

SEISMIC ANALYSIS OF BOTTOM RIGID BEAM STOREY AND INTERMEDIATE SOFT STOREY HAVING MOMENT TRANSFER BEAMS

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Abstract - Usually RC framed high rise building structures are designed neglecting the effect of masonry infill walls . Whereas the masonry infill walls are used for partition . The masonry infill walls are treated as non-structural elements . RC frame structures having open first storey is known as soft storey . The intermediate soft storey is such an element where it is left open as service soft storey without infill . Therefore the soft storey located at the lower part of high rise building experience severe seismic forces being acting on them . In satellite bus stop where bottom soft storey height is more than double height , will have more undesirable impact by the seismic forces . Meanwhile the soft storey located in the upper part of high rise building does not significantly effect the overall performance compared to the performance of the fully infill frame.

Key Words: Satellite bus stop, seismic analysis of building, Soft storey, moment transfer beams, shear walls.

1.INTRODUCTION

The designing methodology of the structure , in India has led to the structure being more susceptible to seismic hazards . This has led to the consideration of seismic load into the design to give a safe and durable design to the building . The various lateral load resisting systems used are 1] Bare frame 2] shear wall 3] bracings. In high rise buildings the major matter of concern are the lateral loads , these lateral loads can induce vibrations , stresses and can cause seismic lateral sway of the structure. Due to increase in slenderness , the sway is also dominating, comparatively with high rise building.

In satellite bus stops the probability of all the undesirable effects are very severe due to the height of soft storey is double than usual, in order to avoid all undesirable effects various types of shear walls are incorporated in the project.

2. DESCRIPTION OF STRUCTURAL MODEL

The present study has 10 different models of 21 storey having 5 bays of 11 mts in X-direction and 14 bays of 6 mts in Y-direction And a bottom storey height of 10 mts and 2.2 mts of intermediate soft storey(11th storey) and 3.2 remaining all storeys.

DATA	VALUES
Zone	5 TH
soil strength	Medium
Response reduction factor	5
Importance factor	1
Modulus of elasticity of brick masonry	35X10 ⁵ kn/m ²
Youngs modulus of M25 concrete,E	25X10 ⁶ KN/M ²
Young's modulus of M35 concrete,E	35X10 ⁶ KN/M ²
Density of brick masonry	20
GRADE OF CONCRETE	
For beams and slabs	M25
For columns and Shear walls	M35
LOADS	
Floor finish	2 kn/m ²
impose loads	4 kn/m ²
SLAB THICKNESS	
storeys 1 to 15	150 mm
storeys 16 to 21	125mm
COLUMN SIZE	
storeys 1 to 15	0.9X1.5 m
storeys 16 to 21	0.75X1.5 m
BEAM SIZE	
Main beams (y -direction)	0.3X0.9 m
Moment transfer beams(x-direction)	0.3X0.6 m
Edge beams	0.3X0.6 m
Bottom main beams (y-direction)	0.3X1.5 m
Thickness of masoanry wall	0.23 m
Thickness of concrete wall	0.23 m

Table 1: Description of structural model

3. MODELS FOR ANALYSIS

A total of 10 models being analyzed by Time History Analysis (THA) using ETABS 2016.

- MODEL 1: Bare frame without shear walls and masonry infills.
- MODEL 2: Bare frame with C type shear wall.
- MODEL 3: Bare frame with L type shear wall.
- MODEL 4: Bare frame with I type shear wall.
- MODEL 5: Bare frame with Swasthika type shear wall.
- MODEL 6: Frame with masonry infill walls .
- MODEL 7: Frame with masonry infill along with C type shear wall.
- MODEL 8: Frame with masonry infill along with L type shear wall.
- MODEL 9: Frame with masonry infill along with I type shear wall.
- MODEL 10: Frame with masonry infill along with Swasthika type shear wall.

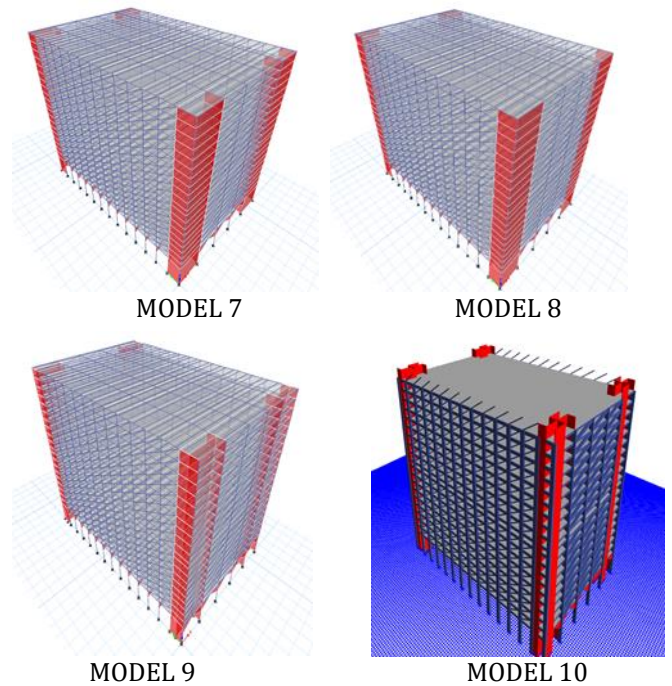


Fig 1: Models

4. RESULTS AND DISCUSSIONS

Ten models have been analyzed by Time History Analysis[THA]] for parameters such as fundamental time period, base shear, storey displacement, storey drift & storey acceleration. The highest values from the model are taken for comparison. The various results are listed below.

4.1 Fundamental Time period.

Fundamental time period (in sec)	
MODEL No	Time Period
1	9.998
2	2.216
3	2.612
4	2.23
5	2.219
6	1.841
7	1.318
8	0.431
9	1.3
10	0.352

TABLE 2: Fundamental time period for various models.

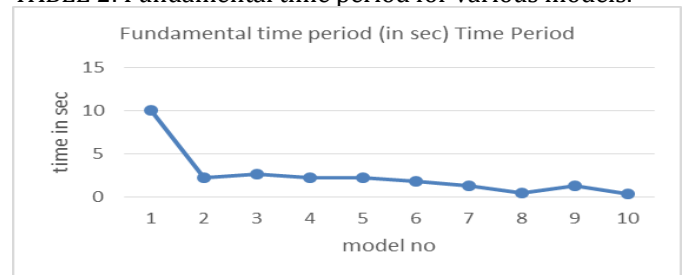
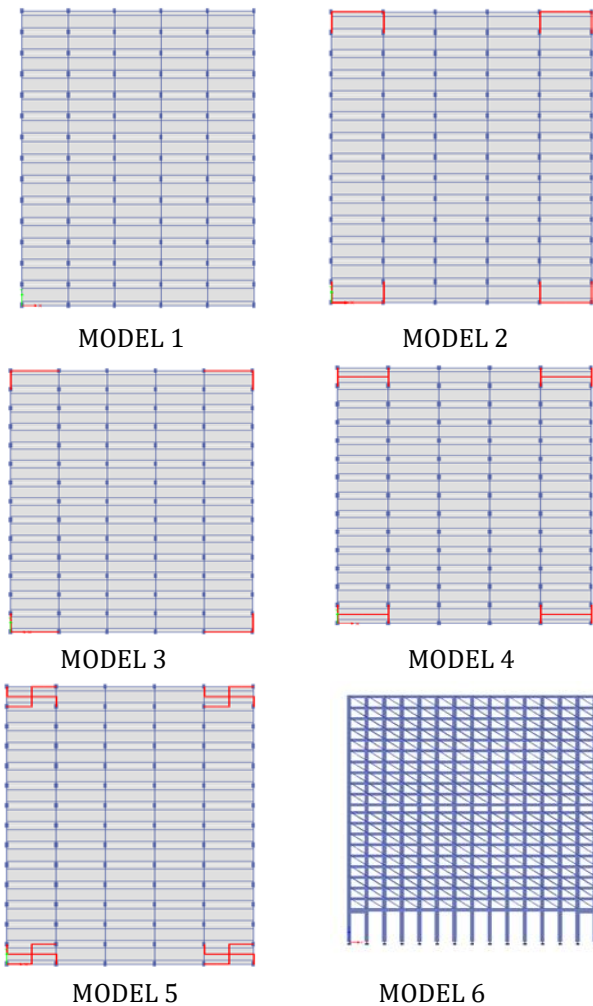


Fig 2: Time period v/s model no. of all the models.



All objects have natural time period, which means the time taken by the object to move to and fro. We can see when the pendulum is pushed it moves to and fro at its own pace, with its own time period, same way the ground also moves in the same time period. This can become a serious problem if the ground and the building experiences the same time period. Resonance is said to occur if the ground and building oscillates at the same time period. This is the state of time when disasters are said to occur if the time period of ground and building matches and are equal. A smaller building will swing back and froth quickly, and the taller building will move back and froth bit slow comparatively. Therefore less time period will be more catastrophic. Therefore height of the building is the important component in time period.

From table 1 time period for for model 1 is 9.998, which is very large compared to all other models . For model 2,3,4,5 the time period reduces by 77.83%, 73.87%,77.69%, 77.80% respectively. The time period further reduces for model 6,7,8,9,10, comparing to the model 1 by 81.58%, 86.81%,95.69%, 86.99%, 96.48% respectively.

From table 1 the time period by ETABS values are differing for different models . Thus it can be concluded that presence of concrete shear wall and brick masonry infill walls considerably reduces the time period of the building.

4.2 Base shear

MODEL NO.	Base shear in KN
	THA
1	28744.9095
2	69625.9284
3	54668.5065
4	66770.676
5	80124.7796
6	68638.4977
7	120358.1666
8	189906.4118
9	133275.1369
10	208395.8281

Table 3: comparison of highest values of base shear among all the models by THA.

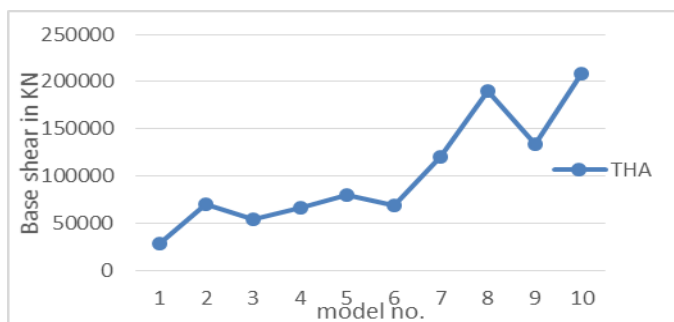


Fig3: base shear v/s model in x-direction.

MODEL NO.	Base shear in KN
	THA
1	80020.2368
2	71660.6646
3	68201.3202
4	73840.2182
5	76829.622
6	201650
7	244927
8	193590
9	252539
10	229786

Table 4: comparison of highest values of base shear along y-direction by THA.

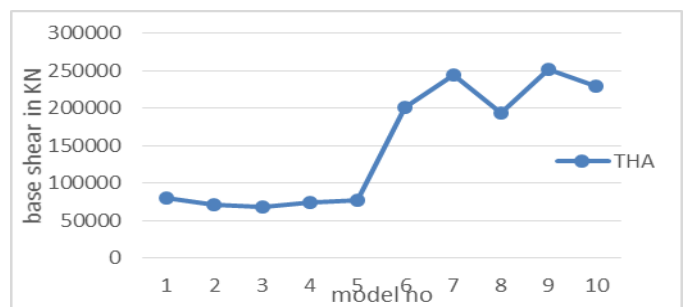


Fig4: Base shear v/s model in y-direction.

4.3 Storey Displacement

MODEL NO.	Displacements in mm
	THA
1	417.451
2	114.3
3	144.9
4	111.6
5	100
6	56.6
7	74.6
8	10.4
9	76.3
10	10.5

Table 5: comparison of highest values of displacements in x-direction by THA.

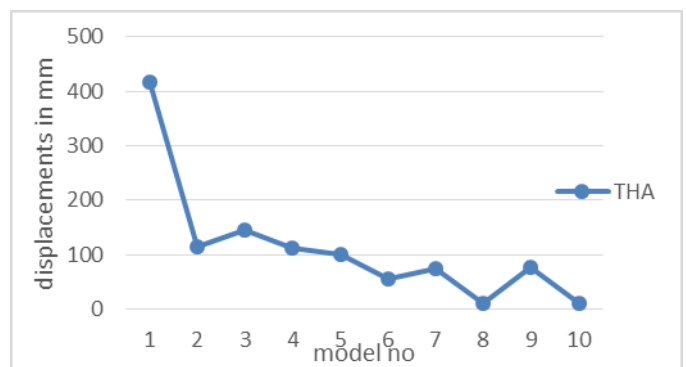


Fig 5: Displacements v/s model in x-direction.

MODEL NO.	Displacements in mm
	THA
1	99.488
2	101.1
3	98
4	100.7
5	99.7
6	55.3
7	33.4
8	7
9	34.1
10	7.7

Table 6: comparison of highest values of displacements in Y-direction by THA

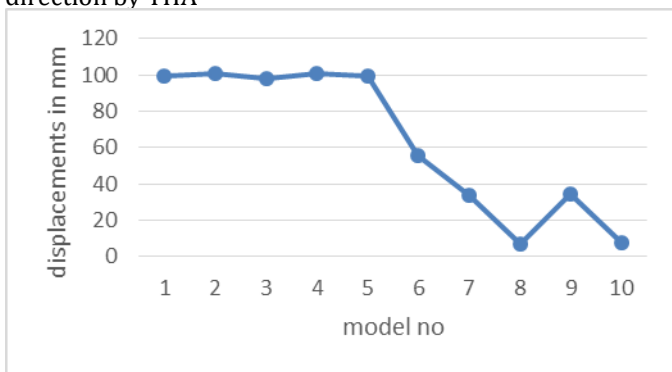


Fig 6: Displacements v/s models in Y-direction.

The maximum displacements at every storey with respective to the ground storey is given in the tabulated format from ETABS. The graph are also given in the form of charts to understand the behaviour of the building along X & Y direction.

Model 1 has highest displacements values along X-direction compared to the other models .Due to the added shear walls in model 2,3,4,5 the displacements values are reduced to 72.62%, 65.28%, 73.26%, 76.04% respectively. Due to the added masoanry infills to the models 6,7,8,9,10 the displacement values are reduced to 86.44%, 82.12%, 97.05%, 81.72%, 97.48% respectively. The displacements values are not so drastically varying along the Y-direction as in the case of X-direction . This can also reveal that due to higher stiffness along the Y-direction the dislacements values are least and varies gradually as per the stiffness of the structure.

Thus it can be concluded that inclusions of shear wall and masonry infills the drift and displacements values can be reduced in Reinforced concrete buildings .

4.4 Storey Drift

MODEL NO.	Drift in m
	THA
1	0.010781
2	0.002756
3	0.003333
4	0.002659
5	0.002491
6	0.003452
7	0.002359
8	0.000354
9	0.002407
10	0.000296

Table 7: Comparison of highest values of Drift along X-direction by THA.

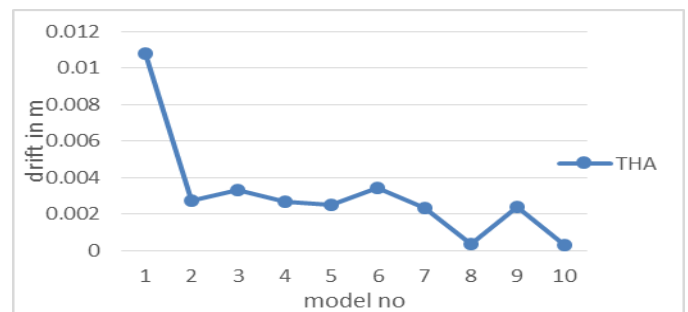


Fig 7: Drift values v/s models along X-direction.

MODEL NO.	Drift in m
	THA
1	0.000965
2	0.001278
3	0.00159
4	0.001395
5	0.001342
6	0.003769
7	0.002222
8	0.001052
9	0.002554
10	0.001044

Table 8: comparison of highest drift values along Y-direction by THA.

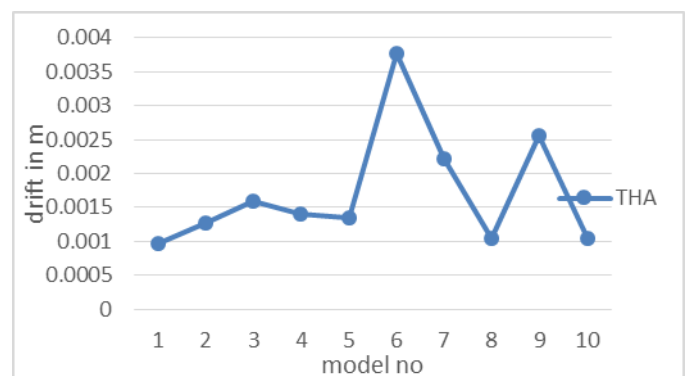


Fig 8: Drift values v/s models in Y-direction.

The permissible storey drift according to the IS1893-2002 is limited to the 0.004 times the storey height. So that the very minimum damage take place when earthquake occur. The drift for various building models along longitudinal and transverse direction obtained by ESA shown in above table.

By comparing all the models, we can say that bare frame model experience more drift than the frame with masonry infill and shear wall. The drift values is more at the bottom soft storey and it goes on reducing as we go up the higher stories, and it dips slightly at the intermediate soft storey . If stiffness is more than the drift values are less. Hence we can conclude that shear wall and masonry infill will significantly reduces the drift values.

4.5 Storey Acceleration.

MODEL NO.	Acceleration in mm/sec ²
	THA
1	2095.84
2	2173.63
3	2215.42
4	2340.61
5	2387.99
6	1878.44
7	3075.02
8	3860.97
9	3712.32
10	4607.32

Table 9: comparison of highest value of acceleration in X-direction of all the models by THA.

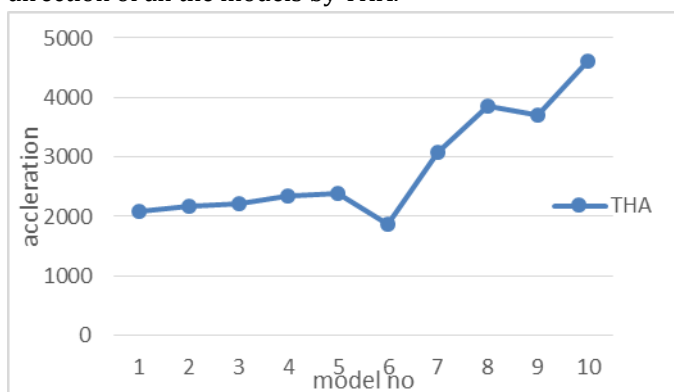


Fig 9: acceleration along X-direction .

From table 9 we can conclude that model which is stiffened with masoanry infill and to which swasthika type shear wall is provided ,showing highest storey acceleration among all other models in the X-direction

MODEL NO.	Acceleration in mm/sec ²
	THA
1	1797.63
2	2005.08
3	1957.79

4	2155.55
5	1815.87
6	2435.42
7	3397.12
8	3614.65
9	3777.15
10	5724.4

Table 10: comparision of highest values of acceleration (mm/sec²) in Y-direction by THA.

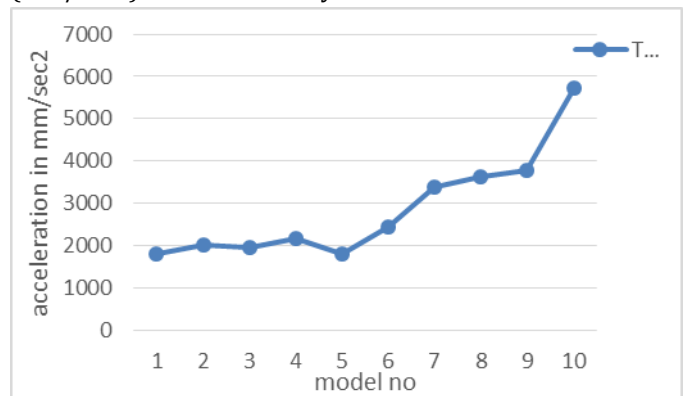


Fig10: acceleration along Y-direction.

5. CONCLUSIONS:

1. Fundamental time period decreases when the effect of masonry infill wall and concrete shear wall is considered.
2. The RC frame model 1(bare frame) having highest value of time period compared to masonry infill with soft Story.
3. Fundamental time period decreases when the stiffness of masonry infill and concrete shear wall is considered.
4. The time period of model 10 is least due to increase in stiffness by both masonry infill and also shear wall.
5. The presence of masonry infill and shear wall in the structure reduces the Story drifts.
6. Story displacements are more for the bare frame model and the inclusion of shear wall reduces the displacements.

7. Providing shear wall at all end corners of the building in X and Y direction significantly improves all parameters in the analysis.
 8. Seismic base shear is considerably more for masonry infill and shear wall models as compared with bare frame model.
 9. The Story drifts are found within the limit as specified by the code IS 1893 (Part 1):2002.
 10. The storey masonry infill and also with swasthika type shear wall has got highest value of storey acceleration along X & Y direction.
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