

# A STUDY COMPARISON OF DROP PANELS UNDER INFLUENCE OF PUNCHING SHEAR USING ANSYS.16.0

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## ABSTRACT

*The connections between the floor slab and column in a flat slab structure are generally the most critical part as far as the strength is concerned because it is a region where large moments and shear forces are concentrated. In this paper FEA model of slab column connection is model using ANSYS 16.0. Punching shear effect is compared with circular and rectangular drop panel. Results are plotted in graphical form. Total deformation, normal stress, Shear stress and Von-misses stresses are compared in this paper*

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## I. INTRODUCTION

Common practice of design and construction is to support the slabs by beams and support the beams by columns. This may be called as beam-slab construction. The beams reduce the available net clear ceiling height. Hence in warehouses, offices and public halls sometimes beams are avoided and slabs are directly supported by columns. These types of construction are aesthetically appealing also. These slabs which are directly supported by columns are called Flat Slabs. Punching shear failure is a major problem encountered in the design of reinforced concrete flat plates. Flat plate slabs are economical since they have no beams and hence can reduce the floor height by 10-15%. Further the formwork is simpler and structure is elegant. Hence flat plate slab construction has been in practice in the west for a long time. However, the technology has seen large-scale use only in the last decade and is one of the rapidly developing technologies in the Indian building industry today. Material advances in concrete quality available for construction, improvement in quality of construction; easier design and numerical techniques has contributed to the rapid growth of the technology in India It is widely known that the slab-column connection is a critical component in the slab-column frame system as shown in Figure 1.1. This is the region of slab immediately adjacent to the column that has to transmit large torsion, shear and bending moments between slab and column and is therefore susceptible to punching shear failure.

## II. SYSTEM DEVELOPMENT

ANSYS 16 is useful to finite element simulation for RCC structure use Solid 186 for concrete, link8 for Rebar (Reinforcement), Conta 174 and Targe 173 to define contact between them.

### SOLID186 Element Description

SOLID186 is a higher order 3-D 20-node solid element that exhibits quadratic displacement behavior. The element is defined by 20 nodes having three degrees of freedom per node: translations in the nodal x, y, and z directions. The element supports plasticity, hyper elasticity, creep, stress stiffening, large deflection, and large strain capabilities. It also has mixed formulation capability for simulating deformations of nearly incompressible elastoplastic materials, and fully incompressible hyper elastic materials.

#### CONTA 174 and TARGE170

The 3-D contact surface elements (CONTA173 and CONTA174) are associated with the 3-D target segment elements (TARGE170) via a shared real constant set. ANSYS looks for contact only between surfaces with the same real constant set. For either rigid-flexible or flexible-flexible contact, one of the deformable surfaces must be represented by a contact surface.

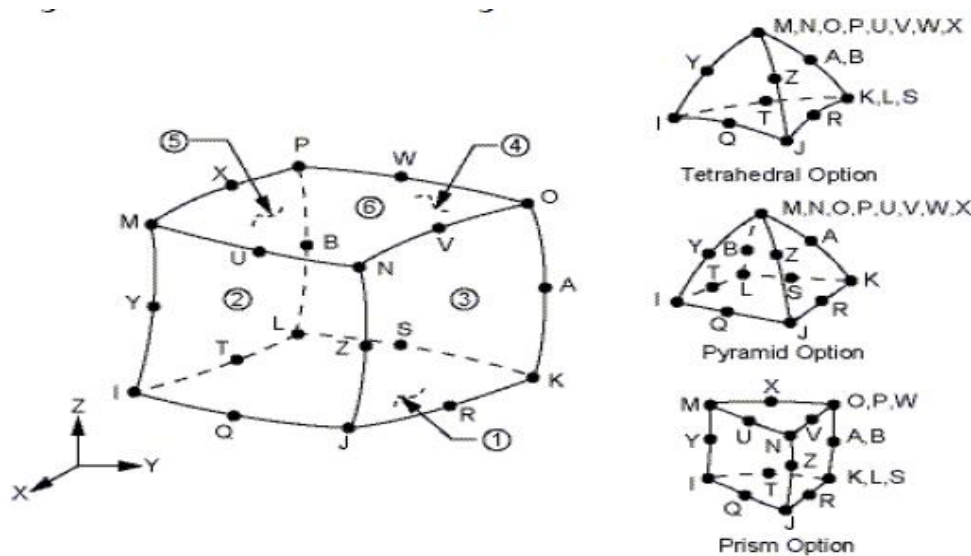


Fig.1 CONTA 174AND TARGE170

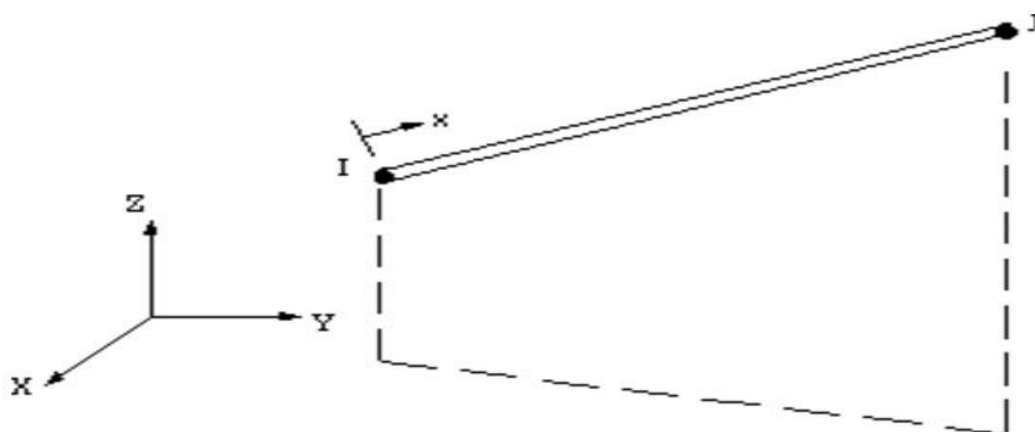


Fig2

If more than one target surface will make contact with the same boundary of solid elements, you must define several contact elements that share the same geometry but relate to separate targets (targets which have different

real constant numbers), or you must combine two target surfaces into one (targets that share the same real constant numbers).

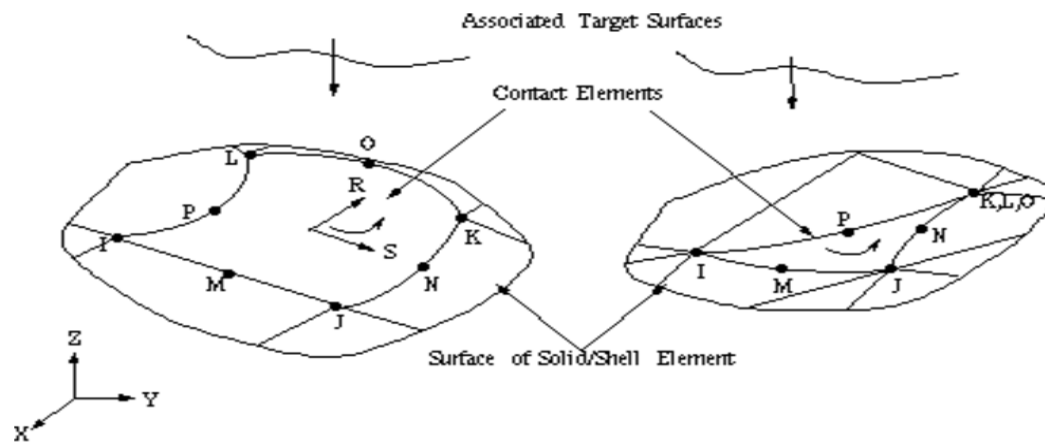


Fig.3 Modeling and analysis

### III. PROBLEM STATEMENT

The Finite Element Model consisted of square flat plates 1200 mm length and 140 mm thick with 160 mm square reinforced concrete column stubs extending 160 mm above the plate. All the slabs were identical in dimensions. The reinforcement was distributed uniformly throughout the width of the slab as shown in model.

### IV. MODELLING AND ANALYSIS

The Finite Element Model consisted of square and circular flat plates 1200 mm length and 140 mm thick with 160 mm square reinforced concrete column stubs extending 160 mm above the plate. All the slabs were identical in dimensions. The reinforcement was distributed uniformly throughout the width of the slab as shown in model.

#### 4.1 Total Deformation

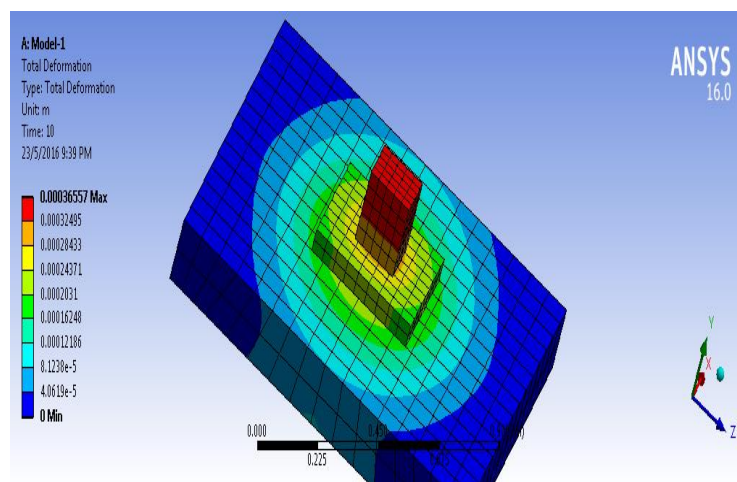


Fig.4 Total Deformation for Rectangular Drop Panel.

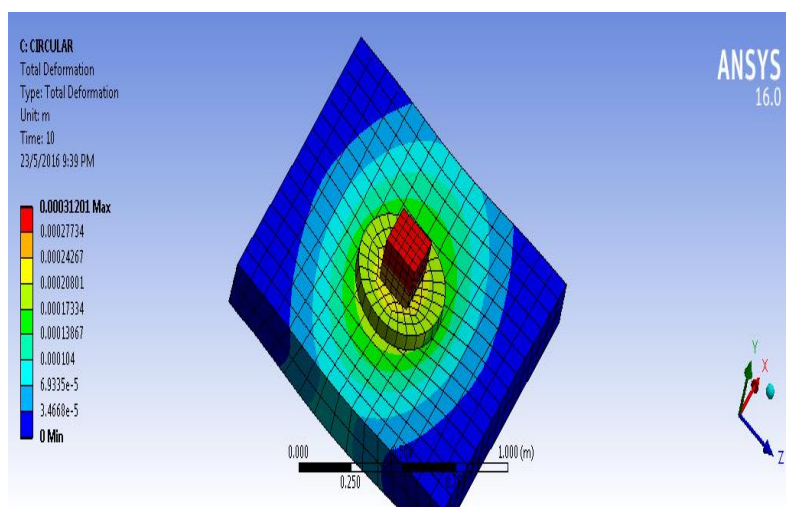


Fig.5 Total Deformation for Circular Drop Pannel

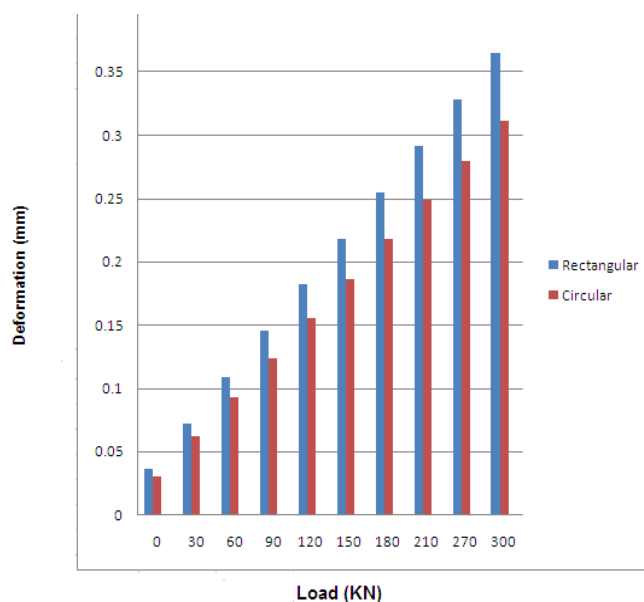


Fig.6 Load Vs Deformation

## 4.2 Shear Stress

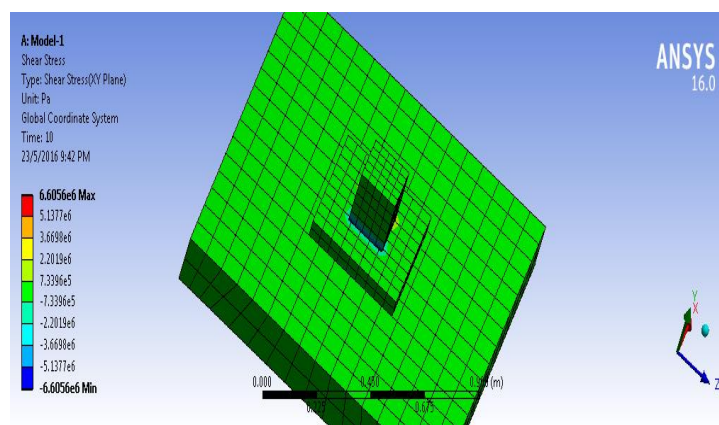


Fig.7 Shear Stress for Rectangular Drop Pannel

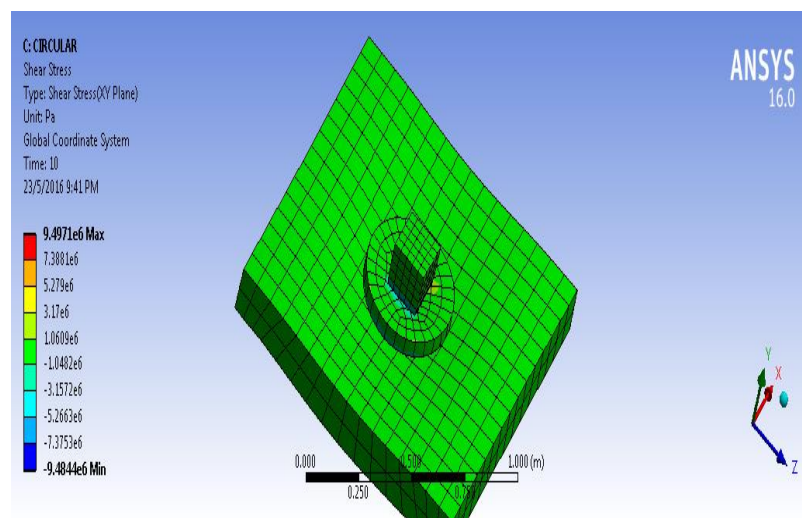


Fig.8 Shear Stress for Circular Drop Pannel

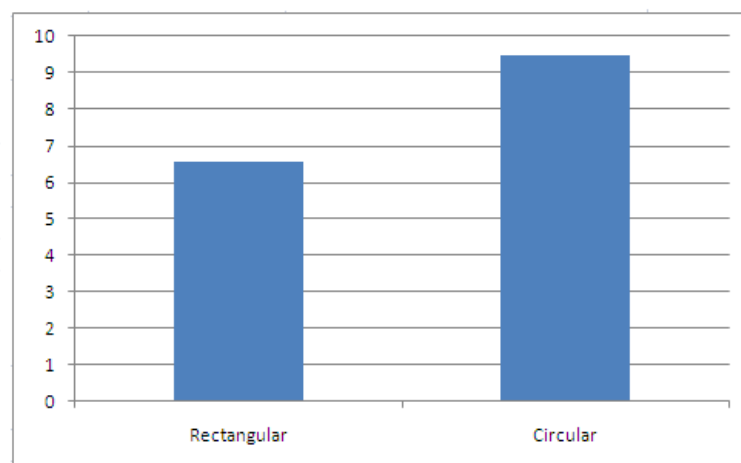


Fig.9 Shear Stress for Rectangular and Circular Drop Pannel

#### 4.3 Normal Stress

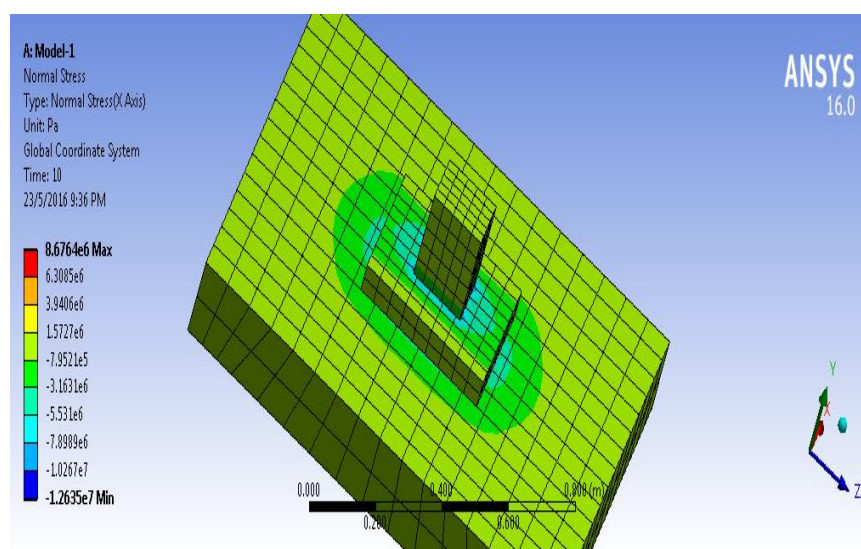


Fig.10 Normal Stress for Rectangular Drop Pannel



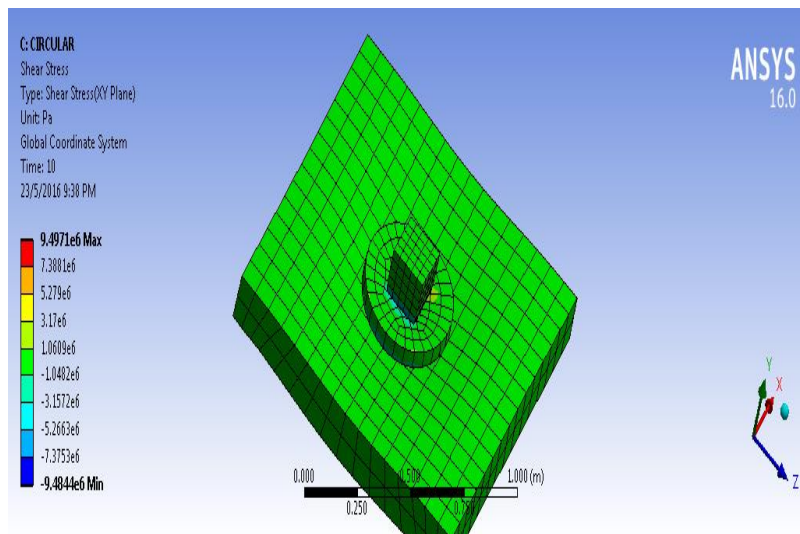


Fig.11 Normal Stress for Circular Drop Pannel

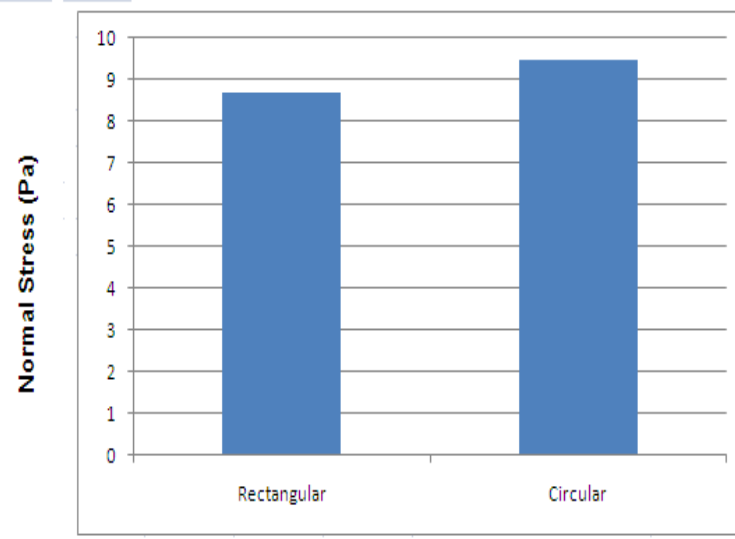


Fig.12 Normal Stress for Rectangular and Circular Drop Pannel

#### 4.4 Equivalent Stress

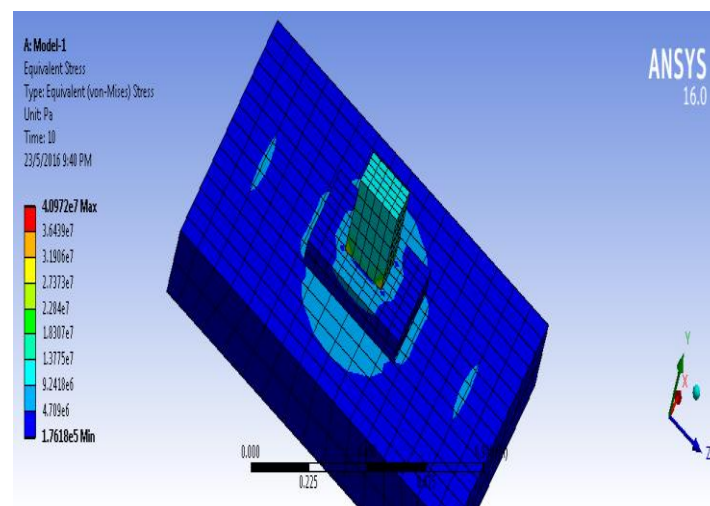


Fig.13 Equivalent Stress for Rectangular Drop Pannel

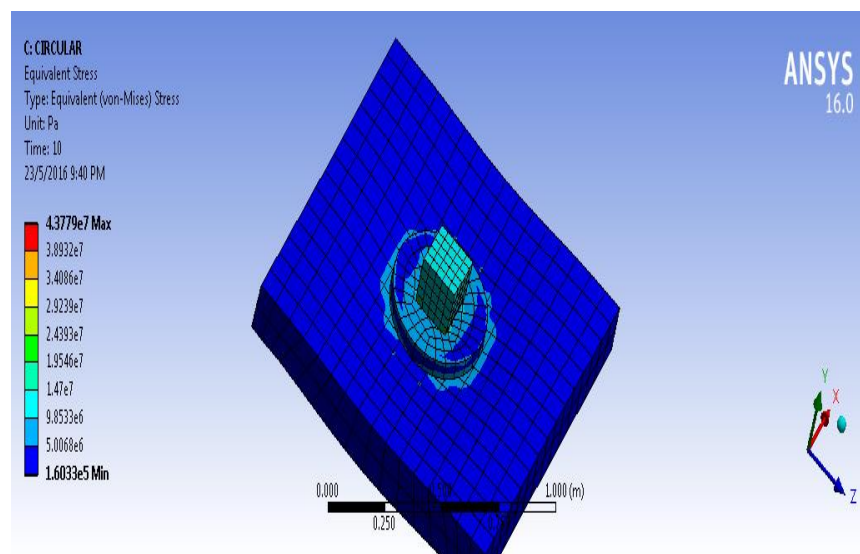


Fig.14 Equivalent Stress for Circular Drop Pannel

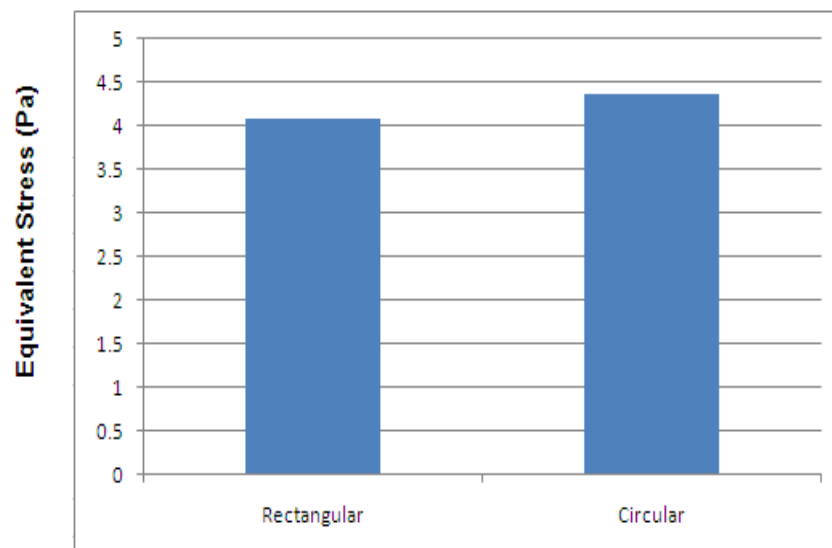


Fig.15 Equivalent Stress for Rectangular and Circular Drop Pannel

## V. CONCLUSIONS

It is concluded from the results that the performance of circular drop panel is much better than the rectangular drop panel for deformation. The total deformation for specified load is more for rectangular drop panel as compared to circular drop panel. For future work scope research work can be done in for dynamic loading and seismic force also. Shear stress is maximum for circular drop panel as compared to rectangular drop panel. .

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