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## «Noise in Engineering - The Good, the Bad and the Ugly»

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Abstract: Noise is a ubiquitous phenomenon in science and engineering and yet is far from being well understood both in terms of its fundamental origins and its effects on nowadays technologies. Since noise represents a nuisance effect in linear systems, the potential benefits of noise seem rather counterintuitive and have been overlooked by researchers for a long period of time. However, the recent studies on stochastically driven nonlinear systems proved that such phenomena are quite common and their applications range from signal processing (dithering effect) to climate models (ice age). While it is mostly experience as a disruptive effect, noise can also have a constructive role in nonlinear systems, activating a resonance response. Based on various analytical and numerical tools, a unitary framework for the analysis of various stochastic aspects of hysteresis has been developed by our group and implemented in an open-access academic software. Both disruptive and constructive effects of white and arbitrary colored noises are discussed in several differential, integral, and algebraic models of hysteresis.

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