



CE 416
Prestressed Concrete Sessional
(Lab Manual)



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Preface

The idea of prestressed concrete has been developed around the latter decades of the 19th century, but its use was limited by the quality of the materials at that time. It took until the 1920s and '30s for its materials development to progress to a level where prestressed concrete could be used with confidence. Currently many bridges and skyscrapers are designed as prestressed structures. This manual intends to provide a general overview about the design procedure of a two way post tensioned slab and a girder. To provide a complete idea, the stress computation, the reinforcement detailing, shear design, the jacking procedure etc. are discussed in details.

This Lab manual was prepared with the help of the renowned text book "Design of Prestressed Concrete Structures", 3rd Edition by T.Y. Lin and Ned H. Burns. The design steps for a two way post-tensioned slab was prepared according to the simple hand calculation provided by PCA (Portland Cement Association) as well as the ACI 318-05 code requirements. The design steps for a post-tensioned composite bridge girder were prepared with the help of several sample design calculation demonstrated in different PC structure design books and seminar papers. It has been done in accordance with AASHTO LRFD Bridge Design Specifications.

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1. INTRODUCTION

Prestressed concrete is a method for overcoming concrete's natural weakness in tension. It can be used to produce beams, floors or bridges with a longer span than is practical with ordinary reinforced concrete. Prestressing tendons (generally of high tensile steel cable or rods) are used to provide a clamping load which produces a compressive stress that balances the tensile stress that the concrete compression member would otherwise experience due to a bending load. Traditional reinforced concrete is based on the use of steel reinforcement bars, rebars, inside poured concrete.

Prestressing can be accomplished in three ways:

- Pre-tensioned concrete,
- Bonded or
- Unbonded post-tensioned concrete.

Pre-tensioned concrete

Pre-tensioned concrete is cast around already tensioned tendons. This method produces a good bond between the tendon and concrete, which both protects the tendon from corrosion and allows for direct transfer of tension. The cured concrete adheres and bonds to the bars and when the tension is released it is transferred to the concrete as compression by static friction. However, it requires stout anchoring points between which the tendon is to be stretched and the tendons are usually in a straight line. Thus, most pre-tensioned concrete elements are prefabricated in a factory and must be transported to the construction site, which limits their size. Pre-tensioned elements may be balcony elements, lintels, floor slabs, beams or foundation piles.

Bonded post-tensioned concrete

Bonded post-tensioned concrete is the descriptive term for a method of applying compression after pouring concrete and the curing process (*in situ*). The concrete is cast around a plastic, steel or aluminium curved duct, to follow the area where otherwise tension would occur in the concrete element. A set of tendons are fished through the duct and the concrete is poured. Once the concrete has hardened, the tendons are tensioned by hydraulic jacks that react against the concrete member itself. When the tendons have stretched sufficiently, according to the design specifications (see Hooke's law), they are wedged in position and maintain tension after the jacks are removed, transferring pressure to the concrete. The duct is then grouted to protect the tendons from corrosion. This method is commonly used to create monolithic slabs for house construction in locations where expansive soils (such as adobe clay) create problems for the typical perimeter foundation. All stresses from seasonal expansion and contraction of the underlying soil are taken into the entire tensioned slab, which supports the building without significant flexure. Post-

tensioning is also used in the construction of various bridges, both after concrete is cured after support by falsework and by the assembly of prefabricated sections, as in the segmental bridge. The advantages of this system over un-bonded post-tensioning are:

1. Large reduction in traditional reinforcement requirements as tendons cannot distress in accidents.
2. Tendons can be easily 'weaved' allowing a more efficient design approach.
3. Higher ultimate strength due to bond generated between the strand and concrete.
4. No long term issues with maintaining the integrity of the anchor/dead end.

Un-bonded post-tensioned concrete

Un-bonded post-tensioned concrete differs from bonded post-tensioning by providing each individual cable permanent freedom of movement relative to the concrete. To achieve this, each individual tendon is coated with a grease (generally lithium based) and covered by a plastic sheathing formed in an extrusion process. The transfer of tension to the concrete is achieved by the steel cable acting against steel anchors embedded in the perimeter of the slab. The main disadvantage over bonded post-tensioning is the fact that a cable can distress itself and burst out of the slab if damaged (such as during repair on the slab). The advantages of this system over bonded post-tensioning are:

1. The ability to individually adjust cables based on poor field conditions (For example: shifting a group of 4 cables around an opening by placing 2 to either side).
2. The procedure of post-stress grouting is eliminated.
3. The ability to de-stress the tendons before attempting repair work.

Applications:

- Prestressed concrete is the predominating material for floors in high-rise buildings and the entire containment vessels of nuclear reactors.
- Un-bonded post-tensioning tendons are commonly used in parking garages as barrier cable. Also, due to its ability to be stressed and then de-stressed, it can be used to temporarily repair a damaged building by holding up a damaged wall or floor until permanent repairs can be made.
- The advantages of prestressed concrete include crack control and lower construction costs; thinner slabs - especially important in high rise buildings in

which floor thickness savings can translate into additional floors for the same (or lower) cost and fewer joints, since the distance that can be spanned by post-tensioned slabs exceeds that of reinforced constructions with the same thickness. Increasing span lengths increases the usable unencumbered floorspace in buildings; diminishing the number of joints leads to lower maintenance costs over the design life of a building, since joints are the major focus of weakness in concrete buildings.

- The first prestressed concrete bridge in North America was the Walnut Lane Memorial Bridge in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. It was completed and opened to traffic in 1951. Prestressing can also be accomplished on circular concrete pipes used for water transmission. High tensile strength steel wire is helically-wrapped around the outside of the pipe under controlled tension and spacing which induces a circumferential compressive stress in the core concrete. This enables the pipe to handle high internal pressures and the effects of external earth and traffic loads.

Design Example of a Post-tensioned Composite Bridge Girder

General

This chapter demonstrates the detailed design and analysis of a 73 m span Prestressed Post-tensioned I/Bulb Tee Girder. An interior girder of a double lane bridge having total width of 9.8 m and carriage width of 7.3 m is considered as per our national standard of double lane highway. The design follows AASHTO LFRD Bridge Design Specifications and California Department of Transportation (CalTrans) Bridge Design Practice. (All dimensions are in mm unless otherwise stated)

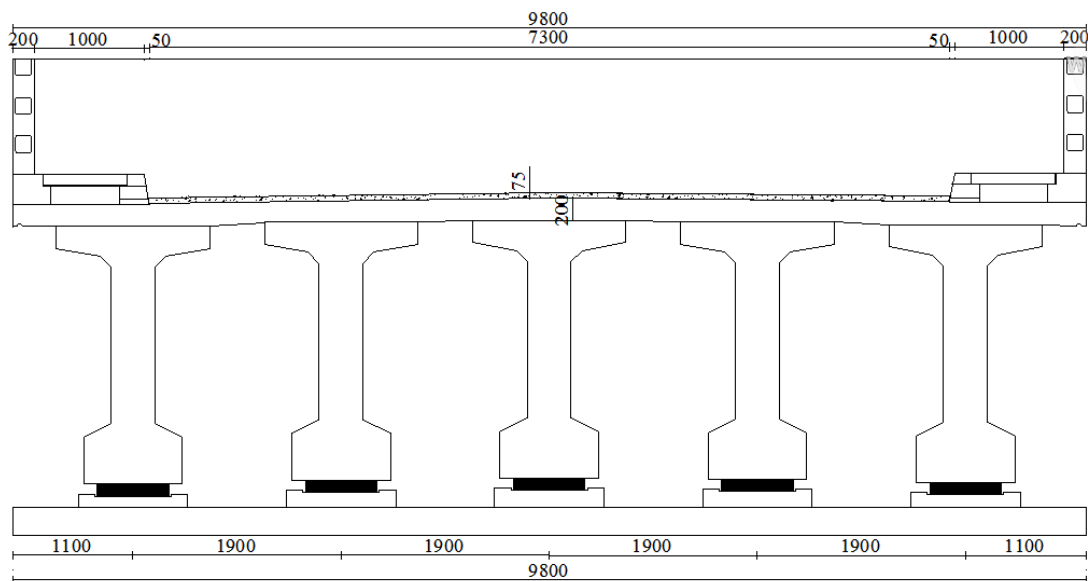


Figure 1 Cross-Section of Deck Slab and Girder

Specifications

Girder Details

Girder Location	=	Interior Girder
Girder Type	=	Post-tensioned I Girder (Cast-in-situ)
Overall Span Length	=	73 m
CL of Bearing	=	0.45 m
Effective Span Length	=	72.1 m
Girder Depth without Slab	=	$3.5 \text{ m} \geq 0.045 \times 73 - 0.2 \text{ (Deck)} = 3.085 \text{ m}$ [AASHTO `07, Table 2.5.2.6.3-1]
Nos. of Girder	=	5
Spacing of Main Girder	=	1.9m

Deck Slab

Thickness	=	0.2m
Total width	=	9.8m
Carriage way	=	7.3 m
Nos. of Lane	=	2
Thickness of WC	=	0.075 m

Cross Girder

Number of Cross Girder	=	10
Depth	=	3.2 m
Thickness of Interior Cross Girder	=	0.35 m
Thickness of Exterior Cross Girder	=	0.60 m

Concrete Material Properties

Strength of Girder Concrete, f'_c	=	45 MPa [28 days Cylinder Strength]
Strength at 1 st Stage, f'_{ci}	=	45x66% = 30 MPa [10-14 days]
Strength at 2 nd Stage, f'_{ci}	=	45x90% = 40 MPa [21 days]
Strength of Deck Slab	=	40 MPa [28 days Cylinder Strength]
Unit Weight of Concrete	=	24 KN/m ³
Unit Weight of WC	=	23 KN/m ³
MOE of Girder, E_c	=	4800√45 = 32200 MPa
MOE of Girder 1 st Stage, E_{ci}	=	4800√30 = 26290 MPa
MOE of Girder 2 nd Stage, E_{ci}	=	4800√40 = 30358 MPa
MOE of Deck Slab, E_c	=	4800√40 = 30358 MPa

Prestressing Material Properties

Anchorage Type	=	19K15
Strand Details	=	[15.24 mm dia. 7 Ply low relaxation]
Nos. of Strand	=	19
Ultimate Strength of Strand, f_{pu}	=	1860 MPa
Yield Strength, f_y	=	0.9 f_{pu} = 1674 MPa
MOE of Strand, E_s	=	197000 MPa
Area of each Strand	=	140 mm ²
Area of each Cable	=	140 x 19 = 2660 mm ²
Jacking Force per Cable	=	1395 x 2660 = 3710 KN ≤ 0.9 f_y [AASHTO `07, Table 5.9.3-1]
Number of Cable Initially Assumed	=	9 Nos.
Cable in 1 st Stage	=	7 Nos.
Cable in 2 nd Stage	=	2 Nos.
Cable Orientation	=	Cable 3-9, 1 st & Cable 1-2, 2 nd Stage

Calculation of Section Properties Non-Composite Section

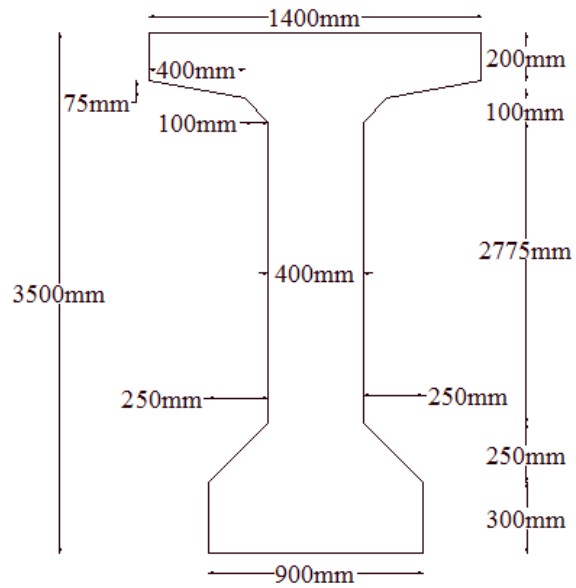


Figure -2 Non-Composite Section at Middle

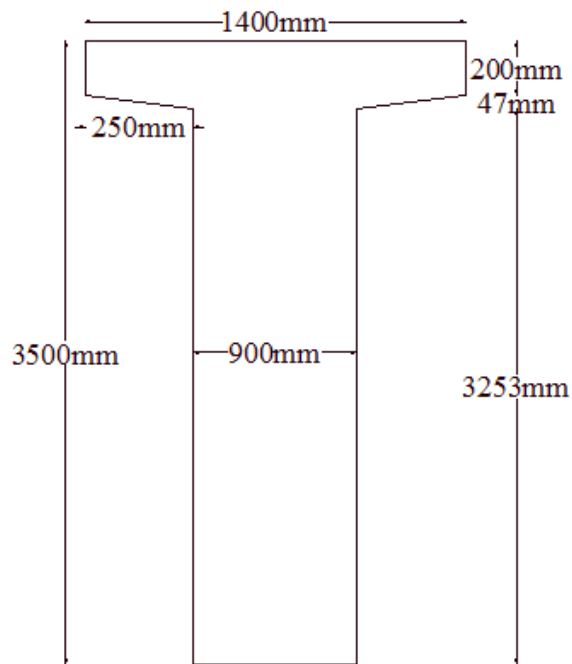









Figure -3 Non-Composite Section at End

Table -1 Section Property of Non-Composite

Part	Size	B	h	A	Y	Ay	Y _N	I	Y _b	AY _b ²
Unit		Mm	mm	mm ²	mm	mm ³	m m	mm ⁴	m m	mm ⁴
1		1400	200	2.8x10 ⁵	3400	0.952x10 ⁹	1797	9.33x10 ⁸	-1603	7.2x10 ¹¹
2		600	75	45000	3262	1.47x10 ⁸		2.11x10 ⁷	-1465	9.66x10 ¹⁰
3		400	75	30000	3275	0.98x10 ⁸		9.38x10 ⁶	-1478	6.55x10 ¹⁰
4		100	100	10000	3192	3.2x10 ⁷		5.56x10 ⁶	-1395	1.95x10 ¹⁰
5		400	2925	1.17x10 ⁶	1763	2.062x10 ⁹		8.34x10 ¹¹	34	1.35x10 ⁹
6		250	250	62500	383	2.4x10 ⁷		2.17x10 ⁸	1414	1.25x10 ¹¹
7		900	300	270000	150	4.1x10 ⁷		2.03x10 ⁹	1647	7.32x10 ¹¹
Total				Σ1.868 x10 ⁶		Σ3.36 x10 ⁹		Σ8.37 x10 ¹¹		Σ1.76x10 ¹²

Here,

$$\begin{aligned}
 Y_b &= 1.797 \text{ m} \\
 Y_t &= 1.703 \text{ m} \\
 \text{Area} &= 1.868 \text{ m}^2 \\
 \text{MOI}_{\text{girder}, I_c} &= 2.597 \text{ m}^4 \\
 \text{Section Modulus}_b, Z_b &= 1.445 \text{ m}^3 \\
 \text{Section Modulus}_t, Z_t &= 1.525 \text{ m}^3 \\
 \text{Kern Point}_t, K_t &= 0.774 \text{ m} \\
 \text{Kern Point}_b, K_b &= 0.817 \text{ m}
 \end{aligned}$$

Composite Section

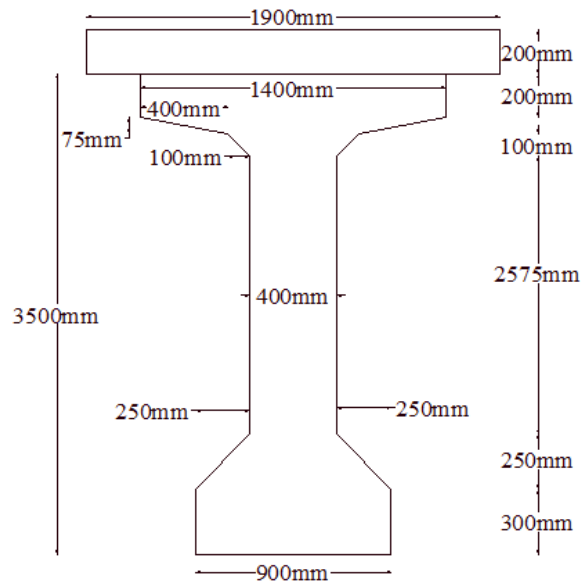


Figure-4 Composite Section at Middle

Modular Ratio, MOE of slab/girder	=	0.94
Effective Flange Width	=	1.9 m
Transformed Flange Width	=	$0.94 \times 1.9 = 1.80 \text{ m}$
Transformed Flange Area	=	$0.94 \times 1.9 \times .2 = 0.36 \text{ m}^2$

Table -2 Section Property of Composite

Part	A	Y	Ay	Y_N	I	Y_b	Ay_b^2
	m^2	m	m^3	m	m^4	m	m^4
Girder	1.868	1.797	3.356	2.087	2.597	0.29	0.157
Slab	0.358	3.6	1.288		1.194×10^{-3}	-1.513	0.8195
Total	$\Sigma 2.226$		$\Sigma 4.64$		$\Sigma 2.598$		$\Sigma 0.9765$

Here,

Y'_b	=	2.09 m
Y'_t	=	1.41 m
Y'_{ts}	=	1.61 m
Area	=	2.23 m^2
$\text{MOI}_{\text{girder}}, I'_c$	=	3.58 m^4
Section Modulus _b , Z'_b	=	1.71 m^3
Section Modulus _t , Z'_t	=	2.53 m^3
Section Modulus _{ts} , Z'_{ts}	=	2.22 m^3
Kern Point _t , K'_t	=	0.77 m
Kern Point _b , K'_b	=	1.14 m
Constant Factor _t , m_t	=	0.60 m
Constant Factor _b , m_b	=	0.84 m

Concrete Volume in PC girder

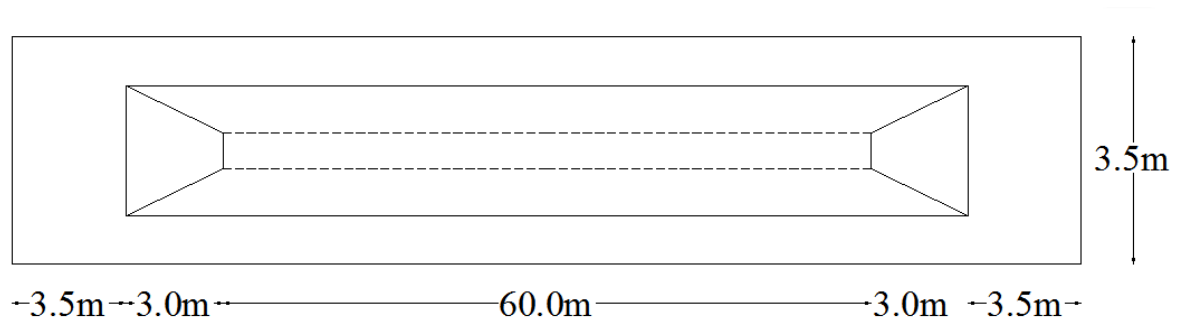


Figure-5 Elevation of PC Girder

Area of Mid-Block	=	1.87 m^2
Area of End Block	=	3.26 m^2
Area of Slopped Block	=	2.56 m^2
Total Volume of Girder	=	$3.26 \times 2 \times 3.5 + 2.56 \times 2 \times 3 + 1.87 \times 60$
	=	150.27 m^3

Moment & Shear Calculation

Calculation of Dead Load Moment

a) Dead Load Moment due to Girder

Load from Mid-Block	=	$1.87 \times 24 = 44.82 \text{ KN/m}$
Load from End Block	=	$3.26 \times 24 = 78.28 \text{ KN/m}$
Load from Slopped Block	=	$(44.82 + 78.28) / 2 = 61.55 \text{ KN/m}$

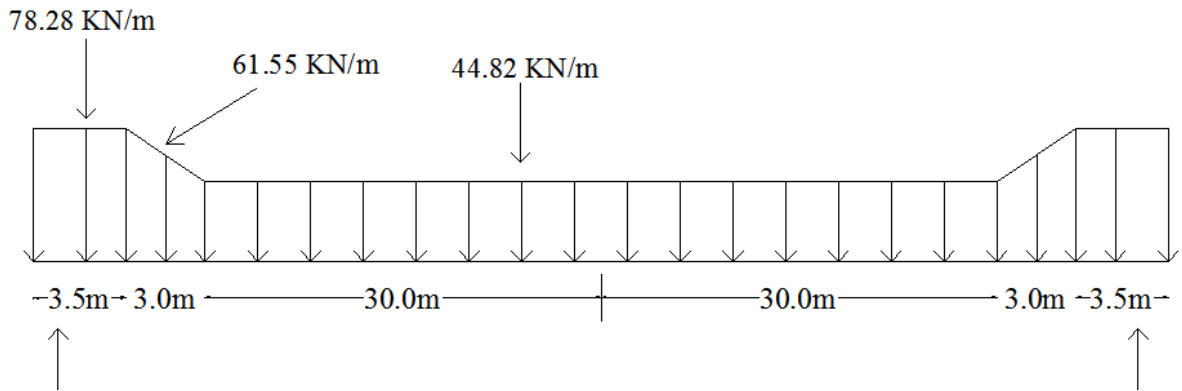


Figure-6 Self Weight of Girder

$$\text{Reaction at Support, } R_A = 78.28 \times 3.5 + 61.55 \times 3 + 44.82 \times 30 = 1803.21 \text{ KN}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Moment at Mid, } M_{L/2} &= 1803.21 \times 36.05 - (78.28 \times 3.5 \times 34.75) - \\ &\quad (0.5 \times 3 \times 33.46 \times 32) - (44.82 \times 33 \times 16.5) = 29475.02 \text{ KN} - \text{m} \end{aligned}$$

b) Dead Load Moment due to Cross Girder

$$\text{Load from Exterior} = 3.2 \times 1.5 \times 0.6 \times 24 = 69.12 \text{ KN}$$

$$\text{Load from Interior} = 3.2 \times 1.5 \times 0.35 \times 24 = 40.32 \text{ KN}$$

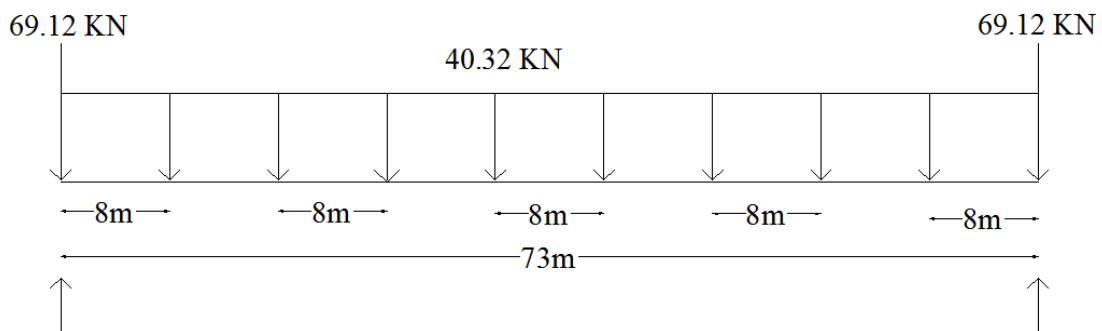


Figure-7 Load due to Cross Girder

$$\text{Reaction from Support, } R_A = \frac{(69.12 \times 2 + 40.32 \times 8)}{2} = 230.4 \text{ KN}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Moment at Mid, } M_L &= \frac{230.4 \times 36.05 - 69.12 \times 36.05 - 40.32 \times}{2} \\ &\quad (28.05 + 20.05 + 12.05 + 4.05) = 3329.28 \text{ KN} - \text{m} \end{aligned}$$

c) Dead Load Moment due to Deck Slab

$$\text{Load from Deck, } w = 1.9 \times 0.2 \times 24 = 9.12 \text{ KN/m}$$

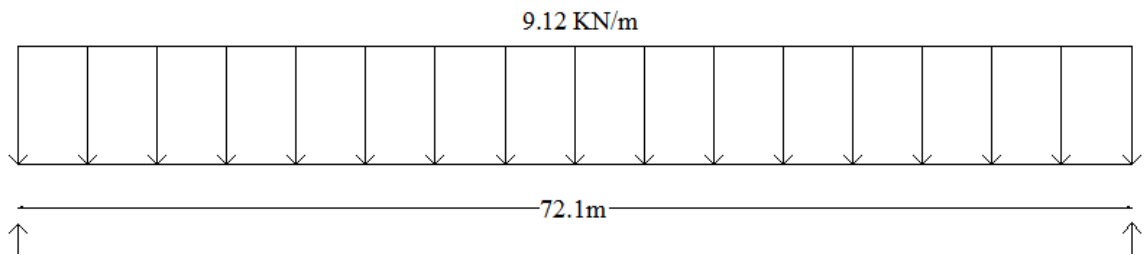


Figure -8 Self Weight of Deck Slab

$$\text{Moment at Mid, } M_{L/2} = wL^2/8 = (9.12 \times 72.1^2)/8 = 5926.19 \text{ KN-m}$$

d) Dead Load Moment due to Wearing Course

$$\text{Load from WC, } w = 1.9 \times 0.075 \times 23 = 3.42 \text{ KN/m}$$

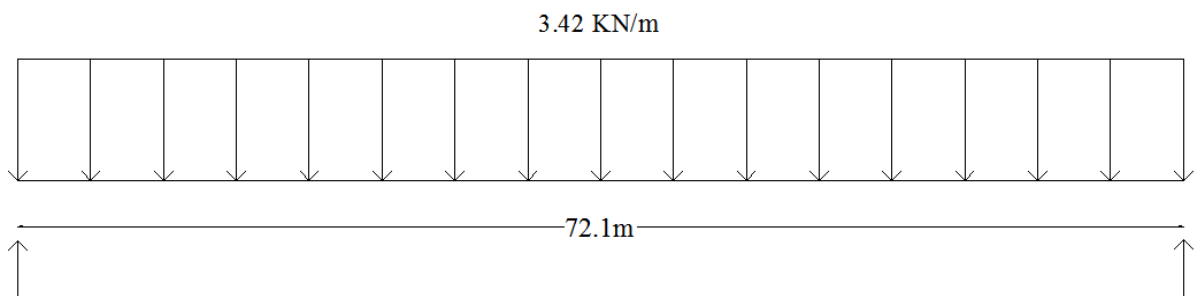


Figure -9 Self Weight of Wearing Course

$$\text{Moment at Mid, } M_{L/2} = wL^2/8 = (3.42 \times 72.1^2)/8 = 2222.32 \text{ KN-m}$$

e) Total Dead Load Moment

$$\begin{aligned} M_{DL} &= \text{Girder} + \text{Cross Girder} + \text{Deck Slab} + \text{WC} \\ &= 29475.02 + 3329.28 + 5926.19 + 2222.32 \\ &= 40952.8116 \text{ KN-m} \end{aligned}$$

f) Total Factored Dead Load Moment

$$\begin{aligned} M_{FDL} &= (29475.02 + 3329.28 + 5926.19) \times 1.25 + 2222.32 \times 1.5 \\ &\quad \text{[ASTHO `07, Table 3.4.1-2]} \\ &= 51746.60 \text{ KN-m} \end{aligned}$$

Calculation of Live Load Moment

According to AASTHO LRFD HL 93 loading, each design lane should occupy either by the design truck or design tandem and lane load, which will be effective 3000mm transversely within a design lane. [AASTHO `07 3.6.1.2.1]

a) Distribution Factor for Moment

One Design Lane Loaded: $0.06 + \left(\frac{S}{4300}\right)^{0.4} \left(\frac{S}{L}\right)^{0.3} \left(\frac{K_g}{Lt_s^3}\right)^{0.1}$	$1100 \leq S \leq 4900$ $110 \leq t_s \leq 300$ $6000 \leq L \leq 73\ 000$ $N_b \geq 4$ $4 \times 10^9 \leq K_g \leq 3 \times 10^{12}$
Two or More Design Lanes Loaded: $0.075 + \left(\frac{S}{2900}\right)^{0.6} \left(\frac{S}{L}\right)^{0.2} \left(\frac{K_g}{Lt_s^3}\right)^{0.1}$	
use lesser of the values obtained from the equation above with $N_b = 3$ or the lever rule	$N_b = 3$

[AASTHO `07, Table 4.6.2.2.2b-1]

Here,

$$K_g = n (I + A e_g^2) \quad (4.6.2.2.1-1)$$

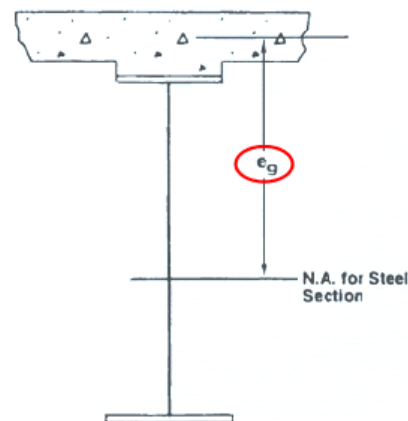
n = modular ratio

I = moment of inertia of steel girder

A = area of steel girder

e_g = distance between centers of gravity of steel girder and concrete deck

$\left(\frac{K_g}{Lt_s^3}\right)$ term may be taken as 1.0 for preliminary design



$$K_g = \frac{\sqrt{45}}{\sqrt{40}} \{3.58 + 2.23(1.61 - 0.1)^2\} = 9.20$$

$$DFM = 0.075 + \left(\frac{1.9}{2.9}\right)^{0.6} + \left(\frac{1.9}{72.1}\right)^{0.2} \left(\frac{9.20}{72.1 \times 0.2^3}\right)^{0.1} = 0.57$$

b) Moment due to truck load

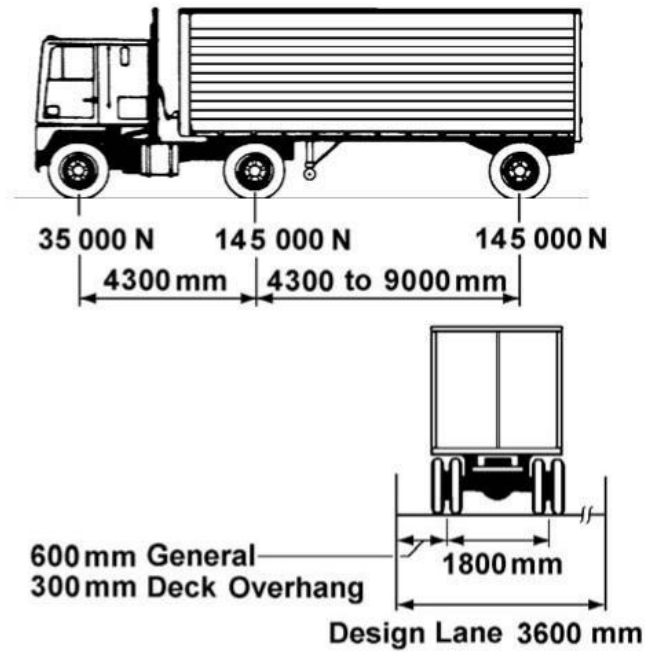


Figure-10 AASTHO HL-93 Truck Loading

Rear Wheel Load	= 145xDFM	= 145x0.57	= 82.59 KN
Front Wheel Load	= 35xDFM	= 35x0.57	= 19.93 KN

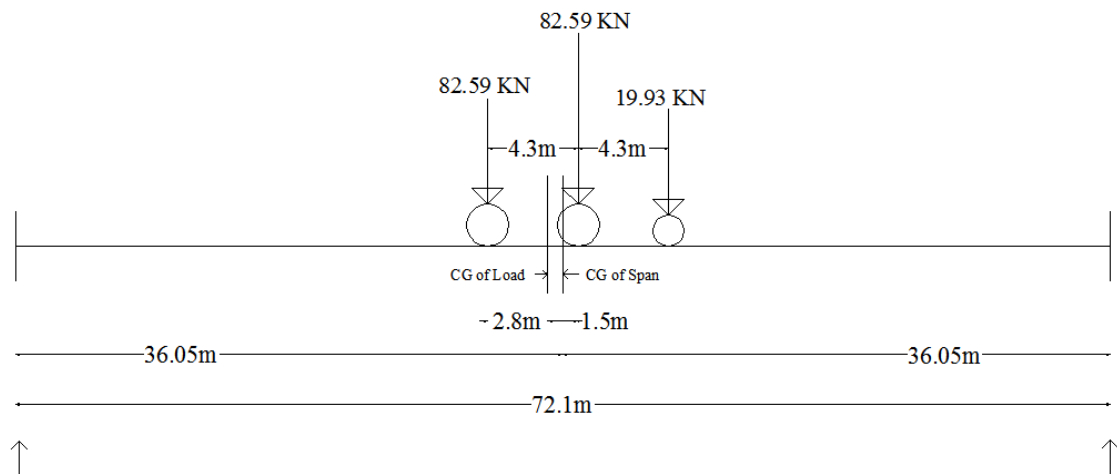


Figure-11 Truck Load

$$\text{CG of Load} = \frac{82.59 * 0 + 82.59 * 4.3 + 19.93 * 8.6}{82.59 * 2 + 19.93} = 2.84 \text{ m}$$

$$\text{Reaction, } R_A = \frac{82.59 * 39.62 + 82.59 * 35.32 + 19.93 * 31.02}{72.1} = 94.42 \text{ KN}$$

$$\text{Moment at Mid, } M_{L/2} = 94.42 * 36.05 - 82.59 * (4.3 - 0.73) = 3108.83 \text{ KN-m}$$

$$\text{Impact Moment} = 3108.83 * 0.33 = 1025.91 \text{ KN-m}$$

[AASTHO`07, Table 3.6.2.1-1]

$$\text{Total Live Load Moment due to Truck Load} = 3108.83 + 1025.91 = 4134.74 \text{ KN-m}$$

c) Moment due to tandem load [AASTHO`07, 3.6.1.2.3]

$$\text{Wheel Load} = 110 * 0.57 = 62.65 \text{ KN}$$

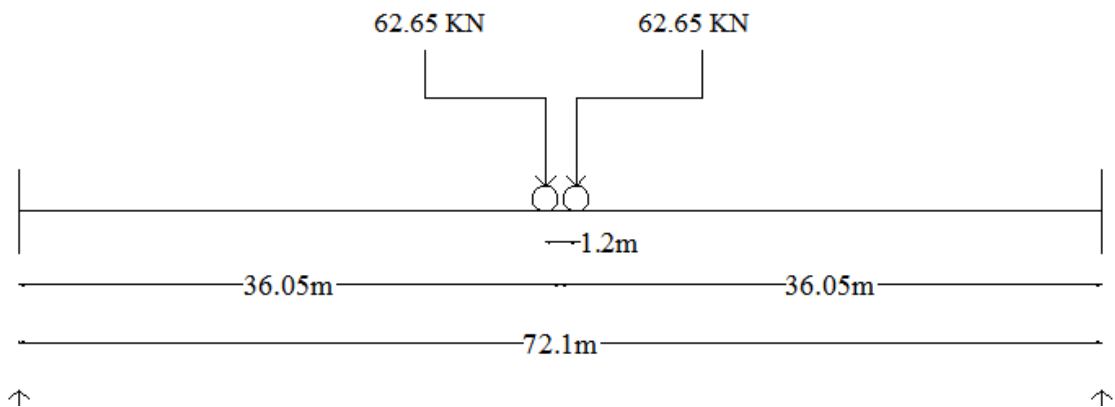


Figure-12 AASTHO Standard Tandem Loading

$$\text{Moment at Mid, } M_{L/2} = 62.65 * 36.05 - 62.65 * 0.6 = 2220.94 \text{ KN-m}$$

$$\text{Impact Moment} = 2220.94 * 0.33 = 732.91 \text{ KN-m}$$

$$\text{Total Live Load Moment due to Tandem Load} = 2220.94 + 732.91 = 2953.85 \text{ KN-m}$$

d) Moment due to lane load [AASTHO`07, 3.6.1.2.4]

$$\text{Lane Load, } w = 9.3 * \text{DFM} = 9.3 * 0.57 = 5.30 \text{ KN/m}$$

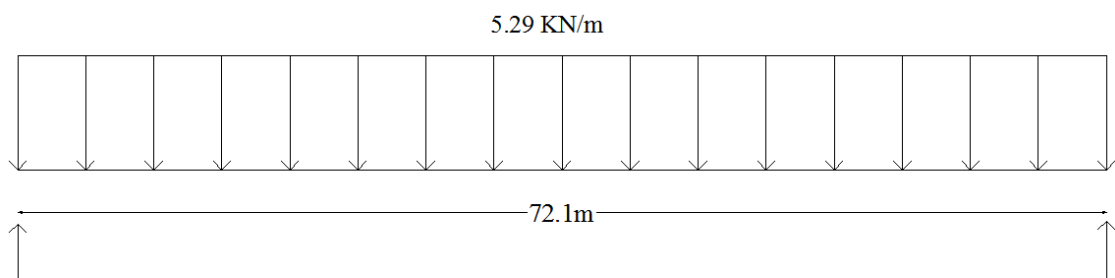


Figure -13 Lane Load

$$\text{Moment at Mid, } M_{L/2} = wL^2/8 = (5.30 \times 72.1^2)/8 = 3441.9 \text{ KN-m}$$

Total Live Load moment

As Truck Load Moment is higher than Tandem Load Moment, the total vehicular live load moment as stated in AASTHO,

$$\begin{aligned} M_{LL} &= \text{Truck Load} + \text{Lane Load} \\ &= 4134.74 + 3441.87 = 7576.61 \text{ KN-m} \end{aligned}$$

Total Factored Live Load moment

$$M_{FLL} = 7576.61 \times 1.75 = 13259.07 \text{ KN-m}$$

[AASTHO`07, Table 3.4.1-1]

Shear Calculation

a) Distribution factor for Shear [AASTHO`07, Table 4.6.2.2.3a-1]

$$0.2 + \frac{S}{3600} - \left(\frac{S}{10700} \right)^{2.0} \quad \left| \begin{array}{l} 1100 \leq S \leq 4900 \\ 6000 \leq L \leq 73000 \\ 110 \leq t_s \leq 300 \\ N_b \geq 4 \end{array} \right.$$

$$DFV = 0.2 + \frac{1.9}{3.6} - \left(\frac{1.9}{10.7} \right)^2 = 0.70$$

b) Shear due to Dead Load

Shear due to Self-Weight of Girder	= 1803.22 KN
Shear due to Cross Girder	= 203.4 KN
Shear due to Deck Slab	= 9.12x (72.1/2) KN = 328.78 KN
Shear due to Wearing Course	= 3.42x (72.1/2) KN = 123.29 KN
Total Dead Load Shear	= 2458.70 KN

c) Shear due to Live Load

Shear due to Truck Load	= 94.42 KN
Impact Shear	= (94.42x0.33) = 31.16 KN

Total Shear due to Truck	= (94.42+31.1586) KN = 125.58 KN
Load due to lane per unit Length	= 9.3x0.70 KN/m =6.47 KN/m
Shear Due to Lane Load	= (6.47x72.1)/2 KN = 233.34 KN
Total Live Load Shear	= (125.58+233.34) KN = 358.92 KN
Total Shear, V_{D+L}	= 2458.70+358.92 = 2817.62 KN
Total Factored Shear, $V_{F(D+L)}$	= (2458.70x1.5+358.92x1.75) = 4316.14 KN

Estimation of Required Pre-stressed Force and Number of Cable

Assumed Number of Cable	= 9
CG of the Cable at Girder Mid	= 503.33 mm
Eccentricity at Mid-Section	= (1.79-0.503) m = 1293.7 mm

$$\text{Required Prestress Force, } F = \frac{M_p + M_C * mb - f'_b * k_t * A_c}{e + k_t}$$

For full prestressing, $f'_b = 0$ [Design of Prestressed Concrete Structures, T.Y. Lin, Chapter 6, Equation 6-18]

Here,

M_p = Moment due to Girder, Cross Girder & Deck Slab [Precast]

M_C = Moment due to Live Load & Wearing Course [Composite, Service Condition]

$$= \frac{38730.49 + 9798.93 * 0.84}{1.29 + 0.77} = 22797 \text{ KN}$$

$$\text{Required Steel Area, } A_s = \frac{22797 * 1000}{0.6 * 1860} = 20403 \text{ mm}^2$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Using 19T15 Strand, Required Cable} &= (20403.18/2660) \\ &= 7.67 \text{ Nos.} \end{aligned}$$

Here, Pre-stressing is done in two stages

$$\text{No of Cable at Stage I} = 7$$

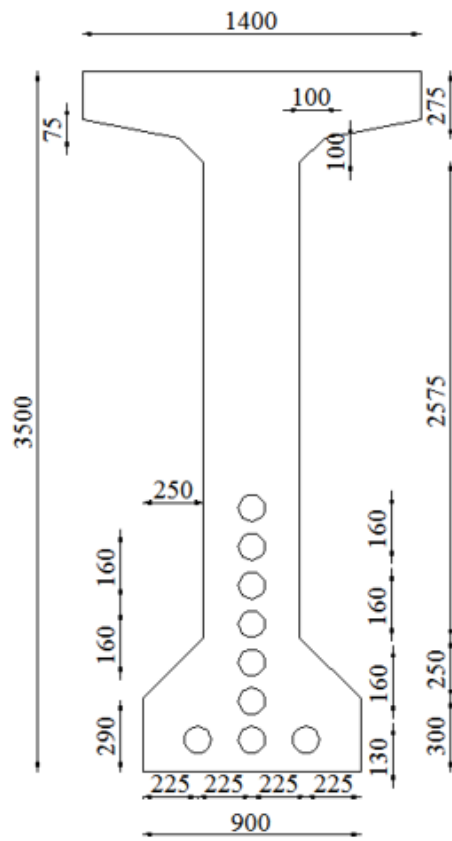
No of Cable at Stage II	= 2
Jacking Force at Stage I	= $3710 \times 7 = 25970$ KN
Jacking Force at Stage II	= $3710 \times 2 = 7420$ KN
Total jacking force (I+II)	= 33390 KN

Stage-I

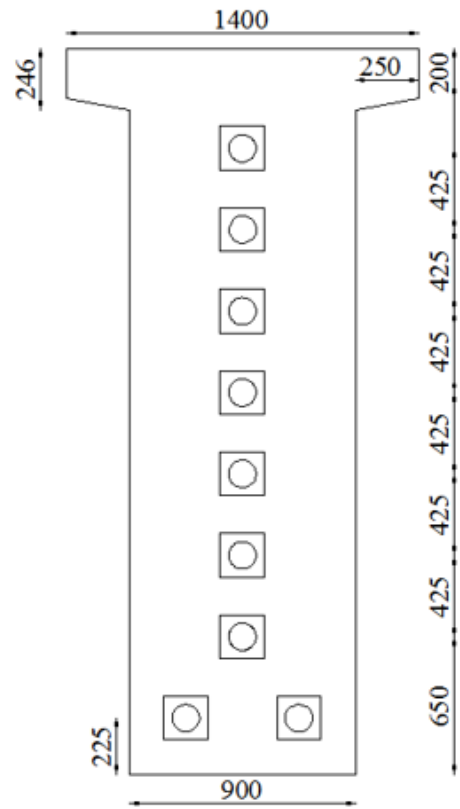
CG of cable (7 Nos.) at Stage I	= 610 mm
Eccentricity of Girder Section	= 1186.82 mm
Eccentricity of Composite Section	= 1477.07 mm

Stage-II

CG of cable (2 Nos.) at Stage II	= 130 mm
Eccentricity of Girder Section	= 1666.82 mm
Eccentricity of Composite Section	= 1957.07 mm



a) Middle Section



b) End Section

Figure-14 Cable arrangement in Mid and End Section of Girder

Calculation of Loss

Instantaneous Loss

a) Friction and Wedge Pull Loss

Table-3 Friction and Wedge Pull Loss

Cable No	Vertical Sag, d_r	Horizontal Sag	Radius of Curvature, R	$\alpha=X/R$ ($X=1m$)	$\alpha=X/R$ ($X=L/2$)
1	90	0	7220.014	0.000139	0.005035
2	90	0	7220.014	0.000139	0.005035
3	492	0	1320.734	0.000757	0.027523
4	743	0	874.5640	0.001143	0.041564
5	994	0	653.7240	0.001530	0.055605
6	1245	0	521.9290	0.001916	0.069646
7	1495	0	434.6500	0.002301	0.083631
8	1746	0	372.1660	0.002687	0.097672
9	1997	0	325.3890	0.003073	0.111713

Cable No	Initial Prestress Force, KN	Loss (per m), KN	Loss (L/2), KN	Wedge Pull Effect Distance, X_A	Loss due to Wedge Pull (if $X_A > L/2$)	Friction + Wedge Pull Loss (%)
1	3710	2.58	92.55	34.92	0	2.495
2		2.58	92.55	34.92	0	2.495
3		3.16	113.07	31.53	0	3.048
4		3.53	125.79	29.85	0	3.391
5		3.89	138.45	28.42	0	3.731
6		4.25	151.05	27.18	0	4.071
7		4.62	163.58	26.09	0	4.409
8		4.98	173.03	25.13	0	4.664
9		5.34	188.41	24.27	0	5.078
Σ Force =	33390	Σ Loss =	1238.48	Percent Loss =		3.71

Friction Loss [Sample Calculation of Cable 1]

$$\text{Friction Loss, } \Delta f_{pF} = \Delta f_{pi} [1 - e^{-(kx + \mu\alpha)}] \text{ [AASHTO`07, Equation 5.9.5.2.2b-1]}$$

Here,

$$\text{Friction Co-Efficient, } \mu = 0.25 \quad \text{[AASHTO`07, Table 5.9.5.2.2b-1]}$$

$$\text{Wobble Co-Efficient, } k = 0.00066 / \text{m}$$

$$\alpha = \sqrt{\alpha_v^2 + \alpha_H^2} \quad \alpha = \frac{X}{R}$$

$$\text{Radius of Curvature, } R = \frac{L^2}{8 * dr} = \frac{72.1^2}{8 * 0.09} = 7220 \text{ rad}$$

$$dr = \text{vertical sag height} = 220 - 130 = 90 \text{ mm}$$

$$\alpha = \frac{X}{R} = \frac{1}{7220} = 1.39 * 10^{-4}; \quad X = 1 \text{ m}$$

$$\alpha = \frac{X}{R} = \frac{36.05}{7220} = 5.03 * 10^{-3}; \quad X = \frac{L}{2} = 36.05 \text{ m}$$

$$\text{Friction Loss, } \Delta f_{pF} = 3710 [1 - e^{-(0.00066 * 1 + 0.25 * 1.39 * 10^{-4})}] = 2.57 \text{ KN; } X = 1 \text{ m}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Friction Loss, } \Delta f_{pF} &= 3710 [1 - e^{-(0.00066 * 36.05 + 0.25 * 5.03 * 10^{-3})}] = 92.55 \text{ KN; } X \\ &= 36.05 \text{ m} \end{aligned}$$

Anchorage Slip Loss [Calculation of Cable 1]

$$\text{Let's Assume, Anchorage Slip} = 6 \text{ mm} \quad \text{[AASHTO`07, C5.9.5.2.1]}$$

Distance until where anchorage slip loss will be effective,

$$X_A = \sqrt{\frac{\text{Slip} * E_p * A_s}{\Delta f_{pF}}} = \sqrt{\frac{0.006 * 197 * 2660}{2.57}} = 34.92$$

Anchorage Slip loss will only occur when $X_A > \frac{L}{2}$

$$\text{Loss due to slip} = 2 * \Delta f_{pF} * \left(X_A - \frac{L}{2} \right) = 0$$

$$\text{Friction and Slip Loss} = 92.55 + 0 = 92.55 \text{ KN}$$

$$\text{Percentage (\%)} = \frac{92.55}{3710} * 100 = 2.495\%$$

b) Elastic Shortening Loss [AASHTO`07, 5.9.5.2.3b-1]

$$\Delta f_{PES} = \frac{N - 1}{2N} \frac{E_p}{E_{ci}} f_{cgp}$$

$$f_{cgp} = \frac{P_{eff}}{A} + \frac{P_{eff} * e^2}{I} - \frac{Mg * e}{I}$$

$$= \frac{3460 * 9}{1.87} + \frac{3460 * 9 * 1.29^2}{2.59} - \frac{29475 * 1.29}{2.59} = 22.05 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\Delta f_{PES} = \frac{9 - 1}{2 * 9} * \frac{197 * 10^3}{26290} * 22.05 = 73.43 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\text{Percent of Elastic Shortening Loss} = \frac{73.43 * 2660}{3710 * 1000} * 100 = 5.26 \%$$

$$\text{Total Instantaneous Loss} = 3.71 + 5.26 = 8.97 \%$$

Long Term / Time Dependent Loss

Approximate Estimate of Time-Dependent Losses, [AASHTO`07, 5.9.5.3-1]

Long Term Loss due to Shrinkage, Creep and Still Relaxation is given below.

$$\Delta f = 10 * \frac{f_{pi} * A_{ps}}{A_g} * \gamma_h \gamma_{st} + 83 \gamma_h \gamma_{st} + \Delta f_{pR}$$

$$\gamma_h = 1.7 - 0.01H, \quad \text{Relative Humidity, } H = 70\%$$

$$\gamma_{st} = \frac{35}{7 + f'_{ci}} = \frac{35}{7 + 30} = 0.946$$

$$\begin{aligned} \Delta f_{pLT} &= \left[\frac{10 * 0.75 * 1860 * 2660 * 9}{2.226 * 10^6} * (1.7 - 0.01 * 70\%) * \left(\frac{35}{7 + 30} \right) + 83 \right. \\ &\quad \left. * (1.7 - 0.01 * 70\%) * \left(\frac{35}{7 + 30} \right) + 17 \right] = [141.92 + 78.51 + 17] \\ &= 237.43 \text{ MPa} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Percent of Time Dependent Loss} = \frac{237.43 * 2660}{3710 * 1000} * 100 = 17\%$$

$$\text{Total Loss (Instantaneous \& Time Dependent)} = (17+8.97) \% = 25.97\%$$

Revised No of Required Cable

Total Percent of Loss = 25.97%

Total Loss = 362.28 MPa

Effective Steel Stress after Loss = $0.75 * 1860 - 362.28 = 1043.88$ MPa

Revised No of Required Cable,

$$\frac{\text{Required Effective Force} * 1000}{A_{ps} * \text{Effective Steel Stress after Loss}} = \frac{22797 * 1000}{2660 * 1043.88} = 8.21 \text{ Nos.}$$

Actual Effective Force per Cable = $1043.88 * (2660/1000) = 2776.72$ KN

Actual Effective Stress per Cable = 1043.88 MPa

Stress Calculation

Table-4 Calculation of Stress in different stages

Calculation of Stress	
Stress due to Self-Weight of Girder [+ = Compressive - = Tension]	$\sigma = \left(\frac{M_g * Y}{I_g} \right) * \frac{1}{1000}$ $\sigma_b = - \frac{29475 * 1.79}{2.59 * 1000} = -20.37 \text{ MPa}$ $\sigma_t = + \frac{29475 * 1.70}{2.59 * 1000} = +19.38 \text{ MPa}$
Stress due to PS-I Force	$\sigma = \left(+ \frac{\text{Jacking Force}}{A_g} \pm \frac{\text{Jacking Force} * e}{Z_b} \right) * \frac{1}{1000}$ $\sigma_b = \left(+ \frac{3710 * 7}{1.868} + \frac{3710 * 1.186 * 7}{1.445} \right) = 35.22 \text{ MPa}$ $\sigma_t = \left(+ \frac{3710 * 7}{1.868} - \frac{3710 * 1.186 * 7}{1.525} \right) = -6.29 \text{ MPa}$
Stress due to Friction and Slip loss (3.71%)	$\sigma_b = -35.22 * 3.71\% = -1.3 \text{ MPa}$ $\sigma_t = -(-6.29) * 3.71\% = +0.24 \text{ MPa}$
Stress due to Elastic Shortening (5.23%)	$\sigma_b = -35.22 * 5.23\% = -1.84 \text{ MPa}$ $\sigma_t = -(-6.29) * 5.23\% = +0.33 \text{ MPa}$

Stress due to $\frac{1}{2}$ Time Dependent Loss of PS-I (8.5%)	$\sigma_b = -35.22 * 8.5\% = -2.9 \text{ MPa}$ $\sigma_t = -(-6.29) * 8.5\% = +0.53 \text{ MPa}$
Stress due to PS-II Force	$\sigma_b = \left(\frac{3710 * 2}{1.868} + \frac{3710 * 2 * 1.666}{1.445} \right) = 12.53 \text{ MPa}$ $\sigma_t = \left(\frac{3710 * 2}{1.868} - \frac{3710 * 1.196 * 2}{1.525} \right) = -1.847 \text{ MPa}$
Stress due to Friction and Slip Loss (3.71%)	$\sigma_b = -12.53 * 3.71\% = -0.46 \text{ MPa}$ $\sigma_t = -(-1.847) * 3.71\% = +0.0685 \text{ MPa}$
Stress due to Elastic Shortening (5.23%)	$\sigma_b = -12.53 * 5.23\% = -0.655 \text{ MPa}$ $\sigma_t = -(-1.847) * 5.23\% = +0.0965 \text{ MPa}$
Stress due to Self-Weight of Deck Slab	$\sigma_b = -\frac{5926.18 * 1.797}{2.5972 * 1000} = -4.1 \text{ MPa}$ $\sigma_t = +\frac{5926.18 * 1.703}{2.5972 * 1000} = +3.88 \text{ MPa}$
Stress due to Self-Weight of Cross Girder	$\sigma_b = -\frac{3329.28 * 1.797}{2.5972 * 1000} = -2.3 \text{ MPa}$ $\sigma_t = +\frac{3329.28 * 1.703}{2.5972 * 1000} = +2.18 \text{ MPa}$
Stress due to $\frac{1}{3}$ Time Dependent Loss of PS-II (5.67%)	$\sigma_b = -12.53 * 5.67\% = -0.71 \text{ MPa}$ $\sigma_t = -(-1.847) * 5.67\% = +0.105 \text{ MPa}$
Stress due to Other Half Time	$\sigma_b = -\left(\frac{3710 * 7 * 8.5\%}{2.226} \right) - \left(\frac{3710 * 7 * 8.5\% * 1.47}{1.71} \right)$ $= -2.90 \text{ MPa}$ $\sigma_t = -\left(\frac{3710 * 7 * 8.5\%}{2.226} \right) + \left(\frac{3710 * 7 * 8.5\% * 1.47}{2.53} \right)$

<p>Dependent Loss of PS-I (8.5%)</p>	$\sigma_{st} = - \left(\frac{3710 * 7 * 8.5\%}{2.226} \right) + \left(\frac{3710 * 7 * 8.5\% * 1.47}{2.22} \right)$ $= +0.29 \text{ MPa}$ $= +0.47 \text{ MPa}$
<p>Stress due to other $\frac{2}{3}$ loss Time Dependent Loss of PS-II (11.33%)</p>	$\sigma_b = - \left(\frac{3710 * 2 * 11.33\%}{2.226} \right) - \left(\frac{3710 * 2 * 11.33\% * 1.47}{1.71} \right)$ $= -1.10 \text{ MPa}$ $\sigma_t = - \left(\frac{3710 * 2 * 11.33\%}{2.226} \right) + \left(\frac{3710 * 2 * 11.33\% * 1.47}{2.53} \right)$ $= +0.11 \text{ MPa}$ $\sigma_{st} = - \left(\frac{3710 * 2 * 11.33\%}{2.226} \right) + \left(\frac{3710 * 2 * 11.33\% * 1.47}{2.22} \right)$ $= +0.18 \text{ Mpa}$
<p>Stress Due To Differential Shrinkage of Deck Slab</p>	<p>Tensile Stress in-situ Slab,</p> $T = 1 * 10^{-4} * E_c \sqrt{\frac{f_s}{f_g}} * 1000$ $\text{So, } T = 1 * 10^{-4} * 32200 * \sqrt{\frac{40}{45}} = 3.03 \text{ MPa}$ <p>Compressive Force at CG of Slab, $P = T \times S \times t_s \times 1000$ $= 3.03 \times 1.9 \times 0.2 \times 1000 = 1153.62 \text{ KN}$</p> <p>C G of Slab from Composite $Y_t, (Y_t - t_s/2) = (1.41 - 0.2/2) = 1.31 \text{ m}$</p> $\sigma_b = \frac{P}{A_c} - \frac{P * 1.31}{Z'_b} = \frac{1153.62}{2.226} - \frac{1153.62 * 1.31}{1.71}$ $= -0.365 \text{ MPa}$ $\sigma_t = \frac{P}{A_c} + \frac{P * 1.31}{Z'_b} = \frac{1208.4}{2.226} + \frac{1208.4 * 1.31}{2.53} = +1.12 \text{ MPa}$ <p>$\sigma_{st} = (\text{Stress Girder Top Fiber} - \text{Tensile Stress in-situ Slab } T)$ $= +1.12 - 3.03 = -1.91 \text{ MPa}$</p>

Stress due to Self-Weight of Wearing Course	$\sigma_b = -\frac{2222.32 * 2.087}{3.58 * 1000} = -1.29 \text{ MPa}$ $\sigma_t = +\frac{2222.32 * 1.413}{3.58 * 1000} = +0.56 \text{ MPa}$ $\sigma_{ts} = \frac{2222.32}{2.22 * 1000} = +1 \text{ MPa}$
Stress due to Design Live Load	$\sigma_b = -\frac{7576.61 * 2.087}{3.58 * 1000} = -4.41 \text{ MPa}$ $\sigma_t = \frac{7576.61 * 1.413}{3.58 * 1000} = +3 \text{ MPa}$ $\sigma_{st} = \frac{7576.61}{2.226 * 1000} = +3.397 \text{ MPa}$

Table-5 Schedule of Stress

	Case	Stage of Stress	F _{bottom}	F _{top}	F _{slab top}
R1	Effect due to Self-Weight of Girder and PS-I transfer after IL	Dead Load of Naked Girder	-20.37	+19.38	0
		PS-I transfer	+35.22	-6.29	0
		Instantaneous Loss (Friction+Slip+ES)	-3.14	+0.57	0
		Resultant of PS-I	+11.71	+13.66	0
		Permissible of PS-I	+18.00	-1.36	0
R2	Effect due to ½ of TDL	½ Time Dependent Loss of PS-I	-3.00	+0.53	0

		Resultant after ½ TDL of PS-I	+8.81	+14.19	0
R3	Effect due to PS-II transfer after IL	PS-II transfer	+12.53	-1.847	0
		Instantaneous Loss	-1.115	+0.165	0
		Resultant of PS-II	+20.225	+12.50	0
		Permissible of PS-II	24	-1.57	0
R4	Effect due to self-weight of Deck Slab and Cross Girder	Dead Load of Deck Slab	-4.10	+3.88	0
		Dead Load of Cross Girder	-2.3	+2.18	0
		Resultant Stress	+13.825	+18.56	0
R5	Effect due to 1/3 TDL Loss of PS-II	$\frac{1}{3}$ Time Dependent Loss of PS-II	-0.71	+1.05	0
		Resultant Stress	+13.115	+19.61	0
R6	Effect due to ½ and 2/3 TDL of PS-I and PS-II	$\frac{1}{2}$ Time Dependent Loss of PS-I (Composite)	-2.90	+0.29	+0.47
		$\frac{2}{3}$ Time Dependent Loss of PS-II (Composite)	-1.11	+0.11	+0.18
		Resultant Stress	+9.11	+20.01	+0.65

R7	Effect due to Self-Weight of Wearing Course and Stress due to DS	Stress due to Differential Shrinkage	-0.365	+1.12	-1.91
		Wearing Course on Composite Section	-1.9	+0.56	+1
		Resultant on Composite	+6.854	+21.69	-0.26
		Permissible Stress	-3.34	+22.5	+18
R8	Effect due to Live Load for Service I	Stress due to Design Live Load	-4.40	+3	+3.39
		Resultant Stress, Service I (Total DL+PS+Live Load)	+2.454	+24.69	+3.13
		Permissible Stress at Service I	-3.34	27	24
R9	Effect due to Live Load for Service III	Resultant Stress, Service III (Total DL+PS+0.8Live Load)	+3.33	+24.09	+2.45
		Permissible Stress at Service III	-3.34	27	24

Checking of Moment Capacity

Factored Moment (DL+LL) = (13259.07+61429.22) = 74688.28 KN-m

$$k = 2 \left(1.04 - \frac{f_{pu}}{f_{py}} \right) = 2(1.04 - 0.9) = 0.28$$

$$d_p = 3500 + 200 - 503.33 = 3196\text{mm}$$

Let's Assume Rectangular Behavior,

$$c = \frac{(A_{ps} f_{pu} + A_s f_y - A_s' f_y')}{\left(0.85 f_c' \beta_1 b + \frac{k A_{ps} f_{pu}}{d_p} \right)}$$
$$= \frac{2660 * 9 * 1860}{\left(0.85 * 40 * 0.76 * 1900 + \frac{0.28 * 2660 * 1860 * 9}{3196} \right)} = 840 > 200, T \text{ action}$$

Let's Assume T behavior,

$$c = \frac{(A_{ps} f_{pu} + A_s f_s - A_s' f_s' - 0.85 f_c' (b - b_w) h_f)}{\left(0.85 f_c' \beta_1 b_w + \frac{k A_{ps} f_{pu}}{d_p} \right)}$$
$$= \frac{2660 * 9 * 1860 - 0.85 * 45 (1900 - 400) * 200}{\left(0.85 * 40 * 0.76 * 400 + \frac{0.28 * 2660 * 1860 * 9}{3196} \right)} = 2.32\text{m}$$

$$\alpha = \beta_1 * c = 0.76 * 2.35 = 1.76 \text{ m}$$

$$f_{ps} = f_{pu} \left(1 - \frac{k * c}{d_p} \right) = 1860 \left(1 - \frac{0.28 * 2.32}{3.196} \right) = 1480 \text{ MPa}$$

$$M_n = A_{ps} f_{ps} \left(d_p - \frac{a}{2} \right) + A_s f_s \left(d_s - \frac{a}{2} \right) + A_s' f_y' \left(d_s' - \frac{a}{2} \right) + 0.85 f_c' (b - b_w) h_f \left(\frac{a}{2} - \frac{h_f}{2} \right)$$

$$M_n = 2660 * 9 * 1480 * \left(3196 - \frac{1760}{2}\right) + 0.85 * 40 * (1900 - 400) * 200$$

$$* \left(\frac{1760}{2} - \frac{200}{2}\right) = 90015 \text{ KN} - \text{m}$$

$$M_r = \phi * M_n = 0.9 * 90015 = 81015 \text{ KN} - \text{m}$$

$$M_u = 74688 \text{ KN} - \text{m}$$

$$M_r > M_u \text{ (ok)}$$

Deflection Calculation

$$\text{CG of cable (7 Nos.) at PS-I} = 610 \text{ mm}$$

$$\text{CG of cable (2 Nos.) at PS-II} = 130 \text{ mm}$$

$$\text{CG of Cable at Girder End at PS-I} = 1925 \text{ mm}$$

$$\text{CG of Cable at Girder End at PS-II} = 225 \text{ mm}$$

a) Deflection due to self-weight of girder

$$\text{Self-weight } w = \frac{\text{volumn} * \text{unit weight}}{\text{span}} = \frac{150.2675 * 24}{73} = 49.40 \text{ KN/m}$$

$$\text{Deflection} = \frac{5wL^4}{384 * E_c I_c} = \frac{5 * 49.40 * 73^4}{384 * 26290 * 2.59} = 268 \text{ mm}$$

b) Deflection due to PS-I

$$\text{CG of Cable at Girder End} = 1925 \text{ mm}$$

$$\text{Sag Height} = (1925 - 610) \text{ mm} = 1315 \text{ mm}$$

$$\text{Eccentricity of End Section} = (1797 - 1925) \text{ mm} = -118 \text{ mm}$$

$$\text{Average Prestressed Force after IL} = 3710 * 7 \left(1 - \frac{5.23}{100} - \frac{3.71}{100}\right) = 23648 \text{ KN}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Equivalent upward UDL due to Cable Parabola} &= \frac{8 \times p \times \text{sag}}{L^2} = \frac{8 \times 23648 \times 1.315}{73^2} \\ &= 46.68 \text{ KN/m} \end{aligned}$$

Upward deflection due to PS-I transfer,

$$\frac{5wL^4}{384 \times E_{ci} \times I} = \frac{5 \times 46.68 \times 73^4}{384 \times 26290 \times 2.59} = 253.5 \text{ mm}$$

Deflection at Girder End eccentricity,

$$\frac{p \times e_{\text{end}} \times L^2}{8 \times E_{ci} \times I} = \frac{23648 \times (-0.118) \times 73^2}{8 \times 26290 \times 2.59} = -27.3 \text{ mm}$$

c) Deflection due to PS-II

CG of Cable in PS-II at girder end = 225 mm

Sag Height = (225 – 130) = 95 mm

Eccentricity at PS-II cable at girder end = (1.797-0.225) =1.572 m

$$\text{Average Prestressed Force after IL} = 3710 \times 2 \left(1 - \frac{5.23}{100} - \frac{3.71}{100} \right) = 6756.7 \text{ KN}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Equivalent upward UDL due to Cable Parabola} &= \frac{8 \times p \times \text{sag}}{L^2} = \frac{8 \times 6756.7 \times 0.095}{73^2} \\ &= 0.96 \text{ KN/m} \end{aligned}$$

Upward deflection due to PS-II transfer,

$$\frac{5wL^4}{384 \times E_{ci} \times I} = \frac{5 \times 0.96 \times 73^4}{384 \times 30358 \times 2.59} = 4.5 \text{ mm}$$

Deflection at Girder End eccentricity,

$$\frac{p \times e_{\text{end}} \times L^2}{8 \times E_{ci} \times I} = \frac{6756.7 \times 1.572 \times 73^2}{8 \times 30358 \times 2.59} = 90.3 \text{ mm}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{d) Net Deflection} &= (\text{Net Hogging} - \text{Net Sagging}) \\ &= [D_{PS-I} + D_{EPS-I} + D_{PS-II} + D_{EPS-II} - D_W] \\ &= [253.5 - 27.3 + 4.5 + 90.3 - 268] \\ &= 53 \text{ mm} \end{aligned}$$

3. DESIGN EXAMPLE OF A TWO-WAY POST-TENSIONED SLAB

The following example illustrates the design methods presented in ACI 318-05 and IBC 2003. Unless otherwise noted, all referenced table, figure, and equation numbers are from these books. The example presented here is for Two-Way Post-Tensioned Design.

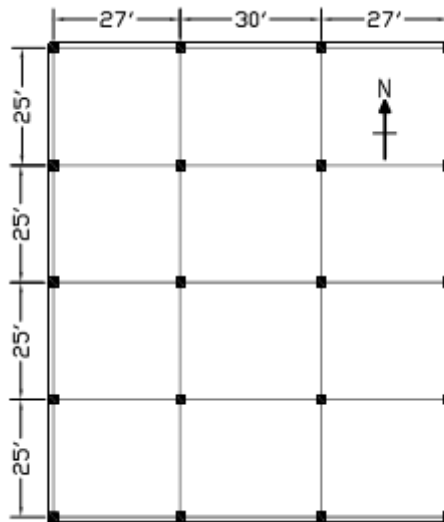


Figure 1 : Typical Plan of a Slab

Loads:

Framing Dead Load = self-weight
Superimposed Dead Load = 25 psf partitions, M/E, misc.
Live Load = 40 psf
residential 2 hour fire-rating

Materials:

Concrete:

Normal weight 150 pcf
 $f'_c = 5,000$ psi
 $f_{ci} = 3,000$ psi

Rebar:

$f_y = 60,000$ psi
PT: Unbonded tendons $1/2''\phi$, 7-wire strands, $A = 0.153$ in²
 $f_{pu} = 270$ ksi
Estimated prestress losses = 15 ksi (ACI 18.6)
 $f_{se} = 0.7 (270 \text{ ksi}) - 15 \text{ ksi} = 174 \text{ ksi}$ (ACI 18.5.1)
 $P_{eff} = A * f_{se} = (0.153)(174 \text{ ksi}) = 26.6$ kips/tendon

Determine Preliminary

Slab Thickness

Start with $L/h = 45$

Longest span = 30 ft $h = (30 \text{ ft})(12)/45 = 8.0''$ preliminary slab thickness

Loading

$$\begin{aligned} \text{DL} &= \text{Selfweight} = (8\text{in})(150\text{ pcf}) = 100\text{ psf} \\ \text{SIDL} &= 25\text{ psf} \\ \text{LLo} &= 40\text{ psf} \end{aligned}$$

Design of East-West Interior Frame

Use Equivalent Frame Method, ACI 13.7 (excluding sections 13.7.7.4-5)
 Total bay width between centerlines = 25 ft
 Ignore column stiffness in equations for simplicity of hand calculations
 No pattern loading required, since $\text{LL}/\text{DL} < 3/4$ (ACI 13.7.6)

Calculate Section Properties

Two-way slab must be designed as Class U (ACI 18.3.3),
 Gross cross-sectional properties allowed (ACI 18.3.4)
 $A = bh = (300\text{ in})(8\text{ in}) = 2,400\text{ in}^2$
 $S = bh^2/6 = (300\text{ in})(8\text{ in})^2/6 = 3,200\text{ in}^3$

Set Design Parameters Allowable stresses:

Class U (ACI 18.3.3) At time of jacking (ACI 18.4.1) $f'_{ci} = 3,000\text{ psi}$
 Compression = $0.60 f'_{ci} = 0.6(3,000\text{ psi}) = 1,800\text{ psi}$
 Tension = $3\sqrt{f'_{ci}} = 3\sqrt{3,000} = 164\text{ psi}$
 At service loads (ACI 18.4.2(a) and 18.3.3)
 $f'_c = 5,000\text{ psi}$
 Compression = $0.45 f'_c = 0.45(5,000\text{ psi}) = 2,250\text{ psi}$
 Tension = $6\sqrt{f'_c} = 6\sqrt{5,000} = 424\text{ psi}$

Average precompression limits:

$$\begin{aligned} P/A &= 125\text{ psi min. (ACI 18.12.4)} \\ &300\text{ psi max.} \end{aligned}$$

Target load balances:

60%-80% of DL (selfweight) for slabs (good approximation for hand calculation)
 For this example: $0.75 W_{DL} = 0.75(100\text{ psf}) = 75\text{ psf}$
 Cover Requirements (2-hour fire rating, assume carbonate aggregate)
 IBC 2003
 Restrained slabs = 3/4" bottom
 Unrestrained slabs = 1 1/2" bottom
 = 3/4" top

Tendon profile:

Parabolic shape; For a layout with spans of similar length, the tendons will be typically be located at the highest allowable point at the interior columns, the lowest possible point at the mid-spans, and the neutral axis at the anchor locations. This provides the maximum drupe for load-balancing.

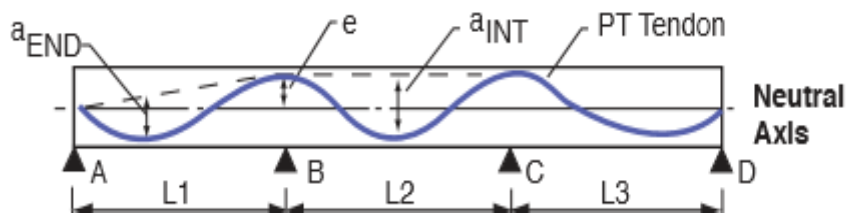


Figure 2: Tendon Profile

Tendon Ordinate	Tendon (CG) Location*
Exterior support – anchor	4.0”
Interior support – top	7.0”
Interior span – bottom	1.0”
End span – bottom	1.75”

(CG) = center of gravity

*Measure from bottom of slab

$$a_{INT} = 7.0'' - 1.0'' = 6.0''$$

$$a_{END} = (4.0'' + 7.0'')/2 - 1.75'' = 3.75''$$

eccentricity, e , is the distance from the center to tendon to the neutral axis; varies along the span

Prestress Force Required to Balance 75% of selfweight DL

Since the spans are of similar length, the end span will typically govern the maximum required post-tensioning force. This is due to the significantly reduced tendon drape, a_{END} .

$$\begin{aligned} W_b &= 0.75 W_{DL} \\ &= 0.75 (100 \text{ psf})(25 \text{ ft}) \\ &= 1,875 \text{ plf} \\ &= 1.875 \text{ k/ft} \end{aligned}$$

For Exterior Span

Force needed in tendons to counteract the load in the end bay:

$$\begin{aligned} P &= W_b L^2 / 8a_{end} \\ &= (1.875 \text{ k/ft})(27 \text{ ft})^2 / [8(3.75 \text{ in} / 12)] \\ &= 547 \text{ k} \end{aligned}$$

Check Pre-compression Allowance

Determine number of tendons to achieve 547 k

$$\begin{aligned} \# \text{ tendons} &= (547 \text{ k}) / (26.6 \text{ k/tendon}) \\ &= 20.56 \end{aligned}$$

Use 20 tendons

Actual force for banded tendons

$$P_{\text{actual}} = (20 \text{ tendons}) (26.6 \text{ k}) = 532 \text{ k}$$

The balanced load for the end span is slightly adjusted $w_b = (532/547)(1.875 \text{ k/ft}) = 1.82 \text{ k/ft}$

Determine actual Precompression stress

$$\begin{aligned} P_{\text{actual}} / A &= (532 \text{ k})(1000) / (2,400 \text{ in}^2) \\ &= 221 \text{ psi} > 125 \text{ psi min. ok} \\ &< 300 \text{ psi max. ok} \end{aligned}$$

Check Interior Span Force

$$\begin{aligned} P &= (1.875 \text{ k/ft})(30 \text{ ft})^2 / [8(6.0 \text{ in} / 12)] \\ &= 421 \text{ k} < 532 \text{ k} \text{ Less force is required in the center bay} \end{aligned}$$

For this example, continue the force required for the end spans into the interior span and check the amount of load that will be balanced:

$$\begin{aligned} w_b &= (532 \text{ k})(8)(6.0 \text{ in} / 12) / (30 \text{ ft})^2 \\ &= 2.36 \text{ k/ft } w_b/w_{DL} = 94\%; [W_{DL} = 100 * 25 = 2.5 \text{ ksf}] \end{aligned}$$

This value is less than 100%; acceptable for this design.

East-West interior frame:

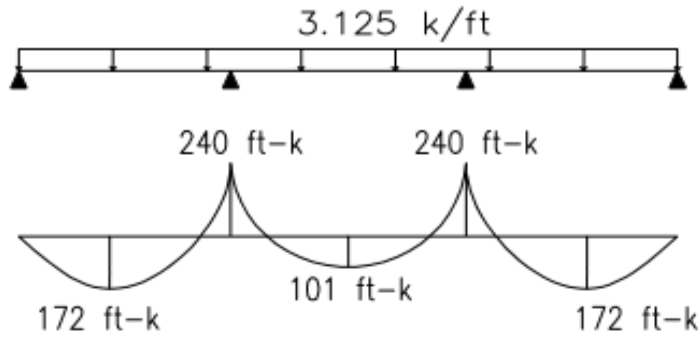
Effective prestress force, $P_{\text{eff}} = 532 \text{ kips}$

Check Slab Stresses

Separately calculate the maximum positive and negative moments in the frame for the dead, live, and balancing loads. A combination of these values will determine the slab stresses at the time of stressing and at service loads.

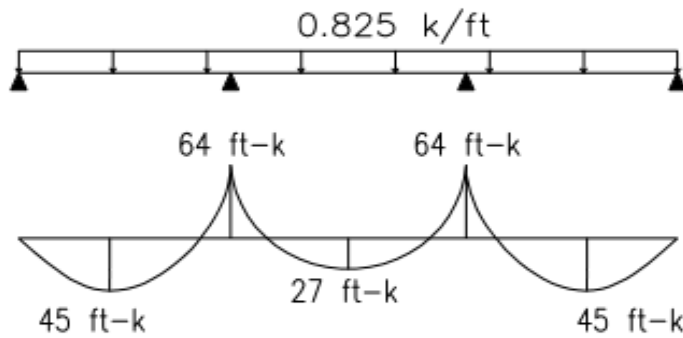
Dead Load Moments

$$w_{DL} = (125 \text{ psf}) (25 \text{ ft}) / 1000 = 3.125 \text{ plf}$$



Live Load Moments

$$w_{LL} = (33 \text{ psf}) (25 \text{ ft}) / 1000 = 0.825 \text{ plf}$$



Total Balancing Moments, M_{bal}

$$w_b = -2.00 \text{ k/ft (average of 3 bays)}$$

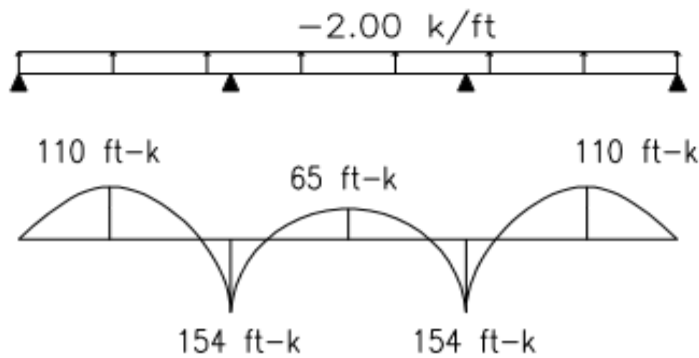


Figure 3: Moment Diagram for DL, LL and Balancing Load

Stage 1: Stresses immediately after jacking (DL + PT) (ACI 18.4.1)

Midspan Stresses

$$f_{top} = (-M_{DL} + M_b)/S - P/A$$

$$f_{bot} = (+M_{DL} - M_b)/S - P/A$$

Interior Span

$$f_{top} = [(-101\text{ft-k} + 65\text{ft-k})(12)(1000)]/(3200 \text{ in}^3) - 221\text{psi}$$
$$= -135 - 221 = -356 \text{ psi compression} < 0.60 f'_{ci} = 1800 \text{ psi ok}$$

$$f_{bot} = [(101\text{ft-k} - 65\text{ft-k})(12)(1000)]/(3200 \text{ in}^3) - 221\text{psi}$$
$$= 135 - 221 = -86 \text{ psi compression} < 0.60 f'_{ci} = 1800 \text{ psi ok}$$

End Span

$$f_{top} = [(-172\text{ft-k} + 110\text{ft-k})(12)(1000)]/(3200 \text{ in}^3) - 221\text{psi}$$
$$= -232 - 221 = -453 \text{ psi compression} < 0.60 f'_{ci} = 1800 \text{ psi ok}$$

$$f_{bot} = [(172\text{ft-k} - 110\text{ft-k})(12)(1000)]/(3200 \text{ in}^3) - 221\text{psi}$$
$$= 232 - 221 = 11 \text{ psi tension} < 3\sqrt{f'_{ci}} = 164 \text{ psi ok}$$

Support Stresses

$$f_{top} = (+M_{DL} - M_b)/S - P/A$$

$$f_{bot} = (-M_{DL} + M_b)/S - P/A$$

$$f_{top} = [(240\text{ft-k} - 154\text{ft-k})(12)(1000)]/(3200 \text{ in}^3) - 221\text{psi}$$
$$= 323 - 221 = 102 \text{ psi tension} < 3\sqrt{f'_{ci}} = 164 \text{ psi ok}$$

$$f_{bot} = [(-240\text{ft-k} + 154\text{ft-k})(12)(1000)]/(3200 \text{ in}^3) - 221\text{psi}$$
$$= -323 - 221 = -544 \text{ psi compression} < 0.60 f'_{ci} = 1800 \text{ psi ok}$$

Stage 2: Stresses at service load (DL + LL + PT) (18.3.3 and 18.4.2)

Midspan Stresses

$$f_{top} = (-M_{DL} - M_{LL} + M_b)/S - P/A$$

$$f_{bot} = (+M_{DL} + M_{LL} - M_b)/S - P/A$$

Interior Span

$$f_{top} = [(-101\text{ft-k} - 27\text{ft-k} + 65\text{ft-k})(1000)]/(3200 \text{ in}^3) - 221\text{psi}$$
$$= -236 - 221 = -457 \text{ psi compression} < 0.45 f'_c = 2250 \text{ psi ok}$$

$$f_{bot} = [(101\text{ft-k} + 27\text{ft-k} - 65\text{ft-k})(1000)]/(3200 \text{ in}^3) - 221\text{psi}$$
$$= 236 - 221 = 15 \text{ psi tension} < 6\sqrt{f'_c} = 424 \text{ psi ok}$$

End Span

$$f_{top} = [(-172\text{ft-k} - 45\text{ft-k} + 110\text{ft-k})(12)(1000)]/(3200 \text{ in}^3) - 221\text{psi}$$
$$= -401 - 221 = -622 \text{ psi compression} < 0.45 f'_c = 2250 \text{ psi ok}$$

$$f_{bot} = [(172\text{ft-k} + 45\text{ft-k} - 110\text{ft-k})(12)(1000)]/(3200 \text{ in}^3) - 221\text{psi}$$
$$= 401 - 221 = 180 \text{ psi tension} < 6\sqrt{f'_c} = 424 \text{ psi ok}$$

Support Stresses

$$f_{top} = (+M_{DL} + M_{LL} - M_b)/S - P/A$$

$$f_{bot} = (-M_{DL} - M_{LL} + M_b)/S - P/A$$

$$f_{top} = [(240\text{ft-k} + 64\text{ft-k} - 154\text{ft-k})(12)(1000)] / (3200 \text{ in}^3) - 221\text{psi}$$

$$= 563 - 221 = 342 \text{ psi tension} < 6\sqrt{f'_c} = 424 \text{ psi ok}$$

$$f_{bot} = [(-240\text{ft-k} - 64 \text{ft-k} + 154\text{ft-k})(12)(1000)] / (3200 \text{ in}^3) - 221\text{psi}$$

$$= -563 - 221 = -784 \text{ psi compression} < 0.45 f'_c = 2250 \text{ psi ok}$$

All stresses are within the permissible code limits.

Ultimate Strength

Determine factored moments

The primary post-tensioning moments, M_1 , vary along the length of the span.

$$M_1 = P * e$$

$e = 0$ in. at the exterior support

$e = 3.0$ in at the interior support (neutral axis to the center of tendon)

$$M_1 = (532\text{k})(3.0\text{in}) / (12) = 133\text{ft-k}$$

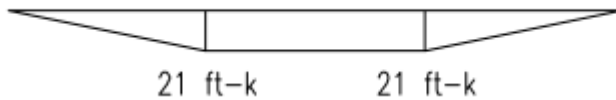


Figure 4: Secondary Moment Diagram

The secondary post-tensioning moments, M_{sec} , vary linearly between supports.

$$M_{sec} = M_b - M_1 = 154 \text{ ft-k} - 133 \text{ ft-k}$$

$$= 21 \text{ ft-k at the interior supports}$$

The typical load combination for ultimate strength design is

$$M_u = 1.2 M_{DL} + 1.6 M_{LL} + 1.0 M_{sec}$$

At midspan:

$$M_u = 1.2 (172\text{ft-k}) + 1.6 (45\text{ft-k}) + 1.0 (10.5 \text{ ft-k}) = 289 \text{ ft-k}$$

At support:

$$M_u = 1.2 (-240\text{ft-k}) + 1.6 (-64\text{ft-k}) + 1.0 (21 \text{ ft-k}) = -370 \text{ ft-k}$$

Determine minimum bonded reinforcement:

To see if acceptable for ultimate strength design.

Positive moment region:

$$\text{Interior span: } f_t = 15 \text{ psi} < 2\sqrt{f'_c} = 2\sqrt{5,000} = 141 \text{ psi}$$

No positive reinforcement required (ACI 18.9.3.1)

$$\text{Exterior span: } f_t = 180 \text{ psi} > 2\sqrt{f'_c} = 2\sqrt{5,000} = 141 \text{ psi}$$

Minimum positive moment reinforcement required (ACI 18.9.3.2)

$$y = f_t / (f_t + f_c)h$$

$$= [(180) / (180 + 622)](8 \text{ in})$$

$$= 1.80 \text{ in}$$

$$N_c = M_{DL+LL} / S * 0.5 * y * 12$$

$$= [(172 \text{ ft-k} + 45 \text{ ft-k})(12) / (3,200 \text{ in}^3)](0.5)(1.80 \text{ in})(25\text{ft})(12) = 220 \text{ k}$$

$$A_{s, \min} = N_c / 0.5f_y = (220 \text{ k}) / [0.5(60\text{ksi})] = 7.33 \text{ in}^2$$

Distribute the positive moment reinforcement uniformly across the slab-beam width and as close as practicable to the extreme tension fiber.

$$A_{s, \min} = (7.33 \text{ in}^2)/(25 \text{ ft}) = 0.293 \text{ in}^2/\text{ft}$$

Use #5 @ 12 in. oc Bottom = 0.31 in²/ft (or equivalent)

Minimum length shall be 1/3 clear span and centered in positive moment region (ACI 18.9.4.1)

Negative moment region:

$$A_{s, \min} = 0.00075A_{cf} \text{ (ACI 18.9.3.3)}$$

Interior supports:

$$A_{cf} = \max. (8\text{in})[(30\text{ft} + 27\text{ft})/2, 25\text{ft}] * 12$$

$$A_{s, \min} = 0.00075(2,736 \text{ in}^2) = 2.05 \text{ in}^2 = 11 - \#4 \text{ Top (2.20 in}^2)$$

Exterior supports:

$$A_{cf} = \max. (8\text{in})[(27\text{ft}/2), 25\text{ft}] * 12$$

$$A_{s, \min} = 0.00075(2,400 \text{ in}^2) = 1.80 \text{ in}^2 \\ = 9 - \#4 \text{ Top (1.80 in}^2)$$

Must span a minimum of 1/6 the clear span on each side of support (ACI 18.9.4.2)

At least 4 bars required in each direction (ACI 18.9.3.3)

Place top bars within 1.5h away from the face of the support on each side (ACI 18.9.3.3)

$$= 1.5 (8 \text{ in}) = 12 \text{ in}$$

Maximum bar spacing is 12" (ACI 18.9.3.3)

Check minimum reinforcement if it is sufficient for ultimate strength

$$M_n = (A_s f_y + A_{ps} f_{ps}) (d - a/2)$$

d = effective depth

$$A_{ps} = 0.153 \text{ in}^2 * (\text{number of tendons}) = 0.153 \text{ in}^2 * (20 \text{ tendons}) = 3.06 \text{ in}^2$$

$$f_{ps} = f_{se} + 10,000 + (f'_c b d) / (300 A_{ps}) \text{ for slabs with } L/h > 35 \text{ (ACI 18.7.2)}$$

$$= 174,000 \text{ psi} + 10,000 + [(5,000 \text{ psi})(25\text{ft} * 12\text{d})] / [(300)(3.06 \text{ in}^2)]$$

$$= 184,000 \text{ psi} + 1634d$$

$$a = (A_s f_y + A_{ps} f_{ps}) / (0.85 f'_c b)$$

At supports d = 8" - 3/4" - 1/4" = 7"

$$f_{ps} = 184,000 \text{ psi} + 1634(7") = 195,438 \text{ psi}$$

$$a = [(2.20 \text{ in}^2)(60 \text{ ksi}) + (3.06 \text{ in}^2)(195 \text{ ksi})] / [(0.85)(5 \text{ ksi})(25\text{ft} * 12)] = 0.57$$

$$\phi M_n = 0.9 [(2.20 \text{ in}^2)(60 \text{ ksi}) + (3.06 \text{ in}^2)(195 \text{ ksi})][7" - (0.57)/2] / 12$$

$$= 0.9 (728 \text{ k})(6.72 \text{ in}) / 12 = 367 \text{ ft-k} < 370 \text{ ft-k}$$

Reinforcement for ultimate strength requirements governs $A_{s, \text{reqd}} = 2.30 \text{ in}^2$

12 - #4 Top at interior supports
9 - #4 Top at exterior supports

When reinforcement is provided to meet ultimate strength requirements, the minimum lengths must also conform to the provision of ACI 318-05 Chapter 12. (ACI 18.9.4.3)

At midspan (end span)

$$d = 8'' - 1\frac{1}{2}'' - \frac{1}{4}'' = 6\frac{1}{4}''$$

$$f_{ps} = 184,000\text{psi} + 1634(6.25'')$$

$$= 194,212\text{psi}$$

$$a = [(7.33\text{ in}^2)(60\text{ ksi}) + (3.06\text{ in}^2)(194\text{ksi})] / [(0.85)(5\text{ksi})(25\text{ft} \times 12)] = 0.81$$

$$\phi M_n = 0.9 [(7.33\text{ in}^2)(60\text{ ksi}) + (3.06\text{ in}^2)(194\text{ksi})][6.25'' - (0.81)/2] / 12$$
$$= 0.9 (1033\text{k})(5.85\text{in}) / 12 = 453\text{ ft-k} > 289\text{ ft-k}$$

Minimum reinforcement ok

#5 @ 12"oc Bottom at end spans

This is a simplified hand calculation for a post-tensioned two-way plate design. A detailed example can be found in the PCA Notes on ACI 318-05 Building Code Requirements for Structural Concrete.

4. Circular prestressing

General

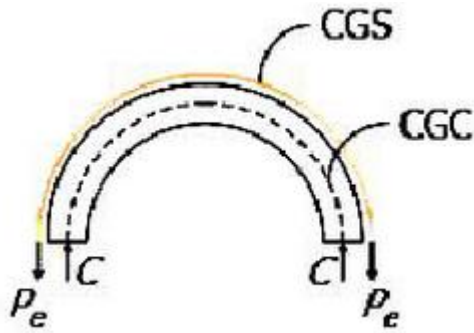
Circular Prestressing” is employed to denote the prestressing of circular structures such as pipes and tanks where the prestressing wires are wound in circles. In contrast to this term, “linear prestressing” is used to include all other types of prestressing, where the cables may be either straight or curved, but not wound in circles around a circular structure. In most prestressed circular structures, prestress is applied both circumferentially and longitudinally, the circumferential prestress being circular and the longitudinal prestress actually linear.

The circumferential prestressing resists the hoop tension generated due to the internal pressure. The prestressing is done by wires or tendons placed spirally, or over sectors of the circumference of the member. The wires or tendons lay outside the concrete core. Hence, the centre of the prestressing steel (CGS) is outside the core concrete section. When the prestressed members are curved, in the direction of prestressing, the prestressing is called circular prestressing. For example, circumferential prestressing in pipes, tanks, silos, containment structures and similar structures is a type of circular prestressing. In these structures, there can be prestressing in the longitudinal direction (parallel to axis) as well. Circular prestressing is also applied in domes and shells. [<https://theconstructor.org>]

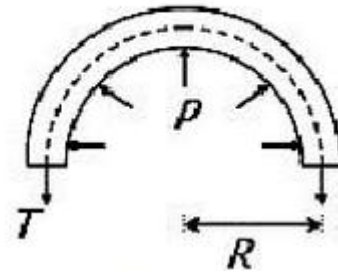
Introduction

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Liquid retaining structures, such as circular pipes, tanks and pressure vessels are admirably suited for circular prestressing. The circumferential hoop compression induced in concrete by prestressing counterbalances the hoop tension developed due to the internal fluid pressure. A reinforced concrete pressure pipe requires a large amount of reinforcement to ensure low-tensile stresses resulting in a crack-free structure. However, circular prestressing eliminates cracks and provides for an economical use of materials. In addition, prestressing safeguards against shrinkage cracks in liquid retaining structures. [<https://www.scribd.com/document>]



(a) Due to prestress



(b) Due to internal pressure

Fig1: Internal forces under service conditions

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To reduce the loss of prestress due to friction, the prestressing can be done over sectors of the circumference. Buttresses are used for the anchorage of the tendons. The following sketch shows the buttresses along the circumference.

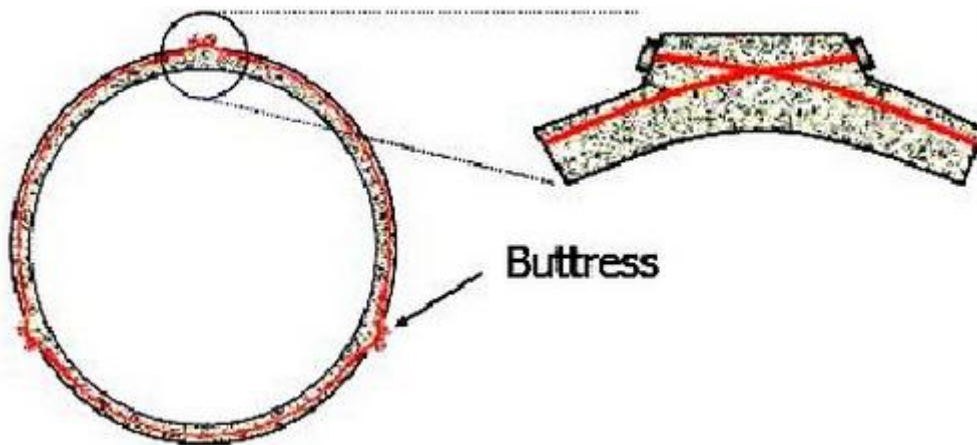


Fig 2: Use of buttress in Circular prestressing

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Design parameters

General analysis

a) Analysis at transfer

The compressive stress can be calculated from the compression C . From equilibrium, $C = P_o$, where P_o is the prestress at transfer after short-term losses. The compressive stress (f_c) is given as $f_c = -P_o / A$,

Where,

A = area of the longitudinal section of the slice. The permissible prestress is determined based on f_c within the allowable stress at transfer (f_c / all).

b) Analysis at service loads

The tensile stress due to the internal pressure (p) can be calculated from the tension T . From equilibrium of half of the slice, $T = \rho R$. Where, R is the radius of the mid-surface of the cylinder. The resultant stress (f_c) due to the effective prestress (P_e) and internal pressure is given as, $f_c = -P_o/A + \rho R/A_t$

A_t = area of the transformed longitudinal section of the slice.

Design

The internal pressure p and the radius are given variables. It is assumed that the prestressing steel alone carries the hoop tension due to internal pressure, that is,

$$P_e = A_p f_{ps} = \rho R.$$

The steps of design are as follows:

- 1) Calculate the area of the prestressing steel from the equation, $A_p = \rho R / f_{pe}$
- 2) Calculate the prestress at transfer from an estimate of the permissible initial stress f_{po} and using the equation $P_o = A_p f_{po}$.
- 3) Calculate the thickness of the concrete shell from the equation, $A = P_o / f_{cc}$, here $f_{cc,all}$ is the allowable compressive stress at transfer.
- 4) Calculate the resultant stress f_c at the service condition. The value of f_c should be within $f_{cc,all}$ the allowable compressive stress at service conditions.

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3) Circular prestressing

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