

# Guided Tutorial

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# 1. Download blender bim

First of all, You need to have blenderbim downloaded.

You can download it on the following page:

- <https://blenderbim.org/download.html>



# 2. Download our script

Second, go to our GitHub page, and download our script (main.py):

- [https://github.com/frejahbarkler/dtu\\_course\\_41934\\_group15/tree/main/A4](https://github.com/frejahbarkler/dtu_course_41934_group15/tree/main/A4)



It should look like this:



### 3. Save your ifc file in a folder named **model**

You should now create a folder at the same location as the script.

The folder should have the name: **model**

You can perhaps download the sample ifc-file via the following link

- [https://blenderbim.org/docs/users/exploring\\_an\\_ifc\\_model.html](https://blenderbim.org/docs/users/exploring_an_ifc_model.html)

Download sample IFC

### 4. Name your ifc file **model.ifc**



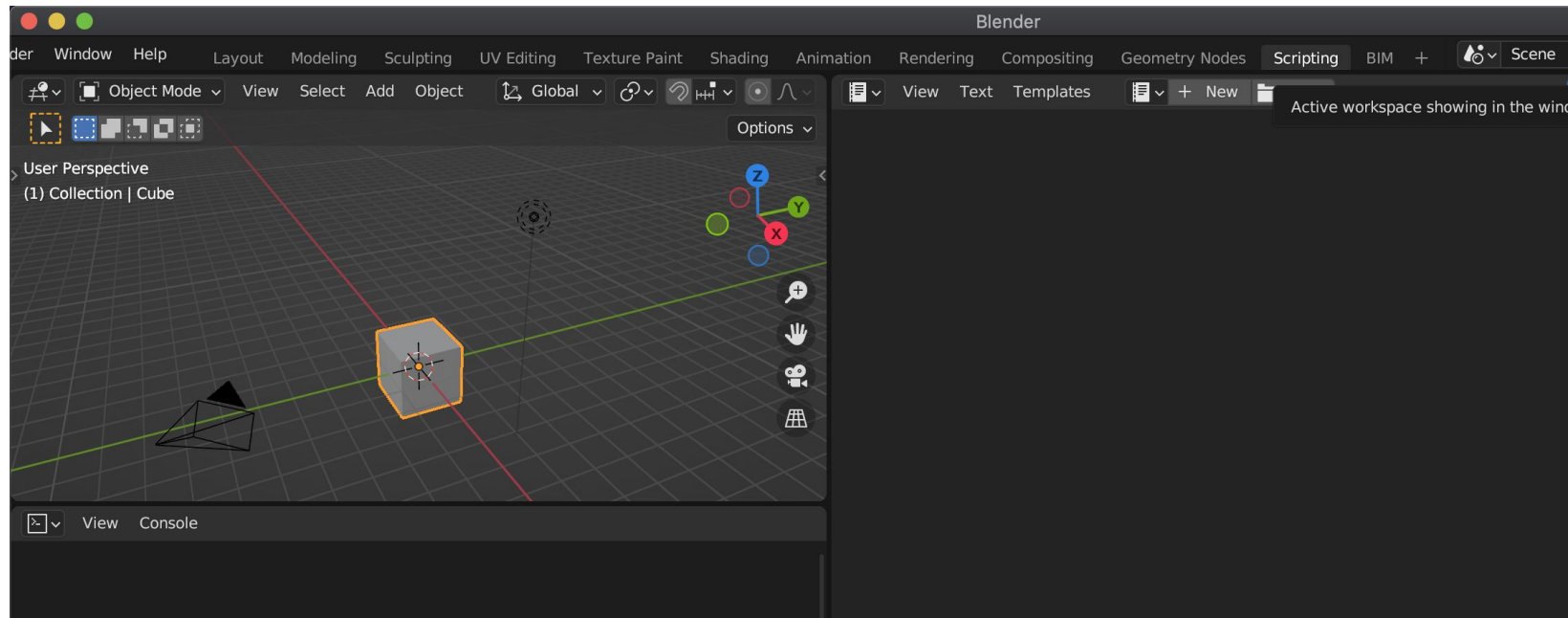
## 5. Open BlenderBim through Terminal

Open the terminal, find the path that guides to blender, and type "; ext;"

An example could be: `/Applications/Blender.app/Contents/MacOS/Blender ; exit;`

Then go to "scripting" mode inside BlenderBim

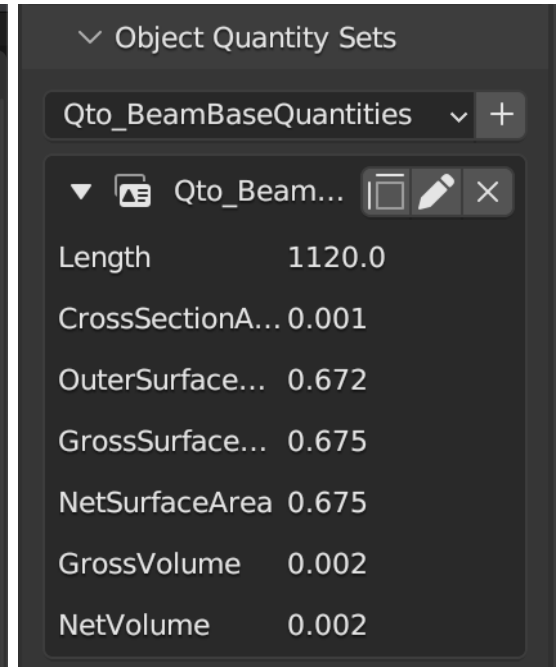
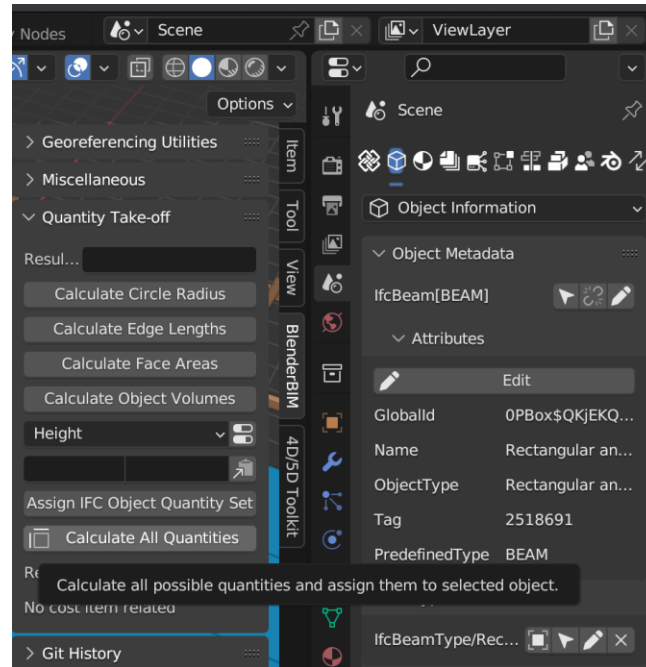
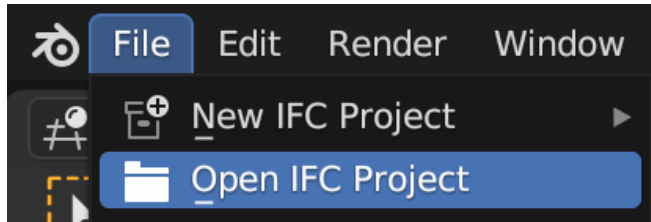
Scripting



# *OBS: Check that geometry is loaded into the model!*

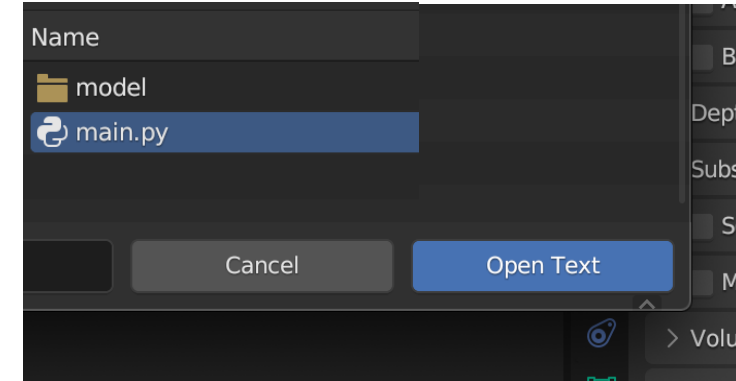
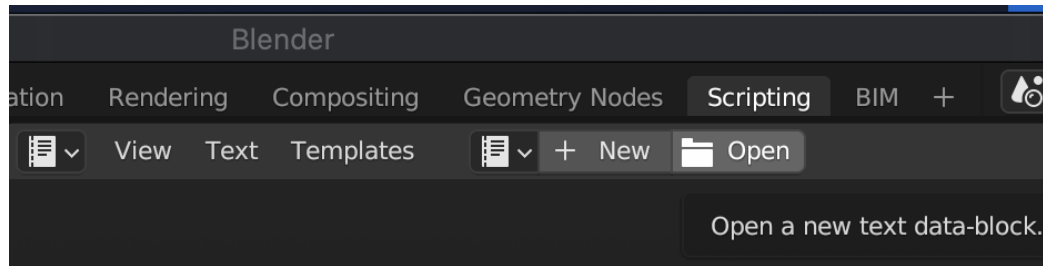
For this tool to work – make sure that the geometry is loaded into all structural objects in the model!

- This can be done by opening the model through blender, virtually clicking on the elements, and assigning them their geometric values.

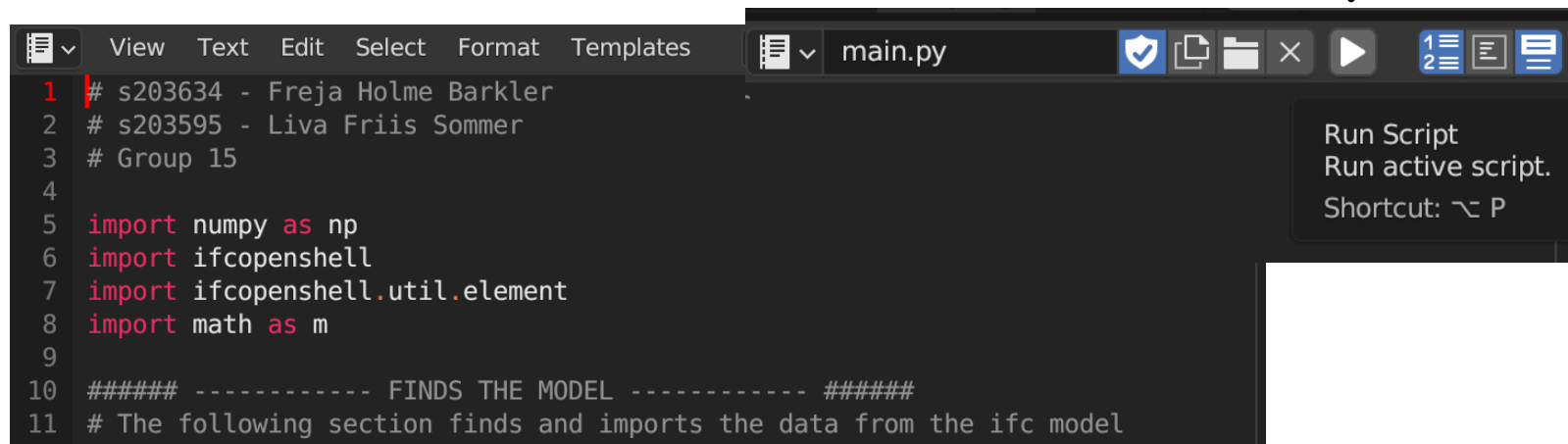


## 6. Open the python script in BlenderBim

... and press "Open Text"



## 7. Run the script



## 8. The output will be displayed in the terminal

Furthermore you'll have to follow the guidance, that is displayed in the terminal.

*Note: You'll have to answer the questions INSIDE the terminal in order to complete the export of the output!*

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In the following we will be considering the structural related parameters of the materials.  
You are given two options:  
  1. To assign the material parameters yourself for a list of 11 materials.  
  2. To choose already programmed values for a selected few materials.  
Please type the number of the option you choose:█
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(If you want to finish quickly, choose 2!)

After implementing your answers, the script will ask you to be patient while it produces the output - and exports it to an excel file!

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Please have patient, while the geometry and loads are being programmed. This might take a while.  
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## 9. The output excel-file

The output is now exported to an excel-file, that is automatically saved to your computer at the same location as the python file.

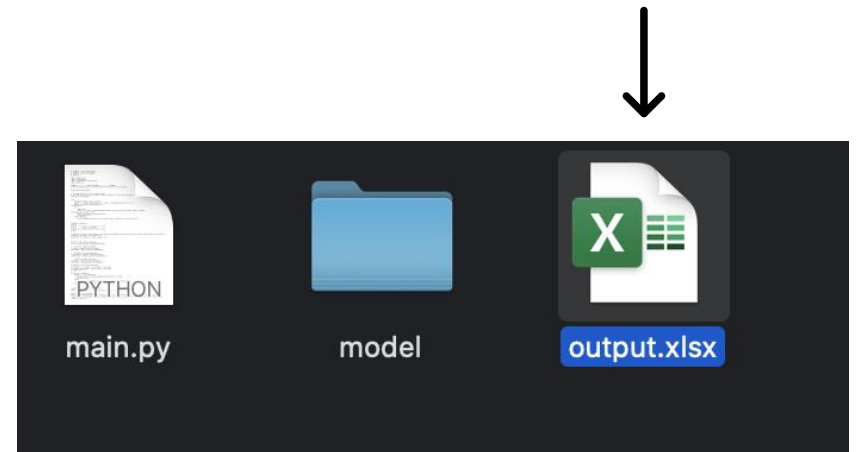
The excel file will have the name "output.xlsx"

*Note: If you already have a file at this location with an identical name, this file will overwrite your old excel file!*

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The waiting time is over!
The script will export data on the structural elements to an excel
file, which will be saved in same location as the workbook.
Moreover, the script saves a modified ifcmodel with the newly assigned
propertysets.

/main.py:855: UserWarning: Pandas requires version '3.0.3' or newer
of 'xlsxwriter' (version '1.2.9' currently installed).

The path of the excel file is,
/Users/frejaholmebarkler/Desktop/Advanced BIM/Python_Scripts_in_BI
ender/A4/output.xlsx
The path of the modified ifc model is,
/Users/frejaholmebarkler/Desktop/Advanced BIM/Python_Scripts_in_BI
ender/A4/model/my_ifcfile.ifc
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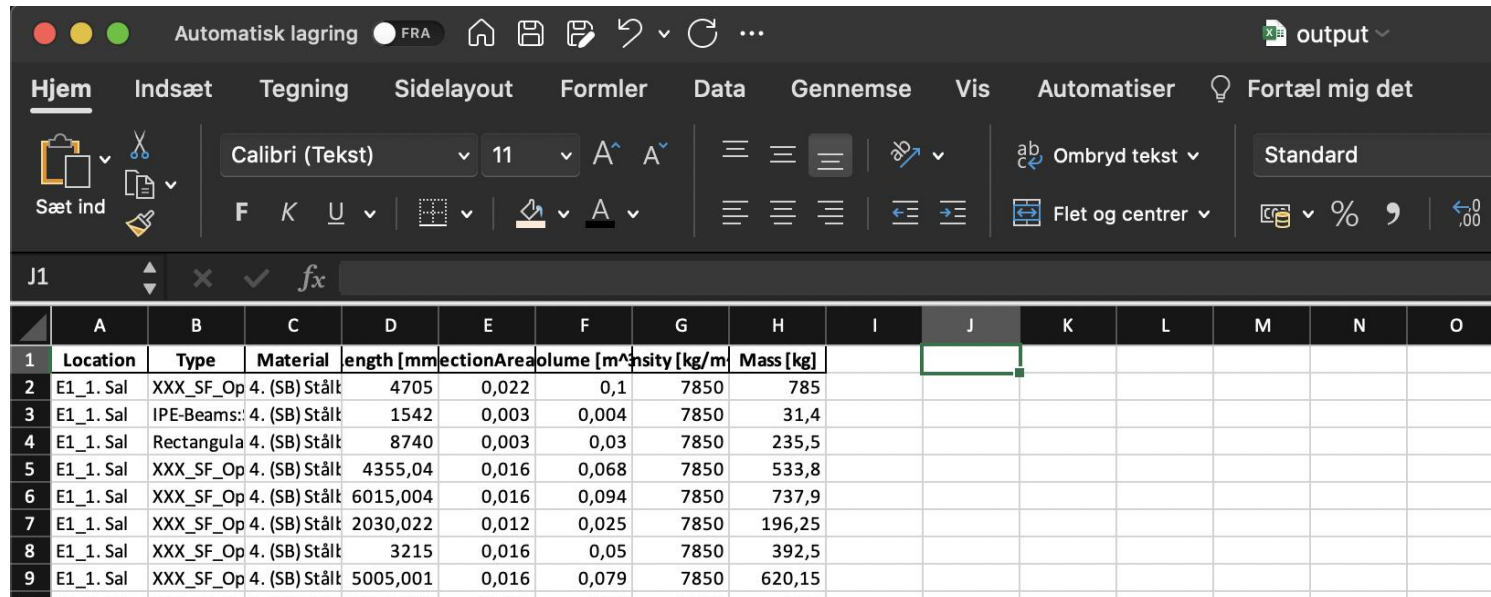




# 10. Access your results!

Now click on the output.xlsx file to access your data

*Note: The script will also save a new ifc-model, with the added information. It will be located next to the original ifc file and named: my\_ifcfile.ifc*



	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O
	Location	Type	Material	length [mm]	sectionArea	volume [m <sup>3</sup> ]	density [kg/m <sup>3</sup> ]	Mass [kg]							
1	E1_1. Sal	XXX_SF_Op 4. (SB) Stålk		4705	0,022	0,1	7850	785							
2	E1_1. Sal	IPE-Beams: 4. (SB) Stålk		1542	0,003	0,004	7850	31,4							
3	E1_1. Sal	Rectangula 4. (SB) Stålk		8740	0,003	0,03	7850	235,5							
4	E1_1. Sal	XXX_SF_Op 4. (SB) Stålk		4355,04	0,016	0,068	7850	533,8							
5	E1_1. Sal	XXX_SF_Op 4. (SB) Stålk		6015,004	0,016	0,094	7850	737,9							
6	E1_1. Sal	XXX_SF_Op 4. (SB) Stålk		2030,022	0,012	0,025	7850	196,25							
7	E1_1. Sal	XXX_SF_Op 4. (SB) Stålk		3215	0,016	0,05	7850	392,5							
8	E1_1. Sal	XXX_SF_Op 4. (SB) Stålk		5005,001	0,016	0,079	7850	620,15							
9	E1_1. Sal	XXX_SF_Op 4. (SB) Stålk													

