

Special Issue

Condition Monitoring and Fault Diagnosis for Rotating Machinery

Message from the Guest Editors

Rotating machinery, such as turbines, jet engines, compressors, and electric propulsion systems, comprises classical engineering units. Due to their dynamic nature and complex system structures, rotating machinery is prone to various faults, such as fatigue cracks, misalignment, eccentricities, and wear. The rapid detection and diagnosis of these faults, before they lead to a catastrophic failure, is necessary.

Condition monitoring and fault diagnosis are essential for their reliability and safety. While industrial applied condition monitoring and fault diagnosis methodologies are limited to signal energy analysis and Fourier spectrum analysis, many sophisticated methodologies have been reported and developed. The recent advances in understanding the fault mechanism, condition monitoring, and fault diagnosis methodologies have been substantial. This Special Issue aims to collect original research articles and reviews. The topics of interest include, but are not limited to:

- Dynamics modeling;
- Fault mechanism;
- Condition monitoring techniques;
- Signal processing methods;
- Information fusion strategy;
- Machine learning algorithms.

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