

# Design procedure for double reinforced beams (Week 4-5)

- **Step # 1:**  
Find the strength  $M_u$  of a singly reinforced beam  
 $M_u > 0.156F_{cub}d^2$   
 $M_d = 0.156F_{cub}d^2$   
If  $M_u$  required  $> M_d$  of simply reinforced beam . Proceed with doubly reinforced beam design.
- **Step # 2:**  
Find excess moment i.e  
 $M_{u1} = M_u - M_d$
- and determine the resulting compression steel area  $A_s' = A_s$  and tentatively assume that  $f_s = f_y$ , then  
 $A_s' = M_{u1} / 0.95 f_y (d - d' )$
- **Step# 3:**  
Find the total tensile steel area i.e  
 $A_s = A_s' + A_s2$   
 $A_s2 = 0.156F_{cub}d^2 / 0.95f_yz$
- **Step # 4:**  
Check for satisfactory minimum and maximum reinforcement ratios and check for shear and design for shear reinforcement
- **Step # 5:**  
Select appropriate bar size and draw the sketches.

# Design procedure for reinforced solid slabs (Week 6-7)

- **Step # 1:**

Find the strength  $M$  for two -ways slab by using the BS 8110 slab coefficient factors

$M$  for one way slab can be obtained depending on the orientation of the slab, for a simply supported one way slab, use  $wl^2/8$ . for a continuous slab use  $0.086fl$ .

- **Step # 2:**

find  $K = m / f_c b d^2$  , where  $b = 1000$  mm and  $d$  is the effective depth of slab

- **Step # 3:**

Check for area of steel, for both main and distribution steel,  
 $A_s = m / 0.95 f_y z$

- **Step # 4:**

Select appropriate bar size, check for deflection on the short span and draw the sketches.

# Design procedure for reinforced concrete columns (Week 7-8)

- Design of different types of columns
- Classified the column to: Braced and Unbraced.
- Determine whether the column is short or slender: For a short column

$l_{ex}/h$  and  $l_{ey}/h < 15$  for braced and  $<10$  for unbraced column.

$l_{ex}$  and  $l_{ey}$  are effective heights on the x and y axis of the column. H is the overall depth of column.

Determine the axial load and moments on the column.

Use  $N=0.45F_{cu}A_c + 0.95F_yA_{sc}$ . Or column charts to determine the reinforcements.

A minimum of 4 bars and 6 bars are required for rectangular and circular columns respectively.