# Earthquake analysis on five-story reinforced masonry building – Analyses on service and yield phase response

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ABSTRACT: Non-linear analyses were conducted to simulate the static test of a Full Scale Five-Story Reinforced Masonry Building (test building). This test was conducted under the U.S.-JAPAN Coordinated Earthquake Research Program on Masonry Buildings. In the elastic region of test building, the effective length of transverse wall and reinforced slab, and also the foundation condition are discussed. By using non-linear frame model analysis, the maximum shear carrying capacity was calculated in several cases of effective length of transverse members. The analytical results can simulate test result that these buildings have a enough strength capacity because of three dimensional effects of transverse members of its box type structure.

#### 1. INTRODUCTION

Seismic test of the five story full scale reinforced masonry building [Ref.1] was conducted at Building Research Institute from October 1987 to January 1988 under the

a) Plan Geometry and Reference Notation

U.S.-JAPAN Coordinated Earthquake Research Program on Masonry Research. Through this seismic test, overall behavior of the test building in elastic stage and in inelastic stage was obtained. In elastic stage, the test building is so rigid that the characteristics in elastic range are very sensitive to the condition of foundation, and in inelastic stage, the effective width of transverse member, such as transverse wall and reinforced concrete slab, contributes to lateral force carrying capacity of the test building. Test results showed that the base shear carrying capacity is 1.0 G, on the other hand, the design base shear coefficient was 0.5 G.

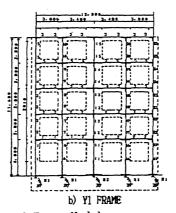


Fig. 1 Test Building and Frame Model

This paper discusses on the reason why there is much difference between design and test results as well as on the elastic behavior by mean of frame model analysis. It is also possible to develop the simplified method in order to define the shear force distribution of each member at the ultimate limit stage based on this frame analysis results [Ref. 2].

#### 2. METHOD

# 2.1 Model

The test building shown in Fig.1 is idealized to four frames. Beam model that represents each member, walls and beams, has rigid zones at both ends. In order to represent the nonlinearlity of members, one-component model consisting of flexural spring at the both edges of member and a shear spring at the center of member is considered.

Characteristics of flexural spring and shear spring for each member are illustrated in Figs. 2 and 3, respectively. For flexural spring  $_{\rm y}$  is assumed to be 1/800 for 1m long wall and beam, 1/1500 for 2m long wall and 1/3000 for 4m long wall. Maximum flexural strength is calculated by the equation in Ref. 2. Those values are listed in Table 1. For shear spring nominal shear cracking stress assumed to be 15kg/cm². Therefor  $_{\rm C}$  becomes almost 1/4000 rad. The tangent stiffness after shear-cracking is assumed to be 0.03 times as the elastic stiffness.

The value of Young's Modulus (E) is defined from the prism compressive test results. In this analyses mean values of E and  $F_m$  are used (E=196t/cm<sup>2</sup>,  $F_m$ =196kg/cm<sup>2</sup> and G=86kg/cm<sup>2</sup>).

The joint part of wall and beam are treated as rigid zone in this analysis. In elastic analysis this rigid zone is assumed to be illustrated as in Fig.4 and in inelastic analysis full part of beam-wall joint is assumed to be rigid zone.

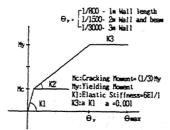


Fig. 2 Flexural Spring

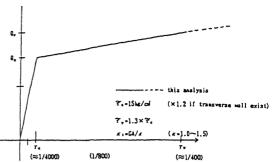


Fig. 3 Shear Spring

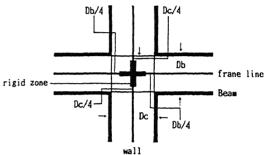


Fig. 4 Assumption of rigid zone

Table 1 Flexural and Shear Characteristics

a) Beam	[t•	cm]				
Member	Myl	M <sub>y2</sub>	Member	$M_{y1}$	My2	
R.4 <sup>G</sup> 1.2	677	5178	R,5 <sup>G</sup> 4	482	8448	
5 <sup>G</sup> 1.2	677	5000	4,3 <sup>G</sup> 4	677	8667	
5 <sup>G</sup> 2A#	677	5460	2G4A	677	9150	
5 <sup>G</sup> 2B#	677	5178	2G4B	677	8447	
4 <sup>G</sup> 2A#	1159	5678	2G4	677	8667	
4 <sup>G</sup> 2B#	1159	5678	G <sub>5</sub>	677	8447	
3 <sup>G</sup> 1.2	889	5530	R.5 <sup>G</sup> 6.7	677	4959	
2 <sup>G</sup> 1A,2A	889	5660	4 <sup>G</sup> 6.7	677	5178	
2 <sup>G</sup> 1B,2B	889	5530	3.2 <sup>G</sup> 6.7	889	5660	
RG3	889	9150	3.2 <sup>G</sup> 6A*	1371	5660	
5 <sup>G</sup> 3	1228	9589	3.2 <sup>G</sup> 6B*	1371	5660	
4 <sup>G</sup> 3	1335	9940	1.5	-14-		
3.2 <sup>G</sup> 3	1556	9940	#:inner			
-,			*:outer	side		

 $M_{y1}$ :Ultimate moment at lower side in tention  $M_{y2}$ :Ultimate moment at upper side in tention including re-bars in slab whose effective width is the half of the span length in the transverse direction.

Rebars of slab in Y1 frame : 16D10 and 4D13 Rebars of slab in Y2 frame : 28D10 and 8D13 Rebars of slab in Y1 frame : 28D10 and 8D13 Rebars of slab in Y1 frame : 16D10 and 4D13  $I=15.6*10^5 cm^4$ 

 $\theta_{v}$ =1/800 rad.

Area for shear stiffness(A): 1501 cm<sup>2</sup>

Shear cracking strength: 27 tonf = 15 kg/cm<sup>2</sup>\*A\*1.2 1.2: Effect of RC slab

Foundation beam: I=721.67\*10<sup>5</sup>, A=28775 cm<sup>2</sup>

#### 2.2 Foundation

Test specimen is fixed to testing floor (depth is 2.00m). Test specimen is too rigid to consider the foundation as fix. In this analysis foundation beam (I=121.67x10.5 cm $^4$ ) and testing floor (I=600x10.5 cm $^4$ ) and the rotational stiffness due to P<sub>C</sub> bars are considered. Table 2 lists the properties of Rocking springs.

## 3. RESULTS

## 3.1 Elastic stage

Four case studies are performed. parameter among Model 1 though Model 3 is an effective width of transverse member to inertia moment. Each member in Model 1 considers the rectangular section as its inertia moment. Model 2 take the full width of transverse member into each member's inertia moment. The inertia moment of Model 3 is defined according to the tentative design guidelines [Ref. 3] This design guideline recommends that amplification factor of inertia moment is not more than 2.0, and this factor of almost all members with transverse member are limited to be These three cases, Model 1 through Model 3, are assumed fix end condition. Model 4 considers the effect of the foundation, other conditions besides the foundation are the same as the Model 3.

The vibration period of each model is tabulated in Table 3. Experimental results are also listed in this table. Model 4 is the most match to the test result in these models.

# 3.2 Inelastic stage

Monotonic loadig analysis is carrid out by using Model 4. Lateral force distribution is the same as the full scale test. The rigid zone is assumed to be the full part of the panel zone surrounded with walls and beams. This is based on the fact that the purpose of this analysis is to predict the lateral load capacity of the test building from the component strength at their critical section, and also that the stiffness degradation of each member is so dominant to the total stiffness of the test building that rigid zone of wall-beam panel is assumed not to affect on the total stiffness of the test structure. Maximum moment. capacity of each member is calculated with the full effect of re-bars in transverse

Figure 5 shows the each story shear force vs. story drift angle relationships. Good agreements between test results and this analysis are obtained.

Table 1 Flexural and Shear Characteristics b) wall [t+cm, cm<sup>4</sup>, ton, rad., cm<sup>2</sup>] | Member My Member My I. Qc.A I, Qc ,A W<sub>1A</sub> 5 3786 I =30.7E5 W<sub>2A</sub> 5 1653 I =15.4E5 4 2819 Q<sub>c</sub> =33.8 4 1889 Q<sub>c</sub> =28.2 3 2553 θ<sub>v</sub>=1/800 3 2015  $\theta_y$ =1/800 2 1421 Å =1881 2 2553 A =1881 1 123 1 2789 W<sub>3</sub> 5 7881 I =90.8E5 W<sub>2B</sub> 5 1653 I =15.4E5 4 8643 Q<sub>c</sub> =61.2 4 1928 Q =28.2 3 2271  $\theta_y$ =1/800 3 10600 θ<sub>y</sub>=1/1500 2 11433 Å =3401 2 2089 A = 1881 1 12318 1 3045 W<sub>1B</sub> 5 3096 I =30.7E5 W<sub>4A</sub> 5 10544 I =249.6E5 4 4492 Q<sub>c</sub> =33.8 4 8178 Q =68.0 3 5929  $\theta_{v}=1/800$ 3 8781  $\theta_{y}$ =1/1500 2 7490 Å =1881 2 6784 A = 3781 1 9050 1 4192 W<sub>4B</sub> 5 7559 I =249.6E5 5 31301 I =1164E5 4 34997 Q<sub>c</sub> =143.3 4 11555 Q<sub>c</sub> =68.0 3 43395 θ<sub>y</sub>=1/3000 3 16200  $\theta_y = 1/1500$ 2 47091 A =7961 2 20510 A =3781 1 50787 1 21058 W<sub>6A</sub> 5 4709 I =30.7E5 W<sub>7A</sub> 5 2042 I =15.4E5 4 2897 Q<sub>c</sub> =33.8 4 2719 Q<sub>C</sub> =28.2 3 2002  $\theta_y = 1/800$ 3 3497  $\tilde{\theta}_{y}$ =1/800 2 100 A =1881 2 4576 A =1881 1 100 1 5473 5 29564 I =1164E5 W7B 5 1106 I =15.4E5 4 39489 Q<sub>c</sub> =143.3 848 Q<sub>C</sub> =28.2 3 48778 θ<sub>y</sub>=1/3000 488 θ<sub>y</sub>=1/800 3 2 62474 A = 7961 2 430 A =1881 1 68629 100 1 W<sub>6B</sub> 5 4003 I =30.7E5  $W_{9A}$  5 3251 I =30.7E5 4 4 6337 Q<sub>c</sub> =33.8 1756 Q<sub>c</sub> =33.8 3 8773  $\theta_{v} = 1/800$ 3 773 θ<sub>V</sub>=1/800 2 11210 A =1881 100 A =1881 2 1 13592 1 100 W<sub>11A</sub> 5 2831 I =30.7E5 W<sub>10A</sub> 5 1256 I =7.8E5 4 1669 Q<sub>c</sub> =22.5 4 4731 Q<sub>C</sub> =33.8 3 1912  $\theta_{v} = 1/800$ 3 6722  $\theta_{v} = 1/800$ 2 2057 A =1501 2 8922 A =1881 1 2201 1 11123 W<sub>10B</sub> 5 1256 I =7.8E5 W<sub>11B</sub> 5 4369 I =30.7E5 4 2964 Q<sub>C</sub> =33.8 4 1669 Q<sub>c</sub> =22.5 3 1786  $\theta_{v} = 1/800$ 3 1492  $\theta_{v} = 1/800$ 2 1809 A = 1501 2 100 A =1881 1 100 1 1826 W<sub>9B</sub> 5 3606 I =30.7E5 4 5519 Q<sub>c</sub> =33.8 3 7660 θ<sub>v</sub>=1/800 2 9867 A = 1881

 $Q_{C}=15(kg/cm^2)*A* {1.0 for - shaped wall} {1.2 for T shaped wall} or + shaped wall}$ 

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A : Area for shear stiffness and strength

And this figure also shows that the effect of re-bars in transverse wall on flexural strength and characteristic of flexural and shear spring are evaluated properly in this analysis.

#### 4. CONCLUSION

Total behavior of full scale test is well followed by the frame model analysis consisting of simple beam model.

In elastic analysis rigid zone recommended in design guidelines is reasonable and in ultimate analysis full part of wall-beam joint is adequate to be treated as rigid zone. And the recommendation for effective width of transverse member is reasonable. It is also important for discussing the elastic behavior of such a rigid structure to consider the condition of foundation.

In inelastic stage reinforcing bars in the transverse members are very effective on the ultimate shear carrying capacity.

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Table 2. Properties of Rocking Spring

Rl	105	*	10e4	t*cm	for	1m	long	wall	
R2	420	*	10e4	t*cm	for	2m	long	wall	
R3	1700	*	10e4	t*cm	for	4m	long	wall	

 $Kt = 2* 32 * Es * D^2/1 = 105 * D^2$ 

Es =  $2100 \text{ t/cm}^2$ 

 $32 = 8 \text{ cm}^2$ 

1: length of PC bar: 320cm

D: wall length

Table 3. Natual Period (sec)

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_	MODE	M1	M2	МЗ	M4	TEST	
	1st	0.184	0.120	0.159	0.169	0.157	
	2nd	0.055	0.039	0.048	0.052	0.049	
	3rd	0.029	0.022	0.026	0.028	0.026	
	4th	0.020	0.016	0.018	0.019	0.019	
	5th	0.016	0.013	0.015	0.015	0.013	

Fix end condition

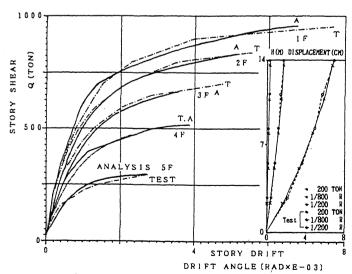


Fig. 5 Each Story Shear vs. Story Drift