

RELEASE NOTES

for

BRASS-TRUSS[™] Version 2.2

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General

The BRASSTM incident tracking system can be found at <u>www.wydot-brass.com</u>. Users without an account on the incident tracking system can request an account by clicking on the "Open a Technical Support Account" link/button and e-mailing the address or calling the phone number listed. A username and password will be created and sent to the user. All BRASSTM technical support questions should be logged in this system.

Program Maintenance

The following issues were addressed for this release. The incident number is listed in parentheses after each issue if applicable.

Maintenance

- Updated the GUI to Visual Studio 2013. (858)
- ▶ Updated the integration modules for AASHTOWare Bridge to Visual Studio 2013. (867)

Bug Fixes

- Added a note to the output to clarify that a wheel fraction is double the distribution factor. (741)
- Revised the GUI to delete temporary files, so an analysis can be run more than one time without closing the GUI. (891)
- Corrected some rating factor calculations so the sign of the allowable stress and the resistance matched. Previous negative rating factors are now reported as positive values. (1048)