

DESIGN OF STEEL CONCRETE COMPOSITE STRUCTURE AND ITS COMPARISON WITH RCC STRUCTURE

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Abstract - Steel Concrete Composite Structures are becoming popular in India in current trends of changing construction scenario whereby the general discussion on technical aspects are far behind being new in Indian industry at wide scale. Steel-concrete composite structure is the steel section encased in concrete for columns and the concrete slab or profiled deck slab is connected to the steel beam with the help of mechanical shear connectors so that they act as a single unit. Steel-concrete composite with Reinforced cement concrete options are considered for comparative study of G+4 storey residential building which is situated in earthquake zone III and for earthquake loading, the provisions of IS:1893(Part1)-2002 is considered by Equivalent Static Method of Analysis. For modeling of Composite & R.C.C. structures ETABS is used

Key Words:

1. INTRODUCTION

In India reinforced concrete members are mostly used in the framing system for most of the buildings since this is the most convenient & economic system for low-rise buildings. However, for medium to high-rise buildings this type of structure is no longer economic because of increased dead load, less stiffness, span restriction and hazardous formwork. Steel concrete composite frame system can provide an effective and economic solution to most of these problems in medium to high-rise buildings. This paper includes the Comparative study of R.C.C. with Composite (G+4) Storey building which further includes the details of time period, storey drift, deflections, bending moments in x & y direction, axial force and shear force in columns & beams. The main objectives of the study are

☐ To provide a brief description to various components of steel concrete framing system for buildings.

☐ To investigate major parameters like, time, seismic response of steel-concrete composite frames over traditional reinforced concrete frames and steel frames for building structures.

1.1 Elements of composite construction

1. Composite beam, slab & shear connectors

A steel concrete composite beam consists of a steel beam, over which a reinforced concrete slab is cast with shear connectors. The composite action reduces the beam

depth. Rolled steel sections themselves are found adequate frequently for buildings and built up girders are generally unnecessary. The composite beam can also be constructed with profiled sheeting with concrete topping or with cast in place or precast reinforced concrete slab.

2. Composite Column

A steel – concrete composite column is conventionally a compression member in which the steel element is a structural steel section. There are three types of composite columns used in practice which are Concrete Encased, Concrete filled, Battered Section.

3. Shear Connectors

Shear connections are essential for steel concrete construction as they integrate the compression capacity of supported concrete slab with supporting steel beams / girders to improve the load carrying capacity as well as overall rigidity. Therefore, mechanical shear connectors are required at the steel-concrete interface. These connectors are designed to

(a) Transmit longitudinal shear along the interface

(b) Prevent separation of steel beam and concrete slab at the interface.

2. MODELING AND ANALYSIS

The building considered here is a commercial building. The plan dimension is 30m x 24m. The study is carried out on the same building plan for both R.C.C and Composite construction. The floor plans were divided into five by six bays in such a way that center to center distance between two grids is 6 meters by 4 meters respectively as shown in Figure 2. The basic loading on both types of structures are kept same.

Table -1: Data for analysis for RCC structure and Composite structure

Structural Details	
Type of Structure	Multi-Storey Rigid Jointed RC Frame Structure
No. of Storey	G+3 Storey
Floor to Floor Height	3.25 meter

Plinth Level	1.25 meter above Ground Level
Surrounding Location of Structure	Plain Terrain
Type of Soil on which Structure is rest	Medium Soil (Poorly Graded Sand: Stiff Soil)
Safe Bearing Capacity of Soil	400 kN/m ²

Checklist of process used in detailed design of composite structure is guided as per the INSDAG Resource and general design of building principles.

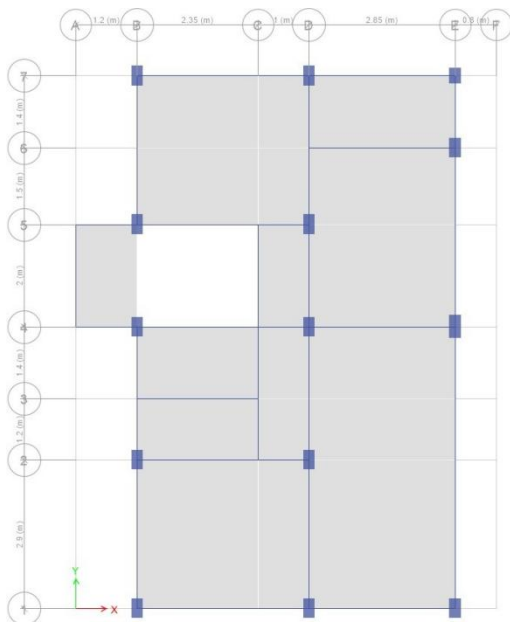


Fig1: Typical Floor Plan

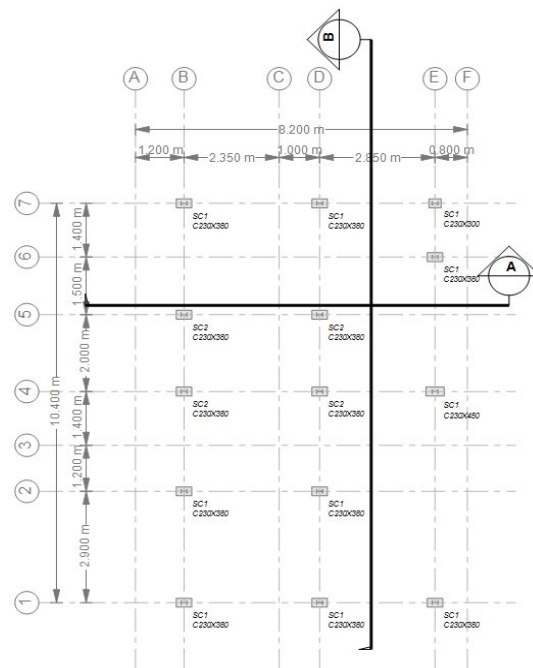


Fig1:

Composite Column Center Plan

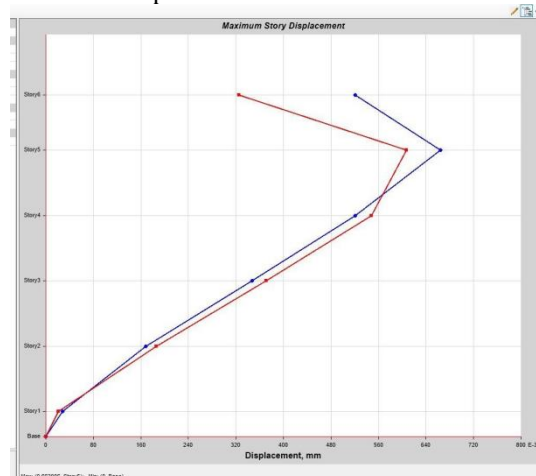


Fig-3: Story Displacement RCC

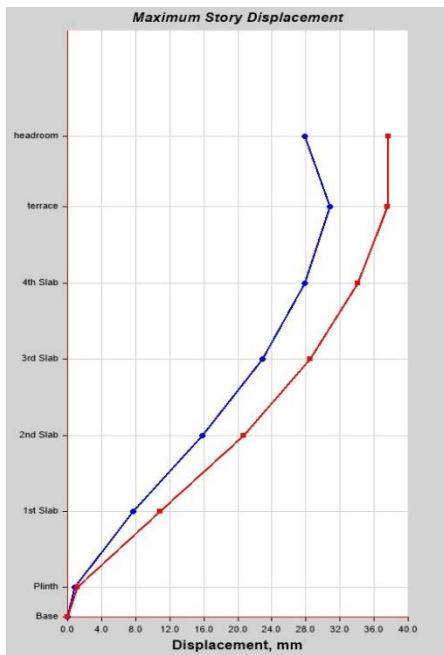


Fig -4: Story Displacement composite

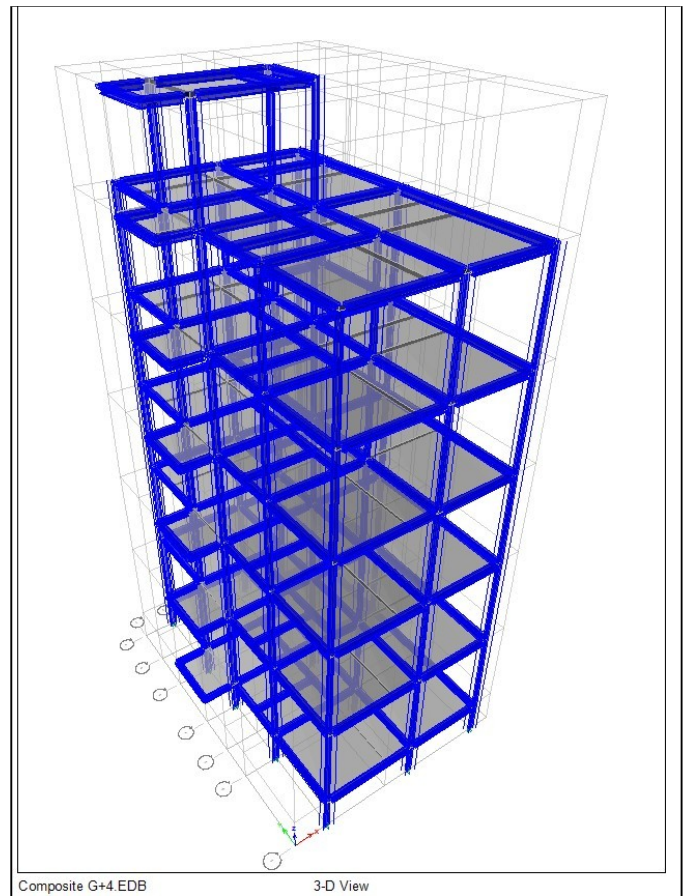


Table -2: Data for analysis for RCC structure and Composite structure

Structural Details	
Seismic Zone	III
Zone Factor (Z)	0.16
Site Type	II for Medium Soil as per Table 4 of IS 1893 (Part 1): 2016
Importance Factor (I)	1.2 as per Cl.7.2.3 and Table 8 of IS 1893 (Part 1): 2016
System	SMRF (Special Moment Resisting Frame)
Response Reduction Factor (R)	5 as per Cl.7.2.6 and Table 9 of IS 1893 (Part 1): 2016
Percentage of Imposed Load to be Considered in Seismic Weight	25% for LL is up to 3 kN/m ² as per Cl.7.3.1 and Table 10 of IS 1893 (Part 1): 2016

Checklist	
Step 1:	Enter Basic Input Data; Define Grid and Story Data
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Set Design Codes Define Grid Data Define Story Data Set Units of Length, Force and Acceleration Save the File
Step 2:	Define Material Properties
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Define Concrete Properties as per Grade of Concrete Define Rebar Properties as per Grade of Steel Define Reinforcement Bar Sizes as per requirements

Step 3: Define Section Properties	Define Seismic along X-Direction for ELX
Define Beams	Define Seismic along X-Direction + 0.05 Eccentricity for ELX+0.05e
Define Columns	Define Seismic along X-Direction - 0.05 Eccentricity for ELX-0.05e
Define Slabs	Define Seismic along Y-Direction
<i>Note: Enter correct properties of materials, cover, modifiers w.r.t. type of section</i>	Define Seismic along Y-Direction + 0.05 Eccentricity for ELY+0.05e
Step 4: Define Diaphragms	Define Seismic along Y-Direction - 0.05 Eccentricity for ELY-0.05e
Define Diaphragm for all Floors	Define Mass Source for Seismic Weight Calculations
Step 5: Check Snap Options	
Draw > Snap Options > Select required Snap Options	
Step 6: Draw the Structure	Step 10: Set Load Cases
Draw Columns	Check the Load Cases as per Load Pattern
Draw Beams	Step 11: Assign Super-Imposed Dead Loads
Draw Slabs	Assign SIDL
Draw Staircase	Step 12: Assign Live Loads
Step 7: Assign Conditions to Model	Assign LL
Assign Support Conditions	Set Live Load Reduction Factors
Assign Releases to Beams	Step 13: Define Load Combinations and Envelope
Assign Diaphragms	Define Load Combinations as per Codal Provisions
Step 8: Check Model for any Modeling Error	Define Envelope for Design Load Combination and Service Load Combination
Analyze > Check Model	Step 14: Define Analysis Options
<i>Note: Fix the Error, if Any</i>	Assign Meshing
Step 9: Define Load Pattern for Load Cases and Mass Source for Seismic Weight	Check Model Again
Define Dead for DL	Auto Relabel All
Define Super Dead for SIDL	Check Active Degree of Freedom
Define Live for LL	Set Load Cases to Run
Define Wind in X-Direction for WLX	Set Advanced SAPfire options
Define Wind in Y-Direction for WLY	Step 15: Analyse the Structure and Check the Behaviour
	Analyse the Model by Run Analysis

Check Analysis Run Log to check that Model does not run into Instability

Check Storey Drift Limitation as per Cl.7.11.1.1 of IS 1893 (Part 1) : 2016

Check Torsional Irregularity as per Cl.7.1 and Table 5 of IS 1893 (Part 1) : 2016

Check for Lateral Sway as per Cl.20.5 of IS 456 : 2000

Note: If checks are not compliant with codal provisions then go to Step 2, 3 and 6

Step 16: Design the Structure

Revise the Preference

Select Design Combinations

Perform Design Check for all members by Verify all members Passed

Verify Analysis vs Design Section

Note: If any member is failing in Design, Try changing Design Section

Unlock Model > Changed Section Size > Repeat Step 14 and 15

reliability to the process is being described. Efforts have been made to cover the codal provisions at most possible

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The explained 3D building model is analyzed using Equivalent Static Method. The buildings models are analyzed by using ETABS software. In composite structure the beam is modeled as composite beam element and column is modeled as RCC beam element and shear wall is modeled as RCC plate element. In RCC structure the beam and column is modeled as RCC beam element and shear wall is modeled as RCC plate element. The different parameters such as node displacement, maximum shear force, axial force and maximum bending moment, Time period were studied for the models. The dead load and live load are considered as per IS-875(part 1 &2) and wind load is considered as per IS-875(part 3). For earthquake loading IS: 1893 (Part1) is used.

3. CONCLUSIONS

Although the standard codal provisions are absent but still using EURO Codes as referance and resources primarily by INSDAG and effort of Buick davison on development of Steel Design Manual. An successful attemp to analysis of steel concrete composite structure is being made and using softwares to establish its validity and