

Arch324

STRUCTURES II

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Recitation

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Welcome to Recitation session 03/28

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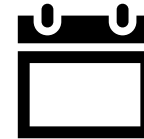
hours:

Fri: 11:30 – 12:30

Mon, Wed: 11:00 - 12:00

walk-ins welcome!

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Outline:

- Quick **Recap** of the week
- Provide the solution for the assignment (**Homework 9**)
- Answering student's questions
- Lab: **Conc. Beam Design**
- **Tower Project:** Final report by **April 18**

Please feel free to ask questions.

Recap of the week

Rectangular Beam Design

Two approaches:

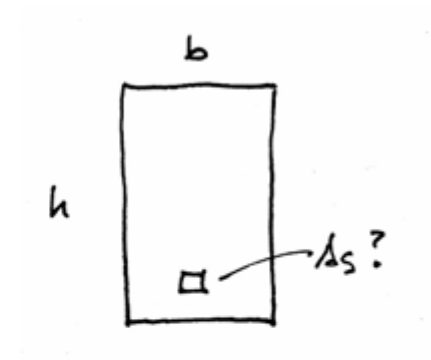
Method 1:

Data:

- Load and Span
- Material properties – f'_c , f_y
- All section dimensions: h and b

Required:

- Steel area – A_s



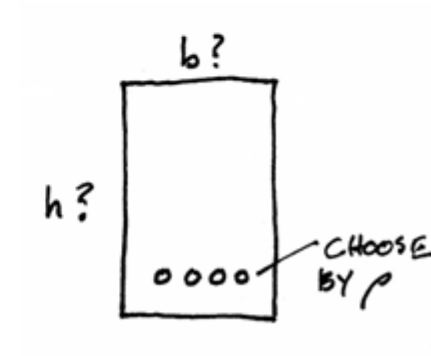
Method 2:

Data:

- Load and Span
- Some section dimensions – h or b
- Material properties – f'_c , f_y
- Choose ρ

Required:

- Steel area – A_s
- Beam dimensions – b and h



Recap of the week

Rectangular Beam Design – Method 1

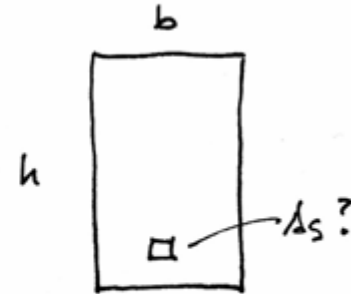
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- Material properties – f'_c , f_y
- All section dimensions – b and h

Required:

- Steel area - A_s

1. Calculate the factored load and find factored required moment, M_u
2. Find $d = h - \text{cover} - \text{stirrup} - d_b/2$
3. Estimate moment arm $z = jd$, for beams $j \approx 0.9$ for slabs $j \approx 0.95$
4. Estimate A_s based on estimate of jd .
5. Use A_s to find a
6. Use a to find A_s (repeat...until **2%** accuracy)
7. Choose bars for A_s and check A_s max & min
8. Check that $\epsilon_t \geq 0.005$
9. Check $M_u \leq \phi M_n$ (final condition)
10. Design shear reinforcement (stirrups)
11. Check deflection, crack control, rebar development length



$$M_u = \frac{(\gamma_{DL}W_{DL} + \gamma_{LL}W_{LL})l^2}{8}$$

$$A_s = \frac{M_u}{\phi f_y \left(d - \frac{a}{2}\right)}$$

$$a = \frac{A_s f_y}{0.85 f'_c b}$$

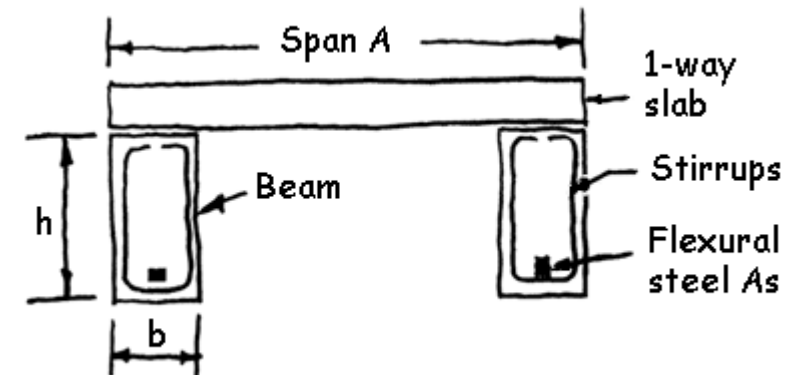
$$M_n = A_s f_y \left(d - \frac{a}{2}\right)$$

Provide the solution for the assignment – HW9

9. Concrete Beam Design

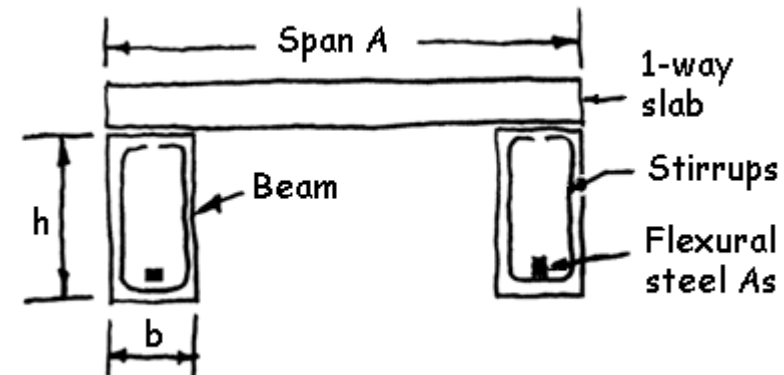
Using the Ultimate Strength Method, analyze the given section to determine its safe moment capacity, M_u , based on the given parameters. Check that the section is tension controlled ($\epsilon_{t} > 0.005$), and that the amount of steel, A_s is more than the minimum, $A_{s_{min}}$.

DATASET: 1	-2-	-3-
Span of slab	14 FT	
Span of beam	27 FT	
Thickness of slab	9 IN	
section width, b	17 IN	
section height, h	27 IN	
max. aggregate size	0.75 IN	
bar size number	10	
stirrup bar size number	4	
concrete cover	1.5 IN	
concrete ultimate strength, f'_c	3500 PSI	
steel yield strength, f_y	60000 PSI	
Floor Live Load	80 PSF	



Provide the solution for the assignment – HW9

#	Question	Your Response
1	Unfactored dead load on beam from slab	<input type="text"/> PLF
2	Unfactored dead load on beam from the beam (beam selfweight)	<input type="text"/> PLF
3	Unfactored live load on beam, LL	<input type="text"/> PLF
4	Total factored beam load, w_u	<input type="text"/> PLF
5	Factored design moment from the loads, M_u	<input type="text"/> FT-K
6	Distance from top beam edge to centroid of flexural steel, d	<input type="text"/> IN
7	The final calculated area of steel required, $A_{s,req}$	<input type="text"/> IN ²
8	Number of rebars used	<input type="text"/>
9	Actual, final area of flexural steel used, $A_{s,used}$	<input type="text"/> IN ²
10	Minimum required area of steel, $A_{s,min}$ (the greater of the 2 criteria)	<input type="text"/> IN ²
11	Depth of concrete stress block, a	<input type="text"/> IN
12	The factor β_1	<input type="text"/>
13	Distance to Neutral Axis from top of beam, c	<input type="text"/> IN
14	Strain in flexural steel, ϵ_t	<input type="text"/>
15	Strength reduction factor, ϕ	<input type="text"/>
16	Tensile force in the flexural steel, T	<input type="text"/> K
17	Nominal bending moment, M_n	<input type="text"/> K-IN
18	Factored bending resistance, ϕM_n	<input type="text"/> K-FT



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① unFactored dead load on beam from slab:

reinforced conc. density = $150 \frac{\text{lb}}{\text{ft}^3}$

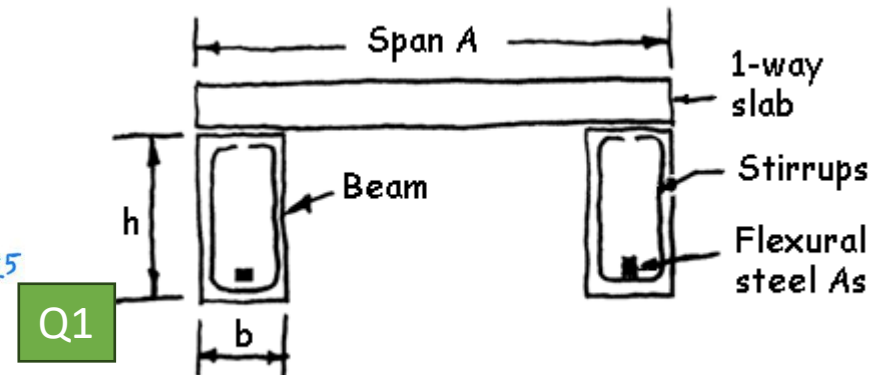
$(14 \times 1) \times \left(\frac{9}{12}\right) \rightarrow ?$
 (slab span) \rightarrow one ft of slab
 thickness in ft

$1 \text{ ft}^3 \rightarrow 150 \text{ lb}$
 $\rightarrow 1575 \text{ plf}$
 total weight of slab

$\rightarrow \text{load on beam} = \frac{1575}{2} = 787.5 \text{ plf}$

② beam self-weight:

$1 \text{ ft}^3 \rightarrow 150 \text{ lb}$
 $h \times b \times \text{span}$
 $\left(\frac{23}{12} \times \frac{17}{12} \times 1\right) \rightarrow ?$
 $\rightarrow 478.125 \text{ plf}$



Q1

Q2

Provide the solution for the assignment – HW9

③ Live load on beam:

$$\underbrace{\text{Live load}}_{80 \text{ psf}} \times \frac{\text{slab span}}{2} \times \text{per Linear Foot of beam}$$

$$80 \times \frac{14}{2} \times 1 = 560 \text{ PLF}$$

Q3

④ Total Factored load on Beam:

$$1.2 D + 1.6 L$$

$$1.2 \underbrace{(788.5)}_{\text{slab}} + 1.6 \underbrace{(488.125)}_{\text{Beam}} = 2414.75$$

Q4

⑤ Factored design moment:

$$M_u = \frac{w L^2}{8} = \frac{2414.75 \times (27)^2}{8} = 220317.969 \times \frac{1}{1000} = 220.318 \text{ K-FT}$$

beam span

Q5

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⑥ d : distance From top to Center flexural steel

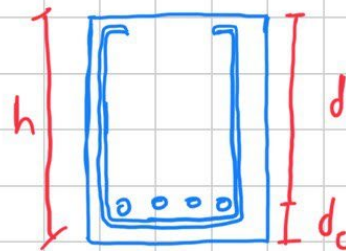
$$d = h - d_c$$

d_c : distance from bott to Center flexural steel

$$d_c = \text{Cover} + \text{stirrup} + \frac{\text{flex bar}}{2}$$

(# 4) #10

$$= 1.5 + 0.5 + \frac{1.270}{2} = 2.635 \text{ in}$$



$$d = h - d_c = 27 - 2.635 = 24.365 \text{ in}$$

Q6

Table A.2 Designations, Areas, Perimeters, and Weights of Standard Bars

Bar No.	Customary Units			SI Units		
	Diameter (in.)	Cross-sectional Area (in. ²)	Unit Weight (lb/ft)	Diameter (mm)	Cross-sectional Area (mm ²)	Unit Weight (kg/m)
3	0.375	0.11	0.376	9.52	71	0.560
4	0.500	0.20	0.668	12.70	129	0.994
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7	0.875	0.60	2.044	22.22	387	3.042
8	1.000	0.79	2.670	25.40	510	3.973
9	1.128	1.00	3.400	28.65	645	5.060
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Estimate moment arm:

Beam: 0.9d

Slab: 0.95 d

⑦ Calculate required A_s

estimate moment arm: $z = jd = 0.9(24.365) = 21.9285$

$$A_s = \frac{M_u}{\phi F_y \left(d - \frac{a}{2}\right)} = \frac{220.317 \times 10^3 \times 12}{0.9 (60000) (21.9285)} = 2.2326 \text{ in}^2$$

Kip-ft to Lb-in

unite conversion

use A_s to find a ; use a to find A_s (repeat...until 2% accuracy)

$$a = \frac{A_s F_y}{0.85 F'_c b} = \frac{2.2326 \times 60000}{0.85 \times 6000 \times 17} = 1.5450 \text{ in}$$

$$d - \frac{a}{2} = 23.5925 \rightarrow A_s = 2.0752$$

Check Accuracy: $\frac{2.2326 - 2.0752}{2.2326} \approx \frac{7.05\%}{X} \rightarrow \text{next iteration}$

$$a = \frac{2.0752 \times 60000}{0.85 \times 6000 \times 17} = 1.4361 \rightarrow A_s = 2.07043$$

$d - \frac{a}{2} = 23.6469$

Check Accuracy: $\frac{2.0752 - 2.07043}{2.0752} \approx 0.22\% \text{ O.K.}$

required $A_s = 2.07043$

Q7

Provide the solution for the assignment – HW9

⑧ Number of rebar:

size is given → #10 → Area of each rebar: 1.27 in²

$$n = \frac{A_s}{A_{\#10}} = \frac{2.07043}{1.27} = 1.63$$

Round it → 2 rebar used

Q8

⑨ Actual A_s used:

2 × 1.27 = 2.54 in²

no. rebar → A_{#10}

Q9

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⑩ minimum required steel

Max of two Eq. $\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \frac{3\sqrt{F'_c} (bd)}{F_y} = \frac{3\sqrt{3500} (17)(24.365)}{60000} = 1.2252 \\ \frac{200(bd)}{F_y} = \frac{200(17)(24.365)}{60000} = \underline{1.380} \end{array} \right.$ Q10

⑪ depth of conc. stress block, a

$$a = \frac{A_s F_y}{0.85 F'_c b} = \frac{(2.54)(60000)}{0.85 (3500) (17)} = 3.013 \text{ in.} \quad \text{Based on the Actual } A_s \quad \text{Q11}$$

Provide the solution for the assignment – HW9

⑫ β_1 :

$$\beta_1 = 0.85 - 0.05 \left(\frac{f_c' - 4000}{1000} \right) = 0.875 < 0.85$$

max β_1 is 0.85

Q12

⑬ distance From N.A. From top of beam, C

$$C = \frac{\alpha}{\beta_1} = \frac{3.013}{0.85} = 3.5447 \quad (\text{or } C \text{ From Table:})$$

Q13

⑭ strain in flexural steel, ϵ_t :

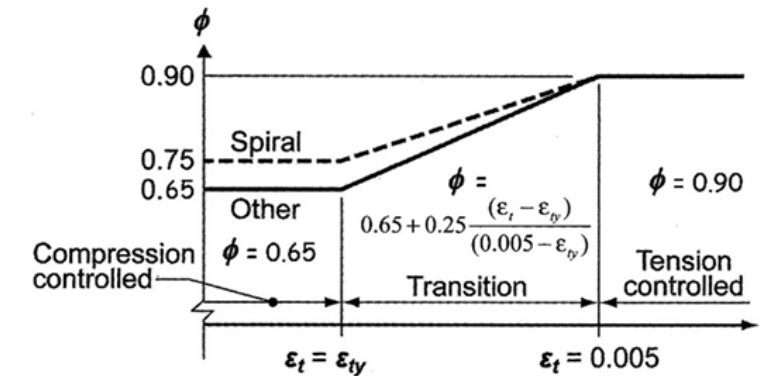
$$\epsilon_t = \frac{d - C}{C} (0.003) = \frac{24.365 - 3.545}{3.545} (0.003) = 0.01761$$

Q14

> 0.005

⑮

< 0.005 $\rightarrow \phi = 0.9$
Tension Control



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⑩ Tensile force in rebars, T :

Unit conversion

$$T = A_s f_y = (2.54)(60000) = 152400 \times \frac{1}{1000} = 152.400 \text{ K}$$

Q16

⑪ Nominal bending moment, M_n :

$$M_n = A_s f_y \left(d - \frac{a}{2} \right)$$

$$= (2.54)(60000) \left(24.365 - \frac{3.013}{2} \right) = 3483635.4 \times \frac{1}{1000}$$

Q17

$$= 3483.6354 \text{ K-IN}$$

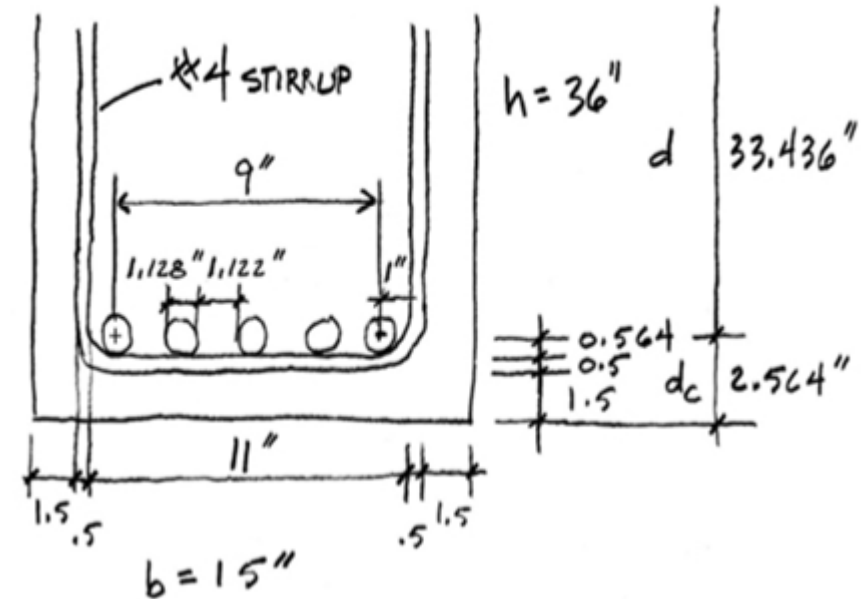
⑫ ϕM_n

$$0.9 \times 3483.6354 = 3135.27 \text{ K-IN} \times \frac{1}{12} = 261.272 \text{ K-FT}$$

Q18

Lab : Reinforcement Placement

Flexure rebars #9
Stirrup #4



Description

This project produces a graphic representation of the reinforcing layout of a concrete beam.

Goals

- To determine bar diameters and horizontal spacing
- To find the placement and dimensions of a shear stirrup.
- To establish proper cover for reinforcement.
- To draw all beam elements in the proper scale and location.

Lab : Reinforcement Placement

Procedure

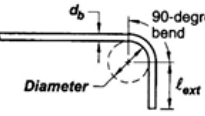
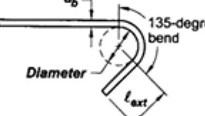
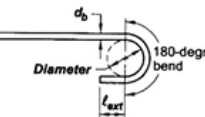
1. For the example beam worked in class, determine the required spacing, s_v and s_h , for the bar size used.
2. For the given stirrup size determine the bend radius for a 90° bend.
3. Make a sketch showing the proper locations of bars and the stirrup including cover.
4. Draw and dimension the depth of the stress block, "a" and the distance to the N.A. from the top of the beam, "c".
5. Dimension and label "d" and "d_c".

$f_c = 3000$ PSI
 $f_y = 60000$ PSI
 Stirrup #4
 Flexural rebar: five rebar #8
 $B = 15$ in
 $H = 36$ in
 Cover = 1.5 in

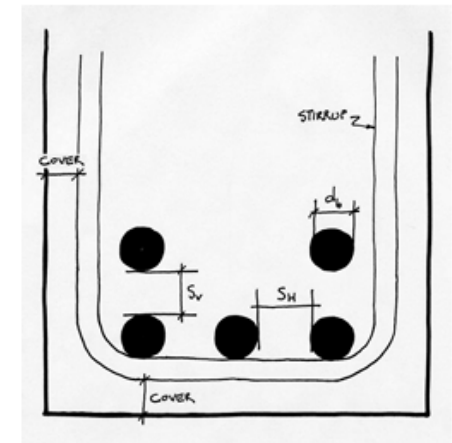
ACI 318 Chapter 25.2
Placement of Reinforcement

- Cover (ACI 20.6.1)
- Horizontal spacing in beams, s_h (ACI 25.2.1)
1 inch
 d_b
 $4/3 d_{agg,max}$
- Vertical spacing in beams (ACI 25.2.2)
Min 1 inch

Table 25.3.2—Minimum inside bend diameters and standard hook geometry for stirrups, ties, and hoops

Type of standard hook	Bar size	Minimum inside bend diameter, in.	Straight extension ^[1] ℓ_{ext} in.	Type of standard hook
90-degree hook	No. 3 through No. 5	$4d_b$	Greater of $6d_b$ and 3 in.	
	No. 6 through No. 8	$6d_b$	$12d_b$	
135-degree hook	No. 3 through No. 5	$4d_b$	Greater of $6d_b$ and 3 in.	
	No. 6 through No. 8	$6d_b$		
180-degree hook	No. 3 through No. 5	$4d_b$	Greater of $4d_b$ and 2.5 in.	
	No. 6 through No. 8	$6d_b$		

^[1]A standard hook for stirrups, ties, and hoops includes the specific inside bend diameter and straight extension length. It shall be permitted to use a longer straight extension at the end of a hook. A longer extension shall not be considered to increase the anchorage capacity of the hook.

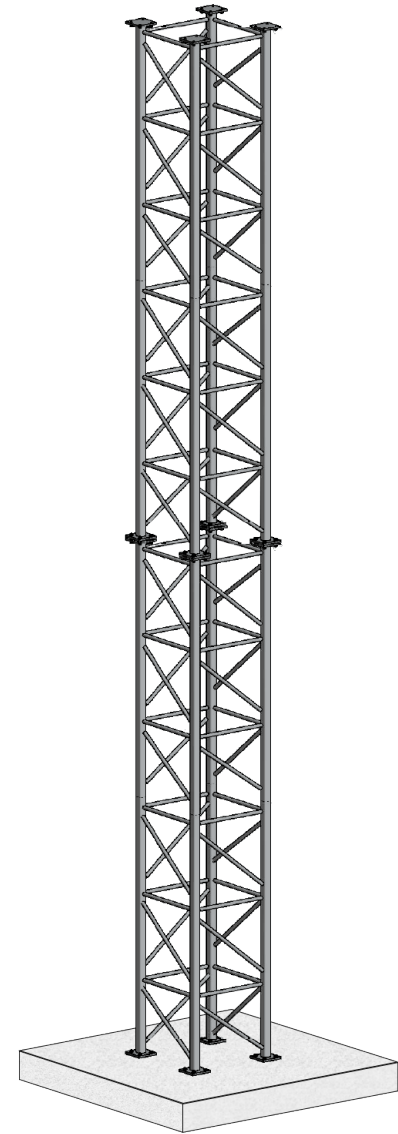


Horizontal Spacing in Beams

ACI 25.2.1
 1 inch
 d_b
 $4/3$ max aggregate

Tower Project:

Tower Project final report:
April, 18



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