

Explain Classification of bridges.

Bridges may be classified in many ways.

i] According to function.

- * Aqueduct
- * Viaduct
- * Pedestrian
- * Highway
- * Railway
- * Road-cum-coil or a pipeline bridge.

ii] According to the material of construction of super-structure

- * Timber bridge
- * Masonry bridge
- * Iron bridge
- * Steel bridge
- * Reinforced concrete bridge
- * Pre-stressed concrete bridge.
- * Composite or aluminium bridge.

iii] According to the form or type of superstructure

- * Slab bridge
- * Beam bridge.
- * Truss bridge
- * Arch bridge
- * cable stayed or suspension bridge.

iv] According to the inter-span relations

- * simply supported bridge
- * continuous bridge
- * cantilever bridge

v] Based on span

- * Culvert (less than 8m)
- * Minor bridges (8-30m)
- * Major (30-120m)
- * Long span (>120m)

vi] Based on alignment

- * straight
- * skewed bridge

vii] Based on position of deck

- * Deck bridge
- * Through
- * Semi-through

viii] Based on water ways

- * cause bridge
- * submersible
- * high-level

ix] Based on usage

- * Temporary
- * Permanent

x] Based on connection

- * Pinned joint bridges
- * Riveted joint
- * welded bridges

xi] Based on grade separator

- * Road over bridge
- * Road under bridge
- * Flyover

xii] Based on moment

- * Swing bridge
- * Bascule bridge
- * Lifting bridge.

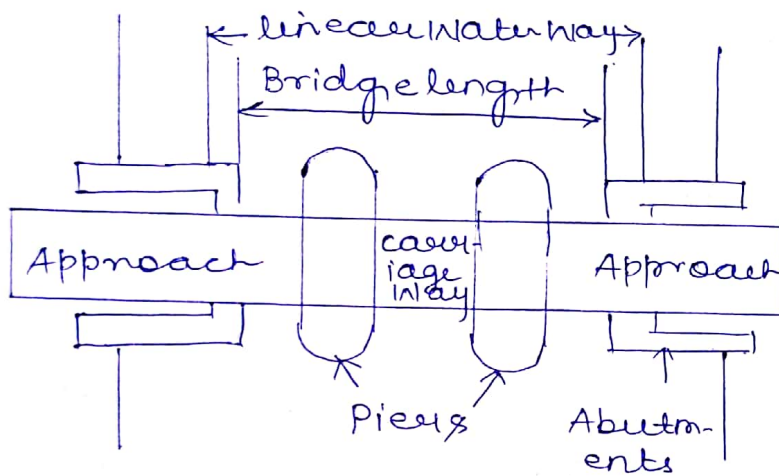
Q-1.(b) List the different loads to be considered for design of bridges.

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- (1) Dead load
 - (2) Live load
 - (3) snow load
 - (4) Impact load due to vehicle
 - (5) Impact load due to floating bodies
 - (6) Vehicle collision load
 - (7) wind load
 - (8) Earthquake load
 - (9) Water current
 - (10) centrifugal force
 - (11) Buoyancy
 - (12) Earth pressure including surcharge
 - (13) Temperature effects
 - (14) Deformation effects
 - (15) Wave pressure
 - (16) Grade effect
 - (17) Erection effect
 - (18) seismic force, etc.

Q-2. Explain linear water way, economic span, afflux.

→ * linear water way -

The width of water way b/w the extreme edges of water surface at highest flood level measured at right angles to the abutment face.



Plan of Bridge

* Economic span

$$C = A + B + (n-1)p + n \cdot k \cdot s^2 + k' L$$

where, C = Total cost of Bridge

B = cost of abudment with foundation

A = cost of approach

L = linear water way

s = length of one span

n = no. of span

p = cost of one pier including foundⁿ

Assuming that cost of superstructure of one span is proportional to the square of span length.

Total cost of superstructure to the square of span length.

$$\text{Total cost of superstructure} = nks^2$$

where $k = \text{constant}$

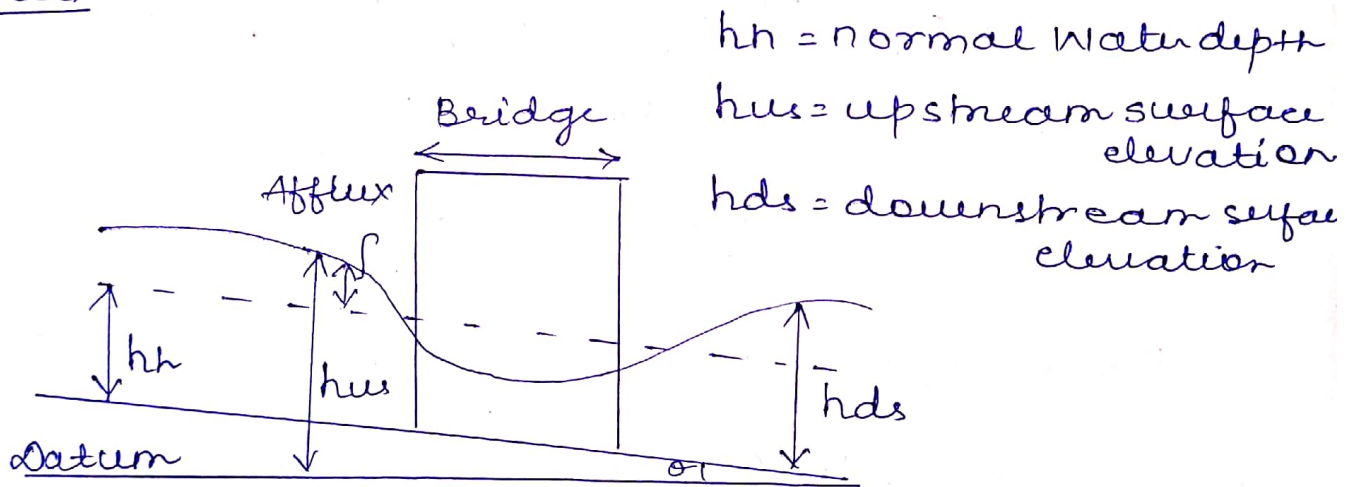
The total cost of railing flooring etc is proportional to total length of bridge $= k'L$

$$\therefore \text{economic span} - S_e = \sqrt{\frac{P}{k}}$$

$$\text{If } \frac{dc}{ds} = 0 \text{ then } P = ks^2$$

This span to satisfy this condition, is called economic span.

* Afflux



- It is defined as heading up of water when they hit any obstruction. In bridges the water hit at up side when hitting the water rises.
- It is an increase in water level that can occur upstream of a bridge, that creates an obstruction in the flow.

It is calculated as

$$X = \frac{V^2}{2g} \left[\frac{L^2}{c^2 L_1^2} - 1 \right] \text{ at}$$

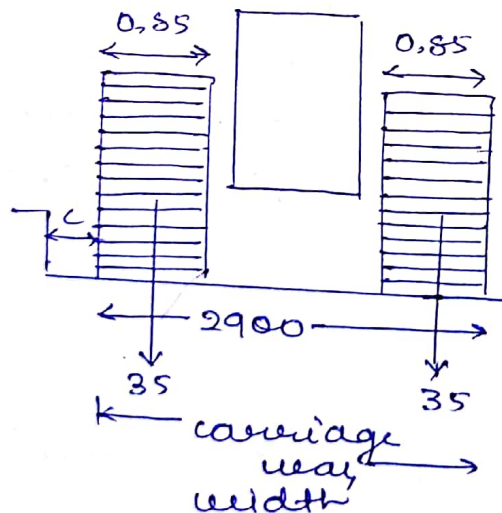
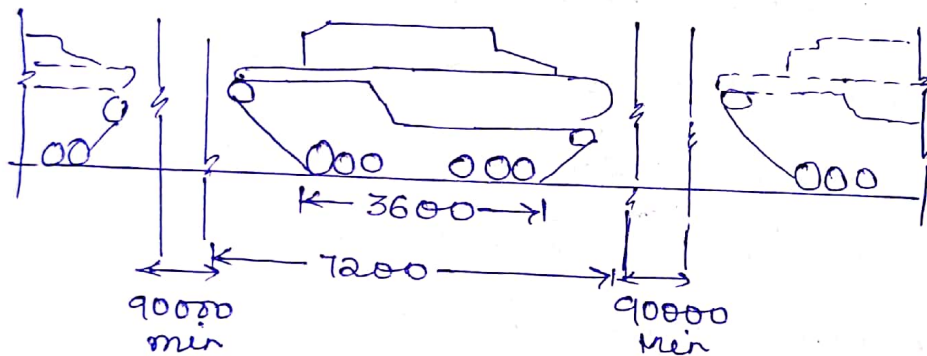
L = width of stream high Flood level

L_1 = linear water way

c = coeff of discharge

V = Velocity of normal flow.

Q-3. Explain IRC class AA Tracked loading with neat sketch.



Tracked vehicle

- This type of loading is considered for the design of new bridge especially heavy loading bridges like bridge on highways, in cities, industrial areas etc.
- generally two types of vehicle are considered in this class.
 - (i) Tracked vehicle
 - (ii) Wheeled vehicle
- This loading is to be adopted with certain municipal limits, in certain existing or contemplated areas, in other specified areas and along certain specified highways.
- Bridges designed for class AA loading should be checked for class A loading also, as under certain conditions, heavier stress may occur under class A loading.

Part B

Q-1. A RCC Deck slab bridge is to be constructed over a trapezoidal channel. The following details are available.

clear span 5 m

Road width 7.5 m

Wearing coat thickness 80 mm

Footpath either side 0.8 m

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JRC class AA Tracked loading.

Sol:- (1) Design of deck slab

- preliminary dimensions

(i) Effective depth-

Assume 80 mm depth thick for every 1 m length slab

$$\therefore \text{overall depth} = 80 \times 5 = 400 \text{ mm}$$

Assume clear cover of 50 mm thick and dia of bar = 20 mm

$$\therefore \text{eff. depth } (d) = 400 - 50 - \frac{20}{2} = 340 \text{ mm} \\ \approx 350 \text{ mm}$$

(ii) effective span-

- clear span + $\frac{\text{Beam} \times g}{2} \times 2 = 5 + \frac{0.35}{2} \times 2 = 5.35 \text{ m}$

- clear span + eff. depth = $5 + 0.35 = 5.35 \text{ m}$

$$\therefore L_{\text{eff}} = 5.35 \text{ m}$$

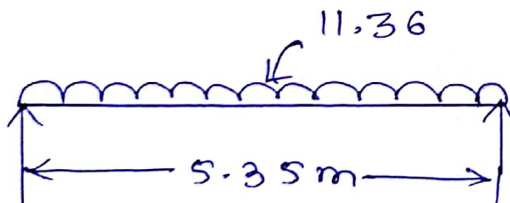
(2) load calculation

• Dead loads

(i) self wt of slabs = $0.4 \times 24 = 9.6 \text{ kN/m}^2$

(ii) self wt of W.C = $22 \times 0.08 = 1.76 \text{ kN/m}^2$

$$11.36 \text{ kN/m}^2$$

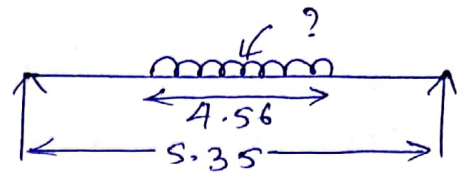


$$\text{BM due to dead load} = \frac{Wl^2}{8} = \frac{11.36 \times 5.35^2}{8} = 40.64 \text{ kNm}$$

$$\text{SF due to dead load} = \frac{Wl}{2} = \frac{11.36 \times 5.35}{2} = 30.38 \text{ kN}$$

• live load

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(i)} \quad \Delta L &= 3.6 + (D + tw) \times 2 \\ &= 3.6 + (0.40 + 0.08) \times 2 \\ &= 4.56 \text{ m} \end{aligned}$$



$$\text{(ii)} \quad b_{eff} = \alpha a \left(1 - \frac{a}{L}\right) + b_1 \quad [\text{IRC-21, pg-52}]$$

$$L = 5.35 \text{ m}$$

$$a = \frac{L}{2} = 2.675 \text{ m}$$

$$b_1 = 0.85 + (2 \times 0.08) = 1.01$$

$$\alpha = \frac{B}{L} = \frac{7.5 + 0.8 + 0.8}{5.35} = 1.7$$

$$\alpha = 2.92$$

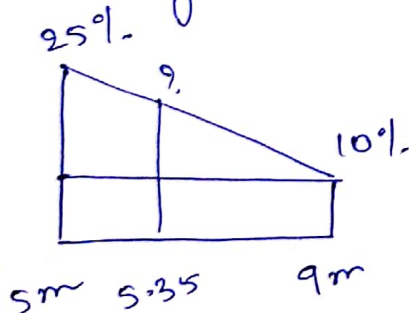
$$b_{eff} = 2.92 \times 2.675 \left(1 - \frac{2.675}{5.35}\right) + 1.01 = 4.915 \text{ m}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{(iii)} \quad \Delta W &= \text{(i)} \quad 2.45 + 2.05 + 2.45 = 6.95 \text{ m} \\ &\quad \text{(ii)} \quad 2.825 + 2.05 + 2.45 = 7.32 \text{ m} \end{aligned} \quad \left. \vphantom{\begin{aligned} \text{(i)} \\ \text{(ii)} \end{aligned}} \right\} \text{least value.}$$

$$\therefore \Delta W = 6.95 \text{ m}$$

(iv) Impact factor for the live load

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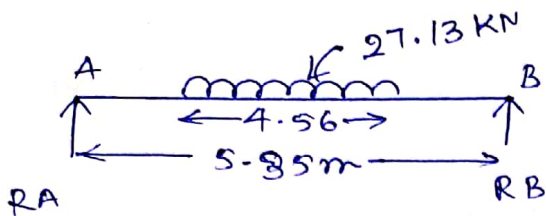
$$\frac{x}{0.35} = \frac{15}{4} \Rightarrow x = 23.68\%$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{live loading including If} \\ &= 700 \left(1 + \frac{23.68}{100}\right) = 865.76 \text{ kN} \end{aligned}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Total live load} &= \frac{865.76}{6.95 \times 4.56} = 27.31 \text{ kN} \end{aligned}$$

$$R_A = R_B = \frac{27.13 \times 4.56}{2}$$

$$= 61.85 \text{ KN}$$

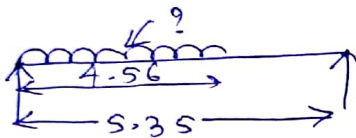


BM due to live load @ Midpoint.

$$= \left(61.85 \times \frac{5.35}{2} \right) - \left(\frac{27.13 \times 4.56}{2} \times \frac{4.56}{4} \right)$$

$$= 94.93 \text{ KNm}$$

SF due to live load -



$$b_{eff} = a \left(1 - \frac{a}{L} \right) + b_1$$

$$= 2.92 \times \frac{2.675}{2.28} \left(1 - \frac{2.28}{5.35} \right) + 1.01$$

$$= 4.83$$

$$1. \text{ } \omega = \frac{b_{eff}}{2} + 2.05 + \frac{b_{eff}}{2} = 6.88 \text{ m} \leftarrow$$

$$2. \text{ } \omega = 2.85 + 2.05 + \frac{b_{eff}}{2} = 7.29 \text{ m}$$

$$\therefore \omega = 6.88 \text{ m}$$

$$\text{Load/m}^2 \text{ slab} = \frac{865.76}{6.88 \times 4.56} = 27.59 \text{ KN}$$

$$R_A = \frac{27.59 \times 4.56 \times (5.35 - 4.56/2)}{5.35}$$

$$\boxed{R_A = 72.19 \text{ KN}}$$

(3) Structural design

(i) check for depth-

$$d = \sqrt{\frac{M}{Qb}} \quad \text{where } M = (40.64 + 94.93) \times 10^6 \\ = 135.57 \times 10^6 \text{ Nm} \\ b = 1000 \text{ mm}$$

$$Q = 0.5 n j \sigma_{cb} = 1.104$$

$$j = 1 - \frac{\alpha}{3} = 1 - \frac{0.294}{3} = 0.902$$

$$n = \frac{1}{1 + \frac{\sigma_{st}}{m \sigma_{cb}}} = \frac{1}{1 + \frac{200}{10 \times 8.33}} = 0.294$$

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 σ_{cb}, σ_{st}
value

$$d = \sqrt{\frac{135.57 \times 10^6}{1.104 \times 10^3}} = 341.57 < 350$$

hence safe

(ii) Main reinforcement

$$A_{st} = \frac{M}{\sigma_{st} j d} = \frac{135.57 \times 10^6}{200 \times 0.902 \times 350} = 2147.13 \text{ mm}^2$$

$$\text{spacing} = \frac{a_{st}}{A_{st}} \times 10000 = \frac{\frac{\pi}{4} \times 20^2}{2147.13} \times 10000 = 146.31 \approx 150 \text{ mm}$$

$$A_{st \text{ prov}} = 2100 \text{ mm}^2$$

(iii) Distribution reinf.

$$M = 0.3 DL + 0.2 DL \\ = 0.3 \times 40.64 + 0.2 \times 94.93 \\ = 31.17 \times 10^6$$

$$A_{st} = \frac{M}{\sigma_{st} j d} = \frac{31.17 \times 10^6}{200 \times 0.902 \times 334} = 517.31 \text{ mm}^2$$

$$S_v = 218.62 \approx 200 \text{ mm}$$

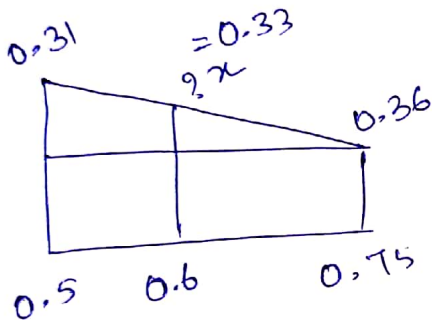
(V) check for shear

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$$\tau_v = \frac{V}{bd} = \frac{(30.38 + 72.19) \times 10^3}{1000 \times 350} = 0.293$$

$$\frac{100A_{st}}{bd} = \frac{100 \times 2100}{1000 \times 350} = 0.6$$

$$\tau_c = ~~0.29~~ 0.33 \quad [\text{from Table-12B} \\ \text{Pg-37}]$$



$$\frac{x \cdot 0.05}{0.1} = \frac{0.25}{0.25}$$

$$x = 0.02$$

$$= 0.31 + 0.02$$

$$= ~~0.29~~ 0.33$$

$\therefore \tau_c > \tau_v$

hence safe