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# Cyclone resistant construction of buildings for Coastal India.

Coastal India spans from the south west Indian coastline along the Arabian Although the main destruction during cyclones or high winds occurs in sea from the coastline of the Gulf of Kutch in its western most corner and the traditional non-engineered buildings built using local clay, stone or stretches across the gulf of Khambhat, and through the Salsette Island of agro based materials, the engineered building having high sheeted roofs Mumbai along the Konkan and southwards across the Raigad region and also suffer huge damage unless appropriate precautions are taken in through Canara and further down through Mangalore and along the design as well as construction. Even in heavy constructions, substantial Malabar through Cape Comorin in the southernmost region of South India non-structural with coastline along the Indian Ocean and through the Coromandal Coast or damage occurs to Cholamandalam Coastline on the South Eastern Coastline of the Indian doors, windows, Subcontinent along the Bay of Bengal through the Utkala Kalinga region cladding wall until the easternmost corner of shoreline near the Sunderbans in Coastal panels, glass East India.

Coastal areas with major rivers passing through it, is prone to both floods & TYPES OF Cyclones. In addition, it is also subject to seismic risk. Now in order to DAMAGE safeguard the new as well as existing building from the fury of cyclonic winds and the accompanying form, we, the ACEBOND team provide you some

guidelines on Cyclone I) Uprooting of Resistant Construction of Buildings.

#### What can we do?

transportation Cyclones have occurred before and will continue to occur in future. Their occurrence is a natural

needed beneficial rains too. What we need to do is to construct all our vii) Failure of weakly built walls and consequent failure of roofs and roof buildings and structures to let the winds pass with minimum obstruction and build them so as to be able to resist their pressures and suction effects viii) Failure of roofing elements and walls along the gable end without damage. The best approach for protection from the storm surge water flow and inundation will be to build on higher ground.

#### GUIDELINES FOR CYCLONE RESISTANT CONSTRUCTION OF **BUILDINGS IN COASTAL AREAS:**

The coastal areas of our country have received a number of cyclonic wind x) Brittle failure of asbestos - cement (AC) sheeting of the roofs of storms causing devastation over large areas due to (i) high-speed winds, which destroy traditional homes and uproot trees and electric line supports (ii) local floods, caused by heavy rains, and (iii) storm surge waters, first flowing towards the land then receding back towards the sea, drowning people, destroying homes, agriculture, trees etc., whatever comes in the path of the flowing waters. High speed wind storms on mainland also many times cause severe damage to buildings, particularly light weight roofs, free standing boundary walls, etc. Horticultural crops suffer badly in both cases at sea coast and inland under high-speed winds.

DURING CYCLONES: trees, which disrupt rail and

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- ii) Failures of many cantilever structures such as sign posts, electric poles, and transmission line towers
- iii) Damage to improperly attached windows or window frames
- phenomenon on which man iv) Damage to roof projections and sunshades.
- has no control. Beside a v) Failure of improperly attached or constructed parapets
- cyclone brings the much vi) Overturning failures of compound walls of various types
  - covering
  - particularly due to high internal pressures
  - ix) Failure of large industrial buildings with light weight roof coverings and long/ tall walls due to combination of internal and external
  - Industrial sheds; failure of AC sheets is generally along eaves, ridges, and gable ends
  - xi) Punching and blowing off of corrugated iron roofing sheets attached to steel trusses:

We'll have a detailed look at the precautionary methods to be taken while constructing in the OCTOBER issue of ACETIMES

## ACE COLUMN



## Do I know me???

This is a very interesting question to put to our self and may be ponder a lot to find answers. On the face value everyone says that they know themselves. But the question is how much and is that all that makes

There is a tool that can be of help to know and explore our self. It is the Johari Window. The Johari Window model is a simple and useful tool for illustrating and improving self-awareness, and mutual

	Rhower to Self	Unknown to Self
Arowells Obers	OPEN SELF Information about you that both you & others know.	BLIND SELF Information about you that you don't know but others to know.
Mikroem to Others	HIPPEN SELF  Information about you that you know but others don't know.	UNKNOWN SELF Information about you that neither you nor others know.

understanding between individuals within a group. The Johari Window model was devised by American psychologists Joseph Luft and Harry Ingham in the 1950's calling it 'Johari'

after combining their first names, Joe and Harry. The Johari Window is the model used for understanding and training, self-awareness, personal development, improving communications, interpersonal relationships, group dynamics, team development and inter-group

The Johari Window model is also referred to as a 'disclosure/feedback model of self awareness' and by some people call it an 'information processing tool'. It actually represents information - feelings, experience, views, attitudes, skills, intentions, motivation, etc - within or about a person - in relation to their group, from four perspectives, which are described below. Johari Window terminology refers to 'self' and 'others': 'self' means oneself, ie, the person subject to the Johari Window analysis. 'Others' mean other people in the person's group or team.

The four Johari Window perspectives are called 'regions' or 'areas' or 'quadrants'. Each of these regions contains and represents the information - feelings, motivation, etc - known about the person, in terms of whether the information is known or unknown by the person, and whether the information is known or unknown by others in the

Johari window four regions:

- 1. what is known by the person about him/herself and is also known by others - open area, open self, free area, free self, or 'the arena'
- 2. what is unknown by the person about him/herself but which others know - blind area, blind self, or 'blindspot'
- what the person knows about him/herself that others do not know - hidden area, hidden self, avoided area, avoided self or
- what is unknown by the person about him/herself and is also unknown by others - unknown area or unknown self.

Managers and leaders play an important role in facilitating feedback and disclosure among group members, and in directly giving feedback to individuals about their own blind areas. They also have a big responsibility to promote a culture and expectation for open, honest, positive, helpful, constructive, sensitive communications, and the sharing of knowledge throughout their organization.

-	Self-Awareness: Known to self	Not known to self	
Perception: Known to others	Arena (Transparency)	Blind Spot	
Not known to others	Facade	Unknown	

Encouraging the positive development of the 'open area' or 'open self' for everyone is a fundamental aspect of effective leadership. Every leader must focus on developing the open arena and help the candidate widen this arena for the interest of self and the organisation. Thus we can know our self by self thought and with the help and guidance of people close to us.

Don't wake up with the REGRET of what you couldn't accomplish yesterday.

Wake up while thinking about what you will be able to

# ACHIEVE TODAY



This news letter is a medium to put together our thoughts. It is our pleasure to communicate with you through it and we are eager to give needful information to the readers/clients in this industry. From this month, ACETIMES will be a regular monthly publication with real time

As an interactive platform we request all our readers and stakeholders to actively participate by contributing your thoughts and

knowledge. ACETIMES will publish articles written by you relating to the industry in coming issues. Do walk with us in this journey too. We are also approaching the experts in the industry to make ACETIMES the most useful informative news letter of the industry.

Kindly send in your articles/views for ACETIMES to this email id: info@acebond.in

Awaiting your response

Editor



# Inaugural!!

We at ACEBOND are happy to announce that we have opened up a first of its kind showroom in our industry. Aceshoppe that was inaugurated on the 27th of July 2015 in Ernakulam, Kerala by Mr KL Thomas will serve not only the engineers and contractor but also the end users in understanding the importance of our products.





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