



A BAYESIAN PERSPECTIVE TO THE STUDY OF EARTHQUAKES

PROBABILISTIC MODELING OF EARTHQUAKES

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JOINT INVERSION IN GEOPHYSICS - 2015

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- Bayesian inference in HD spaces and error model
- Application: Study of earthquakes
 - 2013 Balochistan earthquake (Pakistan)
 - 2014 Pisagua earthquake (Chile)

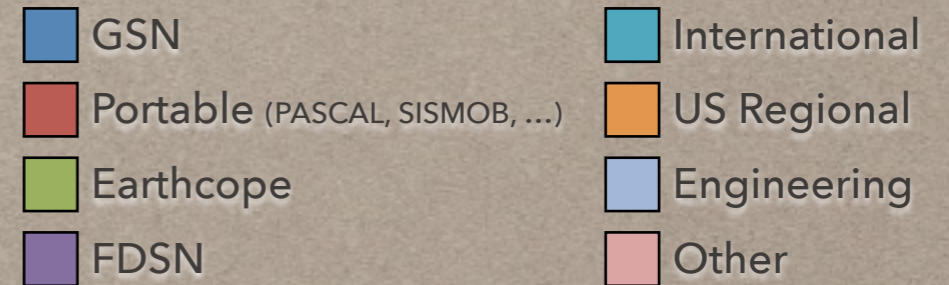
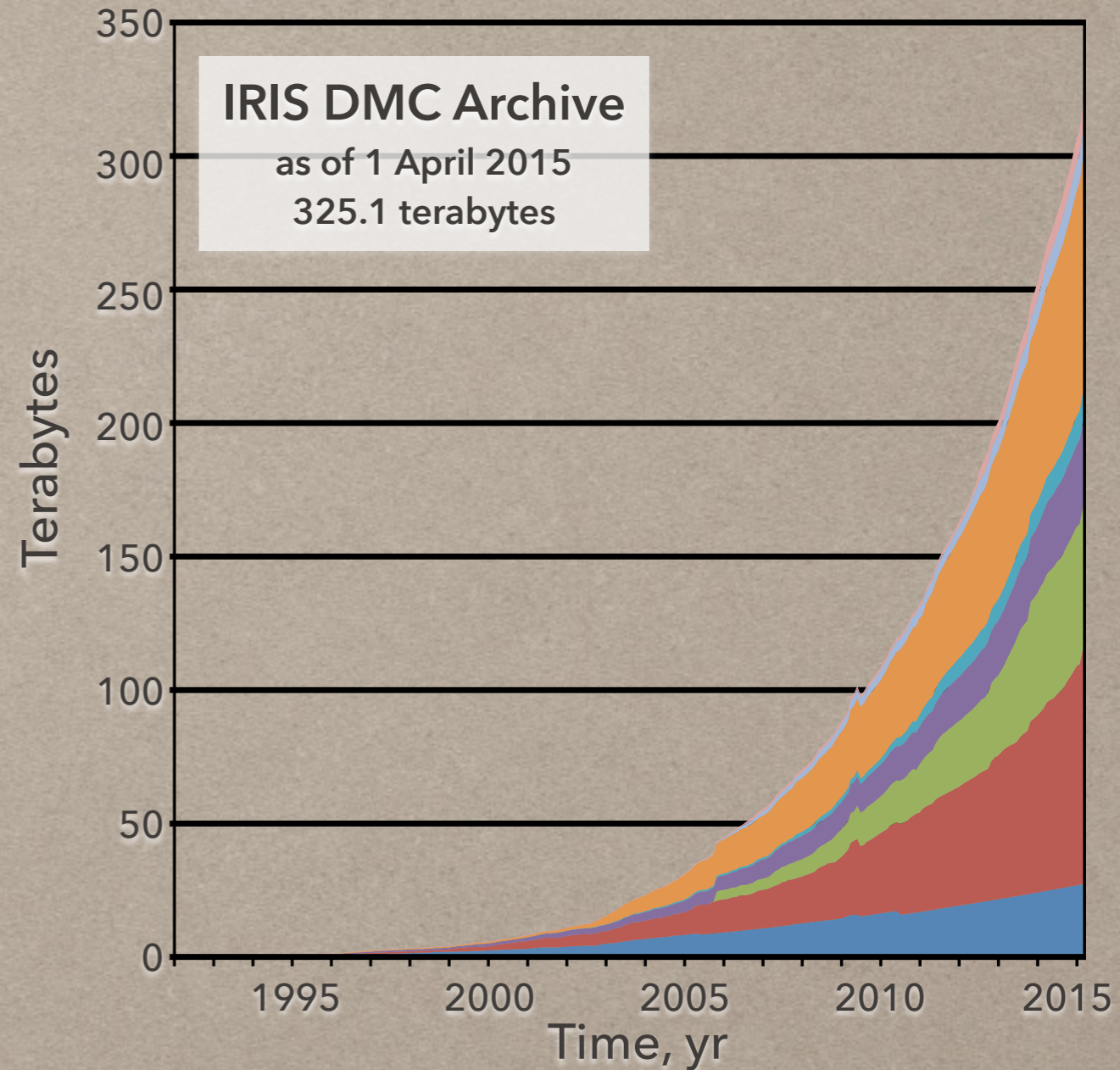
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Explosion of available observations

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- Dense seismic networks
- Satellite imagery
- GPS networks
- Tsunami



Higher-dimensional problems



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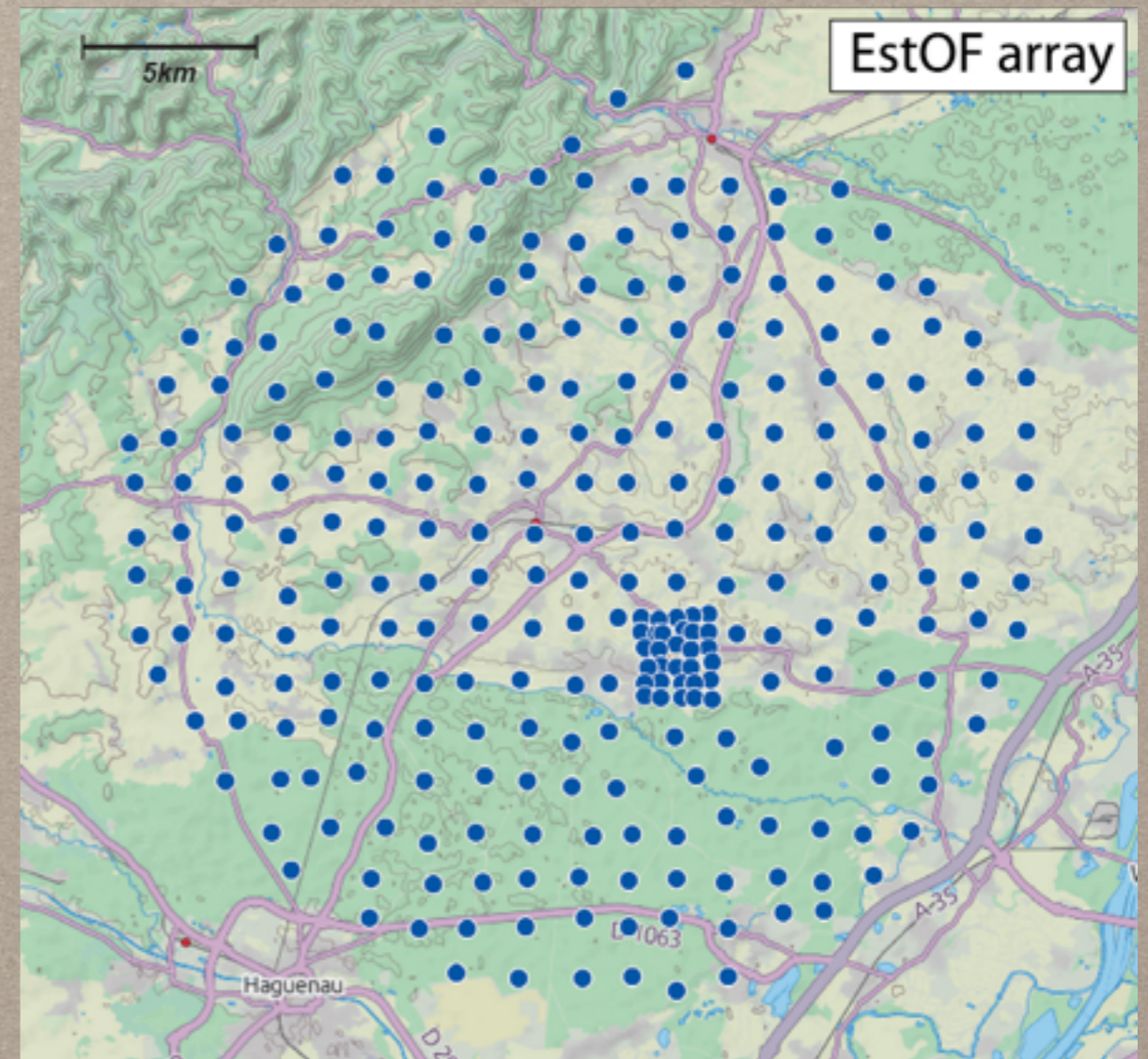
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EstOF Array

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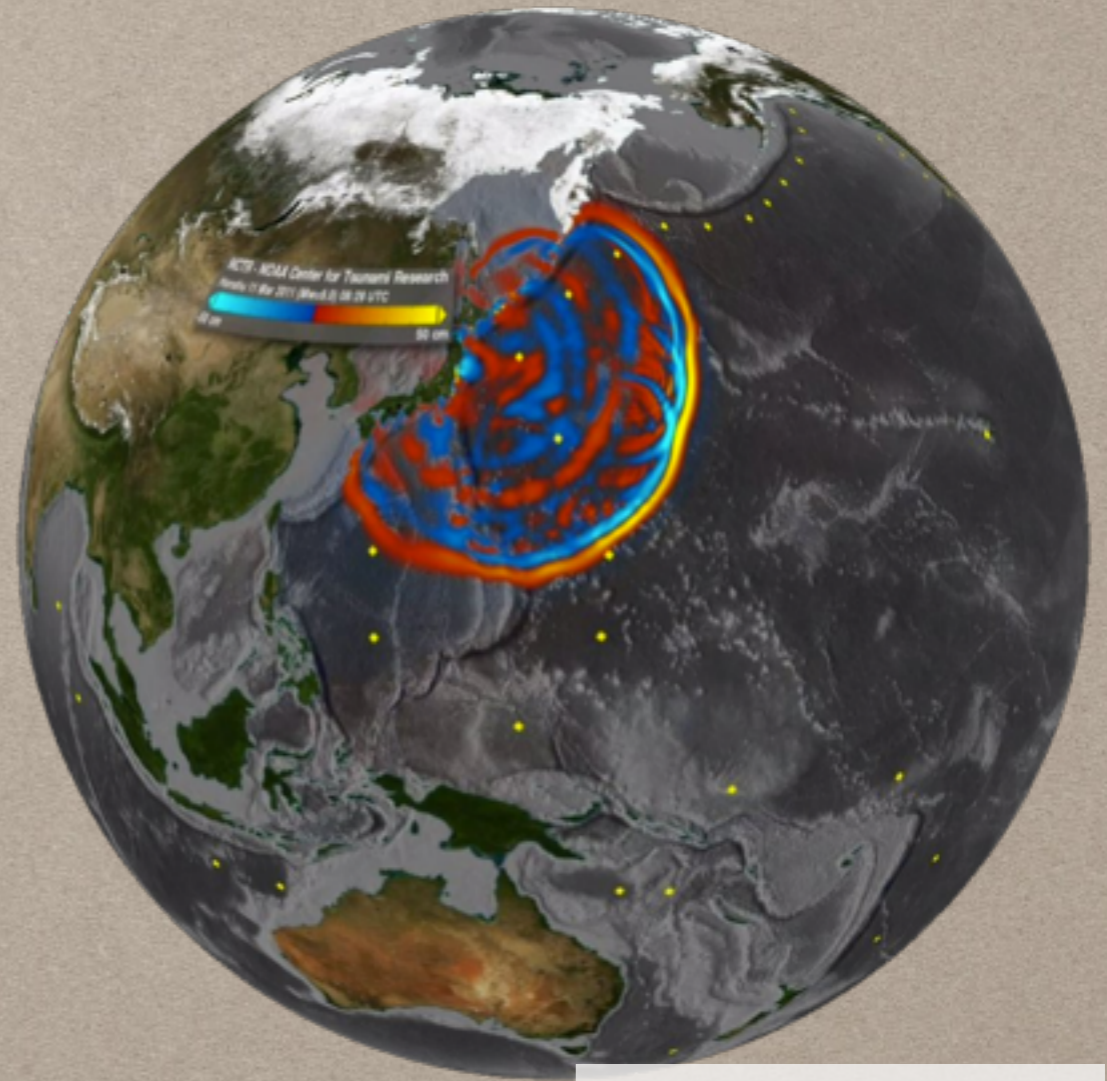
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NOAA, USGS
MOST model

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Sentinel-1
ESA

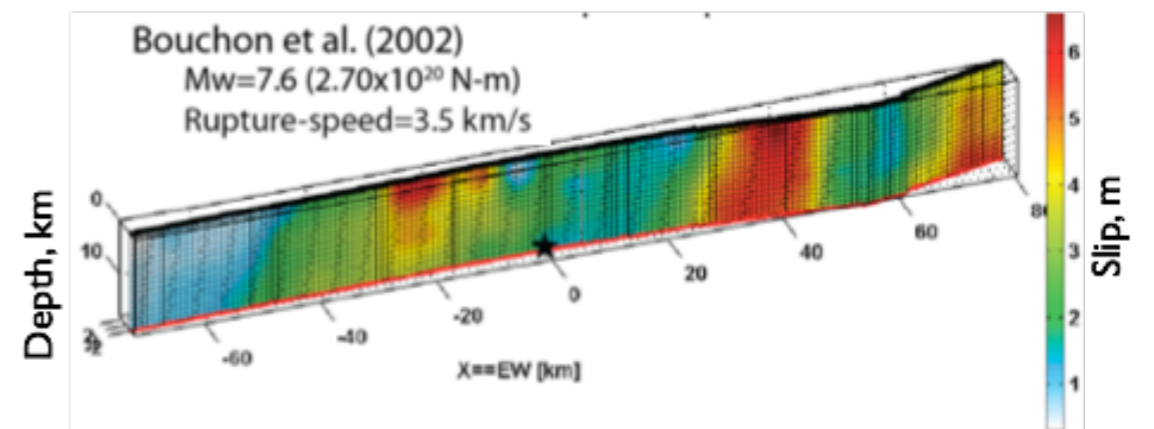
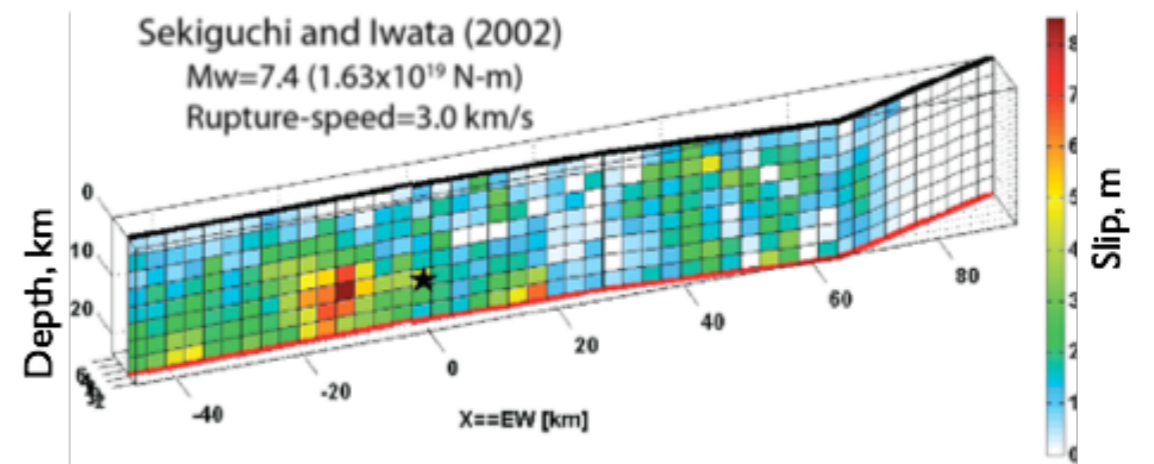
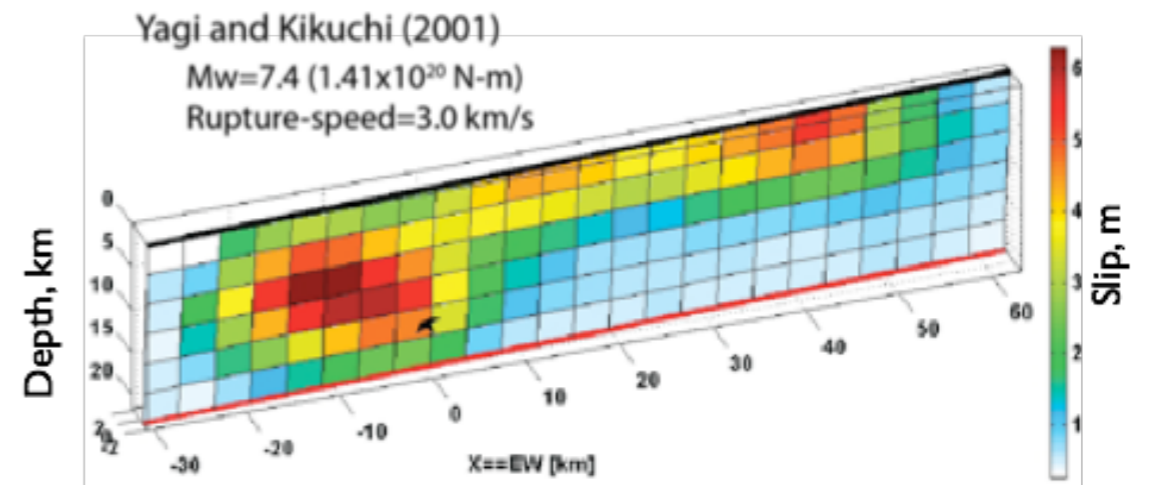
WHY BAYESIAN ANALYSIS ?

Geophysics is filled with ill-posed inverse problems

- **Traditional optimization:**

- Regularized inverse picks one solution which fits data and regularization scheme
- Choice of regularization is usually based on convenience not physics
- Choice of regularization can have significant effects on the resulting solution

Izmit earthquake (1999)

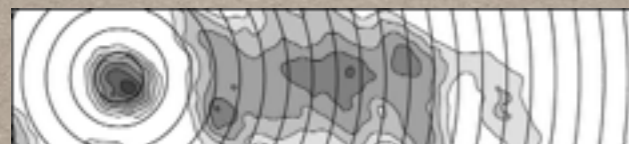


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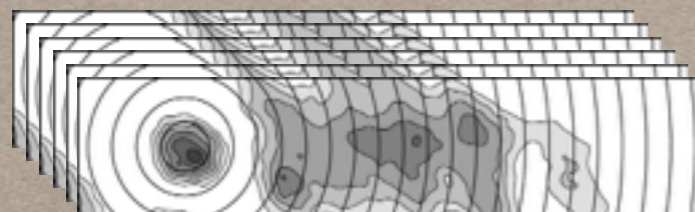
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- Bayesian inference:

- Solution includes ensemble of all plausible models
 - ➔ Regularization is not required

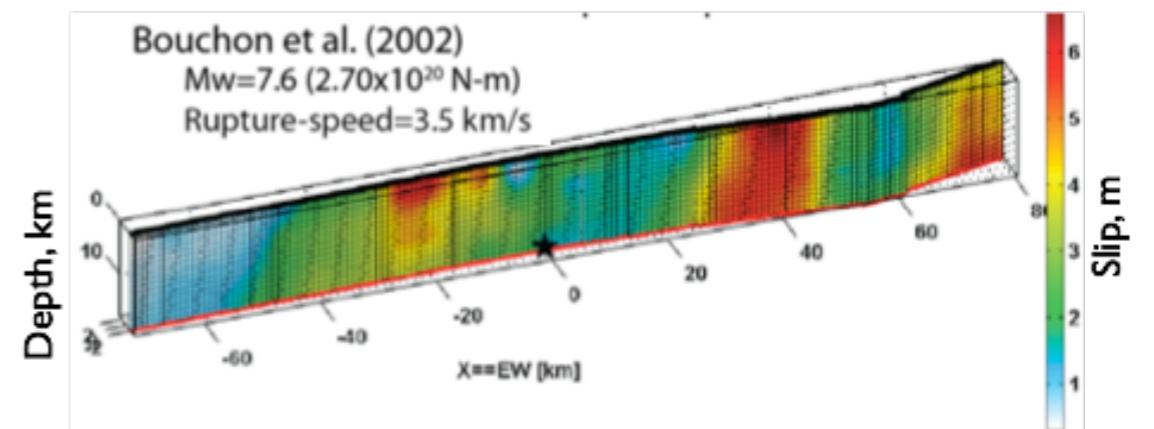
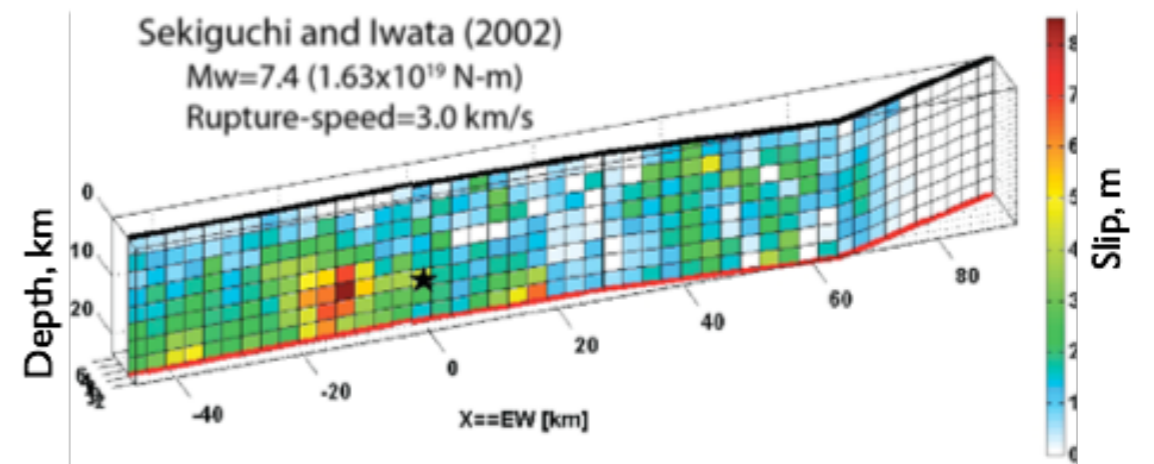
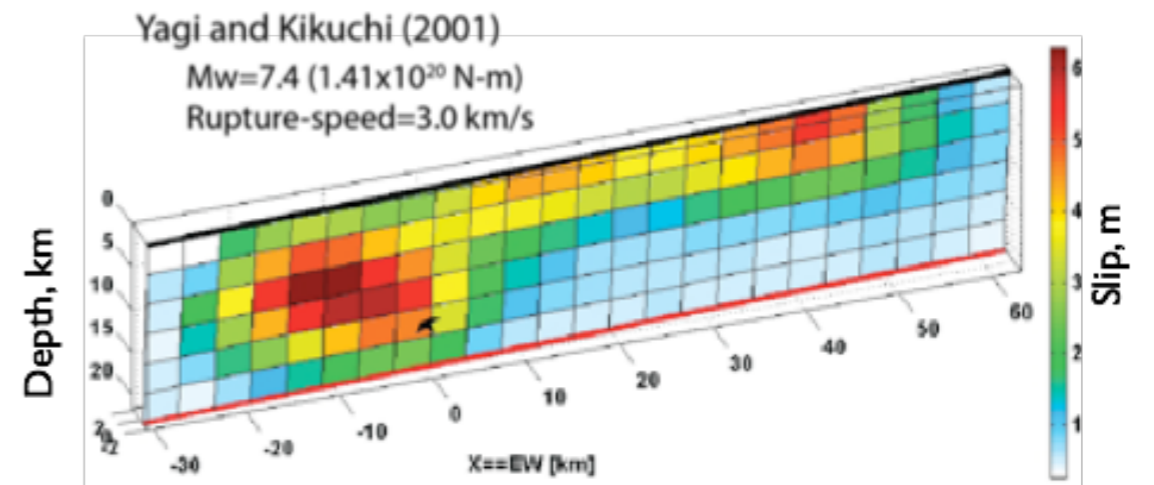


Single model



Ensemble of models

Izmit earthquake (1999)



EMBRACE UNCERTAINTY

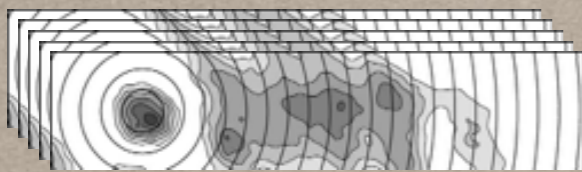
- **When faced with a ill-posed problem, the best answer is to identify the ensemble of all plausible values for your model parameters**
- **“Plausible” models are those that satisfy the data and which agree with your prior assumptions about the model parameters**

BAYESIAN INFERENCE AND ERROR MODEL

$$p(\mathbf{m} | \mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}}) \propto p(\mathbf{m}) p(\mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}} | \mathbf{m})$$

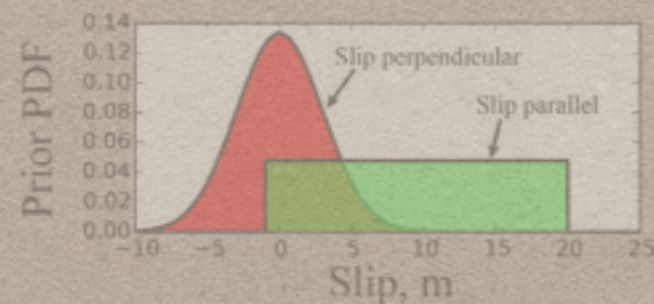
Posterior PDF

ensemble of models



Prior PDF

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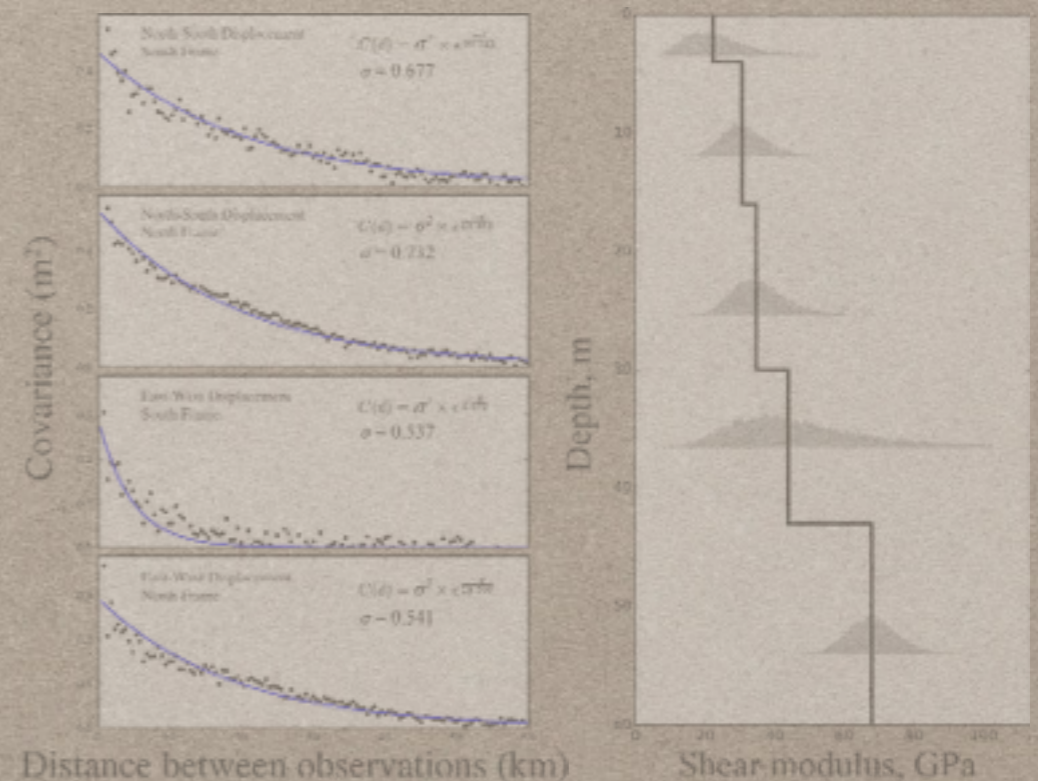
Likelihood

$$\propto \exp \left(-\frac{1}{2} \left(\mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}} - \mathbf{g}(\mathbf{m}) \right)^T \mathbf{C}_x^{-1} \left(\mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}} - \mathbf{g}(\mathbf{m}) \right) \right)$$

2 contributions to the data misfit (

Data uncertainty
(e.g. InSAR)

Prediction uncertainty
(Elastic structure)

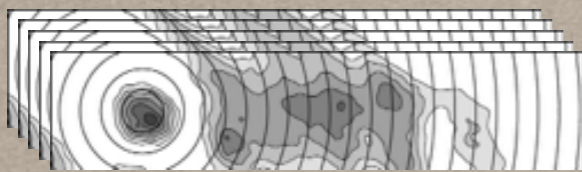


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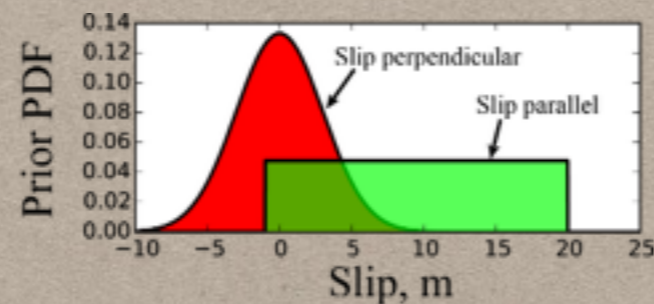
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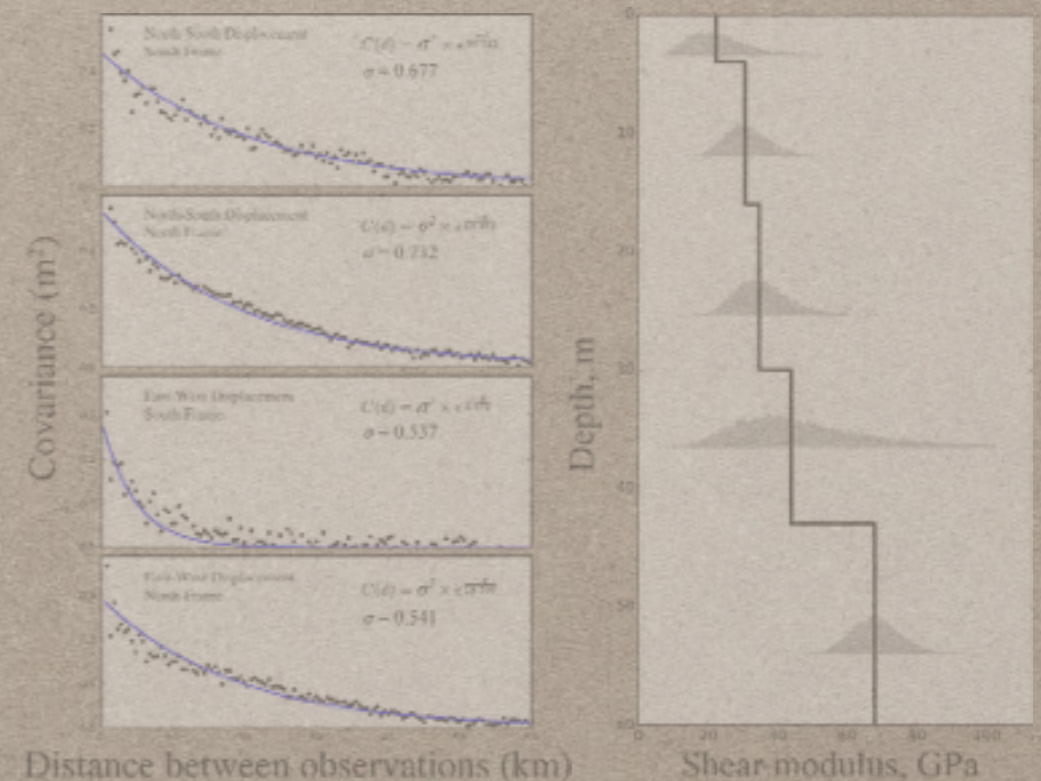
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- The “prior” is what you believe the likely values of the model parameters are in the absence of data

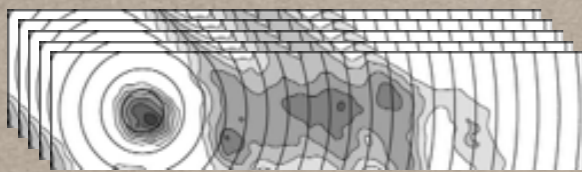
➔ Can be used to impose physics-based constraints

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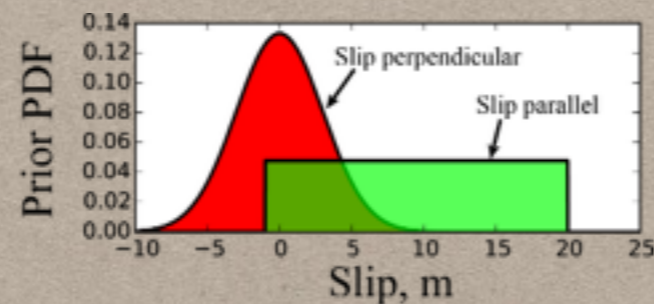
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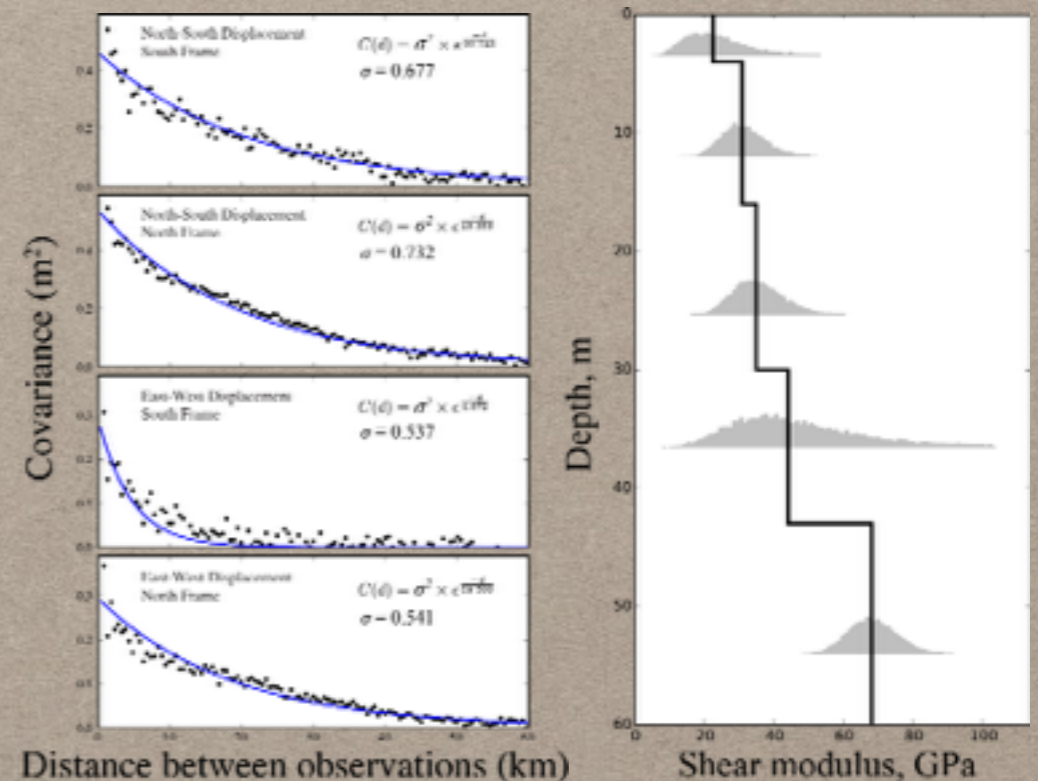
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2 contributions to the data misfit (\mathbf{C}_{χ}):

Data uncertainty
(e.g. InSAR)

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HOW TO DO BAYESIAN ANALYSIS

- **Two options:**

1. You can choose whatever priors and data likelihood you want and draw samples of $p(\mathbf{m}|\mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}})$ by Monte Carlo simulation

2. For certain problems, you can get an analytical expression for $p(\mathbf{m}|\mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}})$:

For example:

$$p(\mathbf{m}) \ \& \ p(\mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}}|\mathbf{m}) \ \text{Gaussian} \rightarrow p(\mathbf{m}|\mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}}) \ \text{Gaussian}$$

- **Option 1 may require a lot of computer power**

- **Option 2 requires brain power and possible compromise**

APPROACH 1: MONTE CARLO SIMULATION

- Draw samples from the posterior PDF. The samples will have all the properties of the posterior PDF (mean, variance, etc.).
- There are only a few PDFs (e.g., uniform, Gaussian) that you can simulate directly with a random generator.
- Monte Carlo sampling looks like:
 1. Draw a random realization of your model from a proposal PDF
 2. Decide whether to keep or reject the candidate model (not all samples are accepted... can be very inefficient)
 3. Go back to step 1

METROPOLIS-HASTINGS

A memoryless random walk through the parameter space

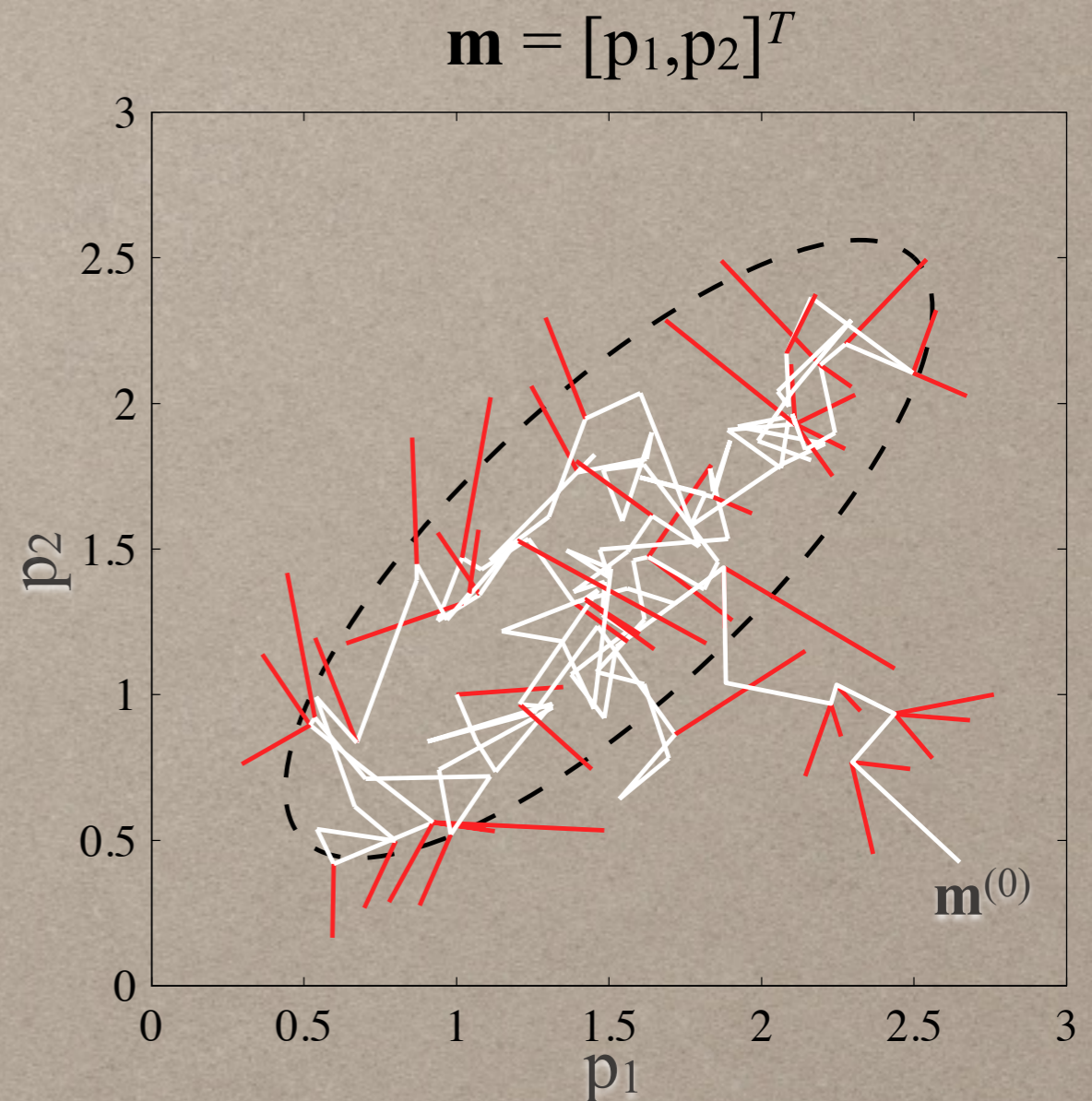
- Choose:

- a starting vector of model parameters ($\mathbf{m}^{(0)}$)
- a proposal PDF ($q(\mathbf{m})$):
commonly: $q(\mathbf{m}|\mathbf{m}^{(j)}) \sim \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{m}^{(j)}, \Sigma)$

- Repeat for $j=1,2,\dots,N$

- Generate a candidate \mathbf{m}^* from $q(\mathbf{m}|\mathbf{m}^{(j)})$
- Calculate $r = \min\{1, p(\mathbf{m}^* | \mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}})/p(\mathbf{m}^{(j)} | \mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}})\}$
- Generate u from $\mathcal{U}(0,1)$
- If $u \leq r$
 - ➔ Set $\mathbf{m}^{(j+1)} = \mathbf{m}^*$
- Else:
 - ➔ Set $\mathbf{m}^{(j+1)} = \mathbf{m}^{(j)}$

- $\{\mathbf{m}^{(0)}, \mathbf{m}^{(1)}, \dots, \mathbf{m}^{(N)}\}$ is a set of samples of the posterior PDF $p(\mathbf{m}|\mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}})$



QUESTIONS?

COMING UP: TOY PROBLEM

TOY PROBLEM: LOCKED FAULT MODEL

- **Infinite strike-slip fault in a half-space**

- Vertical fault
- Locked from the surface to depth H
- Deep dislocation: $H \rightarrow \infty$ (constant slip)

- **Forward problem:**

$$v(x) = S \cdot \tan^{-1}(x/H) / \pi$$

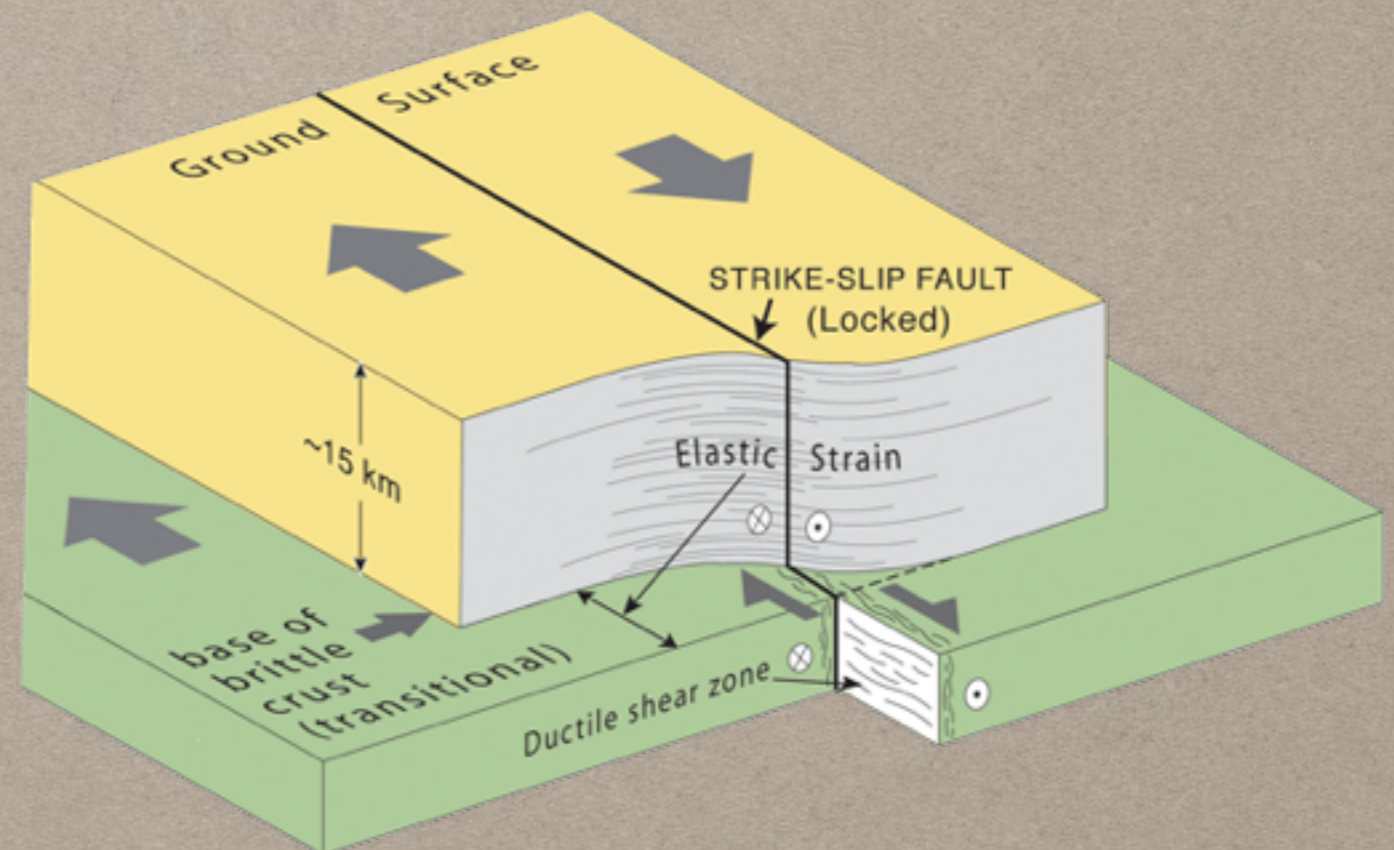
- Velocity: v
- Slip rate: S
- Locking depth: H
- Distance from the fault: x
- Inverted parameters: $\mathbf{m} = [S, H]^T$

- **Posterior distribution:**

$$p(\mathbf{m} \mid \mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}}) \propto p(\mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}} \mid \mathbf{m}) p(\mathbf{m})$$

- Likelihood: Gaussian, Uncorrelated errors
- Prior: Uniform PDF
- Bayesian sampling using metropolis

Interseismic deformation

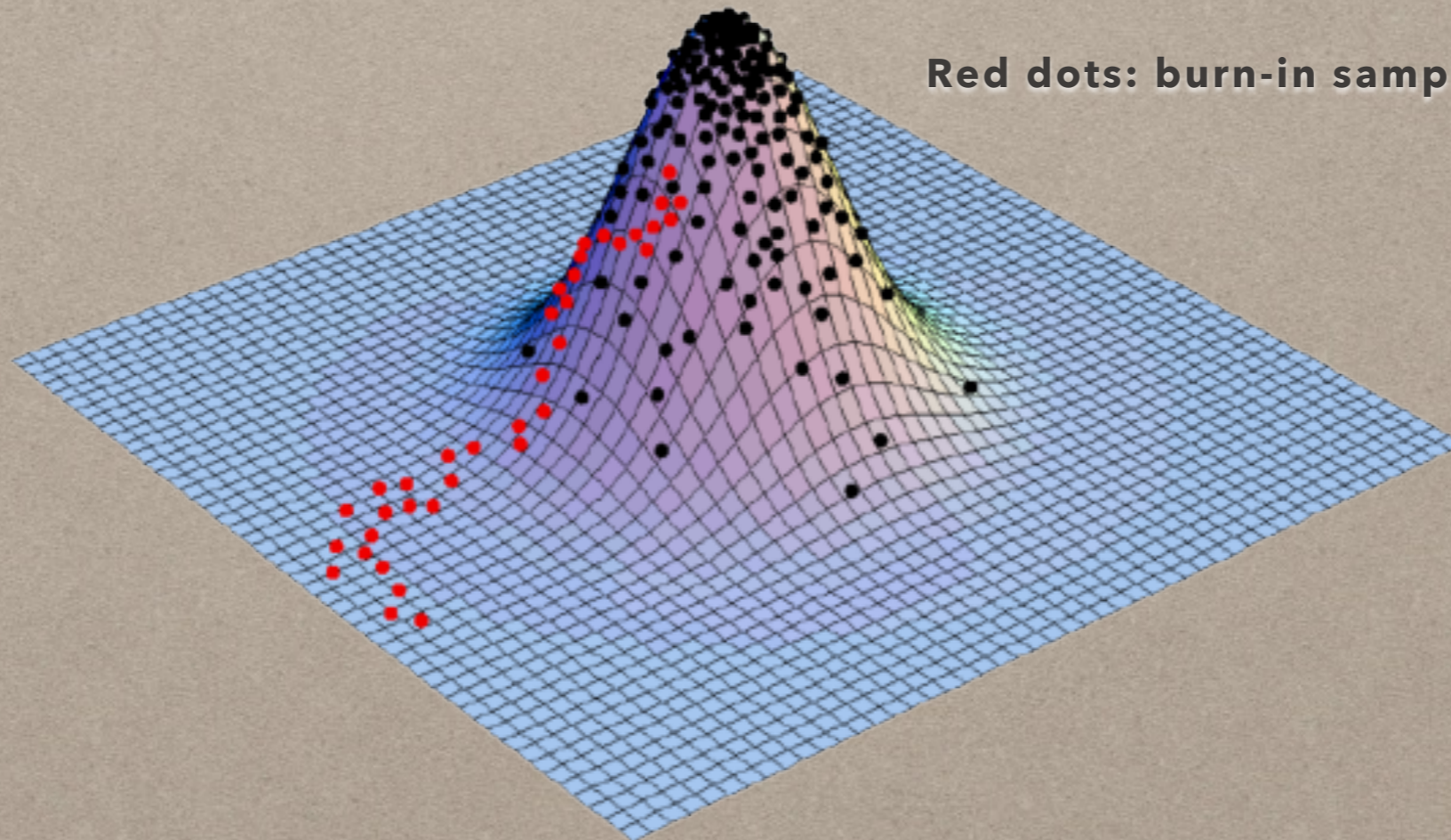
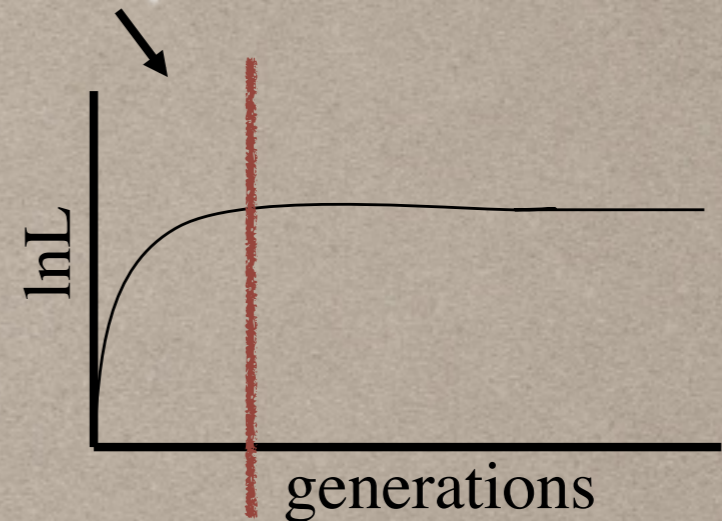


BURN-IN PERIOD

- **Burn-in**

- Refers to the practice of discarding an initial portion the samples so that the effect of initial values on the posterior is minimized

Burn-in period



Red dots: burn-in samples

TOY PROBLEM: LOCKED FAULT MODEL

“Hierarchical” Bayesian inversion

- Forward problem:

$$v(x) = S \cdot \tan^{-1}(x/H) / \pi$$

- Slip rate: S
- Locking depth: H
- Distance from the fault: x
- Inverted parameters: $\mathbf{m} = [S, H]^T$
- Hyper-parameter : σ_d
(control the shape of $p(\mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}} | \mathbf{m})$)

- Uncertain data noise:

- Posterior PDF:

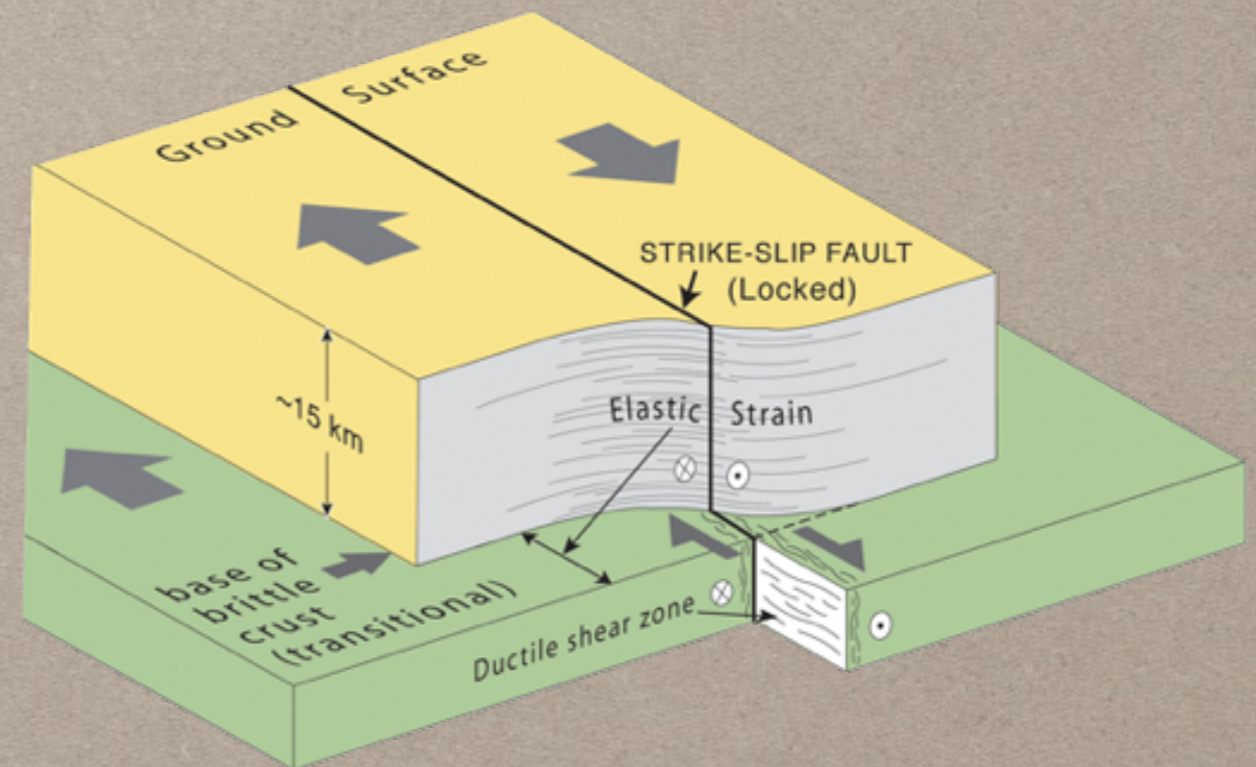
$$p(\mathbf{m}, \sigma_d | \mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}}) \propto p(\mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}} | \mathbf{m}, \sigma_d) p(\mathbf{m}) p(\sigma_d)$$

- Priors ($p(\mathbf{m}), p(\sigma_d)$): Uniform PDF

- Likelihood:

$$p(\mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}} | \mathbf{m}, \sigma_d) = [(2\pi)^{N/2} \sigma_d^N]^{-1} \exp [-\|\mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}} - \mathbf{g}(\mathbf{m})\| / 2 \sigma_d]^2$$

Interseismic deformation



TOY PROBLEM: LOCKED FAULT MODEL

“Hierarchical” Bayesian inversion, bias in data/predictions

- **Forward problem:**

$$v(x) = S \cdot \tan^{-1}(x/H) / \pi$$

- Slip rate: S
- Locking depth: H
- Distance from the fault: x
- Inverted parameters: $\mathbf{m} = [S, H]^T$
- Hyper-parameters : $\sigma_d, \boldsymbol{\mu}_d$
(control the shape of $p(\mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}} | \mathbf{m})$)

- **Uncertain data noise:**

- Posterior PDF:

$$p(\mathbf{m}, \sigma_d, \boldsymbol{\mu}_d | \mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}}) \propto p(\mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}} | \mathbf{m}, \sigma_d, \boldsymbol{\mu}_d) p(\mathbf{m}) p(\sigma_d) p(\boldsymbol{\mu}_d)$$

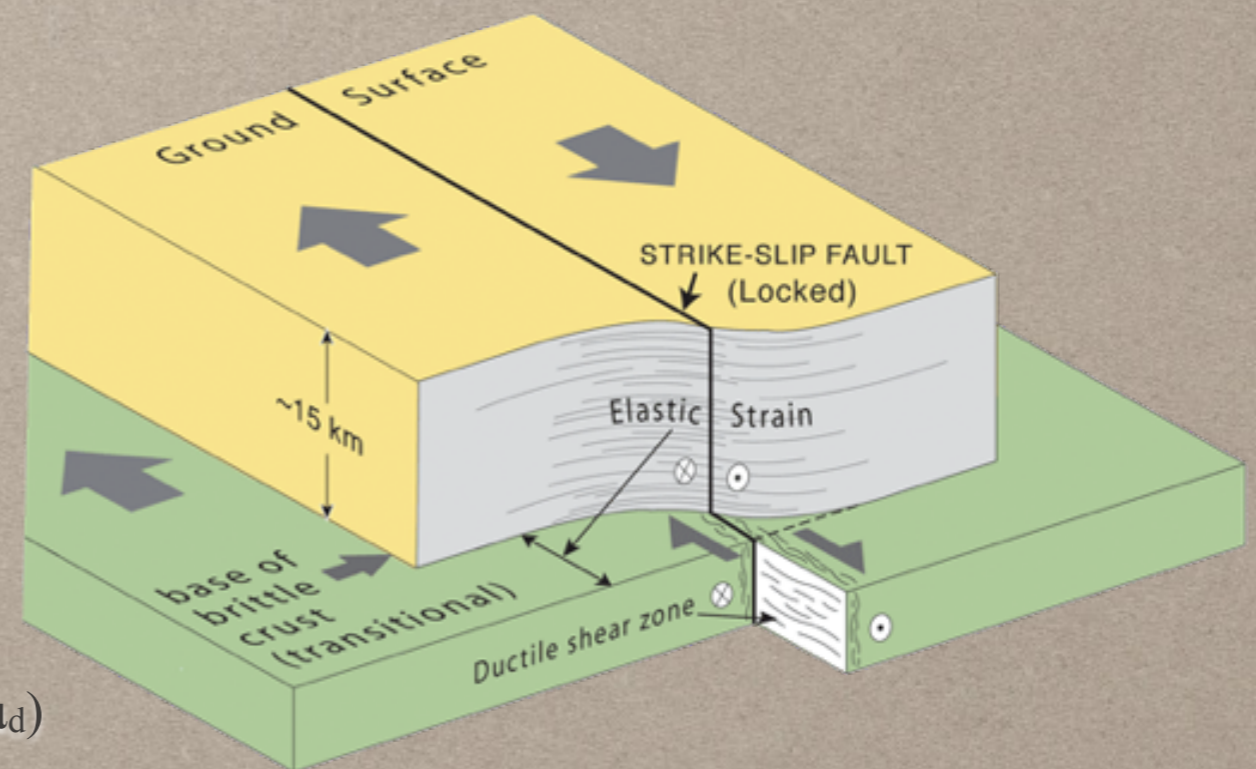
- Priors: $p(\mathbf{m}), p(\sigma_d), p(\boldsymbol{\mu}_d)$

- Likelihood:

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e.g., 2nd order polynomial functions to remove SAR offsets due to possible orbital errors

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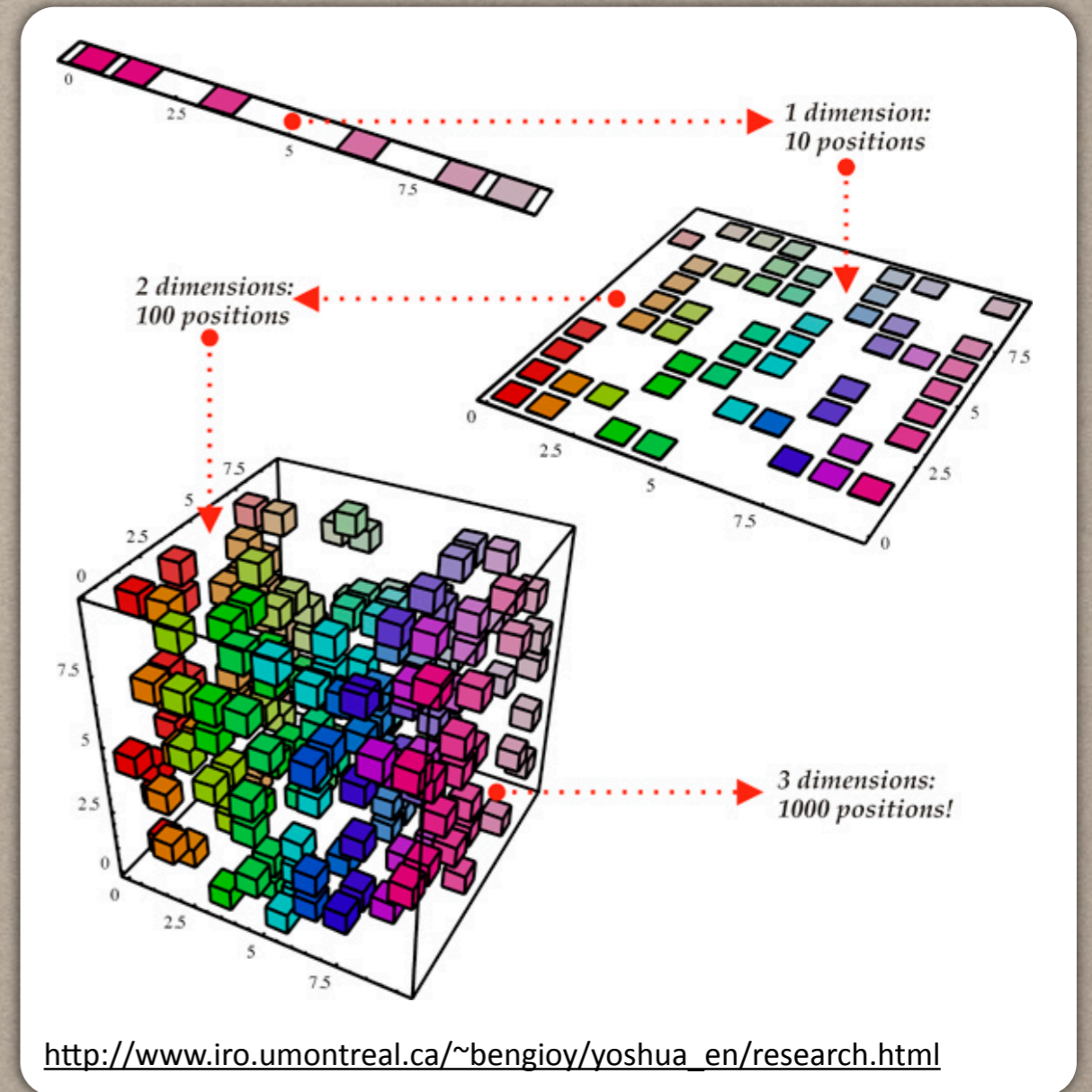


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COMING UP: MONTE CARLO IN H.D. SPACES

MONTE CARLO - CURSE OF DIMENSIONALITY

- Monte Carlo simulation requires drawing enough samples to fill the model space
 - Huge numbers of samples required for high-dimensional problems
 - One sample = One forward model evaluation
- Total numeric cost is:
 - $N_{\text{samples}} \times \text{Time}(\text{forward model})$
 - For large number of model parameters, we need very fast forward model
- A few of the many sampling algorithms in existence:
 - **Reject method:** parallel but inefficient
 - **Metropolis algorithm:** more efficient, but MCMC (e.g., a random walk) is serial
 - **Gibbs sampling:** certain restrictions on types of PDFs that can be simulated
 - Tempering and transitioning algorithms (e.g., **Parallel tempering**)



Good reference for parallel tempering: Sambridge, M., 2013. A Parallel Tempering algorithm for probabilistic sampling and multimodal optimization. Geophys. J. R. astr. Soc. 196, 357-374. doi:10.1093/gji/ggt342

MONTE CARLO - ALTAR

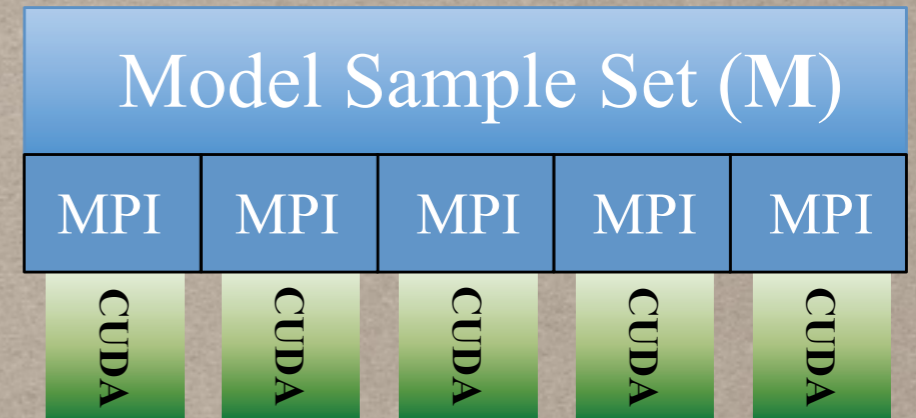
- Based on the CATMIP algorithm (Minson et al., 2013)

- Developed in collaboration with Caltech, IPGS, Géoazur
- A parallel tempered MCMC algorithm
- Embarrassingly parallel

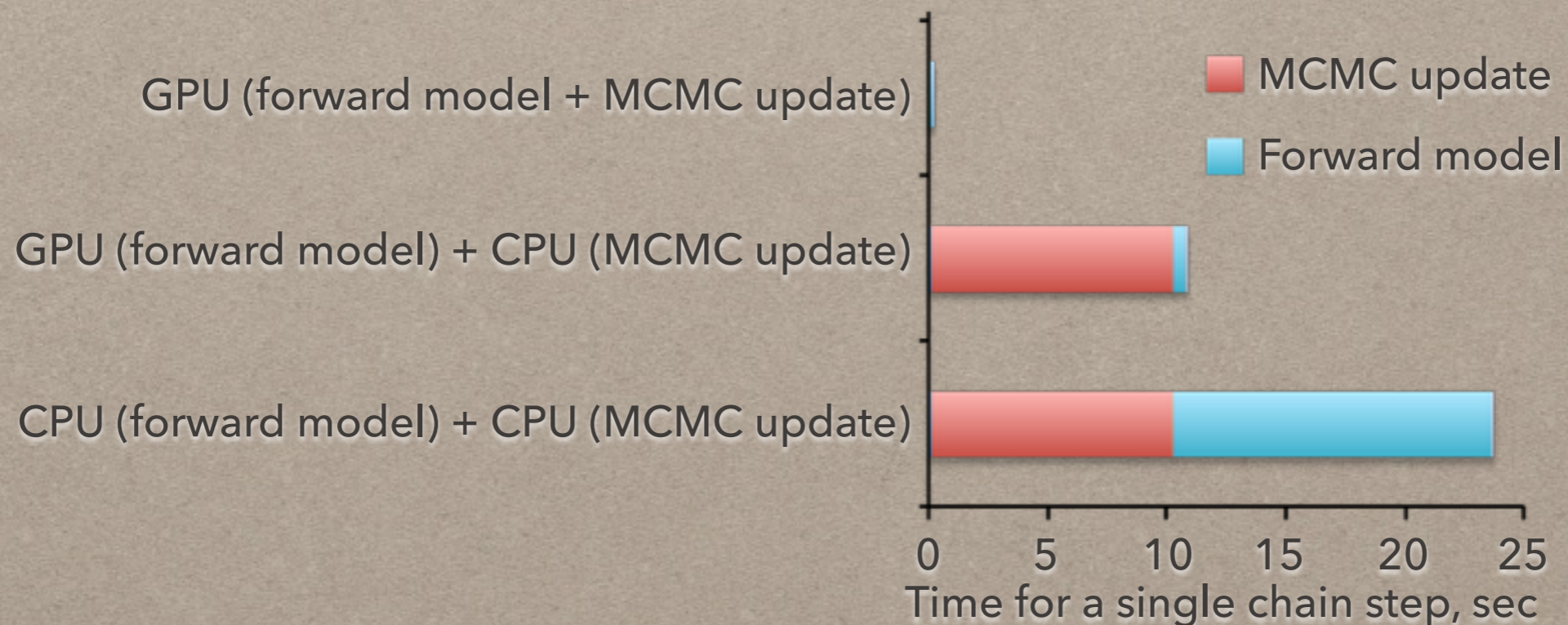
- GPU parallelization

- IDEX project BAYES
- ANR project BEBOP (JCJC)

Parallelization scheme




ALTAR benchmark for 288 model parameters



PREDICTION UNCERTAINTY

$$p(\mathbf{m}|\mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}}) \propto p(\mathbf{m}) p(\mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}}|\mathbf{m})$$

$$p(\mathbf{m}|\mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}}) \propto p(\mathbf{m}) \int_D p(\mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}}|\mathbf{d}) p(\mathbf{d}|\mathbf{m}) d\mathbf{d}$$


Stochastic model for the measurement process

- ▶ $p(\mathbf{d}^*|\mathbf{d})$ is the probability (density) for getting the measured value \mathbf{d}^* when the uncertain physical quantity being measured has the value \mathbf{d}
- ▶ $p(\mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}}|\mathbf{d})$ comes from substituting $\mathbf{d}^* = \mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}}$ in the probability model $p(\mathbf{d}^*|\mathbf{d})$. It describes the likelihood of having observed \mathbf{d}_{obs} if the actual displacement was \mathbf{d}

Stochastic forward model for the predictions

- ▶ Uncertainties in the forward modeling
- ▶ Uncertainties of the theory
- ▶ Model discrepancy

PREDICTION UNCERTAINTY

$$p(\mathbf{m}|\mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}}) \propto p(\mathbf{m}) \int_D p(\mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}}|\mathbf{d}) p(\mathbf{d}|\mathbf{m}) d\mathbf{d}$$

Measurement uncertainty

Prediction or model uncertainty

$$p(\mathbf{d}^*|\mathbf{d}) = \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{d}^*|\mathbf{d}, \mathbf{C}_d)$$

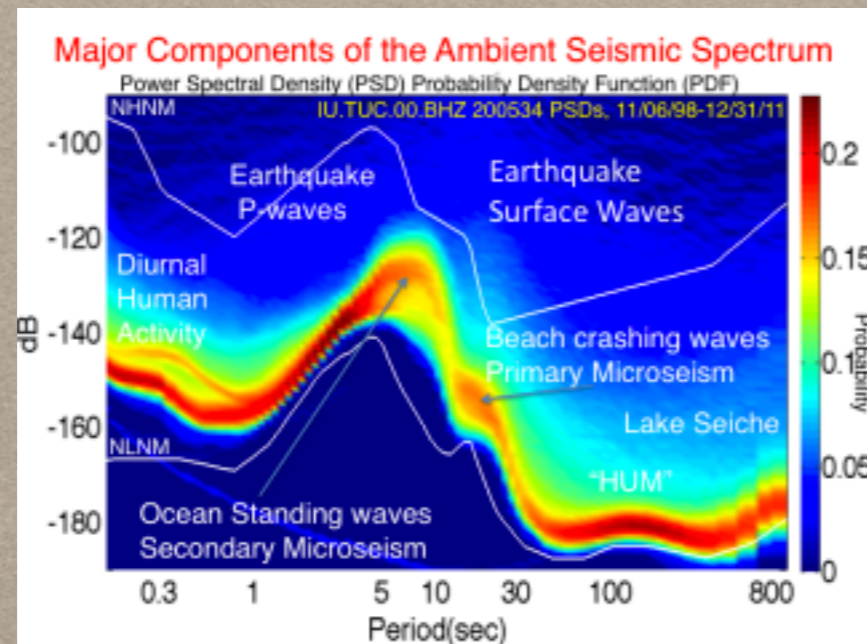
$$p(\mathbf{d}|\mathbf{m}) = \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{d}|\mathbf{g}(\mathbf{m}), \mathbf{C}_p)$$

- Likelihood $p(\mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}}|\mathbf{m}) \propto \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}\left(\mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}} - \mathbf{g}(\mathbf{m})\right)^T \mathbf{C}_\chi^{-1}\left(\mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}} - \mathbf{g}(\mathbf{m})\right)\right)$

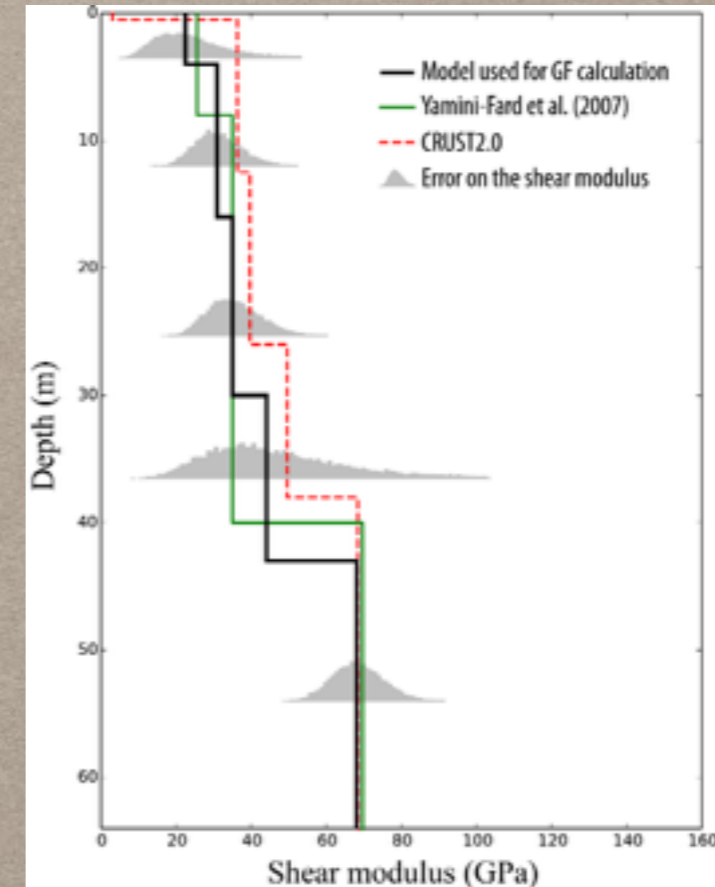
2 contributions to the data misfit ($\mathbf{C}_\chi = \mathbf{C}_d + \mathbf{C}_p$):

Measurement uncertainty (\mathbf{C}_d)

(e.g. ambient noise)



Prediction uncertainty (\mathbf{C}_p)
 (Elastic structure)



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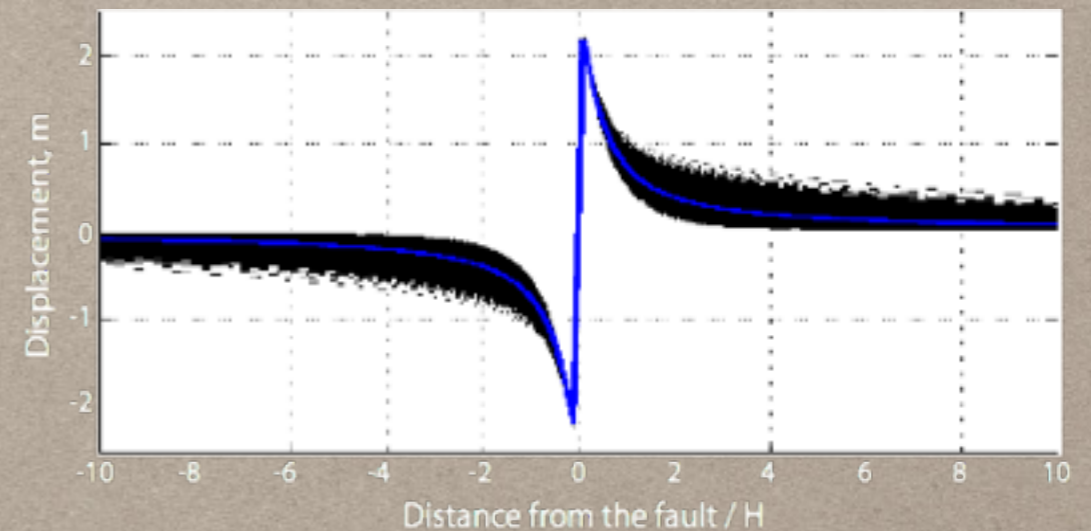
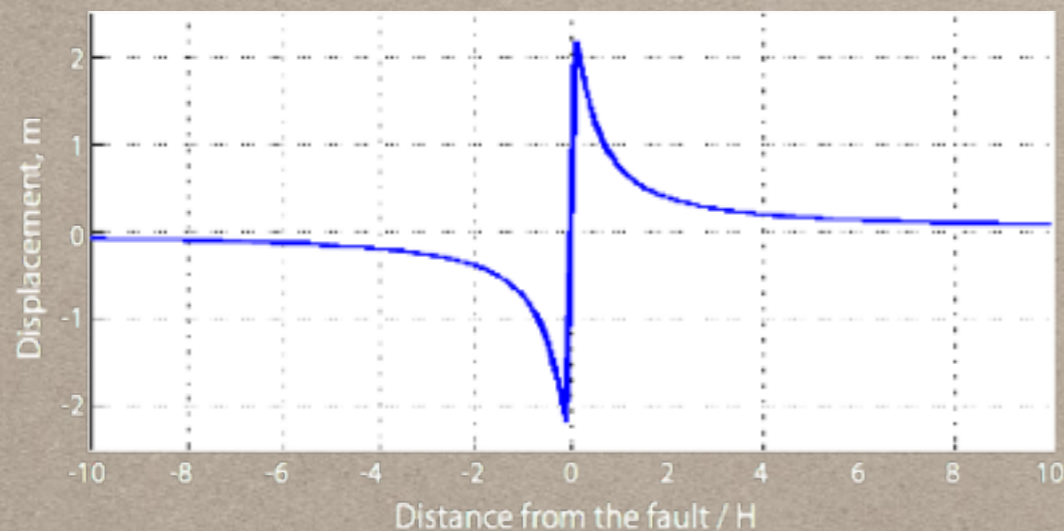
- Likelihood $\propto \exp\left(-\frac{1}{2}\left(\mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}} - \mathbf{g}(\mathbf{m})\right)^T \mathbf{C}_\chi^{-1}\left(\mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}} - \mathbf{g}(\mathbf{m})\right)\right)$ with $\mathbf{C}_\chi = \mathbf{C}_d + \mathbf{C}_p$

Exact theory

$$p(\mathbf{d}|\mathbf{m}) = \delta(\mathbf{d} - \mathbf{g}(\bar{\mathbf{n}}, \mathbf{m}))$$

Stochastic (non-deterministic) theory

$$p(\mathbf{d}|\mathbf{m}) = N(\mathbf{d} | \mathbf{g}(\bar{\mathbf{n}}, \mathbf{m}), \mathbf{C}_p)$$



- Calculation of \mathbf{C}_p based on the physics of the problem: a perturbation approach

$$\delta \mathbf{p} = \mathbf{K}_\mu \cdot \delta \ln \mu \quad \rightarrow \quad \mathbf{C}_p = \mathbf{K}_\mu \cdot \mathbf{C}_\mu \cdot \mathbf{K}_\mu^T$$

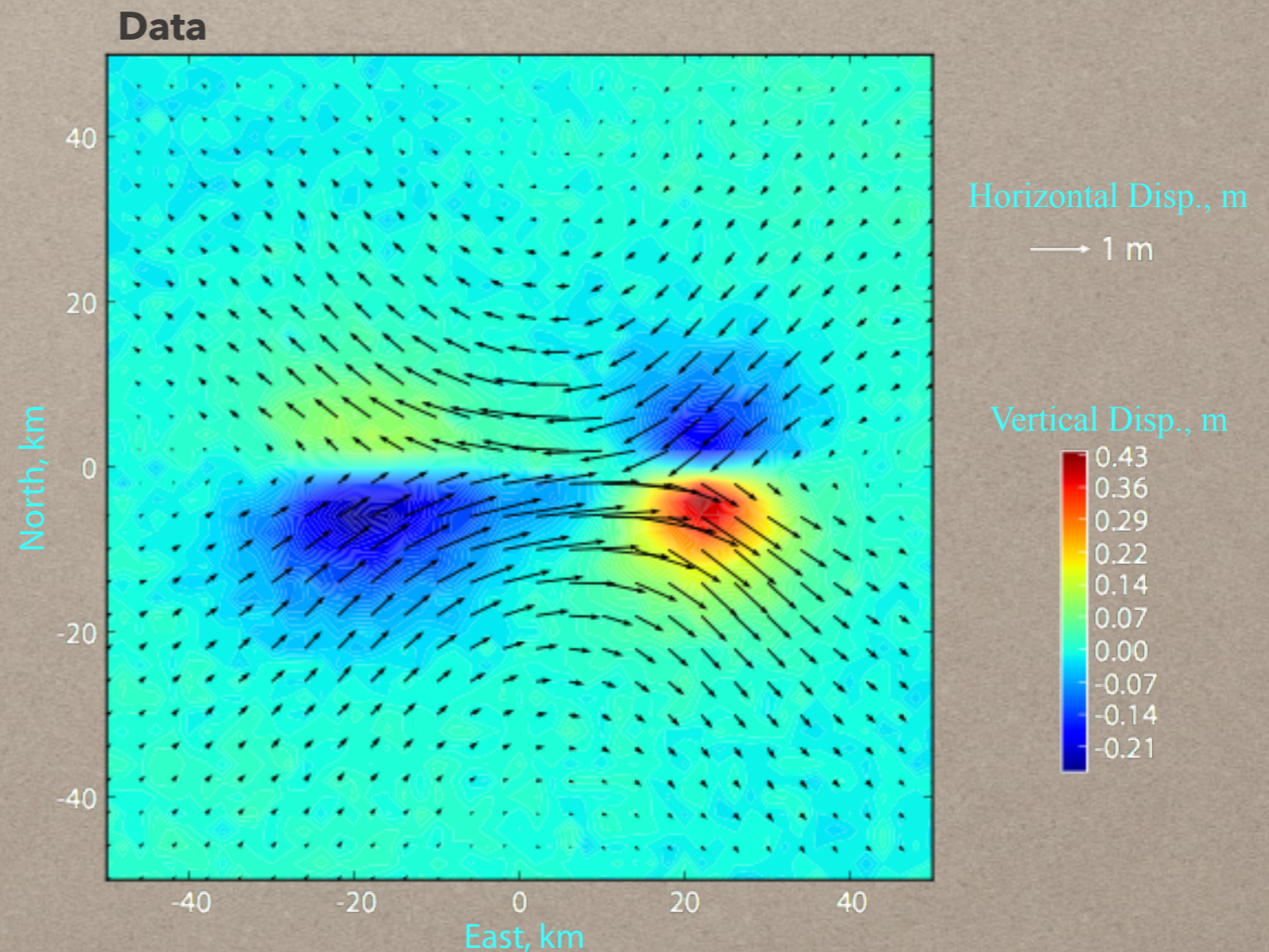
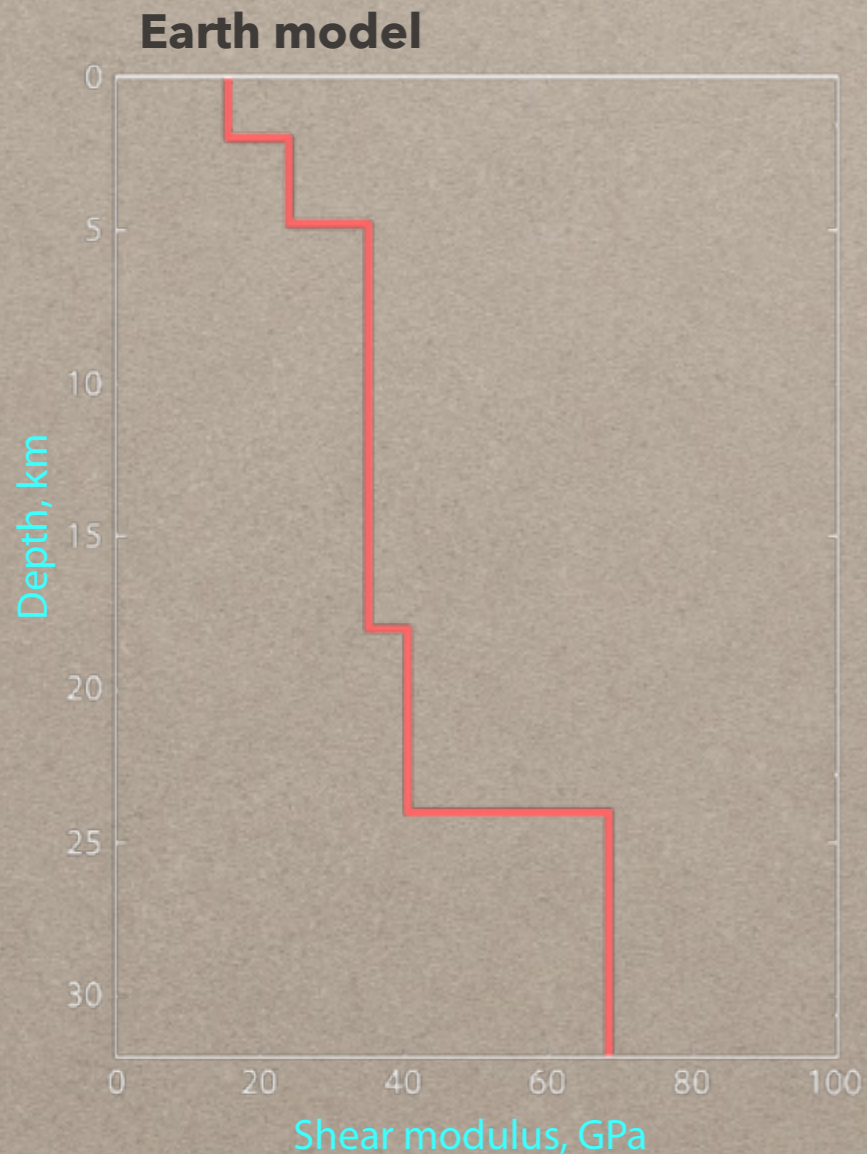
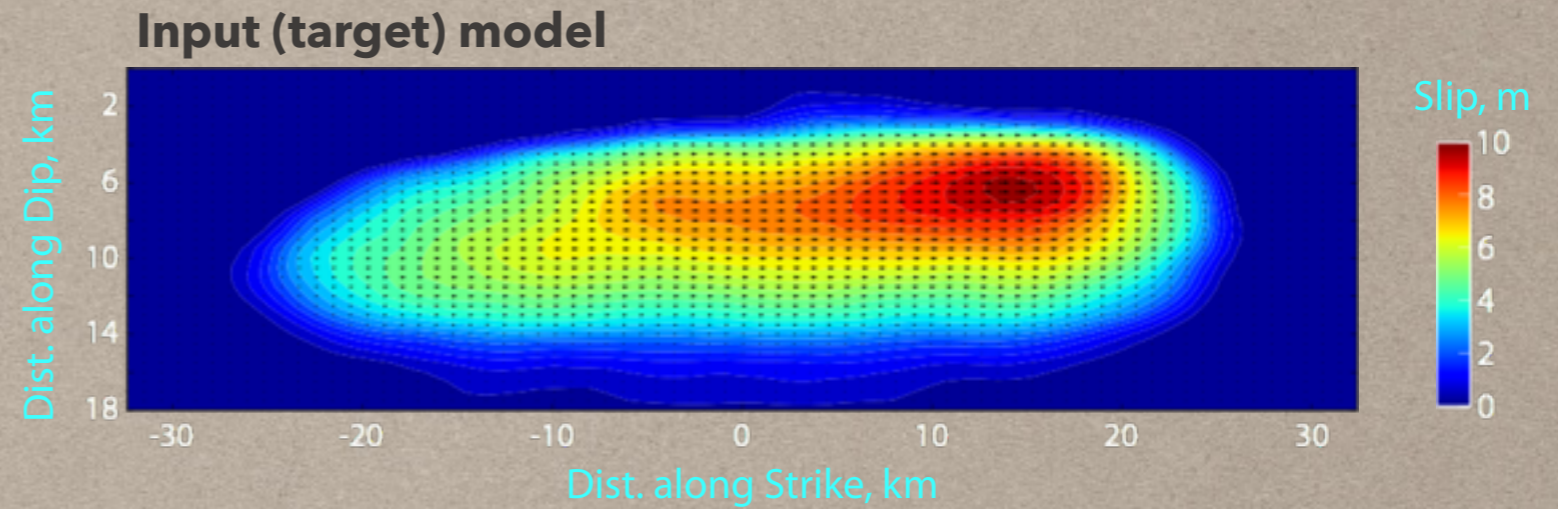
Partial derivatives w.r.t. the elastic parameters (sensitivity kernel)

Covariance matrix describing uncertainty in the Earth model parameters

PREDICTION UNCERTAINTY: TOY MODEL

Finite strike-slip fault

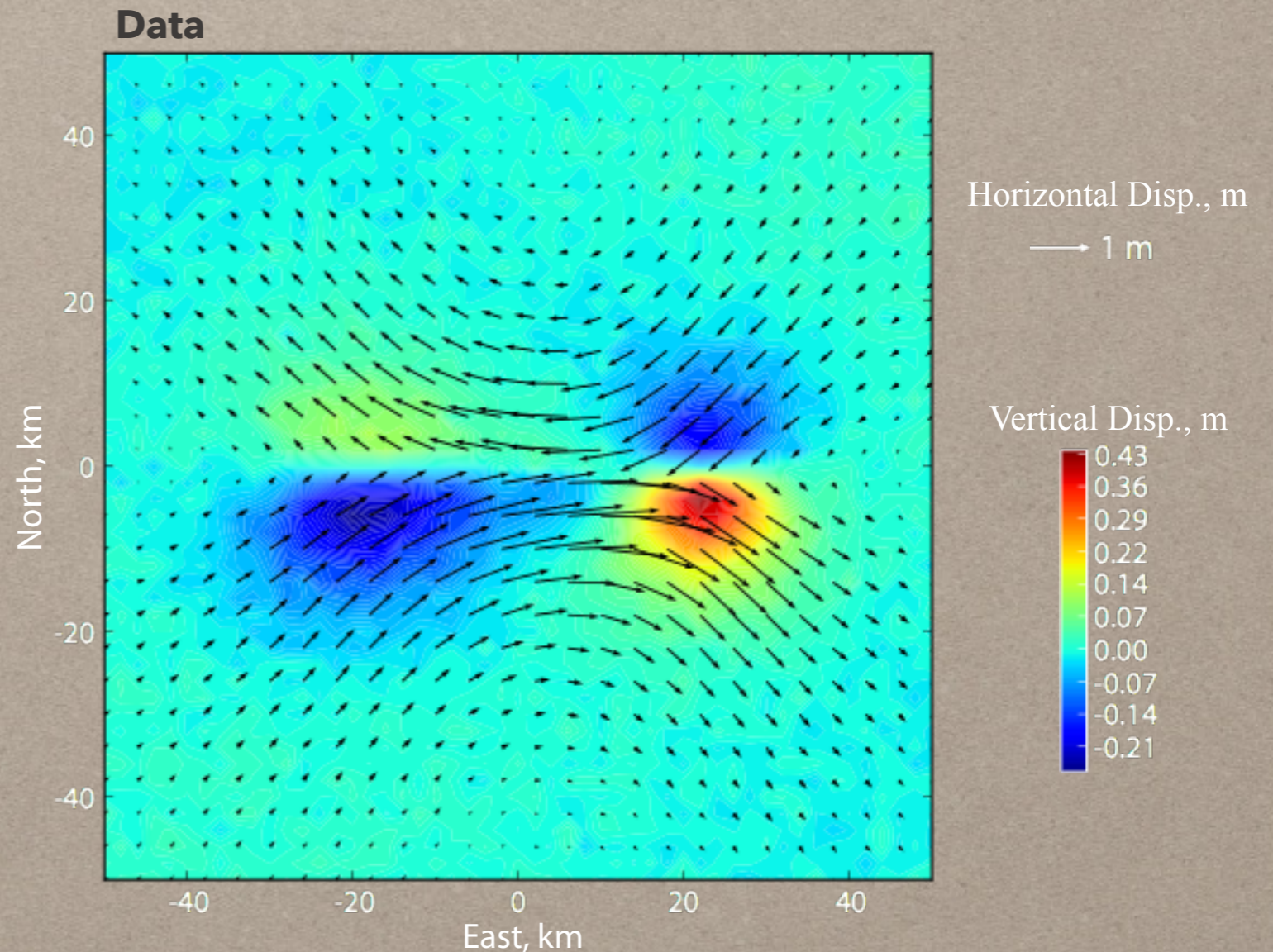
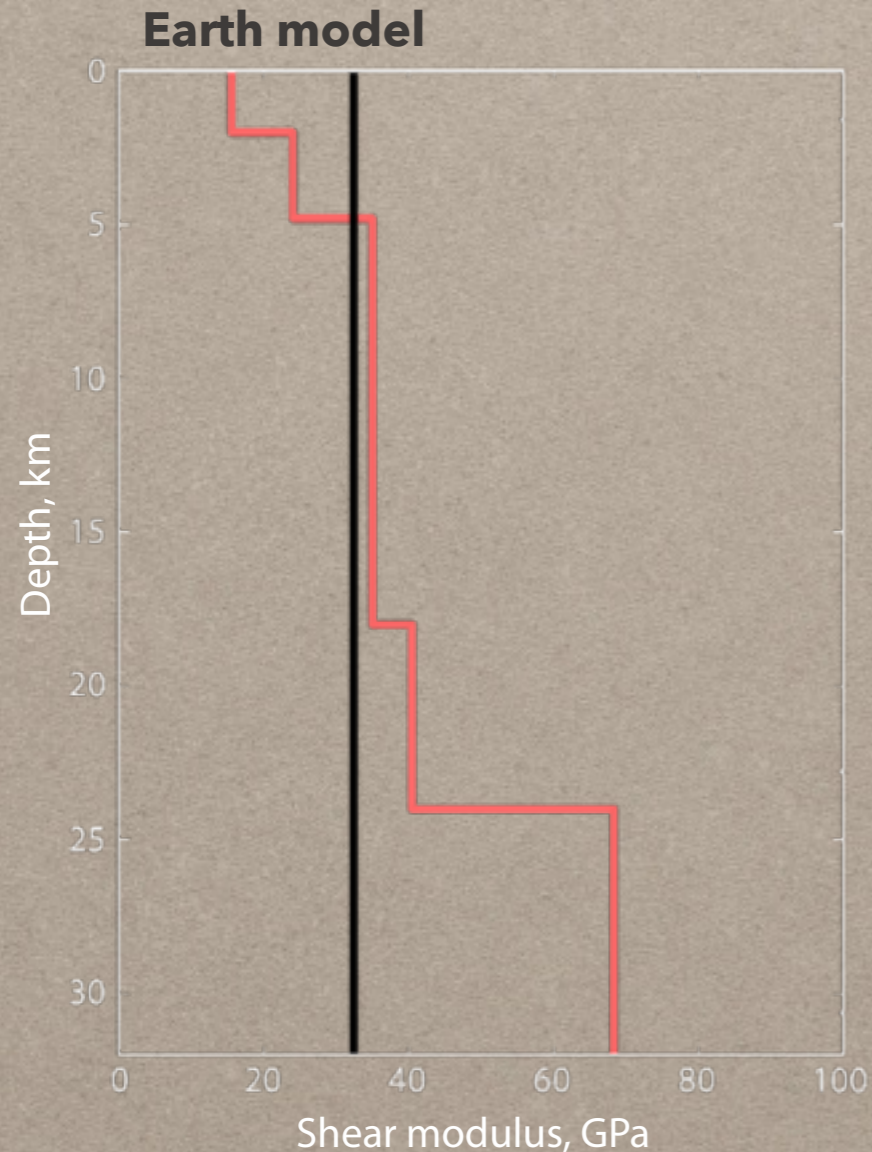
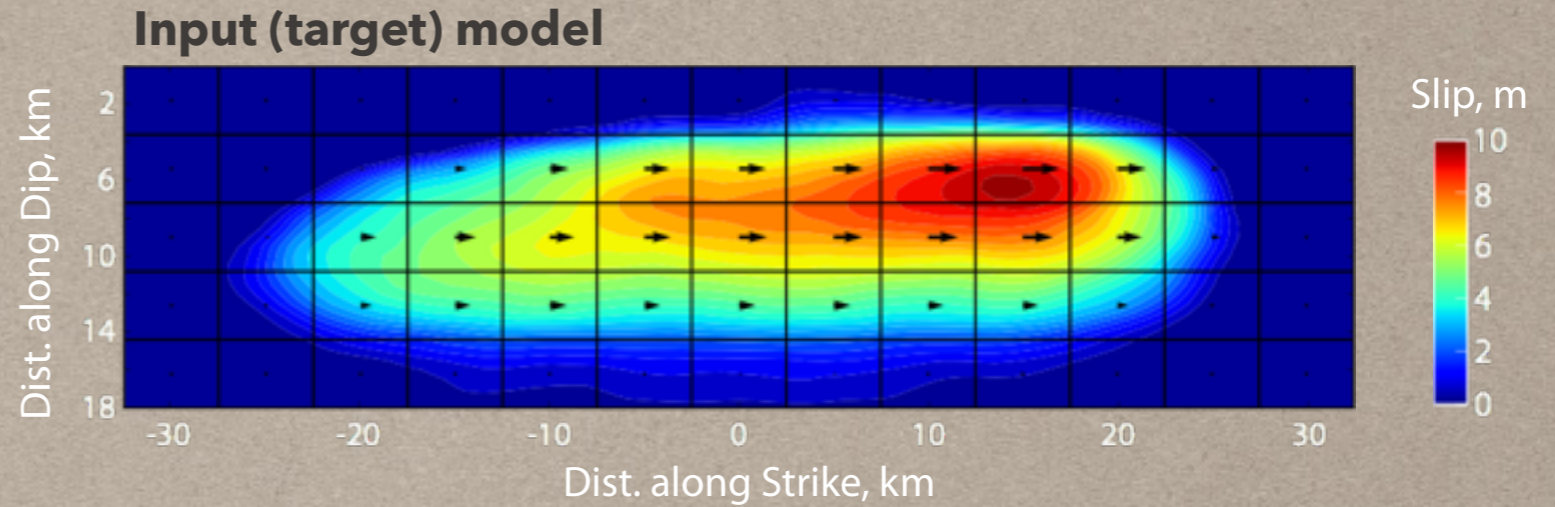
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- ▶ South-dipping = 80°
- ▶ Data for a layered half-space



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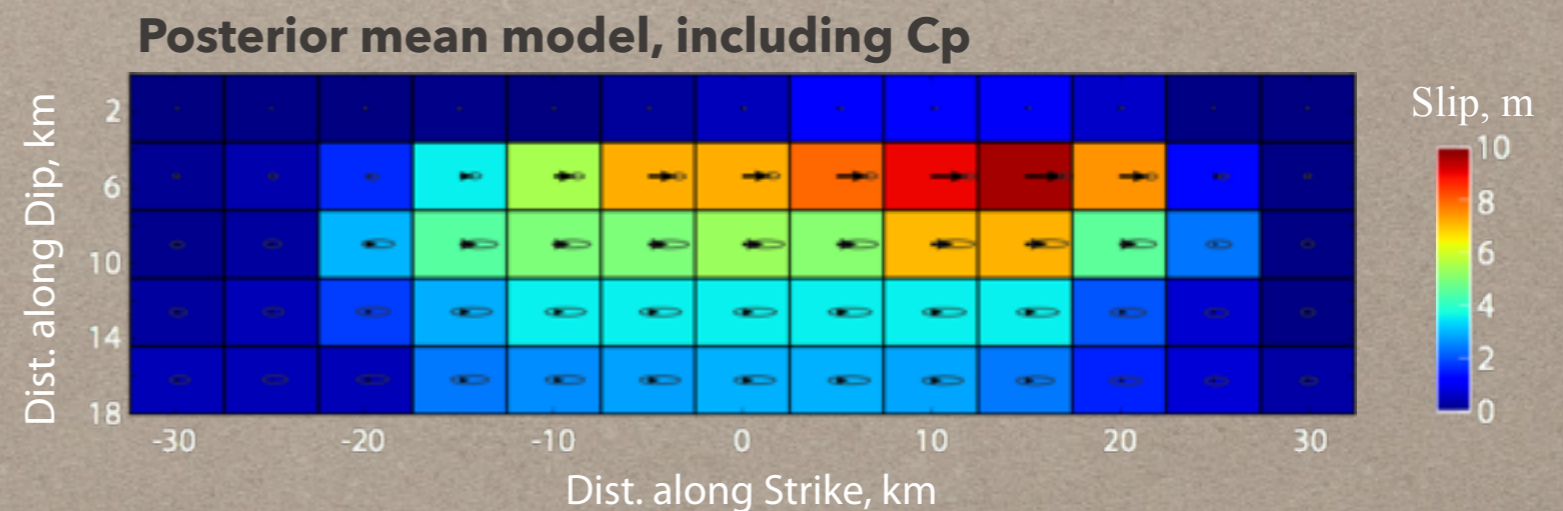
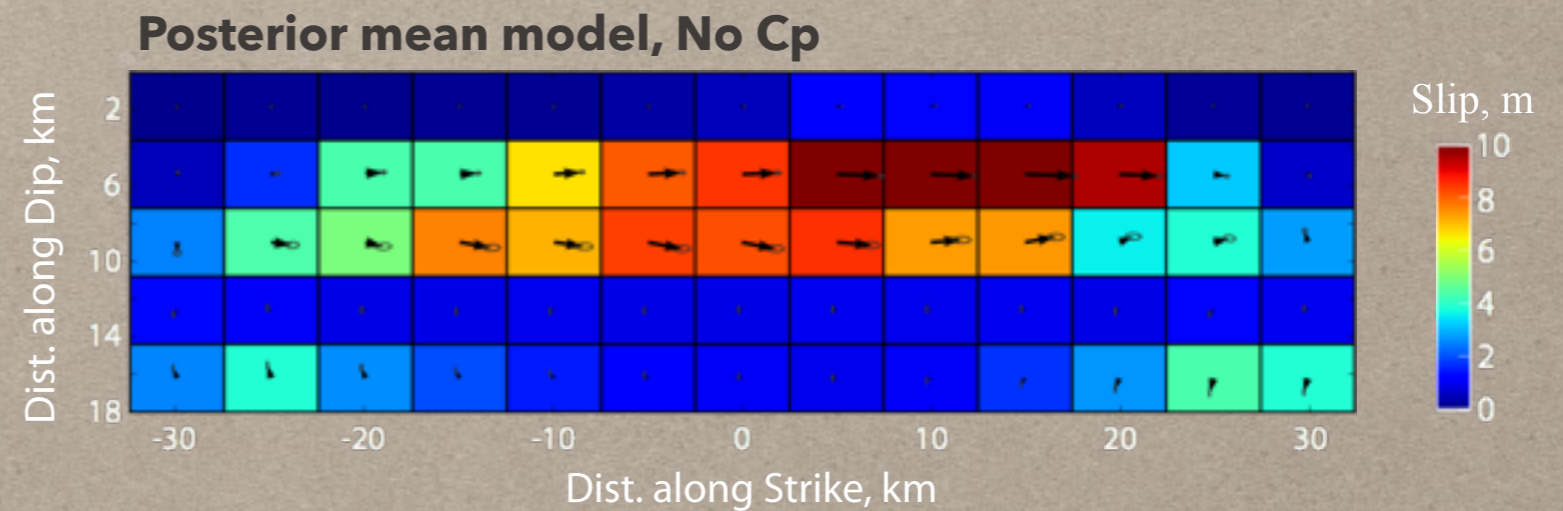
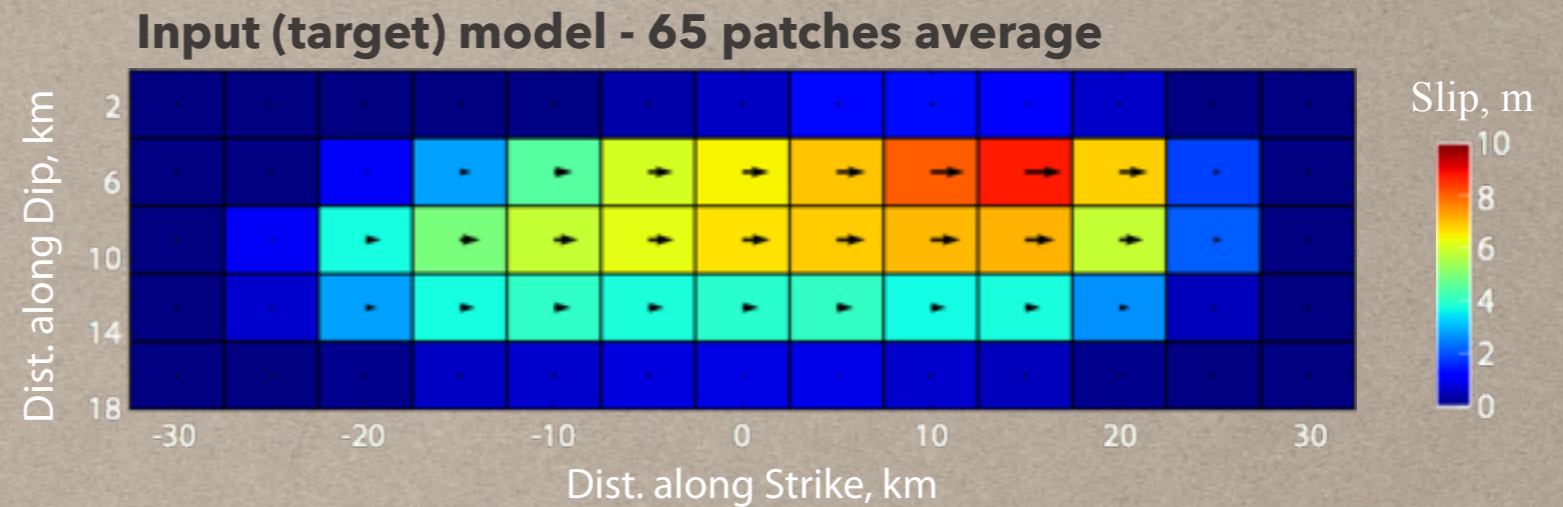
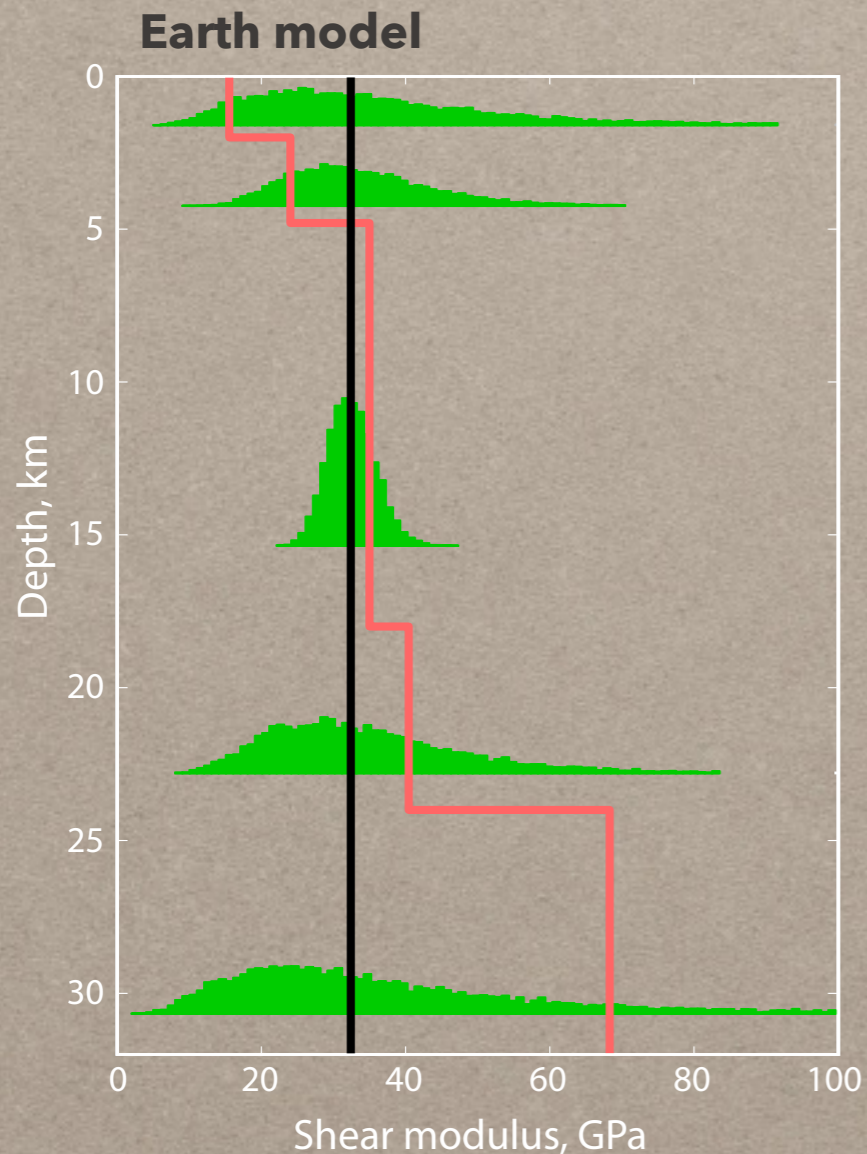
- ▶ 65 patches, 2 slip components
- ▶ 5mm uncorrelated noise ($\rightarrow \mathbf{C}_d$)
- ▶ GFs - half-space ($\rightarrow \mathbf{C}_p$)



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QUESTIONS?

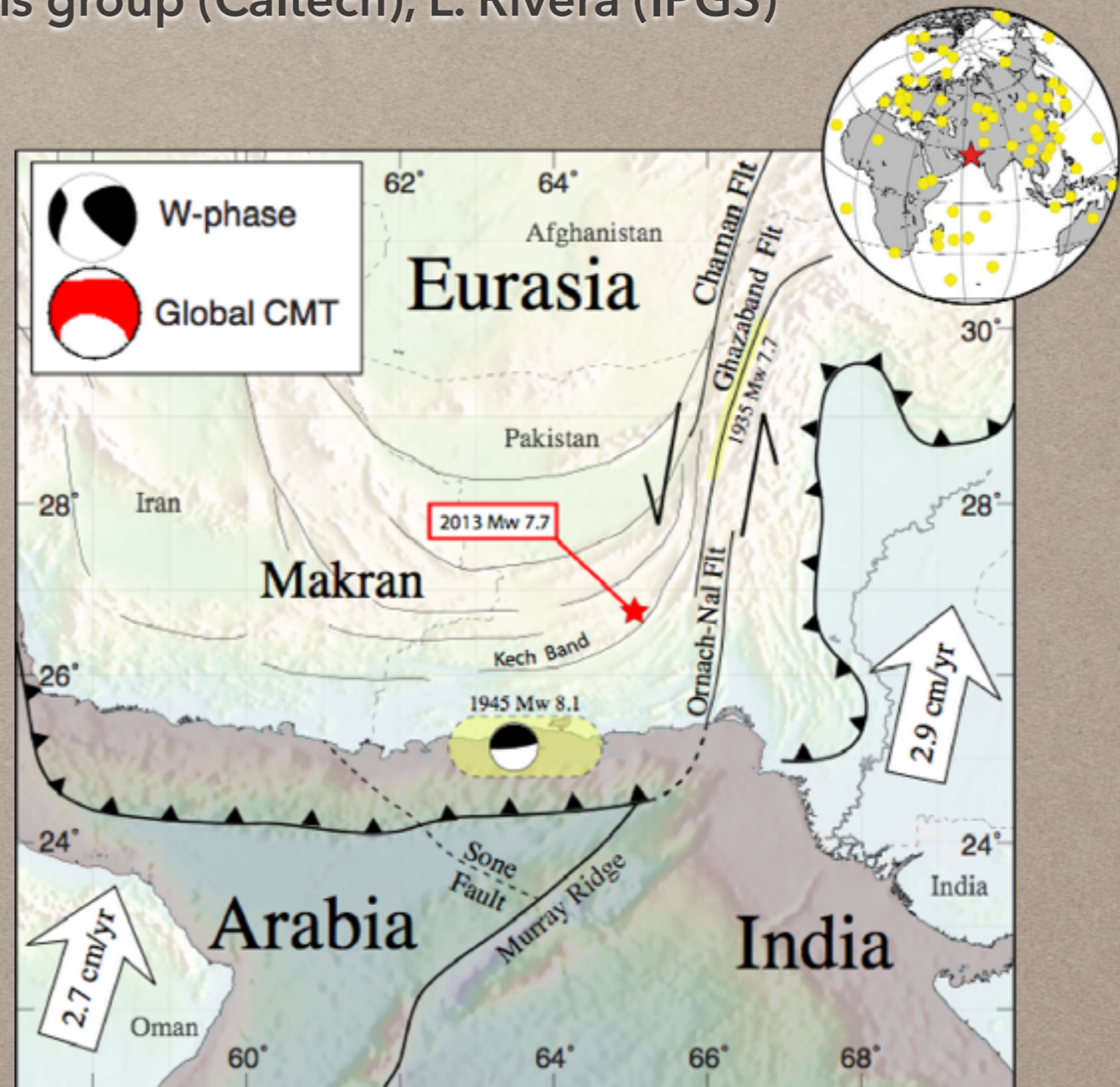
COMING UP: APPLICATION EXAMPLES

BALUCHISTAN EARTHQUAKE (2013, M7.7)

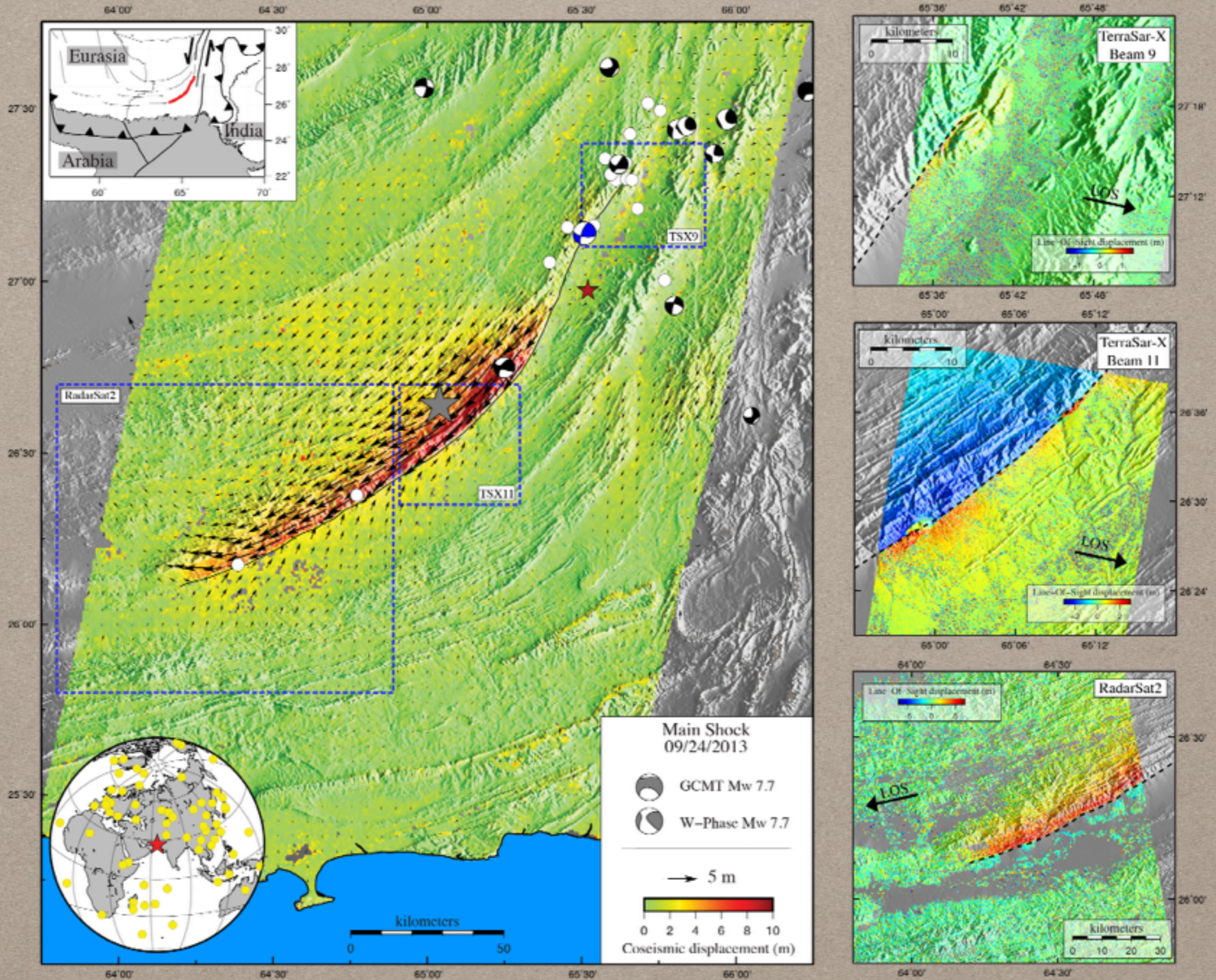
Collaborations: R. Jolivet, M. Simons group (Caltech), L. Rivera (IPGS)

- Large earthquakes rarely occur within accretionary prisms
 - aseismic deformation
 - partitioning of deformation
 - high pore pressures - weak unconsolidated sediments
- Low seismicity:
 - Séisme de Quetta (1935, Mw~7.5)
 - Séisme de Makran (1945, Mw~8.1)
- Shallow locking depths:
 - Szeliga et al. (2012)
 - smaller than 5km on several faults

➔ Low likelihood for a large earthquake in this region



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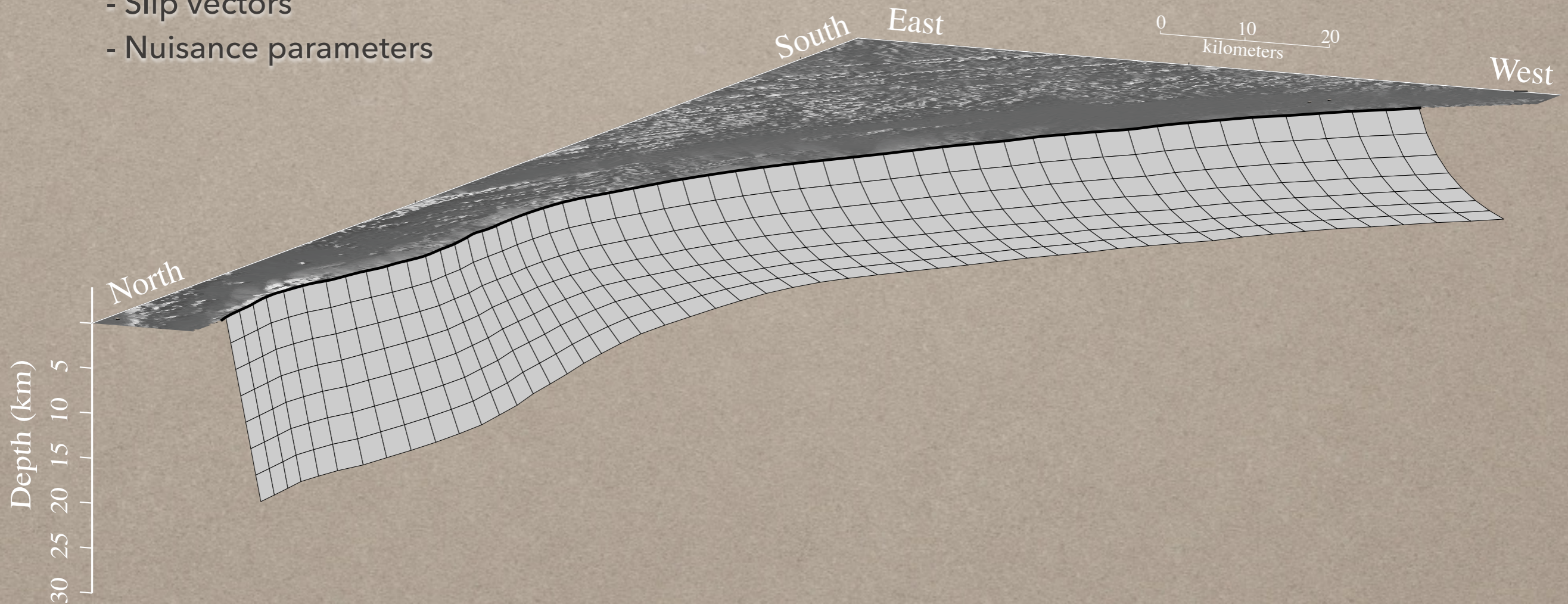
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Listric fault geometry

- Based on W-phase dip angles ($\delta=70^\circ$ in the north, $\delta=50^\circ$ in the south)
- Structural studies: décollement at 10km depth (e.g., Ellouz-Zimmermann et al., 2007)
- Depth dependent dip angle

Static Parameters:

- Slip vectors
- Nuisance parameters

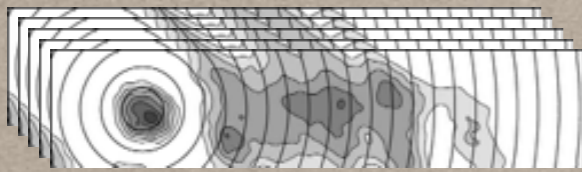


BALUCHISTAN EARTHQUAKE (2013, M7.7)

$$p(\mathbf{m} | \mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}}) \propto p(\mathbf{m}) p(\mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}} | \mathbf{m})$$

Posterior PDF

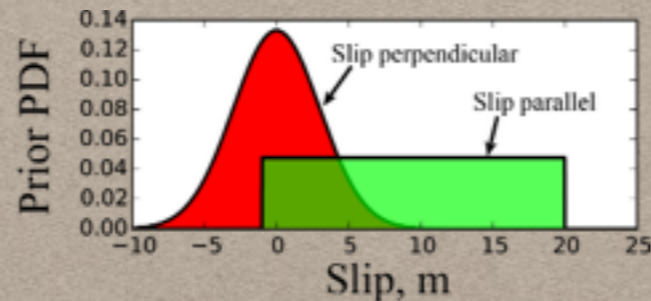
ensemble of models



Prior PDF

Constraints (if any)

- ▶ Strike-slip: $\mathcal{U}(-1,20)$
- ▶ Dip-slip: $\mathcal{N}(0,3)$



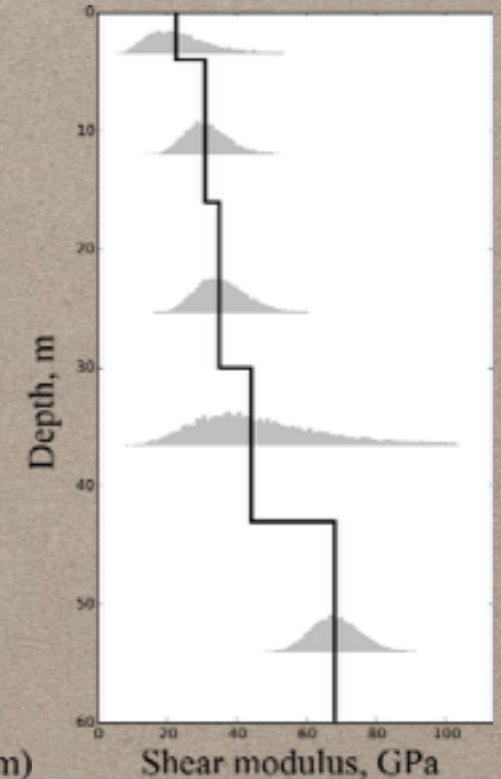
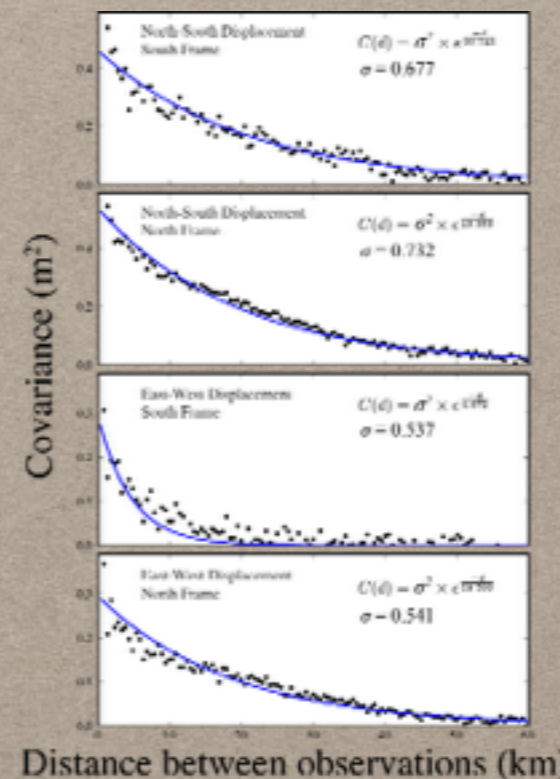
Likelihood

$$\propto \exp \left(-\frac{1}{2} (\mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}} - \mathbf{g}(\mathbf{m}))^T \mathbf{C}_{\chi}^{-1} (\mathbf{d}_{\text{obs}} - \mathbf{g}(\mathbf{m})) \right)$$

2 contributions to the data misfit (\mathbf{C}_{χ}):

Data uncertainty
(e.g. InSAR)

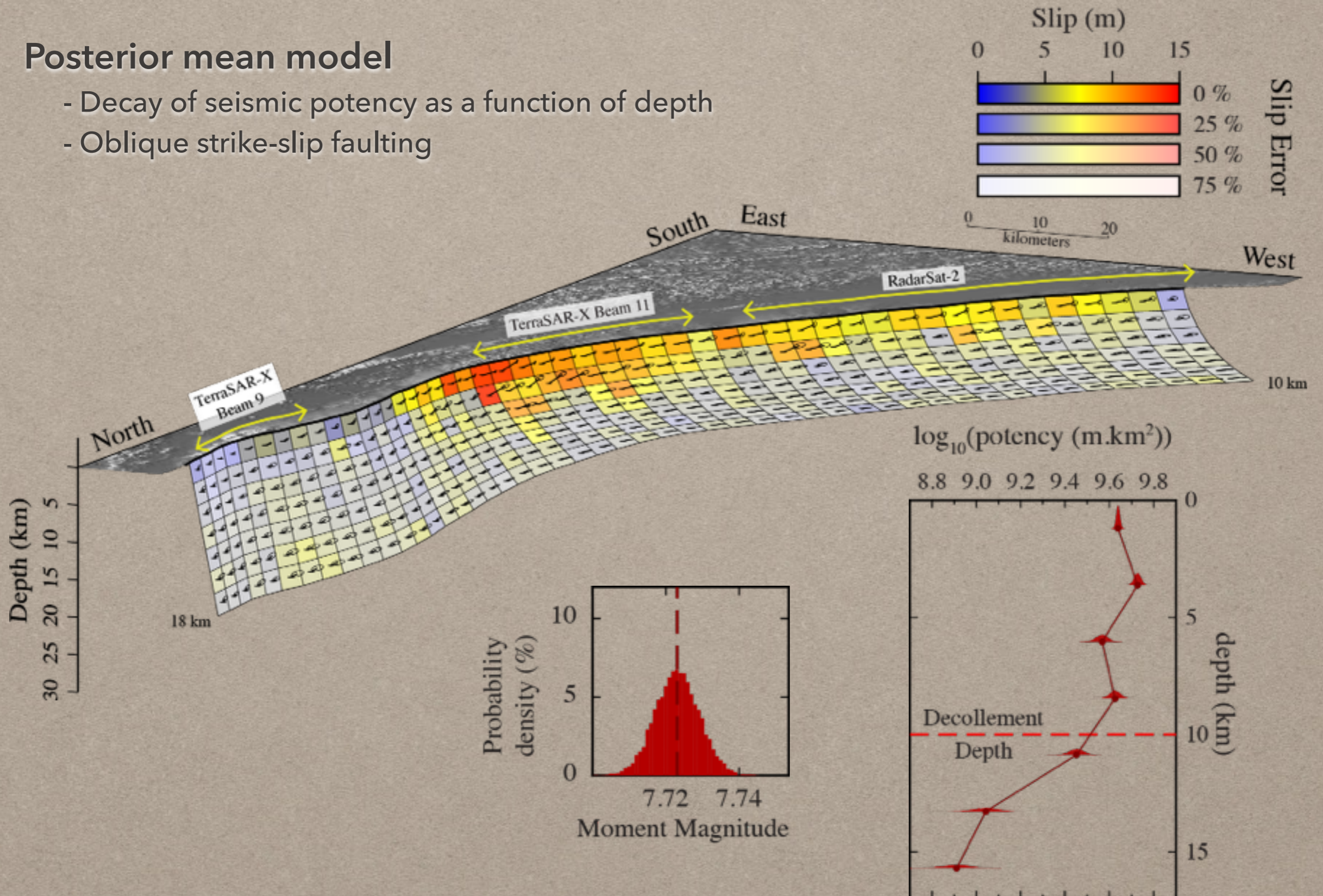
Prediction uncertainty
(Elastic structure)



BALUCHISTAN EARTHQUAKE (2013, M7.7)

Posterior mean model

- Decay of seismic potency as a function of depth
- Oblique strike-slip faulting

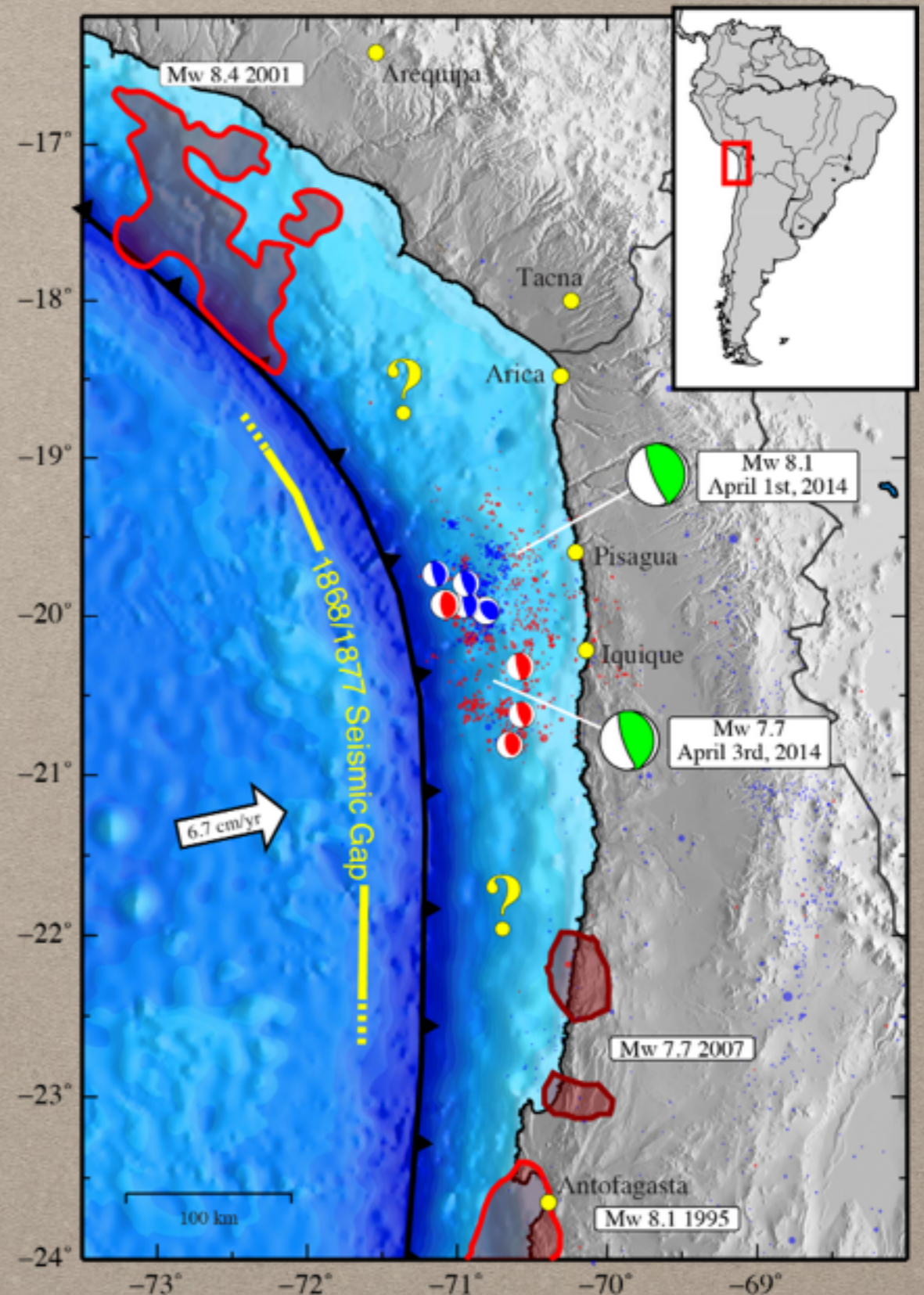


PISAGUA EARTHQUAKE (2014, M8.1)

Collaborations: M. Simons group (Caltech), L. Rivera (IPGS)

- Occurred in the north chilean seismic gap
 - Last ruptured in 1877 (Mw~8.8)
 - Before 1877: unclear if the region failed in huge single ruptures or in sequences of smaller ruptures
- Foreshock activity:
 - Started on 16 March with a Mw=6.7 thrust event
 - Followed by thrust faulting aftershocks
- Aftershock activity
 - Mw=7.7 aftershock on 3 April 2014

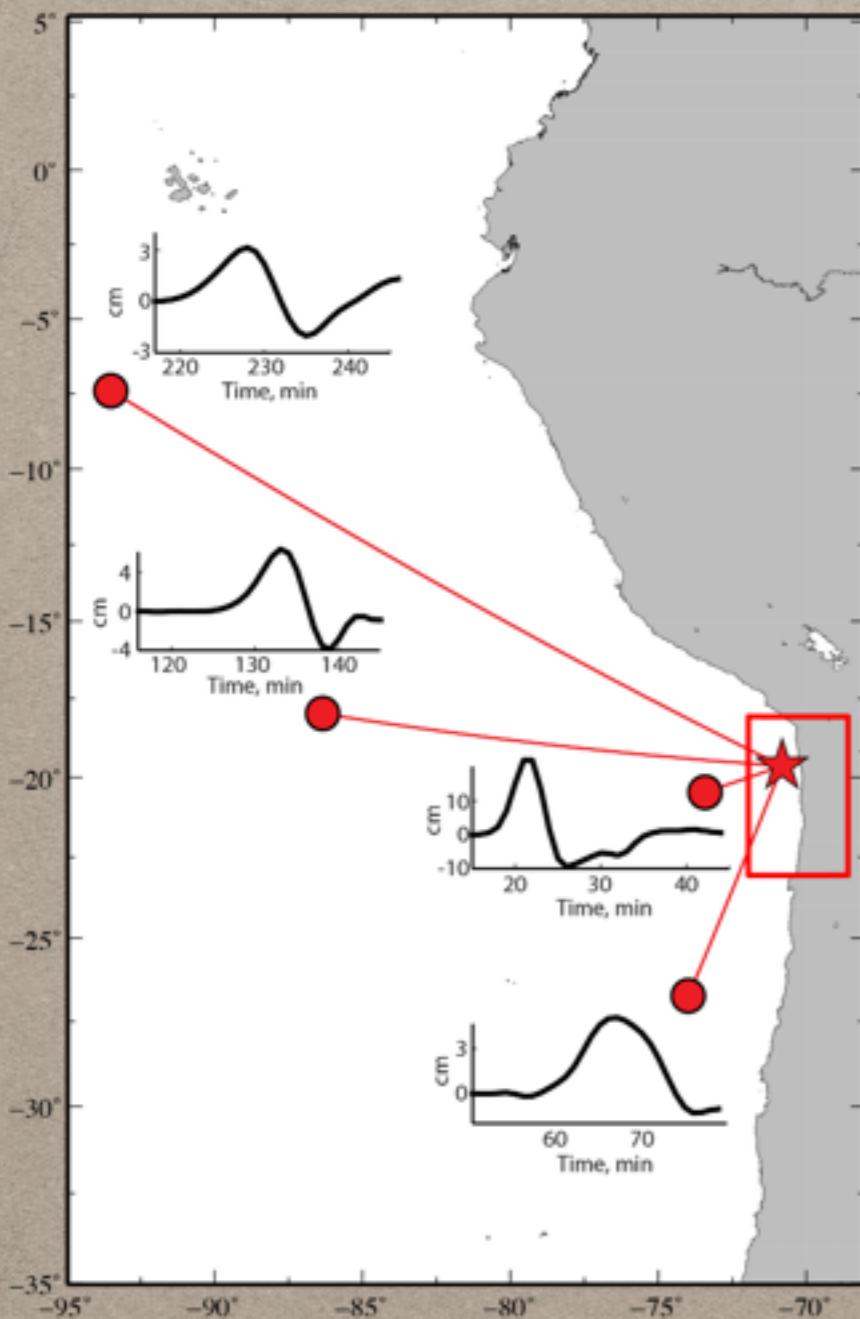
Goal: Provide a reliable description of the mainshock source attributes



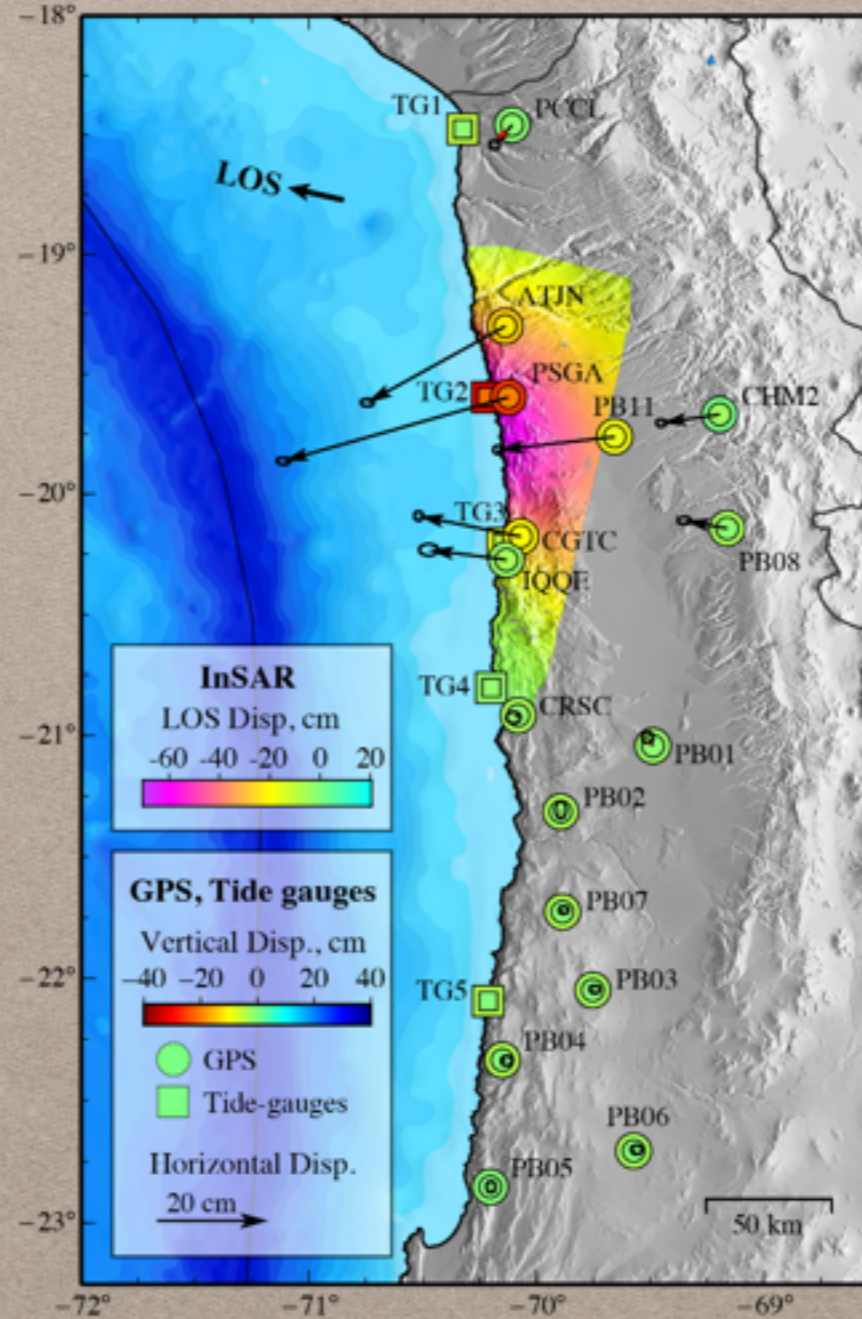
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Observations

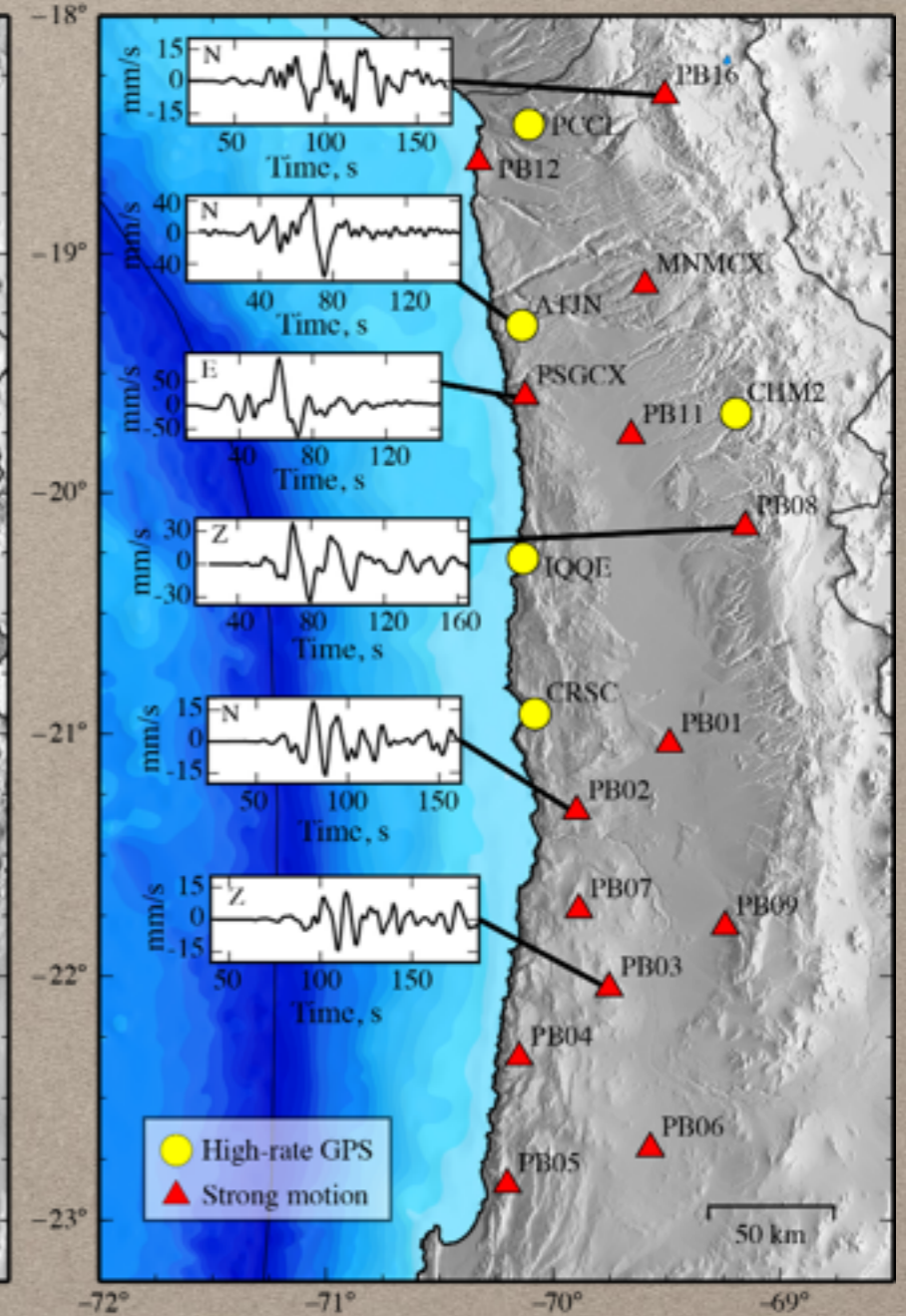
Tsunami (DART)



InSAR+GPS(●)+Tide gauges(■)



HR GPS(●)+Strong motion(▲)



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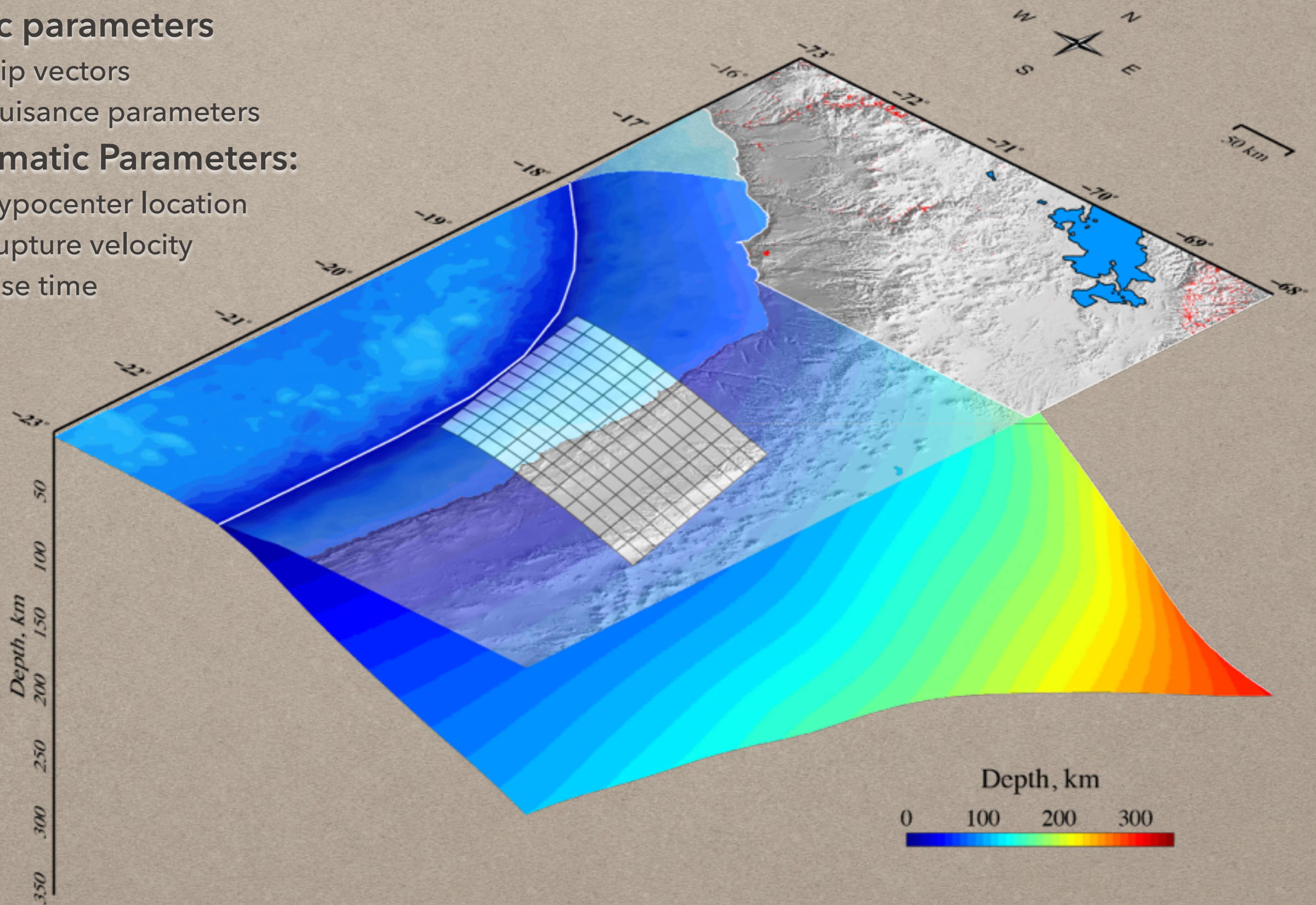
Curved fault geometry, 132 subfaults

Static parameters

- Slip vectors
- Nuisance parameters

Kinematic Parameters:

- Hypocenter location
- Rupture velocity
- Rise time

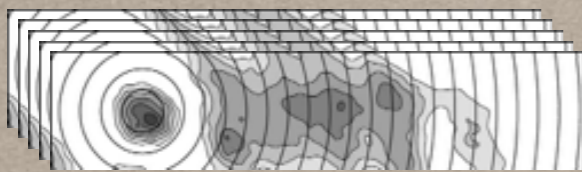


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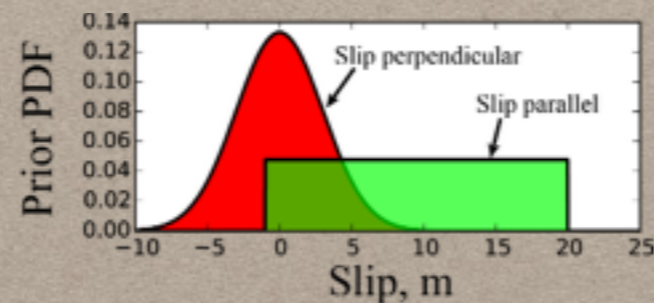
ensemble of models



Prior PDF

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- ▶ Strike-slip: $\mathcal{N}(0, 3)$
- ▶ Vr: $\mathcal{U}(0.5, 4)$
- ▶ Tr: $\mathcal{U}(2, 30)$



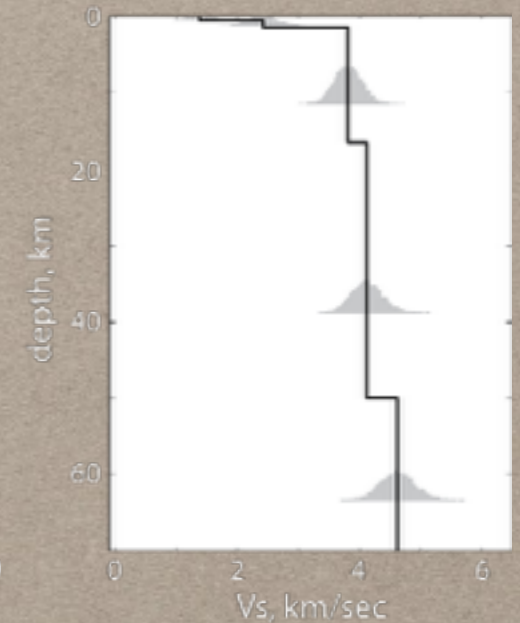
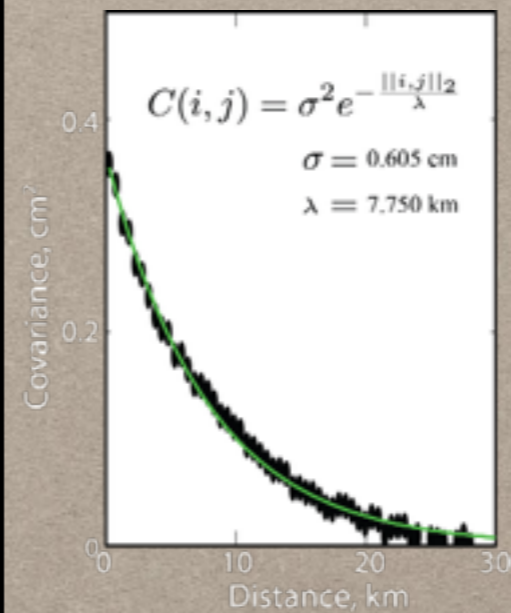
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PISAGUA EARTHQUAKE (2014, M8.1)

Information integration using a cascading approach

1 **Static inversion:** $p(\mathbf{m}_s | \mathbf{d}_s) \propto p(\mathbf{m}_s) p(\mathbf{d}_s | \mathbf{m}_s)$

- ▶ Data (\mathbf{d}_s): GPS, InSAR, Tide gauges, Tsunami
- ▶ Parameters (\mathbf{m}_s): Slip vectors



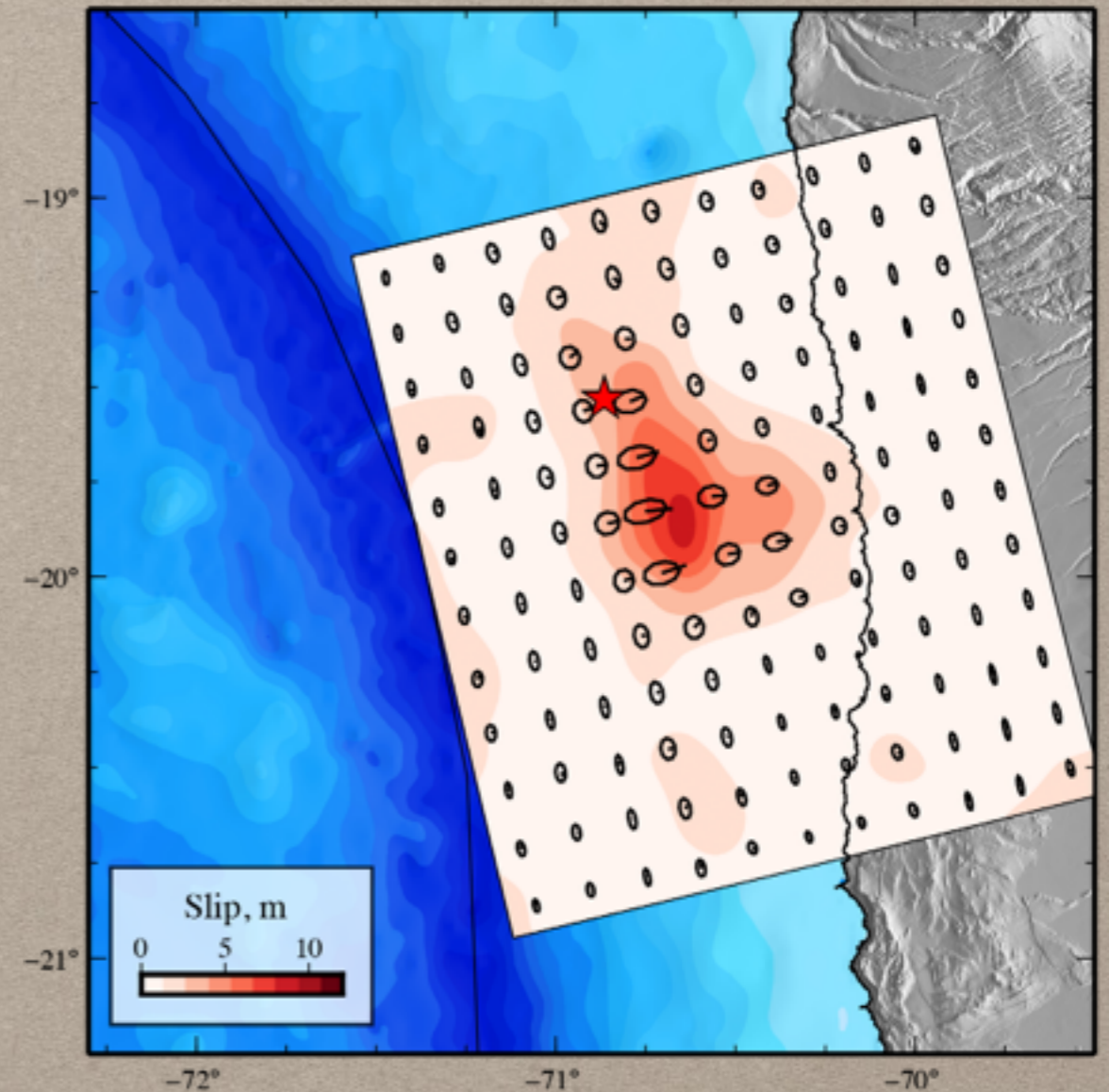
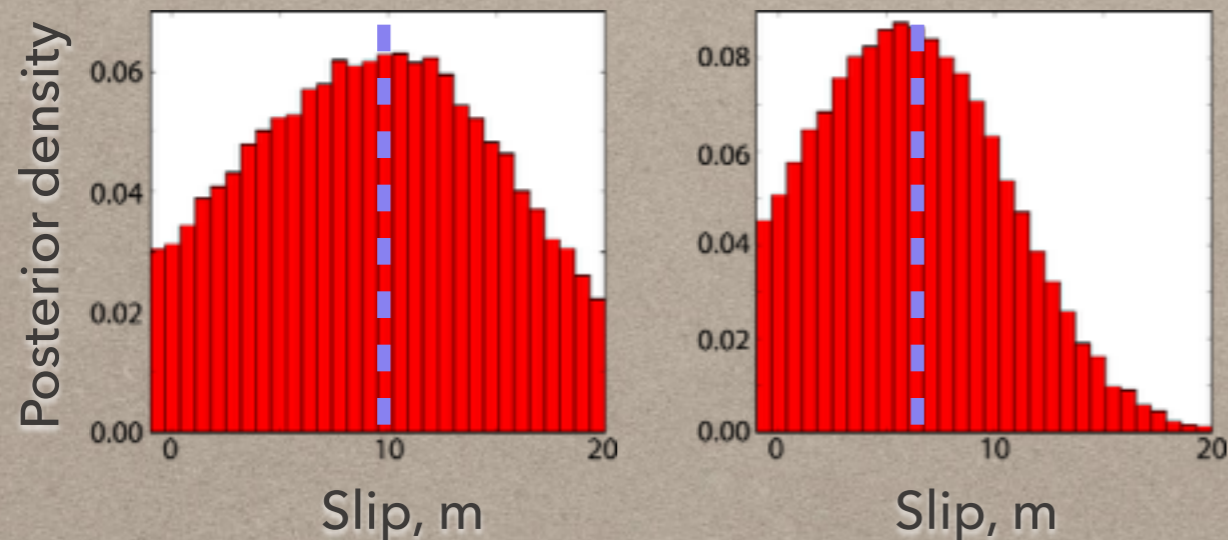
2 **Kinematic inversion:** $p(\mathbf{m}_s, \mathbf{m}_k | \mathbf{d}_s, \mathbf{d}_k) \propto p(\mathbf{m}_s) p(\mathbf{d}_s | \mathbf{m}_s) p(\mathbf{m}_k) p(\mathbf{d}_k | \mathbf{m}_s, \mathbf{m}_k)$

- ▶ Data ($\mathbf{d}_s, \mathbf{d}_k$): GPS, InSAR, Tide gauges, Tsunami, High-Rate GPS, Strong motion
- ▶ Parameters ($\mathbf{m}_s, \mathbf{m}_k$): Slip vectors, Hypocenter loc., Rupture velocity, Rise-Time

PISAGUA EARTHQUAKE (2014, M8.1)

1 Static slip inversion (GPS, InSAR, Tide gauges, Tsunami)

- ▶ Posterior Mean Model
- ▶ 95% Probability Error-ellipses
- ▶ PDF for patches with large slip:



2 Kinematic slip inversion (+High-Rate GPS, Strong motion)

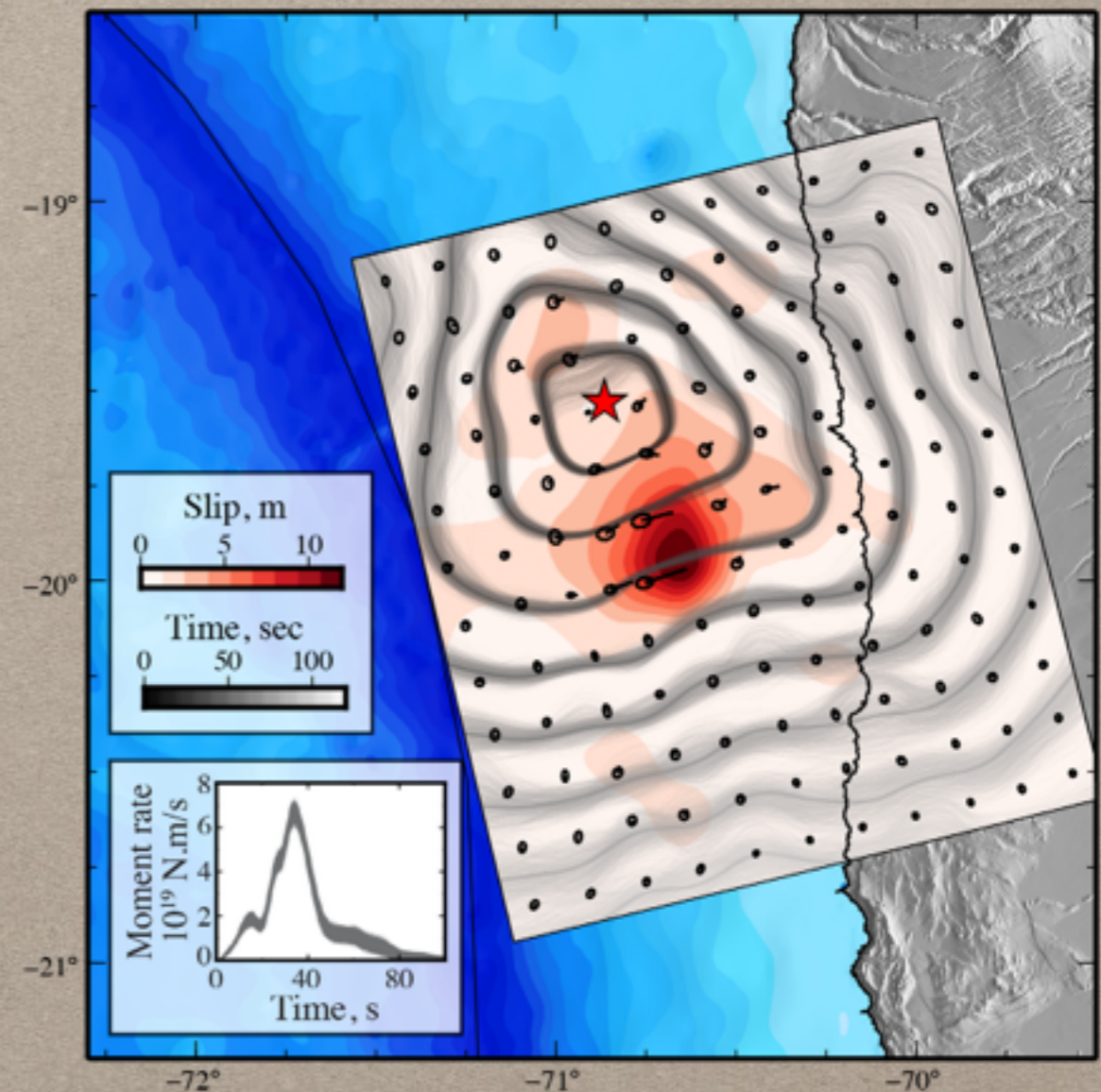
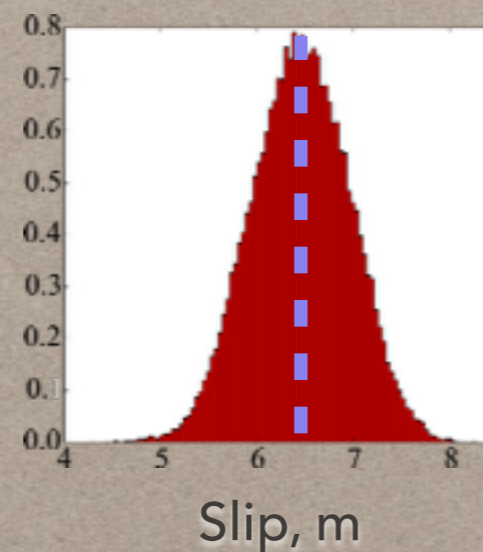
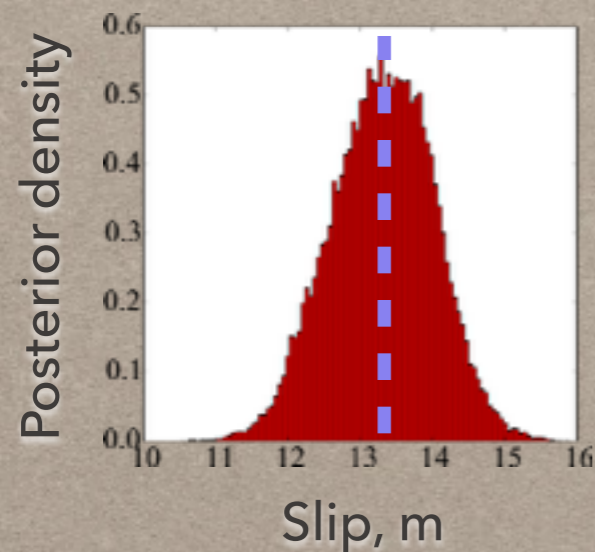
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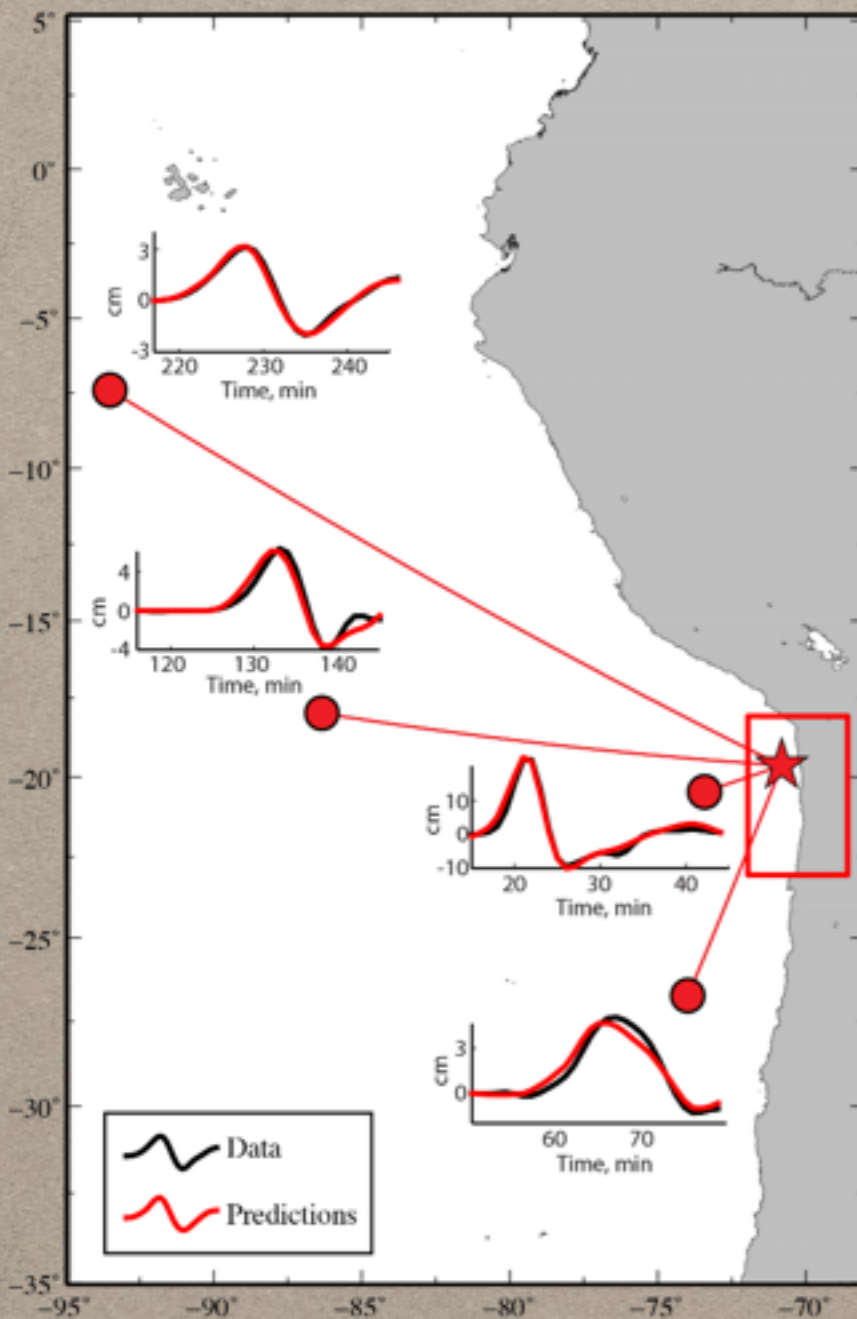
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- ▶ 95% Probability Error-ellipses
- ▶ Rupture front uncertainty
- ▶ PDF for patches with large slip:



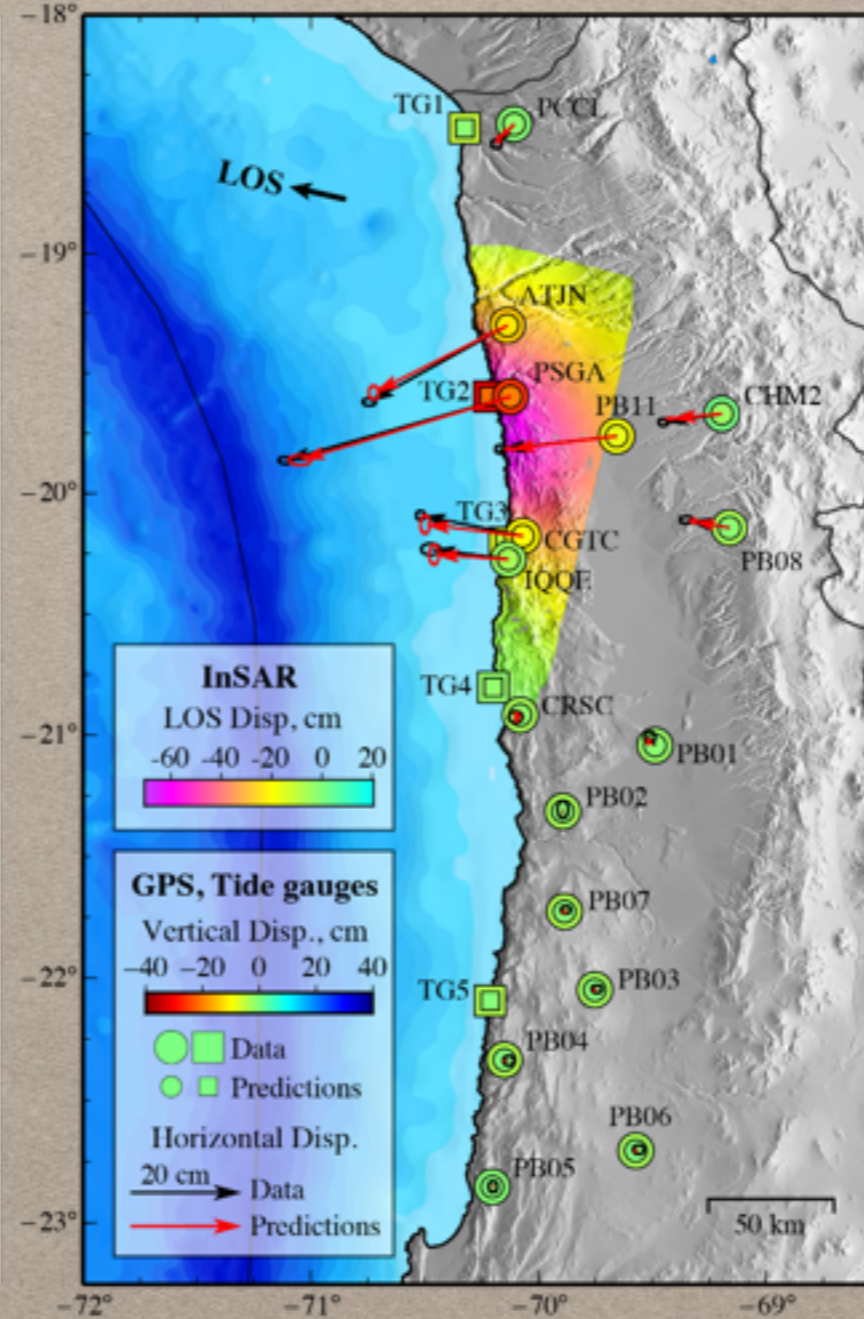
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Predictions

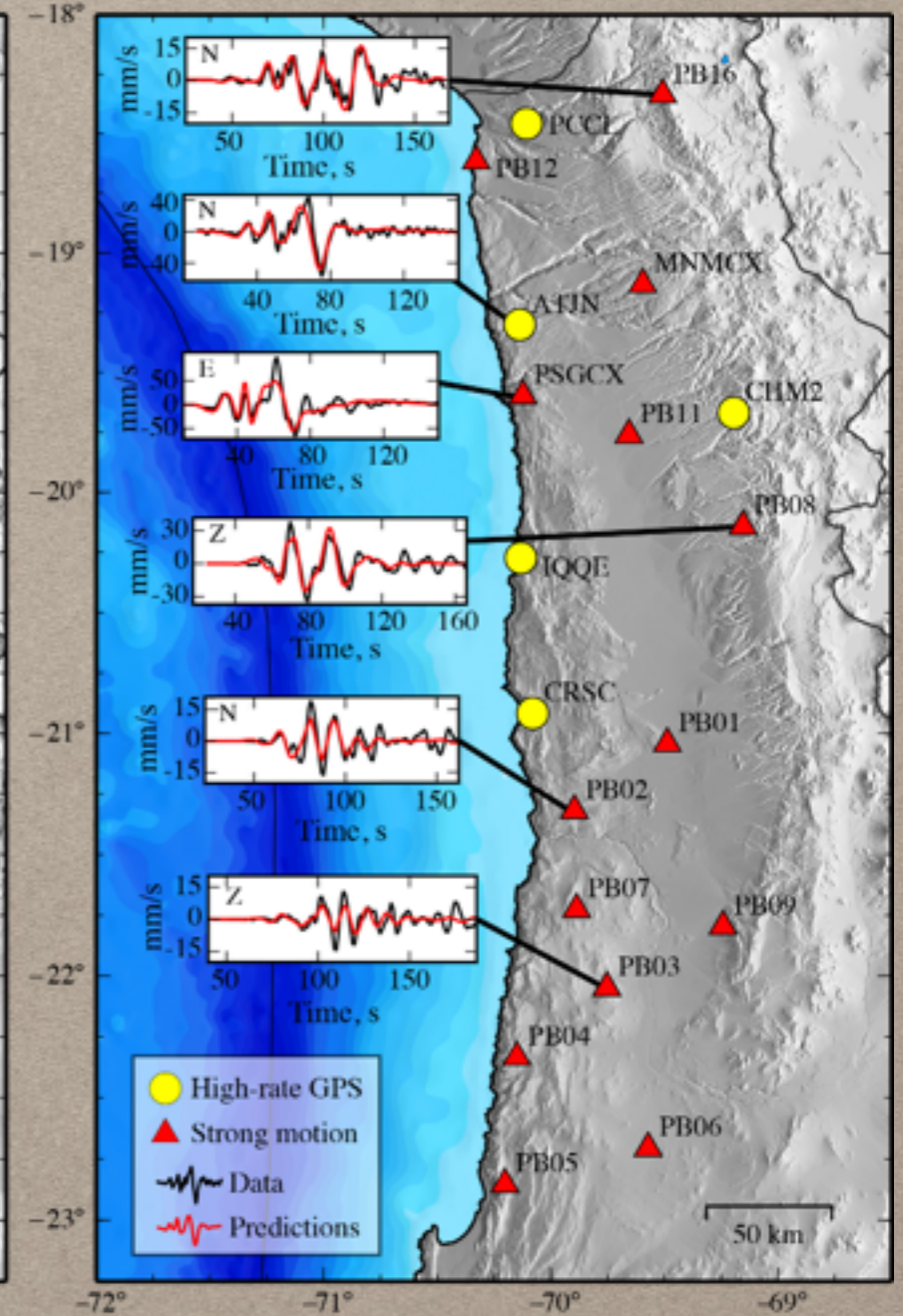
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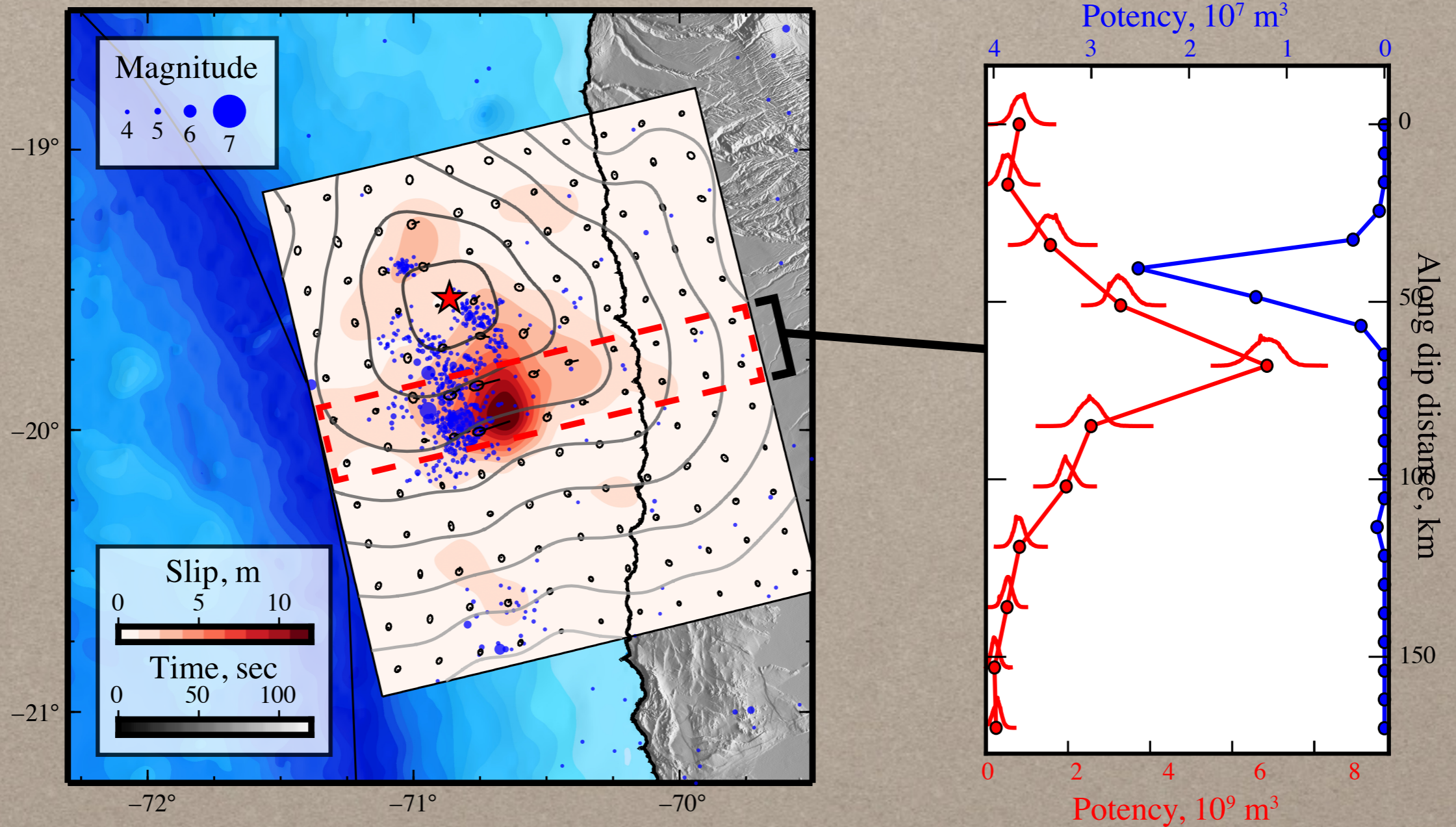
HR GPS(●)+Strong motion(▲)



PISAGUA EARTHQUAKE (2014, M8.1)

Joint static-kinematic model

- Localized slip that did not rupture up to the trench
- Foreshocks located up-dip of the main slip area



WHAT WE DISCUSSED

- **Motivation**

- Big data
- Build new models for inter-, co- and post-seismic deformation
- e.g., Earthquakes, Slow-slip events

- **Issues and opportunities**

- The Bayesian approach has many advantages over traditional optimisation solutions
 - Solve ill-posed problems without smoothing
 - Produce the ensemble of acceptable models
- Given sufficient computational resources, Bayesian solution can be formed by Monte Carlo simulation