

Reinforced Concrete Beam Program - Rectangular Section - Beta

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Project Identification

Structure Identification

Project Description

Project Notes

Material Properties

Concrete Compressive Strength psi.

Steel Yield Strength psi.

Steel Reinforcement Modulus of Elasticity ksi.

Concrete Unit Weight pcf.

Concrete Modulus of Elasticity ksi.

$$E_c = 33w_c^{1.5} \sqrt{f'_c}$$

Beam Width inches

Beam Height inches

Beam Area inch²

Gross Moment of Inertia = $I_g = \frac{bh^3}{12}$ $I_g =$ inch⁴

Reinforcement					Area Row	A * d
Distance from Bottom (Inches)	Rebar Size	Number Rebar in Row	Rebar Spacing (Inches)			
Row 10					0	0
Row 9					0	0
Row 8					0	0
Row 7					0	0
Row 6					0	0
Row 5					0	0
Row 4					0	0
Row 3	6	#5	8	2	2.48	14.88
Row 2	4	#5	6	3	1.86	7.44
Row 1	2	#6	6	3	2.64	5.28
Summation					6.98	27.6

$$d_{bot} = \frac{\sum_1^N A_{row(n)} d_{row(n)}}{\sum_1^N A_{row(n)}}$$

Rebar Neutral Axis Distance From Bottom of Beam = inches

$$d = h - d_{bot}$$

d = distance of centroid of reinforcement to the top of beam (extreme fiber in compression)

d = inches

Solve for Modulus of Rupture

$$f_r = 7.5\sqrt{f'_c} \quad f_r = 530 \text{ psi.}$$

$$y_t = \frac{h}{2} \quad y_t = 20 \text{ inches}$$

$$\text{Modular Ratio} = n = \frac{E_s}{E_c} \quad \text{rounded to the nearest whole number, but not less than 6. AASHTO 8.15.3.4}$$

Modular Ratio = 7

Solve for the Stress Block Depth Factor

$$\beta_1 = \begin{cases} 0.85 & \text{for } 0 < f'_c \leq 4000 \text{ psi.} \\ 0.85 - 0.05 \left(\frac{f'_c - 4000}{1000} \right) & \text{for } 4000 \text{ psi.} < f'_c \leq 8000 \text{ psi.} \\ 0.65 & \text{for } f'_c > 8000 \text{ psi.} \end{cases} \quad \text{AASHTO Equation 8.16.2.7}$$

Beta 1 = 0.8

Solve for Balanced Reinforcement Ratio

$$\rho_b = \frac{0.85\beta_1 f'_c}{f_y} \frac{87,000}{87,000 + f_y} \quad \text{AASHTO 8.16.3.2.2 Equation 8-18}$$

$\rho_b = 0.033537415$

Solve for the Maximum Reinforcement Ratio

$$\rho_{\max} = 0.75\rho_b \quad \text{AASHTO Equation 8.16.3.1.1}$$

$\rho_{\max} = 0.025153061$

Solve for Distance of Extreme Compression Fiber to Neutral Axis of the Cracked Section

$$\frac{bc^2}{2} + nA_s c - nA_s d = 0 \quad \text{Reinforced Concrete - A Fundamental Approach, Eqn 8.7}$$

c = 10.07538285 inches

Solve for the Cracked Moment of Inertia

$$I_{cr} = \frac{bc^3}{3} + nA_s (d - c)^2$$

$I_{cr} = 41478 \text{ inch}^4$ Reinforced Concrete - A Fundamental Approach, Eqn 8.7

Solve for Cracking Moment

$$M_{cr} = \frac{f_r I_g}{y_t} \quad M_{cr} = 294.63 \text{ Kip}\cdot\text{Ft}$$

Solve for Minimum Reinforcement Ratio

where $\rho_{\min} = \frac{A_{s(\min)}}{bd}$ where.... $A_{s(\min)}$ develops $\phi M_n = 1.2M_{cr}$

Solve the quadratic equation for $A_{s(\min)}$

$$\frac{A_{s(\min)}^2 f_y^2}{1.7 f_c' b} - \phi f_y d A_{s(\min)} + 1.2 M_{cr} = 0$$

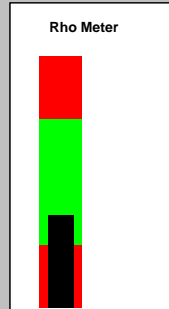
$\phi = 0.9$ For Flexure

$A_{s(\min)} = 2.222649433 \text{ inch}^2$

$\rho_{\min} = 0.0024665$

Solve for Tension Reinforcement Ratio

$\rho = \frac{A_s}{bd}$ $\rho = 0.007745692$



Solve for Depth of Equivalent Rectangular Stress Block

$a = \frac{A_s f_y}{0.85 f_c' b}$ $a = 3.94 \text{ inch}$

Solve for Design Moment

$\phi M_n = \phi \left[A_s f_y \left(d - \frac{a}{2} \right) \right]$ AASHTO 8.16.3.2.1

$\phi M_n = 1070.30 \text{ Kip}\cdot\text{Ft.}$