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# Building construction

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# INTRODUCTION

- Why do we need buildings?
- constraints قيود on building construction
- Cycle Process of building construction
- Elements create building loading
- Forces delivered to earth for building to be structurally sound
- Basic building component
- Identify construction materials

# Why do we need buildings?

## لماذا نحتاج المباني ؟

- We need shelter from sun, wind, rain, and snow.
- We need dry, level platforms for our activities.
- we need to multiply available ground space.
- On these platforms, and within our shelter, we need air that is warmer or cooler, more or less humid, than outdoors.
- We need less light by day, and more light by night, than is offered by the natural world.
- We need services that provide energy, communications and water and disposal of wastes.
- So we gather materials and assemble them into the constructions we call buildings to satisfy these needs.

# Constraints on building construction

## القيود علي انشاء المباني

- Health codes : **الانظمة الصحية**
- Occupational health and safety  
**انظمة الامن والسلامة المهنية**
- Fire codes **انظمة الحريق**
- Plumbing codes **انظمة الامداد بالمياه**
- Electrical codes **الانظمة الكهربائية**
- Building Contractors' and Labor Unions' Regulations **قواعد اتحاد المقاولين والعمال**



# Cycle process of building construction

The main stages are •

- :1: Planning
- 2: Design
- 3: Tendering
- 4: Construction Process
- 5: Handover
- 6: Evaluation



# Elements create building loading

- -Various loads are taken into account while designing the foundation of a structure loads coming on a structure are:
  - **-Two broad categories:**
    - Dead loads
    - Live loads
  - **-Specific terms for dead loads and live loads:**
    - Concentrated load
    - Distributed load
    - Design load
    - Un designed load

# Imposition of Loads

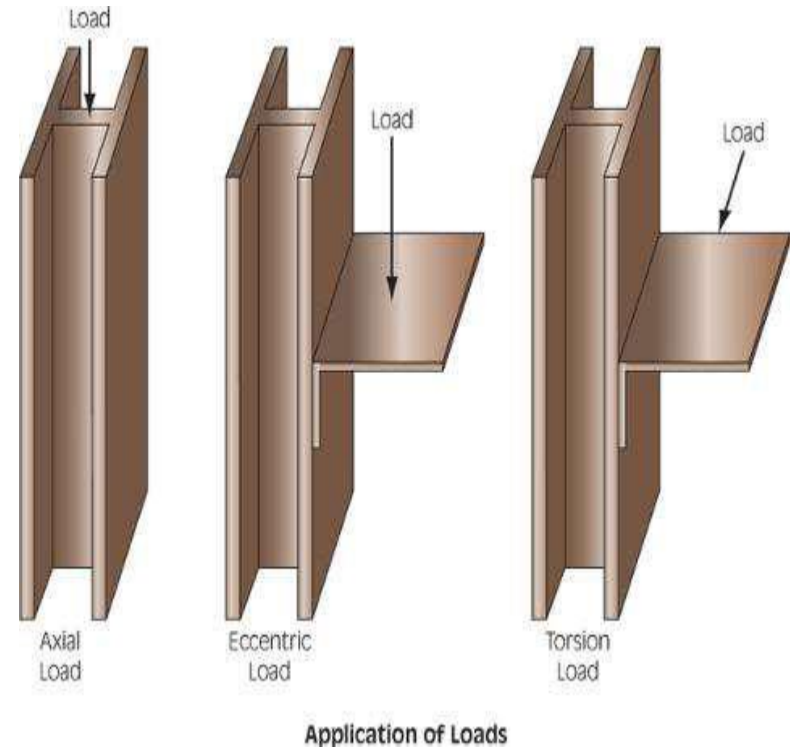
## الاضاع المفترضة للأحمال

- Loads must be transmitted to structural elements

انتقال الاحمال

Terms associated with imposition:

- Axial load **حمل محوري**
- Eccentric load **حمل غير مركزي**
- Torsion load **حمل الالتواء**



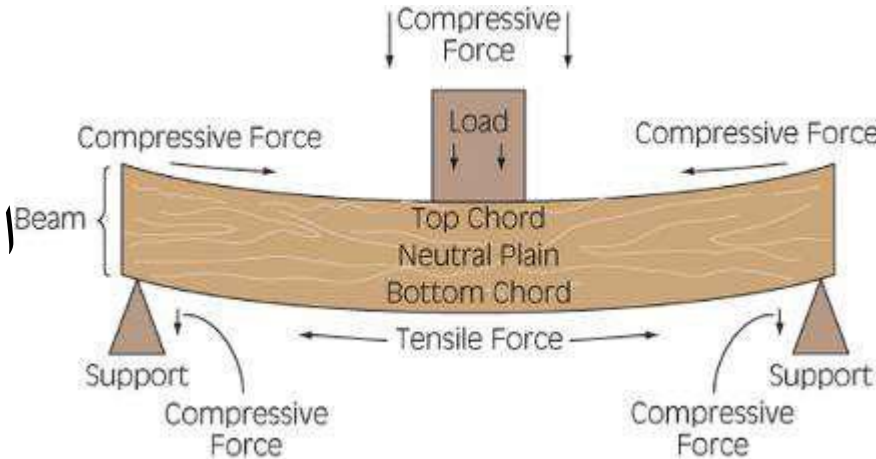
# Structural Elements

- Buildings are an assembly of structural elements designed to transfer loads to the earth Can be defined simply as:
- Beams
- Columns
- Walls
- Connections



# الكمرات Beams

- Transfers loads perpendicular to its length
- Types of beams:
  - – Simple beam البسيطة
  - – Continuous beam المستمرة
  - – Cantilever beam الكابولي
  - – Lintel العتب
  - – Girder كمرات بالمنشآت الكبيرة
  - – Joist العوارض
  - – Truss جمالون



# الاعمدة Columns

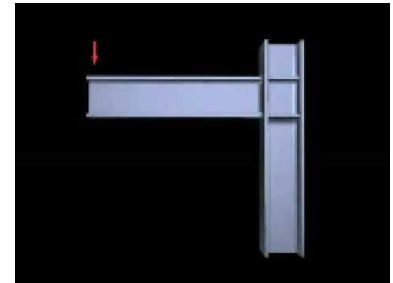
- Any structural component that transmits a compressive force
- parallel through its center
- Typically support beams and other columns
- Generally vertical supports of building
- Can be vertical, horizontal, or diagonal

# Walls الحوائط

- Really long, but slender
  - Two categories:
    - Load-bearing walls
      - \* Carries weight of beams, other walls, floors, roofs, other structural elements
      - \* Also carries weight of the wall itself
    - Non-load-bearing walls
- Need only support its own weight

# Connections

- Weak link as it relates to structural failure during fires  
وتكون جزء ضعيف في المنشأ يعرضه للانهييار عند حدوث الحرائق
- Often small, low-mass material that lacks capacity to absorb heat
- Three categories:
  - – Pinned
  - – Rigid
  - – Gravity



# Basic building components



## SUPER STURCTURE

Plinth  
Walls and columns  
Floors  
Beams  
Roofs and slabs  
Lintels and Archers  
Doors and Window  
Chajjas  
Parapet  
Steps and Stairs  
Cupboard and Shelves

عوارض  
حوائط واعمده  
ارضيات  
كمرات  
اسقف وبلاطات  
عقود واعتاب  
نوافذ وابواب  
مظلات بارزة  
الدرابي  
الدرج والسلالم  
الأرفف والخزن الحائطية

## Substructure

الاساسات

Foundation

# Identify construction materials

- Many factors determine which material is used to form structural elements:
  - – Cost
  - – Application
  - – Engineering capabilities خصائصها الهندسية
  - – Adaptability تكيفها مع الاستخدام المطلوب
- Each material reacts to fire in a different way

# Wood



- من اكثر المواد شيوعا في الاستخدام لها تاريخ طويل
- رخيص نسبيا
- مورد متجدد فهو مادة بيئية بالدرجة الاولى
- الاخشاب الجيدة القوية تحتفظ بوظائفه الحاملة اثناء الحرائق
- يجب ان تكون خالية من العقد والالتواء لتصلح كمادة انشاء
- توجد انواع مختلفة بكثافة متنوعة وتستخدم في اغراض متعددة

# Steel

- هو خليط من خام الحديد والكربون
  - ممتاز في تحمل احمال الشد وقد يتحمل الضغط والقص
  - تقل مقاومته مع ارتفاع درجة الحراري
  - يسمح ارتفاعات عالية وطوال كبيرة للعناصر الانشائية والبحور
  - يستخدم بكثرة
- – Girders
  - – Lintels
  - – Cantilevered beams
  - – Columns





# Concrete

- Mixture of **portland** cement, **sand**, **gravel**, and **water**
- Excellent compressive strength
- All concrete contains some moisture
- Under heat, moisture expands and causes concrete to **crack** and **spall**
- Concrete can stay hot long after the fire is out



# Masonry

- Common term that refers to **brick**, **concrete block**, and **stone**
- Used to form load-bearing walls
- Veneer wall supports its own weight
- **Mortar** holds units together and have little or no tensile or shear strength
- Excellent fire-resistive qualities



# Cement

- Mixture of calcium silicates and aluminum silicates and aluminum ferrite
- It is give good compressive strength
- It have good **setting time**  
زمن الشك
- We use as **binding** material



Thanks see you next week