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# Analyze – College Entrance Structure - Manual calculation (Hardy Cross Method) and by Computer Program (Finite Element Method)

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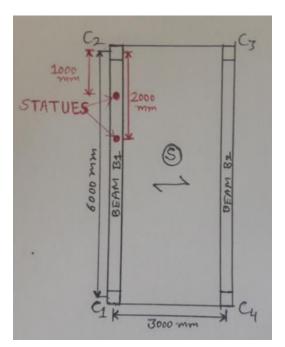
**Abstract** –The latest trend in structure analysis and design is to use the computer to do all the work as a black box. While doing analysis by software, we don't bother about the theoretical concept. I agree that manual methods are time consuming and tedious but they are prove to be highly useful as they give us a rough idea or say check on the detailed analysis. This paper deal the complete analysis of an entrance porch of a college by moment distribution method and by using software STAAD PRO and comparing results of practically designed entrance porch by me.

*Index terms* – *Moment distribution method, Stiffness, Carry-Over Factor, Distribution Factor, Sway, Staad- Pro.* 

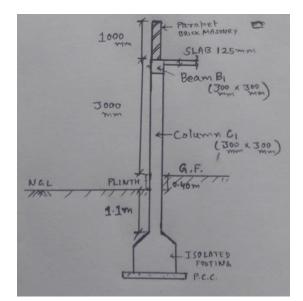
### 1. INTRODUCTION

Moment distribution method was introduced by Professor Hardy Cross in 1932. This method has remained the most popular method of tackling indeterminate beams and rigid frames. Moment distribution method uses an iterative technique and one goes on carrying on the cycle to reach to a desired degree of accuracy. STAAD PRO is a comprehensive integrated finite element analysis and design solution. The finite element method is a numerical method for solving problems of structural analysis, heat transfer, fluid flow, mass transport etc. Here we analyze an entrance porch of a college building on which two statues of 2500 kg each was fixed.

### 2. PLAN OF PORCH STRUCTURE



The typical floor plan of entrance porch of area 20.79 sq. m. at college campus is shown above. Part -section show some details of porch structure.



### 3. CALCULATION OF LOAD

(A)Load per unit area of terrace slab	DL LL
R.C.C. slab self weight	[3.125 + 0.0] kn/m <sup>2</sup>
$\{25KN/m^3 * 0.125m=3.125 KN/m^2\}$	
Water Proofing	$[2.0 + 0.0] \text{ kn/m}^2$
Floor Finish	$[1.0 + 0.0] \text{ kn/m}^2$
Live Load	$[0.0 + 2.0] \text{ kn/m}^2$

Sum = [ 6.125 + 2.0 ] kn/m<sup>2</sup>

(B) Load taken by Beam B<sub>1</sub> (In our case, it is same for beam B<sub>2</sub>)

(i)From slab portion (consider one way distribution) 8.125kn/m<sup>2</sup> \* 3m/2 = 12.19 kn/m

(ii)Beam self weight

{25kn/m3\*0.4m\*0.4m}

Total Load (w) =16.19 kn/m Design u.d.l. load (w<sub>u</sub>) =1.5 \* 16.19 = **24.285 Kn/m** 

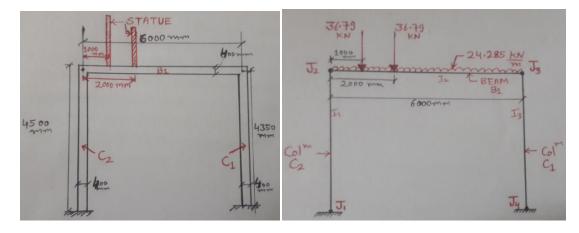
= 4.0 kn/m

(iii) Self weight of statue fix at top of beam B<sub>1</sub>

 $Q_1 = 2500$ kg = 24525 N &  $Q_2 = 2500$ kg = 24525N

Design concentrated load  $Q_{1u}$  &  $Q_{2u}$  each equal to 1.5\* 24.525 Kn =36.79 Kn

### 4. ANALYZE BY MOMENT DISTRIBUTION METHOD



### Data required:

Section of members $C_1$ to $C_4$	– 400mm * 400mm
Section of members $B_1 and  B_2$	- 400mm * 400mm
Length of members $C_1$ to $C_4$	- 4350mm
Length of members $B_1  and  B_2$	- 6000mm
Moment of inertia of members	$C_1$ to $C_4$ – I =21.33 * 10 <sup>8</sup> mm <sup>4</sup>
Moment of inertia of members	$B_1$ to $B_2$ – I =21.33 * 10 <sup>8</sup> mm <sup>4</sup>

JOINT	MEMBER	RELATIVE STIFFNESS	DISTRIBUTION FACTOR
J <sub>2</sub>	J <sub>2</sub> J <sub>1</sub>	I/4.35	0.58
	J <sub>2</sub> J <sub>3</sub>	I/6	0.42
J <sub>3</sub>	J <sub>3</sub> J <sub>2</sub>	I/6	0.42
	J <sub>3</sub> J <sub>4</sub>	I/4.35	0.58

### Non Sway:

JOINT	J <sub>1</sub>	<b>J</b> 2		J <sub>1</sub> J <sub>2</sub>		Ja	3	J <sub>3</sub>
MEMBER	J1J2	J <sub>2</sub> J <sub>1</sub>	J <sub>2</sub> J <sub>3</sub>	J <sub>3</sub> J <sub>2</sub>	J <sub>3</sub> J <sub>4</sub>	J4J3		
D.F.		0.58	0.42	0.42	0.58			
C.O.	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5		
F.E.M.			-131.105	+94.315				
Balancing		76.0409	55.0641	-39.6123	-54.7027			
C.O.	38.02045		-19.8062	27.53205		-27.3514		
Balancing		11.48757	8.318583	-11.5635	-15.9686			

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C.O.	5.743784		-5.78173	4.159292		-7.98429
Balancing		3.353404	2.428327	-1.7469	-2.41239	
C.O.	1.6767		-0.87345	1.2142		-1.2062
Balancing		0.5066	0.36685	-0.509964	-0.70424	
C.O.	0.2533		-0.25498	0.1834		-0.35212
Balancing		0.14789	0.10709	-0.077	-0.1064	
TOTAL	+45.69 knm	+91.54 knm	-91.54 knm	+73.89 knm	- <b>73.89</b> knm	<b>-36.89</b> knm

Horizontal reaction at J<sub>1</sub> , H<sub>J1</sub> =  $\frac{M_{J_1J_2} + M_{J_2J_1}}{4.35} = \frac{+45.69 + 91.54}{4.35} = 31.547$  Kn ( $\rightarrow$ )

Horizontal reaction at J<sub>2</sub> , H<sub>J4</sub> =  $\frac{M_{J_3J_4} + M_{J_4J_3}}{4.35} = \frac{-73.89 - 36.89}{4.35} = 25.467$  Kn ( $\leftarrow$ )

The value of **'P'** preventing side sway = 31.547 - 25.467 = **6.08 Kn (← )** 

### Side Sway:

Now let a **sway force S = 6.08 Kn** ( $\rightarrow$ ) be applied at J<sub>2</sub>. This will cause the columns J<sub>1</sub>J<sub>2</sub> and J<sub>3</sub>J<sub>4</sub> to rotate in clockwise direction and thus anti-clock moments will be induced at column heads such that

$$\frac{M_{J_2J_1}}{M_{J_3J_4}} = \frac{\frac{I}{L^2}}{\frac{I}{L^2}} = \frac{1}{1}$$

We shall assume arbitrary values of sway moments in the above proportion.

Let  $M_{J_2J_1}$  = -1.0 Knm and  $M_{J_3J_4}$  = -1.0 Knm

So,  $M_{J_1J_2}$  is also -1.0 Knm and  $M_{J_4J_3}$  is also -1.0 Knm

JOINT	J1	]	<b>J</b> 2	J	3	J <sub>3</sub>
MEMBER	J <sub>1</sub> J <sub>2</sub>	J <sub>2</sub> J <sub>1</sub>	J <sub>2</sub> J <sub>3</sub>	J <sub>3</sub> J <sub>2</sub>	J <sub>3</sub> J <sub>4</sub>	J <sub>4</sub> J <sub>3</sub>
D.F.		0.58	0.42	0.42	0.58	
C.O.	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
F.E.M.	-1.0	-1.0			-1.0	-1.0
Balancing		+0.58	+0.42	+0.42	+0.58	
C.O.	+0.29		+0.21	+0.21		+0.29
Balancing		-0.1218	-0.0882	-0.0882	-0.1218	
C.O.	-0.0609		-0.0441	-0.0441		-0.0609
Balancing		+0.0256	+0.0185	+0.0185	+0.0256	
C.O.	+0.0128		+0.0093	+0.0093		+0.0128
Balancing		-0.0054	-0.0039	-0.0039	0054	
TOTAL	- <b>0.758</b> knm	<b>-0.522</b> knm	+ <b>0.522</b> knm	+0.522 knm	<b>-0.522</b> knm	- <b>0.758</b> knm



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Horizontal reaction at J<sub>1</sub> , H<sub>J1</sub> =  $\frac{M_{J_1J_2}+M_{J_2J_1}}{4.35} = \frac{-0.758-0.522}{4.35} = 0.294$  Kn ( $\leftarrow$ )

Horizontal reaction at J<sub>2</sub> , H<sub>J4</sub> =  $\frac{M_{J_3J_4} + M_{J_4J_3}}{4.35} = \frac{-0.758 - 0.522}{4.35} = 0.294$  Kn ( $\leftarrow$ )

So for  $\Sigma H = 0$ , the sway force (S) = H<sub>J1</sub> + H<sub>J4</sub> = 0.588 Kn ( $\rightarrow$ )

When sway force (S) = 0.588 Kn ( $\rightarrow$ ) then moment induced are

JOINT	J <sub>1</sub>	J <sub>2</sub>		J <sub>3</sub>		J <sub>3</sub>
TOTAL	-0.758 knm	-0.522 knm	+0.522 knm	+0.522 knm	-0.522 knm	-0.758 knm

But magnitude of actual sway force is equal to P =6.08 Kn. So, moment induced are

JOINT	J <sub>1</sub>	J <sub>2</sub>		J <sub>3</sub>		J <sub>3</sub>
TOTAL	<b>-7.838</b> knm	- <b>5.4</b> knm	+ <b>5.4</b> knm	<b>+5.4</b> knm	<b>-5.4</b> knm	-7.838 knm

Moment in Non -Sway situation

JOINT	J <sub>1</sub>	J <sub>2</sub>		J <sub>3</sub>		J <sub>3</sub>
TOTAL	+ <b>45.69</b> knm	+ <b>91.54</b> knm	-91.54 knm	+73.89 knm	<b>-73.89</b> knm	<b>-36.89</b> knm

**Final Moments** 

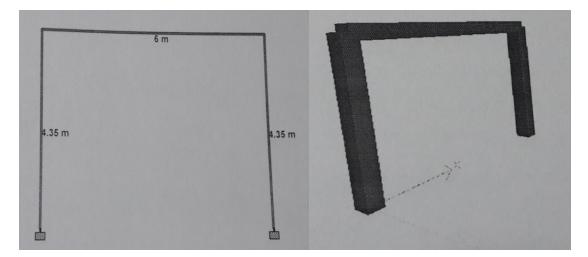
JOINT	J <sub>1</sub>	J <sub>2</sub>		J <sub>3</sub>		J <sub>3</sub>
TOTAL	+37.85 knm	+86.14 knm	<b>-86.14</b> knm	+ <b>79.29</b> knm	<b>-79.29</b> knm	<b>-44.73</b> knm

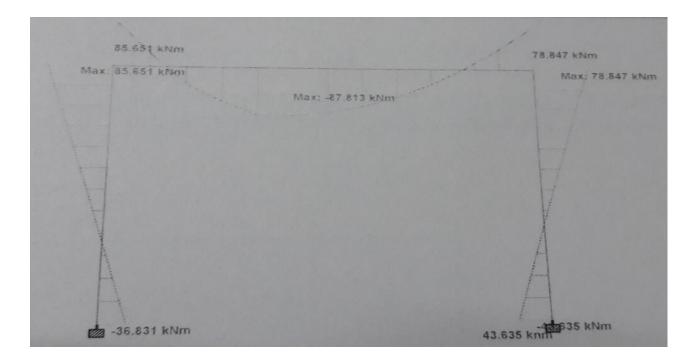
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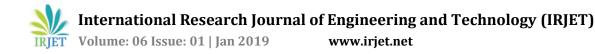
### Input file:

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### 6. CONCLUSION

By doing manual analysis, we got clarity on structural concept and gained more knowledge than analyze using software. Results obtained from Hardy Cross method and from STAAD – PRO software which is based on F.E.M. are same. We have felt the real engineering practice in this work.

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