SEISMIC ANALYSIS OF MULTISTORIED BUILDING WITH SETBACK IRREGULARITY USING TIME HISTORY ANALYSIS: BY MEANS OF INDIAN SEISMIC CODE

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Abstract— Irregularities are not avoidable in construction of buildings, however the behavior of structures with these irregularities during earthquake needs to be studied. Adequate precautions needs to be taken. A detailed study of structural behavior of the building with irregularities is essential for design and behavior. The performance of a high rise building during strong earthquake motion depends on the distribution of stiffness, strength and mass along both the vertical and horizontal directions. If there is discontinuity in stiffness, strength and mass between adjoining storeys of a building then such a building is known as irregular building. The present study focuses on the performance and behavior of regular and vertical irregular G+20 reinforced concrete (RC) building under seismic loading. Type of vertical irregularities namely setback is considered in the study. Total four models are modeled in which one is regular and three are irregular and seismic analysis is carried out using time history analysis method. The carpet area or sellable area of all the four models are to be kept same and comparison has been made on the basis of area. Different seismic responses like storey drift, storey displacement, and overturning moment are obtained. By using these responses, a comparative study has been made between regular and irregular buildings. The result remarks the conclusion that, a building structure with setback irregularity provides instability during seismic loading. From the study it is recommended that analysis of multistoried RCC building using time history analysis becomes necessary to ensure safety against earthquake force.

Keywords— Design basis earthquake, Story drift, Story Displacement, Base Shear, Overturning Moment, Time History analysis, Seismic assessment.

I. INTRODUCTION

Earthquake is most distressing natural causing loss of life, loss of economy, destruction and damage to infrastructures. Now a day’s most of the building structures are made of Reinforced cement concrete, and such structures have the potential to cause many deaths and injuries along with extensive property damage that alone earthquake cannot do, which has been seen in earlier earthquake events like Latur earthquake (1993), Bhuj earthquake (2001), Indian Ocean Earthquake (2004), Kashmir earthquake and Nepal earthquake. Since earthquake forces are random in nature and prediction of future earthquake may not be possible, thus prevention of these structures from earthquake damage has become progressively important in recent years. Severe earthquakes happen rarely. Even though it is technically possible to design and build structures for these earthquake events, it is for the most part considered uneconomical to do so. The objective of the seismic design is to constrain the damage in a structure to a worthy sum. The structures designed in such a way that should have the capacity to resist minor levels of earthquake without damage, withstand moderate levels of earthquake without structural damage, yet probability of some non-structural damage, and withstand significant levels of ground motion without breakdown, yet with some structural and in addition non-structural damage. This paper presents non-linear Dynamic analysis of multistoried building G+20 designed as per Indian code IS 456:2000 and IS 13920:2016. The objective of this study is to evaluate the seismic performance of building for DBE. The results are presented in terms Story drift, Story Displacement, Base Shear, Overturning Moment.

II. CASE STUDY OF THE BUILDING

A four models of G+20 story RCC building is considered to illustrate the analysis and design of the frame. The typical plan dimension of the model 1 which is regular model is having X direction length: 36 m and Y direction width: 36 m which is divided into 6 and 6 bays respectively. Total height of the building is 85 m with 5 m height of first story and 4 m of upper stories. The plan and elevation of the regular building is shown in Fig.1 and Fig 2. Model two, three and four are irregular models having X direction length: 46.4 m and Y direction width: 46.4 m which is divided into 8 and 8 bays respectively. The plan and elevation of the regular building is shown in Fig.3 and Fig 4.

The structure is design according to Indian code IS 456:2000 for seismic zone IV for soil Class II. Earthquake loading was combined with gravity load (DL +0.5 LL). Dead load includes self-weight of the members, load of exterior 125 mm thick concrete block (3.584 kN/m) and live loads (3 kN/m2 floor and 1.5 kN/m2 on roof).

III. MODELING PARAMETERS

The design of the structural concrete members follows the Indian National Standard of Plain and Reinforced Concrete code of Practice. The compressive strength of the concrete in the frame is 35 MPa, where the design steel yield strength is 500 MPa.

Model Specifications

• Model A consist of 6x6 bay up to top floor.
• Model B consist of 8x8 bay up to 7 floor, 6x6 bay up to 14 floor and 4x4 bay up to 21 floor (centre position).
• Model C consist of 8x8 bay up to 7 floor, 6x6 bay up to 14 floor and 4x4 bay up to 21 floor (corner position).
• Model D consist of 8x8 bay up to 7 floor, 6x6 bay up to 14 floor and 4x4 bay up to 21 floor (edge position).

Regular RC Building
Twenty-One story regular reinforced concrete buildings. The beam length in (x) transverse direction is 36m and in (y) longitudinal direction 36m. Figure 3.1 shows the plan of the building having six bays in x-direction and six bays in y direction. Story height of each building is assumed 4m and story height of base story is 5 m. Figure shows the frame (A-A) and (01-01) of the twenty-one story RC building respectively.

Irregular RC Building
Twenty-One story irregular reinforced concrete buildings. The beam length in (x) transverse direction is 6m and in (y) longitudinal direction 6m. Figure 3.5 shows the plan of the three buildings having six bays in x-direction and six bays in y-direction from 1 to 7 story, four bays in x-direction and four bays in y-direction from 8 to 14 story, two bays in x direction and two bays in y-direction from 15 to 21 story. Story height of each building is assumed 4m and base height is 5m. Figure 3.6, 3.8, and 3.10 shows frame (01-01) and (06-06) of the twenty-one story irregular RC buildings respectively. Figure 3.7, 3.9, and 3.11 shows frame (A-A) and (F-F) of the twenty-one story irregular reinforced concrete building respectively.

### MODEL 3

| Story | Column | Beam |
|-------|--------|------|
| Base  | 650 x 650 | 300 x 400 |
| 2 - 7 | 600 x 600 | 250 x 300 |
| 8 – 14| 500 x 500 | 250 x 300 |
| 15 - 21| 450 x 450 | 250 x 300 |

### MODEL 4

| Story | Column | Beam |
|-------|--------|------|
| Base  | 650 x 650 | 300 x 400 |
| 2 - 7 | 600 x 600 | 250 x 300 |
| 8 – 14| 650 x 750 | 400 x 650 |
| 15 - 21| 650 x 750 | 350 x 650 |

### IV. ACCELEROMETER USED FOR PRESENT STUDY

The 6 accelerogram of scaled time history data with actual time history data mentioned. The scaled time history data used for analysis. Each group then scaled to same level of intensity, due to scaling the PGA of all 6 Time history data approximate equal to 0.360g. Which shows the Design Basis Earthquake (DBE). The difference between the time histories, Shown by the distance between the P-wave, S-wave and Surface wave, the duration of earthquake, time of an earthquake. The above effects considered in this study for the performance evaluation for (PGA=0.36g approximate) Design Basis Earthquake (DBE) and then scaled to (PGA=0.34g approximate).

Table -1 Time history data

### V. CENTRE OF MASS AND CENTRE OF RIGIDITY

The center of mass and rigidity of model 1 lies on same point because it is regular building. The center of mass and rigidity differs for remaining 3 models as they are irregular in shape, which is shown below in terms of eccentricity.

Table -2 Centre of mass and rigidity values.
Story shear of concentric model at 21st floor is 2.26 times more as compared to regular model, 14th floor story shear is 2.53 times more than that of regular model and 7th floor story shear is 3.13 times more as compared to regular model. Story shear of semi eccentric model at 21st floor is 2.40 times more as compared to regular model, 14th floor story shear is 2.6 times more than that of regular model and 7th floor story shear is 3.32 times more as compared to regular model. Story shear of eccentric model at 21st floor is 2.65 times more as compared to regular model, 14th floor story shear is 2.72 times more than that of regular model that of regular model and 7th floor story shear is 3.55 times.

Following table represents the story shear at following floors for all models.

### Table -3 Story shear values.

| FLOOR  | Regular Model(kN) | Concentric Model(kN) | Semi Eccentric Model(kN) | Eccentric Model(kN) |
|--------|-------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|
| 21st floor | 752.95             | 1708.39              | 1808.25                 | 1990.14             |
| 14th floor  | 5321.21            | 13509.09             | 13799.93                | 14505.84            |
| 7th floor   | 7192.31            | 22983.68             | 23887.25                | 24795.38            |
| Total       | 7648.87            | 25167.82             | 26081.58                | 27016.43            |

VI. STORY SHEAR

When seismic analysis is performed on software (ETABS) with a particular time history data and on comparing between different model it is found that in model D at 7th floor story displacement is 2.35 times, at 14th floor it is 2.51 times and at 21st floor it is 2.58 times greater as compared to model A.

It is found that in model C at 7th floor story displacement is 2.21 times, at 14th floor it is 2.24 times and at 21st floor it is 2.07 times greater as compared to model A.

It is found that in model B at 7th floor story displacement is 1.94 times, at 14th floor it is 1.85 times and at 21st floor it is 1.76 times greater as compared to model A.

It is found that Eccentric model (model D) has maximum displacement, Semi Eccentric Model (model C) has moderate displacement and Concentric Model (model B) has minimum displacement as compared to Regular Model (model A).

VII. RESULT AND DISCUSSION

**a) Story Displacement**

![Fig. 1. Story VS Maximum displacement for different Time History Data for all models](image)

When seismic analysis is performed on software (ETABS) with a particular time history data and on comparing between different model it is found that in model D at 7th floor story drift ratio is 0.88 times, at 14th floor it is 2.35 times and at 21st floor it is 4.64 times greater as compared to model A as shown in figure 4.2

It is found that in model C at 7th floor story drift ratio is 0.87 times, at 14th floor it is 2.19 times and at 21st floor it is 3.53 times greater as compared to model A as shown in figure 4.3

It is found that in model B at 7th floor story drift ratio is 1.23 times, at 14th floor it is 1.74 times and at 21st floor it is 2.35 times greater.
as compared to model A as shown in figure 4.4

It is found that Eccentric model (model D) has maximum drift, Semi Eccentric Model (model C) has moderate drift and Concentric Model (model B) has minimum drift as compared to Regular Model (model A) as shown in figure 4.10

c) Overturning Moment

![Fig. 3. Overturning Moment VS Different Time History Data for Model A](image)

![Fig. 4. Overturning Moment VS Different Time History Data for Model B](image)

![Fig. 5. Overturning Moment VS Different Time History Data for Model C](image)

Fig. 6. Overturning Moment VS Different Time History Data for Model D

When seismic analysis is performed on software (ETABS) with a particular time history data and when compared between different models it is found that Model D has maximum overturning moment and which is 118.2% compared to regular model.

It is found that Model C has overturning moment which is 75.05% compared to regular model.

It is found that Model B has minimum overturning moment and which is 44.14% compared to regular model.

d) Base Shear

![Fig. 7. Base Shear VS Different Time History Data for all Models](image)

When seismic analysis is performed on software (ETABS) with a particular time history data and when compared between different models it is found that Model D has maximum base shear and which is 3.54 times more than model A.

It is found that Model C has base shear 3.43 times more than model A.

It is found that Model B has minimum base shear 3.34 times more than model A.

e) Costing of Steel and Concrete

Table - 4 represent the costing of concrete and steel required for whole construction purpose of all models.
As per Schedule of Rates (SOR) of MPPWD for year 2014 with an increase of 20% rate in concrete and 15% increase in steel, rate of concrete per cubic meter is 5955/- and rate for steel is 75.48/- per kg.

We have observed that total costing of concentric model is increased by 1,23,12,689/- rupees, Semi Eccentric model is increased by 2,05,90,301/- rupees and Eccentric model is increased by 2,77,24,778/- rupees as compared to Regular model.

### VIII. CONCLUSION

The eccentric model has maximum story drift which is 262.42% more than regular model, semi eccentric model has story drift which is 151% more than regular model and concentric model has minimum story drift which is 149% more than regular model.

On analyzing the model with different time histories, eccentric model has maximum story displacement which is 158.80% more than regular model, semi eccentric model has story displacement which is 108.4% more than regular model and concentric model has minimum story displacement which is 76.62% more than regular model.

Among the different arrangement of irregular model (model 2) which is concentric model gives the best results.

The overturning moment of eccentric model is 102.37% more as compared to regular model, semi eccentric model is 68.5% more as compared to regular model and concentric model is 39.24% more than that of regular model.

As the stiffness decreases the responses of the structure decreases.

Loma Prieta time history which was occurred at Hollister City Hall in year 1989 gives the maximum responses to regular and irregular models.

As we have compared costing of all the models we came to a conclusion that costing of concentric model is increased by 27.81%, costing of semi eccentric model is increased by 45.46% and costing of eccentric model is increased by 61.22% as compared to regular model.

From the result, it was observed that there is increase in steel and concrete for the building with setback irregularity.

As time history is realistic method, used for seismic analysis, it provides a better check to safety of structures analyzed and designed by method specified by IS code.

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