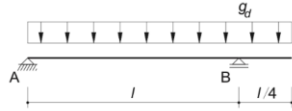


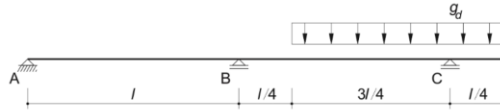
Constructing a three-span beam in stages

Geometry

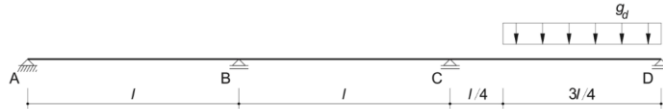
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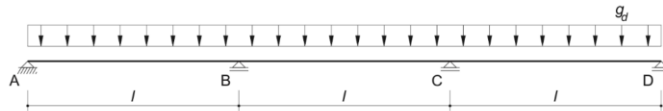
Stage 2 with additional loading



Stage 3 with additional loading



Final state with loading



Material Properties

Concrete	C35/45	$f_{ck} = 35 \text{ MPa}; f_{cm} = 3.2 \text{ MPa}$ $f_{cd} = 22 \text{ MPa}; \tau_{cd} = 1.2 \text{ MPa}$ $E_{cm} = k_E \sqrt[3]{f_{cm}} \approx 35 \text{ GPa}$
Steel	B500B	$f_{sk} = 500 \text{ MPa}; f_{sd} = 435 \text{ MPa}$ $E_s = 205 \text{ GPa}$

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a) Creep coefficient $t_{120} = 120\text{d}, t_{5y} = 5\text{y}$

$$\varphi(t, t_0) = \varphi_{RH} \cdot \beta_{fc} \cdot \beta_{sc} \cdot \beta(t_0) \cdot \beta(t - t_0)$$

with $\beta_{fc} = 2.6, \beta_{sc} = 1.0$

$$\varphi_{RH} = 1.25 \quad (RH = 70\%, h_0 = 600 \text{ mm})$$

$$\beta(t_0) = 0.45 \quad (k_T = f(T = 20^\circ\text{C}) = 1.0, \text{ normal hardening cement})$$

3.1.2.6.2
3.1.2.6.3

Tab. 4
Task sheet
Fig. 2

- For $t = t_{120}$:

$$\beta(t - t_0) = \begin{cases} \beta(90\text{d}) \text{ St. 1} \\ \beta(60\text{d}) \text{ St. 2} \\ \beta(30\text{d}) \text{ St. 3} \end{cases} = \begin{cases} 0.42 \\ 0.38 \\ 0.32 \end{cases}$$

$$\varphi(t, t_0) = \begin{cases} \varphi(120\text{d}, 30\text{d}) \text{ St. 1} \\ \varphi(120\text{d}, 30\text{d}) \text{ St. 2} \\ \varphi(120\text{d}, 30\text{d}) \text{ St. 3} \end{cases} = \begin{cases} 0.614 \\ 0.556 \\ 0.468 \end{cases}$$

Fig. 2

- For $t = t_{5y}$:

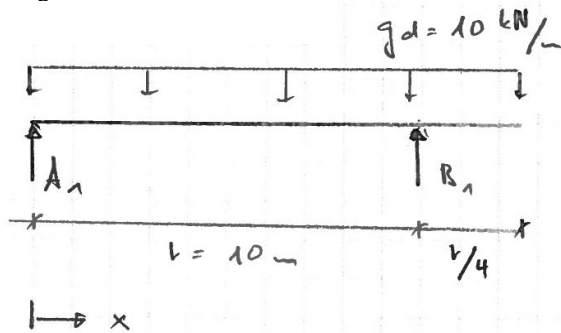
$$\beta(t - t_0) = 0.85 \quad (\text{approx. for all stages})$$

$$\varphi(t, t_0) = \varphi(5\text{y}, 30\text{d}) = 1.243$$

Fig.2

b) Moment distribution of each stage

Stage 1:



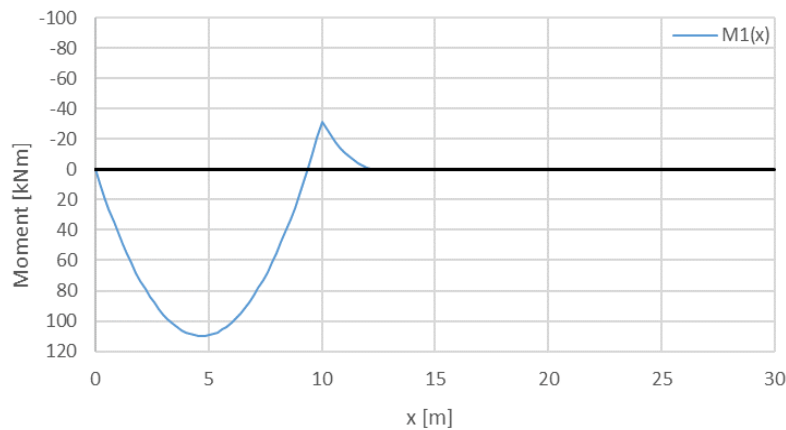
$$\sum F_v = 0: A_1 + B_1 = g_d \cdot \frac{5L}{4}$$

$$\sum M_A = 0: g_d \cdot \left(\frac{5L}{4}\right)^2 \cdot \frac{1}{2} = B_1 \cdot L$$

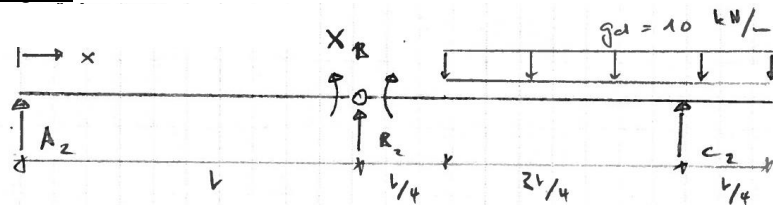
$$\rightarrow B_1 = \frac{25}{32} \cdot g_d \cdot L, \quad A_1 = \frac{15}{32} \cdot g_d \cdot L$$

$$M_B = -g_d \cdot \left(\frac{L}{4}\right)^2 \cdot \frac{1}{2} = -g_d \cdot \frac{L^2}{32}$$

$$M_1 = \begin{cases} A_1 \cdot x - g_d \cdot \frac{x^2}{2} & \text{for } 0 \leq x \leq L \\ A_1 \cdot x + B_1 \cdot (x-L) - g_d \cdot \frac{x^2}{2} & \text{for } L \leq x \leq \frac{5L}{4} \end{cases}$$



Stage 2:

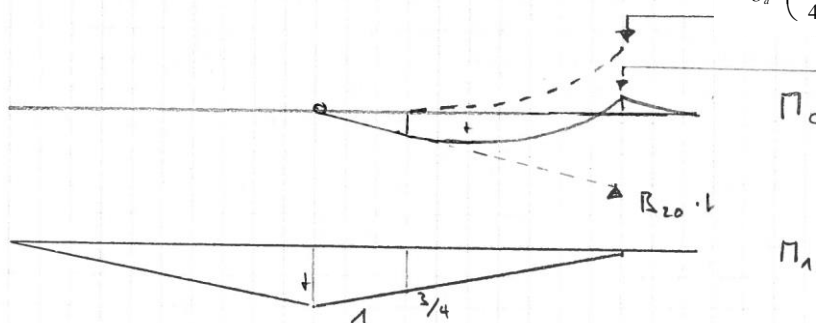


$$\sum F_v = 0: B_{20} + C_{20} = g_d \cdot L, \quad \sum M_B = 0: C_{20} \cdot L = g_d \cdot L \cdot \left(\frac{L}{4} + \frac{L}{2}\right)$$

$$\rightarrow C_{20} = g_d \cdot \frac{3L}{4}, \quad B_{20} = g_d \cdot \frac{L}{4}$$

$$-g_d \cdot \left(\frac{3L}{4}\right)^2 \cdot \frac{1}{2} = -\frac{9L^2}{32} \cdot g_d$$

$$-\frac{L^2}{32} \cdot g_d$$



Force method
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Dashed: moment
curve, split for
integration with
force method

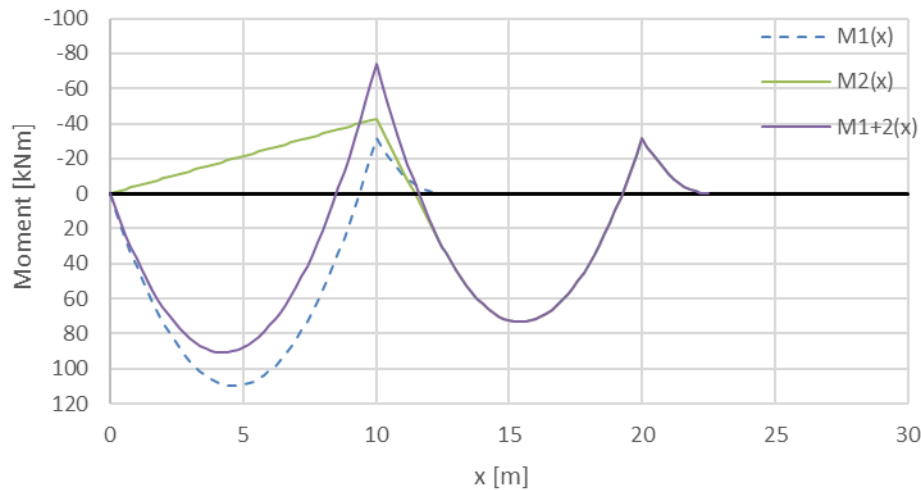
$$\delta_{10} = \frac{1}{6} \cdot \frac{L}{EI} \cdot B_{20} \cdot L \cdot 1 - \frac{1}{12} \cdot \frac{3L}{4EI} \cdot \left(\frac{9}{32} g_d L^2 \right) \cdot \frac{3}{4} = \frac{g_d \cdot L^3}{24EI} - \frac{27 \cdot g_d \cdot L^3}{2048EI}$$

$$\delta_{11} = \frac{2L}{3EI}$$

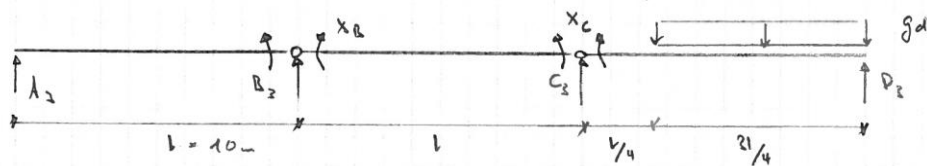
$$X_B = -\frac{\delta_{10}}{\delta_{11}} = -\frac{175}{4096} g_d \cdot L^2$$

$$\rightarrow M_B = -42.725 \text{ kNm}, \quad M_C = -31.25 \text{ kNm}$$

$$M_2(x) = \begin{cases} X_B \cdot \frac{x}{L} & 0 \leq x \leq L \\ X_B \cdot \left(1 - \frac{(x-L)}{L} \right) + B_{20}(x-L) & L \leq x \leq \frac{5L}{4} \\ X_B \cdot \left(1 - \frac{(x-L)}{L} \right) + B_{20}(x-L) - \frac{g_d}{2} \left(x - \frac{5L}{4} \right)^2 & \frac{5L}{4} \leq x \leq 2L \\ -\frac{g_d L^2}{32} + \frac{g_d L}{4} (x-2L) & 2L \leq x \leq \frac{9L}{4} \end{cases}$$



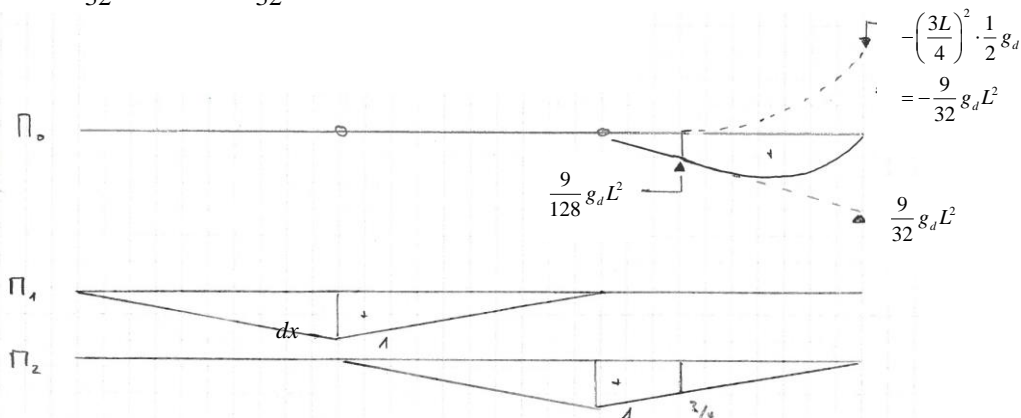
Stage 3:



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$$\sum F_V = 0: C_{30} + D_{30} = g_d \cdot \frac{3L}{4}, \quad \sum M_C = 0: D_{30} \cdot L = \frac{3L}{4} \cdot g_d \cdot \left(\frac{L}{4} + \frac{3L}{8} \right)$$

$$\rightarrow D_{30} = \frac{15}{32} g_d L, \quad C_{30} = \frac{9}{32} g_d L$$



Exercise 4

Solution

hs/lg

$$\delta_{10} = 0$$

$$\delta_{20} = \frac{1}{6} \cdot \frac{L}{EI} \cdot 1 \cdot \frac{9L^2}{32} g_d - \frac{1}{12} \cdot \frac{3L}{4EI} \cdot \frac{9L^2}{32} g_d \cdot \frac{3}{4} = \frac{69}{2048} \frac{g_d L^3}{EI}$$

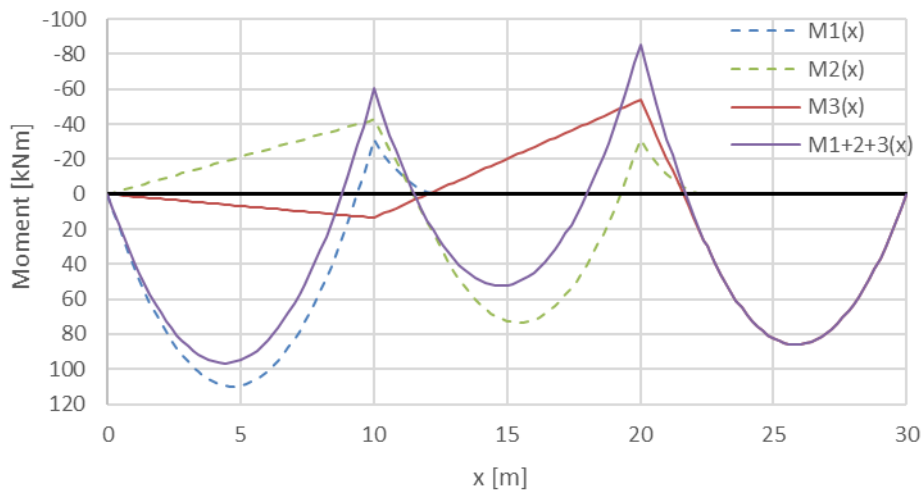
$$\delta_{11} = \delta_{22} = \frac{2}{3} \cdot \frac{L}{EI}$$

$$\delta_{12} = \delta_{12} = \frac{1}{6} \cdot \frac{L}{EI}$$

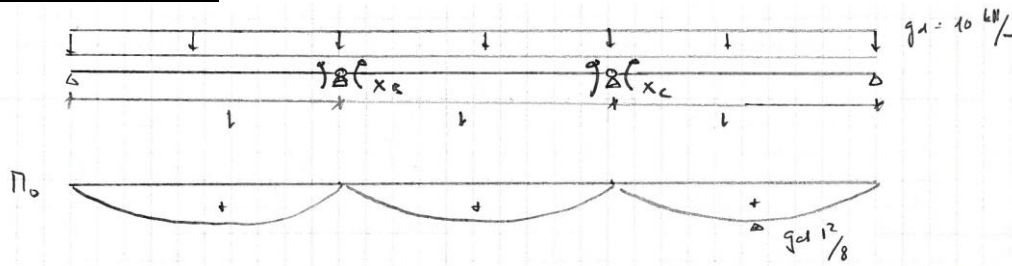
$$\rightarrow \begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ \frac{69}{2048} \end{bmatrix} \cdot \frac{g_d L^3}{EI} + \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{3} & \frac{1}{6} \\ \frac{1}{6} & \frac{2}{3} \end{bmatrix} \cdot \frac{L}{EI} \cdot \begin{pmatrix} X_B \\ X_C \end{pmatrix} = \underline{0}$$

$$\rightarrow X_B = 0.013477 \cdot g_d L^2, \quad X_C = -\frac{207}{3840} g_d L^2 = -0.053906 \cdot g_d L^2$$

$$M_3(x) = \begin{cases} X_B \cdot \frac{x}{L} & 0 \leq x \leq L \\ X_B \cdot \left(1 - \frac{(x-L)}{L}\right) + X_C \cdot \frac{(x-L)}{L} & L < x \leq 2L \\ X_C \cdot \left(1 - \frac{(x-2L)}{L}\right) + C_{30}(x-2L) & 2L < x \leq \frac{9L}{4} \\ X_C \cdot \left(1 - \frac{(x-2L)}{L}\right) + C_{30}(x-2L) - g_d \cdot \frac{\left(x - \frac{9L^2}{4}\right)}{2} & \frac{9L}{4} < x \leq 3L \end{cases}$$



Monolithic structure:



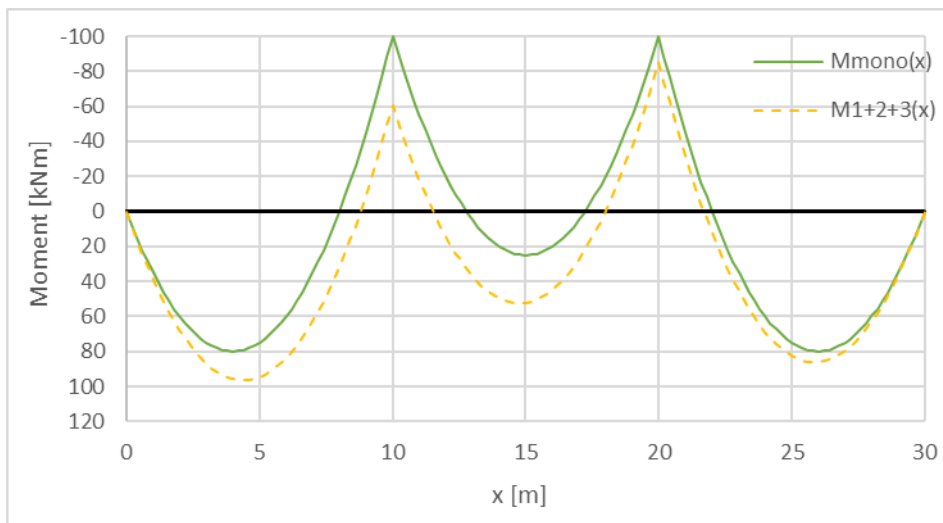
M_1 and M_2 analogues to Stage 3. From symmetry: $X_B = X_C$.

$$\delta_{10} = \delta_{20} = \frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{L}{EI} \cdot \frac{g_d L^2}{8} \cdot 1 \cdot 2 = \frac{1}{12} \cdot \frac{g_d L^3}{EI}$$

$$\delta_{11} = \delta_{22} = \frac{2}{3} \cdot \frac{L}{EI}, \quad \delta_{12} = \delta_{21} = \frac{1}{6} \cdot \frac{L}{EI} \quad (\text{from stage 3})$$

$$\rightarrow \delta_1 = \delta_{10} + \delta_{11} X_B + \delta_{12} X_B \rightarrow X_B = -\frac{g_d L^2}{10} = X_C$$

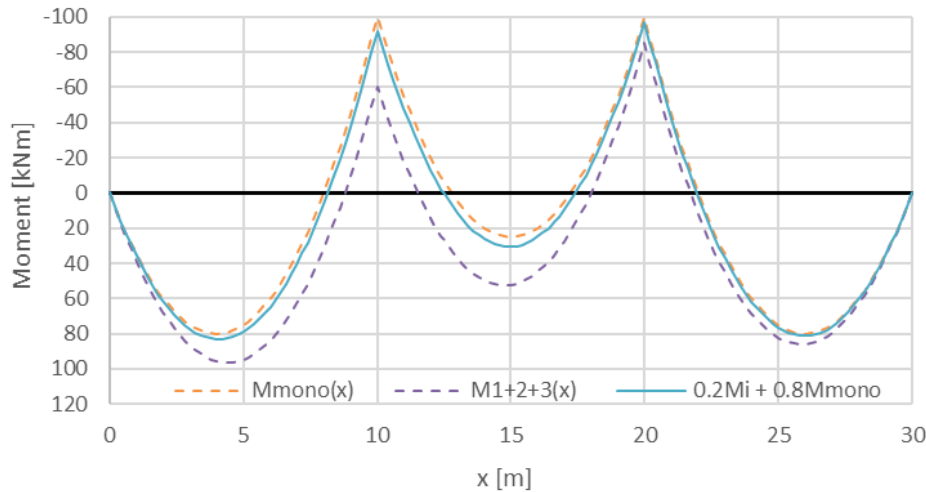
$$M_{Mono}(x) = \begin{cases} \frac{g_d L}{2} \cdot x - g_d \frac{x^2}{2} - \frac{g_d L^2}{10} \frac{x}{L} & 0 \leq x \leq L \\ \frac{g_d L}{2} \cdot (x-L) - g_d \frac{(x-L)^2}{2} - \frac{g_d L^2}{10} & L \leq x \leq 2L \\ \frac{g_d L}{2} \cdot (x-2L) - g_d \frac{(x-2L)^2}{2} - \frac{g_d L^2}{10} \left(1 - \frac{x-2L}{L}\right) & 2L \leq x \leq 3L \end{cases}$$



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c) Approximation of the moment distribution for $t \rightarrow \infty$

$$M_{t \rightarrow \infty}(x) = 0.2 \cdot (M_1(x) + M_2(x) + M_3(x)) + 0.8 \cdot M_{Mono}(x)$$

d) Moment distribution with the Trost Method

$$M_t(x) = M_0(x) + (M_{Mono}(x) - M_0(x)) \cdot \frac{\varphi(t, t_0)}{1 + \mu \cdot \varphi(t, t_0)}$$

$$M_t(x) = M_0(x) \cdot \left(1 - \frac{\varphi(t, t_0)}{1 + \mu \cdot \varphi(t, t_0)} \right) + M_{Mono}(x) \cdot \frac{\varphi(t, t_0)}{1 + \mu \cdot \varphi(t, t_0)}$$

M_0 : Moment before system change

M_{Mono} : Moment of monolithic system

Generalized:

$$M_t(x) = \sum_{i=1}^n M_{0,i}(x) \cdot \left(1 - \frac{\varphi(t_i, t_0)}{1 + \mu \cdot \varphi(t_i, t_0)} \right) + M_{Mono}(x) \cdot \frac{\varphi(t, t_0)}{1 + \mu \cdot \varphi(t, t_0)}$$

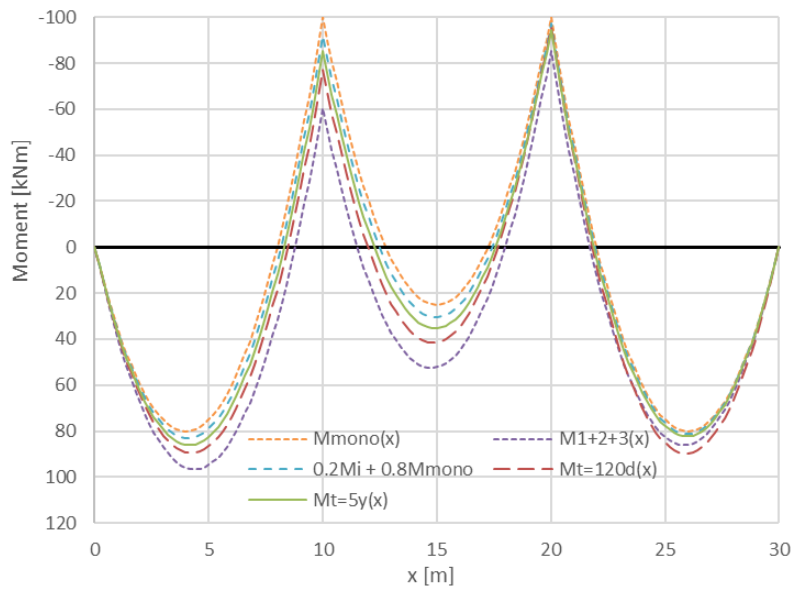
$$M_{120d}(x) = M_1(x) \cdot \left(1 - \frac{\varphi(90d, 30d)}{1 + \mu \cdot \varphi(90d, 30d)} \right) + M_2(x) \cdot \left(1 - \frac{\varphi(60d, 30d)}{1 + \mu \cdot \varphi(60d, 30d)} \right) + M_3(x) \cdot \left(1 - \frac{\varphi(30d, 30d)}{1 + \mu \cdot \varphi(30d, 30d)} \right) + M_{Mono}(x) \cdot \frac{\varphi(90d, 30d)}{1 + \mu \cdot \varphi(90d, 30d)}$$

$$M_{120d}(x) = 0.588M_1(x) + 0.615M_2(x) + 0.659M_3(x) + 0.412M_{Mono}(x)$$

$$M_{5y}(x) = (M_1(x) + M_2(x) + M_3(x)) \cdot \left(1 - \frac{\varphi(5y, 30d)}{1 + \mu \cdot \varphi(5y, 30d)} \right) + M_{Mono}(x) \cdot \frac{\varphi(5y, 30d)}{1 + \mu \cdot \varphi(5y, 30d)}$$

$$M_{5y}(x) = 0.377 \cdot (M_1(x) + M_2(x) + M_3(x)) + 0.623M_{Mono}$$

$\mu = 0.8$

**Remark:**

As the age of the structure increases, the distribution of moments increasingly approaches that of the monolithic structure due to creep. The approximation "80% monolithic structure, 20% sum of the individual construction stages" approximates the long-term behaviour relatively well. Since the determination of the creep coefficient is also subject to certain uncertainty and the bending stiffness over the beam length is by no means constant (crack formation), the calculation with the Trost method can also only be regarded as an approximation of the real stress state.