

Solution to Homework Set #4
ENCE 454 – Design of Concrete Structures - SPRING 2004

Assigned T, 3/2 Due T, 3/9

Problem 1:

A reinforced concrete beam of rectangular cross section is reinforced for moment only and subjected to a shear V_u of 9000 lb. Beam width $b = 12$ in., $d = 7.25$ in., $f'_c = 3000$ psi, and $f_y = 60,000$ psi. Is the beam satisfactory for shear? Why? Justify your answer.

***** SOLUTION *****

Approximate h :

$h = d + 1.5 + 0.5 = 7.25 + 1.5 + 0.5 = 9.25$ in. < 10.0 in. \Rightarrow beam is considered shallow.

$$\max V_u = \phi V_c = \phi \lambda 2 \sqrt{f'_c} b_w d = 0.75(1)(2)\sqrt{3000}(12)(7.25) = 7,148 \text{ lb}$$

$$7,148 \text{ lb} < 9000 \text{ lb} \Rightarrow \text{Beam is N.G. in shear}$$

Problem 2:

Assume that the beam of Problem 1 has an effective depth of 18 in. and is reinforced with No. 3 single-loop stirrups spaced at 10 in. on center. Determine the maximum shear V_u permissible.

***** SOLUTION *****

$$V_u \leq \phi(V_c + V_s)$$

$$V_c = \lambda 2 \sqrt{f'_c} b_w d = (1)(2)\sqrt{3000}(12)(18) = 23,661.61 \text{ lb} = 23.66 \text{ kips}$$

$$V_s = \frac{A_v f_y d}{s} = \frac{0.22(60)(18)}{10} = 23.76 \text{ kips}$$

Therefore,

$$\max V_u = \phi(V_c + V_s) = 0.75 (23.66 + 23.76) = \mathbf{35.57 \text{ kips}}$$

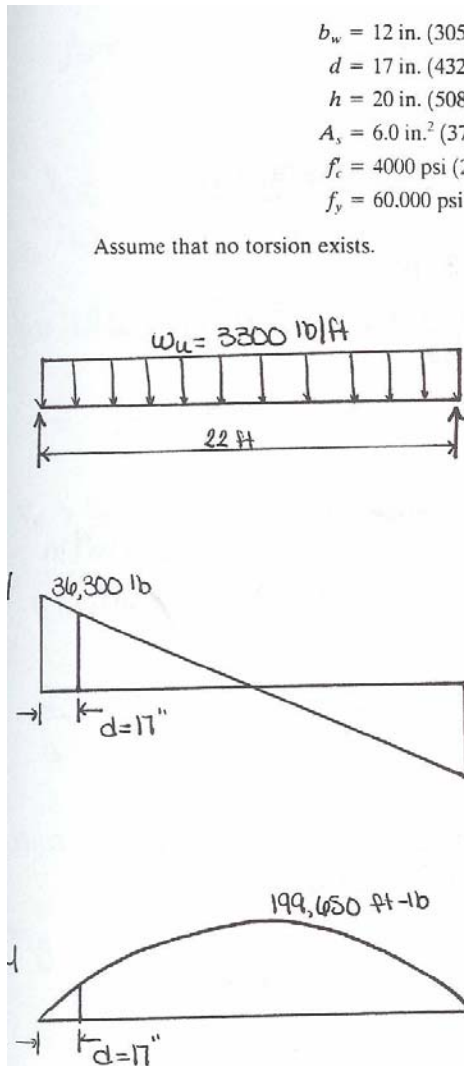
Problem 3:

Textbook: 6.1

*** SOLUTION ***

$$\begin{aligned}b_w &= 12 \text{ in. (305 mm)} \\d &= 17 \text{ in. (432 mm)} \\h &= 20 \text{ in. (508 mm)} \\A_s &= 6.0 \text{ in.}^2 (3780 \text{ mm}^2) \\f'_c &= 4000 \text{ psi (27.6 MPa), normal-weight concrete} \\f_y &= 60,000 \text{ psi (413.7 MPa)}\end{aligned}$$

Assume that no torsion exists.



$$\text{Self-weight} = \frac{12 \times 20}{144} \times 150 = 250 \text{ lb/ft}$$

$$\begin{aligned}w_u &= 1.2(250 + 900) + 1.6(1200) \\ &= 3300 \text{ lb/ft}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}V_u \text{ (at support)} &= \frac{(3300)(22)}{2} \\ &= 36,300 \text{ lb.}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}V_u \text{ (at } d) &= 36,300 - 3300 \left(\frac{17}{12}\right) \\ &= 31,625 \text{ lb.}\end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned}M_u \text{ (at } d) &= 36,300 \left(\frac{17}{12}\right) - \frac{3300 \left(\frac{17}{12}\right)^2}{2} \\ &= 48,113 \text{ ft-lb} \\ &= 577,363 \text{ in-lb.}\end{aligned}$$

Simplified Method :

$$V_c = 2\lambda\sqrt{f'_c} b_w d = 2(1.0)\sqrt{4,000}(12)(17) = 25,804 \text{ lb.}$$

$$V_n = \frac{V_u}{\phi} = \frac{31,625}{0.75} = 42,167 \text{ lb.}$$

$V_n > \frac{1}{2}V_c \therefore$ shear reinforcement is necessary

$$V_s = V_n - V_c = 42,167 - 25,804 = 16,363 \text{ lb.}$$

$$\frac{A_v}{s} = \frac{V_s}{f_y d} = \frac{16,363}{(60,000)(17)} = 0.016 \text{ in}^2/\text{in}$$

$$\min \frac{A_v}{s} = \frac{50 b_w}{f_y} = \frac{50(12)}{60,000} = 0.01 < 0.016 \text{ o.k.}$$

$\frac{A_v}{s} = 0.016 \text{ in}$
control

Try no. 3 stirrup, $A_v = 2(0.11) = 0.22 \text{ in}^2$

$$s = \frac{A_v}{(A_v/s)} = \frac{0.22}{0.016} = 13.8 \text{ in}$$

$$V_s = 16,363 < 4\sqrt{f'_c} b_w d = 4\sqrt{4000}(12)(17) = 51,608 \text{ lb}$$

$$\therefore s_{\max} = \min \left\{ \frac{d}{2} = \frac{17}{2} = 8.5, 24 \right\} = 8.5 \text{ in} < 13.8 \text{ in}$$

\Rightarrow use no. 3 stirrups @ 8.5 in c-c.

Refined Method :

$$V_c = 1.9 b_w d \sqrt{f_c'} + 2500 \rho_w \frac{V_u d}{M_u} b_w d \leq 3.5 b_w d \sqrt{f_c'}$$

$$\rho_w = \frac{A_s}{b_w d} = \frac{6}{12 \times 17} = 0.0294$$

$$\frac{V_u d}{M_u} = \frac{31,625 (17)}{577,363} = 0.93 \leq 1.0 \quad \text{O.K.}$$

$$\begin{aligned} V_c &= 1.9 (12)(17) \sqrt{4000} + 2500 (0.0294)(0.93)(12)(17) \leq 3.5 (12)(17) \sqrt{4000} \\ &= 38,458 \text{ lb} \leq 45,157 \text{ lb} \quad \therefore V_c = 38,458 \text{ lb.} \end{aligned}$$

$V_n > \frac{1}{2} V_c$ \therefore shear reinforcement is required

$$V_s = V_n - V_c = 42,167 - 38,458 = 3,709 \text{ lb}$$

$$\frac{A_v}{s} = \frac{V_s}{f_y d} = \frac{3709}{(60,000)(17)} = 0.0036 \text{ in}^2/\text{in}$$

$$\min \frac{A_v}{s} = 0.01 \text{ in}^2/\text{in} \leftarrow \text{controls}$$

Try No. 3 stirrups, $A_v = 2(0.11) = 0.22 \text{ in}^2$

$$s = \frac{A_v}{(A_v/s)} = \frac{0.22}{0.01} = 22 \text{ in}$$

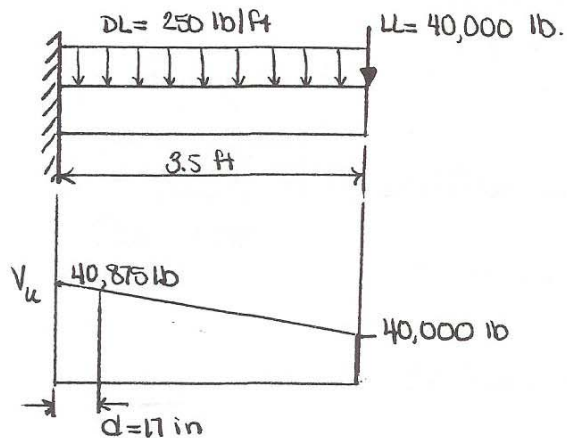
$$V_s = 3,709 \text{ lb} < 4\sqrt{f_c'} b d = 51,608 \text{ lb}$$

$$\therefore s_{\max} = 8.5 \text{ in}$$

\Rightarrow Use No. 3 stirrups @ 8.5 in c-c.

Problem 4:

Textbook: 6.3

***** SOLUTION *****

$$\text{Self-weight} = \frac{10 \times 20}{144} \times 150 = 208 \text{ lb/ft}$$

$$DL = 1.2(208) = 250 \text{ lb/ft}$$

$$LL = 1.6(25,000) = 40,000 \text{ lb}$$

$$V_u \text{ at support} = 250 \times 3.5 + 40,000 = 40,875 \text{ lb}$$

$$V_u \text{ at } d = (40,875 - 40,000) \left(\frac{3.5 \times 12 - 17}{3.5 \times 12} \right) + 40,000 = 40,521 \text{ lb}$$

$$V_n = \frac{V_u}{\phi} = \frac{40,521}{0.75} = 54,028 \text{ lb}$$

$$V_c = 2 \lambda \sqrt{f_c'} b_w d = 2(1.0) \sqrt{3000} (10)(17) = 18,622 \text{ lb}$$

$V_n > V_c/2 \therefore$ stirrups are required

$$\frac{A_v}{s} = \frac{V_s}{f_y d} = \frac{54,028 - 18,622}{(60,000)(17)} = 0.035 \text{ in}^2/\text{in}$$

$$\min \frac{A_v}{s} = \frac{50 b_w}{f_y} = \frac{50(12)}{60,000} = 0.01 \text{ in}^2 < 0.035 \therefore \frac{A_v}{s} = 0.035 \text{ in}^2/\text{in}$$

Try No. 4 stirrup, $A_v = 2(0.2) = 0.40 \text{ in}^2$

$$s = \frac{A_v}{(A_v/s)} = \frac{0.40}{0.035} = 11.4 \text{ in.}$$

$$V_s = 54,028 - 18,622 = 35,406 \text{ lb.} < 4\sqrt{3000}d(16)(17) = 87,245 \text{ lb.}$$

$$\therefore s_{\max} = \min \left\{ \frac{d}{2} = 8.5, 24 \text{ in} \right\} = 8.5 \text{ in.}$$

\Rightarrow Use No. 4 stirrups @ 8.5 in c-c.