

Division II – Seismic observation network



October 5th, 2003 Earthquake Report

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1. General elements

Date & time	October 5 th , 2003; 21:38:18.00 UTC
Seismic source	Vrancea subcrustal
Magnitude	Mw=4.6 (moment magnitude)
Location	45.57 °N; 26.46 °E
Depth	145.6 km

Seismic event characteristics were compiled from *EMSC* (<u>www.emsc-csem.org</u>), *USGS* (<u>http://earthquake.usgs.gov/eqcenter/</u>) and *NIEP* (<u>http://www.infp.ro/</u>) websites

The earthquake was recorded by 4 NCSRR seismic stations, all of them are borehole stations located in Bucharest.

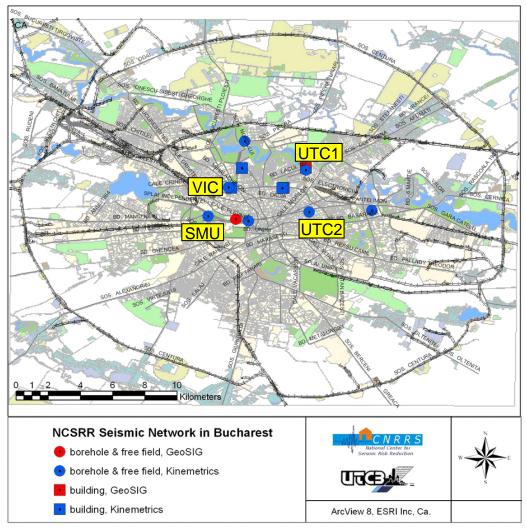


Figure 1. Bucharest - location of *NCSRR* stations with records during October 5th, 2003 Vrancea subcrustal earthquake



2. Earthquake records in NCSRR network

Table 1. Peak ground acceleration at *NCSRR* borehole seismic stations during October 5th, 2003 Vrancea subcrustal earthquake

	PGA (cm/s ²)											
Station	UTC1			UTC2		VIC			SMU			
Comp.	EW	NS	V	EW	NS	V	EW	NS	V	EW	NS	V
S	4.6	2.4	2.1	2.6	6	1.7	4.2	1.9	1.3	4.5	3.1	2.1
B1	0.6	2	0.3	2.5	0.5	1.5	0.6	2.5	0.9	0.5	2	0.9
B2	0.5	1.6	0.8	2.6	0.4	1.4	0.7	1.5	0.8	0.5	1.3	0.8

S – ground surface; B1 – shallow borehole; B2 – deep borehole



3. Examples of NCSRR network recorded accelerograms

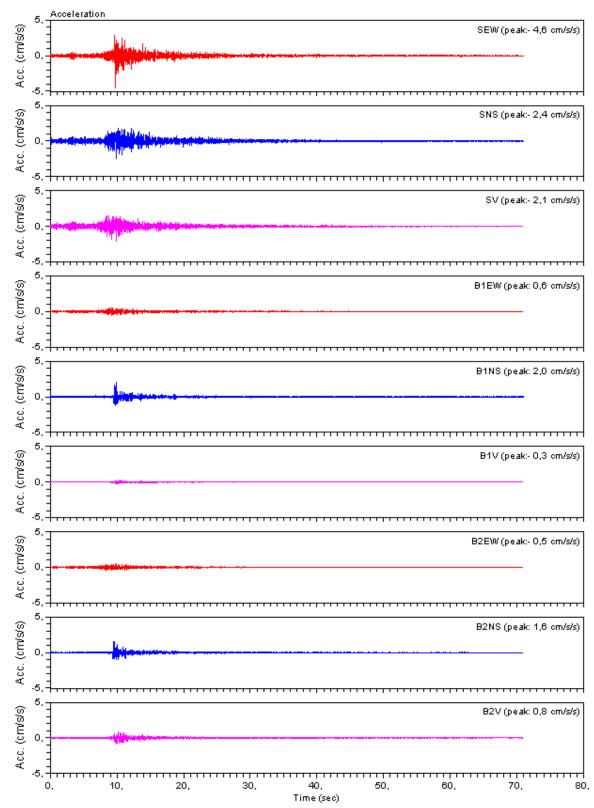


Figure 2. Accelerograms recorded at UTC1 borehole seismic station during October 5th, 2003 Vrancea subcrustal earthquake (*Mw=4.6*)



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