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Scenario Earthquakes for Central and Southern Peru, and Strong Motion Simulation of the 2007 Pisco earthquake

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- Strong motion simulation of the 15/08/2007 Pisco earthquake.



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Deterministic vs Probabilistic seismic hazard assessment

•Seismic hazard estimation in earthquake prone regions has been traditionally addressed using a probabilistic approach.

•However when a detailed study of the hazard posed from specific seismic sources for a particular site is required, the deterministic approach is more adequate.

 In this study we follow the deterministic approach as we want to investigate the possible effects of the most likely damaging earthquakes that could affect central and southern Peru.



Historical earthquakes in Peru



GPS campaigns in Peru-Northern Chile

• 87 surveyed sites (1993-2003) from Lat. 11°S to Lat. 24°S.



Kendrick et al. (2001), Chlieh et al. (2004), Gagnon et al. (2005)





Interseismic coupling model for Peru and Northern Chile



Moment deficit in Central and Southern Peru



Scenario earthquakes for Central Peru

- Slip deficit since 1746 (265 years)
- Maximum slip is 15 m
- Magnitude Mw~8.9, neglecting the 20 century earthquake sequence
- Slip deficit since 1746 (265 years)

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- Maximum slip is 8 m
- Magnitude Mw~8.7, correcting by the 20 century earthquake sequence



Power spectral density of scenario slip [Mw 8.9]



Construction of broadband wavenumber slip







Comparison of low and broadband wavenumber slips



Strong Motion Simulation Methodology (estimation of the deterministic seismic hazard)





Simulation of the strong ground motion (deterministic seismic hazard estimation) [Aoi et al. 2003, Pulido et al. 2004]



Ground Motion Simulation Methodology





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Source model scenario earthquake



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Array Measurement of Microtremors and temporal seismic observation

 Array measurements of microtremors and temporal seismic observations are conducted in several locations in order to estimate 1D, 2D or 3D soil profiles in Lima.







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Seismic Microzoning

- Seismic Micro Zoning will be improved based on various in-depth surveys.
- 2 or 3-Dimensional soil structure model will be constructed.







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Fault rupture process and strong motion simulation of the 15 August 2007, Pisco earthquake



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Source Model 2007 Pisco earthquake Sladen et al (2010)

Slip distribution



Focal mechanism, Source time function, Slip distribution, Strike 318, Dip 20, Rake 63, Mw=8.0



Rupture process, rise time and stress drop Pisco earthquake





Observed Strong Motion Pisco earthquake



Radiation Pattern SH waves from asperity 1

•Cada punto en el plano de una falla irradia cantidades distintas de energía en diferentes direcciones (la forma como lo hace se denomina patrón de radiación





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Radiation Pattern SH waves from asperity 2





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Radiation pattern as seen from PCN and **NNA** stations



Slip model 2007 Pisco earthquake (Sladen et. al. 2010). 科学技術振興機構 Enhancement





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Strong Motion Simulation of the 15 August 2007, Pisco earthquake



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Microtremors measurements at Parcona city in 3/2010







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Strong motion simulation at PCN, using Sladen et al. [2010] source model and methodology of Pulido et al. [2004]







Conclusions

- We estimated two earthquake scenarios for Central and Southern Peru to be used for the estimation of strong motion.
- Our results show that the Lima segment has accumulated enough slip to be able to generate an earthquake as large as Mw 8.9 and the Arequipa segment an earthquake of Mw 8.5.
- Our results for the strong motion simulation of the 15/08/2007 Pisco earthquake, show that source parameters have a great influence on the near-source observed ground motions.



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Objectives of the SM/GT group (seismic source)

- Elaboration of several scenario earthquakes from the subduction of the Nazca plate that could likely affect Lima, to be used for the seismic hazard estimation.
- Broadband strong ground motion simulation from the different scenario earthquakes in Lima, based on a 2D and 3D velocity model and scenario earthquakes (deterministic seismic hazard estimation).
- Validation/Improvement of the source and structure velocity models by simulation of observed strong motions of past subduction earthquakes in Peru.





Earthquake Scenarios for Lima [Intermediate class event]

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•A representative example for such an event is the October 3/1974 Mw8.0 earthquake which occurred 80 km west of Lima at a depth of 10 km.



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Earthquake Scenarios for Lima [Intermediate class event]

The Lima 1974 earthquake produced a moderate damage to Lima mainly in districts with soft sediments such as La Molina and Callao.

Damaged silo in Callao during the 1974 earthquake [Husid 1977]







Earthquake Scenarios for Lima [Worse scenario event]



Earthquake Scenarios for Lima [Worse scenario event]

•Moment magnitude of the 1746 earthquake is ~8.8, based on reports of a tsunami runup height of 24m observed in Callao (Swenson and Beck 1996).



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Illustration of El Callao in the XVI century 42 Enhancemer(John E Qliby al 671) d Tsunami Disaster



Historical earthquakes in Peru







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Observed Strong Motion 2007 Pisco earthquake



Source Process of the 2007 Pisco earthquake (Sladen et. al. 2010).



Strong motion recordings during the 2007 Pisco earthquake (IGP)

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Calculation of permanent coseismic displacement during the Pisco earthquake at Parcona city from PCN strong motion station







Seismic Observation

 Seismic observation is also carried out to examine the effect of surface soils by using the array of sensors in Lima city.

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2007 Pisco earthquake Strong Motion



Source Process of the 2007 Pisco earthquake (Ji, 2007)



Strong motion recordings during the 2007 Pisco earthquake (CISMID)

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Simulation of permanent coseismic displacement during the Pisco earthquake at PCN station



Distribution of slip velocity functions 2007 Pisco earthquake across the fault plane (Sladen et. al. 2010).



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Source Model 2007 Pisco earthquake Yagi (2007)





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Damage to oil storage tanks during the 2003 Tokachi-oki earthquake



Cross section of the underground velocity model at the Yufutsu basin





Aoi et. al. (2008) Enhancement of Earthquake and Tsunami Disaster

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Strong Motion Simulation

 Broadband strong ground motion simulation from the different scenario earthquakes in Lima, up to an engineering bedrock condition, based on a 3D velocity model and using a hybrid approach (FDM for LF + Stochastic for HF).





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Strong Motion Simulation (3)

- Broadband strong ground motion simulation from the different scenario earthquakes in Pisco up to an engineering bedrock.
- Deployment of a temporal network of accelerometers in Pisco, to study site effects, Q and source parameters of small earthquakes.





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Strong Motion Simulation (2)

- Broadband strong ground motion simulation from the different scenario earthquakes in Arequipa up to an engineering bedrock.
- Deployment of a temporal network of accelerometers in Arequipa, to study site effects, Q and source parameters of small earthquakes.

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ZONE A

ZONE B

▲ Strong motion station CISMID ▲ Strong motion station IGP

0.15 - 0.25

0.15 - 0.25

0.30 - 0.45

Soil type

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ZONE C gravel - sand - mud flow 0.30 - 0.45

Arequipa C Δ Δ Period (s) Symbol Aguilar, 1991 Enhancement of Earthquake and Tsunami Disaster jîca)

Geotechnical Microzonation of



Strong Motion simulation of the 2003 Tokachi-oki earthquake Mw 8.3



Source regions of great interplate earthquakes along the northern Japan Trench and southern



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Mapa de las Redes de Observación Sismológica a nivel nacional, administradas por el NIED

