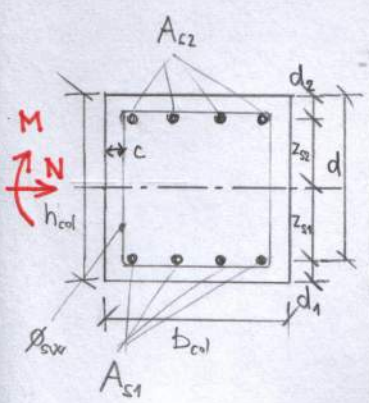


# CHECK OF COLUMN - INTERACTION DIAGRAM



Lever arms of internal forces are always considered to the axis of the cross-section

## DIMENSIONS OF CROSS-SECTION

$$b_{col} = h_{col} = 400 \text{ mm}$$

$$c = 25 \text{ mm (cover depth)}$$

$$\phi_{sw} = 6 \text{ mm (estimated diameter of stirrups)}$$

$$\phi_s = 12 \text{ mm (main reinforcement)}$$

$$d = h_{col} - c - \phi_{sw} - \frac{\phi_s}{2} = 400 - 25 - 6 - \frac{12}{2} = 363 \text{ mm (effective height)}$$

$$z_{s1} = z_{s2} = \frac{1}{2} (h_{col} - 2c - 2\phi_{sw} - \phi_s) = \frac{1}{2} (400 - 2 \cdot 25 - 2 \cdot 6 - 12) = 163 \text{ mm (lever arm of internal forces)}$$

$$d_1 = d_2 = \frac{h_{col}}{2} - z_{s1} = 200 - 163 = 37 \text{ mm}$$

## CROSS-SECTIONAL AND MATERIAL PROPERTIES

$$A_{s1} = A_{s2} = \frac{1}{2} A_s = 226 \text{ mm}^2 \text{ (see your design)}$$

$$f_{cd} = 13,3 \text{ MPa}$$

$$A_c = 160000 \text{ mm}^2$$

$$f_{yd} = 435 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\sigma_s = 400 \text{ MPa}$$

$$E_{cd} = 0,0035 \text{ (limit strain of concrete)}$$

$$E_s = 200000 \text{ MPa (Young's modulus of steel)}$$

## POINT "0" (PURE COMPRESSION)

$$N_{Rd,0} = b_{col} h_{col} f_{cd} + A_{s1} \sigma_s + A_{s2} \sigma_s = 400 \cdot 400 \cdot 13,3 + 226 \cdot 400 + 226 \cdot 400 = 2309 \text{ kN}$$

$$M_{Rd,0} = (A_{s2} z_{s2} - A_{s1} z_{s1}) \sigma_s = 0$$

## POINT "1" (STRAIN IN TENSILE REINFORCEMENT $\epsilon_{s1} = 0$ )

$$N_{Rd,1} = 0,8 b_{col} d f_{cd} + A_{s2} \sigma_s = 0,8 \cdot 400 \cdot 13,3 \cdot 363 + 226 \cdot 400 = 1116 \text{ kN}$$

$$M_{Rd,1} = 0,8 b_{col} d f_{cd} \left( \frac{h_{col}}{2} - 0,4 d \right) + A_{s2} z_{s1} \sigma_s = 0,8 \cdot 400 \cdot 13,3 \cdot 363 \left( \frac{400}{2} - 0,4 \cdot 363 \right) + 226 \cdot 163 \cdot 400 = 1116 \text{ kNm}$$

## POINT "2" (STRESS IN TENSILE REINFORCEMENT IS ON YIELD LIMIT - $\sigma_{s1} = f_{yd}$ )

$$\xi_{BAL,1} = \frac{700}{700 + f_{yd}} = \frac{700}{700 + 435} = 0,617$$

$$x_{BAL,1} = \xi_{BAL,1} \cdot d = 0,617 \cdot 363 = 224 \text{ mm}$$

$\sigma_{s2}$  can be obtained by applying rules for similarity of triangles

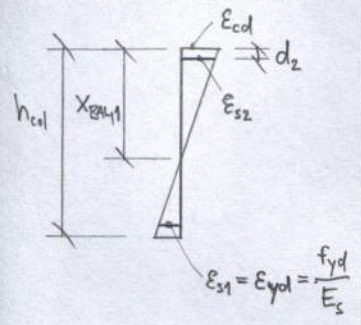
$$\frac{\epsilon_{cd}}{x_{BAL,1}} = \frac{\epsilon_{s2}}{x_{BAL,1} - d_2}$$

$$\epsilon_{s2} = \epsilon_{cd} \left( 1 - \frac{d_2}{x_{BAL,1}} \right) = 0,0035 \left( 1 - \frac{37}{224} \right) = 0,00292$$

$$\epsilon_{yd} = \frac{f_{yd}}{E_s} = \frac{435}{200000} = 0,002175 \text{ (= 0,2175 ‰)}$$

Because  $\epsilon_{s2} > \epsilon_{yd}$ , we can assume  $\sigma_{s2} = f_{yd}$  (in case of  $\epsilon_{s2} < \epsilon_{yd}$ ,  $\sigma_{s2} = E_s \epsilon_{s2}$  should be assumed)

Strains in the cross-section:



$$N_{Rd,2} = 0,8 b_{col} x_{BAL,1} f_{cd} + A_{s2} f_{yd} - A_{s1} f_{yd} = 0,8 \cdot 400 \cdot 224 \cdot 13,3 = 953,3 \text{ kN}$$

$$\begin{aligned} M_{Rd,2} &= 0,8 b_{col} x_{BAL,1} f_{cd} \left( \frac{h_{col}}{2} - 0,4 x_{BAL,1} \right) + A_{s2} \cdot f_{yd} z_{s2} + A_{s1} \cdot f_{yd} z_{s1} = \\ &= 0,8 \cdot 400 \cdot 224 \cdot 13,3 \cdot \left( \frac{400}{2} - 0,4 \cdot 224 \right) + 226 \cdot 435 \cdot 163 + 226 \cdot 435 \cdot 163 = \\ &= 137,3 \text{ kNm} \end{aligned}$$

### POINT "3" (PURE BENDING)

Quadratic equation for  $\sigma_{s2}$ :

$$\sigma_{s2}^2 \cdot A_{s2} - \sigma_{s2} (A_{s1} f_{yd} + A_{s2} \epsilon_{cd} E_s) + \epsilon_{cd} E_s (A_{s1} f_{yd} - 0,8 b_{col} f_{cd} d_2) = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sigma_{s2}^2 \cdot 226 - \sigma_{s2} (226 \cdot 435 + 226 \cdot 0,0035 \cdot 210000) + 0,0035 \cdot 210000 (226 \cdot 435 - \\ - 0,8 \cdot 400 \cdot 13,3 \cdot 37) = 0 \end{aligned}$$

$$\sigma_{s2}^2 \cdot 226 - \sigma_{s2} \cdot 264420 - 43484070 = 0$$

The equation has two roots:  $\sigma_{s2}^1 = 1316 \text{ MPa}$   
 $\sigma_{s2}^2 = -146,2 \text{ MPa}$

The reinforcement has characteristic strength of 500 MPa.

Therefore,  $\sigma_{s2}^1$  has no sense for our calculation and we use

$\sigma_{s2} = -146,2 \text{ MPa}$  for further calculations.

Equation for  $x$ :

$$x = \frac{A_{s1} f_{yd} - A_{s2} \sigma_{s2}}{0,8 b_{col} f_{cd}} = \frac{226 \cdot 435 + 226 \cdot 146,2}{0,8 \cdot 400 \cdot 13,3} = 30,863 \text{ mm}$$

$$N_{Rd,3} = 0$$

$$\begin{aligned} M_{Rd,3} &= 0,8 b_{col} x f_{cd} \left( \frac{h_{col}}{2} - 0,4 x \right) + A_{s2} \sigma_{s2} z_{s2} + A_{s1} f_{yd} z_{s1} = \\ &= 0,8 \cdot 400 \cdot 30,863 \cdot 13,3 \cdot \left( \frac{400}{2} - 0,4 \cdot 30,863 \right) - 226 \cdot 146,2 \cdot 163 + \\ &+ 226 \cdot 435 \cdot 163 = 35,3 \text{ kNm} \end{aligned}$$

### POINT "4" (STRAIN IN COMPRESSED REINFORCEMENT $\epsilon_{s2} = 0$ )

$$N_{Rd,4} = A_{s1} f_{yd} = 226 \cdot 435 = 98,3 \text{ kN}$$

$$M_{Rd,4} = A_{s1} f_{yd} z_{s1} = 226 \cdot 435 \cdot 163 = 16,0 \text{ kNm}$$

### POINT "5" (PURE TENSION)

$$N_{Rd,5} = (A_{s1} + A_{s2}) f_{yd} = (226 + 226) \cdot 435 = 196,62 \text{ kN}$$

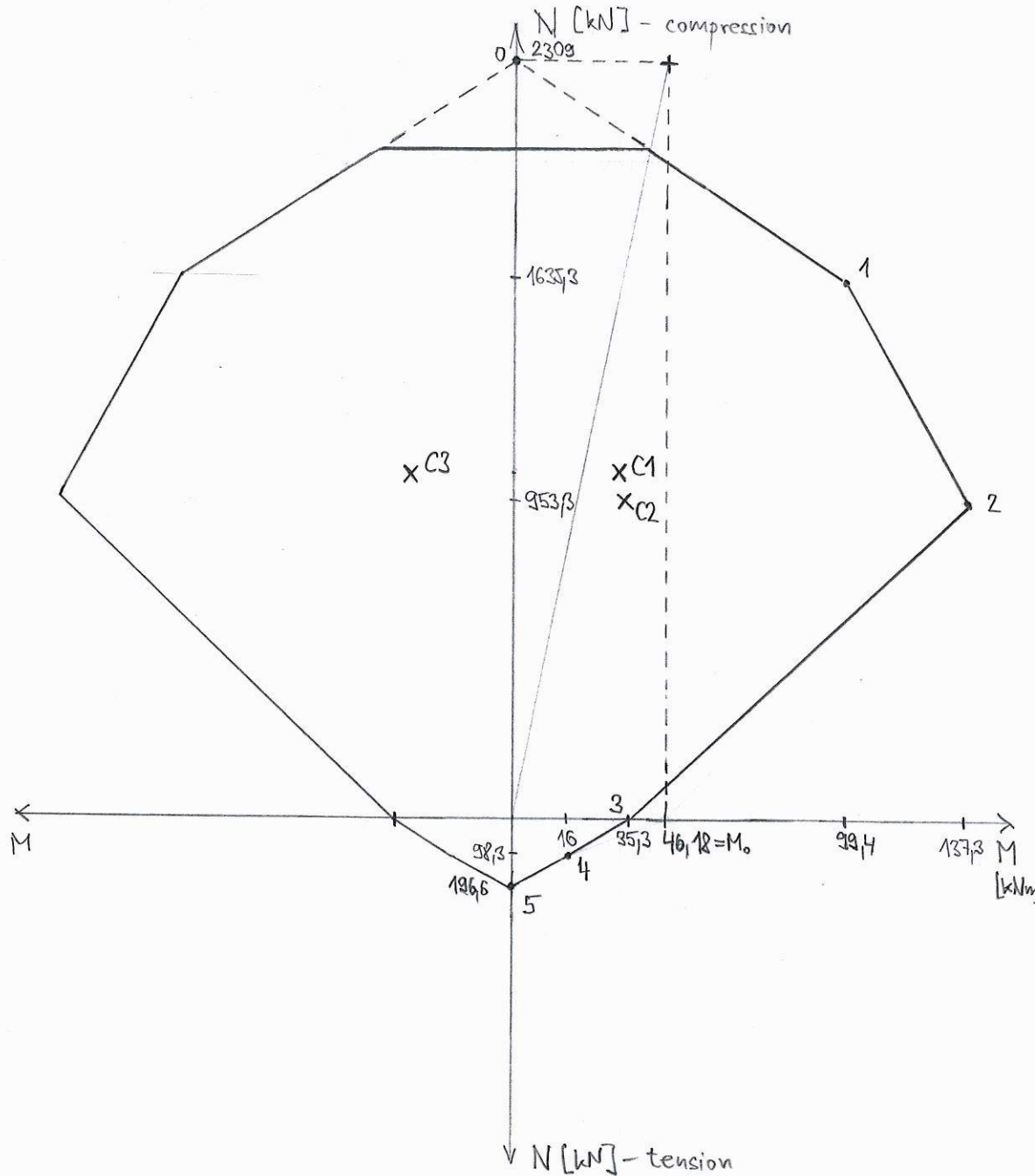
$$M_{Rd,5} = 0$$

## RESTRICTION OF COMPRESSIVE RESISTANCE

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Minimum eccentricity: } e_0 &= \max\left(\frac{h_{col}}{30}; 20 \text{ mm}\right) = \max\left(\frac{400}{30} \cdot 20\right) = \\ &= \max(13, \bar{3}, 20) = 20 \text{ mm} \end{aligned}$$

$$\text{Minimum bending moment: } M_0 = N_{Rd,0} e_0 = 2309 \cdot 0,02 = 46,18 \text{ kNm}$$

## INTERACTION DIAGRAM



LOAD COMBINATIONS	$N_{Ed}$ [kN]	$M_{Ed}$ [kN]
C1	1053	31,2
C2	949	34,3
C3	1056	-30,8

All the extreme combinations of internal forces lay inside interaction diagram  
 $\Rightarrow$  COLUMN CHECKED

