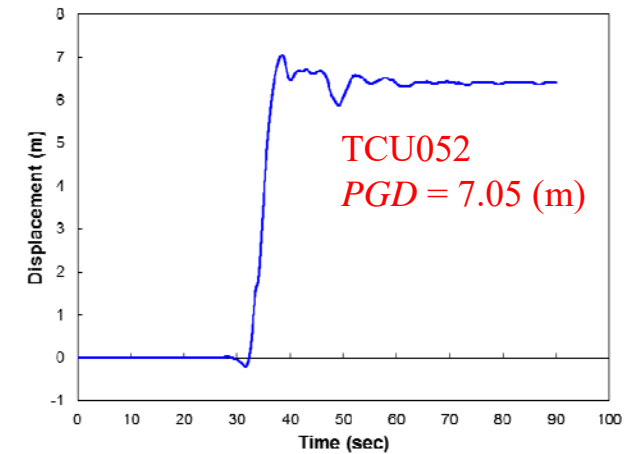
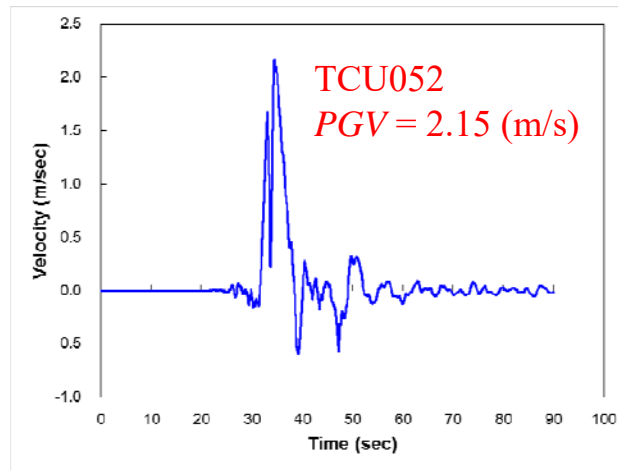
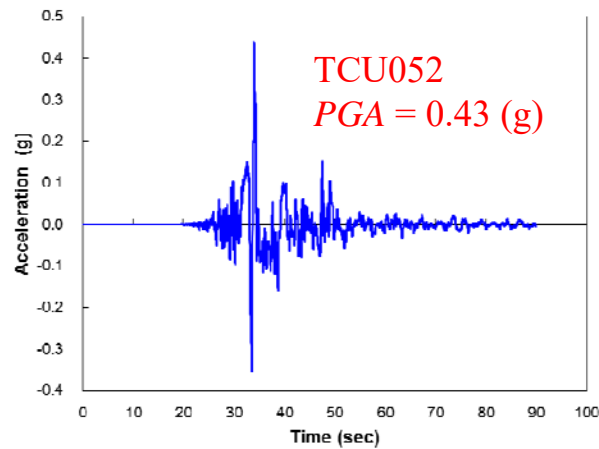




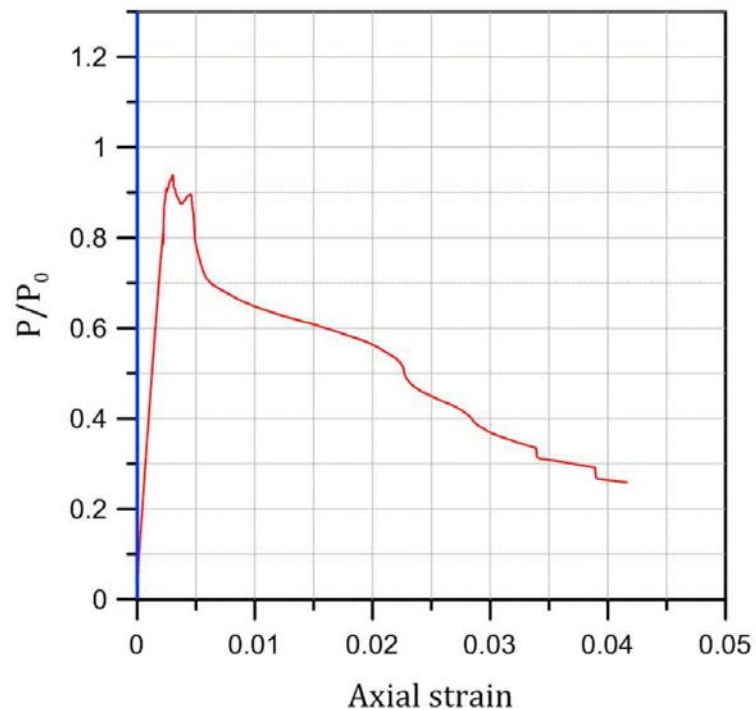
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What do we need?

- ✚ Predict the responses
- ✚ Deep insight of the failure
- ✚ Improve the design





What can we do?

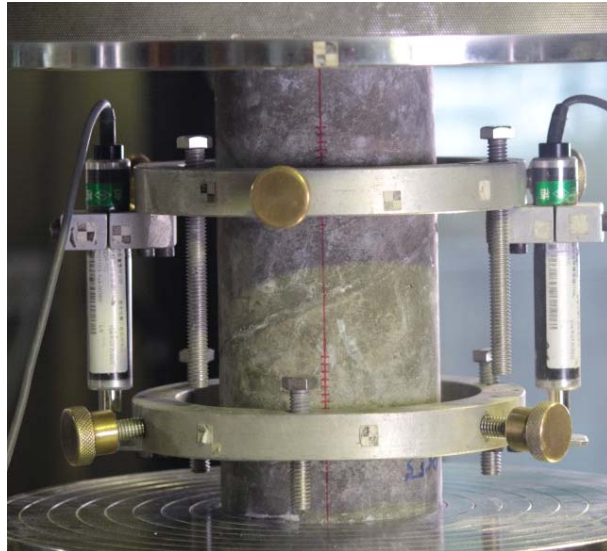
+ Advanced computational method:

- Cohesive-based Finite Element Method (**FEM**)
- e**X**tend **F**inite **E**lement **M**ethod (**XFEM**)
- **D**iscrete **E**lement **M**ethod (**DEM**)
- **P**erid**d**ynamics (**PD**)

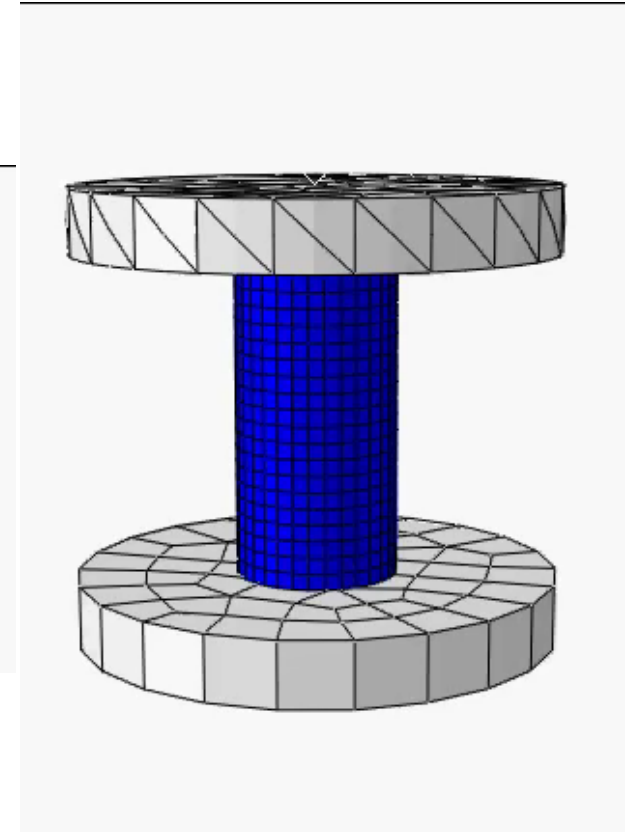
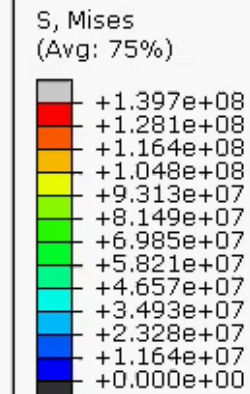
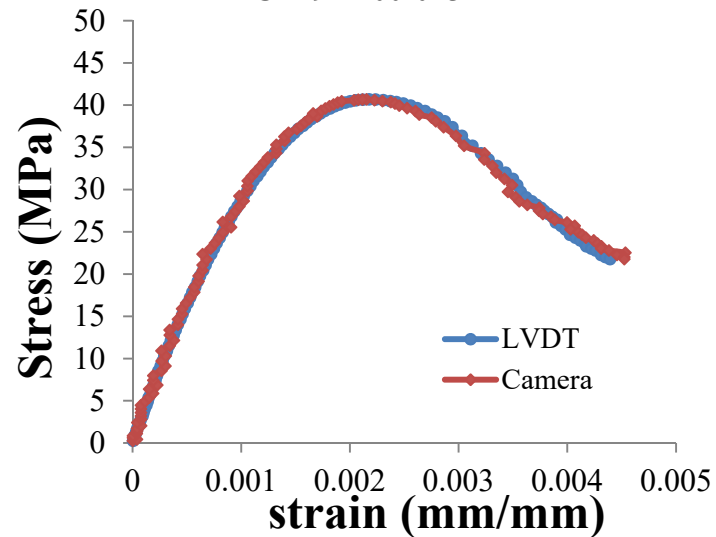
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- Constitutive law for concrete
- Fracture of reinforced concrete members
- Fracture of reinforced concrete structures

Constitutive law for concrete



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Fracture of reinforced concrete members



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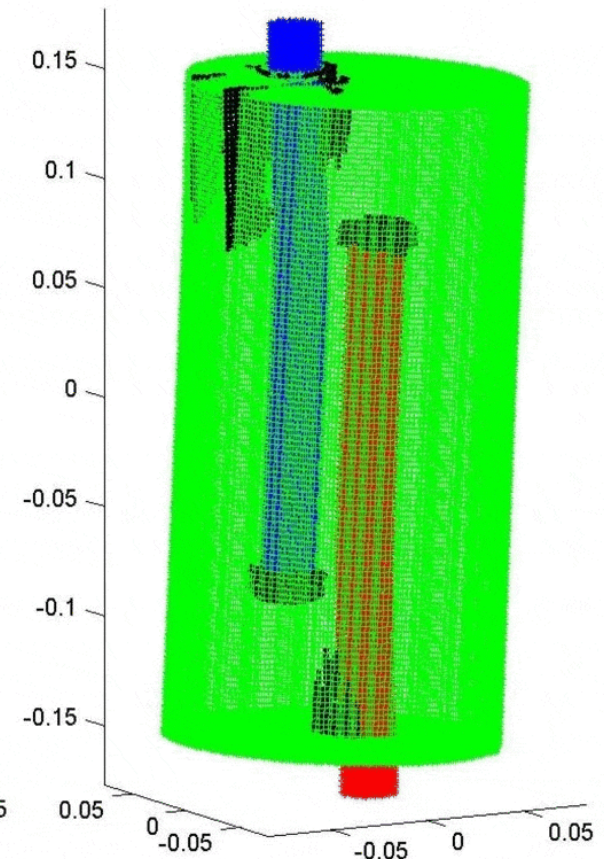
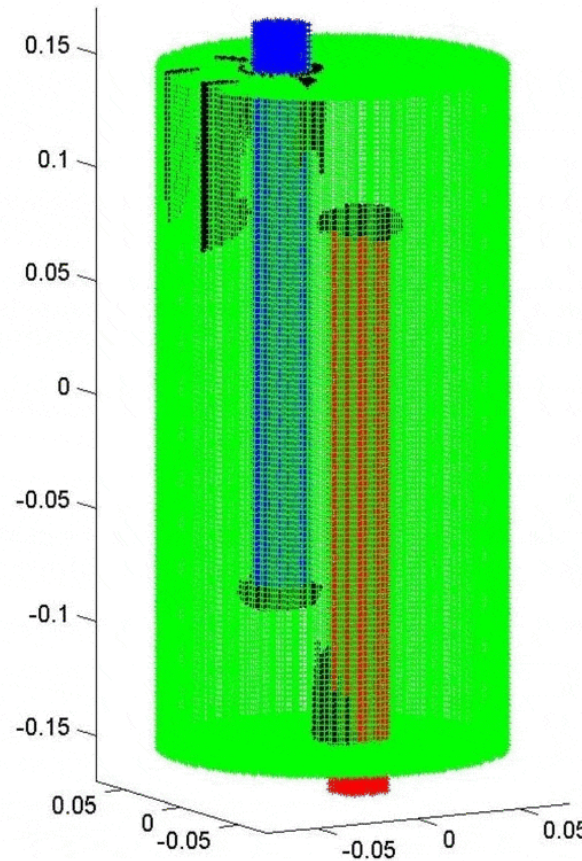
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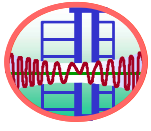
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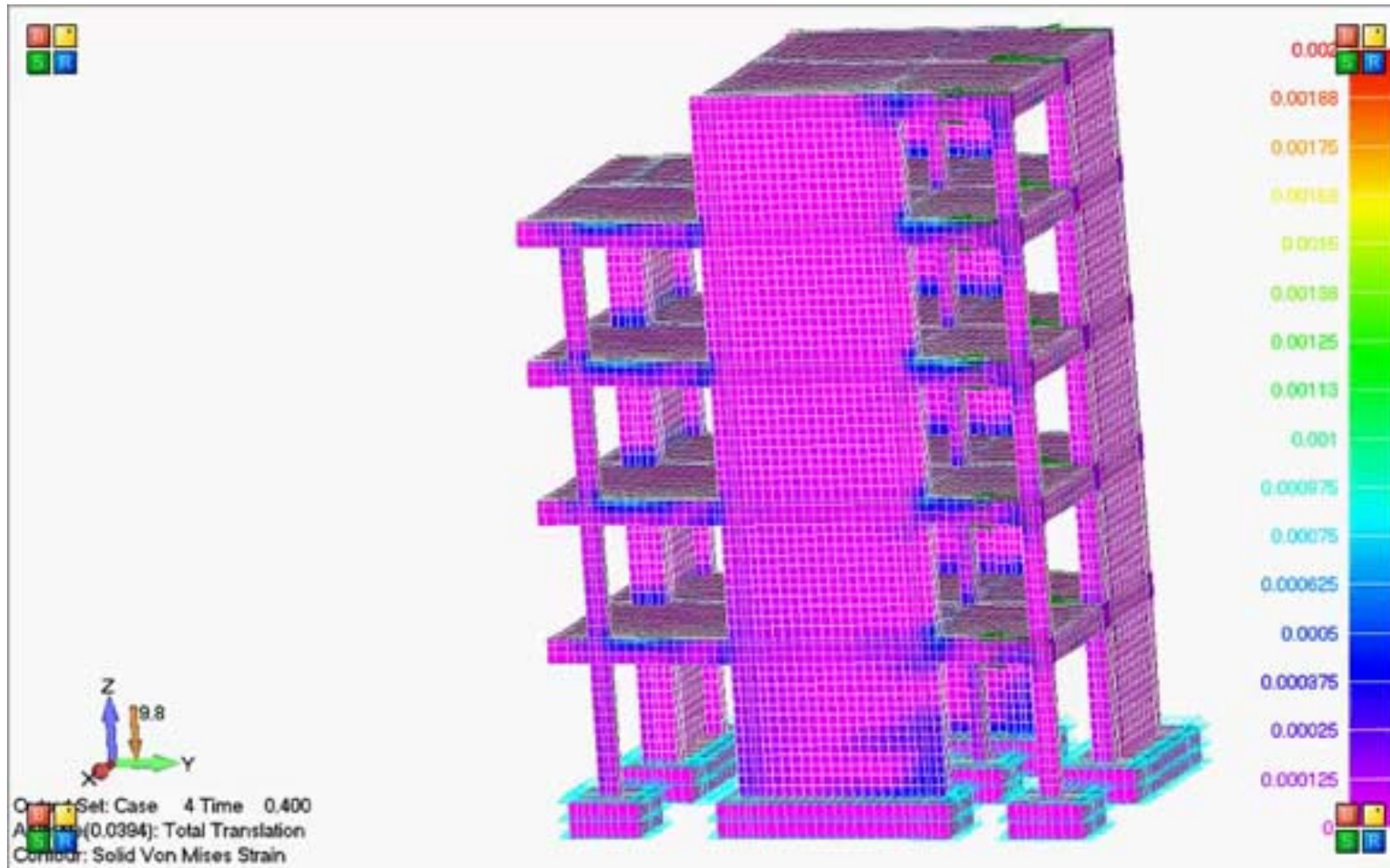


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