# Parametric Study of Intz water tank with varying height to Diameter ratio using Staad Pro 

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#### Abstract

Intz tank is an important overhead water storage tank, there for it is necessary that it should be constructed keeping in view its economy. The main aims of this paper are hydrostatic analysis of Intze water tank, To obtain economical design of tank, the parametric study must needed, for this purpose we can vary the proportion of container such as, staging container diameter ratio, height of cylindrical wall to diameter ratio and horizontal angle of dome have been varied as well as no of column for design of staging. To achieve this objective 4 different depth to diameter ratio of Intze tank consider for analysis on staad pro software and comparative results obtained in term of principal and Von mises stresses on cylindrical wall. Maximum shear force and bending moment on beams and node displacement. For the parametric study of Intze tank horizontal angle of conical dome should be $45^{\circ}$, ratio of height of cylindrical wall to diameter ratio should be kept $0.5,0.8,1$ and 1.5 . with constant volume and height of staging.


Keywords: Intz tank, Parametric study, Staad pro.

## 1. INTRODUCTION

Intz water tank most common type of elevated water retaining structure to store water as per locality demand. It consists of cement concrete because imperviousness of concrete but as we know that due to hydrostatic pressure, the cylindrical wall under tensile stresses, and concrete weak in tension. So, it is very essential to keep this tensile stress within the permissible limit which depends upon the height of the cylindrical wall and diameter of the container. In this paper, we use a different ratio of height to diameter ratio of container to check the stresses' behaviour on the cylindrical wall with the same quantity of water.

## 2. OBJECTIVE OF WORK

1. Perform Parametric study of Intz water tank with varying the height to diameter ratio of a cylindrical container with the same volume and height of staging by using Staad pro software.
2. Find out the variation of Principal and Von mises stress on cylindrical wall with same thickness.

## 3. METHODOLOGY

1. Design of Intz tank by using IS 3370 \& IS 456: 2000 with different Height to Diameter ratio.
2. Create a Model with the help of Staad pro software and Apply the same load on the tank wall which is obtained in Manual Calculations.
3. keep the thickness of the cylindrical wall is constant for all Model with same volume.
4. Prepare a comparative chart of all output quantities such as Principal and Von mises Stresses on Cylindrical plate, Node displacement in all directions, support reaction and shear force and bending moment of the beam and circular girders.

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Table 1: Height to Diameter Ratio of Cylindrical portion

| Sr.n | Diameter of <br> Cylindrical Wall | Height of <br> Cylindrical Wall | H/D ratio <br> Approx. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | 12 | 5 | 0.5 |
| 2 | 10 | 8 | 0.8 |
| 3 | 9 | 9 | 1 |
| 4 | 8 | 12 | 1.5 |

Table 2: Tank Description

| Sr n. | Parameters | Height/Diameter Ratio of Cylindrical wall |  |  |  |
| :---: | :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | $\mathbf{0 . 5}$ | $\mathbf{0 . 8}$ | $\mathbf{1}$ | $\mathbf{1 . 5}$ |
| 1 | Volume of tank | 650 m 3 | 650 m 3 | 650 m 3 | 650 m 3 |
| 2 | Thickness of Cylindrical wall | 250 mm | 250 mm | 250 mm | 250 mm |
| 3 | Rise of Top Dome | 2 | 2 | 2 | 1 |
| 4 | Rise of Bottom Dome | 1.6 | 1.2 | 1.2 | 1 |
| 5 | Angle of Conical Dome | 45 | 45 | 45 | 45 |
| 6 | Size of Top Ring Beam | $300 X 300 \mathrm{~mm}$ | $300 X 300 \mathrm{~mm}$ | $300 X 300 \mathrm{~mm}$ | $300 X 300 \mathrm{~mm}$ |
| 7 | Size of Bottum Ring Beam | $1200 X 600 \mathrm{~mm}$ | $1067 X 533$ | $1200 X 600 \mathrm{~mm}$ | $1600 \times 800 \mathrm{~mm}$ |
| 8 | Size of Bottum Circular Girder | $600 X 1200$ | $533 X 1067$ | $600 X 1200$ | $800 X 1600$ |
| 9 | Thickness of Top Dome | 100 mm | 100 mm | 100 mm | 100 mm |
| 10 | Thickness of Bottum Dome | 300 mm | 267 mm | 300 mm | 400 mm |
| 11 | Thickness of Conical Dome | 600 mm | 533 mm | 600 mm | 800 mm |
| 12 | No. of Circular Column | 8 | 8 | 8 | 8 |
| 13 | Size of Circular Column | 650 mm | 533 mm | 650 mm | 850 mm |



Figure 1: Height to Diameter ratio 0.5


Figure 2: Height to Diameter Ratio 0.8


Figure 3: Height to Diameter Ratio 1


Figure 4: Height to Diameter Ratio 1.5

## 4. RESULTS



Graph 1: Von mis Stresses on Cylindrical Plate


Graph 2: Principal Stresses on Cylindrical Plate

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Graph 3: Maximum Bending Moment on Girders


Graph 4: Maximum Shear force on Girder


Graph 5: Maximum Node Displacement


Graph 6: Maximum Support reaction

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## 5. CONCLUSIONS

Traditional decision of size of tank depends upon availability of land, in this work a study has been done to optimize tank dimensions to reduce stresses on cylindrical tank wall. when we vary the height to diameter ratio of cylindrical container in Overhead water tank we conclude:

1. $\mathrm{H} / \mathrm{D}$ ratio varied from 0.5 to $0.8,1.0$ and then 1.5 the maximum principal stresses at top increases to 11,12 and $15 \%$ and Maximum principal stresses at bottom decreases by 53,57 and $182 \%$ respectively in cylindrical wall with same thickness.
2. Similarly, the max von mises stresses at top and bottom increases by 12,13 and $20 \%$ and 7,32 and $5 \%$ respectively when $\mathrm{H} / \mathrm{D}$ ratio increases from 0.5 to 1.5 .
3. Node displacement in vertical downward direction also decrease with H/D ratio
4. Maximum Shear forces and bending moment on beam decreases up to $28 \%$ when $\mathrm{H} / \mathrm{D}$ ratio varies from 0.5 to 1.5 .
5. Maximum support reaction decreases by $34 \%$ at $\mathrm{H} / \mathrm{D}$ ratio 1.5 as compared with 0.5 .

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