

AGENDA

VIBRATIONS ANALYSIS with CREO Simulate

All topics will be illustrated with hands-on examples

FUNDAMENTALS OF STRUCTURAL FEA

- A brief overview of the Finite Element Method
- FEA in p-version as implemented in Pro/Mechanica
- Discretization error and Convergence process
- Shape functions
- Accuracy of results

STATIC ANALYSIS

- Convergence of static analysis measures
- Quantities calculated in static analysis

MODAL ANALYSIS

- Formulation of eigenvalue problem
- Eigenvalues and eigenvectors
- Resonance
- Structures with symmetries, mode separation
- Local and global modes
- Applications of modal analysis
- Pre-stress modal analysis
- Concept of modal superposition
- Meshing considerations for modal analysis

FORCED VIBRATIONS ANALYSIS

- Dynamic time analysis
- Dynamic frequency analysis
- Primary and secondary components, pilot studies
- Damping in forced vibrations problems
- Modelling supports

RANDOM VIBRATIONS

- Signal processing with Fourier's transformation
- The concept of Power Spectral Density (PSD)
- PSD units
- White noise, pink noise
- Dynamic Random analysis with Pro/Mechanica

SEISMIC ANALYSIS

- Generating the Response Spectrum curve
- Method of modes combinations
- Example of seismic codes
- Modal analysis requirement for seismic analysis
- Dynamic Shock analysis with Pro/Mechanica