

## Station Description Sheet **TST\_196**

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## 1. GENERAL INFORMATION



**Photo 1:** Outside view of the hosting building



**Photo 2:** The TST\_196 sensor

**Station Code:** TST\_196

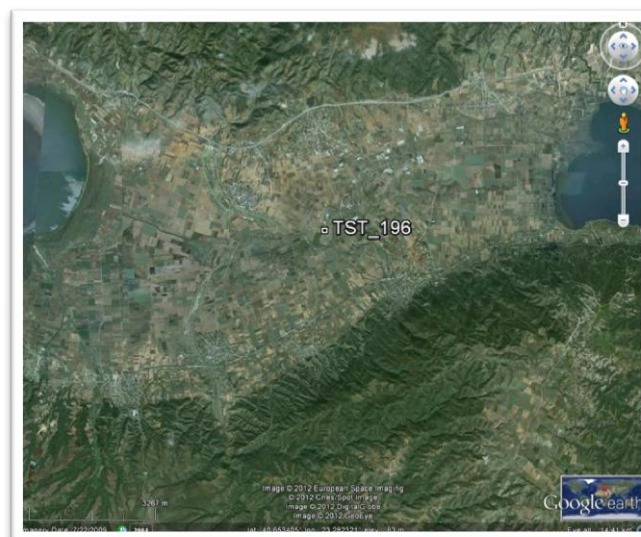
**Network:** Euroseis

**Instrumentation:** Check the up-to-date EUROSEISTEST stations history file at <http://euroseisdb.civil.auth.gr/stations>

**Power supply:** AC

**Housing:** in a 196m deep borehole at the center of the valley

## 2. GEOGRAPHICAL INFORMATION / GEOMORPHOLOGY



**Figure 1:** Location map of TST\_196 station

**Location:** in the Mygdonian basin

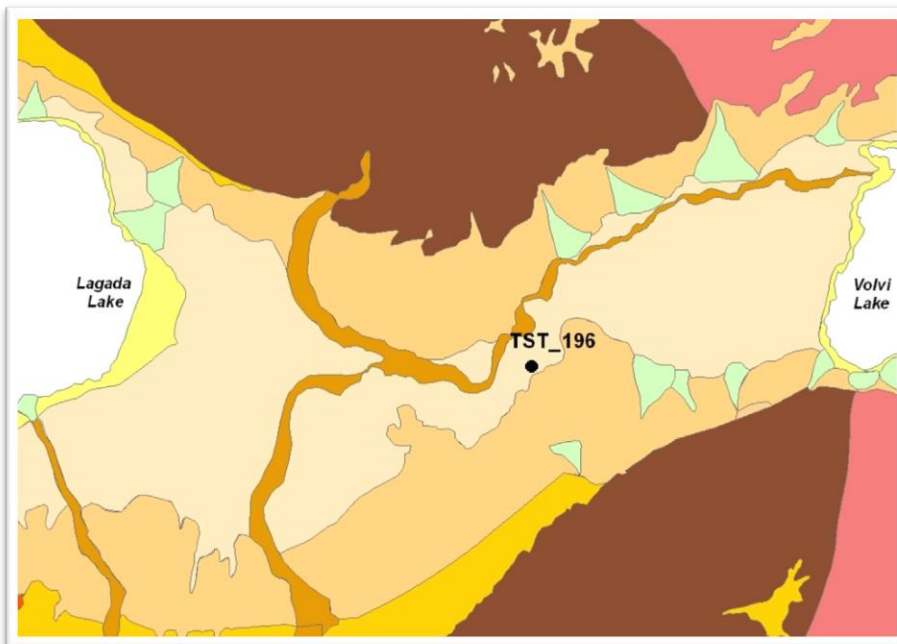
**Elevation (from sea level):** -196.0 m

**Station coordinates:** 23.2906°E / 40.6638°N

**Projection system:** WGS84

**Site morphology:** Valley center

### 3. GEOLOGICAL INFORMATION



#### Legend

- Holocene**
  - Lacustrine sediments
  - River deposits/torrent beds
  - Valley deposits
- Pleistocene**
  - Lacustrine sediments
  - Terrestrial (river and flood) red beds
- Quaternary**
  - Alluvial fans
- Alpine formations**
  - Two-mica and biotite granite
  - Two-mica gneiss

**Figure 2:** Geological map of the central Mygdonian basin

**Surface geology (from geological map):** on two-mica gneiss

**Reference for geological map:** Geological map of Greece - Scale 1:50000, Map Sheets of "Thermi" and "Zagliverion", (IGME, 1978)

**Boreholes (with core description) in the proximity of the station:** not known.

#### 4. GEOTECHNICAL SITE CHARACTERIZATION

Geotechnical site characterization data for station TST\_196 include:

1. Sampling borehole (EUROSEISTEST Project Reports, 1993-1995).
2. Normal Penetration test (EUROSEISTEST Project Reports, 1993-1995).
3. Cone penetration test (EUROSEISRISK project reports, 2002 – 2005).
4. Laboratory tests (G- $\gamma$ -D curves, etc.) (EUROSEISTEST Project Reports, 1993-1995).

Data are available in ascii format in:

[http://euroseisdb.civil.auth.gr/uploads/station/geotechnical/23/Site\\_characterization\\_geotechnical\\_TST\\_196.txt](http://euroseisdb.civil.auth.gr/uploads/station/geotechnical/23/Site_characterization_geotechnical_TST_196.txt)

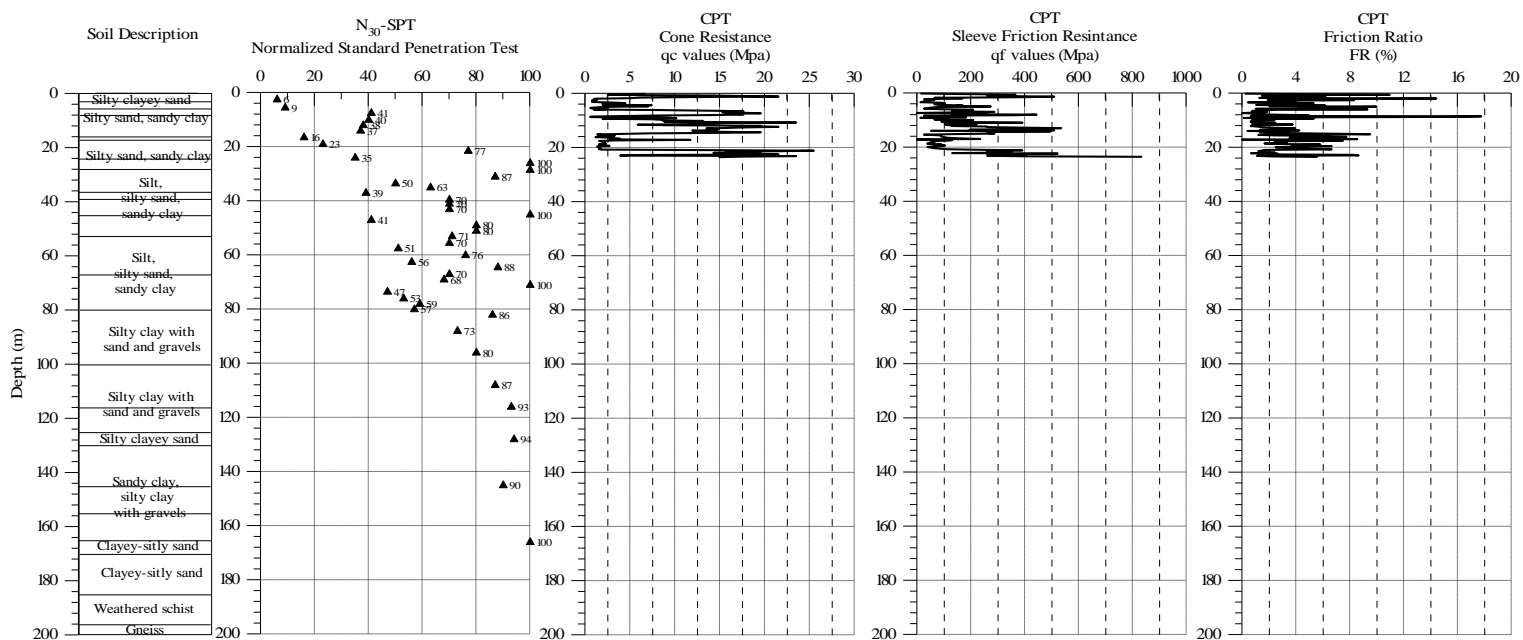
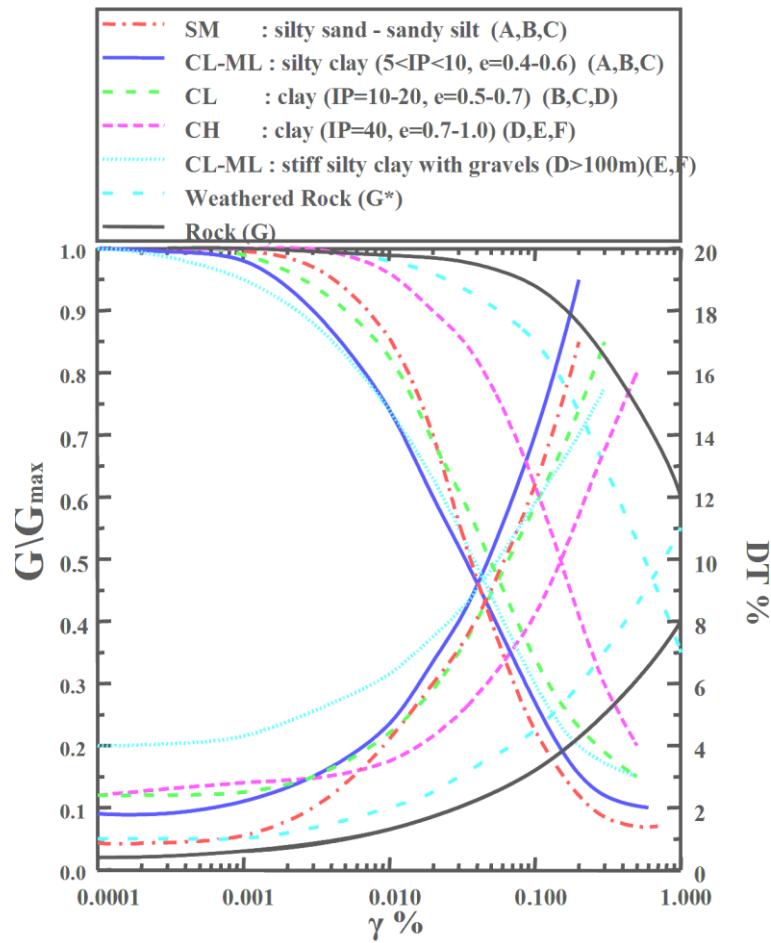


Figure 3: Geotechnical data at station TST\_196.



**Figure 4:** Mean  $G/G_0$ - $\gamma$ - $D$  curves from resonant column and cyclic triaxial tests for all geotechnical formations occur at station TST\_196. The curves describe the shear modulus degradation with the shear strain and the respective internal damping increase.

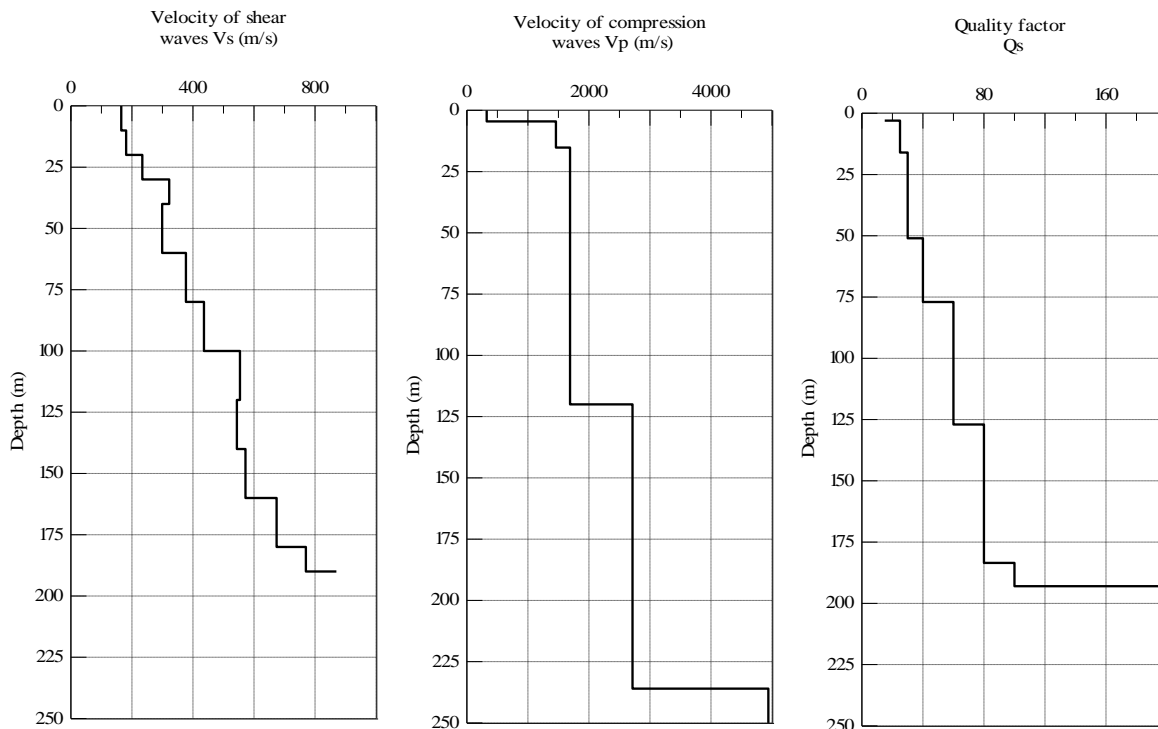
## 5. GEOPHYSICAL SITE CHARACTERIZATION

**Geophysical site characterization data for station TST\_196 include:**

1. Shear wave velocity values ( $V_s$ ) determined by Surface Wave Inversion method (Raptakis et al., 2000).
2. Compression wave velocity ( $V_p$ ) determined by Surface Wave Inversion method (Raptakis et al., 2000).
3. Quality factor ( $Q_s$ ) determined by Surface Wave Attenuation Analysis (Raptakis et al., 2000).

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[http://euroseisdb.civil.auth.gr/uploads/station/geophysical/23/Site\\_characterization\\_geophysical\\_TST\\_196.txt](http://euroseisdb.civil.auth.gr/uploads/station/geophysical/23/Site_characterization_geophysical_TST_196.txt)



**Figure 5:** Shear and compression wave velocity and Quality factor values at station TST\_196

## 6. SITE RESPONSE

The reader is referred to available site response information at the surface (station TST):

[http://euroseisdb.civil.auth.gr/uploads/station/response/18/Site\\_response\\_TST.txt](http://euroseisdb.civil.auth.gr/uploads/station/response/18/Site_response_TST.txt)

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