



# *An overview of seismic analysis of vertical geometric irregular RCC-framed buildings*

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**Abstract :** The consequences of multitudinous perpendicular abnormalities on a structure's seismic response are the focus of this review paper. The design's thing is to conduct Response diapason analysis( RSA) and Time history analysis( THA) on vertically uneven RC structure frames, as well as to use IS 13920's Original static analysis and Time history analysis to carry out a rigidity-rooted design. The results of the study and design of irregular structures were compared to those of regular structures. The design parameter involves the evaluation of structures response to the earthquake having different intensities by comparing it with the past records of earthquake intensities. There are different varieties of varabilities out of which the following 3 varaibilities are: perpendicular variability, durability variability and mass variability. In all situations the force per storey was configured that the force is largest for the first storey and kept decreasing for all upper storey i.e it is lowest for the top storey. The mass variable buildings have great bottom shear as compared to that of the analogous normal building. In durably variable building, the bottom force is low and have more inter stoery drift. The accurate deportation attained from the past records of the variable buildings at separate bumps had less in comparison with the top stories of a normal building. Less Durability acts as advanced deportation for the upper storey. Past records study shows kindly advanced deportation for normal buildings, at bottom stories they have advanced deportation than the normal buildings. As the past records were studies for both the normal building as well as the durably variable building, the result was the higher storie's deportation didn't vary

significantly from each other, but as we descended towards the bottom stories, the accurate relegation in case of soft storey was advanced as compared to corresponding stories in normal building. Due to their low original intensity, altitudinous structures were set up to respond most explosively to low-frequency earthquakes. It's because altitudinous structures exposed to low-frequency earthquakes have low natural frequency, which induces resonance and bigger deportations. Small deportations occur when a skyscraper, which has a low original intensity, is subordinated to a great-intensity floor stir. Analogous to this, when a skyscraper is subordinated to a less intensity floor stir, it results in bitsy deportations, while subjugating a low-rise structure to a high-frequency ground stir causes significant deportations.

**Keywords** - Response spectrum analysis (RSA), Time history Analysis (THA), STAAD PRO, Seismic.

## I. INTRODUCTION

### 1.1 BACKGROUND OF THE STUDY.

Points of weakness are where a structure first fails during an earthquake. This weakness results from a discontinuity in the building's mass, durability, dimensions. These buildings are appertained to as variable buildings since they've this discontinuity. The cooperative structure is largely buildup of variable buildings. The main causes for earthquake- related structural failures is vertical abnormalities. In this case, structures with flimsy bottoms were the most likely to fall. therefore, the impact of vertical abnormalities on a structure's seismic performance becomes vital. These structures' dynamic parcels differ



from those of a typical structure, height for height, due to differences in stiffness and mass.

## IS 1893 description of Vertically Irregular structures:

Because of irregular mass and durability distributions along the height of the structure, the structure might be irregular. Analysis and design are more delicate when analogous structures are erected in high seismic zones.

There are two types of non-uniformity:-

1. Plan non-uniformity
2. Vertical non-uniformity

Vertical non-uniformity are of 5 types:

i) a) Hardness-non-uniformity— tender base- When the side hardness is decreased than 70% of the floor higher or lower than 80% of the average facet hardness of 3 floores above is known as tender base

b) Hardness-non-uniformity— Extreme tender base- When the aspect hardness is decreased than 60% of that insidethe floor higher or lower than 70% of the average hardness of 3 floores above is known as tenderbase.

ii) Mass non-uniformity: Mass non-uniformity shall be taken into consideration to live whether the vibrational weight of any floor is decrease by 200 percentage of that of its conterminous floor. within the case of roofs, non-uniformities couldn't be taken into consideration.

iii) Goemetric inconsistency in the vertical:- A shape is taken into consideration to be Goemetric inconsistency in the vertical when the perpendicular size of the facet force-defying machine of any Floor is lower than a hundred and fifty percent of that in its conterminous floor.

iv) In - plane non - uniformity in Vertical elements Defying aspect pressure An In-aircraft neutralise the side force defying rudiments lower than the period of those rudiments.

v) non - uniformity in potential — Weak floor/base A vulnerable floor is that floor wherein the floor facet durability is lower than eighty percentage of that in the floor over.

consistent with Indian Standard code 1893, element 1,

Stationary evaluation of buildings may be used for everyday buildings with maximum top, as on this procedure, facet forces are calculated as per the regulation of actual period of the building. Linear dynamic analysis is an improvement over direct static evaluation, as this evaluation produces the products of the superior modes of vibration and the factual distribution of forces in the elastic range in a higher way.

Structures are made to repel earthquakes according to design- rested engineering, but the real forces operating on the structure are far lower. Therefore, strictness-ground design is recommended in lower seismic zones because it allows for a lower gap between the structure and the ground. The main thing about constructing earthquake- sustaining buildings is to make sure that they are sufficiently ductile to endure the stresses that an earthquake will put them under.

## 1.2 Important of Seismic Design Codes

Structures experience forces and deformations as a result of ground vibrations during earthquakes. Structures should be designed to tolerate such abilities and deformities. Seismic codes aid in enhancing the behaviour of buildings so that they can resist an earthquake's impact without causing a significant loss of life or property. The seismic code contains methods that are used by nations all over the world to assist configuration builders with the arranging, designing, enumerating, and development of structures.

### The accompanying Seismic Codes from BIS:

- Indian Standard Code for Earthquake Sustainable Building Design, IS 1893 (PART 1) 2002 (5th update).
- IS 4326, Practise for Building Design and Construction that Is Earthquake Resistant, published in 1993. (2nd update).
- Indian Standard Guidelines for Increasing Earthquake Resistant of Earthen Structures (IS 13827), 1993.
- IS 13828, an Indian Standard Guidelines for Enhancing Earthquake Resistant of Low Strength Masonry Buildings, published in 1993.
- IS 13920, an Indian Standard Code for Ductile Detailing of Reinforced Concrete Structures Subject to Seismic Forces, published in 1993.

The instructions in these gauges don't assure that structures bear no harm amid the tremor of all greatness. anyways, to the diploma manageable, they guarantee that structures can react to tremor shaking of moderate forces without auxiliary damage and of enormous powers without all out breakdown.

### 1.3 OBJECTIVES OF THE RESEARCH:

- To use response spectrum analysis to determine the design lateral forces on straight and curved buildings, and to compare the outcomes of various constructions.
- To investigate three structural irregularities: mass, stiffness, and uneven vertical geometry.
- To use time history analysis to determine how structures react to different kinds of ground motion, including low, middle, and high frequency ground motion, and to compare the results.
- To do the equivalent static analysis and time history analysis required by IS 13920 for ductility-based earthquake-resistant design, and to compare the differences between the two.

### 1.4 THE STUDY'S PERSPECTIVE :

- Only vertical irregularity was examined.
- only RC buildings were taken into consideration.
- The constructions underwent a study using linear elastic theory.
- Base and column were modelled as fixed.
- The infill wall's contribution to stiffness was not taken into account. The impact of the infill wall's loading was considered.
- Soil structure interaction's impact is disregarded.

### 1.5 Methodology:

- Reviews of the body of literature by various researchers.
- The choice of structural types.
- Modelling of the buildings that were chosen.
- Conducting dynamic analysis on a few chosen building models and contrasting the findings.
- Buildings designed based on ductility, as determined by the studies' findings.

### 1.5.1 ANALYSIS METHODS

#### 1.5.1.1 EARTHQUAKE RESEARCH:

Earthquake research, is crucial tool in earthquake engineering, it is used to better understand how building's respond to earthquake excitations. In the past, buildings were only designed to endure strains from gravity, and Earthquake research is a relatively new invention. Both structural analysis and design are impacted in areas where earthquakes are frequent.

The 3 types of earthquake evaluation methods we used are as follows:-

- I. Comparable Static Evaluation.
- II. Reaction Range Evaluation
- III. Past study Evaluation

#### 1.5.2 DESIGN METHOD

##### 1.5.2.1 DUCTILITY BASED DESIGN

Ductility in the constructions is a product of inelastic material behaviour and reinforcing design, which prevents brittle fracture and introduces ductility by lending steel to yield under controlled conditions. Therefore, the main goal is to guarantee that the building has sufficient ductility to survive the effects of earthquakes, which the structure is expected to suffer throughout the course of its existence.

The structure's ductility serves as a sway absorber and lessens the transferring power that are applied to it. A building's ductility can be evaluated using the following criteria: structural ductility, rotational ductility, and displacement ductility.

The capacity of a material to deform after its first yield without significantly reducing its yield strength is known as ductility.

The objectives affecting the ductility of a building are as follows-

- For small axial compressive stresses between 0 and 1 MPa, concrete's ductility improves with its shear strength. There is a linear trend in the variation. Up until the axial compressive stress equals the compressive stress at balanced failure, ductility varies linearly.
- As concrete's ultimate strain increases, the ductility factor rises as well. Therefore, concrete becomes more ductile when it is enclosed.

- The ductility improves as concrete strength increases and falls when steel yield strength increases.
  - In order to increase ductility, lateral reinforcement works to prevent shear failure. The compression reinforcement is also prevented from buckled by it.
- Requirements of ductility:
- Through the distribution of internal forces, it enables the structure to reach its maximum potential strength.
  - The structure can function as a mechanism beneath its maximum potential strength thanks to structural ductility, which causes a significant quantity of energy to be lost. With regard to ductility-based design, IS 13920 was followed.

### III. PROPOSED METHODOLOGY

#### 3.1 REACTION RANGE EVALUATION

Reaction Range Evaluation become executed on ordinary and Different abnormal homes using STAAD-PRO. The forces acting on the floors had been evaluated for each ground and plotted for every building..

##### 3.1.1 STRUCTURAL MODELLING

##### SPECIFICATIONS:

Live Load	3kN/m <sup>2</sup>
Density of RCC considered:	25kN/m <sup>3</sup>
Thickness of slab	150mm
Depth of beam	400mm
Width of beam	350mm
Dimension of column	400x400mm
Density of infill	20kN/m <sup>3</sup>
Thickness of outside wall	20mm
Thickness of inner partition wall	15mm
Height of each floor	3.5m
Earthquake Zone	IV
Damping Ratio	5%
Importance factor	1
Type of Soil	Rocky
Type of structure	Special Moment Resisting Frame
Response reduction Factor	5

The different variable buildings considered are, Normal building, Mass variable buildings, buildings with ground floor as the soft storey and vertically geometric irregular building. The first three structures were 10 storeyed.

#### 1. Normal structure (10 storeys):

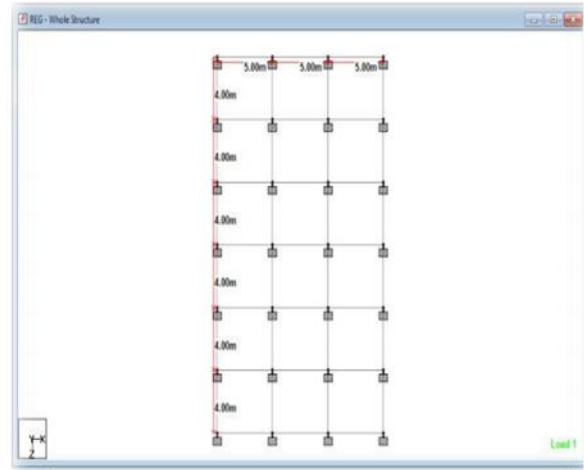


Fig 3.1: plan of normal structure (10 storeys)

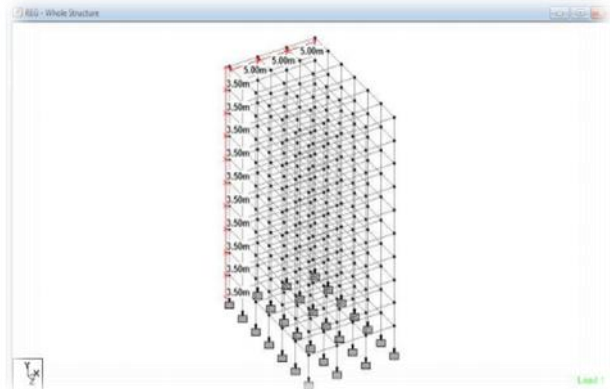


Fig 3.2: 3D view of Normal structure (10 storeys )

### CONCLUSION

Vertical geometry irregularity, stiffness irregularity, and mass non-uniformity were the 3 forms of abnormalities that were considered. Plan symmetry was seen in all three varieties of irregular RC building frames. For each type of irregularity, response spectrum analysis (RSA) was performed, and the resulting forces per storey were compared to those of a regular construction. 3 different ground motion types—less motion (imperial), intermediate motion (Indian Standard code), and high frequency motion—were taken into consideration. Each form of irregularity related to the aforementioned ground motions underwent time history analysis (THA), and nodal displacements were compared. Finally, IS 13920, which corresponds to Comparable Static Evaluation, and Past study Evaluation was used to design the

aforementioned irregular building frames, and the outcomes were compared. result summarized-

- The first storey's shear force was determined to be the highest according to the RSA results, while the top storey's shear force was consistently the lowest.
- Mass non-uniformity building frames endure greater base force than comparable normal building frames, according to the findings of RSA.
- The stiffness irregular building had bigger inter-storey drifts and less base shear, per the RSM data.
- Absolute displacements for regular and geometrically irregular buildings were shown to be bigger at their respective nodes from time history analyses, but as we moved to lower levels, displacements in both structures tended to converge. This is because upper storeys in a geometrically uneven structure are less rigid than lower stories due to the L-shape. Higher displacements of upper stories are the result of lower rigidity.
- In the example of a mass irregular construction, time history analysis produced upper stories with somewhat larger displacements than those in regular buildings, whereas lower stories with higher displacements as we went down than those in regular structures.
- When time history analysis was performed on both regular and stiffness irregular buildings (soft storey), it was discovered that upper stories' displacements did not differ significantly from one another, but as we moved down to lower stories, the absolute displacement in cases of soft storey was higher than that of the corresponding stories in a regular building.
- Tall buildings have a low actual intensity, hence it was discovered that their response was maximal during a low frequency earthquake.

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