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Concrete Buildings - Section C5

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Key Features

- Improvement of General Assessment Framework Emphasis on Analytical Procedure
 - from Local to Global



- Introduction of Hierarchy of Strength Evaluation
- Schematic of Typical Deficiencies/Vulnerabilities
- Narrative/Tables on NZ Practice/Code Developments
 - Material Properties (Steel and Concrete)
 - Structural Details (beams, columns, joints, walls)





Flow-Chart of Assessment Procedure



Chapter 5 **Concrete Buildings**

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1a- Component Level (beam, column, joint)

Evaluate strength and deformation capacity:

-Flexure, Shear, Flexure-shear interaction

- Cyclic degradation; Lap splices failure; Bi-directional effects

Outcomes (capacity curves): Moment-curvature/rotation and/or Force-Displacement







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Knowing and understanding our Special Patients











Christchurch, built 1950s









Christchurch, built 1950s









Example of typical column layouts with seismic design according to different New Zealand concrete standards from the mid-1960s onwards - Figure C5.16 (from Niroomandi et al., 2015)



CAREFUL with pre-1995 and post-1982 non-Ductile Columns!

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'Non-Ductile' Gravity Columns



Damage observed after the 4 Sept 2010 Canterbury earthquake



Figure C5.2: Experimental tests on '1982' detailing (Boys et al., 2008)

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- Limited Rotation and Drift Capacity (1-1.5%)
- Significant Effects of Bi-directional Loading



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Tables C5.1-C5.2: Typical/expected structural deficiencies and observed damage/failure mechanism in pre mid-1970s Canterbury RC buildings



Crushing, spalling of concrete; bar buckling; out-of-plane failure



Photos: Spalling of concrete at wall end, and buckling failure



Photos: Shear failure at ground floor wall



Typical Structural Deficiencies of RC Buildings





- inadequate transverse reinforcement and detailing in plastic hinge regions, beam-column joints and wall systems
- insufficient lap splices in columns, beams and walls
- insufficient longitudinal reinforcement ratio in walls leading to single crack opening, when compared to a spread plastic hinge, and failure in tension of the rebars
- lower quality of materials (concrete and steel) when compared to current practice, in particular:
 - use of low grade plain round (smooth) bars for both longitudinal (until mid-1960) and transverse reinforcement
 - low-strength concrete (up to or below 20-25 MPa)
- lack of or inadequate capacity design considerations
- lack of displacement compatibility between the lateral load resisting systems, the floor-diaphragms and the gravity load bearing systems (e.g. non-ductile columns with limited confinement details and drift capacity)
- plan and vertical irregularity
- potential brittle failure mechanisms due to interaction with secondary elements, i.e. spandrel beams, masonry infills, facades causing







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Material **Properties** and Testing

- In the Guidelines reference default values for the mechanical properties of the reinforcing steel based on standard of the time are provided
- Appendix C5C Overview of the evolution of concrete and steel reinforcing material properties specifications and design requirements in New Zealand Standards

1949	1962	1964	1968	1972	1973	1989	2001
NZS 197:1949 (BS 785:1938) Rolled steel bars and drawn steel wire for concrete reinforcement (Yield stress varied with diameter, minimum value was 227 MPa, Refer to Appendix C5D.1)			NZS 3423P:1972 Hot rolled plain round steel bars of structural grade for reinforced concrete "Grade" 40,000 psi (275 MPa)	NZS 340NZS 3402:AS/N2P: 19731989SteelHotSteel bars for the reinforce-ment of steel barsmater Gradefor theGrade 300 MPa reinforceGrade 430 MPa	AS/NZS 4671:2001 Steel reinforcing material Grade 300 MPa Grade 500 MPa		
	NZSS 1693:1962 NZS Deformed steel bars of 1:19 structural grade for Deformed concrete grad "Grade" 33000 psi (227 "Grade") MPa)		NZSS 1 1:1968) Deform grade fc "Grade"	693:1962 (Amendment ed steel bars of structural or reinforced concrete 40000 psi (275 MPa)	ment of concrete Grade 275 MPa Grade 380 MPa		
	NZS 1879:1964 Hot rolled defc 60,000 psi) for Grade'' 60,000		54 formed ba or reinforc 0 psi (415	ars of HY 60 (High Yield ced concrete 5 MPa)			





Material Properties and Testing

 Material Testing should be targeted to elements within the most critical/uncertain mechanism,

e.g. as part of hierarchy of strength evaluation.

• Appendix C5C:

Overview of alternative techniques: destructive semi-destructive non-destructive Table C5C.1: Overview of destructive, semi-destructive and non-destructive tests for investigating concrete material properties (from De Pra, Bianchi and Pampanin, 2015; Malek et al., 2015)

	Method	Capability/Use	Advantages	Disadvantages			
	DESTRUCTIVE TESTS						
Compressive test		Strength of concrete	Direct evaluation of concrete strength from compressive tests on cylindrical specimens	Disturbance of the sample, so excessive damage to obtain a representative core of concrete Previous test with pacometer necessary to individuate the regions without bars			
	SEMI-DESTRUCTIVE TESTS						
Pull-o	but	In-place estimation of the compressive and tensile strengths	In-place strength of concrete can be quickly measured	Pull-out device must be inserted in a hole drilled in the hardened concrete Only a limited depth of material can be tested			
Pull-o	off/tear-off	Direct tension test	In situ tensile strength of concrete Determining bond strength between existing concrete and repair material	Sensitivity to rate of loading			
Penetration probe (Windsor probe)		Estimation of compressive strength, uniformity and quality of concrete Measuring the relative rate of strength development of concrete at early ages	The equipment is easy to use (not requiring surface preparation) The results are not subject to surface conditions and moisture content	Minimum edge distance and member thickness are requested Not precise prediction of strength for concrete older than 5 years and where surface is affected by carbonation or cracking			
NON-DESTRUCTIVE TESTS							
Visua	II tests	The first step in investigating concrete material	Quick evaluation of damage	No detailed information			
Rebo	und hammer	Measuring surface hardness of concrete to estimate compressive strength	The assessment of the surface layer strength	Results can only suggest the hardness of surface layer			
Durability test	Concrete electrical resistivity	Measuring the ability of the concrete to conduct the corrosion current	Inexpensive, simple and many measurements can be made rapidly	Not reliable at high moisture contents			
	Permeability	To evaluate the transfer properties of concrete (porosity)	Useful method to evaluate the risk of leaching, corrosion and freezing	Thickness limitation Age, temperature dependent Sufficient lateral sealing			





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Step 1a – Element Capacities

Evaluate the Capacity Curves for each element:

- moment-curvature/rotations and/or
- force-displacement (mostly for columns and walls)



Strength and deformation capacities at key limit states (i.e. yielding and ultimate capacity) for:

- Flexure and shear (including bar buckling, cyclic degradation, lap splices, bi-directional effects)







Strain Limits at Probable Capacity







From Moment-Curvature to Force- Displacement







Beam-Column Joints Behaviour

- Depends on the type of joints and detailing
- Affected by Variation of Axial load
- Affected by Bi-directional -Loading



Beam bars bent in: in . cover cracking et beck of joinf

a)





c)

loss of Joint Integraty

b)



Smooth beam bars with end-hooksconcrefe wedge mechanism

d)











Shear Capacity – Joints (1/2)



Nominal Shear Stress

$$V_{jh} = Ts - V_c$$

$$v_{jh} = \frac{V_{jh}}{b_{je}h_c} = v_{jv} = \frac{V_{jv}}{b_{je}h_b} = v_j$$

Principal Stresses

$$p_{t,c} = \frac{f_{v} + f_{h}}{2} \pm \sqrt{\left(\frac{f_{v} - f_{h}}{2}\right)^{2} + v_{j}^{2}}$$
$$v_{ch} = v_{j} = p_{t} \sqrt{\left(1 + \frac{N^{*}}{A_{g}k\sqrt{f'_{c}}}\right)}$$



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An Equivalent 'Moment-Curvature' for the Joint

$$p_t = \mathbf{k} \sqrt{f'_c}$$



Interior Joints

• k = 0.8 for interior joints

Exterior Joints



- k = 0.4 deformed bars anchored into the joint core
- k = 0.3 deformed bars anchored away from the joint core
- k = 0.2 plain round bars with end hooks













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Evaluate the Hierarchy of Strength and sequence of events at a subassembly level





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Step 1b - Hierarchy of Strength

- Evaluation of Hierarchy of Strength and Sequence of Events between connected elements
- Identification of Mechanism at a subassembly level.



Beam hinging

Joint Shear Failure



Column hinging









Evaluation of Hierarchy of Strength M-N Interaction Diagram



As-Built Joint Capacity Curves









Step 1c – Global Mechanism

The likely global or system level mechanisms are determined.

Global capacity curve (Lower, Upper bounds, Actual) are evaluated









Evaluation of %NBS



Figure C2.6: Derivation of seismic score using SLaMA







Comparing Alternative Retrofit Options



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Pampanin et al.

(Let us not forget about)

Diaphragms





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Diaphragm Assessment



Demand Floor Forces and Internal Actions (Appendix C5E.9- C5E.11)

Capacity elements (NZS3101:2006) %NBS = $100 \frac{0.9R_{\text{prob}}}{K_{\text{d}}R_{\text{E},\mu=1.25}}$ demand (Strength-based %NBS)

Deformation/Drift



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