USING SELF-LOCKING CARPENTRY JOINTS IN PLYWOOD TO MODEL DRAGON SKIN SHELL AND ITS STRENGTH PROPERTIES

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How to use simple flat plywood for two-curved structures?





Curved surface can be formed with help of:

METHOD

- correct geometry of lamellae
- under squinted scarf-joint for connections









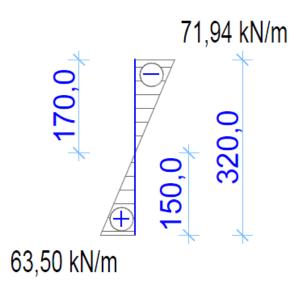




RESULTS

- Shear stregth of under squinted scarf-joint was 2,30 N/mm² (Seliste V., Teppand T. 2011)
- Shear strength (mean) of glue-connection in plywood from 3,92 N/mm² (Siim K. 2011).





 Compressive test of lower (A) level of dome-shell and calculated distributed forces (Turk T. et al 2015).



THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION!

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