

Performance Evaluation of Flat Slab by Varying Percentage of Infill Wall in RC Building

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ABSTRACT

In the zone of high seismicity the ordinary chunks are gotten uneconomical due increment in plan prerequisite to handle extra seismic burdens. The utilization of profound shafts, expanded segment areas and so forth prompted expensive edge work. In addition workmanship infill divider impact isn't fused in the plan of traditional section building outlines, which prompted perilous or uneconomical plan. These boards are utilized to fill holes between the casings of building. The level pieces are the beamless casing having lower horizontal solidness, high story float, and are more adaptable. In any case, these are more defenseless to disappointment under seismic activity. Thus to keep away from the disappointment of level chunk structure under seismic activity, some parallel opposition basic components are utilized so as to build firmness, lessen story float, horizontal relocation along these lines improving the sidelong obstruction of the framework.

In the current examination an endeavor is made to break down and study the different multi-celebrated fortified solid level piece building outlines with a few level of infill divider thinking about the sidelong opposition of level sections by assessing boundaries, exposed to seismic stacking. Various level piece building outlines are investigated by fluctuating the level of infill divider (0%, half, 80% and 100%) to assess boundaries influenced by the expansion of infill divider in the level section. The outcomes got by examination are utilized to study and look at the impacts of variable rates of infill divider on the sidelong obstruction of level chunks by shifting story tallness. The few boundaries are thought about for the horizontal opposition evaluation of level chunks. The impact of stone work infill divider on level piece outline in concentrated as far as a few boundaries for the sidelong obstruction of the level chunk under seismic activities.

KEYWORDS: *Moment-resisting frames, Flat-slab; masonry infill panels; Equivalent static analysis, Response spectrum analysis*

1. INTRODUCTION

The inaccessibility of spaces in the metropolitan zones for the developments because of increment sought after made vertical improvement of the structure, which incorporates low ascent, medium ascent and tall structures. So as to build up these structure confined structure are utilized. They are exposed to both even and vertical loads however longitudinal burdens not assuming significant parts in planning and investigation of these structures. Because of increment in stature and the stacking force the planned auxiliary necessity of traditional sections changes. It remembers increment for size of bars and segment, increment in thickness of piece, increment in greater inflexibility of the joints. This prompted undesired increment in parallel solidness which obstructs the exhibition of these pieces in seismic zones prompted fragile disappointment and breaking. To beat this issue level chunks structures are utilized in which bars are absent. The level piece structures have low parallel solidness which bargains the security of the structure in seismic zones. These structures require expansion auxiliary components to help

horizontal opposition, for example, infill dividers, shear dividers and so on.

In the current examination an endeavor is made to break down and study the different multi-celebrated strengthened solid level piece building outlines with different level of infill divider thinking about the horizontal opposition of level chunks by assessing boundaries, exposed to seismic stacking. Various level section building outlines are examined by shifting the level of infill divider (0%, half, 80% and 100%) to assess boundaries influenced by the expansion of infill divider in the level piece. The outcomes got by examination are utilized to study and look at the impacts of variable rates of infill divider on the parallel opposition of level sections. The few boundaries are looked at for the sidelong opposition appraisal of level chunks.

2. Objective of the Study

Objective of this study is to evaluate the effect of flat slabs with variable percentage of infill wall on different

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parameters by using seismic analysis. Following are the parameters under consideration

Target of this examination is to assess the impact of level sections with variable level of infill divider on various boundaries by utilizing seismic investigation. Following are the boundaries getting looked at

- A. To assess the impact of level chunks with variable level of infill divider on Lateral Load,
- B. To assess the impact of level chunks with variable level of infill divider on Story Shear,
- C. To assess the impact of level sections with variable level of infill divider on Lateral Displacements
- D. To assess the impact of level pieces with variable level of infill divider on Story Drift
- E. To assess the impact of level chunks with variable level of infill divider on Drift proportion

3. Literature Review

Luo et al. (1994) give an equivalent frame approach for non-linear seismic analysis for RC flat plate building, based on hysteretic model and concept of effective slab width. The determination of the factor of effective slab width and hysteretic parameters are evaluated from the response of laboratory tests. The results of the elastic analysis can deviate from the actual results based upon the assumed stiffness reduction factor and effective slab-width. **Kim et al (2005)** proposed method includes the development of super elements for the study of flat slab system with the help of the matrix condensation technique. The finite element method is used in openings but takes more computation time. They propose an analytical method using super element gives good results with mesh results and reduces the computation time. The stiffness degradation effect due to cracks is also considered in the proposed method. **Apostolska et al. (2008)** evaluated earthquake performance of a reinforced concrete flat slab system with the help of different model includes Frame, Flat-slab strengthened by perimeter beam and RC walls, Purely flat-slab, Flat-slab strengthened by RC walls and Flat-slab strengthened by a perimeter beam. They observed that the fundamental period and displacements of the flat-slab system is more in comparison to framed systems. The modal vibration of the first mode is characterized by torsion. **Han et al. (2009)** developed a method for the slab stiffness reduction factor calculations in beams width models for the estimation of moments and lateral drifts for the flat slabs against the dynamic loading. The nonlinear regression is conducted using data collected from test results of reduction factors. Lateral load and slab stiffness reduction factors both are different. It is observed that the proposed technique with the stiffness reduction factor correctly validates the estimation of the lateral stiffness of the test model. **Asteris et al. (2011)** studied and reviewed different modeling techniques for the modeling of infill walls. They compared macro models for the infill analysis from previous researches. They also conclude five failure modes involved with infill walls interactions with corresponding frames. The failure modes include corner crushing, diagonal compression, sliding shear, diagonal cracking and frame failure. **Biswas et al. (2013)** studied a fifteen storey flat plate garments building with STAAD.pro, for the different orientation of diagonal bracings and shear wall. They studied the variation of lateral displacements and axial load on columns with the storey height. They observed that the lateral displacement is more in flat slabs without

lateral resistance and minimum in exterior and middle shear wall case. And as the height increases lateral displacement is also increases. **Agrawal et al. (2013)** studied six storey college building with RC frame for the different percentage openings in the frames with infill walls. For this purpose different models are analysed for dynamic analysis using staad pro software a tool. For the modeling of infill walls equivalent strut model are used. The various models including bare frame, open ground storey frame complete infill, open ground storey frame with 15% centre opening and open ground storey Frame with 15% corner opening are analysed to evaluate the parameters such as deflections, axial force, moments etc. They observed that the deflection in bare frame is more than infill frames and among the all infill models deflection of center opening model is more than corner opening model. The opening increment decreased the lateral stiffness of infill frames. **Mohana et al (2015)** studied the performance of Flat Slab and Conventional Slab Structure during seismic activity using Etabs software for Different Earthquake Zones. They modelled six storey commercial building having flat slabs and conventional slabs and analysed for various parameters including storey shear, axial load, storey displacements and drift ratio. The analysis results are compared and investigated. They observed that when the seismic level increases the intensities of various seismic parameters also increases. **Gouramma et al (2015)** analytically investigated different types of concrete slabs for the identification of seismic demand and performance level using various approaches of analysis including linear as well as nonlinear analysis. In this study different slab including Conventional RC slab system, ribbed slab system, Flat slab system, Flat slab with edge beam system and Flat slab with shear wall system, are modeled and analysed by using ETABS software as a tool. They observed that Base Shear is more in flat slab with shear wall system as compare to all models. The maximum drift for flat slab system is more compare to conventional slab system, ribbed slab system, flat slab with edge beam system and flat slab with shear wall system in all seismic zones. **Patwari et al (2016)** studied behaviour of flat slab building with shear wall and without shear wall for different seismic parameters including time period, base shear, storey displacement and storey drift. The 11 storey building model is analysed by response spectrum method of analysis using Etabs software along with different shape and orientation of shear wall in flat slabs. They found that the position and shape of lateral resisting system also affect the parameters as for Structure with shear wall along periphery have minimum Time period and minimum storey displacements.

4. Methodology

To accomplish the targets of present examination the Equivalent static investigation (ESA) and Response Spectrum Analysis (RSA) are considered for the parametric investigation of the level piece working with variable level of infill divider. For the current investigation four unique models of level piece with infill divider are thought of. Flat slab with 0% infill walls

- A. Flat slab with 50% infill walls
- B. Flat slab with 80% infill wall
- C. Flat slab with 100% infill wall

The over four models is dissected for 10 story building. The displaying and investigation are finished with the guide of programming STAAD-PRO V8i in quiet submission with the

codes IS: 456-2000 and IS: 1893-2002. The complete 4 models of level chunks with infill dividers for 10 story building is examined by utilizing identical static analysis(ESA) to get the seismic boundaries including story shear, sidelong removal, story float, float proportion and horizontal burden. The methodology worked out to achieve objectives of the study is as follows:

- A. Select a suitable flat slab building model of 10storeys.
- B. Model the selected buildings of flat slabs with 0%, 50%, 80% and 100% infill walls.
- C. Equivalent static analysis of the selected building models and a comparative study on the parameters obtained from the analyses to evaluate the effect of percentage infill on the flat slab frames.

5. Modeling of Building Frames

Different 5 narrows by 5 straight multi celebrated RC level piece outlines with various level of infill dividers are examined according to Indian standard codes under seismic stacking in limited component bundle STAAD Pro. The arrangement measurement 25 m × 25 m and a story tallness of 3.5 m each in all the floors. The structure is kept symmetric in plan to evade torsional reaction under horizontal power. The structure is thought to be in seismic zone III according to May be: 1893 (Part 1) - 2002. To accomplish the more summed up arrangement these structure outlines are examined for different statures and for different infill divider rates, saving different measurements and properties same for keeping up consistency in the structure outline models.

Table 3.1: Model description of flat slab building

Storey	Model	Model designation	Description
G+9	1	FS	Flat Slab model with no infill walls
	2	FS 50%	Flat Slab model with 50 % infill walls
	3	FS 80%	Flat Slab model with 80 % infill walls
	4	FS 100%	Flat Slab model with 100 % infill walls

The above 4 models are analyzed by equivalent static analysis and response spectrum analysis to parametrically evaluate the effect of flat slab with different percentage of infill walls.

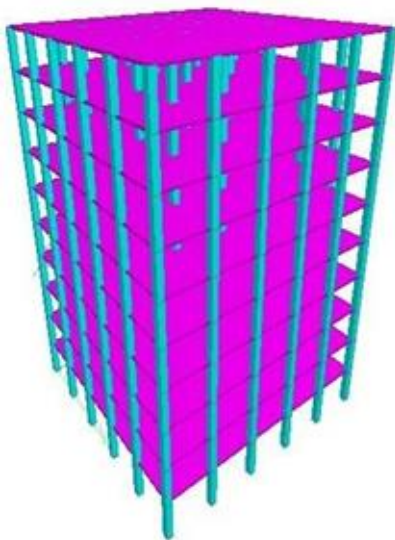


Figure 3.1: Isometric view of flat slab building having no infill walls

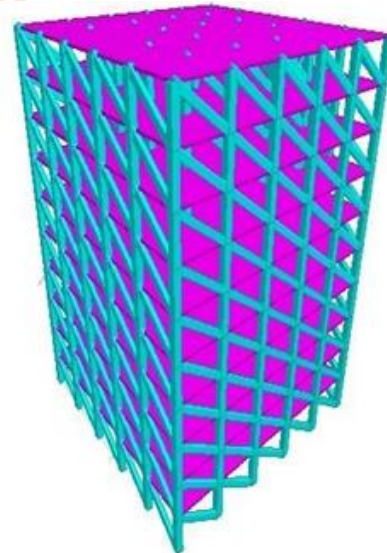


Figure 3.3: Isometric view of flat slab building having 80 % infill wall

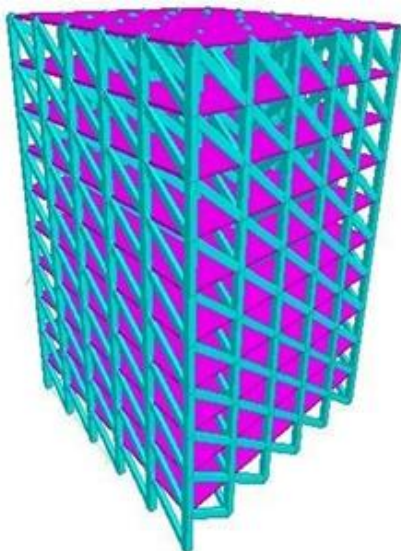


Figure 3.2: Isometric view of flat slab building having 50% infill walls

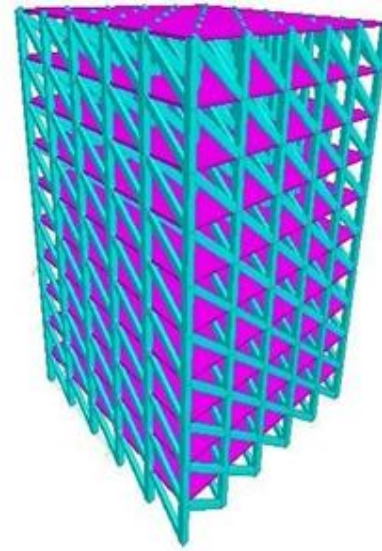


Figure 3.4: Isometric view of flat slab building having 100% infill wall

Table 3.2: Various parameters for seismic load calculation

S. No.	Parameters	value
1	Seismic zone	III
2	Response reduction factor	3
3	Importance factor	1.5
4	Soil site factor	2 (medium soil)
5	Damping ratio	0.05
6	Type of Structures	1

6. Result and Discussions

The static seismic analysis is performed for all models and in the following section results are discussed.

6.1. Lateral load

Comparison of lateral load at different story for flat slabs with 0 % (FS), 50 % (FS 50%), 80 % (FS 80%) and 100 % (FS100%) infill walls models for 10 storey building are shown in Fig4.1.

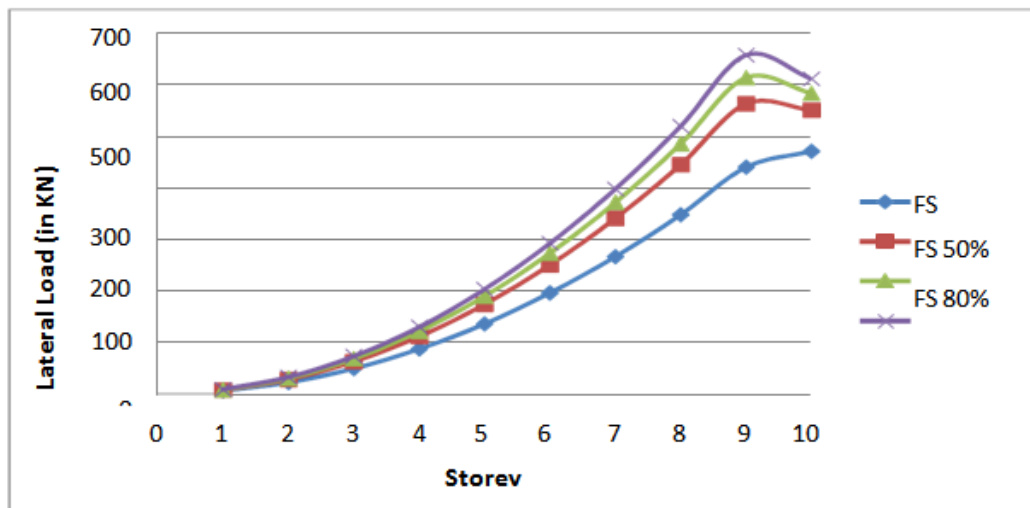


Figure 4.1: Lateral load (kN) at different story for four models for 10 storey building

Fig 4.1 shows that FS 100% infill divider has greatest sidelong burden when contrasted with lower rates of infill. Horizontal burden for FS 100% for the popular narrative for 10 story building is 1.29 occasions the level section with no infill model. Parallel burden for FS80% is 1.26 occasions and for FS50% it is 1.16 occasions when contrasted with no infill case and horizontal burden for all models increment from base and most extreme at popular narrative.

6.2. Storey shear

Comparison of storey shear at different story for flat slabs with 0 % (FS), 50 % (FS 50%), 80 % (FS 80%) and 100 % (FS100%) infill walls models for 10 storey building are shown in Fig 4.2.

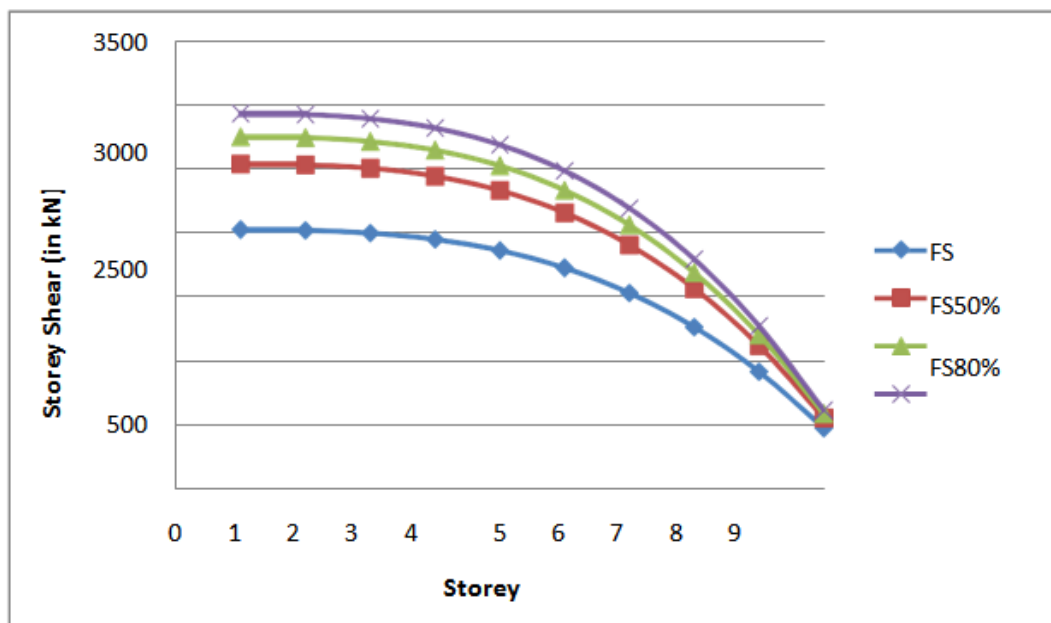


Figure 4.2: Storey shear (kN) at different story for four models for 10 storey building

Fig 4.2 indicates that storey shear for FS 100% for the bottom storey for 10 storey building in is 1.44 times the flat slab with no infill model. Storey shear for FS80% is 1.35 times and for FS50% is 1.25 times the no infill case and storey shear for all models increase from top and maximum at bottom storey i.e. at base.

6.3. Lateral displacement

Comparison of lateral displacement at different story for flat slabs with 0% (FS), 50 % (FS 50%), 80 % (FS 80%) and 100 % (FS100%) infill walls models for 10 storey building are shown in Fig 4.3.

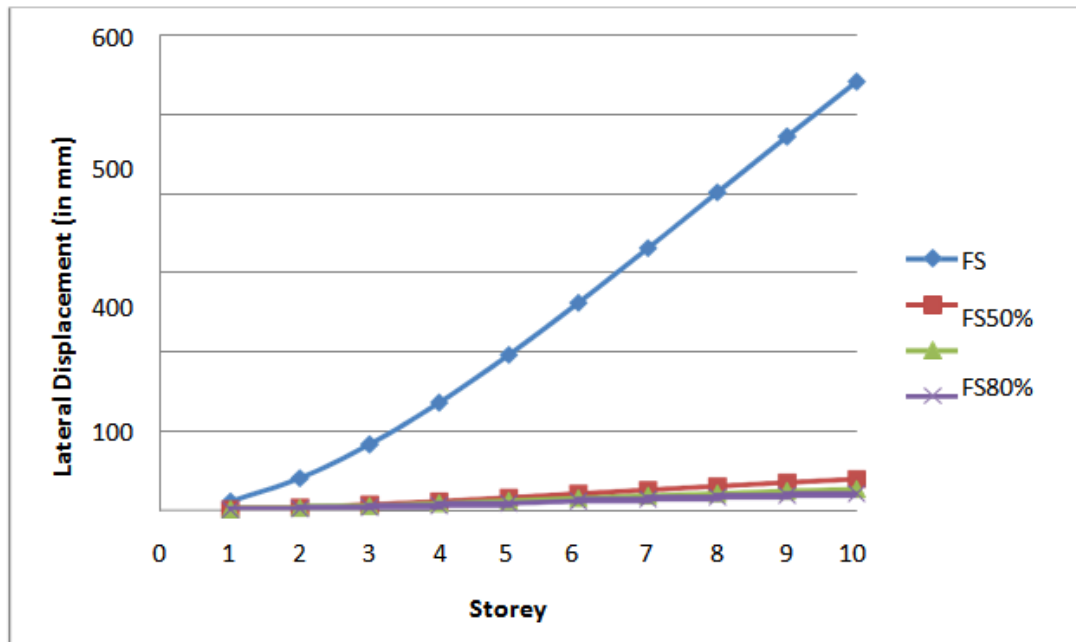


Figure 4.3: Lateral displacement (mm) at different story for four models for 10 storey building

Fig 4.3 demonstrates that horizontal removal for FS no infill model for the popular narrative for 10 story building is 25.8times the level piece with 100% infill model. Horizontal Displacement for FS80% is 1.27 occasions and for FS50% is 1.87 occasions the 100% infill case and parallel uprooting for all models increment from base and greatest at popular narrative.

6.4. Storey drift

Comparison of storey drift at different story for flat slabs with 0% (FS), 50 % (FS 50%), 80 % (FS 80%) and 100 %infill walls models 10 storey building are shown in Fig4.4.

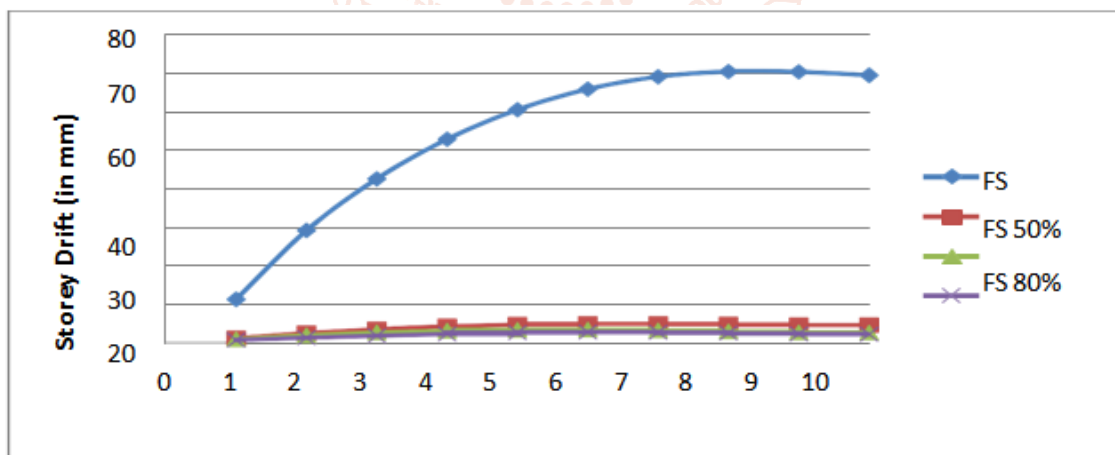


Figure4.4: Storey drifts (mm) at different story for four models for 10 storey building

Fig4.4 shows that story float for FS no infill model for the popular narrative of 10 story building is 31.7 occasions the level section with 100% infill model. Story float for FS80% is 1.19 occasions and for FS50% is 2.07 occasions the 100% infill case for popular narrative and story float for level piece with no infill case follows more non direct conduct than other infill case.

6.5. Driftratio

Comparison of drift ratio at different story for flat slabs with 0% (FS), 50 % (FS 50%), 80 % (FS 80%) and 100 % (FS100%) infill walls models 10 storey building are shown in Fig 4.5.

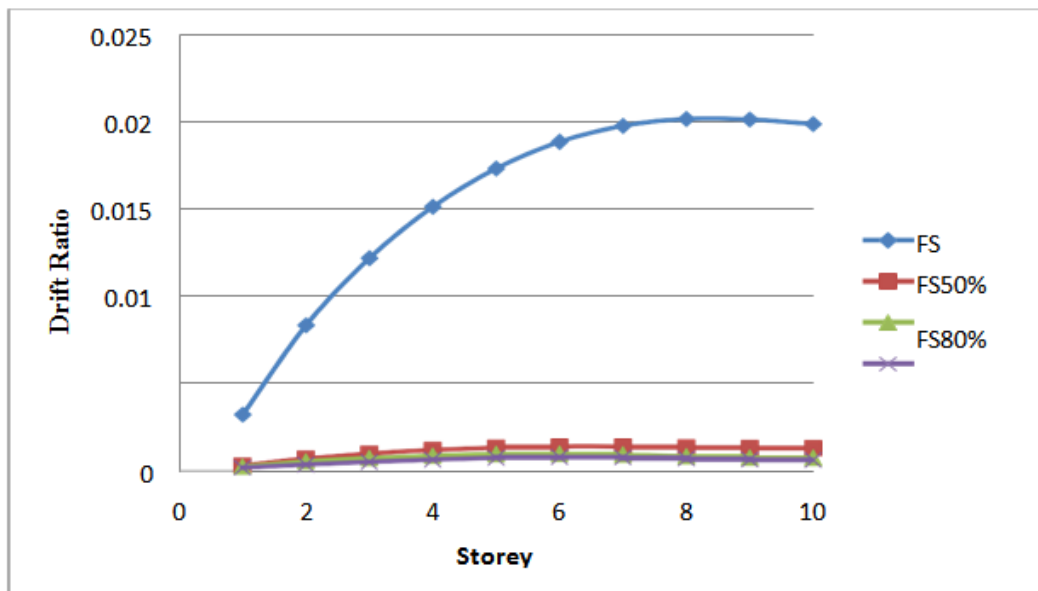


Figure 4.5: Drift ratio at different story for four models for 10 storey building

Fig 4.5 shows that float proportion for FS no infill model for the popular narrative of 10 story building is 31.776 occasions the level piece with 100% infill model. Float proportion for FS80% is 1.19 occasions and for FS50% is 2.08 occasions the 100% infill case for popular narrative and float proportion for level piece with no infill case follows more non direct conduct than other infill case.

7. CONCLUSION

Fig 4.5 shows that float proportion for FS no infill model for the popular narrative of 10 story building is 31.776 occasions the level piece with 100% infill model. Float proportion for FS80% is 1.19 occasions and for FS50% is 2.08 occasions the 100% infill case for popular narrative and float proportion for level piece with no infill case follows more non direct conduct than other infill case.

7.1. Lateral load

The lateral load of flat slab with 100% infill wall has maximum value as compared to 80, 50 and zero percentage infill in 10 storey building. The infill wall addition increases the overall weight of structure which increases the lateral loads. The lateral load increases from base and maximum at the top storey.

7.2. Story shear

The story shear for level piece with 100% infill divider has greatest incentive when contrasted with 80, 50 and 0% infill in 10 story building. The story shear increments from top and most extreme at base story for example at base.

7.3. Horizontal uprooting

The horizontal uprooting for level chunk with no infill dividers at the popular narrative has greatest worth when contrasted with 100, 80 and 50 rate infill in 10 story building. The infill divider expansion expands the firmness of the level section building. The sidelong relocation increment from base and greatest at popular narrative.

7.4. Story float

The story float for level section with no infill divider at the popular narrative has greatest worth when contrasted with other rate infill models of level pieces in 10 story building. The story float for level piece with no infill case follows more non direct conduct than 100% infill case because of absence of sidelong solidness.

7.5. Float proportion

The float proportion for level piece with 0% infill model for the popular narrative model has greatest worth when contrasted with other rate infill models of level sections in 10 story building. The float proportion for level section with no infill case follows more non direct conduct than other infill case.

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