



# **DINCEL 275 – MORE THAN JUST FORMWORK**

The composite structural behaviour of Dincel 275 wall has been verified by the University of Technology Sydney (UTS) to AS3600-2018 (Appendix B)

It was found that Dincel 275 with it's unique ring webbing provides significant benefits against a range of structural actions.

Testing was completed with the following infill types:

- > Plain mass concrete
- Macro synthetic fibre (BarChip) reinforced concrete
- Steel bar reinforced concrete



### **Flexural Testing**

- Dincel 275 shell provides additional flexural capacity, opening up the possibility for fibre reinforced basement/retaining walls (such walls have already been designed within Australian projects).
- Dincel 275 walls can be backfilled 24 hours after concrete infill (when suitably braced).

### **Stiffness Testing**

- Reinforced Dincel 275 offers fully ductile behaviour ( $\mu$ =6), allowing for enhanced earthquake/wind design to AS3600 and NZS 3101.
- Effective flexural rigidity (lateral stiffness) not reduced compared to conventionally formed counterpart.

### **Shear Testing**

- Interface shear capacity is comparable to a conventional concrete wall.
- The confinement offered by Dincel 275 wall enhances shear capacity.

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