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Latest advances in seismic hazard and risk assessment for urban environment and critical infrastructures

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The European Seismic Hazard Model ESHM20

- Update and extension of the 2013 European Seismic Hazard Model ESHM13
- Robust, transparent, and fully documented seismic hazard model that is scientifically and technically sound, based on the latest datasets and knowledge
- Uniform seismic hazard model fully harmonized across national borders to cover the Euro-Mediterranean Region
- Capturing and communicating the data, assumptions, and model uncertainties
- □ Input to the 2020 European Seismic Risk Model (ESRM20)
- **Support the seismic design code revision activities of CEN/TC250 SC8**

Danciu L., Nandan S., Reyes C., Basili R., Weatherill G., Beauval C., Rovida A., Vilanova S., Sesetyan K., Bard P-Y., Cotton F., Wiemer S., Giardini D. (2021) - The 2020 update of the European Seismic Hazard Model: Model Overview. EFEHR Technical Report 001, v1.0.0, https://doi.org/10.12686/a15.



Construction of the Unified Earthquake Catalogue

EMEC, the instrumental European-Mediterranean Earthquake Catalogue

S. Lammers, G. Grünthal, G. Wheatherill, F. Cotton GFZ Seismic Hazard and Risk Dynamics



Fig. 1.4 The complete EMEC catalogue for the period 1900 – 2012.



Main results of ESHM20

The ESHM20 results depict time-independent earthquake ground-shaking exceedance levels for a uniform rock site condition of $V_{s,30} \ge 800$ m/s.

- 1) More than 500 hazard maps for specified intensity measure types (PGA, spectra acceleration with 5% damping at predominant periods in the range of 0.05s to 5s) and five mean return periods (i.e. 50, 475, 975, 2500 and 5000 years).
- 2) Hazard curves at every computational site, depicting the mean, median (50th) and four quantiles (5th, 16th, 84th and 95th) for all intensity measure types.
- 3) Uniform Hazard Spectra depicting the mean, median (50th) and four quantiles (5th, 16th, 84th and 95th) and five mean return periods (i.e. 50, 475, 975, 2500 and 5000 years) estimated at every location of the computational grid.
- 4) Disaggregation of the hazard results (will be provided as an online tool within the following year).
- All results are available online at <u>hazard.EFEHR.org</u>



Indicative results of ESHM20





The European Seismic Risk Model ESRM20

Main features:

- European Seismic Hazard Model 2020 (ESHM20): Seismogenic source model and ground motion model logic trees
- European Site Amplification Model: European model of proxy site data (geological era and topography) serving as input variables to the ground motion models
- European Exposure Model: distribution of the number, value and occupants of buildings in 44 European countries, divided into residential, commercial and industrial occupancy classes and classified according to different structural classes.
- Vulnerability Models: for a large number of vulnerability classes, a model of the probability of loss (fatality and economic loss) given a level of ground shaking, and a mapping table to map structural classes in exposure model to these vulnerability classes.

Crowley H., Dabbeek J., Despotaki V., Rodrigues D., Martins L., Silva V., Romão, X., Pereira N., Weatherill G. and Danciu L. (2021) European Seismic Risk Model (ESRM20), EFEHR Technical Report 002, V1.0.0, 84 pp, https://doi.org/10.7414/EUC-EFEHR-TR002-ESRM20



European Site Amplification Model



Raster dataset of slope (calculated from the GEBCO_2014 DEM using GMT's grdgradient function)



Vs30 inferred from GEBCO topography/bathymetry using the Wald and Allen (2007) correlation approach



European Exposure Model

- Exposure models for 44 countries (Europe & Turkey)
- Residential, commercial and industrial buildings
- Based mainly on public national census data (at highest resolution available) on dwellings, buildings, population, work force.
- Source data being shared publicly on EFEHR GitHub repository: https://gitlab.seismo.ethz.ch/efehr/e srm20_exposure





European Vulnerability Model

- Fragility models are produced considering damage state threshold displacements.
- Vulnerability models for each SDOF are calculated by applying damage-loss models for economic loss and fatalities to the fragility functions.





ESRM20 Indicative Outputs



Fig. 6.3 Map of the average annual economic loss across Europe at administrative level 1 Crowley et al. (2021)



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New seismic hazard maps for the National Annexes of Greece and Cyprus

- The seismic hazard maps in Greece and Cyprus have been in force for more than 20 years. They are outdated.
- The ongoing revision of Eurocode 8 (CEN/TC250/SC8 committee) brings substantial changes in the definition of seismic actions
 - → Need and opportunity to revise the National Annexes
- The results of the recently published European Seismic Hazard Model ESHM20 (Danciu et al., 2021) an opportunity to update the national seismic hazard maps



Seismic design actions according to the revised EC8

 S_{α} : maximum spectral acceleration (for 5% damping) corresponding to the constant acceleration branch of the horizontal elastic response spectrum

S_β: spectral acceleration (for 5% damping) of the horizontal elastic response spectrum corresponding to an vibration period T_{β} =1.0s

$$S_{\alpha} = F_T F_a S_{a,475}$$
$$S_{\beta} = F_T F_{\beta} S_{\beta,475}$$

- F_{α} : soil amplification factor applied to the S_{α}
- F_{β} : soil amplification factor applied to the S_{β}
- $\mathbf{F}_{\mathbf{T}}$: topography amplification factor





ESHM20 $S_{\alpha,475}$ and $S_{\beta,475}$ maps for Greece

median $S_{\alpha,475}$ (rock)







Seismic hazard map for Greece



Proposed seismic hazard map for rock conditions (V_s>800 m/s)

20 000	Seismic Zone	S _{α,47} ₅ (g)	S _{β,47} ₅ (g)	PG A (q)	T _A (s)	T _B (s)	T _C (s)	T _D (s)
100.20	Zone 1	0.32	0.13	0.13	0.0 2	0.10	0.41	2.28
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Current seismic hazard map of Cyprus





Development of the seismic hazard map for Cyprus

median $S_{\alpha,475}$ (rock)

median $S_{\beta,475}$ (rock)





Proposed seismic hazard map for Cyprus

 Step 1: Use of the Natural Breaks algorithm (Jenks, 1967) to categorise Cyprus into three zones based on S_{α,475} for rock conditions. The three zones are assigned the mean values of the median values of S_{α,475} and the PGA, defined as S_{α,475}/2,5.





Proposed seismic hazard map for Cyprus

Step 2: Calculation of the ratio of the proposed zone-based PGA to the PGA from the nearest point
of the ESHM20 canvas + population criteria



Population	Accepted range for the ratio Proposed PGA/ PGA from ESHM20	
<20.000	± 0,20	
20.000-100.000	± 0,15	
>100.000	± 0,10	



Proposed seismic hazard map for Cyprus

• Step 3: The procedure is repeated until the population-based criterion is fully satisfied



Ρήγα, Ε., Κυριακίδης, Ν., Αποστολάκη, Σ., Πιτιλάκης, Κ., Πιτιλάκης, Δ. (2022). Πρόταση ενός νέου χάρτη σεισμικής επικινδυνότητας για την Κύπρο. 5ο Πανελλήνιο Συνέδριο Αντισεισμικής Μηχανικής και Τεχνικής Σεισμολογίας, Αθήνα, 20-22 Οκτωβρίου 2022



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Probabilistic seismic hazard and risk assessment for Thessaloniki, Greece



- Local site conditions from the microzonation study of Thessaloniki
- Expected ground shaking for the Return Periods (RP) of 101, 475, 975, and 2500 years
- 75,169 residential buildings in Thessaloniki
- Stochastic Event-Based Damage Analysis (SEBD) & Risk Analysis (SEBD) using the Romão et al. (2021) vulnerability model

Apostolaki S, Riga E, Pitilakis D. (2022). Probabilistic seismic hazard and risk assessment of Thessaloniki, Greece. 3rd European Conference on Earthquake Engineering & Seismology. 4-9 September, Bucharest, Romania.



Results of the PSHA analysis





Results of the Stochastic Event-based Risk analysis





Loss exceedance curve for Thessaloniki



GDP = 217.7 billion €



Risk assessment at national level (Greece)

Economic losses under exposure to 475y-return period ground motion

Total losses: 39,3 billion €

Loss ratio= 0.09

Residential buildings 2011 census Total reconstruction cost: 450 billion €





Seismic risk assessment of the Cyprus building stock

Critical buildings and facilities

Existence of detailed microzonation studies covering all major cities allows the accurate evaluation of site specific ground amplification



Microzonation studies in Cyprus

Limassol (2000)

Paphos (2005)

Ammochostos (2020)



GEOportal of Cyprus Geological Survey Department https://geoportal-gsd.moa.gov.cy/portal/apps/



Seismic demand for industrial facilities in the Eurocodes

Current EC8 – Part 4

- □ partially covers the design of industrial facilities (silos, tanks and pipelines)
- \Box provides recommended values for importance factors, γ_i , for four importance classes I-IV

Important Class	Importance factor yi
I (low risk)	0.8
II (medium risk)	1
III (high risk)	1.2
IV (exceptional risk)	1.6

- suggests that the National Annexes should provide more precise values which may differentiate for the various seismic zones of the country
- alternatively provides a formula to calculate importance factors for a given return period



Seismic demand for industrial facilities in the Eurocodes

Revision of EC8 (ongoing):

- Appropriate return periods, T_{LS,CC}, or performance factors, γ_{LS,CC}, should be selected based on limit state (LS) and consequence class (CC) of structures.
- For structures covered by Part 4 (Silos, tanks and pipelines, towers, masts and chimneys), the Significant Damage (SD) limit state is recommended (structure and its ancillary elements are significantly damaged, but both retain their structural integrity with controlled leakage of contents).

	Consequence class (CC)						
	CC1	CC2	CC3-a	CC3-b			
NC	800	1600	2500	5000			
SD	250	475	1300	2500			
DL	50	60	150	250			

Table 4.2 (NDP) Return periods $T_{LS,CC}$ of seismic action in years

Table 4.3	(NDP)	Performance f	actors	γls,cc
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	Consequence class (CC)					
	CC1	CC2	CC3-a	CC3-b		
NC	1,2	1,5	1,8	2,2		
SD	0,8	1,0	1,4	1,8		
DL	0,4	0,5	0,7	0,8		



Implication of the ESHM20 to the seismic design of industrial facilities



Approach 1 - Current EC8 hazard for 475 years x importance factor (1.6)

Approach 2 - Revised EC8 with $S_{\alpha,475}$ and $S_{\beta,475}$ from ESHM20 x performance factor (1.8)

Pitilakis, K., Butenweg, C., Riga, E., Apostolaki, S., Renault, P. (2023). The new seismic hazard model ESHM20 of Europe: Investigating the implications to the seismic design and risk assessment of major industrial facilities across Europe, Bulletin of Earthquake Engineering



Implication of the ESHM20 to the seismic design of industrial facilities



Local site conditions \rightarrow V_{s,30} from site response model of ESRM20 (Weatherill et al., 2021)



Development of S_{$\alpha,RP} and S_{<math>\beta,RP} maps for high return periods at European scale</sub>$ </sub>

RP = 2500 years



Apostolaki, S., Riga, E., Pitilakis, D. Pitilakis, K. (2024). EC8-compatible seismic hazard maps for high return periods for the design of industrial facilities, 18th World Conference on Earthquake Engineering, June 30-July 5, Milan, Italy (accepted abstract).



Application at Vasilikos Power Station in Cyprus

APPLICATION \rightarrow a hypothetical steel Storage Tank at the Vasilikos Power Station

SEISMIC DESIGN (2500 years return period) →

Approach 1 - Current EC8 hazard for 475 years x importance factor (1.6) Approach 2 - Revised EC8 with $S_{\alpha,475}$ and $S_{\beta,475}$ from ESHM20 x performance factor (1.8) Approach 3 - Revised EC8 with $S_{\alpha,2500}$ and $S_{\beta,2500}$ from developed hazard maps





Application at Vasilikos Power Station in Cyprus

Elastic response spectra for rock conditions and considering site effects for the return period of 2500 years

Vs,30 ≈ 430 m/s from site response model of ESRM20 (Weatherill et al., 2021) - Soil categorization:

- Soil type B based on the current EC8
- Soil type B based on the revised EC8 considering the intermediate depth class





Application at Vasilikos Power Station in Cyprus

Expected probabilities of being in each damage state for the hypothetical steel storage tank





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SafeSchools: An earthquake early warning and early damage assessment tool for critical buildings

https://www.safeschools.gr/ 4. Quality control & 3. Data data pre-processing collection rom network New (of autonomous energy) network monitoring critical buildings / schools 7. Notification of arrival time and earthquake magnitude and possible damage so as to signal or not an 5. Receive and alarm and to take immediate action process data at the control center 1. In the event of an earthquake, three types waves are propagated: the faster P waves (primary) and the most destructive, 6. The control center determines the the surface and S waves (secondary) earthquake location and magnitude and estimates the expected damages for each building primary way Existing permanent condary waves network of seismographs accelerometers 2. Permanent network devices record seismic fault surface the propagation of seismic waves and P waves waves transmit data directly to Cloud epicentre

Pitilakis, K., Fotopoulou, S., Manakou M., Karafagka S., Petridis C., Raptakis D., Pitilakis D., 2024. Effective seismic risk reduction of critical facilities: a utopia, a wishful idea, or a realistic challenge? The SafeSchools project, Bulletin of Earthquake Engineering (under review).

To develop an innovative system for the earthquake early warning and real-time risk assessment of critical buildings against earthquakes, which can be immediately extended to other critical infrastructures and natural disasters.



Concept detailing





Application to school buildings





SB2



SB3





Application to school buildings

FE model of SB2- part A





FE model of SB2- part B



FE model of SB3





Building-specific fragility curves

School building-specific fragility curves may be different from generic ones





Real-time risk assessment

- The system is capable to estimate the expected damage and loss level using the vulnerability curves assigned for each building, (generic or building specific) providing immediately a warning to the end-users for the incoming earthquake event based on the level of expected intensity and risk.
- □ All information is saved to a central database in a control centre
- □ A three-color building safety categorization is assigned:
 - Given "for none or slight non-structural damages"
 - "yellow" for moderate structural damages and



Real-time risk assessment

□ The overall system informs/warns in two stages (levels):

- at the first level, it informs each school (through automation in the form of a siren) and the control center (e.g. through a light indicator) about the intensity level of the upcoming earthquake, in terms of M and PGA and
- at the second level, with a short time delay, it informs the responsible persons (e.g. Civil Protection, Municipality, school director) about the level of the expected damages for each school (green, yellow, red).



Visualization, alert, and communication





SafeSchools

https://www.safeschools.gr/

- □ An innovative system for earthquake early warning and real-time damage assessment, specifically designed to protect critical buildings like schools
- Generic or improved building-specific vulnerability curves may be applied using monitoring data from small seismic events and ambient noise measurements
- Design and development of low-cost accelerometric stations (MEMs)
- Efficient stakeholder-specific visualization and alarming platform
- Implementation in number of school buildings in Thessaloniki, Greece



RiskSchools system

https://riskschools.gr/

- RiskSchools system
- □ RiskSchools **smartphone app** for the rapid visual screening of school buildings
- RiskSchools platform
- RiskSchools application in Central Macedonia Greece

Karafagka, S., Riga E., Oikonomou G., Karatzetzou A, Fotopoulou, S., Pitilakis D., Pitilakis, K. 2023. RiskSchools: A prioritization-based system for the risk assessment of school buildings combining rapid visual screening smartphone app and detailed vulnerability analysis, Bulletin of Earthquake Engineering (accepted).



Where RiskSchools could be helpful?

- □ Evaluate school buildings seismic risk and retrofitting needs
- □ Prioritize risk and design seismic risk mitigation programs for school buildings
- Planning post-earthquake building safety evaluation efforts
- □ Improving the robustness of decision-making procedures and risk mitigation strategies



RiskSchools system





RiskSchools system – Building statistics





RiskSchools system – Local site conditions





RiskSchools system – Seismic hazard



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RiskSchools system – Rapid Visual Screening





RiskSchools system - Vulnerability





RiskSchools system - Risk





Application to the school buildings of Central Macedonia

T = 475 years







T = 1000 years









Application to the school buildings of Central Macedonia





Application to the school buildings of Central Macedonia





Systemic seismic risk analysis



Pitilakis, K., Franchin, P., Khazai, B. and Wenzel, H. eds., 2014. SYNER-G: systemic seismic vulnerability and risk assessment of complex urban, utility, lifeline systems and critical facilities: methodology and applications . Springer.

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Implementation of Infrastructure Risk to OpenQuake





OpenQuake is a widely accepted, open tool (PYTHON based); possess a largest hazard library with maximum number of GMPEs; compute risk and vulnerability of the buildings.

Combination of the capabilities of this powerful platform with infrastructure and systemic risk assessment is expected to gain wide and extensive application around the globe

Poudel A, Pitilakis K, Silva V, Rao A (2023) Infrastructure Seismic Risk Assessment: An Overview and Integration to Contemporary Open Tool Towards Global Usage, Bulletin of Earthquake Engineering, doi.org/10.1007/s10518-023-01693-z



Systemic Seismic Risk of Critical Infrastructures at Urban Scale

Interdependencies with respect to the healthcare system





Water, electrical power and road systems in Thessaloniki





Local Site Conditions to System Performance



Spatial distribution of Vs.30 models of Thessaloniki according to USGS slope-based model (left) and measured values (right)



Performance of the Hospitals



Impact from various external interdependent infrastructures to each hospital considering the effect of interdependencies



Performance of the Hospitals



GHT"G. Papanikolaou"	H1
GHT"Papageorgiou"	H2
GHT"Ippokratio"	H3
GHT"G. Gennimatas"	H4
GHT"Agios Pavlos"	H5
GHT"Agios Dimitrios"	H6
AHEPA University Hospital	H7
General Military Hospital	H8
Inter-Balkan Medical Center	H9
St. Luke's Hospital	H10

Impact from various external interdependent infrastructures to each hospital considering the effect of interdependencies



Systemic Seismic Risk of Critical Infrastructures at Urban Scale

Case study: Healthcare System of Thessaloniki



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Thank you