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Damping Materials

Message from the Collection Editor

Modern structures are increasingly made of lightweight materials due to the well-known social need for energy savings. Despite their superior structural characteristics, lightweight structures exhibit poor vibrational and acoustic isolation levels. Structural integrity and comfort are therefore compromised. In order to maintain comfort and safety levels within acceptable limits, additional damping is necessary in several contemporary applications. This Special Issue will bring together academic and industrial researchers leading the field of mass-efficient, high-damping materials and structures. The Special Issue will comprise high-quality manuscripts presenting a comprehensive range of cutting-edge technologies for damping enhancement strategies. Full papers, communications, as well as reviews are welcome. Assoc. Prof. Dr. Dimitrios Chronopoulos

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