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8x8 UNBELIEVABLE READY-TO-USE FUNCTIONALITIES
8 GOOD REASONS TO USE IT

1. INTEGRATED BLAST DESIGN AND SIMULATIONS
   ONE PACKAGE, ALL INCLUDED, SAVE MONEY
2. SURFACE & UNDERGROUND
   ONE PACKAGE, ALL INCLUDED, SAVE MONEY
3. FRAGMENTATION ANALYSIS
   YOU CAN'T MANAGE WHAT YOU CAN'T MEASURE
4. ACCURATE SIMULATIONS
   NO SURPRISE
5. INTUITIVE
   MINIMUM TRAINING
6. 3D MODEL
   EASY UNDERSTANDING
7. AFFORDABLE
   HAVE ACCESS TO THE BEST
8. PHYSICS BASED
   FORGET TRIAL & ERROR

8 AWESOME INNOVATIONS

1. MULTIVIEW
2. AUTOMATIC LOADING (VERSUS BURDEN, PPV, ROCK STRENGTH)
3. AUTOMATIC PATTERN DESIGN
4. HOLE DEVIATION, 3D BUBBLE ANALYSIS
5. 3D ENERGY DISTRIBUTION VERSUS TIME
6. DNA-FRAG (MANUAL+AUTOMATIC+UAV)
7. CUSTOM AUTOMATIC REPORT
8. 8X8=64 ! FAST AND EASY CALCULATIONS
#1 MULTI VIEW INTERFACE
- Visualize your design in any customized view
- Select different display options per view

THE EXPERT’S COMMENT:
Perfect functionality for underground design such as tunnel. Very useful for ring blasting design where geometry might be complex.

#2 AUTOMATIC LOADING HOLE
- Define your own rules for loading depending on:
  - Burden
  - Rock strength
  - Charge per Delay
- I-Blast will load automatically holes

THE EXPERT’S COMMENT:
Adjusting loading hole to geology is a great and unique feature when fragmentation distribution is key especially for fine control.
In version 8, I-Blast automatically places holes (location and angle) of the first row to maintain a defined burden versus the critical profiles obtained from a cloud of points. Moreover I-Blast adjusts hole location and angle of next rows in order to obtain a flat wall for the last row.

**THE EXPERT’S COMMENT:**
Adjusting hole location and angle automatically versus bench profiles ensures that fly-rock will be under control. Safety first with I-Blast.

In version 8, you can import hole deviation from various equipment. Moreover you can visualize in 3D:
• Hole deviation itself, color coded
• **Red bubbles** where holes are too close
• **Blue bubbles** where holes are too far from each other

**THE EXPERT’S COMMENT:**
It has never been so easy to understand the impact of hole deviation on blast results. Red bubbles for high concentration of energy and risk of fly rock, Blue bubbles for lack of energy and bad fragmentation.
In version 8, you can visualize Energy Distribution development in 3D versus the initiation sequence. A real time calculation to analyze where the energy goes in the rock mass and the impact of the initiation sequence.

THE EXPERT’S COMMENT:
A perfect tool to analyze the impact of short timing versus regular or long timing when using Electronic Delayed Detonators.

#6 FULL FRAGMENTATION ANALYSIS AUTOMATIC + MANUAL + UAV

In version 8, your fragmentation analysis software progresses with a new combined module for images captured with a reference scale:
- A fast automated sieving process, combined with
- An intuitive manual fragment detection

Use UAV to safely capture the whole blast muck-pile fragmentation and process it in a few click. DNA-Frag provides a geo-referenced fragmentation distribution analysis.

THE EXPERT’S COMMENT:
Your fragmentation distribution has never been so accurate.
#7 CUSTOM AUTOMATIC REPORT

In version 8, you can create your own page for automatic report based on your preferred screen.

You can also customize and save your own report structure dedicated to your company or job.

THE EXPERT’S COMMENT:
It's saving me lot of time and I can create dedicated document for my client.

#8 8x8 = 64! FAST & EASY CALCULATIONS

In version 8 I-Blast is compiled in 64 bits that guaranties the fast processing of large files. Moreover it uses the power of your graphic card to boost most of the calculations.

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THE EXPERT’S COMMENT:
You can test various parameter configurations even for heavy and complex calculations.
## 8 NEW KEY FUNCTIONALITIES

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**FOR A MILLION DOLLAR BENEFIT**

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**DATA BASE**
- Geology
- Explosive
- Loading Hole Template
- Cloud of points

**ERGONOMICS**
- Options (colors, parameters)
- Units (metric, imperial)
- Languages (ENG., FR., SPAN., RUSS.)
- Share Design and data

**DESIGN & CAD FUNCTIONALITIES**
- Create & Move Holes
- Backfilling & Ramp
- Create Free Faces
- Load Hole with Smart Template
- Draw Line and Info Text
- Import:
  - Holes & Loading
  - 2D & 3D Profiles
  - Borehole Deviation
  - Drilling Log and Parameters
  - Cloud of Points
  - Lines
  - Seismic Records
- Distance tool
- Background (image or Google map)
- Underground Module (Tunnel and Ring Blasting)

**ANALYSIS CAPABILITIES**
- Timing Overlaps
- Drilling Depth
- Deviation Bubbles
- Timing Sequence
- Seismic (Filtering, Acceleration, Displacement, …)
- Regression Analysis, Attenuation Law
- Energy Distribution 2D & 3D including Timing
- Critical Burden Heat Map
- Fragmentation Measurement (Image Analysis)

**SIMULATION CAPABILITIES**
- Vibrations
  - Scaled Distance Model
  - Signature Hole Model
    - Far & Near Field
    - Multiple SH
- Fragmentation
  - One Hole, Whole Blast
  - Cast & Muck Pile
    - One Hole, Multiple Rows
  - Air Blast, Damage

**OPTIMIZATION CAPABILITIES**
- Timing Sequence versus
  - PPV
  - Frequency
- Loading Hole versus
  - Charge per Delay or PPV
  - Burden
  - Rock Strength (UCS)
- Pattern: Burden & Spacing versus
  - Fragmentation
  - Cast
- Deconvolution of Signature Hole
- P wave calculation

**REPORTING FUNCTIONALITIES**
- Automatic Blast Design PDF
- Automatic Simulation PDF
- Reporting of Actual Data versus Theoretical Design

**3D DISPLAY**
- Timing Sequence Development
- Critical Burden Heat Map
- Vibration Simulation
- Energy Distribution
- Cloud of Points
- Rock Strength