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a = depth of equivalent rectangular stress block.

A_{cp} = area enclosed by outside perimeter of concrete cross section.

A_g = gross area of section, in.²

A_h = area of shear reinforcement parallel to flexural tension reinforcement, in.²

A_j = Effective cross-sectional area within a joint, in.² in a plane parallel to plane of reinforcement generating shear in the joint. The joint depth shall be the overall depth of the column. Where a beam frames into a support of larger width, the effective width of the joint shall not exceed the smaller of:
(a) beam width plus the joint depth
(b) twice the smaller perpendicular distance from the longitudinal axis of the beam to the column side.

A_t = total area of longitudinal reinforcement to resist torsion, in.²

A_n = area of reinforcement in bracket or corbel resisting tensile force N_{uc} , in.²

A_o = gross area enclosed by shear flow path, in.²

A_{oh} = area enclosed by centerline of the outermost closed transverse torsional reinforcement, in.²

A_{ps} = area of prestressed reinforcement in tension zone, in.²

A_s = area of nonprestressed tension reinforcement, in.²

A'_s = area of compression reinforcement, in.²

A_{sh} = total cross-sectional area of transverse reinforcement (including cross-ties) within spacing s and perpendicular to dimension h_o .

A_t = area of one leg of a closed stirrup resisting torsion within a distance s , in.²

A_{tr} = total cross-sectional area of transverse reinforcement (stirrup or tie) within a spacing s and perpendicular to plane of bars being spliced or developed, in.²

A_v = area of shear reinforcement within a distance s , or area of shear reinforcement perpendicular to flexural tension reinforcement within a distance s for deep flexural members, in.²

A_{vf} = area of shear-friction reinforcement, in.²

A_{vh} = area of shear reinforcement parallel to flexural tension reinforcement within a distance s_2 , in.²

b = width of compression face of member, in.

b_o = perimeter of critical section for slabs and footings, in.

b_t = width of that part of cross section containing the closed stirrups resisting torsion.

b_v = width of cross section at contact surface being investigated for horizontal shear.

b_w = web width, or diameter of circular section, in.

c = distance from extreme compression fiber to neutral axis, in.

c_1 = size of rectangular or equivalent rectangular column, capital, or bracket measured in the direction of the span for which moments are being determined, in.

c_2 = size of rectangular or equivalent rectangular column, capital, or bracket measured transverse to the direction of the span for which moments are being determined, in.

d = distance from extreme compression fiber to centroid of tension reinforcement, in.

d' = distance from extreme compression fiber to centroid of compression reinforcement, in.

d_b = nominal diameter of bar, wire, or prestressing strand, in.

d_c = thickness of concrete cover measured from extreme tension fiber to center of bar or wire located closest thereto, in.

d_p = distance from extreme compression fiber to centroid of prestressed reinforcement.

e = eccentricity of load parallel to axis of member measured from centroid of cross section.

E_c = modulus of elasticity of concrete, psi.

E_s = modulus of elasticity of bar reinforcement, psi.

E_{ps} = modulus of elasticity of prestressing reinforcement.

f'_c = specified 28-day compressive strength of concrete, psi.

f_{cr} = average strength to be used as basis for selecting concrete proportions, psi.

f'_{cr} = required average compressive strength of concrete used as the basis for selection of concrete proportions, psi.

$\sqrt{f'_c}$ = square root of specified compressive strength of concrete, psi.

f'_{ci} = compressive strength of concrete at time of initial prestress, psi.

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f_{ct} = average splitting tensile strength of lightweight aggregate concrete, psi.

f_d = stress due to unfactored dead load, at extreme fiber of section where tensile stress is caused by externally applied loads, psi.	M_c = factored moment to be used for design of compression member.
f_{pc} = compressive stress in concrete due to effective prestress forces only (after allowance for all prestress losses) at extreme fiber of section where tensile stress is caused by externally applied loads, psi.	M_d = moment due to dead load.
f_{ps} = stress in prestressed reinforcement at nominal strength.	M_{cr} = cracking moment.
f_{pu} = specified tensile strength of prestressing tendons, psi.	M_n = nominal moment strength.
f_{py} = specified yield strength of prestressing tendons, psi.	M_m = maximum factored moment at section due to externally applied loads.
f_r = modulus of rupture of concrete, psi.	M_u = factored moment at section.
f'_t = tensile strength of concrete, psi.	n = modular ratio of elasticity.
f_y = specified yield strength of nonprestressed reinforcement, psi.	= E_s/E_c or E_{ps}/E_c .
f_{yt} = specified yield strength of transverse reinforcement, psi.	N_u = factored axial load normal to cross section occurring simultaneously with V_u ; to be taken as positive for compression, negative for tension, and to include effects of tension due to creep and shrinkage.
h = overall thickness of member, in.	N_{uc} = factored tensile force applied at top of bracket or corbel acting simultaneously with V_u , to be taken as positive for tension.
I = moment of inertia of section resisting externally applied factored loads, in. ⁴	P_b = nominal axial load strength at balanced strain conditions.
I_b = moment of inertia about centroidal axis of gross section of beam, in. ⁴	P_c = critical buckling load.
I_{cr} = moment of inertia of cracked section transformed to concrete, in. ⁴	P_n = nominal axial load strength at given eccentricity.
I_e = effective moment of inertia for computation of deflection, in. ⁴	p_{cp} = outside perimeter of the concrete cross-section A_{cp} ; in.
I_g = moment of inertia of gross concrete section about centroidal axis, neglecting reinforcement, in. ⁴	p_h = perimeter of centerline of outermost closed transverse torsional reinforcement, in.
k = effective length factor for compression members.	r = radius of gyration of cross section of a compression member.
K_b = flexural stiffness of beam; moment per unit rotation.	s = spacing of shear or torsion reinforcement in direct parallel to longitudinal reinforcement, in.
K_c = flexural stiffness of column; moment per unit rotation.	t = thickness of a wall of a hollow section, in.
K_{ec} = flexural stiffness of equivalent column; moment per unit rotation.	T_u = factored torsional moment at section.
K_s = flexural stiffness of slab; moment per unit rotation.	V_c = nominal shear strength provided by concrete.
K_t = torsional stiffness of torsional member; moment per unit rotation.	V_{ci} = nominal shear strength provided by concrete when diagonal cracking results from combined shear and moment.
l_{dh} = development length of standard hook in tension, measured from critical section to outside end of hook (straight embedment length between critical section and start of hook [point of tangency] plus radius of bend and one bar diameter), in.	V_{cw} = nominal shear strength provided by concrete when diagonal cracking results from excessive principal tensile stress in web.
= l_{hb} × applicable modification factors.	V_d = shear force at section due to unfactored dead load.
M_u = maximum moment in member at stage deflection is computed.	V_p = vertical component of effective prestress force at section.
	V_s = nominal shear strength provided by shear reinforcement.
	V_u = factored shear force at section.

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