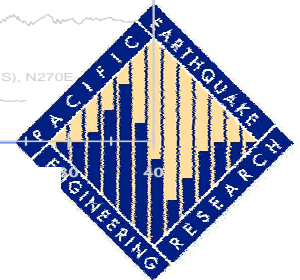
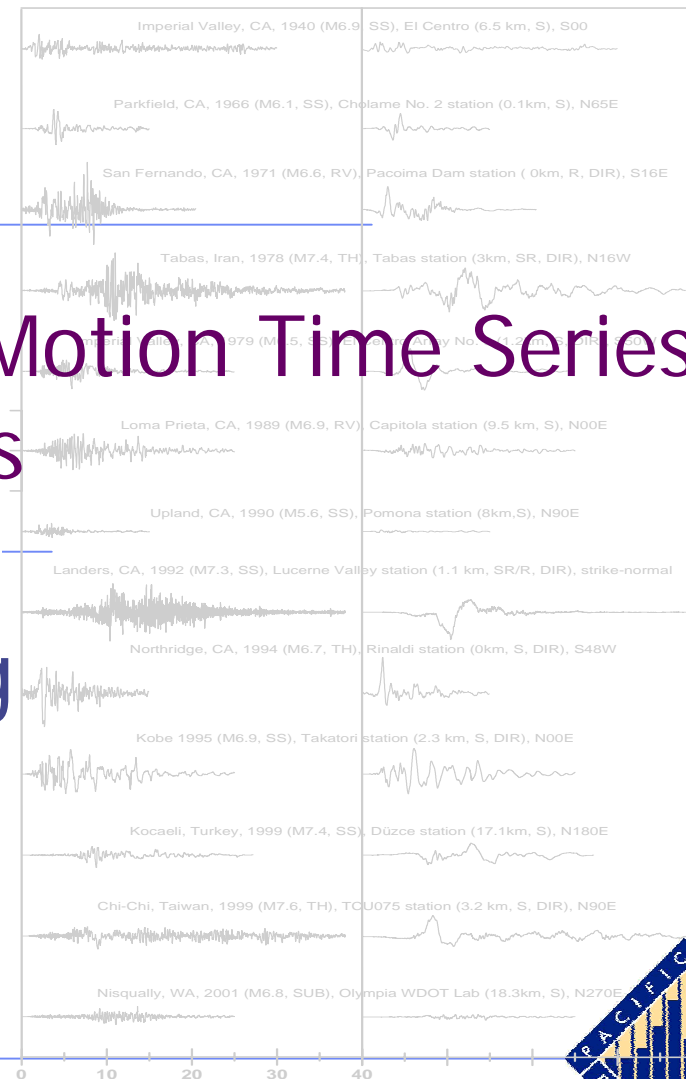


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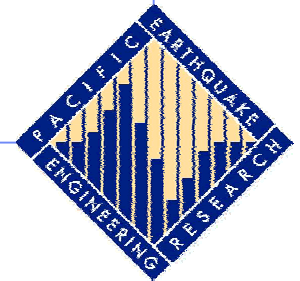


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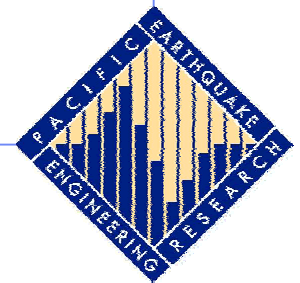
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 - *Marshall Lew*
- ◆ What PEER has done so far
 - *Nico Luco*
- ◆ What PEER is doing now
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- ◆ Discussions

State-of-the-Practice in Time Series
Selection

Marshall Lew



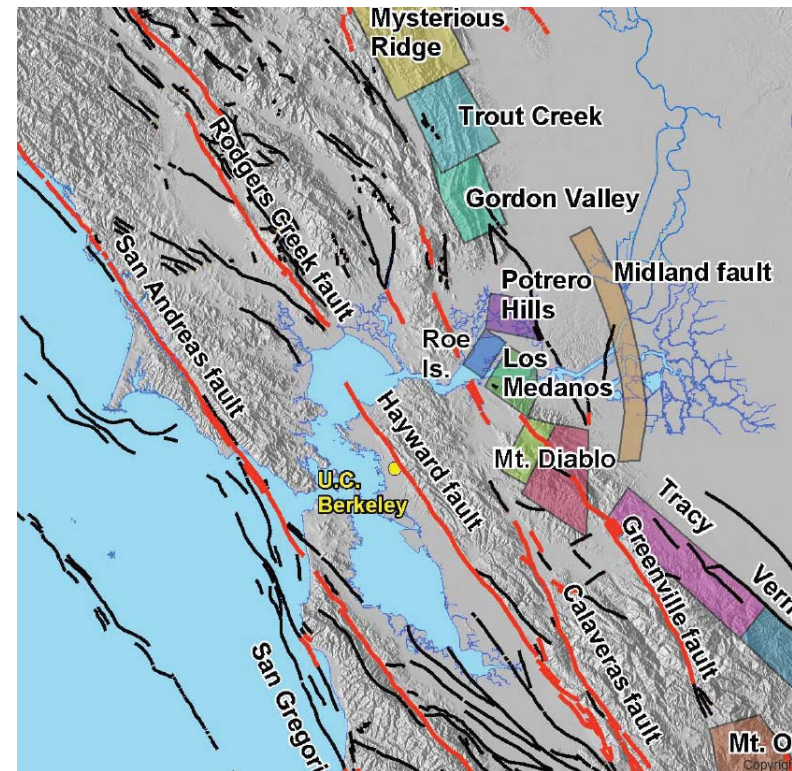
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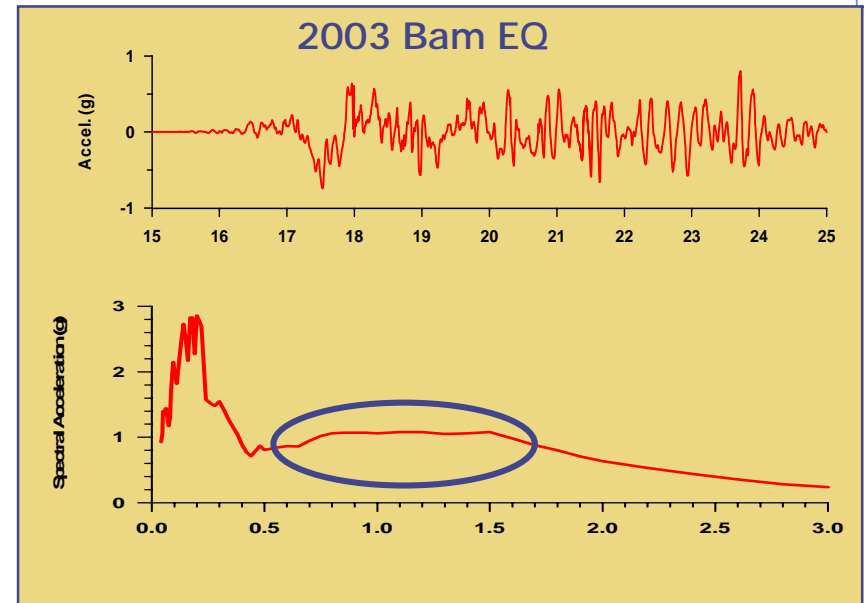
◆ Near-fault effects

- Example: in CA, there are 8386 bridges (out of 12550), 67%, within 10 km of faults



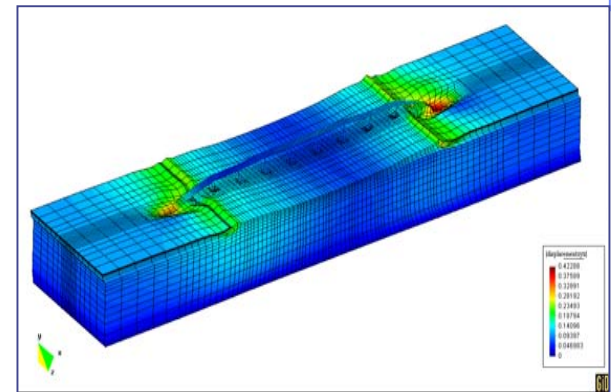
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- ◆ Near-fault effects
 - Fault-normal, fault parallel
 - Narrow-band directivity effects on elastic and inelastic response



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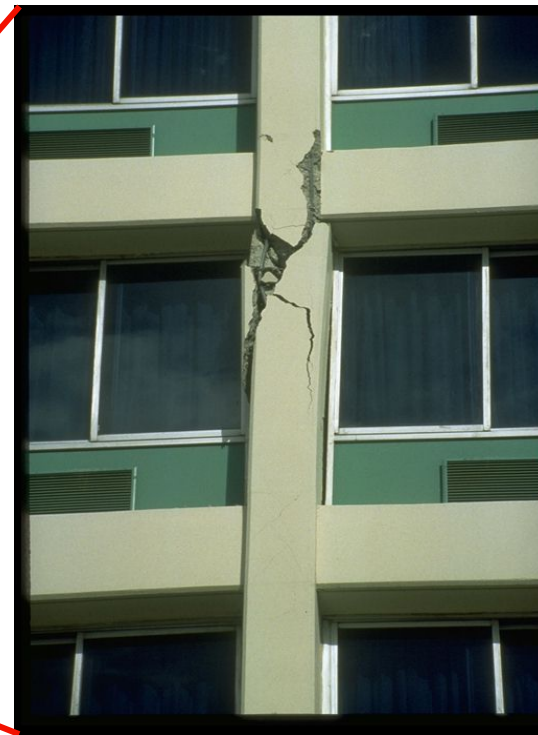
- ◆ Two- (and three-) dimensional structural models:
 - Selection of time series in two (or three) directions
 - Especially, in near-fault areas
- ◆ Benchmarking
 - Consider complex bridge and building models



Issues to be considered ...

- ◆ Multiple EDPs, e.g.,
 - Interstory drift and
 - Floor acceleration

1994 Northridge EQ

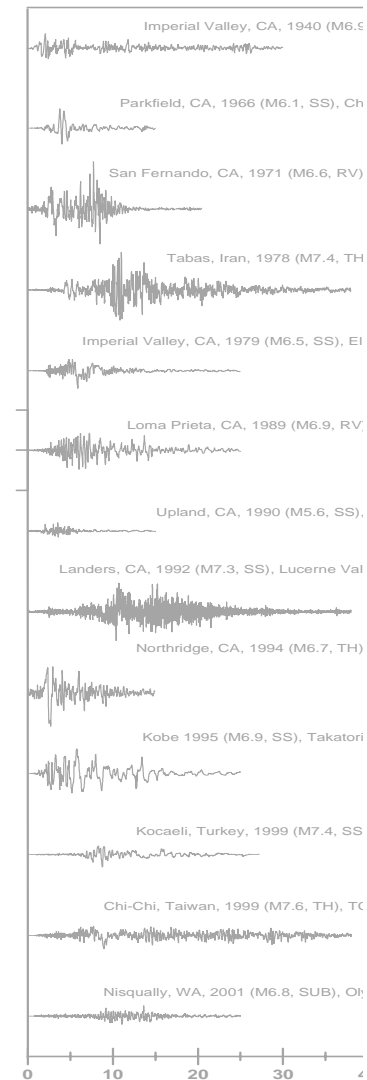


Issues to be considered ...

◆ Number of records?

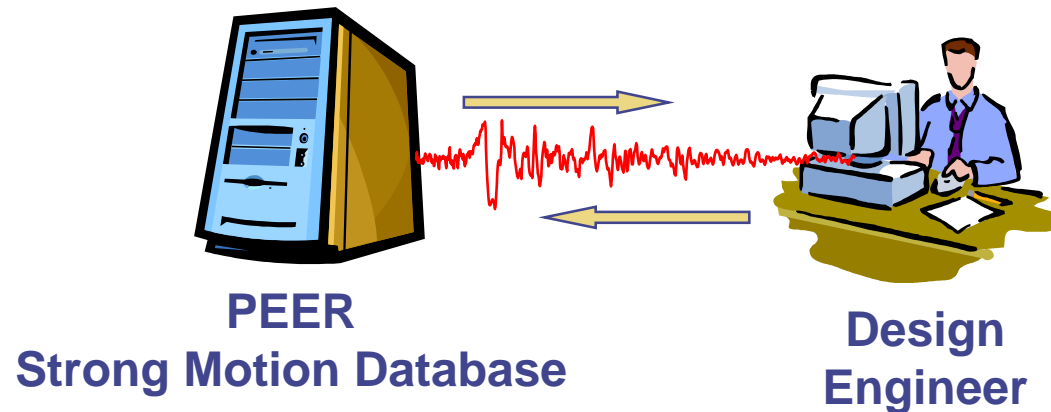
- Is it related to complexity of the structural system?

◆ Quantification of uncertainty in the process of time series selection and scaling



Issues to be considered ...

- ◆ Final product: practical guidelines and “computer modules” for time series selection



Discussions ...

