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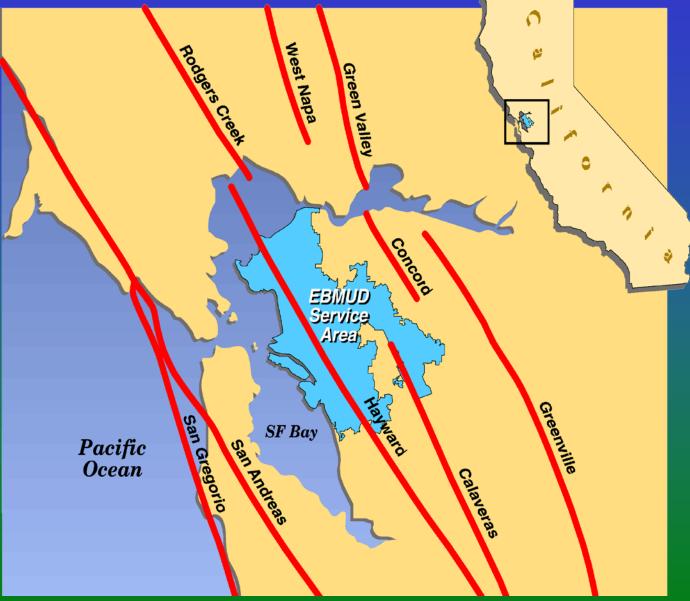
Seismic Response of San Pablo Reservoir Drain Intake

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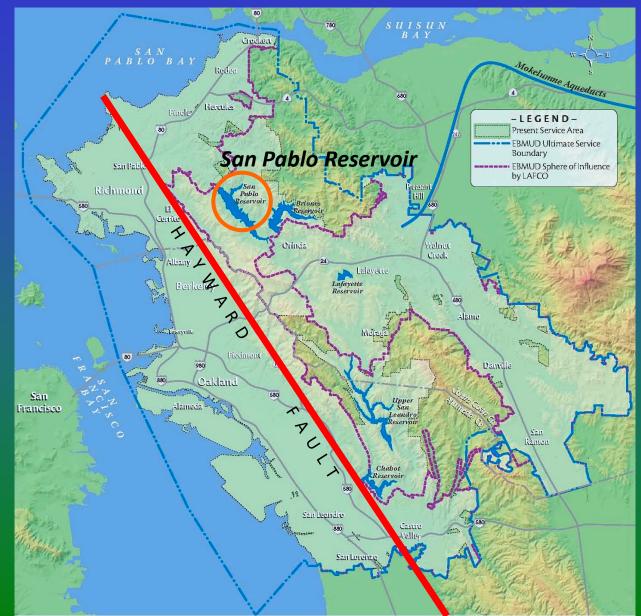












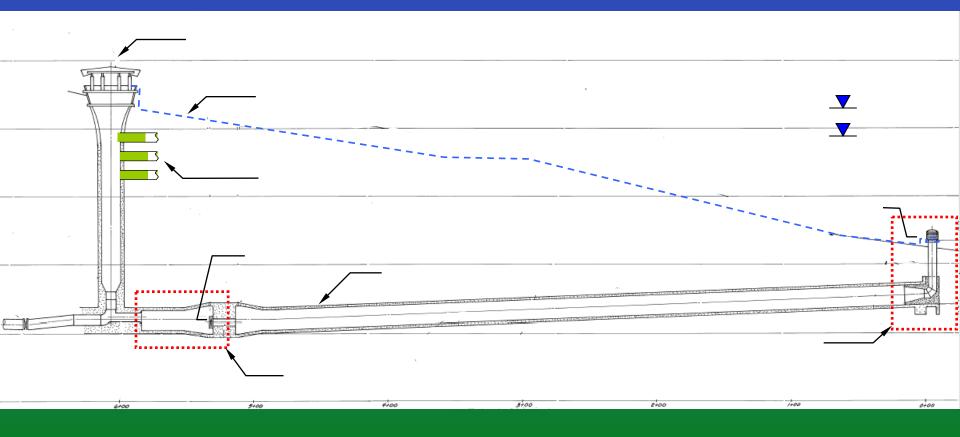




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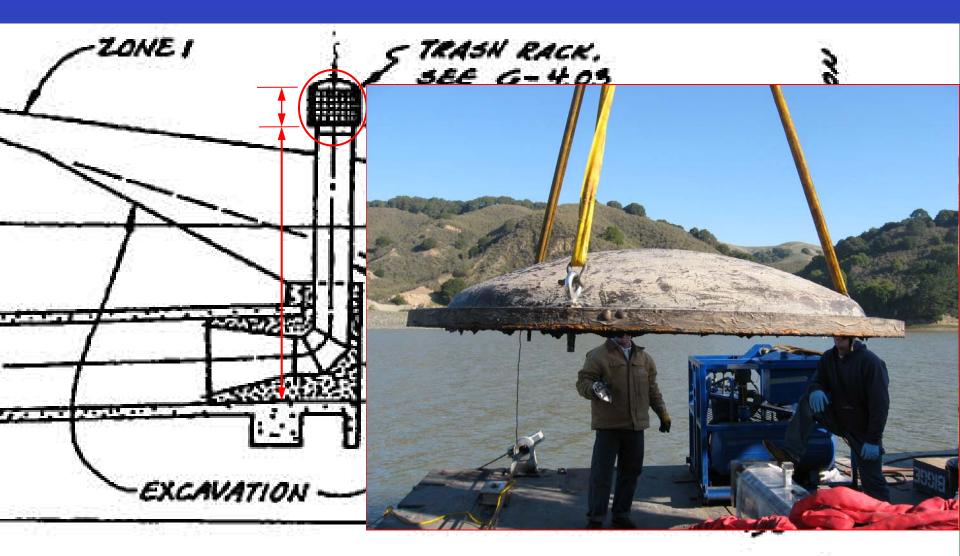












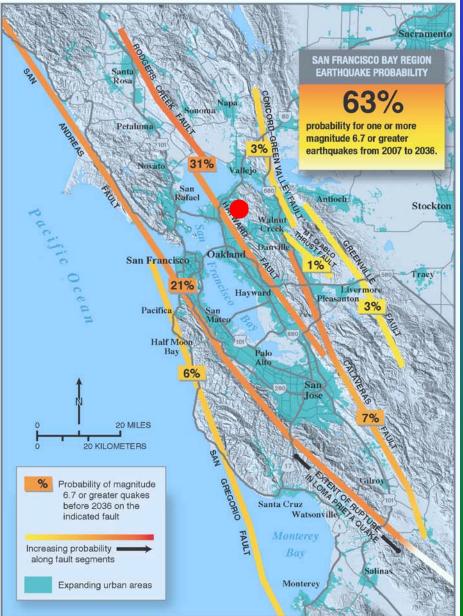




- \$60 million San Pablo Reservoir Seismic Upgrade Project required a functional valve for emergency drain.
- Existing 60-inch butterfly valve failed. A new valve was needed.
- Options were considered for new valve type and size
- Seismic analysis and structural design were performed for various options.

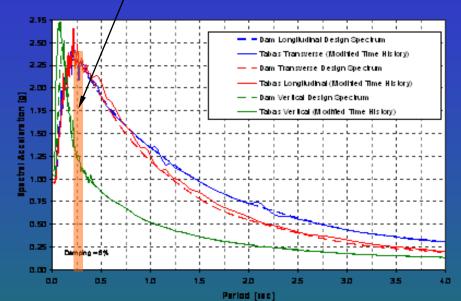
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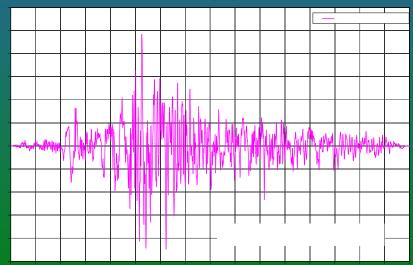


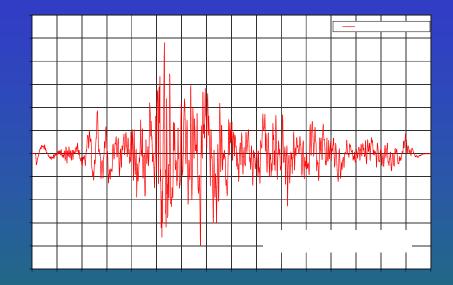


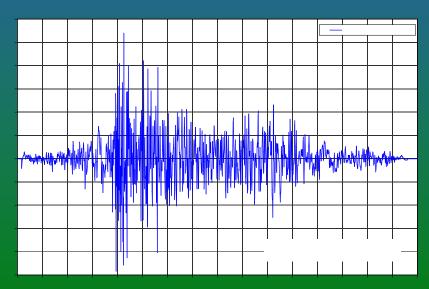
















Valve type (butterfly/knife gate)

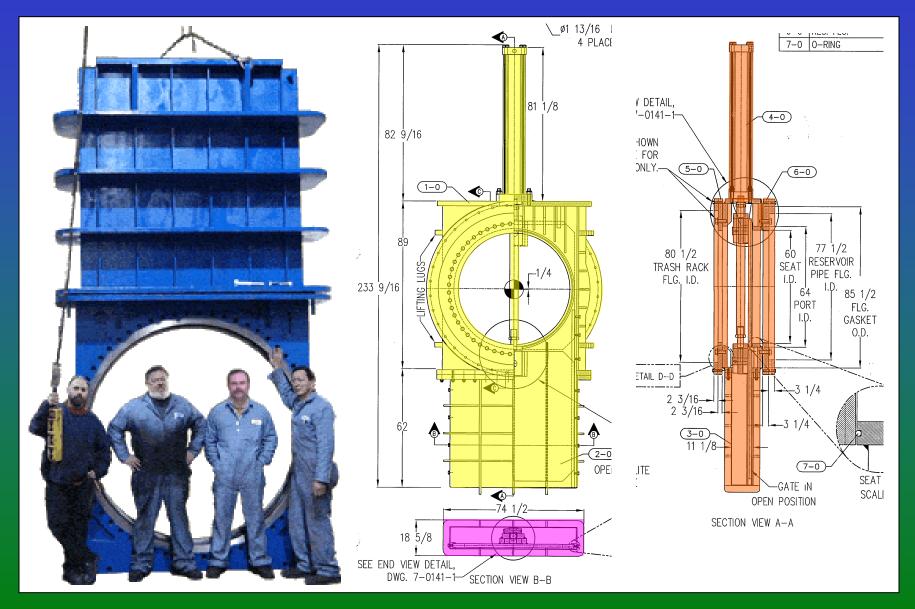
Valve size (78-inch/60-inch)

• Analysis cases

- 60-inch butterfly valve with reducers and no eccentricity; total weight = 35 kips
- 78-inch knife gate with eccentric loading due to hydraulic cylinder, valve leaf and bonnet; total weight = 55 kips

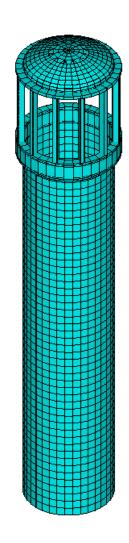


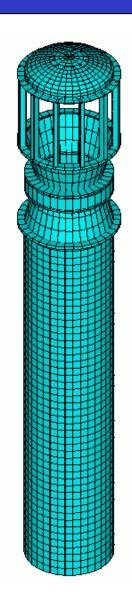




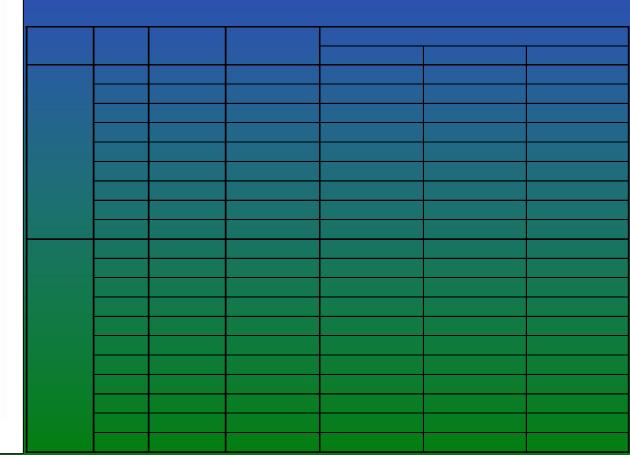






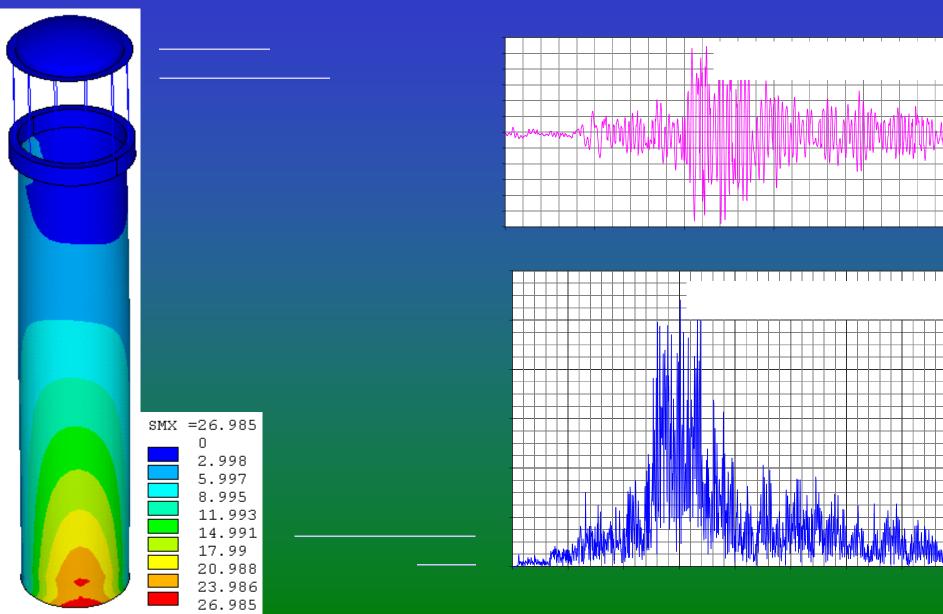


- Fundamental Mode: 0.22 seconds
- Secondary Mode: 0.06 seconds



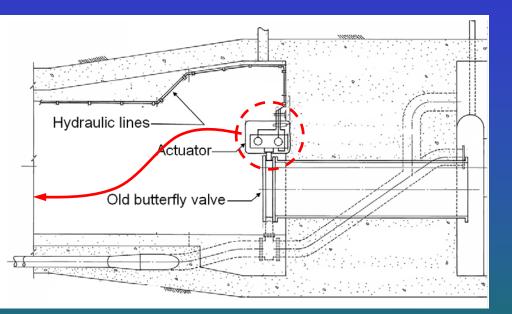


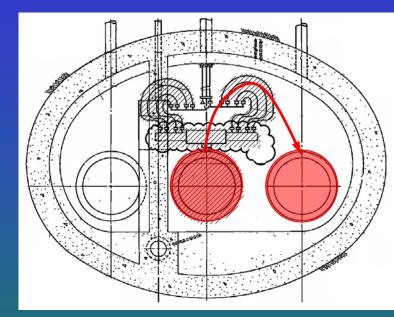




















• <u>Removal of malfunctioned valve</u>

Replacement of new knife-gate





Questions













































