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- vibration analysis;
- analytical and computational structural acoustics and vibration;
- material systems and technologies for noise and vibration control;
- passive/semi-active/active control techniques;
- piezoelectric and viscoelastic damping technologies;
- shape/position and fluid flow control;
- nonlinear dynamics and vibrations;
- vibration-based structural health monitoring/evaluation and damage prognosis;
- machinery noise/vibration and diagnostics;
- reciprocating machinery and rotor dynamics;
- experimental testing in vibration and structural acoustics;
- experimental modal analysis;
- modeling of the dynamics and damping of complex systems;
- noise and vibration on high-speed trains and railways;
- structural and musical vibro acoustics;
- applications and case studies in structural acoustics and vibration.

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