





#### AS 5216:2021 Webinar Series

### POST-INSTALLED REBAR CONNECTIONS + FASTENINGS FOR REDUNDANT NON-STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS

MS Teams Webinar

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### **Pre-qualification**

Products independently tested and assessed to be "fit for purpose"

### 02. Design Rigorous assessment to design for critical mode of failure

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## **Standard Development**

#### SA TS 101 - 2015

Design of post-installed and cast-in fastenings for use in concrete

#### AS 5216 - 2018

Design of post-installed and cast-in fastenings in concrete

#### AS 5216 - 2021

Design of post-installed and cast-in fastenings in concrete





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### Scope of AS 5216

- Post-installed fasteners
- Cast-in fasteners
- Design for seismic actions
- Anchor channel with 3-D loading
- Post-installed rebar connections
- Redundant non-structural connections
- Design for fire and durability
- Design for fatigue





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## **SEMINAR #2**

## **Post-Installed** Reinforcing Bar Connections



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## What is covered?



- What are Post-Installed Reinforcing Bar (PIR) connections and their application
- Similarities and differences of PIR and chemical anchors
- Pre-qualification and design method in AS 5216
  - Anchor model
  - Rebar model
- Guidelines/Suggestions
  - Selection of suitable design model



## **Standard Definitions**

- Post-installed reinforcing bars
  - reinforcement that is anchored into matured concrete using adhesives in drilled hole
- Chemical fastener
  - post-installed fastener that includes a steel element (threaded rod or reinforcing bar) and a bonding compound that transmits loads from the embedded steel element into the base material
    - Also known as bonded fastener.







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## What is Post-Installed Rebar (PIR)?



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## **Applications of PIR Connections**



#### **Connection of new slabs**



#### **Balcony extensions**



#### Bridge enlargement



#### **Close openings / slab enlargement**



#### **Staircase connections**



#### Wall extension





## **Applications of PIR Connections**



#### New columns / Columns extensions



#### **Beam connections**



#### Misplaced or missing rebars



#### Additional rebars



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## **Design of Chemical Fasteners**

- Tension load Failure modes in AS 5216
  - Steel failure
  - Concrete cone failure
  - Pull-out failure
  - Combined pull-out and concrete cone failure (chemical)
  - Concrete splitting failure
  - Concrete blow out failure (undercut)
  - Supplementary reinforcement failure







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### Anchor Design – AS 5216

- Minimum Diameter ≥ 6mm
- Maximum diameter No limitation (tension)
   ≤ 60mm (shear)
- Effective embedment depth  $\ge 40$ mm Effective embedment depth  $\le 20 d_{nom}$

Concrete Capacity (CC) method from AS 5216 can be used for threaded rods and deformed reinforcing bars

#### ANCHOR MODEL







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## Pull-out Failure

• Clause 6.2.5

$$N_{\text{Rk,p}} = N_{\text{Rk,p}}^{0} \left( \frac{A_{\text{p,N}}}{A_{\text{p,N}}^{0}} \right) \psi_{\text{s,Np}} \psi_{\text{g,Np}} \psi_{\text{re,N}} \psi_{\text{ec,Np}}$$
$$N_{\text{Rk,p}}^{0} = \tau_{\text{Rk}} \pi d h_{\text{ef}} \psi_{\text{sus}}$$







## Assumptions

- Uniform distribution of bond stress along its length
  - True for shallow embedment
  - Tests were conducted for 8 10  $d_{\rm nom}$
  - Works up to  $h_{ef} \le 20 d_{nom}$
- For greater embedment depth
  - Stress VARIES with depth
  - Uniform bond stress model
    - Does not work



where:

- $\overline{N}_{\tau}$  = mean failure load
- $\bar{\tau}$  = mean bond strength
- d = anchor diameter
- $h_{ef}$  = embedment depth





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### **Deep anchors (rebars)**

- Tension load Possible failure modes
  - Steel failure
  - <del>Concrete cone failure
    </del>
  - Pull-out failure (CC Method does not work)
  - Combined pull-out and concrete cone failure (chemical)
  - Concrete splitting failure
  - Concrete blow out failure (undercut)
  - Supplementary reinforcement failure

DESIGN: Embedment depth to have steel failure





### What next?

- ? Use AS 3600
  - Developed for cast-in reinforcing bars
  - Does not address the behaviour of PIR
- Extra layer of chemical between rebar and concrete in PIR
  - Connection behaviour is also dependent on the properties of the chemical
- To use AS 3600
  - Ensure PIR performs in a similar (or better) manner to cast-in rebar
    - Load transfer & Load displacement







## PIR (AS 5216:2021)

- Appendix A (EAD 330087)
  - Intends to demonstrate comparable performance to cast-in solution
  - Tension loads only
  - Only steel, pull-out or splitting failure possible
    - concrete cone failure avoided by compressive strength and/or large embedment



#### EUROPEAN ASSESSMENT DOCUMENT

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## **Pre-qualification of PIR**



• Pass/Fail Criteria

Concrete Compressive Strength, f <sub>ck</sub>	16	20	25	30	35	40	45	50
Required Bond Strength to have equivalent cast-in rebar, $f_{\rm bm, req}$	8,6	10,0	11,6	13,1	14,5	15,9	17,2	18,4
Design Bond Strength of PIR, f <sub>bd,PIR</sub>	2,0	2,3	2,7	3,0	3,4	3,7	4,0	4,3

Chapter 13 of AS 3600:2018

 $L_{\rm sy.t} = k_4 k_5 L_{\rm sy.tb}$ 

$$L_{\rm sy.t.lap} = k_7 L_{\rm sy.t} \ge 0.058 f_{\rm sy} k_1 d_{\rm b}$$

$$L_{\rm sy.tb} = \frac{0.5k_1k_3f_{\rm sy}d_{\rm b}}{k_2\sqrt{f_{\rm c}'}} \ge 0.058f_{\rm sy}k_1d_{\rm b}$$

#### REBAR MODEL





### **Assessment Documents**







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Deep embedment.  $h_{ef}$  > 20 $d_{b}$ 



## **Pre-qualification Reports**



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### **Pre-qualification Reports**



#### EAD 330499

**Chemical Fasteners** 

Provides characteristic bond strength,  $au_{\rm Rk}$ 

Table	e C3:	Characteristic values of tension loads under static and quasi-static action for a working life of 50 years											
Anchor size threaded rod M8 M10 M12 M16 M20 M24 M27 M30													
Combined pull-out and concrete failure													
Characteristic bond resistance in non-cracked concrete C20/25 in hammer drilled holes (HD) and compressed air drilled													
holes ((	CD)								~				
Temperature range	l: 40°C/24	4°C	Dry, wet concrete and flooded bore hole	T	[N/mm²]	20	20	19	19	18	17	16	16
	II: 72°C/50	С°С		⁺Rk,ucr	[[N/11111-]	15	15	15	14	13	13	12	12

Shallow embedment.  $h_{ef} \le 20d_b$ 

### EAD 330087

**PIR Connections** 

#### Provides design ultimate bond strength, $f_{\text{bd},\text{PIR}}$

#### Table C3: Design values of the ultimate bond stress fbd,PIR in N/mm<sup>2</sup> for all drilling methods and for good conditions

Rebar	Concrete class										
ф	C12/15	C16/20	C20/25	C25/30	C30/37	C35/45	C40/50	C45/55	C50/60		
8 to 32 mm ZA-M12 to ZA-M24	1,6	2,0	2,3	2,7	3,0	3,4	3,7	4,0	4,3		
34 mm	1,6	2,0	2,3	2,6	2,9	3,3	3,6	3,9	4,2		
36 mm	1,5	1,9	2,2	2,6	2,9	3,3	3,6	3,8	4,1		
40 mm	1,5	1,8	2,1	2,5	2,8	3,1	3,4	3,7	4,0		

Deep embedment.  $h_{ef} > 20d_b$ 



## EAD 330087



- Essential characteristic assessed
  - Mechanical resistance and stability
    - Bond strength of post-installed rebar under static and quasi-static loading ( $f_{bd,PIR}$ )
    - Reduction factor (k<sub>b</sub>)
    - Amplification factor for minimum anchorage length ( $\alpha_{
      m lb}$ )
  - Safety in case of fire
    - Reaction to fire
    - Bond strength at increased temperature



## EAD 330087 – Test Program



- Basic tension test reference
  - uncracked concrete
  - Cracked concrete (0.3mm)
- Functioning under tension load
- Resistance to fire

Line	Purpose of test	Concrete strength class <sup>1)</sup>	Rebar size <sup>2)</sup> ∳ [mm]	Setting depth <sup>3)</sup> I <sub>v</sub> [mm]	Minimum number of tests	Criteria	Test procedure / assessment			
Basic tension tests										
1	Reference tension tests in	C20/25	all <sup>10)</sup>	<b>10</b> φ	5 each	f <sub>bm</sub> ≥ 7,1 [N/mm <sup>2</sup> ]	2.2.1.1			
2		C50/60	$\phi_{max}$	7 <b>φ</b>	5	14)				
3		000/05	12	10 <b></b>	5					
4	Reference tension tests in	C20/25	$\phi_{max}$		5		0.0.0			
5	$(\Delta w = 0,3 \text{ mm})^{4)}$	12	7 .	5	_	2.2.2				
6		0.00/00	$\phi_{max}$	rφ	5					

Line	Purpose of test	Concrete strength class <sup>1)</sup>	Rebar size <sup>2)</sup> ∳ [mm]	Setting depth <sup>3)</sup> I <sub>v</sub> [mm]	Minimum number of tests	Criteria	Test procedure / assessment					
Func	Functioning under tension load with respect to											
7	Robustness in dry concrete	C20/25	s/m/l	10 <b>φ</b>	5 each	rqd. α ≥ 0,8	2.2.1.2					
8	Robustness in wet concrete	C20/25	s/m/l	10 <b>φ</b>	5 each	rqd. α ≥ 0,75	2.2.1.3					
9	Installation at minimum installation temperature <sup>15)</sup>	C20/25	ф <sub>тах</sub>	$max\ I_v$	3		2.2.1.4					
10	Installation at maximum installation temperature	C20/25	$\phi_{max}$	$max\ I_v$	3		2.2.1.4					
11	Correct injection	-	ф <sub>тах</sub>	$\text{max}\ I_{v}$	3		2.2.1.5					
12	Vertical upwards installation direction <sup>7) 13)</sup>	C20/25	$\phi_{max}$	10 <b>φ</b>	5	rqd.α ≥ 0,9	2216					
13	Horizontal installation direction	C20/25	$\phi_{max}$	10 <b>φ</b>	5	rqd.α ≥ 0,9	2.2.1.0					
14	Sustained loads <sup>9) 13)</sup>	C20/25	12	10 <b>φ</b>	5	rqd.α ≥ 0,9	2.2.1.7					
15	Freeze/thaw conditions <sup>13)</sup>	C50/60	12	<b>7</b> φ	5	rqd.α ≥ 0,9	2.2.1.8					
16	High alkalinity and sulphurous atmosphere <sup>13)</sup>	C20/25	12 <sup>11)</sup>	-	3 x 10		2.2.1.9					
17	Corrosion resistance of rebar	C20/25	12	70 mm	3		2.2.1.10					
Resis	Resistance to fire											
18	Bond strength at increased temperature <sup>4) 9)</sup>	C20/25	12	10 <b>φ</b>	20		2.2.4					



### **Design of PIR – AS 5216:2021**

#### Appendix D covers the design of post-installed reinforcing bar connections







#### • Pre-qualified in accordance with EAD 330087

- Straight deformed bars with diameter ≥10mm and comply with AS/NZS 4670
- Normal weight concrete with char. compressive strength  $\geq$  20 MPa
- Static and quasi-static loadings

Scope of PIR

- PIR in dry and wet concrete only (no flooded holes)
- Within the intended application range specified in prequalification report





## **Intended Applications**





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## Summary (PIR vs Chemical Fasteners)

- Chemical Fasteners (Anchor)
  - Transfer tension, shear or combination of two
    - Limited by the concrete's tensile resistance
  - Assumption of uniform stress distribution
    - Valid up to effective depth of  $20d_{nom}$
  - Potential cone failure
    - Brittle behaviour
  - Presence of fixture

- PIR Connections (Rebar)
  - Transfer tension load only
    - Does not rely on concrete's tensile resistance
    - Shear transferred through the interface between old & new concrete
  - No uniform stress Distribution
    - Design using AS 3600 principle
  - No concrete failure
    - Steel component can yield
    - ductile behaviour
  - Generally, no fixture





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#### Possibility of Concrete cone

- YES: Anchor design method
- NO: Rebar design method

#### Anchor embedment length

- $\leq 20 d_b$ : Anchor design method
- > 20  $d_b$  : Rebar design method

#### Shear loading in the fastener

- YES: Anchor design method
- NO: Rebar design method

### **Presence of base plate**

- YES: Anchor design method
- NO: Rebar design method



### **Cracked Concrete - PIR**





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#### EAD 330087 Design 02.

Products independently tested and assessed to be "fit for purpose"

Rigorous assessment to design for critical mode of failure

Installation

**Pre-qualification** 

Informed and competent installer with appropriate supervision and experience

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### **3 Critical Elements to Achieve Quality Assurance**



AS 5216:2021 **Appendix D** 

**Appendix A** 



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# SEMINAR #2 Fasteners for redundant non-structural systems



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### Introduction





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Redundancy



• Single Use (SU) vs Multiple use/redundant (MU)







- Less stringent prequalification requirements
- Probability of failure is same range as single use fasteners ( $P_f \sim 1 \times 10^{-6}$ )
- Redundancy = intentionally overspecification ->number of anchors
- Attachment should be sufficiently *stiff* to have effective load redistribution
  - Allowable bending stress and deflection of the attachment should be limited



## Scope in AS5216 (Appendix E)

- Covers post-installed mechanical and chemical fasteners
- Only for safety-critical applications
- Minimum of 3 fixing points
- All fasteners in a fixing point is same
- Non-structural systems *sufficient stiffness and strength*







## Scope in AS5216 (App. E)

- Fasteners prequalified in accordance with Appendix A (EAD 330747)
  - 50 years working life
  - $_{\circ}\,$  Min diam. 5mm, min  $h_{ef}$  30mm
  - Normal concrete & precast prestressed hollow core slab
  - $_{\circ}\,$  Static and quasi-static loading only
  - Cracked/uncracked concrete
  - Characteristic resistance to tension & shear loads
  - Fire resistance mechanical fasteners only



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### Design

- Load calculation
  - Assume all fasteners are effective
  - Design load is limited on a fixing point
    - 2kN if number of fixing points are 3
    - 3kN if number of fixing points are more than 3
  - If the design load is greater than 3kN
    - Increase the number of fixing points
    - Consider single use fasteners







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### **3 Critical Elements to Achieve Quality Assurance**

### **Pre-qualification**

01. Products independently tested and assessed to be "fit for purpose"



### Installation

Informed and competent installer with appropriate supervision and

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