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Outline of SinoProbe-I and Prospecting of SinoProbe-II

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What is SinoProbe

The SinoProbe – Deep Exploration in China, is a multidisciplinary earth science program in China, with the all aim to reveal the composition, structure and evolution of the continental lithosphere beneath Chinese continent, and promote capabilities of the scientific research and understanding of the Earth, exploration of natural resources, and early warning of geo-hazards. And to undersand several first-order problems in Earth Sciences in central and eastern Asia

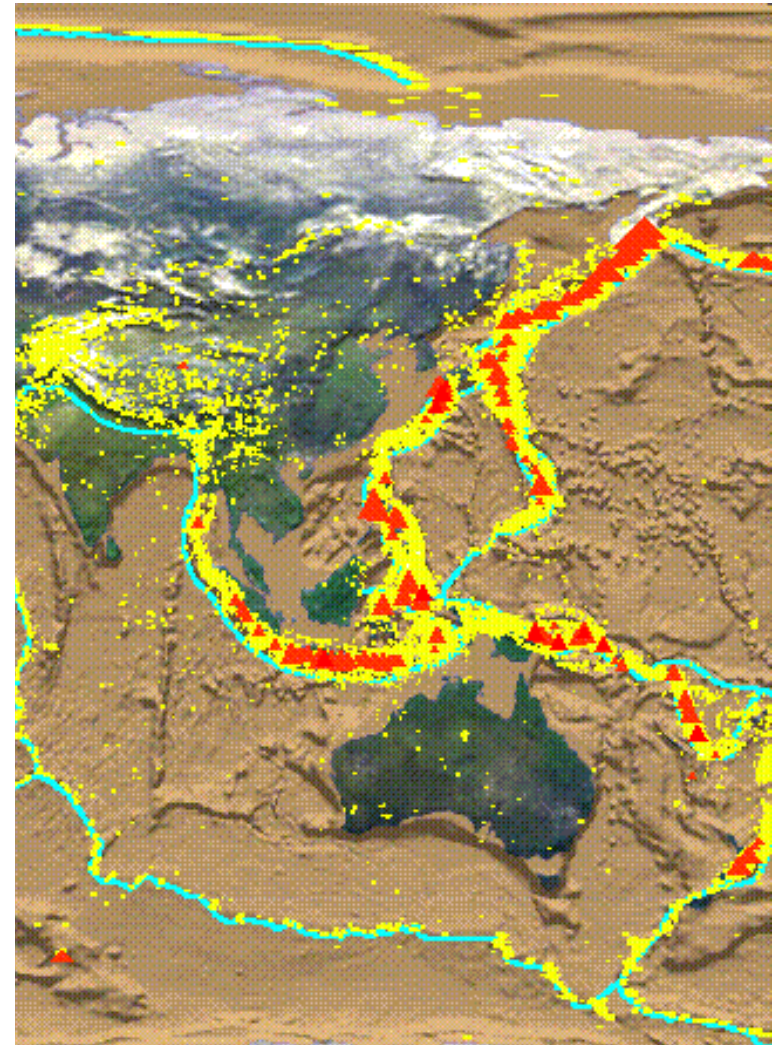
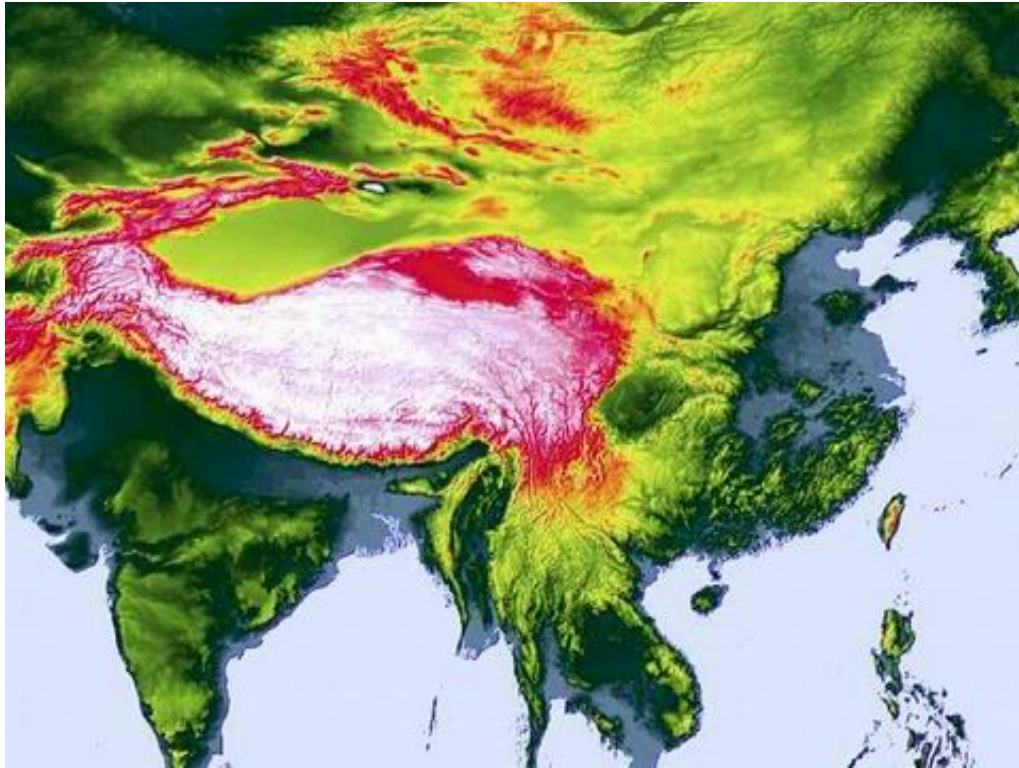


SinoProbe- I

The SinoProbe- I started in 2008. The first 6 years from 2008-2014 is the initial phase of the SinoProbe, which is focused on the testing of the feasibility of deep exploration technologies in geophysics, geochemistry, and continental deep drilling in China. And procedure of data processing, and develop the deep exploration instruments.

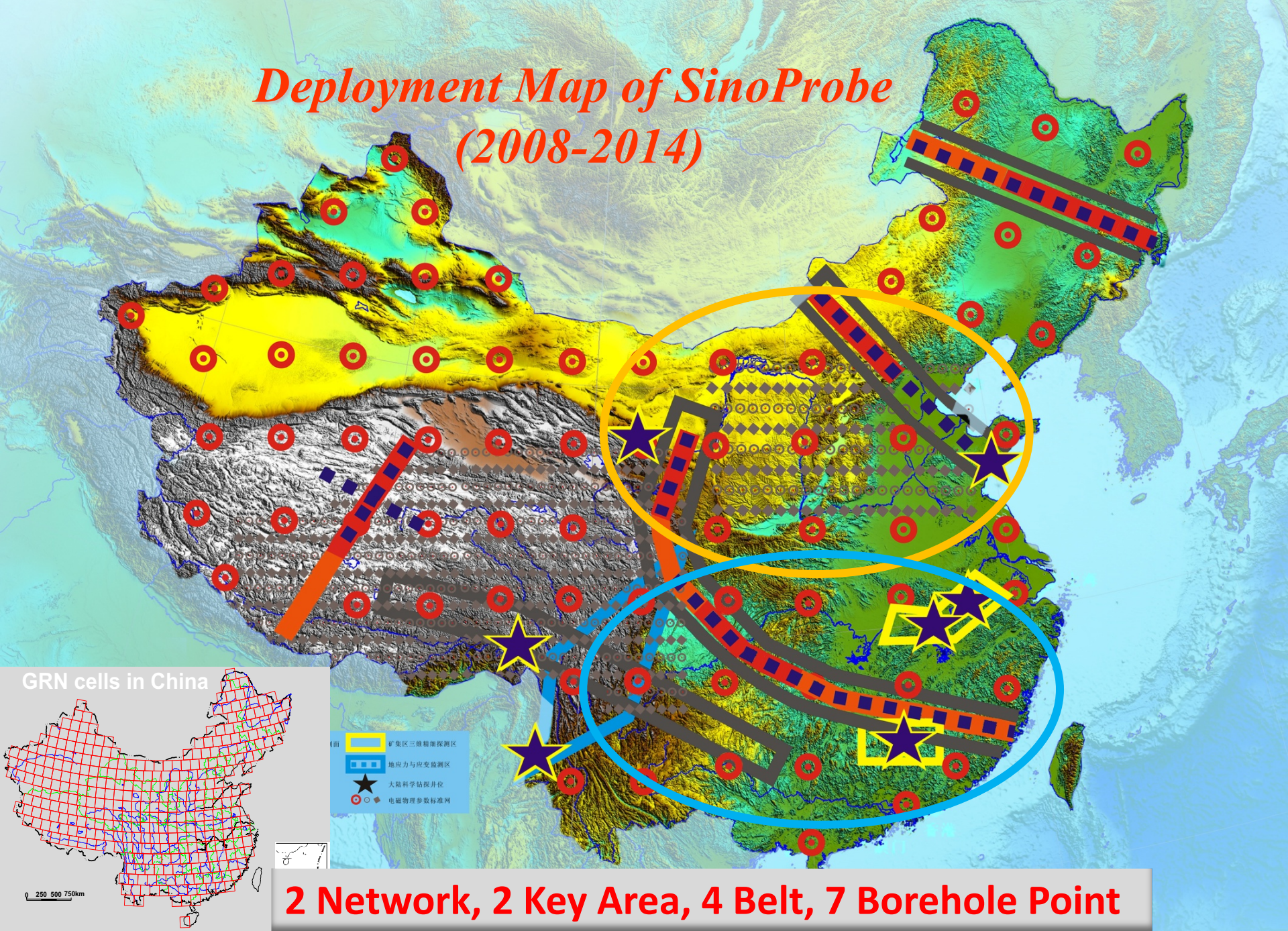
The total budget of the SinoProbe- I is ca. \$200M for 2008-2014.





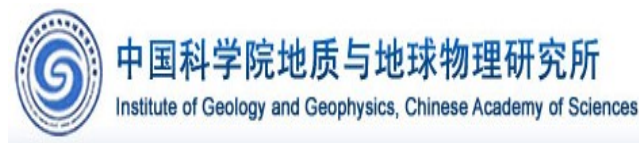
China continent is controlling under two geodynamics system, eg. plate collisin of Asia and India, and Pacific plate subdution.

Deployment Map of SinoProbe (2008-2014)



2 Network, 2 Key Area, 4 Belt, 7 Borehole Point

Affiliated Institutions and Researchers of SinoProbe



118 Institute\Universities and 1500 scientists and engineers were involved; There are 10000 workers involving into the field exploration.

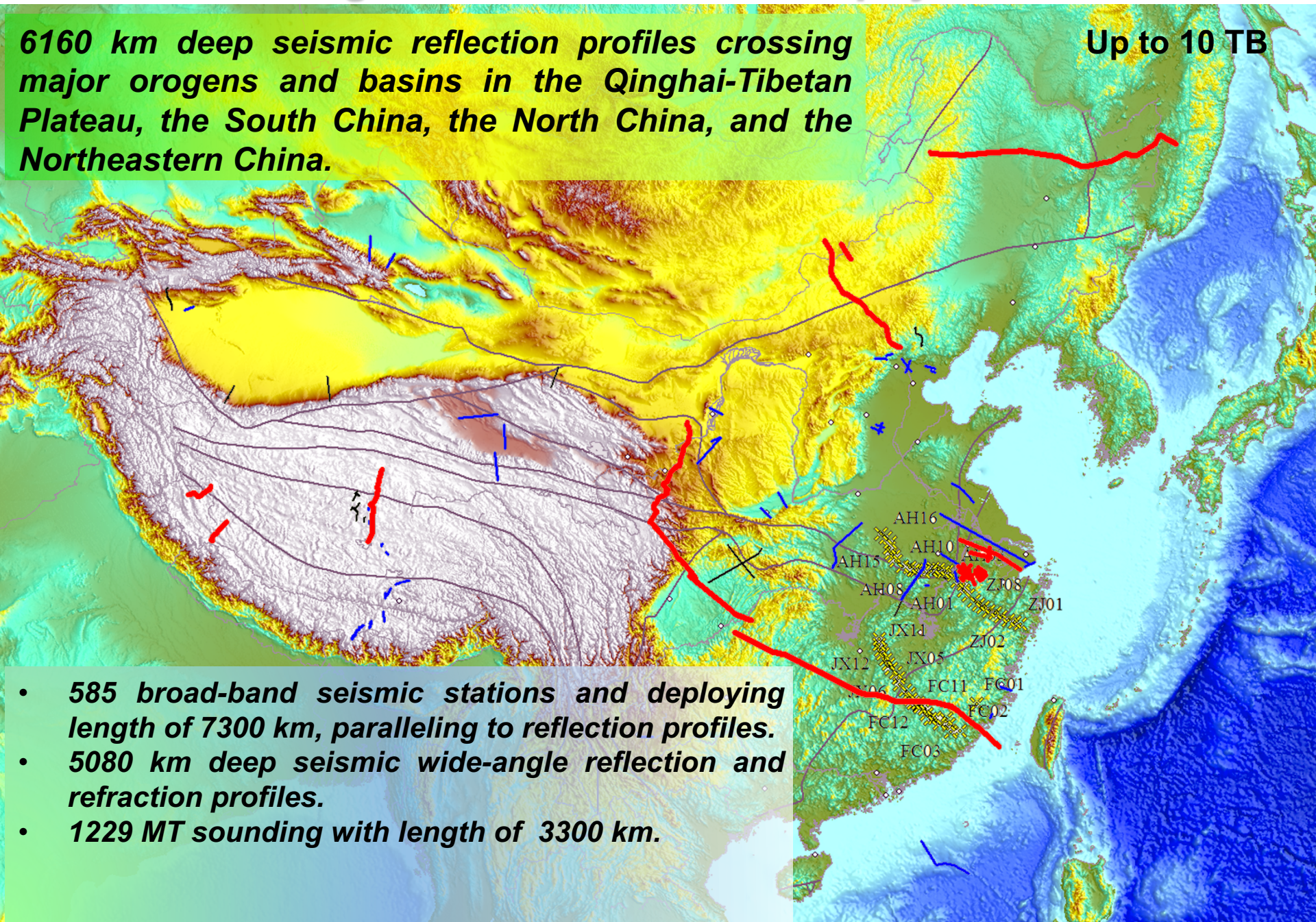


Big Data: Nation-Wide Geophysical Data

Up to 10 TB

6160 km deep seismic reflection profiles crossing major orogens and basins in the Qinghai-Tibetan Plateau, the South China, the North China, and the Northeastern China.

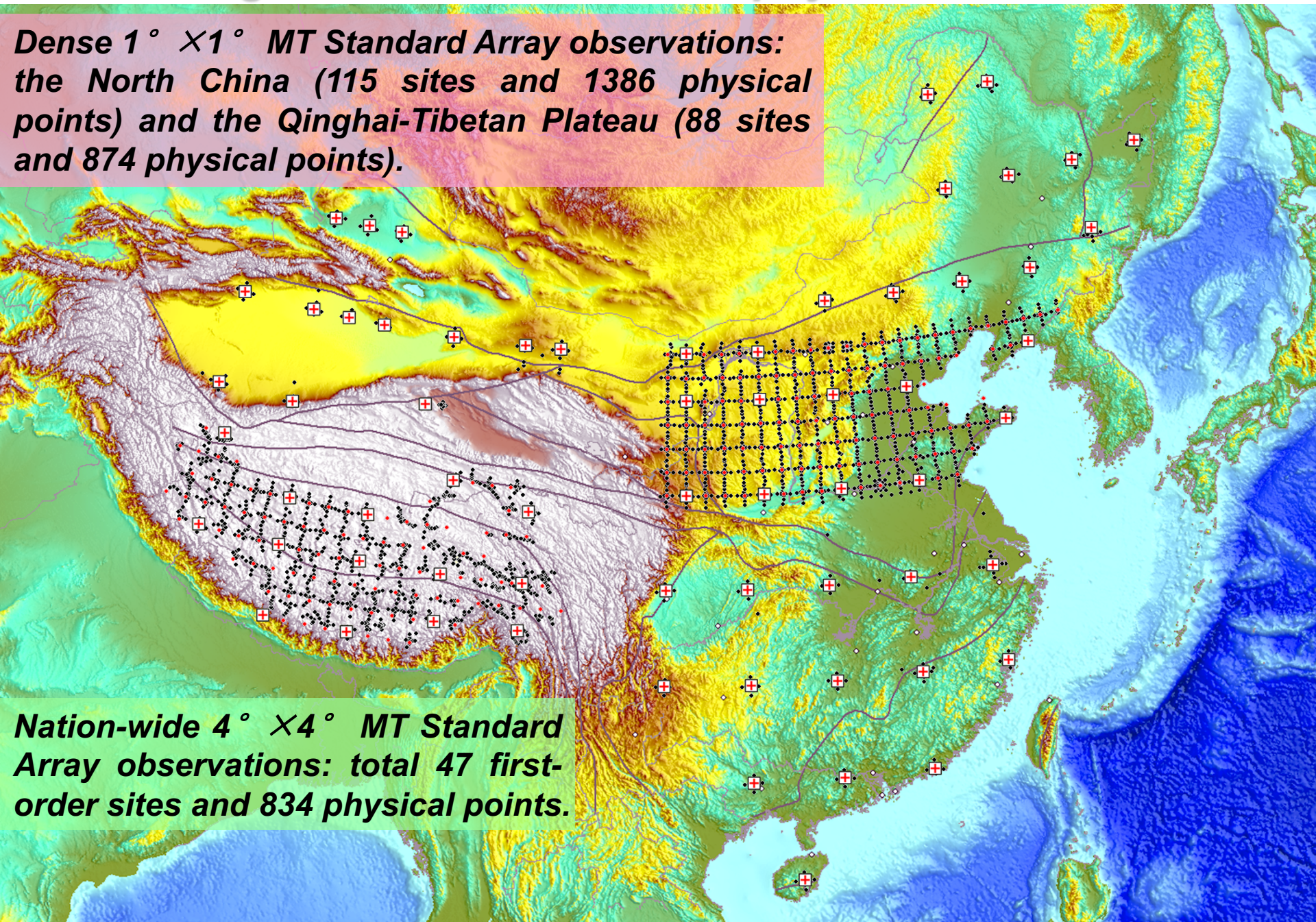
- **585 broad-band seismic stations and deploying length of 7300 km, paralleling to reflection profiles.**
- **5080 km deep seismic wide-angle reflection and refraction profiles.**
- **1229 MT sounding with length of 3300 km.**



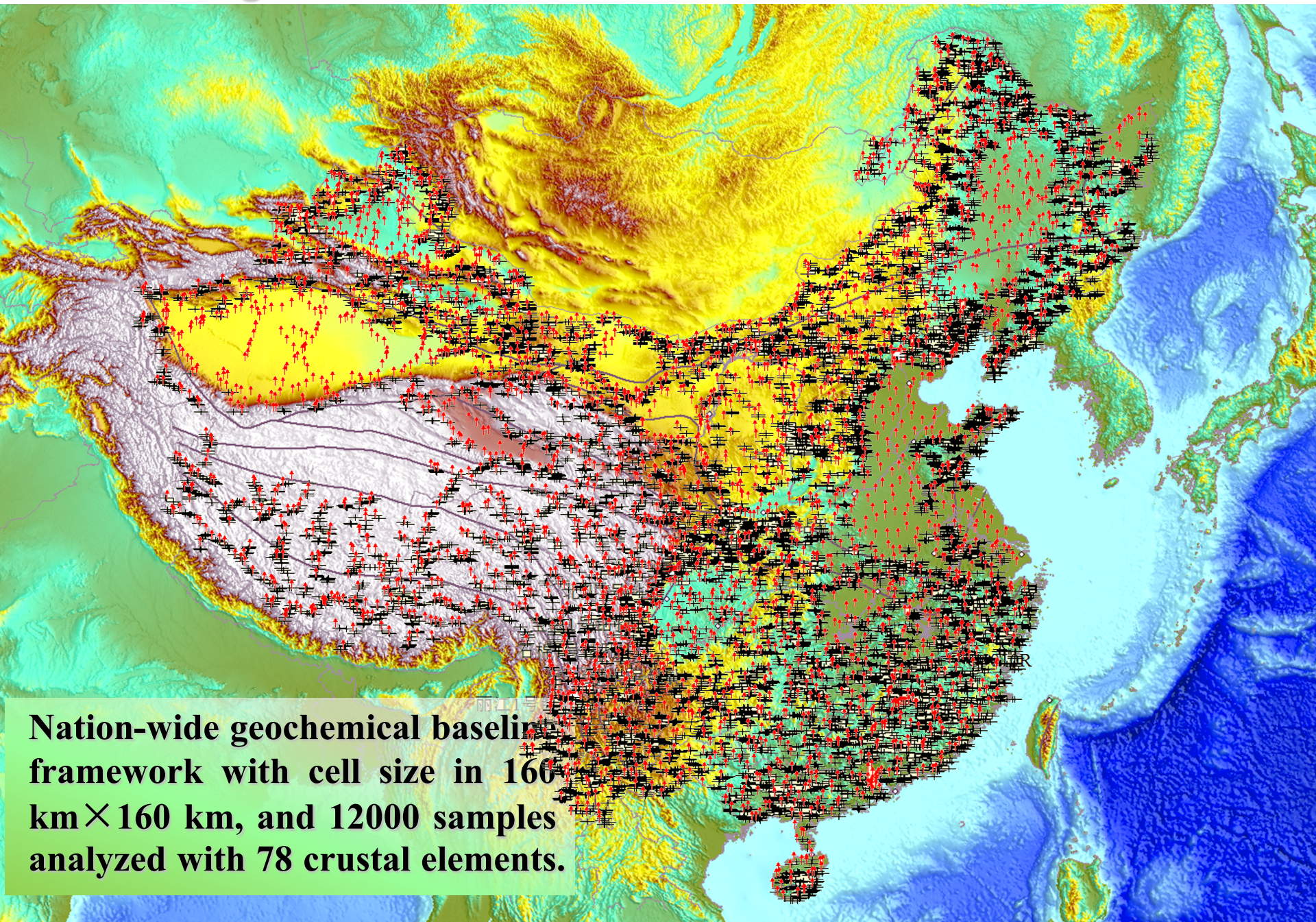
Big Data: Nation-Wide Geophysical Data

Dense $1^{\circ} \times 1^{\circ}$ MT Standard Array observations:
the North China (115 sites and 1386 physical points)
and the Qinghai-Tibetan Plateau (88 sites and 874 physical points).

Nation-wide $4^{\circ} \times 4^{\circ}$ MT Standard Array observations:
total 47 first-order sites and 834 physical points.



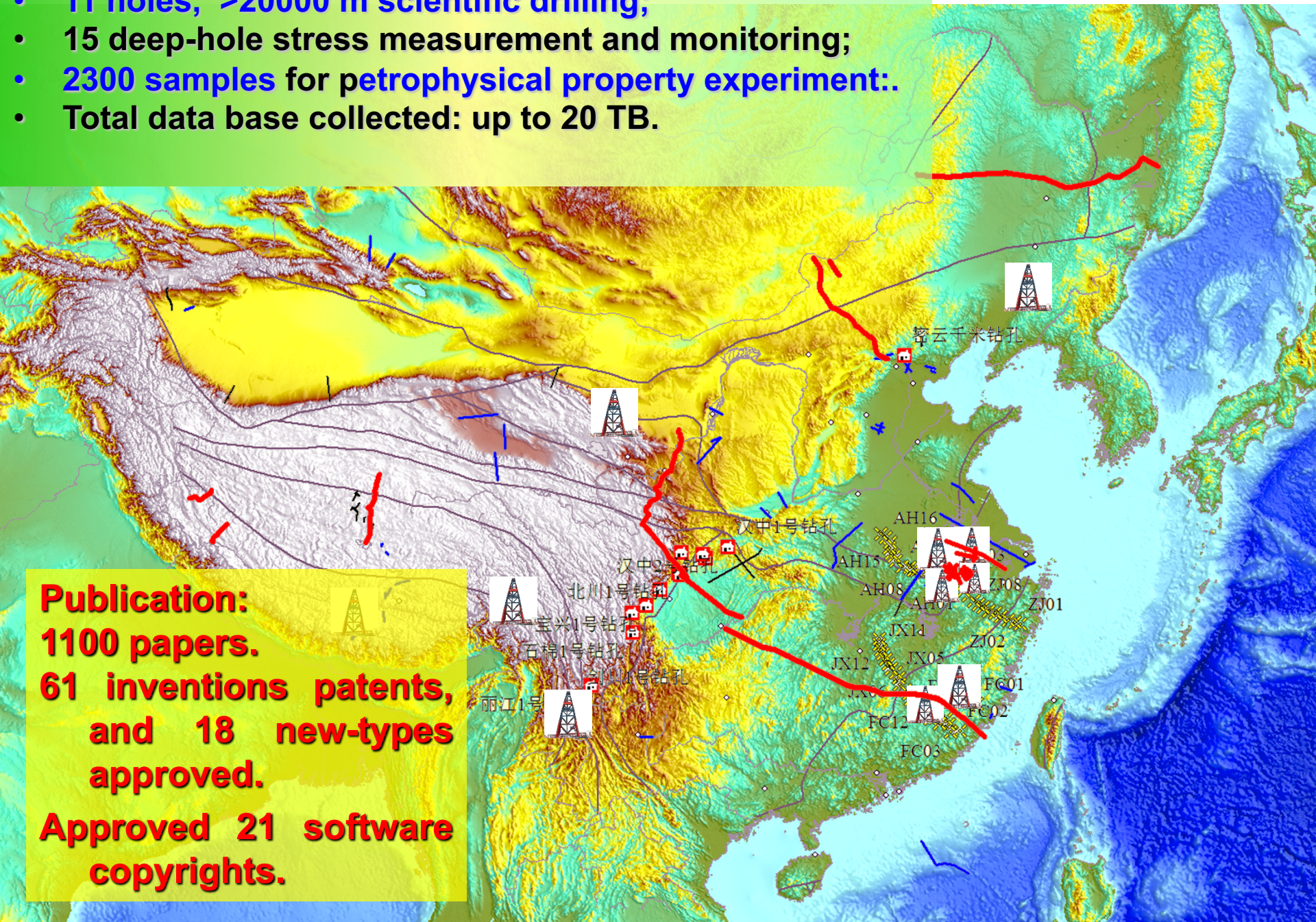
Big Data: Nation-Wide Geochemical Data

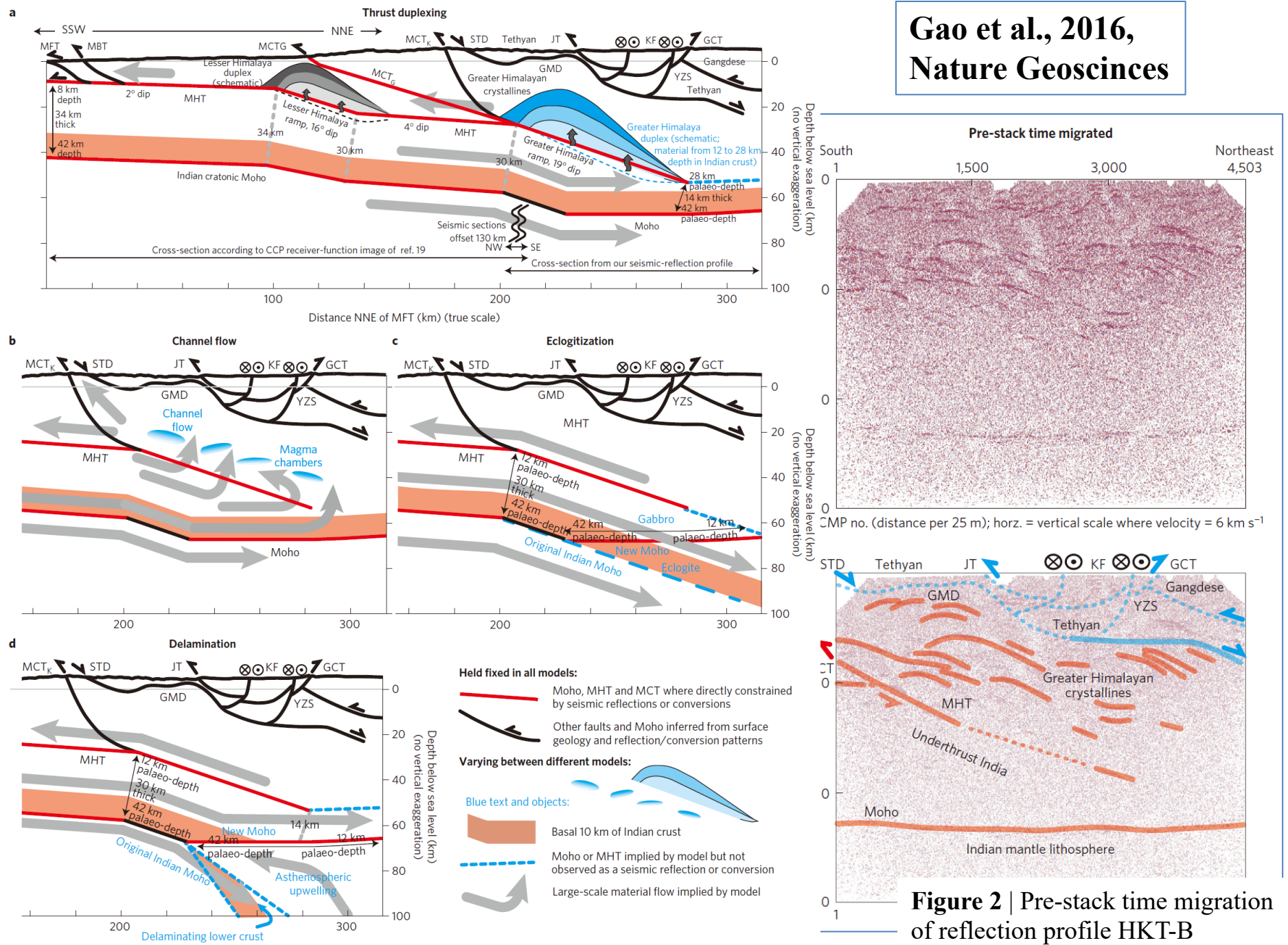


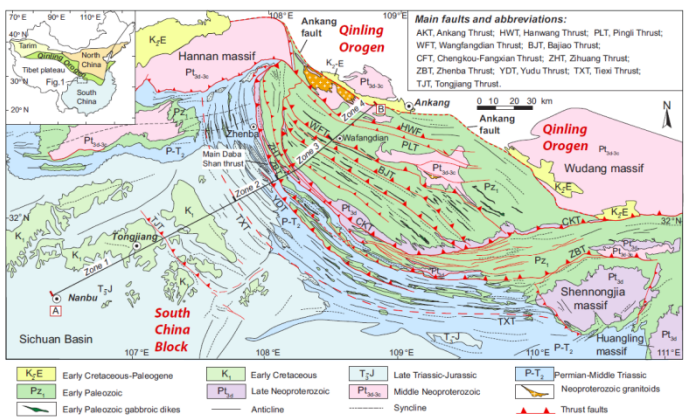
Nation-wide geochemical baseline framework with cell size in $160\text{ km} \times 160\text{ km}$, and 12000 samples analyzed with 78 crustal elements.

- 11 holes, >20000 m scientific drilling;
- 15 deep-hole stress measurement and monitoring;
- 2300 samples for petrophysical property experiment:.
- Total data base collected: up to 20 TB.

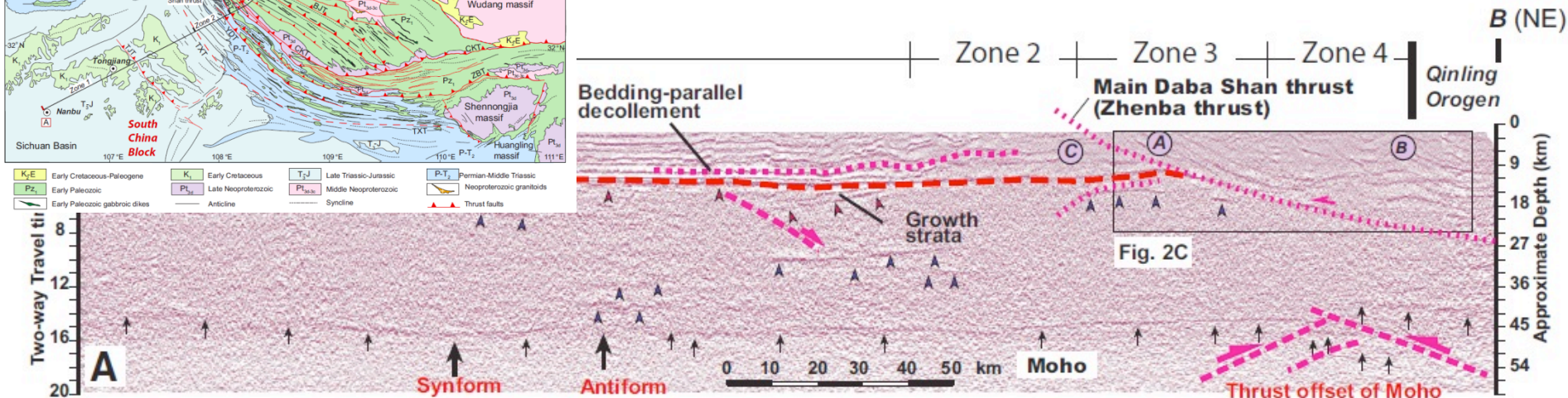
Publication:
1100 papers.
61 inventions patents,
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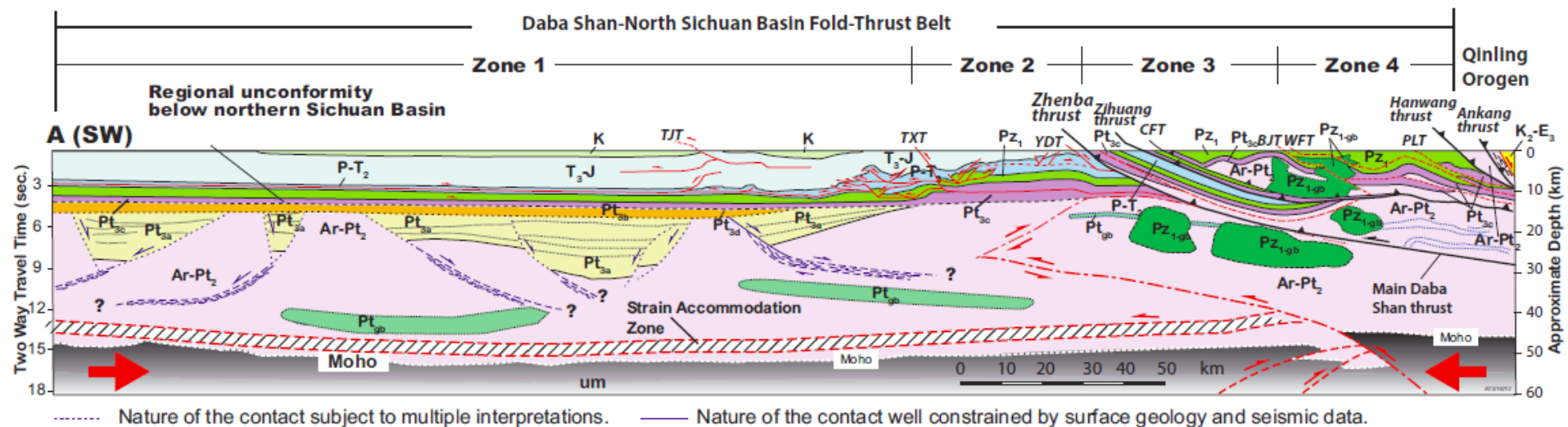




Cross section of Daba Shan thrust belt

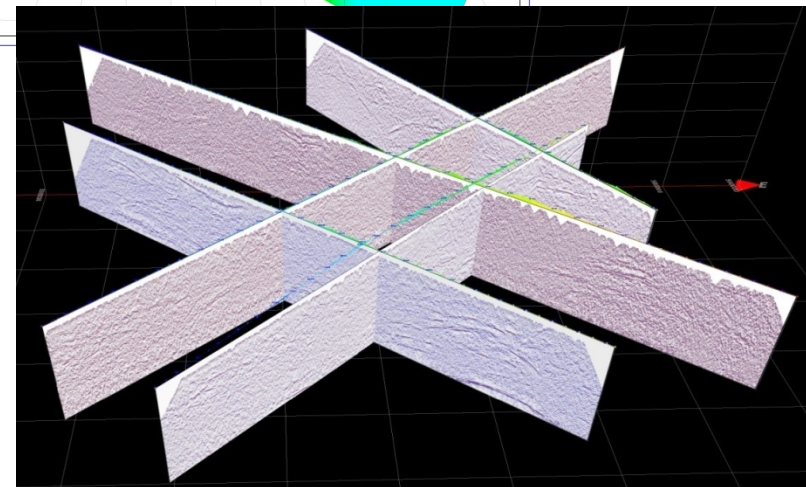
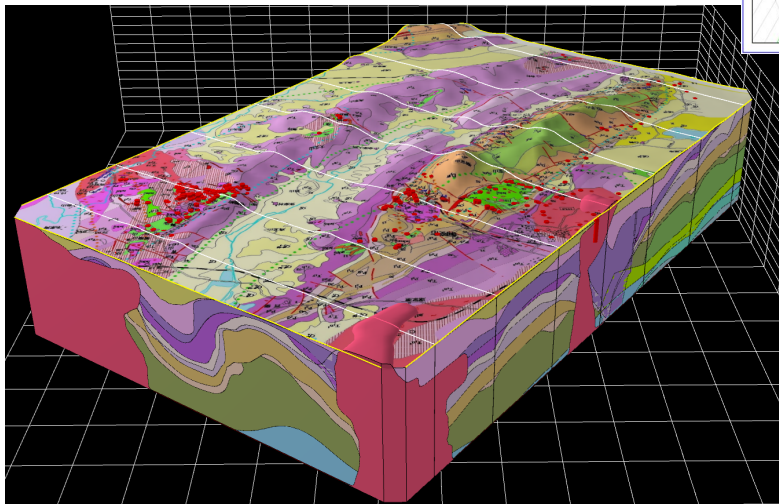
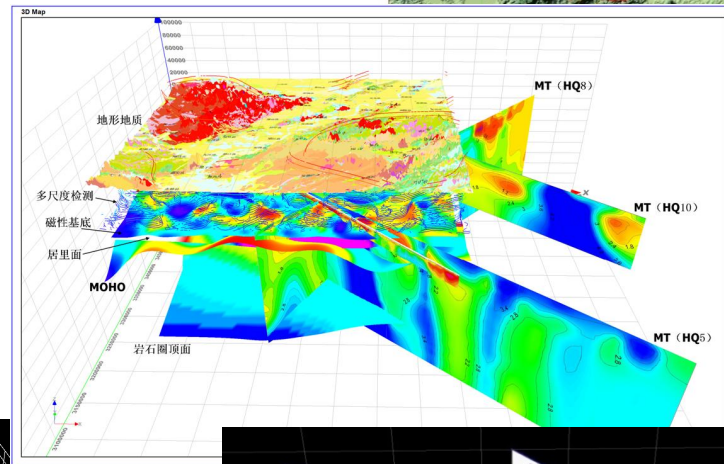
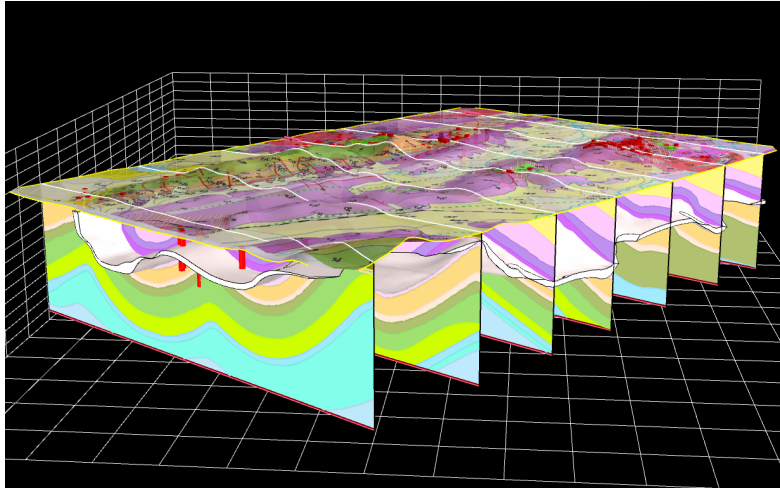


- (A) Tilted reflectors above the Main Daba Shan thrust. (B) Folded reflectors in zone 4. (C) Broadly folded reflectors truncated by the Main Daba Shan thrust.
- ▲ Red arrows point to fine-laminated reflectors below regional unconformity. ▲ Blue arrows point to strong mid-crustal reflectors. ■ Interpreted fault.
- ↑ Black arrows pointing to Moho, which is defined as the upper boundary of a 3-4 km thick zone of strong reflection.

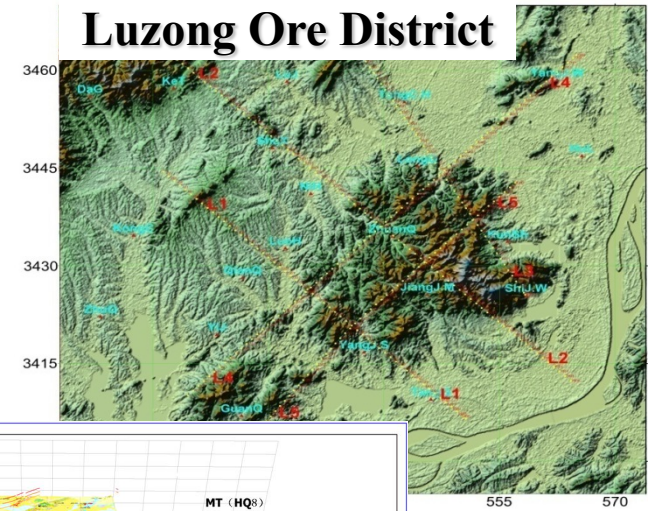


3D of mineral deposit in East China

◆ Bring up the technological process suited to 3D exploration and modeling of the ore concentration district

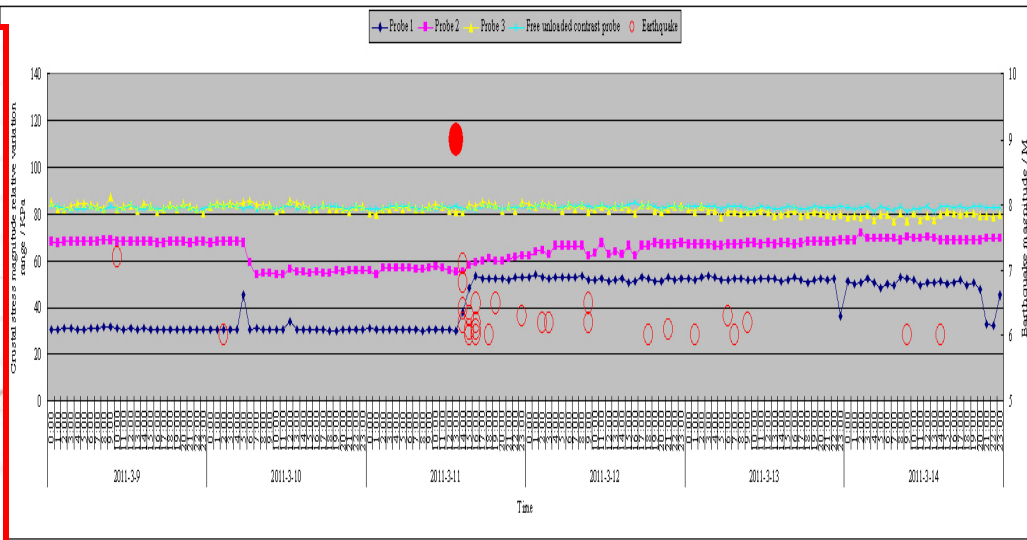
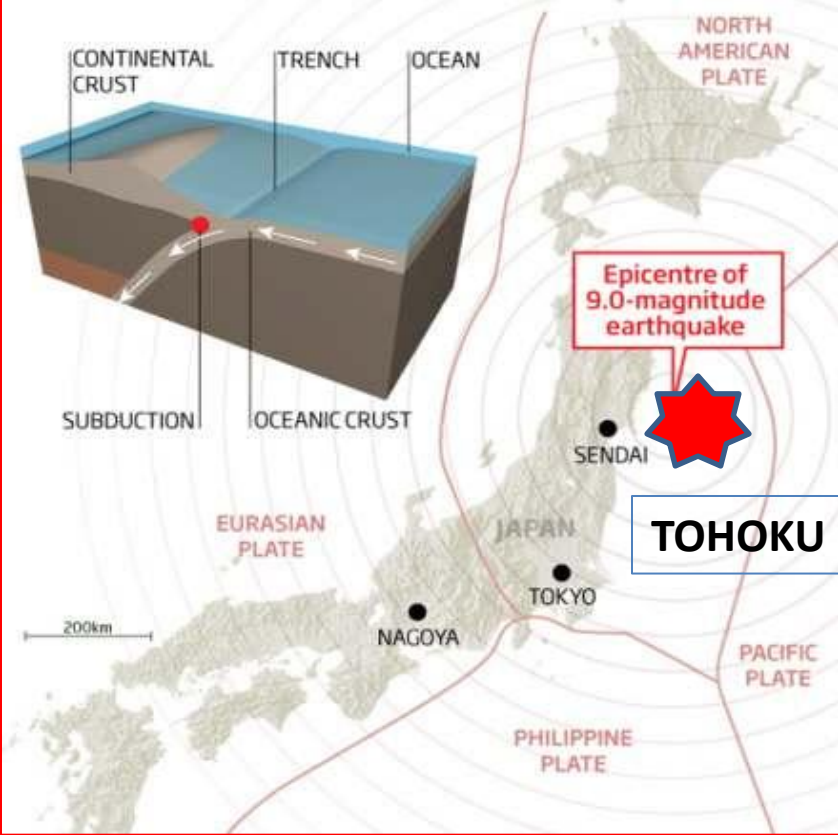


Luzong Ore District

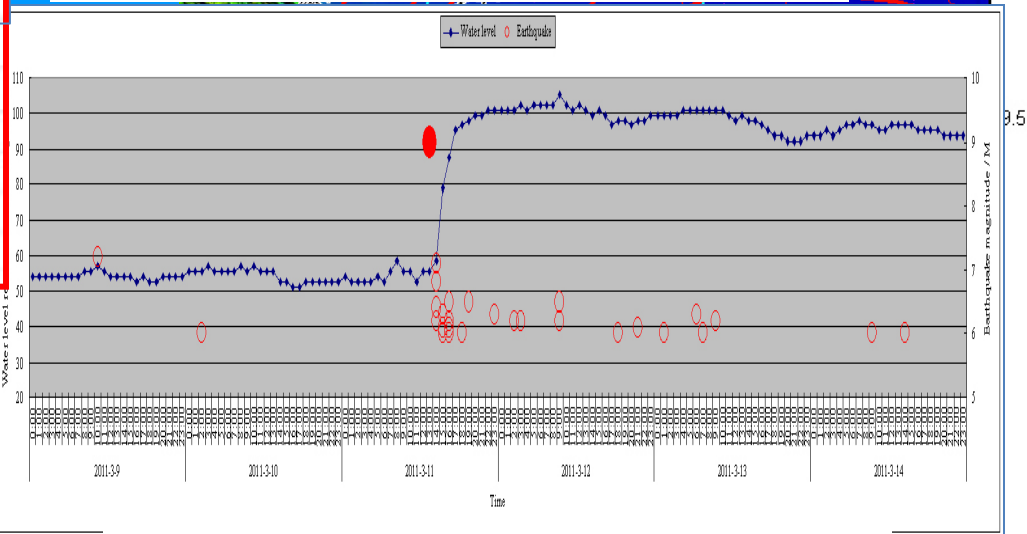


Japan's largest ever earthquake

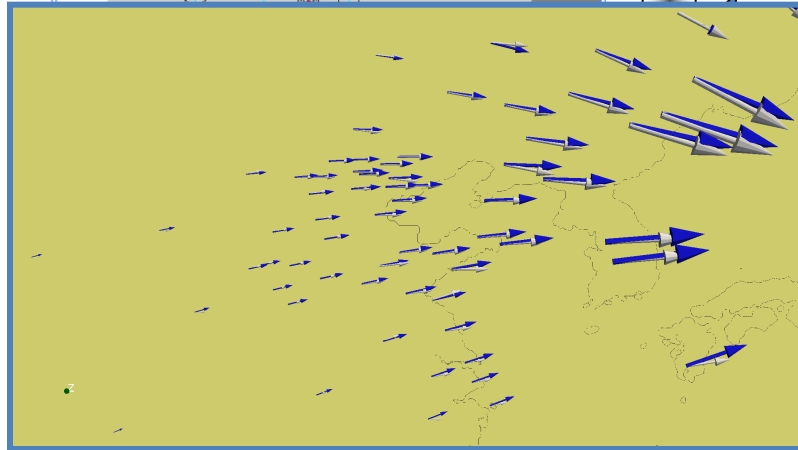
New estimates by the US Geological Survey suggest the earthquake that struck Japan on 11 March 2011 was magnitude 9.0



Stress change record of the Tohoku earthquake, 11 March, 2011 at Pinggu station, Beijing, (2011/3/9-2011/3/14)

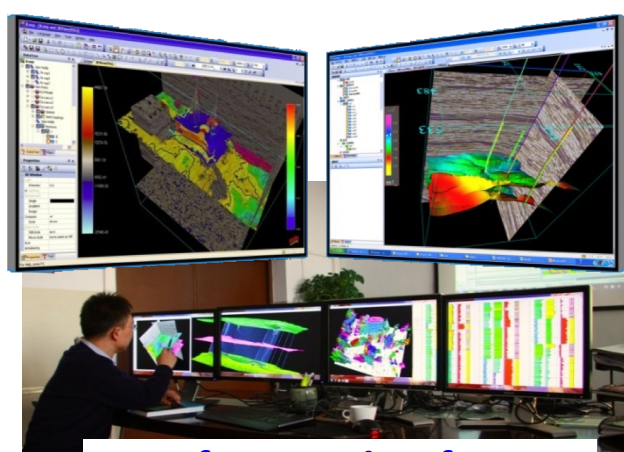


Water level change record of Tohoku earthquake (2011/2/27-2011/3/14)



Instrumentation development

Developing Technological: *Some instrumental platforms for deep exploration and data processing are developed by the SinoProbe.*



Software platform



3D electromagnetic exploration system



Cable-free seismic exploration system



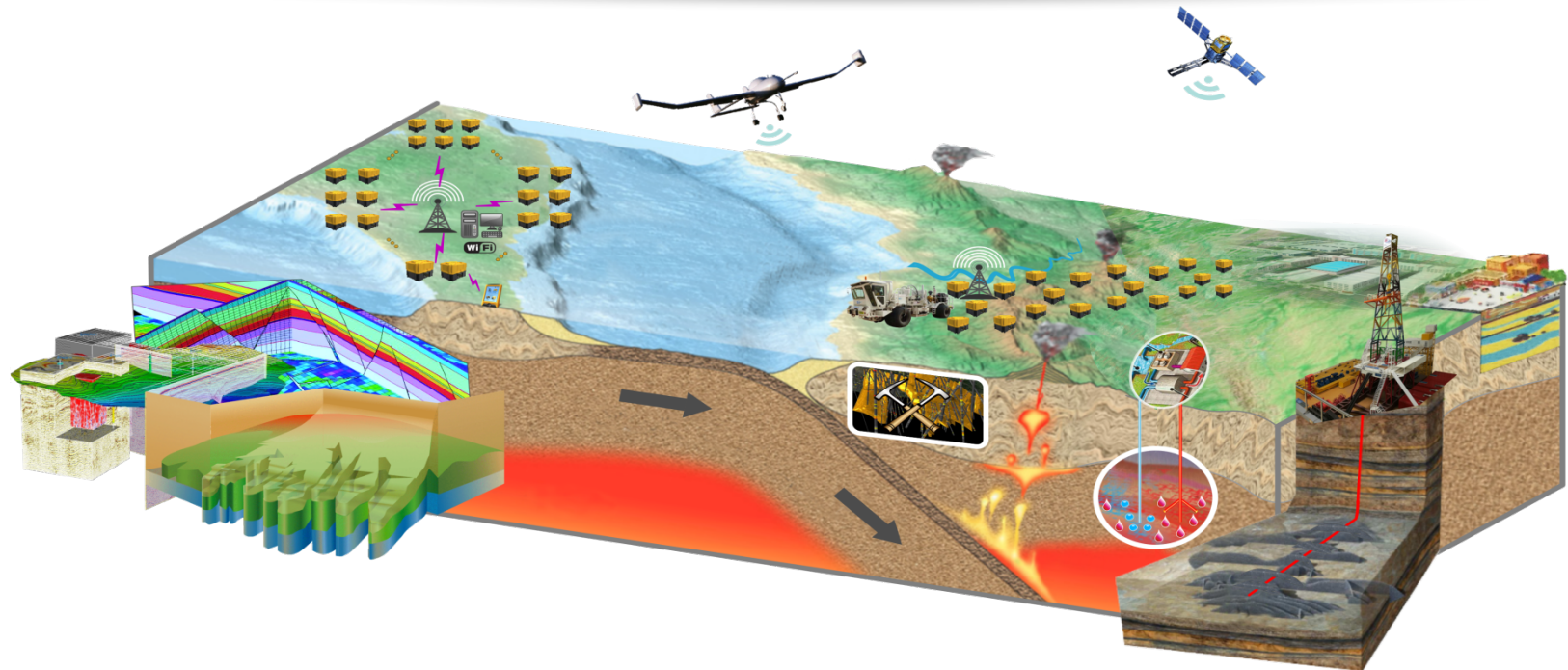
Unmanned aerial vehicle aeromagnetic system



10km continental scientific drilling equipment

SinoProbe- II (2018-2030?)

China has already fully employed the national strategy of big scientific research on “Deep Space, Deep Earth and Deep Ocean” for 2030. Recently, to probe into the Deep Earth has been planed as a priority in the national strategy following the SinProbe- I .



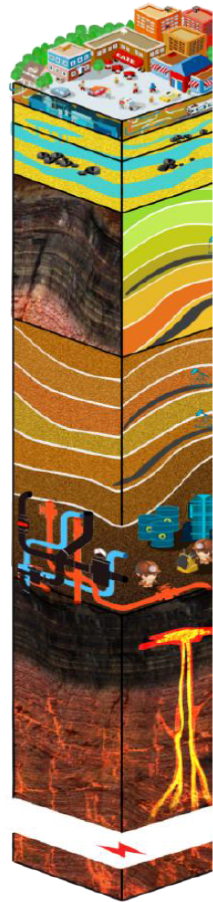
SinoProbe-2 objectives and tasks

**To
development
of exploring
system of
technology
and
equipment**

**To focus on
deep energy
\ mineral
resources
\ geo-hazards
and urban
underground
space**

**To reveal
structures of
deep earth and
to
understanding
the deep
process**

4 deep levels to probe and exploration



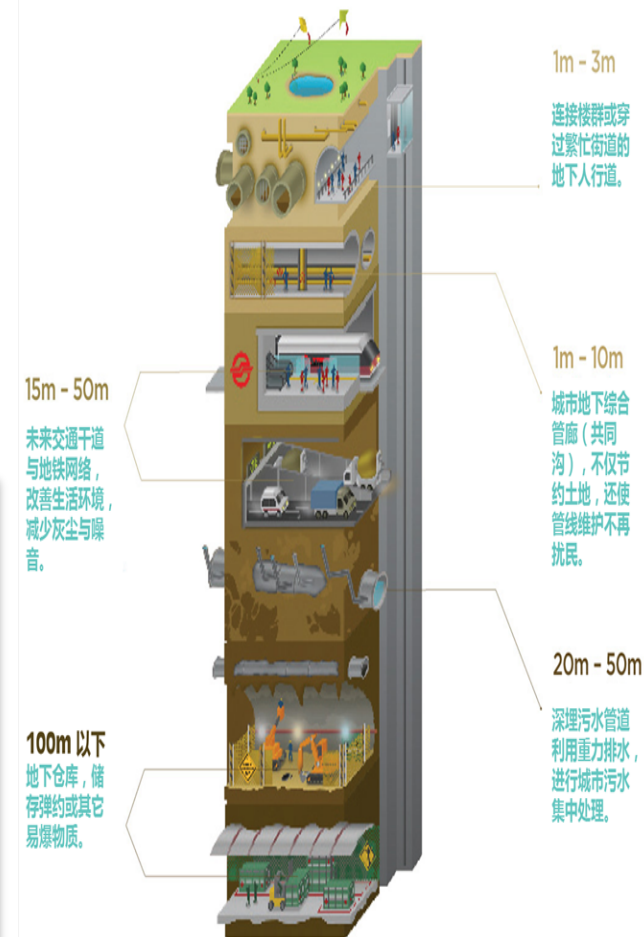
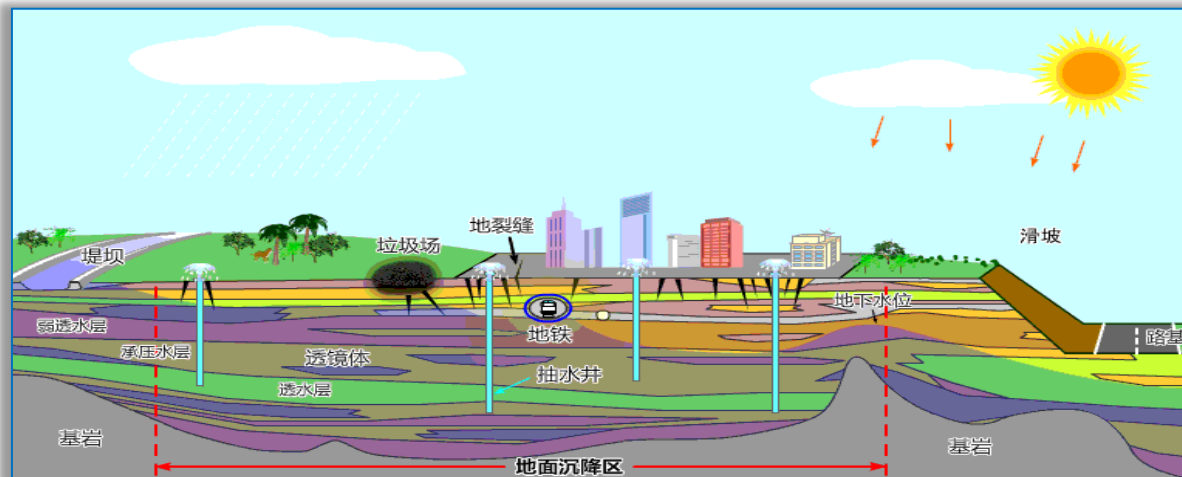
Depth	Target	Resolution	Technical / Requirement
0.5km	Underground Space Using	m	Fine Technology in Shallow Layers
1km	Aquifer Exploration	m	Aviation & Ground
3 km	Metal Mineral	m~10m	Multi parameter Precision Positioning technology
4 km	Unconventional oil and gas	~m	Seismic and multi parameter combination
4-6km	Geothermal resources development	10m	Terrestrial Heat Flow Electromagnetism, Seismic and drilling
10 km	Deep oil and gas exploration	~10m	Seismic and multi parameter combination
40 km	Perspective Earth, Earthquake, Volcano	100m-level	Deep seismic reflection, Magnetotelluric
1000 km	Deep structure, Dynamics	10km-level	Natural seismic network, High temperature and high pressure experiment, Numerical simulation

Figure 2: Relation Between Four Levels of Exploration Depth and Technical Equipments

Projects will be Designed

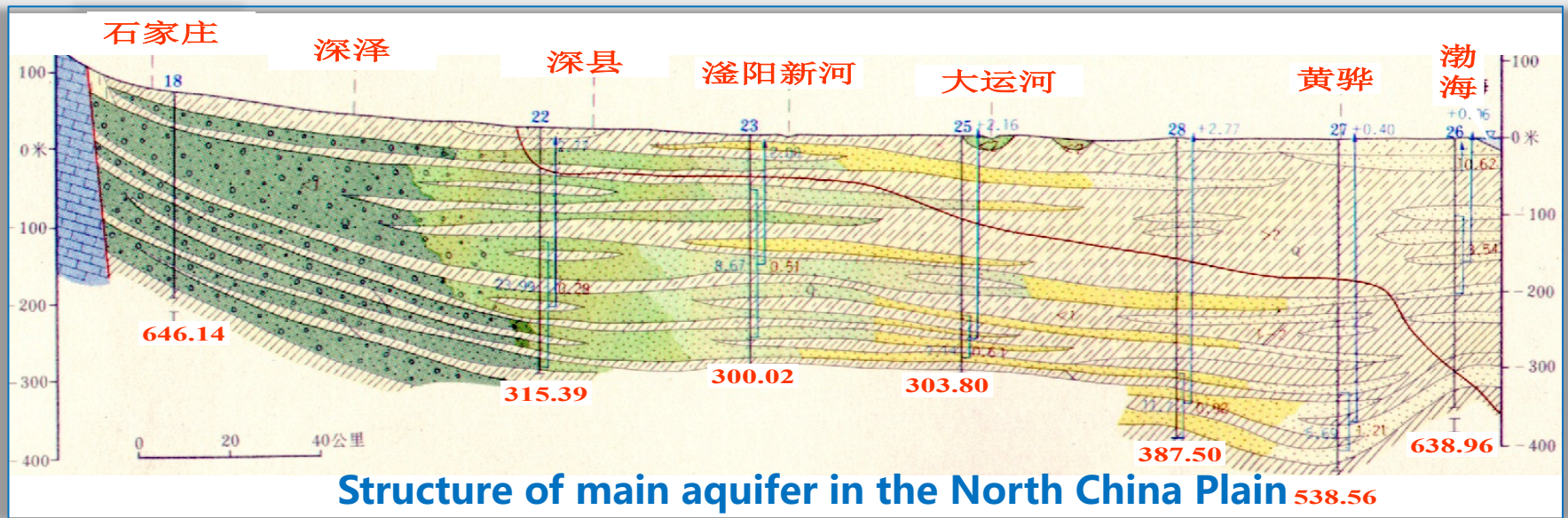
Project 1: Underground Space Survey and Safe Utilization

Conduct urban underground space resources, establish 3D geological models at depth of 200m, and evaluate the volume of urban underground space resources to ensure overall urban safety and safe utilization of underground space resources.



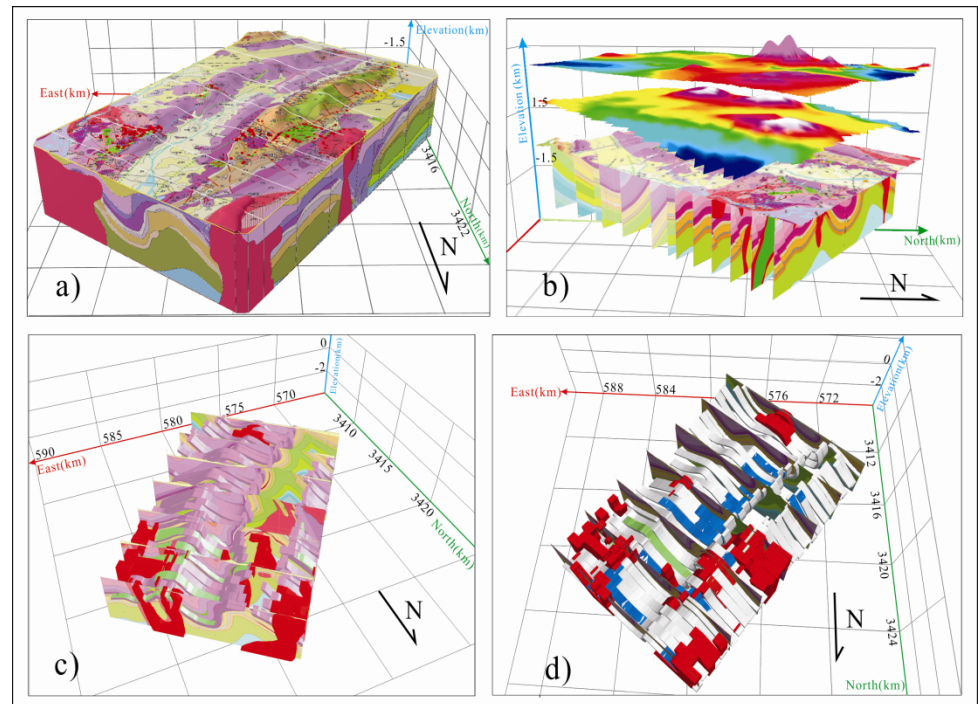
Project 2: Deep Aquifer Structural Survey

Focus on major aquifer structural exploration at the depths of 500-2,000m, explore new room for emergency water supply; increase supply capacity in regions with dense population and fast economic development.



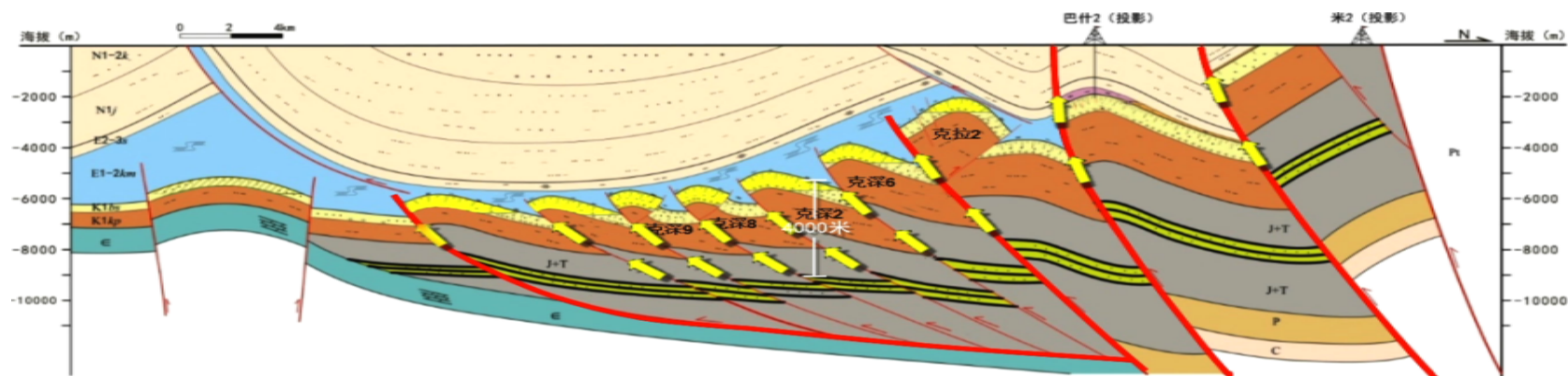
Project 3: Exploration and Evaluation of Deep Mineral Resources (less than 3,000m in depth)

- Understand deep controlling and space distribution of minerals, innovate deep metallogenesis theories and develop deep exploration technologies, and form effective 3-D exploration technology capabilities at the depth of 3,000m



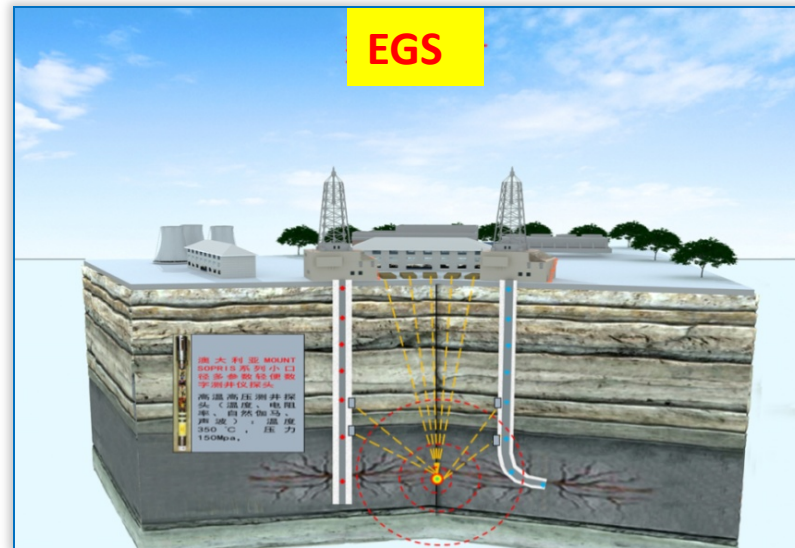
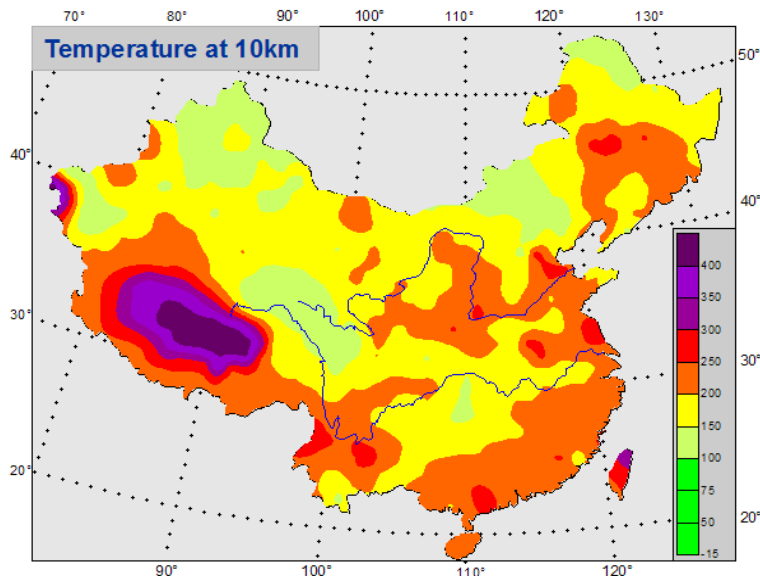
Project 4: Deep Oil and Gas Exploration and Mining

- Focus on super-deep oil and gas (6000-10000m), deep shale oil (>3500m), shale gas (>4000m), as well as organic and inorganic composite hydrocarbon; Identify hydrocarbon accumulation mechanisms to evaluate resources potential



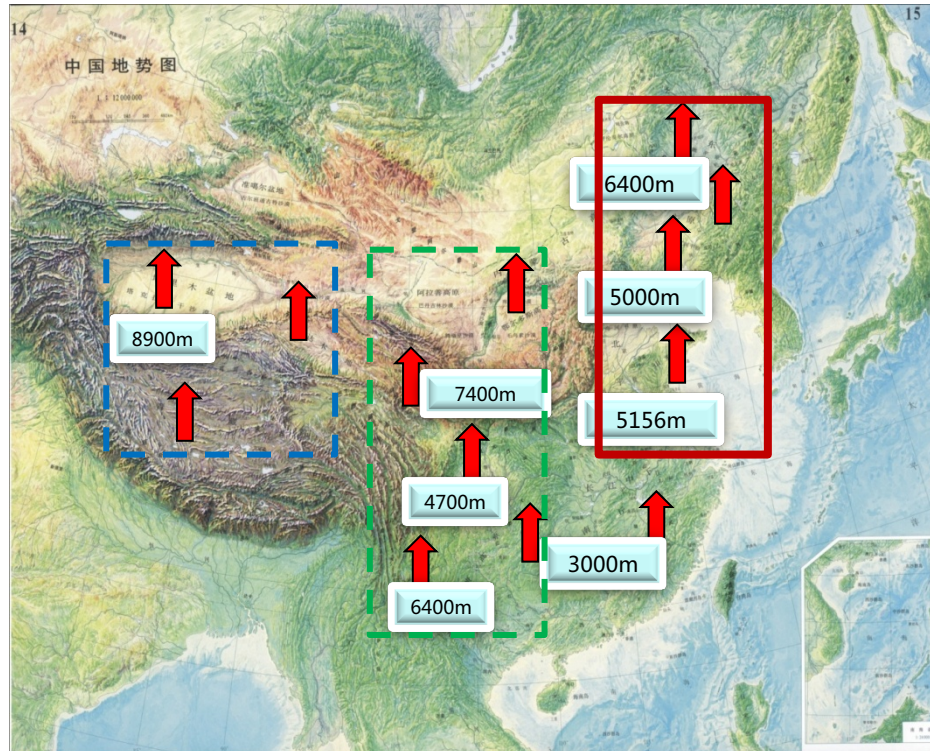
Project 5: Geothermal Resources Exploration and Geothermal Utilization

Carry out deep geothermal resources exploration; Reveal accumulation mechanism of deep geothermal resources; Form geothermal resources exploration and development technologies; Evaluate geothermal resources potential; Build geothermal scientific development and utilization platforms; Propose scientific development and utilization of regional geothermal resources;



Project 6: Deep Underground Monitoring and Crustal Activity Monitoring

Build well group (4000-7000m) observation systems along Tan-lu Fault Zone in east and Longmenshan Active Fault in west of China; Realize the combination of surface seismic stations, surface and underground (less than 1000m) stress.

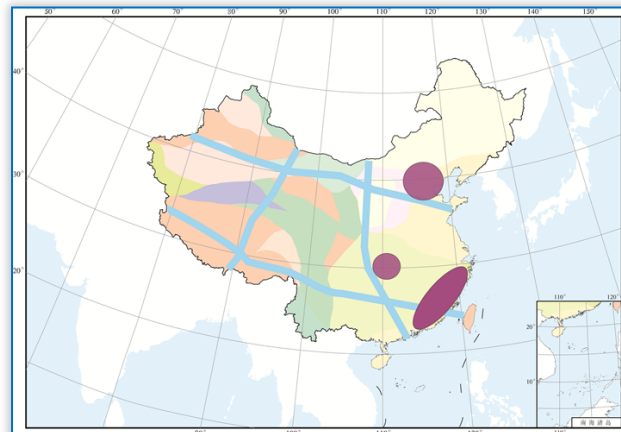


Topic : National Stress Monitoring Network

Establish stress monitoring networks of China's major tectonic units and active belts and observation stations of major active faults so as to increase the level of crustal activity monitoring.

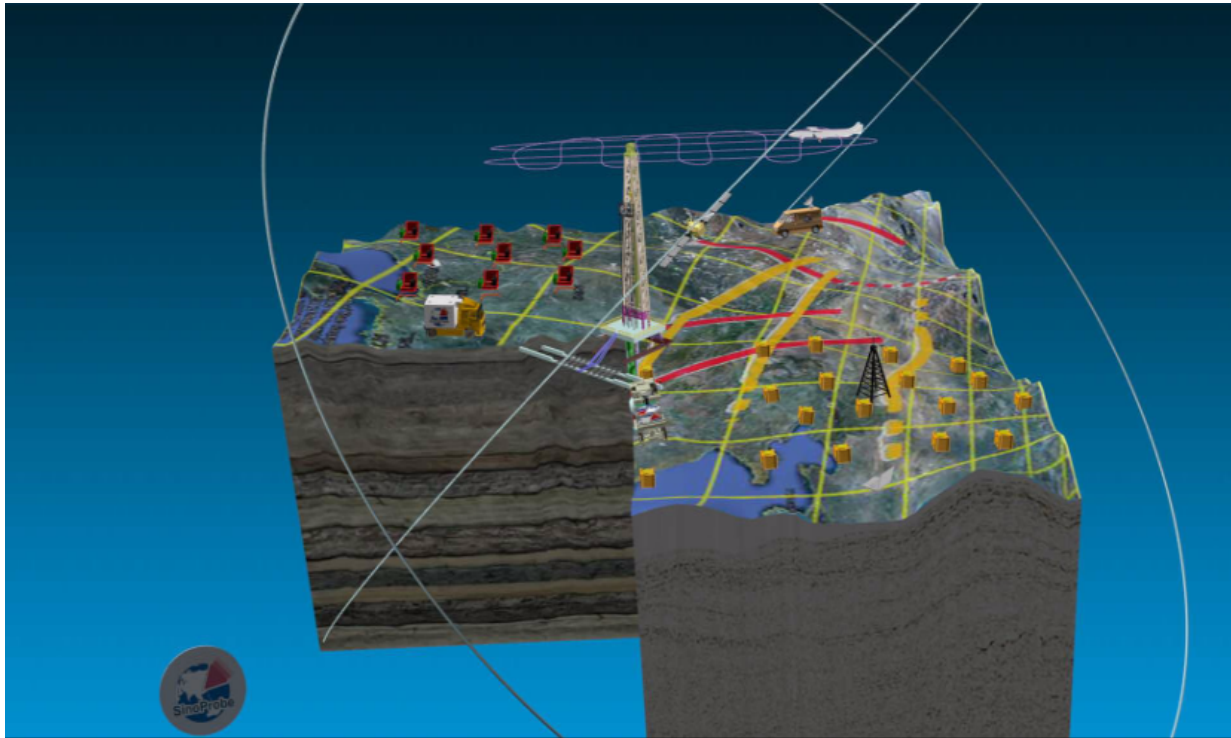
- (1) National stress monitoring network;**
- (2) stress observation station group of major active faults.**

Deploy 100 drilling holes to carry out deep hole monitoring measurement along the 4 national stress measurement profiles.



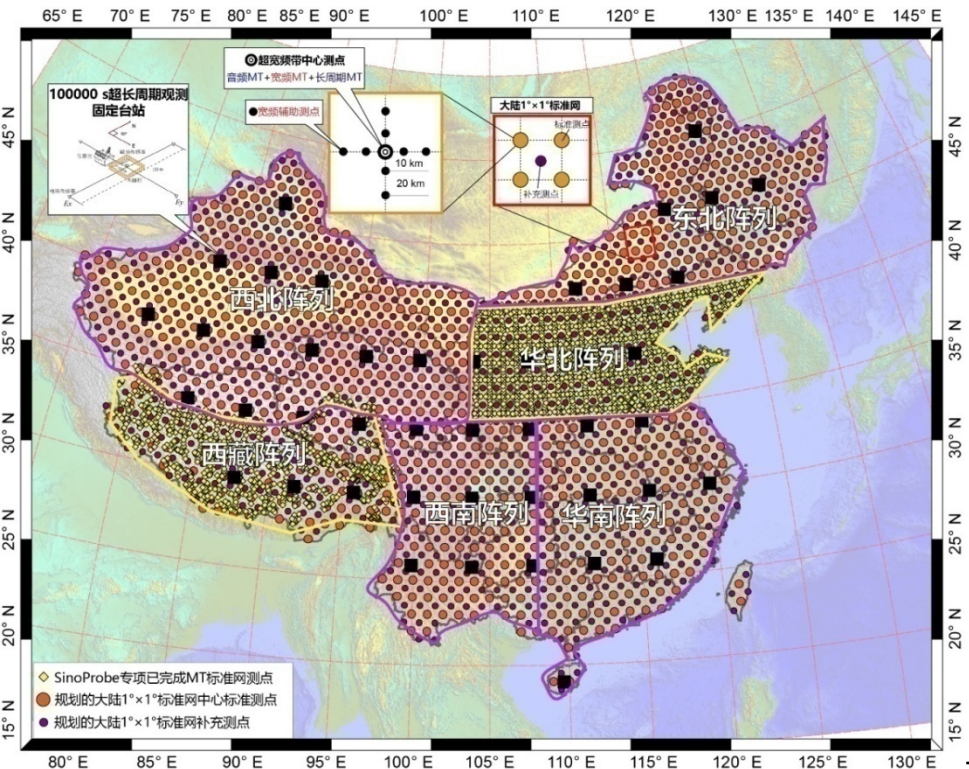
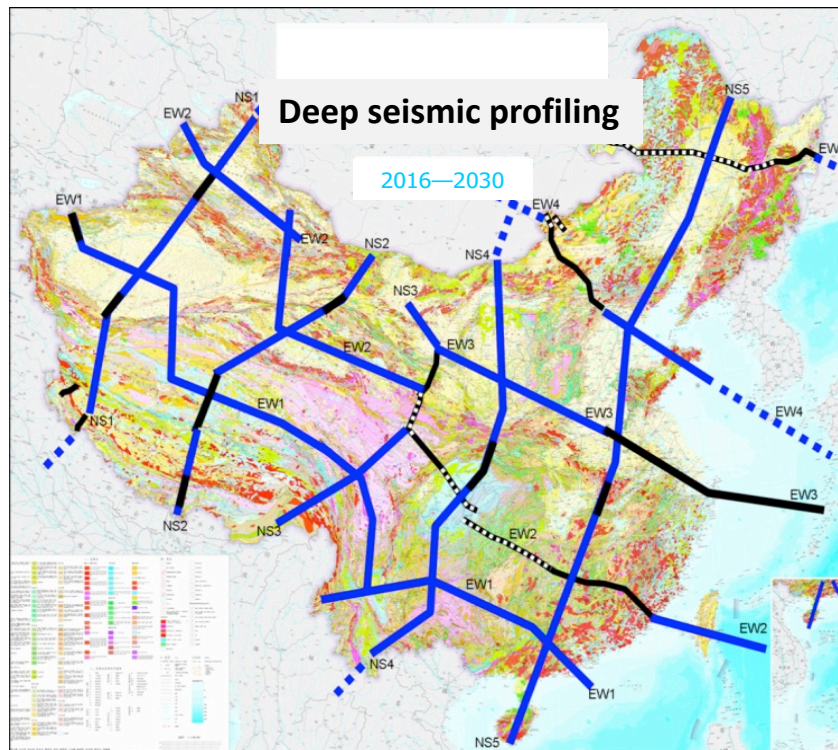
Project 7: Development Technology and Equipment of Deep Exploration

Development in key deep exploration instruments and equipment; such as super deep scientific drilling equipment(15000m).



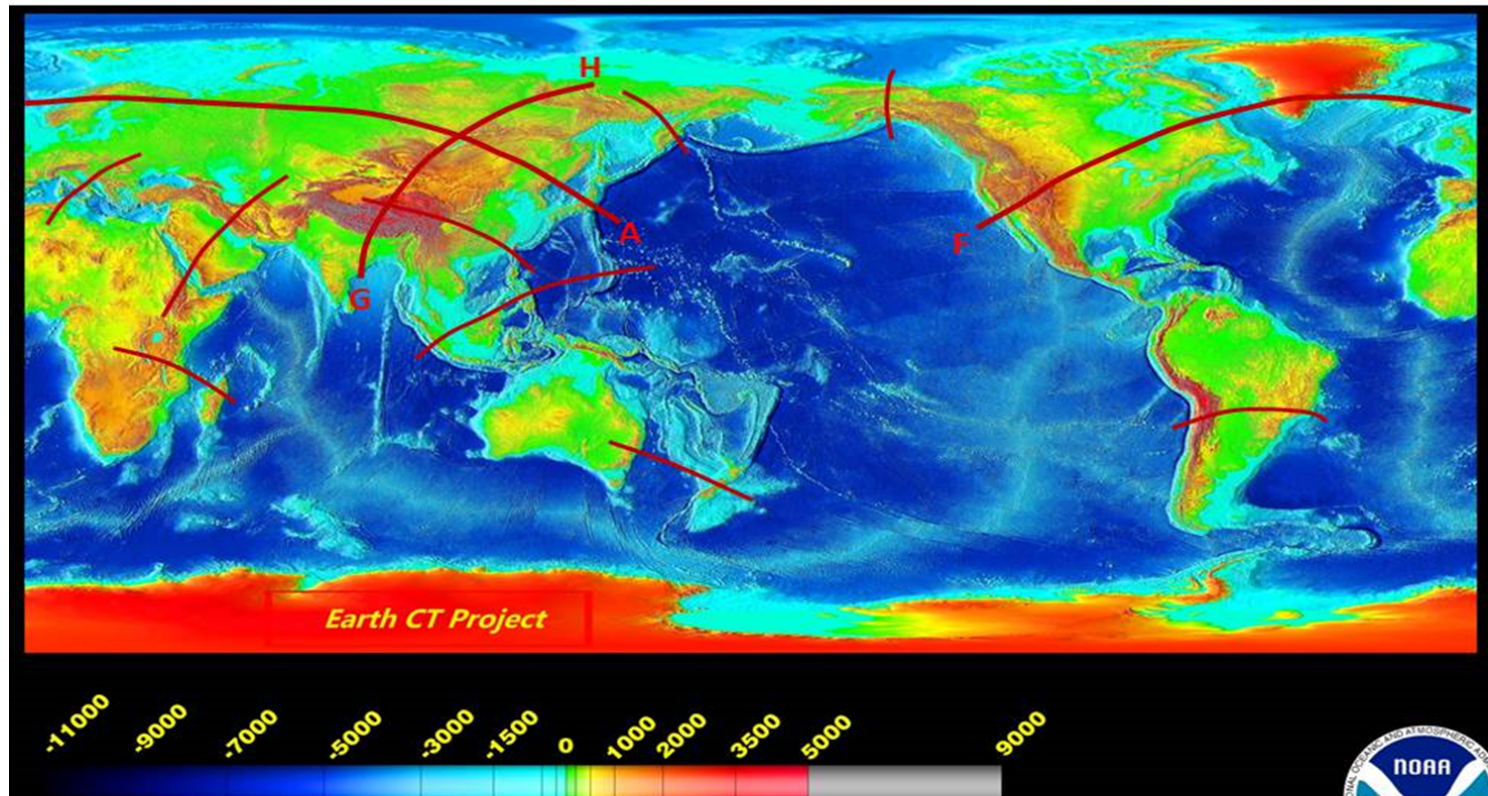
Project 8: Deep Process and Geodynamics

- Strengthen exploration of the lithosphere and composition of Eastern Central Asia and reveal the deep process and relevant influence on surface environment\resources\geohazards.



“The Earth CT”: an international cooperation

- To integrate the profilings to make a global transection
- Leading by deep seismic reflection technology and adopting multi-disciplinary approaches, transcontinental, continental-oceanic, super-long and high-resolution will focus on comprehensive research on geoscience transect.



1、Lithosphere transect and geoscience corridor in global “Big Cross”

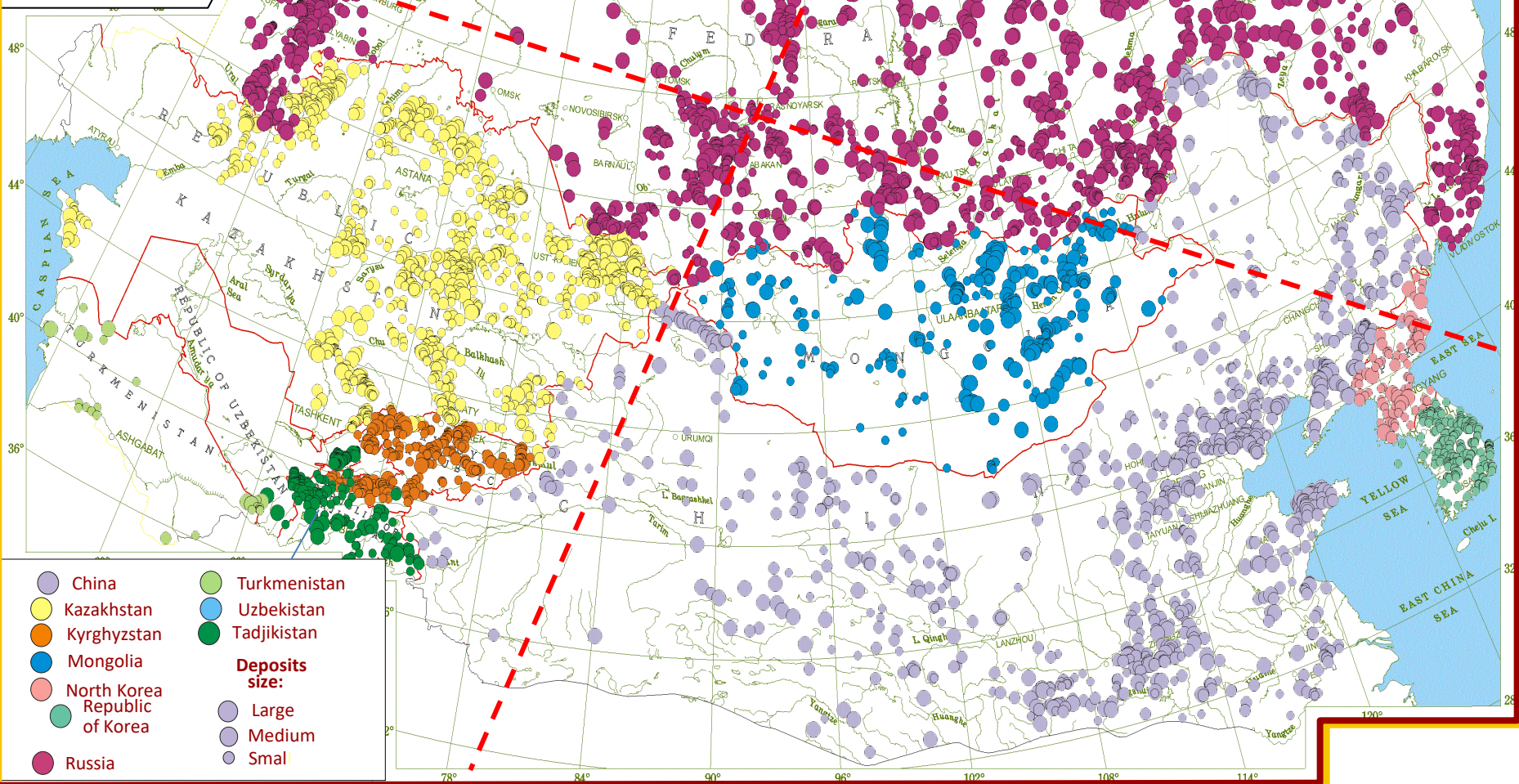
(1) Eurasian continent-Atlantic-North American continent transect and corridor (A-F transect, about 20,200km).

(2) India-Tibetan Plateau-Baikar-Siberia geoscience transect (Chart 1, G-H transect, about 8,000km).

2、Lithosphere transect and geoscience corridor in Critical Zones

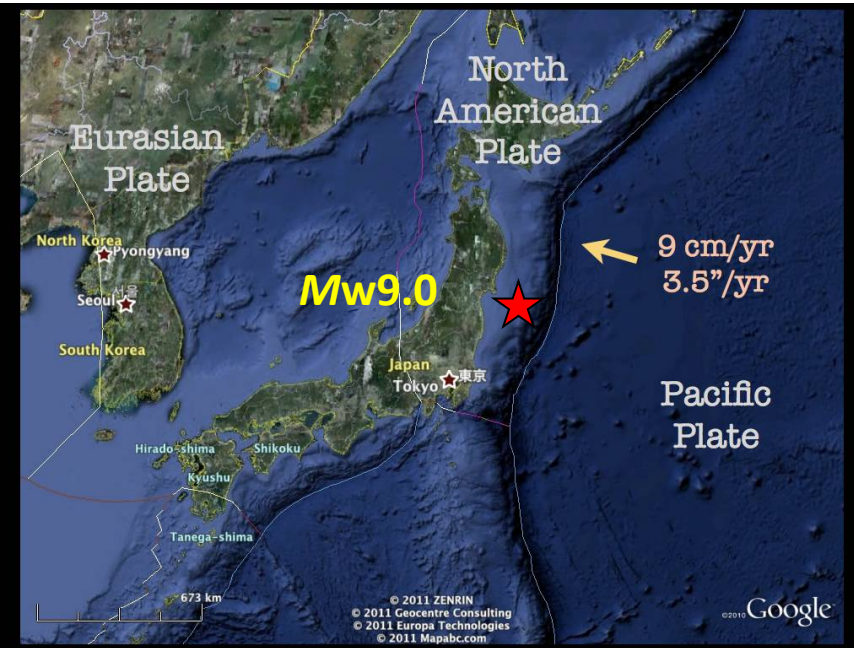
Mineral Deposits Map

Scale 1 : 2 500 000



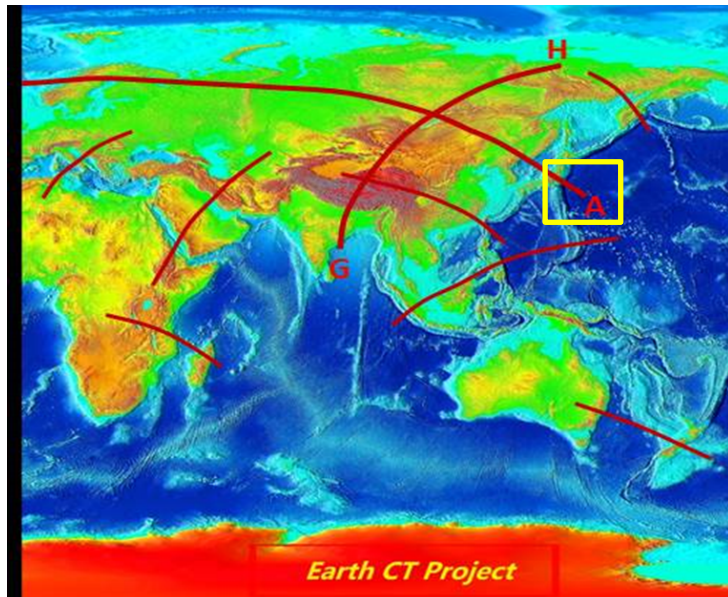
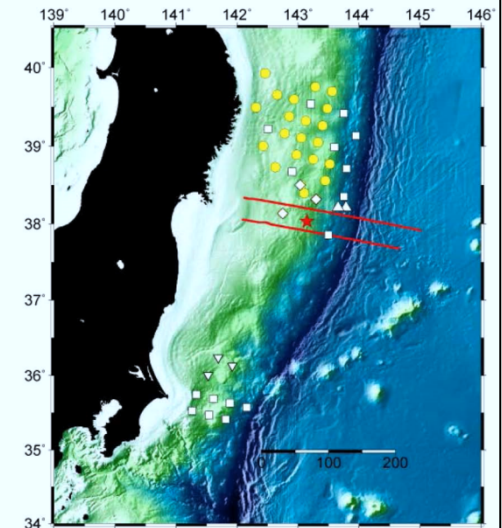
Tohoku Earthquake(Mw9.0)

日本宮城大地震

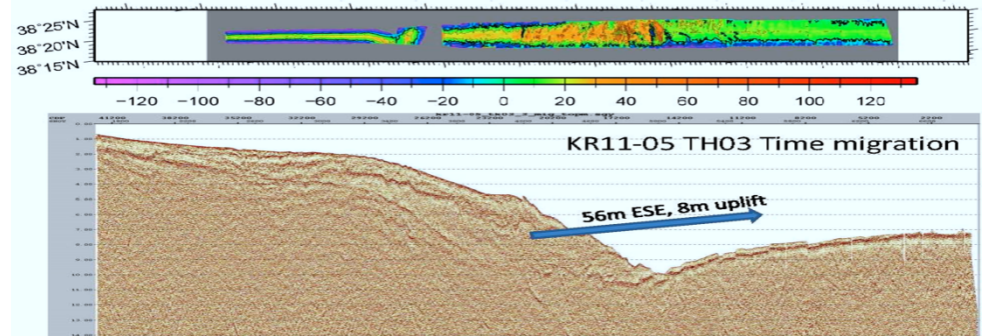


Rapid response geophysical cruise

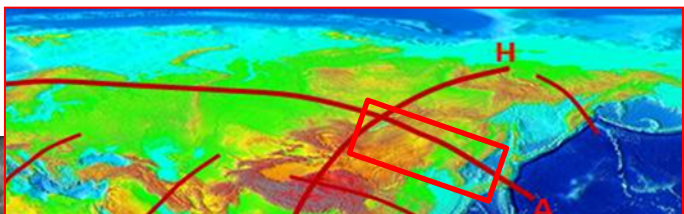
- 2011/3/14~3/31 (18days)、
- R/V KAIRE
- OBS deployment and recovery: JAMSTEC, ERI, Tohoku Univ.
- OBS and OBP
- Seismic reflection survey
- Seabeam



Bathymetry: before and after the earthquake [KR11-05 TH03] — [KR99-08 MY102]



Overriding block may move about 56 m ESE-ward and about 8 m uplift, but need more processing



Songliao Basin

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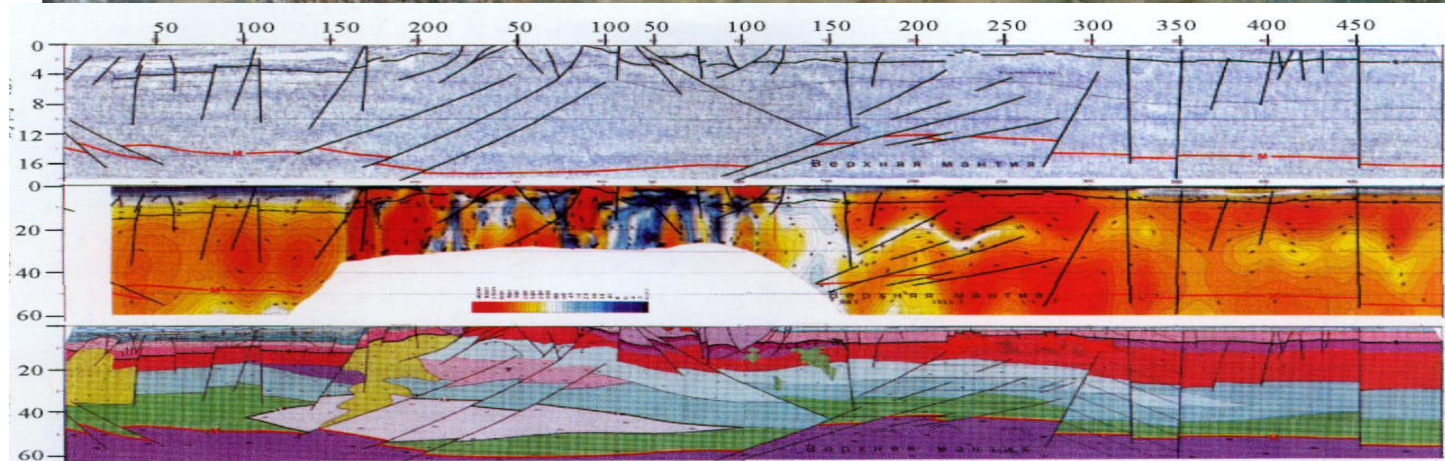
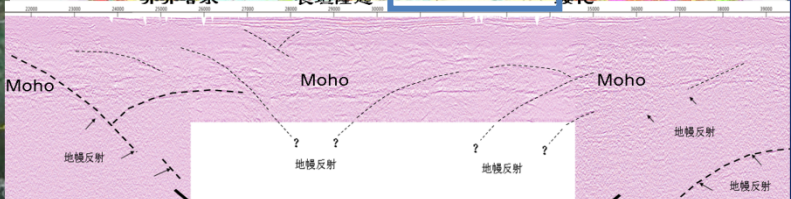
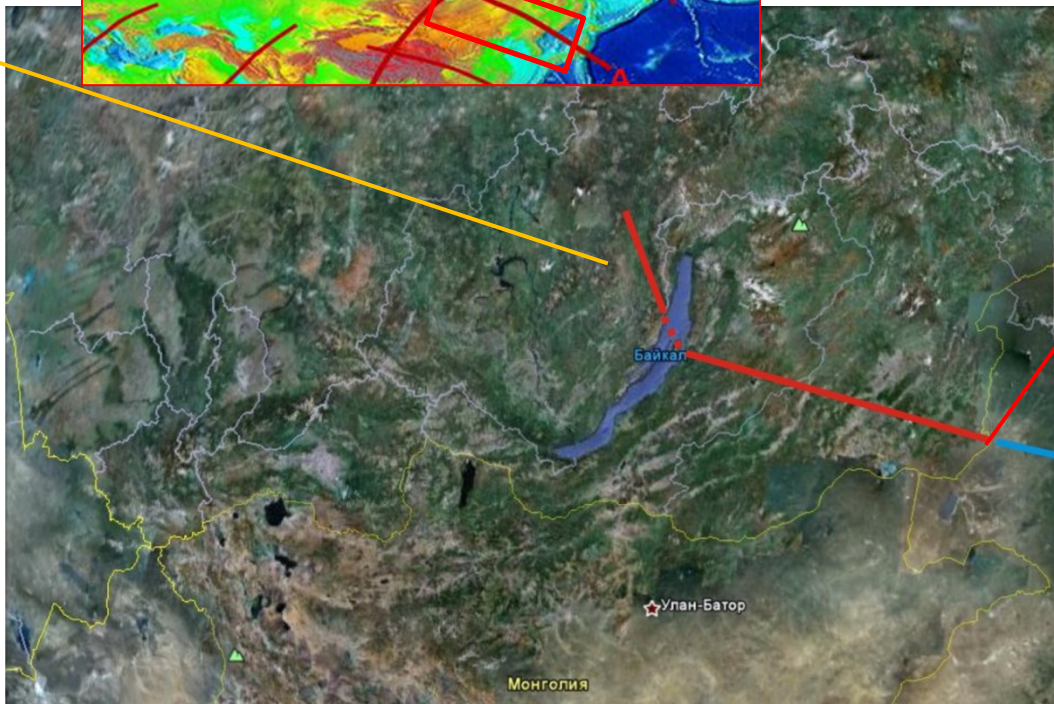
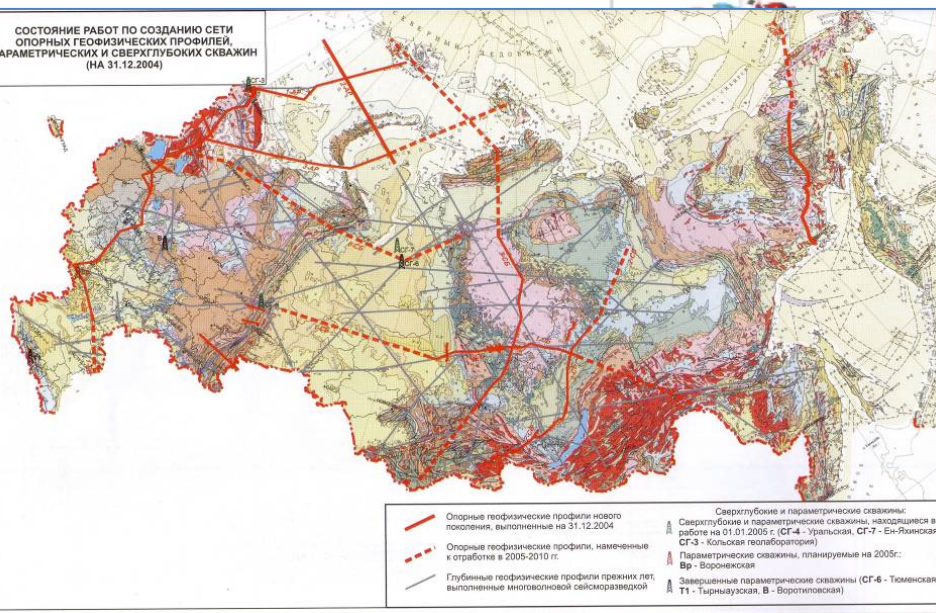


图 16 俄罗斯南西伯利亚反射地震剖面 1-SB(据 Annural Report of Federal Agency of Mineral Resouces, 2005)

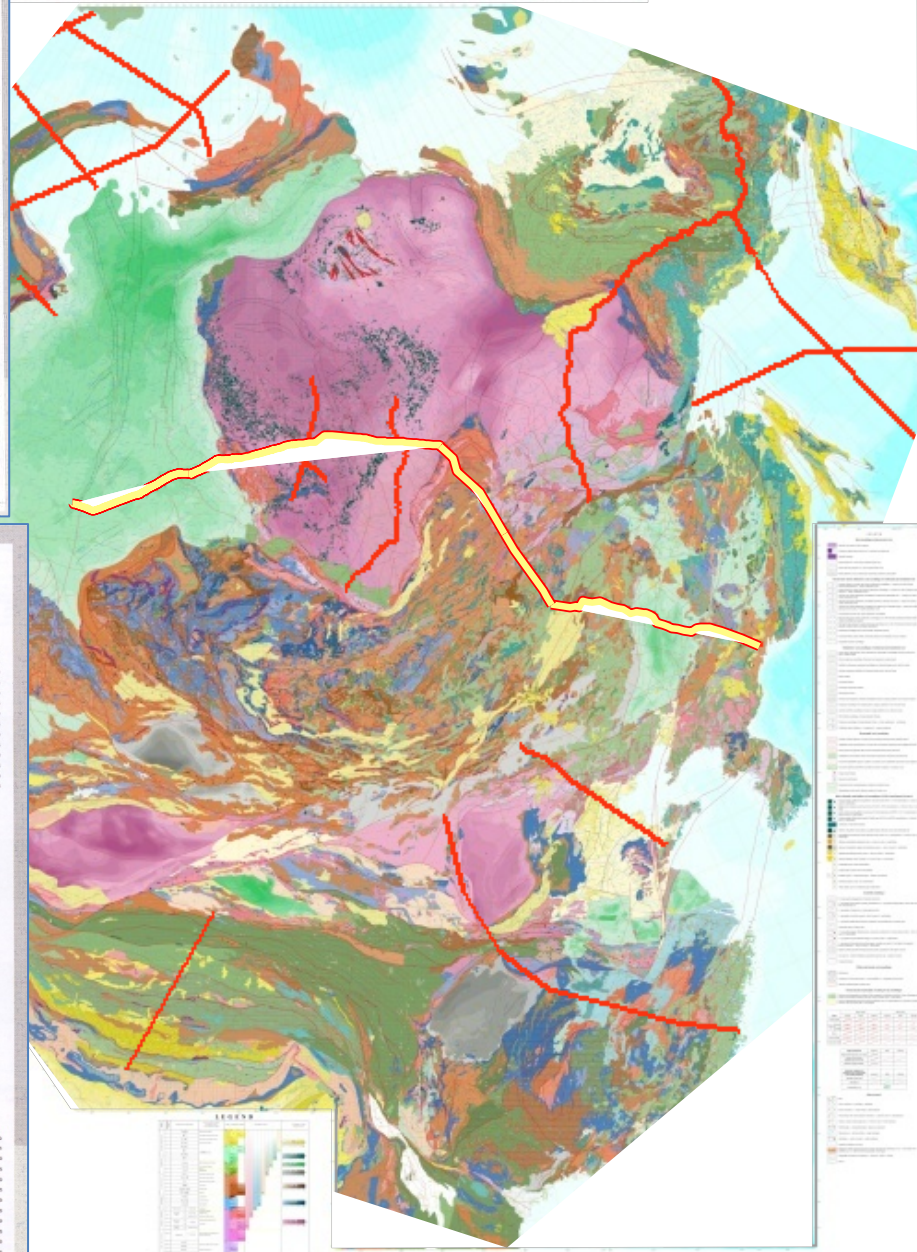


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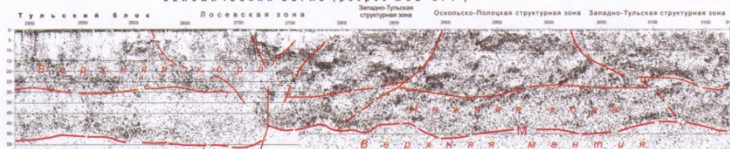
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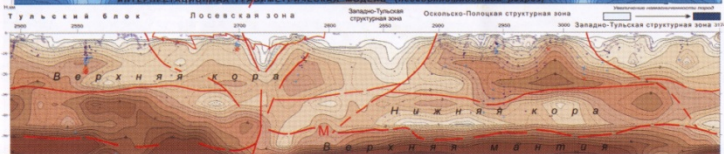
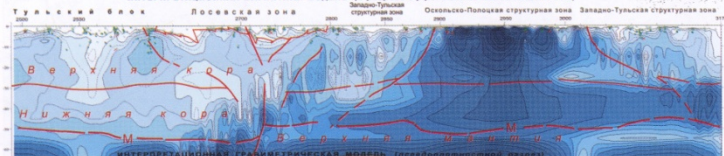
TECTONIC MAP OF NORTHERN-CENTRAL- EASTERN ASIA AND ADJACENT AREAS



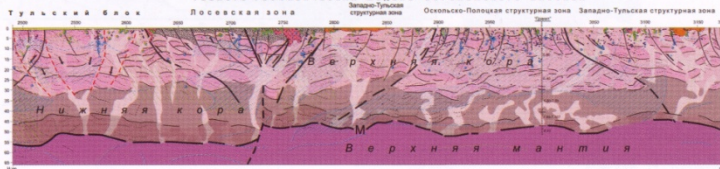
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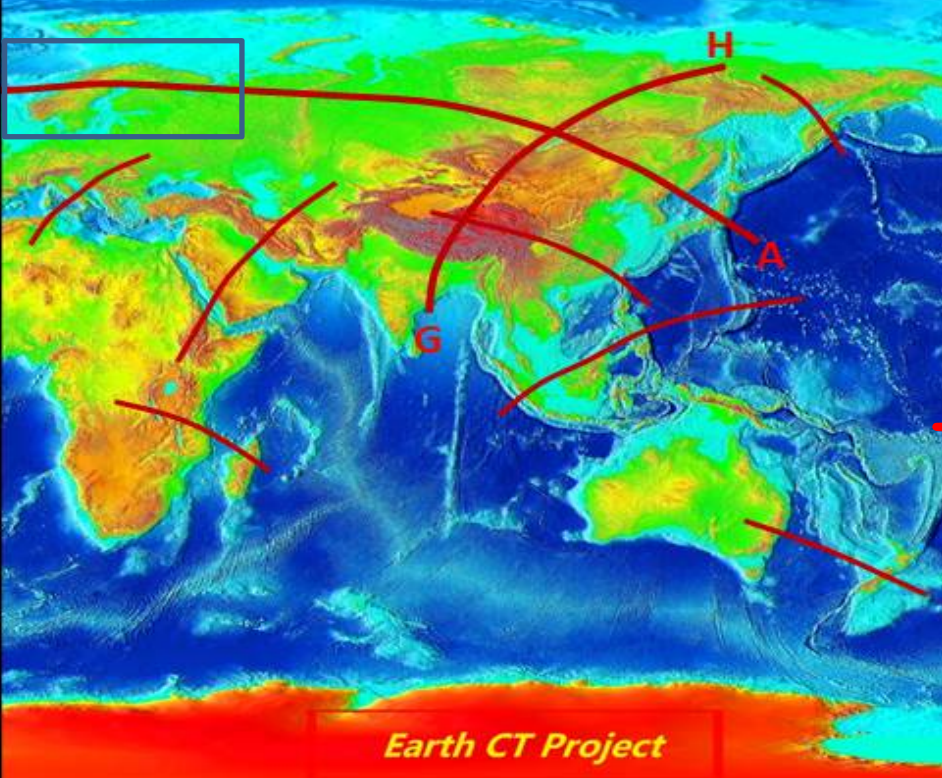


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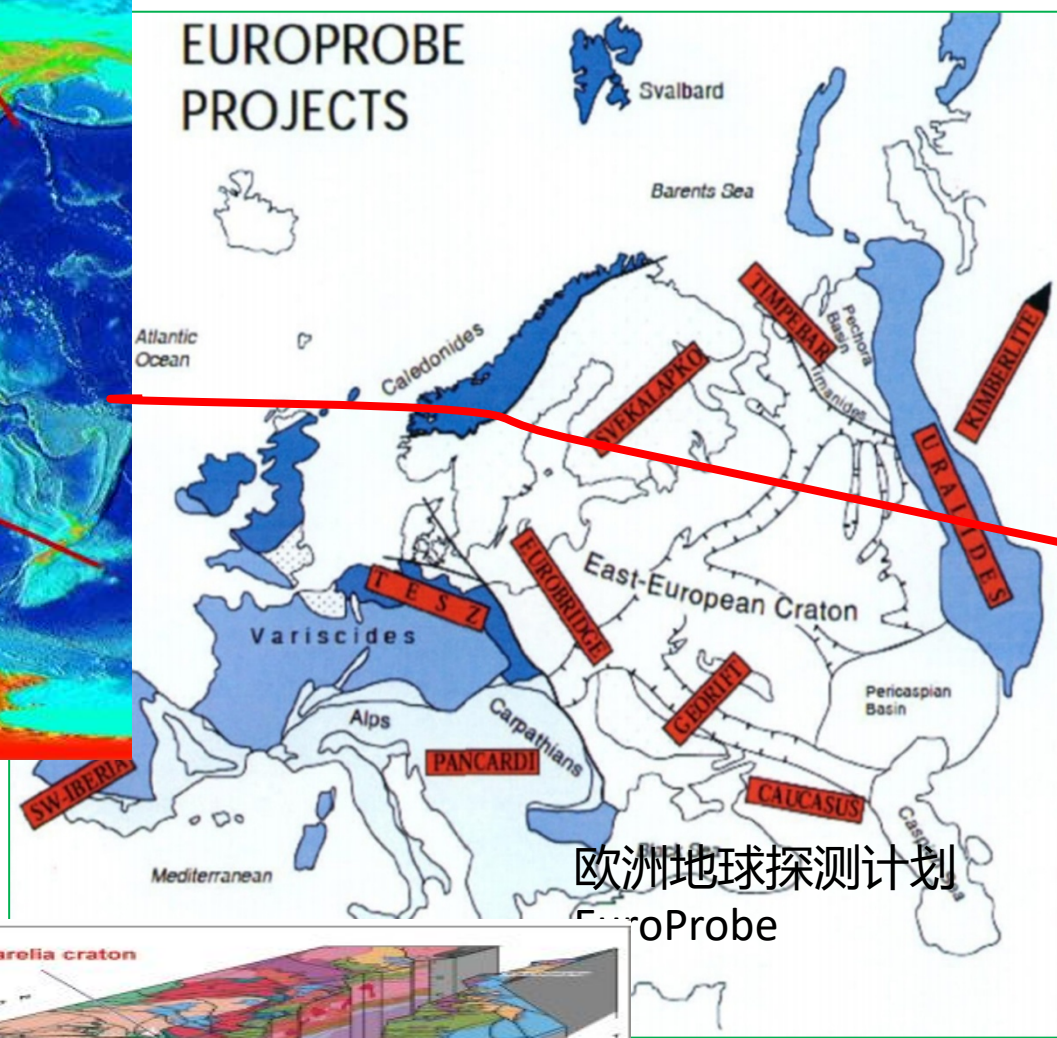


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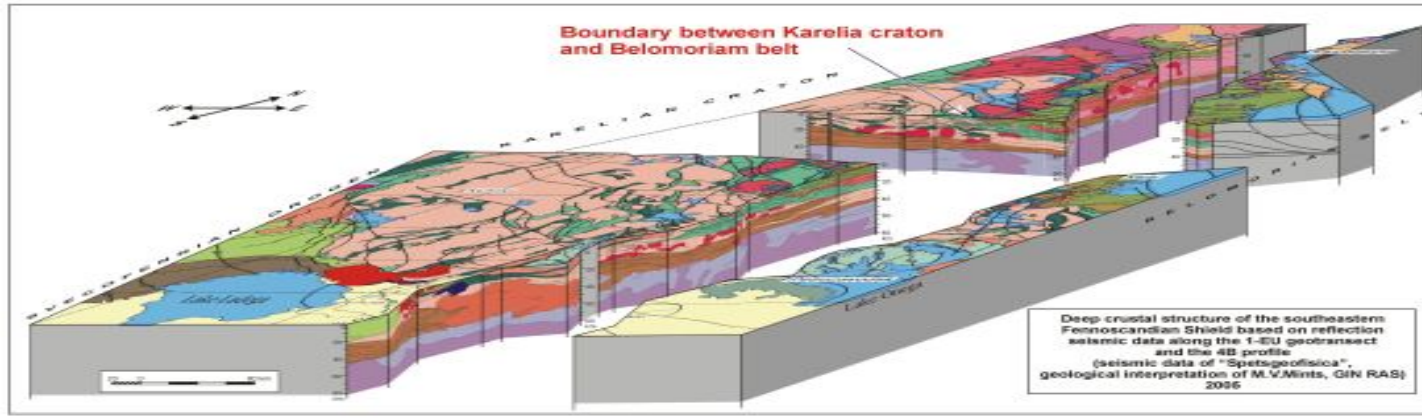


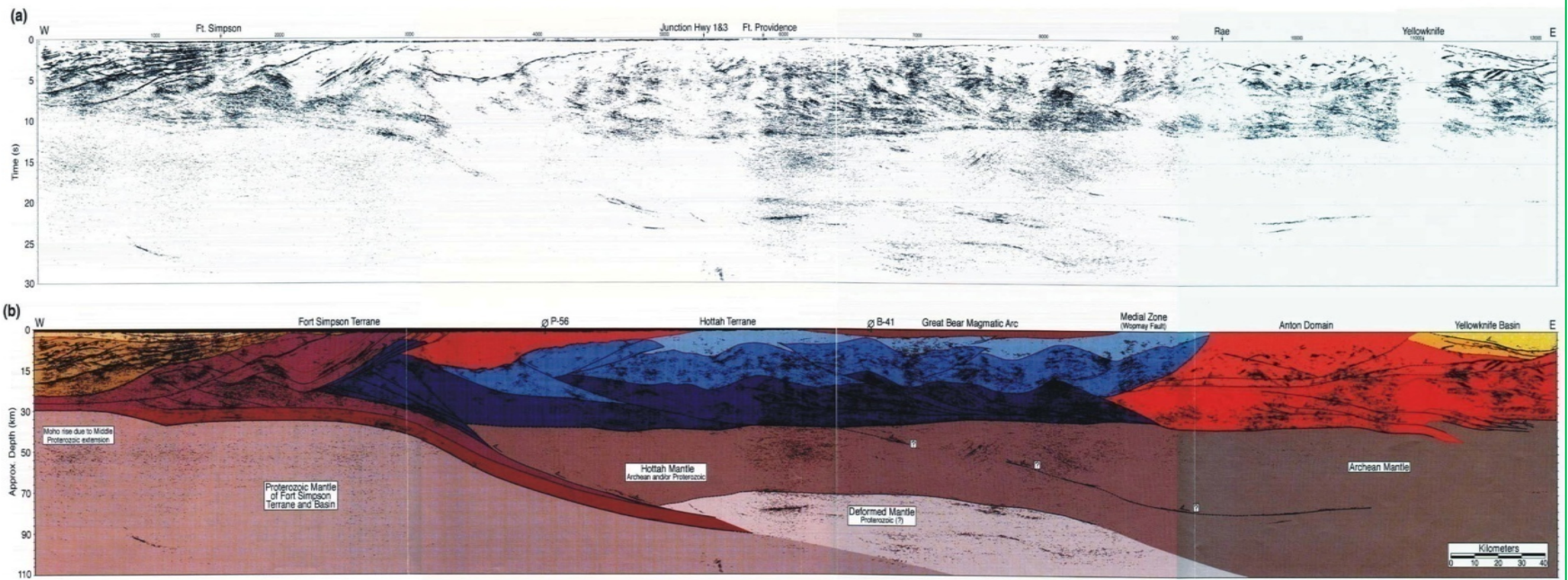
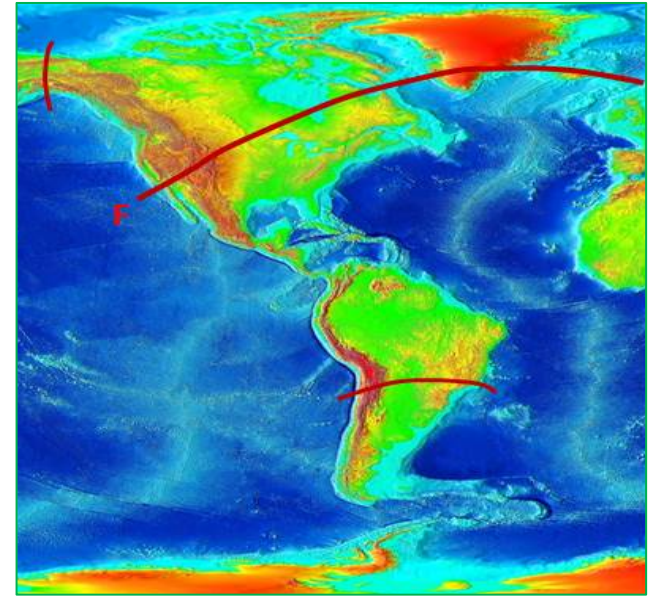
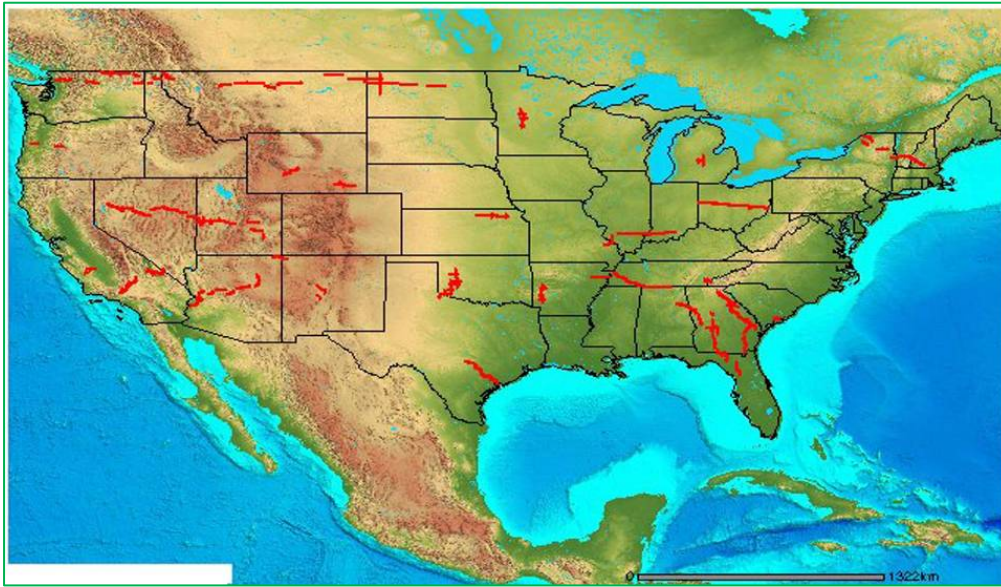


EUROPROBE PROJECTS



欧洲地球探测计划
EuroProbe





The many references used in the compilation of the integrated cross section and the two data panels are included in the data repository accompanying this article (Appendix DR2; see text footnote 1).



International Cooperation Organizations



JOHANNES GUTENBERG
UNIVERSITÄT MAINZ



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Sino-US Cooperation Forum on Deep Exploration 深部探测中美合作论坛

主办单位：深部探测技术与实验研究专项管理办公室

时间：2011年4月28日9:00-12:00

地点：中国地质科学院深部探测研究中心（地科院院内西侧）

主讲人：董树文 研究员

Leonard E. Johnson 教授

David Simpson 博士

Francis Wu 教授

参加研讨人员：Prof. Walter Mooney (USGS), Dr. Emily Ashworth (NSF),
深部探测技术与实验研究专项 (SinoProbe) 相关项目负责人、在研人员，欢迎有兴趣的专家、学生参加。



中国深部探测进展

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美国国家自然科学基金会大陆动力学计划概况

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美国自然科学基金会地球学部主要负责大陆、造陆运动块起源、结构、组成、动力学演化等相关学科的综合性研究项目的资助、设立、评估和监督工作，特别侧重于那些集多学科、多方法研究于一体的、多部门联合参与的、中长期规划的大型地球学项目的设立和资助工作。其大陆动力学部新设立的项目主要有：大陆动力学 (美国地质

透镜计划)、地球物理、岩石与地球化学、构造地质学、地球生物学实验设备与设施建设等。



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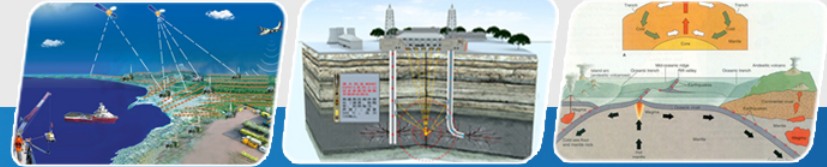




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