

# VERCE : Virtual Earthquake and Seismology Research Community in Europe e-science environment



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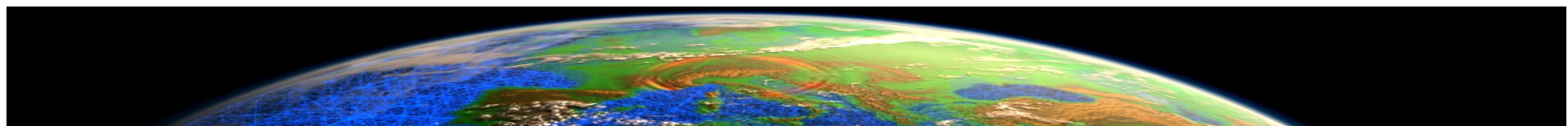
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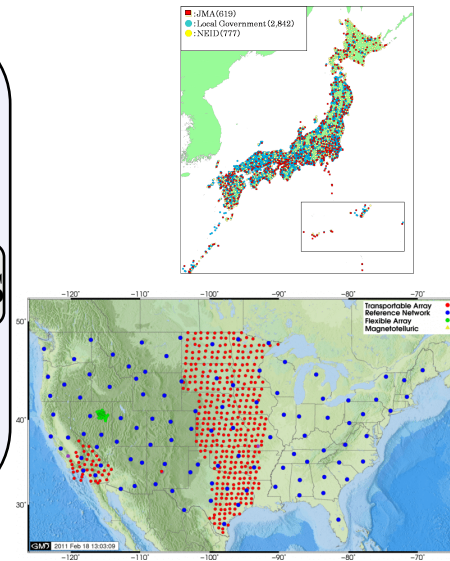
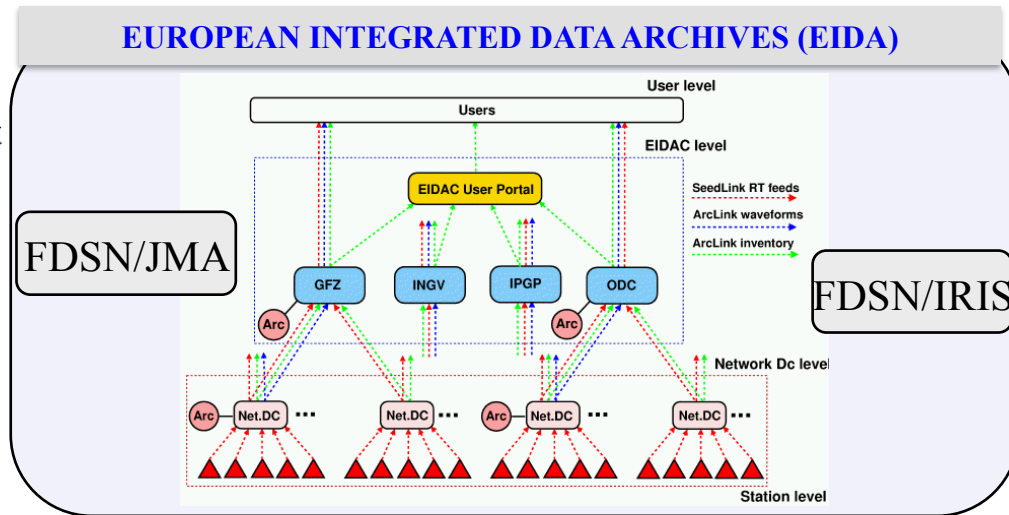
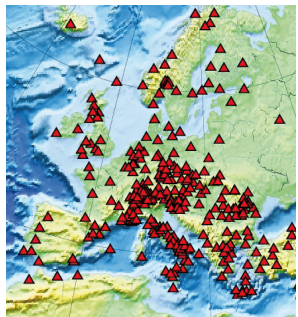
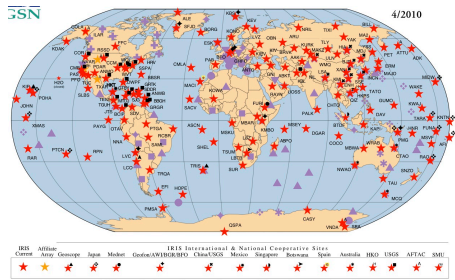


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**Data Intensive Research**

Visualization  
 Data analysis / Data mining  
 Simulation, inversion, HR imaging



**PRACE**

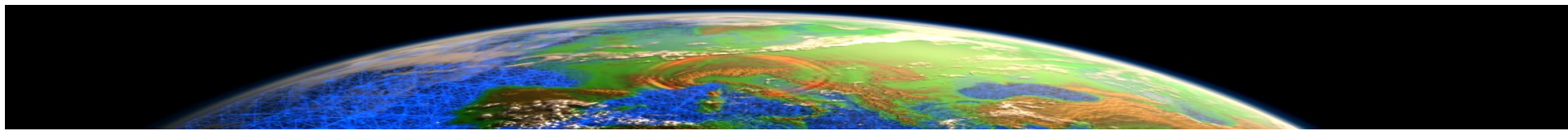
**HPC/GRID Infrastructures**

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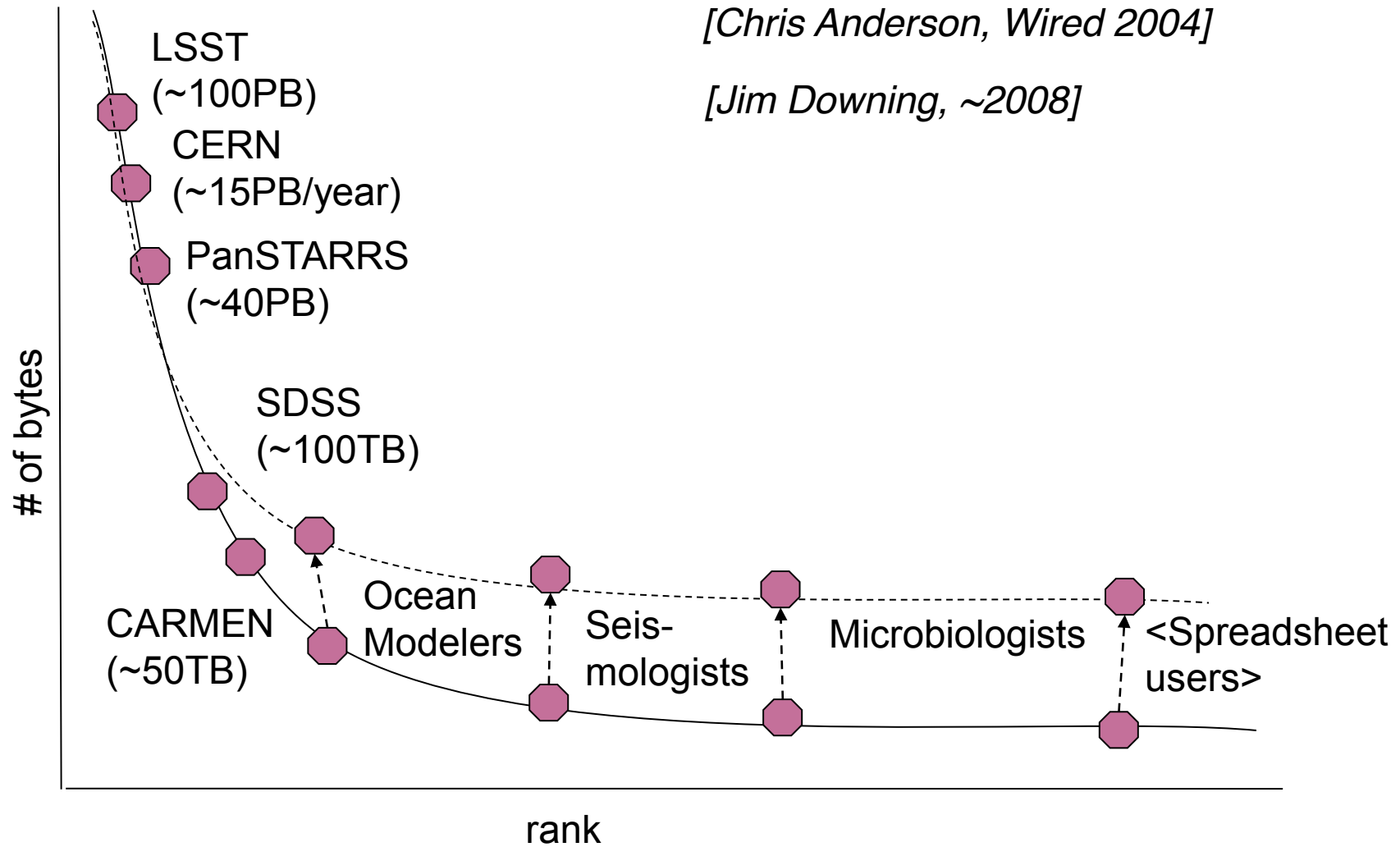
**Earth's interior imaging and dynamics: noise correlation, waveform analysis**

**Natural hazards: new tools for monitoring earthquakes, volcanoes, and tsunamis**

**Interaction of solid Earth with Ocean and Atmosphere: environment, climate changes**

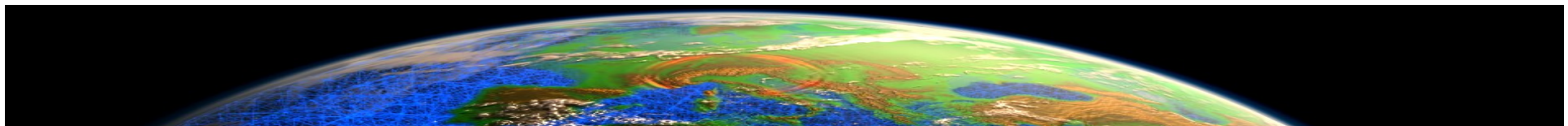


# The long "Heavy" tail

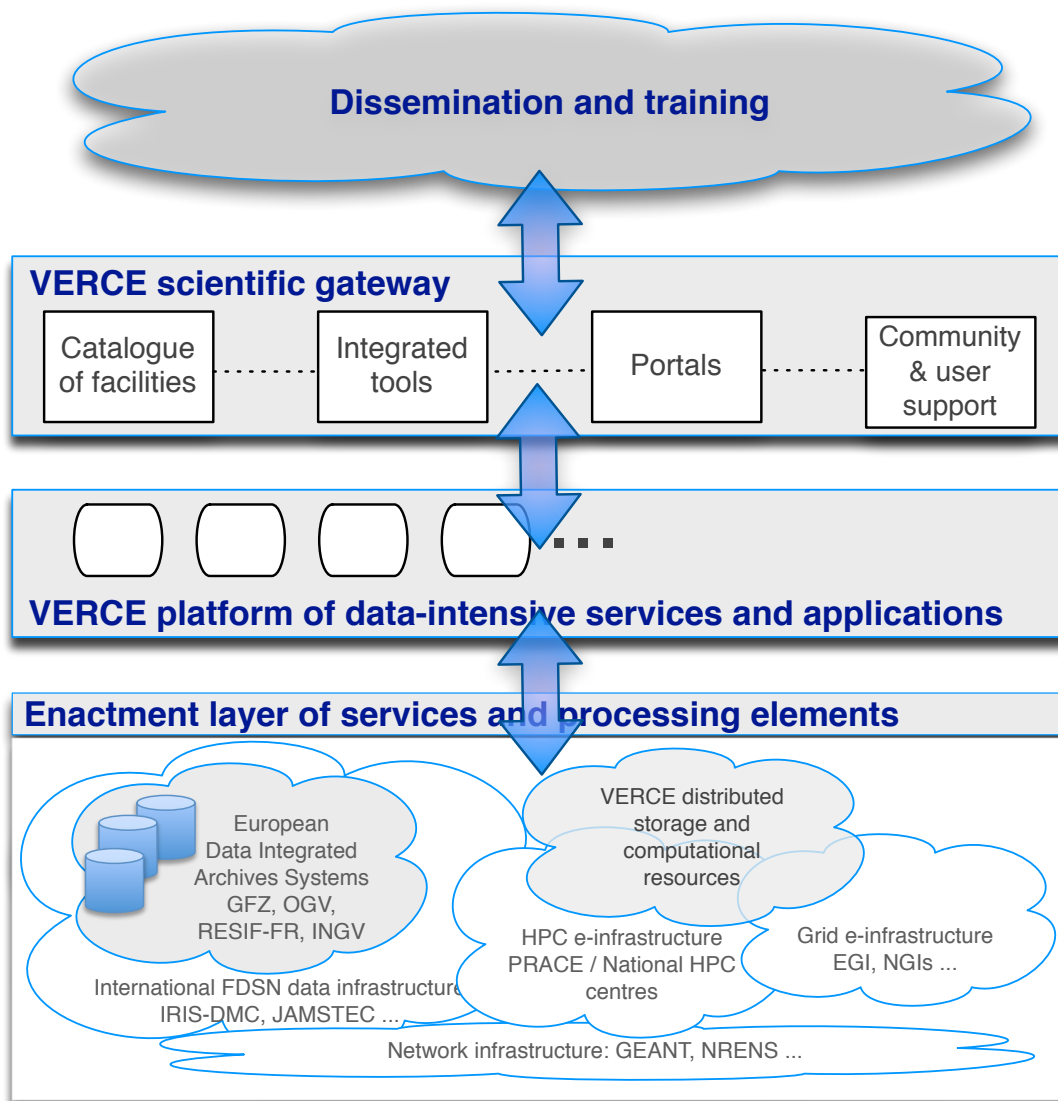


[Chris Anderson, Wired 2004]

[Jim Downing, ~2008]



# A service oriented platform



## Technology Stack

**Web Portal:**  
Jetspeed, Rapid

**Workflow Enactment:**  
ADMIRE

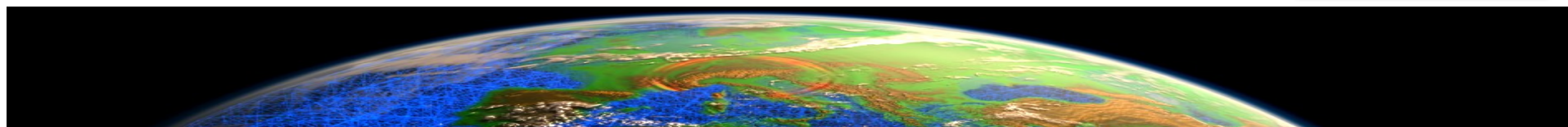
**Service & Interoperability:**  
OGSA-DAI, SAGA, DRMAA

**Coupling & Execution:**  
Kepler, MUSCLE, GridSpace

**Data Infra:**  
Arclink, NetCD, iRODS

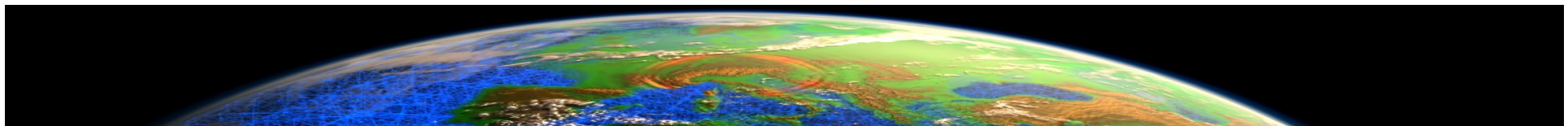
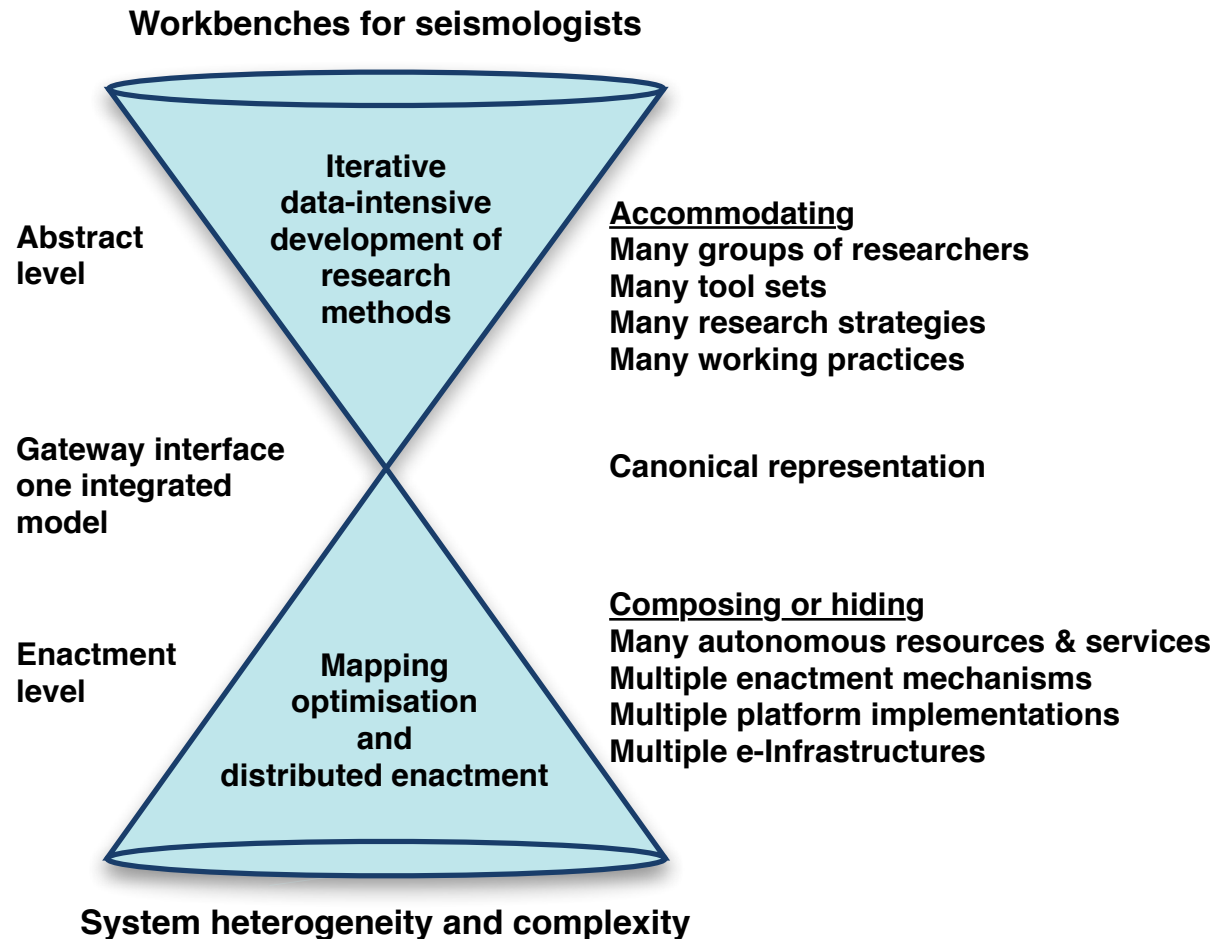
**Grid & HPC Infra:**  
gLite, UMD, UNICORE, OMII-Europe

**Federated AAI, single sign-on:**  
Shibboleth, SAML, SLCS, VOMS



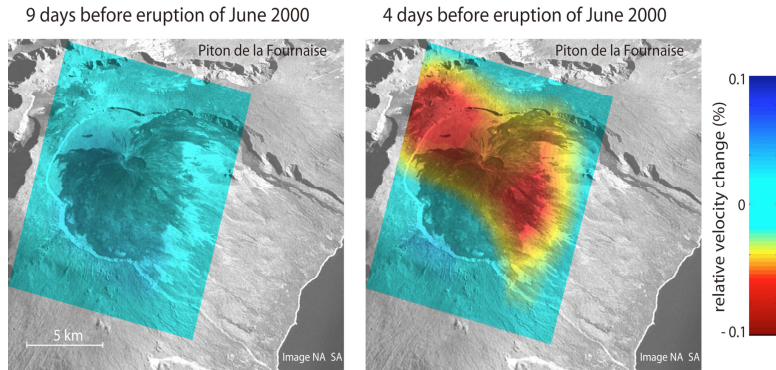
## A three layer architecture

- Separation of concerns
- Resilience toward standards evolution
- Collaborative tools for seismology experts



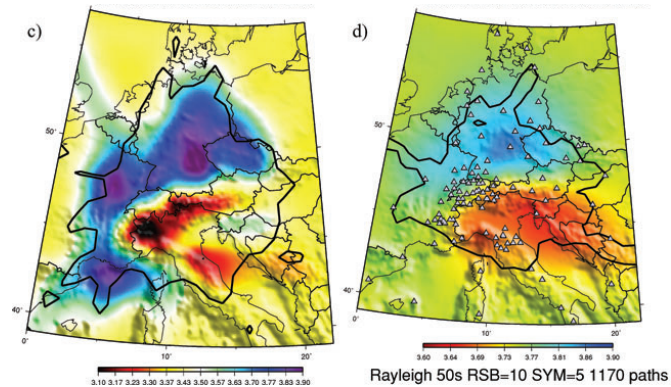
# Data Intensive analysis

## Seismic noise correlations: observing precursors to volcanic eruptions

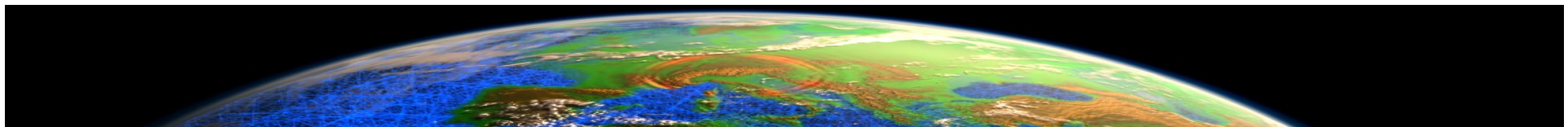
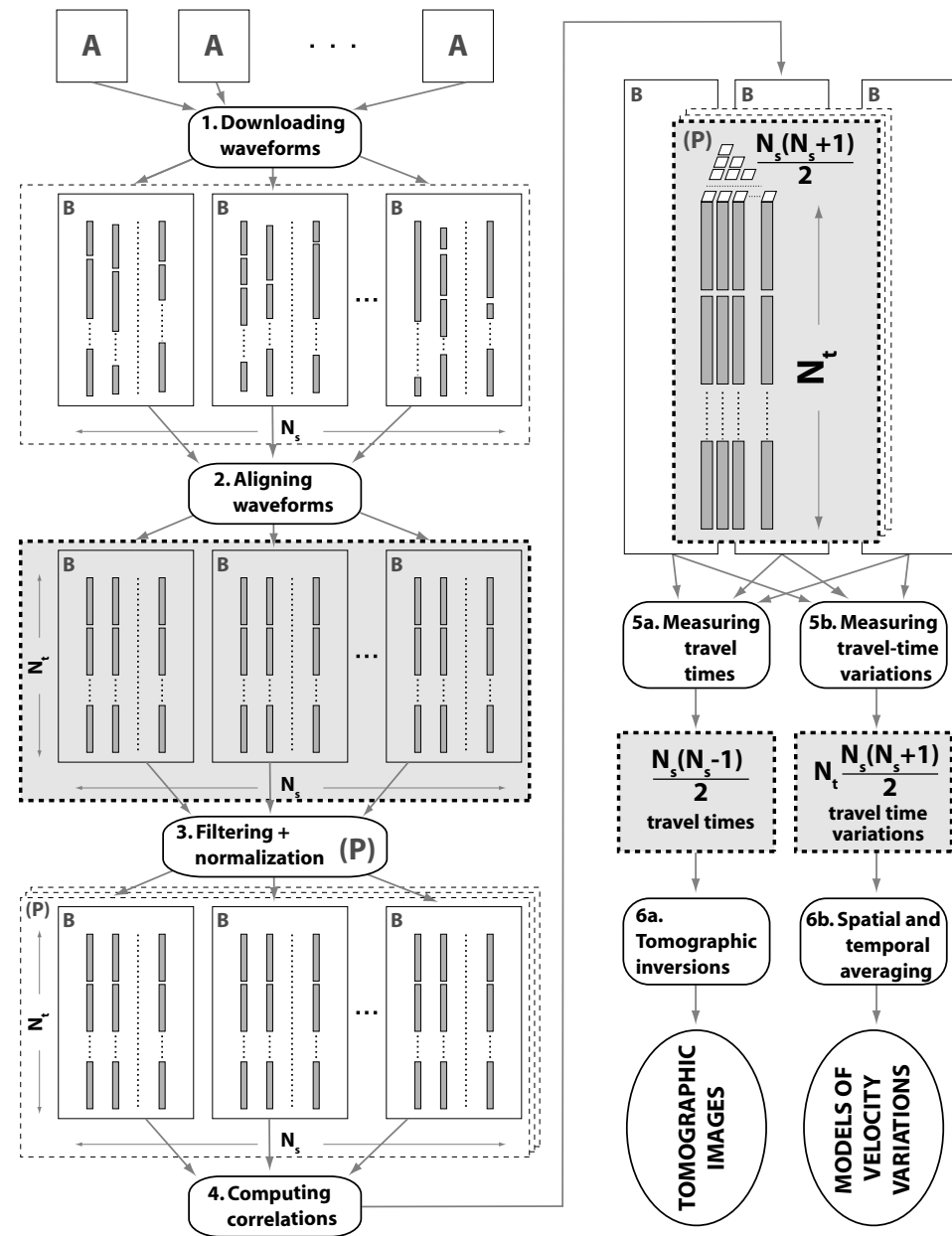


Brenguier *et al.* (2008)

## Noise-based seismic tomography: Application to Alps



Stehly *et al.* (2009)



## Data Intensive analysis

### Intrinsic infrastructure mismatch

- Data volumes increase 100x in 10 years
- I/O bandwidth improves ~3x in 10 years

### Distributed Data Mining:

- **Distributed Mining** of Data (moving algorithms and operate with data in situ)
- Mining of **Distributed Data** (hierarchy of data storage, data reuse management)

### Data Architecture:

- Archiving and access (from preservation to scientific exploitation) -> **database model**
- Mining and data analysis (indexing, and associative memory techniques, rapid query and search algorithms...) -> **scientific databases & data-centric architectures**

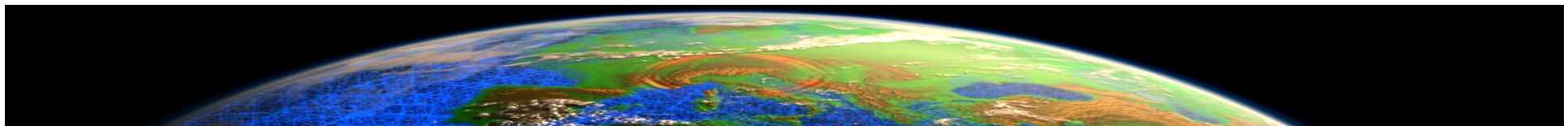
**Amdahl's parallelism law:** *when computation has a serial part  $S$  and a parallel component  $P$ , the maximum speedup is  $S/(S+P)$ .*

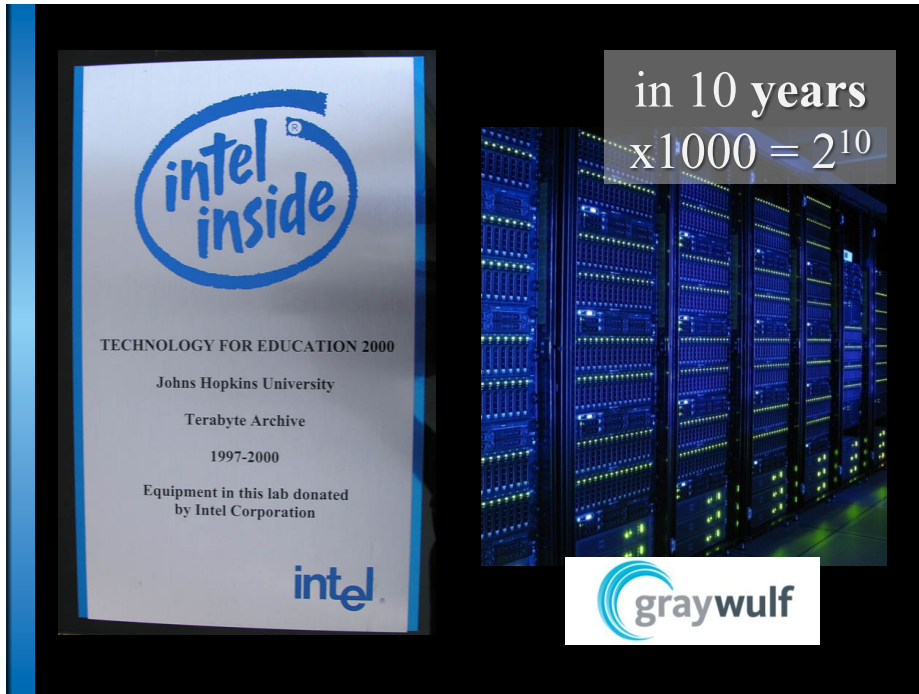
**Amdahl's balanced system law:** *A system needs one bit of IO per second per CPU cycle.*

**Amdahl's memory law:** *A system needs one byte of memory per CPU cycle*

### **Toward a data-centric environment:**

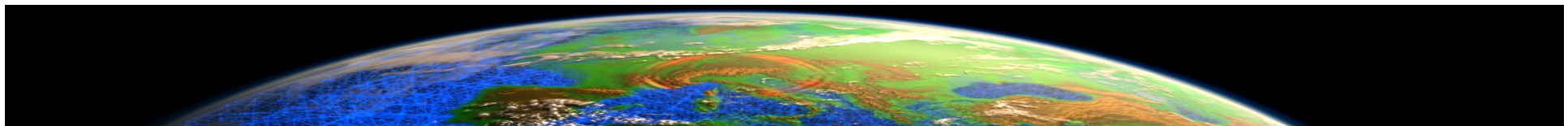
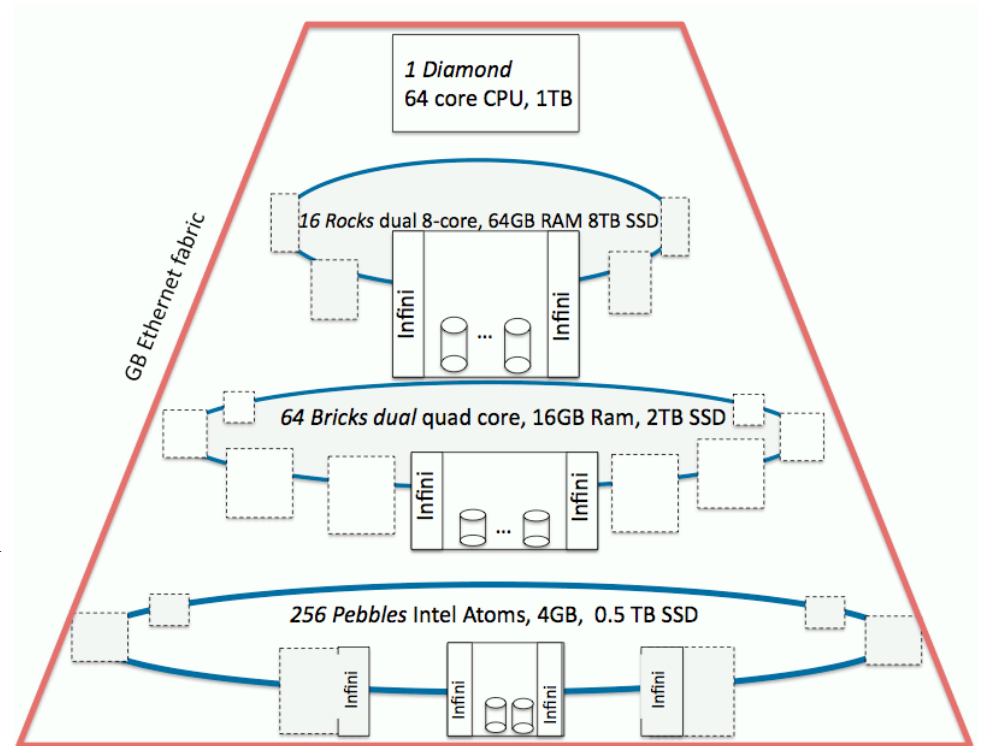
- **Multiple tier model: hierarchical spread of memory and disk storage**
- **Hadoop/MapReduce versus Scientific Databases**
- **Shared and reusable data flows and workflows components**
- **Provenance and recognition**





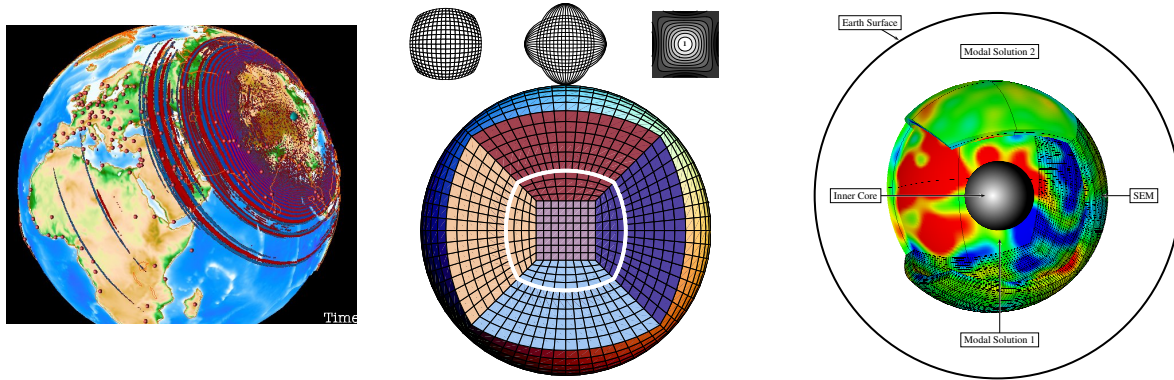
# Sloan Digital Sky Survey

CWI platform  
 From Martin Kersten





# Data Intensive simulation and inversion



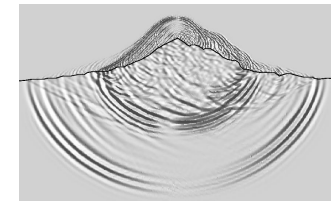
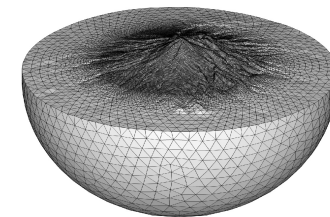
## Global scale:

- **Synthetic prediction**
- **Full waveform inversion**
- **NL inversion**

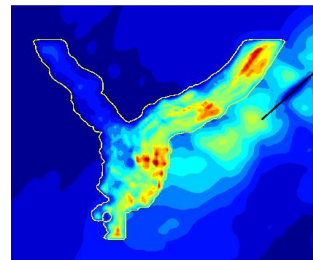
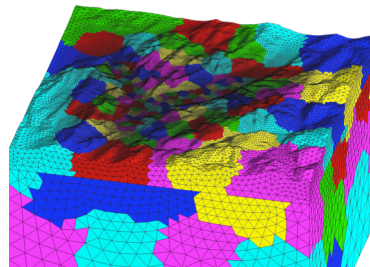
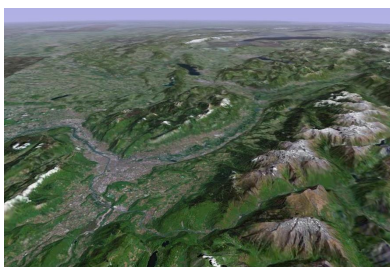
## Regional scale:

- **Complex wave propagation**
- **Full waveform inversion**
- **Extended earthquake sources**

## Aero-acoustic wave simulation in a volcano

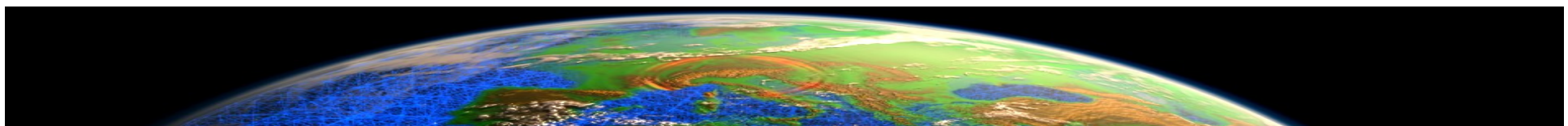


## Strong motion simulation: Grenoble Valley



## Strong motion prediction:

- **Synthetic prediction**
- **Earthquake source dynamics**
- **Stochastic simulation**



# Data intensive computing challenges

## Large scale 3D wave simulation:

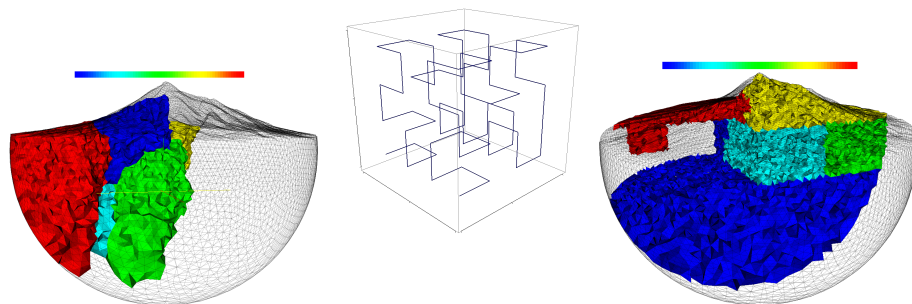
- synthetic seismograms
- Stochastic simulation

## Full waveform inversion:

- adjoint inversion/optimisation methods
- Non linear probabilistic inversion

## Orchestrated data analysis and data simulation

Hilbert SFC of level 2 and 64 sub-cubes



Domain decomposition by METIS (left) and SFC (right)

16 sub-domains, visible: 0-4

## Scalability and Load balancing

Explicit locality: vertical and horizontal  
Asynchronous high-level tasks concurrency  
Scalable coordination and synchronization

## Memory complexity

Memory node's hierarchy  
Advanced data-structure  
Scalable and efficient parallel I/O

## Multicore architectures

Mixed-hybrid parallel implementation  
Self-scheduling at thread level  
New instruction set node's architectures

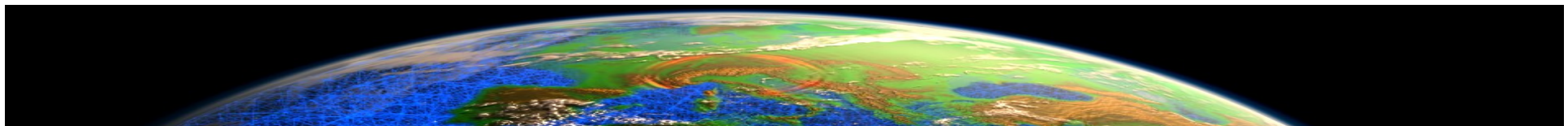
## Orchestration workflows and visualization

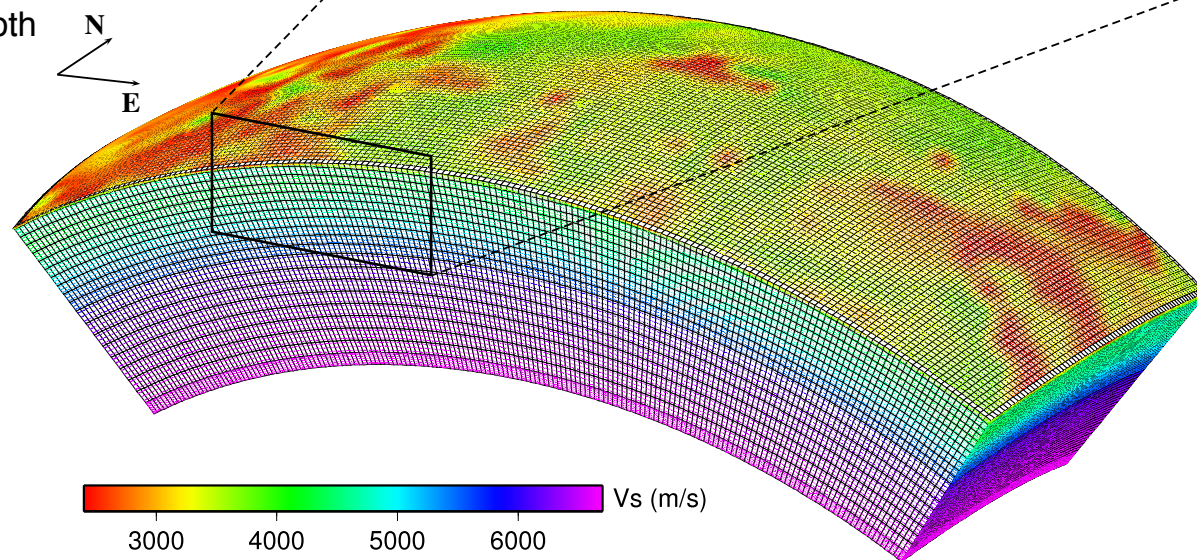
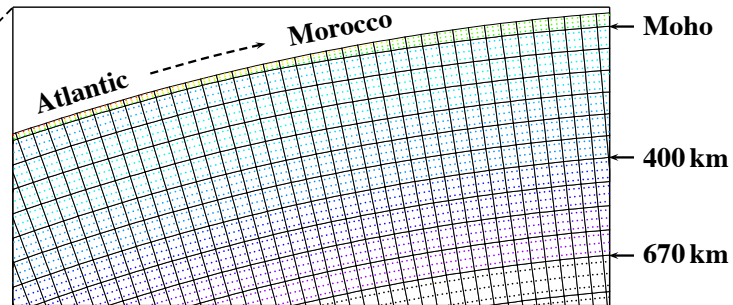
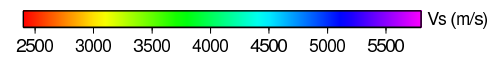
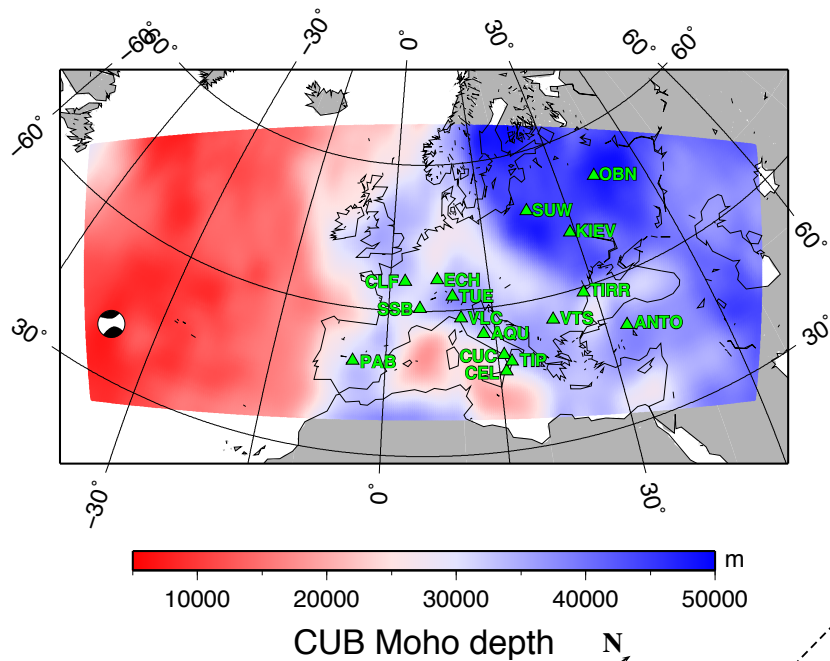
Parallel unstructured mesh generation  
Efficient adaptive domain decomposition  
Seamless data movement across infrastructures

## Community software building and sharing

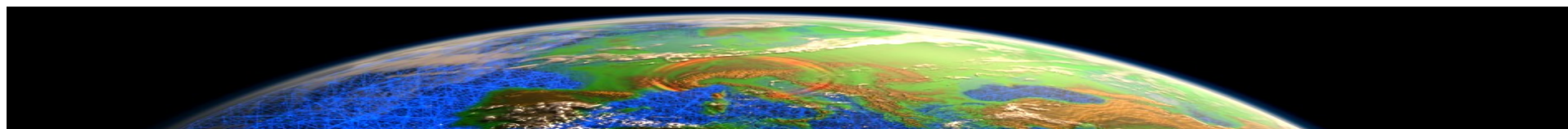
Software engineering, refactoring...

Community code and community of practice ?

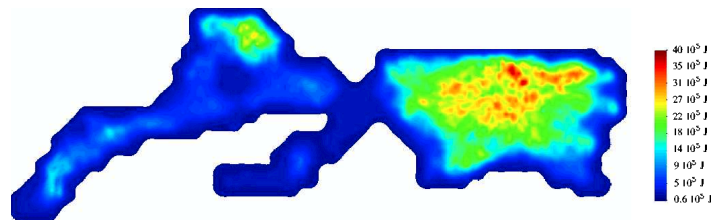




Cupillard et al. (2011)



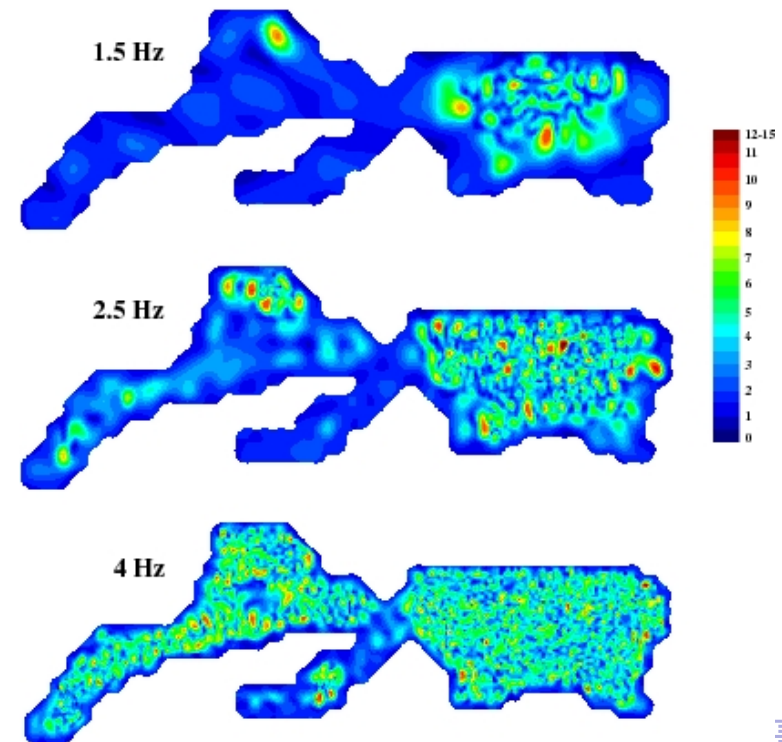
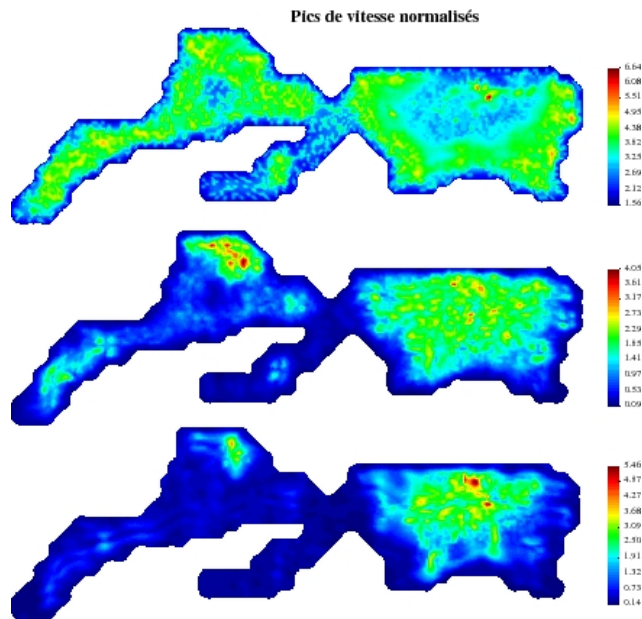
## Kinetic energy



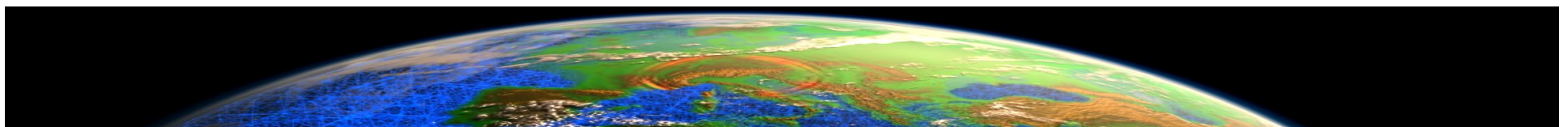
## Transfer function



## Normalized peak velocities



Delavaud et al (2006)



# Towards an e-Science environment for seismology and EPOS

- Provide a data intensive service-oriented e-Science environment to the EPOS community
- Lay the basis for transformative data-intensive research in the solid earth sciences
- Build trust and collaborative models for sharing of data , methods and tools
- Engage a new generation of researchers and experts in solid earth data intensive research

## European and International domain context

Integrated European distributed Data Archives (EIDA), part of the international FDSN

A number of coordinated European projects in seismology: NERA, SHARE, GEM, ERC WHISPER, ITN QUEST...

The European Plate Boundary Observation System (EPOS): the ESFRI-PP project

Active collaborations within the FDSN with US (IRIS-DMC), and Japan (JAMSTEX, NIED)

## European e-Science context

Fast evolution of seismology services and applications

RapidSeis Portal for Accessing & Processing FDSN archives

European initiatives: EPOS, ENVRI and EUDAT

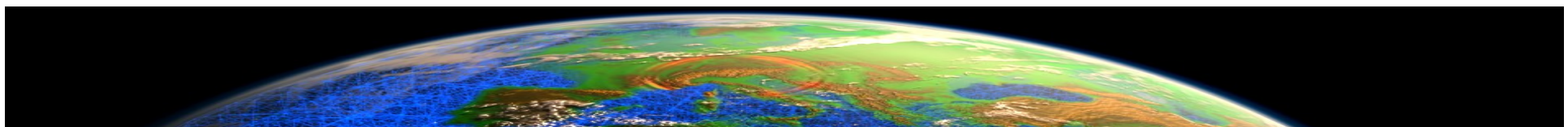
Converging e-Infrastructure ecosystem: EGI/NGIs, PRACE/NHPCs, GÉANT

Emerging new data base management system and data centric architecture

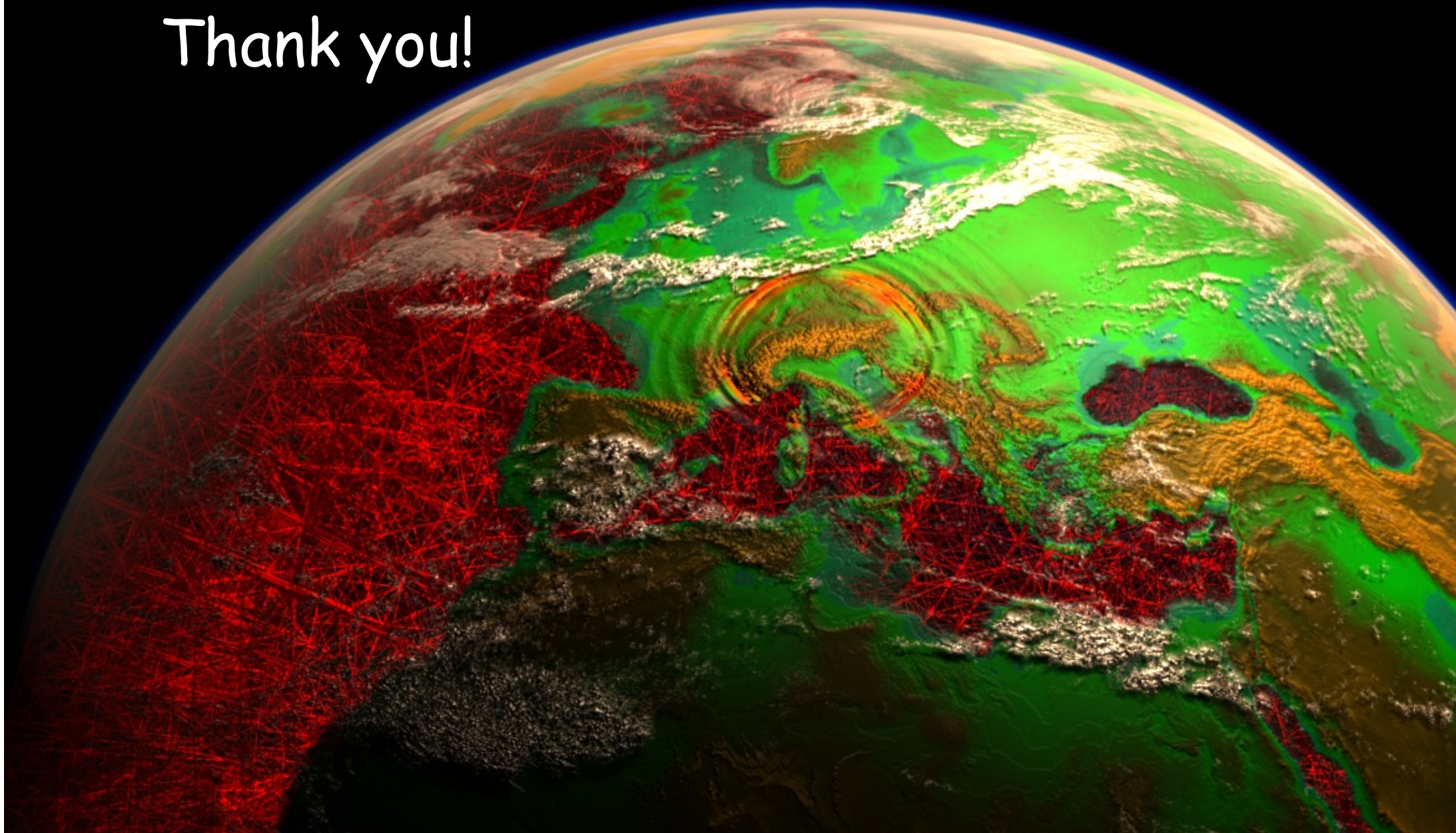
Emergent data access and single-sign on protocols

**A seismology architecture for data intensive applications: data analysis, mining and modelisation**

*Sharing with other disciplines: Astronomy & Astrophysics, Particle Physics, Biology*

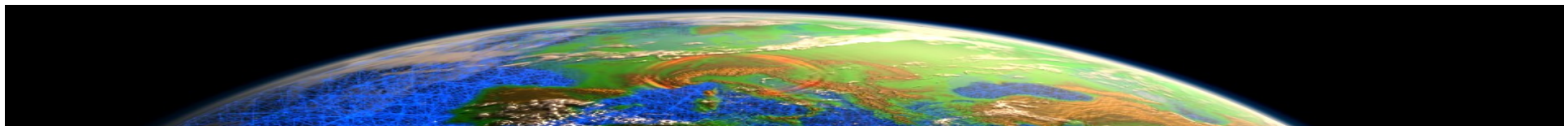
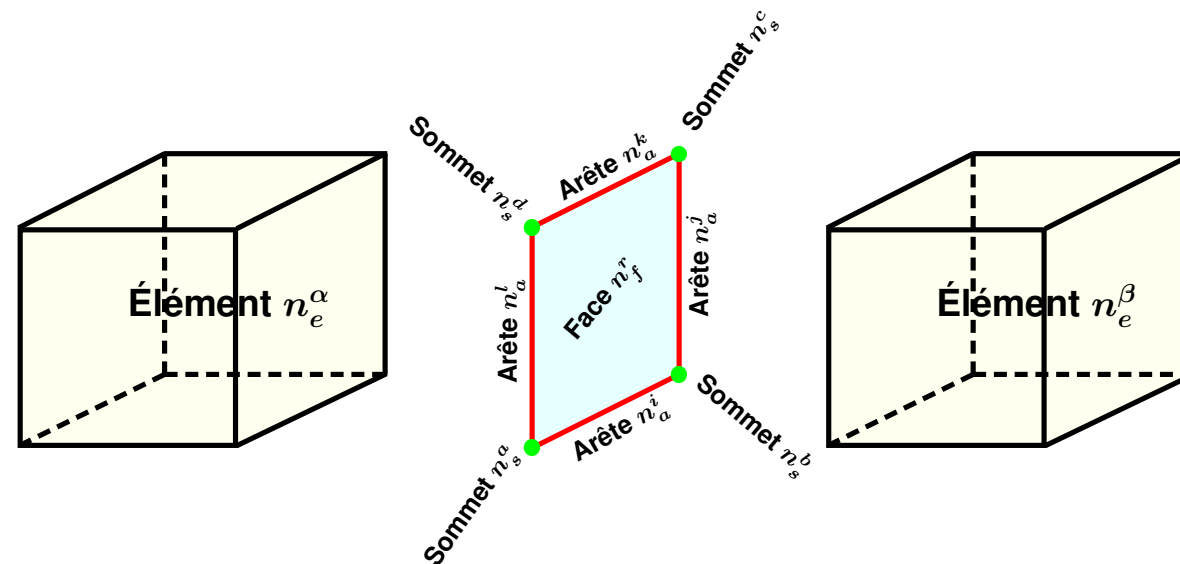


Thank you!



# 3D SEM code

- ▶ Fortran 90 syntax
- ▶ Parallel (MPI) implementation – Domain decomposition **METIS**
- ▶ Unstructured mesh
- ▶ Object oriented



# Data Intensive applications

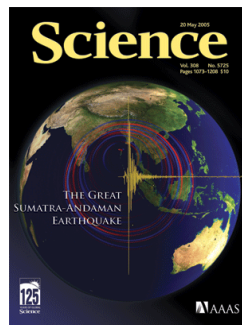
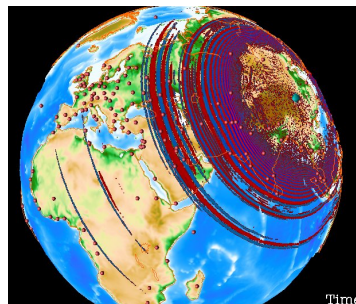
Earthquake and seismology community is facing a fundamental paradigm shift: from data driven to data intensive research:

- Large volume data analysis: extracting information from space and time correlations in dense array observations,
- Data and computing intensive simulation/inversion: 3D wave form information using adjoint methods, stochastic strong motion simulation,
- Orchestrated workflows across service components.

Seamless access to large volumes of multi-sets data across the Grid and HPC components

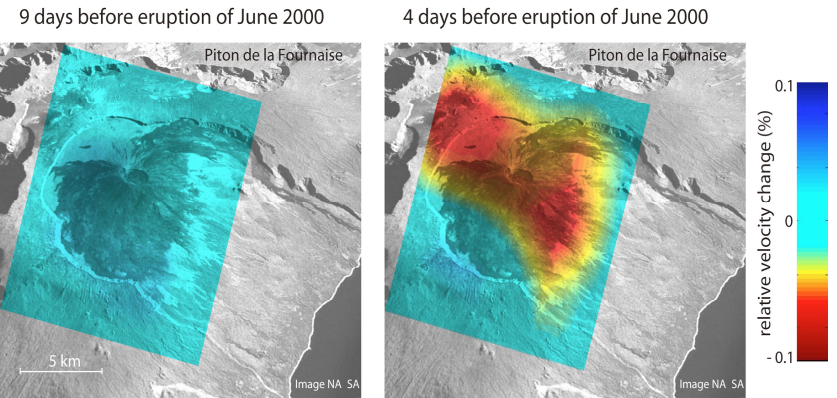
Industrial and societal applications: natural hazards, climate changes and energy resources and national security.

Large earthquake source radiation: Sichuan (Mw 7.9, 2009, China); Sumatra-Andaman (Mw 9.2, 2004, Indonesia)

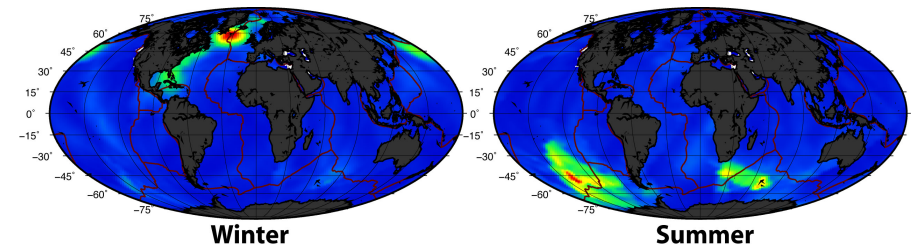


Research groups using SPECFEM3D

## Seismic noise correlations: observing precursors to volcanic eruptions



## Studying the coupling between the Solid Earth, the Oceans, and the Atmosphere



## Earthquake detection: tsunami impact maps

