

COMPRESSIVE STRENGTH OF CONCRETE BLOCK TESTED: FEA METHOD

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Abstract - There are a few sources like herbal fibre like human hair, coconut fibre are destroyed as a waste fabric. But after understanding higher facets of those fibres, they may be getting a right interest over the years. With the purpose of making use of considerable waste fabric, a human hair, coconut fibre and polypropylene composite has been evolved the use of it as reinforcing constituent and cement as matrix constituents. This paper gives trying out of those fabric mixture with concrete and use those residues of human hair, coconut fibre and polypropylene fibre strengthened integrate with cement,it bureaucracy composite. Composites with numerous compositions of human hair , coconut fibre and polypropylene had been fabricated. The fabricated specimen composed of numerous % of human hair, coconut fibre and polypropylene fibres in cement concrete is examined for residues development and got here out as a watch opener. The first-class end result we done with Composite 2 that is having 0.25% human hair which testes experimentally and truly as well. So on this paper, analytical technique is made for purchasing precise answer for the composite and examine with the consequences received from FEA method. And holds the cost 31.five MPa as compressive electricity with the aid of using test and evaluation with the aid of using ANSYS software program is 29.ninety six MPa.

Keyword concrete cube , FEA Method, Analysis

1. INTRODUCTION

Due to growth in population, herbal sources are being exploited appreciably as an opportunity to artificial materials. Due to this, the usage of herbal fibres for the reinforcement of the composites has obtained growing attention. Natural fibres have many outstanding blessings over artificial fibres. Nowadays, numerous varieties of herbal fibres were investigated to be used in composites which includes flax, hemp, jute straw, wood, rice husk, wheat, barley, oats, rye, cane (sugar and bamboo), sisal, coir, water hyacinth, pennywort, kapok, paper mulberry, banana fibre, pineapple leaf fibre and papyrus. Natural fibres are in large part divided into 3 classes relying on their origin: Mineral primarily based totally, Plant primarily based totally, and Animal primarily based totally. In general, a mineral primarily based totally composite is asbestos and is handiest a evidently going on mineral fibre. The major homes of asbestos fibres are their thermal, electrical, and sound insulation; inflammability; matrix reinforcement (cement, plastic, and resins), adsorption capacity, put on and friction homes (friction materials), brake linings and chemical inertness (besides in acids).

1.1 THE SCOPE FOR REINFORCEMENT OF CONVENTIONAL MATERIALS

The composite matrix is needed to fulfil numerous capabilities, maximum of which might be crucial to the overall performance of the material. Bundles of fibres are, in themselves, of little cost to an engineer, and it's miles handiest the presence of a matrix or binder that allows us to utilize them. The rôles of the matrix in fibre-strengthened and particulate composites are pretty different. The binder for a particulate combination surely serves to hold the composite mass in a stable form, however the matrix in a fibre composite plays a whole lot of different capabilities which need to be preferred if we're to recognize the real composite movement which determines the mechanical behaviour of a strengthened material. We shall consequently do not forget those capabilities in a few detail. Functions of the matrix • The matrix binds the fibres together, retaining them aligned within the essential harassed directions. Loads carried out to the composite are then transferred into the fibres, the foremost load-bearing component, via the matrix, allowing the composite to face up to compression, flexural and shear forces in addition to tensile loads

2. STRUCTURAL ANALYSIS USING ANSYS 14.0

Finite detail modeling (FEM) and finite detail evaluation (FEA) are used these days in numerous fields of engineering and technology. Finite detail evaluation is one of the effective strategies for now no longer best layout however additionally for production programs. Therefore, FEA has an critical position in CIM. This bankruptcy offers a quick account of the method and surveys a few programs of this method. A few examples from layout and a quick evaluation of programs to production simulation

are given on this bankruptcy. Traditional method to layout evaluation includes the utility of classical or analytical strategies. This method has the subsequent limitations:

- i. Stresses and lines are acquired best at macro stage. This can also additionally bring about beside the point deployment of materials. Micro stage statistics is vital to optimally allocate cloth to closely pressured components.
- ii. Adequate statistics will now no longer be to be had on significantly pressured components of the additives.
- iii. It can be vital to make numerous simplifications and assumptions to layout complicated additives and systems, if layout evaluation is accomplished withinside the traditional manner.
- iv. Manual layout is time ingesting and at risk of errors.
- v. Design optimization is tedious and time ingesting.

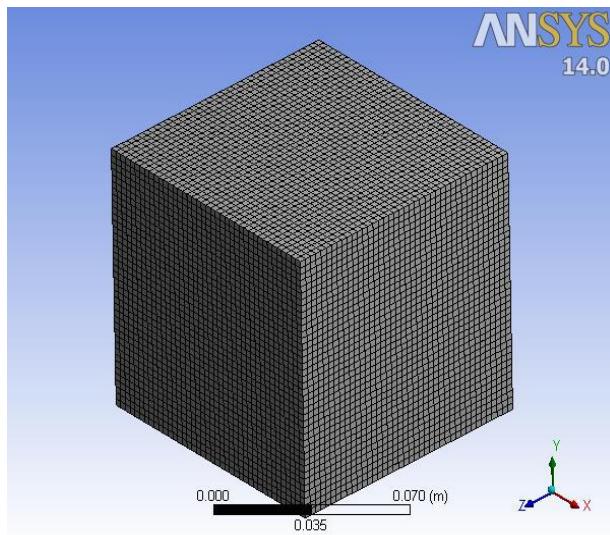


Fig: 1 Meshing

Table 1 Loading Condition

Object Name	<i>Fixed Support</i>	<i>Force</i>
State	Fully Defined	
Scope		
Scoping Method	Geometry Selection	
Geometry	1 Face	
Definition		
Type	Fixed Support	Force
Suppressed	No	
Define By		Vector
Magnitude		30000 N (ramped)
Direction		Defined

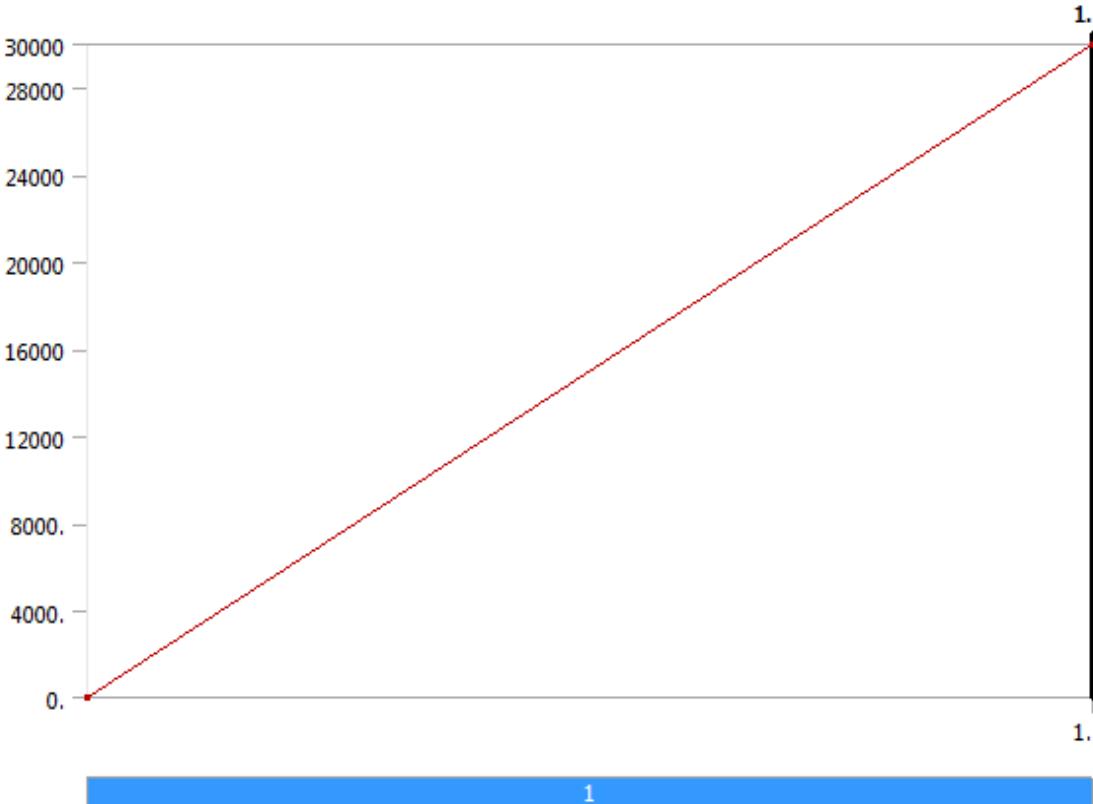


Fig: 2 Graph for loading

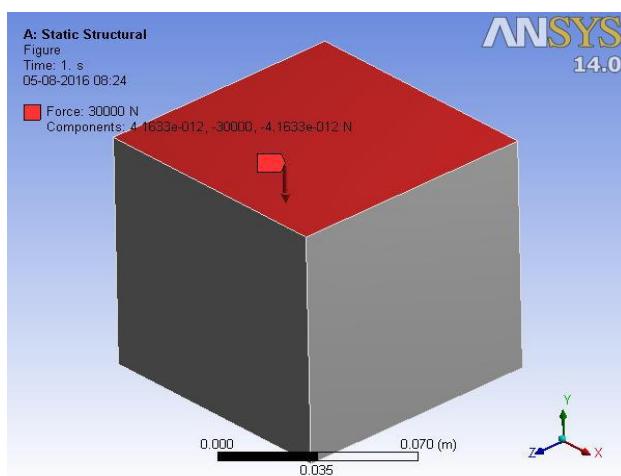


Fig: 3 Boundary Condition

3. ANALYTICAL APPROACH

1. FOR CONCRETE ONLY

$$\sigma_1 = P/A$$

$$= 285000 / 10000$$

$$= 28.5 \text{ MPa}$$

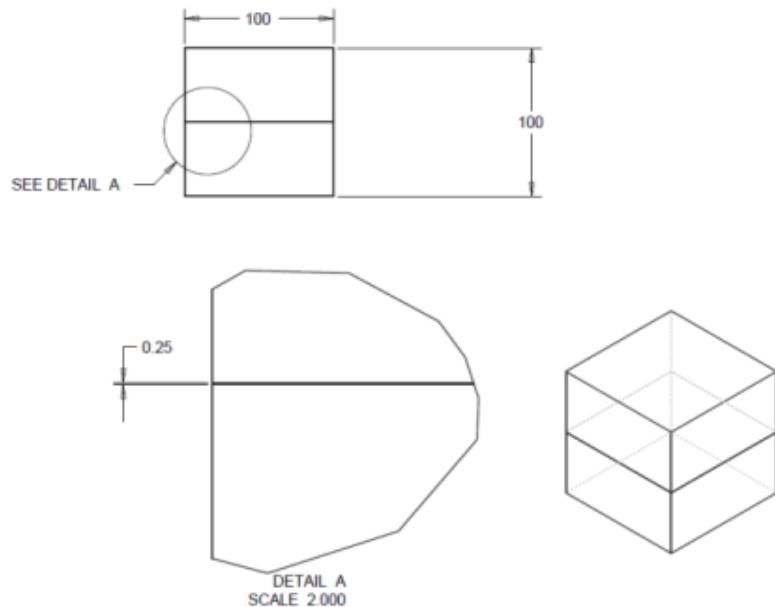


Fig:4 Detailing of cube having 0.25% of other material

2. FOR CONCRETE AND PROTEIN

$$\sigma_1 = P/A$$

$$= 74812.5 / 4987.5$$

$$= 15 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\sigma_2 = P/A$$

$$= 37.5 / 25$$

$$= 1.5 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\sigma_3 = P/A$$

$$= 74812.5 / 4987.5$$

$$= 15 \text{ MPa}$$

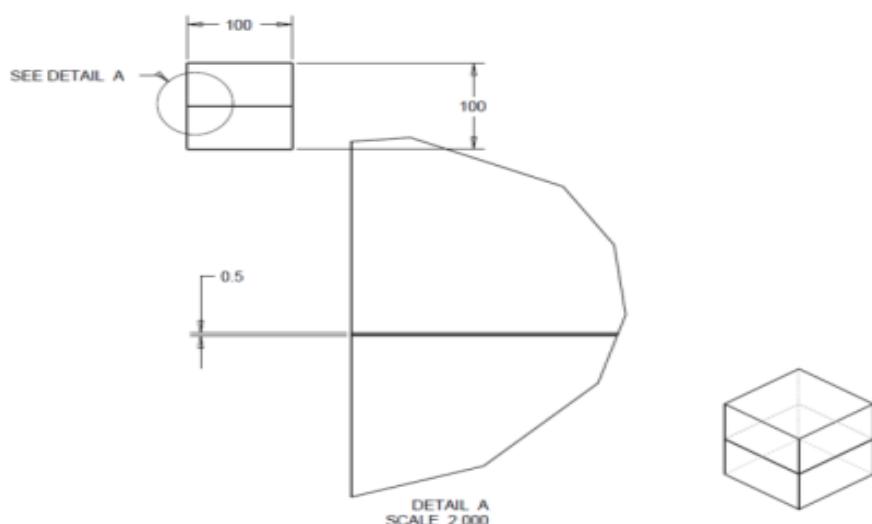


Fig:5 Detailing of cube having 0.5% of other material

For concrete and protein

$$\sigma_1 = P/A$$

$$= 54725/4975$$

$$= 11 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\sigma_2 = P/A$$

$$= 576/240$$

$$= 2.4 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\sigma_3 = P/A$$

$$= 54725/4975$$

$$= 11 \text{ MPa}$$

3. FOR CONCRETE AND POLYPROPYLENE

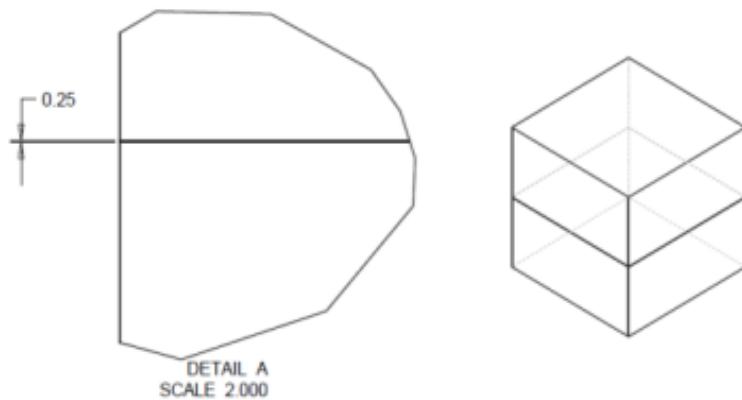
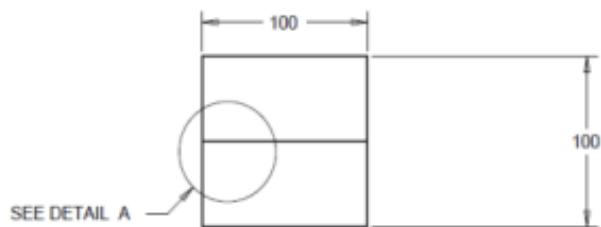


Fig:6 Detailing of cube having 0.25% of other material

For concrete and protein

$$\sigma_1 = P/A$$

$$= 22443.75/4987.5$$

$$= 4.5 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\sigma_2 = P/A$$

$$= 37.5/25$$

$$= 1.5 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\sigma_3 = P/A$$

$$= 22443.75 / 4987.5$$

$$= 15 \text{ MPa}$$

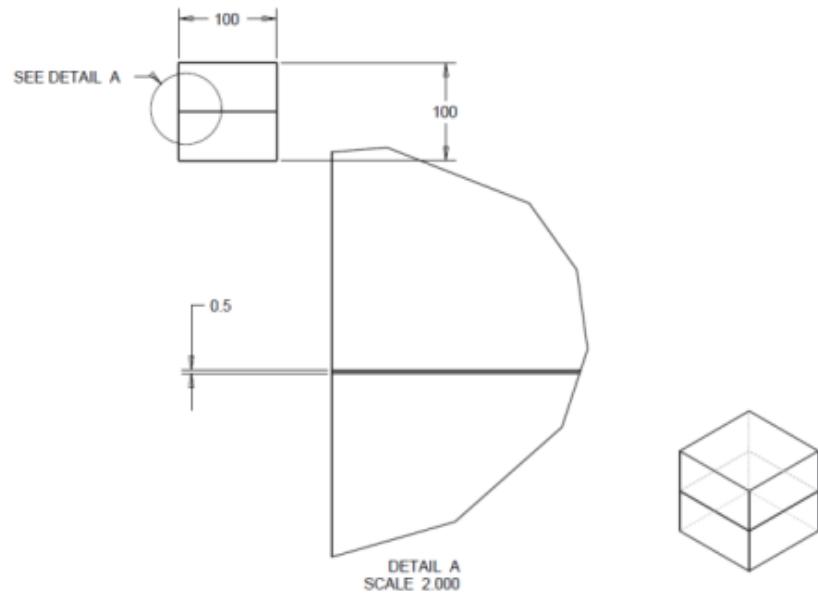


Fig.7 Detailing of cube having 0.5% of other material

For concrete and protein

$$\sigma_1 = P/A$$

$$= 59700 / 4975$$

$$= 12 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\sigma_2 = P/A$$

$$= 150 / 50$$

$$= 3 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\sigma_3 = P/A$$

$$= 59700 / 4975$$

$$= 12 \text{ MPa}$$

4. FOR CONCRETE AND COCONUT FIBRE

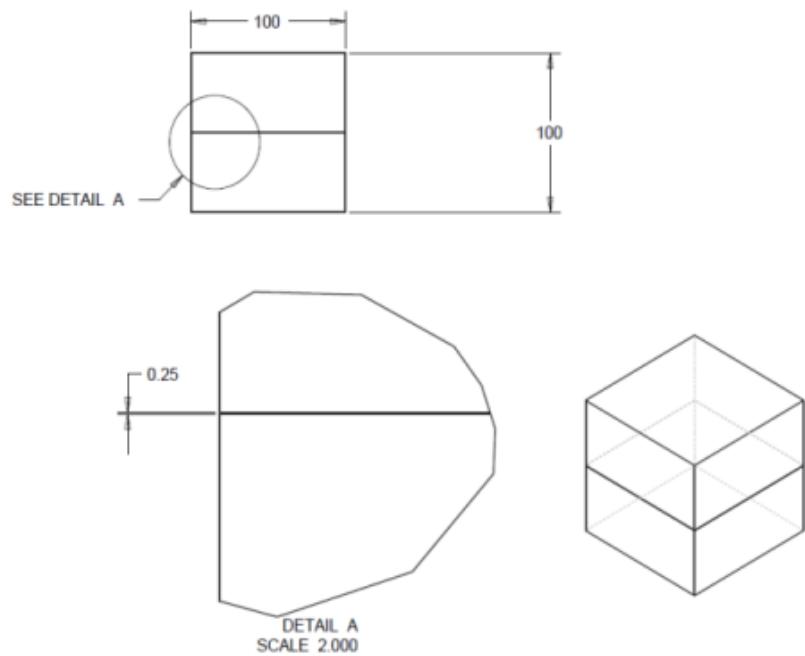


Fig:8 Detailing of cube having 0.25% of other material

For concrete and protein

$$\sigma_1 = P/A$$

$$= 57356.25 / 4987.5$$

$$= 11.5 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\sigma_2 = P/A$$

$$= 62.5 / 25$$

$$= 2.5 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\sigma_3 = P/A$$

$$= 57356.25 / 4987.5$$

$$= 11.5 \text{ MPa}$$

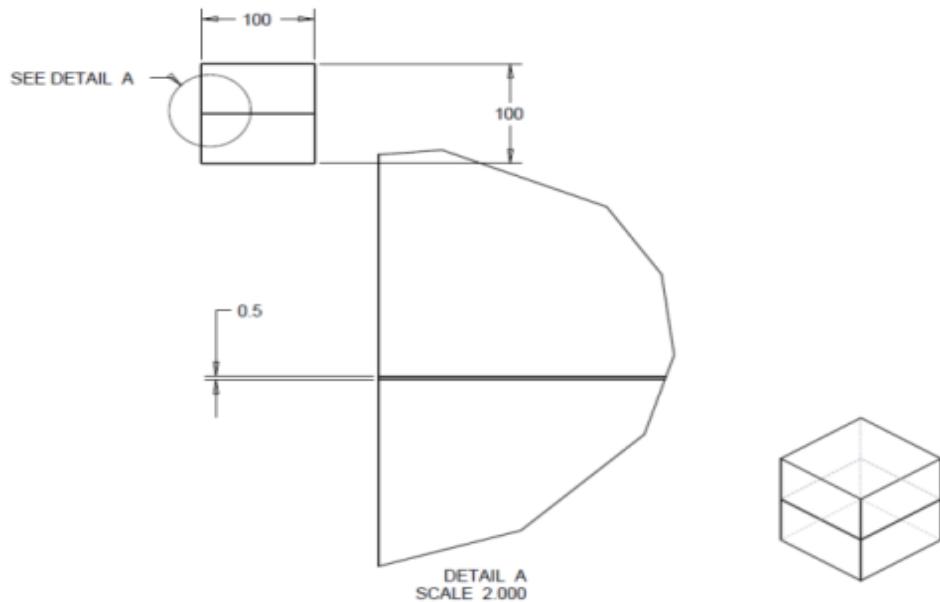


Fig:9 Detailing of cube having 0.5% of other material

For concrete and protein

$$\sigma_1 = P/A$$

$$= 54725/4975 = 11 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\sigma_2 = P/A$$

$$= 100/50$$

$$= 2 \text{ MPa}$$

$$\sigma_3 = P/A$$

$$= 54725/4975$$

$$= 11 \text{ MPa}$$

4. RESULTS AND DISCUSSION

EXPERIMENTAL INVESTIGATION

Table 2 Experimental reading

Material	%	Iteration	Value Obtained From Analytical Calculation(MPa)	Results Obtained From Ansys 14.0 (N/mm^2)
Concrete			28.5	27.9
Human Hair	0.25	1	31.5	30.9
	0.5	2	24.0	23.5
Polypropelene	0.25	1	10.5	10.3
	0.5	2	27	26.48
Coconut Fibre	0.25	1	25.5	25.01
	0.5	2	24	23.5

5.CONCLUSIONS

This paper is validation of results which are obtained from analytical calculation as well as virtual solution which is obtained in ANSYS software. The present work goes with the two essential works as fabrication of composites with different combination of the material such as polypropylene, coconut fibre and human hair with concrete. The combination varies from 0.25, 0.5 and 1.5 in terms of percentage. The best result we achieved with Composite 2 which is having 0.25% human hair which tests experimentally and virtually as well. And holds the value **31.5 MPa** as compressive strength by experiment and analysis by ANSYS software is **29.96 MPa**. After comparing both result it concluded that 0.25% of human hair will increases strength of the composites. Hence we can say that human hair fibre reinforces the cement matrix and enhances the properties for which it is incorporated.

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