Special Issue

Research on Statics and Dynamics of Structures

Message from the Guest Editors

We are pleased to invite you to contribute to the Special Issue "Research on Statics and Dynamics of Structures". Various static and dynamic loads can affect the safety and durability of civil structures, especially for complex accidental loads such as earthquakes, wind, vehicle, waves, etc. The objective of this Special Issue is to collate the most up-to-date research trends in performance assessment of structures under static and dynamic laods. Within this framework, we welcome contributions that discuss analytical, experimental, and numerical methods for evaluating the linear and non-linear structural response, and advanced approaches for the analysis of new and existing structures including frameworks, bridges, dams, nuclear power plants, ocean platforms, etc.

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