

NUMERICAL STUDY TO STRUCTURAL INTEGRITY OF MULTI-STOREY BULDING UNDER FIRE

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Experiment



Hangars at Cardington



Experiment



Fire load in the compartment 40 kg of wood /m²

Structure during the fire test



Analysis of Response of the Building at Fire

- 2D Structural analysis using ANSYS 5.7
- Three steps of the analysis •Application of dead load •Heating to 1000°C •Cooling to 20°C
- Non-linear analysis with
- •Large strain
- •Large deformations
- •Thermal expansion
- •Temperature dependent materialMISO option
- •Plasticity.....plastic beam element BEAM23
- •Reinforced concrete slab.....tension-only element LINK10 (reinforcement)

- - compression-only el. LINK10 (concrete)
- •Shear connectors..... non-linear springs COMBIN39
- •Modelling of joint characteristics.....non-linear springs COMBIN39



Material Model





Analysis of Cardington Frame I









Analysis of Cardington Frame II





Analysed frame



Analysis of Cardington Frame III





Modelling of Joints

Model for FEM Analysis





- deformation of primary beam





Deflections after Fire





Results – Compression Zone of Joint





Results – Compression Zone of Joint

Failure beam flange in compression





Results – compression zone of joint

Failure beam flange in compression





Temperature 20°C





Temperature 50°C





Temperature 100°C





Temperature 150°C





Temperature 200°C





Temperature 250°C





Temperature 300°C





Temperature 350°C





Temperature 400°C





Temperature 450°C





Temperature 500°C





Temperature 550°C





Temperature 600°C





Temperature 650°C





Temperature 700°C





Temperature 750°C





Temperature 800°C





Temperature 850°C



Temperature 900°C

Temperature 950°C

Temperature 1000°C

Temperature 950°C

Temperature 900°C

Temperature 850°C

Temperature 800°C

Temperature 750°C

Temperature 700°C

Temperature 650°C

Temperature 600°C

Conclusions

The Cardington test showed

Thermal distribution in connections

Internal forces in connections

Behaviour of composite slab

474,7°C Temperature distribution on steel

