PERFORMANCE OF ANCHORAGES UNDER PREDOMINANT MOMENT LOADING: AN EXPERIMENTAL INVESTIGATION

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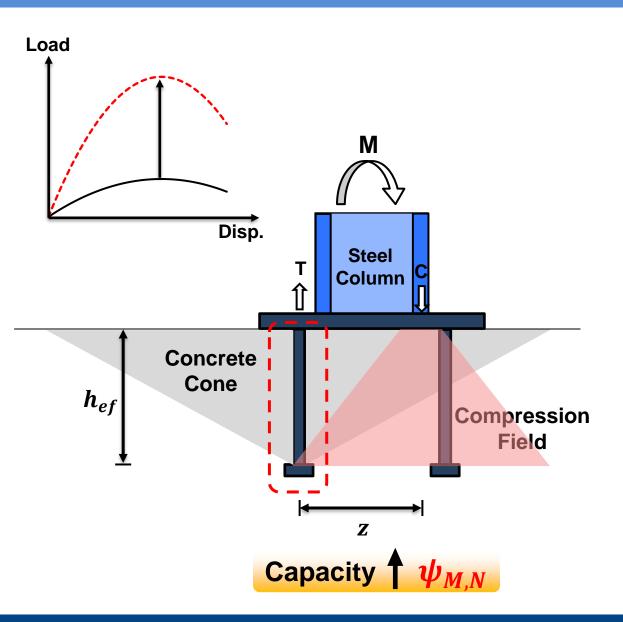
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Basic Mechanics



 The compression from the baseplate suppresses the formation of concrete cone which leads to an increased capacity of the tension anchors

$$\psi_{M,N} = 2 - \frac{z}{1.5h_{ef}}$$

• Currently, the factor $\psi_{M,N}$ is only valid for pure concrete cone failure

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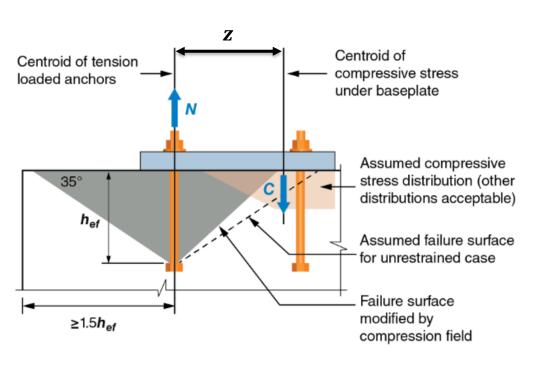


Fig. R17.6.2.7.1 — Example of anchor group subjected to an overturning moment.

17.6.2.7 Breakout compression field factor, $\psi_{cm,N}$

17.6.2.7.1 Modification factor for breakout compression field effect, $\psi_{cm,N}$, to be applied to all tension-loaded anchors as part of a tension-compression couple where the tension-loaded anchors are located 1.5 h_{ef} or farther from any free concrete edge and where the ratio of the resultant compression to tension forces is greater than 0.8 shall be calculated by:

$$\psi_{cm,N} = 2 - \frac{z}{1.5h_{ef}} \ge 1.0$$
 (17.6.2.7.1)

R17.6.2.7 Breakout compression field factor, \(\psi_{cm,N} \)

R17.6.2.7.1 For grouted baseplates or baseplates in direct contact with the concrete, where the internal lever arm, z, of the tension-compression couple resulting from a moment on an anchor plate is sufficiently small relative to the anchor embedment depth, the compression field developed in the concrete inhibits formation of the tension breakout cone associated with the tension-loaded anchor(s) as shown in Fig. R17.6.2.7.1. This effect is accounted for with $\psi_{cm,N}$. (Eligehausen et al. 2006b) The effect of the compression field on the breakout strength of the tension-loaded anchors is neglected in cases where a) the tension and compression resultants are separated by more than 1.5 h_{of} , b) the ratio between the resultant compression and tension forces acting on the group is reduced, e.g., by uplift on the connection, or c) the breakout strength is influenced by concrete edges. Determination of the compression resultant location and the value of z for a given combination of applied moments and axial force should correspond to a reasonable engineering

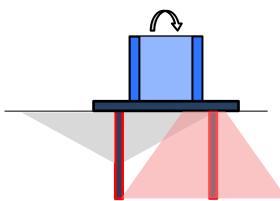
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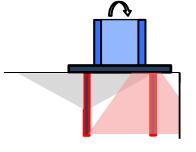
Open Questions

1. Is $\psi_{cm,N}$ valid for combined pullout & concrete cone (CC+PO) failure?

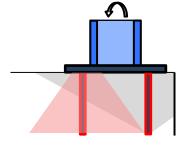


2. Is $\psi_{cm,N}$ valid for anchor group located close to an edge?

A. In case of CC+PO failure mode

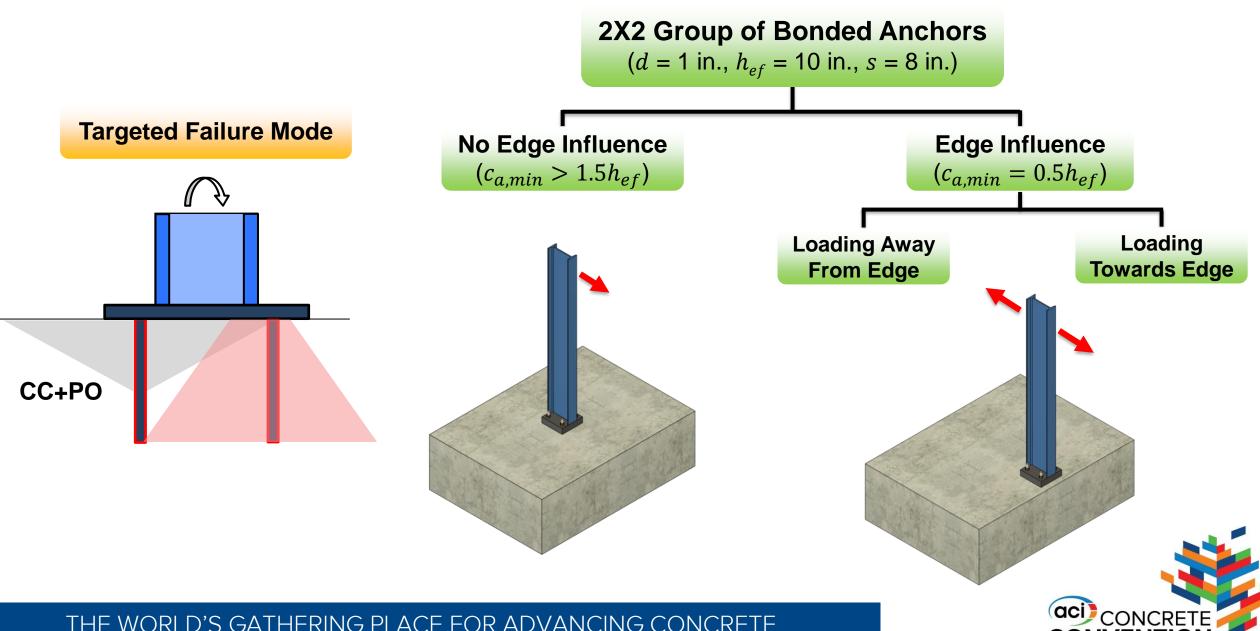


B. In case of CC failure mode

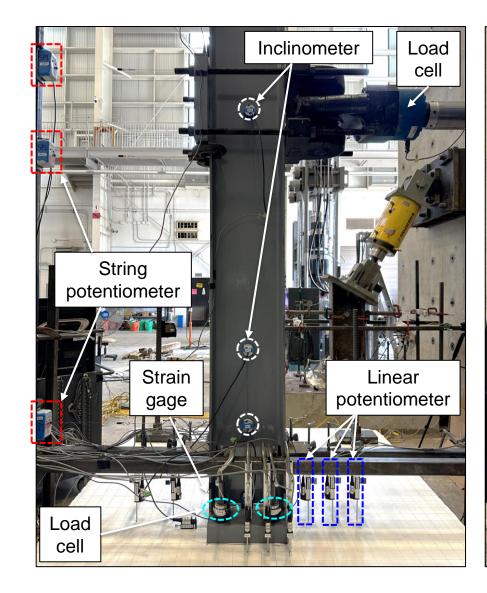


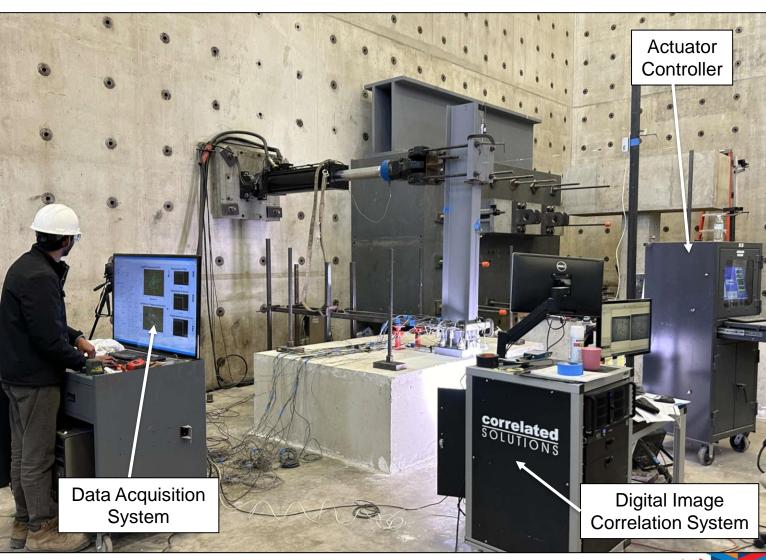


Objectives and Experimental Program

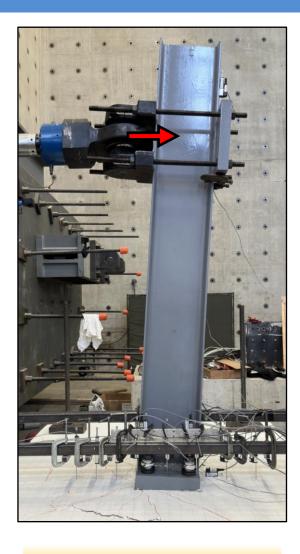


Experimental Setup

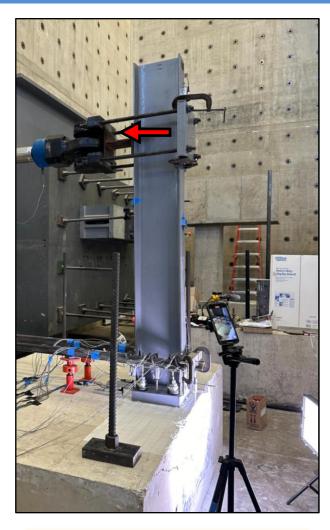




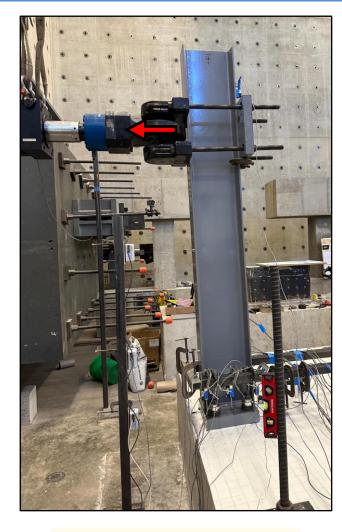
Experimental Setup



No edge influence



Edge influence – Loading away from edge

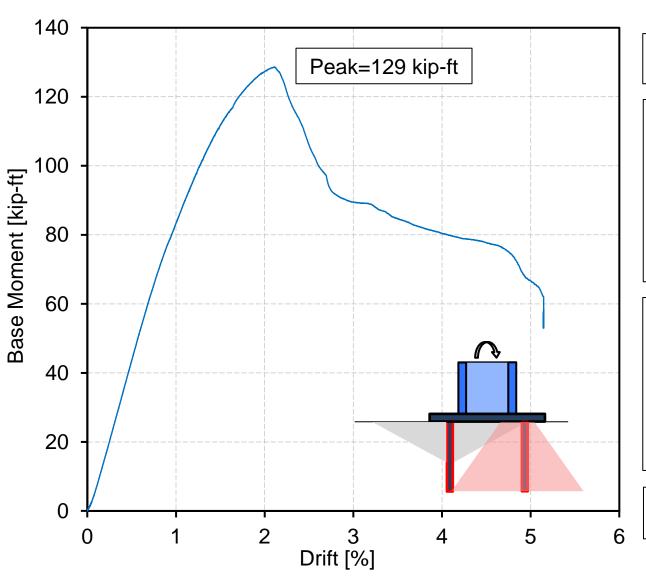


Edge influence – Loading towards edge



Results: No Edge Influence

Base Moment vs Drift



$$N_{sa} = nA_{se,N}f_{uta} = 236 kips$$

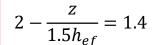
$$N_{cbg} = \frac{A_{Nc}}{A_{Nc0}} \psi_{ec,N} \psi_{ed,N} \psi_{c,N} \psi_{cp,N} N_b \psi_{cm,N}$$

$$N_b = 1.33 k_c \lambda_a \sqrt{f_c'} h_{ef}^{1.5} = 55 \text{ kips}$$

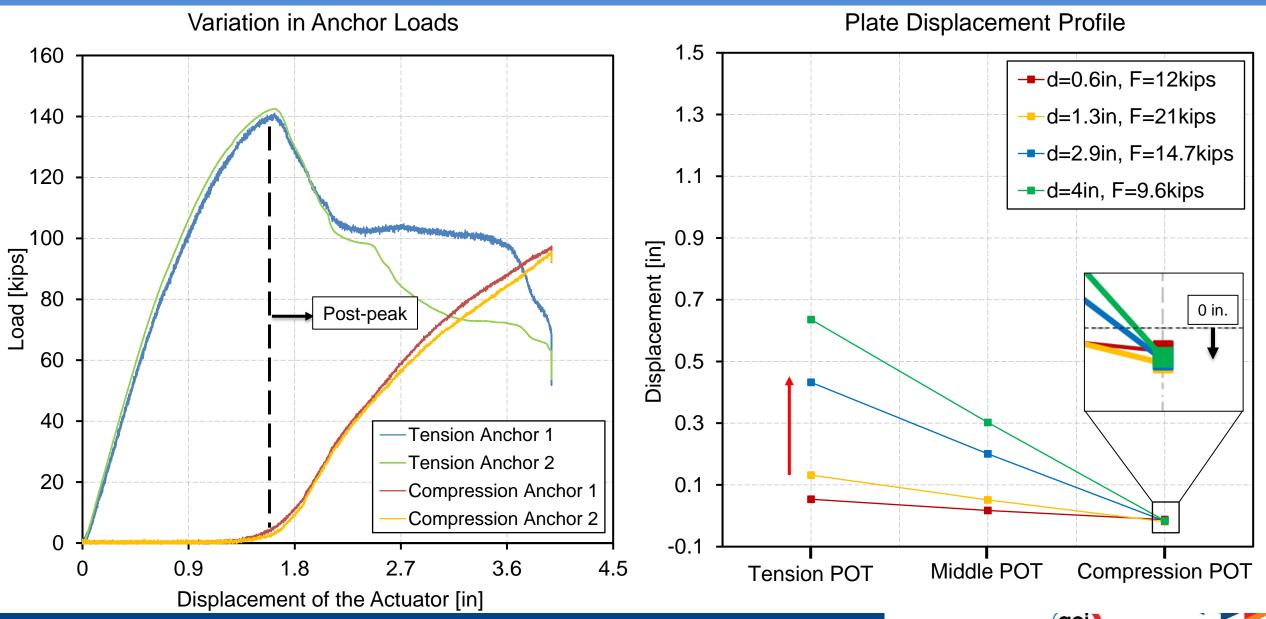
$$N_{cbg} = 135 \, kips$$

$$N_{ag} = rac{A_{Na}}{A_{Na0}} \psi_{ed,Na} \psi_{cp,Na} \psi_{ec,Na} N_{ba}$$
 $N_{ba} = 0.75 \pi dh_{ef} \tau_b = 94 \ kips$
 $N_{ag} = 114 \ kips$

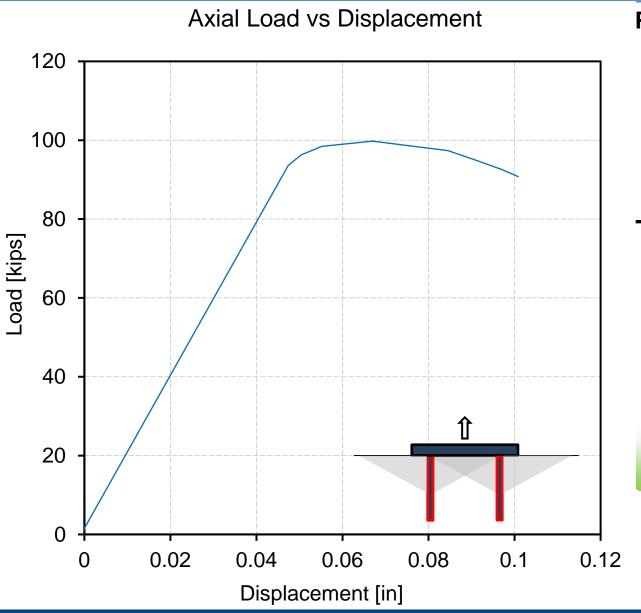
$$M_{ACI} = N_{ag}z = 86 \ kip - ft$$
 Pullout & Concrete Cone

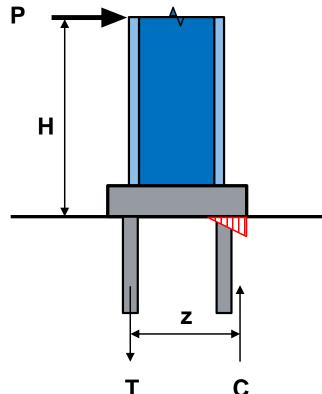


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$$P * H = T * z$$

$$P = 23 kips$$

$$H = 67 in$$

$$z = 0.9 * d_{eff} = 9 in$$

$$23 * 67 = T * 9$$

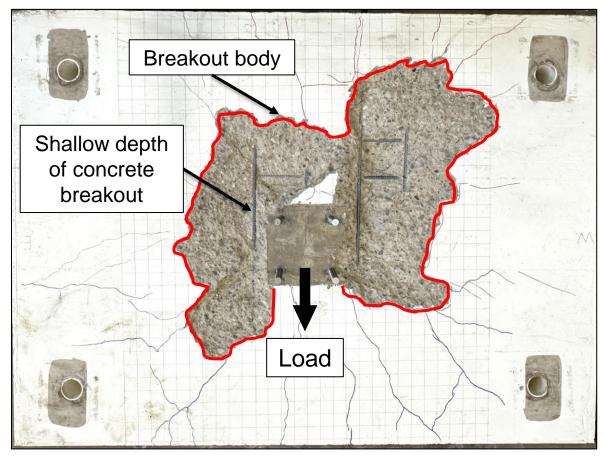
$$T = 171 kips$$

$$\psi_{cm,N} = \frac{\text{Tension force in the anchors influenced by compression}}{\text{Tension force in the anchors under pure tension}}$$

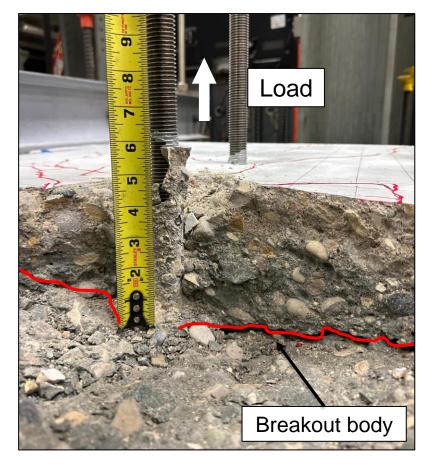
$$\psi_{cm,N} = \frac{171}{101} = 1.7$$



Crack Pattern



Moment Loading



Tension Loading

Pullout and Concrete Cone failure

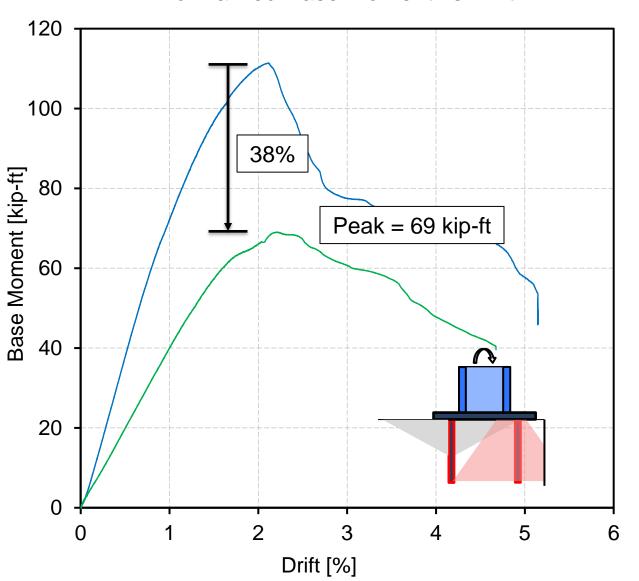


Positive influence of baseplate compression applicable in CC+PO



Results: Edge Influence, Loading Towards Edge

Normalized Base Moment vs Drift



$$N_{sa} = nA_{se,N}f_{uta} = 236 \ kips$$

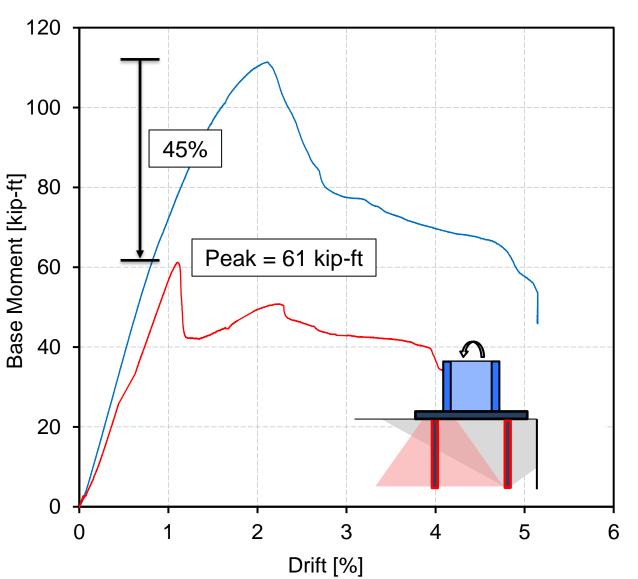
$$N_{cbg} = \frac{A_{Nc}}{A_{Nc0}} \psi_{ec,N} \psi_{ed,N} \psi_{c,N} \psi_{cp,N} N_b \psi_{cm,N}$$

$$N_{cbg} = 74 \text{ kips}$$

$$M_{ACI} = N_{ag}z = 56 \ kip - ft \qquad \qquad \psi_{cm,N} = 1.38$$

Results: Edge Influence, Loading Away From Edge

Normalized Base Moment vs Drift

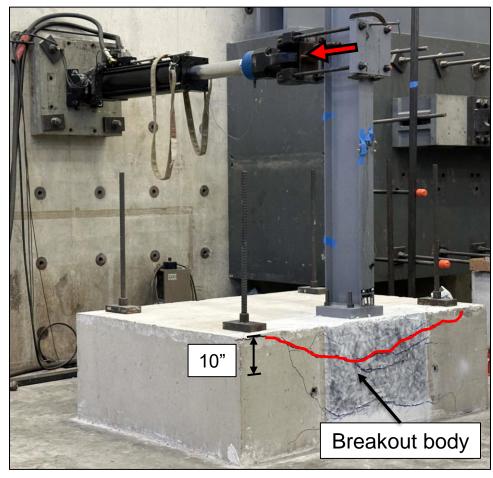


$$N_{sa} = nA_{se,N}f_{uta} = 236 \ kips$$

$$N_{ag} = rac{A_{Na}}{A_{Na0}} \psi_{ed,Na} \psi_{cp,Na} \psi_{ec,Na} N_{ba}$$
 $N_{ag} = 61 \ kips$

$$M_{ACI} = N_{cbg}z = 33 \ kip - ft$$
 $\psi_{cm,N} = 1.83$

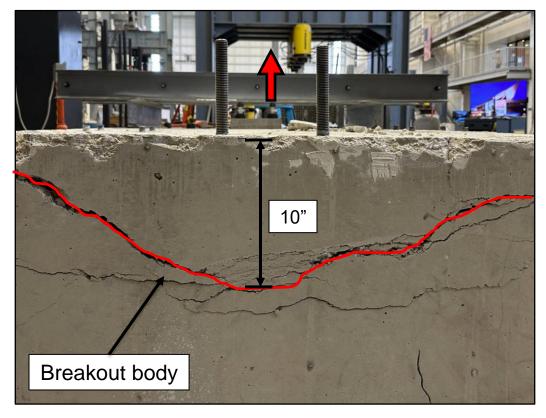
Crack Pattern





Concrete Cone failure



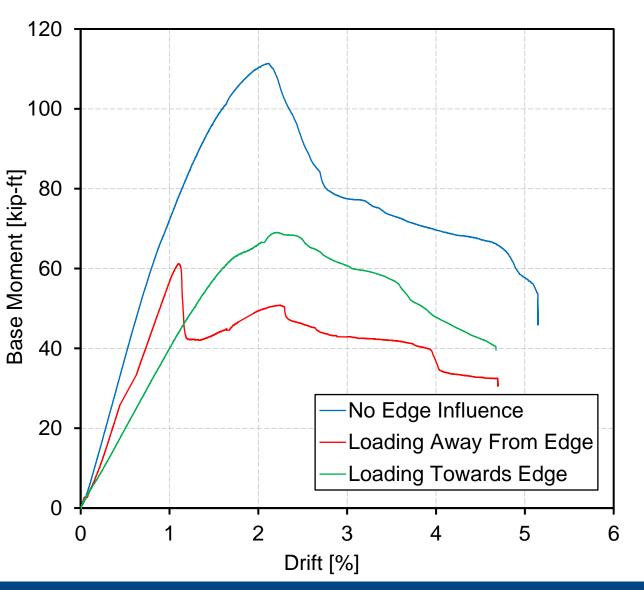


Tension Loading

Positive influence of baseplate compression applicable for $c_{a,min} < 1.5 h_{ef}$

Comparison of Experimental Results

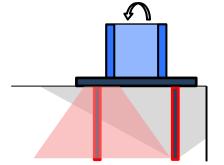
Normalized Base Moment vs Drift



Loading away from the edge:

Concrete available for breakout

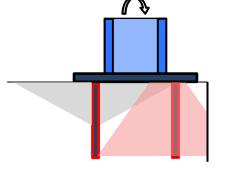
Positive influence of compression



Loading towards the edge:

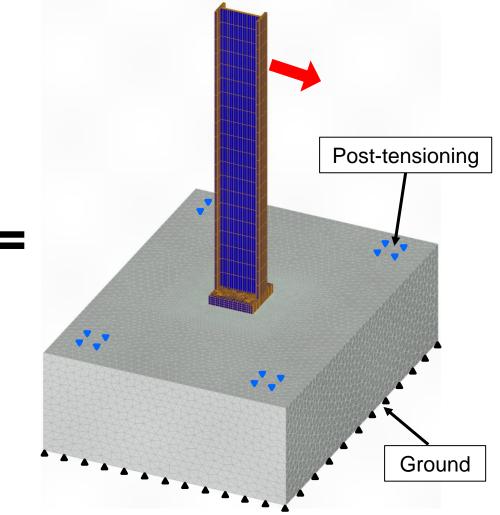
Concrete available for breakout

Positive influence of compression



Finite Element Studies

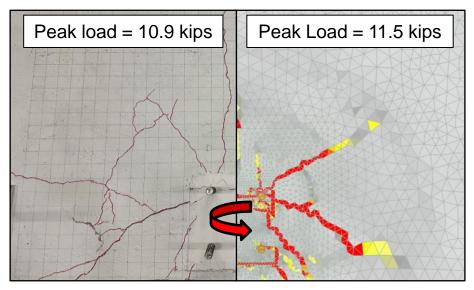




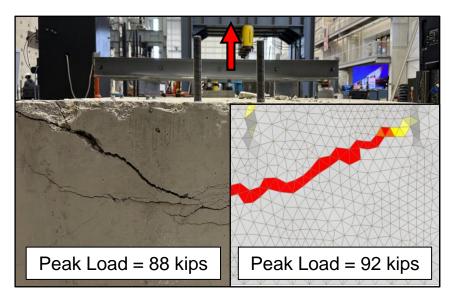
3D Nonlinear FE Analysis using MASA



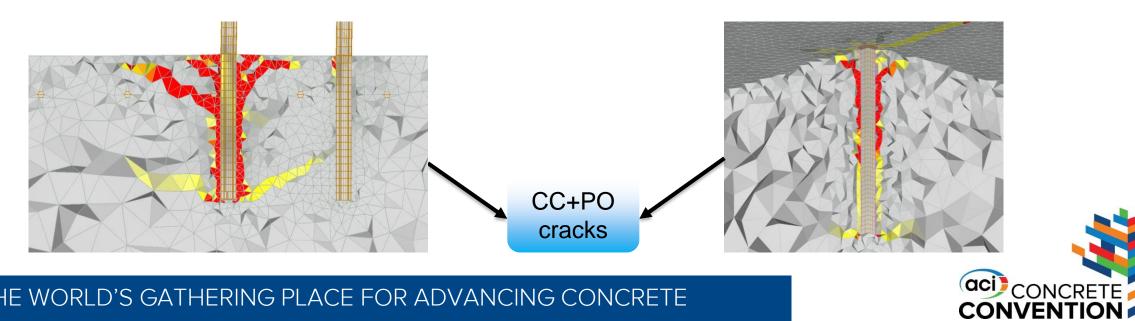
Validation of Finite Element Model



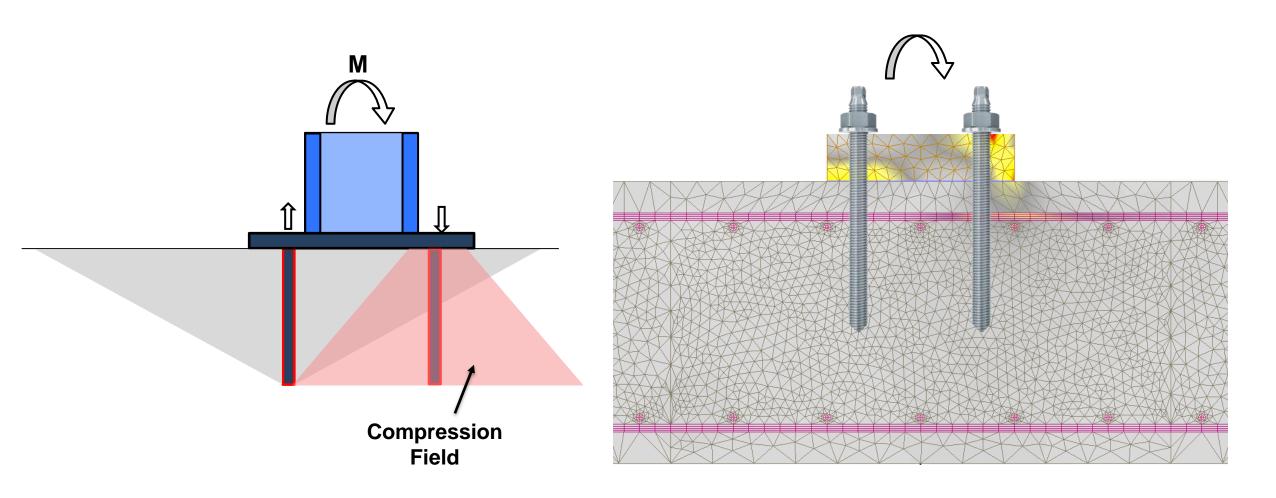
Moment Loading



Tension Loading



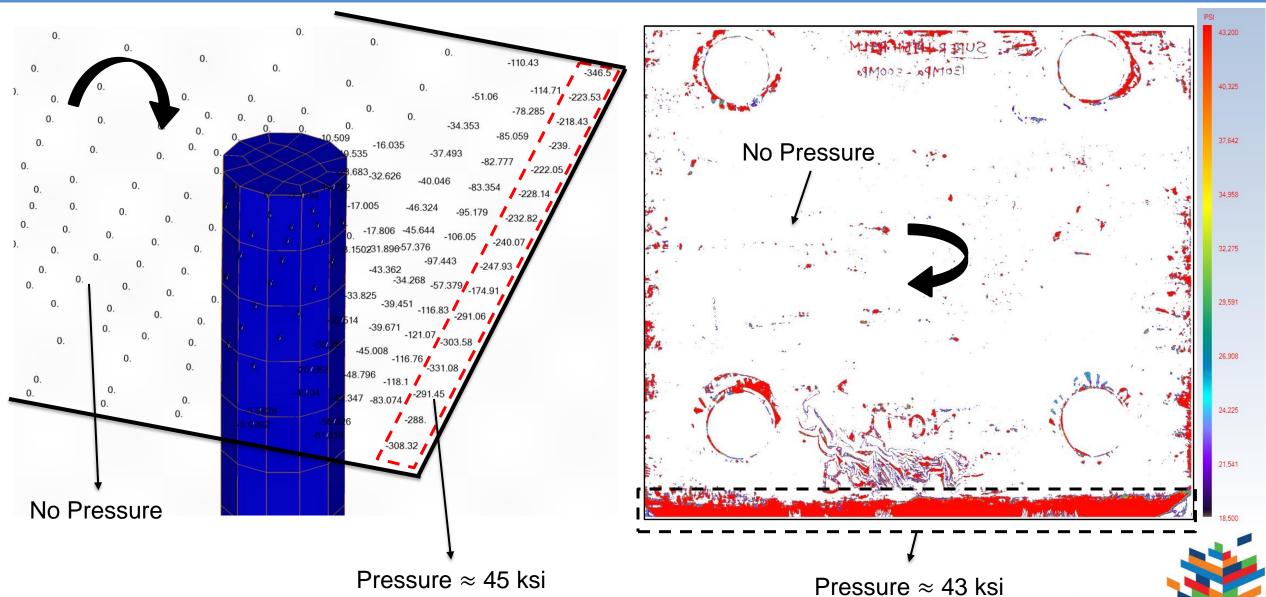
Compressive Stresses



Compression stresses go from the compression point to the end of anchorage (i.e. the end of tie)



Validation of Compressive Stresses



Conclusions

- Positive influence of baseplate compression is valid for monotonically loaded anchor groups failing in combined pullout and concrete cone (CC+PO) failure mode
- Positive influence of baseplate compression is valid when the anchor group is located near the edge and loaded monotonically in either direction (towards the edge or away from the edge)



Thank You!

Questions/Suggestions?

