

Using sets of realizations of kinematic slip distributions along the Marmara Sea fault to produce site-specific ground motion models for Istanbul

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Software for physics-based ground motion simulations (PBS): SPEED @PolIMI



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SPEED – Spectral Elements in Elastodynamics with Discontinuous Galerkin

SPEED is an open-source code designed with the aim of simulating large-scale seismic events in three-dimensional complex media: from far-field to near-field including soil-structure interaction effects.

SPEED combines the flexibility of discontinuous Galerkin methods to connect together, through a domain decomposition paradigm, Spectral Element blocks where high-order polynomials are used. **SPEED** heavily exploits parallelism in the framework of explicit time integration and features optimal scalability properties making use of the open-source libraries METIS and MPI for mesh partitioning and message passing.

SPEED is jointly developed at Politecnico di Milano by The Laboratory for Modeling and Scientific Computing MOX of the Department of Mathematics and by the Department of Civil and Environmental Engineering



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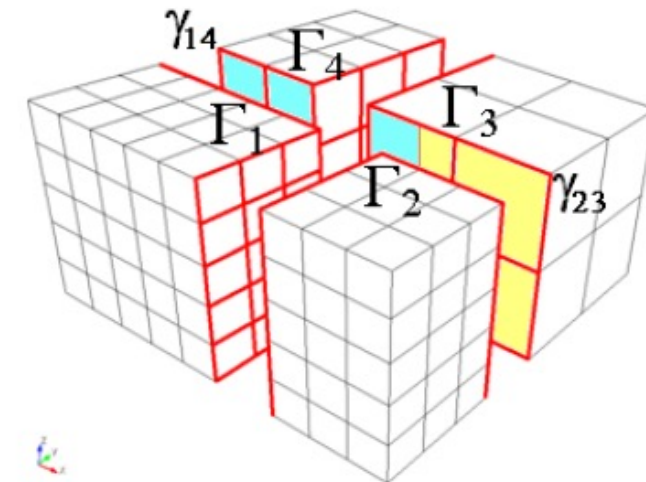
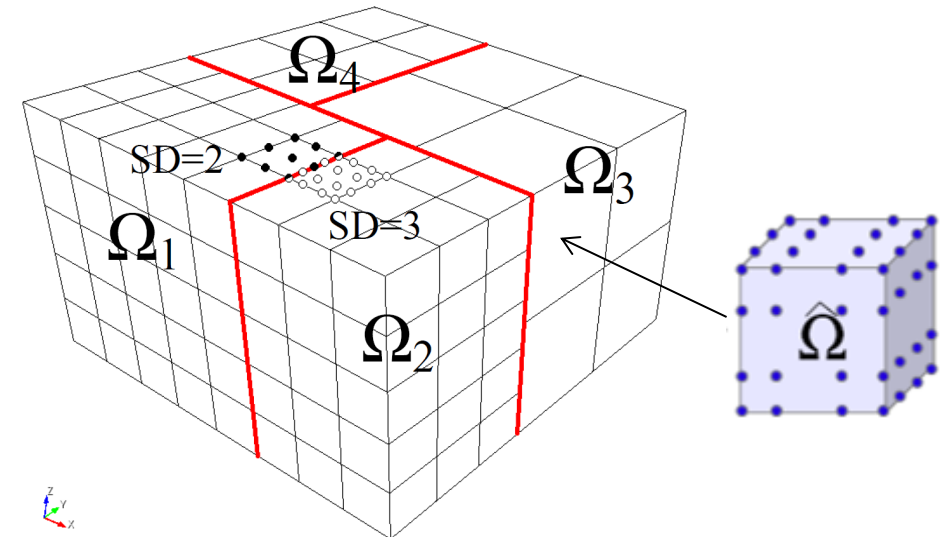
Introduction of the Spectral Element Method enhanced by Discrete Galerkin approach

Features

- 3D unstructured **conforming** and **non-conforming hexahedral meshes** (e.g., between sub-domains $\Omega_{1,2}$, Ω_3 and Ω_4)
- **Non uniform polynomial approximation orders** (e.g., between sub-domains Ω_1 and Ω_2)
- leap-frog FD time advancing scheme
- **visco-elastic and non-linear elastic soil behaviour**

Kernel

- hybrid parallel programming based on MPI and OpenMP
- METIS software library to handle partitioning and load balancing
- designed for multi-core machines or large clusters
- optimized for HPC clusters (e.g., Leonardo@CINECA)

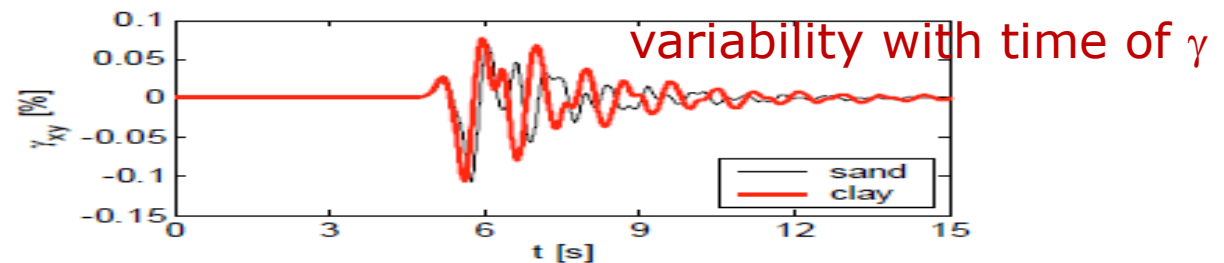
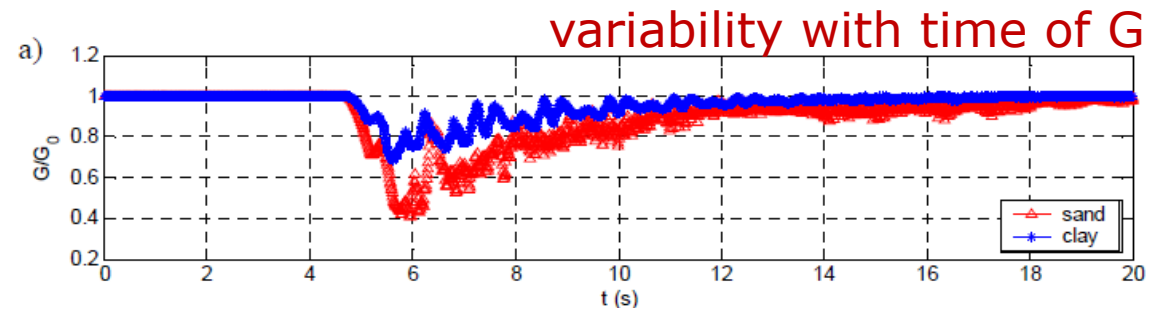
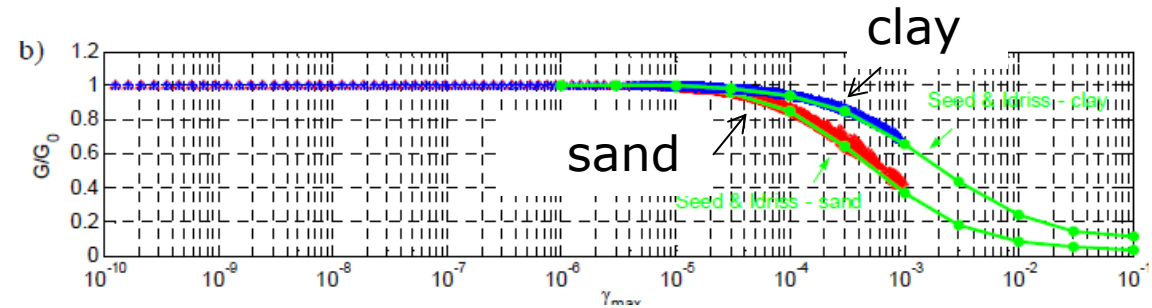


Soil modelling in SPEED

non-linear elasticity

viscoelastic models

- ✓ $Q = \text{const}$
- ✓ $Q = Q_0 f$
- ✓ Rayleigh damping



Kinematic modeling of the seismic source

$$m_{ij}^k(\underline{x}, t) = \frac{M_0^k(\underline{x}, t)}{V^k} (\underline{v}_i^k n_j + \underline{v}_j^k n_i)$$

volume of the k^{th} subfault

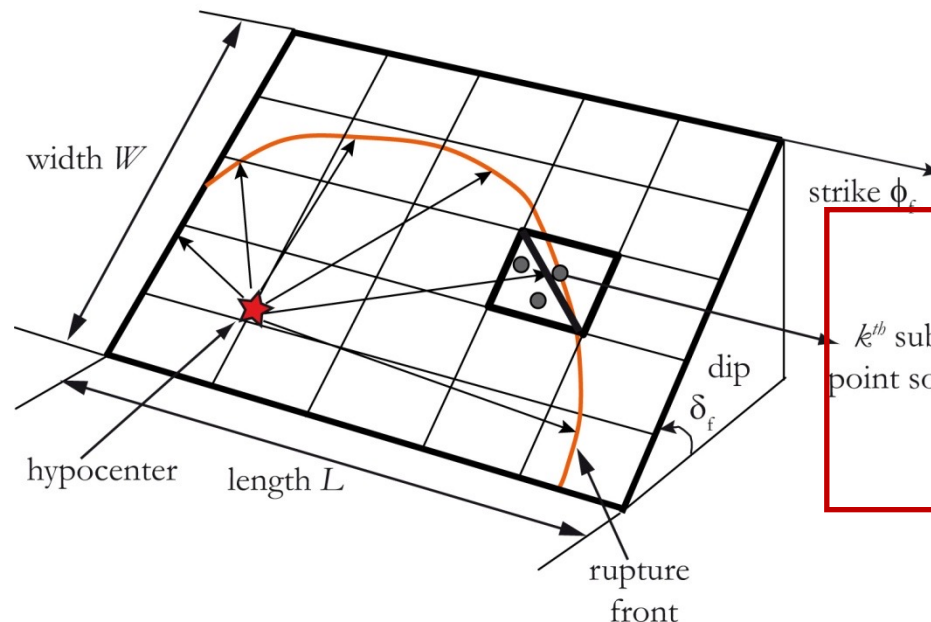
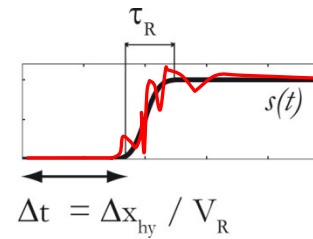
slip and normal fault vectors
 $f(\delta_f, \lambda_f, \varphi_f)$

$$M_0^k(\underline{x}, t) = \mu^k \Delta u^k A^k s(t - \Delta t^k; \tau_R^k)$$

shear modulus

co-seismic slip

Slip source function



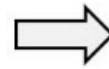
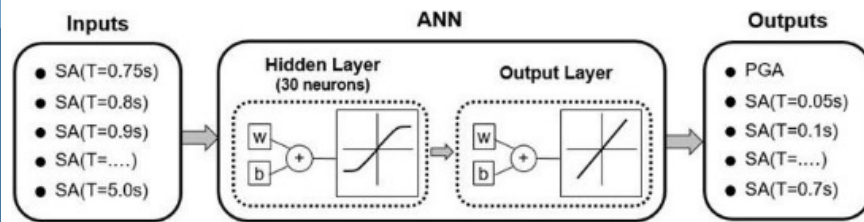
- shear modulus μ^k
- slip Δu^k
- area A^k
- rise time τ_R^k
- rupture velocity V_R^k
- rake angle λ_f^k
- delay Δt^k

ANN2BB: BB ground motions using Artificial Neural Networks

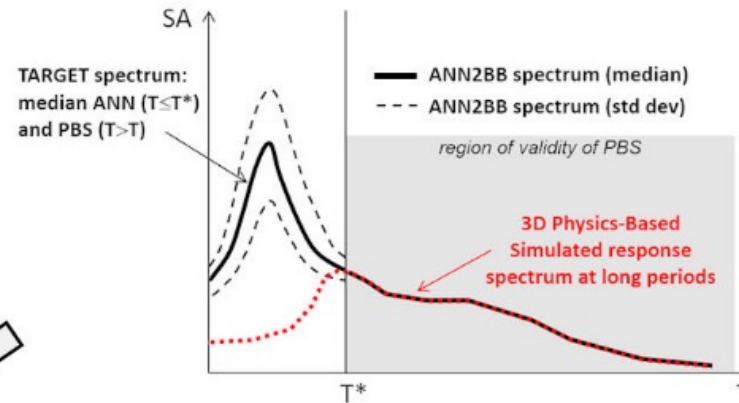
Broadband Ground Motions from 3D Physics-Based Numerical Simulations Using Artificial Neural Networks

by Roberto Paolucci, Filippo Gatti, Maria Infantino, Chiara Smerzini, Ali Güney Özcebe, and Marco Stupazzini

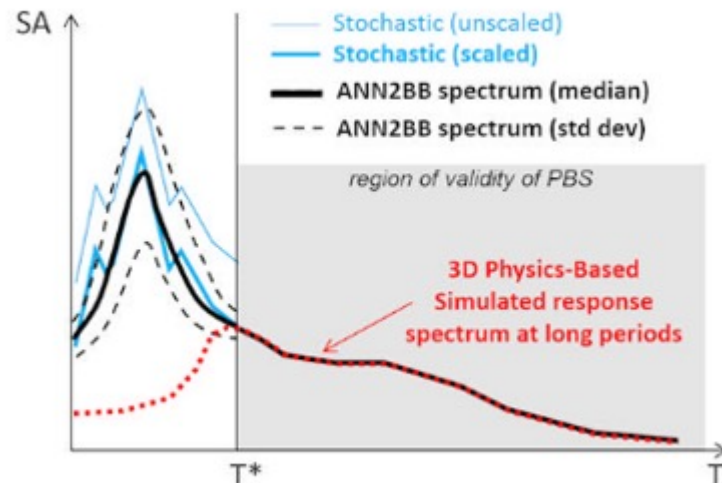
(1) Training of an Artificial Neural Network (ANN) based on a dataset of strong-motion recordings



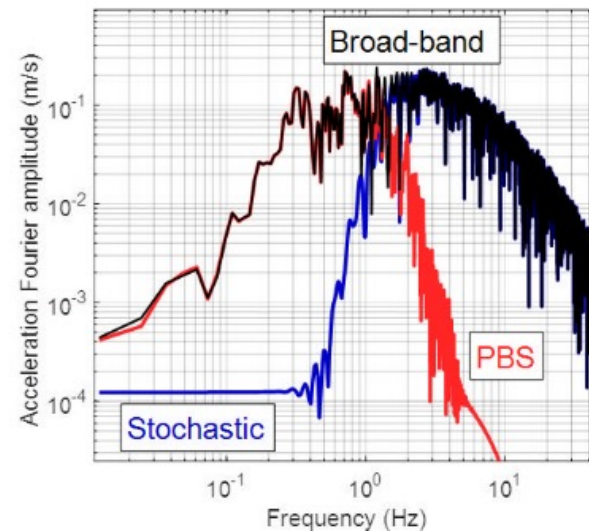
(2) Application of ANN to predict short period spectral ordinates based on PBS results ($T \geq T^*$)



(3) Simulation and linear scaling of a stochastic signal to approach the target ANN2BB spectrum



(4) Combination of stochastic and PBS signals



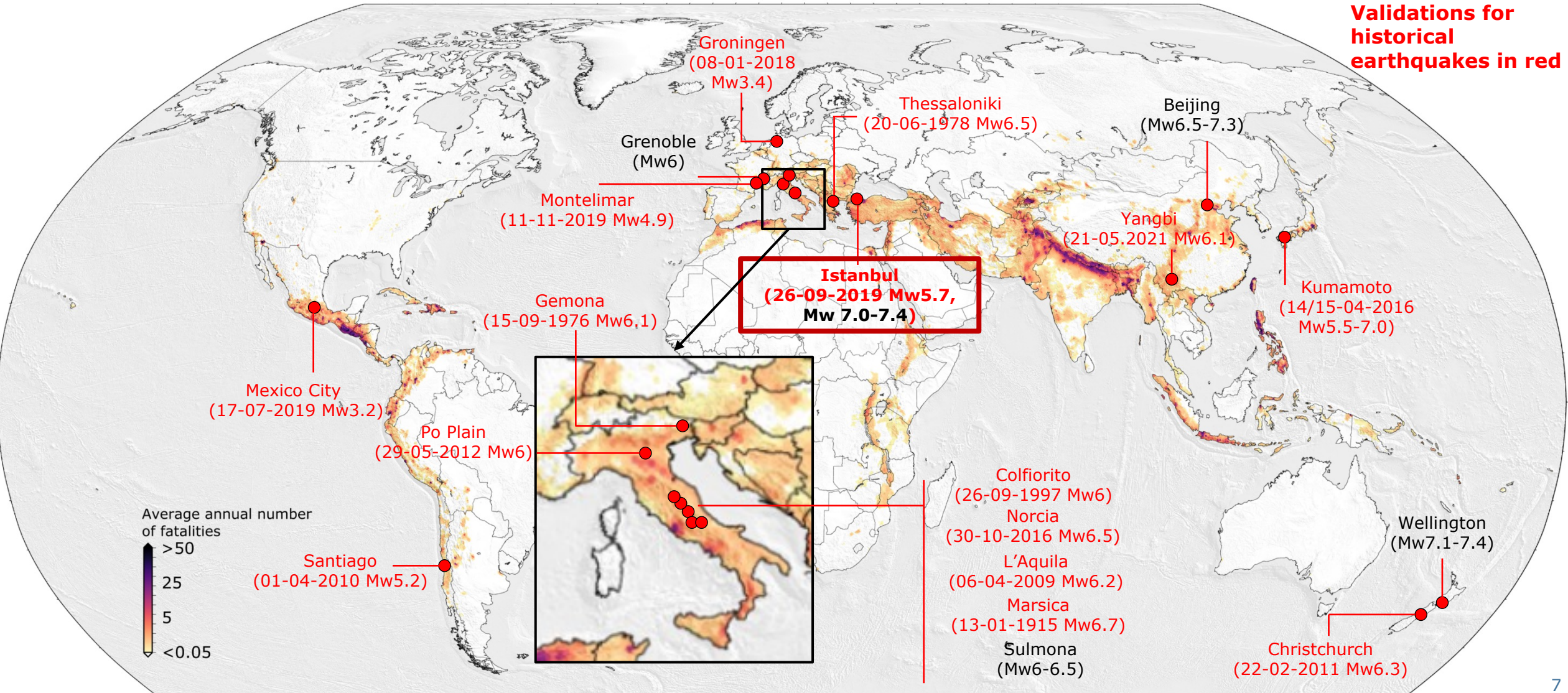
Advantages of ANN2BB

✓ realistic spatial correlation of ground motion

✓ realistic period-to-period correlation of response spectral ordinates

Case studies of PBS by SPEED and validations against historical earthquakes

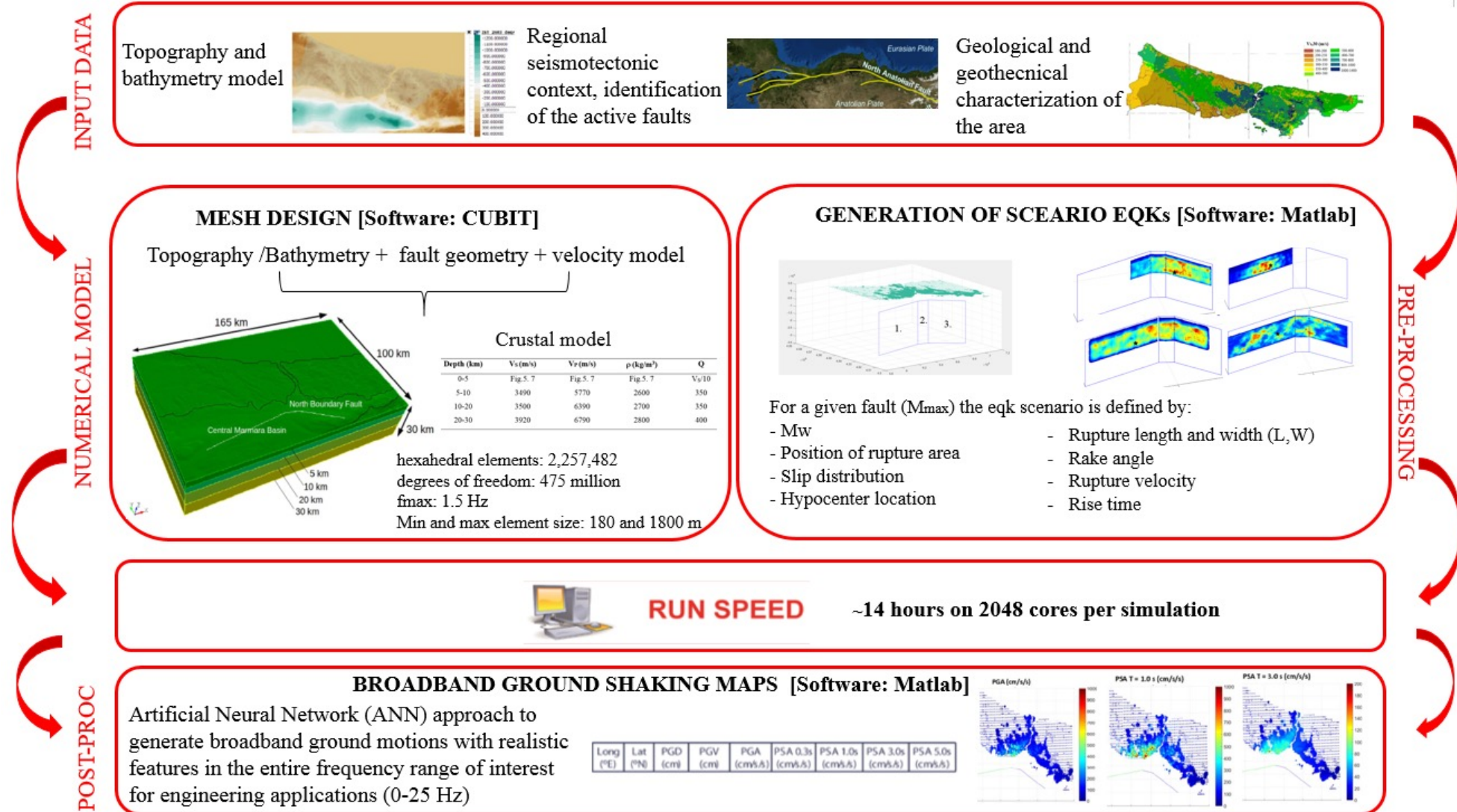
Validations for historical earthquakes in red



3D PBS ground motion scenarios for PSHA in Istanbul (BSSA, 2020)

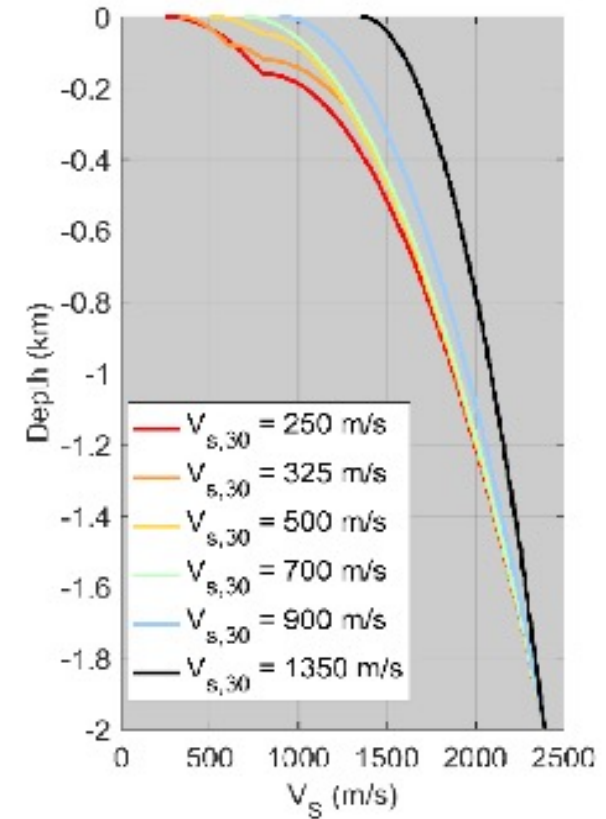
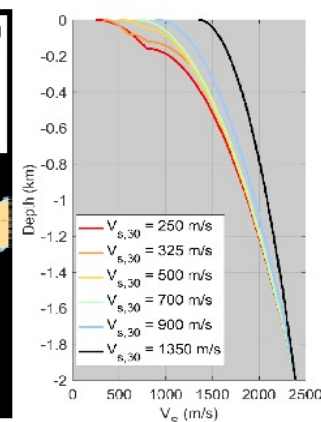
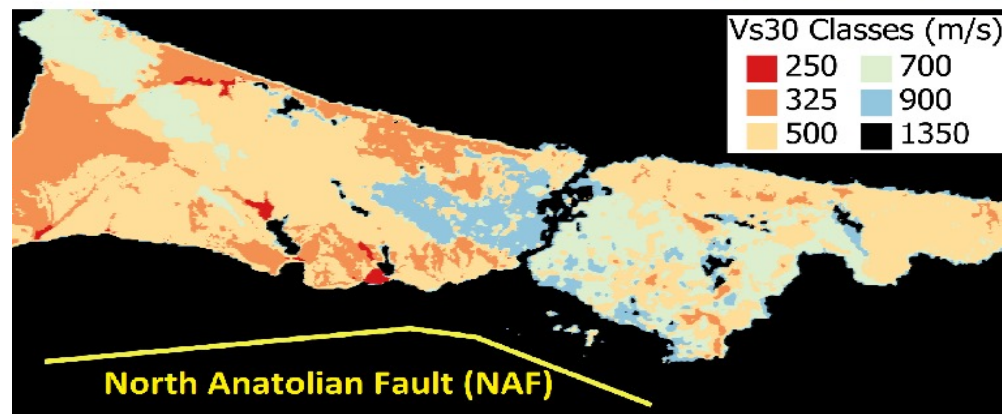
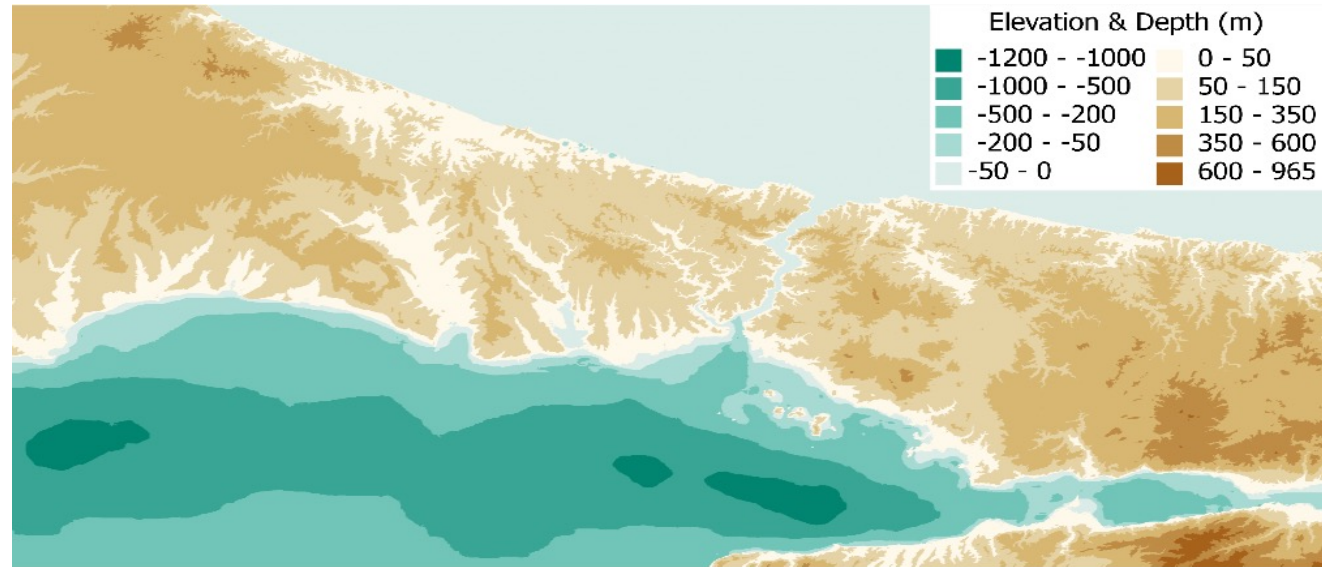
3D Physics-Based Numerical Simulations of Ground Motion in Istanbul from Earthquakes along the Marmara Segment of the North Anatolian Fault

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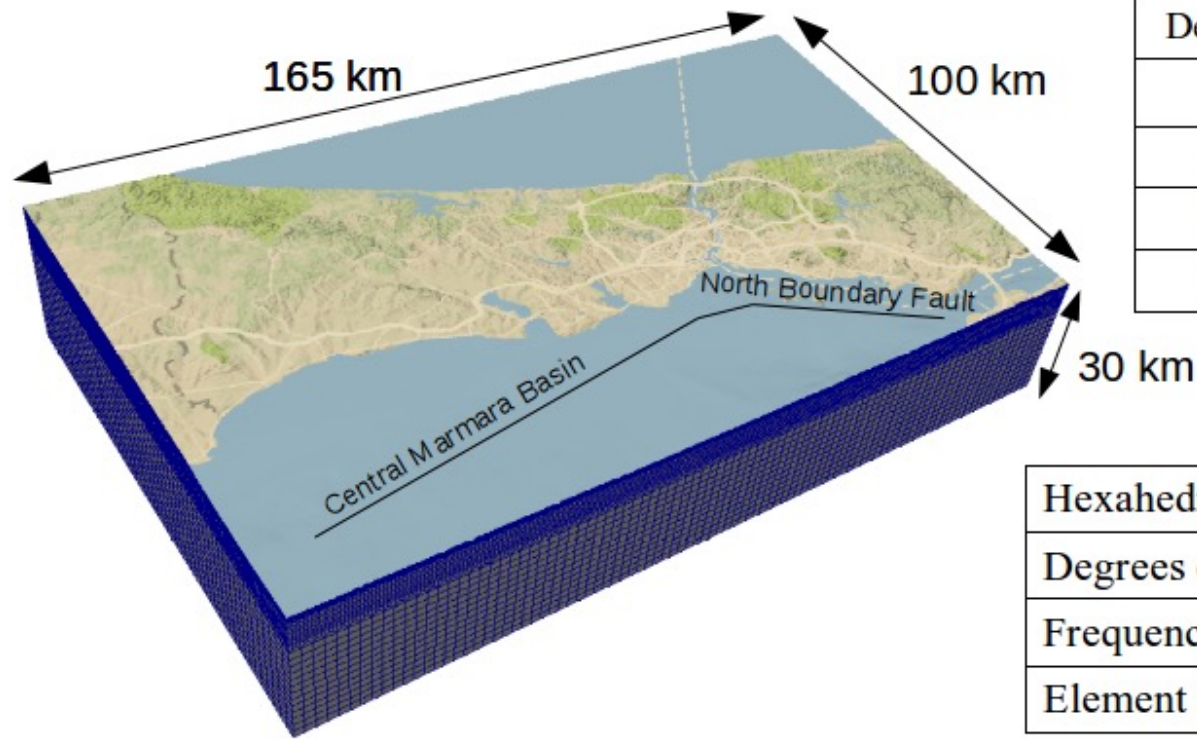
3D PBS scenarios in Istanbul: model construction

Digital elevation model and map of classes of $V_{s,30}$ implemented in SPEED



3D PBS scenarios in Istanbul: model construction

Spectral element numerical model of Istanbul (resolution: $f_{\max} = 1.5$ Hz)



Horizontally stratified crustal model

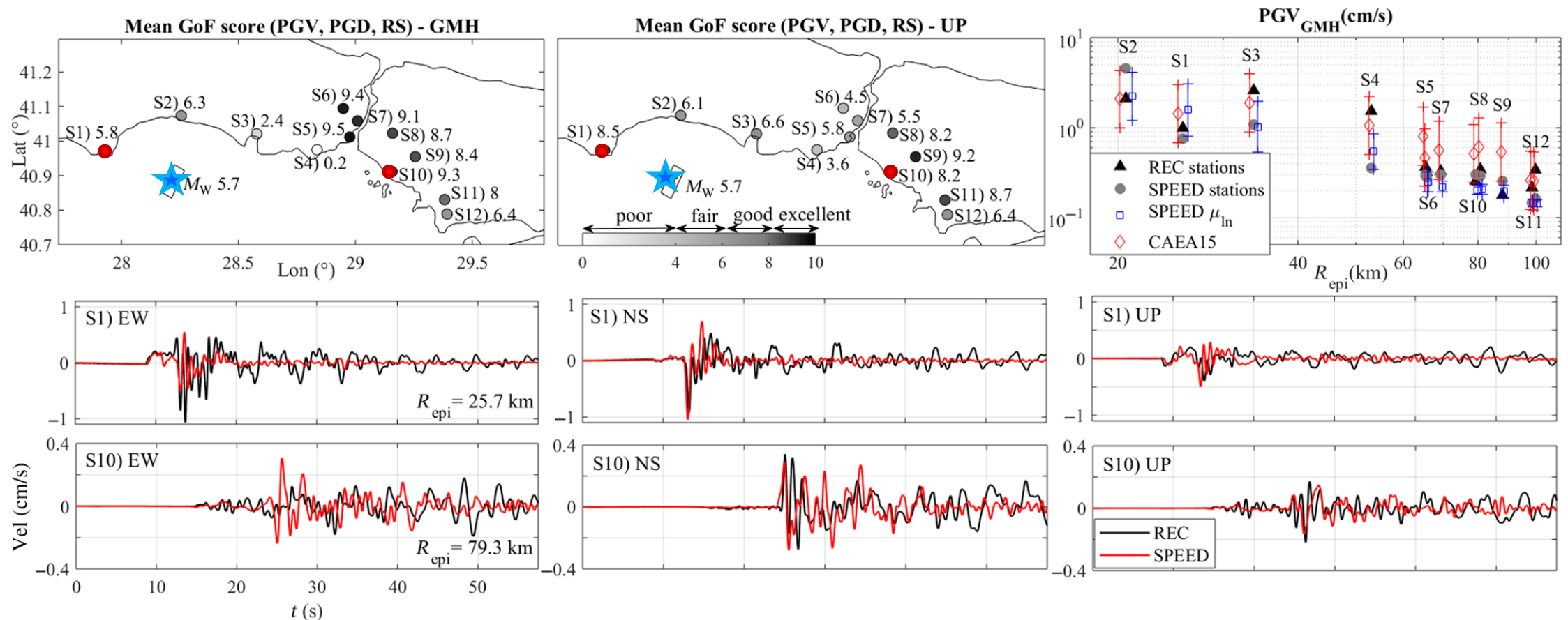
Depth (km)	V_S (m/s)	$Q(-)$
0-5	Fig. 3	$V_S / 10$
5-10	3490	350
10-20	3500	350
20-30	3920	400

Computational model

Hexahedral elements	2.257.482
Degrees of freedom	~500 million
Frequency range	0 to 1.5 Hz
Element size range	180 m to 2 km

3D PBS in Istanbul: validation

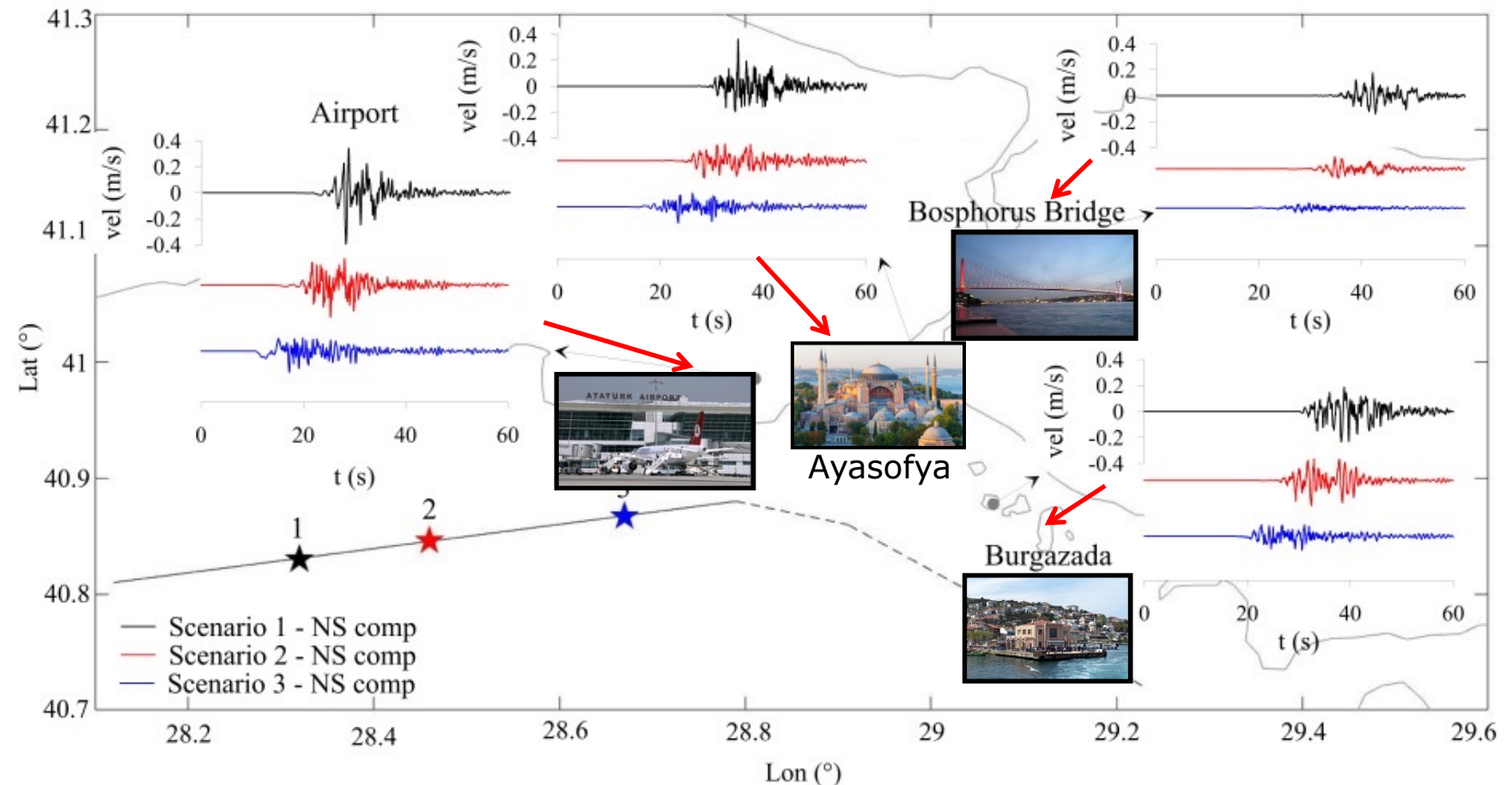
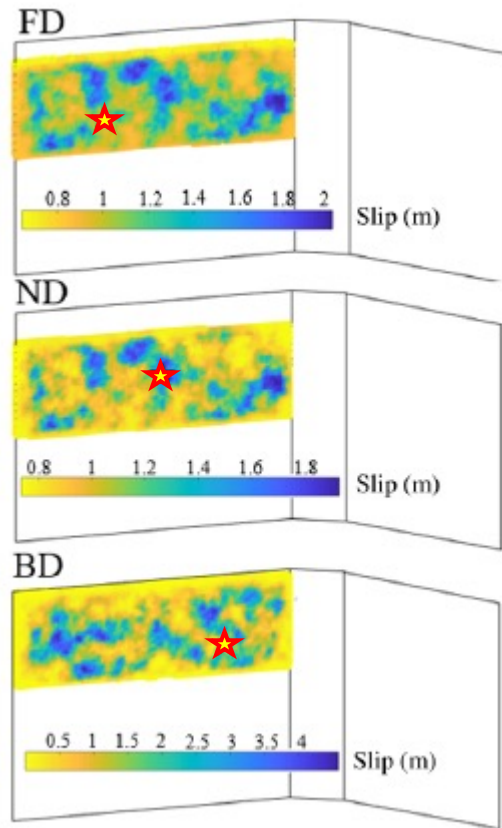
Validation with records of 26 September 2019 M_w 5.7 Marmara Sea earthquake and numerical simulations. Data bandpass filtered between 0.05 and 1.5 Hz.



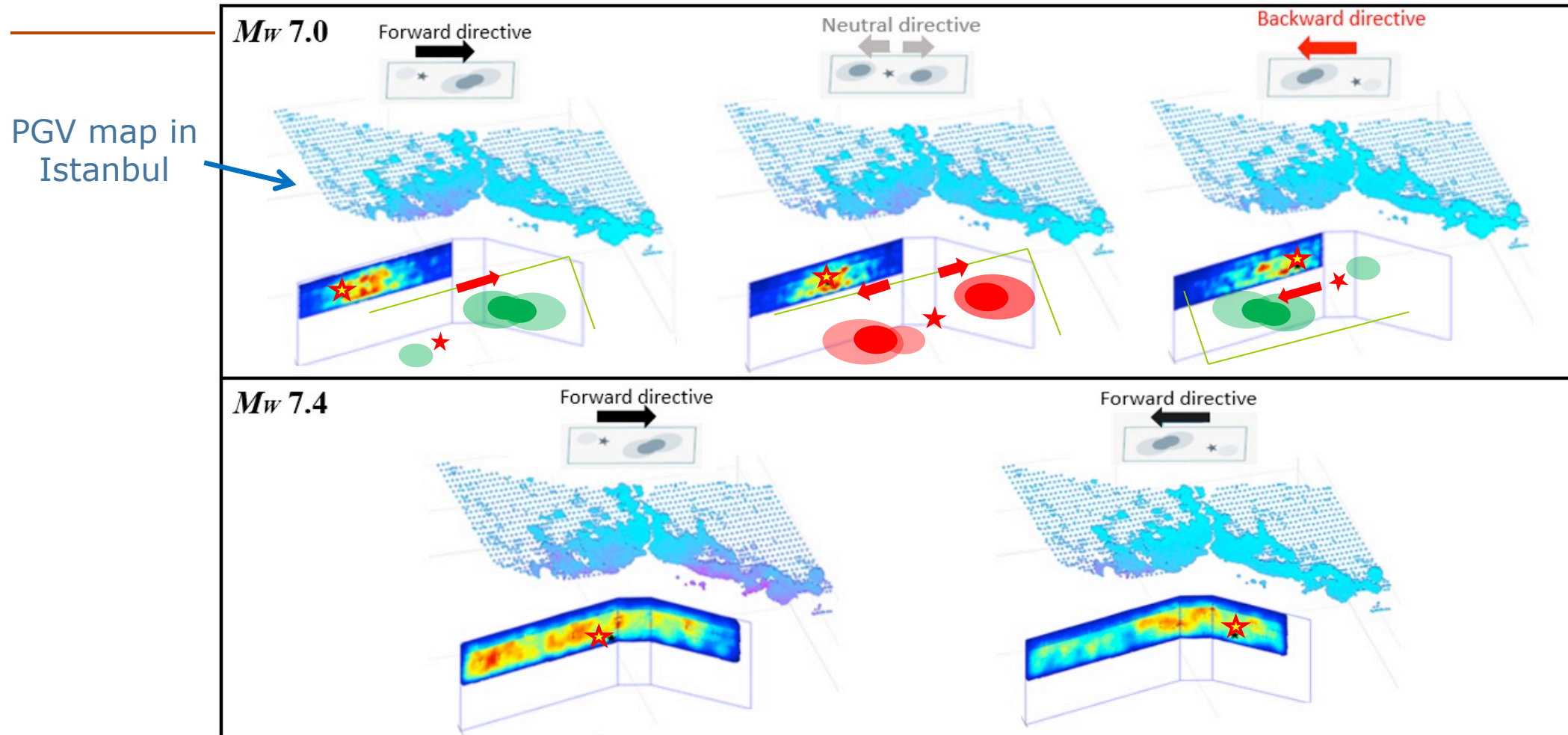
3D PBS scenarios in Istanbul: slip distributions

about 60 kinematic slip distributions (M7-7.4) were randomly generated according to Crempien and Archuleta (2015)

Velocity time histories for different scenarios

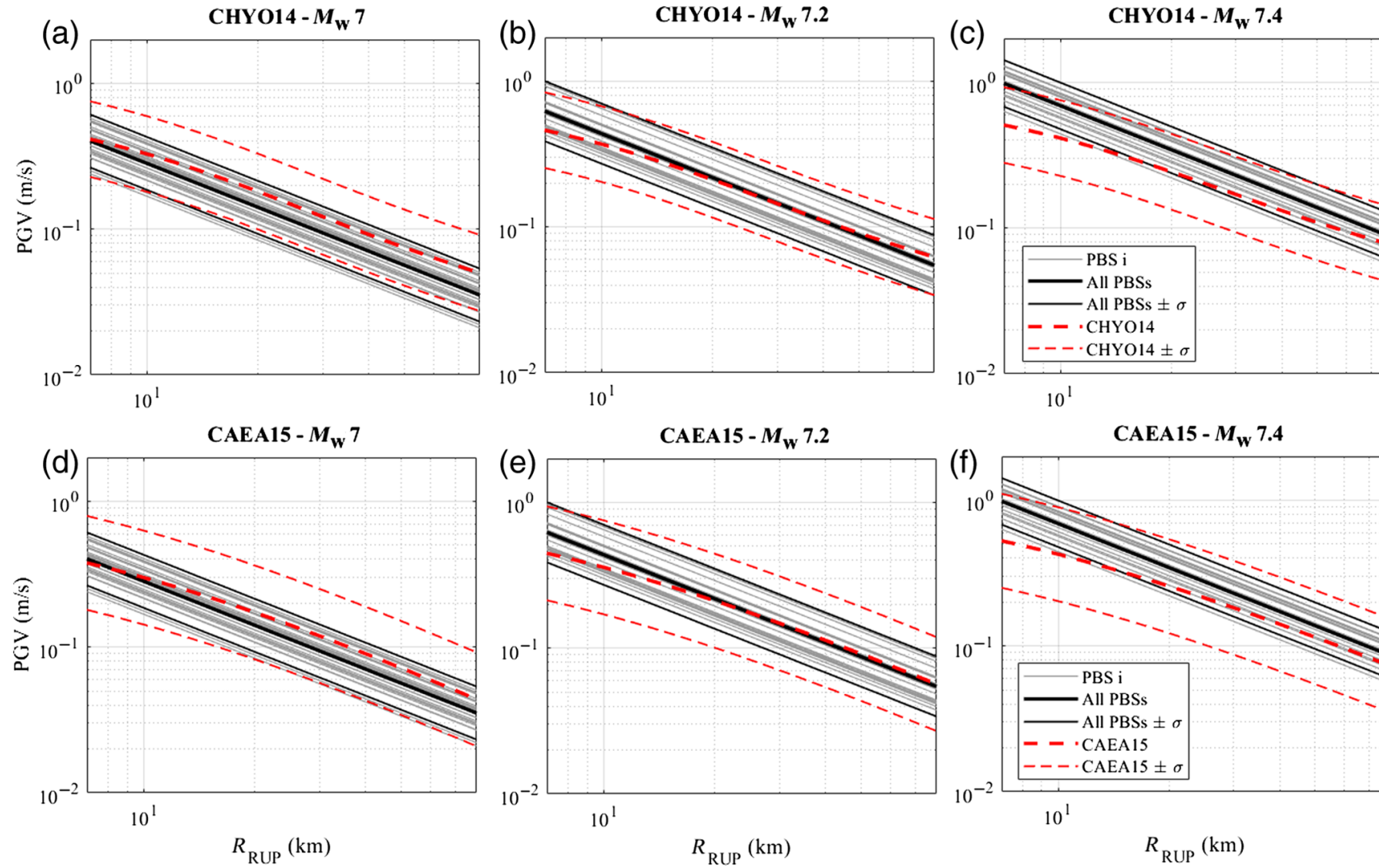


3D PBS scenarios in Istanbul: directivity effect



most slip distributions for the M7.4 earthquake implied forward directivity in at least some portions of Istanbul urban area

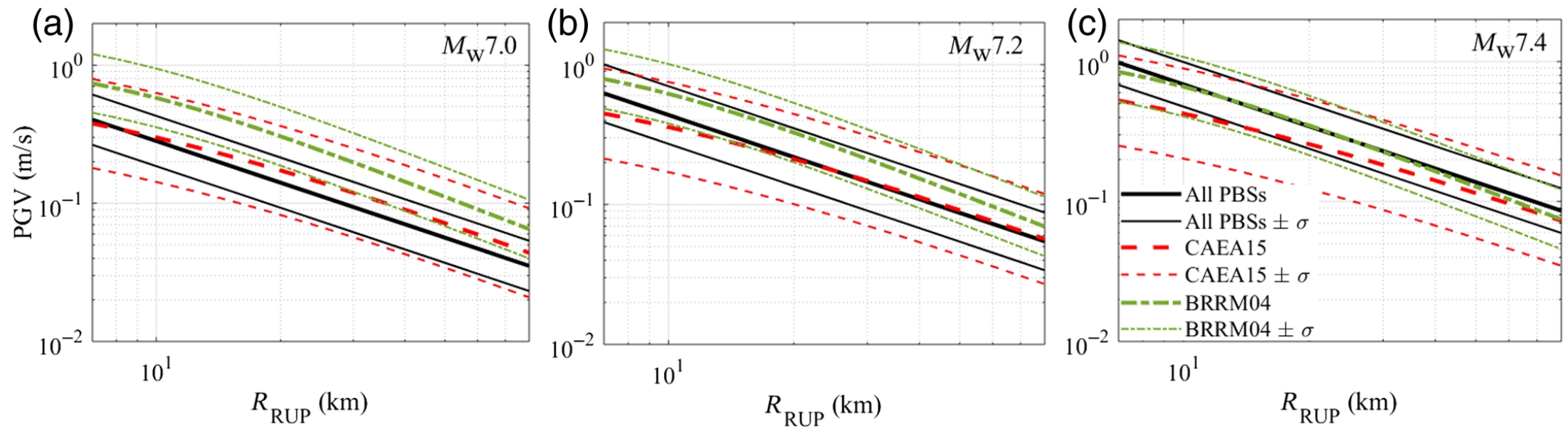
Comparison with GMMs



Chiou&Youngs,
2014 (CHYO14)

Cauzzi&al, 2015
(CAEA15)

Comparison with GMMs



Bray&Rodriguez-Marek (SDEE, 2004)

Characterization of forward-directive ground motions in the near-fault region

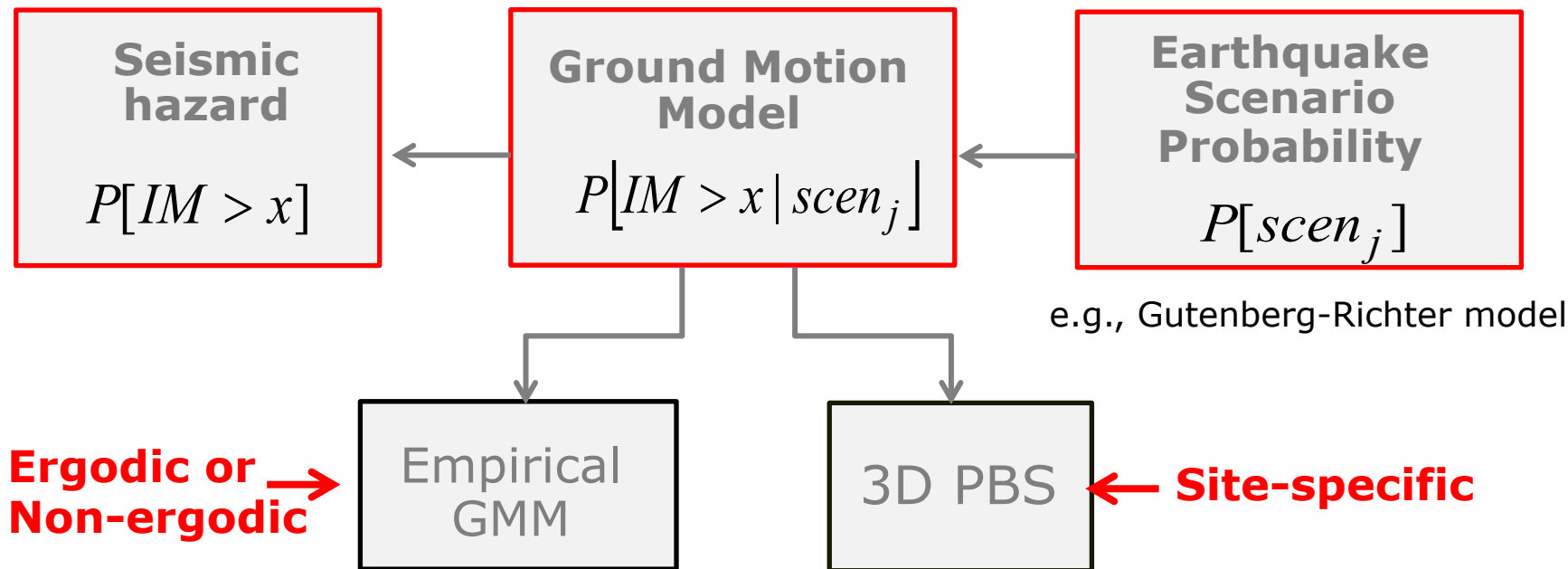
A general framework for PBS application into a PSHA

Physics-based probabilistic seismic hazard and loss assessment in large urban areas: A simplified application to Istanbul

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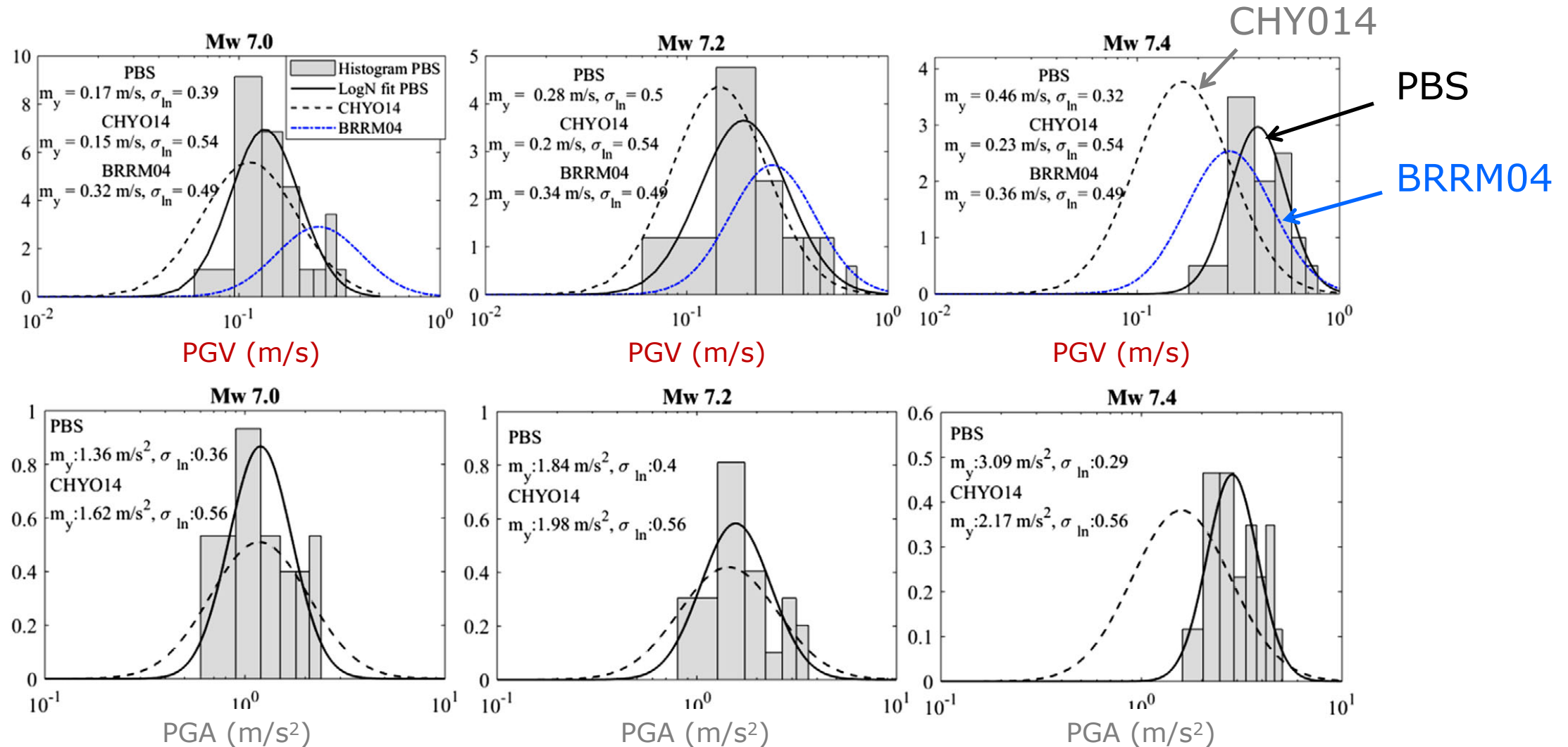
Earthquake Engng Struct Dyn. 2021;50:99–115.

$$P[IM > x] = \sum_{j=1}^N P[IM > x | scen_j] \cdot P[scen_j]$$

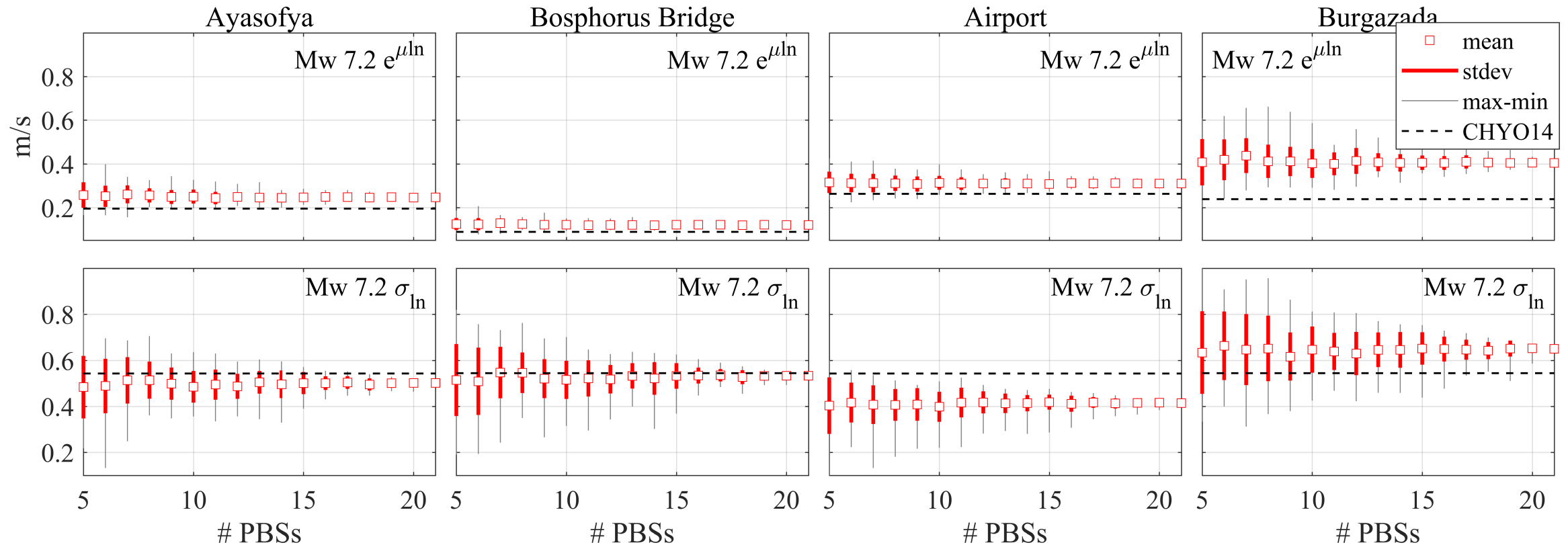


Note: PBS do not imply a deterministic approach to seismic hazard!

PBS-based GMM - Ayasofia

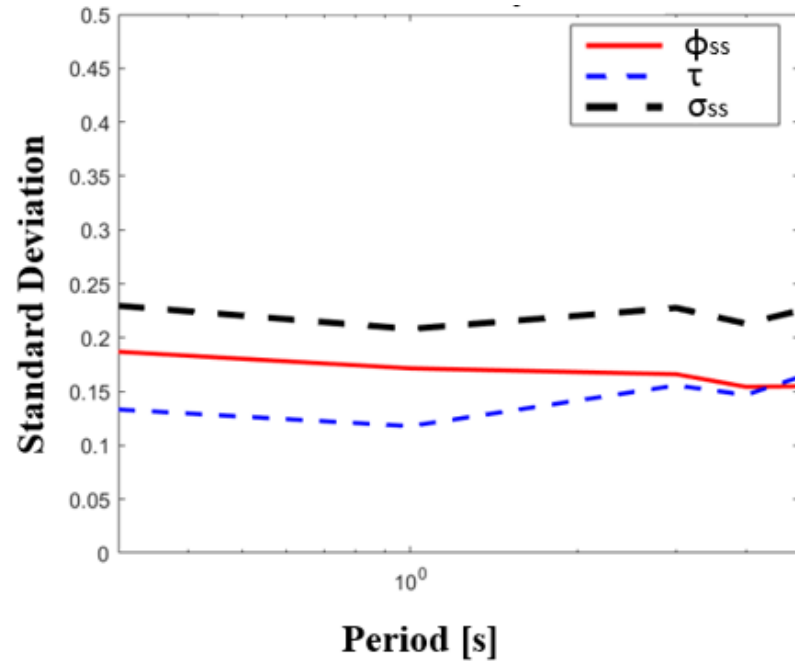


How many PBS realizations to obtain stable moments of the GMM distribution?

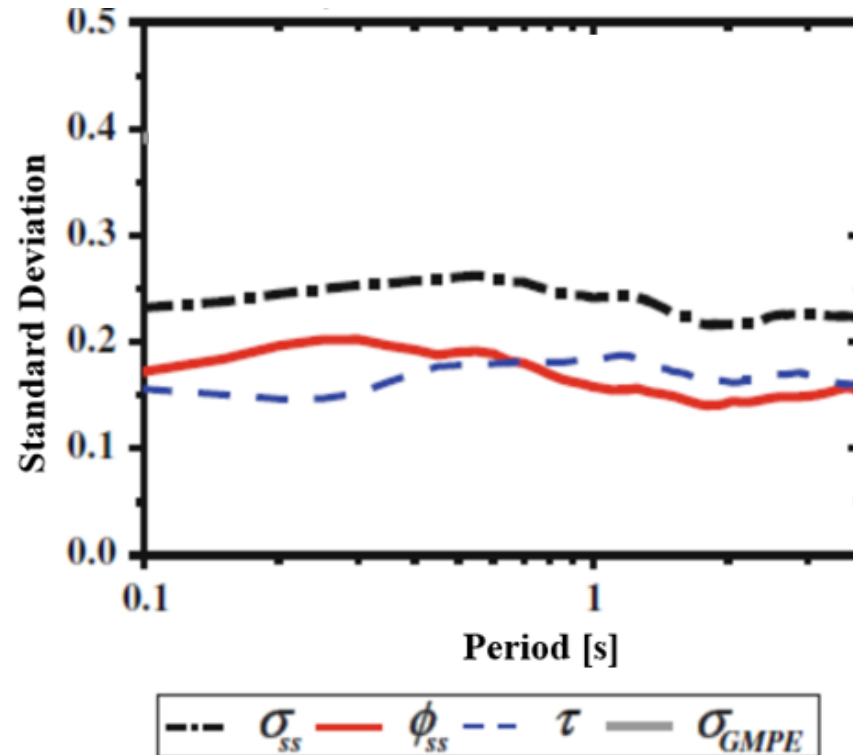


Are the results of PBS representing a realistic b-e and w-e variability?

PBS Istanbul



Christchurch – records
(Faccioli et al., 2013)

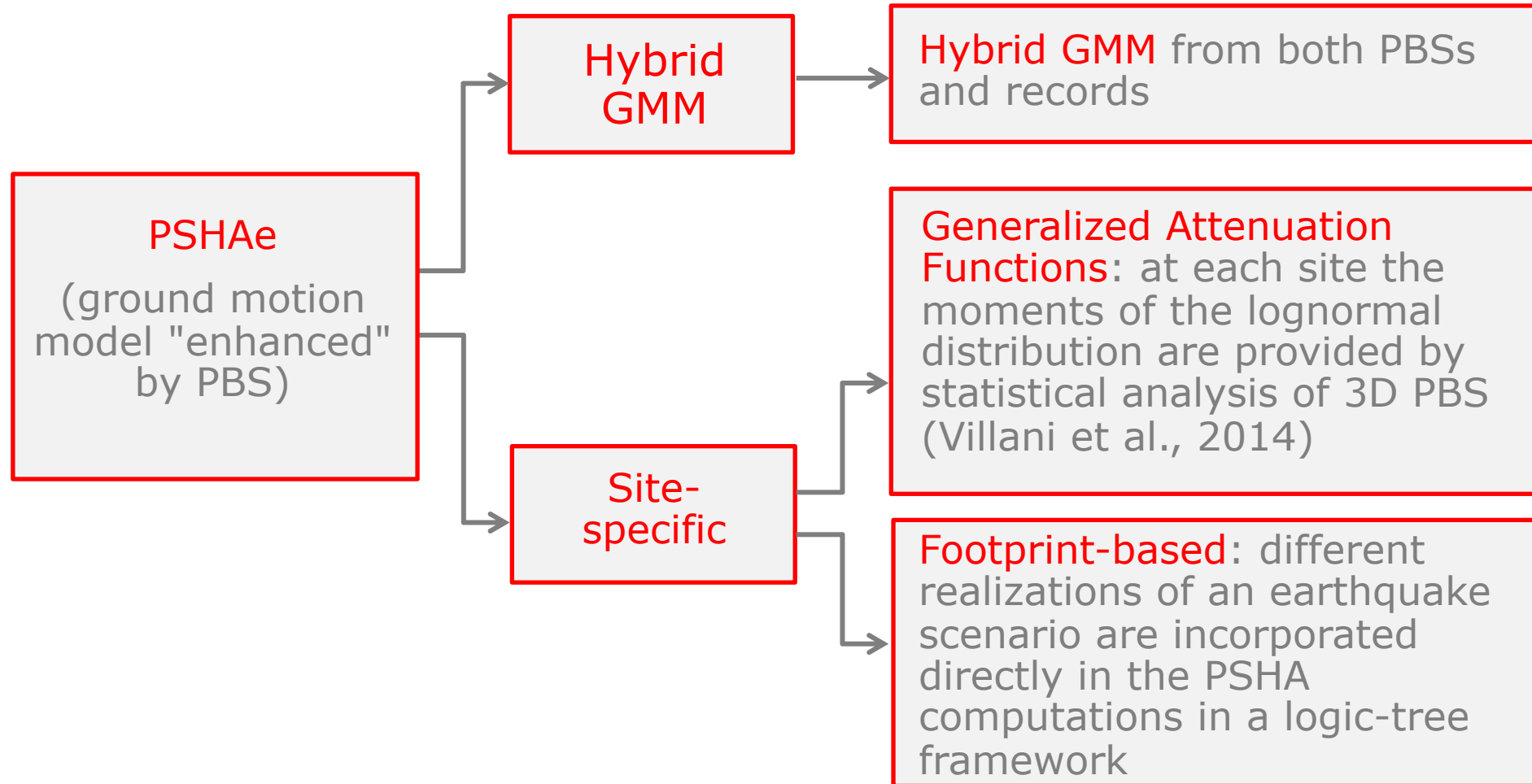


between-event sigma

$$\sigma_{SS} = \sqrt{\phi_{SS}^2 + \tau^2}$$

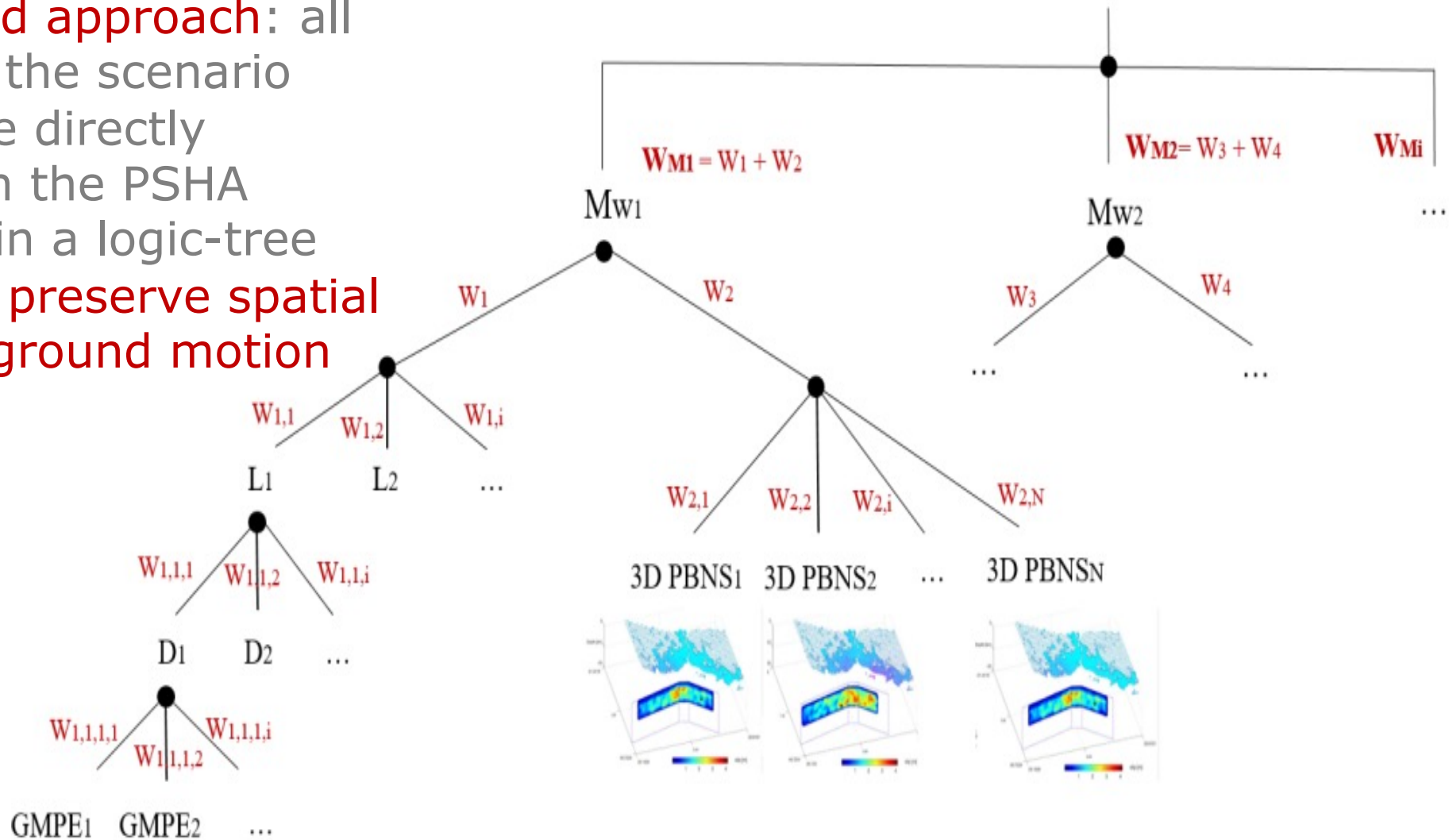
within-event sigma

How to exploit 3D PBS in the framework of PSHA?

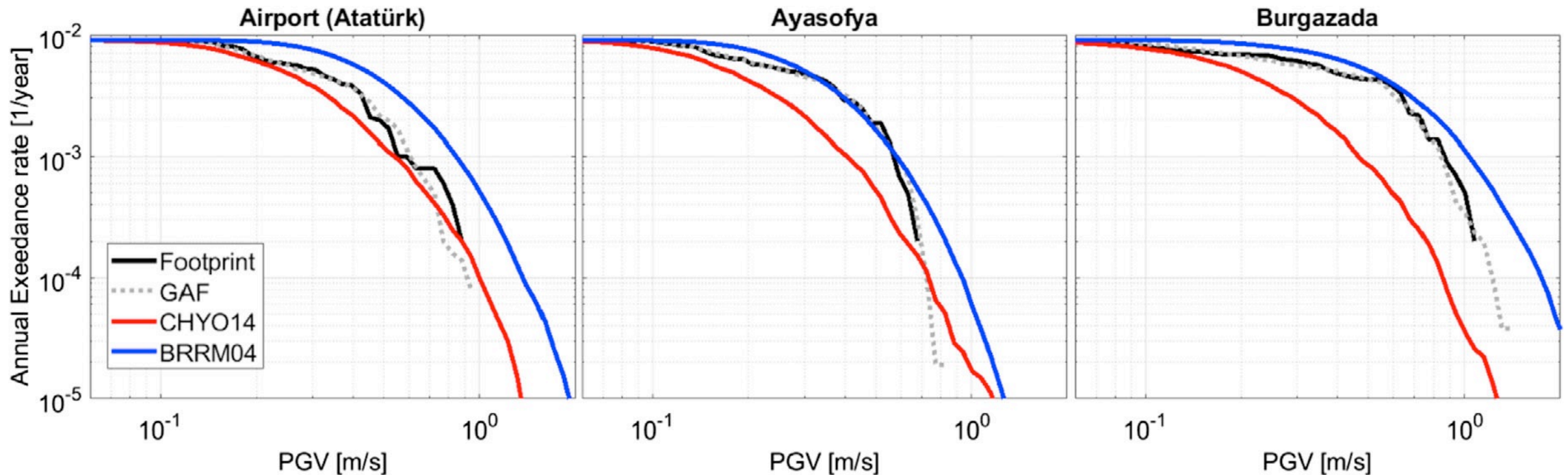


How to exploit 3D PBS in the framework of PSHA?

Footprint-based approach: all realizations of the scenario earthquake are directly incorporated in the PSHA computations in a logic-tree framework, to **preserve spatial correlation of ground motion**



How to exploit 3D PBS in the framework of PSHA?



Footprint-based and GAF provide similar outcomes, bounded by on the lower side by the CHYO14 and on the upper side by the FD ground motion model by Bray&Rodriguez-Marek (2004)

Concluding remarks

- ✓ 3D PBS may provide site-specific (or area-specific) probabilistic ground motion models that can be used as either complementary or alternative approach to ergodic empirical models within a PSHA framework
- ✓ to make results of 3D PBS meaningful for this purpose, the numerical simulations should span a range of uncertainty on the fault model sufficient to provide stable moments (mean, sigma) of the GMM probability distribution. In the Istanbul case, 10-15 simulations were found sufficient for this purpose for each Magnitude interval.
- ✓ 3D PBS may also support a footprint approach to PSHA, where, instead of using a GMM, all PBS scenarios are input in a logic-tree based PSHA framework, is also suitable to properly account for the spatial correlation of ground motion

Thanks for your attention!

see also the related presentations by:

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Marco Stupazzini