Summary and the Future

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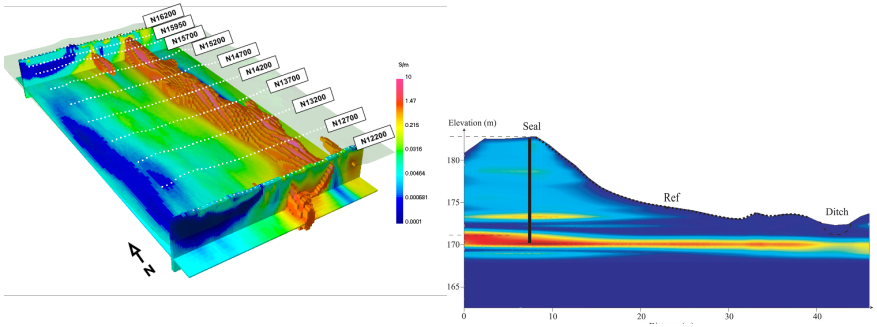

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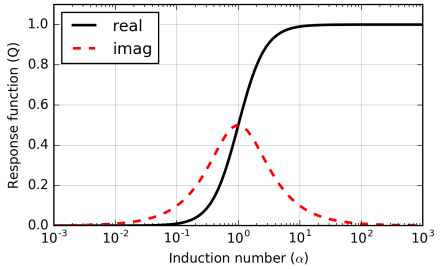

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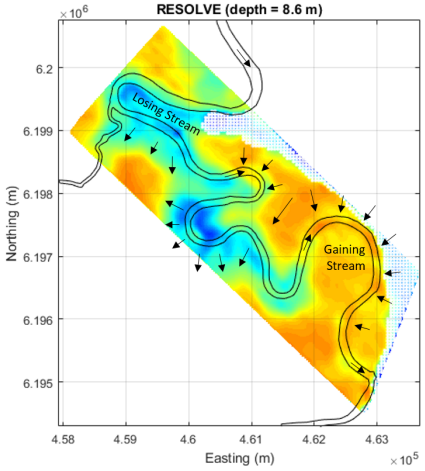

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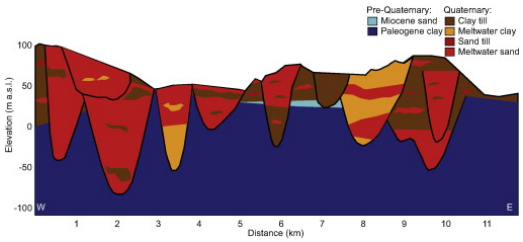

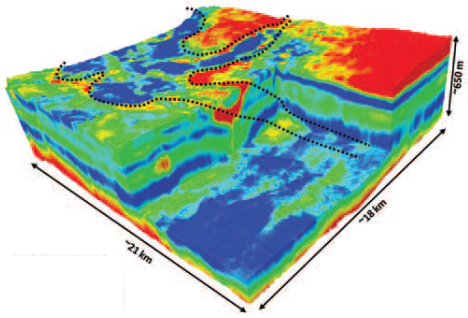

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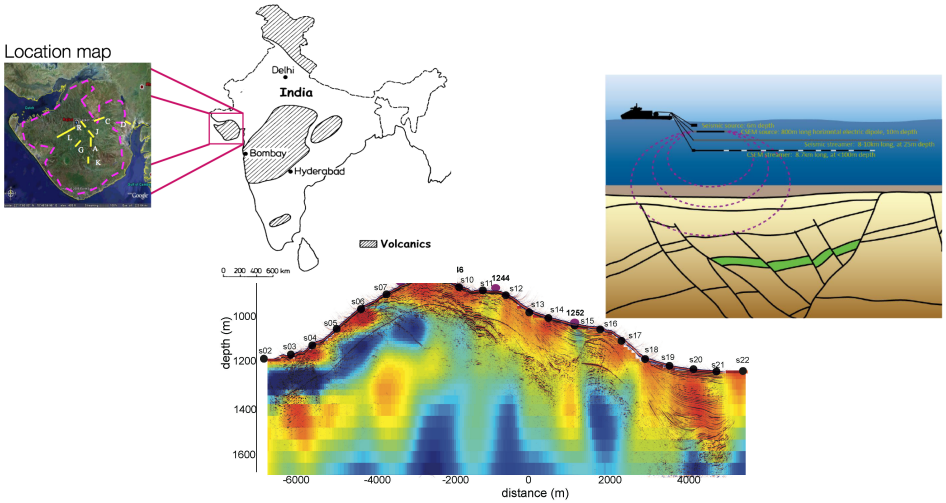

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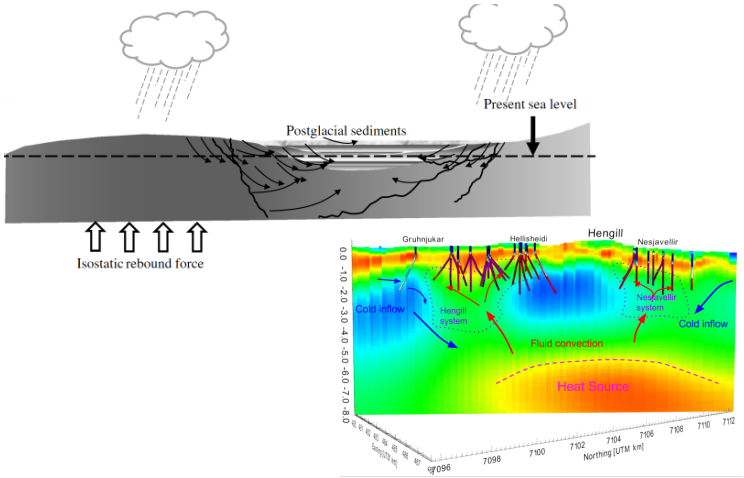

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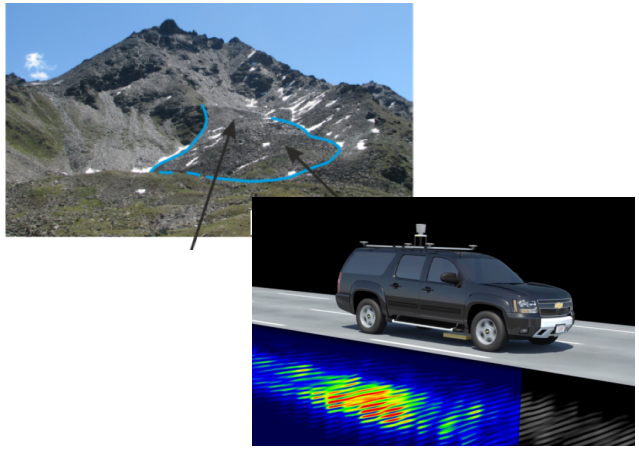

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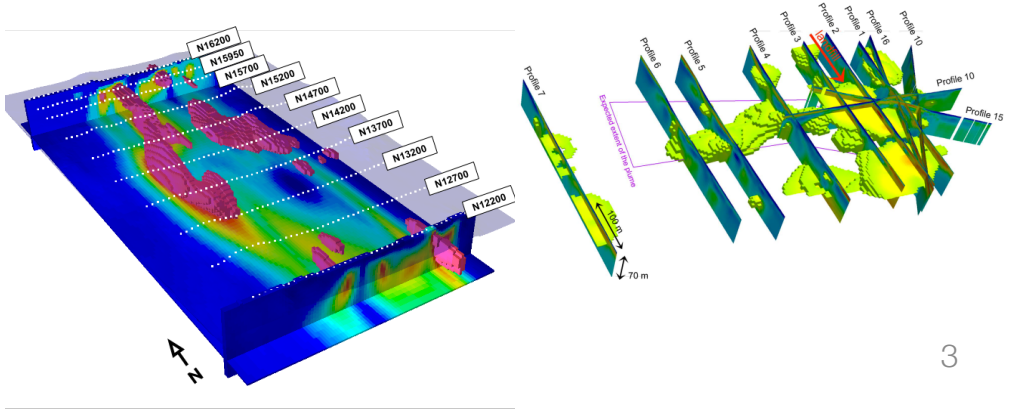

What does the future hold?

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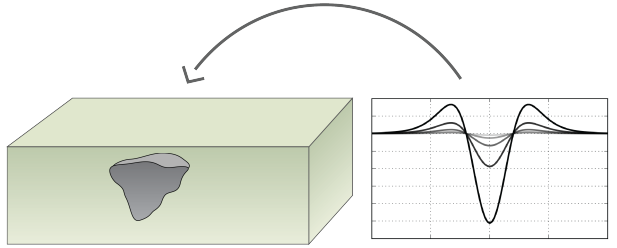
Problems

Inversion capabilities



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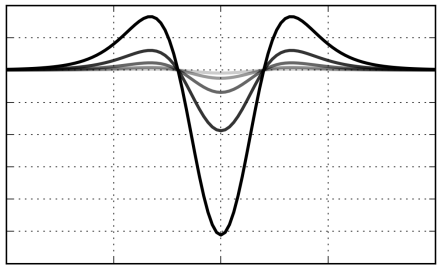
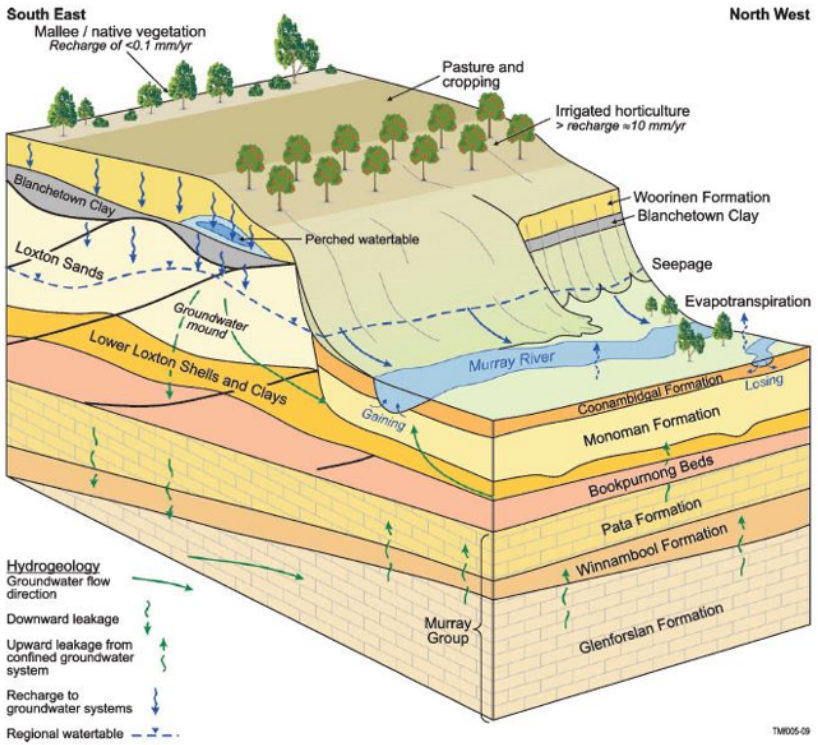
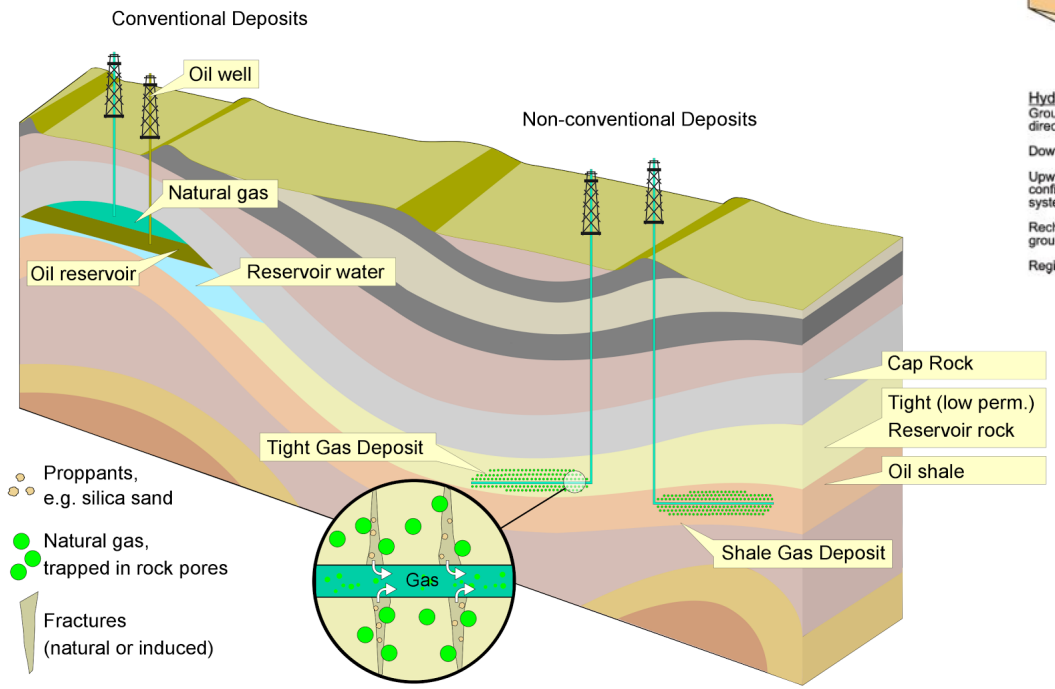


Web tools to communicate

The Future: Monitoring

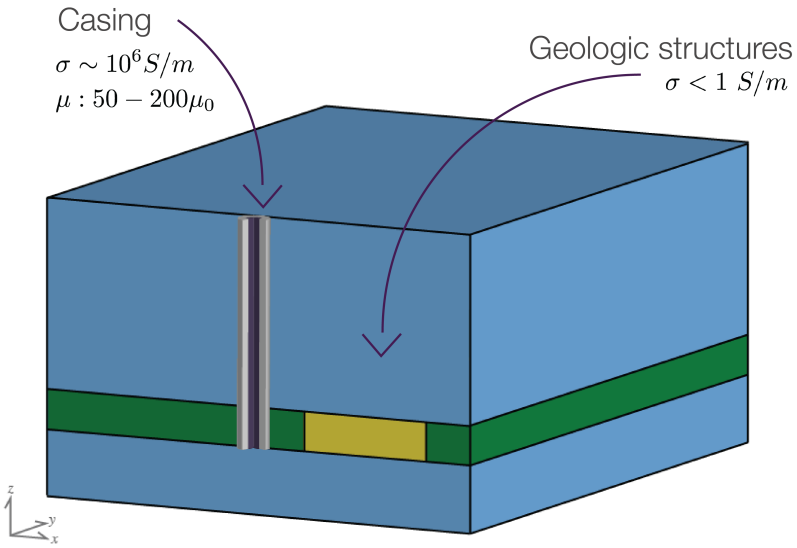
- Aquifers
- Enhanced oil recovery
- Hydraulic Fracturing
- CO_2 sequestration
- Coal seam gas

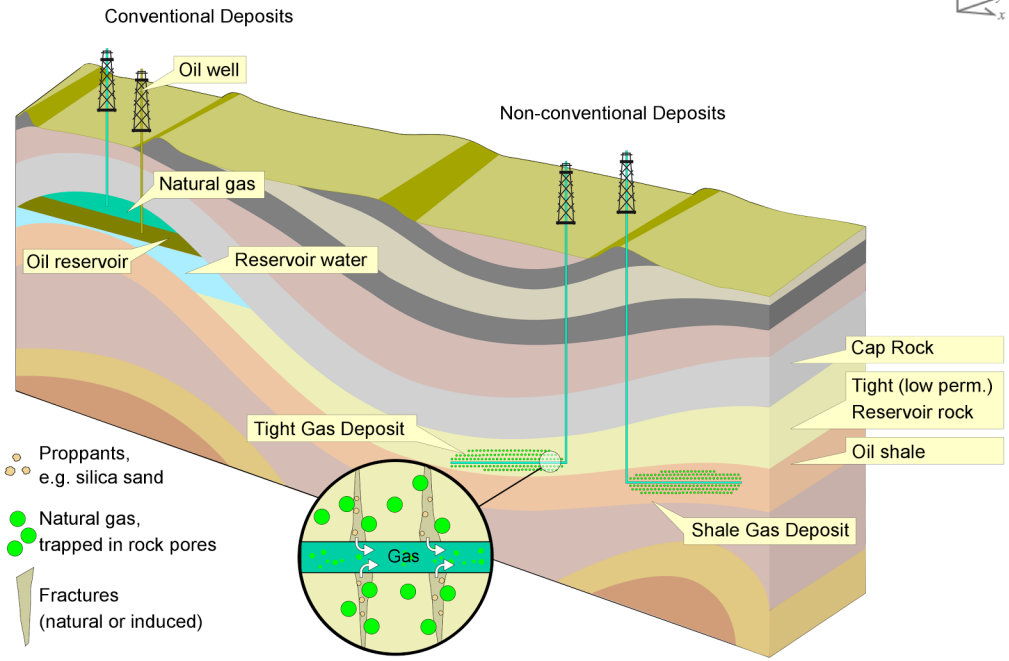


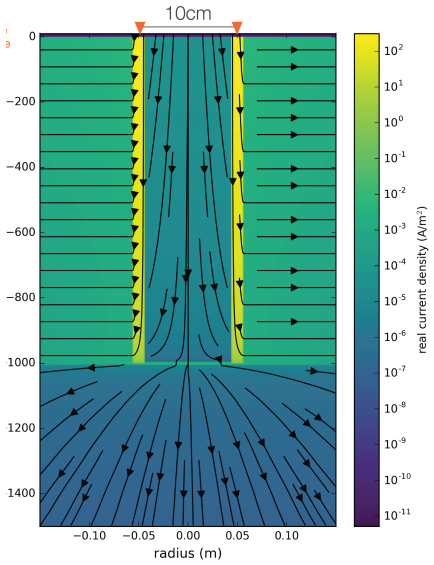


The Future: Monitoring

- Steel Casing
  - Mechanism for getting current to depth
  - Challenges:
    - Scales
    - Physical properties



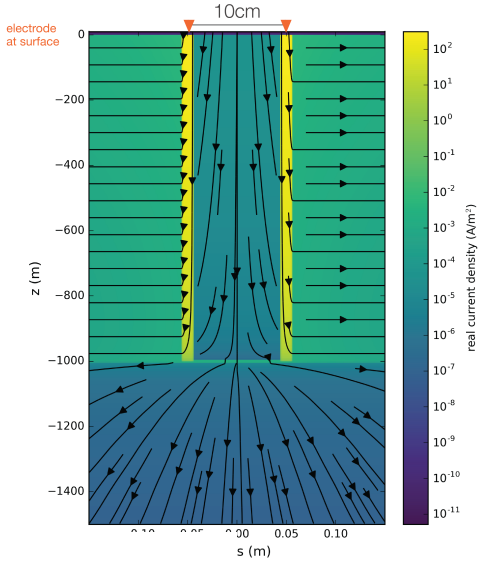


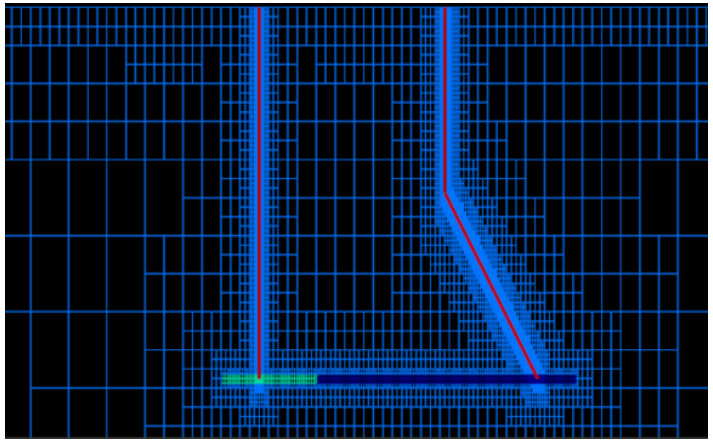


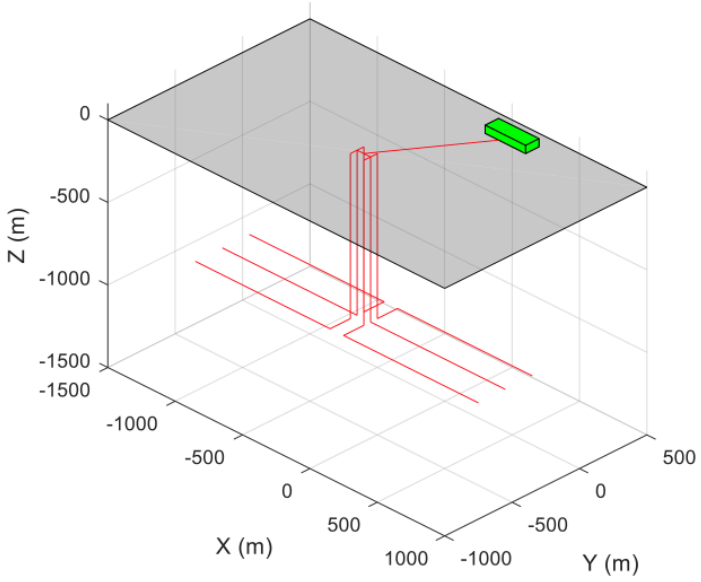
Corrosion

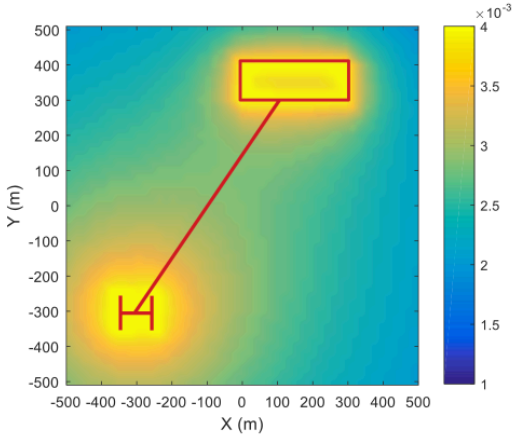
The Future: Monitoring

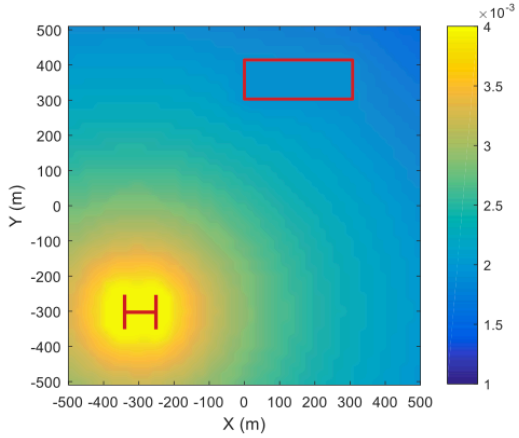
- Steel Casing







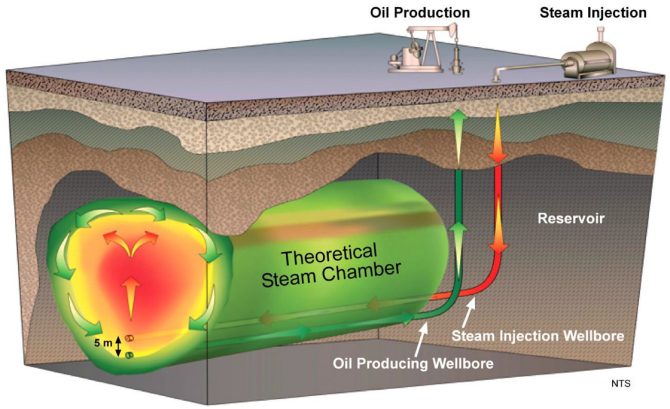


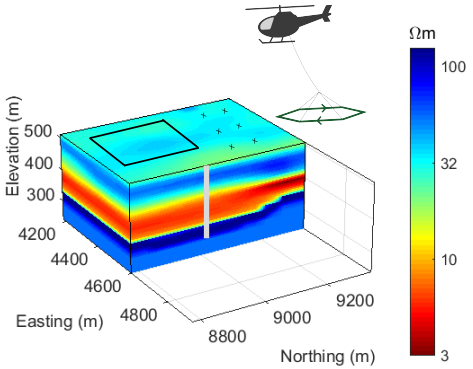


Monitoring: Choosing the appropriate survey

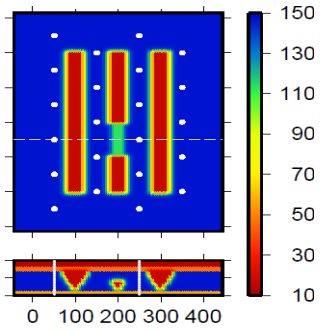
Different EM surveys needed to answer different questions

SAGD (Injection and monitoring steam flooding)

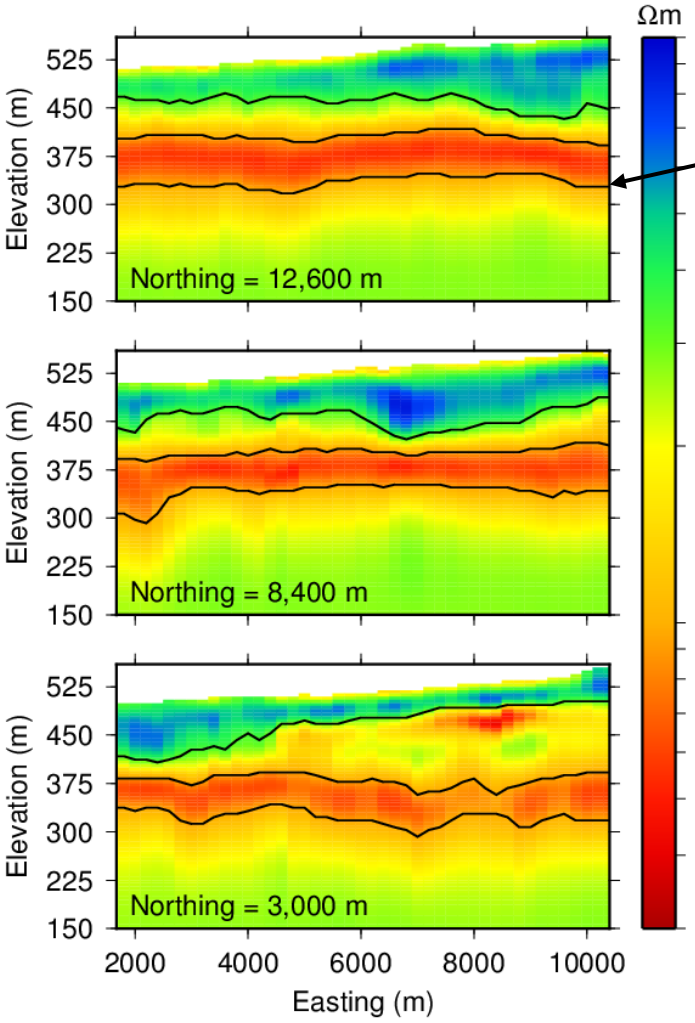


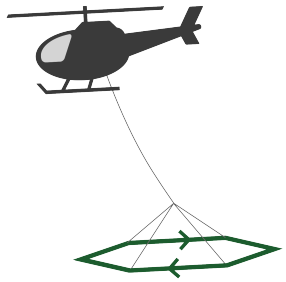


- Stage 1: Airborne reconnaissance survey
- Stage 2: Surface and borehole for pre-injection
- Stage 3: Monitoring array



Large scale reconnaissance (SAGD)





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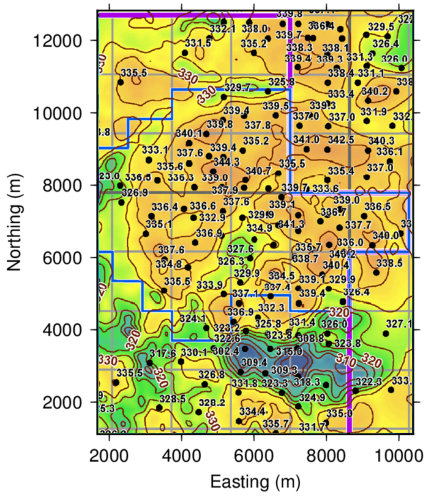

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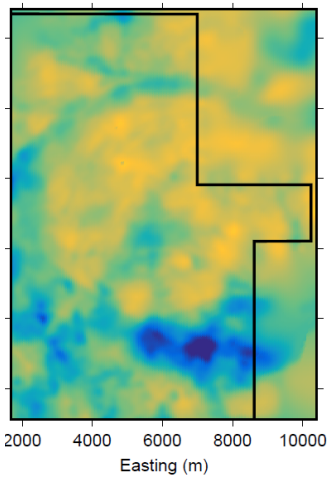
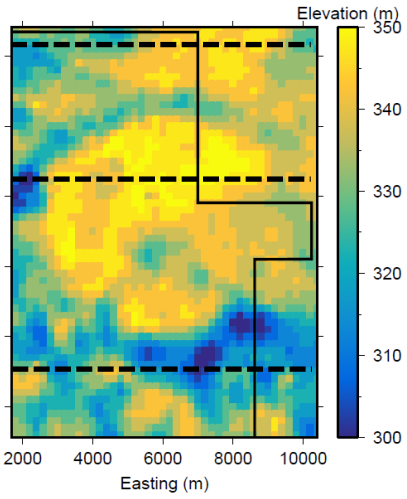
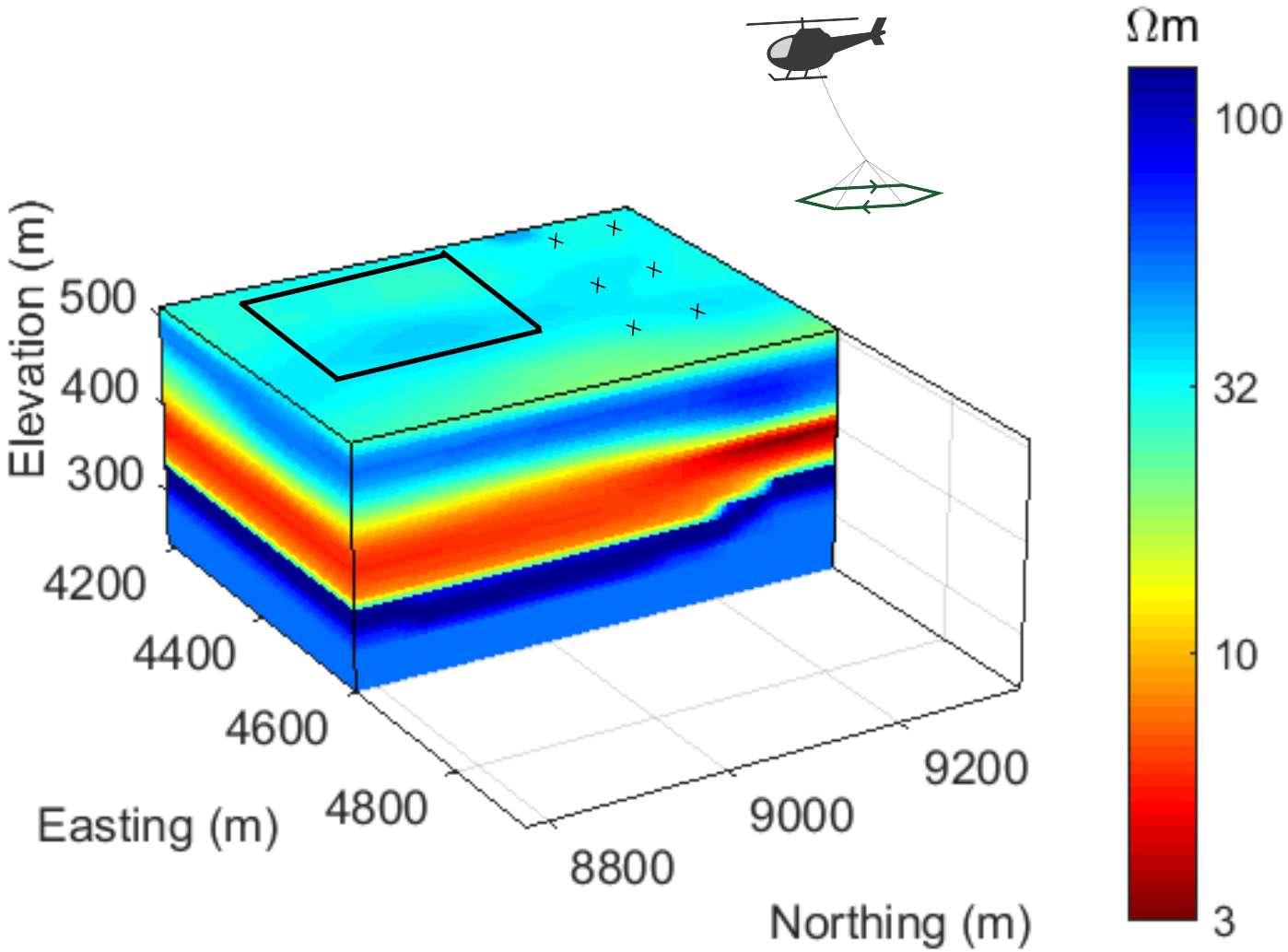


Airborne EM



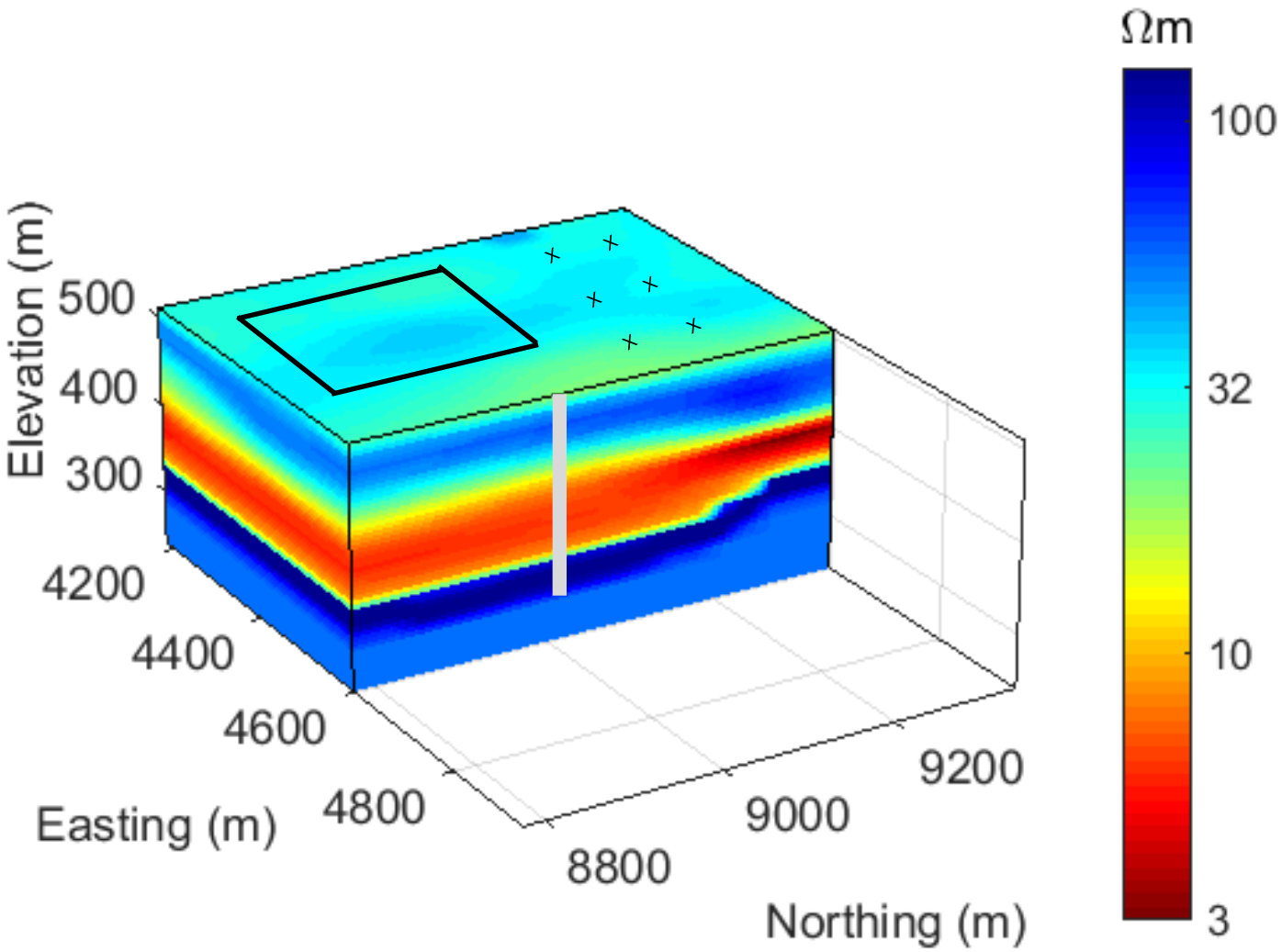
Pre-injection (SAGD)

Local background: airborne + ground



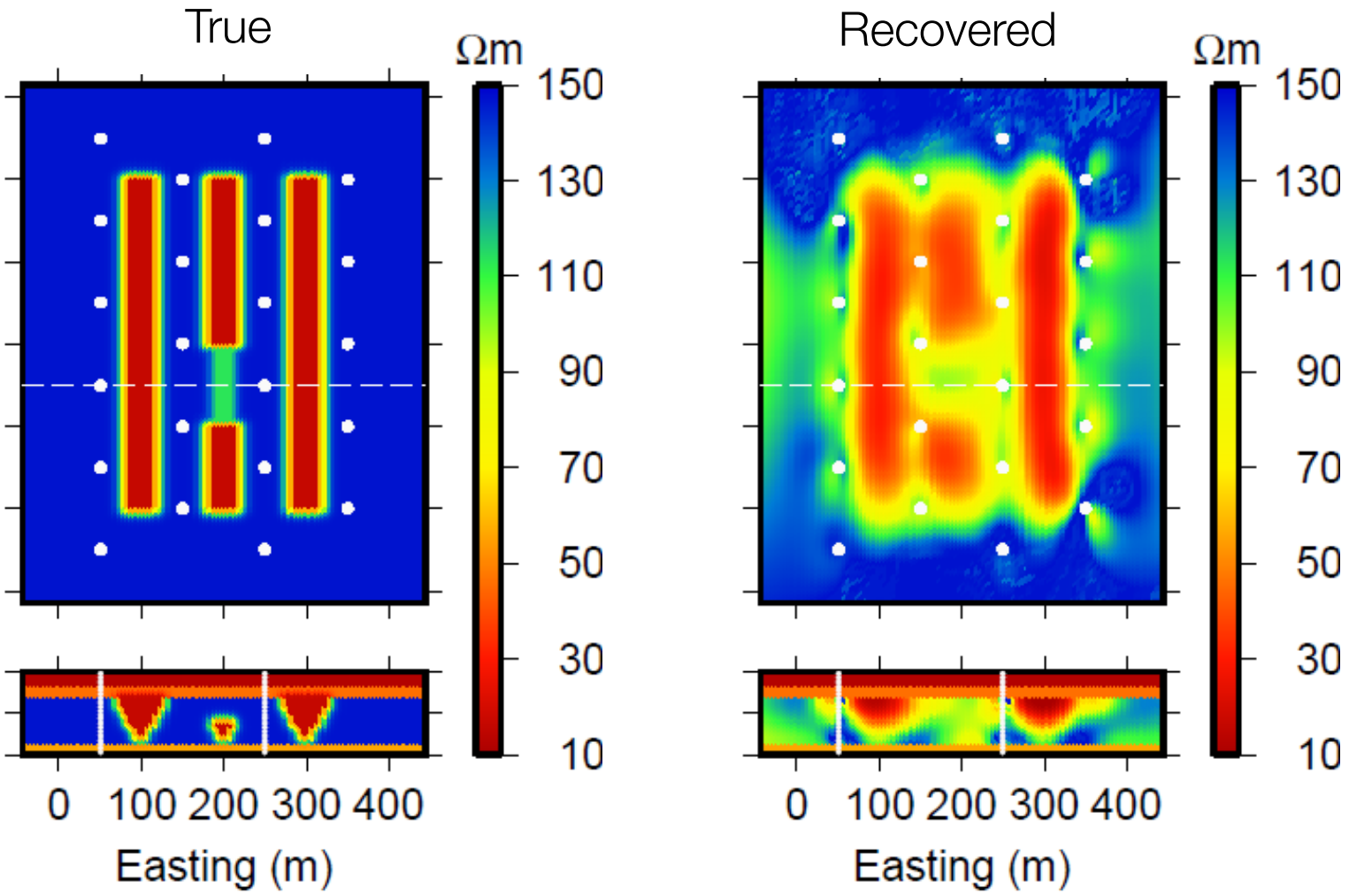
Monitoring array (SAGD)

Pre-injection: surface sources, borehole receivers



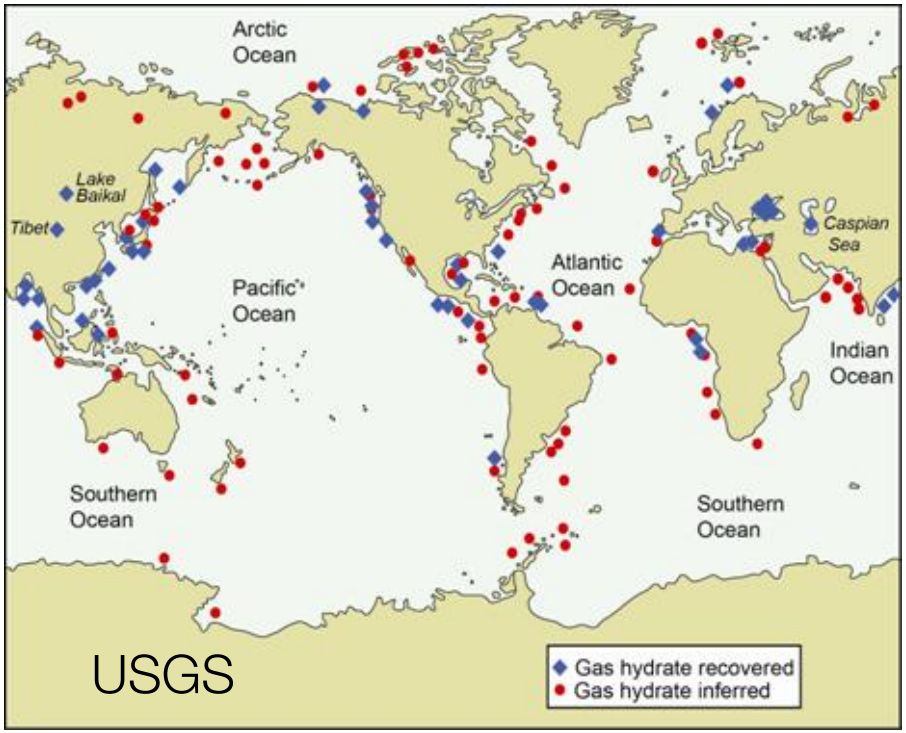
Multi-stage EM for monitoring

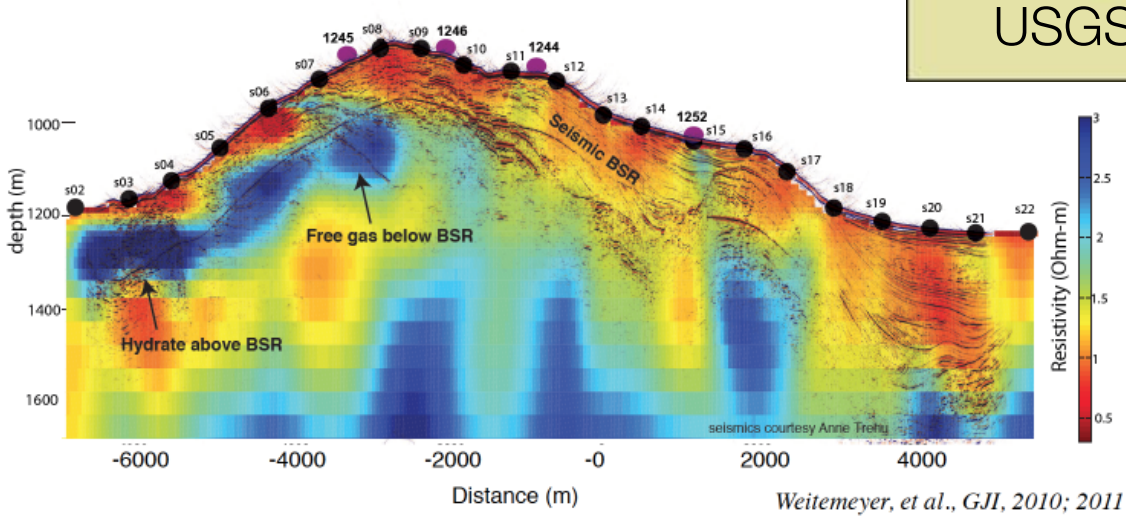
Post-injection: surface sources, borehole receivers



The Future: Marine EM

- Gas hydrates
  - Resistivity is diagnostic

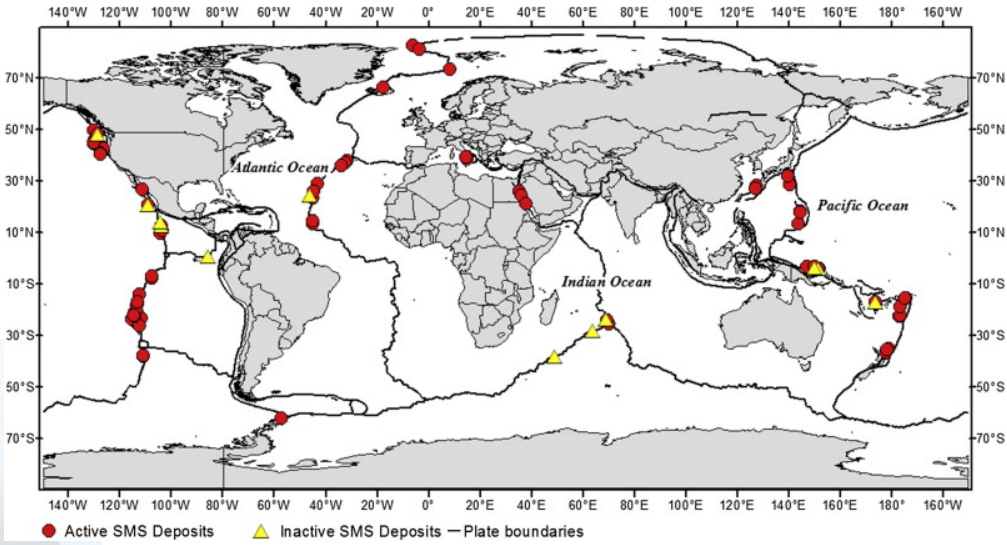


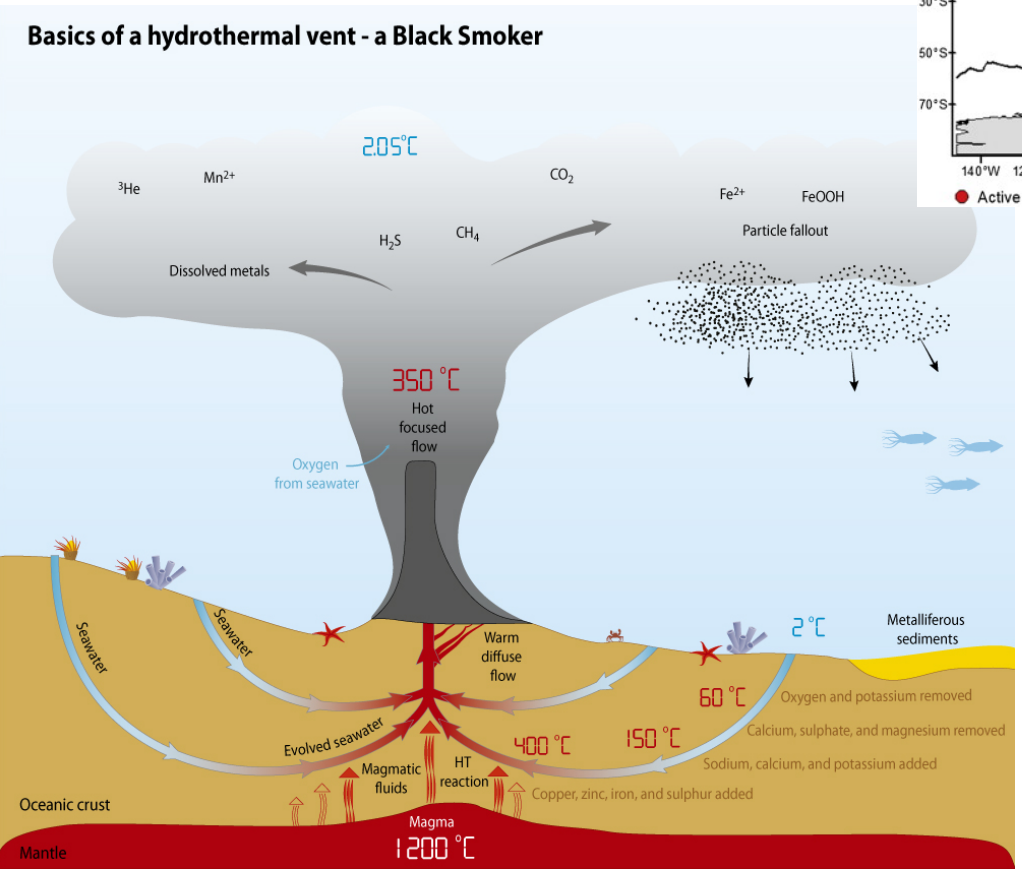


Weitemeyer, et al., GJI, 2010; 2011

The Future: Marine EM

- Submarine massive sulfides
  - Conductive relative to background





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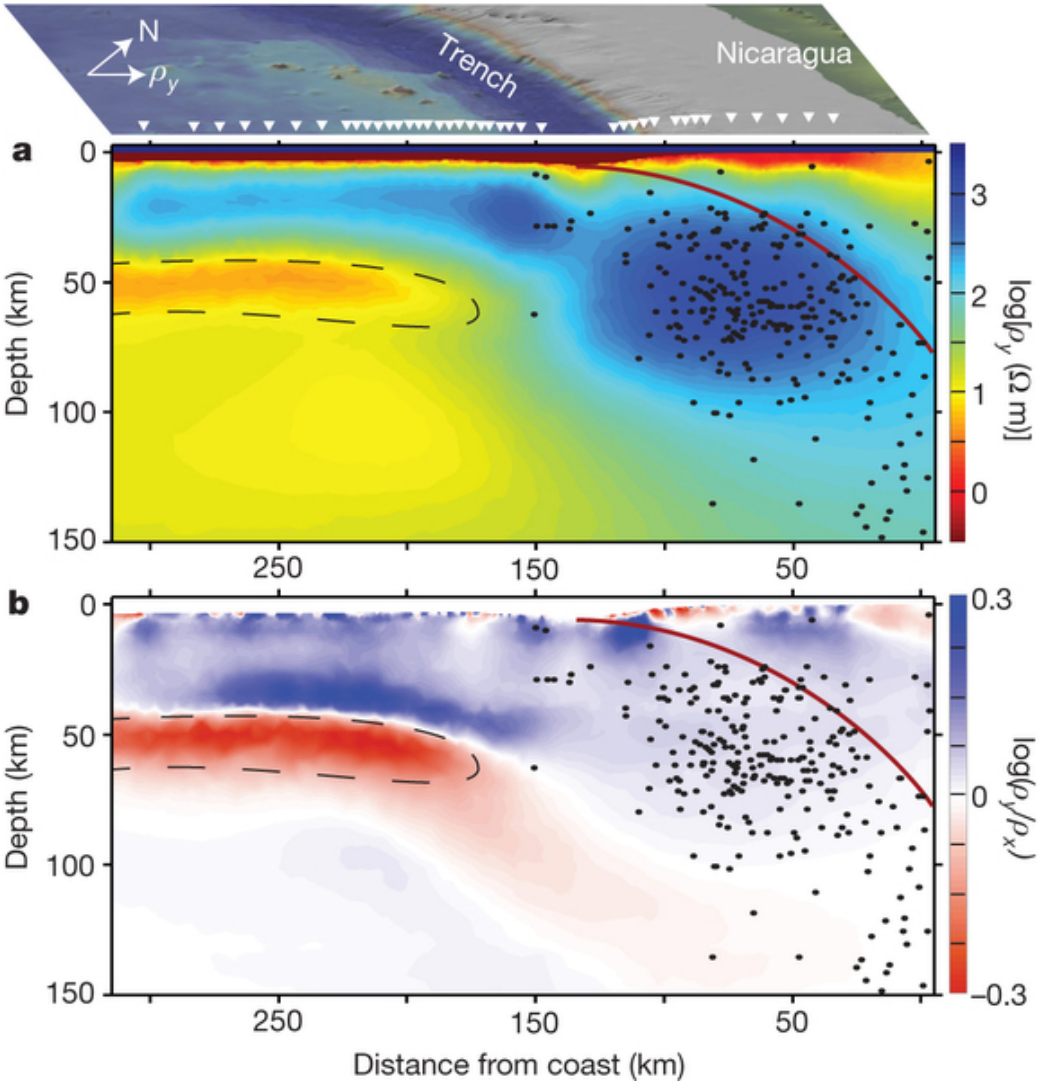

- Tectonic studies
- Natural Hazard
- Large anisotropy
  - indicative of melt-rich channel

Naif et al., 2013

The Future: Large Scale MT

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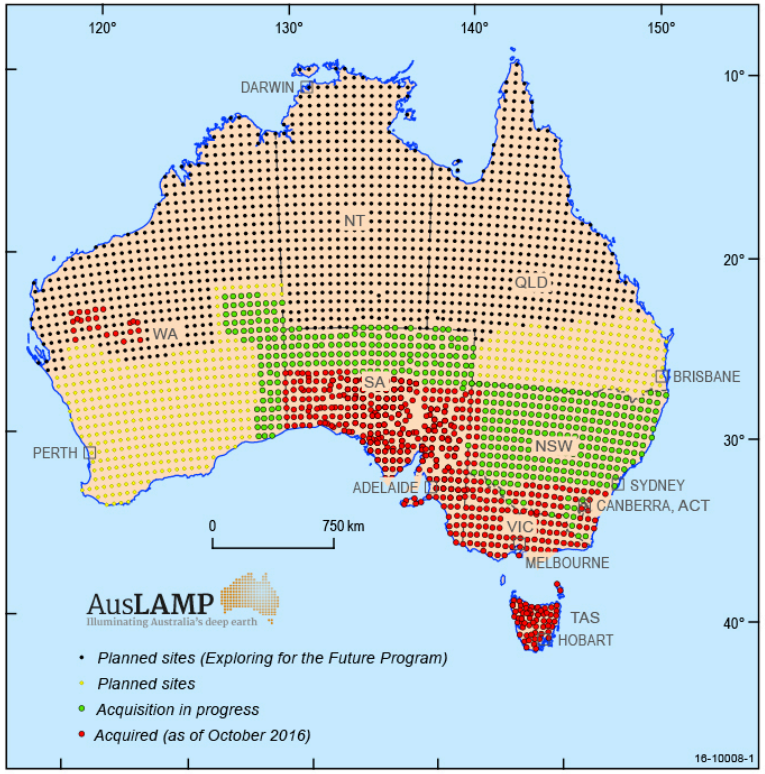

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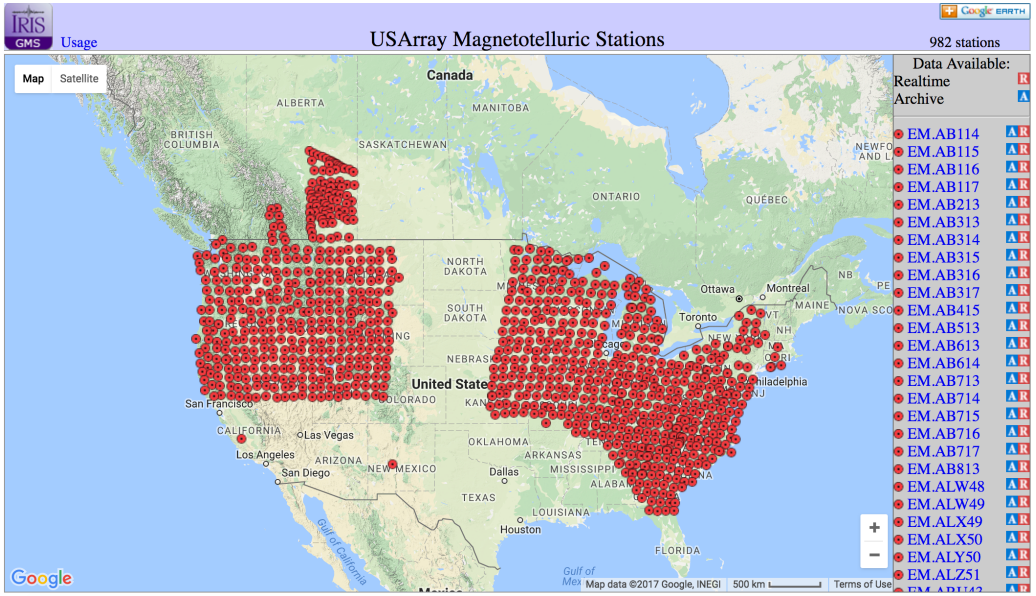
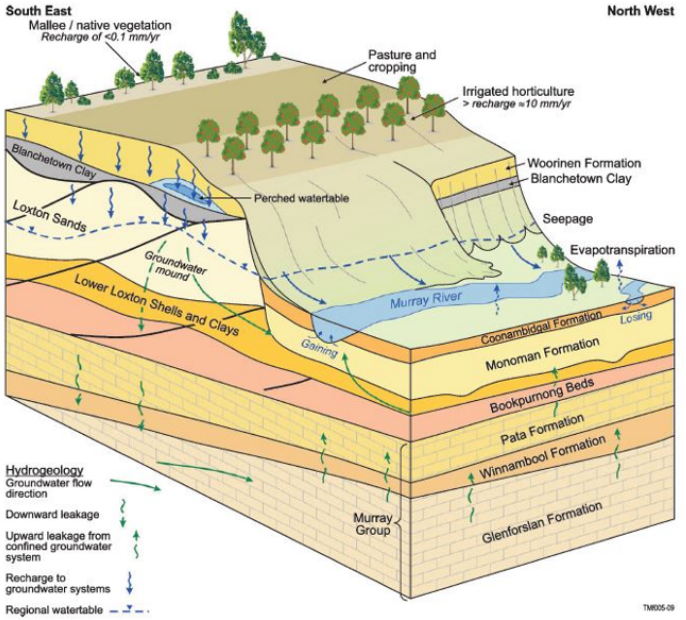
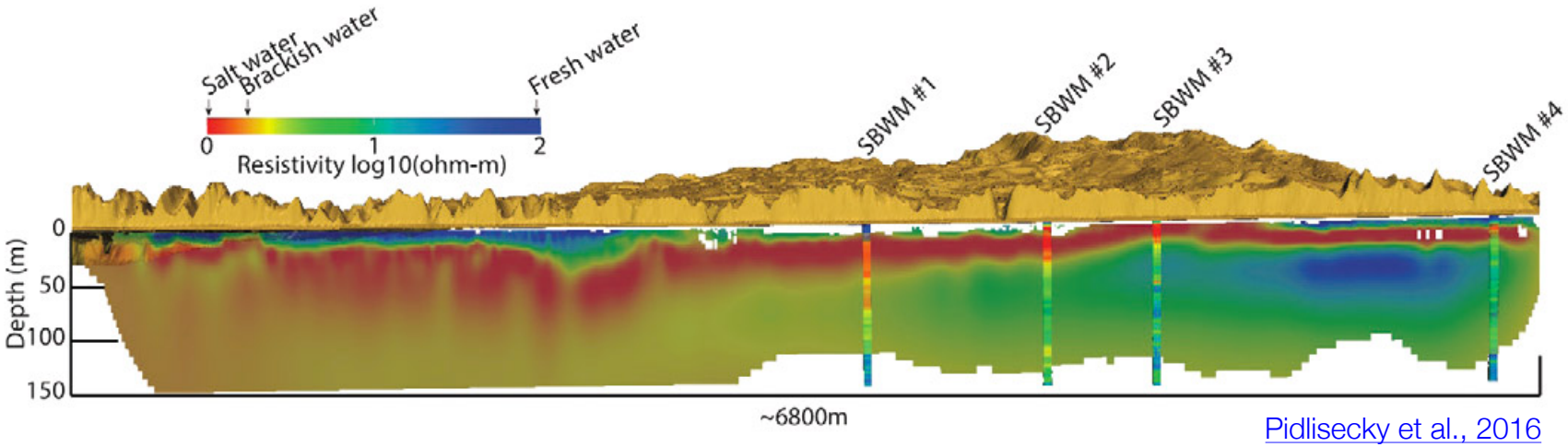


The Future: Water

- Finding and delineating water
- Aquifer monitoring and management
- Salt water intrusions
- Pollutants



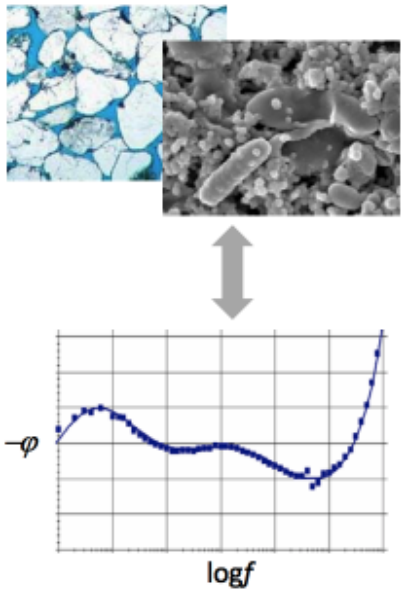


Pidlisecky et al., 2016

The Future: Physical Properties

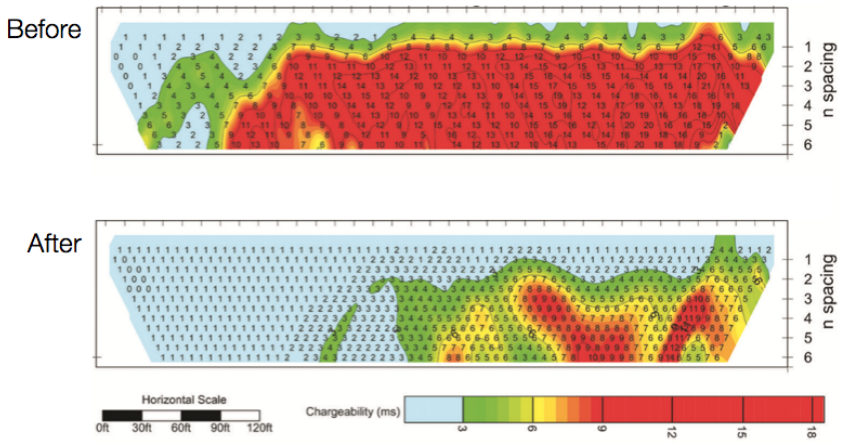
Dispersive Conductivity (IP)

- Ice / water, permafrost
- Organic materials
- Bioremediation
- Hydraulic permeability
- Characterizing materials based on spectral IP response



Dispersive Magnetic Permeability (Viscous Remanent Magnetization)

- Soils
- Bioremediation (?)



The Future: Data Integration & Multi-physics

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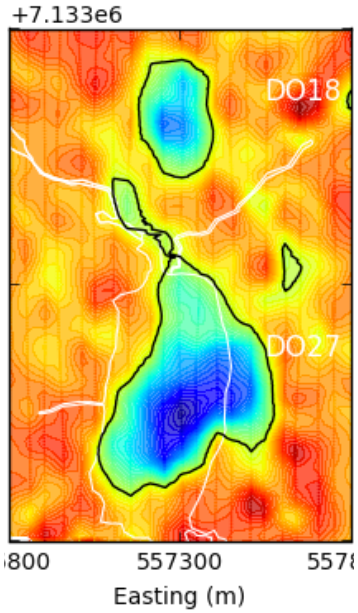

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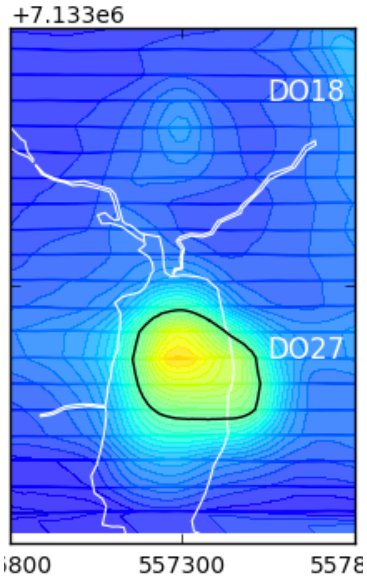

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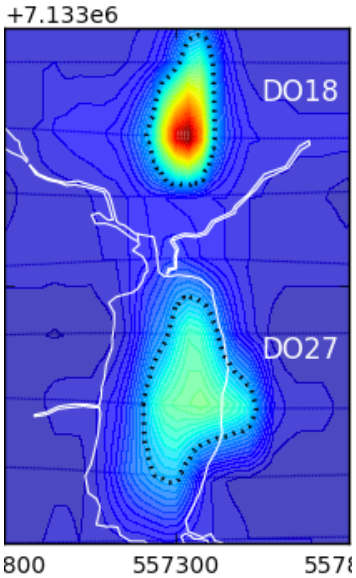

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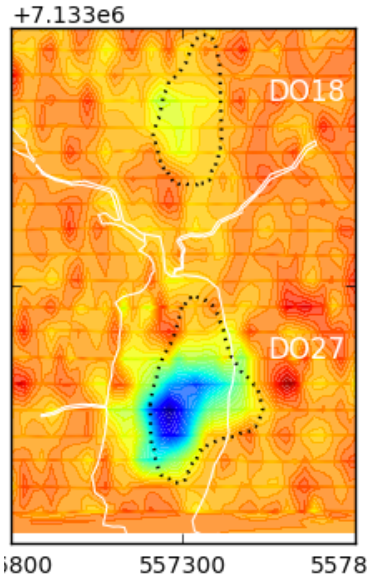

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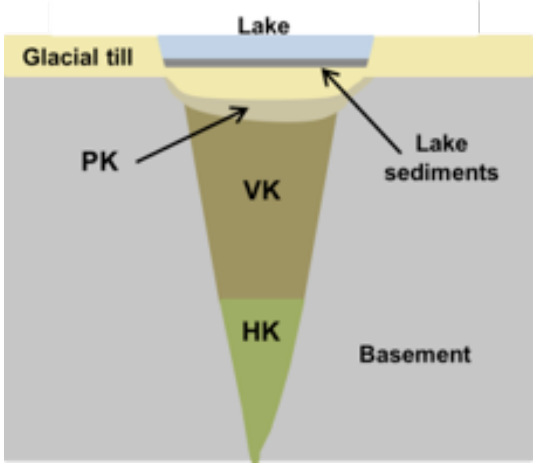

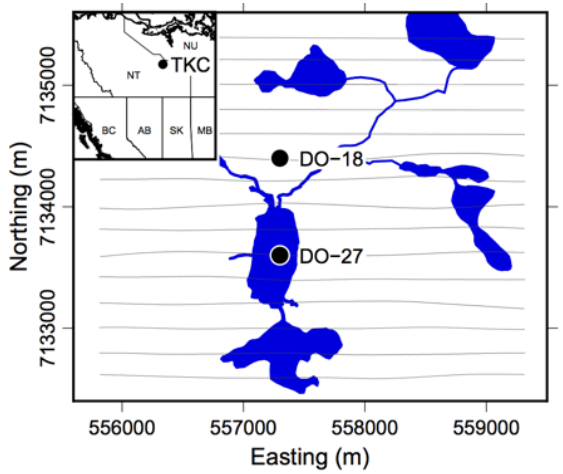

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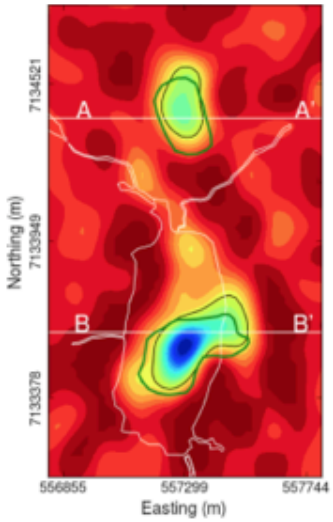

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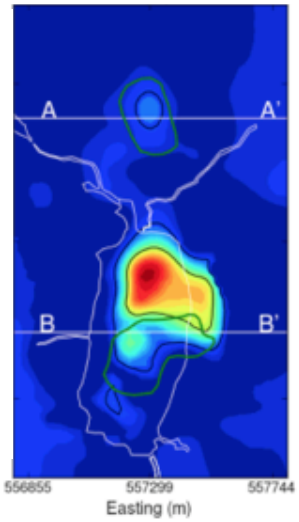

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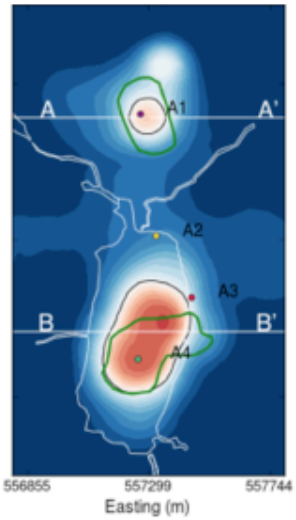

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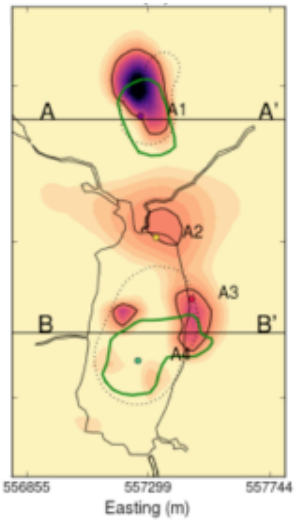

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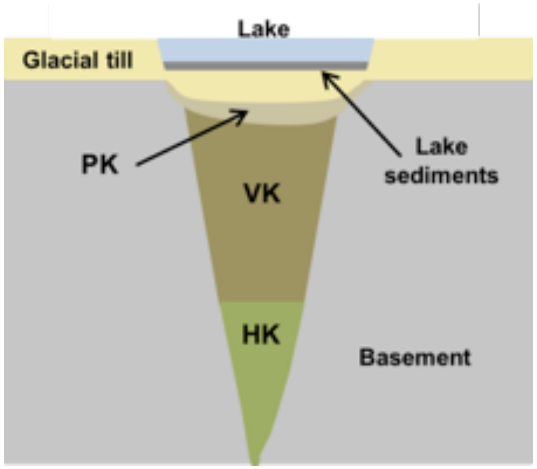

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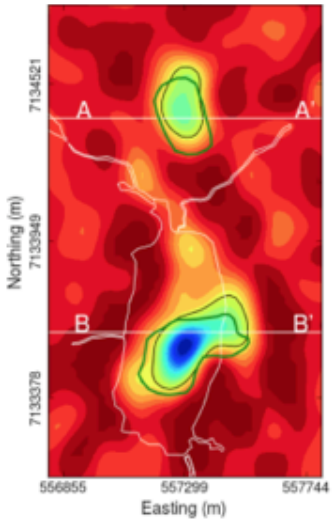

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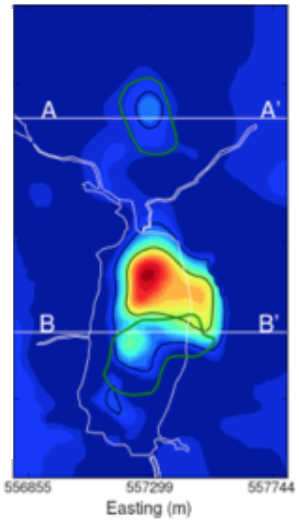

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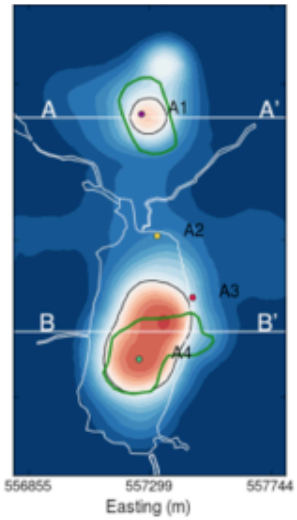

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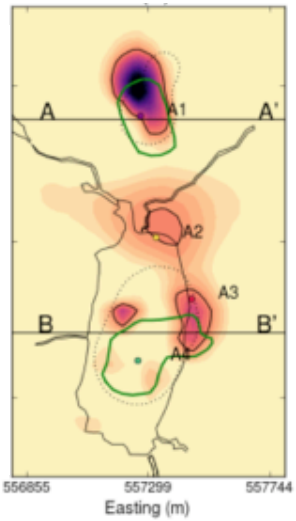

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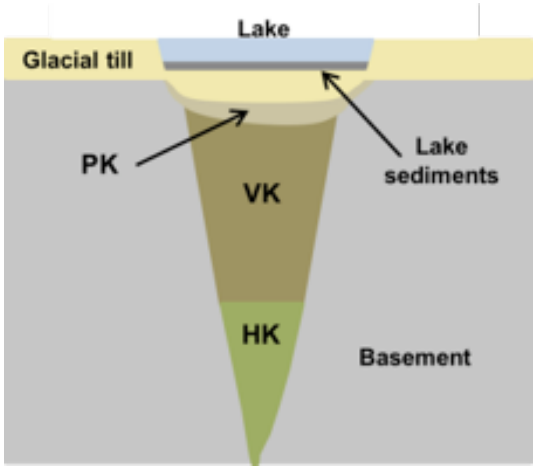

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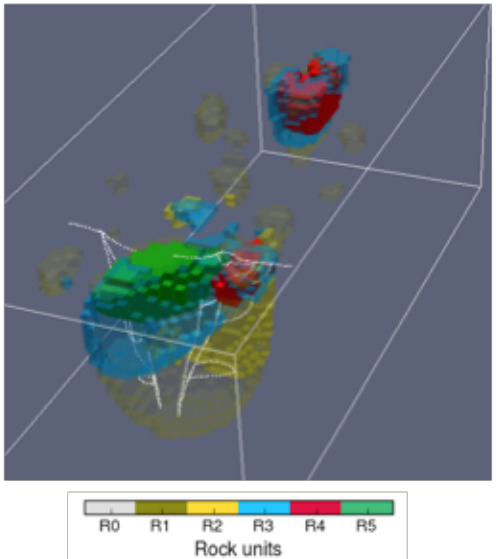

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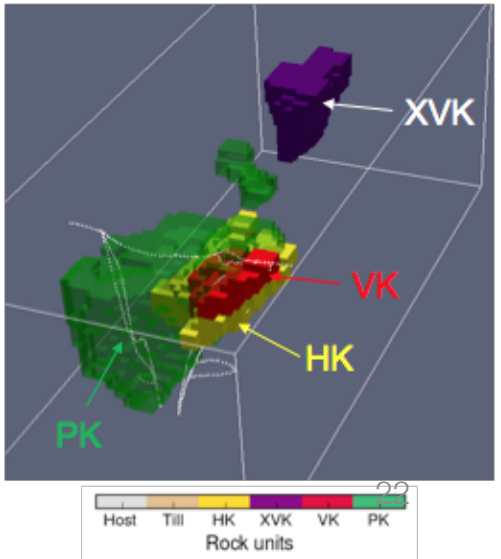
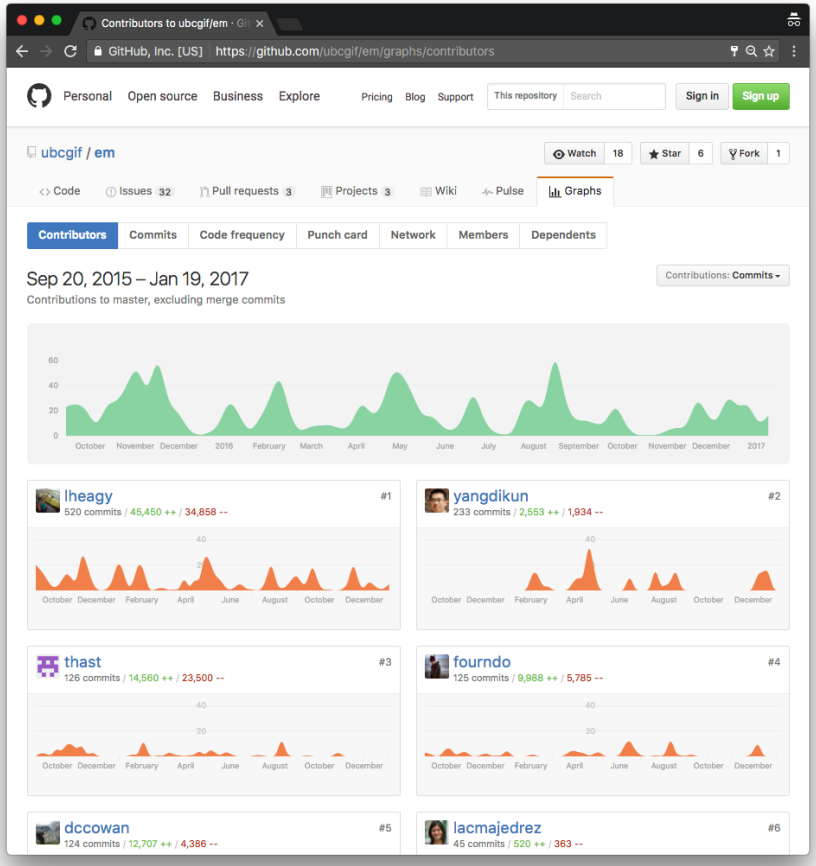


The Future: Modelling and Inversion

- HPC, Cloud computing
- Collaborative development
- Open source



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Simulation and Parameter Estimation in Geophysics

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pyGIMLi

Geophysical Inversion & Modelling Library

Github
versioning, collaborating

Travis CI
testing, deploy

Jupyter
interactive computing

Creative Commons
licensing, reuse

Python
computation

The Future: Modelling and Inversion

- Interactive computing
- Visualization

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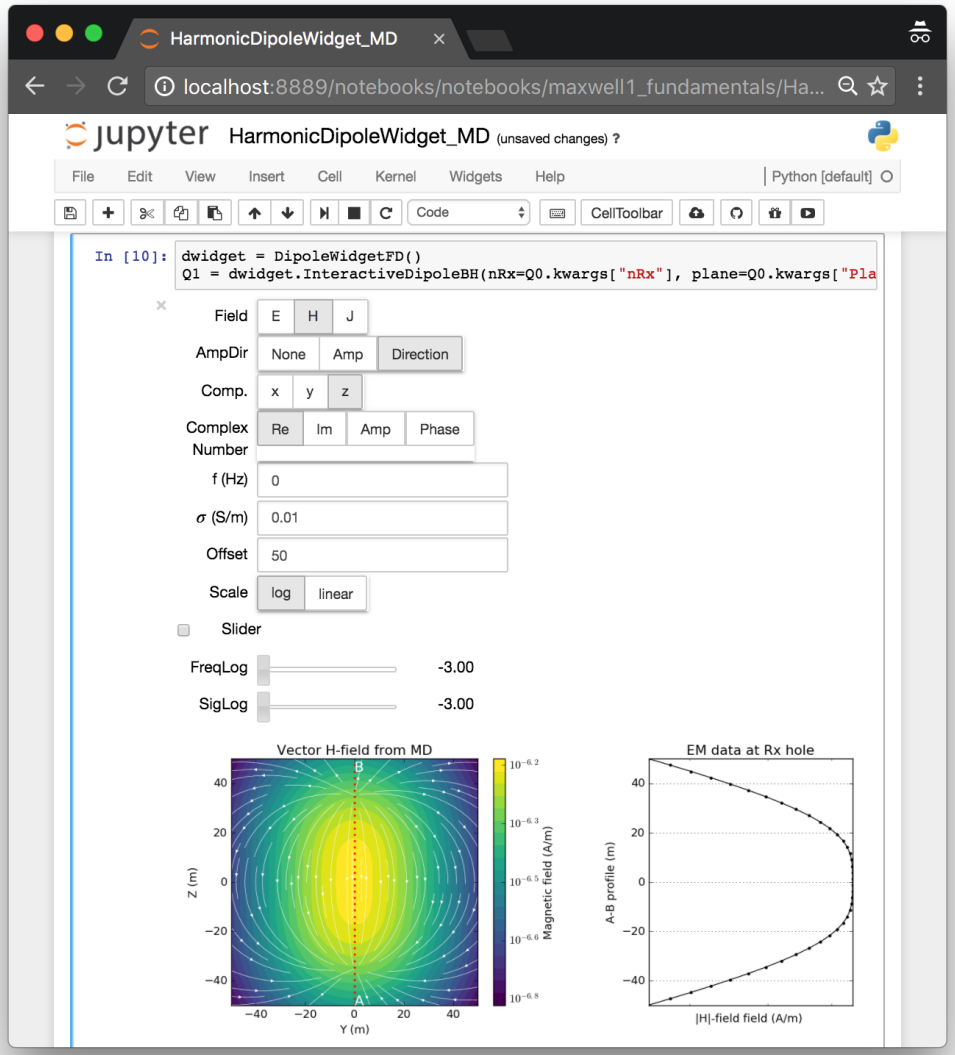

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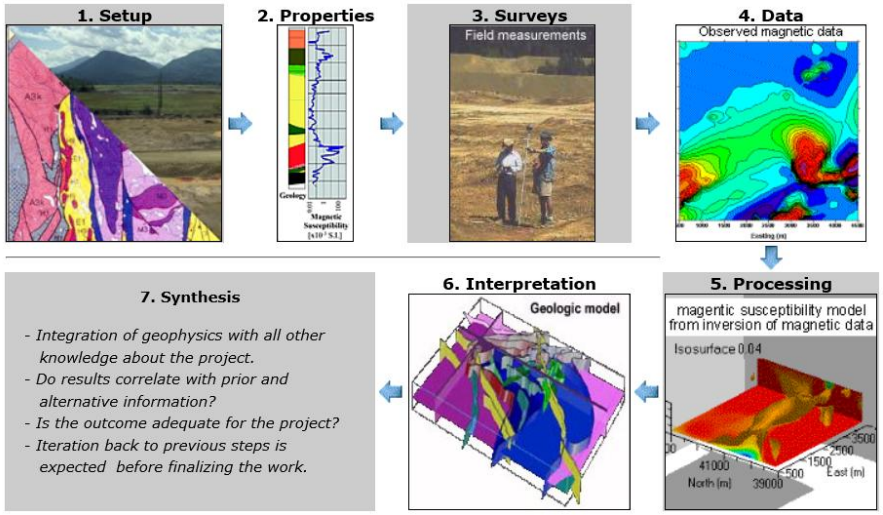
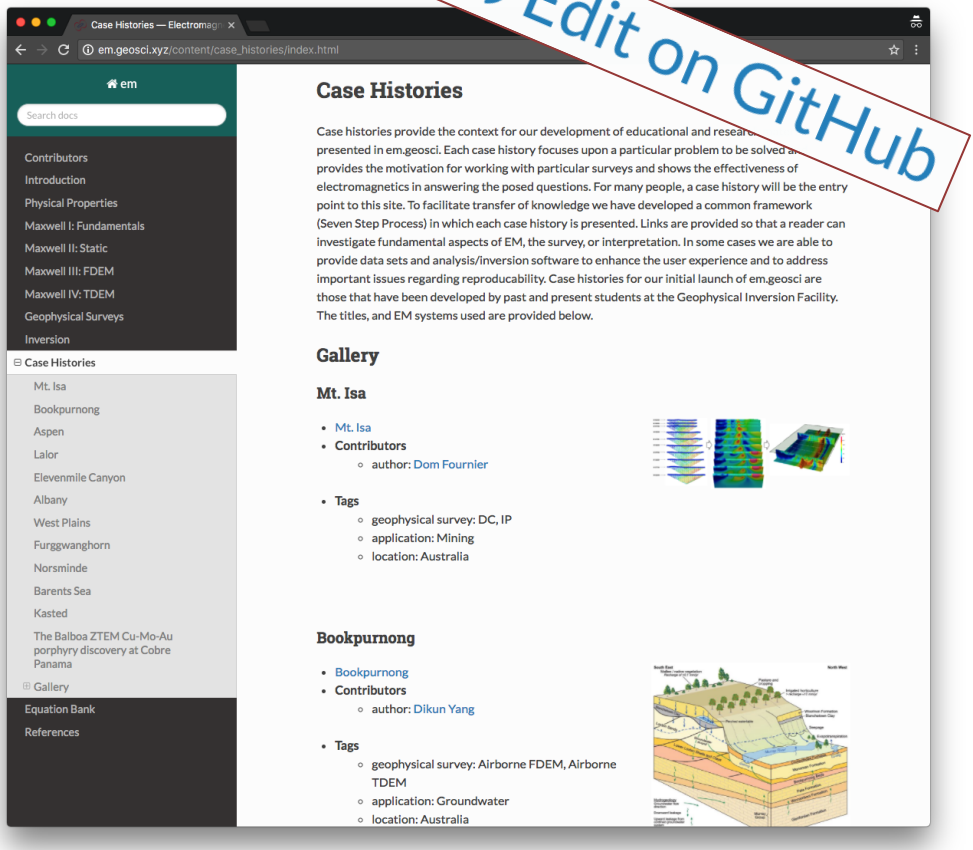
The Future: Collaboration





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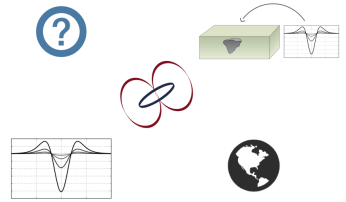
Goals for the DISC



- Inspire
  - See the variety of potential applications
  - Illustrate effectiveness using case histories
- Build a foundation
  - Basic principles of EM
  - Exploration and visualization with Interactive apps
  - Open source resource: http://em.geosci.xyz
- Set realistic expectations
- Promote development of an EM community
  - Open source software
  - Capturing case histories world-wide

Resources

- GeoSci

  http://geosci.xyz

  - Web-textbooks
  - Software
  - Apps

- Apps:

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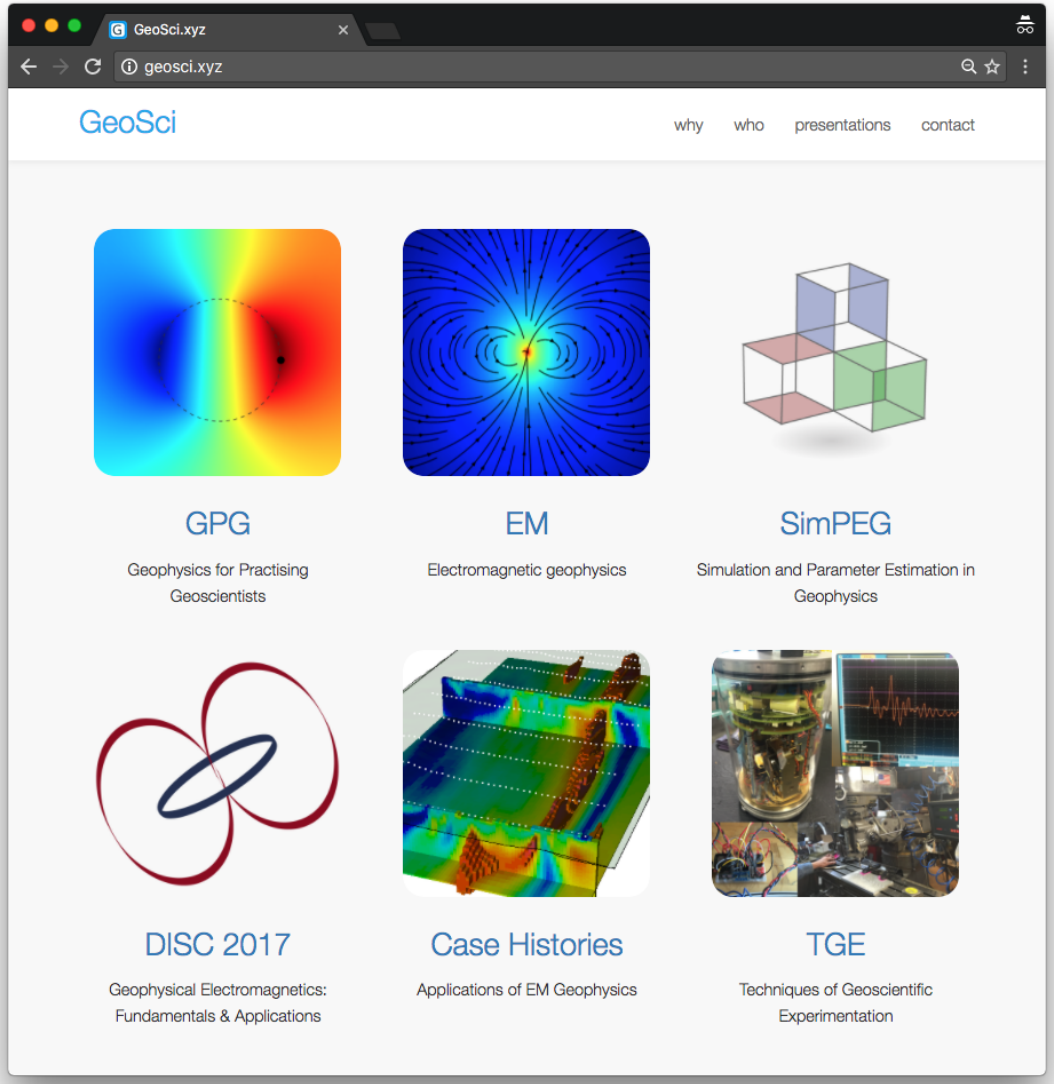

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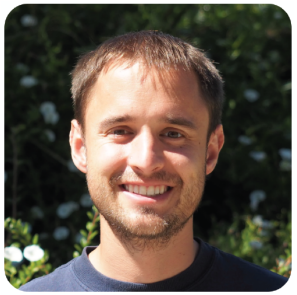
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Join us tomorrow at DISC Lab

- Tell us what you are doing
- How EM is (or could!) play a role in the solution
- Continue the conversations
- Connect with other geoscientists
- Contribute to the development of a community

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