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Recent Studies in Static and Dynamic Behaviour of Engineering Structures

Message from the Guest Editors

Engineering structures are very important to people and society. It is crucial to understand the static and dynamic behaviours of engineering structures in order to enhance their design, construction, maintenance, management, etc. However, this understanding is challenging for many structures. On the one hand, under different loads, the same structures have different behaviours; on the other hand, different structures present varying behaviour when subjected to different loads. Thus, this Special Issue provides a forum for recent studies on the static and dynamic behaviours of engineering structures. Topics of interest for this Special Issue may include, but are not limited to, the following:

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- Static loads such as fires, snow, heavy furniture, etc.
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