

# Cable road layout planner



## Seilaplan

*Seilaplan is a tool that supports the design of cable roads for timber harvesting. It works as a QGIS-Plugin.*

Starting point of the calculation are terrain data (digital elevation model or field measurement data in CSV format), machine and cable road properties.

The program calculates the skyline tensile forces, the skyline sag, support saddle forces. By knowing the rope forces, critical constructions can be avoided. This increases the safety at work.

Seilaplan includes an optimization algorithm that proposes the height and location of the supports. The load path of the skyline together with the terrain profile are displayed graphically and a construction manual is generated. Coordinates and saddle height of the supports can be saved as CSV and KML data so that they are electronically available for further planning steps.

The planning of cable road layout goes much faster. The calculated routing takes advantage of the natural terrain shapes and helps to reduce overall harvesting costs in mountainous regions and steep terrain.

## DETALJI

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### PODRIJETLO DRVA

Šuma

### VRSTA DRVA

Deblo

### ODGOVARAJUĆA VRSTA DRVA

stemwood and full trees

### UTJECAJ NA OKOLIŠ I BIORAZNOLIKOST

The cost reduction will allow new, poorly accessible areas to be developed and additional timber to be harvested.

This has a positive effect on the protective function of the forest in the mountains and it promotes adaptation to climate change.

### UČINAK NA PRIHOD

Improved profitability of logging in steep terrain

### POTENCIJAL ISKORISTIVOSTI

For forest owners and forest contractors

### SREDIŠTE

Centralno-istočno čvorište

### GOSPODARSKI UČINAK

Reduced installation cost, improved profitability

### POTENCIJAL ZA POVEĆANJE UPORABE DRVA

> 100'000 m<sup>3</sup> for Switzerland

### POTENCIJAL ODRŽIVOSTI - VRIJEDNOST

Vrlo pozitivno

### JEDNOSTAVNOST PROVEDBE

Very easy

### JEDNOSTAVNOST PROVEDBE - EVALUACIJA

Very Easy

### KLJUČNI PREDUVJETI

Terrain data must be available or collected along the planned line.

### VRSTA DOGAĐAJA NA KOJEM JE PRIKAZAN OVAJ BPI

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### UČINAK NA ZAPOŠLJIVOST

Faster and saver skyline layout planing

### TROŠKOVI PROVEDBE (EURO - €)

100

**POTREBNA POSEBNA ZNANJA**

Knowledge of QGis is necessary

## VIŠE DETALJA

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### IZAZOV

5. Unaprjeđenje učinkovitosti lanca opskrbe šumom na gospodarstvo i okoliš

### KLJUČNE RIJEČI

cable road

skyline

QGis plugin

mountain forest

### ZEMLJA PODRIJETLA

Švicarska

### DOMENA

Upravljanje šumama, uzgoj šuma, usluge ekosustava, otpornost

### DIGITALNO RJEŠENJE

Da

### VRSTA RJEŠENJA

Savjetodavni i uslužni alati za vlasnike šuma

### INOVACIJA

Da

### PODRUČJE PRIMJENE

Kontinentalno

### POČETAK I KRAJ GODINE

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## REFERENCES AND RESOURCES

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### WEB STRANICA PROJEKTA

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LOGO PRIMJERA DOBRE PRAKSE

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