

# Knowledge Collections

## MAKE BETTER DECISIONS FASTER WITH APPLIED TECHNICAL REFERENCE CONTENT FROM TRUSTED, AUTHORITATIVE SOURCES

Engineers need information from many different sources in the course of their work. In fact, research shows that, on average, an engineer consults 13 different sources to solve a given technical problem. As a result, engineers spend 40% or more of their time looking for information – time they could be spending solving problems.

The challenge for engineering management is to ensure that their teams are using trusted information sources. Too often these days, engineers are turning for assistance to senior engineers, only to find that their veteran colleagues have retired, taking decades of know-how with them. Out of habit, many younger engineers turn to the internet for answers, but risk making decisions based on out-of-date or erroneous information from questionable sources.

## SINGLE-POINT ACCESS TO TRUSTED, AUTHORITATIVE REFERENCE INFORMATION

Access to vetted reference content enables engineers to make decisions faster and with greater confidence. That's why professionals at more than 6,000 companies have trusted Accuris for access to critical industry codes and standards for more than 60 years.

Now engineers, researchers, scientists and related professionals are turning to Knowledge Collections by Accuris for single-point digital access to essential applied technical reference content needed at each stage of the project lifecycle.

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More than a content library, the Engineering Workbench platform employs powerful next-generation search technology that helps engineers quickly pinpoint the answers they need from trusted sources within the Knowledge Collections.

As a result, our customers have realized up to 30% or more reductions in the time that their engineers spend looking for information, enabling them to spend more time analyzing information and resulting in faster, better decision making.

**Knowledge Collections by Accuris** are the most comprehensive collection of authoritative engineering and technical reference content, combined with patented search technology, to help engineers, scientists and other technical professionals quickly find answers and make the best decisions.

## ESSENTIAL TECHNICAL REFERENCE ALIGNED TO YOUR REQUIREMENTS

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