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- The main seismic survey of Romania is performed by the National Institute for Earth Physics (NIEP).

- The National Institute for Earth Physics operates a real-time digital seismic network.

- The network has digital seismic stations equipped with different high quality digitizers (Kinemetrics K2, Quanterra Q330, Quanterra Q330HR, PS6-26, Basalt), broadband and short period seismometers (CMG3ESP, CMG40T, KS2000, KS54000, KS2000, CMG3T, STS2, SH-1, S13, Mark L4c, Ranger, GS21, Mark L22) and acceleration sensors Episensor Kinemetrics.

Romanian Seismic Network



Real time Seismic Network - currently consists of 115 stations and two seismic arrays.



□ 132 *strong motion stations* using – accelerometers (EpiSensor)



NIEP operates in Bucharest 23 stations: eight of them are in real time (red stars)



During DACEA project 29 seismic stations were installed

Romanian Seismic Network - Bucovina Array



- The array elements are distributed on an area of 25 square km.
- The Burar Array has 6 broadband sensors, 9 short period sensors and one accelerometer.
- The data from this sensors are transmitted in real time to the National Data Center.

Romanian Seismic Network - Plostina Array



- distributed on an area of 2 square km
- A short period sensor (blue triangle)
- An infrasound array with 7 elements (purple diamond)
- A GPS station
- In october 2011 a proton processor magnetometer was installed.
- The data from the seismic array and the infrasound stations are transmitted in real time to NDC

Romanian Seismic Network – Seismological Observatories



Romanian network has 8 observatories all around the country, Dobrogea Observatory is the back-up for the NDC and also a monitoring center for Black Sea tsunami events.

Romanian Seismic Network – Data Exchange



Data recorded by RSN, together with real time seismic data from several European stations (Bulgaria, Czech Republic, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Russia, Turkey, Georgia), are sent to the ROM NDC, in Magurele.

Romanian Seismic Network – Data processing

Software Antelope 5.5

Automatic processing:

- P-wave picking
- event association
- event location
- magnitude estimation
- sending e-mail / SMS alerts

Manual processing:

- phase picking
- event association
- magnitude estimation
- creation of database
- sending reports/ bulletins









Moment tensor inversion

- SAC rmean, rtrend, deconvolve, filter (BP 0.02-0.1), decimate, rotate to ZRT
- ► Assemble SAC files into an Antelope db : orid 1, datatype as, 3 channels/file
- Prepare velocity model files
- Run dbmoment

Monitoring waveform processing phases



Monitoring channels noise



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KIS R=179.0km AZI=44.0 W=1.000 Zcor=11 TIRR R=185.0km AZI=147.0 W=1.034 Zcor=14



Moment magnitude estimation for local events

Dbmw - Antelope contrib

• *Acquisition:* data retrieval from seismic stations and their writing to a digital data base;

Processing: locates events, calculates the local magnitude and send this information on the website, SMS and email;

Archiving: stores in a database all data retrieved from the seismic monitoring network and the parameters calculated by the software.

Method used to determinate Mw

(Andrews, 1986)

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Spectral amplitude at receiver} \qquad & A(f) = D(f)E(f)G(R) \\ \\ \text{Brune (1970) source spectrum} \qquad & \text{Attenuation} \qquad & \text{Geometrical spreading} \\ D(f) &= \frac{M_0}{4\pi k\rho \upsilon^3} \left[1 + \left(\frac{f}{f_0}\right)^2 \right]^{-1} \qquad & E(f) = e^{-\left(\frac{\pi U}{Q(f)}\right)} \\ Q(f) &= 80 f^{(1.1)} \qquad & G(R) = \frac{1}{R} \\ \\ SV2 &= 2\int_{0}^{\infty} V^2(f) df \implies SV2 = \frac{1}{4} \Omega^2 (2\pi f_0)^3 \\ SD2 &= 2\int_{0}^{\infty} D^2(f) df \implies SD2 = \frac{1}{4} \Omega^2 (2\pi f_0) \\ M_0 &= 4\pi\rho \upsilon^3 \Omega k \qquad & r = \frac{2.34\beta}{2\pi f_0} \\ \\ M_W &= \frac{2}{3} \cdot \log_{10}(M_0) - 6.1 \end{aligned}$$

Algorithm dbmw

The S-wave train is identified through an automatic procedure that estimates arrival times.

Average and instrument response are removed and band pass filter is applied

EW and NS component are combined to obtain the transversal one, to minimize wave conversion effects

Signal-to-noise spectral ratio is used to determine the frequency window for strong motion data analysis

Velocities and displacements are obtained by integrating acceleration and velocities Source spectra are obtained by applying FFT and correcting for geometrical spreading and inelastic attenuation

Seismic moment and corner frequency are estimated following Andrews (1986) method.

The results are stored in several database tables.

Archive events were reprocessed by using Antelope dbreplay

A real time Antelope instance configured to estimate Mw is operational

Results- Mw

Bulletins

Romania - Event 16723 Zona seismica Vrancea

Event local time: Sat Nov 22,2014 21:14:17

Sat Nov 22,2014 19:14:17 GMT N45.87 E27.15 Depth: 40 km ID: 17011

Measurements are based on data extracted and processed by an operator

ML: 5.70 Mw: 5.51 netmo: 0.353E+18 netf0: 0.82 neteqR: 1.93 Nsta: 24

Station moment magnitude estimates - dbmw

	sta	chamw	mw	mO	fO	eqR	timePmw	Pmw	timeSmw	Smw
	NEHR	HNT	5.6	0.352E+18	0.46	2.73	19:14:31	synt	19:14:41	synt
	PETR	HNT	5.3	0.111E+18	0.67	1.89	19:14:24	synt	19:14:29	synt
	GHRR	HNT	5.4	0.196E+18	0.64	1.98	19:14:24	db	19:14:30	synt
	MLR	HNT	5.8	0.731E+18	0.44	2.88	19:14:34	db	19:14:46	synt
	BUZR	HNT	5.8	0.818E+18	0.50	2.52	19:14:31	synt	19:14:42	synt
	SCHL	HNT	5.5	0.225E+18	1.38	0.92	19:14:28	db	19:14:38	synt
	GRER	HNT	5.7	0.509E+18	0.74	1.72	19:14:28	db	19:14:36	synt
	GISR	HNT	5.7	0.577E+18	1.16	1.09	19:14:31	db	19:14:42	synt
	VASR	HNT	5.8	0.720E+18	0.72	1.76	19:14:33	db	19:14:45	synt
	PGOR	HNT	5.8	0.601E+18	0.64	1.99	19:14:34	db	19:14:47	synt
	PLOR	HNT	5.3	0.127E+18	0.67	1.88	19:14:25	db	19:14:32	synt
	ISR	HNT	5.9	0.103E+19	0.45	2.82	19:14:33	db	19:14:44	synt
	ODBI	HNT	5.4	0.156E+18	0.77	1.66	19:14:23	db	19:14:28	synt
	TESR	HNT	5.3	0.126E+18	0.54	2.35	19:14:30	db	19:14:41	synt
	CFR	HNT	5.1	0.673E+17	3.00	0.42	19:14:33	db	19:14:47	synt
	VARL	HNT	5.7	0.473E+18	0.81	1.56	19:14:27	synt	19:14:35	synt
	BAC	HNT	5.5	0.267E+18	0.57	2.23	19:14:30	synt	19:14:41	synt
I	BISRR	HNT	5.7	0.520E+18	0.87	1.46	19:14:27	db	19:14:34	synt
	ADJ	HNT	5.4	0.201E+18	0.49	2.60	19:14:24	synt	19:14:30	synt
	VRI	HNT	5.2	0.765E+17	0.48	2.61	19:14:24	db	19:14:31	synt
]	PLOR4	HNT	5.3	0.127E+18	0.67	1.88	19:14:26	synt	19:14:32	synt
	BIR	HNT	5.4	0.179E+18	0.75	1.69	19:14:27	db	19:14:35	synt
	OZUR	HNT	5.4	0.173E+18	0.44	2.90	19:14:34	db	19:14:47	synt
	TUDR	HNT	5.3	0.119E+18	1.83	0.69	19:14:26	db	19:14:34	synt
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Ground motion parameters



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Antelope dbmw - observed stations velocities (cm/sec)

Maximum velocity: ODBI 8.8408

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Antelope dbmw – observed stations PSA03 (cm/sec**2)

Maximum PSA03: ODBI 549.5221

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Antelope dbmw – observed stations PSA10 (cm/sec**2)

Maximum PSA10: BISRR 108.2599

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Antelope dbmw – observed stations PSA30 (cm/sec**2)

Maximum PSA30: ODBI 9.0152

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Intermediate depth Vrancea earthquakes - ML vs. Mw



71 seismic events with ML>3.0, recorded during 2004-2016.

Intermediate depth Vrancea earthquakes



Comparison between Mw, ML and Early Warning System estimations

All these values are obtained from strong motion data

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Crustal events ML vs. Mw



46 seismic events with ML>2.3, recorded during 2013-2016

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