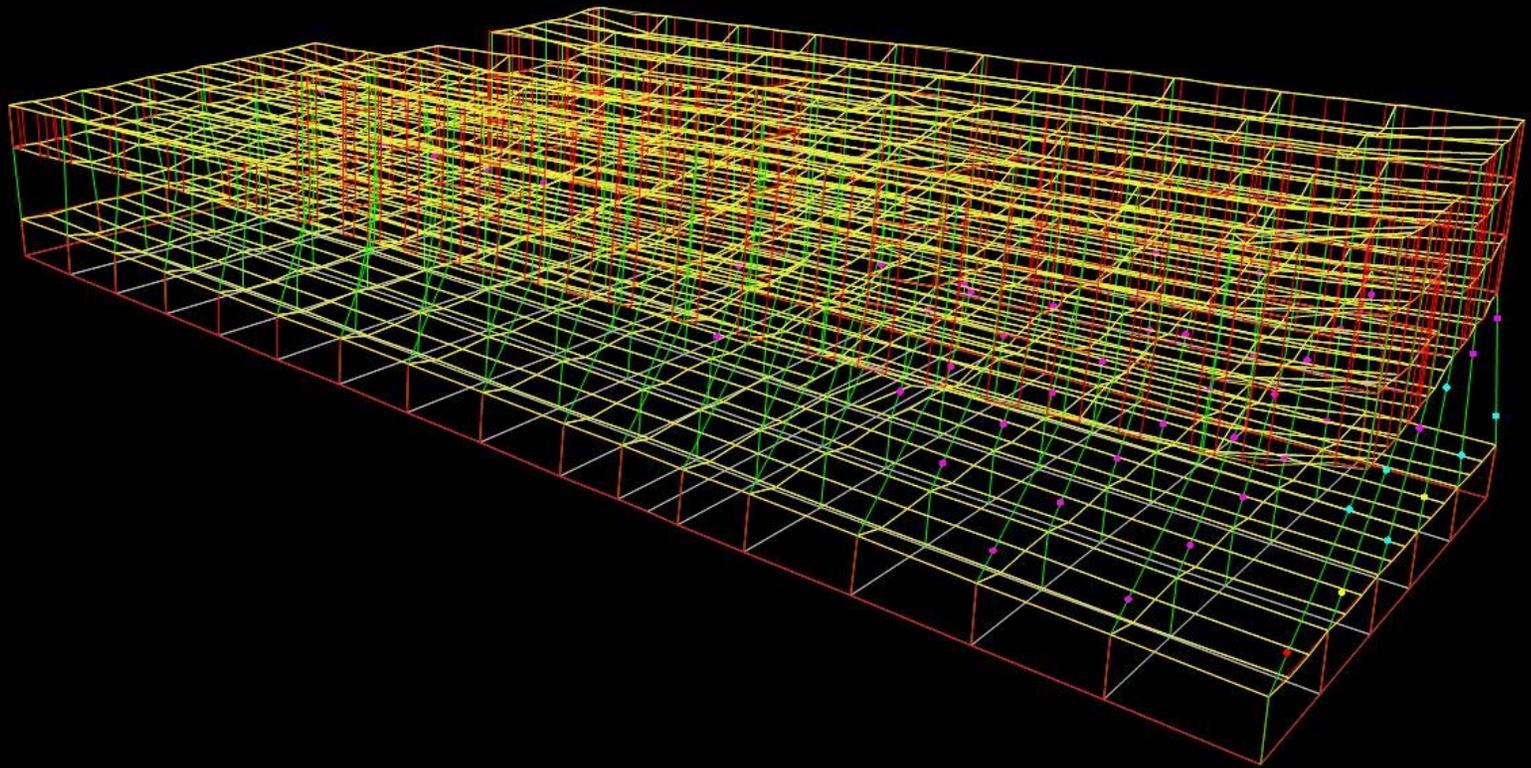


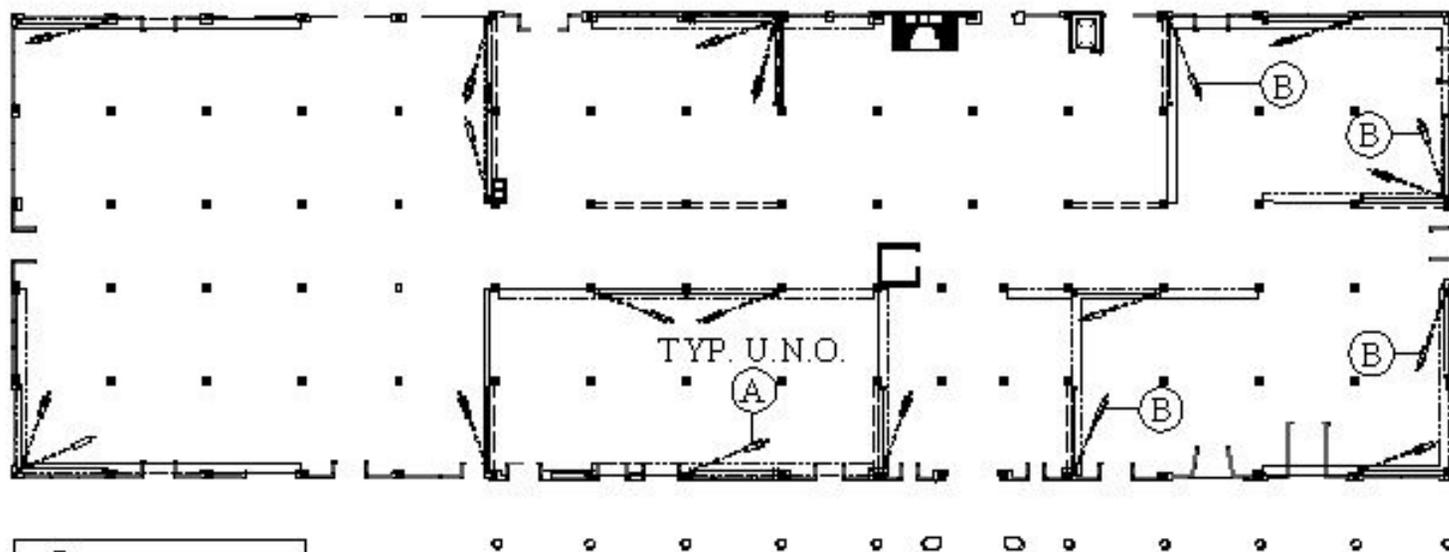
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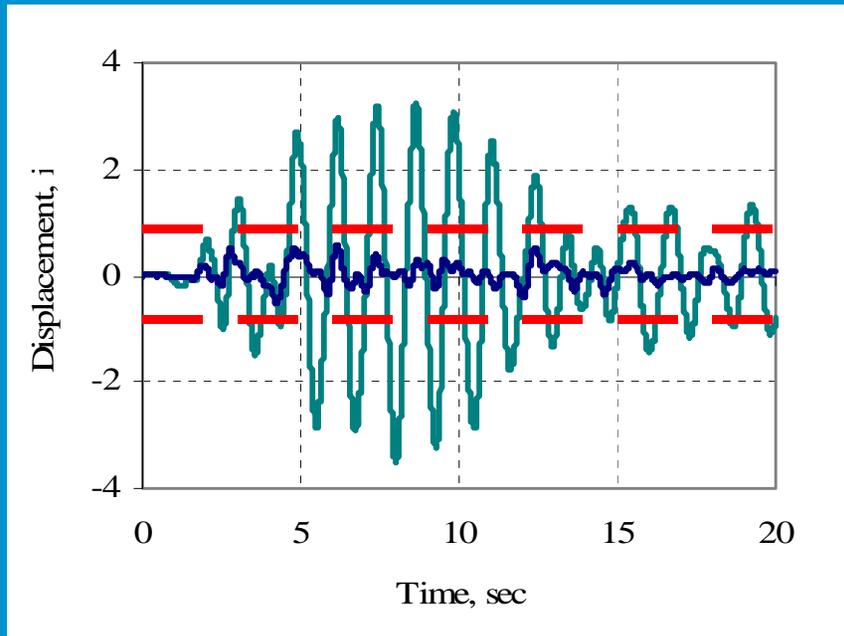


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(A) = FVD
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10 Dampers Each Direction

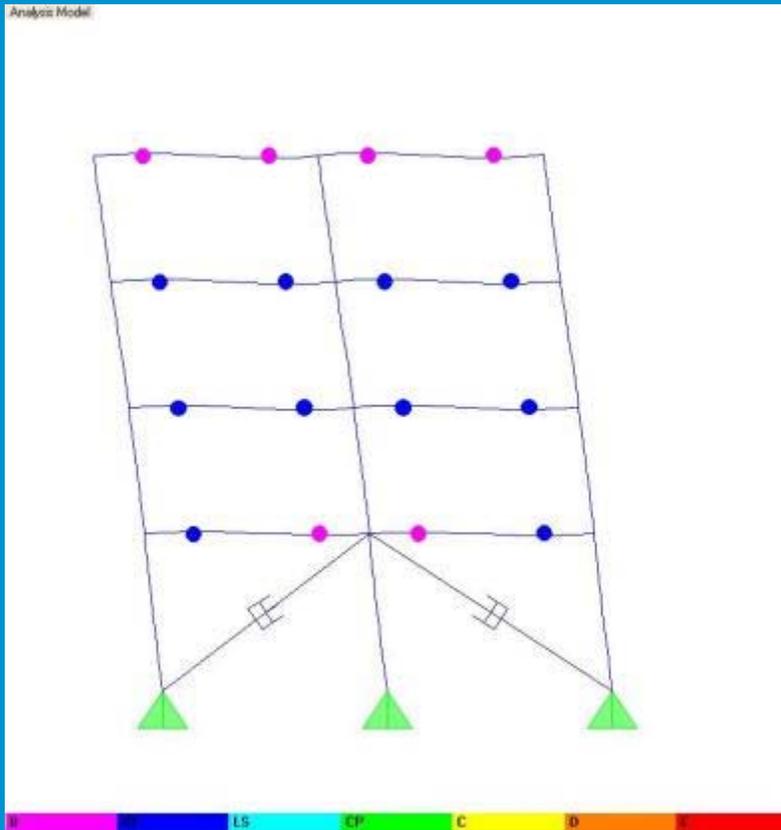


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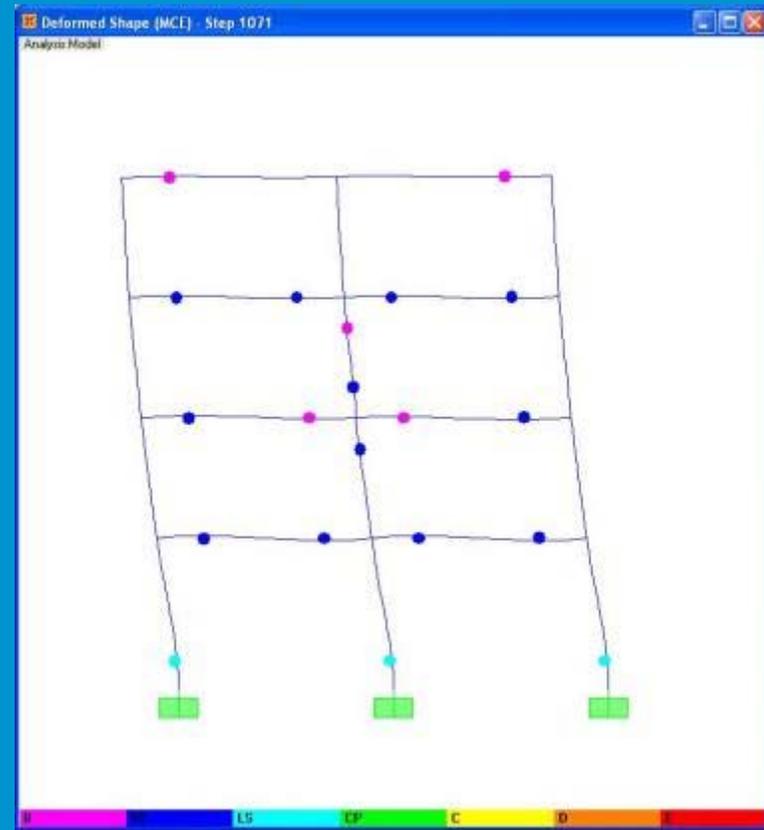


Plastic Hinges @ MCE (level3)

Damped



Conventional



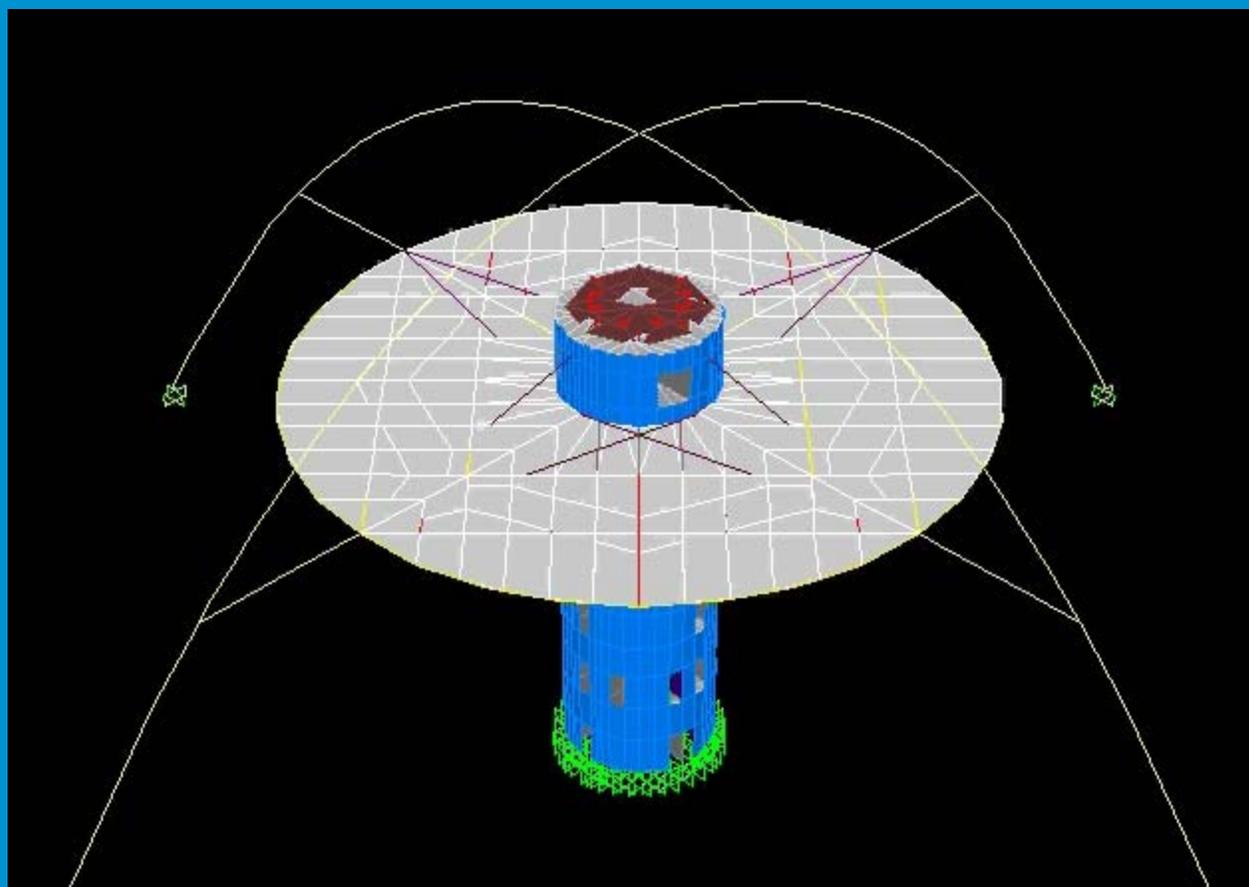
Response	Damped	Conventional	Level
Drift Ratio (%)	1.4	1.4	DBE
Base Shear Coefficient (g)	0.5	0.9	DBE
Roof Accretion (g)	1.7	2.7	DBE
Beam PH Rotation (% Radians)	1.3	1.7	MCE
Column PH Rotation (% Radians)	0	2.6	MCE

Construction Cost

Item	Conventional	Damped	Differential Cost
Moment Frames	274 ton	223 ton	- \$150,000
Foundation	RC Grade Beams, Excavation & Backfill	No Grade Beams	- \$200,000
Dampers	--	\$200,000	+ \$200,000
Net			-\$150,000

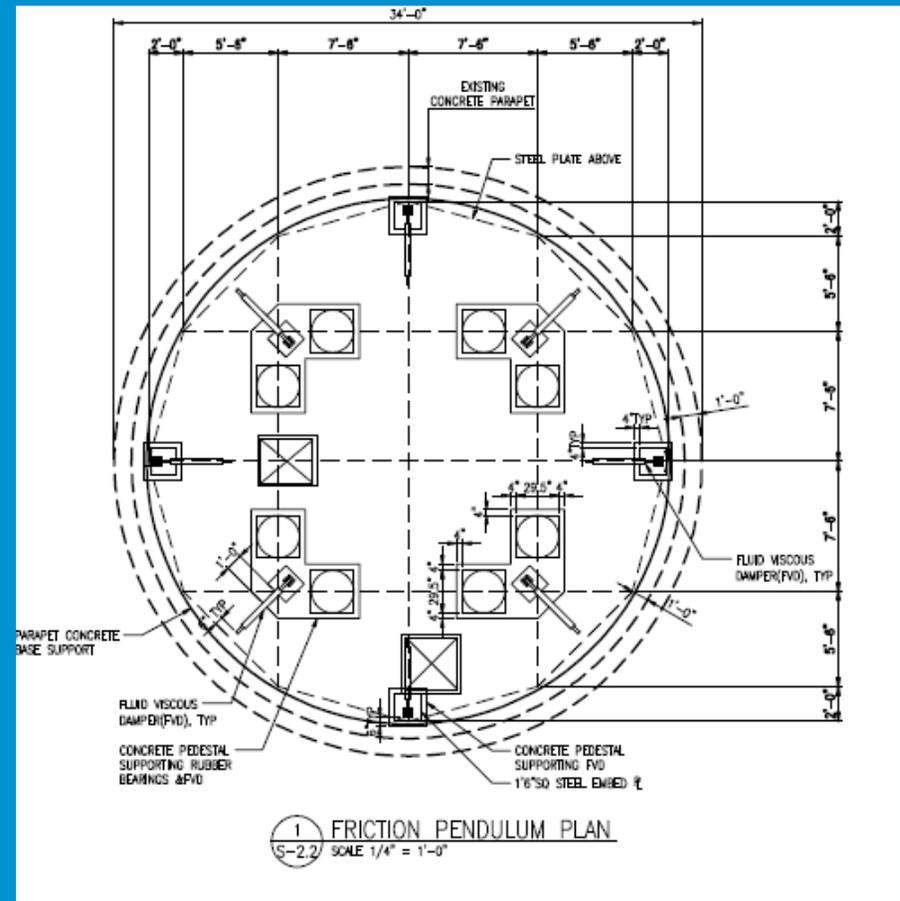
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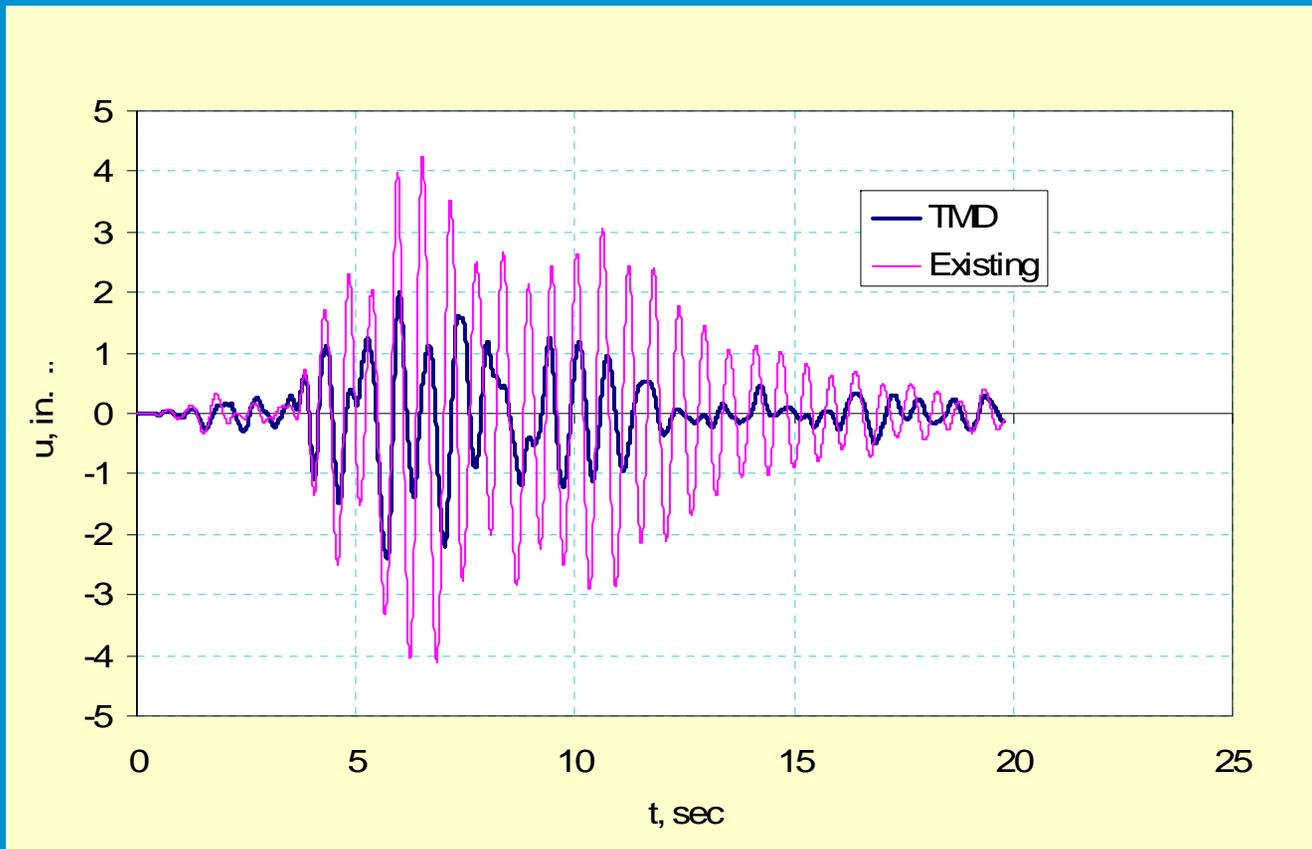


Mass Damper

- 25% Mass of Structure (2-747s)
- Viscous Damper and Rubber Isolator
- 15% damping



Roof Displacement



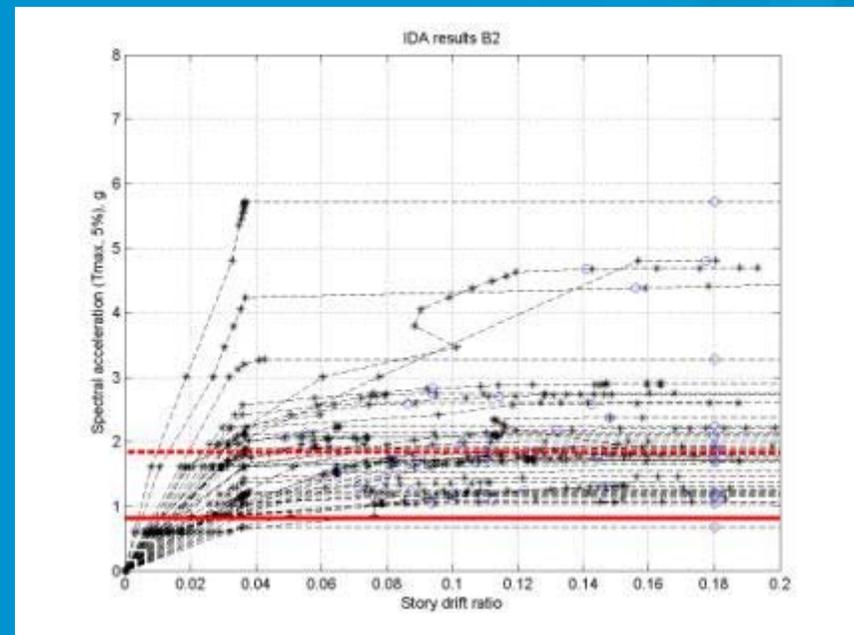
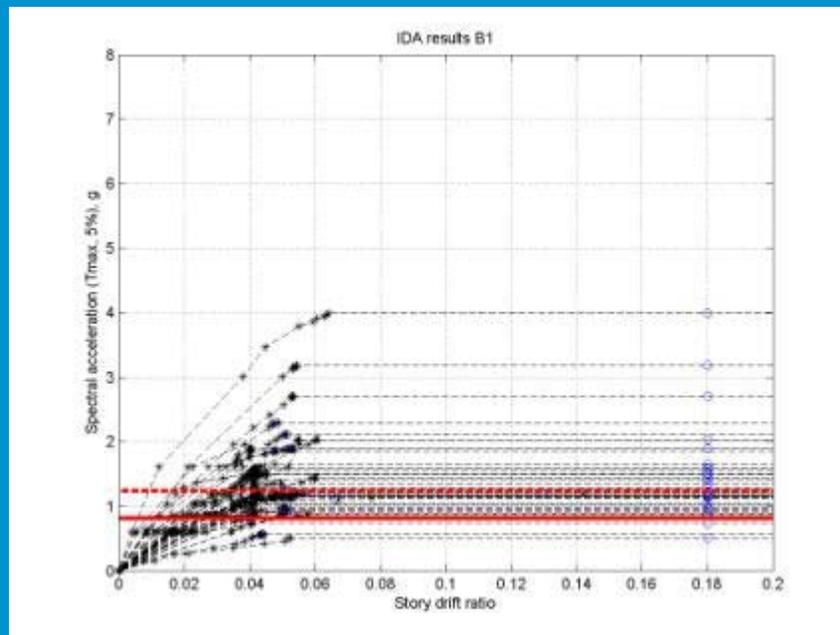


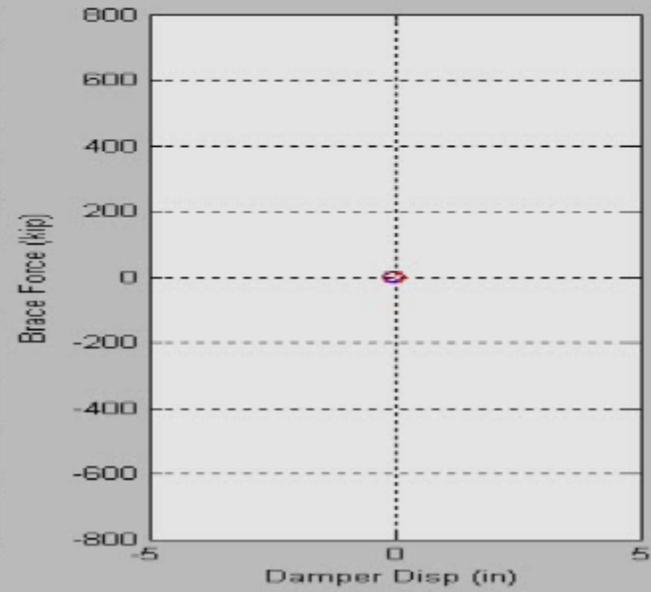
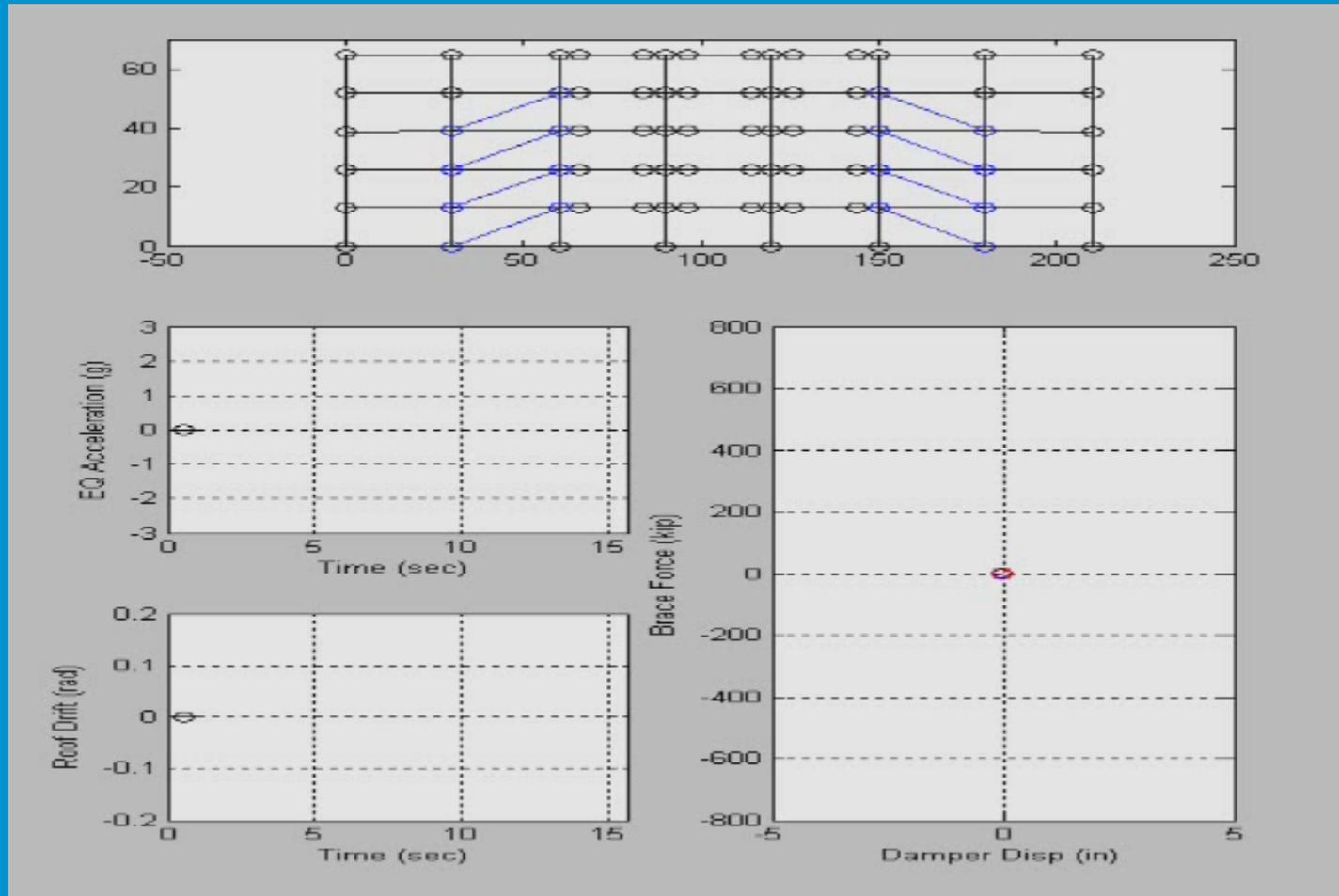


Incremental Dynamic Analysis

B1:SCT = 1.2 g SMT = 0.82g

B2:SCT = 1.8 g SMT = 0.82g





- Damped structure per current practice is safe : 5.6% probability of collapse at MCE
- Increase damper SF to 1.3 MCE force:
1.8 % probability of collapse at MCE







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