

Note that some designers include the above modification factors in the basic equation (5.11) where they appear as a multiplication factor on the right-hand side, e.g. for narrow walls, equation (5.11) could be rewritten

$$\Sigma W = \beta t (1.15 f_k) / \gamma$$

5.9 EXAMPLES

5.9.1 Example 1: Internal masonry wall (Fig. 5.15)

(a) Using BS 5628

Loading (per metre run of wall)

	Dead load (kN/m)	Imposed load (kN/m)
Load from above	105.0	19.0
Self-weight of wall	17.0	–
Load from left slab	4.1	2.2
Load from right slab	4.1	2.2

Safety factors

For material strength, $\gamma_m=3.5$

For loading, γ_f (DL)=1.4

γ_f (LL)=1.6

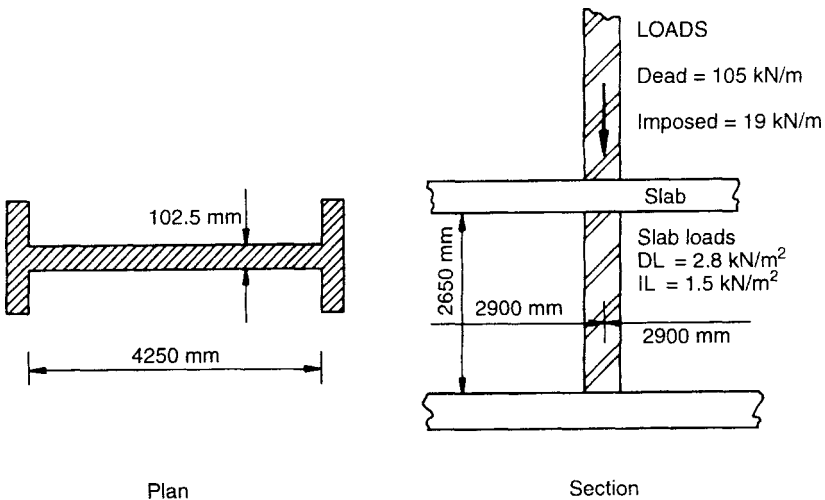


Fig. 5.15 Plan and section details for example 1.

Design vertical loading (Fig. 5.16)

Loading from above (W_1)= $1.4 \times 105 + 1.6 \times 19 = 177.4$ kN/m

Load from left (W_2)

dead load only= $1.4 \times 4.1 = 5.7$ kN/m

imposed load= $5.7 + 1.6 \times 2.2 = 9.2$ kN/m

Load from right (W_3)

dead load only= $1.4 \times 4.1 = 5.7$ kN/m

imposed load= $5.7 + 1.6 \times 2.2 = 9.2$ kN/m

Wall self-weight= $1.4 \times 17 = 23.8$ kN/m

Slenderness ratio

Effective height= $0.75 \times 2650 = 1988$ mm

Effective thickness=actual thickness= 102.5 mm

Slenderness ratio= $1988 / 102.5 = 19.4$

Eccentricity

See section 5.5.1

- With full DL+IL on each slab there will be no eccentricity since $W_2 = W_3$.

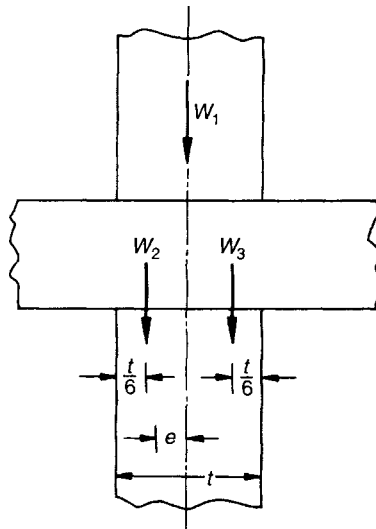


Fig. 5.16 Loading arrangement for eccentricity calculation.