Simulação computacional da RAA em estruturas de concreto

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Physical principles of the model (Glasser and Kataoka mechanism)











Inert aggregate



Cement matrix



Pore



Pore + gel (eventual crack)



Courtney Collins . Jason Ideker . Gayle Willis . Jessica Hurst, Virginia Tech

Physical principles of the model



Nicole P. Hasparyk, M.Sc. Thesis, UFG, Brasil, 1999

Physical principles of the model







Beauharnois, Canada

Ovalling distortions of the pedestral throat ring. Elevation at the crest of about 2 mm/a.



Mactaquac, Canada

Discharge ring ovalization and corresponding reductions in turbine blade clearances.



Poortjieskloof, South Africa

Permanent upstream movement up to 20 mm over a period of 15 years and upward movement of about 2 mm over a period of 2 years.



Leger et al, Canadian Journal of Civil Engineering, vol 22, 1995, 692-713

Kumburu spillway, Kenya

Maximum crack width: 20 mm. Piers distorted. Maximum deviation from vertical: 40 mm.



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Val de la Mare, Jersey (United Kingdom)

Cracking and reduction in sonic velocities.



Bases of the model (some experimental evidences)

AAR occurs if the structure is in contact with water.
The reaction is thermo-activated.

•The extension of the reaction is independent on stress levels ranging from 0 to 10 MPa .

•There is an anisotropy induced by the stress fields.





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Macroscopic model of concrete subjected to alkali-aggregate reaction M.C.R. Farage*, J.L.D. Alves, E.M.R. Fairbaim COMMUNICATIONS IN NUMERICAL METHODS IN ENGINEERING Constant. Numer. Meth. Engng (in press) Published online in Wiley InterScience (www.interscience.wiley.com). DOI: 10.1002/cnm.788

Modelling the structural behaviour of a dam affected by alkali-silica reaction

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Cracking – free expansion – LCPC tests



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Stress induced anisotropy - Cracking – σ = 5 MPa - LCPC tests

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Stress induced anisotropy - Cracking – σ = 10 MPa - LCPC tests

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Stress induced anisotropy

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LCPC tests – for stresses levels untill $\sigma = 10$ MPa $\Delta V/V$ does not change.

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Mechanical model (1D think model)

Model at the micro structural level

Mechanical model (1D think model)

Thermo-chemo-mechanical model (1D think model)

The model is based on Ulm and Coussy (elastic and plastic) models

Thermo-chemo-mechanical mode - cracking

Model (thermo-hygro-chemo-mechanical) for AAR The reaction depends on: umidity and temperature.

$$\xi(t) = \frac{1 - \exp(-t/\tau_c)}{1 + \exp(-t/\tau_c + \tau_L/\tau_c)}$$
$$\tau_c(\theta) = \tau_c(\theta_0) \exp[U_c(1/\theta - \theta_0)]$$
$$\tau_l(\theta) = \tau_l(\theta_0) \exp[U_l(1/\theta - \theta_0)]$$

$$\varepsilon^{g} = k\xi$$

$$k = f(h)$$

Determination of parameters

Test for the determination of Young's modulus

Test for the determination of fracture parameters

Uncracked specmen

Cracked specmen

Robots (RMDV1 e RMDV2) for measuring volumetric delayed strains

Laboratory dedicated to delayed strain measurements

Generalization: Classical fixed orthogonal smeared crack model

• Decomposition of total deformation for the cracked material in a crack deformation and in a deformation of the uncracked material between the cracks:

$$\dot{\mathbf{\epsilon}} = \dot{\mathbf{\epsilon}}^{S} = \dot{\mathbf{\epsilon}}^{Se} + \dot{\mathbf{\epsilon}}^{Scr}$$

Stresses equilibrium:

 $\dot{\boldsymbol{\sigma}} = \dot{\overline{\boldsymbol{\sigma}}}^{s} - \dot{\overline{p}}_{g} \mathbf{1}$

Constitutive relations for the gel and for the skeleton:

$$\dot{\overline{p}}^{g} = \overline{K}^{g} \left\langle -\left(\dot{\varepsilon}^{V} - \dot{\varepsilon}^{g,V}\right) \right\rangle \qquad \dot{\overline{\sigma}}^{S} = \overline{\mathbf{D}}^{S} \dot{\boldsymbol{\varepsilon}}^{Se}$$

 $\dot{\overline{\sigma}}^{S} = \overline{\mathbf{D}}^{S,Scr} \dot{\mathbf{\epsilon}}^{S}$

Overall stress-strain relation:

$$\overline{\mathbf{D}}^{S,Scr} = \left[\overline{\mathbf{D}}^{S} - \overline{\mathbf{D}}^{S} \mathbf{N} \left(\hat{\overline{\mathbf{D}}}^{Scr} + \mathbf{N}^{T} \overline{\mathbf{D}}^{S} \mathbf{N}\right)^{\mathbf{1}} \mathbf{N}^{T} \overline{\mathbf{D}}^{S}\right]$$

Implementation: FEM 3D code

The model was implemented in a reference program developed in FORTRAN for non-linear analysis of three dimensional problems via Finite Element Method through four nodes tetrahedral elements. The resulting non-linear equations system is solved by means of a Newton-Raphson iterative-incremental technique. The initial stiffness matrix is used as an approximation for the discrete Jacobian. The solution of the linearized system employs the Pre-Conditioned Conjugated Gradients Method, which was implemented under an Element-By-Element technique avoiding global stiffness matrix assembling and factorization.

Validation: Larive's tests (LCPC – France)

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(FEM convergence test)

Inverse analysis: amplitude

Inverse analysis: kinetics

LCPC Larive's tests Numerical and experimental results

Numerical simulation of LCPC Larive's tests Displaying stress-induced anisotropy

Longitudinal deformation

Transversal deformation

Simulation: hypothetical discharge ring

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Application: Furnas - 1.2 MW hydroelectric power plant in Minas Gerais - Brazil

Application –FURNAS dam

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(upstream view)

Application –FURNAS dam

(downstream view)

Field measurements

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Field measurements: displacements at the crest

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Field measurements: displacements at the crest: statistical modeling

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Displacements at the crest (m) : creep simulation

Furnas dam: FEM modeling – 49513 thetrahedral elements

Furnas dam: thermal fields – averaged steady state

Furnas dam: moisture fields – averaged steady state

Furnas dam: displacements at the crest

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Concluding remarks

•<u>Model thermo-hygro-chemo-mechanical with stress-induced</u> <u>anisotropy:</u>

Can simulate the evolution of the chemical reaction and of its mechanical effects, considering temperature, moisture and cracking effects on the evolution of swelling.

•Numerical modeling (Finite Element Method):

3D operational FEM computer code allows for the execution of real analysis on complex geometries with a large number of degree of freedom. It is then possible to predict the evolution of the effects of the rezaction.

•Inverse analysis (experimental and numerical):

Allows for the identification of parameters – structural ol local levels.

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