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### **CAL 80(SD) . . . COMPUTER ANALYSIS LANGUAGE FOR THE STATIC AND DYNAMIC ANALYSIS OF STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS**

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**SUMMARY:** CAL 80(SD) is an extensive modification of CAL78 which has options ranging from simple matrix manipulation, as an extension of classical structural analysis, to the direct stiffness formulation of structural systems, with extensions to dynamic analysis in the time or frequency domain. An accompanying program, SIMPAL, provides a transition to production-type programs for structural analysis by including options for data generation and geometry checks by screen plots. CAL 80(SD) operates as an interactive program but can also operate in batch mode by taking commands from an input file rather than a terminal. It is a database-driven program that is modularly constructed, with communication between each module controlled by a database manager. Small individual program segments, efficiently assembled by the use of run-time libraries and interconnected by a common database, allow applications not only on minicomputers and large mainframes, but also on microcomputer systems.

Operates on VAX computers.

**USER GUIDE:** Seible, F., and C. T. Latham, "CAL 80 - SIMPAL, Instructional Computer Programs for Structural Engineering, User Information Manual," Department of Applied Mechanics and Engineering Sciences, University of California, San Diego, January 1985.

## **CAL-91 . . . COMPUTER ASSISTED LEARNING OF STRUCTURAL ANALYSIS**

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**SUMMARY:** The basic purpose of the CAL language is to bridge the gap between traditional methods of teaching structural analysis and the use of automated structural analysis programs. As a result of using CAL, it is hoped that engineers will understand the theory and approximations which are used in modern structural analysis programs. CAL-91 is designed to interpret a sequence of commands which are supplied by the user. The commands can be given directly in an "interactive mode," or the program can read the commands from a "batch data file." The input has been redesigned so all commands, array names, and data are in free-field form. Commands for matrix analysis, direct stiffness structural analysis, and dynamic response analysis are possible. The program is written in standard FORTRAN 77 and will operate on small microcomputers or large mainframe computers. Printer plots of results can be produced.

CAL-91 is used to perform linear dynamic analysis of small structural systems. It is possible to solve the following types of dynamic problems:

1. Evaluation of free-vibration mode shapes and frequencies.
2. Automatic generation of Ritz vectors to be used in mode superposition analysis or response spectra analysis.
3. Mode superposition analysis due to arbitrary loading.
4. Response spectra analysis due to earthquake loading.
5. Step-by-step analysis of structural systems with arbitrary viscous damping.

Operates on PC DOS and Apple MacIntosh computers.

**USER GUIDE:** Wilson, E. L., "CAL-91 - Computer Assisted Learning of Structural Analysis," Report No. UCB/SEMM-91/01, Department of Civil Engineering, University of California, Berkeley, January 1991.

## **STOCAL-I . . . STOCHASTIC COMPUTER ANALYSIS LANGUAGE FOR THE STATIC AND DYNAMIC ANALYSIS OF STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS**

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**SUMMARY:** STOCAL-I is a matrix interpretive language and a small capacity structural analysis program. It is an extended version of the CAL78 program that allows the nondeterministic analysis of structural response under uni-directional, arbitrarily angled base acceleration input. CAL78 is designed to manipulate arrays and matrices and to perform several standard structural analysis options. For STOCAL-I a series of nondeterministic operations have been added: discrete Fourier transform and inverse transform of any time history series; power spectral density calculations; input-output relationships in the frequency domain; complete quadratic combination techniques to give structural responses (displacements and forces) to prescribed inputs; and cumulative distribution functions evaluated for the peak of any response quantity. Source code written in Fortran 4. Originally programmed for CDC computers.

**USER GUIDE:** Button, M. R., A. Der Kiureghian, and E. L. Wilson, "STOCAL User Information Manual," Report No. UCB/SESM-81/02, Department of Civil Engineering, University of California, Berkeley, July 1981.

## **STOCAL-II . . . COMPUTER-ASSISTED LEARNING SYSTEM FOR STOCHASTIC DYNAMIC ANALYSIS OF STRUCTURES**

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**SUMMARY:** STOCAL-II is an instructional software designed for teaching or self-learning of random vibrations and applied stochastic processes. It can be used in a classroom environment for demonstration purposes and homework assignments, or in an office environment for self-learning or for application to a variety of engineering problems. The software works in both interactive and batch modes and has an online graphics capability. It employs a command-based approach, where a problem is solved by issuing a sequence of commands with the appropriate matrices and parameters. The software functions as a transparent box involving decisions by the user, providing access to all intermediate results, and giving virtually unlimited flexibility for parametric study and experimentation. STOCAL-II is based on and is an extension of the well-known deterministic program CAL (Wilson, 1978), which has commands for matrix operations and for static and dynamic structural analysis, including formation of stiffness matrix, static condensation, eigenvalue analysis and time-history integration. The extension includes more than 40 commands for stochastic analysis, which are in ten groups as follows: (1) Two - dimensional graphics on display monitor and plotter; (2) Generation of random numbers and processes; (3) Transformation of sample numbers and functions; (4) Statistical estimation of sample numbers and functions; (4) Frequency and time-domain transformations; (6) PSD of stationary and nonstationary (evolutionary) response of linear systems; (7) Auto/cross-correlation of stationary and nonstationary (evolutionary) response of linear systems; (8) Spectral moments of stationary

response; (9) Engineering statistics of stationary process; and (10) Engineering statistics of nonstationary process.

STOCAL-II requires at least 420KB free memory and, for graphics, uses the IBM Graphics Toolkit. Thus, your system requires the proper VDI drivers for the display monitor and the plotter.

Operates on PC DOS computers. Source code not available; executable file only. License agreement required.

USER GUIDE: Wung, C.-D., and A. Der Kiureghian, "STOCAL-II: Computer Assisted Learning System for Stochastic Dynamic Analysis of Structures," Report No. UCB/SEMM-89/10, Department of Civil Engineering, University of California, Berkeley, California, April 1989.

## **STRUCTURAL ANALYSIS**

### **BIAX . . . A COMPUTER PROGRAM FOR THE ANALYSIS OF REINFORCED CONCRETE AND REINFORCED MASONRY SECTIONS**

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**SUMMARY:** BIAX is a general purpose computer program to evaluate uniaxial and biaxial strength and deformation characteristics of reinforced concrete (R/C) sections. The program computes these characteristics based on the assumption that plane sections remain plane after the application of loading. Based on this assumption, the program can be used to compute strength or moment-curvature relations for uniaxial or biaxial monotonic loading. Nonlinear material models are used for both the reinforcing steel and the concrete. The model for the stress-strain behavior of the reinforcing steel is versatile, allowing relations that closely approximate experimentally observed behavior. Models for the concrete stress-strain behavior include the modified Kent and Park (1982), Sheikh and Uzumeri (1982), and Yong et al. (1988) relations. A stress-strain relationship for unconfined and confined masonry and user defined stress-strain relationships are incorporated. The relationship suggested by Vecchio and Collins (1986) is used to describe the stress-strain relation for concrete in tension. The tensile strength of the concrete beyond the rupture stress may be included or neglected. Presently, the program allows two stress-strain diagrams for concrete (unconfined and confined), and four relations for reinforcing steel (for any given problem).

An R/C section is described as a combination of rectangular subsections; therefore the program allows easy generation of T, L or barbell shaped sections. The

user specifies a mesh for each subsection. An iterative procedure (simple bisection algorithm) is used to obtain a solution for the prescribed problem. Operates on PC DOS computers. Source code not available; executable file only.

USER GUIDE: Wallace, J.W., "BIAX: Revision 1, A Computer Program for the Analysis of Reinforced Concrete and Reinforced Masonry Sections," Report No. CU/CEE-92/4, Department of Civil Engineering, Clarkson University, Potsdam, New York, February 1992.

## **ETABS . . . EXTENDED THREE-DIMENSIONAL ANALYSIS OF BUILDING SYSTEMS**

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**SUMMARY:** ETABS is designed to perform linear structural analysis of frame and shear wall buildings subjected to both static and earthquake loadings. The building is idealized by a system of independent frame and shear wall elements interconnected by floor diaphragms which are rigid in their own plane. Frame and shear wall elements of arbitrary plan may be specified, within which full kinematic compatibility is enforced. Bending, axial, and shearing deformations are included within each column. Beams, girders, and vertical diagonal braces may be nonprismatic, and bending and shearing deformations are included. Special panel elements allow discontinuous shear walls to be modeled. Finite column and beam widths are included in the formulation. Nonsymmetric, nonrectangular buildings that have frames and shear walls located arbitrarily in plan can be considered. Axial deformations of common column lines of different frames are treated as uncoupled by the program.

Three independent vertical and two lateral static loading conditions are possible. The static loads may be combined with a lateral earthquake input that is specified either as an acceleration spectrum response or as a ground acceleration record. Three-dimensional mode shapes and frequencies are evaluated.

Frame and shear walls are considered as substructures in the basic formulation; therefore, for many structures input data preparation can be minimized and a significant reduction in computational effort can result. The following output is given by the program: story displacements, mode shapes and periods, lateral frame displacements, frame member forces at each level of the frame. Results can be printed for as many modes under consideration as are desired.

Operates on CDC and IBM mainframe and DECstation 3100 computers.

USER GUIDE: Wilson, E. L., J. P. Hollings, and H. H. Dovey, "Three-Dimensional Analysis of Building Systems," Earthquake Engineering Research Center, Report No. UCB/EERC-75/13, University of California, Berkeley, April 1975.

**ODRESB-3D . . . OPTIMUM DESIGN OF REINFORCED  
CONCRETE AND STEEL BUILDING SYSTEMS  
SUBJECTED TO 3-D GROUND MOTIONS AND ATC-03  
PROVISIONS**

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**SUMMARY:** The building system to be optimized can consist of any combination of steel columns, beams, and braces and reinforced-concrete flexural walls and panels. Each floor is assumed to be rigid in its own plane. Second order effects are handled with two different approaches. The static and response spectrum analyses use a separate geometric stiffness matrix, while the ATC 3-06 analysis uses a stability factor in order to adjust the structural response.

The program has the option of adding external or nonstructural stiffness to the structural stiffness. An objective function is minimized, either cost or weight, subject to the constraints of the analyses chosen. Primary design variables for reinforced concrete or for steel wide-flange sections are computed, from which appropriate design values for members may be selected.

Operates on IBM mainframe and Fujitsu VP computers.

**USER GUIDE:** Truman, K. Z., D.-S. Juang and F. Y. Cheng, "ODRESB-3D User's Manual, A Computer Program for Optimum Design of Reinforced Concrete and Steel Building Systems Subjected to 3-D Ground Motions and ATC-03 Provisions," Department of Civil Engineering, University of Missouri-Rolla, Civil Engineering Study Structural Series 85-30, 1985.

**ODSEWS-2D-II . . . OPTIMUM DESIGN OF 2-D STEEL  
STRUCTURES FOR STATIC, SEISMIC AND WIND FORCES**

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**SUMMARY:** The structural system to be optimized can be trusses, unbraced and braced frames. Seismic input can be one-dimensional (horizontal) and two-dimensional (horizontal coupled with vertical). The dynamic forces may be seismic excitation at the base, dynamic forces applied at the structural nodes, and wind forces acting on the structural surfaces. The seismic input excitations include earthquake time histories, five groups of response spectra, and three seismic design code provisions: the Uniform Building Code, the Chinese Seismic Design Code, and ATC-3-06. The structural formulation is derived on the basis of the matrix displacement method and consistent mass method with the

second order P- $\Delta$  forces included. The constituent members of a system are made of either built-up sections or of AISC WF sections. Constraints include stresses, displacements, story drifts, natural frequencies, maximum differences between relative stiffnesses, and lower bound of cross sections. The objective function can be either minimum weight or minimum cost.

Operates on IBM mainframe and Fujitsu VP computers.

USER GUIDE: Cheng, F. Y., and D.-S. Juang, "ODSEWS-2D-II User's Manual, A Computer Program for Optimum Design of 2-Dimensional Steel Structures for Static, Seismic and Wind Forces," Department of Civil Engineering, University of Missouri-Rolla, Civil Engineering Study Structural Series 85-11, 1985.

## **RCCOLA . . . REINFORCED CONCRETE COLUMN ANALYSIS**

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SUMMARY: The computer program RCCOLA will evaluate the general flexural characteristics of reinforced concrete cross-sections subjected to axial forces and uniaxial bending moments. The constituent relationships considered for the concrete and reinforcement are general, single-valued functions of strain (i.e., stress unloading not considered). The geometry of the section may be arbitrary, except that an axis of symmetry must exist perpendicular to the neutral axis of the section. Plane sections are assumed to remain plane after deformation, and bond slip between the concrete and the reinforcement is disregarded.

For each combination of axial load and concrete strain (in the extreme compression fiber) specified by the user, the following are evaluated: (1) the shear strength near the section according to ACI recommendations, (2) the moment at the end of an asymmetrically loaded member that corresponds to this shear strength, and (3) the moment capacities corresponding to (a) tensile yielding in the reinforcement, (b) compression yielding in the reinforcement, and (c) fracture of the tensile reinforcement.

Source code in FORTRAN 4. Originally programmed for CDC computers.

USER GUIDE: Mahin, S. A., and V. V. Bertero, "RCCOLA, A Computer Program for Reinforced Concrete Column Analysis, User's Manual and Documentation," Department of Civil Engineering, University of California, Berkeley, August 1977.

## **RCSA . . . REINFORCED CONCRETE SECTION ANALYSIS**

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**SUMMARY:** RCSA is an interactive microcomputer program developed to provide a practical and reliable section analysis tool to predict the response of deep or flanged RC sections. Some components of an existing program, UNCOLA, which was developed at the University of California, Berkeley, were incorporated into RCSA. With RCSA one is able to perform analysis of a pre-stressed, reinforced concrete, or a composite section at any limit state under any specified loading history.

The program utilizes the layer, or filament, approach to discretize a section. Assumptions in the analysis are as follows: (1) The section must be loaded through an axis of symmetry by unidirectional axial force, flexure and shear; (2) Any type of user-defined strain profile, as well as the Bernoulli-Nairer hypothesis, may be implemented. Even "bond slip" or "shear-lag" may be simulated by properly defining strain coefficients for steel or concrete fibers and/or filaments; (3) Shear force and/or shear deformation relations are not explicitly included; however, the effect of shear on axial-flexural response may be considered through an equivalent bi-axial response for concrete; (4) Perfect bond between steel and concrete exists unless slip is incorporated by defining slip factors for individual bars; (5) Narrow cracks and microcracking that may exist as initial conditions may be accounted for by modifying concrete material properties; and (6) Other initial stresses and/or bond slip which may be existing as a result of construction or curing effects are neglected. Initial prestressing effects in steel may be incorporated if prestressing is specified and a bilinear model for steel is used.

Operates on PC DOS computers.

**USER GUIDE:** Nelson, G., and A. E. Aktan, "Response Prediction of Wall and T-Beam Elements in RC Buildings and User's Guide for 'RCSA'," Department of Civil Engineering, Research Report 86-3, Louisiana State University, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, July 1986.

## **SAP IV . . . A STRUCTURAL ANALYSIS PROGRAM FOR STATIC AND DYNAMIC RESPONSE OF LINEAR SYSTEMS**

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**SUMMARY:** SAP IV is a finite element structural analysis program for the static and dynamic response of linear three-dimensional systems. The program is written to analyze structures which are idealized by combinations of structural element types. The capacity of the problem depends mainly on the number of finite element nodal points in the system. There is practically no restriction on the number of elements, the number of load cases and the number or bandwidth of the equations to be solved. In a dynamic analysis the options are (1) frequency calculations, (2) frequency calculations followed by response history analysis, (3) frequency calculations followed by response spectrum analysis and (4) response history analysis using step-by-step direct integration. Despite large system capacity, no loss in efficiency is encountered in solving smaller problems. The report describes the logical construction of the program, the dynamic high speed storage allocation, the analysis capabilities, the finite element library and the numerical techniques used. The report also contains the user's manual.

The following element types are available:

- Three-dimensional truss
- Three-dimensional beam
- Plane stress and plane strain
- Two-dimensional axisymmetric solid
- Three-dimensional solid (8 node brick)
- Plate and shell
- Boundary
- Pipe
- Variable-number-nodes thick shell and  
Three-dimensional element

Operates on CDC and IBM mainframes, VAX and Fujitsu VP computers.

**USER GUIDE:** Bathe, K-J., E. L. Wilson, and F. E. Peterson, "SAP IV - Structural Analysis Program for Static and Dynamic Response of Linear Systems," Earthquake Engineering Research Center, University of California, Berkeley, Report No. 73-11, June 1973; revised April 1974.

## **SLAM-2 . . . A MICROCOMPUTER PROGRAM FOR THE ANALYSIS OF STRUCTURAL POUNDING**

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**SUMMARY:** Buildings dynamically sway during an earthquake, and lateral collisions can occur between structures that are in close proximity to each other.

This is referred to as structural pounding. SLAM-2 is intended to provide practicing engineers with an analytical tool that can be used to evaluate the effects of structural pounding on buildings. SLAM-2 is an extension of the computer program SLAM(1988). SLAM was for the analysis of pounding between a flexible three dimensional multistory building and a rigid adjacent structure. SLAM-2 is for the analysis of pounding between two flexible three dimensional multistory buildings. The buildings are idealized using the ETABS formulation as contained in the enhanced microcomputer version, SUPER-ETABS. The data generated by SUPER-ETABS via a restart file is used by SLAM-2.

A SLAM-2 analysis is typically carried out in three steps: (1) a SUPER-ETABS solution for the first building's stiffness properties; (2) a SUPER-ETABS solution for the second building's stiffness properties; and (3) a SLAM-2 time history solution for the building pounding response. SLAM-2 also has a restart capability which saves the buildings' stiffnesses and dynamic properties thereby permitting rapid execution of multiple response time history analyses.

SLAM-2 solves for each building's gross story response quantities: deflections, twists, drifts, shears, torques, and overturning moments. Envelopes of the peak positive and negative responses and the relative time of occurrence are output. The program can also printer plot the peak response envelopes along each building's height. The user can request saving the time history of each response quantity for later post processing.

The program is available either as (1) an addition to the SUPER-ETABS program, which the user must modify on his own, or (2) as a complete program package contained within SUPER-ETABS.

Operates on PC DOS computers.

USER GUIDE Maison, B.F. and K. Kasai, "SLAM-2 - A Computer Program for the Analysis of Structural Pounding," August 1990.

## **SUPER-ETABS . . . EXTENDED THREE-DIMENSIONAL ANALYSIS OF BUILDING SYSTEMS**

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**SUMMARY:** SUPER-ETABS is an enhancement of ETABS which was designed to perform linear structural analysis of frame and shear wall buildings subjected to both static and earthquake loadings. The extended capabilities of the enhanced program include: the analysis for the gross building response quan-