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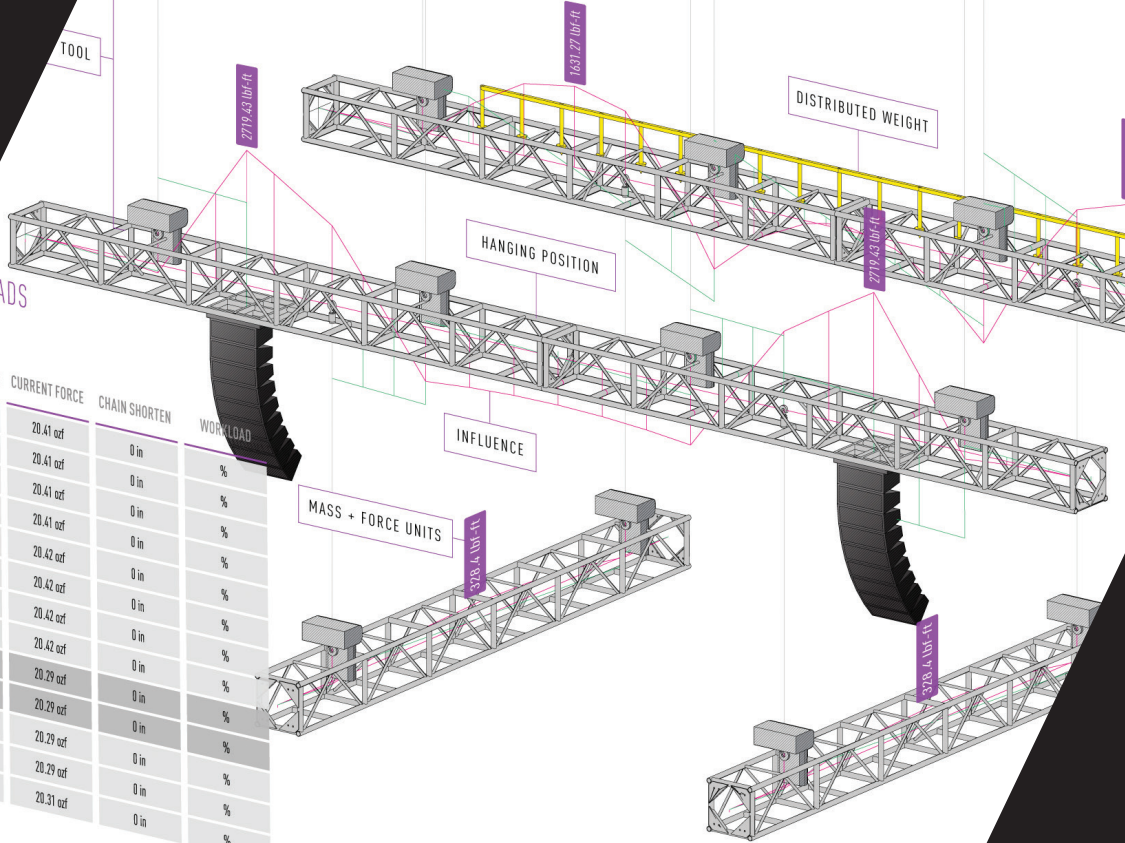
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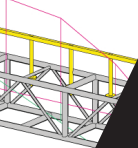
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WORKLOADS

	ALLOWABLE FORCE	CURRENT FORCE	CHAIN SHORTEN	WORKLOAD
	0.00 ozf	20.41 ozf	0 in	%
HP	0.00 ozf	20.41 ozf	0 in	%
HP	0.00 ozf	20.41 ozf	0 in	%
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HP	0.00 ozf	20.42 ozf	0 in	%
M13	0.00 ozf	20.29 ozf	0 in	%
M14	0.00 ozf	20.29 ozf	0 in	%
M15	0.00 ozf	20.29 ozf	0 in	%
M16	0.00 ozf	20.29 ozf	0 in	%
	0.00 ozf	20.31 ozf	0 in	%



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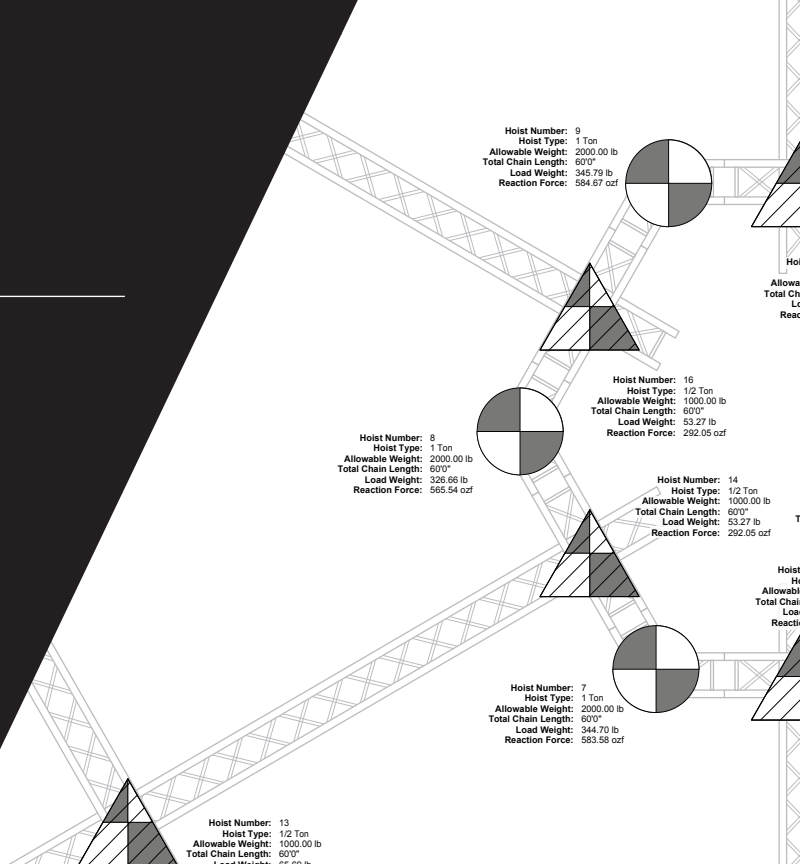
ENTERTAINMENT RIGGING **ANALYSIS MODULE**

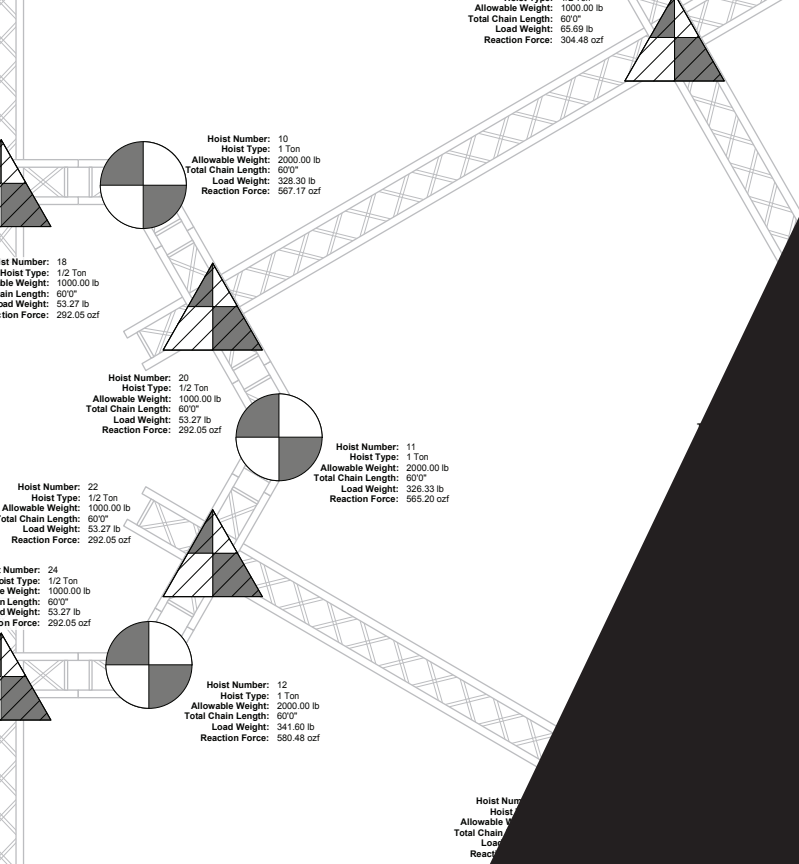
The Braceworks™ add-on module for Vectorworks® Spotlight and Designer software provides design, production, and rigging professionals with an easy way to gauge the performance of temporary structures under load.

This one-of-a-kind module helps ensure safety and compliance with engineering codes and standards, creating a completely integrated modeling, analysis, and documentation process in one interface.

DISCOVER PEACE OF MIND

Why do you need it? Regulatory requirements, such as the Eurocodes, and increasing requirements from venues, municipalities, and building owners, are leading to the need for event design, A/V, and rigging companies to produce load and structure calculations for sign off by structural engineers.





Braceworks will save you time and money — it allows you to generate certifiable documentation, within the same file containing your event design.

Rest assured, Braceworks is a solution you can trust. It was developed in collaboration with DeerSoft GmbH with input from rigging professionals, venue operators, and event planning firms, so we're confident it will deliver the results you need.

MAKE SMART DECISIONS

- Analyze complete 3D structural systems
- Conduct static analyses — results display graphically on the model for easy reference with the Finite Element Analysis (FEA) model

values for the cross section. In addition, the other
same row. All reactions of one point result in its cross

Mt	Mby	Mbz
		-

These values are in

Vy	Vz
3788.93 ozf	3788.93 ozf

Truss Geometry

The following geometric parameters are u

Angle braces vertical a_v	Angle horiz
39.00°	

Proof of load capacity

The cross section is prov

Proof	Beam dist
Nx	T30
Vy	
Vz	

12641.82 lb

used in the calculation of the workload:

Horizontal a_h	Lever s_z	Lever s_y
39.00°	9.45 in	9.45 in

...ven by comparing the resistance of the cross section with the calculated impact

Calculation	Value
	0.00

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...ance

J_2 @ 0 in	
T6_1 @ 0 in	
T24_1 @ 2.16 in	
T13_2 @ 0 in	
Mby	T13_1 @ 98.42 in
Mbz	T13_2 @ 0 in

$$F_{G1} = \frac{N_x}{4} - \frac{M_{by}}{2 * S_z} - \frac{M_{bz}}{2 * S_y} + \frac{|M_x|}{2}$$

Braceworks:

- Supports point and distributed load types, straight and curved structural objects, and multiple materials, such as aluminum or steel
- Includes support for load calculation and truss structure Eurocodes and upcoming ESTA standards, such as the E1.6
- Automatically generates detailed calculation reports
- Exports files as DSTV to easily share information with structural engineers

TRANSFORM THE WORLD.
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