

Kumamoto earthquake: a complex earthquake sequence with large strike-slip ruptures

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1. Overview

Mw 6.1 foreshock on Apr. 14 + **Mw 7.0** mainshock on 16.

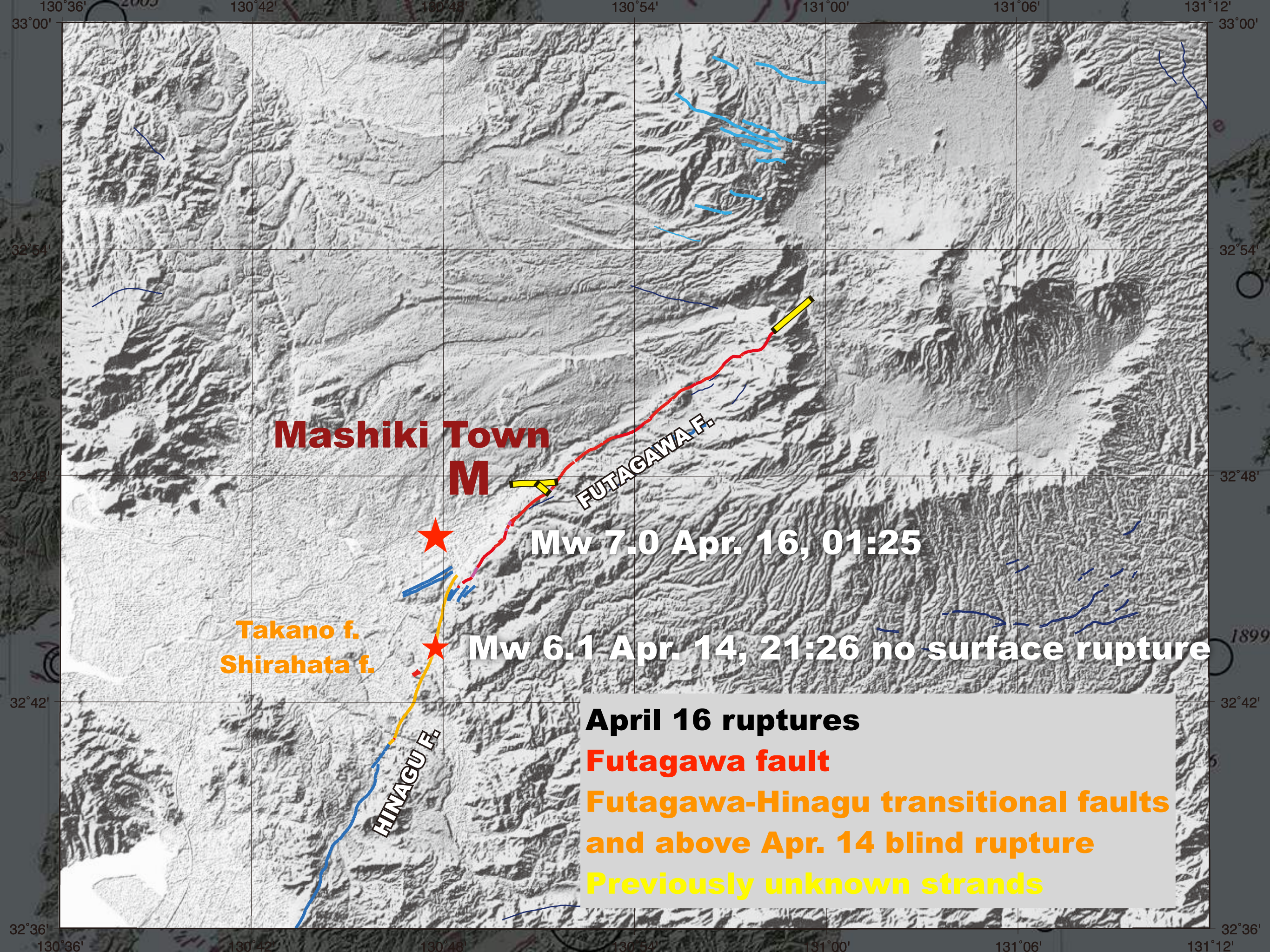
Maximum **JMA intensity 7** during both shocks.

1.61 g PGA and **1.35 g PGA** at **Mashiki Town** respectively.

49 killed, 1 missing, and ~1000 wounded.

34 km long surface rupture along a mostly known fault

Limitations on hazard and ground motion forecasts.



**Mashiki Town
M**

Mw 7.0 Apr. 16, 01:25

Mw 6.1 Apr. 14, 21:26 no surface rupture

**Takano f.
Shirahata f.**

April 16 ruptures
Futagawa fault
Futagawa-Hinagu transitional faults
and above Apr. 14 blind rupture
Previously unknown strands

FUTAGAWA F.

HINAGU F.

1. Tectonics and Geologic Setting

Median Tectonic Line
Right-lateral strike-slip
partitioned from Nankai
oblique subduction

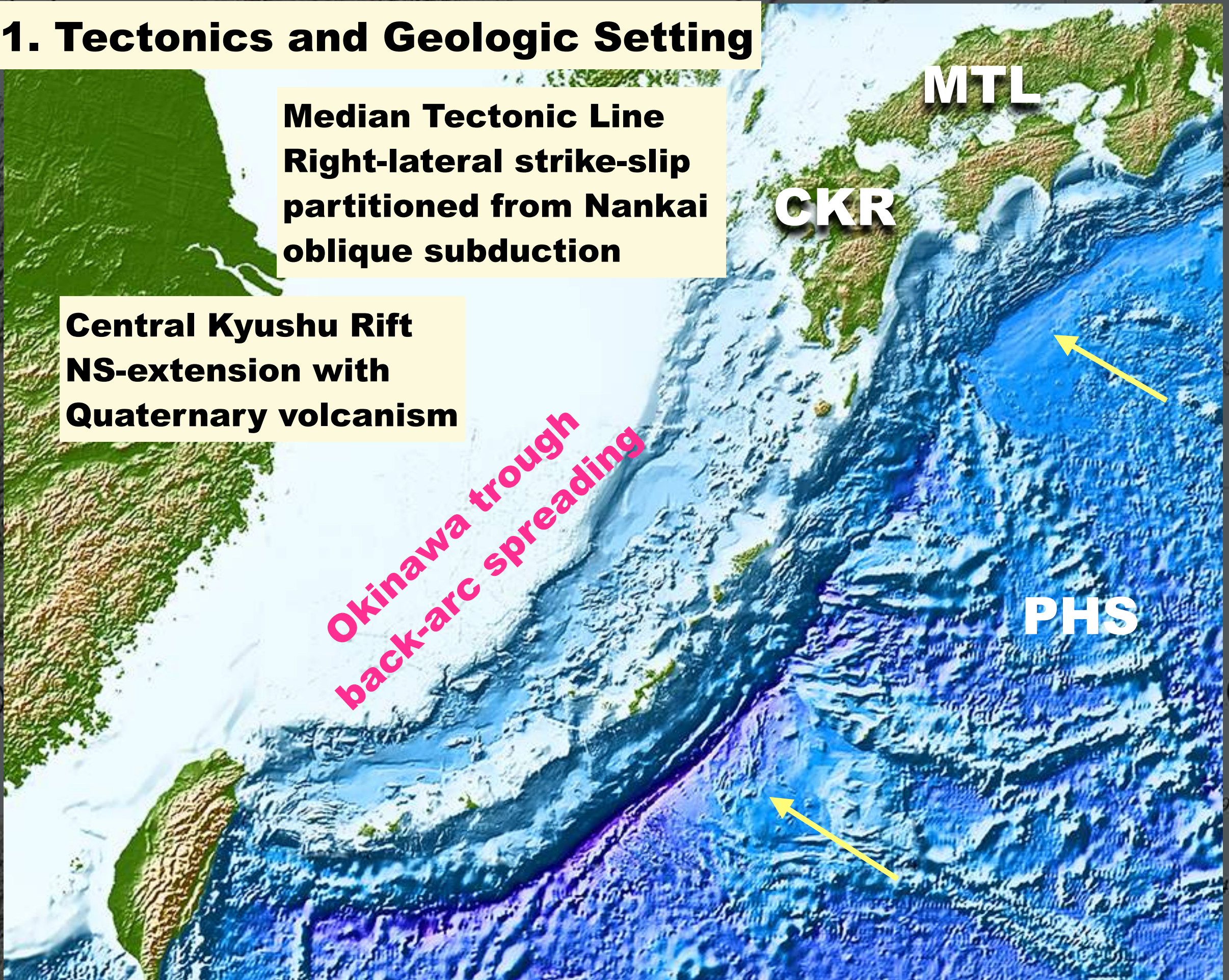
Central Kyushu Rift
NS-extension with
Quaternary volcanism

Okinawa trough
back-arc spreading

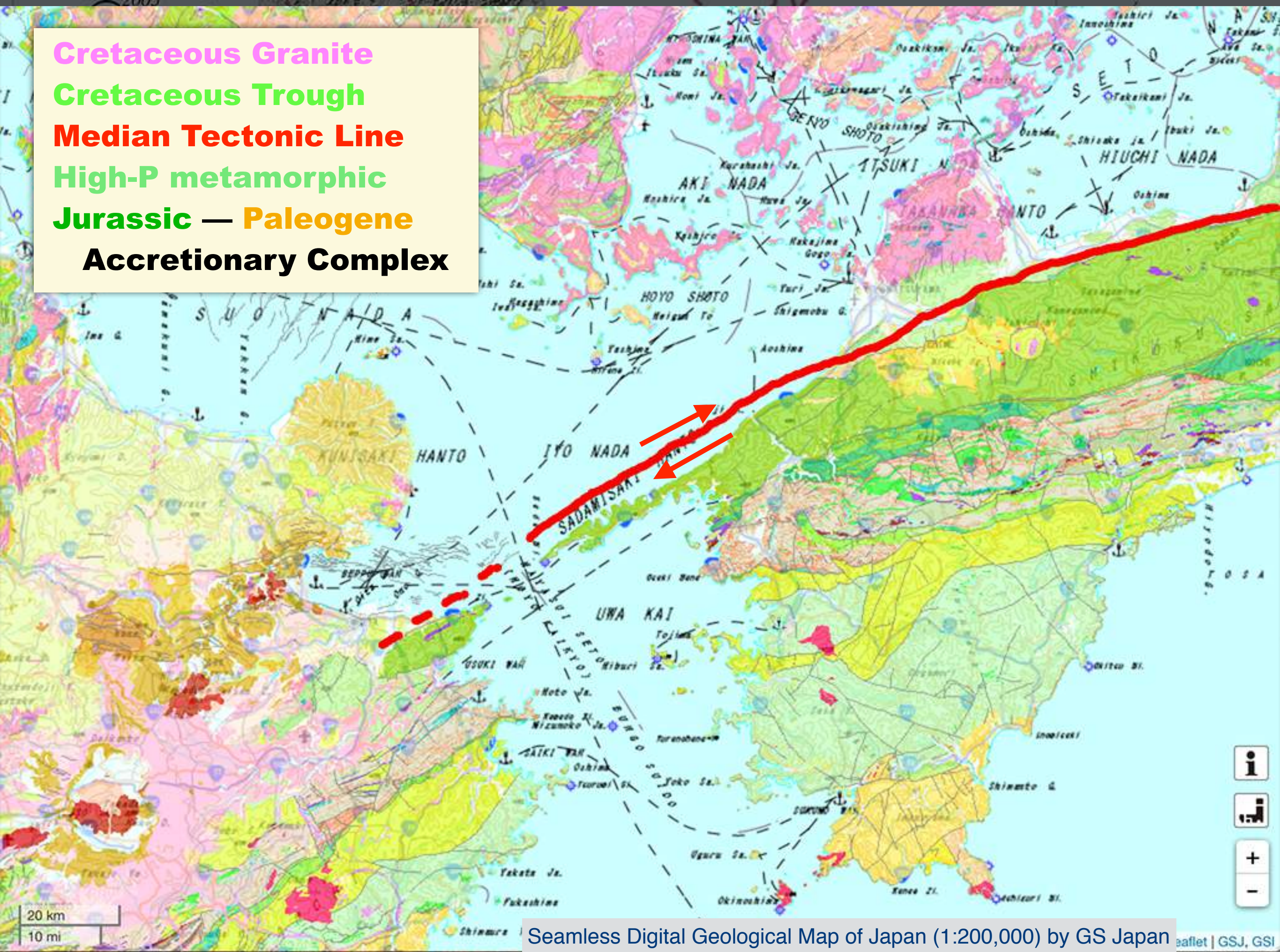
MTL

CKR

PHS



Cretaceous Granite
Cretaceous Trough
Median Tectonic Line
High-P metamorphic
Jurassic — Paleogene
Accretionary Complex



Neogene Volcanics

Cretaceous Trough

(Median Tectonic Line)

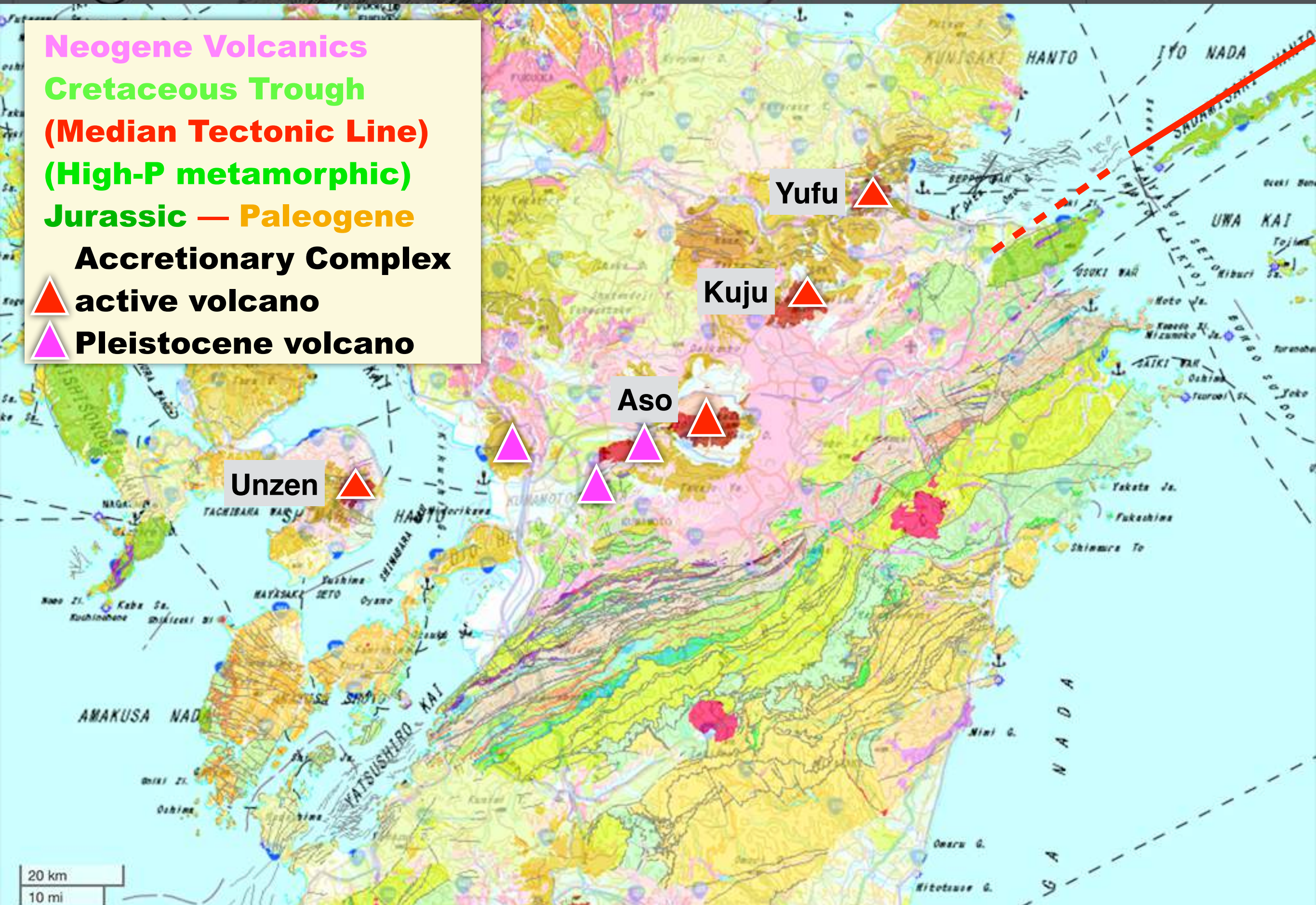
(High-P metamorphic)

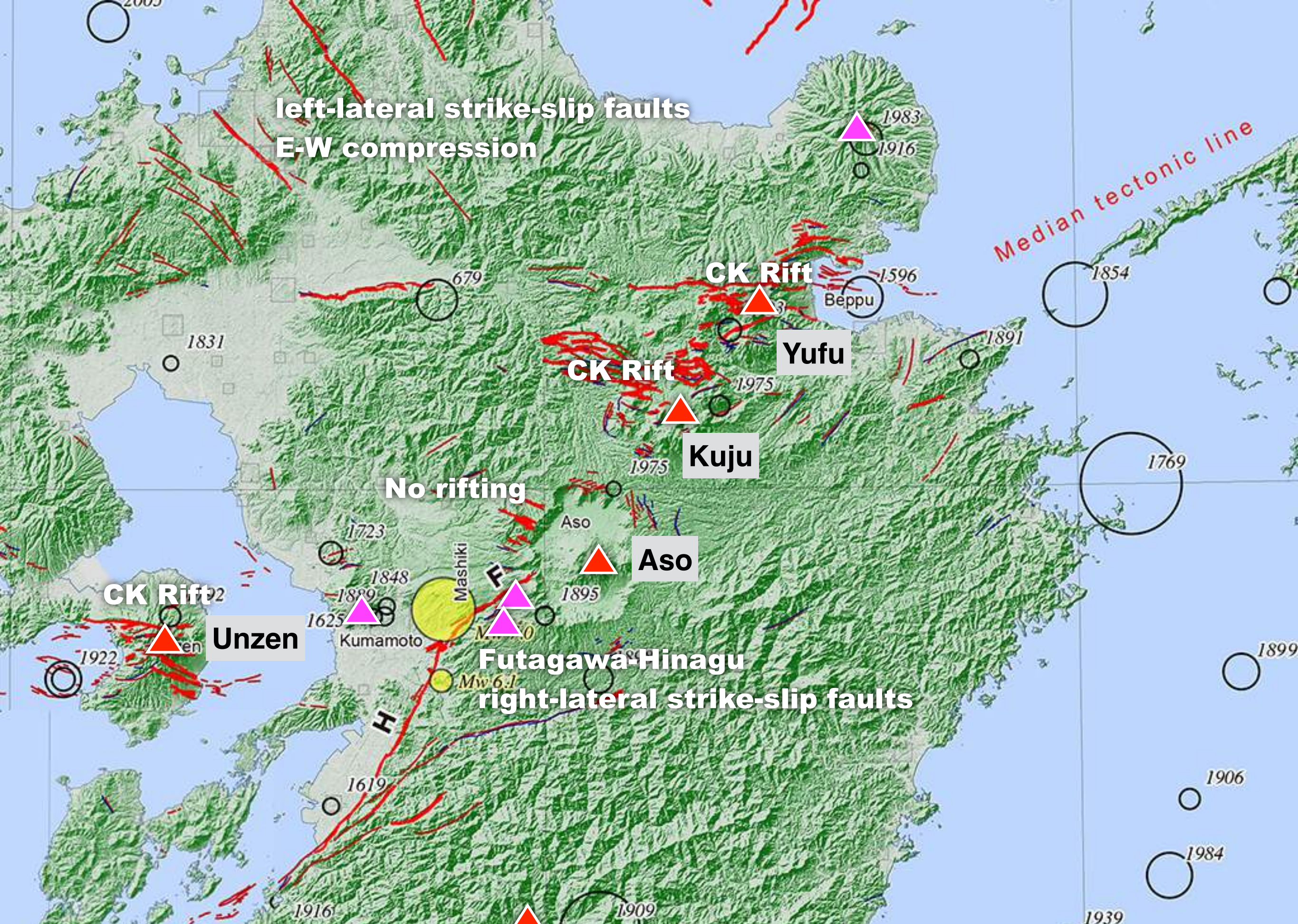
Jurassic — Paleogene

Accretionary Complex

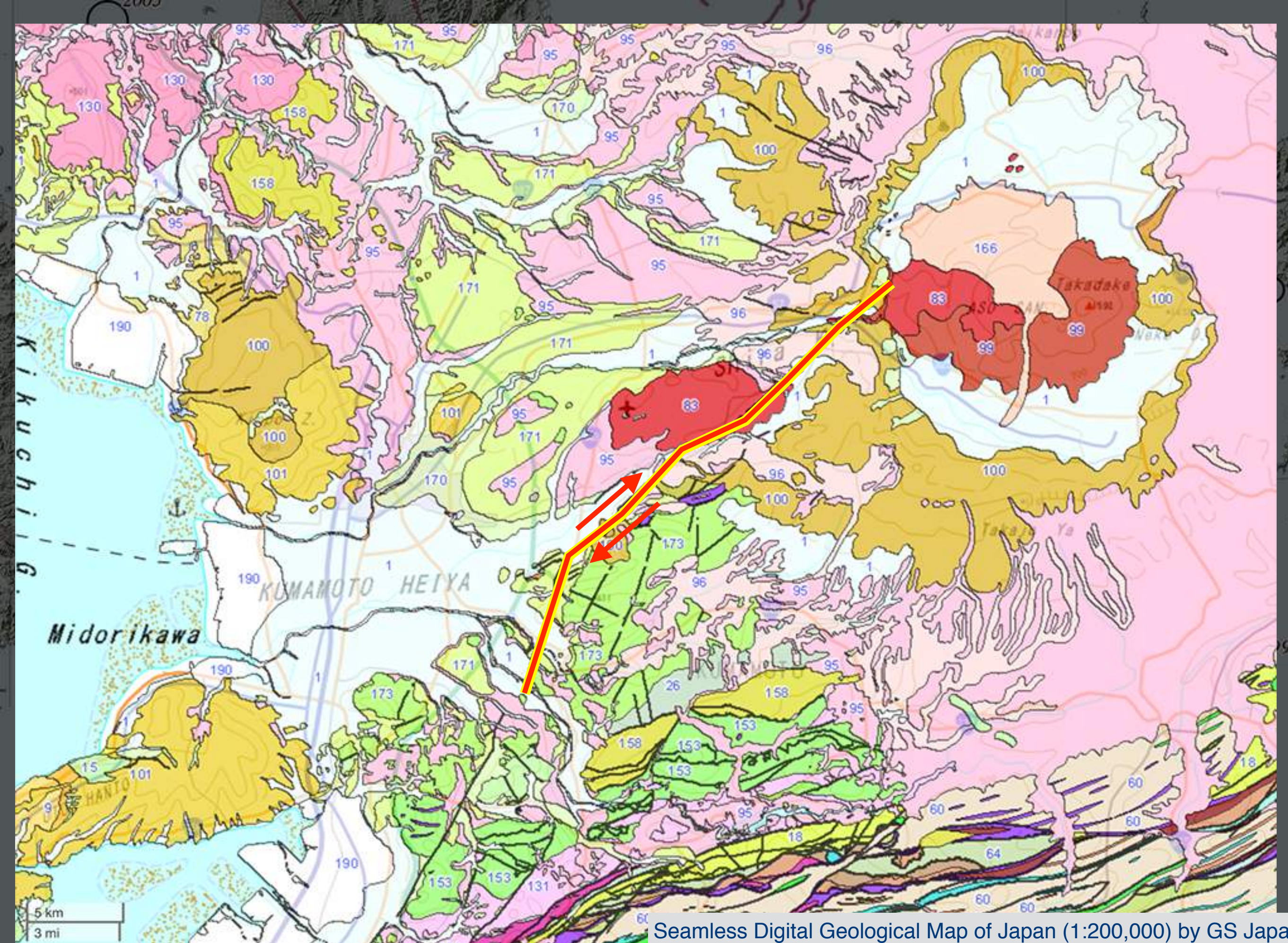
▲ active volcano

▲ Pleistocene volcano





Nakata and Imaizumi eds. (2002), Research Group for Active Faults of Japan (1995), Historic earthquakes: Usami (1996)



2. Earthquakes

Mw 6.1 foreshock at 21:26 JST on Apr. 14, 2016

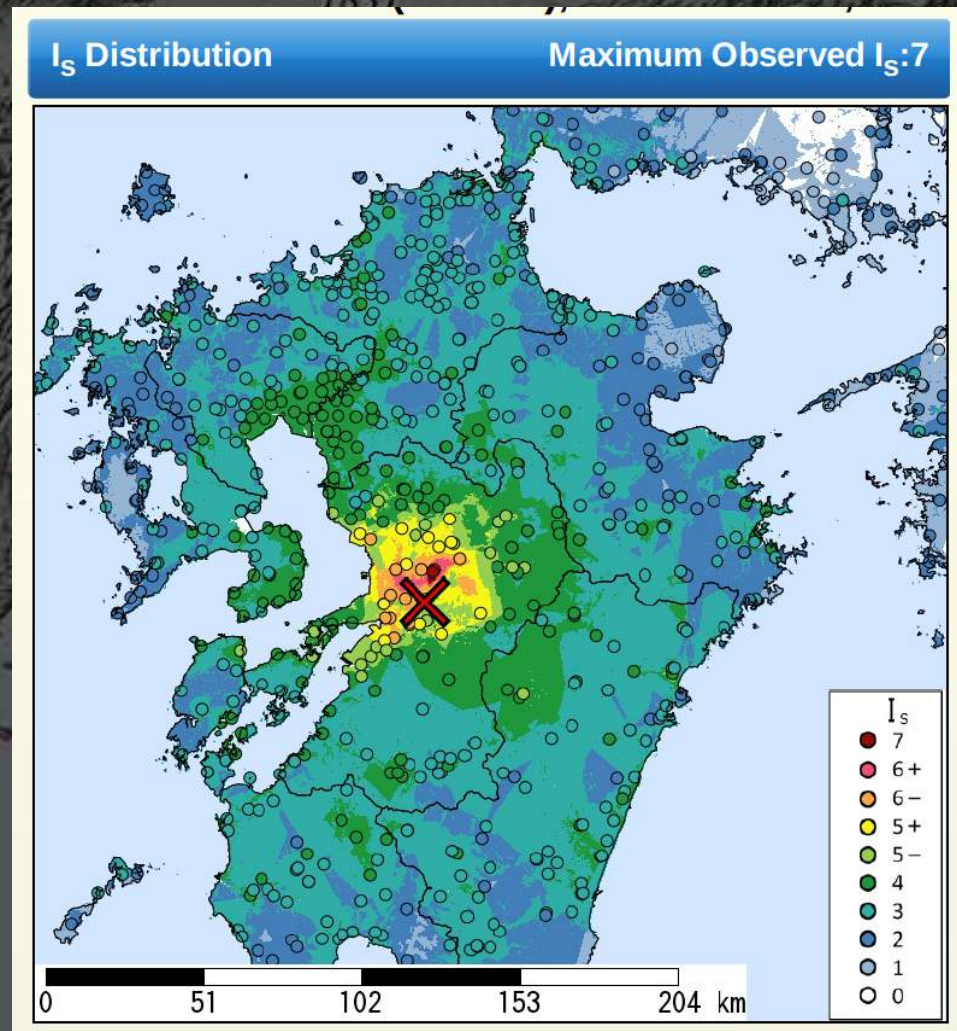
Mw 7.0 mainshock on 01:25 JST on Apr. 16, 2016

JMA intensity 7 out of 7 at **Mashiki Town** during both shocks.

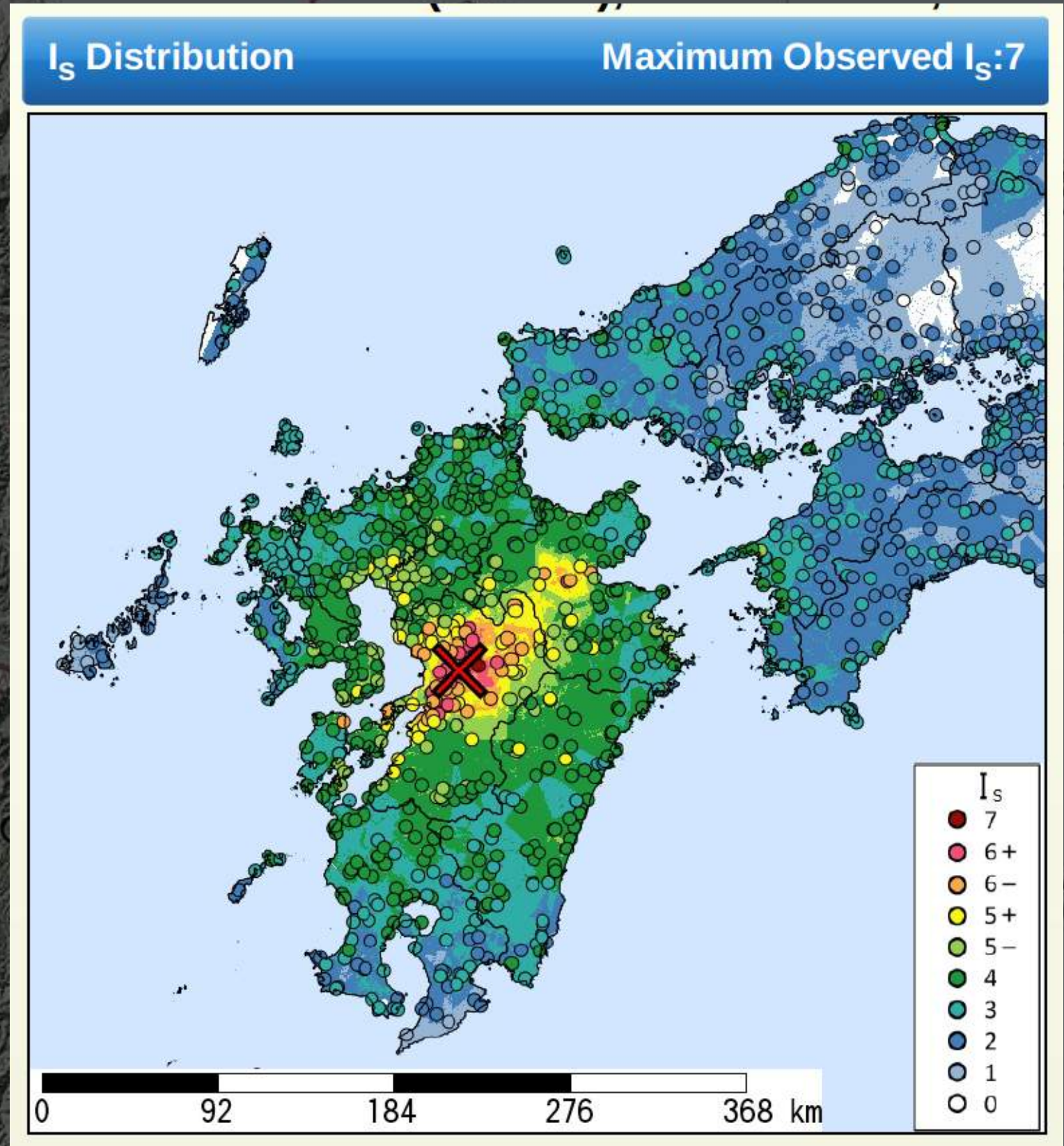
1.61 g PGA during the Mw 6.1 foreshock at **Mashiki Town**

1.35 g PGA during the Mw 7.0 mainshock at **Mashiki Town**

**Exposed population
to JMA Intensity scale
6+ and 7 (> MMI VIII~IX)
Mw 6.1: 100,000
Mw 7.0: 350,000**

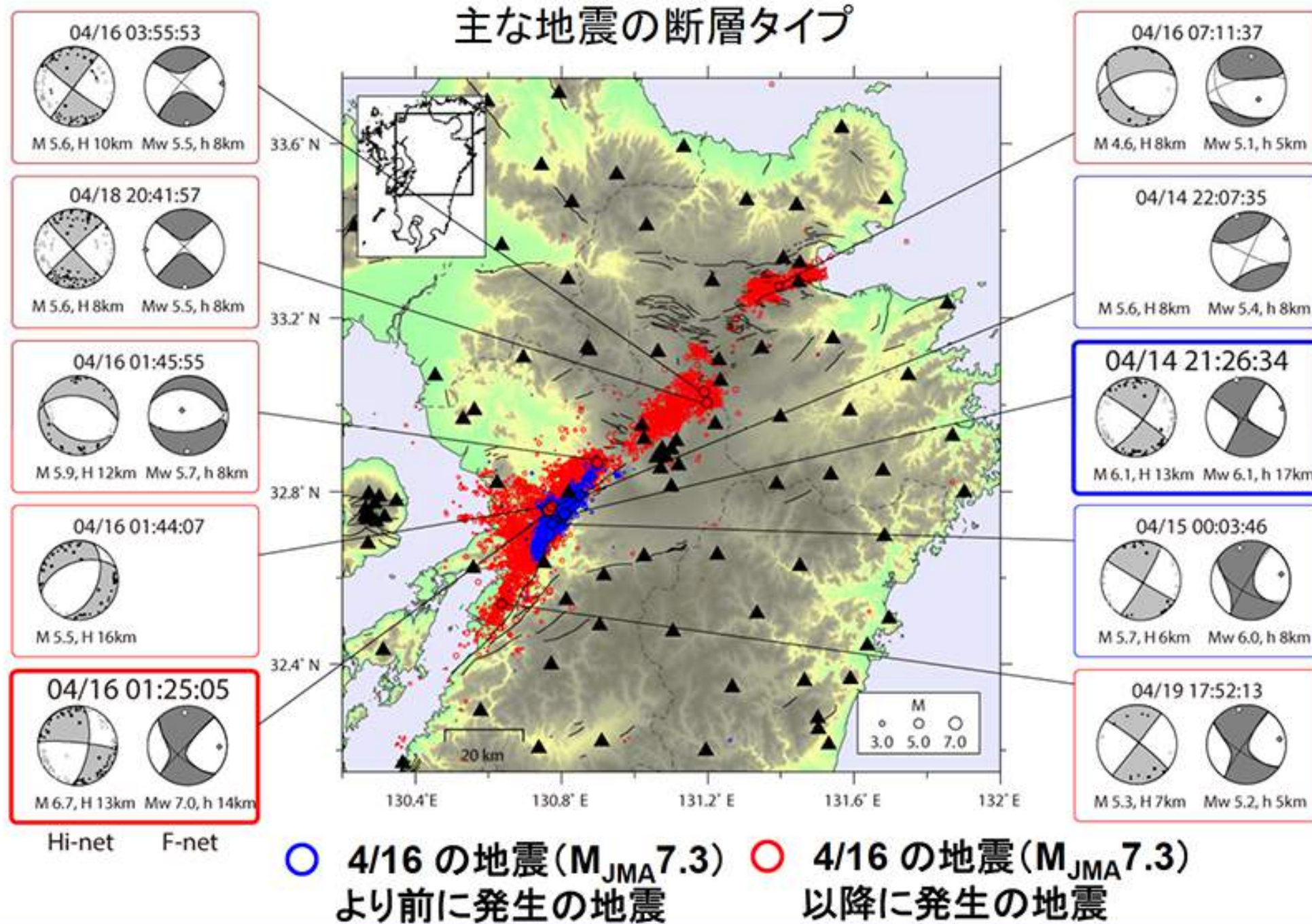


Mw 6.1 foreshock

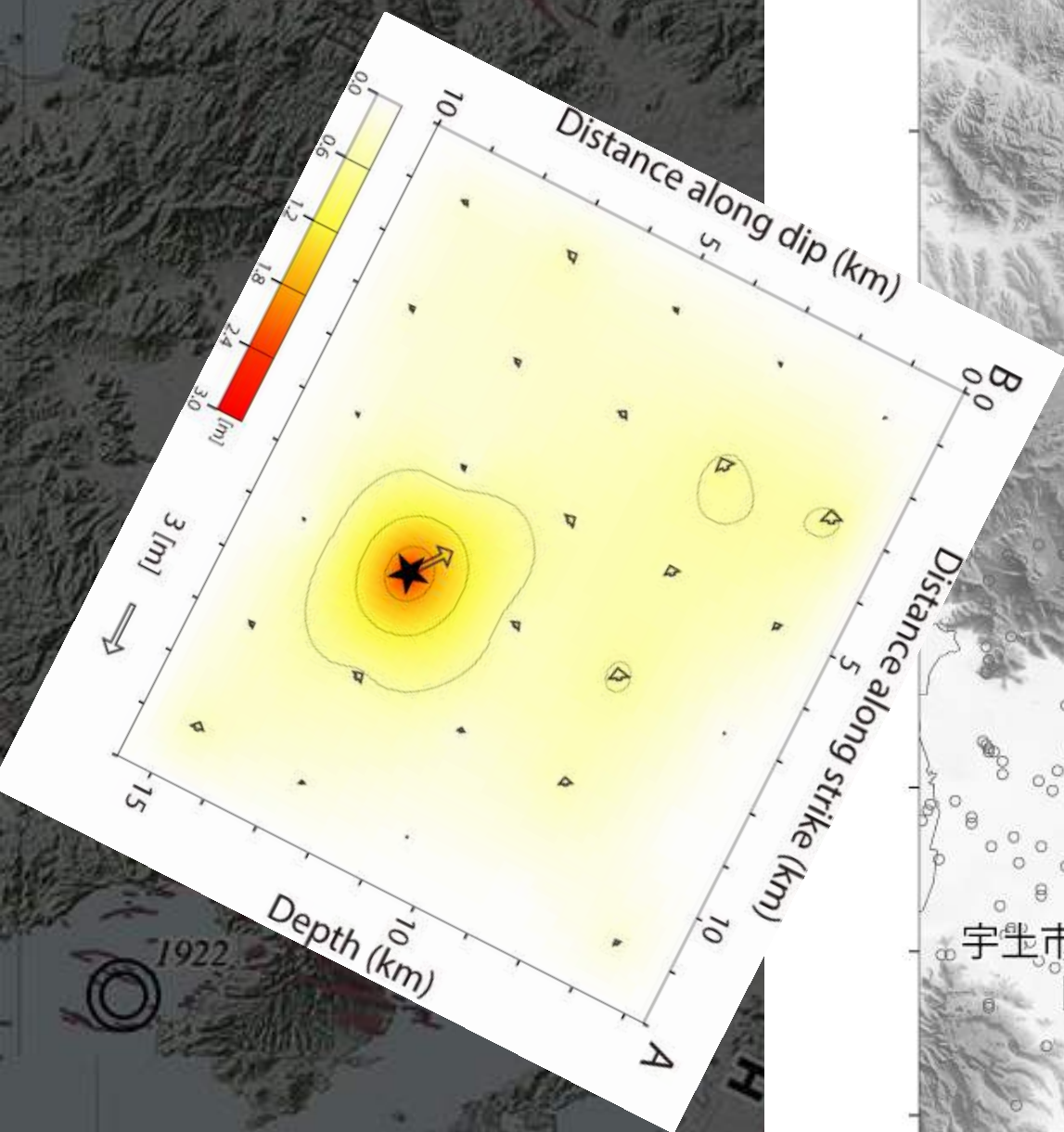


Mw 7.0 mainshock + triggered shock

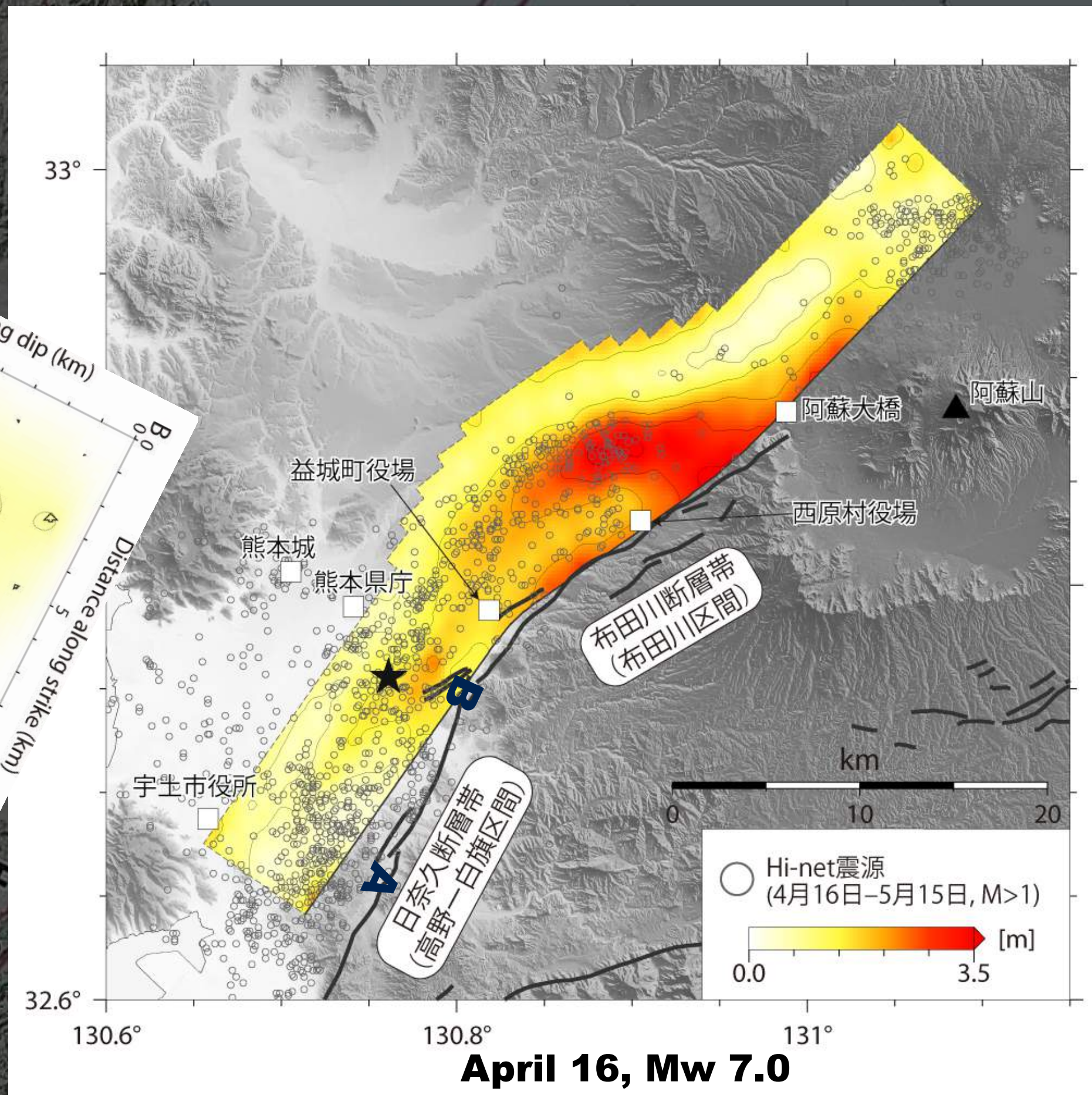
NIED J-RISQ



Blue: before Mw 7.0, Red: after Mw 7.0.
M. Aoi, NIED



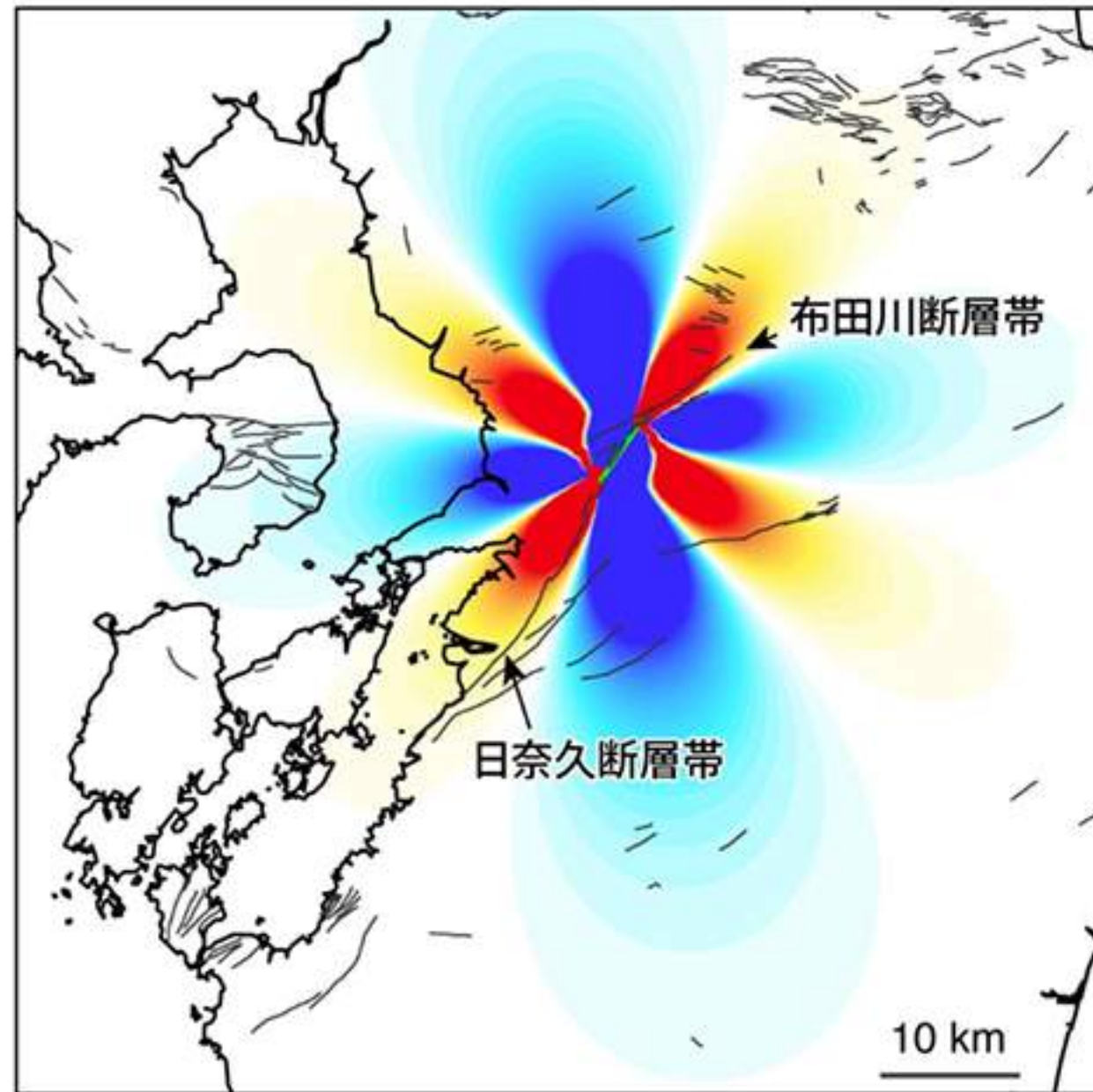
April 14, Mw 6.1



April 16, Mw 7.0

Proximal strong motion inversion by Kubo, Aoki, Aoi, and Sekiguchi, NIED

M6.5直後に
計算していた
応力伝播



横ずれ断層へのクーロン応力変化

断層活動を抑制

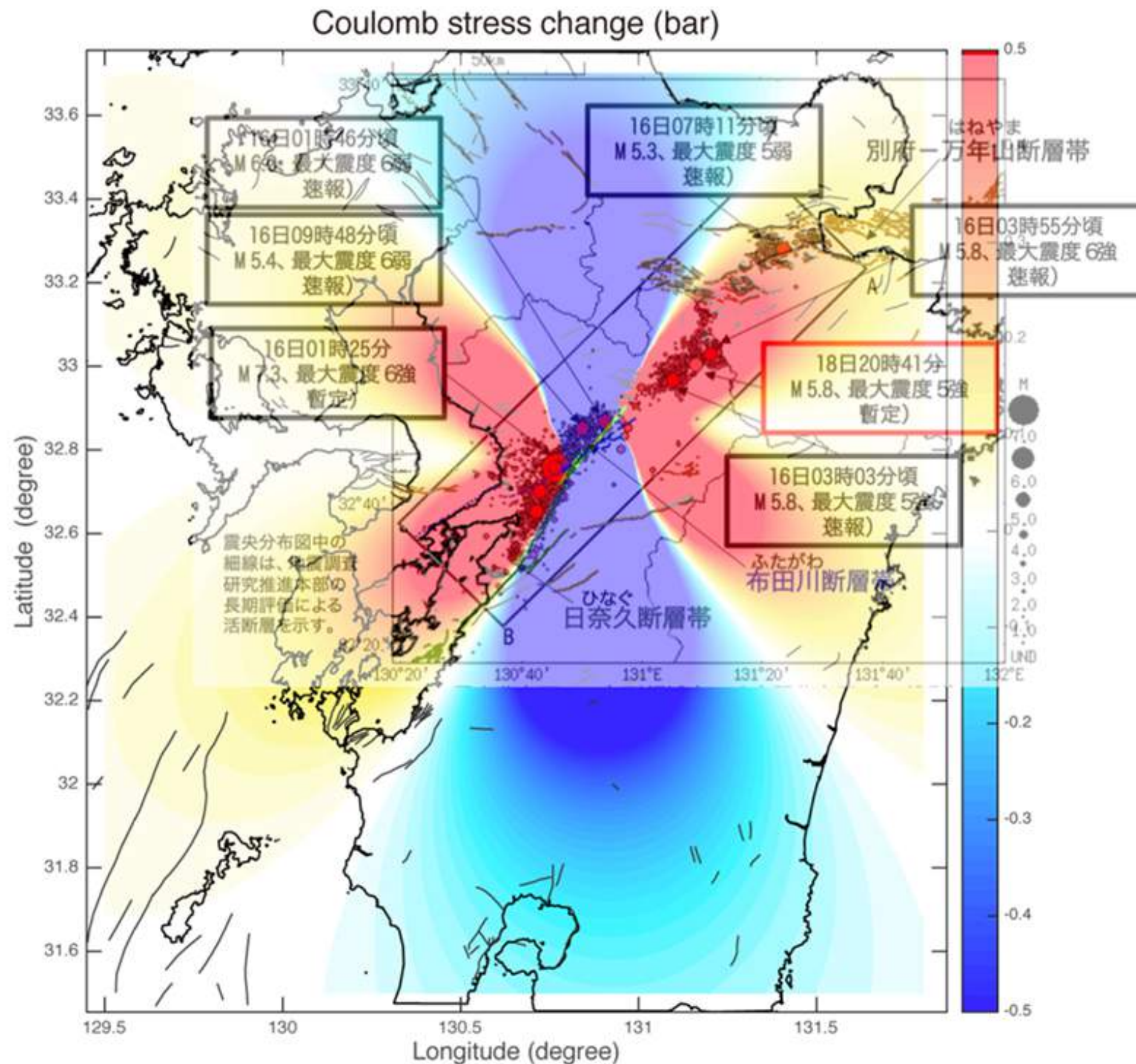
-0.5

0

0.5 bar

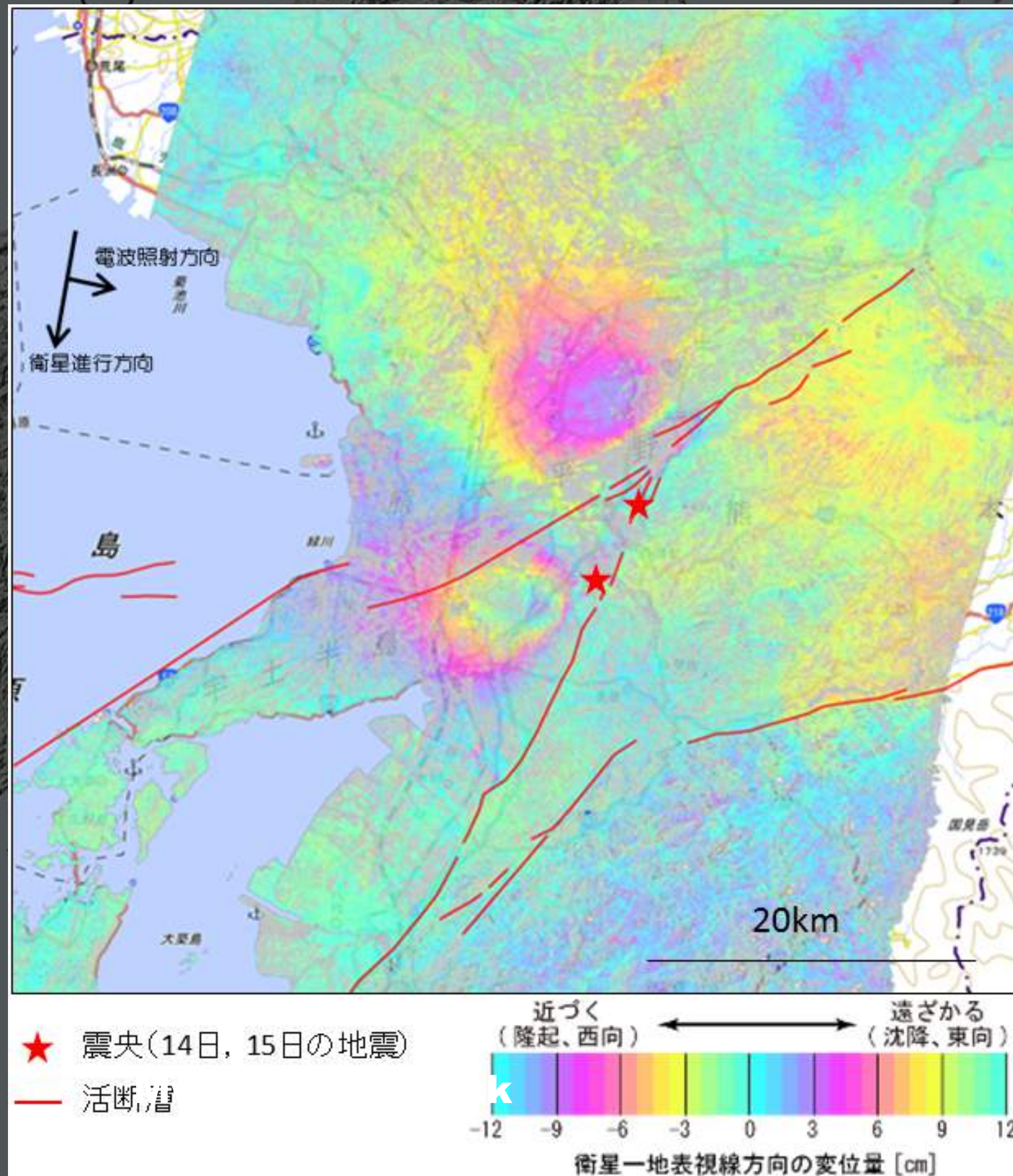
断層活動を促進

Δ CFF after Mw 6.1 on April 14. Futagawa fault is within a red zone.
Shinji Toda, Tohoku University



Δ CFF after Mw 7.0 on April 16 by Shinji Toda, Tohoku University

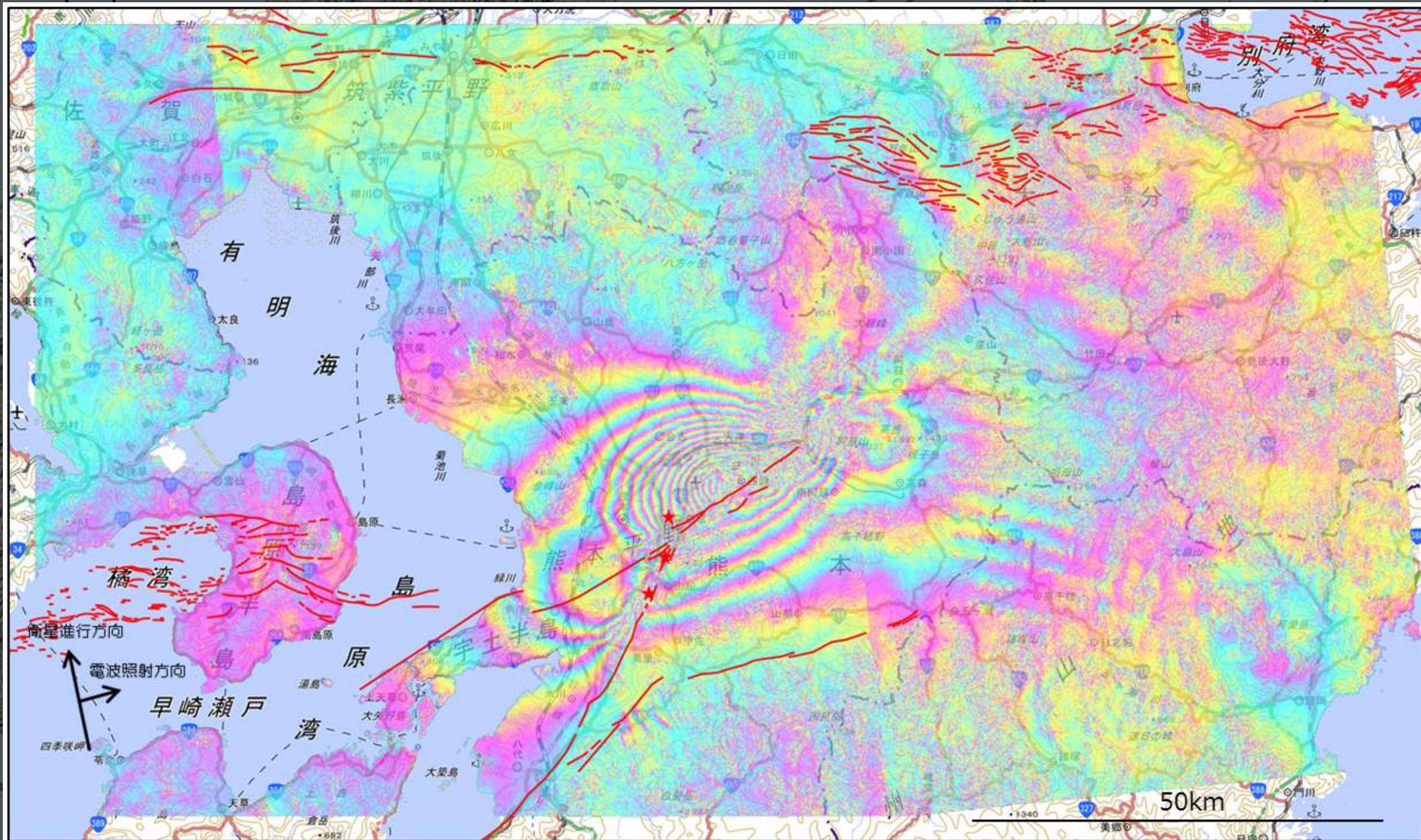
4. Crustal Movements



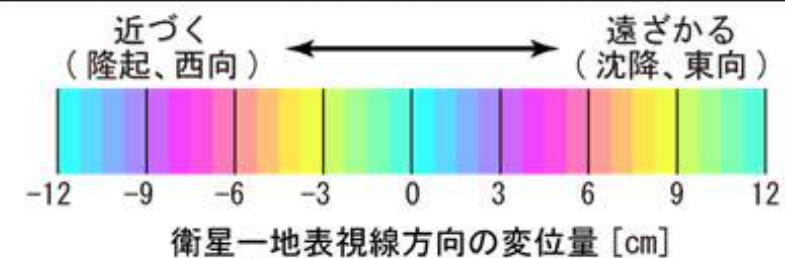
GSI ALOS-2 InSAR

2 major foreshocks

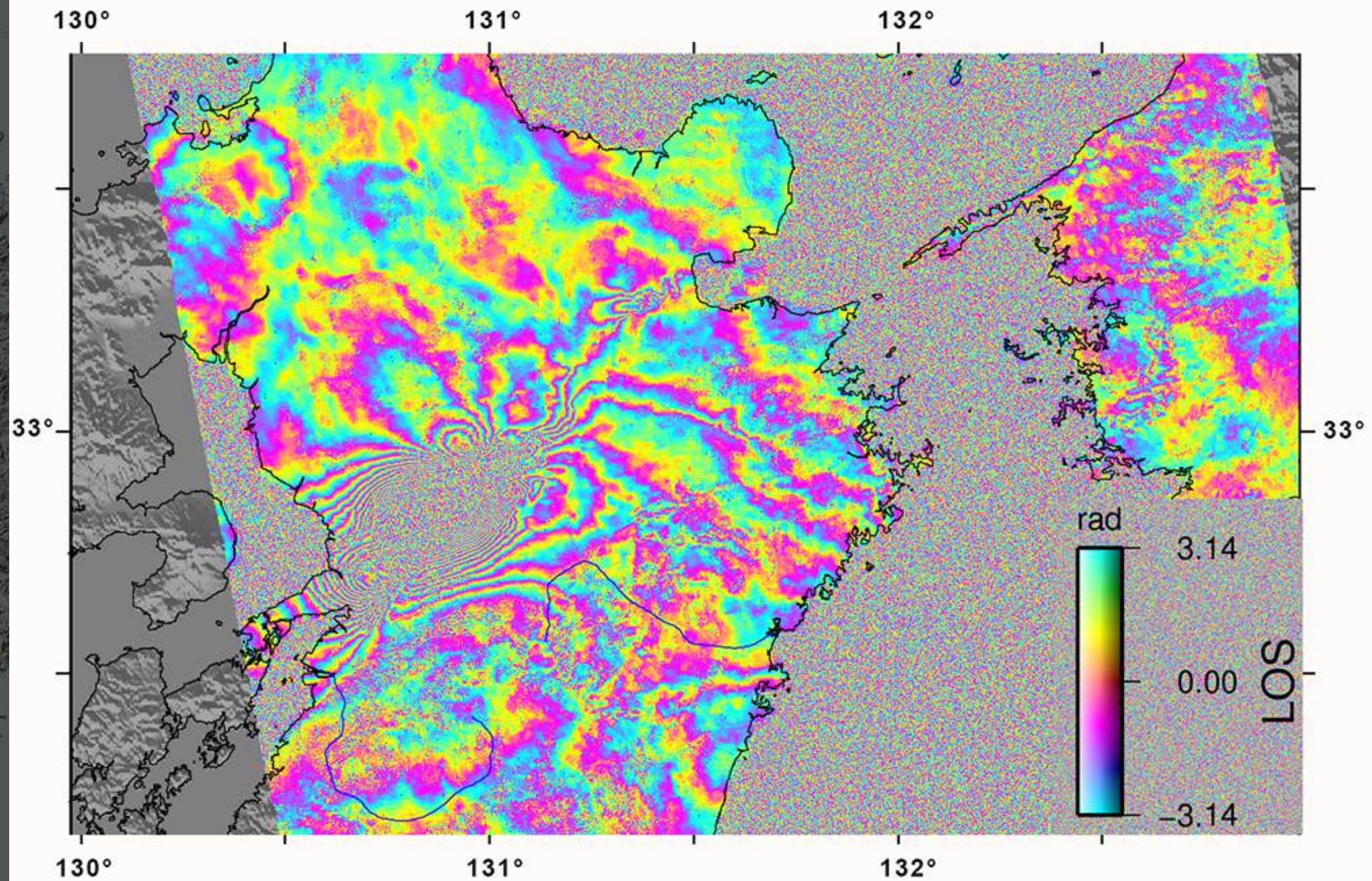
no surface rupture



- ★ 震央 (14日, 15日, 16日の地震)
- 活断層 (地震調査研究推進本部による)



GSI ALOS-2 InSAR 15/APR/2015—20/APR/2016

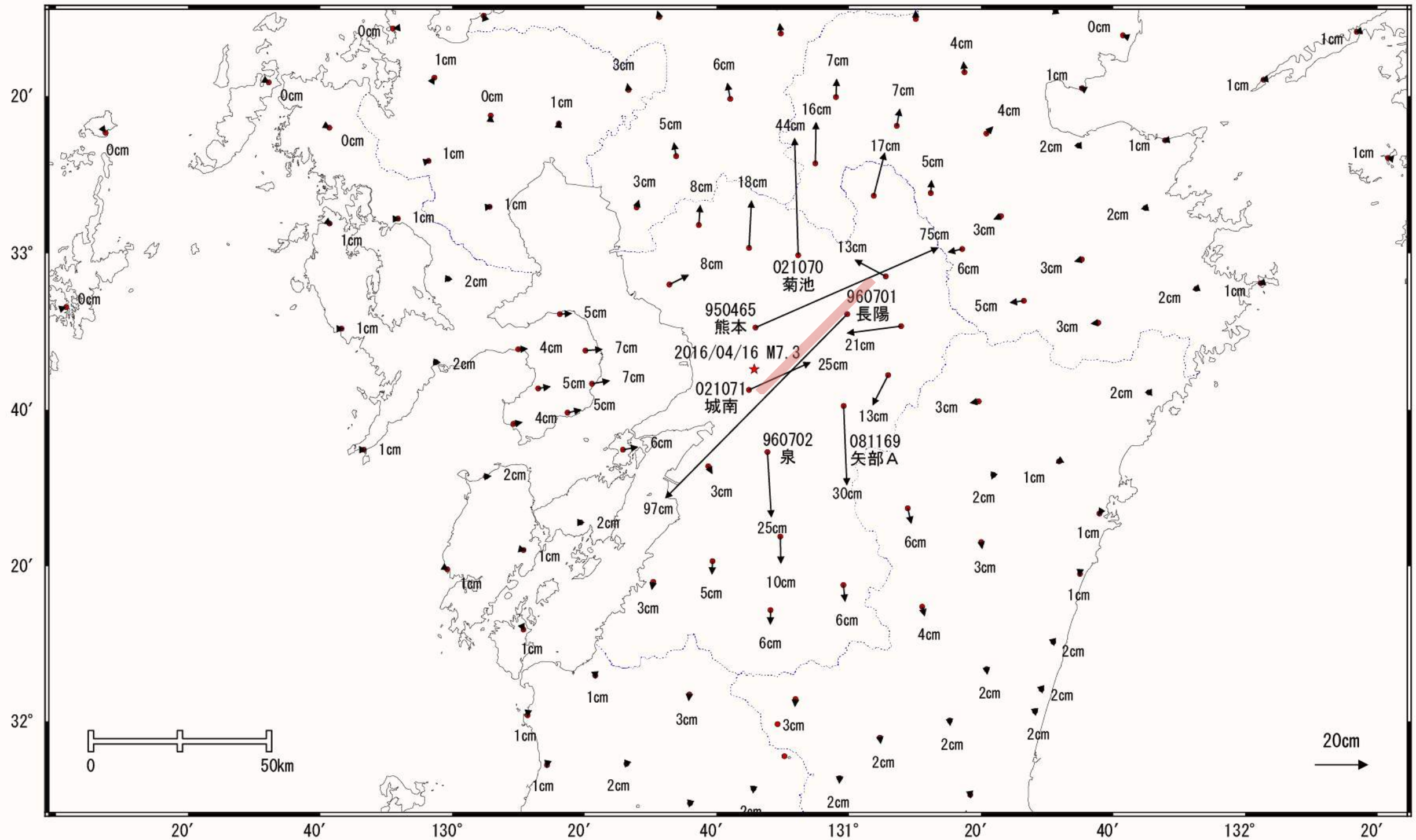


Sentinel-1 InSAR, Raphael Grandin – IPGP – Copernicus (2016)

平成28年4月16日の熊本県熊本地方の地震(M7.3)(暫定値)前後の観測データ(1)

地殻変動(水平)

基準期間:2016/04/15 03:00~2016/04/15 23:59[Q3:迅速解]
 比較期間:2016/04/16 02:00~2016/04/16 05:59[S3:迅速解]



☆ 固定局: 福江 (950462)

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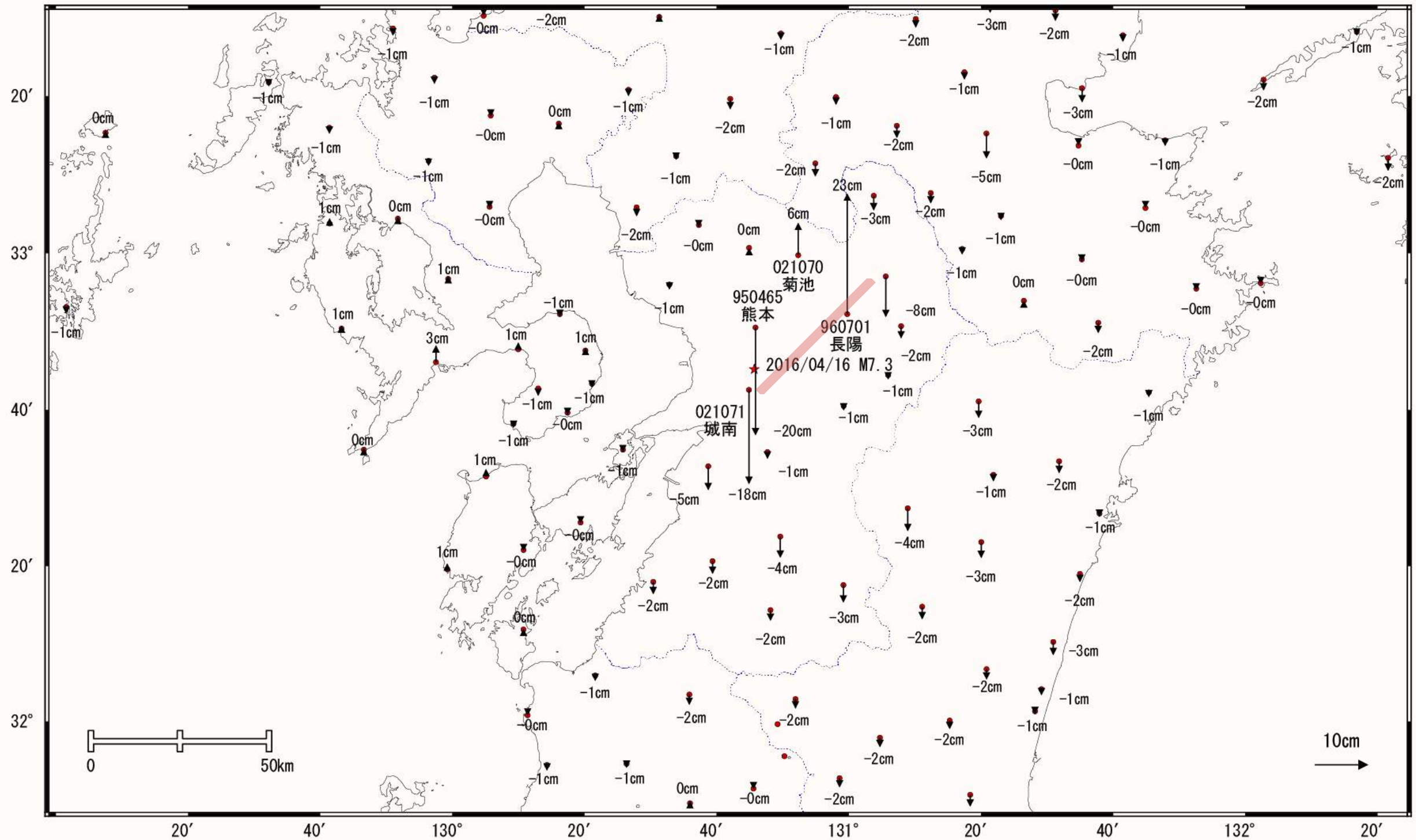
GSI Geonet GNSS horizontal movements: Dextral

平成28年4月16日の熊本県熊本地方の地震(M7.3)(暫定値)前後の観測データ(2)

地殻変動(上下)

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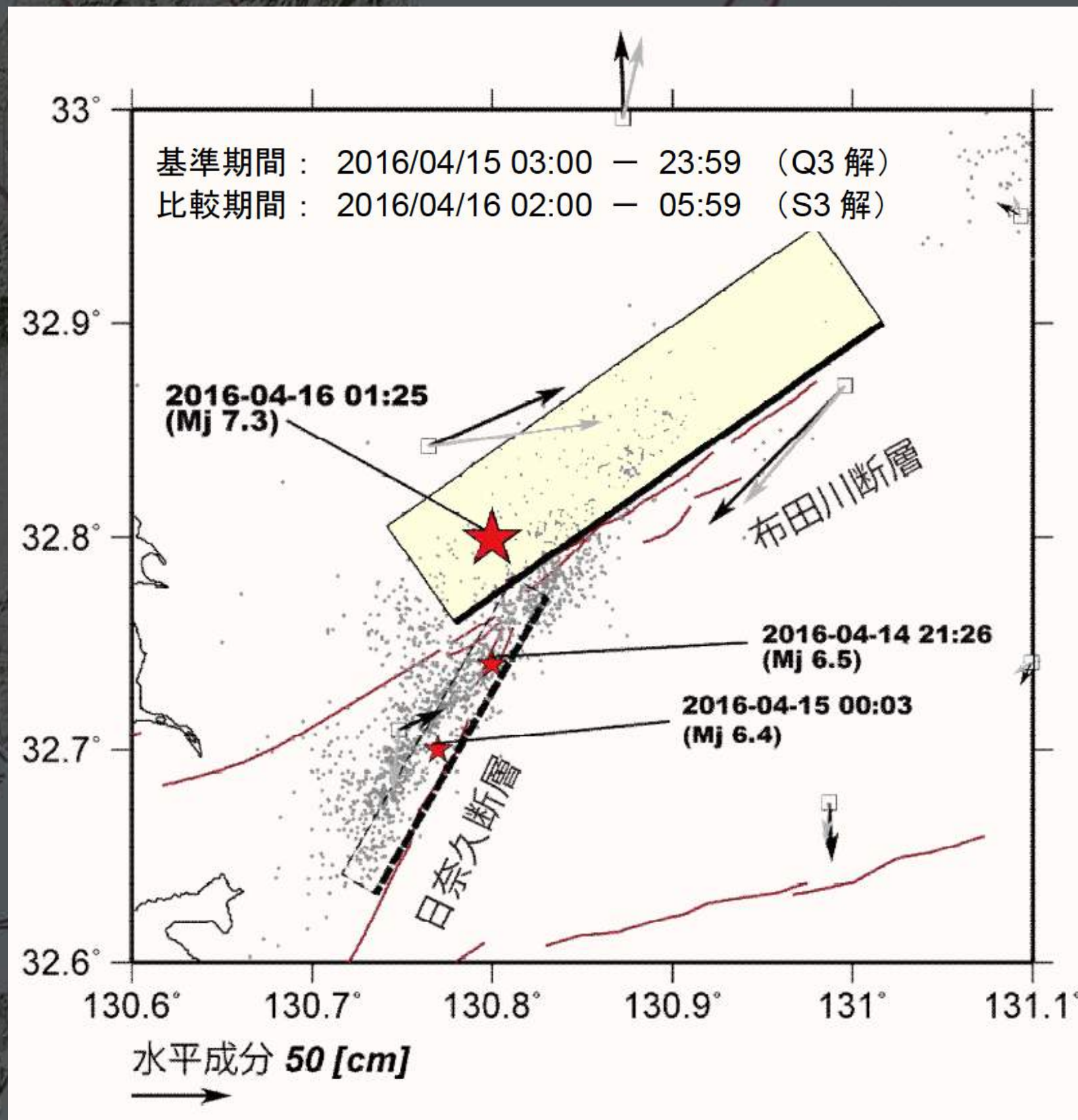
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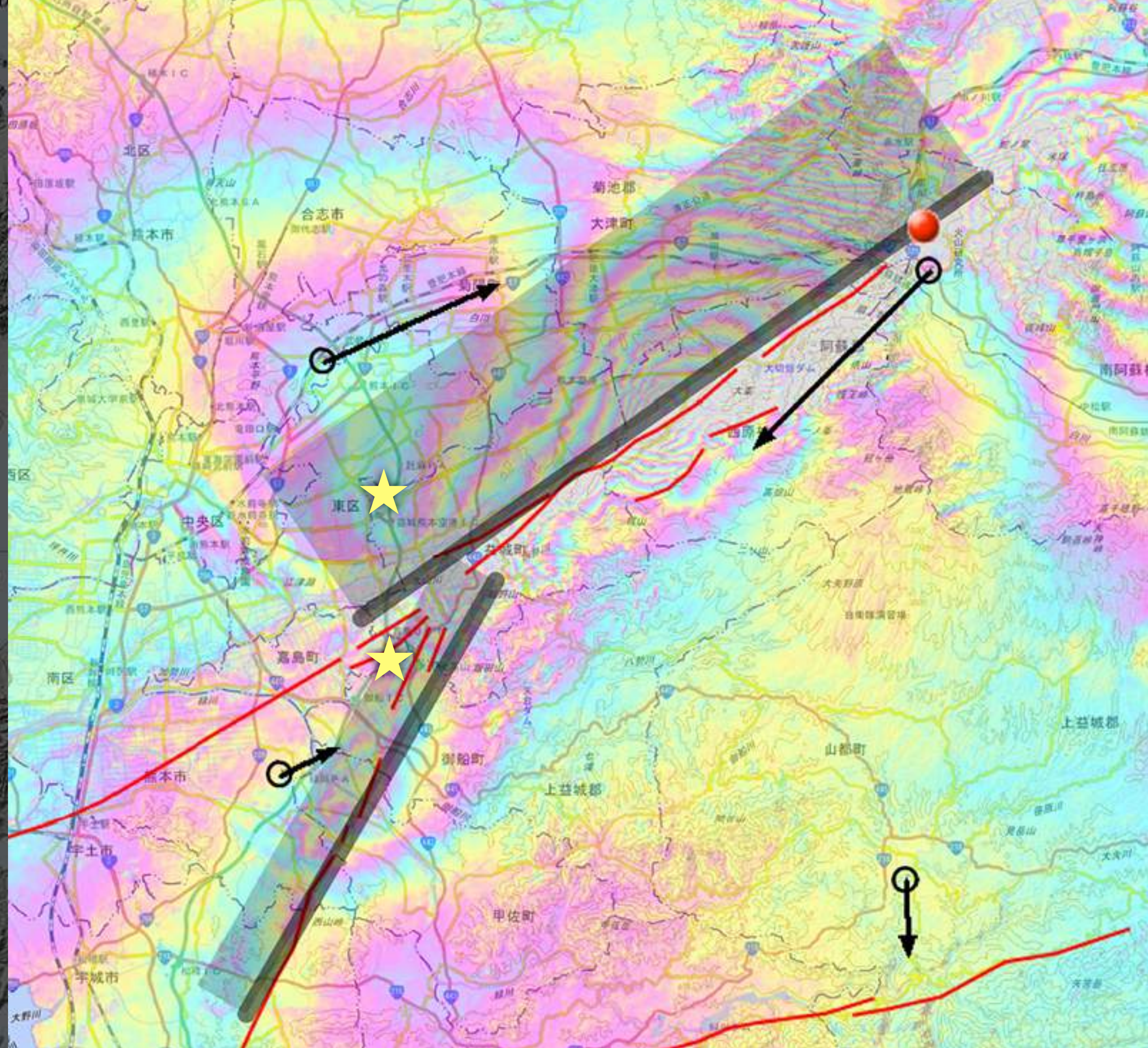
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GSI Geonet GNSS vertical movements: N-down.



GSI Geonet GNSS source fault model (L=27 km, dip=60°)



GSI Geonet GNSS source fault model and ALOS-2 InSAR

5. Surface faulting associated with Mw 7.0 mainshock
34 km long surface rupture along a mostly mapped fault.

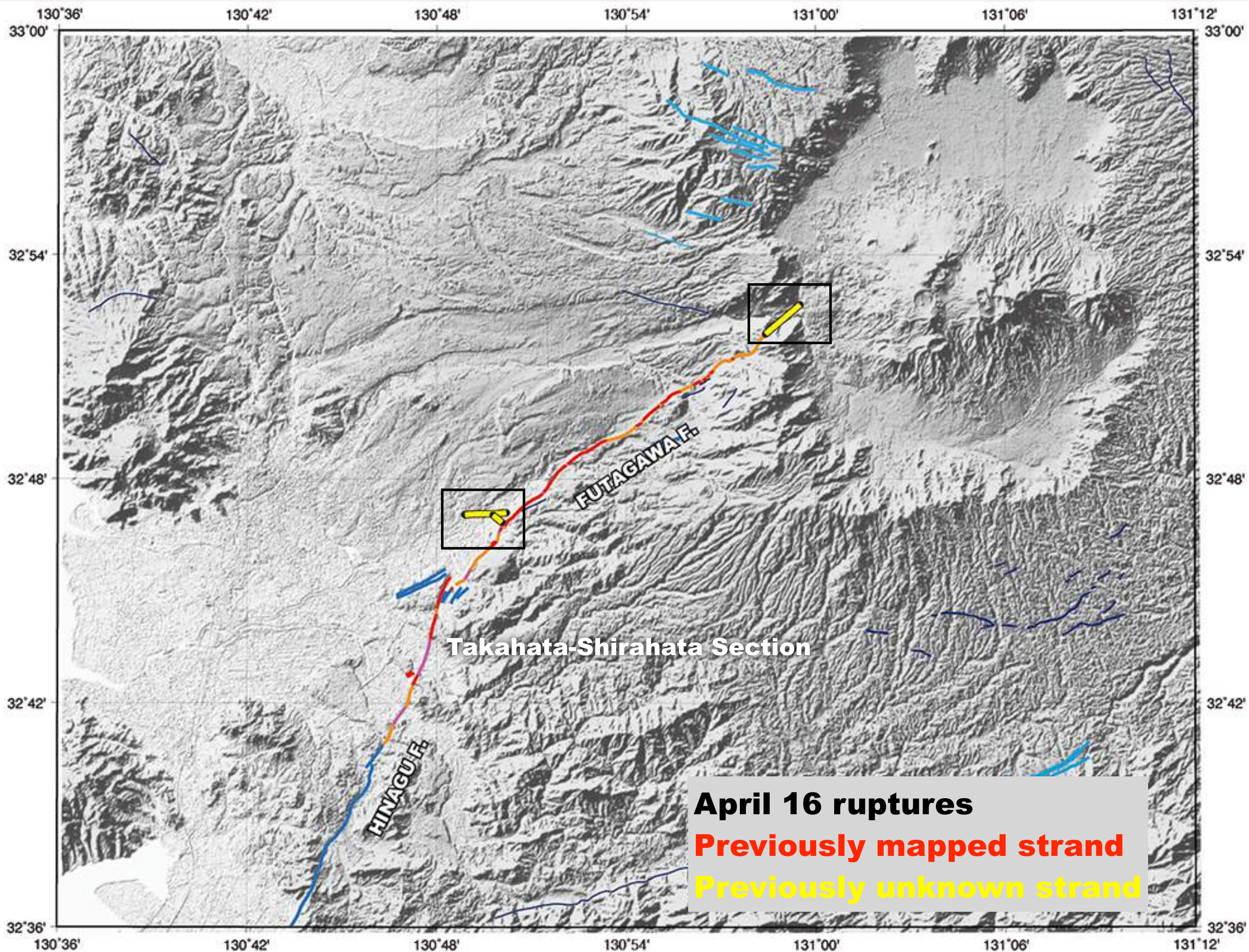
First quasi-perfect surface rupture (\approx source fault) since 1930.

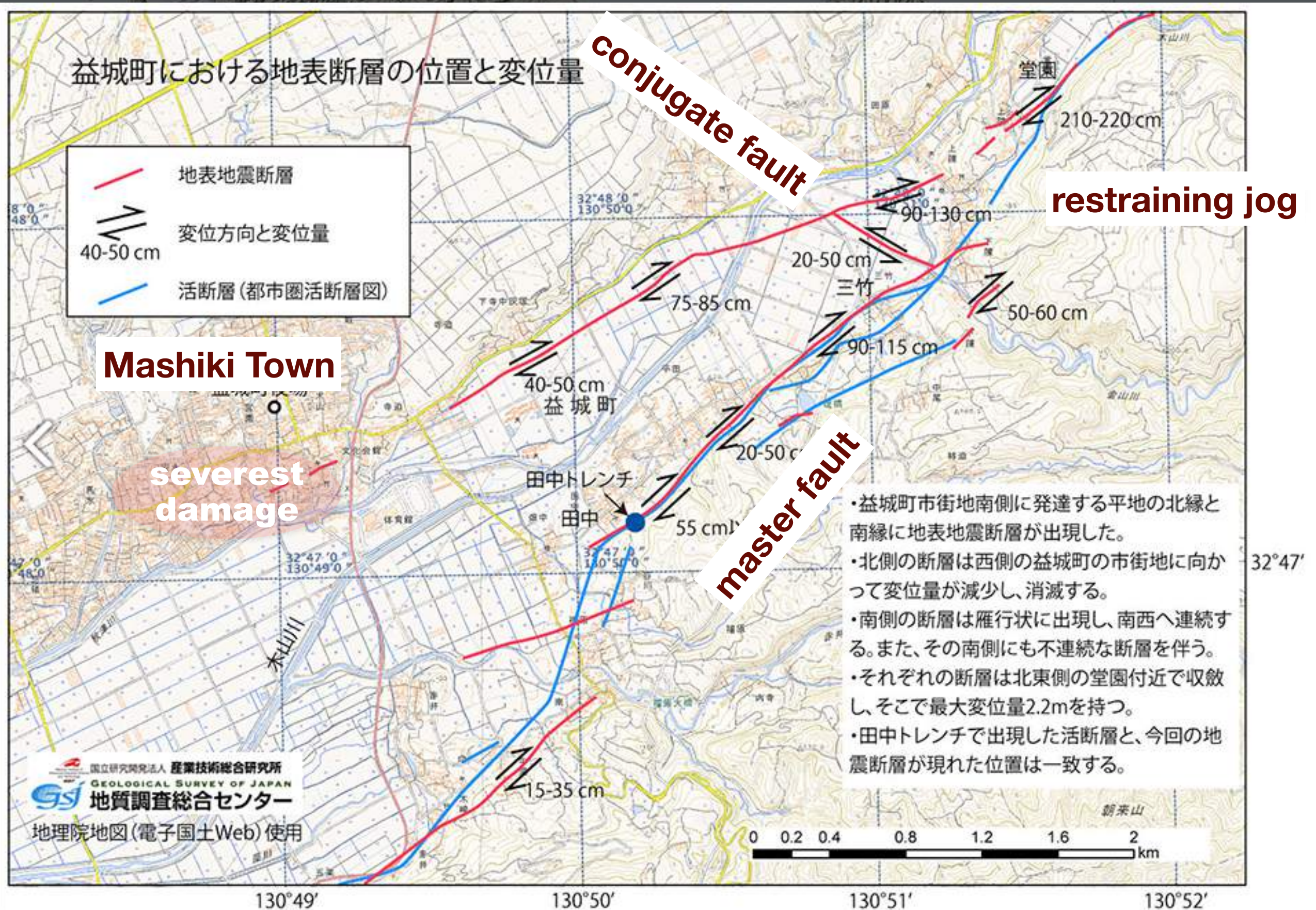
1995: 15 km on Awaji island out of 45 km source.

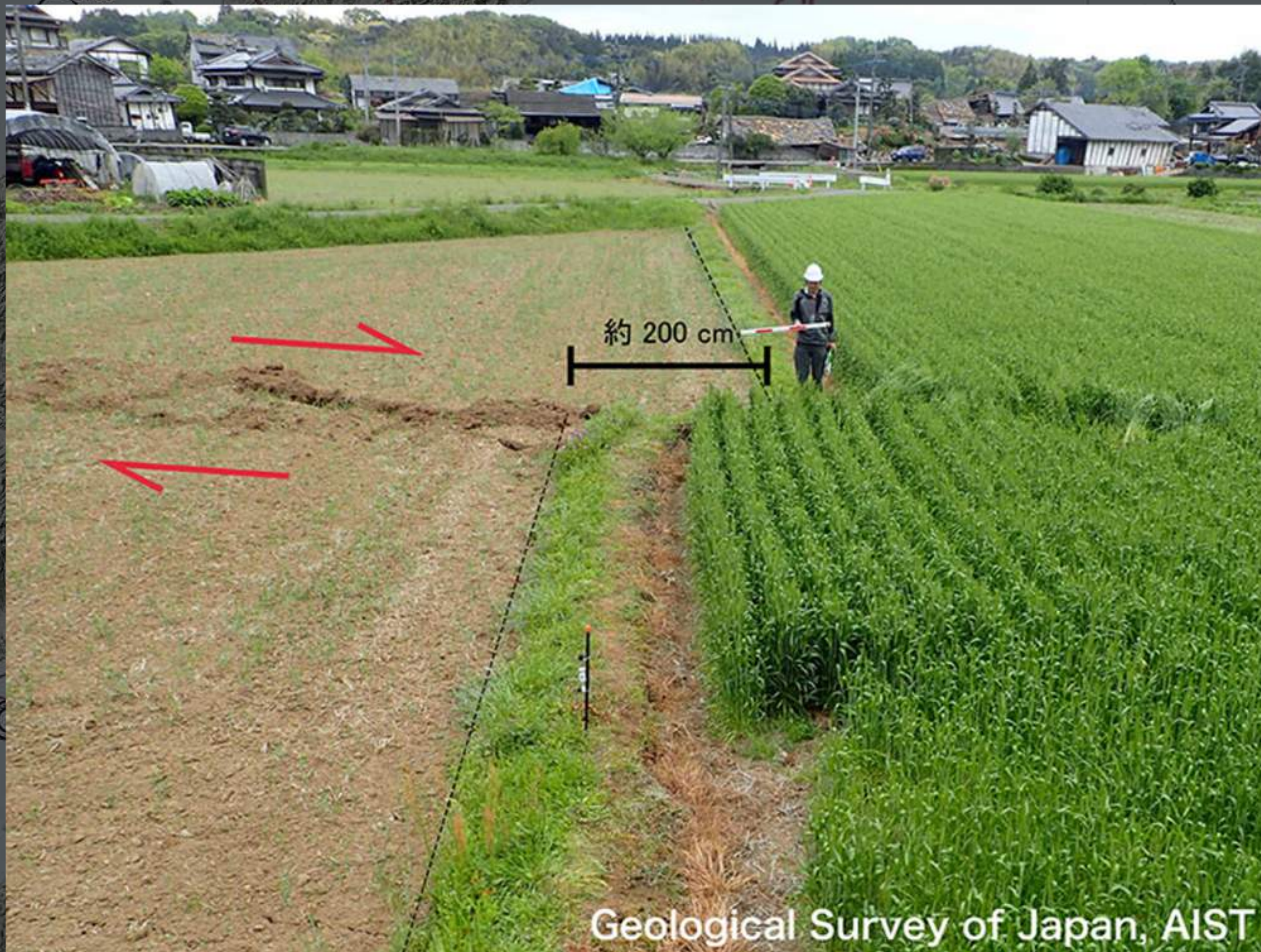
2004: Suspicious 15 cm short rupture in Chuetsu Eq.

2008: Discontinuous \sim 30 cm ruptures in Iwate-Miyagi Eq.

2014: \sim 0.9 m slip by a Mw 6.2 on 9 km length of ISTL.



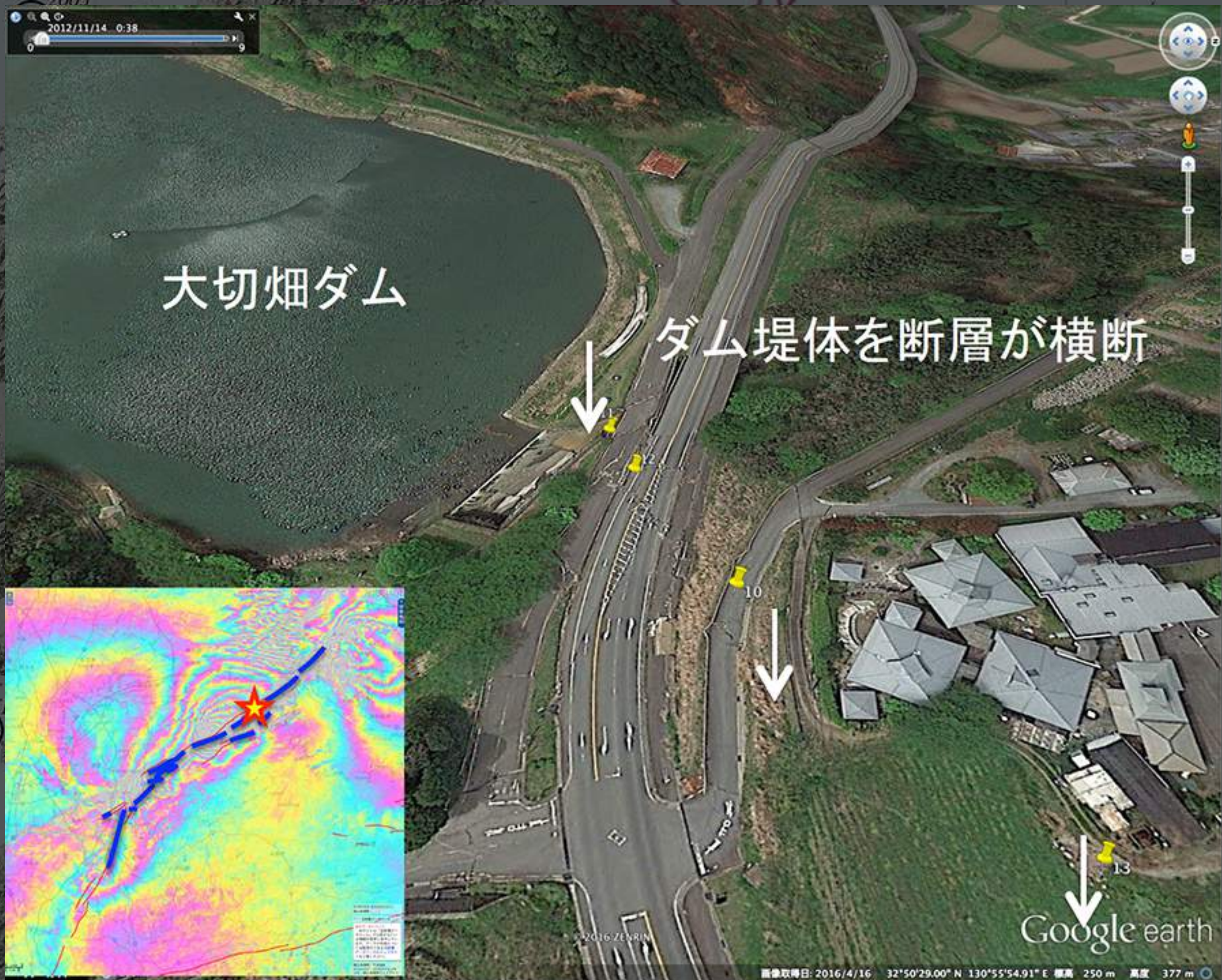






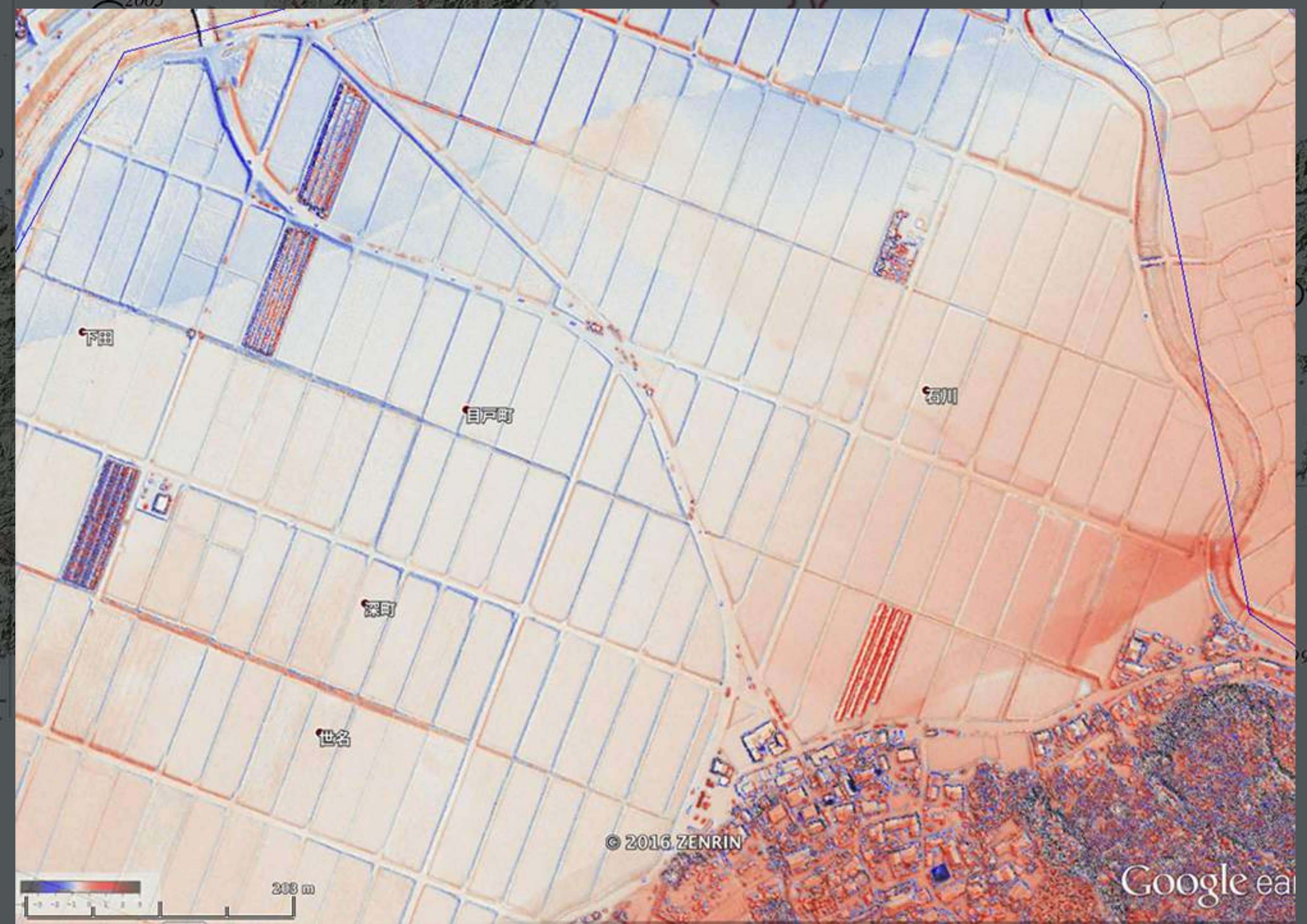


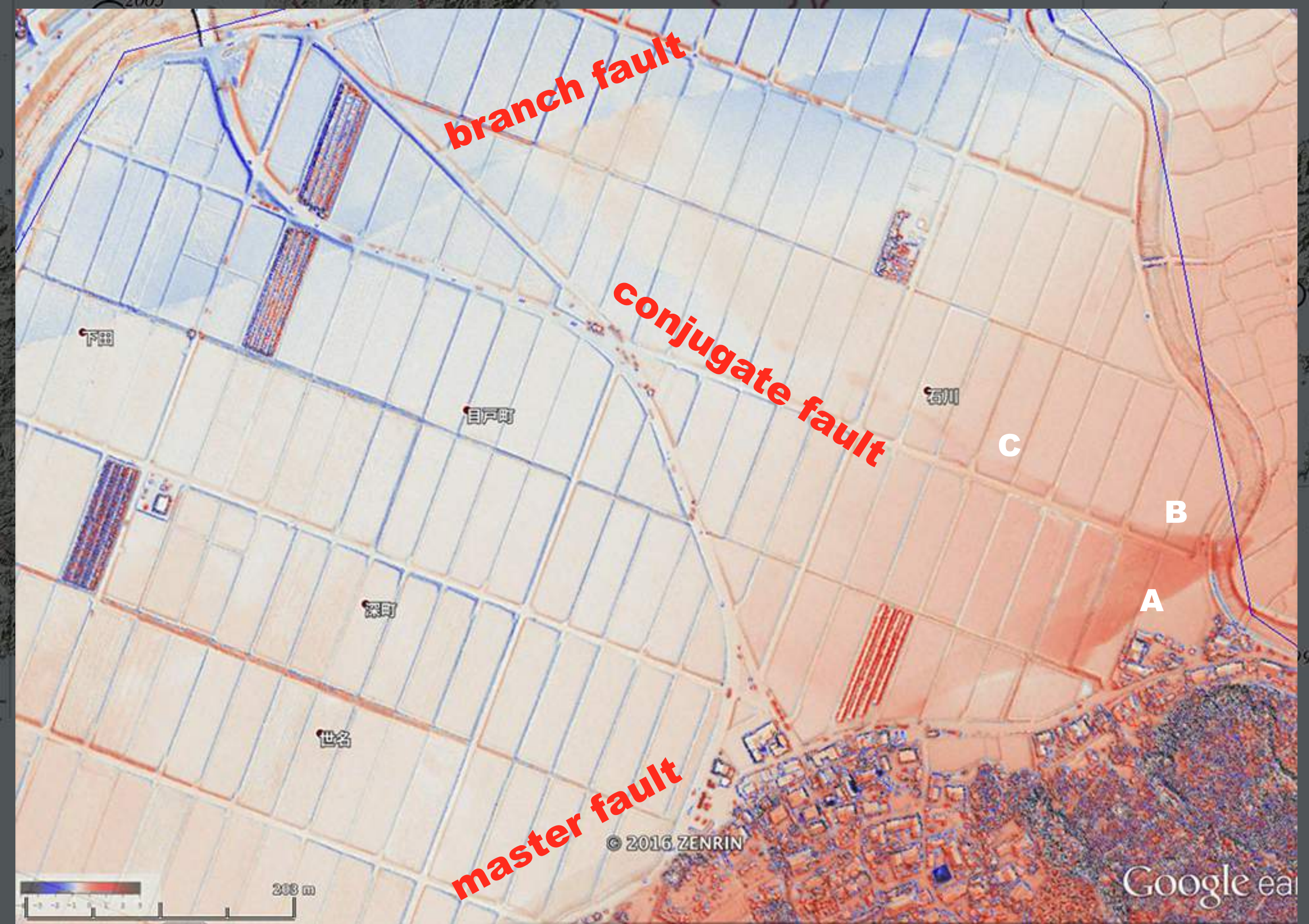




Faulted earth dam at Nishihara. Yoshimi et al., GS Japan

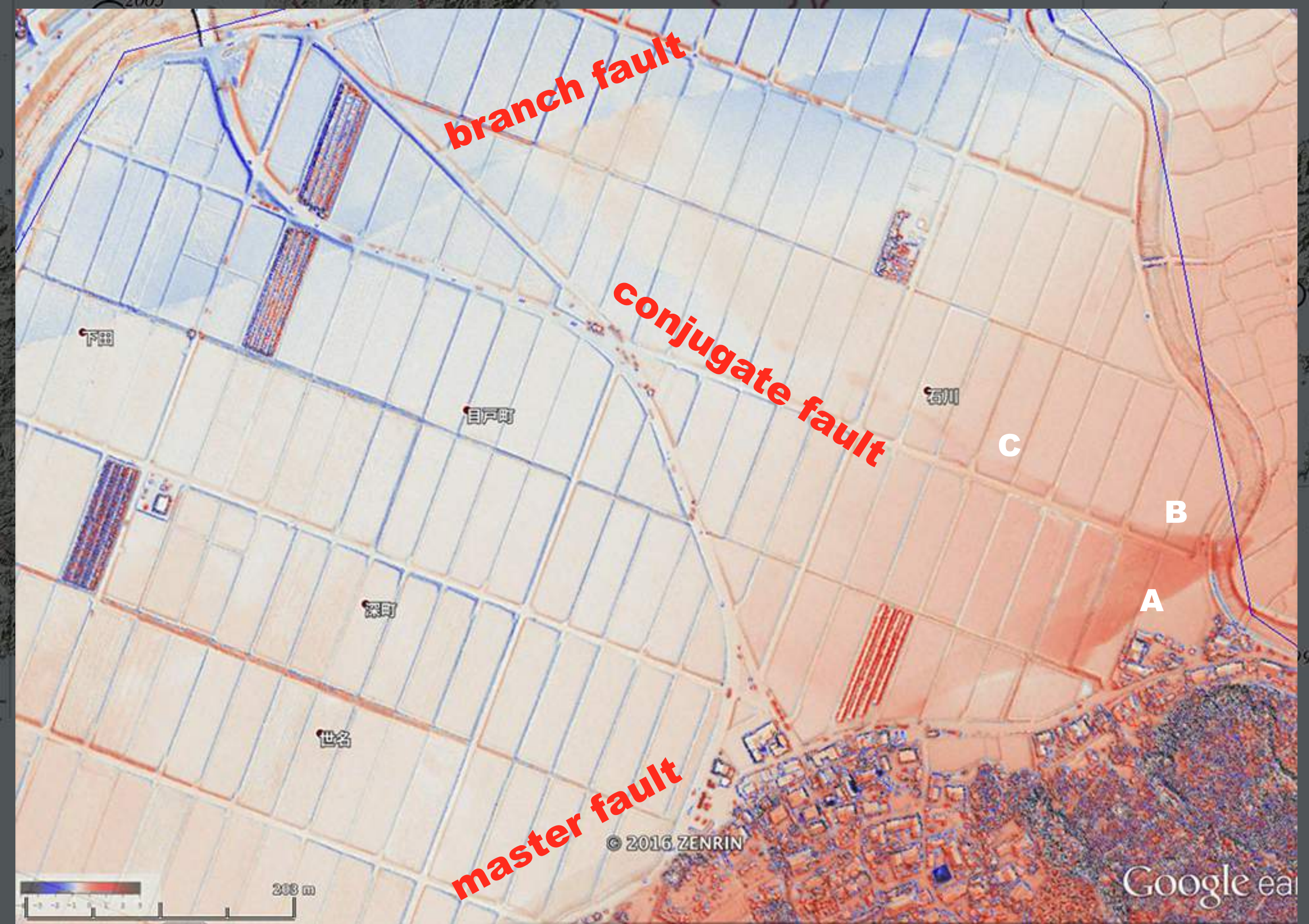
April 15 - April 23 LiDAR differential map by Asia Aero Service, Co.







South-side-down master fault at loc. A.





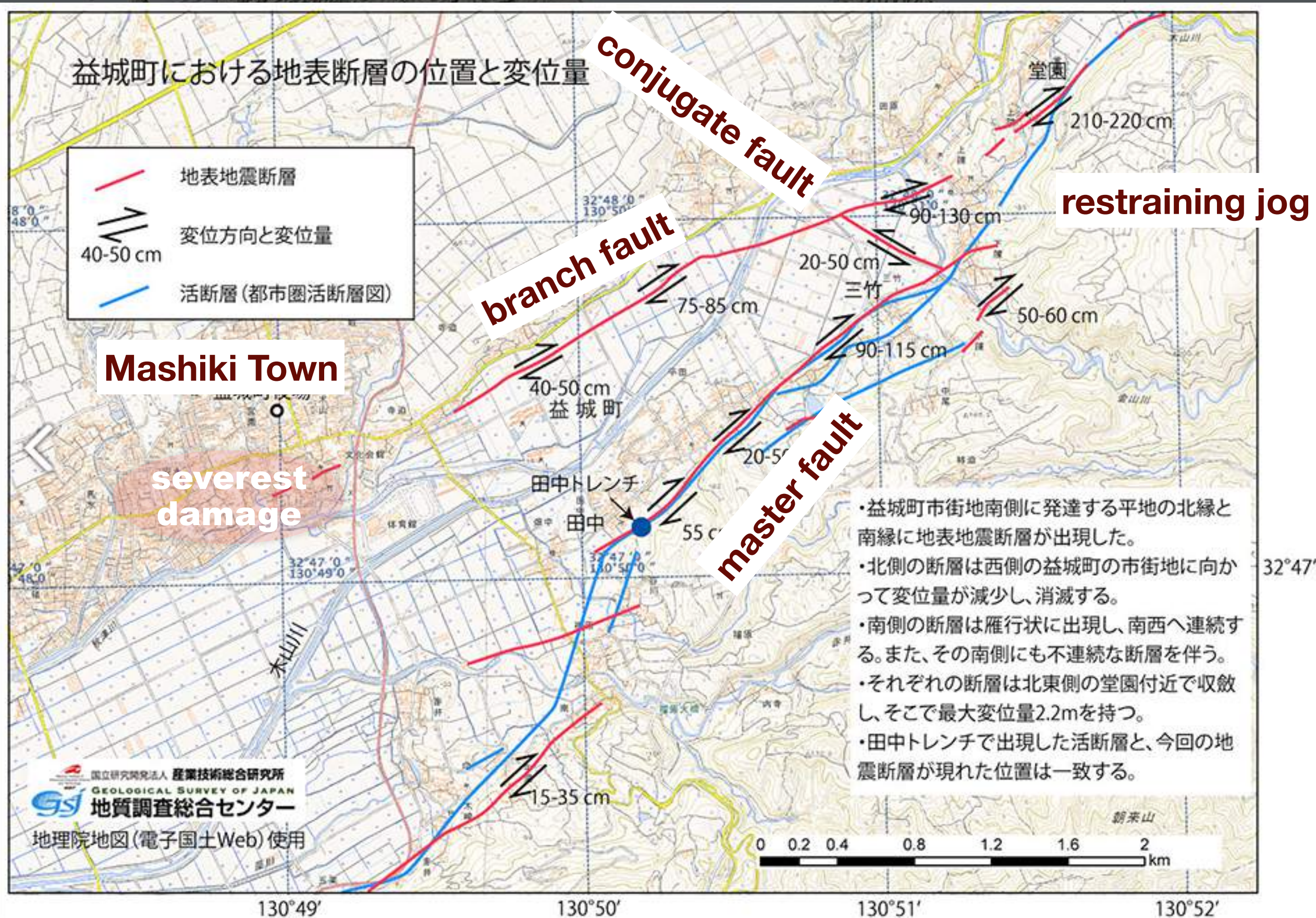
Deformed (or flexures) paddy at loc. B



Deformed (or flexures) paddy at loc. B



Left-lateral strike slip of rice stubble at loc. B



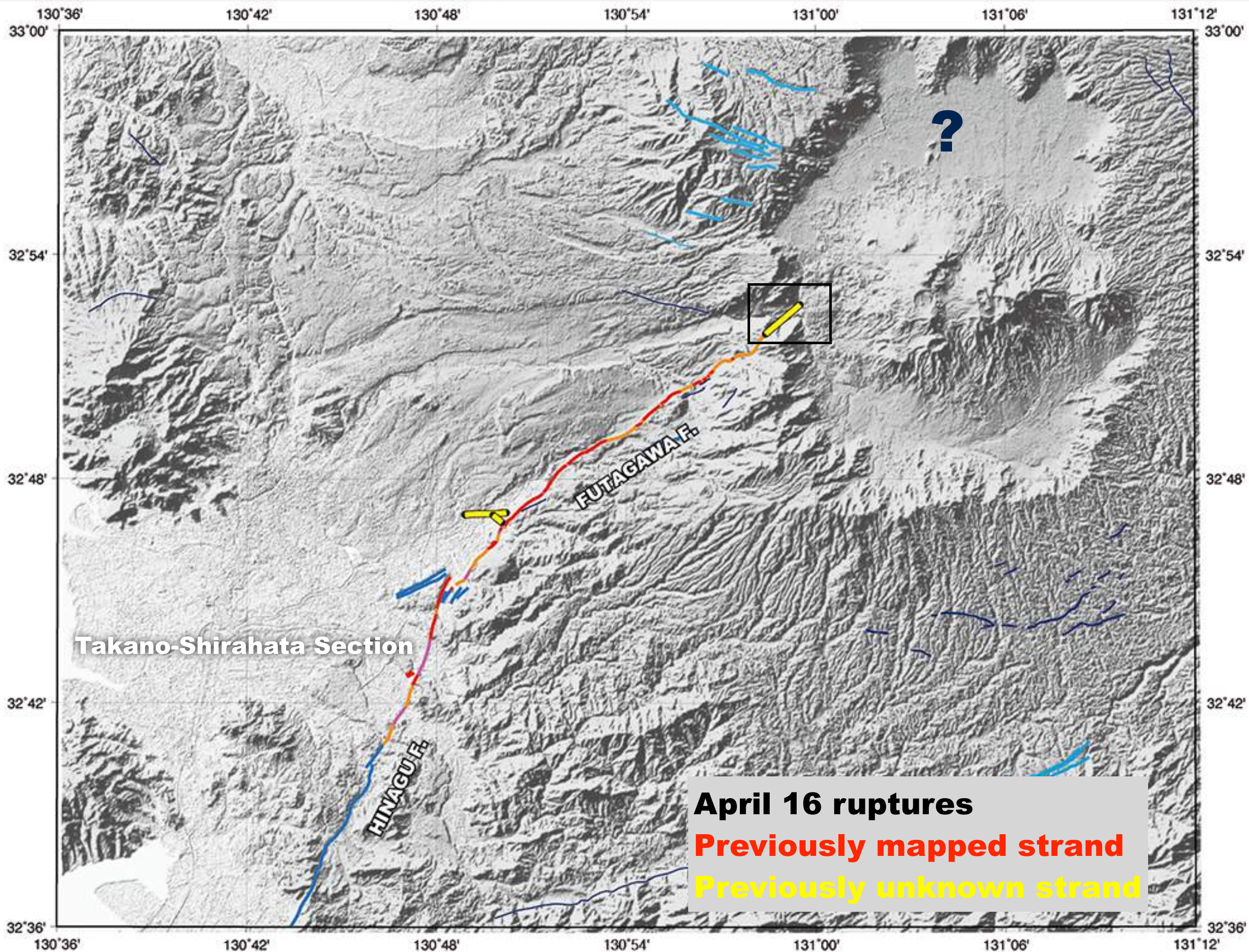


用水路・道の端右ずれ75cm

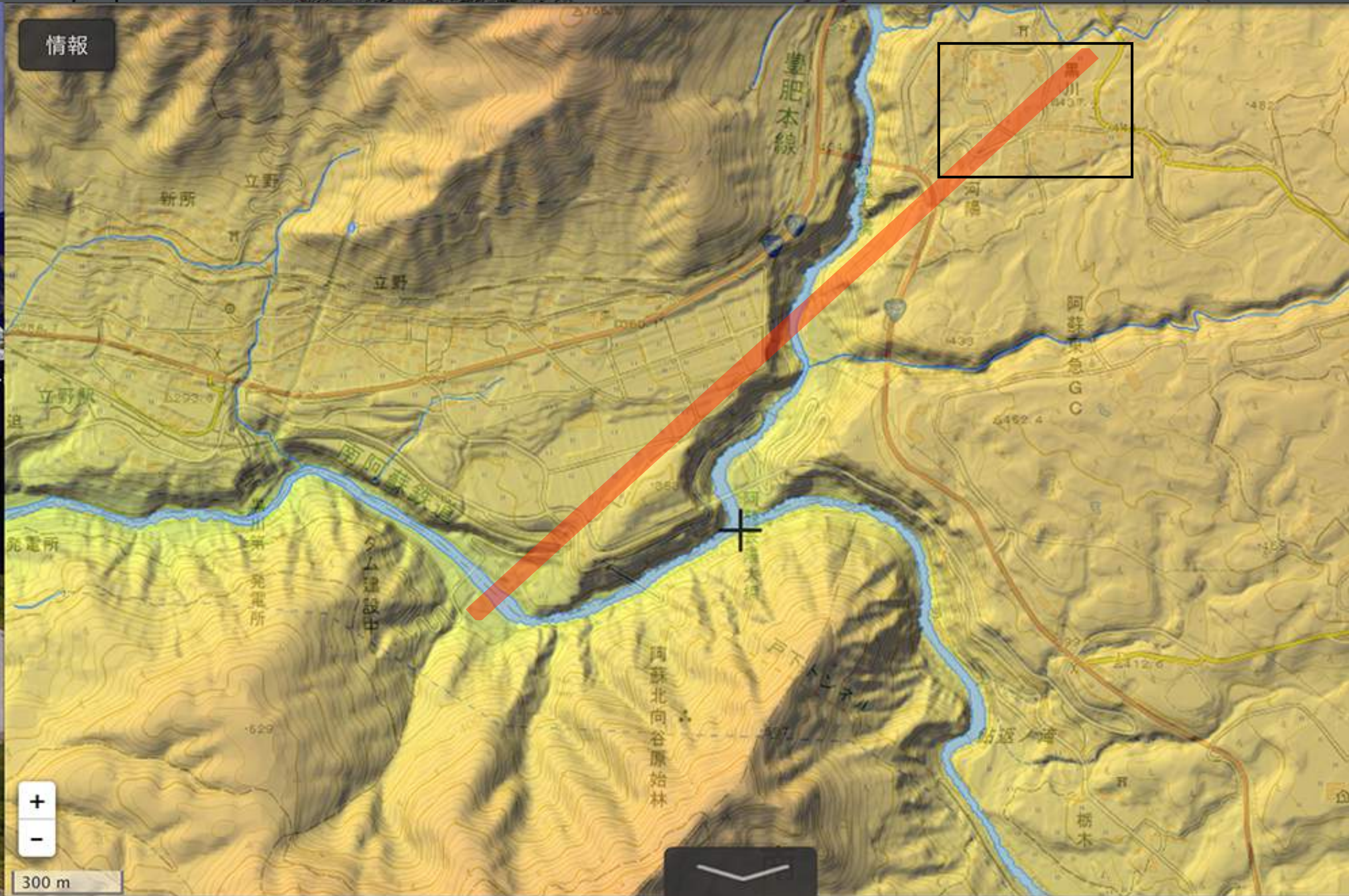
益城町寺迫地区

至益城町役場

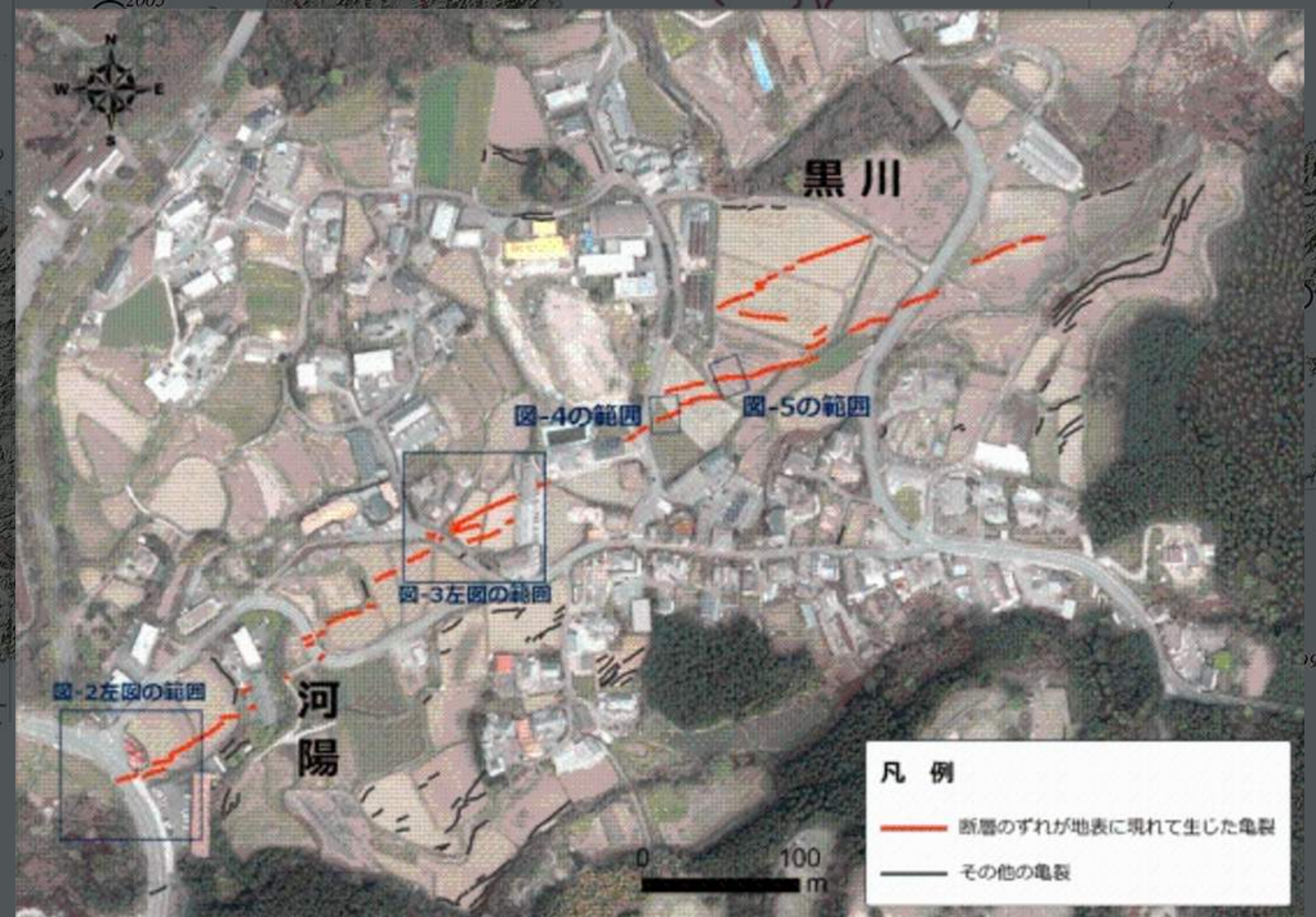
白線右ずれ40cm



情報



Previously unmapped fault across Aso caldera-rim.

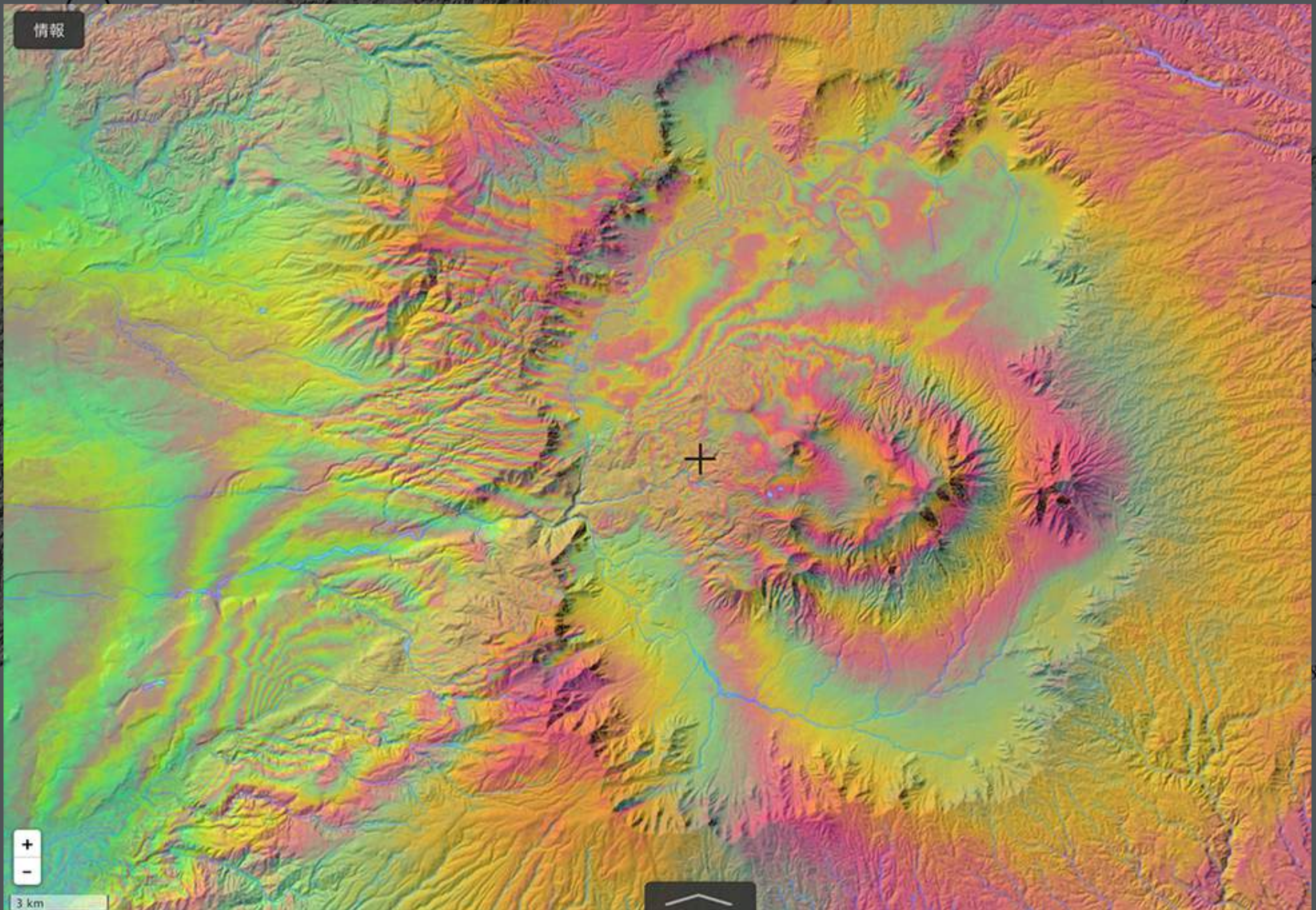


1916

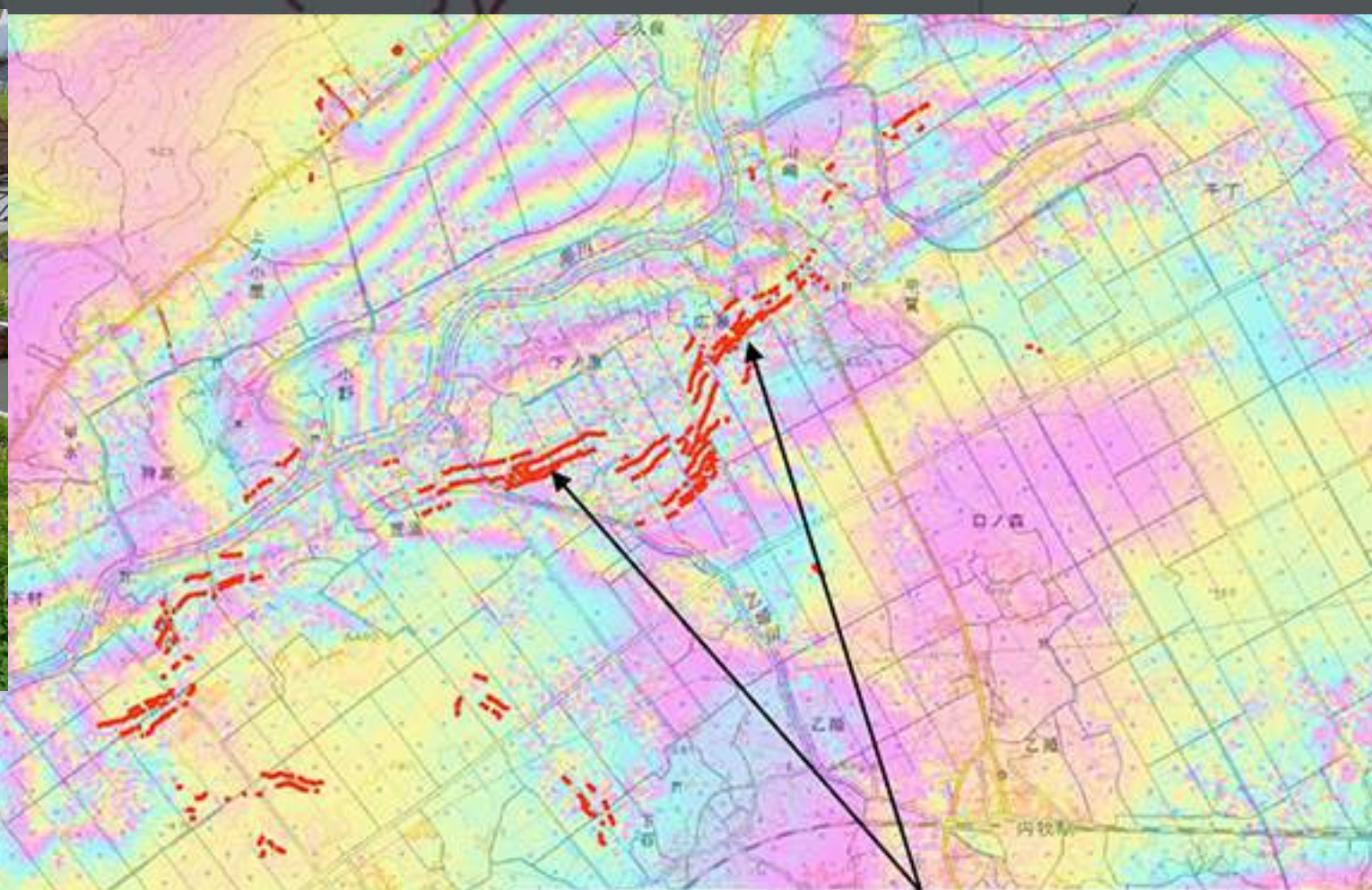
1909

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GSI, Kawayo surface rupture?



GSI ALOS-2 InSAR 15/APR/2015—18/APR/2016, subtle features

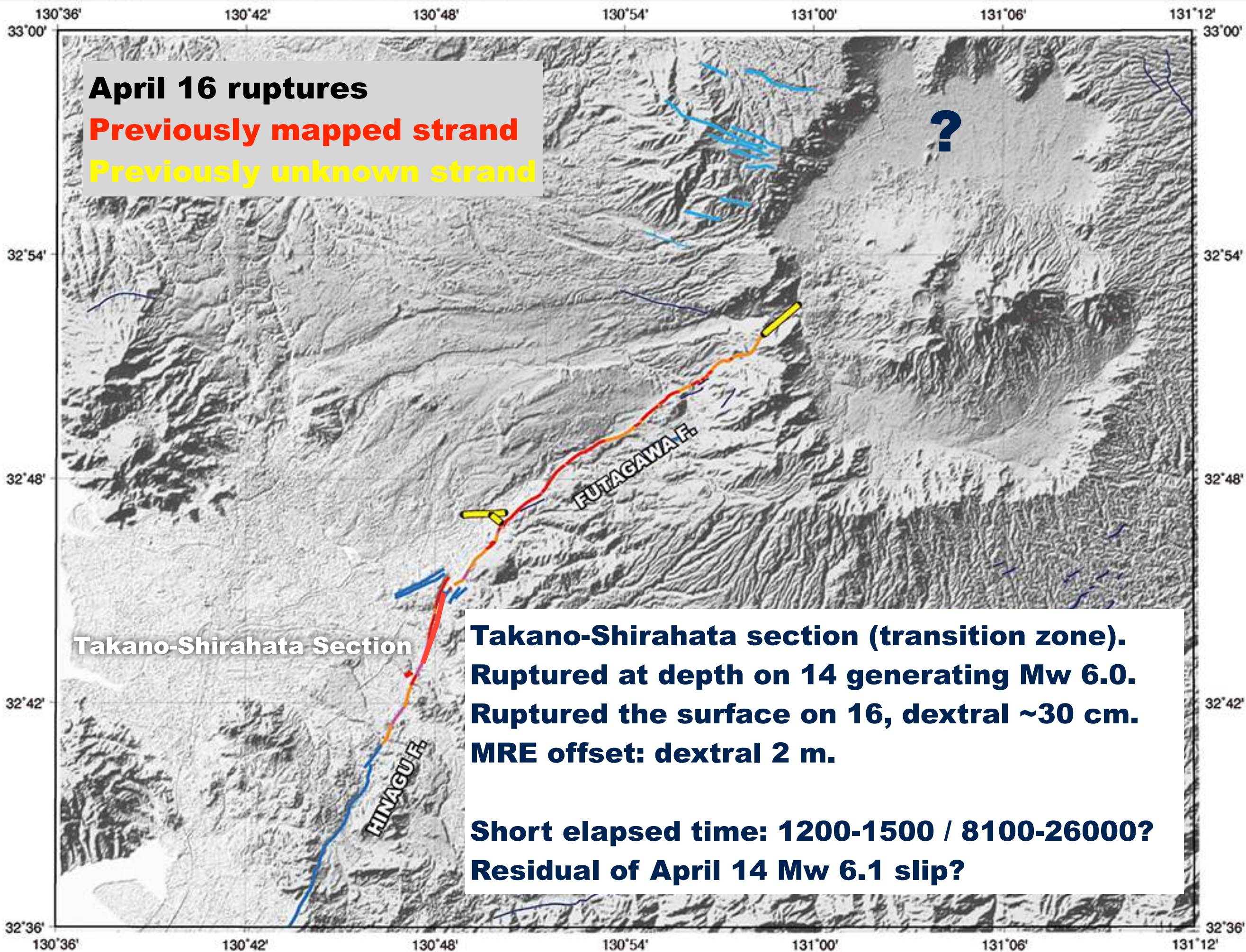


- 亀裂と亀裂の間が陥没
- 米軍写真で旧河道地形を確認

- 亀裂と亀裂の間が陥没
- 旧版地形図や米軍写真では確認できないが、亀裂の分布形状は旧河道状を示している。

SAR干渉画像 (20160307-20160418_DR)

0 1,000
m

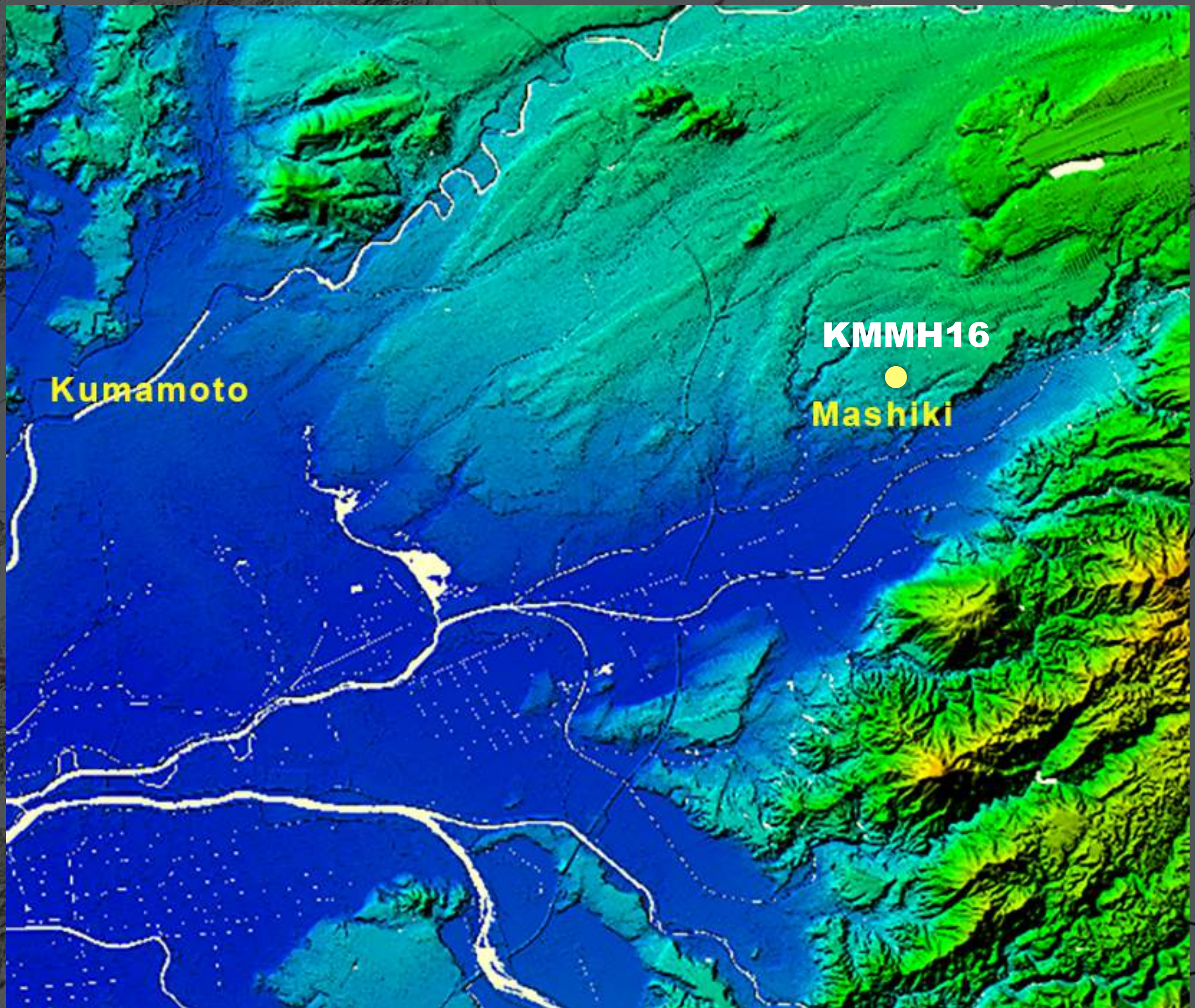


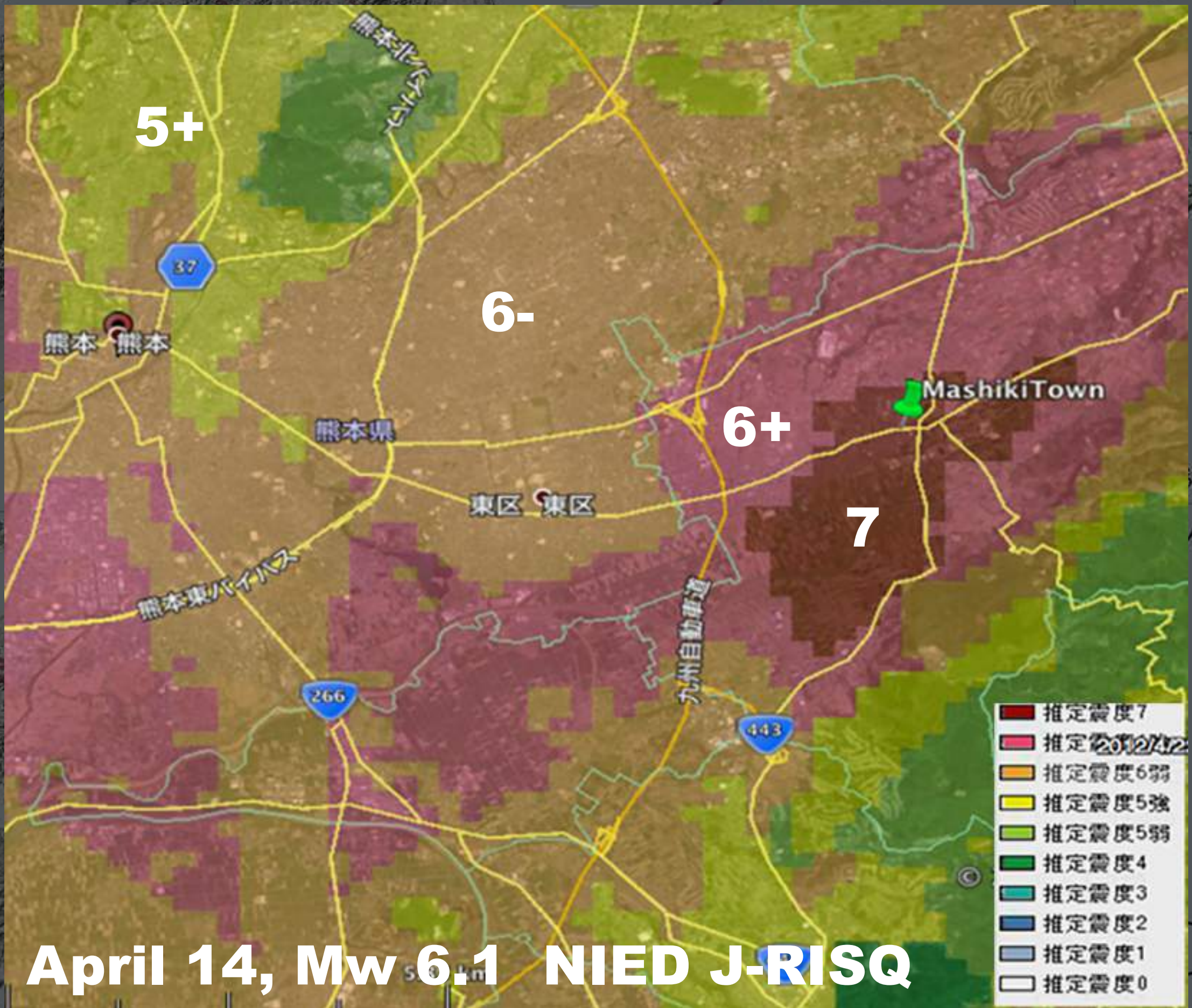
6. Strong shaking at Mashiki



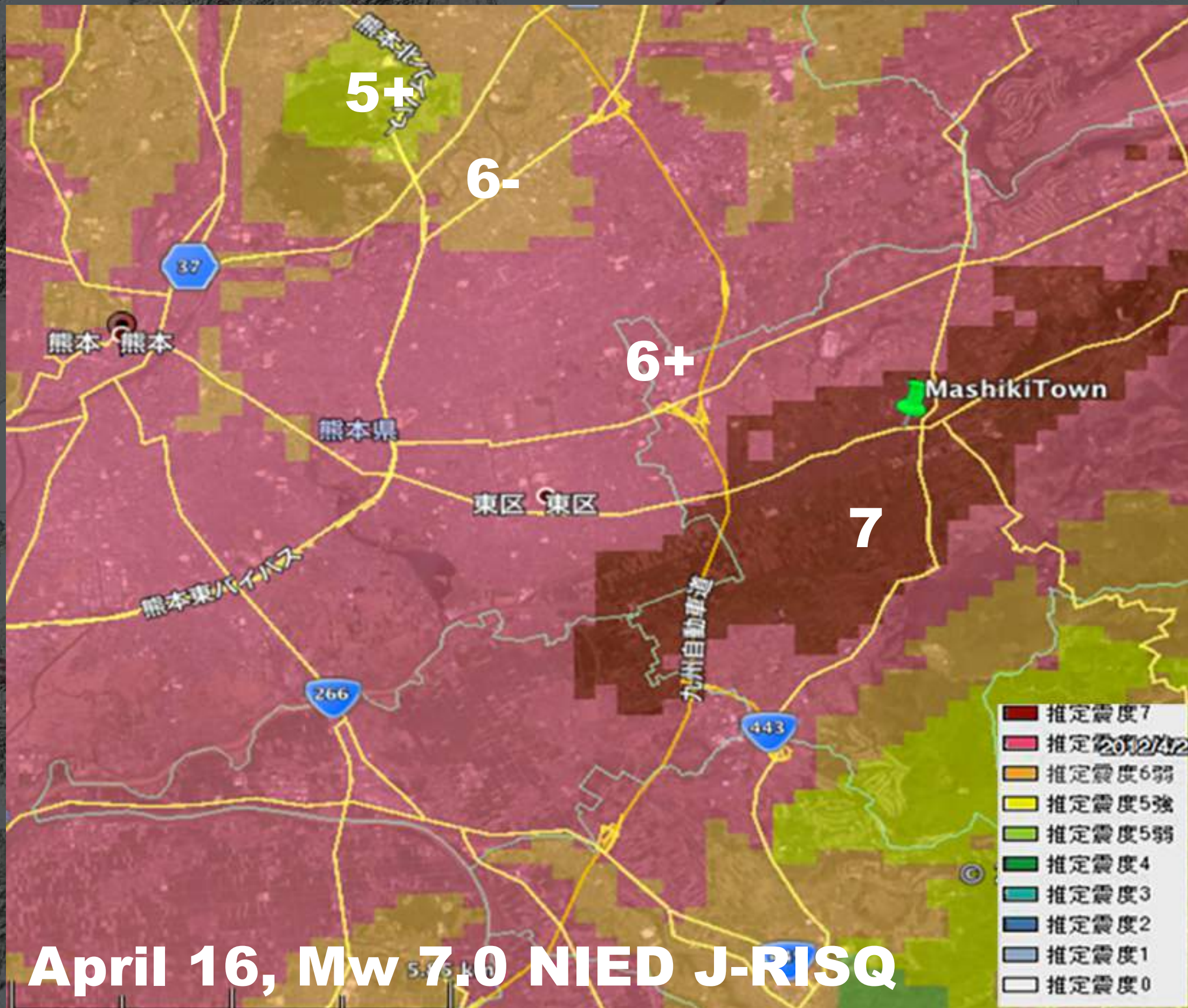
**What are the causes of the severest damage:
forward directivity, radiation pattern, soil condition,
geologic setting, slope instability, or surface rupture?????**

JMA Intensity 7 during both Mw 6.1 and 7.0.

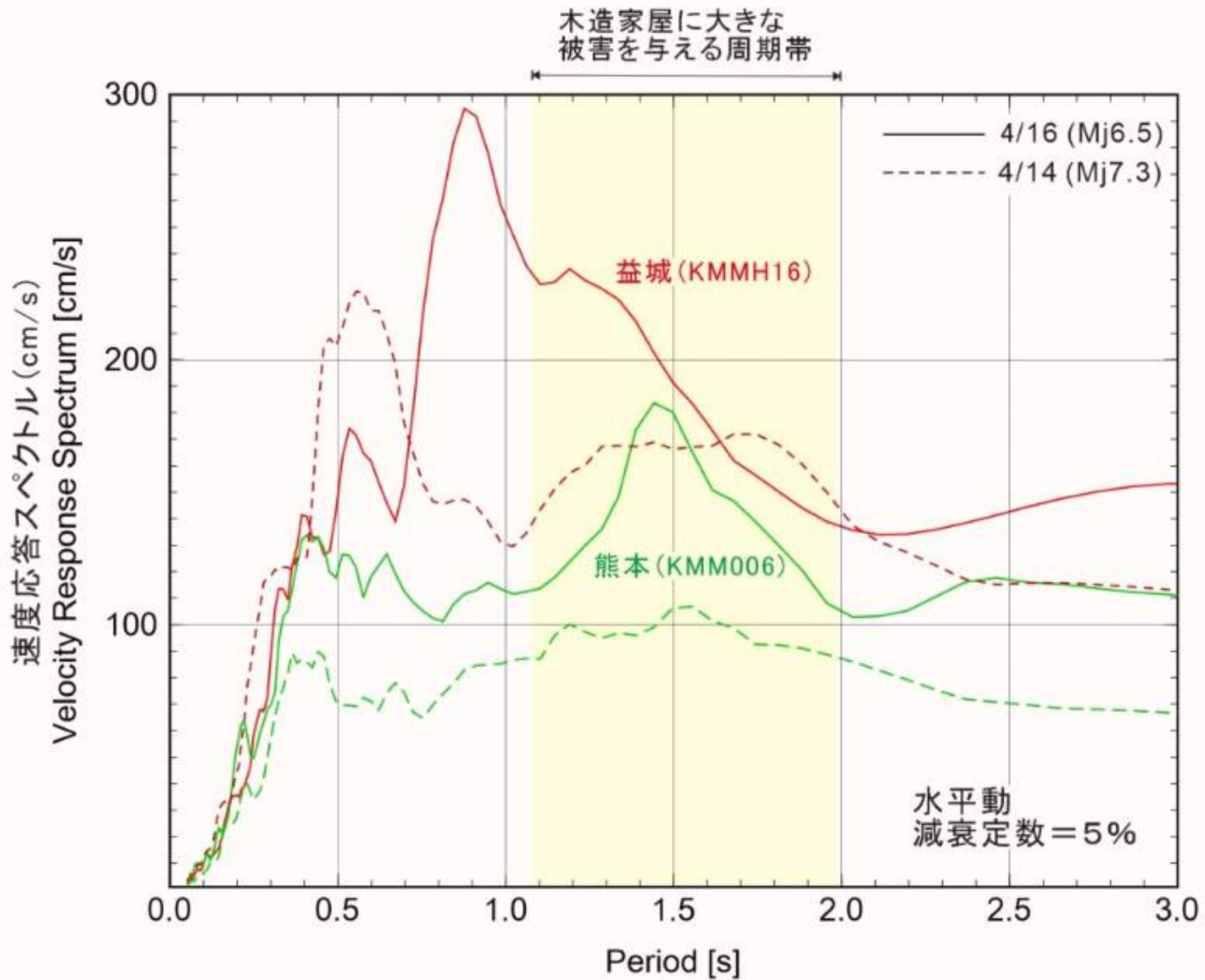




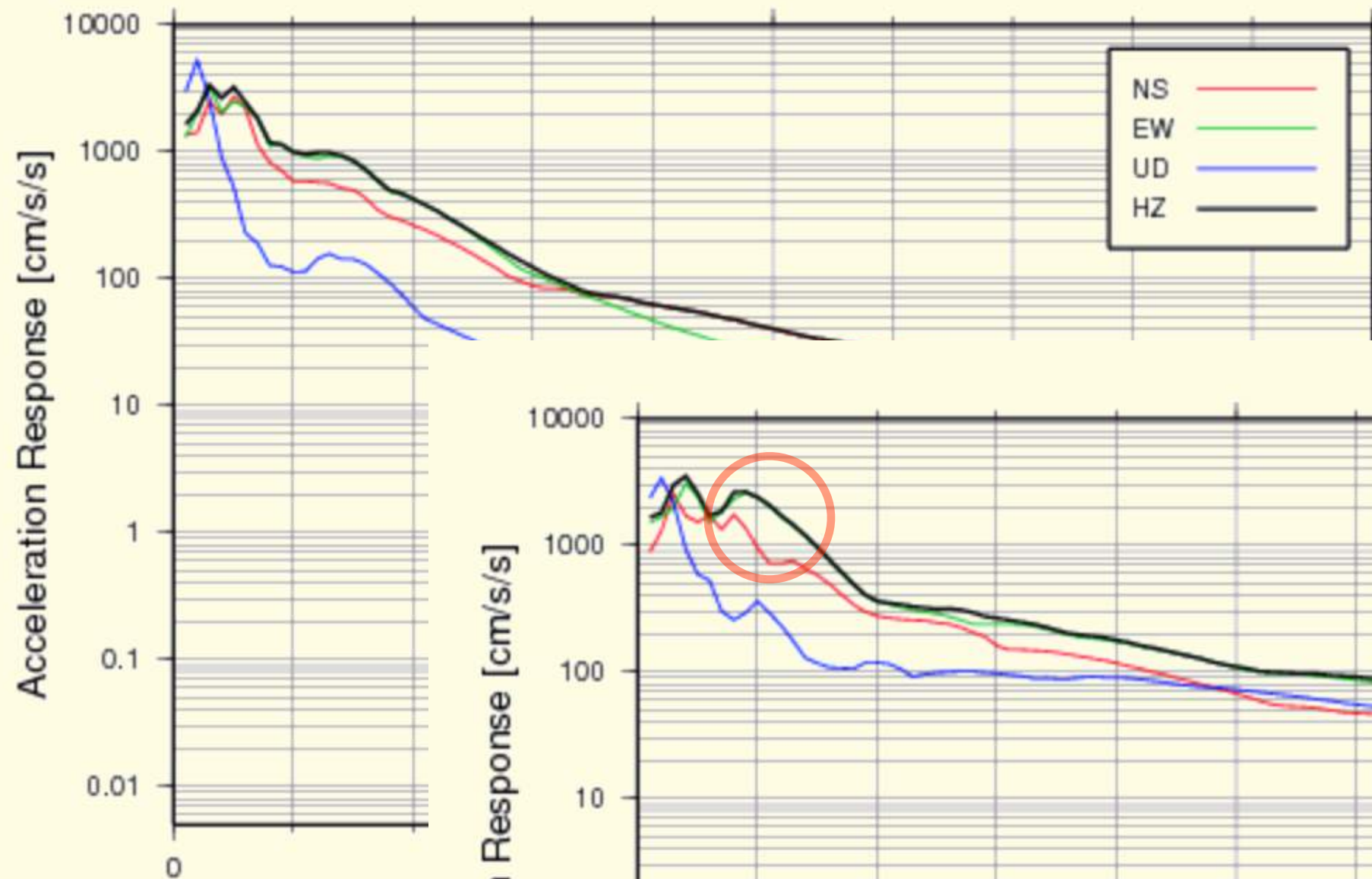
April 14, Mw 6.1 NIED J-RISQ



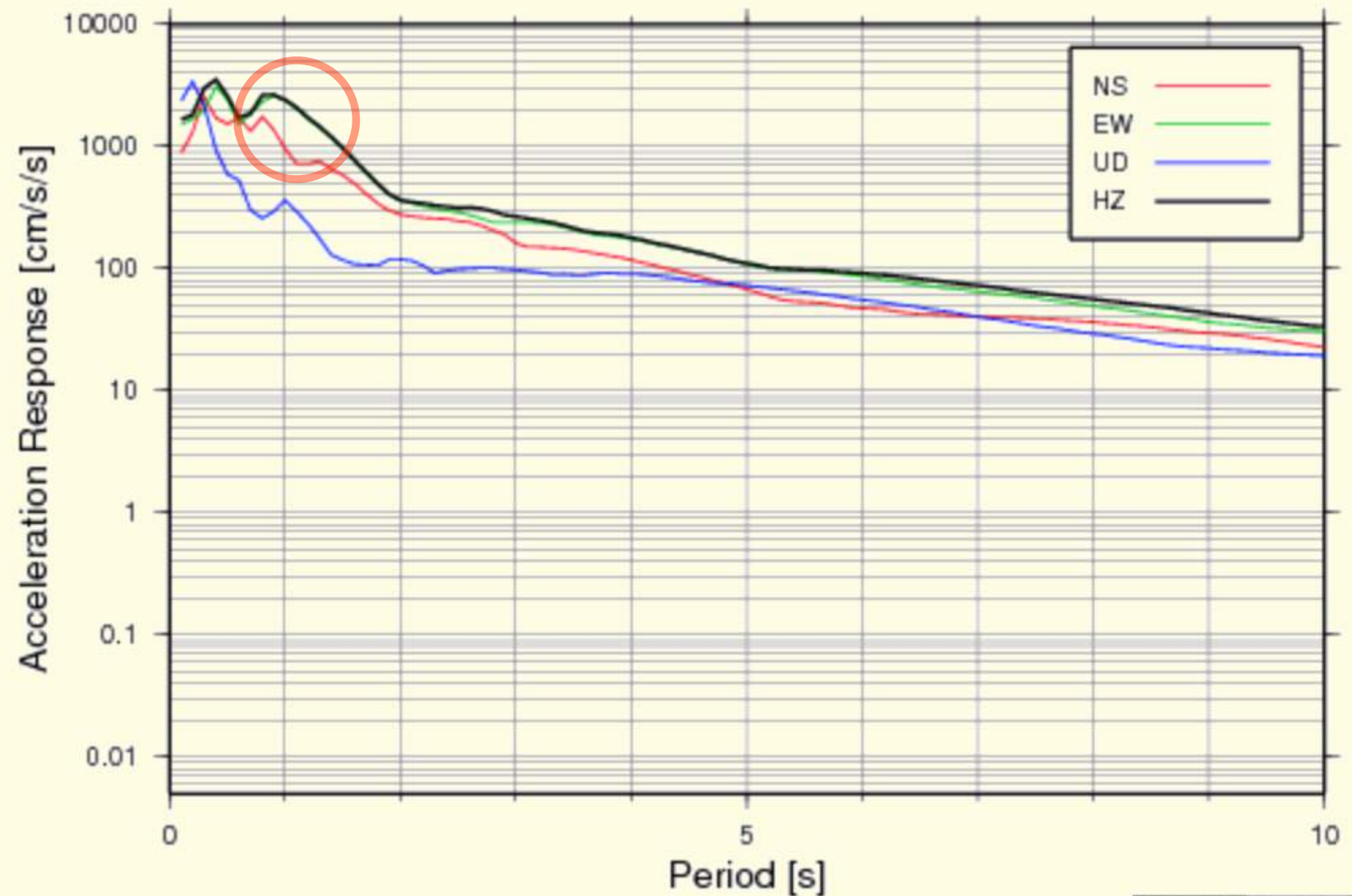
April 16, Mw 7.0 NIED J-RISQ



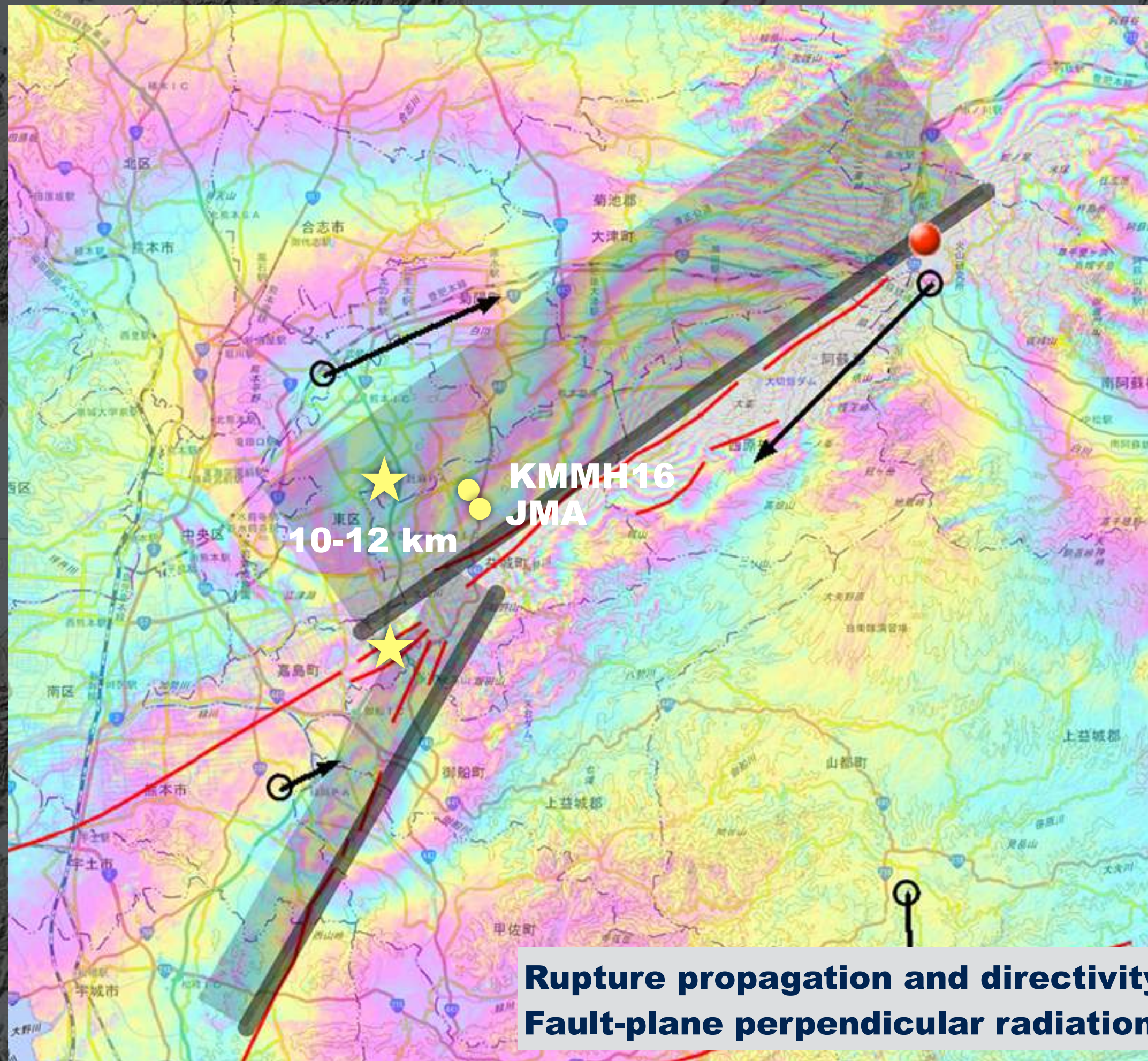
Velocity Response Spectrum by Furumura, ERI



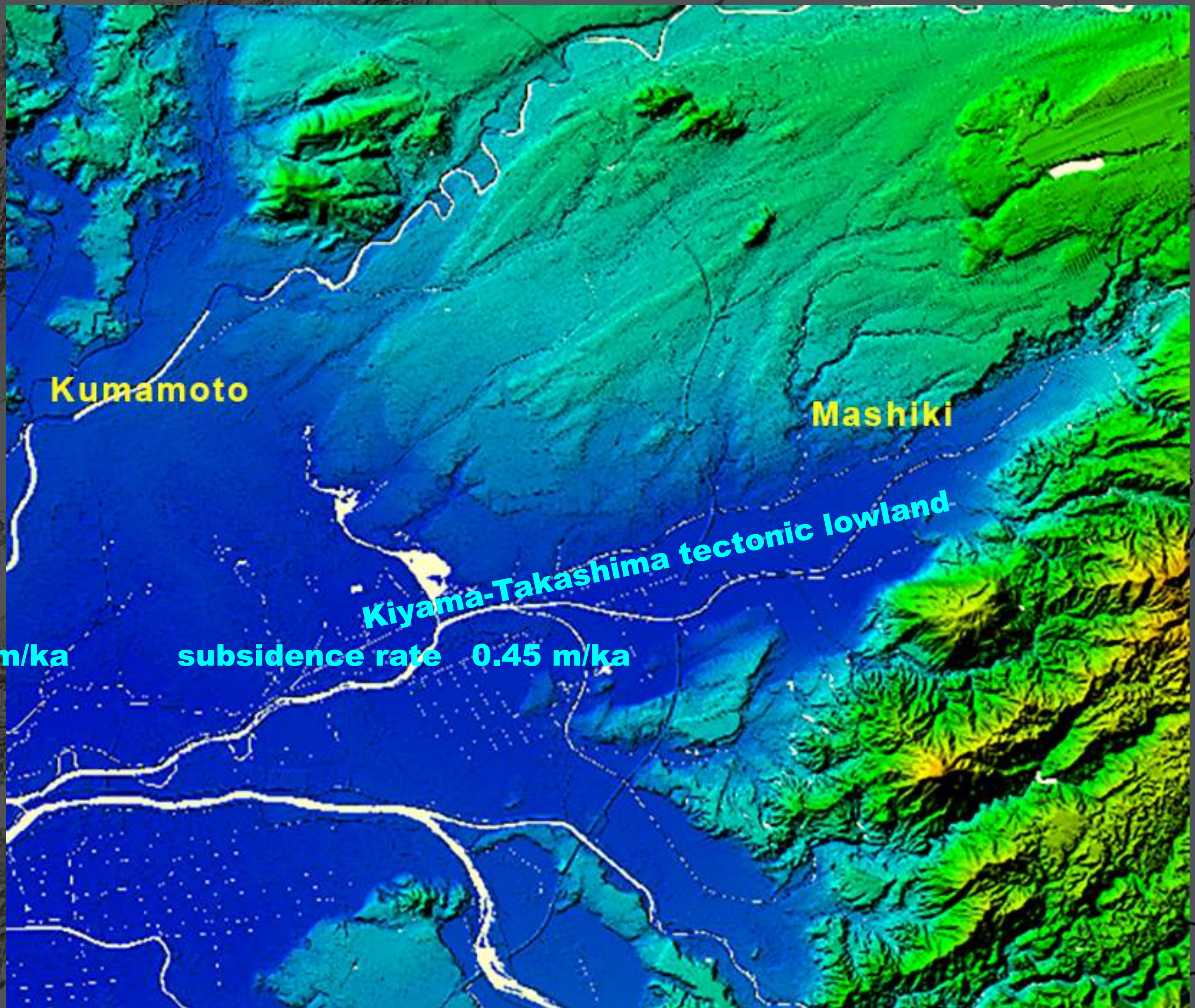
Mashiki
KMMH16
foreshock
Total 1.61g



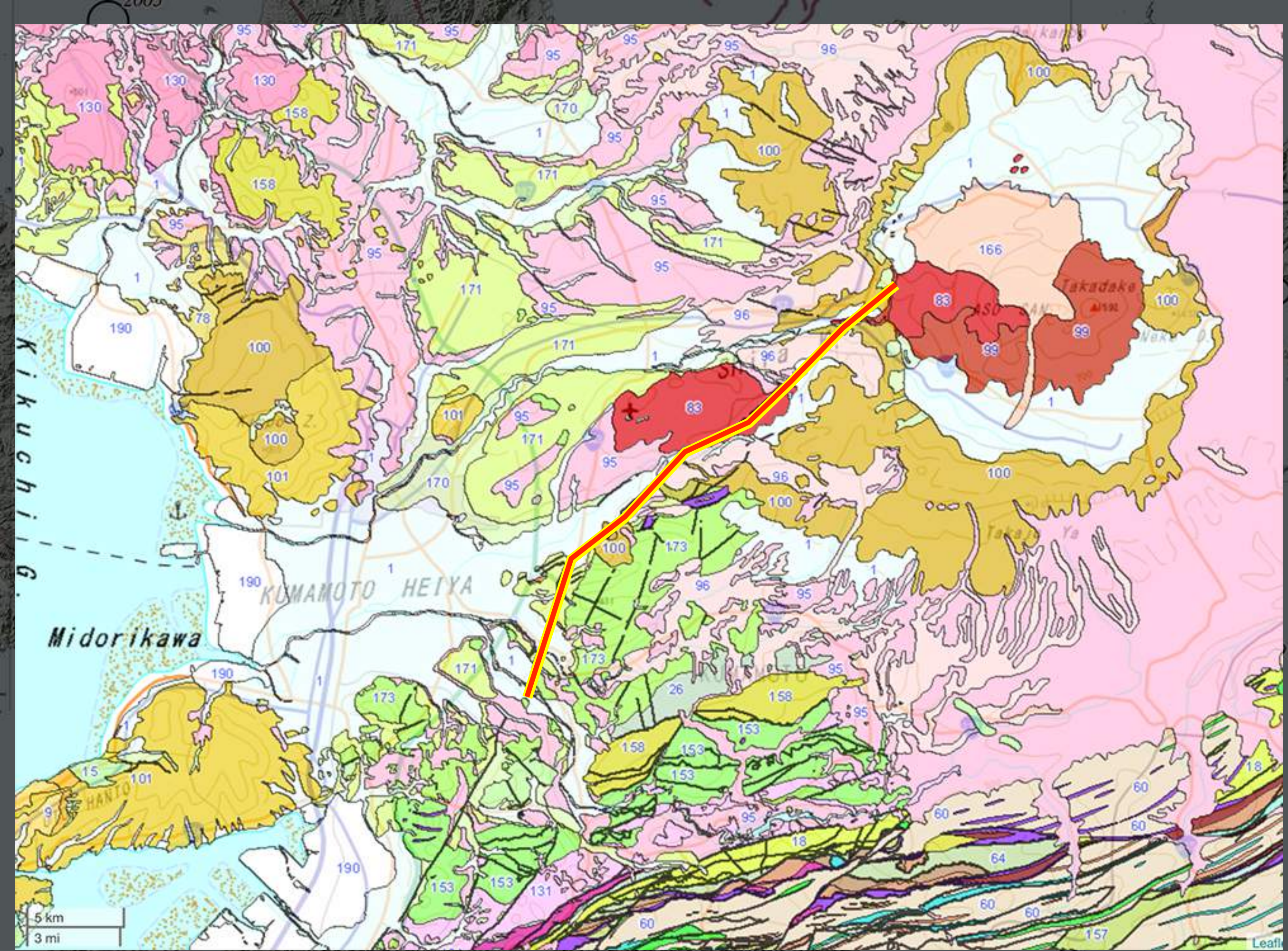
Mashiki
KMMH16
Mainshock
Total 1.35g

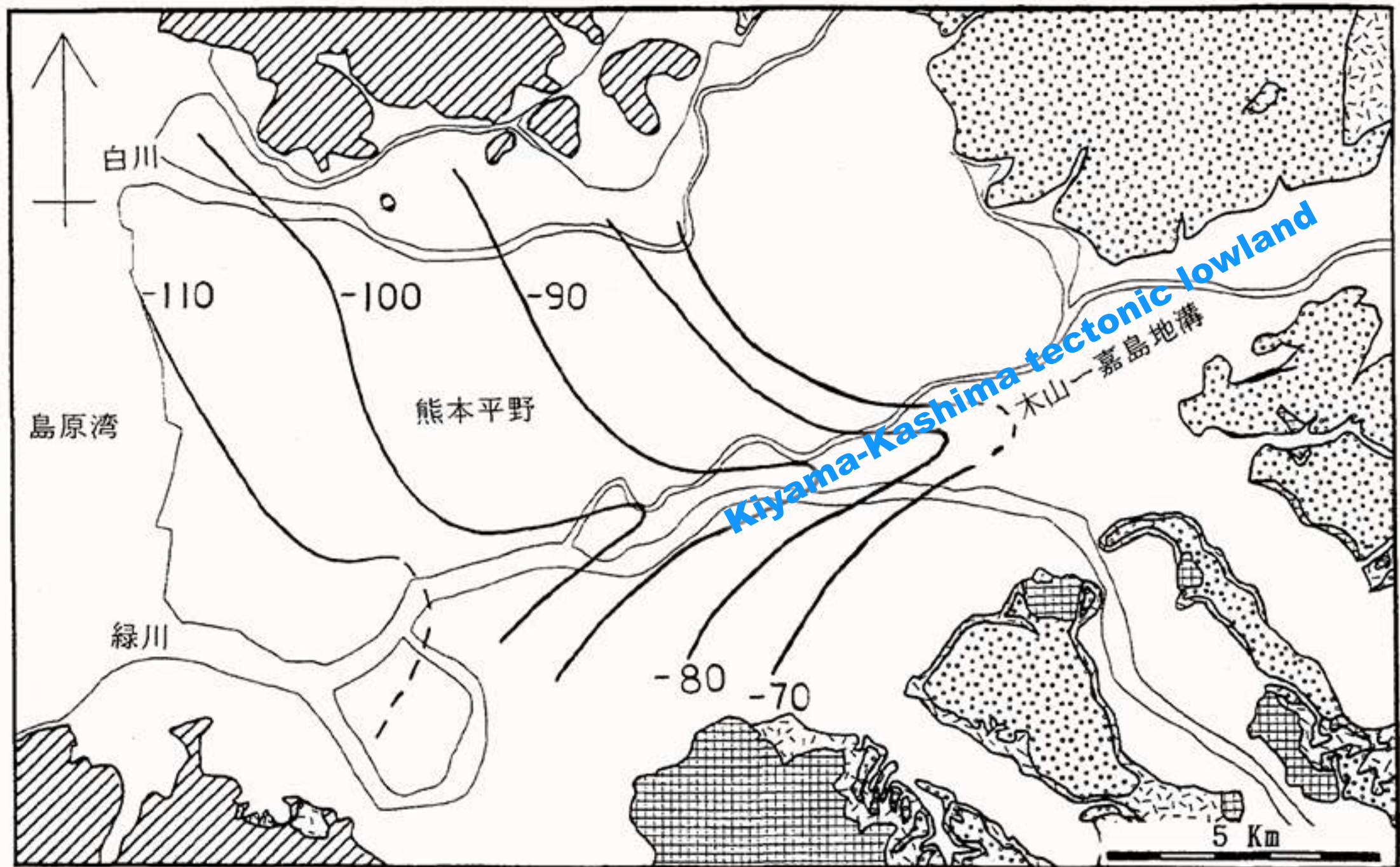


Rupture propagation and directivity effect
Fault-plane perpendicular radiation



GSI 5m LiDar DEM



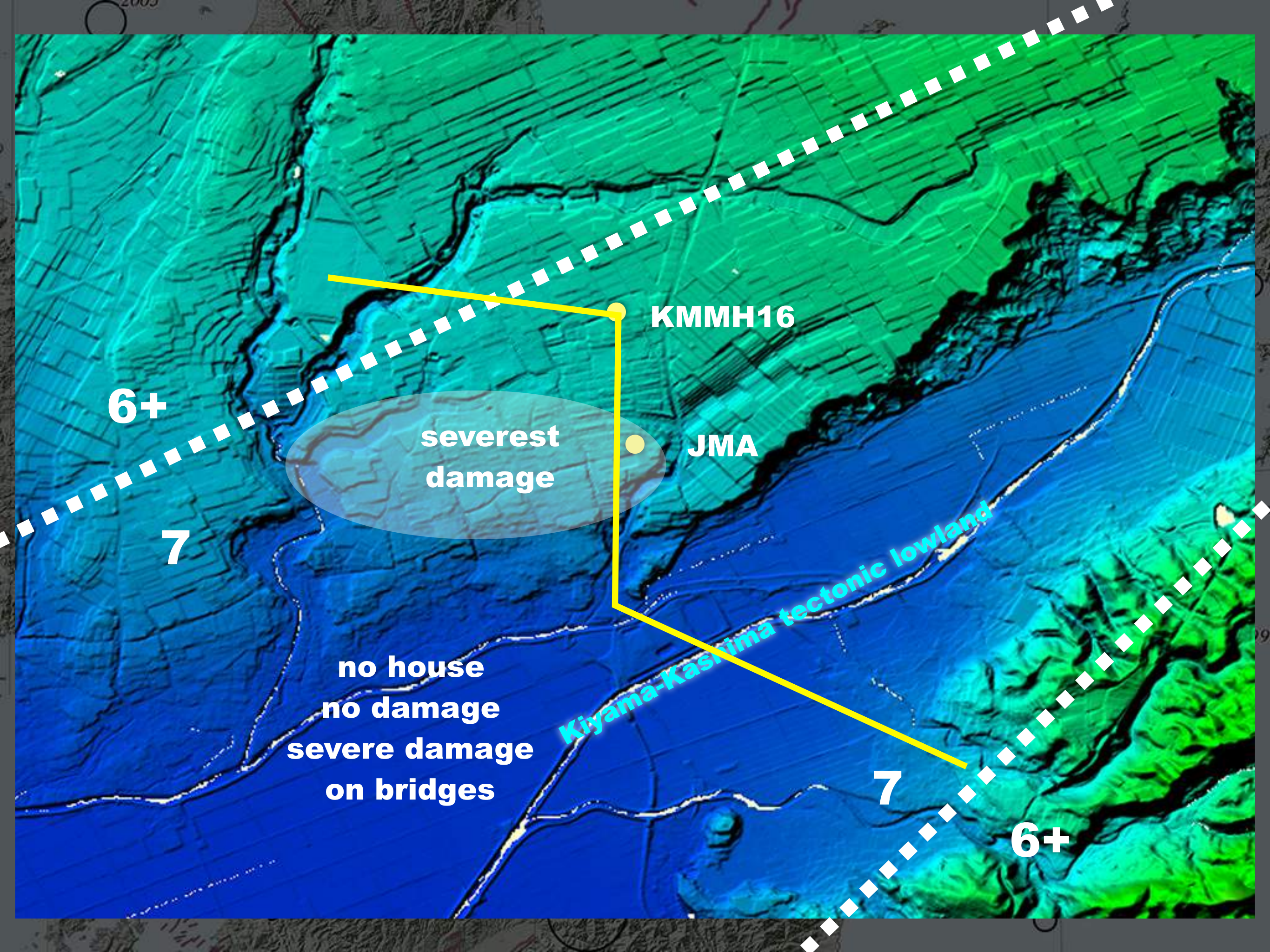


Kiyama-Kashima tectonic lowland

- 1. 御船層群
- 2. 安山岩類
- 3. 火砕流堆積物
- 4. 砂礫層
- 5. 砥川溶岩
- 6. 沖積層
- 7. 御幸層中部上面等高線

図4 御幸層中部上面等高線図

**Ishizaka et al. (1995)
950 ka pyroclastic
flows under alluvial
plain of Kumamoto.**



6+

7

severest
damage

KMMH16

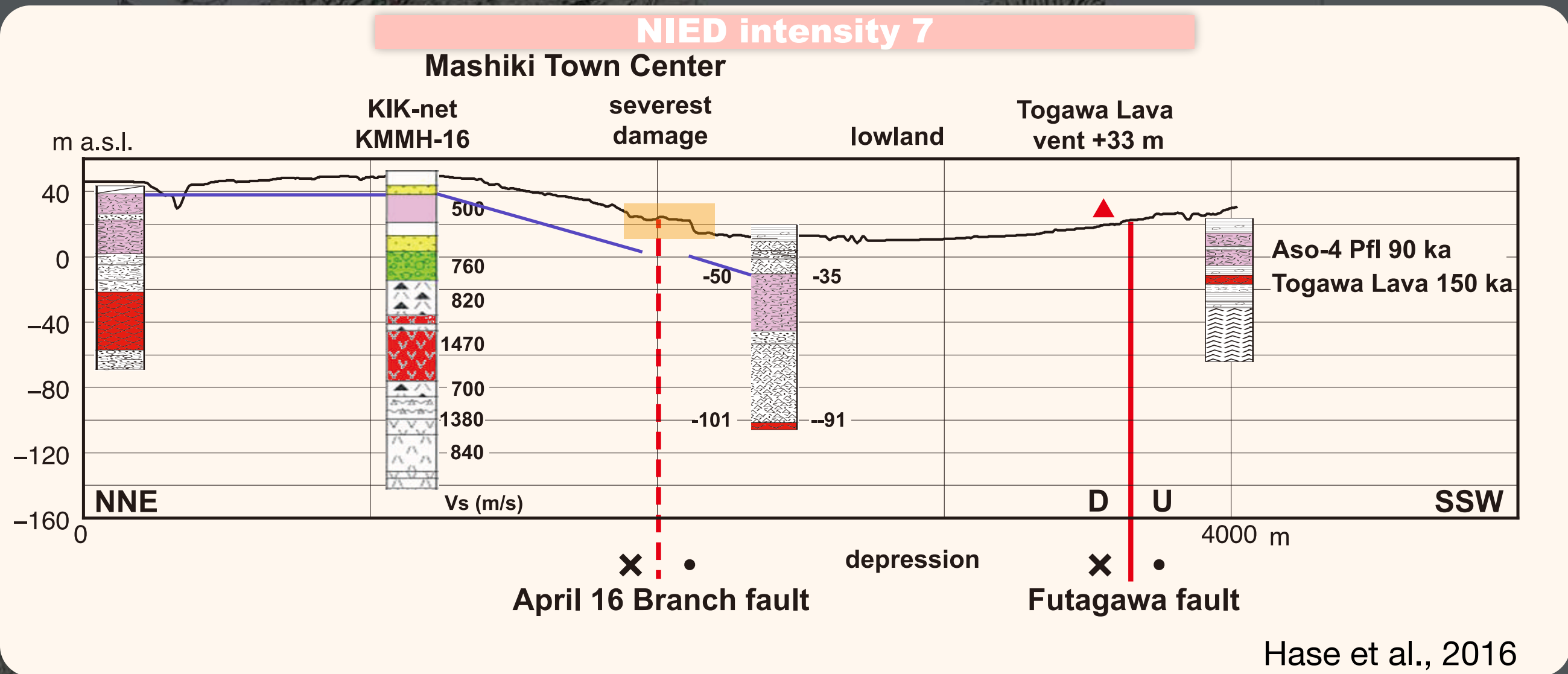
JMA

no house
no damage
severe damage
on bridges

Kiyama-Kashima tectonic lowland

7

6+

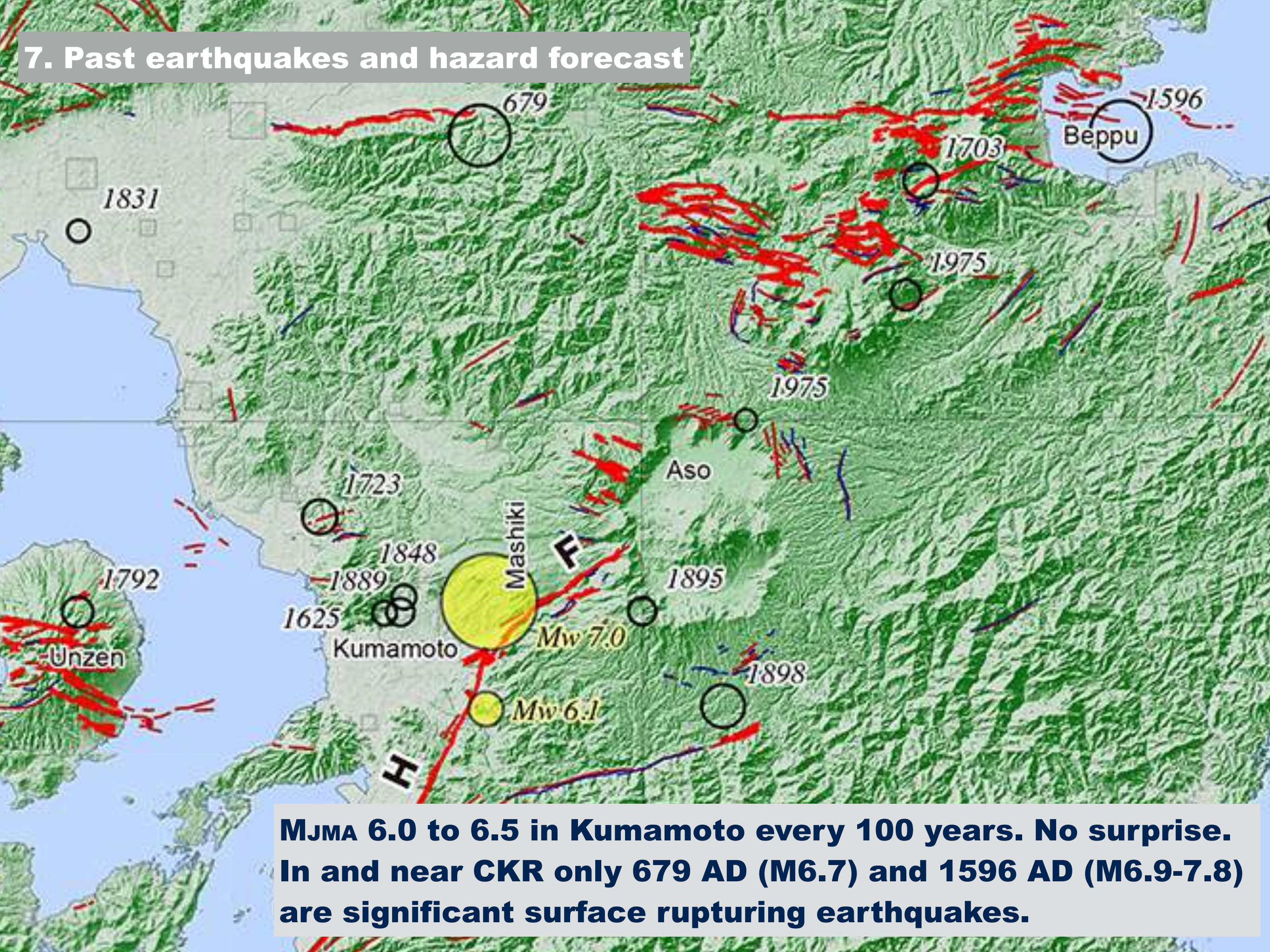


tilted surface
flexure?
blind normal fault?

50 m drop in 90 ka

Amplified ground motion by
-soft sediments in depression
-shallow anticline/syncline
-juxtaposition of soft and hard rocks

7. Past earthquakes and hazard forecast



MJMA 6.0 to 6.5 in Kumamoto every 100 years. No surprise. In and near CKR only 679 AD (M6.7) and 1596 AD (M6.9-7.8) are significant surface rupturing earthquakes.

8. Forecasted earthquakes from Futagawa-Hinagu fault zone by HERP (2002 and 2013)

Futagawa forecast : M 7.0, 2 m RL offset, & 21 km ruptures.

Actual: M 7.3, 2.2 m RL offset, and 28 + 6 km ruptures.

Hinagu forecast: M 6.8, , 2 m, 16 km on the northernmost segment

Actual: Mw 6.1 ruptured deeper part for ~12 km.

Mw 7.0 ruptured to the surface, 30 cm, 6

km.

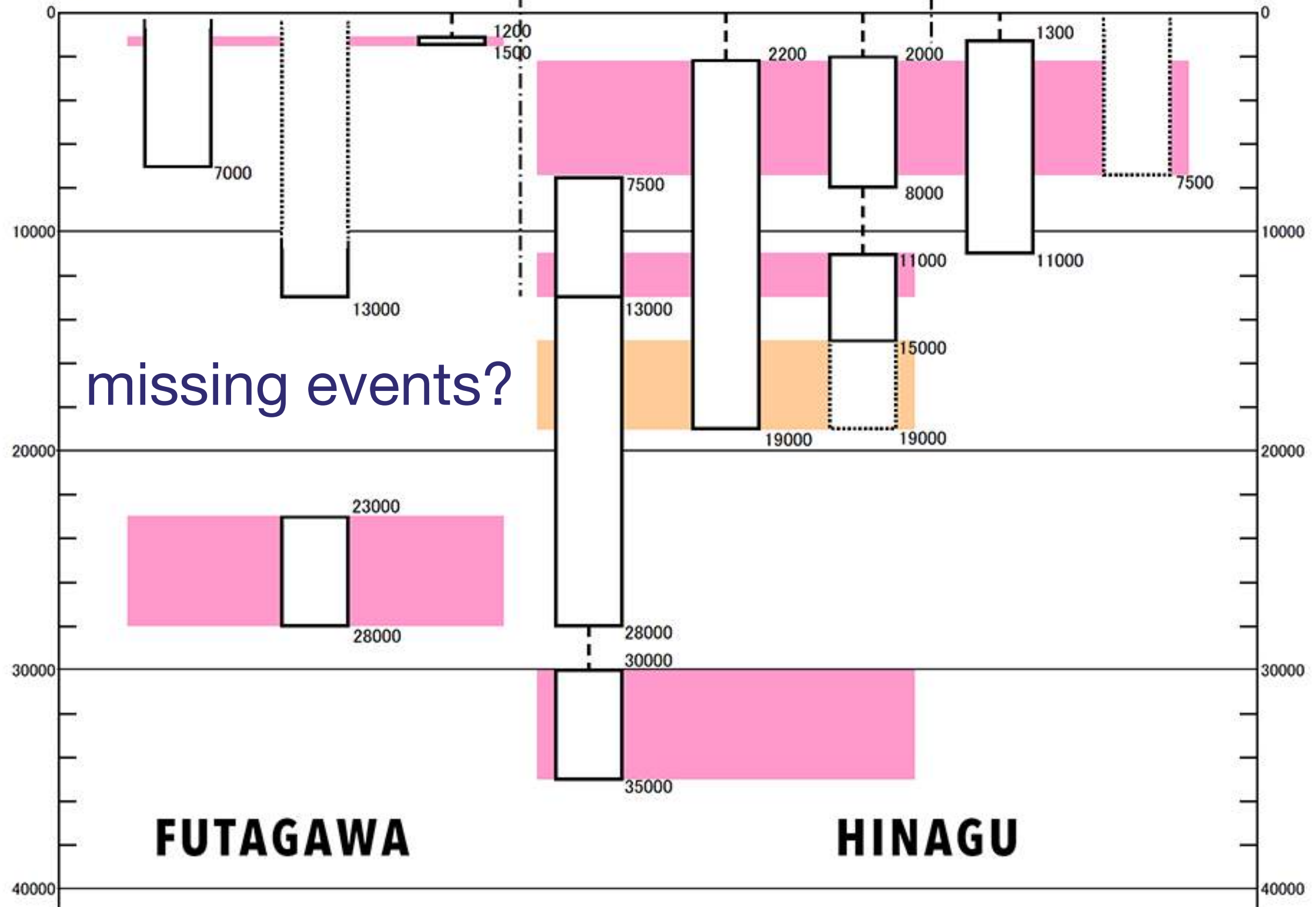
布田川一日奈久断層帯

NE

SW

年代(年前)

年代(年前)



8. Conditional probability of 'characteristic' earthquake

30 yr conditional probability : 0 to 0.9 % (rather high).

>> Low probability owing to long interval, large variance.

Two events at 1200 - 6900 BP and 23000 - 26000 BP

Recurrence interval: 8100 to 26000 years.

There are missing events in geologic records.

No record from the main part of the Futagawa fault.

Temporal clustering is another way of explanation.

8. Conditional probability of 'characteristic' earthquake

Insufficient data for reliable forecast on Futagawa fault.

Low probability does not mean the event would not occur.

Limitation of the long-term hazard forecast was obvious.

However, the public are not informed of the limitation.

The local governments were informed of the risks from the Futagawa-Hinagu fault zone, but local

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