# Next Generation PEER Structures Performance Database



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## Organization

- Existing databases
- Current work

Needs/Priorities????



### Available Column Databases

- Early Contributions
  - Taylor and Stone (1993)
  - Taylor et al. (1997)
- PEER Structural Performance Database
  - Berry and Eberhard (2004)
  - NHERI-ACI Committee 369, Ghannoum et al., (2015)
- Databases limited to specific region (e.g., Japan, China)
  - Kawashima Database (still available??)
- Narrowly focused databases
  - high-strength rebar (Suzuki, 2015)
  - retrofit (Alvarez and Breña, 2017)]
  - steel-concrete composite member database (Denavit)
- Current PEER Effort (Abdullah/Wallace, 2021)



### Other Notable Databases

- NHERI DesignSafe
- FIB Database Project (Miguel Ruiz, Carlos Ospina)
  - Fiber-reinforced concrete
  - Concentric punching shear of concrete slabs without shear reinforcement
  - https://www.fib-international.org/commissions/databases.html



### Benefits of Databases

- Access data from 100s of tests of columns
- Calibration/Evaluation of design models
  - Flexural strength
  - Shear Strength
  - Stiffness
  - Damage (flexural and shear cracking, spalling, buckling)
  - Force-displacement, hysteretic models
- Development of design provisions
  - Limits on axial load
  - Spacing, development of transverse reinforcement
- Identification of tests to study in detail
- Current PEER database receives ~50 citations/year

### Limitations of Current Databases

- Partial coverage
  - Regional
  - Focused subset
- Missing key properties
- Missing more recent tests
- Attributions











#### Introduction

This site provides the results of over 400 cyclic, lateral-load tests of reinforced concrete columns. The database describes tests of:

- · spiral or circular hoop-reinforced columns (with circular, octagonal or rectangular cross-sections)
- · rectangular reinforced columns
- · columns with or without splices

For each test where the information is available, the database provides the:

- · column geometry
- · column material properties
- · column reinforcing details
- test configuration (including P-delta configuration)
- · digital force-displacement history at the top of the column
- · top displacement that preceded various damage observations
- · key drawings and images (where available)
- · comments (e.g., unusual characteristics)
- · references and links for further information

Detailed information is available in the user manual (424K PDF).

The following websites provide additional data and details of column tests:

Kawashima Earthquake Engineering Laboratory (Tokyo Institute of Technology)

#### Disclaimer

This database was assembled as a service to the research community in earthquake engineering. The University of Washington, PEER and the researchers who performed the experiments make no warranties to the accuracy of the information that has been collected. If you have any questions, comments or suggestions, please contact Marc Eberhard at the University of Washington or Debra Bartling at the University of California, Berkeley.

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Our greatest thanks go to the many researchers who generously shared their test data. Wherever possible, users of this database should cite the original references for the test description, in addition to this database.

The core of the database was assembled by researchers at the National Institute of Standards and Technology (NIST), who collected data for 92 test of columns with circular spiral or hoop-reinforced columns and 107 tests of columns with rectangular reinforcement. For each test, the NIST database described the reported test geometry, material properties, top force-displacement histories and a reference. Dr. Andrew Taylor, formerly of NIST, provided invaluable assistance in developing the database.

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### Information Provided

- ∼400 tests
- Column geometry
- Material properties
- Reinforcing details
- Test configuration (including P-delta configuration)
- Axial load
- Digital force-displacement history at the top of the column
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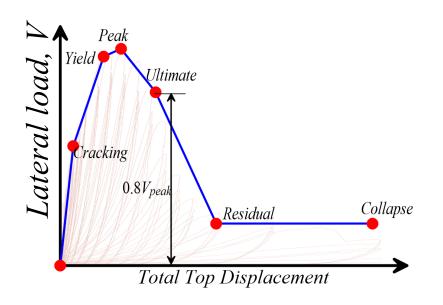


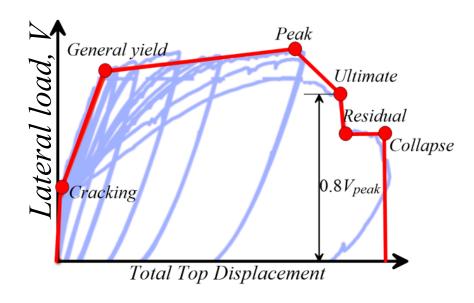
## Current Work (Abdullah/Wallace)

- Data from more (recent) tests
- More properties
- Backbone Curves
- Computed properties
  - Nominal strengths
  - Neutral axis depths
  - Moment-curvature relationships
  - Provision capacities (ASCE 318, ASCE 41, Caltrans)
- References
  - PDFs of reports and theses



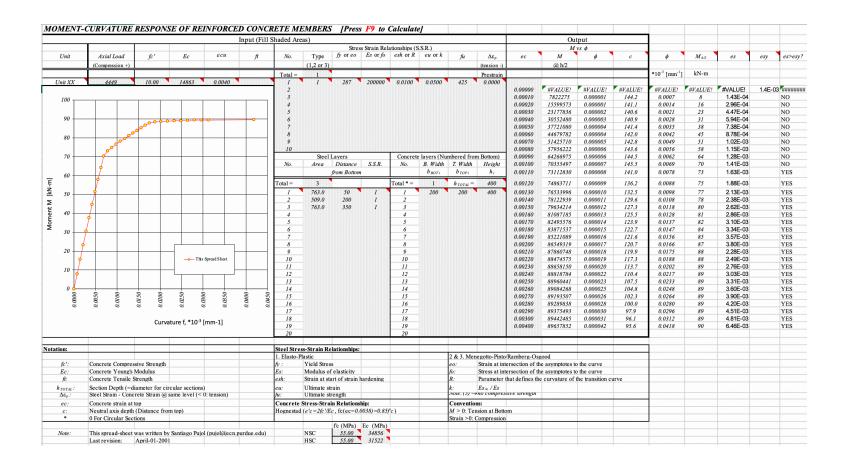
## **Backbone Curves**







## Moment-Curvature Analysis





## Needs/Priorities???

- Continue to add tests
- Force-displacement histories
- Scanning of historical reports/theses
- Test images, videos, point clouds (damage)
- Coordination with other databases
  - Regional
  - Narrowly focused
  - NHERI

- Shaking Table Tests
- Beyond columns
  - Walls
  - Joints
- Support for data analysis
  - Visualization
  - Statistical analysis
  - Automatic generation of OpenSees code
- Version control
  - Code provisions
  - Papers and reports
- Community survey

