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## Vertical Gust Response Prediction of Cable-Stayed Bridges in Yawed Wind

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Synopsis :

A vertical gust response in yawed wind of two cable-stayed bridges under construction was predicted by applying a modified gust analysis method. Two effective wind velocities, i.e. the velocity component normal to the bridge axis and the component normal to the free end of the girder, were considered separately. Some aerodynamic coefficients of the deck were estimated from the aerodynamic characteristics of the flat plates with same aspect ratio. Comparison was made between the analytical and experimental results, and on the whole, the results agreed in both bridges. Consequently, validity of the approximation was confirmed and applicability of the analysis method was shown.

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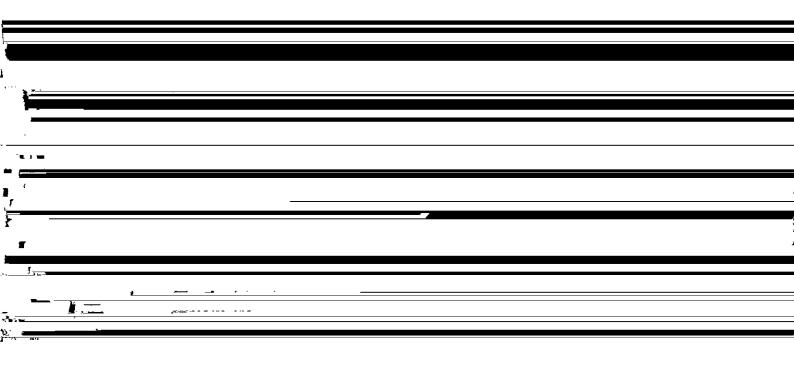
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where  $C_{\text{L}\alpha\text{2D}}$  is the slope of the lift coefficient with the section model test and AR is an aspect ratio that is l/B for the cosine case and B/l for the sine case.

force of the *r*-th mode on the entire bridge deck can be obtained by the following equations. For the cosine case,

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	the power spectrum of the generalized buffeting lift force on the whole bridge deck obtained by Eq. $(9)$ or $(12)$	analytical procedure described above was applied for both stages. Stage 1 corresponds to the longest balanced contilever spans where cantilever spans of 180 m long	
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