Modeling of Deformation Behavior of Concrete under Fatigue Loading

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Deterioration Mechanism and Performance of Structures

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Fatigue -one of the major deterioration mechanism







Initiation period

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Deterioration period









Flexural cracking

Hexagonal cracking pattern

Punching failure

Necessity of Advanced Prediction Method

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Outline of Study

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Experiments for understanding stiffness degradation and strain development under compressive sustained and cyclic loading

> Elasto-plastic and fracture (EPF) model proposed by prof.Maekawa



Modeling of fatigue behavior

Sustained and fatigue
Stress-strain curve and fatigue life
Humidity and temperature



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Experimental Results and Discussion (1)



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<u>Stiffness reduction</u> High stress : → decrease Low stress : → contact

<u>Plastic strain</u>
Lower stress :
➡ Higher increment

Experimental Results and Discussion (2)

Viscous creep strain

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Total strain = Cracking strain + Viscous creep strain (Crack propagation) (Consolidation of mortal)

> It reduces concrete stiffness

It does not affect concrete stiffness

Experimental Results and Discussion (3)

3. Stiffness and cracking strain

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 Stiffness reduction can be expressed as cracking strain, which is deducted viscous creep strain from total strain.

- 4. Viscous creep strain
- ✓ Lower stress condition, ratio of viscous creep strain is higher.

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Elasto-plastic fracture (EPF) model

Time Effect

Fatigue model

Strain

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1. Fracture parameter under fatigue loading

It be expressed as cracking strain, $\varepsilon_{cra} = \varepsilon - \varepsilon_v$ (ε_v : viscous creep strain)

Fracture parameter
$$K_0 = \exp\left[-0.73\frac{\varepsilon_t - \varepsilon_v}{\varepsilon'_u}\left\{1 - \exp\left(-1.25\frac{\varepsilon_t - \varepsilon_v}{\varepsilon'_u}\right)\right\}\right]$$

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2. Stiffness changing in unloading and reloading

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3. Plastic strain under fatigue loading

Plastic strain under fatigue loading = Time-independent plastic strain

+ Time-dependent plastic strain

 $\varepsilon_p = \varepsilon_{p-m}$ (Maekawa's equation) + ε_{cr} (Creep strain prediction equation)

Modified Ayano's equation (creep strain prediction equation)

- $\varepsilon_{cr} = c_v \cdot c_e \cdot \varepsilon(t, t', t_0)$ $c_y = \frac{1+R}{2} \left(1+3.87\Delta\right)$ $R = \frac{\sigma_{\min}}{\sigma_{\max}}, \quad \Delta = \frac{\sigma_{\max} - \sigma_{\min}}{f_c'}$
- c_{v} : Coefficient for effect of cyclic loading
- c_e : Coefficient for effect of environmental condition

 $c_e = \frac{4W(1-h) + 350}{587} (0.0133T + 0.733) \quad \varepsilon(t,t',t_0): \text{ Ayano's creep strain prediction equation}$ Considered with temperature and humidity Applicable to fatigue loading

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Creep strain under high stress

Applicable range of modified Ayano's equation: stress ratio ~50% It cannot be applied for high stress

Creep strain caused by cracking should be quantified. But it is expressed as multiplying coefficient β which is determined by experimental data.

Parametric Study(1)

No.	Max stress ratio (%)	Max stress ratio (%)	Temperature (deg)	Relative humidity (%)	Multiplying coefficient β for creep strain prediction equation
S 1			20	70	
S 2	80	0	35	15	20
S 3			5	100	
S 4		20	20	70	15
S5		40			10
S 6		60			5
S 7	90	Ο			30
S 8	65	U			2

Workshop Computed Results(1)

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Computed Results (2)

Effect of environmental condition

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Workshop Fatigue Life

Tepfers's equation

$$\frac{\sigma_{\max}}{f_c'} = 1 - 0.0685 \left(1 - \frac{\sigma_{\min}}{\sigma_{\max}} \right) \log_{10} N$$

Workshop Conclusion and Future Perspective

<u>Stress – strain curves of concrete under</u> compressive sustained and fatigue loading

/Strain components : Cracking strain Viscous creep strain /Stiffness reduction : Cracking strain

Parametric Study using the Model

/Fatigue life influenced by humidity and temperature