The background image shows a range of snow-capped mountains under a clear blue sky. In the foreground, the city of Salt Lake City is visible, with its various buildings and landmarks partially obscured by green trees.

UTAH GROUND SHAKING WORKING GROUP

Annual Meeting #4: Introduction
27 February 2007

2004 GSWG Plan

- Develop a community velocity model (CVM)
 - V_{S30} , R1, R2
- Evaluate seismic source and propagation path characteristics of Utah earthquakes, and site amplification and geotechnical characteristics of Utah soils
 - Stress drops, slip distributions, rupture processes
 - Hanging wall effects and directivity
 - Q and kappa
 - Non-linear dynamic soil properties

2004 GSWG Plan (cont.)

- Perform 3D modeling using CVM to evaluate the importance of basin structure on strong ground motions
 - Depth to R2, basin-edge/steep boundary effects
- Prepare large-scale Wasatch Front ground-shaking maps
 - Incorporate site conditions and basin effects

RESULTS OF 2006 MEETING: PRIORITIES FOR 2007

- Collect additional shallow Vs30 data for Weber/Davis/Utah Counties (pending analysis of 2005 data).
- Collect additional and/or re-analyze deep-basin-structure data (gravity, seismic, geologic).
- Continue laboratory dynamic soil testing to assess the appropriateness of shear modulus reduction and damping curves.

RESULTS OF 2006 MEETING: PRIORITIES FOR 2007 (cont.)

- Complete development and verification of the CVM and perform additional verification studies to assess sensitivity to basin parameters and determine whether velocity- and basin-structure data are adequate for use in developing urban hazards maps.
- Consider passive instrumental monitoring to model basin effects.

GOALS OF THE 2007 MEETING

- Present results of 2005-2006 research
- Discuss changes to NSHMs in Utah resulting from 2007 USGS update
- Discuss progress on CVM development and refinement

GOALS OF THE 2007 MEETING (cont.)

- Develop project plan for preparing Wasatch Front urban seismic hazard maps
 - Source characterization
 - Site-amplification and basin models
 - Attenuation
 - Schedule
- Identify 2008 research priorities

A G E N D A

UTAH GROUND SHAKING WORKING GROUP

Tuesday, February 27, 2007

Utah Department of Natural Resources Building, Room 1060
1594 W. North Temple, Salt Lake City

7:30 Continental breakfast

- 8:10 Introduction, overview of meeting and review of last year's priorities
Ivan Wong, Gary Christenson
- 8:30 Technical presentations of work completed
- 8:30 – Bill Stephenson, Rob Williams, USGS; 2006 USGS deep P-wave seismic imaging in Mapleton and Provo
 - 9:00 – Brad Wilder, Ken Stokoe, NEES-UTA – Results of "Liquidator" intermediate and deep SASW surveys in Salt Lake Valley
 - 9:30 - Greg McDonald, UGS; Jim Bay, USU – Site conditions map for the Wasatch Front

10:00 Break

- 10:20 Technical presentations of work completed (continued)
- 10:20 – Ivan Wong, URS, UU; Mark Petersen, USGS - update on PEER Next Generation of Attenuation Models results
 - 10:40 – Mark Petersen, USGS – Use of BRPEWG recommendations and changes to Utah ground shaking levels in the 2007 draft NSHMs
 - 11:20 – Harold Magistrale, Kim Olsen, SDSU; Jim Pechmann, UISS - Wasatch Front community velocity model (CVM) demonstration and plans for verification
 - Discuss keeping CVM up-to-date with new data, availability for use in other research, and final resting place.

12:00 Lunch

A G E N D A

1:15 Discussion - Planning for preparing Wasatch Front seismic hazard maps
Develop lists of parameters needed to produce hazard maps. Are data adequate?

1:20 Seismic source characterization Gary Christenson
1:40 Site amplification models Ivan Wong
2:20 Basin-effects models Mark Petersen

3:00 Break

3:20 Discussion - Planning for preparing Wasatch Front seismic hazard maps (cont.)

3:20 Attenuation relations Ivan Wong, Mark Petersen
3:50 Set target completion dates and estimate schedule to produce maps

4:00 Priorities for 2008 research

5:00 Adjourn

Update on USGS High-Resolution Seismic Imaging Investigations along Wasatch Front

W. Stephenson, R. Williams, J. Odum, D. Worley, R. Dart (USGS)
J. McBride (BYU)



Overview of Presentation

- USGS Open File Report describing S-wave minivibe, Vs30's in Salt Lake and Utah Valleys near release!!!
- P-wave minivibe seismic reflection in Utah Valley
- Planned field work for summer, 2007



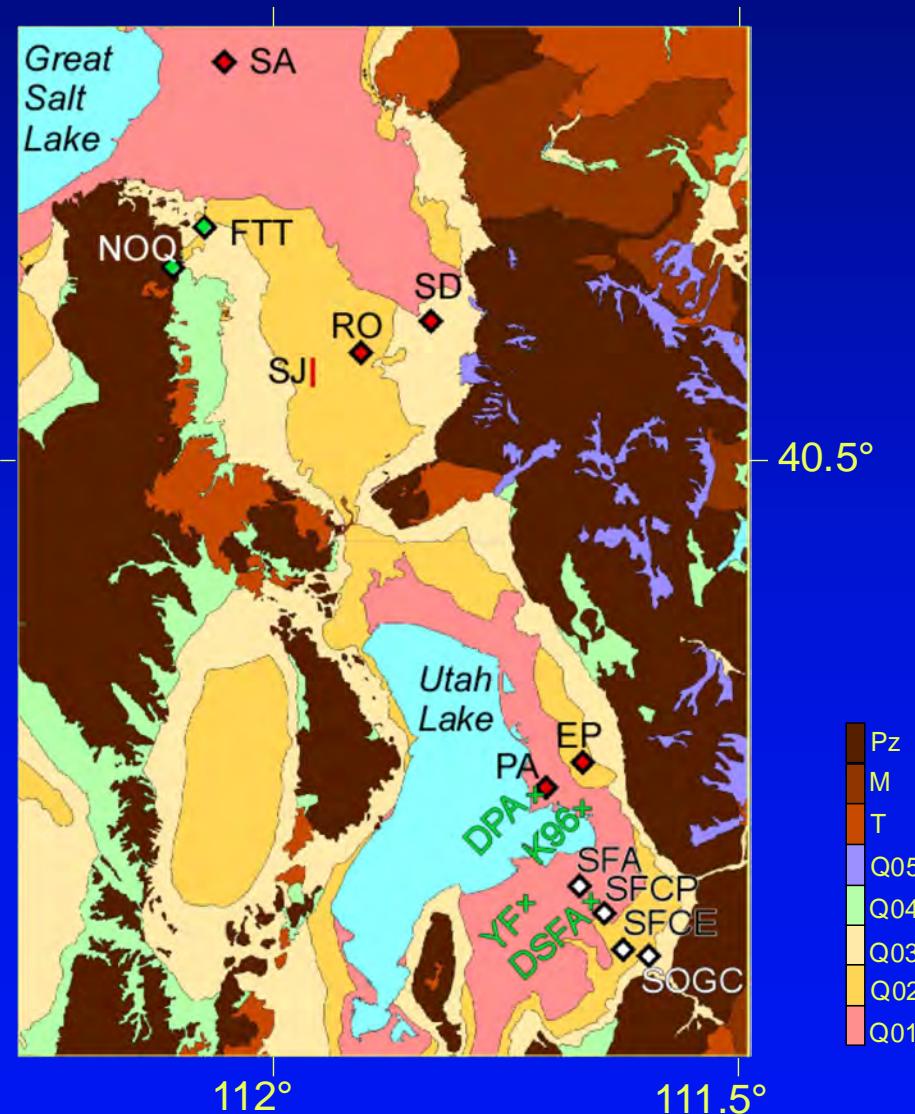
(Acquire microtremor data from Portable arrays to derive deeper S-velocity)

Soon-to-be-Released O.F. Report

“Miscellaneous High-Resolution Seismic Imaging Investigations in the Salt Lake and Utah Valleys for Earthquake Hazards”

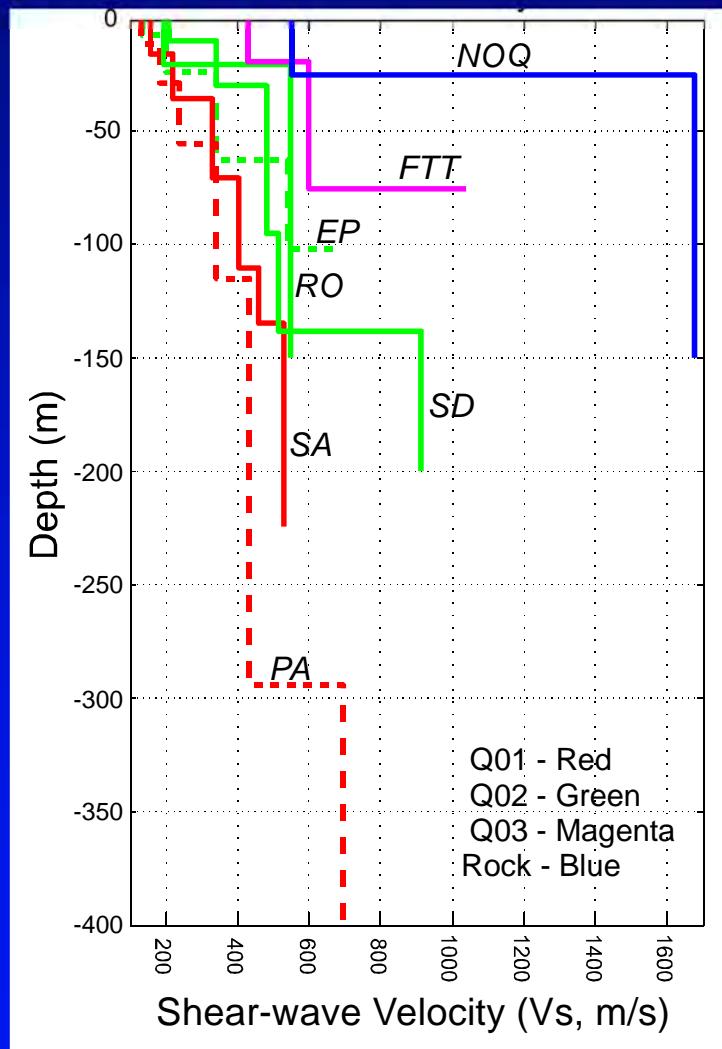
- ◆ Station w/ minivibe and hammer S-wave data
- ◊ Station w/ hammer S-wave data
- ◆ Station w/ minivibe S-wave data
- + Downhole S-wave
- | P-wave seismic reflection profile

—map modified from
Solomon et al., 2004



Report Highlights

S-wave Minivibe Vs Soundings in Salt Lake and Utah Valleys



Sites

EP=Exchange Park

FTT= Fire Training Tower

NOQ= NOQ

PA= Provo Airport

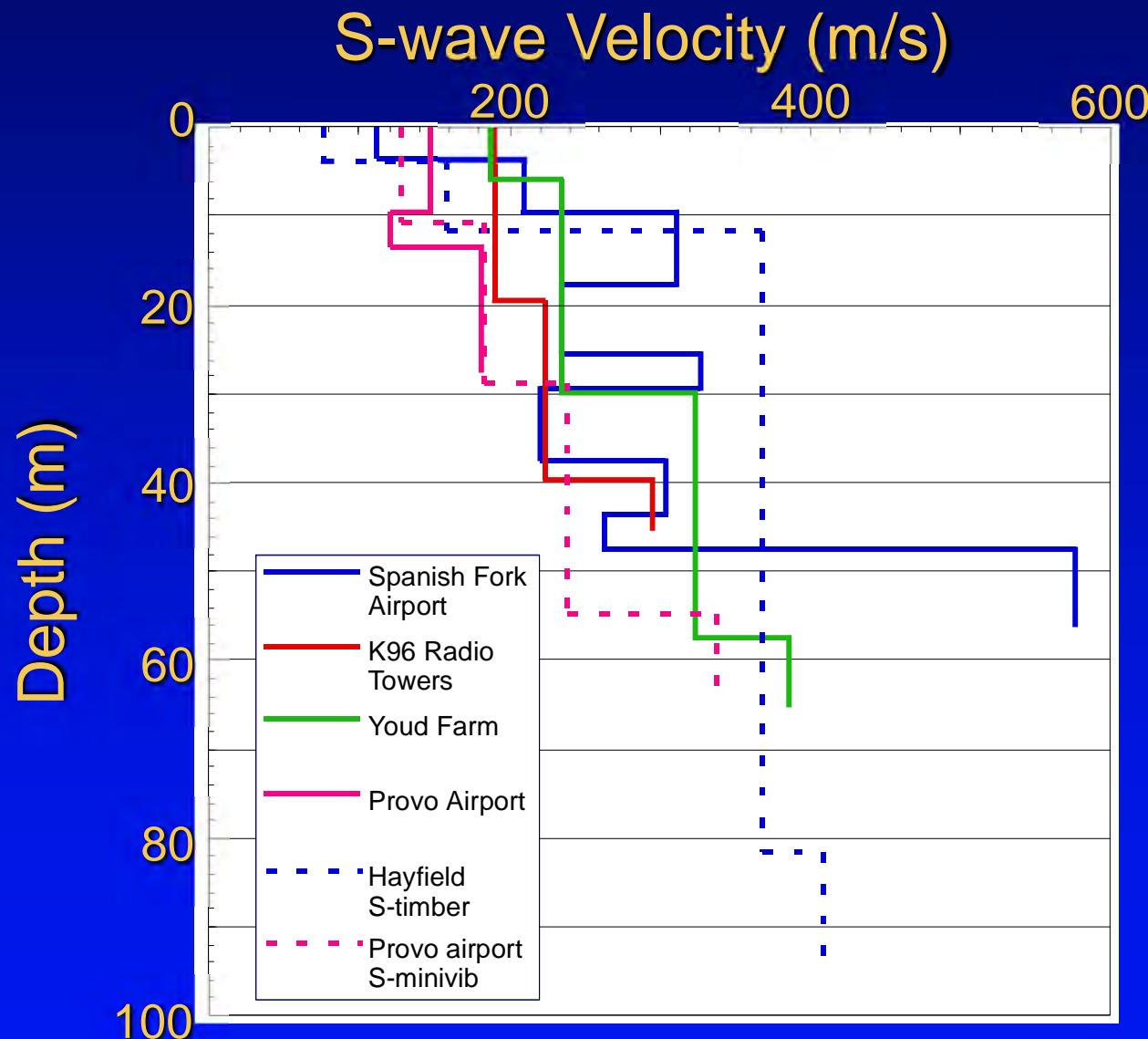
RO= River Oaks

SA= Saltair

SD= Siesta Drive

Report Highlights

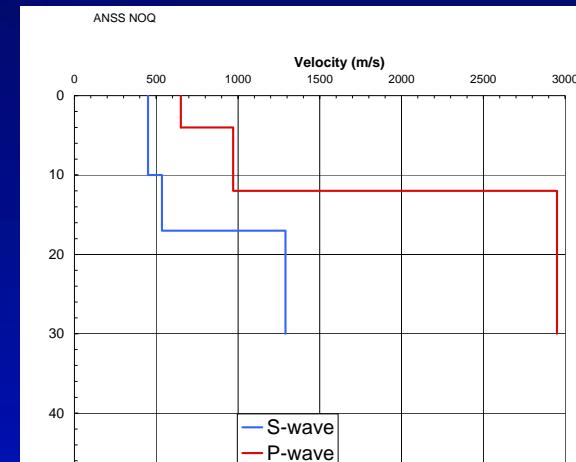
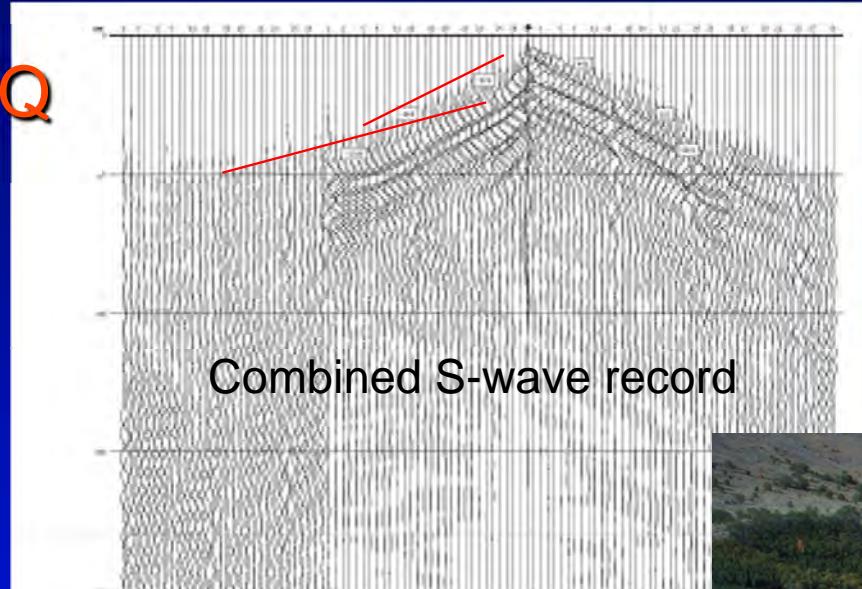
Four newly-released downhole Vs logs from Utah Valley



Report Highlights

Refraction Vs30 results

NOQ



9.19.2005

P-wave Seismic Reflection Imaging

Spanish Fork to Mapleton



- ~5.6 km
- 5 m source / receiver spacing



- An area that is rapidly developing, but not overly developed

- Minivibe III more powerful than minivibe II (used in S. Jordan)
15000 lb. peak force vs ~11000 lb.

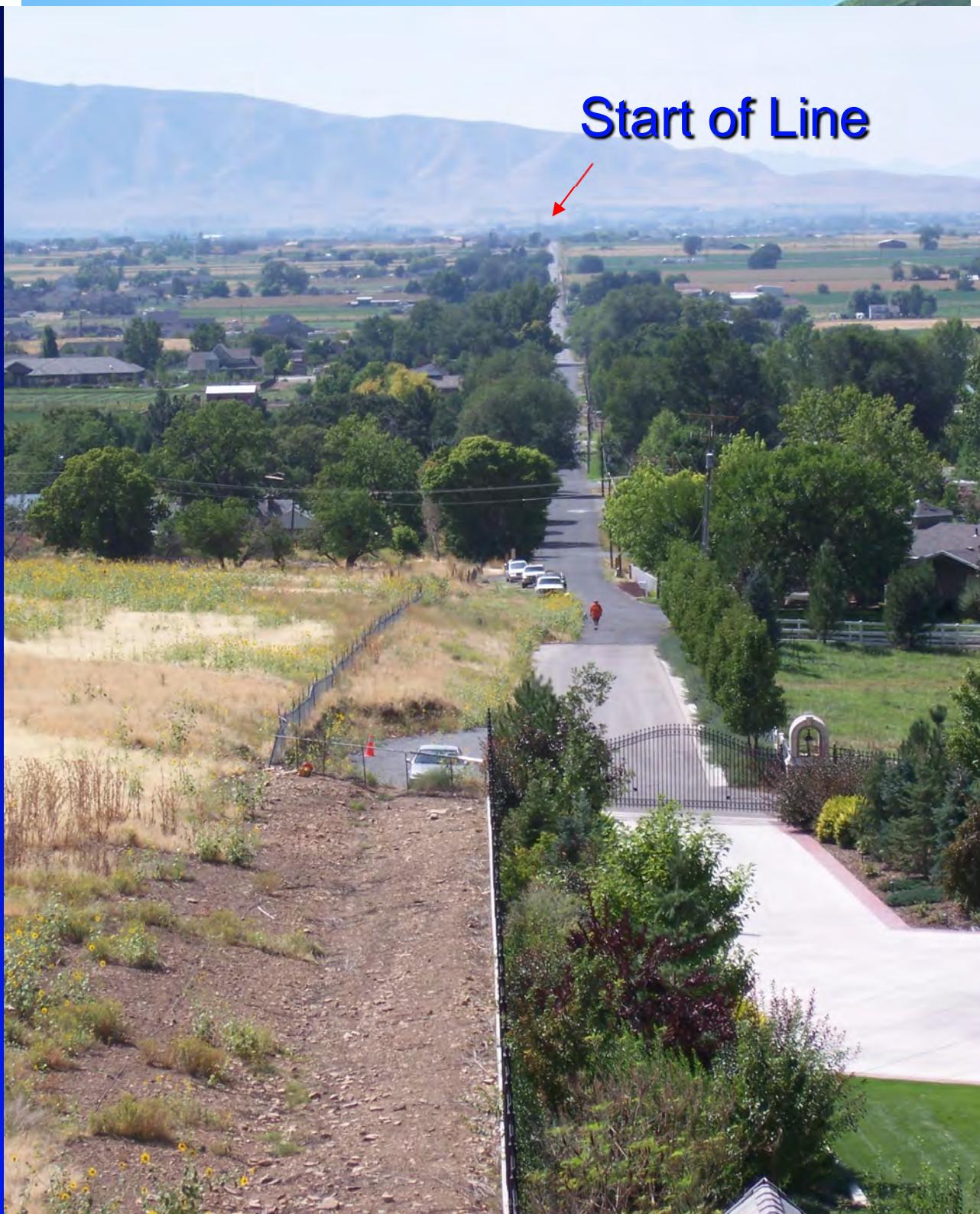
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CROSSING



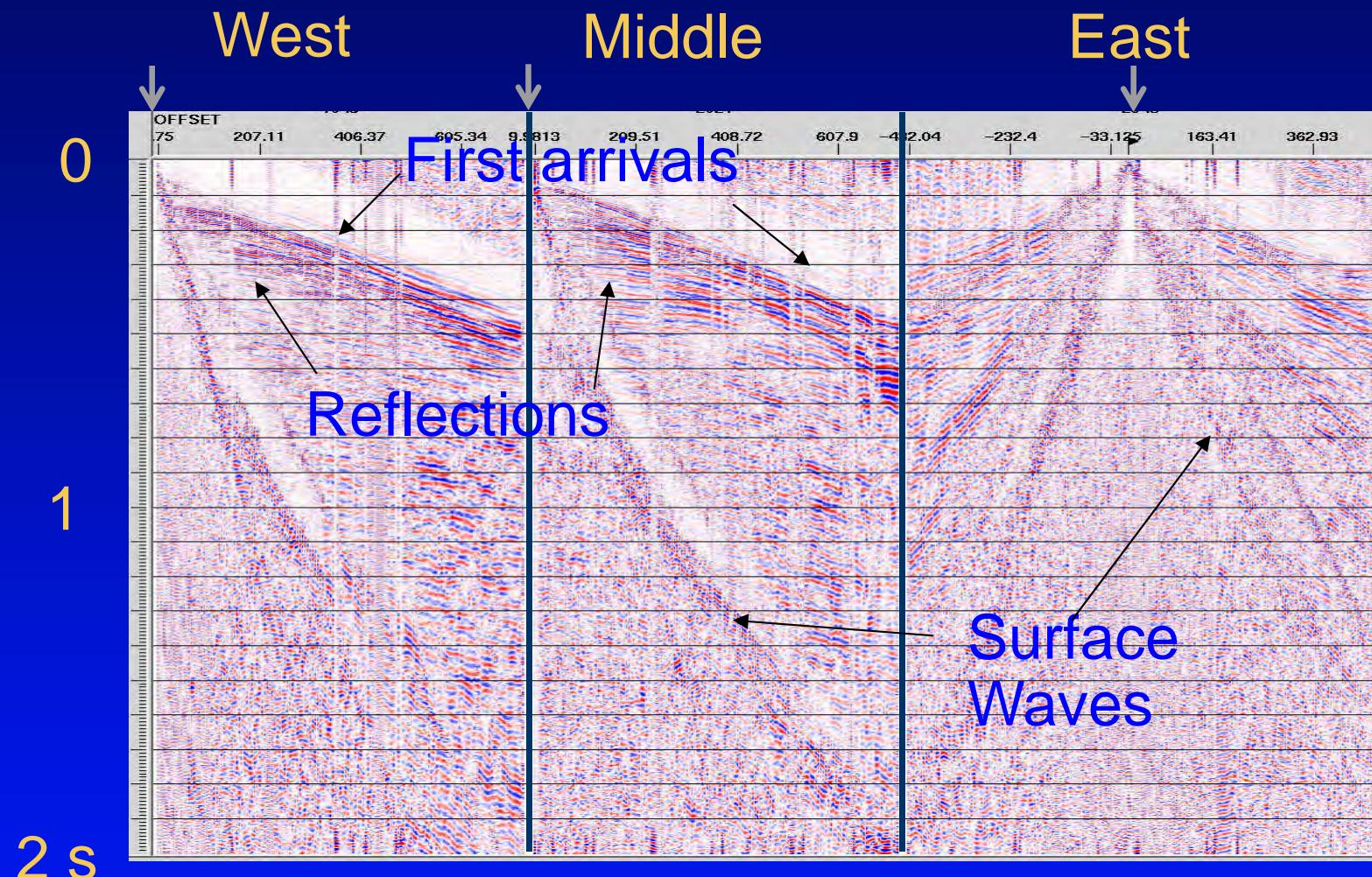




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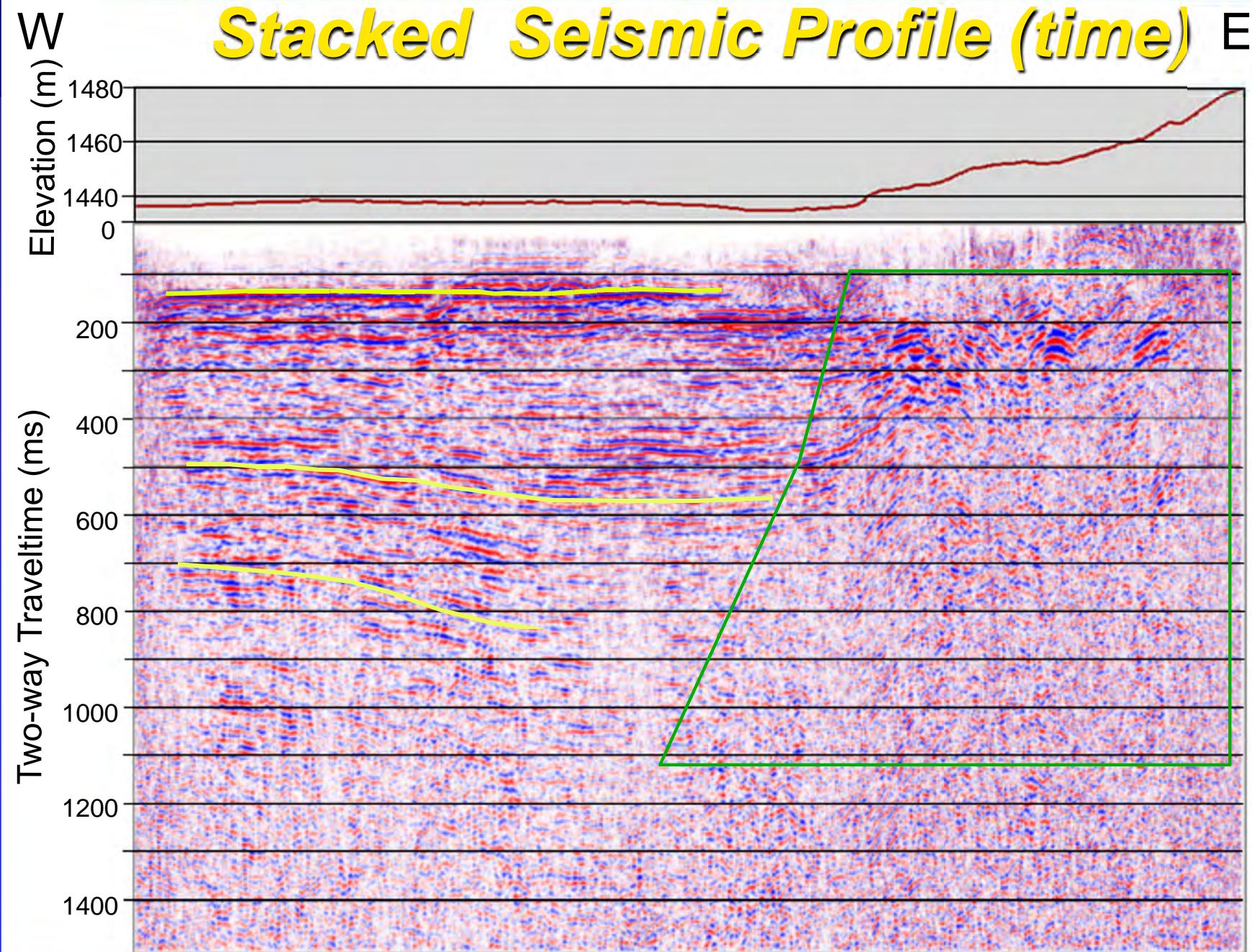


Spanish Fork-Mapleton P-wave Field Records



- Records displayed with AGC and bandpass.

Spanish Fork-Mapleton Preliminary Stacked Seismic Profile (time)



Spanish Fork-Mapleton Preliminary Stacked Migrated Seismic Profile (depth)

W

E

Processing Datum = 1450 m

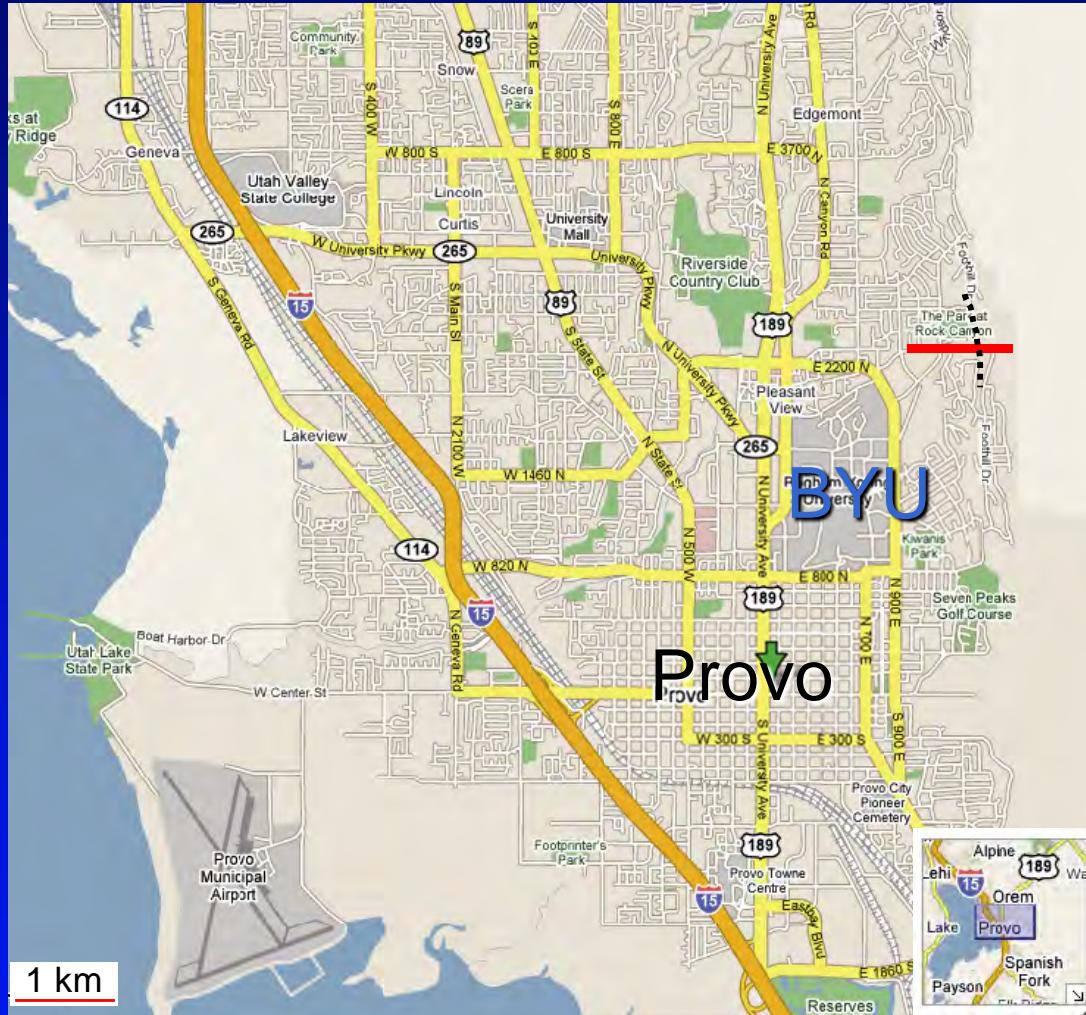
elevation

Depth (m)

200
400
600
800
1000
1200

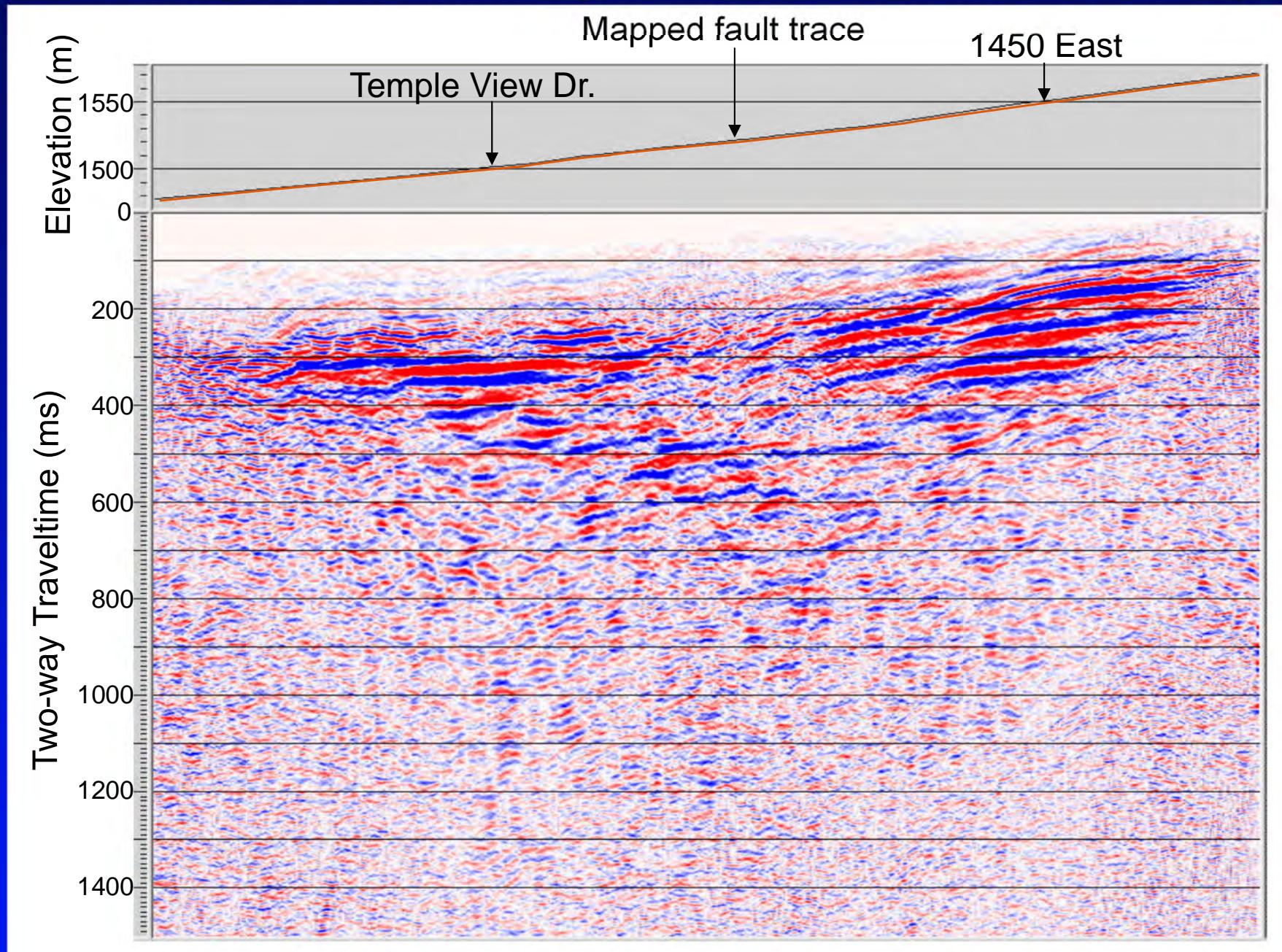
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Rock Canyon, Provo





Rock Canyon Preliminary Stacked Seismic Profile (time)



Field Work for Summer 2007

- Focus: Derive Vs to depths greater than 30 m
 - Community Input Needed on siting, etc.

Surface Methods for S-wave Velocity Determination

Active

SASW

CXW

MASW

Reflection/Refraction

Passive

ReMi

FK

SPAC

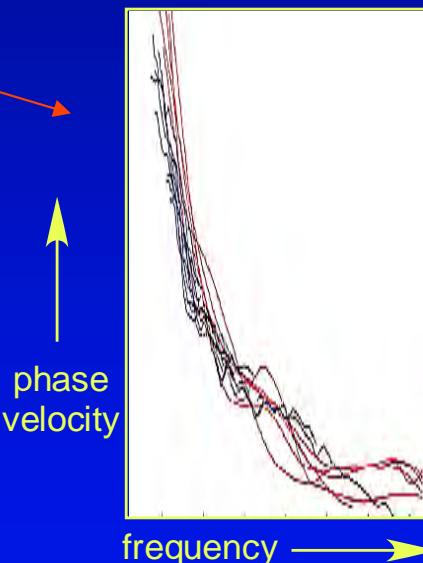
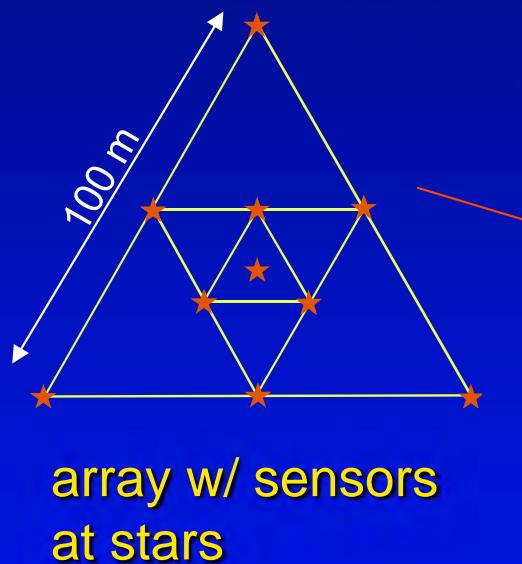
H/V (Nakamura)

Interferometry

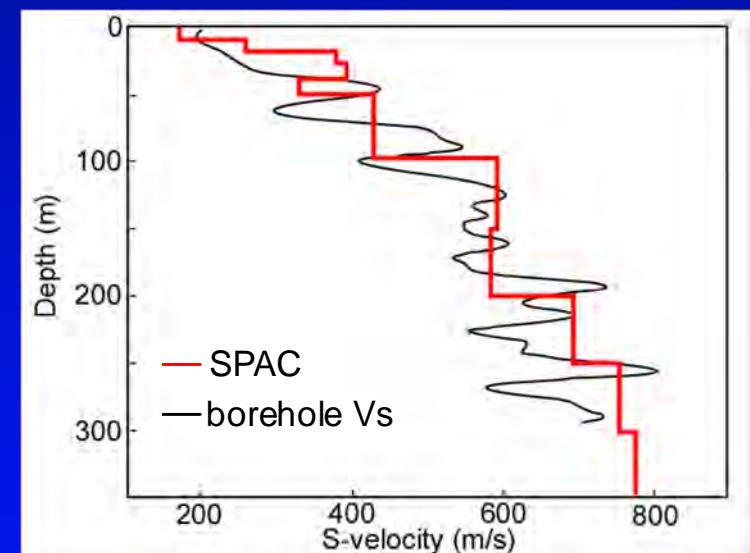
SPAC Methodology

SPAC = SPatial AutoCorrelation (Aki, 1957)

- Record microtremors (surface waves) w/ array and analyze data for Vs



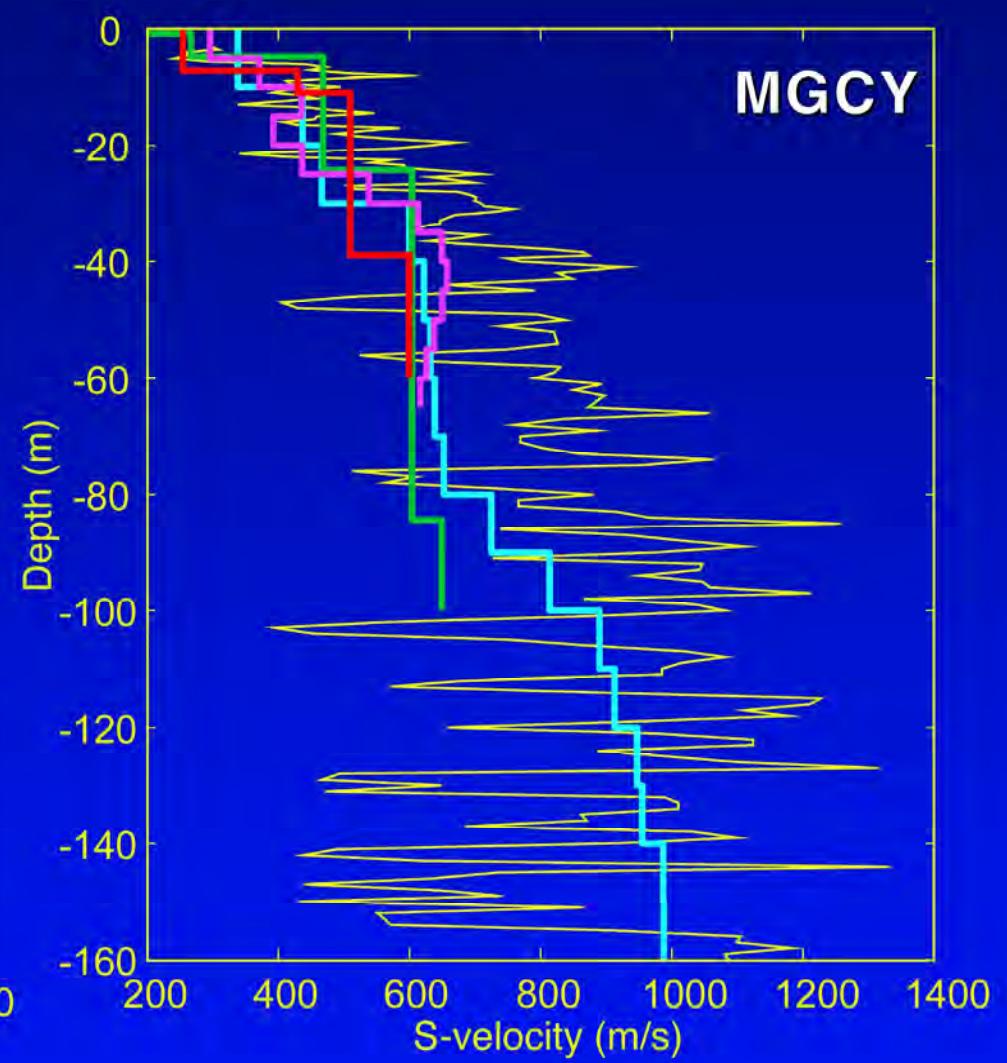
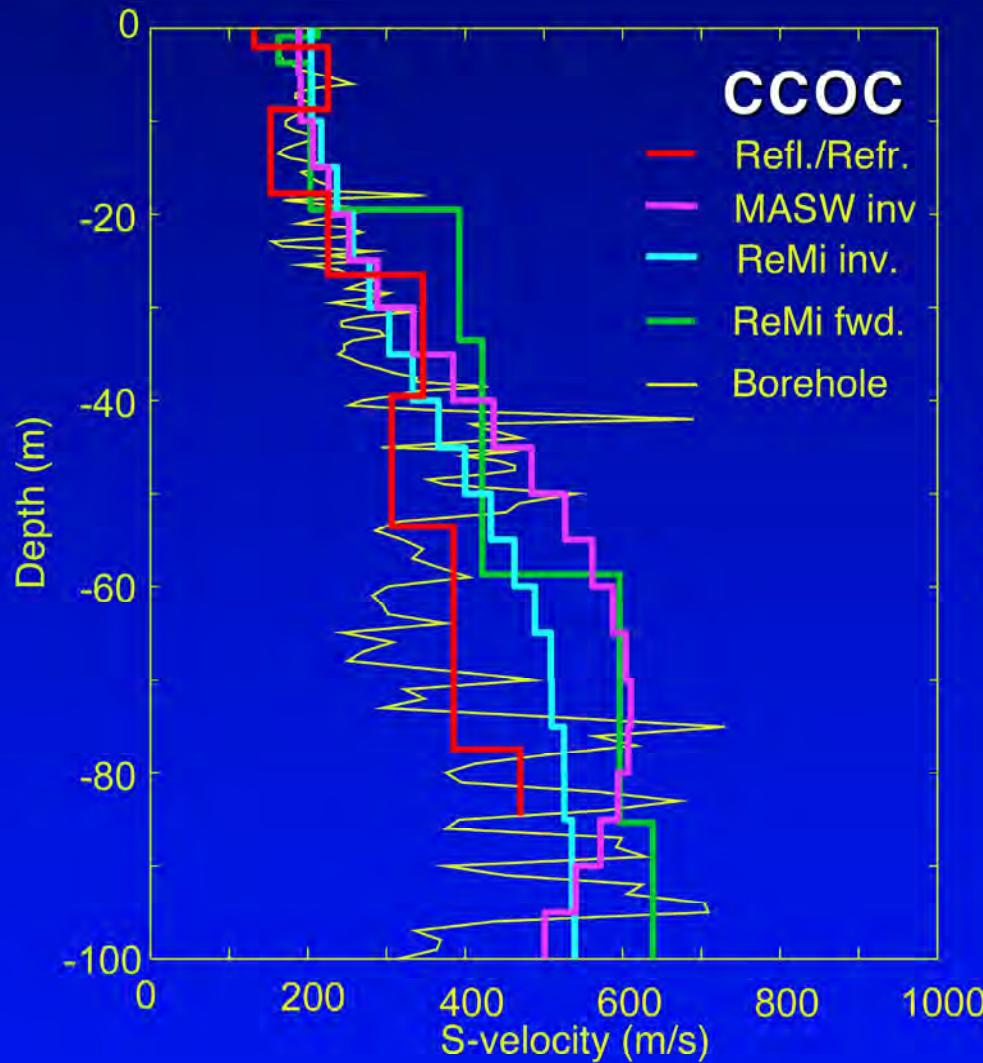
Dispersion curve



From Hartzell et al., 2005

Borehole vs Surface Method Vs

– Example of blind study from Santa Clara Valley, CA



Thanks for your time!





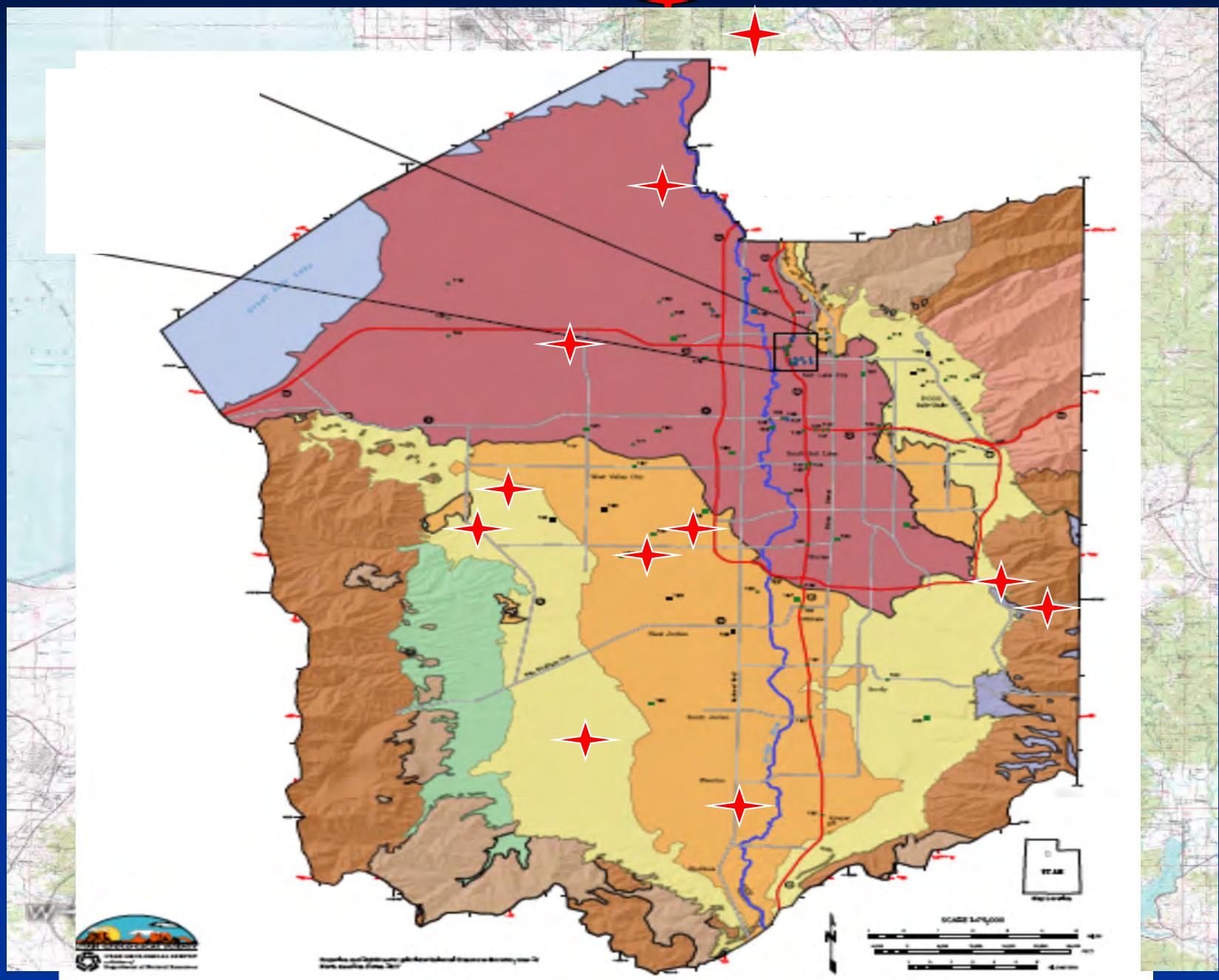
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SASW Testing with “Liquidator” in Salt Lake Valley

Presented By:

Dr. Kenneth H. Stokoe II
Brad Wilder

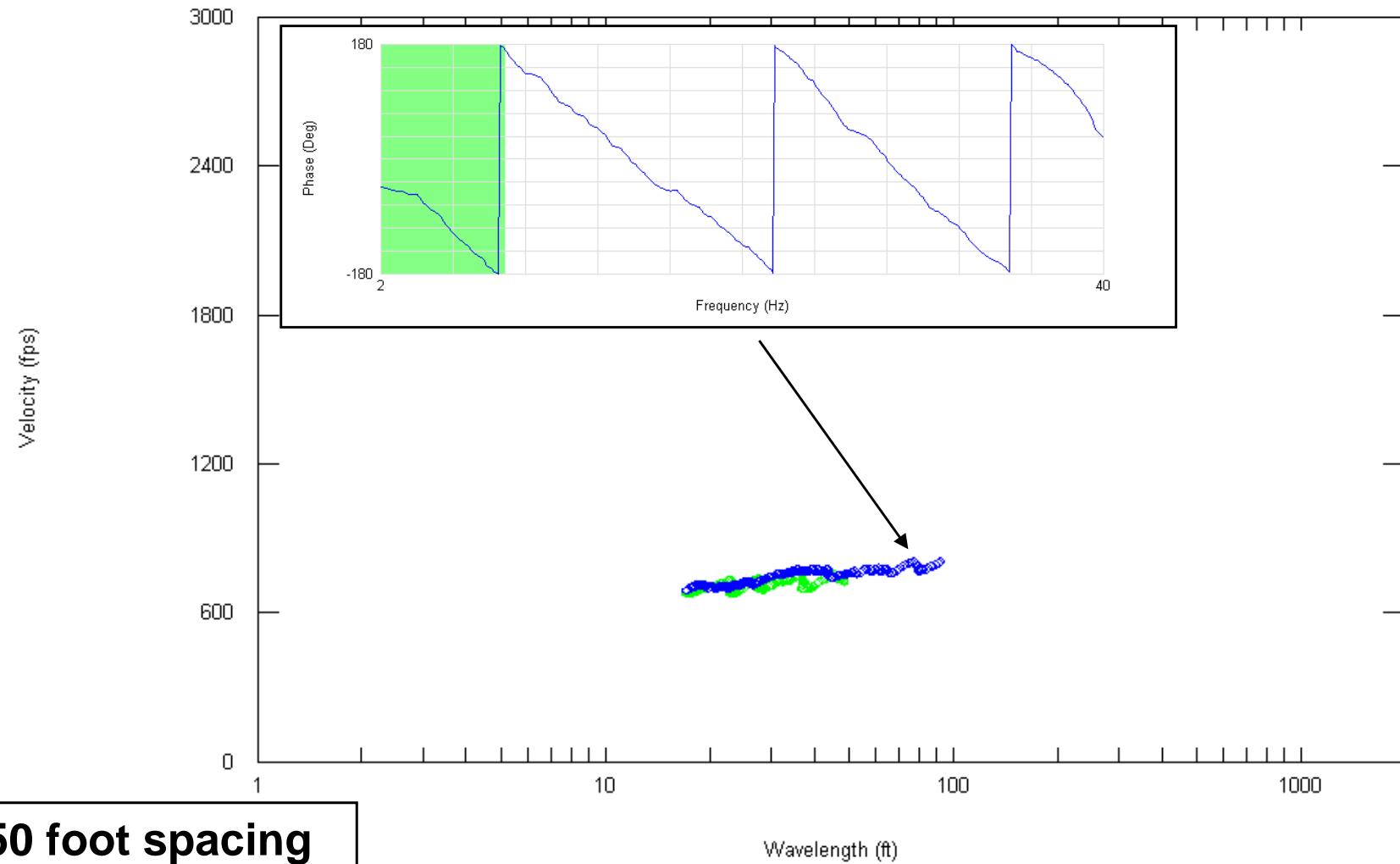
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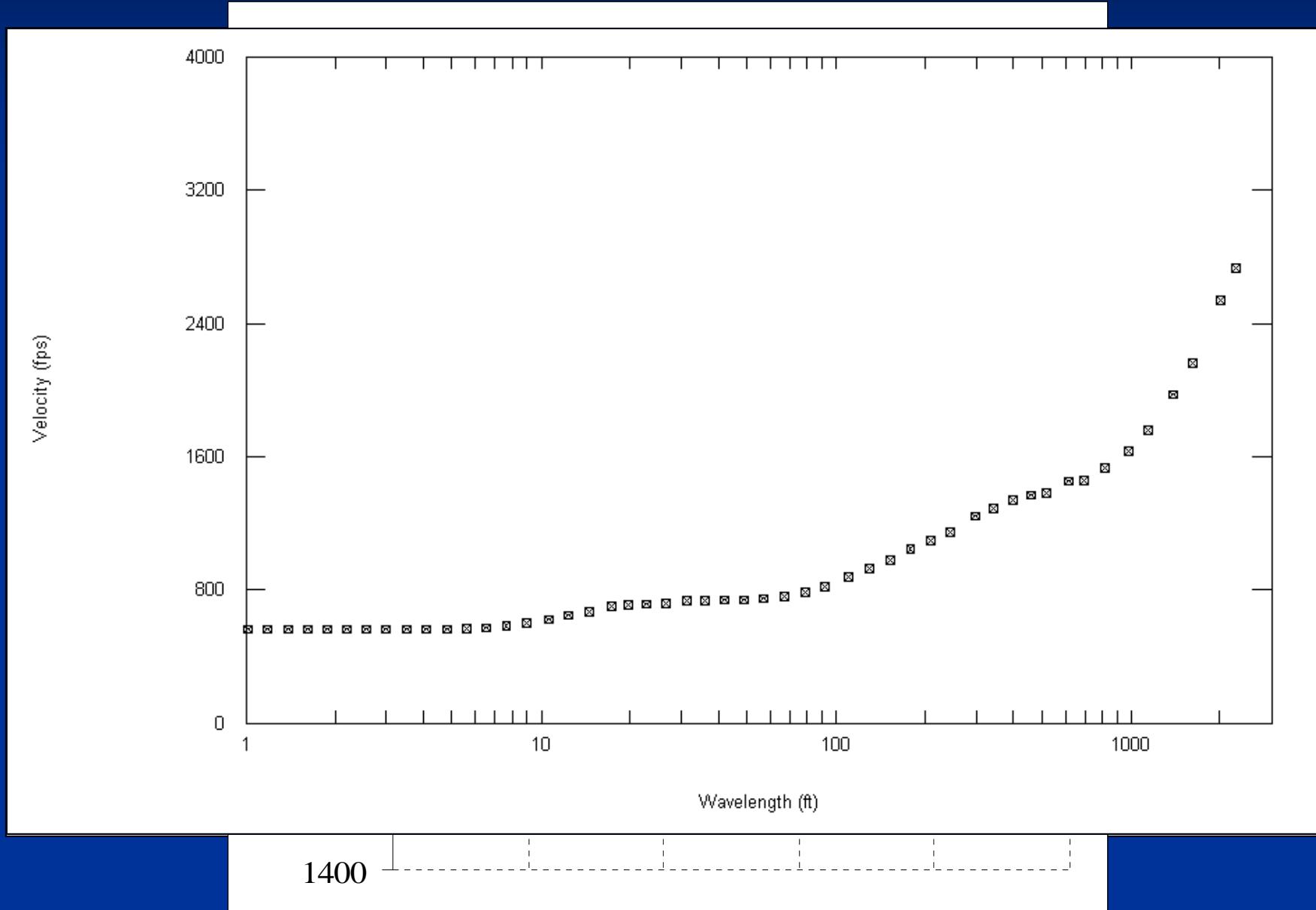
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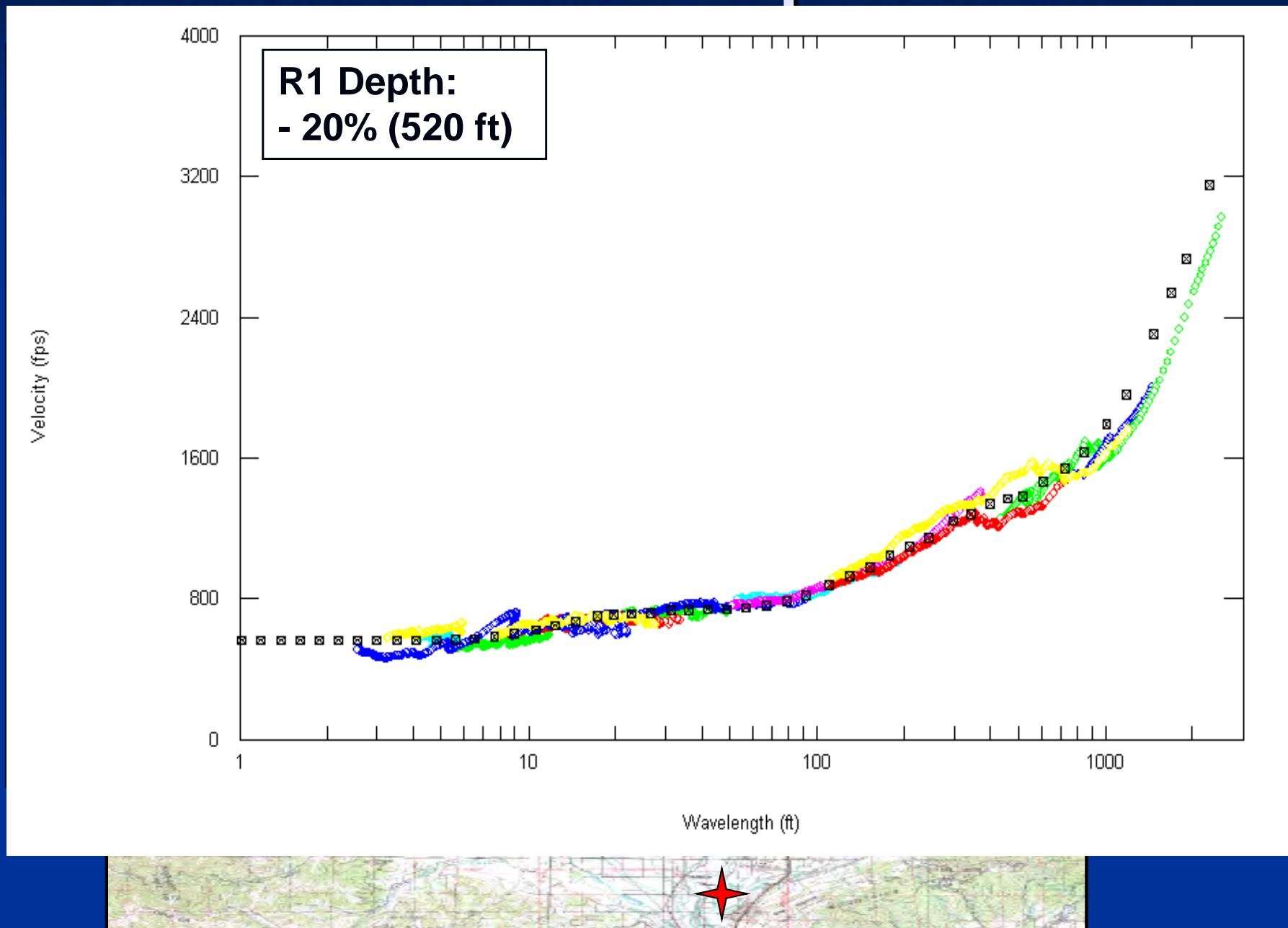
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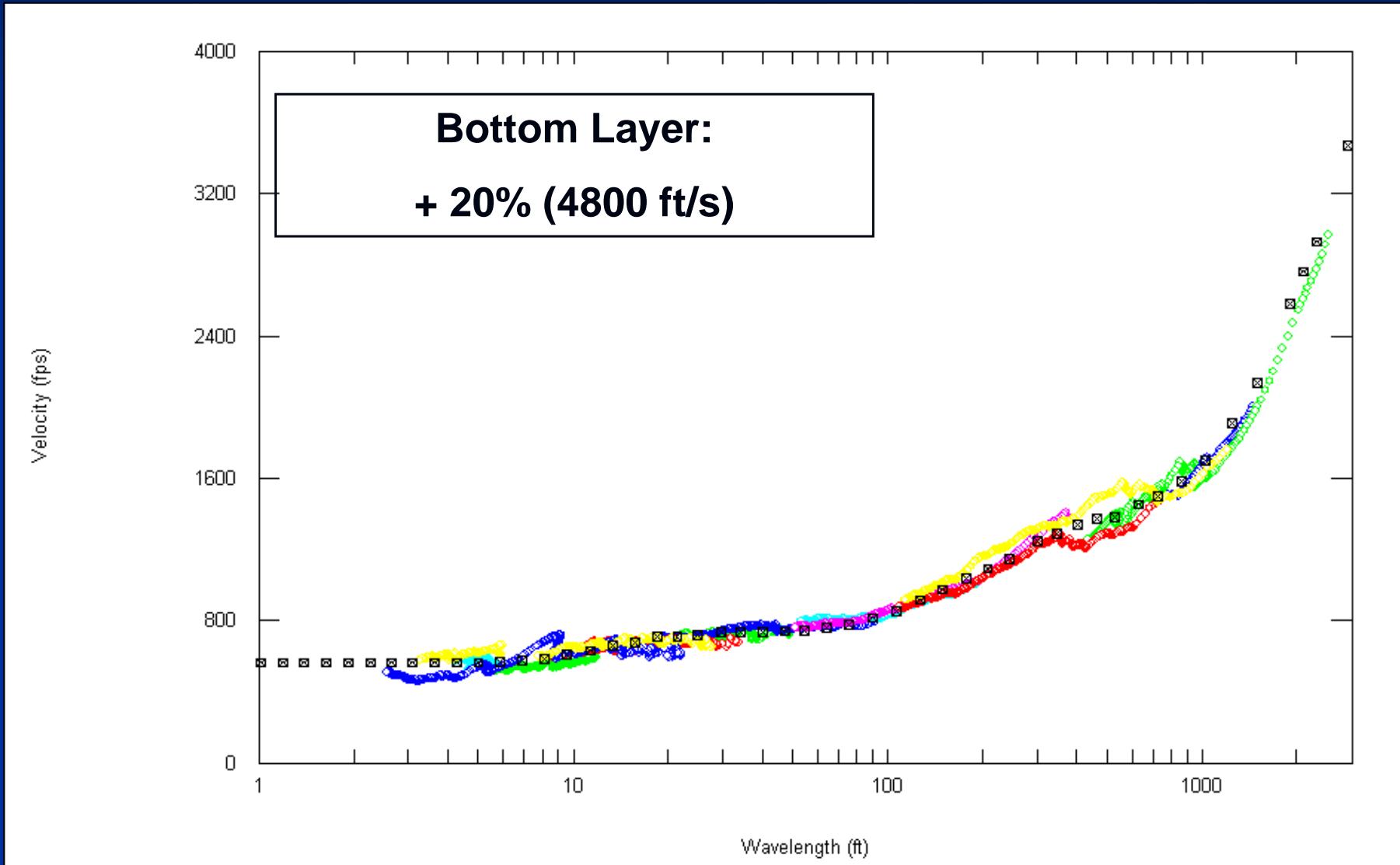
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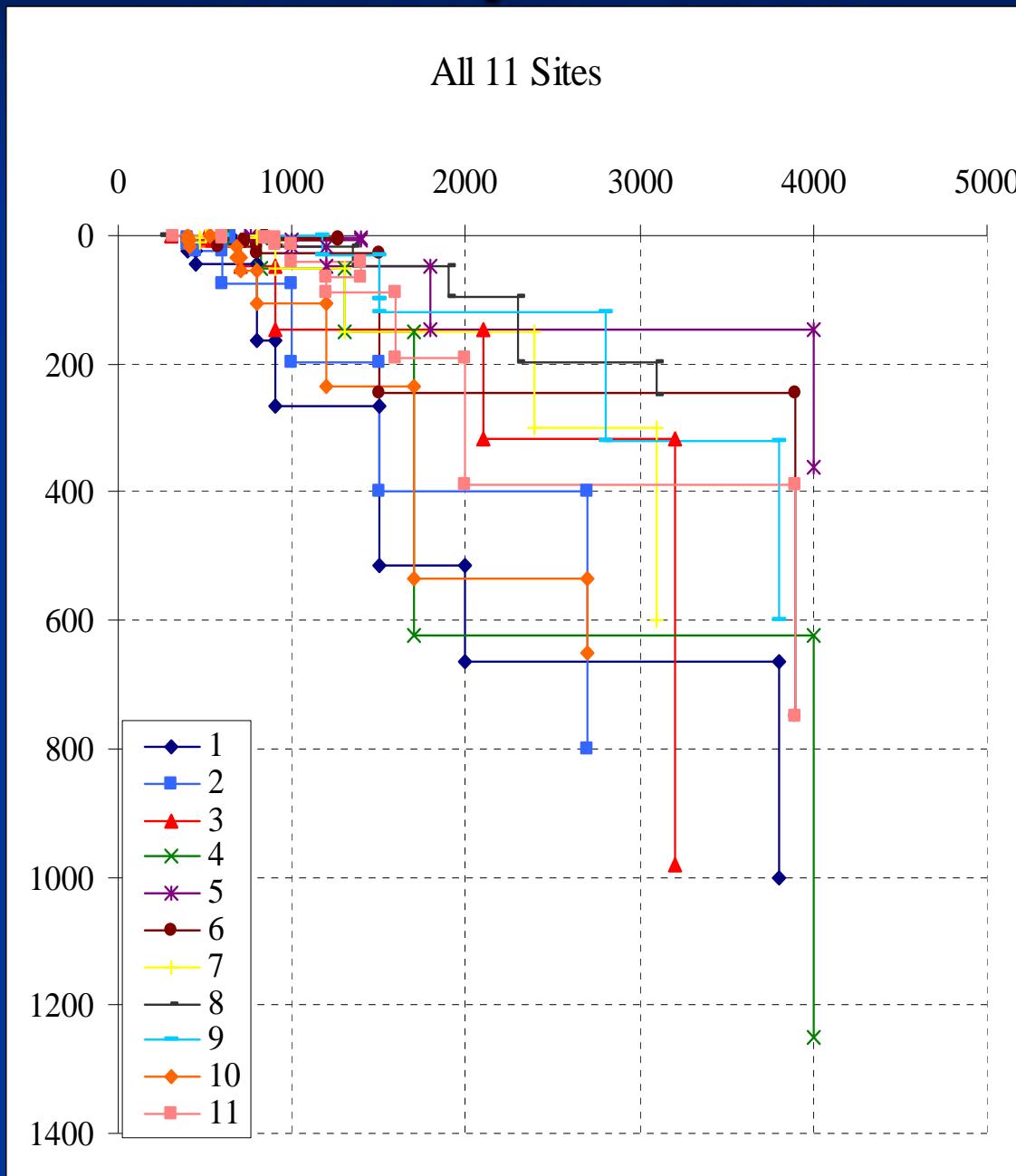
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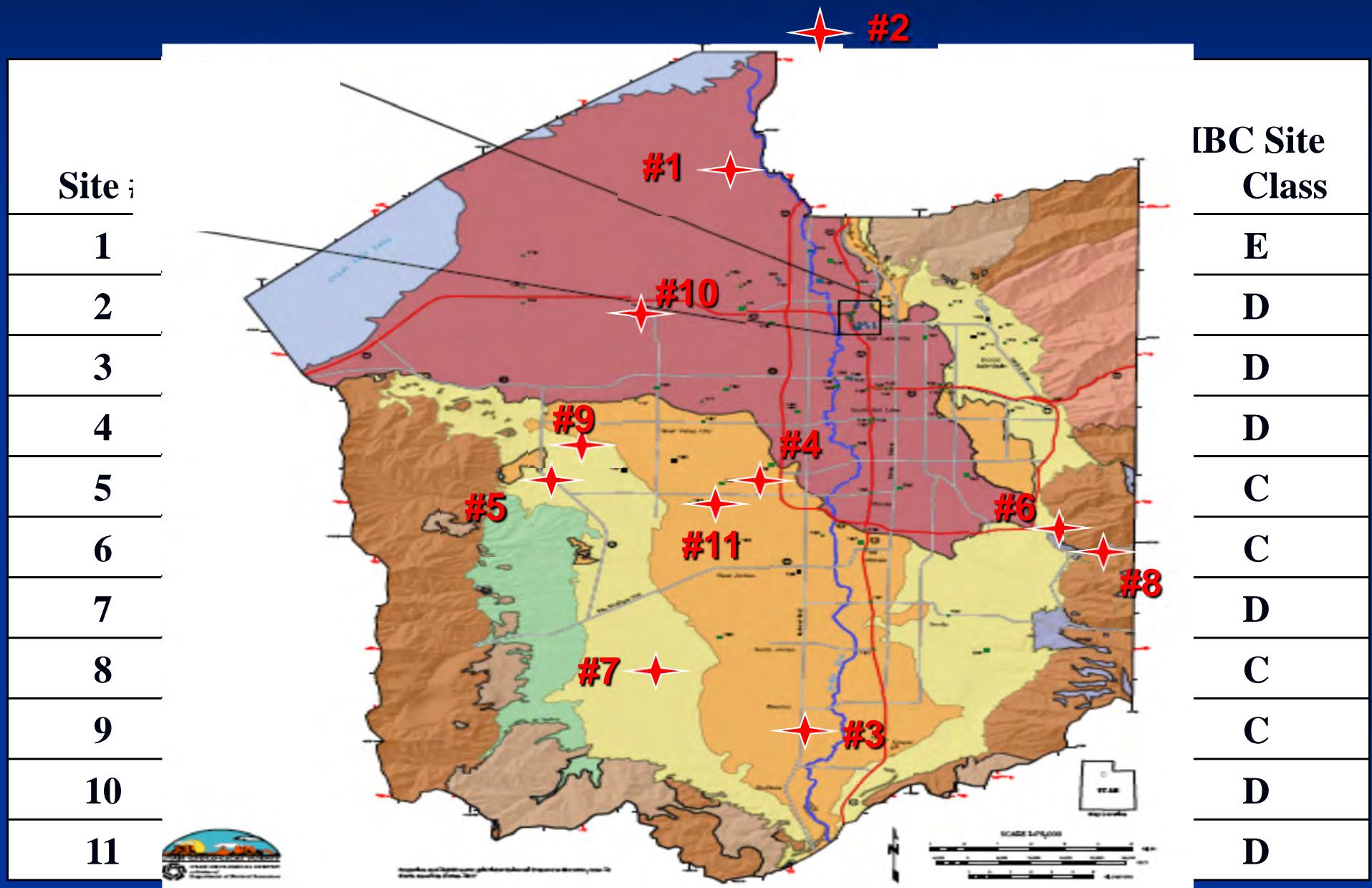
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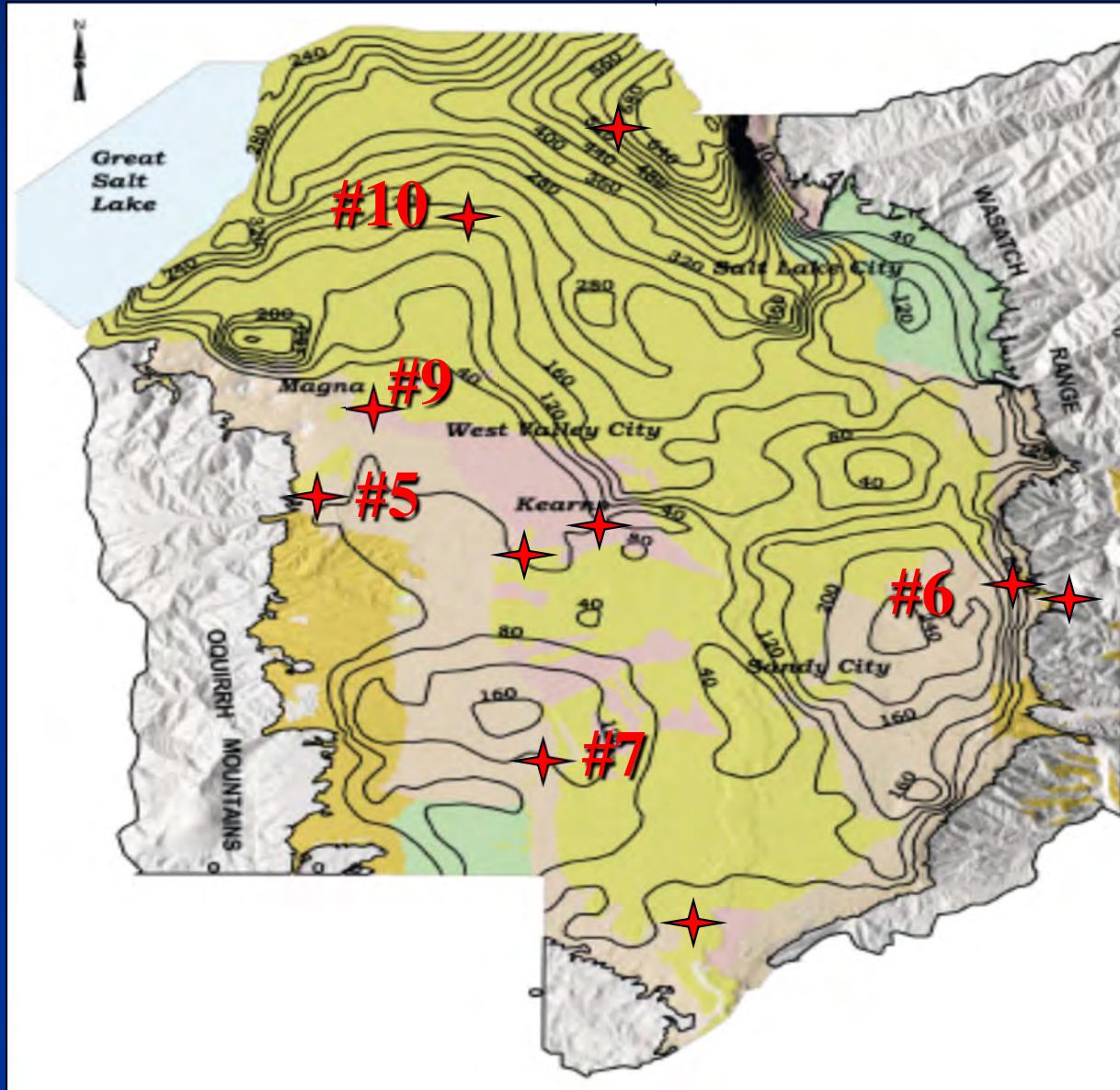
Velocity Profiles



Comparison of Vs30

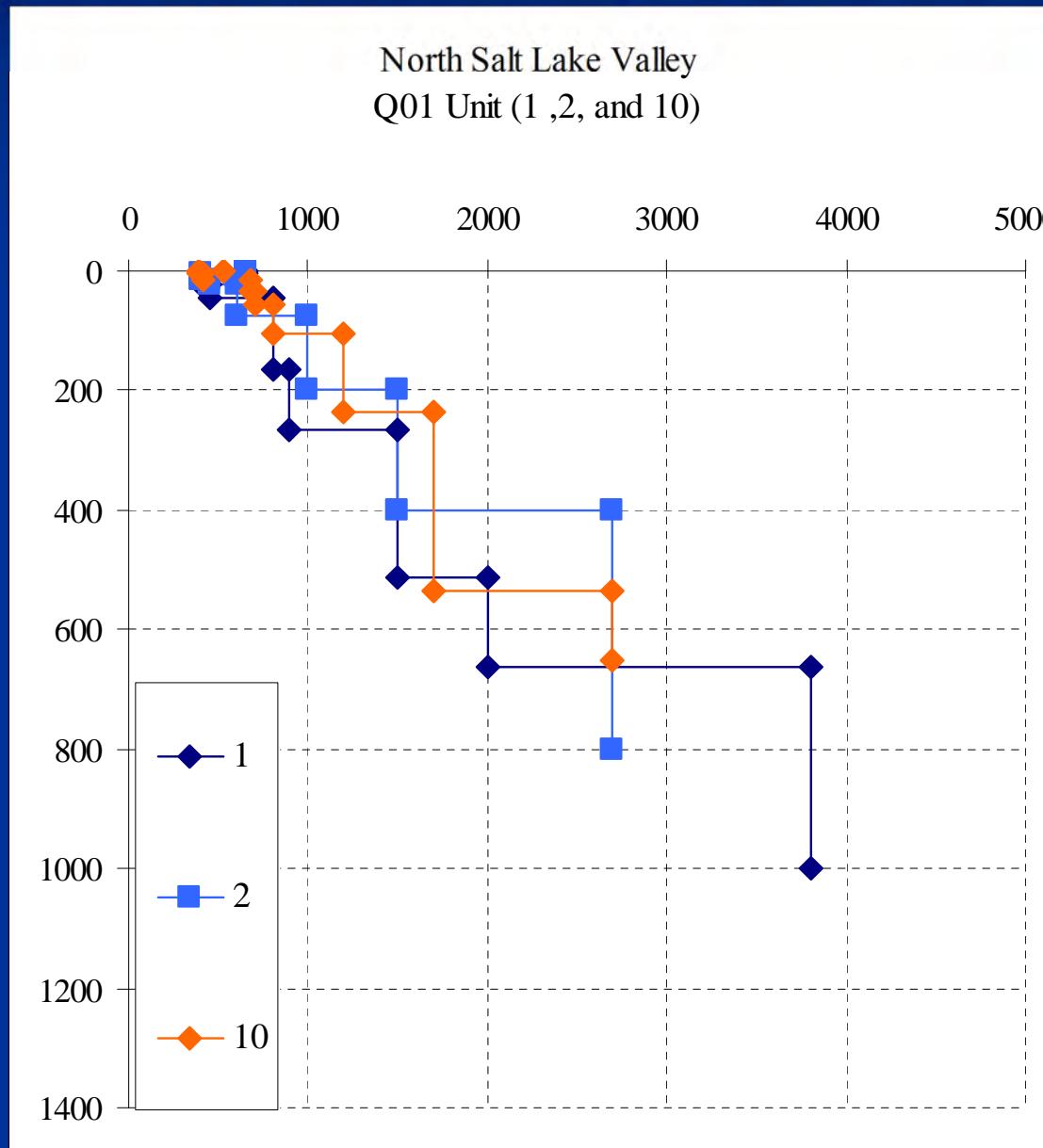


Depth to R1 Interface

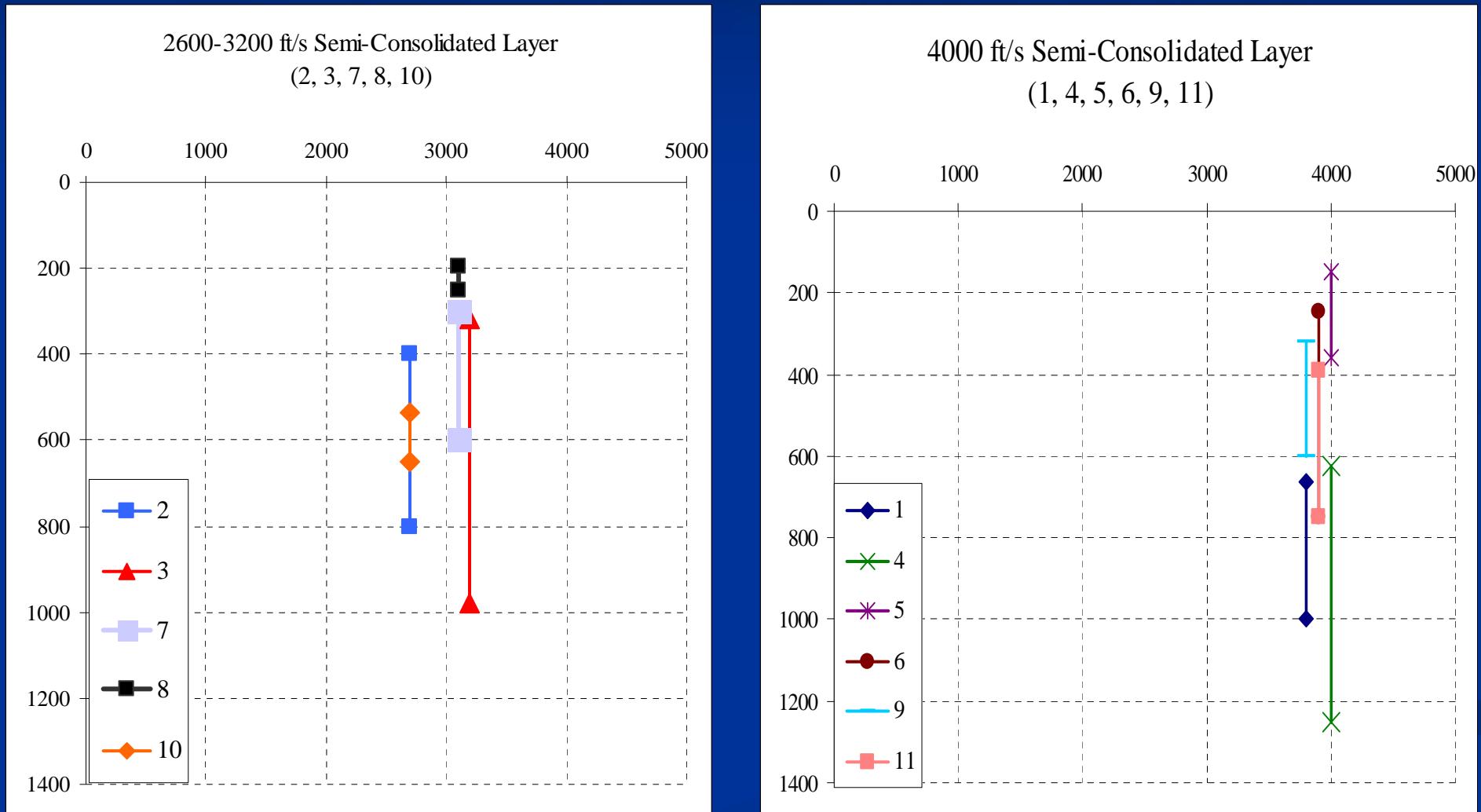


Depth to R1 (ft)		
SITE #	Map	SASW
1	1400-2000	665
2	x	400
3	150	317
4	120-360	625
5	<150	148
6	200-400	246
7	200-400	300
8	<150	197
9	50-150	120
10	400-600	536
11	100-200	390

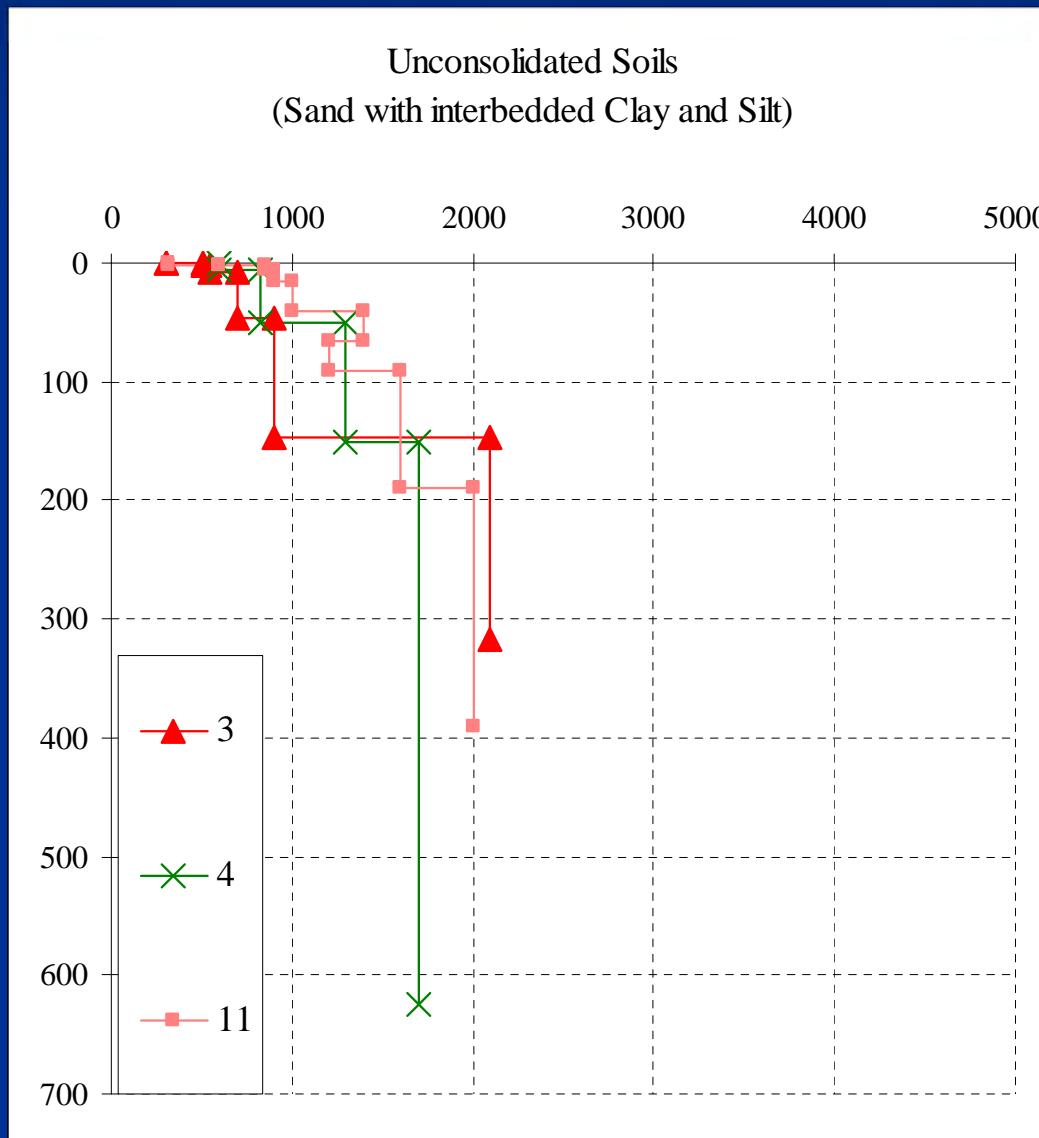
Correlations Based on Quaternary Units



Correlations Based on Velocity of Semi-Consolidated Layer



Correlations Based on Unconsolidated Velocity





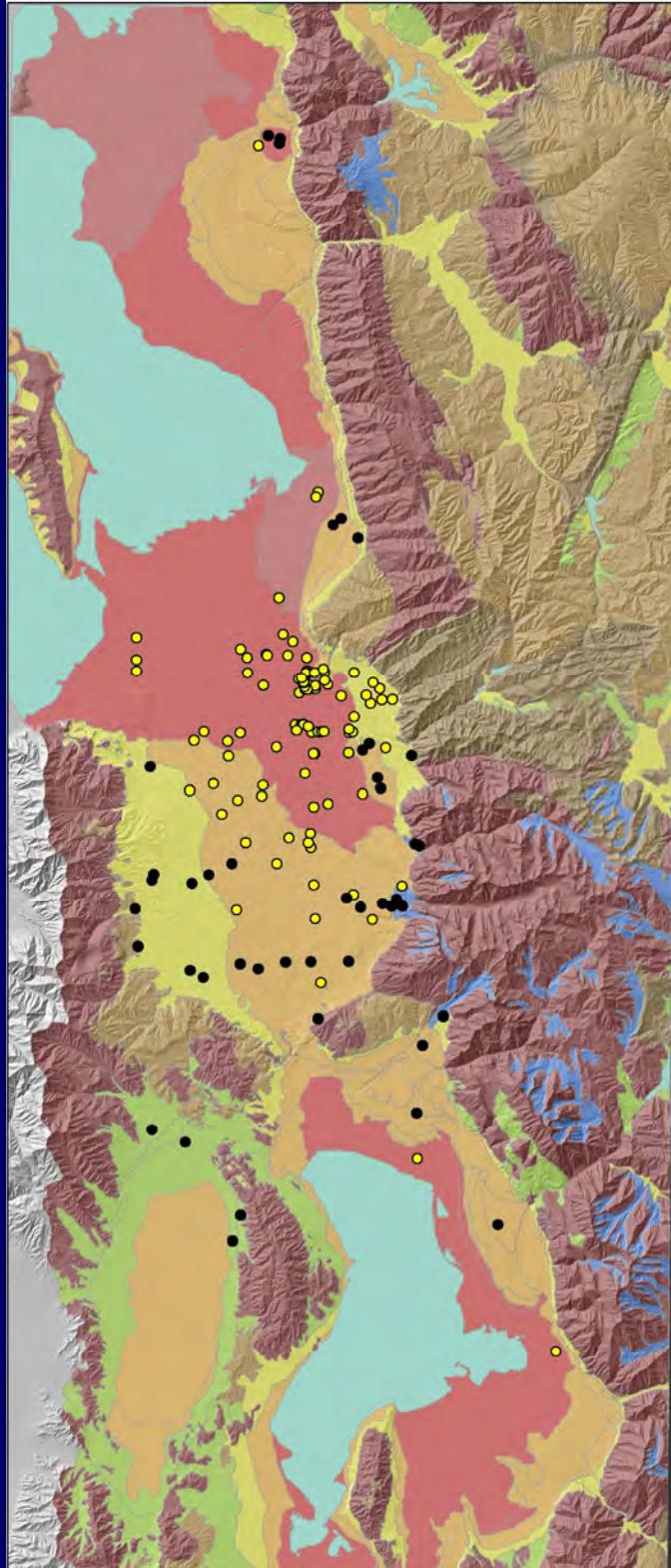
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QUESTIONS?

Wasatch Front urban corridor Vs testing and site-conditions mapping update

Greg McDonald, Francis Ashland
Utah Geological Survey

James Bay, Jeff Gilbert, Jeff Berry
Utah State University

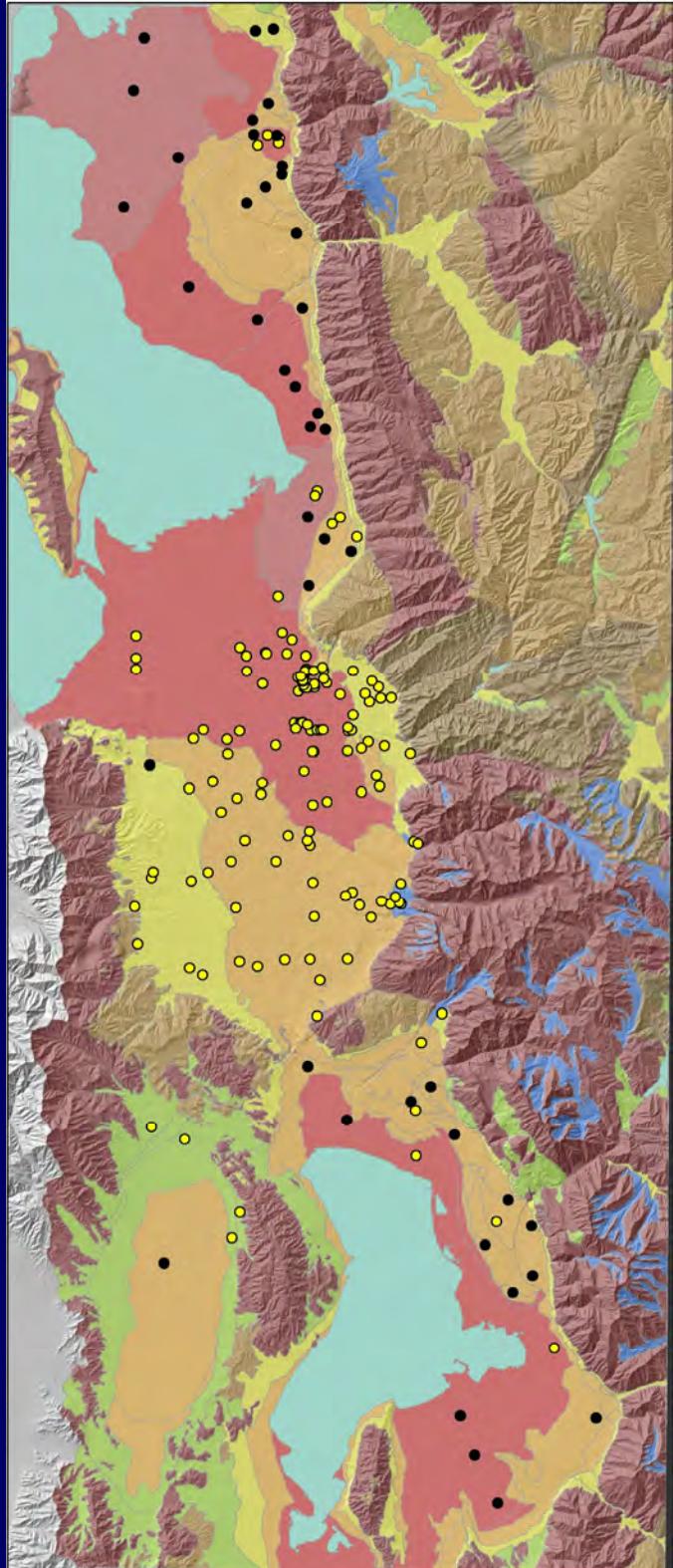


USU – Gilbert and Bay (2003)

44 sites

- 30 - Salt Lake basin
- 3 - Weber basin
- 3 - Davis basin
- 4 - Utah basin
- 4 - Cedar Valley

SL Valley site-conditions map
(Ashland and others (2005))



USU – Berry and Bay (2005)

45 sites

3 - Salt Lake basin

2 ANSS “bedrock” (NOQ, CTU)

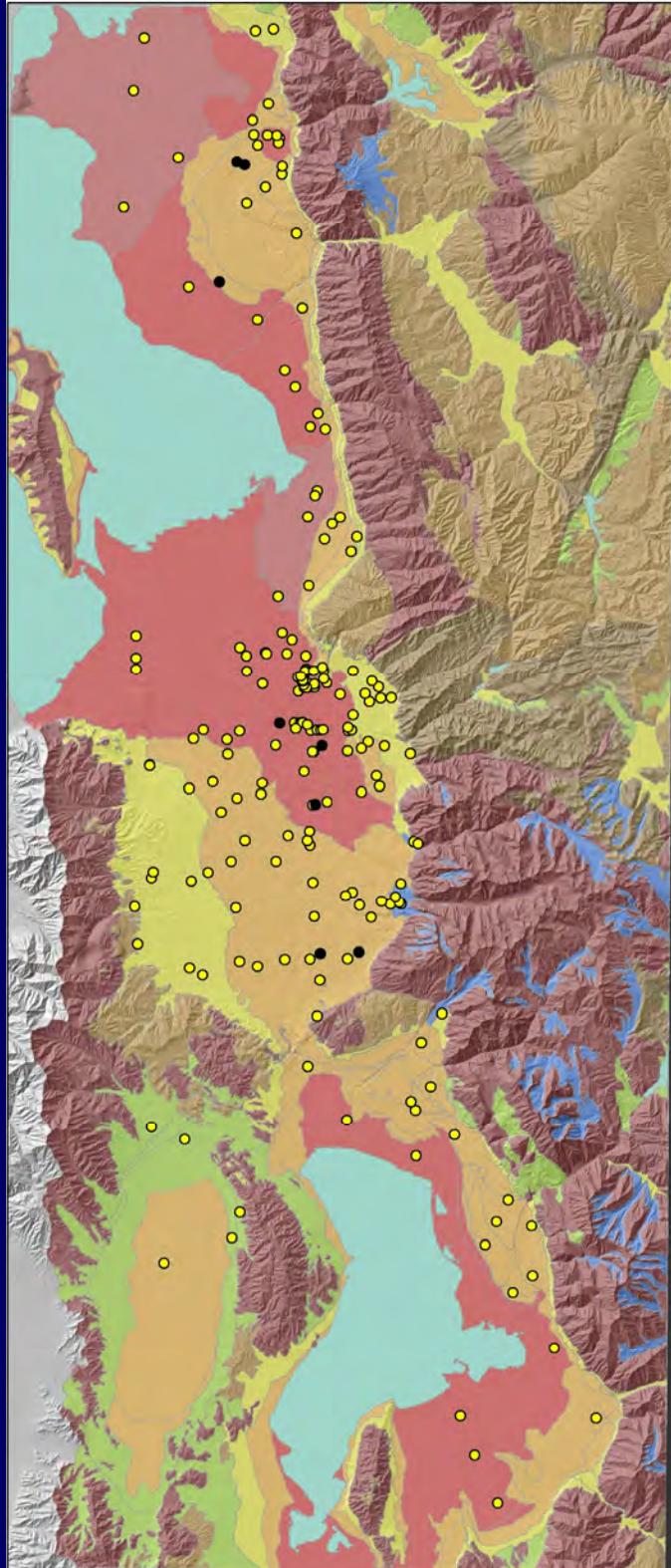
FTT retest

15 - Weber basin

12 - Davis basin

14 - Utah basin

1 - Cedar Valley



USU – Bischoff

CPT data - 9 sites

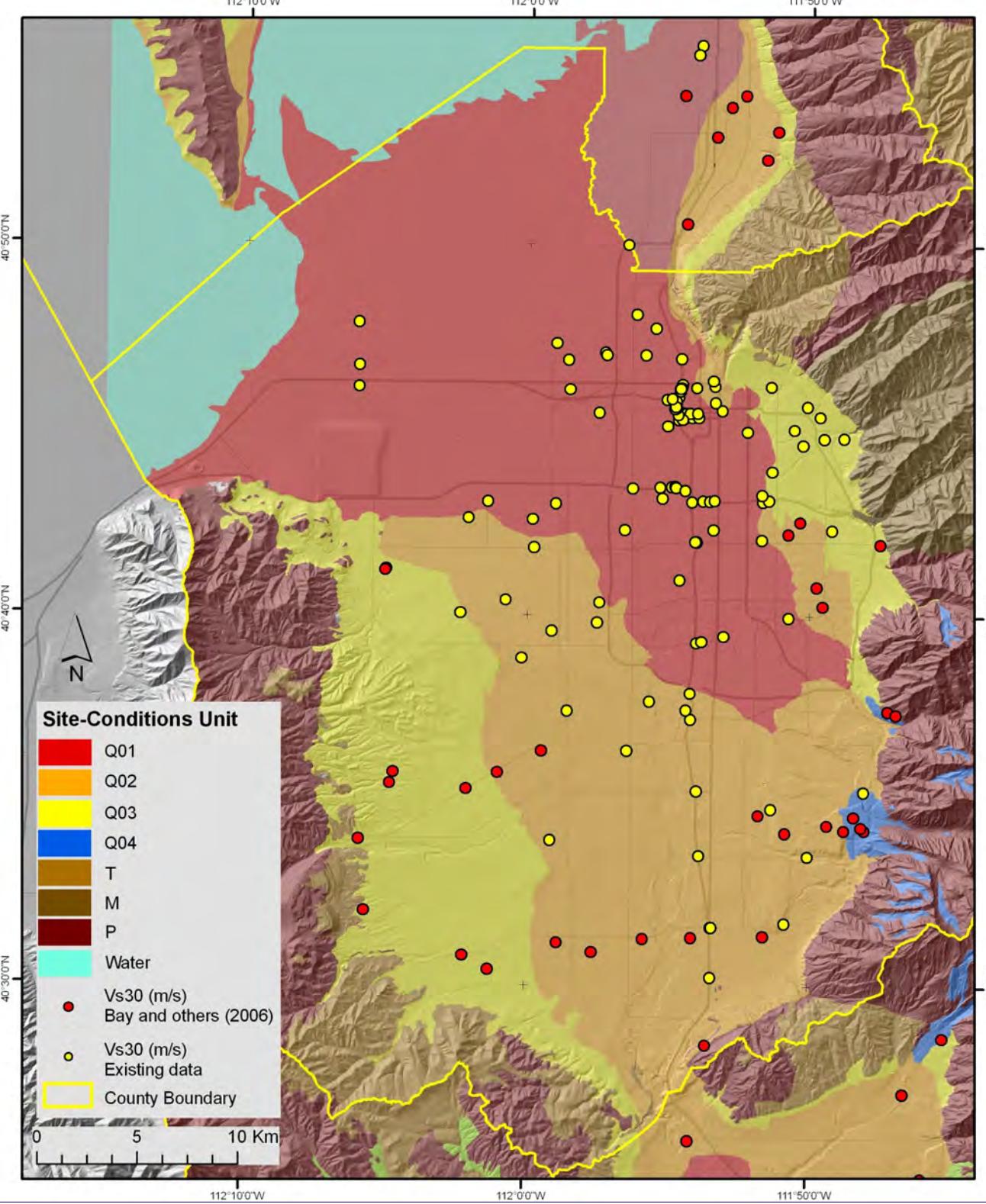
6 - Salt Lake basin

3 – Q01

3 – Q02

3 - Weber basin

3 – Q02

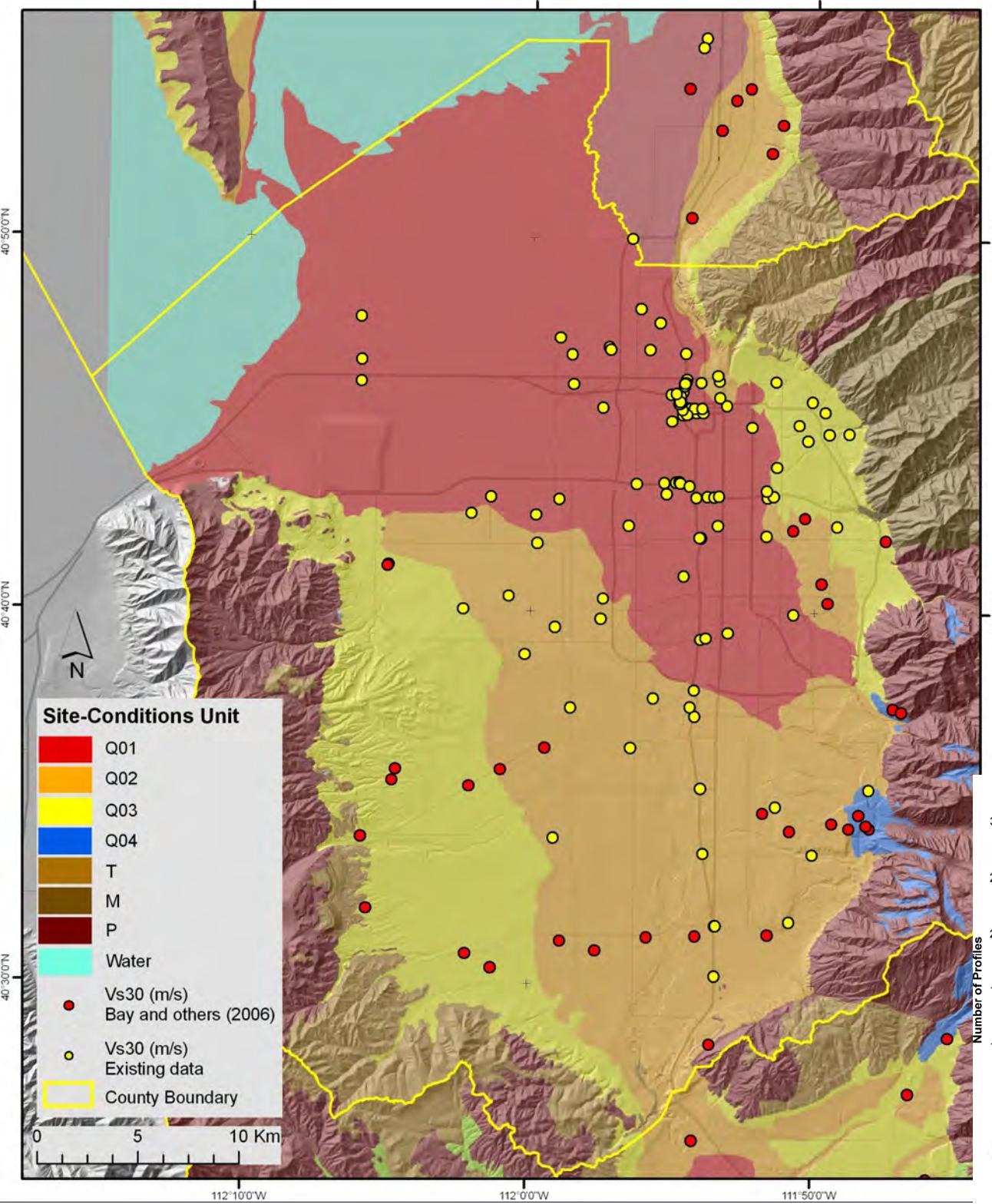


Salt Lake basin

139 profiles
(68% of WF total)

Mapped/characterized
by Ashland and others
(2005)

4 Quaternary site-
conditions units

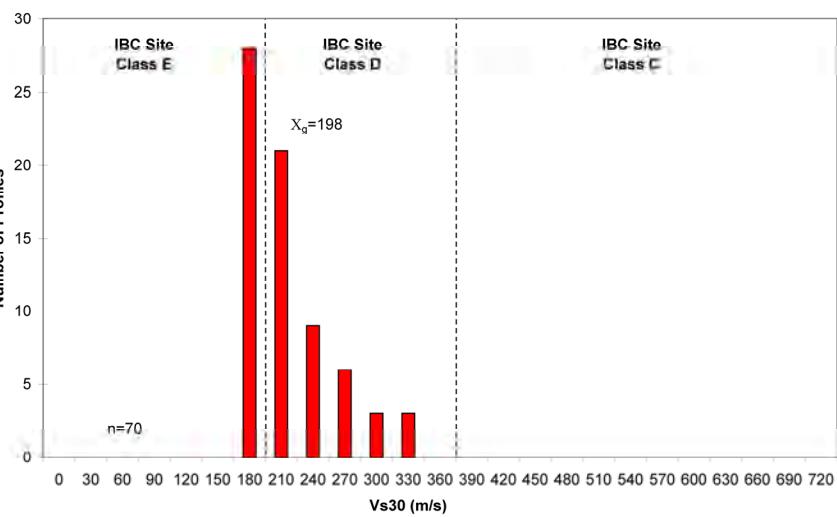


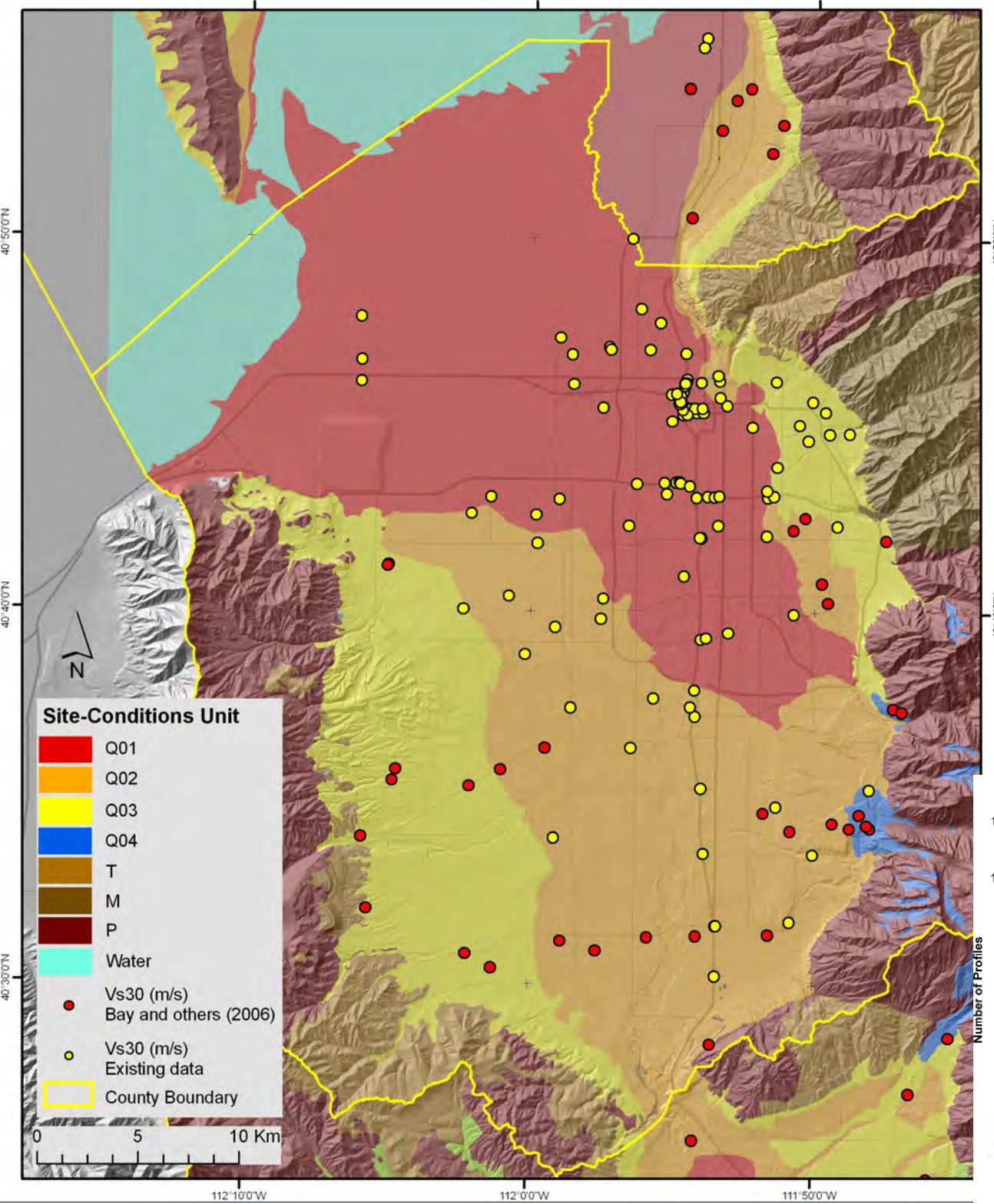
Salt Lake basin

Q01 – Lacustrine and alluvial clay, silt and fine sand

$X_g=198$ m/s
 $n=70$

Q01 - Salt Lake Basin



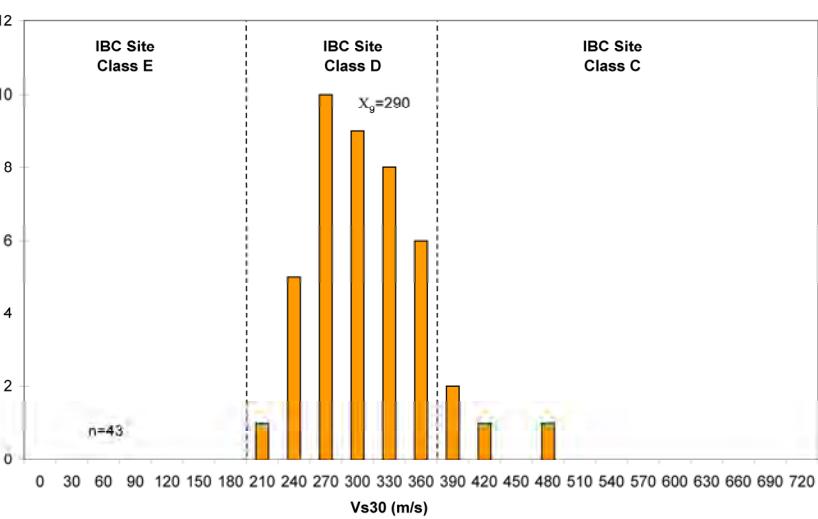


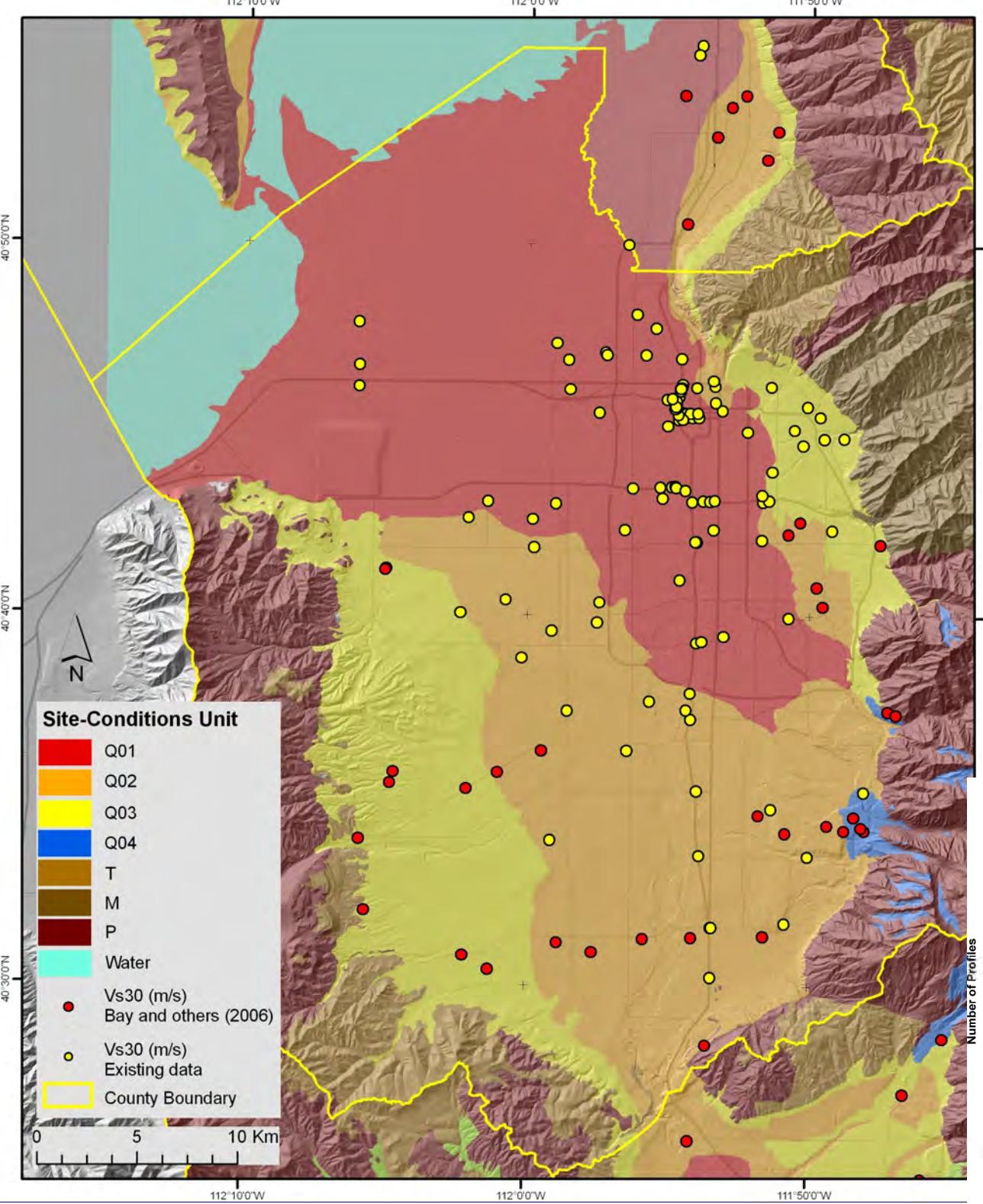
Salt Lake basin

Q02 – Lacustrine sand, silt and fine gravel and young alluvial-fan deposits

$X_g=290$ m/s
 $n=43$

Q02 - Salt Lake Basin



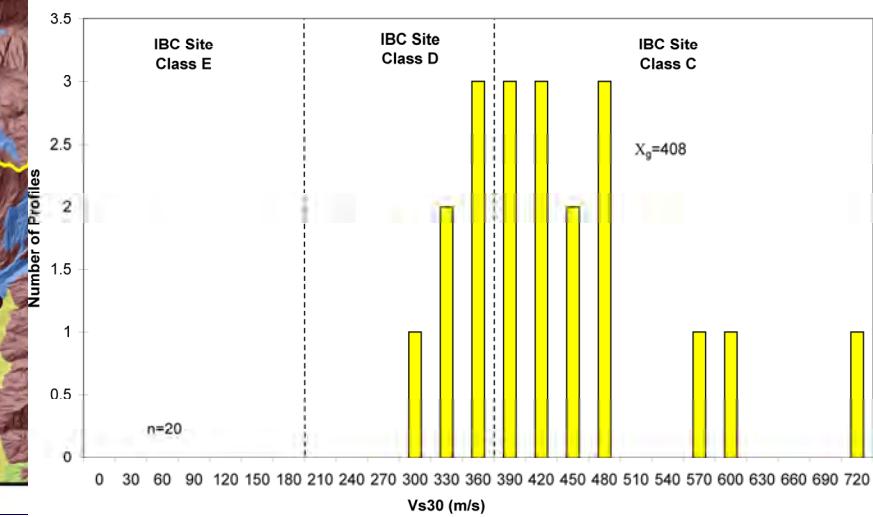


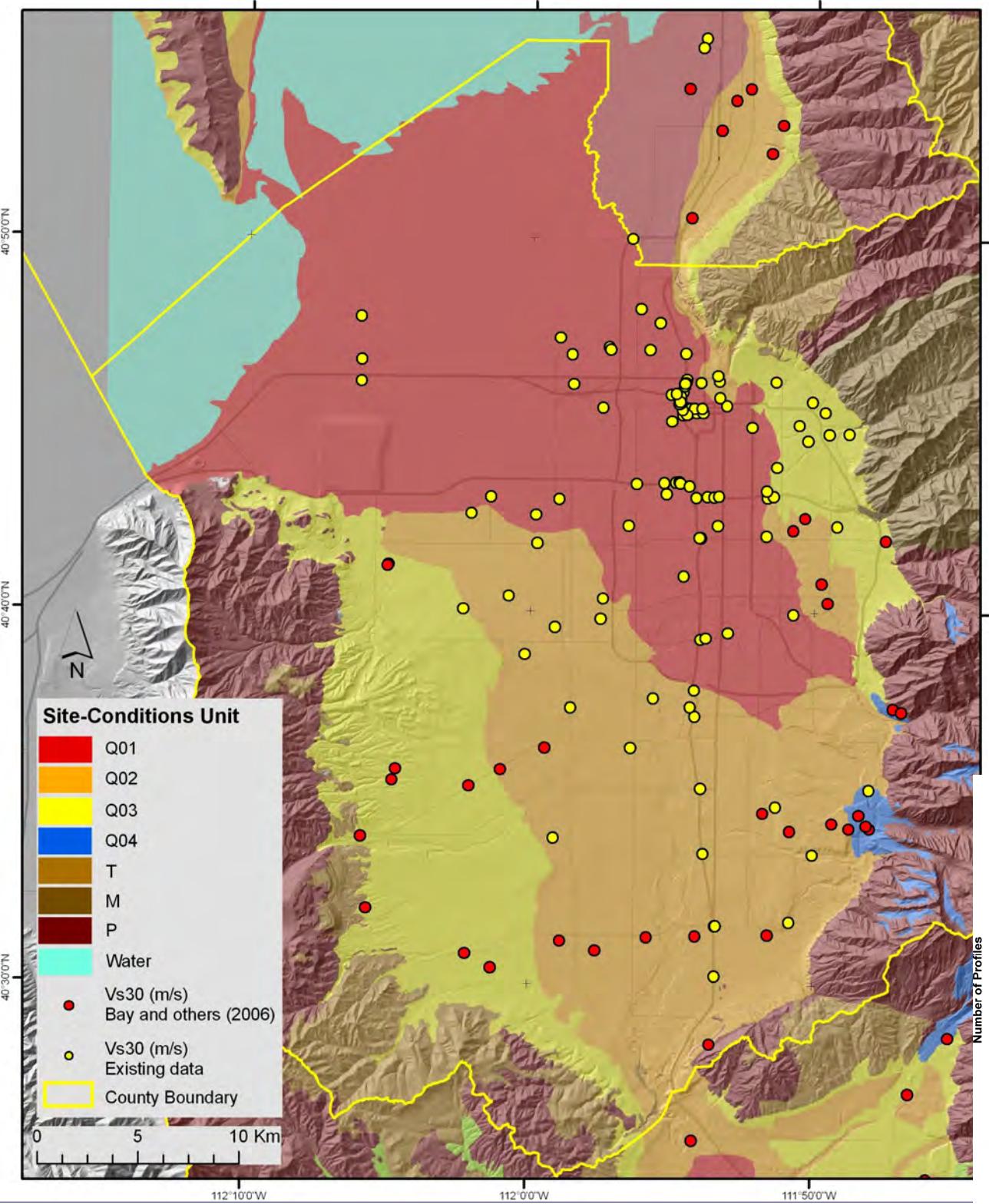
Salt Lake basin

Q03 – Gravel-dominated lacustrine and alluvial deposits; includes deltaic and older fan deposits

$X_g=408 \text{ m/s}$
 $n=20$

Q03 - Salt Lake Basin



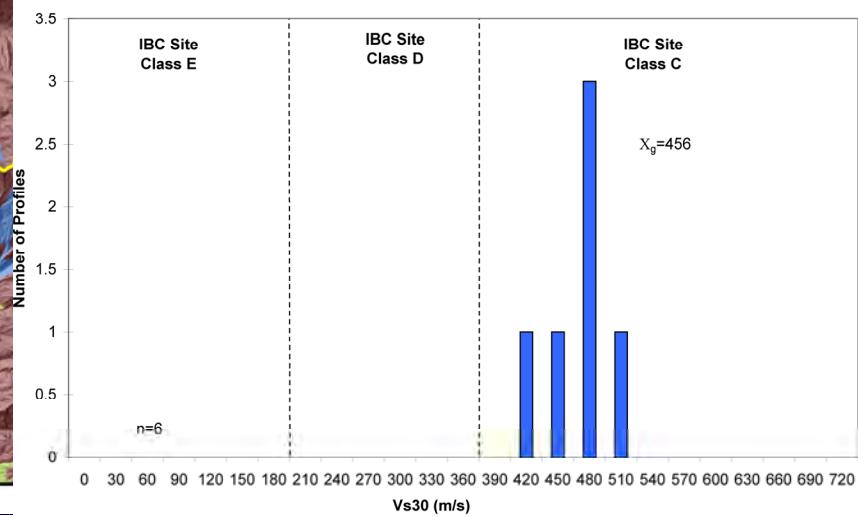


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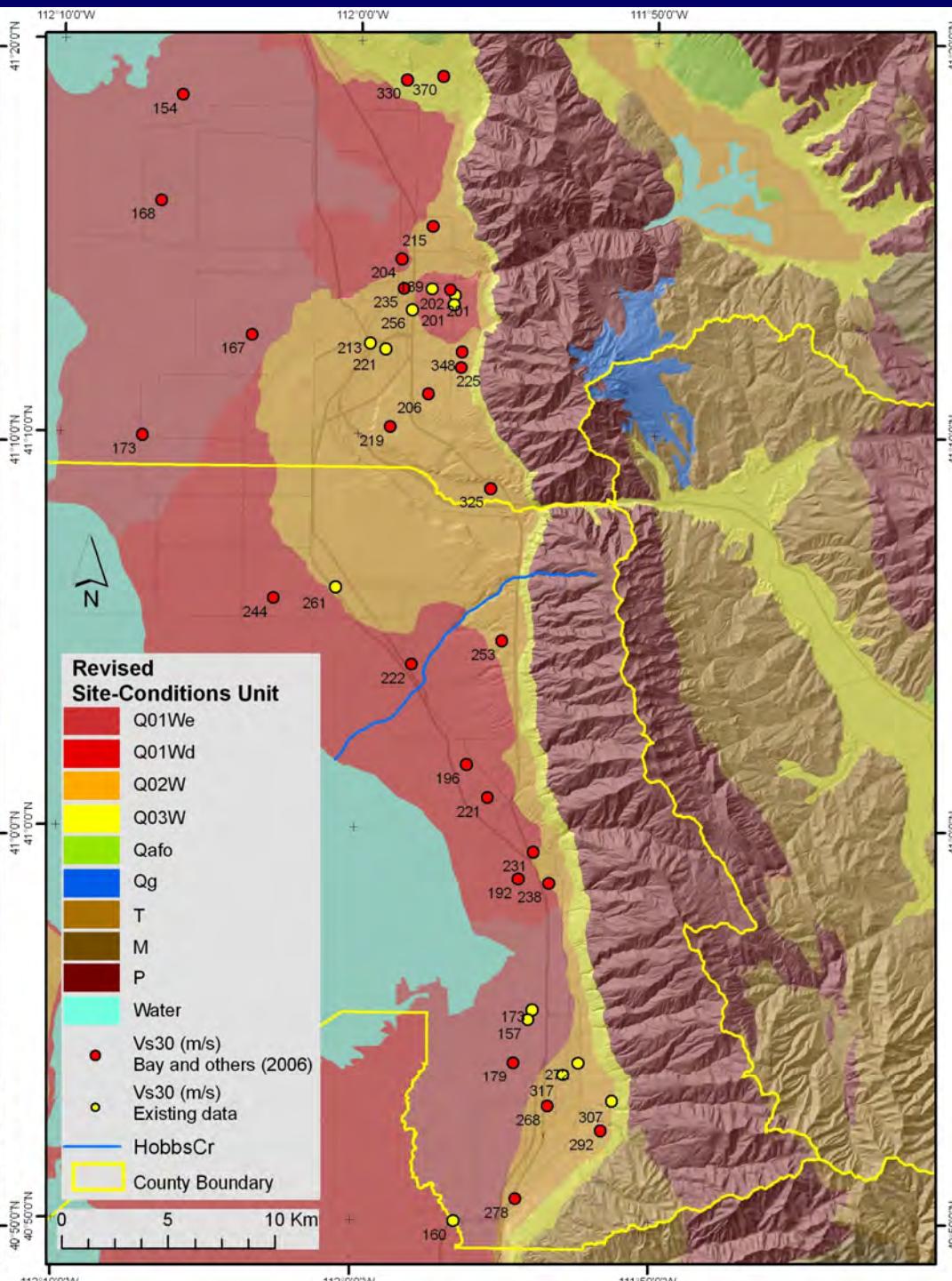
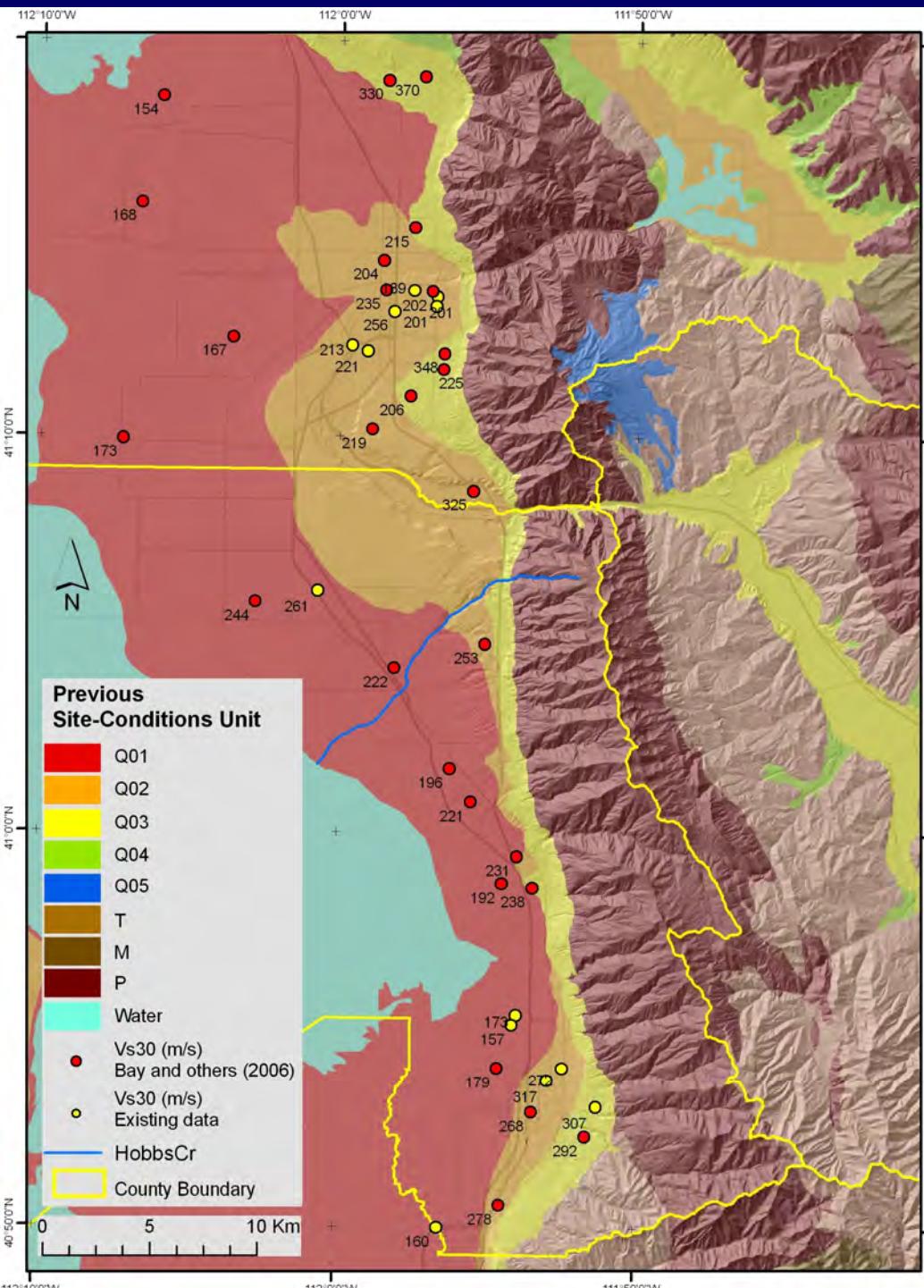
Q04 – Glacial deposits

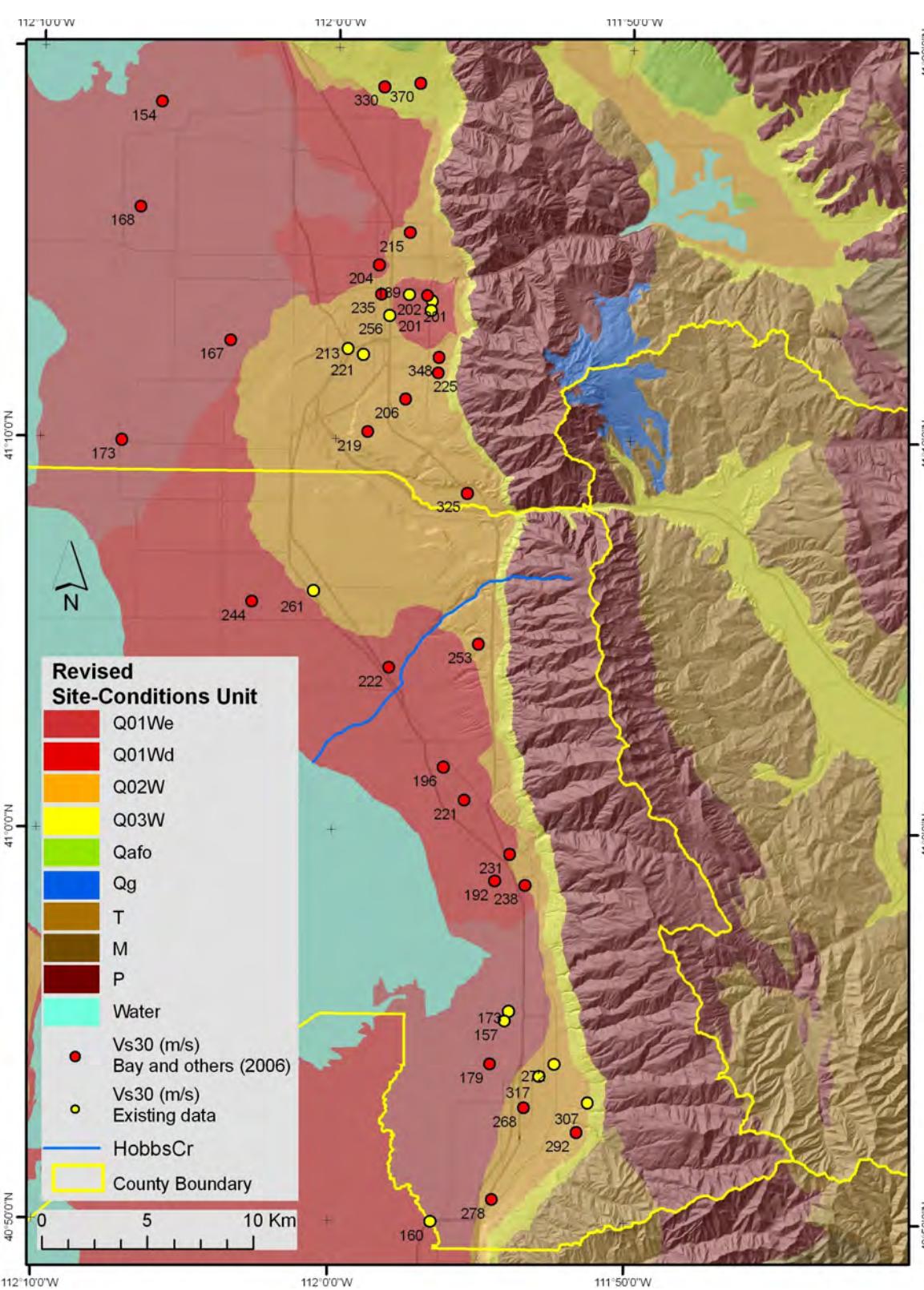
$X_g=456$ m/s
 $n=6$

Qg - Salt Lake Basin

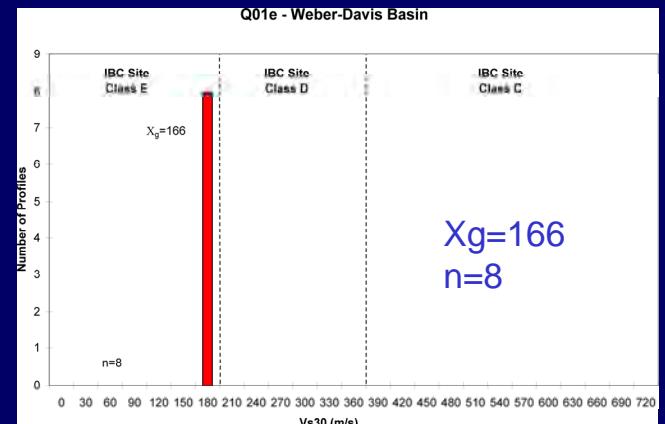
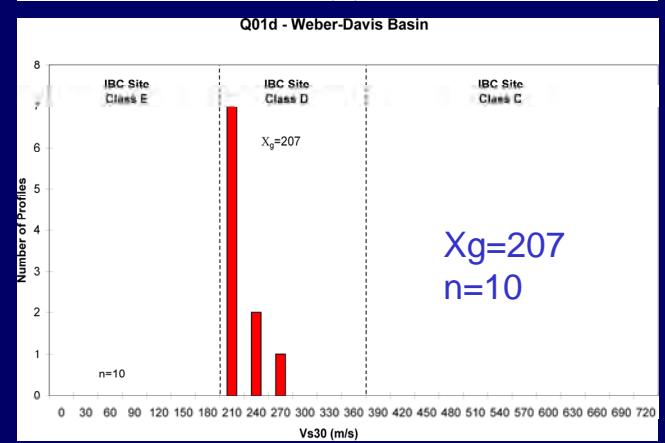
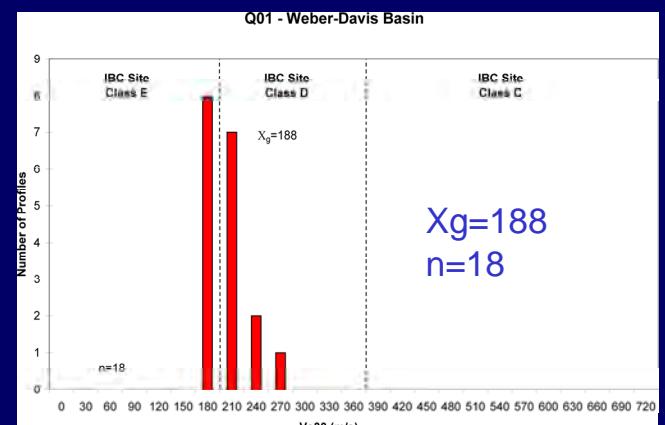


Weber-Davis composite basin



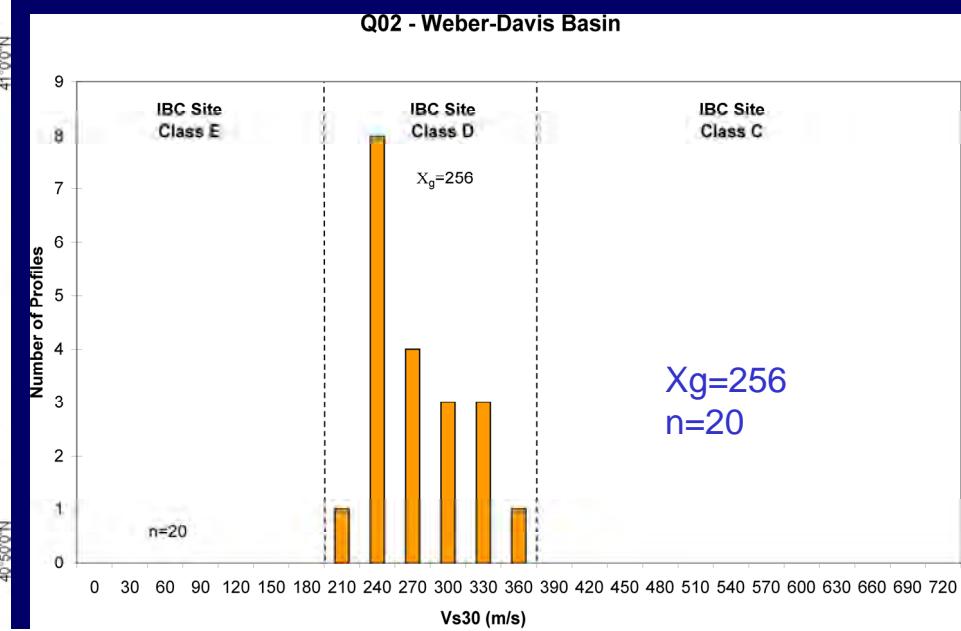
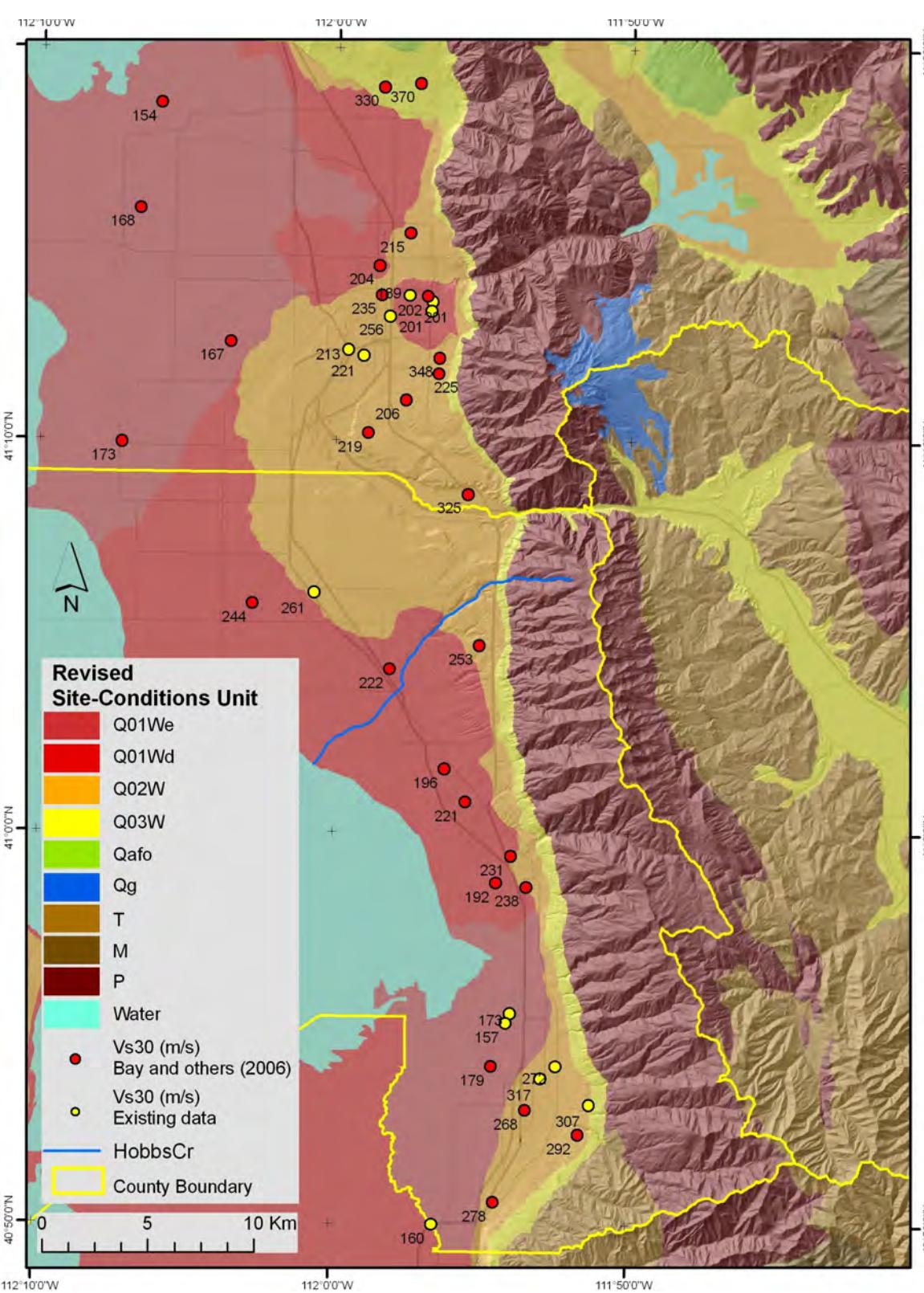


Weber-Davis composite IBC site class D and E subunits



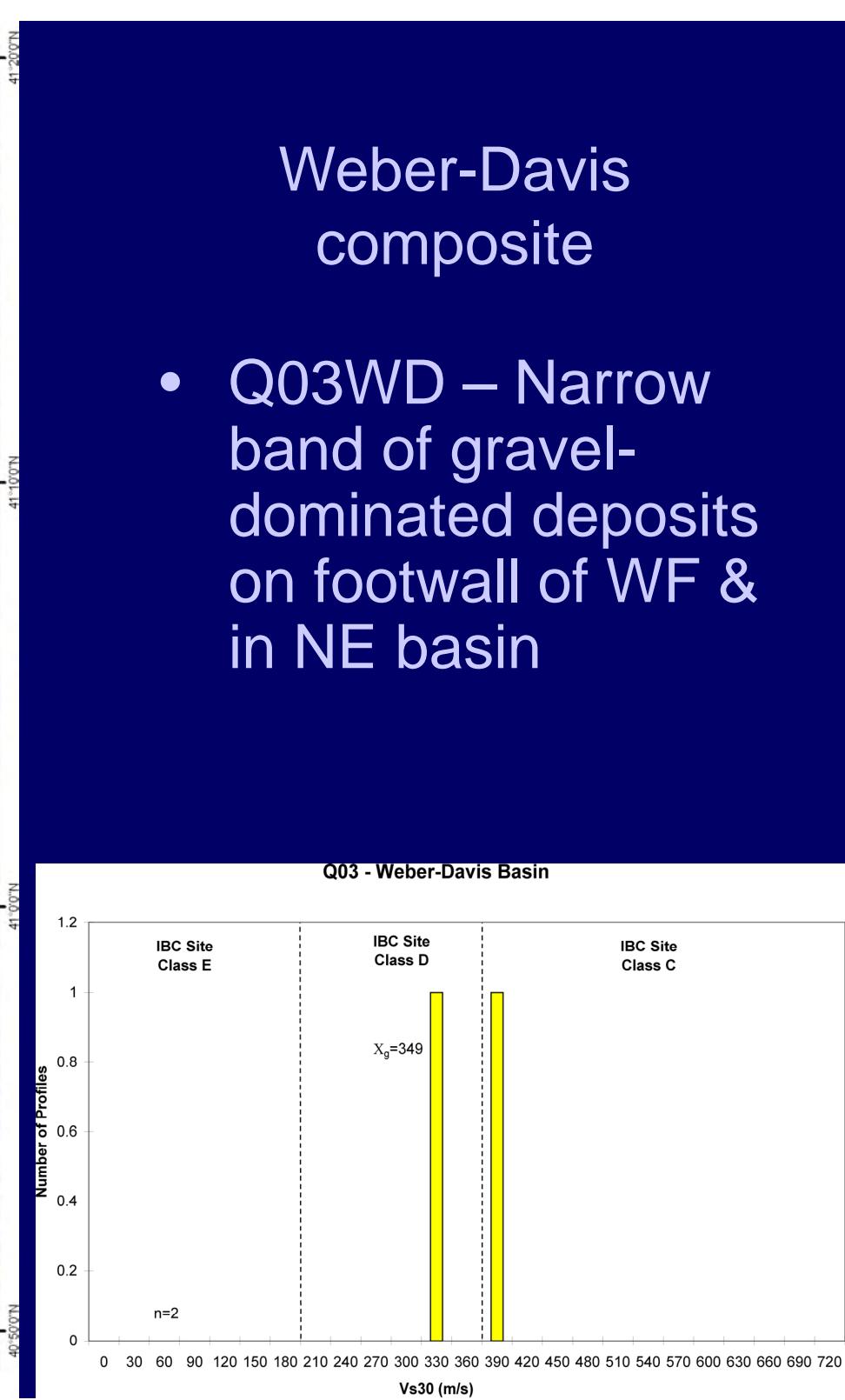
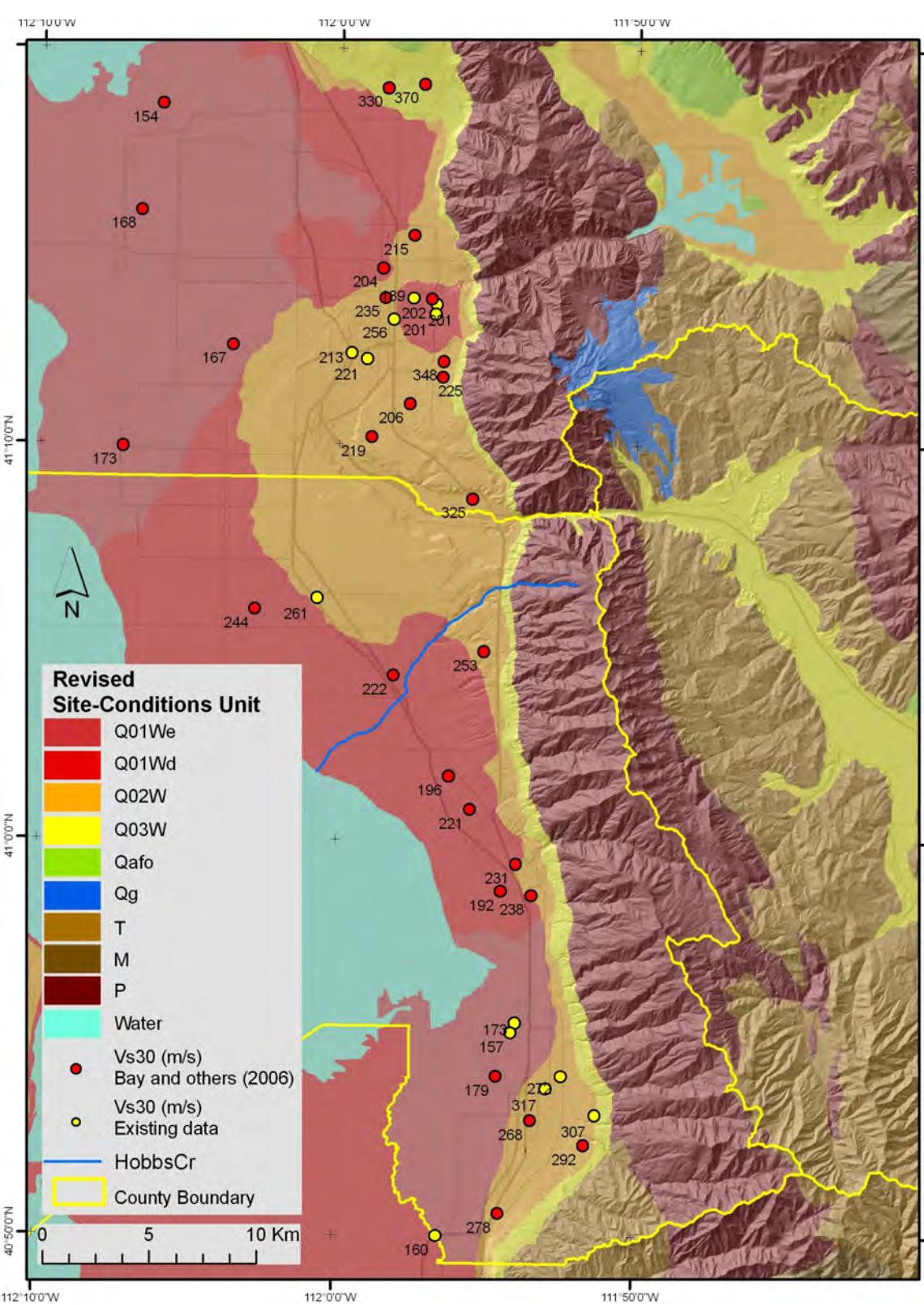
Weber-Davis composite

- Q02WD – Sand-dominated deltaic/nearshore, younger alluvial deposits



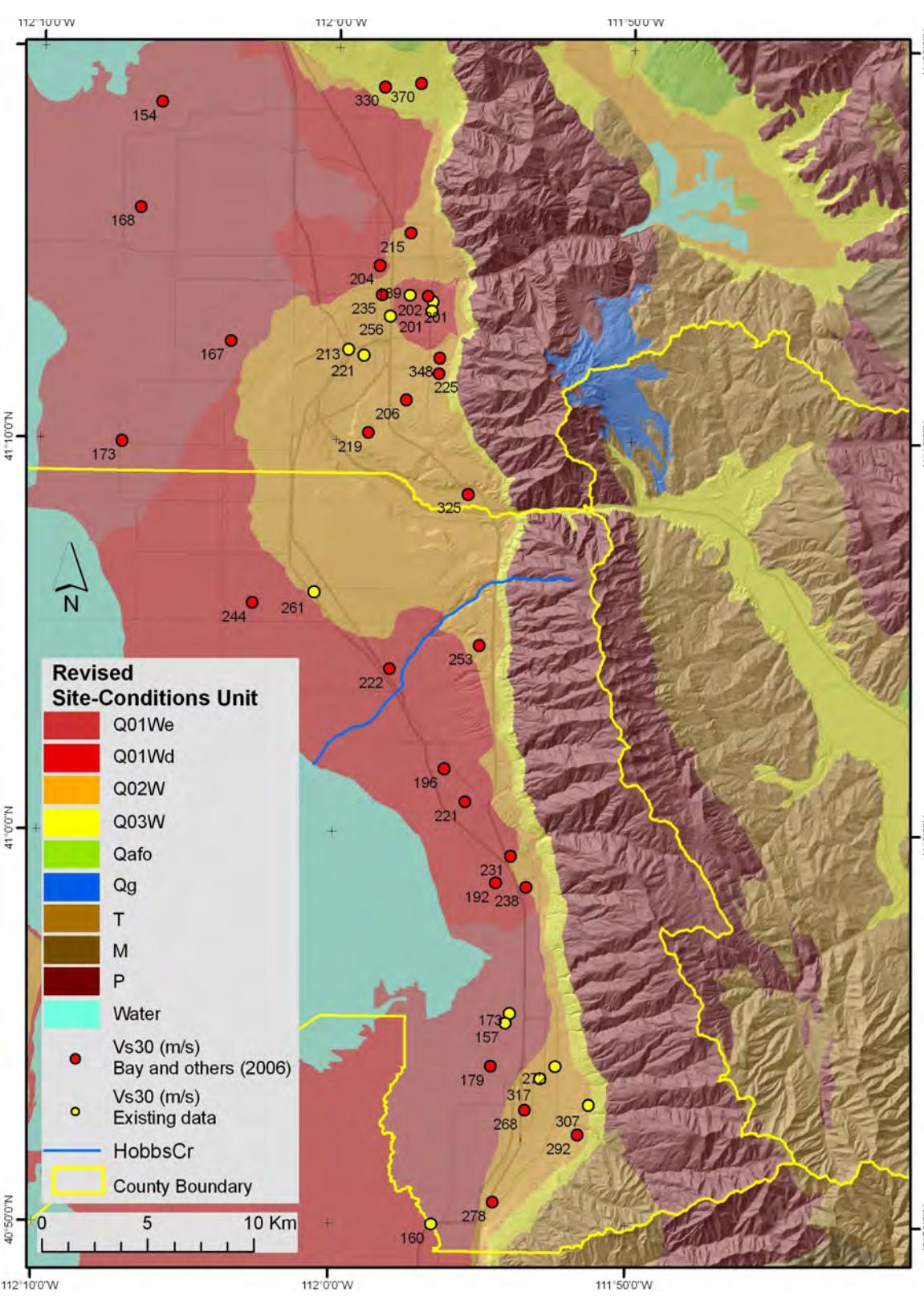
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- Q03WD – Narrow band of gravel-dominated deposits on footwall of WF & in NE basin

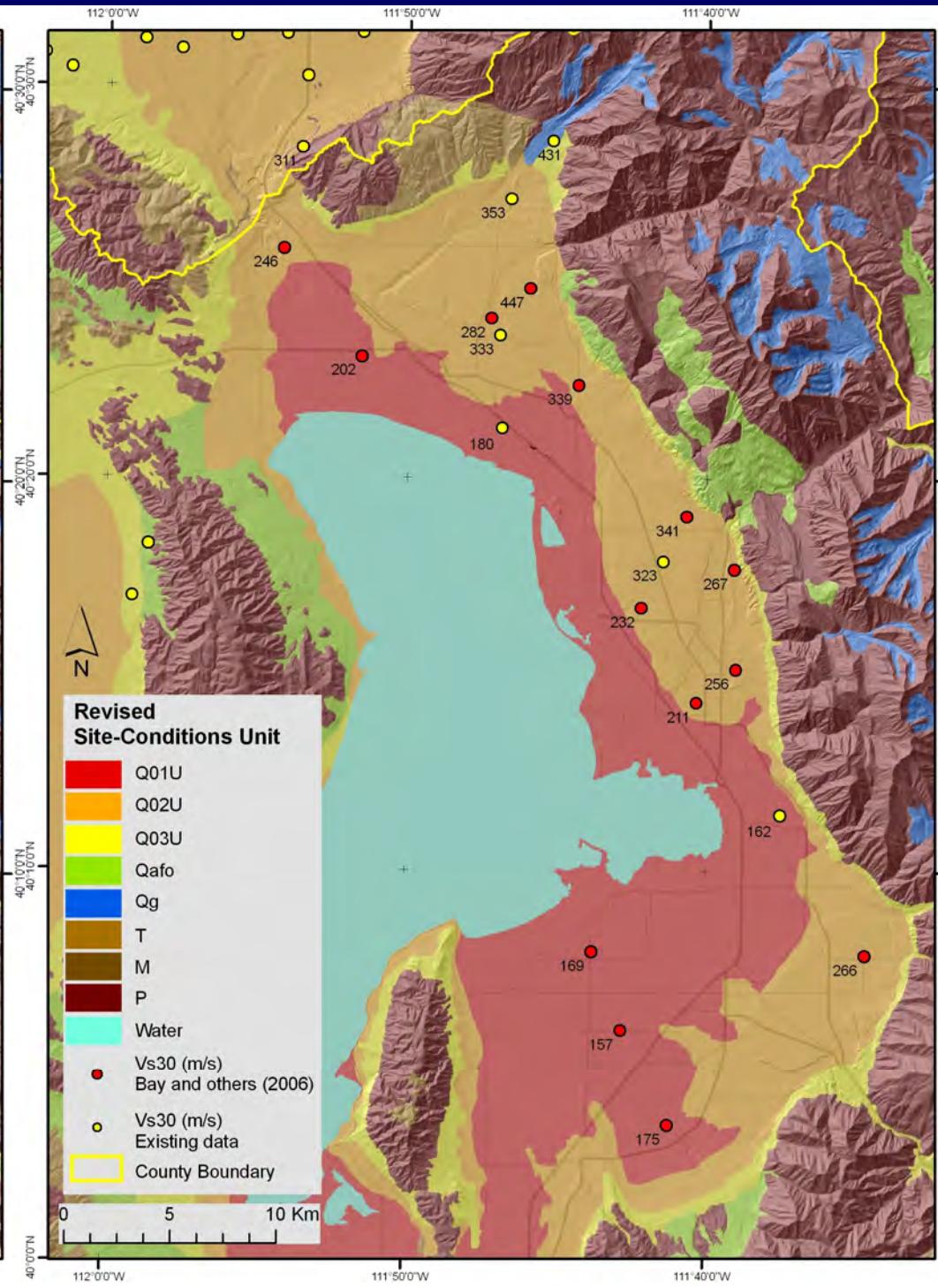
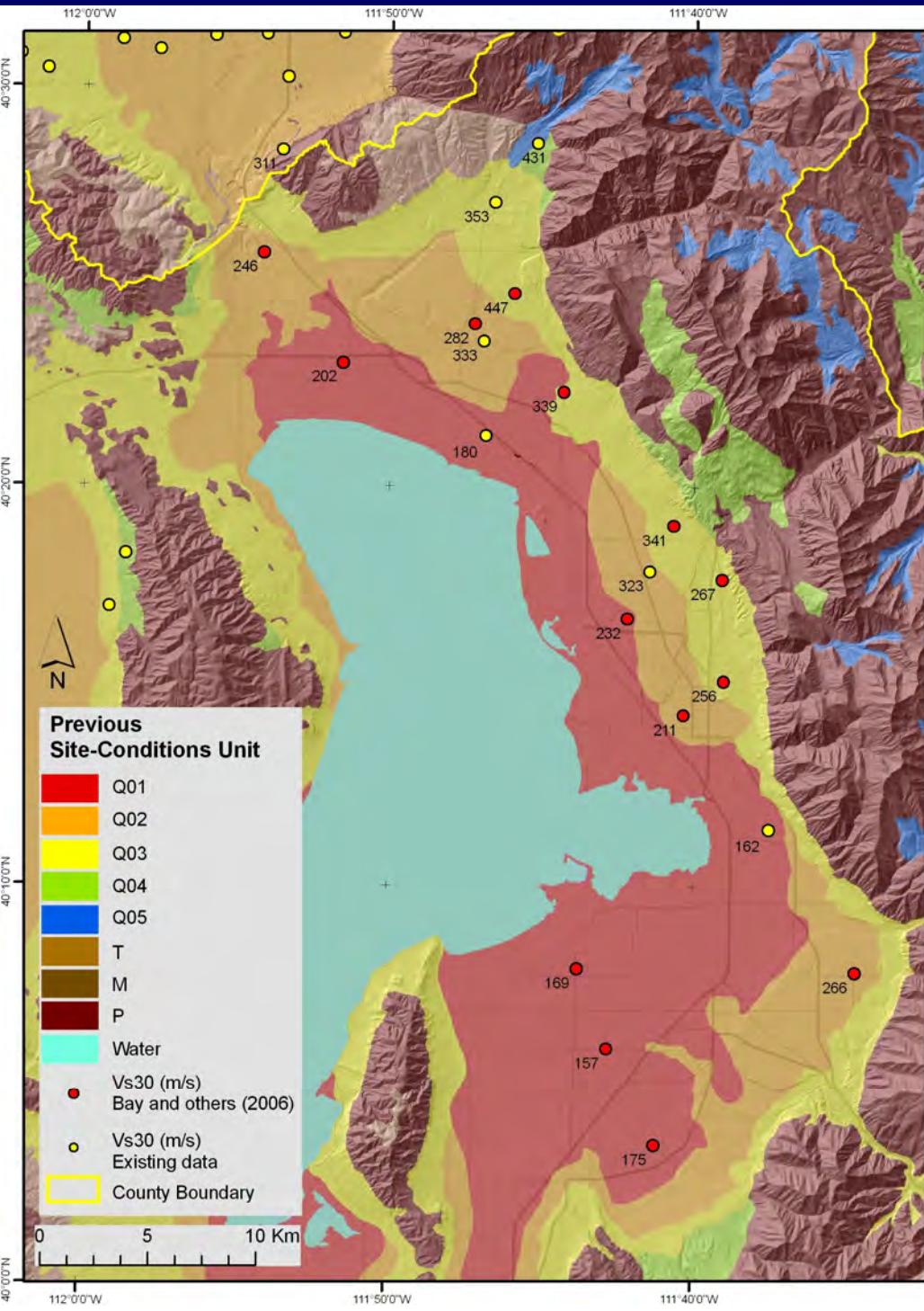


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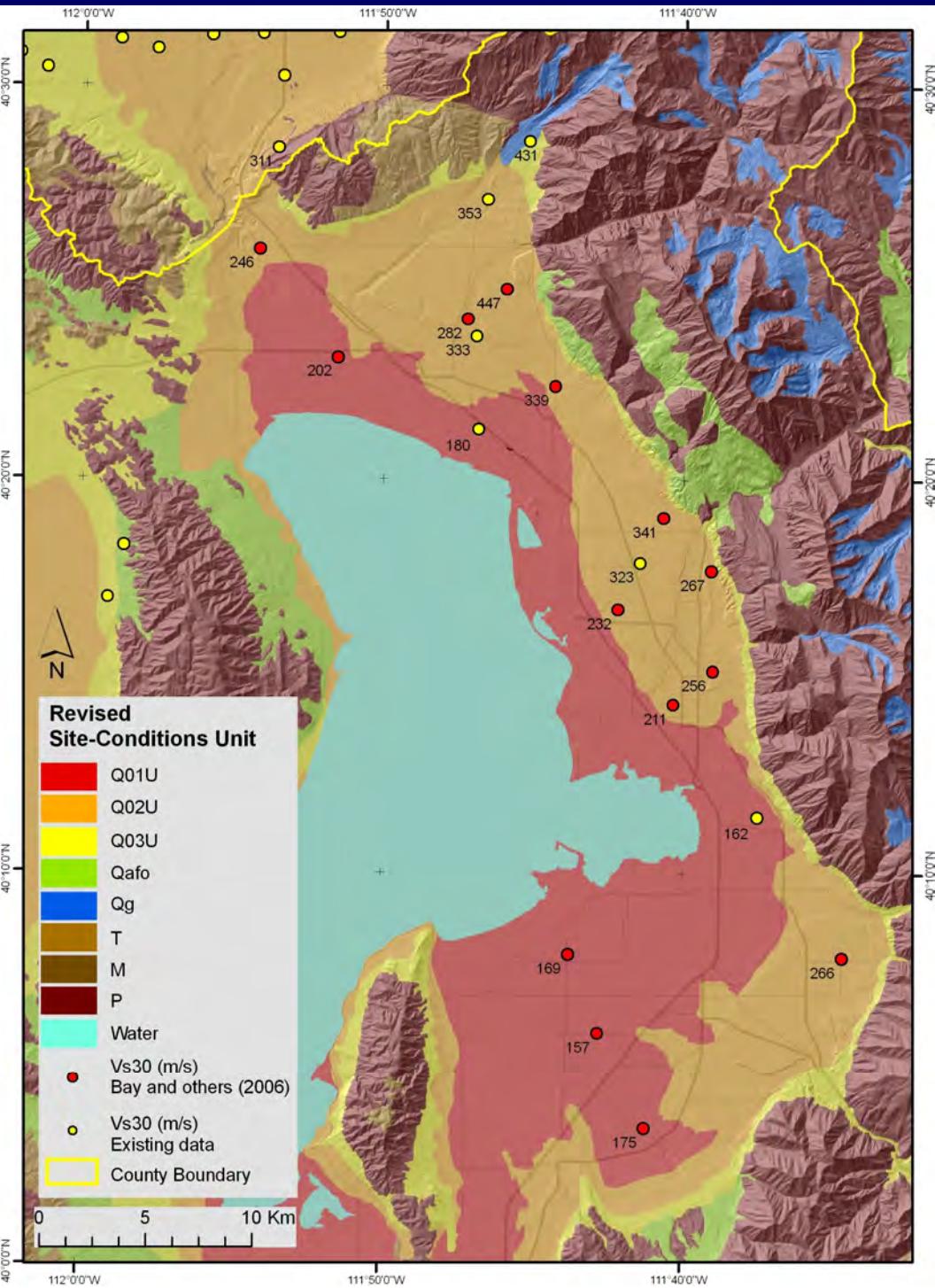
- QafoWD – Older alluvial-fan deposits only mapped in NE part of basin; no profiles



Utah Valley



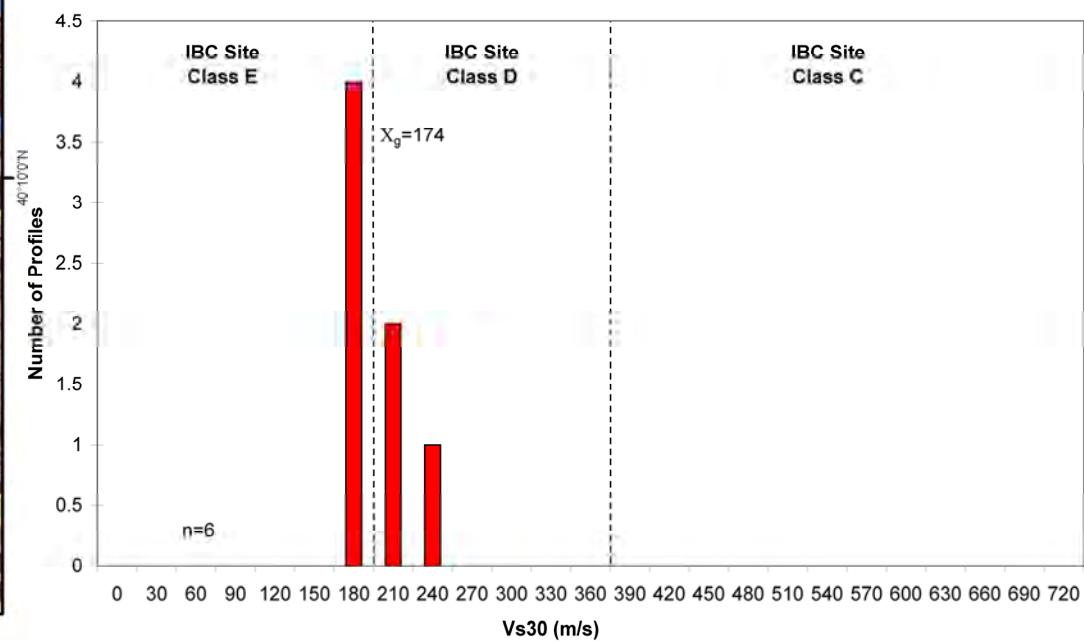
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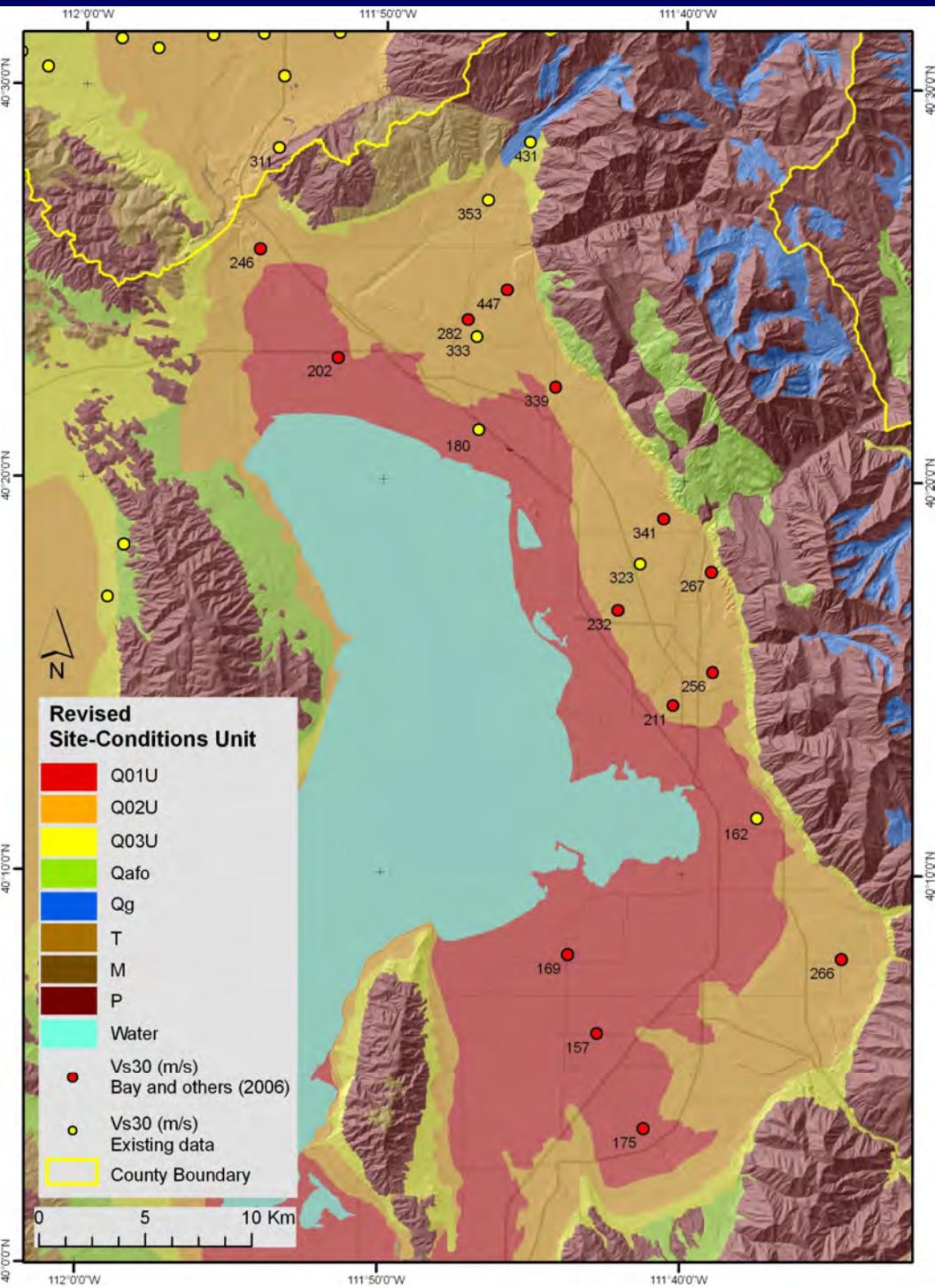
- Q01U – Silt and clay-dominated deposits

$$X_g=174 \text{ m/s}$$
$$n=6$$

Q01 - Utah Basin



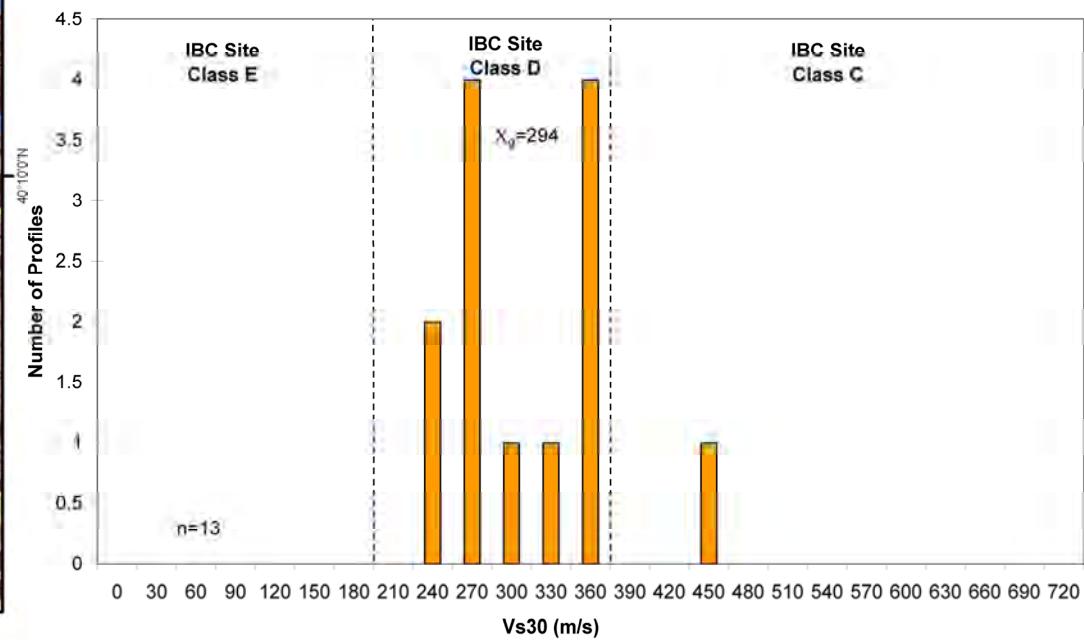
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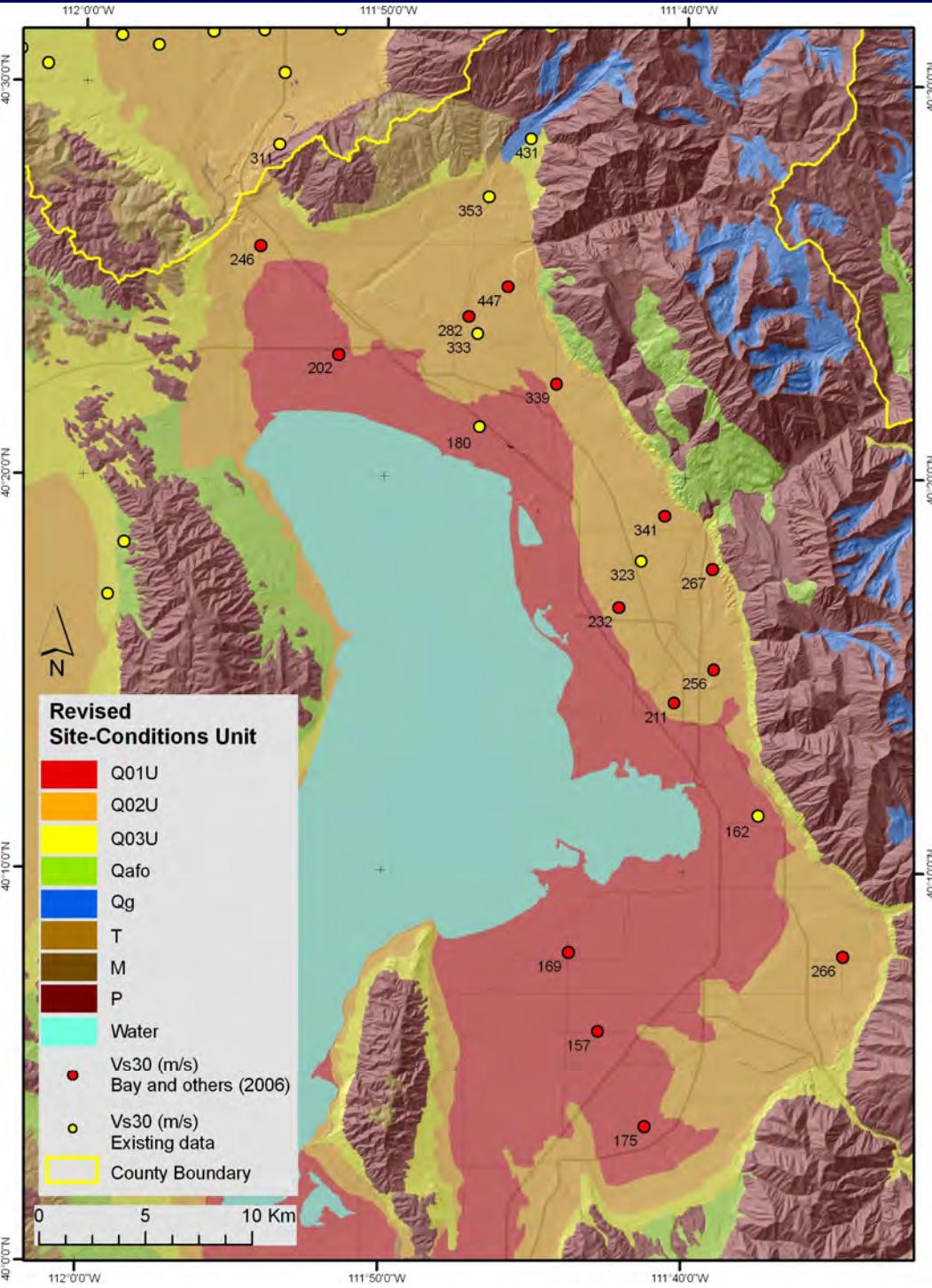
- Q02U – Sand-dominated deltaic/nearshore, younger alluvial deposits

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$$n=13$$

Q02 - Utah Basin

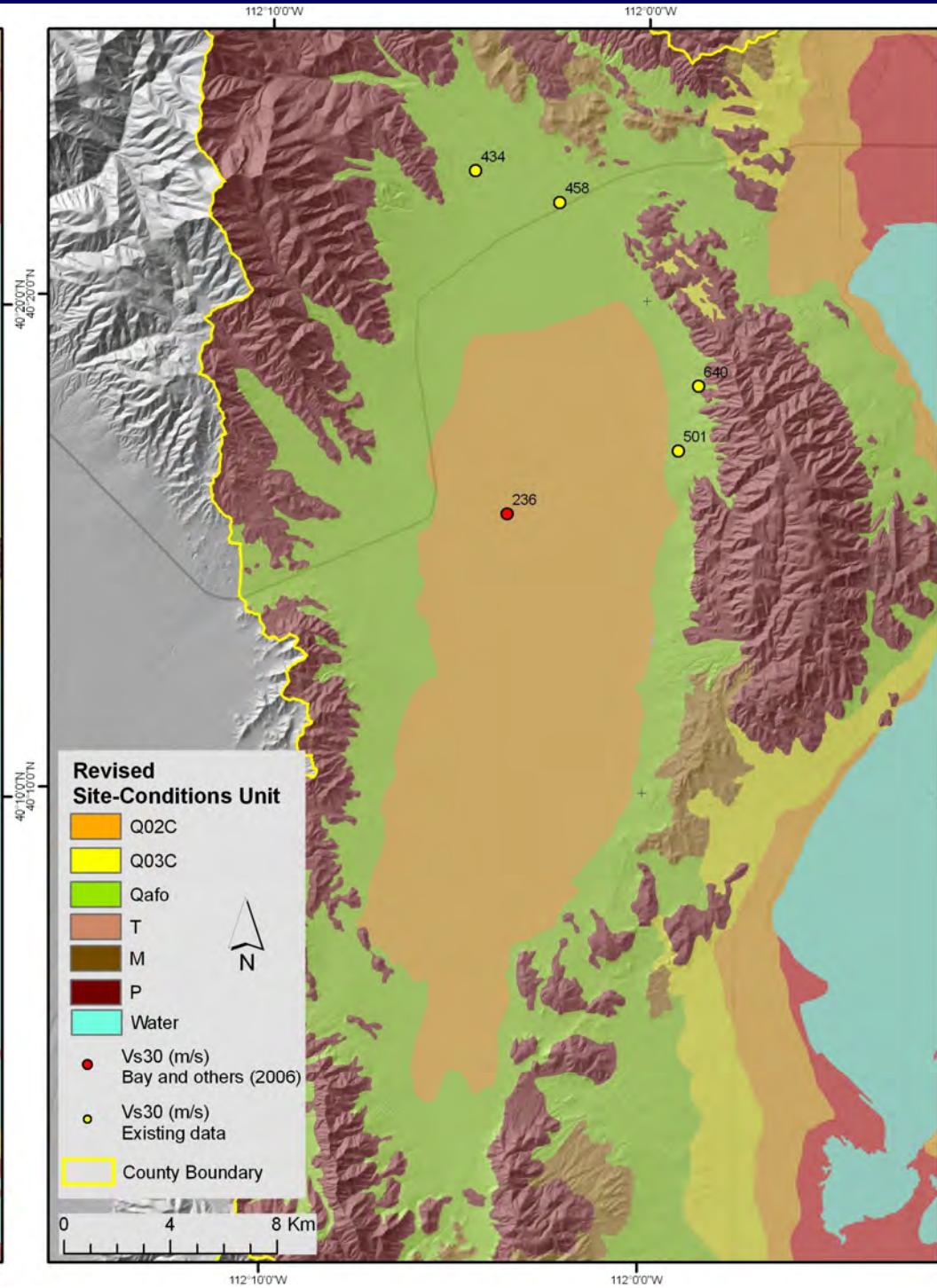
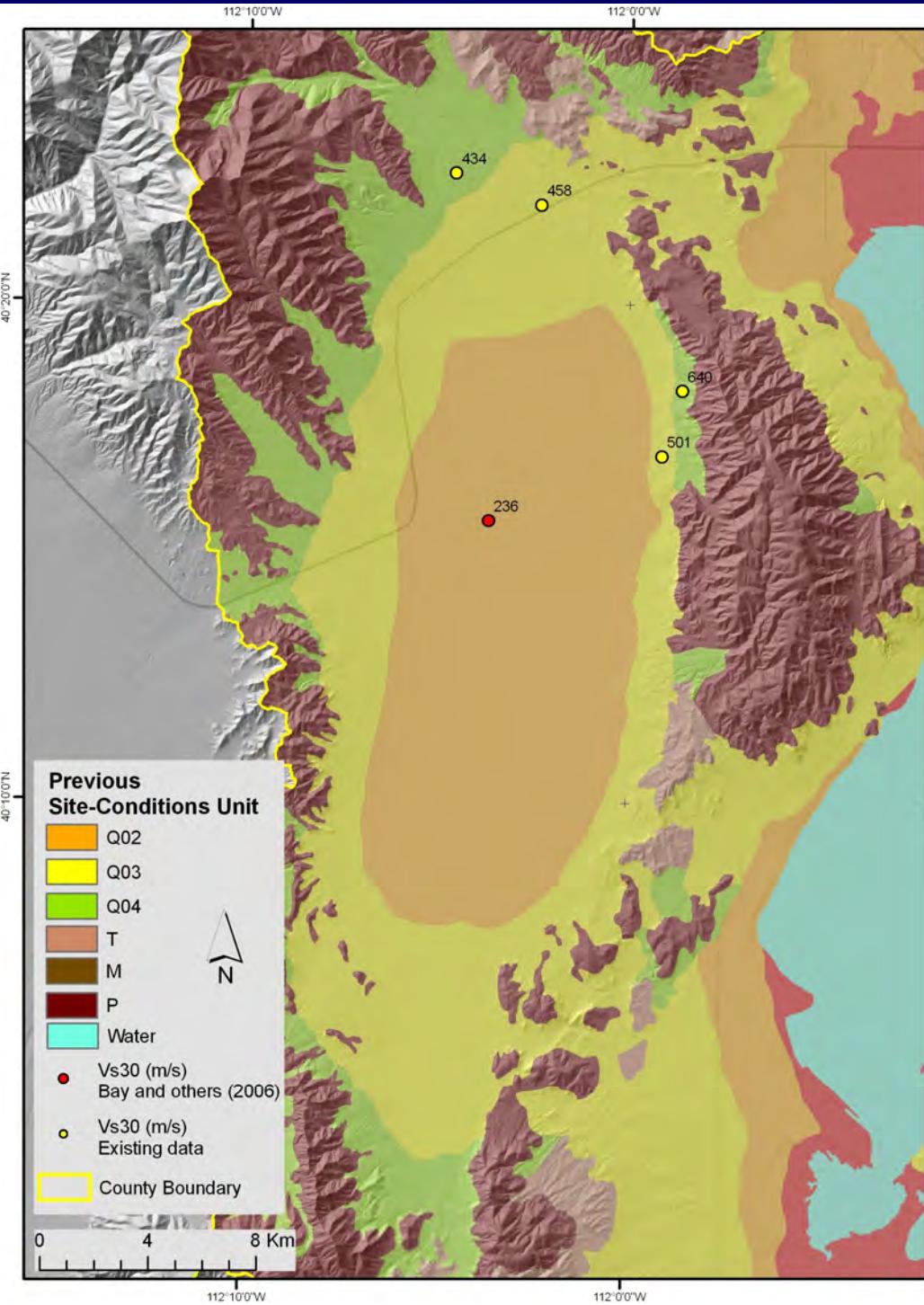


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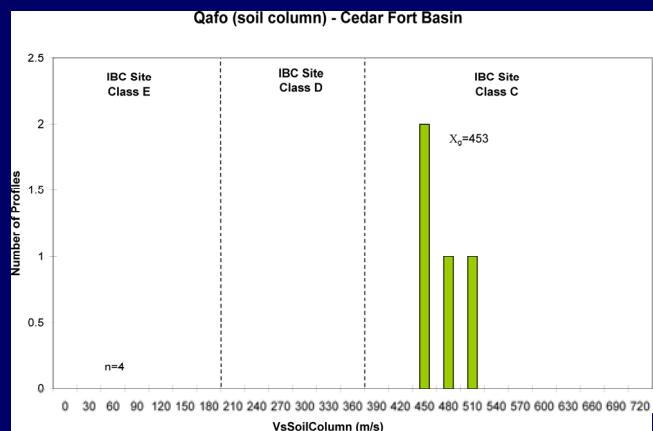
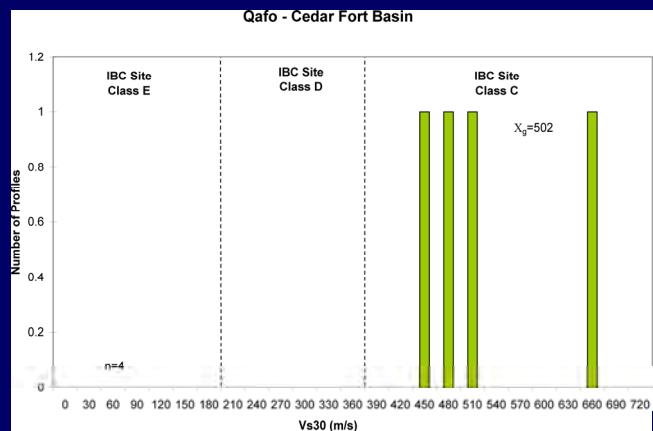
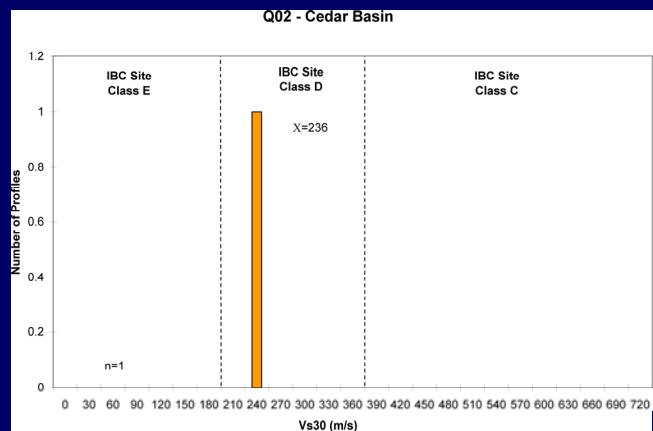
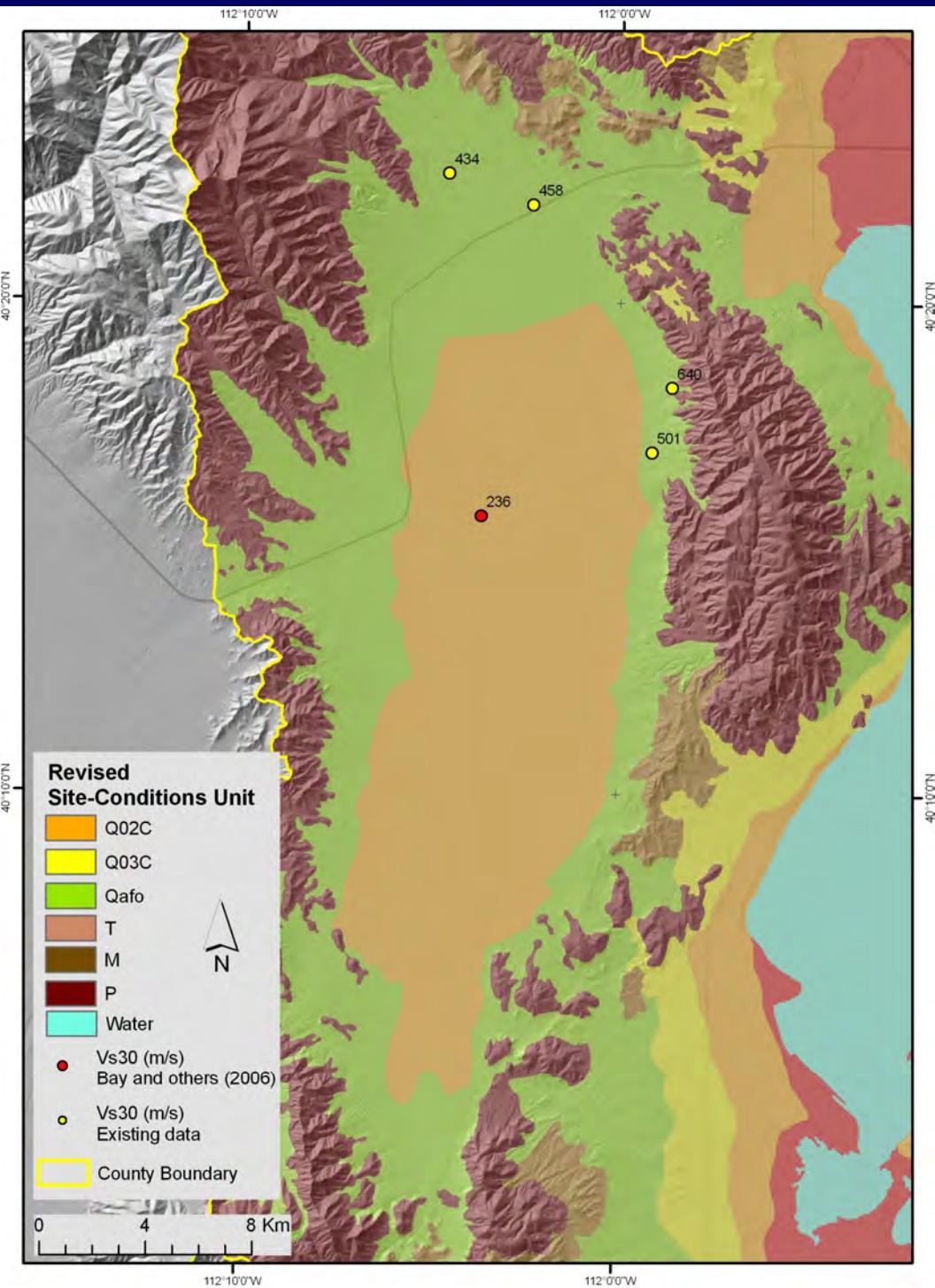


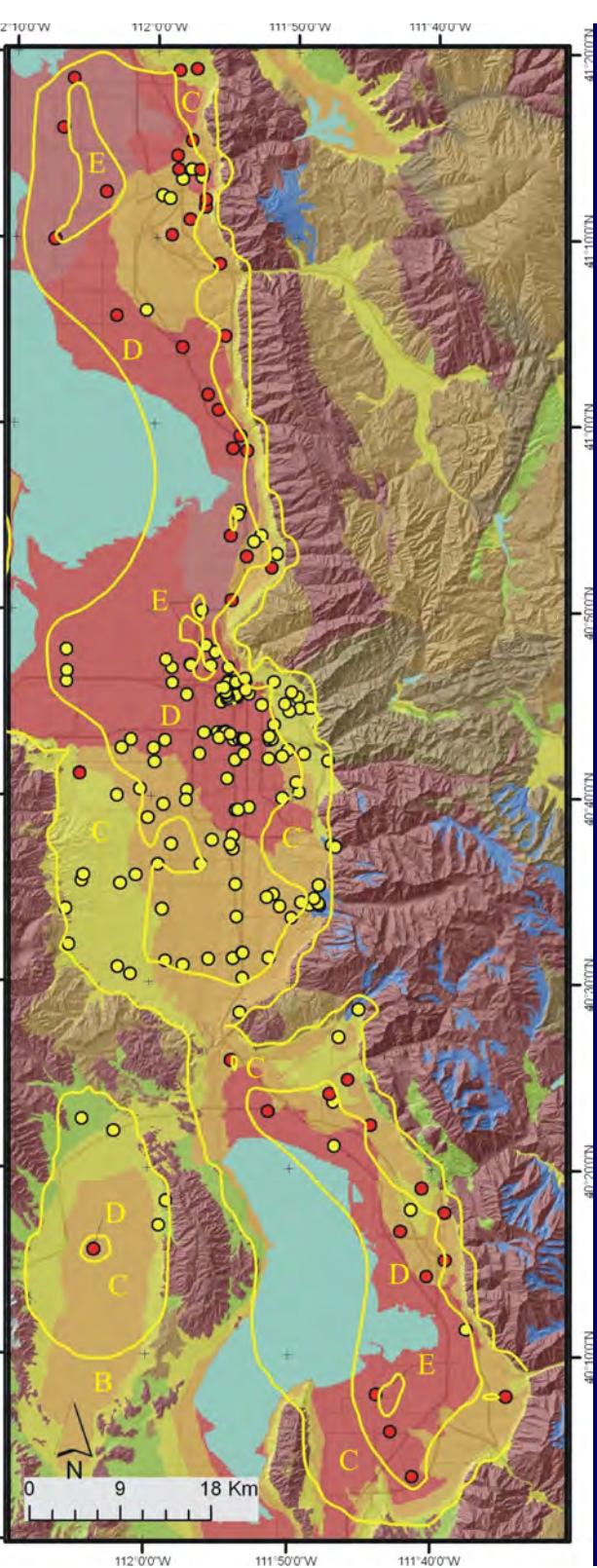
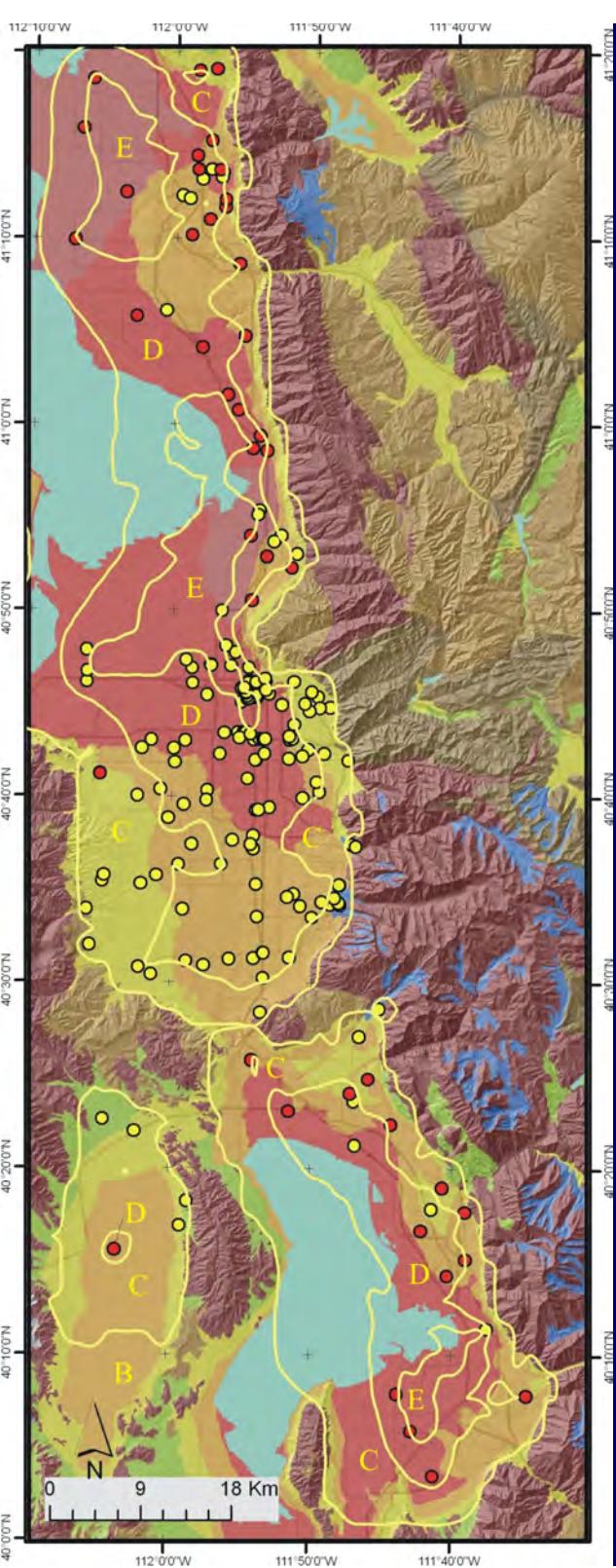
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Cedar Fort basin



Cedar Fort basin



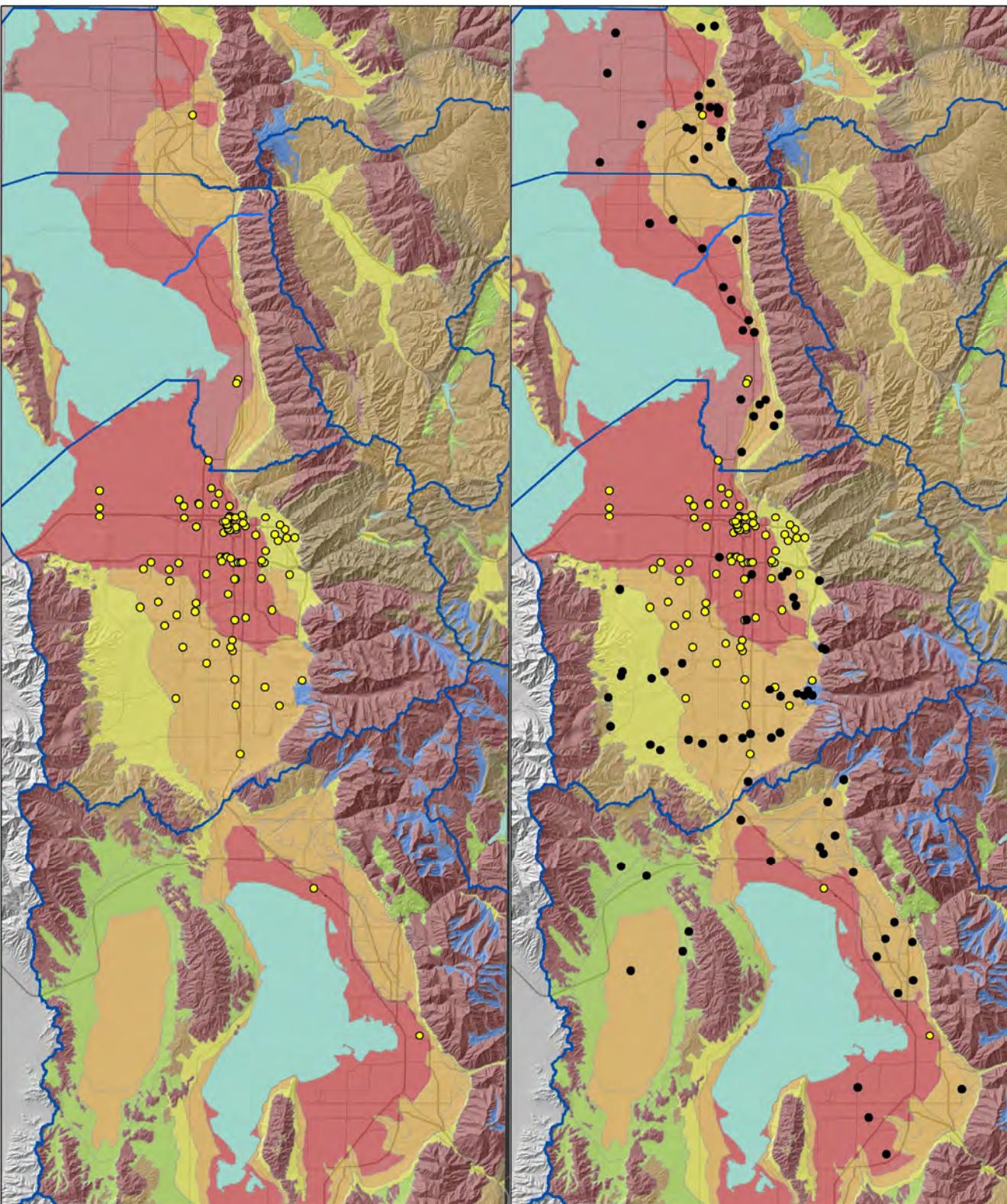


Contoured Vs30 data

Krig
Natural neighbor

Q/bedrock contact 760 m/s
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Variable spatial distribution
Too few data



New Vs data

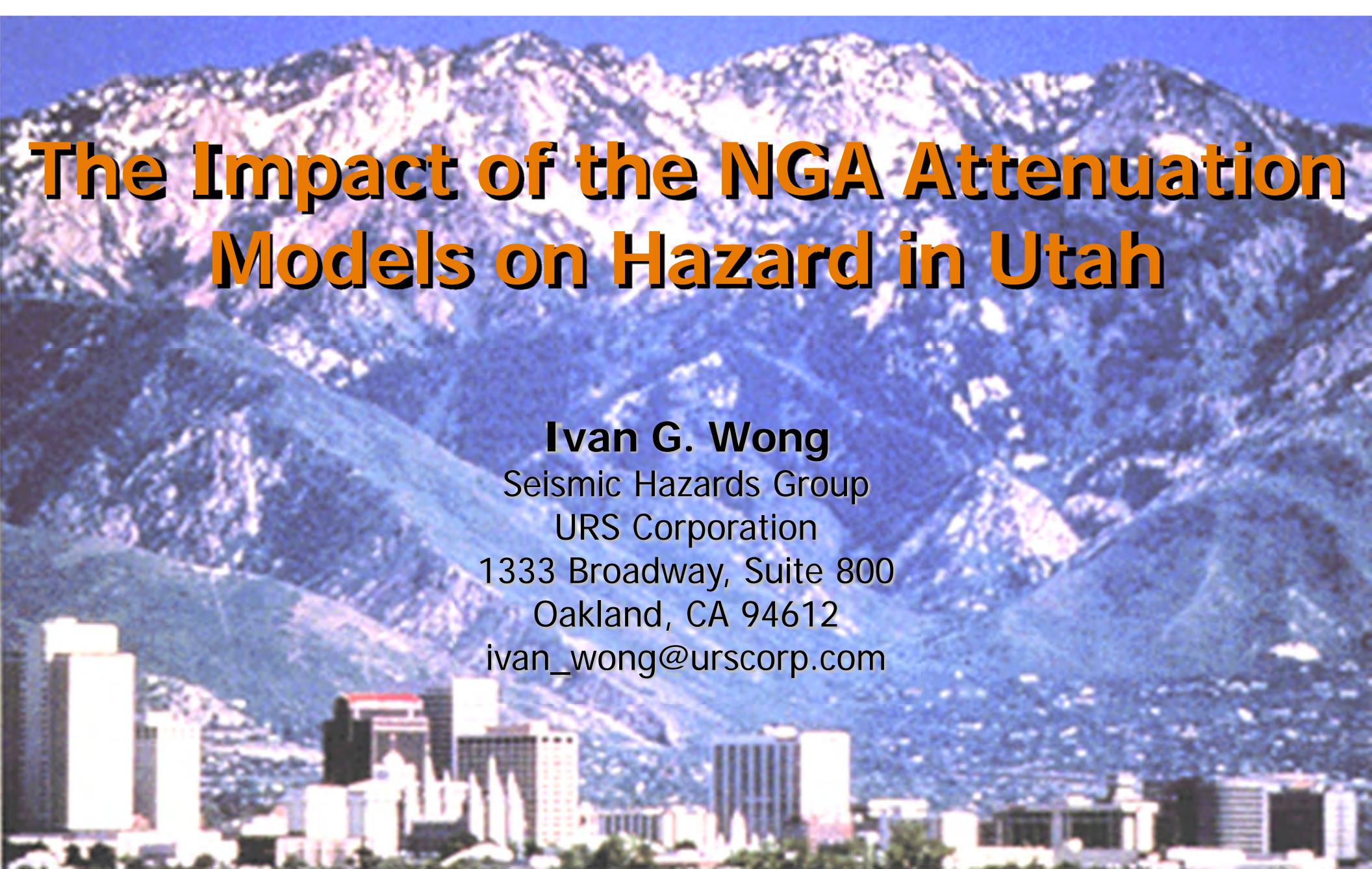
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to basin

Allow for WF-wide
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The Impact of the NGA Attenuation Models on Hazard in Utah

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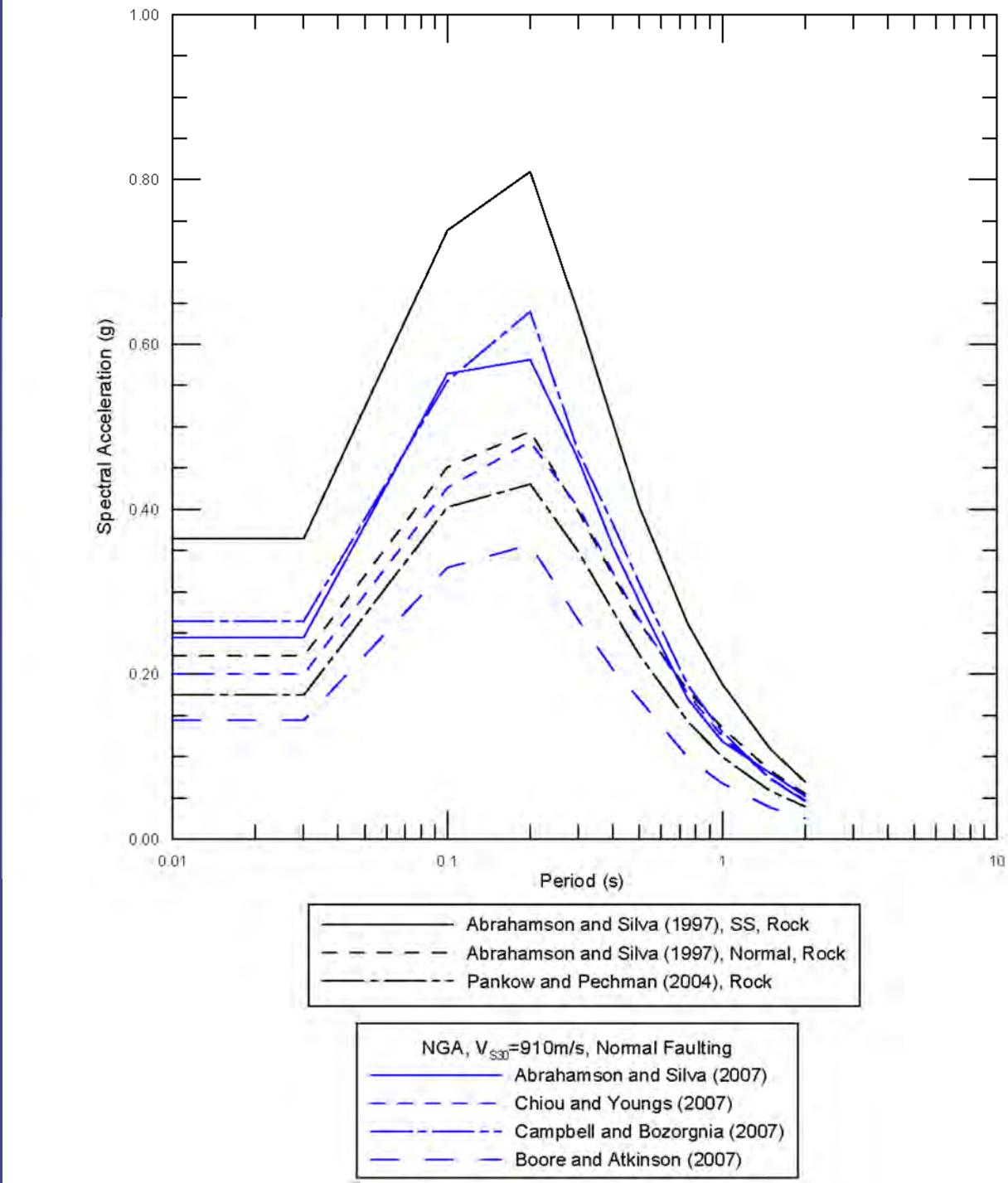
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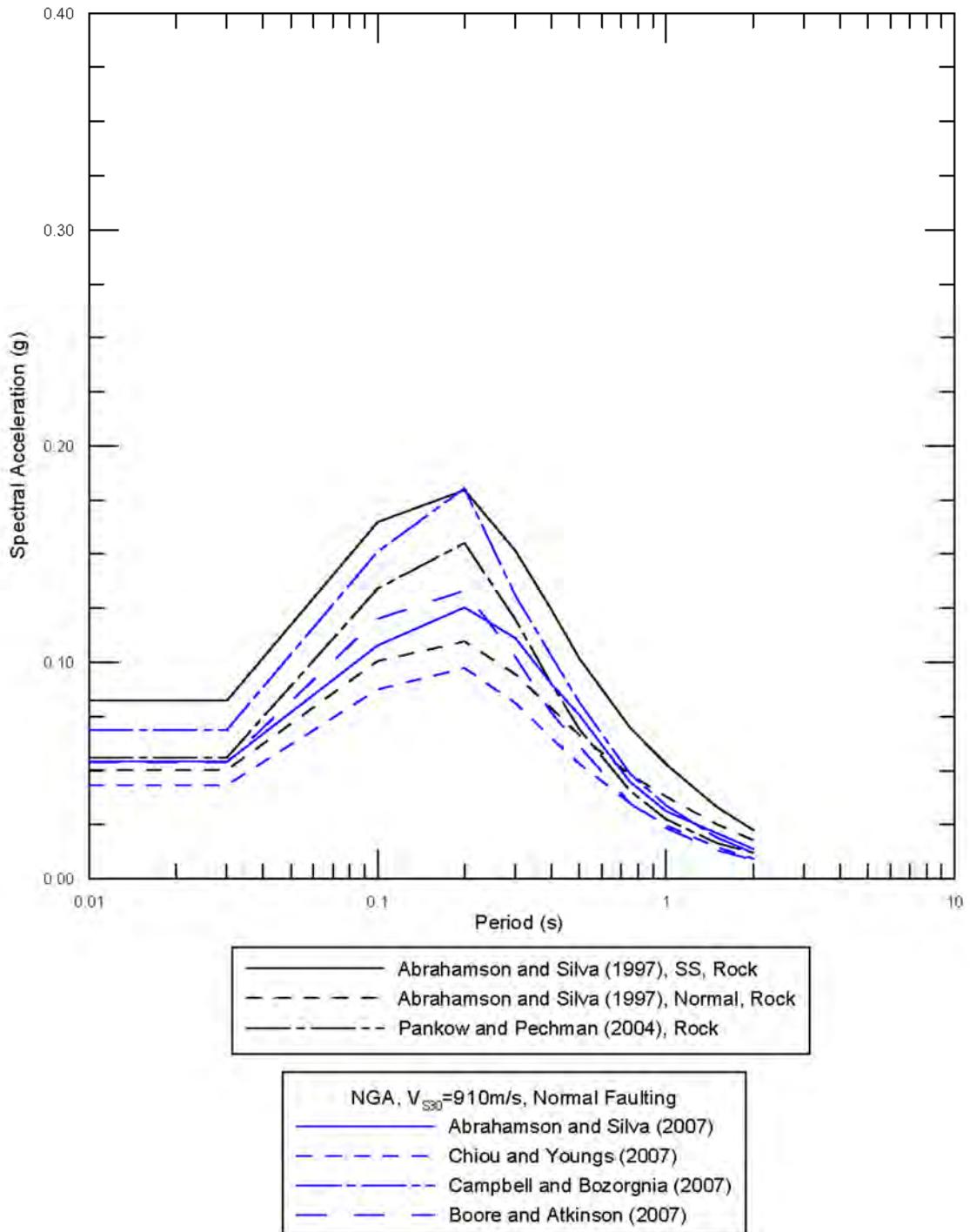
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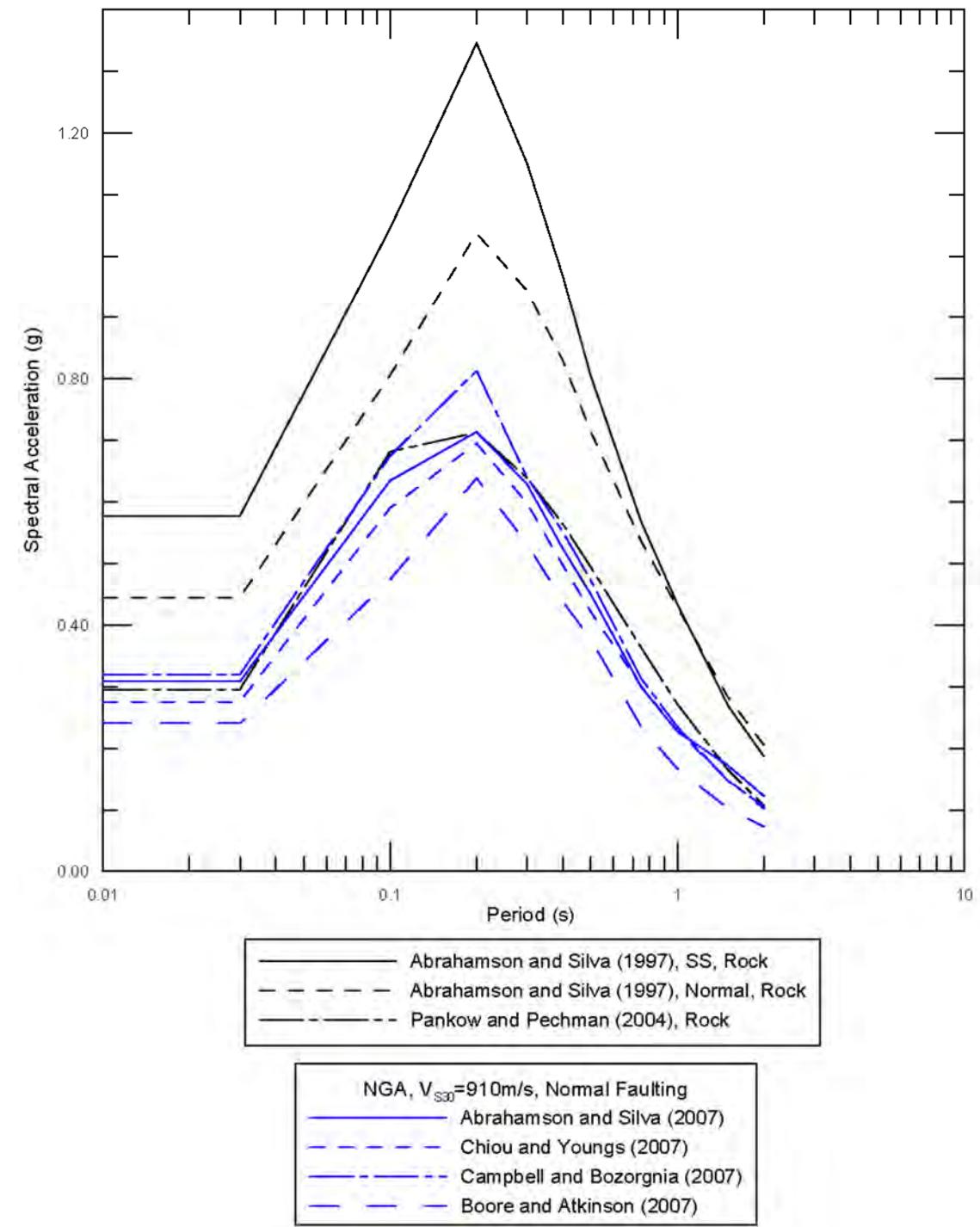
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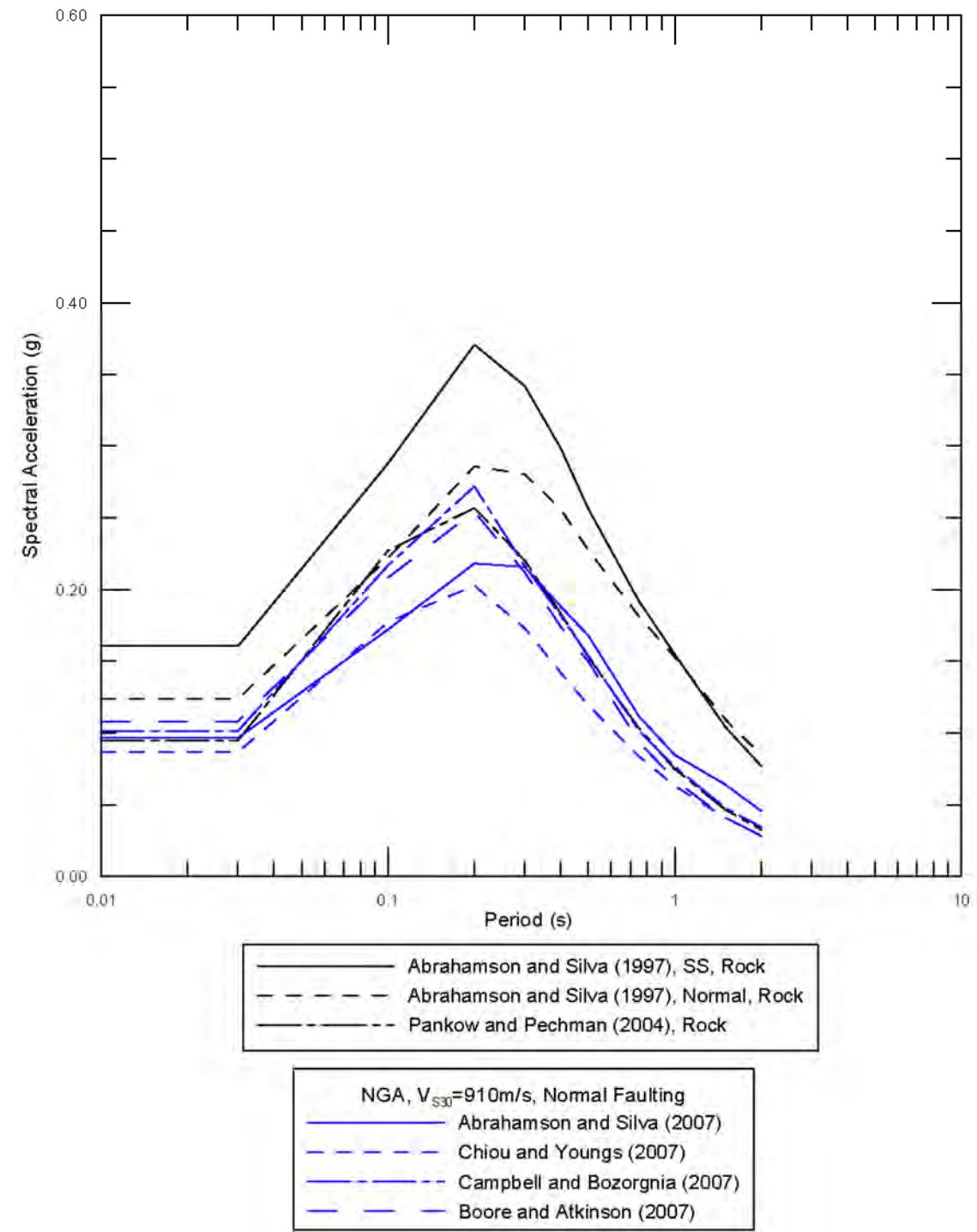
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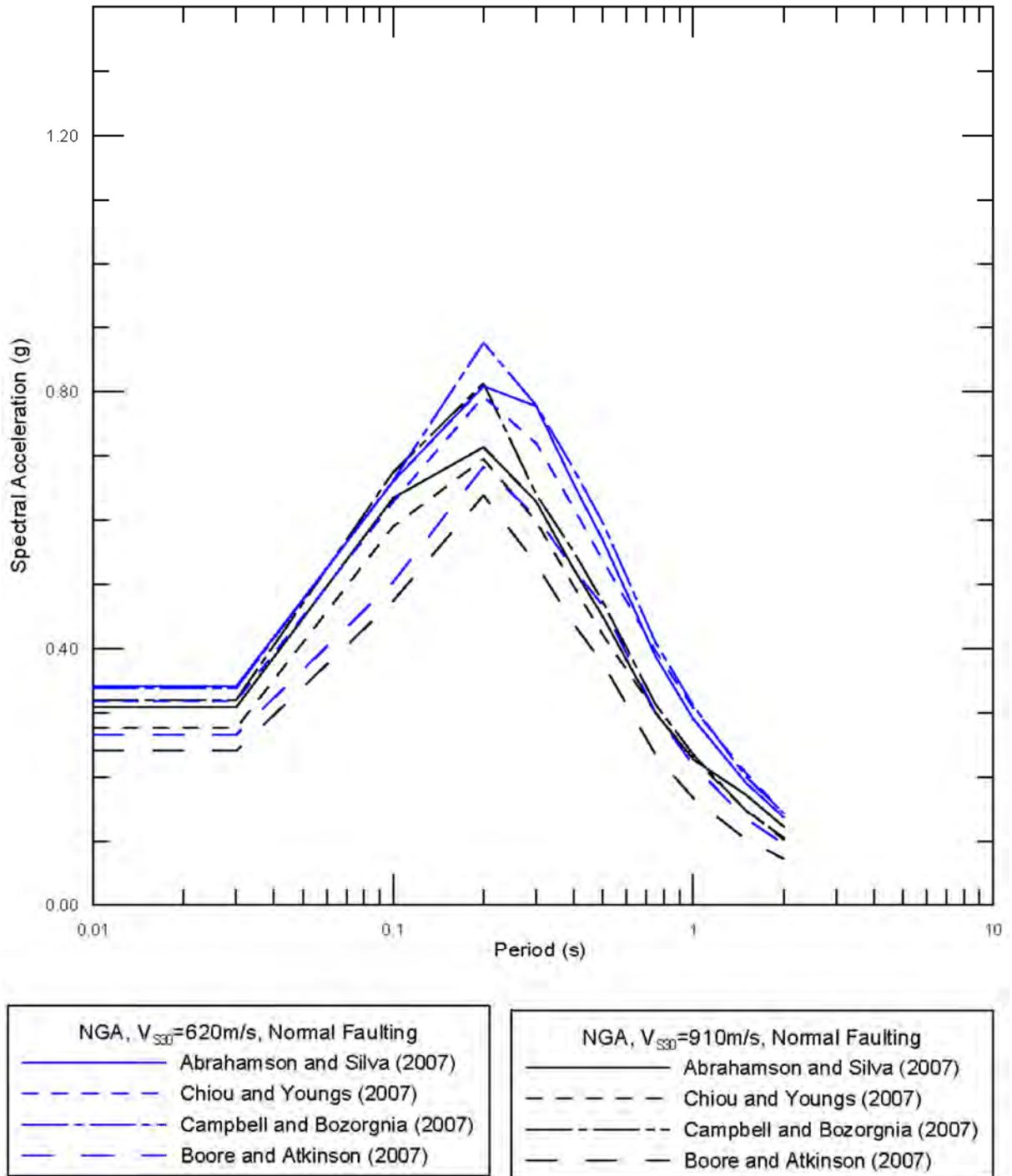
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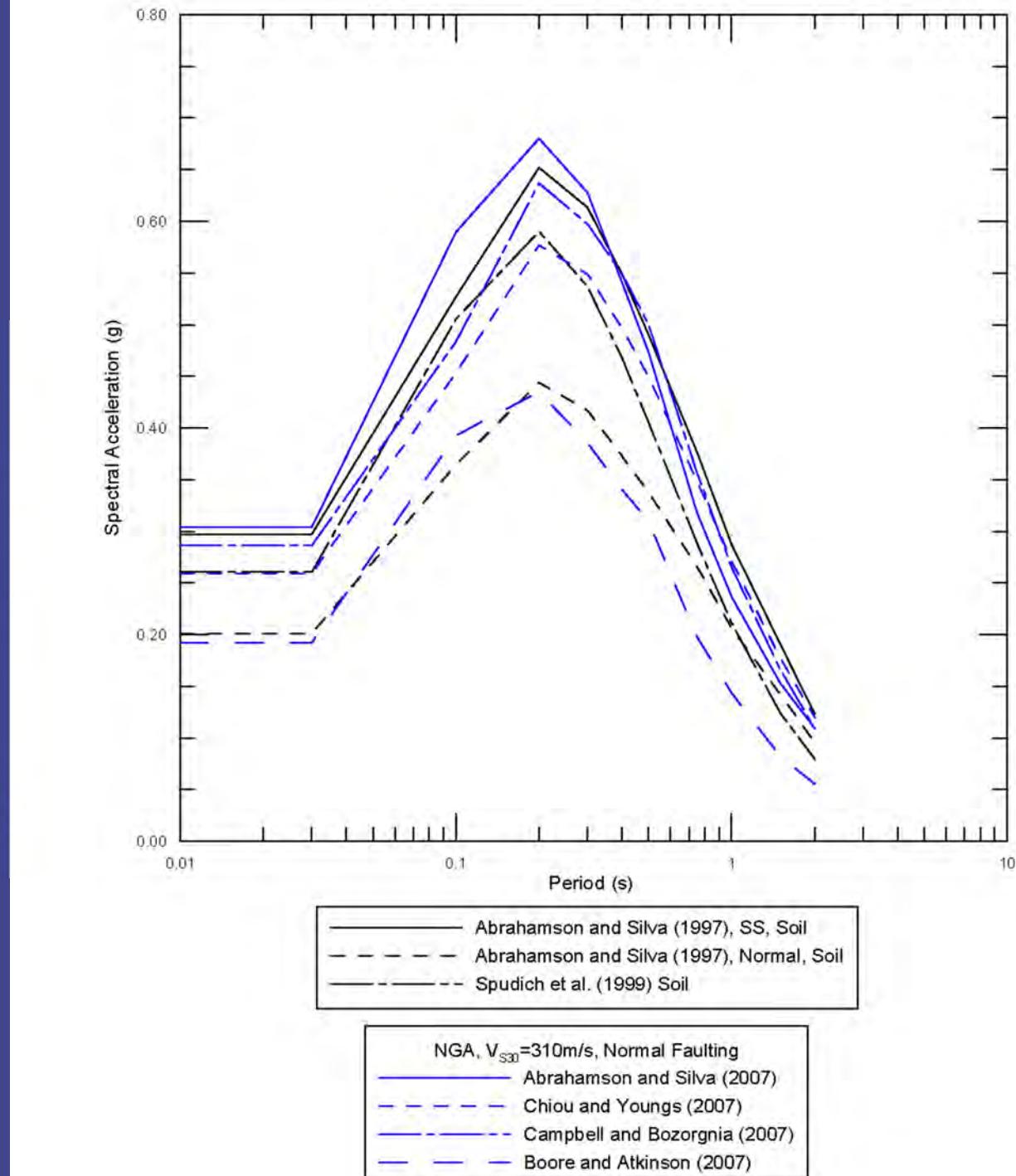
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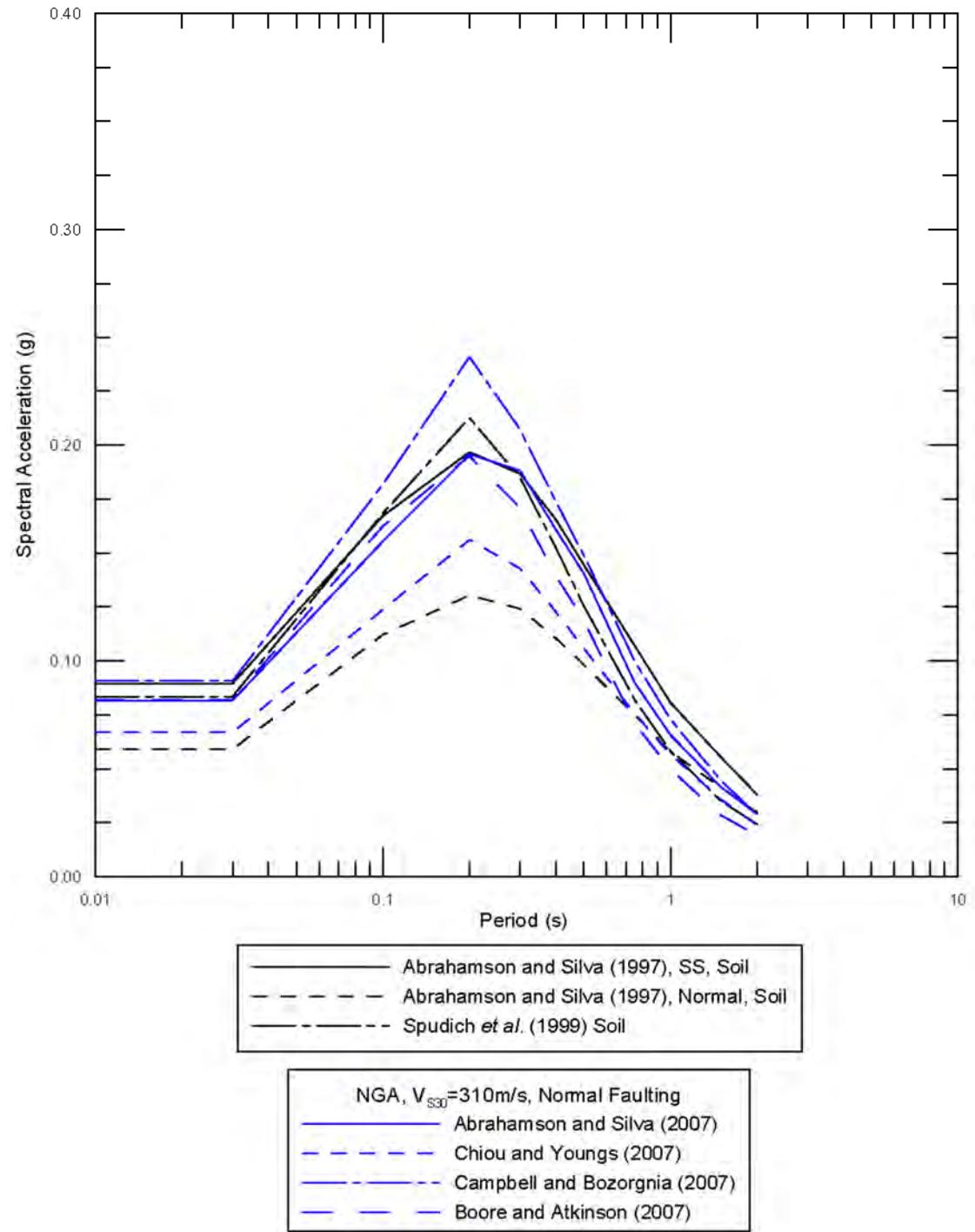
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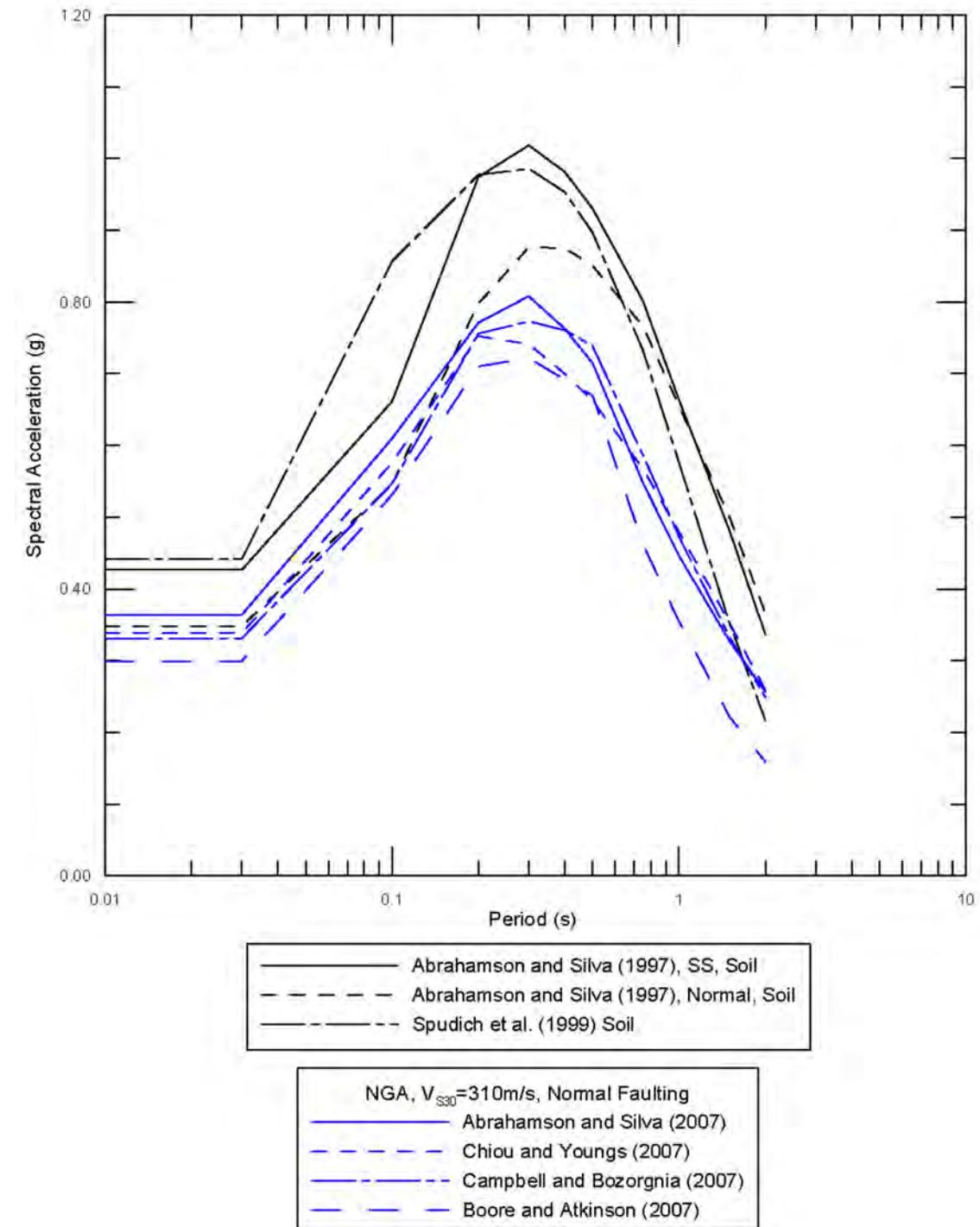
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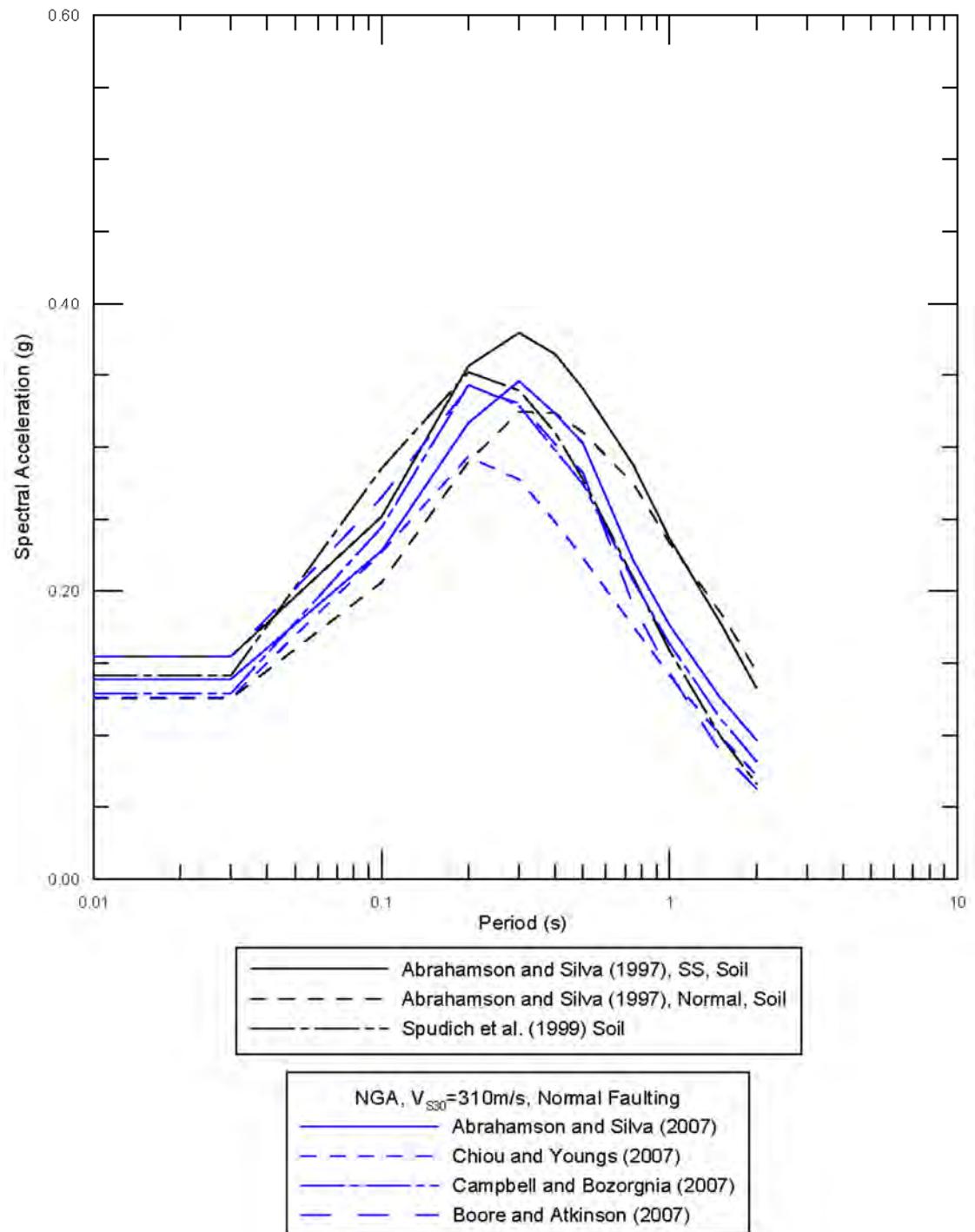
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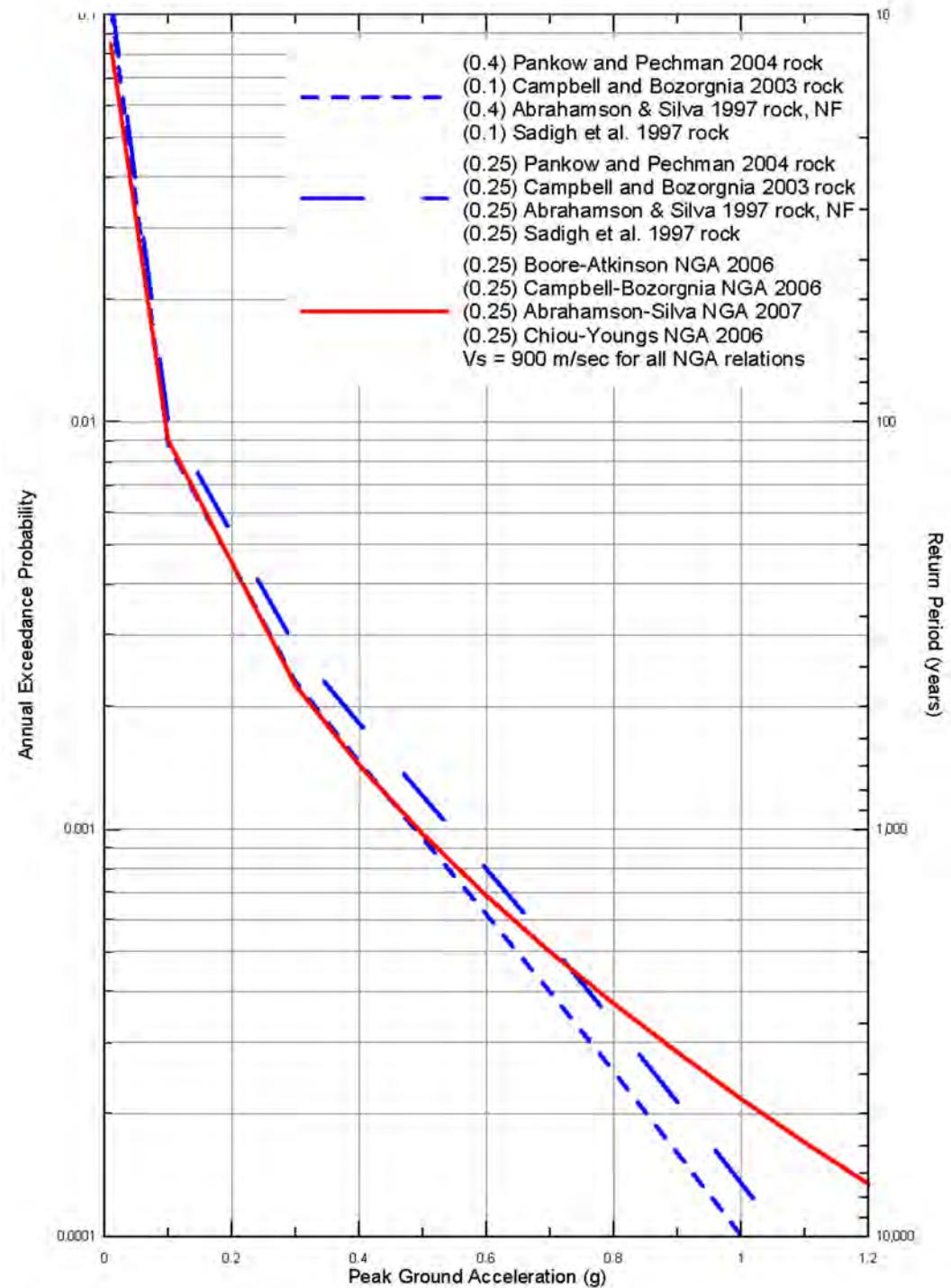
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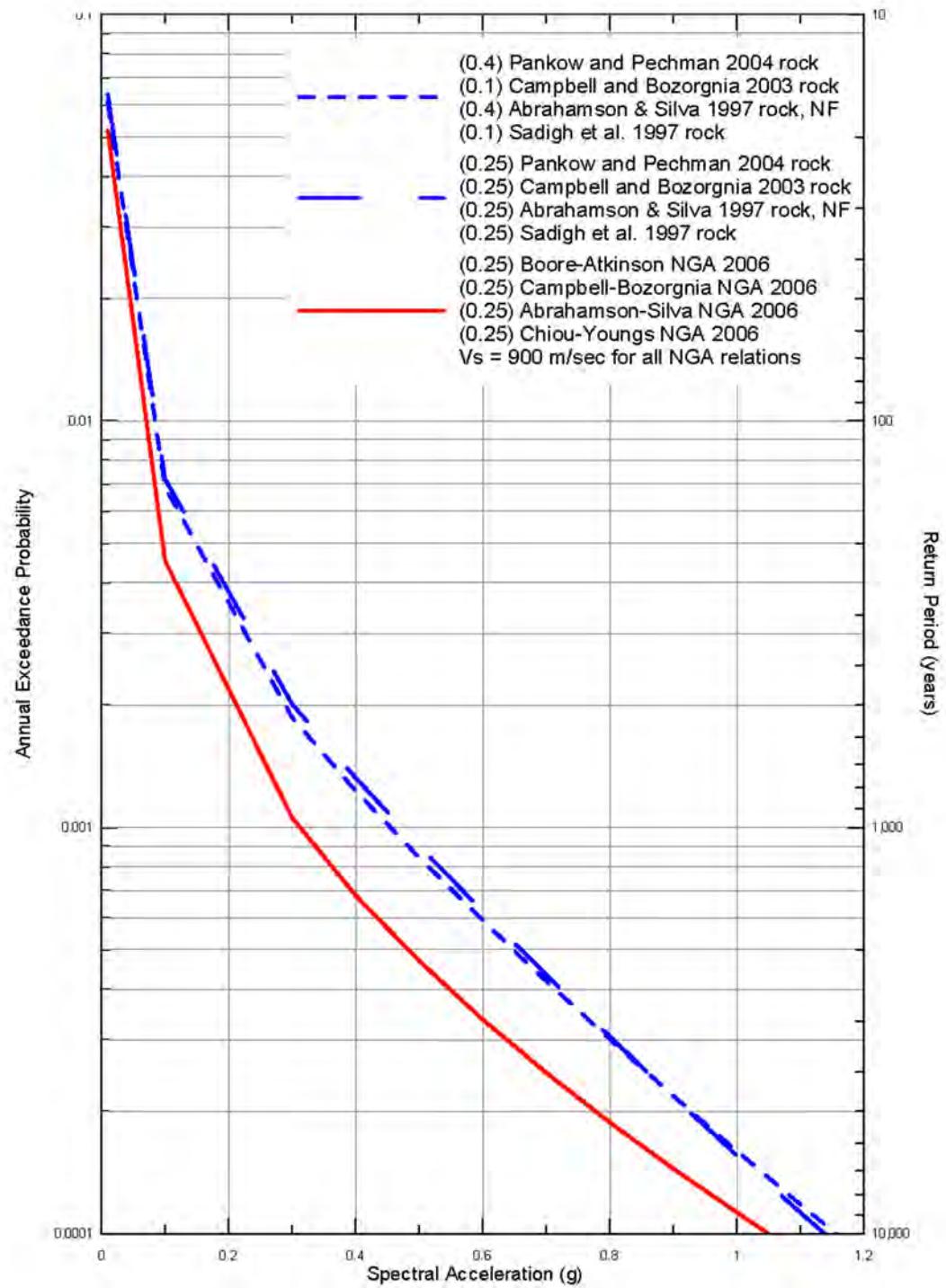
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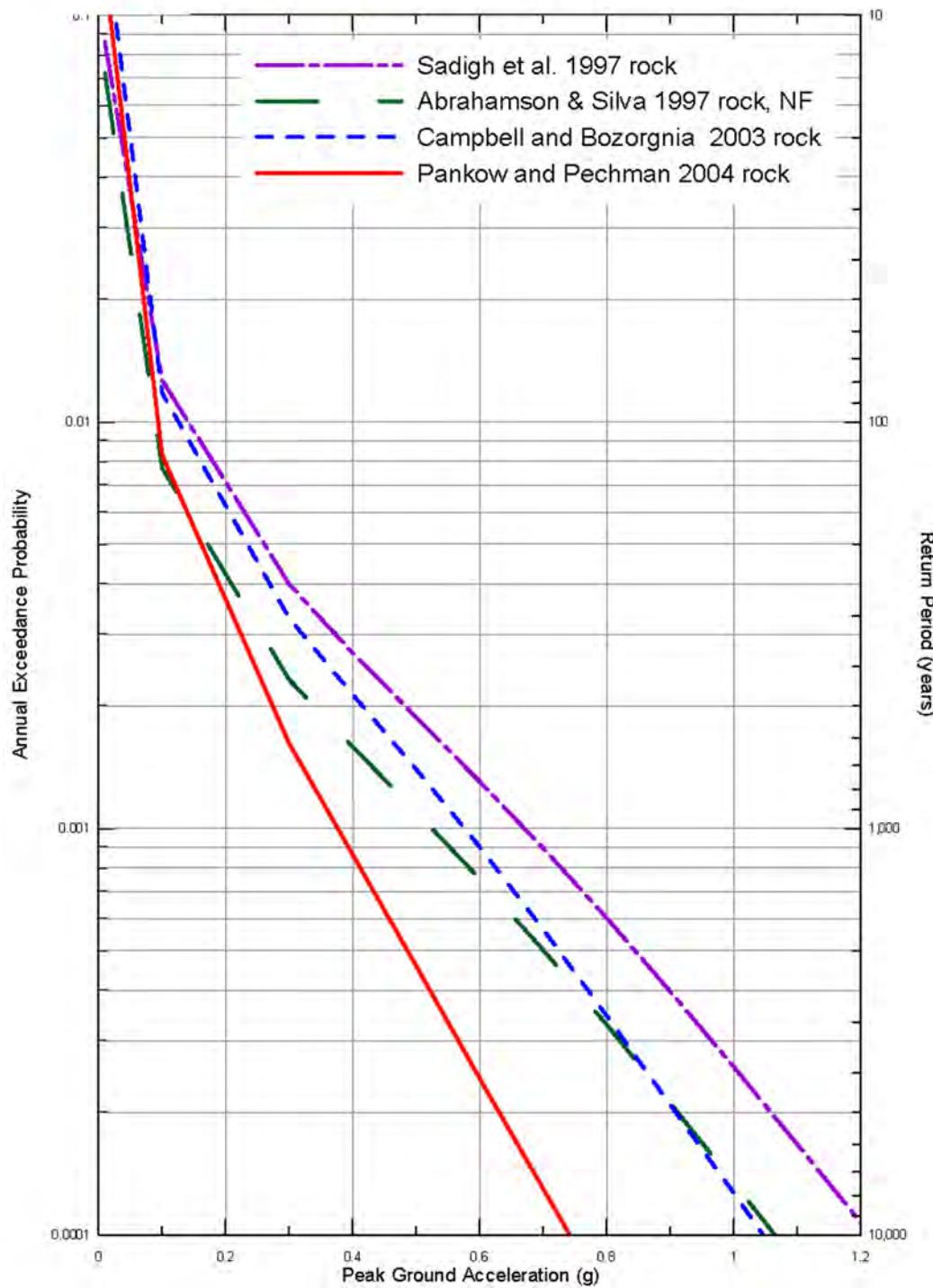
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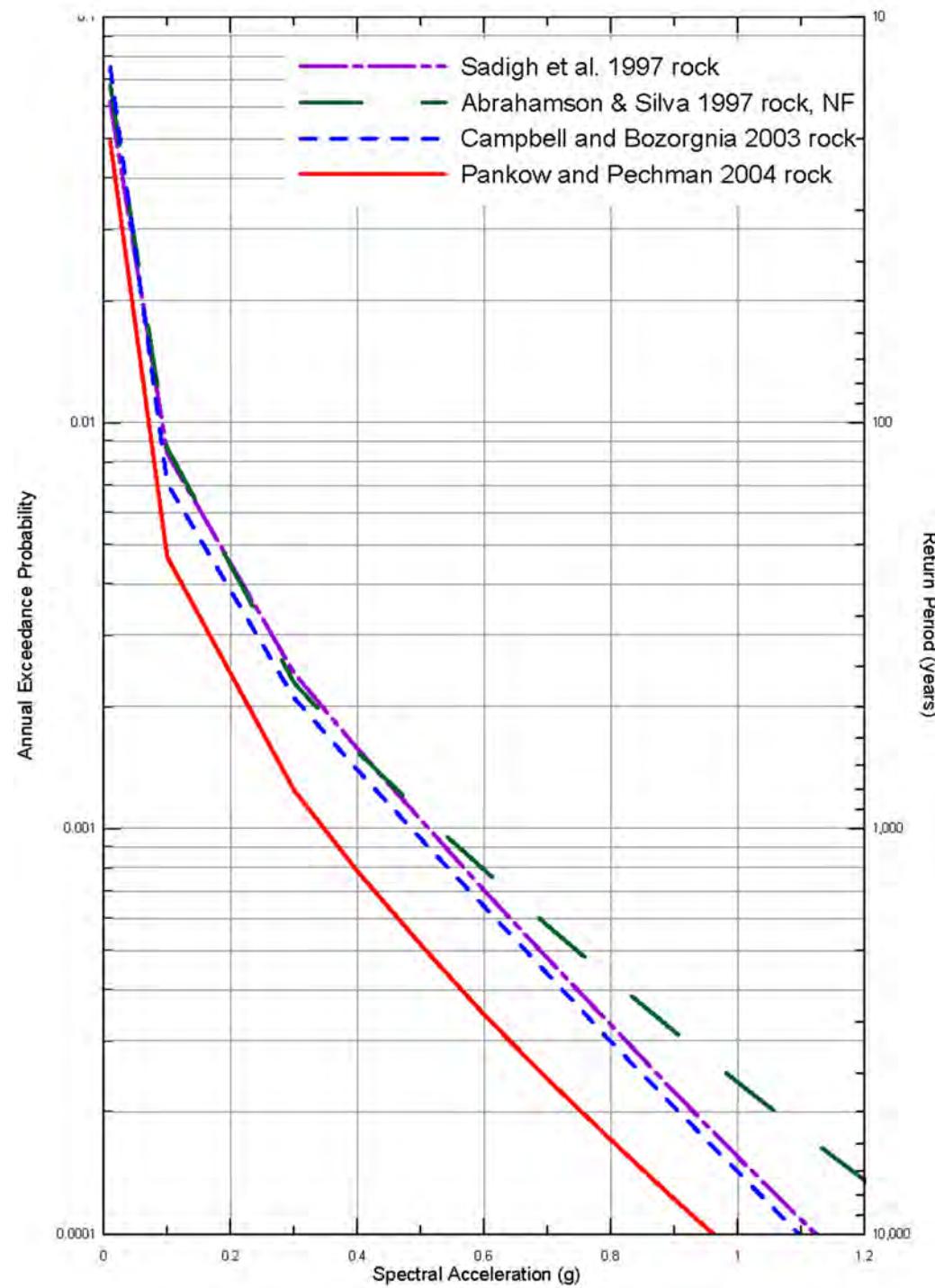
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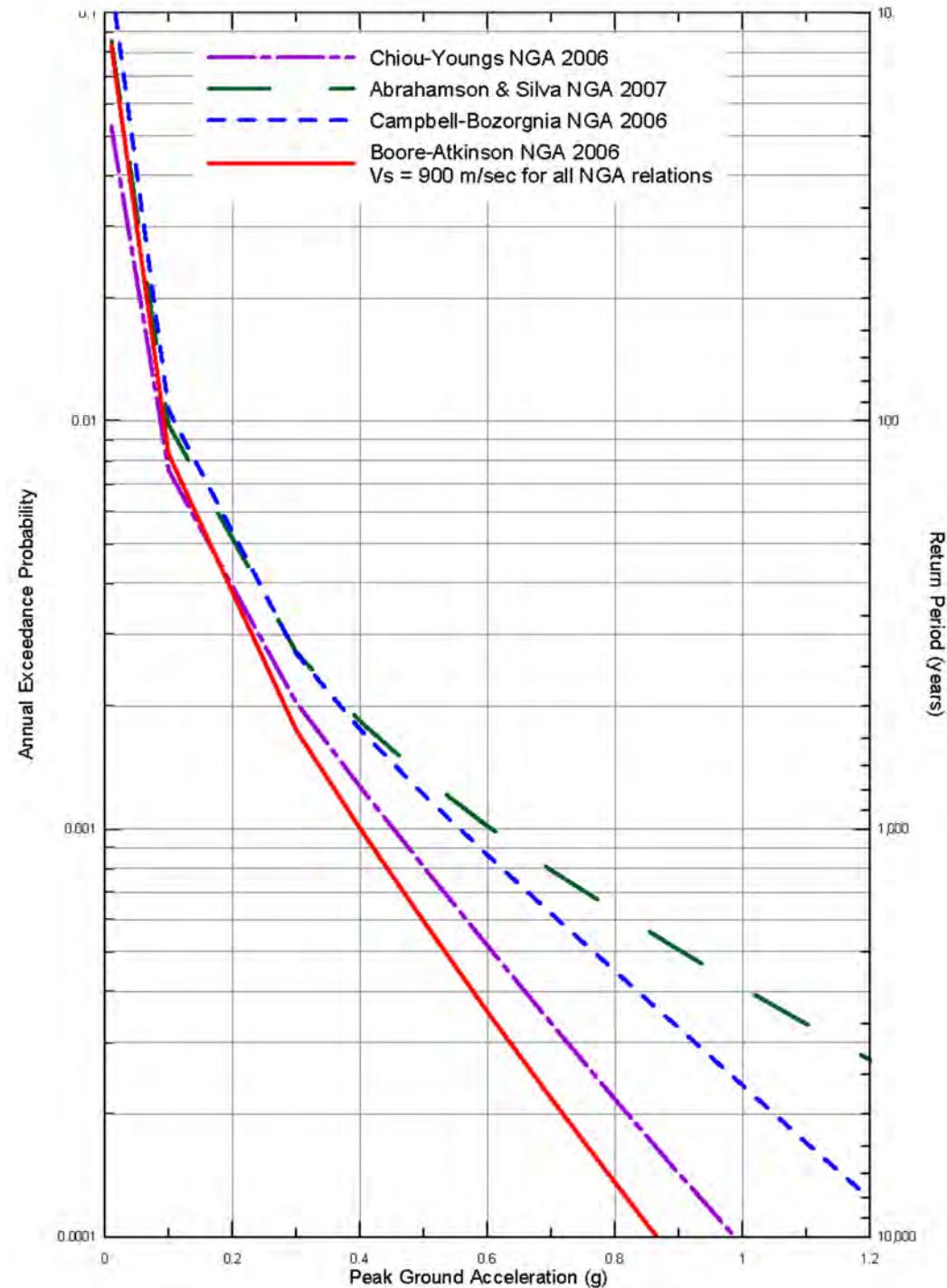
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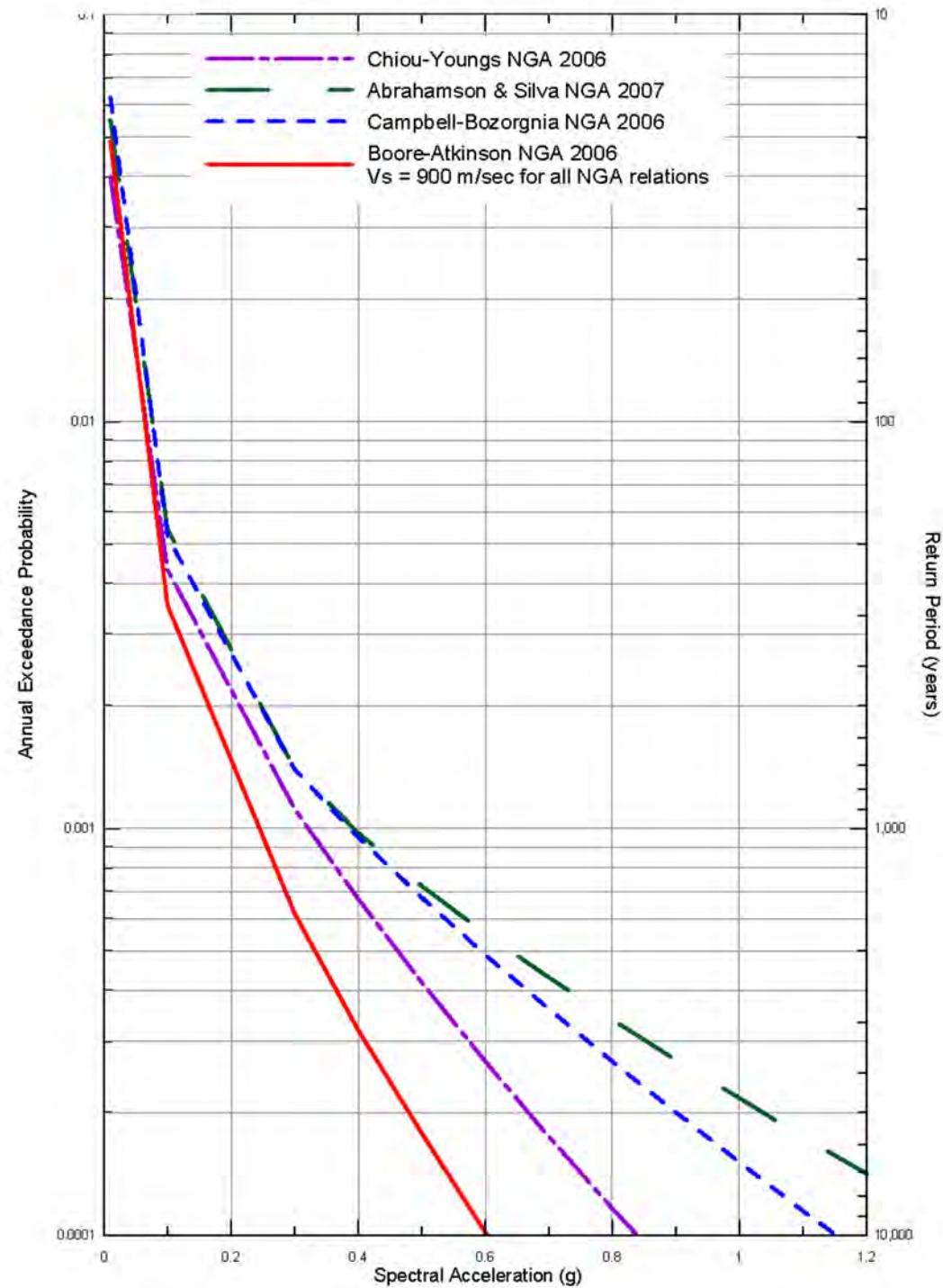
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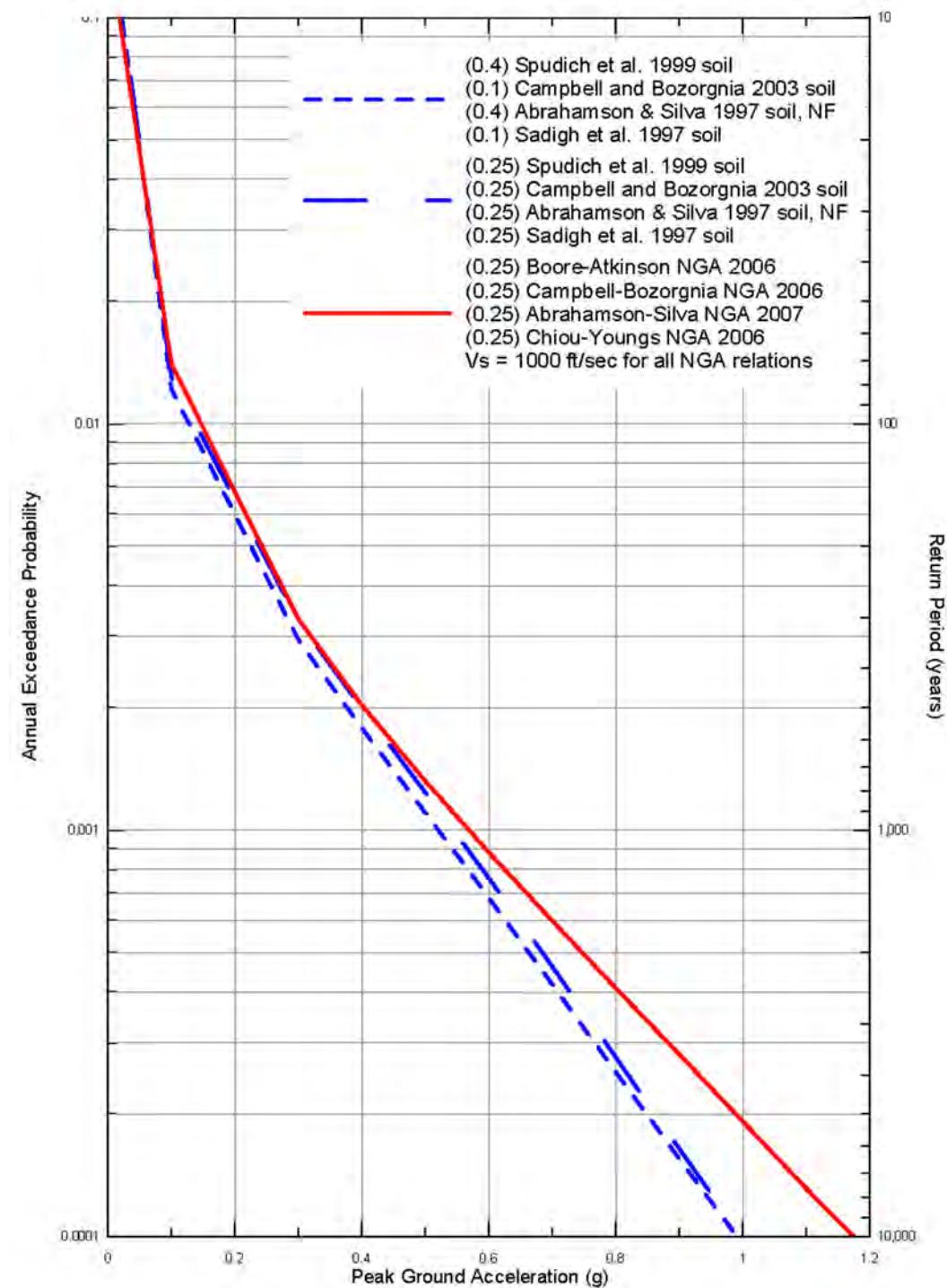
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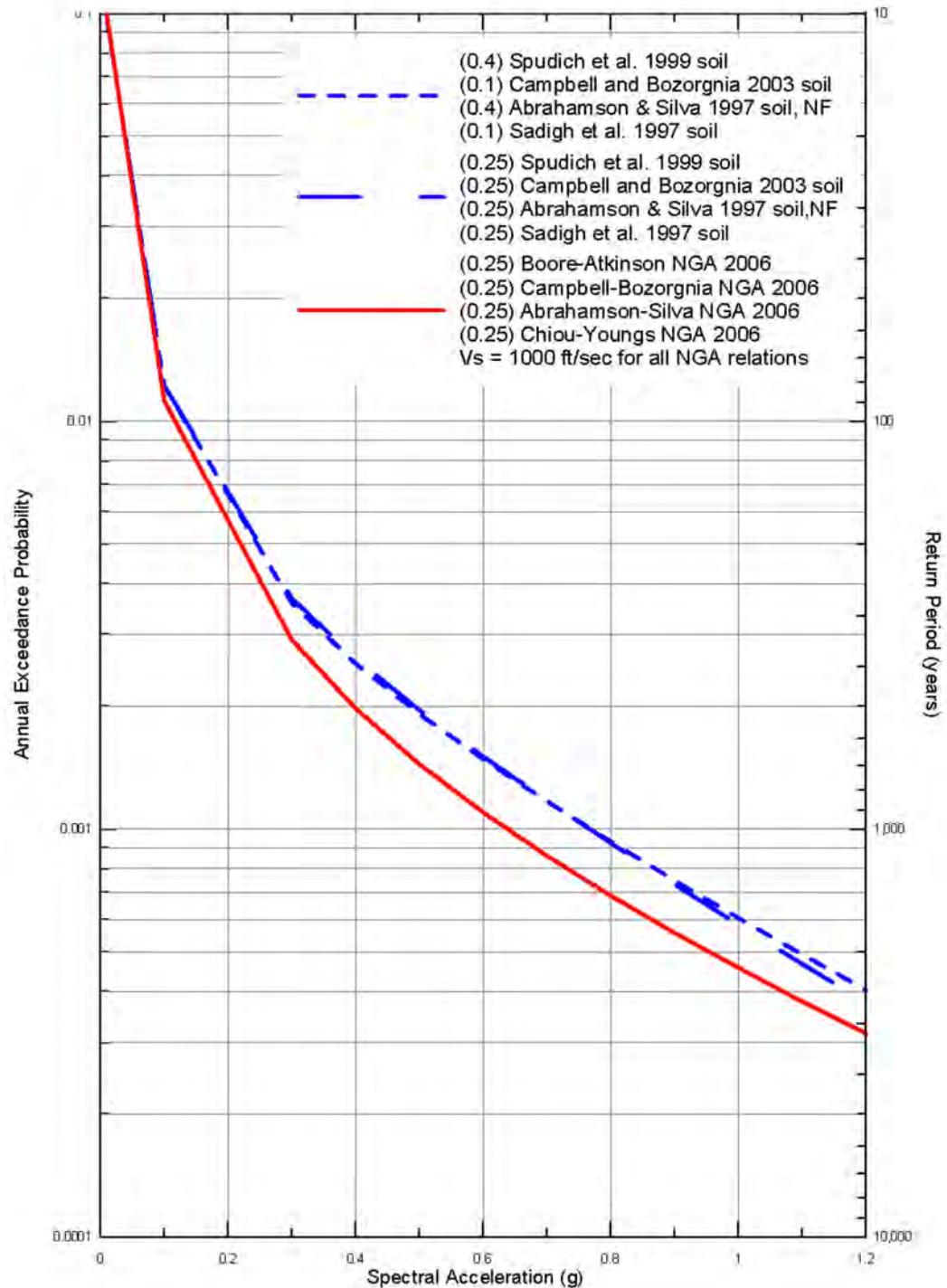
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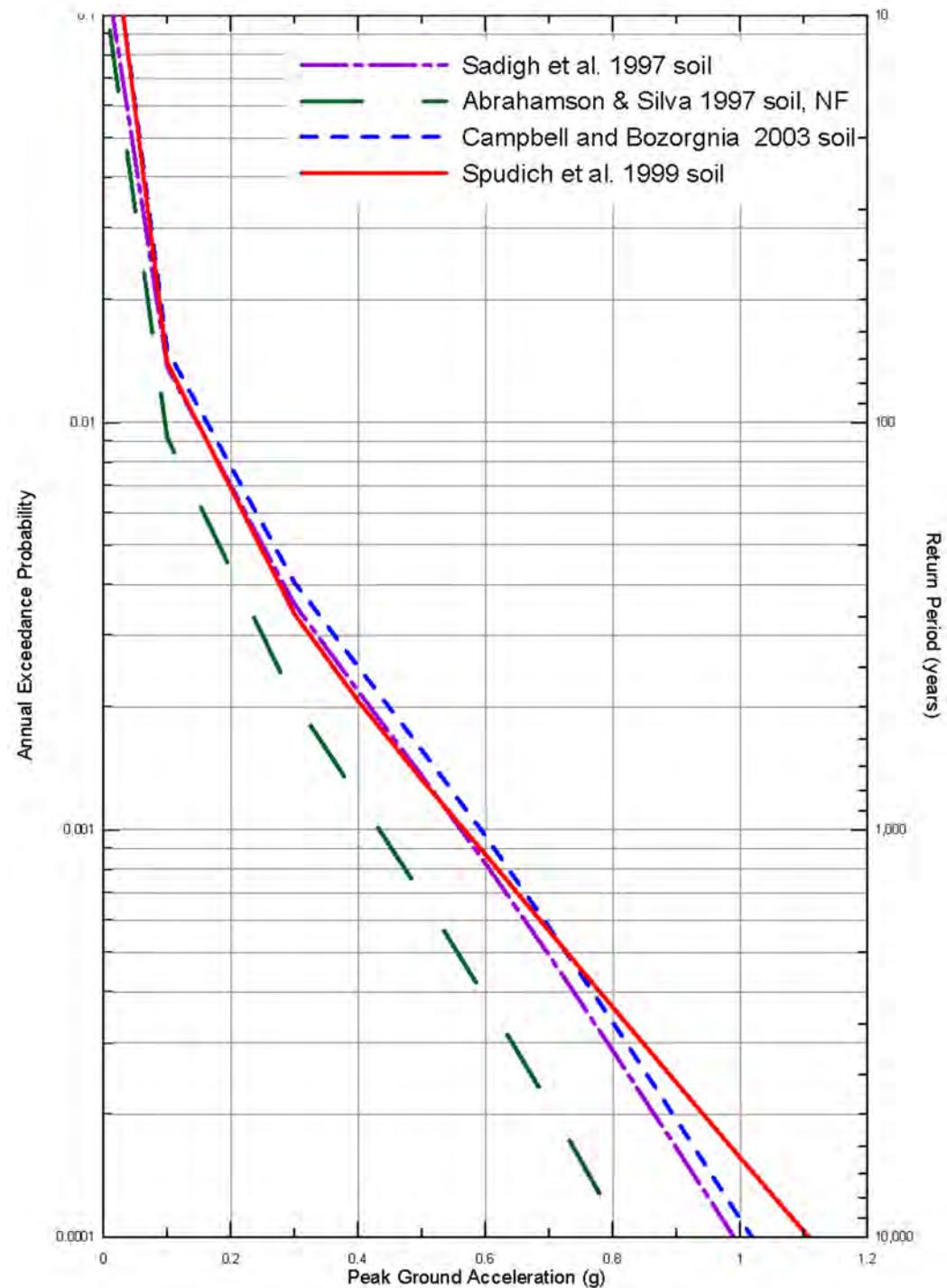
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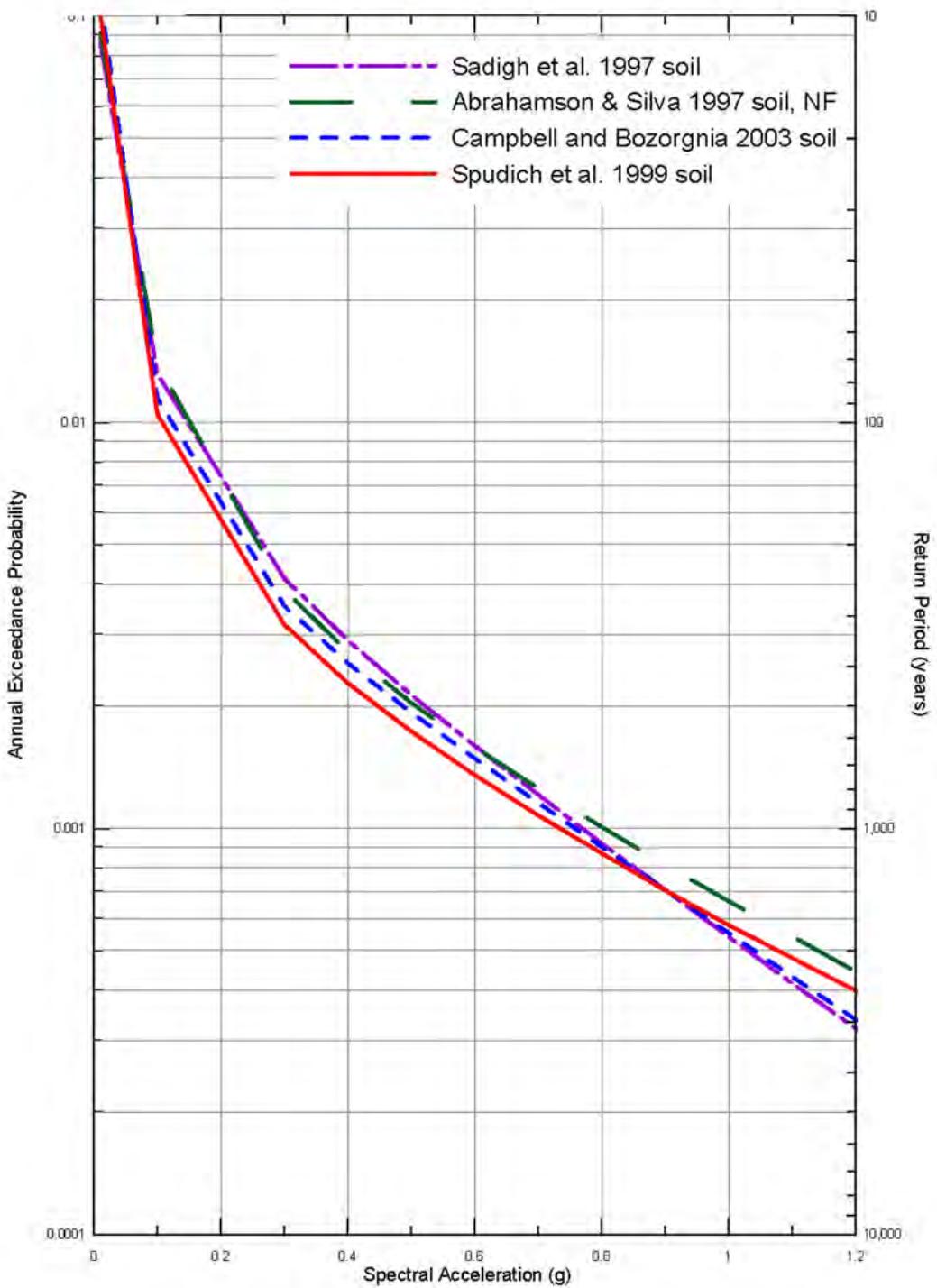
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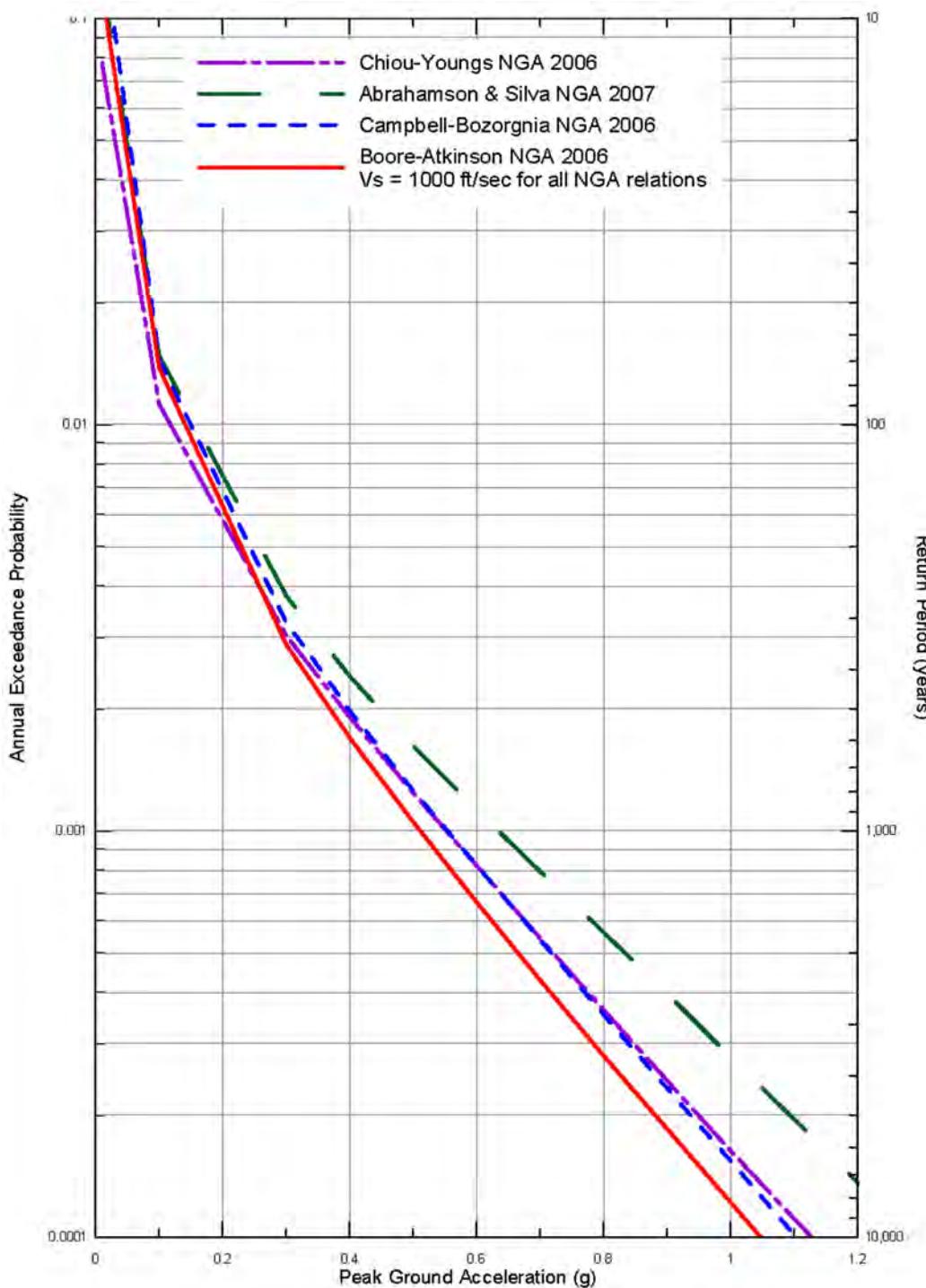
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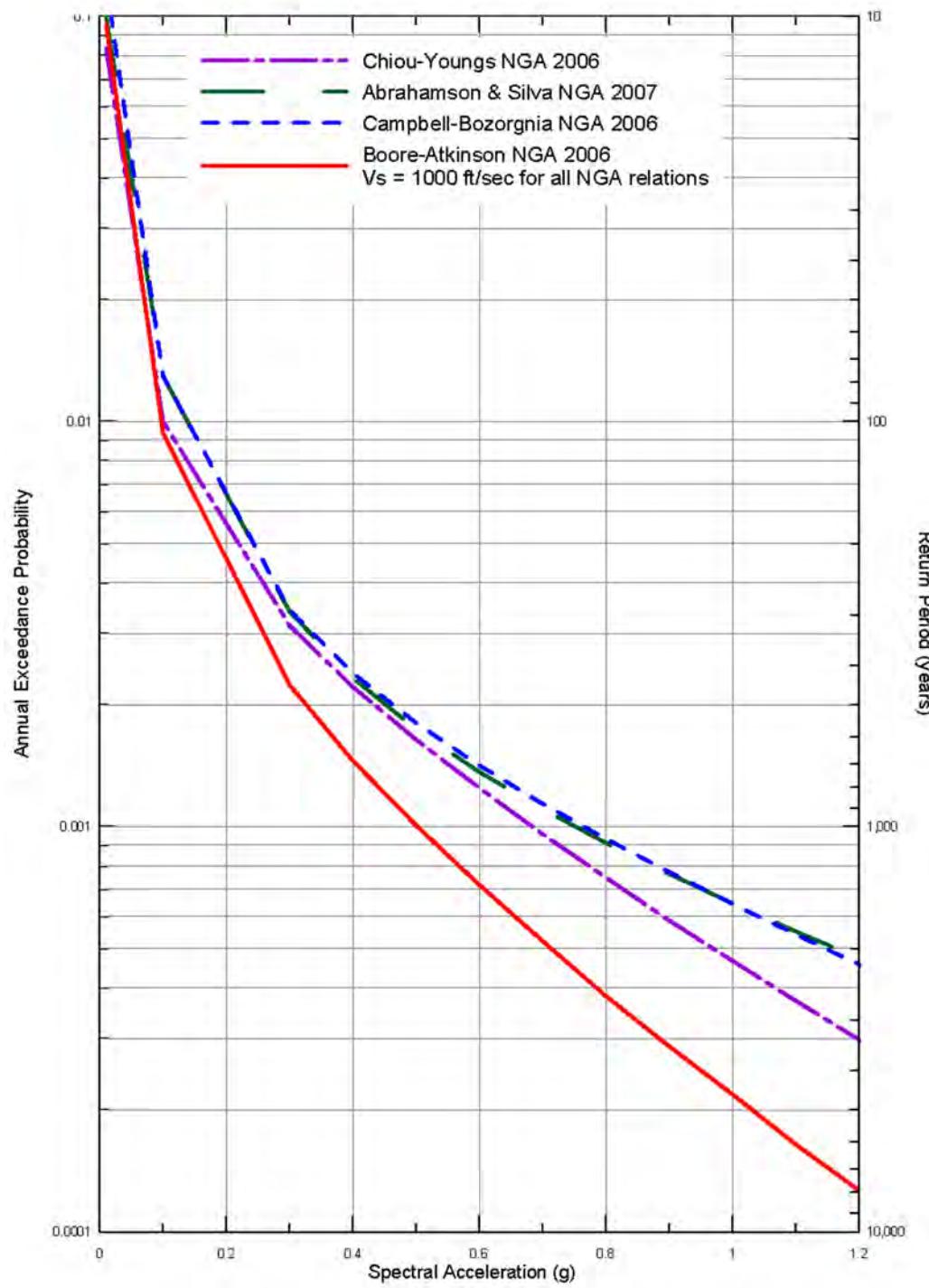
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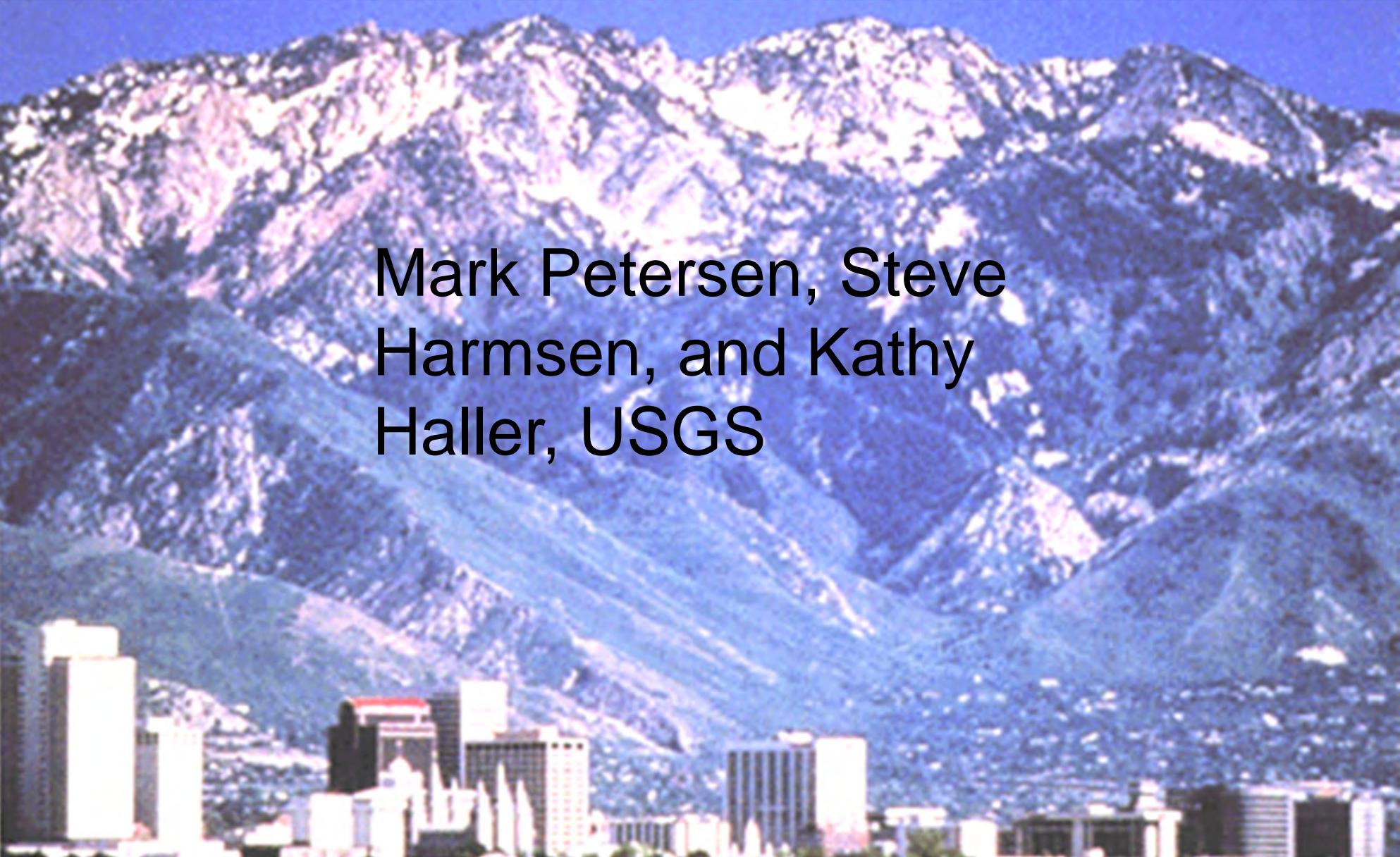
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2007 National Seismic Hazard Maps for Utah



Mark Petersen, Steve
Harmsen, and Kathy
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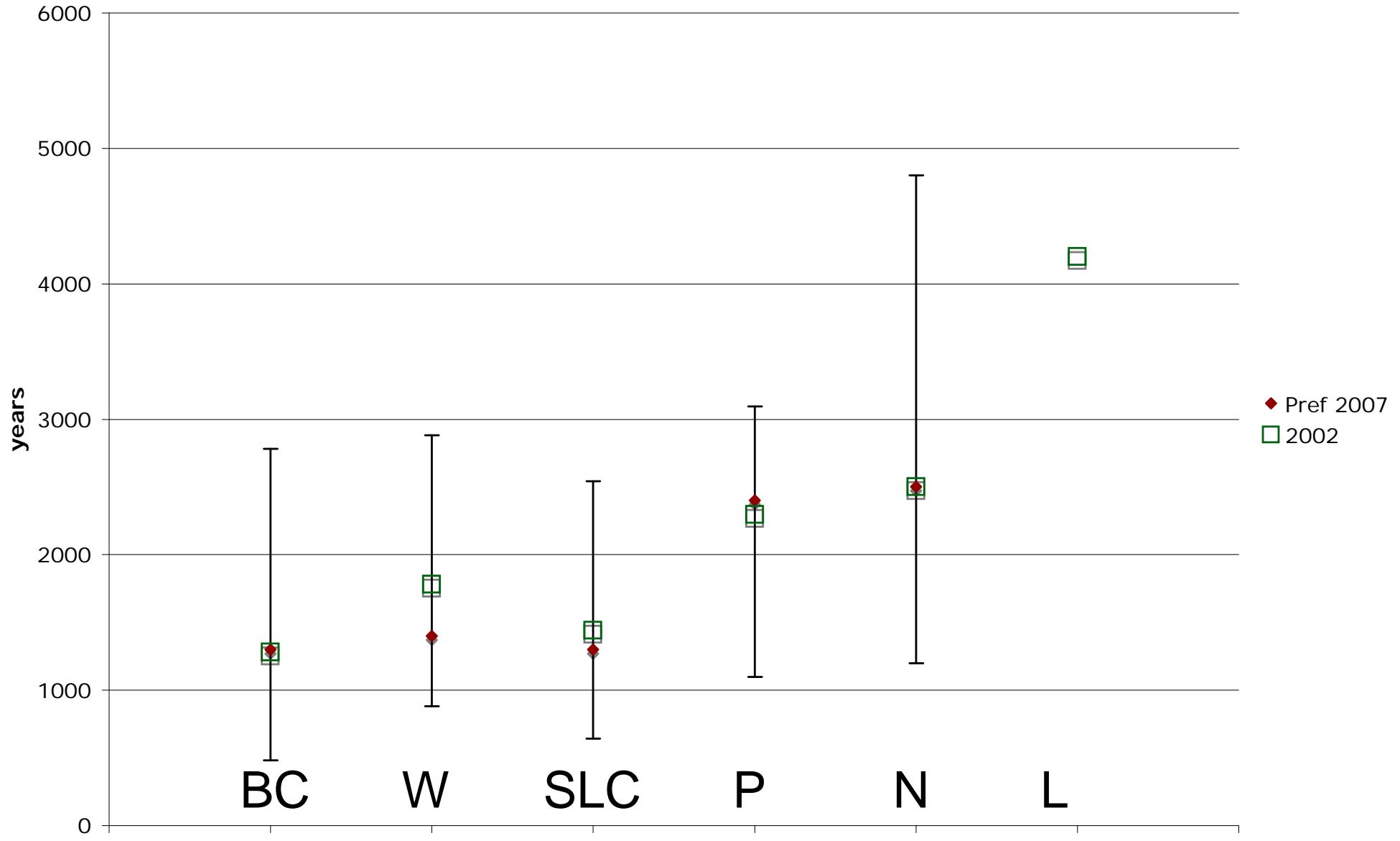
Changes for 2007 maps

- Wasatch fault (added floating M 7.4 earthquake, adjusted rates – based on WSSPC recommendations)
- Other faults (recurrence, slip rates, additions, deletions – based on UQFPWG recommendations)
- Fault dip (60 to 50 degrees – based on WSSPC recommendations) – raises hazard
- Attenuation relations (new NGA equations – based on WSSPC recommendations?)
 - Hanging wall effect (CY, CB)
 - Normal fault
 - Depth to top to rupture – GR M < 7 either 0 km, 2 km, 4 km
 - Additional epistemic uncertainty (20-50% symmetric)
- Geodetic data (doesn't affect Utah - applied to shear zones in CA/NV – based on WSSPC recommendations)

Wasatch Recurrence Intervals

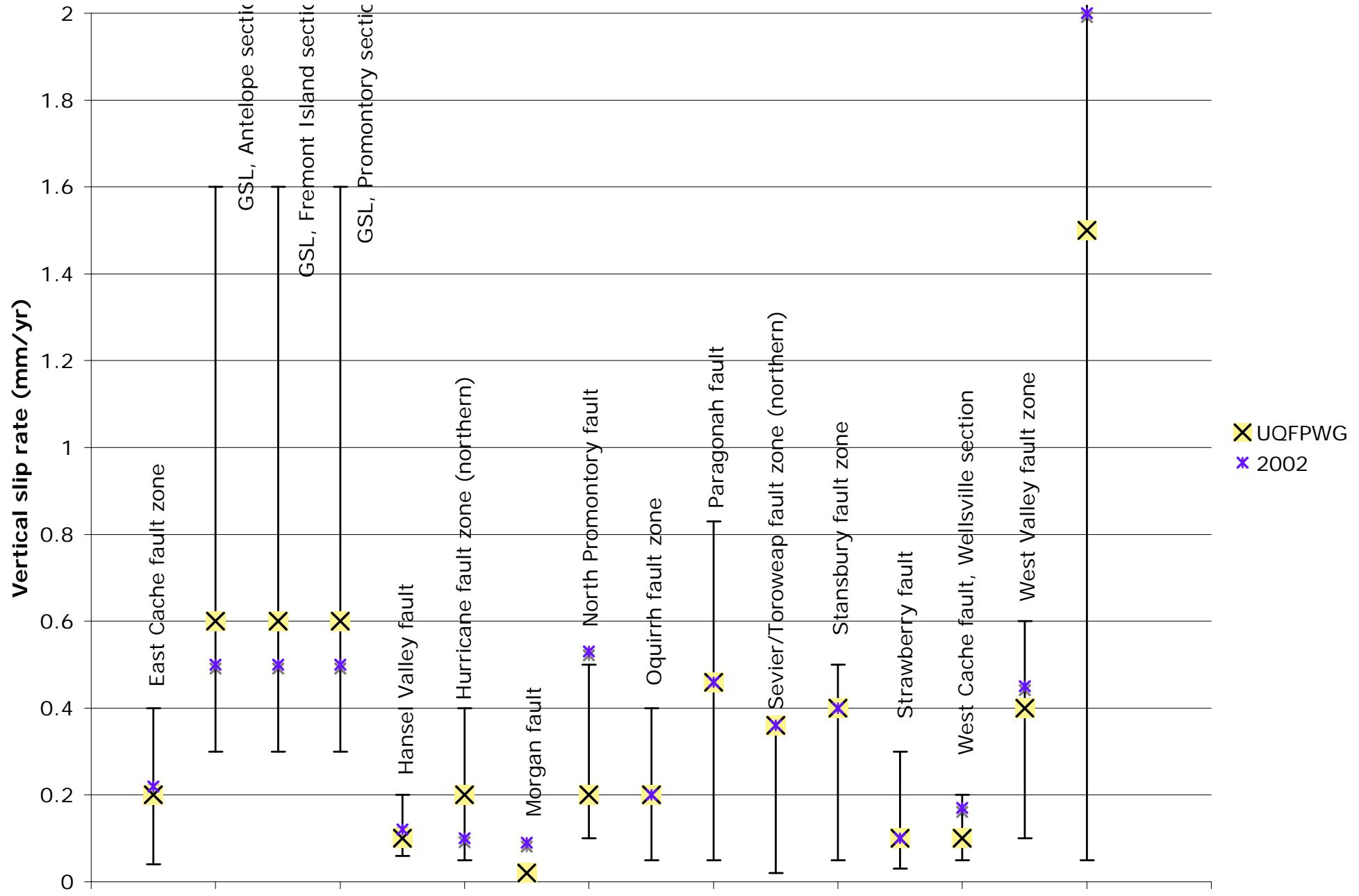
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Weber	500	1400	2500	1782
Salt Lake City	500	1300	2400	1441
Provo	1200	2400	3200	2297
Nephi	1200	2500	4800	2500
Levan				4200

Wasatch Recurrence Intervals



UQFPWG recommendations

			2007		Effective Change	
		Min	Max	Pref	2002	
East Cache fault zone		0.04	0.4	0.2	0.22	0.91
GSL fault zone, Antelope section		0.3	1.6	0.6	0.5	1.20
GSL, Fremont Island section		0.3	1.6	0.6	0.5	1.20
GSL, Promontory section		0.3	1.6	0.6	0.5	1.20
Hansel Valley fault		0.06	0.2	0.1	0.12	0.83
Hurricane fault zone (northern)		0.05	0.4	0.2	0.1	2.00
Morgan fault		0.01	0.04	0.02	0.09	0.22
North Promontory fault		0.1	0.5	0.2	0.53	0.38
Oquirrh fault zone		0.05	0.4	0.2	0.2	1.00
Paragonah fault		0.05	0.83	0.46	0.46	1.00
Sevier/Toroweap fault zone (northern)		0.02	0.36	0.36	0.36	1.00
Stansbury fault zone		0.05	0.5	0.4	0.4	1.00
Strawberry fault		0.03	0.3	0.1	0.1	1.00
West Cache fault, Wellsville section		0.05	0.2	0.1	0.17	0.59
West Valley fault zone		0.1	0.6	0.4	0.45	0.89
Bear River fault zone		0.05	2.5	1.5	2	0.75



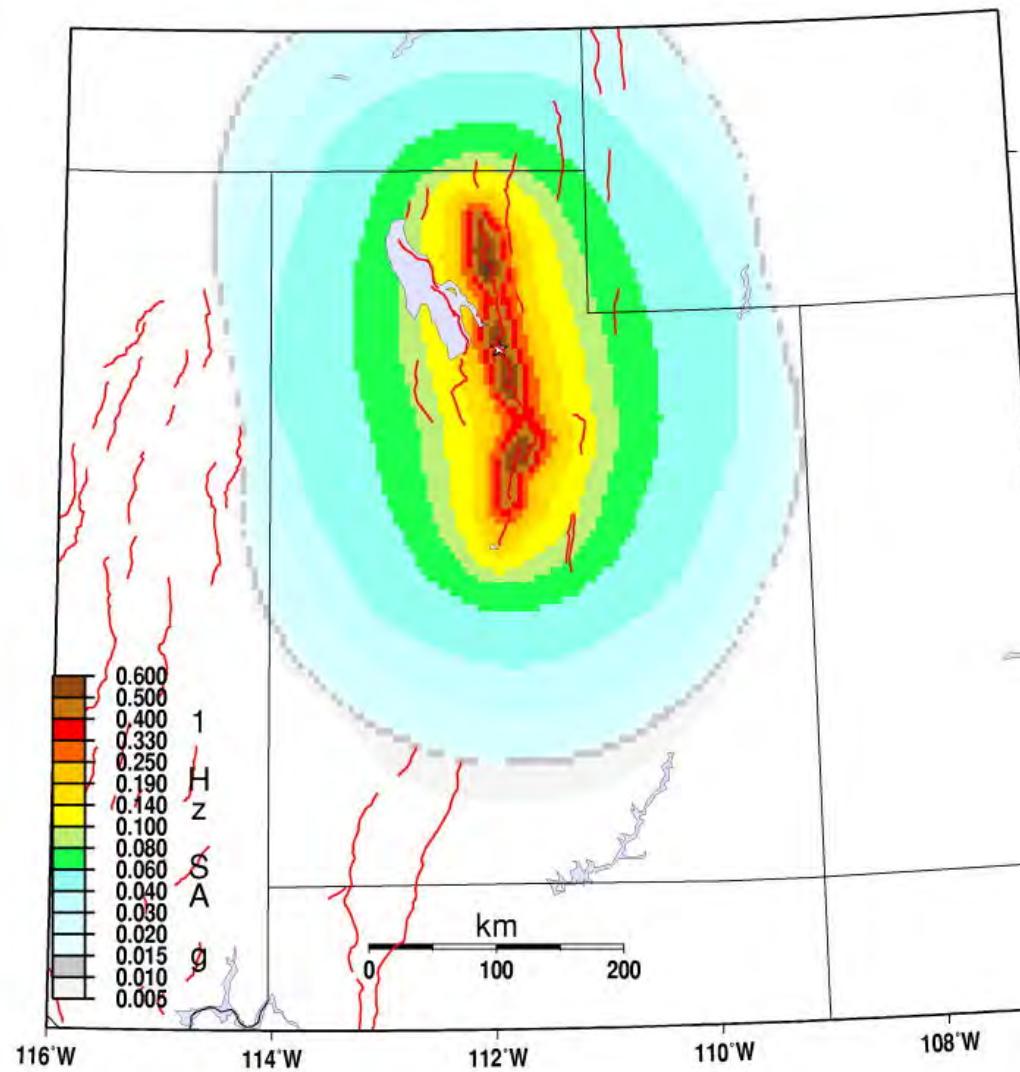
Additions

- West Cache fault zone, Clarkston fault
 - Southern Oquirrh Mountains fault zone
 - Utah Lake faults
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Deletions

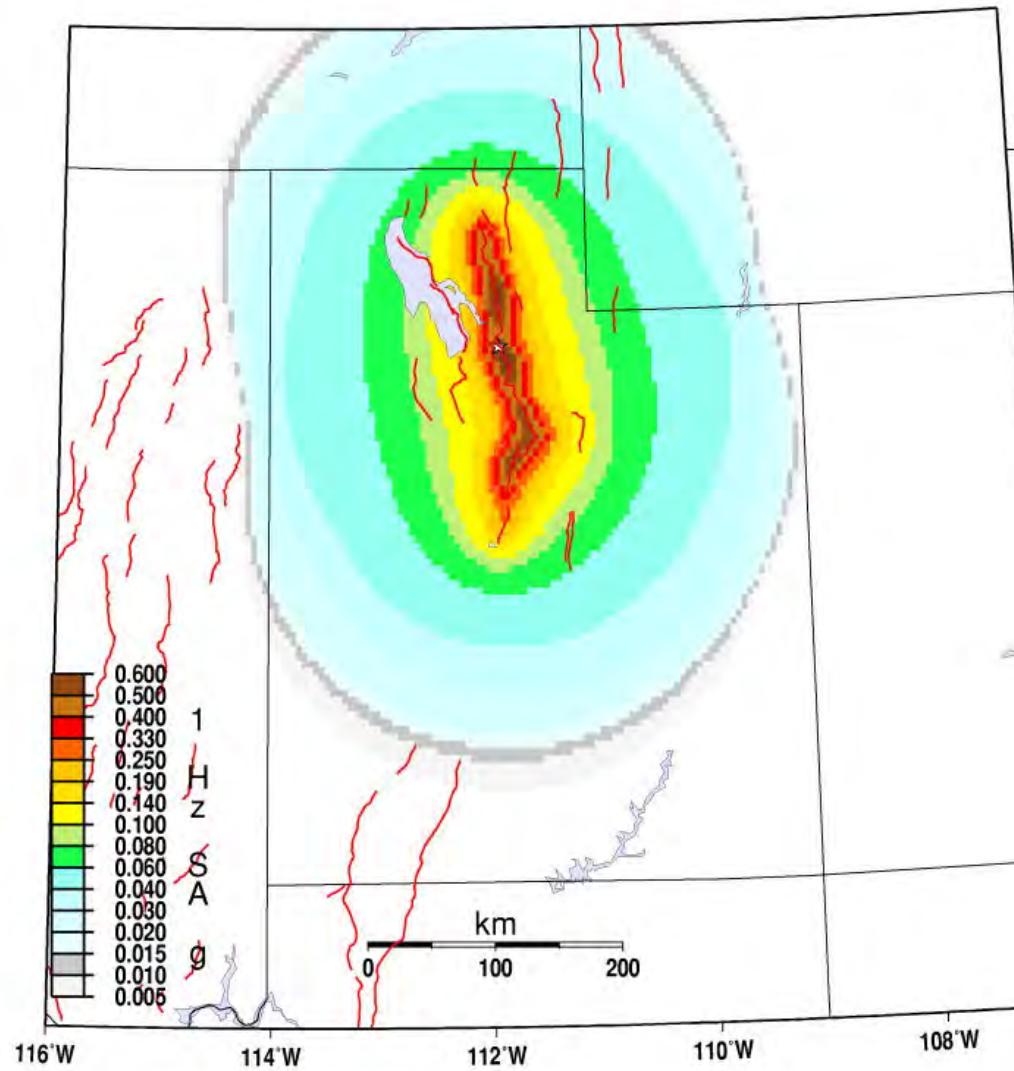
- Two Joes Valley fault sources combined into one

Wasatch-Characteristic only 2007 1-Hz SA w/2%PE50YR



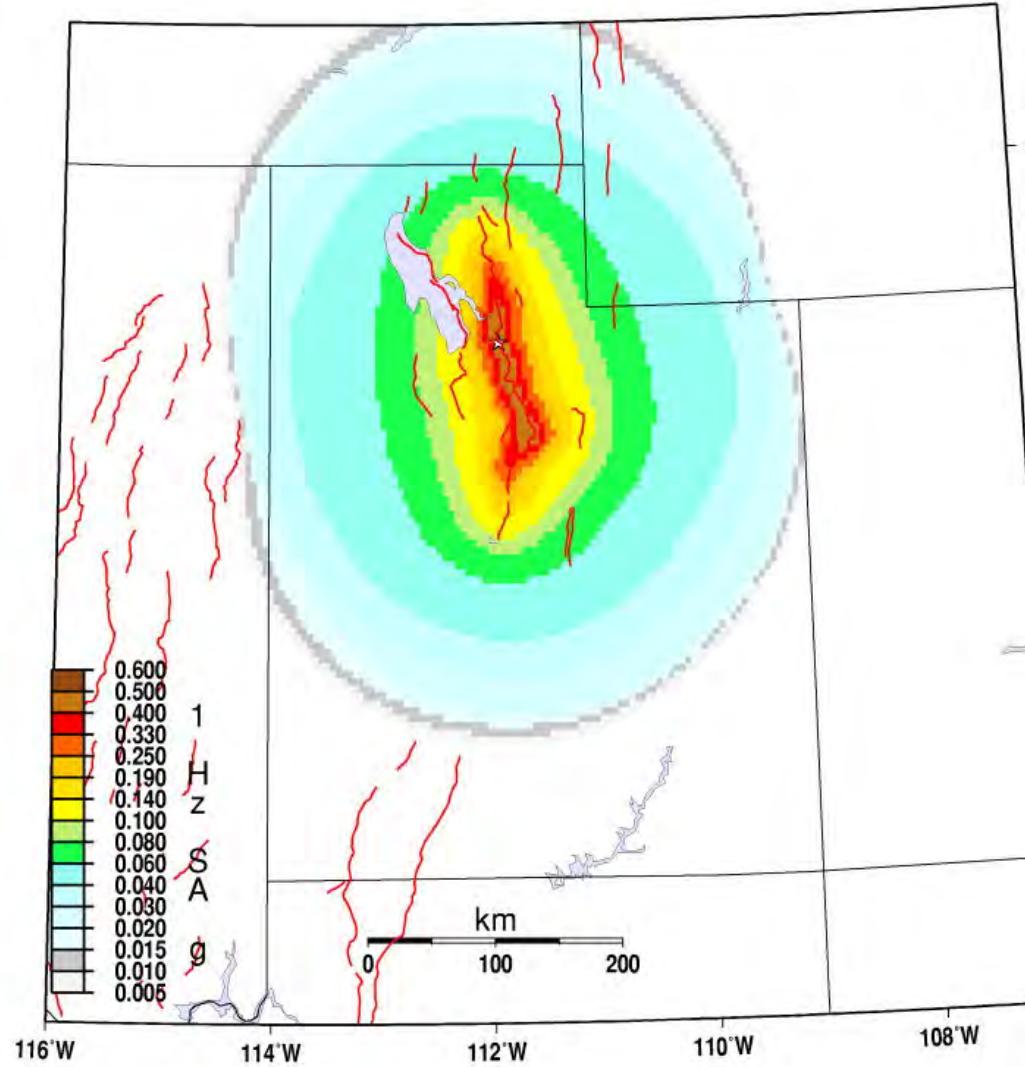
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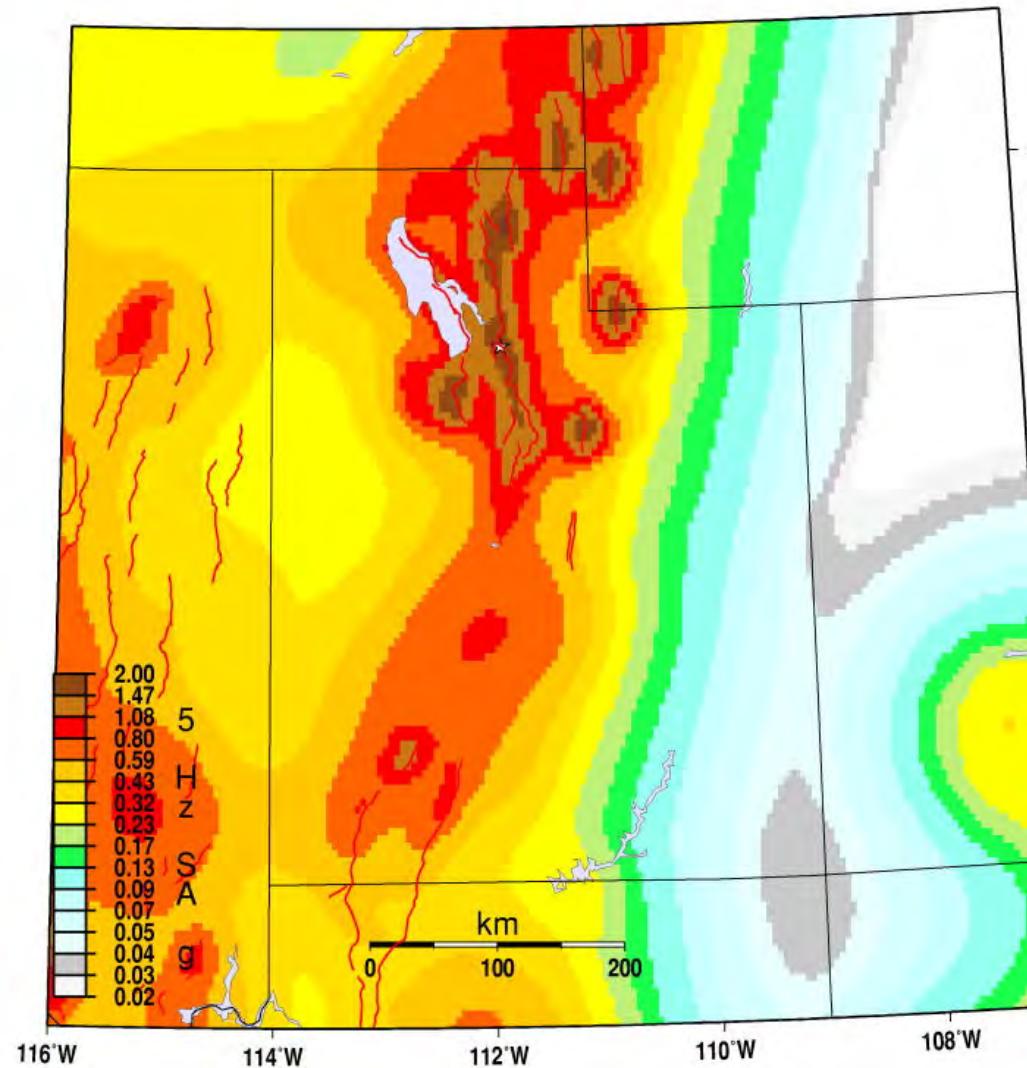
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Wasatch-Float M7.4 only. (1/10th wt model) 1-Hz SA w/2%PE50YF



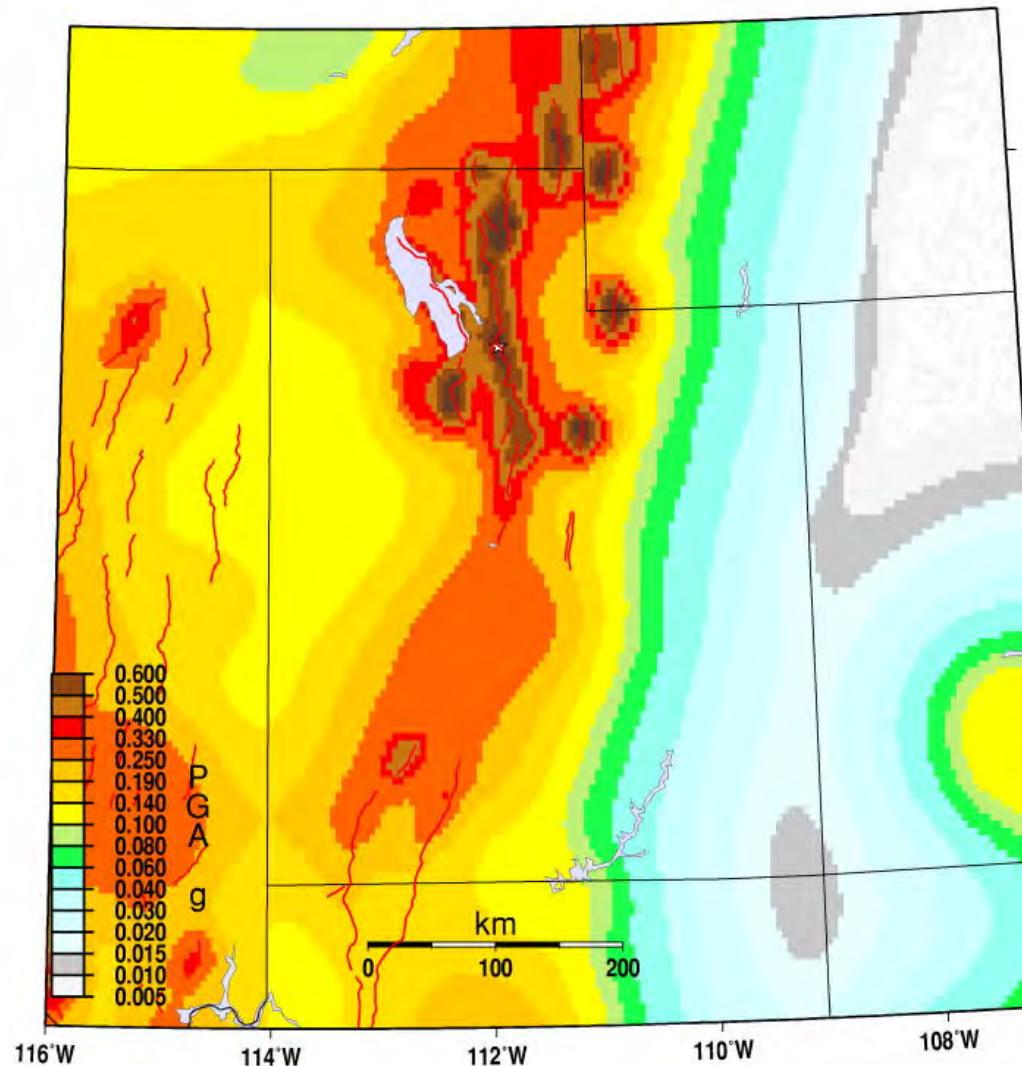
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Utah 2007 5-Hz SA w/2%PE50YR



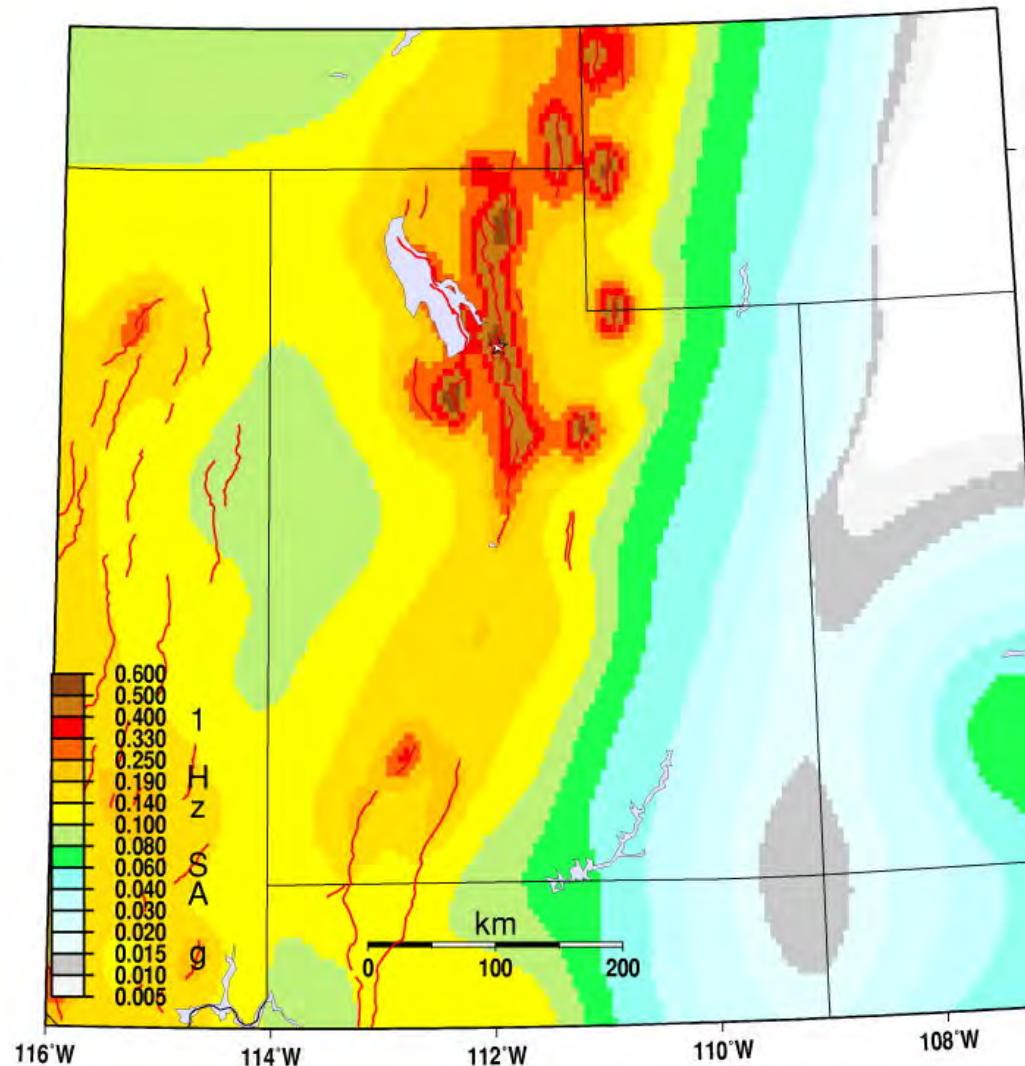
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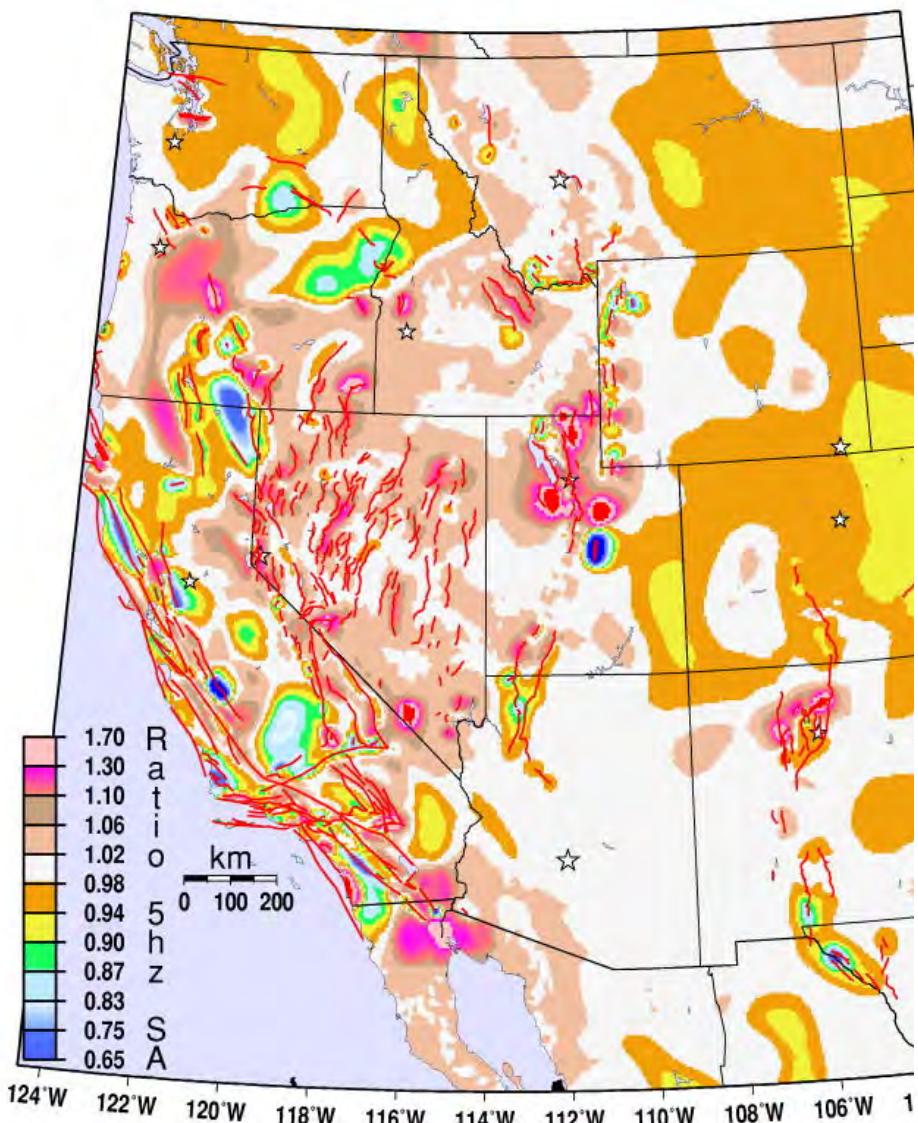
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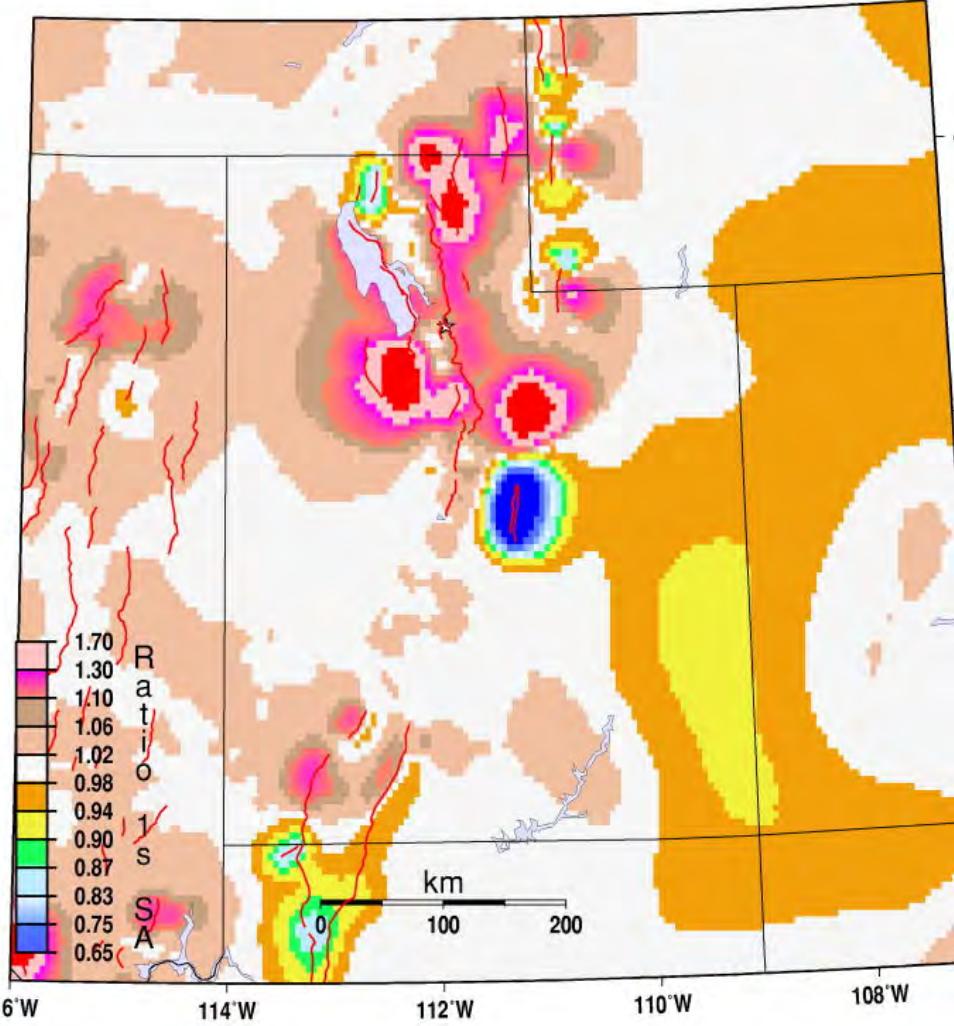


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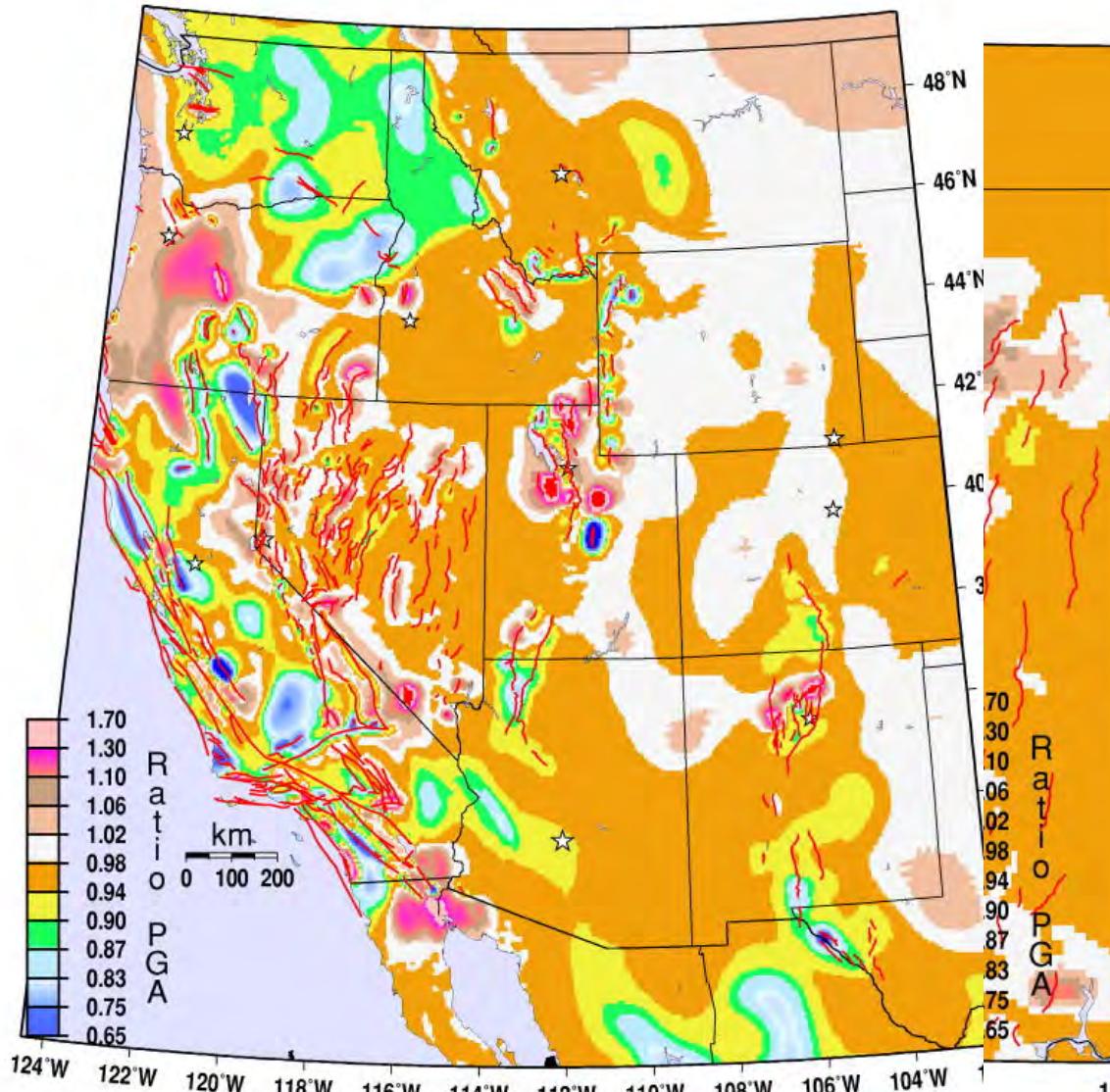


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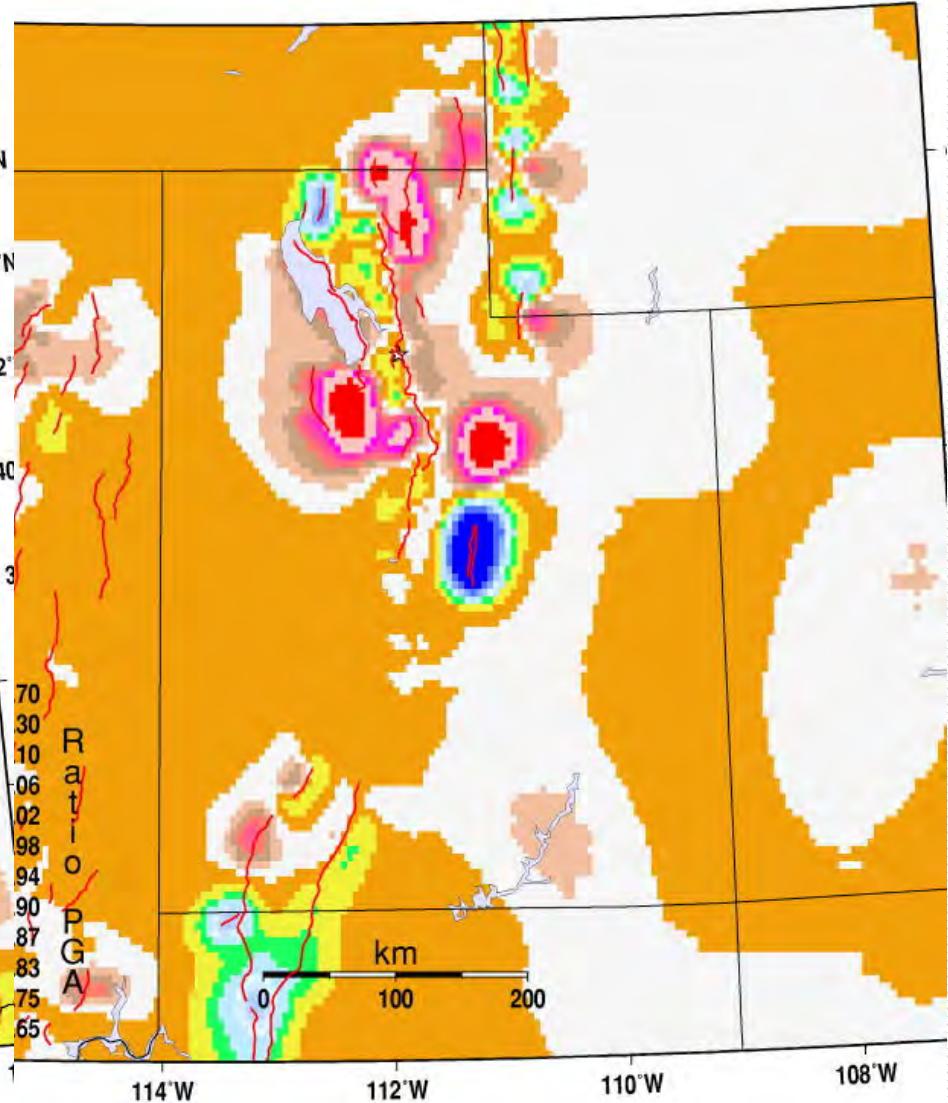


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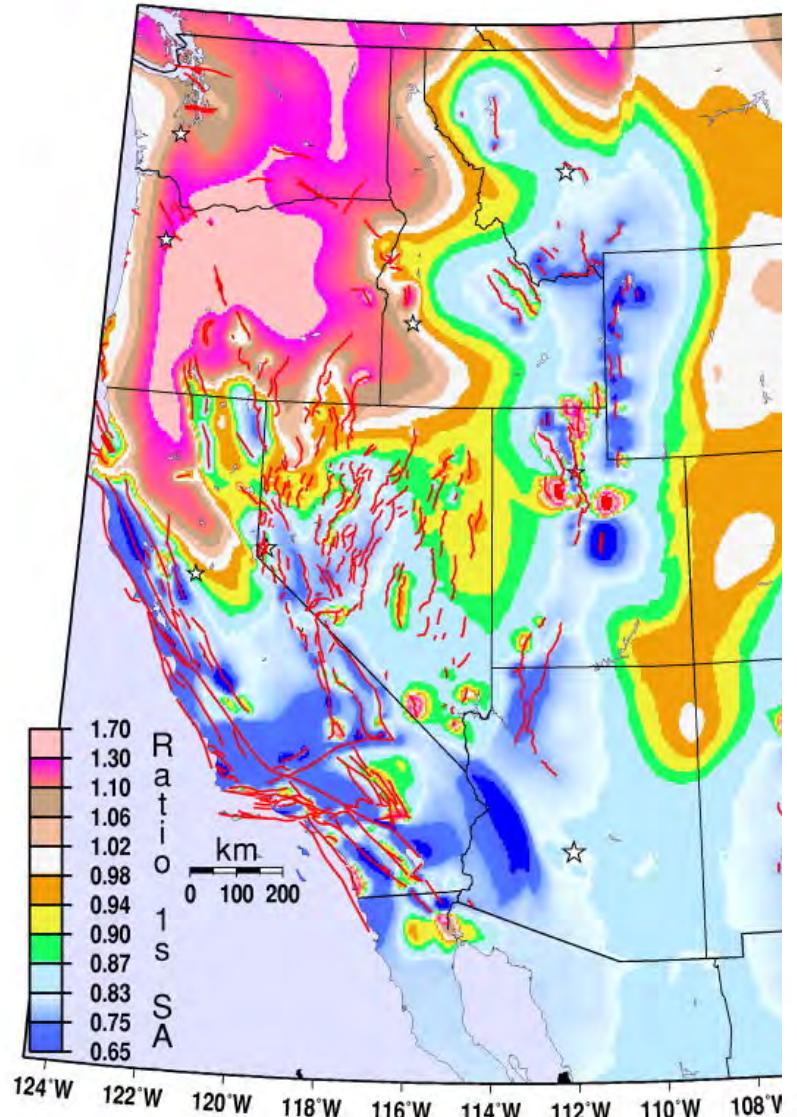
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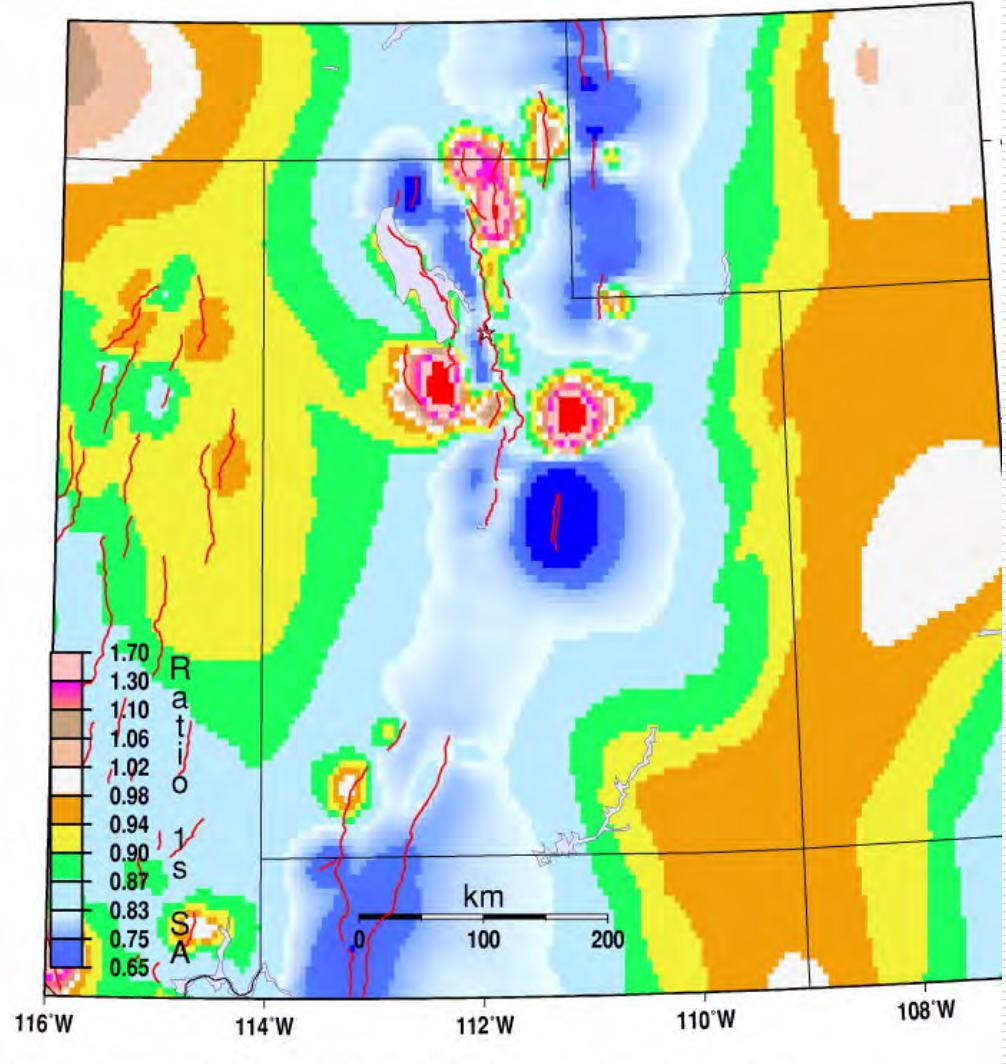
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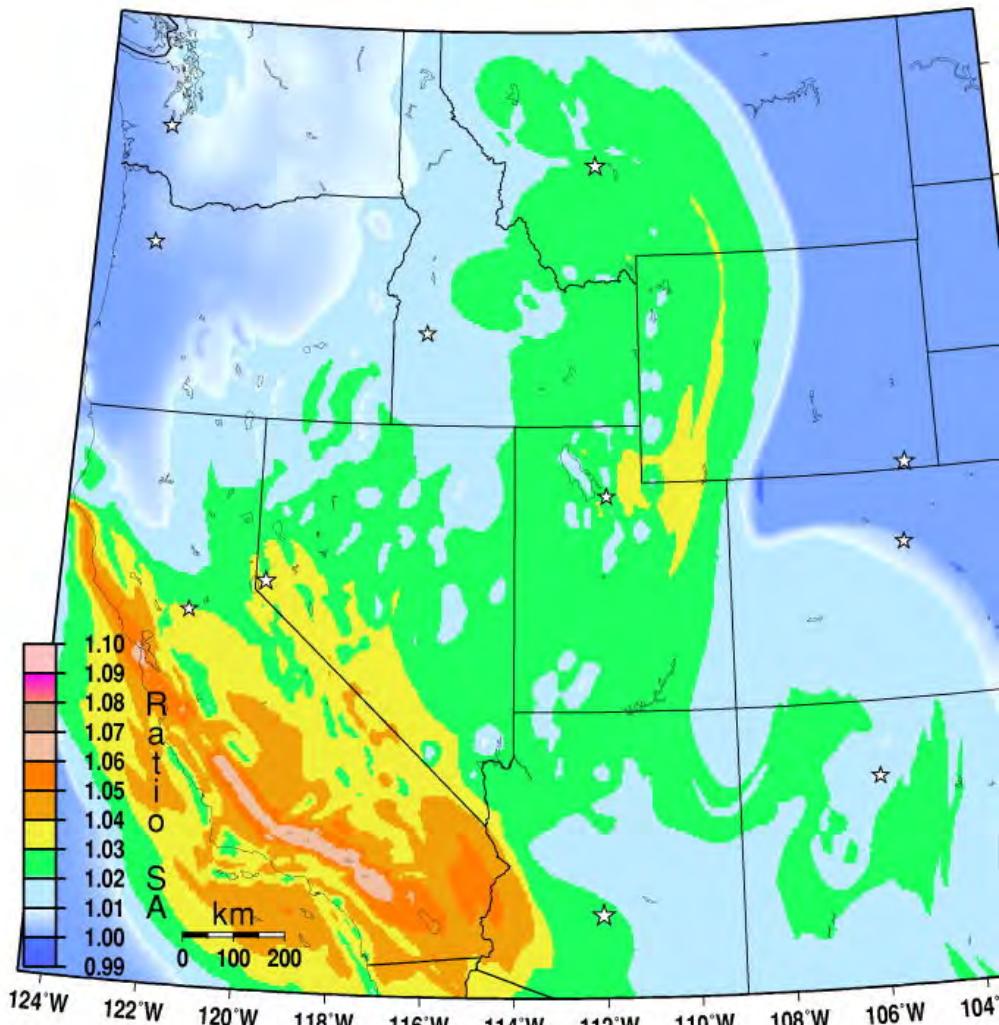
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Utah 2007/2002 ratio 1-Hz SA w/2%PE50YR



gnd with epistemic/without epistemic 1-Hz SA w/2%PE50YR



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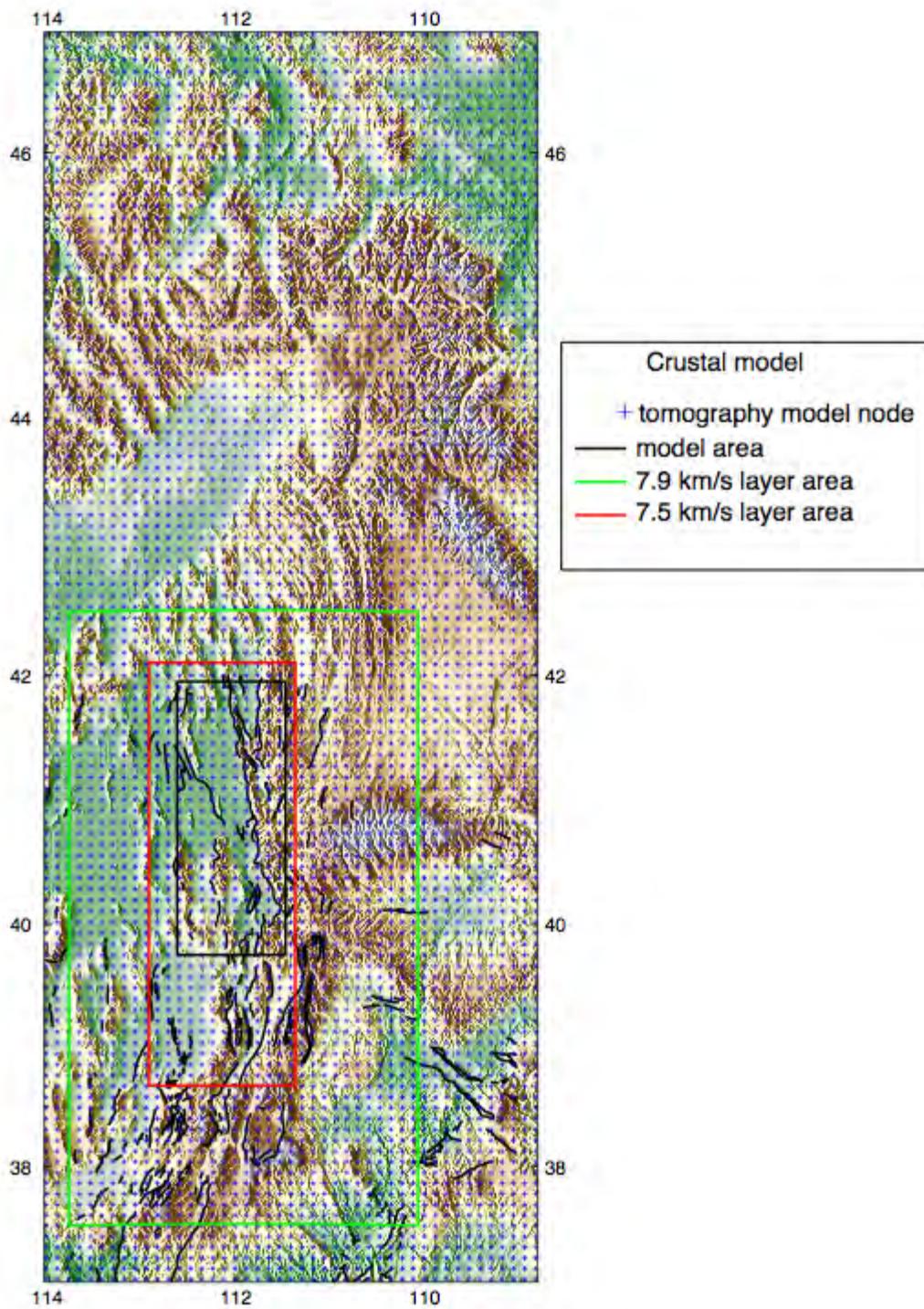
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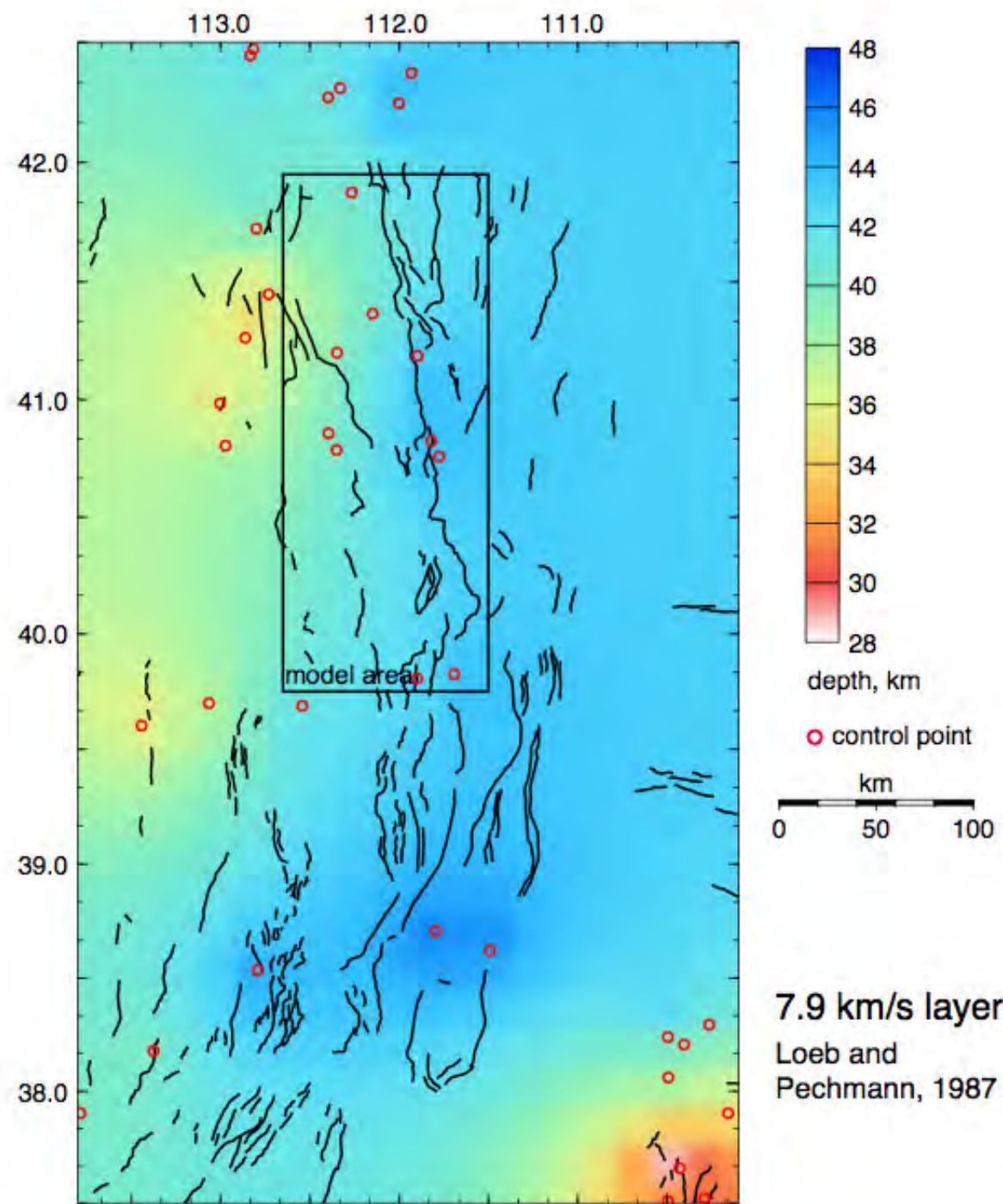
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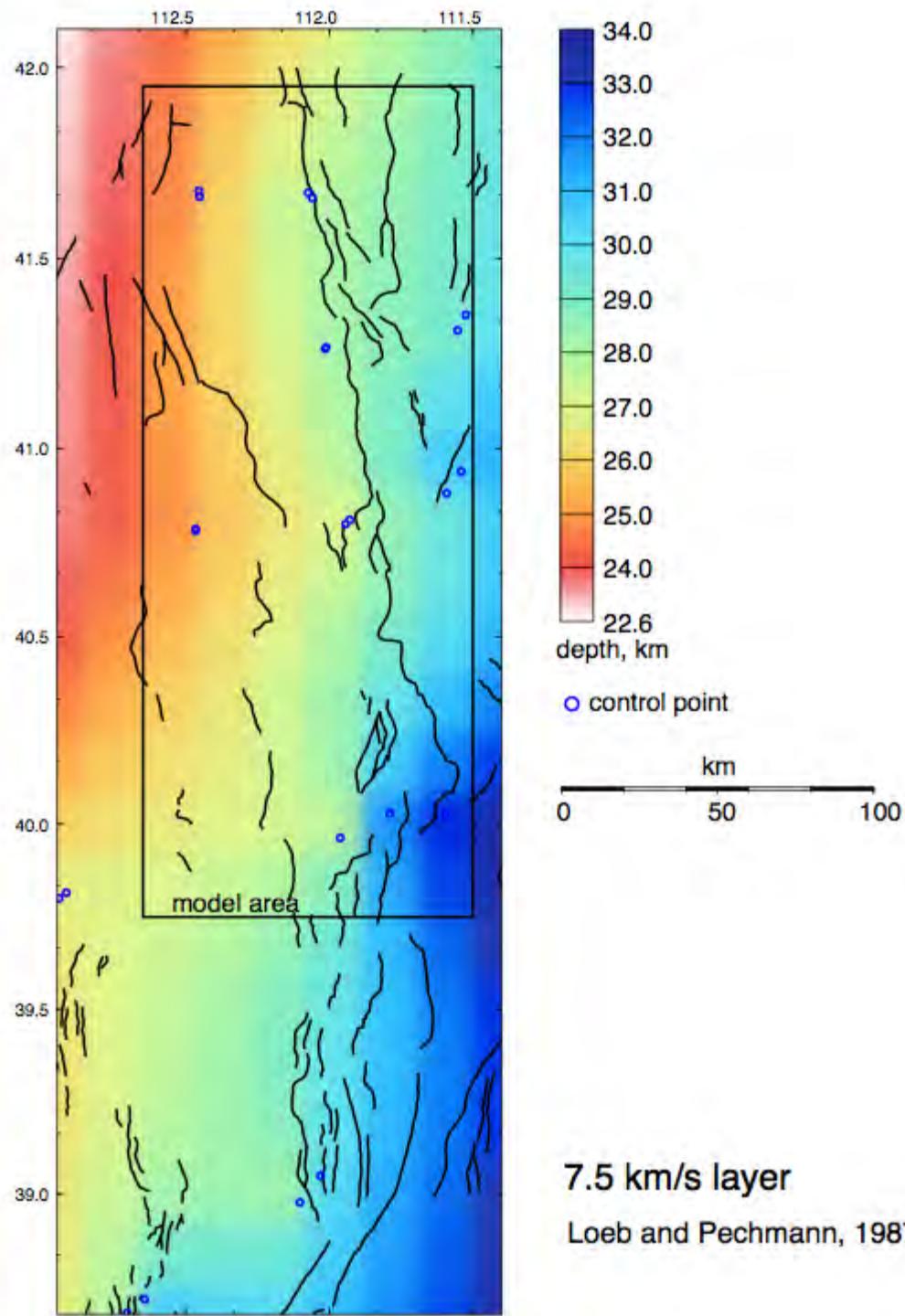
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Wasatch Front Model Elements

- R1, R2, R3 in Salt Lake Valley
- R1, basement in other basins
 - gravity, wells, seismics
- Soil classes
- Geotechnical boreholes
- Deep boreholes - seismic velocities
- Crustal tomography
- Moho



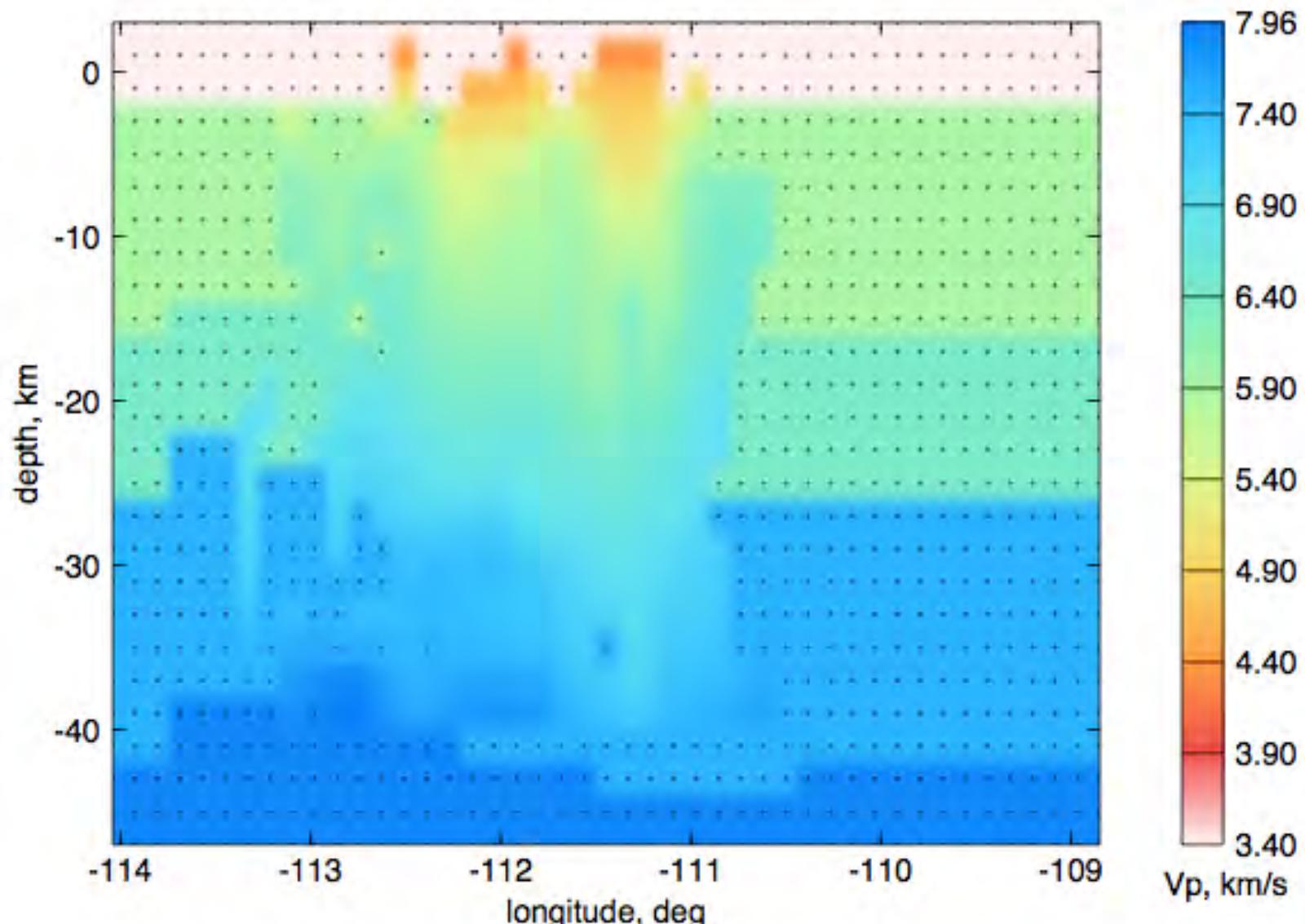




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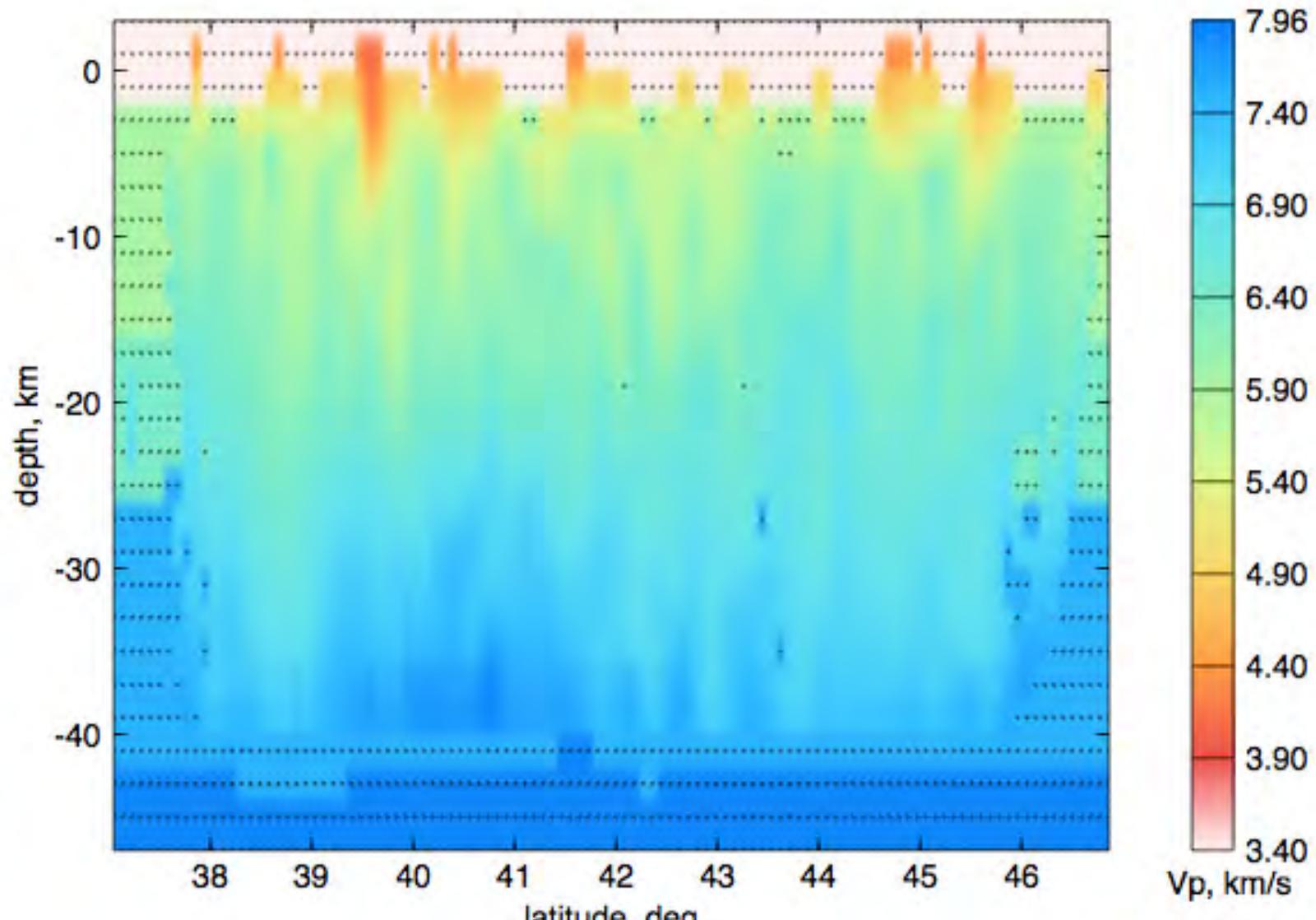
East - West crustal cross section



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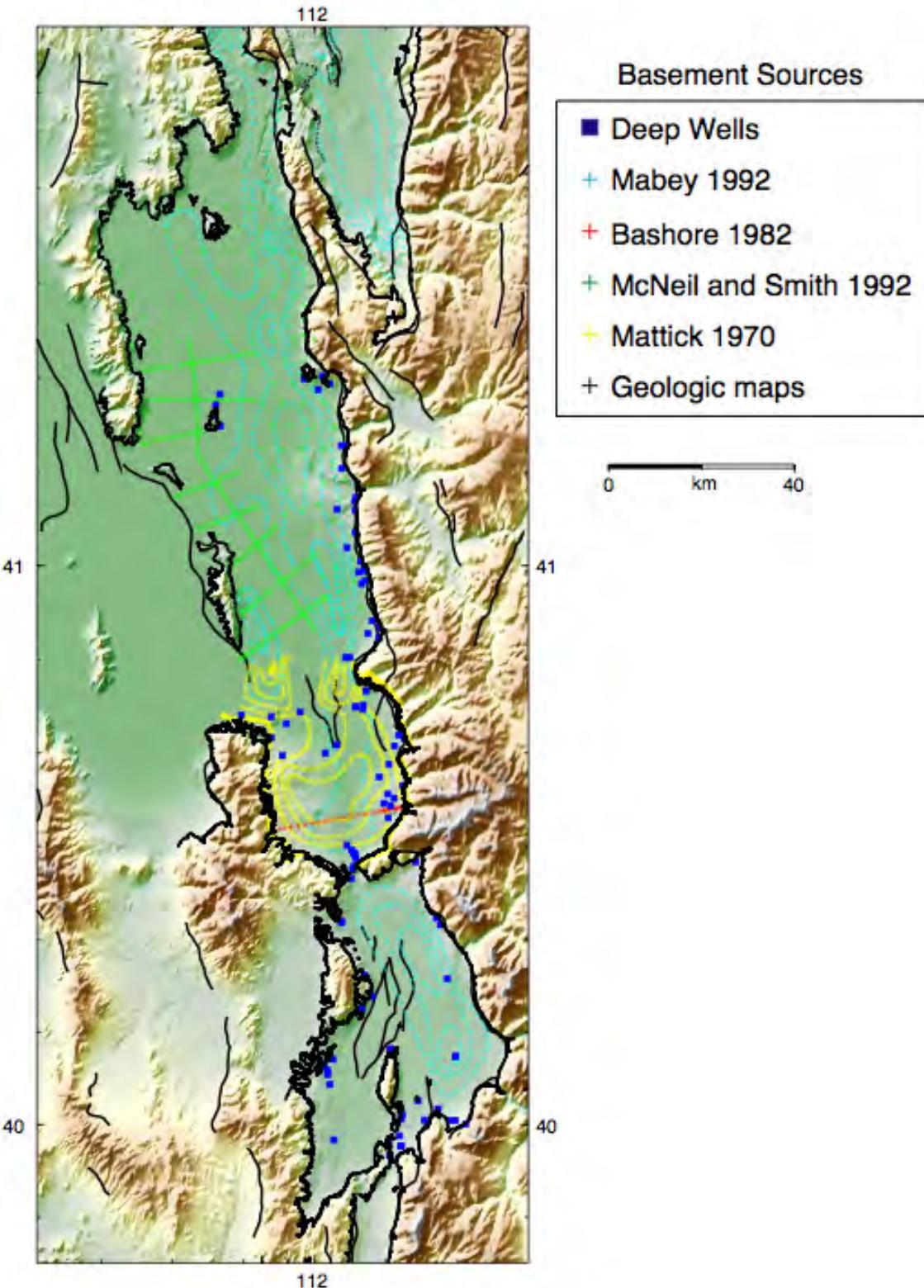
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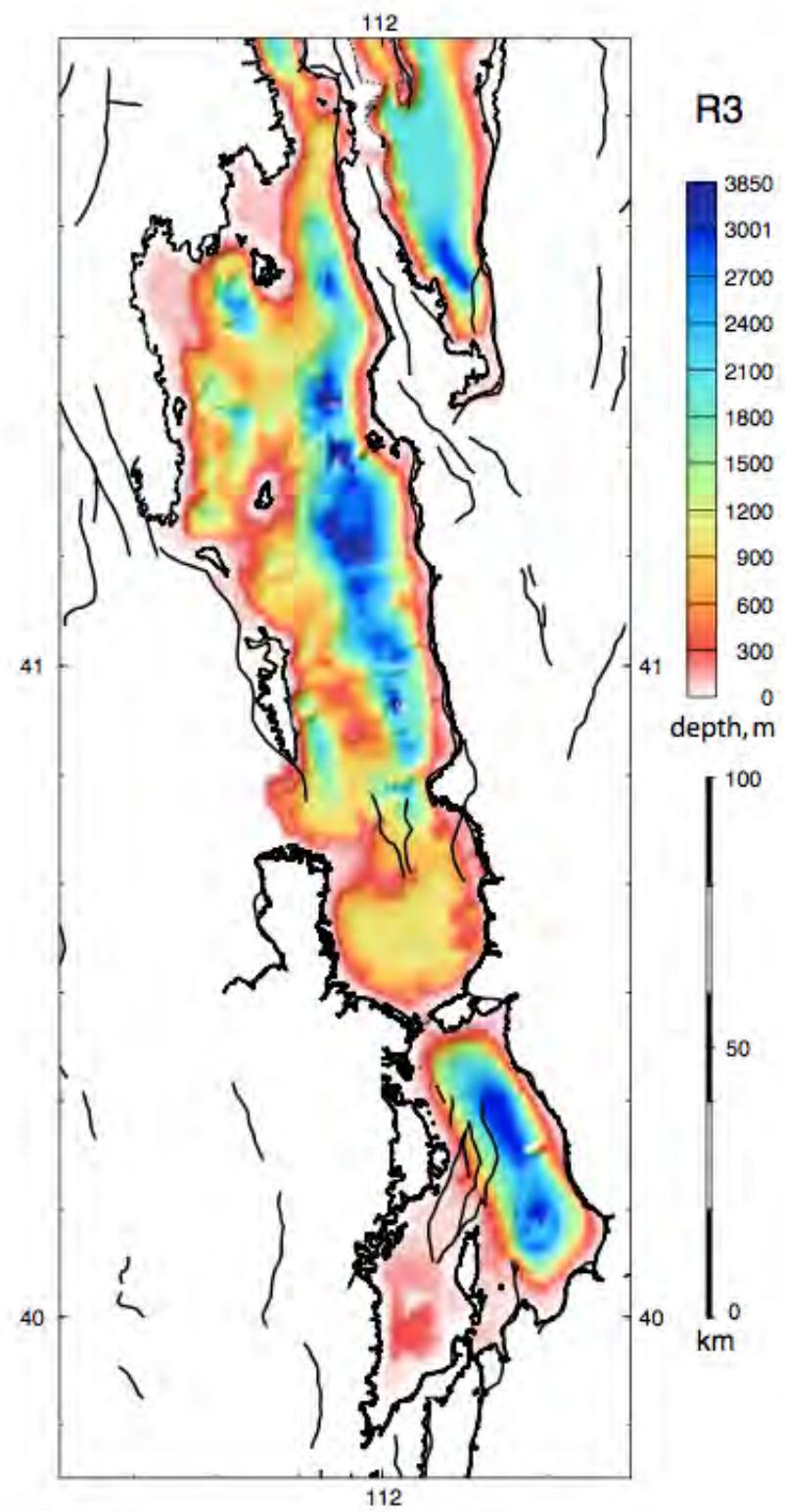
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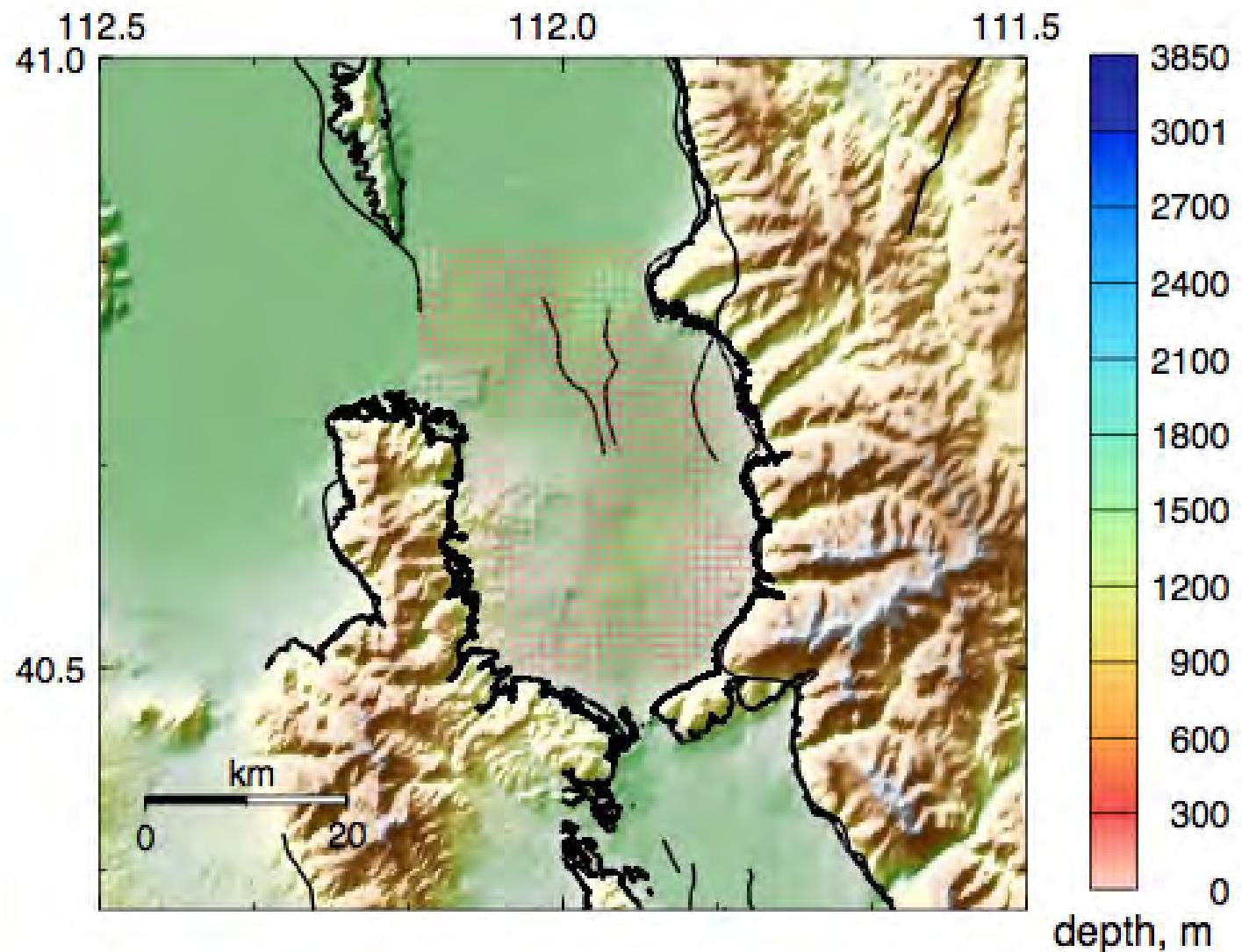
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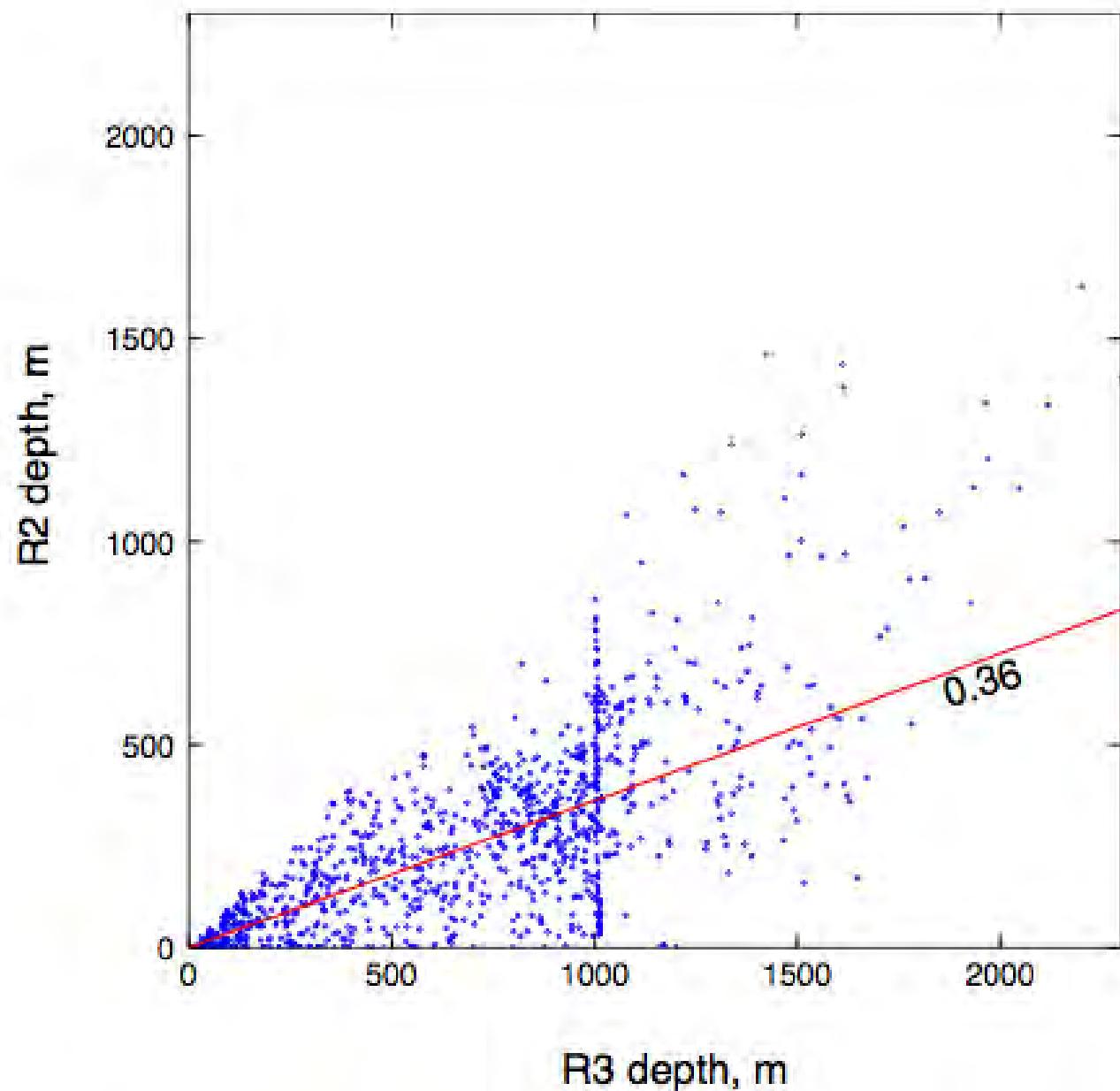
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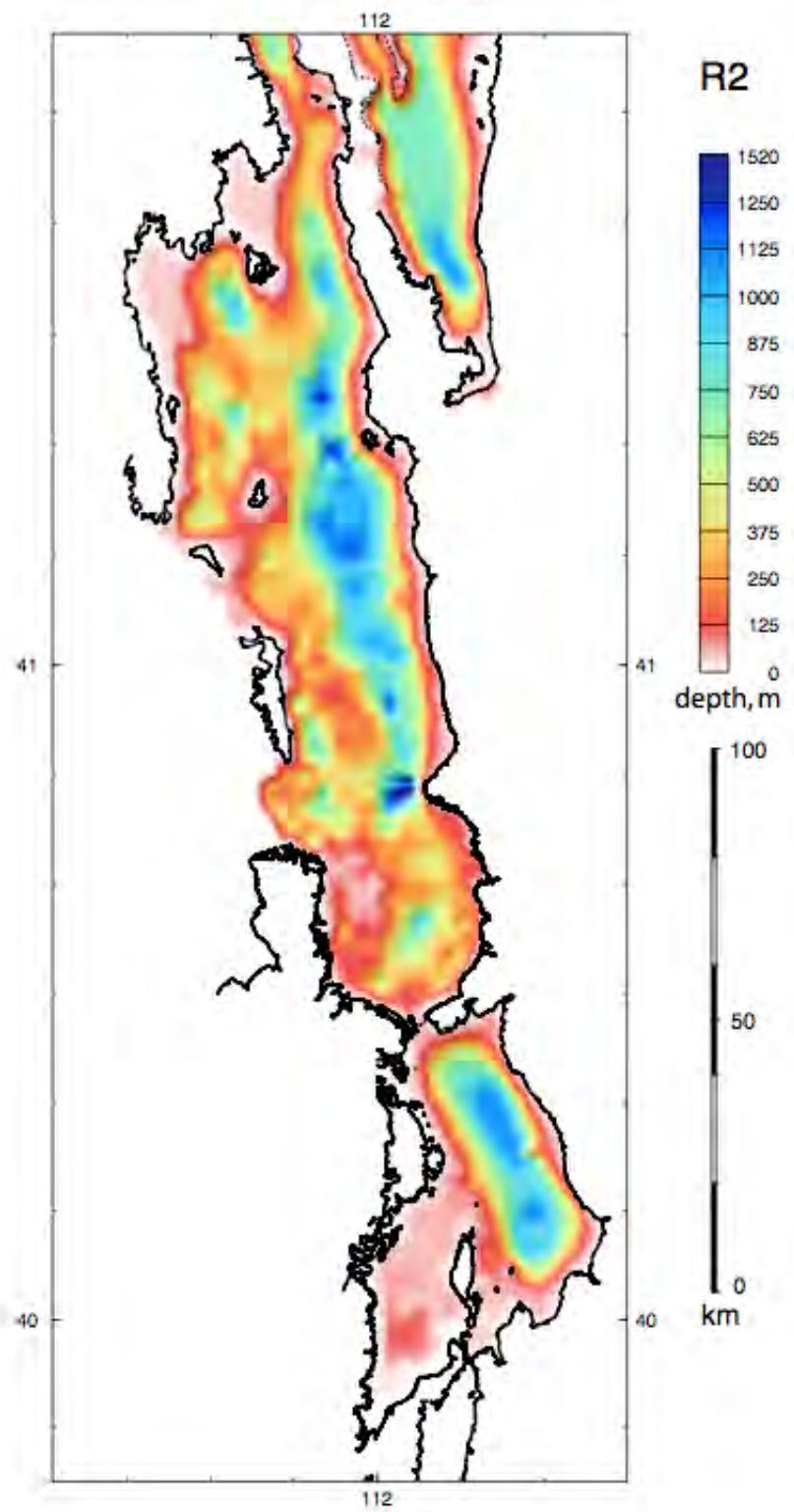


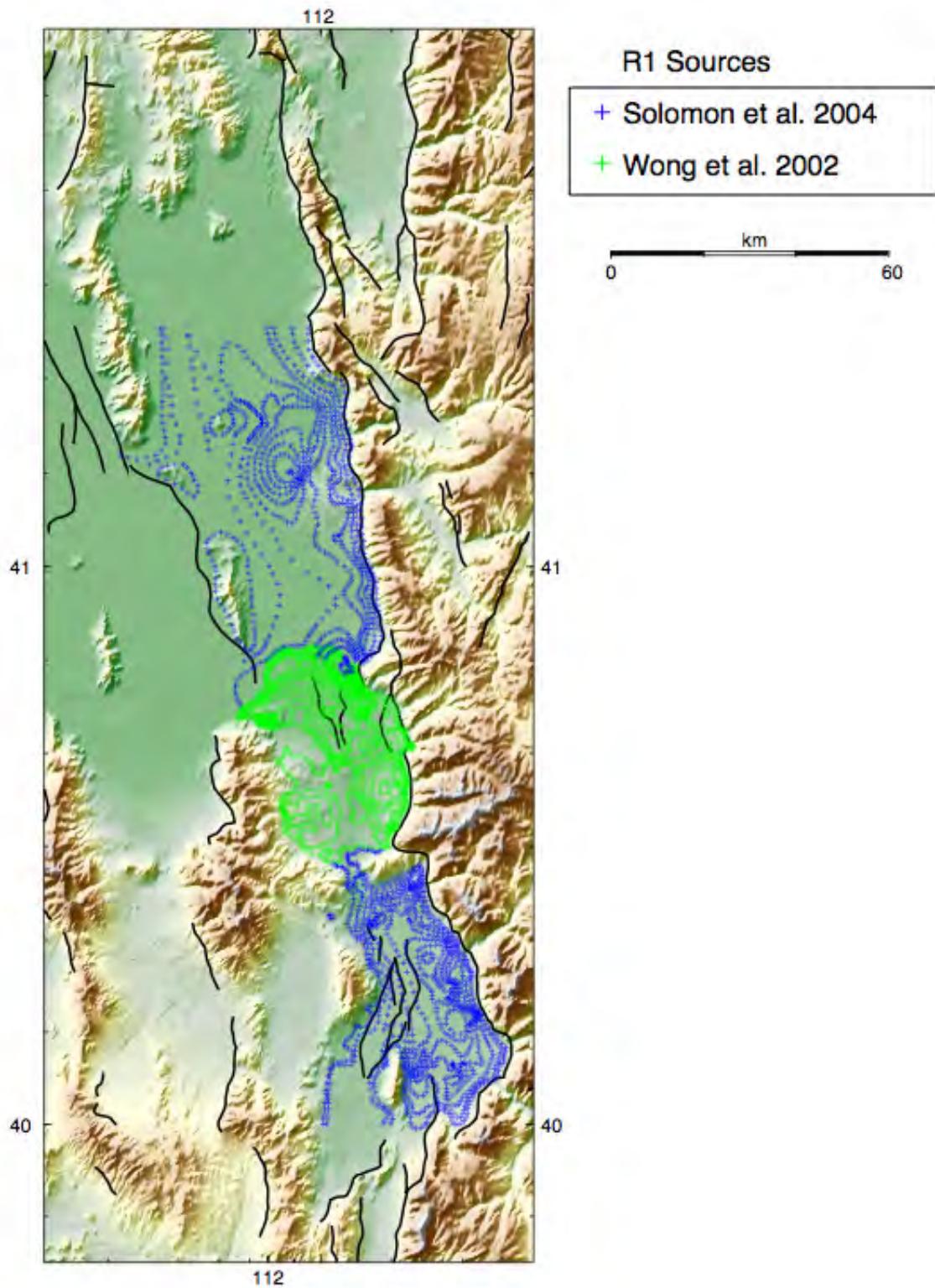


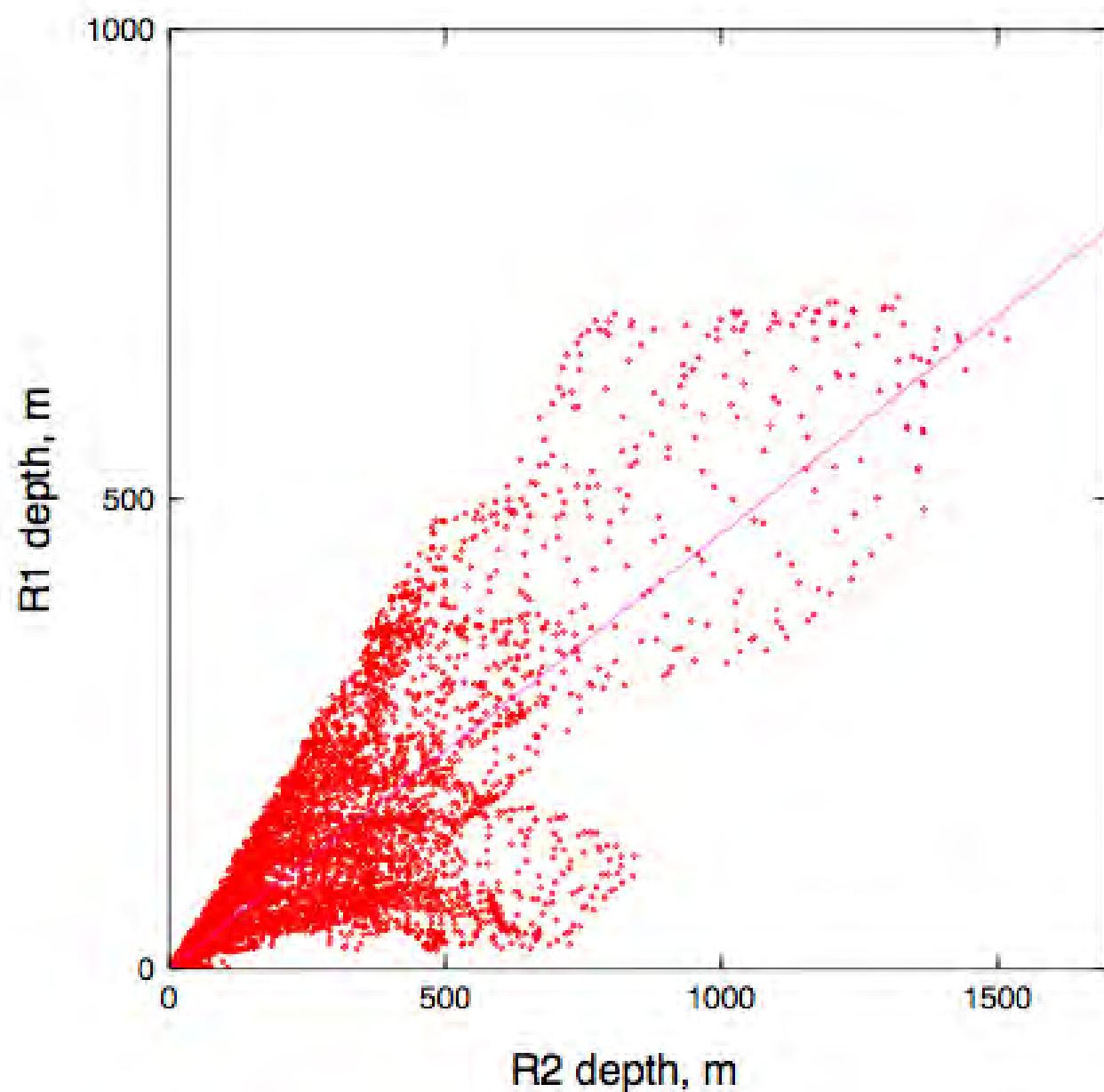
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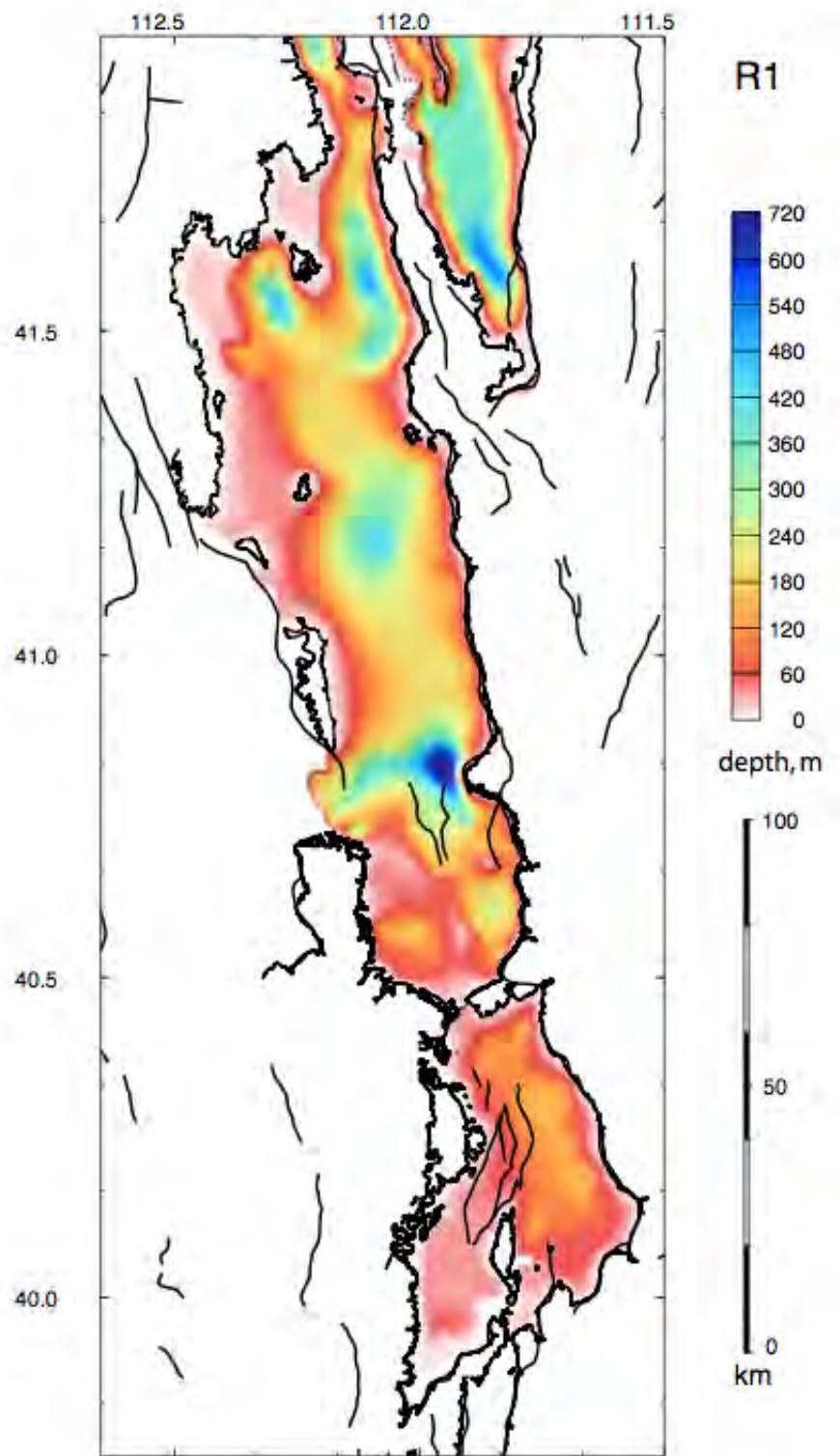




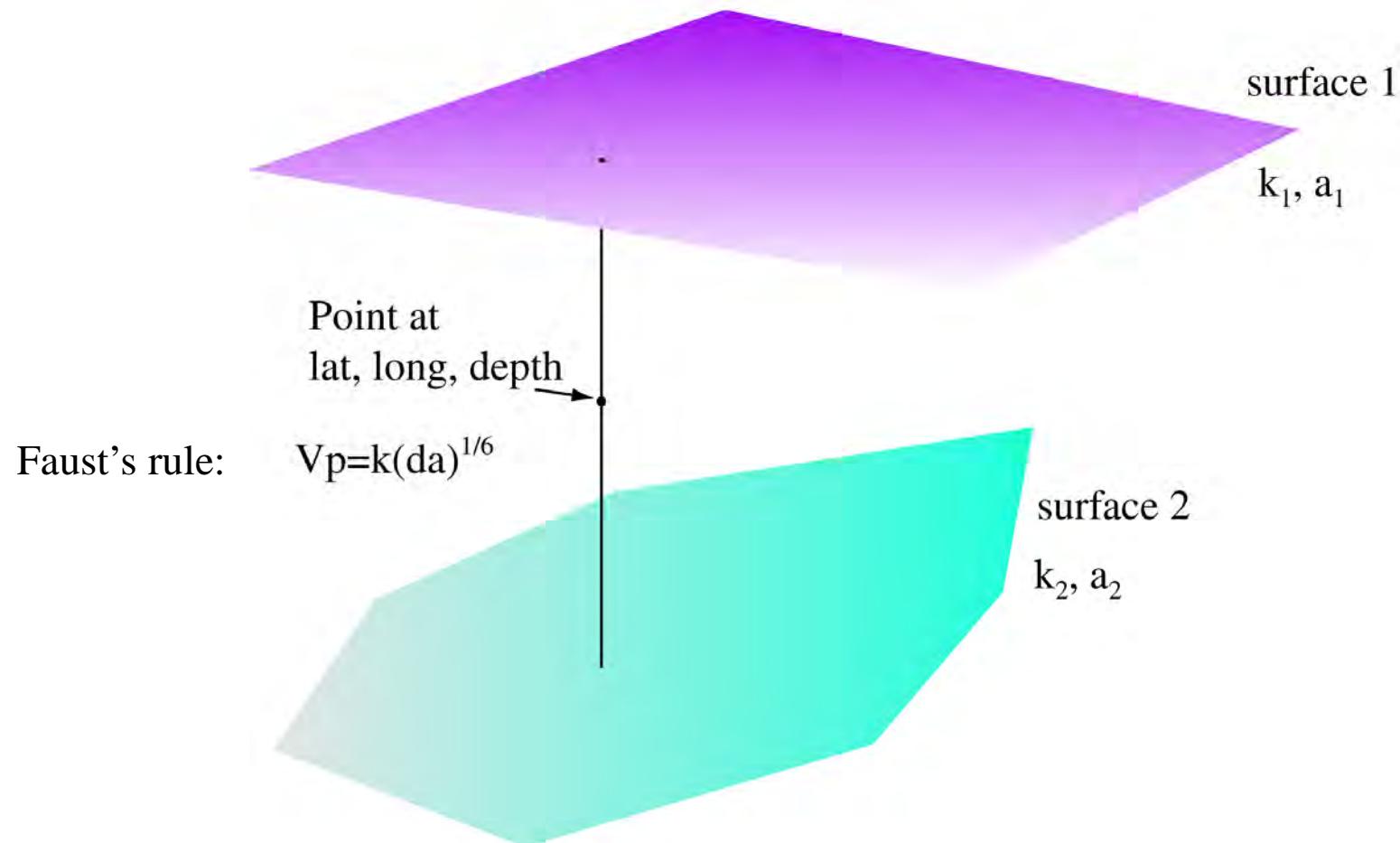


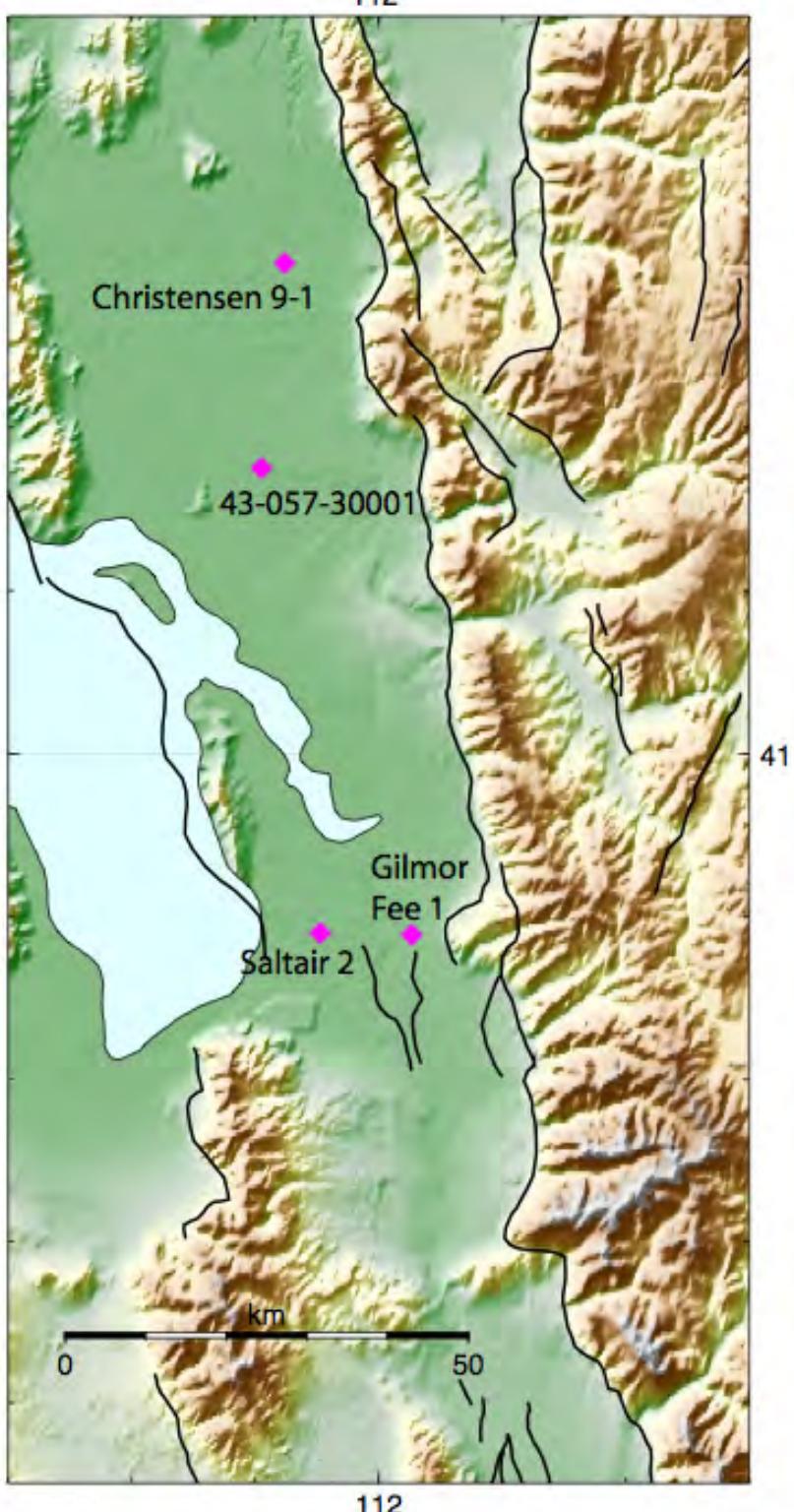




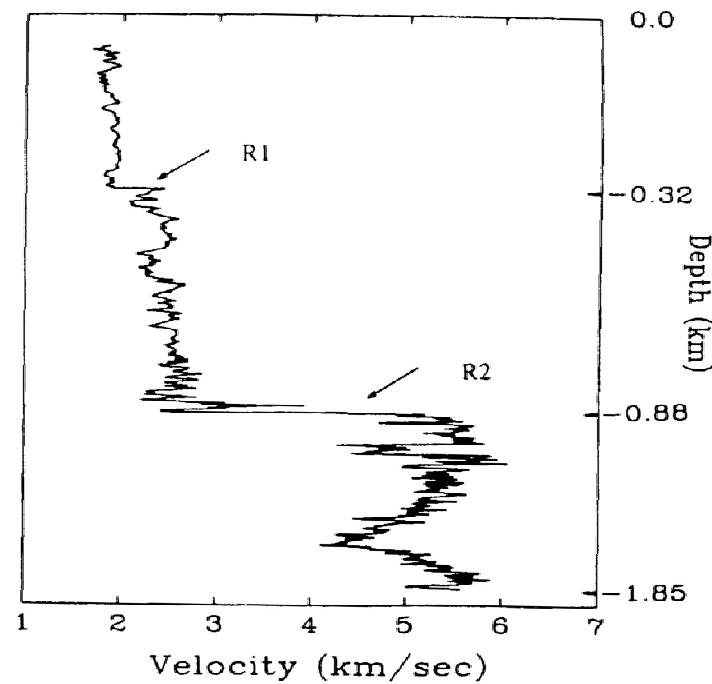


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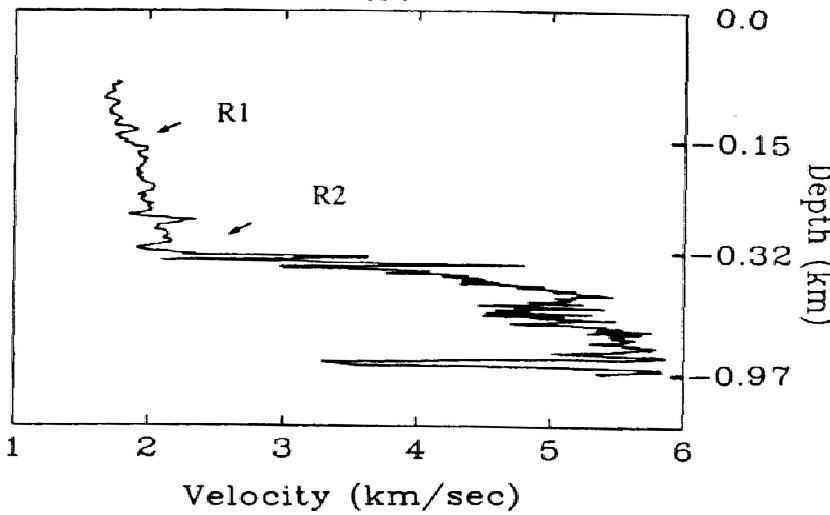




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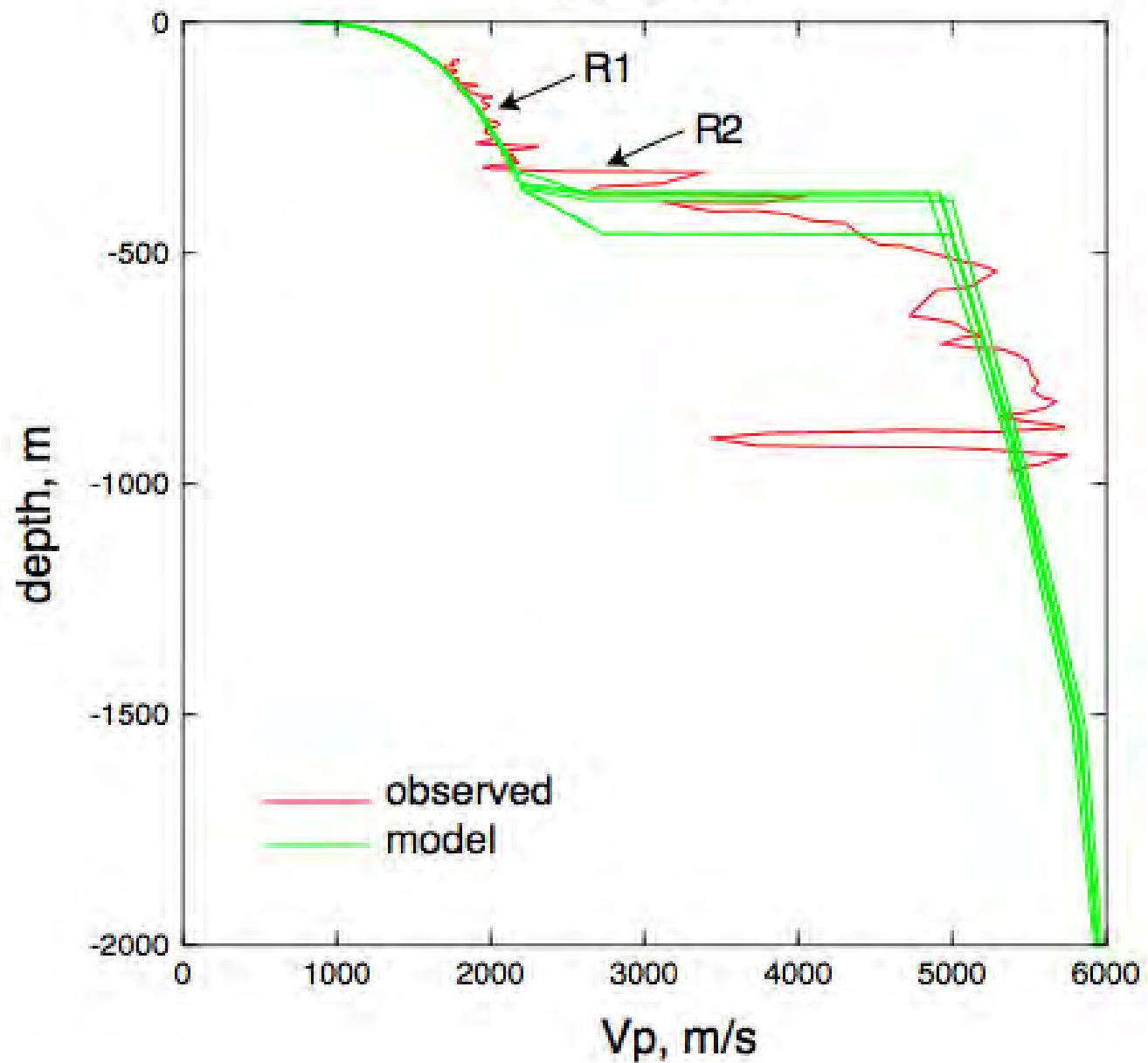


Mountain Fuel Supply, Saltair #2



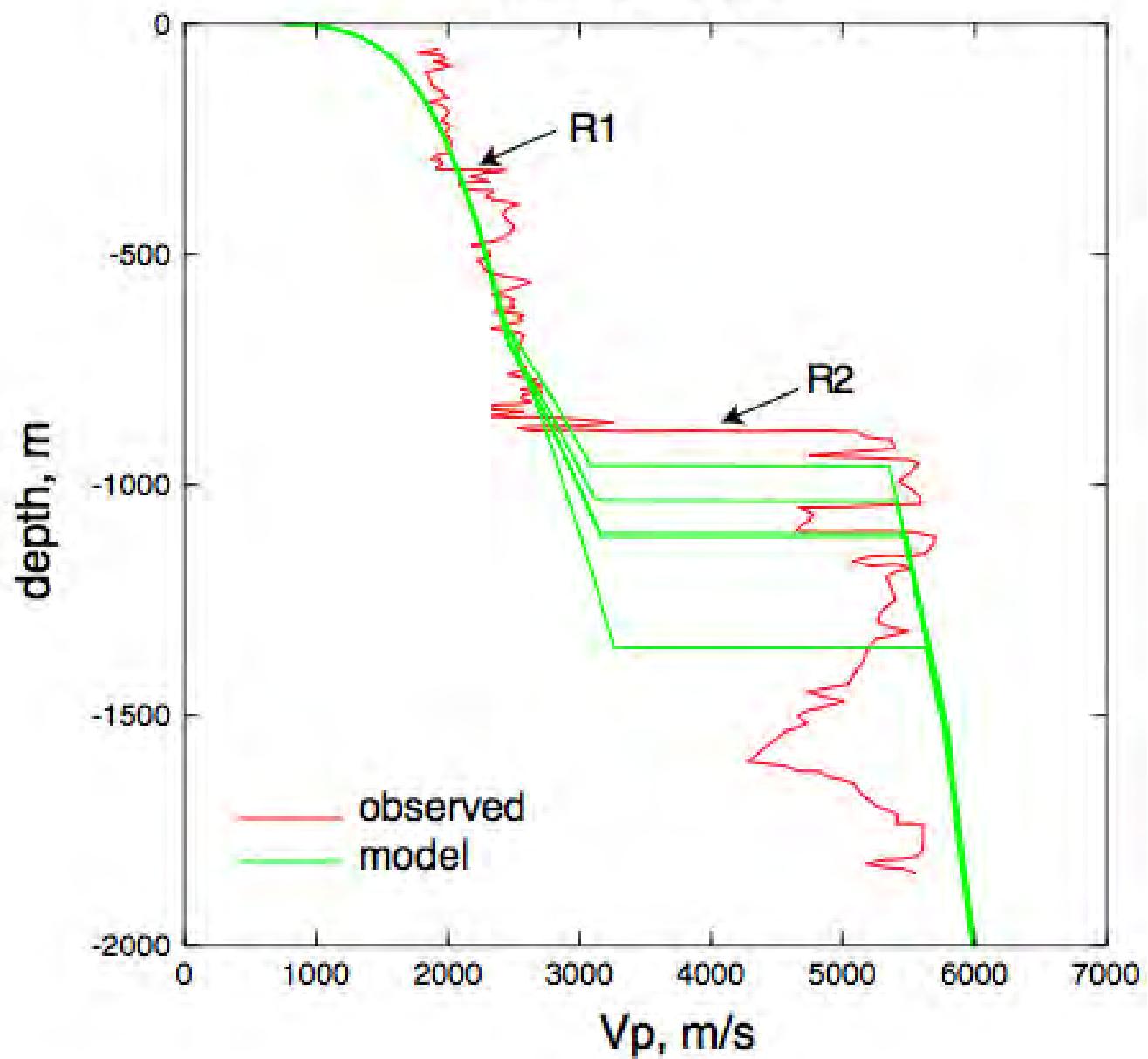
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Saltair 2



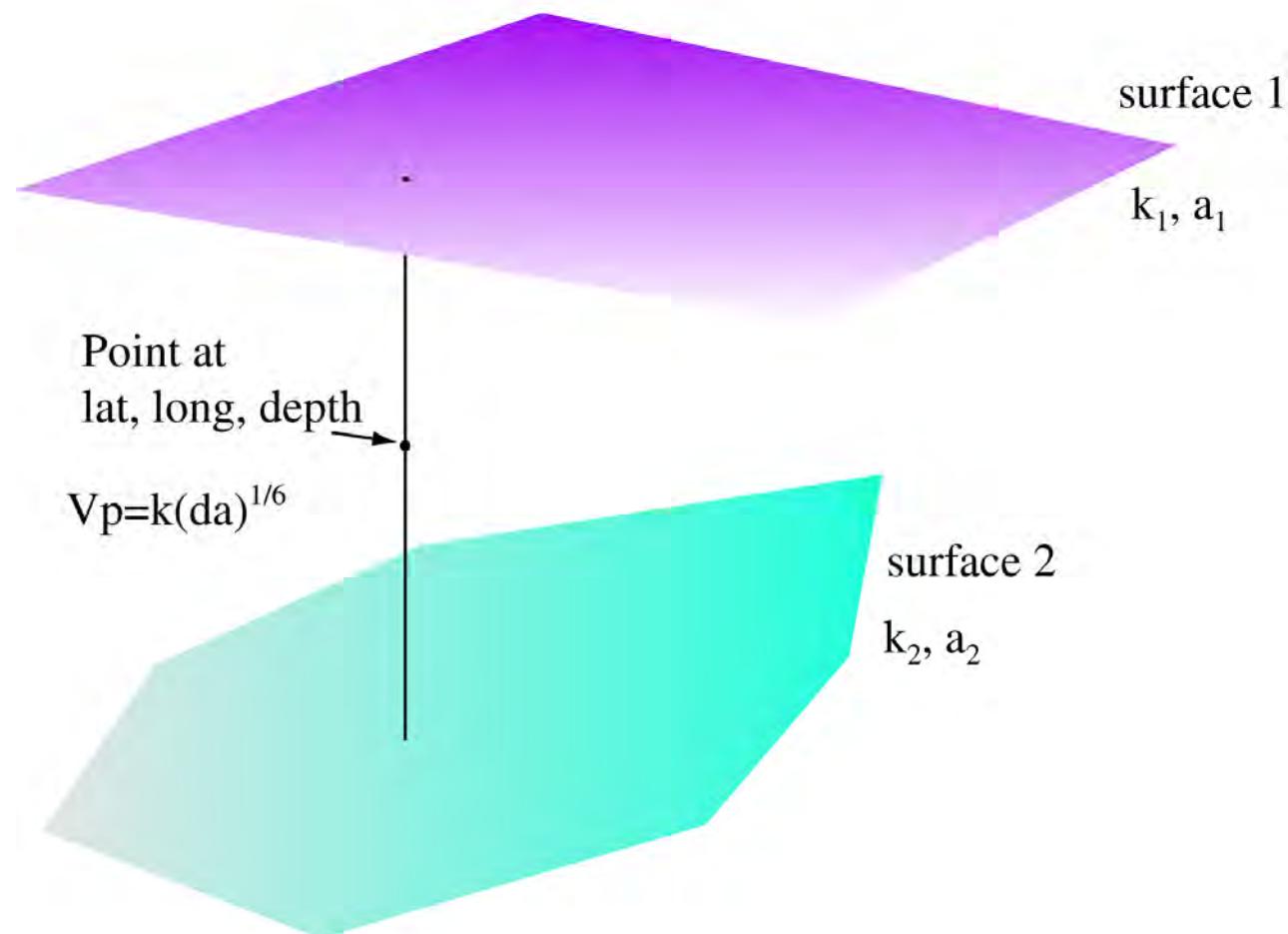
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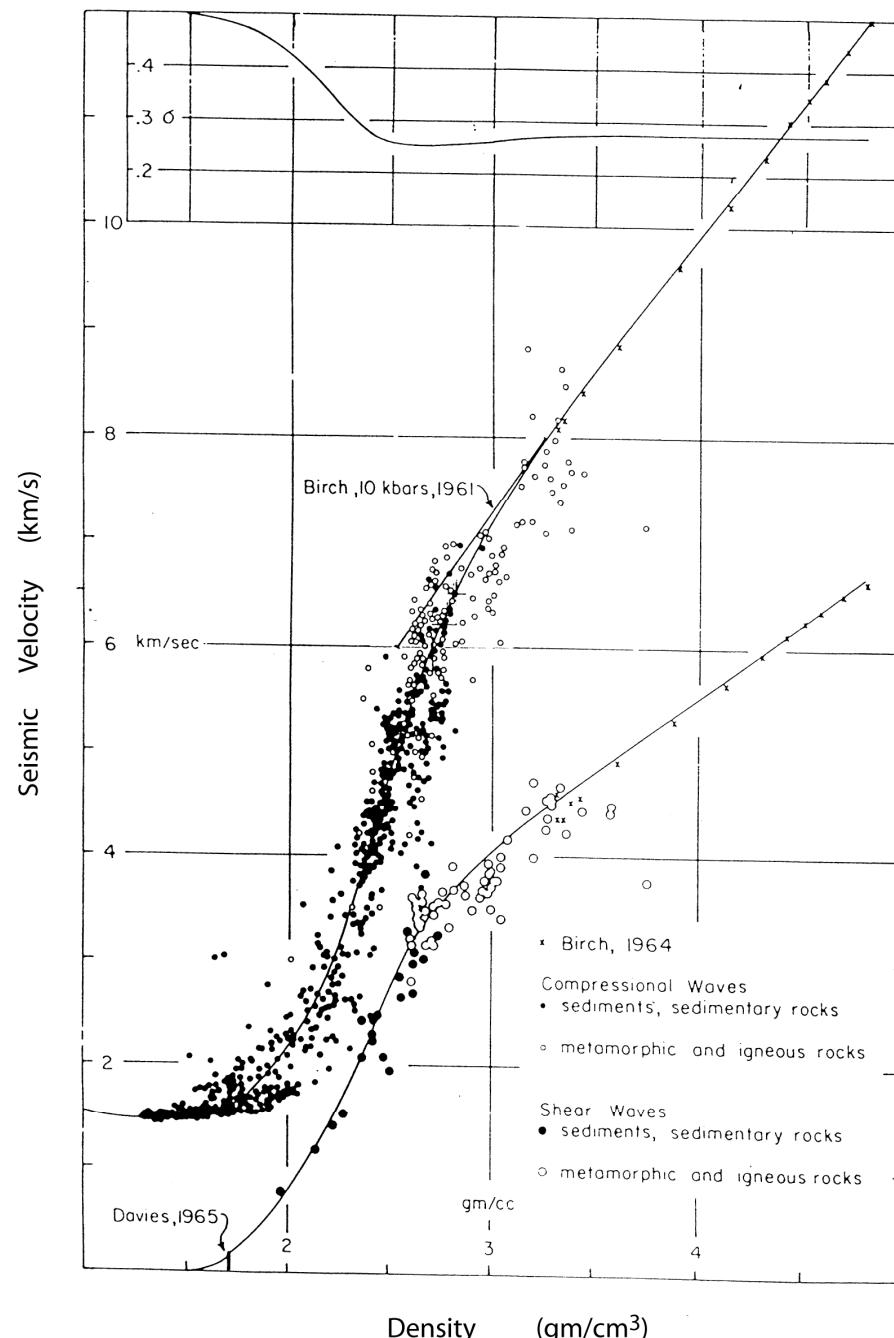
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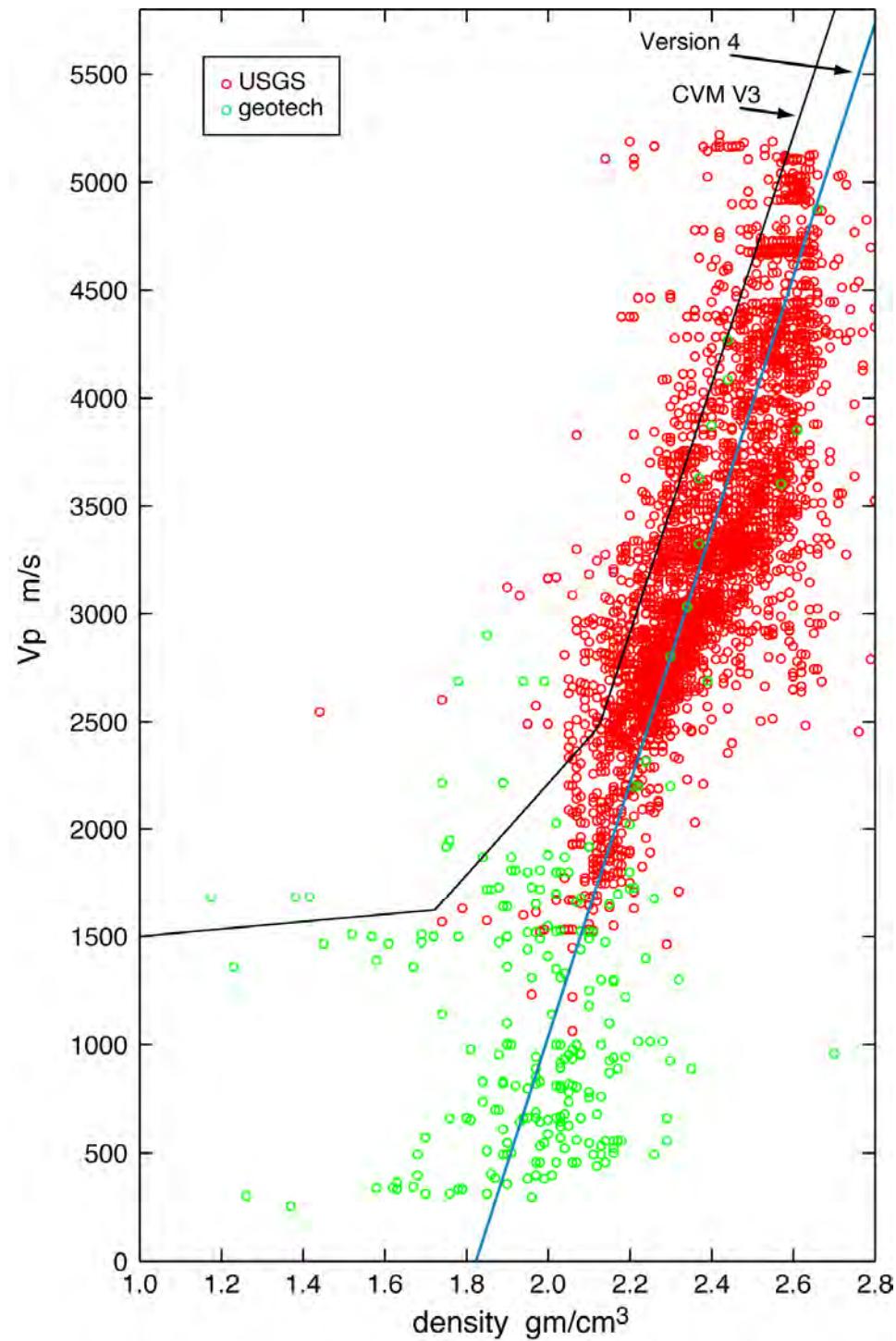


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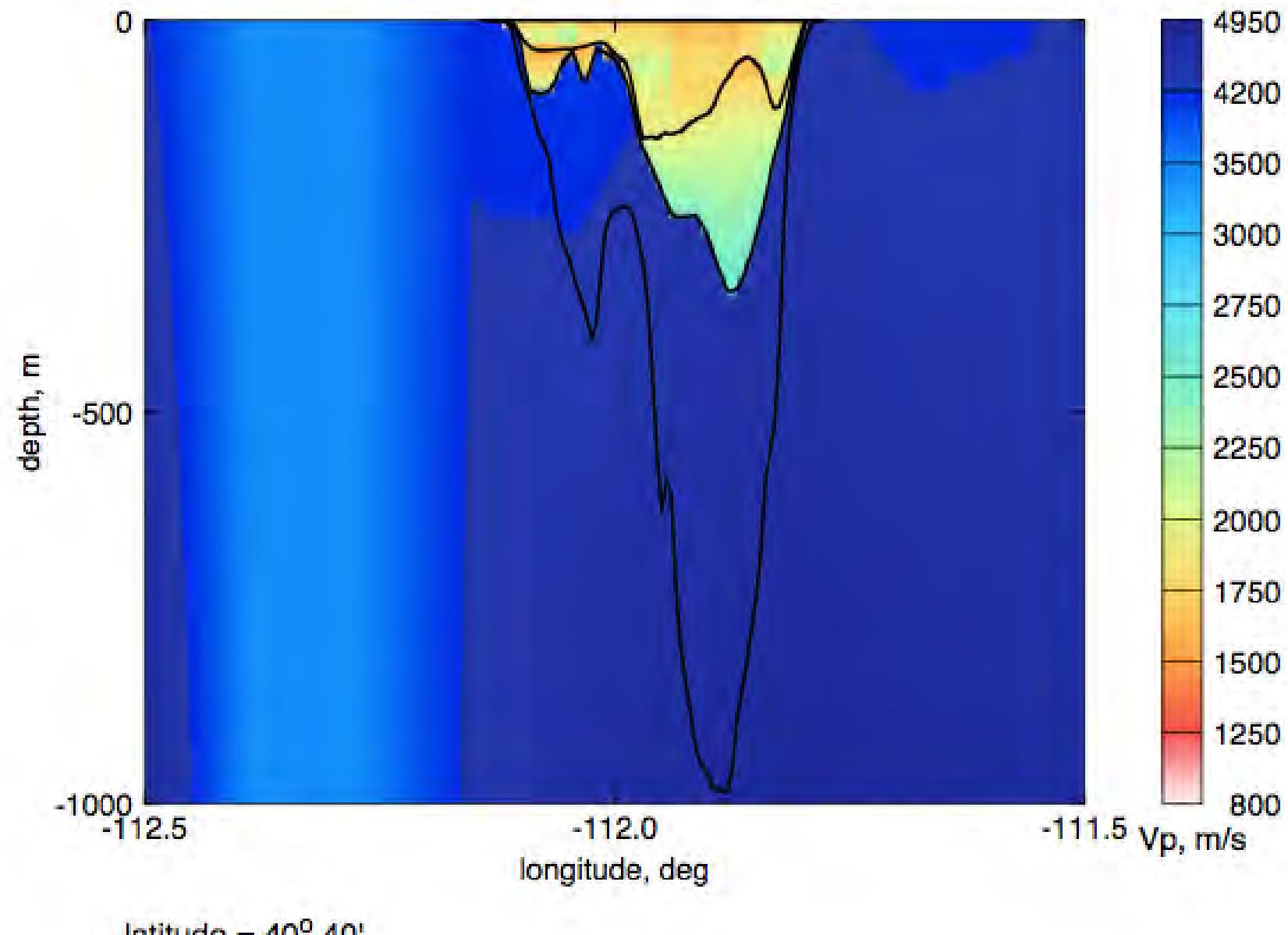
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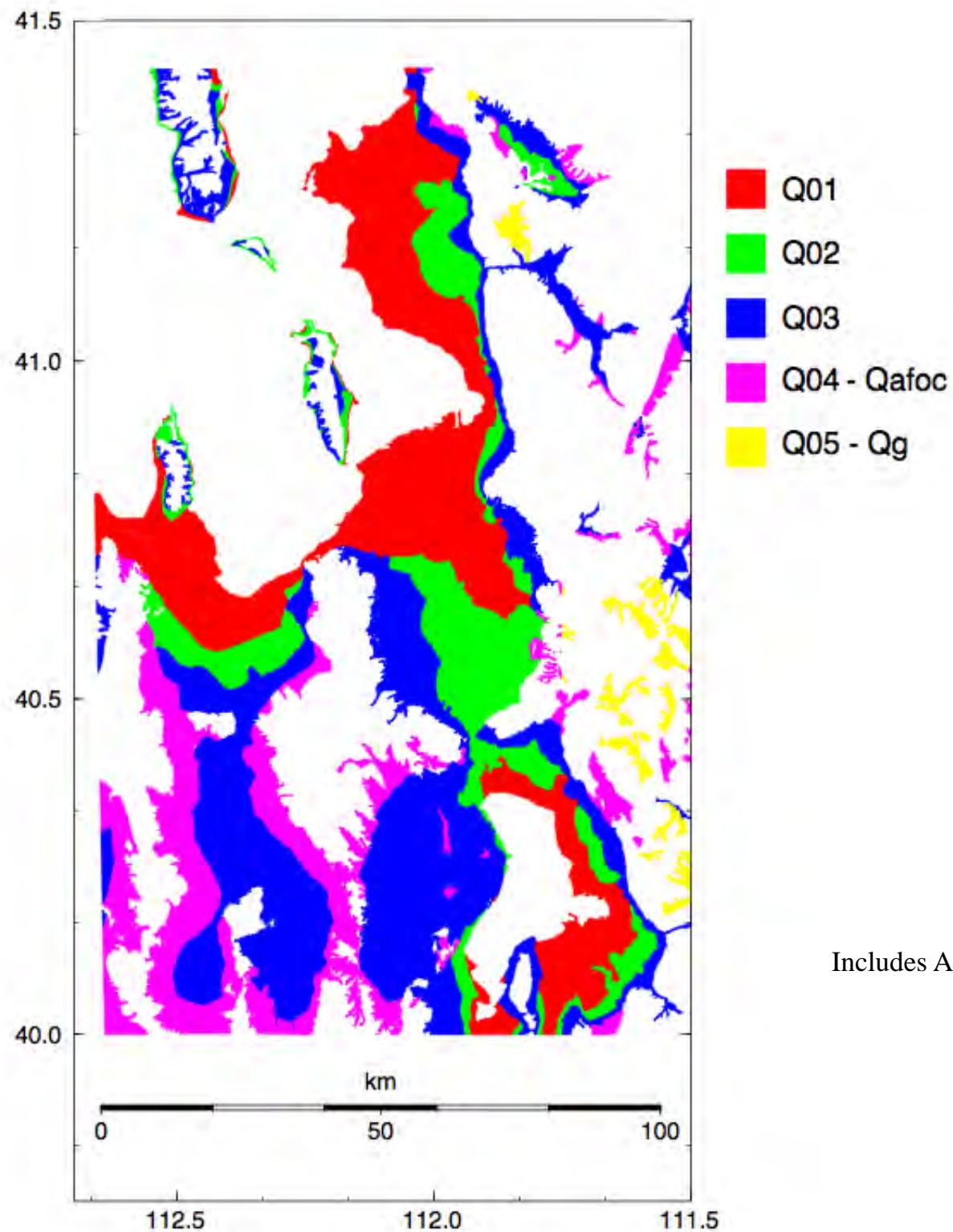


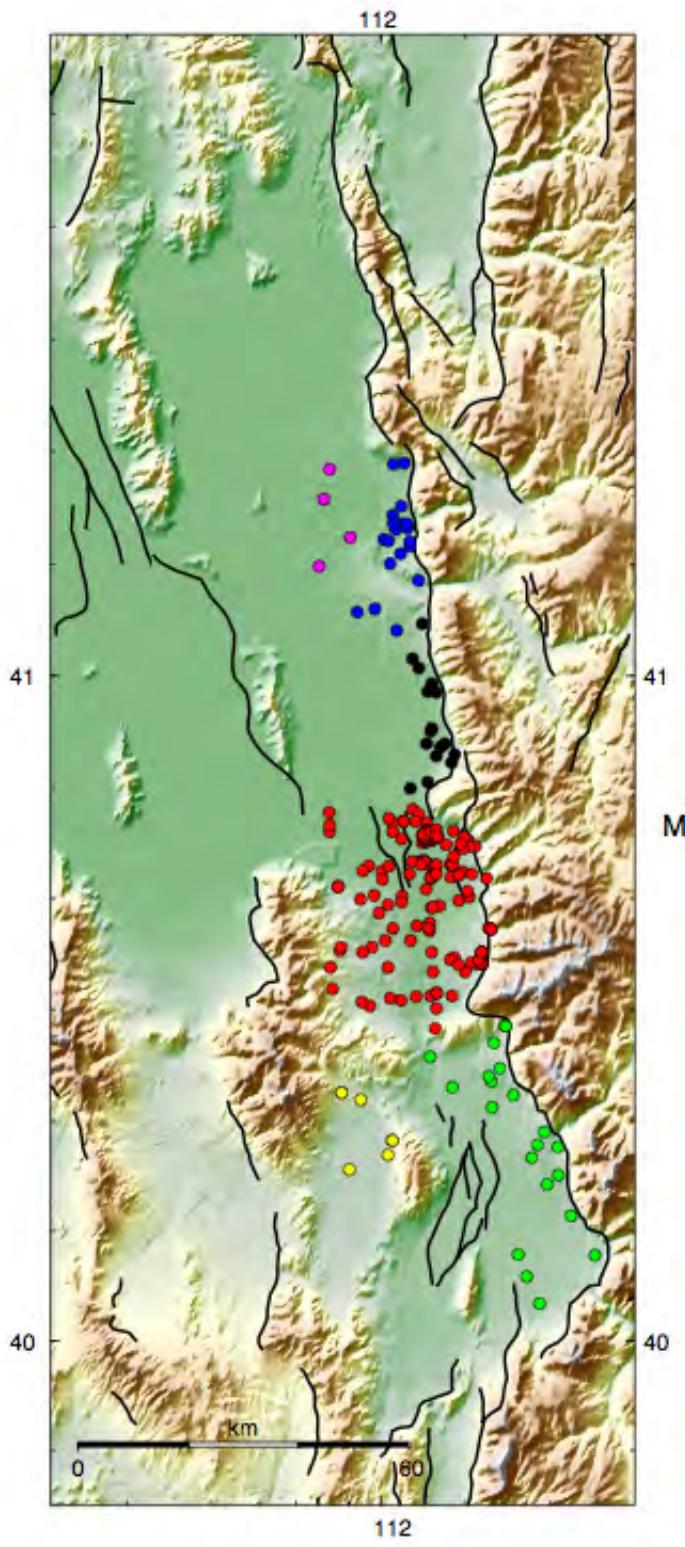




Vp east-west cross section

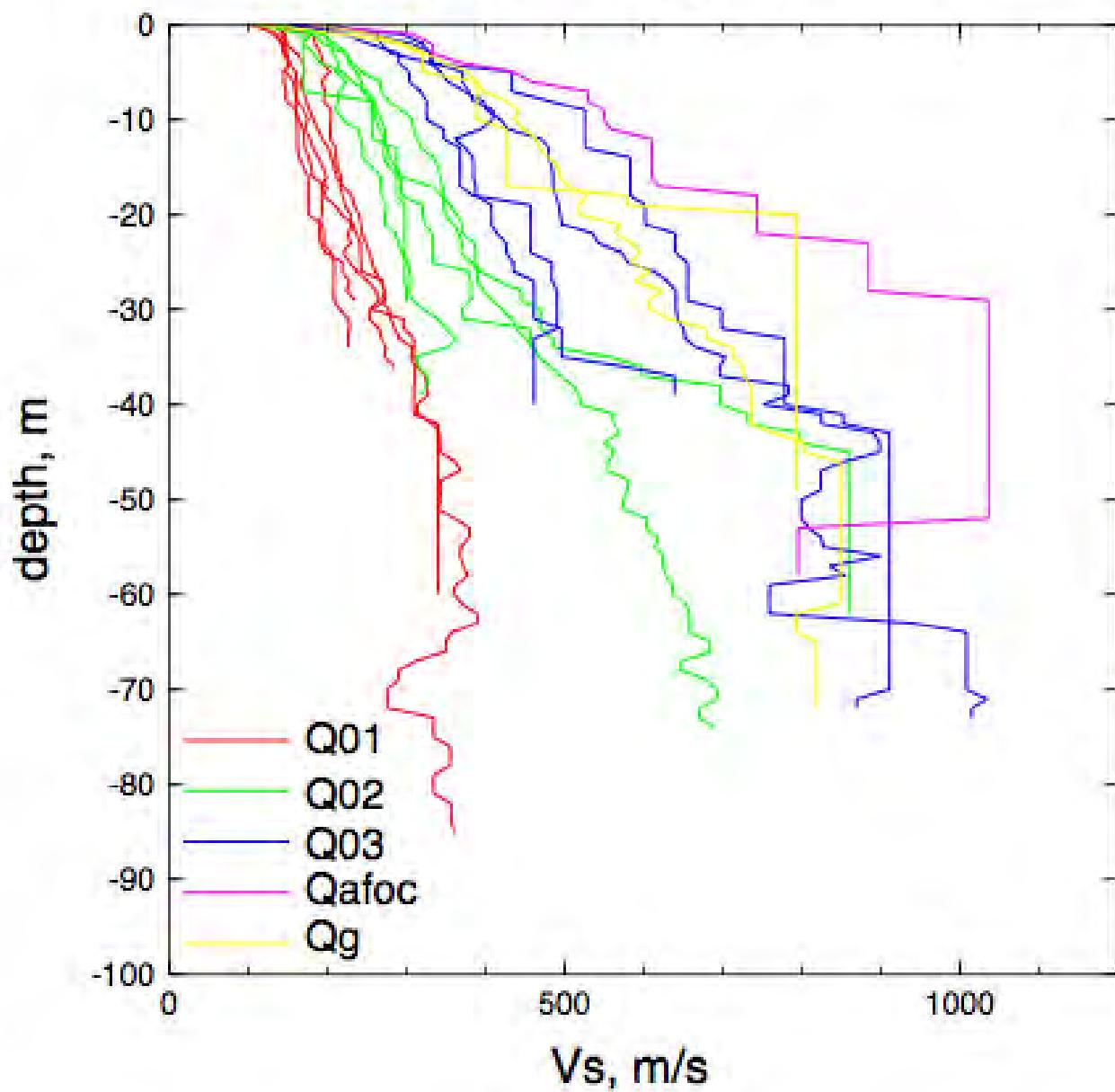






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profiles averaged by basin



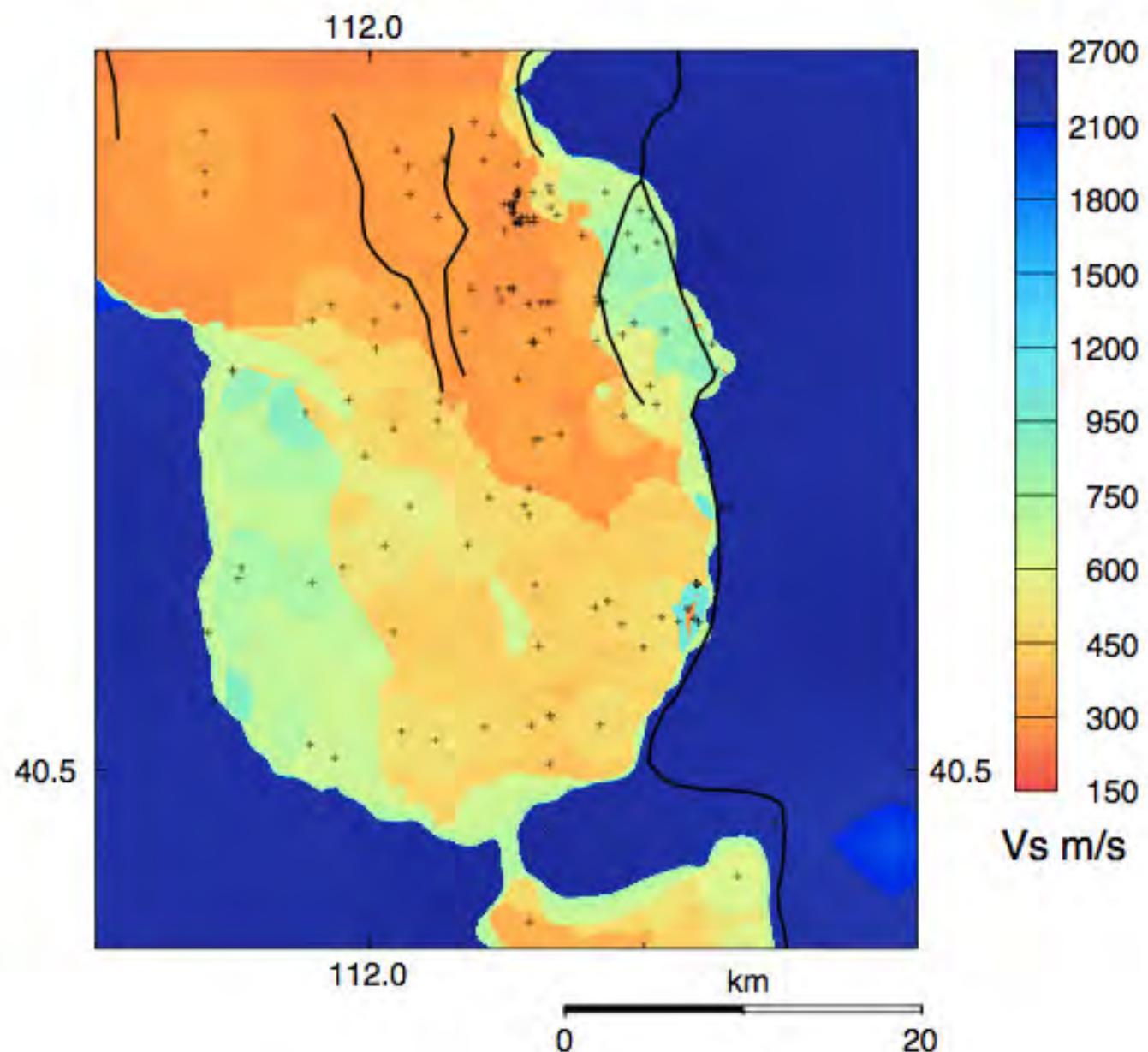
Castagna et al. (1985):

$$V_p \text{ (km/s)} = 1.16V_s + 1.36$$

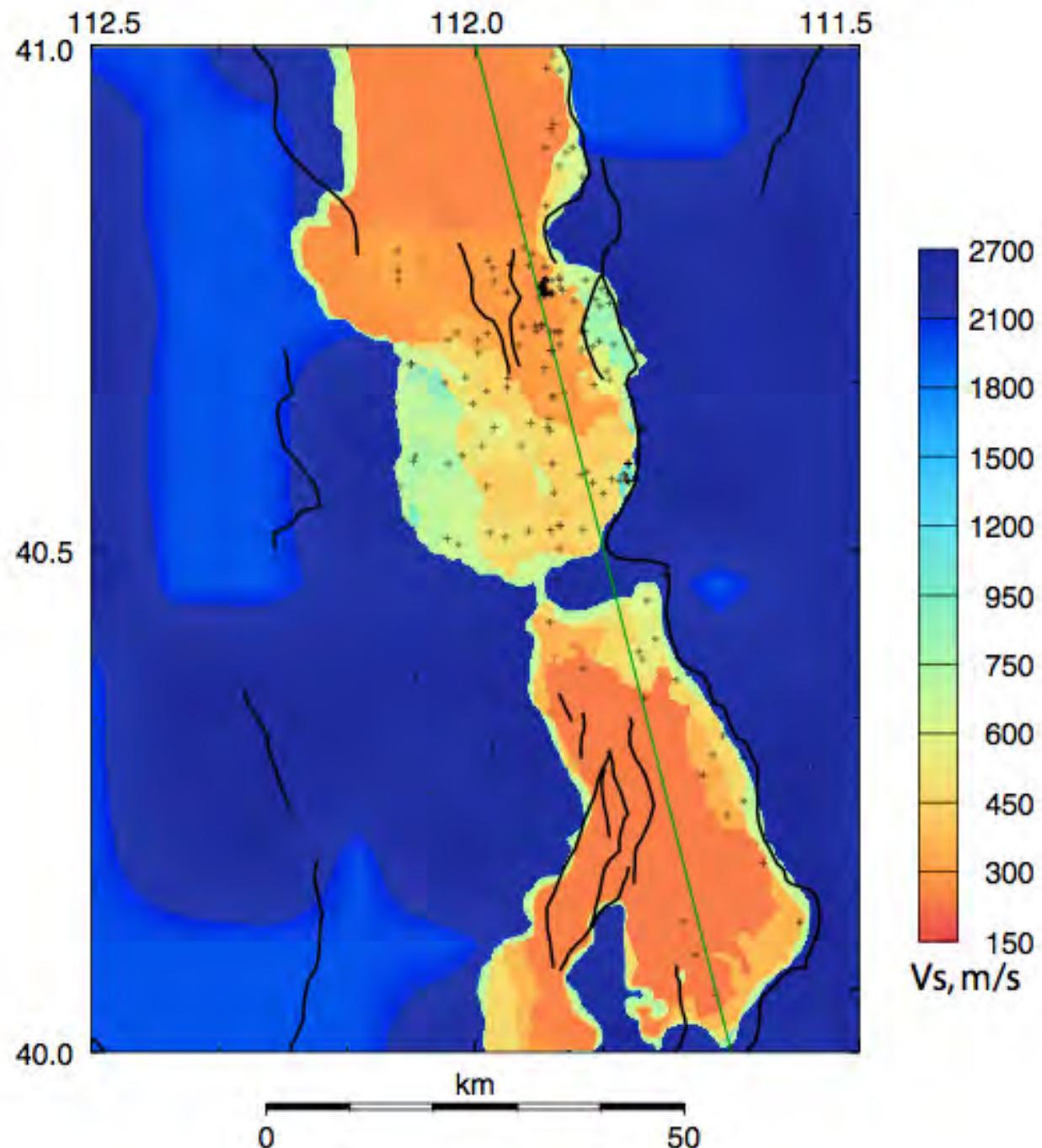
$$1.5 < V_p < 4.5 \text{ km/s}$$

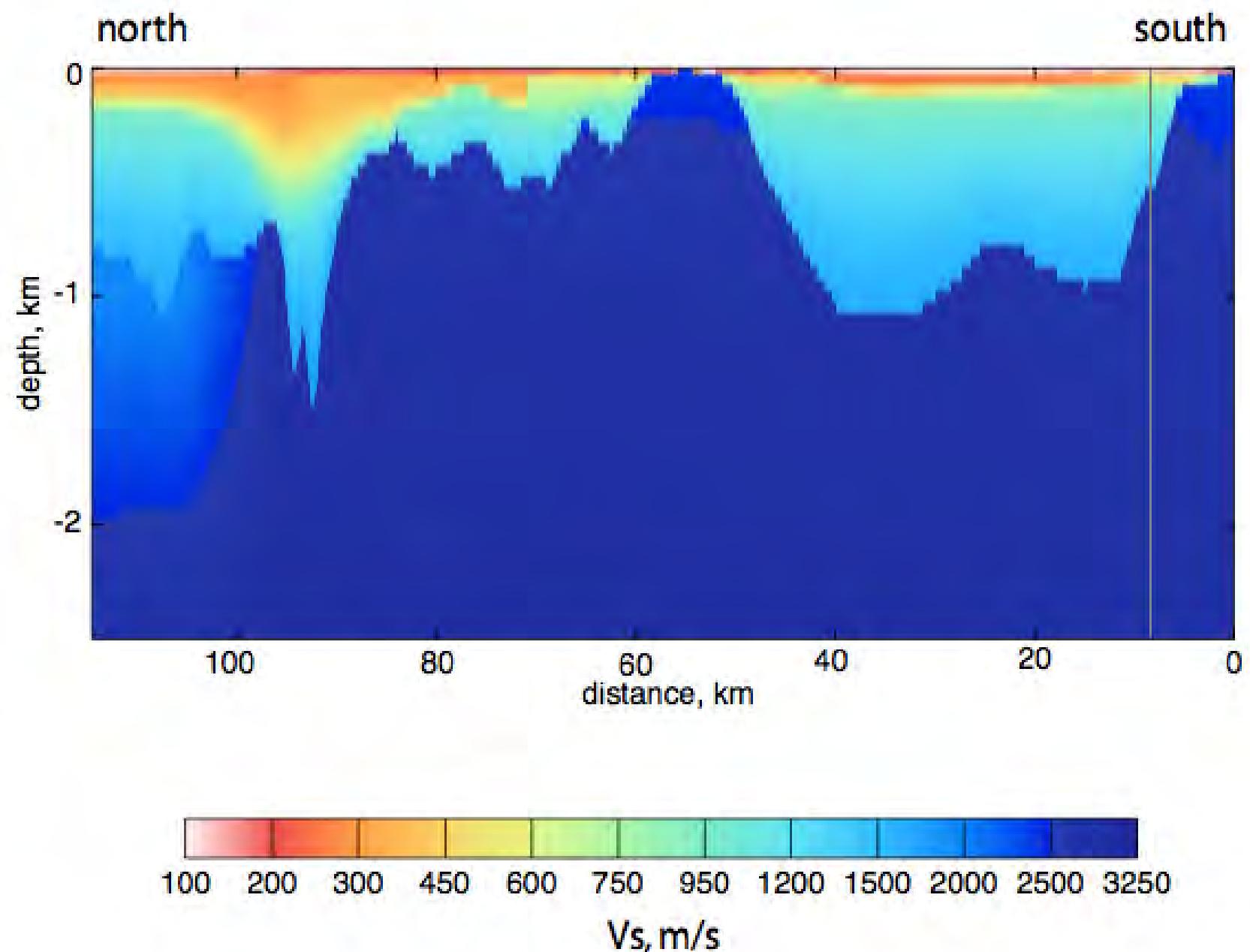
(in Brocher 2005)

V_s at 30 meter depth

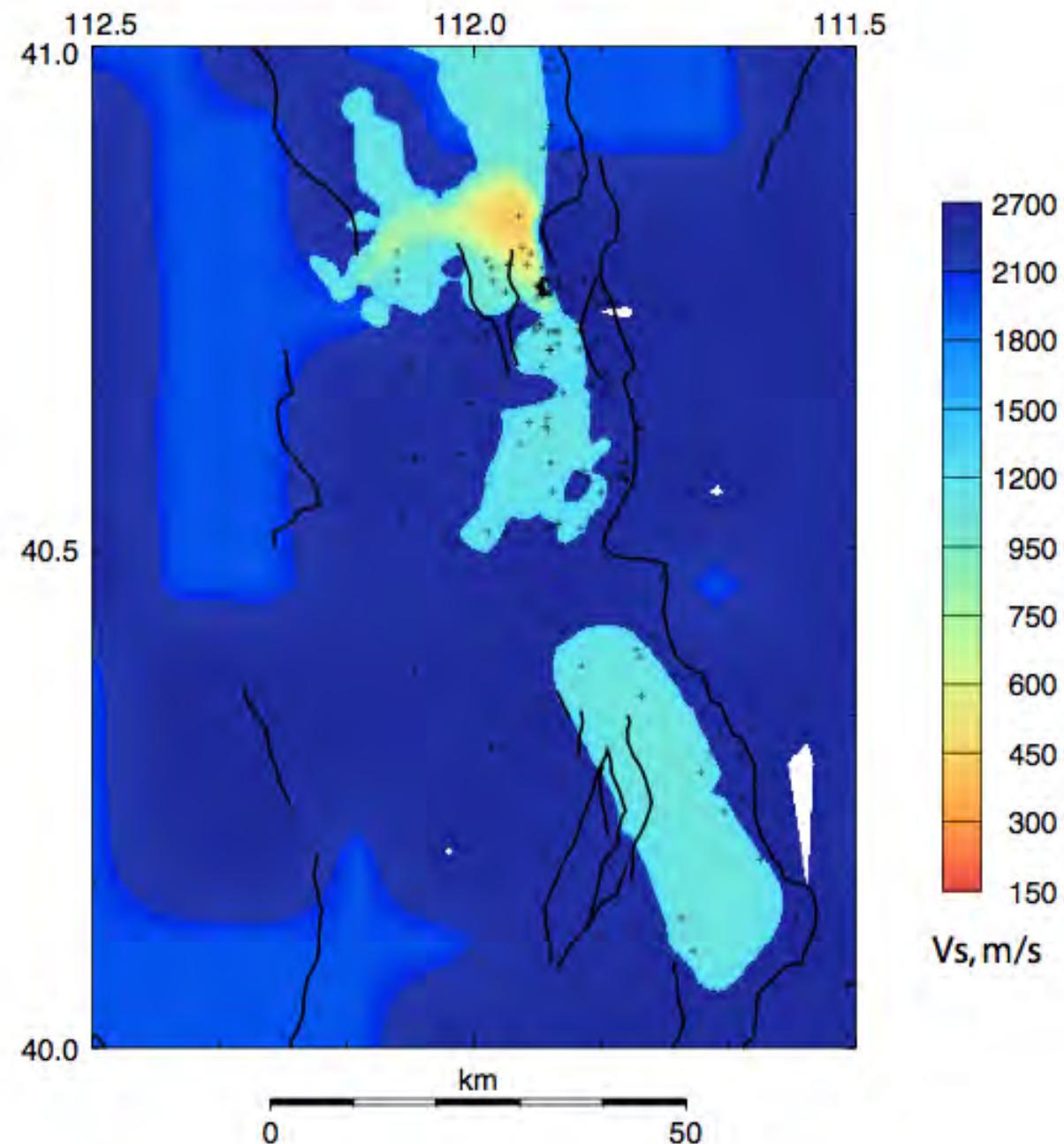


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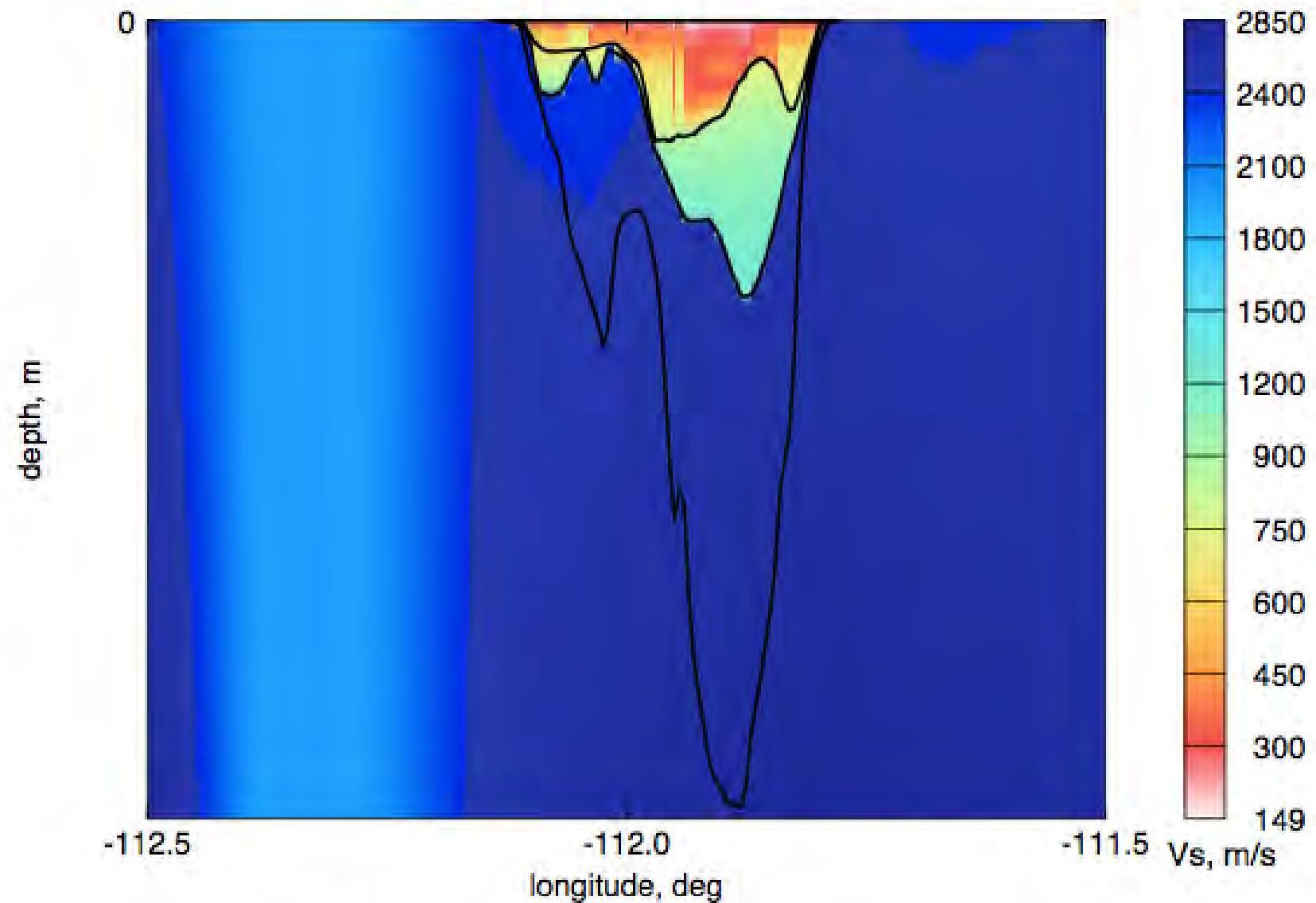




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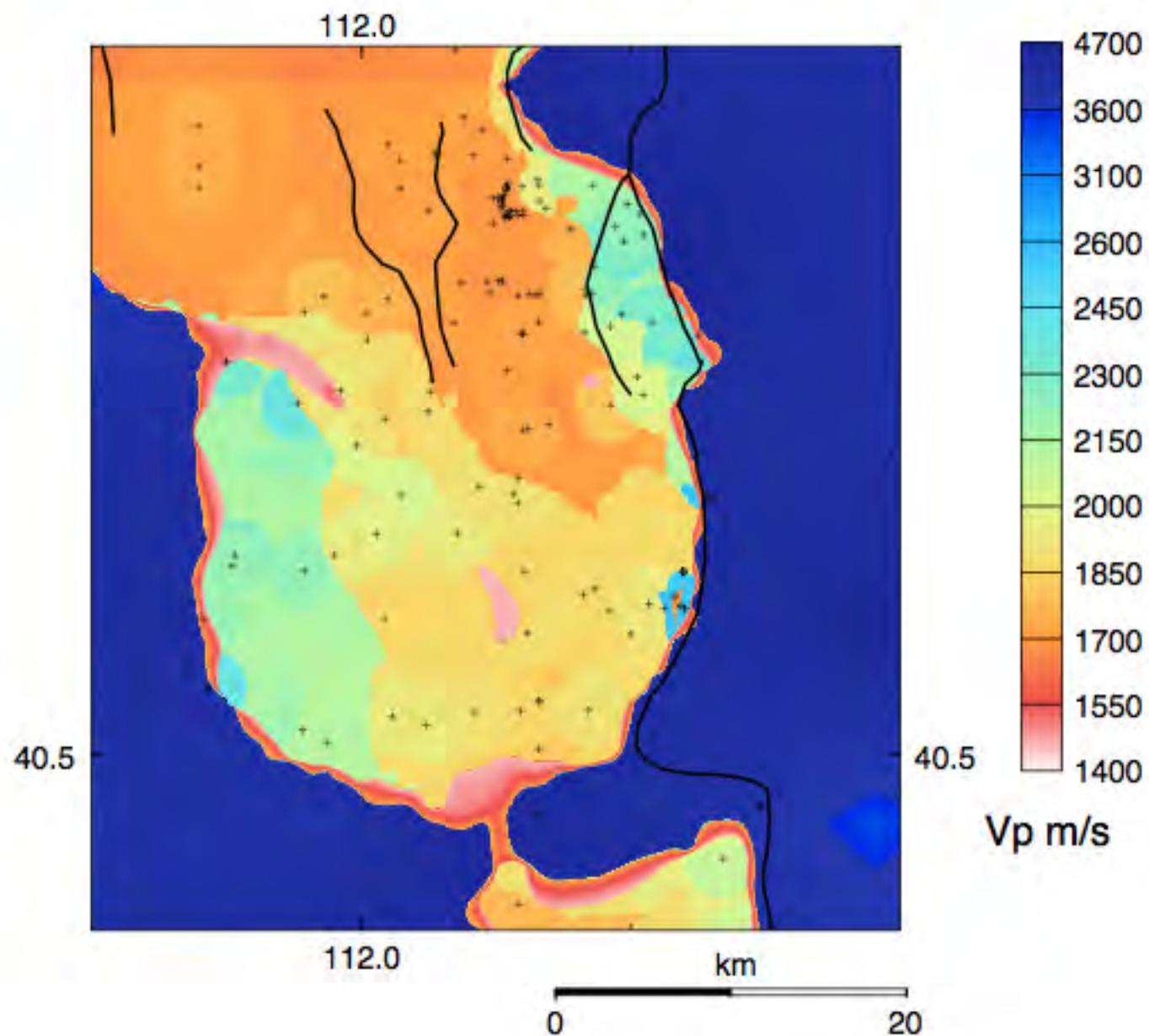


Vs east-west cross section



latitude = $40^{\circ} 40'$

Vp at 30 meter depth



Rule Based Seismic Velocity Model

-Compile geologic and geophysical information.

examples: stratigraphy
oil well sonic logs
tomography results

-Define reference surfaces (or other objects).

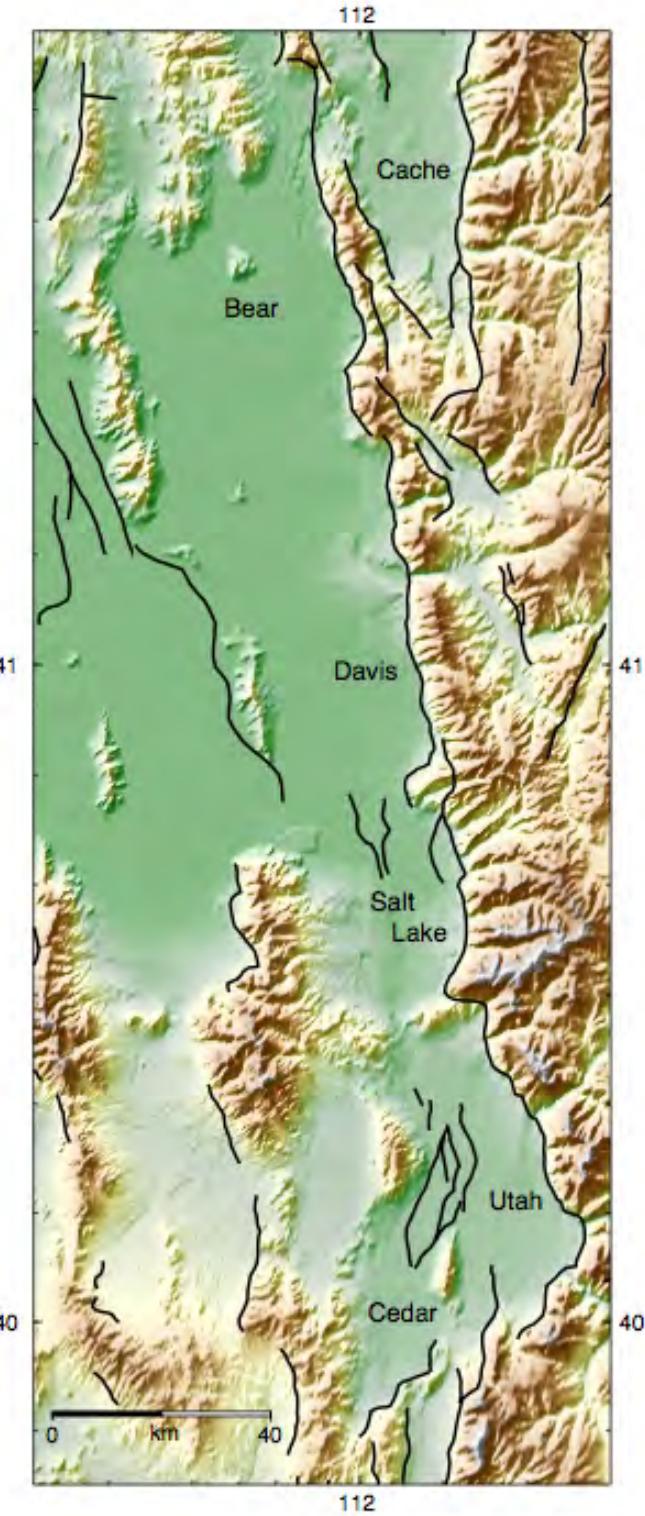
examples: lithologic contacts (isoage surface)
isovelocity surface
tomography model nodes

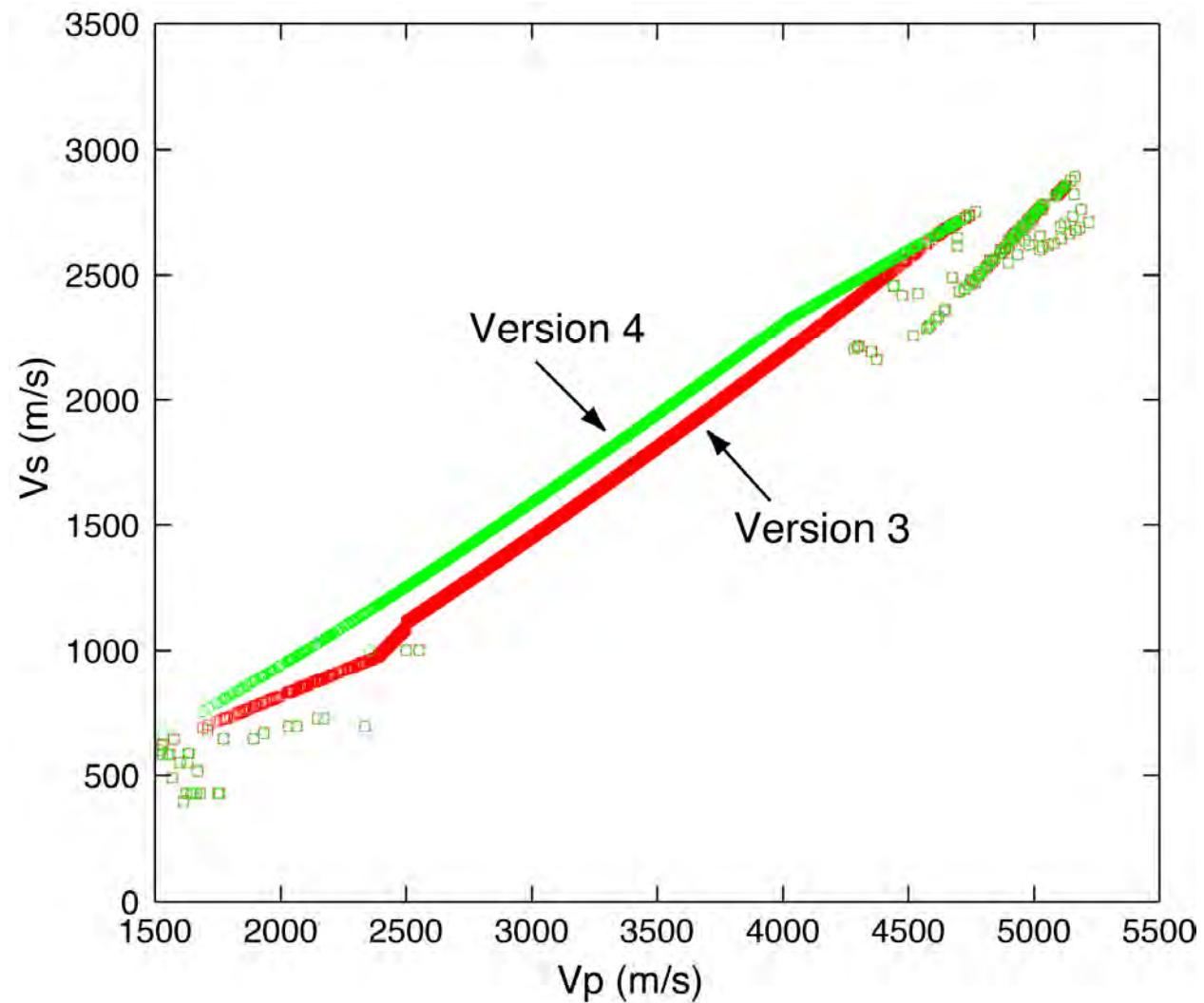
-Compare point of interest to objects and interpolate properties.

examples: interpolation of age between surfaces
interpolation of velocity between tomography nodes

-Apply rule to get velocity (or other property) at point of interest.

examples: linear gradient between isovelocity surfaces
Faust's rule (velocity-age-depth relation)
 $V_p = k(d_a)^{1/6}$



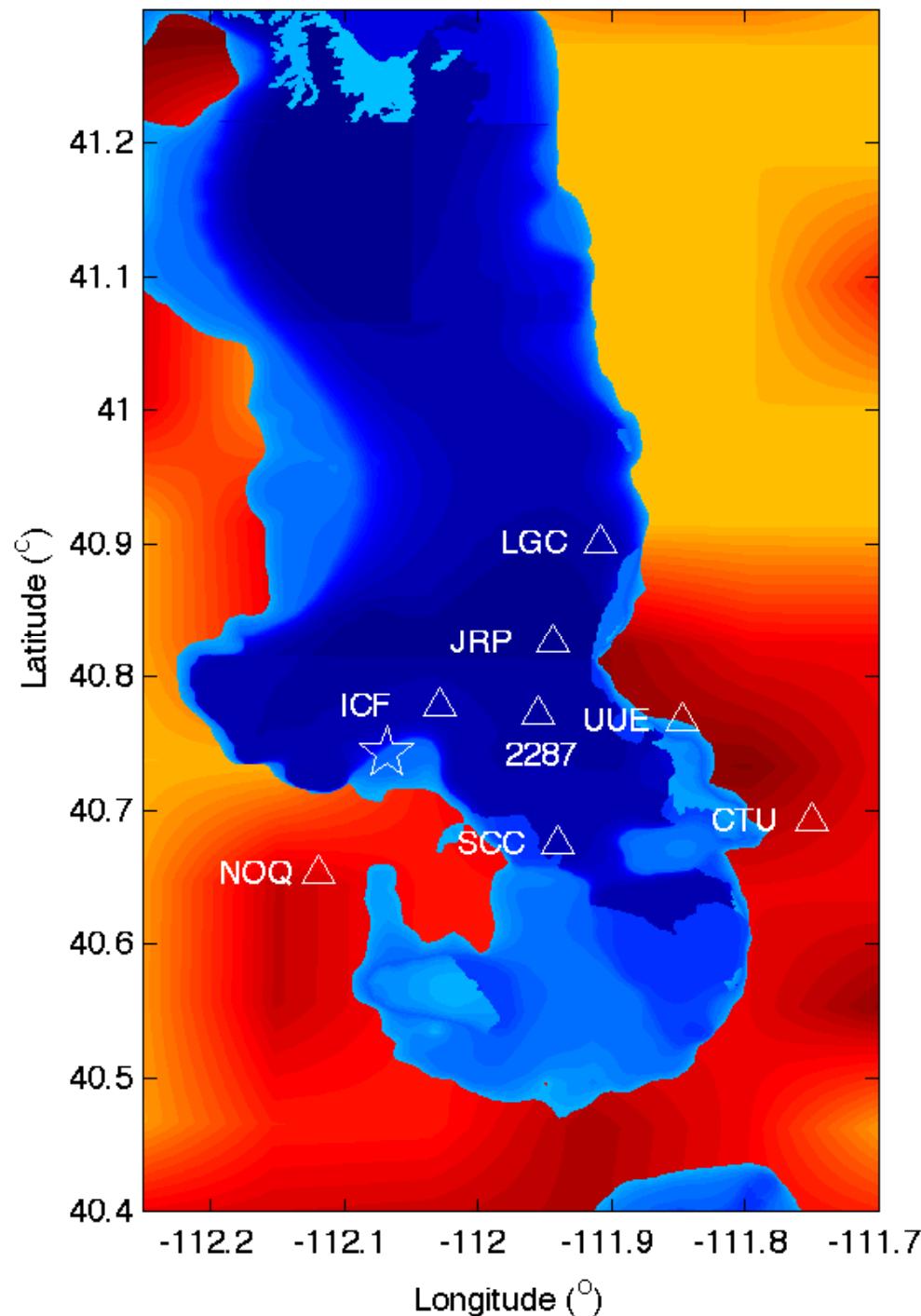


Validation of the Wasatch Front Community Velocity Model - Preliminary Waveform Fits (or The Good the Bad, and the Ugly)

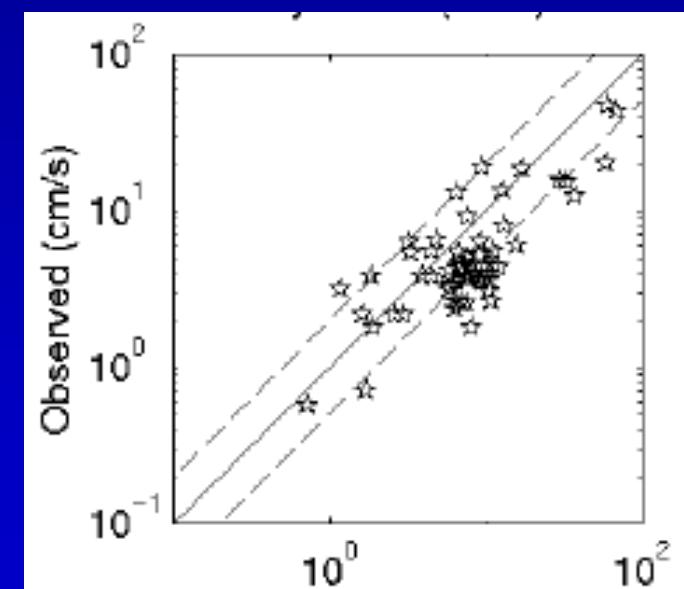
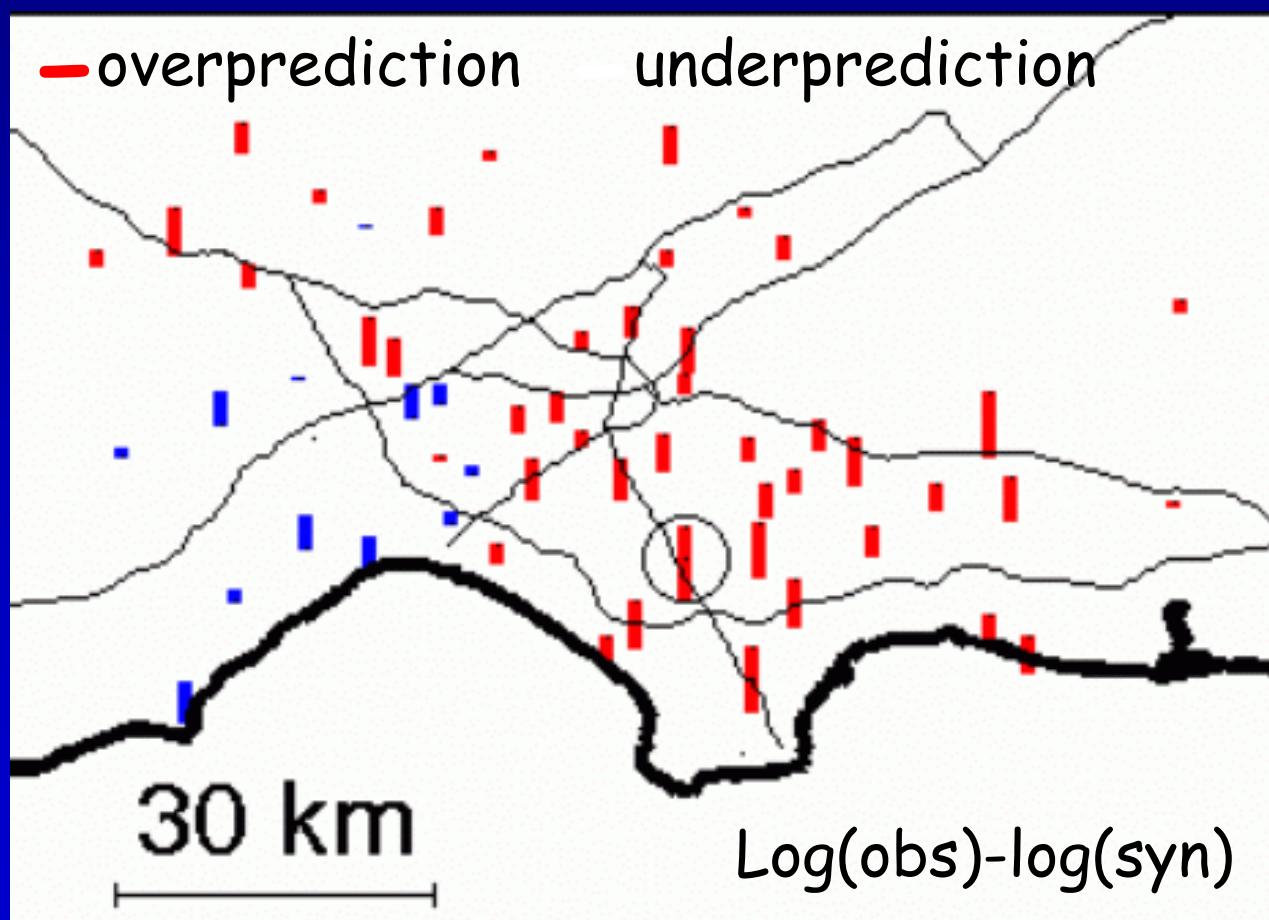
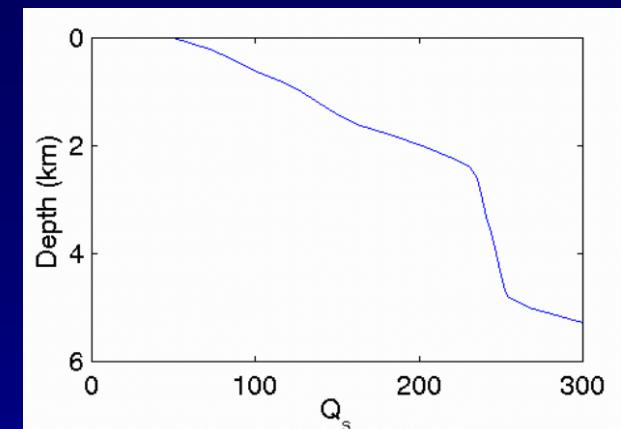
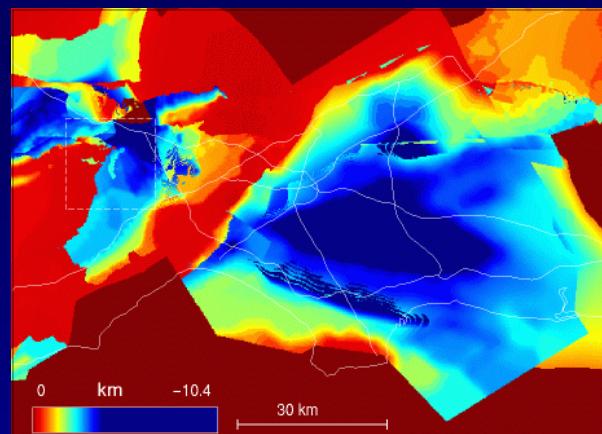
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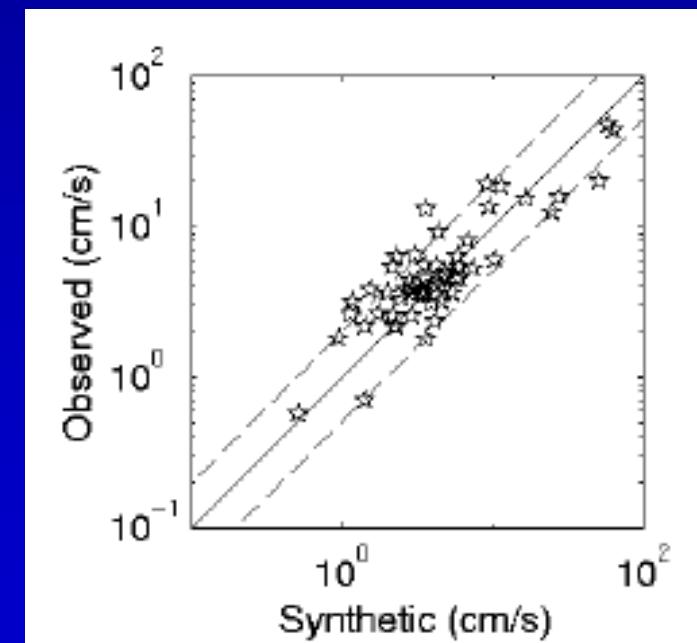
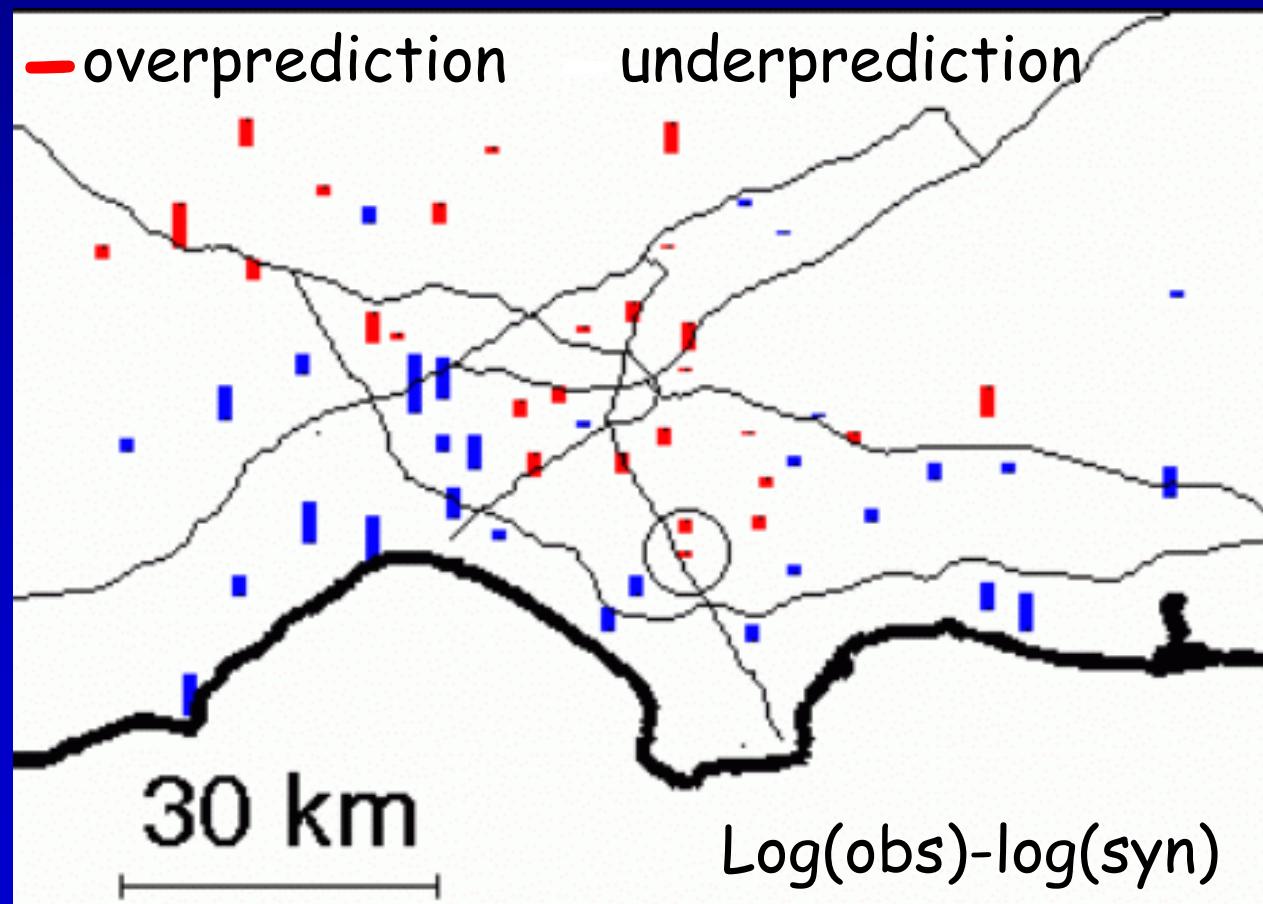
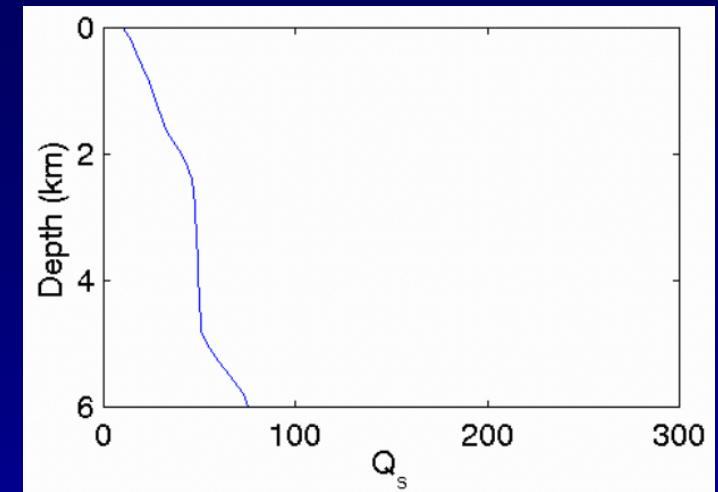
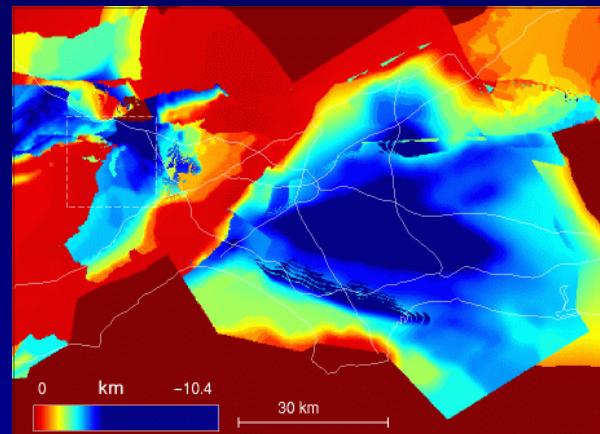
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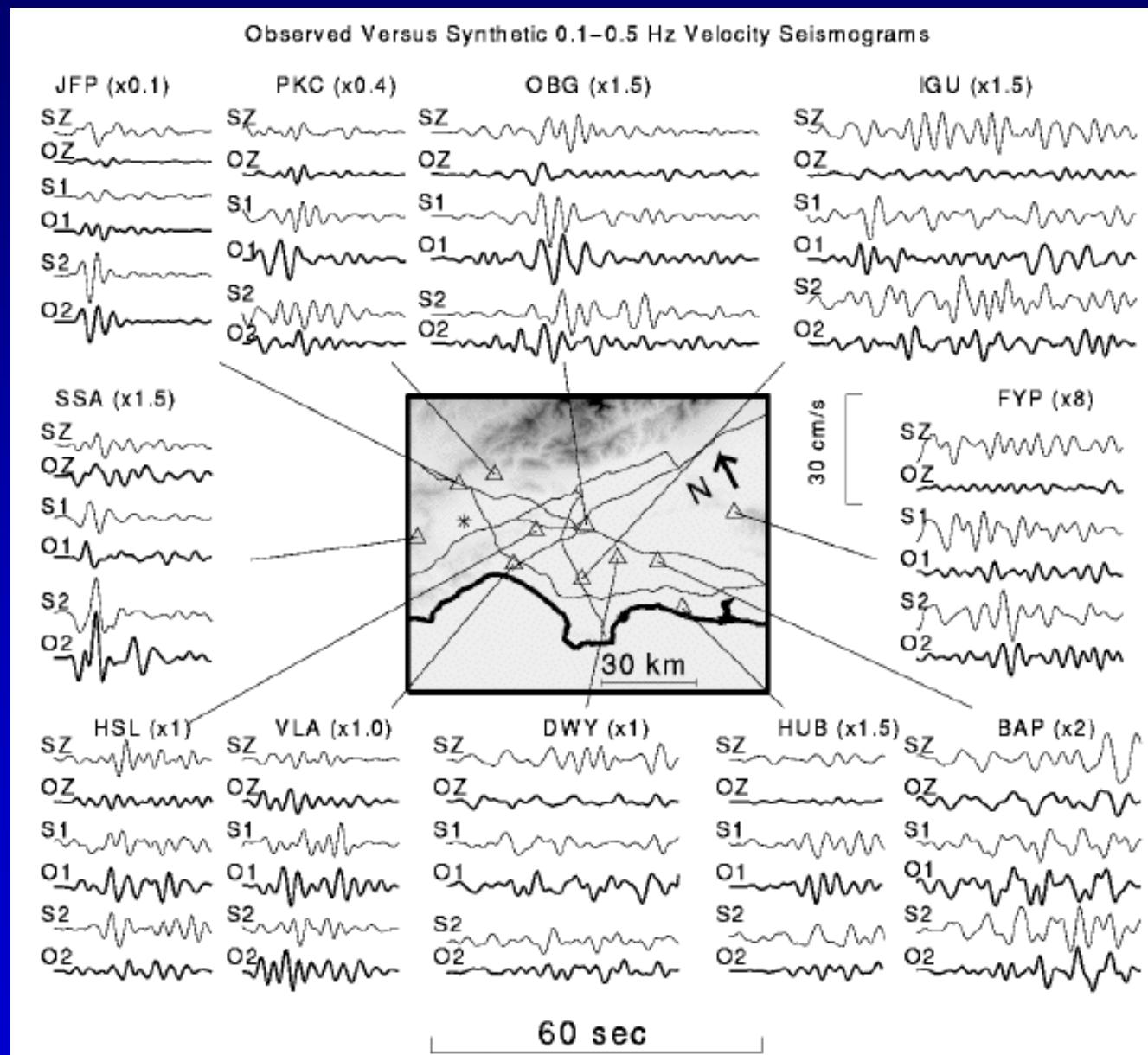
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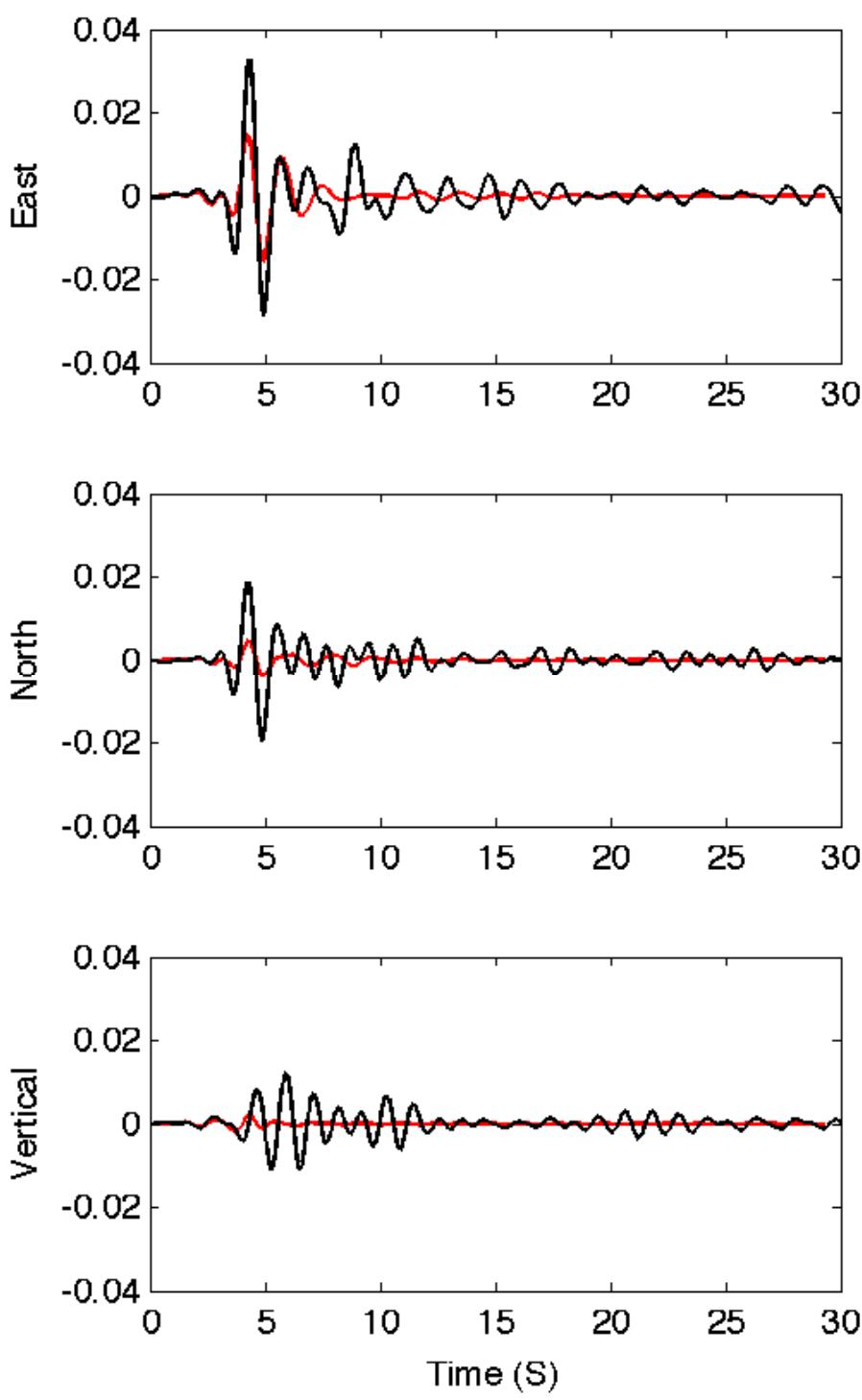
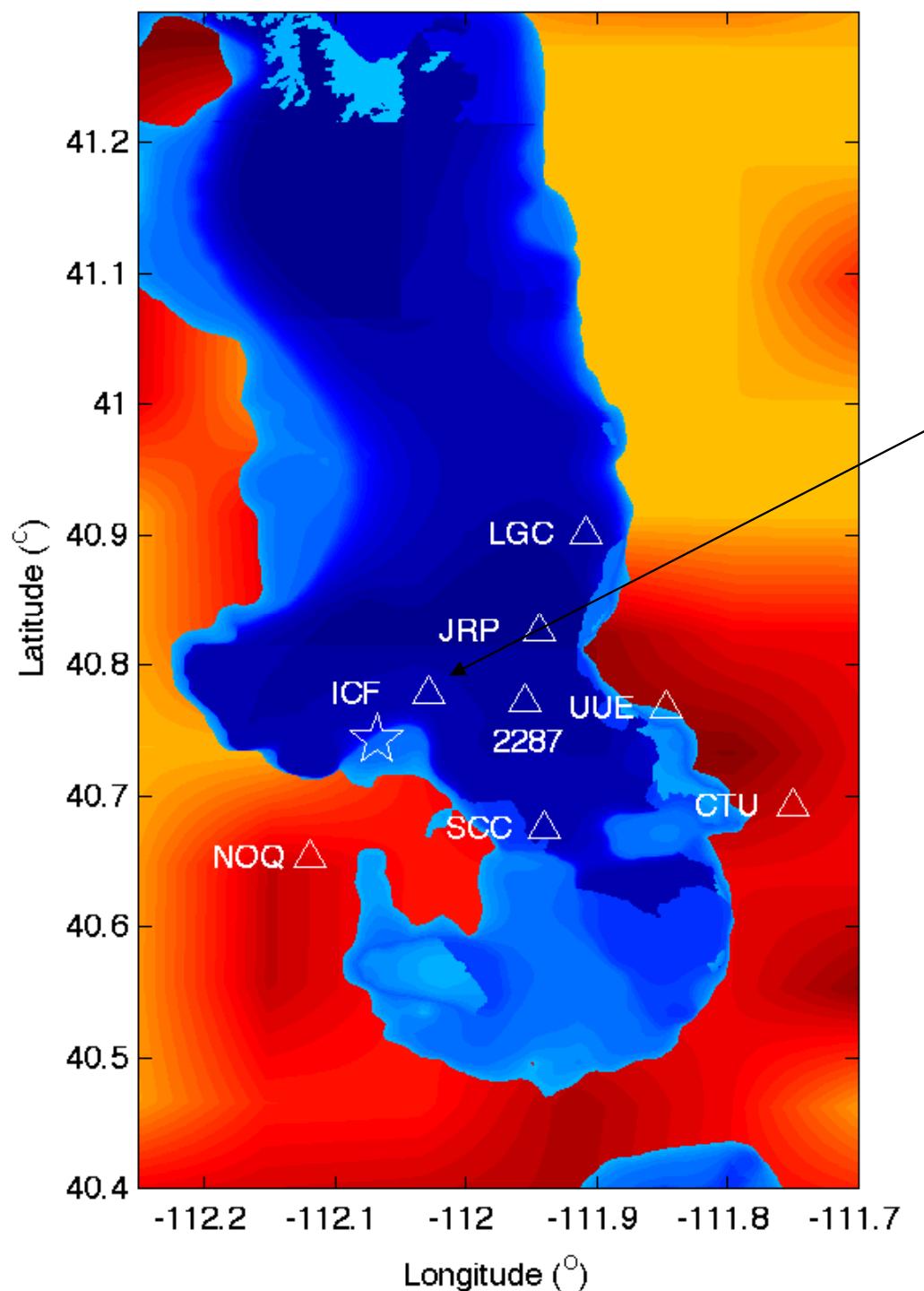
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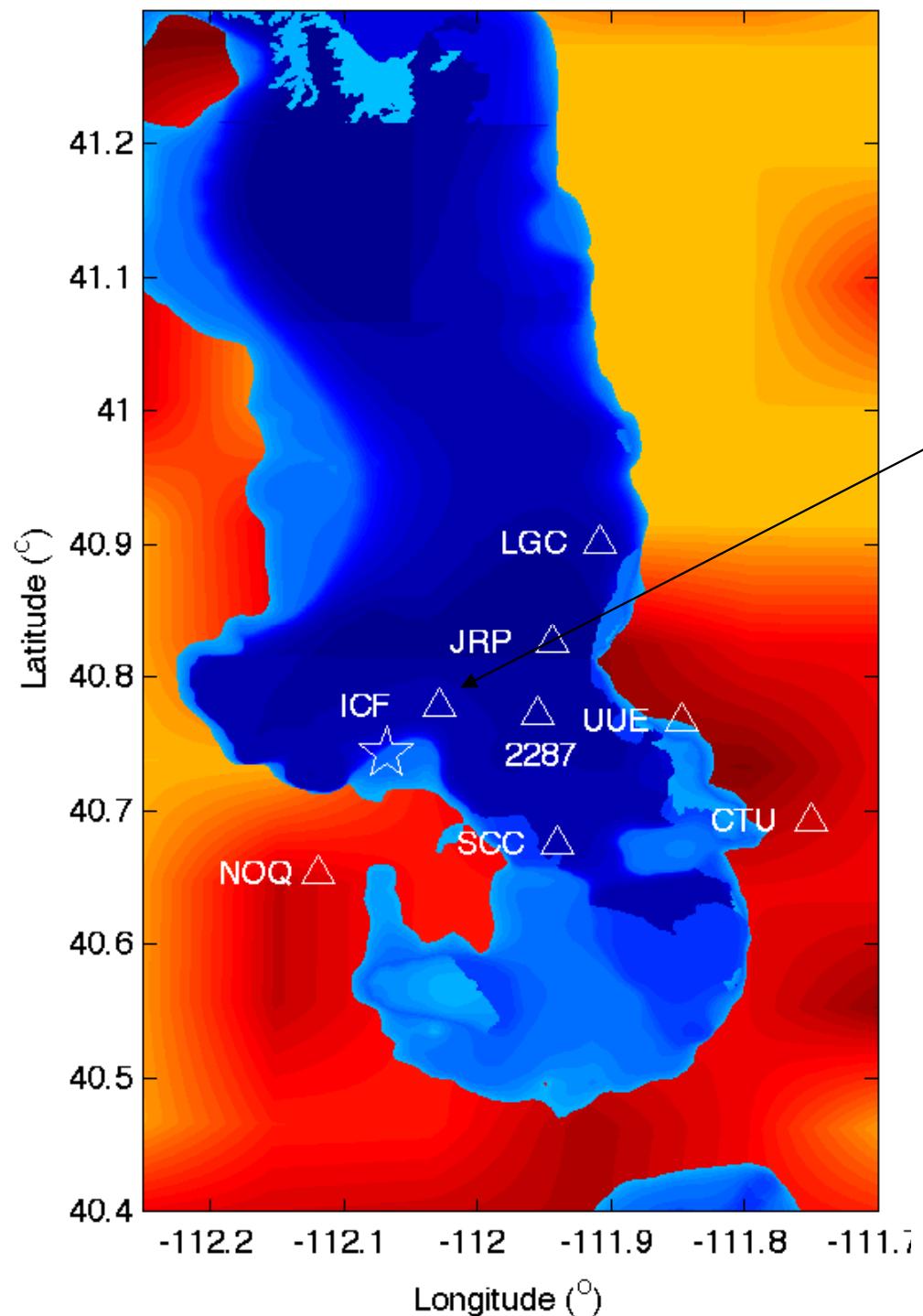
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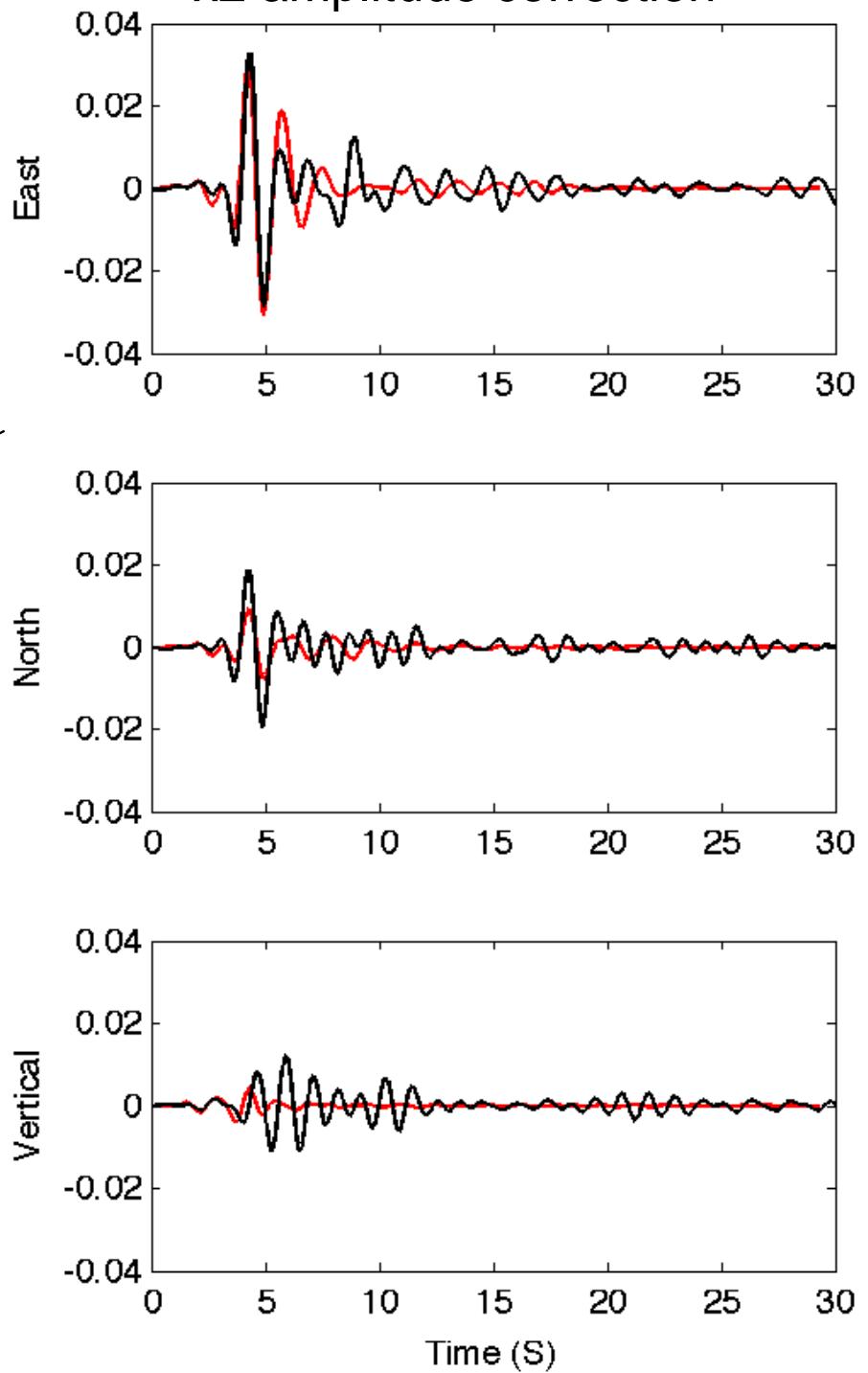
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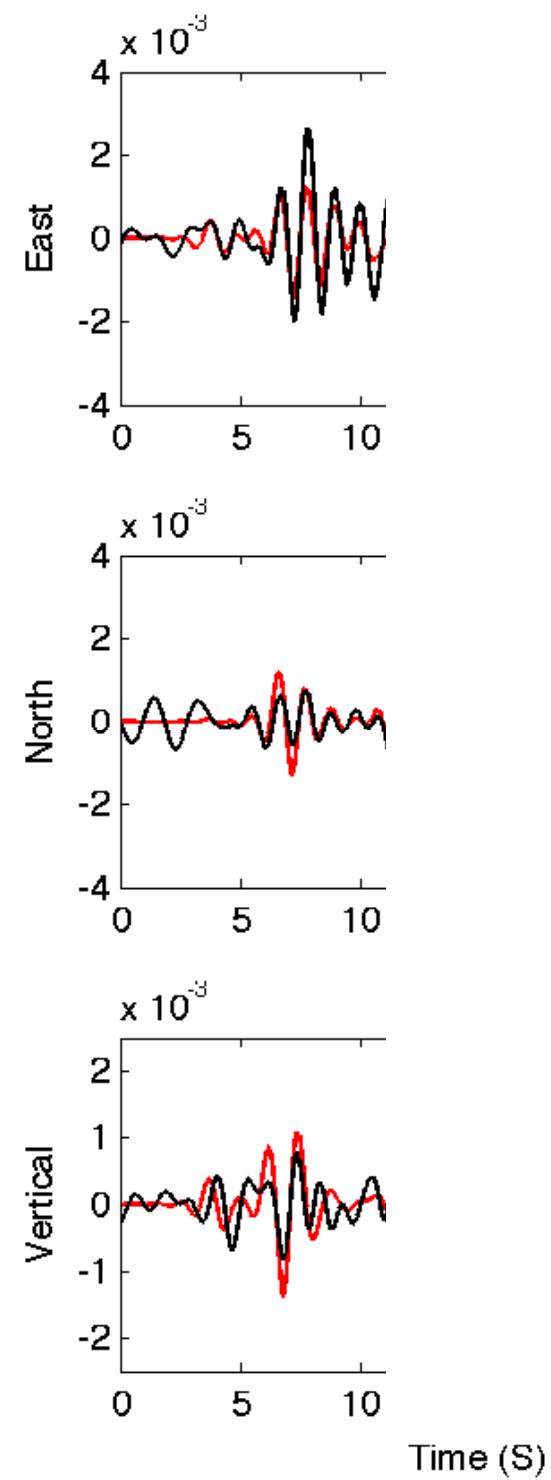
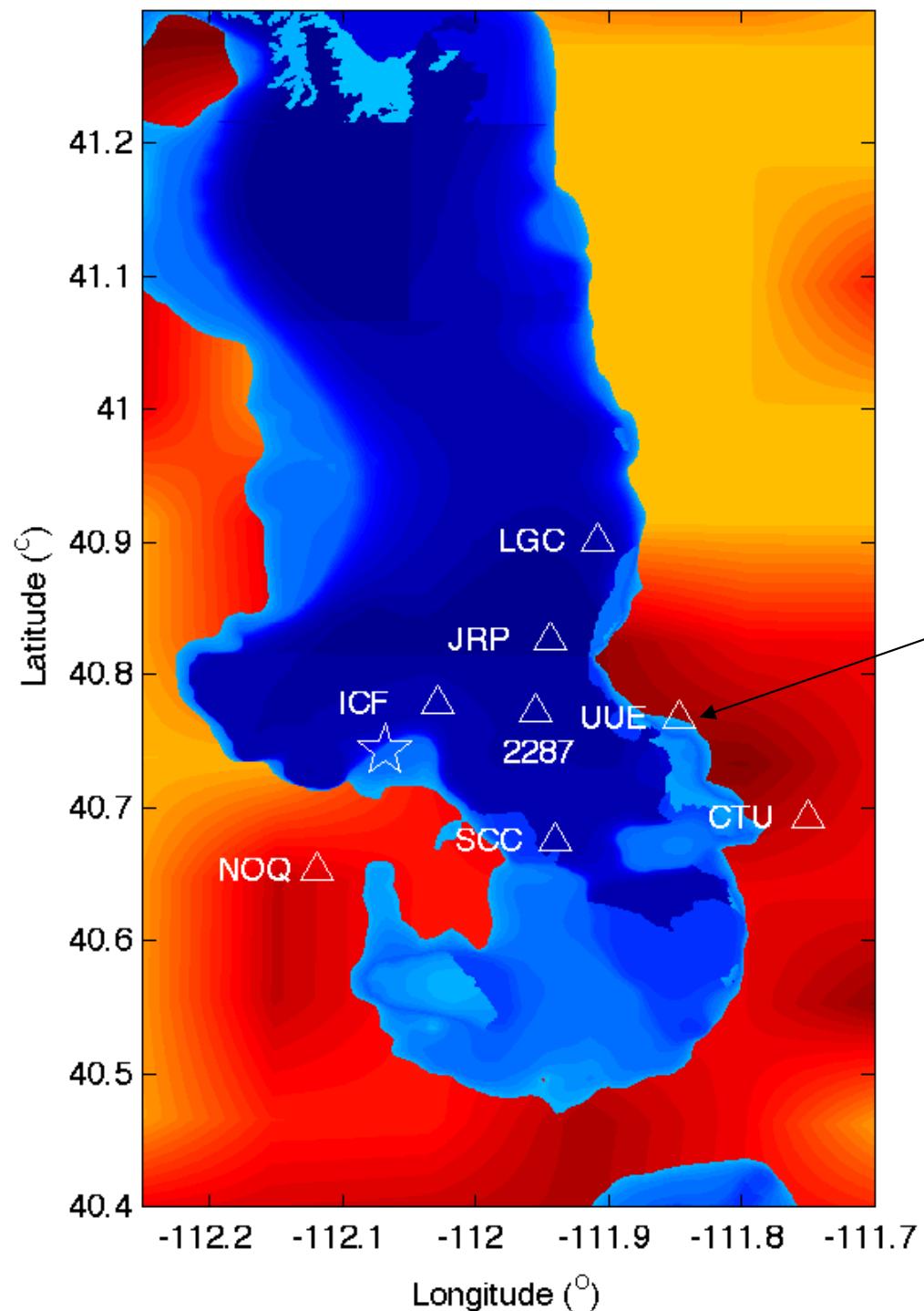
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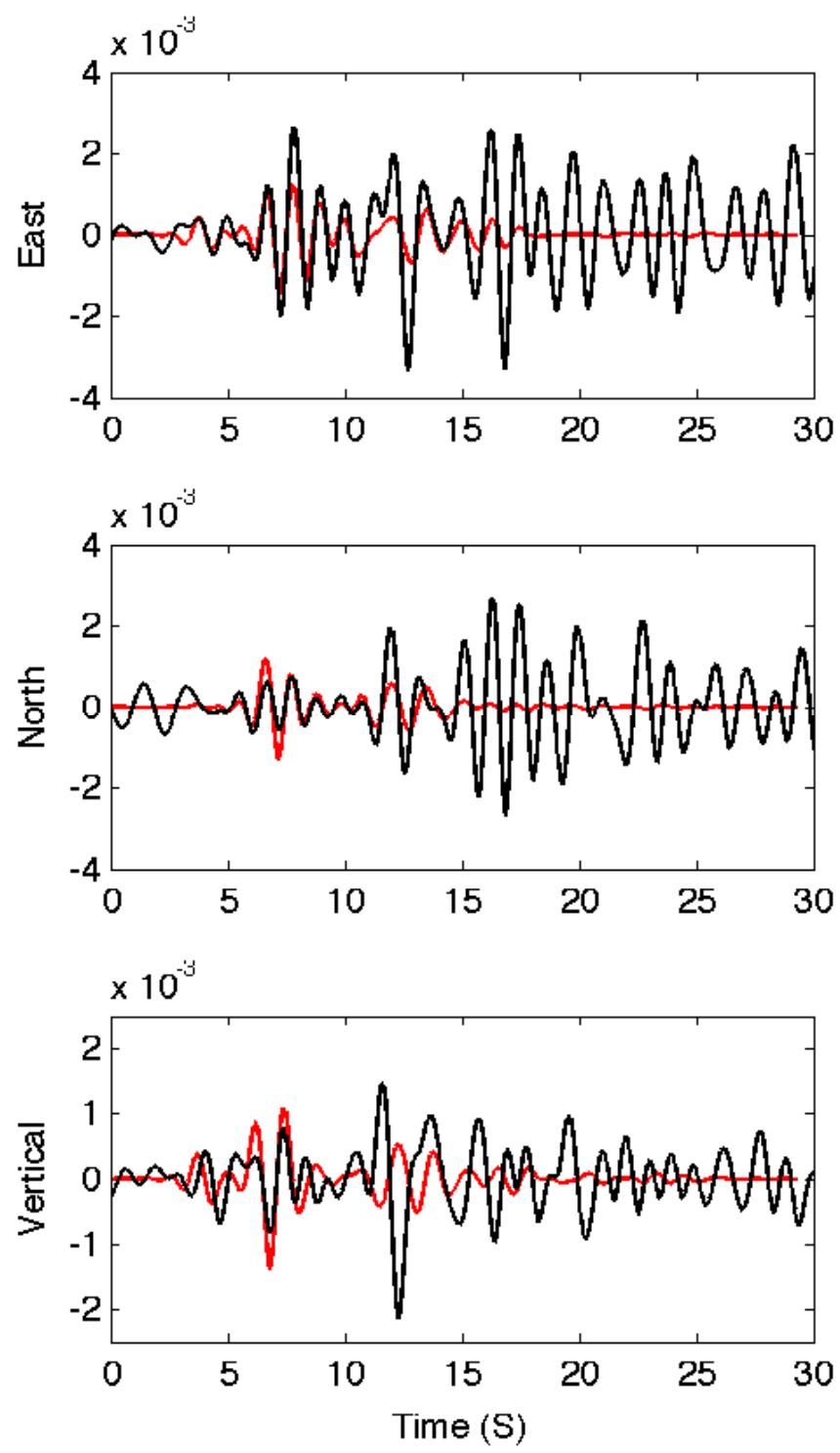
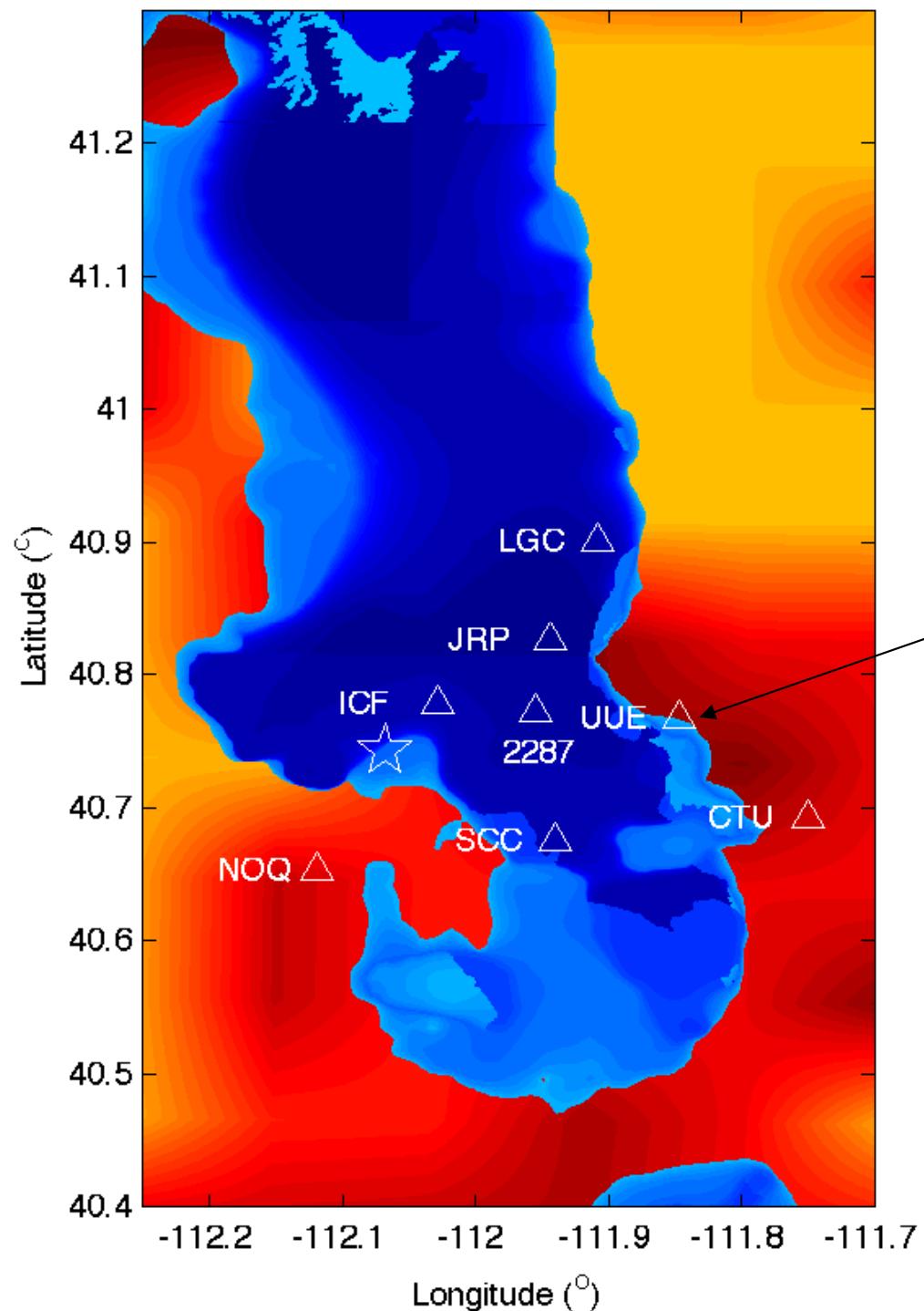
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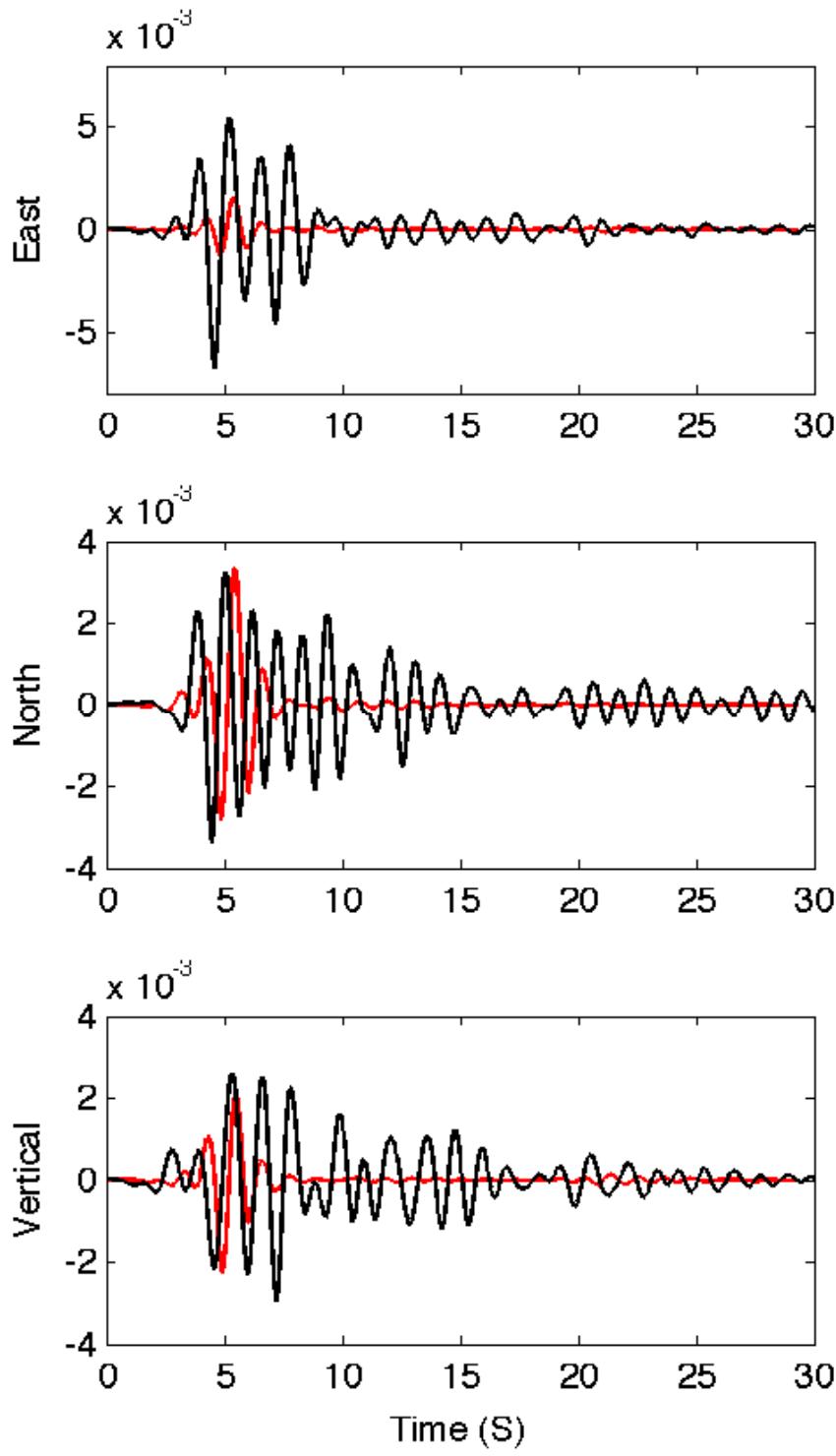
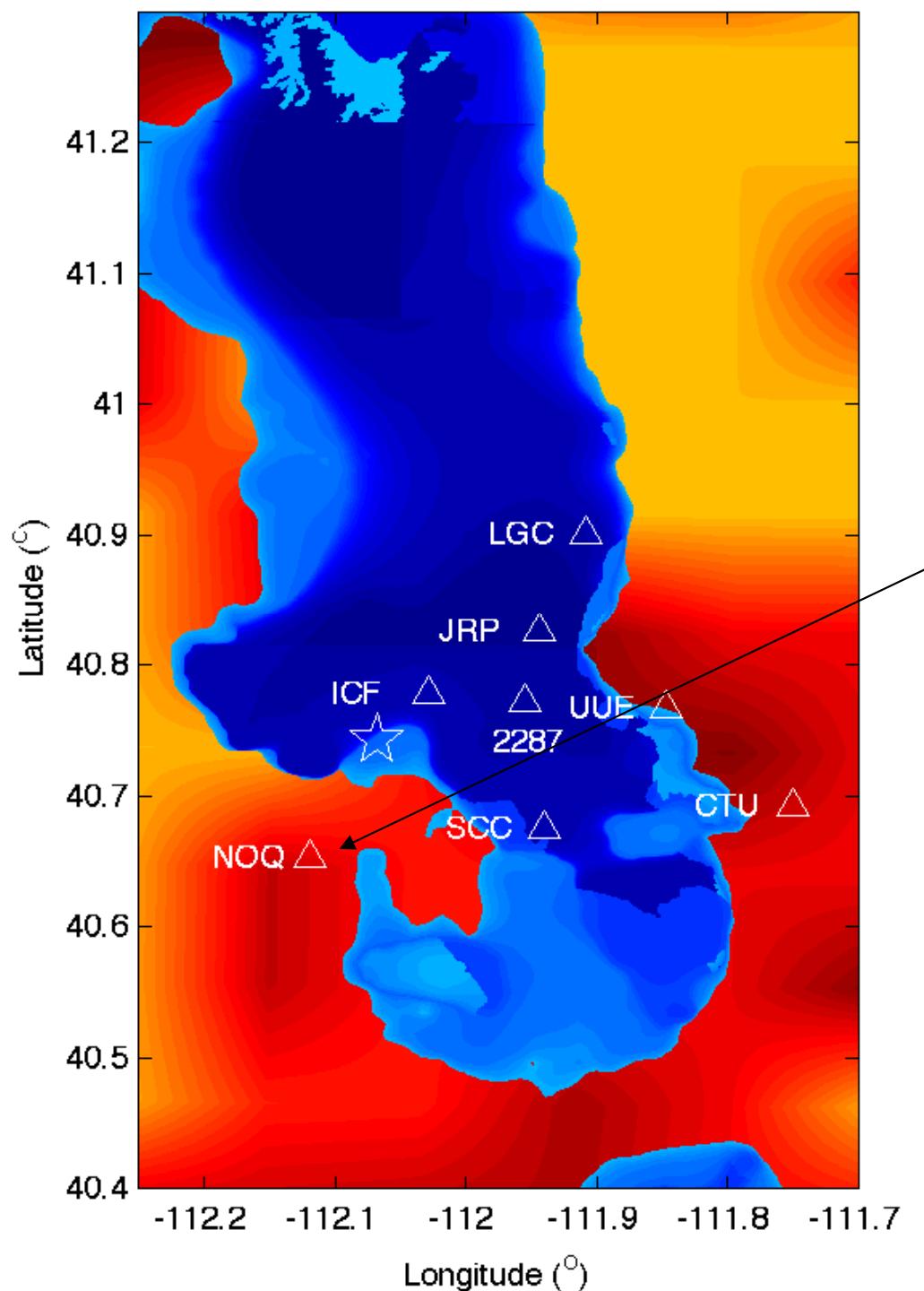
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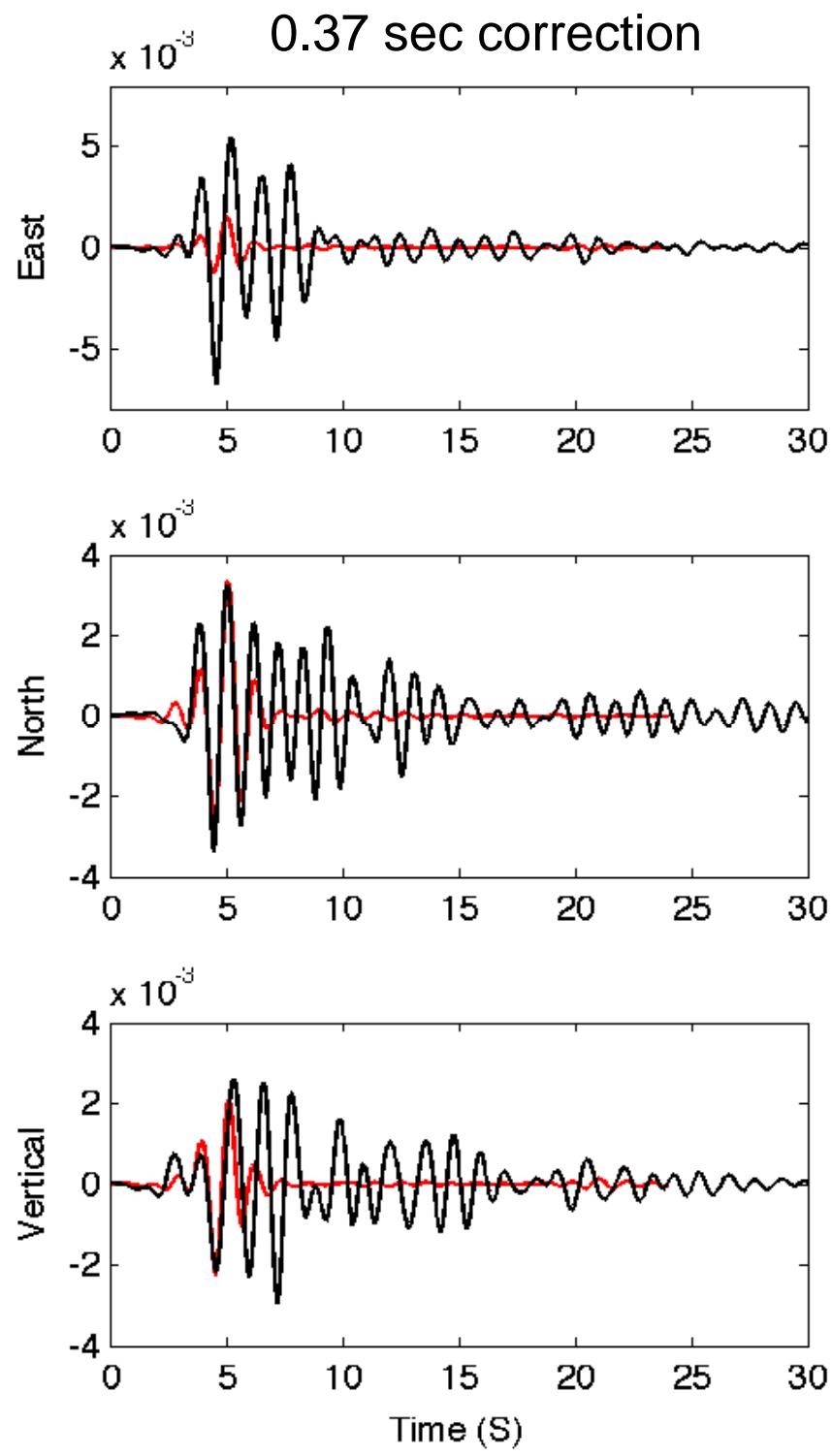
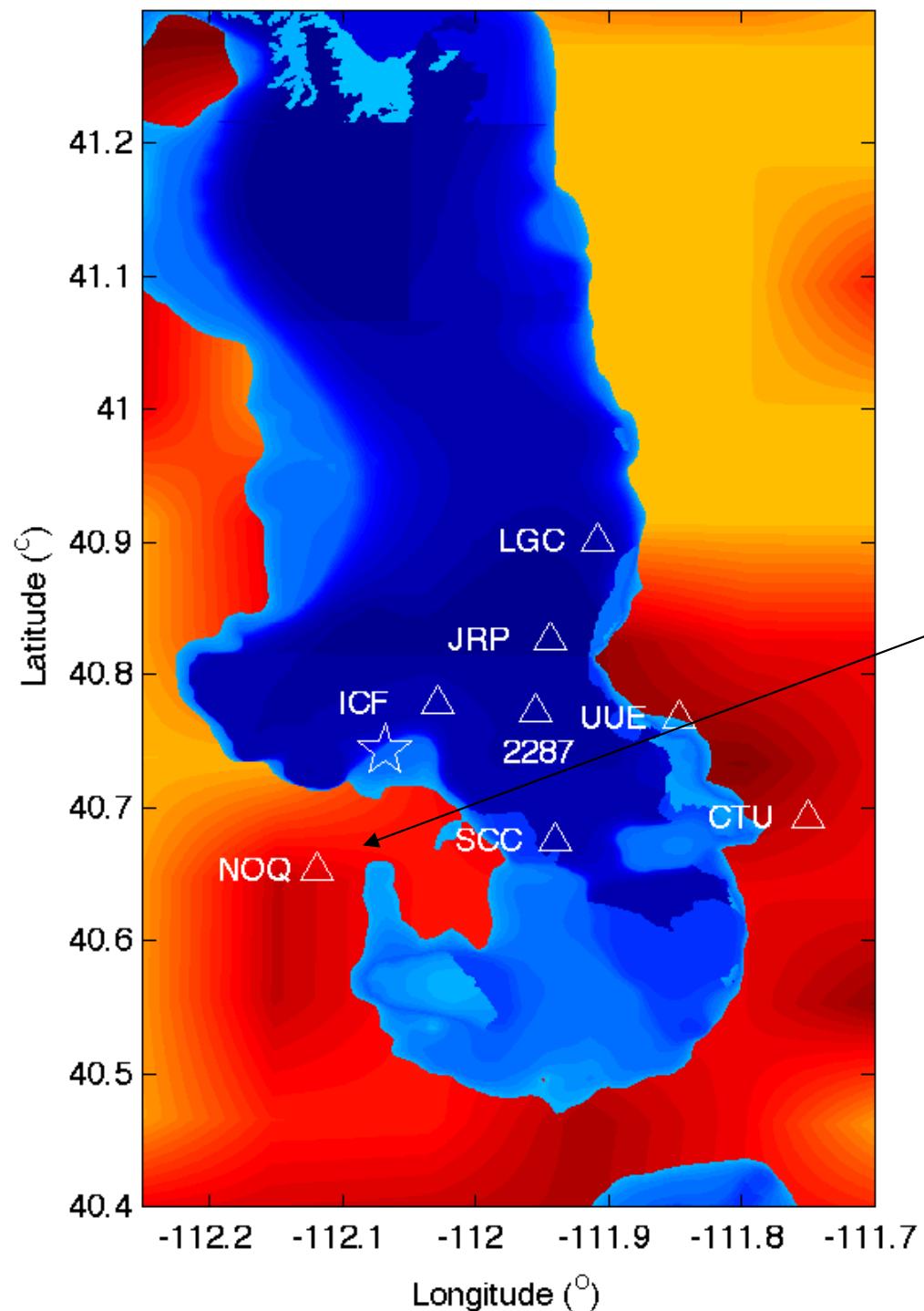
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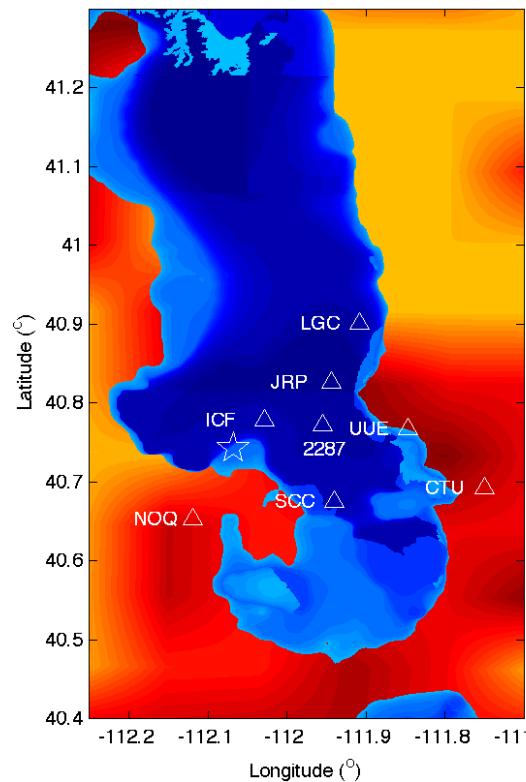
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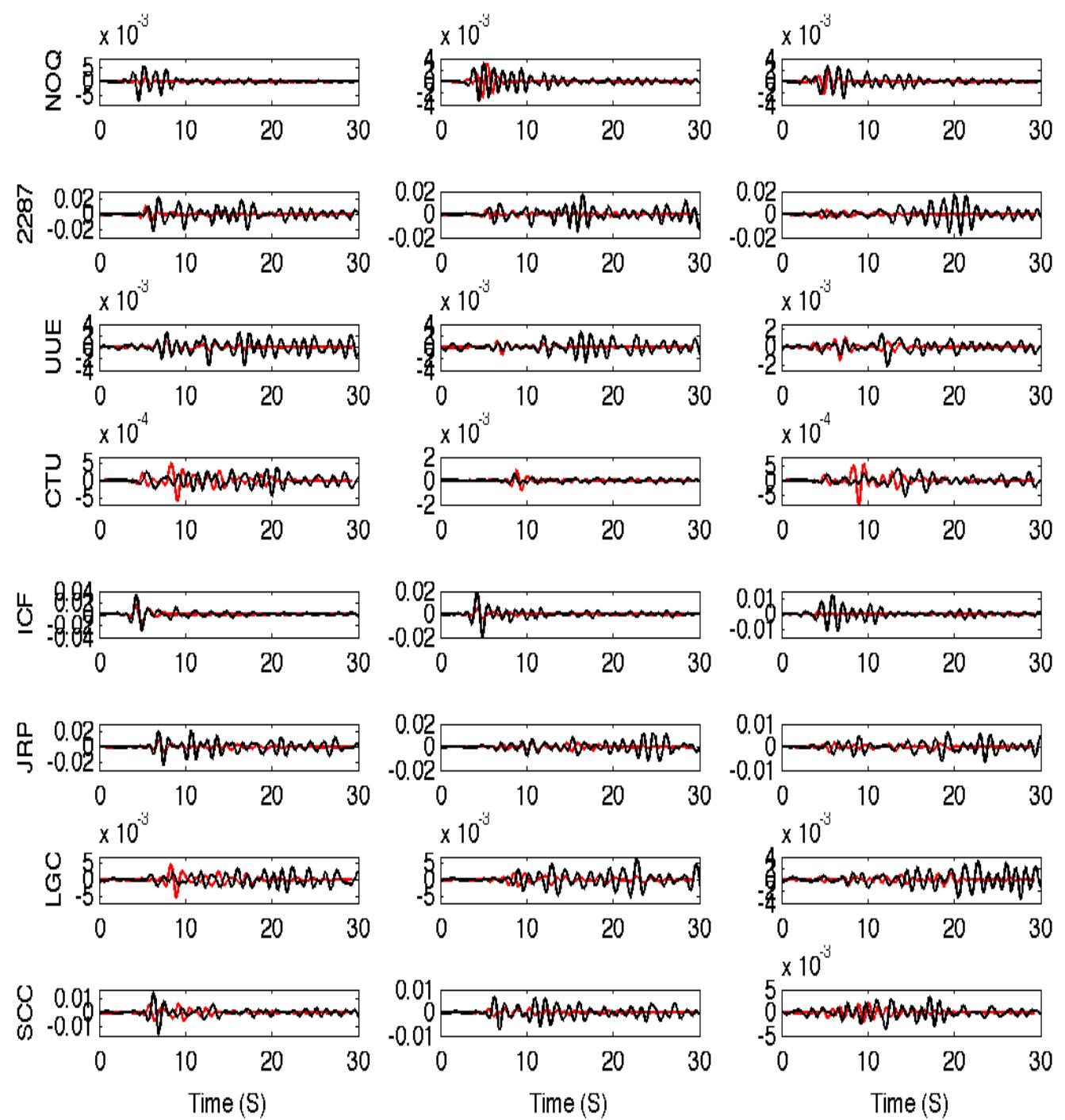
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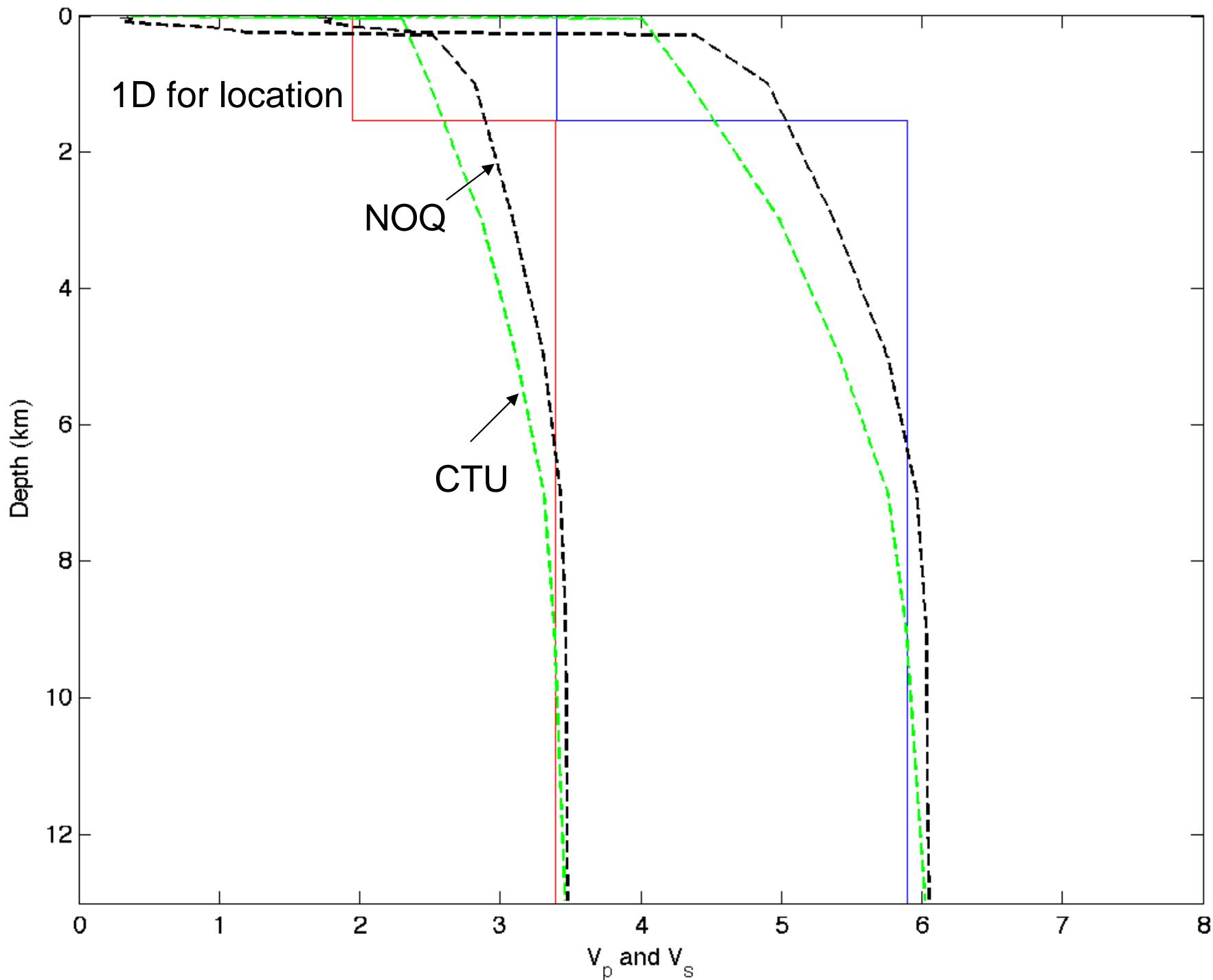


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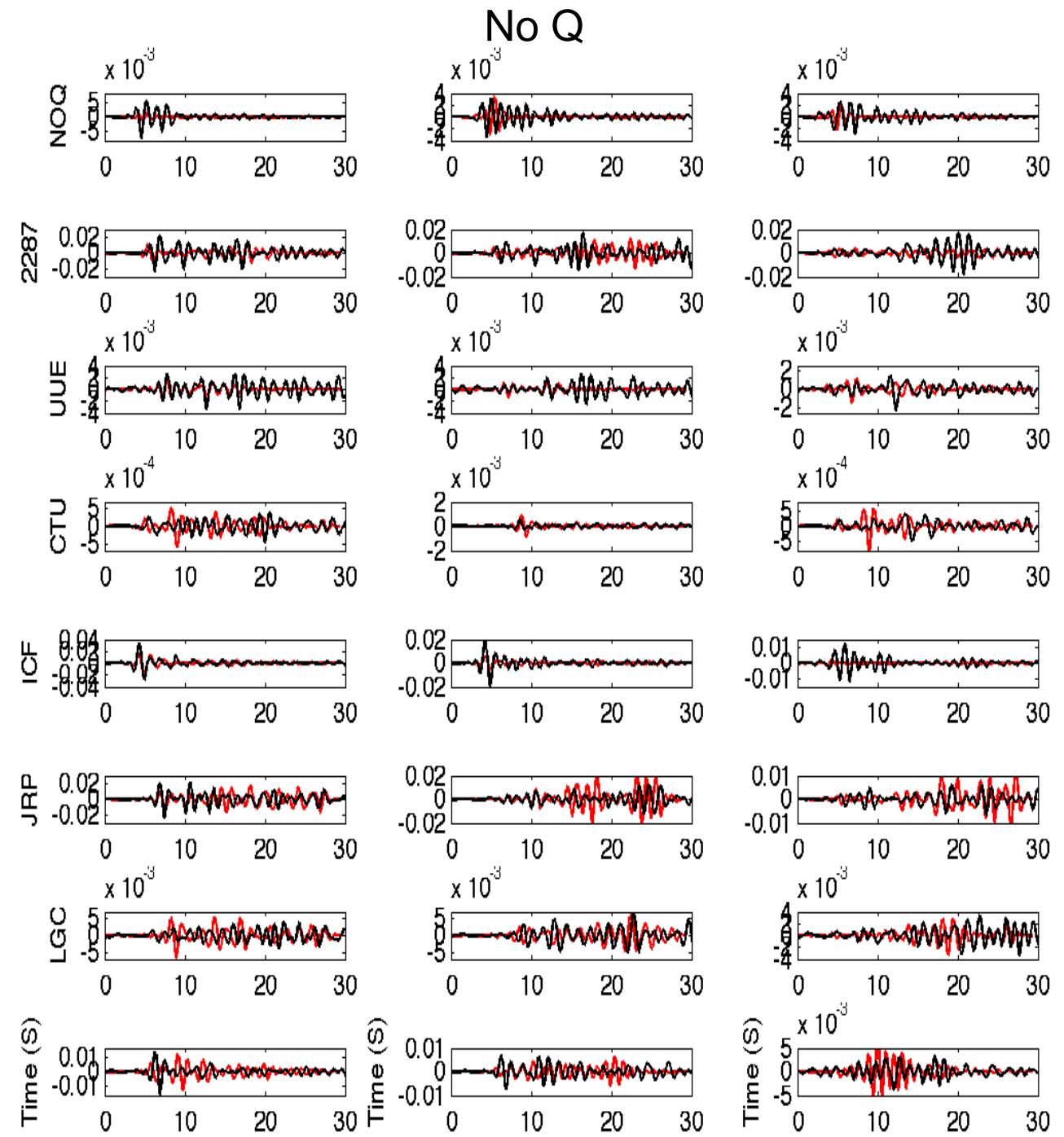
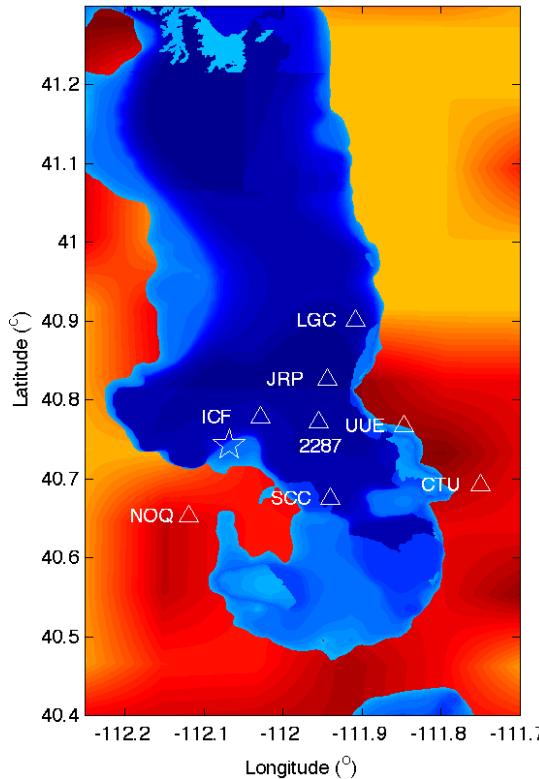


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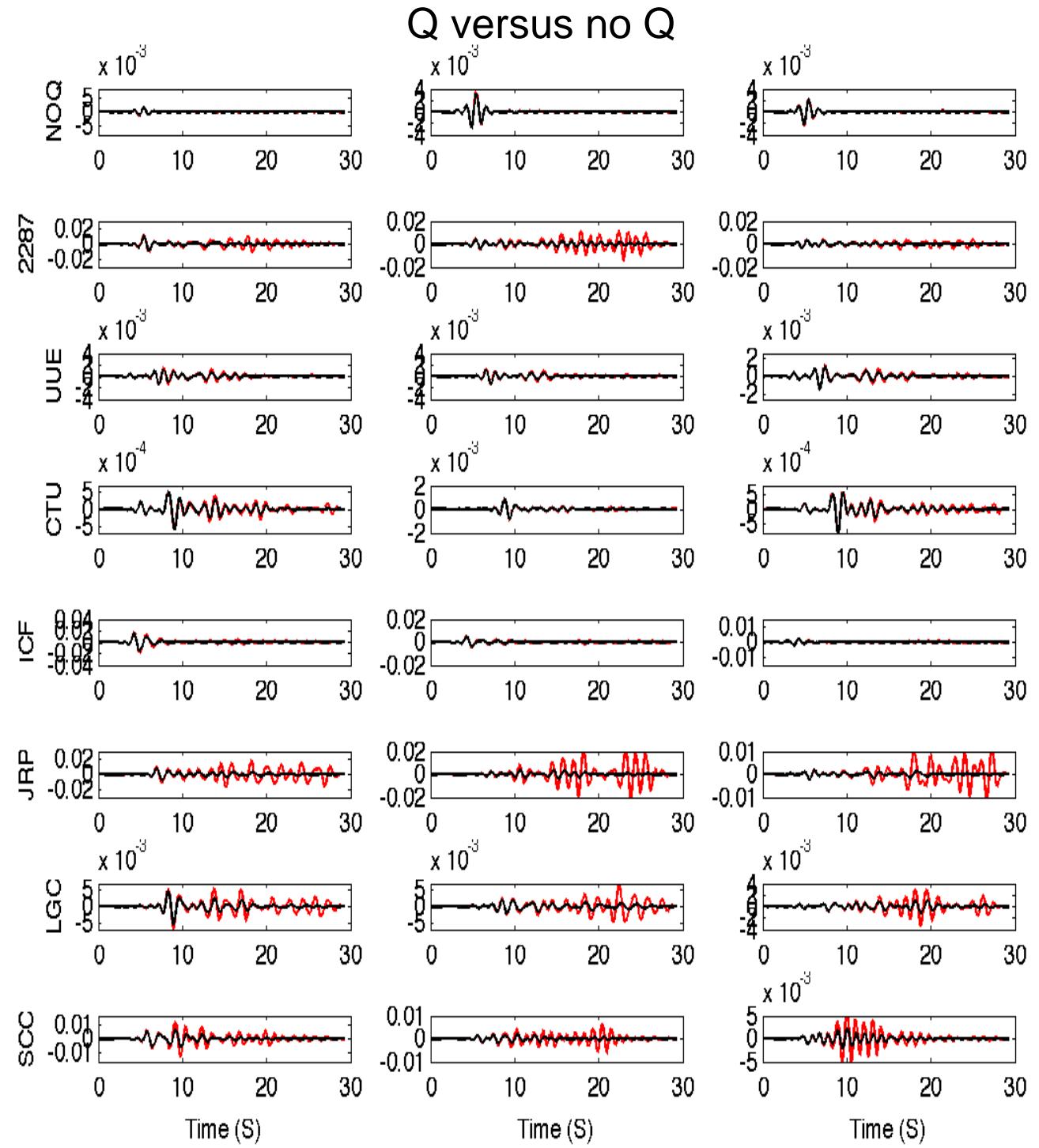
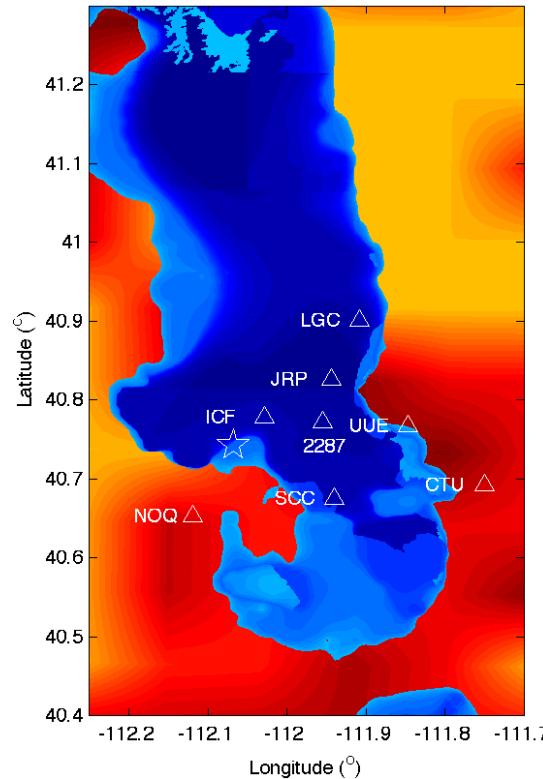




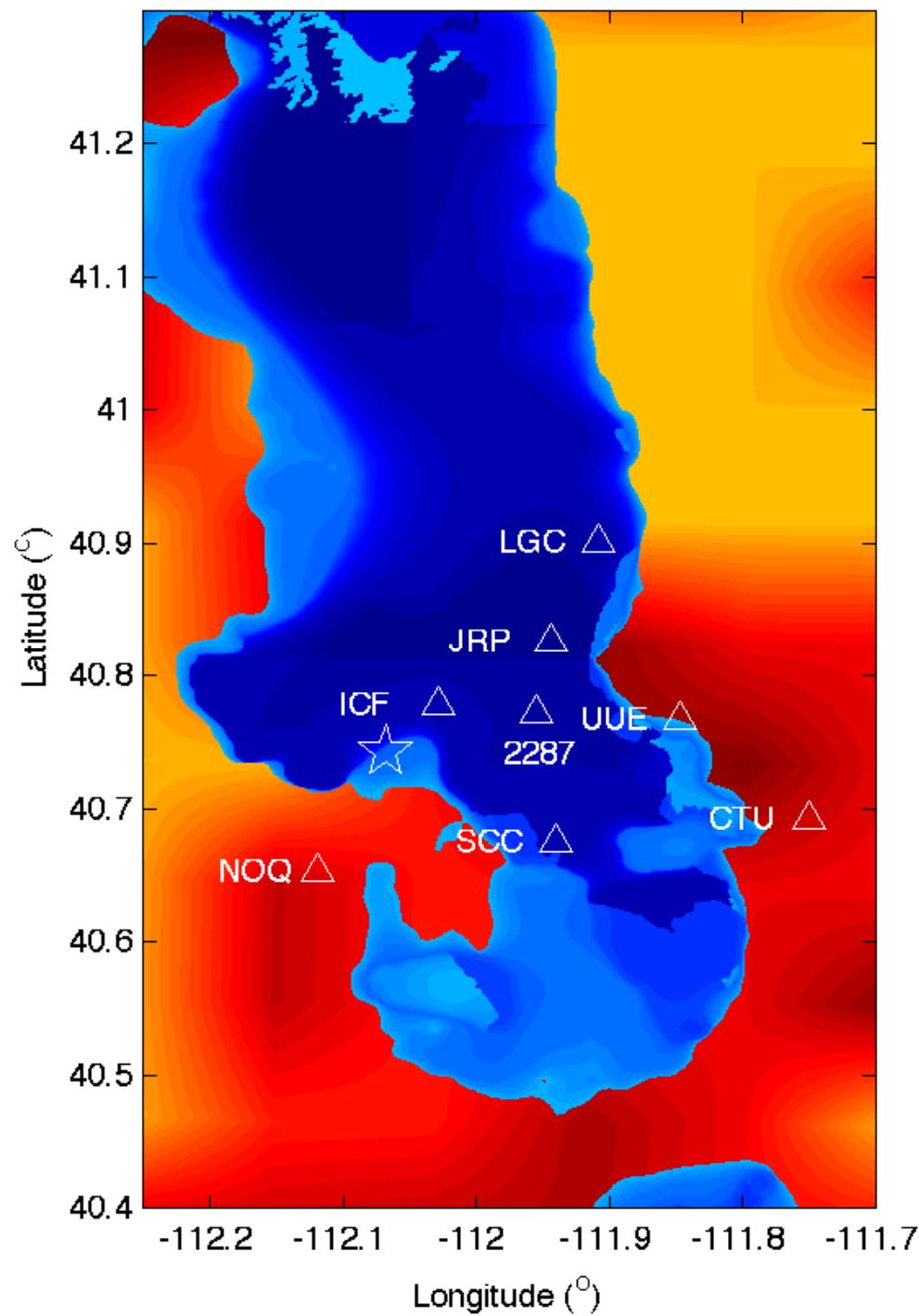
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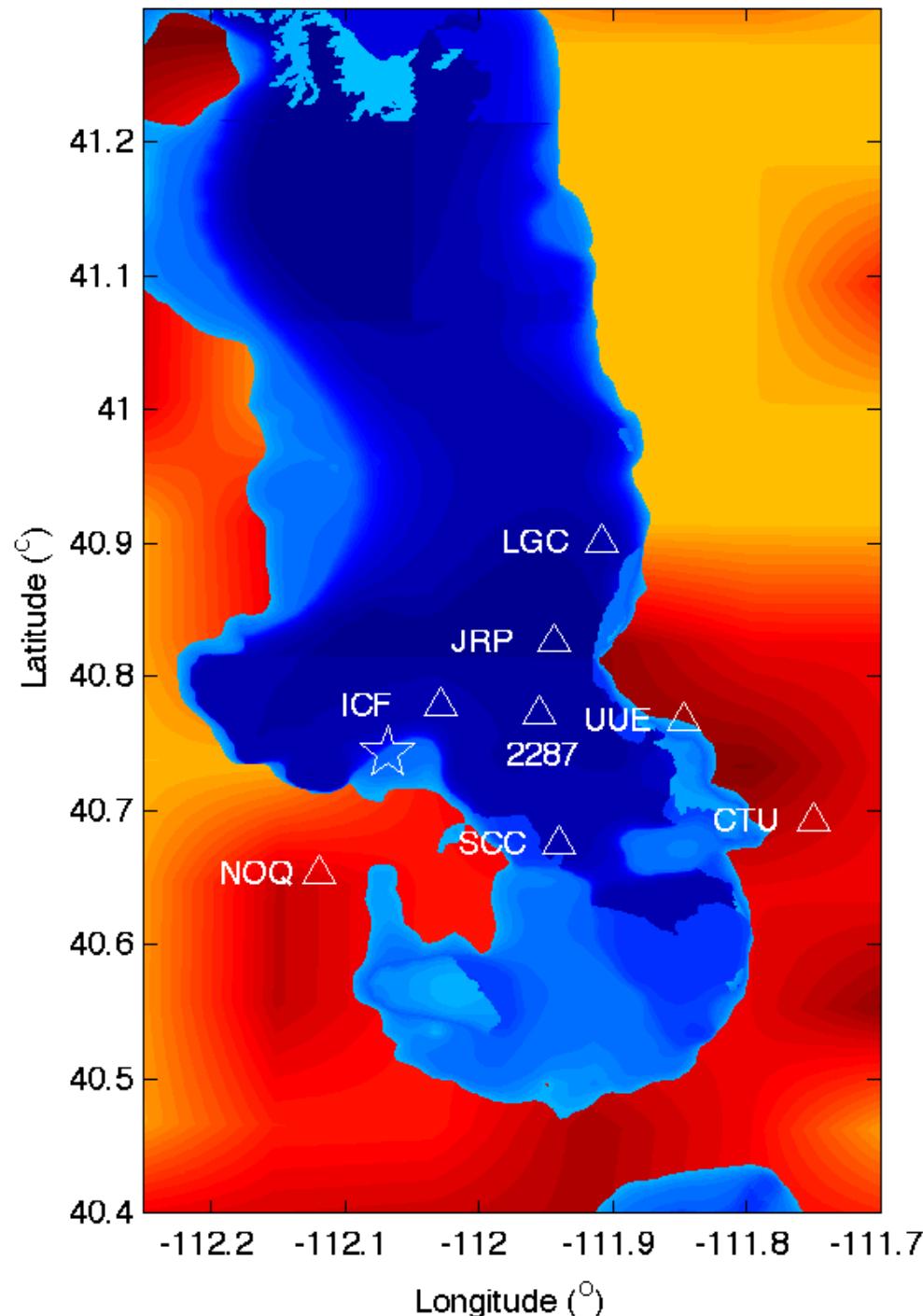
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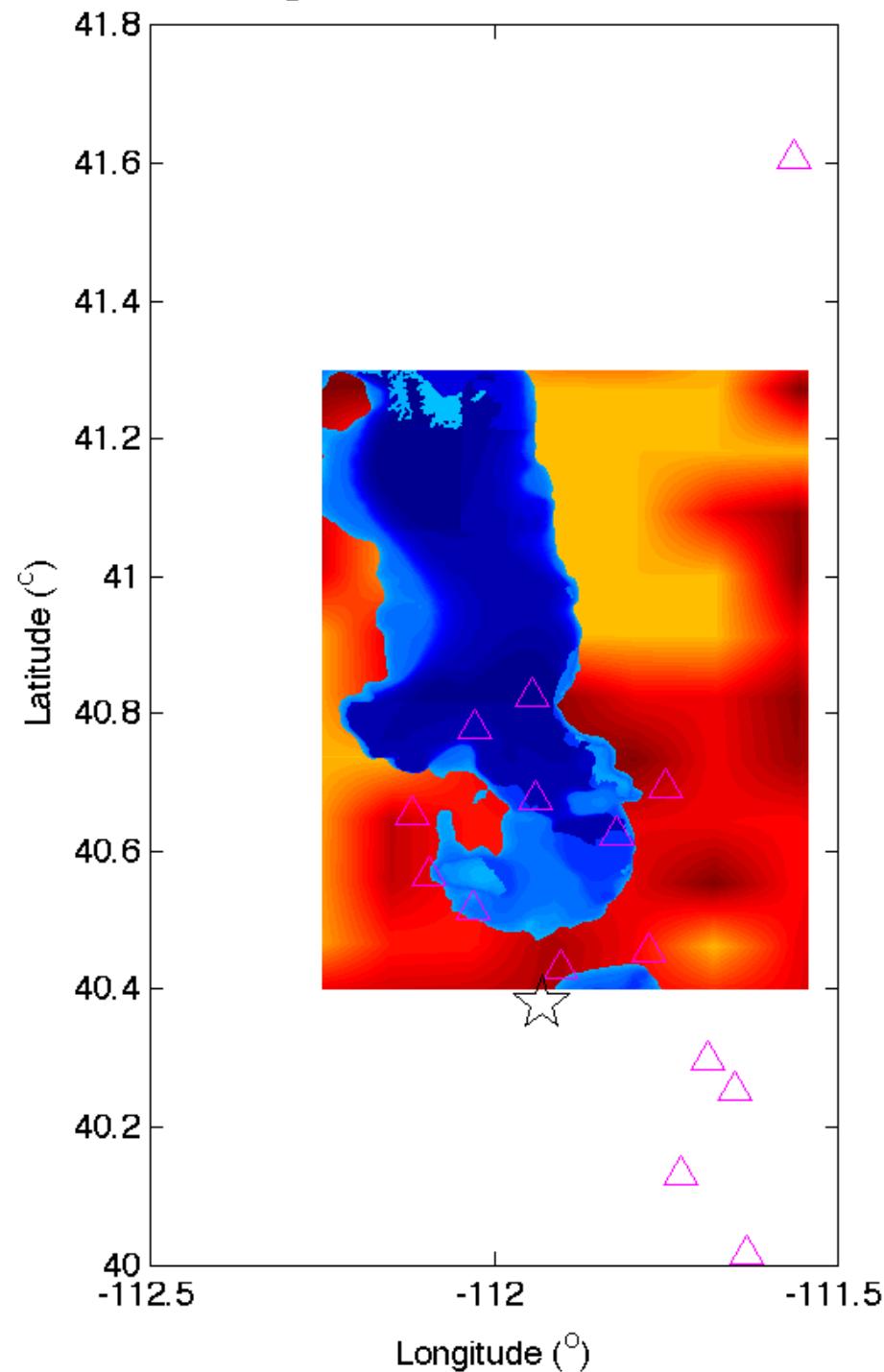
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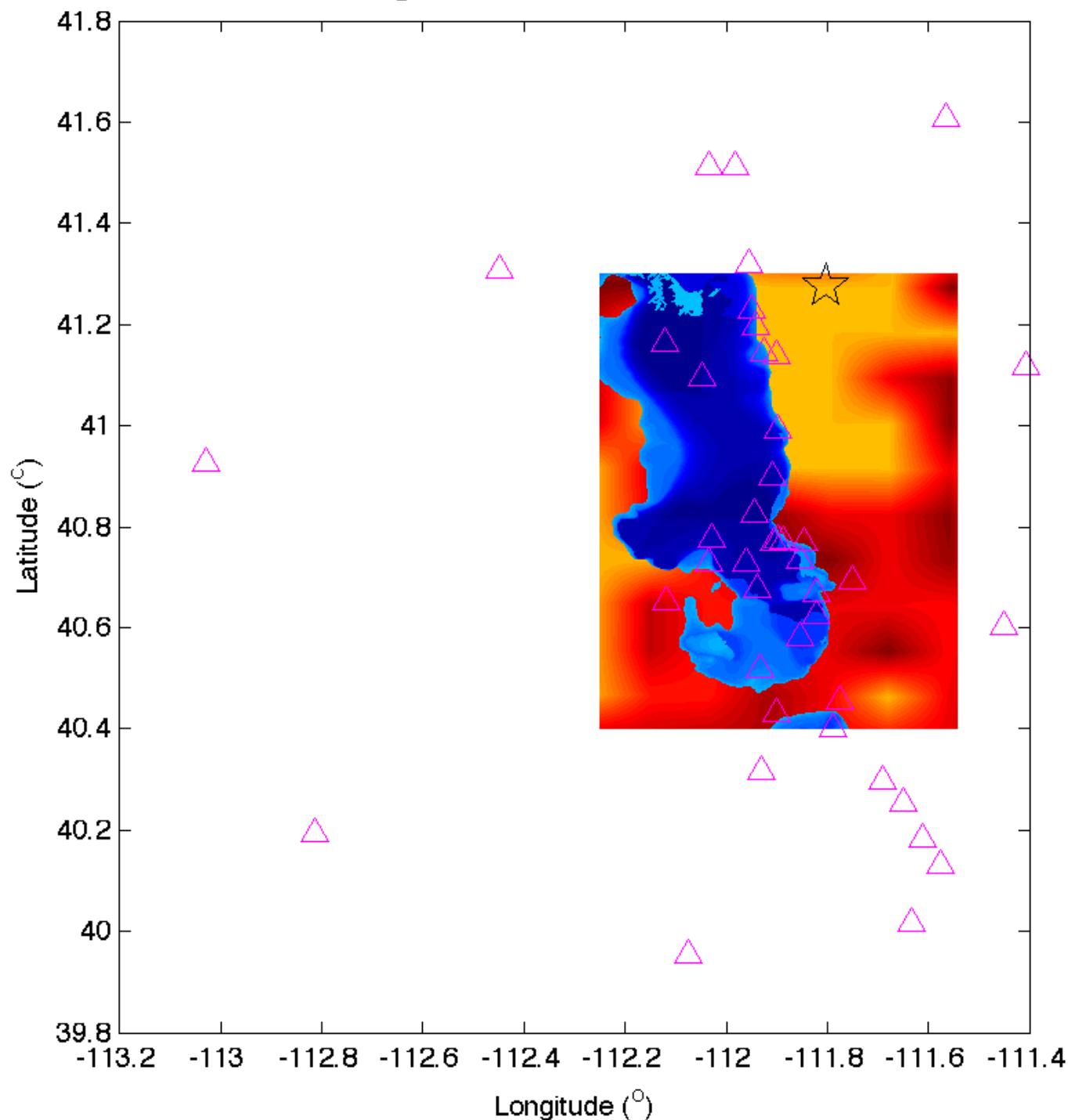
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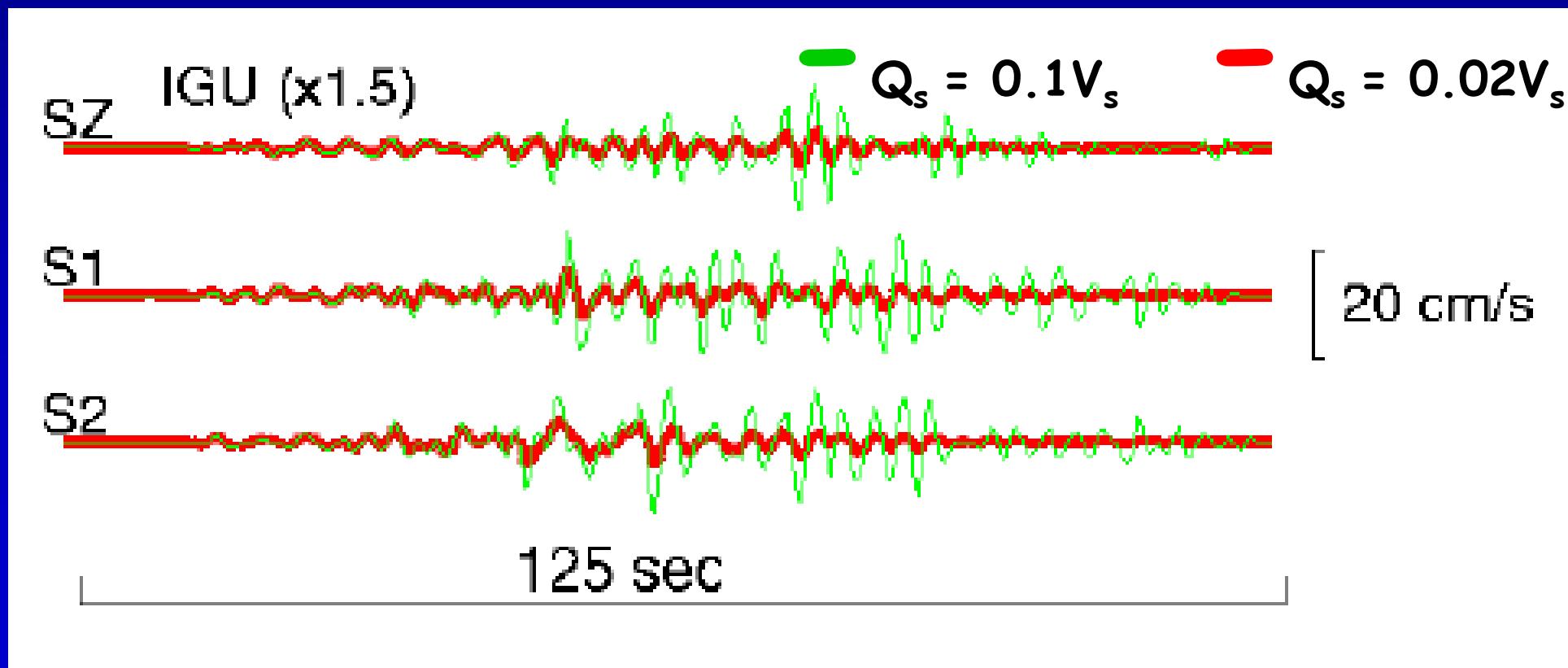
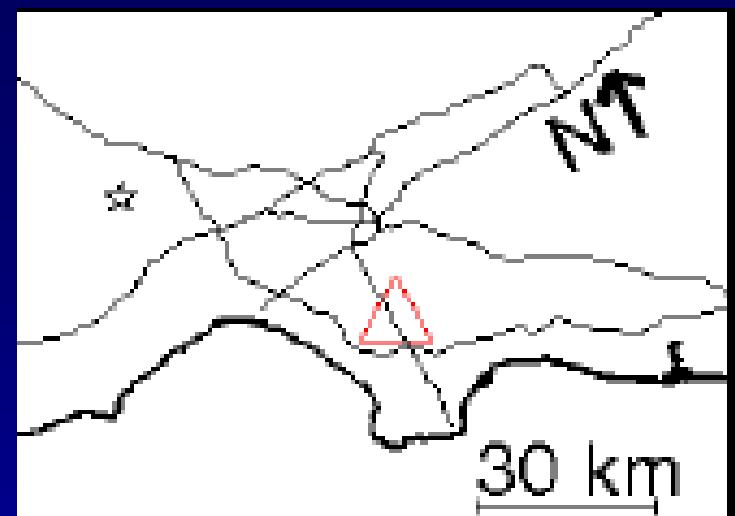
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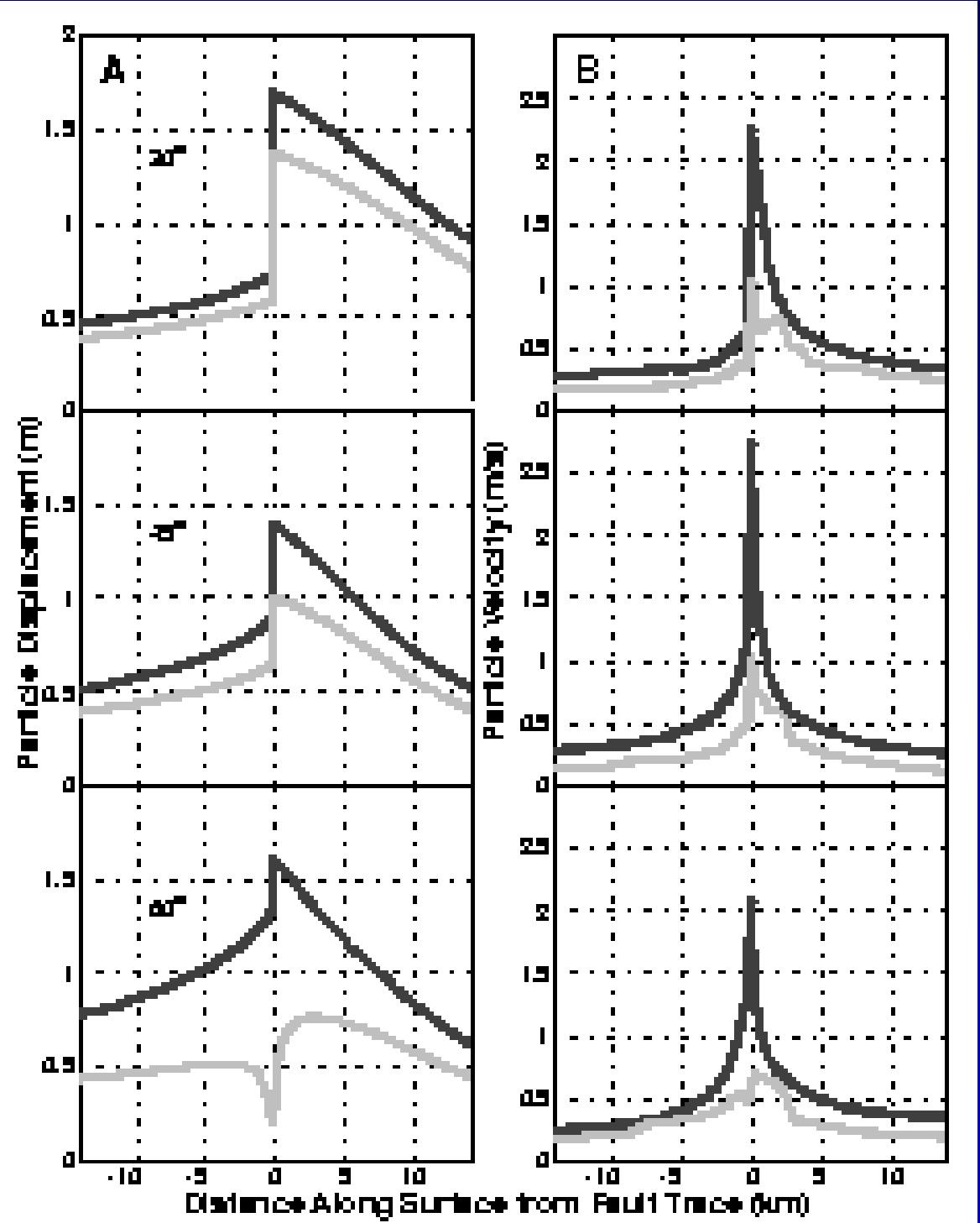


Summary of preliminary CVM validation

- Overall good fit for 0.25-1Hz peak velocities
- Durations under-predicted at (deep) soil sites
- Some timing discrepancies ($\sim <0.4$ s)
- Validation events sensitive to Q
- Q model different from So Cal(?)
- Location in 1D model versus modeling in 3D model

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PROPAGATING THRUST FAULT LAYER OVER HALFSPACE

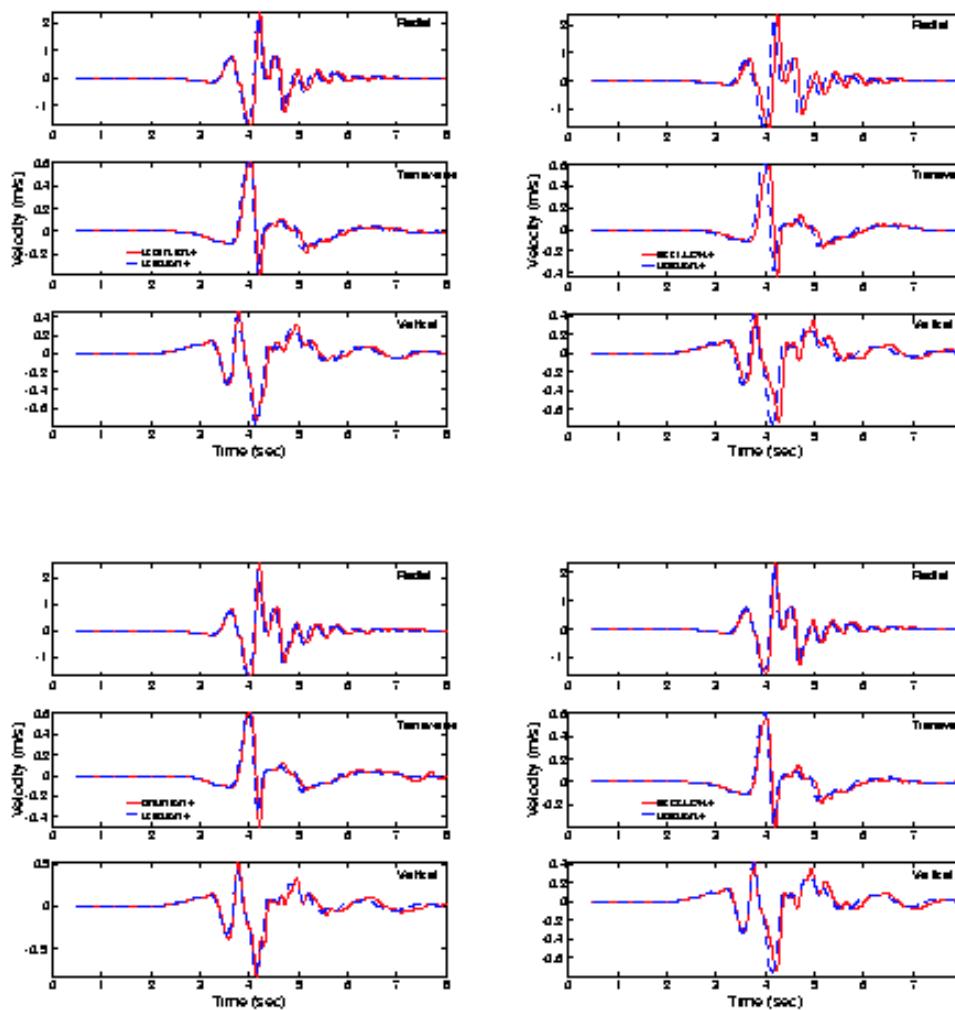


Figure 4: Comparison between solutions for five modeling groups, with the UCSB solution (to be used in this proposal) common to each plot, for a buried, 6 by 6 km fault, with strike, dip and rake (Aki and Richards, 1980, convention) of 118° , 40° , and 70° , respectively. The rupture propagates radially from the hypocenter located at the center bottom of the fault at a depth of 6 km with homogeneous slip and a velocity of 3 km/s. The model is a 1-km-thick layer ($V_s=2$ km/s, $V_p=4$ km/s, $\rho=2.6$ g/cm 3) over a halfspace ($V_s=3.464$ km/s, $V_p=6$ km/s, $\rho=2.7$ g/cm 3), with Q_p and Q_s infinite everywhere. The comparison is made at a station 10 km from the epicenter at an azimuth of 53.13° . The simulation used a Gaussian source time function with spread 0.05 sec, which accommodates frequencies between 0 and 5 Hz in the synthetic seismograms.