

## Influence of Plan Dimensions, Seismic Zone, Infill on the Behavior of I-Shaped Reinforced Concrete Buildings

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**Abstract:** Recently it has become mandatory to design all the civil engineering structures including building frames for the earthquake effects in addition to dead load, live load and wind load effects. The present work deals with the determination of storey drifts and force response of 20-storeyed reinforced concrete I-shaped buildings located in different seismic zones using ETABS 2013 Ultimate 13.2.2. The effects of plan dimensions, severity of seismic zone, infill walls on the storey drifts and force response have been evaluated. It is observed that the absolute maximum storey drift occurs in Zone V and that the effect of presence of infill walls in the analysis is to reduce the storey drifts. The influence of infill wall on the moments in transfer girders and main beams is not insignificant. Both the design ultimate positive and negative moments in transfer girders and main beams decrease in magnitude when the effect of infill wall is considered in the analysis. The response spectrum method predicts lower maximum storey drift in x-direction compared to the equivalent static lateral force method in all the cases when infill is not accounted in the analysis. The response spectrum method predicts slightly higher maximum storey drift in x-direction compared to the equivalent static lateral force method in all cases when infill is accounted in the analysis. The response spectrum method predicts lower maximum storey drift in y-direction compared to the equivalent static lateral force method in all the cases.

**Keywords:** reinforced concrete buildings; storey drift; force response; infill wall; seismic zone.

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### I. Introduction

Building Codes specify that the effects due to earthquake load be considered in addition to those due to dead, live load and wind loads. A vast literature on dynamic analysis exists and a few of them are briefly mentioned here. Wakchaure M R and Ped S P [1] studied the effects of infill in high rise buildings. The infill walls were modeled as equivalent single strut by using the FEMA-356 approach. Mohammed Yousuf and P M Shimpale [2] carried out dynamic analysis for G+5 storied buildings located in seismic zone IV. They considered a rectangular symmetrical, C-shape, L-shape and irregular L unsymmetrical buildings for the analysis. The analysis was carried out by using the ETABS 9.5 software. Amin Alavi and P Srinivasa Rao [3] studied the behavior of the 5-storied buildings located in seismic zone V. The buildings consisted of eight different configurations with re-entrant corners. Himanshu Gaur et al. [4] analyzed the horizontally irregular buildings for their stability using STAAD.Pro software. They considered the 20-storeyed buildings of different shapes like L, U and H-shape for the analysis, each shape having different lateral length ratios. M G Shaikh and Hashmi S Shakeeb [5] investigated the seismic performance of L-shaped building with varying bay length and storey height. The buildings were modeled using STAAD.Pro V8i software. The results obtained for infill and without infill building models were compared. Ravikumar C M et al. [6] studied the seismic performance of the buildings which are having irregularities in plan with geometric and diaphragm continuity, re-entrant corners, vertical irregularity with setback and also buildings resting on sloping ground. S Mahesh and Dr P B Panduranga Rao [7] studied the behavior of the G+11 storied building of regular and irregular configurations subjected to earthquake and wind load using ETABS and STAAD.Pro V8i software. B Srikanth and V Ramesh [8] studied the earthquake response of a 20-storeyed building by seismic coefficient and Response spectrum methods. Pravin Ashok Shirule and Bharti V Mahajan [9] conducted the parametric studies on G+13 storeyed RC frame building with asymmetric column distribution with and without shear wall by using response spectrum method of analysis. A E Hassaballa et al. [10] carried out the seismic analysis of a multi-storied RC frame building situated in Khartoum city using STAAD.Pro software. Critical damping of 5% was considered in response spectrum method of analysis. Ramesh Konakalla et al. [11] studied the response of the 20-storeyed building by linear static analysis using STAAD.Pro software. One regular symmetric model and three vertical irregular models were considered in the analysis. S.S. Patil et al. [12] carried out the response spectrum analysis for G+14 storeyed building situated in the seismic zone IV using STAAD.Pro software. The buildings were

modeled as RC bare frame, bare frame with bracing and bare frame with shear wall in the analysis. Bracing and shear walls were located at different locations and directions in the building. Haroon Rasheed Tamboli and Umesh.N.karadi [13] performed the seismic analysis on ten storey buildings considering three cases i) bare frame ii) infill frame iii) infill with ground soft storey and using ETABS software. Seismic zone III and 5% damping was considered in the analysis. Infill was modeled as an equivalent diagonal strut in the analysis. Mohit Sharma and Savitha Maru [14] carried out static and dynamic analyses on G+30 storeyed regular building using STAAD.Pro software. Seismic zones II and III and medium soil type were considered in the analysis. P.B Prajapathi and Prof.Mayur G. Vanza [15] analysed 10 storeyed RCC residential buildings with different plan configurations and studied the influence of plan irregularity on the building. Static and dynamic analyses were carried out using SAP software. For dynamic analysis, response spectrum method and time history methods were used. Md Irfanullah and Vishwanath. B. Patil [16] studied the behavior of the building when subjected to seismic loading with various arrangements of infill. The building was having five bays in both X and Y directions and situated in seismic zone IV. Models considered for the analysis were i) Bare frame ii) full infill frame iii) infill in all floor except below plinth iv) infill with first floor as soft storey v) Infill with soft storey at first floor and basement vi) Infill with soft storey at first and basement and infill provided in swastika pattern in ground floor. Equivalent static analysis was carried out by using ETABS 9.6 software.

## II. Present Work

### 2.1 Details of Buildings, Loads and Load Combinations Considered

I-shaped Reinforced Concrete Buildings of 20 storeys having soft storey, floating columns and transfer girders with and without infill are analyzed for all loading combinations specified by IS Codes using ETABS software. The effects of the following parameters: 1)  $L_1/L_2$  ratio ( $L_1$  and  $L_2$  are defined later), 2) Location of building and the corresponding seismic zone, 3) Infill walls or No infill walls on (a) storey drifts and (b) maximum ultimate forces and moments in the main beams and transfer girders are evaluated by performing the stiffness analysis using ETABS Version 2013 Ultimate 13.2.2 software. In the present work, I-shaped reinforced concrete buildings having a foundation depth of 2.0 m below existing ground level, plinth height = 0.5 m and 20 storeys each of 3 m height located in seismic zones II, III, IV and V (Infill and No infill) are considered. In all the cases the first storey (ground floor) is a soft storey. The floating columns start from the top of the 15th floor and extend up to the roof. These are marked as FC in Fig. 1. The other columns shown in Fig. 1 extend up to the roof starting from footing top (regular columns). The floating columns are supported by transfer girders (marked as TB1 and TB2) spanning between regular columns. The dimensions  $L_1$  and  $L_2$  are as defined in Fig. 1. The sizes of the beams and columns are given in Table 1. All the slabs including the roof are of 150 mm thickness. M50 grade concrete is used for all slabs, beams and columns.

**Table 1: Sizes of beams and columns in I-shaped buildings**

Member	Size
Regular Columns	a) footing top to 15 <sup>th</sup> floor slab 800 x 800 mm, 1000 x 1000 mm b) 15 <sup>th</sup> floor slab to roof slab 300 x 750 mm
Floating Columns	300 x 750 mm
Stub Columns up to plinth level	300 x 300 mm
Plinth Beams connecting stub and other columns	300 x 450 mm
Main Beam (a) 12 m span (up to 15 <sup>th</sup> floor) (b) 9m span (up to 15 <sup>th</sup> floor ) (c) 6m span (up to 15 <sup>th</sup> floor ) (d) 4 m span (16 <sup>th</sup> floor to roof)	300 x 1200 mm 300 x 900 mm 300 x 900 mm 300 x 450 mm
Secondary Beam (a) 12 m span (b) 4 m span	300 x 750 mm 300 x 450 mm
Transfer Girder TB1 TB2	800 x 800 mm 1000 x 1000 mm

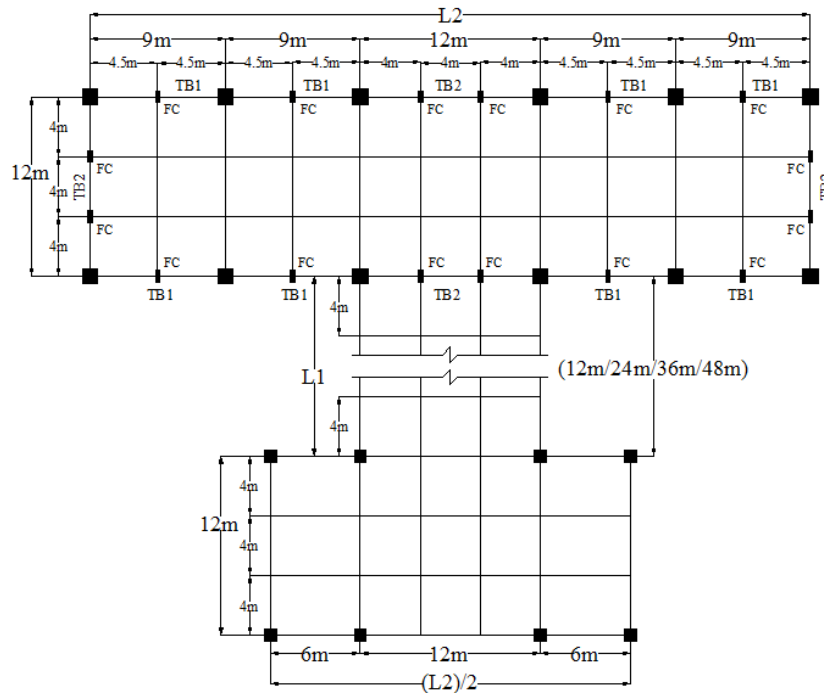


Fig.1: Plan of I-shaped building at 15th floor level

The live loads considered are  $3.5 \text{ kN/m}^2$  for floors and  $1.5 \text{ kN/m}^2$  for roof. The floor finish is assumed as  $1.0 \text{ kN/m}^2$ . The roof finish is taken as  $2.0 \text{ kN/m}^2$ . 300 mm thick masonry walls are provided on the beams at all floor levels along the periphery of the building. 150 mm thick parapet walls are provided along the periphery of the building at the roof level. In addition to the dead and live loads, wind and seismic loads corresponding to the chosen four locations Vishakhapatnam, Vijayawada, Delhi and Darbhanga are considered. Load combinations are made in accordance with IS: 456, IS: 875 and IS: 1893. Stiffness analysis of frames is performed using ETABS Version 2013 Ultimate 13.2.2. The load combinations used for the limit state of collapse are shown in Table 2.

Table 2: Load combinations for the limit state of collapse

Sl. No.	Load combination	Sl. No.	Load combination
1	$1.5 (DL + LL)$	20	$1.5 (DL + WL_Y)$
2	$1.2 (DL + LL + EQ_X)$	21	$1.5 (DL - WL_Y)$
3	$1.2 (DL + LL - EQ_X)$	22	$0.9 DL + 1.5 WL_X$
4	$1.2 (DL + LL + EQ_Y)$	23	$0.9 DL - 1.5 WL_X$
5	$1.2 (DL + LL - EQ_Y)$	24	$0.9 DL + 1.5 WL_Y$
6	$1.5 (DL + EQ_X)$	25	$0.9 DL - 1.5 WL_Y$
7	$1.5 (DL - EQ_X)$	26	$1.2 (DL + LL + SPEC_X)$
8	$1.5 (DL + EQ_Y)$	27	$1.2 (DL + LL - SPEC_X)$
9	$1.5 (DL - EQ_Y)$	28	$1.2 (DL + LL + SPEC_Y)$
10	$0.9 DL + 1.5 EQ_X$	29	$1.2 (DL + LL - SPEC_Y)$
11	$0.9 DL - 1.5 EQ_X$	30	$1.5 (DL + SPEC_X)$
12	$0.9 DL + 1.5 EQ_Y$	31	$1.5 (DL - SPEC_X)$
13	$0.9 DL - 1.5 EQ_Y$	32	$1.5 (DL + SPEC_Y)$
14	$1.2 (DL + LL + WL_X)$	33	$1.5 (DL - SPEC_Y)$
15	$1.2 (DL + LL - WL_X)$	34	$0.9 DL + 1.5 SPEC_X$
16	$1.2 (DL + LL + WL_Y)$	35	$0.9 DL - 1.5 SPEC_X$
17	$1.2 (DL + LL - WL_Y)$	36	$0.9 DL + 1.5 SPEC_Y$
18	$1.5 (DL + WL_X)$	37	$0.9 DL - 1.5 SPEC_Y$
19	$1.5 (DL - WL_X)$		

The load combinations used for the serviceability limit state are shown in Table 3.

**Table 3: Load combinations for the limit state of serviceability**

Sl.No.	Load combination	Sl.No.	Load combination
1	DL + LL	14	DL + 0.8 LL + 0.8 WL <sub>X</sub>
2	DL + EQ <sub>X</sub>	15	DL + 0.8 LL - 0.8 WL <sub>X</sub>
3	DL - EQ <sub>X</sub>	16	DL + 0.8 LL + 0.8 WL <sub>Y</sub>
4	DL + EQ <sub>Y</sub>	17	DL + 0.8 LL - 0.8 WL <sub>Y</sub>
5	DL - EQ <sub>Y</sub>	18	DL + SPEC <sub>X</sub>
6	DL + 0.8 LL + 0.8 EQ <sub>X</sub>	19	DL - SPEC <sub>X</sub>
7	DL + 0.8 LL - 0.8 EQ <sub>X</sub>	20	DL + SPEC <sub>Y</sub>
8	DL + 0.8 LL + 0.8 EQ <sub>Y</sub>	21	DL - SPEC <sub>Y</sub>
9	DL + 0.8 LL - 0.8 EQ <sub>Y</sub>	22	DL + 0.8 LL + 0.8 SPEC <sub>X</sub>
10	DL + WL <sub>X</sub>	23	DL + 0.8 LL - 0.8 SPEC <sub>X</sub>
11	DL - WL <sub>X</sub>	24	DL + 0.8 LL + 0.8 SPEC <sub>Y</sub>
12	DL + WL <sub>Y</sub>	25	DL + 0.8 LL - 0.8 SPEC <sub>Y</sub>
13	DL - WL <sub>Y</sub>		

The effect due to seismic loading is evaluated using (i) Equivalent Static Lateral Force Method and (ii) Response Spectrum Method separately. The more critical value obtained from these two methods is considered in the design. The effect of the infill wall is accounted in the analysis by treating it as a diagonal strut in accordance with the recommendations of FEMA 356.

## 2.2 Storey Drifts

### (a) Design Storey Drifts in X-Direction (No Infill)

The design storey drifts in x-direction for I-shaped buildings with no infill are given in Table 4 for various values of L<sub>1</sub>/L<sub>2</sub>ratio and zones II and III and in Table 5 for various values of L<sub>1</sub>/L<sub>2</sub>ratio and zones IV and V. Each storey drift entry in the table represents the maximum value obtained by considering all load combinations specified by the relevant IS Codes (called design storey drift).

**Table 4: Values of design storey drift in m**

STOREY NO.	WL/EL in X-direction: No Infill							
	ZONE II				ZONE III			
	L <sub>1</sub> /L <sub>2</sub> Ratio				L <sub>1</sub> /L <sub>2</sub> Ratio			
	0.25	0.5	0.75	1.0	0.25	0.5	0.75	1.0
20	0.00017	0.00017	0.00017	0.00017	0.00028	0.00028	0.00028	0.00028
19	0.00031	0.00032	0.00032	0.00032	0.0005	0.0005	0.00051	0.00051
18	0.00042	0.00043	0.00044	0.00045	0.00068	0.00069	0.0007	0.00072
17	0.00053	0.00054	0.00055	0.00056	0.00084	0.00086	0.00087	0.00089
16	0.00045	0.00046	0.00047	0.00048	0.00073	0.00074	0.00076	0.00077
15	0.00017	0.00018	0.00021	0.00024	0.00027	0.00028	0.00029	0.0003
14	0.00022	0.00024	0.00028	0.00031	0.00035	0.00037	0.00038	0.00039
13	0.00027	0.00031	0.00036	0.0004	0.0004	0.00043	0.00044	0.00046
12	0.00032	0.00038	0.00044	0.00049	0.00044	0.00047	0.00049	0.0005
11	0.00037	0.00044	0.00052	0.00058	0.00047	0.0005	0.00052	0.00058
10	0.00042	0.00051	0.00059	0.00066	0.00049	0.00053	0.00059	0.00066
9	0.00047	0.00057	0.00066	0.00074	0.00051	0.00057	0.00066	0.00074
8	0.00052	0.00063	0.00073	0.00082	0.00053	0.00063	0.00073	0.00082
7	0.00056	0.00069	0.00080	0.0009	0.00056	0.00069	0.0008	0.0009
6	0.0006	0.00074	0.00086	0.00097	0.0006	0.00074	0.00086	0.00097
5	0.00064	0.00079	0.00092	0.00104	0.00064	0.00079	0.00092	0.00104
4	0.00068	0.00084	0.00098	0.0011	0.00068	0.00084	0.00098	0.0011
3	0.00071	0.00089	0.00104	0.00116	0.00071	0.00089	0.00104	0.00116
2	0.00074	0.00093	0.00110	0.00124	0.00074	0.00093	0.0011	0.00124
1	0.00075	0.00098	0.00119	0.00136	0.00075	0.00098	0.00119	0.00136
PLINTH	0.00043	0.00056	0.00068	0.00078	0.00043	0.00056	0.00068	0.00078
BASE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

The following observations are made from Table 4 for I-Shaped Buildings in Zone II (No Infill):

- For all the  $L_1/L_2$  ratios, maximum design storey drift occurs at floor no.2.
- As  $L_1/L_2$  ratio increases the maximum design storey drift increases. When  $L_1/L_2$  ratio =1.0, the value is 1.36 mm.
- The following observations are made from Table 4 for I-Shaped Buildings in Zone III (No Infill):
- For all the  $L_1/L_2$  ratios, maximum design storey drift occurs at floor no.2.
- As  $L_1/L_2$  ratio increases the maximum design storey drift increases. When  $L_1/L_2$  ratio =1.0, the value is 1.36 mm.

**Table 5: Values of design storey drift in m**

WL/EL in X-direction; No Infill								
STOREY NO.	ZONE IV				ZONE V			
	$L_1/L_2$ Ratio				$L_1/L_2$ Ratio			
	0.25	0.5	0.75	1.0	0.25	0.5	0.75	1.0
20	0.00041	0.00041	0.00041	0.00042	0.00062	0.00062	0.00062	0.00062
19	0.00075	0.00076	0.00076	0.00077	0.00113	0.00113	0.00114	0.00115
18	0.00102	0.00103	0.00105	0.00107	0.00153	0.00155	0.00158	0.00161
17	0.00126	0.00129	0.00131	0.00133	0.00189	0.00193	0.00197	0.00200
16	0.00109	0.00111	0.00114	0.00116	0.00163	0.00167	0.0017	0.00174
15	0.0004	0.00042	0.00044	0.00045	0.0006	0.00063	0.00066	0.00067
14	0.00052	0.00055	0.00058	0.00059	0.00078	0.00083	0.00086	0.00088
13	0.0006	0.00064	0.00067	0.00068	0.0009	0.00096	0.001	0.00103
12	0.00066	0.0007	0.00073	0.00075	0.00099	0.00105	0.0011	0.00113
11	0.00071	0.00075	0.00078	0.00081	0.00106	0.00113	0.00118	0.00121
10	0.00074	0.00079	0.00082	0.00085	0.00111	0.00119	0.00124	0.00127
9	0.00077	0.00082	0.00086	0.00088	0.00115	0.00123	0.00128	0.00132
8	0.00079	0.00084	0.00088	0.00091	0.00119	0.00127	0.00132	0.00136
7	0.00081	0.00086	0.0009	0.00093	0.00121	0.00129	0.00135	0.00139
6	0.00082	0.00087	0.00091	0.00094	0.00123	0.00131	0.00137	0.00141
5	0.00082	0.00088	0.00092	0.00095	0.00123	0.00132	0.00138	0.00142
4	0.00082	0.00088	0.00092	0.00097	0.00123	0.00131	0.00137	0.00141
3	0.00081	0.00086	0.00092	0.00103	0.00121	0.00129	0.00135	0.00141
2	0.00079	0.00084	0.00097	0.00109	0.00118	0.00125	0.00133	0.0015
1	0.00072	0.00087	0.00105	0.0012	0.00107	0.00119	0.00143	0.00164
PLINTH	0.00038	0.0005	0.0006	0.00069	0.00055	0.00068	0.00082	0.00094
BASE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

The following observations are made from Table 5 for I-Shaped Buildings in Zone IV (No Infill):

- For all the  $L_1/L_2$  ratios, maximum design storey drift occurs at floor no.18.
- As  $L_1/L_2$  ratio increases the maximum design storey drift increases. When  $L_1/L_2$  ratio =1.0, the value is 1.33 mm.
- The following observations are made from Table 5 for I-Shaped Buildings in Zone V (No Infill):
- For all the  $L_1/L_2$  ratios, maximum design storey drift occurs at floor no.18.
- As  $L_1/L_2$  ratio increases the maximum design storey drift increases. When  $L_1/L_2$  ratio =1.0, the value is 2.0 mm.

**(b) Storey Drifts in Y-Direction (No Infill)**

The design storey drifts in y-direction for I-shaped buildings with no infill are given in Table 6 for various values of  $L_1/L_2$  ratio and zones II and III and in Table 7 for various values of  $L_1/L_2$  ratio and zones IV and V. Each storey drift entry in the table represents the maximum value obtained by considering all load combinations specified by the relevant IS Codes.

**Table 6: Values of design storey drift in m**

WL/EL in Y-direction; No Infill								
STOREY NO.	ZONE II				ZONE III			
	L <sub>1</sub> /L <sub>2</sub> Ratio				L <sub>1</sub> /L <sub>2</sub> Ratio			
	0.25	0.5	0.75	1.0	0.25	0.5	0.75	1.0
20	0.0005	0.00048	0.00047	0.00046	0.0005	0.00048	0.00047	0.00046
19	0.00067	0.00066	0.00064	0.00064	0.00067	0.00066	0.00064	0.00064
18	0.00086	0.00084	0.00082	0.00081	0.00086	0.00084	0.00082	0.00081
17	0.00098	0.00096	0.00094	0.00092	0.00098	0.00096	0.00094	0.00092
16	0.00091	0.00085	0.00081	0.00078	0.00091	0.00085	0.00081	0.00078
15	0.00078	0.00064	0.00054	0.00046	0.00078	0.00064	0.00054	0.00046
14	0.00089	0.00071	0.0006	0.00051	0.00089	0.00071	0.0006	0.00051
13	0.00099	0.00079	0.00066	0.00056	0.00099	0.00079	0.00066	0.00056
12	0.00108	0.00086	0.00072	0.00062	0.00108	0.00086	0.00072	0.00062
11	0.00116	0.00093	0.00078	0.00067	0.00116	0.00093	0.00078	0.00067
10	0.00125	0.001	0.00084	0.00072	0.00125	0.001	0.00084	0.00072
9	0.00133	0.00107	0.00089	0.00077	0.00133	0.00107	0.00089	0.00077
8	0.0014	0.00113	0.00095	0.00082	0.0014	0.00113	0.00095	0.00082
7	0.00147	0.00119	0.001	0.00086	0.00147	0.00119	0.001	0.00086
6	0.00154	0.00125	0.00105	0.00091	0.00154	0.00125	0.00105	0.00091
5	0.00159	0.0013	0.00109	0.00095	0.00159	0.0013	0.00109	0.00095
4	0.00163	0.00134	0.00113	0.00098	0.00163	0.00134	0.00113	0.00098
3	0.00163	0.00135	0.00115	0.00100	0.00163	0.00135	0.00115	0.00100
2	0.00156	0.00132	0.00114	0.001	0.00156	0.00132	0.00114	0.001
1	0.00138	0.00121	0.00108	0.00097	0.00138	0.00121	0.00108	0.00097
PLINTH	0.00066	0.00059	0.00053	0.00048	0.00066	0.00059	0.00053	0.00048
BASE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

The following observations are made from Table 6 for I-Shaped Buildings in Zone II (No Infill):

- For L<sub>1</sub>/L<sub>2</sub> ratio = 0.25, maximum design storey drift occurs at floor no. 4 and 5.
- For L<sub>1</sub>/L<sub>2</sub> ratio =0.5, 0.75 and 1.0, maximum design storey drift occurs at floor no.4.
- As L<sub>1</sub>/L<sub>2</sub> ratio increases the maximum design storey drift decreases. When L<sub>1</sub>/L<sub>2</sub> ratio =0.25, the value is 1.63 mm.

The following observations are made from Table 6 for I-Shaped Buildings in Zone III (No Infill):

- For L<sub>1</sub>/L<sub>2</sub> ratio = 0.25, maximum design storey drift occurs at floor no. 4 and 5.
- For L<sub>1</sub>/L<sub>2</sub> ratio =0.5, 0.75 and 1.0, maximum design storey drift occurs at floor no.4.
- As L<sub>1</sub>/L<sub>2</sub> ratio increases the maximum design storey drift decreases. When L<sub>1</sub>/L<sub>2</sub> ratio =0.25, the value is 1.63 mm.

**Table 7: Values of design storey drift in m**

WL/EL in Y-direction; No Infill								
STOREY NO.	ZONE IV				ZONE V			
	L <sub>1</sub> /L <sub>2</sub> Ratio				L <sub>1</sub> /L <sub>2</sub> Ratio			
	0.25	0.5	0.75	1.0	0.25	0.5	0.75	1.0
20	0.00045	0.00044	0.00043	0.00044	0.00058	0.00057	0.00059	0.00062
19	0.0006	0.00059	0.00058	0.0006	0.00079	0.00079	0.00083	0.00086
18	0.00077	0.00075	0.00074	0.00075	0.00102	0.001	0.00104	0.00108
17	0.00088	0.00085	0.00084	0.00083	0.00118	0.00114	0.00117	0.00121
16	0.00081	0.00076	0.00072	0.0007	0.0011	0.00103	0.00102	0.00104
15	0.0007	0.00057	0.00049	0.00045	0.00094	0.00077	0.00071	0.00067
14	0.00079	0.00064	0.00056	0.00052	0.00107	0.00088	0.00082	0.00077

13	0.00088	0.0007	0.00062	0.00059	0.00119	0.00098	0.00092	0.00087
12	0.00096	0.00077	0.00068	0.00065	0.0013	0.00107	0.001	0.00095
11	0.00103	0.00083	0.00073	0.0007	0.0014	0.00114	0.00108	0.00103
10	0.00111	0.00089	0.00077	0.00074	0.0015	0.00121	0.00114	0.00109
9	0.00118	0.00095	0.0008	0.00077	0.0016	0.00129	0.00119	0.00115
8	0.00124	0.001	0.00084	0.0008	0.00169	0.00137	0.00123	0.00119
7	0.0013	0.00106	0.00089	0.00081	0.00178	0.00144	0.00125	0.00122
6	0.00136	0.0011	0.00093	0.00083	0.00186	0.00151	0.00127	0.00123
5	0.00141	0.00115	0.00097	0.00084	0.00192	0.00157	0.00132	0.00125
4	0.00144	0.00118	0.001	0.00087	0.00197	0.00161	0.00137	0.00125
3	0.00144	0.00119	0.00102	0.00089	0.00197	0.00163	0.00139	0.00123
2	0.00138	0.00116	0.00101	0.00089	0.00189	0.00159	0.00138	0.00121
1	0.00123	0.00107	0.00095	0.00086	0.00167	0.00145	0.0013	0.00117
PLINTH	0.00059	0.00052	0.00047	0.00043	0.00079	0.0007	0.00064	0.00058
BASE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

The following observations are made from Table 7 for I-Shaped Buildings in Zone IV (No Infill):

- For  $L_1/L_2$  ratio = 0.25, maximum design storey drift occurs at floor no. 4 and 5.
- For  $L_1/L_2$  ratio =0.5, 0.75 and 1.0, maximum design storey drift occurs at floor no.4.
- As  $L_1/L_2$  ratio increases the maximum design storey drift decreases. When  $L_1/L_2$  ratio =0.25, the value is 1.44 mm.

The following observations are made from Table 7 for I-Shaped Buildings in Zone V (No Infill):

- For  $L_1/L_2$  ratio = 0.25, 0.5 and 0.75 maximum design storey drift occurs at floor no. 4.
- For  $L_1/L_2$  ratio =1.0, maximum design storey drift occurs at floor no.5 and 6.
- As  $L_1/L_2$  ratio increases the maximum design storey drift decreases. When  $L_1/L_2$  ratio =0.25, the value is 1.97 mm.

**Table 8: Values of maximum design storey drift in m (No Infill)**

Zone	EL / WL in X- Direction				EL / WL in Y- Direction			
	$L_1/L_2$ Ratio				$L_1/L_2$ Ratio			
	0.25	0.5	0.75	1.0	0.25	0.5	0.75	1.0
II	0.00075	0.00098	0.00119	0.00136	0.00163	0.00135	0.00115	0.00100
III	0.00075	0.00098	0.00119	0.00136	0.00163	0.00135	0.00115	0.00100
IV	0.00126	0.00129	0.00131	0.00133	0.00144	0.00119	0.00102	0.00089
V	0.00189	0.00193	0.00197	0.00200	0.00197	0.00163	0.00139	0.00125

From Table 8, it can be observed that:

- The maximum design storey drift in x-direction, for any given zone, increases with  $L_1/L_2$  ratio.
- The maximum design storey drift in y-direction, for any given zone, decreases with  $L_1/L_2$  ratio.
- The absolute maximum (maximum of maximums) design storey drift in x- or y-direction occurs in zone V.
- The maximum design storey drifts are almost same for zones II and III.

(c) Storey Drifts in X-Direction (Infill)

The design storey drifts in x-direction for I-shaped buildings with infill are given in Table 9 for various values of  $L_1/L_2$  ratio and zones II and III and in Table 10 for various values of  $L_1/L_2$  ratio and zones considering all load combinations specified by the relevant IV and V. Each storey drift entry in the table represents the maximum value obtained by IS Codes.

**Table 9: Values of design storey drift in m**

WL/EL in X-direction; Infill								
STOREY NO.	ZONE II				ZONE III			
	L <sub>1</sub> /L <sub>2</sub> Ratio				L <sub>1</sub> /L <sub>2</sub> Ratio			
	0.25	0.5	0.75	1.0	0.25	0.5	0.75	1.0
20	0.00011	0.00012	0.00012	0.00012	0.00017	0.00018	0.00018	0.00018
19	0.0002	0.0002	0.00021	0.0002	0.00031	0.00031	0.00032	0.00031
18	0.00027	0.00028	0.00028	0.00028	0.00042	0.00043	0.00043	0.00043
17	0.00033	0.00034	0.00034	0.00035	0.00051	0.00052	0.00053	0.00053
16	0.00032	0.00033	0.00033	0.00034	0.0005	0.00051	0.00051	0.00052
15	0.00015	0.00017	0.0002	0.00023	0.00024	0.00025	0.00026	0.00027
14	0.0002	0.00023	0.00027	0.0003	0.00032	0.00034	0.00035	0.00036
13	0.00024	0.00029	0.00034	0.00038	0.00037	0.00039	0.00041	0.00042
12	0.00029	0.00035	0.00041	0.00047	0.00041	0.00043	0.00045	0.00047
11	0.00034	0.00041	0.00048	0.00055	0.00044	0.00046	0.00048	0.00055
10	0.00038	0.00047	0.00055	0.00063	0.00046	0.00049	0.00055	0.00063
9	0.00043	0.00053	0.00062	0.0007	0.00048	0.00053	0.00062	0.0007
8	0.00047	0.00058	0.00068	0.00077	0.00049	0.00058	0.00068	0.00077
7	0.00051	0.00064	0.00075	0.00084	0.00051	0.00064	0.00075	0.00084
6	0.00055	0.00068	0.0008	0.00091	0.00055	0.00068	0.0008	0.00091
5	0.00059	0.00073	0.00086	0.00097	0.00059	0.00073	0.00086	0.00097
4	0.00062	0.00077	0.00091	0.00103	0.00062	0.00077	0.00091	0.00103
3	0.00065	0.00082	0.00096	0.00109	0.00065	0.00082	0.00096	0.00109
2	0.0007	0.00088	0.00104	0.00117	0.0007	0.00088	0.00104	0.00117
1	0.00073	0.00096	0.00116	0.00133	0.00073	0.00096	0.00116	0.00133
PLINTH	0.00042	0.00055	0.00067	0.00077	0.00042	0.00055	0.00067	0.00077
BASE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

The following observations are made from Table 9 for I-Shaped Buildings in Zone II (Infill):

- For all the L<sub>1</sub>/L<sub>2</sub> ratios, maximum design storey drift occurs at floor no.2.
- As L<sub>1</sub>/L<sub>2</sub> ratio increases the maximum design storey drift increases. When L<sub>1</sub>/L<sub>2</sub>ratio =1.0, the value is 1.33 mm.

The following observations are made from Table 9 for I-Shaped Buildings in Zone III (Infill):

- For all the L<sub>1</sub>/L<sub>2</sub> ratios, maximum design storey drift occurs at floor no.2.
- As L<sub>1</sub>/L<sub>2</sub> ratio increases the maximum design storey drift increases. When L<sub>1</sub>/L<sub>2</sub>ratio =1.0, the value is 1.33 mm.

**Table 10: Values of design storey drift in m**

WL/EL in X-direction; Infill								
STOREY NO.	ZONE IV				ZONE V			
	L <sub>1</sub> /L <sub>2</sub> Ratio				L <sub>1</sub> /L <sub>2</sub> Ratio			
	0.25	0.5	0.75	1.0	0.25	0.5	0.75	1.0
20	0.00026	0.00026	0.00026	0.00026	0.00038	0.00039	0.00039	0.00039
19	0.00045	0.00046	0.00046	0.00046	0.00066	0.00068	0.00068	0.00068
18	0.00061	0.00063	0.00063	0.00063	0.0009	0.00092	0.00093	0.00093
17	0.00075	0.00076	0.00077	0.00078	0.0011	0.00106	0.00114	0.00115
16	0.00073	0.00074	0.00075	0.00076	0.00107	0.00096	0.00111	0.00112
15	0.00036	0.00038	0.00039	0.0004	0.00054	0.00057	0.00059	0.0006
14	0.00048	0.0005	0.00052	0.00053	0.00071	0.00075	0.00078	0.0008
13	0.00055	0.00059	0.00061	0.00062	0.00083	0.00088	0.00091	0.00093
12	0.00061	0.00065	0.00067	0.00069	0.00091	0.00096	0.001	0.00103



11	0.00065	0.00069	0.00072	0.00074	0.00097	0.00103	0.00108	0.00111
10	0.00069	0.00073	0.00076	0.00078	0.00103	0.00109	0.00114	0.00117
9	0.00071	0.00076	0.00079	0.00081	0.00107	0.00114	0.00118	0.00122
8	0.00074	0.00078	0.00082	0.00084	0.0011	0.00117	0.00122	0.00126
7	0.00075	0.0008	0.00084	0.00086	0.00112	0.0012	0.00125	0.00129
6	0.00076	0.00081	0.00085	0.00087	0.00114	0.00122	0.00127	0.00131
5	0.00077	0.00082	0.00086	0.00088	0.00115	0.00123	0.00128	0.00132
4	0.00077	0.00082	0.00086	0.00091	0.00115	0.00123	0.00128	0.00132
3	0.00078	0.00084	0.00087	0.00096	0.00116	0.00125	0.0013	0.00133
2	0.00078	0.00084	0.00092	0.00104	0.00116	0.00125	0.0013	0.00142
1	0.00074	0.00085	0.00103	0.00118	0.0011	0.00117	0.0014	0.0016
PLINTH	0.00038	0.00049	0.00059	0.00068	0.00055	0.00066	0.00081	0.00093
BASE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

The following observations are made from Table 10 for I-Shaped Buildings in Zone IV (Infill):

- For  $L_1/L_2$  ratio = 0.25 and 0.5, maximum design storey drift occurs at floor no. 3 and 4.
- For  $L_1/L_2$  ratio = 0.75 and 1.0, maximum design storey drift occurs at floor no.2.
- As  $L_1/L_2$  ratio increases the maximum design storey drift increases. When  $L_1/L_2$  ratio = 1.0, the value is 1.18 mm.

The following observations are made from Table 10 for I-Shaped Buildings in Zone V (Infill):

- For  $L_1/L_2$  ratio = 0.25, 0.5 and 0.75, maximum design storey drift occurs at floor no. 3 and 4.
- For  $L_1/L_2$  ratio = 1.0, maximum design storey drift occurs at floor no.3.
- As  $L_1/L_2$  ratio increases the maximum design storey drift increases. When  $L_1/L_2$  ratio = 1.0, the value is 1.42 mm.

(d) Storey Drifts in Y-Direction (With Infill)

The design storey drifts in y-direction for I-shaped buildings with infill are given in Table 11 for various values of  $L_1/L_2$  ratio and zones II and III and in Table 12 for various values of  $L_1/L_2$  ratio and zones IV and V. Each storey drift entry in the table represents the maximum value obtained by considering all load combinations specified by the relevant IS Codes.

**Table 11: Values of design storey drift in m**

WL/EL in Y-direction; Infill								
STOREY NO.	ZONE II				ZONE III			
	$L_1/L_2$ Ratio				$L_1/L_2$ Ratio			
	0.25	0.5	0.75	1.0	0.25	0.5	0.75	1.0
20	0.00047	0.00045	0.00044	0.00043	0.00047	0.00045	0.00044	0.00043
19	0.00062	0.00061	0.0006	0.00059	0.00062	0.00061	0.0006	0.00059
18	0.00079	0.00078	0.00076	0.00075	0.00079	0.00078	0.00076	0.00075
17	0.00092	0.00089	0.00087	0.00085	0.00092	0.00089	0.00087	0.00085
16	0.00086	0.0008	0.00076	0.00073	0.00086	0.0008	0.00076	0.00073
15	0.00072	0.00058	0.00048	0.00042	0.00072	0.00058	0.00048	0.00042
14	0.00081	0.00064	0.00053	0.00045	0.00081	0.00064	0.00053	0.00045
13	0.0009	0.00071	0.00058	0.0005	0.0009	0.00071	0.00058	0.0005
12	0.00098	0.00077	0.00064	0.00054	0.00098	0.00077	0.00064	0.00054
11	0.00105	0.00083	0.00069	0.00059	0.00105	0.00083	0.00069	0.00059
10	0.00113	0.00089	0.00074	0.00063	0.00113	0.00089	0.00074	0.00063
9	0.0012	0.00095	0.00079	0.00067	0.0012	0.00095	0.00079	0.00067
8	0.00127	0.00101	0.00084	0.00072	0.00127	0.00101	0.00084	0.00072
7	0.00133	0.00106	0.00088	0.00076	0.00133	0.00106	0.00088	0.00076
6	0.00139	0.00111	0.00093	0.0008	0.00139	0.00111	0.00093	0.0008
5	0.00144	0.00116	0.00097	0.00084	0.00144	0.00116	0.00097	0.00084

4	0.00147	0.0012	0.00101	0.00087	0.00147	0.0012	0.00101	0.00087
3	0.00149	0.00123	0.00104	0.00091	0.00149	0.00123	0.00104	0.00091
2	0.00146	0.00122	0.00106	0.00093	0.00146	0.00122	0.00106	0.00093
1	0.00132	0.00115	0.00102	0.00092	0.00132	0.00115	0.00102	0.00092
PLINTH	0.00064	0.00057	0.00051	0.00047	0.00064	0.00057	0.00051	0.00047
BASE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

The following observations are made from Table 11 for I-Shaped Buildings in Zone II (Infill):

- For  $L_1/L_2$  ratio = 0.25 and 0.5, maximum design storey drift occurs at floor no. 4.
- For  $L_1/L_2$  ratio = 0.75 and 1.0, maximum design storey drift occurs at floor no.3.
- As  $L_1/L_2$  ratio increases the maximum design storey drift decreases. When  $L_1/L_2$  ratio =0.25, the value is 1.49 mm.

The following observations are made from Table 11 for I-Shaped Buildings in Zone III (Infill):

- For  $L_1/L_2$  ratio = 0.25 and 0.5, maximum design storey drift occurs at floor no. 4.
- For  $L_1/L_2$  ratio = 0.75 and 1.0, maximum design storey drift occurs at floor no.3.
- As  $L_1/L_2$  ratio increases the maximum design storey drift decreases. When  $L_1/L_2$  ratio =0.25, the value is 1.49 mm.

**Table 12: Values of design storey drift in m**

WL/EL in Y-direction; Infill								
STOREY NO.	ZONE IV				ZONE V			
	L <sub>1</sub> /L <sub>2</sub> Ratio				L <sub>1</sub> /L <sub>2</sub> Ratio			
	0.25	0.5	0.75	1.0	0.25	0.5	0.75	1.0
20	0.00042	0.00041	0.00042	0.00043	0.00054	0.00056	0.00058	0.00059
19	0.00056	0.00055	0.00055	0.00056	0.00074	0.00074	0.00077	0.0008
18	0.00071	0.0007	0.00068	0.00069	0.00094	0.00092	0.00096	0.001
17	0.00082	0.00079	0.00078	0.00076	0.00109	0.00112	0.00107	0.00111
16	0.00076	0.00071	0.00068	0.00065	0.00104	0.00109	0.00094	0.00095
15	0.00064	0.00051	0.00044	0.00041	0.00086	0.0007	0.00065	0.0006
14	0.00072	0.00057	0.0005	0.00047	0.00097	0.0008	0.00074	0.00069
13	0.0008	0.00063	0.00056	0.00053	0.00108	0.0009	0.00083	0.00079
12	0.00087	0.00068	0.00062	0.00059	0.00118	0.00098	0.00092	0.00087
11	0.00093	0.00074	0.00067	0.00064	0.00127	0.00105	0.00099	0.00095
10	0.001	0.00079	0.00071	0.00068	0.00136	0.00111	0.00105	0.00101
9	0.00106	0.00084	0.00074	0.00071	0.00145	0.00116	0.0011	0.00106
8	0.00112	0.00089	0.00076	0.00073	0.00153	0.00122	0.00114	0.00109
7	0.00118	0.00094	0.00078	0.00075	0.00161	0.00128	0.00116	0.00112
6	0.00123	0.00098	0.00082	0.00077	0.00168	0.00134	0.00118	0.00115
5	0.00127	0.00102	0.00086	0.00078	0.00174	0.0014	0.0012	0.00116
4	0.0013	0.00106	0.00089	0.00078	0.00178	0.00145	0.00122	0.00117
3	0.00132	0.00108	0.00092	0.00080	0.00180	0.00148	0.00126	0.00117
2	0.00129	0.00108	0.00093	0.00082	0.00177	0.00148	0.00128	0.00116
1	0.00117	0.00102	0.00091	0.00082	0.0016	0.00139	0.00123	0.00112
PLINTH	0.00057	0.0005	0.00045	0.00042	0.00077	0.00068	0.00062	0.00057
BASE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

The following observations are made from Table 12 for I-Shaped Buildings in Zone IV (Infill):

- For all the  $L_1/L_2$  ratios, maximum design storey drift occurs at floor no.4.
- As  $L_1/L_2$  ratio increases the maximum design storey drift decreases. When  $L_1/L_2$  ratio =0.25, the value is 1.32 mm.

The following observations are made from Table 12 for I-Shaped Buildings in Zone V (Infill):

- For  $L_1/L_2$  ratio = 0.25 maximum design storey drift occurs at floor no.4.
- For  $L_1/L_2$  ratio = 0.5 maximum design storey drift occurs at floor no.3 and 4.
- For  $L_1/L_2$  ratio = 0.75 maximum design storey drift occurs at floor no.3.
- For  $L_1/L_2$  ratio = 1.0 maximum design storey drift occurs at floor no.4 and 5.
- As  $L_1/L_2$  ratio increases the maximum design storey drift decreases. When  $L_1/L_2$  ratio =0.25, the value is 1.80 mm.

**Table 13: Values of design storey drift in m (Infill)**

Zone	EL / WL in X- Direction				EL / WL in Y- Direction			
	$L_1/L_2$ Ratio				$L_1/L_2$ Ratio			
	0.25	0.5	0.75	1.0	0.25	0.5	0.75	1.0
II	0.00073	0.00096	0.00116	0.00133	0.00149	0.00123	0.00106	0.00093
III	0.00073	0.00096	0.00116	0.00133	0.00149	0.00123	0.00106	0.00093
IV	0.00078	0.00084	0.00103	0.00118	0.00132	0.00108	0.00092	0.00080
V	0.00116	0.00125	0.00130	0.00142	0.00180	0.00148	0.00128	0.00117

From Table 13, it can be observed that:

- The maximum design storey drift in x-direction, for any given zone, increases with  $L_1/L_2$  ratio.
- The maximum design storey drift in y-direction, for any given zone, decreases with  $L_1/L_2$  ratio.
- The absolute maximum design storey drift in x- or y-direction occurs in zone V.
- The maximum design storey drifts are almost the same for zones II and III.

### 2.3 Variation of Design Ultimate Positive Moment and Design Ultimate Negative Moment in Transfer Girders TB1 and TB2

The design ultimate positive and negative moments in transfer girders are given in Tables 14 and 15.

**Table 14: Maximum moments in Transfer Girders (No Infill)**

Transfer Girder	Design Ultimate Positive Moment				Design Ultimate Negative Moment			
	$L_1/L_2$ Ratio				$L_1/L_2$ Ratio			
	0.25	0.5	0.75	1.0	0.25	0.5	0.75	1.0
TB1	2813.28	2813.341	2813.3316	2813.3264	2257.9823	2257.5716	2257.116	2256.7763
TB2	4033.15	4033.301	4033.4583	4033.5764	5160.0265	5159.6872	5160.006	5160.2729

**Table 15: Maximum moments in Transfer Girders (Infill)**

Transfer Girder	Design Ultimate Positive Moment				Design Ultimate Negative Moment			
	$L_1/L_2$ Ratio				$L_1/L_2$ Ratio			
	0.25	0.5	0.75	1.0	0.25	0.5	0.75	1.0
TB1	2270.82	2271.051	2271.0244	2270.996	1850.3811	1850.562	1850.1	1849.7355
TB2	3364.56	3364.431	3364.5626	3364.6706	4272.5021	4270.2769	4270.45	4270.6757

From the results obtained, the following are observed in regard to transfer girders:

- The variation of moments with  $L_1/L_2$  ratio is insignificant.
- The variation of moments with zone is also insignificant.
- The influence of infill wall on the moments is significant. Both the design ultimate positive and negative moments decrease in magnitude when the effect of infill wall is considered in the analysis as indicated by Tables 14 and 15.

### 2.4 Variation of Design Ultimate Positive Moment and Design Ultimate Negative Moment in Main Beams

The design ultimate positive and negative moments in main beams are given in Tables 16 and 17.

**Table 16: Maximum moments in Main Beams (No Infill)**

Zone	Design Ultimate Positive Moment				Design Ultimate Negative Moment			
	L <sub>1</sub> /L <sub>2</sub> Ratio				L <sub>1</sub> /L <sub>2</sub> Ratio			
	0.25	0.5	0.75	1.0	0.25	0.5	0.75	1.0
II	380.9724	380.4921	380.1221	379.8129	727.7456	784.4022	828.8546	866.1198
III	380.9724	380.4921	380.1221	379.8129	727.7456	784.4022	828.8546	866.1198
IV	381.0051	380.8025	380.559	380.8025	720.6526	744.0504	776.7591	809.6839
V	382.4666	386.4732	393.0214	399.0952	890.3024	925.41	956.5497	982.1407

**Table 17: Maximum moments in Main Beams (Infill)**

Zone	Design Ultimate Positive Moment				Design Ultimate Negative Moment			
	L <sub>1</sub> /L <sub>2</sub> Ratio				L <sub>1</sub> /L <sub>2</sub> Ratio			
	0.25	0.5	0.75	1.0	0.25	0.5	0.75	1.0
II	316.0198	315.5544	315.1986	314.8999	609.9405	663.9523	706.5305	742.4589
III	316.0198	315.5544	315.1986	314.8999	609.9405	663.9523	706.5305	742.4589
IV	315.8433	315.6328	324.5871	324.793	628.0838	651.6811	671.3035	689.8132
V	320.1364	329.7287	349.8426	362.1748	798.1204	833.3924	862.6645	890.3607

From the results obtained, the following are observed in regard to main beams:

- The variation of moments with L<sub>1</sub>/L<sub>2</sub> ratio is not significant.
- The variation of moments with zone is not significant except in the case of negative moment in zone V.
- The influence of infill wall on the moments is moderate. Both the design ultimate positive and negative moments decrease in magnitude when the effect of infill wall is considered in the analysis as indicated by Tables 16 through 17.

## 2.5 Comparative Study of Equivalent Static Lateral Force Method and Response Spectrum Method

### 2.5.1 Loading Combinations Considered

For the purpose of comparing the two methods, the load combinations shown in Table 18 are considered.

**Table 18: Load combinations for the limit state of serviceability**

Load combination			
Sl.No.	Equivalent Static Lateral Force Method	Sl.No.	Response Spectrum Method
1	DL + EQ <sub>x</sub>	1	DL + SPEC <sub>x</sub>
2	DL - EQ <sub>x</sub>	2	DL - SPEC <sub>x</sub>
3	DL + EQ <sub>y</sub>	3	DL + SPEC <sub>y</sub>
4	DL - EQ <sub>y</sub>	4	DL - SPEC <sub>y</sub>
5	DL + 0.8 LL + 0.8 EQ <sub>x</sub>	5	DL + 0.8 LL + 0.8 SPEC <sub>x</sub>
6	DL + 0.8 LL - 0.8 EQ <sub>x</sub>	6	DL + 0.8 LL - 0.8 SPEC <sub>x</sub>
7	DL + 0.8 LL + 0.8 EQ <sub>y</sub>	7	DL + 0.8 LL + 0.8 SPEC <sub>y</sub>
8	DL + 0.8 LL - 0.8 EQ <sub>y</sub>	8	DL + 0.8 LL - 0.8 SPEC <sub>y</sub>

### 2.5.2 Maximum Storey Drifts in X-Direction

The maximum values of storey drift in x-direction for various values of L<sub>1</sub>/L<sub>2</sub> ratio and seismic zone are given in Tables 19 through 22 for both infill and no infill.

**Table 19: Maximum values of storey drift in x-direction for Zone II**

L <sub>1</sub> /L <sub>2</sub> RATIO	ZONE II , X -DIRECTION			
	NO INFILL		INFILL	
	ESLFM	RSM	ESLFM	RSM
0.25	0.000525	0.000488	0.000334	0.000333
0.5	0.000536	0.000493	0.000351	0.000357
0.75	0.000546	0.000498	0.000366	0.000371
1.0	0.000556	0.000503	0.000376	0.000380

**Table 20: Maximum values of storey drift in x-direction for Zone III**

L <sub>1</sub> /L <sub>2</sub> RATIO	ZONE III , X -DIRECTION			
	NO INFILL		INFILL	
	ESLFM	RSM	ESLFM	RSM
0.25	0.000840	0.000780	0.000520	0.000525
0.5	0.000857	0.000789	0.000554	0.000562
0.75	0.000874	0.000797	0.000577	0.000585
1.0	0.000890	0.000805	0.000594	0.000600

**Table 21: Maximum values of storey drift in x-direction for Zone IV**

L <sub>1</sub> /L <sub>2</sub> RATIO	ZONE IV , X -DIRECTION			
	NO INFILL		INFILL	
	ESLFM	RSM	ESLFM	RSM
0.25	0.001260	0.001170	0.000772	0.000779
0.5	0.001286	0.001184	0.000824	0.000837
0.75	0.001311	0.001195	0.000860	0.000871
1.0	0.001334	0.001207	0.000885	0.000894

**Table 22: Maximum values of storey drift in x-direction for Zone V**

L <sub>1</sub> /L <sub>2</sub> RATIO	ZONE V , X -DIRECTION			
	NO INFILL		INFILL	
	ESLFM	RSM	ESLFM	RSM
0.25	0.001890	0.001755	0.001152	0.001162
0.5	0.001929	0.001776	0.001230	0.001248
0.75	0.001966	0.001793	0.001283	0.001300
1.0	0.002001	0.001811	0.001321	0.001334

From Tables 19 through 22, the following observations are made:

- The maximum storey drift in x-direction increases monotonically with the severity of the zone.
- Absolute maximum value of storey drift in x-direction in any zone occurs when L<sub>1</sub>/L<sub>2</sub> ratio is unity.
- The maximum storey drift in x-direction in any case is smaller when infill is considered in the analysis.
- The response spectrum method predicts lower maximum storey drift in x-direction compared to the equivalent static lateral force method in all the cases when infill is not accounted in the analysis.
- The response spectrum method predicts slightly higher maximum storey drift in x-direction compared to the equivalent static lateral force method in all cases when infill is accounted in the analysis.

**2.5.3 Maximum Storey Drifts in Y-Direction**

The maximum values of storey drift in y-direction for various values of L<sub>1</sub>/L<sub>2</sub> ratio and seismic zone are given in Tables 23 through 26 for both infill and no infill.

**Table 23: Maximum values of storey drift in y-direction for Zone II**

L <sub>1</sub> /L <sub>2</sub> RATIO	ZONE II , Y -DIRECTION			
	NO INFILL		INFILL	
	ESLFM	RSM	ESLFM	RSM
0.25	0.000400	0.000350	0.000367	0.000328
0.5	0.000377	0.000345	0.000347	0.000322
0.75	0.000378	0.000358	0.000352	0.000331
1.0	0.000390	0.000370	0.000363	0.000342

**Table 24: Maximum values of storey drift in y-direction for Zone III**

L <sub>1</sub> /L <sub>2</sub> RATIO	ZONE III , Y -DIRECTION			
	NO INFILL		INFILL	
	ESLFM	RSM	ESLFM	RSM
0.25	0.000629	0.000553	0.000583	0.000522
0.5	0.000596	0.000534	0.000553	0.000511
0.75	0.000574	0.000528	0.000537	0.000506
1.0	0.000580	0.000546	0.000534	0.000504

**Table 25: Maximum values of storey drift in y-direction for Zone IV**

L <sub>1</sub> /L <sub>2</sub> RATIO	ZONE IV , Y -DIRECTION			
	NO INFILL		INFILL	
	ESLFM	RSM	ESLFM	RSM
0.25	0.000934	0.000824	0.000871	0.000782
0.5	0.000888	0.000798	0.000827	0.000763
0.75	0.000856	0.000782	0.000802	0.000754
1.0	0.000833	0.000782	0.000783	0.000750

**Table 26: Maximum values of storey drift in y-direction for Zone V**

L <sub>1</sub> /L <sub>2</sub> RATIO	ZONE V , Y -DIRECTION			
	NO INFILL		INFILL	
	ESLFM	RSM	ESLFM	RSM
0.25	0.001393	0.001231	0.001302	0.001170
0.5	0.001326	0.001195	0.001238	0.001141
0.75	0.001280	0.001170	0.001200	0.001125
1.0	0.001246	0.001150	0.001170	0.001118

From Tables 23 through 26, the following observations are made:

- The maximum storey drift in y-direction increases monotonically with the severity of the zone for all the cases.
- Absolute maximum value of storey drift in y-direction occurs when L<sub>1</sub>/L<sub>2</sub> ratio is 0.25 for all zones and both cases of infill and no fill according to ESLFM.
- The maximum storey drift in y-direction in any case is smaller when infill is considered in the analysis.
- The response spectrum method predicts lower maximum storey drift in y-direction compared to the equivalent static lateral force method in all cases.

### III. Conclusions

#### 3.1 Design Storey Drifts

- The absolute maximum design storey drift in x- or y-direction occurs in Zone V.
- The maximum design storey drift in x- or y-direction for any zone and any value of L<sub>1</sub>/L<sub>2</sub> ratio is smaller when infill wall is considered in the analysis. Thus the effect of infill walls is to reduce the storey drifts.

(i) No Infill

- As seismic severity of the zone increases, the maximum design storey drift in x-direction varies and is maximum for zone V.
- In zone II and III, the maximum design storey drift in x-direction occurs at floor no.2. In zone IV and V, the maximum design storey drift in x-direction occurs at floor no.18.
- As seismic severity of the zone increases, the maximum design storey drift in y-direction varies and is maximum for zone V.
- In zone II ,III and IV the maximum design storey drift in y-direction occurs at floor no.4 or 5. In zone V, the maximum storey drift in y-direction occurs at floor no.4 or 5 or 6.
- The maximum design storey drift in x-direction, for any given zone, increases with  $L_1/L_2$  ratio.
- The maximum design storey drift in y-direction, for any given zone, decreases with  $L_1/L_2$  ratio.
- The absolute maximum (maximum of maximums) design storey drift in x- or y-direction occurs in zone V.
- The maximum design storey drifts are almost same for zones II and III.

(ii) With Infill

- As seismic severity of the zone increases, the maximum design storey drift in x-direction varies and is maximum for zone V.
- In zone II and III, the maximum design storey drift in x-direction occurs at floor no.2. In zone IV, the maximum design storey drift in x-direction occurs at floor no.2 or 3 or 4. In zone V, the maximum storey drift in x-direction occurs at floor no. 3 or 4.
- As seismic severity of the zone increases, the maximum design storey drift in y-direction varies and is maximum for zone V.
- In zone II and III, the maximum design storey drift in y-direction occurs at floor no.3 or 4. In zone IV, the maximum design storey drift in y-direction occurs at floor no. 4. In zone V, the maximum storey drift in y-direction occurs at floor no. 3 or 4 or 5.
- The maximum design storey drift in x-direction, for any given zone, increases with  $L_1/L_2$  ratio.
- The maximum design storey drift in y-direction, for any given zone, decreases with  $L_1/L_2$  ratio.
- The absolute maximum design storey drift in x- or y-direction occurs in zone V.
- The maximum design storey drifts are almost the same for zones II and III.

### **3.2 Design Ultimate Moments in Transfer Girders and Main Beams**

- The variation of moments with  $L_1/L_2$  ratio is insignificant.
- Both the design ultimate positive and negative moments decrease in magnitude when the effect of infill wall is considered in the analysis

### **3.3 Equivalent Static Lateral Force Method versus Response Spectrum Method**

- The maximum storey drift in x- and y-directions increases monotonically with the severity of the zone.
- Absolute maximum value of storey drift in x-direction in any zone occurs when  $L_1/L_2$  ratio is unity.
- Absolute maximum value of storey drift in y-direction occurs when  $L_1/L_2$  ratio is 0.25 for all zones and both cases of infill and no fill according to ESLFM.
- The maximum storey drift in x- and y-directions in any case is smaller when infill is considered in the analysis.
- The response spectrum method predicts lower maximum storey drift in x-direction compared to the equivalent static lateral force method in all the cases when infill is not accounted in the analysis.
- The response spectrum method predicts slightly higher maximum storey drift in x-direction compared to the equivalent static lateral force method in all cases when infill is accounted in the analysis.
- The response spectrum method predicts lower maximum storey drift in y-direction compared to the equivalent static lateral force method in all cases.

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