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Newly Constructed Subway on Over-Track Bridge Safety and Vibration Reduction Measure

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Primarily generated at the interface between the wheel and the rail, railroad vibrations then propagate through the supporting soil. If these vibrations reach nearby bridges and buildings, they amplify the vibration nuisance and cause ground noise, which has detrimental effects on nearby residents, sensitive equipment, and historic structures. By analyzing measured data from metro vibration field vibration experiments, this article attempts to contribute to the body of knowledge on environmental vibration propagation patterns by offering insightful conclusions. Before analyzing the deformation response of the metro jet system (MJS) vibration isolation piles to the structure and the ground, we investigated the effect of MJS vibration isolation piles in the ground of the existing subway tunnel structure on the control of vibration of the proximate structure and conducted dynamic tests on the vibration of bridges without vibration isolation measures caused by operating subway trains. The tests determined that the acceleration of the bridge's lateral vibration exceeded the code limit; one of the contributing factors was that the bridge's structure had already sustained damage. The utilization of MJS isolation piles was also discovered to safeguard the extant bridge pile foundations. The paper presents an innovation in the form of economically viable vibration mitigation strategies that were implemented subsequent to the identification that the lateral vibration acceleration of the preexisting bridge surpassed the prescribed code standards. Considerable insight is gained regarding the design and implementation of vibration control systems for structures situated near caverns, encompassing deep foundation works.

1. Introduction

Vibration issues resulting from train operations have garnered considerable attention in recent years due to the accelerated advancements in rail transportation engineering. To begin with, urban structures may be adversely affected by ground vibrations that are generated by railroads [[1](#page-10-0), [2\]](#page-10-0). Furthermore, the intrusive vibrations and secondary structure noise caused by the high-frequency operation of subways entering and exiting stations negatively affect the quality of life for occupants of over-track areas [[3, 4](#page-10-0)]. Therefore, before installing a new line or retrofitting an existing one, ground vibration assessment is typically mandatory. Complex interactions between tracks, trains, and soil, which may necessitate rigorous analysis, frequently result in exorbitant expenses for these evaluations. Notwithstanding this, the preservation of vulnerable structures (such as older buildings) could potentially benefit from the ability to forecast vibration levels precisely [\[5, 6\]](#page-10-0).

With the rapid expansion of urban railroad networks, accurate prediction of railroad-induced vibration levels at ground level and within buildings is required. Current computational methods for predicting railroad-induced ground vibration rely on simplified modeling assumptions that require detailed parameter inputs, which leads to a high degree of uncertainty. Kuo et al. [\[7\]](#page-10-0) utilized a combination of experimental measurements and numerical simulations for the hybrid prediction of railroad-induced ground vibration.

The effective frequency of transverse rail vibration can reach 1.5 kHz, and longitudinal vibration can reach 2 kHz [\[8](#page-10-0)]. A suitable model was developed to study the train–rail model and to analyze the wheel–rail interaction effects at high frequencies. The proposed 3D moving element method (MEM) track model seems to be suitable for describing the high-frequency dynamics associated with different railroad phenomena. (MEM) track model seems to be suitable for describing the
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their study, dos Santos et al. [13] c trajectory of an Alfa Pendular train traveling at 212 km/hr. Zou et al. [[14](#page-10-0)] conducted field measurements of vibration during metro operation in Shenzhen, China, located in the south of China, where vibration data were collected in five measurement devices considering the train test line and throat area train line as the main sources of vibration in metro stations. The train-induced vibrations were obtained and compared with the limits of the FTA standards. For ground vibration of surface railroad tracks in a combined infoat area train line as the main sources of vibration in
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By employing numerical simulation, the railroad environment can be replicated. A multitude of research groups have devised diverse modeling techniques for numerical simulation utilizing boundary element and finite element methods. Their objective is to comprehend the propagation of

railway-induced vibrations by analyzing the mechanisms that generate such vibrations. Shi et al. [\[16\]](#page-10-0) conducted a theoretical investigation on the impact of the dynamic response of railroad viaducts. They utilized the periodic structure of the track, specifically the parametric excitation caused by the the track, specifically the parametric excitation caused by the
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vibration sources (train–track int close to the railroad infrastructure) by means of a substructural approach. It was found that soil stiffness plays an important role in the vibration propagation mechanism in the ground and the interaction between soil and structures. Lai et al. [\[20\]](#page-11-0) proposed that creating a thorough prediction tool for ground vibration caused by railroads should take into account three role in the vibration propagation mechanism in the ground
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problem related to soil-structure dynamics tions from nearby railroad facilities arising from the dynamic interplay between soil and structure.

As a significant indicator for determining the operational condition of bridges, the dynamic response of bridges to passing railroads is regarded as critical. When considering the overall behavior of a bridge, including factors such as load-carrying capacity, structural rigidity, and the extent of damage, bridge displacements are among the most valuable indicators of structural health. In order to accurately distinguish bridge damage, Baba and Kondoh [\[21\]](#page-11-0) conducted vibration experiments on fixed beams positioned at both ends of a simulated bridge and proposed a method for monitoring bridge health utilizing impedance-loaded surface acoustic wave sensors, which was accomplished through the application of unsupervised machine learning. Saidin et al. [\[22\]](#page-11-0) used ambient vibration testing to obtain vibration response measurements to determine the dynamic properties of the structure. The study compares three modal detection methods: frequency domain decomposition, enhanced frequency domain decomposition, and stochastic subspace identification. Identification and the modal shapes of each method are verified using modal assurance criterion values to validate the accuracy of the results. Jayasundara et al. [\[23](#page-11-0)] damage indices obtained from vibration data were used as input data for neural network training and validation for damage detection, localization, and quantification of structural bridge components.

Using the maximum wheel load reduction rate of the train on the bridge as an illustration, Zhang et al. [[24\]](#page-11-0) collected a sample set of the train–bridge system's maximum dynamic response and analyzed its statistical characteristics. Koroma et al. [[15](#page-10-0)] used space–time and wave number frequency domain modeling

FIGURE 1: Relationship between subway and plan position of hyperbolic arch bridge.

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road tracks. The FE method was used to model the railroad
track in the space–time domain and the ground in the wave number frequency domain. The results of time-range and spectral analyses of track vibration, interaction force, and free-field ground vibration for the coupled track/ground model are given. Xu et al. [\[25\]](#page-11-0) developed a 3D hybrid model for simulating the dynamic track–tunnel–soil interaction in a ballasted underground. Kuo et al. [[7](#page-10-0)] used field measurements to predict railroad-induced ground and building vibration levels.

In order to characterize the ground vibration in the time domain, Feng et al. [\[11\]](#page-10-0) constructed a 3D model utilizing the FE method. Material damping is modeled using the absorbing boundary technique, while wave reflection from artificial edges is prevented using the Rayleigh damping method. An examination of unit load-induced ground vibration at variexamination of unit foad-induced ground vibration at vari-
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nel–soil–structures system, a term monitoring is necessary. This evaluation aims to examine the effects of vibration on inhabitants, sensitive equipment, and buildings and to provide a foundation for designing measures to reduce vibration. The focus of this work is the approach bridge of the Nanjing Yangtze River Bridge, which is designed as a double-curved arch bridge. This kind of bridge construction is unique and has a high susceptibility to deformation produced by external forces. The Nanjing Yangtze River Bridge has been safely operational for over 50 years. Over time, the bridge foundation and structure have undergone varying degrees of deformation accumulation. Therefore, a more rigorous assessment of the impacts of nearby subway operations on the bridge is necessary.

This paper's innovative content is as follows: This paper utilizes the new Nanjing Metro Line 8, which crosses the Nanjing Yangtze River Bridge highway bridge, to conduct dynamic tests on rail transportation vibration on the old bridge. The purpose is to identify, pinpoint, and measure potential damage to the structural components of the arch bridge in the future. A 3D numerical simulation model of dynamic tests on rail transportation vibration on the old
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bridge in the future. A 3D numerical simulation effects of foundation pit excavation and shield tunnel crossing construction on the Nanjing Yangtze River Bridge. The goal is to ensure the safety of deep foundation pit and shield tunneling construction in a complex and sensitive environment and minimize the impacts on sensitive structures nearby, such as the Yangtze River Bridge and the doublecurved arch bridge. The goal is to guarantee the safety of deep foundation and shield tunneling construction in a complex and sensitive environment, reduce the impact on the nearby, such as the Yangtze River Bridge and the double-
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plex and sensitive environment, reduce the imp offer guidance for similar projects in the Yangtze River floodplain.

2. Over-Track Building and Metro Description

2.1. Double-Curved Arch Bridge Overview. Nanjing Yangtze River Bridge's north approach hyperbolic arch bridge was completed in 1968, with a total of four holes $(3 \times 34.9 +$ 32.3) and a total length of 137 m. Each hole is an equal cross-section suspension chain line hingeless arch, with a vec-Kiver Bridge's north approach hyperbolic arch bridge was
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The main arch ring of the hyperbolic arch bridge superstructure consists of 16 arch ribs and 15 arch waves. The arch

FIGURE 2: Relationship between subway and hyperbolic arch bridge elevation position.

rib is 250 grade reinforced concrete precast structure, the center spacing 1.3 m, the total width of the group rib is 19.76 m; the arch wave is 200 precast concrete structure, the system of arc arch, the arch wave is 6 cm thick, the net span diameter is 1.04 m, the ratio of the vector span is 1/3; the arch plate is filled with 300 cast-in-place components, and the arch wave to form an integral whole; the transverse connecting rods between the arch ribs are precast components, the section is $8 \text{ cm} \times 11 \text{ cm}$, the maximum spacing is 1.8 m, the reinforcement is added 25 cm × 38 cm section. The maximum spacing of connecting rods is 1.8 m, and large tie connecting rods between the arch ribs are precast components, the section is $8 \text{ cm} \times 11 \text{ cm}$, the maximum spacing is 1.8 m, the reinforcement is added $25 \text{ cm} \times 38 \text{ cm}$ section. The maximum spacing of connecting rods are added for reinforcement. The foundation form of the hyperbolic arch bridge is a group pile foundation, with a pile length of 23 m and a pile diameter of 0.6 m.

2.2. Metro Depot Description. The foundation pit of Nanjing Metro Line S8 South Extension Project Yangtze River Bridge North Station is adjacent to the hyperbolic arch bridge and located on the west side of the hyperbolic arch bridge. It is side by side with Pier 37# and Pier 38# of the hyperbolic arch bridge. Figure 2 shows the subway and hyperbolic arch bridge elevation location relationship. The subway line was completed and successfully opened to traffic at the end of September 2022, and the train adopts a B-type drum train with four sections; each section is 19 m long, 2.88 m wide, and 3.8 m high, with a maximum operating speed of 120 km/hr.

3. Measurement Program

The following specifications inform the test program and vibration monitoring standards presented in this paper: (i) GB 10070-88 Standard of environmental vibration in urban areas [[28](#page-11-0)], (ii) GB 3096-2008 Environmental quality standard for noise [\[29\]](#page-11-0), and (iii) JGJ/T 170-909 Standard for limit and measuring method of building vibration and secondary noise caused by urban rail transit [\[30\]](#page-11-0).

The field test was conducted from September 19 to 22, 2023, in the vicinity of the North Station of the Yangtze River Bridge on the Nanjing Metro Line S8 South Extension Project. Testing was conducted on the vibration induced by running trains and the bridge's vertical, transverse, and longitudinal movement due to subway operation, resulting in a significant quantity of test data.

3.1. Measurement Point Arrangement. The tests in this study include the self-oscillation frequency of the bridge, the site response under the influence of the operation of Metro Line S8, and the response of the sensitive parts of the hyperbolic arch bridge. Response measurements include transverse/vertical acceleration and displacement. Specifically include:

- (1) This paper focuses on the construction of over-track buildings with a unique spatial relationship. In order to measure the effects of this construction, four measurement points were strategically placed along the vertical and horizontal lines of the subway station. The specific locations of these points can be seen in Figures [1](#page-2-0) and 2. Horizontally, the points ZT-01 and ZT-03 were arranged, while vertically, the points ZT-02 and ZT-04 were arranged.
- (2) A transverse vibration response test is conducted in the vicinity of pier 38# of the hyperbolic arch bridge, with measurement points placed as depicted in Figure [3.](#page-4-0) There are a total of eight measurement

FIGURE 3: Layout of measurement points.

points positioned from the surface above the subway line toward the bridge. Among these, DX-5, DX-6, and DX-7 are situated on the abutment.

(3) The study involves conducting a longitudinal vibration response test at the arch foot of 35−38# holes of a hyperbolic arch bridge. The measurement points, as illustrated in Figure 3, consist of a total of eight points. Additionally, the 34# piers are elevated from the ground, and the measurement points are not arranged in a specific manner. This work specifically examines the transverse vibration response of the bridge. It is important to mention that the scope of this paper does not include a detailed discussion of longitudinal vibration research in relation to the bridge.

3.2. Testing Instruments. The field testing of bridge vibrations induced by subway train operation was the subject of this investigation; the instruments utilized for the assessments are detailed in Table [1](#page-5-0). The field measurements were conducted utilizing 12 accelerometer instruments. As depicted investigation; the instruments utilized for the assessments
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4. Vibration Response on the Metro and Over-Track Building

4.1. Subway Vibration Response. Figure [4](#page-5-0) displays the Fourier spectrum and decibel diagrams of the ground vibration acceleration time-history curves caused by a subway train and its reaction to a passing passenger automobile traveling at 80 km/hr. The experiments in this research were done during regular subway operation, not during preoperation load testing. Hence, the operating speed referred to is the typical pace at which subways operate.

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at 40–63 Hz. Hence, it is necessary to secondary noise by reducing the wheel and rail vibration frequency from 50 to 63 Hz [\[32\]](#page-11-0).

As per the guidelines provided by GB 3096 Environmental quality standard for noise [\[29\]](#page-11-0), DB11/T 838-2019 Code for application technique of metro noise and vibration control [\[33\]](#page-11-0), and sound insulation design code for civil buildings standard of environmental vibration in urban area [[34](#page-11-0)], the metro vibration should produce noise levels no higher than 70 dB. The test demonstrates that the environmental vibration

| Serial no. | Equipment name | Product specification | Quantity |
|------------|------------------------------|-----------------------|----------|
| | Wireless vibration collector | INV9580 | |
| 2 | Horizontal vibration sensor | 941B | |
| | Vertical vibration sensor | 941B | |
| 4 | Dynamic signal test system | DH3817J | |

TABLE 1: Dynamic load test equipments.

FIGURE 4: Time-history curves of ground vibration acceleration and corresponding Fourier spectra of subway train when 80 km/hr passenger car passes. (a) Time-history curves, (b) corresponding Fourier spectra, and (c) dB charts.

brought on by the subway vibration satisfies the code's standards.

4.2. Bridge Vibration Response. The transverse vibration acceleration time-history curves of the bridge vibration and its response during the passage of a 100 km/hr passenger car are illustrated in Figure [5](#page-6-0) through Fourier spectra and dB diagrams. It is important to mention that the experiments performed in this research were carried out during regular subway operations and not preoperational stress evaluations. The operational pace is thus the speed at which the subway normally operates.

As to the code for rating existing railway bridges (railway transportation letter (2004) No. 120) [[35](#page-11-0)], the transverse vibration acceleration of the bridge span structure in the plane of loading shall not surpass 1.4 m/s^2 while a train is passing through. Figure [5](#page-6-0) illustrates that the acceleration of the lateral vibration of the bridge exceeds 1.4 m/s^2 . The Nanjing Yangtze River Bridge and its northern approach

bridge, with a hyperbolic arch construction, began operating in September 1968. It continues to serve as a vital traffic link between Nanjing's main city and the Jiangbei New Area. The test findings indicate that the hyperbolic arch construction, which has been in service for almost 54 years, has internal damage. The bridge is a significant cultural heritage site in Nanjing and cannot be removed; it can only be restored and strengthened.

5. Vibration Reduction Measures

As urban construction progresses, an increasing number of deep foundation structures, such as bridges, are being built near clusters of tunnels. The excavation of the pit, construction of the shield tunnel crossing, and operation of the subway will have an impact on the nearby pile foundation. Specifically, it will affect the safety and deformation of the bridge bearing on the pile foundation. To mitigate this impact, the project incorporates additional protective measures to

FIGURE 5: Time-history curves and corresponding Fourier spectra of lateral acceleration of bridge without vibration reduction measure when 80 km/hr passenger car passes. (a) Time-history curves, (b) corresponding Fourier spectra, and (c) dB charts.

enhance the stiffness of the soil [\[36, 37\]](#page-11-0). This paper explores the use of vibration control measures, specifically isolation pile protection and metro jet system (MJS) reinforcement, in subway construction. The MJS system is an improved method based on the original spray-mixing technique. By using this method, the disturbance to the soil layer surrounding the reinforced soil can be minimized during construction [[38\]](#page-11-0). Research has shown that the timely use of MJS isolation piles, which are installed with low disturbance, may successfully reduce the impact of excavation on structural deformation when constructing deep foundations near groups of tunnels [[39](#page-11-0)]. This part aims to further study the impact of MJS isolation piles on reducing the vibration of the nearby structure by analyzing the deformation response of these piles to both the structure and the ground in the tunnel.

The previous test conducted in 4.2 indicated that the lateral vibration acceleration of the bridge was above the stipulated threshold. In order to minimize the effects of the Metro Line 8 construction on the double curving arch bridge of the Yangtze River Bridge, appropriate measures must be implemented to reduce vibrations. Indeed, while constructing the subway, the potential disruption caused by the excavation of deep and large pits on the Nanjing Yangtze River Bridge was anticipated. In order to mitigate this, MJS isolation piles were installed between the pits and the bridge piles to minimize any deformation of the bridge piles resulting from the pit excavation. Based on the comparative study of the positioning of isolation piles, it is recommended that the isolation piles be placed as near as feasible to the foundation pit. MJS isolation piles are used to strengthen the vertical

FIGURE 6: Time-history curves and corresponding Fourier spectra of lateral acceleration of bridge with vibration reduction measure when 80 km/hr passenger car passes. (a) Time-history curves, (b) corresponding Fourier spectra, and (c) dB charts.

section of the subway tunnel, namely the portion located between the tunnel and the double-curved arch bridge. These piles are spaced at intervals of Φ1200@900. Figure [8](#page-8-0) displays the measurements of the MJS isolation piles and their arrangement in relation to the subway and the double-curved arch bridge. The section of the MJS isolation piles that falls beyond the focus of this study will not be extensively discussed. However, we will provide a brief explanation of the project's origins. This research only examines the impact of MJS isolation piles on the regulation of vibration in the nearby structure.

Dynamic measurements were conducted on the bridge using isolation piles. Figure 6 displays the time-range curves of transverse vibration acceleration of the bridge before and

after implementing isolation measures. Additionally, it shows the Fourier spectra and dB plots of the bridge's responses when a passenger car traveling at a speed of 100 km/hr passes through. The test results indicate that the use of MJS isolation piles for reinforcement has led to a reduction in the transverse vibration of the bridge. Specifically, the acceleration at the DX-5 measurement point is 1.35 m/s^2 , the acceleration at the DX-6 measurement point is 1.25 m/s^2 , and the acceleration at the DX-7 measurement point is 1.16 m/s^2 . These values meet the specification requirements.

Based on the field test, the bridge's first-order self-vibration frequency is of the antisymmetric vibration type and has a frequency of 8.79 Hz. Figure [7](#page-8-0) depicts the temporal progression

FIGURE 7: Time-history curves of transverse velocity of bridge vibration after adapting vibration reduction measures when 80 km/hr passenger car passes through.

FIGURE 8: Continued.

FIGURE 8: MJS isolation pile vibration reduction: (a) layout plan; (b) tunnel and bridge pile position profile schematic.

of the lateral velocity of the bridge oscillation after the implementation of isolation measures in response to the passage of a passenger automobile traveling at a speed of 100 km/hr. Based on the GB 10070-88 standards for urban environmental vibration [\[28](#page-11-0)], the assessment of vibration impact on vibrationsensitive buildings and other impacts is presented in Table 2. The table indicates that the transverse vibration of the bridge is greatly reduced when MJS isolation piles are used, satisfying the specification requirements.

6. Conclusions

In this study, a field test was carried out on Nanjing Metro 8, within 48.5 m from the line, to test the bridge vibration caused by running subway trains. A large amount of experimental data was obtained. Some meaningful conclusions were drawn through the analysis of the data in the frequency domain, providing experimental data for the study of the propagation of the environmental vibration law:

- (1) The vibration level of vertical ground acceleration caused by running train speed in the range of 80– nvironmental vibration law:

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- (2) Prior to the building of the subway, testing revealed that the bridge without MJS isolation piles (referring to the bridge in its original state) had internal structural damage. This damage caused the bridge to undergo transverse vibration acceleration exceeding

 1.4 m/s^2 . Hence, it is essential to implement vibration control measures for the bridge.

- (3) The bridge's dynamics were analyzed using MJS isolation piles, and the tests demonstrated a significant reduction in transverse vibration, therefore satisfying the stated standards.
- (4) The findings of this research suggest that MJS isolation piles may be regarded as a viable choice for implementing measures to limit vibrations.

Data Availability

The data used to support the findings of this study are available from the corresponding author upon request.

Conflicts of Interest

The authors declare that have no conflicts of interest.

Authors' Contributions

Yuan Xu, Hui Li, and Lingkun Chen contributed to conceptualization, visualization, and project administration. Yuan Xu and Lingkun Chen contributed to methodology and Yuan Xu, Hui Li, and Lingkun Chen contributed to conceptualization, visualization, and project administration. Yuan Xu and Lingkun Chen contributed to methodology and writing—original draft preparation. Yuan Xu, Hui Li, Ju Hou, Liming Zhu, and Lingkun Chen contributed to software. Yuan Xu, Liming Zhu, and Lingkun Chen contributed to validation. Jue Hou, Liming Zhu, and Lingkun Chen contributed to formal analysis. Lingkun Chen contributed to resources, supervision, and funding acquisition. Lingkun Chen and Yuan Xu contributed to data curation. Yuan Xu, Hui Li, Jue Hou, Liming Zhu, and Lingkun Chen contributed tributed to formal analysis. Lingkun Chen contributed to
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