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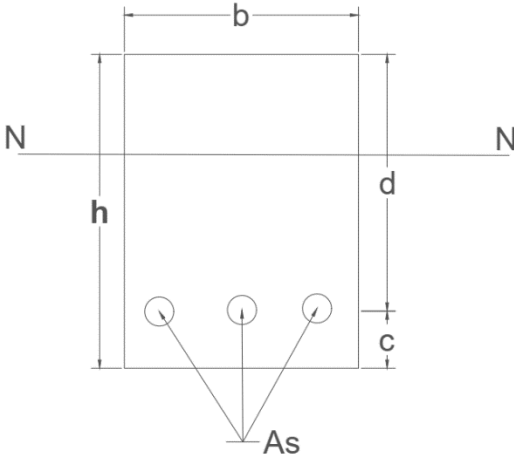
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CRACK WIDTH CALCULATION (BS8110:PART2:1997)

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Clause 3.2.4	 <p> $f_{cu} =$ $f_y =$ $E_s =$ $A_s =$ $b =$ $h =$ $c =$ $\phi =$ $M =$ </p> <p><u>STEP 1</u> Calculate the neutral axis depth of the cracked section $x = \frac{-\alpha_e A_s \pm \sqrt{(\alpha_e A_s)^2 + 2b\alpha_e A_s d}}{b}$ </p> <p><u>STEP 2</u> Calculate the design service stress at steel f_s $f_s = \frac{M}{\left(d - \frac{x}{3}\right) A_s}$ </p> <p><u>STEP 3</u> $\epsilon_1 = \frac{(h - x) \times f_s}{(d - x) \times E_s}$ </p>	<p>$x =$</p> <p>$f_s =$ N/mm^2</p> <p>$\epsilon_1 =$</p>



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Clause 3.8.3 Equation 13	<u>STEP 4</u> $\epsilon_m = \epsilon_1 - \frac{b_t(h - x) \times (a' - x)}{3E_sA_s(d - x)}$	$\epsilon_m =$
Clause 3.8.3 Equation 12	<u>STEP 5</u> $w_{max} = \frac{3a_{cr}\epsilon_m}{1 + 2\left(\frac{a_{cr} - c_{min}}{h - x}\right)}$ $w_{max} =$	$w_{max} =$ mm