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Fault mechanics and earthquake mechanisms: current status and future perspectives

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I plan to review how studies on fault rocks, fault constitutive properties and earthquake mechanisms have developed and to discuss what have to be done in the future towards understanding the mechanisms of earthquakes.