

The mechanical performance analysis of double-layered high-strength stirrup confined concrete columns of different cross-section

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Abstract. In order to study the mechanical performance analysis of double-layered high-strength stirrup confined concrete columns of different cross-section, using ABAQUS of finite element software for numerical simulation and experimentally comparison methods to analyze different stirrup characteristic value, strength of stirrup and stirrup spacing factor on confined effectiveness of double-layered high-strength spiral stirrup confined circular and square concrete columns, the author validated the higher compression bearing capacity and better ductility of double-layered high-strength spiral stirrup confined circular concrete columns.

Introduction

With the development of high-rise building and super high-rise building in recent years, requirements for the compression of reinforced concrete column in the high-rise building with greater carrying capacity, larger bearing section and higher seismic performance, including the underlying pillars of bearing capacity is higher and higher, increasing the diameter of the pillar. So fat beam and column [1] becomes an intractable problem in engineering, not only occupies space, but also wasted materials. Although the concrete easy to be obtained and it's highly skilled, high compressive strength, brittleness, ductility and anti-seismic capability are weak. In order to improve the ultimate bearing capacity and energy dissipation capacity of concrete columns, put forward double-layered high-strength stirrup confined concrete columns. Its concrete component composed of two layers of longitudinal reinforcement and stirrup reinforcement cage, adopting double stirrup constraint, not only can reduce the pillar's cross section area of the tall buildings and high-rise buildings, but also can improve the bearing capacity, ductility and seismic performance.

The paper will combine to the steel-concrete filled steel tube [2], concrete filled steel tube rectangular column [3], composited high-strong stirrup confined concrete column [4], with ABAQUS of the finite element software to numerical analysis the different cross-section of double-layered high-strength stirrup confined concrete columns, and verified the higher pressure bearing capacity and better ductility of double-layered high-strength stirrup confined circular concrete columns.

Three-Dimensional Finite Element Model

The constitutive relation of constraint concrete in high-strength stirrup confined high-strength concrete columns is the important basis of nonlinear analysis. In this paper, using the constitutive model of the stress and the strain in confined concrete is provided by the literature [5], based on the experiment in literature [6]. It's easy to contrastive analysis and the same other date, when modeling analysis of square column compared with circular column. Only change the shape of the component to square, the square outer spiral stirrups is instead of circular stirrup. Meshing of different parts of circular concrete columns are shown in Figure 1, ones of square columns are shown in Figure 2.



Fig.1 Meshing of different parts of circular columns

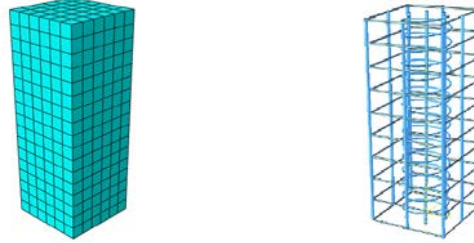


Fig.2 Meshing of different parts of square columns

In order to verify the accuracy of the numerical simulation results, the ABAQUS is used to simulate double-layered high-strength stirrup confined concrete columns of different cross-section loading process of the stress-strain curve. It is shown in figure 3. Based on trials in the literature [6], calculated value compared with experimental value is shown in table 1.

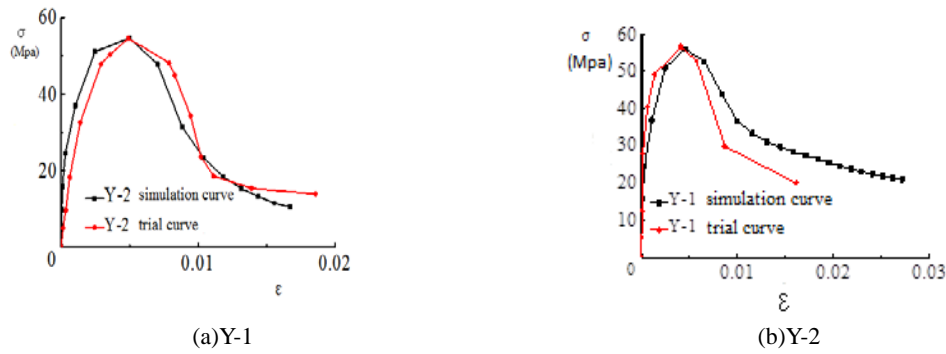


Fig.3 Comparison of experimental results and calculated on ϵ - σ curves

Tab.1 Comparison of experimental and calculated results

No.	σ / ϵ	trial value	calculated value	trial value / calculated value
Y-1	ϵ	0.00437	0.0046	0.950
Y-1	σ /(MPa)	56.68	56.0625	1.011
Y-2	ϵ	0.0049	0.00496	0.987
Y-2	σ /(MPa)	54.55	56.645	0.998

From figure 3 and table 1, higher compression is shown between bearing capacity and better ductility of double-layered high-strength stirrup confined concrete columns of different cross-section, and the numerical simulation results coincides well with experimental data.

Contrastive Analysis Mechanics Properties of Square and Circular Column

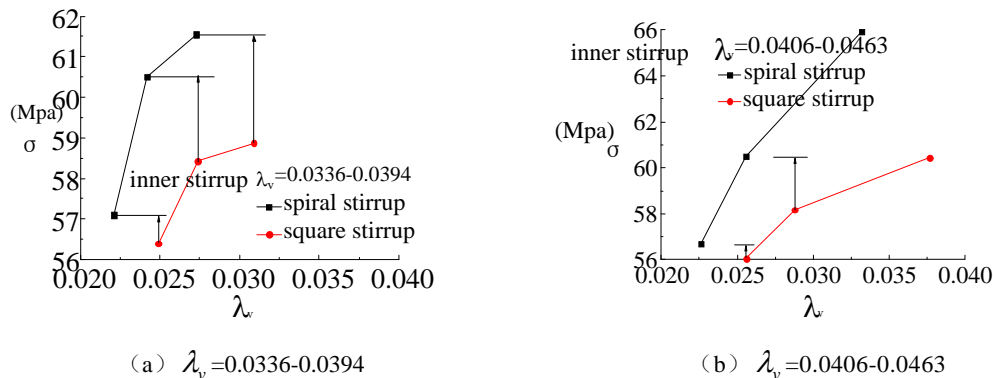


Fig.4 Comparison with the strength influence of square and cylinder column on outer stirrup characteristic value

From the figure 4, with the increase of the outer stirrup characteristic value, the range of the increased capacity in the circular column outer spiral stirrups will be bigger and bigger.

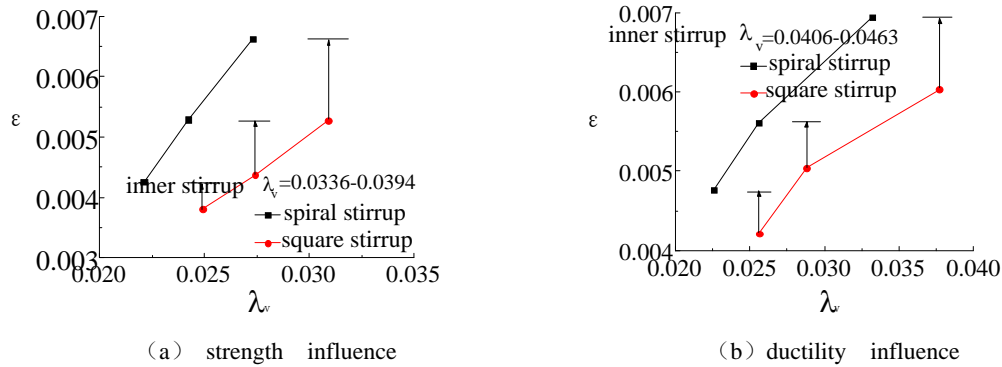


Fig.5 Comparison with the ductility influence of square and cylinder column on outer stirrup characteristic value

From the figure 5, with the increase of the outer stirrup characteristic value, the improved ductility performance of circular column will be more and more obvious.

Contrastive Analysis of Stirrup Yield Strength

The stirrup spacing are 30 mm. Inside and outside stirrup yield strength is 436 Mpa. The outer stirrup yield strength is 436 Mpa, 721 Mpa and 1128 Mpa. Then, contrastive analysis between the simulation results of three groups data is shown in fig 6.

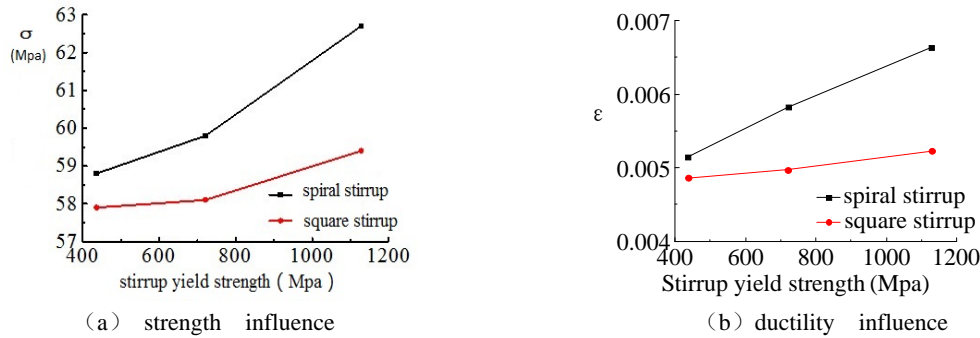


Fig.6 Comparison with the strength and ductility influence of square and cylinder column on outer stirrup characteristic value

In the figure 6, compared with the double-layered high-strength stirrup confined square concrete columns, the increase of the outer stirrup yield strength, the bearing capacity and ductility of circular concrete column performance improvement degree are bigger and bigger.

Contrastive Analysis of Stirrup Spacing

In the literature [8], after selecting three groups of circular column specimens Y-1, Y-8, Y-15, with the change of outer stirrup spacing, the change of ultimate strength and ultimate strain of six groups specimens can be observed.

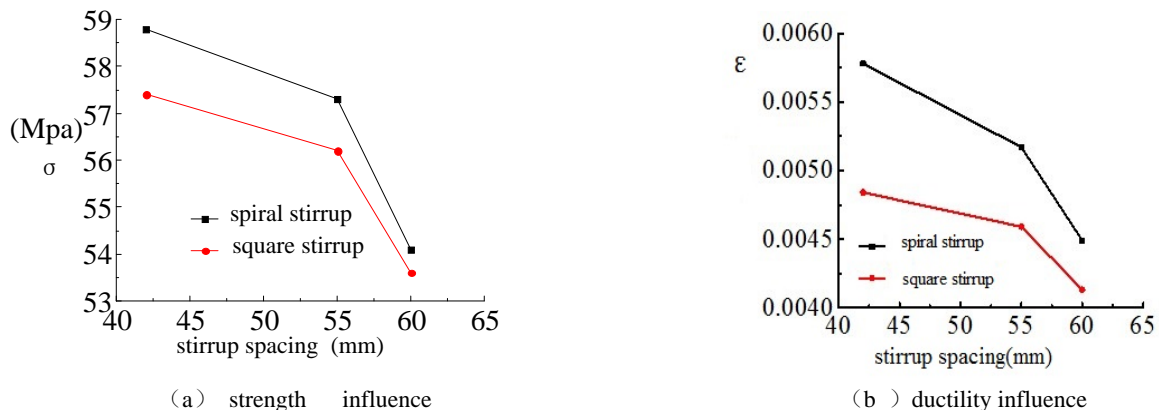


Fig.7 Comparison with the strength and ductility influence of square and cylinder column on outer stirrup spacing

The figure 7 shows that with the increase of the stirrup spacing, double-layered stirrup confined concrete bearing capacity and ductility of circular column and square column are improved and concrete circular columns constraint effect is better.

Conclusion

with ABAQUS of the finite element software, numerically analysis the different cross-section of double-layered high-strength stirrup confined concrete columns, verified the higher pressure bearing capacity and better ductility of double-layered high-strength stirrup confined circular concrete columns. By analyzing the different stirrup characteristic value, the stirrup spacing and the stirrup strength factor on double-layered high-strength stirrup confined concrete circular columns to verify the double high strength spiral stirrups of high strength concrete circular columns constraints is better.

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