



## DLUBAL RSTAB 8 ESSENTIAL TRAINING – STEEL STRUCTURES

### **Objectives:**

After completing this training, you will be able to:

- ✓ Create a 3D structural model
- ✓ Define loads and load combination
- ✓ Calculate the internal forces, deformations and support reactions
- ✓ Analyse the member stresses
- ✓ Design steel structures according to Standard Code
- ✓ Display results using graphic window and table
- ✓ Checking results according to Standard Code
- ✓ Optimize Cross-Section
- ✓ Generate printout report
- ✓ Import/Export AutoCAD with Dlubal RSTAB

### **Modules:**

**RSTAB 8** Main Module

### **Add on Modules:**

**STEEL** – General stress analysis of members

**STEEL EC3** – Member design according to Eurocode 3



## TRAINING PROGRAMME DAY 1

### **Chapter 1: Introduction to Dlubal RSTAB 8**

- 1.1 Graphical User Interface
- 1.2 Project Management

### **Chapter 2: Entering the Model Data**

- 2.1 Creating a New Project
- 2.2 Creating a New Model
- 2.3 Moving, Zooming, Rotating
- 2.4 Adjust Work Window and Grid
- 2.5 Defining Members
- 2.6 Creating Members
- 2.7 Placing the Horizontal Beam
- 2.8 Showing Numbering
- 2.9 Dividing a Member
- 2.10 Defining Tapered Members
- 2.11 Connecting Members Eccentrically
- 2.12 Placing Ceiling Joist as Continuous Members
- 2.13 Connecting Members
- 2.14 Defining Nodal Supports
- 2.15 Defining Member End Releases
- 2.16 Changing the Numbering
- 2.17 Checking the Input

### **Chapter 3: Assigning Load**

- 3.1 Load Case 1: Self-Weight
- 3.2 Load Case 2: Snow
- 3.3 Load Case 3: Wind lateral on Columns
- 3.4 Load Case 4: Wind Lifting
- 3.5 Load Case 5 to 7: Imposed Load
- 3.6 Load Case 8: Imperfections

### **Chapter 4: Combination of Actions**

- 4.1 Defining Load Combinations
- 4.2 Defining Result Combinations

### **Chapter 5: Calculation**

- 5.1 Checking Input Data
- 5.2 Starting Calculation

### **Chapter 6: Results**

- 6.1 Available Results
- 6.2 Deformations, Internal Forces, Support Forces
- 6.3 Results Display
- 6.4 Result Diagrams on Members
- 6.5 Multiple Windows View
- 6.6 Filter Results
- 6.7 Animation of Deformations



## TRAINING PROGRAMME DAY 2

### **Add-on Modules: STEEL**

#### **Chapter 7: Input Data**

- 7.1 General Data
- 7.2 Materials
- 7.3 Cross-Sections

#### **Chapter 8: Calculations**

- 8.1 Detail Settings
- 8.2 Stresses and Ratio
- 8.3 Start Calculation

#### **Chapter 9: Results**

- 9.1 Stresses by Cross-Section, Set of Members, Member, x-Location, at Every Stress Point
- 9.2 Governing Internal Forces by set of Members
- 9.3 Part List by Member and Set of Members
- 9.4 Cross Section Optimization

#### **Chapter 10: Results Evaluation**

- 10.1 Selection of Stresses
- 10.2 Results on Cross-section
- 10.3 Results in RSTAB Model
- 10.4 Result Diagrams
- 10.5 Filter for Results

### **Add-on Modules: STEEL EC3**

#### **Chapter 10: Input Data**

- 10.1 ULS, SLS, Fire Resistance, National Annex
- 10.2 Materials
- 10.3 Cross-Sections
- 10.4 Intermediate Lateral Restraints
- 10.5 Effective Lengths
- 10.6 Nodal Supports
- 10.7 Member Hinges
- 10.8 Serviceability Data
- 10.9 Fire Resistance
- 10.10 Parameters

#### **Chapter 11: Calculation**

- 11.1 Detail Settings
- 11.2 Ultimate Limit State
- 11.3 Stability
- 11.4 Serviceability
- 11.5 Fire Resistance
- 11.6 Other
- 11.7 Start Calculation



## TRAINING PROGRAMME DAY 2

### **Chapter 12: Results**

- 12.1 Design by Load Case, Cross-Section, Set of Members, Member, x-location
- 12.2 Governing Internal Forces by set of Members and Set of Members
- 12.3 Member Slenderness
- 12.4 Parts List by Member and Set of Members
- 12.5 Cross Section Optimization

### **Chapter 13: Results Evaluation**

- 13.1 Results on RSTAB Model
- 13.2 Result Diagrams
- 13.3 Filter Results

### **Chapter 14: Printout**

- 14.1 Printout Report
- 14.2 Graphic Printout

### **Chapter 15: General Functions**

- 15.1 Design Cases
- 15.2 Import/Export of Materials
- 15.3 Units and Decimal Places
- 15.4 Export Results
- 15.5 Data Transfer AutoCAD-RSTAB