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Evaluation of Coastal Sediment Transport Processes

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The sediment distribution in transitional land–ocean zones, and the subsequent impact it has on many biogeochemical processes, is determined by its erosion and transport in coastal areas. Sediment transport is expected to vary as a result of the physical forcing associated with waves, currents, wind, gravity currents, the strength of the stratification of the water column, or turbulence. Deltas, breakwaters, and harbors, as well as seagrasses, etc., modify the fate of the sediment being transported. Anthropogenic activities threaten ecosystems by producing gaps interspersed within the vegetation, resulting in a fragmented meadow. The capture of sediment by a fragmented meadow is expected to be reduced compared with that by a continuous meadow. In this Special Issue, we invite scientists working on the different aspects of sediment transport in coastal or watershed areas to share their most recent results. Papers submitted could deal with sediment transport, modeling, gravity current dynamics, the interaction between aquatic vegetation and sediment, sediment dynamics in fragmented meadows, or sediment resuspension.

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