 2: Dimensions and steel qualities - column unit. ²⁾ Reduced yield stress due to t>40 mm

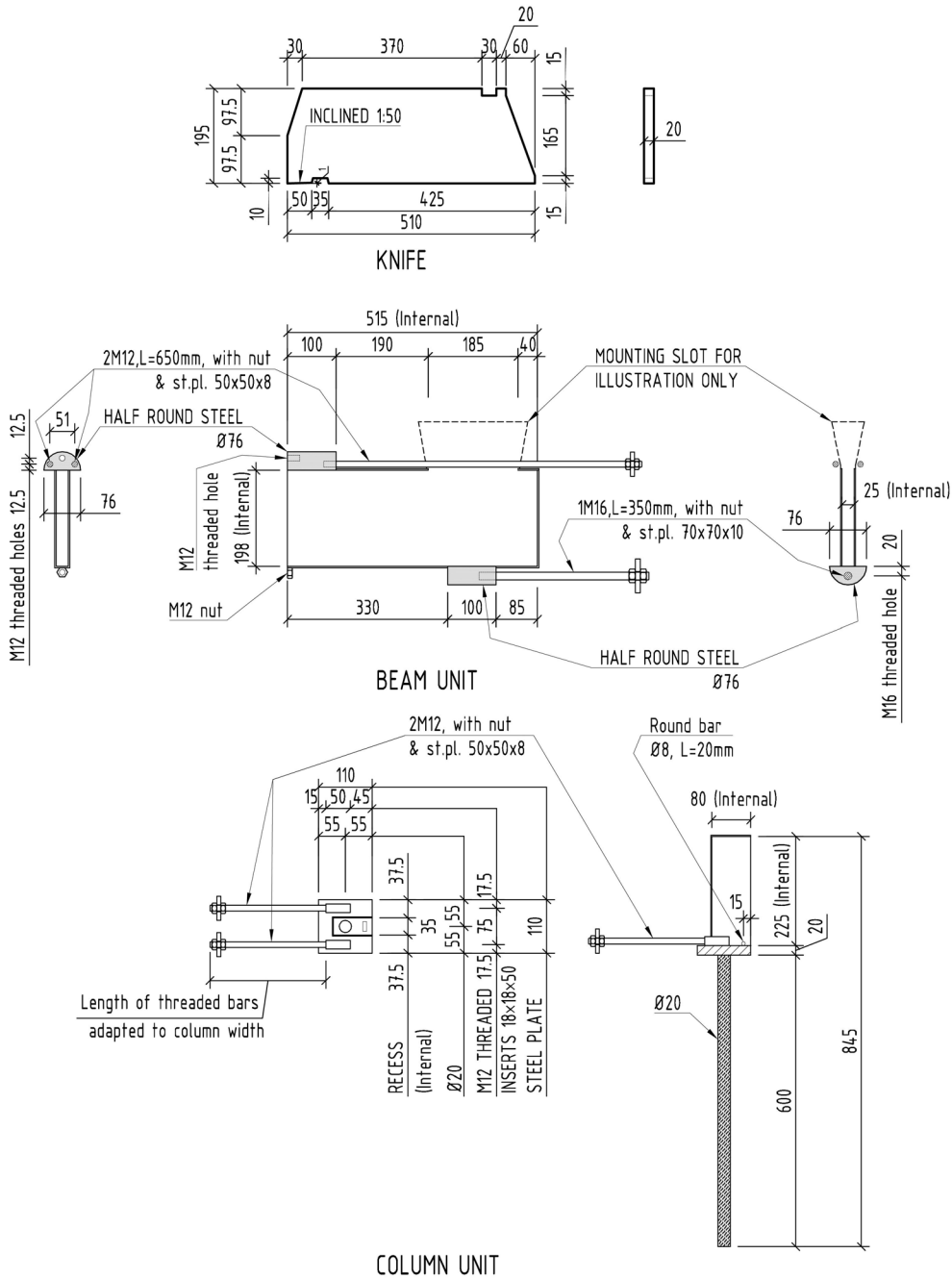
NOMINAL DIAMETER		M12	M16	M20	M24
Equivalent diameter: \varnothing_{eq} [mm]		10,4	14,1	17,7	21,2
Stress area: A_s [mm ²]		84	157	245	353
Tensile capacity (8.8): $F_{cap} = f_{yd} \times A_s$ [kN]		48	90	141	203
Width across flats: NV [mm]		19	24	30	36
Required dim. of square steel plate anchoring F_{cap} : ¹⁾ $b_{req} \geq [F_{cap}/f_{cd} + \pi \times \varnothing^2_{nom}/4]^{0.5}$ [mm] Select b×b		≈50,4 Select 50×50	69 Select 70×70	86 Select 90×90	103 Select 110×110
Net area for compression anchorage: $A_{net} = A_{steel\ plate} - \pi \times \varnothing^2_{nom}/4$ [mm ²]		2387	4699	7786	11648
Concrete stress: $\sigma_c = F_{cap}/A_{net}$ [MPa]		20,1	19,1	18,1	17,4
Required thickness of steel plate, S355: ¹⁾ $a = (2^{0.5} \times b - NV)/2$ $\rightarrow t_1 \geq a \times (\sigma_c/f_{yd})^{0.5}$ [mm] $c = b/2 - NV/2$ $\rightarrow t_2 \geq 3^{0.5} \times c \times (\sigma_c/f_{yd})^{0.5}$ [mm] $t > [t_1, t_2]$		a=25,9 t ₁ =6,5 c=15,5 t ₂ =6,7	a=37,5 a=60 c=23 c=37	a=60 t ₁ =11,5 c=37 t ₂ =12,3	a=60 t ₁ =13,9 c=37 t ₂ =14,9
Standard height of nut: (H) [mm]		10,0	13,0	16,0	21,5
Required thread length in blind holes:	S275:($f_u=410$ Mpa): 1,5×D	18mm	24mm	30mm	36mm
	S355:($f_u=470$ Mpa): 1,5×D	18mm	24mm	30mm	36mm
Dimension of corresponding threaded insert [mm]		50×18×18	60×22×22	70×30×30	80×32×32

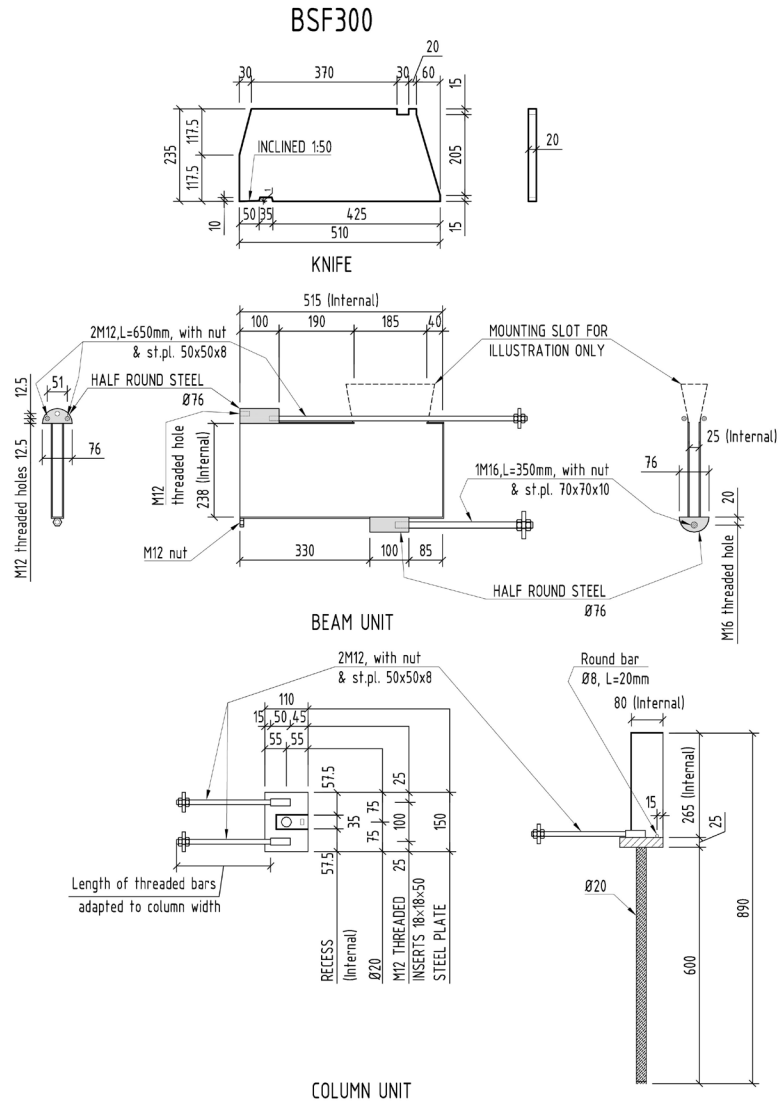
Table 3: Dimensions and steel qualities - threaded bars, inserts and anchoring steel plates.

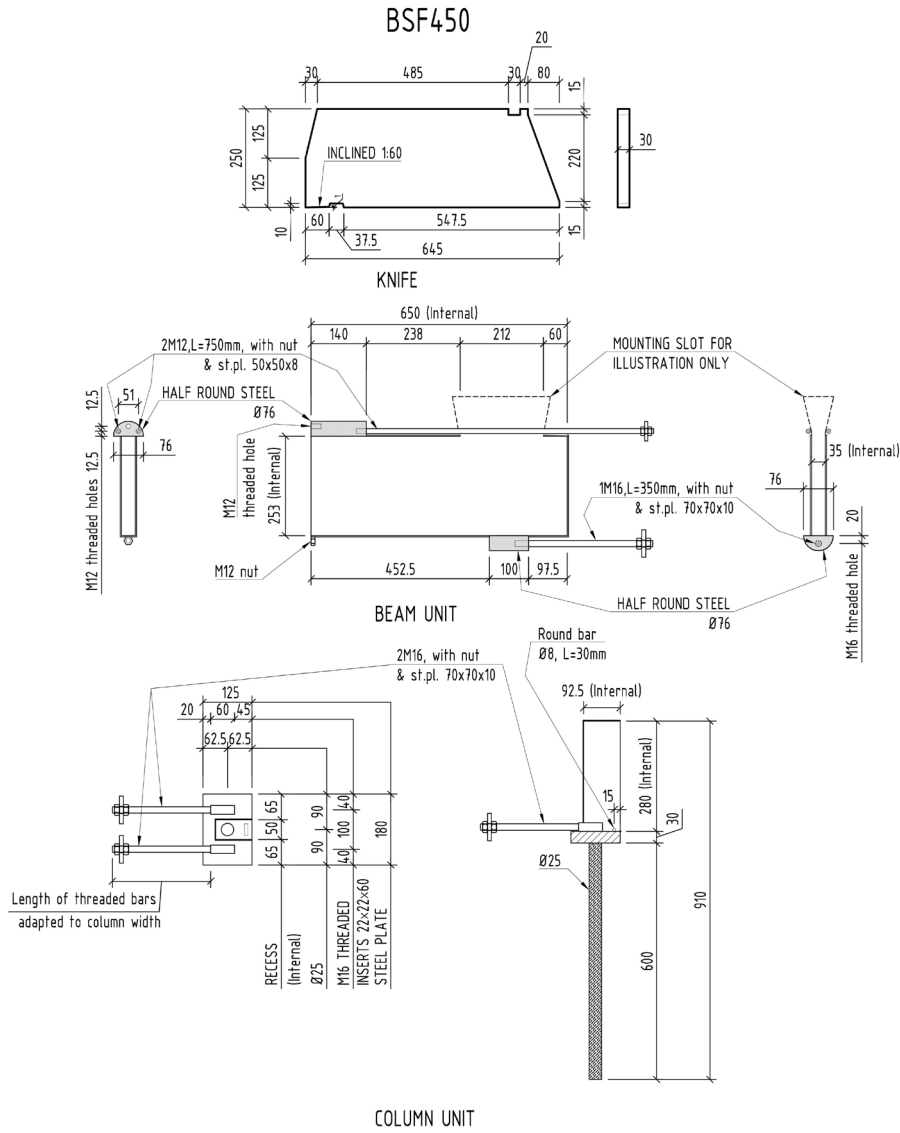
1.3 GENERAL INFORMATION TO THE BELOW ILLUSTRATIONS

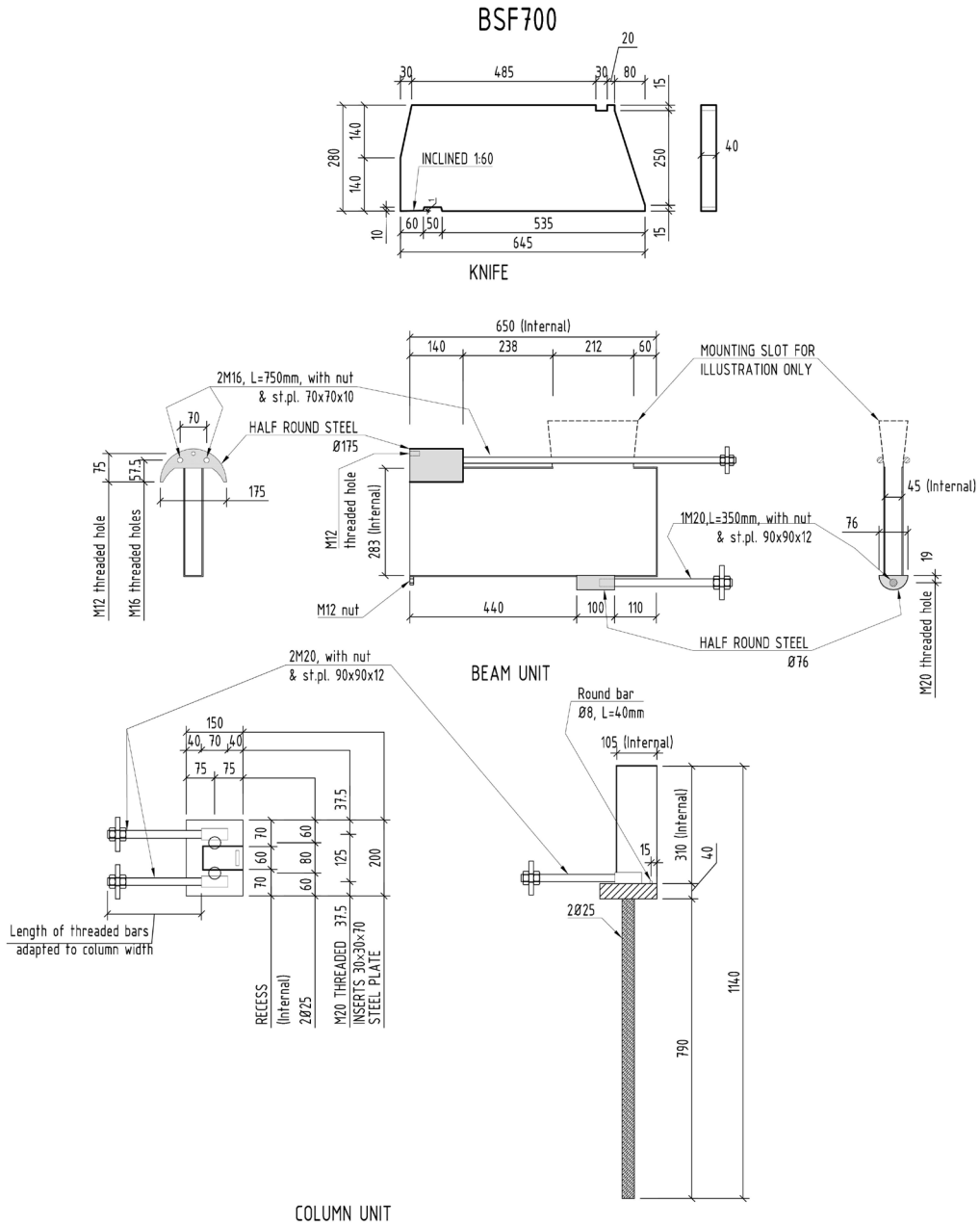
- Thickness of the box sides: 2mm for both the column and the beam units. (BSF 1100: 3mm)
- Length of the threaded bars in beam unit: The given length are the overall length before screwed into the half round steels.
- Length of the threaded bars in column unit: The length of the threaded bars in the column unit is to be adapted to the column dimension. The user in each case must ensure the bars have a proper length to avoid ripping out a concrete cone.

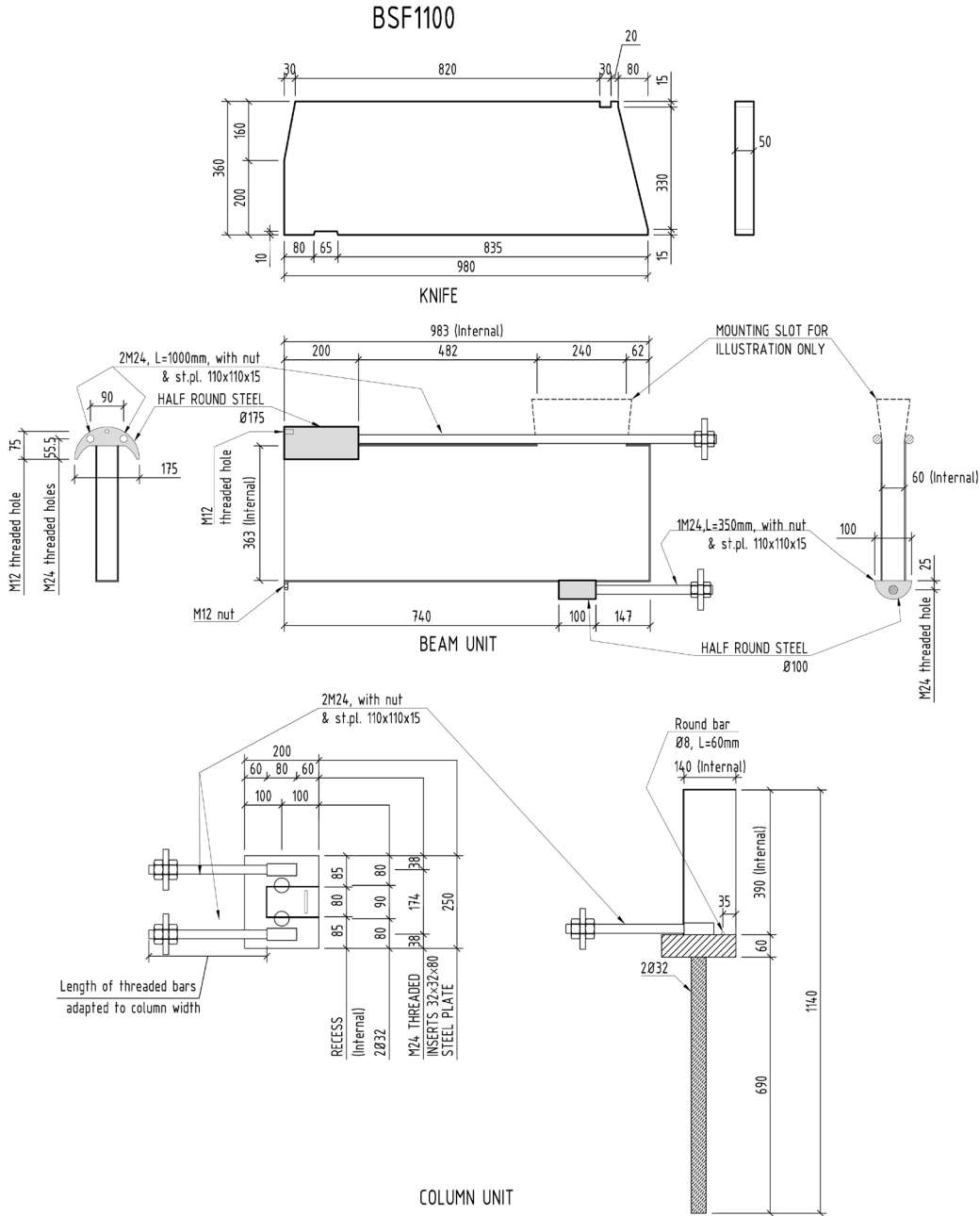
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12.06.2013	Updated before ETA. Corrected reinforcement quality from B500C to 500C. Included reference to EN10025-2 for steel quality.
03.10.2013	Replaced "Figure xx" textbox with heading on each unit. Reorganized Table 1.
06.11.2013	Included comments from external review. Included additional dimensions in the drawings. Included chapter 1.3
26.06.2014	Changed half round steel BSF700 unit.
19.08.2014	Changed position of threaded bars in half round steel BSF700 unit
13.01.2015	Updated Table 3. Required thread length in blind holes.
27.02.2015	Included a nut on the front side of the steel plate anchoring the threaded bars. (To ensure correct position of the plate when casting the concrete).
24.11.2015	Corrected misprint on page 6, illustration of BSF700 unit. (Threaded hole at rear: M20)
23.05.2016	New template
08.11.2018	Included BSF1100.Minor text changes.
14.02.2020	Changed column unit