

**detailed problems acc. to Eurocode 3**

EC 3-1-5 (12.10), NA: Deutschland

**steel grade**

steel grade S 355

**cross-section**

buckling field: thickness  $t = 30.0$  mm, width  $b = 3260.0$  mm

longitudinal stiffeners: number  $n_{st} = 3$

section parameters (trapezoidal section):

$h = 150.0$  mm,  $b_f = 100.0$  mm,  $t = 10.0$  mm,  $b = 150.0$  mm

distance of the first stiffener to the top edge of plate  $d_{st,0} = 815.0$  mm

constant distance of stiffeners  $d_{st} = 815.0$  mm

**parameters**

length of buckling field  $a = 300.0$  cm

method of effective cross-sectional area

verification in beam field

calculation of buckling factors with 4H-tool

effective cross-sectional properties:  $A_{eff}$  solely from compression,  $W_{eff}$  solely from bending

**loading**

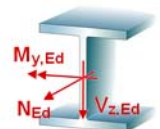
internal forces and moments referring to the stiffened cross-section:

Lk 1:  $N_{Ed} = -26996.0$  kN

**partial safety factors for material**

resistance of cross-sections  $\gamma_{M0} = 1.00$

resistance of members in stability failure  $\gamma_{M1} = 1.10$



**verifications of buckling resistance**

assumption: flange induced web buckling is excluded.

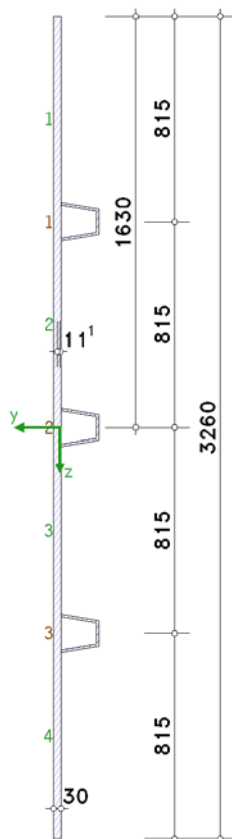
assumption: local buckling of stiffeners is excluded.

assumption: rotational ability of stiffeners for stress redistribution is sufficient.

assumption: plate area is supported rigidly.

the assumptions are not checked !!

scale 1:30.0



**method of effective cross-sectional area**

EC 3-convention, compressive stresses positive

shear distortions are ignored.

cross-sectional properties:  $A = 1093.66 \text{ cm}^2$ ,  $z_s = 1630.0 \text{ mm}$ ,  $I_y = 9176849.51 \text{ cm}^4$ ,  $y_s = 11.1 \text{ mm}$ ,  $I_z = 14742.39 \text{ cm}^4$ maximum/minimum stresses:  $\sigma_o = 246.8 \text{ N/mm}^2$ ,  $\sigma_u = 246.8 \text{ N/mm}^2$ **plate buckling**effective cross-sectional area for  $N_{Ed} = 26996.0 \text{ kN}$ ,  $M_{Ed} = 0$ 

single buckling field 1:

section class 1 for  $c/t = 24.75 < 26.85$ effective width  $b_{c,eff} = b = 742.6 \text{ mm}$  ( $b_{e1} = 371.3 \text{ mm}$ ,  $b_{e2} = 371.3 \text{ mm}$ )

single buckling field 2:

section class 1 for  $c/t = 22.34 < 26.85$ effective width  $b_{c,eff} = b = 670.1 \text{ mm}$  ( $b_{e1} = 335.1 \text{ mm}$ ,  $b_{e2} = 335.1 \text{ mm}$ )

single buckling field 3:

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overall buckling field, stiffener 1:

critical buckling stress  $\sigma_{cr,p} = \alpha_{cr} \cdot \sigma_{Ed} = 466.7 \text{ N/mm}^2$ ,  $\alpha_{cr} = 1.891$  (4H-tool)buckling slenderness ratio  $\lambda_p = (\beta_A \cdot f_y / \sigma_{cr,p})^{1/2} = 0.872$ ,  $\beta_A = A_{sl,eff} / A_{sl} = 1.000$ reduction factor  $\rho = (\lambda_p - 0.055 \cdot (3 + \psi)) / \lambda_p^2 = 0.857 \leq 1$  for  $\lambda_p > 0.5 + (0.085 - 0.055 \cdot \psi)^{1/2} = 0.673$ ,  $\psi = 1.000$ critical buckling stress  $\sigma_{cr,c} = \sigma_{cr,c,sl} \cdot \sigma_1 / \sigma_{sl} = 372.5 \text{ N/mm}^2$ ,  $\sigma_1 / \sigma_{sl} = 1.000$ ,  $\sigma_{cr,c,sl} = 372.5 \text{ N/mm}^2$ buckling slenderness ratio  $\lambda_c = (\beta_A \cdot f_y / \sigma_{cr,c})^{1/2} = 0.976$ ,  $\beta_A = A_{sl,eff} / A_{sl} = 1.000$ reduction factor  $\chi_c = 0.537 \leq 1$  for  $\lambda_c > 0.2$ final reduction factor  $\rho = (\rho - \chi_c) \cdot \xi \cdot (2 - \xi) + \chi_c = 0.678$  with  $\xi = 0.253$ effective widths of adjacent buckling fields  $b_{1,e2,eff} = \rho \cdot b_{1,c,eff} = 251.9 \text{ mm}$ ,  $b_{2,e1,eff} = \rho \cdot b_{2,c,eff} = 227.3 \text{ mm}$ effective area of stiffener  $A_{sl,eff} = \rho \cdot A_{st} = 26.15 \text{ cm}^2$ 

overall buckling field, stiffener 2:

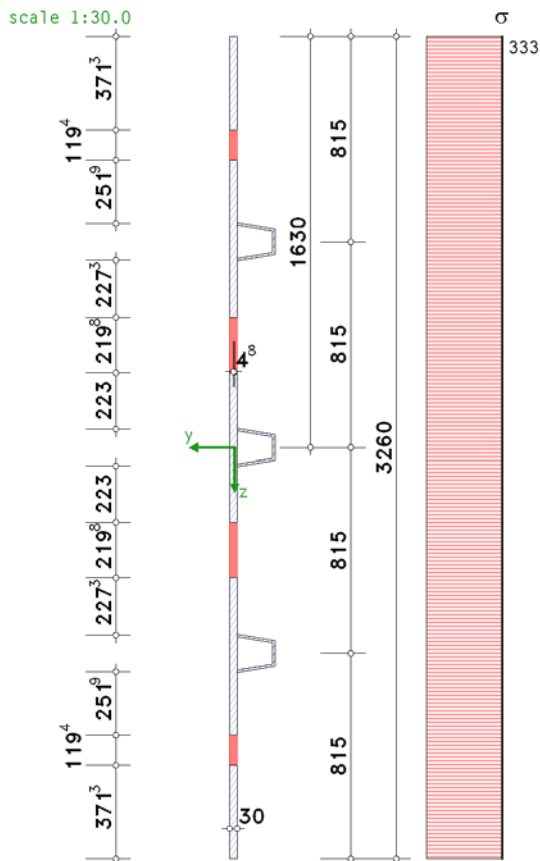
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limit loads referring to the reduced cross-section:

distance of centroid from top  $z_{s,eff} = 1630.0 \text{ mm}$ cross-sectional area  $A_{eff} = 811.04 \text{ cm}^2$ load capacities  $N_{Rd} = (f_y \cdot A_{eff}) / \gamma_{M0} = 28792.06 \text{ kN}$



verification

$IN_{Ed}/N_{Rd} = 0.938 < 1$  ok.

total utilization:  $U = 0.938 < 1$  ok.

## Final Result

maximum utilization:  $\max U = 0.938 < 1$  ok.

verifications succeeded

## Regulations

DIN EN 1990, Eurocode 0: Grundlagen der Tragwerksplanung;

Deutsche Fassung EN 1990:2002 + A1:2005 + A1:2005/AC:2010, Ausgabe Dezember 2010

DIN EN 1990/NA, Nationaler Anhang zur DIN EN 1990, Ausgabe Dezember 2010

DIN EN 1993-1-1, Eurocode 3: Bemessung und Konstruktion von Stahlbauten -

Teil 1-1: Allgemeine Bemessungsregeln und Regeln für den Hochbau;

Deutsche Fassung EN 1993-1-1:2005 + AC:2009, Ausgabe Dezember 2010

DIN EN 1993-1-1/NA, Nationaler Anhang zur DIN EN 1993-1-1, Ausgabe Dezember 2010

DIN EN 1993-1-5, Eurocode 3: Bemessung und Konstruktion von Stahlbauten -

Teil 1-5: Plattenförmige Bauteile;

Deutsche Fassung EN 1993-1-5:2006 + AC:2009, Ausgabe Dezember 2010

DIN EN 1993-1-5/NA, Nationaler Anhang zur DIN EN 1993-1-5, Ausgabe Dezember 2010