

Bridge bearings

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- Users may specify different girder-bearing properties at each [bent](#) and abutment. Overwrite options are located under BrIM > Bridge Object > Abutments and Bents.
- The [bridge modeler](#) locates bearing [links](#) directly below the girder web. To model a different bearing layout, delete the links automatically created, then, outside the bridge modeler, manually create links as desired. When girder design should not have bearings, create a bearing with zero stiffness along each DOF, then assign that element to simulate the absence of a bearing.

See Also

- [Manual modification of bridge bearings tutorial](#)
- [Bridge girder FAQ](#)