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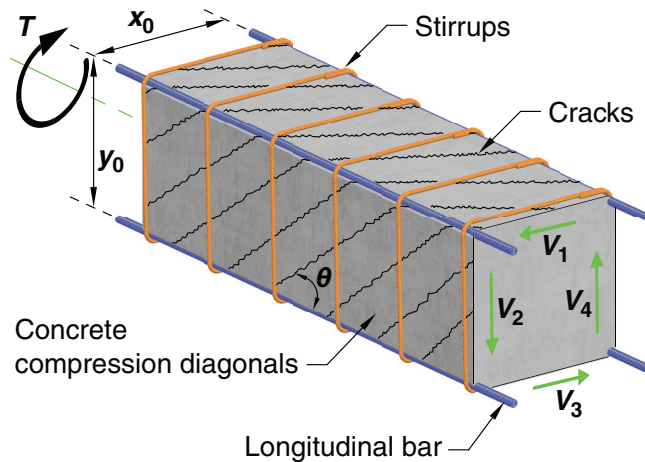


Fig. R22.7.6.1a—Space truss analogy.

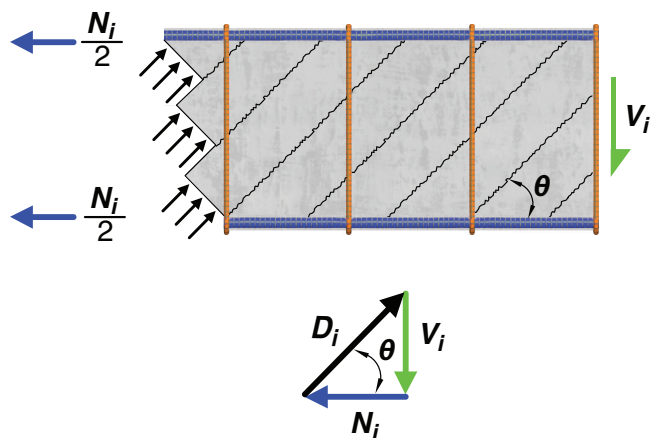


Fig. R22.7.6.1b—Resolution of shear force V_i into diagonal compression force D_i and axial tension force N_i in one wall of tube.

22.7.6.1.1 In Eq. (22.7.6.1a) and (22.7.6.1b), it shall be permitted to take A_o equal to $0.85A_{oh}$.

R22.7.6.1.1 The area A_{oh} is shown in Fig. R22.7.6.1.1 for various cross sections. In I-, T-, L-shaped, or circular sections, A_{oh} is taken as that area enclosed by the outermost transverse reinforcement.