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## **American Welding Society Publishes Structural Welding Steel Code AWS D1.1/D1.1M:2008**

**Miami, September 9, 2008** – The American Welding Association has published a new code containing requirements for fabricating and erecting welded steel structures. This code includes revisions from the 2006 edition and was originally published to address the specific requirements of State and Federal Transportation Departments.

Clauses in this publication feature information regarding the scope and limitations of the code, key definitions and major responsibilities of the parties involved with steel fabrication. Other clauses pertain to the design of welded connections, prequalification, qualification, fabrication, inspection, stud welding and strengthening and repair of existing structures.

The standard contains 562 pages, 75 tables and 170 forms. The price is \$392 for non-members or \$294 for AWS members.

The American Welding Society is the largest organization in the world dedicated to advancing the science, technology, and application of welding and allied processes including joining, brazing, soldering, cutting, and thermal spray. Headquartered in Miami, Florida, AWS serves almost 50,000 members in the United States and around the world. For additional information on AWS programs and publications, visit the Society's Web site, [www.aws.org](http://www.aws.org).

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