

Concrete Buildings: Risk Reduction



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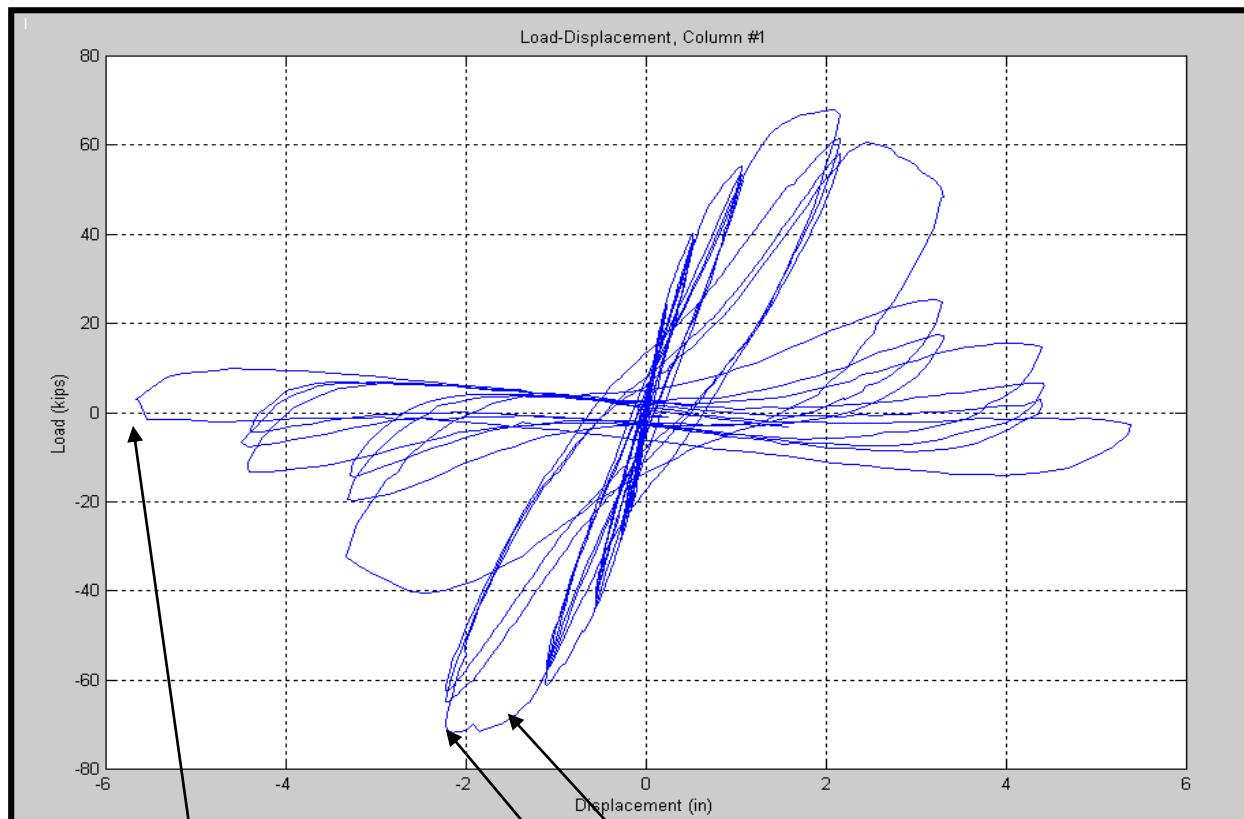








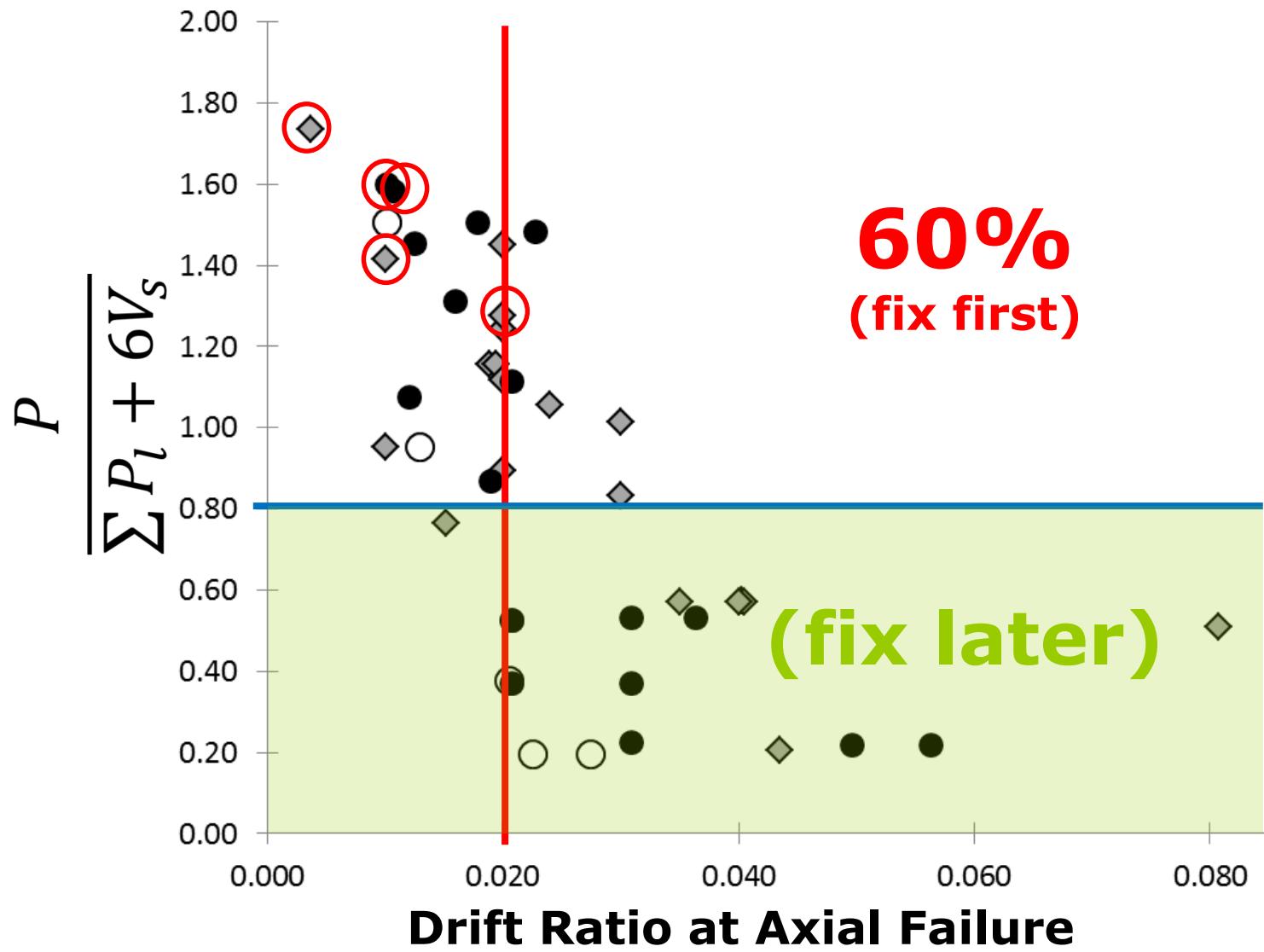
Older-type column tests



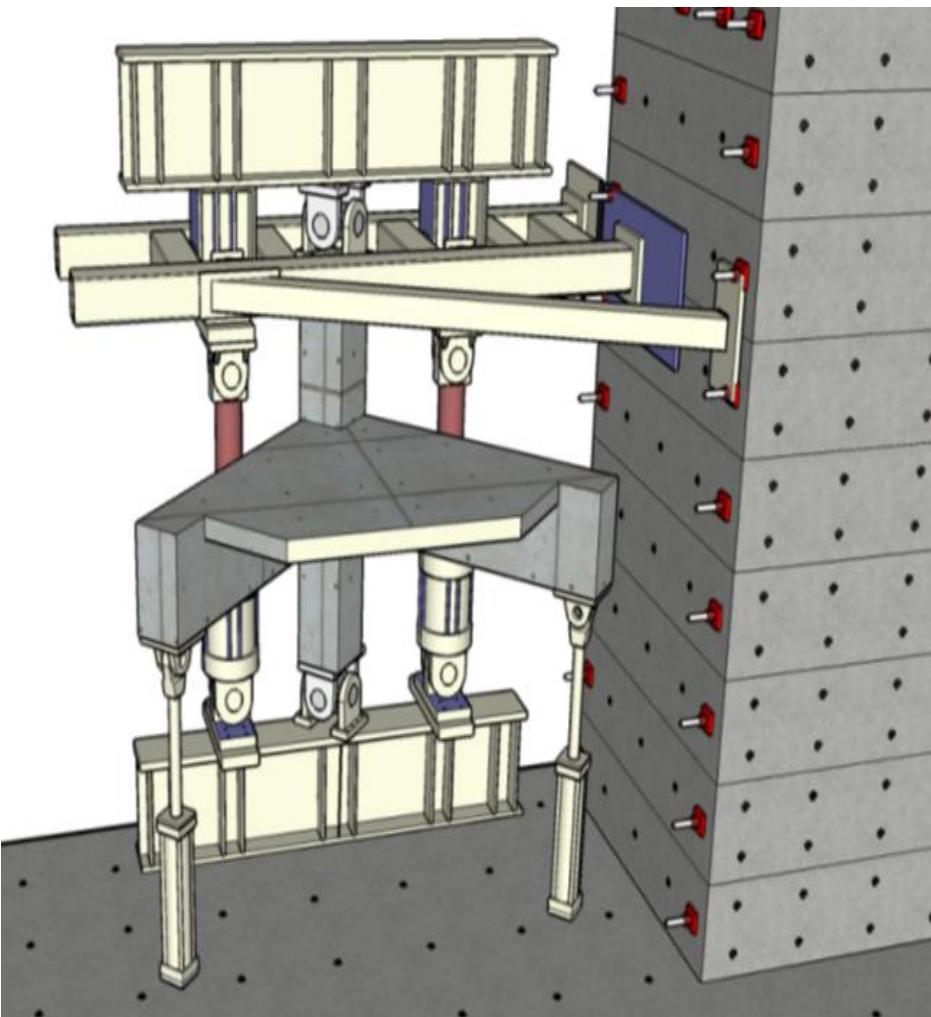
Axial failure

Flexural yield

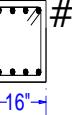
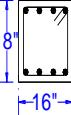
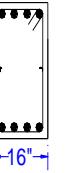
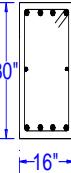
Onset of shear failure

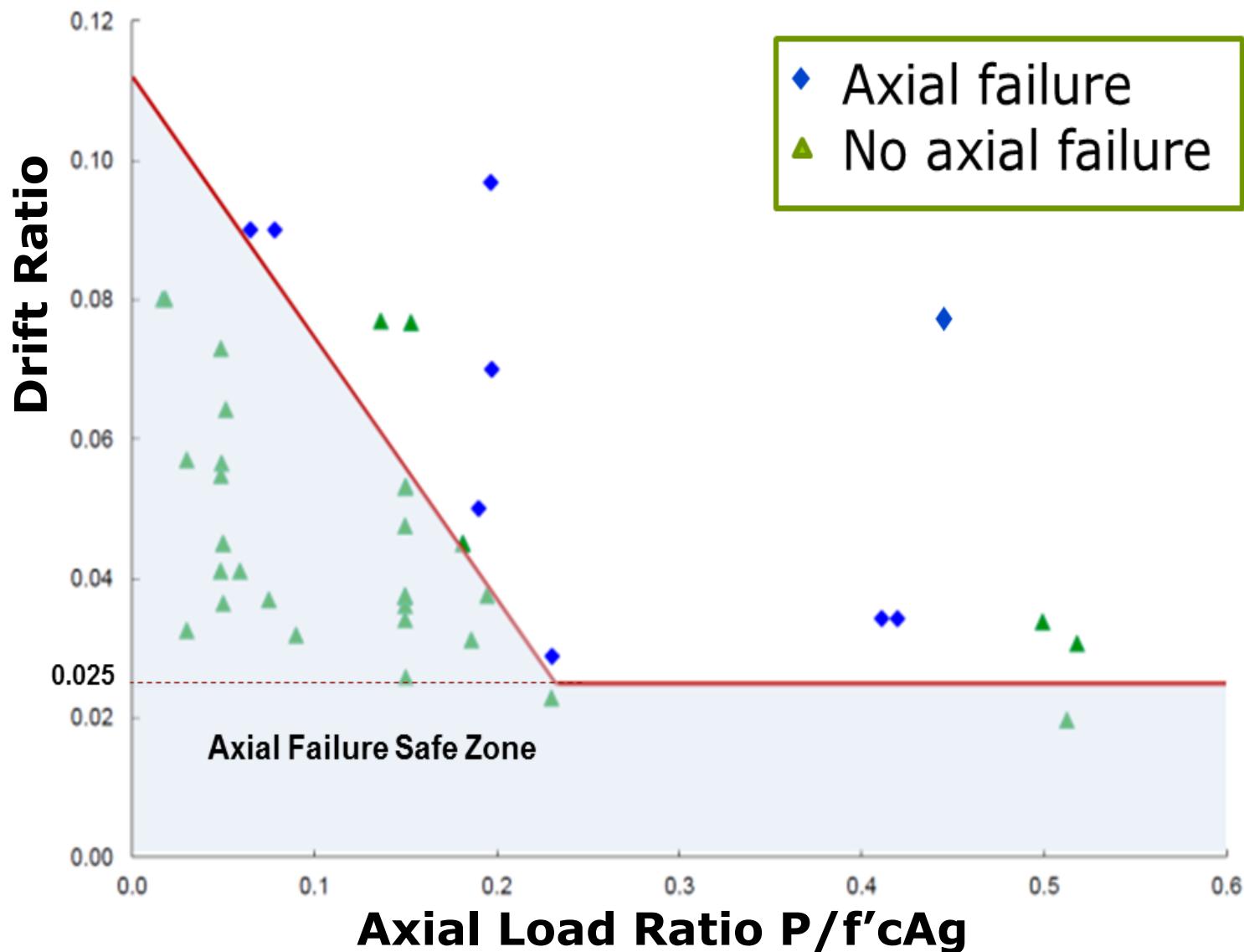


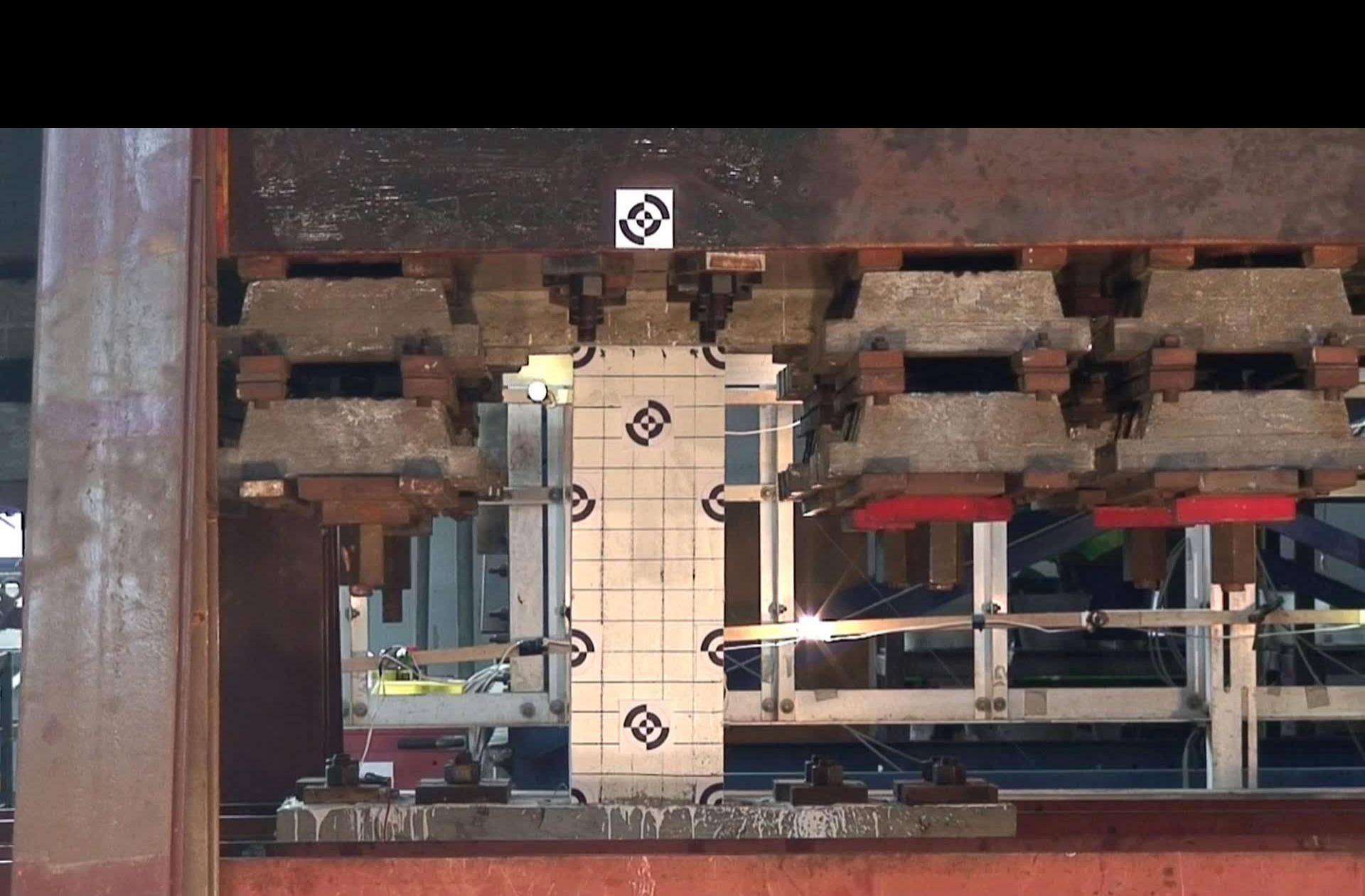
Beam-column joint tests



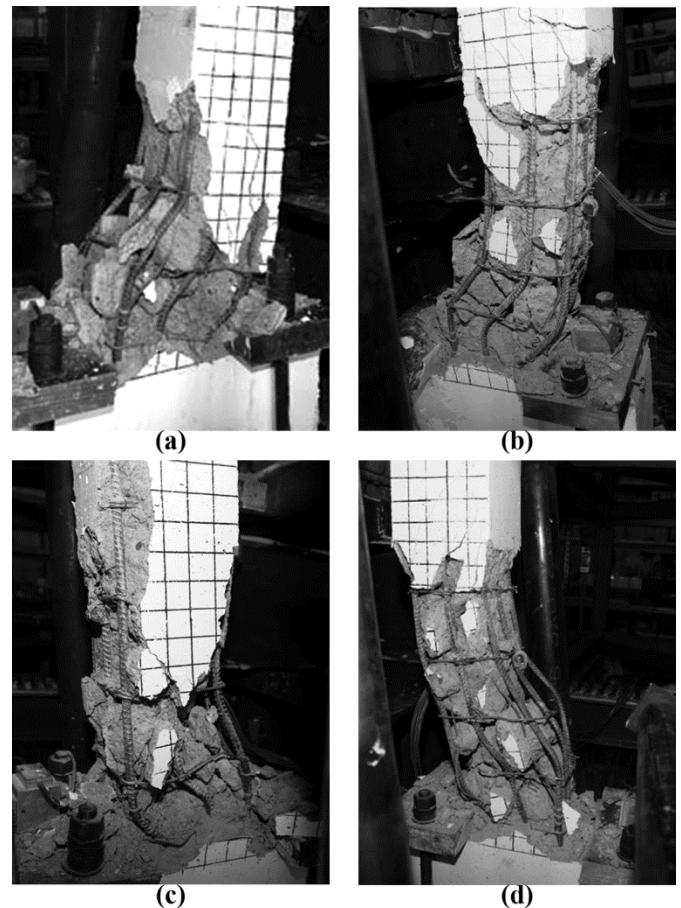
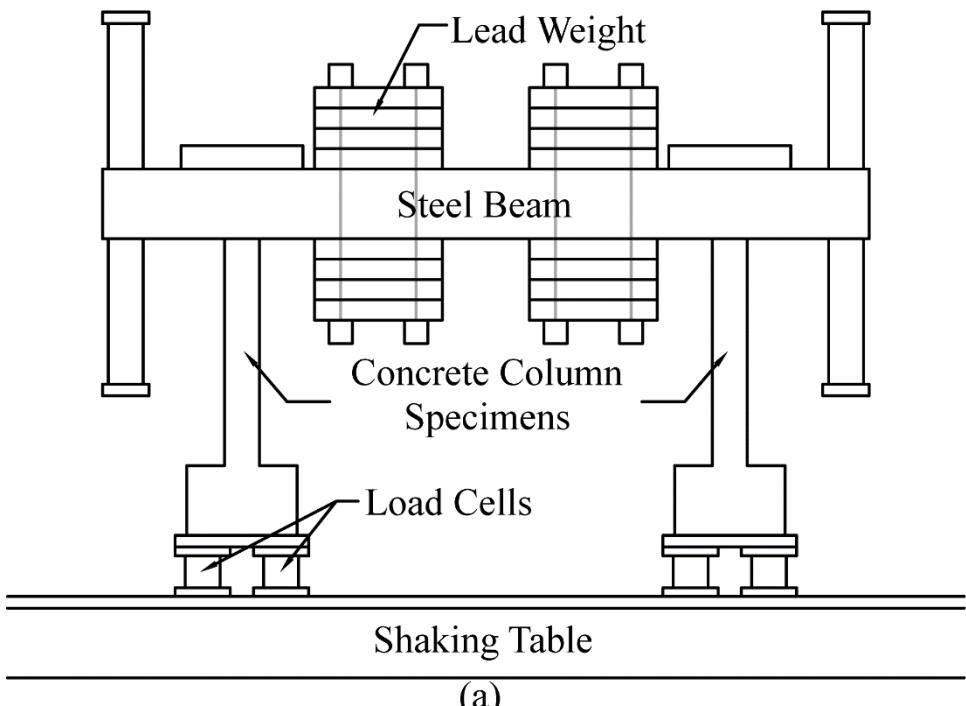
Typical Beam Sections

		Reinf. Ratio	
		#6	#8
Aspect Ratio (h_b/h_c)	1/1		
	5/3		



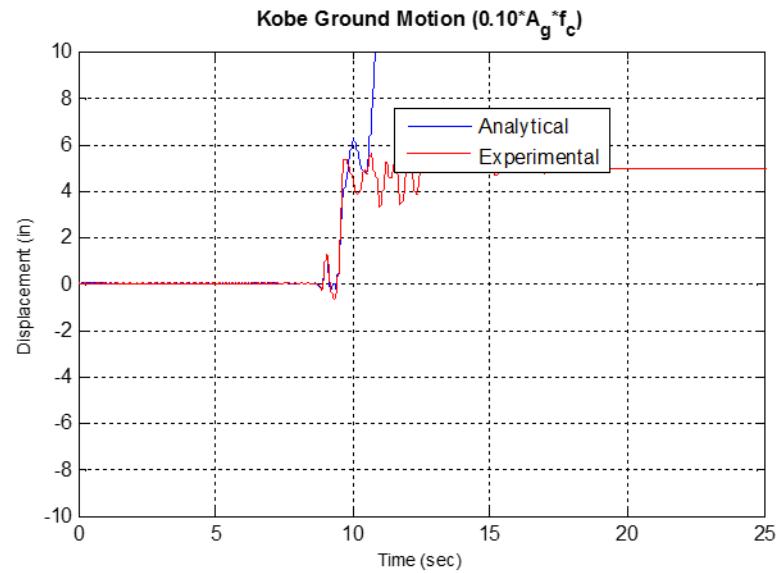
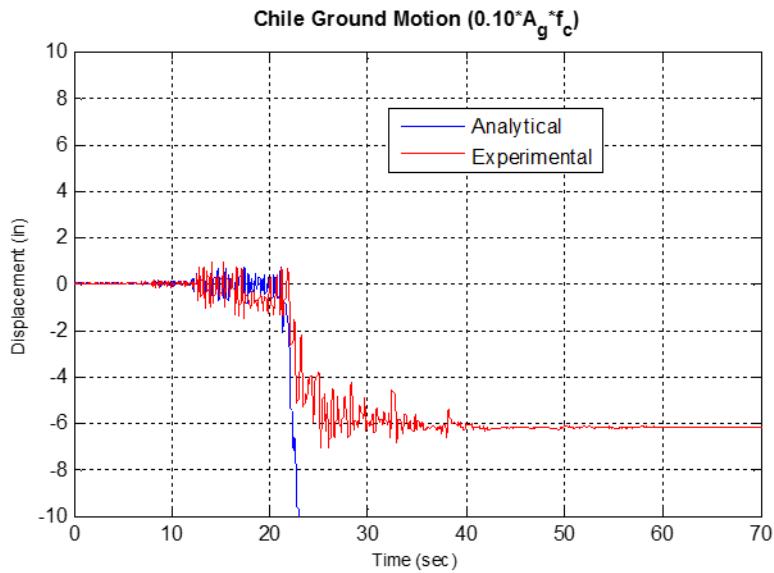


Simple dynamic tests

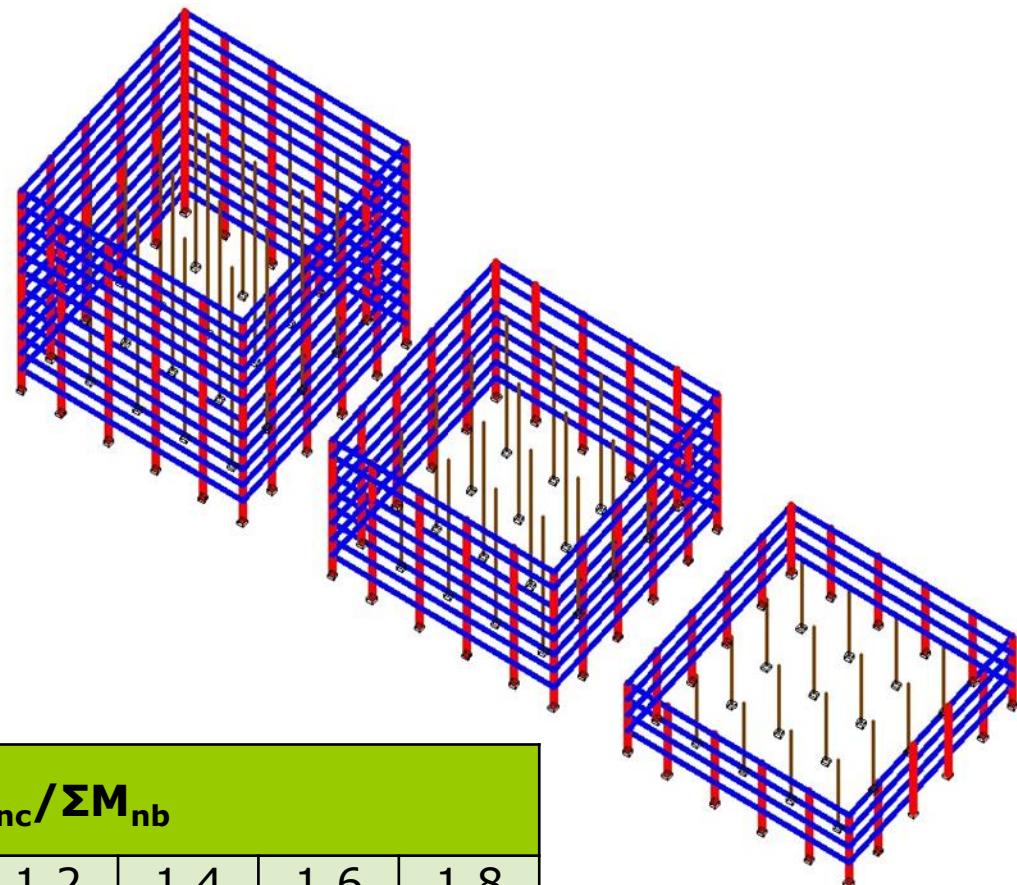


Analysis vs experiment

Non-Ductile - Non-Ductile Frame

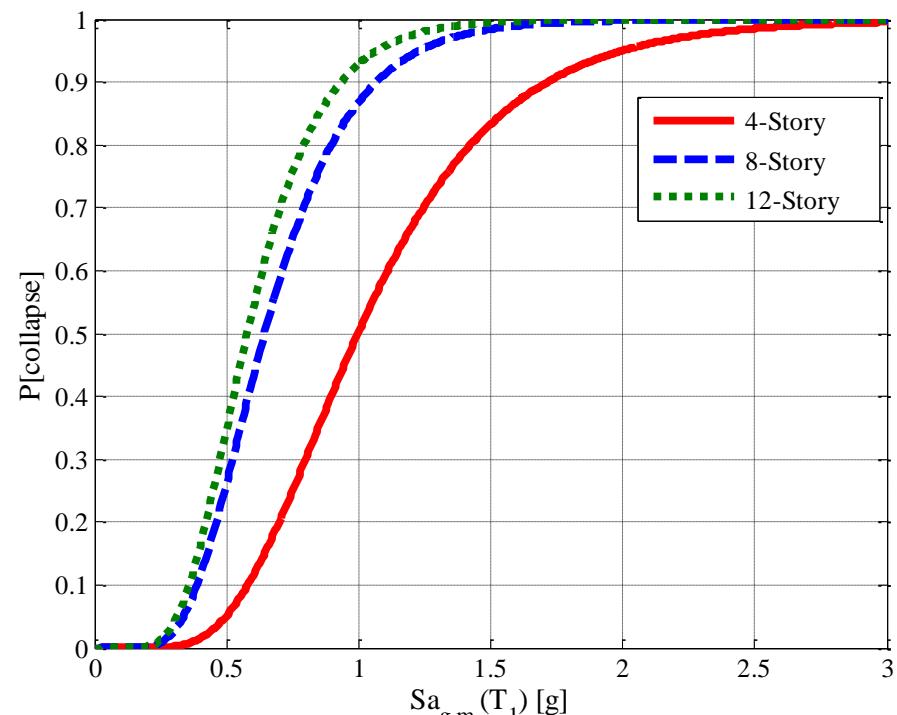
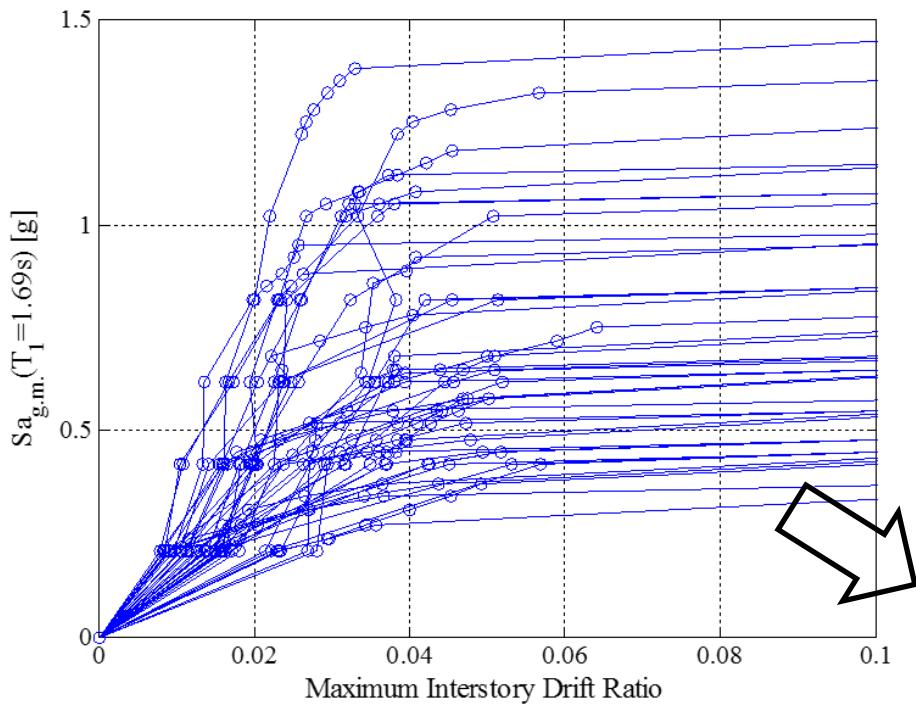


Collapse indicator studies

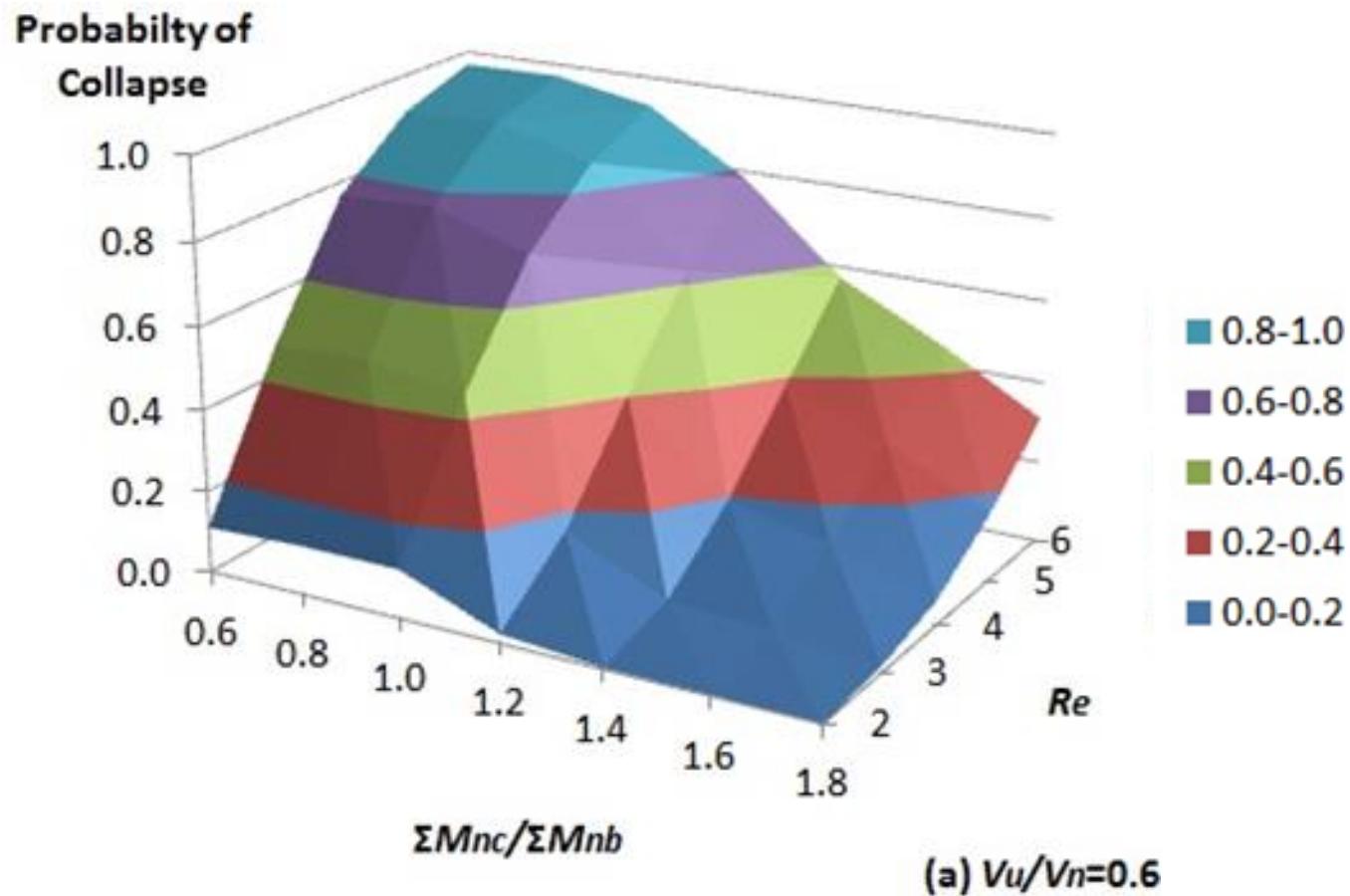


		$\Sigma M_{nc}/\Sigma M_{nb}$						
		0.6	0.8	1.0	1.2	1.4	1.6	1.8
V_u/V_n	0.6	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	0.8	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	1.0	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
	1.2	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓

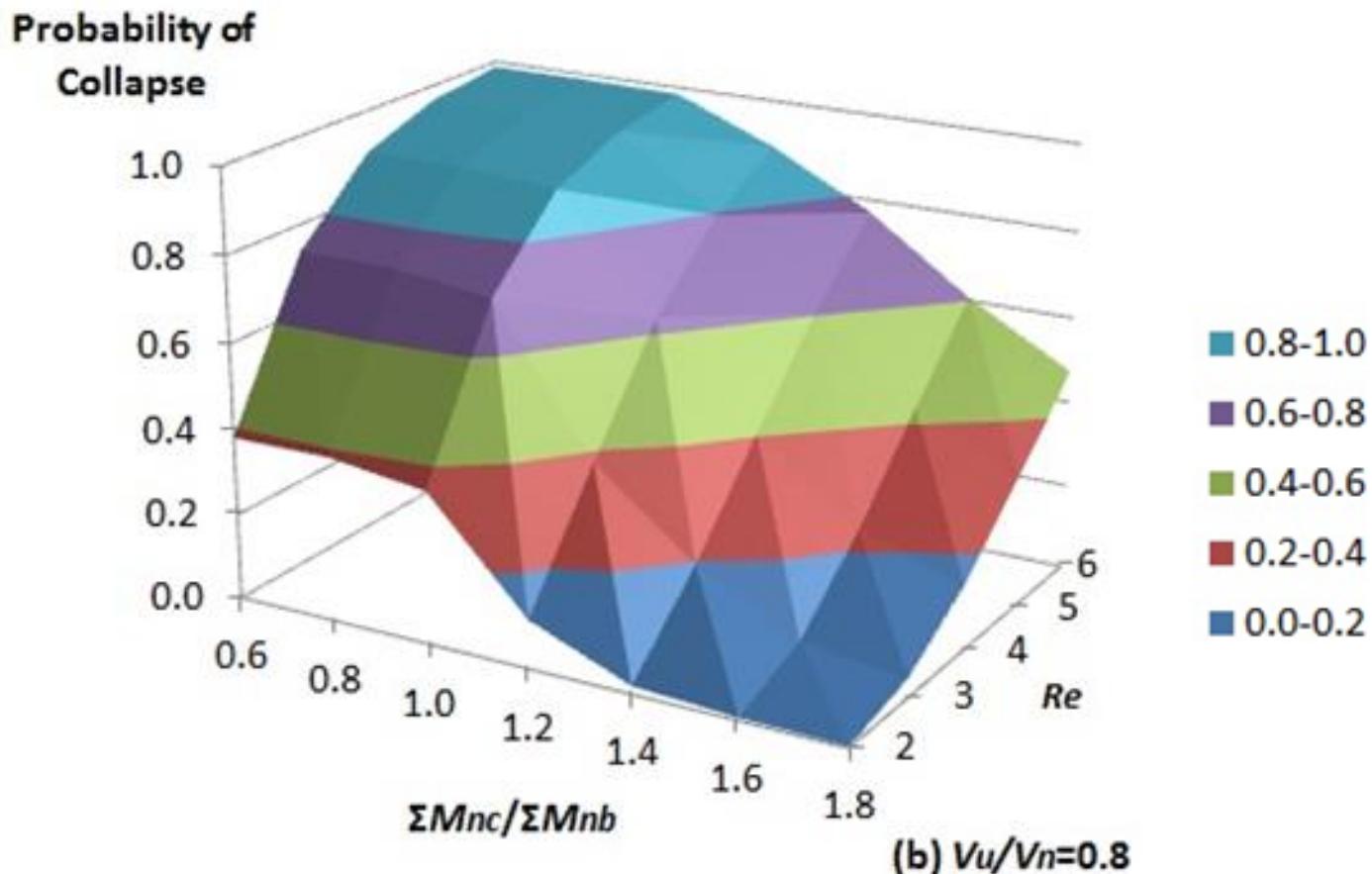
Incremental dynamic analyses



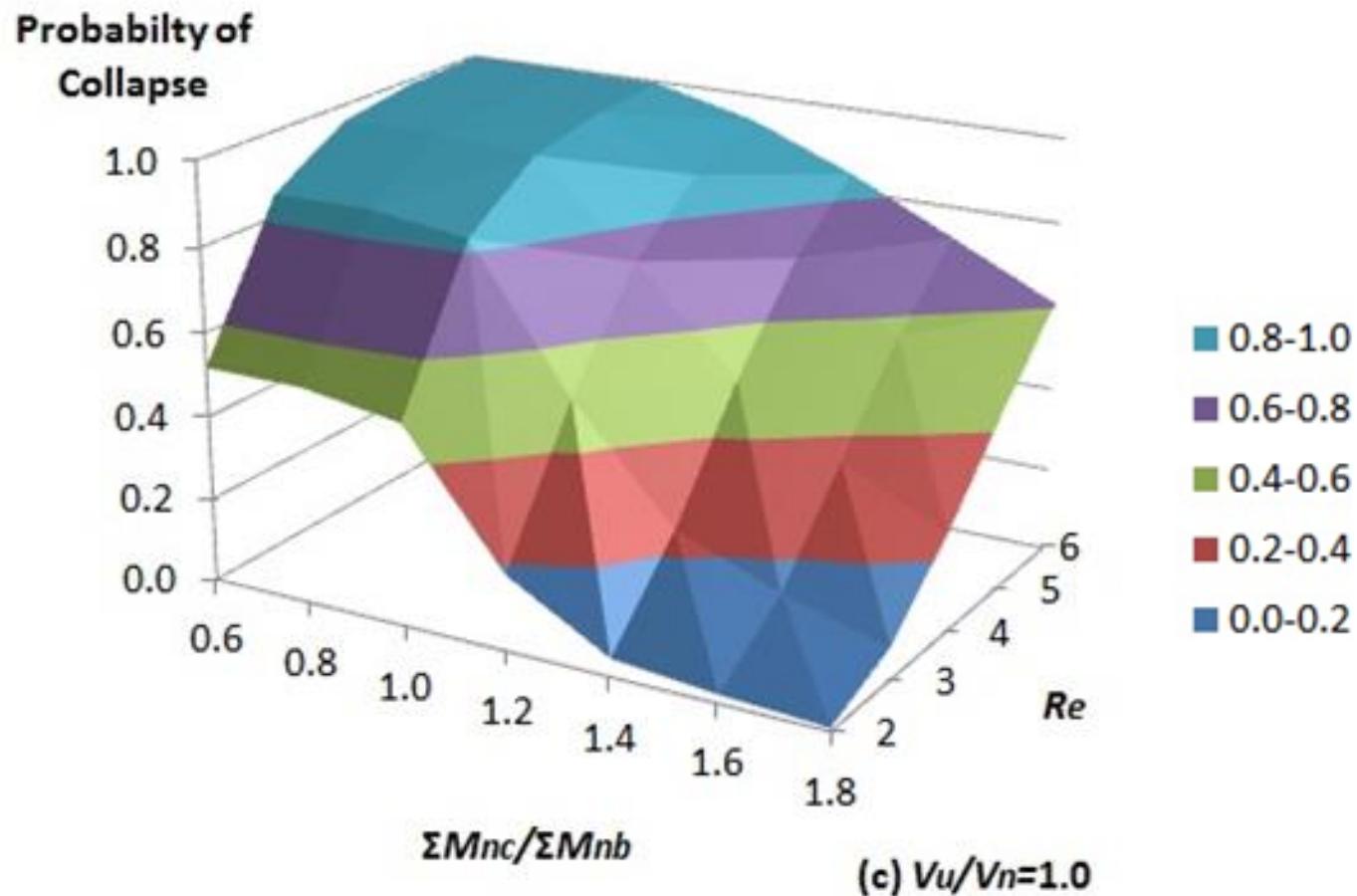
Probability of collapse: $V_u/V_n = 0.6$



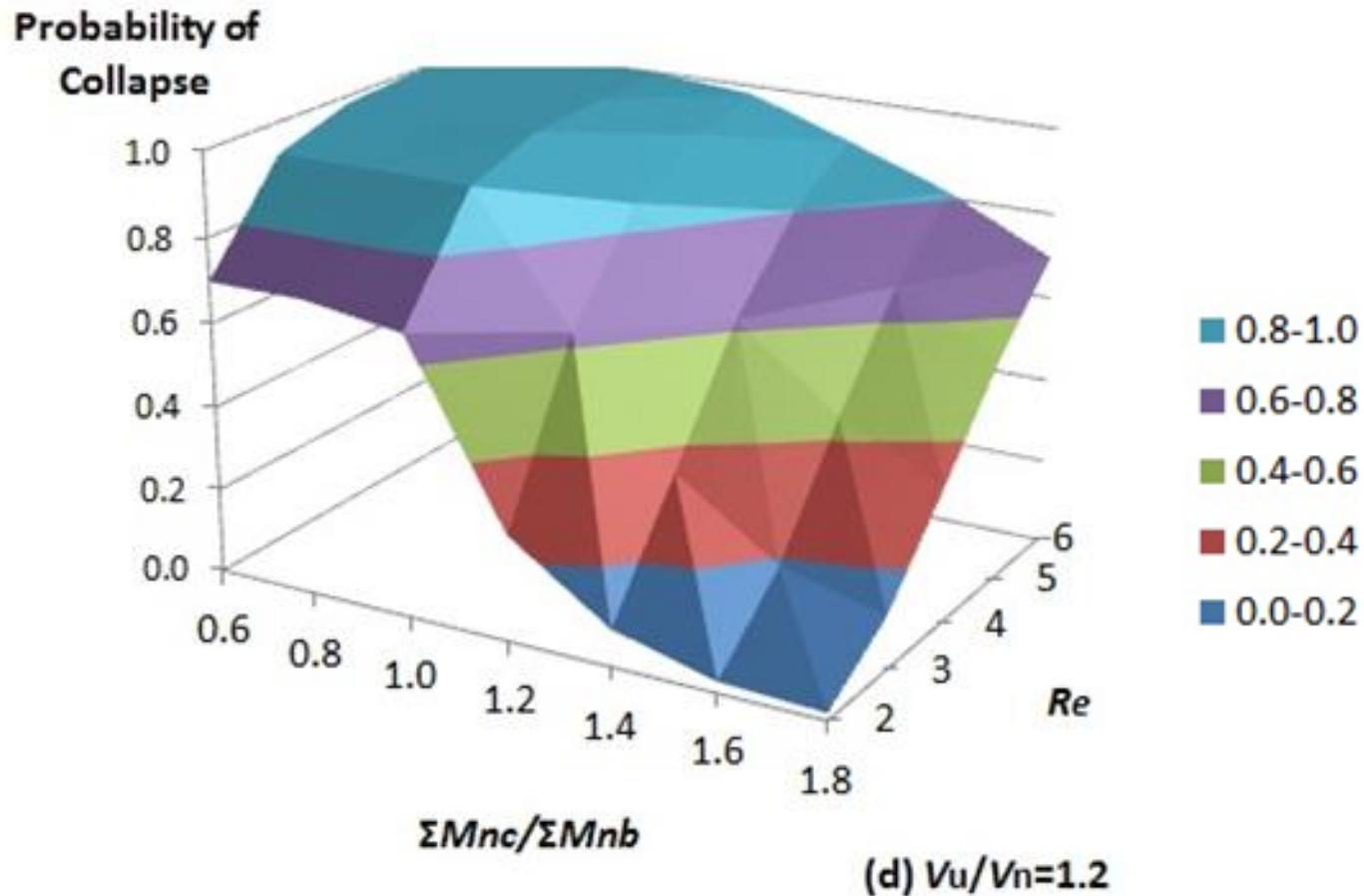
Probability of collapse: $V_u/V_n = 0.8$



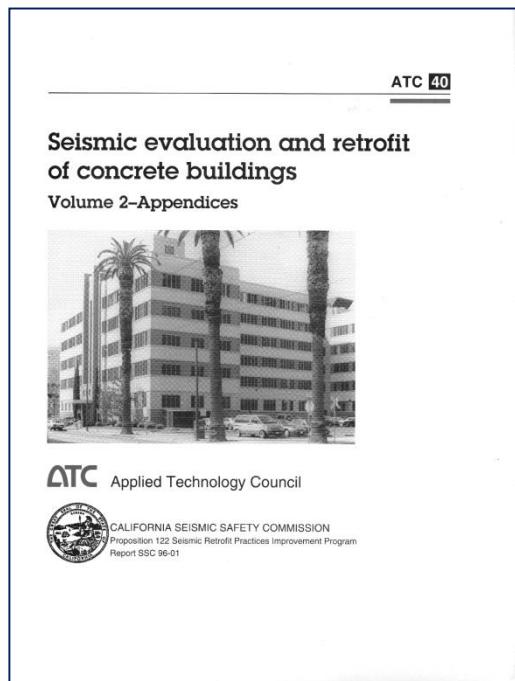
Probability of collapse: $V_u/V_n = 1.0$



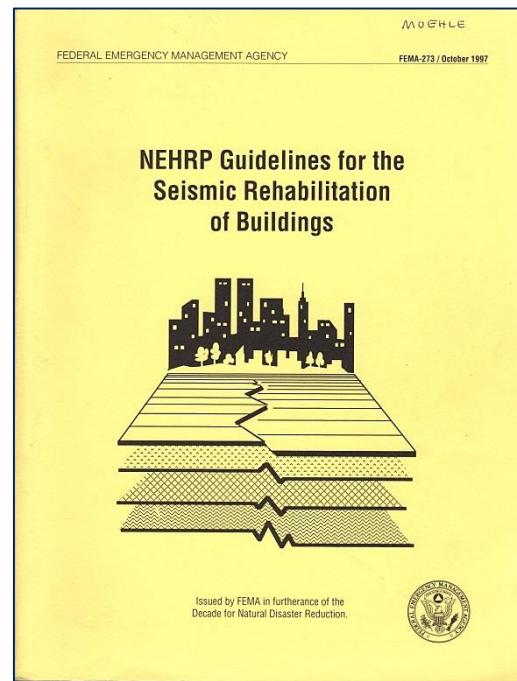
Probability of collapse: $V_u/V_n = 1.2$



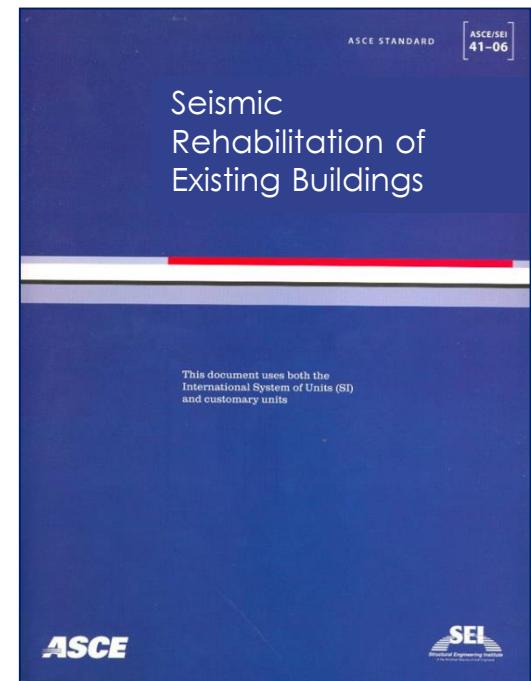
Seismic retrofitting guidance



1996



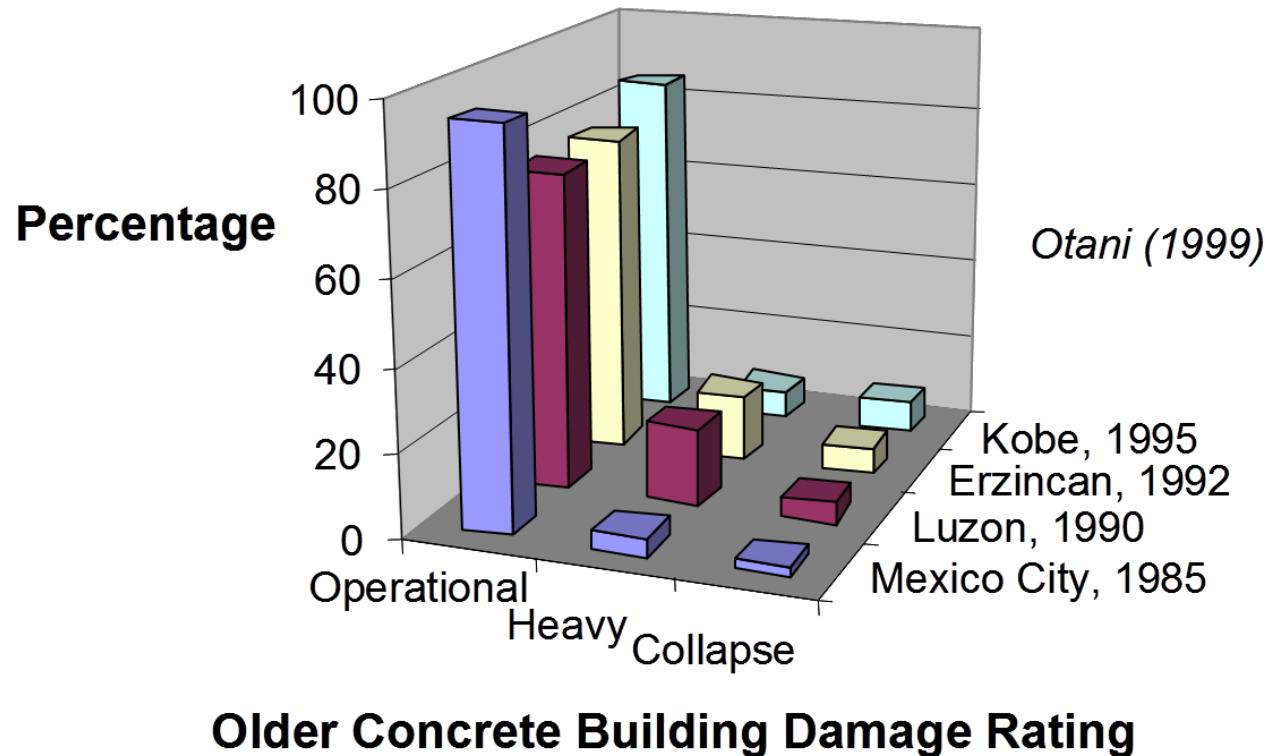
1997



2006, 2013

“Nonductile” concrete buildings

- For 22 CA counties – 18,000 buildings¹
- City of Los Angeles – [REDACTED] buildings²



¹EERI Concrete Coalition; ²NEES GC

Synergies

NIST GCR 10-917-7



Program Plan for the Development of Collapse Assessment and Mitigation Strategies for Existing Reinforced Concrete Buildings

NEHRP Consultants Joint Venture
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Identification and mitigation of seismically hazardous older concrete buildings: Interim methodology evaluation



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