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## Fault detection for recycled rubber and glass material implementation via digital image processing

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### Abstract

The study exhibits to understand the cracks generation and propagation inside the material as a source of the identification. The research is based primarily on the assessment of deflection, tension, and fracture propagation in structures through digital image processing (DIP) and its correlation. The DIP is a non-destructive assessment technique to capture microstructure pictures and loading in various loading scenarios. In order to monitor features and assign their position to a defined coordinate system, photogrammetry concepts are applied. The generated displacement data represents the typical movement present concerning the initial location in the centre of the tiny sub-images employed in the analysis. Aerial or satellite photos collected before and after the earthquake may currently be analyzed in techniques to deduce co-seismic terrain malformations with sub-pixel correlation. Due to the intrinsic diversity of natural faults and deformations, the interpretation of this data is not straightforward. The study of the correlation with either program clearly shows the relative shifts, the friction interface, the rupture arrest on the border, and wing fractures. The observations of displacement collected are transformed into strains using non-local denoising algorithms. This work is the first step in combining the digital picture association approach with high-speed photography to record transient dynamic rupture events. For measuring surface movement and tension in concrete, the DIP technology and the MATLAB® Program tracking have been employed.

**Keywords:** Structural health monitoring, Fault detection, Crack propagation; Digital image process, Frictional interface, Damage assessment

### 1. Introduction

Many researchers have discovered systematic visual data analysis methods over the past several years to efficiently and effectively execute the microstructural photographs of the various materials. The DIP gives a contemporary technique to process the microscopic optical structure, microscope electron structure scanning, and surface morphology of electron propagation. The basic idea of this paper is to find the crack

propagation of concrete structures using different waste materials (such as crumb rubber and glass materials) and deformation of the structures (such as deflections, strain, etc.) in a different direction. Determining the presence, location, and geometry (e.g., length and width) of cracks in a concrete structure is critical to assess its overall health and performance. Concrete surface cracks are usually caused by various mechanisms, e.g., shrinkage and creep, excessive stress, corrosion of reinforcement bars, and severe loading events such as

earthquakes. The presence of cracks provides a phenomenological indication of the stress undergone inside the structures [1]. The manual examination performed by skilled individuals is now being performed to examine a surface crack [2]. The physical examination of surface cracks depends on the inspector's skills and expertise, takes a long time, is labor demanding, and is entirely subjective. In addition, a manual examination may, because of the size of the structural parts [3]. Because of these disadvantages, contemporary research in crack detection primarily focuses on automated crack evaluation approaches [4]. A fracture imager, a digital camera, and a mobile smartphone can provide for digital picture purchases. The popular smartphone's hardware capability has satisfied digital picture acquisition and specific crack calculating. In addition, smartphones can send the outcomes of specific crises in time to board members in the engineering industry [5][6]. Cracking the surface layer can be remotely captured by the operators through cameras and DIP methods to acquire crack data. The literature has recorded a large number of suggested applications in the previous two decades. The concept of sustainable design has recently arisen as an essential characteristic of all designs of engineering. The definition of adaptive reuse results in intelligent, optimal, and dependable systems [14]. The study aimed to provide structural integrity surveillance as a tool to develop a viable engineering system and study the development of intelligent structural health monitoring systems employing materials of intelligent technology. Several components of the standard concept of image correlation are presented, which is intended to contribute to this aim. Some of such areas include intelligent systems, intelligent materials, wireless sensor networks, and the conservation of ancient cultural resources [15]. The topic of preserving patrimonial structures using SHM techniques is addressed. It examines the optimal use of sensor networks which would make the SHM system optimal. [8-15].

### 1.1 Applications

In the last two decades, health monitoring and research have attracted increasing attention [3]. Health monitoring, by definition, covers four essential tasks: damage detection, location of damage, severity assessment, and life expectancy

predictions for structural systems [16]. All current research activities concentrate on the first two tasks, i.e., damage identification [17] and localization [18]. The early projects of custom firmware and partner companies reinforce DIP's pledge to enhance the technology further. To spread it to other areas and establish new degrees of precision to grow the technology into a generally utilized approach of low-cost precise measurement, which brings significant benefits to industry and the assessment community alike [19]. Structural health surveillance systems use intelligent materials to construct their sensor networks or intelligent technology for their diagnostic and inferential systems [20]. Because of the broad concept of sustainable design previously established, such an intelligent health surveillance system would contribute to a more robust engineering system connected with any particular foundation components. DIP can analyze the buildings and bridges in terms of maximum stress generated at a specific location as this method depends on the MATLAB<sup>®</sup> software. Hence, the limitations of the software for analysis of the image are there in this method. Similarly, the image quality needs to be high for proper strain analysis, which further leads to stress. Even a minor disturbance in the position of the camera can result in absurd values of strain.[21-25].

### 1.2 Replacement of fine aggregates with rubber waste

The scientific community has lately received considerable attention from solid waste management. The collected waste tires have become an issue of interest from numerous solid wastes since their nature is non-biodegradable. Most waste tire rubber is fuel in several sectors, such as thermal power stations, cement kilns, brick kilns, etc. The significance understands the feasibility and acceptability of concrete, which contains the percentage of aggregates as tire rubber. Enhance the feasibility of maximum utilization of crumb rubber in the production of regular strength concrete, typically 25MPa concrete which can be efficiently used for building components of a two-storied building. The design Mix of concrete using rubber aggregate will enable to determine optimum replacement ratio of rubber aggregate in concrete, which will help reduce the consumption of conventional materials. [26-31].

### 1.3 Replacement of fine aggregates with glass waste

The difficulty of sewage in many communities is quasi waste glass. Most of the non-recyclable glass has still to be deposited. As the glass is not biologically degradable, waste disposal is not an environmentally favorable approach [5]. As a result, waste glasses must be used quite strongly. Traditionally, the bottling sector has been responsible for most non-recyclable color shattered glass [6]. With rigorous compliance with the legislation on atmosphere and the rising usage of fluorescent energy conservation lighting systems, it is predicted to amass more quasi waste glass from the recycling company [3].

### 2. Experimental program

The research programme comprised of evaluating crumb rubber, glass, conventional (coarse and fine) compounds and fresh and hardened concrete qualities.

**Table 1. Properties of fine aggregates**

Assets	Fine aggregate
Specific Gravity	2.82
Fineness Modulus	3.01
Moisture Content	2.92
Loose Bulk Density	1.83 kg/lit
Water Absorption	3.92%
Material finer than 75µ	1.95%

**Table 2. Properties of coarse aggregates**

Assets	Coarse aggregate
Specific Gravity	2.71
Flakiness & Elongation Index	13.9% & 32.88%
Loose Bulk Density	1.41 kg/lit
Water Absorption	1.05%
Impact Value	14.18%
Crushing Value	21.06%

Testing of 100x100x100 mm cubes to determine the compressive force of concrete as defined by BIS: 516-1959 [27]. The concrete samples were produced and tested in accordance with the BIS criteria. The properties of coarse and fine aggregate are given in Table 1 & Table 2 and proportion crumb rubber and glass waste shows in Table 3. The compression load rate was 140 kg/cm<sup>2</sup>/min on these cubes. Utilizing three 100x100x500 mm examples of each concrete mix after 28 days of curing the four-point loading system was utilized to test bending strength on UTM. The beam load rates were 180 kg/cm<sup>2</sup>/min

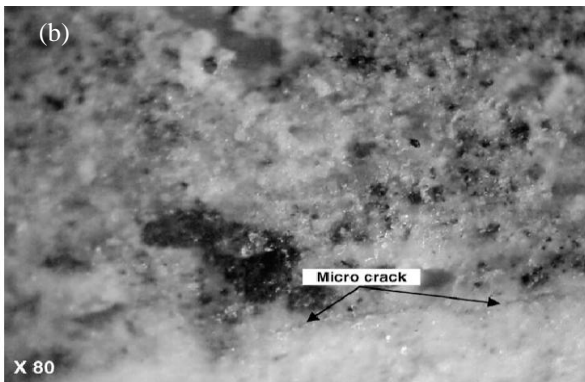
**Table 3. Proportions of materials (for crumb rubber replacement)**

Designation	Cement	Fine aggregate	Coarse aggregate	Crumb rubber by weight (%)	Admixture (%) by weight of cement	Compaction factor
CR0	1	2.11	2.92	0	1.5	0.91
CR4	1	2.03	2.92	4	2	0.9
CR5	1	2.00	2.92	5	2.2	0.92

### 2.1 The Process of DIP

Image data concordance is a computer-based approach for obtaining 2-D full-field data by capturing the deformation and mobility of speckle patterns before and after body contraction on the sample surface. It is used to determine the displacement and fracture propagation of materials by applied stresses, which alter the surface roughness and optical characteristics of materials. In this respect, a digital camera is a crucial instrument. Image storage is termed recombination in pixel and conjunction of the pixel. The sensor is a range of luminous semiconductors known as pixels.



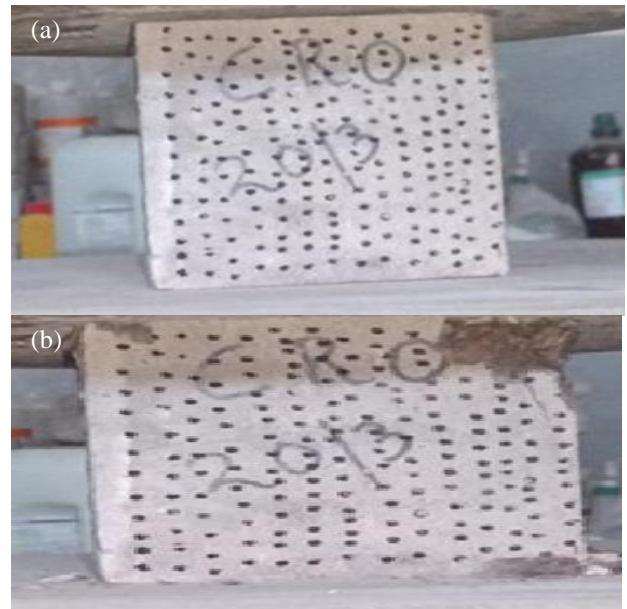


**Fig. 1. (a) Compression load; (b). Micro crack in the structure under the load**

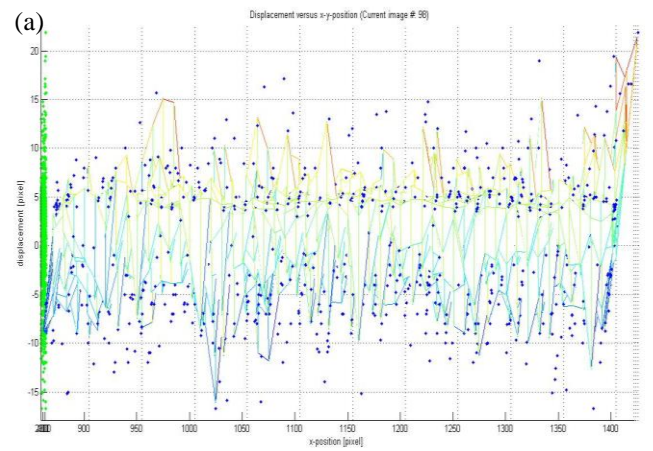
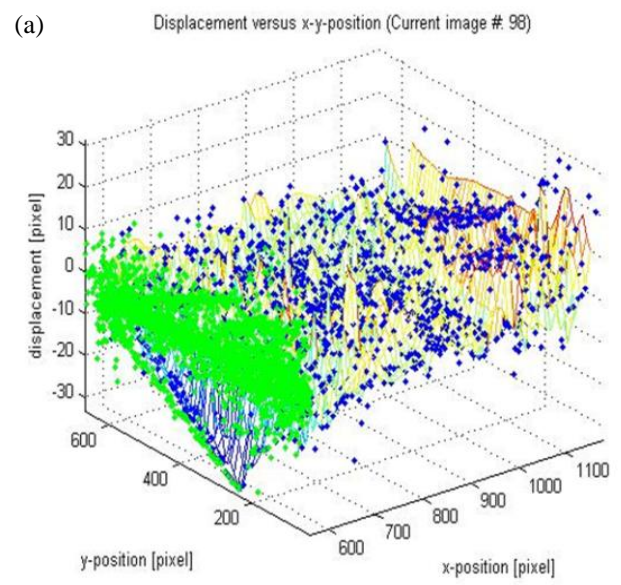
The characteristic of stress concentration may result in cracks generated by external stimulation on a material that possesses flaws. The stress concentration behavior generates local buckling, which damages the material's members. Therefore, research needs to discover strategies to control the strain fluctuation of a broken part. The old technology can only assess a region's average strain[22]. Unable to establish the strain variance inside this location. Therefore, the mechanical behavior around the crack cannot be adequately reflected. The newly created digital image association approach is an imaging method for assessing the distortion of objects[14]. This methodology may correlate an object's digital photographs before and after distortion and further determine the object's displacement and pressure fields based on the respective position on the picture.

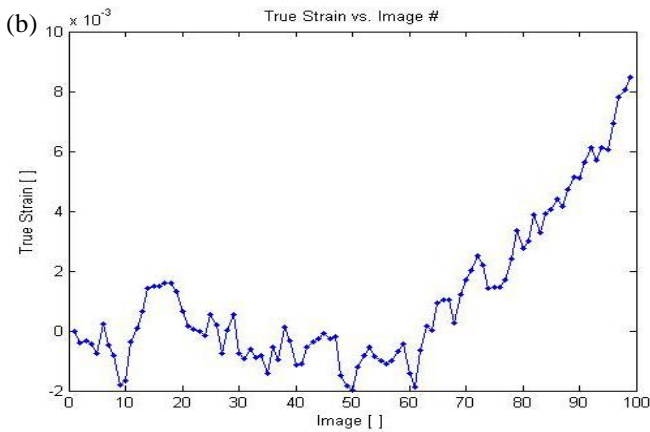
**3. Results**

Gradually increasing load generates cracks in cubes. The microstructure of specimen surface showing cracks in above Fig. 2(a). The DIP method was utilized to measure the 2D surface shifts and strain of a concrete cube. On the specimen surface, the speckle pattern was developed for DIP. During the exam, specific selective photographs were obtained, and the mathematics tool was used. Few photos were selected for DIP analysis from the photos collected during loading and unloading. For correlation, a square grid design was taken into account. Using the strain obtained from DIP, stress acting on the concrete cube was calculated using a reduction factor of 5. The reduction factor depends upon the grid size used during the process. From Fig. 3(b) maximum strain obtained is  $8 \times 10^{-3}$ . It indicates that the predicted value (DIP) is approximately equal to the observed value.

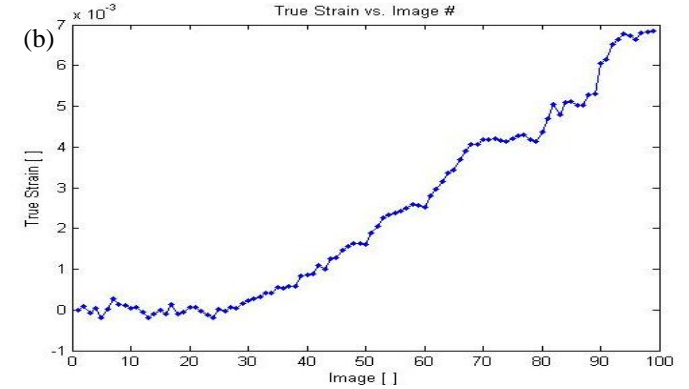
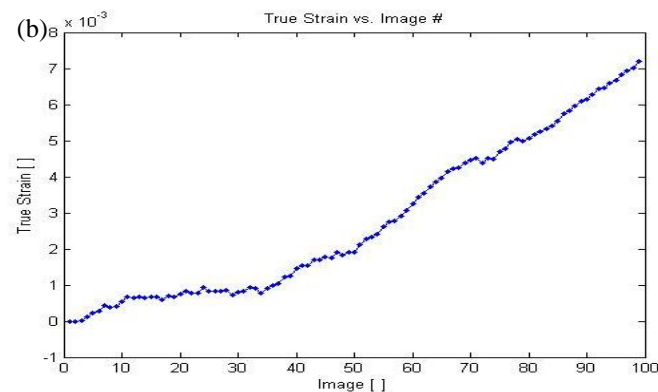
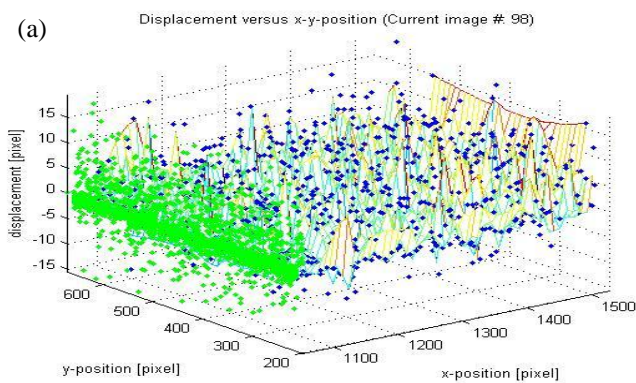
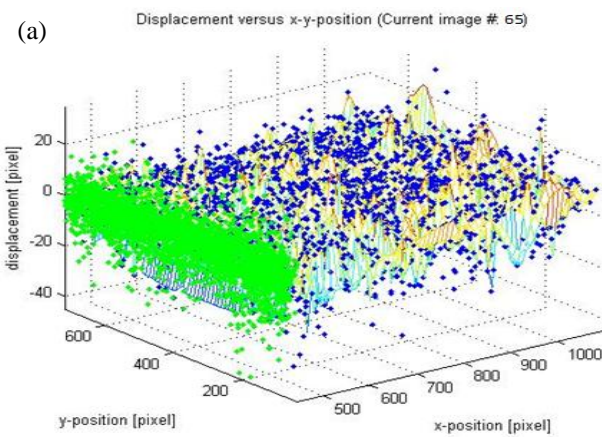


**Fig. 2. Speckle pattern marked cube (a) without applying any load; (b) with ultimate loading**





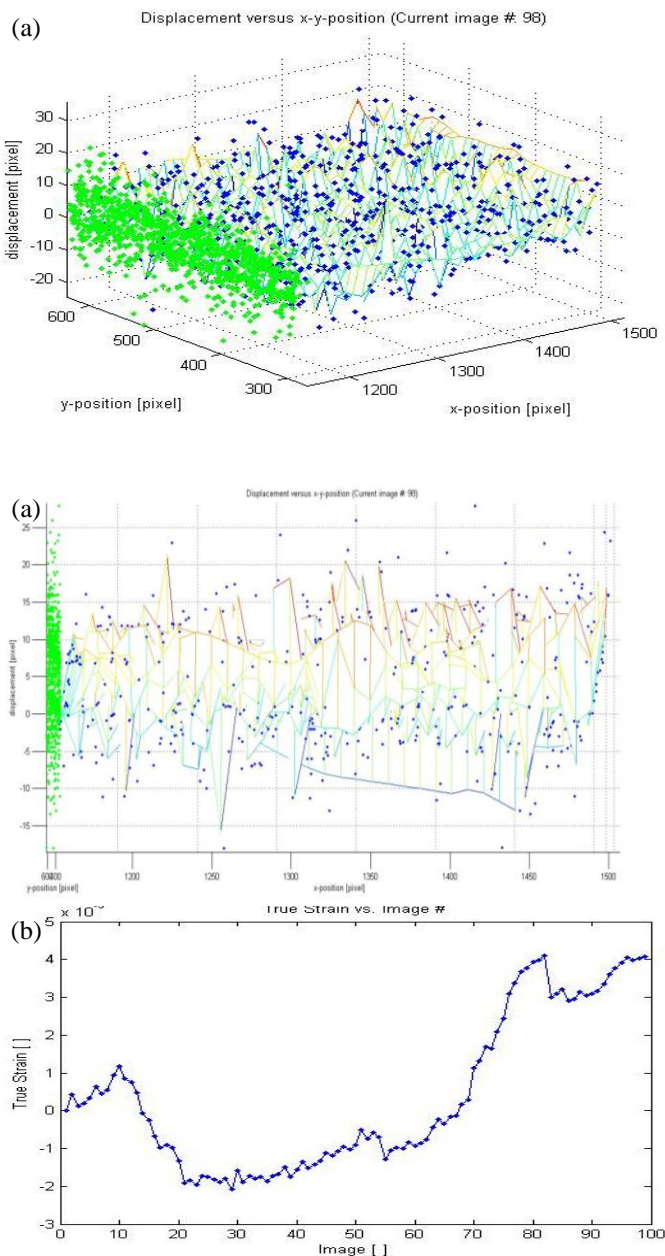
**Fig. 3. (a). 3D surface displacements diagram for control mix cube; (b) True strain v/s images graph for control cube**



**Fig. 4. (a) Displacement plot for the cube with 4% rubber, (b) True strain v/s images graph for the cube with 4% rubber**

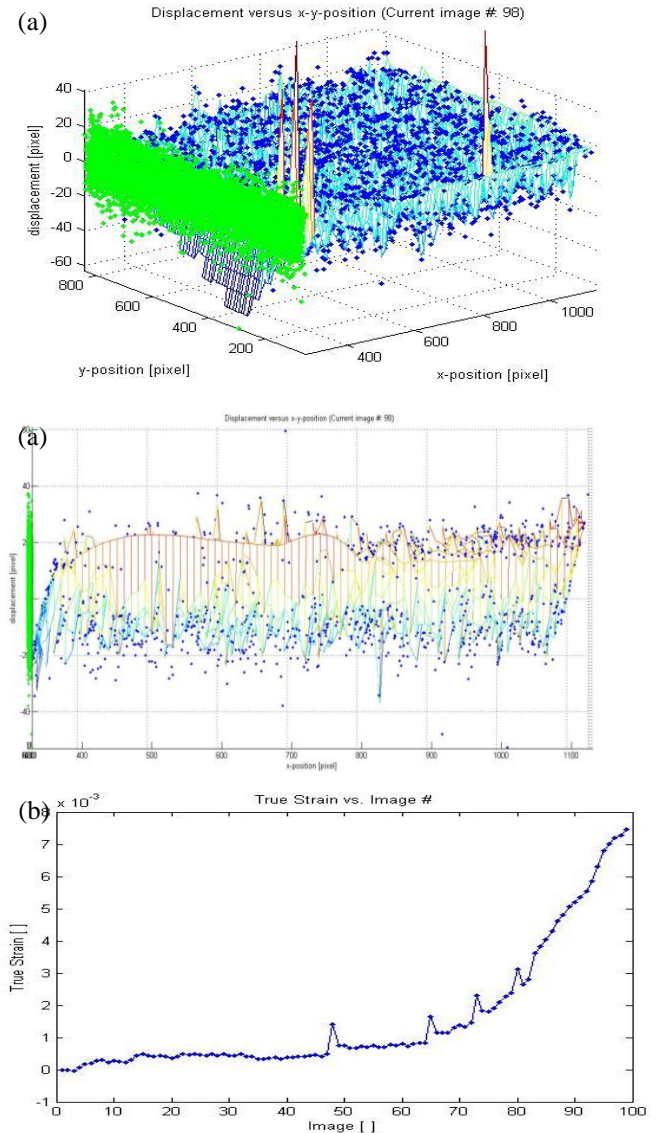
The fine aggregates in the concrete cube are replaced by waste material as crumb rubber by 4% (by weight). It presents a sample with a crack generation. Few pictures are depicted in the photographs obtained during loading and unloading. A grid layout for correlation was considered. Fig. 4(a) shows surface displacement, and Fig. 4(b) shows strain plots at different stages of loading. From Fig. 4(b) maximum strain obtained is  $7.1 \times 10^{-3}$ . The displacement to strain and strain to stress acting on the concrete cube was calculated using a reduction factor of 5. The reduction factor depends upon the grid size used during the process. This shows that the forecast value (DIP) is approximately equal to the experimental value. On concrete cube specimens, the DIP test was conducted. This staged process growing stress contributed to the creation of cracks in cubes. The measurement of 2D surface deformations and strain for a cube specimen is done using optical technology (DIP technology). On the specimen surface, the speckle pattern was developed for DIP. During the exam, specific selective photographs were obtained, and the mathematics tool was used. Few photos were selected for DIP analysis from the photos collected during loading and unloading. The fine aggregates in the concrete cube are replaced by waste material as crumb rubber by 5% (by weight) out of the images taken during loading and unloading. The maximum strain obtained  $6.9 \times 10^{-3}$ . Using the strain obtained from DIP, stress acting on the concrete cube was calculated using a reduction factor of 5. The reduction factor depends upon the grid size used during the process. The fine aggregates in the concrete cube are replaced by waste material as glass by 18% (by weight), out of the images taken during loading and unloading. A square grid

pattern has been considered for correlation. Fig. 5(a) shows surface displacement and Fig. 5(b) strain plots at different stages of loading. The maximum strain obtained is  $4 \times 10^{-3}$ . Using the strain obtained from DIP, stress acting on the concrete cube was calculated using a reduction factor of 5. The reduction factor depends upon the grid size used during the process. The loading process constructs many small fractures on the top surface, contributing to the rapid penetration of chloride through fractures. The remarkable non-linear correlation from the fibre content to the limit load was detected.



**Fig. 5. (a). Displacement plot for the cube with 18% glass; (b) True strain v/s images graph for the cube with 18% glass**

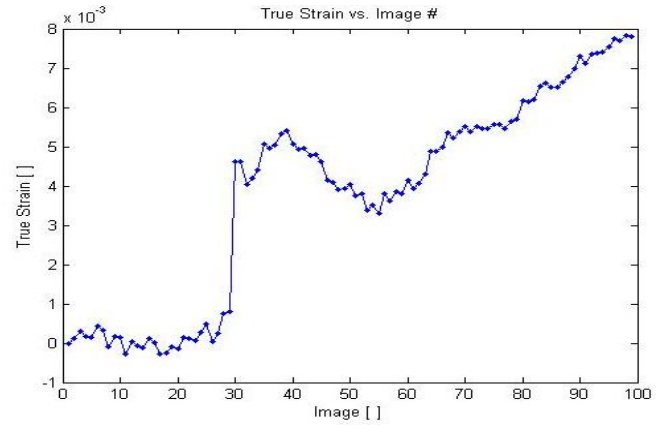
The fine aggregates in the concrete cube are replaced by waste material as glass by 19% (by weight). The images were taken during loading and unloading, some of the images. A square grid pattern has been considered for correlation. Fig. 6(a) shows surface displacement, and Fig. 6(b) shows strain plots at different stages of loading. The propagation of the crack with the increase in loading. The maximum strain obtained is  $7.2 \times 10^{-3}$ . Using the strain obtained from DIP, stress acting on the concrete cube was calculated using a reduction factor of 5. The reduction factor depends upon the grid size used during the process.



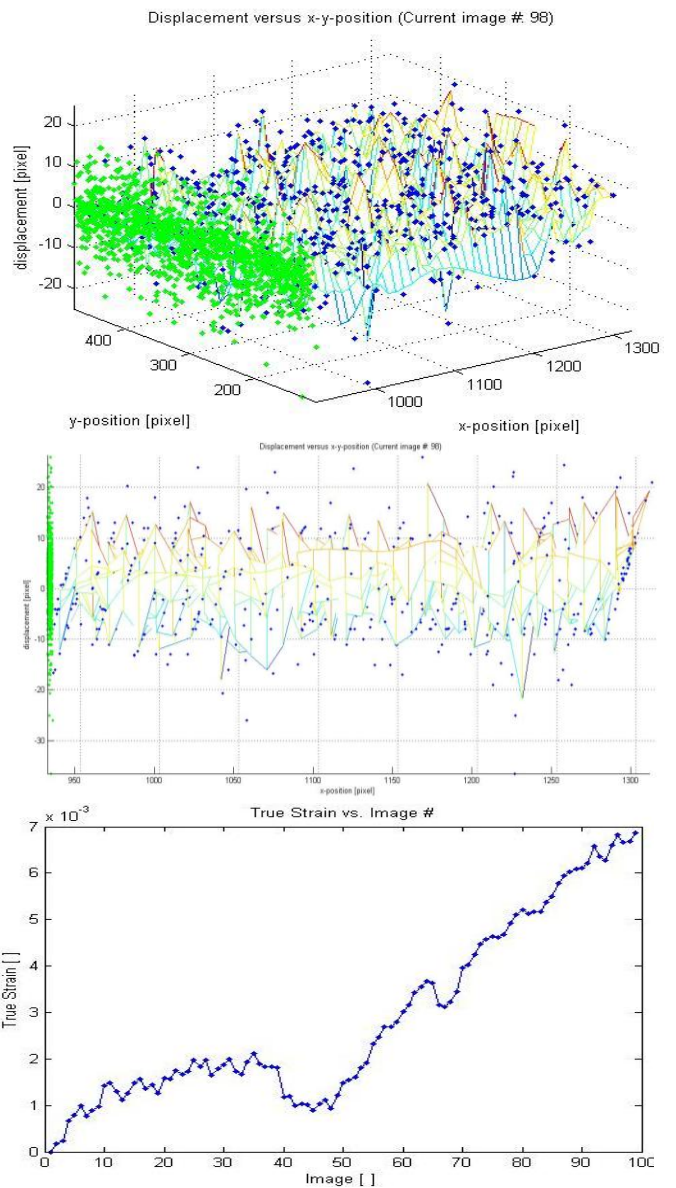
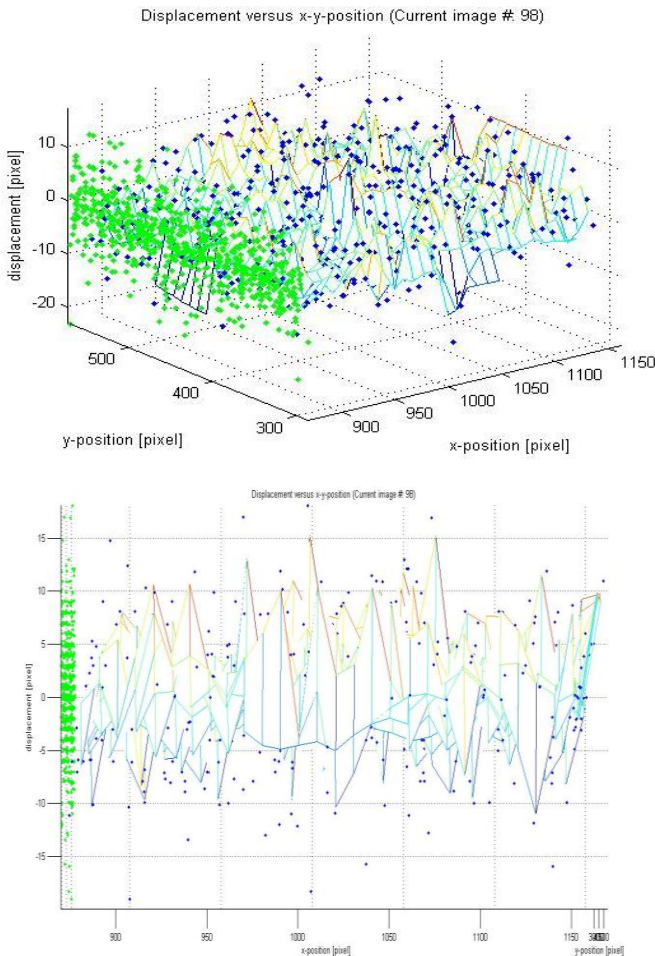
**Fig. 6. (a) 3D surface displacements plot for the cube with 19% glass; (b) True strain v/s image graph for the cube with 19% glass**

The fine aggregates in the concrete cube are replaced by waste material as glass by 20% (by weight). Out of the images taken during loading

and unloading, as square grid pattern has been considered for correlation. Fig. 7(a) shows surface displacement, and Fig. 7(b) shows strain plots at different stages of loading. Fig. 7(b) maximum strain obtained is  $7.9 \times 10^{-3}$ , the strain obtained from DIP, stress acting on concrete cube was calculated using reduction factor of 5. The fine aggregates in the concrete cube are replaced by waste material as glass by 21% (by weight). A square grid pattern has been considered for correlation. Fig. 8(a) shows surface displacement, and Fig. 8(b) shows strain plots at different stages of loading. The propagation of the crack with the increase and maximum strain obtained is  $6.9 \times 10^{-3}$ . Using the strain obtained from DIP, stress acting on the concrete cube was calculated using a reduction factor of 5. The reduction factor depends upon the grid size used during the process. With the addition of 19% of glass waste used in concrete, its durability enhanced. The load value at the end of the test may be a quantifiable metric. The remarkable non-linear correlation from the fibre content to the limit load may be detected.



**Fig. 7. (a) Displacement plot for the cube with 20% glass; (b). True strain v/s images graph for the cube with 20% glass**



**Fig. 8. (a). Displacement plot for the cube with 21% glass; (b) True strain v/s images graph for the cube with 21% glass**

## Conclusions

The fundamental ideas of the digital image monitoring of structural health were developed and explored in this study. This study demonstrates the resolution and use of the DIP methods. The results reveal how to fracture during loading propagation from one location to another. The self-developed technology, stresses, and strains can be calculated, and the variance in the concrete constructions can be estimated through the non-destructive test. Essential research for investigating the earthquake resistance of the constructions of masonry is the detection of cracks in buildings. The structure inspection and documentation of results have traditionally been performed manually. The procedures take much time, and occasionally the outcomes are incorrect. The digital picture correlation approach is therefore created to determine the propagation of strain and crack. The approach for inspection of the total displacement and fracture field is non-destructive.

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