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Seismic Impacts on Structures and Infrastructures

Message from the Guest Editors

Experimental and theoretical studies to determine the seismic stability of earth dams and reservoir dams are also critical since their destruction can have catastrophic consequences. Therefore, the determination of sliding surfaces and collapse of soil structures, taking into account the degree of moisture content of the soil massif and the soil's inelastic properties, are very relevant. Ensuring the strength and stability of underground and underwater pipelines and tunnels during seismic impacts are the primary tasks of the population's life support. The preservation of the environment also depends on the seismic safety of underground pipelines that transport energy carriers. Experimental studies of the behavior of underground and above ground structures under seismic or equivalent dynamic effects are very important. In recent years, centrifugal modeling methods have been effectively used in experimental studies of structures and their dynamics. The experimental results have undoubtedly led to new knowledge and, consequently, to new theories in seismic resistance of structures and infrastructure.

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