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Aspects expérimentaux

Glissements de terrains associés aux tremblements de terre en Iran

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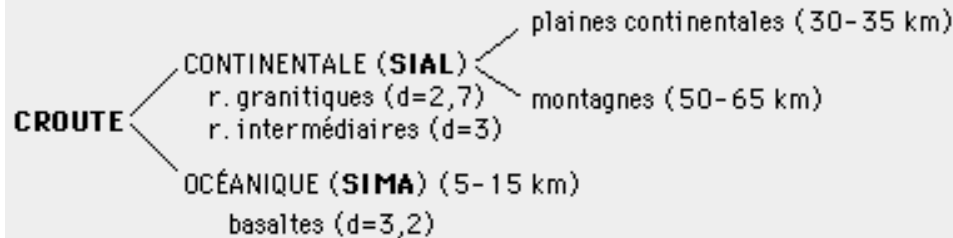
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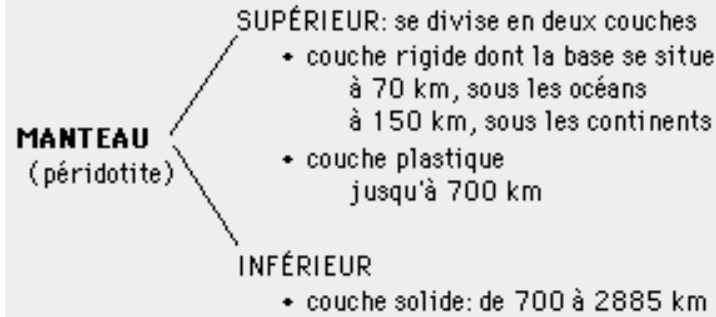
Quelques éléments de géophysique

Structure du globe terrestre

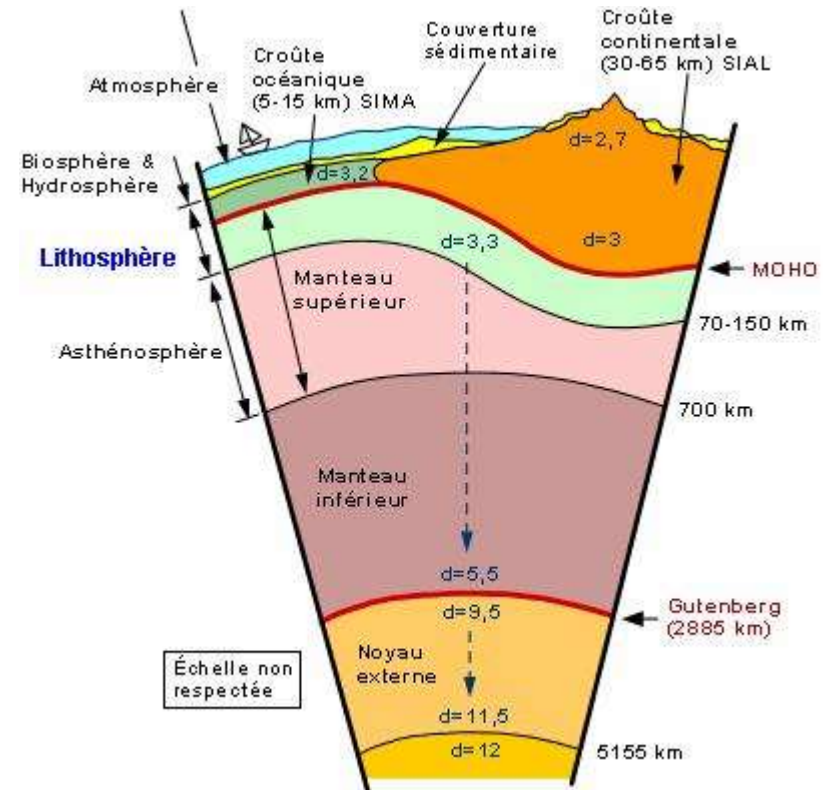
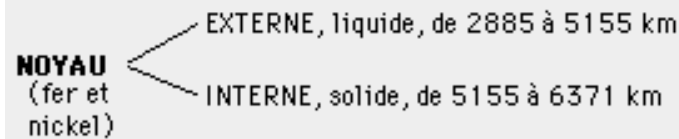
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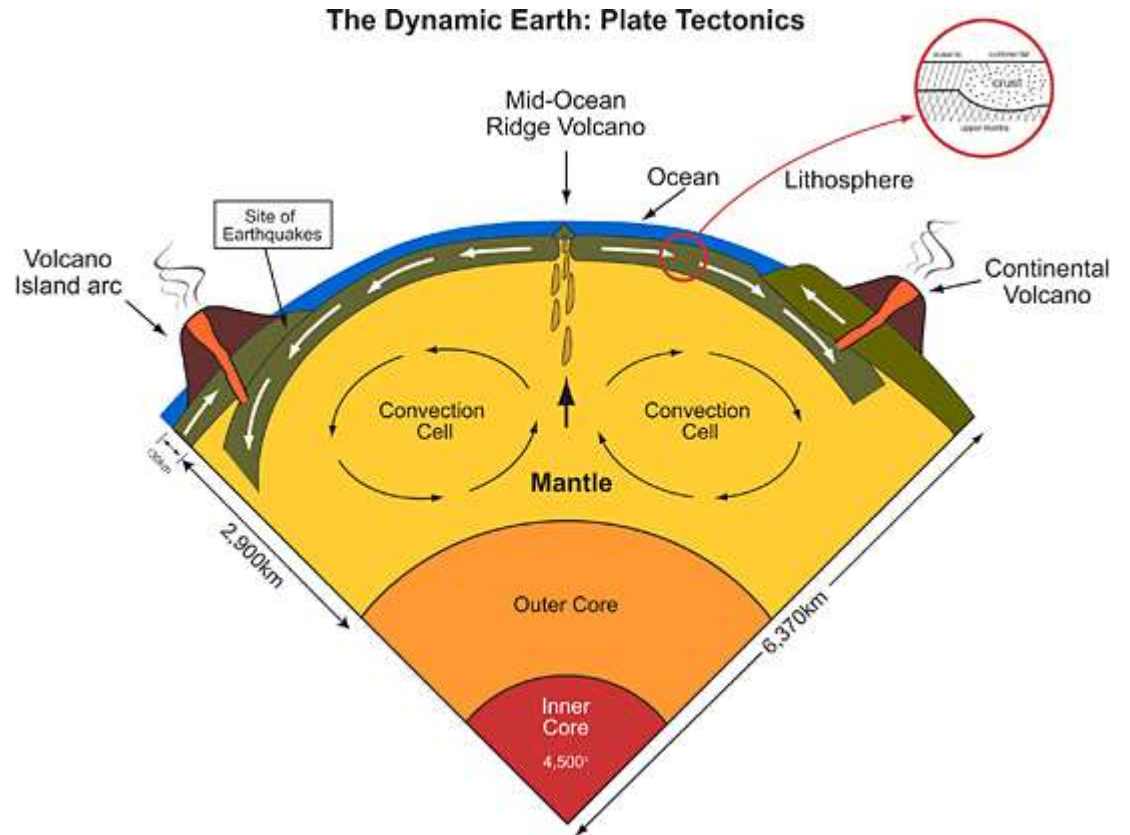
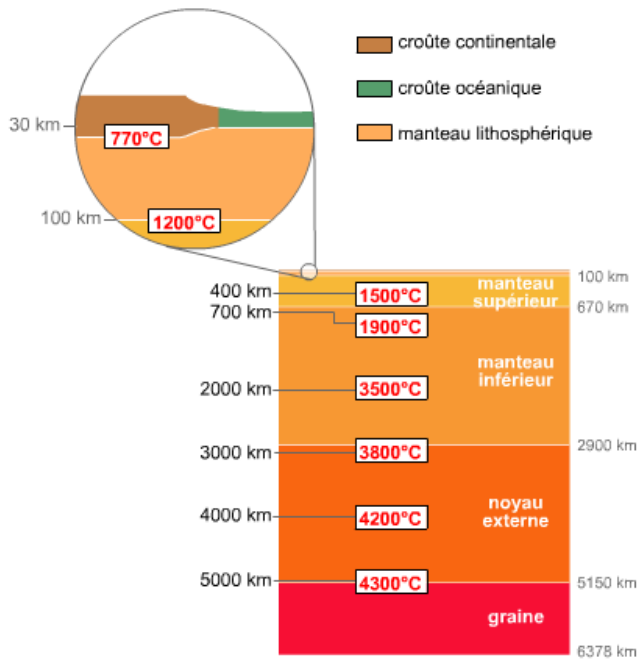
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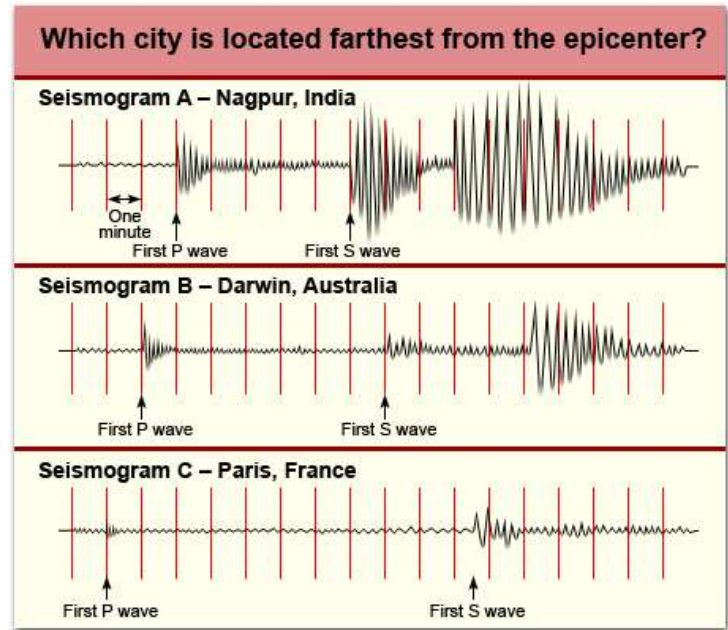
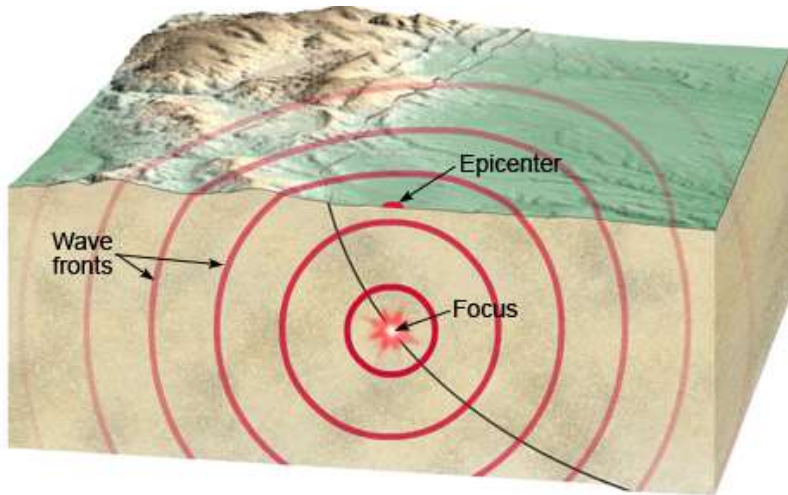
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Géodynamique interne

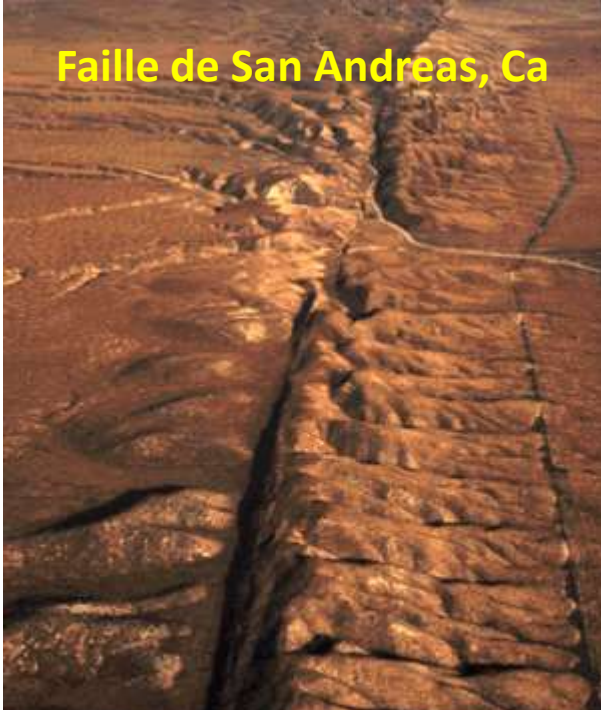


Sismicité et tremblements de terre

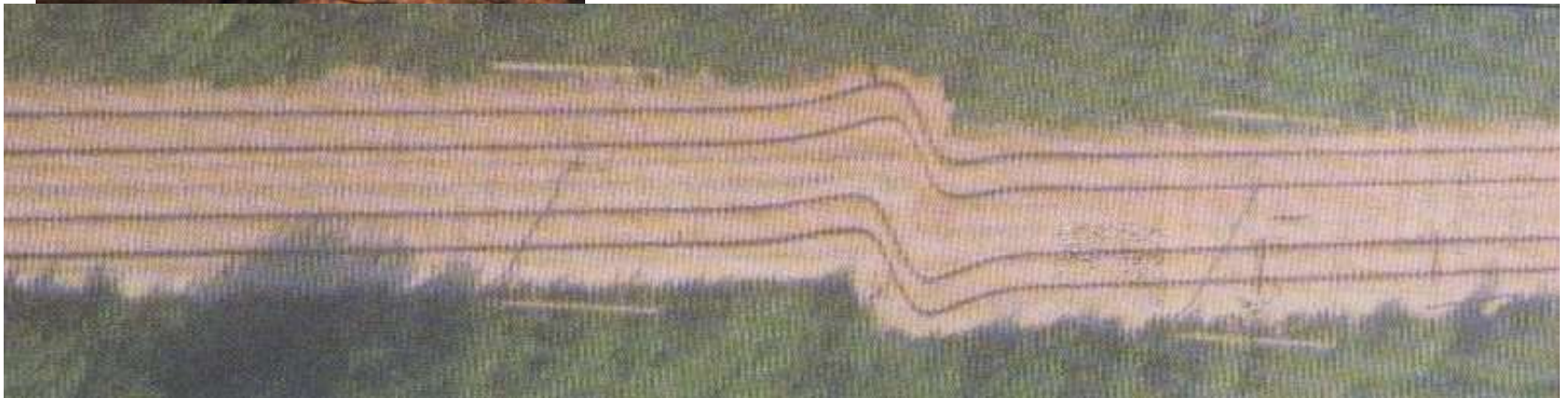


Failles majeures et séismes

Faille de San Andreas, Ca



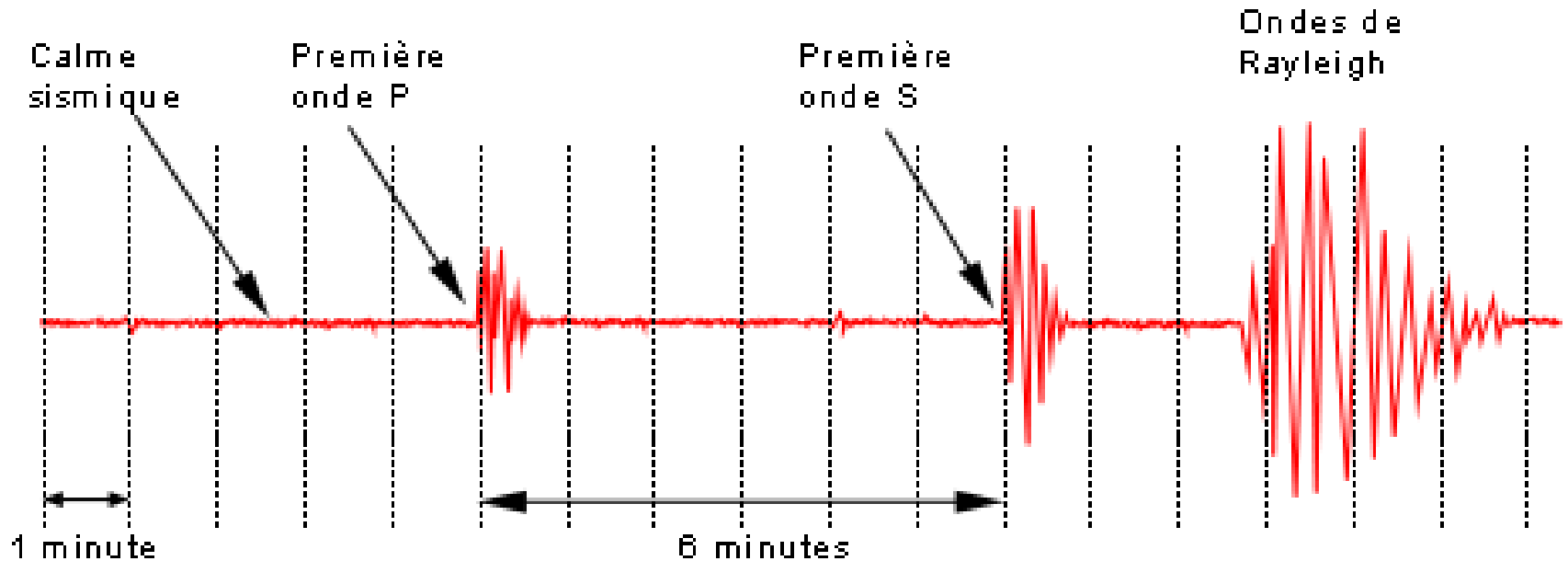
Séisme en Turquie



Différents types d'ondes

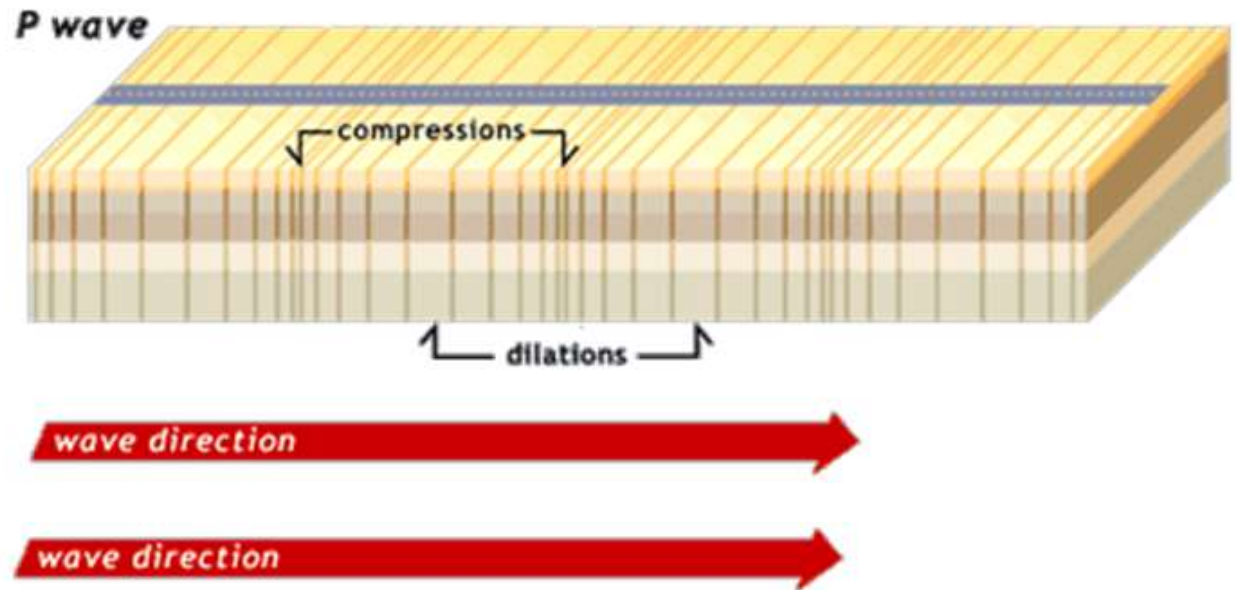
Différents types d'ondes

- **Onde de volume**
 - Ondes primaires, P (onde longitudinale ou de compression)
 - Ondes secondes, S (onde transverse ou de cisaillement)
- **Ondes de surface**
 - Ondes de Rayleigh
 - Ondes de Love

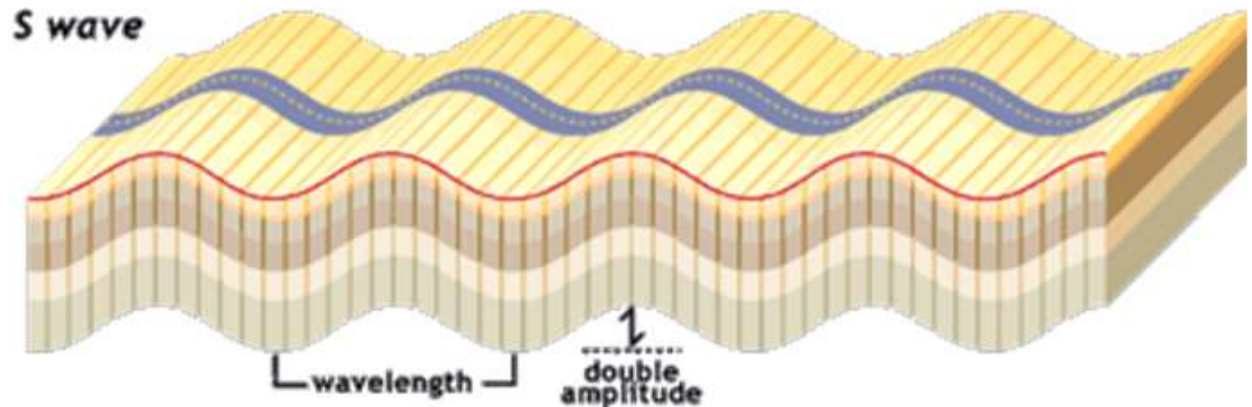


Ondes de volume

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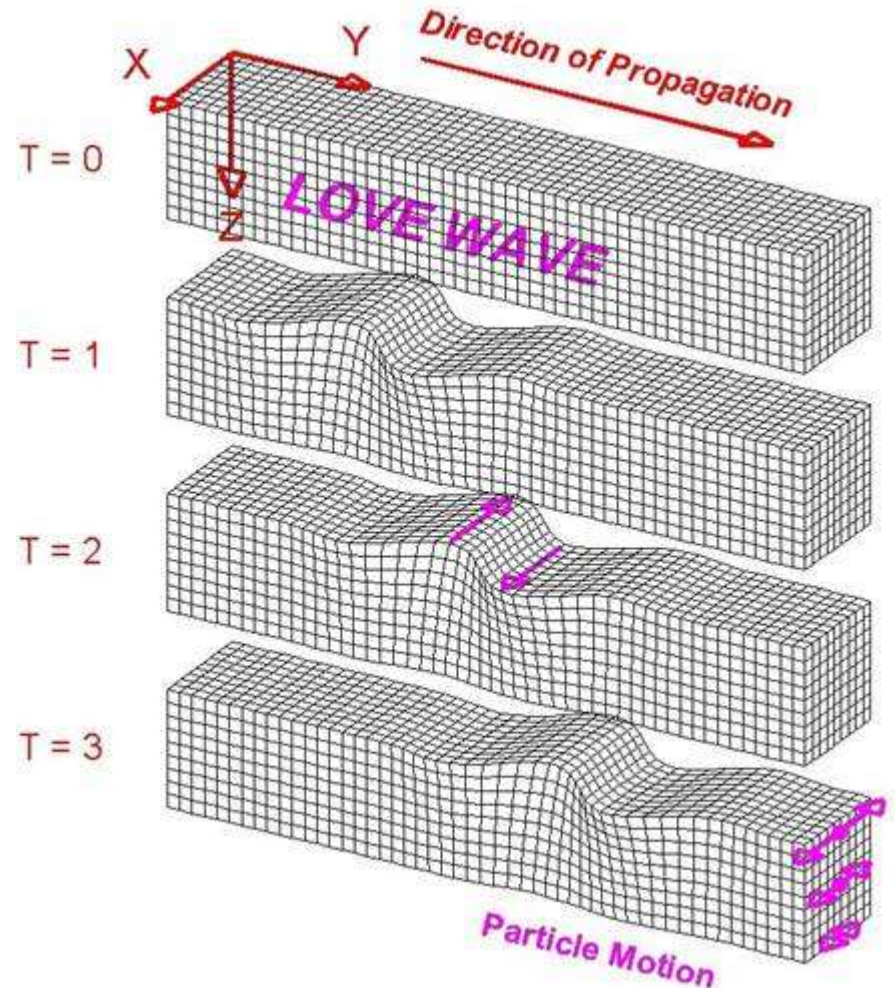
Ondes S ou ondes secondes (ondes de cisaillement ou ondes transverses)



Ondes de surface

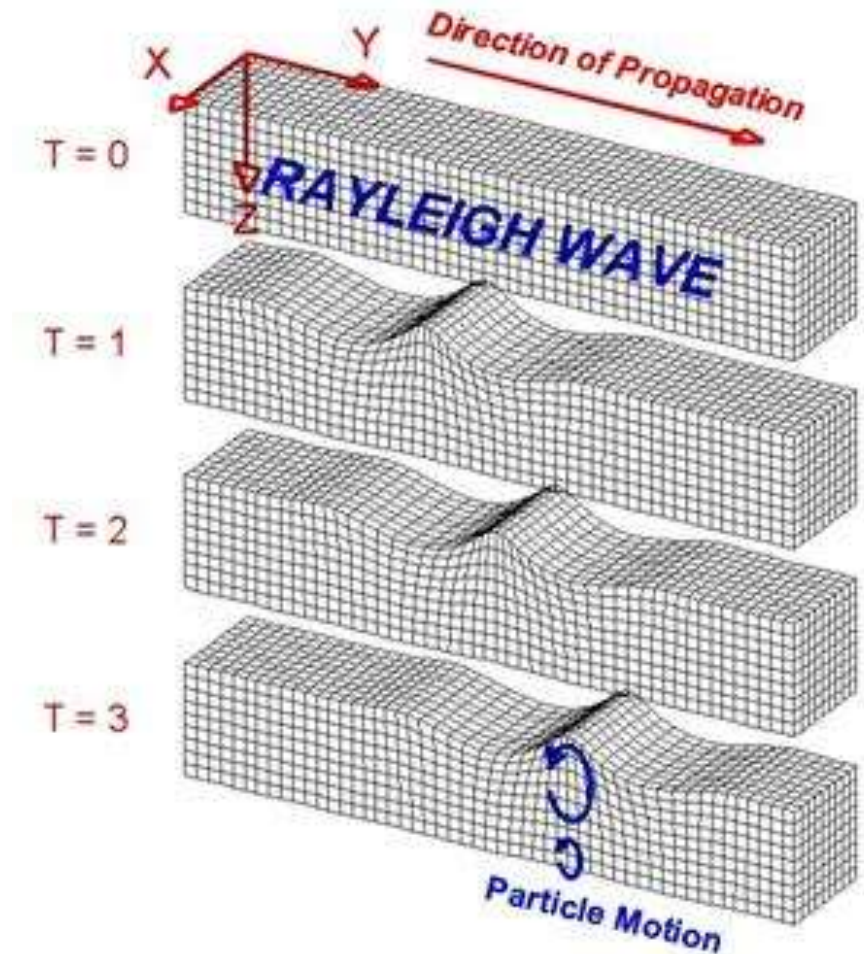
Ondes guidées par la surface de la Terre. Leur effet est comparable aux ridules formées à la surface d'un lac. Elles sont moins rapides que les ondes de volume mais leur amplitude est généralement plus forte.

- **Onde de Love** : le déplacement est essentiellement le même que celui des ondes S sans mouvement vertical.
- Les ondes de Love provoquent un ébranlement horizontal qui est la cause de nombreux dégâts aux fondations des édifices. Les ondes de Love se propagent à environ 4 km/s, elles sont plus rapides que les ondes de Rayleigh.

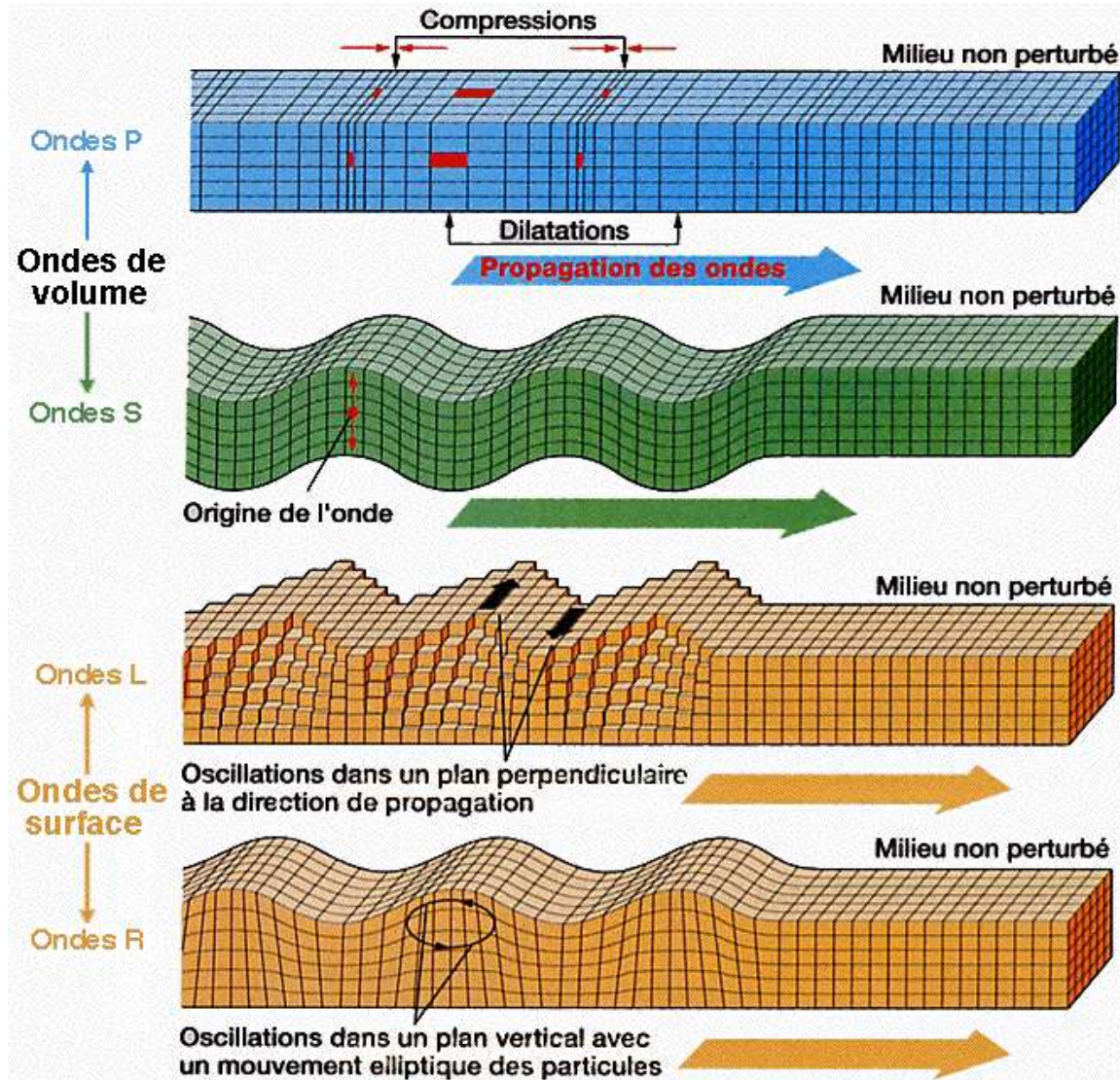


Ondes de surface

- **Onde de Rayleigh** : le déplacement est complexe, assez semblable à celui d'une poussière portée par une vague, un mouvement à la fois horizontal et vertical, elliptique, en fait.



Ondes de volume et ondes de surface



Les types d'ondes sismiques

Stabilité d'une faille

Origine d'un séisme

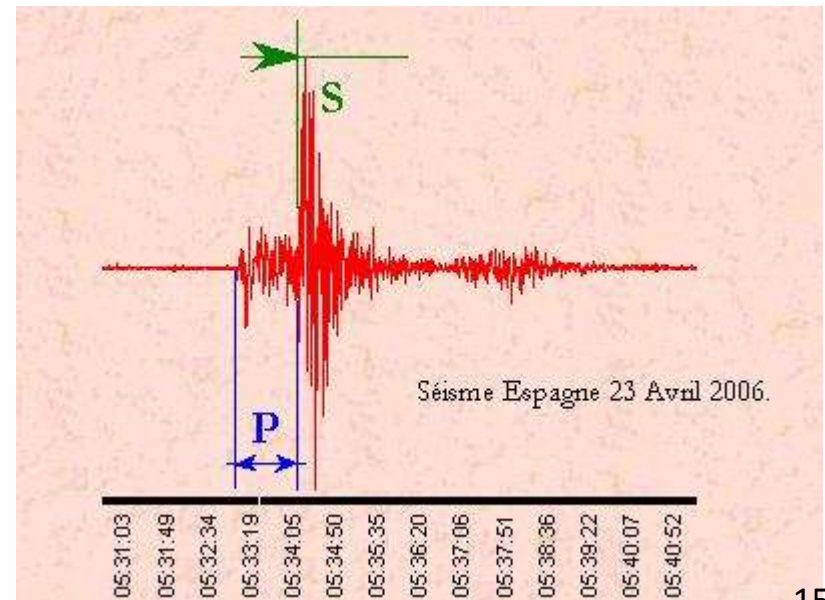
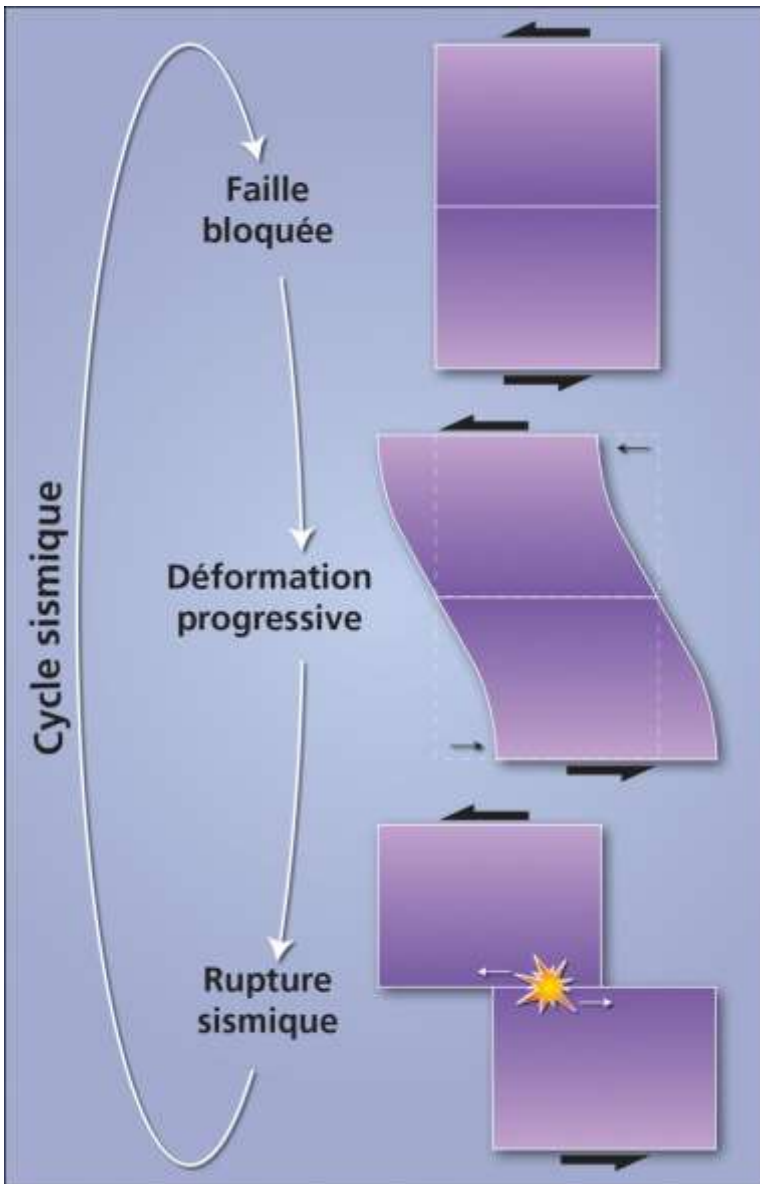
Séisme: Rupture brutale de l'écorce terrestre; libération soudaine d'énergie élastique emmagasinée: ondes

Loi de Gutenberg-Richter

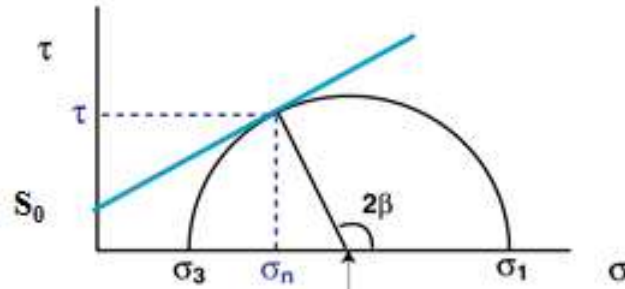
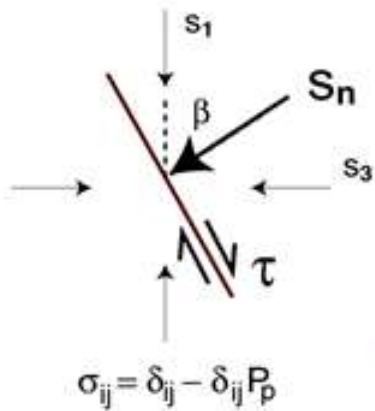
$$\text{Log } N = a + bM$$

M, magnitude

N, nb d'évènements



Conditions de stabilité d'une faille

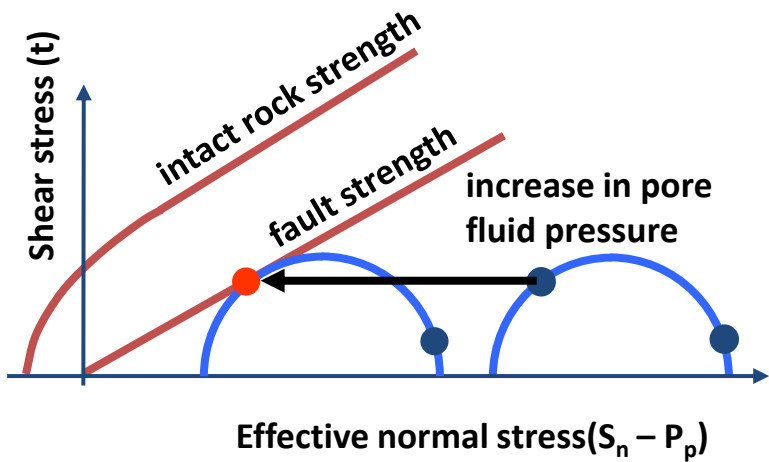


$S_0 \sim 0$

$$\frac{\sigma_1}{\sigma_3} = \frac{S_1 - P_p}{S_3 - P_p} = [(\mu^2 + 1)^{1/2} + \mu]^2$$

Normal stress: $\sigma_n = 0.5 (\sigma_1 + \sigma_3) + 0.5 (\sigma_1 - \sigma_3) \cos 2\beta$
Shear stress: $\tau = 0.5 (\sigma_1 - \sigma_3) \sin 2\beta$

$$\tau = S_0 + \mu \sigma_n$$



Friction defines both limiting stress magnitudes and orientation of faults likely to slip

● **Critically stressed fault**

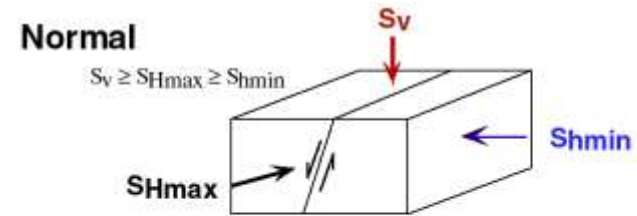
● **Non-critically stressed fault**

Conditions de stabilité d'une faille

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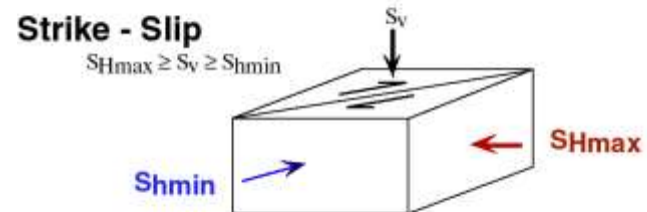
Normal:

$$\frac{S_v - P_p}{S_{hmin} - P_p} = \left[\sqrt{\mu^2 + 1} + \mu \right]^2$$



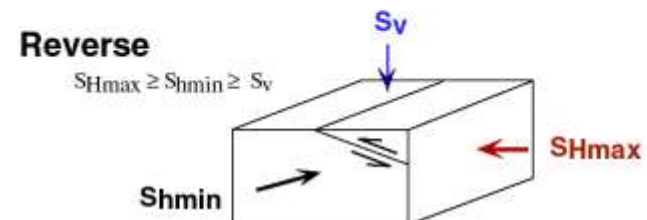
Décrochement:

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Inverse:

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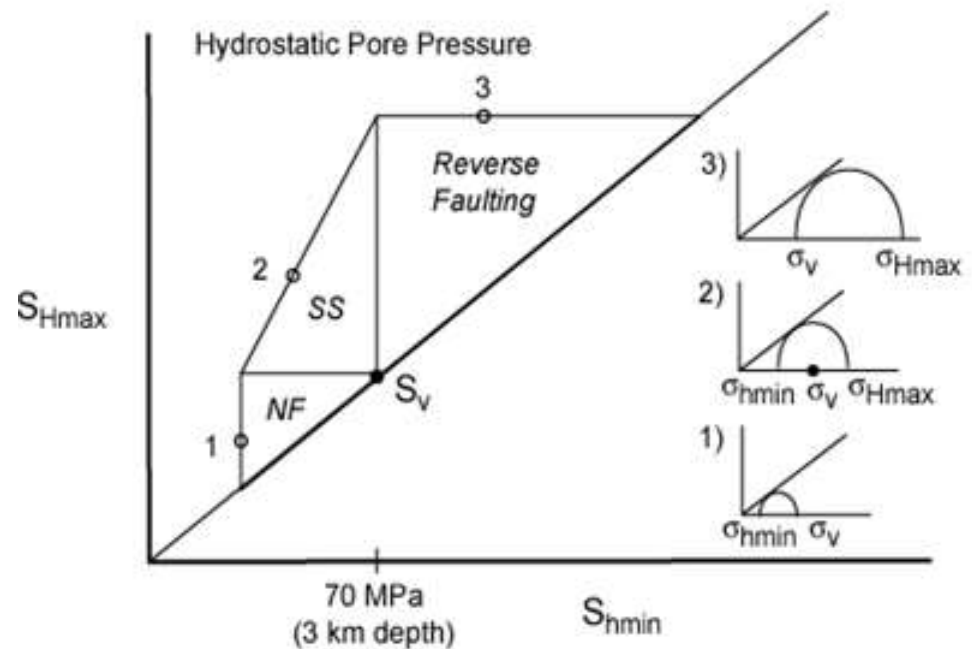
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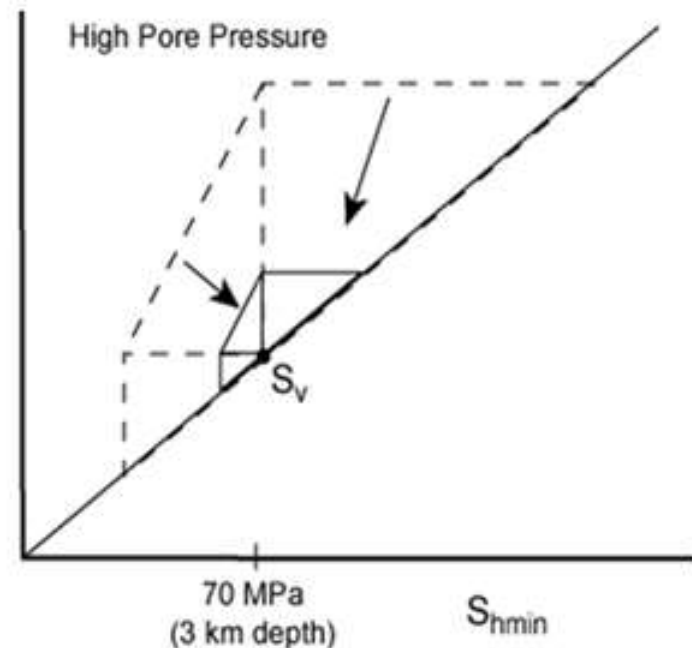
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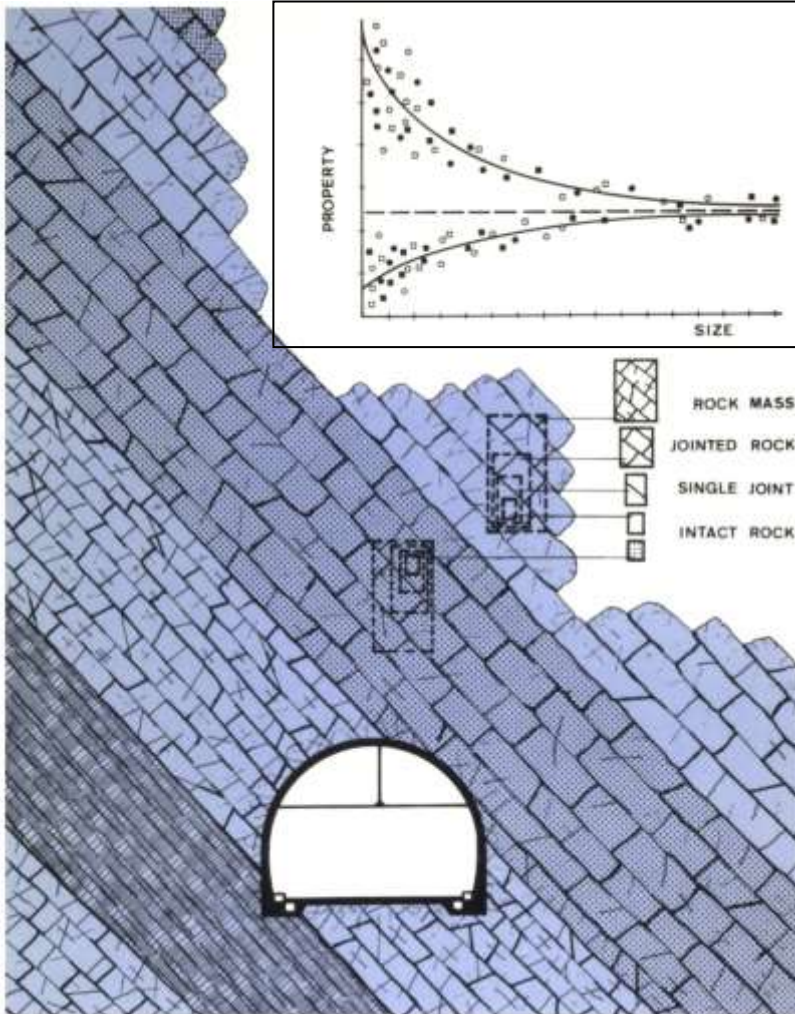
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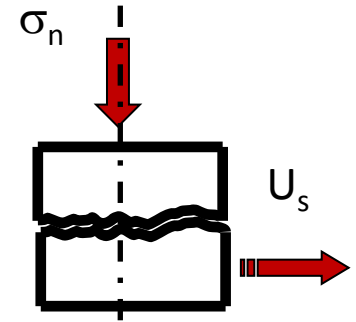


Essais de cisaillement cyclique

Complexité des structures géologiques



- Hétérogénéités
- **Discontinuités**
- Anisotropie
- Effet d'échelle (Micro-Macro)
- Incertitudes sur les propriétés

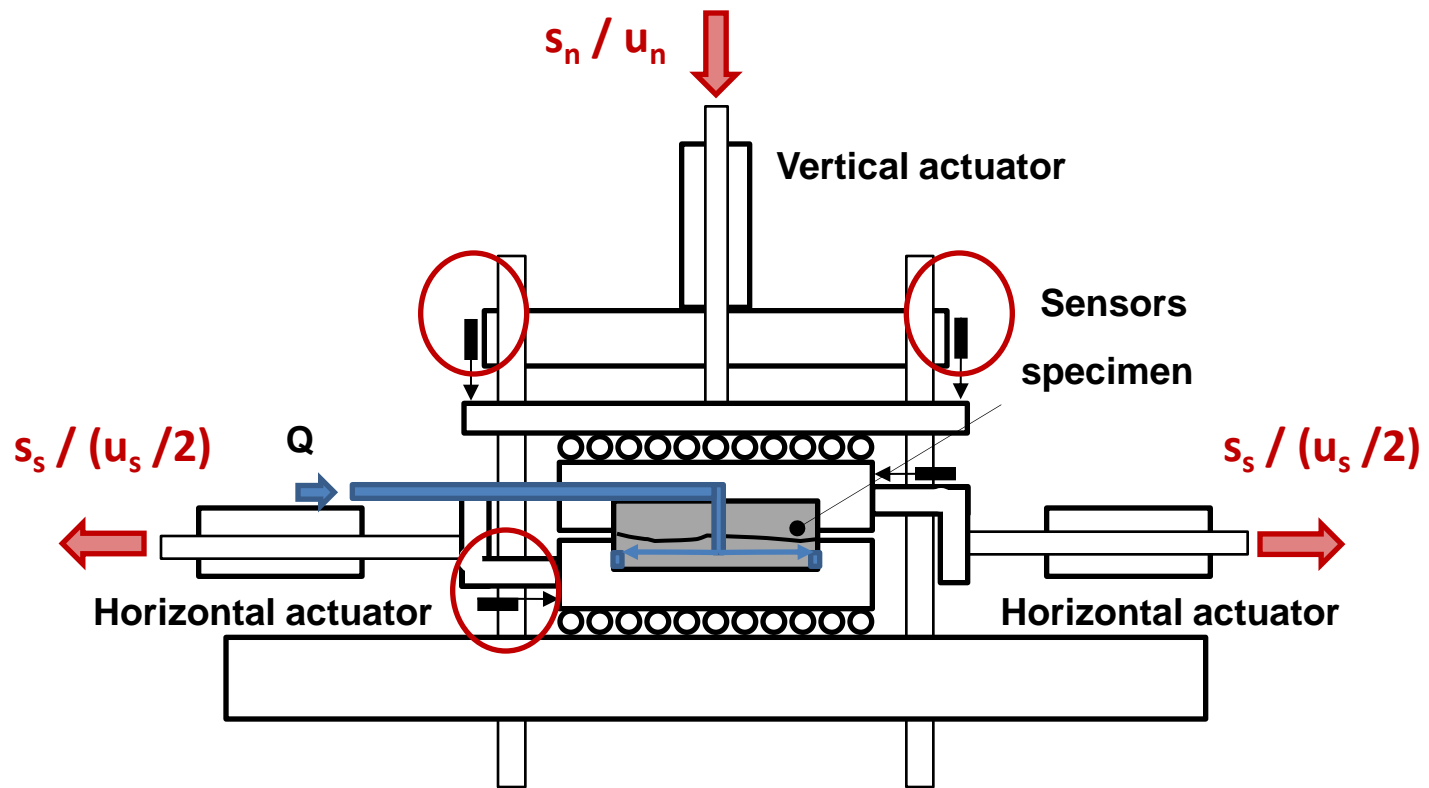


**Modélisation = Idéalisation
(i.e. simplification)**

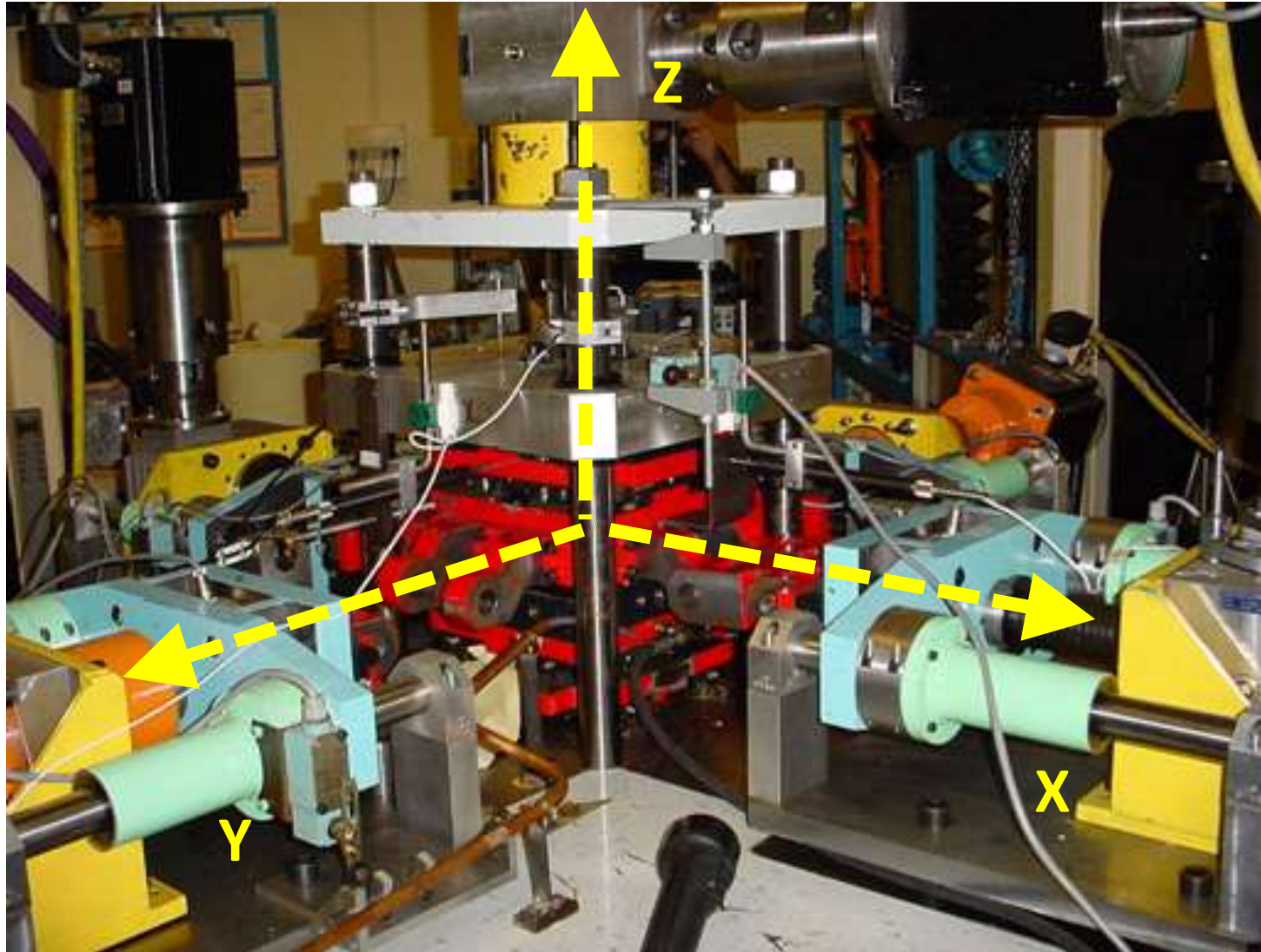
Hiérarchie des phénomènes

Essais de cisaillement 3D

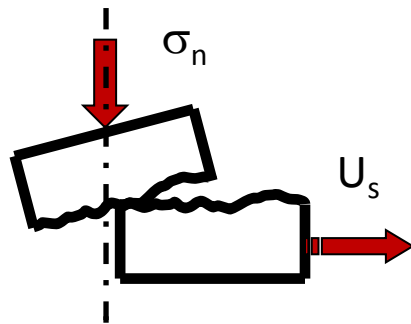
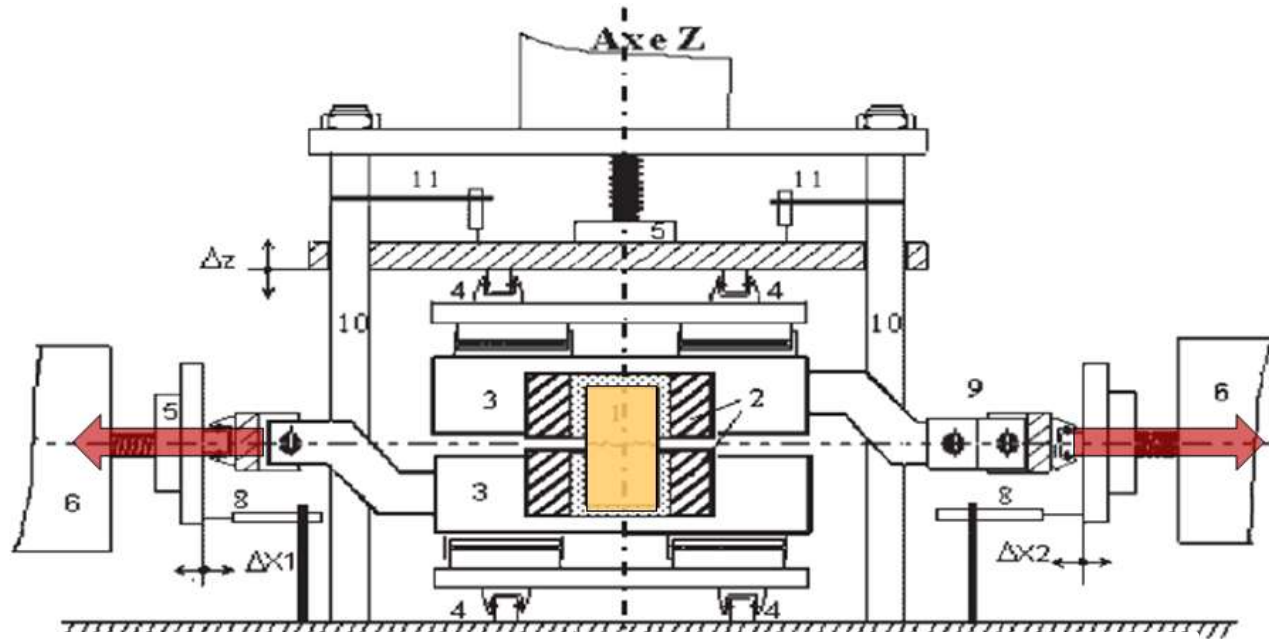
- Stress and displacement servo-controlled in the 3 directions
- Fluid injection : Control Pressure Volume



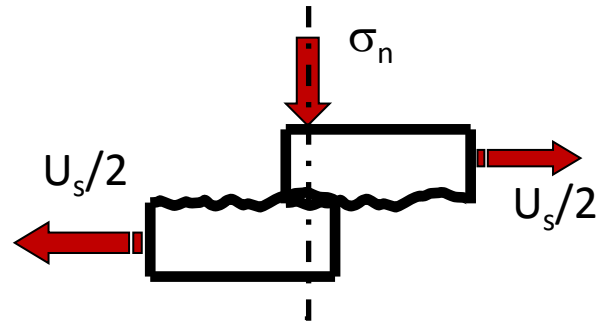
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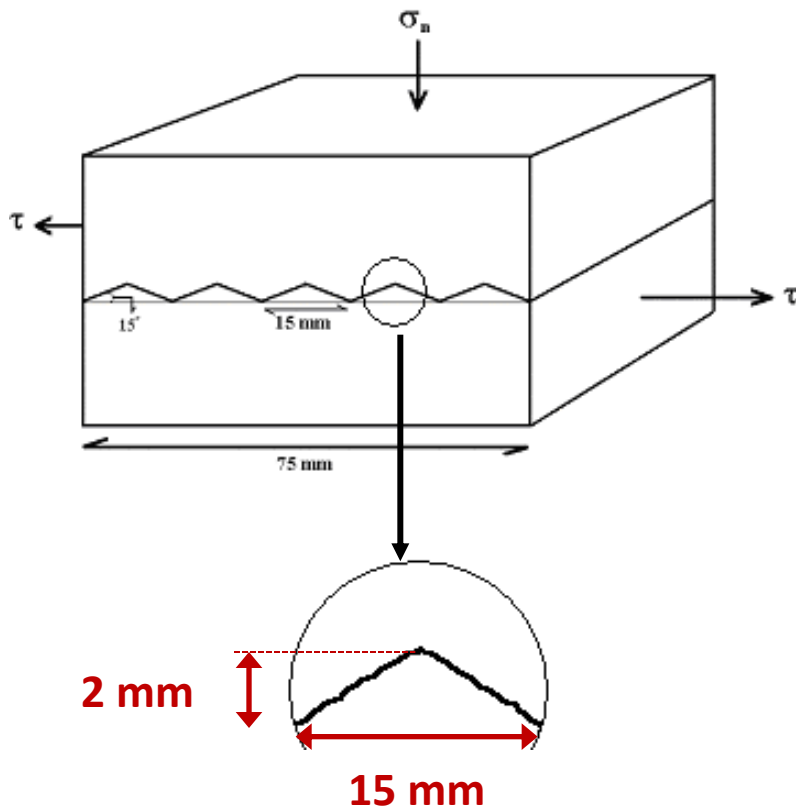


Conventional shear box : rotation



BCR3D shear box : no rotation

Shear test on artificial saw tooth joints



Dilation angle = 15°

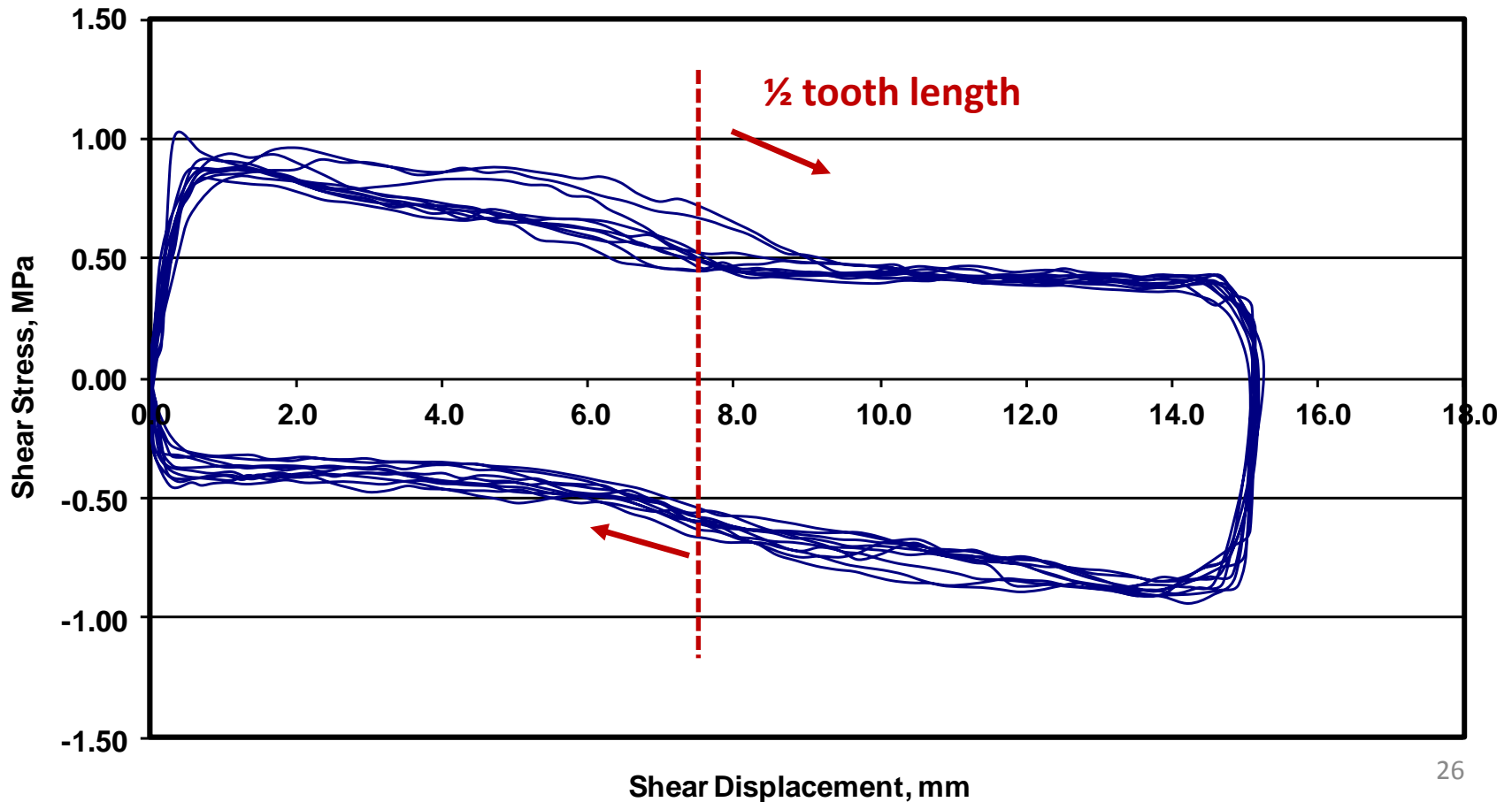


Shear stress- shear displacement curve for 10 cyclic displacements

Constant Normal Load test

Sliding along the artificial asperities

$\sigma_n = 1.2$ MPa

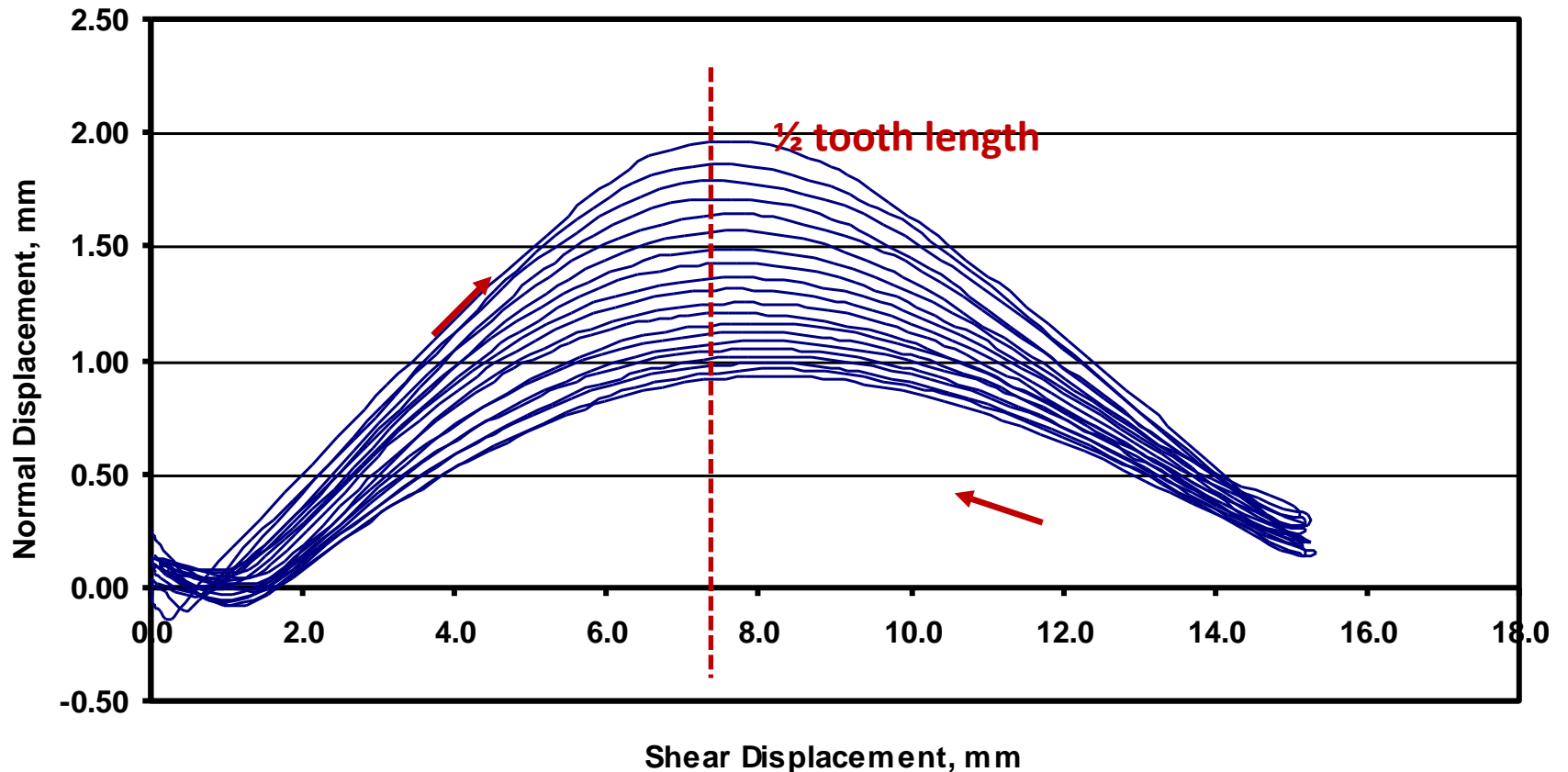


Asperities degradation due to 10 cyclic displacements

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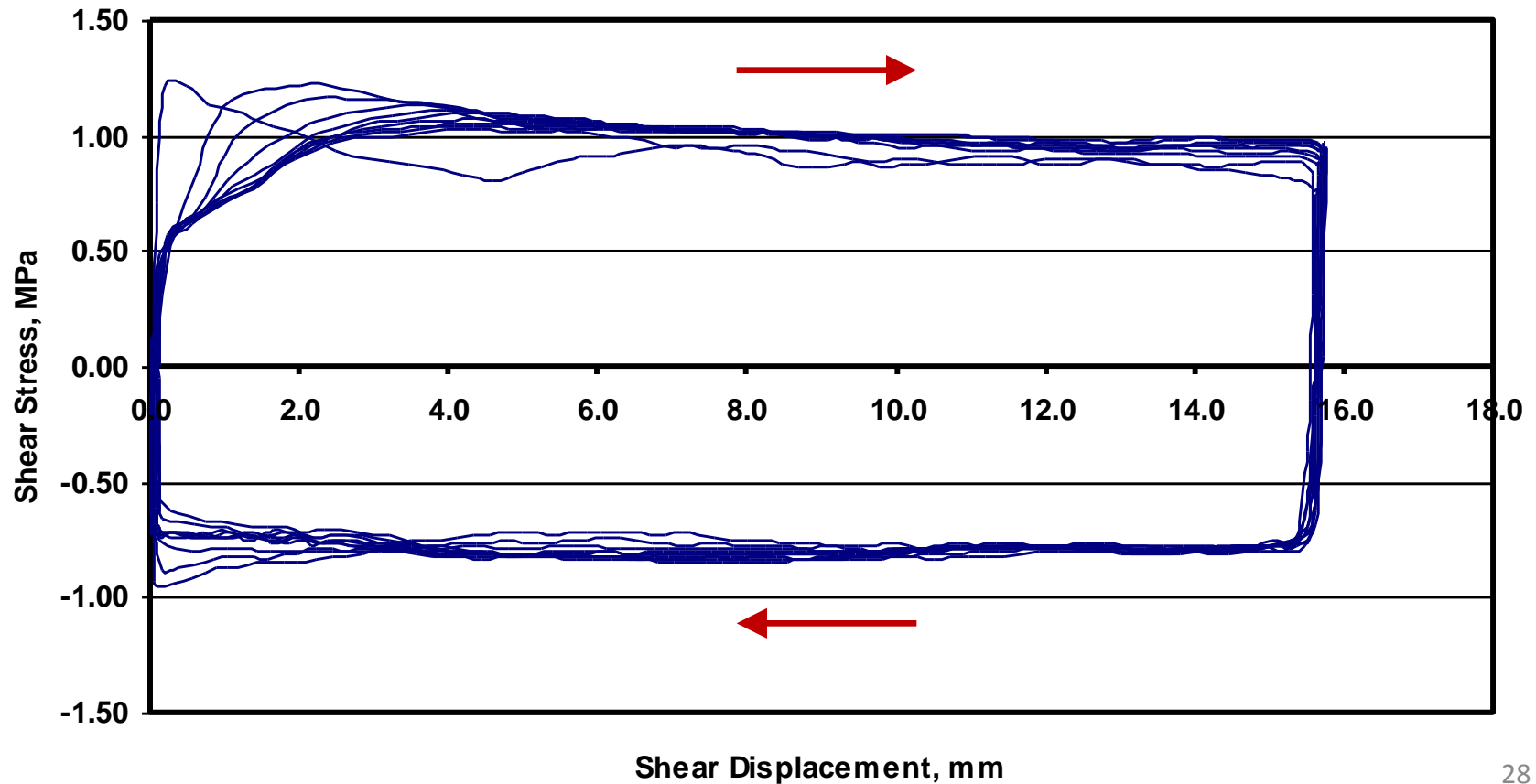


M.K. Jafari, F. Pellet, M. Boulon, K. Amini Hosseini (2004), *Experimental study of mechanical behavior of rock joints under cyclic loading*, *Rock Mechanics and Rock Engineering*, vol 37, no 1, pp 3-23. ²⁷

Shear stress- shear displacement curve for 10 cyclic displacements on replica of natural joint

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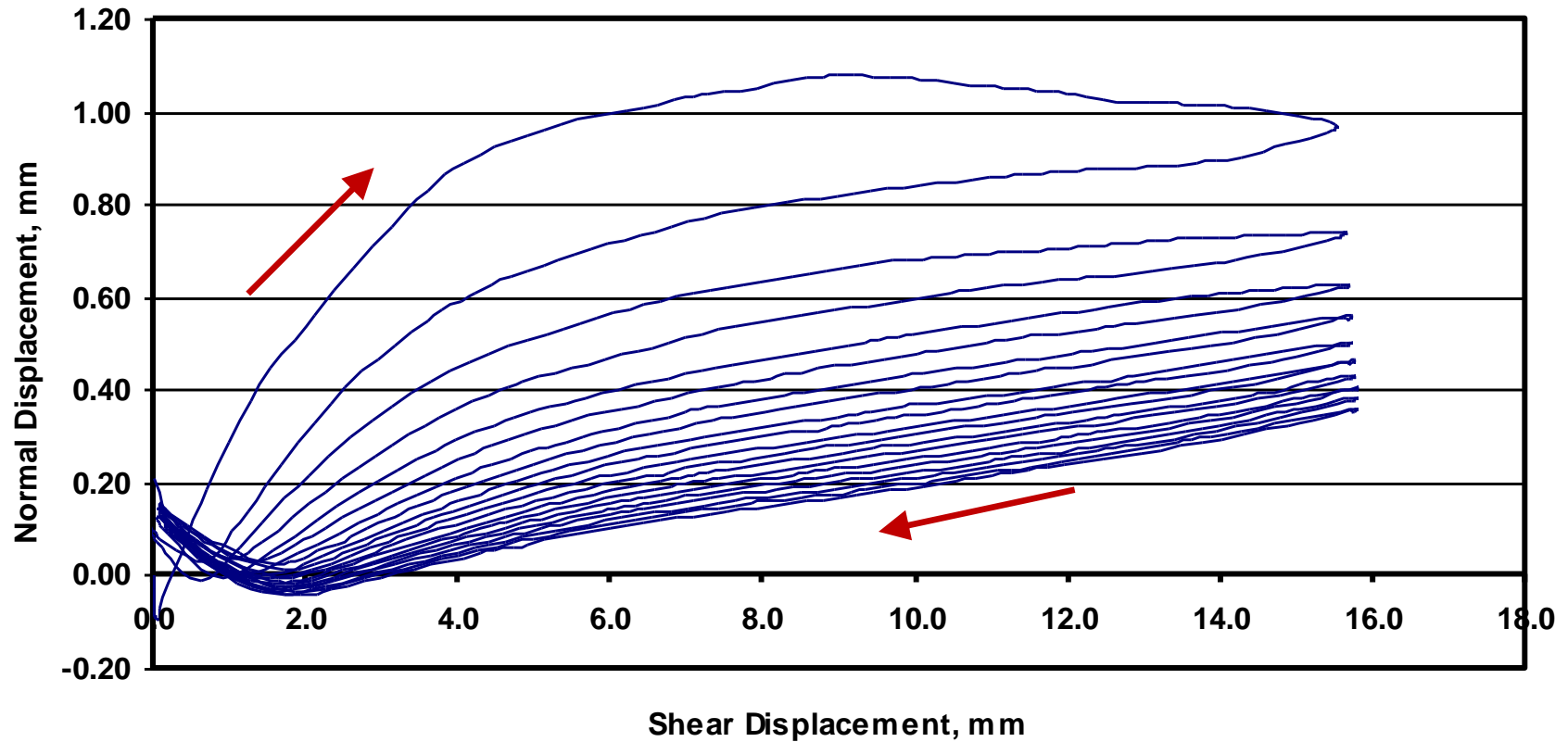
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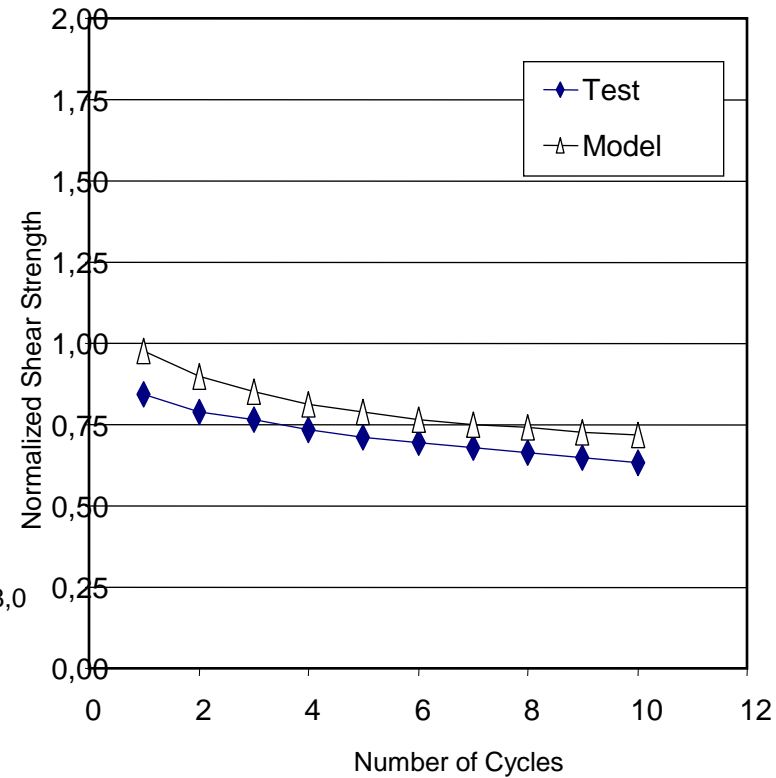
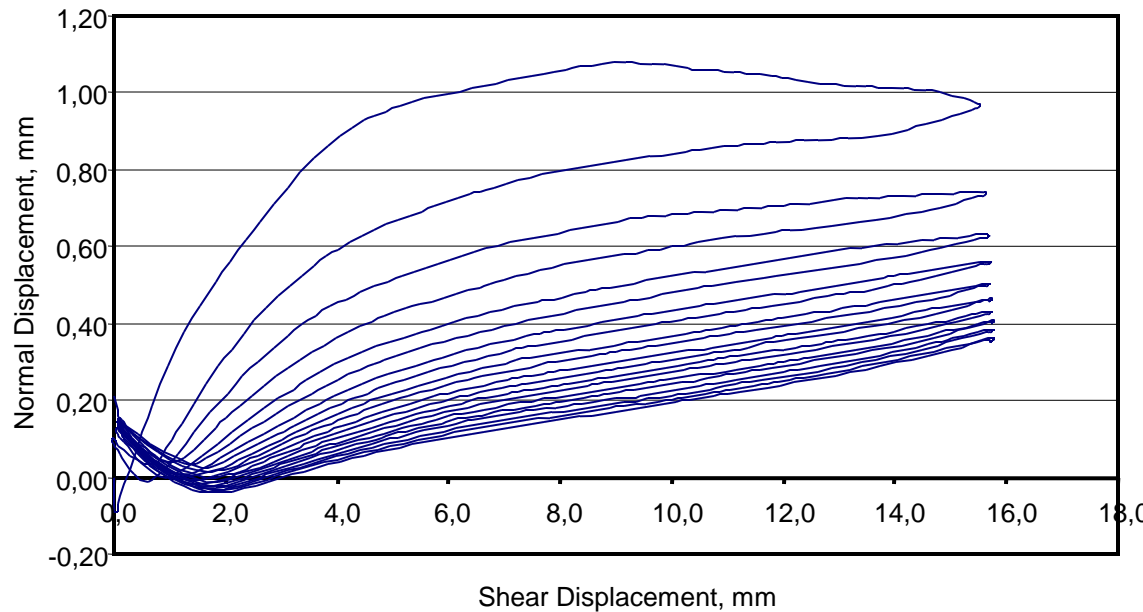
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Damage to Rock Discontinuities Under Cyclic Loadings

Degradation of Rock Joint Strengths under Small Repetitive Earthquakes



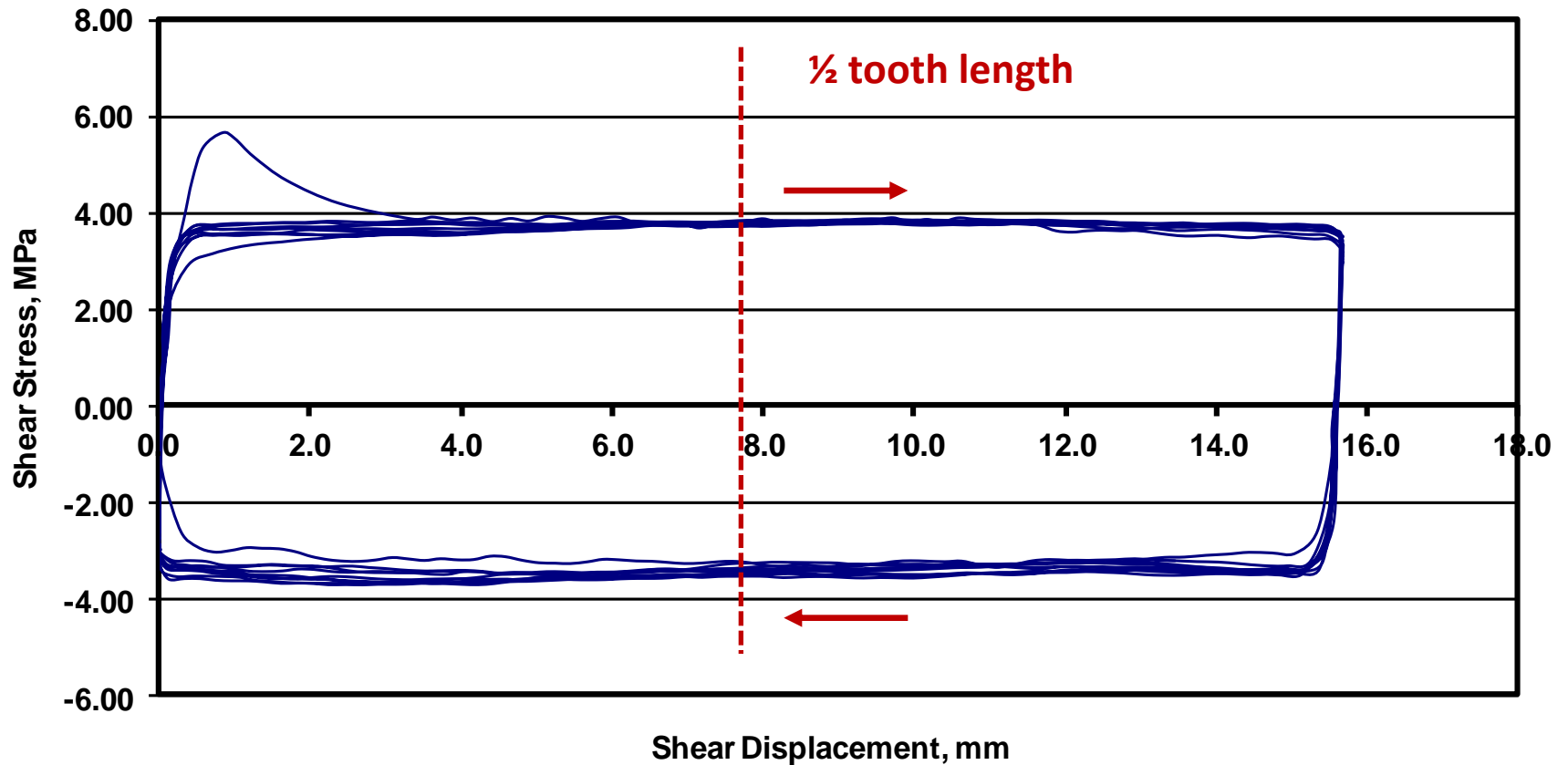
Coll. IIEES - Tehran

Shear Stress- Shear Displacement curve for 10 cyclic displacement

Constant Normal Load test

Artificial asperities are sheared

$$\sigma_n = 6.5 \text{ MPa}$$

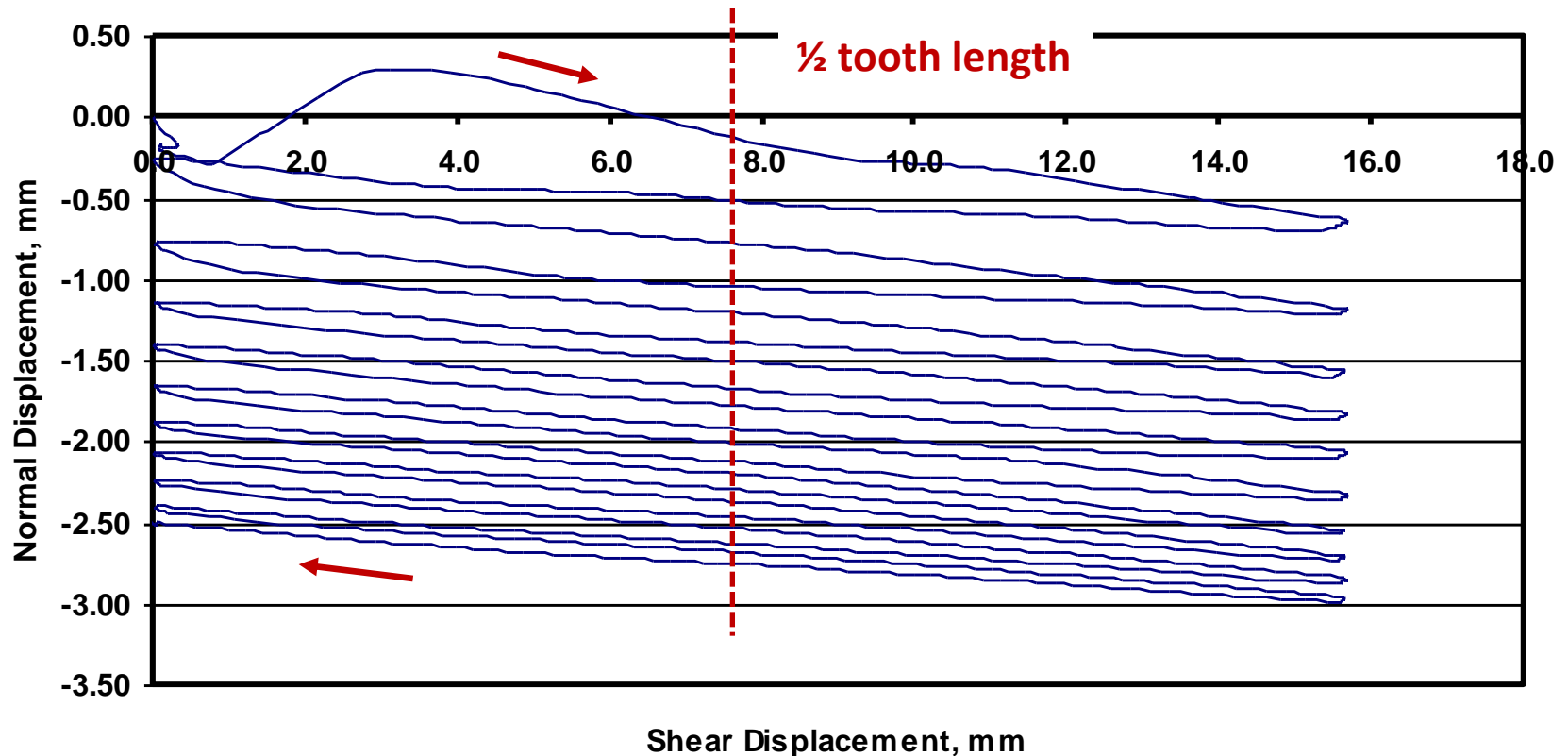


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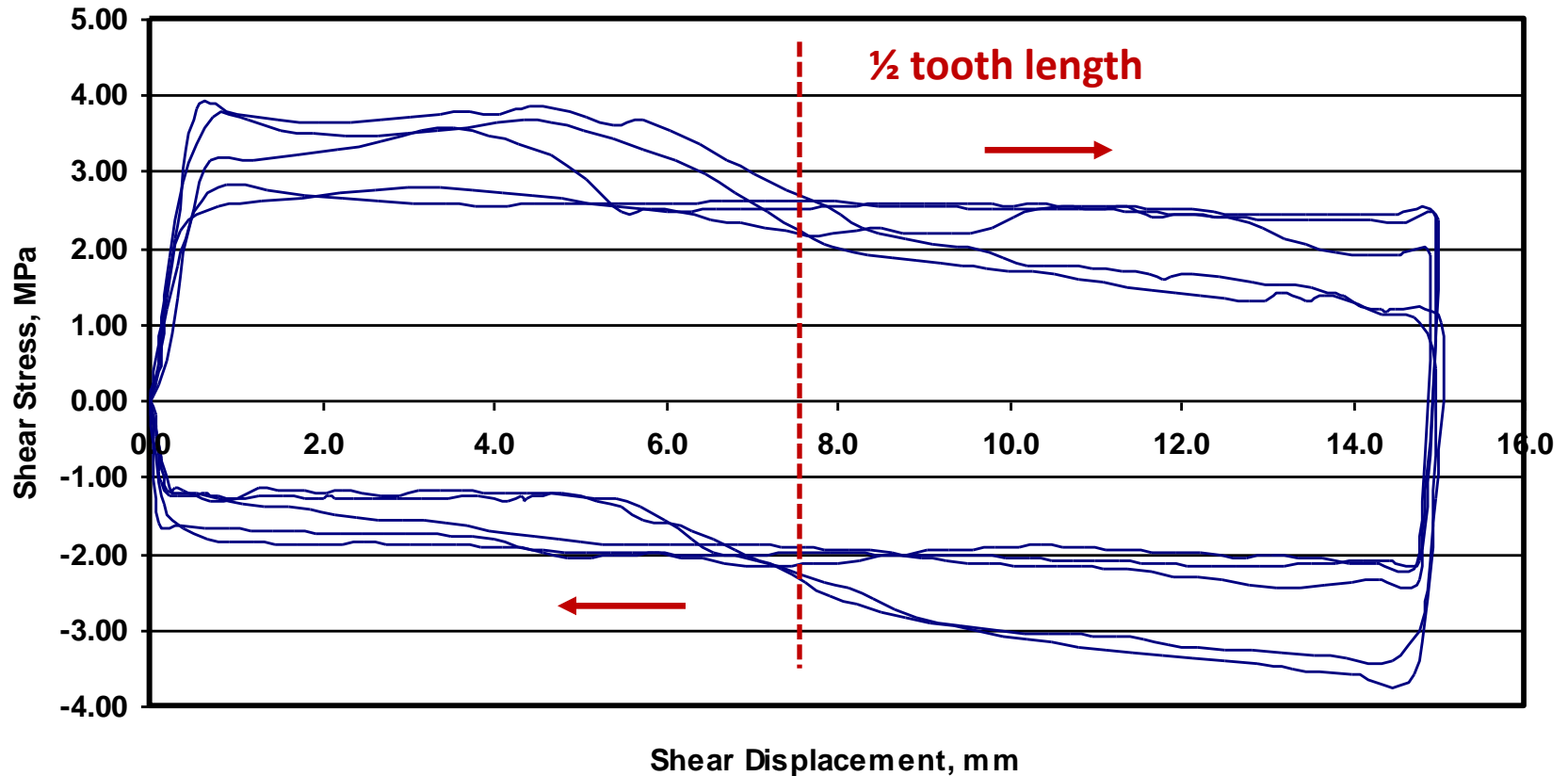


Shear stress- shear displacement curve for 5 cyclic displacements

Constant Normal Load test

Artificial asperities

$$\sigma_n = 4.2 \text{ MPa}$$

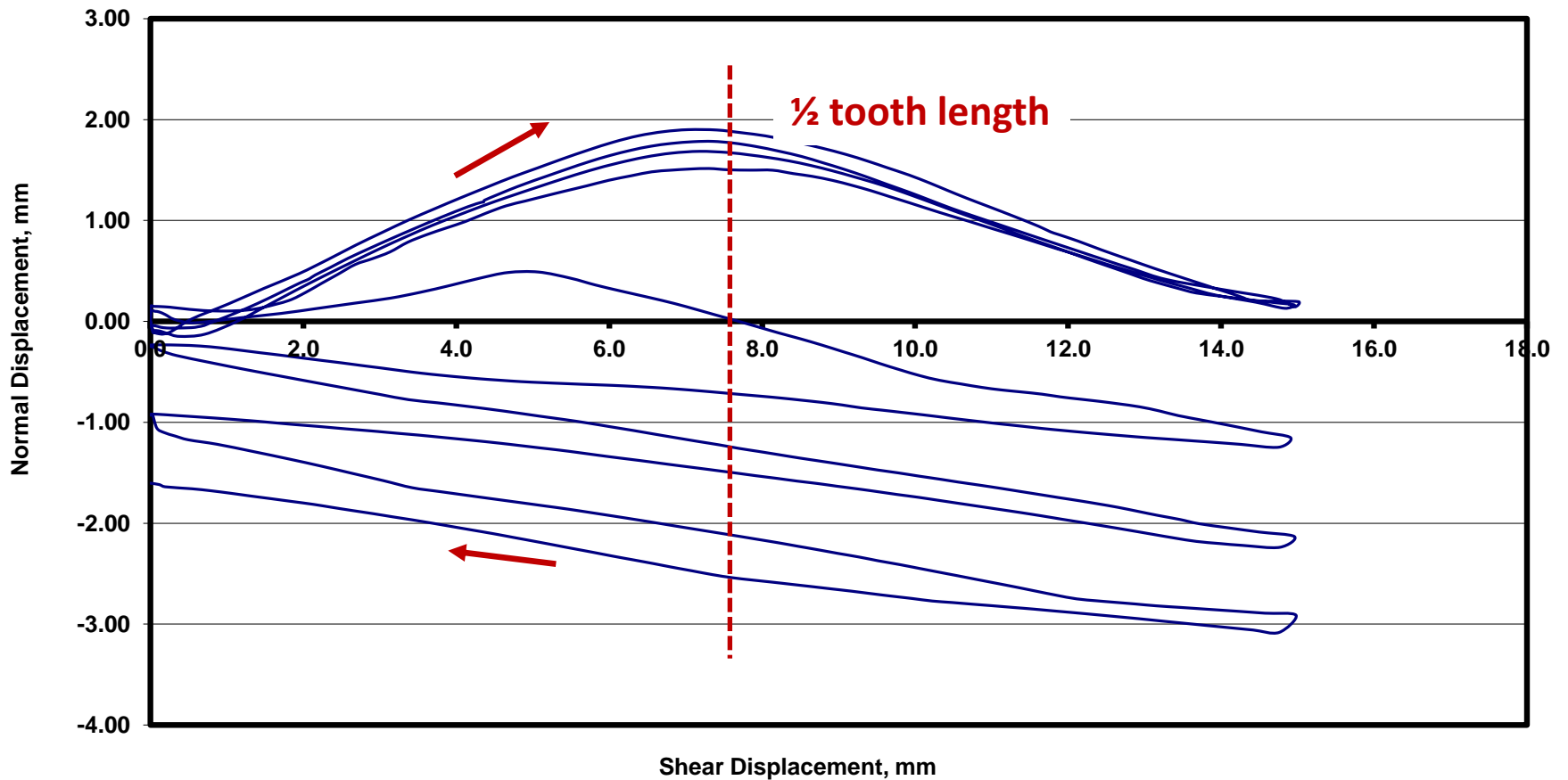


Asperities degradation due to 5 cyclic displacement

Constant Normal Load test

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Artificial asperities



Equation for shear strength degradation

$$\frac{\tau}{\sigma_n} = \frac{b NC^p i_n^q + c}{1 + b NC^p D_n^q}$$

$$\sigma_n = 1.2 \text{ MPa}$$

$$b = -0.33 ; c = 1.44 ; p = 0.12 ; q = 0.3$$

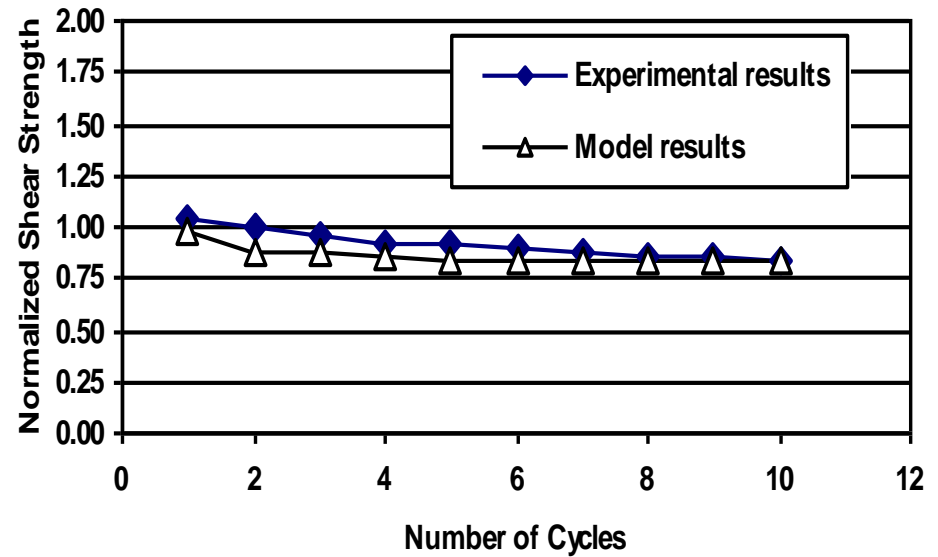
τ : Shear strength

σ_n : Normal stress

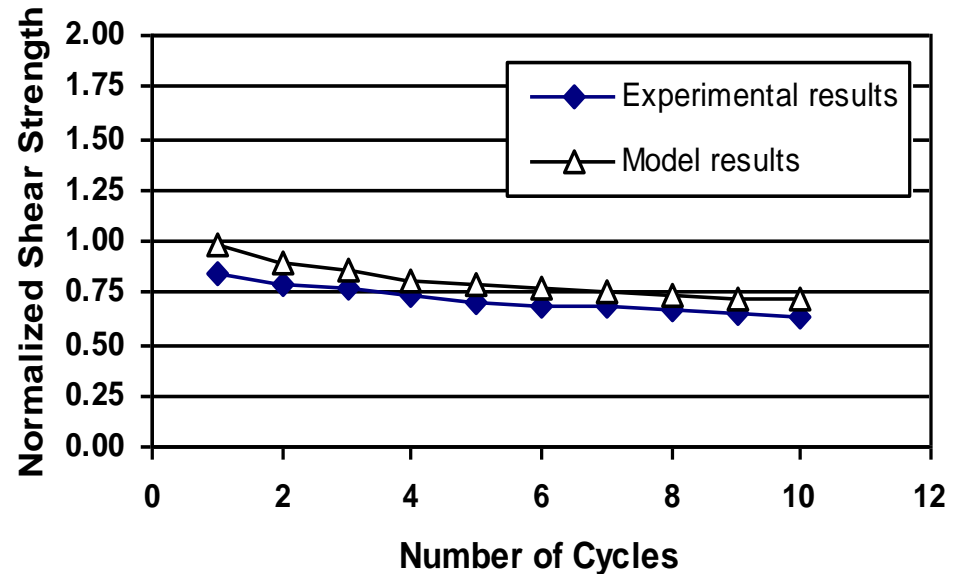
NC : Number of displacement cycles

i_n : Normalized dilation angle
(normalized by the maximum angle measured before the test)

D_n : Normalized degradation
(normalized by maximum value of asperities amplitude).



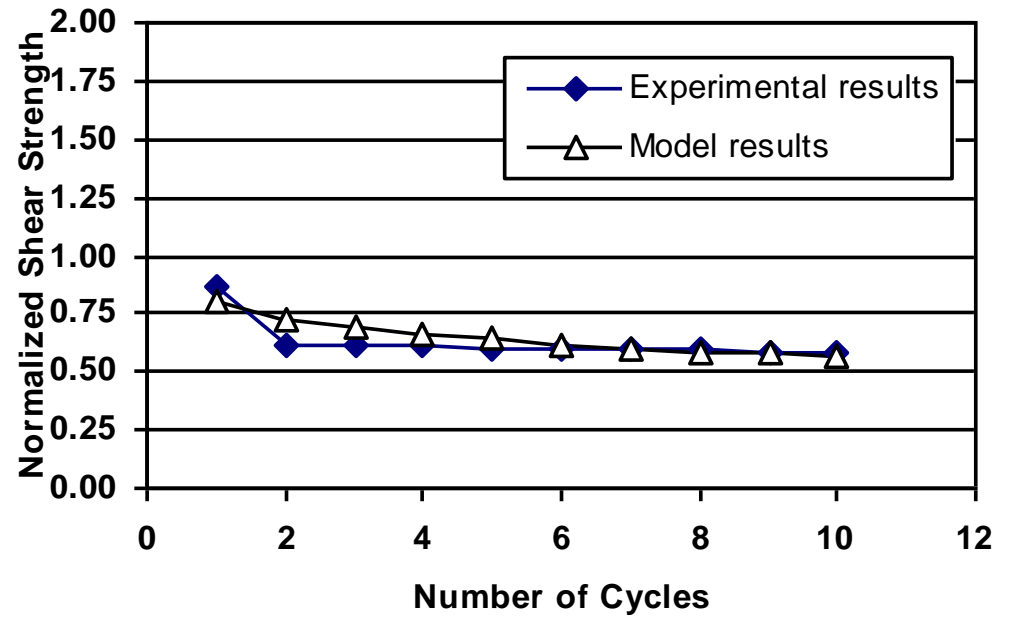
Natural joint



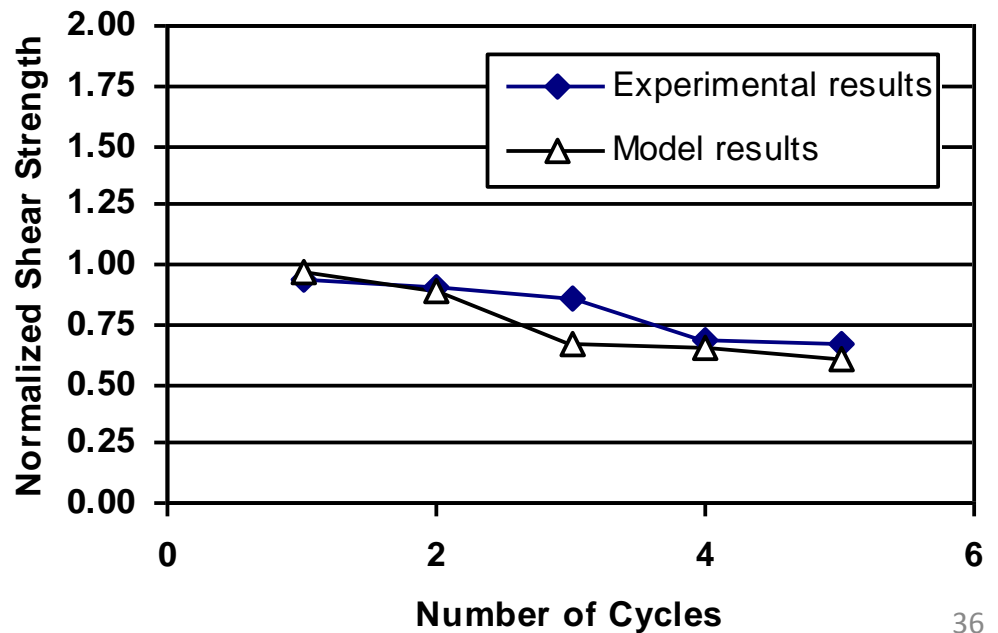
Saw tooth joint

Measured versus evaluated shear strength by the mathematical model

Normal Stress = 6.5 MPa



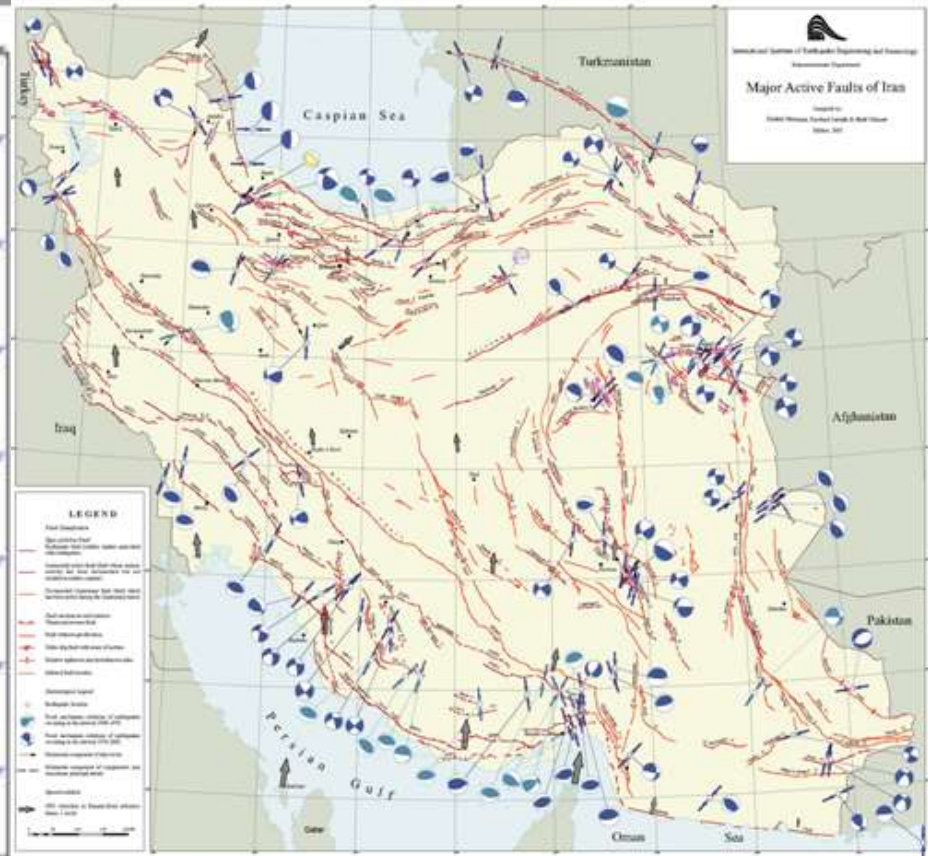
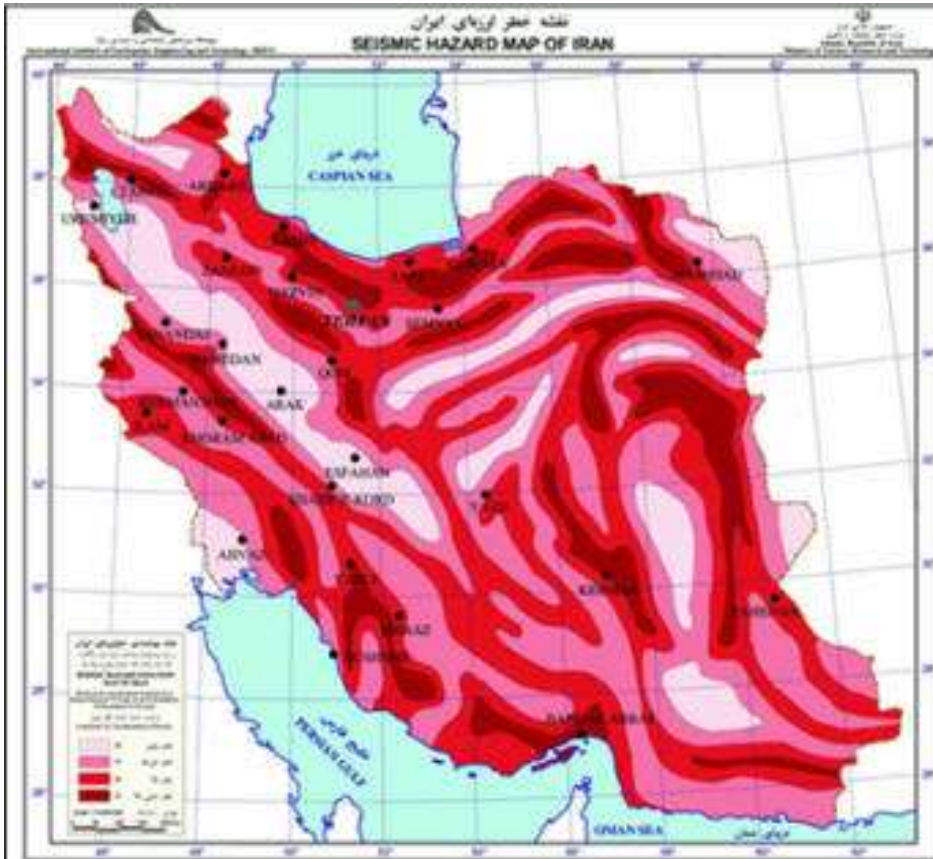
Normal Stress = 4.2 MPa



Saw-Tooth samples

Glissements de terrain en Iran

Tectonic context and seismic hazards of Iran



History of destructive earthquakes

Year	Location	Mag.	Year	Location	Mag.
743	Ray	7.2	1608	Taleghan	7.6
763	Khorasan	7.6	1721	Tabriz	7.7
815	Sistan	7.0	1780	Tabriz	7.7
855	Ray	7.1	1830	Damavand	7.1
856	Ghomes	7.9	1871	Ghochan	7.2
943	Atrak	7.6	1909	Silakhor	7.4
958	Ray	7.7	1929	KopehDagh	7.3
1042	Tabriz	7.6	1930	Salmas	7.2
1177	Bouin Zahra	7.2	1945	Makran	8.0
1209	Neishabor	7.6	1962	Bouin Zahra	7.2
1270	Neishabor	7.1	1968	Dashte Bayaz	7.4
1336	Khaf	7.6	1978	Tabas	7.3
1389	Neishabor	7.6	1981	Golbaf	7.1
1405	Neishabor	7.6	1990	Manjil	7.7
1483	Makran	7.7	1997	Ardakool	7.3

Bam (2003), Silakhor (2006), Varzaghan (2012)

Other earthquakes associated with slope instabilities in North of Iran along Alborz Mountain Ranges

Location	Year	Epicenter	Type	Magnitude	Main Effects
Ray	958	51.10- 36.10	Landslide	7.7	A village was buried by mud and rock
Frame- Chardangeh	1127	53.54- 36.35	Landslide	6.8	Dislocation of a village
Gorgan	1470	54.60- 37.10	Landslide	5.5	A village was buried by mud and rock
Damavand	1830	52.28- 35.73	Rock Fall	7.1	Blockage of main and peripheral roads
Talarood	1935	53.06- 35.94	Landslide & rock-fall	5.8	42 killed by landslides
Bandpey Mazandaran	1957	52.74- 36.07	Landslide & rock-fall	6.8	Blockage of local roads

Earthquakes and geo-hazards

- Ground Motion Amplification
- Lands subsidence
- Soil Liquefaction
- **Landslides and rock slope instabilities**



Rock slope instabilities in some recent earthquakes

Manjil-Roudbar Earthquake, June 1990 (Mw: 7.3)

- Fatalak village with over 100 population was completely buried under landslides.
- Some other villages in the area were damaged by slope instabilities.
- Rock-falls blocked several main and rural roads that caused some delays in providing emergency response services .



Rock slope instabilities in some recent earthquakes

Firooz Abad-Kojour Earthquake, May 2004 (Mw: 6.2)

- About 80% of casualties (32 of 41) was due to landslides and rock-falls
- Most of the local roads were blocked after earthquake due to slope instabilities



Rock slope instabilities in some recent earthquakes

Bam Earthquake, Dec. 2003 (Mw: 6.5)

- Some buildings and channels were damaged by slope instabilities



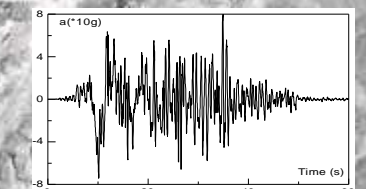
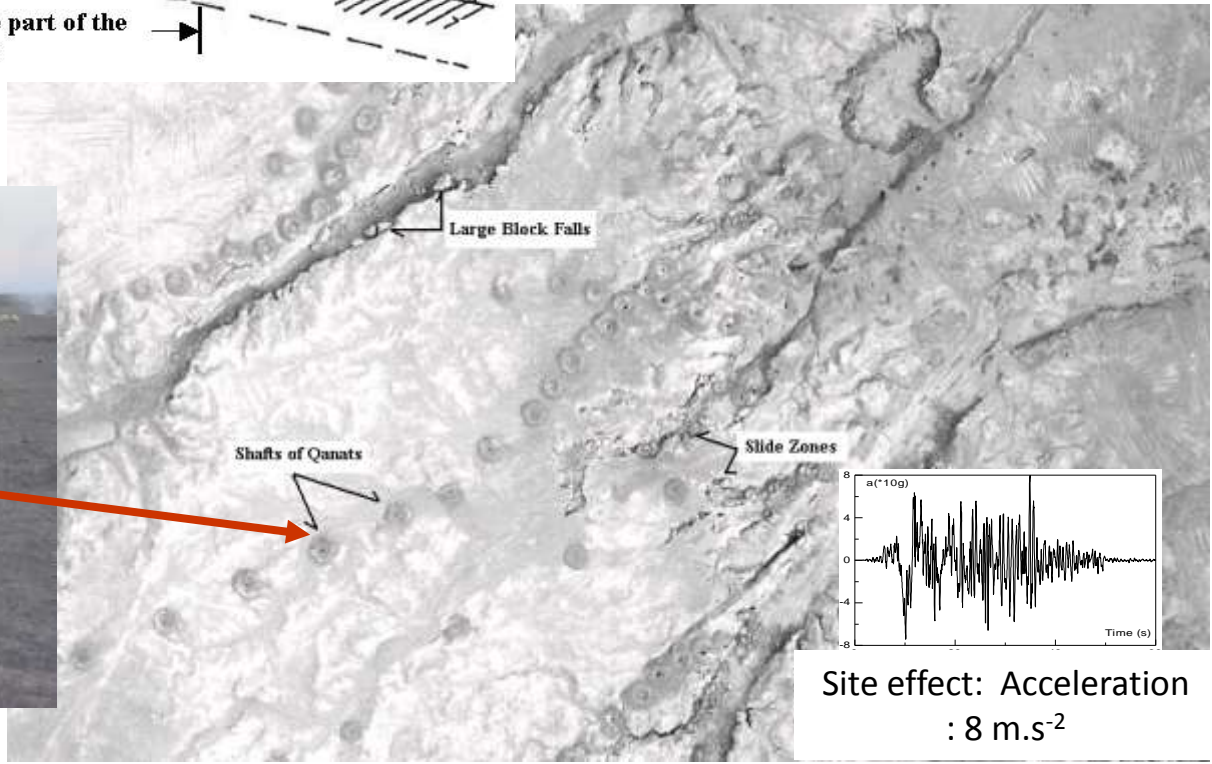
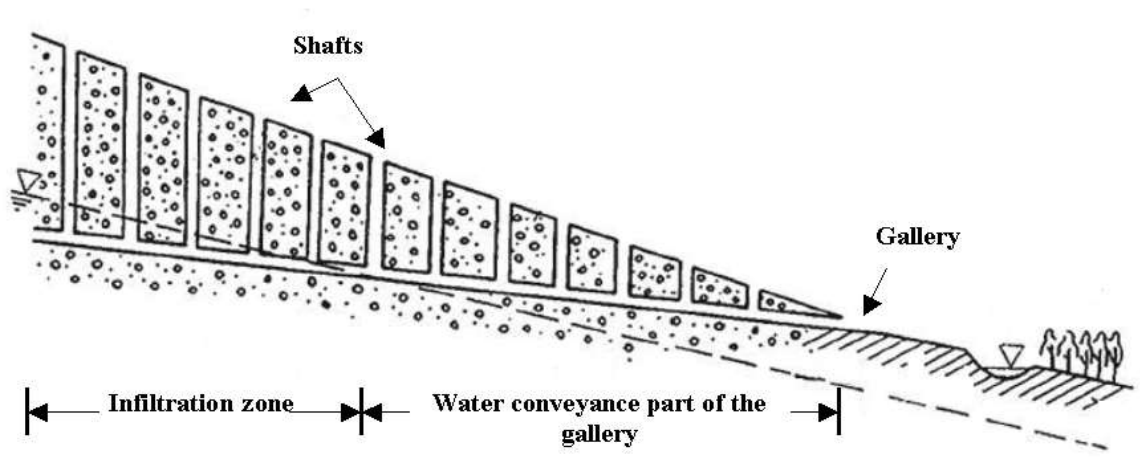
Arg-e-Bam Citadel (before and after the earthquake)

F. Pellet, et al (2005), Geotechnical performance of Qanats during the 2003 Bam, Iran, earthquake, Earthquake Spectra, EERI, vol 21, n° S1, pp137-164.

Rock slope instabilities in some recent earthquakes

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Site effect: Acceleration : 8 m.s^{-2}

Legal and institutional basis for reducing the impacts of geo-hazards associated with earthquakes in Iran

Institution	Main responsibilities
Working group of Earthquake and Landslide (Ministry of Road and Housing)	Preparing databases, providing training programs, research on causes and prevention measures, preparing micro-zonation maps
Disaster Management Organization (Ministry of Interior)	Managing all activities in natural hazards risk mitigation and management
Professional group on landslide (Ministry of Agriculture)	Research on landslide causes and hazard micro-zonation
Research centers and universities	Identifying geo-hazards prone areas and investigation on the best ways for risk reduction
Private companies	Implementing measures for ground stabilization and preparing micro-zonation maps

Evaluation and preparation of geo-hazard risk mitigation and management plans

A. Knowledge and information

1. Public awareness about geo-hazards and the importance of living in safe places;
2. Knowledge and information of local and national authorities and managers about the risk of geo-hazards and necessity of risk reduction planning;
-  3. Professional knowledge and skill of researchers and experts on geo-hazards risk mitigation measures.

B. Institutional capacities

4. Applicable laws and regulations for managing construction in hazard zones, compensation for losses by insurance or other fiscal measures;
5. Efficient institutional arrangements and structures for conducting risk management activities at local and national levels;
6. Adequate financial resources and mandates for controlling construction in geo-hazards prone areas.

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C. Risk assessment and mapping

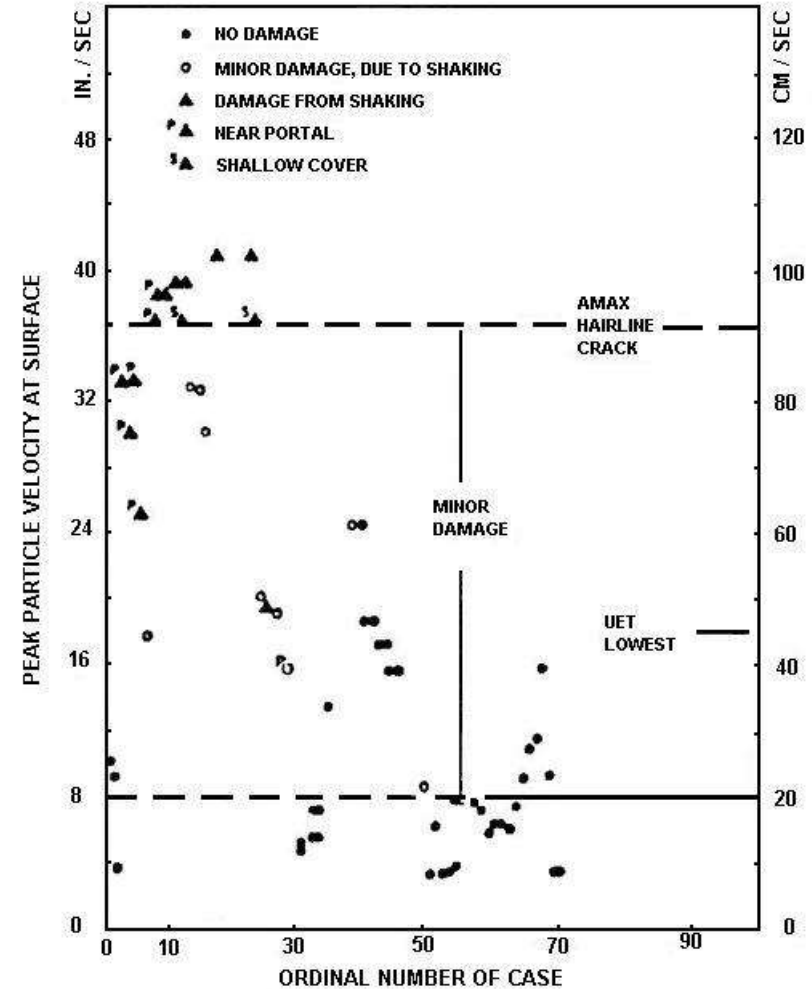
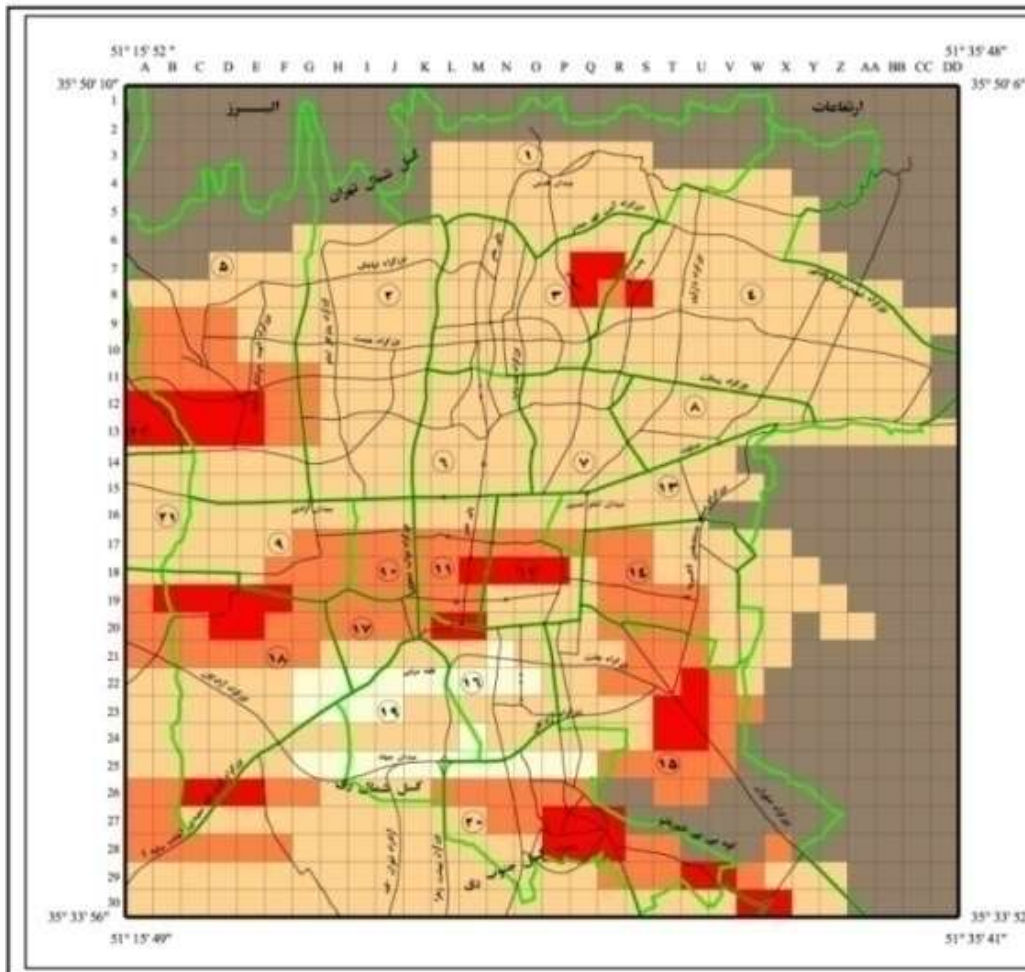
7. Available information and databases on geo-hazards
8. Technical capacity to provide necessary information for risk assessment
9. Prepared **micro-zonation maps** at the local and national levels

D. Risk reductions and countermeasures

10. Capacities for risk reduction (ground stabilization and improvement, safe construction in hazardous sites, etc.)
11. Available monitoring and early warning systems for controlling unstable areas and information dissemination
12. Level of application of advanced technologies for reducing the potential impact of instabilities (such as automatic shut down systems for gas and water networks, etc.)

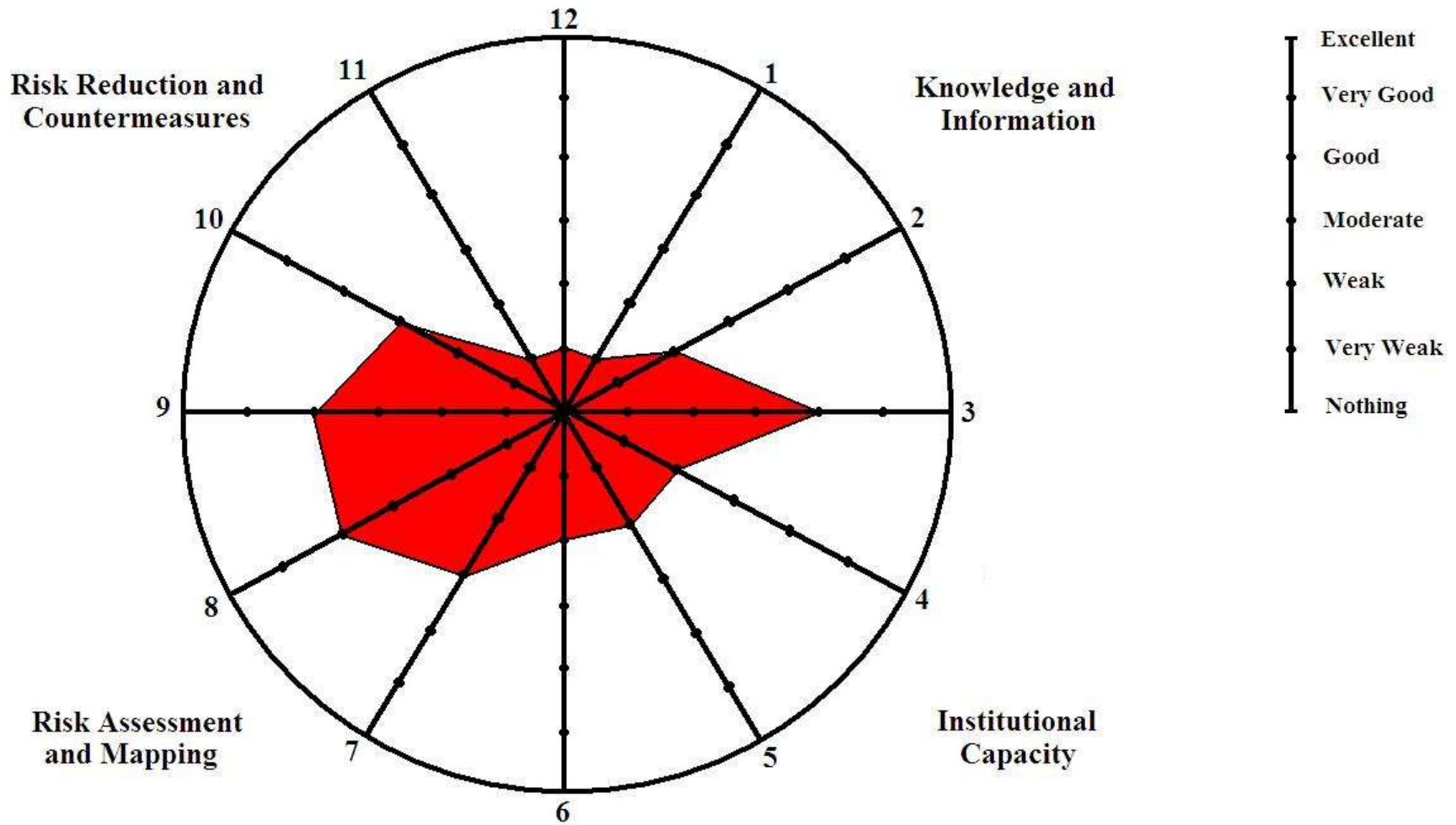
Micro-zonation maps of Tehran

Peak Ground Acceleration (PGA): earthquake in Tehran based on probabilistic analysis.

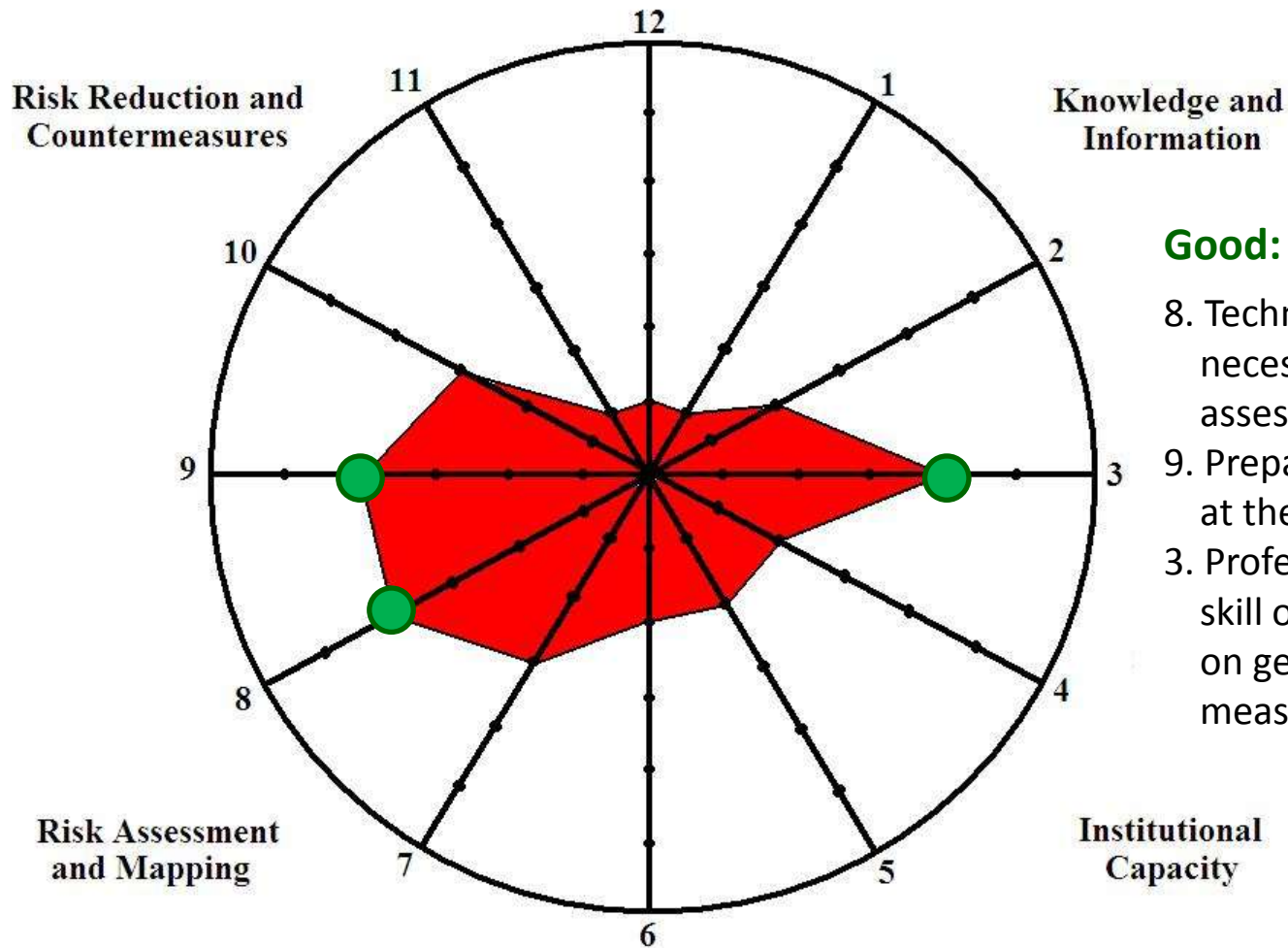


The dark red shows higher PGA and then potential higher ground shaking that may result in higher destruction.

Evaluation of existing situation in Iran based on the developed elements



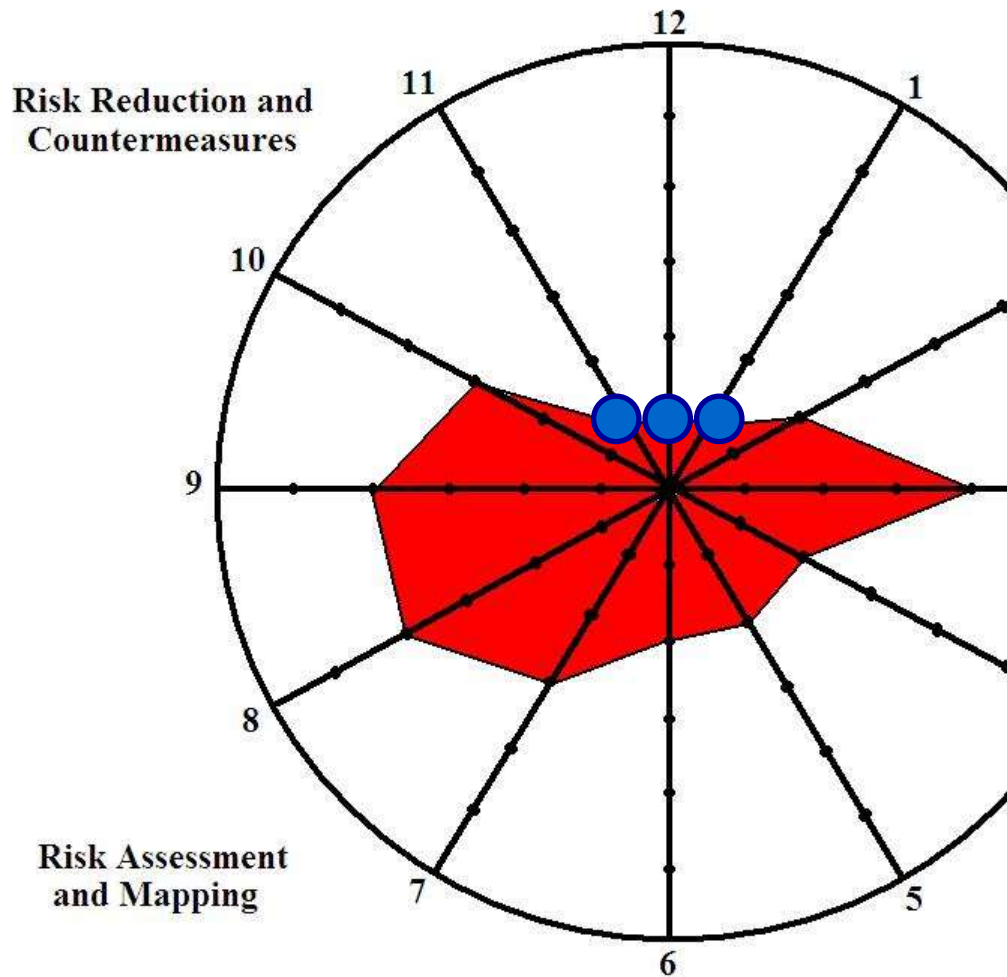
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Good:

- 8. Technical capacity to provide necessary information for risk assessment
- 9. Prepared micro-zonation maps at the local and national levels
- 3. Professional knowledge and skill of researchers and experts on geo-hazards risk mitigation measures.

Evaluation of existing situation in Iran based on the developed elements



Knowledge and Information

Very weak:

1. Public awareness about geo-hazards and the importance of living in safe places;
11. Available monitoring and early warning systems for controlling unstable areas and information dissemination
12. Level of application of advanced technologies for reducing the potential impact of instabilities (such as automatic shut down systems for gas and water networks, etc.)

Institutional Capacity

Conclusions and recommendations

- In order to improve the existing conditions, it is necessary to determine priorities for strengthening each parameter by defining **short, mid and long term programs**.
- Institutional capacities should be enhanced in short term plans by enforcing regulations, allocating budgets and **strengthening institutional capacity**.
- Among the indicated parameters, those related to **risk assessment and risk mapping** as well as promoting knowledge and information should be carried out in short to mid-term programs prior to planning for remediation activities.

For success in making such plans, it is necessary to centralize the coordination of all activities of relevant organizations involved in geo-hazard risk reduction and prevention

Conclusions and recommendations

As an example, for reducing the impacts of landslides associated with earthquakes:

1. It is necessary to evaluate the risk of **slope instabilities** and impact of earthquakes on them;
2. Such information should be integrated with urban and rural development plans;
3. Simplified versions of such maps should be prepared and distributed among people and local authorities along with information to promote their knowledge on potential hazards
4. In the places exposed to such instabilities, based on cost-benefit analyses; the appropriate measures for risk reduction should be determined and applied.

All of these procedures should be implemented in the context of integrated risk reduction plans and should be managed and supervised by local and national disaster management authorities in order to be successful.

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