

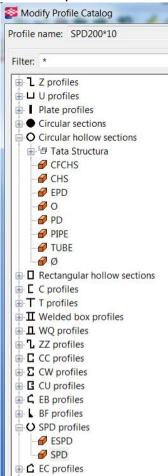
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How to create Pipe Development Drawing

Following procedure explains how one can create pipe development drawing with dimensions from Tekla Structures.

1) Create Pipe/tubular members with PD or SPD profiles



2) Create connections at node using Tekla System macros. Ex. - Round Tube(23) or Tube plug-ins.



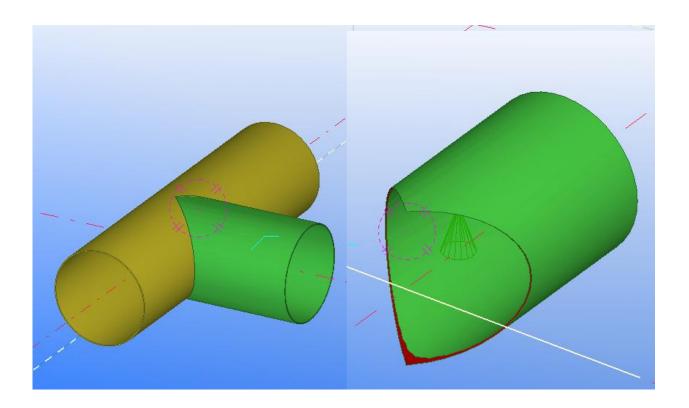
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3) Create Single part drawing using IND-Development setting.



4) Go to view properties → Set view scale etc & rotate view if required to orient it different way.

Dimensioning Wrap around

1. Tekla Structures individually draws the inner and outer surfaces of tubes that are thicker than value set using below variable,

set XS_TUBE_UNWRAP_LIMIT_THICKNESS =16.0

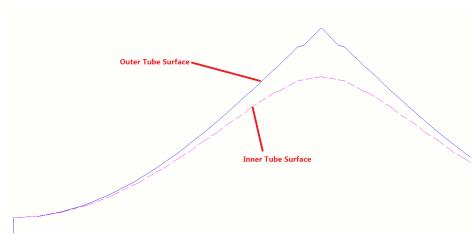
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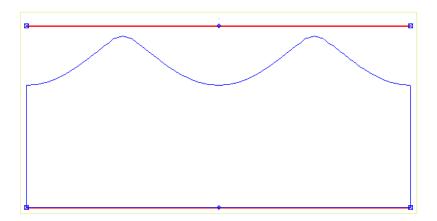


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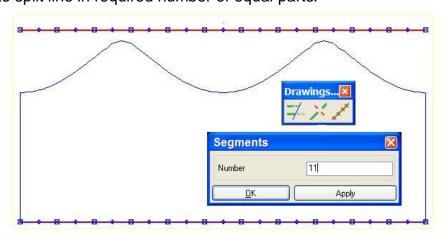


2. Draw line at bottom edge & copy it at top using copy command with "ortho" switched on.



5) Use divide command to split line in required number of equal parts.





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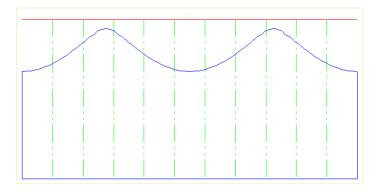
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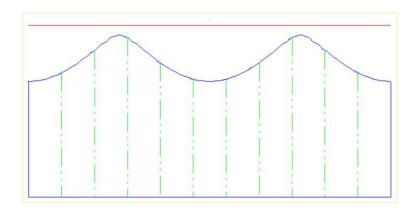
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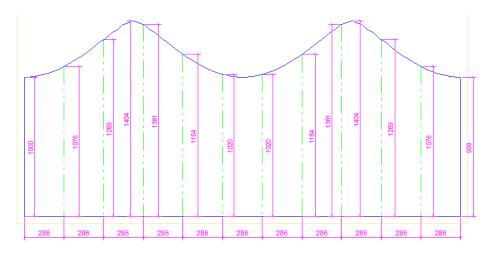
6) Switch on only end point snap & create vertical generator lines.



7) Use Trim command to trim generator lines along curve.



8) Use horizontal & vertical dimension command to complete development dimensioning. Repeat same steps for dimensioning inner surface.



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