

COMPARATIVE STUDY ON BEHAVIOUR OF RCC AND STEEL - CONCRETE COMPOSITE MULTISTOREY BUILDING

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ABSTRACT: Steel concrete composite construction is a relatively a new concept for the construction industry. Steel-concrete composite elements are used widely in modern building construction. Steel-concrete composite systems for buildings are formed to act as a single unit by connecting the steel beam to the composite deck slab or profile deck sheet with the help of shear connectors. For medium to high-rise buildings RCC structure is no extended economic because of their higher dead load, smaller amount stiffness, span limitation and hazardous formwork. In this present paper, G+9 multistorey building is modeled and analyzed using ETABS-2016. Three different types of model is made in this research. one for RCC, and remaining two for Steel Concrete Composite Structure with two different types of columns such as encased column and Concrete filled tubes. Cost Comparison for the above three types of buildings are done and comparison of parameters like Joint displacement, Story drifts and Story Shear is carried over and results are being compared.

KEYWORDS: Profile deck sheet, Encased Column, Joint displacement, Story drifts, Story Shear.

1.INTRODUCTION

In the previous years, for the design of a building, the choice was usually between a concrete structure and a masonry structure. But the failure of many multi-storied and low-rise R.C.C. and masonry buildings due to earthquake has enforced the structural engineers to look for the alternate method of construction. Use of composite or hybrid material is of particular interest, due to its significant prospective in improving the overall performance through rather modest alterations in manufacturing and constructional technologies. In India, most of the consulting engineers are unwilling to accept the use of composite steel-concrete structure because of its unfamiliarity and complexity in its analysis and design. But literature says that if properly configured, then composite

steel-concrete system can provide very economical structural systems with great durability, rapid erection and superior seismic performance characteristics.

The two materials are mostly used as building material those are steel and concrete for structures ranging from sky scrapers to pavements, although these materials possess different characteristics and properties, they both like to complement each other in various ways. Composite members are made up of two different materials such as steel and concrete which are used for beams and columns. The steel and concrete structures have extensive uses in multistorey commercial buildings and factories as well as in case of bridges. Steel and concrete have almost the same thermal expansion, concrete is capable in taking compression loads and steel is exposed to tensile loads. Composite structures are becoming popular and preferred choice of structural Engineers. In composite construction preliminary construction loads will be supported by steel frame members including the self weight during construction and then concrete is cast around the section or concrete is poured inside the tubular section.

2. ELEMENTS OF COMPOSITE STRUCTURE

2.1 Shear Connectors

Shear connections are crucial for steel concrete construction as they integrate the compression capacity of supported concrete slab with supporting steel beams to improve the load carrying capacity as well as overall rigidity.



Fig. 2.1 Types of Shear Connectors

2.2 Profiled Deck

Composite floors with profiled sheet decking have become most popular in the West for high-rise buildings. Composite deck slabs are generally competitive where the concrete floor has to be completed rapidly and where standard level of fire protection to steel work is sufficient. There is presently no Indian standard covering the design of composite floor systems using profiled sheeting.

In composite floors, the structural behavior is likely to act as reinforced concrete slab, with the steel sheeting acting as the tension reinforcement.

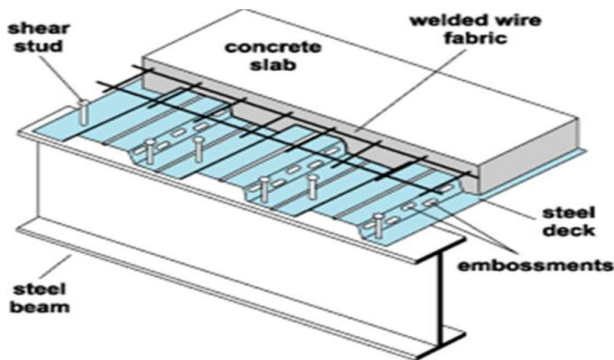


Fig. 2.2 Typical composite beam-slab details

2.3 Composite beam

A steel concrete composite beam contains a steel beam, over which a reinforced concrete slab is cast with shear connectors. The composite action reduces the beam depth. Rolled steel sections are found adequate for buildings and built up girders are generally avoidable. The composite beam can also be constructed with profiled sheeting with concrete topping or with cast in place or precast reinforced concrete slab.

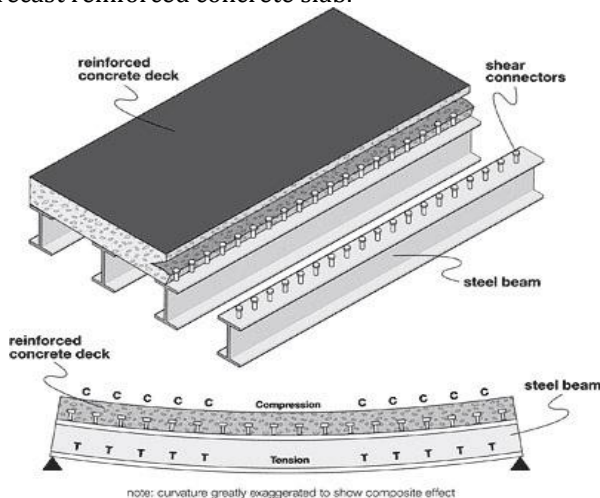


Fig. 2.3 Typical Composite beam

2.4 Composite Column

A steel – concrete composite column is usually a compression member in which the steel element is a structural steel section. There are three types of composite columns used in practice which are Concrete Encased, Concrete filled, Battered Section.

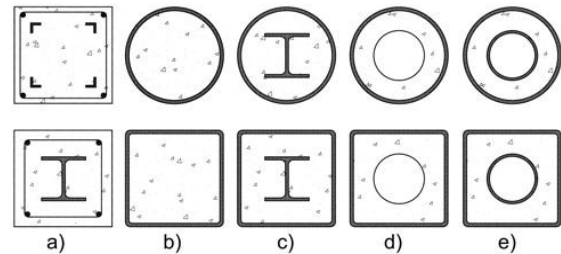


Fig. 2.4 Various types of composite columns: concrete encased steel (CES) (a), CFST (b), combination of CES and CFST (c), hollow CFST sections (d) and double skin sections (e).

3. STRUCTURAL DETAILS

The building considered here is a commercial building. The plan dimension is 20mx20m. The study is carried out on the same building plan for R.C.C, Steel Concrete Composite building with Encased Column and with Filled tubes. The basic loading on all types of structures are kept same.

A. Structural Data For R.C.C Building & Composite Building.

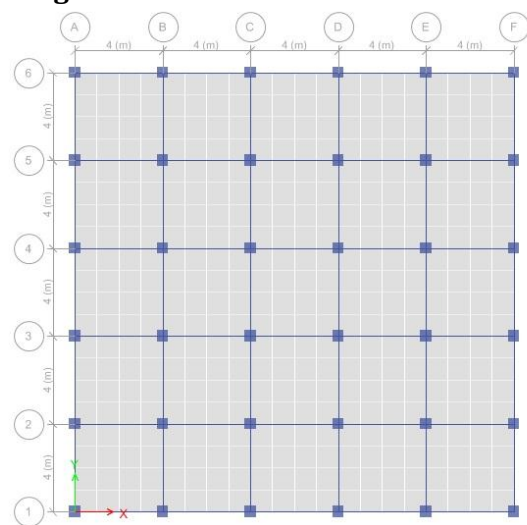


Fig. 3.1 Plan for R.C.C building

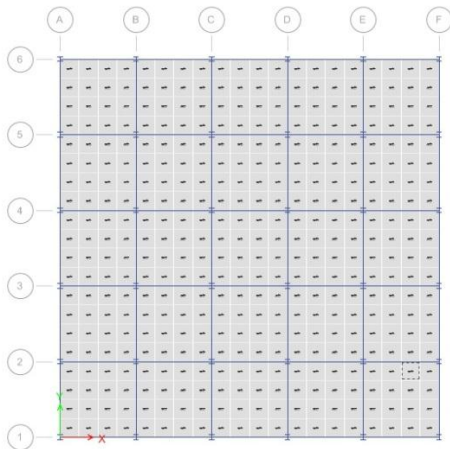
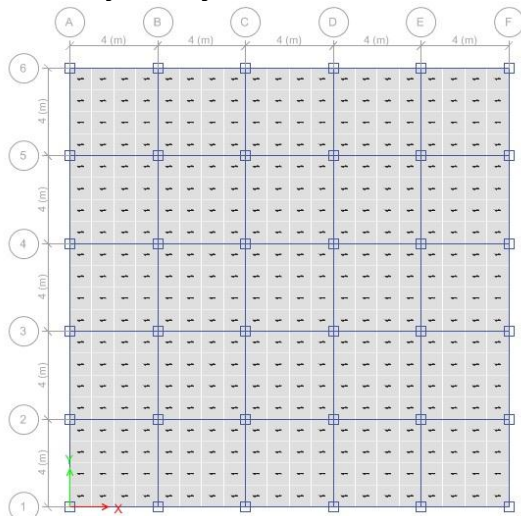


Fig. 3.2 Plan for Composite Encased Column



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Fig. 3.3 Plan for Composite Filled Tube building

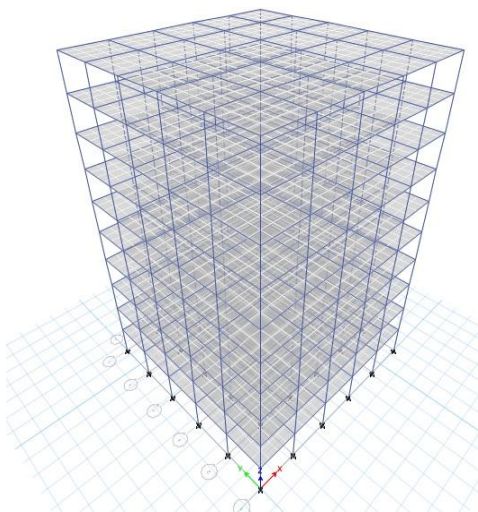


Fig. 3.4 Model of building

Table 1: Description of the RCC model

| SI. NO. | Description of the RCC model | |
|---------|-------------------------------|---------------------|
| 1 | No. of Storey | G+9 |
| 2 | Typical Floor height | 3m |
| 3 | Ground Floor height | 3m |
| 4 | Plan dimension | 20 m x 20 m |
| 5 | Beam size | 300x450 mm |
| 6 | Column size | 500x500 mm |
| 7 | Thickness of slab | 125 mm |
| 8 | Concrete grade | M 30 |
| 9 | Rebar Grade | Fe 415 |
| 10 | Dead load on slab | 1 kN/m ² |
| 11 | Live load on slab | 3 kN/m ² |
| 12 | Seismic load | As per IS 1893:2002 |
| 13 | Load Combinations | As per IS 1893:2002 |
| 14 | Seismic Zone | Zone 3 |
| 15 | Type of Soil | Medium Soil |
| 16 | Importance Factor (I) | 1 |
| 17 | Response Reduction Factor (R) | 5 |

Table 2: Description of the Composite Encased Column model

| SI. NO. | Description of the Composite Encased Column model | |
|---------|---|---------------------|
| 1 | No. of Storey | G+9 |
| 2 | Typical Floor height | 3m |
| 3 | Ground Floor height | 3m |
| 4 | Plan dimension | 20 m x 20 m |
| 5 | Beam | ISHB150-1 |
| 6 | Column size | 450x450 mm |
| 7 | Encased Steel section | ISHB 250-1 |
| 8 | Composite Profile Deck Slab thickness | 125 mm |
| 9 | Thickness of concrete above Profile Sheet | 60 mm |
| 10 | Depth of Profile Sheet | 65 mm |
| 11 | Thickness of Profile Sheet | 1 mm |
| 12 | Diameter of Shear Stud | 18 mm |
| 13 | Height of Shear Stud | 80 mm |
| 14 | Concrete grade | M 30 |
| 15 | Rebar Grade | Fe 415 |
| 16 | Dead load on slab | 1 kN/m ² |
| 17 | Live load on slab | 3 kN/m ² |

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|----|-------------------------------|---------------------|
| 18 | Seismic load | As per IS 1893:2002 |
| 19 | Load Combinations | As per IS 1893:2002 |
| 20 | Seismic Zone | Zone 3 |
| 21 | Type of Soil | Medium Soil |
| 22 | Importance Factor (I) | 1 |
| 23 | Response Reduction Factor (R) | 5 |

Table3: Description of the Composite Filled tubes model

| SI. NO. | Description of the Composite Encased Column model | |
|---------|---|---------------------------|
| 1 | No. of Storey | G+9 |
| 2 | Typical Floor height | 3m |
| 3 | Ground Floor height | 3m |
| 4 | Plan dimension | 20 m x 20 m |
| 5 | Beam | ISHB150-1 |
| 6 | Column size | 450x450 mm |
| 7 | Concrete Filled Steel tube | Flange Thickness 20 mm |
| | | Web Thickness 20 mm |
| 8 | Composite Profile Deck Slab thickness | 125 mm |
| 9 | Thickness of concrete above Profile Sheet | 60 mm |
| 10 | Depth of Profile Sheet | 65 mm |
| 11 | Thickness of Profile Sheet | 1 mm |
| 12 | Diameter of Shear Stud | 18 mm |
| 13 | Height of Shear Stud | 80 mm |
| 14 | Concrete grade | M 30 |
| 15 | Rebar Grade | Fe 415 |
| 16 | Dead load on slab | 1 kN/m ² |
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4. RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

The model was analyzed by Equivalent Static Method. The building model was then analyzed by using Etabs-2016 for

RCC, Steel Concrete Composite with Encased Column and Steel Concrete with Filled tubes. In India, IS 1893 (PART-1): 2002 is the main code that governs the outline for Seismic design force. The parameters such as Joint Displacement, Storey Drift, Storey Shear and Cost Comparisons are made as follows:

4.1 Joint Displacement

The Joint Displacements for each storey level for RCC and Encased Column, CFST structures presented in table 4.

Table 4: Joint Displacement

| Storey | RCC | Encased Column | CFST |
|--------|--------|----------------|--------|
| 10 | 17.852 | 52.288 | 49.197 |
| 9 | 17.101 | 48.296 | 44.11 |
| 8 | 15.921 | 43.622 | 38.689 |
| 7 | 14.353 | 38.171 | 32.899 |
| 6 | 12.478 | 32.029 | 26.827 |
| 5 | 10.379 | 25.403 | 20.655 |
| 4 | 8.128 | 18.593 | 14.643 |
| 3 | 5.791 | 11.997 | 9.12 |
| 2 | 3.446 | 6.148 | 4.49 |
| 1 | 1.273 | 1.791 | 1.25 |

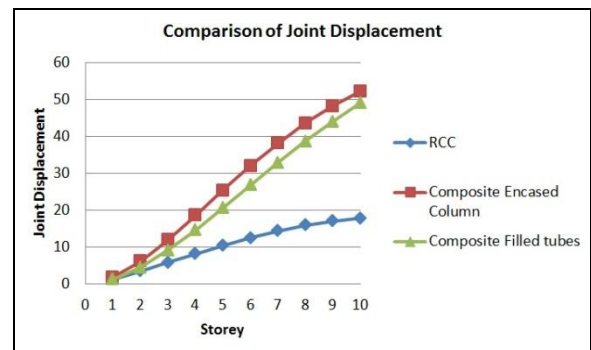


Fig.4.1 Comparison of Joint Displacement

4.2 Storey Drifts

The Storey Drifts for each storey level for RCC and Encased Column, CFST structures presented in table 5.

Table 5: Storey Drift

| Storey | RCC | Encased Column | CFST |
|--------|---------|----------------|--------|
| 10 | 0.00025 | 0.0013 | 0.0017 |
| 9 | 0.00039 | 0.0016 | 0.0018 |
| 8 | 0.00052 | 0.0018 | 0.0019 |
| 7 | 0.00063 | 0.0020 | 0.0020 |
| 6 | 0.00070 | 0.0022 | 0.0021 |
| 5 | 0.00075 | 0.0023 | 0.0020 |
| 4 | 0.00078 | 0.0022 | 0.0018 |
| 3 | 0.00078 | 0.0020 | 0.0015 |
| 2 | 0.00073 | 0.0015 | 0.0011 |
| 1 | 0.00042 | 0.0006 | 0.0004 |

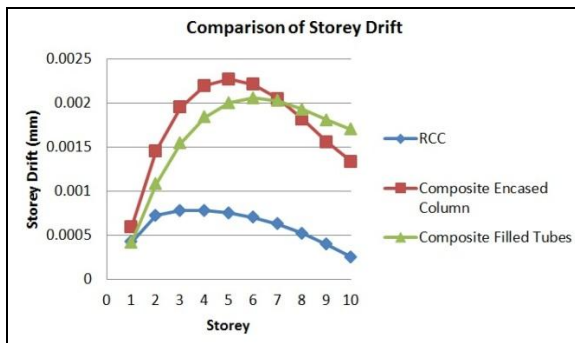


Fig.4.2 Comparison of Storey Drift

4.3 Story Shear

The Story Shear for each storey level for RCC and Encased Column, CFST structures presented in table 6.

Table 6:Storey Shear

| Storey | RCC | Encased Column | CFST |
|--------|---------|----------------|--------|
| 10 | 267.04 | 61.58 | 73.13 |
| 9 | 503.09 | 117.98 | 141.86 |
| 8 | 689.59 | 162.54 | 196.17 |
| 7 | 832.39 | 196.65 | 237.75 |
| 6 | 937.30 | 221.72 | 268.29 |
| 5 | 1010.15 | 239.13 | 289.51 |
| 4 | 1056.78 | 250.27 | 303.08 |
| 3 | 1083.01 | 256.53 | 310.72 |
| 2 | 1094.66 | 259.32 | 314.11 |
| 1 | 1097.58 | 260.01 | 314.96 |

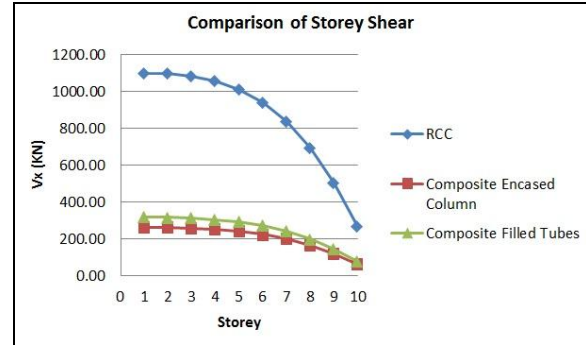


Fig.4.3 Comparison of Storey Shear

D. Comparison of cost for Composite & R.C.C. Structure:

Table 7. Cost Comparison for R.C.C and Encased Column

| Structure | RCC Structure | Encased Column | Difference In % |
|----------------|---------------|----------------|-----------------|
| Conc., | 6536147 | 2239127 | 65.7 |
| Reinf. Steel | 1447752.2 | 548391 | 62 |
| Struct., Steel | - | 7000949 | - |

Table 8. Cost Comparison for R.C.C and CFST

| Structure | RCC Structure | CFST | Difference in % |
|------------------|---------------|---------|-----------------|
| Conc., | 6536147 | 2286768 | 65 |
| Reinf., Steel | 1447752.2 | - | - |
| Structural Steel | - | 3986602 | - |

5. CONCLUSION

1. In general, Composite structures are economical than that of RCC structure.
2. Due to the inherent ductility nature of Composite structure they perform well then R.C.C structure under earthquake conditions. Structure they perform well than R.C.C structure under earthquake consideration.

3. Story drifts of composite structures are comparatively more than RC structures but within permissible limits.
4. Story Shear is low for Composite structure than with R.C.C structure but the Deflection level is within permissible limit.
5. Cost for concrete is almost 65% lower for Composite structure while comparing with R.C.C structure.
6. Joint Displacement is on higher side for Composite structure but within permissible limits.
7. For High rise building Composite structure is more economical than the conventional method.
8. Composite structure deals with indirect cost such as fast completion of work will turns to fast return on investment and no formwork is needed in case of CFST structure.

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