Performance Assessment Through Nonlinear Time History Analysis



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PBEE Current "Best" Practice: FEMA 273/356



Global Pushover Response



- Nonlinear "Pushover Analysis"
 - Modeling Assumptions
 - Force Distribution
 - Target Displacement (Sa)
- Component Modeling Criteria
 - "Backbone Curve"
- Component Acceptance Criteria
 - Force Controlled Elements
 - Deformation Controlled Elements

Example: Criteria for RC Beams (FEMA 273)

Modeling Para				ameters ³	Acceptance Criteria ³					
						Plastic Rotation Angle, radians				
						Component Type				
			Residual Strength Ratio	Primary			Secondary			
	Plastic Rotation Angle, radians			Performance Level						
Conditions			а	b	c	10	LS	СР	LS	СР
i. Beams	s controllec	t by flexure ¹								
$\frac{\rho - \rho'}{\rho_{i-1}}$	Trans. Reinf. ²	$\frac{V}{h d \sqrt{f'}}$								
Pbal		$v_w a \sqrt{j_c}$		_						
≤ 0.0	С	≤ 3	0.025	0.05	0.2	0.005	0.02	0.025	0.02	0.05
≤ 0.0	С	≥ 6	0.02	0.04	0.2	0.005	0.01	0.02	0.02	
≥ 0.5	С	≤ 3	0.02	0.03	0.2	0.005	0.01	0.02		
≥ 0.5	С	≥6	0.015	0.02	0.2	0.005	0.005	0		
≤ 0.0	NC	≤ 3	0.02	0.03	0.2	0.005	0.01			
≤ 0.0	NC	≥ 6	0.01	0.015	0.2	0.0	0.005	₩ CE		L
≥ 0.5	NC	≤ 3	0.01	0.015	0.2	0.005	0.0		1 1-	<i>D</i> _
≥ 0.5	NC	≥ 6	0.005	0.01	0.2	0.0	0.			a
ii. Beam	s controlled	d by shear ¹							/B	
Stirrup spacing $\leq d/2$			0.0	0.02	0.2	0.0	0.0			
Stirrup spacing > d/2			0.0	0.01	0.2	0.0	0.0			
iii. Beam	ns controlle	d by inadequa	te develop	oment or sp	licing along th	e span ¹				θ or Δ
Stirrup spacing $\leq d/2$			0.0	0.02	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0		
Stirrup spacing > d/2			0.0	0.01	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.	

Shortcomings of FEMA 273/356







Component Backbone Curve:

- Overly Idealized
- Conservative
- Deterministic



Component Backbone Curve

- Over-reliance on idealized (simplified) local component demand indices to predict system response
- Ambiguous relationships between **structural indices** and **building performance**
- Limited emphasis on static monotonic pushover approach 5

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Nonlinear Component and System Modeling
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Preview of Comprehensive Collapse Simulation



Moment Frames

• Beams, Columns, B-C Joints, and Foundations

Gravity Frames

• Slab/beams, Gravity Columns, S-C Joints, and Foundations

Shear Walls (not shown)

Issue: Whether or not to consider the lateral resistance of the "gravity system" in the simulation. There gravity system can provide significant enhancement in a nonlinear





- **1. Deterioration Modes of RC Elements**
 - Simulation vs. Fragility Models

2. Building System Collapse Scenarios

- Sidesway Collapse (SC)
- Loss in Vertical Load Carrying Capacity (LVCC)

3. Likelihood of Collapse Scenarios

- Existing vs. New Construction
- "Ordinary" versus "Special" seismic design





More realistic component simulation



Illustration: Axial Load & Post-Peak Response



Key Parameter: P/P_{balance}







asciton, Lici, Belencin (12 Story Init System)



Beam-Column Model Considerations

- Flexural Deformations
 - concrete cracking/tension stiffening
 - reinforcing bar yielding
 - concrete crushing
- Shear Deformations
 - uncracked, cracked
- Anchorage Bond Slip
 - pre and post-yield
- Critical Failure Modes and Deterioration
 - lateral tie fracture ... concrete crushing, rebar buckling
 - longitudinal bar buckling/fracture
 - PMV interaction



Beam-Column Model Considerations, cont'd

- Definition of Displacements and Deformations
 - Total Δ = Distortional (or "Natural") Δ + Rigid Body Δ
 - Total Δ = *Clear* Story Drift
 - Damage is typically associated with distortional deformations





- Model Input
 - Physical Design Parameters (material, configuration, geometry, details, ...)
 - Calculated/calibrated backbone parameters (*mean and COVs* for anchor points and hysteretic response parameters)
- Model Output: Engineering Demand Parameters (e.g., $\Theta_{plastic}$)





RC Beam-Column Simulation Model Calibration



OVERVIEW OF CALIBRATION EFFORT

- Basic Hysteretic Model
 - 5 parameter backbone curve
 - 2 (x4) hysteretic parameters
- Previous RC Behavioral Studies
 - -Fardis et al. (Θcap, Θu)
 - -Eberhard et al. (EDP criteria for spalling and bar buckling)
- Current effort: Systematic calibration to 226 flexurally dominated columns

• Goal: Validated model to be vetted through consensus process





Semi-Empirical -- calibrated from tests, fiber analyses, and basic mechanics:

- Secant Stiffness (EI_{eff})
- Yield Strength (My)
- Hardening Stiffness



Empirical - calibrated from tests:

- Capping (peak) point
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- Post-peak unloading (strain softening) stiffness
- Hysteretic stiffness/strength degradation



COMPONENT	$\Theta_{cap,pl}$ (RAD)	COV	α	COV
Beam - Conforming	0.07	60%	-0.05	60%
Beam - Nonconforming	0.02 to 0.05	w	-0.15	w
Column – conform, low axial	0.04 to 0.05	**	-0.05	w
Column – nonconf, low axial	0.02	w	-0.15	w
Column – nonconf, med. axial	0.01	w	-0.15	w



Phenomenological P-M-V Hinge Element



Desired Model Features:

- direct modeling of P-M interaction through limit surface (strength, post-peak softening, hysteretic degradation)
- DIRECT SIMULATION (as opposed to limit state check) of column shear failure and axial failure (LVCC)
- More transparent modeling of flexibility introduced by bond slip and shear deformations.

Beam-Column Joint Models











Shear Wall Systems – Behavior Modes



- Flexural Behavior
 - concrete cracking/tension stiffening
 - reinforcing bar yielding
 - concrete crushing
 - tie rupture rebar buckling/fracture
- Shear Behavior
 - uncracked, cracked
 - shear failure
- Anchorage Bond Slip (base only)
 - pre and post-yield
- Coupling Beams
- Foundations
- System Compatibility
 - slab/column & slab/wall
 - column deformation

Idealization of RC Walls













Continuum

Multi-Spring

Concentrated Spring

Shear Wall Modeling and Behavior

- Squat (short) walls versus tall flexural walls
- Inelastic Time History versus Equivalent Static Loading
 - surprising variations in flexural and shear demands
 - shears can be much higher than predicted by pushover analysis (e.g., Krawinkler & Zareian)



Viscous Damping with NLTH Analysis $\begin{bmatrix} M \\ \ddot{x} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} C \\ \dot{x} \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} K \\ x \end{bmatrix} = -\begin{bmatrix} M \\ \ddot{x}_g \end{bmatrix} + \begin{bmatrix} P \end{bmatrix}$

Raleigh Damping:

$$\begin{bmatrix} C \end{bmatrix} = \alpha \begin{bmatrix} M \end{bmatrix} + \beta \begin{bmatrix} K \end{bmatrix}; \quad \zeta_n = \frac{\alpha}{2} \frac{1}{\omega_n} + \frac{\beta}{2} \omega_n$$

- For inelastic analysis, viscous damping should be on the order of $\zeta n = 5\%$.
- Need to be careful how [*K*] is specified, i.e., [*K_e*] versus [*K_t*], since the choice will lead to variations in [C] during the analysis (see Bernal).

Explicit Damping Elements (preferred?):







Key Points

- "W" should represent the seismic mass that is being stabilized by the lateral system (not just the tributary gravity load)
- "Linear P-∆" formulations accurate for drift ratios up to about 5-10%; beyond this large rotation (e.g., "co-rotational") formulations should be used to track response.



- **NLTH Analysis Results**
- For structural systems governed by *sidesway collapse,* evidence suggests that the dynamic drift capacity is about 2/3 of the static pushover limit (Δ_u) --- provided that the static analysis represents strength degradation due to strain (displacement) softening and P- Δ effects.
- Collapse point can be very sensitive to ground motion intensity level and other effects.

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FEMA 356 with NL Time History Analysis

- NL Analysis Model
 - modeling assumptions (role of component backbone curves?)
- Selection of GM
 - match M, R and fault type/mechanism
 - records from at least 3 events
 - synthetics OK if necessary

Scaling of GM to UHS to "design EQ"

- 5% damped spectra from SRSS of two orthogonal components
- Scale such that SRSS spectra > 1.4 UHS for periods between 0.2T₁ and 1.5T₁

Ex. – Ground Motion Scaling to 10/50 Hazard



20 components for 10 pairs of EQ Records

FEMA 356 with NL Time History Analysis

- Acceptance Critera
 - Demand Parameters < Component Criteria • e.g., $\Theta_{p} < \Theta_{p,limit}$
 - Evaluation based on either:
 - Maximum demand from results of 3 records
 - Average demand from results of >7 records

Concerns:

- statistical rationale for acceptance criteria ?
- implementation (which 3 records) ?

"Enhanced FEMA 356"

- Realistic Inelastic Model
- Nonlinear Time History Analysis
- 20 ground motions (10 pairs) with their geometric mean scaled to hazard at Sa(T1)
- Statistical evaluation of deformation demands to input ground motions
- Probabilistic assessment of component acceptance criteria to test data $Probability[\Theta_{p} > \Theta_{p,limit-state}] = X$

Illustration – 4 Story SMF Building

- Office occupancy
- Los Angeles Basin
- Design Code: 2003 IBC / 2002 ACI / ASCE7-02
 - Perimeter Frame System
- Maximum considered EQ demands:
 - S_s = 1.5g; S₁ = 0.9g
 - S_{a(2% in 50 yr)} = 0.82g
- Design V/W of 0.094g







RC Beam & Column Component Models



OpenSees Model

- Lumped plasticity beams, columns, and joints with strength/stiffness degradation
- Geometric NL (P-Δ)
- 20 ground motions (10 pairs)

$\Theta_{pl,cap}$ of conforming members:

- Columns (low axial)
 Mean = 0.050 rad
 COV = 40%
- Beams Mean = 0.065 rad

COV = 40%





- 20 time history analyses at each of 5 hazard levels
- peak inter-story drift ratio from each time history analysis
- ground motions are scaled to hazard spectra over the region $0.2T_1$ to $1.5T_1$.

Probabilistic Measures of Drift Demand



Beam and Column Plastic Rotation Demands



At 2% in 50 year (MCE) Sa:

Beams:

 $\Theta_{p,max} = 0.012 \text{ to } 0.045$ Mean $\Theta_{p,max} = 0.025$ COV = 43% *(vs. FEMA 356 \Theta_{cp} < 0.025)*

Columns: $\Theta_{p,max} = 0 \text{ to } 0.03$ Mean $\Theta_{p,max} = 0.010$ COV = 110% (vs. FEMA 356 $\Theta_{cp} < 0.020$)

Probabilistic Limit State Assessment



Comments

• Advantages

-More transparent and rigorous assessment of component limit state criteria

-Framework to incorporate available test data (outside the scope of FEMA 356)

- Limitations and Issues
 - Requires judgment to select appropriate limit states and the probabilistic acceptance criteria, i.e., *P*[*D*>*C*] at some hazard level

-Still limited by assumptions between component and system performance.

- Does not incorporate variability and uncertainties in structural system behavior.

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Performance-Based Earthquake Engineering



PBEE COLLAPSE (SAFETY) Assessment



Incremental Dynamic Analysis Concept



- 1. Given: Inelastic Analysis Model
- 2. Select and scale earthquake ground motion to specified earthquake intensity (IM)
- 3. Perform nonlinear time history analysis
- 4. Record and plot engineering demand parameter (EDP)
- 5. Repeat steps 2-5 until system collapse is observed through analysis
- Perform check for local LVCC conditions that are not simulated in analysis





Sidesway Collapse Modes



40% of collapses



17% of collapses



5% of collapses



27% of collapses



12% of collapses



2% of collapses







Collapse Capacity – with Modeling Uncert.



Combined Sidesway and Vertical (LVCC) Collapse $P[C \mid IM = im] = P[C_{SIM} \mid IM = im] + P[C_{DM} \mid NC_{SIM}, IM = im] \cdot P[NC_{SIM} \mid IM = im]$ Sidesway Collapse + Probability of LVCC X Probability of no SS **Total Collapse Probability Probability at IM**, (given drift ratio) Collapse at IM, P (DM | EDP 3. 1.0).9 Probability of LVCC).8 $S_a(g)$ at (T_1)).7).6).5 LVCC (e.g., slab).4 failure, column).3 shear-axial failure)).2).1 0.0 0.05 0.1 0.15 1% 2% 3% 4% 5% 0% 6% Peak Interstory Drift Ratio Peak Interstory Drift Ratio

Plot is shown for illustration purposes; not calibrated to test data.

Collapse Capacity – Simulation + LVCC



Concluding Remarks

Benefits of Assessment by NLTH Analysis

- More explicit simulation of cyclic and dynamic effects
- Transparent and extendable to innovative systems and materials
- Challenges with NLTH Analysis
 - Calibration/Validation of Hysteretic Component Models
 - Selection and Scaling of Input Ground Motions
 - Computational hurdles (convergence, runtime, post-processing)

Standardization of Structural Component Models & Criteria

- Simulation & fragility models
- Statistically "neutral" models i.e., *mean* and *COV*
- Important role for material standards organizations (e.g., ACI)

Future Vision -- Explicit Assessment of Collapse Risk

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