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Consequence Assessment on Harmonized CSR (April version) from Chinese Shipbuilding Industry

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Common Structural Rules for

Bulk Carriers and Oil Tankers



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• CSR-H Status:

- 2 periods of Industry external
 review have been finished
- Still some issues to be revised
- CSR-H Schedule:
 - Class TC review from 1 Nov 2013
 to 15 Dec 2013
 - IACS Adoption at the end of 2013
 - Release Rules on 1 Feb 2014



- Basic principles for CSR harmonization
 - At the adoption of the original Rules (CSR), to harmonize them based on a consistent methodology
 - Will be in compliance with the IMO Goal Based Standards where GBS Functional Requirements fall within the scope of CSR-H
 - The level of the harmonized Rule criteria in relation to the current CSR will be equivalent to or higher than the current CSR criteria. The scantlings will be used as a proxy for level of structural safety.



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BASIC PRINCIPLES FOR CSR MAINTENANCE AND HARMONIZATION

A Background

1 The IACS goal which led to the development of the Common Structural Rules (CSR) for Oil Tankers and Bulk Carriers (hereinafter called the Rules) was to develop common minimum structural requirements for the design and construction of robust ships, based on transparent methods, supported by published technical background documents and providing a rational link between the requirements for new buildings and ships in service.

2 IACS intends that the Rules be maintained and updated taking into account experience of application, feedback from service, research and technical development, in order to be recognized by the international community as the principal reference for the minimum structural requirements for oil tankers and bulk carriers.

B Maintenance of the Rules

1 To manage the maintenance of the Rules, IACS has put in place an organization and process to answer questions and to provide common interpretations. Teams were also put in place to develop benchmark data to assist with verification of software and rule interpretation.

2 To maintain the originally intended level of structural safety provided by the Rule criteria, IACS has adhered and will continue to adhere to the following Rule maintenance principles:

2.1 Editorial corrections and Common Interpretations will not result in any change to the required scantlings in relation to the original intention of the relevant Rule.

2.2 Rule changes will result in an improvement or enhancement of the Rules, reflecting a genuine advancement of knowledge, a reflection of operating experience, new technology, advances in design technology or harmonization with other relevant requirements.

2.3 Rule changes will be fully evaluated to determine the consequences on a representative range of ships. Common Interpretations will similarly be evaluated to confirm that they will not result in changes to the required scantlings as mentioned in 1 above.



Introduction – CA by CANSI

	L _{BP}	В	D	T _s	DWT
VLCC	320	60	30.5	22.5	320K
Suezmax	264	48	24	17.5	160K
Aframax	234	42	21.6	15.45	110K
Panamax	220	32.26	21.2	14.7	76K
MR	176	32.2	18.6	12.4	48K
Capesize1	294	50	24.9	18.4	206K
Capesize2	285	46	24.8	18.1	180K
Baby Cape	254	43	20.3	14.5	118K
Post Panamax	221	36.8	19.9	14.2	87K
Panamax	225.1	32.26	20.2	14.45	82K
Handymax1	185	32.26	18	12.8	57K
Handymax2	172	30	14.7	10.1	35K



Introduction

Consequence Assessment for Oil Tankers

> 320K VLCC

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Local Min T
Local Pres.
HG Buckling
Fatigue

VLCC – Midship: Prescriptive Requirement







VLCC – Midship: FEM yielding





VLCC – Midship: FEM buckling











VLCC – Foremost CT: Prescriptive





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VLCC – Foremost CT: FEM buckling





VLCC – Aftmost CT: Prescriptive



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VLCC – Aftmost CT: FEM yielding





VLCC – Aftmost CT: FEM buckling





VLCC – Other Parts: Prescriptive



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- Sheer strake, stringer plating in DH and shell plating in machinery space and aft are increased due to higher Rule Min. thickness.
- Boundaries of cargo tanks is 0.5~1.0mm increased for plating and about 10% increased for section modulus of stiffeners due to increased local pressure.
- Buckling utilization factor for stiffeners in upper deck and below 0.1D from deck is increased due to prescriptive buckling requirement.
- For midship area, FE yielding is of less impact except for PSM, while FE buckling will induce increasing for some structural members.
- For foremost and aftmost cargo tank, FE yielding is dominant for some local area, while FE buckling will induce much increasing.



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	Local Min T
Steel Coils	Local Pres.
Local GRAB	HG Buckling
Pres. Buckling	Fatigue



Panamax BC - Midship: Empty hold





Panamax BC - Midship: FE Buckling

Outer shell (buckling)



Empty C.H

Side Shell (Buckling)



Empty C.H



Panamax BC - Midship: Loaded hold



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Panamax BC - Midship: FE Buckling

Outer shell (buckling)



Side Shell (Buckling)



Loaded C.H

Loaded C.H

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Panamax BC - Foremost: Prescriptive



Grab notation is GRAB[20] by CSR-BC



Panamax BC - Foremost: FE yielding





Panamax BC - Foremost: FE buckling



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Panamax BC - Aftmost: Prescriptive



Grab notation is GRAB[20] by CSR-BC



Panamax BC - Aftmost: FE yielding



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Panamax BC - Aftmost: FE buckling 1



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Panamax BC - Aftmost: FE buckling 2





Panamax BC – Fore/Aft end: Prescriptive

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For stiffeners, no change compared with CSR.



Panamax BC – Machinery Space: Prescriptive





- Harbour design load scenario would impact hull girder ultimate strength and some local structural members.
- GRAB requirement for IB, Hopper and lower stool plate is dominant, especially for empty hold due to higher grab weight, and will induce 0.5~2.5mm increase.
- Buckling utilization factor for stiffeners in topside slop plate below
 0.1D from deck is increased due to prescriptive buckling requirement.
- Although revised and improved in the 2nd draft version of CSR-H,
 - Fatigue of the longitudinals on strength deck and within 0.1D below deck at side is still a big problem for bulk carriers;
 - Side shell buckling for Panamax is still a big problem for midship area.
- For aftmost cargo hold, FE yielding is dominant for some local area, while FE buckling will induce much increasing.



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Technical issues on CSR-H

- Weight Increase
- > Hull girder ultimate strength
- FEA Foremost cargo hold/tank
- Fatigue issues on:
 - ✓ longitudinal connections

Conclusions

- > Rule Min. thickness requirement
- > Prescriptive buckling of longi.

✓ Hot spot



Weight increase percentage: about 1%~2% within mid cargo region
 based on April version

Size Criteria	VLCC	Suezmax	Aframax	Panamax	MR
Prescriptive requirement	+182	+50	+74	+11	+15
FEA	+38	+45	+31	+41	+26
Total	+220	+95	+105	+52	+41
Percentage	1.2%	0.8%	1.9%	1.0%	1.6%

- The detail dominant criteria:
 - > Min. Rule thickness requirement
 - Local pressure
 - Buckling issue: prescriptive buckling for longitudinals and FE buckling



• Weight increase within mid cargo region **based on April version**

Size C/H	206K	180K	118K	87K	82K	57K	35K
Typ. Empty C/H	+70.1	+90	+27.5	+42	+37	+40.6	+27.5
Typ. Loaded C/H	+53.1	+75	+26.2	+32	+25	+32.6	+16.9
Typ. Ballast C/H	+32.1	+80	+26.2	+39	+33	+32.6	+16.9

- The detail dominant criteria:
 - GRAB: the formula to determine the plate thickness will be modified, heard from 2013 Tripartite Meeting.
 - Harbour condition for hull girder strength and local scantling
 - Side shell buckling
 - Buckling issue: prescriptive buckling for longitudinals and FE buckling
 - Fatigue issue



Rule Min. thickness for OT

Elements	Scantling locations	Areas	CSR-H	CSR-OT	Impact on Oil Tankers and brief explanation		
Min. net thic	kness for plating						
	Keel		7.5+0.03L ₂	6.5+0.03L ₂	0.5~1.0mm ↑ for all OTs with longi. centerline BHD		centerline BHD, such increase is not necessary!
Shell	Bottom/Side	Machinery space/ Aft part	7.0+0.03L ₂	4 5+0 031 -	0.5~2.0mm ↑ except shell plating connected with stern frame	1	Tapering for shell plating: • Hull girder strength
	shell/Bilge	Cargo area	5.5+0.03L ₂	4.5+0.05L2	0.5~1.0mm ↑ for regions outside fender contact zone	ſ	Material?Iongitudinal spacing?
Inner bottom		Cargo area	5.5+0.03L ₂	4.5+0.02L ₂	 ● 0.5mm ↑ for some Suezmax ● If IB plating with HT36, more increasing 		Not reasonable for OTs, especially for IB with HT36
Min. net thic	kness for Primar	y Support Members (P	SM)				
Other bottom	1 girder	Fore part	$0.7L_2^{1/2}$	5.5+0.02L ₂	0.5mm ↑ for local areas		
Bottom floor		Fore part	$0.7 L_2^{1/2}$	5.5+0.02L ₂	0.5mm ↑ for local areas		
Aft peak floo	or		$0.7 L_2^{1/2}$	5.5+0.02L ₂	0.5mm ↑		Necessary?
Web plates of other PSM in double hull		Cargo Area	$0.6L_2^{1/2}$	5.0+0.015L ₂	0.5~1.0mm ↑ for upper part of side trans. and platforms in DH		From 2013 Tripartite
		Aft part/Fore part	$0.7 L_2^{1/2}$	6.5+0.015L ₂	0.5~1.0mm ↑		thickness requirement for
Web and flanges of other PSM		Elsewhere	$0.6L_2^{1/2}$	5.5+0.015L ₂	 Only for VLCC: 0.5mm ↑ for deck trans. and upper part of vert. trans. in C.O.T. 0.5mm ↑ for PSM in machinery space 		PSM in cargo tank area is prescribed separately. Different from double hull or other PSM in cargo tank? 36



Rule Min. thickness for BC

Elements	Scantling	Areas	CSR-H	CSR-BC	Impact on Bulk carriers and
Min. net thic	kness for plating				oner explanation
		Fore Part	6.5+0.03L ₂		0.5mm ↑ for some Panamax and Handysize with HT32 used
Shell	Side shell/ Bilge	Machinery space/ Aft part	7.0+0.03L ₂	$0.85L^{1/2}$	 ● 0.5~1.0mm ↑ for most bulk carriers ● If plating with HT36, more increasing
Deck	Platform deck	Machinery space	3.3+0.0067s	6.5	A great increase (up to 2.5mm ↑) for some bulk carriers
Other	Other plates in general		4.5+0.01L ₂	None	A great increase (up to 2.5mm ↑) for some bulk carriers
Min. net thic	kness for Primar	y Support Members (P	SM)		
D.B centerline girder		Elsewhere (excl. Machinery space)	5.5+0.025L ₂	0.6L2 ^{1/2}	1.5~2.0mm ↑ for most bulk carriers, generally in pipe tunnel or foremost CH
Other bottom girder		Elsewhere (excl. Machinery space/ Fore part)	5.5+0.02L ₂	$0.6L_2^{1/2}$	0.5~1.0mm ↑ for most bulk carriers, but only local areas in the middle of each cargo hold

Tapering for shell plating: • Hull girder strength • Material?

longitudinal spacing?

Proposal 1:

Lower the requirement for shell plating in machinery space and aft part;

Proposal 2:

Separate the requirement for OT and BC for keel plate, inner bottom, PSM in cargo tank area.

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Hull girder ultimate strength 1

$M = \gamma_{\rm S} M_{\rm sw-U} + \gamma_{\rm W} M_{\rm wv} \qquad M \le \frac{M_{\rm U}}{\gamma_{\rm R}} \qquad \qquad$									
γ_R :	Partial safety fac	-	-χ _F	x					
,	Sagging condition M _{US}	$\chi_{_{ m F}}$							
CSR	$\gamma_R = 1.1$		F	Sagging					
CSR-H	$\gamma_R = \gamma_M \cdot \gamma_{DB}$		BC-A	BC-B,BC-C,OT	All				
	$\gamma_M = 1.1$	1.25	1.1	1.0					
		γ_R	1.375	1.21	1.1				
	CSR-H/CSR for	γ_R	1.25	1.1	1.0				



- For sagging condition, the same requirement for hull girder ultimate strength by CSR-H and CSR except for the calculation of Mu.
- For hogging condition:
 - If M/Mu<=0.727 (M/(Mu/ Y R)<=0.8) for BC-A bulk carriers by CSR, such carriers could meet the hull girder ultimate strength requirement by CSR-H;
 - If M/Mu<=0.826 (M/(Mu/ Y_R)<=0.9) for oil tankers and BC-B and BC-C bulk carriers by CSR, such carriers could meet the hull girder ultimate strength requirement by CSR-H;

Vessels	Design	Hog or	Msw	Mw∨	Mu	M/(Mu/ y R)	
	load scenario	Sag	(kNm)	(kNm)	(kNm)	CSR	CSR-H
180K_BC	Seagoing	Hog	4650000	6330292	12142140	0.832	1.040
	Flooding	Hog	6585000	5064234	13143140	0.860	1.075
206K_BC	Seagoing	Hog	5630940	7351198	19678421	0.808	1.010



Prescriptive buckling of longitudinals 1

CSR-OT

3.3.2.2 The buckling utilisation factor for column buckling of stiffeners is to be taken as:

$$\eta = \frac{\sigma_x + \sigma_b}{\sigma_{yd}}$$

Where:

 σ_x compressive axial stress in the stiffener, in N/mm², in way of the midspan of the stiffener. See Section 3/5.2.3.1

4.2.1 Checking criteria

The longitudinal and transverse ordinary stiffeners are to comply with the following criteria:

CSR-BC

 $\frac{\sigma_a + \sigma_b}{R_{eH}} S \leq 1$

 σ_a : Uniformly distributed compressive stress, in N/mm² in the direction of the stiffener axis.

 $\sigma_a = \sigma_n$ for longitudinal stiffeners

 $\sigma_a = 0$ for transverse stiffeners

 σ_n : Normal stress resulting from hull girder bending, in N/mm²

2.3.4 Ultimate buckling capacity

CSR-H

When $\sigma_a + \sigma_b + \sigma_w > 0$, the ultimate buckling capacity for stiffeners is to be checked according to the following interaction formula:

$$\frac{\gamma_c \sigma_a + \sigma_b + \sigma_w}{R_{eH}} S = 1$$

where:

σ_a : Effective axial stress, in N/mm², at mid span of the stiffener, acting on the stiffener with its attached plating.

$$\sigma_{a} = \sigma_{x} \underbrace{\frac{s t_{p} + A_{s}}{b_{eff1} t_{p} + A_{s}}}$$

- $\sigma_{\!x}$: Nominal axial stress, in N/mm², acting on the stiffener with its attached plating.
 - For FE analysis, σ_x is the FE corrected stress as defined in [2.3.6] in the attached plating in the direction of the stiffener axis.
 - For prescriptive assessment, σ_x is the axial stress calculated according to Ch 8, Sec 3, [2.2.1] at load calculation point of the stiffener, as defined in Ch 3, Sec 7, [3].





Prescriptive buckling of longitudinals 2

$$\sigma_a = \sigma_x \frac{st_p + A_s}{b_{eff1}t_p + A_s}$$

$$F = \frac{st_p + A_s}{b_{eff\,1}t_p + A_s}$$

TB of CSR-H: Account for the effective width of attached plate

	Vessels/Location		s	t_p A_s	b _{eff1} F	F	F CSR-H		CSR		
			(mm)	(\mathbf{mm})	(mm ²)	(mm)	(Factor)	η_{act}	η_{column}	$\eta_{torsion}$	CSR
		DL	876.8	14.5	6508	669.0	1.186	1.02	0.73	0.89	1.15
	VLCC	IHL	800	13.0	5120	605.6	1.195	1.07	0.73	0.89	1.20
		DL	820.8	14.0	6088	641.9	1.166	0.91	0.72	0.87	1.05
	Aframax	IHL	790	11.0	2860	548.3	1.299	1.12	0.68	0.88	1.27
		LL	750	11.0	3042	528.8	1.275	1.04	0.67	0.86	1.21
		DL	786	11.5	2890	552.6	1.290	1.08	0.74	0.84	1.29
	Panamax	IHL	670	9.0	2453	452.3	1.300	0.96	0.62	0.75	1.28
		LL	640	9.5	2098	459.5	1.265	1.11	0.71	0.82	1.35
		DL	800	10.0	2944	559.2	1.283	1.05	0.71	0.80	1.31
	MR	IHL	648.8	9.5	2223	512.6	1.182	0.96	0.65	0.74	1.30
		LL	781.3	9.5	2613	549.3	1.282	1.06	0.68	0.74	1.43
-	Capesize	TWL	890	12.0	3167	552.7	1.413	1.27	1.00	0.70	1.27
	Panamax	TWL	820	13.0	4214	587.1	1.255	1.00	0.95	0.75	1.06
	Handysize	TWL	760	10.0	4260	487.9	1.298	1.03	0.92	0.72	1.12

• Such requirement will induce the scantling increase for the longitudinals at the upper deck area and 0.1D below, similar to oil tankers and bulk carriers.



FEA - Foremost cargo hold/tank



buckling utilization variation with stress 250 1.2 1 200 0.8 **stress** 150 100 long. stress 0.6 trans stress 0.4 -eta 50 0.2 0 0 ship length direction

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Critical	Panel in Pane		l in foremost	
Load case	midship	carg	o tank	
A1-HSM1	cargo tank	original	modified	
σ_x (MPa)	205.0	68.3	60.4	
σ_y (MPa)	13.2	85.0	78.2	
τ (MPa)	14.5	1.4	1.6	
$t_{\rm net} ({\rm mm})$	14.5	12	14.5	
Material	HT32	HT32	HT32	
Buckling factor	0.811	1.331	0.949	
Allowable factor	1.0	1.0	1.0	
Buckling Ratio	0.811	1.331	0.949	

Buckling results comparison

The transverse stresses induced by external and internal loads in foremost COT are a bit higher than that in midship COT, which may be decreased.



• Average fatigue life in year for longitudinal end connections for bulk carriers:

Vessels	С/Н	Fatigue life (CSR)	Fatigue life (CSR-H)	С/Н	Fatigue life (CSR)	Fatigue life (CSR-H)
Capesize1	Empty	47.5	21.0	Loaded	51.5	19.9
Capesize2	Empty	47.3	21.0	Loaded	47.6	23.6
Babycape	Empty	43.6	35.7	Loaded	43.8	22.1
Post-Panamax	Empty	76.1	37.2	Loaded	52.0	28.2
Panamax	Empty	54.7	13.5	Loaded	53.0	33.0
Handysize1	Empty	>50	26.0	Loaded	>50	32.0
Handysize2	Empty	>100	27.5	Loaded	>100	29.7

• For bulk carriers, fatigue life for the longitudinal connection by CSR-H is lower than that by CSR-BC.



• Average fatigue life in year for longitudinal end connections for oil tankers:

Vessels	Fatigue life (CSR)	Fatigue life (CSR-H)
VLCC	34.8	29.1
Suezmax	31.3	33.5
Aframax	30.3	33.3
Panamax	25.8	35.5
MR	70.8	53.9

• For oil tankers, similar fatigue life for the longitudinal connection both for CSR-H and CSR-OT.



Fatigue issues on hot spot

For hopper lower knuckle area: Hot spot 1 Hot spot 2 Hot spot 1 (year) Hot spot 1 (year) Fatigue life **Fatigue life** Vessels (CSR) (CSR-H) Fatigue life **Fatigue life** Vessels (CSR-H) (CSR) Capesize1 27.2 **VLCC** 25.4 Capesize2 47.6 Suezmax 35.1 Post-Panamax >100 >25.0 Aframax >25.0 18.5 Panamax 9.6 (Empty) Panamax 7.8 28.1 Handysize1 MR 17.1 Handysize2 73.9

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- Based on April version, the estimated weight increase for cargo area is about 1%~2% for oil tankers and about 2%~3% for bulk carriers, where the increase by prescriptive requirement is normally more than that by FE analysis except for corrugated bulkhead.
- How to solve the other issues may need further detail technical discussion between Owners, shipbuilders and IACS, based on not only theory but shipping experience and damage report.
- Although much reasonable modification for 2nd external draft (April version), there are still some revisions after the 2nd external review by industry. Essential time for external review and feedback for such revisions are to be ensured for industry by IACS.



Thank You for Your Attention!