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Articles in press

The following articles have recently been made available online:

Review on Recent developments in the performance-based seismic design of reinforced concrete structures

Mohd. Zameeruddin and Keshav K. Sangle, Department of Structural Engineering, Veermata Jijabai Technological Institute, Matunga, Mumbai, India

http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.istruc.2016.03.001

Influence of a Deformable Contour Ring on the Nonlinear Dynamic Response of Cable Nets

Isabella Vassilopoulou and Charis J. Gantes, Institute of Steel Structures, School of Civil Engineering, National Technical University of Athens, Greece

http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.istruc.2016.02.007

Parametric Characterization of RC Bridges for Seismic Assessment Purposes

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Seismic behavior of RC building structures designed according to current codes

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Construction Details and Observed Earthquake Performance of Unreinforced Clay Brick Masonry Cavitywalls

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Nominal Curvature Design of Circular HSC Columns Confined with Posttensioned Steel Straps

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A general characterization of the Hardy Cross method as sequential and multiprocess algorithms

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Jawed Qureshi, J. Toby Mottram and Behrouz Zafari

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Partial safety factor for reinforcement

Andrew Beeby and Paul Jackson Volume 5, February 2016 http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j. istruc.2015.09.002

Geometrically and materially nonlinear creep behaviour of reinforced concrete columns

Ehab Hamed and Cynthia Lai Volume 5, February 2016 http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j. istruc.2015.07.001

Experimental testing of grouted connections for offshore substructures: A critical review

Paul Dallyn, Ashraf El-Hamalawi, Alessandro Palmeri and Robert Knight

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Performance-based Seismic Design of an Irregular Tall Building – A Case Study Ali Ruzi Özuygur

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