

Design Calculations

For:

**Warren Bridge Abutment
Lifting/Handling Review
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Basis of Design

Reference:

- PCI Design Handbook: Precast and Prestressed Concrete; 6th Edition

General Design Parameters:

- Stripping Strength: 3000 psi
- Handling Strength: 3000 psi
- Shipping Strength: 5000 psi
- Abutment Width: 3'-6"
- Abutment Width at Wingwall: 1'-6"
- Abutment AB1L & AB2L Length: $b_1 = 22'-5 \frac{3}{8}"$
- Abutment AB1R & AB2R Length: $b_2 = 24'-2"$
- Wingwall Length: $b_3 = 8'-8 \frac{3}{4}"$
- Abutment Height: $a_1 = 5'-2"$
- Abutment Height at Wingwall: $a_2 = 10'-9 \frac{5}{8}"$
- Equivalent Static Load Multipliers (from PCI Table 5.3.3.1)
 - Stripping:
 - Flat, with removable side forms, no false joints or reveals; Smooth mold (form oil only): 1.3
 - Yard Handling and Erection:
 - All products: 1.2
 - Travel:
 - All products: 1.5

Calculations

AB1R & AB2R:

Note: AB1R and AB2R were analyzed as it was determined that this abutment configuration would control over the configuration of AB1L and AB2L.

$$\text{Area of abutment: } A_1 = (24'-2'')(5'-2'') = 17980 \text{ in}^2$$

$$\text{Area of wingwall: } A_2 = (8'-8\frac{3}{4}'')(10'-9\frac{5}{8}'') = 13578 \text{ in}^2$$

Resisting Section for M_y :

$$\text{Abutment: } S_{b,y1}^* = bh^2/6 = (3'-6'')(5'-2'')^2/6 = 26908 \text{ in}^3$$

$$\text{Wingwall: } S_{b,y2}^* = bh^2/6 = (1'-6'')(10'-9\frac{5}{8}'')^2/6 = 50408 \text{ in}^3$$

$$\text{Unit weight at abutment: } (5'-2'')(150 \text{ pcf}) = 775 \text{ psf} = .775 \text{ ksf}$$

$$\text{Unit weight at wingwalls: } (10'-9\frac{5}{8}'')(150 \text{ pcf}) = 1615 \text{ psf} = 1.615 \text{ ksf}$$

$$\text{Total weight: } (.775 \text{ ksf})(24'-2'')(3'-6'') + (1.615 \text{ ksf})(8'-8\frac{3}{4}'')(1'-6'') = 86.7 \text{ k}$$

Allowable tensile stresses at stripping and lifting (PCI Eq. 5.3.3.1):

$$5\lambda\sqrt{f_c'} = 5(1.0)\sqrt{3000 \text{ psi}} = 0.274 \text{ ksi}$$

Allowable tensile stresses at traveling (PCI Eq. 5.3.3.1):

$$5\lambda\sqrt{f_c'} = 5(1.0)\sqrt{5000 \text{ psi}} = 0.354 \text{ ksi}$$

From PCI Figure 5.3.1.2:

$$\text{Abutment: } a = 3'-6'' ; b = 24'-2'' ; \text{Wingwall: } a = 1'-6'' ; b = 8'-8\frac{3}{4}''$$

$$w_{y1} = (0.775 \text{ ksf})(3'-6'') = 2.71 \text{ ksf (for abutment)}$$

$$w_{y2} = (1.615 \text{ ksf})(1'-6'')(8'-8\frac{3}{4}'')/(2.77') = 7.63 \text{ klf (for idealized wingwall at abutment)}$$

$$w_{y3} = (0.775 \text{ ksf})(24'-2''/2)(3'-6'')/(2.10') = 15.72 \text{ klf (for idealized abutment at wingwall)}$$

$$w_{y4} = (1.615 \text{ ksf})(1'-6'') = 2.42 \text{ klf (for idealized wingwall)}$$

Using mechanics of materials (see shear and moment diagrams on pages 4-6):

$$+ M_{y1}^* = (0.5)(2.77')(21.1 \text{ k}) + (0.5)(4.2')(32.1 \text{ k} - 21.1 \text{ k}) + (4.2')(21.1 \text{ k}) = 140.9 \text{ k-ft}$$

$$- M_{y1}^* = (0.5)(16.3 \text{ k})(6') - (0.5)(22.0 \text{ k})(8.1') = -40.2 \text{ k-ft}$$

$$+ M_{y2} = (0.5)(62.8 \text{ k})(4.54') = 142.6 \text{ k-ft}$$

* Note: In order to maximize effects, the location of the second lift support was varied between the second lift support location on the abutment the lift support located on the wingwall.

For Stripping:

$$f_t = + M_{y1} / S_{b,y1} = (140.9 \text{ k-ft})(12''/\text{ft})(1.3)/(26908 \text{ in}^3) = .082 \text{ ksi} < 0.274 \text{ ksi} \rightarrow \text{O.K.}$$

$$f_t = - M_{y1} / S_{b,y1} = (40.2 \text{ k-ft})(12''/\text{ft})(1.3)/(26908 \text{ in}^3) = .023 \text{ ksi} < 0.274 \text{ ksi} \rightarrow \text{O.K.}$$

$$f_t = M_{y2} / S_{b,y2} = (24.8 \text{ k/ft})(12''/\text{ft})(1.3)/(50408 \text{ in}^3) = \mathbf{0.01 \text{ ksi} < 0.274 \text{ ksi} \rightarrow \text{O.K.}}$$

For Yard Handling and Erection:

$$f_t = + M_{y1} / S_{b,y1} = (140.9 \text{ k/ft})(12''/\text{ft})(1.2)/(26908 \text{ in}^3) = \mathbf{.075 \text{ ksi} < 0.274 \text{ ksi} \rightarrow \text{O.K.}}$$

$$f_t = - M_{y1} / S_{b,y1} = (40.2 \text{ k/ft})(12''/\text{ft})(1.2)/(26908 \text{ in}^3) = \mathbf{.022 \text{ ksi} < 0.274 \text{ ksi} \rightarrow \text{O.K.}}$$

$$f_t = M_{y2} / S_{b,y2} = (24.8 \text{ k/ft})(12''/\text{ft})(1.2)/(50408 \text{ in}^3) = \mathbf{0.01 \text{ ksi} < 0.274 \text{ ksi} \rightarrow \text{O.K.}}$$

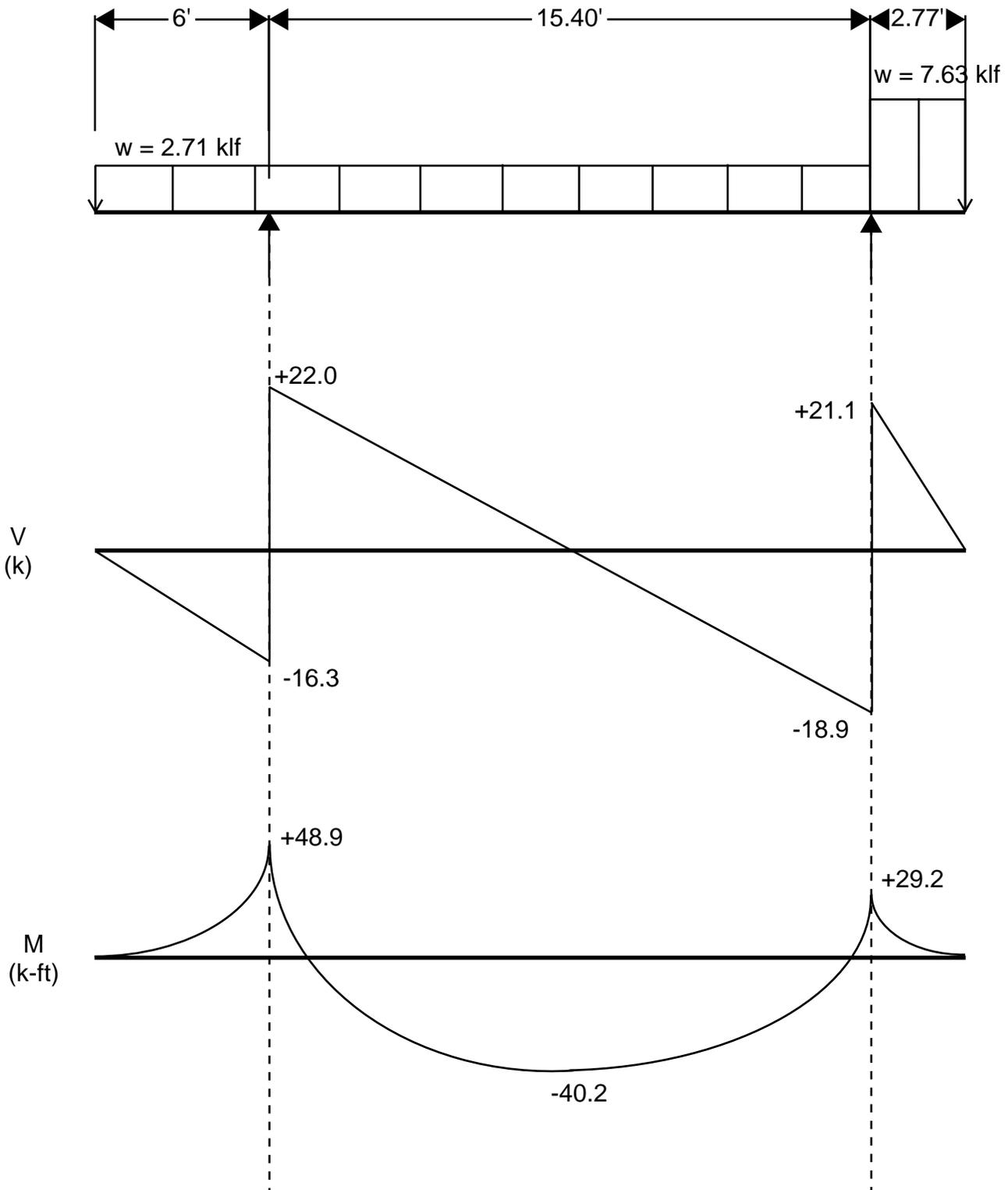
For Travel: (Strip lumber to dunnage to be aligned with lifting points)

$$f_t = M_{y1} / S_{b,y1} = (140.9 \text{ k/ft})(12''/\text{ft})(1.5)/(26908 \text{ in}^3) = \mathbf{.094 \text{ ksi} < 0.354 \text{ ksi} \rightarrow \text{O.K.}}$$

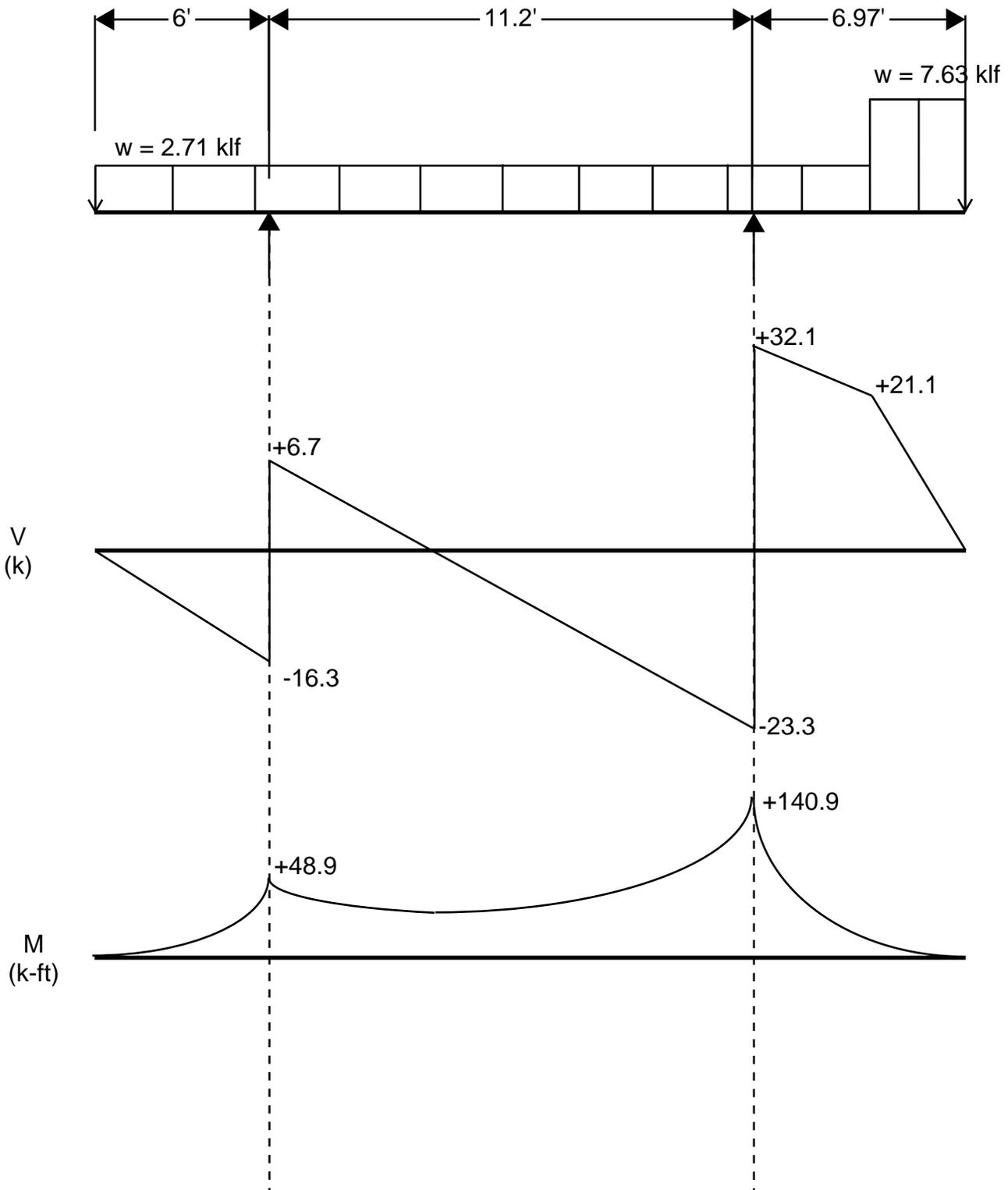
$$f_t = + M_{y1} / S_{b,y1} = (40.2 \text{ k/ft})(12''/\text{ft})(1.5)/(26908 \text{ in}^3) = \mathbf{.027 \text{ ksi} < 0.354 \text{ ksi} \rightarrow \text{O.K.}}$$

$$f_t = - M_{y2} / S_{b,y2} = (24.8 \text{ k/ft})(12''/\text{ft})(1.5)/(50408 \text{ in}^3) = \mathbf{0.01 \text{ ksi} < 0.354 \text{ ksi} \rightarrow \text{O.K.}}$$

Max Negative M_y :



Max Positive M_y :



Max M_y in Wingwall:

