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ABSTRACT

Bangladesh is surrounded by seismically active areas. Dhaka, Chittagong, Sylhet, Mymensingh, and Rangpur are among the most vulnerable cities in Bangladesh. Due to inadequacies in the design and construction of structures, Dhaka and Rangpur are the pivotal points to attract attention to. Many multistory structures have previously been constructed to meet the ever-increasing need of the urban population, but they are susceptible because earthquake forces were not considered in the design or because quality construction was not maintained. Retrofitting and reconstruction are the means and ways of protecting vulnerable structures. Seismic retrofitting is the modification of existing structures to make them more resistant to seismic activity, ground motion, or soil failure caused by earthquakes. In Bangladesh, it's a new concept. This type of intervention minimizes significant cost and bad environmental impact when compared to new building construction.

The objective of this research is to demonstrate the impact of retrofitting on the vulnerability of structures. To test this idea, $(G+6)$ & $(G+10)$ story building with and without retrofitting was evaluated in soil type SC & SD in seismic zone 2 & zone 3. FEM-based software (ETABS 18.1.1) was used for modeling and analysis of this model. For applying earthquake load, Equivalent Static Force Method is used according to BNBC 2020. Concrete jacketing retrofitting method is applied for the beam and column. After conducting research, it is found that several beams and columns failed when seismic load is applied to the structure with the increment of building height with variable soil type. We concluded that Dhaka zone or zone 2 is more ideal for high-rise structures than Rangpur zone or zone 3.

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1.1 Background and Motivations

Bangladesh is at risk of moderate to high earthquakes, which could cause extensive damage and result in the deaths of thousands of people. In recent years Bangladesh has been hit by several deadly and minor earthquakes. These mild tremors indicate that larger earthquakes may strike shortly. Dhaka belongs among the world's 20 high-risk cities on the Earthquake Disaster Risk Index. Recent tale-seismic (remote) and local earthquakes have shaken Dhaka, however, there is limited documentation of prior mega thrust earthquakes. As a result, it's impossible to predict how frequently such earthquakes will occur, how big they'll be, or how much shaking they'll generate. Except for the incidence and damage that were done by certain frequent earthquakes of magnitude between 4 and 6 inside the country or near the country's territory, Bangladesh's new generation has not witnessed a major earthquake.

Bangladesh had not written any building code until 1993. The Bangladesh National Building Code (BNBC) was initially issued in 1993 to regulate building development and uphold specific standards. Most existing reinforced concrete structures in Bangladesh are prone to earthquakes of moderate magnitude since they were designed and built before the implementation of new earthquake-resistant design guidelines. As a result, the residents are at risk of being injured or killed if the building collapses during a big earthquake. Besides these reinforced concrete structures must need some repairs and improvements during their service life for several reasons such as design errors, severe atmospheric conditions, poor structural care, or an accident like fire, collision, etc. In this case, there are two options in this situation: replacement or retrofitting. Whole-structure replacement has downsides, such as high labor and material costs. So, rather than rebuilding the entire structure, if practicable and practical, it is preferable to repair or upgrade it through retrofitting.

Retrofitting is strengthening of existing structures or structural elements to enhance their performance with new technology, features, and components [\[1\]](#page-90-1). When compared to the construction of new buildings, this type of intervention uses less land energy and can be applied to the large building stock.

There are several approaches to retrofitting, each with its own set of benefits and drawbacks. Among them, RC Jacketing has been regarded as one of the most essential and commonly utilized ways in Bangladesh for reinforcing and restoring the vulnerable RC beams and columns. The method entails adding a layer of reinforced concrete in the shape of a jacket outside the perimeter of the existing member, utilizing longitudinal steel reinforcement and transverse steel ties. It improves the column's axial and shear strength, allowing extensive foundation strengthening to be avoided.

However, there is a limitation of information about code guidelines. In truth, most repair and strengthening designs are based entirely on engineering evaluations, and empirical information and existing practice frequently play a key part in making judgments. As a result, additional retrofit research is needed. Retrofitting is quite a new concept in Bangladesh. Now a day's many researchers in our country have proposed many materials, methods, and techniques for strengthening RC beams and columns. The studies performed on an existing vulnerable RC building's beams and columns using traditional methods like Reinforced Concrete Jacketing and try to evaluate the performance after retrofitting is done for seismic load, which is frequently overlooked during structure and construction design.

1.2 Research Objectives

The major goal of this research is to improve knowledge and skills in earthquakeresistant design and seismic rehabilitation of existing structures using Reinforce Concrete Jacketing, as well as to gain experience modeling and analyzing buildings against seismic loads using ETABS. The following are the study's goals:

- To observe how comparatively vulnerable the structures are in different earthquake zone (zone II and zone III). Also, we investigate how the structure performs after Reinforce Concrete Retrofitting.
- To evaluate the potential of base shear, displacement, and drift of buildings and the benefits of implementing the retrofit solutions recommended for building strengthening.

• To model a real building with ETABS and investigate the earthquake effects with Equivalent Static Method according to BNBC 2020, as well as to provide acceptable rehabilitation approaches in terms of performance.

1.3 Organization of the thesis

This section should have a brief description of the thesis outline of the thesis. It should contain chapter no. with a title and brief descriptions of the content of each chapter. An example guide is provided below.

Chapter 1: Introduction and Objective. This chapter provides the background and motivations of the research. The overall objectives and expected outcomes are also described in this chapter.

Chapter 2: Literature Review. This chapter reviews the related works in the retrofitting field with a special focus on Reinforce Concrete Jacketing.

Chapter 3: Methodology. This chapter describes the methodology adopted to carry out the research.

Chapter 4: Results and Discussion. This chapter provides structural design of a typical residential building and retrofit design for failure members.

Chapter 5: Conclusions and Future Work. This chapter summarizes the conclusions and major contributions of this study and provides recommendations for future studies.

CHAPTER 2 LITERATURE REVIEW

2.1 Introduction

The purpose of this chapter is to explore Reinforced Concrete Jacketing which is one of the most prevalent retrofitting techniques in Bangladesh. This approach is evaluated based on various aspects, and suggestions are provided to assist structural engineers in selecting the most appropriate solutions. These recommendations are based on published experimental research and real-world case studies. For this, an extensive literature review on this has been performed and some of them are summarized in this chapter. We also make an effort to cover some essential aspects of this research.

2.2 Available Studies on Retrofitting

Seismic design is an important aspect of building design however, many structures have been built without proper seismic detailing and reinforcement. Many studies have been undertaken on this topic all across the world. Technical guidelines for retrofitting have been published globally such as ASCE-SEI 41, NZSEE, and others. Here some of the available studies on retrofitting are summarized below:

E S Ju´lio, F Branco, and V D Silva studied the structural rehabilitation of columns using reinforced concrete jacketing and found that, unlike other procedures, the RC jacketing strengthening method results in a uniformly distributed increase in column strength and stiffness. Additionally, the original column's longevity is improved, in contrast to the corrosion and fire protection requirements of alternative procedures that expose steel or employ epoxy resins. Moreover, after removing the concrete from the damaged zone with hand chipping, jackhammering, electric hammering, or any other approach that induces micro-cracking of the substrate, sandblasting or water demolition techniques should be used.[\[2\]](#page-90-2)

Gnanase karan, Kaliya perumal, and Amlan Kumar Sengupta investigated the impact of concrete jacketing on the flexural strength and performance of columns and found that self-compacting concrete was found to be suitable for use in the concrete jacket and that the retrofitted specimens did not show any visible delamination between the existing concrete and the concrete in the jacket. Moreover, the roughening of the existing concrete's surface with a motorized wire brush was found to be enough for the type of testing performed. By examining the corresponding sub-assembly specimens, this analysis can be extended to the exterior or corner columns.[\[3\]](#page-90-3)

Hamidreza Nasersaeed stated that using a concrete jacket is an effective method for increasing structural frame strength and stiffness and that the RC jacketing technique is less expensive than other retrofitting techniques due to the availability of materials and the lack of specialized labor. In addition, the dense reinforcing design reduces the volume of excess concrete and longitudinal bar buckling in the repaired concrete column.[\[4\]](#page-90-4)

Bhavar Dadasaheb studied the potential behavior of RCC structures and concluded that conventional reinforced concrete jacketing is preferable due to its feasibility and ease of implementation. Further, the building strengthening discussed in this study is an attempt to extend the life of the structure and to withstand catastrophic phenomena such as earthquakes, floods, and other natural disasters. It is suggested that old RCC structures be retrofitted with this adequate type of jacketing at the proper time so that it will be cost-effective and safe in the future.[\[5\]](#page-90-5)

Sayed H. Sayed studies the impact of using concrete jackets made of various types of concrete to repair concrete columns after exposure to high temperatures, as well as the effect of using shear connectors on the bond between the column surface and the jacket, and concludes that there is a reduction in ultimate load of concrete columns exposure to high temperatures and a slight improvement from the use of shear connectors. Further, it is claimed that for such columns exposed to high temperatures, a self-compacting concrete jacket is the best option, however, recycled concrete should not be used to repair RC columns.[\[6\]](#page-90-6)

Hazem Elbakry and Ahmed M. Tarabia investigate the effects of surface preparation, dowel contributions, and concrete jacket transverse reinforcement on the overall bond strength between new concrete jackets and old concrete. As a result, it was determined that hand-chiseling the substrate concrete to increase surface roughness is far more effective than grinding, and that using steel dowels to connect the new jacket concrete to the old concrete significantly improved the overall bond strength due to the developed shear friction.[\[7\]](#page-90-7)

Shri. Pravin B. Waghmare state that materials and techniques can play a key role in structural repairs, seismic strengthening, and retrofitting of existing structures, whether they are damaged or not. The main goal of structural engineering is to quickly restore the structure to its original state. It's been difficult to choose the correct materials, techniques, and procedures to use for a certain structure's repair. The important criteria for a successful repair, strengthening, and restoration of damaged structures are the use of standard and new repair materials, technical assistance, manpower, and quality assurance during implementation. He also went through confinement, jacketing, fiber-reinforced polymer jacketing, steel jacketing, and beam jacketing in brief.[\[8\]](#page-90-8)

Awang Taib, Mohd Zulham Affandi, Mohd Zahid, Ade Faisal, Saffuan Wan Ahmad investigated the impact of vertical ground motion on the irregular structure with setback. When considering vertical ground motion, the axial stress in the internal column might be up to 6 times larger than when considering horizontal ground motion.[\[9\]](#page-91-0)

Anju Paul deals with the analysis and design of an existing old structure that was originally developed according to IS 1893-1984 for seismic zone II and then redesigned according to IS 1893-2002 for seismic zone III. The faulty member has been identified as the column, which will be modified to meet ductile performance. For the retrofitting of the columns, the most appropriate retrofitting approach, – i.e., usage of FRP wrapping, is recommended.[\[10\]](#page-91-1)

Han-Seon Lee, Dong-Woo Ko observed that,

- The presence of a shear wall decreases shear deformation significantly at the lower frame but has almost negligible influence on the reduction of overturning deformation vase shear and OTM.
- Due to OTM, structures with symmetric plans suffered a shift in rotating axis (rocking behavior) as the earthquake intensity increased.
- The value of torsional stiffness varies depending on the governing of variation. Large torsional stiffness is caused by a higher mode of vibration.[\[11\]](#page-91-2)

2.3 Finite Element Software (ETABS)

According to Civil Engineering sector, Finite element analysis (FEA) is a computerized method for predicting how a structure reacts to real-world natural or human-made forces, vibration, heat, fluid flow, and other physical effects. Finite element analysis shows whether a structure will break, wear out, or work the way it was designed. It is called analysis, but in the structure development process, it is used to predict what is going to happen when the structure is used. An actual structure is broken down into a large number (thousands to hundreds of thousands) of finite components, such as little cubes, via FEA. Each element's behavior can be predicted using mathematical equations. After that, a computer adds up all of the different behaviors to anticipate how the actual thing will behave.[\[12\]](#page-91-3)

A wind spectrum of FEM software and tools is available for such analysis. In the present ETABS (version 18.1.1) has been used for this purpose. ETABS has been chosen for its user-friendly feature in building analysis. The features of ETABS are mentioned below:

- ETABS has Completely Customizable Graphical User Interface
- ETABS offers a single user interface to perform modeling, analysis, design and reporting.
- Based on various domestic and international norms, ETABS will automatically develop and apply seismic and wind loads.
- ETABS has a wide array of dynamic analysis tools available for both linear and nonlinear analysis.
- ETABS has powerful nonlinear elements to accurately represent the behavior of a structure.
- ETABS can automatically calculate members' self-weight and sectional properties.[\[13\]](#page-91-4)

2.4 Provision of Plan Irregularities of Structure in BNBC Code

In the BNBC code, five types of plan irregularities of structures are mentioned and these are:

- Torsional Irregularity (to be considered when diaphragms are not flexible)
- Reentrant Corners
- Diaphragm Discontinuity
- Out-of-plane Offsets
- Nonparallel Systems

Torsional irregularity is defined as when the maximum story drift, including accidental torsion, at one of the structure's transverse axes, is greater than 1.2 times the average of the story at the structure's two ends.

Figure 2.1. Torsional Irregularity co-efficient

Torsional irregularity co-efficient n_t is defined by

$$
n_t = \frac{\delta_{max}}{\delta_{avg}}
$$

Then

- If $n_t \leq 1.2$ then torsional irregularity does not exist.
- If $1.2 \le n_t \le 2$ then torsional irregularity exits.[\[14\]](#page-91-5)

2.5 Methods of Seismic Analysis

Seismic analysis is a branch of structural analysis which involves evaluating a building's seismic response. In earthquake-prone areas, it is a part of the structural design, earthquake engineering, or structural evaluation and retrofit process.

Figure 2.2. Methods of Seismic Analysis [\[15\]](#page-91-6)

2.6 Equivalent Static Load Method

This approach specifies a series of forces acting on a structure to simulate the impact of earthquake ground motion, which is normally specified by a seismic design response spectrum. It is assumed that the structure responds in its basic mode. The building must be low-rise and not twist significantly as the ground changes for this to be true. Given the natural frequency of the building, the response is read from a design response spectrum. Many building standards enhance the usefulness of this concept by adding factors to account for higher buildings with certain higher modes, as well as low levels

of twisting. Many codes use modification factors that reduce the design forces, such as force reduction factors, to account for effects caused by the building yielding. [\[16\]](#page-91-7)

The total design lateral force or design base shear along any principal direction is given in terms of design horizontal Seismic coefficient and seismic weight of the structure. Design horizontal seismic coefficient depends on the zone factor of the site, importance of the structure, response reduction factor of the lateral load resisting elements, and the fundamental period of the structure.

The following procedure is generally used for the equivalent static analysis:

- Calculation of lumped weight.
- Calculation of fundamental natural period.

The fundamental natural period of vibration (Ta) in seconds of a moment-resisting frame building,

where,

 $h =$ Height of the building

 $d =$ Base dimension of the building at the plinth level in m, along the considered direction of the lateral force.

• Determination of base shear (V_B) of the building.

where,

W = Seismic weight of the building

 A_h = Horizontal seismic coefficient

As per BNBC 2020,

$$
A_h = \frac{z}{2} \frac{I}{R} \frac{s_a}{g} \tag{4}
$$

Are the design horizontal seismic coefficient, which depends on the seismic zone factor (Z) , importance factor (I) , response reduction factor (R) , and the average response acceleration coefficient (S_a/g) . S_a/g , in turn, depends on the nature of foundation soil (rock, medium, or soft soil sites), natural period, and the damping of the structure.

The design base shear V_B thus obtained is then distributed along with the height of the building using a parabolic distribution expression:

$$
Q = V_B \frac{W_1 h_1}{\sum_{j=1}^n W_j h_{k^2}} \tag{5}
$$

Where Q_1 is the design lateral force, W_1 is the seismic weight, h_1 is the height of the ith floor measured from base and n is the number of stories in the building. [\[17\]](#page-91-8)

2.7 Response Spectrum Method

A response-spectrum study determines a structure's maximum response to transient loads produced by a base vibration or shocks, such as displacement, velocity, or acceleration. In base vibration, a prescribed motion is applied to the base of the structure to be tested, causing the mass to shake. This system is most commonly used to analyze a structure's earthquake response. The resulting plot can then be used to isolate the response of any linear system based on its natural oscillation frequency. If there is no damping, the response will be infinite.

Figure 2.3. Response Spectrum Analysis [\[18\]](#page-91-9)

The response spectrum method assists in the design of a building or structure for a maximal response from a sequence of ground motions from which design spectra were derived. It is a single force value. Time is not involved in it.

The response spectrum approach is no longer appropriate in the case of structures with major irregularities, are too tall, or are important to a community in disaster response, and where more complex analysis such as nonlinear static or dynamic analysis is frequently necessary.

2.8 Static Analysis Procedure

Although analysis of buildings subjected to dynamic earthquake loads should theoretically require dynamic analysis procedures, for a certain type of building structures subjected to earthquake shaking, simplified static analysis procedures may also provide reasonably good results. The equivalent static force method is such a procedure for determining the seismic lateral forces acting on the structure. This type of analysis may be applied to buildings whose seismic response is not significantly affected by contributions from modes higher than the fundamental mode in each direction. This requirement is deemed to be satisfied in buildings that fulfill the following two conditions:

- I. The building period in the two main horizontal directions is smaller than both $4T_c$ and 2 seconds.
- II. The building does not possess irregularity in elevation.

Spectral Acceleration:

$$
S_a = \frac{2}{3} \frac{zI}{R} C_s \tag{6}
$$

where,

 S_a = Design spectral acceleration (in units of g which shall not be less than 0.67 βZIS) β = coefficient used to calculate lower bound for S_a . The recommended value for β is 0.11

 $Z =$ Seismic zone coefficient Table 2.1

I = Structure importance factor Table 2.2

 $R =$ Response reduction factor which depends on the type of structural system given in Table 2.10. The ratio $\frac{1}{R}$ cannot be greater than one.

 C_s = Normalized acceleration response spectrum, which is a function of structure (building) period and soil type (site class) as defined by equation no. 12.

2.9 Design base shear

The seismic design base shear force in a given direction shall be determined from the following relation:

$$
V = S_a W \tag{7}
$$

where,

 S_a = Lateral seismic force coefficient calculated using equation no. 6. It is the design spectral acceleration (in units of g) corresponding to the building period T

 $W = Total$ seismic weight of the building defined

Alternatively, for buildings with a natural period less than or equal to 2.0 sec., the seismic design base shear can be calculated using ASCE 7-02 with seismic design parameters as given in Appendix C. However, the minimum values of S_a should be less than 0.044 $S_{DS}l$. The values of S_{DS} are provided in Table 2.11& Table 2.12

Vertical Distribution of base shear

$$
S_a = \nabla \frac{w_x h_x^k}{\sum_{i=1}^n w_i h_i^k} \tag{8}
$$

K = 1 for structure period ≤ 0.5

 $= 2$ for structure period ≥ 2.5 s

= linear interpolation between 1 and 2 for other periods.

Figure 2.4. Vertical Distribution of base shear

Types of Common structural system

Figure 2.5. Common structural system

2.10 Seismic Zone of Bangladesh

Figure 2.6. Seismic Zones of Bangladesh

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Table 2.4. Seismic Design Category of Buildings

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2.11 Basic Wind Speed of Bangladesh

Figure 2.7. Wind Speed Map of Bangladesh

Table 2.7. Site classification based on soil properties

2.12 Natural Period

a. Structural dynamics procedures (such as Rayleigh method or modal eigenvalue analysis), using structural properties and deformation characteristics of resisting elements, may be used to determine the fundamental period T of the building in the direction under consideration. This period shall not exceed the approximate fundamental period determined by equation 4 by more than 40 percent.
b. The building period T (in secs) may be approximated by the following formula:

$$
T = C_t(h_n)^m \tag{9}
$$

where,

 h_n = Height of building in meters from foundation or top of the rigid basement. This excludes the basement stories, where basement walls are connected with the ground floor deck or fitted between the building columns. But it includes the basement story when they are not so connected. C_t and m are obtained from Table 2.9

c. For masonry or concrete shear wall structures, the approximate fundamental period, T in sec may be determined as follows:

$$
T = \frac{0.0062}{\sqrt{c_w}} h_n \tag{10}
$$

$$
C_W = \frac{100}{A_B} \sum_{i=1}^{x} \left(\frac{h_n}{h_i}\right)^2 \frac{A_i}{[1+0.83(\frac{h_i}{D_i})^2]}
$$
 (11)

where,

 A_B = area of the base of the structure

 A_i = web area of shear wall 'i'

 D_i = length of shear wall 'i'

 h_i = height of shear wall 'i'

 $x =$ number of shear walls in the building effective in resisting lateral forces in the direction under consideration.

Soil Type	P	$T_b(s)$	$T_c(s)$	$T_D(s)$
SA	$1.0\,$	0.15	0.40	2.0
SB	1.2	0.15	0.50	2.0
SC	1.15	$0.20\,$	0.60	2.0
SD	1.35	0.20	0.80	2.0
SE		0.15	$0.50\,$	

Table 2.8. Site dependent soil factor and other parameters defining elastic response spectrum

$$
C_s = S \left(1 + \frac{T}{T_B} (2.5\eta - 1) \right) \quad \text{for} \quad 0 \le T \le T_B
$$
\n
$$
C_s = 2.5S\eta \quad \text{for} \quad T_B \le T \le T_C
$$
\n
$$
C_s = 2.5S\eta \left(\frac{T_C}{T} \right) \quad \text{for} \quad T_C \le T \le T_D
$$
\n
$$
C_s = 2.5S\eta \left(\frac{T_C T_D}{T^2} \right) \quad \text{for} \quad T_D \le T \le 4 \text{ sec}
$$
\n(12)

Normalized acceleration response spectrum,

Figure 2.8. Normalized acceleration response spectrum

Here \mathcal{C}_s is structural damping expressed as a percentage of critical damping.

$$
\eta = \sqrt{10/(5+\xi)} \ge 0.55
$$

Table 2.9. Values for Coefficients to Estimate Approximate Period

2.13 Seismic weight

Seismic weight, W, is the total dead load of a building or a structure, including partition walls, and applicable portions of other imposed loads listed below:

- a. For live load up to and including 3 kN/m2, a minimum of 25 percent of the live load shall be applicable.
- b. For a live load above 3 kN/m2, a minimum of 50 percent of the live load shall be applicable.
- c. Total weight (100 percent) of permanent heavy equipment or retained liquid or any imposed load sustained in nature shall be included.

Where the probably imposed loads (mass) at the time of earthquake are more correctly assessed, the designer may go for a higher percentage of live load.

Table 2.10. Response Reduction Factor, Deflection Amplification Factor, and Height Limitations for Different Structural Systems

Seismic Force-	Response	System	Deflectio	Seismic	Seismic	Seismic
Resisting System	Reductio	Overstr	n	Design	Design	Design
	n Factor,	ength	Amplific	Categor	Categor	Categor
	R	Factor,	ation			
		Ω_0	Factor, C_d	B		
					Height limit (m)	
	C. MOMENT RESISTING FRAME SYSTEM (no shear wall)					
Special steel	8	3	5.5	NL	NL	NL
moment frames						

Soil Type	Zone-1	Zone-2	Zone-3	Zone-4
SА	0.2	0.333	0.466	0.6
SB	0.24	0.4	0.56	0.72
SC	0.23	0.383	0.536	0.69
SD	0.27	0.45	0.63	0.81
SE	0.28	0.466	0.653	0.84

Table 2.11. Spectral Response Acceleration Parameter S_DS for Different Seismic Zone and Soil Type

Table 2.12. Spectral Response Acceleration Parameter S_D1 for Different Seismic Zone and Soil Type

Soil Type	Zone-1	Zone-2	Zone-3	Zone-4
SA	0.08	0.133	0.186	0.24
SB	0.12	0.2	0.28	0.36
SC	0.138	0.23	0.322	0.414
SD	0.216	0.36	0.504	0.648
SE	0.14	0.233	0.326	0.42

Figure 2.10. Structural response. (a) idealized (b) overall

2.14 Retrofit Strategies

Existing inadequate buildings must be retrofitted to prevent hazards in future earthquakes. The seismic evaluation of a building and the available resources are used to choose an appropriate retrofit strategy. A retrofit scheme for a building may include a combination of retrofit strategies. The following are recognized established retrofit strategies that have been in use successfully for many years:

Figure 2.11. Type of Retrofit Strategies [\[3\]](#page-90-0)

CHAPTER 3 METHODOLOGY

3.1 Introduction

The design provisions for the retrofitting are scattered in various chapters of the Bangladesh National Building Code (BNBC), ACI (American Concrete Institute) code, UBC (Uniform Building Code), and British Code of Practice and there is no straightforward design procedure in these codes. In this chapter, these code provisions have been studied, compared, and tried to suggest a straightforward guideline for the design of retrofitting for practicing engineers.

At first, an irregular plan of the ordinary moment-resisting frame structure is selected and designed by equivalent static load method for $G+6 \& G+10$ story building using three-dimensional finite method. Three-dimensional analysis is done by ETABS. After analysis by ETABS, failure members will be designed for retrofitting according to Table 3.3.

3.2 Used Notation for this research

 $Ag = gross$ sectional area

 $Av = shear$ reinforcement area

 $d =$ distance between the extreme compression fiber and the tension reinforcement centroid

 $fe' = \text{concrete's specified compressive strength}$

fy = reinforcement yield strength specified

 $h =$ overall member thickness

hw = total wall height from base to top

 $k =$ effective length factor

Ie = vertical distance between the supports.

 $Iw = horizontal length of the wall.$

 $Mu =$ sectional factored moment

Nu = factored axial load normal to cross-section that occurs concurrently with Vu

Pnw = nominal axial load strength of the wall.

 $S1$ = vertical reinforcement spacing in a wall

 $S2$ = horizontal reinforcement spacing in a wall

 $Vs = shear reinforcement's shear strength$

 $Vn =$ nominal shear strength.

 $Vu = shear$ force factored

Ve = nominal shear strength provided by concrete.

 $Ph =$ the ratio of horizontal shear reinforcement area to vertical section gross concrete area

 $Pv =$ the ratio of vertical shear reinforcement area to horizontal section gross concrete area.

3.3 Minimum Reinforcement and Spacing in Slab

- I. Minimum ratio of vertical reinforcement area to the gross concrete area shall be:
	- a. 0.0012 for deformed bars not larger than 16mm~ with a specified yield strength not less than 410 N/mm2, or
	- b. 0.0015 for other bars.
- II. Minimum ratio of horizontal reinforcement area to gross concrete area shall be:
	- a. 0.0020 for deformed bars not larger than 16mm~ with a specified yield strength not less than 410 N/mm2, or
	- b. 0.0025 for other deformed bars.

In addition to the minimum reinforcement, at least two 16mm~ bars shall be provided around all windows and doors opening. Such bars extended to develop the bar beyond the corners of the openings by at least 600 mm.

3.4 Minimum Thickness

There is no specific provision for minimum thickness. However, in the case of loadbearing walls thickness shall not be less than 1/25 of the supported height or length, whichever is shorter, nor less than 125 mm.

3.5 Design of Building

The building model under this study has $(G+6)$ & $(G+10)$ with a constant floor height of 10 feet. Four areas are used for analysis, and the equal length and width along the two horizontal directions are kept constant in each area for ease of use. Use different ZONE FACTOR values and explain their corresponding effects in the results. Other details are as follows:

Table 3.1. Zonal Parameter and Details

The entire inquiry is based on a few criteria and specifications, as shown in Table 4.1.

Items	Description
Design code	Bangladesh National Building Code (BNBC), 2020.
Building Components	Column type $=Tied$ Foundation type = Deep Foundation (Pilling) Thickness of all partition walls $=$ 5inch. Thickness of Slab (All slabs) = 5 inches. Thickness of stair slab $= 7$ inch
Material Properties	Yield strength of reinforcing bars, $fy = 60,000$ psi Concrete compressive strength, fc' $= 4,000 \text{ psi}$ Normal density concrete, unit weight $= 150$ psf. Unit weight of brick $= 120 \text{psf}$. Unit weight of water $= 62.5$ psf.

Table 3.2. Summary of the design considerations and specification of the study

Table 3.3. Floor Plan Details

Model 1: 7 story building	Model 2: 10 story building
• Height of building: 66ft.	• Height of building: 106ft.
• Length of building: 44ft.	• Length of building: 44ft.
• Width of building: 41.92ft.	• Width of building: 41.92ft.
• Total floors: 7 nos. (Typical	• Total floors: 11 nos. (Typical
Floors, $1st$ to $6th$)	Floors, $1st$ to $10th$

Plan View of Different Floors

Ground Floor:

- At street level, with one stair connecting it to the other floors
- The total floor area is 1844 ft^2
- The total floor height is 10'-0"

Figure 3.1. Ground Floor Plan

Typical Floor: (1st Floor - Roof)

- Connected to other floors via one stair
- The total floor area is 1844 ft^2
- The total floor height is 10'-0"

Figure 3.2. Typical Floor plan

Roof

- Total floor area $= 1844 \text{ ft}^2$.
- One stair connects to other floors

Figure 3.3. Rooftop Plan

Table 3.4. Legend of Building Columns and Beams

Column Name	Column Sizes	Beam Name	Beam Sizes
	14*14	Grade Beam (GB)	14*16
		Floor Beam (FB)	12*14

3.6 Types of Loads on Structures

The two most important factors to consider when building a structure are safety and cost. If the loads are adjudged and taken higher, the economy suffers; if the economy

is considered and the loads are taken lower, the safety suffers. Loads acting on buildings and other structures are broadly classified as vertical loads, horizontal loads, and longitudinal loads. Vertical loads are made up of dead load, live load, and impact load. Wind and earthquake loads are examples of horizontal loads. In the design of bridges, gantry girders, and other structures, longitudinal loads, such as tractive and braking forces, are taken into account.

Expanded Combinations for ETABS		Expanded Combinations for ETABS (SDC C & D)		
(SDC B)				
Combination Case 1	1.4D	Combination Case 1	1.4D	
Combination Case 2	$1.2D + 1.6L$	Combination Case 2	$1.2D + 1.6L$	
Combination Case 3	$1.2D + L$	Combination Case 3	$1.2D + L$	
Combination Case 4	$1.2D + 0.8Wx$	Combination Case 4	$1.2D + 0.8Wx$	
Combination Case 5	$1.2D - 0.8Wx$	Combination Case 5	$1.2D - 0.8Wx$	
Combination Case 6	$1.2D + 0.8Wy$	Combination Case 6	$1.2D + 0.8Wy$	
Combination Case 7	$1.2D - 0.8Wy$	Combination Case 7	$1.2D - 0.8Wy$	
Combination Case 8	$1.2D + L + 1.6Wx$	Combination Case 8	$1.2D + L + 1.6Wx$	
Combination Case 9	$1.2D + L - 1.6Wx$	Combination Case 9	$1.2D + L + 1.6Wx$	
Combination Case 10	$1.2D + L + 1.6Wy$	Combination Case 10	$1.2D + L + 1.6Wy$	
Combination Case 11	$1.2D + L - 1.6Wy$	Combination Case 11	$1.2D + L - 1.6Wy$	
Combination Case 12	$1.2D + L + Ex + D$	Combination Case 12	$1.2D + L + Ex + 0.3Ey + D$	
Combination Case 13	$1.2D + L - Ex + D$	Combination Case 13	$1.2D + L + Ex - 0.3Ey + D$	
Combination Case 14	$1.2D + L + Ey + D$	Combination Case 14	$1.2D + L - Ex + 0.3Ey + D$	
Combination Case 15	$1.2D + L - Ey + D$	Combination Case 15	$1.2D + L - Ex - 0.3Ey + D$	
Combination Case 16	$0.9D + 1.6Wx$	Combination Case 16	$1.2D + L + Ey + 0.3Ex + D$	
Combination Case 17	$0.9D - 1.6Wx$	Combination Case 17	$1.2D + L + Ey - 0.3Ex + D$	
Combination Case 18	$0.9D + 1.6Wy$	Combination Case 18	$1.2D + L - Ey + 0.3Ex + D$	
Combination Case 19	$0.9D - 1.6Wy$	Combination Case 19	$1.2D+L$ - Ey - $0.3Ex+D$	
Combination Case 20	$0.9D + Ex - D$	Combination Case 20	$0.9D + 1.6Wx$	
Combination Case 21	$0.9D - Ex - D$	Combination Case 21	$0.9D - 1.6Wx$	
Combination Case 22	$0.9D + Ey - D$	Combination Case 22	$0.9D + 1.6Wy$	
Combination Case 23	$0.9D - Ey-D$	Combination Case 23	$0.9D - 1.6Wy$	
		Combination Case 24	$0.9D + Ex + 0.3Ey - D$	
		Combination Case 25	$0.9D + Ex - 0.3Ey - D$	
		Combination Case 26	$0.9D - Ex + 0.3Ey - D$	
		Combination Case 27	$0.9D - Ex - 0.3Ey - D$	
		Combination Case 28	$0.9D + Ey + 0.3Ex - D$	
		Combination Case 29	$0.9D$ + Ey- $0.3Ex$ – D	
		Combination Case 30	$0.9D - Ey + 0.3Ex - D$	
		Combination Case 31	$0.9D - Ey - 0.3Ex - D$	

Table 3.5. Load combination according to BNBC2020

3.7 Details For Reinforced Concrete Jacketing

Concrete jacketing is perhaps the most used technique for reinforcing RC members. The technique here with a layer of reinforced concrete in the shape of a jacket outside the perimeter of the existing member, utilizing longitudinal steel reinforcement and transverse steel ties. The details for reinforced concrete jacketing are mentioned below.

Properties of jackets	Match with the concrete of the existing structure. Compressive strength is greater than that of the existing structures by 5 N/mm^2 or at least equal to that of the existing structure.
Minimum width of jacket	10 cm for concrete cast-in-place and 4 cm \bullet for shotcrete. If possible, a four-sided jacket should be used. A monolithic behavior of the composite column should be assured. A narrow gap should be provided to prevent any possible increase in flexural capacity.
Minimum area of longitudinal reinforcement	$3Af_y$, where, A is the area of contact in cm ² and f _y is in kg/cm^2 Spacing should not exceed six times the width of the new elements (the jacket in the case) up to the limit of 60 cm. Percentage of steel in the jacket with respect to the jacket area should be limited between 0.015 and 0.04. At least, 12 mm bar should be used at every corner for a four-sided jacket.
Minimum area of transverse reinforcement	Designed and spaced as per earthquake design practice. Minimum bar diameter used for ties is not less than 10 mm or $1/3$ of the diameter of the biggest longitudinal bar. The ties should have 135-degree hooks with 10bar diameter anchorage. Due to the difficulty of manufacturing 135- degree hooks on the field, ties made up of multiple pieces can be used.
Shear stress in the interface	Provide adequate shear transfer mechanism to assured monolithic behavior.

Table 3.6. Details For Reinforced Concrete Jacketing [\[8\]](#page-90-1)

Table 3.7. Special Frame section for retrofitting

3.8 Load Combinations used for Reinforced Concrete Structures

Figure 3.4. Load combination used on structure

3.9 Loading information as applied to the model

Figure 3.5. Material Properties Used on Structure

3.10 Load pattern

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Figure 3.6. Load Pattern Used on Structure

CHAPTER 4 RESULT AND DISCUSSION

4.1 Introduction

The purpose of this chapter is to describe the modeling and analysis procedure that has been employed to carry out the findings. Here we discuss the planned building's loads and material properties. Then at various heights, the plan has been analyzed and then we show the retrofitting design for the failure of column and beam.

4.2 Building Analysis Figures Using ETABS

Model 1:

(G+6) story Residential Building plan view and 3D view

Figure 4.1. (G+6) story Residential Building plan view and 3D view

(G+6) story Residential Building with several beam failures in Dhaka district in zone 2

Figure 4.2. (G+6) story Residential Building with several beam failures in Dhaka district in zone 2

(G+10) story Residential Building with several beams and column failure in Rangpur district in zone 3

Figure 4.3. (G+10) story Residential Building with several beams and column failure in Rangpur district in zone 3

Model 2: (G+10) story Residential Building plan view and 3D view

Figure 4.4. (G+10) story Residential Building plan view and 3D view

(G+10) story Residential Building several beam failures in Dhaka district in zone 2

Figure 4.5. (G+10) story Residential Building several beam failures in Dhaka district in zone 2

(G+10) story Residential Building several beams and column failure in Rangpur district in zone 3

Figure 4.6. (G+10) story Residential Building several beams and column failure in Rangpur district in zone 3

4.3 Special section:

Special beam section used for retrofitting

Figure 4.7. Special beam section used for retrofitting

Special Column section used for retrofitting

Figure 4.8. Special Column section used for retrofitting

4.4 (G+6) and (G+10) Storied Building Drift Details from ETABS

4.4.1 Dhaka District (Zone II)

(G+6) storied data table and Drift Graph with and without retrofitting in

Dhaka District (Zone II)

Without retrofitting:

Table 4.1. (G+6) Storied Drift data table without retrofitting in Dhaka District (Zone II)

Figure 4.9. (G+6) Storied Drift Graph without retrofitting in Dhaka District (Zone II)

- The highest drift on X-axis is $2nd$ Floor (0.003729mm) and the lowest drift is G. floor (0.00095mm)
- The highest drift on Y-axis is $2nd$ Floor (0.002998mm) and the lowest drift is G. floor (0.001127mm)

With retrofitting:

Table 4.2: (G+6) Storied Drift data table with retrofitting in Dhaka District (Zone II)

Figure 4.10. (G+6) Storied Drift Graph with retrofitting in Dhaka District

- The highest drift on X-axis is $2nd$ Floor (0.003669mm) and the lowest drift is G. floor (0.00095mm)
- The highest drift on Y-axis is $2nd$ Floor (0.002984mm) and the lowest drift is G. floor (0.001128mm)

(G+10) Storied Drift Graph with and without retrofitting in Dhaka District (Zone II)

Without retrofitting:

Table 4.3: (G+10) Storied Drift data table without retrofitting in Dhaka District (Zone II)

Figure 4.11. (G+10) Storied Drift Graph without retrofitting in Dhaka District (Zone II)

- The highest drift on X-axis is $3rd$ Floor (0.004424mm) and the lowest drift is G. floor (0.001037mm)
- The highest drift on Y-axis is $3rd$ Floor (0.003676mm) and the lowest drift is G. floor (0.001161mm)

With retrofitting:

Figure 4.12. (G+10) Storied Drift Graph with retrofitting in Dhaka District

- The highest drift on X-axis is $3rd$ Floor (0.004353mm) and the lowest drift is G. floor (0.001036mm)
- The highest drift on Y-axis is $3rd$ Floor (0.003645mm) and the lowest drift is G. floor (0.001163mm)

4.4.2 Rangpur District (Zone III)

(G+6) Storied Drift Graph with and without retrofitting in Rangpur District (Zone III)

Without retrofitting:

Table 4.5: (G+6) Storied Drift data table with and without retrofitting in Rangpur District (Zone III)

Figure 4.13. (G+6) Storied Drift Graph without retrofitting in Rangpur District (Zone III)

- The highest drift on X-axis is $2nd$ Floor (0.005222mm) and the lowest drift is G. floor (0.001331mm)
- The highest drift on Y-axis is $2nd$ Floor (0.004198mm) and the lowest drift is G. floor (0.001578mm)

With retrofitting:

Table 4.6: (G+6) Storied Drift data table with retrofitting in Rangpur District (Zone III)

Figure 4.14. (G+6) Storied Drift Graph with retrofitting in Rangpur District

- The highest drift on X-axis is $2nd$ Floor (0.005149mm) and the lowest drift is G. floor (0.001335mm)
- The highest drift in Y-axis is $3rd$ Floor (0.003893mm) and the lowest drift is G. floor (0.001534mm)

(G+10) Storied Drift Graph with and without retrofitting in Rangpur District

(Zone III)

Without retrofitting:

Table 4.7: (G+10) Storied Drift data table with and without retrofitting in Rangpur District (Zone III)

Figure 4.15. (G+10) Storied Drift Graph without retrofitting in Rangpur District (Zone III)

- The highest drift on X-axis is $3rd$ Floor (0.006064mm) and the lowest drift is G. floor (0.00142mm)
- The highest drift in Y-axis is $3rd$ Floor (0.005067mm) and the lowest drift is G. floor (0.001601mm)

With retrofitting:

Story4 46 0.005701 0.004573 Story5 1 56 0.005359 0.004419 Story6 66 0.004906 0.004173 Story7 76 0.0043 0.003776 Story8 86 0.003534 0.003195 Story9 96 0.002756 0.002496 roof/story10 106 0.002248 0.00172

Figure 4.16. (G+10) Storied Drift Graph with retrofitting in Rangpur District

- The highest drift on X-axis is $3rd$ Floor (0.00593mm) and the lowest drift is G. floor (0.001405mm)
- The highest drift in Y-axis is $4th$ Floor (0.004573mm) and the lowest drift is G. floor (0.00136mm)

4.5 Overall Drift Graph

4.5.1 Overall Drift Graph for all (G+6) Storied buildings with and without retrofitting in zone 2 and zone 3

Without retrofitting:

Figure 4.17. Overall Drift Graph for all (G+6) storied buildings without retrofitting in zone 2 and zone 3

With retrofitting:

Figure 4.18. Overall Drift Graph for all (G+6) storied buildings with retrofitting in zone 2 and zone 3

Observation: Rangpur zone has highest drift than Dhaka zone for (G+6) storied buildings before and after retrofitting.

	Overall Highest Drift	Overall Lowest Drift		
EY direction EX direction		EX direction	YY direction	
Rangpur (Zone III) Rangpur (Zone III)		Dhaka (Zone II)	Dhaka (Zone II)	
$2rd$ Floor	$3rd$ Floor	G. Floor	G. Floor	
(0.005149mm) (0.003893mm)		(0.00095mm)	(0.001128mm)	

Table 4.9: Overall highest and lowest drift after retrofitting in zone 2 and 3

4.5.2 Overall Drift Graph for all (G+10) storied buildings with and without retrofitting in zone 2 and zone 3

Without retrofitting:

Figure 4.19. Overall Drift Graph for all (G+10) storied buildings without retrofitting in zone 2 and zone 3

With retrofitting:

Figure 4.20. Overall Drift Graph for all (G+10) storied buildings with retrofitting in zone 2 and zone 3

Observation: Rangpur zone has highest drift than Dhaka zone for $(G+10)$ storied buildings before and after retrofitting.

4.6 Building Displacement

4.6.1 (G+6) Storied displacement Graph with and without retrofitting in Dhaka District (Zone II)

Without retrofitting:

Table 4.11: Building Displacement of (G+6) storied building without retrofitting Using ETABS

Figure 4.21. Building Displacement of (G+6) storied building without retrofitting Using ETABS

- The Highest Displacement in EX direction is Roof floor (2.047591) and the lowest on the G. floor (0.11948)
- The Highest Displacement in the EY direction is Roof floor (1.740305) and the lowest on the G. floor (0.09965)

With retrofitting:

Figure 4.22. Building Displacement of (G+6) storied building with retrofitting Using ETABS

- The Highest Displacement in EX direction is Roof floor (2.024574) and the lowest on the G. floor (0.1182)
- The Highest Displacement in the EY direction is Roof floor (1.732964) and the lowest on the G. floor (0.099667)

4.6.2 (G+6) Storied Displacement Graph with and without retrofitting in Rangpur District (Zone III)

Without retrofitting:

Table 4.13. Building Displacement of (G+6) storied building without retrofitting Using ETABS

Figure 4.23. Building Displacement of (G+6) storied building without retrofitting Using ETABS

- The Highest Displacement in EX direction is Roof floor (2.867246) and the lowest on the G. floor (0.167308)
- The Highest Displacement in the EY direction is Roof floor (2.436953) and the lowest on the G. floor (0.13954)

With retrofitting:

Figure 4.24. Building Displacement of (G+6) storied building with retrofitting Using ETABS

- The Highest Displacement in EX direction is Roof floor (2.823513) and the lowest on the G. floor (0.164558)
- The Highest Displacement in the EY direction is Roof floor (2.306211) and the lowest on the G. floor (0.135337)

4.6.3 (G+10) Storied displacement Graph with and without retrofitting in Dhaka District (Zone II)

Without retrofitting:

Table 4.15. Building Displacement of (G+10) storied building without retrofitting Using ETABS

Figure 4.25. Building Displacement of (G+10) storied building without retrofitting Using ETABS

- The Highest Displacement in EX direction is Roof floor (4.046754) and the lowest on the G. floor (0.122056)
- The Highest Displacement in the EY direction is Roof floor (3.553467) and the lowest on the G. floor (0.103041)

With retrofitting:

Table 4.16. Building Displacement of (G+10) storied building with retrofitting Using ETABS

Figure 4.26. Building Displacement of (G+10) storied building with retrofitting Using ETABS

- The Highest Displacement in EX direction is Roof floor (3.992579) and the lowest on the G. floor (0.120986)
- The Highest Displacement in the EY direction is Roof floor (3.511239) and the lowest on the G. floor (0.103202)

4.6.4 (G+10) Storied Displacement Graph with and without retrofitting in Rangpur District (Zone III)

Without retrofitting:

Table 4.17. Building Displacement of (G+10) storied building without retrofitting Using ETABS

Figure 4.27. Building Displacement of (G+10) storied building without retrofitting Using ETABS

- The Highest Displacement in EX direction is Roof floor (5.548998) and the lowest on the G. floor (0.168991)
- The Highest Displacement in the EY direction is Roof floor (4.898287) and the lowest on the G. floor (0.142059)

With retrofitting:

Figure 4.28. Building Displacement of (G+10) storied building with retrofitting Using ETABS

- The Highest Displacement in EX direction is Roof floor (5.417085) and the lowest on the G. floor (0.10803)
- The Highest Displacement in the EY direction is Roof floor (4.355289) and the lowest on the G. floor (0.118484)

4.7 Overall Building Displacement

1. Overall building displacement for (G+6) storied building in zone 2 and zone 3.

Table 4.19: Overall highest and lowest displacement after retrofitting in zone 2 and 3

Zone name	X Direction (Max)	Y Direction (Max)
Zone 3	2.867246	2.436953
Zone 3 retrofitting	2.823513	2.306211
Zone 2	2.047591	1.740305
Zone 2 retrofitting	2.024574	1.732964

Figure 4.29. Overall (G+6) storied Building Displacement

Observation: Rangpur zone has highest displacement than Dhaka zone for $(G+6)$ storied buildings before and after retrofitting.

2. Overall building displacement for (G+10) storied building in zone 2 and zone 3

Table 4.20. (G+10) Storied Building Displacement Overall Data in One Glance

Zone name	X Direction (Max)	Y Direction (Max)
Zone 3	5.548998	4.898287
Zone 3 retrofitting	5.417085	4.355289
Zone 2	4.046754	3.553467
Zone 2 retrofitting	3.992579	3.511239

Figure 4.30. Overall (G+10) storied Building Displacement

Observation: Rangpur zone has highest displacement than Dhaka zone for $(G+10)$ storied buildings before and after retrofitting.

4.8 Base Shear reaction Graph of Building

Model 1: (G+6) storied building

Figure 4.31: Base shear reaction of (G+6) storied building

Observation:

- The Highest Base Shear Reaction is seen in $22th$ Number column, value=204.724 Kip
- The Lowest Base Shear Reaction is seen in $5th$ Number column, value=102.68 Kip

Model 2: (G+10) storied building

Figure 4.32. Base shear reaction of (G+10) storied building

Observation:

- The Highest Base Shear Reaction is seen in $21th$ Number column, value=408.75 Kip
- The Lowest Base Shear Reaction is seen in $5th$ Number column, value=176.9 Kip

4.9 Base shear Distribution Using ETABS 18.1.1

The maximum expected lateral stress on the base of the structure owing to seismic activity is called base shear. our base shear reaction is divided into a total of 23 main columns.

Figure 4.33. Base Shear Reaction of (G+6) storied Building using ETABS

The blue color records are numbered for the Fz values that ETABS provides by default. No. 63 has the highest **Fz=204.724 Kip** base shear reaction, while No. 425 has the lowest **Fz=102.68 Kip** base shear reaction.

Model 2: (G+10) storied building

Figure 4.34. Base Shear Reaction of (G+10) storied Building using ETABS

The blue color records are numbered for the Fz values that ETABS provides by default. No. 60 has the highest **Fz= 408.751 Kip** base shear reaction, while No. 414 has the lowest **Fz= 176.906 Kip** base shear reaction.

CHAPTER 5

CONCLUSION AND FUTURE WORKS

5.1 Conclusions

In Bangladesh, there are many different types of irregular structures, and the characteristics of these structures vary significantly. The findings of this study are summarized in this chapter, along with some recommendations for the research's future progress. The findings of this study are summarized below:

- Maximum columns in the lower bottom part of the structure have failed due to earthquakes.
- It was observed that when a beam was retrofitted with reinforced concrete jacketing, the load capacity of the section reaches from 414.84kips to 977 kips, which was much higher than the previous section. The increase in load capacity is 35.51%.
- On the other hand, when a column was retrofitted with reinforced concrete jacketing, the load capacity of the section reaches from 484 kips to 987.74kips, which was much higher than the previous section. The increase in load capacity is 4.08%.
- The number of beams and columns failure rate as well as the percentage of drift and displacement increases with the increase of height of a building.
- After retrofitting the percentage of drift and displacement reduces significantly.
- Same building structures act differently in various zones and soil types and the stability and failure rate of the structure is also different.
- After the research, we come to the point that between zone 2 and zone 3 or between Dhaka and Rangpur, Dhaka is more suitable for structure.

5.2 Limitations and Recommendations for Future Works

In this research of RC retrofitting, many aspects were not covered by the scope of this thesis due to limitations in time and resources. However, they might be considered to create more detailed research for future work. Here is an attempt to give direction to further studies:

- We found plenty of research papers on retrofitting globally. But in Bangladesh, till now this research topic does not take as seriously as it should be. We hope our paper contributes to this aspect.
- In this study, same layout plan for different heights was selected. In further research, it is highly recommended to use different layout plans with different heights.
- In this study, lift core and extra shear wall are not considered. In future work, it is also recommended to use extra shear wall and lift core in layout plan.
- Only a $(G+6)$ & $(G+10)$ story building was retrofitted in this study but it is recommended to use different height or story building in future research.
- There is no cost estimate in this study but in future research, cost estimates may be done for different layout plans.
- In this research, we use RC Jacketing for retrofitting. In further research, it is highly recommended to use different jacketing like steel jacketing and other retrofitting methods.

Finally, based on the study of this research, it is proposed, buildings that were not constructed with seismic load can be evaluated and retrofitted using the thesis approach outlined in this study.

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