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**TIMBER COLUMN TO CONCRETE WITH STEEL BRACKETS**
**PROJECT**

**Headquarters  
Umweltbank**  
 Timber to concrete  
 application

**LOCATION**

Nuremberg, Germany

**CLIENT**

Umweltbank AG

**DESIGNER**
**INSTALLATION**

2024


**Application**

Timber column to concrete with steel brackets

**Design std.**

EN 1992-4

**Hardware**

Hilti HUS4-H, SIW8-22

**Software**

PROFIS Engineering (anchor to concrete)

**Services**

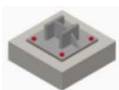
Application training at jobsite

**CHALLENGES**

- Timber beam-column system supports Timber concrete composite ceiling
- ETA approval was required for post-installed anchors
- Quick and efficient solution
- Safe and reliable systems

**HILTI TOTAL SOLUTION**

- ✓ Optimised anchor solution
- ✓ Optimised design in PROFIS
- ✓ On-time support extended by Hilti technical team
- ✓ ETA approved post-installed mechanical anchors


**LOAD/ CONDITIONS**

Static

**PROJECT HIGHLIGHT**

**Application identification and proactive approach**

## APPLICATION AND REQUIREMENT



**Application Details: Timber column connected to concrete**

UmweltHaus (mainly the load-bearing structures; beams and columns etc.) is being constructed using approximately 760 m<sup>3</sup> of beechwood and 130 m<sup>3</sup> of spruce glulam. The window parapet sections will be built with approximately 200 m<sup>3</sup> of cross laminated timber. The beechwood elements are being installed on the lower floors that are subject to higher loads.

### High shear load demand

The beams support a timber-concrete composite ceiling system consisting of prefabricated ribbed elements and a layer of in-situ concrete subsequently applied on site. In total, the project will require 3,000 m<sup>3</sup> of timber to be installed. Timber elements are prefabricated and the connection with concrete is done on-site using post-installed anchors.

## APPROACH TOWARDS SOLUTION



**Hilti approach towards solution**

Typical solutions for wood to concrete fastening include various fasteners such as shear and tension plates, holdowns and angle brackets. In this project, the structural engineer requested post-installed anchors with ETA approval. Hilti offered suitable solution right at the time of discussion and design was submitted using PROFIS Engineering for calculation of post-installed anchors.

### Post-installed anchors and other tools

- Post-installed mechanical anchors **Hilti HUS4-H M16x165** were used.
- Anchors were tightened using **SIW 8-22**

## THE FINAL OUTCOME



**Finished job site**

