# Support Structure Repairs

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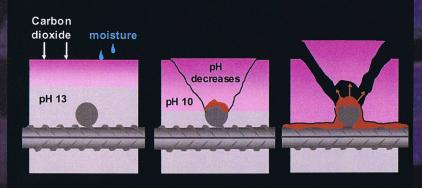
Bottom of the Barrel - May 2001 -

## **Deterioration Mechanisms**

- Elevated Temperatures
- Mass Concrete Shrinkage
- Dynamic Loadings
- Fire Damage
- Concrete Structure Repair

**Embedded Metal Corrosion** 

#### **Cause: Carbonation**



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Thermal Effects

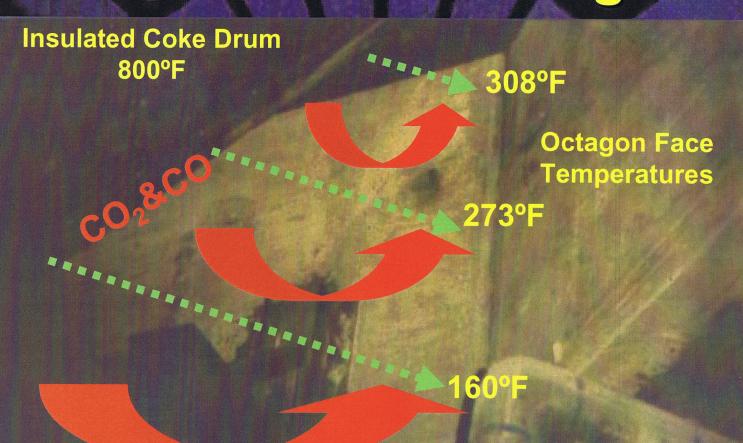
#### Fire Exposure

- ◆ Aggregate swells
- ♦ H<sub>2</sub>O to steam
- ◆ Chemical change



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## Deterioration in Octagons



### Concrete Repair is a Process!

