

# Industrial Applications of Computational Mechanics

## Post processing and Design codes

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# FE – Sections versus Classical Beam Theory

- The length is considerably greater than the height (slender members)
- Sections remain plane (Bernoulli-Hypothesis)
- Thus we have a „simple“ theory for static analysis
- There are cases where this theory is not sufficient

# A beam as a 3D-solid substructure

$$u_x = u_{x0} + \varphi_{y0} (z - z_s) - \varphi_{z0} (y - y_s)$$

$$u_y = u_{y0} - \varphi_{x0} (z - z_m)$$

$$u_z = u_{z0} + \varphi_{x0} (y - y_m)$$

- Shape functions for beam-deformations
- Applying a variational principle on the strains and stresses derived from that yields a powerful beam element including haunches and eccentricities.

# Missing functionalities

- all types of sectional deformations
  - Torsion / Warping torsion
  - Transverse shear, secondary torsion
  - Shape deformations
- transverse loading
- local effects (supports etc.)
- general temperature loadings
- Some of them may be added by extended theories

# What is shear ?

- A force not perpendicular to a reference area.
- Thus shear depends on the selection of the coordinate system.
- Tensor invariants (e.g. principal stresses) may describe the problem more generally.
- Bernoulli-Hypothesis suppresses the effects of shear stresses.

# The shear design problem

- Simplified (e.g. ACI 318-M)  
modified strength values for concrete and steel  
thinnest web thickness and distance of  
reinforcements  $d$

$$\phi [V_c + V_s] \geq V_u$$

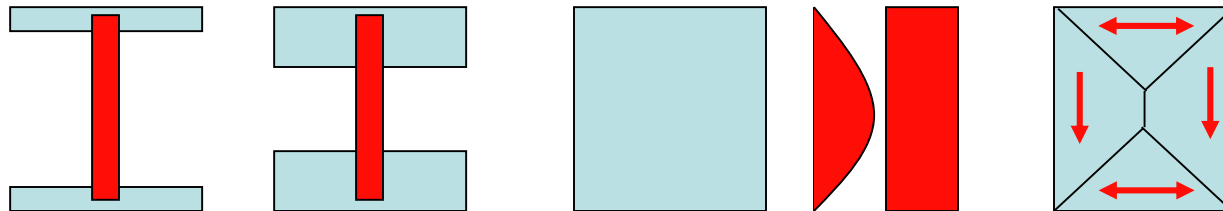
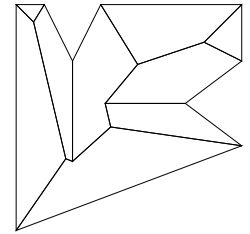
$$V_c = f_{cv} \cdot b_w \cdot d$$

$$V_s = f_y \cdot \frac{A_v}{s} \cdot d$$



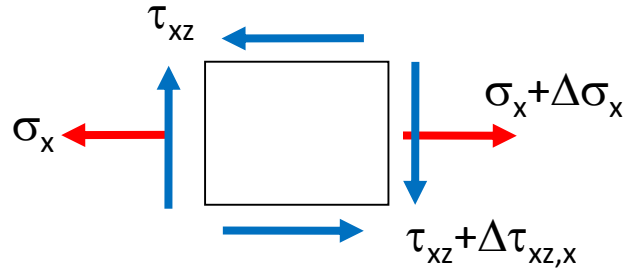
# Maximum design force for steel sections

- e.g. web area of a double t-beam
- And for a rectangular section ?
- a constant value violates boundary conditions
- sand hill analogue yields not enough area





# Equilibrium



$$\frac{\partial \tau_{xy}}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial \tau_{xz}}{\partial z} + \frac{\partial \sigma_x}{\partial x} = 0$$

$$\frac{\partial \tau_{xz}}{\partial x} + p = 0$$

# Classical force dependant method

$$\sigma_x = \frac{M_y I_z + M_z I_{yz}}{I_y I_z - I_{yz}^2} \cdot z - \frac{M_z I_y + M_y I_{yz}}{I_y I_z - I_{yz}^2} \cdot y$$

$$T = \int -\frac{\partial \sigma_x}{\partial x} dA = \int \left( \frac{V_z I_z + V_y I_{yz}}{I_y I_z - I_{yz}^2} \cdot z + \frac{V_y I_y + V_z I_{yz}}{I_y I_z - I_{yz}^2} \cdot y \right) dA + T_0$$

$$\tau = \frac{T}{b} = \frac{V \cdot S}{I \cdot b}$$

- *Prismatic beam element, no further derivatives*
- *Shear stress is constant along the width  $b$*
- *Integration constant  $T_0$  will become zero.*
- *Use the complete formula for biaxial bending.*

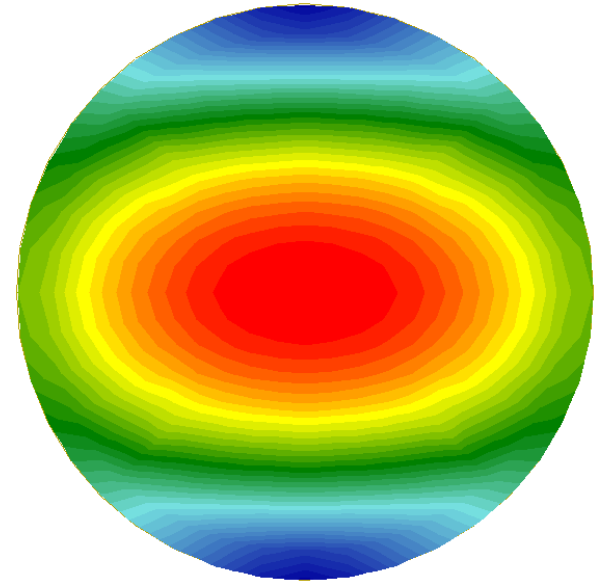
# Deformation based method (FEM/BIEM)

$$\tau_{xy} = G \left( \frac{\partial w}{\partial y} - z \frac{\partial \Theta_x}{\partial x} \right)$$

$$\tau_{xz} = G \left( \frac{\partial w}{\partial z} + y \frac{\partial \Theta_x}{\partial x} \right)$$

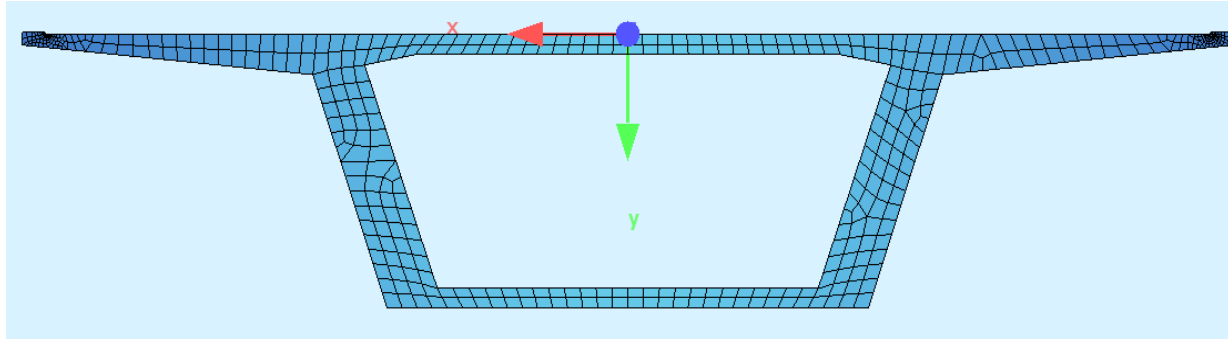
$$G\Delta w = G \left( \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial y^2} + \frac{\partial^2 w}{\partial z^2} \right) = - \frac{\partial \sigma_x}{\partial x}$$

*Boundary condition* :  $\tau_{xy} n_y + \tau_{xz} n_z = 0$



**Transverse shear**

# FEM - section



QNR 1 MNR 1 MBW 2 BEZ 'Hohlquerschnitt'

QPOL U MNR 1 SMAX 0.40 ; QP '1' -6.448 0.307 ....

QPOL A MNR 1 SMAX 0.40 ; QP '20' 0.000 3.360 ....

QNR 2 MNR 1 MBW 2 BEZ 'Hohlquerschnitt' FEM 'bridge\_fem' LTAU 9900

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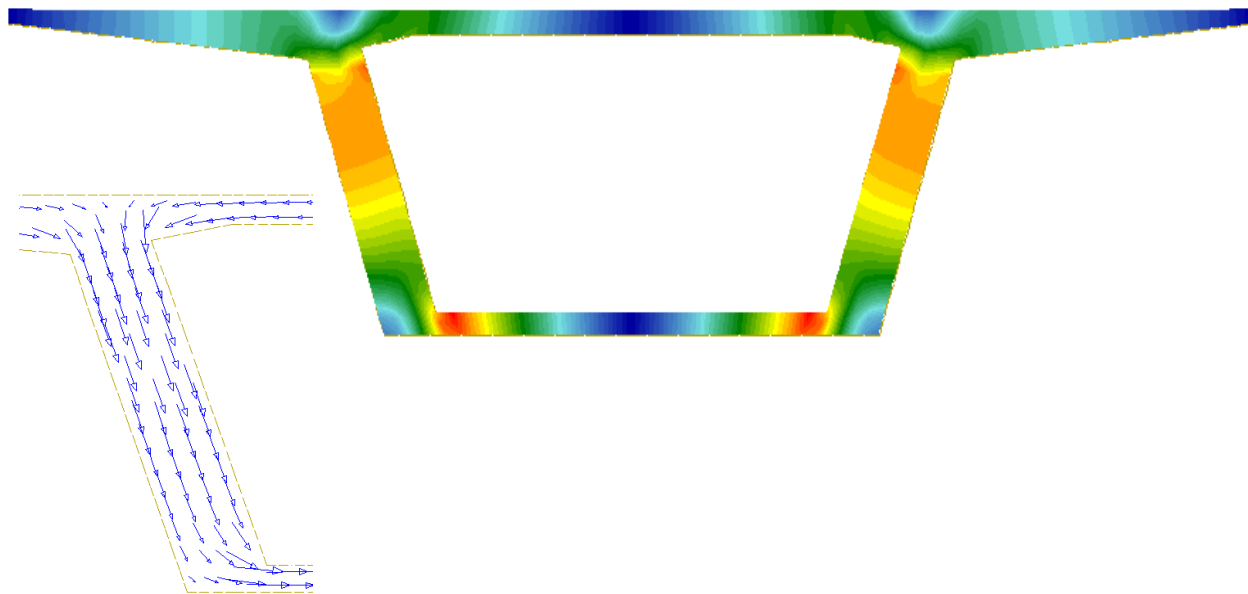
# Shear due to $M_t$



# Shear due to $V_y$

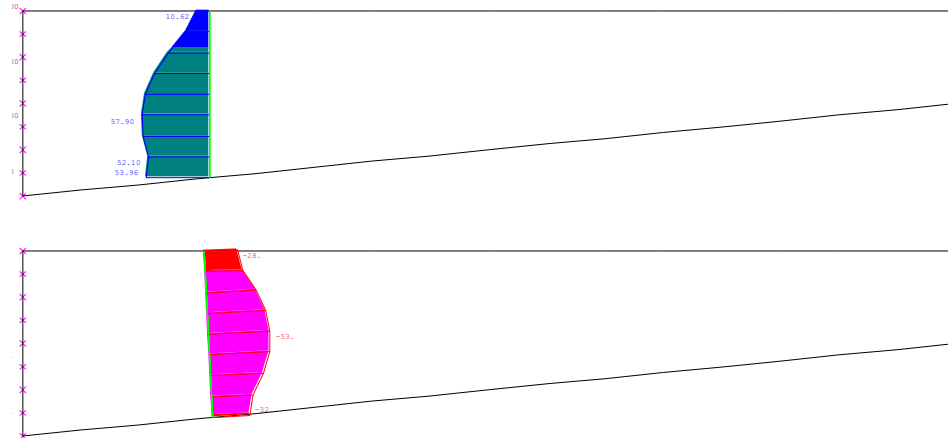


# Shear due to $V_z$



# Shear stress deficiencies

- They are „fictitious“ values, depending on the orientation of the local coordinate system
- Material behaviour is generally defined in principal stresses (Tensor invariants)







# Applications in composite structures

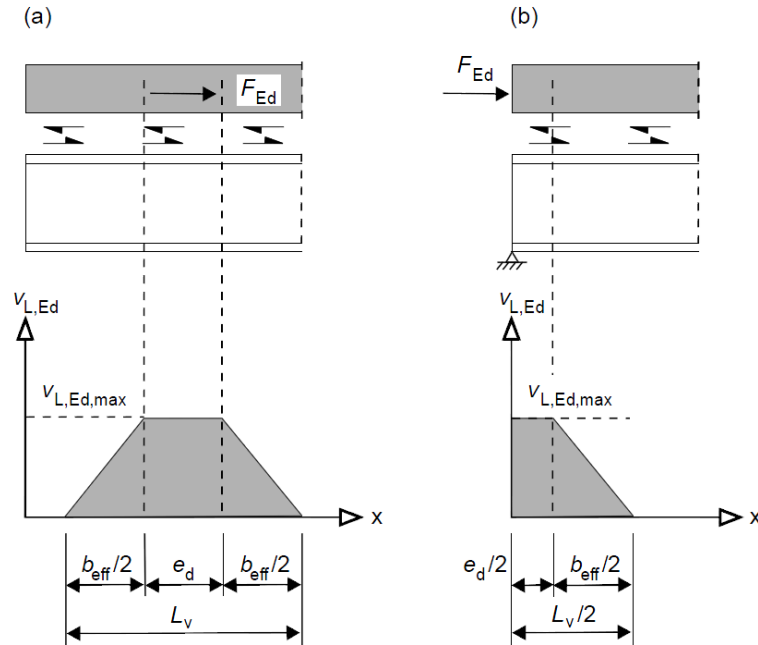
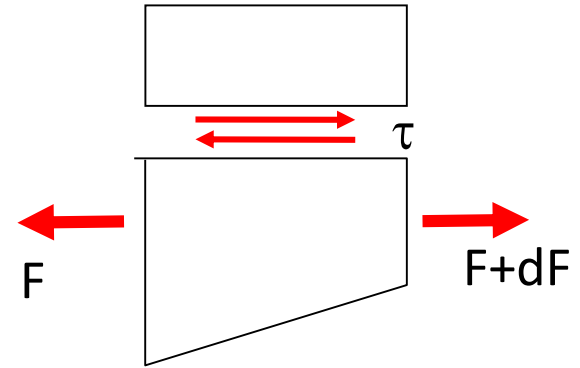


Bild 6.3 Verteilung der Längsschubkraft entlang der Verbundfuge

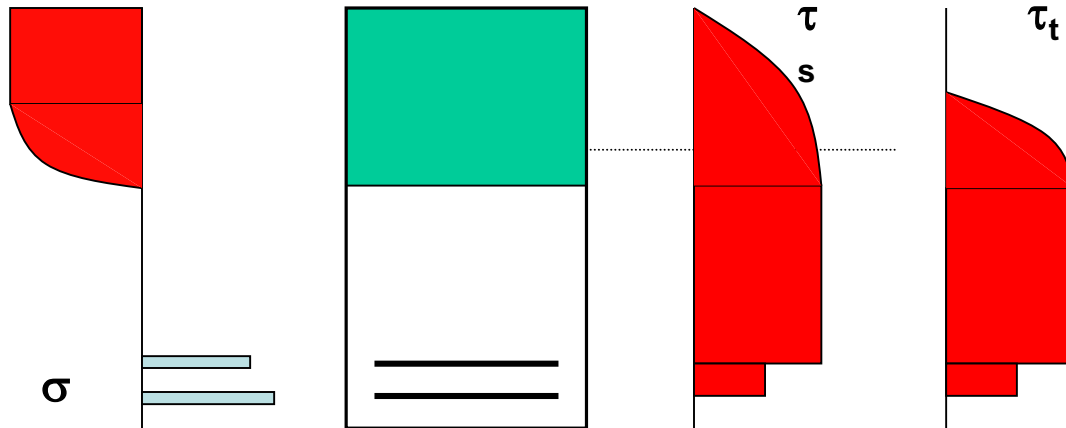
# General: Difference of longitudinal forces



- Well known approach (BK)
- Applicable for haunched beams
- No butts: equilibrium !

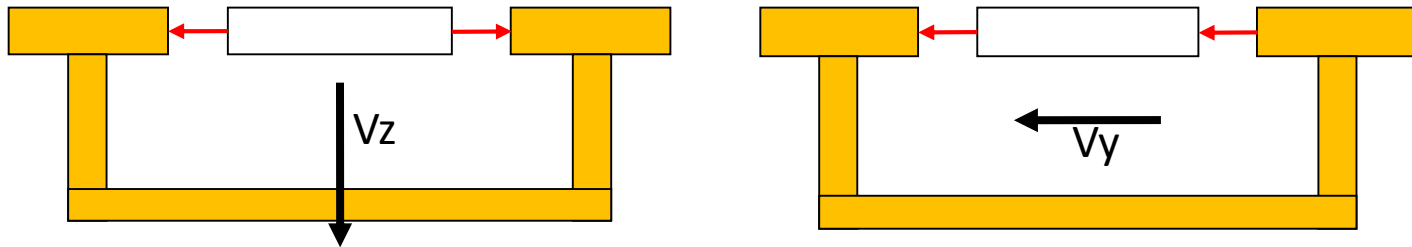
# The cracked reinforced concrete section

- Basic rule: change of the shear stress depending on the normal force
- So we have a constant shear stress in the cracked zone
- Elastic concrete would yield a quadratic shear stress  $\tau$
- non linear plastified concrete ?

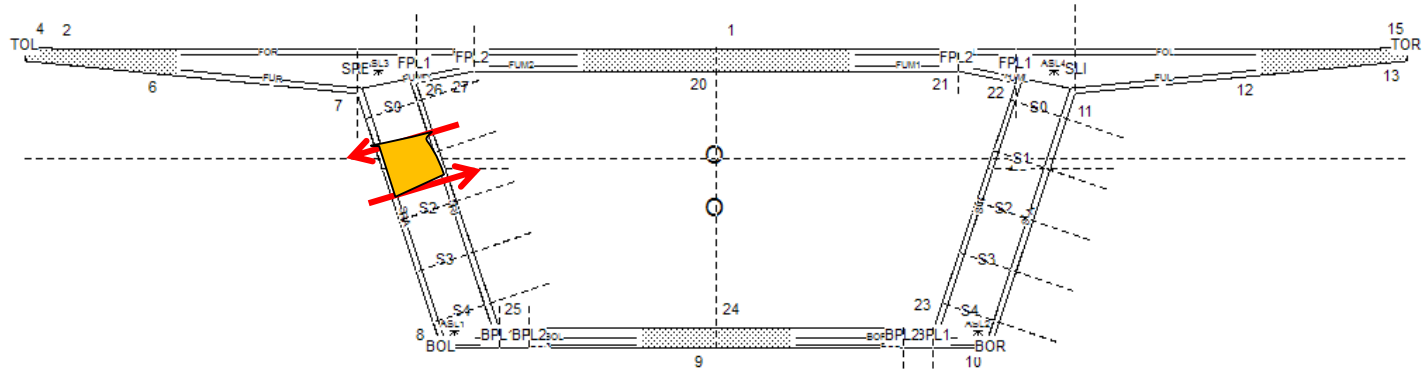


# How to distribute shear for hollow sections

- *Use the general method with a deformation closure*
- *Select cuts to allow for symmetry conditions.*

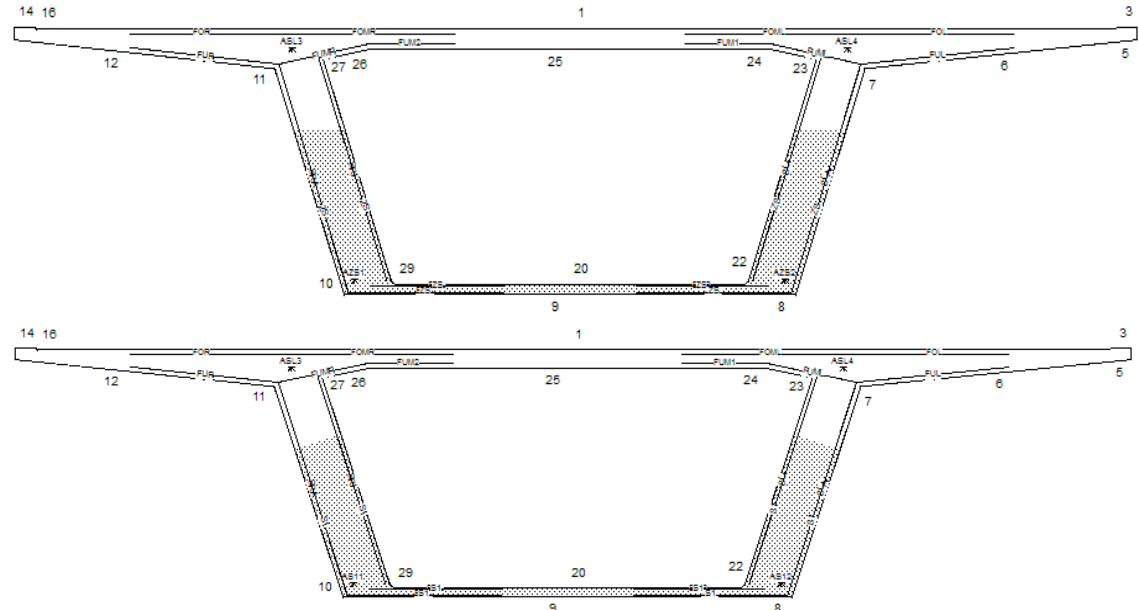


# Attention!



- For small parts the shear may become zero
- Fall-back is the uncracked section

# Cut through the web ?



- 5,5 % difference

# Cracked sections

## Method of partial areas

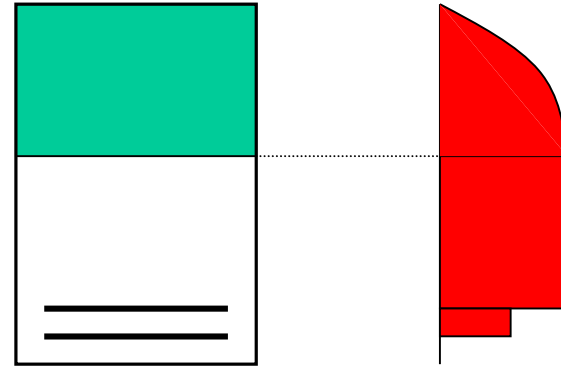
- *Lever increases (e.g. 0.66h to 0.85d)*
- *Maximum shear flow  $V/z$  at neutral line*
- *Calculation of lever sometimes very difficult (e.g. for fully compressive or tensioned sections)*
- *Biaxial bending ?!*

$$T_{\max} = \frac{\sqrt{V_y^2 + V_z^2}}{\sqrt{y^2 + z^2}}$$



## „Katz Formula“

- Design code says:  
Ratio of separated tensile or compressive force.
- If the cut moves into the compressive zone the shear has to become less.
- Empirical rule

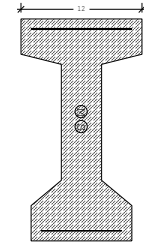


$$T = T_{\max} * ABS \left[ \frac{Z}{Z_{ges}} - \frac{D}{D_{ges}} \right]$$

# Concrete Design derived from uncracked section

- Stresses obtained from linear theory (as usual).
- Design is done in ultimate limit state
- Shear flow  $T$  [kN/m] 
$$T = \int \tau \approx \tau \cdot b$$
- Design on  $T$  instead of  $V/b$  with variable angle truss theory.
- Optional scaling with  $z_{\text{elastic}}/z_{\text{cracked}}$

# A small example



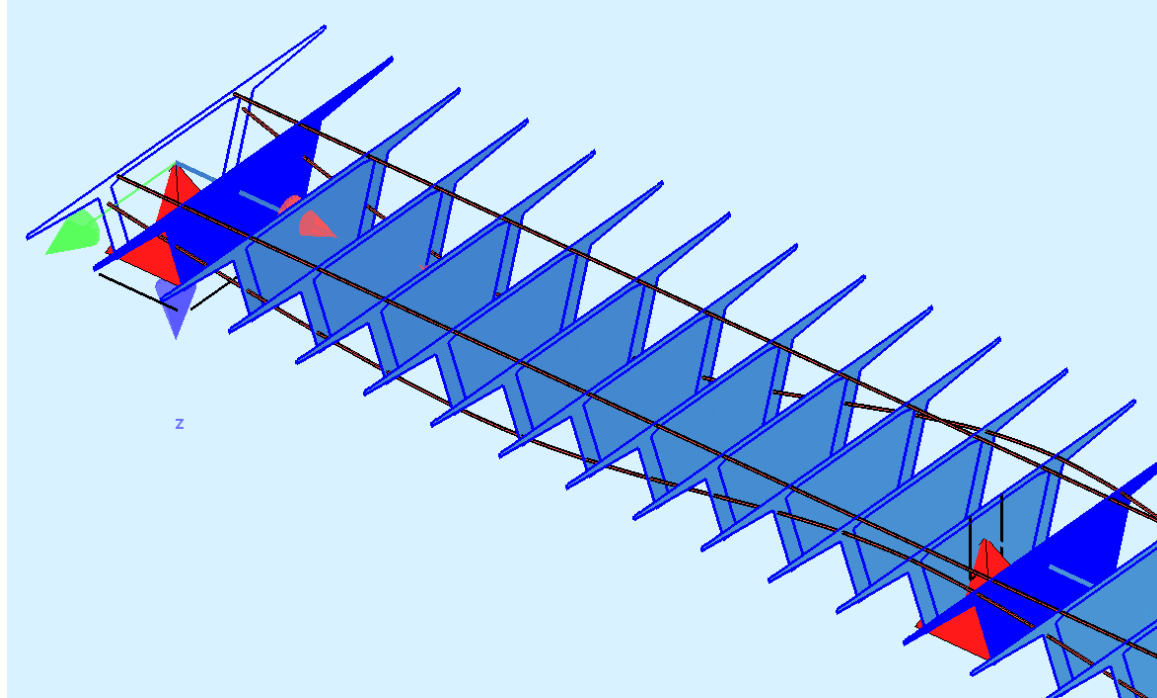
## Required Reinforcements

$x[m]$	$N_i$ [kN]	$M_{yi}/M_{zi}$ [kNm]	$e1/yn$ [o/oo / mm]	$e2/zn$	$nue$	$rel$ tra	$As$	$L$ [cm <sup>2</sup> ]	$V_z[kN]$	$z[m]$
0.000	0.0	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.00	not calculated			23.45	0.210
0.135	0.0	6.13	-0.86	5.00	1.00	2.01	1.60	Z	21.82	0.192
0.400	0.0	13.35	-1.45	5.00	1.00	1.59	1.60	Z	18.62	0.192
0.913	0.0	16.37	-1.66	5.00	1.00	1.00	0.40	I	12.42	0.185
							1.60	Z		
1.427	0.0	21.16	-2.05	5.00	1.00	1.00	1.04	I	6.20	0.183
							1.60	Z		
1.940	0.0	22.75	-2.21	5.00	1.00	1.00	1.26	I	0.00	0.182
							1.60	Z		
2.453	0.0	21.16	-2.05	5.00	1.00	1.00	1.04	I	-6.20	0.183
							1.60	Z		
2.967	0.0	16.37	-1.66	5.00	1.00	1.00	0.40	I	-12.42	0.185
							1.60	Z		
3.480	0.0	13.35	-1.45	5.00	1.00	1.59	1.60	Z	-18.62	0.192
3.745	0.0	6.13	-0.86	5.00	1.00	2.01	1.60	Z	-21.82	0.192
3.880	0.0	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.00	not calculated			-23.45	0.210

# Comparison with bond

$x[m]$	$Z_0$ [kN]	$Z_z$ [kN]	$Z_s$ [kN]	$reltra$ $\eta$	$F$ $(Z_z+Z_s)$ / $\eta$	$\Delta F_-/a$ [kN/m]	$\Delta F_+/a$ [kN/m]	$\Delta F/a$ [kN/m]	$V/z$ [kN/m]	$T_{elast}$ [kN/m]
0.135	31.8	95.9	-	5.78	16.6	123.0	111.3	118.8	113.6	133.1
0.400	72.0	106.5	-	2.31	46.1	111.3	85.0	98.1	97.0	113.6
0.913	72.0	106.5	-	1.19	89.7	85.0	51.6	68.3	66.4	75.8
1.427	72.0	106.5	9.7	1.00	116.2	51.6	17.5	34.6	34.0	37.8

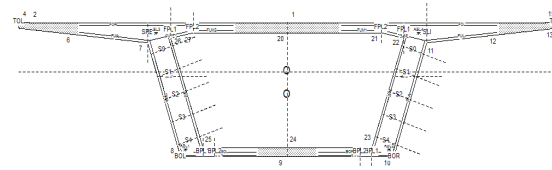
# An Example of a Bridge



# Hogging Moment

$M_y = -44247 \text{ kNm}$ ,  $V_z = 8999 \text{ kN}$

$z = 3.15 \text{ m}$ ,  $T = 2856 \text{ kN/m}$ .

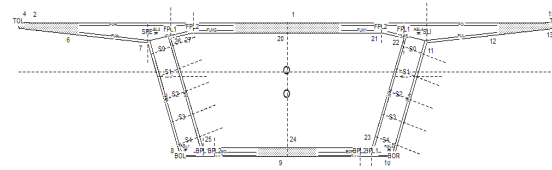


<i>Span 2 X=3.0</i>	<i>S0</i>	<i>S1</i>	<i>S2</i>	<i>S3</i>	<i>S4</i>	<i>BPL</i>	<i>FPL1</i>	<i>FPL2</i>
<i>width[m]</i>	<i>0.70</i>	<i>0.70</i>	<i>0.70</i>	<i>0.70</i>	<i>0.70</i>	<i>0.260</i>	<i>0.397</i>	<i>0.260</i>
<i>Shear (elastic)</i>	<i>1596</i>	<i>1643</i>	<i>1534</i>	<i>1270</i>	<i>849</i>	<i>758</i>	<i>598</i>	<i>463</i>
<i>Partial Shear</i>	<i>1425</i>	<i>1428</i>	<b><i>1428</i></b>	<i>1292</i>	<i>928</i>	<i>574</i>	<i>400</i>	<i>380</i>
<i>Differential shear 3m</i>	<i>2094</i>	<i>1688</i>	<i>1688</i>	<i>1493</i>	<i>1062</i>	<i>656</i>	<i>343</i>	<i>17</i>
<i>Differential shear 1m</i>	<i>1660</i>	<i>1664</i>	<b><i>1659</i></b>	<i>1437</i>	<i>1017</i>	<i>628</i>	<i>329</i>	<i>16</i>

# End support

$M_y=21751 \text{ kNm}$ ,  $V_z= 2974 \text{ kN}$

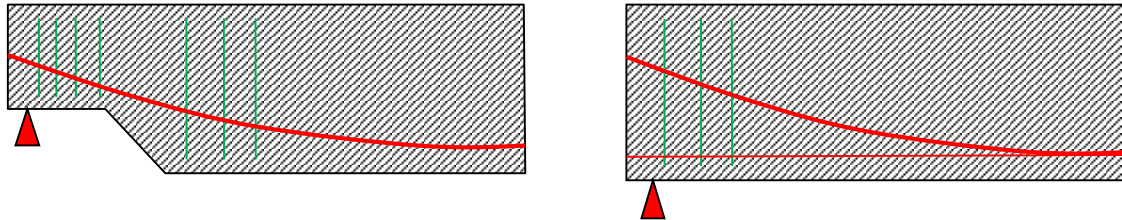
$z=1.68 \text{ m}$ ,  $T= 1770 \text{ kN/m}$ .



<i>Span 1 X=3.0</i>	<i>S0</i>	<i>S1</i>	<i>S2</i>	<i>S3</i>	<i>S4</i>	<i>BPL</i>	<i>FPL1</i>	<i>FPL2</i>
<i>Width [m]</i>	<i>0.70</i>	<i>0.70</i>	<i>0.70</i>	<i>0.70</i>	<i>0.70</i>	<i>0.260</i>	<i>0.397</i>	<i>0.260</i>
<i>Shear (elastic)</i>	<i>527</i>	<i>543</i>	<i>507</i>	<i>419</i>	<i>281</i>	<i>250</i>	<i>198</i>	<i>153</i>
<i>Partial shear</i>	<i>902</i>	<i>897</i>	<i>67</i>	<i>55</i>	<i>44</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>407</i>	<i>310</i>
<i>Differential shear 3m</i>	<i>1354</i>	<i>1346</i>	<i>1340</i>	<i>42</i>	<i>33</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>742</i>	<i>592</i>
<i>Differential shear 1m</i>	<i>1112</i>	<i>1105</i>	<i>*</i>	<i>34</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>587</i>	<i>447</i>

# Assessment

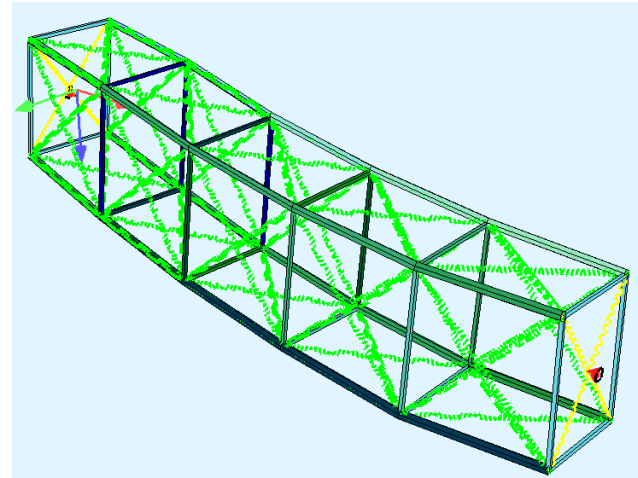
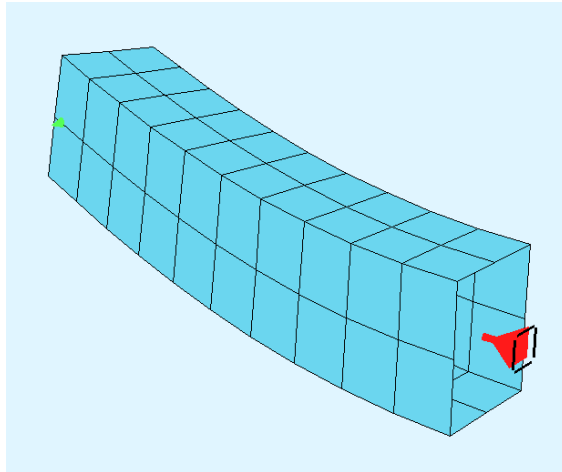
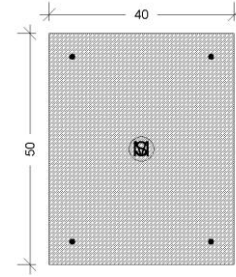
- Lever is very small!
- => Shear becomes large
- => The construction is not properly selected
- Program should react on improper problem description!





# Spatial frame

- Rectangular section  $b/h = 40/50$  cm
- Span width 4.0 m
- Loading 140 kN/m & 100 kN/m transverse



## Classical Analysis (x=0.40 m)

- Forces and moments

$$V_y = 160.0 \text{ kN} \quad M_z = -72.00 \text{ kNm}$$

$$V_z = 224.0 \text{ kN} \quad M_y = 100.80 \text{ kNm}$$

- Shear flux per side (  $h'=5 \text{ cm}$ ,  $z=0.9 \text{ d}$  )

$$T_y = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 160.0 / 0.315 = 253.97 \text{ kN/m}$$

$$T_z = \frac{1}{2} \cdot 224.0 / 0.405 = 276.54 \text{ kN/m}$$

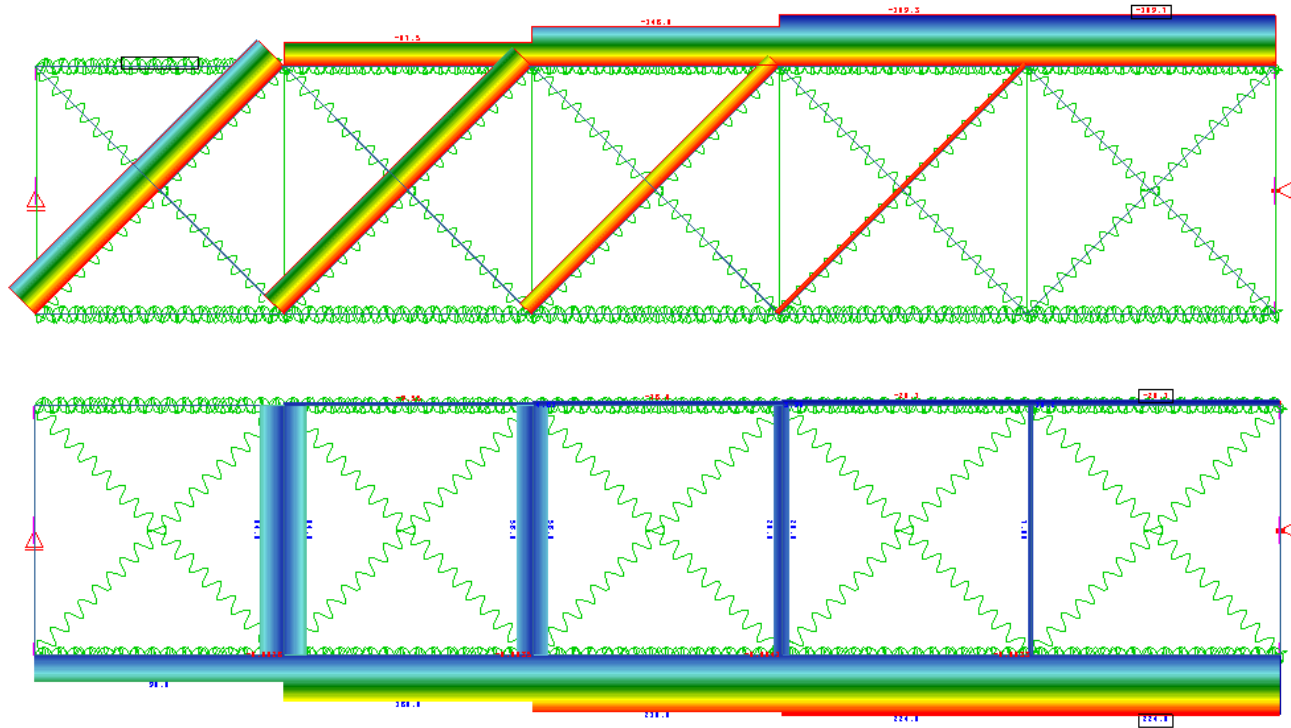
- Force in the shear links (  $\theta = 45^\circ$  ,  $s = 40 \text{ cm}$  )

vertical                      101.6 kN

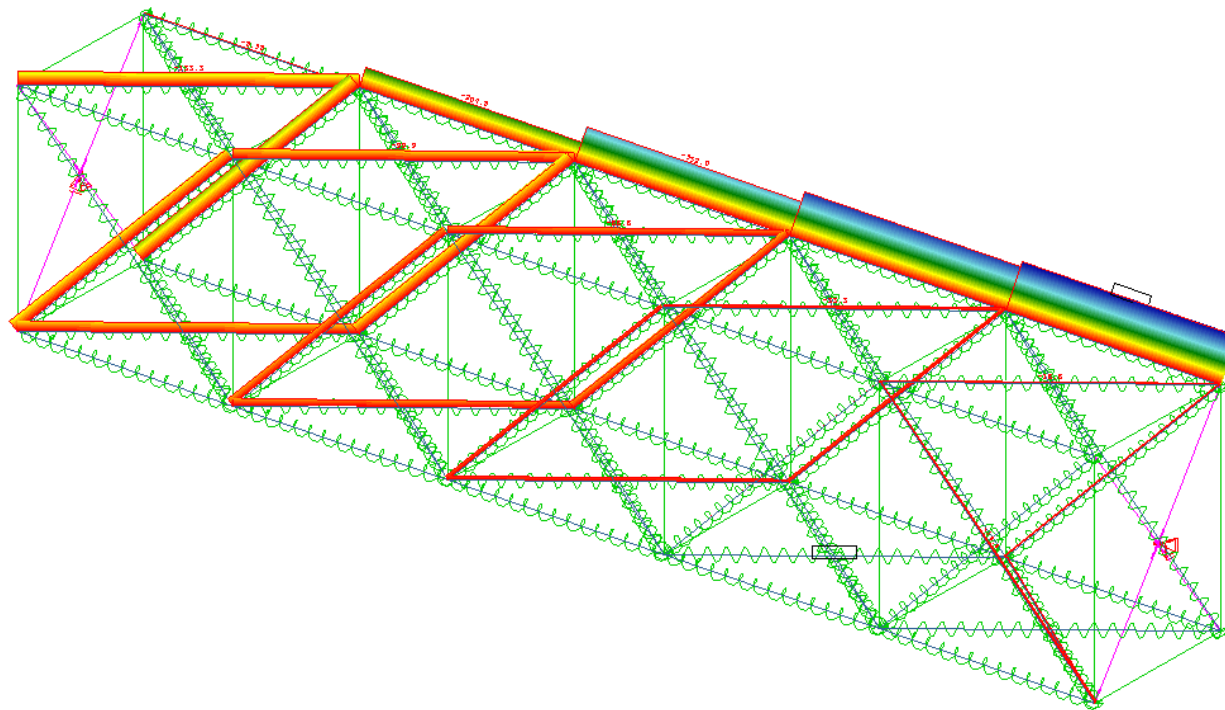
horizontal                      110.6 kN

- Forces are nearly independant from acting moments.

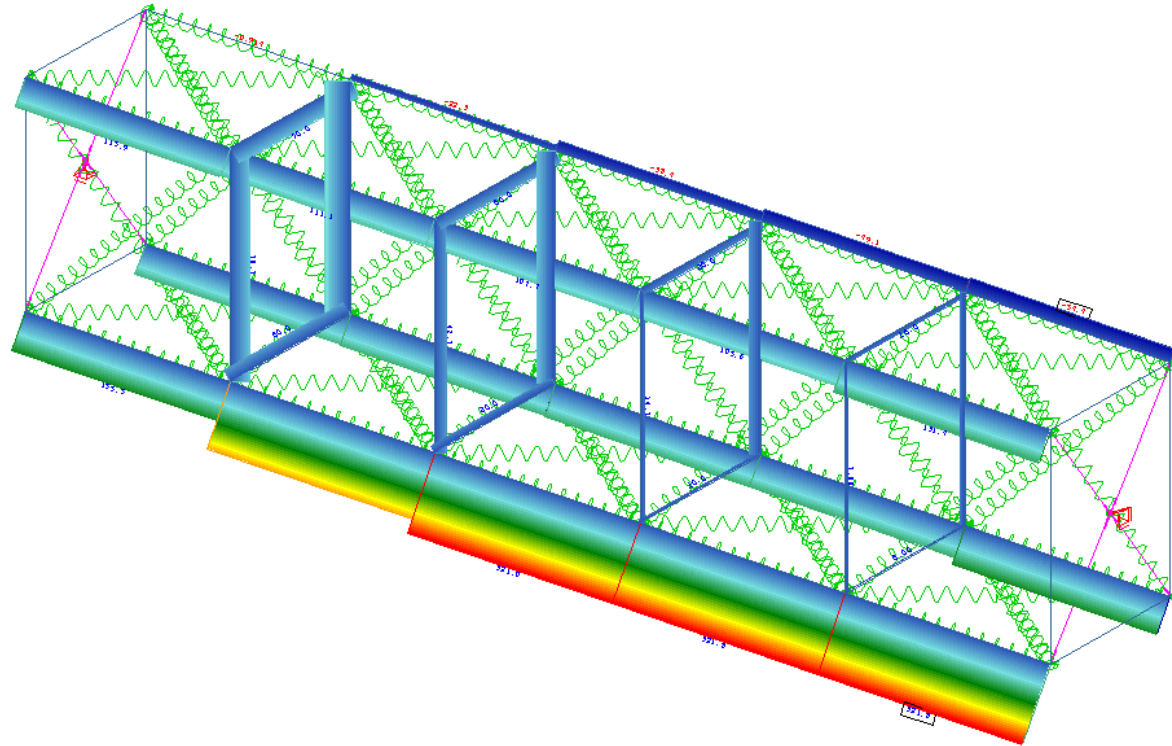
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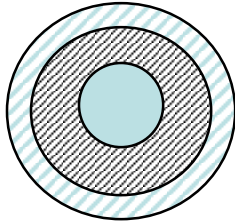
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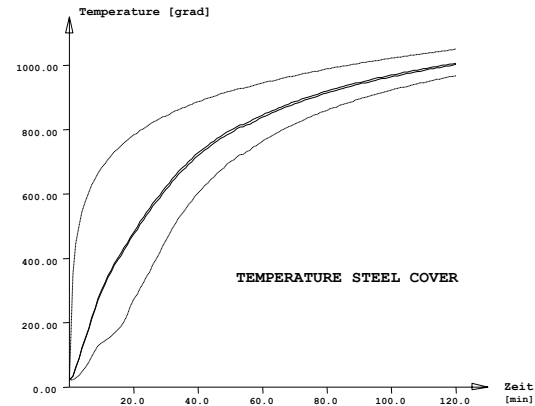
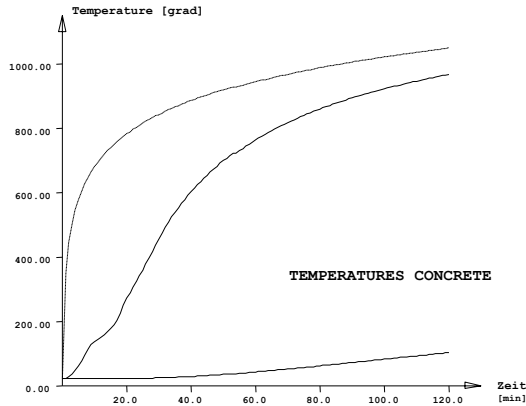
# Comparisson of link forces

Loading	left	right	upper	lower
Classical	111	111	102	102
vertical	84	84	0	0.7
horizontal	0.4	0	60	60
combined	97.3	70.7	70	50
combined + $M_z$	97.7	70.3	70.3	49.7
combined - $M_z$	89.6	78.4	64.2	55.8

# Hot Design (Fire)



- Transient Analysis of Temperatures with HYDRA
  - Temperature dependant properties
  - Radiation Boundary Conditions
  - Fire models



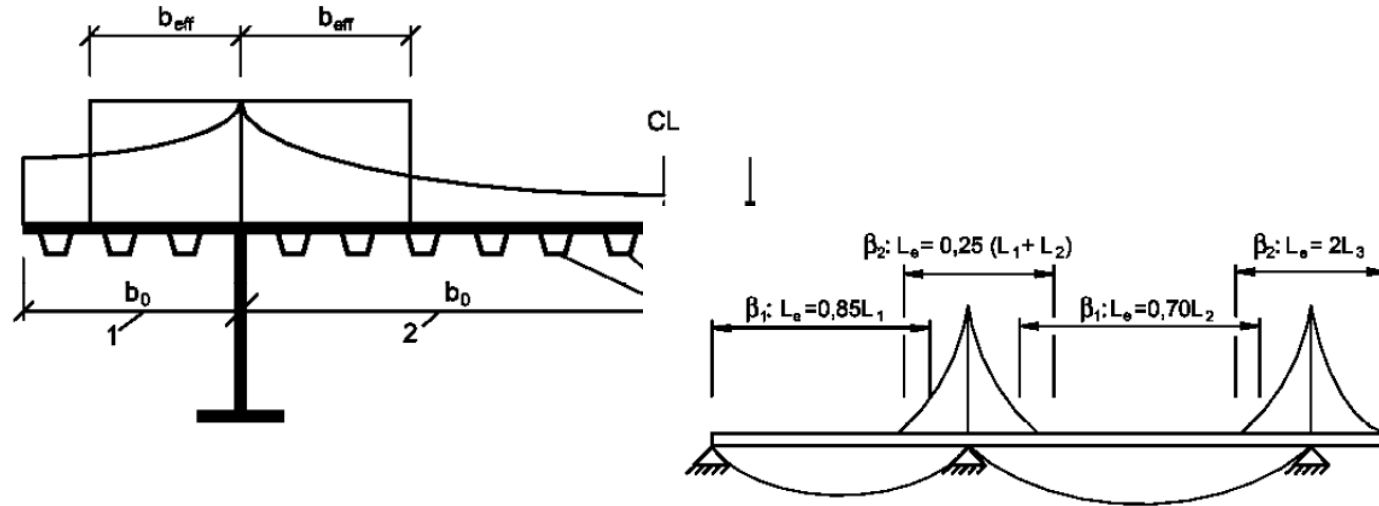
# Effective Width I

- For holes no normal stress can be taken at all (EN 1993-1-1 6.2.2.2)
  - (1) The net area of a cross-section should be taken as its gross area less appropriate deductions for all holes and other openings.
- There are no normal stresses at all
- The area and the inertia are missing completely
- The sectional description remains consistent
- But holes are no trenches, shear is still active!



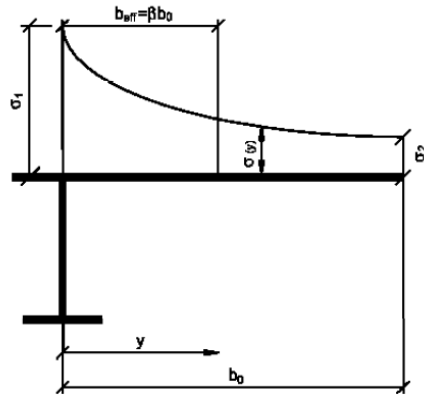
## Effective Width II

- The bending stress is not according to the Bernoulli-Hypothesis (EN 1993-1-5 3.2.1)



## Effective Width III

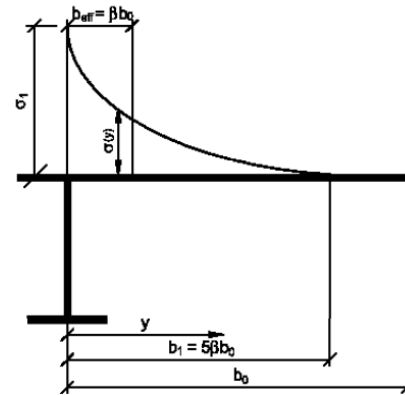
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$$\beta > 0,20 :$$

$$\sigma_2 = 1,25 (\beta - 0,20) \sigma_1$$

$$\sigma(y) = \sigma_2 + (\sigma_1 - \sigma_2) (1 - y/b_0)^4$$



$$\beta \leq 0,20 :$$

$$\sigma_2 = 0$$

$$\sigma(y) = \sigma_1 (1 - y/b_1)^4$$

## Consequences – Normal force

- Normal forces are still considered on the total area
- A uniform strain creates no bending resultant with respect to the elastic centre of the total section
- Thus all external normal forces are referenced to the elastic centre of the total section.
- The eccentricity of a beam with a reference axis is the centre of the effective section for the normal force!

# Consequences – Bending Moment

- The bending moment is defined relative to the centre of the total section
- Then it is shifted to the elastic centre of the effective section
- All bending stresses are calculated based on the effective section
- Thus the integral of the bending stresses is zero!  
No normal force is created!
- There are two moments and two non effective directions  
(Swain's formula is partly valid)

# Consequences – Nonlinear Analysis

- It is not required to account for a shift of the reference point of forces, if the equilibrium is not violated.
- The non effective parts have only uniform strains, but this strain is not necessarily the strain at the elastic centre!
- Biaxial bending with rotation of neutral axis becomes even more complex.
- So we are restricted to the strain definition.
- But there is no better solution! (?)

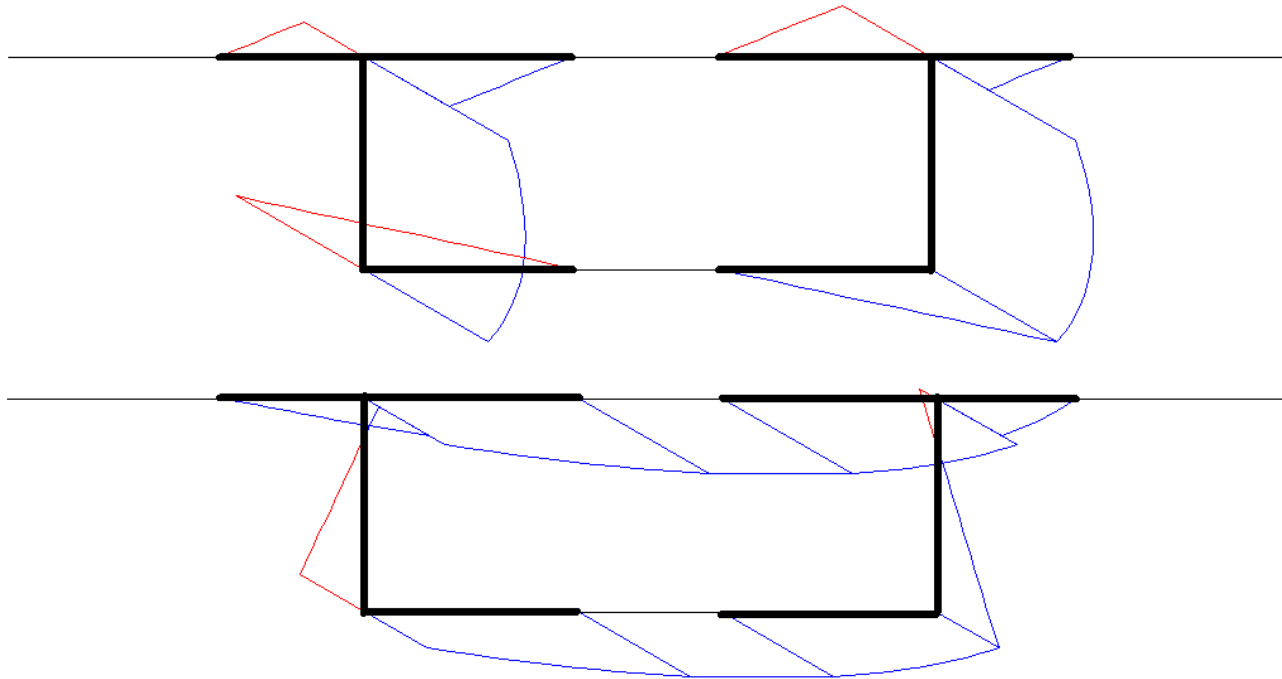
# Consequences – Shear

- Area does not exist for longitudinal stress
- Area exists for shear stress
- Equilibrium:

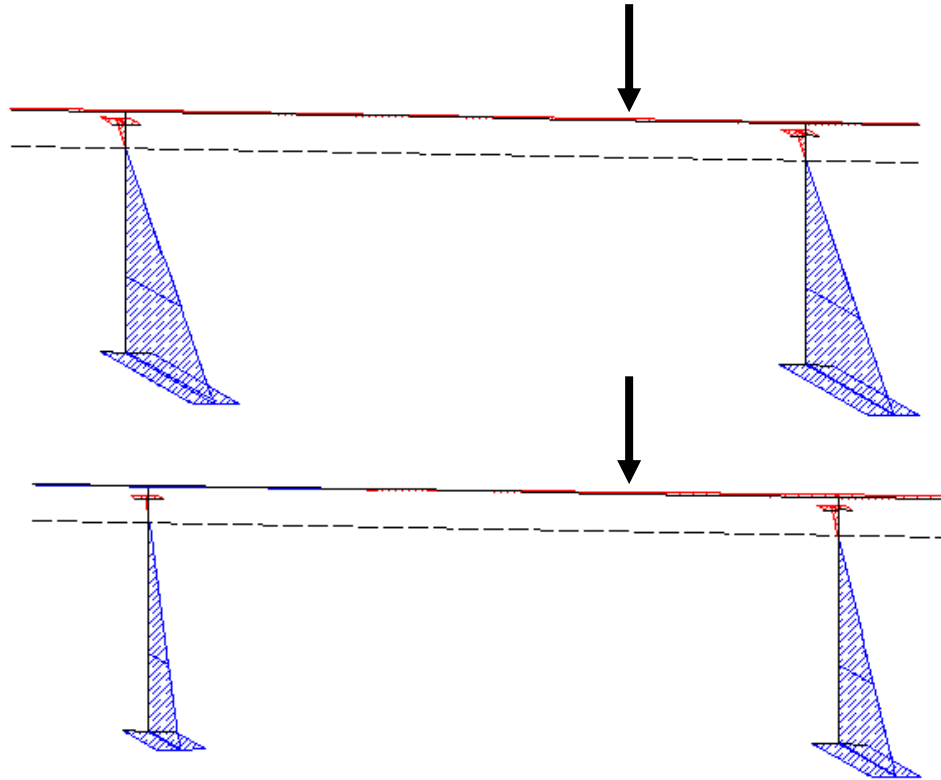
$$\frac{\partial \tau_{xy}}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial \tau_{xz}}{\partial z} + \frac{\partial \sigma_x}{\partial x} = 0$$

- The longitudinal stress  $\sigma_x$  is zero
- The derivative of the longitudinal stress  $\sigma_x$  is zero
- The derivative of the shear stress  $\tau_{xy}$  is zero
- The shear stress is constant

# Shear: Non effective parts for bending



# Linear: Warping Torsion = Bimoment





## Projects where Design by Analysis has been performed



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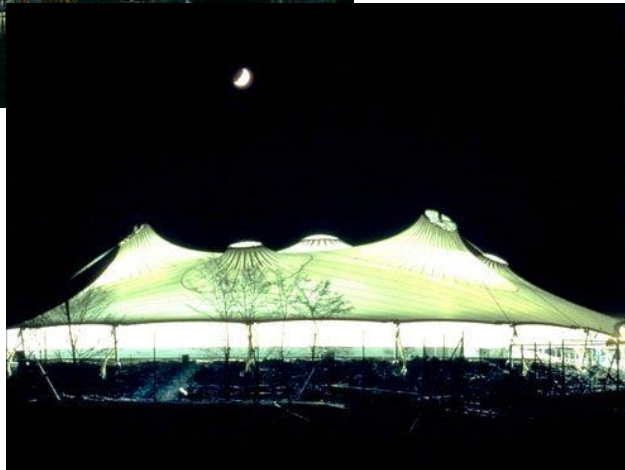
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**Bridge „Wilde Gera“**

**Munich Airport Center**



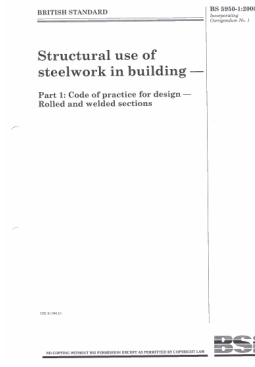
**Membrane Roof, Hamburg**

# What is the purpose of a design code ?

- The customer wants a product which has assured properties even if he does not exactly know about them
- The safety requirements of the public has to be fulfilled
- Thus a design code may contain:
  - Clear technical definitions especially of required material properties and tests
  - General guidelines for the Design
  - Hints for comprehensive design methods
  - Hints for simplified design methods

# Example: Design codes for structural steelwork

- **D:** Stahlbauten Bemessung und Konstruktion; Stabilitätsfälle, Knicken von Stäben und Stabwerken  
*Steel structures, design and construction, Stability, Buckling of beams and frames (paperback, 93 pages)*
- **F:** Règles de calcul des construction en acier  
*Analysis rules for structural steel constructions (hardcover, 397p.)*
- **GB:** Structural use of steelwork in building, Code of practice for design.(loose-leaf edition, 219 pages)
- **I:** Norme tecnica per il calcolo, l'esecuzione ed il collaudo delle strutture in cemento armato, normale e precompresso e per le strutture metalliche. (21 pages for structural steel)
- **RU:** SNIP 23.81 (260 pages)
- **EC:** Design of Steel Structures, 344 pages





# 2nd Order Theory

## **DIN 18800:** General Method:

*«Anstelle der in Tabelle 1 angegebenen Verfahren dürfen auch vereinfachte Nachweise geführt werden»*

## **CM 66:** Only a hint:

*«Lorsque exceptionnellement on a besoin d'une meilleure approximation, il est nécessaire de tenir compte de la présence des irrégularités de forme et de structure qui influent sur la position des points d'inflexion dans un système hyperstatique de barres réelles, comme elles influent sur la charge d'affaissement d'une barre bi-articulée. »*

## **BS 5950:**

*«Detailed recommendations for practical direct application of "second order" methods of global analysis (based on the final deformed geometry of the frame), including allowances for geometrical imperfections and residual stresses, strain hardening, the relationship between member stability and frame stability and appropriate failure criteria, are beyond the scope of this document. However, such use is not precluded provided that appropriate allowances are made for these considerations.»*

## Legal base (Germany)

- German BGB § § 631 ff. (contracts of manufacture)
  - „The work has to be fulfilled in such a way, that it has the assured properties and has no faults reducing or annihilating the value or the fitness for the general purpose or that assured by the contract“
- VOB § 13. (Contracting in Civil Engineering)
  - „The contractor assures that his work has the assured properties and fits the generally accepted technical rules and has no faults, reducing or annihilating the value or the fitness for the general purpose or that assured by the contract“



# generally accepted technical rules

- Not the state of art of science
- Not the contents of the design codes
- Not the way how it was since a long time before (Conserving the stone age)
- It is more than the absence of errors
- Thus
  - It has to be a technical rule for the design or build of a structure
  - The theoretical base has to be known and generally accepted.
  - The rule itself has to be broadly known and generally to be accepted.

# Deviations

- Are not the only way to deal with a problem !
- Deviations should be possible !
  - e.g. Load values, safety factors
  - e.g. Design procedures
- Legal consequences:
  - Conforming to the codes ?
  - Reliability in case of damage or even before ?
- Esthetical and Technical consequences
  - Only square houses allowed ?
  - Technical progress is always something new !

# Why should we deviate ?

- If a design code does not cover the problem itself
  - Modern architecture
  - Unusual load cases
- If we want to be more economical
- Implies that the provisions of the design codes are on the safe side, but quite often they are not:
  - Stability cases of DIN 18800
  - Plastic Resistance of sections  $M_{\text{plas}} = 1.14 M_{\text{el}}$
  - Shear design of concrete: Lever arm = 0.9 d
  - Crack width of concrete with tabulated values
  - Buckling length itself

# Consistent Design Rules

- Design code is not consistent
  - Admissible shear stress DIN 1045 (1972)

$\tau_v$  up to  $\tau_{03}$  but  $\tau_{v+t}$  only up to  $1.3\tau_{02} < \tau_{03}$

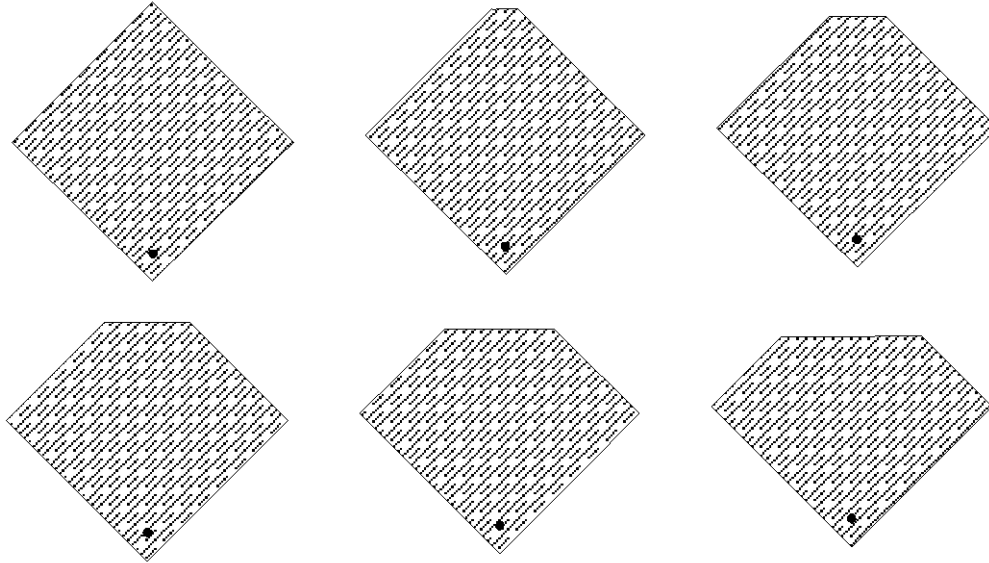
- Admissible shear stress DIN 1045 (1988)

$$\tau_q/\tau_{03} + \tau_t/\tau_{02} < 1.3$$

# A newer example

- Strength of concrete for ultimate design
- Coefficient  $\alpha = 0.85$  to account for long term effects etc.
- “This coefficient is not valid if the width of the compressive zone is reducing in the direction to the extreme compression fibre ( $\alpha = 0.80$ )”.
- Despite that this rule is wrong in general, for a biaxial bending of a rectangular section the strength will drop if a fly is producing a transverse bending.
- EC 2 – DIN 1045 (1996) – DIN 1045 (2001)

# The removed corner



# The removed corner

**Required reinforcement:**

<b>Moment</b>	<b>Q 1</b>	<b>Q 2</b>	<b>Q 3</b>	<b>Q 4</b>	<b>Q 5</b>	<b>Q 6</b>
<b>800</b>	<b>42.5</b>	<b>42.8</b>	<b>44.1</b>	<b>46.3</b>	<b>49.2</b>	<b>52.9</b>
<b>1000</b>	<b>56.5</b>	<b>56.6</b>	<b>58.3</b>	<b>61.1</b>	<b>64.9</b>	<b>70.1</b>
<b>1200</b>	<b>96.6</b>	<b>80.4</b>	<b>77.6</b>	<b>81.4</b>	<b>99.5</b>	<b>238.2</b>

**The design codes give a higher strength if parts of the structure are removed!**

# Burried knowledge

- Plastic Moment Resistance of DIN 18800

„If we have a form factor  $\alpha_{pl} > 1.25$  and it is not allowed to do the analysis according to 1st order theory, the plastic resistance of the bending moment has to be reduced by a factor of  $1.25 / \alpha_{pl}$  if normal or shear forces are also present.“

- Why ?

- A limit of plastic strains should be observed to assure sufficient rotational capacities
- The redistribution of forces should be limited
- The interaction formulas are not valid otherwise
- The ultimate load is not obtained with plastic hinges

- How to convert that to software ?



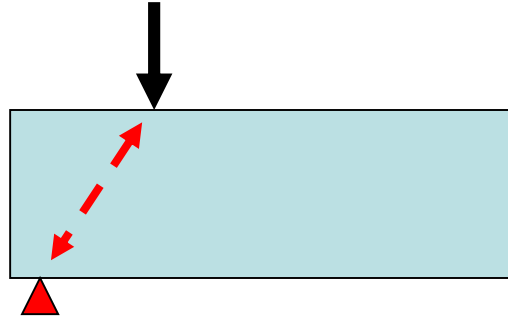
# Misuse of Design Regulations

- Plastic Moment for Double-T-Shapes
  - An estimated factor 1.14 is found in DIN 18800 in paragraph (750) for local yielding in case of two axial bending!
  - Schneider Bautabellen:  
„Values in Table 8.23a are obtained as follows:  
 $\max(\sigma_{R,d} \cdot 2 \cdot S_y ; 1.14 \cdot \sigma_{R,d} \cdot W_y)$
  - The cheated values are up to 7 % on the unsafe side

# Forces and Moments

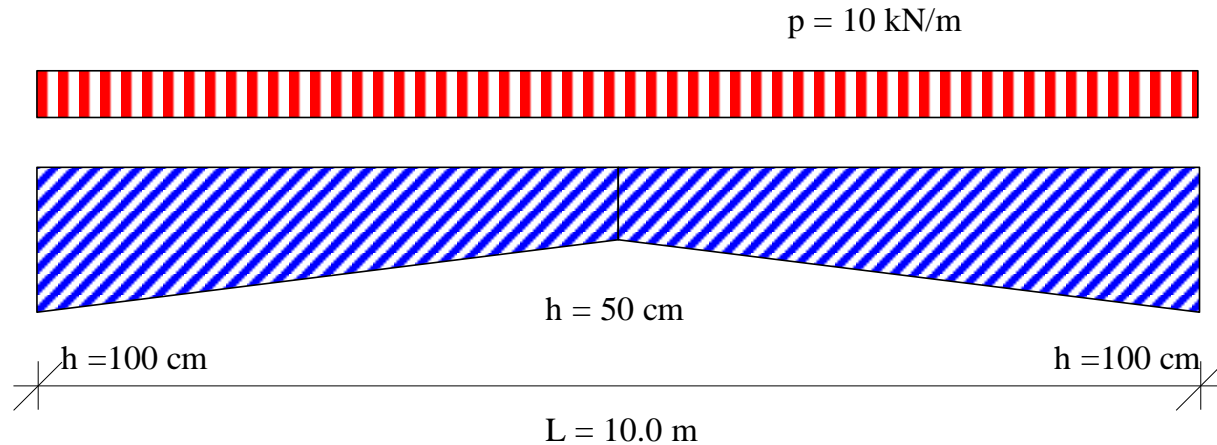
- Elasticity Theory:  
general rule, or only admissible rule ?
- 2nd Order Theory:  
only needed if results change with more than 10 % !
- Safety factors:  
are larger or lower stiffness values unfavourable?
- Negative sagging moments:  
„if despite a built in connection ...“
- Positive sagging moments:  
if not a more precise analysis is performed...
- Hogging moments:  
DIN 1045-1 minimum value 60 % of the fully built in values

# Point Loads near the support

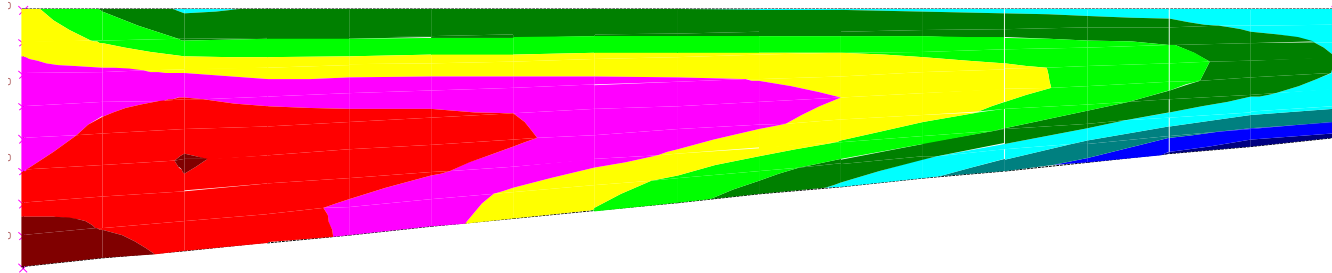


- Idea 100 % correct:  
reduce the partly shear force for the shear link evaluation,  
but not for the compressive stress.
- The part of the shear force for that load has to be evaluated on a  
single beam, a separate load case may be needed for that purpose
- Improper reduction of the total shear force in many design codes

# Shear Stress in Haunches

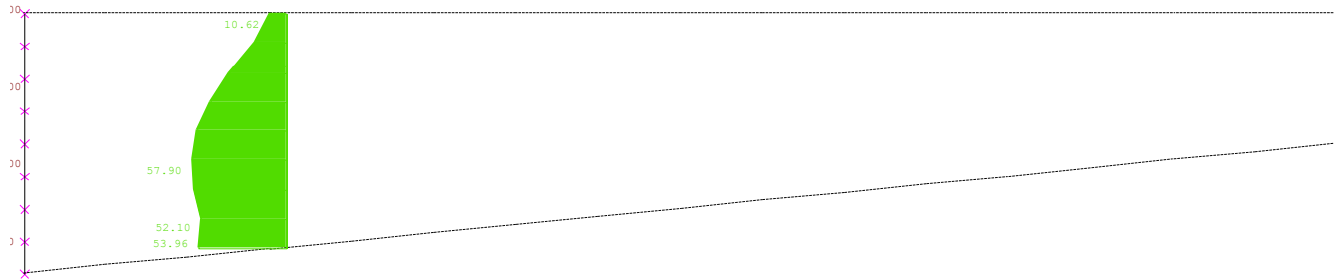


# FE-Analysis



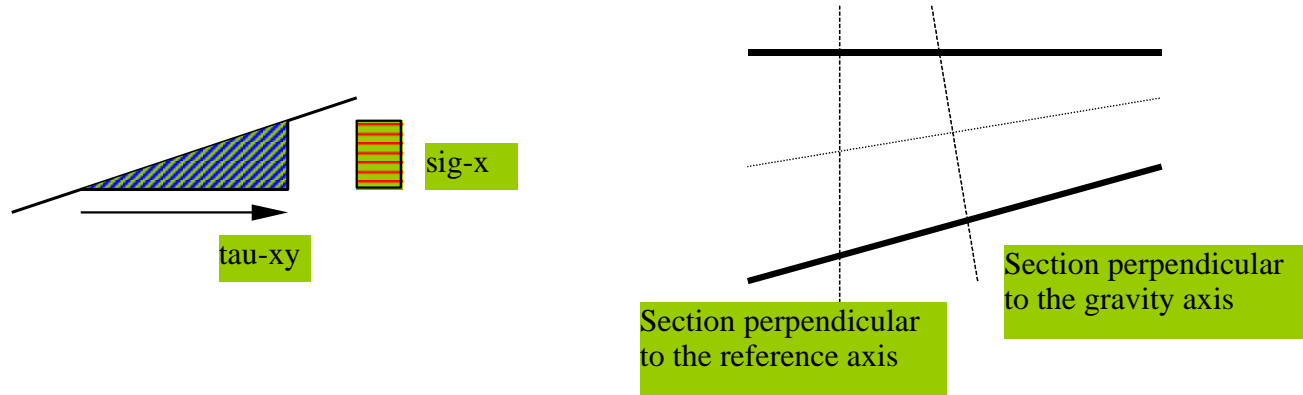
$\tau_{xy}$

# FE-Analysis

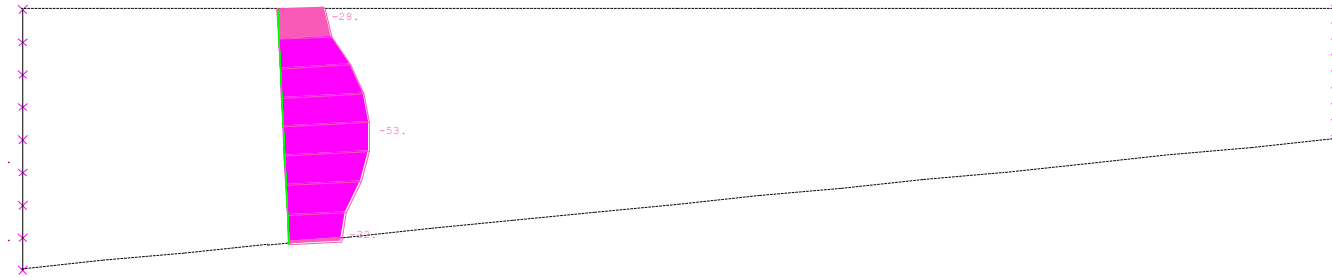


**$\tau_{xy}$**

# Shear Stress in Haunches



# FE-Analysis



$\tau_{nq}$



# Shear Stress in Haunches

- Transverse force T 40.0 kN
- Transverse Shear V 39.9 kN
- Wrong shear stress 63.2 kN/m<sup>2</sup>
- Reduction force  $M/d^* \tan\alpha$  5.6 kN
- Reduced shear stress 54.9 kN/m<sup>2</sup>
- FE-shear stress 53.0 kN/m<sup>2</sup>
- Conclusion
  - maximum is covered by design code
  - Distribution is not

# Principal Compression

- Limit on compressive stress is natural
- If lower values are used, a check is made only if  $\tau > 0.1 \beta_{wn}$
- DIN 1045 old had no rules at all for that
- Increase the truss angle until the stress criteria is met
- Increase the truss angle if more shear links are provided than required.

# Torsion

- Thickness of equivalent hollow section is variable

$$2 d' < t < A/U$$

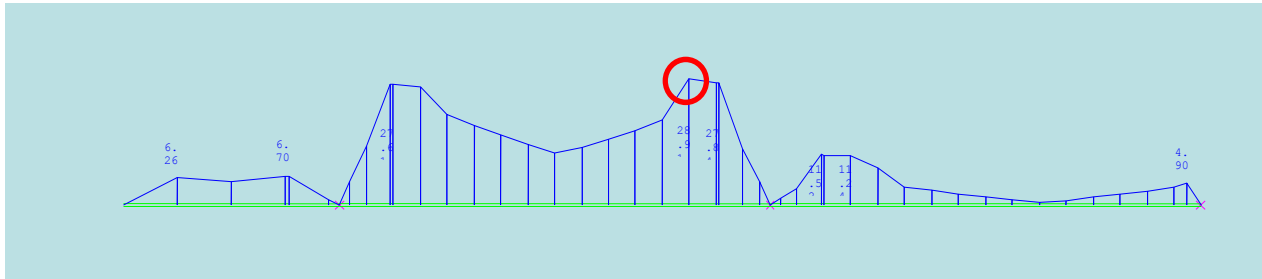
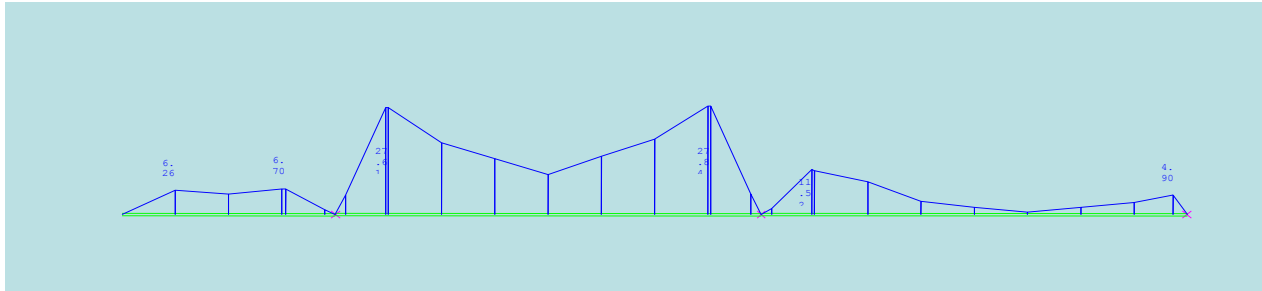
Norm	Width [m]	Ak [m <sup>2</sup> ]	tan	tau-T	sig-II	Asw *fy
DIN 1045 alt	0.10	0.810	1.00	4.74*Mt	9.48*Mt	0.617*Mt
DIN 4227	0.15	0.723	1.00	4.61*Mt	9.22*Mt	0.617*Mt
EC2 / DIN 1045 new (min)	0.10	0.810	1.00	4.74*Mt	9.48*Mt	0.617*Mt
EC2 (max)	0.25	0.563	1.00	3.56*Mt	7.11*Mt	0.617*Mt
EC2 / DIN 1045 new (min2)	0.10	0.810	0.57	4.74*Mt	11.0*Mt	0.353*Mt
EC2 (max2)	0.25	0.563	1.75	3.56*Mt	8.26*Mt	1.558*Mt

# Lever of internal forces

$$\tau = \frac{V}{b \cdot z}$$

- $z = 0.85 d$  or  $0.90 d$
- Uncracked section yields  $0.66 h$
- Distance of Tension and Compression
- If we have no / only small tension ?

# Required shear links



# Details of shear design

	x = 6.0	x = 6.5	x = 7.0
Shear Force	-628.8	-693.8	-758.8
Moment	+255.4	-75.25	-438.4
Lever	135	100	114
Shear stress II	1.33	1.98	1.90
Required shear links	19.37	28.91	27.74

# Diagnosis

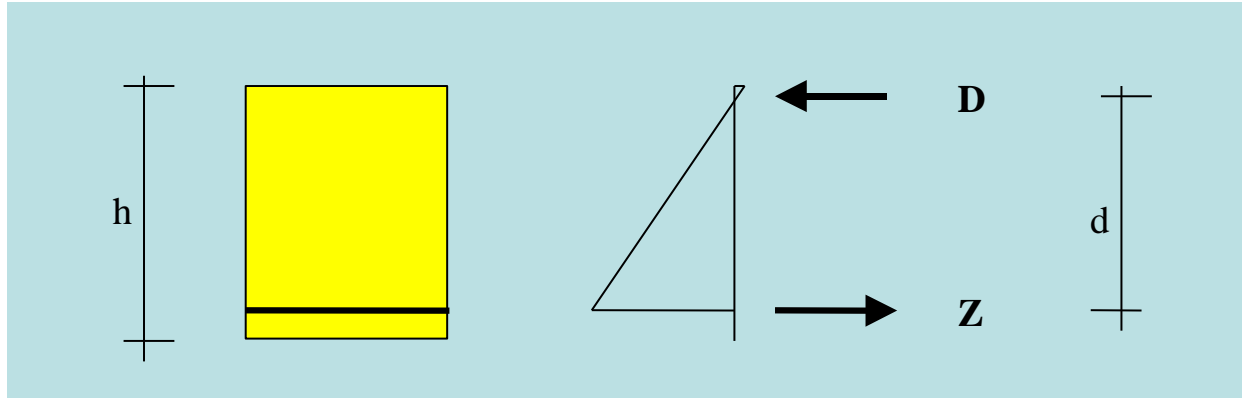
- Lever is considerably too small (uncracked)
- It was allowed to use the principal tension instead of the shear stress

$$\sigma_1 = 3.69 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\tau = 1.98 \text{ Mpa}$$

- So what does that mean “it is allowed”

# What are the limits

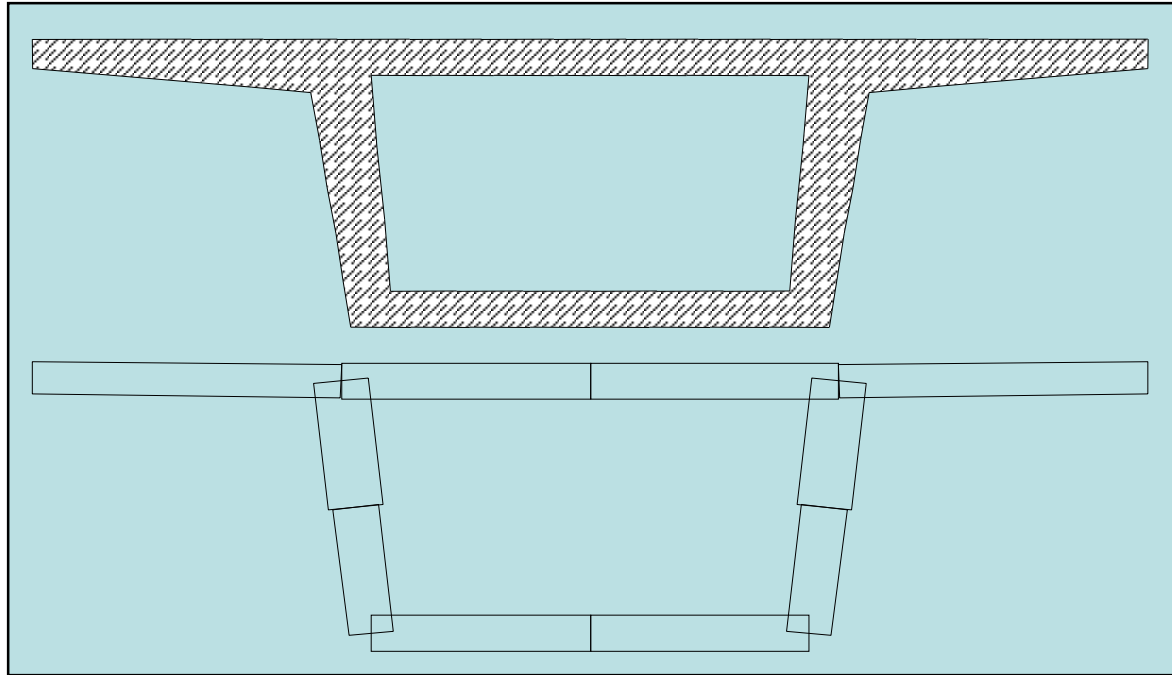




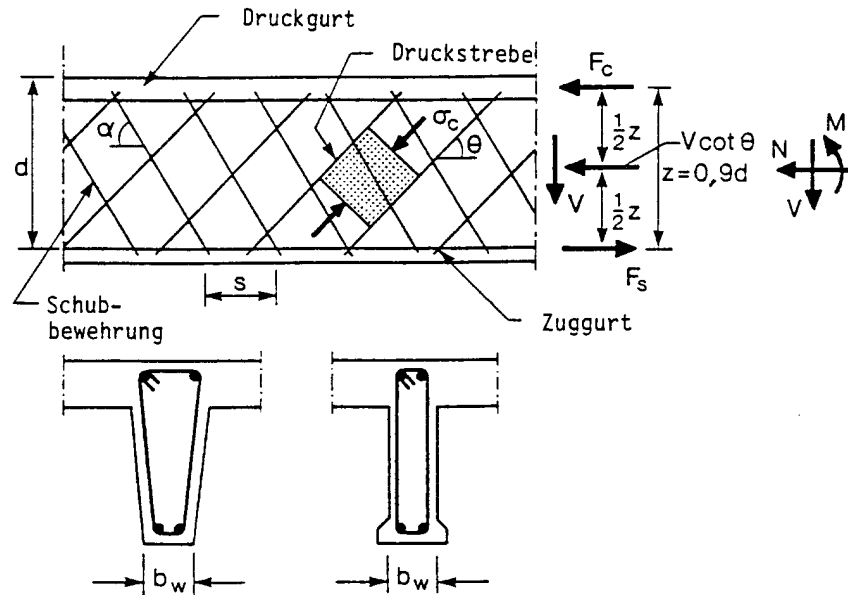
# Minimum reinforcements

- Minimum reinforcements increase the longitudinal tensile force
- To get the equilibrium we need a larger compressive force
- So we get a smaller lever
- And a higher shear link area
- And a more even safety level ?

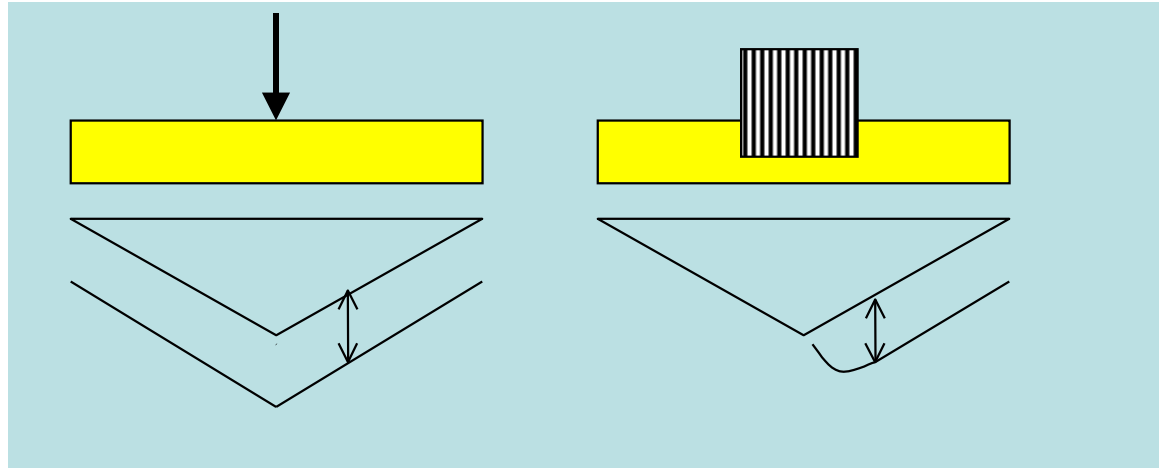
# General Section model



# Tensile force due to shear



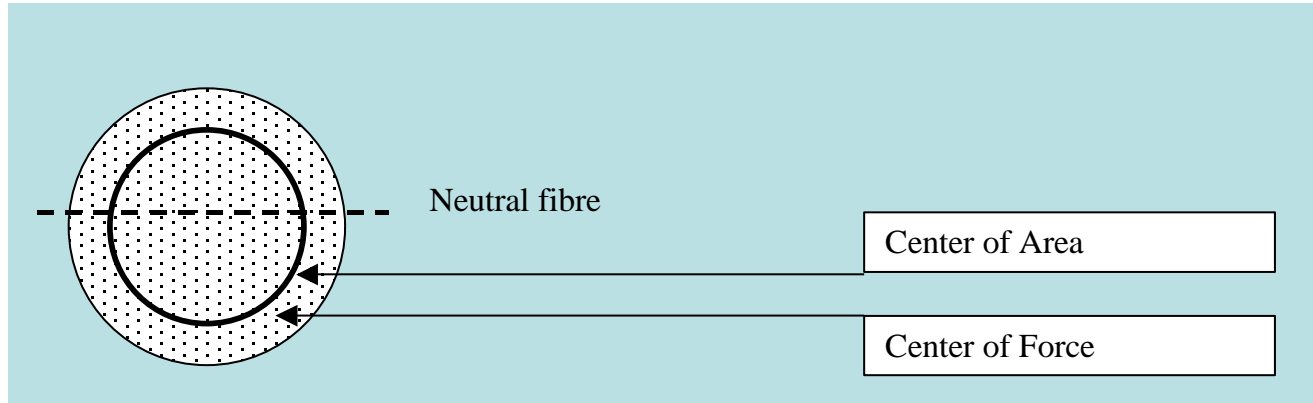
# Shift Rule (Versatzmaß)



# Height of effective tensile zone

- Old DIN 1045 / 4227
  - max 0.8 m
- Leonhardt / CEB / Heft 400  
EC 2 / DIN 1045-1 1996-1998
  - 2.5 times  $d'$
  - max  $((h-x), h/2)$
  - max  $(h-x)/3$   
may become difficult

# Height of effective tensile zone



# Height of effective tensile zone

$$k_3 = \frac{\sigma_{b1} + \sigma_{b2}}{2\sigma_{b1}}$$

- Leonhardt / CEB                       $k_3$  on tensile zone
- Heft 400                                       $k_3$  simplified
- EC 2     $k_3$  on total section
- DIN 1045-1 1996                       $k_3$  on half section
- DIN 1045-1 1998                      coefficient dropped

# Variations

Biegebemessung	48.0 cm <sup>2</sup>
DIN 1045 (1972)	82.0 cm <sup>2</sup>
Heft 400 / EC2 (k <sub>3</sub> =0.915)	76.6 cm <sup>2</sup>
Heft 400 / EC2 (k <sub>3</sub> =0.500)	55.0 cm <sup>2</sup>
DIN 1045-1 1996 (k <sub>3</sub> =0.676)	62.4 cm <sup>2</sup>
DIN 1045-1 1998	57.0 cm <sup>2</sup>

**B25 /BSt 500**  
**b/h = 100/120**  
**s = 6 cm**  
**M = 1438.80 kNm**  
**w<sub>k</sub> = 0.2 mm**  
**D = 28 mm**

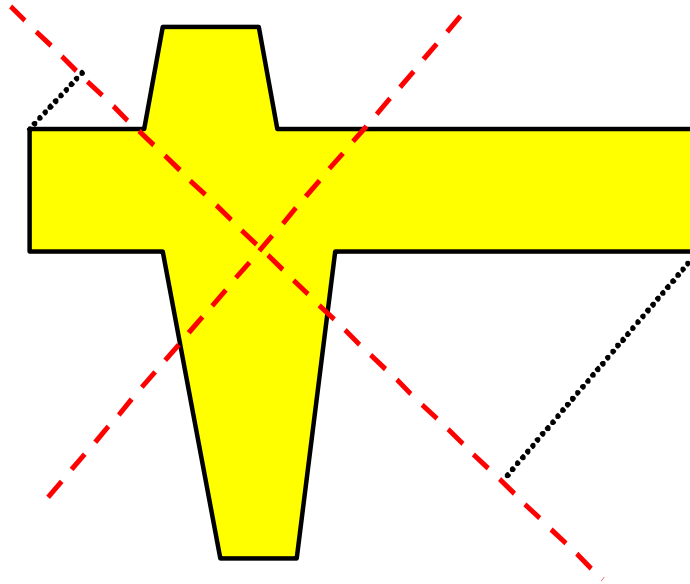
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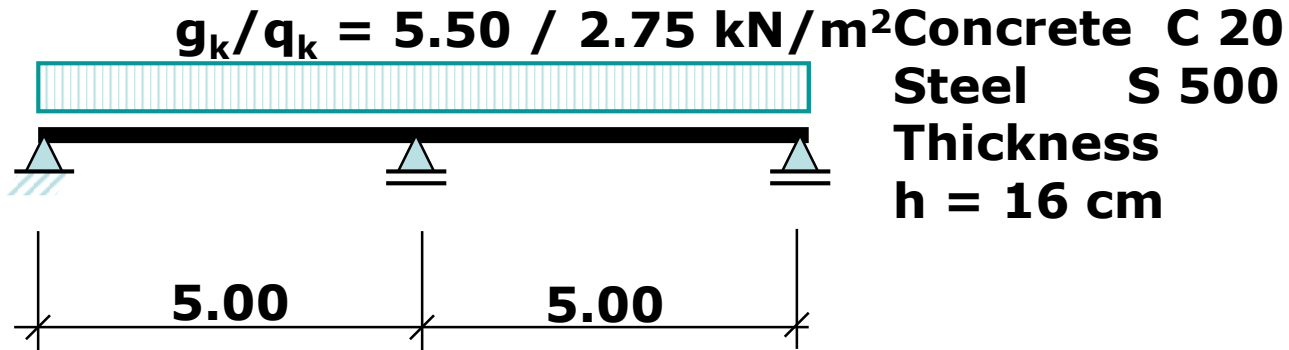
# Initial cracking stress

- Formulas for pure tension
- Rectangular sections
- Scaling of cracked solution
- Initial cracking stress  $\gg$  yield stress ?  
For sections with low reinforcements  
even negative Steel strain:  $\varepsilon_{sm} \geq 0.4 \sigma_s / E_s$

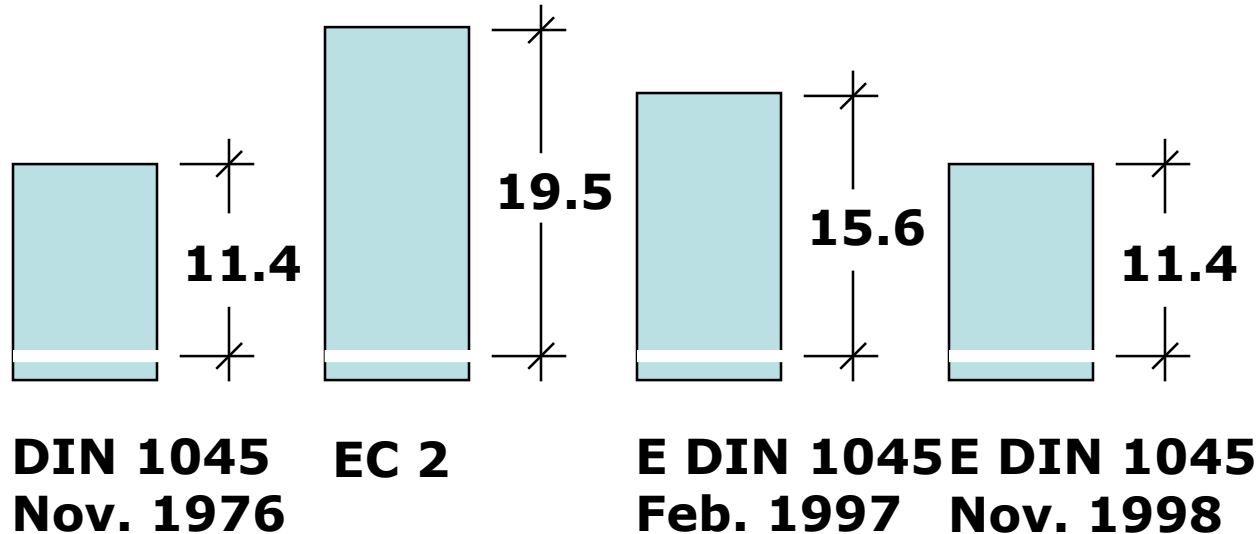
# Edge and Corner Stresses



# Reinforced Concrete Slab



# Required static heights



# Check for deflections

**To allow for additional pay load it is recommended to limit the deflections for quasi permanent loadings to**

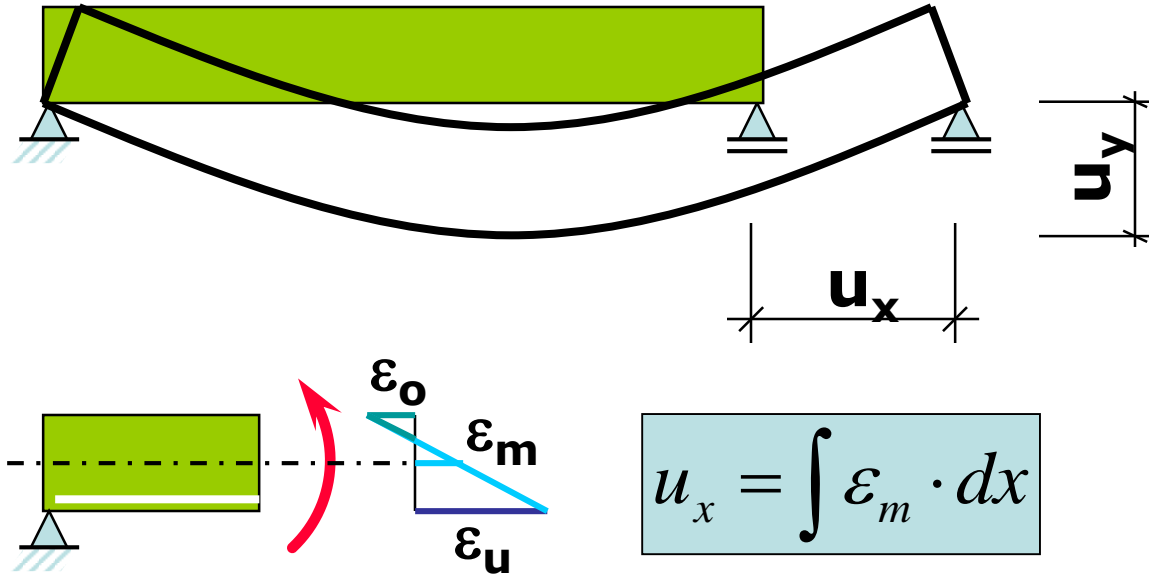
$$f \leq \frac{l_{eff}}{500} = \frac{5.00}{500} = 1.0 \text{ cm}$$

**Combination coefficient  $\psi_2 = 0.3$**

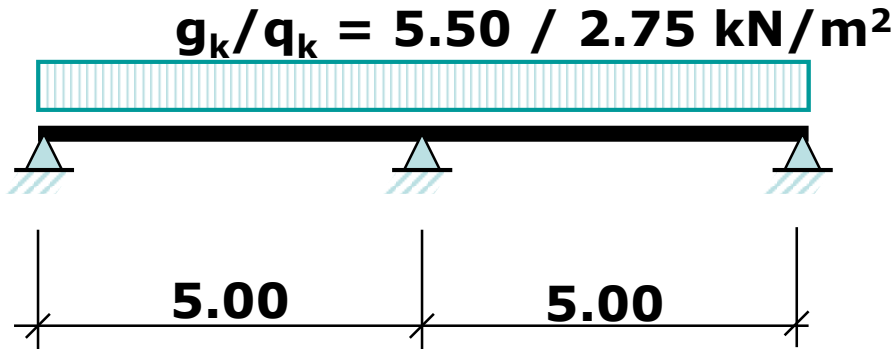
# Check for deflections

<b>Stiffness according to</b>	<b>Deformatio <math>n</math>by analysis</b>	<b>allowed Deformation</b>	
<b>uncracked</b>	<b>0.24</b>	<b>1.0</b>	<b>cm</b>
<b>cracked</b>	<b>1.79</b>		<b>cm</b>
<b>Cracked with tension Stiffening</b>	<b>1.07</b>		<b>cm</b>

# Deformed System



# Changed Boundary Condition



Concrete C 20  
Steel S 500  
thickness  
 $h = 16 \text{ cm}$

quasi permanent loading =  $5.50 + 0.3 \times 2.75$   
 $\text{kN/m}^2$

calc  $f = 0.51 \text{ cm}$



# Conclusion

- Requirements for a usable design code
  - General provisions for the materials, loadings and safety
  - General provisions for the tasks to do
  - Clearly stated sources and intensions
  - Clear logic = Complete Algorithms
  - „Limit states of assumptions“
  - Methods only in appendices / references = not mandatory

# Conclusion

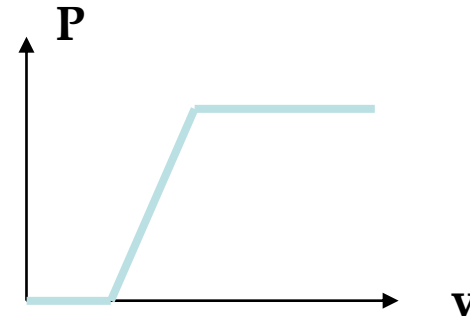
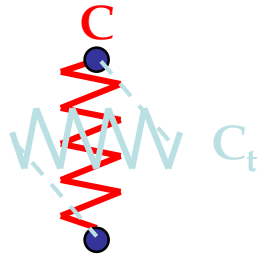
- The FE-Community
  - Implementation of codes may be wrong within software
  - The code may be wrong and the software correct.
  - There is hardly a benchmark for the code validation
  - Do not allow design codes to be written without people knowing about software.

# Composite sections

- Any combination of different materials
- Connection may be
  - rigid
  - flexible
- Design may be
  - Elastic (Stresses)
  - Plastic (Forces)

# Composites within FE-System

- All kind of structures may be defined
- Any type of materials
- Link with spring elements



# Composites within FE-System

- Special remarks for beams
  - Additional eccentricities
  - Stepped transverse shear
  - Normal force is constant,  
but longitudinal shear has parabolic distribution
- General Problems
  - Difficult to define within CAD
  - Choose spring stiffness appropriate
  - Parallel- and serial connection of springs

# Composite sections

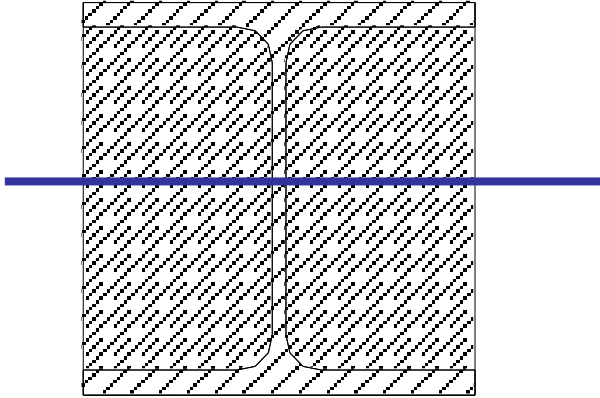
- Section values
  - Ideal section values  
partial section values
  - Shear cuts, stress points
  - Sectional values for shear and torsion
  - Fully plastic forces
  - Reinforcements

# Shear in a composite section

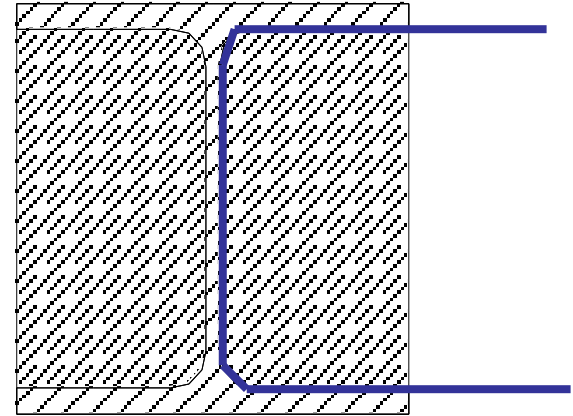
- EC4 chapter 4.4.2:  
„If the effectiveness of the concrete is not included in the ultimate limit state, the limit shear force should be taken from the structural steel area only.“
- Composite sections (EC4 4.8.2.6 bis 8.):  
For the bond stress between an uncracked concrete and the steel admissible stresses between 0.0 and 0.6 MPa are defined.

# Shear cuts

- Chamber concrete



$\tau = \text{constant} ?$



$S_z = 0.0$



## Shear cuts

- More Problems
  - Sequence and Uniqueness
  - Multiple connected regions
  - Discrete shear connections (dowels)



# Shear deformations

- Theory Timoshenko/Marguerre

$$\Theta_y = \frac{Q_z}{GA_z}$$

$$\varphi_y = \frac{\partial w}{\partial x} + \Theta_y$$

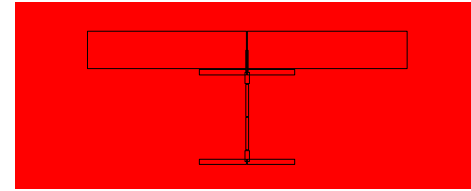
$$\Pi = V\theta = \frac{V^2}{GA_s} = \int_A \frac{\tau^2}{G}$$

$$A_s = \frac{1}{G \cdot \Pi(V=1)}$$

Not an exact Theory for shear deformations

Evaluation by an energetic equivalence

# Shear deformation areas



Thickness [mm]	Az – Total [cm <sup>2</sup> ]	Az – Steel [cm <sup>2</sup> ]	Az – Concrete [cm <sup>2</sup> ]
Rigid	47.51	42.51	32.36
D = 100	41.40	35.46	38.50
D = 50	40.50	34.82	36.85
D = 10	34.51	26.76	34.93
D = 5	29.13	26.19	19.06
D = 2	19.85	18.48	8.85
D = 1	12.96	12.38	3.77
Steel only	30.91	30.91	0

# Is that true ?

- Simply supported beam  $l=12$  m with Point Load

$$w = \frac{Pl^3}{48EI} \quad w_v = \frac{Pl}{GA_z}$$

- Deflections in [mm] for P in [kN]

- Rigid bond

$$w_b = 0.275 P, w_v = 0.031 P, w = 0.306 P$$

- Very flexible bond

$$w_b = 0.275 P, w_v = 0.114 P, w = 0.389 P$$

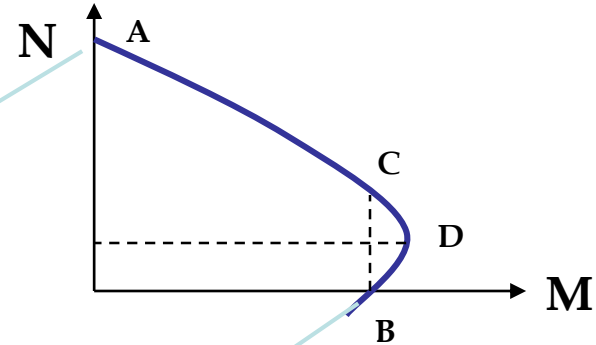
- No bond = two separate beams

$$w_b = 0.630 P, w_v = 0.003 P, w = 0.633 P$$

- The inertia is calculated based on a fully rigid bond (=Bernoulli Hypothesis) !

# Plastic Forces and Moments

- Interaction curve
- characteristic/design



	N[kN]	vy[kN]	vz[kN]	Mt[kNm]	My[kNm]	Mz[kNm]	y[mm]	z[mm]	BUCK
K	-5677.9	1184.84	588.54	820.28	655.10	466.97	12.7	-140.	C B
K	3577.9	234.66	557.91	398.74	-448.55	-466.97	-12.7	-5.0	
K	-1500.3		573.22		686.91	.00	.0	-112.	COMB
K	-1050.0	1184.84			.00	471.36	.0	.0	COMB
K	-599.7		573.22		-481.79	.00	.0	-112.	COMB
K	-1050.0	234.66			.00	-471.36	.0	.0	COMB

# Design requirements

- Construction stages
  - Stress limits dependant on materials
  - Bond force, longitudinal force
  - Interaction for usage of plastic forces
  - Creep and shrinkage
  - Ultimate limit state with real behaviour
  - Serviceability limit state with real behaviour

# Bond

- Rigid bond / Flexible Bond
- Total longitudinal force in mid span
- Total bond force with sectional modulus
- Difference of forces for half span / quarter span
- More detailed analysis with cuts
- Design for number of dowels
- Inclusion of creep effects for longitudinal shear

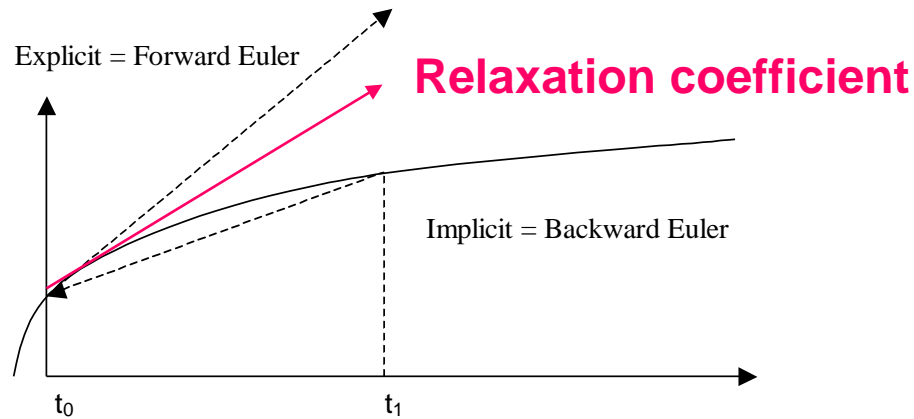
# Analysis of Creep and Shrinkage

- Methods to use
  - Summation approach
  - Product approach
  - Closed formulas or Diagrams / empirical values
- Enhanced Design codes
  - EN 1992-1-1
  - EN 1992-1-2
  - CEB Modell Code



# System behaviour

- “Unconstrained” creep of the section itself
- Strain and curvatures acting on the system
- Subdivision in creep increments



# Shrinkage

$$N = A_s E_s \varepsilon_s = \rho A_b E_s \varepsilon_s$$

$$\sigma_b = + \frac{N}{A_b + nA_s} = \frac{N}{A_b (1 + n\rho)} = \frac{\rho E_s \varepsilon_s}{1 + n\rho}$$

- Volume change of unloaded concrete
- Drying starts at the surface, creating tensions
- Shrinkage is uniform, stress free if plain concrete
- Tensile stresses if deformation is not free
  - Caused by outer constraints
  - Caused by provided reinforcements

# Reinforcement for Shrinkage ?

- It is only possible to provide reinforcement for outer forces (e.g. constrained deformation of a foundation slab)
- For any freely moving element the reinforcement will increase the tensile stress of the concrete

$\varepsilon_s$	$-25 \cdot 10^{-5}$
$\sigma_s$	-52.50 MPa
$\sigma_b$ ( $\rho=2\%$ )	0.92 MPa
$\sigma_b$ ( $\rho=6\%$ )	2.20 MPa

- Considerably effects for pre stressed concrete are possible

# Shrinkage coefficient

- DIN 4227  
Table 7 defined for cases 1 to 4. Function of development in time given in Picture 3 dependant on the effective thickness.
- DIN 1045-1 / EC-2 / B 4750  
final end values supplied for 4 cases (dry and wet versus thick and thin)
- Appendix 1 / Heft 525  
detailed formulas in dependance of humidity, type of cement, temperature
- AASHTO  
$$\Delta f_s = 17000 - 150RH$$

# Creep

- Basic Relation defined with constant stress

$$\varepsilon = \varphi_t \frac{\sigma_b}{E_b}$$

- E-Modulus has to be selected properly
- Creep for tensile stresses ?

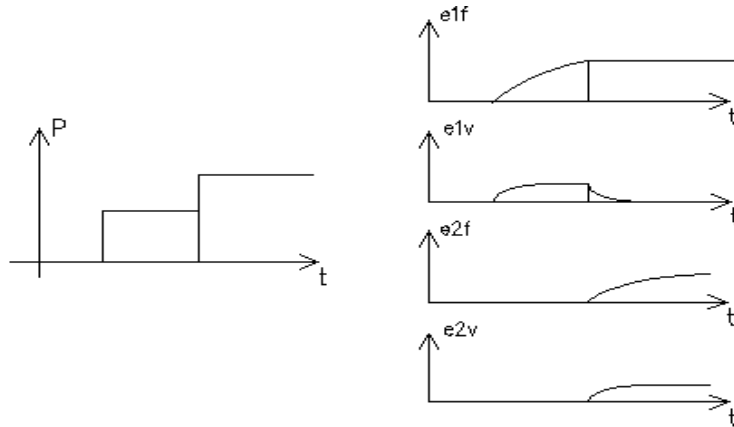
$$\varphi = \left\{ \begin{array}{ll} \varphi_0 & \sigma \leq 0 \\ \alpha \cdot \varphi_0 & 0 \geq \sigma \geq f_{ct} \\ 0 & \sigma \geq f_{ct} \end{array} \right\}$$

- Creep for which load cases ?

# Summation approach

- Plastic Flow and delayed elasticity

$$\varphi_t = \varphi_{vo} k_{v(t-t_2)} + \varphi_{fo} k_{v(t-t_2)} - \varphi_{vo} k_{v(t_2-t_1)} k_{v(t-t_2)}$$



# Product approach

$$\varphi_t = \varphi_o \beta_c(t, t_0) = \varphi_{RH} \beta(f_{cm}) \beta(t_0) \beta_c(t, t_0)$$

$$\varphi_{RH} = \left[ 1 + \frac{1 - RH / 100}{0.10 \sqrt[3]{h_0}} \alpha_1 \right] \alpha_2$$

$$\beta(f_{cm}) = \frac{16.8}{\sqrt{f_{cm}}} (EC2) = \beta(f_{cm}) = \frac{5.3}{\sqrt{f_{cm} / f_{cm0}}} (DIN)$$

$$\beta(t_0) = \frac{1}{0.1 + t_0^{0.20}}$$

$$\beta_c(t, t_0) = \left( \frac{t - t_0}{\beta_H + t - t_0} \right)$$

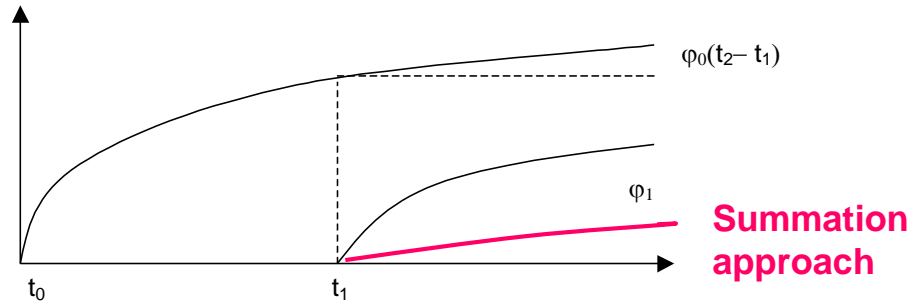
$$\beta_H = 1.5 \left[ 1 + (0.012 RH)^{18} \right] h_0 + 250 \alpha_3 \leq 1500$$

# Big Problem !?

- Summation approach of DIN 4227  
Creep value of a time slice is defined by the difference of the  $k_f$ -values and allows a distinct analysis and superposition of results.
- Product approach does NOT allow the full superposition!  
We have different creep values for a load which is persistent since a longer time and a load which is applied now.
- Thus we have only the possibility to calculate the effect of stress changes



# Problem of creep stages



$$\varepsilon = \varphi_0 \frac{\sigma_{b0}}{E_b} + \varphi_1 \frac{\Delta\sigma_{b1}}{E_b}$$

$$\varepsilon_0 = \varphi_0(t_0, t_1) \frac{\sigma_{b0}}{E_b}$$

$$\varepsilon_1 = \varphi_0(t_1, t_2) \frac{\sigma_{b0}}{E_b} + \varphi_1(t_1, t_2) \left[ \frac{\sigma_{b1}}{E_b} - \frac{\sigma_{b0}}{E_b} \right] = \varphi_1(t_1, t_2) \frac{\sigma_{b1}}{E_b} + [\varphi_0(t_1, t_2) - \varphi_1(t_1, t_2)] \frac{\sigma_{b0}}{E_b}$$

# Creep Stages

- „If the climate conditions change ... they have to be accounted for by changed creep and shrinkage coefficients for every time slice.“ (Leonhardt Vorlesungen Vol I)
- Effective age of concrete has to be accumulated for all creep stages.
- Creep coefficient is given by the difference of the residual creep of the loading compared to a new load applied at this stage.
- Negative creep coefficients have to be considered as negative loading multiplied with a positive creep factor!

# Creep according to AASHTO

- There are easy rules given in the AASHTO:

$$\Delta f_p = 12\sigma_{c,z} - 7\sigma_{c,fds}$$

- The loss is given by the concrete stress at the tendon fibre due to dead weight and prestress

# Tendon relaxation

- Product approach
  - Dependency on stress level defined as value for 1000 h
  - Function in time derived from time values or as prescribed factor.
- Values are defined in EN 1992
- An iteration is needed for high stress levels
- Very high usage of stress will yield results quite close to those with smaller initial stresses
- Do not mix with the relaxation coefficient by Trost

# Analysis Method

- Relaxations coefficient by Trost

$$\frac{\partial \varepsilon_b(t)}{\partial \tau} = \frac{\sigma}{E_b} \cdot (1 + \varphi(t, \tau))$$

$$\varepsilon_b(t) = \frac{\sigma_0}{E_b} \cdot (1 + \varphi(t, \tau_0)) + \int_{\tau_0}^t \frac{\partial \sigma(\tau)}{\partial \tau} \frac{1}{E_b} \cdot (1 + \varphi(t, \tau)) d\tau + \varepsilon_s(t)$$

$$\rho(t, \tau_0) = \frac{\int_{\tau_0}^t \frac{\partial \sigma(\tau)}{\partial \tau} \varphi(t, \tau) d\tau}{[\sigma(t) - \sigma(\tau_0)] \varphi(t, \tau_0)} \leq 1.0$$

$$\varepsilon_b(t) = \frac{\sigma_0}{E_b} \cdot (1 + \varphi(t, \tau_0)) + \frac{\sigma(t) - \sigma_0}{E_b} \cdot [(1 + \rho(t, \tau_0) \varphi(t, \tau))] + \varepsilon_s(t)$$

# Analysis Method

- Equilibrium of stresses in section  
= 3 equations for 3 unknown strain parameters

$$\sigma_{c,k+s} = \frac{E_b}{1 + \rho \cdot \varphi} \cdot \varepsilon_{c,k+s} - \sigma_b \frac{\varphi}{1 + \rho \cdot \varphi} - \frac{\varepsilon_s E_b}{1 + \rho \cdot \varphi}$$

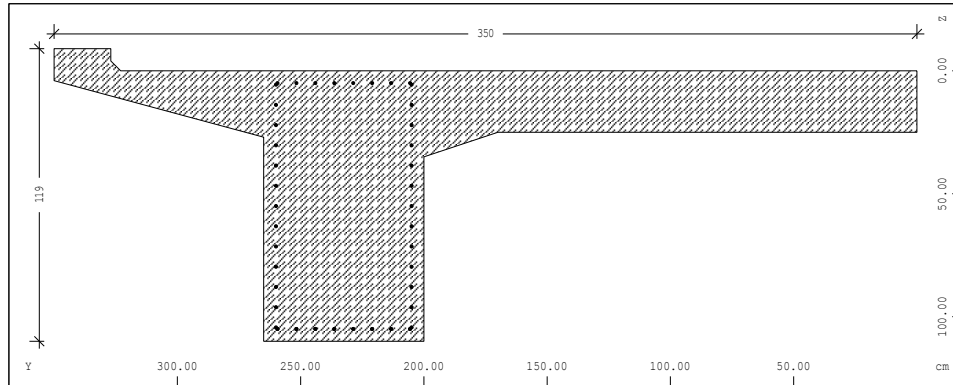
$$\varepsilon_{c,k+s} = \varepsilon_{0,k+s} + z \cdot \kappa_{y,k+s} - y \cdot \kappa_{z,k+s}$$

$$N = \int \sigma_{b,k+s} + \sigma_{St,k+s} = 0$$

$$M_y = \int z \cdot (\sigma_{b,k+s} + \sigma_{St,k+s}) = 0$$

$$M_z = \int y \cdot (\sigma_{b,k+s} + \sigma_{St,k+s}) = 0$$

# Example



# One step only

- EIGE 1 T 10000

$$\Phi_{RH} = 1 + (1 - 0.40) / (0.1 * 305^{1/3}) = 1.891$$

$$\beta(f_{cm}) = 16.8 / 38^{1/2} = 2.725$$

$$\beta(t_0) = 1 / (0.1 + 28 * 0.2) = 0.488$$

CREEP AND SHRINKAGE

MNr	h[mm]	phi	eps	RH	T[C]	dt[d]	t[d]	t0[d]	tw[d]	Relaxation
1	305	2.52	-61.E-5	40	20	10000	10000	28	10029	0.80
		* 0.98	* 0.87							

$$h = 2A/U$$

$$\beta_c(t-t_0) = (9972 / (707 + 9972)) * 0.3$$

Beam	x[m]	NQ	M	LK	N[kN]	My[kNm]	Mz[kNm]	phi	max-dsz	-prz
1	11.000	1	1	10	-5617.3	-980.15	0.00	2.47	-53.E-5	
					1061.3	667.99	0.00		-170.50	19.9
					N/My/Mz	1091.2	686.80	0.00		
					ex/ky/kz	-0.771	-0.096	0.000		



# Two steps

CREEP AND SHRINKAGE										
MNr	h[mm]	phi	eps	RH	T[C]	dt[d]	t[d]	t0[d]	tw[d]	Relaxation
1	305	2.52	-61.E-5	40	20	100	100	28	128	0.80
		* 0.53	* 0.17							
Stab	x[m]	NQ	M	LK	N[kN]	My[kNm]	Mz[kNm]	phi	max-dsz	-prz
1	11.000	1	1	11	-5617.3	-980.15	0.00	1.35	-11.E-5	
					454.1	285.80	0.00		-73.02	8.5
			N/My/Mz		467.3	294.13	0.00			
			ex/ky/kz		-0.255	-0.161	0.000			
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MNr	h[mm]	phi	eps	RH	T[C]	dt[d]	t[d]	t0[d]	tw[d]	Relaxation
1	305	1.88	-61.E-5	40	20	10000	10100	128	10129	0.80
		* 0.98	* 0.70							
Stab	x[m]	NQ	M	LK	N[kN]	My[kNm]	Mz[kNm]	phi	max-dsz	-prz
1	11.000	1	1	11	-5617.3	-980.15	0.00	-0.72		
			1	12	-5163.3	-694.35	0.00	1.84	-42.E-5	
					574.1	361.31	0.00		-92.56	10.8
			N/My/Mz		592.4	372.83	0.00			
			ex/ky/kz		-0.512	0.096	0.000			

# Two steps + change of environment

## KRIECHEN UND SCHWINDEN

MNr	h[mm]	phi	eps	RH	T[C]	dt[d]	t[d]	t0[d]	tw[d]	Relaxation
1	305	1.92	-43.E-5	70	20	100	100	28	128	0.80
		* 0.53	* 0.17							

Stab	x[m]	NQ	M	LK	N[kN]	My[kNm]	Mz[kNm]	phi	max-dsz	-prz
1	11.000	1	1	11	-5617.3	-980.15	0.00	1.02	7.4E-5	
					349.1	219.69	0.00		-56.02	6.5
				N/My/Mz	358.5	225.66	0.00			
				ex/ky/kz	-0.189	-0.133	0.000			

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MNr	h[mm]	phi	eps	RH	T[C]	dt[d]	t[d]	t0[d]	tw[d]	Relaxation
1	305	1.88	-61.E-5	40	20	10000	10100	128	10129	0.80
		* 0.98	* 0.70							

Stab	x[m]	NQ	M	LK	N[kN]	My[kNm]	Mz[kNm]	phi	max-dsz	-prz
1	11.000	1	1	11	-5617.3	-980.15	0.00	-0.99		
				1 12	-5268.3	-760.46	0.00	1.84	-42.E-5	
					528.5	332.65	0.00		-85.13	9.9
				N/My/Mz	544.8	342.91	0.00			
				ex/ky/kz	-0.485	0.111	0.000			

# Relaxation for 1.2 higher stresses

EIGE 1 T 10000 T0 28  
EIGE 12 T 10000

## CREEP AND SHRINKAGE

MNr	h[mm]	phi	eps	RH	T[C]	dt[d]	t[d]	t0[d]	tw[d]	Relaxation
1	305	2.52	-61.E-5	40	20	10000	10000	28	10029	0.80
		* 0.98	* 0.87							

12                    3.00 \* R1000                    10000    10000                    0.00 -24.0

Stab	x[m]	NQ	M	LK	N[kN]	My[kNm]	Mz[kNm]	phi	max-dsz	-prz
1	11.000	1	1	10	-6740.5	-1679.98	0.00	2.47	-53.E-5	
					2095.5	1318.90	0.00		-341.88	32.1
		N/My/Mz			2115.9	1331.74	0.00			
	ex/ky/kz				-0.765	-0.049	0.000			

# Influence of passive reinforcements

CTRL QWF 1.0

Section	A[m2]	ys[m]	zs[m]	IYZ[m4]	IY[m4]	IZ[m4]
1 gros	1.383E+00	1.919	0.341	0.00E+00	1.412E-01	9.300E-01
CS 0	1.402E+00	1.919	0.341	0.00E+00	1.433E-01	9.344E-01
CS 1	1.443E+00	1.919	0.359	0.00E+00	1.591E-01	9.418E-01

CREEP AND SHRINKAGE

MNr	h[mm]	phi	eps	RH	T[C]	dt[d]	t[d]	t0[d]	tw[d]	Relaxation
1	305	2.52	-61.E-5	40	20	10000	10000	28	10029	0.80
		* 0.98	* 0.87							
Stab	x[m]	NQ	M	LK	N[kN]	My[kNm]	Mz[kNm]	phi	max-dsz	-prz
1	11.000	1	1	10	-5455.4	-920.56	0.00	2.47	-53.E-5	
					1551.1	728.65	0.00		-152.53	17.8
			N/My/Mz		976.2	614.40	0.00			
			ex/ky/kz		-0.729	-0.023	0.000			

# Conclusions

- Band width of entry parameters is quite large
- Band width of effects may be large too
- A concise analysis with fixed parameters may be misleading or wrong
- Safety concepts require upper and lower fractile values
- Program have to perform precise analysis based on estimated parameters.
- Live remains interesting !