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10 components of waveform at Pinon Flat Observatory (PFO), California

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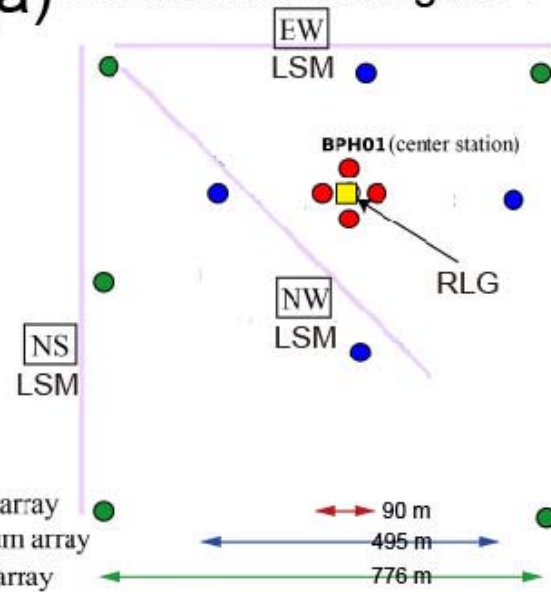
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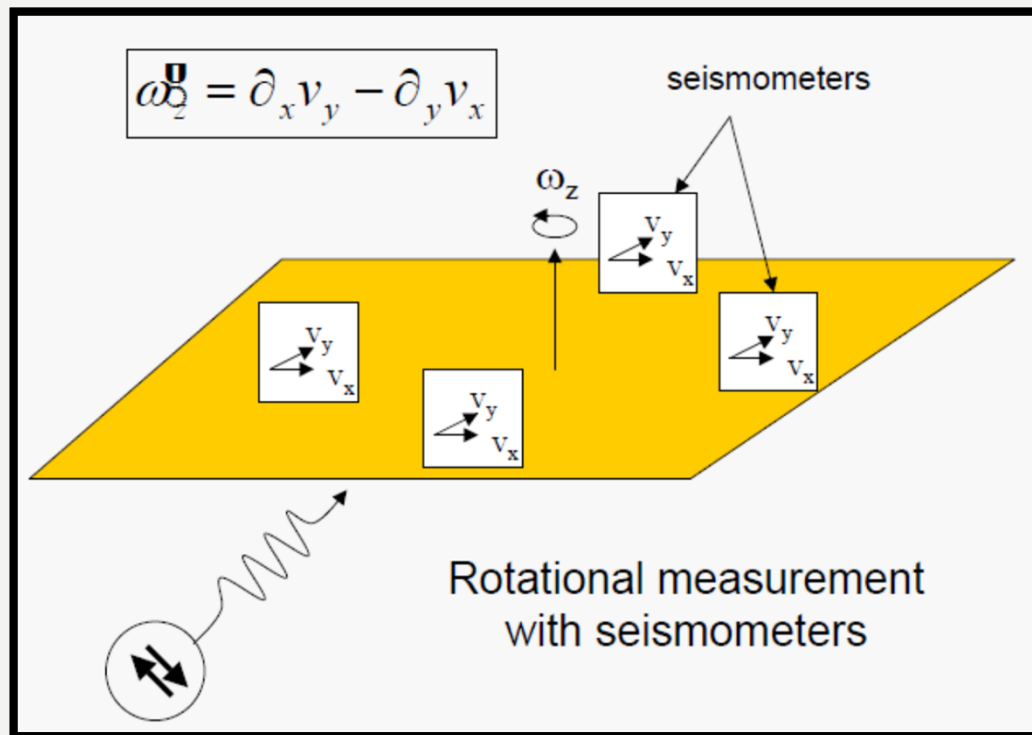


(a) Instrumental setting at PFO



Thirteen broadband **seismic stations** (c)
+
Vertical ring-laser **rotation sensor** (d)
+
Three surface laser **strainmeters** (e)

- Array-derivation vs. direct observation
- (Teleseismic) Joint analysis of translation and rotation/strain
- (Microseismic) Joint analysis vs. F-K methods
Back-azimuth



courtesy of Heiner Igel

Suffer to the condition of **zero traction** at the free-surface ...

$$u_{z,t} = -u_{t,z} \quad u_{z,r} = -u_{r,z}$$

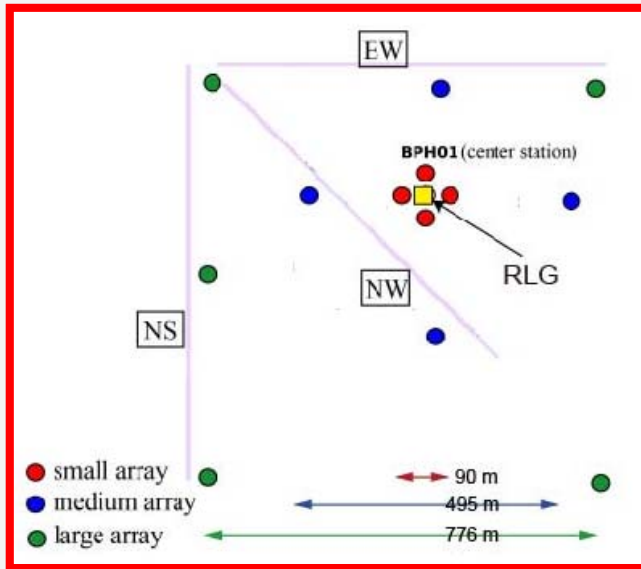
Rotation vector (3 components)

$$\begin{bmatrix} \theta_r \\ \theta_t \\ \theta_z \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} u_{z,t} \\ u_{z,r} \\ \frac{1}{2}(u_{r,t} - u_{t,r}) \end{bmatrix}$$

Strain Tensor (4 components)

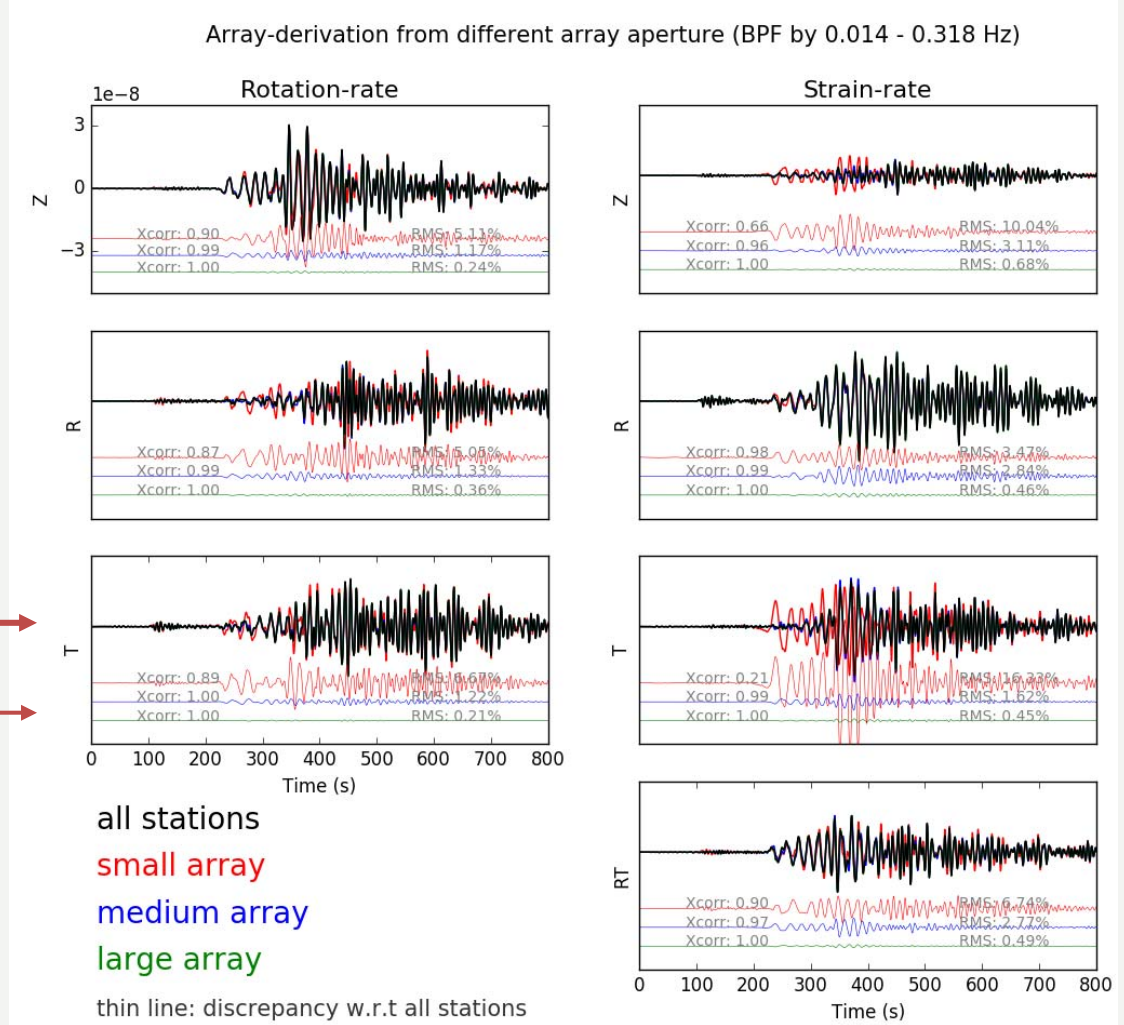
$$\begin{bmatrix} e_{rr} \\ e_{tt} \\ e_{zz} \\ e_{zr} \\ e_{zt} \\ e_{rt} \end{bmatrix} = \begin{bmatrix} u_{r,r} \\ u_{t,t} \\ -\eta(u_{r,r} + u_{t,t}) \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ \frac{1}{2}(u_{r,t} + u_{t,r}) \end{bmatrix} \leftarrow \text{assuming plane wave propagation}$$

All observable components on the ground are 10



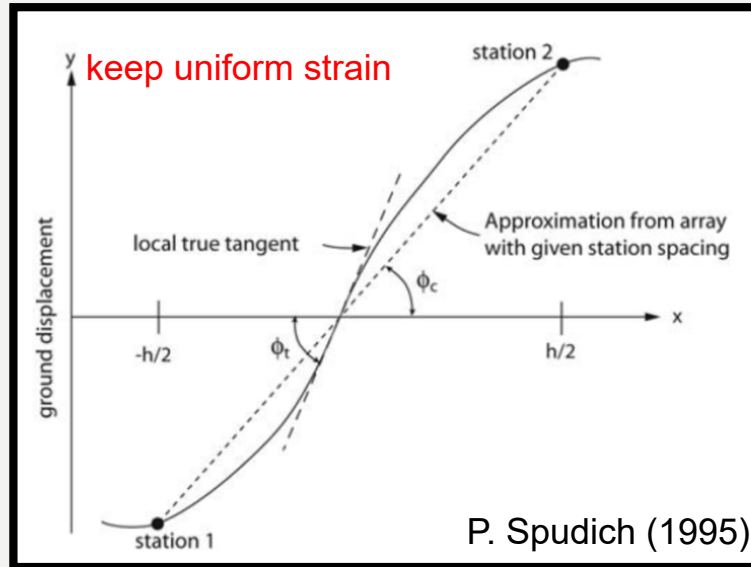
results →
 discrepancies →

Smaller array are prone to error. why?

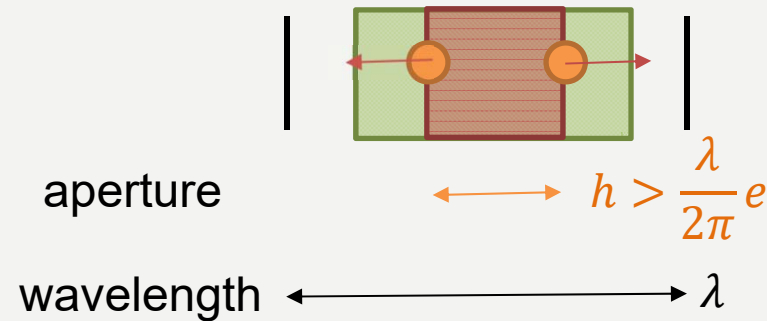
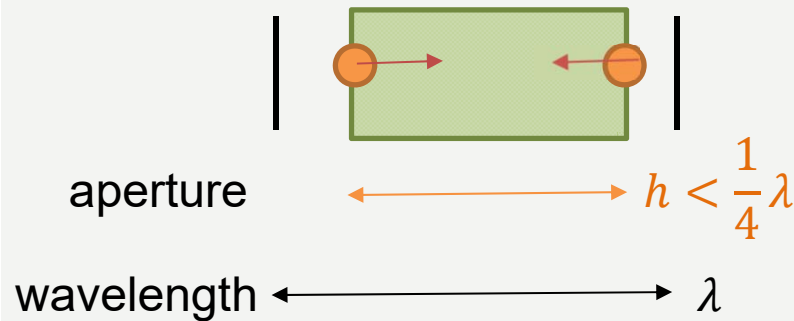
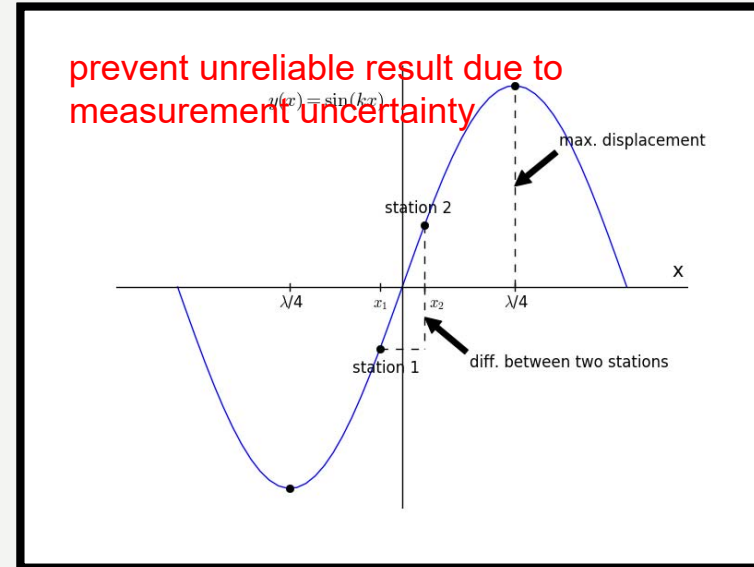




...as **small** as possible...



... cannot be **too close**...



measurement uncertainty

$$\sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{\lambda} x_2\right) - \sin\left(\frac{2\pi}{\lambda} x_1\right) > e \times \sin(0.5\pi) \rightarrow \frac{2\pi}{\lambda} h > e$$



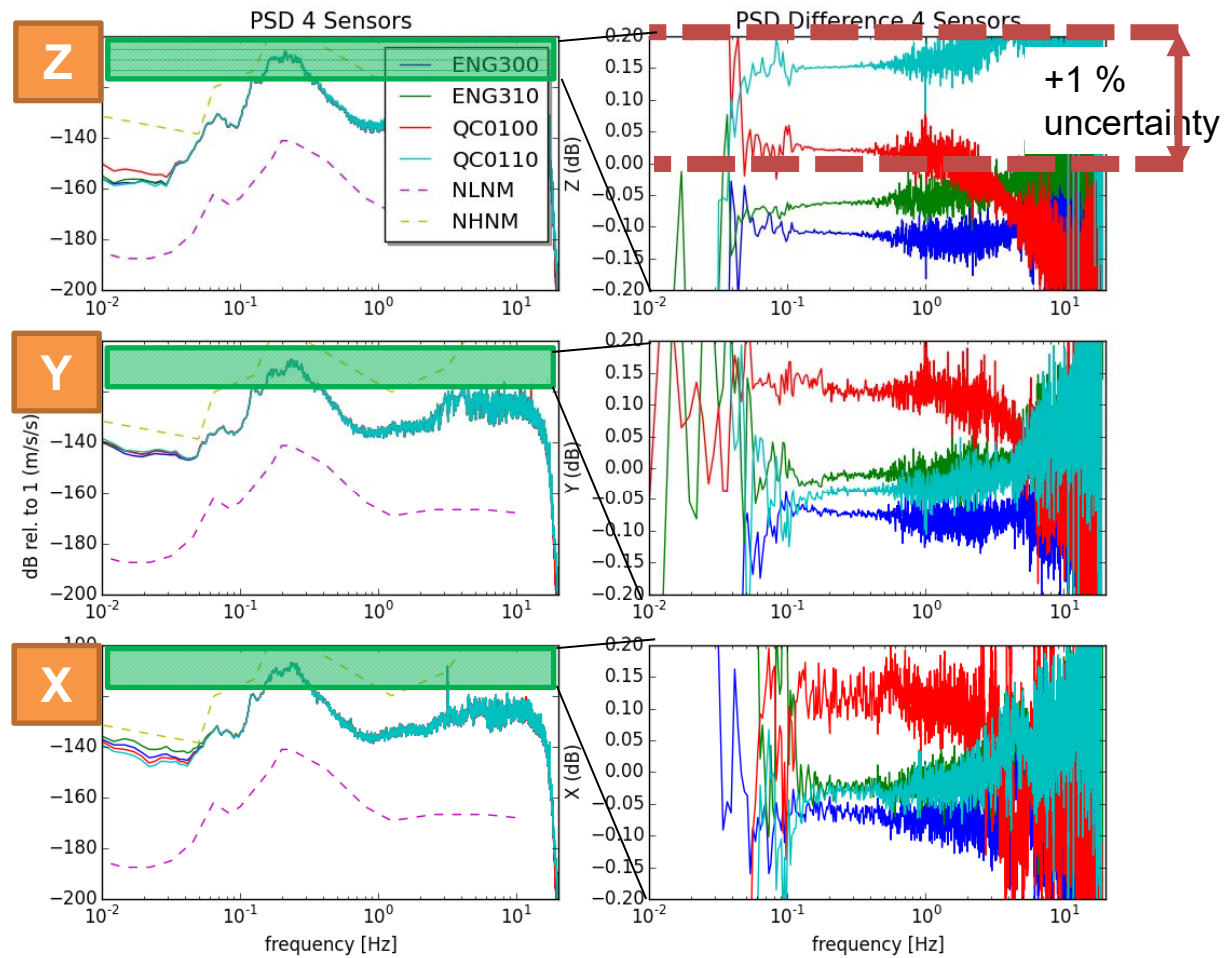
4 co-located STS-2
seismometers

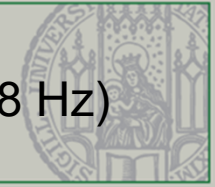


Small array aperture $h = 90m$
 $e=0.01$
 $c=3000 \text{ m/s}$

$$\frac{2\pi}{\lambda} h > e$$

$$f_{min} = 0.05 \text{ Hz}$$





radial

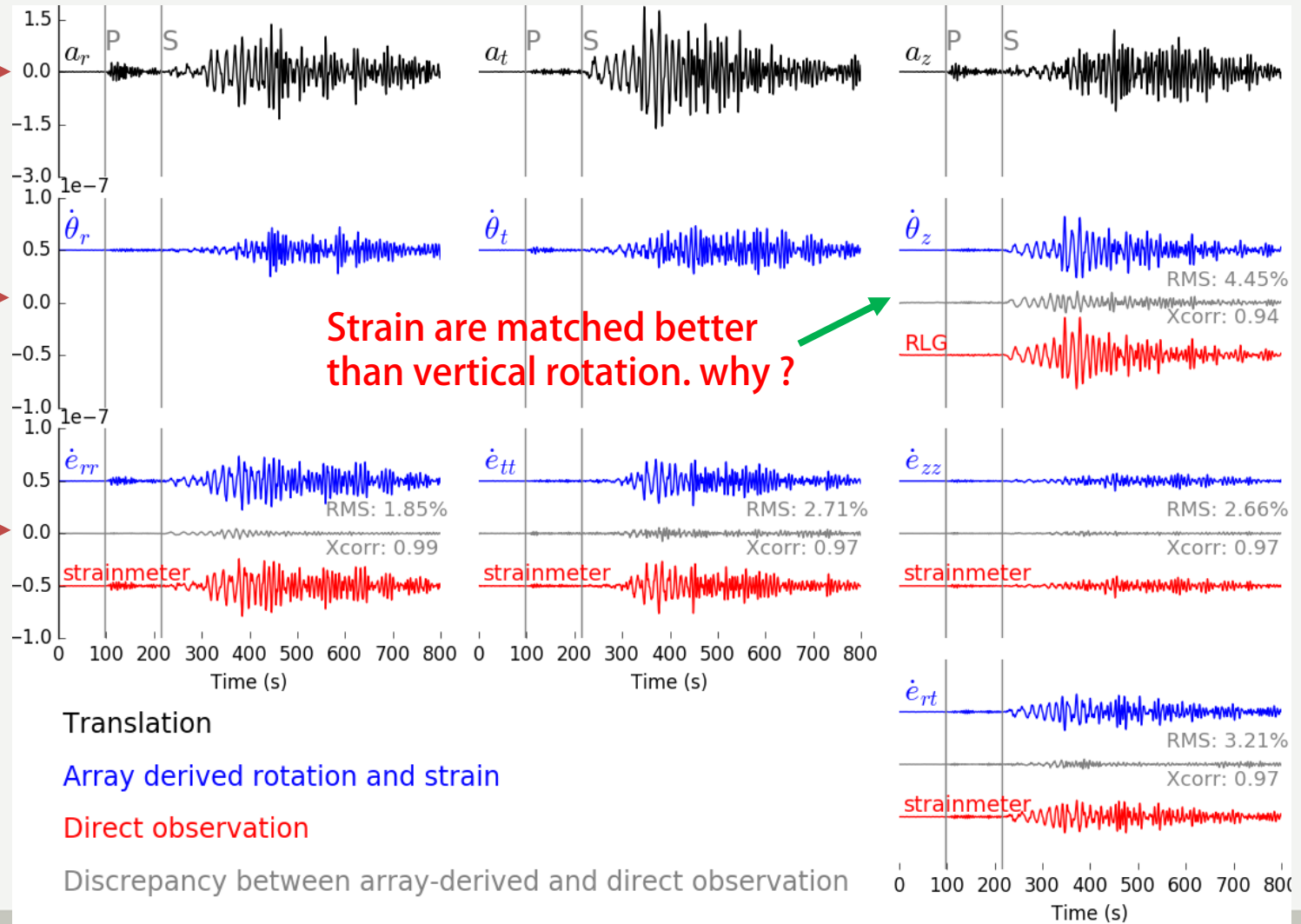
transverse

vertical

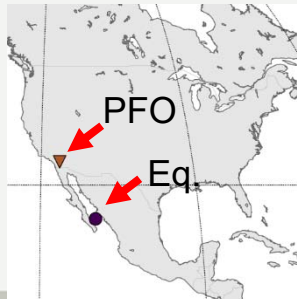
acceleration

rotation

strain



Strain are matched better than vertical rotation. why?



Translation

Array derived rotation and strain

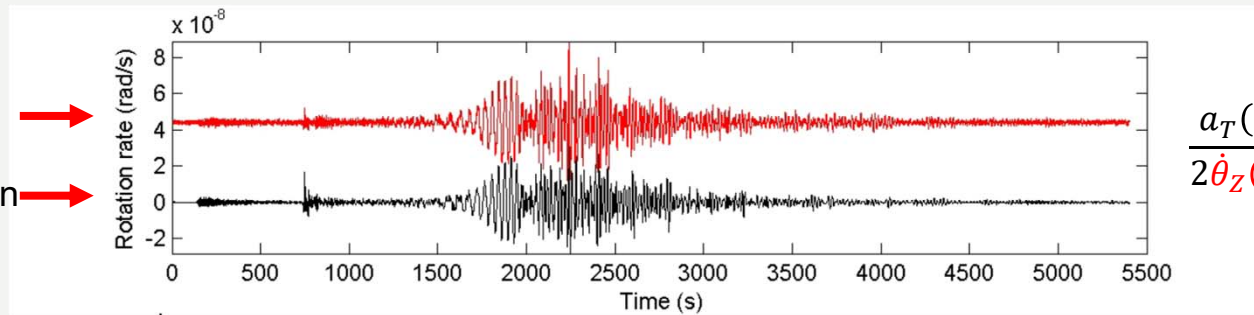
Direct observation

Discrepancy between array-derived and direct observation

Time (s)



Vertical rotation →
Transverse acceleration →



$$\frac{a_T(\omega)}{2\dot{\theta}_Z(\omega)} = c(\omega)$$

Heiner Igel, Ulrich Schreiber, et.al. (2005)

	Rotation	Strain	
Love wave	(1) $c_L = \frac{-\dot{u}_t}{2\theta_z}$ (Igel et al., 2005)	(2) $c_L = \frac{-\dot{u}_t}{2e_{rt}}$ (Gomberg & Agnew, 1996)	
Rayleigh wave	(3) $c_R = \frac{\dot{u}_z}{\theta_t}$ (Lin et al., 2011)	(4) $c_R = -\frac{\dot{u}_r}{e_{rr}}$ (Gomberg & Agnew, 1996)	(5) $c_R = \frac{-v}{1-v} \frac{\dot{u}_r}{e_{zz}}$ (Blum et al., 2010)

Teleseismic event



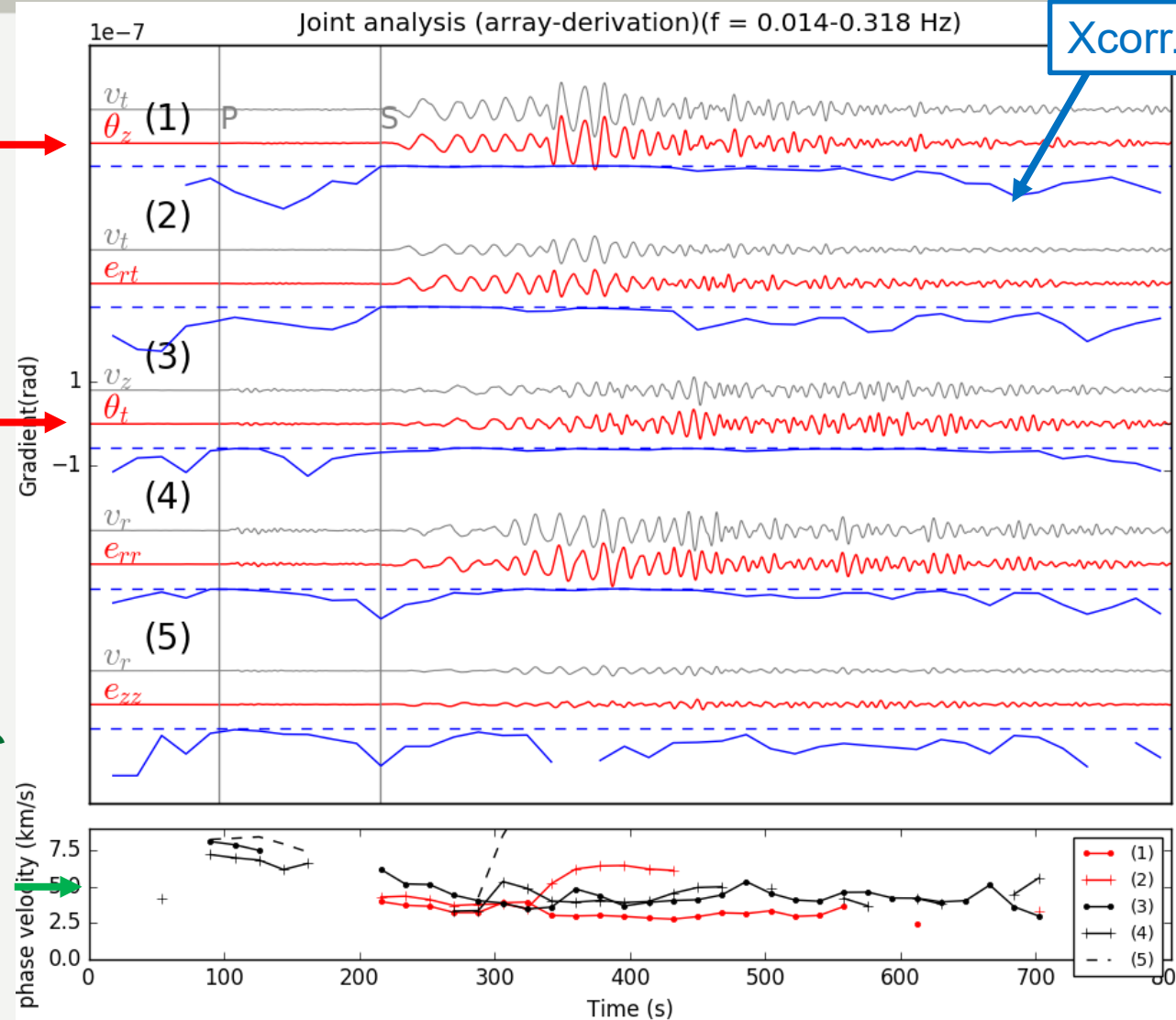
Vertical rotation →

horizontal rotation →

Assuming plane wave propagation ...

L.	(1) $c_L = \frac{-\dot{u}_t}{2\theta_z}$
	(2) $c_L = \frac{-\dot{u}_t}{2e_{rt}}$
R.	(3) $c_R = \frac{\dot{u}_z}{\theta_t}$
	(4) $c_R = -\frac{\dot{u}_r}{e_{rr}}$
	(5) $c_R = \frac{-v}{1-v} \frac{\dot{u}_r}{e_{zz}}$

Phase velocity



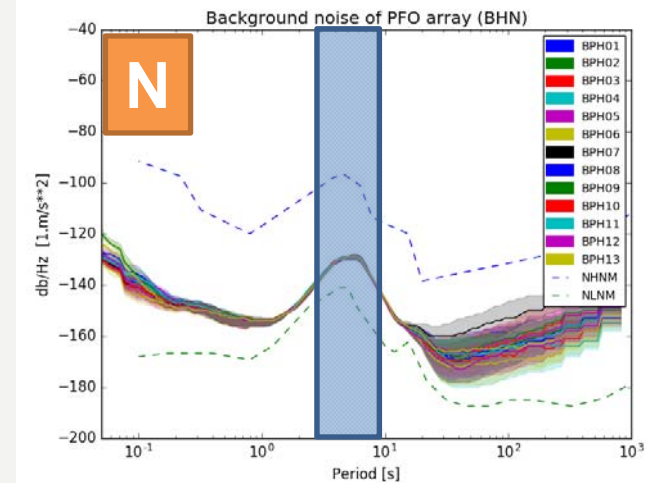
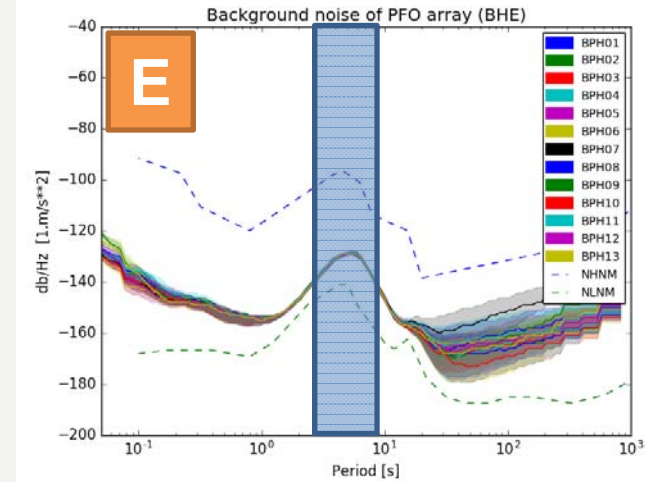
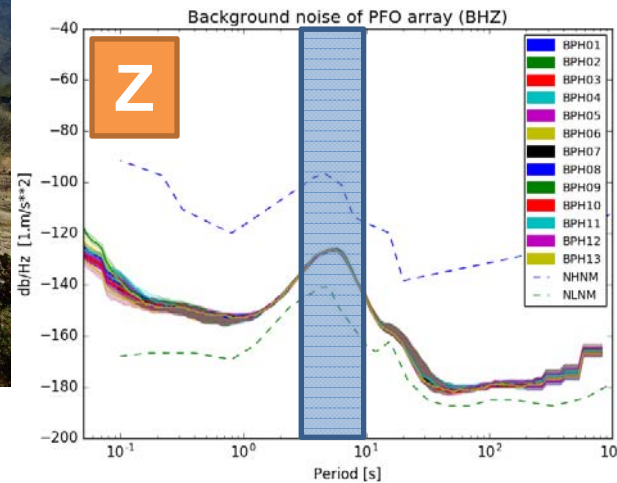


seismograms

seismic station at PFO



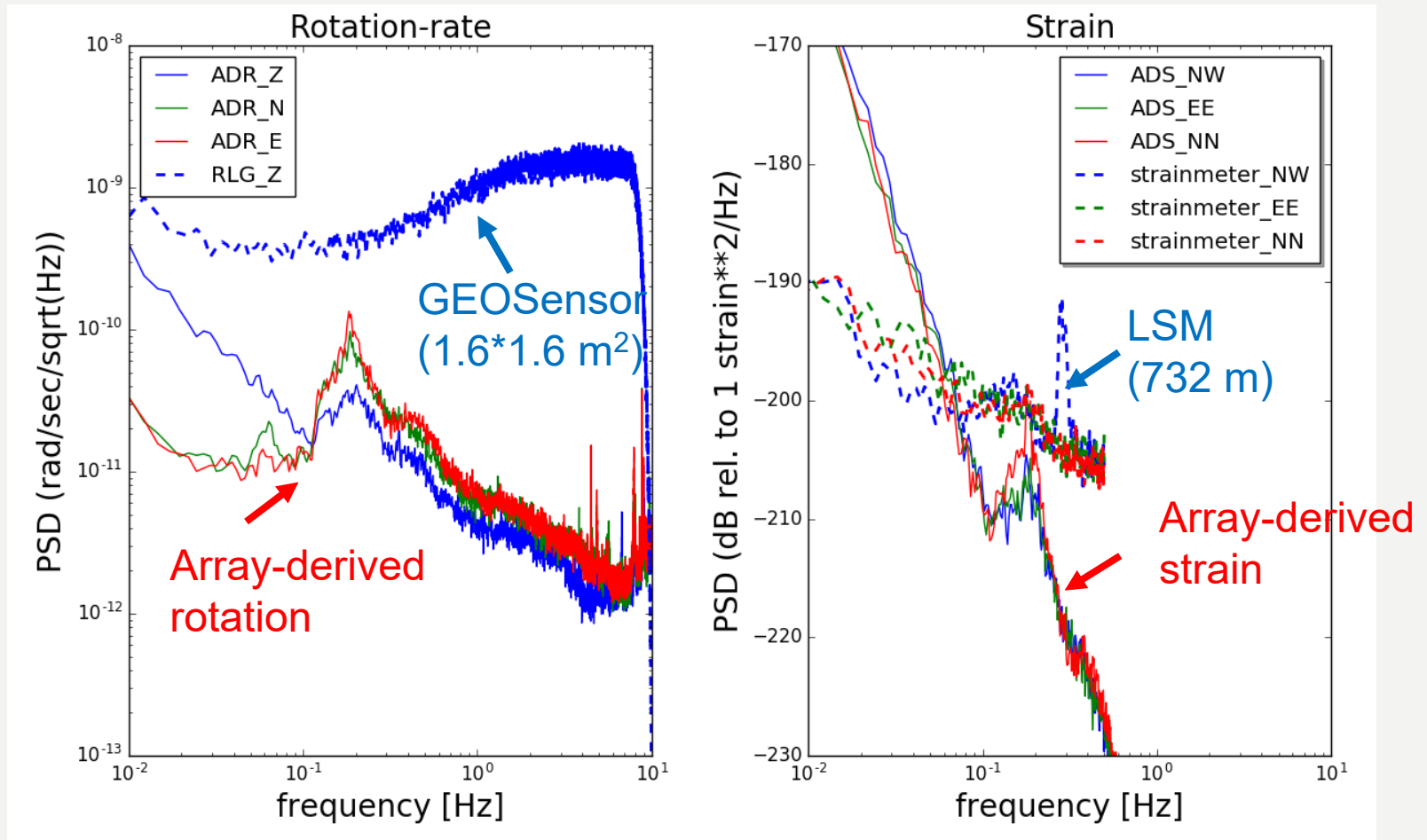
Seismometers are installed at depth of 2-3 m

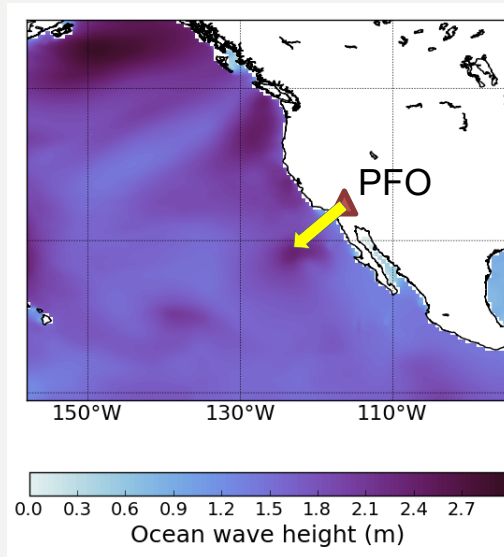




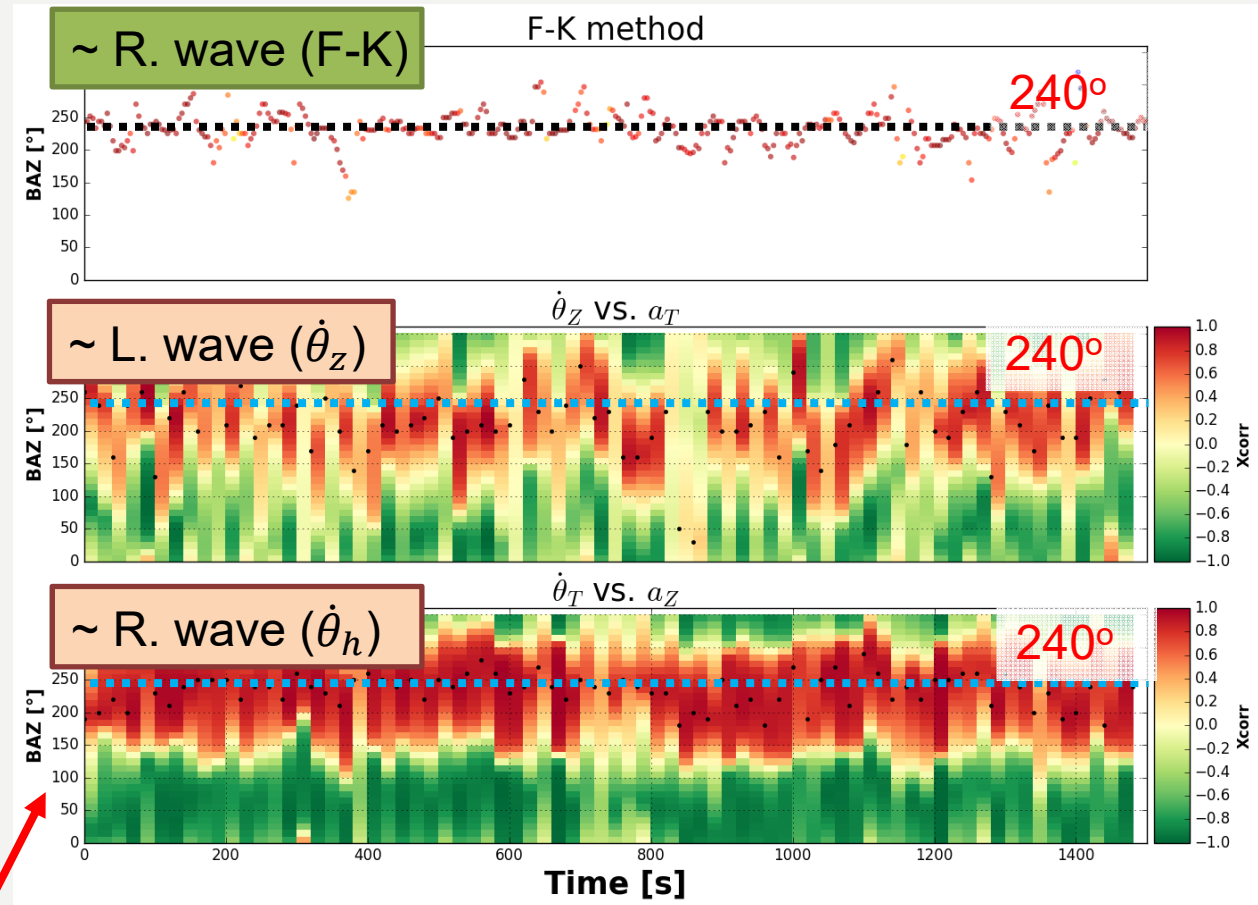
rotation

strain





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orientation

■ Array-derived rotation vs. point measurement

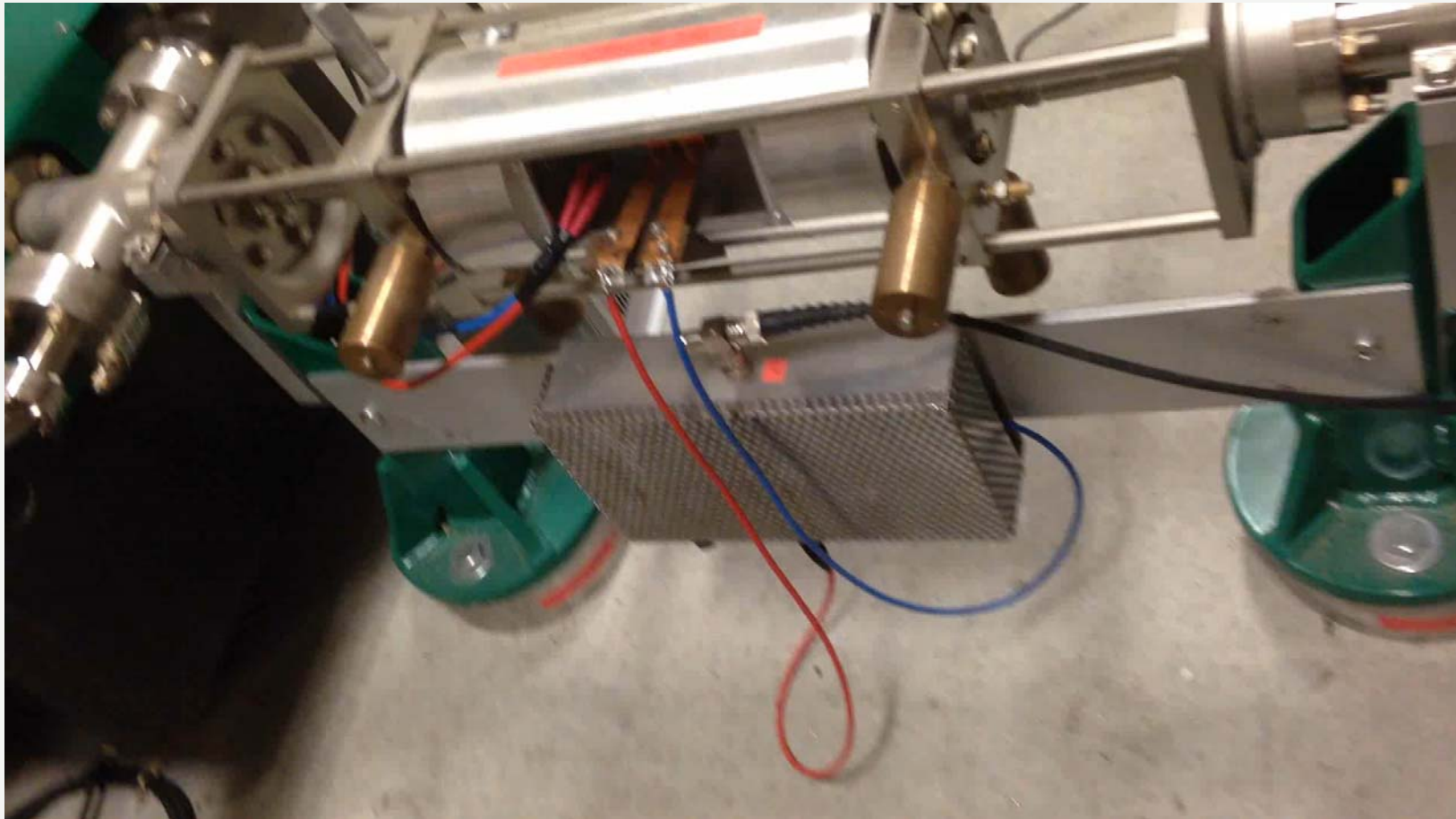
- ✓ The result is slightly different due to effect of measurement scale

■ Assuming plane wave propagation

- ✓ Translations can be scaled to the rotation/strain
- ✓ Derived apparent velocities, from rotation and strain, are consistent.

■ Microseismic signal

- ✓ Back-azimuth of the source determined by three methods are consistent.



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