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FEM Product Group Cranes and Lifting Equipment – Mobile Cranes has published the FEM 5.018 Document, called “**Event Recorder – Specifications - Mobile Cranes according to EN13000 -**”; 2013, March. This Guideline is available for download and is free of charge.

The main goal of this document is to provide design rules and information about the Event Recorder installed on Mobile Cranes according to EN13000:2010 Mobile Cranes; This includes definition of the Event Recorder function as well as on the minimum data to be recorded in this recording device. A standardized minimum content of the event recorded on the crane is important towards authorities in charge of incident investigation. These requirements reflect also a consistent industry approach on the Event Recorder functionalities.

This document applies to mobile cranes and is a complementary rule to the European Standard EN13000:2010 Crane - Mobile Cranes.

The document is available on following website: <http://www.fem-eur.com/>

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