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Exercise #13 –Plate Buckling -Part 2 – Post-buckling shear resistance of web panels

Consider an S355J2 steel open-section beam, with the distance between flange centerlines $h_f = 1500 \text{ mm}$, web thickness $t_w = 10 \text{ mm}$, and transverse stiffener spacing $a = 2000 \text{ mm}$. Compute the shear resistance of the web for the following cases:

1. With transverse stiffeners and anchoring of tension diagonal at the beam extremity;
2. Without transverse stiffeners, but with anchoring of tension diagonal at the beam extremity;
3. Without transverse stiffeners and without anchoring of tension diagonal at the beam extremity.