

Accuracy of Concrete Creep Predictions Based on Extrapolation of Short-Time Data



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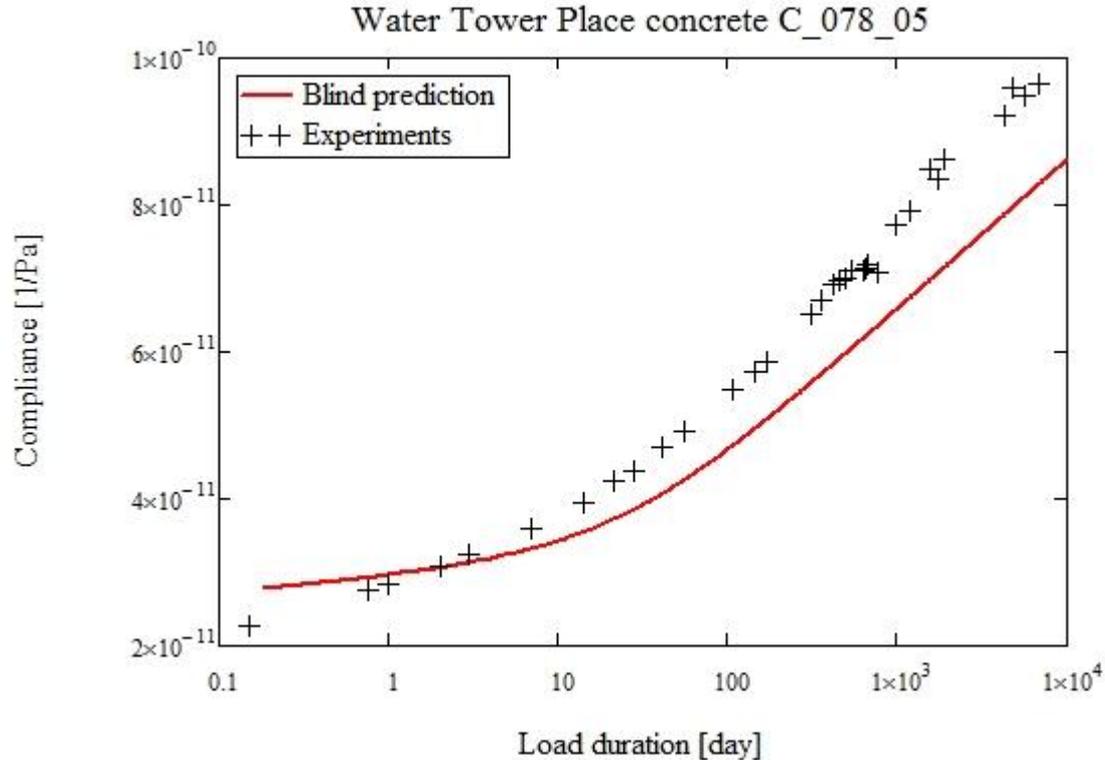
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- Set up optimal time for short-time data

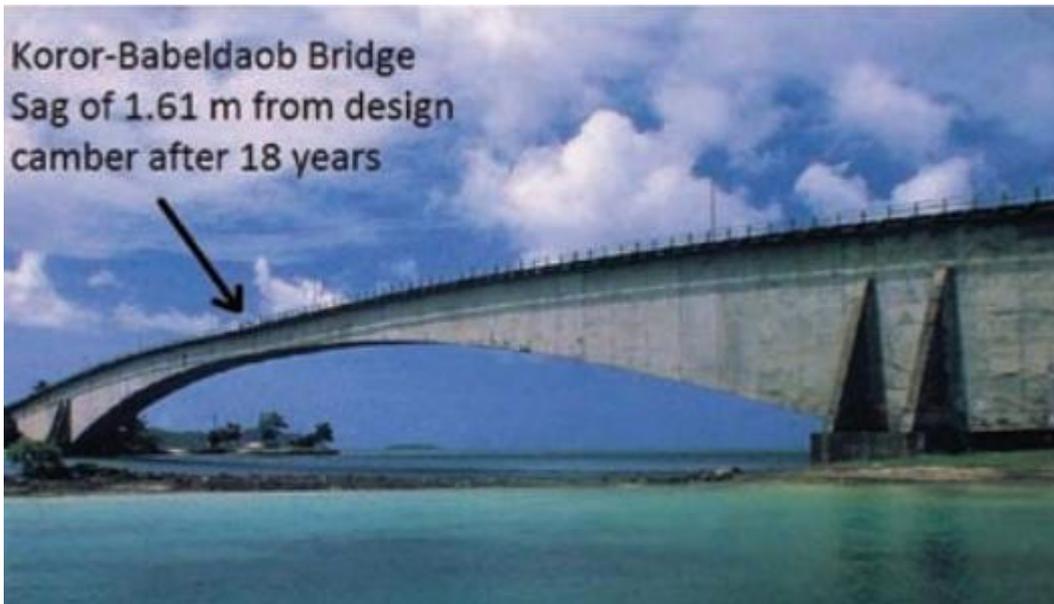
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- Set up optimal time for short-time data



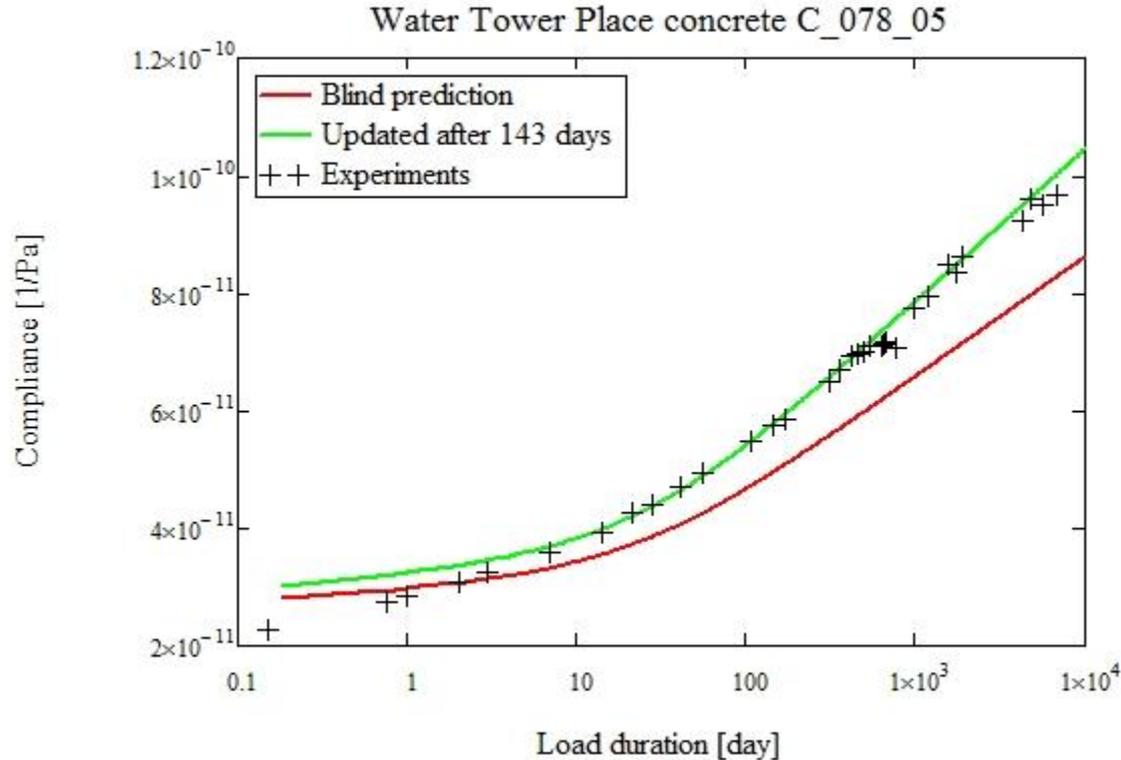
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New tasks:

- Improving of updating method
- Comparison of accuracy of updated predictions

Creep Models

Model B3

$$J(t, t') = q_1 + q_2 Q(t, t') + q_3 \ln[1 + (t - t')^{0.1}] + q_4 \ln\left(\frac{t}{t'}\right) + J_d(t, t')$$

Fib Model 2010

ACI 209 Model

GL Model

Creep Models

Model B3

Fib Model 2010

$$J(t, t') = \frac{1}{E_c} e^{-\frac{s}{2} \left(1 - \sqrt{\frac{28}{t'}}\right)} + \frac{\varphi_{RH} \beta_f}{E_c} \frac{1}{0.1 + t'^{0.2}} \left(\frac{t - t'}{\beta_H \beta_T + t - t'} \right)^{0.3}$$

ACI 209 Model

GL Model

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ACI 209 Model

$$J(t, t') = \frac{1}{E_c} \sqrt{b + \frac{a}{t'}} \left[1 + \frac{2.35\gamma}{(t')^m} \frac{(t - t')^{0.6}}{10 + (t - t')^{0.6}} \right]$$

GL Model

Creep Models

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Fib Model 2010

ACI 209 Model

GL Model

$$J(t, t') = \frac{1}{3.5 + (E_c - 3.5)e^{\frac{s}{2}\left(1 - \sqrt{\frac{28}{t'}}\right)}} + \frac{\varphi}{E_c} \left[\frac{2(t - t')^{0.3}}{(t - t')^{0.3} + 14} + \sqrt{\frac{7(t - t')}{t'(t - t' + 7)}} + c_h \sqrt{\frac{t - t'}{t - t' + 0.12(V/S)^2}} \right]$$

Test Data

Comprehensive database on concrete creep and shrinkage (Zdeněk P. Bažant & Guang-Hua Li)

Criteria for selection

Stress level

$$\sigma_c \leq 0.45 f_{c,28}$$

Humidity

$$H \geq 99\%$$

Temperature

$$(5^\circ\text{C} \leq T \leq 50^\circ\text{C})$$

Compressive strength $f_{c,28} \leq 82\text{MPa}$

Time of loading

$$t \geq 1000\text{days}$$

ID	Author	Region	Year	File	Test No.	Ref Number	h	ac	c	cCEB	SiO2	FlvAsh	WR	Re	AEA	fc28	E28	Geometry
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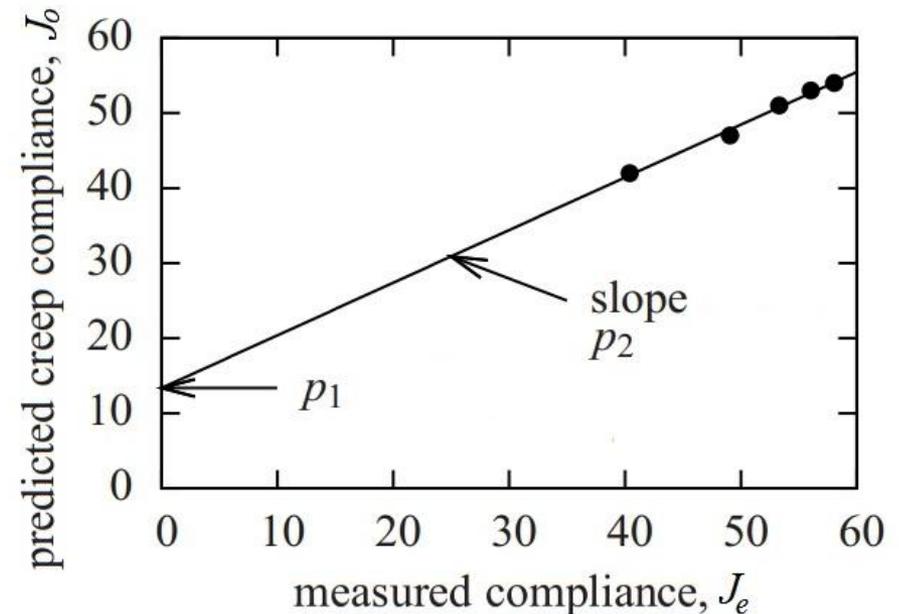
(40 tests from 12 laboratories)

Standard Updating

Linear Regression

$$J_u(t, t') = p_1 + p_2 J_o(t, t')$$

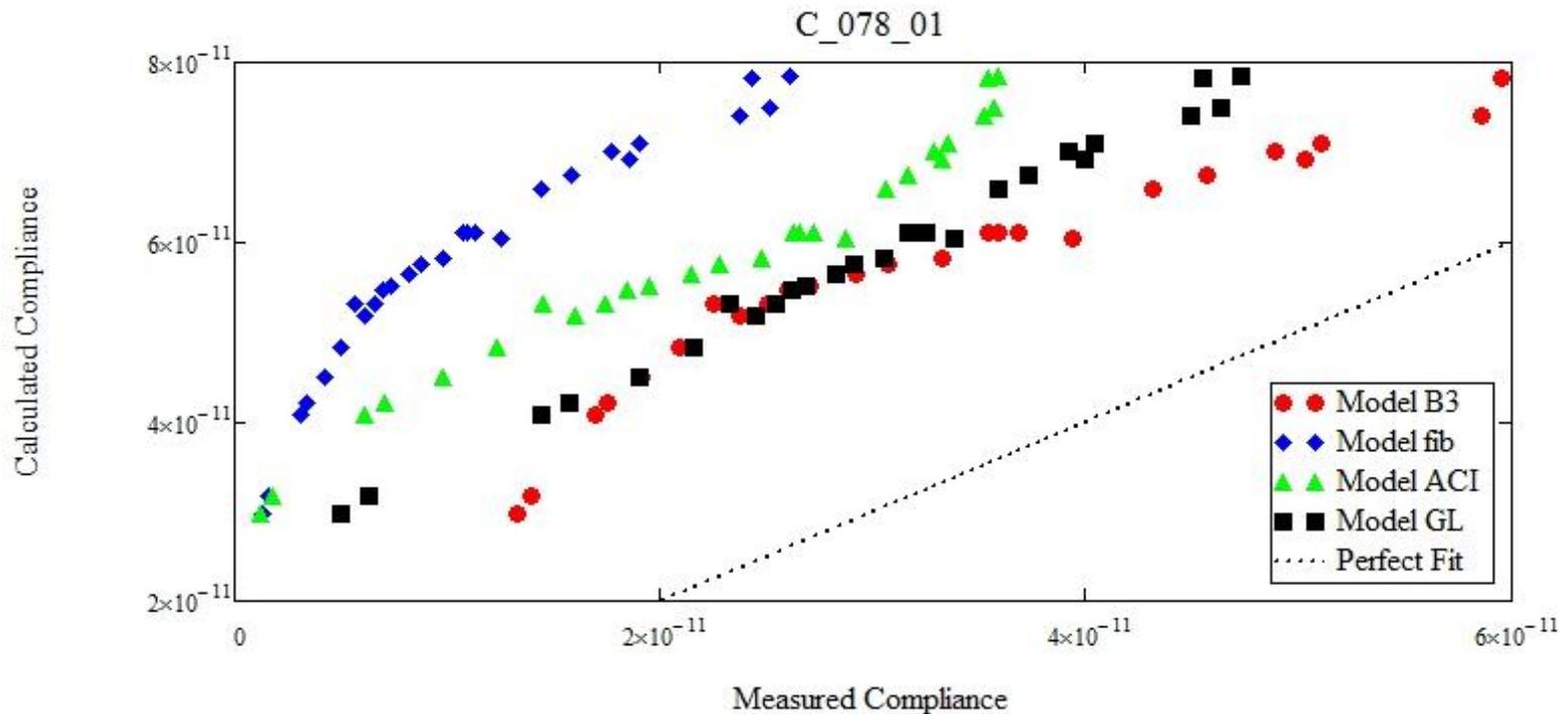
$$f(p_1, p_2) = \sum_{i=1}^m [p_1 + p_2 J_o(t_i, t') - J_e(t_i)]^2$$



Standard Updating

Imperfections

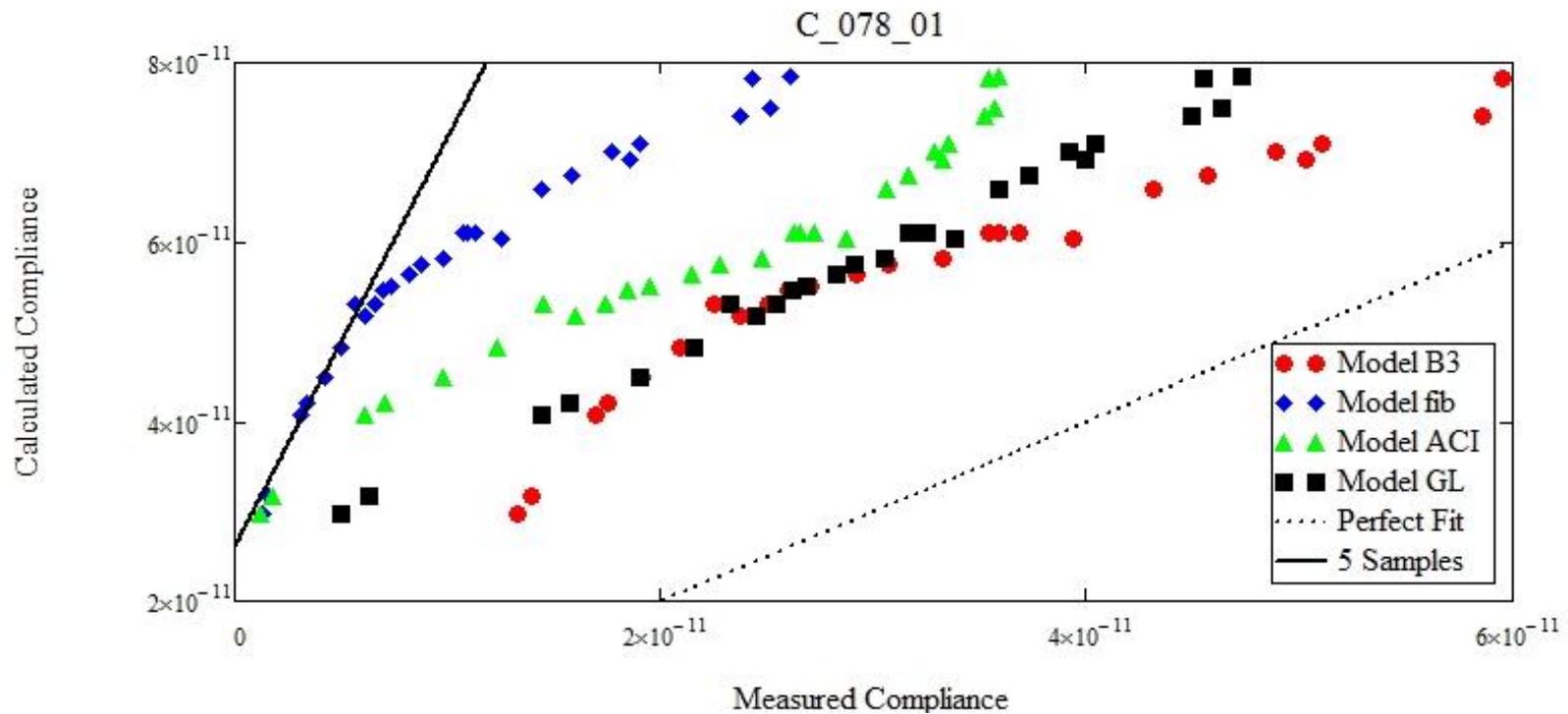
Influence of early measurements



Standard Updating

Imperfections

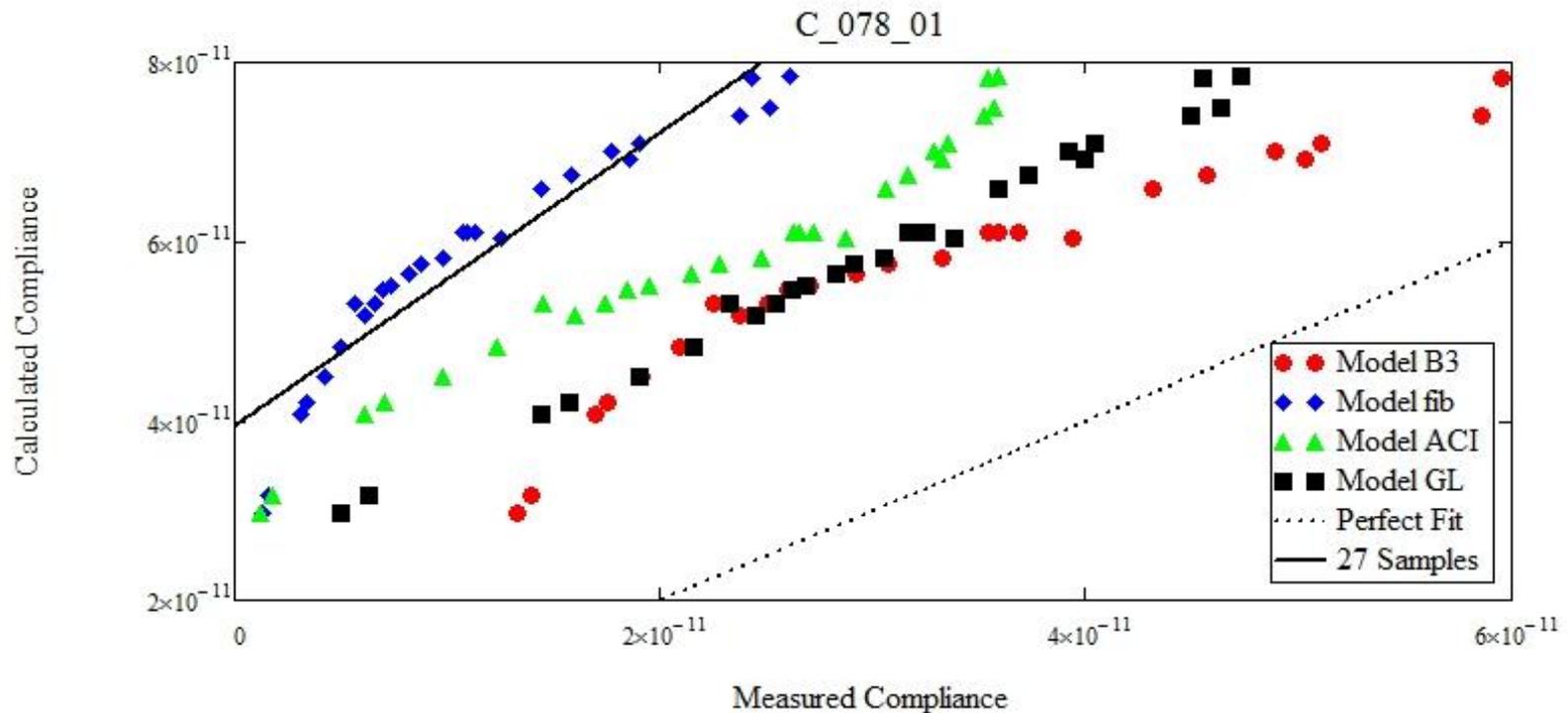
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Standard Updating

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Modified Updating

Weight factors

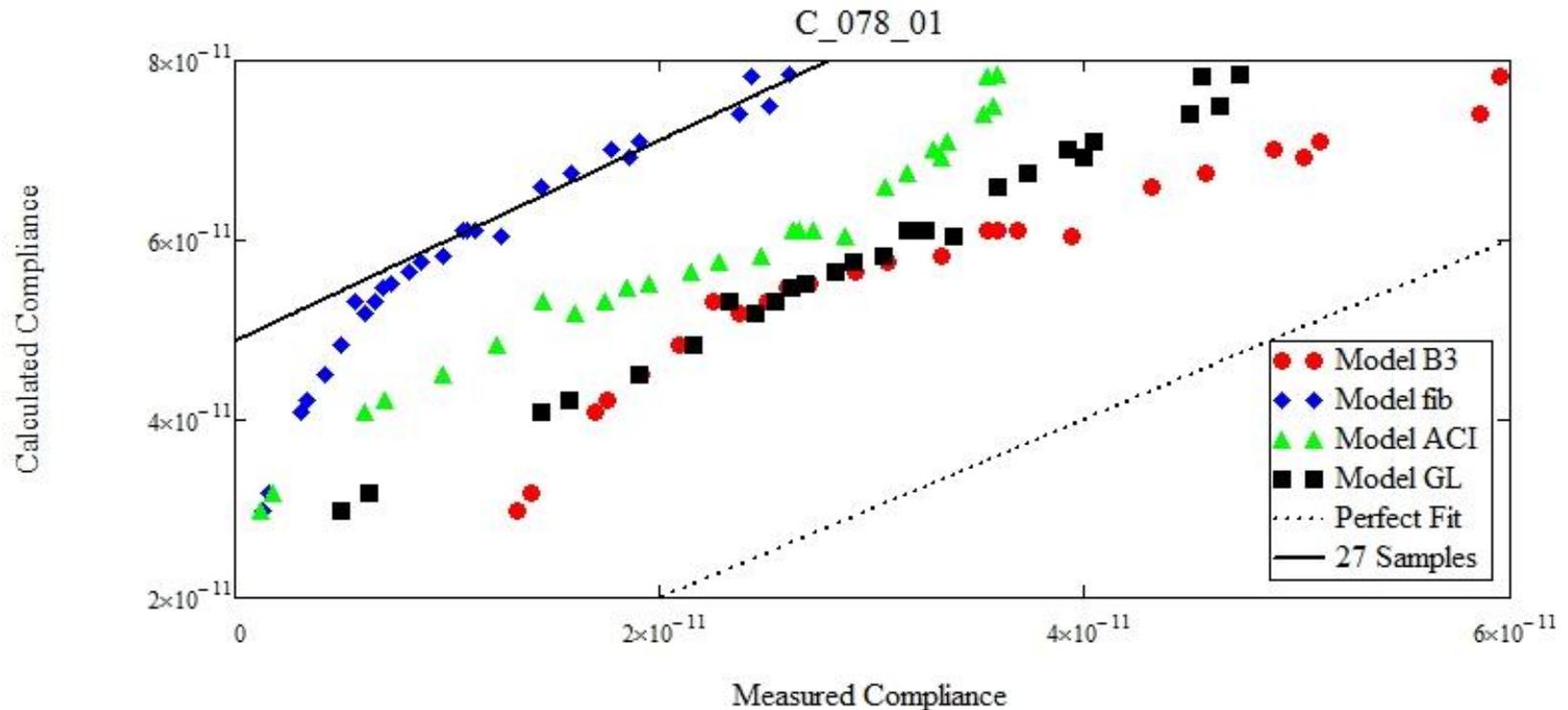
$$f(p_1, p_2) = \sum_{i=1}^m (t_i - t') [p_1 + p_2 J_o(t_i, t') - J_e(t_i)]^2$$

$$p_2 = \frac{w \sum_{i=1}^m (J_i^o J_i^e w_i) - \sum_{i=1}^m (J_i^o w_i) \sum_{i=1}^m (J_i^e w_i)}{w \sum_{i=1}^m (J_i^o w_i)^2 - (\sum_{i=1}^m (J_i^o w_i))^2}$$

$$p_1 = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^m (J_i^e w_i)}{w} + p_2 \frac{\sum_{i=1}^m (J_i^o w_i)}{w}$$

Modified Updating

Elimination of influence of early measurements

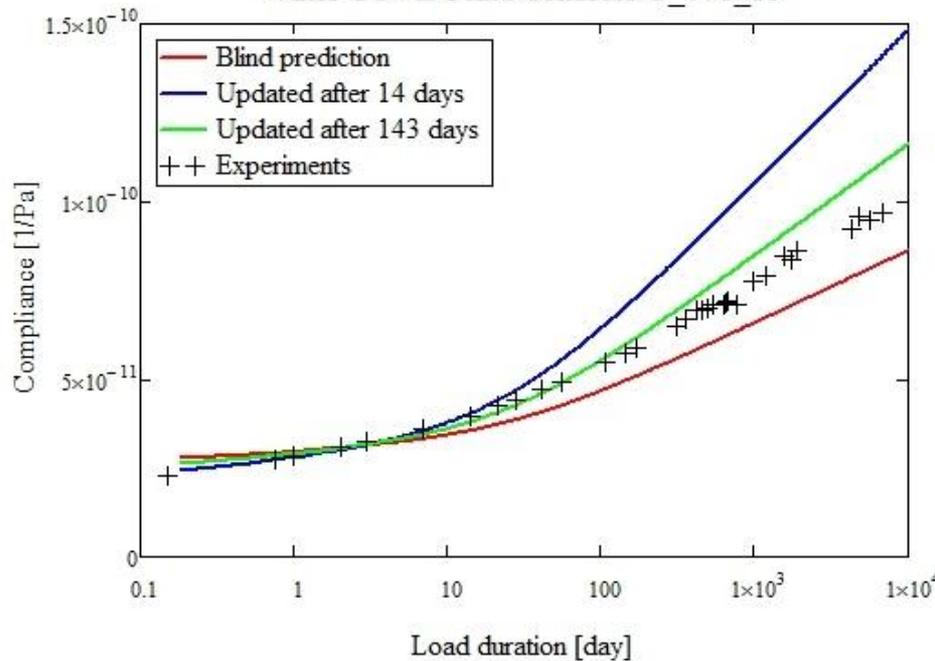


Modified Updating

Improving of updating method

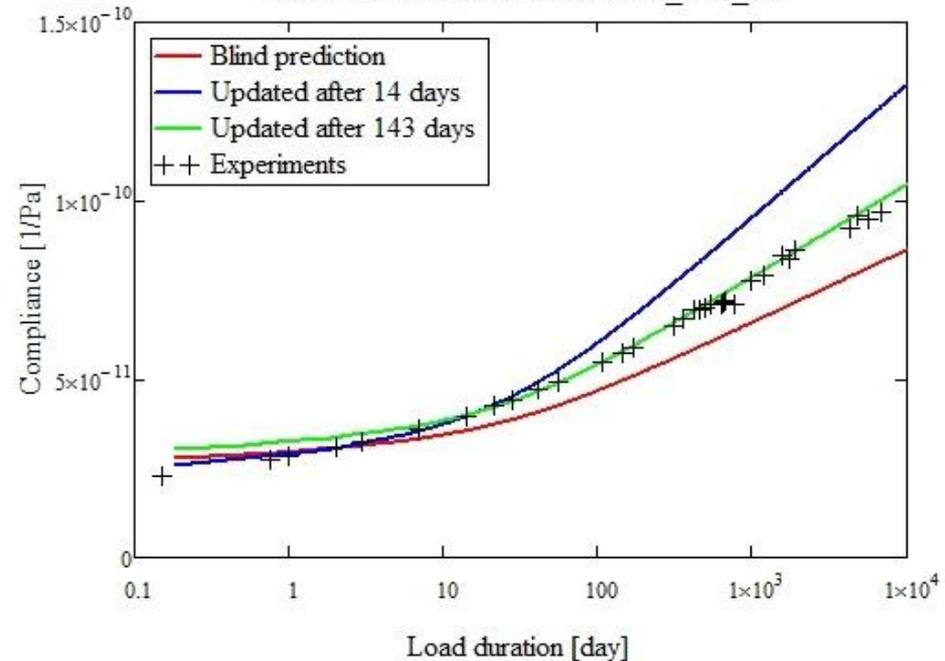
Standard Updating

Water Tower Place concrete C_078_05



Modified Updating

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Accuracy of Updated Predictions

Absolute residual error [1/Pa]

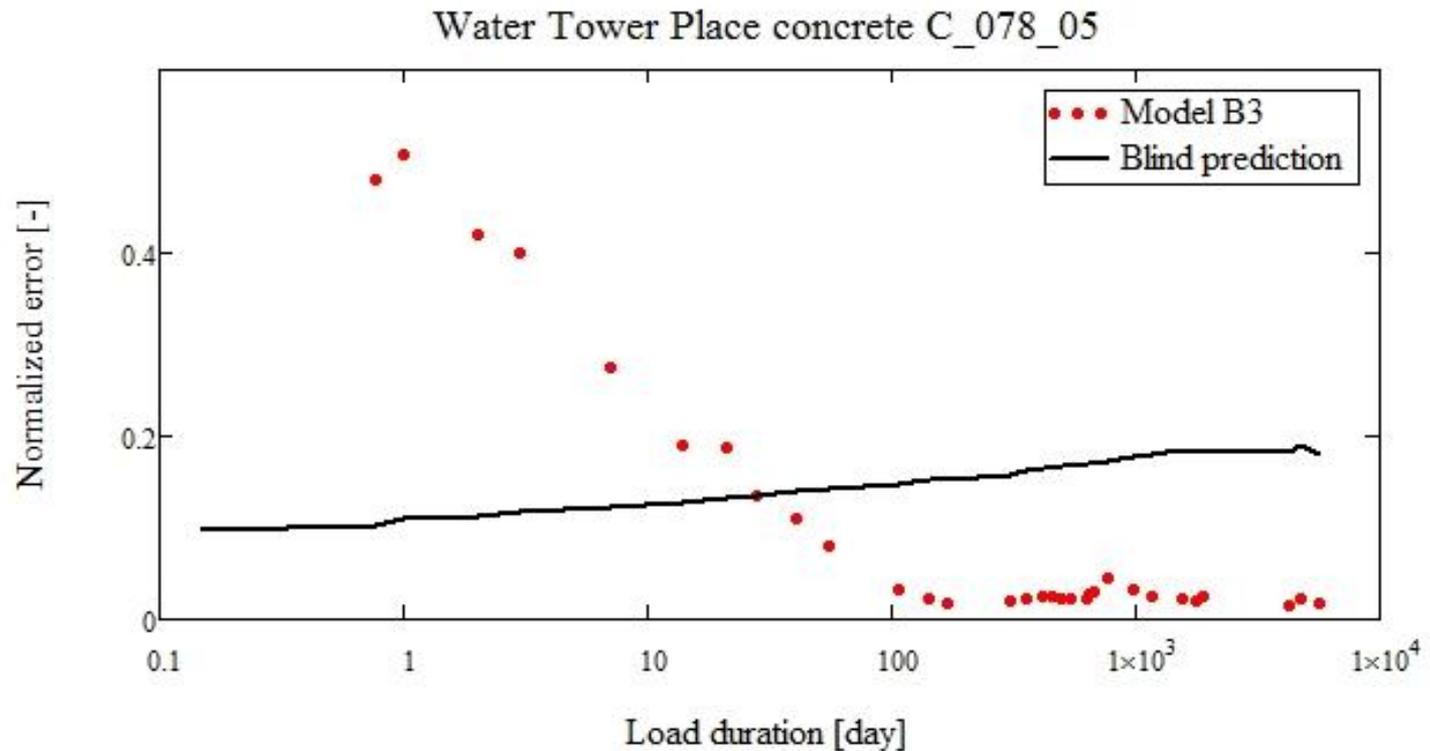
$$e_u^{(m)} = \sqrt{\frac{\sum_{i=m+1}^n \ln \frac{t_{i+1} - t'}{t_{i-1} - t'} [J_u(t_i, t') - J_e(t_i)]^2}{\sum_{i=m+1}^n \ln \frac{t_{i+1} - t'}{t_{i-1} - t'}}$$

Normalized residual error [-]

$$e_n^{(m)} = \frac{e_u^{(m)}}{J(1000 + t', t')}$$

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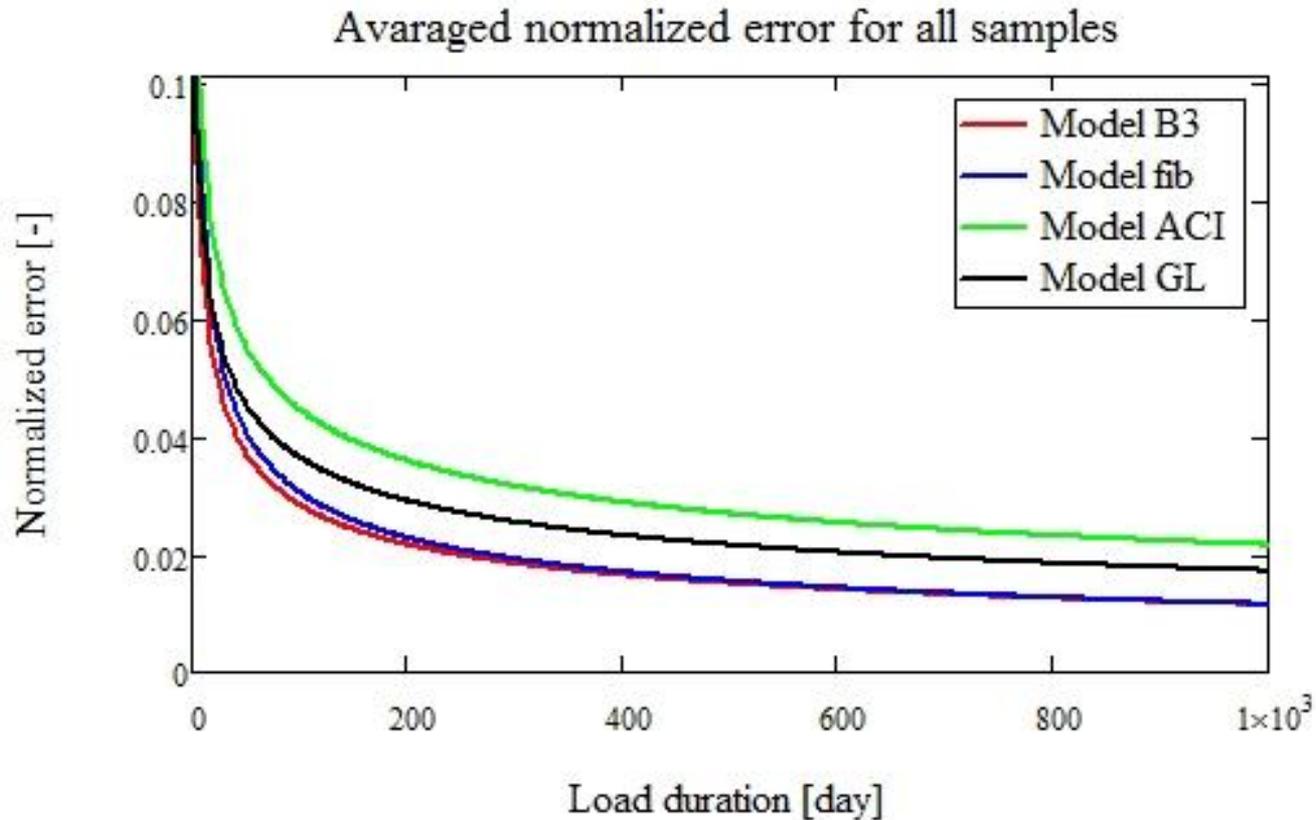


Optimal time for short-time data

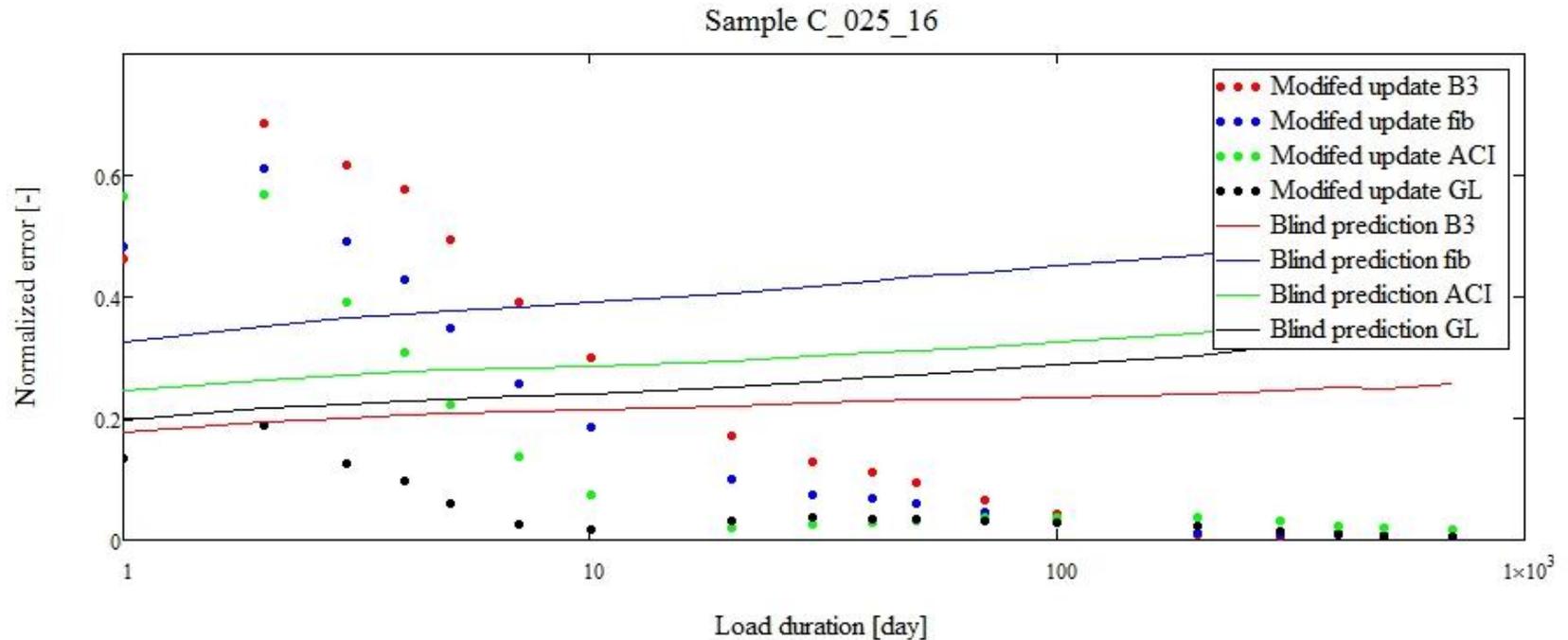
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Minimal time for short-time data

Optimal time for short-time data



Minimal time for short-time data

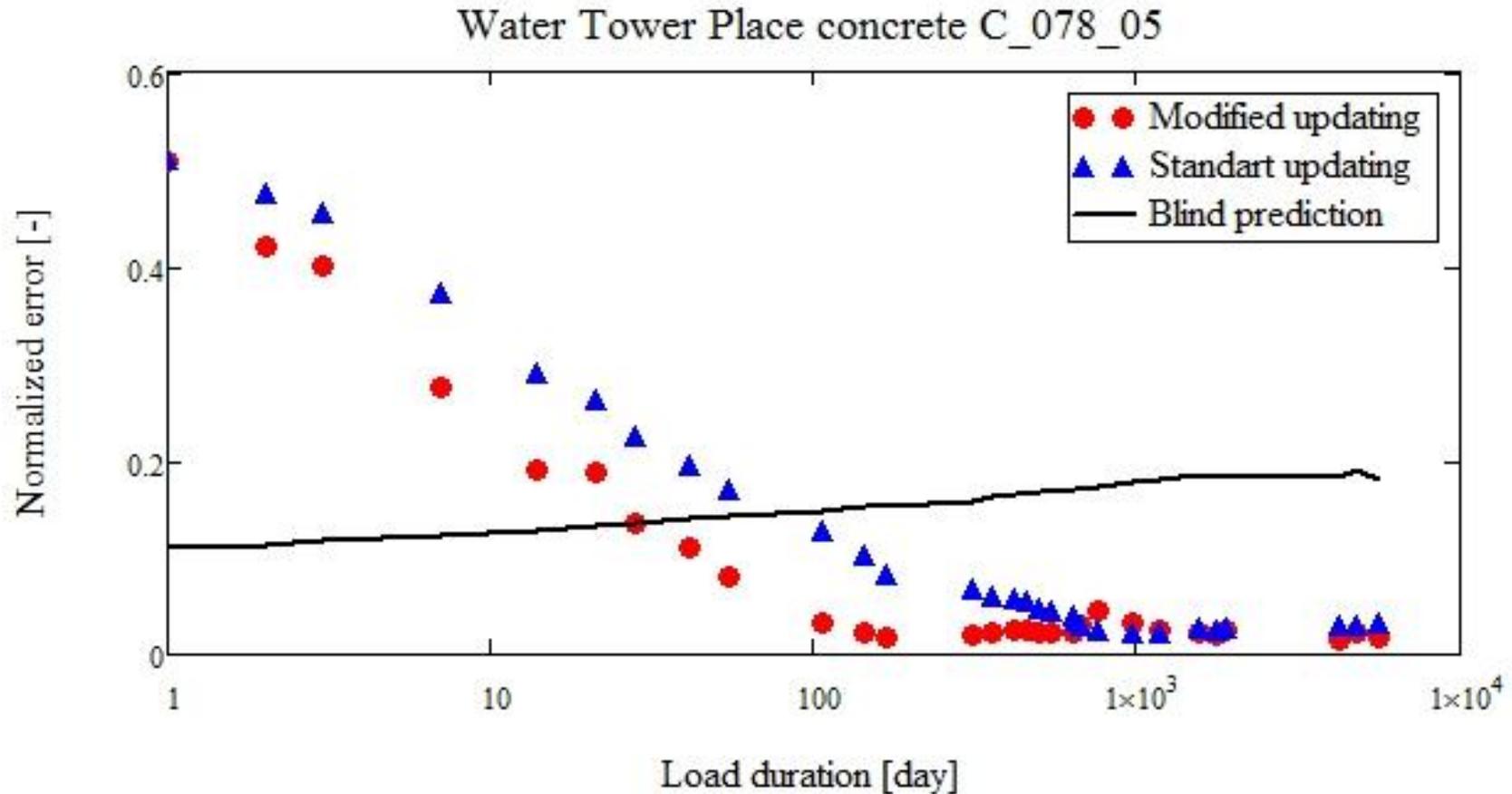


Model	Load duration [day]	Number of measurements
B3 Model	48,7	4,65
Fib Model	59,1	4,25
ACI Model	58,0	5,48
GL Model	18,6	2,38

Conclusions

- Using weight factor of load duration
- Measuring times
 - Essential: 2 months (B3, fib, ACI)
 - Optimal: 12 months
 - Improvement about 85% compare to „blind“ prediction
 - Possible improvement 80%
- Recommendations:
 - Do not use „short-time dates“ measured till 24 hours after loading
 - (improving convergence)

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**Thank you for your
attention**

Discussion