

Elastic Stability of Circular Arches with the Open Thin-walled Monosymmetric Section Considering the Prebuckling Deformation

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Abstract: The effect of prebuckling in-plane deformations on the elastic flexural-torsional buckling of arches is studied in this paper. Nonlinear strain-displacement relations considering initial curvature effects and higher order prebuckling deformation terms with curvature in deriving process are substituted into the second variation of the total potential to obtain the buckling energy equation. The analytical solutions for the flexural-torsional buckling moment of arches in uniform bending, containing the effects of the prebuckling deformation, are proposed. Also, the influence of the higher order prebuckling deformation terms with the curvature effects is investigated according to the ratio of the minor axis flexural stiffness to the major axis flexural stiffness.

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1. INTRODUCTION

In the classical analysis for the elastic flexural-torsional buckling of beams, it is assumed that the prebuckling in-plane deformations are small enough to be neglected on the buckling load. This assumption is suitable only when the ratio of the minor axis flexural stiffness to the major axis flexural stiffness is very small. When the ratio of the minor axis flexural stiffness to the major axis flexural stiffness is not small, prebuckling in-plane deformations are known to increase the elastic buckling resistance of straight beams, because prebuckling deformations transform the straight beam into an arch. Previous theoretical investigations of the effects of the prebuckling in-plane deformations on the buckling moments of straight member have been studied by a number of researchers; Trahair and Woolcock [1], Roberts and Azizian [2], Pi and Trahair [3,4] and others.

The classical solution for the elastic buckling load of thin-walled circular arches has been studied by a number of researchers; Vlasov [5], Yoo [6], Papangelis and Trahair [7], Kang and Yoo [8], Pi and Bradford [9, 10], Lim and Kang [11], Bradford and Pi [12], Yang *et al.* [13] and others. The influence of prebuckling in-plane deformations on the elastic flexural-torsional buckling of arches in uniform bending was

studied by Vacharajittiphan and Trahair [14], Yoo and Pfeiffer [15], and Pi *et al.* [16], and it was found that the prebuckling deformations increase the elastic flexural-torsional buckling resistance of simply supported arches. Pi and Bradford [17] presented closed form solutions for the elastic flexural-torsional buckling resistance of laterally fixed arches with a doubly symmetric section and investigated the effects of the prebuckling in-plane deformations. Pi and Bradford [18] investigated the prebuckling response of the classical analysis and its effects on determining the out-of-plane and in-plane elastic buckling loads of circular arches with a doubly symmetric section subjected to the uniform radial load. Some of the discrepancies between these researches are believed to be due to inappropriate interpretations of fundamental assumptions and to use of different degree of approximation of the curvature effects and prebuckling deformation effects in the derivation.

In this paper, buckling energy equation including the effect of the initial curvature and prebuckling deformation is proposed for monosymmetric circular arches. The analytical solutions for the flexural-torsional buckling load of laterally simply supported circular arches in uniform bending, containing the effects of the prebuckling deformation, are obtained and the results are compared with the previous theoretical solutions. Also, the influence of the higher order prebuckling deformation terms with the curvature effects is investigated according to the ratio of the minor axis flexural stiffness to the major axis flexural stiffness.

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2. STRAINS AND DISPLACEMENTS

The basic assumptions made in this study are as follows:

- (i) The cross sections retain their original shape.
- (ii) The shear strains due to change of normal stresses, such as bending and warping normal stresses, are negligibly small.
- (iii) The length of the beam is much larger than any other dimensions of the cross section.
- (iv) The shear strains along the middle surface of the thin-walled cross section are negligibly small.
- (v) The normal strain due to bending is linearly distributed in a cross section.

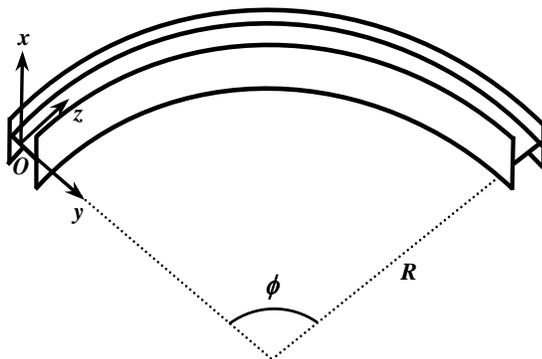


Fig. (1). Curvilinear coordinate system of arches.

Fig. (1) shows the curvilinear coordinate system of a circular arch that has an initial curvature in the direction of the minor principal axis oy of the cross-section. The longitudinal normal strain ε in the system (x, y, z) shown in Fig. (1) can be written as follows (Usami and Koh [19]; Kang and Yoo [8]; Lim and Kang [11]):

$$\varepsilon = \left(\frac{R}{R-y}\right)\left(\frac{\partial w}{\partial z} - \frac{v}{R}\right) + \frac{1}{2}\left(\frac{R}{R-y}\right)^2 \left[\left(\frac{\partial v}{\partial z} + \frac{w}{R}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\partial w}{\partial z} - \frac{v}{R}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial z}\right)^2 \right] \quad (1)$$

where $u, v,$ and w are the components of the displacement in the $x, y,$ and z directions, respectively. Note that the normal strain ε varies nonlinearly with y as a result of the $(R/R - y)$ term. For the case of a curved beam subjected to bending, the normal strain distribution is shown in Fig. (2).

This strain variation is considerably different from that of a straight beam. The strain is definitely nonlinear; in fact, it is hyperbolic in the y direction. This is due to the initial curvature of the beam. In the curved beam formula proposed by Oden [4], the nonlinearity of the strain is due to the quantity $(R/R - y)$. For example, machine parts, hooks, chain links, and gears may have h/R ratios of near unity or larger, and their normal strain distribution must be evaluated with the nonlinearity. However, if the value of h/R is small in

comparison with unity, the strain distribution is essentially a linear function of y (Oden [20]).

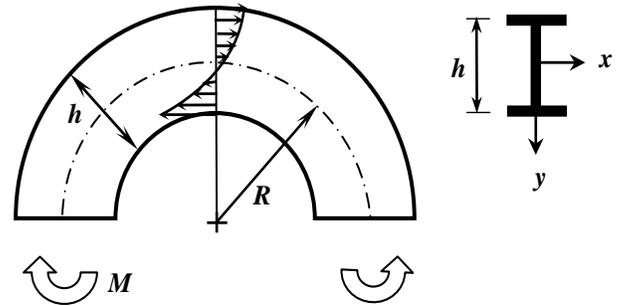


Fig. (2). Normal strain distribution in a cross section of curved beam.

Utilizing the result by Oden [20] and the real structural condition of an arch where the value of h/R is small, the variation of ε with y is assumed to be linear with ignoring the $(R/R - y)$ term. With this assumption, the normal strain in Eq. (1) can be approximated as

$$\varepsilon = \frac{\partial w}{\partial z} - \frac{v}{R} + \frac{1}{2} \left[\left(\frac{\partial v}{\partial z} + \frac{w}{R}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\partial w}{\partial z} - \frac{v}{R}\right)^2 + \left(\frac{\partial u}{\partial z}\right)^2 \right] \quad (2)$$

The shear strain due to bending and warping of the thin-walled section are neglected. The shear strain due to uniform torsion is approximated by

$$\gamma = 2nk \quad (3)$$

where n is the distance from the mid-thickness surface and k is the twist.

The displacement components are functions of the coordinates, $x, y,$ and z . Using the approaches of Usami and Koh [19], the displacement at any point can be written in terms of shear center as

$$u = u_o - (y - y_o)\theta - \frac{1}{2}x\theta^2 \quad (4a)$$

$$v = v_o + x\theta - (y - y_o)\frac{1}{2}\theta^2 \quad (4b)$$

$$w = w_c - x \left[\left(v_o + \frac{w_c}{R}\right)\theta + u_o' - \frac{1}{2}u_o'\theta^2 \right] - y \left[\left(v_o + \frac{w_c}{R}\right) - u_o'\theta - \frac{1}{2}\theta^2 \left(v_o + \frac{w_c}{R}\right) \right] - \omega \left[\theta' - \frac{u_o'}{R} - \frac{\theta}{R} \left(v_o + \frac{w_c}{R}\right) + \frac{1}{2R}u_o'\theta^2 \right] \quad (4c)$$

where u_o and v_o are a displacement of the shear center in the principal centroidal coordinate system (x, y) ; θ is a rotation of a cross section about the z -axis; w_c is the longitudinal displacement of a cross section, which is the same for all points on a cross section, and is referred to as the average longitudinal displacement; y_o is coordinate of the shear center; ω is the normalized warping function according to the principal sectorial coordinate system.

Substituting the displacements given in Eqs. (4a) ~ (4c) into Eqs. (2) and (3), the nonlinear longitudinal normal strain

$$\begin{aligned}
\varepsilon = & \bar{w}'_c - x\bar{u}''_o - y\bar{v}''_o - \omega\bar{\theta}'' + \frac{1}{2}(u_o'^2 + \bar{v}_o'^2 + \bar{w}_c'^2) + \frac{1}{2}[x^2 + (y - y_o)^2]\theta'^2 \\
& + y_o\left(u_o'\theta' - \frac{1}{2R}\theta^2 + \bar{v}_o'\theta\theta'\right) + y\left(u_o''\theta - \frac{1}{R}\bar{v}_o''\bar{w}'_c + \frac{1}{2R}\theta^2 + \frac{1}{2}\bar{v}_o''\theta^2 + \frac{1}{R}\bar{v}_o'\theta u_o'\theta'\right) \\
& - x\left(\bar{v}_o''\theta + \frac{1}{R}u_o'\bar{v}_o'' + \bar{w}'_c u_o'' + \frac{1}{R}\bar{w}'_c\theta\right) - yy_o\left(\frac{1}{R}\bar{v}_o'\theta\theta' - \frac{1}{2R}\bar{v}_o''\theta^2\right) + \frac{\omega}{R}\left(\bar{v}_o''\theta + \bar{v}_o'\theta' - \bar{v}_o''\bar{\theta}' + \frac{1}{R}\bar{v}_o'^2\theta\right) \\
& - x^2\left(\frac{1}{R}u_o'\theta' - \frac{1}{2R^2}u_o'^2 - \frac{1}{2}u_o''^2 - \frac{1}{2}\theta'^2 - \frac{1}{R}u_o''\theta - \frac{1}{2R^2}\theta^2 - \frac{1}{R^2}\bar{v}_o'u_o'\theta - \frac{1}{R}\bar{v}_o''\theta^2 - \bar{v}_o'u_o''\theta' - \bar{v}_o'u_o''\theta\right) \\
& - xy\left(\frac{1}{R}\bar{\theta}'^2 - \bar{\theta}''u_o'' + \frac{1}{R^3}\bar{v}_o'u_o'\theta - \frac{1}{R^2}\bar{v}_o'\theta\bar{\theta}' - \bar{v}_o''\bar{\theta}'' + \frac{1}{R}\bar{v}_o'u_o''\theta + \frac{1}{R^2}\bar{v}_o''\theta^2 + \frac{1}{R}\bar{v}_o'u_o''\theta' - \bar{v}_o'\theta\bar{\theta}''\right) \\
& - xy\left(\frac{1}{R}\bar{v}_o'\theta' + \bar{v}_o''u_o'' - \frac{1}{R^2}\bar{v}_o'^2\theta - \bar{v}_o''\theta^2 - \bar{v}_o'\bar{v}_o''\theta'\right) + \frac{1}{2}y^2\left(\frac{1}{R}\bar{v}_o'^2 + \bar{v}_o''^2 - 2\bar{v}_o''u_o''\theta - 2\bar{v}_o''u_o'\theta' + \frac{2}{R}\bar{v}_o'\theta\theta' - \frac{1}{R}\bar{v}_o''\theta^2\right) \\
& + y\omega\left(\frac{1}{R^2}\bar{v}_o'\bar{\theta}' + \bar{v}_o''\bar{\theta}'' - \frac{1}{R^3}\bar{v}_o'^2\theta - \frac{1}{R}\bar{v}_o''\theta^2 - \frac{1}{R}\bar{v}_o'\bar{v}_o''\theta'\right) + \frac{1}{2}\omega^2\left(\frac{1}{R^2}\bar{\theta}'^2 + \bar{\theta}''^2 - \frac{2}{R^3}\bar{v}_o'\theta\bar{\theta}' - \frac{2}{R}\bar{v}_o''\bar{\theta}'' - \frac{2}{R}\bar{v}_o'\bar{\theta}''\right)
\end{aligned} \quad (5)$$

and shear strain at a point on the cross section are obtained as follows:

$$\gamma = 2n\left(\bar{\theta}' - \frac{1}{R}\theta\bar{v}_o' + \frac{1}{2R}u_o'\theta^2\right) \quad (6)$$

where

$$\begin{aligned}
\bar{w}'_c = w'_c - \frac{v_o}{R}, \quad \bar{v}_o' = v_o' + \frac{w_c}{R}, \quad \bar{\theta}' = \theta' - \frac{u_o'}{R}, \quad \bar{u}_o'' = u_o'' + \frac{\theta}{R}, \\
\bar{v}_o'' = v_o'' + \frac{w'_c}{R}, \quad \bar{\theta}'' = \theta'' - \frac{u_o''}{R}
\end{aligned} \quad (7a, b, c, d, e, f)$$

3. BUCKLING ENERGY EQUATIONS

The following assumptions are adopted in this paper to obtain energy equation on the flexural-torsional buckling of arches considering prebuckling deformations.

(a) The last buckled positions on the flexural-torsional buckling consist of prebuckled displacements and buckled displacements as follow;

$$u_o = u_{op} + u_{ob}; v_o = v_{op} + v_{ob}; w_c = w_{cp} + w_{cb}; \theta = \theta_p + \theta_b$$

in which, “*b*” and “*p*” denote the bucking behavior and prebuckling behavior, respectively.

(b) Prior to flexural-torsional buckling, there are no out-of-plane displacements.

(c) Prior to flexural-torsional buckling, prebuckling strains are very small.

(d) In-plane displacements and stress resultants are constant during the flexural-torsional buckling.

(e) The axis of the arch is inextensible during the flexural-torsional buckling.

3.1. Prebuckling Stresses and Stress Resultants

Prior to buckling, the displacements from assumption (a) and (b) are given by $u_o = 0; \theta = 0; v_o = v_{op}; w_c = w_{cp}$.

Also, from assumption (c), prebuckling strains due to prebuckling displacements can be used as linear function. Applying these conditions into strain-displacement relations of Eq. (5), prebuckling strains (ε_p, γ_p), stresses (σ_p, τ_p) and stress resultants (F_z, M_x) are then approximated by

$$\varepsilon_p = \bar{w}'_{cp} - y\bar{v}''_{op}, \quad \gamma_p = 0 \quad (8a, b)$$

$$\sigma_p = E\varepsilon_p, \quad \tau_p = 0 \quad (9a, b)$$

$$F_z = \int_A \sigma_p dA = EA \bar{w}'_{cp} \quad (10)$$

$$M_x = \int_A y \sigma_p dA = -EI_x \bar{v}''_{op} \quad (11)$$

where $\bar{w}'_{cp} = w'_{cp} - v_{op}/R$, $\bar{v}''_{op} = v''_{op} + w'_{cp}/R$, A is the area of the cross section and I_x is the moment of inertia about the major axis ox .

3.2 Variations of strains

As a result of assumptions (a), (b), and (d), buckling behavior of arches can be defined from the prebuckled position ($u_{op} = 0, v_{op}, w_{cp}, \theta_p = 0$) to the buckled position ($u_{ob}, v_{ob} = 0, w_{cb} = 0, \theta_b$). Also, the variation of prebuckling displacements is equal to zero from assumption (d), and $\bar{w}'_{cp} = w'_{cp} - v_{op}/R = 0$ due to inextensible condition of assumption (e).

By considering the above conditions, the first and second variations of strains are obtained as

$$\delta\varepsilon = -x\left(\delta\bar{u}''_{ob} + \bar{v}''_{op}\delta\theta_b + \frac{1}{R}\bar{v}_o'\delta u'_{ob}\right) - \omega\left(\delta\bar{\theta}''_b - \frac{1}{R}\bar{v}''_{op}\delta\theta_b - \frac{1}{R^2}\bar{v}_o'\delta u'_{ob}\right) \quad (12)$$

$$- xy\left(\frac{1}{R}\bar{v}_o'\delta\bar{\theta}'_b + \bar{v}''_{op}\delta\bar{u}''_{ob}\right) + y\omega\left(\frac{1}{R^2}\bar{v}_o'\delta\bar{\theta}'_b + \bar{v}''_{op}\delta\bar{\theta}''_b\right)$$

$$\delta\gamma = 2n\left(\delta\theta'_b - \frac{1}{R}\delta u'_{ob} - \frac{1}{R}\bar{v}_o'\delta\theta_b\right) \quad (13)$$

$$\begin{aligned}
 \delta^2 \varepsilon = & \delta u'_{ob}{}^2 + \left[x^2 + (y - y_o)^2 \right] \delta \theta_b'^2 - y_o \left(\frac{1}{R} \delta \theta_b'^2 - 2 \delta u'_{ob} \delta \theta_b' - 2 \bar{v}''_{op} \delta \theta_b \delta \theta_b' \right) \\
 & + y \left(2 \delta u''_{ob} \delta \theta_b + \frac{1}{R} \delta \theta_b'^2 + \bar{v}''_{op} \delta \theta_b'^2 + \frac{2}{R} \bar{v}'_{op} \delta \theta_b \delta u'_{ob} \right) - y y_o \left(\frac{2}{R} \bar{v}'_{op} \delta \theta_b \delta \theta_b' - \frac{1}{R} \bar{v}''_{op} \delta \theta_b'^2 \right) \\
 & - x^2 \left(\frac{2}{R} \delta u'_{ob} \delta \theta_b' - \frac{1}{R^2} \delta u'_{ob}{}^2 - \delta u''_{ob}{}^2 - \delta \theta_b'^2 - \frac{2}{R} \delta \theta_b \delta u''_{ob} - \frac{1}{R^2} \delta \theta_b'^2 - \frac{2}{R^2} \bar{v}'_{op} \delta u'_{ob} \delta \theta_b \right. \\
 & \left. - 2 \bar{v}''_{op} \delta u''_{ob} \delta \theta_b - \frac{2}{R} \bar{v}''_{op} \delta \theta_b'^2 - 2 \bar{v}'_{op} \delta u''_{ob} \delta \theta_b' \right) - 2 x \omega \left(\frac{1}{R} \delta \bar{\theta}_b'^2 - \delta \bar{\theta}_b'' \delta \bar{u}''_{ob} + \frac{1}{R^3} \bar{v}'_{op} \delta u'_{ob} \delta \theta_b \right. \\
 & \left. - \frac{1}{R^2} \bar{v}'_{op} \delta \theta_b \delta \bar{\theta}_b' - \bar{v}''_{op} \delta \theta_b \delta \bar{\theta}_b'' - \bar{v}'_{op} \delta \theta_b' \delta \bar{\theta}_b'' + \frac{1}{R} \bar{v}''_{op} \delta u''_{ob} \delta \theta_b + \frac{1}{R^2} \bar{v}''_{op} \delta \theta_b'^2 + \frac{1}{R} \bar{v}'_{op} \delta u''_{ob} \delta \theta_b' \right) \\
 & - y^2 \left(2 \bar{v}''_{op} \delta u''_{ob} \delta \theta_b + 2 \bar{v}''_{op} \delta u'_{ob} \delta \theta_b' - \frac{2}{R} \bar{v}'_{op} \delta \theta_b \delta \theta_b' + \frac{1}{R} \bar{v}''_{op} \delta \theta_b'^2 \right) \\
 & + \omega^2 \left(\frac{1}{R^2} \delta \bar{\theta}_b'^2 + \delta \bar{\theta}_b''^2 - \frac{2}{R^3} \bar{v}'_{op} \delta \theta_b \delta \bar{\theta}_b' - \frac{2}{R} \bar{v}''_{op} \delta \theta_b \delta \bar{\theta}_b'' - \frac{2}{R} \bar{v}'_{op} \delta \theta_b' \delta \bar{\theta}_b'' \right)
 \end{aligned} \tag{14}$$

$$\delta^2 \gamma = 0 \tag{15}$$

in which the higher order terms of prebuckling curvature and rotation containing $\bar{v}''_{op}{}^2$, $\bar{v}''_{op}{}^2$, $\bar{v}'_{op} \bar{v}''_{op}$ are neglected.

3.3. Energy Equation

Under the external moment M_{ex} , the principle of stationary potential energy can be represented by the following equation;

$$\delta \Pi = \int_V \sigma \delta \varepsilon dV + \int_V \tau \delta \gamma dV - \sum_{0,L} M_{ex} \delta v' = 0 \tag{16}$$

where δ represents the first variation; V and L denote the volume of the arch and the developed length of the arch, respectively; σ and τ denote the longitudinal normal stress and shear stress, respectively. The critical state of equilibrium is that the second variation of the total potential energy, $\delta^2 \Pi$ is equal to zero, which indicates a possible transition from a stable state to an unstable state. This energetic criterion of the buckling state can be written as

$$\delta^2 \Pi = \int_V \sigma \delta^2 \varepsilon dV + \int_V \tau \delta^2 \gamma dV + \int_V E (\delta \varepsilon)^2 dV + \int_V G (\delta \gamma)^2 dV = 0 \tag{17}$$

Substituting Eqs. (12), (13), (14) and (15) into Eq. (17), the energy equation then becomes

$$\begin{aligned}
 \delta^2 \Pi = & \int_L \left\{ EI_y \left(\delta \bar{u}''_{ob} + \bar{v}''_{op} \delta \theta_b + \frac{1}{R} \bar{v}'_{op} \delta u'_{ob} \right)^2 + EI_\omega \left(\delta \bar{\theta}_b'' - \frac{1}{R} \bar{v}''_{op} \delta \theta_b - \frac{1}{R^2} \bar{v}'_{op} \delta u'_{ob} \right)^2 + W \delta \theta_b'^2 \right. \\
 & + GK_T \left(\delta \theta_b' - \frac{1}{R} \delta u'_{ob} - \frac{1}{R} \bar{v}'_{op} \delta \theta_b \right)^2 + F_z \left(\delta u'_{ob}{}^2 + 2 y_o \delta u'_{ob} \delta \theta_b' - \frac{1}{R} y_o \delta \theta_b'^2 + 2 y_o \bar{v}'_{op} \delta \theta_b \delta \theta_b' \right) \\
 & + M_x \left(2 \delta u''_{ob} \delta \theta_b + \frac{1}{R} \delta \theta_b'^2 + \frac{2}{R} \bar{v}'_{op} \delta \theta_b \delta u'_{ob} + \bar{v}''_{op} \delta \theta_b'^2 - \frac{2}{R} y_o \bar{v}'_{op} \delta \theta_b \delta \theta_b' + \frac{1}{R} y_o \bar{v}''_{op} \delta \theta_b'^2 \right) \\
 & + EJ_{xy} \left(\frac{1}{R} \bar{v}'_{op} \delta \bar{\theta}_b' + \bar{v}''_{op} \delta \bar{u}''_{ob} \right)^2 - 2 EJ_{xy\omega} \left(\frac{1}{R} \bar{v}'_{op} \delta \bar{\theta}_b' + \bar{v}''_{op} \delta \bar{u}''_{ob} \right) \left(\frac{1}{R^2} \bar{v}'_{op} \delta \bar{\theta}_b' + \bar{v}''_{op} \delta \bar{\theta}_b'' \right) \\
 & + EJ_{yy\omega\omega} \left(\frac{1}{R^2} \bar{v}'_{op} \delta \bar{\theta}_b' + \bar{v}''_{op} \delta \bar{\theta}_b'' \right)^2 + 2 EJ_{xy} \left(\delta \bar{u}''_{ob} + \bar{v}''_{op} \delta \theta_b + \frac{1}{R} \bar{v}'_{op} \delta u'_{ob} \right) \left(\frac{1}{R} \bar{v}'_{op} \delta \bar{\theta}_b' + \bar{v}''_{op} \delta \bar{u}''_{ob} \right) \\
 & - 2 EJ_{\omega\omega y} \left(\delta \bar{\theta}_b'' - \frac{1}{R} \bar{v}''_{op} \delta \theta_b - \frac{1}{R^2} \bar{v}'_{op} \delta u'_{ob} \right) \left(\frac{1}{R^2} \bar{v}'_{op} \delta \bar{\theta}_b' + \bar{v}''_{op} \delta \bar{\theta}_b'' \right) \\
 & - K_y \left(\frac{2}{R} \delta u'_{ob} \delta \theta_b' - \frac{1}{R^2} \delta u'_{ob}{}^2 - \delta u''_{ob}{}^2 - \delta \theta_b'^2 - \frac{2}{R} \delta \theta_b \delta u''_{ob} - \frac{1}{R^2} \delta \theta_b'^2 - \frac{2}{R^2} \bar{v}'_{op} \delta u'_{ob} \delta \theta_b \right. \\
 & \left. - 2 \bar{v}''_{op} \delta u''_{ob} \delta \theta_b - \frac{2}{R} \bar{v}''_{op} \delta \theta_b'^2 - 2 \bar{v}'_{op} \delta u''_{ob} \delta \theta_b' \right) - K_{x\omega} \left(\frac{2}{R} \delta \bar{\theta}_b'^2 - 2 \delta \bar{\theta}_b'' \delta \bar{u}''_{ob} + \frac{2}{R^3} \bar{v}'_{op} \delta u'_{ob} \delta \theta_b \right. \\
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 & - K_x \left(2 \bar{v}''_{op} \delta u''_{ob} \delta \theta_b + 2 \bar{v}''_{op} \delta u'_{ob} \delta \theta_b' - \frac{2}{R} \bar{v}'_{op} \delta \theta_b \delta \theta_b' + \frac{1}{R} \bar{v}''_{op} \delta \theta_b'^2 \right) \\
 & \left. + K_\omega \left(\frac{1}{R^2} \delta \bar{\theta}_b'^2 + \delta \bar{\theta}_b''^2 + \frac{2}{R^3} \bar{v}'_{op} \delta \theta_b \delta \bar{\theta}_b' - \frac{2}{R} \bar{v}''_{op} \delta \theta_b \delta \bar{\theta}_b'' - \frac{2}{R} \bar{v}'_{op} \delta \theta_b' \delta \bar{\theta}_b'' \right) \right\} dz = 0
 \end{aligned} \tag{18}$$

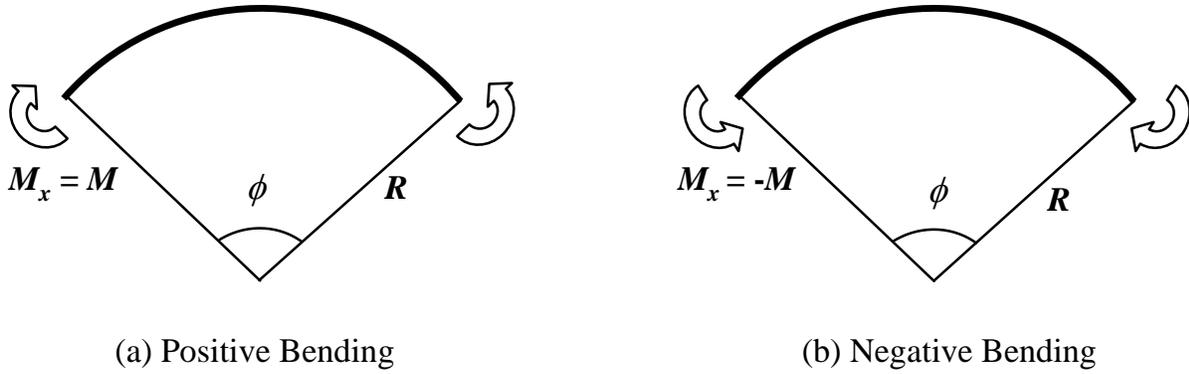


Fig. (3). Arches in uniform bending.

in which F_z is the axial force; M_x is the moment about x -axis; I_y is the second moment of area about the minor axis oy ; I_ω is the warping constant of the cross section; G is the shear modulus of elasticity; K_T is the Saint-Venant torsional constant of the cross section.

The stress resultants given in Eq. (18) is defined as

$$K_y = \int_A \sigma x^2 dA, \quad K_{x\omega} = \int_A \sigma x \omega dA, \quad K_x = \int_A \sigma y^2 dA, \quad K_\omega = \int_A \sigma \omega^2 dA \quad (19a, b, c, d)$$

$$J_{xxyy} = \int_A x^2 y^2 dA, \quad J_{xyy\omega} = \int_A x y^2 \omega dA, \quad J_{yy\omega\omega} = \int_A y^2 \omega^2 dA, \quad J_{xxy} = \int_A x^2 y dA \quad (19e, f, g, h)$$

$$J_{\omega\omega y} = \int_A \omega^2 y dA, \quad W = \int_A \sigma [x^2 + (y - y_o)^2] dA \quad (19i, j)$$

where W is the Wagner coefficient.

4. ARCHES IN UNIFORM BENDING

4.1. Buckling Equation

Fig. (3) shows a circular arch of radius R subjected to two equal and opposite end moments. When a simply supported thin-walled arch is subjected to uniform bending $M_x = M$, the axial stress resultant is $F_z = 0$.

where

$$K_{11} = P_y + \frac{1}{R^2} r_o^2 P_\theta + \frac{\chi_1}{R} M + \frac{EJ_{yy\omega\omega}}{R^4} - \frac{M}{R} \frac{I_y}{I_x} + M\lambda^2 \xi_1 \quad (24a)$$

$$K_{12} = K_{21} = -\frac{P_y}{\Psi\lambda} - \frac{1}{R} r_o^2 P_\theta - M(1 + \chi_1) - \frac{1}{2R^3} EJ_{yy\omega\omega} + \frac{I_y}{I_x} \left(M + \frac{M}{2\Psi^2} \right) + \frac{M}{2\Psi^2} \frac{GK_T}{EI_x} + M\xi_2 + \frac{M^2}{2EI_x} \left[\xi_1 \left(1 + \frac{1}{\Psi^2} \right) + \frac{1}{\Psi\lambda} \right] \quad (24b)$$

$$K_{22} = \frac{P_y}{\Psi^2 \lambda^2} + r_o^2 P_\theta + M \left(\chi_2 + \frac{\chi_3}{\lambda^2} \right) + \frac{I_y}{I_x} \left(\frac{M^2}{EI_x \lambda^2} - \frac{2M}{\Psi\lambda} \right) - \frac{I_\omega}{I_x} \frac{2M}{R} - \frac{\alpha_3 M}{\Psi^2} - \frac{GK_T}{EI_x} \frac{M}{\Psi\lambda} - \frac{M^2}{EI_x \lambda^2} (1 + \xi_3) + M\xi_4 \quad (24c)$$

The prebuckling curvature due to uniform bending is constant along the arch axis, and can be obtained from Eq. (11) as

$$\bar{v}_{op}'' = -\frac{M}{EI_x} \quad (20)$$

from which the rotation \bar{v}'_{op} along arch axis can be obtained as

$$\bar{v}'_{op} = -\frac{M}{EI_x} \left(z - \frac{L}{2} \right) \quad (21)$$

By substituting Eqs. (20) and (21) into the Eq. (18), the energy equation for the flexural-torsional buckling of arches subjected to the uniform bending is obtained. The buckling displacements for the laterally simply supported arch may take the form of

$$\delta u_{ob} = a \sin \frac{\pi}{L} z, \quad \delta \theta_b = b \sin \frac{\pi}{L} z \quad (22a, b)$$

where a, b are the maximum values of u_{ob} and θ_b , respectively. Substituting Eqs. (20), (21), and (22) into Eq. (18) and recasting into matrix format produces

$$\frac{L}{2} \left(\frac{\pi}{L} \right)^2 \begin{Bmatrix} a \\ b \end{Bmatrix}^T \begin{bmatrix} K_{11} & K_{12} \\ K_{21} & K_{22} \end{bmatrix} \begin{Bmatrix} a \\ b \end{Bmatrix} = 0 \quad (23)$$

in which

$$\chi_1 = -\frac{2\alpha_1}{R^2} + \frac{\alpha_2}{R^3} + \frac{\alpha_3}{R}, \chi_2 = \beta_x - \frac{2\alpha_1}{R} + \frac{\alpha_2}{R^2}, \chi_3 = \frac{1}{R} + \frac{\alpha_3}{R^2} \quad (25a, b, c)$$

$$\xi_1 = -\frac{2\alpha_1}{R} + \frac{\alpha_2}{R^2} + \alpha_3, \xi_2 = \alpha_1 \left(\lambda^2 + \frac{1}{R^2} \right) - \frac{\alpha_2 \lambda^2}{R} + \frac{\alpha_3}{2R} \left(1 - \frac{1}{\Psi^2} \right) \quad (26a, b)$$

$$\xi_3 = \frac{2y_o}{R} - \alpha_1 \left(\lambda^2 + \frac{3}{R^2} \right) - \frac{\alpha_2}{R} \left(\frac{1}{R^2} - \lambda^2 \right) + \frac{2}{R} (\alpha_3 - \alpha_4), \xi_4 = -\frac{2\alpha_1}{R} + \alpha_2 \lambda^2 + \alpha_3 \quad (26c, d)$$

$$\alpha_1 = \frac{J_{xy\omega}}{I_x}, \alpha_2 = \frac{J_{\omega\omega y}}{I_x}, \alpha_3 = \frac{J_{xyx}}{I_x}, \alpha_4 = \frac{J_x}{I_x} \quad (27a, b, c, d)$$

$$J_{xy\omega} = \int_A xy\omega dA, J_x = \int_A y^3 dA \quad (27e, f)$$

$$P_y = EI_y \lambda^2, P_\theta = \frac{1}{r_o^2} (EI_\omega \lambda^2 + GK_T),$$

$$r_o^2 = \frac{1}{A} (I_x + I_y + A y_o^2), \Psi = R\lambda \quad (28a, b, c, d)$$

$$\beta_x = \frac{J_x}{I_x} + \frac{J_{xyx}}{I_x} - 2y_o \quad (29)$$

where P_y is the minor axis flexural buckling load for a straight column; P_θ is the torsional buckling load for a straight column; r_o denotes the radius of gyration with respect to the shear center; $\lambda = n\pi/L$; and n is the number of buckled half waves around the arc length L ; β_x denotes the monosymmetry parameter.

Eq. (23) has a non-trivial solution for a and b when

$$K_{11} K_{22} - K_{12} K_{21} = 0 \quad (30)$$

which leads to the quartic equation

$$A_1 M_{cr}^4 + A_2 M_{cr}^3 + A_3 M_{cr}^2 + A_4 M_{cr} + A_5 = 0 \quad (31)$$

where the coefficients A_1 , A_2 , A_3 , A_4 , and A_5 are given in Appendix.

When an infinite radius of curvature is used for Eq. (31), the monosymmetric arch degenerates to a straight beam of

monosymmetric cross-section, and the buckling equation for monosymmetric straight beam is given by Eq. (32).

in which $M_{cr-MSB-p}$ is the critical buckling moment for monosymmetric straight beam considering the effects of prebuckling deformations. In Eq. (32), the terms $\left(\frac{\alpha_3}{2EI_x}\right)^2$, $\alpha_1 \lambda^2 (2 - \alpha_1 \lambda^2)$, and $\alpha_3 \lambda^2 (\beta_x + \alpha_2)$ are very small and can be neglected without affecting the results so that Eq. (32) can be reduced as eq. (33).

Eq. (33) is in close agreement with Pi *et al.* [16]. When the effects of prebuckling deformations on straight beams are ignored, the classical buckling moment (M_{cr-MSB}) for a monosymmetric straight beam can be obtained as

$$-M_{cr-MSB}^2 + P_y \beta_x M_{cr-MSB} + r_o^2 P_y P_\theta = 0 \quad (34)$$

4.2. Effects of Prebuckling

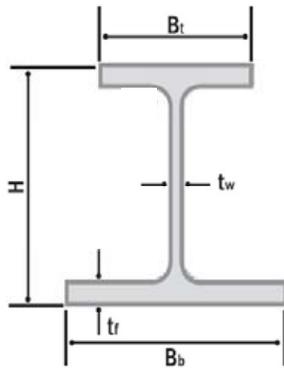
The comparative study on the prebuckling effects is performed by using the monosymmetric I-section shown in Fig. (4) with typical material properties (Young's Modulus; $E=63,000\text{MPa}$, Shear Modulus; $G=27,000\text{MPa}$; these values are also used throughout this section) and the developed length of the arch is $L=1,000\text{mm}$.

The closed form solution of Eq. (31) for the flexural-torsional buckling of the laterally pinned circular arch with the section-B in Fig. (4) is compared with that of Pi *et al.* [16]. Fig. (5) shows the variation of the buckling moment ratio M_{cr}/M_{cr-MSB} with the subtended angle, and the classical buckling moment M_{cr-MSB} of a straight beam of monosymmetric section can be calculated from Eq. (34). When the prebuckling deformation is ignored, the solutions of Eq. (31) closely agree with that of Pi *et al.* [16]. When the prebuckling deformation is considered, the solutions of Eq. (31) generally close to that of quadratic equation by Pi *et al.* [16] in positive uniform bending, but disagrees with that of Pi *et al.* [8] for the arch with a large subtended angle in negative uniform bending. As shown in Fig. (5a), for straight beam with section-B in positive bending, the classical buckling moment (M_{cr-MSB}) is 18.7 N-m, while the buckling moment considering the prebuckling ($M_{cr-MSB-p}$) is 23.8 N-m, which is about 27% higher. In case of the arch (subtended angle is 180 degree) in Fig. (5b), the classical buckling moment is 152 N-m, while the buckling moment considering the prebuckling (M_{cr}) is 239 N-m, which is about 57.2% higher.

In deriving the cubic buckling equation by Pi *et al.* [16], prebuckling terms including $(I_y/I_x)^2$ and $(I_y/I_x)^3$ in the coefficient of the cubic term were neglected. Also, using the assumption that the cubic term can be ignored because the co-

$$\left(\frac{\alpha_3}{2EI_x}\right)^2 M_{cr-MSB-p}^4 + \left[\frac{I_y}{I_x} - 1 + \alpha_1 \lambda^2 (2 - \alpha_1 \lambda^2) + \alpha_3 \lambda^2 (\beta_x + \alpha_2)\right] M_{cr-MSB-p}^2 + \left[P_y (\beta_x + \alpha_2 \lambda^2 + \alpha_3) + r_o^2 P_\theta \alpha_3 \lambda^2\right] M_{cr-MSB-p} + r_o^2 P_y P_\theta = 0 \quad (32)$$

$$\left(\frac{I_y}{I_x} - 1\right) M_{cr-MSB-p}^2 + \left[P_y (\beta_x + \alpha_2 \lambda^2 + \alpha_3) + r_o^2 P_\theta \alpha_3 \lambda^2\right] M_{cr-MSB-p} + r_o^2 P_y P_\theta = 0 \quad (33)$$

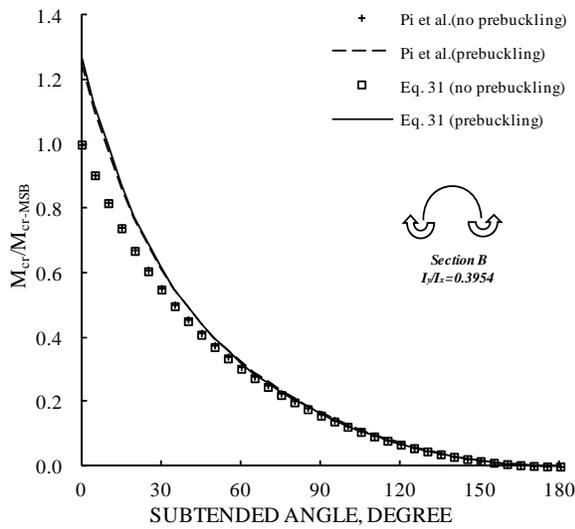


(a) Cross section

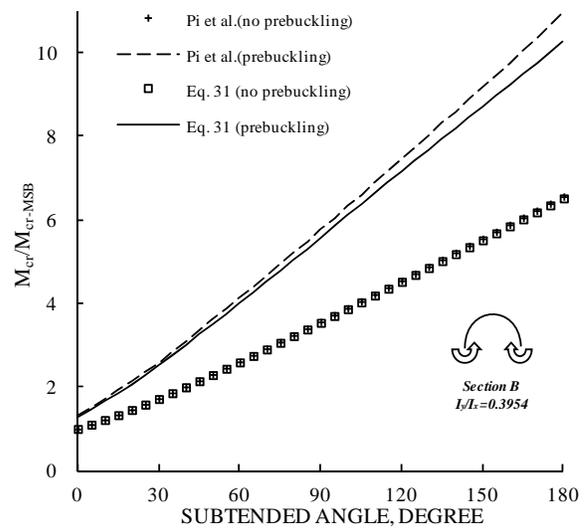
	I-Section A	I-Section B	I-Section C
B_t	7mm	7mm	7mm
B_b	14mm	18mm	20mm
H	15mm	15mm	15mm
t_f	1.42mm	1.42mm	1.42mm
t_w	1.38mm	1.38mm	1.38mm

(b) Dimension

Fig. (4). Cross section and dimensions.



(a) Positive Uniform Bending



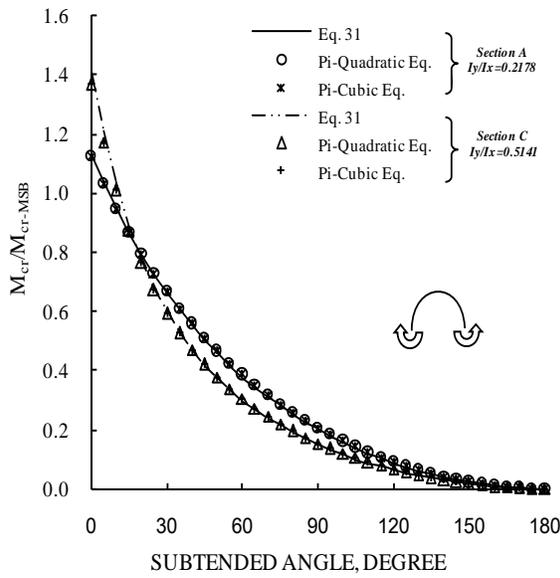
(b) Negative Uniform Bending

Fig. (5). Buckling of monosymmetric arch in uniform bending.

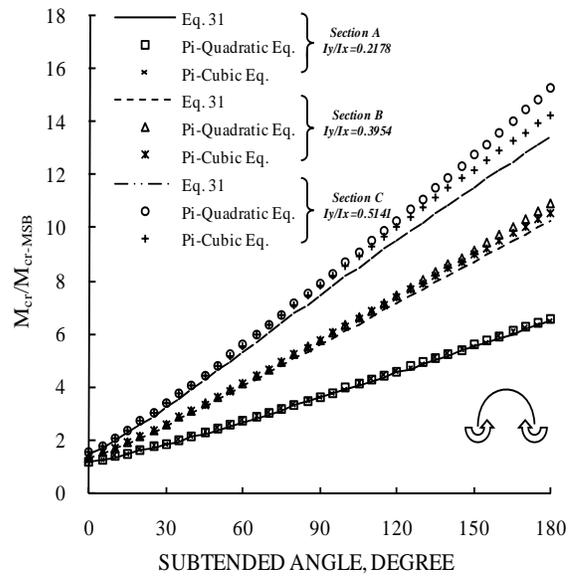
efficient of the cubic term is very small, the cubic buckling equation was reduced to the quadratic equation in the study of Pi *et al.* [16]. The solutions of the cubic and quadratic buckling equation by Pi *et al.* [16] are compared with those of Eq. (31). Fig. (6) shows the variation of the buckling moment ratio M_{cr}/M_{cr-MSB} with the subtended angle. When the arch is subjected to the positive uniform bending moment, the solutions of the cubic and quadratic buckling equation by Pi *et al.* [16] closely agree with those of Eq. (31) without reference to the ratio of I_y/I_x of the minor axis flexural stiffness to the major axis flexural stiffness. However, in case of the negative uniform bending, the solutions of Pi *et al.* [16] disagree with Eq. (31) as the subtended angle and the ratio of I_y/I_x increase. The buckling moment predicted by the cubic equation by Pi *et al.* [16] is 6.13% higher than the Eq. (31) for Section-C with $\phi = 180^\circ$, and the buckling moment of the quadratic equation by Pi *et al.* [16] is 13.9% higher than the Eq. (31). Therefore, as the subtended angle

increases, the quadratic buckling equation by Pi *et al.* [16] must be used with caution when the ratio of I_y/I_x is not small. Also it is found that the buckling equation of Pi *et al.* [16] estimate the flexural-torsional buckling strength too highly, and this is because that the terms referring to the prebuckling deformation with curvature effects such as $\bar{v}_o' u_o' / R$ in Eq. (5) are not considered in the strain-displacement relations of Pi *et al.* [16].

In order to investigate the influence of the higher order prebuckling terms with curvature effects on the buckling resistance of arches, the solutions of Eq. (31) are compared with the approximate solutions of Eq. (31). The approximate solution can be obtained by neglecting the higher order prebuckling terms with curvature such as $\bar{v}_o' \theta_o' / R$, $\bar{v}_o'' \theta^2 / R$ from the nonlinear strain-displacement relationship of Eq. (5). The variations of the buckling moment ratio of the monosymmetric arch in uniform bending moment are plotted

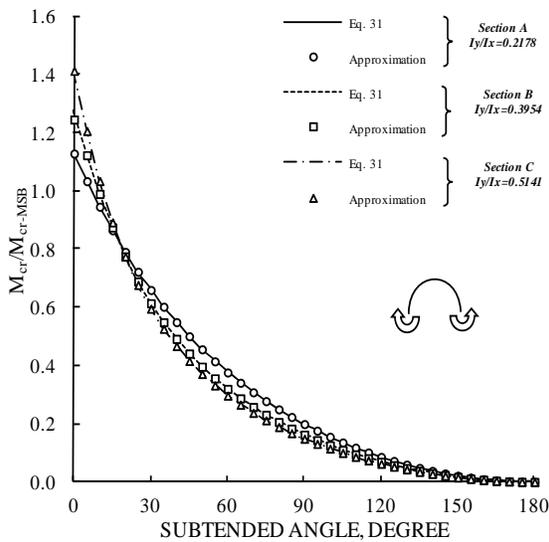


(a) Positive Uniform Bending

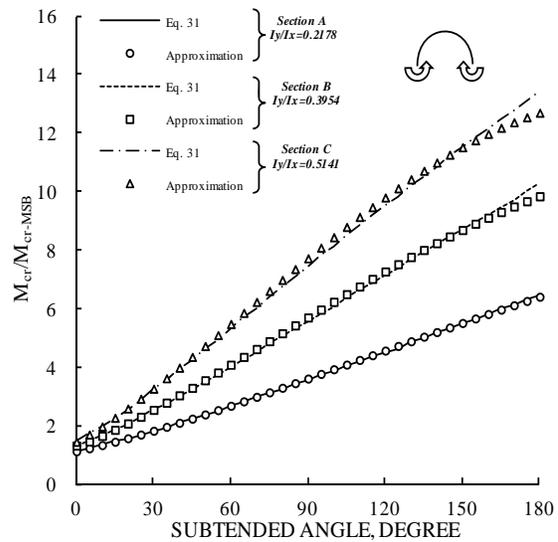


(b) Negative Uniform Bending

Fig. (6). Comparison of present results with those of Pi et al. [8].



(a) Positive Uniform Bending



(b) Negative Uniform Bending

Fig. (7). Effects of the higher order prebuckling terms with curvature.

in Fig. (7) with varying the ratio of I_y/I_x . As shown in Fig. (7), the approximate solutions of Eq. (31) agree well with the accurate Eq. (31) except for a large subtended angle or small radius of curvature. Therefore, the approximate solutions of Eq. (31) can be used to predict the flexural-torsional buckling moment of the arch without a significant loss of accuracy.

5. CONCLUSIONS

In this paper, the elastic flexural-torsional buckling of monosymmetric arches subjected to the uniform bending has been investigated by considering the effects of prebuckling deformations. After using the nonlinear strain-displacement

relations considering initial curvature effects and higher order prebuckling deformation terms with curvature in deriving process, closed form solution for the buckling moment has been obtained based on the energy method.

When the prebuckling deformation is ignored, the quartic equation of Eq. (31) closely agrees with that of Pi et al. [16]. When the prebuckling deformation is considered, the proposed quartic equation generally close to that of buckling equation by Pi et al. [16] in positive uniform bending, but disagrees with that of Pi et al. [16] for the arch with a large subtended angle in negative uniform bending. As the subtended angle increases, the quadratic buckling equation proposed by Pi et al. [16] must be used with caution when the

ratio of I_y/I_x is not small. Since the terms referring to the prebuckling deformation with curvature effects such as $\bar{v}_o' u_o'/R$ are not considered in the strain-displacement relations of Pi *et al.* [16], the buckling equation of Pi *et al.* [16] can slightly overestimate the flexural-torsional buckling strength of monosymmetric arches.

By neglecting the higher order prebuckling terms with curvature from the nonlinear strain-displacement relationship, the accurate quartic equation of Eq. (31) has been simplified as the approximated form. It is found that the higher order prebuckling terms with curvature has no effects on the buckling strength of monosymmetric arches. Therefore, the **APPENDIX**

The quartic equation is given by

$$A_1 M_{cr}^4 + A_2 M_{cr}^3 + A_3 M_{cr}^2 + A_4 M_{cr} + A_5 = 0$$

where the coefficients A_1 , A_2 , A_3 , A_4 , and A_5 are given by

$$A_1 = \left\{ \frac{1}{2EI_x} \left[\xi_1 \left(1 + \frac{1}{\Psi^2} \right) + \frac{1}{\Psi\lambda} \right] \right\}^2 \quad (35a)$$

$$A_2 = \frac{I_y}{I_x} \frac{1}{EI_x} \left[\frac{1}{\Psi} \left(\frac{2y_o}{\Psi} - \frac{1}{\lambda} - \frac{1}{2\Psi^2\lambda} \right) + \kappa_1 \right] + \frac{1}{EI_x} \left\{ \frac{1}{\Psi} \left(\frac{1}{\lambda} + \frac{1}{\Psi} \right) - \frac{1}{2\Psi^2} \frac{GK_T}{EI_x} \left[\xi_1 \left(1 + \frac{1}{\Psi^2} \right) + \frac{1}{\Psi\lambda} \right] + \frac{2\alpha_4}{R} \xi_1 + \kappa_2 \right\} \quad (35b)$$

$$A_3 = -(1 + \chi_1)^2 + \frac{1}{R} \chi_1 \chi_2 + \frac{1}{\Psi\lambda} \chi_1 \chi_3 + \frac{r_o^2 P_\theta}{EI_x} \left[\frac{1}{\Psi^2} \left(\frac{I_y}{I_x} - \frac{2y_o}{R} \right) + \kappa_3 \right] + \frac{GK_T}{EI_x} \left[\frac{1}{\Psi^2} \left(1 - \frac{1}{4\Psi^2} \frac{GK_T}{EI_x} \right) + \kappa_4 \right] - \frac{I_\omega}{I_x} \left[\frac{2}{R} \left(\lambda^2 \xi_1 + \frac{\chi_1}{R} \right) \right] + \frac{I_y}{I_x} \left[1 + \frac{I_y}{I_x} \frac{1}{\Psi^2} \left(1 - \frac{1}{4\Psi^2} \right) + \frac{2}{R^2} \frac{I_\omega}{I_x} - \frac{1}{2\Psi^4} \frac{GK_T}{EI_x} - \frac{1}{R} (\beta_x + 2y_o) + \frac{1}{\Psi^2} \left(1 + \frac{1}{R} \right) + \kappa_5 \right] - \frac{J_{yy\omega\omega}}{I_x} \left[\frac{1}{R^2 \Psi^2} \left(\frac{1}{2} + \frac{2y_o}{R} \right) + \kappa_6 \right] + \beta_x \lambda^2 \xi_1 + \kappa_7 \quad (35c)$$

$$A_4 = \chi_1 \left(\frac{r_o^2 P_\theta}{R} + \frac{P_y}{\Psi^3 \lambda} \right) - 2(1 + \chi_1) \left(\frac{r_o^2 P_\theta}{R} + \frac{P_y}{\Psi\lambda} \right) + \chi_2 \left(P_y + \frac{r_o^2 P_\theta}{R^2} \right) + \chi_3 \left(\frac{P_y}{\lambda^2} + \frac{r_o^2 P_\theta}{\Psi^2} \right) - \frac{I_\omega}{I_x} \left(\frac{2EJ_{yy\omega\omega}}{R^5} + \frac{2P_y}{R} \right) + \frac{I_y}{I_x} \left[\frac{EJ_{yy\omega\omega}}{R^3} \left(1 - \frac{3}{2\Psi^2} \right) + \frac{r_o^2 P_\theta}{R} \left(1 - \frac{r_o^2 P_\theta}{\Psi^2} \right) \right] + r_o^2 P_\theta \left[\alpha_3 \left(\lambda^2 + \frac{2}{R^2} - \frac{2}{R^2 \Psi^2} \right) - \frac{2}{R^3} \frac{I_\omega}{I_x} \right] + \frac{EJ_{yy\omega\omega}}{R^3} \left[\frac{\chi_2}{R^4} - 1 - \frac{1}{\Psi^2} \left(\frac{GK_T}{2EI_x} + 1 \right) + \kappa_8 \right] + P_y \left[\frac{GK_T}{EI_x} \frac{1}{\Psi\lambda} \left(\frac{1}{\Psi^2} - 1 \right) + \kappa_9 \right] \quad (35d)$$

$$A_5 = r_o^2 P_y P_\theta \left(1 - \frac{1}{\Psi^2} \right)^2 + \frac{EJ_{yy\omega\omega}}{R^4} \left[\frac{P_y}{\lambda^2} \left(\frac{1}{\Psi^2} - 1 \right) - \frac{EJ_{yy\omega\omega}}{4R^2} \right] \quad (35e)$$

higher order prebuckling terms with curvature such as $\bar{v}_o' \theta u_o'/R$, $\bar{v}_o' \theta^2/R$ in the nonlinear strain-displacement relationship can be neglected without a significant loss of accuracy.

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in which

$$\kappa_1 = \frac{\alpha_1}{R} \left[\frac{1}{\Psi^2} \left(\frac{1}{\Psi^2} - 2 \right) - 1 \right] + \frac{\alpha_2}{R^2} \left[1 - \frac{1}{2\Psi^2} \left(3 + \frac{1}{\Psi^2} \right) \right] + \frac{\alpha_3}{\Psi^2} \left(1 - \frac{1}{2\Psi^2} \right) - \frac{\alpha_4}{\Psi^2} \quad (36a)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \kappa_2 = & \frac{\alpha_1}{R} \left[\frac{4y_o}{R} - \frac{1}{\Psi^2} \left(3 + \frac{2}{R} \right) - 1 + \frac{2\alpha_1}{R^2} \left(1 + \frac{1}{\Psi^2} + 2\Psi^2 \right) \right] + \frac{\alpha_2}{R^2} \left[1 + \frac{1}{\Psi^2} \left(1 + \frac{1}{R} \right) - \frac{2y_o}{R} + \frac{3\alpha_2}{R^3} \right] \\ & + \frac{\alpha_3}{R} \left[\frac{1}{\Psi} \left(\frac{1}{2\lambda} + \frac{1}{\Psi} + \frac{1}{2\Psi^2\lambda} \right) - 2y_o + \frac{\alpha_3}{2} \left(\frac{1}{\Psi^4} - 3 \right) \right] - \frac{\alpha_1\alpha_2}{R^4} \left(7 + \frac{1}{\Psi^2} \right) \\ & + \frac{\alpha_1\alpha_3}{R^2} \left[2 - \frac{1}{\Psi^2} \left(1 + \frac{1}{\Psi^2} \right) \right] + \frac{\alpha_2\alpha_3}{2R^3} \left(\frac{1}{\Psi^4} + 3 \right) \end{aligned} \quad (36b)$$

$$\kappa_3 = \frac{\alpha_1}{R^2} \left(\frac{1}{\Psi^2} - 3 \right) + \frac{2\alpha_2}{R^3} \left(1 + \frac{1}{\Psi^2} \right) + \frac{\alpha_3}{R} \left(1 - \frac{1}{\Psi^2} \right) + \frac{2\alpha_4}{R\Psi^2} \quad (36c)$$

$$\kappa_4 = \frac{\alpha_1}{R^2} \left(1 - \frac{1}{\Psi^2} \right) - \frac{\alpha_3}{R} \left[1 + \frac{1}{2\Psi^2} \left(1 - \frac{1}{\Psi^2} \right) \right] \quad (36d)$$

$$\kappa_5 = \frac{\alpha_1}{R^2} \left(2 - \Psi^2 - \frac{1}{\Psi^2} \right) + \frac{2\alpha_2}{R^3} + \frac{\alpha_3}{R} \left[\frac{1}{2\Psi^2} \left(\frac{1}{\Psi^2} - 1 \right) - 3 \right] + \frac{2\alpha_4}{R} \quad (36e)$$

$$\kappa_6 = \frac{2\alpha_1}{R^4} \left(1 - \frac{1}{\Psi^2} \right) - \frac{3\alpha_2}{2R^5} \left(\frac{1}{\Psi^2} + 1 \right) - \frac{\alpha_3}{2R^3} \left(1 - \frac{3}{\Psi^2} \right) - \frac{2\alpha_4}{R^3\Psi^2} \quad (36f)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \kappa_7 = & \alpha_1 \left[2\lambda^2 - \alpha_1 \left(\lambda^4 + \frac{1}{R^4} - \frac{2\lambda^2}{R^2} \right) \right] + \frac{\alpha_2}{R} \left(\frac{1}{R^2} - 2\lambda^2 \right) + \frac{\alpha_3}{R} \left(2 - \frac{1}{\Psi^2} \right) \\ & + \left(\frac{\alpha_3}{R} \right)^2 \left[\frac{7}{4} + \Psi^2 - \frac{1}{2\Psi^2} \left(5 + \frac{1}{2R^3\Psi^2} \right) \right] + \frac{\alpha_1\alpha_3}{R} \left[\frac{1}{R^2} \left(\frac{5}{\Psi^2} - 4 \right) - 5\lambda^2 \right] \\ & + \alpha_2\alpha_3 \left[\frac{1}{R^4} \left(1 + 2\Psi^2 - \frac{2}{\Psi^2} \right) + \lambda^4 \right] \end{aligned} \quad (36g)$$

$$\kappa_8 = \alpha_1 \left(\lambda^2 + \frac{1}{R^2} \right) - \frac{\alpha_2}{R^3} + \frac{\alpha_3}{2R} \left(1 - \frac{1}{\Psi^2} \right) \quad (36h)$$

$$\kappa_9 = \alpha_2 \left(\lambda^2 - \frac{2}{R^2} \right) + \alpha_3 \left[1 - \frac{1}{\Psi^2} \left(1 + \frac{1}{\Psi^2} \right) \right] \quad (36i)$$

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