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Table<blank><chapter number><serial number><left indent><table title>

Table 2.1

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Example : **Fig. 6.2 Bending Moment Diagram in Nm**

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$$\Delta_i = \Delta_{i-1} + \theta_{i-1}(x_i - x_{i-1}) - \frac{1}{2}\phi_{i-1}(x_i - x_{i-1})^2 \quad (4.1)$$

$$\phi_i = f(M_i, P) \quad (4.2)$$

$$P_{uR} = C_c + C_F = af_{ck}bD + \sum_{i=1}^n (f_{fi} - f_{ci})A_{fi} \quad (4.3)$$

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an athlete's responses, two athletes' responses.
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ABSTRACT

Prestressed concrete (PSC) deck slab structure is a vital constituent of the modern railway track structure. PSC deck slab structures are now being used in increasing numbers all over the world, including India. The prescribed simplified methods of PSC deck slab structure design world-wide, including in India, continue to be based on approximate modelling, analysis and heuristically assumed safety factors. The aim of the present project work is to assess the prevailing analytical procedures of PSC deck slab structure on the basis of more rigorous modelling and analysis, and to make improved recommendations for more rational design.

KEY WORDS: Railway vehicle, Railtrack deck slab structure, Dynamic analysis, Reliability analysis and design, Deck slab structure in isolation model, Equivalent static model

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ABBREVIATIONS

The student must take utmost care in the use of technical abbreviations. For example, “KM” stands for “Kelvin mega” and not kilometre (Which should be abbreviated as km) and “gms” stands for “grams meter second” and not “grams” (Which should be abbreviated as g). In addition, abbreviations pertaining to any specific discipline should be listed in alphabetical order as shown below.

AVP	Average Vertical Profile
AREA	American Railway Engineering Association
B.G	Broad Gauge
FEA	Finite Element Analysis
FEMAP	Finite Element Modelling and Preprocessor
FORM	First Order Reliability Method
HT	High Strength Steel
IS	Indian Standards
kN	Kilo Newton
M.G	Meter Gauge
MPa	Mega Pascal
MSC	MacNeal Schwendler Corporation
NASTRAN	NASA Structural Analysis Program
ORE	Office for Research and Experiments of the International Union of Railways

NOTATIONS

The student must explain the meaning of special symbols and notations used in the thesis. Define English symbols, and Miscellaneous symbols separately. Some examples are presented below. Use italics for all sub and super scripts except numerals.

English Symbols (in alphabetical order)

a	the mean radius of the Earth = 6.37×10^6 m
α_n	a series of expansion coefficients with index n
A_c	total fractional area coverage by clouds
b_e, b_o	regression coefficients for eccentricity and obliquity
B_e	equilibrium Bowen ration
$B_\nu(T)$	Planck's blackbody emission at frequency ν and temperature T
Q_{abs}	absorption coefficient

Greek Symbols

α_s	albedo of bare ground
β_E	ratio of evapotranspiration to potential evaporation
ΔF_{atm} and ocean	the divergence of the horizontal transport of energy by the atmosphere and ocean
$\sigma(x)$	the standard deviation of x
Ψ_{mf}	meridional mass stream function

Miscellaneous Symbols

$ x $	absolute value of x
‰	per thousand

CHAPTER 1 INTRODUCTION

1.1 GENERAL

1.2 HISTORICAL REVIEW

1.2.1 Types of Analyses

Sub classifications

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1.8 ORGANIZATION OF PROJECT

The Project is organized as follows

Chapter 1 covers the general introduction to the development of Fibres materials.

Chapter 2 reports a detailed literature review on the basic properties of Fibres

Chapter 3 describes the experimental study

Chapter 4 introduces the detailed Finite Element Modelling

Chapter 5 summarizes the final conclusions.

1.9 SUMMARY

CHAPTER 2 LITERATURE REVIEW

2.1 GENERAL

2.2 HISTORICAL REVIEW

2.2.1 Types of Analyses

Sub classifications

2.4 SUMMARY

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Table 3.1 Properties of Concrete

Material	M20 grade of concrete	M30 grade of concrete
Cement	62 kg	77 kg
Fine aggregate	80 kg	84.7 kg
Coarse aggregate	183 kg	204.82 kg
Water †	28 litres	31 litres
Average compressive strength	28 MPa	40 MPa



Fig.3.10 Torsion Testing Equipment

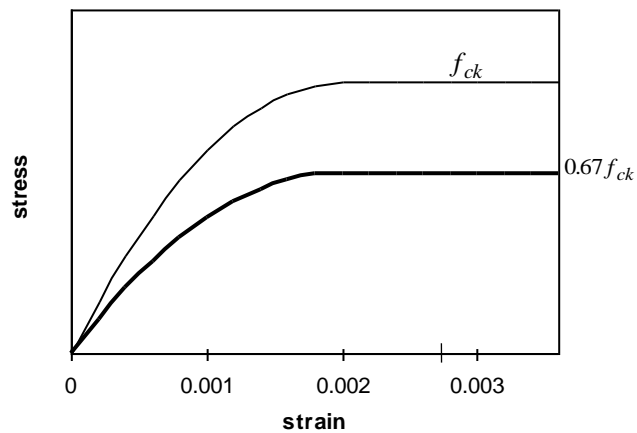


Fig. 5.1 Stress-strain Curve of Concrete in Flexural Compression

† Water standards as per IS