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ASSESSMENT AND MITIGATION OF LIQUEFACTION POTENTIAL ACROSS EUROPE

A holistic approach to protect structures / infrastructures for improved resilience to earthquake-induced liquefaction disasters





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LIQUEFACTION RISK ASSESSMENT PROCEDURE APPLIED TO RELEVANT CASE STUDIES

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NICHOLAS NEOCLES AMBRASEYS (1929-2012)

ENGINEERING SEISMOLOGY is not a subject taught in Universities and it is one that requires both scientific and engineering knowledge. To acquire this it is not sufficient merely to attend short courses or read papers on the subject, it is necessary in addition to develop an intimate knowledge of all aspects of the subject; much of this can be achieved by studying the effects of earthquakes in the field. Through the field study of earthquake effects on engineering structures and on the ground itself, a unique opportunity exists to develop an understanding of the behaviour of full-scale structures, when tested by nature. It is only through properly run field studies that ground and structural failures, liquefaction and slope stability can be properly back-analysed. Existing building codes and regulations, as well as the efficacy of their enforcement and implementation, can be tested only after an earthquake. Furthermore, field study allows the interaction of ideas and the testing of theories in situ between members of a mission who are drawn from different disciplines and helps the young engineer to choose his line of research on realistic grounds and with enthusiasm.





Society

Service

delivery

Buildings

Lifelines

Subsoil

LIQUEFACTION RISK ASSESSMENT



Main Outcomes from LIQUEFACT Project





LIQUEFACTION RISK ASSESSMENT

Validation





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ACCURACY COMPREHENSIVENESS SYNTHESIS

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DATA FILTERING AND MANAGEMENT OF UNCERTAINTY



Standard deviation of the error











Crust thickness from CPT profiles (m) Cross-validation

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VALIDATION CRITERION: Prediction vs Observation

METRICS (Luco & Cornell, 2007; Jalayer & Cornell, 2009)



VALIDATION CRITERIA: Prediction vs Observation



Area Under Curve (Kongar et al., 2015)



Special thanks to:





CHRISTCHURCH (NEW ZEALAND)







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TERRE DEL RENO (ITALY)



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LIQUEFACTION HAZARD: Indicators

$$INDEX = \int_{Z_{min}}^{Z_{max}} f_1(FSL) * w(z) dz$$

(Boulanger & Idriss, 2014 - 2015)



INDEX	REFERENCE	f ₁ (FSL)	w(z)	Z	
LPI	lwasaki, 1978	$\begin{array}{ll} 1-FSL & \text{ if } FSL < 1 \\ 0 & \text{ if } FSL \geq 1 \end{array}$	10 – 0.5z	$Z_{min} = 0$ $Z_{max} = 20 m$	L Li
LPlish	Maurer, 2015	$\{ \begin{array}{ll} 1 - FSL & \text{if} FSL \leq 1 \cap H1 \cdot m(FSL) \leq 3\\ 0 & otherwhise \end{array} \\ \\ \mathbf{W} \text{here:} \\ \mathbf{m}(FSL) = exp\left(\frac{5}{25.56(1 - FSL)}\right) - 1 \end{array}$	$\frac{25.56}{z}$	$Z_{min} = H1$ $Z_{max} = 20m$	P
w	Zhang et al., 2002	$\boldsymbol{\varepsilon}_{v} = \boldsymbol{\varepsilon}_{v} (\text{FSL}, qc 1 N_{cs})$	-	$Z_{min} = 0$ $Z_{max} = max depth$	3
LSN	van Ballegooy, 2014	$\varepsilon_v = \varepsilon_v \ (\text{FSL}, qc1N_{cs})$	$\frac{1000}{z}$	$Z_{min} = 0$ $Z_{max} = 20 m$	н

Liquefaction for FSL < 1 Linear weight with depth

Crust thickness (H₁) Power-law depth weight

 ϵ_v (Dr, FSL) also for FSL>1

Hyperbolic depth weight

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Terre del Reno (San Carlo) – May 2012



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Christchurch – Feb $2011 - (M_w = 6.2)$



INDICATOR	AUC	β	OPTIMAL THRESHOLD
LPI	0.74	0.491	≈3
LPIish	0.75	0.655	≈1-2
W_cm	0.69	0.801	≈5
LSN	0.72	0.431	≈10

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a) Compute the cyclic resistance ratio (CRR) and cap the maximum at 0.6;





three-layer profiles;



d) Classify the equivalent soil profile accounting for the size, position and the resistance of the potentially liquefiable layer.









INDICATOR	AUC	β	OPTIMAL THRESHOLD
LPI	0.87	0.396	≈3-5
LPIish	0.80	0.633	≈2
W_cm	0.77	0.357	≈3-4
LSN	0.80	0.301	≈8-10

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VULNERABILITY OF BUILDINGS

- BUILDING TYPOLOGY (e.g. GEM taxonomy)
- 2. DAMAGE SCALE (e.g. FEMA, 1999)
- 3. ENGINEERING DEMAND PARAMETER



PREN1997 (Appendix H)



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VULNERABILITY OF BUILDINGS: EDP



Fotopoulou S., Karafagka S., Pitilakis K., (2018)

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VULNERABILITY OF BUILDINGS: EDP

FACTORS GOVERNING DIFFERENTIAL SETTLEMENTS PREN1997 (2008)

- (4)P Calculations of differential settlement shall take account of:
- the occurrence and rate of settlements and ground movements;

random and systematic variations in ground properties;

- the loading distribution;
- the construction method (including the sequence of loading);

- the stiffness of the structure during and after construction.

PREN1997 (2008)

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VULNERABILITY OF BUILDINGS: Numerical modelling



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VULNERABILITY OF BUILDINGS: Influence of building stiffness



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VULNERABILITY OF BUILDINGS: Influence of subsoil variability



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VULNERABILITY OF BUILDINGS: Influence of subsoil variability





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Karamitros et al. (2013)



Bray & Macedo (2017)



Bullock et al. (2018)

INDEX	REFERENCE	IM	SUBSOIL	BUILDING
ρ	Karamitros et al., 2013	$a_{max} T^2 N = \pi^2 \int_{t=0}^{N \cdot T} v(t) dt$	Three-layer	Foundation bearing pressure
Ds	Bray and Macedo, 2017	CAVdp, Sa1	Three-layer	Building geometry, depth and contact pressure of foundation
Sadj	Bullock et al.,2018	CAV	Multi-layer Low/high permeability cap	Building geometry, Inertial mass, foundation embedment depth, foundation contact pressure



VULNERABILITY OF BUILDINGS: Validation



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VULNERABILITY OF BUILDINGS: Absolute settlements





INDICATOR	AUC	OPT THRESH
Sadj	0.71	≈12 (mm)
Ds	0.68	5-7 (mm)
ρ	0.56	≈3 (mm)
LSN	0.58	≈24

TERRE DEL RENO (Italy) May $20^{th} 2012 M_w = 5.9$

VULNERABILITY OF BUILDINGS: Absolute settlements

Christchurch February 22nd 2011 - M_w=6.2





INDICATOR	AUC
Sadj (Bullock et al., 2018)	0.63
Dt (Bray Macedo, 2017)	0.63
P (Karamitros et al., 2013)	0.63
LSN (van Ballegooy et al., 2014)	0.57

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VULNERABILITY OF BUILDINGS: Absolute settlements

Christchurch February 22nd 2011 - M_w=6.2



- Number of building levels >2
- Moderate damage

Taylor et al. (2015)



INDICATOR	AUC	OPTIMAL THRESOLD (MCC)
Sadj_mm (Bullock et al., 2018)	0.72	≈180 mm
Pdyn_mm (Karamitros et al., 2013)	0.74	≈180 mm
Dt_mm (Bray & Macedo 2017)	0.74	≈250 - 260 mm





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VULNERABILITY OF BUILDINGS: Absolute settlements

Christchurch February 22nd 2011 - M_W =6.2



-	Number	of	building	levels >	>2
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- Three layer subsoil (err<10%)
- Major damage

Taylor et al. (2015)





INDICATOR	AUC	OPTIMAL THRESOLD (MCC)
Sadj_mm (Bullock et al., 2018)	0.74	≈180 mm
Pdyn_mm (Karamitros et al., 2013)	0.75	≈280-290 mm
Dt_mm (Bray & Macedo 2017)	0.89	≈320 mm





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URAYASU (CHIBA PREFECTURE)







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Geotechnical Database

Damage Survey



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FACTORS vs EFFECTS





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DAMAGE ON PIPELINES



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-0.6 ~ -0.4 -0.8 ~ -0.F ~ -0.8 (

DAMAGE ON PIPELINES

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DAMAGE ON PIPELINES







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DAMAGE ON PIPELINES





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DAMAGE ON PIPELINES





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LIQUEFACTION RISK ASSESSMENT

LOCALIZATION

DEFINITION

Exploit all information Quantify errors of estimates Reduce uncertainty

GEOSTATISTICS

QUANTIFICATION



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G. Modoni - Liquefaction risk assessment procedure applied to relevant case studies

LIQUEFACTION RISK ASSESSMENT

Engineering Demand Parameters STATISTICS

LOCALIZATION

DEFINITION

LPI/LPI__{lsh}/LSN - single/multiple liquefiable layer

EDP for buildings: settlement

QUANTIFICATION

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LOCALIZATION

DEFINITION

LIQUEFACTION RISK ASSESSMENT



OBSERVED DAMAGE



- VERY HIGH (60% < DAMAGE ≤ 99%)</p>
- COMPLETE (DAMAGE = 100%)

QUANTIFICATION

EXPECTED DAMAGE

- VERY LOW (DAMAGE<5%)
- Output LOW (5% < DAMAGE ≤ 10%)</p>
- MEDIUM (10% < DAMAGE ≤ 30%)
- HIGH (30% < DAMAGE ≤ 70%)</p>
- San Carlo (Terre del Reno)
- VERY HIGH (DAMAGE ≥ 70%)



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LIQUEFACTION RISK ASSESSMENT

MITIGATION UNIT COST = 20,00 €/m³



Benefit/cost analysis for the mitigaton against liquefaction for civil buildings in Terre del Reno





LIQUEFACTION RISK ASSESSMENT

HP: Mitigation Cost 100,00 €/mc

LOCALIZATION

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Benefit/cost analysis for the mitigaton against liquefaction for industrial buildings in Terre del Reno





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LIQUEFACTION RISK ASSESSMENT



Annualized probability of damage on pipilines in Urayasu (Japan)





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Predicted modification of the traffic flow in the area of Terre del Reno (Italy)

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