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Session 1:
**Concepts of Seismic Design
In New Zealand**



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New Zealand Seismic Design Philosophy

- to protect lives
- minimize the cost and inconvenience of repair
- minimize the upfront cost of construction

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New Zealand Seismic Design Philosophy

- ISO2394[1.2] that requires buildings to be designed and constructed so that the annual earthquake fatality risk is of the order of 10^{-6} .
- Implied collapse
- Collapse Limit State
- Ultimate Limit State 10% probability in 50 year life

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Limit States

- The Serviceability Limit State for “Normal” structures, SL1.
 - This requires ensuring for “Normal” structures (Table 2 AS/NZS1170.0) that seismic induced displacements resulting from an earthquake that have annual probability of exceedance of 1/25 do not cause sufficient damage to structural and non-structural elements as to require them to be repaired.

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Limit States

- The Ultimate Limit State for “Normal” structures, ULS.
 - This requires that the design for “Normal” structures (Table 2 AS/NZS1170.0) from seismic actions resulting from an earthquake that has annual probability of exceedance of 1/500 must:
 - Avoid collapse of the structural system.
 - Avoid collapse or loss of support of parts of the structure representing a hazard to human life inside and outside the structure.

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Limit States

- The Ultimate Limit State for “Normal” structures, ULS.
 - Avoid damage to structural and nonstructural systems necessary for the building evacuation procedures that renders them inoperative

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Limit States

- The Collapse Limit State
 - Not explicitly designed for
 - “Hope” that the structure’s additional strength from Conservative design procedures
 - strength redistribution,
 - soil structure interaction
 - non-structural damping
 - Conservative values for allowable material strains

Limit States



The Collapse Limit State

Consequently, the magnitude of this additional strength would be expected to vary widely, and depend upon the type of structure, the design approach and the seismic region.

New Zealand Seismic Design Philosophy

Christchurch experience

- Well designed buildings were **NOT** designed to survive without damage
- Well designed and constructed buildings should **NOT** have failed giving rise to injuries or death

IF we accept the sufficiency of the Standards

Comparison with Design for Wind

Size of Extreme:Design Event

Wind 1.14:1.00 Earthquake 1.8:1.00

Design requirements

Wind – Size and shape of structure
Earthquake – Dynamics of structure

Predictability

Wind – Predictable (run and hide)
Earthquake - Unpredictable

What is an Earthquake

- abrupt shaking of the ground

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 - Random motion

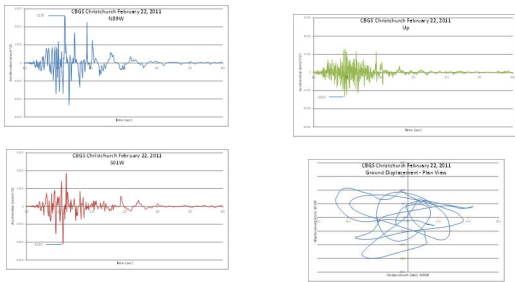
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 - Random motion
 - 10 – 60 seconds

What is an Earthquake

- abrupt shaking of the ground
 - Random motion
 - 10 – 60 seconds
 - Three orthogonal directions

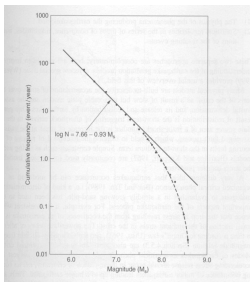
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Variability and Magnitude of Earthquakes

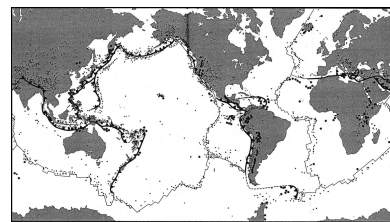
Magnitude M	Average number above M
8	2
7	20
6	100
5	3000
4	15,000
3	more than 100,000

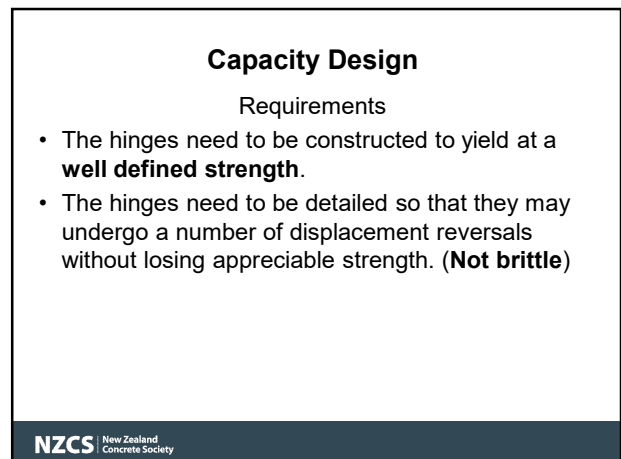
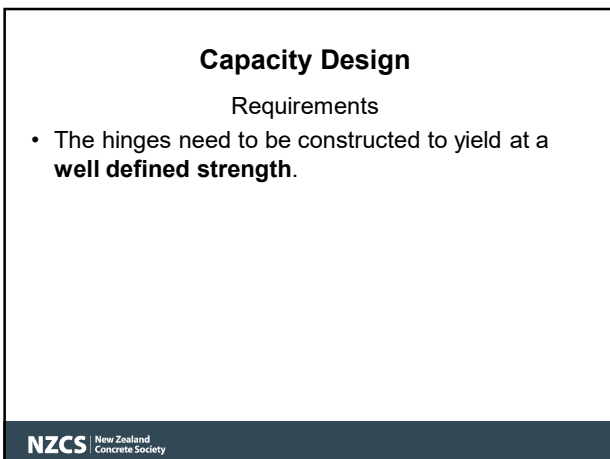
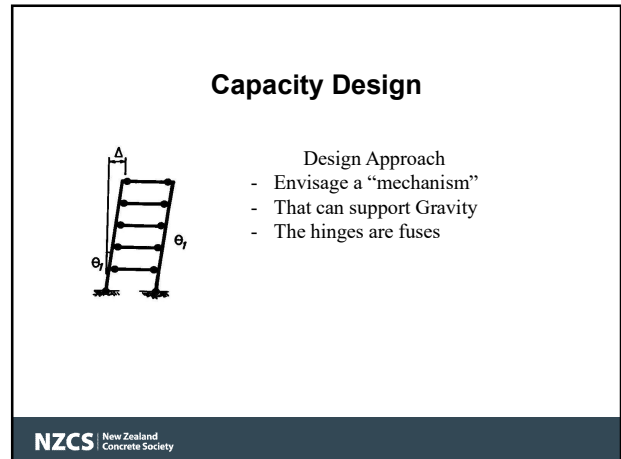
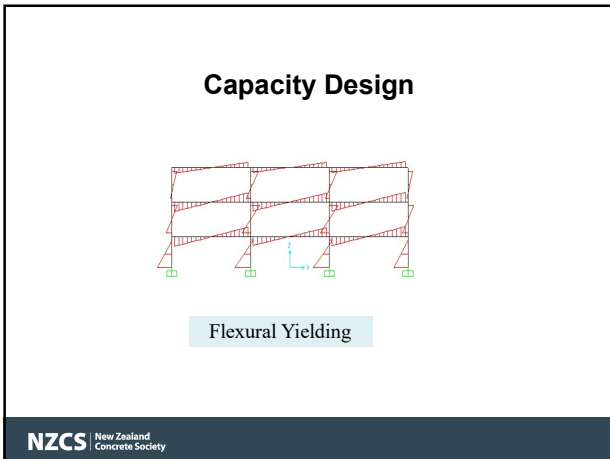
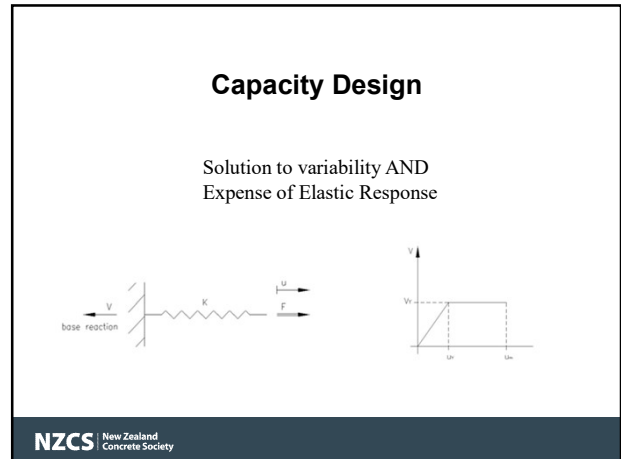
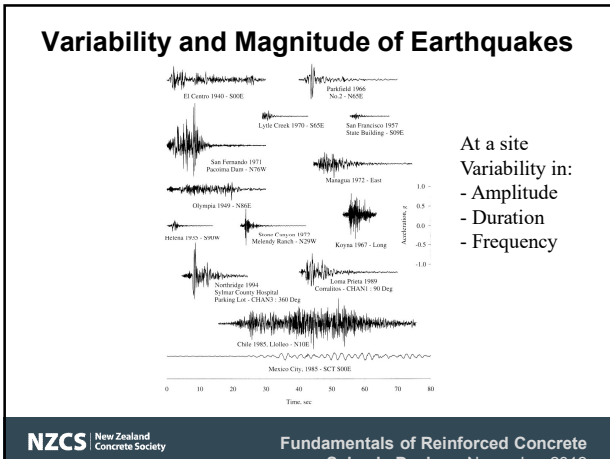
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$$\log N = a - bM$$

Variability and Magnitude of Earthquakes





Capacity Design

Requirements

- The hinges need to be constructed to yield at a **well defined strength**.
- The hinges need to be detailed so that they may undergo a number of displacement reversals without losing appreciable strength. (**Not brittle**)
- Other parts of the structure must be designed and constructed to resist in an **“elastic”** manner the actions that result from the nonlinear response of the structure with the fuses acting.

Capacity Design

Strength Hierarchy

1. Design “Fuses”

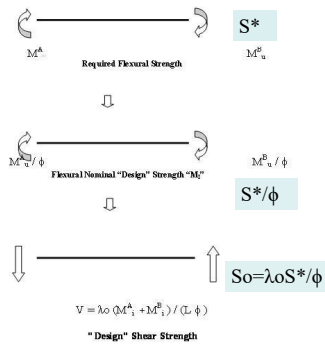
- S^* is Required Strength (from Analysis)
- ϕS_i is the Dependable Strength (from Conservative material properties and Mechanics)
- ϕ is a Strength Reduction factor (less than 1)

2. Design Structure Stronger than “Fuses”

- Overstrength, “So”
- λ_o is the Over Strength factor. The value of this factor will depend upon material characteristics.

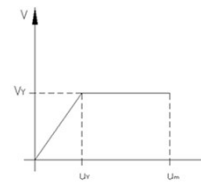
Capacity Design

Strength Hierarchy



Ductility

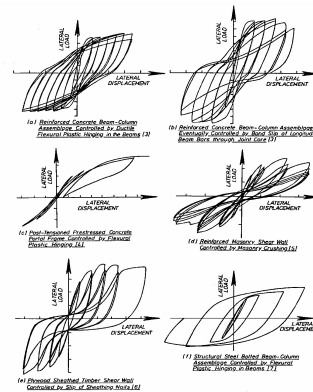
$$u_m / u_y = \mu$$



Ductility

- In Seismic Design

“Ductility” is interpreted as ability of a structure to undergo inelastic reversing deformations during an earthquake without a significant loss of strength.



Ductility

- In Seismic Design
- The differences between:
 - Structural displacement ductility
 - Member ductility
 - Curvature ductility

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Ductility

Typical Test Results

What is ductility ?

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Ductility

$H_u = \text{First yield or } 0.75H_u \text{ whichever is less}$

Δ_y DISPLACEMENT

(d) Based on Reduced Stiffness Equivalent Elasto-plastic Yield

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Ductility

Definition of yield

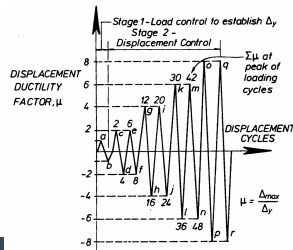
Definition of Load Sequence

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Ductility

Definition of "failure" - 80% of maximum load

Definition of "effective" ductility $\mu = \sum \mu / 8$



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Summary

- Large variability in earthquakes
 - Size
 - Arrival
 - Duration
- Overcome through design
 - Life safety
 - Capacity Design

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**Session 2:
Framework for Seismic Design of Reinforced Concrete in New Zealand**

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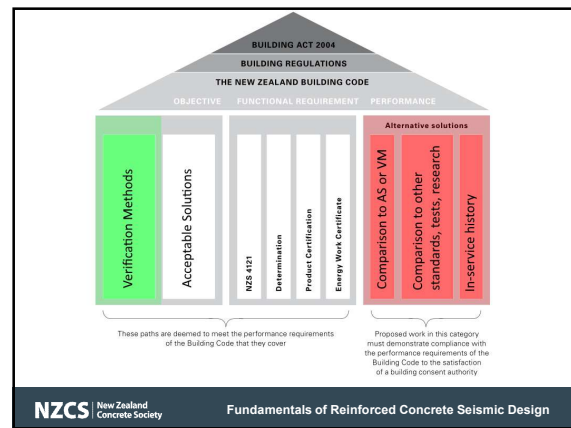
Overview

- The goal
- Legislative requirements
 - Means of compliance
 - Function of Standards
- Reliability of structures
 - Background
 - Achievement of reliability
 - Assessment vs design
- Ductility of reinforced concrete buildings
 - Impact on design actions
 - Member vs structure ductility
- Desirable characteristics for buildings

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Legislative requirements

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Building Code Requirements

- B1 – Structure
 - Objective: *protect against injury and loss of amenity*
 - Functional req.: *withstand likely loads*
 - Performance req.: *low probability of rupturing, becoming unstable...*

Building Code Requirements for New Zealand Buildings - 2016 Edition

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What is a 'low probability'?

- Specific Building Code requirements can only be inferred from methods deemed to show compliance
 - Acceptable Solutions
 - Verification Methods
- Reinforced concrete structural design – B1/VM1
 - NZS 1170
 - NZS 3101
 - Specific amendments by MBIE

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Any deviation is an Alternative Solution

- e.g. proprietary products
- Adequacy of Alternative Solutions must be demonstrated:
 - Comparison to Verification Method
 - Research
 - International Standards and Codes
- Reliability should be equivalent to a 'B1/VM1' structure

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Reliability of concrete structures

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Holistic aim of Standards

- Standards aim to achieve a certain level of reliability, e.g.
 - NZS 1170.5 - *target annual earthquake fatality risk in the order of 1×10^{-6} (ISO 2394:1998)*
 - NZS 4203 – *expressed in the form of a safety index, β ...earthquake lateral loading – average value 1.75, range from 1.5 to 2.0*
- Detail of reliability theory is (hugely) complex – but simple in the big picture

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Basics of reliability

- Failure occurs if demand exceeds capacity
- Demand and capacity are uncertain
- Failure probability determined by 'overlap' of distributions

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Basics of reliability

- Reliability reduced by:
 - Increased average demand
 - Decreased average capacity
 - Increased variability of demand or capacity

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NZS 3101 measures to achieve reliability

- Clause 1.1.1.1
 - This Standard sets out **minimum requirements** for the design of reinforced and prestressed concrete structures.*
- Forthcoming amendment:
 - In addition to these requirements **every load or force acting on a structure shall have one or more dependable load paths** that can transfer the force to the foundation soils. Each load path shall satisfy the fundamental structural design requirements of equilibrium and displacement compatibility.*

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Holistic measures

- Use of characteristic strengths
- Detailing
- Strength reduction (Φ) factors
- Prohibition of reliance on concrete in tension
- Aiming for section behaviour to be limited by reinforcement

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Strength reduction factors

- Account for uncertainties
 - Minimum vs lower characteristic strength
 - Steel – min/5thtile $\approx 10\%$ - so "best possible" $\Phi = 1-0.1 = 0.9$
 - Concrete in compression – min/5thtile $\approx 25\%$
 - Concrete in tension – minimum effectively zero
 - Imperfection of design procedures
 - Simplifications
 - Limitations of calibration – i.e. extrapolation vs interpolation
 - Imperfection of element dimensions
- Calibrated in part to promote 'desirable behaviour' – flexure vs shear etc

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Concrete in tension

- Concrete is more brittle than glass
- Low strength
- Reduced further by shrinkage

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Concrete in tension

- New clause:
 - reinforcement with sufficient nominal strength to resist the total tension force required to maintain equilibrium of the structure must be provided*
- Limited exceptions permitted – implicitly relied on in some instances
- Care required to avoid unwitting breach

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Reliability in design vs assessment

- Assessment philosophies provide lower reliability
 - 'Non compliant' load paths and detailing
 - Less dependable material properties
 - Less stringent Φ factors

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What is the %NBS of a new building?

- Design or assessment – $\Phi S \geq S^*$
 - Design $\Phi = 0.85$ nominal strength – S_n
 - Assessment $\Phi = 1.0$ expected strength – $S_e \approx 1.1 S_n$
- Impact is significant
 - $\Phi S_n \geq 100\% \text{NBS}$
 - $0.85 \frac{S_e}{1.1} \geq 100\% \text{NBS}$
 - $S_e \geq \frac{100}{0.85} \times 1.1 = 129\% \text{NBS}$
- With some allowance for rationalisation $\geq 150\% \text{NBS}$

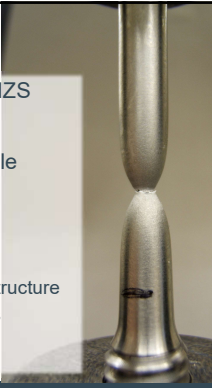
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Structure and member ductility

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Types of ductility

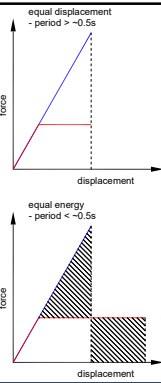
- All structures complying with NZS 3101 should be ductile
- Ductile structures require ductile materials
- Two types of ductility require consideration
 - Displacement ductility – whole structure
 - Member ductility – plastic hinges



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Structure ductility

- Earthquakes impose displacements rather than forces
 - required displacement similar irrespective of ductility
 - reduced design actions



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Ductility requires large strains

- “Damage” – cracking, spalling, buckling
- Acceptable (???) due to rarity of large earthquakes



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Structure ductility

- Limited depending on structural type and detailing
- Limited/fully ductile similar
- Often not possible to use full ductility
 - drift limits
 - serviceability

Type of structure	Reinforced concrete
1. Nominally ductile structures In-plane action of singly reinforced walls	1.25
2. Structures of limited ductility	3
(a) Moment resisting frame	3
(b) Walls	3
(c) Cantilever face loaded walls (single storey only)	2
3. Ductile structures	6
(a) Moment resisting frame	6
(b) Walls	5
(i) Two or more cantilevered	6
(ii) Two or more coupled	6
(iii) Single cantilever	4

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Nominal vs limited/full ductility

	Nominally ductile	Limited/full ductility
Capacity design	No...but	Yes
Sp	0.9	0.7
Design	x.3 clauses...but	x.4 clauses
Hinge detailing	Check rotations, detail accordingly	Check rotations, detail accordingly

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Clause 2.6.6.1

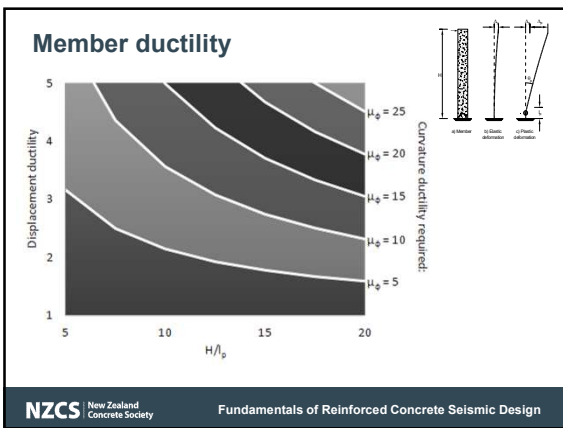
- When the structural system is such that under seismic actions **larger than anticipated, mechanisms could only develop in the same form as those permitted ... for ductile structures...** the selected structure is exempt from the additional seismic requirements of all sections of this Standard.
- When a mechanism could develop in a form which is not permitted for ductile or limited ductile structures, the relevant mechanism or mechanisms shall be identified. Potential plastic hinge regions shall be identified, and detailed for ductile or limited ductile plastic regions such that the material strain limits... are not exceeded, in accordance with the additional seismic design requirements of this Standard.

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Member ductility

- Not the same as structural ductility
 - Elastic deformation = result of curvature along whole member
 - Plastic deformation = curvature in hinge only
- Influenced by
 - Geometry
 - Structural ductility

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Impact of sway profile

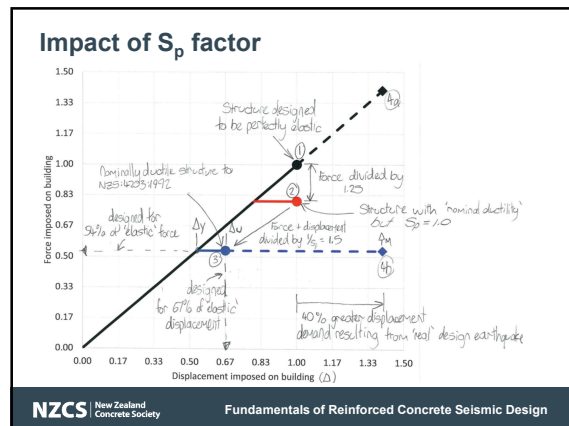
- In 'complex' structure, location and number of hinges has an effect

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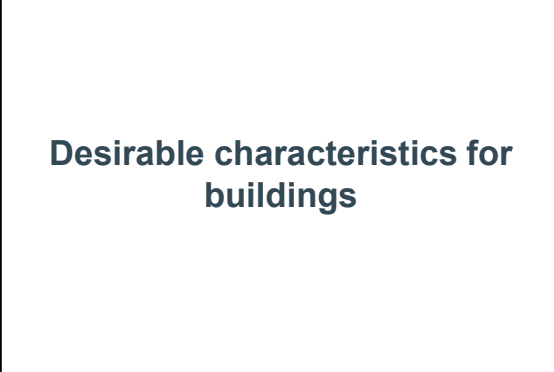
Impact of foundations

Fenwick & Dhakal 2007

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Desirable characteristics for buildings



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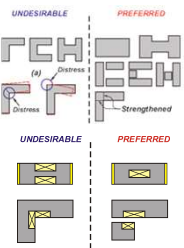
What is undesirable performance?

- Unpredictable behaviour - not readily explainable by analysis
- Excessive torsional response
- Concentration of damage, especially at specific stories
- Damage disproportionate to earthquake intensity

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How is chance of undesirable behaviour minimised?

- Regularity
- Robustness of connection between different parts of a building
- Avoidance of unwanted load paths
- "Elastic" strength and stiffness of the building
- Predictable occurrence of plastic deformations in desirable, locations
- Ability to sustain plastic deformations.

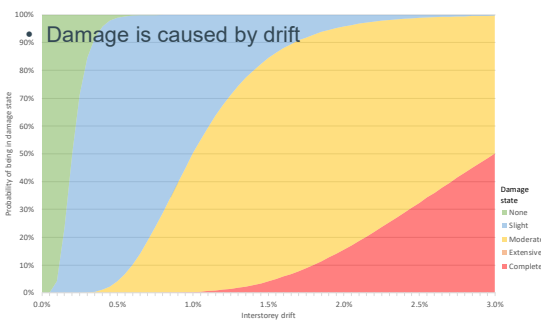


Paulay & Priestley 1992

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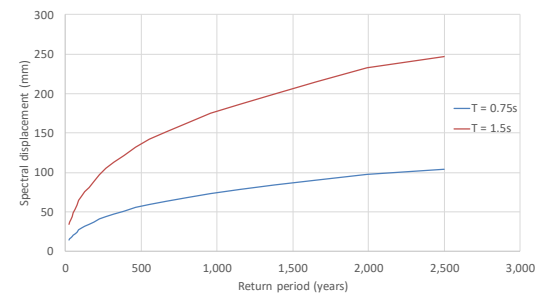
Impact of stiffness on damage

Damage is caused by drift



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Large drifts occur less frequently in stiff buildings



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What is desirable?

- Strong, stiff building
- Regular and predictable
- Detailed to sustain large ductilities – just in case


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Session 3:
Earthquake Design Actions

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Earthquake Design Loads -Overview

- Design Loads
- Design Actions (Member Actions) Deformations
- Controlling Actions (fuses)

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Equivalent Static Method – A Quick Review

- $F_i = F_t + 0.92V \frac{W_i h_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n W_i h_i}$



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Equivalent Static Method – A Quick Review

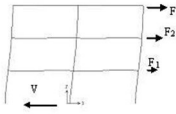
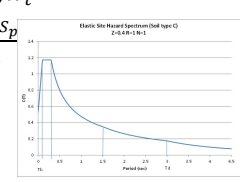
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Equivalent Static Method – A Quick Review

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- $C_d = \frac{c(T)S_p}{k\mu}$

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Seismic Response of a Structure

- NZS1170.5 Cl. 2.1.3 - "Localised Actions"
- "Structural elements and members shall be **tyed together** to enable the structure to **act as a whole** in resisting seismic actions."

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Seismic Response of a Regular "Elastic" Structure

Conclusions

Structures respond to a somewhat random seismic ground vibration

- by "oscillating" back and forward in a harmonic manner
- where all parts of the structure move together
- displace in an approximately consistent shape
- the amplitude of the oscillations varies
- the period of oscillation is relatively constant
- harmonic nature of the base shear
- time of occurrence of its maximum same as maximum displacements.

Seismic Response of a Regular "Elastic" Structure

Summary of Observations

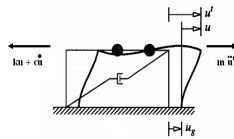
1. While the Ground Motion was quite random
- Motion of structure was "harmonic"
2. All floors moved essentially in unison

Single degree of Freedom

3. "Period" of response independent of earthquake

$$T = 2\pi\sqrt{(M_{eff} / K_{eff})}$$

Single Degree of Freedom Oscillator (SDF)



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$$m(\ddot{u} + \ddot{u}_g) + c\dot{u} + ku = 0$$

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Single Degree of Freedom Oscillator (SDF)

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$$\omega = 2\pi / T \text{ (rads/s)}$$

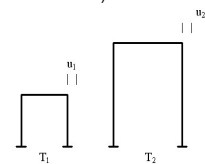
$$f = 1 / T \text{ (cycles/s) (Hz)}$$

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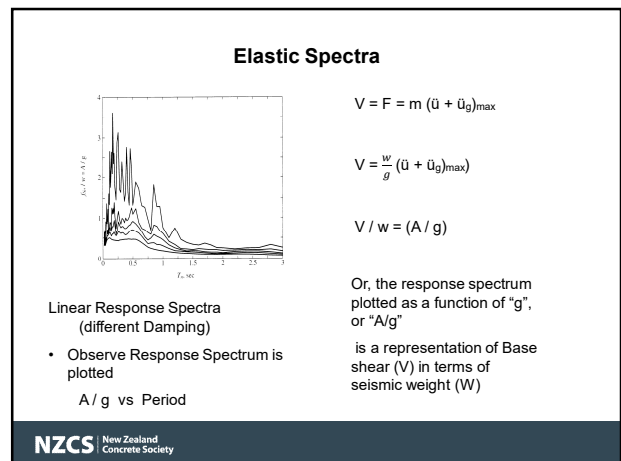
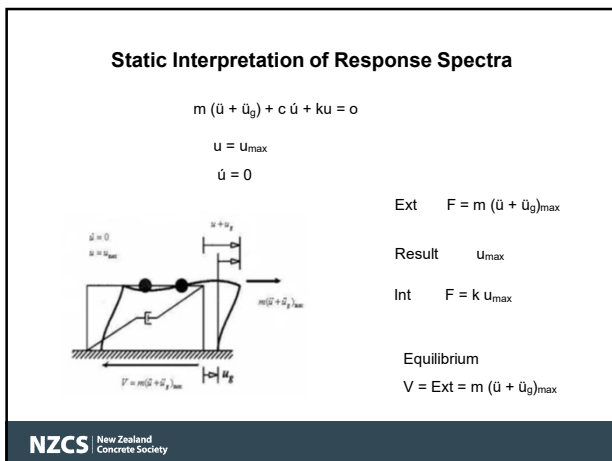
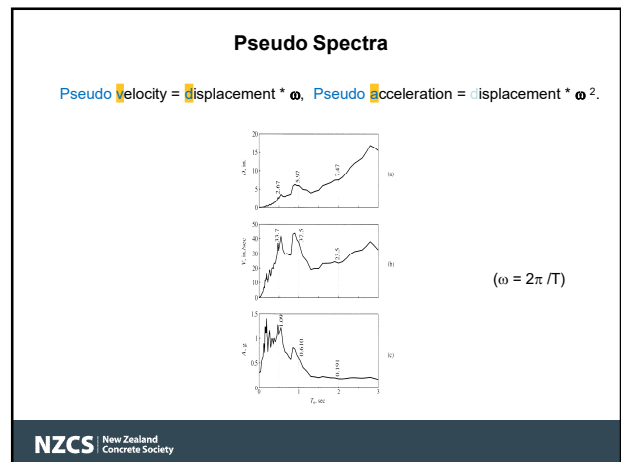
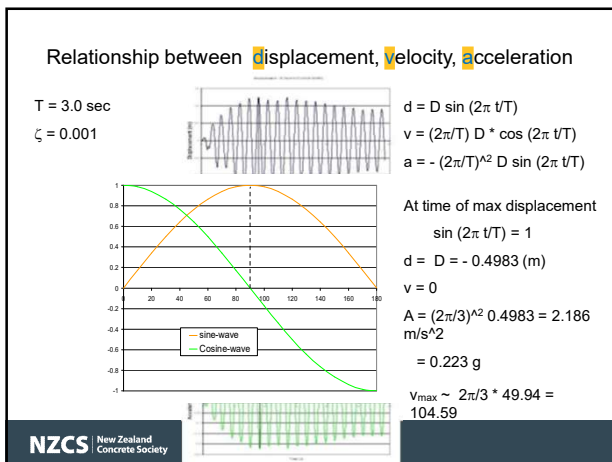
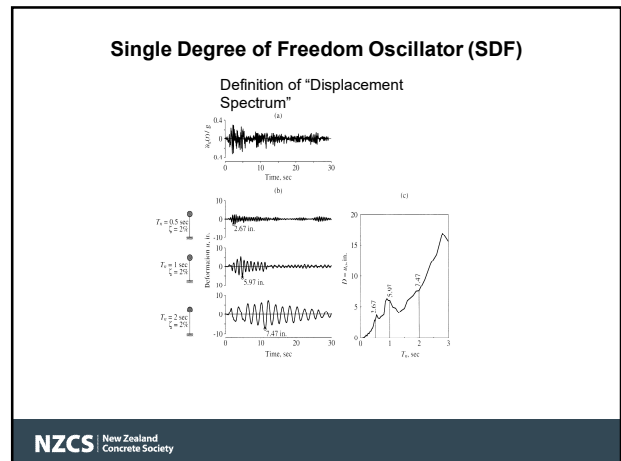
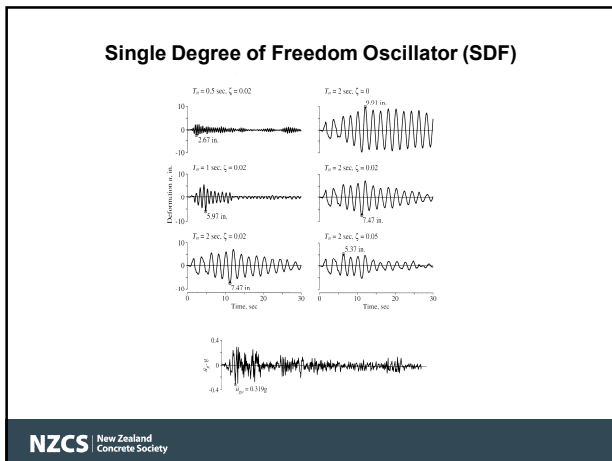
$$k/m = \omega^2$$

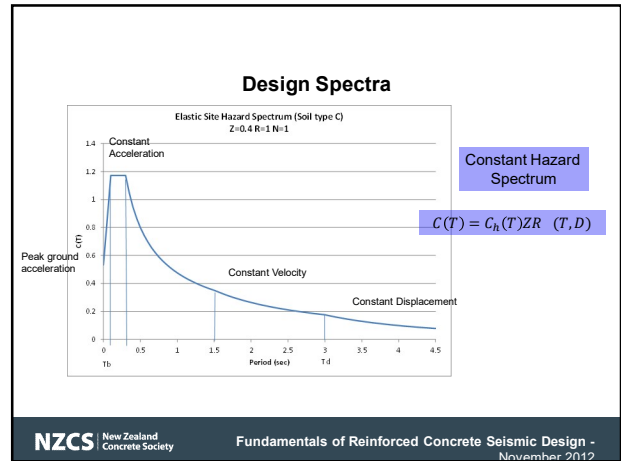
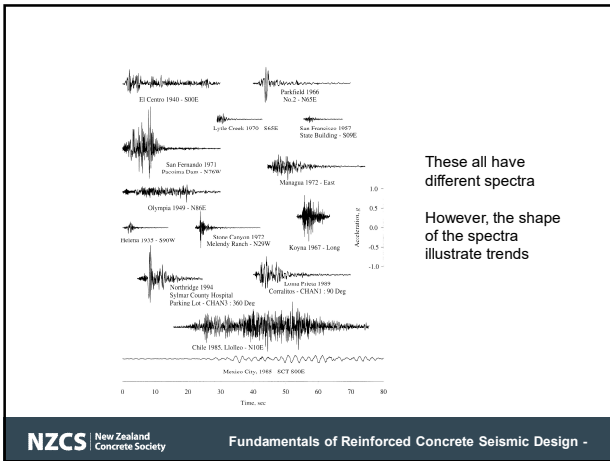
$$c/m = 2\xi\omega$$

$$(\ddot{u} + \ddot{u}_g) + 2\xi\omega\dot{u} + \omega^2 u = 0$$



If $\xi_2 = \xi_1$
and
 $T_2 = T_1$,
then
 $u_2 = u_1$

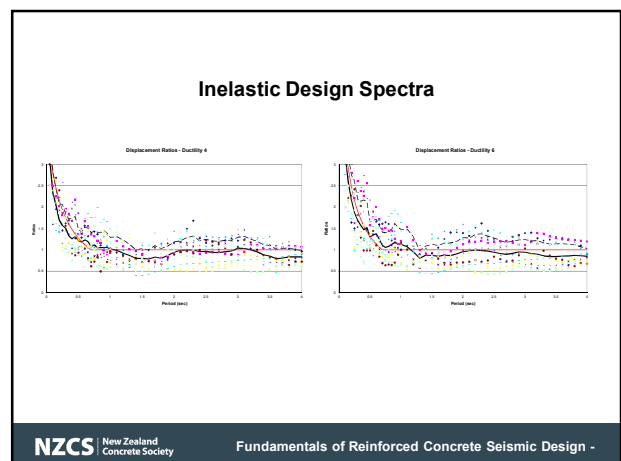
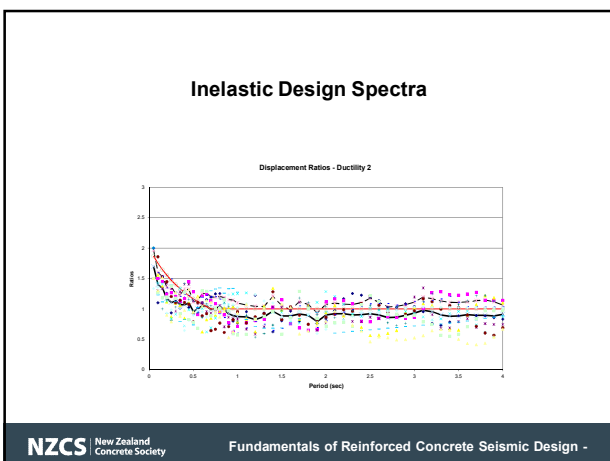
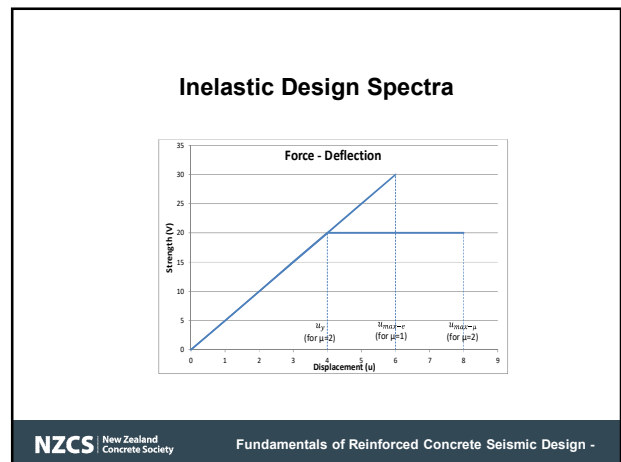




Inelastic Design Spectra

- In similar approach as “elastic” hazard spectra
- Developed from “trends” in shape
- “Equal Displacement” hypothesis

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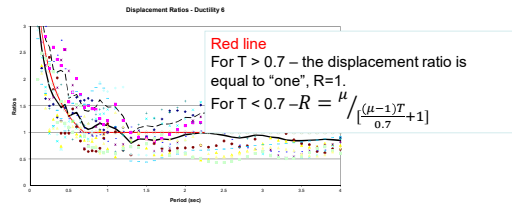
Inelastic Design Spectra

- Observations
- There is large scatter in the results.
- Over the period range 0.7 – 4.0 seconds, the mean ratio is approximately equal to one.

$$u_{max} = u_{max-e}$$

- This endorses the equal ductility displacement hypothesis.
- The mean plus one standard deviation exceeds "one" over this period range.
- The larger the ductility ratio, the larger the scatter. The variability observed is a consequence of the nature of earthquake loading.

Inelastic Design Spectra



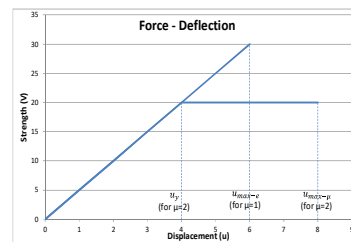
$$k_{\mu} = \frac{\mu}{0.7(\mu-1)+1}$$

Inelastic Design Spectra

- Summary

- If we divide the elastic strength by k_{μ} we assume that the system will yield and have a displacement associated with μ

Inelastic Design Spectra



As we are performing an elastic analysis, the displacement calculated is u_y .
To obtain the maximum displacement, we need to scale by μ

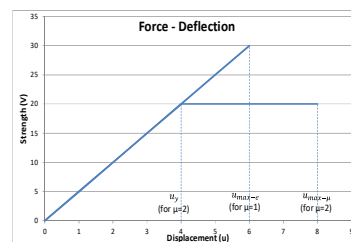
Inelastic Design Spectra

- Summary (incl. Sp)

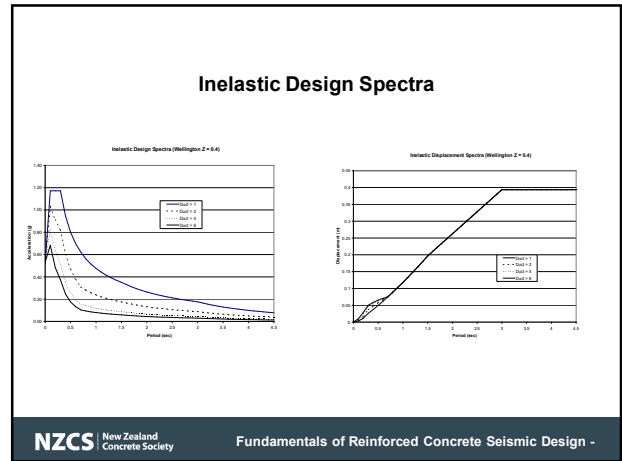
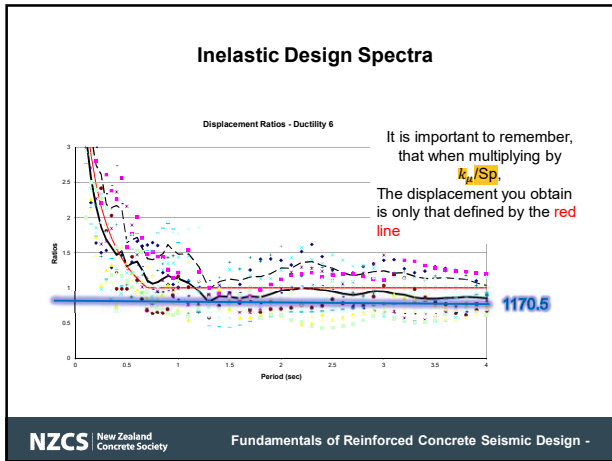
- If we divide the elastic strength by k_{μ} and multiply by "Sp" we assume that the system will yield and have a displacement associated with μ/Sp

Inelastic Design Spectra

- Summary (incl. Sp)



As we are performing an elastic analysis, the displacement calculated is u_y .
To obtain the maximum displacement, we need to scale by μ/Sp



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**Session 4:
Deformation, Ductility, and Stiffness of Concrete Members**

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Overview

- NZS 3101 approach to detailing of plastic hinges
- Deformation demands in plastic hinges
 - Impact of k_{dm}
 - Relationship to detailing requirements
- Design requirements to achieve ductility
 - Reinforcement properties
 - Detailing
 - Anchorage
- Effective stiffness of concrete members

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Why is detailing required to achieve ductility?

- Ductile building behaviour results from concentrated plastic deformations
 - Most commonly flexural plastic hinges
 - Other scenarios exist – e.g. coupling beams
- Plastic deformation creates large tension and compression strains
- Detailing ensures strains can be sustained

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Quantification of plastic deformation

- Fundamentally – larger strains require more stringent detailing
- For flexure – curvature is quantifiable based on curvature
 - ultimate curvature
 - yield curvature
- Integration of curvature gives a rotation
 - Thus easily linked to displacement of building
 - Integration of plastic curvature gives plastic rotation

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Plastic rotation

- Calculated from deformed shape and geometry – e.g. for a frame
- Based on drift – so k_{dm} increases demand

$$\theta_p = \frac{(\Delta_u - \Delta_y)}{h_i} \frac{L}{(L - h_c - l_p)}$$

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Significance of k_{dm} for low ductility buildings

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Plastic rotation

- Uni-directional hinges “crank”
 - Note error in NZS 3101

The graph shows a linear relationship between displacement ductility (1 to 5) and the unidirectional hinge multiplier (1.0 to 4.0). Diagrams illustrate beam behavior under sway to the right and left, showing bending moments and deflected shapes at the end of the first and second cycles.

Fenwick & Meggett 1993

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Calculation of plastic curvature

- Curvature (and strain) vary over length
- For convenience – ‘effective’ plastic hinge length defined:

$$\theta_p = l_p \phi_p$$
- NOT the length of yielding (ductile detailing length)

Diagrams (a) through (d) show the relationship between yield moments, yield curvatures, and the curvature distribution along the length of a beam. (c) shows plastic deformation and (d) shows the curvature distribution.

Paulay & Priestley 1992

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NZS 3101 approach to detailing of plastic hinges

- NZS 3101 requires local plastic deformation demands be assessed irrespective of the ductility class of a building
 - Hinges at the top of a high-ductility building might not experience substantial yielding
 - Some hinges in a poorly configured nominally ductile building might be subject to large plastic deformations
- Level of detailing required for hinge depends on the local demand

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NZS 3101 procedure

- NZS 3101 uses a ‘material strain index’ – K_d
- Developed from experiments:
 - Collect experimental results
 - Categorise each test to its detailing
 - Determine plastic deformation, θ_p , ‘failure’
 - Convert θ_p to non-dimensional index (K_d) by reference to notional yield curvature and effective plastic hinge length.
- Despite appearances - K_d is not a real curvature ductility value – it is a convenient index based on similar, but simplified/idealised, concepts.

The scatter plot shows the relationship between ultimate curvature ductility (multiple of ϕ_y) and normalized shear stress (v/f_c) for various detailing methods: Tanker, Bowen, Scribner, Flang, and Popov.

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NZS 3101 Procedure

- Calculate notional yield curvature:

$$\phi_y = \frac{2\epsilon_y}{h}$$
- Calculate plastic hinge length

$$0.25h \leq l_p = 0.25 \frac{M_o}{V_o} \leq 0.5h$$
- Calculate plastic rotation demand, θ_p
 - Based on drift, so increased by k_{dm}
- Calculate plastic curvature:

$$\phi_p = \frac{\theta_p}{l_p}$$
- Calculate material strain index

$$K_d = \frac{\phi_p + \phi_y}{\phi_y}$$
- Detail accordingly

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Detailing requirements

- Determined based on magnitude of K_d

Member type	Specifics	Nominally ductile	Limited ductile	(Fully) ductile
Beams and columns		3	11	19
	Singly reinforced	0.8	n/a	n/a
Walls	Doubly reinforced	4	6	14
	Doubly reinforced with boundary elements	n/a	9	16

- Check K_d early – can be critical for structure configuration

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Example

- 750 mm deep beam, Grade 300 reinforcement, 5.8 m span and 800 mm columns

$$\phi_y = \frac{2\varepsilon_y}{h} = \frac{2 \times 0.0015}{750} = 4 \times 10^{-6} \text{ rad/mm}$$

- Assuming $V_e = 2M_e/l_{\text{clear}}$

$$0.25h \leq l_p = 0.25 \frac{M_e}{V_e} \leq 0.5h$$

$$187.5 \leq l_p = 0.25 \frac{5000}{2} = 625 \leq 375$$

$$l_p = 375 \text{ mm}$$

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Example

- Assume frame is nominally ductile
 - Storey height 3200 mm, $k_{dm} = 1.5$
 - Elastic interstorey displacement 12 mm (from Etabs say)
 - Design interstorey displacement $\approx 1.35 \times 12 = 16$ mm (greater than $\mu = 1.25 \times$ at critical storey due to sway)
- Design drift = $1.5 \times 16/3200 = 0.0075$
- Elastic drift = $12/3200 = 0.00375$

$$\theta_p = (\delta_{des} - \delta_y) \frac{L}{(L - h_c - l_p)}$$

$$= (0.0075 - 0.00375) \frac{5800}{5800 - 800 - 375} = 0.0047 \text{ rad}$$

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Example

- Calculate plastic curvature:

$$\phi_p = \frac{\theta_p}{l_p} = \frac{0.0047}{375} = 12.5 \times 10^{-6} \text{ rad/mm}$$

- Calculate strain index:

$$K_d = \frac{\phi_p + \phi_y}{\phi_y} = \frac{12.5 + 4}{4} = 4.1$$

Member type	Nominally ductile	Limited ductile
Beams and columns	3	11

- So hinge is limited ductility – even though structure is nominally ductile

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How do you achieve this

- Appropriate reinforcement properties
- Suitable detailing

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Reinforcement properties

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Seismic reinforcing steel

- Use of low ductility rebar can be catastrophic



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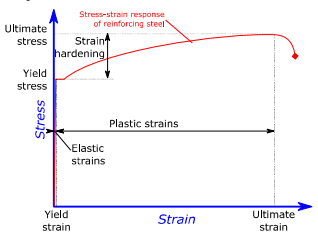
Seismic reinforcing steel



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New Zealand reinforcing steel

- Two key requirements
 - Ultimate strain capacity
 - Significant strain hardening potential



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New Zealand reinforcing steel

- Only Grade 'E' reinforcement is acceptable


Property	Grade 300E	Grade 500E
Lower characteristic yield strength	≥ 300 MPa	≥ 500MPa
Upper characteristic yield strength	≤ 380 MPa	≤ 600 MPa
Strain hardening ratio	1.15 – 1.5	1.15 – 1.4
Ultimate strain	≥ 15%	≥ 10%
Notes	Mild steel, so neither MA nor Q&T	Can be produced by micro-alloying (MA) or quenching and tempering (Q&T).

- AS/NZS 4671 lists three types of Grade 500 reinforcement – L, N, E
 - yield strength of N/L grades not tightly controlled
 - low ultimate strain
 - low ratio of ultimate to yield strength

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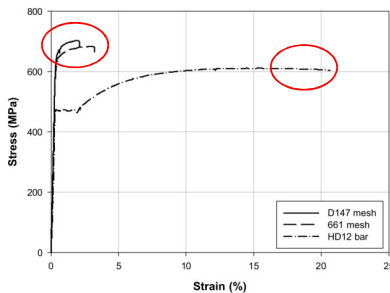
Grade 500E Reinforcement

- Two manufacturing methods
 - micro alloy (MA)
 - quenched & tempered (Q+T)
- QT less robust on site
 - must NEVER be welded
 - must NEVER be threaded
 - must NEVER be heated



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Cold drawn mesh

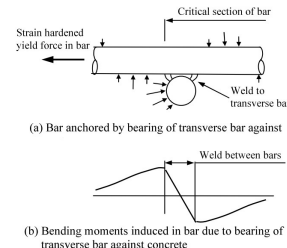


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Anchorage

- Actually worse than stated



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Detailing for ductility

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Detailing for ductility

- Four key requirements
 - Reinforcement content
 - Transverse reinforcement
 - 'Compression' reinforcement
 - Bar anchorage
- Level of detailing required depends on hinge rotation demand

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Detailing for ductility

Table C10.2 - Design of reinforced columns and piers (Continued)

Design issue	Nominally ductile seismic design philosophy	Ductile seismic design philosophy
Transverse reinforcement	Minimum diameter for transverse reinforcement	Same as for nominally ductile
Anti-buckling reinforcement	Maximum vertical spacing of ties	In DPRs smallest of A/E, dia, diameter or 8 d, (10.4.7.4.5a), 10.4.7.5.5 (a)
		In LDRs smallest of A/E, dia, diameter or 10 d, (10.4.7.4.5b), 10.4.7.5.5 (b)
Confinement reinforcement		For rectangular hoops and ties
		In DPRs & LDRs $A_{sh} = \frac{2A_s f_y}{900 f_c}$ (10.4.7.5.1)
		Regions protected from hinging $A_{sh} = \frac{2A_s f_y}{1300 f_c}$ (10.4.7.5.3)
		Spirals or circular hoops
	In DPRs & LDRs $\rho_s = \frac{A_{sh}}{1300 f_c d_c}$ or (10.4.7.4.1)	In regions protected from hinging $A_{sh} = \frac{2A_s f_y}{1000 f_c}$ (10.4.7.4.4)
		For rectangular hoops and ties
	In DPRs $A_{sh} = \frac{(1.3 - \rho_s) A_s f_y N_c}{2.3 A_s f_y \rho_s}$ - 0.006 N_c (10.4.7.5.1)	In LDRs and regions protected from hinging use 75% of this area (10.4.7.5.2 and 10.4.7.5.3)
		Spirals or circular hoops
	In DPR $\rho_s = \frac{(1.3 - \rho_s) A_s f_y N_c}{2.4 A_s f_y \rho_s}$ - 0.004 (10.4.7.4.1)	

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Detailing for ductility

- Detailing extends over ductile detailing length
 - generally twice member depth to either side of critical section
 - longer length for hinges in span yielding spreads more due to flatter moment profile

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Reinforcement content

- Must be within a specific band to achieve ductility
 - Cracking strength exceeds flexural strength if too low
 - Compression governed if too high

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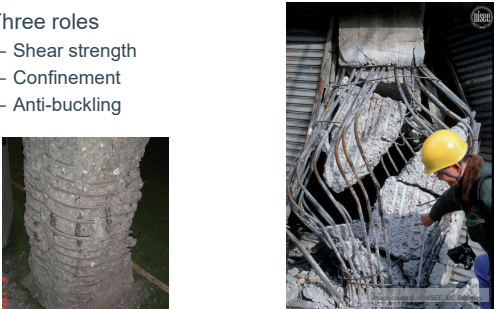
Compression reinforcement

- Increases beam curvature ductility
 - C_c reduced so smaller NA depth
 - helps hold core concrete in place
- Provide transverse reinforcement to confine compression reinforcement

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Transverse reinforcement

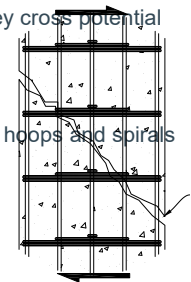
- Three roles
 - Shear strength
 - Confinement
 - Anti-buckling



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Shear strength

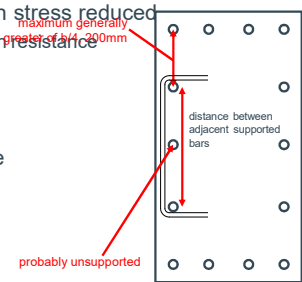
- Stirrup sets only effective if they cross potential (45 degree) crack
- Note differing contributions for hoops and spirals



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Bar buckling

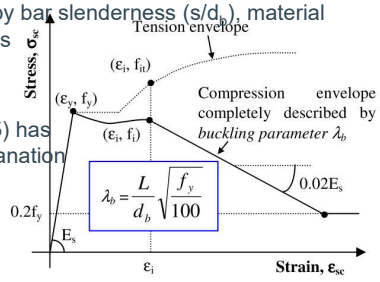
- Average compression stress reduced
 - Reduces compression resistance
- Promotes spalling
 - further load reduction
- High strains at buckle
 - Promotes bar rupture



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Bar buckling

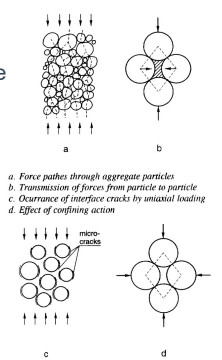
- Determined by bar slenderness (s/d_b), material characteristics
- Dhakal (2005) has detailed explanation



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What is confinement?

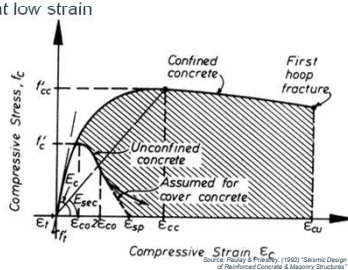
- Axial strain causes transverse
 - Splitting failure at low strain
- Confinement
 - restricts dilation
 - greater strength and ductility



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What is confinement?

- Axial strain causes transverse tension
 - Splitting failure at low strain
- Confinement
 - restricts dilation
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Confinement effectiveness

- Affected by reinforcement layout
 - Circular more effective
 - Longitudinal spacing important for

Priestley et al. (2006)

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Confined core

- MUST be able to
- Gross area < 1.5

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Confinement and buckling

- Interaction between effects
 - Difficult to quantify
 - Buckling governs for low axial loads (and beams)

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Transverse reinforcement – anchorage

- VITAL that spirals are anchored properly
- Lap splices are NOT acceptable
- Three permitted methods
 - 135° hooks engaging longitudinal bar
 - welded splices
 - mechanical couplers

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Anchorage

- Straight development - bar anchored by bond
- Standard hooks
- Mechanical anchorage e.g. welded or threaded footplates

$$L_d \geq \frac{d_b}{4u_b} a_o f_y$$

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Hooked anchors

- Remember to check bend diameters!

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Lap splices

- Severely detrimental to hinges
 - Progressive unzipping
 - Stress raiser at bar terminations
 - Concentration of yielding = less rotation capacity




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Stiffness of concrete members

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Stiffness of concrete members

- Most commonly means 'flexural' stiffness
 - shear stiffness typically high, important in some cases
 - axial stiffness typically less important
- Flexural stiffness is determined by EI , not just I

$$M = EI\phi$$

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Concrete material stiffness

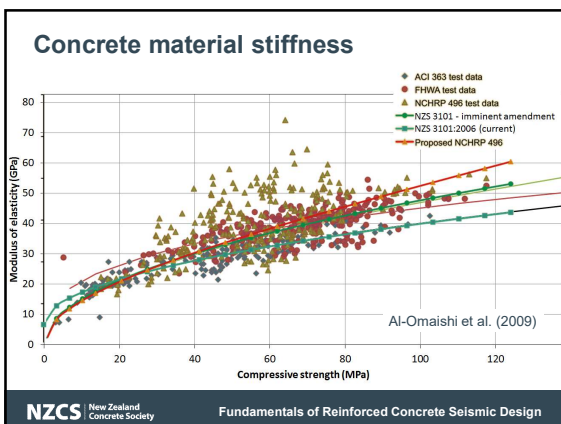
- Young's modulus related to compressive strength

$$E_c = 3320\sqrt{f'_c} + 6900$$

- Typically take $f'_c + 10MPa$ in above
 - estimate of average stiffness
- Considerable scatter!

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NZS 3101 effective stiffness

Type of member	Ultimate limit state		Serviceability limit state		
	$f_c = 300 \text{ MPa}$	$f_c = 500 \text{ MPa}$	$\mu = 1.25$	$\mu = 3$	$\mu = 6$
1 Beams					
(a) Rectangular ⁽¹⁾ (over-reinforced)	0.43 I_p	0.32 I_p	I_p	0.7 I_p	0.50 I_p
(b) T and beams ⁽¹⁾ (well-reinforced)	0.40 I_p	0.30 I_p	I_p	0.7 I_p	0.50 I_p
	0.75% $\leq \rho \leq 1.75\%$	0.45% $\leq \rho \leq 1.75\%$			
2 Columns					
(a) $N^*/A_g f_c > 0.5$	0.80 $I_p (1.0 I_p)^{1/3}$	0.80 $I_p (1.0 I_p)^{1/3}$	I_p	1.0 I_p	As for the ultimate limit state values in brackets
(b) $N^*/A_g f_c = 0.2$	0.55 $I_p (0.66 I_p)^{1/3}$	0.50 $I_p (0.66 I_p)^{1/3}$	I_p	0.8 I_p	
(c) $N^*/A_g f_c = 0.0$	0.40 $I_p (0.45 I_p)^{1/3}$	0.30 $I_p (0.35 I_p)^{1/3}$	I_p	0.7 I_p	
3 Walls⁽¹⁾					
(a) $N^*/A_g f_c = 0.2$	0.48 I_p	0.42 I_p	I_p	0.7 I_p	As for the ultimate limit state values
(b) $N^*/A_g f_c = 0.1$	0.40 I_p	0.33 I_p	I_p	0.6 I_p	
(c) $N^*/A_g f_c = 0.0$	0.32 I_p	0.25 I_p	I_p	0.5 I_p	
4 Coupling beams					
Diagonal and conventional reinforcement	0.40 $I_p \rho_p$	0.33 $I_p \rho_p$	I_p	0.5 I_p	As for the ultimate limit state values

NOTES: -
 (1) The values in brackets apply to columns which have a high level of protection against plastic hinge formation in the ultimate limit state.
 (2) For additional flexibility, within joint zones and for conventionally reinforced coupling beams refer to the text.
 (3) The value of ρ_p is given in Table C6.6

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Is constant stiffness realistic?

(a) tradition - assumption of constant member stiffness

(b) realistic - assumption of constant yield curvature

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Determining $E_c J_e$

• Analysis of beam

- $M_n \approx 1050 \text{ kNm}$
- $\phi_y \approx 4.5 \times 10^{-6}$

$$\frac{E_c J_e}{E_c I_g} = \frac{M_n}{\phi_y E_c I_g}$$

- Therefore ≈ 0.41 (cf 0.40 from previous)

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'Complex' sections

- For columns, walls etc, response is complicated by progressive yielding of reinforcement
- Define 'corner' point based on:
 - first reinforcement yield
 - nominal strength

$$\phi_y = \frac{M_n}{M_y} \phi'_y$$

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'Complex' sections

- Example
- $M_y \approx 478 \text{ kNm}$
- $\phi'_y = 1.62 \text{ rad / km}$

$$\phi_y = \frac{M_n}{M_y} \phi'_y = \frac{574}{478} \times 1.62 = 1.94 \text{ rad / km}$$

- Thus $\frac{E_c J_e}{E_c I_g} = 0.23$

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What about this?

(a) tradition - assumption of constant member stiffness

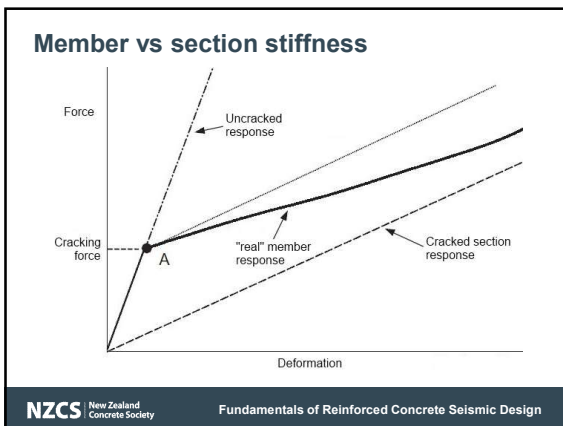
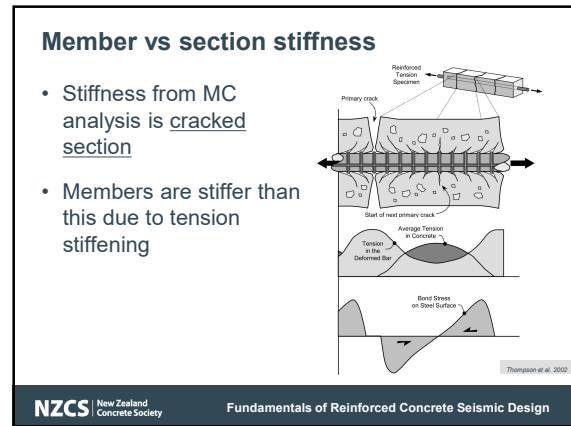
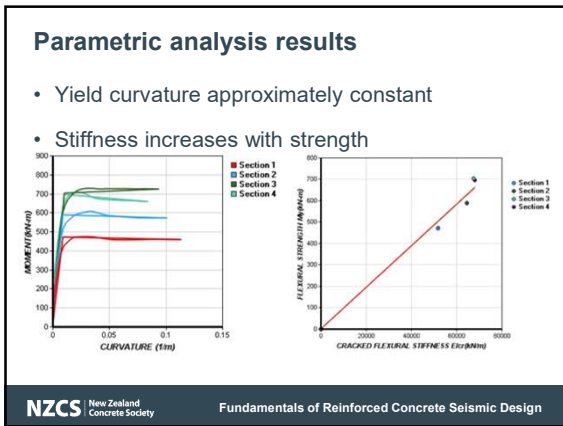
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Parametric analysis

SECTION NUMBER:	1	2	3	4
SECTION PROPERTIES				
SECTION DIAMETER (D)(mm)	500	500	500	500
COVER UP MAIN TO REINFORCEMENT REBAR CENTRE z (mm)	50	50	50	50
DIAMETER OF MAIN REBARS (mm)	20	20	20	20
# BARS OF MAIN REINFORCEMENT	8	12	16	12
DIAMETER OF TRANSVERSE REINFORCEMENT (mm)	10	10	10	10
SPACING OF TRANSVERSE REINFORCEMENT (mm)	150	150	150	150
TYPE OF TRANSVERSE REINFORCEMENT				
	Spiral	Spiral	Spiral	Spiral
AXIAL LOAD (kN)	900	900	900	1800
SHEAR SPAN (mm)	2500	2500	2500	2500
MATERIAL PROPERTIES				
CONCRETE COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH (MPa)	35	35	35	35
LONG STEEL YIELDING STRESS (MPa)	500	500	500	500
TRANSVERSE STEEL YIELDING STRESS (MPa)	500	500	500	500
STEEL HARDENING RATIO	1.25	1.25	1.25	1.25

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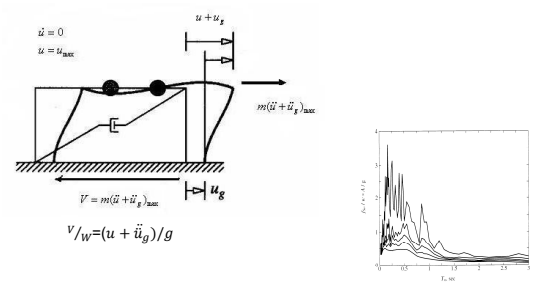
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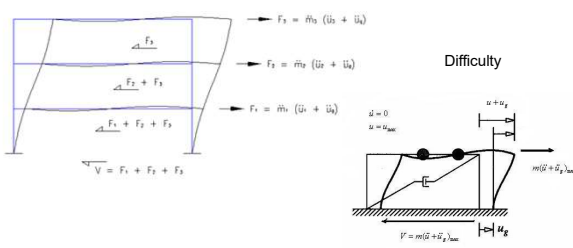
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Inertia Forces as Equivalent Static Forces



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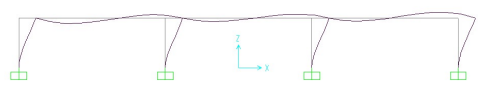
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Degrees of Freedom

One Level Structure

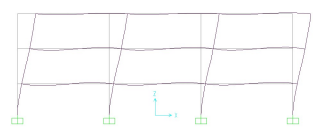


Assuming – Rigid Floor diaphragm

One Degree of Freedom-
The shape is fixed
Amplitude of all/any action is defined by the value of floor displacement

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Degrees of Freedom



• Three level with rigid floor assumption

Three Degrees of Freedom-
The shape is defined by amplitude of Three floors
All/any action is defined by knowledge Of three floor displacements

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Modeshapes and Frequencies

- When structures vibrate, whether from seismic or other loads, the deflected shapes they take can be shown to be made up from proportions of “shapes” called their modeshapes.

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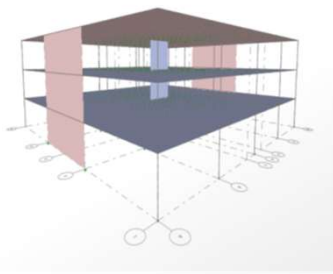
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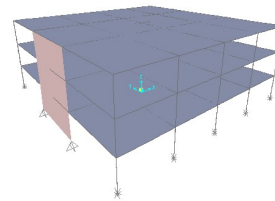
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- The magnitude of the vibration and the relative contribution of each modeshape to the deflected shape of the structure at any time is dependent of the vibration source.

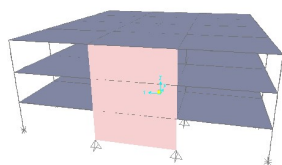
Modeshapes and Frequencies (Example)



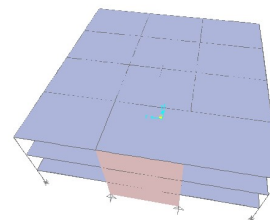
Mode 1



Mode 2 (Mode 1 Y)



Mode 3 (Mode 1 Rotation)



Mode 4 (Mode 2 X)

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Modeshapes

One Level Structure

Assuming –
Rigid Floor diaphragm
All mass lumped at floor level

One Modeshape-
The shape is fixed

Amplitude of all/any action is defined by the value of floor displacement

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Modeshapes

Three Level Structure

Assuming –
Rigid Floor diaphragm
All mass lumped at floor levels

Three Modeshapes-
The shape of each is fixed.

For each mode,
The amplitude of all/any action is defined by the value of a floor displacement

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Analysis

- Three level with rigid floor assumption
- Requires the displacements of three floors to complete the description and allow actions to be defined

OR

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Analysis

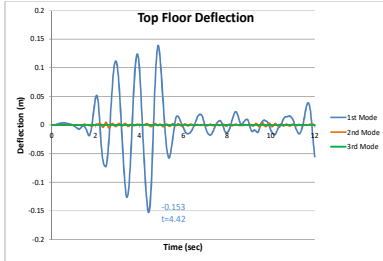
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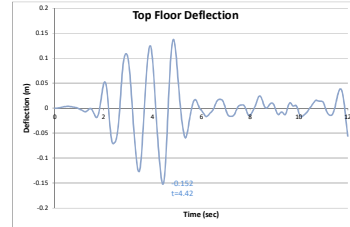
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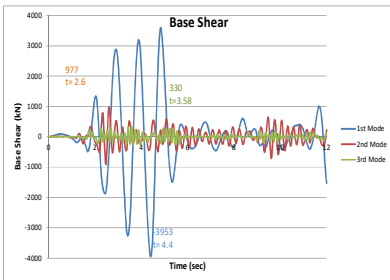
Modal components of top floor displacement

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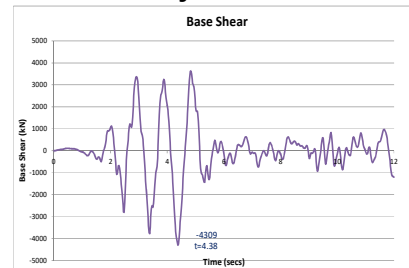
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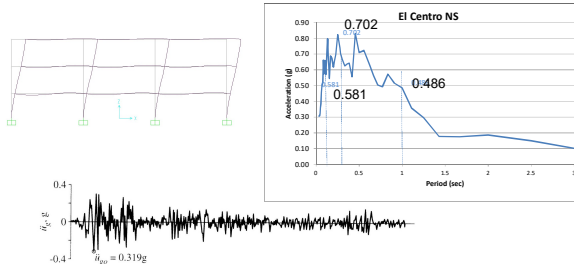
Modal components of base shear

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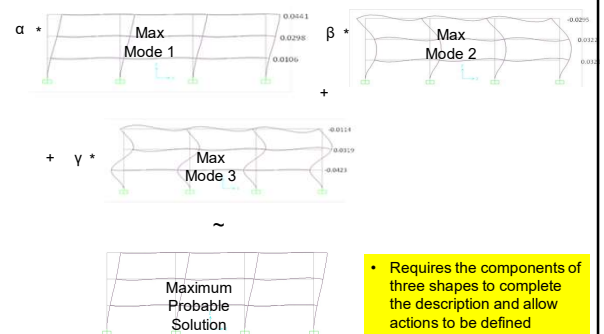


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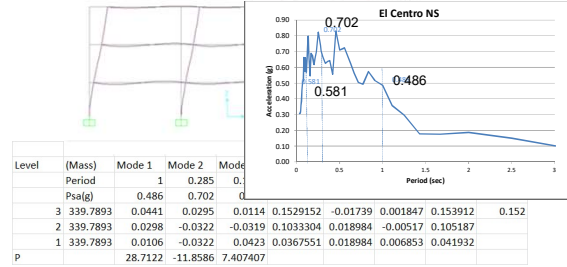
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- Top floor deflections would be $\sqrt{(0.153)^2} = 0.153m$, cf. -0.152m.

Modal Response Spectrum Analysis of Three Storey Frame to EI Centro

$$F_j^i = m_j \phi_j^i P_i S_{A_i}$$

$$P_i = \frac{\sum_j \phi_j^i m_j}{\sum_j \phi_j^{i^2} m_j} \text{ modal participation factor}$$

Level	(Mass)	Mode 1	Mode 2	Mode 3	Inertia Force [kN]				T/H	
					Mode 1	Mode 2	Mode 3	Max Prob		
Period	1	0.285	0.702	0.152						
Psal(g)	0.486	0.702	0.581							
3	339.8	0.0441	0.0295	0.0114	2051	-819	164	2215		
2	339.8	0.0298	-0.0322	-0.0319	1386	894	-458	1711		
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- Base shear $\sqrt{3930^2 + 968^2 + 313^2} = 4060 \text{ kN}$ cf. -4309 kN.

Modal Response Spectrum Analysis General Comments

- Comments
 - Signs
 - Response Spectrum Influence
 - Combination procedure Influence
 - Derived Actions and Responses
 - As we calculate **Maximum Probable Responses**, then other actions derived from these **may**, or **may not** be maximum probable values

Modal Response Spectrum Analysis of

Inertia Forces					Interstorey Shears				
Mode 1	Mode 2	Mode 3	Max Prob	From MP/IF	Mode 1	Mode 2	Mode 3	Max Prob	
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Modal Response Spectrum Analysis General Comments

2215 = (2015^2 + (-819)^2 + 164^2)^0.5

1711

1187

5114 = 2215 + 1711 + 1187

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Comments on- The NZS1170.5 Modal Response Spectrum Method Percentage Mass (90% required !)

$V_i = P_i^2 S_{Ai}$ if ($\sim S_{Ai} = g$), then
With reference to $F=ma$, P_i^2 is mass in ith mode

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P^2		824.3903	140.6275	54.86968
% Mass		80.87	13.80	5.38

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Comments on- The NZS1170.5 Modal Response Spectrum Method

- Base Shear Scaling

- The problem arises in that the building being analysed most likely does not have a large amount of mass participating in its first mode
- It would be more rational to scale to equivalent static base shear calculated at the period of the mode that introduced say > 60% of the mass of the building.

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The Equivalent Static Method

- Observed from previous example that the response of the three level regular frame was dominated by 1st Mode

Storey Displacement (m)					Interstorey Shear (kN)				
Mode 1	Mode 2	Mode 3	Max Prob	M1 Error(%)	Mode 1	Mode 2	Mode 3	Max Prob	M1 Error(%)
0.153	-0.017	0.002	0.154	0.648	2051	-819	164	2215	7
0.103	0.019	-0.005	0.105	1.765	3437	75	-294	3450	0
0.037	0.019	0.007	0.042	12.346	3930	968	313	4060	3

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The Equivalent Static Method

- Assume for Regular low rise buildings
- First Mode Dominates response
- First mode takes a pre guessed shape (NZ a straight line)
- $\phi_j^1 = ah_j$
- Then substituting into previous equations for Modal Response Spectrum analysis

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The Equivalent Static Method

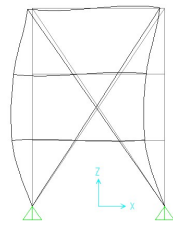
- $F_j = w_j h_j V / \sum_j w_j h_j$
- $V_1 = P_1^2 S_{A1}$
- $F_i = F_t + 0.92V \frac{W_i h_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n W_i h_i}$
- $V = C_d(T_1) W_t$
(Usually $P^2 \sim 0.8 * Wt$)

The Equivalent Static Method

- What if you use the wrong modeshape?
 - ESM (assumes linear mode) is restricted for structures
- Have a height less 10m, or
- Have a period less 0.4 seconds, or
- Are regular and have a period less than 2 seconds

The Equivalent Static Method

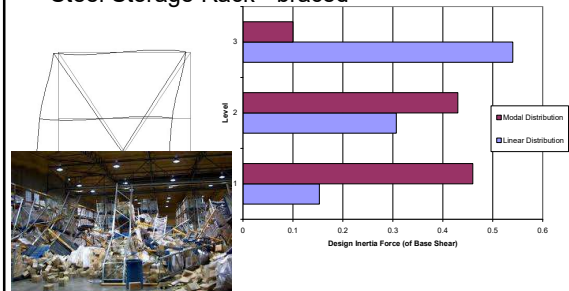
- Steel Storage Rack - braced



Expected First Modeshape

The Equivalent Static Method

- Steel Storage Rack - braced



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Session 6:
Walls, Elongation, and Displacement-Sensitive Elements

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Summary

- Walls
 - Detailing
 - Non-planar walls
 - Strut-and-tie design
 - Interpretation of analysis
- Plastic hinge elongation
- Design of displacement-sensitive items
 - Stairs
 - Cladding



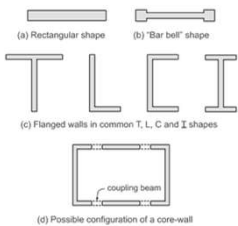
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Walls

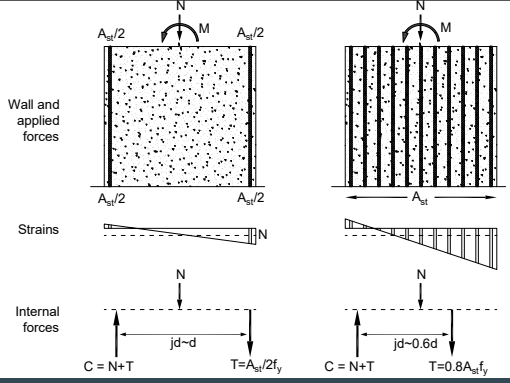
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Walls are little different

- Compared to beams and columns, walls:
 - Are typically 'long'
 - small axial loads create significant flexural strength
 - often low reinforcement requirement
 - Need to have bars along length
 - More flexibility in section shape



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Concentrating reinforcement

- Promotes distributed cracking
 - locally higher reinforcement ratio acts as initiator
- Results in stiffer section
 - more EA at a bigger lever arm
- Other construction benefits
 - transfer to foundations
 - effective confinement simpler

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NZS 3101 requirements

- Increased minimum reinforcement requirement for end regions
- End regions $\rho_{min} = \frac{\sqrt{f_c}}{2f_y}$
- Elsewhere $\rho_{min} = \frac{\sqrt{f_c}}{4f_y}$

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Transverse reinforcement

- Provides shear strength, confinement, prevents buckling – as in other members
- New requirements for anchorage
 - Continuous U
 - Hooks and crosslink
 - Hooks within 'column' cage

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Wall confinement

- Very important!
- Recent realisation: it's not only the end regions that need confining

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Wall confinement

- What about when the wall is 'in between'?

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'Constraint' reinforcement

- Prevents buckling of central bars
- Required where spalling anticipated:
 - Fully ductile plastic hinge
 - Shear demand is high
 - Close spaced vertical reinforcement
 - Cover concrete is thin

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Boundary regions

- Stabilise entire wall
- Allow well confined end regions
- Flanges can fill role
- Required size based on curvature

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Singly reinforced walls

- Cannot be effectively confined
- Stability under bi-directional loading uncertain
- Consequently limited to nominally ductile design
- $\Phi = 0.7$ in upcoming amendment
- Intent of combined changes is for little plasticity to occur during MCE

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Outstands

- Need to consider forces
 - how do they get there?
strut-and-tie
 - what width is correct?
1:2 spread
 - overstrength
could be 1:1

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Asymmetric sections

- Watch out for unequal strength

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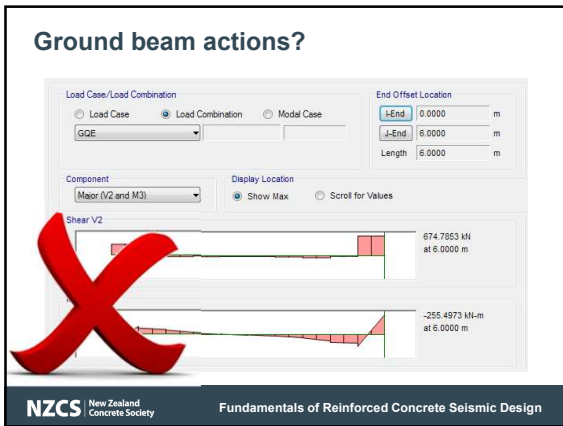
- Solutions can be hard or easy
 - design for the forces
 - reconsider the reinforcement arrangement

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Wall analysis output

- Tread carefully when modelling ground beams etc.

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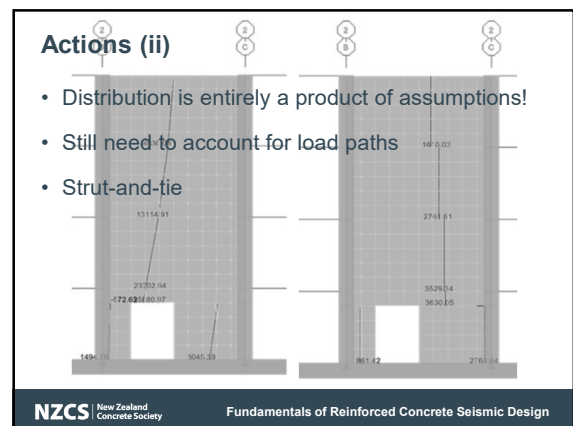
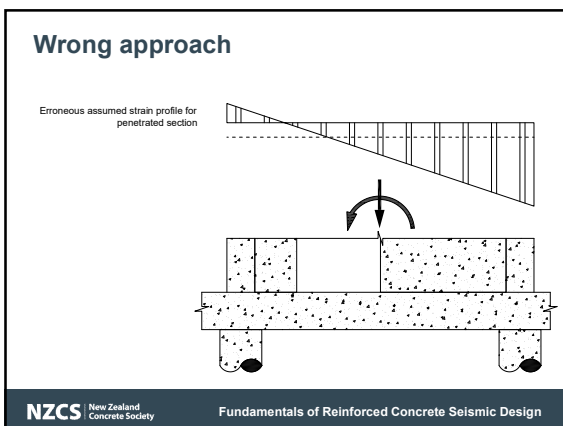
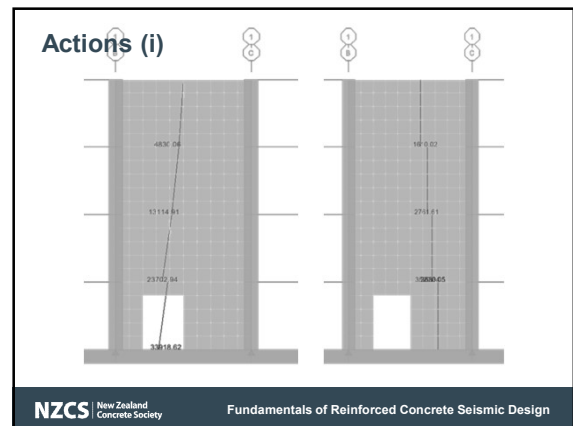
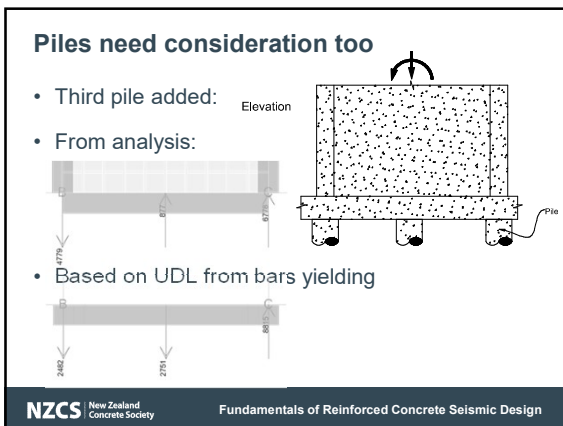
Ground beam actions

- Wall requires 2-HD20 @ 250 c/c
- At nominal strength, all bars in web at yield
→ UDL on the beam

$$F_{dist} = \frac{n_b A_b f_y}{s_b} = 2 \times \frac{20^2 \pi}{4} \times 500 \times \frac{1000}{250} = 1257 \text{ kN/m}$$

- $V^* \approx 3000\text{-}4000 \text{ kN}$ 500%-700% of analysis
(or lump reinforcement!)

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Strut-and-tie

- Every engineer should be using strut-and-tie!
 - walls
 - diaphragms
 - corbels (and seating)
 - foundations
 - unusual connections etc.

BEST PRACTICE

iii Corbel

iv. Deep Pile Cap

16.4.4 Method of design
Brackets and corbels shall be designed by either method (a), or method (b) where appropriate:
(a) **Strut-and-tie model**, with a span to effective depth ratio (a/d) of 1.8 or less may be designed by the **strut-and-tie method**.

11.4.8 Walls with openings
Openings in structural walls shall be so arranged that unintentional failure planes across adjacent openings, do not reduce the shear or flexural strength of the structure. For scale cantilever walls with irregular openings appropriate analyses such as based on **strut-and-tie models** shall establish rational paths for the internal forces. Capacity design procedures shall **be used to ensure** that the horizontal shear reinforcement will not yield before the flexural strength of the wall is developed.

14.3.2 Design of pile caps
Pile caps shall be designed using either flexural theory or a **strut-and-tie approach**.

13.3.9 Strength of diaphragms in shear
The strength design of diaphragms for shear shall be based upon **strut and tie models** in accordance with Appendix A.

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Why S+T?

- Design approaches assume plane sections before deformation remain plane after deformation (Bernoulli)
- Doesn't hold in 'D-regions'

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Where S+T

- Anywhere there is a substantial discontinuity

...unless there is a well validated alternative

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Lets go back to session 2

- Clause 1.1.1.1
 - This Standard sets out **minimum requirements** for the design of reinforced and prestressed concrete structures.
- Forthcoming amendment:
 - In addition to these requirements **every load or force acting on a structure shall have one or more dependable load paths** that can transfer the force to the foundation soils. Each load path shall satisfy the fundamental structural design requirements of equilibrium and displacement compatibility.

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In practice

- Identify D-region(s)
- Determine boundary conditions
- Truss model to transfer forces
- (Reinforcement, detailing nodes etc.)

Boundary element

Pile

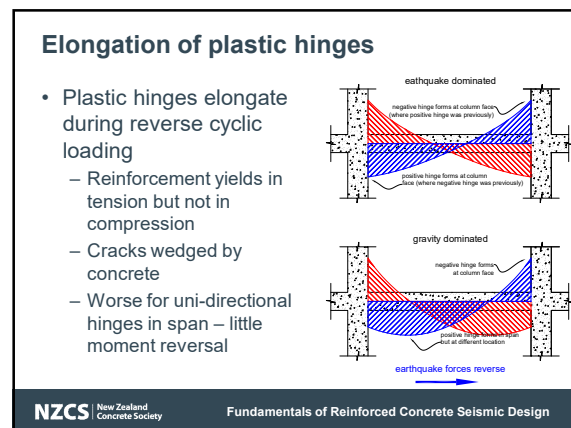
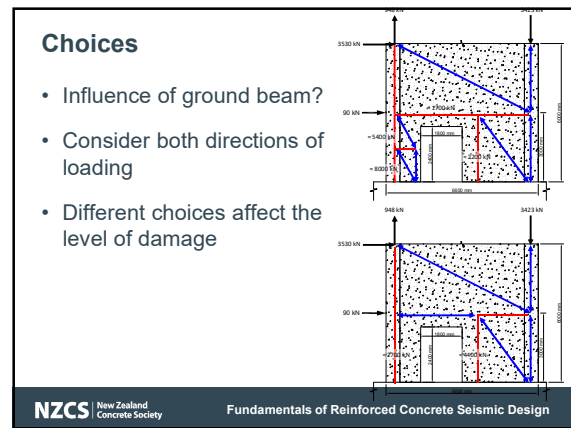
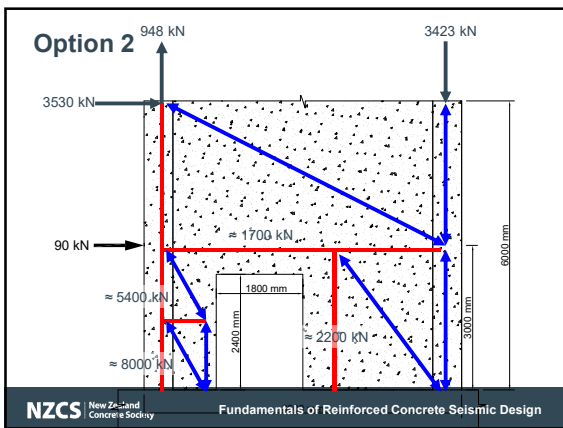
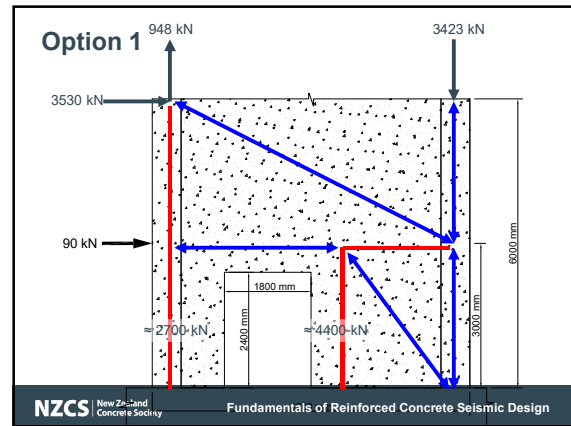
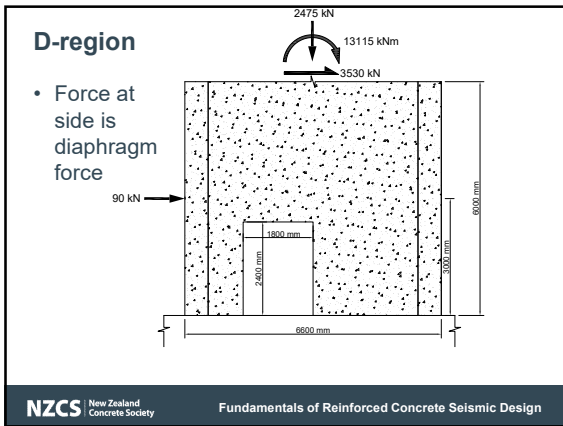
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Effects of Elongation

- Separation of columns from diaphragm
 - Beam and column separate from floor slab
- Seating/connection
 - stairs
 - precast floors
 - cladding
- Change of strength hierarchy
 - frames
 - coupled walls

Royal Commission report

(i) Beams elongate and push column away from floor slab

(ii) Beams elongate and push column away from floor slab

(iii) Column rotates due to elongation in one beam

Sectional Plan A - A on South Wall

Richard Fenwick

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How much?

- Dependent on drift
 - some will occur even in nominally elastic frames

13 cantilever beams

Fenwick, Bull & Gardner 2010

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How much?

- Amendment 3
 - Design level/ULS: $\sigma_{el} = 2.6 \frac{\theta_p}{2} (d - d') \leq 0.036h_b$
 - Peak MCE: $\sigma_{el, MCE} = \sigma_{el} \frac{1.5}{S_p} \leq 0.036h_b$
- Can be reduced by restraint:
 - e.g. 'R1' – max 0.02h_b

Fenwick, Bull & Gardner 2010

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Example

- 800 mm deep beam, 60 mm to reinforcement centroids
- Say $\theta_p = 0.012$

$$\sigma_{el} = 2.6 \frac{0.012}{2} (740 - 60) \leq 0.036 \times 800 = 11 \text{ mm} \leq 29 \text{ mm OK}_s$$

ULS plastic rotation (radians)

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Elongation occurs in walls too

- Causes wall to 'grow' vertically
- Geometric component significant
- Growth can cause wall to 'pick up' more weight
 - Substantial increase in axial force
 - Confinement/buckling?
 - Cannot be predicted yet
 - NZS 3101 – (hopefully) conservative limit on axial force

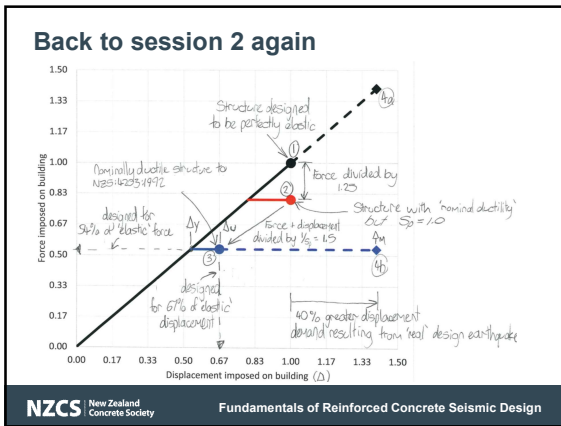
(a) Geometric elongation

(b) Residual crack widths

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Displacement-sensitive items

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Peak displacement demands

- NZS 1170:
 - A structure should have a **small margin against collapse** in the most severe earthquake shaking to which it is likely to be subjected. The **maximum considered...**
- For some items it is untenable to assume the peak displacement "doesn't matter"
 - Items that will fall off a ledge at a certain displacement
 - Items that will "jam" – change of load path

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Peak displacement demands

- Amendments to Standards require the 'MCE peak displacement' to be considered
 - Stairs and ramps to be functional
 - No collapse of precast floor units and cladding panels
- Peak MCE defined as: $\Delta_{\text{peakMCE}} = \Delta_{\text{ULS}} \frac{1.5}{S_p}$
 - NZS 1170 says 2/S_p!!!
- Plus allowance for deformation arising from elongation and/or rotation of the supports

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Cladding

- Aim – avoid the cladding becoming a load path
 - Fixed supports at base
 - Movement connections at top
- Connections must be tied into structure – LOADPATHS!
- Connection should be ductile 'weak link'

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Stairs

- Substantial displacements to accommodate:
 - 3m storey, 1.5% ULS drift

$$\Delta_{\text{pres,MCE}} = \Delta_{\text{ULS}} \frac{2}{S_p} = (0.015 \times 3000) \frac{2}{0.7} = 129\text{mm}$$

- Plus 2x hinges elongating – say $0.036h_b = 29\text{mm}$
- Total > 200 mm after tolerances

- Opening, closing, and transverse

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Stairs

- Fixed support at top
- Sliding at base
- Need to consider transverse movement also

Bull 2011

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**Session 8:
Floors and Diaphragms**

Nic Brooke

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Overview

- Roles of diaphragms and floors
- Diaphragm demands
- Diaphragm load paths
- Analysis to determine diaphragm forces
- Precast flooring
 - Factors requiring consideration
 - Seating design

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Roles of floors and diaphragms

Moehle et al. 2010

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Diaphragm demands

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Diaphragms must resist forces from three sources

- Inertia
 - Acceleration of the mass of the diaphragm and objects it supports
- Transfer
 - Flow of forces from one vertical element to another – result from changes of stiffness of vertical elements
- Secondary effects
 - Beam elongation
 - Ratcheting of elements
 - etc.

Paulay & Priestley 1992

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Kickbacks/backstay

- Demands likely to exceed building base shear
- Consider a cantilever beam with backspan – reaction exceeds applied force

Moehle et al. 2010, Sabelli et al. 2010

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Impact of stiffness on demands

- Transfer and kickback forces strongly influenced by stiffness
 - Diaphragm stiffness
 - Relative stiffness of elements
- Complex for precast floors
 - What contribution is made
 - Different transverse/long

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Impact of plan configuration on demands

- Complex shapes lead to concentrated demands – stress raisers

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Diaphragm load paths

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Design of load paths

- MUST use strut-and-tie
- Consider diaphragm as free body:
 - Forces for inertia
 - Reactions at vertical elements
- Nothing magic!
 - Ties – reinforcement on orthogonal axes
 - Struts – concrete
 - $\geq 25-30^\circ$ degrees between struts and ties
 - Minimise cracking by minimising length of ties, matching elastic pattern of stresses

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Finite element equivalents

- Various options in software:
 - Grillage
 - Rotating angle smeared crack elements – e.g. Darwin Pecknold

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Minimum requirements

- Minimum quantity of reinforcement in orthogonal directions
- ≥ 75 mm topping on precast floors
- All vertical elements tied into the diaphragms
- 'Drag' elements to major vertical resisting elements

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Disruption of load paths

- Size and position of openings can critically affect diaphragm function
- Some configurations are almost impossible to design

(a) Long unbraced chord

(b) Chord interrupted by close spaced openings

(c) More desirable opening locations

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Specific issues

(a) Column separation due to beam elongation

(b) "Ideal" strut-and-tie mechanism

(c) Strut not able to reach nodal zone (column)

Elongating beams, diaphragm torn, no compression strut to corner

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Analysis to determine diaphragm demands

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'Regular' analysis methods not ideal

- Equivalent static: *non-conservative*
- Response spectrum: *difficult to obtain and interpret useful results*
- Parts and components: *inappropriate – diaphragm interacts with structure*
- (Non-linear) time history: *"perfect" ... but*

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pESA – pseudo Equivalent Static Analysis

- Equivalent static analysis with a modified force envelope
 - Simple to implement
 - Calibrated against time history results
- Applied to whole building
 - Results used for diaphragm design only
 - Transfer forces obtained directly

Level

Lateral force

ESA envelope

pESA envelope

Equiv. static x overstrengh

Constant

Gardner 2011

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pESA – pseudo Equivalent Static Analysis

- Now covered in detail in NZS 1170.5
 - Limited to 9 storeys – ongoing research
 - 0.1b not to be included
- Building overstrengh:
 - Capacity design – calculate explicitly, 2-4 typical
 - Otherwise – estimated: $\phi_{ob} = \frac{S_{u,prov} \cdot 0.93 \cdot J_{y,95}}{S_c \cdot S_p \cdot J_{y,dom}}$

Floor Forces

Level

Lateral Force

ESA envelope

pESA envelope = $\phi_{ob} \times \text{ESA}$

PGA

$\phi_{ob} \times \text{ESA}$

$$\phi_{ob} = \frac{S_{u,prov} \cdot 0.93 \cdot J_{y,95}}{S_c \cdot S_p \cdot J_{y,dom}}$$

$$\approx \left(\frac{1.2}{\phi} \cdot S^* \right) \cdot 0.93 \cdot 1.2 = 1.75 \text{ to } 2.25$$


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Precast concrete flooring




Overview

- Significant investigation recently of:
 - hollowcore flooring
 - double tee seating



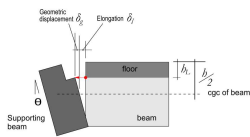




Seating design




Seating must be sufficient to allow for



- At least 10 mm bearing length
- The length of cover anticipated to be lost,
- The peak MCE (i.e. $1.5 \times \text{ULS/Sp}$) elongation of the parallel beam;
- Peak MCE rotation of the support beam
- 20 mm spalling from end of precast unit;
- Shortening of the precast unit due to creep and shrinkage
- Hogging that may result from thermal effects
- Construction tolerances



Example

- 275 mm deep floor (e.g. 200 hollowcore with 75 mm topping)
- 900 mm deep support beam
- ULS design plastic rotation is 0.02 radians

Example - spalling

- Spalling of the seat:
 - 25 mm (clear cover)
 - 16 mm (stirrup diameter)
 - 10 mm (half diameter of ledge longitudinal bar)
 - = 51 mm
- 15 mm allowance for spalling from unit

Fenwick et al. 2010

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Example – elongation and rotation

- Elongation of parallel beams – length required 32 mm

$$\sigma_{d, peak.MCE} = 2.6 \frac{\theta_p}{2} (d - d') \left(\frac{1.5}{S_p} \right) \leq 0.036 h_f$$

$$= 2.6 \frac{0.02}{2} (850 - 50) \left(\frac{1.5}{0.7} \right) \leq 0.036 \times 900$$

$$= 46 \text{ mm} \leq 32 \text{ mm}$$
- Rotation of support beams
 - Seat is $900/2 - 275 = 175 \text{ mm}$ above centroid of beam
 - Peak rotation = 0.036 rad
 - Allowance = $0.036 \times 175 = 6 \text{ mm}$

$$\theta_{p, peak.MCE} = \theta_{p, ELS} \frac{1.5}{S_p} \leq 0.036$$

$$= 0.02 \frac{1.5}{0.7} \leq 0.036$$

$$= 0.043 \leq 0.036$$

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Example

Calculation of required seating length		
(a) Bearing length	10 mm	
(b) Spalling of ledge	51 mm	
(c) Beam elongation	32.4 mm	
(d) Geometric displacement	6.3 mm	
(e) Spalling of unit	15 mm	
(f) Shortening of unit	6 mm	0.6mm/metre
(g) Tolerances	12.5 mm	NZS 3109
Req. length = sum of above =	134 mm	(round to 135 mm)

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Seating

- Support ledges must always be reinforced
- Design as corbel
- Horizontal force must be considered

(a) Support of hollow-core unit on a beam

(b) Strut and the forces for support ledge

(c) Polygon of forces for support ledge

Fenwick et al. 2010

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Type specific issues

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Hollowcore

- Separation from frame
 - Incompatible deformations
 - Unwanted strength enhancement
- Robustness of support - prevention of brittle failure

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Summary of practice

- Fenwick et al. 2010

Reference	Year	Recommended practice	Previous practice	Consequences of previous practice
5.1.1	5.4.1	Use low modulus bearing supports below-core	Above hollow-core with floor or concrete ledge or on masonry wall	Failure through hollow-core web and support may increase the likelihood of progressive collapse. Reinforced slab forming in the voids close to the support and of splitting from the support ledge.
5.1.2	5.4.1	Support ledge reinforced to tie into support beam	Some lines for hollow-core unit was supported on corner concrete	Splitting above support ledges may occur above top of corner concrete instead of being supported on the longitudinal bars. Preying action of precast units on support ledge.
5.1.3	5.4.1	Connect length between hollow-core and ledge to be length for moment transfer plus the larger of 300mm, 100mm or 10d, plus length required for bearing for 200% f_y , f_{yk} , f_{yk} , f_{yk}	NCM101: 1995 required connect length greater than the larger of 'wherever span 10d', to avoid loadback as recommended connect lengths were given.	Connect length less than usual recommended practice may cause premature loss of supporting and relative movement of hollow-core supporting structure.
5.1.4	5.4.1	Starter bars must be anchored to cover reinforcement negative moment. Related bar	No guidance given on necessary anchorage of starter reinforcement.	Cutting of the starter bars does not result in a negative moment failure in the hollow-core unit.
5.1.5	5.4.1	Embedding anchors to be reinforced with additional reinforcing bars. Hook should not be used (this includes double hooks).	Embedding anchors provided reinforced with mesh.	The mesh has low ductility, which can cause brittle failure in transmitting diaphragm forces.
5.1.6	5.4.2	Top cells break out at each end. If top cells concrete not reinforced with a glass rod then bar is the failure mode.	When a support length appears to be inadequate, top cells may break out and reinforcement may appear to be inadequate.	The use of upper edge reinforcement increases the likelihood of a negative moment flexural failure at the end of the precast slab, where starter bars are terminated.
5.1.7	5.4.1	Staple strength to negative moment not checked as required by NZS 3101: 2006	Staple strength assumed to be adequate if vertical grip by linking reinforcement acting as a single supported member.	Negative moment and axial tension induced in hollow-core floor due to displacement on failure of the slab length of the hollow-core unit.
5.1.8	5.4.1	Linking slabs required to reduce forces induced in hollow-core units by relative vertical movement of adjacent structural elements.	No linking slab provided.	Relative small differential vertical movement of adjacent structural elements causes bars to yield, eventually allowing beams half off and in to go.
5.1.9	5.4.1	Linking slab allows beam or other structural element to move relative to hollow-core units.	Linking slab allows beam or other structural element to move relative to hollow-core units.	As the end of the slab there has been a large drop in negative moment flexural strength.
5.1.10	5.4.1	Linking slab allows beam or other structural element to move relative to hollow-core units.	Anchor tension due to differential displacement of supports.	Differential displacement of hollow-core units. As these occur no increased displacement from top to bottom of slab.

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Double tees

- Issues around seating load path

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Double tees

- Other options obviously more robust

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