



Improvement of Dynamic Buckling Behavior of Intermediate Aluminized Stainless Steel Columns

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Abstract

This paper experimentally investigated the dynamic buckling behavior of AISI 303 stainless steel aluminized and as received intermediate columns. Twenty seven specimens without aluminizing (type 1) and 75 specimens with hot-dip aluminizing at different aluminizing conditions of dipping temperature and dipping time (type 2), were tested under dynamic compression loading (compression and torsion), dynamic bending loading (bending and torsion), and under dynamic combined loading (compression, bending, and torsion) by using a rotating buckling test machine. The experimental results were compared with tangent modulus theory, reduced modulus theory, and Perry Robertson interaction formula. Reduced modulus was formulated to circular cross-section for the specimens of type (1). The experimental results showed an advantageous influence of hot-dip aluminizing treatment on the dynamic buckling behavior of AISI 303 stainless steel intermediate columns. The improvements based on the average value of critical stress were 19.4 % for intermediate columns type (2) compared with columns type (1) under dynamic compression loading, 8.7 % for intermediate columns type (2) compared with columns type (1) under dynamic bending loading, and 16.5 % for intermediate columns type (2) compared with columns type (1) under dynamic combined loading.

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1. Introduction

Buckling may occur when there were compressive internal forces in the structure member. In fact, while tensile forces may only do work if the material deforms or ruptures, for the case of compression there is a third possibility - buckling - which consists of a lateral deflection of the material, in relation to direction of actuation of the compressive forces [1]. The phenomenon of buckling is not limited to columns. Buckling can occur in beams, plates, shells, and other structural members under a variety of loading conditions [2, 3]. The buckling behavior of steel columns considers one of the important phenomena that

had been studied and analyzed from a long time. A series of experimental tests are carried on cold formed austenitic stainless steel square, rectangular, and circular hollow section members to examine the buckling behavior of columns and beams under effect of gradually increased single and combined loads (compression, bending, and compression-bending) with two types of end conditions pin-ends and fixed-ends [4]. The buckling of solid and hollow CK35 and CK45 alloy steel columns under combined dynamic loading has been studied experimentally and the obtained results showed that the failure resistance of the columns depends on the type of cross-section and initial deflection of column [5]. The

nitride case hardening (liquid nitriding) surface treatment is used to enhance the buckling resistance of square columns with different length, material (CK45, CK67, CK101), and constant cross section (10 ×10) mm subjected to the effect of single and combined dynamic loads [6]. The surface treatment by shot peening is used to enhance the buckling resistance of a series of (CK35) steel column with solid circular cross-section under single and combined dynamic loads by increasing the yield and ultimate strength of columns material [7].

Above the elastic limit of a material, the modulus of elasticity becomes a function of the stress. In other word, one should know the operating level of the stress before one can find out the modulus. This makes the analysis in the inelastic region complicated [8]. In case of columns with intermediate slenderness, i.e., columns which are stable for stresses higher than the proportionality limit, the failure of intermediate columns occurs subsequent to the onset of inelastic behavior [9]. Euler's theory may still be used, provided that the local modulus of elasticity corresponding to the critical stress is used [10]. This leads to develop the so-called tangent modulus theory and reduced modulus theory to describe the buckling behavior of intermediate columns and to predict its buckling load.

This paper examines the effect of hot-dip aluminizing process (HDA) on the dynamic buckling behavior of intermediate columns subjected to dynamic compression loading (compression and torsion), dynamic bending loading (bending and torsion, and dynamic combined loading (compression, bending, and torsion), of stainless steel (AISI 303) material by series of circular cross-section columns, of different slenderness ratio, with and without HDA surface treatment at different dipping temperatures (T_{HD}) and dipping times (t_{HD}).

2. Considered Theories

2.1 Tangent-Modulus Theory

In 1889, F. Engesser, a German engineer, suggested that if column failure occurred at a stress above the proportional of the material, the column strength could be obtained by simply replacing Young's modulus, E , in Euler's buckling formula by the tangent modulus, E_t , [3, 11]. Which E_t is the local slope of the stress-strain curve in the inelastic range, i.e., the slope of the

stress-strain curve at the stress $\sigma = \frac{P_{cr}}{A}$ [12]. The elastic modulus is the E_t (tangent modulus) if the stress is above the elastic limit of the column's material but E (Young's modulus) if the stress is below the elastic limit [13]. The tangent modulus is given by [3, 11]:

$$E_t = \frac{d\sigma}{d\varepsilon} \quad \dots(1)$$

The critical or Engesser stress may be expressed by means of modification of Euler formula in which E_t replaces E :

$$\sigma_T = \frac{P_{cr}}{A} = \frac{\pi^2 E_t}{(\lambda_e)^2} \quad \dots(2)$$

From the experimental tensile test results, the stress-strain curve for AISI 303 stainless steel used in this research can be represented by the following relationship:

$$\sigma = 2 * 10^9 \varepsilon^3 - 4 * 10^7 \varepsilon^2 + 286278 \varepsilon - 31.594 \quad \dots(3)$$

Where (ε) and (σ) are the uniaxial strain and stress, respectively.

The tangent modulus is given by Eq. (1):

$$E_t = \frac{d\sigma}{d\varepsilon}$$

so, by differentiation of Eq. (3) with respect to ε , one can write:

$$E_t = \frac{d\sigma}{d\varepsilon} = 6 * 10^9 \varepsilon^2 - 8 * 10^7 \varepsilon + 286278 \quad \dots(4)$$

Now, substituting Eqs. (3) and (4) into Eq.(2) gives

$$2 * 10^9 \varepsilon^3 - 4 * 10^7 \varepsilon^2 + 286278 \varepsilon - 31.594 = \frac{\pi^2}{(\lambda_e)^2} * [6 * 10^9 \varepsilon^2 - 8 * 10^7 \varepsilon + 286278] \quad \dots(5)$$

by rearranging Eq. (5), one can write:

$$2 * 10^9 \varepsilon^3 - \left(4 * 10^7 + 6 * 10^9 * \frac{\pi^2}{(\lambda_e)^2}\right) \varepsilon^2 + \left(286278 + 8 * 10^7 * \frac{\pi^2}{(\lambda_e)^2}\right) \varepsilon - \left(31.594 + 286278 * \frac{\pi^2}{(\lambda_e)^2}\right) = 0 \quad \dots(6)$$

Equation (6) can be solved to determine the correct value (root) of real strain ε and then substitute this value in Eq. (4) to determine the value of the tangent modulus E_t [14].

2.2 Reduced Modulus Theory (Double Modulus Theory)

The second modification on Euler's equation was done by F. Engesser in 1895, by replacing E (Young's modulus) by E_R (reduced modulus) or E_D (double modulus) which lies between the elastic modulus and tangent modulus. This suggestion led to the reduced theory or double-

modulus theory [8, 15]. The derivation of the general equation of E_R is found in Refs. [8, 13] and this equation is given by the form:

$$E_R = E \frac{I_1}{I_n} + E_t \frac{I_2}{I_n} \quad \dots (7)$$

Where the variables in Eq. (7) may be defined, with referring to Fig. (1), that represent a column of arbitrary cross-section subjected to an axial load P which gradually increases. Further, the column remains perfectly straight till the critical load P_{cr} is reached. At this load, the column bends slightly and the reduced modulus theory predicted that the critical stress σ_{cr} is given by:

$$\sigma_R = \frac{P_{cr}}{A} = \frac{\pi^2 E_R}{(\lambda_e)^2} \quad \dots (8)$$

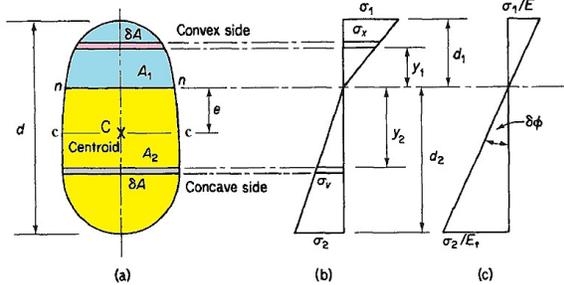


Fig. 1. Determination of reduced elastic modulus [8].

2.2.1 Reduced Modulus for Circular Cross Section

For the present paper requirements, the value of I_1 and I_2 must be formulated for circular cross-section in order to determine the value of E_R . Consider a column with circular cross-section, as shown in Fig. (2). Referring to Eq. (7)

$$I_1 = \int_0^{d_1} (y_1)^2 dA \quad \dots (a)$$

Using polar coordinates system, one can write:

$$y = R \sin \theta \quad \dots (b)$$

∴ Thickness of element,

$$dy = R \cos \theta d\theta \quad \dots (c)$$

$$\text{Length of element, } x = R \cos \theta \quad \dots (d)$$

$$\text{Area of element, } dA = 2x dy \quad \dots (e)$$

By substituting Eq. (c) and (d) into Eq. (e), one can write:

$$\therefore dA = 2R^2 (\cos \theta)^2 d\theta \quad \dots (f)$$

Now, limits of integration must be changed to polar form as follow: at $y = e \rightarrow \theta = \theta_0 = \sin^{-1} \frac{e}{R}$ and at $y = R \rightarrow \theta = \frac{\pi}{2}$

$$\text{and } y_1 = y - e = (R \sin \theta - e) \quad \dots (g)$$

By substituting y_1 and dA form Eqs. (g) and (f), respectively, in Eq. (a), it can be written:

$$I_1 = 2R^2 \int_{\theta_0}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} (R \sin \theta - e)^2 (\cos \theta)^2 dA \quad \dots (9)$$

$$\text{and } I_n = I + Ae^2 = \frac{\pi R^4}{4} + \pi R^2 e^2 \quad \dots (h)$$

$$\text{Where, } I_n = I_1 + I_2 \quad \text{or} \quad I_2 = I_n - I_1$$

By substituting I_n and I_1 from Eqs. (h) and (9) respectively, one can write:

$$I_2 = \left(\frac{\pi R^4}{4} + \pi R^2 e^2 \right) - 2R^2 \int_{\theta_0}^{\frac{\pi}{2}} (R \sin \theta - e)^2 (\cos \theta)^2 dA \quad \dots (10)$$

By substituting I_1 and I_2 from Eqs. (9) and (10), respectively with the values of E and E_t , it can be computed the value of E_R of the column from Eq. (7).

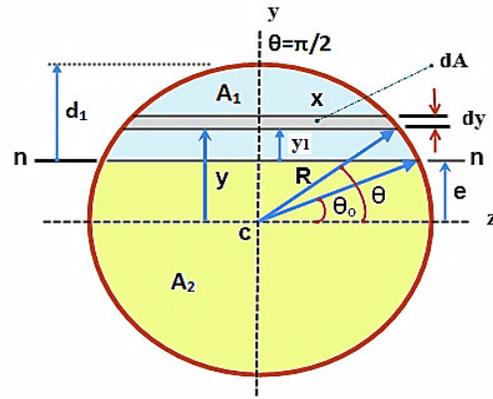


Fig. 2. Geometrical dimensions of a column with circular cross-section used in formula of reduced modulus.

2.3 Perry Robertson Interaction Formula

It is important to evaluate the compressive buckling strength of real columns, σ_{cr} , in the presence of initial mechanical and geometrical imperfections, a Perry Robertson interaction formula [16, 17, and 18] is adopted as follows:

$$\sigma_P = \chi \sigma_y \quad \dots (11)$$

Where,

$$\chi = \frac{1}{\varphi + [\varphi^2 - (\bar{\lambda})^2]^{0.5}} \leq 1 \quad \dots (12)$$

In which,

$$\varphi = 0.5 (1 + \alpha(\bar{\lambda} - \bar{\lambda}_0) + (\bar{\lambda})^2) \quad \dots (13)$$

$$\bar{\lambda} = \frac{\lambda_e}{\pi} \cdot \sqrt{\frac{\sigma_y}{E}} \quad \dots (14)$$

Where the value of the imperfection factor (α) and the limiting non-dimensional slenderness ratio

$(\bar{\lambda}_o)$ are obtained from Ref. [9]⁸. The value of the effective slenderness ratio (λ_e) is calculated by using the relation [20]:

$$\lambda_e = \frac{KL}{r} = \frac{L_e}{r} \quad \dots (15)$$

The value of slenderness ratio under which column's type is intermediate is obtained using the following relation [15]:

$$\lambda_c = \lambda_e = \pi \cdot \sqrt{\frac{E}{\sigma_{pl}}} \quad \dots (16)$$

and by substituting the value of E , σ_{pl} from Table (2), and the value of $K=0.7$ (for fixed-pinned ends) in Eq. (16), one finds that the value of critical slenderness ratio is $\lambda_c = 86.5$.

3. Experimental Work

3.1. Material Used and Buckling Test Machine

AISI 303 stainless steel intermediate columns of circular cross-section, $\varnothing=8$ mm, of different slenderness ratio, with and without hot-dip aluminizing were tested by using a rotating column buckling test machine capable to apply dynamic compression loading, dynamic bending loading, and compression-bending dynamic loading, with column ends support of fixed-pinned and rotating speed of 17 and 34 r.p.m. In this research, low speed (17 r.p.m) was used in all dynamic buckling experiments. The photographs of the rotating buckling test machine, with some of the devices and parts of it, are shown in Fig. (3). More details of buckling test machine, used in this research, are in Ref. [5]. The detail of the chemical composition of stainless steel is shown in Table (1), and the significant mechanical properties are given in Table (2). While the experiments of hot dip aluminizing AISI 303 stainless steel rods were carried out by using a self-construction system of hot- dip aluminizing [18]. A high purity aluminum (99%) was used for dipping bath, and the HDA process variables were dipping temperature and dipping time. The temperature of the molten aluminum bath was controlled to be within $\pm 5^\circ\text{C}$ by using the temperature control system shown in Fig. (4). More details of the HDA system and the temperature control system, used in this research, are in Ref. [18].

3.2. Specimens Types

There are two types of buckling specimens used in this work, these two types are:

Type (1) as received specimens (non-aluminized): intermediate columns with circular cross-section $D = 8$ mm, $I = 201.1$ mm⁴, $r = 2$ mm, and different lengths. Table (3) gives the geometrical dimensions and buckling parameters of these specimens.

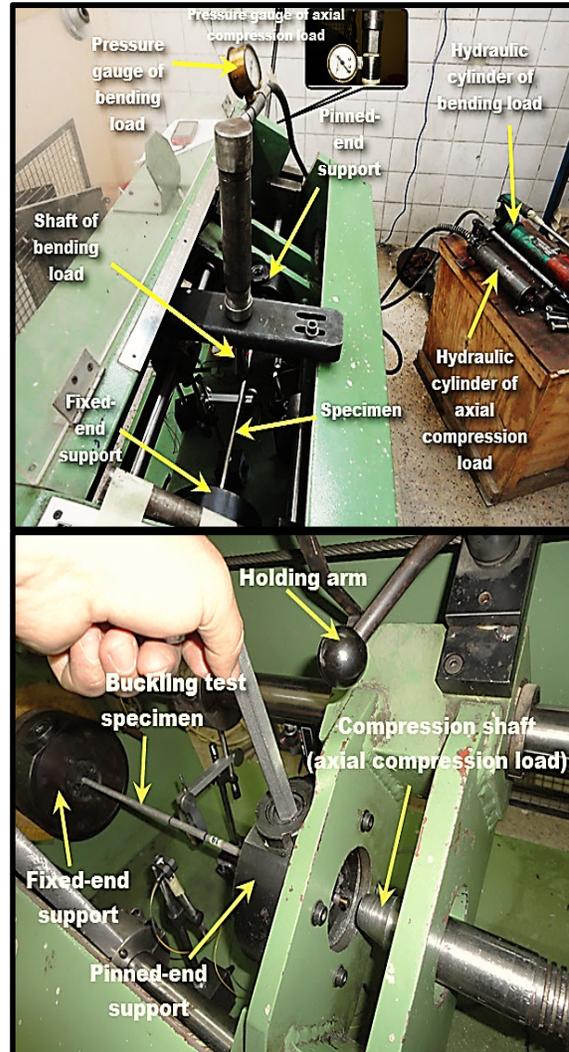


Fig. 3. The rotating buckling test machine used in the present research [18].

Table 1,
Chemical compositions (wt. %) of AISI 303 stainless steel.

Alloy	C	Si	Mn	P	Cr	Ni
Used material ^a	0.114	0.539	1.14	0.032	18.20	8.19
Standard (ASM) [17]	Up to 0.15	Up to 1.0	Up to 2.0	Up to 0.2	17-19	8-10

a: Source: State Company for Inspection and Engineering Rehabilitation (SIER)/Baghdad.

Table 2,
Experimental mechanical properties of AISI 303 stainless steel used in present work (Average of three specimens).

AISI 303 st. st.	σ_{ult} (MPa)	σ_y * (MPa)	E (GPa)	Elong.** (%)	σ_{pl} (MPa)
	880	673	204.2	41.4	269.2

* Proof stress at 0.2% of stain.

** In gauge length $L_o = 25$ mm.

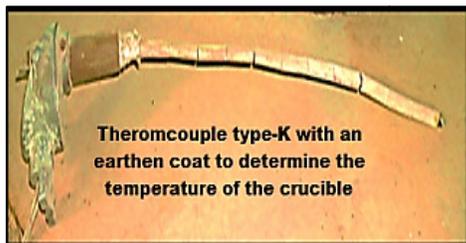
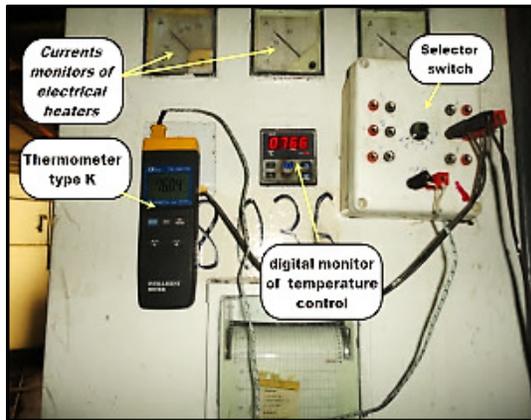


Fig. 4. Temperature control system used to control the temperature of the molten aluminum [18].

Type (2) aluminized specimens: intermediate hot-dip aluminized (HDA) columns with circular cross-section. These specimens have a constant length $L=200$ mm, but at different hot-dip conditions from dipping temperature (700, 740,

780, 820, and 860 °C) and different dipping times (1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 minutes). Table (4) gives the parameters of hot-dip and buckling of these specimens. It should be noted that the thickness of the aluminum layer, to be formed during the HDA process, is in the micrometer. So, the effect of the HDA process in changing of the cross sectional area of aluminized column it can be neglected in calculations the values of critical buckling stresses.

3.3. Failure Criterion of Buckling

When the maximum deflection of the column reaches the critical value of deflection (δ_{cr}) of the column length, then the load measured (by pressure gauge) is the critical buckling load of the column. In the present work, the value of the critical deflection of the column is taken was ($\delta_{cr}(mm) = (L * 1\%) + \delta_o$) [6, 16, and 18]. Because of the rotating effect on the reading of the column deflection using a dial gauge, a laser cell circuit tool was fabricated, with whistle sound, fixed on electronic vernier (with a reading accuracy of 0.01 mm), Fig. (5), to make the reading of critical deflection (δ_{cr}) more strict.

Table 3,
Geometrical dimensions and buckling parameters of specimens type (1)

No.	Symbol	L (mm)	L_e * (mm)	δ_o (mm)	δ_{cr} ** (mm)	λ_e ($= \frac{\lambda_e L_e}{r}$)	Type of *** loading	Type **** of column
1	1a	160	112	0.55/2	1.88	56	compression	Intermediate
	1b			0.2/2	1.7		bending	
	1c			0.9/2	2.05		combined	
2	2a	170	119	0.6/2	2	59.5	compression	Intermediate
	2b			0.25/2	1.83		bending	
	2c			1.1/2	2.25		combined	
3	3a	180	126	0.71/2	2.16	63	compression	Intermediate
	3b			0.85/2	2.23		bending	
	3c			1.35/2	2.48		combined	
4	4a	190	133	0.96/2	2.38	66.5	compression	Intermediate
	4b			0.5/2	2.15		bending	
	4c			1.3/2	2.55		combined	
5	5a	200	140	0.8/2	2.4	70	compression	Intermediate
	5b			0.25/2	2.13		bending	
	5c			1.3/2	2.65		combined	
6	6a	210	147	1.22/2	2.71	73.5	compression	Intermediate
	6b			0.34/2	2.27		bending	
	6c			1.46/2	2.83		combined	
7	7a	220	154	1.1/2	2.75	77	compression	Intermediate
	7b			0.72/2	2.56		bending	
	7c			1.65/2	3.03		Combined	
8	8a	230	161	1.21/2	2.91	80.5	Compression	Intermediate
	8b			0.7/2	2.65		Bending	
	8c			1.6/2	3.1		Combined	
9	9a	240	168	1.2/2	3	84	Compression	Intermediate
	9b			0.82/2	2.81		Bending	
	9c			1.7/2	3.25		Combined	

* $L_e = KL$; $K = 0.7$ for Fixed-pinned supports; ** $\delta_{cr}(mm) = (L * 1\%) + \delta_o$; *** Compression load= (compression-torsion) load; Bending load= (bending-torsion) load. Bending load at mid span; Combined load= (compression-bending-torsion load). Bending load at mid span); **** $\lambda_c = \pi \cdot \sqrt{\frac{E}{\sigma_{pl}}} = 86.5$, if $\lambda_e < \lambda_c \rightarrow$ *intermediate column*.

Table 4,
Geometrical dimensions and buckling parameters of the hot-dip aluminized columns type 2 (intermediate columns)

No.	Dipping temperature T_{HD} (°C)	Dipping time t_{HD} (min)	L (mm)	L_e (mm)	δ_o (mm)	δ_{cr} (mm)	λ_e	Type of column	Type of loading
1		1			0.75/2	2.43			
2		2			0.74/2	2.3			
A1	700	3	200	140	1.2/2	2.38	70	Intermediate	Compression
4		4			0.85/2	2.37			
5		5			0.6/2	2.45			
6		1			0.75/2	2.38			
7		2			0.74/2	2.26			
B1	740	3	200	140	0.9/2	2.28	70	Intermediate	Compression
9		4			0.75/2	2.45			
10		5			0.43/2	2.34			
11		1			0.55/2	2.35			
12		2			0.9/2	2.13			
C1	780	3	200	140	0.68/2	2.36	70	Intermediate	Compression
14		4			0.7/2	2.5			
15		5			0.25/2	2.49			
16		1			0.72/2	2.35			
17		2			1/2	2.45			
D1	820	3	200	140	0.98/2	2.3	70	Intermediate	Compression
19		4			0.7/2	2.6			
20		5			0.9/2	2.45			
21		1			0.6/2	2.55			
22		2			1.2/2	2.46			
E1	860	3	200	140	0.9/2	2.43	70	Intermediate	Compression
24		4			1.1/2	2.3			
25		5			0.92/2	2.38			
26		1			0.75/2	2.38			
27		2			0.7/2	2.35			
A2	700	3	200	140	0.6/2	2.3	70	Intermediate	Bending
29		4			0.55/2	2.28			
30		5			0.7/2	2.35			
31		1			0.6/2	2.3			
32		2			0.6/2	2.3			
B2	740	3	200	140	0.4/2	2.2	70	Intermediate	Bending
34		4			0.48/2	2.24			
35		5			0.5/2	2.25			
36		1			0.67/2	2.34			
37		2			0.35/2	2.18			
C2	780	3	200	140	1/2	2.5	70	Intermediate	Bending
39		4			0.9/2	2.45			
40		5			0.65/2	2.33			
41		1			0.9/2	2.45			
D2	820	2	200	140	0.6/2	2.3	70	Intermediate	Bending
43		3			0.8/2	2.4			

Table 4 (continue)

	44			4			1.2/2	2.6			
	45			5			0.98/2	2.49			
	46			1			1/2	2.5			
	47			2			0.85/2	2.43			
E2	48	860		3	200	140	0.8/2	2.4	70	Intermediate	Bending
	49			4			0.98/2	2.49			
	50			5			0.25/2	2.13			
	51			1			1.14/2	2.57			
	52			2			1.15/2	2.58			
A3	53	700		3	200	140	1/2	2.5	70	Intermediate	Combined
	54			4			0.95/2	2.48			
	55			5			0.7/2	2.35			
	56			1			1.12/2	2.56			
	57			2			0.9/2	2.45			
B3	58	740		3	200	140	1.12/2	2.56	70	Intermediate	Combined
	59			4			0.9/2	2.45			
	60			5			0.62/2	2.31			
	61			1			1.2/2	2.6			
	62			2			0.5/2	2.25			
C3	63	780		3	200	140	1.2/2	2.6	70	Intermediate	Combined
	64			4			0.7/2	2.35			
	65			5			0.45/2	2.23			
	66			1			0.84/2	2.42			
	67			2			0.6/2	2.3			
D3	68	820		3	200	140	0.5/2	2.25	70	Intermediate	Combined
	69			4			1.12/2	2.56			
	70			5			0.82/2	2.41			
	71			1			1.2/2	2.6			
	72			2			0.95/2	2.48			
E3	73	860		3	200	140	0.5/2	2.25	70	Intermediate	Combined
	74			4			0.5/2	2.25			
	75			5			1.42/2	2.71			

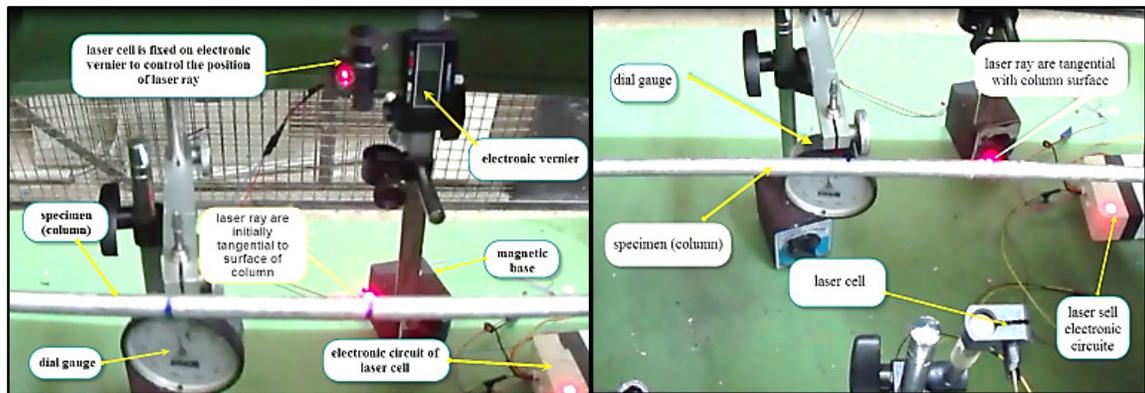


Fig. 5. System used to control the deflection of columns during buckling test.

4. Results and Discussion

Table (5) shows the experimental results of dynamic buckling test of 303 AISI column specimens without aluminizing (type 1). In this table, it can be observed that the critical buckling load (P_{exp}) decreased with increasing in effective slenderness ratio (λ_e) for both dynamic compression load (compression-torsion load) and dynamic combined load (compression-bending-torsion load). Also, it can be seen that the bending stress ($\sigma_{ben.}$) is greater than the critical buckling stress for all slenderness ratios, but is also decreased with increased λ_e . In order to make a comparison between the experimental results and theoretical results, tangent modulus theory, reduced modulus theory and Perry-Robertson interaction formula are used to calculate the theoretical critical buckling stress for the specimens of type (1), and the results are shown in Table (6). From Table (5) and Table (6), it can be observed that the experimental critical stress (σ_{exp}) is, in general, lower than the value of theoretical critical stress ($\sigma_T, \sigma_R, \text{ and } \sigma_P$) from tangent modulus theory, reduced modulus theory, and Perry Robertson interaction formula, respectively. The difference between the experimental and theoretical results is due to in both tangent modules and reduced modulus theories, the column is assumed as a perfect column (no initial imperfection) and the applied load is gradually increased with no dynamic effect (torsion load) and with no lateral load (bending load). In Perry-Robertson formula, effect of the initial imperfection is considered, but the dynamic effect of loading is not considered. In general, it can be observed that the results obtained by using Perry-Robertson formula are more accurate compared with results obtained using tangent modulus theory and reduced modulus theory.

Table (7) shows the experimental results of dynamic buckling test of specimens type 2 (hot-dip aluminized intermediate columns) with constant slenderness ratio of $\lambda_e = 70$ and different hot-dip conditions (dipping temperature and dipping time). From Table (7), it can be detected that there is enhancement in buckling resistance of intermediate aluminized columns under dynamic compression load (compression and torsion), dynamic bending load (bending and torsion), and dynamic combined load (compression, bending, and torsion). In order to show the improvement of dynamic buckling resistance of aluminized columns (type 2)

compared with non-aluminized columns (type 1), Fig. (6) and Fig. (7) are plotted by using the experimental results of Table (5) for specimens type (1), and Table (7) for specimens type (2), whereas Table (6) gives the theoretical results from tangent modulus theory, reduced modulus theory, and Perry Robertson interaction formula. The improvement of buckling resistance, based on the average value of experimental critical buckling stress (σ_{exp}), is as follow: (19.4 %) for intermediate columns type (2) compared with columns type (1), under dynamic compression loading, and (8.7 %) for intermediate columns type (2), compared with columns type (1) under dynamic bending loading, and (16.5 %) for intermediate columns type (2) compared with columns type (1) under dynamic combined loading. These enhancement ratios of buckling resistance are illustrated in Fig. (8).

It should be noted that the effect of rotating of the column (torsional loading) during the applied of compression load and/or compression-bending loads was appeared clearly first by a Spatial (non-planar) shape of column deformation until buckling is occur and second by reducing the value of the critical buckling load. The lateral loading (bending load) on the rotating columns leads to a fast increasing in the lateral deflection of the column under combined loading conditions and a signification reduction in the axial compressive load and as a result, it decreases the buckling resistance of the columns compared with the case without lateral loading . It is experimentally noted that the effect of the lateral loading on the buckling resistance was much greater than the effect of the twisting or torsional loading for the same slenderness ratios. Under dynamic compression loading, Fig. (9), the buckling resistance of HDA columns (type 2) is decreased with the increase in dipping time (t_{HD}) for hot-dip conditions of 740 °C, 780 °C, and 860 °C, but the buckling resistance is increased with the increase in dipping time for hot-dip conditions of 700 °C, and 820 °C with maximum value of increasing at 700 °C. Under dynamic bending load, Fig. (10), the bending resistance of HDA columns is approximately remained constant with increasing in dipping time. Under dynamic combined load, Fig. (11), the buckling resistance is generally increased with the increase in dipping time from 1 minute to approximately 4 minutes and then decreased for all dipping temperatures except the dipping temperature 740 °C , where the buckling resistance decreased with the increase in

dipping time from 1 minute to 3 minutes and then increased with dipping time. The bending resistance of HDA columns, Fig. (11), under dynamic combined loading is decreased with the increase in dipping time at 700 °C, 780 °C, and 860 °C, but it is increased with the increase in dipping time at 740 °C, and 820 °C. From the above discussion, it can be noticed that the HDA conditions of dipping time 3 minutes and dipping temperature of 700 °C and/ or 820 °C give maximum buckling resistance under both dynamic compression load and dynamic combined load.

5. Conclusions

1. The experimental values of the critical buckling stress (σ_{exp}) for non-aluminized intermediate columns, ($\lambda_e < \lambda_c, \lambda_e(56 \text{ to } 84)$), are less than the theoretical values of critical buckling stress ($\sigma_T, \sigma_R, \text{ and } \sigma_P$) predicted by tangent modulus theory, reduced modulus theory, and Perry Robertson interaction formula, respectively. The average decreasing in percentage for values of the experimental critical buckling stress under dynamic compression load compared with the theoretical values of critical buckling stress are: -51.015 % (Tangent modulus theory), -50.44 % (Reduced modulus theory), and -29.143 % (Perry-Robertson formula).
2. Using of hot- dip aluminizing surface treatment has made two benefits, one of them is to develop a protection layer for the substrate material from the environment conditions, and the other is the improvement of dynamic buckling resistance of intermediate aluminized columns under dynamic compression loading, dynamic bending loading, and under dynamic combined loading.
3. The improvement in the dynamic buckling resistance was (19.4 %) for intermediate columns type (2) compared with columns type (1) under dynamic compression loading, (8.7%) for intermediate columns type (2) compared with columns type (1) under dynamic bending loading, and (16.5%) for intermediate columns type (2) compared with columns type (1) under dynamic combined loading.
4. The optimum hot-dip aluminizing conditions, that give a maximum enhancement of dynamic buckling resistance for the specimens of type (2), are: dipping time of ($t_{HD}=3 \text{ to } 4 \text{ min}$) and dipping temperature of ($T_{HD}=700^\circ\text{C}$ and 820°C).
5. The effect of the torsional loading during the application of compression load, bending load, and compression-bending loads was appeared clearly first by a spatial (non-planar) shape of column deformation until buckling is occurred and second by effecting on the value of the critical buckling load. while, The lateral loading (bending load) on the rotating columns leads to a fast increasing in the lateral deflection of the column under combined loading conditions and a signification reduction in the axial compressive load (critical buckling load).
6. The average decreasing in percentage for values of the experimental critical buckling load under dynamic combined load (for as received specimens and HDA specimens), is -49.6% compared with values of the experimental critical buckling load without lateral bending load (under dynamic compression load) for the same effective slenderness ratios.

Table 5,
Experimental results of dynamic buckling test of column specimen's type (1)

No.	Symbol	Type of loading	P_{exp} (N)	σ_{exp} (MPa)	$F_{ben.}$ (N)	$\sigma_{ben.}$ (MPa)
1	1a	Comp.	16257.742	323.4375	---	---
	1b	Ben.	---	---	530.4	263.79936
	1c	Comb.	7775.442	154.688	489.6	243.507
2	2a	Comp.	14844.025	295.3125	---	---
	2b	Ben.	---	---	510	269.50655
	2c	Comb.	7068.583	140.625	469.2	247.946
3	3a	Comp.	13783.738	274.2188	---	---
	3b	Ben.	---	---	489.6	273.94549
	3c	Comb.	6361.725	126.563	448.8	251.117
4	4a	Comp.	12370.021	246.0938	---	---
	4b	Ben.	---	---	469.2	277.11615
	4c	Comb.	6008.296	119.531	428.4	253.019
5	5a	Comp.	10956.304	217.9688	---	---
	5b	Ben.	---	---	448.8	279.01855
	5c	Comb.	5654.867	112.5	408	253.653
6	6a	Comp.	10249.446	203.9063	---	---
	6b	Ben.	---	---	428.4	279.65268
	6c	Comb.	5301.434	105.469	387.6	253.019
7	7a	Comp.	9542.5877	189.8438	---	---
	7b	Ben.	---	---	408	279.01855
	7c	Comb.	4948.008	98.438	367.2	251.117
8	8a	Comp.	9189.1585	182.8125	---	---
	8b	Ben.	---	---	387.6	277.11615
	8c	Comb.	4806.637	95.625	346.8	247.946
9	9a	Comp.	8482.3002	168.75	---	---
	9b	Ben.	---	---	367.2	273.94549
	9c	Comb.	4665.265	92.813	326.4	243.507

Table 6,
Theoretical values of critical buckling stress using tangent modulus theory, reduced modulus theory, and Perry-Robertson formula for specimens of type (1).

No.	L (mm)	L_e (mm)	λ_e ($= \frac{L_e}{r}$)	δ_{cr} (mm)	E_t (GPa)	σ_T (MPa)	E_R (GPa)	σ_R (MPa)	σ_P (MPa)
1	160	112	56	1.88	137.131	431.578	139.343	438.539	391.878
2	170	119	59.5	2	146.248	407.714	147.706	411.779	365.339
3	180	126	63	2.16	154.764	384.847	155.667	387.093	340.049
4	190	133	66.5	2.38	162.686	363.084	163.1	364.008	316.270
5	200	140	70	2.4	170.035	342.485	170.335	343.089	294.137
6	210	147	73.5	2.71	176.836	323.069	176.934	323.248	273.684
7	220	154	77	2.75	183.123	304.832	183.189	304.942	254.878
8	230	161	80.5	2.905	188.928	287.743	188.956	287.785	237.640
9	240	168	84	3	194.288	271.761	194.3	271.777	221.866

Table 7,
Experimental results of dynamic buckling test of the hot-dip aluminized columns type 2 (intermediate columns).

	No.	P_{exp} (N)	σ_{exp} (MPa)		No.	$F_{ben.}$ (N)	$\sigma_{ben.}$ (MPa)		No.	P_{exp} (N)	σ_{exp} (MPa)	$F_{ben.}$ (N)	$\sigma_{ben.}$ (MPa)
A1	1	13430.309	267.188	A2	26	448.8	279.018	A3	51	22950	456.576	530.4	329.749
	2	12723.450	253.125		27	693.6	431.210		52	28687.5	570.719	510	317.066
	3	15550.884	309.375		28	448.8	279.018		53	48768.75	970.223	489.6	304.384
	4	12016.592	239.063		29	448.8	279.018		54	25818.75	513.648	408	253.653
	5	14844.025	295.313		30	448.8	279.018		55	45900	913.151	367.2	228.287
B1	6	14137.167	281.25	B2	31	448.8	279.018	B3	56	25818.75	513.648	408	253.653
	7	14844.025	295.313		32	408	253.653		57	17212.5	342.432	489.6	304.384
	8	12723.450	253.125		33	489.6	304.384		58	14343.75	285.359	469.2	291.701
	9	10602.875	210.938		34	489.6	304.384		59	20081.25	399.504	448.8	279.018
	10	14137.167	281.25		35	489.6	304.384		60	43031.25	856.079	489.6	304.384
C1	11	14137.167	281.25	C2	36	530.4	329.749	C3	61	17212.5	342.432	571.2	355.114
	12	12723.450	253.125		37	448.8	279.018		62	22950	456.575	489.6	304.384
	13	13430.309	267.188		38	448.8	279.018		63	25818.75	513.648	469.2	291.701
	14	12723.450	253.125		39	612	380.479		64	25818.75	513.648	367.2	228.287
	15	12016.592	239.063		40	367.2	228.287		65	20081.25	399.504	346.8	215.605
D1	16	12723.450	253.125	D2	41	489.6	304.384	D3	66	22950	456.576	408	253.653
	17	12723.450	253.125		42	489.6	304.384		67	22950	456.576	448.8	279.018
	18	12723.450	253.125		43	530.4	329.749		68	22950	456.576	408	253.653
	19	14137.167	281.25		44	489.6	304.384		69	28687.5	570.719	408	253.653
	20	14137.167	281.25		45	448.8	279.018		70	25818.75	513.648	408	253.653
E1	21	13076.879	260.156	E2	46	530.4	329.749	E3	71	28687.5	570.719	428.4	266.335
	22	14137.167	281.25		47	469.2	291.701		72	22950	456.576	428.4	266.335
	23	9189.159	182.813		48	489.6	304.384		73	28687.5	570.719	408	253.653
	24	12016.592	239.063		49	469.2	291.701		74	31556.25	627.792	346.8	215.605
	25	12016.592	239.063		50	571.2	355.114		75	28687.5	570.719	448.8	279.018

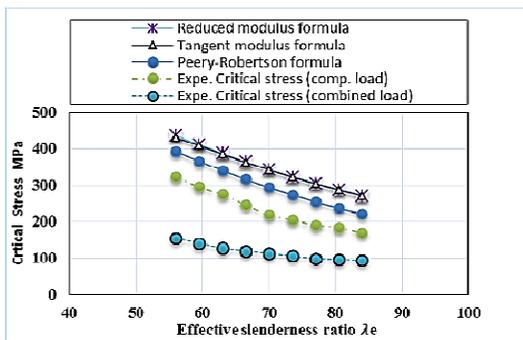


Fig. 6. Critical stress- slenderness ratio relation for stainless steel 303 AISI columns (type 1) under dynamic compression, and dynamic combined loads compared with theoretical results.

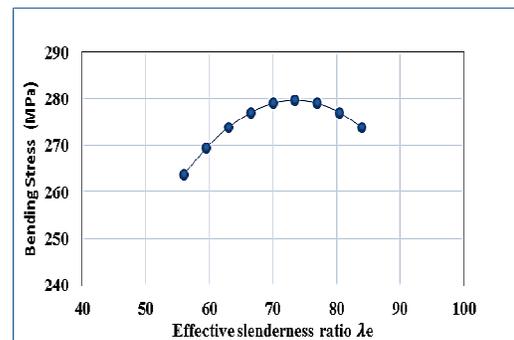


Fig. 7. Bending stress- slenderness ratio relation for stainless steel 303 AISI columns (type 1) under dynamic bending loading.

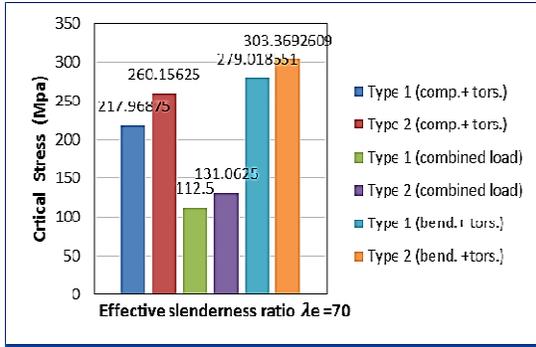


Fig. 8. Critical stress for the specimens of type (1) and type (2) at the same effective slenderness ratio.

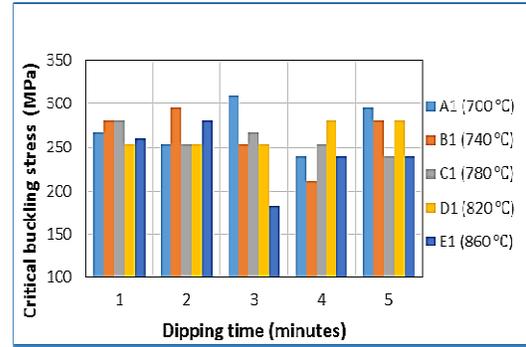


Fig. 9. Critical buckling stress- dipping time relation for HDA aluminized columns (type 2) under dynamic compression loading.

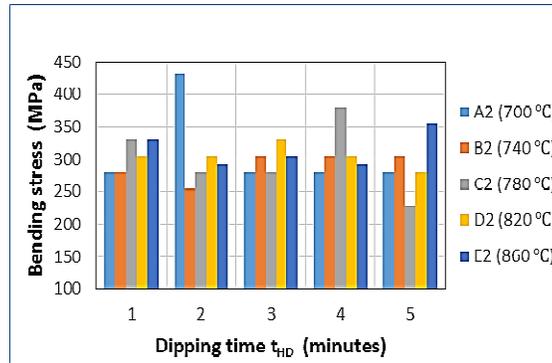


Fig. 10. Critical buckling stress- dipping time relation for HDA columns (type 2) under dynamic bending loading.

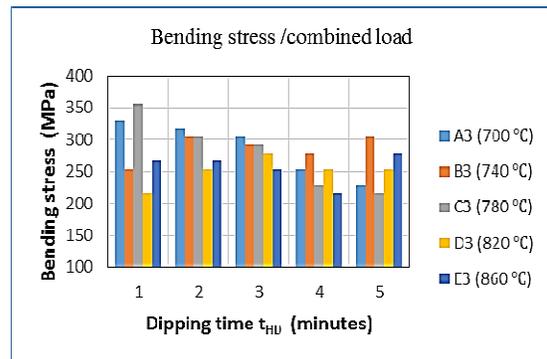
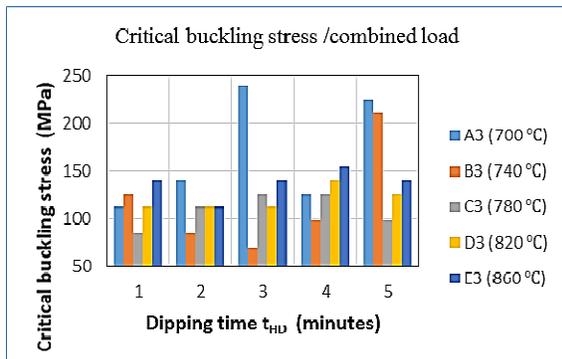


Fig. 11. Critical stress- dipping time relation for HDA columns (type 2) under dynamic combined loading.

Notation			σ_y	The yield strength	MPa
A	The cross-sectional area of the column	mm ²	δ_o, δ_{cr}	Initial and critical deflection of the column	mm
E	Modulus of elasticity	GPa	$\bar{\lambda}_o, \bar{\lambda}$	The limiting and non-dimensional slenderness ratio	Dimension-less
E_R	Reduced modulus	GPa			
E_t	Tangent modulus	G	λ_e, λ_c	Effective and critical slenderness ratio	Dimension-less
e	Critical deflection of the column at a critical buckling condition= δ_{cr}	mm			
$F_{ben.}$	Experimental bending load	N	χ	The reduction factor accounting for buckling	Dimension-less
I	Moment of inertia of the column cross sectional area about z-axis	mm ⁴	α	The imperfection factor (Perry-Robertson formula)	Dimension-less
I_1	Moment of inertia of the area A_1 that lies above the neutral axis n-n	mm ⁴	ε	The uniaxial strain	Dimension-less
I_2	Moment of inertia of the area A_2 that lies below the neutral axis n-n	mm ⁴			
I_n	Moment of inertia of the column cross sectional area about neutral axis n-n	mm ⁴			
K	Effective-length factor = 0.7 for fixed-pinned ends support	Dimension-less			
L, L_e	Unsupported and effective length of the column	mm			
P_{cr}, P_{exl}	Theoretical and experimental critical buckling load	N (newton)			
r	Smallest radius of gyration of the column	mm			
T_{HD}	Dipping temperature	°C			
t_{HD}	Dipping time	s (sec.)			

Greek letters

σ	The uniaxial stress	MPa
$\sigma_{ben.}$	Experimental bending stress	MPa
σ_{exp}	Experimental critical buckling stress	MPa
σ_P	Theoretical Critical buckling stress (Perry-Robertson formula)	MPa
σ_R	Theoretical critical buckling stress (reduced modulus theory)	MPa
σ_T	Critical buckling stress (tangent modulus theory)	MPa
$\sigma_{ult}, \sigma_{pl}$	Ultimate and proportional limit of column's material stress	MPa

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الخلاصة

تم في هذا البحث التحقق العملي لسلوك الانبعاج الديناميكي للأعمدة متوسطة الطول المؤلمة وغير المؤلمة من الصلب المقاوم للصدأ AISI 303 . حيث فحصت هذه الأعمدة تحت تأثير حمل الانبعاج الديناميكي، ٢٧ عينة غير مؤلمة (type 1) و ٧٥ عينة مؤلمة بطريقة الغمر الساخن (type 2)، وبظروف غمر مختلفة من درجة حرارة الغمر وزمن الغمر، باستخدام ماكينة فحص الانبعاج الدوار وحالة حمل الانضغاط الديناميكي (حمل انضغاط زائد حمل التواء) والانحناء الديناميكي (حمل انحناء زائد حمل التواء) وكذلك الحمل المركب (حمل انضغاط زائد حمل انحناء وحمل التواء). تم مقارنة النتائج مع نظرية tangent modulus theory ونظرية reduced modulus theory وصيغة Perry Robertson interaction formula. لغرض التمكن من استخدام نظرية reduced modulus theory فقد تم اشتقاق الصيغة الخاصة بأيجاد reduced modulus للمقطع الدائري. أظهرت النتائج الفائدة العملية المتحققة من عملية الألمنة بالغمر الساخن على سلوك الانبعاج تحت تأثير الأحمال الديناميكية. تمثل هذا التأثير الإيجابي بتحسين مقاومة الانبعاج الديناميكي للأعمدة متوسطة الطول المستخدمة في هذا البحث بنسب مئوية لمتوسط الأجهاد الحرج، وهذه النسب على وفق النحو الآتي: (19.4 %) للأعمدة متوسطة الطول (type 2) مقارنة بالأعمدة (type 1) وتحت تأثير التحميل الانضغاطي الديناميكي، و (8.7%) للأعمدة متوسطة الطول (type 2) مقارنة بالأعمدة (type 1) وتحت تأثير حمل الانحناء الديناميكي و(16.5 %) للأعمدة متوسطة الطول (type 2) مقارنة بالأعمدة (type 1) وتحت تأثير التحميل الديناميكي المركب.

