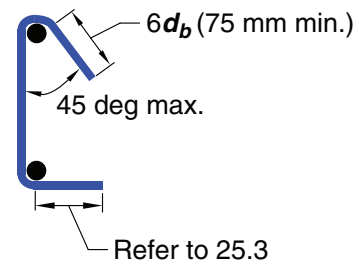


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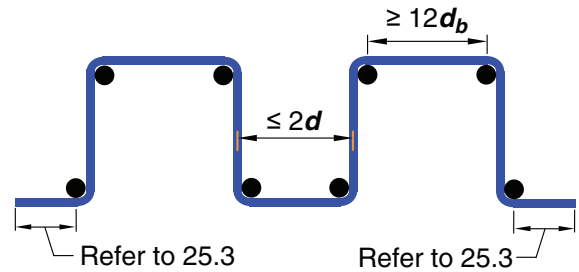
COMMENTARY

Spacing limits defined in 8.7.6.3 are also shown in Fig. R8.7.6(d) and (e).

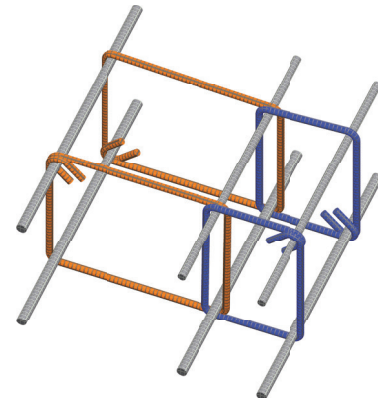
At edge columns or for interior connections where moment transfer is significant, closed stirrups are recommended in a pattern as symmetrical as possible. Although the average shear stresses on faces *AD* and *BC* of the exterior column in Fig. R8.7.6(e) are lower than on face *AB*, the closed stirrups extending from faces *AD* and *BC* provide some torsional strength along the edge of the slab.



(a) single-leg stirrup or bar



(b) multiple-leg stirrup or bar



(c) closed stirrup

Fig. R8.7.6(a)-(c)—Single- or multiple-leg stirrup-type slab shear reinforcement.