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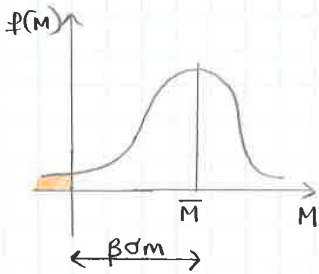
**MATERIA: Theory an Design of Reinforced and Prestressed  
Concrete Structure - Prof. Fantilli**

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AND  
PRE - STRESSED  
CONCRETE



(\*) probability of failure  
 The distance from the average is  $\beta \sigma_M$   
 $\beta$ : reliability index  
 $\sigma_M$ : standard deviation of M

It's necessary to chose a suitable  $\beta$  to guarantee safety

⇒ Too difficult to find the real distribution of E and S so H's used a **SEMI-PROBABILISTIC METHOD** (Eurocode 2 or ACI 318 - USA -)

$$E_d \leq R_d$$

ACI - 318

$$E_d = \mu$$

factorial loads

$$R_d = \phi \cdot S_n$$

$\phi$ : reduction factor ( $< 1$ )

$S_n$ : nominal strenght

Eurocode

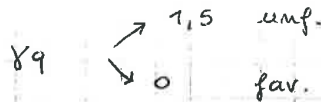
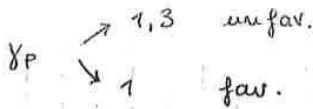
$$E_d = \gamma_q \cdot Q \rightarrow \text{nominal value of loads}$$

partial safety factor for loads

$$R_d = R_k / \gamma_m$$

$R_k$ : characteristic value of strenght

$\gamma_m$ : partial safety factor for materials ( $> 1$ )



All these coefficients could be different from country to country  
 $\rightarrow$  the max values is in Europe because of economy.

Higher is the value, high is the cost of the structure.  
 safety of the

$\gamma$  depends on the category of construction.  
 $\rightarrow$  There are tabs.

$G_1 + Q_1$  become  $1,3 G_1 + 1,5 Q_1$  for example  
 $\rightarrow$  Similar to ACI 318 :  
 $1,2 G_1 + 1,6 Q_1$

There are several combinations  $\rightarrow$  6 in European Codes

For:

- Ultimate Limit States  $\rightarrow$  Fundamental, Accidental, Seismic Combinations
- Serviceability Limit States  $\rightarrow$  characteristic, Frequent, Quasi-Permanent Combinations

Other loads:

- Eurocode 1-1.1 dead loads, self-weight and imposed loads
- " 1-1.2 fire actions
- " 1-1.3 snow loads
- " 1-1.4 wind loads

**LOAD ARRANGEMENTS**  $\rightarrow$  we can fix the values of loads

In the combinations, loads are contemporarily with maximum effect

Simple structure:



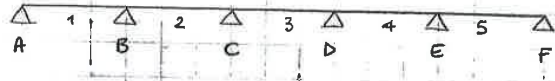
When we put together these diagrams, we have 2 possibilities:



in the section  $M$   
 there are 2 moments:  
 - positive M  $\rightarrow$  M can change the part  
 - negative M

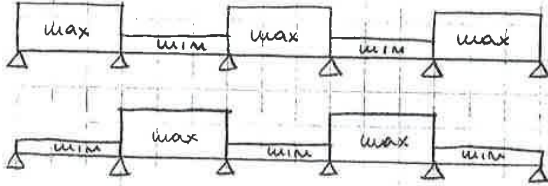


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 $q_{max}$   
 $q_{min}$

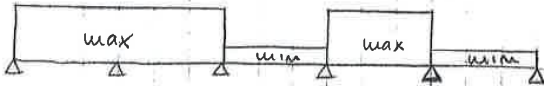
If we want to have the maximum positive bending moment, how can we do this / obtain it?



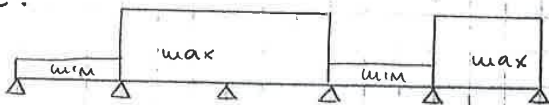
In 1, 3, 5.

In 2 and 4.

Where are the maximum negative bending moments? There are on the support:



on C:



on D and on E it's the same!

In the support there aren't positive moment; only negative in all the situations.

The continuous beam is a form of a floor for example. We have to consider all the arrangements. The same is also true for shear (= taglio)

SEISMIC ACTION ~ HORIZONTAL → ECO: eurocode 0

Action that arises due to earthquake ground motions. - generally, dead lo.

SPAN = *campata*  
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stiffness, mass and viscous must be taken into account

c = property of materials

Vertical actions of seismic is not take into account

because they're lower than horizontal ones and because current constructions are generally ideated for vertical loads (are uniaxial but **Vulnerabili**)

brick blocks = **PIGNONE**

↳ are light and reduce the weight of the floor.

In some cases they represent also for isolation if they're in polystrol

↳ ~~are~~ NOT always

## Content of the course

### First part

- Theory of elastic beams and frames (structural mechanics)
- Theory of elastic plates and walls (structural mechanics)
- Effects produced by explicit and implicit loads
- Effects produced by seismic loads (in low intensity seismic zones)

### Second part

- Materials characterization and durability problems
- Design of beams and one-way slabs
- Design of two-way slabs and shear walls
- Design of short and slender columns
- Serviceability requirements
- Strut and Tie Modeling
- Beam-Column Joints
- Design for Torsion Resistance
- Prestressed concrete structures

## Content of the course

### Third part

- Safety formats and conceptual design of reinforced concrete buildings
- Effects of horizontal loads
- Slabs for floors
- $E_d \leq R_d$  in beams, columns and slabs
- Beam-Column Joints
- Serviceability requirements

## Exam

Before the examination, the report of the course project has to be completed (10 points) mandatory

The exam consists of two parts:

- Written test, consisting of the solution of two simple problems – with multiple choice answer (10 points) mandatory
- Individual oral colloquium of about 20 minutes on the content of the course (10 points) not mandatory

## Combination at ULS

### Fundamental

$$\gamma_{G1}G_1 + \gamma_{G2}G_2 + \gamma_pP + \gamma_{Q1}Q_{k1} + \gamma_{Q2}Q_{k2}\Psi_{02} + \gamma_{Q3}Q_{k3}\Psi_{03} + \dots$$

### Accidental design situations

$$G_1 + G_2 + P + A_d + Q_{k1}\Psi_{21} + Q_{k2}\Psi_{22} + \dots$$

### Seismic situations

$$E + G_1 + G_2 + P + Q_{k1}\Psi_{21} + Q_{k2}\Psi_{22} + \dots$$

## CONTINUOUS BEAMS

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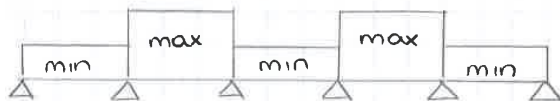
Ed ( $q_{max}$ ,  $q_{min}$ ) arrange load to obtain the max or the min M or T



The maximum positive bending moment on 1, 3, 5 is due to:



The maximum positive bending moment on 2, 4 is due to:



The maximum negative bending moment on B is due to:



in this case we also have the max shear in B (max constriction reaction)

The maximum negative bending moment on C is due to:



And in the same way we can obtain the max negative bending moment on D and E

## HORIZONTAL LOADS

seismic action

in ECO the definition of seismic action is action that arises due to earthquake ground motions

Generally, dead loads, live loads and those of snow depend on their mass (and gravity)

seismic loads depends on the mass, the stiffness and on the viscous damper of the structure and ground acceleration

All structures have stiffness and constant of viscous damper

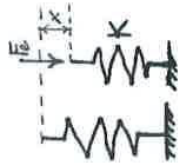
the property to dissipate seismic energy



## Stiffness

- The stiffness,  $k$ , of a body is a measure of the resistance offered by an elastic body to deformation
- A spring is generally used to illustrate  $k$ , which can be defined as the constant of proportionality between the applied elastic load  $F_e$  and the produced displacement  $x$ :

$$k = \frac{F_e}{x}$$

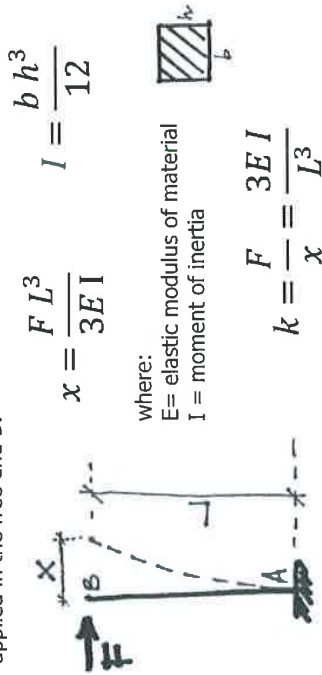


- In the standard International System of Units (SI), the vectors  $F_e$  and  $x$  are measured in Newton (N) and m, respectively, whereas the scalar  $k$  is measured in N/m.



## Observation

- Similarly to a damper, a structure has the intrinsic capacity to dissipate oscillation (i.e., has a viscous damper constant  $c$ )
- Similarly to spring, a structure has a stiffness  $k$ . E.g. a cantilever beam, in which the end A has a fixed support, and a load  $P$  is applied in the free end B:



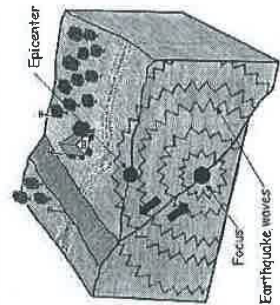
where:  
 $E$  = elastic modulus of material  
 $I$  = moment of inertia

$$k = \frac{F}{x} = \frac{3EI}{L^3}$$



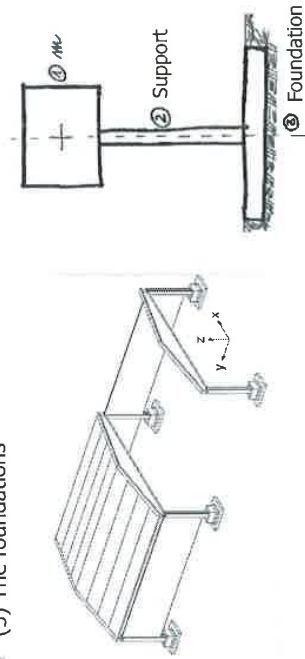
## The earthquake

- Earthquakes result from the sudden movement of tectonic plates on the earth's crust.
- The movement takes place at fault lines, and the energy released is transmitted through the earth in the form of waves that cause ground motion many miles from the focus.
- Epicenter is the projection of the earth's crust of the focus.



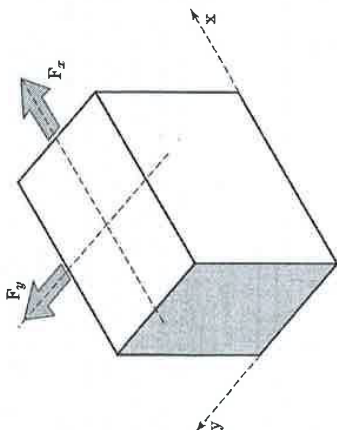
## A single building

- From a structural point of view, a one-storey building (e.g., an industrial plant) can be outlined with:
- (1) A mass  $m$  (of the beams and the slabs of the roof)
- (2) The vertical supports (i.e., the columns)
- (3) The foundations



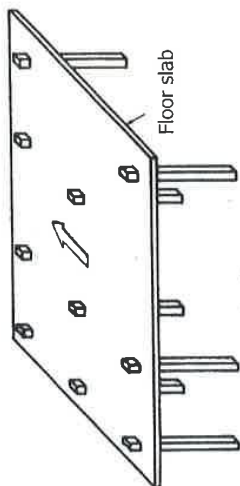
## The horizontal loads

They are generally applied, not simultaneously, in the main horizontal directions  $x$  and  $y$  of each floor (§ 4.3.3.1(7) EC8)



## The horizontal loads

The loads  $F_x$  and  $F_y$  on the floor slab, must be distributed to vertical elements (i.e., columns, shear walls).

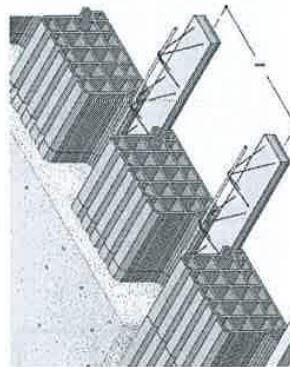


The in-plane stiffness of the floor slab shall be large enough with respect to the lateral stiffness of the vertical structural elements (so that a rigid diaphragm behavior may be assumed).

## Rigid diaphragms

A RC floor slab can be considered as rigid diaphragms (§ 7.2.6 NTC 2008):

- When the thickness of the reinforced concrete topping layer should be not less than 40 mm if the span between supports is less than 8 m, or not less than 50 mm for longer spans



PROBLEM: calculate  $K = R_B / S_B$  (very rigid floor, diaphragm)

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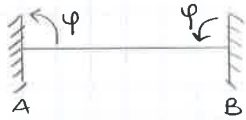


we impose  $S$  so  $R_B$  is unknown and the problem is to find it

Connecting the two ends, the real deformation can be obtained by two rotations of this line. In this way it's possible to find  $R_B$

↳ considering  $S_B$  very small

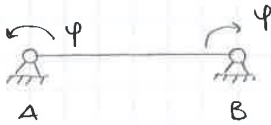
The statically indetermined can be solved by MoF (METHOD OF FORCES)



$$\phi = \frac{S_B}{L}$$

- Principal structural system without extra supports. It has to be statically determinated

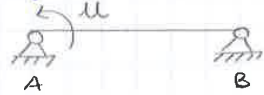
SYSTEM 0



without vertical load moment, shear and axial force are zero

- Virtual system with the vertical reactions due to the extra supports, deleted in the system 0

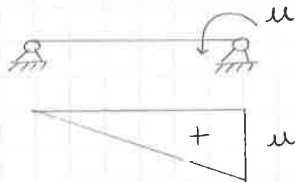
SYSTEM ONE



we don't consider shear, but only bending moment



• SYSTEM TWO



$$M_B = M_0 + x_1 M_1 + x_2 M_2$$

$$M_B = x_1 M_1 + x_2 M_2$$

↳ the equation of virtual work leads to compute  $x_1$  and  $x_2$

Internal work = external work

$$L_{INT}^{i,b} = L_{EXT}^{i,b}$$

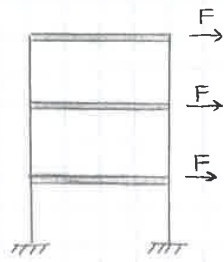
$$i = 1, 2$$

↳ we have to apply this equation twice

$$\int_L M_i \cdot \frac{M_B}{EI} dz = \mu \phi \quad \begin{cases} M_i = M_1 \\ M_i = M_2 \end{cases}$$

virtual forces · real displacement

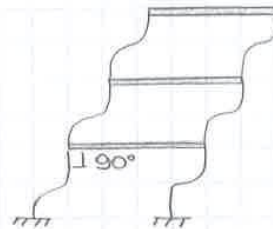
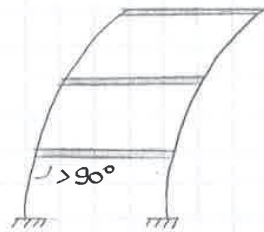
Frame : vertical and horizontal elements + horizontal forces



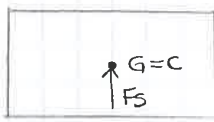
There are two kinds of deformations

rigid diaphragm, different deformation → typical for reinforced concrete  
 2) SHEAR TYPE

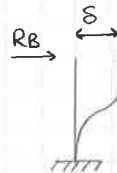
1) BENDING TYPE



If the "floor" is rigid and rectangle, the force is applied in the center of the mass (in this case it is the same as centroid)



$$F_s = m \cdot a$$



This force has to be distributed to the vertical elements behind (columns) so through  $F_s$  we have to calculate  $R_B$ .

1° CASE

columns with the same geometry, are located symmetrically respect to the load  $F_s$  and have the same material



$L, E, A, I = \text{CONSTANT PROPERTIES}$

↳ even  $k = \text{const}$

Because of the symmetry the only movement which is possible is along  $y$  ( $\delta$ ) and it's equal for all the columns because there aren't relative movements between the columns themselves.

$$R_B = \frac{F_s}{n}$$

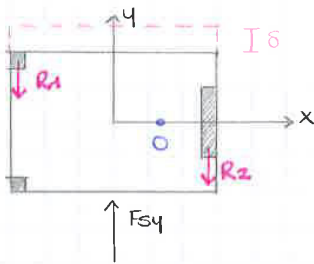
$n$ : number of columns

It has to be the equilibrium too, so  $F_s = \sum_{i=1}^n R_{B_i} = n R_B$

**DISTRIBUTION OF HORIZONTAL LOADS**

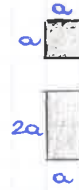
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3<sup>rd</sup> CASE



Two type of columns

- ①  $a \times a$
- ②  $a \times 2a$



In we consider a rigid movement in y direction,  $\delta$  is the displacement.

The reactions are

$$R_1 = k I x_1 = k \frac{a^4}{12}$$

↳ directly proportional with moment of inertia

$$R_2 = k I x_2 = k \frac{a(2a)^3}{12}$$

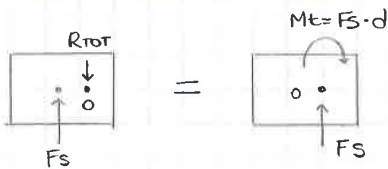
$$R_2 = 8 R_1$$

$$R_{TOT} = 2R_1 + R_2$$

↳ it should be equal to the applied load, due to equilibrium

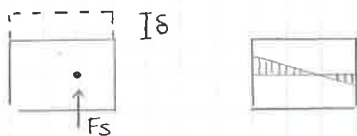
↳ is located quite close to the bigger column (in the point 0)

↳ the two forces are applied in different points (center of mass and 0)



torsional moment if we observe it in the same plane of the diaphragm

If there is only  $F_s$  there is only a translation, with  $M_t$  there is only rotation around 0. So the non symmetrical situation leads to a rotation and translation

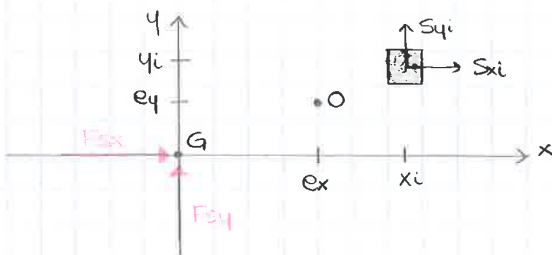


they have to be summed

So the distribution of load has to be changed because of rotation, the greatest movement is about column 1, for column 2 the displacements are in opposite sense.

⇒ In order to consider the translation and rotation we have to apply the Theory of the center of torsion (=point 0)

**Distribution of horizontal loads**



- $S_{yi}$ : effect of the applied load in the y direction
  - $S_{xi}$ : effect of the applied load in the x direction
  - G: center of mass
  - 0: center of torsion
- } for the i-th column

$$\begin{aligned} x_{oi} &= x_i - e_x & x_i &= a_x \\ y_{oi} &= y_i - e_y & y_i &= a_y \end{aligned}$$

We can define two moments due to rotation.  $a_y$  is the translation of the column in the  $y$  direction due to rotation

$$a_y = x_{oi} \operatorname{sen} \alpha \cong x_{oi} \cdot \alpha$$

↳ little displacements and rotations so  $\operatorname{sen} \alpha \cong \alpha$

$$a_x = -y_{oi} \operatorname{sen} \alpha \cong -y_{oi} \cdot \alpha$$

↳ translation of the column in the  $x$  direction due to rotation

⇒ The rotation becomes composed on two translations

$$\begin{aligned} \underline{S_{xi}}^{(M)} &= K_{xi} \cdot a_{xi} \\ &= -\frac{12EI_{yi}}{L^3} \alpha \cdot y_{oi} \end{aligned}$$

$L$ : lenght or high of the column

$$\underline{S_{yi}}^{(M)} = \frac{12EI_{xi}}{L^3} \alpha \cdot x_{oi}$$

Problem:  $\alpha$  is unknown. It can be defined through equilibrium to rotation around point  $O$ .

$$M_t = \sum_{i=1}^n \underline{S_{yi}}^{(M)} \cdot x_{oi} - \sum_{i=1}^n \underline{S_{xi}}^{(M)} \cdot y_{oi}$$

$$M_t = \frac{12E\alpha}{L^3} \left[ \sum_{i=1}^n I_{xi} \cdot x_{oi}^2 + \sum_{i=1}^n I_{yi} \cdot y_{oi}^2 \right]$$

geometrical property  $\psi$

$$M_t = \frac{12E\alpha}{L^3} \cdot \psi$$

$$\alpha = \frac{M_t L^3}{12E\psi}$$

When  $\alpha$  is known we can substitute in the before expressions and so compute  $S_{xi}^{(M)}$  and  $S_{yi}^{(M)}$

$$S_{xi}^{(M)} = -M_t \cdot \frac{I_{yi} \cdot y_{oi}}{\psi}$$

$$S_{yi}^{(M)} = M_t \cdot \frac{I_{xi} \cdot x_{oi}}{\psi}$$

$$\begin{cases} S_{xi}^{TOT} = F_{sx} \cdot \frac{I_{yi}}{\sum_{j=1}^n I_{yj}} - M_t \frac{I_{yi} \cdot y_{oi}}{\psi} \\ S_{yi}^{TOT} = F_{sy} \cdot \frac{I_{xi}}{\sum_{j=1}^n I_{xj}} + M_t \frac{I_{xi} \cdot x_{oi}}{\psi} \end{cases} \quad i\text{-th} = 1, \dots, n$$

⇒ We can distribute the loads on the columns (valid all the possible distribution, it's the **GENERAL CASE**)

↳ it's a simplified approach, but the real situation is closer to these solutions if some hypothesis are verified:

**HP:**

- Linear-elastic regime ( $\sigma = E \epsilon$ )
  - we neglect all the stiffness of non-structural elements (the resistant element are only the columns, not the others)
- ↳ in some cases these non-structural elements should be considered

$$I_{xi} = \frac{B_{yi} (B_{xi})^3}{12}$$

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- compute  $e_x$  and  $e_y$

$$e_x = x_0 - x_G$$

$$e_y = y_0 - y_G$$

- compute the effect of translation

$$S_{xi}^{(F)} = \frac{F_{sx} \frac{I_{yi}}{L_i^3}}{\sum_{j=1}^n \frac{I_{yj}}{L_j^3}}$$

$$S_{yi}^{(F)} = \frac{F_{sy} \frac{I_{xi}}{L_i^3}}{\sum_{j=1}^n \frac{I_{xj}}{L_j^3}}$$

- effects of rotation

$$M_t = F_{sy} e_x - F_{sx} e_y$$

$$x_{oi} = x_i - x_0$$

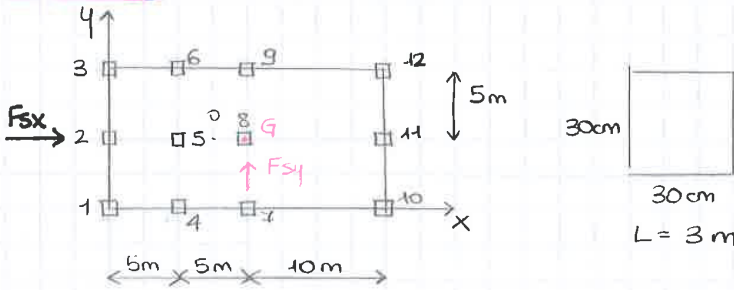
$$y_{oi} = y_i - y_0$$

- compute  $\psi$

$$\psi = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{I_{xi}}{L_i^3} x_{oi}^2 + \frac{I_{yi}}{L_i^3} y_{oi}^2$$

$$S_{xi}^{(M)} = -M_t \cdot \frac{I_{yi}}{L_i^3} \cdot \frac{y_{oi}}{\psi}$$

**EXERCISE**



$F_{sy} = 50 \text{ kN}$   
 $F_{sx} = 0 \text{ kN}$

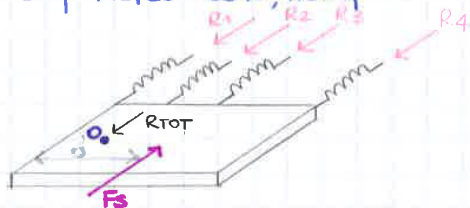
N.B.  
 The datas haven't unit measures, but they has to be coherent

number of columns = 12  
 $B_{xi} = 0,3$  } for every  
 $B_{yi} = 0,3$  } columns

- (1) (0;0)      (5;0)      (10;0)      (20;0)
- (0;5)      (5;5)      (10;5)      (20;5)
- (0;10)      (5;10)      (10;10)      (20;10)

G (10;5)  
 O (8,75; 5) close to the most rigid part  
 $e_x = 1,25$   
 $e_y \cong 0$

Symmetry respect to x, not y



All the columns have the same stiffness (k)

In O the resultant ( $R_1 + R_2 + R_3 + R_4$ ) acts.

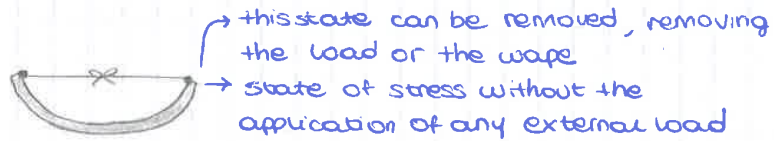
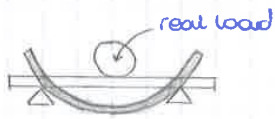
$$R_{tot} \cdot d = R_1 \cdot 0 + R_2 \cdot 5 + R_3 \cdot 10 + R_4 \cdot 20$$

$$R_i \propto k$$

$$d = \frac{k \cdot 0 + k \cdot 5 + k \cdot 10 + k \cdot 20}{k + k + k + k} = \frac{35}{4} = 8,75$$

Effects of loads ( $E_d$ ) can be produced not only by directly real load, but 11/10/17 through the **THEORY OF ELASTIC COACTIONS** we can study other effects.

- state of stress in a body in which there is a sort of constraint between some parts and the rest of the body
- constraint is a limitation of movement which is allowed and so produced a state of stress



⇒ typical for some situations of reinforced concrete

- Temperature
- Shrinkage (=ritiro del c/c) due to evaporation of water
- Prestressed concrete

⇒ This theory can be also used for **NON-LINEAR BEHAVIOUR**

It is developed by **GUSTAVO COLONNETTI (1896-1968)**

→ if we impose a strain on a structure/body, generally this strain is incompatible

$$\{\bar{\epsilon}\} = \text{imposed strain} \quad \{\epsilon\}_{el} = \text{elastic strain}$$

→ elastic strain is generated within the body so we can compute the total one

$$\{\epsilon\}_{TOT} = \{\bar{\epsilon}\} + \{\epsilon\}_{el} = \text{compatible}$$

in general it is composed on the 6 components of strain

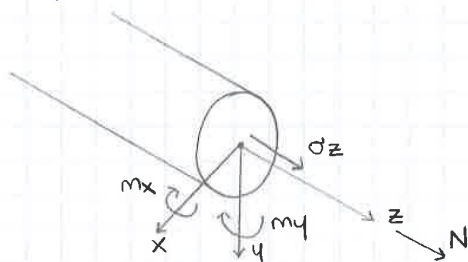
$$\begin{Bmatrix} \epsilon_x \\ \epsilon_y \\ \epsilon_z \\ \gamma_{xy} \\ \gamma_{xz} \\ \gamma_{yz} \end{Bmatrix} = \{\epsilon\}$$

In an elastic body a state of stress is generated too.

$$\{\sigma\} = [D] \{\epsilon\}_{el} = [D] (\{\epsilon\}_{el} - \{\bar{\epsilon}\})$$

If we remove the imposed strain we don't have elastic strain nor state of stress generated because of it.

This theory has to be applied to beams and Saint-Venant's body.



Shear deformations can be neglected, but the most important effects are produced by orthogonal tensions ( $\sigma_z$ ).

The distribution of  $\sigma_z$  should be balanced by the actions of the cross sections (normal load, bending moment around y and bending moment around x)

→ equilibrium is composed on 3 equations.



$$\int_A m_1 x dA + \int_{A_2} m_2 x dA = 0 = S_y$$

↳ first order moment of area, with respect to the centroid axis so it is zero

$$S_x = \int_{A_1} m_1 y dA + \int_{A_2} m_2 y dA = 0$$

This relations can also be written by matrixes :

$$\begin{Bmatrix} N \\ M_x \\ M_y \end{Bmatrix} = E_0 \begin{bmatrix} A_0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & I_{x0} & I_{xy0} \\ 0 & I_{xy0} & I_{y0} \end{bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} \lambda \\ \mu_x \\ \mu_y \end{Bmatrix} - \begin{Bmatrix} E_0 \int_{A_1} m_1 \bar{E}_z dA \\ E_0 \int_{A_1} m_1 \bar{E}_z \cdot y dA \\ E_0 \int_{A_1} m_1 \bar{E}_z \cdot x dA \end{Bmatrix}$$

↳ We can obtain the state of strain inverting the matrixes

$$\begin{Bmatrix} \lambda \\ \mu_x \\ \mu_y \end{Bmatrix} = \frac{1}{E_0} \begin{bmatrix} 1/A_0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & I_{y0}/D & -I_{xy0}/D \\ 0 & -I_{xy0}/D & I_{x0}/D \end{bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} N \\ M_x \\ M_y \end{Bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} 1/A_0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & I_{y0}/D & -I_{xy0}/D \\ 0 & -I_{xy0}/D & I_{x0}/D \end{bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} \int_{A_1} m_1 \bar{E}_z dA \\ \int_{A_1} m_1 \bar{E}_z \cdot y dA \\ \int_{A_1} m_1 \bar{E}_z \cdot x dA \end{Bmatrix}$$

$$D = I_{x0} I_{y0} - I_{xy0}^2$$

If we applied  $N, M_x$  and  $M_y$  the state of strain can be produced by this loads or by this imposed strain

$$\bar{\lambda} = \frac{1}{A_0} \int_{A_1} m_1 \bar{\epsilon}_z dA = \frac{B}{A_0} \int_{-H/2}^0 \bar{\epsilon}_z dy$$

$$\bar{\lambda} = - \frac{B}{A_0} \frac{2,5 \cdot 10^{-6}}{\text{mm}} \int_{-H/2}^0 y dy = + \frac{B}{BH} \cdot \frac{2,5 \cdot 10^{-6}}{\text{mm}} \cdot \frac{H^2}{8} = \frac{400}{8} \cdot 2,5 \cdot 10^{-6} = 12,5 \cdot 10^{-5}$$

$$\bar{\mu}_x = \frac{1}{I_{x_0}} \int_{A_1} \bar{\epsilon}_z \cdot y \cdot dA = \frac{B}{I_{x_0}} \int_{-H/2}^0 \bar{\epsilon}_z \cdot y^2 \cdot dy = - \frac{B \cdot 2,5 \cdot 10^{-6}}{I_{x_0}} \int_{-H/2}^0 y^2 dy$$

$$I_{y_0} I_{x_0} - I_{xy}^2 = 0$$

$$\bar{\mu}_x = - \frac{B \cdot H^3}{24 I_{x_0}} \frac{2,5 \cdot 10^{-6}}{\text{mm}} = -1,25 \cdot 10^{-6} / \text{mm}$$

$$\bar{\mu}_y = \frac{1}{I_{y_0}} \int_{A_1} \bar{\epsilon}_z \cdot x \cdot dA = \frac{1}{I_{y_0}} \underbrace{\int_{-B/2}^{+B/2} x dx}_0 \int_{-H/2}^0 \bar{\epsilon}_z dy$$

$$\bar{\mu}_y = 0$$

↳ the rotation is only in one plane



$$\sigma_z = E (\lambda + \mu_x \cdot y + \mu_y \cdot x - \bar{\epsilon}_z)$$

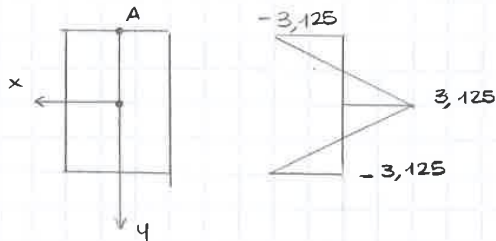
↳ these are total deformations in this case they are only imposed

$$\sigma_z = f(y)$$

↳ it changes along y as the strains

sum of different linear functions

$$\sigma_z = 25'000 \left( 12,5 \cdot 10^{-5} - \frac{1,25 \cdot 10^{-6}}{\text{mm}} \cdot y - \bar{\epsilon}_z \right)$$



A)  $y = -\frac{H}{2}$

$$\sigma_z = 25'000 \left( 12,5 \cdot 10^{-5} + \frac{1,25 \cdot 10^{-6}}{\text{mm}} \cdot 200 \text{ mm} - \frac{2,5 \cdot 10^{-6}}{\text{mm}} \cdot 200 \text{ mm} \right) = -3125 \text{ MPa}$$

G)  $y = 0$

$$\sigma_z = 25000 \cdot 12,5 \cdot 10^{-5} = 3125 \text{ MPa}$$

B)  $y = \frac{H}{2}$

$$\sigma_z = 25000 \left( 12,5 \cdot 10^{-5} - \frac{1,25 \cdot 10^{-6}}{\text{mm}} \cdot 200 \right) = -3125 \text{ MPa}$$

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From the previous exercise:

$$\bar{\lambda} = 12,5 \cdot 10^{-5}$$

$$\bar{\mu}_x = -1,25 \cdot 10^{-6} \text{ 1/mm}$$

$$M=0$$

$$N=0$$

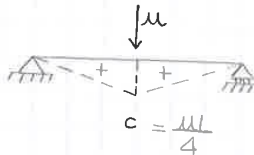
$$T=0$$

We want to compute  $f_c$

a,b a,b

$$L_{ext} = L_{int}$$

a: virtual system



$$M_a = -\frac{\mu L}{4}$$

$$N_a = 0$$

a,b

$$L_{ext} = \mu \cdot f_c$$

a,b

$$L_{int} = \int_L M_a \cdot \mu_b dz = \int_L M_a \cdot \bar{\mu} dz = \bar{\mu} \int_L M_a dz$$

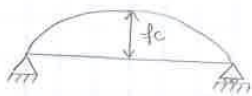
$$\mu_b = \underbrace{\mu_{el}}_{=0} + \bar{\mu}$$

$$\mu f_c = \bar{\mu} \int_L M_a dz \text{ area of triangle of } M_a$$

$$\mu f_c = \bar{\mu} \frac{\mu \cdot L^2}{8}$$

$$f_c = \bar{\mu} \frac{L^2}{8} = -1,25 \cdot 10^{-6} \cdot \frac{4000^2}{8} = -2,5 \text{ mm}$$

### DEFLECTION



We don't have the contribution of  $\lambda$ , only curvature deflect in this case



a,b

$$L_{ext} = \mu \cdot \eta_b$$

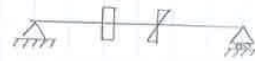
a,b

$$L_{int} = \int N_a \cdot \lambda_b dz = \mu \bar{\lambda} \cdot L$$

$$0 = \lambda_{el} + \bar{\lambda}$$

$$\eta_b = \bar{\lambda} L = 12,5 \cdot 10^{-5} \cdot 4000 = 0,5 \text{ mm}$$

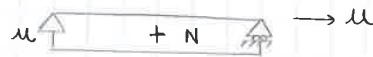
b: real system



$$M_b = 0$$

$$T_b = 0$$

$$N_b = 0$$



$$M_a = 0$$

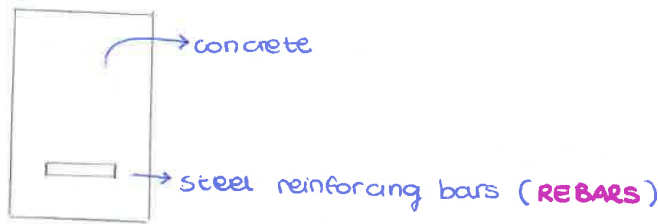
$$N_a = \mu$$



type of structure	E modification of:	
	kinematical conditions	statical conditions
statically determinate	YES	NO
statically indeterminate	YES	YES

$E_d \leq R_d$  (reinforced concrete RC)

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Mechanical properties of concrete and rebars

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① It's an artificial rock made by:

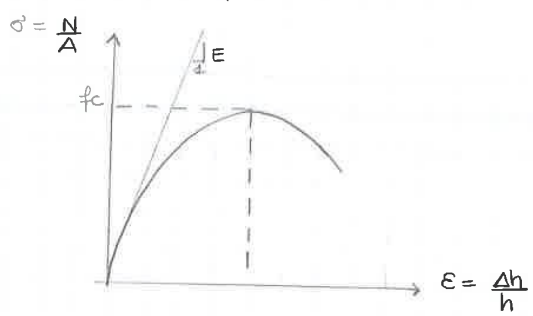
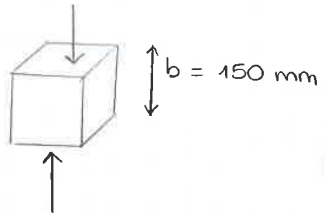
- water (18%)
- cement (10%)
- aggregates (70%) ~ coarse and fine (sand 25%)
- air (6%)
- additives

② Density = 24 kN/m<sup>3</sup>

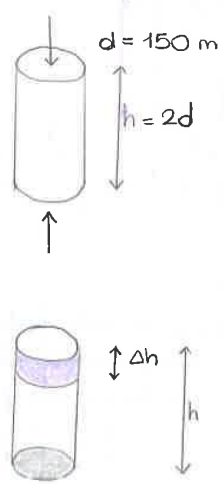
- MC 2010
- light weight → 8 ÷ 20 kN/m<sup>3</sup> (sismic zone)
  - normal weight → 20 ÷ 26 kN/m<sup>3</sup>
  - heavy weight → ≥ 26 kN/m<sup>3</sup> (nuclear plants)  
↳ + BARITE

③ Behaviour in compression  
↳ compression tests

(EN)



(ASTM)

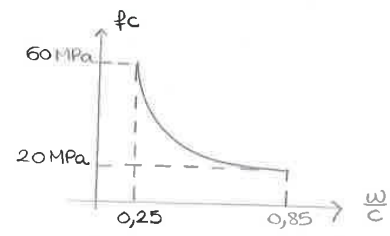


E: elastic modulus  
fc: strength (max strength in compression)

EC2 →  $E_c = 22'000 \left(\frac{f_c}{10}\right)^{0,3}$  [MPa]

ACI →  $E_c = 57'000 \sqrt{f_c}$   
 $\nu = 0,15 \div 0,2$  (poisson coefficient)

- fc depends on:
- 1) water / cement RATIO w/c
  - 2) Type of cement
    - normal : type I
    - modified : type II



## The effects of horizontal actions



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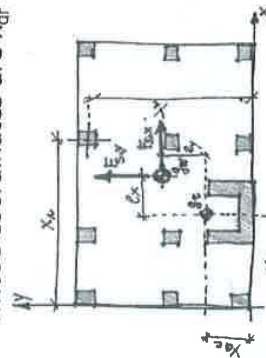
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## The center of stiffness

Due to the rigid movement of the storey, columns show a reaction through the stiffness  $k$ .

The inertia to the movement of the storey is therefore produced by the columns, and the global reaction to the seismic loads is applied on the center of stiffness  $g_{gr}$  whose coordinates are  $X_{gr}$  and  $Y_{gr}$



$$X_{gr} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n k_{x,i} x_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n k_{x,i}} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n I_{x,i} x_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n I_{x,i}}$$

$$Y_{gr} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n k_{y,i} y_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n k_{y,i}} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n I_{y,i} y_i}{\sum_{i=1}^n I_{y,i}}$$

$n$  = number of columns

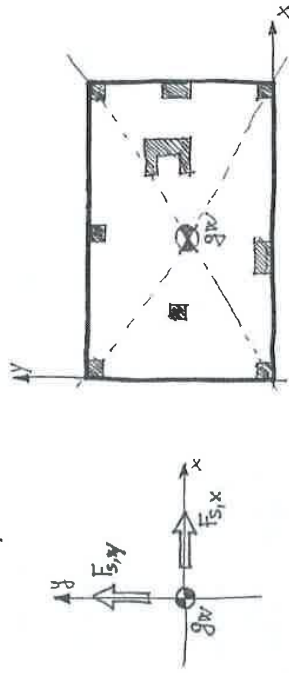
$$I_x = \frac{b h^3}{12} \quad I_y = \frac{h b^3}{12}$$

## The center of the mass

In each storey, the horizontal forces are applied in the center of the mass  $g_w$ .

In the case of reinforced concrete structures, mass is mainly due to the dead load on the storey (the contribution of columns can be neglected).

If the loads are uniformly distributed,  $g_w$  is the centroid of the storey

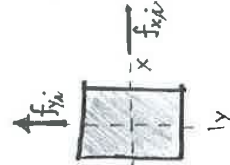


## Loads in the columns

In the  $i$ -th columns, two horizontal forces are applied in the  $x$  and  $y$  directions, respectively:

$$f_{x,i} = \frac{F_{ix} I_{y,i}}{\sum_{j=1}^n I_{y,j}} - \frac{(F_{ix} e_{y,i} + F_{iy} e_{x,i}) x_i I_{y,i}}{\sum_{j=1}^n (I_{y,j} y_j^2 + I_{x,j} x_j^2)}$$

$$f_{y,i} = \frac{F_{iy} I_{x,i}}{\sum_{j=1}^n I_{x,j}} + \frac{(F_{ix} e_{y,i} + F_{iy} e_{x,i}) y_i I_{x,i}}{\sum_{j=1}^n (I_{y,j} y_j^2 + I_{x,j} x_j^2)}$$



where:

- $e_x$  = distance between the center of mass and the center of stiffness in the  $x$  direction
- $e_y$  = distance between the center of mass and the center of stiffness in the  $y$  direction

The forces  $f_{x,i}$  and  $f_{y,i}$  are applied on the column in addition to those produced by vertical loads

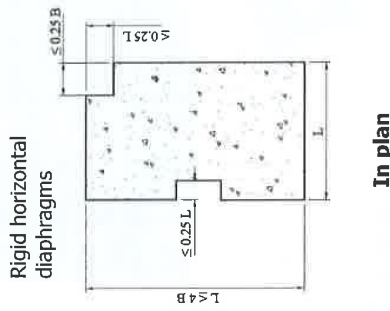
## Regularity in elevation

A building can be categorized as **regular in elevation** (4.2.3.3 EC8) when:

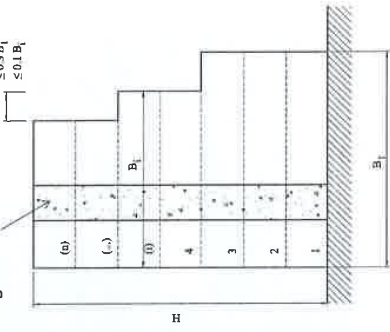
- All lateral load resisting systems, such as columns, shall run without interruption from their foundations to the top of the building.
- Both the lateral stiffness and the mass of the individual stories shall constant or reduce gradually, without abrupt changes, from the base to the top of a building.
- If the setbacks do not preserve symmetry, in each face the sum of the setbacks at all stories shall be not greater than 30 % of the plan dimension at the ground floor above the foundation or above the top of a rigid basement, and the individual setbacks shall be not greater than 10 % of the previous plan dimension.

## Regularities

Columns shall run on the whole eight H



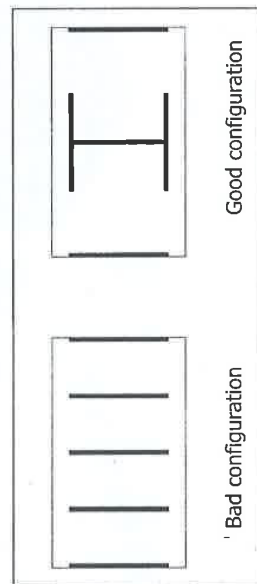
In plan



In elevation

## Some basic rules

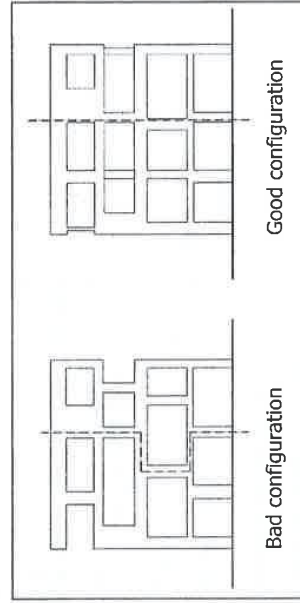
All lateral load resisting systems should be in both the main dimensions



- Vertical elements must be adequately connected to horizontal diaphragms
- lateral load resisting systems must have a foundation
- Structural regularity

## Some basic rules

The lighter the building and the structure, the better. Horizontal forces are in direct proportion to the mass.)  
A simple structure is desirable: loads should arrive directly to the foundations (e.g., avoiding beams supporting columns)



# Outline

- Structural defects
  - Irregularity in plan
  - Irregularity in elevation
  - Cantilever beams
  - One-way frames
  - Slender columns and short columns
  - Irregularity in the presence of non-structural walls
  - Irregularity in the frames



# Structural defects



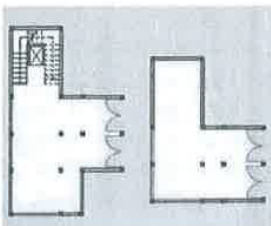
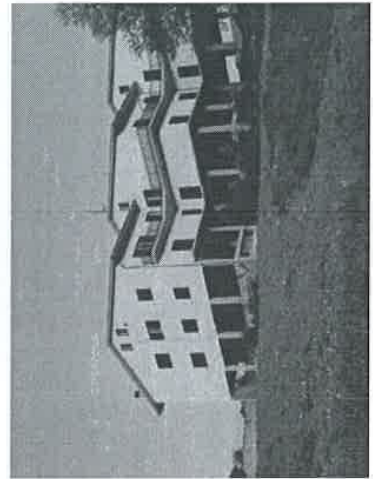
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# Irregularity in plan

An irregular (asymmetric) shape of the plan results in a long distance between the center of mass and that of stiffness. In presence of horizontal forces, a torsional moment can be generated and some columns can be heavily damaged.

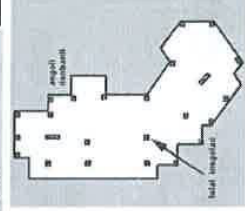
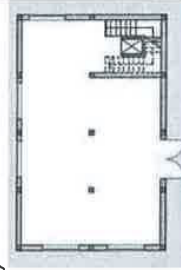


Some asymmetric plans (L, T, C, . . .)



# Irregularity in plan

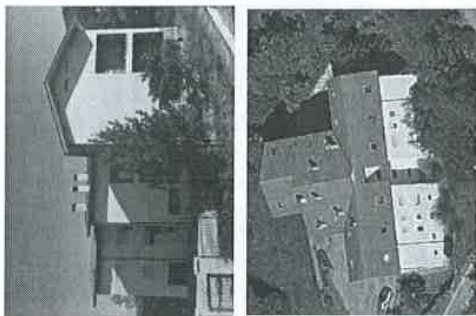
Presence of asymmetrical high stiffness vertical elements (e.g., stairs and elevator shaft)



Irregular frames



## Irregularity in plan and elevation



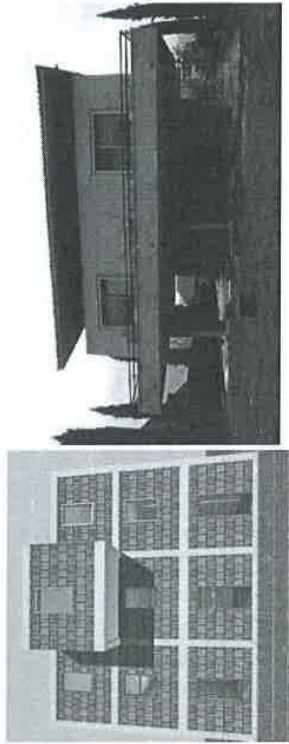
### L'Aquila earthquake

A building having and irregularity in plan and an irregularity in elevation, the latter due to an irregular position of the non-structural walls in the ground floor

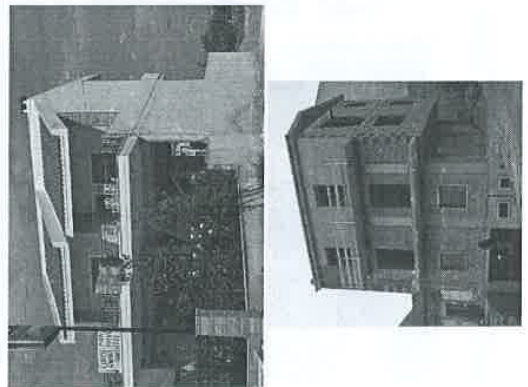


## Cantilever beams

- The presence of cantilever beams with large spans produces an irregularity in elevation, because a large mass can insist on an insufficient load resisting system.
- Moreover, due to the plasticity of the beam in the fixed end produced by the earthquake, the statically determinate beam can degenerate into a mechanism.

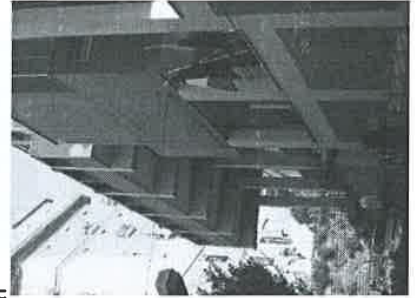


## Cantilever beams



## One-way frames

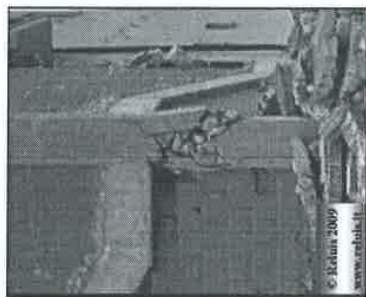
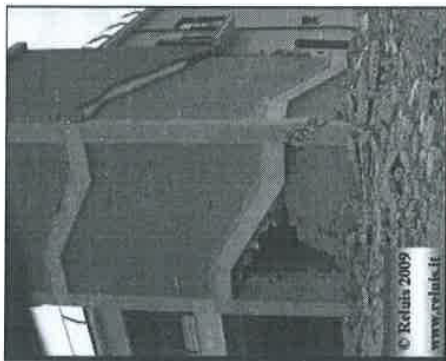
Several structures, built before the more recent seismic rules, show the frame only in a single direction. Accordingly the other direction is a "weak direction", and the seismic loads can produce a collapse mechanism





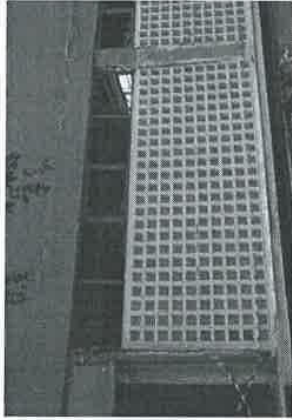
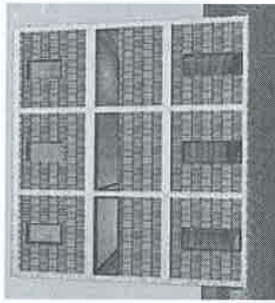
## Short columns

Around the stairs



## Short columns

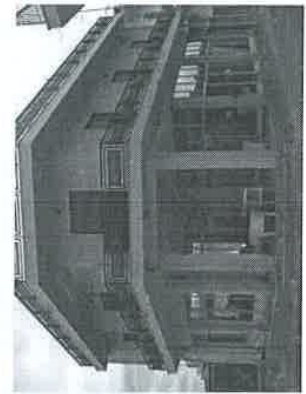
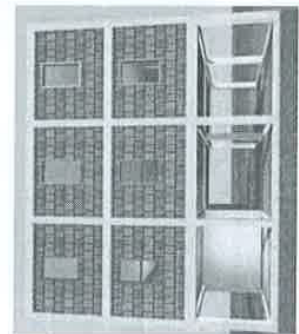
In presence of irregular walls.



## Non-structural walls

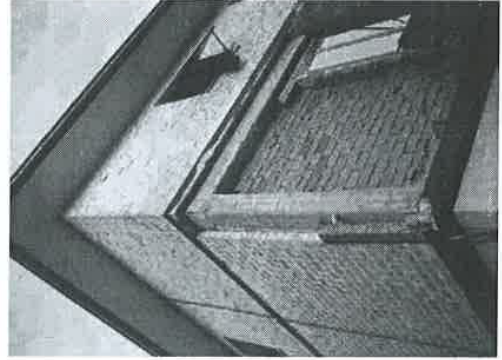
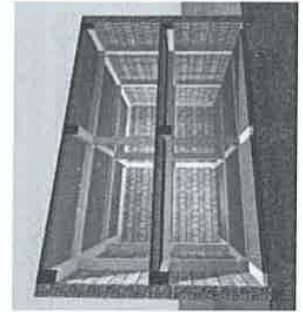
When non structural walls (infilled walls, exterior walls) are irregularly positioned in plan, they can contribute to separate the center of mass from that of the stiffness

This is the case of the so-called "pilotis" storey, which can determine a soft storey in the ground floor.



## Irregular external walls

In some cases the external non-structural walls are outside the frame. Thus, they are not connected to the structure and the seismic actions can separate them from the building.



## Irregular frames

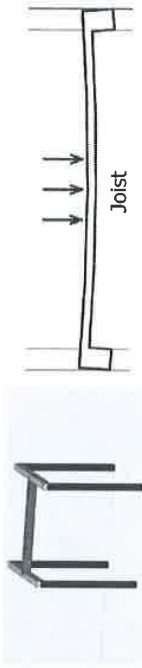


Too many beams in a single node

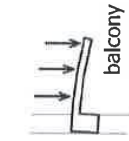


The width of the beam is remarkably larger than that of the column

## In presence of torsion



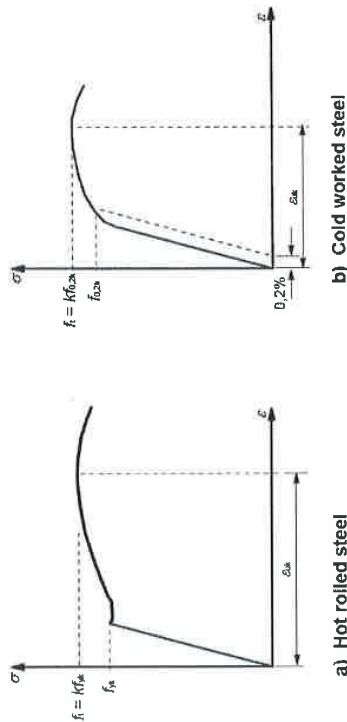
Torsion in the beams that support the joist of a floor slab (the static equilibrium does not depend on the torsional resistance of the beams)



Torsion in the beam that supports a balcony (the static equilibrium depends on the torsional resistance of the supporting beam) – do not use in seismic zones



# Behavior in tension



a) Hot rolled steel

b) Cold worked steel

# Steel reinforcing bars



European rebar size chart

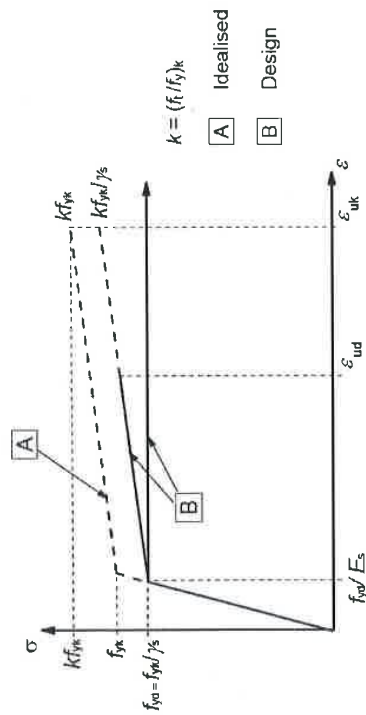
Metric bar size	Linear mass density (kg/m)	Nominal diameter (mm)	Cross-sectional area (mm²)
8	0.222	8	28.3
10	0.395	10	50.3
12	0.617	12	78.5
14	0.888	14	113
16	1.21	16	154
18	1.58	18	201
20	2.07	20	261
22	2.47	22	314
25	3.85	25	491
28	4.83	28	616
32	6.31	32	804
40	9.66	40	1257
50	16.4	50	1983

Length 9-12 m

U.S. rebar size chart

Impperial bar size	Metric size	Linear Mass Density (kg/m)	Nominal diameter (mm)	Nominal area (mm²)			
#2	No. 6	0.187	0.249	0.260 = 1/4	0.205	0.05	32
#3	No. 10	0.376	0.361	0.375 = 3/8	0.326	0.11	71
#4	No. 13	0.666	0.396	0.500 = 1/2	0.20	0.20	129
#5	No. 16	1.043	1.556	0.625 = 5/8	15.875	0.31	200
#6	No. 19	1.592	2.24	0.750 = 3/4	19.05	0.44	284
#7	No. 22	2.044	3.048	0.875 = 7/8	22.225	0.60	387
#8	No. 25	2.670	3.892	1.000	25.4	0.78	509
#9	No. 28	3.400	5.071	1.128	28.95	1.00	645
#10	No. 32	4.303	6.418	1.270	32.26	1.27	819
#11	No. 36	5.313	7.824	1.410	35.81	1.58	1006
#14	No. 43	7.850	11.41	1.680	43	2.25	1452
#18	No. 57	16.00	20.264	2.257	57.3	4.00	2581
#21	No. 63	21.775	27.337	2.337	63.4	4.29	2878

# EC2 stress-strain relationships



$$k = (f_u/f_y)_k$$

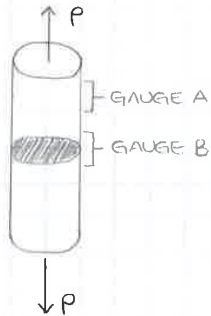
A Idealised

B Design

In this two cases we consider only the first part of the relation, we have to include the post-peak behaviour. We don't do because the behaviour can't be represented by a stress-strain relationship, both in compression and tension

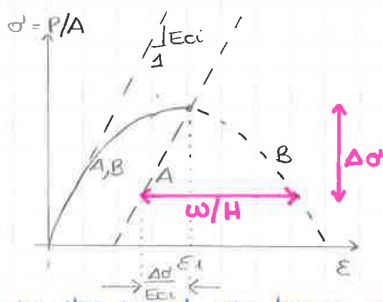
**Tensile test**

we do the same test performed by HILLER BORG (1976)



- cilindre
- two gauge which measure the stress
  - A
  - B: located exactly in the crack
- cross section A

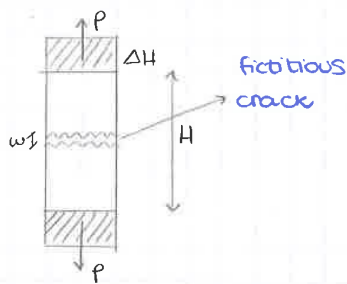
In the pre-peak the stress in A and B are the same, after the peak they are different



- A unloading // to the loading
- B increase of the strain (continuing the parabola)

The increment of the strain is only on the crack zone, outside we observe an elastic unload

Due to the load we have an increasing of the specimen



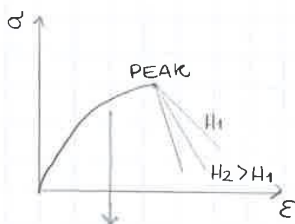
If we have a crack we have an increment so H grows (+delta H)  
 w: crack width (of the fictitious crack)  
 in the other points unloading is linear  
 so we have an unlinear part due to the difference between A and B and a decrement of sigma (delta sigma) (u)

$$\epsilon \text{ in the post peak} = \epsilon_1 + \frac{w}{H} - \frac{\Delta\sigma}{E_{ci}}$$

If we consider  $\epsilon - \epsilon_1$  we have the post-peak strain

$$\epsilon - \epsilon_1 = \frac{w}{H} - \frac{\Delta\sigma}{E_{ci}}$$

it's function of the height of the sample which isn't a material property so we can't use a universal curve it depends on H



all the parameters are related to the material

So the post-peak can be defined in term of stress-strain and width

$w$ : relative sliding of the concrete sample divided by the fictitious crack

$$\epsilon = \epsilon_1 + \frac{w}{H} - \frac{\Delta \sigma}{E_{ci}}$$

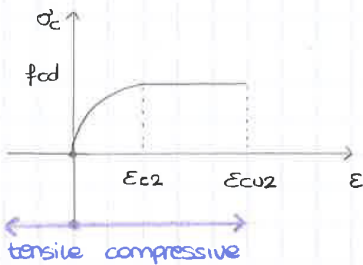
$$f_c = 10 f_{ct}$$

To study the behaviour we have to:

- 1) simplify
- 2)  $f_c, f_{cm}, etc$  are average value so we need SAFETY APPROACH (it has to be included in the relationships)
- 3) reduce tests

⇒ have a relationship which is as easy as possible

When we compute the  $R_d$  in structural elements we use a  $\sigma - \epsilon$  relationship



we simplify the problem and reduce test with a conventional relationship which neglects the tensile part, it's called **PARABOLA-RECTANGLE**

the contribution in tensile is provided by steel

$$\begin{cases} \sigma_c = f_{cd} \left[ 1 - \left( 1 - \frac{\epsilon_c}{\epsilon_{c2}} \right)^n \right] & 0 \leq \epsilon_c \leq \epsilon_{c2} \\ \sigma_c = f_{cd} & \epsilon_{c2} \leq \epsilon_c \leq \epsilon_{cu2} \end{cases}$$

$$0 \leq \epsilon_c \leq \epsilon_{c2}$$

$$\epsilon_{c2} \leq \epsilon_c \leq \epsilon_{cu2}$$

Three main parameters which are function of the class of concrete (compressive strength)

$$\begin{cases} n \\ \epsilon_{c2} \\ \epsilon_{cu2} \end{cases}$$

If the class of concrete is lower than C50/60

$$\begin{cases} n = 2 \\ \epsilon_{c2} = 0,2\% \\ \epsilon_{cu} = 0,35\% \end{cases}$$

The safety approach is included in the definition of  $f_{cd}$  (= design compressive strength)

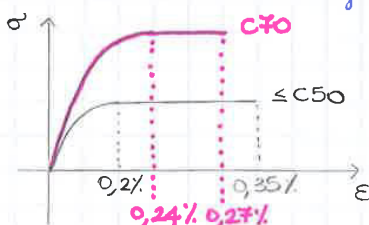
$$f_{cd} = \alpha_{cc} \frac{f_{ck}}{\gamma_c}$$

$\gamma_c$ : reduction factor for material (= 1,5)

$f_{ck}$ : characteristic value (5% percentile)

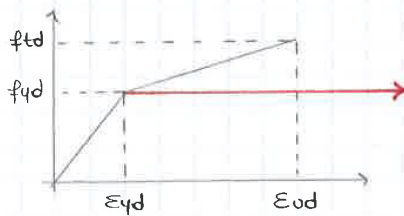
$\alpha_{cc} = 0,85$  (effect of long term actions)

In EC2, MC 2010 from the class of concrete we have all the necessary parameters  
For classes  $\geq C50$  the graphic is shifted



the strength increases but the constant part is reduced

So  $\geq C50$  is stronger, but more brittle



$$f_{td} = \frac{f_{tk}}{\gamma_s}$$

$\gamma_s = 1,15$  (lower than concrete)

$$f_{yd} = \frac{f_{yk}}{\gamma_s}$$

$$E_{ud} \cong 0,9 E_{uk}$$

$$E_{yd} = \frac{f_{yd}}{E_s}$$

In EC2 there is only a possibility but in reality we can have the second branch as complete plastic with no limitation of strain (very large strain) (u.)

In Europe the steel B450 C, used for rebar, has:

- $f_{yk} = 450 \text{ MPa}$
- $k = \frac{f_{tk}}{f_{yk}} = 1,15 \div 1,35$
- $E_{uk} = 7,5 \%$
- $f_{yd} = \frac{450}{1,15} \cong 390 \text{ MPa}$
- $f_{td} = 1,25 \cdot \frac{f_{yk}}{1,15} = 489 \text{ MPa}$
- $E_{ud} = 0,9 E_{uk} = 6,75 \%$
- mass =  $7850 \text{ kg/m}^3$

In compression the steel has exactly the same behaviour

Any kind of shrinkage occurs without any external actions.

In EC2 we have 2 different kind of shrinkage

The total one is given by the sum of drying and autogenous shrinkage  
 $E_{cs} = E_{cd} + E_{ca}$

A)  $E_{cd} = \beta_{ds}(t, t_s) k_h \cdot E_{cd0}$

$E_{cd0}$  is just after casting, shrinkage at time  $t=0$ , found in Table 3.2

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$\beta_{ds}(t, t_s)$

↳ coefficient which depends on two times :

- $t$ : time at which we want to calculate  $E_{cd}$
- $t_s$ : time of set or cast (at which shrinkage starts)

If  $t \rightarrow \infty$   $\beta_{ds} = 1$ , so if we consider the effect of shrinkage after a long time from setting,  $\beta_{ds} = 1$

$k_h = f(h_0)$

$h_0 = \frac{\text{two times the area of the section}}{\text{perimeter exposed to environment}} = \frac{2AC}{u}$   
 ↳ exposed to dry

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$E_{cd\infty} = k_h \cdot E_{cd0}$

The maximum effect of the shrinkage because  $\beta$  is the maximum value

B)  $E_{ca} = \beta_{as}(t) \cdot E_{ca}(\infty)$

$E_{ca}(\infty) = 2,5 (f_{ck} - 10) \cdot 10^{-6}$  → maximum autogenous shrinkage  
 $f_{ck}$  in MPa

$\beta_{as}(t) = 1 - e^{-0,2t^{0,5}}$

↳ is a coefficient in which  $t$  is in days

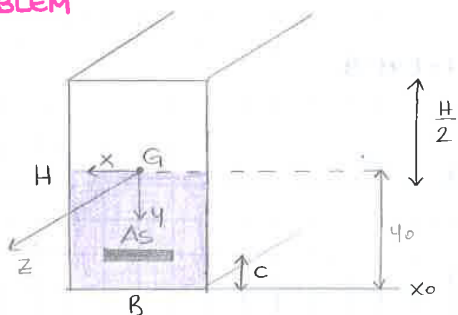
↳ the maximum value is for  $t \rightarrow \infty$  so  $\beta_{as} = 1$  as before

⇒ maximum total shrinkage

$E_{cs\infty} = k_h E_{cd0} + 25 (f_{ck} - 10) \cdot 10^{-6}$

This isn't an exact formula, because it can be 40÷50% higher or lower than this value because it depends on many factors

We can see what happens in a reinforced concrete section when we have shrinkage **PROBLEM**





## Cracking due to shrinkage

=> problems for durability (corrosion of steel leads to an increase of volume)



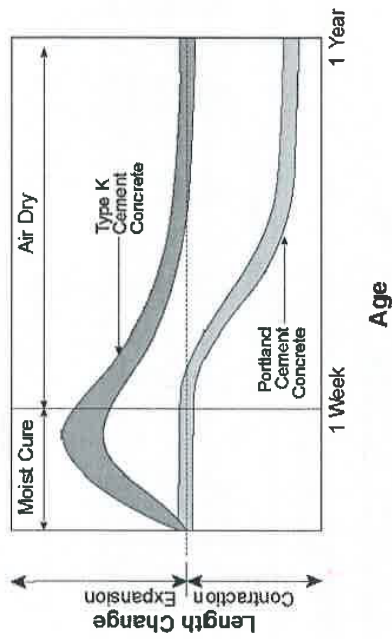
in concrete without reinforcement  
↳ maybe casting in layers



in concrete with reinforcement  
↳ squared cracking  
↳ shrinkage of concrete  
↳ deterioration of structure

## Expansive agents

reacts with water and so we have an increment of volume which compensates the shrinkage



=> Difficult to control  $f$  (temperature, material, ecc.) because even the shrinkage is variable

Taking to account, not completely eliminating (it's impossible)

In general it occurs when the concrete is partially pre-fabricated, so in the cast-in-situ part's shrinkage happens.

## Partially prefabricated bridge

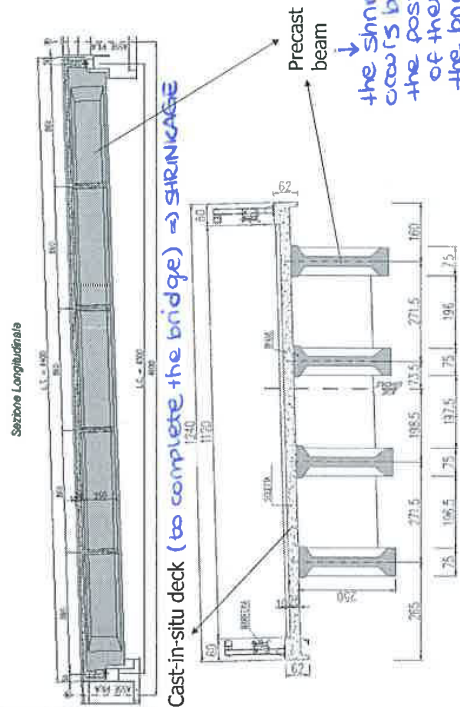
↳ we should consider shrinkage because it leads to a high tension state without any loads



↳ pre-cast concrete beam

↳ shrinkage

Cast-in-situ deck (to complete the bridge) => SHRINKAGE



↳ the shrinkage occurs before the positioning of them in the bridge (not to be considered!)

$$I_{x0} = n1 \left[ \frac{BH^3}{12} + BH \left( \frac{H}{2} - y_0 \right)^2 \right] = n1 A_s (y_0 - c)^2 + n2 A_s (y_0 - c)^2 =$$

$$= 1 \left[ \frac{200 \cdot 400^3}{12} + 200 \cdot 400 \left( \frac{400}{2} - 194,2 \right)^2 \right] - 1 \cdot 500 (194,2 - 40)^2 +$$

$$+ 7 \cdot 500 (194,2 - 40)^2 = 1,14 \cdot 10^9 \text{ mm}^4$$

- We can compute the state of stress of the section, using the parameters of the general plane section.

$$\begin{Bmatrix} \lambda \\ \mu_x \\ \mu_y \end{Bmatrix} = \begin{Bmatrix} \bar{\lambda} \\ \bar{\mu}_x \\ 0 \end{Bmatrix}$$

(=0) because we have only a variation along z axis

In general, strain is elastic (due to load so 0) and imposed strain

$$\bar{\lambda} = \frac{1}{A_0} \int_{A_c} n1 \bar{\epsilon}_z dA = \frac{\bar{\epsilon}_z \cdot A_c}{A_0} = \frac{-6 \cdot 10^{-4} \cdot (200 \cdot 400 - 500)}{83'000} = -5,8 \cdot 10^{-4}$$

Shrinkage is constant, not a function of the position

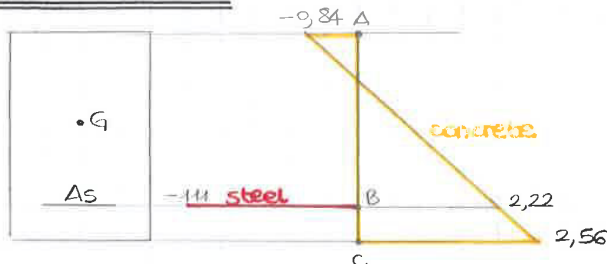
$$\bar{\mu}_x = \frac{1}{I_{x0}} \int_{A_c} n1 \bar{\epsilon}_z \cdot y \cdot dA = \frac{\bar{\epsilon}_z}{I_{x0}} \int_{A_c} y dA$$

Static moment of concrete section  $S_x$

$$S_x = \left[ B y_0 \cdot \frac{y_0}{2} - A_s (y_0 - c) \right] n1 - n1 \left[ B(H - y_0) \left( \frac{H - y_0}{2} \right) \right] = -5,4 \cdot 10^5 \text{ mm}^3$$

$$\bar{\mu}_x = \frac{-6 \cdot 10^{-4} \cdot (-5,4 \cdot 10^5)}{1,14 \cdot 10^9} = 2,84 \cdot 10^{-7} \text{ 1/mm}$$

STATE OF STRESS



$\sigma_z = E(\bar{\lambda} + \bar{\mu}_x \cdot y - \bar{\epsilon}_z) \sim$  elastic = total - imposed  
 ↳ linear function with respect to the y axis

A)  $\sigma_{zA} = E_c (\bar{\lambda} + \bar{\mu}_x \cdot (y_0 - H) - \bar{\epsilon}_z) = [-5,8 \cdot 10^{-4} + 2,84 \cdot 10^{-7} (194,2 - 400) + 6 \cdot 10^{-4}] = -0,84 \text{ MPa}$

B)  $\sigma_{zB, \text{concrete}} = E_c [\bar{\lambda} + \bar{\mu}_x (y_0 - c) - \bar{\epsilon}_z] = 2,22 \text{ MPa}$

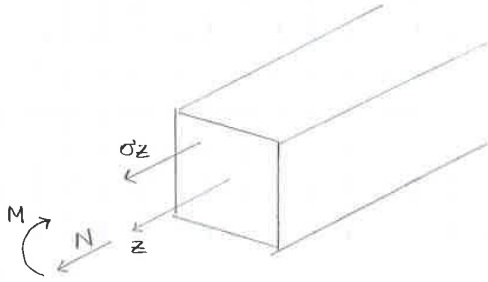
B)  $\sigma_{zB, \text{steel}} = E_s [\bar{\lambda} + \bar{\mu}_x (y_0 - c)] = -111 \text{ MPa}$   
 ↳ no imposed strain

C)  $\sigma_{zC} = E_c [\bar{\lambda} + \bar{\mu}_x y_0 - \bar{\epsilon}_z] = 2,56 \text{ MPa}$

Typical situation: when we have shrinkage, reinforcing steel is under compression, but concrete around steel is in tension

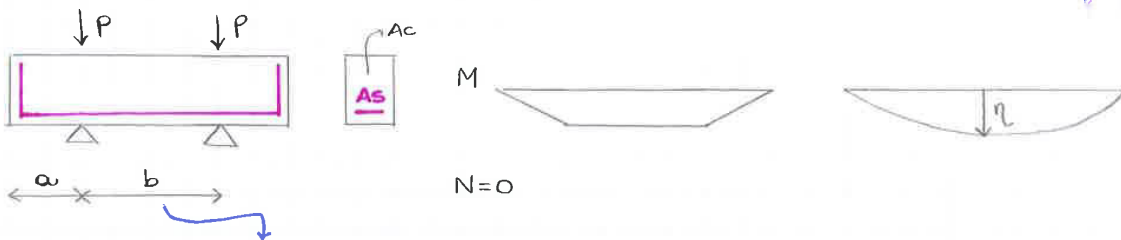
**CONCRETE SECTION**

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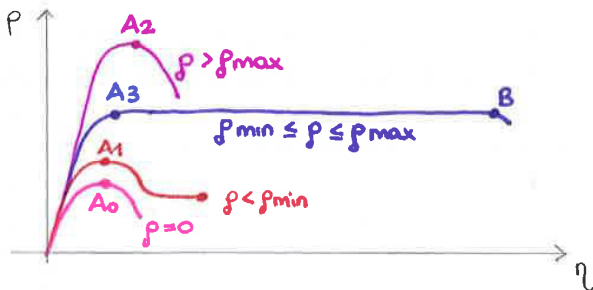
Only  $\sigma_z$  on the cross section  $M$  and/or  $N$  (only  $M$ : pure flexion ;  $M+N$ : complexion flexion). We neglected shear stresses.

- ~ column
- ~ beam



constant bending moment, so in terms of stresses we have only normal stress and the reinforcement are in the tensile zone ( $u$ )

The behaviour can be represented in the  $P\eta$  plane (applied load, span deflection)



We can compute the relationship between  $A_c$  and  $A_s$  **REINFORCEMENT RATIO**

$$\rho = \frac{A_s}{A_c}$$

↳ it leads to a lot of possibilities for the  $P\eta$  diagram

1)  $A_s = 0$

$$\rho = 0$$

- ↳ no reinforcement in the tensile zone
- ↳ brittle behaviour

2) Just a little reinforcement

$$A_s \neq 0$$

$$\rho < \rho_{min}$$

**UNDER-REINFORCED CONCRETE BEAM**

- ↳ increment of strength reaching the failure
- ↳  $A_1$ : cracking B: yielding of steel which is lower than load so load at cracking is bigger than load at yielding ( $A_1 > B$ )

3) Large quantity of reinforcement

$$A_s \neq 0$$

$$\rho > \rho_{max}$$

**OVER-REINFORCED CONCRETE BEAM**

- ↳ the failure can't be on the tensile zone, the failure is reached in the maximum value for compression
- ↳ very brittle behaviour, we have crushing of concrete in compression at



## Applications

Prédalles slabs can be used to build :

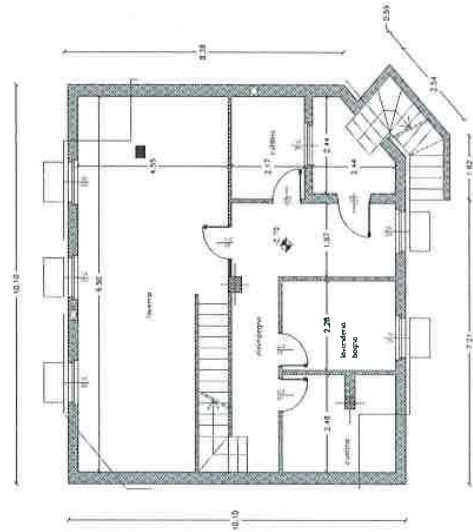
- Floors of civil housing
- Floors of garage
- Bridge decks
- Fire resistant floors (e.g., REI 120') →
- .....

They are particularly indicated in all the cases in which the surface of the intrados does not include the presence of a plaster.

This slab has the sufficient thickness to respect fire resistance

Fire resistance is one of the positive aspects, especially in garages, because it satisfied parameters given by the code rules.

All designs start from draws of the building  
Input data: the plan of the floor



↑ concrete protects steel but external agents attack concrete too (+ fire resistance), Corrosion increases actions and volume of steel

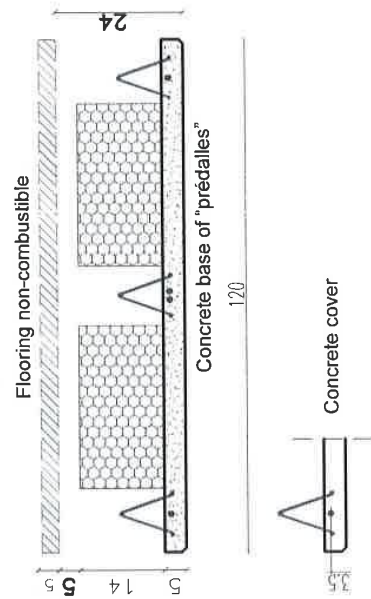
### Definition of concrete cover

- Concrete cover is defined by the durability requirements (Table 4.1 of EC2).
- In the case of floors for civil housing

XC3	Moderate humidity	Concrete inside buildings with moderate or high air humidity External concrete sheltered from rain
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- In some cases, concrete cover depends on the fire resistance of the slab (EC2 1-2). For the standard fire exposure, members shall comply with criteria R, E and I as follows:
  - integrity (criterion E)
  - insulation (criterion I)
  - mechanical resistance (criterion R)

### Cross-section of the slab

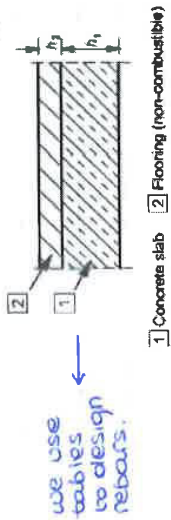


↑ resists 90 minutes to fire

### Definition of concrete cover

If a REI 90' concrete floor is selected, from EC2 1-2 and Italian concrete rules, we have

part 1- (in general we use part 1-1)



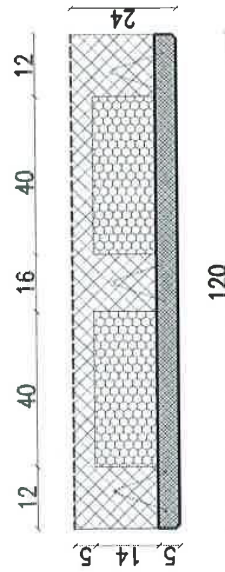
1) Concrete slab ; concrete cover = 3,5 cm  
2) Flooring (non-combustible) criterion R

criterion EI

$h_2 = 10$  cm (part of this height – 5 cm – should be made of concrete)

### Geometry of the floor

Hypothesis:  $H = 600 / 25 = 24$  cm

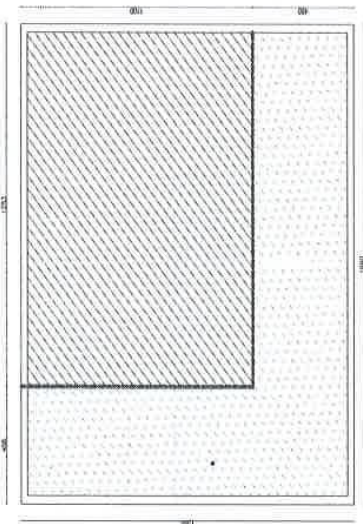


Effective depth of a cross-section:

$$h_{ut} = 24 - 3,5 = 20,5 \text{ cm}$$



## Load analysis



Indoor

- $G_1 = 370 \text{ daN/m}^2$
- $G_2 = 350 \text{ daN/m}^2$
- $Q_1 = 200 \text{ daN/m}^2$

Outdoor

- $G_1 = 370 \text{ daN/m}^2$
- $G_2 = 250 \text{ daN/m}^2$
- $Q_1 = 400 \text{ daN/m}^2$

## Combination of the actions

INDOOR

- U.L.S.  
 $Ed = \gamma_{G1} * G_1 + \gamma_{G2} * G_2 + \gamma_{Q1} * Q_1 = 1,3 * 370 + 1,5 * (350 + 200) = 1306 \text{ daN/m}^2$
- S.L.S. – Rare  
 $Ed = G_1 + G_2 + Q_1 = 370 + 350 + 200 = 920 \text{ daN/m}^2$
- S.L.E. – Frequent  
 $Ed = G_1 + G_2 + \psi_{11} * Q_1 = 370 + 350 + 0,5 * 200 = 820 \text{ daN/m}^2$
- S.L.E. – Quasi-Permanent  
 $Ed = G_1 + G_2 + \psi_{21} * Q_1 = 370 + 350 + 0,3 * 200 = 780 \text{ daN/m}^2$

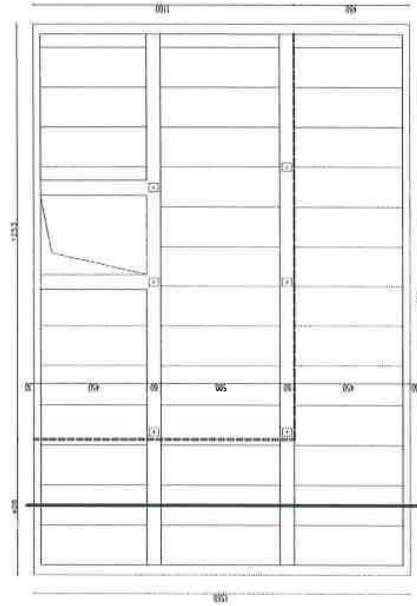
## Combination of the actions

OUTDOOR

- U.L.S. (used for bending moment, shear, failure and collapse)  
 $Ed = \gamma_{G1} * G_1 + \gamma_{G2} * G_2 + \gamma_{Q1} * Q_1 = 1,3 * 370 + 1,5 * (250 + 400) = 1456 \text{ daN/m}^2$
- S.L.S. – Rare  
 $Ed = G_1 + G_2 + Q_1 = 370 + 250 + 400 = 1020 \text{ daN/m}^2$
- S.L.S. – Frequent  
 $Ed = G_1 + G_2 + \psi_{11} * Q_1 = 370 + 250 + 0,5 * 400 = 820 \text{ daN/m}^2$
- S.L.S. – Quasi-Permanent  
 $Ed = G_1 + G_2 + \psi_{21} * Q_1 = 370 + 250 + 0,3 * 400 = 740 \text{ daN/m}^2$

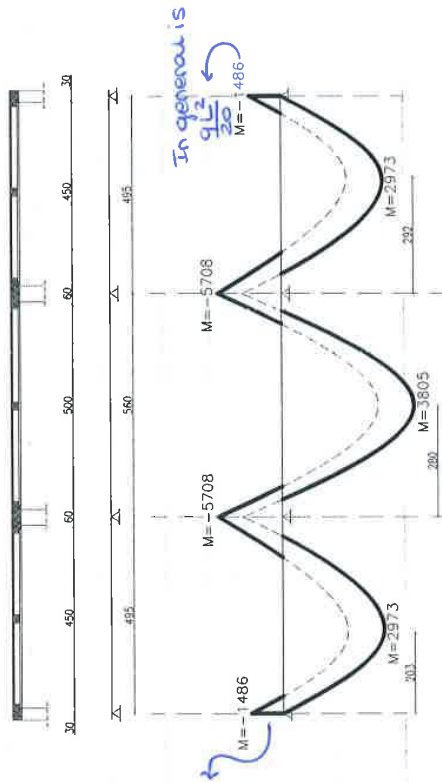
Analysis of serviceability some times is respected only respecting geomtric Nles

## Outdoor floor



4 supports

### The bending moments on the ends

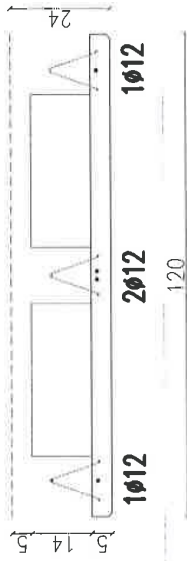


In general if fixed points we don't have any moment, but for safety factor, we don't put it = 0. In fact there is a beam beneath the slab which has the kness so it's not a perfect support

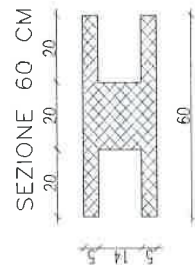
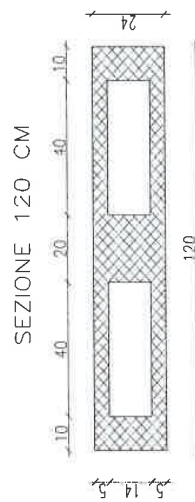


### Design of reinforcement (prédalles)

Prédalles A  
 $M_{sd} = 1,2 \cdot 2973 = 3568 \text{ daN}\cdot\text{m}$   
 $\mu_d = 3568 \cdot 10^4 / (1200 \cdot 205^2 \cdot 14,1) = 0,050$  (Montoya)  
 $\rho = 0,18\%$   
 $A_{s,inf} = 0,18 \cdot 1200 \cdot 205 / 100 = 443 \text{ mm}^2 = 4,43 \text{ cm}^2$  (from design theory)  
 $A_{s,inf} = 1\phi 12 + 2\phi 12 + 1\phi 12 = 4,52 \text{ cm}^2$  (real)  
 $\xi_u = 0,06$   $x_u = 0,06 \cdot 205 = 12,3 \text{ mm} = 1,23 \text{ cm}$

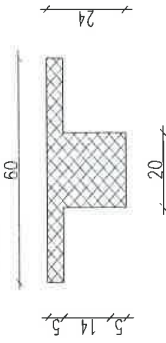


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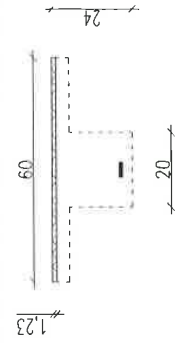


### Design of reinforcement (prédalles)

SEZIONE 60 CM



SEZIONE 60 CM PARZIALIZZATA



## Design calculations at S.L.S.

### Deflection and cracking

Moment of inertia in the 1° stage (uncracked cross-section)

$$J = 119946 \text{ cm}^4$$

Moment of inertia in the 2° stage (cracked cross-section)

$$x = 4,90 \text{ cm}; J^c = 27192 \text{ cm}^4; \sigma_c = 48 \text{ daN/cm}^2; \sigma_s = 2293 \text{ daN/cm}^2$$

Bending moment at first cracking  $M_{cr} = f_{cm} \cdot J^c / (H-x)$

$$M_{cr} = 2559 \text{ daN} \cdot \text{m} \quad \text{con } f_{cm} = 25,6 \text{ daN/cm}^2$$

$M_{sd} = 1934 \text{ daN} \cdot \text{m} < M_{cr}$  (SLS-QP)

$M_{sd} = 2665 \text{ daN} \cdot \text{m} > M_{cr}$  (SLS-R);  $L_{cr} = 560 - (2559/2665) \cdot 560 = 22 \text{ cm}$

$$f = (5/384) \cdot (q \cdot L^4 / E_{cm} \cdot J^c) = 0,35 \text{ cm}$$

$$f^c = f^c \cdot (J/J^c) = 1,54 \text{ cm}$$

$$\xi = 1 - c \cdot \beta^2 = 1 - 0,5 \cdot (M_{cr}/M_{sd}) = 0,54 \quad \text{(C4.1.12)}$$

$$f = 0,54 \cdot 1,54 + (1 - 0,54) \cdot 0,35 = 0,99 \text{ cm} < L/500 = 560/500 = 1,12 \text{ cm}$$

reinforcement has to cover negative and positive moment and it has to be put outside the prealtes

## Design of reinforcement (out of prealtes)

Préaltes A and B (upper concrete cover = 4 cm)

$$M_{sd} = -1,2 \cdot 5428 = -6514 \text{ daN} \cdot \text{m}$$

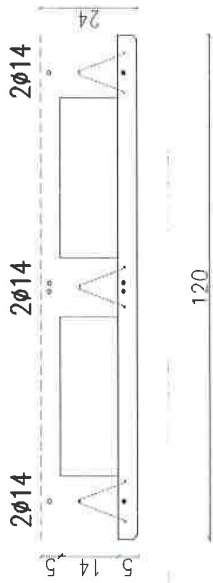
$$\mu_d = 6514 \cdot 10^4 / (1200 \cdot 200^2 \cdot 14,1) = 0,096$$

$$\rho = 0,35\%$$

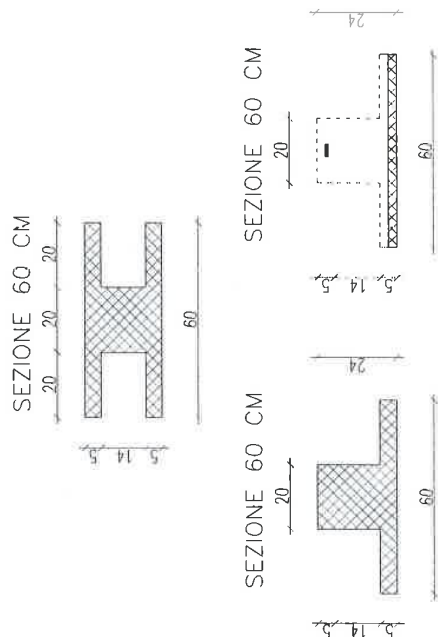
$$A_{s,inf} = 0,35 \cdot 1200 \cdot 200 / 100 = 840 \text{ mm}^2 = 8,40 \text{ cm}^2$$

$$A_{s,inf} = 6\phi 14 = 9,24 \text{ cm}^2$$

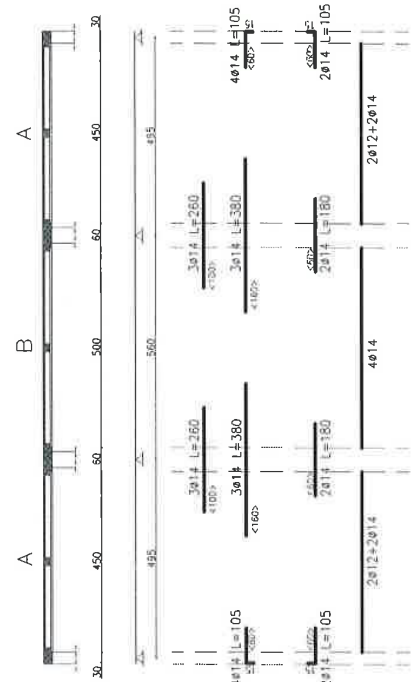
$$\xi_u = 0,126 \quad x_u = 0,126 \cdot 200 = 25,2 \text{ mm} = 2,52 \text{ cm}$$



## Design of reinforcement (out of préaltes)



## Design of all the reinforcement



upper part to balance the negative moment

lower part to complete the positive moment

in precast elements

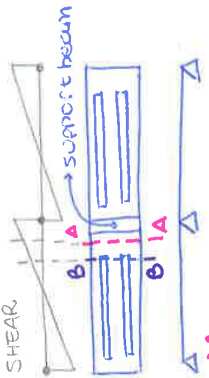


## Shear actions

From the envelope

U.L.S. :  
 $T_1 = Q \cdot x_1 = 1456 \cdot 2,03 = 2952 \text{ daN}$   
 $T_2 = Q \cdot x_2 = 1456 \cdot 2,92 = -4252 \text{ daN}$   
 $T_3 = Q \cdot x_3 = 1456 \cdot 2,80 = 4077 \text{ daN}$   
 $T_4 = Q \cdot x_4 = 1456 \cdot 2,80 = -4077 \text{ daN}$   
 $T_5 = Q \cdot x_5 = 1456 \cdot 2,80 = 4252 \text{ daN}$   
 $T_6 = Q \cdot x_6 = 1456 \cdot 2,80 = -2952 \text{ daN}$

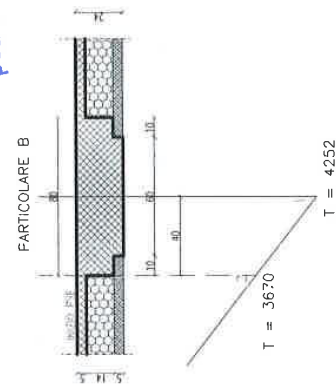
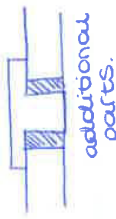
S.L.S. Rare :  
 S.L.S. Freq :  
 S.L.S. Q.P. :



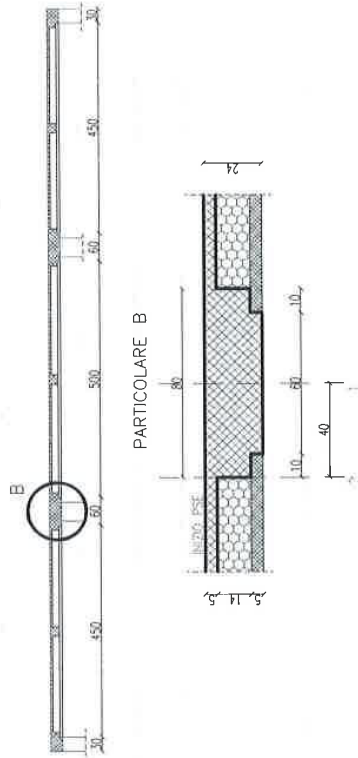
Between AA and BB shear doesn't have a big variation, but sections are completely different because when shear isn't verified we don't put reinforcement, but we change only shape of polystarol bars. Then we intercept the reduction of polystarol when the section is shear verified.

## Shear strength

U.L.S. :  
 $T_2 = Q \cdot x_2 = 4252 \text{ daN}$   
 $T_{2,1} : x_{2,1} = T_{2,2} : (x_{2,1} \cdot x_{2,2})$   
 $x_{2,1} = 292 \text{ cm}$   
 $x_{2,2} = 40 \text{ cm}$   
 $4252 : 292 = T_{2,2} : (292 \cdot 40)$   
 $T_{2,2} = 3670 \text{ daN}$



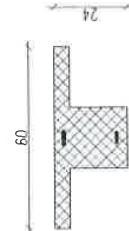
## Details of the supports



## Shear design

U.L.S. :  
 $V_{Ed} = 0,60 \cdot 3670 = 2202 \text{ daN}$   
 Non-dimensional shear strength  
 $\eta = V_{Ed} / (b_w \cdot d \cdot f'_{cd})$   
 dove per le N.T.C.  $f'_{cd} = \nu_1 \cdot f_{cd} = 7,05 \text{ N/mm}^2$   
 $\eta = 22020 / (200 \cdot 205 \cdot 7,05) = 0,076$   
 Se  $\eta < 0,424 \cdot k \cdot (100 \rho_l / f_{ctk})^{1/3}$  (Verified)  
 $k = 1 + (200/d)^{1/2} = 1 + (200/205)^{1/2} = 1,99 < 2$   
 $100 \rho_l = 100 \cdot 226 / (200 \cdot 205) = 0,55\%$   
 $100 \rho_l = 0,025 \cdot (k^3 \cdot f_{ctk})^{1/2} = 0,025 \cdot (1,99^3 \cdot 24,9)^{1/2}$   
 $100 \rho_l = 0,35\%$   
 $0,076 < 0,424 \cdot 1,99 \cdot (0,55 / 24,9^2)^{1/3} = 0,081$  (Verified)

SEZIONE 60 CM  
 $A'f = 3 \phi 14$   
 $A_f = 2 \phi 12$

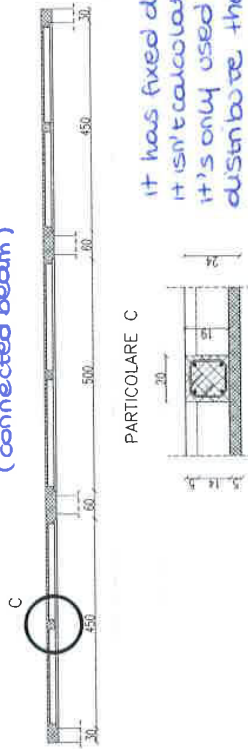




All the slabs has to be connected because we can't allow that one slab is flexed and the other is unloaded

Some details

- DISTRIBUTION RIBS (connected beam)

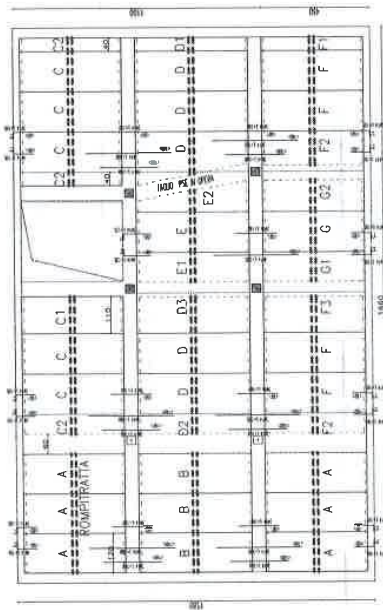


It has fixed dimensions, it isn't calculated, it's only used to distribute the loads in a way as uniform as possible

- Stirrups  $\phi 8 @ 20 \text{ cm} + 2+2 \phi 12$  longitudinal rebar

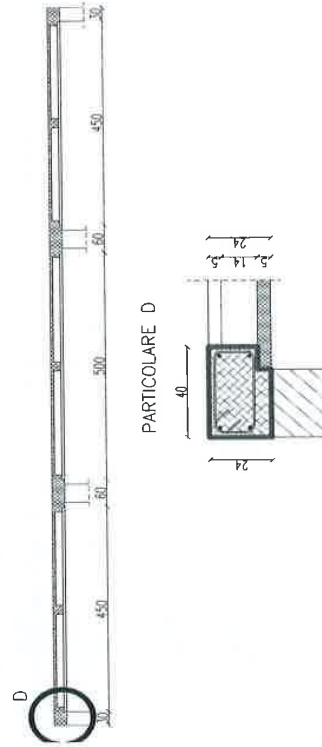
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- DISTRIBUTION RIBS



Some details

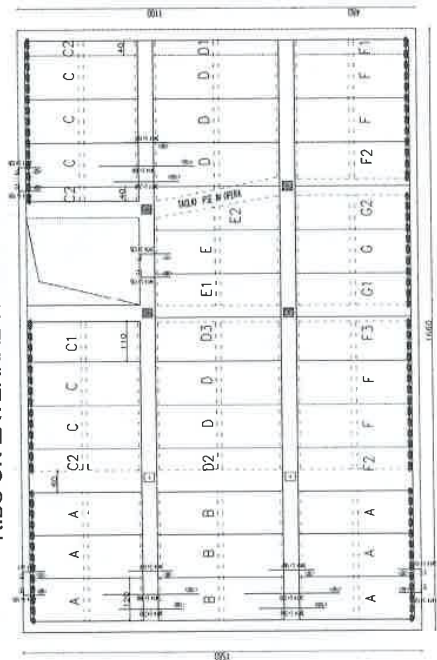
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- Stirrups  $\phi 8 @ 20 \text{ cm} + 2+2 \phi 12$  longitudinal rebar

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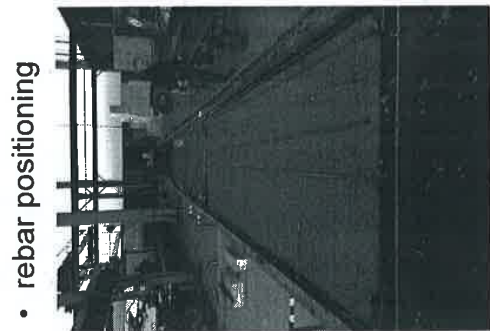
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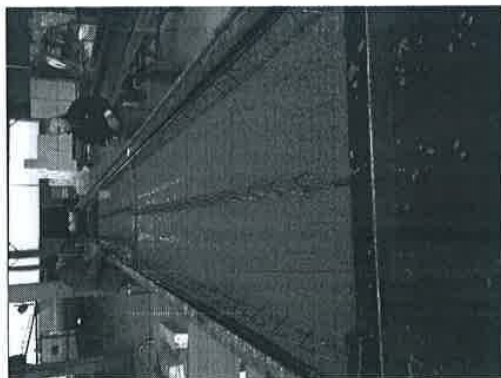




Production of prédalles



- rebar positioning



Production of prédalles

- Polystyrene blocks on the slabs



Production of prédalles

- Curing room



there are steam machines or windows to control internal temperature both in winter and summer  
 humidity is also controlled but it's less important than temperature

Thank you very much for your attention

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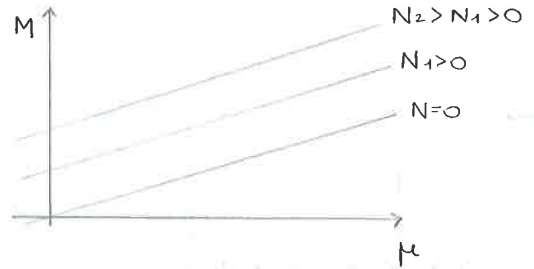
EX.

$$C \neq 0 \cong G$$

$$(6) \quad M + Ne = Ec \mu \times I_0$$

↳ If  $N=0$  we have the same situation as before

↳ If  $N \neq 0$  the before relationship is translated



Both concrete and steel haven't a linear relationship between  $\sigma$  and  $\epsilon$

to the stage two curve. We know that when steel is yielded we are at the end of the second stage so we are in the third stage.

In the last stage (**STAGE THREE**): steel has a tension equal to the yielding one. Moment is equal to  $M_y$  (= moment of yielding in the rebar in tension)

⇒ the theoretical linear approach isn't real so we need to change something in the three equations we used in the bending beams

1) Equilibrium equation:

$$N = \int_A \sigma' dA \quad (1)$$

$$M + Ne = \int_A \sigma' z \cdot y dA \quad (2)$$

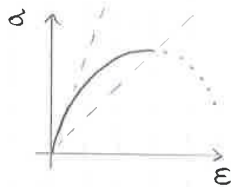
2) Compatibility equation (plane sections remain plane after deformation)

$$\epsilon = \lambda + \mu x \cdot y \quad (3)$$

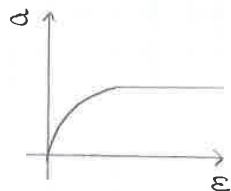
3) constitutive relationship of material

$$\sigma' \neq E\epsilon \quad (\Rightarrow \text{should be NON LINEAR})$$

POSSIBLE  $\sigma$ - $\epsilon$  RELATIONSHIP FOR CONCRETE

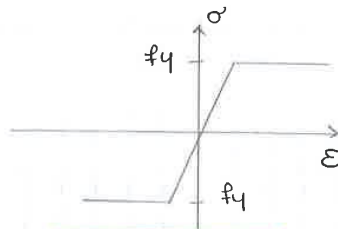


- No contribution of concrete in tension
- Except for the first part, the behaviour isn't linear
- **SARAGIN**



- **PARABOLA - RECTANGLE**
- Non-linear relationship between  $\sigma$  and  $\epsilon$

POSSIBLE  $\sigma$ - $\epsilon$  RELATIONSHIP FOR STEEL



- linear relationship up to the yielding stage, then it becomes constant

⇒ **NON LINEAR**

$\sigma = f(\epsilon)$   $\sigma$  is a general function of  $\epsilon$

Eq (3) into eq. (4)

$\sigma = \sigma'(\lambda + \mu x \cdot y)$  into eq. (1) and (2) we have a system:

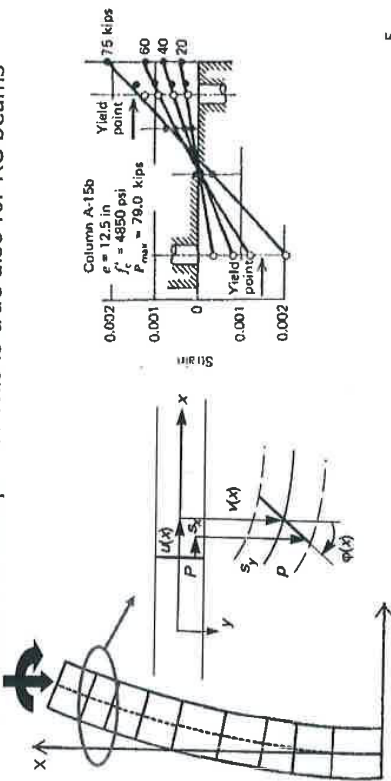
$$\left\{ \begin{aligned} N &= \int \sigma'(\lambda + \mu x \cdot y) dA \quad (5) \\ M + Ne &= \int \sigma'(\lambda + \mu x \cdot y) \cdot y dA \quad (6) \end{aligned} \right.$$

⇒ equations and system are non-linear because  $\sigma$ - $\epsilon$  is non linear. In general if we know  $N$  and  $M$  we can obtain  $\lambda$  and  $\mu x$  and viceversa



## Theory of beams in bending

✓ In S. Venant body under bending and axial loads, each cross-section remains plane. This is true also for RC beams



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## The linear elastic case

✓ Constitutive relationships

$$\sigma = E_s \varepsilon \quad (4) \quad (E_s \text{ for steel and } E_c \text{ for concrete})$$

✓ Equations of a beams subjected to uniaxial bending and axial loads (Eqs. 3-4 into Eqs. 1-2)

$$N = E_c (\lambda A_0 + \mu S_0) \quad (5) \quad M + N e = E_c (\lambda S_0 + \mu I_0) \quad (6)$$

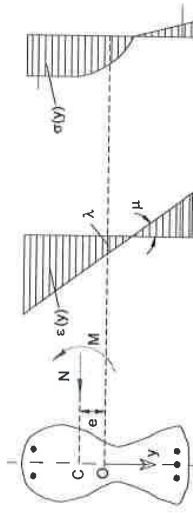
where

$$A_0 = \int_A \frac{E}{E_c} dA \quad S_0 = \int_A \frac{E}{E_c} y dA \quad I_0 = \int_A \frac{E}{E_c} y^2 dA$$

depend on the geometrical properties of the cross-section and on the ratio  $n = E_s/E_c$  (n method)

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## In a cross-section



Equilibrium equations

$$\int_A \sigma dA = N \quad (1) \quad \int_A \sigma y dA = M + N e \quad (2)$$

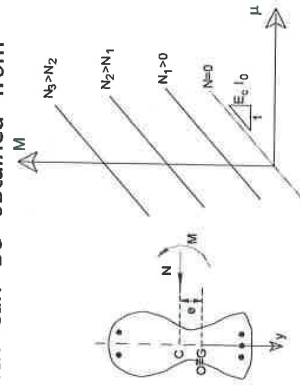
Compatibility equation

$$\varepsilon = \lambda + \mu y \quad (3) \quad \mu = \text{curvature}$$

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## Moment-curvature relationships

The behavior of a beam in bending can be summarized by the moment-curvature ( $M$ - $\mu$  or  $M$ - $\mu$ - $N$ ) relationships of its cross sections, which can be obtained from equations 5-6



✓ For a given  $N$

✓ For a given  $\mu$

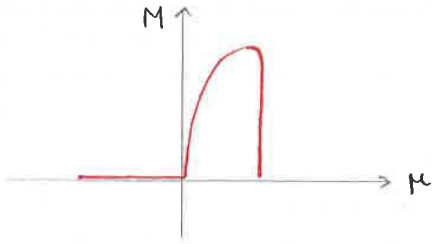
✓  $\lambda$  is obtained from eq. 5

✓  $M$  is obtained from eq. 6

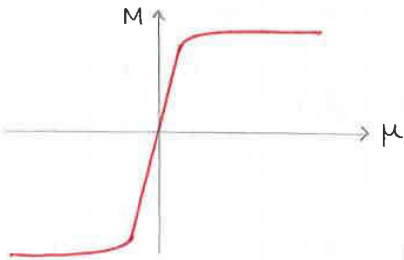
$E_c I_0$  = flexural rigidity of the cross-section

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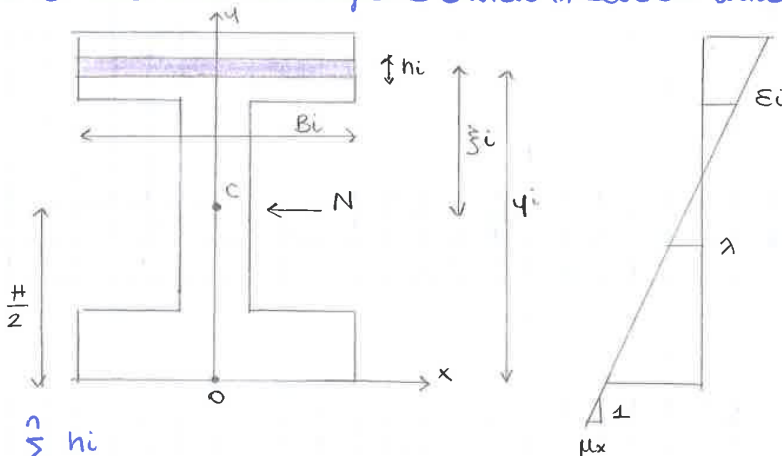
M- $\mu$  diagram (non symmetrical)



If we consider a symmetrical cross-section so change dimensions and As we have:



To compute M- $\mu$  relationship we consider N applied at H/2, then we move the origin O to c and each rectangle is divide in several little rectangles ( $B_i \times h_i$ )



$$H = \sum_{i=1}^n h_i$$

n : number of rectangles

$$\begin{aligned} \epsilon_i &= \lambda - \mu x \cdot \xi_i \\ \sigma_i &= \sigma(\epsilon_i) \end{aligned}$$

In this way (different rectangles) in state of the integral we have the sum

$$N = \int \sigma dA = \underbrace{\sum_{i=1}^m \sigma_i \cdot h_i \cdot B_i}_{\text{concrete}} + \underbrace{\sum_{j=1}^p A_{s_j} \sigma_{s_j}}_{\text{steel}} - \underbrace{\sum_{j=1}^p A_{s_j} \sigma_{c_j}}_{\text{steel}}$$

m : number of stripes

p : number of steel levels

Part of the concrete stripes can be occupied by steel

$$M = \int \sigma \xi dA = \sum_{i=1}^m \sigma_{c_i} \cdot h_i \cdot B_i \cdot \xi_i + \sum_{j=1}^p A_{s_j} (\sigma_{s_j} - \sigma_{c_j}) \xi_j$$

⇒ approximation, close to the real value when  $h_i$  is close to zero

⇒ lead to a solution of the integral

EX 1