

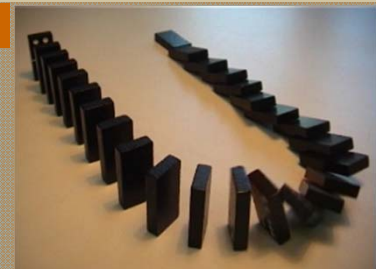
# **COST Action TU 0601**

## **Robustness of structures**

**WG2**

**Modelling of exposures and  
vulnerability**

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**WG 2:**

## **Exposures and Vulnerability**

**activity 4: exposure scenario models**

**activity 5: structural behaviour models**



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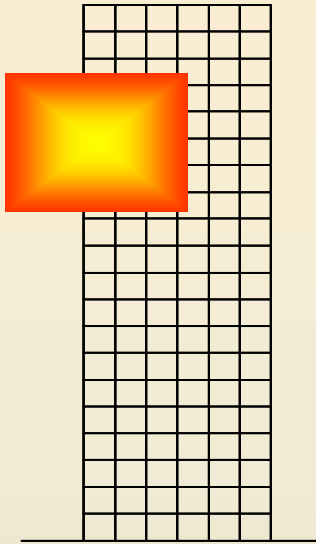
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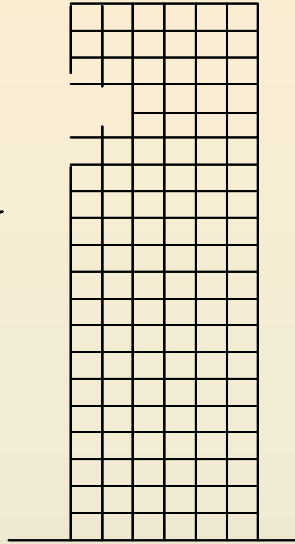
### Step 1

Identical and modelling  
of relevant accidental  
hazards



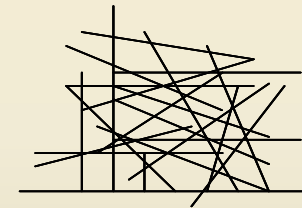
### Step 2

Assessment of damage  
states to structure from  
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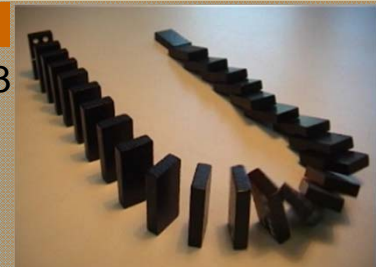


### Step 3

Assessment of the  
performance of the  
damaged structure



$$Risk = p(H_i) p(D_j | H_i) p(S_k | D_j) C(S_k)$$

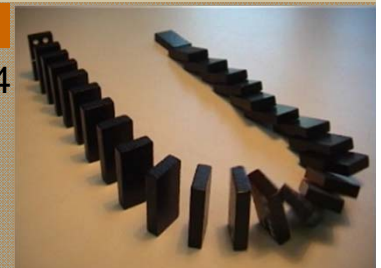


## Factsheets Act 4 Hazard modelling

- Probabilistic modeling of exposure
  - Explosion modelling
  - Human error
- } (P)

## Factsheets Act 5 Structural behaviour: vulnerability and robustness

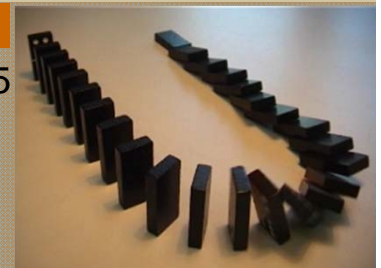
- Modelling and analysis (3P)
- Steel (2P)
- Concrete (P)
- Composite (P)
- Timber
- Existing structures



# Activity 4: Exposure scenarios

## Key words:

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- ❖ accidental loads
- ❖ human actions
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- ❖ unforeseeable actions



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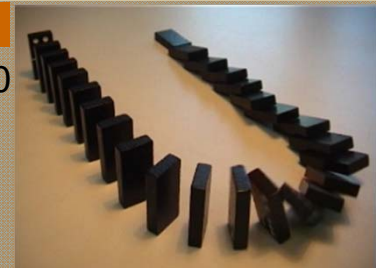
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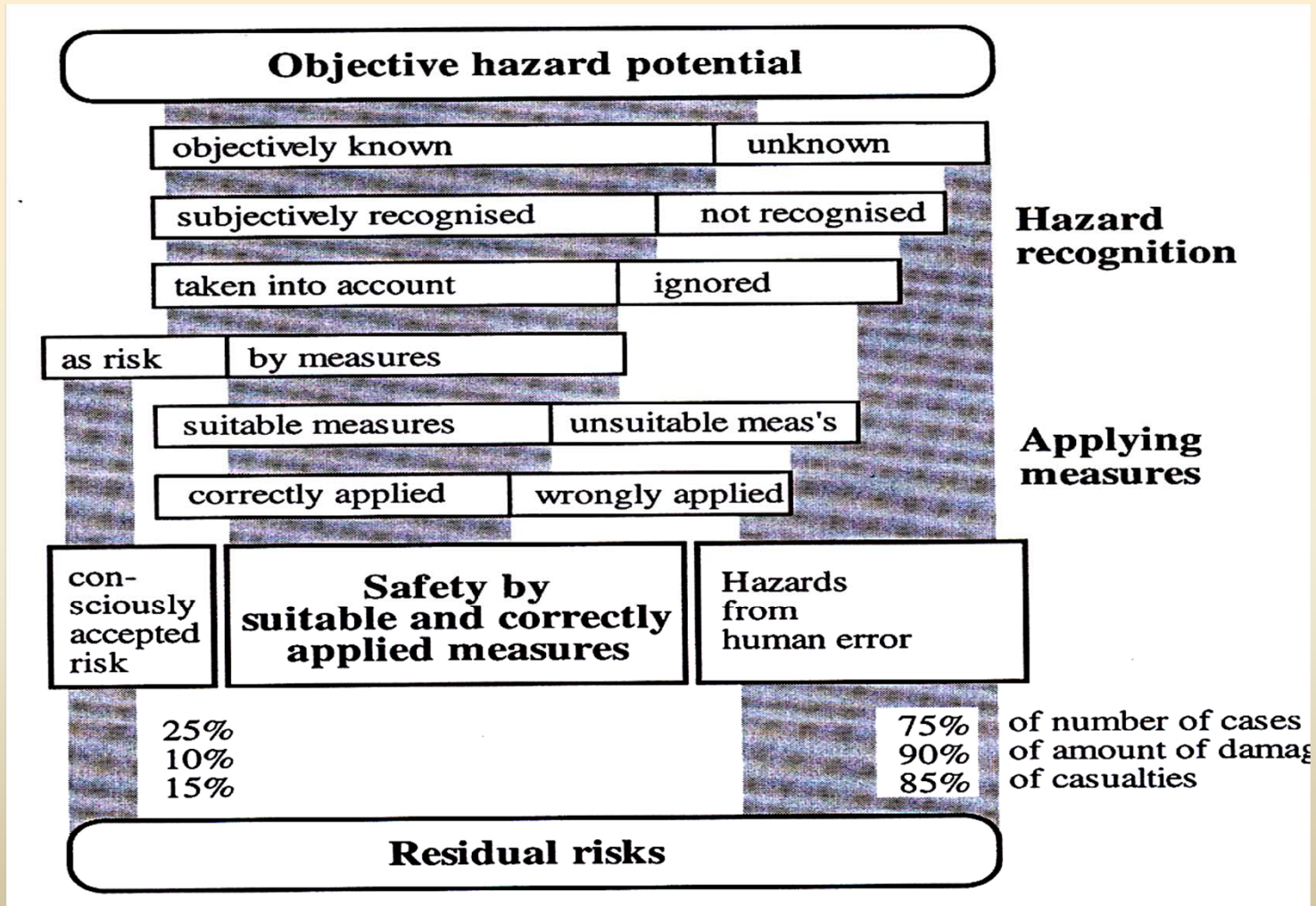
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# JCSS (Joerg Schneider)



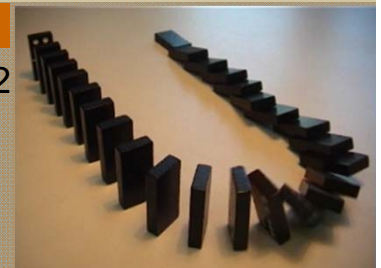
# Unidentified conditions

- ❑ objectively unknown (unforeseeable)
- ❑ in principle known, but difficult to recognize (unforeseen)
- ❑ known, but ignored for several reasons (not foreseen)

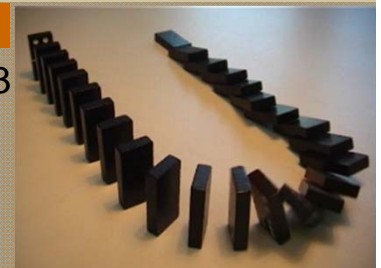
*Difficult to distinguish*

*All categories are a kind of human error*

*Still: what is the probability to the (effect) of the event?*



- **DATA ??**

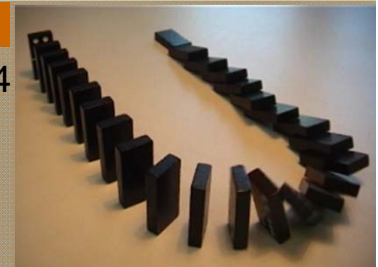


## Scheider/Matousek (500 cases)

Lack of knowledge	<b>25 %</b>
Careless engineering	<b>30 %</b>
Real error	<b>15 %</b>
Accepted risk	20 %

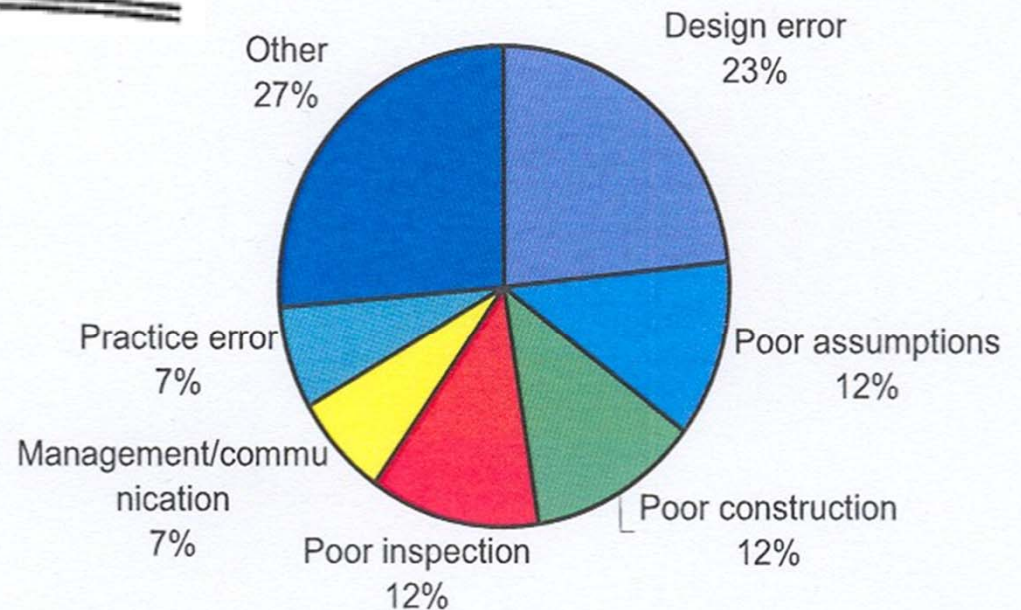
## Imam/Chryssanthopoulos (156 failures bridges, steel)

design	<b>24 %</b>
limited knowledge	<b>23 %</b>
natural hazard	19 %
human error	<b>14 %</b>
accidents	13 %



**TABLE 8. Distribution of Failure Cases with Respect to Sources of Error by Participant**

Description of the participant (1)	Failure cases (%) (2)
Project architect	3.0
Structural designer	48.2
Resident engineer	31.1
Inspector	27.6
Contractor (head office)	3.8
Contractor (site staff)	59.6
Contractor (workmen)	17.4
Operator (crane, vehicle, ship)	2.8



## Statistics The Netherlands (Ligtenberg, 1969)

fire  $10^{-2}$  in 50 jaar

errors  $10^{-3}$

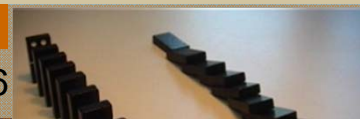
wind  $10^{-3}$

explosion  $10^{-3}$

impact  $3 \cdot 10^{-4}$

overload  $3 \cdot 10^{-4}$

(collapse factor 10 to 100 lower)





## Distribution over members [%]

	Ayyub	Yam
• <b>Foundation</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>20</b>
• <b>Column and walls</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>30 (mostly walls)</b>
• <b>beams and trusses</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>30</b>
• <b>slabs and plates</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>10</b>
• <b>Connections</b>	<b>9</b>	
• <b>others</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>10</b>
• <b>Total</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>100</b>





Thomas Bayes

**the more data the better**

**but:**

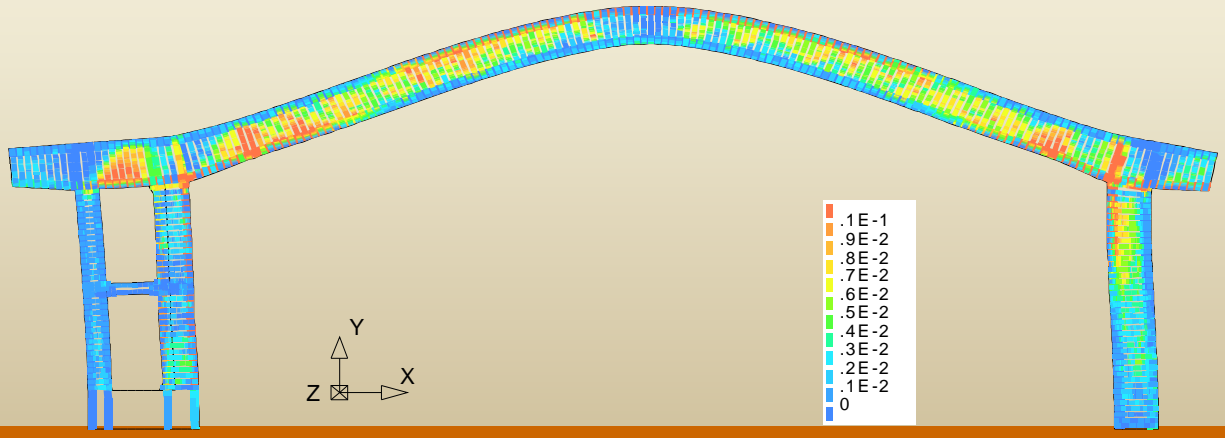
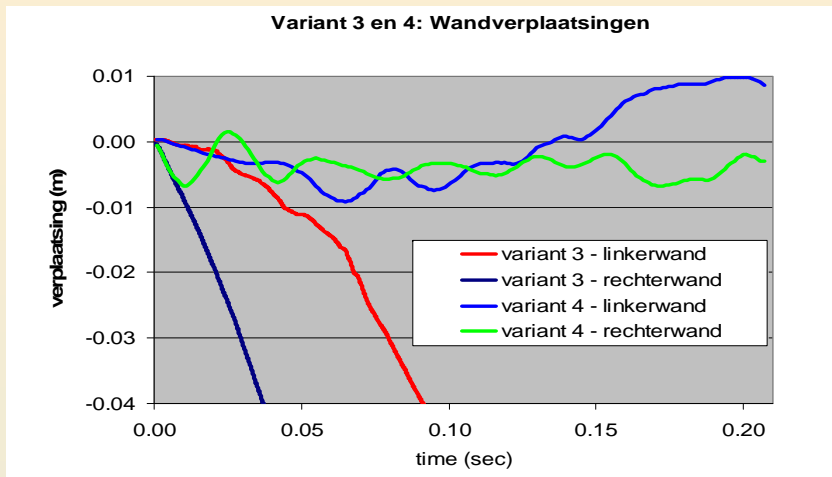
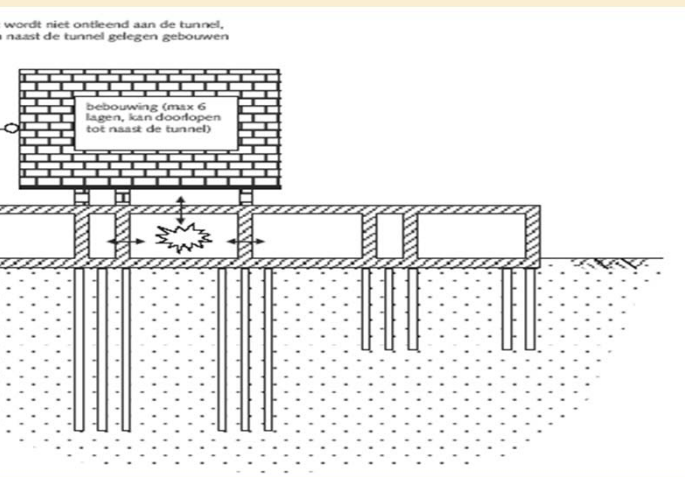
**no data = no excuse.**



# Activity 5: Structural models



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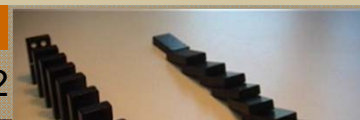
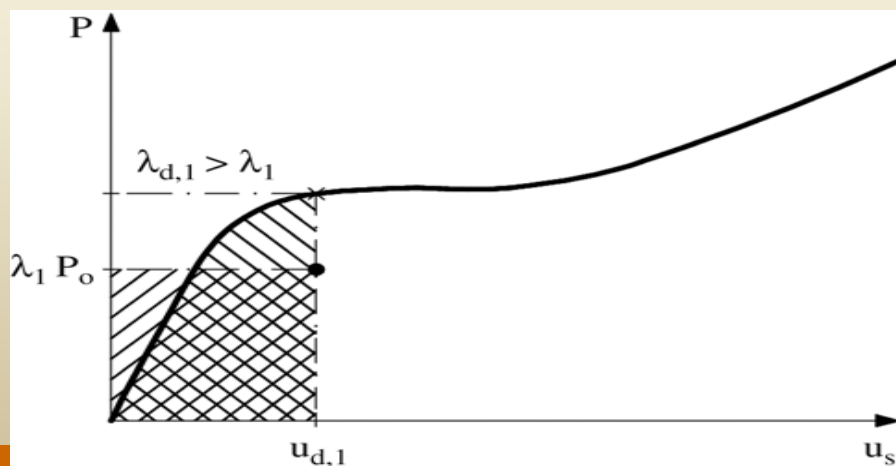
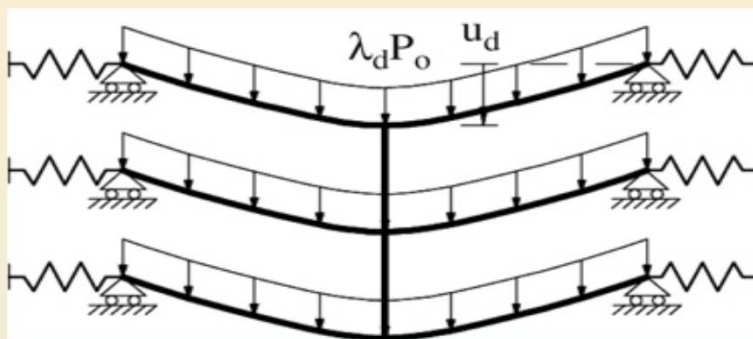
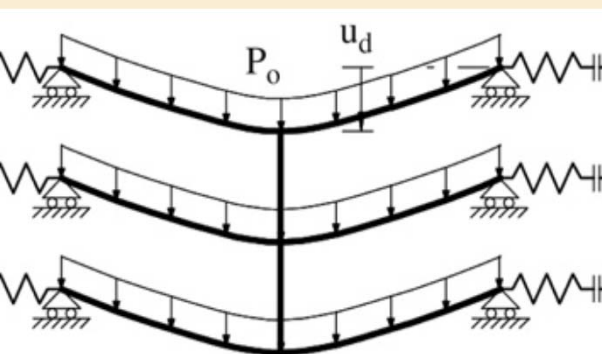
# Fact sheet Modelling and analysis

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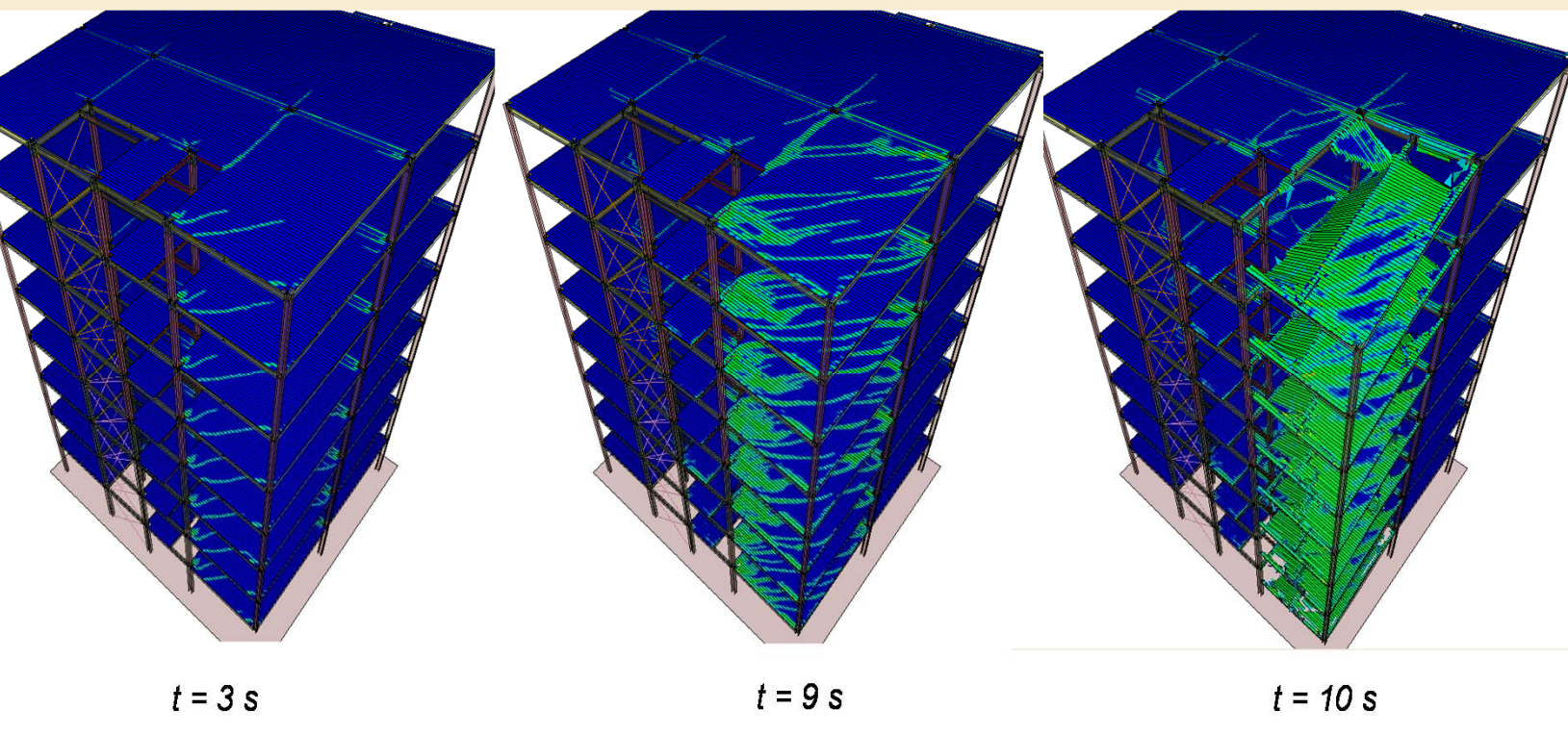
- ❖ material, element, system behavior
- ❖ geometrical / physical nonlinear
- ❖ large deformations, catenary / arching actions,
- ❖ deformation capacity (joints),
- ❖ 2D-3D
- ❖ dynamic / static / simplified dynamic
- ❖ fem / applied element method



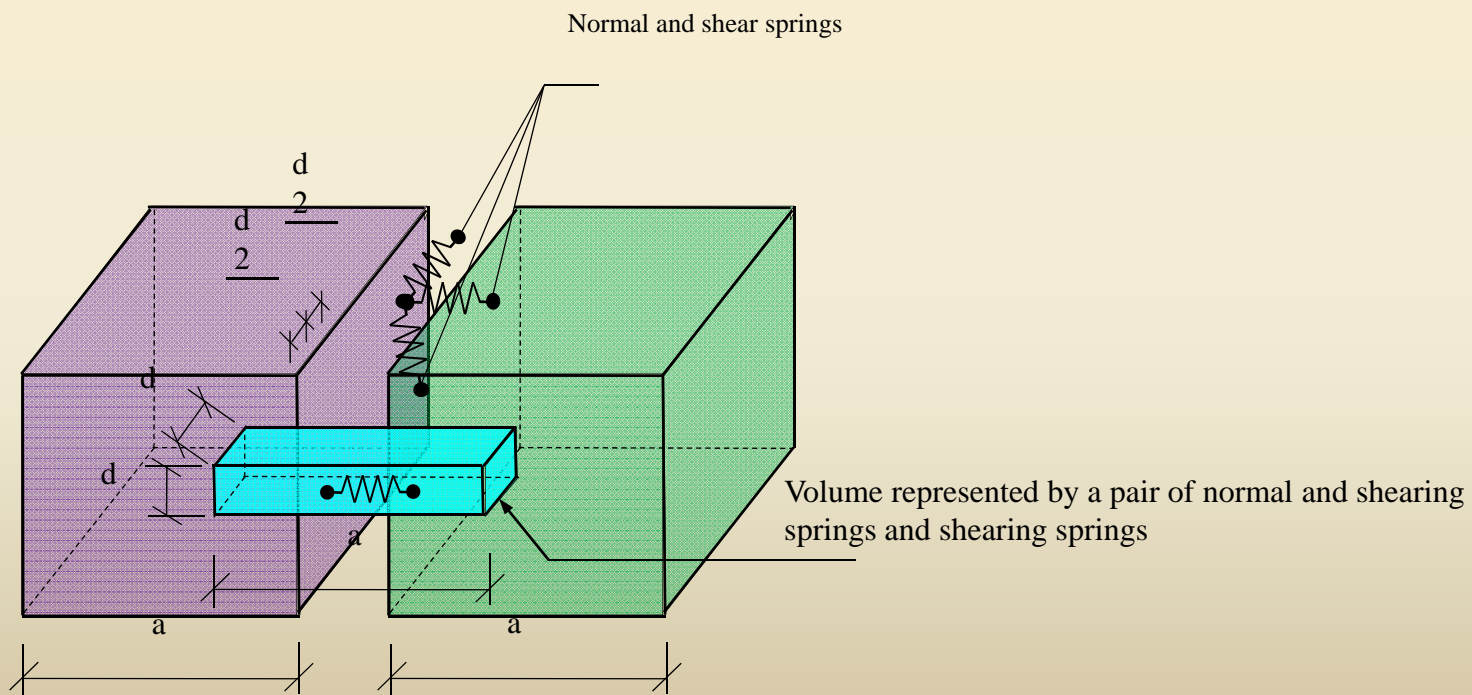
# Nonlinear static response and simplified dynamic effects (Izzudin, 2008)



Dynamic simulation for global FE models of a multistory building  
(Krawiński, 2009)

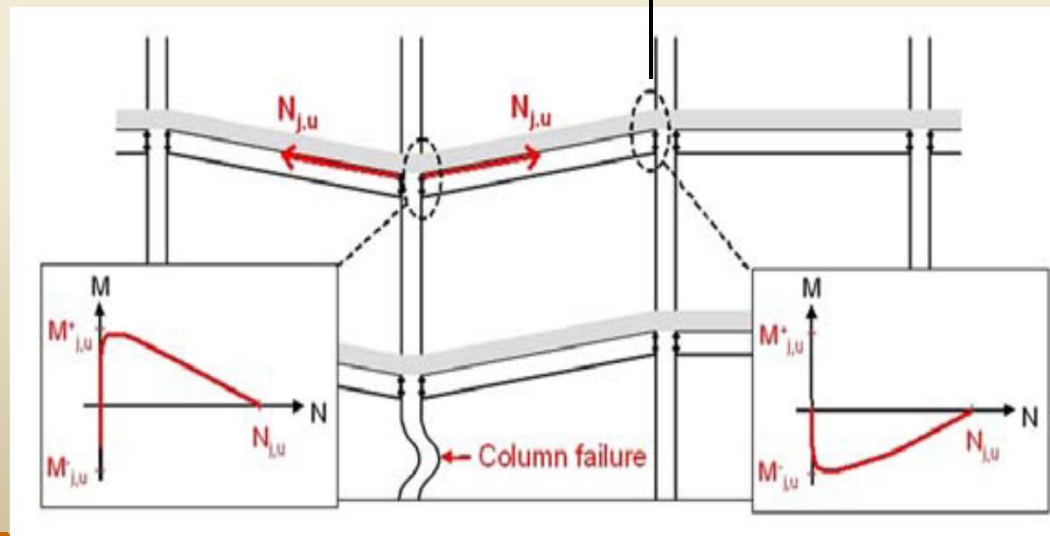
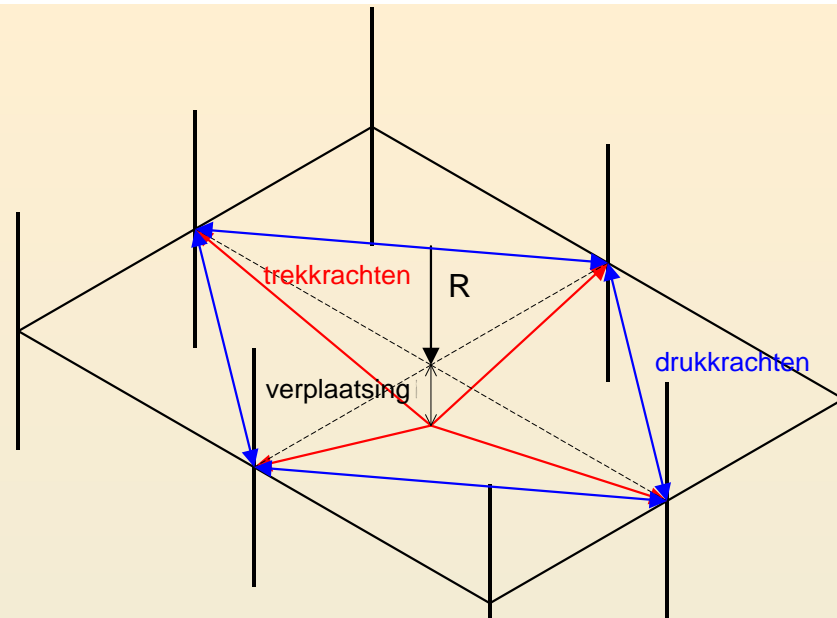
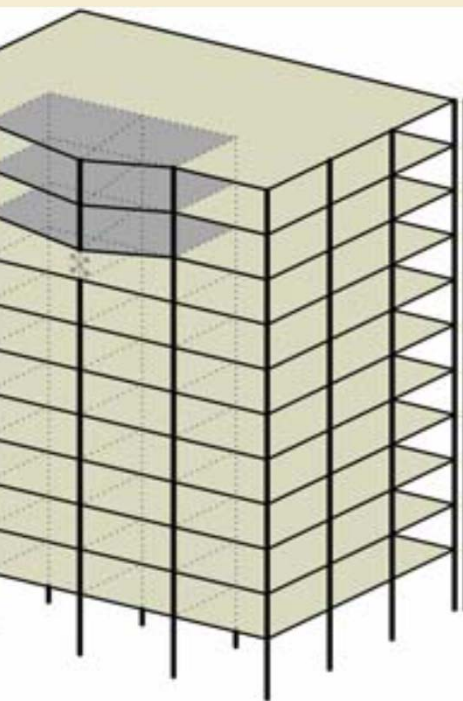


# Applied Element Method





# Removed column case



$$S_k = p(H_i) p(D_j | H_i) p(S_k | D_j) C(S_k)$$

removed  
column

	p(H) [50 year]	P(D H))
explosion	$2 \times 10^{-3}$	0.10
fire	$20 \times 10^{-3}$	0.01
human error	$3 \times 10^{-2}$	0.01



Demonstration of:

- deterministic model
- probabilistic model
- robustness measures
- cost effectiveness of measures

