## Place Default Poles on a Lidar Based File

This walkthrough shows how to build a design on a profile created from Lidar Data. The walk through is also appropriate for any job where there are existing poles. The purpose of this tool is to provide a starting point for your design that you can then amend to suit the reality of your job.

It is assumed that the lidar data has already been imported, the digital terrain model formed, and a profile created.

- 1. Open the file you wish to use.
- 2. Go to the Profile view. You should see something similar to the screen below.



- 3. Press the button **Conductors need to be added. Press this button.**
- 4. A new form will be displayed. This form is used to add conductors to the current Profile. In this example we will add 2 conductors as it is clear from the lidar that there are 2 circuits in this span. Press **Save** once you have entered the data and you will be returned to the Profile view.

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Cond	Conductor Properties Cancel										
	Voltage	Conductor Group	Conductor	Everyday Load (%CBL)	No. of Wires	Max. Temperature (°C)	Min. Temperature (°C)	Comment			
	11	Standard	Flourine : AAAC 1120 7/3.00 Fluorine	12	3	65	0				
	LV	Standard	SC/GZ 3/2.75 : SC/GZ 3/2.75	12	4	65	0				
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The Profile view will now look similar to that below.

5. Press the button Default Poles need to be added. Press this button.

6. A new form will be displayed as shown below. Enter appropriate data and press **Place Poles**.

C Place Def	ault Poles on Profi	le: Profile1								
Cancel				Place Poles						
		Pole Group :	Wood							
		Length Description :	11 m •							
		Strength Description :	5 kN							
		Setting Depth (m) :	1.70							
		Stabilised Backfill :								
		Width Below Ground (mm) :								
		Soil Type :	Good							
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	Conductor		Conductor							
		11 Flourine @ 12% x3 wires								
		LV SC/GZ 3/2.75 @ 12% x4 wires								
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[	- Strain Crossarn Crossarm Gro	ns	Pin Crossarms							
	Standard		Standard							
	Crossarm		Crossarm							
	Strain 3Ph 24	400x150x100	Delta Inter. 3Ph 2400x100x100							
	Use Altern	ate Crossarm for centre phase switching	Use Alternate Crossarm for centre phase switching							
	Alternate Cro	ssarm to use	Alternate Crossarm if switching centre phase							
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		Max. Deviation Angle f	or Pin crossarms (° 12							
		Process Field (	Codes (e.g. %PO, %YT, %YA etc) 🗹							
		Use same pole group fo	r %PL & %PS code interpretation 🗹							
			%YA codes are Kingbolt Heights 🗹							
		This is an existing pro	file O This is a new profile O							
			Max. Span for placing poles on new profile (m) :							
				Place Poles						

You will then be returned to the Profile view which will look similar to the image below.

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File Design Design1	Profile Profile1	Circuits	onductors Place	Default Poles on Pr	ofile   Nothing to i	Undo Clear Und	do List Tables	Print Options Plots	Tools Report	rts Close						
			Circuits & Cros	sarms Simple Poin	t Loads Complex I	Point Loads Pol	le Plant Bases L	Logs Ground Stays	Aerial Stays Ima	iges						
Chainage (m): 0.000	Location Locked		Show King	bolt Data 🔲 Shr	w Wire Detail - In	ulator Type		Construction Type			Upgrade					
Asset No:	Strength:	5 kN 🔹			Conductor	Everyday	Crocentre	I I		Crosser	Kinahalt	Vicebelt	Lowest Wirz	Lowert		
Croups International	Measured		Profile Circui	t Type	Next Strain Pole	Load (%CBL)	Group	Crossarm		Angle (°)	Height Locked	Height (m)	Height Locked	Wire (m)	Comment	Brackets
Group: Wood	Strength (kN):		Profile1 1				Standard									Add Brackets
Length: 11 m	Part No.:															
Foundation		Use														
Setting Depth (m):	1.70 •	Non-Standard														
Stabilised Backfill:								-								
Width Below Ground (mm):								📄 📄 Height A								
Soil Type:	Good			1							2		Defect	ts by Pole Def	ects by Type	Markups
Soil Passive Resistance	1900	Use			/								D-P	ole 1		
(kPa/m):	1000	Non-Standard						lourine x3 @ 12.0%					D-P			
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Pole Comments	Survey Comments															
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Show Errors Only	Modify Wind Pressure and	d Strength Factors														
Choir Errors Only													Visua	IS Pole W	ires Stays	
Description	Result	^	1		10									Points		
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Loadcase	Utilisation (%)	Values (kN)												Comme		
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Sustained	150.69	4.49 / 2.98												Crosse	m Tyrnee	
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Horizontal Midspan Separation to new	t pole						~~~~~							Show W		
Circuit	Result (m)				·····											
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Crossarm Loads	(tilication (N))															
Crossarm Circuit 1	95,4 %													🗹 Update		
Conductor Tension Canacity to next no	ple															
Loadcase		Values (kN)														
Circuit 1 Hot		0.57 / 8.50														
Circuit 1 Cold	25.26	2.15 / 8.50 🔻	" ·					67.97								
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Chainage: 87.576 RL: 43.533 What	1 do 1 do?															

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7. It is clear from the lidar that there are 2 circuits in this span. To add the information for the second circuit press the option shown below.

G Profile: Profile1									
File - Design Design1	Profile Profile1	Circuits Conductors	Place Default Poles on	Profile   Nothing to	Undo Clear Un	do List Tables 🚽	Print Options - Plots - 1	ools Report	s Close
		Add Circuits	Crossarms Simple Po	int Loads Complex	Point Loads Po	le Plant Bases 8	Logs Ground Stays Aer	ial Stays Imag	jes
Chainage (m): 0.000	Location Locked	Delete Circuit 🔹 🕨	w Kingbolt Data 🔲 S	how Wire Detail In	sulator Type	``````````````````````````````````````	Construction Type		✓ Insulat
Asset No:	Strength: 5 kN	Trim Circuit	Attachment	Conductor to	Everyday	Crossarm		Dent No.	Crossarm
Carrier Internet	Measured	Extend Circuit	Сігсиіс Туре	Next Strain Pole	Load (%CBL)	Group	Crossarm	Part No.	Angle (°)
Group: Wood -	··· Strength (kN):	Profile1	1 Strain	11 Flourine x 3	12.0	Standard	Strain 3Ph 2400x150x100	1153/3//FUU/	157

8. A new form will be displayed. Make sure you select the items highlighted then press Add Circuit.

Add Circuit			
Cancel			Add Circuit
	Reference Circuit 1		
	- Is the new circuit above or be	alow the Reference Circuit ?	
	• Add Circuit Below	Add Circuit Above	
Select Conductor			
11 Flourine	e @12% x 3		
LV SC/GZ	3/2.75 @12% x 4		
Are the dista	nces bewteen circuits measured	between kingbolts or lowest wires ?	
Distances	are Kingbolt to Kingbolt	• Distances are Lowest wire to Lowest wire (POA's)	
Strain Crossarms		Pin Crossarms	
Distance from Reference Circ	uit (m) : 1	Distance from Reference Circuit (m) : 1	
Crossarm Group		Crossarm Group	
Standard	•	Standard	
Crossarm		Crossarm	
LV Strain 3Ph.	•	LV Pin 3Ph.	
Lise Alternate Crossarm	for centre phase switching		
	for centre phase switching	Use Alternate Crossarm for centre phase sw	ritching
Alternate Crossarm if swite	ching centre phase	Alternate Crossarm if switching centre phase	
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	Max. Deviation Angle for Pi	in crossarms (°) : 12	
	Start at Pole :		
	End at Pole :		
			Add Circuit

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You will be returned to the Profile View which will now look something like the image below, depending on the conductors used.



The user can now proceed to modify the data to model the existing line.