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Risk Management Technologies for Deep Excavations in Water-Rich Areas

Message from the Guest Editors

Due to the adverse effect of high hydraulic head pressure in water-rich area, deep excavations in that area inevitably involve a relatively high risk of instabilities, which might result in large-scale failures imperiling human lives, personnel property, and economic balance. Risk management for deep excavations in water-rich areas is a systematic process of identifying potential hazards and mitigating them in order to maintain a specified degree of safety throughout the duration of the project. In engineering practice, the commonly adopted countermeasure against the detriment of water infiltration induced by great water head difference is carrying out dewatering during the construction of deep excavation in water-rich areas. The objective of this Special Issue is to provide a platform for researchers to report new advances in risk management technologies for deep excavations in water-rich areas and their many applications. Both original research and review articles are welcome.

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