

***Interactive comment on* “Brief communication: Post-seismic landslides, the tough lesson of a catastrophe” by Qiang Xu et al.**

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The short communication submitted by Xu et al. tackles the theme of landslides that may affect mountain areas struck by strong earthquakes in the past to mitigate the risk associated with them. The authors underline the need to analyze the post-seismic stability conditions of slopes using all available ground and aerial methodologies along with the use of appropriate computer models. They also highlight the need for an appropriate monitoring of the unstable slopes and an efficient management of the post-collapse emergency by the territorial authorities. The text is well organized and correctly written and could be accepted as it is.

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