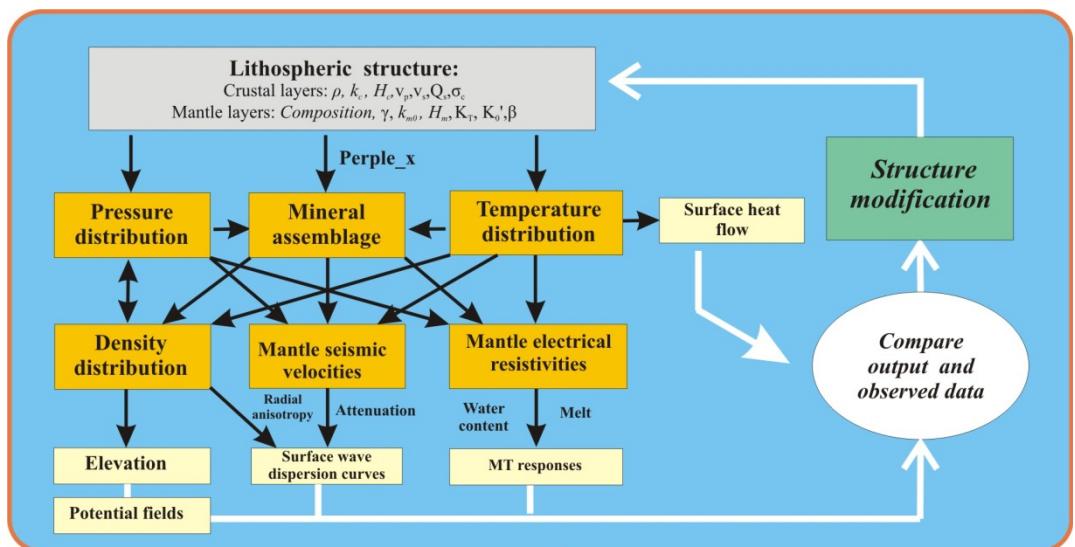
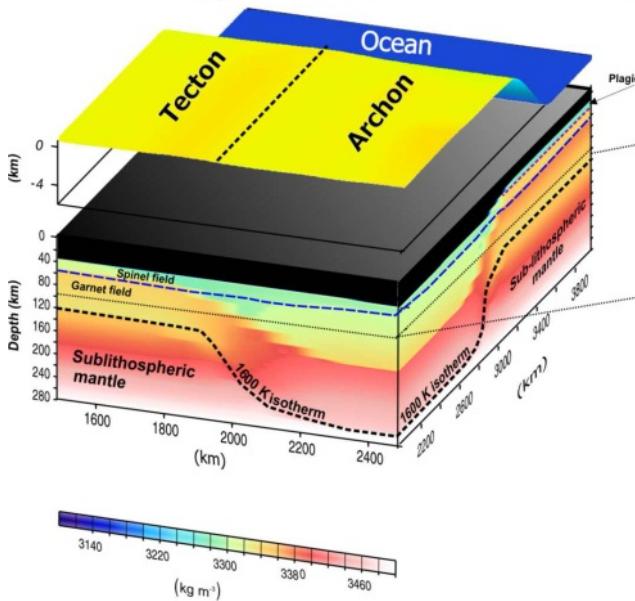


# Integrated geophysical-petrological thermochemical modelling of the lithosphere



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## **Perple\_X forward modelling**

Perplex\_LitMod → simplified ver of petrological software  
**Perple\_X (<https://www.perplex.ethz.ch/>)**

Perple\_X is a collection of Fortran77 programs for calculating phase diagrams, manipulating thermodynamic data, and modeling equilibrium phase fractionation and reactive transport.

Written and maintained by J.A.D. Connolly

## Perple\_X forward modelling

Perplex\_LitMod requires several input files, the most relevant here are:

Stx08ver.dat → Thermodynamically self-consistent data base for the upper mantle (Xu et al., 2008)

Solution\_model.dat → solid solution model

Perple\_X requires input temperature, Pressure and bulk composition (wt% major oxides) and output the stable mineral assemblage and associated bulk rock geophysical properties.

>>Perplex\_LitMod

Input T (C), P (GPa)...?

900 3

Input bulk composition (wt%) Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>, FeO, MgO, CaO  
3.1 8.05 39 2.5

## Perple\_X forward modelling

>>Perplex\_LitMod

Input T (C), P (GPa)...?

900 3

Input bulk composition (wt%) Al2O3,FeO,MgO,CaO

3 8 38 2.5

Bulk rock properties Density (kg/m<sup>3</sup>) 3360.0861038042376

Vp (km/s) 8.0137759407203770

Vs (km/s) 4.5890076372711954

Mineral assemblage Total number of stable phases: 4

Mineral phase: O(stx8) Volumetric fraction: 42.741977568465622

Mineral phase: Opx(stx8) Volumetric fraction: 39.319342830154390

Mineral phase: Cpx(stx8) Volumetric fraction: 7.2590347316147028

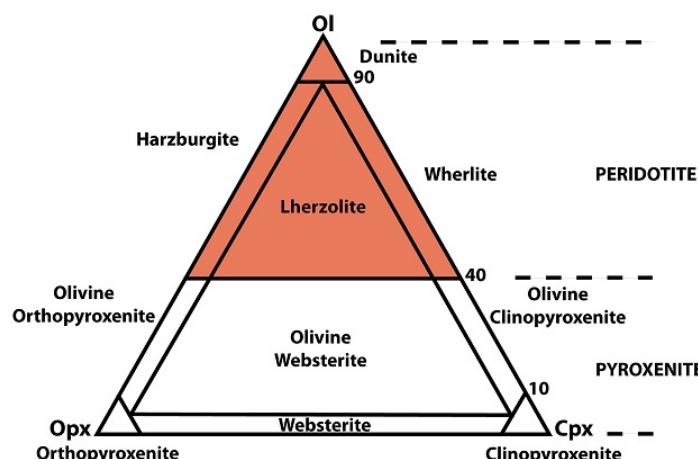
Mineral phase: Gt(stx8) Volumetric fraction: 10.679644869765283

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# Perple\_X forward modelling

Compute the density, Vp and Vs values corresponding to temperatures T= 600 C° and 1400 °C, Pressure P= 3 and 8 GPa for the compositions lherzolite and harzburgite in the table.

- ❖ What is the effect of temperature and pressure variations on the predicted rock properties for a given composition?
- ❖ What is the effect of changing composition for given T and P conditions?
- ❖ What happens with rho and Vp, Vs if you enrich in FeO a harzburgitic rock?



Oxides	Lherzolite	Harzburgite	Dunite	Pyroxenite	PUM <sup>2</sup> McDonough and Sun 1995
SiO <sub>2</sub>	44.5	45.7	40.5	50.1	45
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	3.5	1	0.01	15.2	4.5
FeO	8	6.4	7.5	7.8	8.1
MgO	39.8	45.5	49.7	16.7	37.8
CaO	3.1	0.6	0.25	7.5	3.6

## Perple\_X forward modelling

Let's construct a reference lithospheric column with Perple\_X

\*Consider a column with surface topography  $E=0$ , crustal thickness  $z_{\text{cref}}=30 \text{ km}$  and lithospheric thickness  $z_{\text{lref}}=100 \text{ km}$ . Assume a crustal average density  $\rho_c=2830 \text{ kg/m}^3$ .

\*For the lithospheric geotherm, consider a linear conductive gradient  $T_m(z)=z^*T_a/z_l$  for  $z < z_{\text{lref}}$ , with the temperature at the base of the lithosphere  $T_a=1300 \text{ }^\circ\text{C}$ ; in the sublithosphere  $z > z_l$  the geotherm is adiabatic:  $T_m(z)=T_a+gm^*(z-z_l)$ , with  $gm=0.45 \text{ C/km}$ .

\*The lithostatic pressure is  $P= \rho_c *g*z_{\text{cref}} + \rho_m*g*(z- z_{\text{cref}})$  ( $g=9.8 \text{ m/s}^2$ )

$$\begin{array}{c} \hline \rho_c \\ \hline z_{\text{cref}} \end{array} \quad E_{\text{ref}}=0$$
$$\begin{array}{c} \hline T_m(z)=z^*T_a/z_{\text{lref}} \\ \hline z_l \\ \hline T_m(z)=T_a+gm^*(z-z_l) \end{array}$$

# Perple\_X forward modelling

\*Consider a **lherzolitic mantle composition** in the lithosphere ( $z < z_{lref}$ ) and evaluate the density at different depths:  $z_{cref} + dz, z_{cref} + 2 * dz, \dots, 150$  km.

\*In the first node:  $T = (z_{cref} + dz) * Ta / zl = , P = \rho_c * g * z_{cref} + \rho_m * g * dz$ . Notice that you need to initially assume a value for  $\rho_m$  (e.g., 3300 kg/m<sup>3</sup>). Therefore:  $T = 650$  °C ( $z = 50$  km),  $P = 1.48$  GPa

>>Perple\_LitMod

Input T (C), P (GPa)...?

650 1.48

Input bulk composition (wt%) Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>,FeO,MgO,CaO

3.5 8 39.8 3.1

Bulk rock properties

Density (kg/m<sup>3</sup>) 3355.3565784813932

Vp (km/s) 8.1189632935690401

Vs (km/s) 4.6676008863708560

Mineral assemblage

Total number of stable phases: 4

Mineral phase: Cpx(stx8)

Volumetric fraction: 9.4668458553667794

Mineral phase: O(stx8)

Volumetric fraction: 57.798702923138670

Mineral phase: Opx(stx8)

Volumetric fraction: 19.042547040765324

Mineral phase: Gt(stx8)

Volumetric fraction: 13.691904180729228

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## Perple\_X forward modelling

- \* The real density in the first node is 3355.3 kg/m<sup>3</sup>, so the pressure has to be recalculated:  $P=\rho_c \cdot g \cdot z_{ref} + \rho_m \cdot g \cdot dz = 1.49 \text{ GPa}$

>>Perplex\_LitMod

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Bulk rock properties

Density (kg/m<sup>3</sup>) 3355.6380057011716

Vp (km/s) 8.1199466061594325

Vs (km/s) 4.6678814978096561

- In this second iteration the difference in the predicted density is <0.4 kg/m<sup>3</sup>
- We can extend this calculation to the other nodes in depth (i.e. z=70 km, 90 km, 110 km, 130 km and 150 km).  $P(70\text{km})=P(50\text{ km})+\rho_m \cdot dz$ . Note that the nodes with  $z>100$  km will be subjected to an adiabatic geotherm ( $T_m(z)=T_a+gm \cdot (z-z_l)$ ) and sublithospheric mantle composition (PUM from table).

# Perple\_X forward modelling

Let's compute isostatic topography/bathymetry

\*The pressure at the bottom of the model Pref(150km) can be taken as a reference for isostatic surface elevation estimates.

\*Now redo the integration exercise with Perplex for a column with lithospheric thickness z\_l=140 km, first with **Iherzolite composition**, and then with **harzburgitic composition** in the lithosphere.

If  $P_{ref}(150 \text{ km}) > P_{column}(150 \text{ km})$ :

$$h_{topo} = (P_{ref}(150 \text{ km}) - P_{column}(150 \text{ km})) / (g * rho_c)$$

If  $P_{ref}(150 \text{ km}) < P_{column}(150 \text{ km})$ :

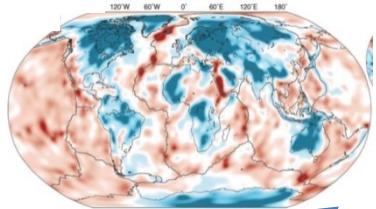
$$h_{bathy} = (P_{ref}(150 \text{ km}) - P_{column}(150 \text{ km})) / (g * (rho_c - rho_w))$$

- ❖ What is the effect of thickening the lithosphere?
- ❖ What is the effect of changing composition?

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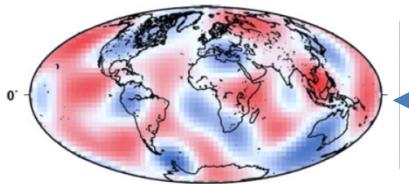
# *Lets put Perple\_X into a geophysical modelling context*

## *Seismic Velocity models*



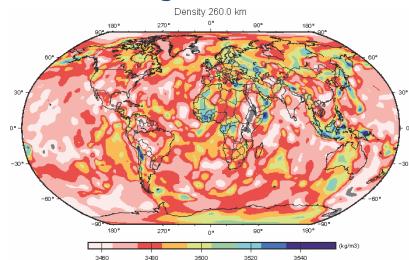
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## *Electrical Conductivity models*



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## *Density models*



$$dG = V dP - S dT + \sum_i \mu_i dX_i \quad \text{Thermodynamics}$$

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## *Petrology*

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## *Mineral physics*

# Thermal field

- ✓ Mantle thermal conductivity dependent on T, P and C (numerical iteration)

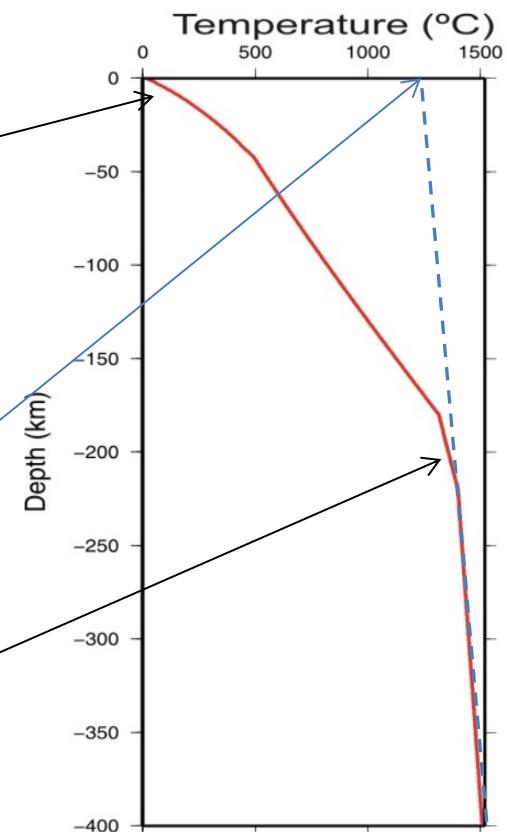
$$k_{(T,P)} = k^\circ \left(\frac{298}{T}\right)^a \exp\left[-(4\gamma + 1/3) \int_{298}^T \alpha(T) dt\right] \times \left(1 + \frac{K'_0 P}{K_T}\right) + k_{rad}(T)$$

- ✓ Surface Heat flow (SHF)=  $Kc * dT/dz$

- ✓ Crustal heat production accounts for 20-40% of SHF in continents

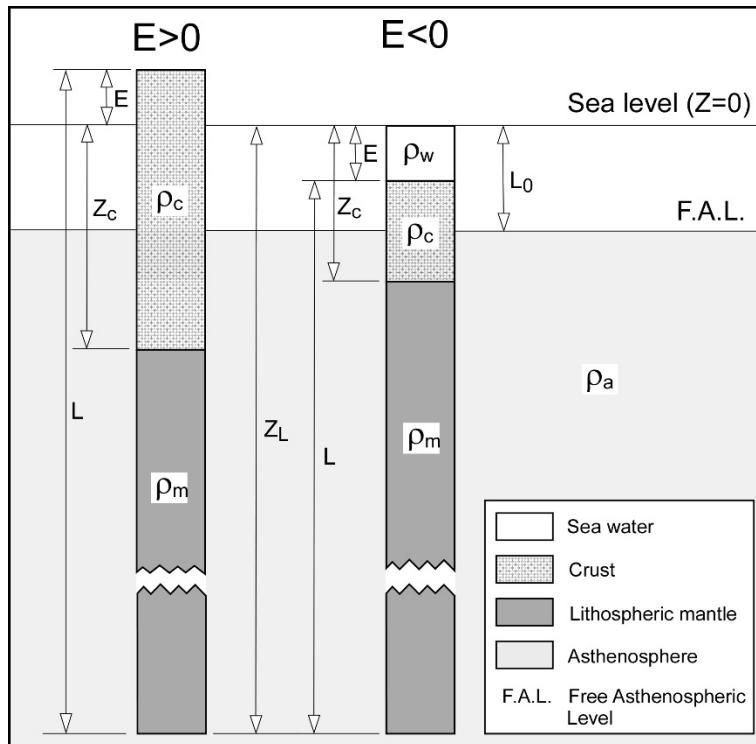
- ✓ Thermal buffer sublithosphere (superadiabatic transition)

- ✓ Sublithospheric geotherm: adiabatic gradient (usually 0.4-0.5 K/km ) and potential temperature



# Isostasy

- ✓ *Lithospheric isostasy: (absolute) elevation as a measure of the buoyancy of the lithosphere*



$$E = \frac{\rho_a - \rho_L}{\rho_a} \cdot L - L_0 \quad (E > 0)$$

$$E = \frac{\rho_a}{\rho_a - \rho_w} \cdot \left( \frac{\rho_a - \rho_L}{\rho_a} \cdot L - L_0 \right) \quad (E < 0)$$

(e.g. Lachenbruch & Morgan 1990)

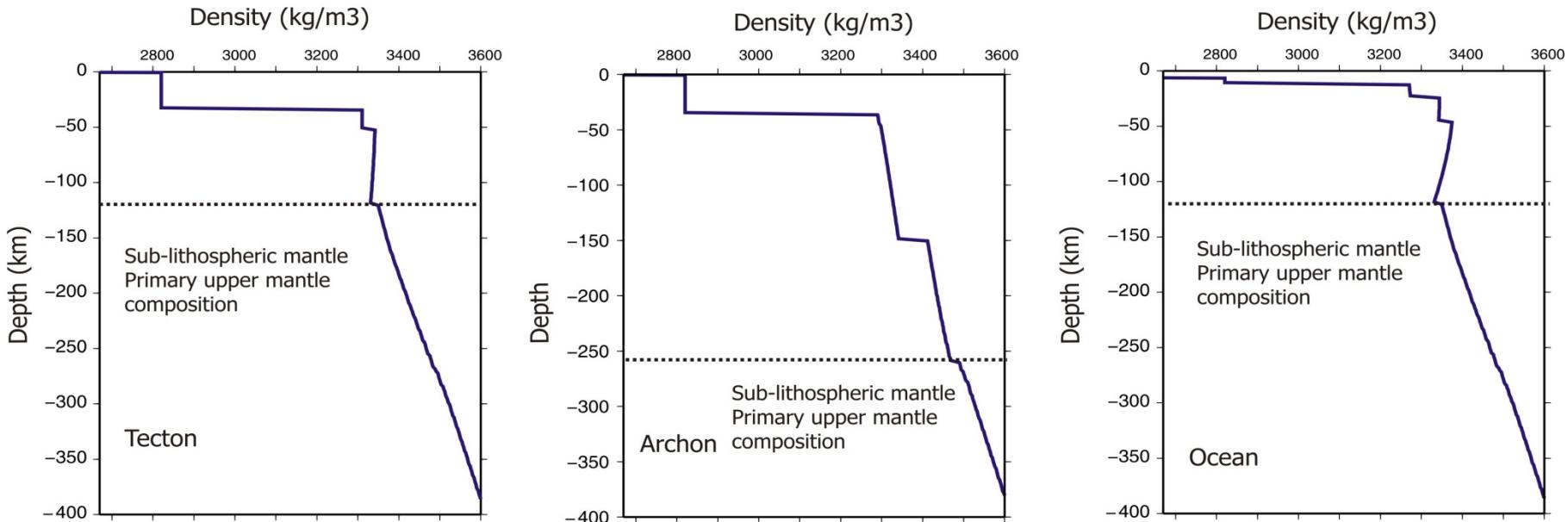
In terms of the pressure at the bottom of the model:

$$E = L - \frac{P_{bot}}{g\rho_{bot}} - \prod_0$$

$$\prod_0 = z_{bot} - \frac{\rho_{MOR}(z_{bot} - E_{rid}) + \rho_w E_{rid}}{\rho_{bot}}$$

- *Lithospheric mantle able to hold density contrasts over geological time scales...*

# Mantle composition

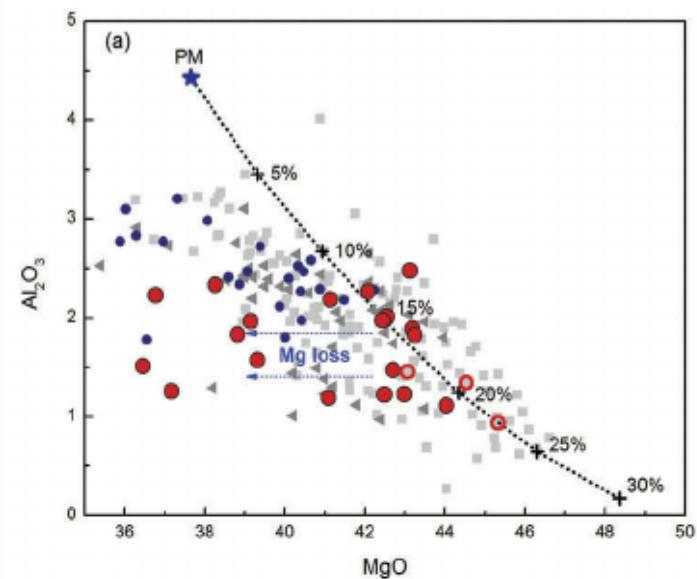
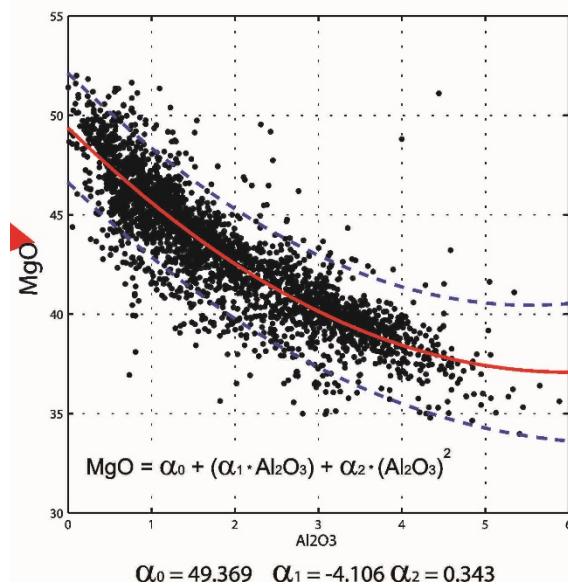
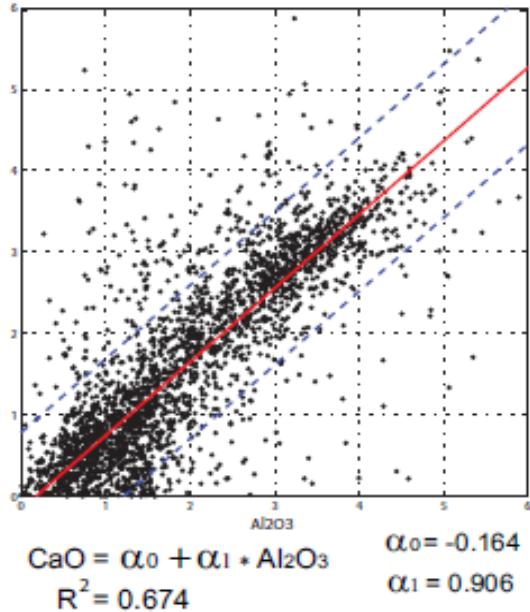


**Table 1:** Estimates of subcontinental lithospheric mantle compositions from xenoliths suites and peridotite massifs (modified from Afonso *et al.*, 2008a and Griffin *et al.*, 2008).

	Aver. Archon Gnt. SCLM*	Aver. Kaapvaal Harzburg.	Aver. Tecton Gnt. SCLM *	PUM J79#	PUM MS# *
SiO <sub>2</sub>	45.7	45.9	44.5	45.2	45
TiO <sub>2</sub>	0.04	0.05	0.14	0.22	0.2
Al <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.99	1.3	3.5	4	4.5
Cr <sub>2</sub> O <sub>3</sub>	0.28	0.34	0.4	0.46	0.38
FeO	6.4	6.0	8.0	7.8	8.1
MnO	0.11	0.1	0.13	0.13	0.14
MgO	45.5	45.5	39.8	38.3	37.8
CaO	0.59	0.5	3.1	3.5	3.6
Na <sub>2</sub> O	0.07	0.07	0.24	0.33	0.36
NiO	0.3	0.28	0.26	0.27	0.25
Mg#	92.7	93.1	89.9	89.7	89.3
Cr/(Cr+Al)	0.16	0.27	0.07	0.07	0.05

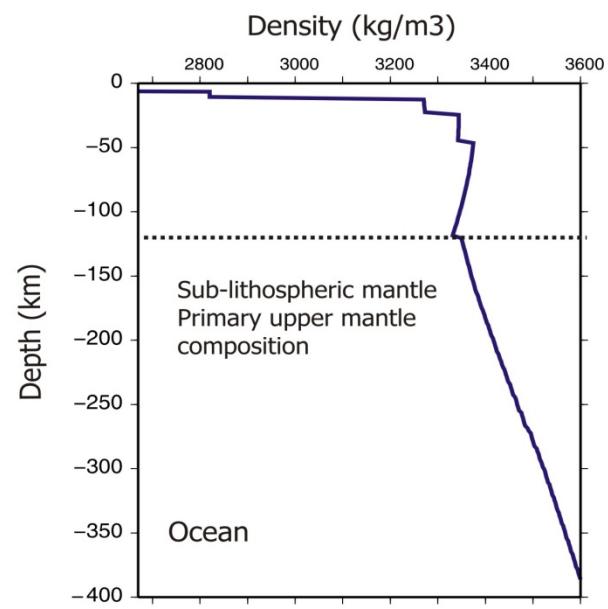
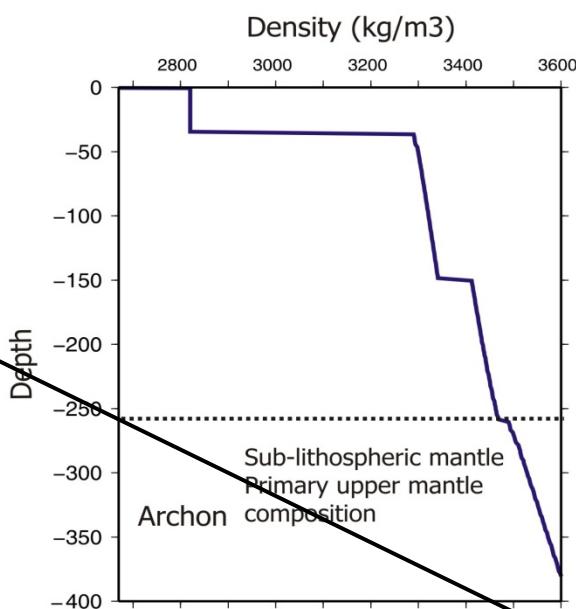
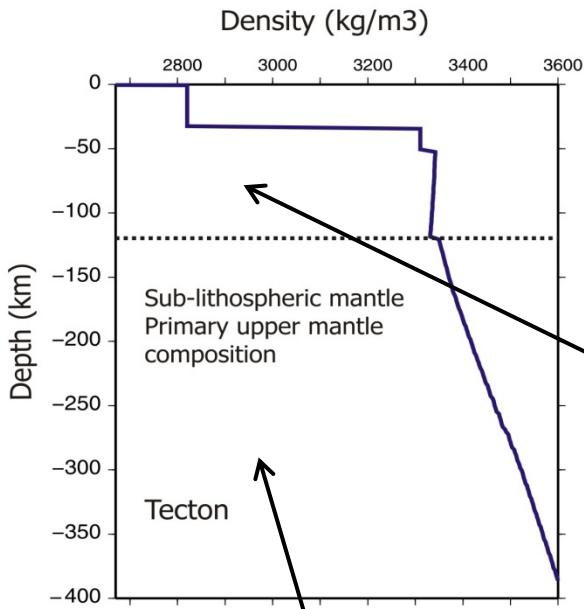
# Mantle composition

Major oxides correlations from xenoliths & per. massifs



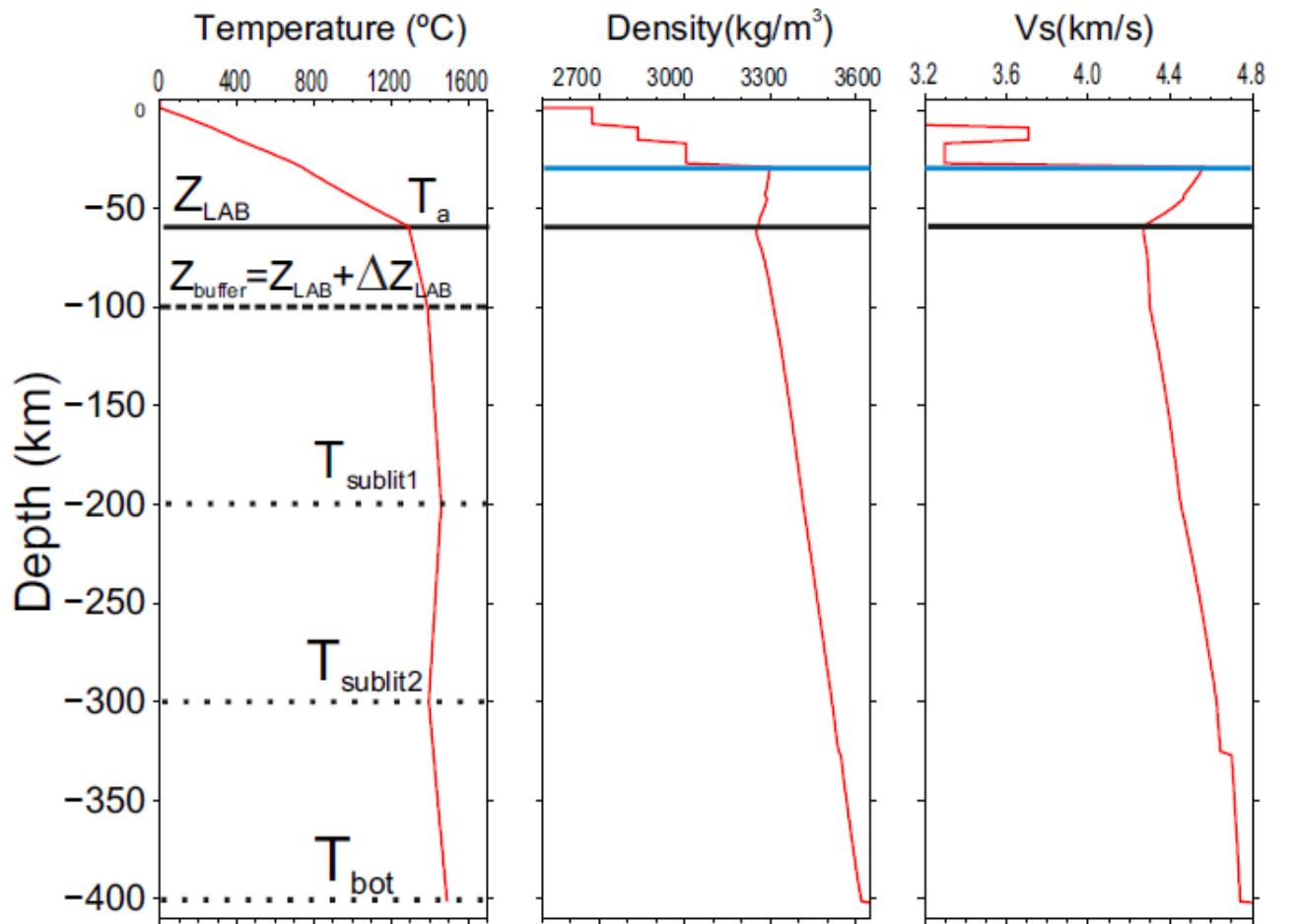
- ✓ Mantle composition described by **Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>** and FeO independent variables (CaO and MgO=F(Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>))
- ✓ Chemical parameterization following melting trend, analogous to pyrolite (Harz+basalt)

# Mantle composition



- ✓ Two mantle compositional domains: lithosphere and sublithosphere
- ✓ Chemical parameterization two oxides: Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> and FeO

# Mantle density and seismic velocities in WINTERC



- ✓ Parameters characterizing density and velocities: geotherm and mantle composition (Also attenuation in the case of seismic velocities)

# WINTERC forward modelling/inversion

**Composition, temperature, pressure within the lithosphere  
and sub-lithospheric mantle**

*Thermodynamic calculation for an  
equilibrium mineral assemblage*

*PERPLEX (J. Connolly)  
LitMod (J. Fullea et al.; J.C. Afonso et al.)*

**Density, elastic parameters**

*Calculation of phase velocities for  
1-D Earth models*

*Normal-mode code  
(e.g., MINEOS)  
Attenuation  
Radial anisotropy*

**Surface-wave, topography, surface heat flow observables**

## ***Seismic attenuation***

Attenuation (anelastic effects) have to be considered. Standard parameterization (e.g. Faul & Jackson) depends on:

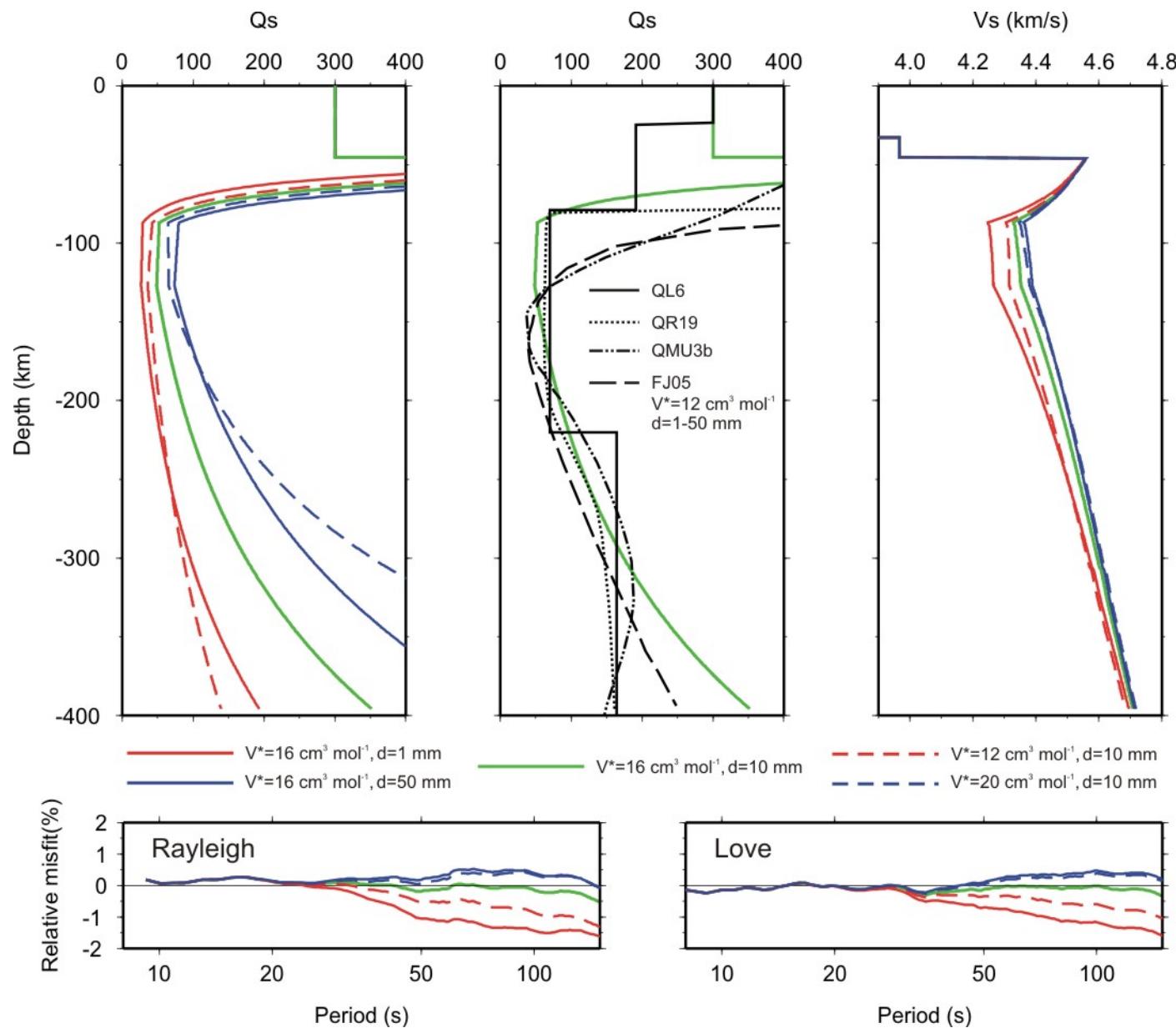
- Temperature and pressure
- Grain size and activation volume
- Melt

$$V_P = V_{P0} \left( 1 - \left( \frac{2}{9} \right) \cot\left(\frac{\pi\alpha}{2}\right) Q_s^{-1} \right)$$

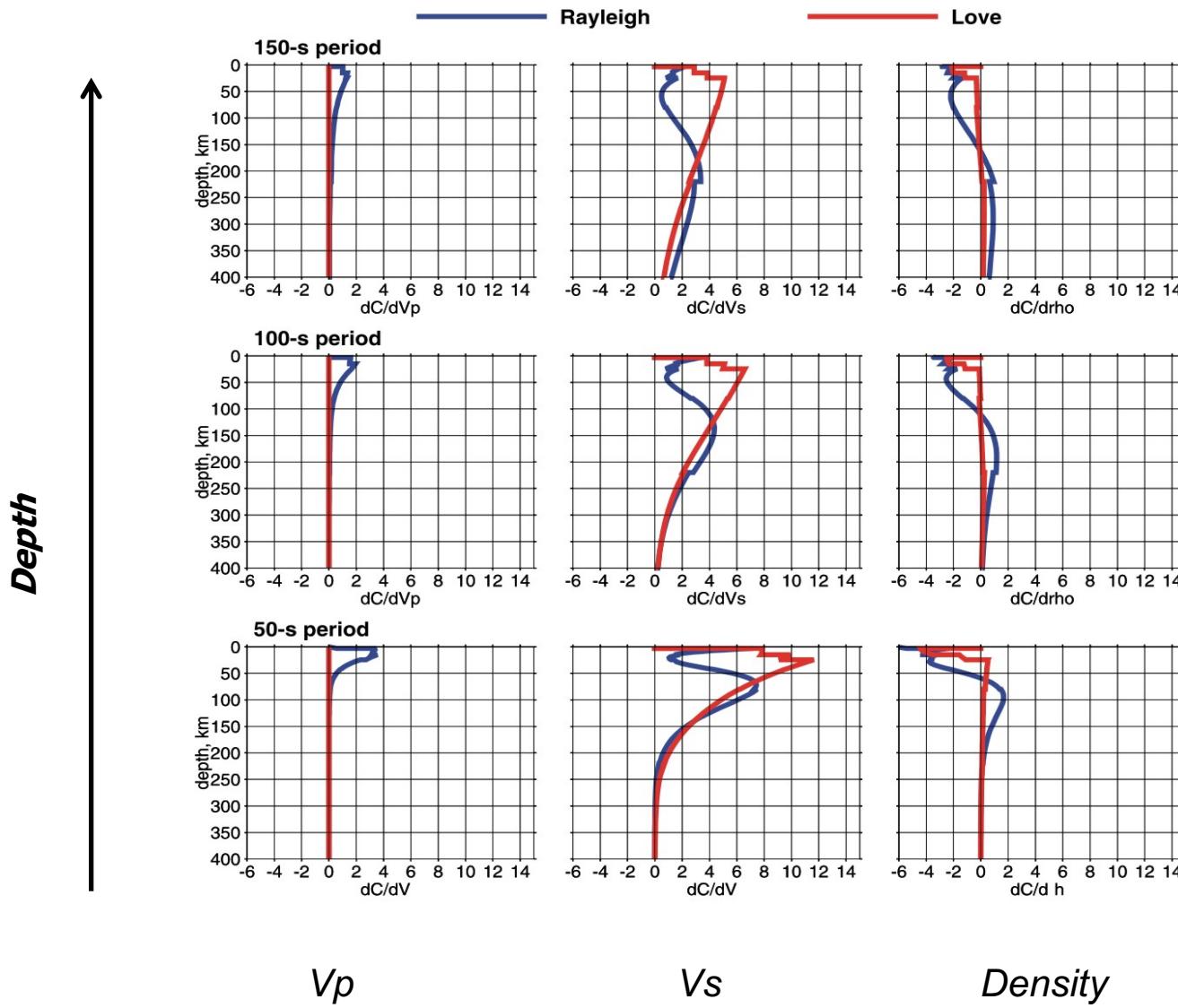
$$V_S = V_{S0} \left( 1 - \left( \frac{1}{2} \right) \cot\left(\frac{\pi\alpha}{2}\right) Q_s^{-1} \right)$$

$$Q_s^{-1} = A \left[ \frac{T_0}{d} \exp\left(\frac{-\left(E + PV^*\right)}{RT}\right) \right]^\alpha$$

## ***Seismic attenuation***



## ➤ Surface-wave sensitivity kernels



**Let's get to it...**

**In this course we will see WINTERC: LitMod based 1D forward modelling and stochastic inversion of:**

- ✓ Surface elevation (local isostasy)
- ✓ Surface Heat Flow (geotherm)
- ✓ Surface wave dispersion data (Rayleigh and Love curves)

**The output model consists of:**

- ✓ Crustal structure (Moho depth, density, Vs)
- ✓ Lithospheric structure (LAB depth, lithospheric composition)
- ✓ Sublithospheric structure (temperature, composition)
- ✓ Seismic anisotropy

# WINTERC forward modelling

Input files:

- *WINTERC\_var\_fwd.info*: input model variables
- *WINTERC\_param\_fwd.info*: input parameters

Output files:

- *TrhovelsComp\_fwd.z* → output 1D column with depth, temperature, density, seismic velocities, mantle composition
- *out\_phase\_ray\_fwd.dat* → output Rayleigh phase velocity
- *out\_phase\_love\_fwd.dat* → output Love phase velocity
- *out\_E-SHF\_fwd.dat* → output surface elevation and heat flow

## *Running WINTERC\_fwd from a terminal:*

\*Open a terminal and go to ~/ materials/ WINTERC\_3DEARTH-school

\*Edit input model file WINTERC\_var\_fwd.info as needed

(\*type: PATH=\$PATH: . )

\**type: ./WINTERC\_fwd*

\*Enter input surface elevation, in m. The terminal output should be:

Surface elevation (m)...?

1900

Reading input variables file WINTERC\_var.info

N\_col\_mp\_en read 0

RADIAL ANISTROPY ON

Reading input reference variable vector:WINTERC\_ref.info

Reading input parameters file WINTERC\_param.info

E,E\_ice 1900.0000000000000000 1900.0000000000000000

RAYLEIGH SURFACE WAVES INVERSION SWITCHED ON

LOVE SURFACE WAVES INVERSION SWITCHED ON

NUMBER OF DATA POINTS: 149

TOTAL NUMBER OF VARIABLES: 35

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##### PROGRAM WINTERC #####

# Parallel Version #

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COLUMN NUMBER: 0

Crustal densities(kg/m3): 2790.0 2787.0 2820.5

Crustal iso Vs (m/s): 3241.0 3730.0 3746.0

Depth of crustal layers (km): 9.2 21.3 40.1

Av crust heat (micro W/m3): 0.90E-06

d\_T transient initial (km): 500.0

Age oceanic lithosphere (Ma): -40000.26

LAB depth (km): 146.2

Thermal buffer thickness (km): 25.0

LAB temperature (C): 1300.0

Temperature at 200 km (C): 1452.3

Temperature at 300 km (C): 1487.3

Bottom model temperature (C): 1522.4

Vs at 410 km disc (m/s): 4890.0

Vs at 660 km disc (m/s): 5532.0

Al2O3 (wt%) Litho: 3.35

FeO (wt%) Litho: 8.10

Al2O3 (wt%) sub-Litho: 4.41

FeO (wt%) sub-Litho: 8.05

Radial anistropy crust(%): 0.0 0.0 0.0

Radial anistropy mantle, z= 56 km: 0.0

Radial anistropy mantle, z= 80 km: 0.0

Radial anistropy mantle, z= 110 km: 0.0

Radial anistropy mantle, z= 150 km: 0.0

Radial anistropy mantle, z= 200 km: 0.0

Radial anistropy mantle, z= 260 km: 0.0

Radial anistropy mantle, z= 330 km: 0.0

Radial anistropy mantle, z= 400 km: 0.0

Radial anistropy mantle,410 km disc: 0.0

Radial anistropy mantle,660 km disc: 0.0

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Describes the input model as read from  
file WINTERC\_var\_fwd.info

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MATERIAL ASSIGNATION COMPLETED  
THERMAL CALCULATION COMPLETED  
E\_calc (m) = 2487.2612032894394  
SHF (mW/m<sup>2</sup>) = 57.403315101578315  
MODEL ROUGHNESS Vs (%) 0.0  
MODEL ROUGHNESS rho (%) 0.0

Terminal output, Isostatic topography (E\_calc)  
and surface heat flow (SHF) plus crustal Vs and  
density roughness

In addition to the screen output the code produces output files:

- ***TrhovelsComp\_fwd.z*** → output 1D column with depth, temperature, density, seismic velocities, mantle composition
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## Output files:

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<i>z</i> (m)	T(C)	<i>rho</i>	<i>Vp</i>	<i>Vs</i>	Al2O3	FeO		
5000.000	0.000	0.000	0.0000	0.0000	-1.00	-1.00	0.00	0.0000
3000.000	0.000	0.000	0.0000	0.0000	-1.00	-1.00	0.00	0.0000
1000.000	0.000	2750.000	6.3000	3.6000	-1.00	-1.00	0.00	0.0000
-1000.000	51.367	2750.000	6.3000	3.6000	-1.00	-1.00	0.00	0.0000
-3000.000	101.097	2750.000	6.3000	3.6000	-1.00	-1.00	0.00	0.0000
-5000.000	149.191	2750.000	6.3000	3.6000	-1.00	-1.00	0.00	0.0000
-7000.000	195.648	2750.000	6.3000	3.6000	-1.00	-1.00	0.00	0.0000
-9000.000	240.470	2750.000	6.3000	3.6000	-1.00	-1.00	0.00	0.0000
-11000.000	280.898	2750.000	6.3000	3.6000	-1.00	-1.00	0.00	0.0000
-13000.000	317.461	2750.000	6.3000	3.6000	-1.00	-1.00	0.00	0.0000
-15000.000	352.583	2750.000	6.3000	3.6000	-1.00	-1.00	0.00	0.0000
-17000.000	386.266	2750.000	6.3000	3.6000	-1.00	-1.00	0.00	0.0000
-19000.000	418.509	2750.000	6.3000	3.6000	-1.00	-1.00	0.00	0.0000
-21000.000	451.990	2750.000	6.5160	3.6000	-1.00	-1.00	0.00	0.0000
-23000.000	486.945	2750.000	6.5160	3.6000	-1.00	-1.00	0.00	0.0000
-25000.000	520.187	2750.000	6.5160	3.6000	-1.00	-1.00	0.00	0.0000
-27000.000	551.713	2750.000	6.5160	3.6000	-1.00	-1.00	0.00	0.0000
-29000.000	581.526	2750.000	6.5160	3.6000	-1.00	-1.00	0.00	0.0000
-31000.000	609.625	2750.000	6.5160	3.6000	-1.00	-1.00	0.00	0.0000
-33000.000	636.009	2750.000	6.5160	3.6000	-1.00	-1.00	0.00	0.0000
-35000.000	660.678	2750.000	6.5160	3.6000	-1.00	-1.00	0.00	0.0000
-37000.000	683.634	2750.000	6.5160	3.6000	-1.00	-1.00	0.00	0.0000
-39000.000	704.875	2750.000	6.5160	3.6000	-1.00	-1.00	0.00	0.0000
-41000.000	721.064	3345.318	8.0215	4.6210	4.35	8.10	0.00	2.0000
-43000.000	734.913	3345.881	8.0208	4.6180	4.35	8.10	0.00	2.0000

## Output files:

- ***out\_phase\_ray\_fwd.dat*** → output Rayleigh phase velocity

Period (s)	Vph (m/s)	uncertainty (m/s)
20.366000000000000	3481.8532714843750	6.8940001027286053
21.187000000000001	3504.5856933593750	6.9540001036226755
22.041000000000000	3529.4541015625000	6.9940001042187214
22.928999999999998	3556.3740234375000	7.0440001049637795
23.853000000000002	3585.1943359375000	7.1140001060068609
24.815000000000001	3615.6616210937500	7.1640001067519190
25.815000000000001	3647.3444824218750	7.2260001076757909
26.855000000000000	3679.7756347656250	7.2920001086592672
27.937999999999999	3712.4421386718750	7.3620001097023486
29.064000000000000	3744.7065429687500	7.4200001105666162
30.234999999999999	3776.0129394531250	7.4900001116096977
31.454000000000001	3805.8959960937500	7.5500001125037670
32.722000000000001	3833.9428710937500	7.6040001133084303
34.040999999999997	3859.8920898437500	7.6560001140832901
35.412999999999997	3883.6057128906250	7.7120001149177551
36.840000000000003	3905.0561523437500	7.7600001156330114
38.325000000000003	3924.3151855468750	7.8060001163184642
39.869999999999997	3941.4990234375000	7.8480001169443137
41.476999999999997	3956.7670898437500	7.8880001175403596
43.149000000000001	3970.3073730468750	7.9220001180469994
44.887999999999998	3982.3071289062500	7.9560001185536384
46.697000000000003	3992.9594726562500	7.9780001188814644
...		

Output files:

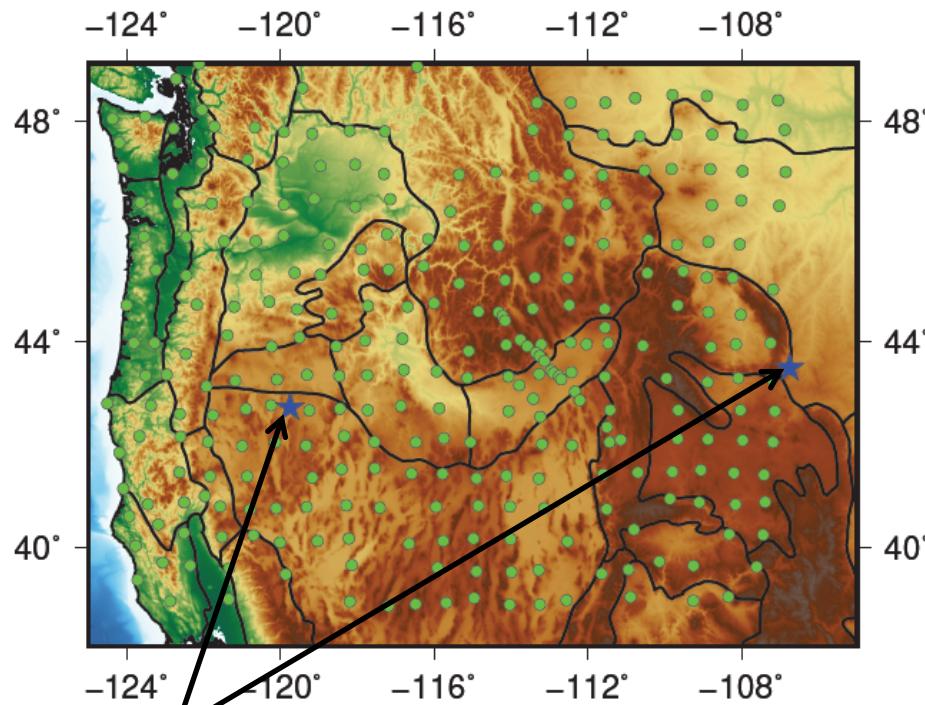
- ***out\_E-SHF\_fwd.dat*** → output surface elevation and heat flow

E\_calc (m)= 2487.2612032894394

SHF (mW/m<sup>2</sup>)= 57.403315101578315

# Plotting results

- ***plot\_WINTERC\_parallel\_fwd.job*** → plots WINTERC T, rho, Vs model and output surface waves, topography and SHF
- Type on the terminal `./plot_WINTERC_parallel_fwd.job`. It will ask for a column number, this is only to plot some real data for reference (put 2134)

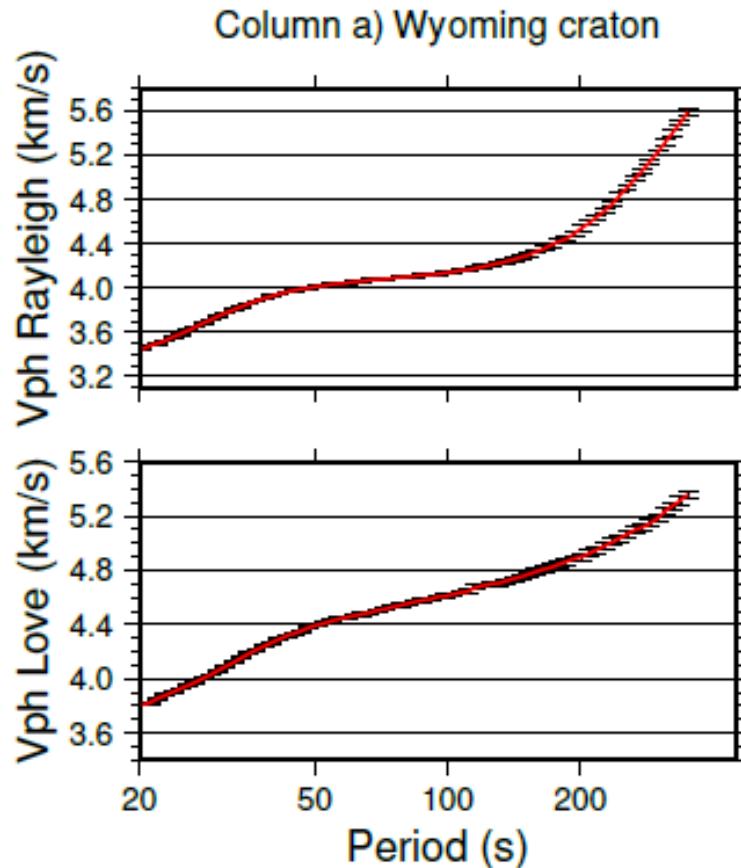


Column	Elevation	Surface heat flow	Moho depth
Wyoming craton (WC)	$1.9 \pm 0.2$ km	$60 \pm 15$ mW/m <sup>2</sup>	$43.4 \pm 4.4$ km
North Basin and Range (NBR)	$1.4 \pm 0.1$ km	$70 \pm 10$ mW/m <sup>2</sup>	$31.2 \pm 4.6$ km

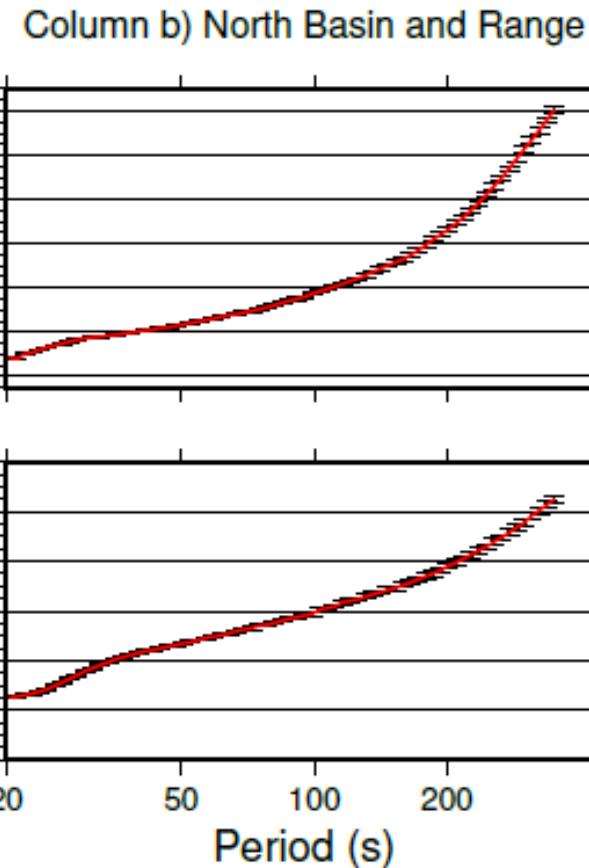
Col number  
2134  
2129

# surface wave dispersion curves input data

2134



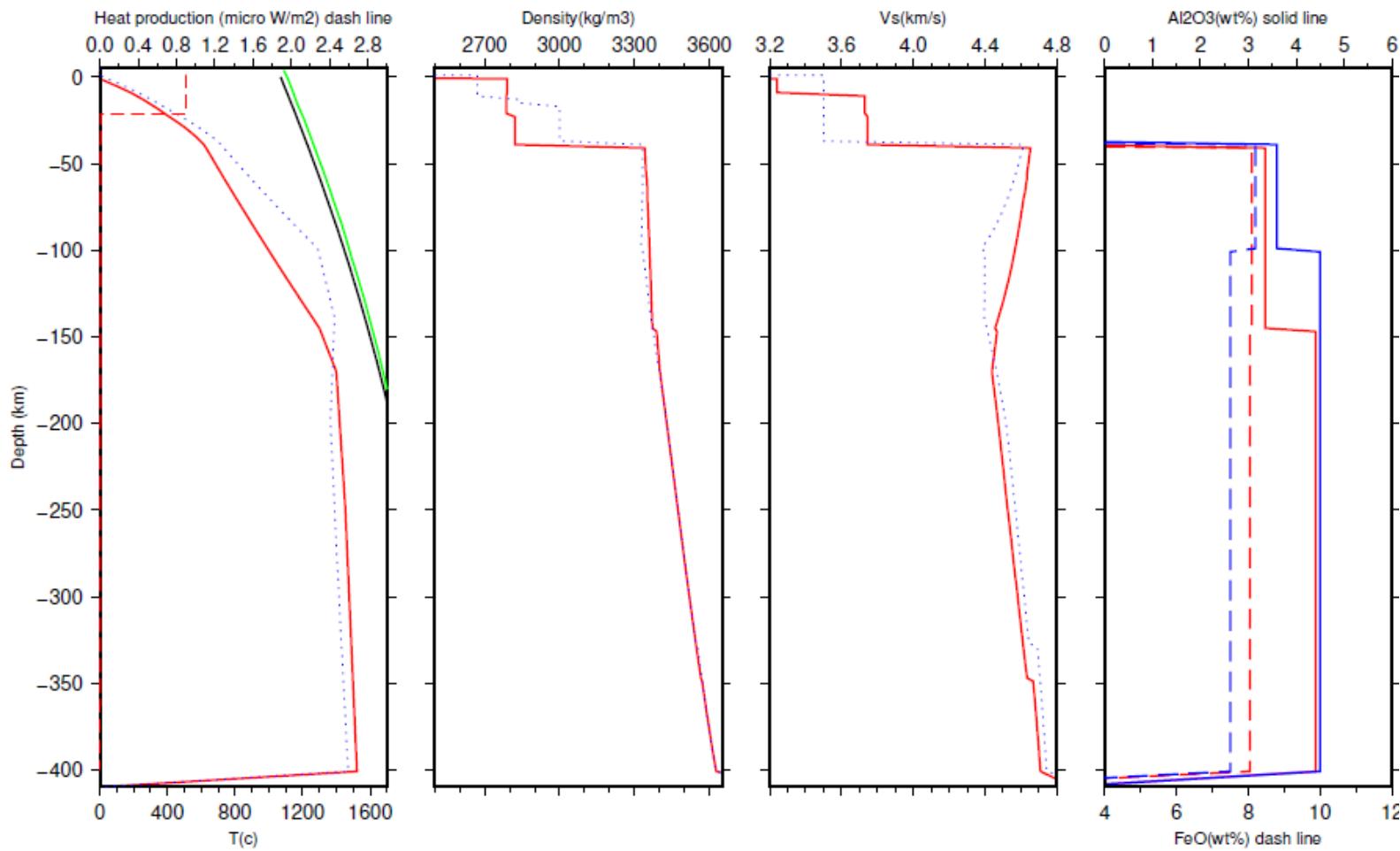
2129



- ***plot\_WINTERC\_parallel\_fwd.job*** → plots WINTERC T, rho, Vs model and output surface waves, topography and SHF. Three pdf output files will be created: **WINTERC\_var\_fwd\_\*.pdf**, **phase\_vel\_fwd\_\*.pdf**, and **WINTERC\_fwd\_anis\_\*.pdf**

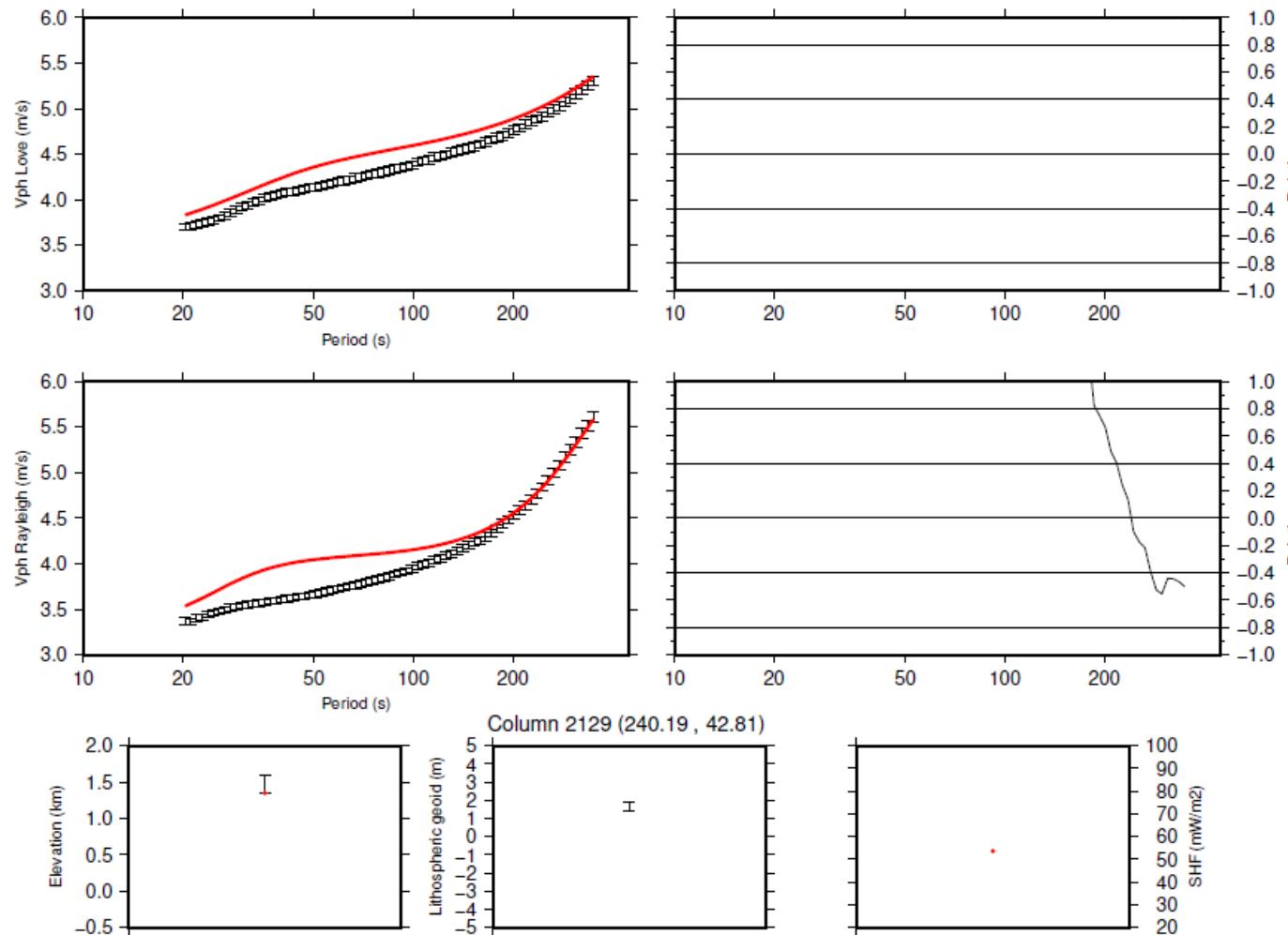
### WINTERC\_var\_fwd\_\*.pdf (*TrhovelsComp\_fwd.z*)

Column 2129 (240.19 , 42.81)



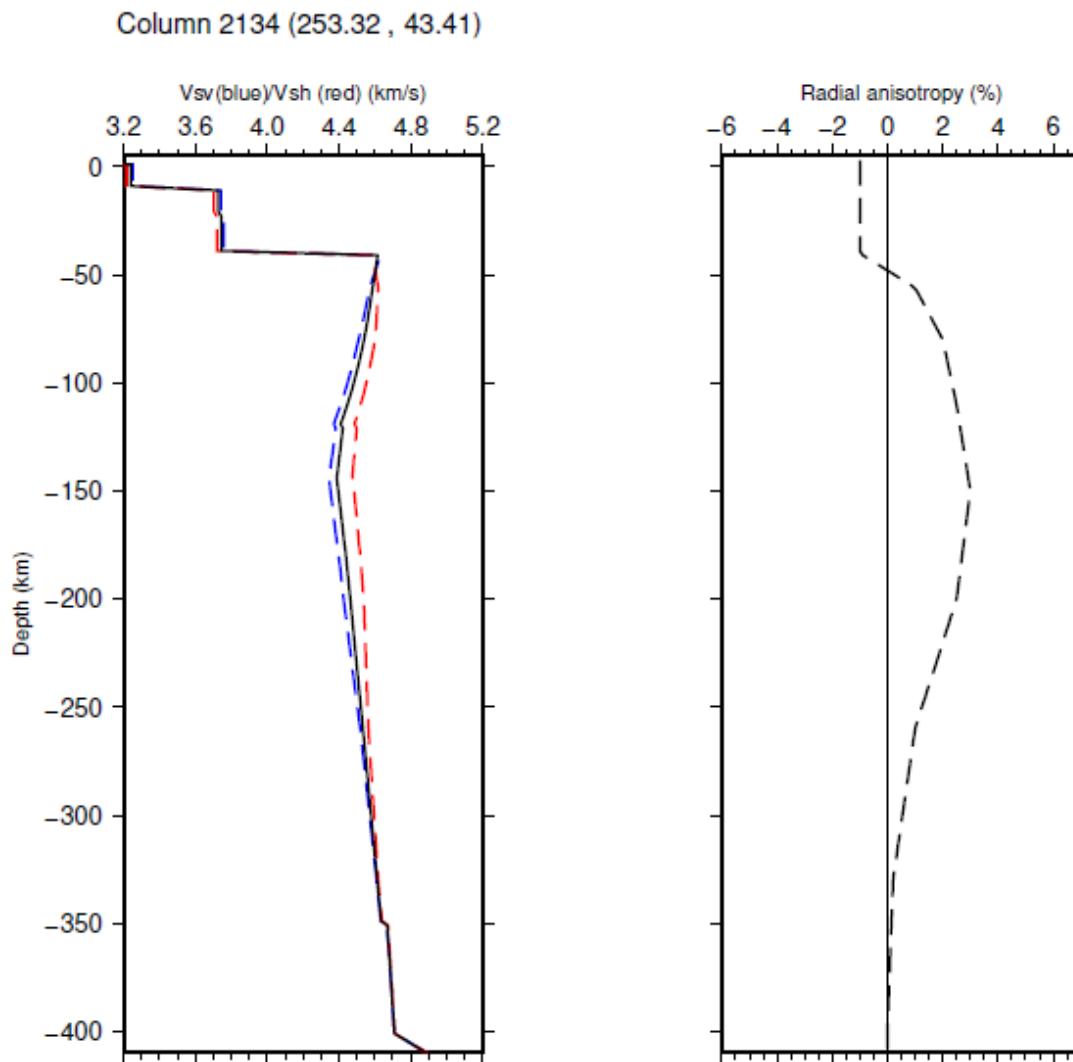
- ***plot\_WINTERC\_parallel\_fwd.job*** → plots WINTERC T, rho, Vs model and output surface waves, topography and SHF

**phase\_vel\_fwd\_\*.pdf (*out\_phase\_ray\_fwd.dat*, *out\_phase\_love\_fwd.dat*, and *out\_E-SHF\_fwd.dat* )**



- ***plot\_WINTERC\_parallel\_fwd.job*** → plots WINTERC T, rho, Vs model and output surface waves, topography and SHF.

**WINTERC\_fwd\_anis\_\*.pdf (*TrhovelsComp\_fwd.z*)**



# INPUT files: WINTERC\_var\_fwd.info

*Crustal model: density, Vs, thickness, radiogenic heat production*

\*SECTION: CRUSTAL LAYERS ! If density <0 then value is ABS(Vs/rho)

DENSITY | Vs | DEPTH | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

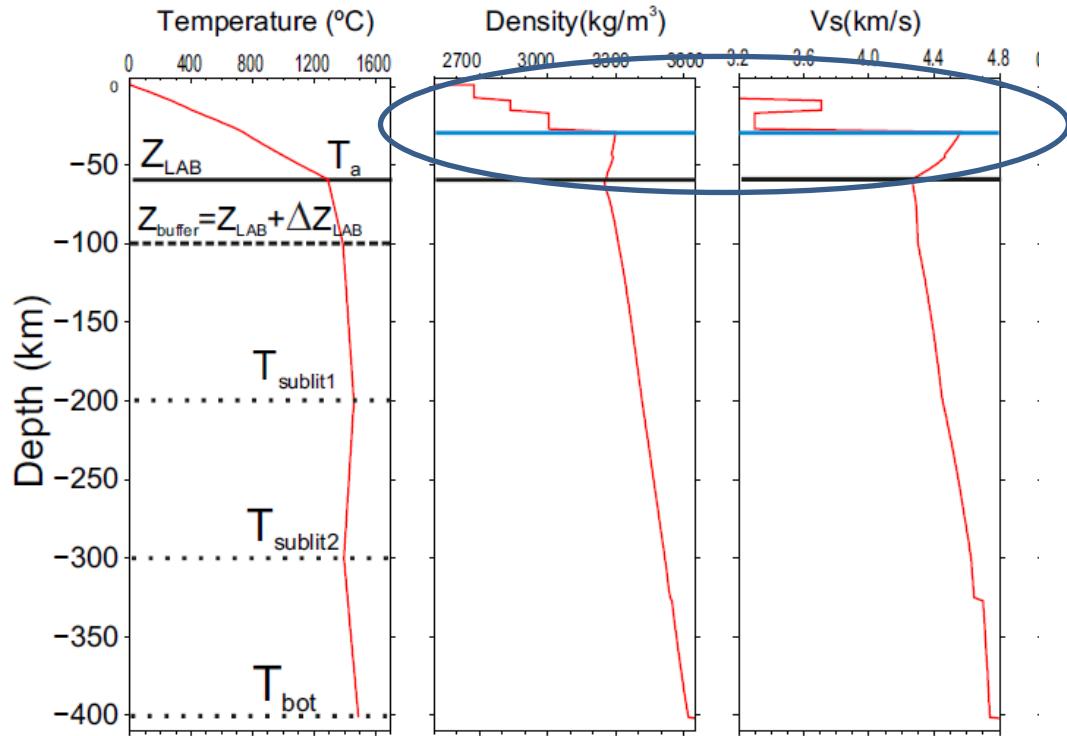
**2750 3.6 10D0 1 1 1 1D2 1D2 1D2** ! Upper\_crust

**2750 3.6 20D0 1 1 1 1D2 1D2 1D2** ! Mid\_crust

**2750 3.6 40D0 1 1 1 1D2 1D2 1D-1** ! Lower\_crust

**0.9D-6 0 1D-8** ! Radiogenic heat production crust (average) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

**10 30** ! Vs and density crustal roughness coefficients



Crustal parameters are NOT  
computed thermodynamically!!

## **Crustal-structure- Things to check:**

- ❖ What is the effect of the crustal thermal parameters on the calculated topography and surface heat flow?

Lets take heat production, Hc. Its value is read from **WINTERC\_var\_fwd.info**:

\*SECTION: CRUSTAL LAYERS ! If density <0 then value is ABS(Vs/rho)

DENSITY | Vs | DEPTH | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

2750 3.6 10D0 1 1 1 1D2 1D2 1D2 ! Upper\_crust

2750 3.6 20D0 1 1 1 1D2 1D2 1D2 ! Mid\_crust

2750 3.6 40D0 1 1 1 1D2 1D2 1D-1 ! Lower\_crust

**0.9D-6** 0 1D-8 ! Radiogenic heat production crust (average)

In this example Hc=0.9 microW/m3, lets change the value to **Hc=0.4 microW/m3** editing **WINTERC\_var\_fwd.info**:

**0.4D-6** 0 1D-8 ! Radiogenic heat production crust (average)

Save the changes in file **WINTERC\_var\_fwd.info**. Before you run the code, you may want to change the names of the existing output files to avoid overprinting:

*type: ./create\_backup.job* → creates backup files (\*\_bak)

Run WINTERC\_fwd (Use an input elevation of 1900 m)

*type: ./WINTERC\_fwd*

*type: ./WINTERC\_fwd*

Read the predicted surface topography (E\_calc) and heat flow (SHF) from the screen:

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MATERIAL ASSIGNATION COMPLETED

THERMAL CALCULATION COMPLETED

E\_calc (m) = 2299.8694292090950

SHF (mW/m<sup>2</sup>) = 41.205730148184131

- Or open the file ***out\_E-SHF\_fwd.dat***:

2299.8694292090950 (E\_calc in m)

41.205730148184131 (SHF in mW/m<sup>2</sup>)

-37.568142895306664

Compare with the previous result (\*\_bak files)

## **Crustal-structure- Things to check:**

- ❖ How much is the predicted isostatic topography affected by changes in the average crustal density?

Input crustal densities are read from **WINTERC\_var\_fwd.info**:

\*SECTION: CRUSTAL LAYERS ! If density <0 then value is ABS(Vs/rho)

DENSITY | Vs | DEPTH | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

**2750** 3.6 10D0 1 1 1 1D2 1D2 1D2 ! Upper\_crust

**2750** 3.6 20D0 1 1 1 1D2 1D2 1D2 ! Mid\_crust

**2750** 3.6 40D0 1 1 1 1D2 1D2 1D-1 ! Lower\_crust

In this example all three layers have rho\_c=2750 kg/m3; lets change the value to  
**rho\_c=2850 kg/m3** editing **WINTERC\_var\_fwd.info**

**2850** 3.6 10D0 1 1 1 1D2 1D2 1D2 ! Upper\_crust

**2850** 3.6 20D0 1 1 1 1D2 1D2 1D2 ! Mid\_crust

**2850** 3.6 40D0 1 1 1 1D2 1D2 1D-1 ! Lower\_crust

Save the changes in file **WINTERC\_var\_fwd.info**, create backup copy  
(./create\_backup.job) and run WINTERC\_fwd:

*type: ./WINTERC\_fwd*

*type: ./WINTERC\_fwd*

Read the predicted surface topography (E\_calc) and heat flow (SHF) from the screen:

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MATERIAL ASSIGNATION COMPLETED

THERMAL CALCULATION COMPLETED

E\_calc (m) = 1299.6515991290216

SHF (mW/m<sup>2</sup>) = 57.403315101578315

MODEL ROUGHNESS Vs (%) 0.0

MODEL ROUGHNESS rho (%) 0.0

- Or open the file ***out\_E-SHF\_fwd.dat***:

1299.6515991290216 (E\_calc in m)

57.403315101578315 (SHF in mW/m<sup>2</sup>)

Compare with the previous result (\*\_bak files)

## **Crustal-structure- Things to check:**

- ❖ What periods in the output phase velocity dispersion curves (Rayleigh and Love) are mostly affected by changes in crustal Vs values?

Input crustal velocities are read from **WINTERC\_var\_fwd.info**:

\*SECTION: CRUSTAL LAYERS ! If density <0 then value is ABS(Vs/rho)

DENSITY	VS	DEPTH	on(1)/off(0)	Reg. factor	
2850	<b>3.6</b>	10D0 1 1 1	1D2 1D2 1D2	! Upper_crust	
2850	<b>3.6</b>	20D0 1 1 1	1D2 1D2 1D2	! Mid_crust	
2850	<b>3.6</b>	40D0 1 1 1	1D2 1D2 1D-1	! Lower_crust	

In this example all three layers have Vs=3.5 km/s; lets change the value editing **WINTERC\_var\_fwd.info**

2850	<b>3.1</b>	10D0 1 1 1	1D2 1D2 1D2	! Upper_crust
2850	<b>3.7</b>	20D0 1 1 1	1D2 1D2 1D2	! Mid_crust
2850	<b>4.3</b>	40D0 1 1 1	1D2 1D2 1D-1	! Lower_crust

Save the changes in file **WINTERC\_var\_fwd.info**. and create backup copy and run WINTERC\_fwd:

*type: ./create\_backup.job* → creates backup files (\*\_bak)

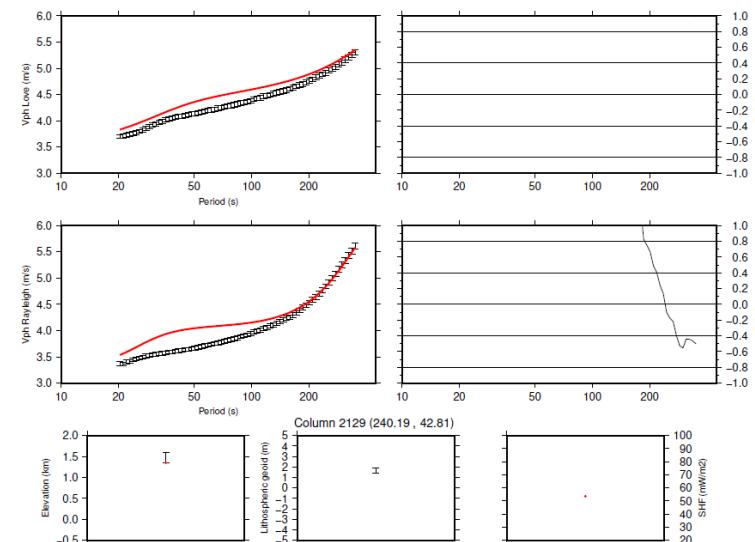
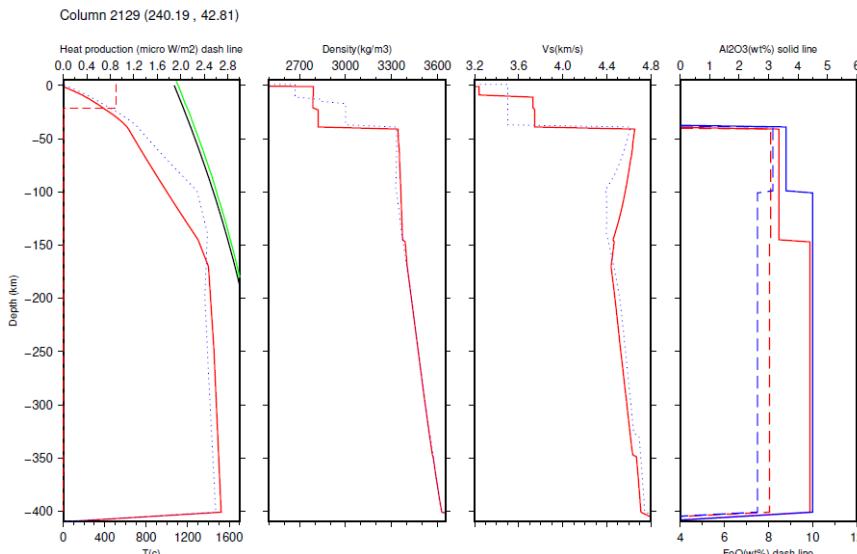
Run WINTERC\_fwd: *type: ./WINTERC\_fwd*

Plot the surface wave dispersion curve results:

*type: ./plot\_WINTERC\_parallel\_fwd.job*

It will ask for a column number, this is only to plot some real data for reference (put 2134 )

Check out the output pdf files: **WINTERC\_var\_fwd\_\*.pdf, phase\_vel\_fwd\_\*.pdf**

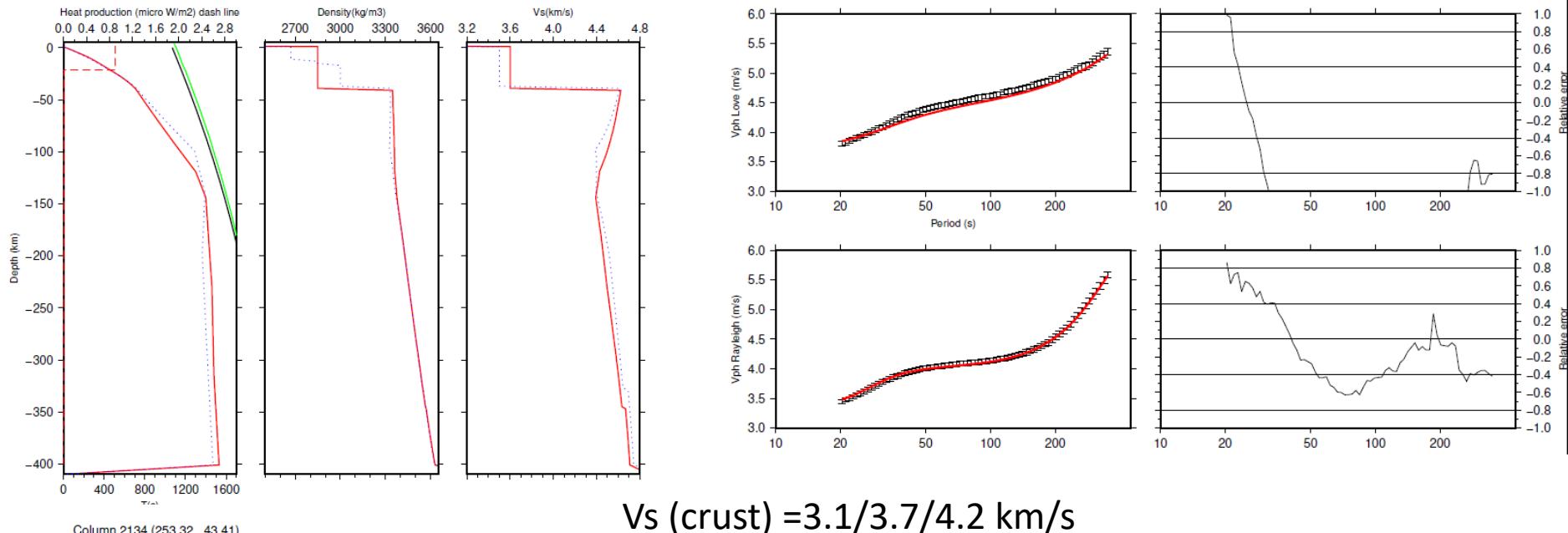


Or open the file: ***out\_phase\_ray\_fwd.dat*** →

Period (s)	Vph (m/s)	uncertainty (m/s)
20.36600000000000	3533.1010742187500	6.8940001027286053
21.187000000000001	3560.5078125000000	6.9540001036226755
22.041000000000000	3589.4665527343750	6.9940001042187214

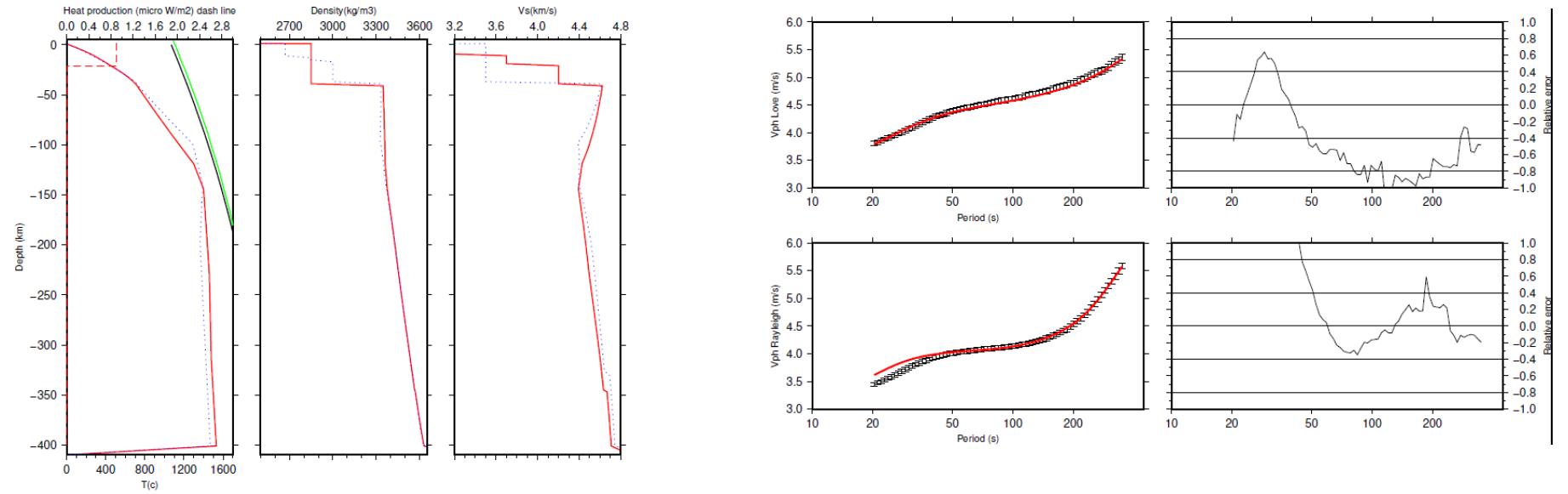
# $V_s$ (crust) = 3.6/3.6/3.6 km/s

Column 2134 (253.32 , 43.41)



# $V_s$ (crust) = 3.1/3.7/4.2 km/s

Column 2134 (253.32 , 43.41)



## ***Crustal-structure- Things to check:***

- ❖ What is the effect of modifying the Moho depth, Z\_c, on the predicted data (elevation, SHF, dispersion curves) ?

## **WINTERC\_var\_fwd.info:**

\*SECTION: CRUSTAL LAYERS ! If density <0 then value is ABS(Vs/rho)

DENSITY | Vs | DEPTH | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

2750 3.6 10D0 1 1 1 1D2 1D2 1D2 ! Upper\_crust

2750 3.6 20D0 1 1 1 1D2 1D2 1D2 ! Mid\_crust

2750 3.6 40D0 1 1 1 1D2 1D2 1D-1 ! Lower\_crust

Zc=40 km in this example. Usual range: 50km > Zc >15 km.

# **INPUT files: WINTERC\_var\_fwd.info**

*Mantle model: thickness, temperature and composition*

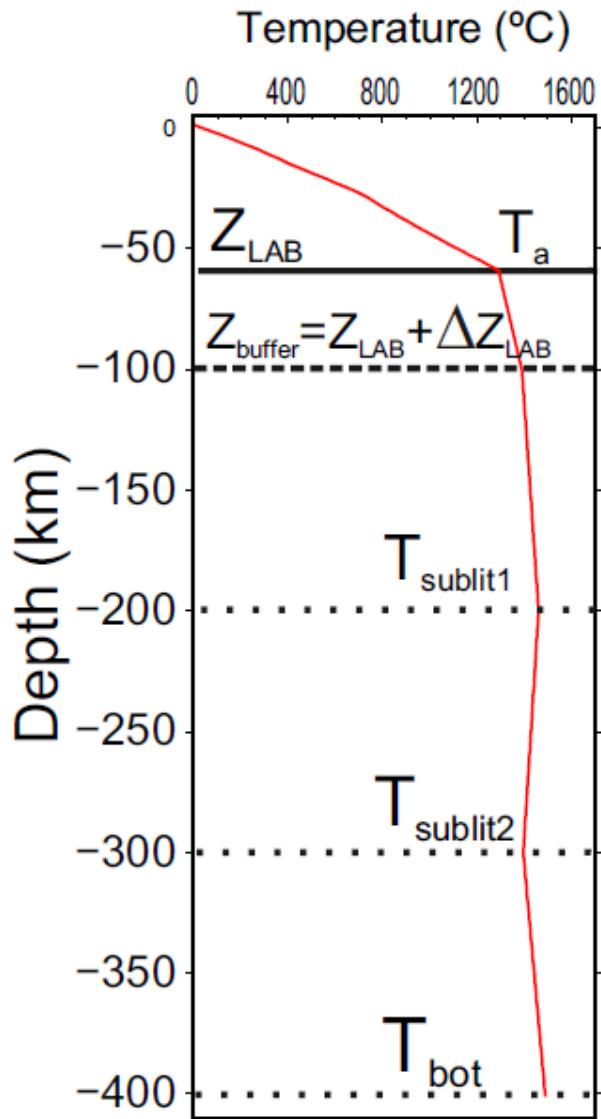
\*SECTION: MANTLE

**120D0** 1 1D-2 ! LAB depth (km) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor  
**1300D0** 1 3D2 ! Temperature at the base of the lithosphere in C (T\_a) | on(1)/off(0) | Rfactor  
**1450D0** 1 3D2 ! Temperature at 200 km depth in C (T\_200) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg.factor  
**1490D0** 1 3D2 ! Temperature at 300 km depth in C (T\_300) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor  
**1520D0** 1 3D2 ! Temperature at the base, 400 km, in C (T\_bot) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor  
3.35 1 6D0 ! Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> in the lithospheric mantle in wt% | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor  
8.1 1 4D1 ! FeO in the lithospheric mantle in wt% | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor  
4.41 1 4D1 ! Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> in the sub-lithospheric mantle in wt% | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor  
8.05 1 4D1 ! FeO in the sub-lithospheric mantle in wt% | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

# Geotherm in WINTERC

Parameters characterizing the geotherm:

- ✓ \*Lithosphere-Asthenosphere Boundary (LAB) depth  $Z_{LAB}$
- ✓ \*Temperature at the LAB,  $T_a$
- ✓ \*Thickness of the thermal buffer,  $dZ_{LAB}$
- ✓ \*Temperature at sublithospheric nodes, from top bottom: reference adiabatic gradient  $\pm \Delta T$  (usually 100



## **Mantle model: thickness, temperature and composition- Things to check:**

- ❖ What is the effect of changing the LAB depth, Z\_LAB?

Reset to the reference model before you start:

Type: *cp WINTERC\_var\_fwd.info\_start WINTERC\_var\_fwd.info*

Run WINTERC\_fwd and Plot the surface wave dispersion curve results:

*type: ./WINTERC\_fwd*

*type: ./plot\_WINTERC\_parallel\_fwd.job*

Z\_lab value is read from **WINTERC\_var\_fwd.info**:

SECTION: MANTLE

**120D0 1 1D-2** ! LAB depth (km) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

1300D0 1 3D2 ! Temperature at the base of the lithosphere in C (T\_a) | on(1)/off(0) |

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In this example Z\_LAB=120 km, lets change the value Z\_LAB= 80 km editing

**WINTERC\_var\_fwd.info**

**80D0 1 1D-2** ! LAB depth (km) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

1300D0 1 3D2 ! Temperature at the base of the lithosphere in C (T\_a) | on(1)/off(0) |

Save the changes in file **WINTERC\_var\_fwd.info**, create backup copy and run WINTERC\_fwd:

*type: ./create\_backup.job* → creates backup files (\*\_bak)

*type: ./WINTERC\_fwd*

Plot the surface wave dispersion curve results:

*type: ./plot\_WINTERC\_parallel\_fwd.job*

Now compare the cases Z\_LAB=120 km (\*\_bak files) and Z\_LAB=80 km

**Z\_LAB=120 km**

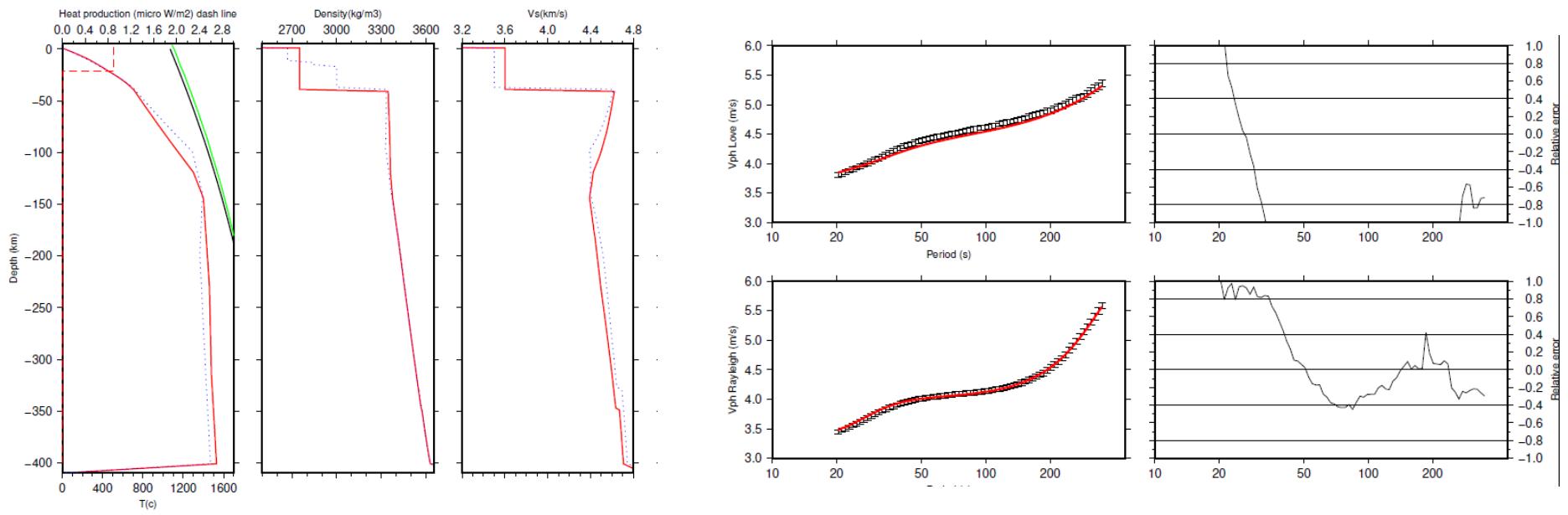
E\_calc (m)= 2487.2612032894394  
SHF (mW/m<sup>2</sup>)= 57.403315101578315

**Z\_LAB=80 km**

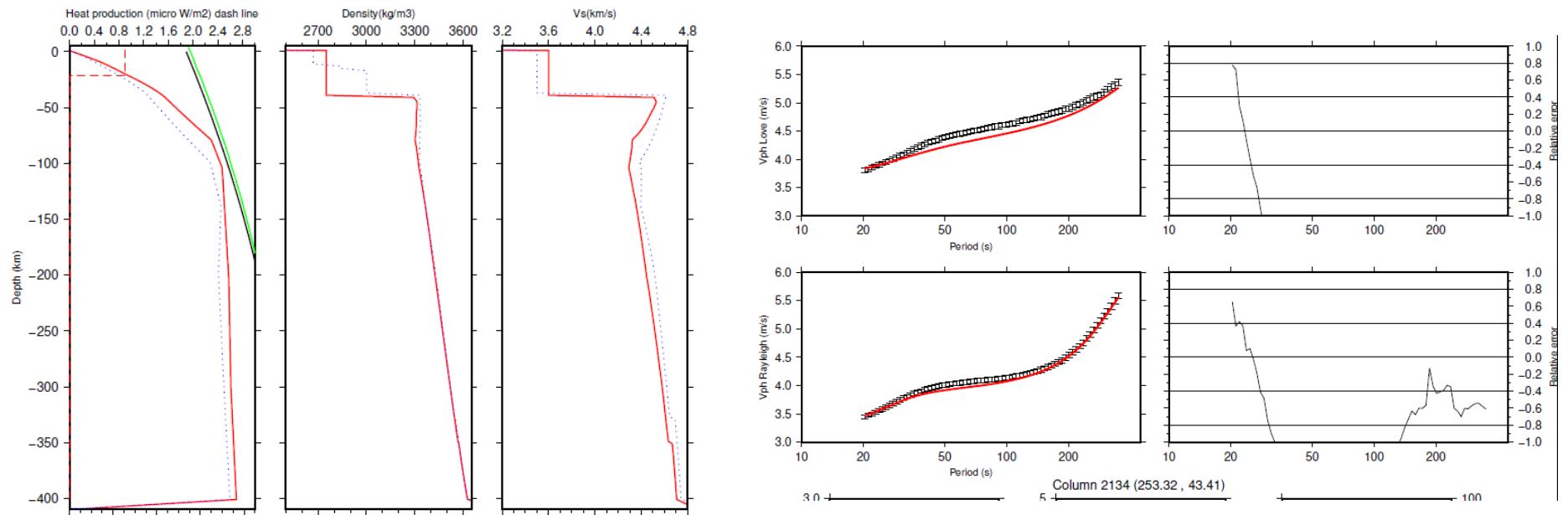
E\_calc (m)= 3347.8955296902568  
SHF (mW/m<sup>2</sup>)= 65.663088664979000

You can also check the differences in the output files e.g., **TrhovelsComp\_fwd.z**, **out\_phase\_ray\_fwd.dat** etc.

## Z<sub>LAB</sub>=120 km



## Z<sub>LAB</sub>=80 km



## **Mantle model: thickness, temperature and composition- Things to check:**

- ❖ How much is the predicted isostatic topography and surface wave phase velocities affected by changes in mantle composition? (usual upper mantle range: 1 wt% <Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> < 5 wt%)

Reset to the isotropic model before you start:

Type: cp WINTERC\_var\_fwd.info\_start WINTERC\_var\_fwd.info

Edit WINTERC\_var\_fwd.info

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**3.35** 1 6D0 ! Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> in the lithospheric mantle in wt%

**8.1** 1 4D1 ! FeO in the lithospheric mantle in wt%

**4.41** 1 4D1 ! Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> in the sub-lithospheric mantle in wt%

**8.05** 1 4D1 ! FeO in the sub-lithospheric mantle in wt%

- ❖ What periods are mostly affected by changes in the sublithospheric temperature? ( $\pm$  100 K)

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**1460D0** 1 3D2 ! Temperature at 200 km depth in C (T\_200)

**1480D0** 1 3D2 ! Temperature at 300 km depth in C (T\_300)

**1530D0** 1 3D2 ! Temperature at the base, 400 km, in C (T\_bot)

- ❖ What is the effect of melt (or pre-melt)? Where is melt concentrated? (Heat up your lithosphere...)

## **INPUT files: WINTERC\_var\_fwd.info**

*Radial anisotropy*

$$R_{anis} = \frac{V_{SH} - V_{SV}}{V_s}$$

**Rayleigh s. waves = f(Vsv)**

$$V_s = \frac{2V_{SV} + V_{SH}}{3}$$

**Love s. waves = f(VSH)**

### \*SECTION: RADIAL ANISOTROPY

1 ! 0-->No Radial anisotropy; 1-->Radial anisotropy as defined in next 11 lines ;

7D0 0 1 1D2 ! depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

14D0 0 1 1D2 ! depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

25D0 0 1 1D2 ! depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

56D0 0 1 5D1 ! depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

80D0 0 1 5D1 ! depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

110D0 0 1 5D1 ! depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

150D0 0 1 5D1 ! depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

200D0 0 1 5D1 ! depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

260D0 0 1 5D1 ! depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

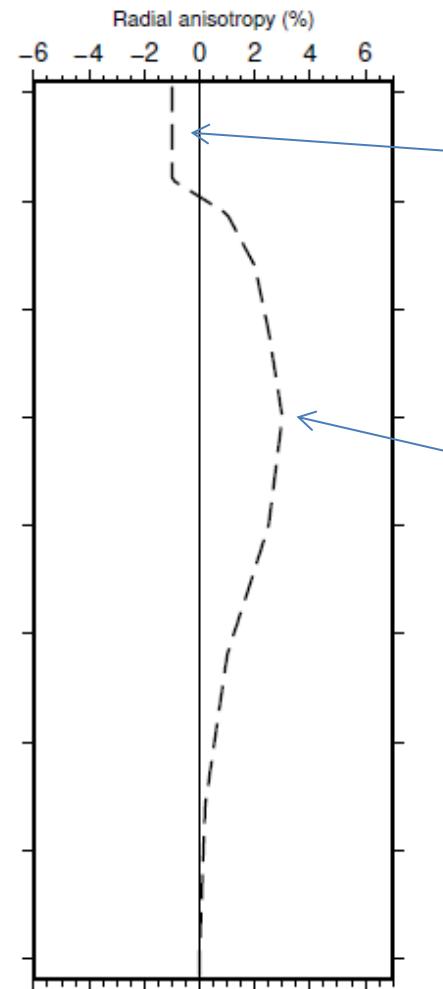
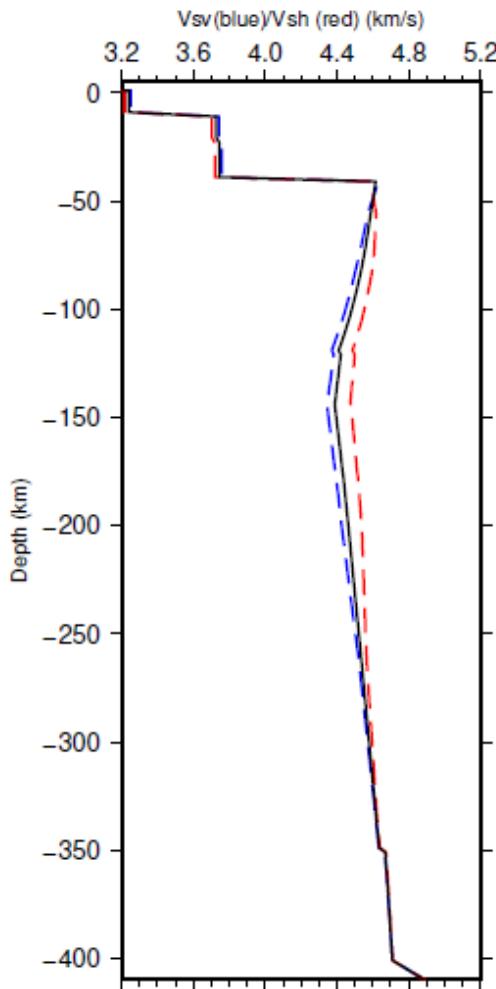
330D0 0 1 5D1 ! depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

400D0 0 1 5D1 ! depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

*Radial anisotropy*

**Rayleigh s. waves = f(Vsv)**  
**Love s. waves = f(VSH)**

$$R_{anis} = \frac{V_{SH} - V_{SV}}{V_s}$$
$$V_s = \frac{2V_{SV} + V_{SH}}{3}$$

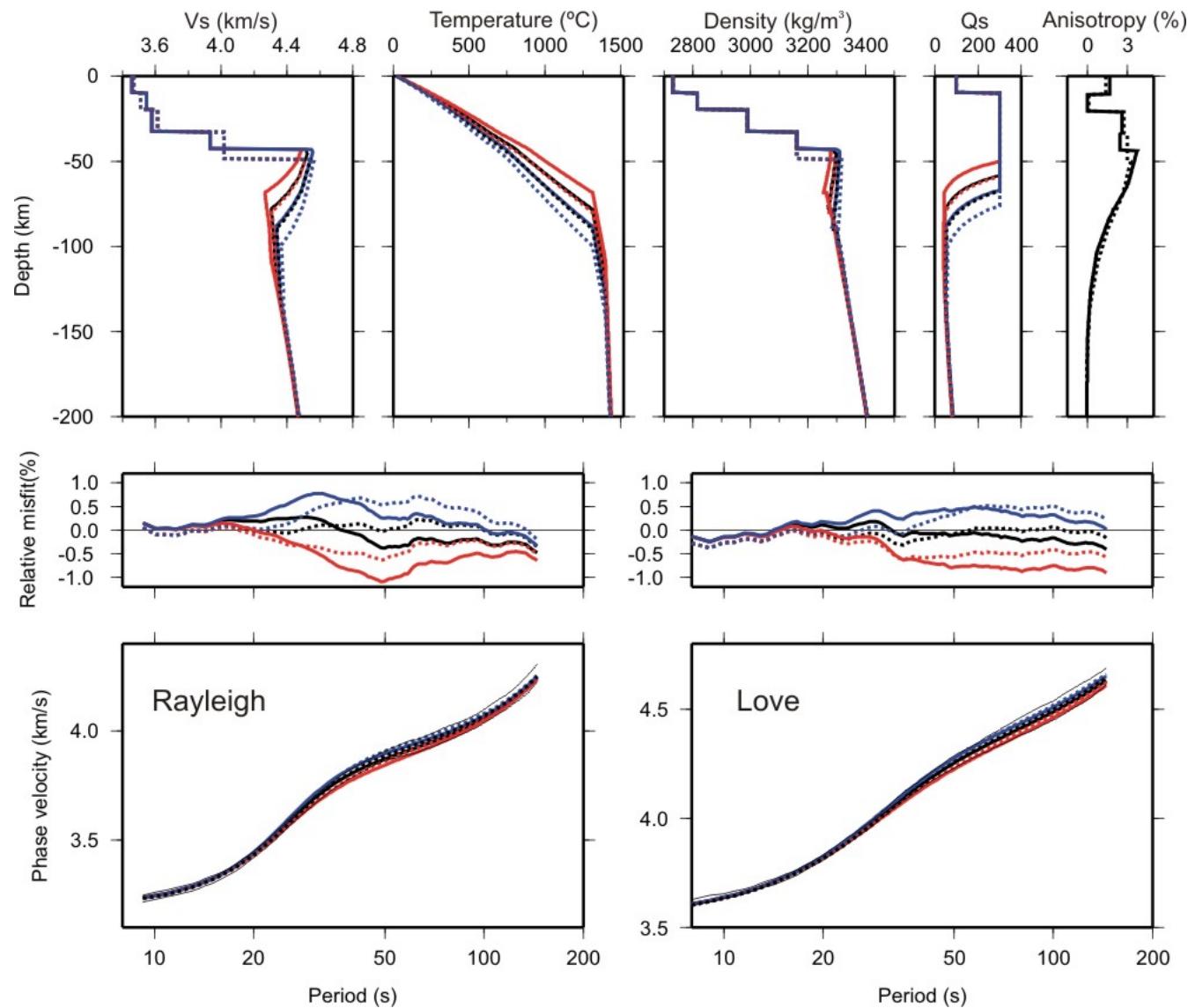


Negative anisotropy  
 $V_{sh} < V_{sv}$

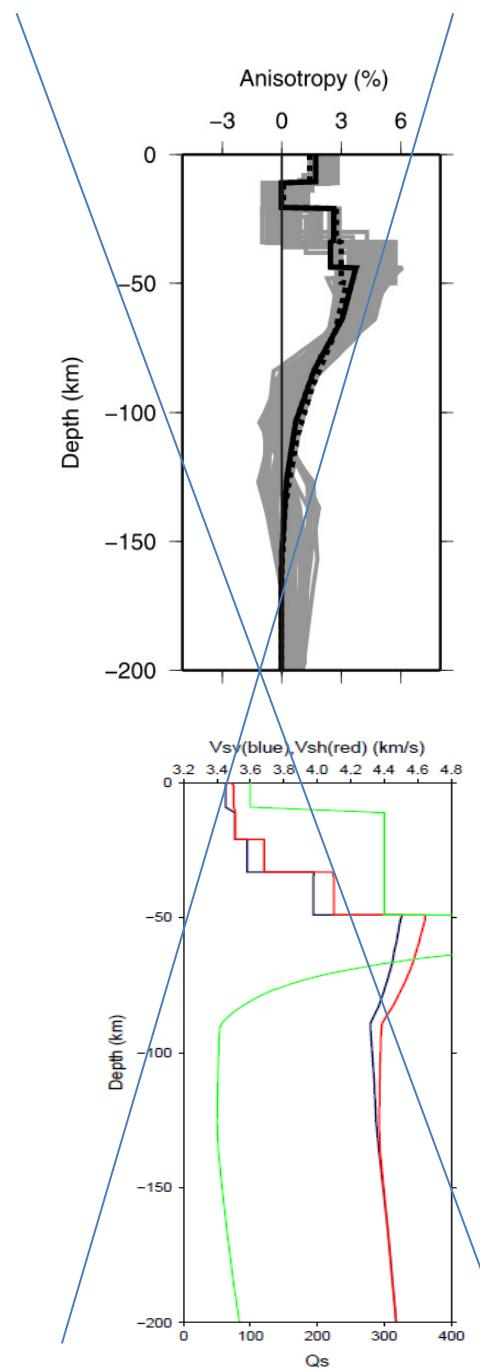
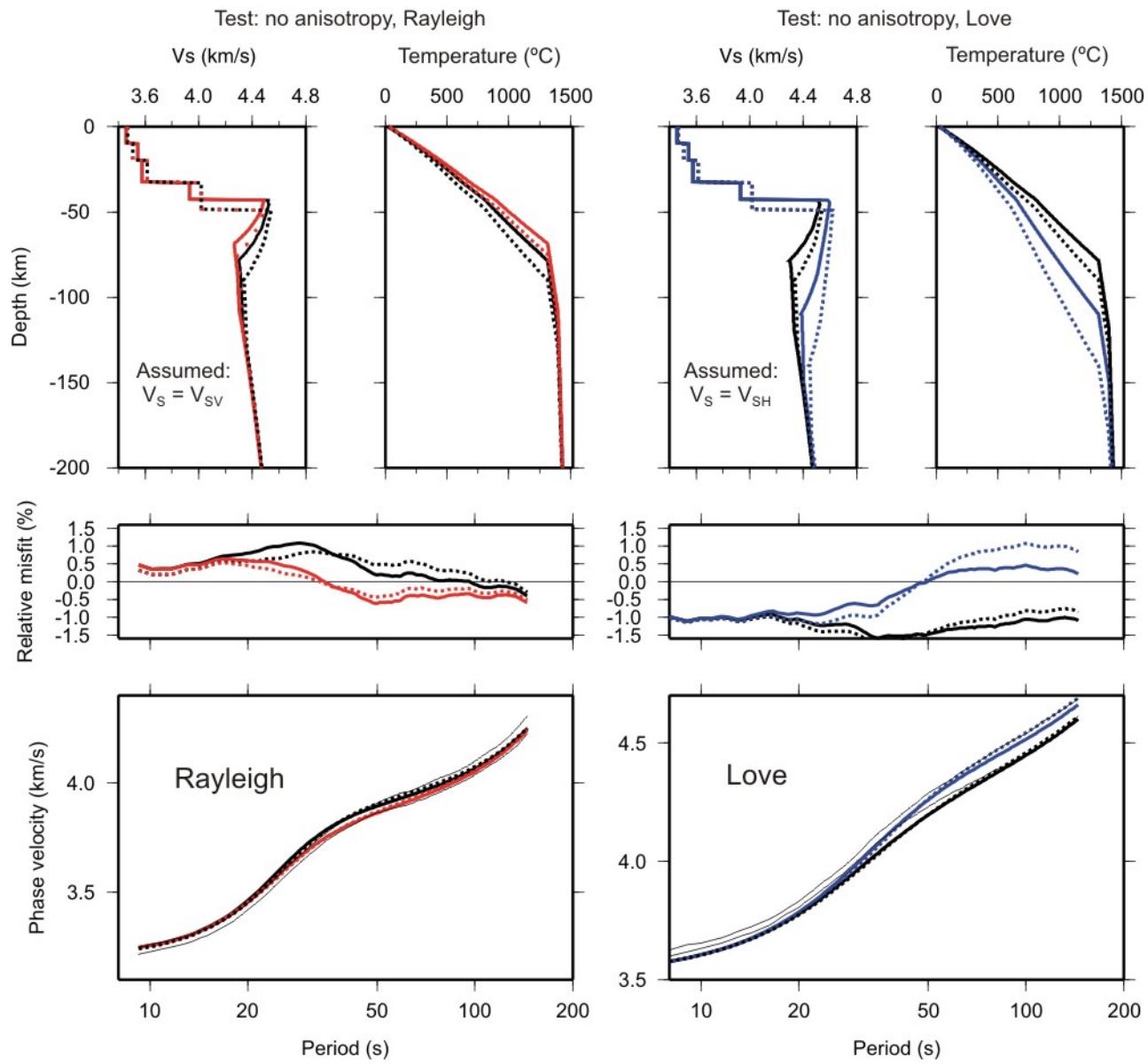
Positive anisotropy  
 $V_{sh} > V_{sv}$

# Radial anisotropy in WINTERC

- $Z_{Moho}=45\text{ km}$
- $Z_{Moho}=50\text{ km}$
- “Warm” models
- $Z_{LAB+10\text{ km}}$
  
- Preferred models*
- $Z_{LAB}=80\text{ km}$
- $Z_{LAB}=90\text{ km}$
- “Cold” models
- $Z_{LAB-10\text{ km}}$



# (Ignoring ) Radial anisotropy



## Radial anisotropy - *Things to check:*

- ❖ What is the effect of a  $\pm 5\%$  zigzag pattern in mantle anisotropy on the predicted Rayleigh and Love phase velocities with respect to an isotropic model?

Lets first update **WINTERC\_var\_fwd.info** file:

Type: *cp WINTERC\_var\_fwd.info\_anis WINTERC\_var\_fwd.info*

This is an isotropic model:

\*SECTION: RADIAL ANISOTROPY

1 ! 0-->No Radial anisotropy; 1-->Radial anisotropy as defined in next 11 lines ;

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7D0 0 1 1D2 ! depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor
14D0 0 1 1D2 ! depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor
25D0 0 1 1D2 ! depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor
56D0 0 1 5D1 ! depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor
80D0 0 1 5D1 ! depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor
110D0 0 1 5D1 ! depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor
150D0 0 1 5D1 ! depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor
200D0 0 1 5D1 ! depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor
260D0 0 1 5D1 ! depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor
330D0 0 1 5D1 ! depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor
400D0 0 1 5D1 ! depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor
```

Run WINTERC\_fwd for the isotropic model

*type: ./WINTERC\_fwd*

Plot the surface wave dispersion curve results:

*type: ./plot\_WINTERC\_parallel\_fwd.job*

And create backup copy:

*type: ./create\_backup.job* → creates backup files (\*\_bak)

Now lets introduce the zigzag pattern in **WINTERC\_var\_fwd.info** :

\*SECTION: RADIAL ANISOTROPY

1 ! 0-->No Radial anisotropy; 1-->Radial anisotropy as defined in next 11 lines ;

10D0 **0** 1 1D2 ! depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

20D0 **0** 1 1D2 ! depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

40D0 **0** 1 1D2 ! depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

56D0 **5** 1 5D1 ! depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

80D0 **-5** 1 5D1 ! depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

110D0 **5** 1 5D1 ! depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

150D0 **-5** 1 5D1 ! depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

200D0 **5** 1 5D1 ! depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

260D0 **-5** 1 5D1 ! depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

330D0 **5** 1 5D1 ! depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

400D0 **-5** 1 5D1 ! depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

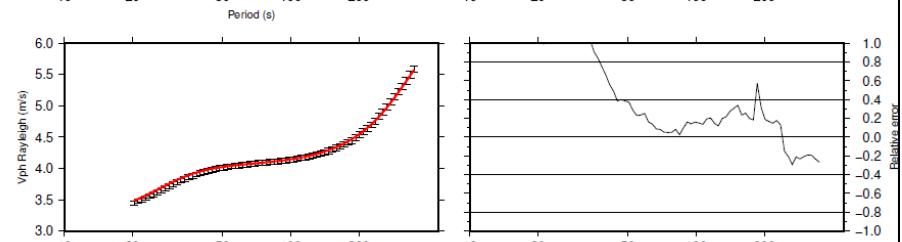
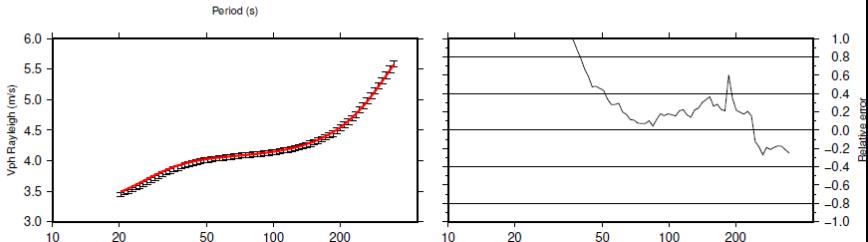
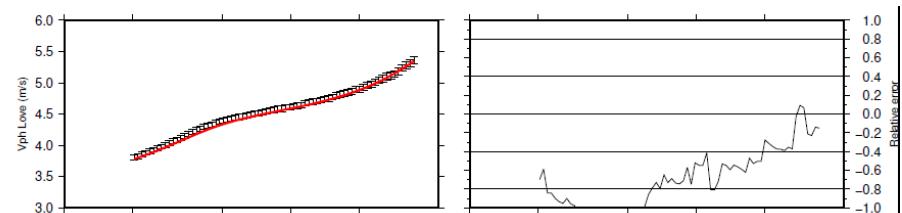
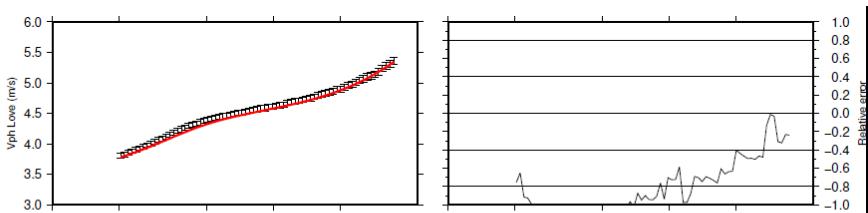
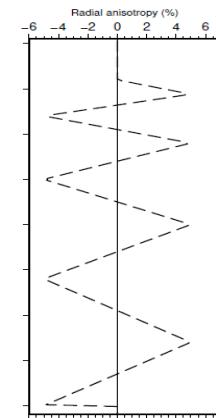
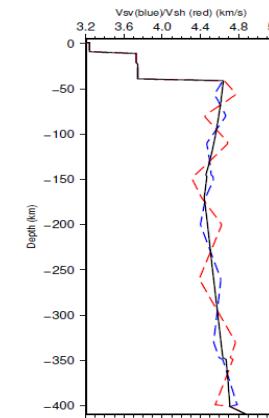
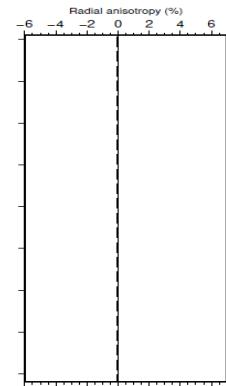
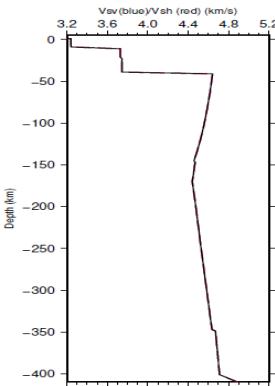
Run WINTERC\_fwd for the anisotropic model

*type: ./WINTERC\_fwd*

Plot the surface wave dispersion curve results and input anisotropy:

*type: ./plot\_WINTERC\_parallel\_fwd.job*

Now compare the isotropic (\*\_bak files) and anisotropic zigzag cases:



## Radial anisotropy - *Things to check:*

- ❖ Can you improve the data fit for Rayleigh and Love modifying the anisotropy in the crust (first three values in **WINTERC\_var\_fwd.info**)?

### \*SECTION: RADIAL ANISOTROPY

1 ! 0-->No Radial anisotropy; 1-->Radial anisotropy as defined in next 11 lines ;

10D0 0 1 1D2 ! depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

20D0 0 1 1D2 ! depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

40D0 0 1 1D2 ! depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

Reset to the isotropic model before you start:

Type: cp WINTERC\_var\_fwd.info\_anis WINTERC\_var\_fwd.info

Positive anisotropy

Vsh>Vsv

**Rayleigh s. waves = f(Vsv)**

**Love s. waves = f(Vsh)**

Negative anisotropy

Vsh<Vsv

# WINTERC inversion

Input files:

- [ ].lis file: list of inversion column including input data
- *WINTERC\_var.info*: input model variables
- *WINTERC\_param.info*: input parameters
- *WINTERC\_ref.info*: reference column (regularization)

# WINTERC inversion

Example of [ ].lis file for 6 columns:

```
-6
dc00_000782_61.40_60.18 782 61.40 60.18 96.82 27.89 8.78 0.74 58.67 18 45.68 3.61 96.82 -40000.00
dc00_006342_101.79_-2.50 6342 101.79 -2.50 469.31 461.57 15.70 1.37 80.36 31.10 32.48 6.48 469.31 -40000.00
dc00_004867_298.76_11.73 4867 298.76 11.73 -1390.02 616.69 -3.59 2.57 46.40 26.90 22.08 8.16 -1390.02 -40000.00
dc00_000523_341.01_68.14 523 341.01 68.14 -895.74 309.68 6.33 0.19 144.00 70.49 14.81 3.90 -895.74 3.45
dc00_004512_285.81_14.90 4512 285.81 14.90 -3905.65 404.85 -1.50 0.32 53.91 17.78 18.54 2.37 -3905.65 141.90
dc00_011131_153.39_-57.30 11131 153.39 -57.30 -3414.26 150.01 8.39 0.19 50.00 100000.00 10.49 4.16 -3414.26 20.77
```

The first negative number indicates the number of 1D columns that will be inverted.

Then, for each line we have:

1/the name of the file containing the surface wave dispersion curves

2/a column number that identifies it uniquely

3/ long

4/ lat

5/ surface elevation (m)

6/ uncertainty surface elevation (m)

7/ lithospheric geoid anomaly (m) (not in use currently)

8/ uncertainty lithospheric geoid anomaly (m) (not in use currently)

9/ surface het flow (mW/m<sup>2</sup>)

10/ uncertainty surface het flow (mW/m<sup>2</sup>)

11/ moho depth (km)

12/ uncertainty moho depth (km)

13/ ice elevation (if no ice Elev=Elev\_ice)

14/ age oceanic lithosphere (-40000.00 if continental)

# WINTERC inversion

Example of [ ].lis file for 6 columns:

```
-6
dc00_000782_61.40_60.18 782 61.40 60.18 96.82 27.89 8.78 0.74 58.67 18 45.68 3.61 96.82 -40000.00
dc00_006342_101.79_-2.50 6342 101.79 -2.50 469.31 461.57 15.70 1.37 80.36 31.10 32.48 6.48 469.31 -40000.00
dc00_004867_298.76_11.73 4867 298.76 11.73 -1390.02 616.69 -3.59 2.57 46.40 26.90 22.08 8.16 -1390.02 -40000.00
dc00_000523_341.01_68.14 523 341.01 68.14 -895.74 309.68 6.33 0.19 144.00 70.49 14.81 3.90 -895.74 3.45
dc00_004512_285.81_14.90 4512 285.81 14.90 -3905.65 404.85 -1.50 0.32 53.91 17.78 18.54 2.37 -3905.65 141.90
dc00_011131_153.39_-57.30 11131 153.39 -57.30 -3414.26 150.01 8.39 0.19 50.00 100000.00 10.49 4.16 -3414.26 20.77
```

The expected path for the surface wave dispersion data is:

CWD/GEO\_DATA/Rayleigh/dc\_MOD\_nod/[Rayleigh file name, e.g., **dc00\_000782\_61.40\_60.18** ]

CWD/GEO\_DATA/Love/dc\_MOD\_nod/[Rayleigh file name, e.g., **dc00\_000782\_61.40\_60.18** ]

Note that both Rayleigh and Love dispersion files have the same name for a given column, only the path is changing.

\*SECTION: CRUSTAL LAYERS ! If density <0 then value is ABS(Vs/rho)

## WINTERC\_var.info

DENSITY | Vs | DEPTH | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

2790 3.241 9.2D0 1 1 1 1D2 1D2 1D2 !Upper\_crust

2787 3.73 21.3D0 1 1 1 1D2 1D2 1D2 !Mid\_crust

2820.5 3.746 40.1D0 1 1 1 1D2 1D2 1D-1 !Lower\_crust

.9D-6 0 1D-8 !Radiogenic heat production crust (average) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

10 30 !Vs and density crustal roughness coefficients

\*SECTION: MANTLE

146.2D0 1 1D-2 !LAB depth (km) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

1300D0 1 3D2 !Temperature at the base of the lithosphere in C (T\_a) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

1452.3D0 1 3D2 !Temperature at 200 km depth in C (T\_200) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

1487.3D0 1 3D2 !Temperature at 300 km depth in C (T\_300) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

1522.4D0 1 3D2 !Temperature at the base of the model, 400 km, in C (T\_bot) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

3.35 1 6D0 !Al2O3 in the lithospheric mantle in wt% | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

8.1 1 4D1 !FeO in the lithospheric mantle in wt% | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

4.41 1 4D1 !Al2O3 in the sub-lithospheric mantle in wt% | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

8.05 1 4D1 !FeO in the sub-lithospheric mantle in wt% | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

1 !reg\_var\_all

\*SECTION: RADIAL ANISOTROPY

1 !0-->No Radial anisotropy; 1-->Radial anisotropy as defined in next 11 lines :

7D0 0 1 1D2 !depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

14D0 0 1 1D2 !depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

25D0 0 1 1D2 !depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

56D0 0 1 5D1 !depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

80D0 0 1 5D1 !depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

110D0 0 1 5D1 !depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

150D0 0 1 5D1 !depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

200D0 0 1 5D1 !depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

260D0 0 1 5D1 !depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

330D0 0 1 5D1 !depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

400D0 0 1 5D1 !depth (km) | anistropy (%) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

\*SECTION: TRANSITION ZONE

4.890 1 4D1 !Vs at 410 discontinuity | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

5.532 1 8D1 !Vs at 660 discontinuity | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

3.83 1 1D1 !anistropy (%) at 410 discontinuity | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

-8.2 1 1D1 !anistropy (%) at 660 discontinuity | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

\*SECTION: TRANSIENT TEMPERATURES

500D0 1 3D2 !d\_temperature at t=0 | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

\*SECTION: THERMAL BUFFER

25D0 1 3D2 !Thickness thermal lithospheric base buffer (km) | on(1)/off(0) | Reg. factor

!Regularization factors (reg\_var) are related to the norm  $\text{SUM}(\text{reg\_var}(i)^*|x(i)-x_{\text{var\_ref}}(i)|/x_{\text{var\_ref}}(i))$  added to the objective function

!reg\_var\_all controls the overall weight of regularization with respect to the reference model x\_ref

!Crustal roughness coefficients are related to the vertical variation of Vs and rho (e.g.  $\text{SUM}(\text{rough_coeff}^*|\rho_{i+1}-\rho_i|)$ ) added to the objective function

# WINTERC inversion

\*Paramters for WINTERC

204 !Num of vertical nodes (N\_z)

2 !Vertical grid step in km (d\_z)

0D0 !Temperature at the surface in C (T\_s)

5 !Max topography in km (E\_max)

5.3 !Thermal conductivity at room conditions for mantle

1E-08 !Rad heat production mantle

7.69E-12 !Pressure coeff for thermal conductivity mantle

1.25 !GRÜNEISEN PARAMETER for thermal conductivity mantle

4.3 !PRESS DERIVATIVE OF ISOTHERM BULK MOD for thermal conductivity mantle

130 !ISOTHERM BULK MOD for thermal conductivity mantle

0.5 ! Sublithospheric thermal gradient between z\_buffer and 400 km (K/km)

100 ! Temperature anomaly (K) @200 km wrt reference temperature from ref Sublithospheric thermal gradient

100 ! Temperature anomaly (K) @300 km wrt reference temperature from ref Sublithospheric thermal gradient

100 ! Temperature anomaly (K) @bottom model wrt reference temperature from ref Sublithospheric thermal gradient

300D0 ! Crustal Qs attenuation

0D0 ! Crustal thermal exp coeff (for density)

0.00E+00 ! Crustal press coefficient (for density)

2.2 ! Thermal conductivity upper crust

2.5 ! Thermal conductivity mid crust

2.1 ! Thermal conductivity lower crust

1.75 ! Vp/Vs ratio upper crust (if <0 if will be assumed as the fixed value of ABS(Vp))

1.75 ! Vp/Vs ratio mid crust (if <0 if will be assumed as the fixed value of ABS(Vp))

1.81 ! Vp/Vs ratio lower crust (if <0 if will be assumed as the fixed value of ABS(Vp))

3 ! Melt - Vs experimental model (1-->Hammond & Humphreys 2000, org cuspatc relaxed; 2-->Hammond & Humphreys 2000, tubules at F<1 % and film inclusions at F>1 %, 3-->Chantel et al., 2016)

1 ! Peridotite solidus (1-->Katz et al. (2003); 2-->Hirschmann (2000) G3; 3-->Serafian et al (2017) Sci dry; 4-->Serafian et al (2017) Sci 450 ppm wt% H2O)

## WINTERC\_param.info

# WINTERC inversion

WINTERC\_ref.info-->Reference column

2670 !Rho upper crust

2850 !Rho mid crust

3010 !Rho lower crust

3500 !Vs upper crust

3500 !Vs mid crust

3500 !Vs lower crust

10D3 ! Depth upper crust

22D3 ! Depth mid crust

35D3 ! Depth Moho

100D3 ! Depth LAB

1290D0 ! Temperature LAB

1420 ! Temperature 200 km

1470 ! Temperature 300 km

1500 ! Temperature Bottom

3.6 !Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> Lithosphere

8.2 ! FeO Lithosphere

4.5 !Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> sublithosphere

8.1 ! FeO sublithosphere

.7D-6 ! Av heat production crust

5041.52 !Vs at 410 discontinuity

5569.85 !Vs at 660 discontinuity

## *Running WINTERC from a terminal:*

- \*Open a terminal and go to ~/ materials/ WINTERC\_3DEARTH-school
- \*Edit input model file WINTERC\_var.info as needed
- \*Edit input .lis file containing the inversion columns as needed (e.g. US.lis)
- \*type: mpirun -np {num processors } WINTERC\_bwd\_damp\_mpi\_cov [ \*.lis]. In our example for US.lis file with 2 columns:

*mpirun -np 2 WINTERC\_bwd\_damp\_mpi\_cov US.lis*

You can pipe the output on screen log to a user defined file:

*mpirun -np 2 WINTERC\_bwd\_damp\_mpi\_cov US.lis>logfile*

mpirun – np 2 WINTERC\_bwd\_damp\_mpi\_cov US.lis

Reading input variables file WINTERC\_var.info  
N\_col\_mp en read 2  
Total number of columns: 2  
List of column numbers: 2134 2129  
RADIAL ANISTROPY ON  
Reading input reference variable vector:WINTERC\_ref.info  
Reading input parameters file WINTERC\_param.info  
namefile 2 dc00\_002129\_240.19\_42.81  
RAYLEIGH SURFACE WAVES INVERSION SWITCHED ON  
LOVE SURFACE WAVES INVERSION SWITCHED ON  
Reading input variables file WINTERC\_var.info  
N\_col\_mp en read 1  
RADIAL ANISTROPY ON  
Reading input reference variable vector:WINTERC\_ref.info  
Reading input parameters file WINTERC\_param.info  
namefile 1 dc00\_002134\_253.32\_43.41  
RAYLEIGH SURFACE WAVES INVERSION SWITCHED ON  
LOVE SURFACE WAVES INVERSION SWITCHED ON  
NUMBER OF DATA POINTS: 149  
TOTAL NUMBER OF VARIABLES: 32  
NUMBER OF DATA POINTS: 149  
TOTAL NUMBER OF VARIABLES: 32  
Inverting for variables:  
//////////  
Temp buffer thickness  
! Rho Upper\_crust  
! Rho Midd\_crust  
! Rho Lower\_crust  
! Vs Upper\_crust  
! Vs Midd\_crust  
! Vs Lower\_crust  
! Depth Upper\_crust  
! Depth Mid\_crust  
! Moho depth  
....

mpirun – np 2 WINTERC\_bwd\_damp\_mpi\_cov US.lis  
(continuation)

CALL to LITMOD\_jac: LITMOD\_1D function

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##### PROGRAM WINTERC #####

# Parallel Version #

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COLUMN NUMBER: 2129

Crustal densities(kg/m3): 2670.0 2852.0 2952.0

Crustal iso Vs (m/s): 3190.0 3860.0 3700.0

Depth of crustal layers (km): 10.0 20.0 31.2

Av crust heat (micro W/m3): 0.90E-06

d\_T transient initial (km): 500.0

Age oceanic lithosphere (Ma): -40000.26

LAB depth (km): 90.0

Thermal buffer thickness (km): 40.0

LAB temperature (C): 1300.0

Temperature at 200 km (C): 1420.0

Temperature at 300 km (C): 1470.0

Bottom model temperature (C): 1520.0

Vs at 410 km disc (m/s): 5042.0

Vs at 660 km disc (m/s): 5570.0

Al2O3 (wt%) Litho: 3.60

FeO (wt%) Litho: 8.10

Al2O3 (wt%) sub-Litho: 4.40

FeO (wt%) sub-Litho: 8.05

Radial anistropy crust(%): 0.0 0.0 0.0

Radial anistropy mantle, z= 56 km: 0.0

Radial anistropy mantle, z= 80 km: 0.0

Radial anistropy mantle, z= 110 km: 0.0

Radial anistropy mantle, z= 150 km: 0.0

Radial anistropy mantle, z= 200 km: 0.0

Radial anistropy mantle, z= 260 km: 0.0

Radial anistropy mantle, z= 330 km: 0.0

Radial anistropy mantle, z= 400 km: 0.0

Radial anistropy mantle,410 km disc: 0.0

Radial anistropy mantle,660 km disc: 0.0

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MATERIAL ASSIGNATION COMPLETED

Radial anistropy mantle,410 km disc: -2.6  
Radial anistropy mantle,660 km disc: -10.0  
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MATERIAL ASSIGNATION COMPLETED

THERMAL CALCULATION COMPLETED

E\_calc (m) = 971.52142353553791

SHF (mW/m<sup>2</sup>) = 77.094239045129953

MODEL MISFIT DATA: 6.3679687196851447

MODEL MISFIT REFERENCE: 2.8510570320124797

MODEL ROUGHNESS Vs (%) 10.017276510758569

MODEL ROUGHNESS rho (%) 17.128390297285971

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DAMP REFINEMENT ITERATION: 1

ITERATION NUMBER: 1

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CALL to LITMOD\_jac: JACOBIAN

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CALL to LITMOD\_jac: LITMOD\_1D function

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# WINTERC inversion

Output files :

- **[ ].lis\_out\_var.xyz** → *main output variables*
- **[ ].lis\_out\_data.xyz** → *data residual and misfits*
- **[ ].lis\_out\_dens.xyz** → *density in some nodes*
- **[ ].lis\_out\_T.xyz** → *Temperature in some nodes*
- **[ ].lis\_out\_rad-anis.xyz** → *radial anisotropy*
- **[ ].lis\_out\_adiab.xyz** → *sublithospheric potential temperature and adiabatic gradient*
- Each of the **[ ].lis\_out\_\*.xyz** contains one line per inverted model column

## WINTERC inversion

Output files, for each column a folder Column\_[ ] is created; inside it the code writes the output files for that individual column: Column\_[ ] /

- *TrhovelsComp\_[ ].z* → output 1D column with depth, temperature, density, seismic velocities, mantle composition
- *out\_phase\_ray\_[ ].dat* → output Rayleigh phase velocity
- *out\_phase\_love\_[ ].dat* → output Love phase velocity
- *out\_E-SHF\_[ ].dat* → output surface elevation and heat flow
- *variances\_prior\_[ ].dat* → output prior uncertainties
- *Cov\_post\_[ ].dat* → output posterior covariance matrix
- *LITMOD\_out\_WINTERC\_data\_[ ].lis* → output data misfits
- *LITMOD\_out\_WINTERC\_var\_[ ].dat* → output inversion variables

- *LITMOD\_out\_WINTERC\_var\_[ ].dat* → output inversion variables

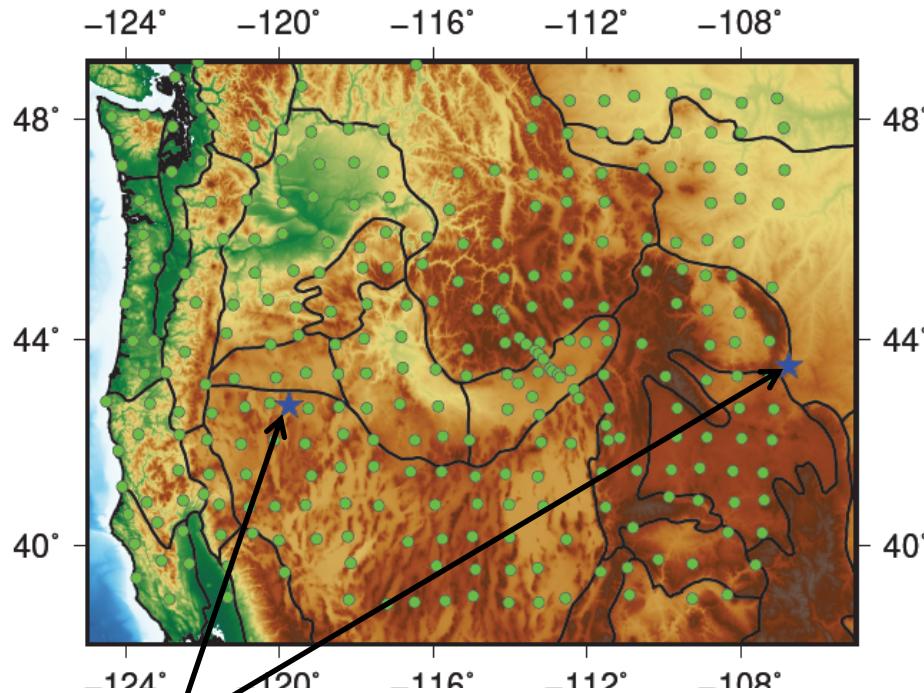
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253.32071199999999 43.414949000000000
14183.006989259497 var! Temp buffer thickness
2789.9453657951367 var! Rho Upper_crust
2787.1945986798460 var! Rho Midd_crust
2820.4818133877416 var! Rho Lower_crust
3241.5779546251638 var! Vs Upper_crust
3731.0164047700991 var! Vs Midd_crust
3746.4547610606282 var! Vs Lower_crust
9219.1626552539146 var! Depth Upper_crust
21306.609863053018 var! Depth Mid_crust
40105.479077169970 var! Moho depth
146241.27113231580 var! LAB depth
1300.0000000000000 fix! Temperature base lithosphere (T_a)
1452.2729104310924 var! Temperature at 200 km depth
1487.2852311270462 var! Temperature at 300 km depth
1522.4096513006891 var! Temperature base model 400 km (T_bot)
3.3510792092689390 var! Al2O3 lithospheric mantle
8.099999999999996 fix! FeO lithospheric mantle
4.4162892802187637 var! Al2O3 sub-lithospheric mantle
8.050000000000007 fix! FeO sub-lithospheric mantle
-9.0995758031859122E-003 var! Rad anisotropy Upper_crust
5.2168858705579158E-003 var! Rad anisotropy Midd_crust
6.6951626819076196E-002 var! Rad anisotropy Lower_crust
4.5184679548609184E-002 var! Rad anisotropy mantle z=56 km
1.5502648421700948E-002 var! Rad anisotropy mantle z=80 km
-1.2107789851035803E-002 var! Rad anisotropy mantle z=110 km
-1.6269497240075880E-002 var! Rad anisotropy mantle z=150 km
-2.6251055339786026E-003 var! Rad anisotropy mantle z=200 km
1.1058368511872243E-002 var! Rad anisotropy mantle z=260 km
...

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## Plotting results

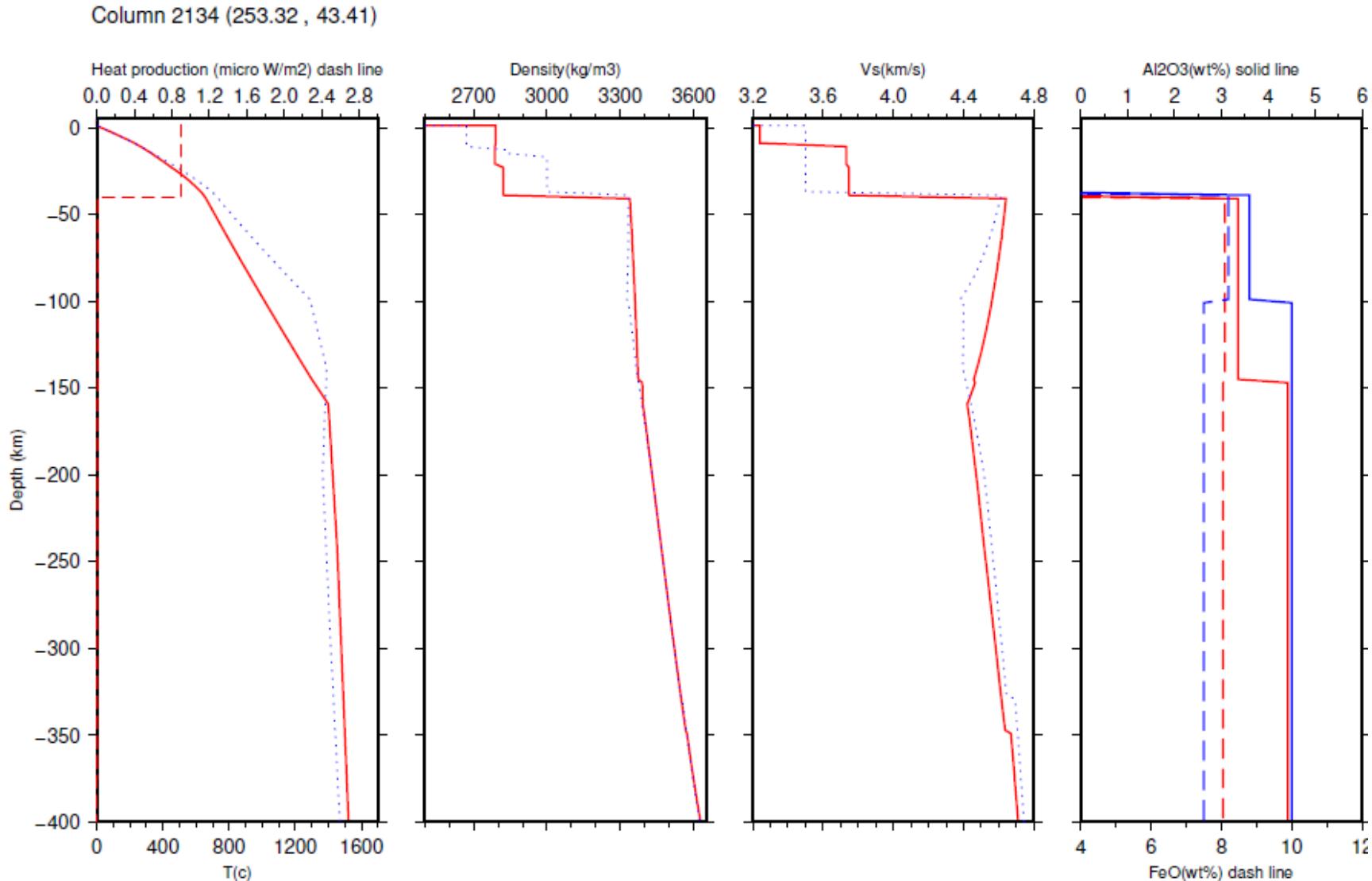
- ***plot\_WINTERC\_parallel.job*** → plots WINTERC T, rho, Vs model and output surface waves, topography and SHF
- Type on the terminal `./plot_WINTERC_parallel.job`. It will ask for a column number, (put either 2134 or 2129)



Column	Elevation	Surface heat flow	Moho depth	Col number
Wyoming craton (WC)	$1.9 \pm 0.2$ km	$60 \pm 15$ mW/m <sup>2</sup>	$43.4 \pm 4.4$ km	2134
North Basin and Range (NBR)	$1.4 \pm 0.1$ km	$70 \pm 10$ mW/m <sup>2</sup>	$31.2 \pm 4.6$ km	2129

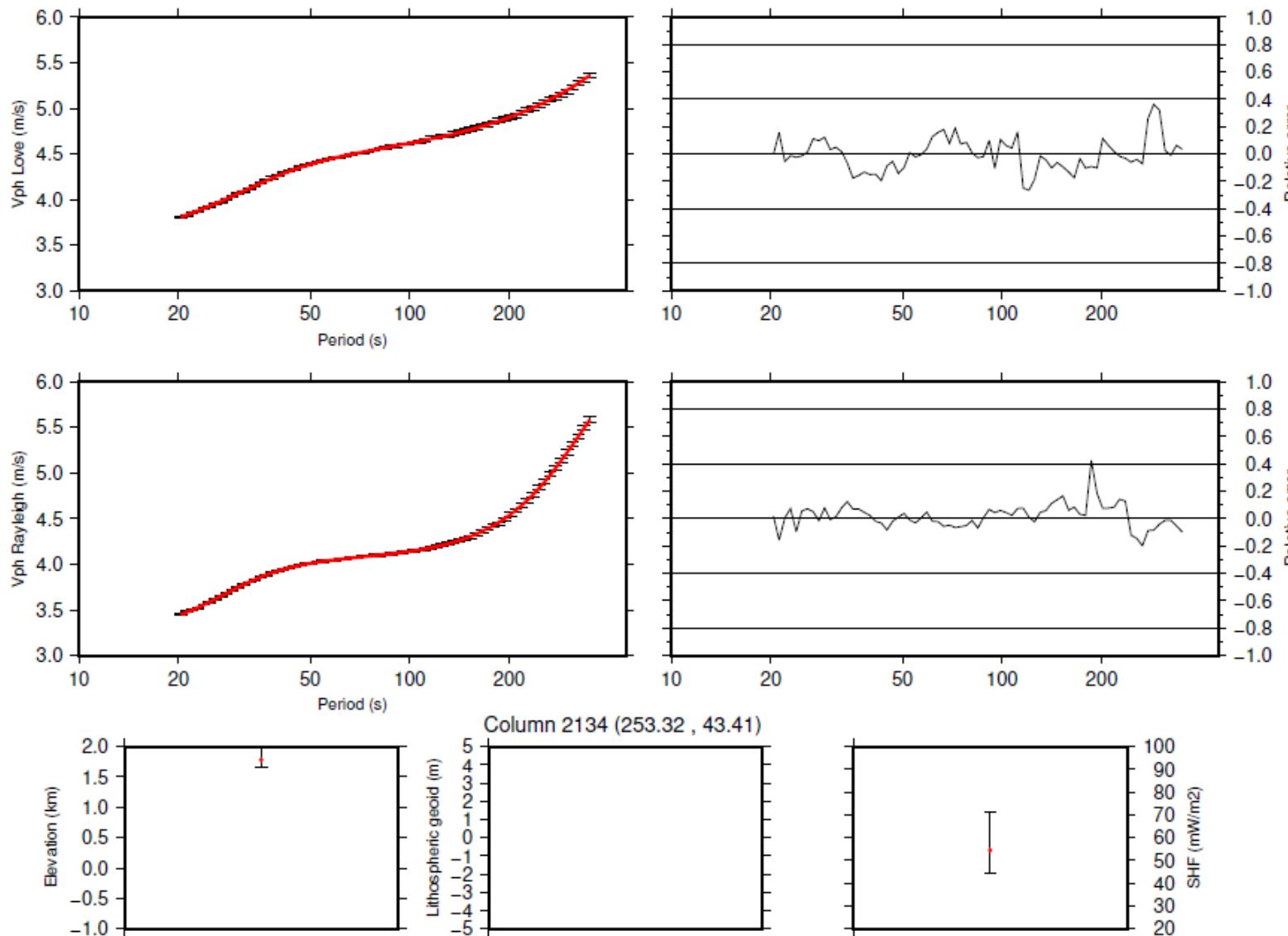
- ***plot\_WINTERC\_parallel.job*** → plots WINTERC T, rho, Vs model and output surface waves, topography and SHF. Three pdf output files will be created: **phase\_vel\_\*.pdf**
- **Lithosphere\_\*.pdf**, and **Anis\_\*.pdf**

**Lithosphere\_\*.pdf (Column\_[ ]/ TrhovelsComp\_[ ].z)**



- ***plot\_WINTERC\_parallel.job*** → plots WINTERC T, rho, Vs model and output surface waves, topography and SHF

**phase\_vel\_\*.pdf (Column\_[ ]/out\_phase\_ray\_fwd.dat, Column\_[ ]/out\_phase\_love\_[ ].dat , and Column\_[ ]/out\_E-SHF\_[ ].dat )**



- ***plot\_WINTERC\_parallel.job*** → plots WINTERC T, rho, Vs model and output surface waves, topography and SHF.

**Anis\_\*.pdf (Column\_[ ]/ TrhovelsComp\_[ ].z)**

Column 2134 (253.32 , 43.41)

