AASHTOWare Bridge Technical Update



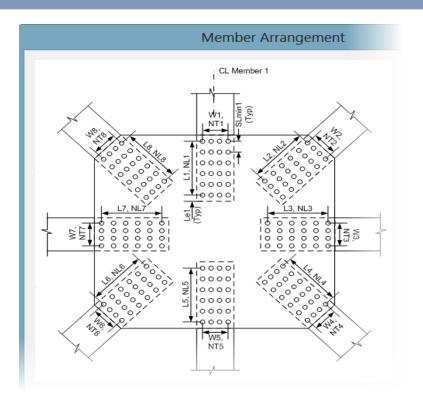
AASHTOWare Bridge Rating/Design User Group Training Meeting Albany – August 2015



6.7 New Feature - Gusset Plates

Gusset Plate Rating

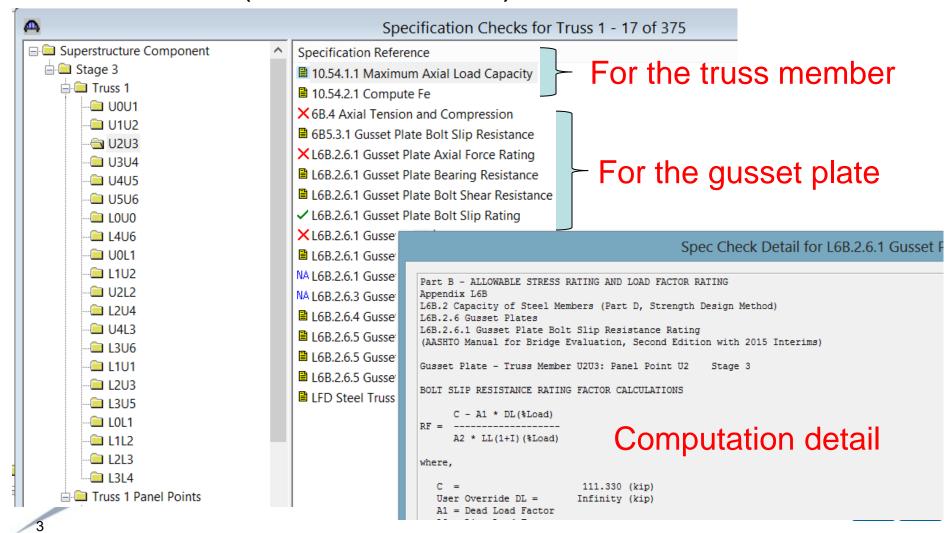
- Joint effort by Oklahoma and AASHTO
- LRFR
- LFR
- Includes LRFR rating of longitudinal trusses





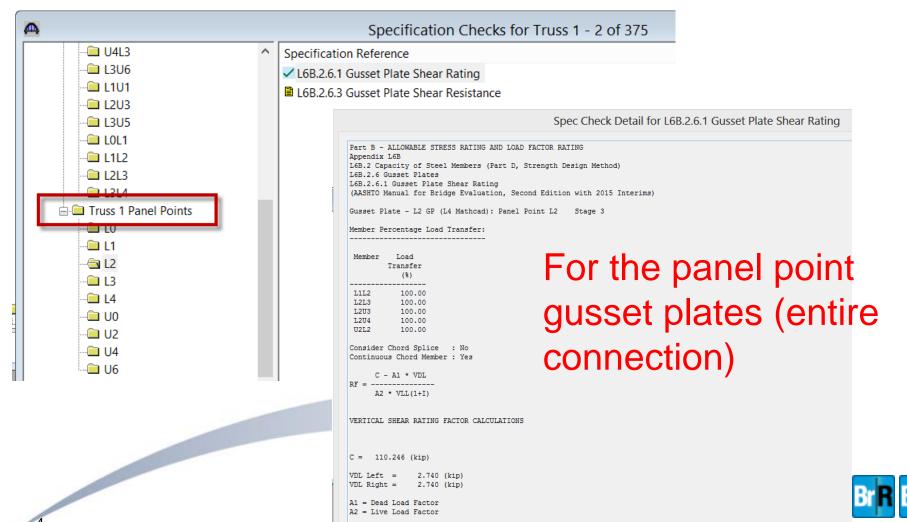
Truss and Gusset Plates

 Includes specification checking for the truss members (LFR and LRFR)



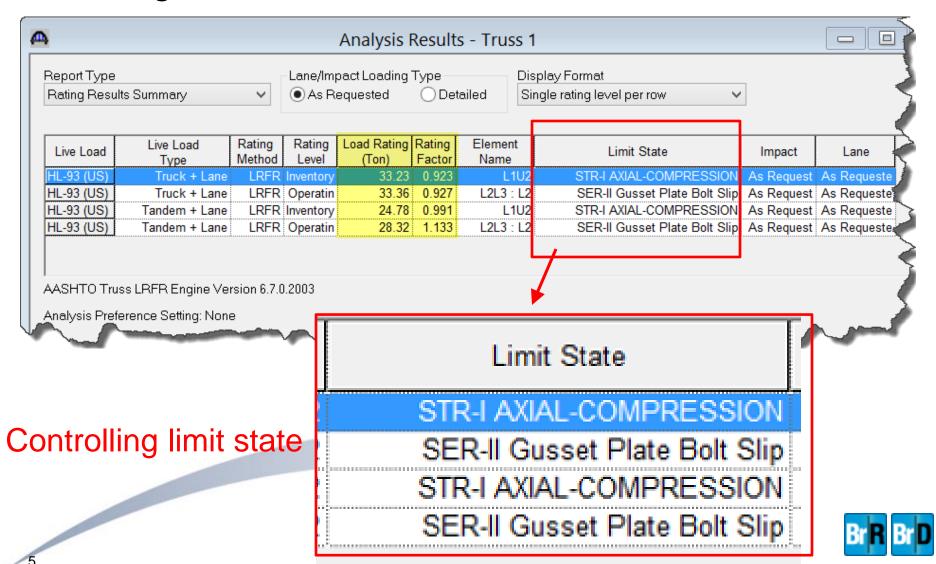
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Gusset Plates

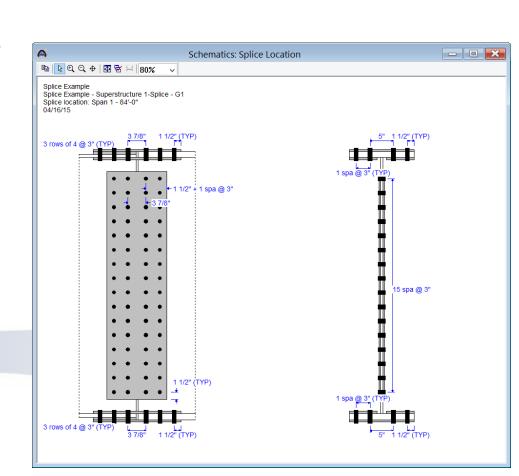
Rating results



6.7 New Feature – Splice Analysis

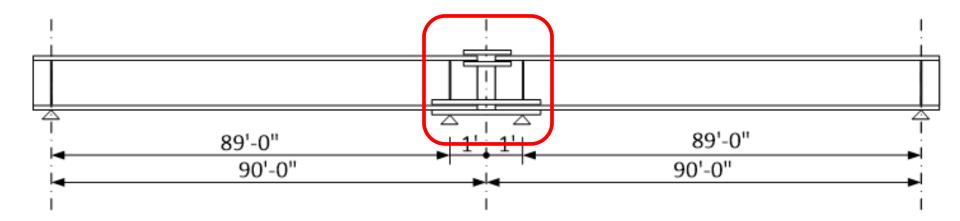
Analysis based on LFRD and LFD specs for steel plate girders

- LRFD splice analysis
- LRFR and LFR
- Hybrid girder splice capability
- Curved girder splice capability
- Partially funded by NYSDOT



Splice Analysis

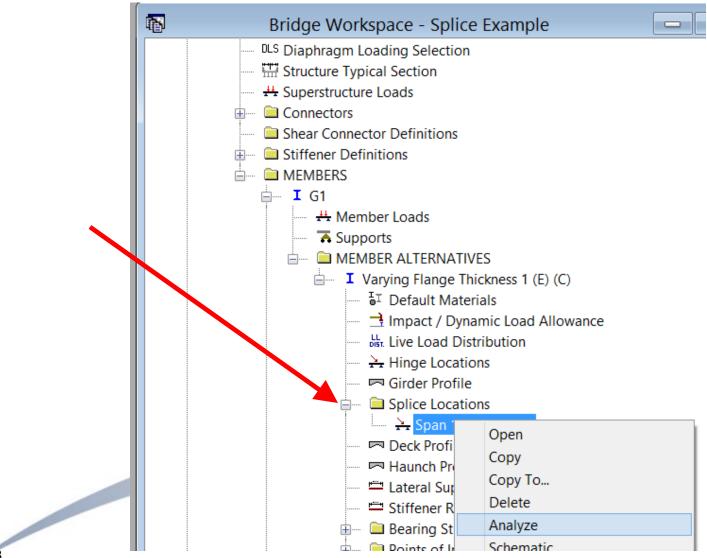
 Simple for DL, continuous for LL splice analysis





Splice Analysis

Analyze an individual splice





6.7 New Feature – Cut Top Strand

Cut Top Strands for Prestress Beams

- Funded by Michigan DOT
- Reduce tensile stresses in the top of the beam at release
- Straight pretensioned strands placed at top of beam
- Strands are debonded over majority of the center of the beam and then cut
- After cutting, only ends are engaged



6.7 New Feature – LL Distribution

Splayed Girder Computation of Distribution Factors

- Funded by Michigan DOT and Illinois DOT
- Enhance the DF computations to include splayed girder configurations
- Generates a table of DF
- Standard and LFRD spec



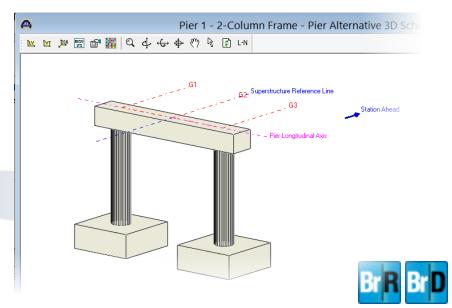
6.7 New Feature – R/C Slab System

R/C slab system in substructure

- Funded by KS DOT
- Analysis and spec-checking of a pier supporting a slab system superstructure

Load transfer of superstructure is uniformly

distributed



6.7 New Feature – Culvert

Culvert - General Procedure Shear Computation Method

- Add control options to select the "General Procedure"
- Control options for LRFD and LRFR





6.7 New Feature – Culvert

Culvert – Exposure Factor

- Funded by Illinois DOT
- Allows entry of different exposure factors for different surfaces





6.7 New Feature – Floor System

LRFR for Floor System and Truss System

- Ranked in the top 10 UG voting for past 3 years
- Adds LRFR analysis for:
 - Main Girders
 - > Floorbeams
 - > Stringers

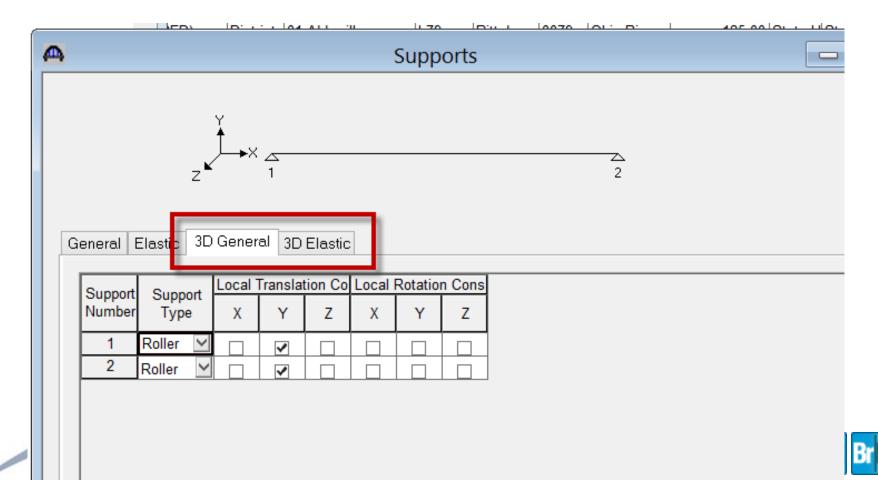




6.7 New Feature – 3D Modeling

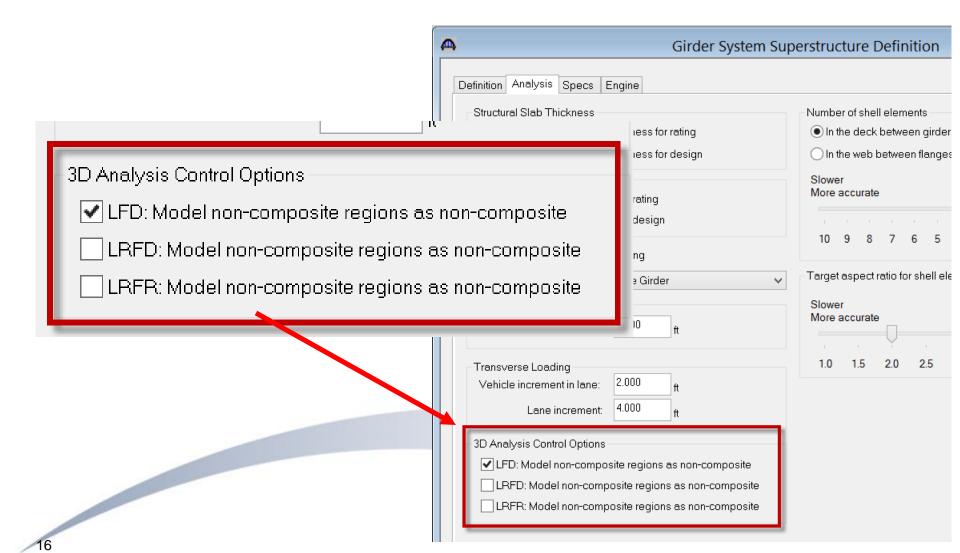
Straight Girder 3D Modeling Improvements

Support constraint options



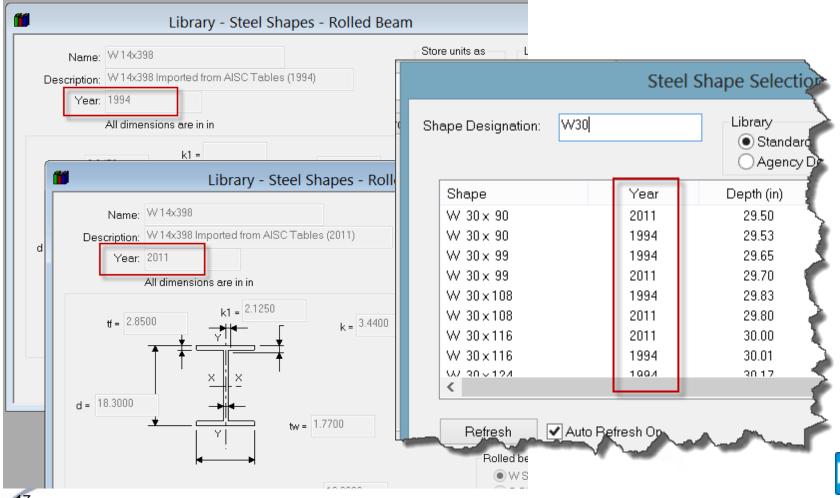
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Straight Girder 3D Modeling Improvements



6.7 New Feature – Steel Shapes

 Library Update - AISC Steel Shapes (14th Edition)





6.7 New Feature

LRFD/LRFR Lateral Flange Moment Report

Top Flange Lateral Moments Summary
Live Load Type 3
Impact = ** %

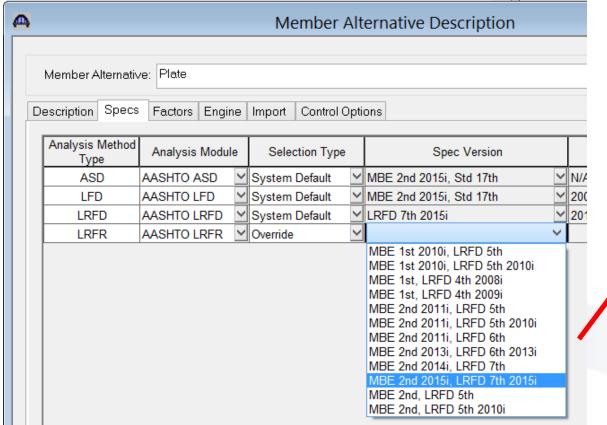
Span 1

Location (ft)	Percent	DC Load (kip-ft)	DW Load (kip-ft)	+(LL+I) (kip-ft)	Controlling Live Load	-(LL+I) (kip-ft)	Controlling Live Load
0.00(R)	0.0	0.02	0.02	0.12	Axle Load	-0.06	Axle Load
16.13(L)	10.0	0.02	-0.02	0.56	Axle Load	-0.68	Axle Load
16.13(R)	10.0	0.02	-0.02	0.56	Axle Load	-0.68	Axle Load
20.16(L)	12.5	0.04	0.09	0.87	Axle Load	-0.55	Axle Load
20.16(R)	12.5	0.03	0.10	0.87	Axle Load	-0.55	Axle Load
32.25(L)	20.0	0.04	0.08	0.84	Axle Load	-0.45	Axle Load
32.25(R)	20.0	0.02	0.05	0.84	Axle Load	-0.45	Axle Load
40.31(L)	25.0	0.05	0.13	1.05	Axle Load	-0.47	Axle Load
40.31(R)	25.0	0.06	0.16	1.05	Axle Load	-0.47	Axle Load
48.38(L)	30.0	0.09	0.07	0.77	Axle Load	-0.49	Axle Load
40.20/D)	20.0	0.00	0.00	0.77	A1 _ T1	0.40	A1 _ T1



6.7 Updated Feature

- AASHTO Engine Specification Updates
 - ☐ MBE 2nd Edition, 2015 interim
 - ☐ LRFD 7th Edition 2015 interim



MBE 1st 2010i, LRFD 5th
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MBE 2nd 2011i, LRFD 5th
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User Requested Enhancements

User Group Top Enhancements

Bridge Design / Bridge Rating - Top User Group (RADBUG) Balloted Enhancements

Ranking	Description	Status
1	Copy and paste shear reinforcement ranges	Included in 6.7 release
2	Consider sloped portion of bent longitudinal reinforcement in bending and shear capacities	Included in 6.7 release
3	Perform 3D FEM analysis for dead load and/or live load only	Included in 6.7 release
4	Non-standard gage vehicle analysis on floor system superstructures	Included feasibility study of 3D floor system model in 6.8 Work Plan
6	Revise culvert LFD LL distribution computation	Included in 6.7 release
14	Consider development length of deck reinforcements	Included in 6.7 release



6.7 Maintenance Enhancements

- Allow negative epsilon in concrete shear computation
- Report actions for both sides of a point-ofinterest
- User-defined DL distribution by percentage



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Design

Design Tools - 2016

Automated Prestressed Concrete Beam Design

- Completed the software design
 - Phase 1 Single Beam Design
 - Phase 2 Framing Plan Design
- Nearly complete with the user interface development for Phase 1
- Release of the first phase
 - 1st quarter 2016

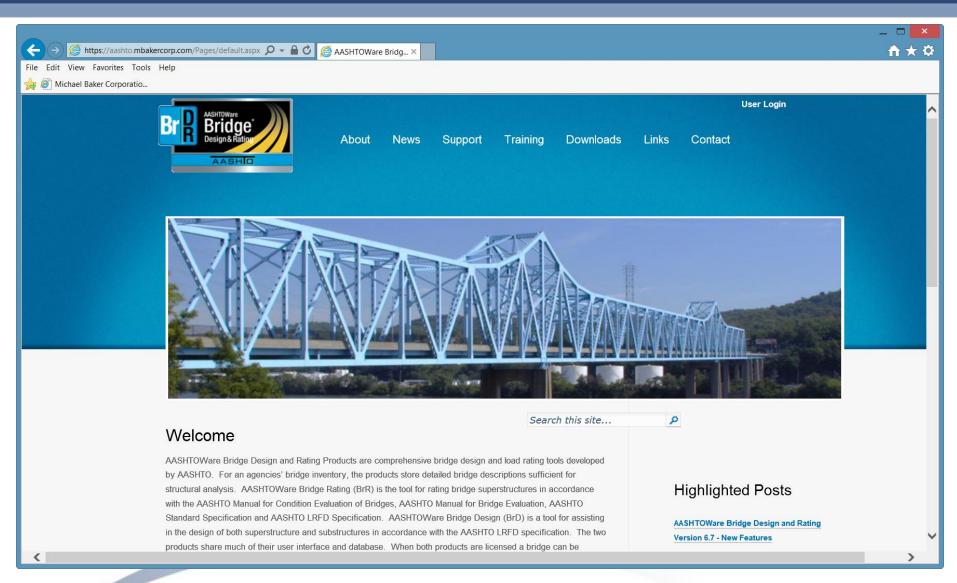
Design Tools – 2016

Steel Plate Girder Design Optimization

- Software design is in progress
 - Formulating the steel design algorithm



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More than 50 tutorials

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∃ Category	: 3D FEM Analysis (2)		
73	STL8 - Single Span Steel 3D Example	812 KB	4/28/2015
7	STL9 - Curved Steel 3D Example	1952 KB	4/28/2015
∃ Category	: Culvert (1)		
7	CVT1 - Two-Cell RC Box Culvert Example	1339 KB	4/24/2015
∃ Category	: Distribution Factor Analysis (3)		
72	DF1 - DistributionFactorAnalysisExample	702 KB	9/16/2008
7	DF2 - DistributionFactorAnalysis Example	771 KB	7/22/2008
7	DF3 - DistributionFactorAnalysis(LRFR)	459 KB	4/24/2015
∃ Category	: Feature (17)		
7	2014 Spec Update Overview	773 KB	8/4/2014
7	ADJ1 - Adjacent Lane	1999 KB	8/4/2014
7	Bridge X - Bridge Exchange Feature Example	318 KB	9/16/2008
7	Capacity Override	317 KB	1/1/2014
7	EI1 - ExportingImportingData	475 KB	7/26/2012
7	F1 - FlaredGirderExample	682 KB	4/28/2015
7	Field Verified Wearing Surface Thickness	799 KB	7/26/2012
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Reception Today



Immediately following RADBUG

Tuesday, August 4th 5:30 p.m. to 7:30 p.m.

Refreshments will be served



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