

# Analysis and Design of Structural Steel Bridge of 75m Span By Using Staad.Pro

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**Abstract-** This report details out the salient information about a structural bridge of an effective span of 75m designed to support the traffic loads arising out of a 4-lane flyover (supported at the bottom chord level of the truss) and a 2-lane metro rail (supported at the top chord level of the truss). While deciding the type of the bridge i.e., a single truss or multiple individual trusses and the material of construction i.e., a structural steel or reinforced concrete bridge various important constraints such as the construction feasibility, flexibility for future enhancements or up gradation for the bridge loading, land availability etc. are considered and based on these factors a reasonably economical and easy to construct option is considered for the final design. As the bridge is required to support the loading from both the metro rail traffic and road traffic arising from the flyover, the bridge design is necessary to comply with the requirements stated both in the IRC (Indian Roads Congress) and the IRS (Indian Railway Standards) although there are subtle differences in verification for criteria like the slenderness calculation, crack width calculation and load combinations. In order to satisfy these requirements, a common approach is considered which results in a conservative design.

## I. INTRODUCTION

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flyover (since this run at the bottom chord level). However, the Forces resolved into the truss members such as the chord members are directly proportional to the height of the truss resulting in an increased height of the truss. Further, in order to reduce the overall weight of the structure, a high strength material is considered for the design.

## ADVANTAGES OF STAAD.Pro SOFTWARE

- It does not involve any manual calculations.
- The visual interface is user-friendly.
- It is based on the latest programming technology that enables to create of an exact 3d model of the required building or structure.
- It is suitable for almost all types of materials including concrete, steel, aluminum etc.
- Faster methods of designing a structure.
- This software contains all the necessary tools required to design a structure. It works in sync with other programs such as STAAD.pro foundation, STAAD. pro offshore and ram for designing foundation, offshore structure and steel structure. Other than building bridges, pipes, shear wall etc can also be designed.
- It can be used to calculate reinforcement for concrete beams, columns and shear walls. · A large variety of design codes are available which determines drift, deflection and depth of any construct.
- It is developed with an open architecture called open STAAD.
- 10 Pre-built models of different structures are available for remodeling purposes. New templates can also be added as per requirements.
- We can get shear and moment values at every 1/12th section of the member.
- For seismic design, both static analysis and response spectrum can be performed.
- You can design structure for different types of load such as dead load, live load, wind, load etc.
- International country codes are available.
- The results are sturdy.
- Designs can be imported from Autocad.

## LIMITATIONS of STAAD.Pro SOFTWARE

- It gives uneconomical results for multi-story structures.
- Limitations in modeling. Curvy boundary, parabolic beam etc can not be modeled effectively and analyzed efficiently.
- Analysis of complex structures can be tedious. Require proper skills.
- Proper detailing of reports is not available.
- Not for brick masonry works. Not for costing and estimating.

## II. REVIEW OF LITERATURE

### 2.1 Research Article Volume 7 Issue No.11

#### ANALYSIS OF STEEL FRAMES USING DIRECT ANALYSIS METHOD BY USING STAAD Pro V8iSoftware

KasaNavin Kumar<sup>1</sup>, Gowlla Jyothsna<sup>2</sup> JASC: Journal of Applied Science and Computations Volume VI, Issue VI, JUNE/2019 ISSN NO: 1076-5131.

To investigation the seismic conduct of G+9 steel frame building working by utilizing IS 1893:2002 2. The parameters like deflection, shear, bending, Drift values are studied at each individual story for checking the stability of steel frame structure. 3. In the present study a G+9 story steel frame structure was analyzed by using direct analysis method in STAAD Pro V8i Software. 4. To examination the structures in STAAD Pro V8i Software.

### 2.2 Analysis of Steel Framed Structure using STAAD Pro and ROBOT Software

SALEM R.S GHDOURA<sup>1</sup>, VIKAS SRIVASTAVA<sup>2</sup> international Journal of scientific engineering and technology research ISSN 2319-8885 Vol.05, Issue.07, March-2016, Pages:1442-1449

To determine the instability behavior of steel members using STAAD Pro and ROBOT software. To provide appropriate section using software analysis. To compare the design proficiency of the software's

### 2.3 International journal of advanced technology in engineering and science Vol. no.4, Issueno.10, October 2016 www.ijates.com DESIGN AND ANALYSIS OF INDUSTRIAL BUILDING WITH GABLED ROOF BY USING STAAD PRO M. Suneetha<sup>1</sup>, Gillela. Naresh Kumar Reddy<sup>2</sup>

A strengthened solid outline must fulfill the accompanying practical target: 1) Under the most exceedingly bad arrangement of stacking, the structure must be sheltered 2) Under the working burden, the disfigurement of the structure must not disable the appearance, strength and execution of the structure and 3) The structure must be sparing, that is, the variable of security ought not be too expensive to the degree that the expense of the structure gets to be not allowed without extra real preferred standpoint aside from vigor. 4) These necessities call for good appraisal of the meaning burdens, right choice of materials and sound workmanship. To guarantee these, the different components shaping the strengthened cement and the solid itself must finish different tests as nitty gritty in the controlling code of practice.

### 2.4 International Journal of Innovative Technology and Exploring Engineering (IJITEE) ISSN: 2278-3075 (Online), Volume-9 Issue-3, January 2020

Assessment and Design of Steel frame Structure, consists Performance of Connection Joints with Tekla & Staad Pro L.Vimala, T.Naresh Kumar, S.M.V.Narayana, J.ChinnaBabu

The aim of this project work is to analyse a 7-storeyed commercial building for different load combinations using STAAD Pro software. And behavior of connection of bolts.

### 2.5 International Journal of All Research Education and Scientific Methods (IJARESM), ISSN: 2455-6211 Volume 9, Issue 7 July -2021, Impact Factor: 7.429, Available online at: www.ijaresm.com

Design and Analysis of Oil Refinery Steel Structure Using Staad Pro Software with Alteration to Conventional Steel Sections Bhalerao Rupali Alish<sup>1</sup>, Dr. M.P. Wagh<sup>2</sup> Review of related literature helps the researcher to understand the topic better. The researcher can collect the all the relevant information on the research topic. The review is always helpful in finding out what were their methods used, what were suggestions given for further research. The review of related literature certainly makes new researcher well equipped with previous background of the topic and area of research. It makes researcher more critical and provides sound foundation and deep insight into the problem. A careful review of the research journal, books, thesis and other source of information on the problem to be investigated is one of the important steps in planning of any research study.

**2.6 International Research Journal of Engineering and Technology (IRJET) e-ISSN: 2395-0056 Volume: 08 Issue: 05 | May 2021 www.irjet.net p-ISSN: 2395-0072**

Design of a 6-storeyed steel structure using StaadPro Software Atika Pathan<sup>1</sup>, Nidhi Sonavane<sup>2</sup>, Praduman Singh<sup>3</sup>  
An industrial steel building design was performed using StaadPro software. The building comprises structural steel for the superstructure and concrete for substructure. The structure comprises 2 bay frames, 7.5m each. There are a total 6 number of floors spaced at 3.6m, on which different equipment rests. Also, a stair is provided in a 4m bay i.e., besides the main bay for accessing the floors. A gable frame supports the top roof of the building. The foundation is at 3m below the ground level.

### III. METHODOLOGY

The Project designed is for a bridge of single effective span of 75m.

#### 3.1 Site Condition

Site location	=Hyderabad (Choose)
Maximum ambient temperature	= +45 °C
Minimum ambient temperature	= +08 °C
Seismic zone as per IS1893	= II
Basic wind speed	= 44m/s.

#### 3.2 Design parameters

Type of bridge	2-Level bridge over existing road or junction
Verticals, top and bottom chords, diagonals, stringers, cross girders, plate girders, top and bottom chord plan bracings	=E350
Alignment	=Straight and level
Number of spans	=Single span
Span dimension	=75m effective span
Function	=To carry two tracks of Metro at upper deck and 4-lane road at the lower deck.
Design life	=50years (assumed)
Metro loading Axle load of 16MT per RDSO(Research Design Standards Organization)	
Train design speed	= 80kmph
Road deck width	=16.5m
Roadway arrangement	= 4-lane traffic with crash barrier
Roadway loading=	Class A& Class 70R per IRC standards Additional loading

#### Wind loads per IS: 875 Part 3

Seismic loading per IS: 1893= Zone- II  
Material of construction Structural steel for truss

#### Density for load calculations

Concrete	=	25kN/m <sup>3</sup>
Structural steel	=	78.5kN/m <sup>3</sup>
Wearing course	=	24kN/m <sup>3</sup>

#### 3.3 General Analysis & Design Exclusions:

Owing to the complexity involved in the analysis and design, following are excluded while carrying out the design of the bridge. Though the design of concrete or composite components of the bridge is neither carried out nor presented in this report, the material grades, codes and specifications applicable etc., to these components are listed down for completeness and informational purposes.

1. Fatigue analysis of the bridge
2. Design of connections
3. Design of pier and pier cap.
4. Elements of composite sections.
5. Response spectrum analysis for the bridge (if applicable).
6. Design of bearings.

#### 3.3 Loading and Load Combinations:

The various permanent, variable and accident loads acting on the bridge are described in this chapter. The permanent loads are due to the self-weight of the truss; deck slab and road and rail fixtures while the live loads are due to metro and roadway. Whereas loads due to wearing course, crash barrier, parapet, cable tray, weight of cables, tracks, plinths, rail fixtures are considered under Super Imposed Dead load (SIDL). Variable loads are due to wind and earthquake. Secondary effects due to temperature, creep and shrinkage of concrete are also described. Accidental loads are due to vehicular impact on crash barrier or pier (ignored in this assessment).

**Table: Load combinations**

Limit State	Loads	G I	G II	G VI
		Normal	Wind	EQ
SLS COMBINATIONS	Dead loads (DL)	1.0	1.0	1.0
	Super imposed dead load (SIDL)	1.2	1.2	1.2
	Wind Load (WL)		1.0	
	Earthquake (EQ)			1.0
	Live Load (LL)	1.1	1.0	0.5
Limit State	Loads	G I	G II	G VI
		Normal	Wind	EQ
ULS COMBINATIONS	Dead loads (DL)	1.25	1.25	1.25
	Super imposed dead load (SIDL)	2.00	2.00	1.50
	Wind Load (WL)		1.60	
	Earthquake (EQ)			1.50
	Live Load (LL)	1.75	1.40	0.50

**Table: Material Properties**

Material	Modulus of elasticity
Steel (Es)	: 2.11x10 <sup>5</sup> N/mm <sup>2</sup>
Concrete (Ec)	: 32500 N/mm <sup>2</sup>

Sl. No.	Loading Cases	Effective Section
1	Permanent loads Self-weight of truss Dead load of RC deck SIDL due to WC parapets etc., on Highway SIDL due to rail track, stringers, sleepers etc. Effects of creep & shrinkage of concrete deck on composite truss	Steel Steel Steel Composite (n=2) Steel Composite (n=2) Steel Composite (n=2)
2	Live Loads Train Live Load Highway vehicle load	Steel Composite (n=1) Steel Composite (n=1)
3	Transient load Wind load on Steel Composite truss Seismic loading	Steel Composite (n=1) Steel Composite (n=1)
4	Erection Erection stage loading on steel truss Erection stage loading on composite truss	Steel Steel Composite (n=1)

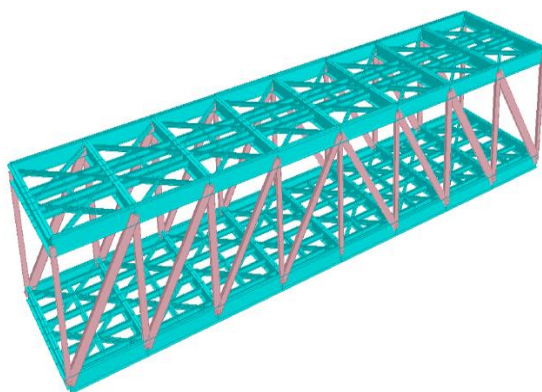
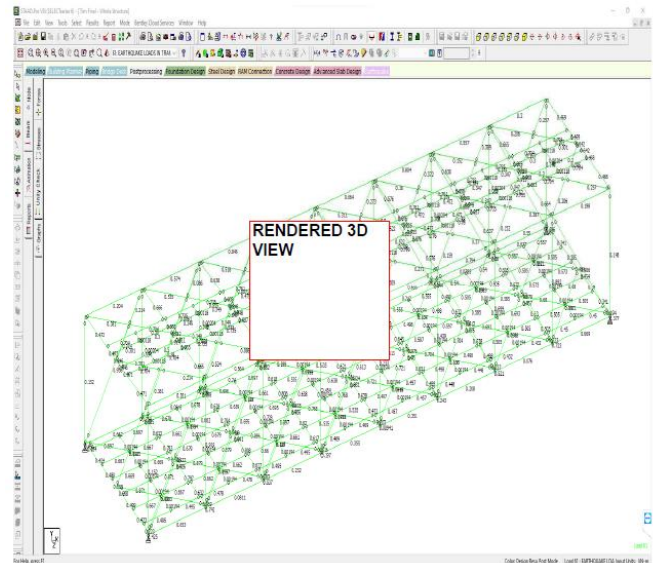


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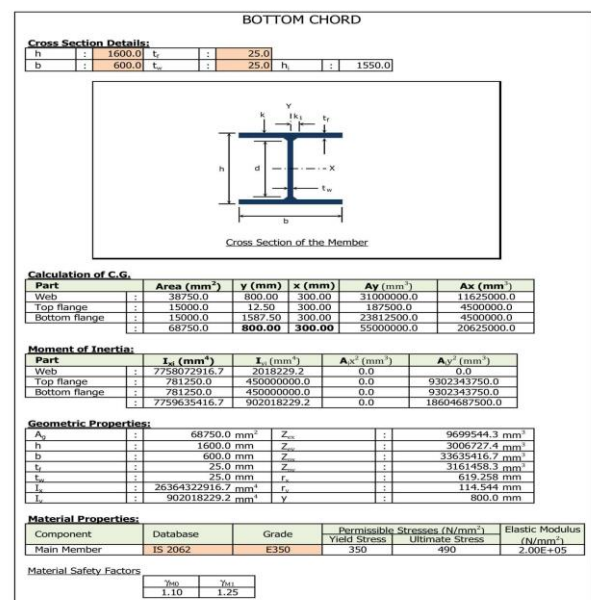
**IV. RESULTS AND DISCUSSIONS**



**Fig 4.1 Utility Ratios –Isometric View**

Unity check for strength cases is the ration between the required resistance. Similarly for serviceability load cases it is the ration deflection and allowable deflection. From the design results.the member with maxim utilization ratio and the corresponding load combination is considered for the manual verification. The combined check is performed for considering axial tension moments, axial compression and bending moments separately as specified in the respective design codes. The values of these unity checks should be less or equal to 1.0 to comply with the requirements.

**Fig 4.2 Bottom Chord**



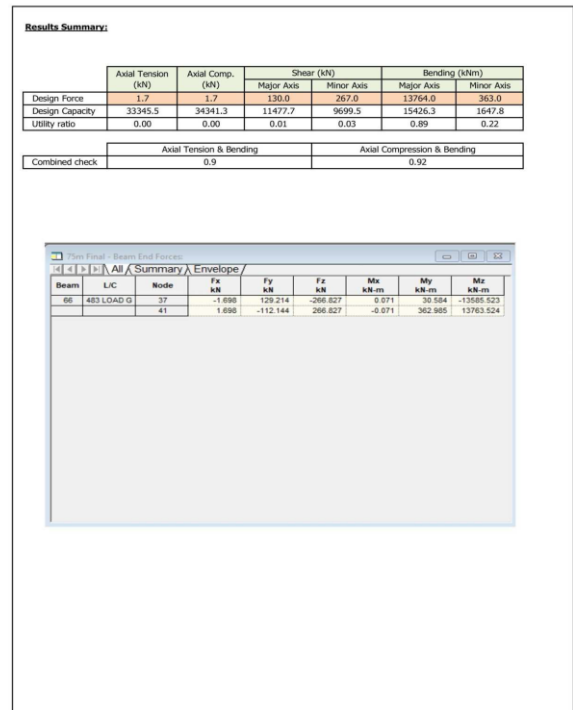
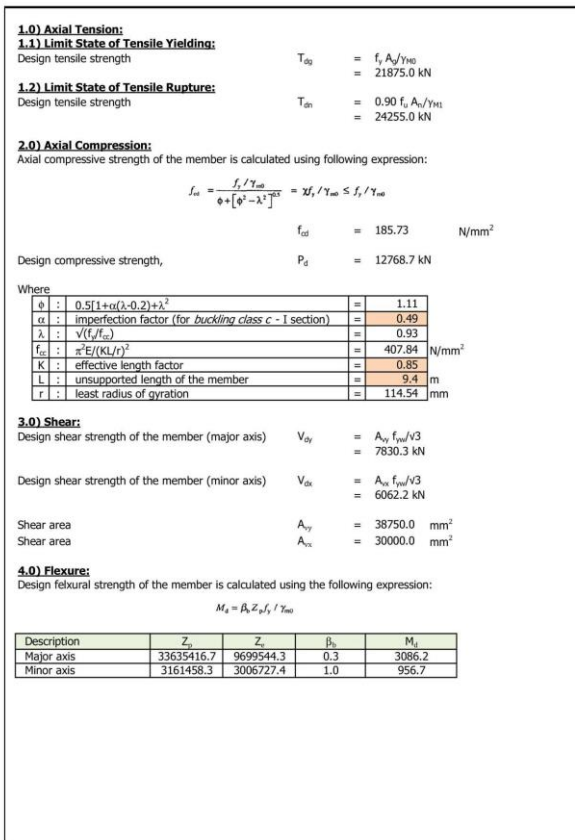
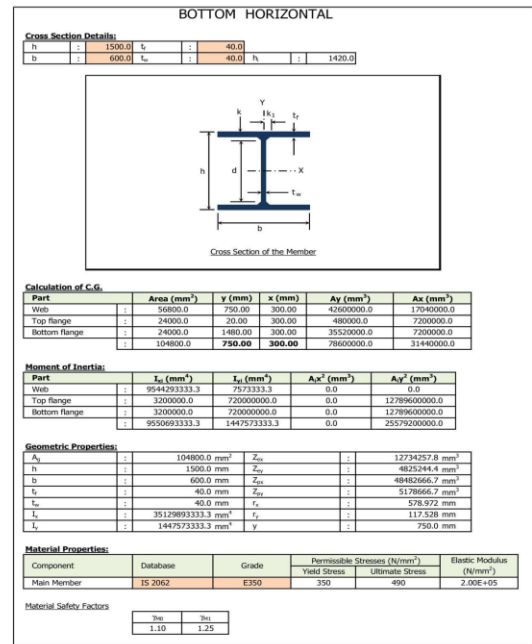
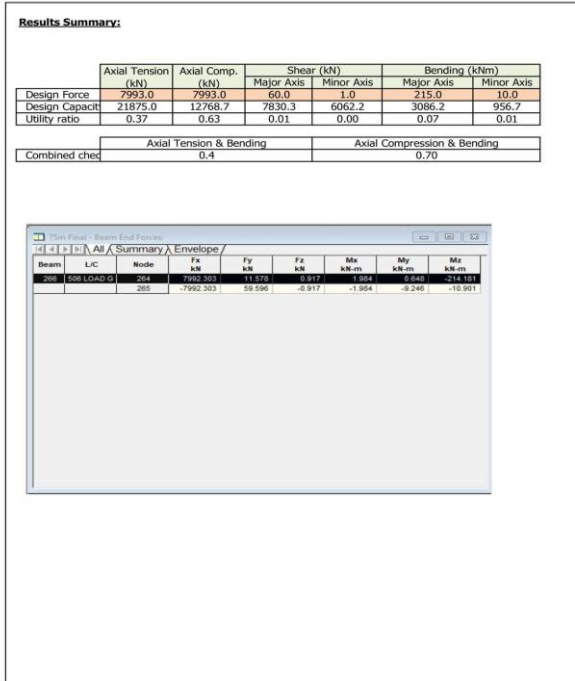


Fig 4.3 Bottom Horizontal

**1.0) Axial Tension:**  
**1.1) Limit State of Tensile Yielding:**  
 Design tensile strength  $T_{d1} = f_y A_n / \gamma_{m0} = 33345.5 \text{ kN}$   
**1.2) Limit State of Tensile Rupture:**  
 Design tensile strength  $T_{d2} = 0.90 f_u A_n / \gamma_{m0} = 36973.4 \text{ kN}$

**2.0) Axial Compression:**  
 Axial compressive strength of the member is calculated using following expression:  

$$f_{cd} = \frac{f_y / \gamma_{m0}}{\phi + \sqrt{\phi^2 - \lambda^2}} = X_{eff} / \gamma_{m0} \leq f_y / \gamma_{m0}$$

$$f_{cd} = 327.68 \text{ N/mm}^2$$
 Design compressive strength,  $P_d = 34341.3 \text{ kN}$

Where

$\phi$	$0.5[1 + \alpha(1 - 0.2) + \lambda^2]$	=	0.50
$\alpha$	imperfection factor (for buckling class c - 1 section)	=	0.49
$\lambda$	$\sqrt{(f_y / f_{cr})}$	=	0.14
$f_{cr}$	$\pi^2 E_s / (K L)^2$	=	17345.51 N/mm <sup>2</sup>
$K$	effective length factor	=	0.85
$L$	unsupported length of the member	=	1.5 m
$r$	least radius of gyration	=	117.53 mm

**3.0) Shear:**  
 Design shear strength of the member (major axis)  $V_{d1} = A_w f_y / \sqrt{3} = 11477.7 \text{ kN}$   
 Design shear strength of the member (minor axis)  $V_{d2} = A_w f_y / \sqrt{3} = 9699.5 \text{ kN}$

Shear area  $A_w = 56800.0 \text{ mm}^2$   
 Shear area  $A_w = 48000.0 \text{ mm}^2$

**4.0) Flexure:**  
 Design flexural strength of the member is calculated using the following expression:  

$$M_d = \beta_b Z_p f_y / \gamma_{m0}$$

Description	$Z_p$	$Z_{pl}$	$\beta_b$	$M_d$
Major axis	48482666.7	12734257.8	1.0	15426.3
Minor axis	5178666.7	4825244.4	1.0	1647.8

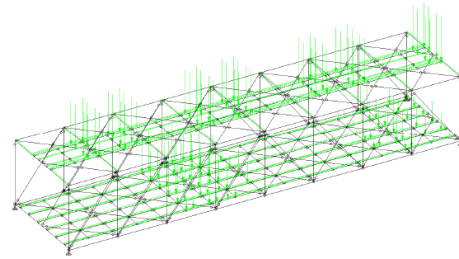


FIG 4.6 LOADING DIAGRAM LOAD CASE 506

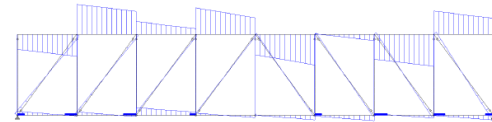


FIG 4.7 SHEAR FORCE DIAGRAM OF LOAD CASE 506

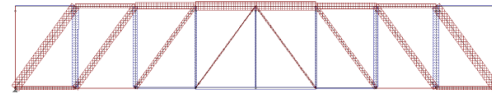


FIG 4.8 AXIAL FORCE DIAGRAM OF LOAD CASE 506

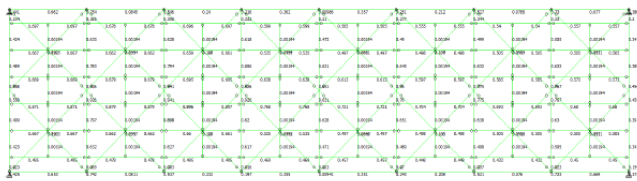


FIG 4.2 UTILITY RATIO OF BOTTOM PLAN

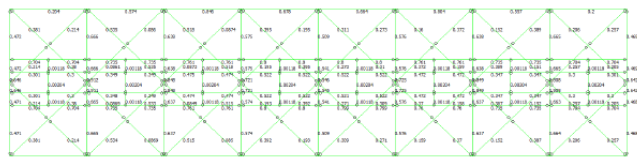


FIG 4.3 UTILITY RATIO OF TOP PLAN

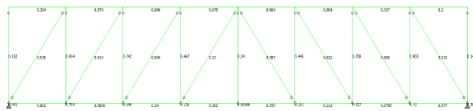


FIG 4.4 UTILITY RATIO OF ELEVATION

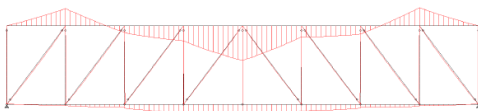


FIG 4.5 BENDING MOMENT DIAGRAM OF LOAD CASE 506

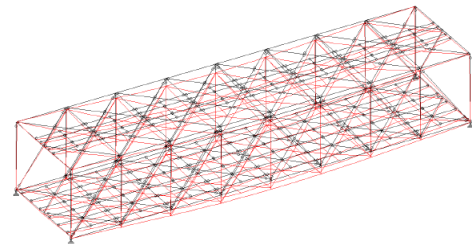


FIG 4.9 BENDING MOMENT DIAGRAM OF LOAD CASE OF 506 OF ISOMETRIC VIEW



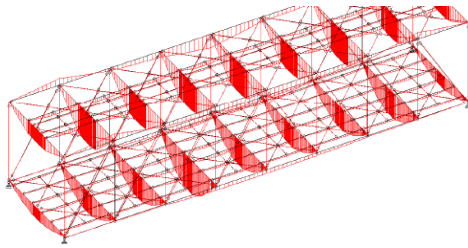


FIG 4.10 DEFLECTION DIAGRAM LOADE CASE 506

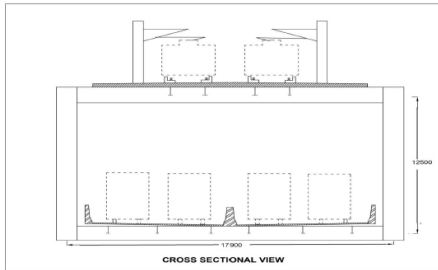
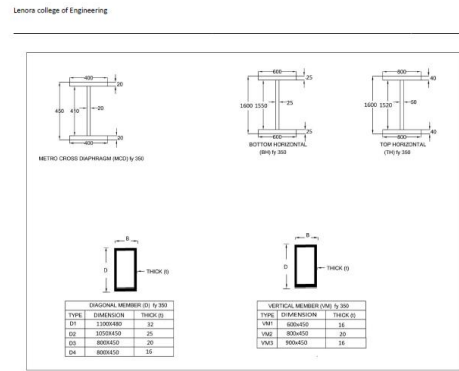


FIG 4.11 CROSS SECTION VIEW

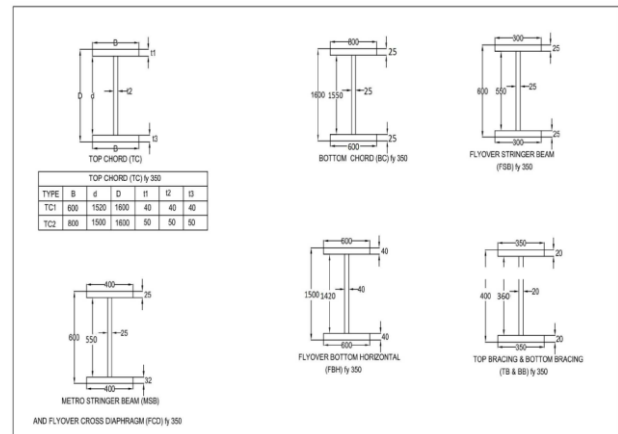
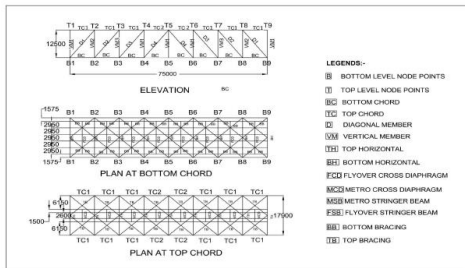


FIG 4.12 DIMENSIONS OF MEMBERS DRAWINGS



## V. CONCLUSIONS

1. Bridges carrying considerably heavier loads are quite common nowadays especially the combination of a multiple lanes of road traffic and metro or rail traffic.
2. The heavier the loads are, the higher the cross sectional dimensions. Initially the assessment started by considering the regular rolled sections. However, since the external forces are considerably high, the cross size of the bridge will be abnormally large and hence an alternative built-up sections of standard shapes such as I, C and Box sections are used for the assessment.
3. Although final design comprises of purely built-up sections, the cross section sizes of each type of member such as chord main members, cross girders are more than 1mand also the thickness of the plates are exceeding over 32mm and up to 50mm. Owing to the fact that, this type of construction requires skilled workmanship and also availability of larger thickness plates is difficult, alternative solutions may need to be explored to make the design, fabrication and election feasible.

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