



FINAL DESIGN REPORT

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PROJECT SUMMARY

Project Summary

Project Riverside is a two-story, steel-framed, office building located in Lowell, MA. GLZ Design has assigned the design team composed by Structural Engineers: Matthew Laskey, Ana Gouveia and Zachary Zavalianos to perform the structural analysis, evaluation and design of this project.

Guided by local regulations, the design team used of the most up to date reference codes, associated to outstanding optimization analysis, along efficient construction practices as the project's design criteria. A more accurate overview of these values can be found in page 7 of this report. Building classifications and initial information can be found in page 8 of this report.

Riverside's design process started through a complete identification of vertical and lateral loads, which were further analyzed by the Load & Resistance Factor Design (LRFD). These initial values were used in the preliminary-sizing of project horizontal and vertical members.

In the second phase of the project, these preliminary members were further evaluated and analyzed. Final framing plans for both first and roof floor were obtained. Two different lateral load resisting systems (LLRS) were designed: a moment-frame resists longitudinal loads, and braced-frames are responsible for transverse loads. Given building risk categories, per code used, ordinary moment-frame and braced-frame were allowed in the design, reducing the project's final budget.

In the project's final phase, composite floor deck, roof joists, girders and diaphragms, and connections were designed. For quality assurance and control, all of the project's information, calculations, analysis and drawings were further back checked. The final results of this project can be found in this report. Calculations, Analysis and Drawings are referred in its respective section on the report and can also be found at this report's appendixes.

GLZ Design appreciates your business and hope to continue serving your Structural Engineering needs in the future.

Sincerely,

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Matt Laskey, EIT

Zac Zavalianos, EIT

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DESIGN TEAM

Design Team

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Ana was born in Brazil where she started her college education in Civil Engineering. As a challenge-seeker, she immigrated to Massachusetts in 2009. Since then studied at Harvard University Extension School, acquired an associate's degree in Engineering from Bunker Hill Community College, a bachelor's degree in Civil Engineering from the University of Massachusetts Lowell.

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STRUCTURAL ENGINEER**



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Hardworking and enthusiastic structural engineer with experience in design and inspection of bridge structures. Certified in bridge inspection and proficient in inspection databases such as PONTIS and 4-D, as well as MDX and CSI-bridge analysis programs. Seeking to progress career by obtaining a masters degree and working towards a PE license through the upcoming years.

Company Information

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DESIGN CRITERIA

Design Criteria

Design Criteria and Constraints

The following figure represents the design criteria which guided the team:

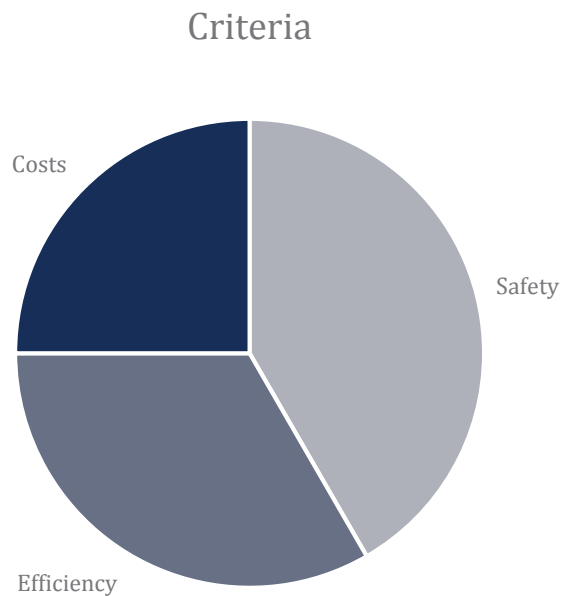


Figure A – Riverside’s guiding criteria.

In order to satisfy the above criteria and constraints the following items were used:

References and Regulations

The following literature was used in reference and support of the work done in this project. Please note that names in parentheses are abbreviations commonly cited throughout this project.

- Massachusetts Building Code (CMR 780)
- 2012 International Building Code (2012 IBC)
- Minimum Design Loads for Buildings and Other Structures, (ASCE/SEI 7-10)
- 14th Edition of the Steel Construction Manual (AISC 14th)
- American Concrete Institute Manual (ACI)

DESIGN CRITERIA

- 2007 Steel Deck Institute Design Manual (2007 SDI)
- Vulcraft Joists and Girders (VJG)
- 5th Edition Structural Steel Design, McCormac & Csernak (SSD 5th)

Methods of Design and Analysis

The following methods of design and analysis were thoroughly applied to the different parts of this project.

- Loads: Load & Resistance Factor Design (LRFD) and ASCE 7-10 guidelines.
- Wind Loads: Directional Method (ASCE 7-10)
- Seismic Loads: (ASCE 7-10)
- Preliminary-Sizing: Principles of Structural Engineering Analysis
- Lateral Load Resisting Systems: Direct Analysis Method (DAM) and Effective Length Method (ELM)
- Composite Deck
- Roof Elements
- Connections

Building Information and Requirements

Classifications

- Occupancy: Group B, Office
- Construction: Type IIB
- Risk Category: II
- Seismic Site Class: C
- Environmental Exposure: C

Building Layout

- Total Area = Approx. 17,000 sf (gross)
- Floor Plan: 110 ft. x 74ft
- Column Grid: 36 ft. x 24 ft.

Loads

- The building shall be designed in accordance with 2012 IBC structural provisions and as modified by the Massachusetts Building Code (CMR780).
- Snow, wind, and seismic loads shall be calculated for the Lowell, MA location.

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- Minimum Uniform Live Load shall be 100 psf.

Lateral Load Resisting Systems

- Braced Frame in one direction
- Moment Frame in opposite direction
- Rigid Floor and Roof Diaphragms

Floor Systems

- 4,000 psi concrete Floor
- Metal deck
- Composite Steel W-shaped A992 beams
- Steel Girders (W)

Roof Systems

- Single-ply 60 mil EPDM membrane
- 4" rigid insulation
- Metal deck
- Option 1: Open-web steel joists w/ steel girders (W)

Exterior Wall Systems

- Primary Support: 6" Metal stud
- Exterior cladding: 2" Exterior Insulated Finishing Systems
- Fiberglass Batt. Insulation (6")

SCOPE OF WORK

Scope of Work

Overview

In order to perform this project, GLZ Design determined the criteria and team mentioned in the previous pages.

During Phase 1 of the design process (30% Submittal), members were given the naming convention mentioned in Figures 1-4 below, load evaluations and analysis were done. Calculations can be found within appendix A, Section A-1 to A-10. Preliminary sizes were determined and are catalogued in Calculations Section A-11.

During Phase 2, preliminary sizes were used to determine the building's lateral load resisting system. New member sections were obtained, results catalogued in Calculations Section A-11, and building framing plans and elevations were drafted. Drawings S-2 to S-4 can be found within appendix B. Further, the building composite deck and roof open-web joists and girders were also designed. Calculations can be found in Section A-21 and A-22, respectively.

During Phase 3, connections and other details were designed. Calculations can be found in Sections A-23 to A-24, while final drawings can be found within appendix B.

Members

The members in the project were labeled as shown in the figures below:

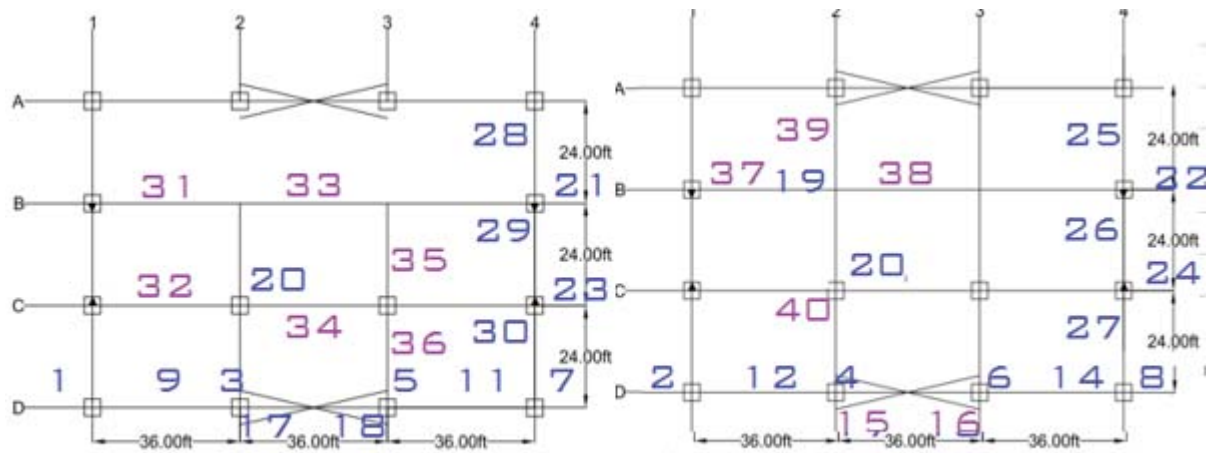


Figure 1 - First Floor Plan

Figure 2 - Roof Floor Plan

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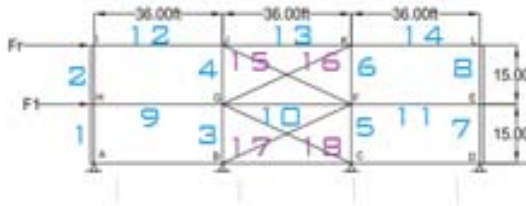


Figure 3 - Braced-Elevation



Figure 4 - Moment Frame - Elevation

Lateral Load Resisting Systems

The design team designed two different lateral frame systems. Longitudinally a braced frame can be found, while transversely the project uses of a moment frame. The designed connections calculations can be found within Appendix A, section A-30.

Connections

The designed connections calculations can be found within Appendix A, section A-40.

Composite Deck & Roof Design

Using a parallel panels to the girders the buildings composite floor consists of 6" of concrete poured in 18" g.a. steel sheets. Calculations are found in appendix A. Further, GLZ Design team determined and used of open-web joists and girders for the roof. Calculations are found in appendix A, section A-50 Additional Details.

Schedule

The project was completed within schedule.

Cost Estimate

Attached in Appendix C.

APPENDIX A: CALCULATIONS

Appendix A: Calculations

- 1.1 Project Information
- 1.2 Project Loads & Combinations
- 1.3 Load Analysis: Dead, Snow and Seismic Weight
- 1.4 Wind Load Analysis: Moment and Braced Frame
- 1.5 Seismic Load Analysis: Moment-Frame
- 1.6 Seismic Load Analysis: Braced-Frame
- 1.7 Moment-Frame Internal Forces: Wind Load
- 1.8 Moment-Frame Internal Forces: Seismic Load
- 1.9 Brace-Frame Internal Forces: Wind Load
- 1.10 Brace-Frame Internal Forces: Seismic Load
- 1.11 Preliminary Sizing Summary

A-30 Lateral Load Resisting System:

- 1.12 Lateral Load Resisting System Analysis
- 1.13 Lateral Load Resisting System Analysis: Braced-Frame
- 1.14 Lateral Load Resisting System Analysis: Moment-Frame

A-40 Connections:

- 1.15 Connections: Base Plate Design
- 1.16 Connections: Gusset Plate Design
- 1.17 Connections: Full Restrained-Moment-Connection Design
- 1.18 Connections: Shear-Connections Design
- 1.19 Member: Hanger Design
- 1.20 Connections: Hanger Connections Design

A-50 Structural Analysis:

- 1.21 Composite Deck Design
- 1.22 Floor Vibration
- 1.23 Roof Joists & Girders Design

1. BUILDING SPECIFICATIONS:

A. CLASSIFICATIONS:

Occupancy:

B

Office

Construction Type:

II

B

Risk Category:

II

Seismic Site Class:

C

Importance Factor:

1

Environmental Exposure:

C

B. BUILDING LAYOUT

Number Columns:

3

End Clearance:

2

in

Total Area:

8140

ft²

Floor Plan:

110

ft

x

74

ft

Column Grid:

36

ft

x

24

ft

Total Height:

30

ft

Finish Floor to Fin. Floor Height:

15

ft

Stories:

2

Structural Allowance:

4

ft

C. LATERAL LOAD RESISTING SYSTEMS:

D. FLOOR SYSTEMS:

Concrete Floor Strength:

4

ksi

$\gamma =$

0.15

kcf

Concrete Floor Thickness:

6

in

Metal Deck

Composite Steel Beams:

W

Type:

A992

Steel Girders:

W

E. ROOF SYSTEM

Single-ply 60 mil EPDM membrane

Rigid Insulation Thickness:

4

in

Metal Deck

Option 1:

Open-web steel joists w/ steel girders (W)

F. EXTERNAL WALL SYSTEM

Primary Support:

Metal Stud

Thickness:

4

in

Insulation:

Fiberglass Batt. Insulation

Thickness:

6

in

Exterior Cladding:

Ex. Insulated Finishing Systems

Thickness:

2

in

1. BUILDING LOADS AS REQUIRED BY CODE:

Loads are in accordance to:

Modified by:

Snow

Wind

Seismic

Construction Live Load:

Uniform Live Load:

2012	IBC
Massachusetts Building Code	(CMR780)
Lowell	MA
Lowell	MA
Lowell	MA
20	psf
100	psf

2.1 BUILDING VERTICAL LOADS:

	Roof		1st Floor	
2.1. Dead Load (D)	26.0	psf	128	psf
2.2. Live Load (L)		psf	100	psf
2.3. Roof Live Load (Lr)	20.0	psf		psf
2.4. Snow Load (S)	41.0	psf		psf
2.5. Rain Load (R)		psf		psf
2.6. Seismic Load (E)		psf		psf
2.7. Wind Load (W)	-23.0	psf		psf
Total / Service Load:	64.0	psf	228	psf

2.2 LOAD COMBINATIONS PER LRFD SPECIFICATIONS:

	Roof		1st Floor	
1. 1.4D	36.4	psf	179.2	psf
2. 1.2D + 1.6L + .5(Lr or S or R)	51.7	psf	313.6	psf
3. 1.2D + 1.6(Lr or S or R) + (L or .5W)	85.2	psf	253.6	psf
4. 1.2D + 1.0W + L + .5(Lr or S or R)	28.7	psf	153.6	psf
5. 1.2D + 1.0E + L + .2S	39.4	psf	253.6	psf
6. 0.9D + 1.0W	0.4	psf	115.2	psf
7. 0.9D + 1.0E	23.4	psf	115.2	psf
Controlling Load:	85.2	psf	313.6	psf

3.1 BUILDING LATERAL LOAD ON LONGITUDINAL DIRECTION: BRACED-FRAME

	Roof		1st Floor	
2.1. Dead Load (D)		psf		psf
2.2. Live Load (L)		psf		psf
2.3. Roof Live Load (Lr)		psf		psf
2.4. Snow Load (S)		psf		psf
2.5. Rain Load (R)		psf		psf
2.6. Seismic Load (E)	20.8	psf	20.4	psf
2.7. Wind Load (W)	6.4	psf	12.9	psf
Total / Service Load:	27.2	psf	33.3	psf

3.2 LOAD COMBINATIONS PER LRFD SPECIFICATIONS:

	Roof		1st Floor	
1. 1.4D	0.0	psf	0.0	psf
2. 1.2D + 1.6L + .5(Lr or S or R)	0.0	psf	0.0	psf
3. 1.2D + 1.6(Lr or S or R) + (L or .5W)	3.2	psf	6.4	psf
4. 1.2D + 1.0W + L + .5(Lr or S or R)	6.4	psf	12.9	psf
5. 1.2D + 1.0E + L + .2S	20.8	psf	20.4	psf
6. 0.9D + 1.0W	6.4	psf	12.9	psf
7. 0.9D + 1.0E	20.8	psf	20.4	psf
Controlling Load:	20.8	psf	20.4	psf

4.1 BUILDING LATERAL LOAD ON TRANSVERSE DIRECTION: MOMENT-FRAME

	Roof		1st Floor	
2.1. Dead Load (D)		psf		psf
2.2. Live Load (L)		psf		psf
2.3. Roof Live Load (Lr)		psf		psf
2.4. Snow Load (S)		psf		psf
2.5. Rain Load (R)		psf		psf
2.6. Seismic Load (E)	17.6	psf	17.0	psf
2.7. Wind Load (W)	9.8	psf	19.6	psf
Total / Service Load:	27.3	psf	36.6	psf

4.2 LOAD COMBINATIONS PER LRFD SPECIFICATIONS:

	Roof		1st Floor	
1. 1.4D	0.0	psf	0.0	psf
2. 1.2D + 1.6L + .5(Lr or S or R)	0.0	psf	0.0	psf
3. 1.2D + 1.6(Lr or S or R) + (L or .5W)	4.9	psf	9.8	psf
4. 1.2D + 1.0W + L + .5(Lr or S or R)	9.8	psf	19.6	psf
5. 1.2D + 1.0E + L + .2S	17.6	psf	17.0	psf
6. 0.9D + 1.0W	9.8	psf	19.6	psf
7. 0.9D + 1.0E	17.6	psf	17.0	psf
Controlling Load:	17.6	psf	19.6	psf

Reference:		ASCE	7-10
Section		Eq/Fig/Table/Notes	
3			

Floor:	Roof					2nd				
	Item	Quantity (Area)	Units	Unit Weight (ksf or klf)	Weight (kip)	Item	Quantity (Area)	Units	Unit Weight (ksf or klf)	Weight (kip)
	Metal Deck	7776	sf	0.014	109	Concrete Slab	7776	sf	0.075	583
	EPDM					Metal Deck 18 g.a	7776	sf	0.014	109
	Membrane	7776	sf	0.001	8	Cladding	7776	sf	0.01	78
	Insulation	7776	sf	0.006	47	Partitions	7776	sf	0.01	78
	Mechanical	7776	sf	0.005	39	Mechanical Equipment	7776	sf	0.007	54
	Equipment					Steel Structure	7776	sf	0.012	93
Subtotal	202			0.026	202	995			0.128	995
Cummulative	202				202	1198				1198

*Unit Weights per ASCE 7-10

Reference:		ASCE	7-10
Section		Eq/Fig/Table/Notes	
7			

Exposure Factor	C _e = 0.90	Table	7-2
Thermal Factor	C _t = 1.00	Table	7-3
Importance Factor	I _s = 1.00	Table	1.5-2
Ground Snow Load	ρ _g = 65.00 psf	CMR	780
Flat Roof Snow Load	ρ _f = 40.95 psf	Eq	7.3-1

Reference:

ASCE

7-10

Section 12
Eq/Fig/Table/Notes

SEISMIC LOAD

Number of Floors:

2

Floor:	Roof					2nd				
	Item	Quantity (Area)	Units	Unit Weight (ksf or klf)	Weight (kip)	Item	Quantity (Area)	Units	Unit Weight (ksf or klf)	Weight (kip)
	Metal Deck	7776	sf	0.014	109	Concrete Slab	7776	sf	0.075	583
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	Membrane	7776	sf	0.001	8	Cladding	7776	sf	0.01	78
	Insulation	7776	sf	0.006	47	Partitions	7776	sf	0.01	78
	Mechanical	7776	sf	0.005	39	Mechanical Equipment	7776	sf	0.007	54
	Equipment					Steel Structure	7776	sf	0.012	93
Subtotal Cumulative	Snow	7776	sf	0.04095	318					
	521				521	995				995
	521				521	1516				1516
Mass (kip*\$^2/ft)					107	58				

WIND LOAD ANALYSIS

Reference: ASCE 7-10
Section Eq/Fig/Table/Notes
26/27/28

1. BUILDING INFORMATION RELATED TO WIND LOAD ANALYSIS

Mean roof height	$H_{\text{roof}} =$	30	ft	<i>Height of highest level of structure</i>
Floor-Floor Height	$h_n =$	15	ft	
Building Length	$L =$	112	ft	
Building Width	$W =$	76	ft	
Number of Braces/Level		2		
Number of Moment Frames/ Level		2		

2. WIND EXPOSURE, ROUGHNESS AND OCCUPANCY CATEGORY 26.4

Occupancy Category:	B	Table	1-1
Ground Surface Roughness:	B		26.7.2
Exposure Category:	C		26.7.2

3. ENVIRONMENTAL CHARACTERISTICS AND FACTORS 26.5

Wind Speed	$V =$	120	mph	26.5	Figure	26.5-1A
Zone A	$P_{s30} =$	22.8	psf		Figure	28.6-1
Zone C	$P_{s30} =$	15.1	psf		Figure	28.6-1
	$a_1 =$	7.6	ft	$.1 * W$		
	$a_2 =$	12	ft	$.4 * H_{\text{roof}}$		
	$a =$	7.6	ft	<i>Min Value</i>		
	$2.a =$	15.2	ft			
Weighted Average for P_{s30}:						
Longitudinal		16.1	psf			
Transverse		16.6	psf			

4. DESIGN WIND PRESSURE 26.8

Adjustment Factor	$\lambda =$	1.4			Figure	28.6-1
	$K_{zt} =$	1		26.8		
Design wind pressure,	$P_{s\text{-longitudinal}} =$	22.6	kip			
Design wind pressure,	$P_{s\text{-transverse}} =$	23.3	kip			

5. LOAD APPLIED TO EACH LEVEL 26.8

Roof	$F_{u\text{-longitudinal}} =$	12.9	kip		Figure	28.6-1
	$F_{u\text{-transverse}} =$	19.6	kip	26.8		

Level 1	$F_{u-longitudinal} =$	25.8	kip
	$F_{u-transverse} =$	39.1	kip

6. LATERAL LOAD APPLIED TO BRACED AND MOMENT FRAME

		Roof	Level 1	
Braced Frame	(Longitudinal)	6.44	12.88	kip
Moment Frame	(Transverse)	9.78	19.57	kip

7. VERTICAL UPLIFT PRESSURES ON ROOF

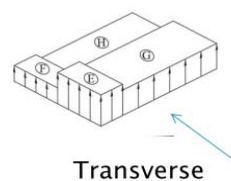
Zone E P_{s30}	-27.4	psf
Zone F P_{s30}	-15.6	psf
Zone G P_{s30}	-19.1	psf
Zone H P_{s30}	-12.1	psf

Figure 28.6-1
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Design wind pressure Zone E,	P_s	-38.36	psf
Design wind pressure Zone F,	P_s	-21.84	psf
Design wind pressure Zone G,	P_s	-26.74	psf
Design wind pressure Zone H,	P_s	-16.94	psf

7. UPLIFT PRESSURE (TRANSVERSE LOADING)

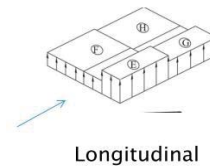
Area, Zone E	577.6	ft ²
Area, Zone F	577.6	ft ²
Area, Zone G	3678.4	ft ²
Area, Zone H	3678.4	ft ²
Total Roof Area	8512	ft ²



Weighted Uplift Pressure from Transverse Wind Load	-22.96	psf
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8. UPLIFT PRESSURE (LONGITUDINAL LOADING)

Area, Zone E	851.2	ft ²
Area, Zone F	851.2	ft ²
Area, Zone G	3404.8	ft ²
Area, Zone H	3404.8	ft ²
Total Roof Area	8512	ft ²



Weighted Uplift Pressure from Longitudinal
Wind Load -23.49 psf

9. MAXIMUM UPLIFT PRESSURE

Controlling Uplift Pressure -23.49 psf Largest Absolute Value

ASSUMPTIONS:

Building Frame System: Steel moment-resisting frame

Reference: ASCE 7-10
Section Eq/Fig/Table/Notes

1. SEISMIC GROUND MOTION VALUES

11.4

Seismic Site Class: C 11.4.2 Soil Properties / Ch. 20

Maximum Considered Earthquake Spectral Response:

$S_s = 0.250$ 11.4.1 Fig 22-1 / 22-4

$S_1 = 0.077$ 11.4.1 Fig 22-1 / 22-4

Adjusted MCE Spectral Response:

$F_a = 1.200$ 11.4.3 Table 11.4-1

$F_v = 1.700$ 11.4.3 Table 11.4-2

$S_{MS} = F_a S_s = 0.3$ 11.4.3 Eq 11.4-1

$S_{M1} = F_v S_1 = 0.131$ 11.4.3 Eq 11.4-2

Design Spectral Response Acceleration Parameters:

$S_{DS} = 2/3 S_{MS} = 0.2$ 11.4.4 Eq 11.4-3

$S_{D1} = 2/3 S_{M1} = 0.087$ 11.4.4 Eq 11.4-4

Design Response Spectrum:

$T_O = 0.2 S_{D1}/S_{DS} =$ s 11.4.5

$T_S = S_{D1}/S_{DS} = 0.436$ s 11.4.5

Long Period Transition $T_L = 6$ s 11.4.5 Fig 22-15

$T = 0.60$ s Fundamental Period of Structure

$S_a = \text{if } T < T_O : S_{DS}(0.4+0.6T/T_O) =$ 11.4.5 Eq 11.4-5

if $T_O < T < T_S : S_{DS} =$ 11.4.5

if $T_S < T < T_L : S_{D1}/T = 0.147$ 11.4.5 Eq 11.4-6

if $T > T_L : S_{D1} * T_L / T^2 =$ 11.4.5 Eq 11.4-7

2. IMPORTANCE FACTOR AND OCCUPANCY CATEGORY

11.5

Occupancy Category: II Table 1-1

Importance Factor: 1 Table 11.5-1

3. SEISMIC DESIGN CATEGORY

11.6

SDC based on short period: B Table 11.6-1

SDS based on 1-s period: B Table 11.6-2

SDC = B Maximum from values above

4. EQUIVALENT LATERAL FORCE PROCEDURE

12.8

$R = 8$ 12.8.1 Table 12.2-1

$\Omega_o = 3$ 12.8.1 Table 12.2-1

$C_D = 3$ 12.8.1 Table 12.2-1