

# **MICROZONATION WITH RESPECT GEOTECHNICAL HAZARDS**

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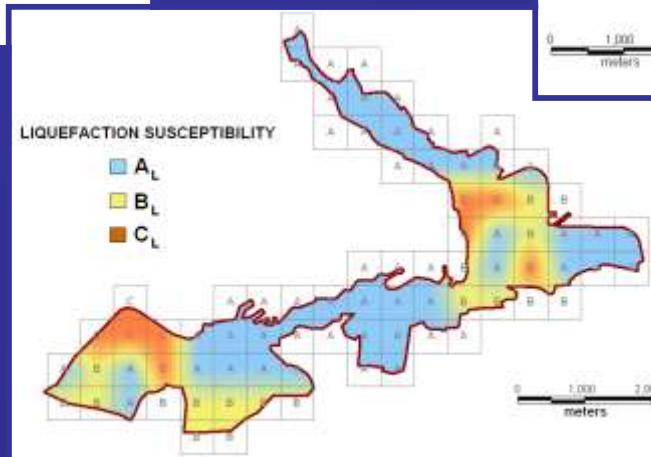
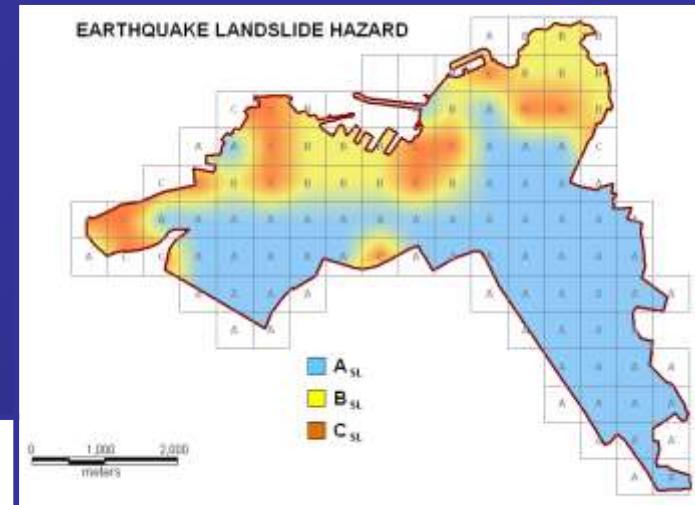
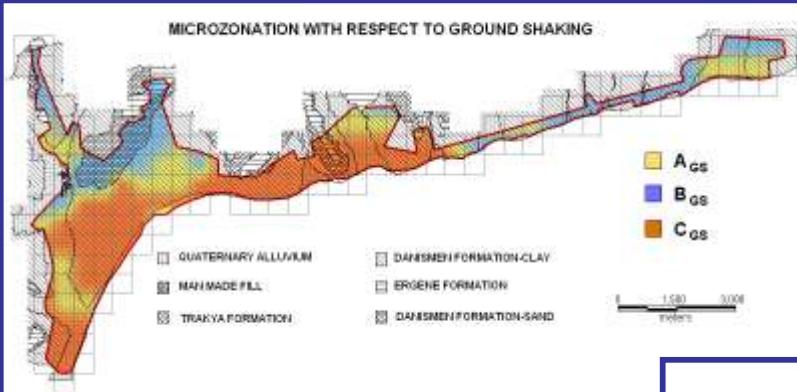
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# MICROZONATION

## MAIN PURPOSE:

To estimate *variation of the selected parameters* for land use and urban planning for the mitigation of earthquake risk to man-made environment



# **URBAN AND LAND USE PLANNING**

- 1. Use of seismic microzonation maps as guidelines to specify building and population density and for functional layouts**
- 2. Selection of new locations for important buildings**

# **Seismic Macrozonation**

## **National Seismic Zoning Maps**

- in small scales such as 1:1,000,000 or less and mostly based on seismic source zones defined in similar scales
- Independent of site conditions
- Used in the earthquake codes for seismic design

# **Seismic Microzonation**

- zonation with respect to ground motion characteristics taking into account source and site conditions
- major purpose is to estimate the variation of the earthquake ground motion characteristics at a scale of 1:5,000

# MICROZONATION METHODOLOGY

- REGIONAL EARTHQUAKE HAZARD
- SITE CHARACTERIZATION
- SITE RESPONSE ANALYSIS
- ANALYSIS AND INTERPRETATION

## ***MICROZONATION WITH RESPECT TO:***

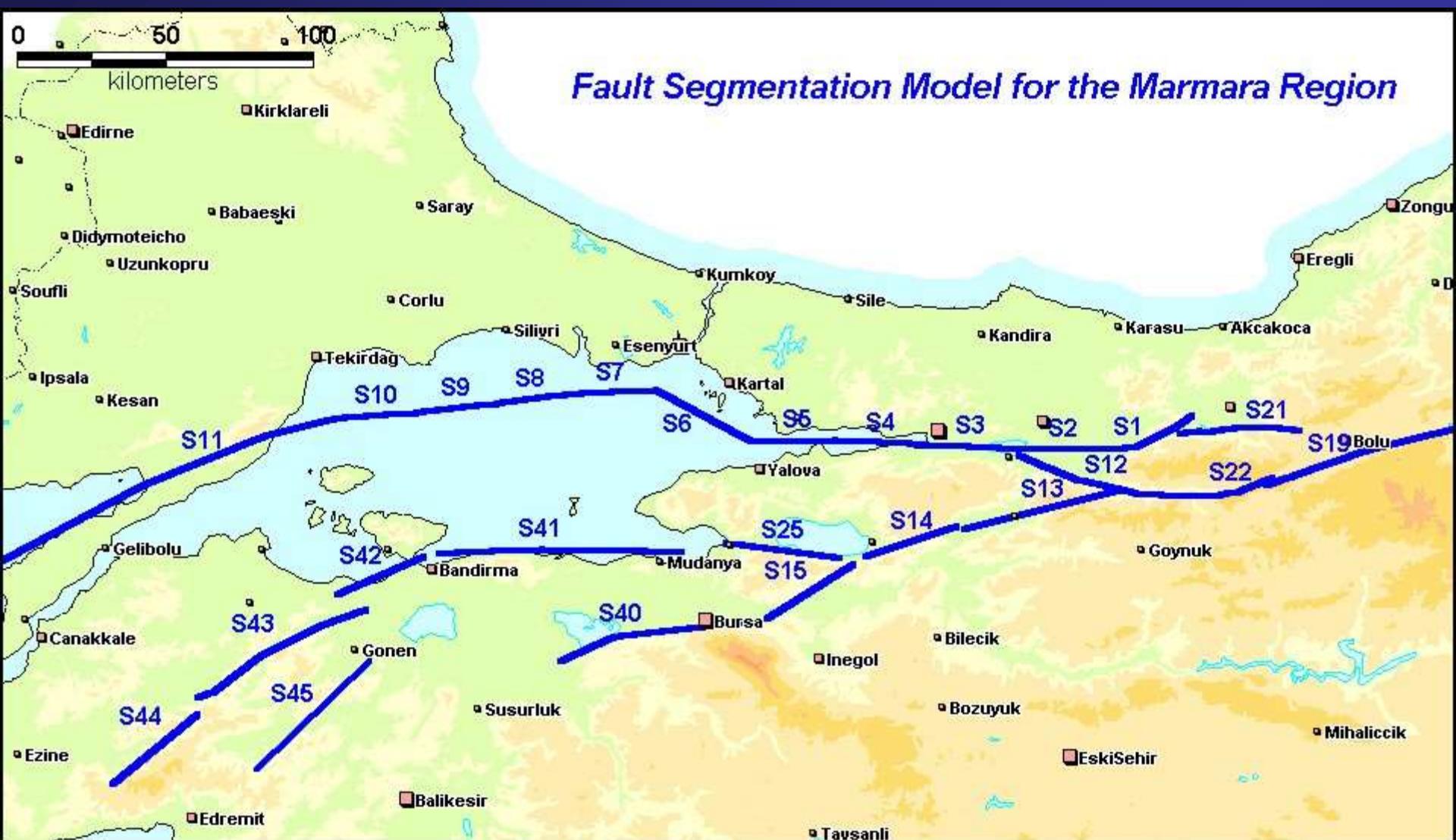
- ❖ GROUND SHAKING
- ❖ LIQUEFACTION SUSCEPTIBILITY
- ❖ LANDSLIDE HAZARD

**ADDITIONAL PURPOSE:** *To calculate elastic acceleration response spectra of the acceleration time history, for the assessment of the vulnerability of the building stock.*

# Basic Stages of Earthquake Hazard Scenarios

- Regional earthquake hazard
- Site characterisation
- 1D site response analyses
- Selection of input ground motion
- Microzonation for ground shaking intensity
- Earthquake characteristics on the ground surface

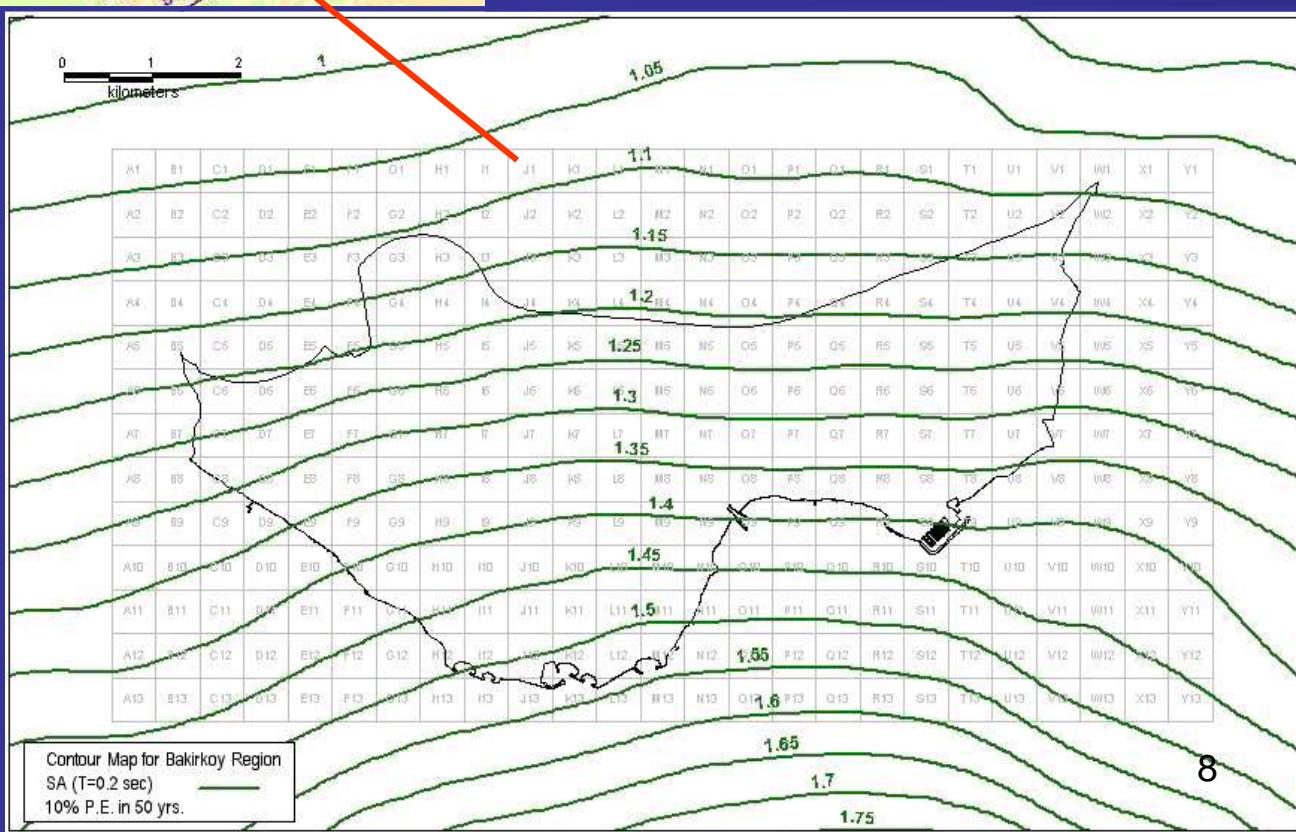
# Fault Segmentation Model (Erdik et al., 2005)



# REGIONAL EARTHQUAKE HAZARD



**SA ( $T=0.2\text{sec}$ ) Contour Map  
at NEHRP B/C Boundary  
for 475 Years Return Period**



# **Geological and Geotechnical Site Characterisation**

- ❖ **Regional geology of the area**
- ❖ **Local geology of the region**
- ❖ **Detailed geotechnical characterisation**
- ❖ **Site classification with respect to equivalent shear wave velocity, NEHRP, Borcherdt (1994), and Turkish Earthquake Code**

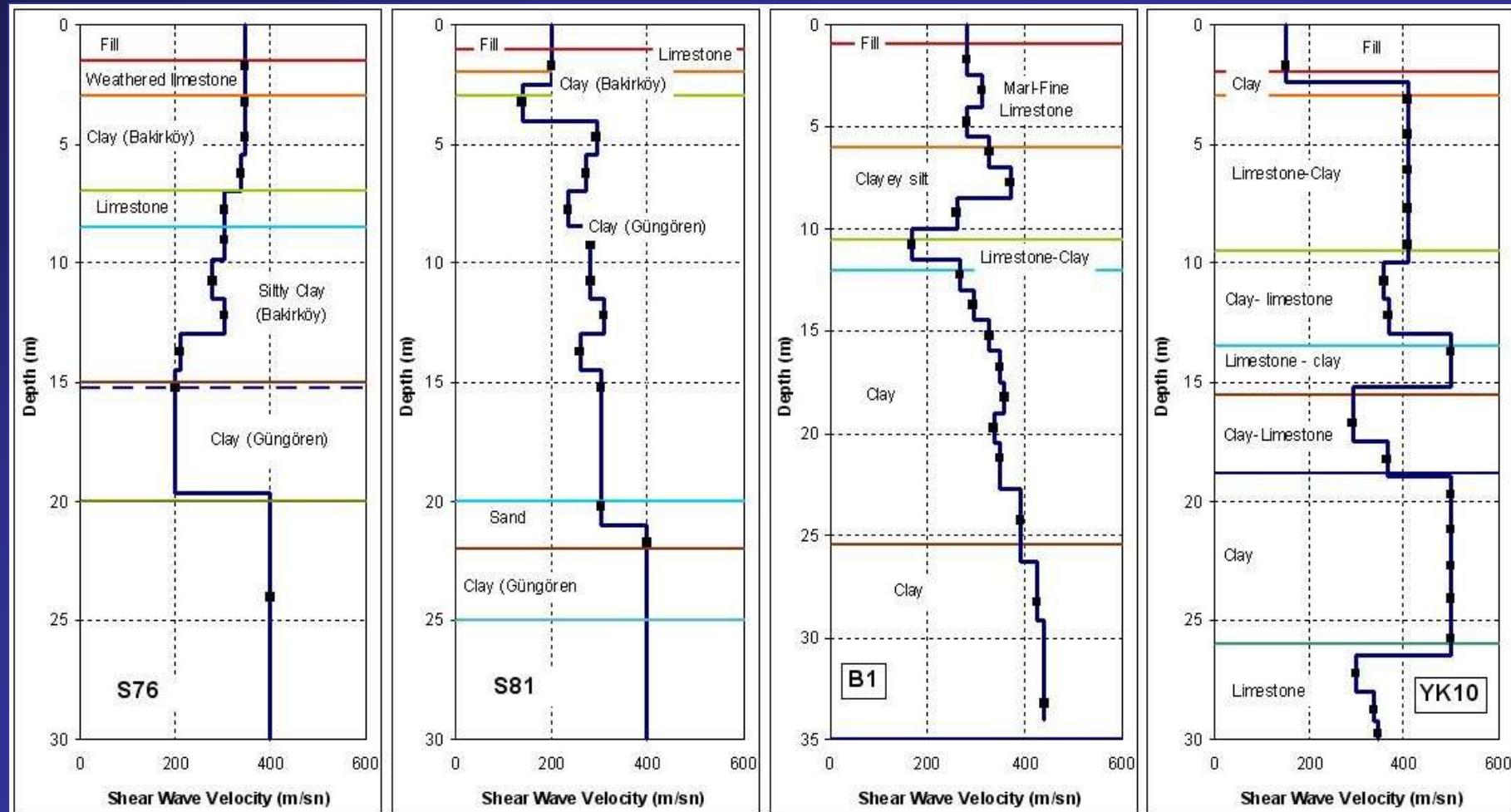
# SITE CHARACTERIZATION

Assigning partly hypothetical boreholes at the centre of each cell

- 1. to utilise all available data in each cell to have more comprehensive and reliable data for the soil profile;**
- 2. to eliminate the effects of distance among boreholes or site investigation points during the GIS mapping**

	G	H	I	J	K	L	M	N	O	P	Q	R	S	T	U	V	W	
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6				SK4	SK4	SK6			SK15	SK15	SK22	S18	S18	S16				6
7				SK3	SK3	S7	SK5	SK11	SK11	SK13	SK18	SK18	SK24	SK27	SK27			7
8				SK2	SK2	S8	S9	SK10	SK10	SK13	SK17	SK16	SK25	SK25	S14	SK29		8
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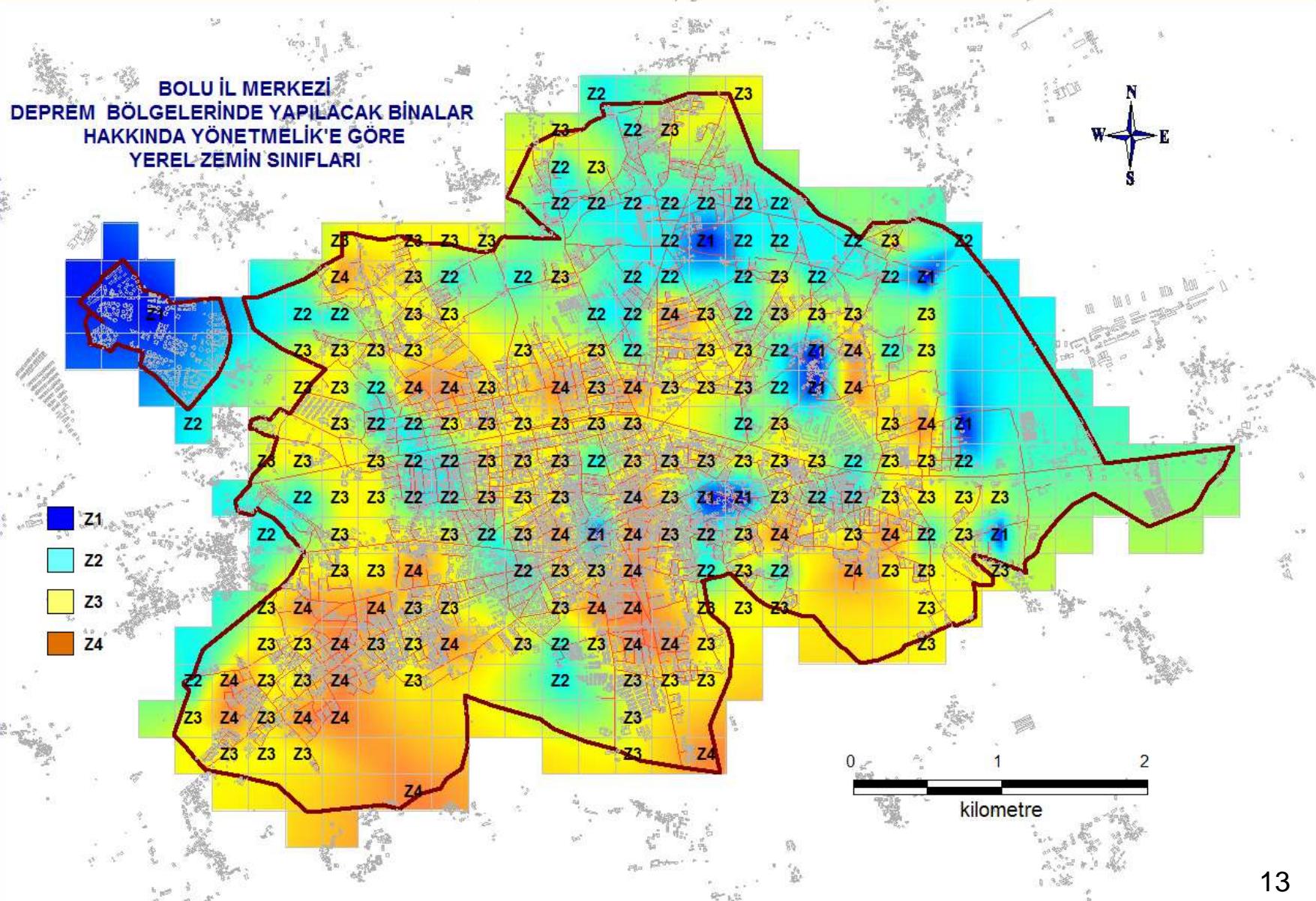
# Site Characterisation



# Two Stage Site Classification in Turkish Earthquake Code

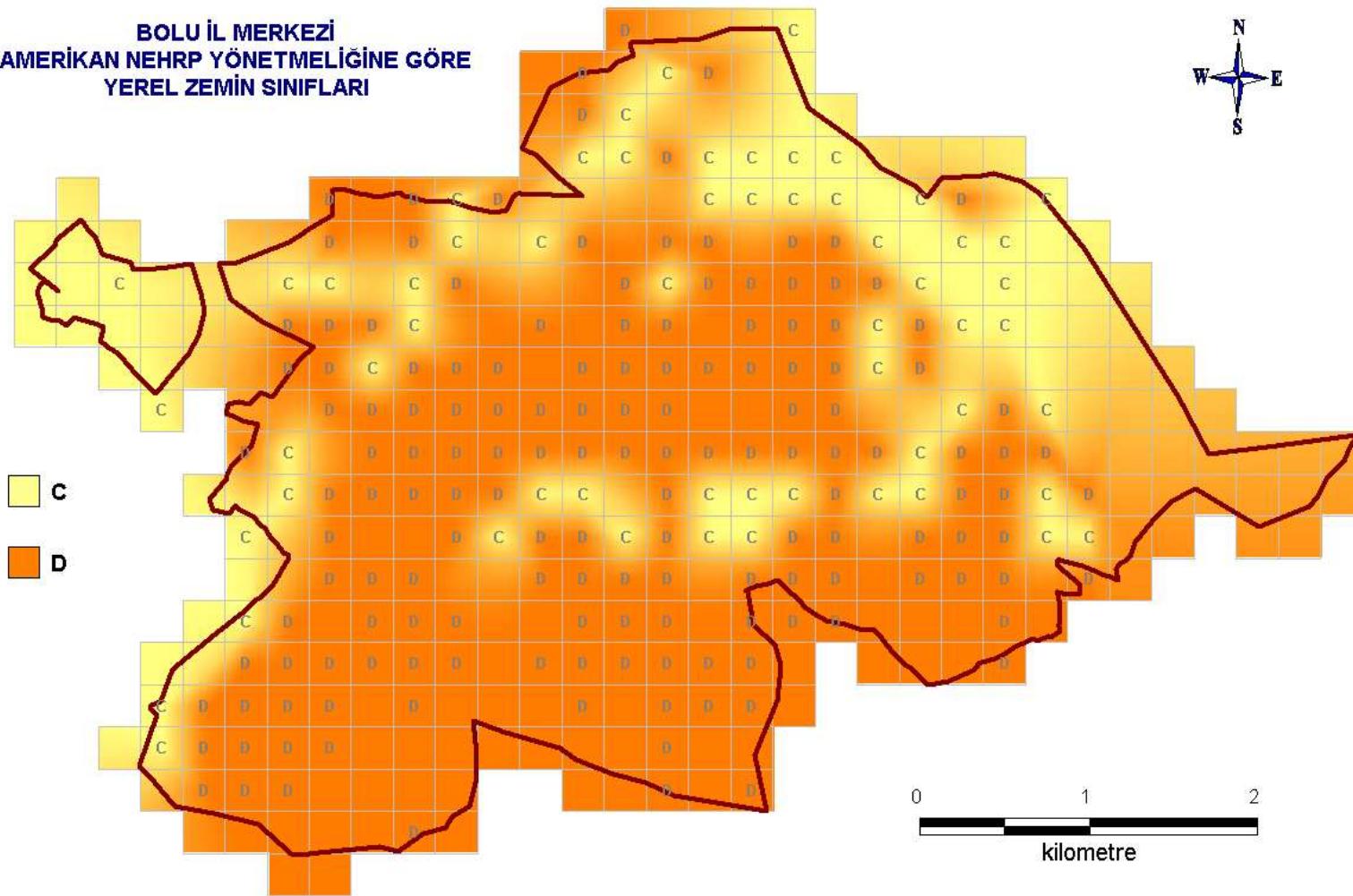
<i>Local Site Class</i>	<i>Soil Group according to Table 12.1 and Topmost Layer Thickness (<math>h_1</math>)</i>
Z1	Group (A) soils Group (B) soils with $h_1 \leq 15$ m
Z2	Group (B) soils with $h_1 > 15$ m Group (C) soils with $h_1 \leq 15$ m
Z3	Group (C) soils with $15 \text{ m} < h_1 \leq 50 \text{ m}$ Group (D) soils with $h_1 \leq 10 \text{ m}$
Z4	Group (C) soils with $h_1 > 50 \text{ m}$ Group (D) soils with $h_1 > 10 \text{ m}$

# Site Classification according to TEC

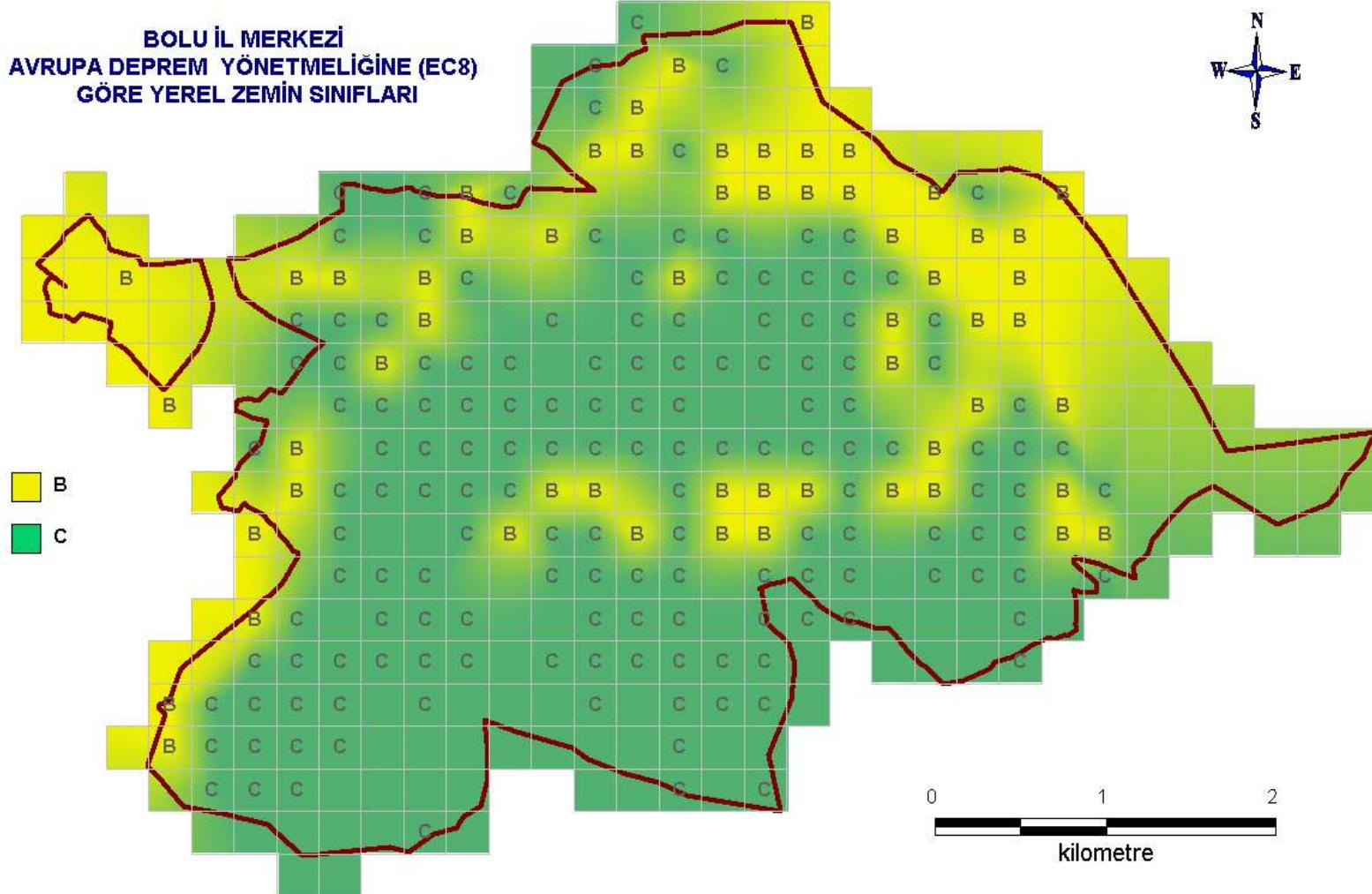


# Site classification according to NEHRP

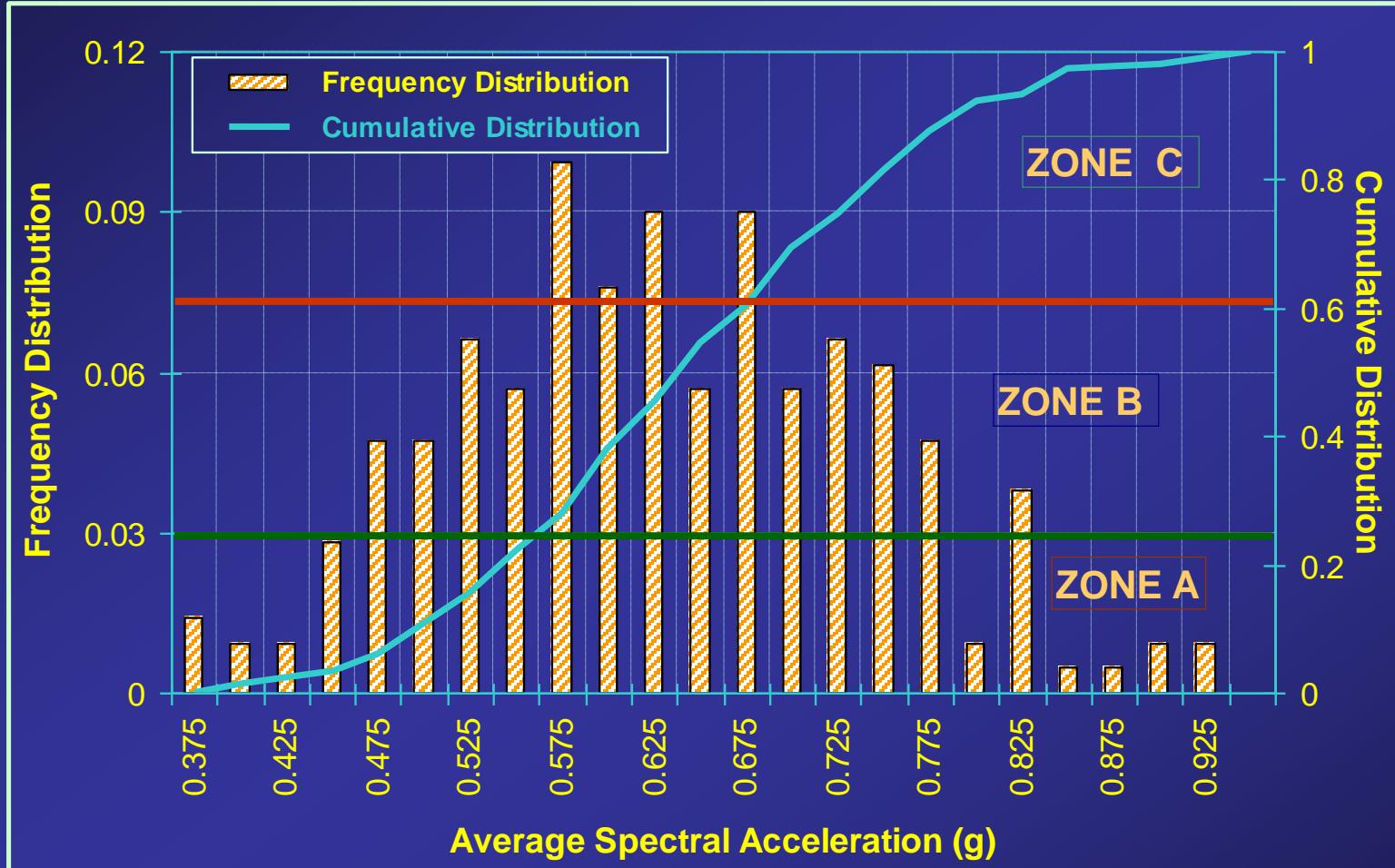
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AMERİKAN NEHRP YÖNETMELİĞİNE GÖRE  
YEREL ZEMİN SINIFLARI



# Site classification according to EC8



# Relative microzonation procedure



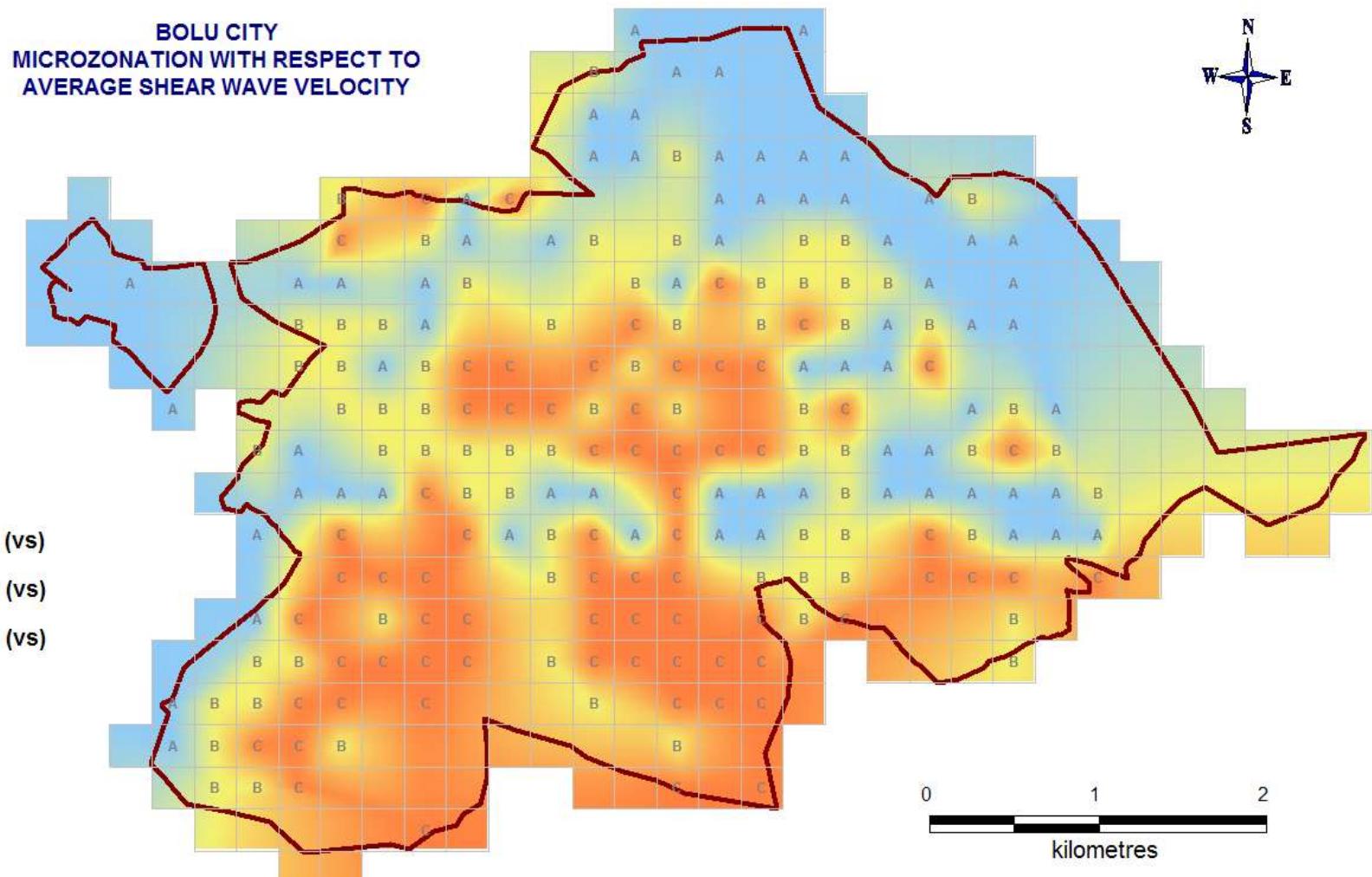
**C Upper 33% percentile**

**B Intermediate 34 % percentile**

**A Lower 33% percentile**

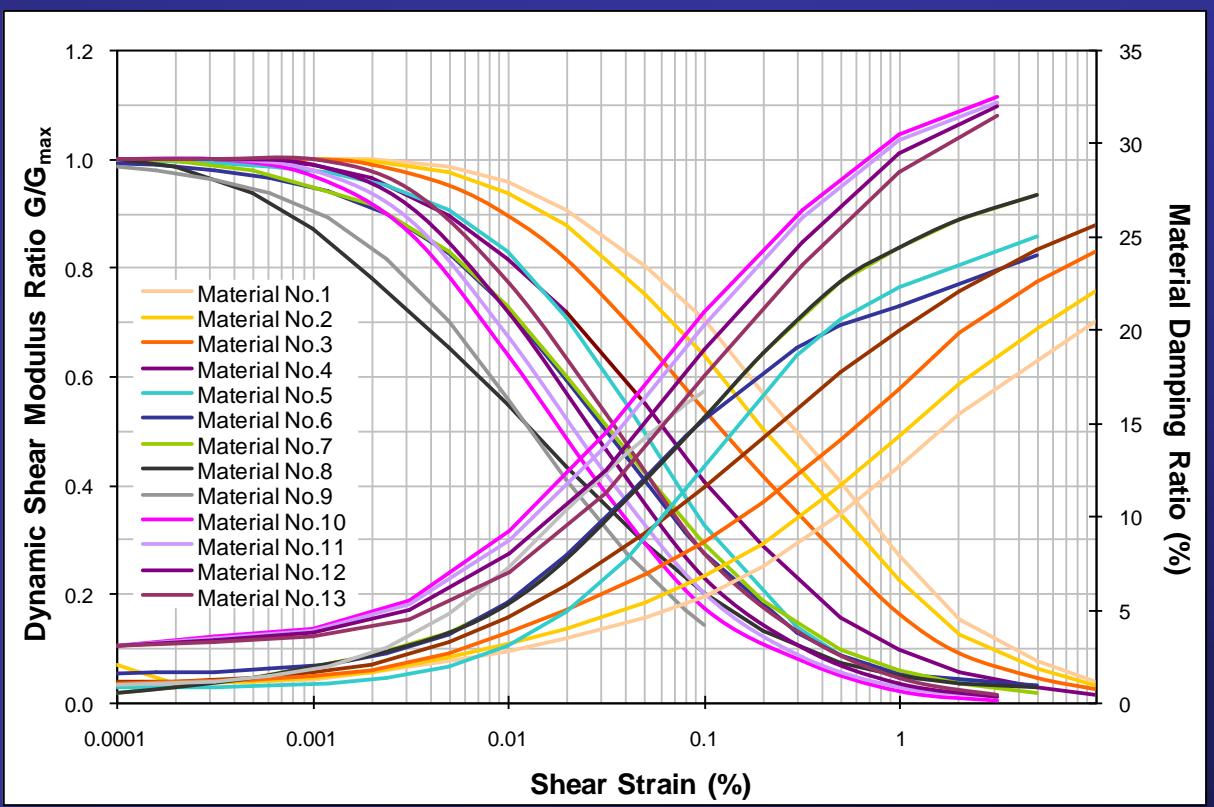
***NOTE: If the difference between 33% and 67% percentiles is smaller than 20%, the area is divided into two zones using 16 50% percentile (median).***

# Microzonation with respect to equivalent (average) shear wave velocity\*



# Dynamic shear modulus and damping ratio\*

Material No	Soil Type	Reference
1	Clay (CH) PI=60%	Vucetic ve Dobry (1991)
2	Clay (CL) PI=45%	Vucetic ve Dobry (1991)
3	Clay (CH) PI=30%	Vucetic ve Dobry (1991)
4	Clay (CL) PI=15%	Vucetic ve Dobry (1991)
5	Silt	Darendeli (2001)
6	Sand (SC-SM)	Darendeli (2001)
7	Sand	Seed and Idriss
8	Gravel	Seed
9	Gravel	Menq
10	Rock 0-6 m	EPRI
11	Rock 6-16 m	EPRI
12	Rock 16-37 m	EPRI
13	Rock 37-76 m	EPRI



### **Simulated**

- Hazard compatibility with respect to calculated acceleration spectra on rock outcrop

### **Real Acceleration Records**

- Compatibility with probable fault type, fault distance, and magnitude
- Scaled with respect to calculated peak ground acceleration on rock outcrop

# Scaling real acceleration records

- Set of earthquake hazard compatible real acceleration records,
- Scaled to different intensity measures; peak ground acceleration, peak ground velocity and Arias intensity
- To evaluate the response variability

back

# Ground shaking intensity

## SPECTRAL ACCELERATIONS ON THE GROUND SURFACE

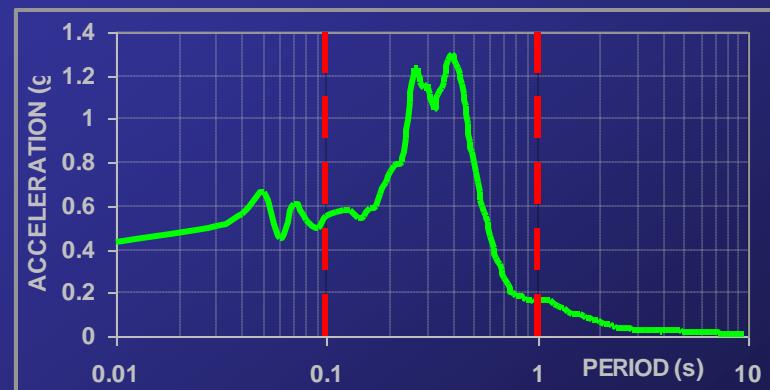
BY SUPERPOSITION OF

Spectral accelerations  
(short period) based on  
average shear wave  
velocity ( Borcherdt, 1994)

$$F_a = (760/v)^{m_a}$$

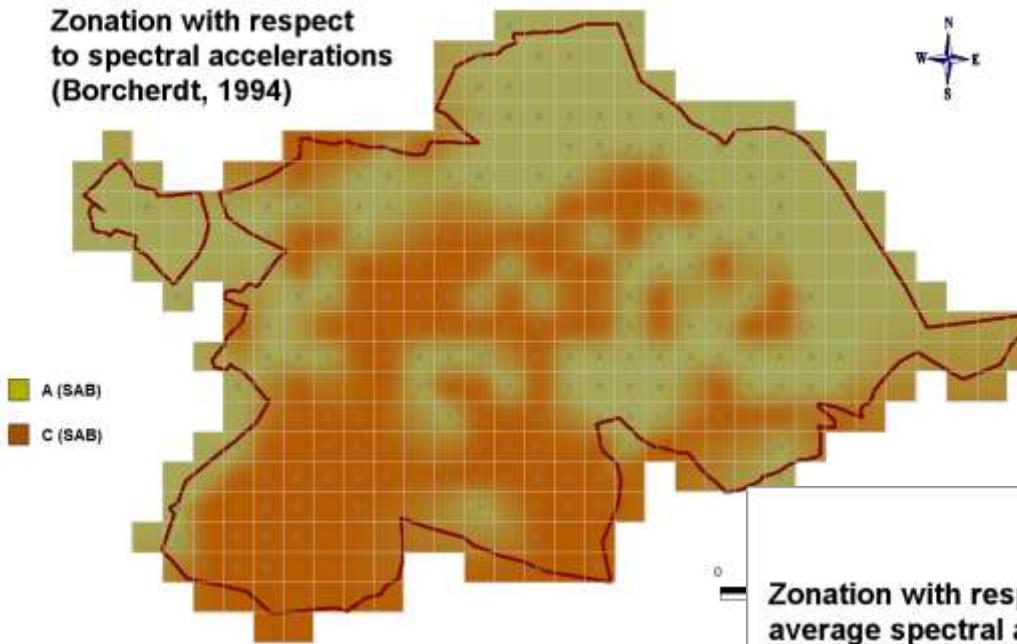
$$S_a = F_a S_s$$

Average spectral accelerations  
(0.1-1s) calculated by site  
response analysis



# Microzonation with respect to ground shaking

Zonation with respect  
to spectral accelerations  
(Borcherdt, 1994)

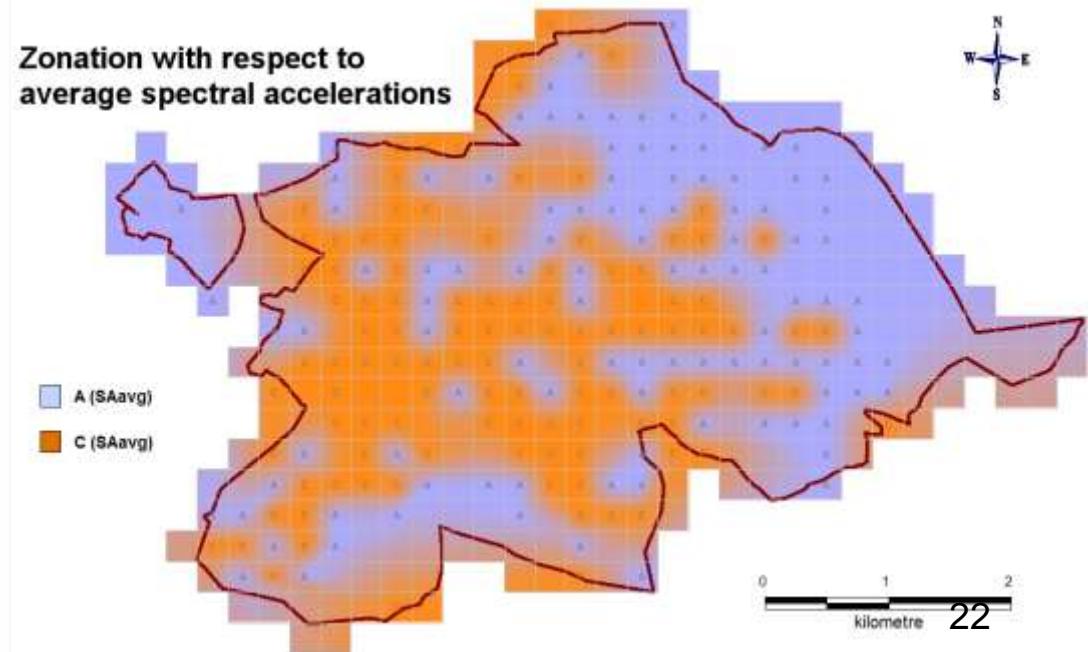


$$A_{GS} = \\ A_B \& A_S + A_B \& B_S + B_B \& A_S$$

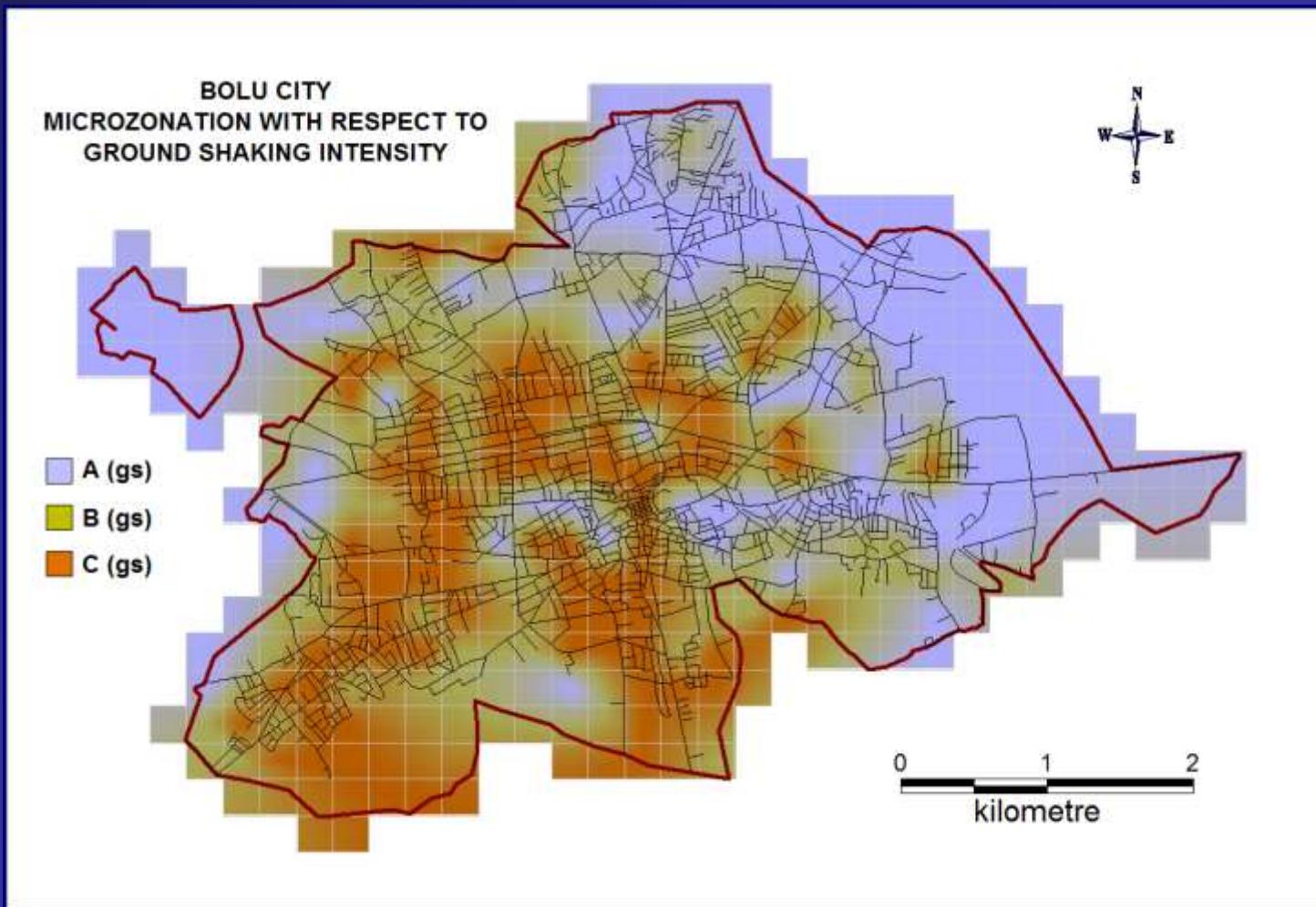
$$B_{GS} = \\ B_B \& B_S + C_B \& A_S + A_B \& C_S$$

$$C_{GS} = \\ C_B \& C_S + C_B \& B_S + B_B \& C_S$$

Zonation with respect to  
average spectral accelerations

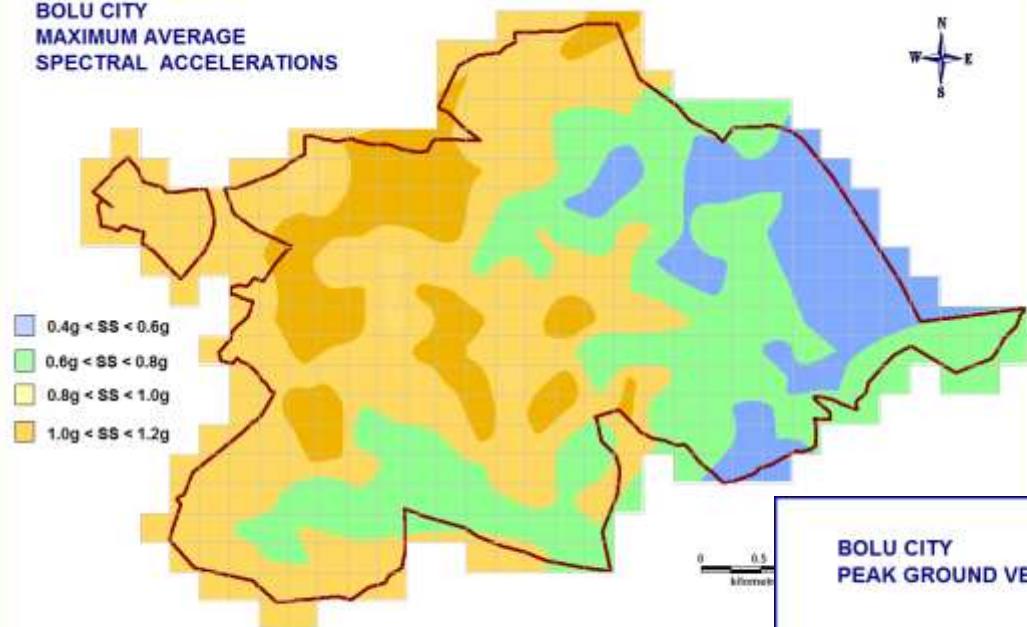


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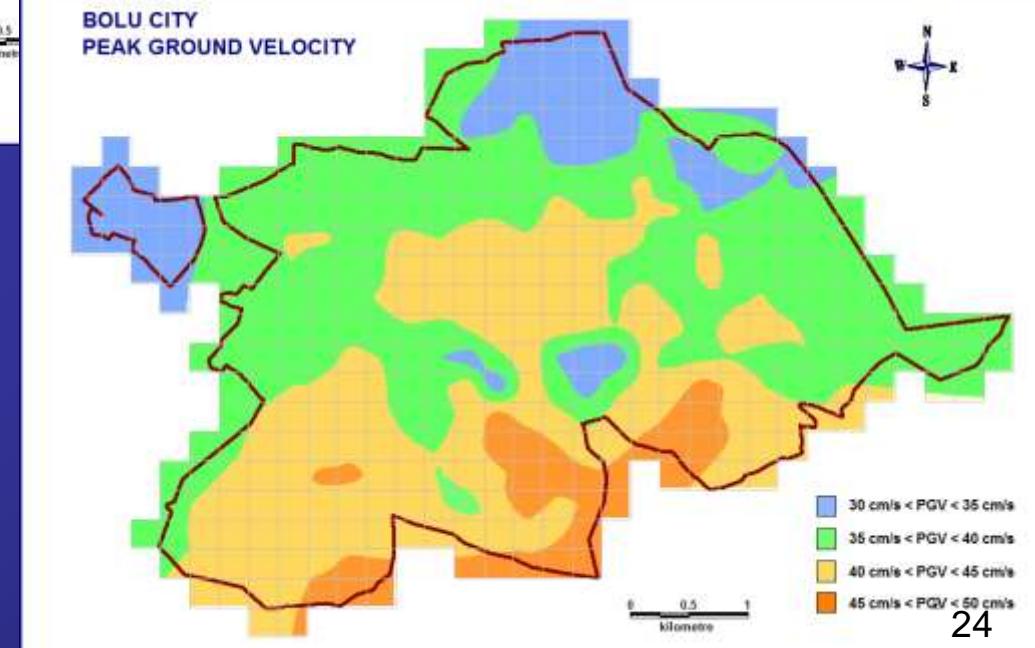


# Microzonation wrt maximum average SA and average PGV

BOLU CITY  
MAXIMUM AVERAGE  
SPECTRAL ACCELERATIONS



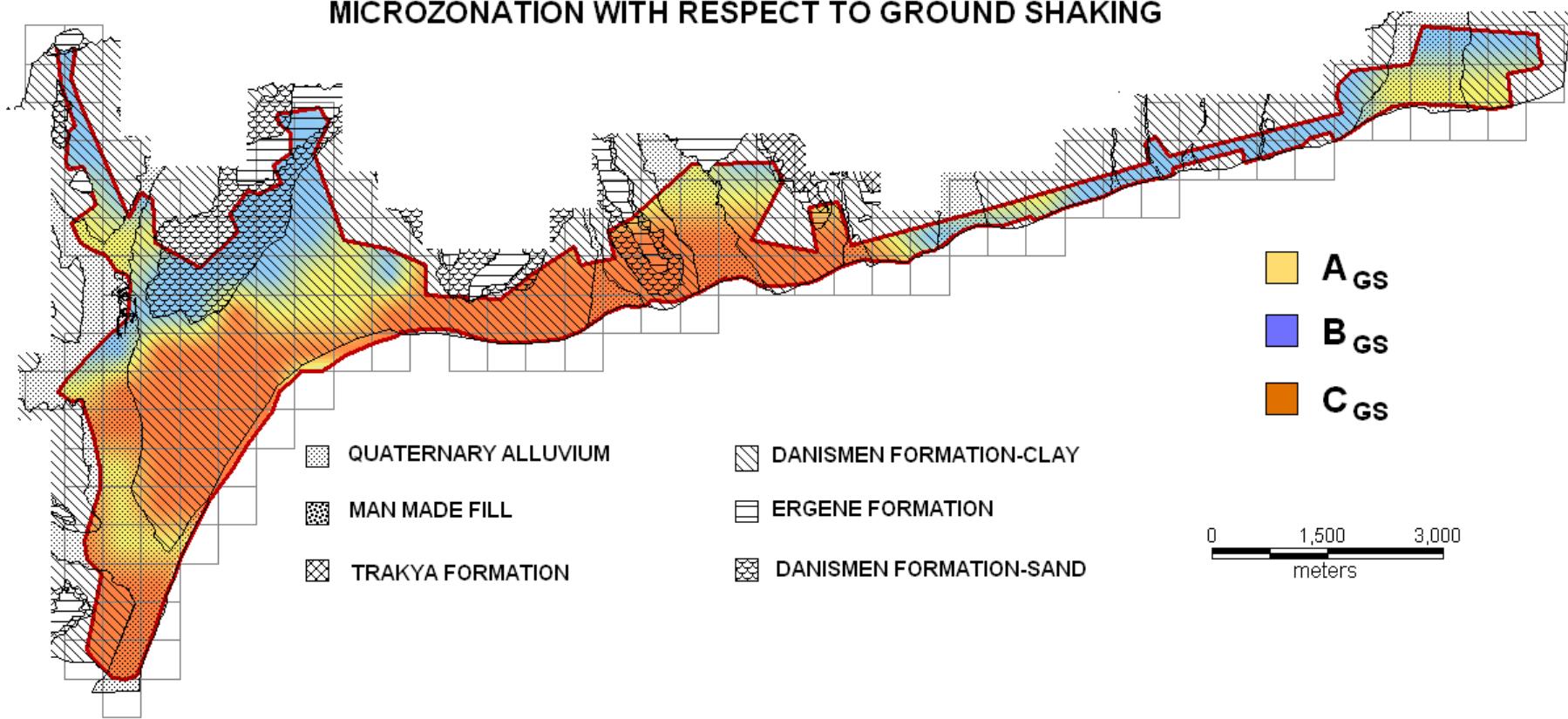
BOLU CITY  
PEAK GROUND VELOCITY



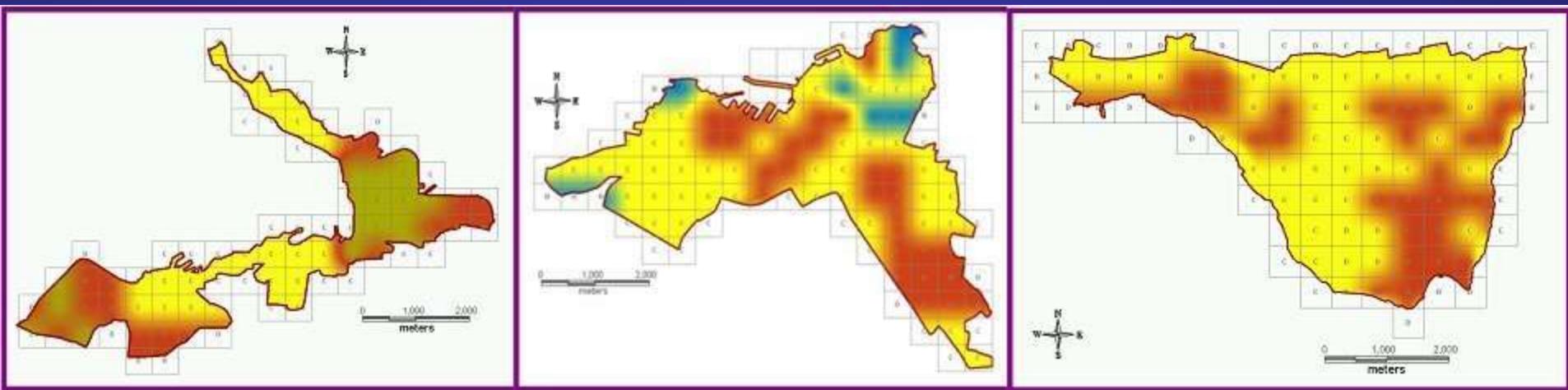
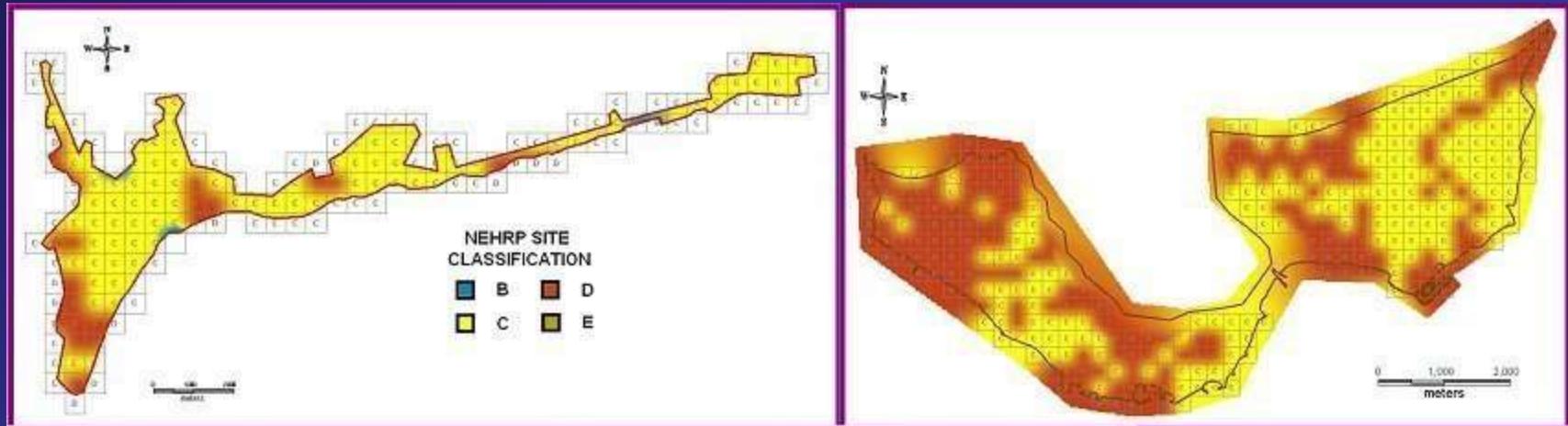
# ZONATION MAP wrt GROUND SHAKING

## In comparison with Surface Geology

MICROZONATION WITH RESPECT TO GROUND SHAKING

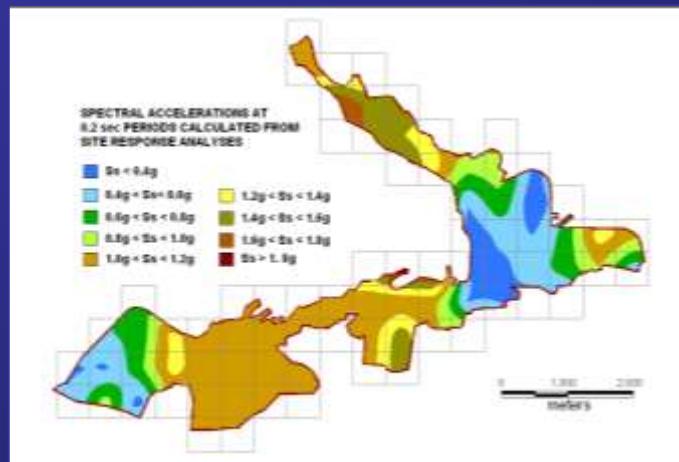
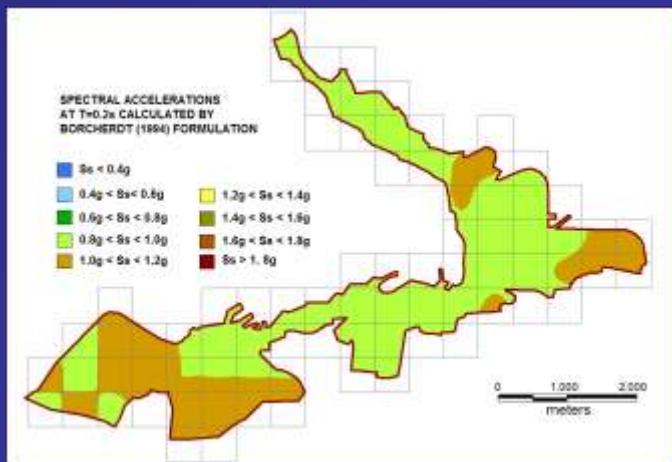
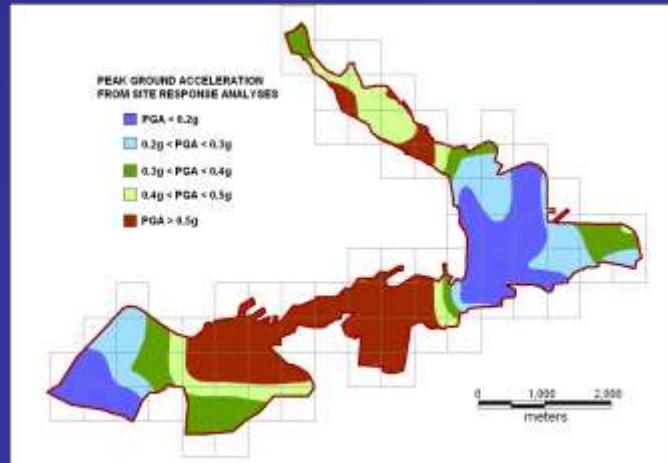
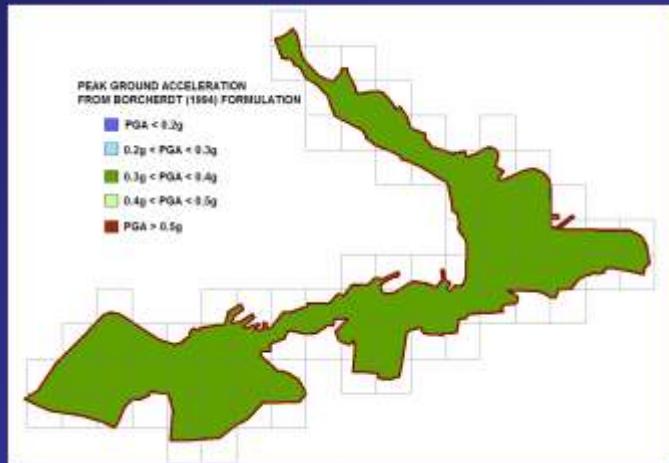


# Site Classification - NEHRP



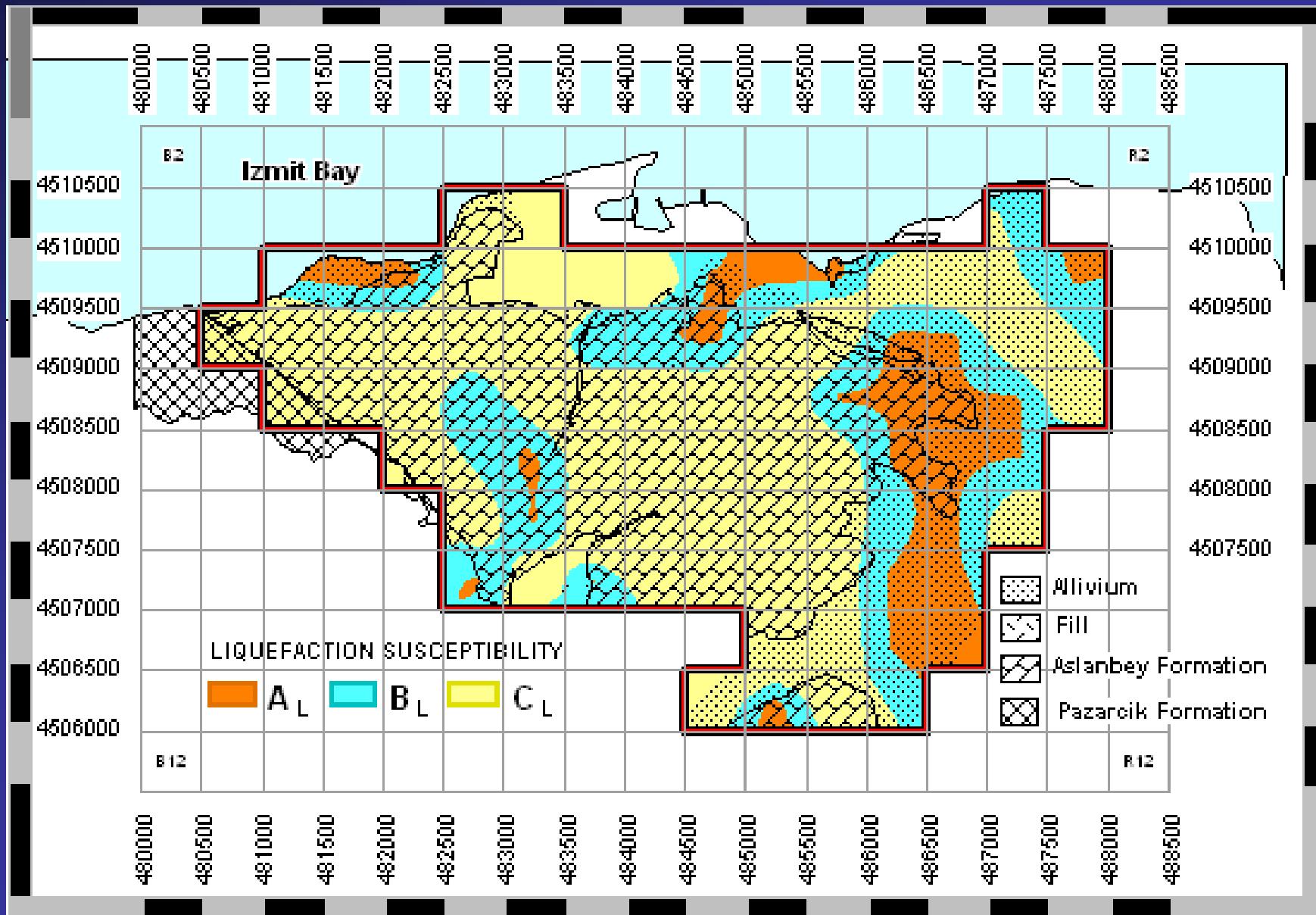
# NEHRP versus Site Response Analysis

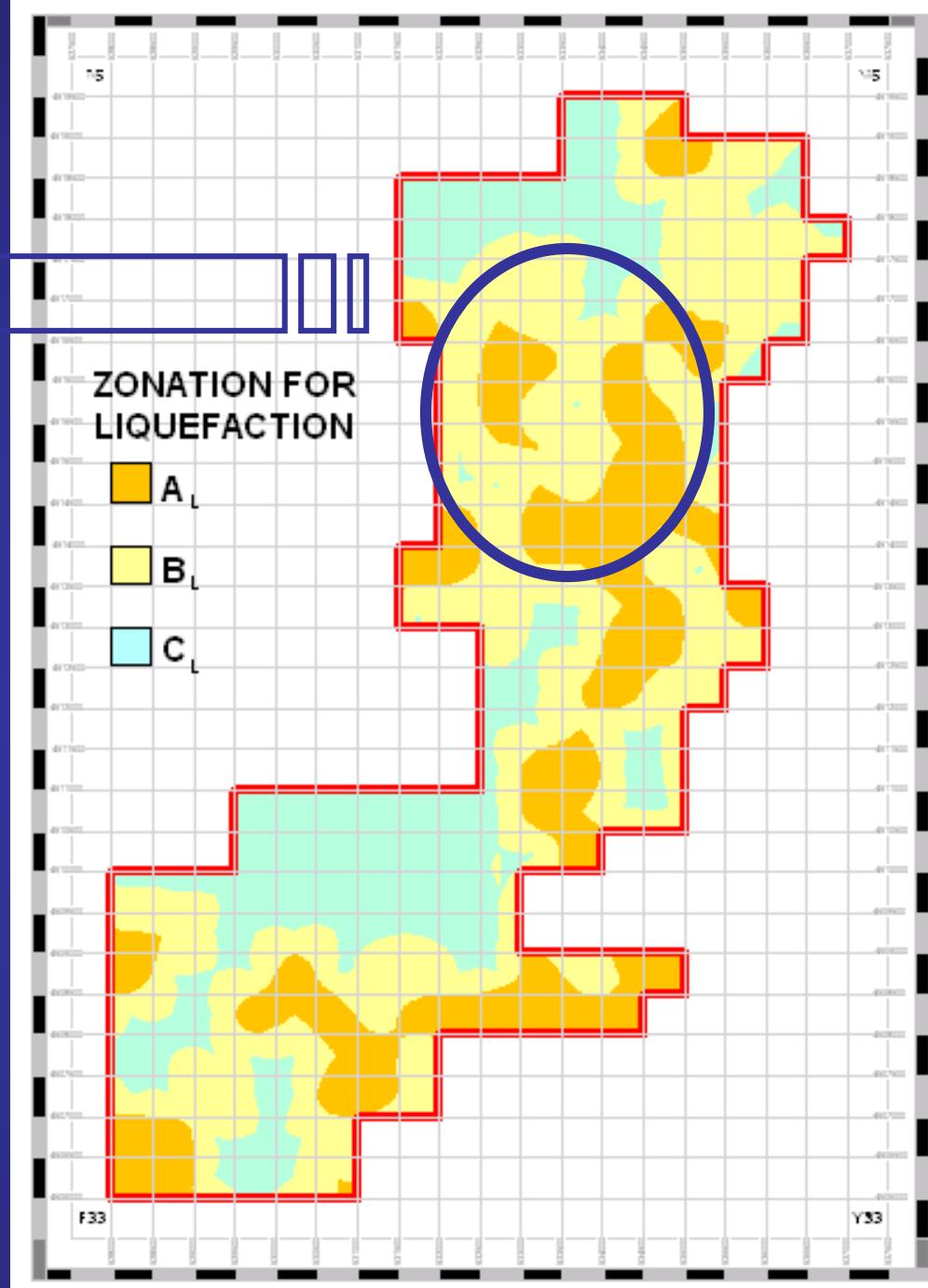
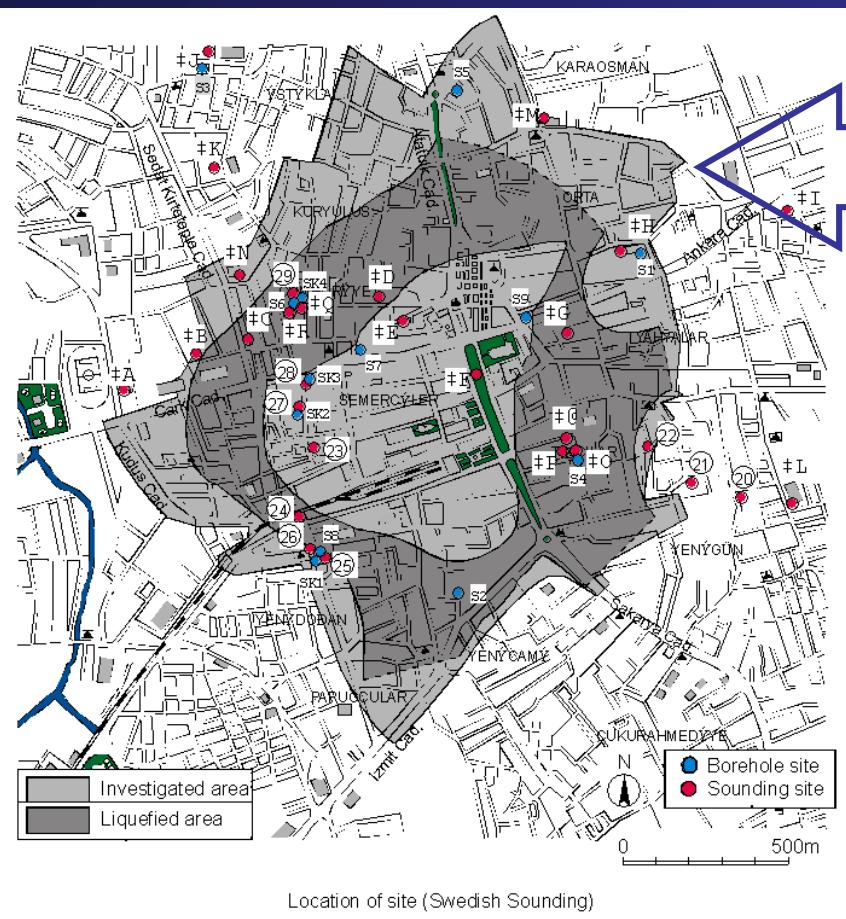
*Variation of PGA and spectral acceleration at 0.2s based on NEHRP*

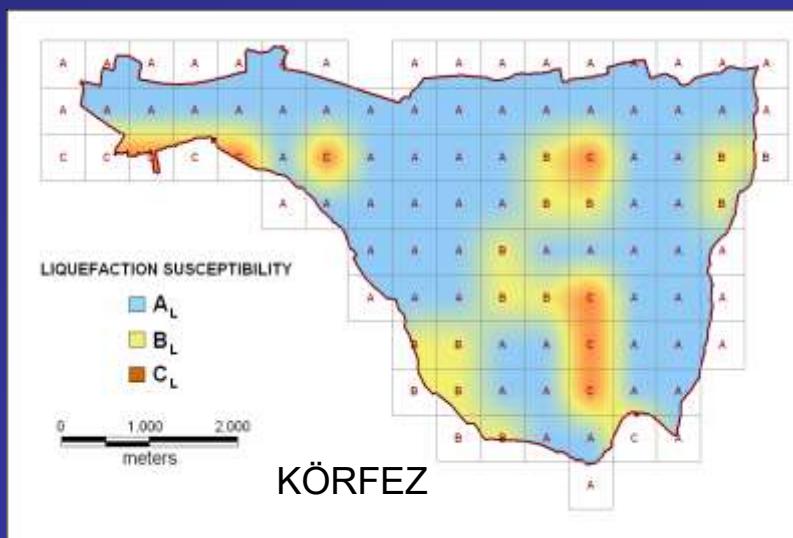
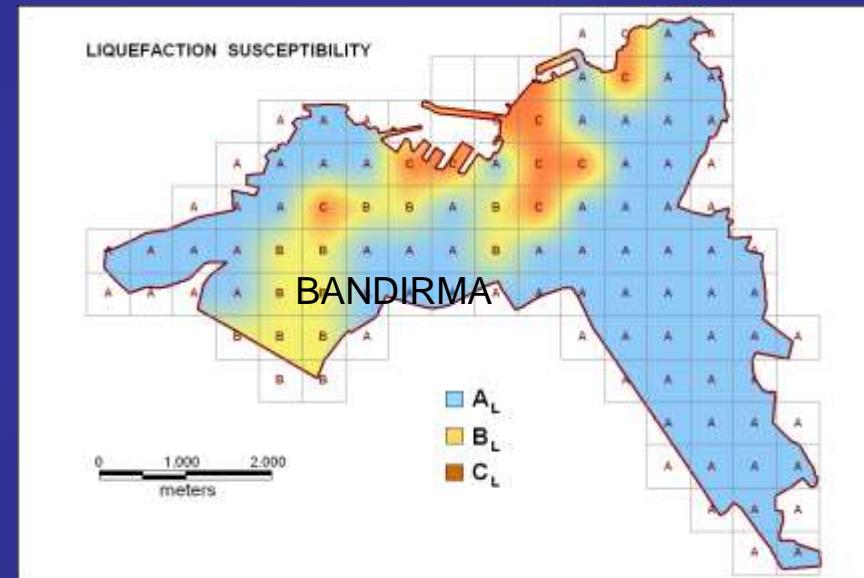
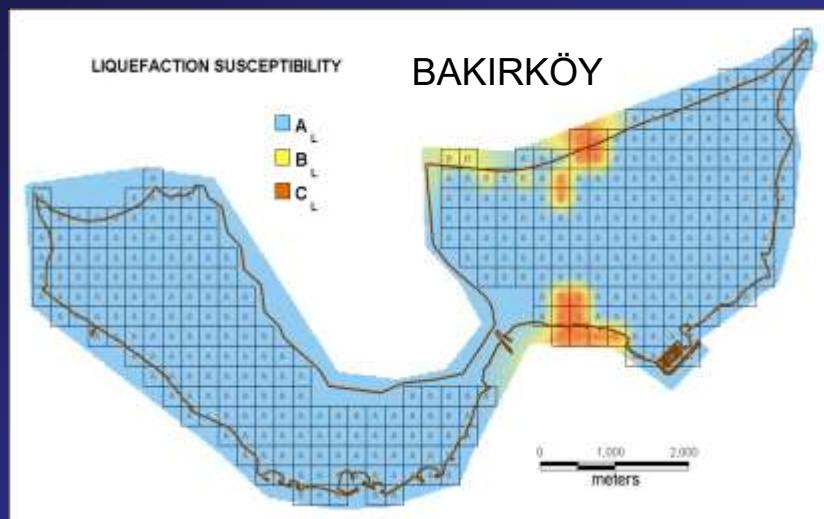


# MICROZONATION WRT LIQUEFACTION

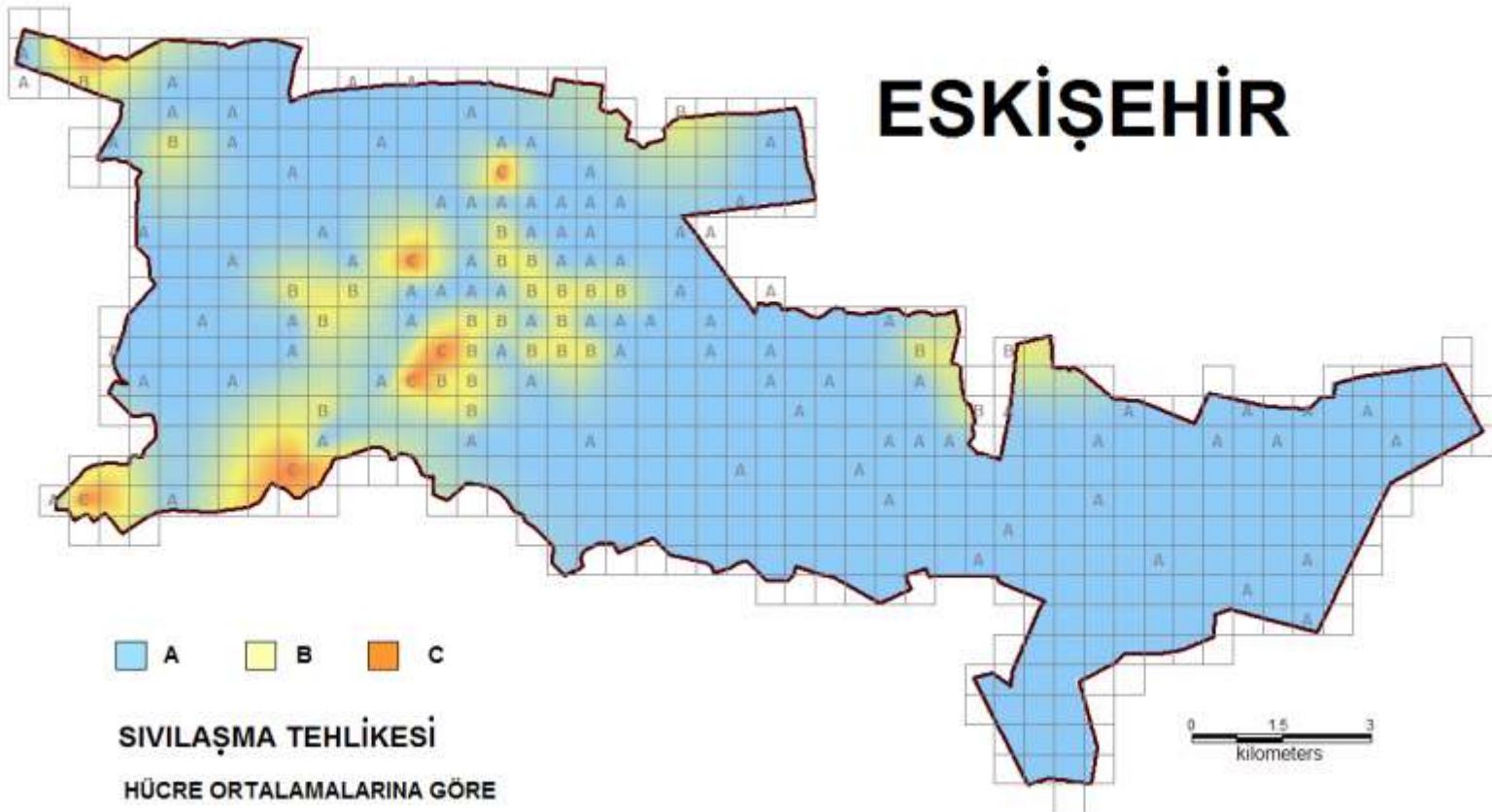
**A: PL>15; B: 5>PL>15; C: PL<5**







# ESKİŞEHİR



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A      B      C

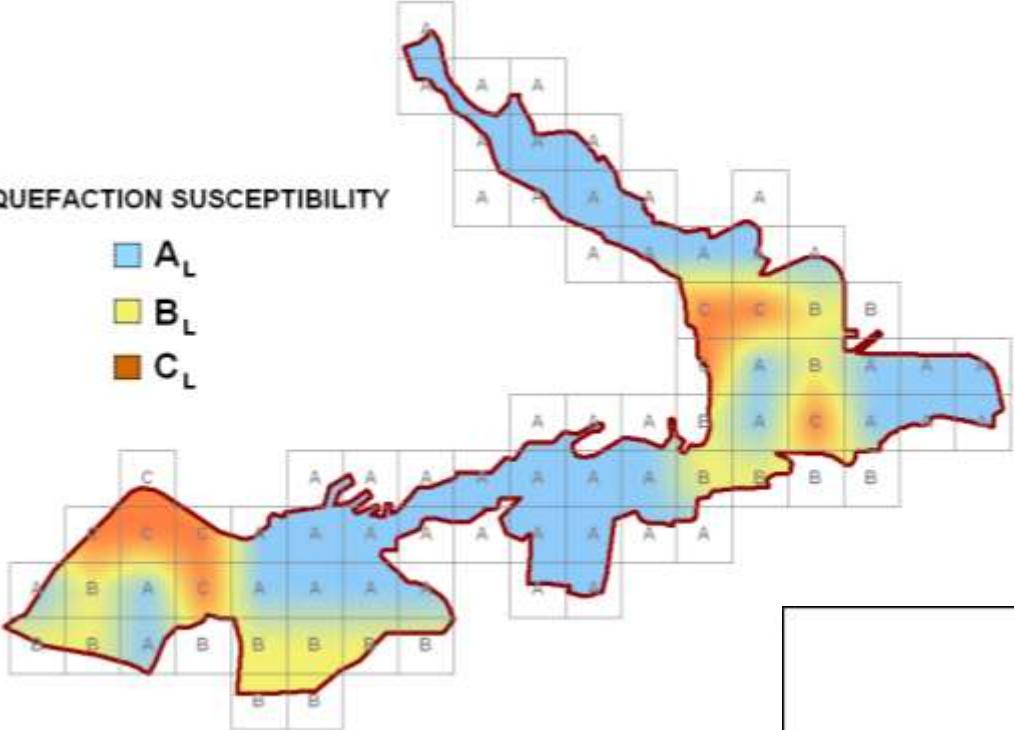
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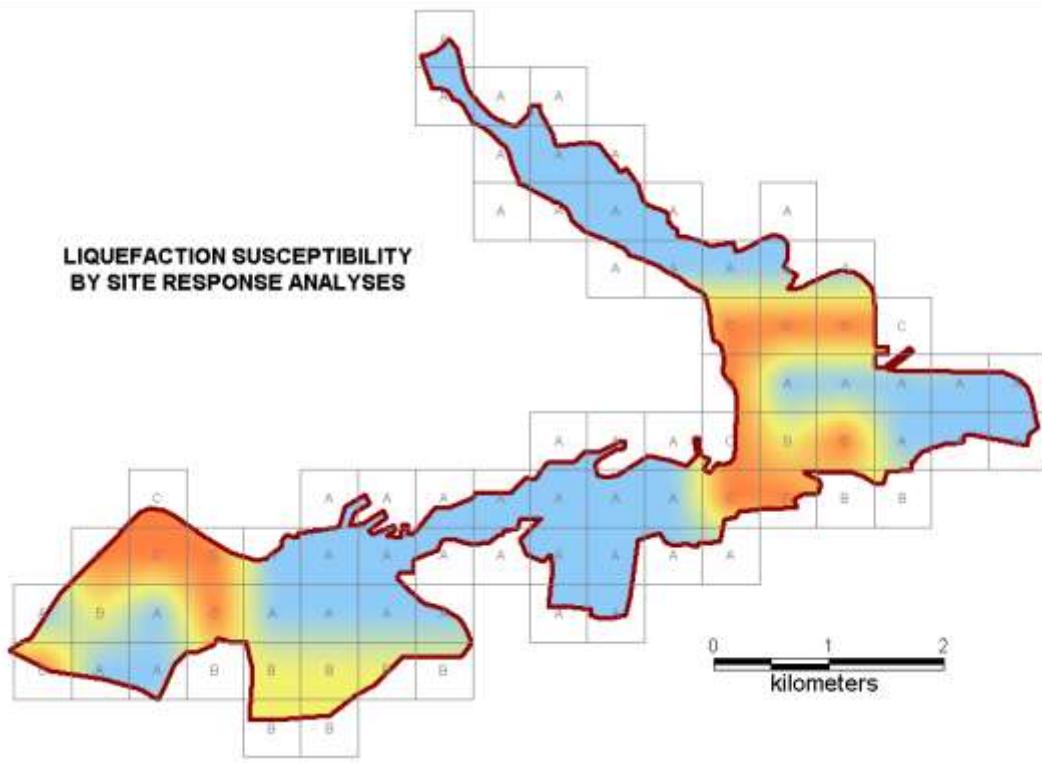
0      1.5      3  
kilometers

### LIQUEFACTION SUSCEPTIBILITY

■  $A_L$   
■  $B_L$   
■  $C_L$

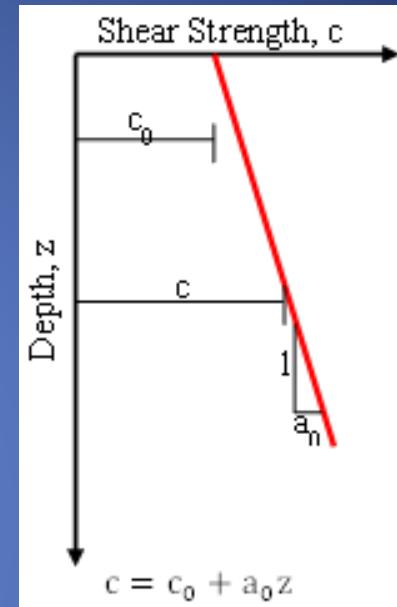
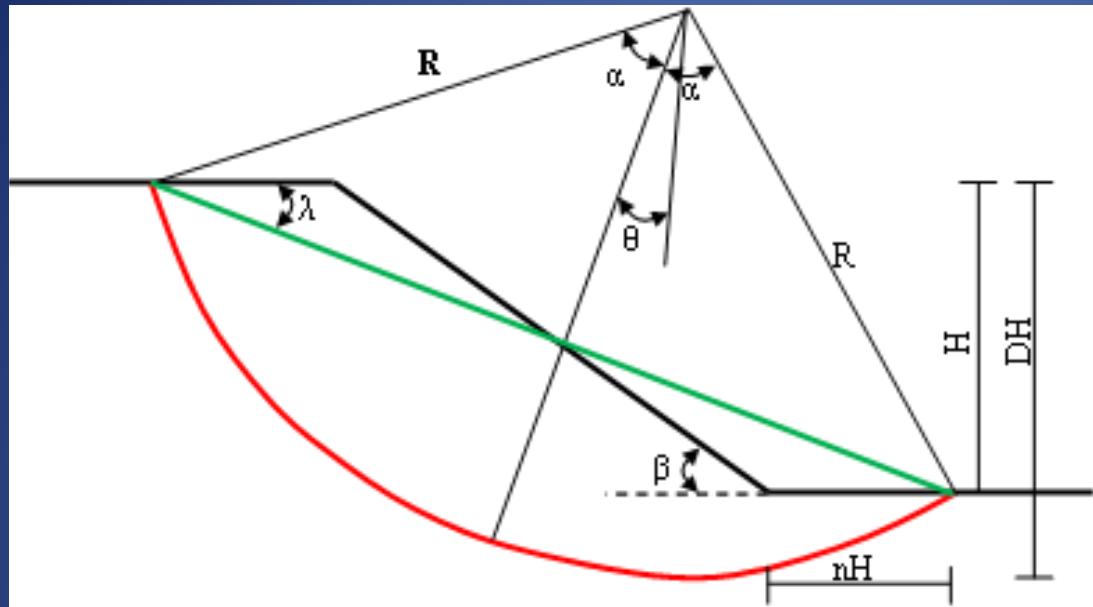


### LIQUEFACTION SUSCEPTIBILITY BY SITE RESPONSE ANALYSES



# MICROZONATION WRT LANDSLIDE

# Siyahi and Ansal (1993)



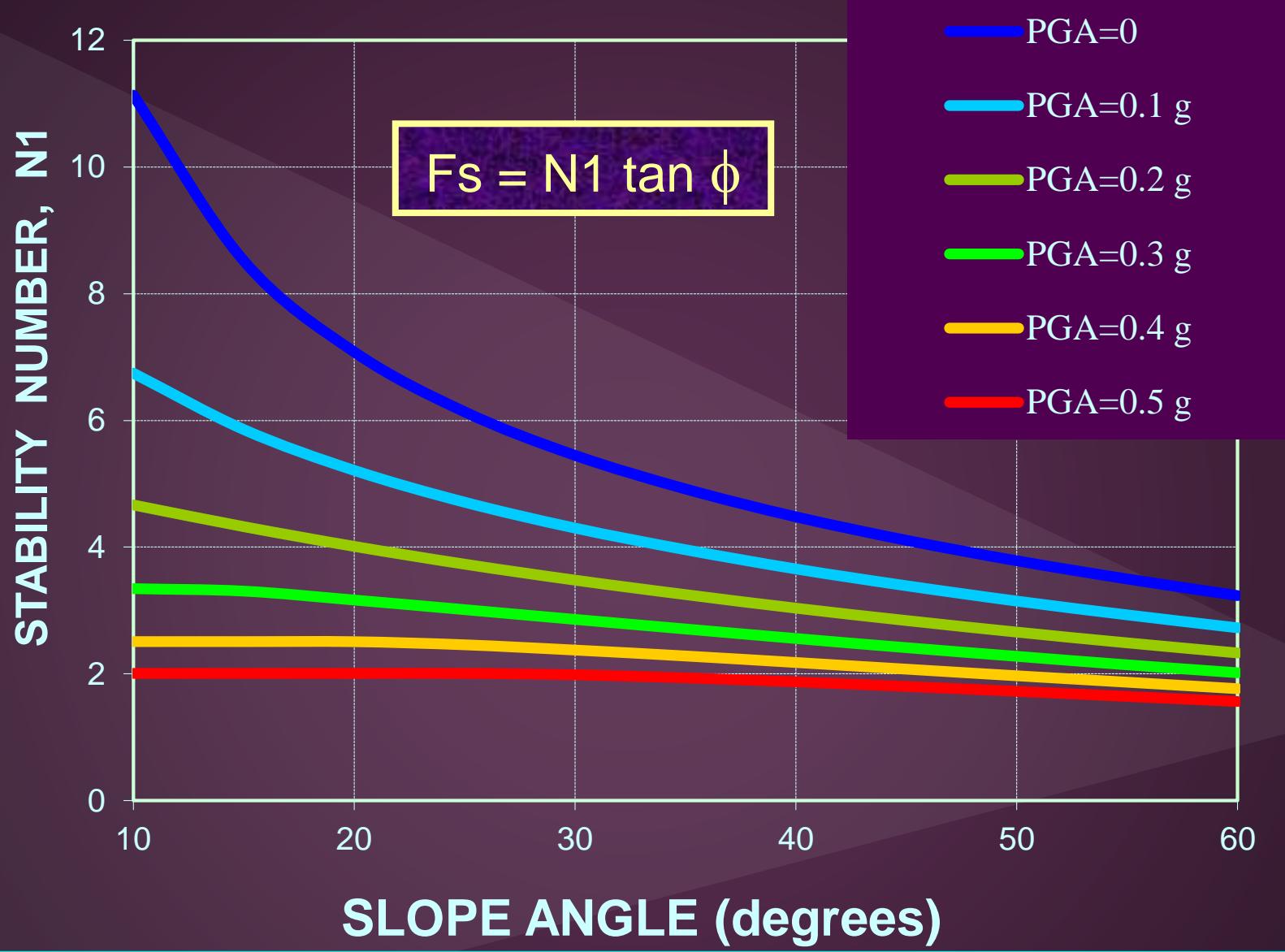
$$\alpha = 50, \dots, 850$$

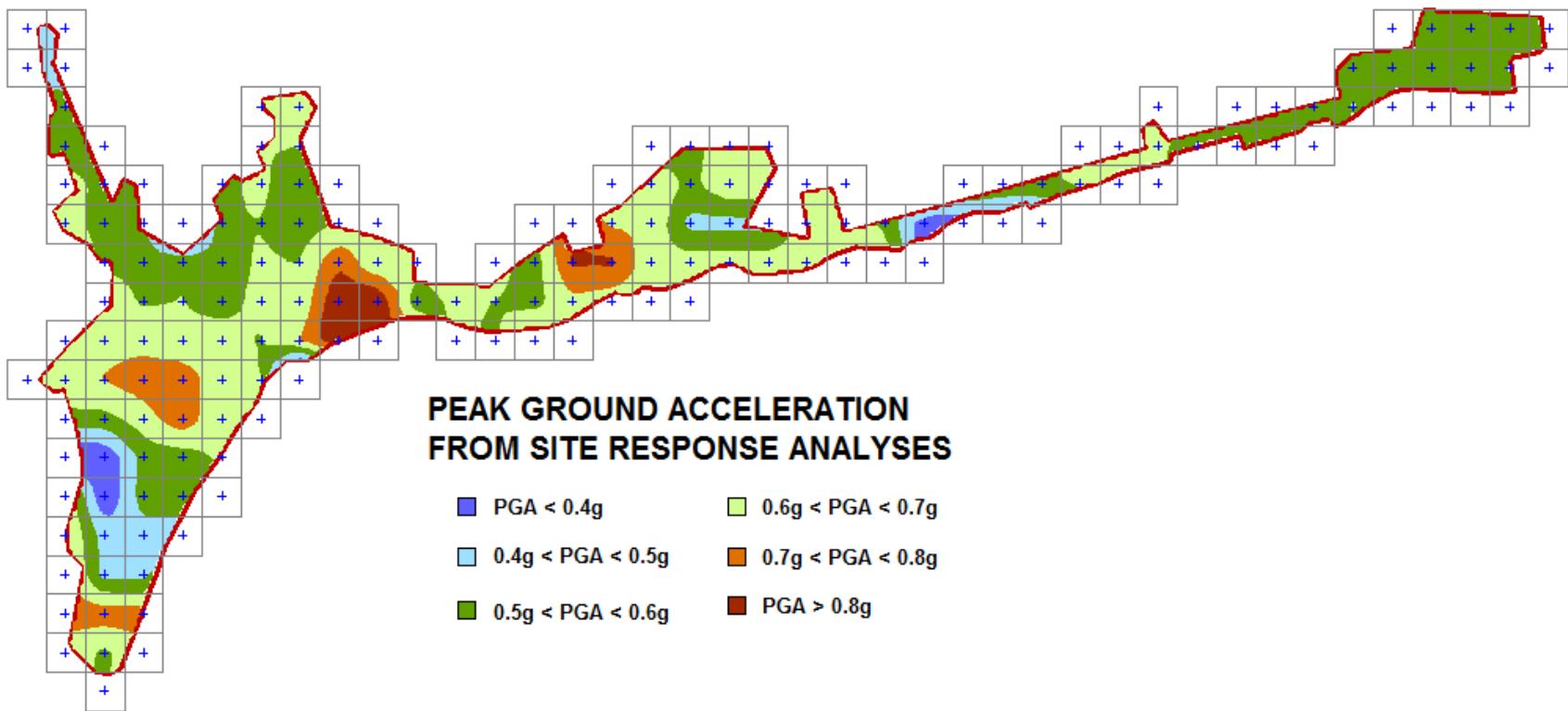
$$\beta = 100, 10.50, \dots, 600$$

$$\lambda = 100, \dots, 550$$

**$n = 0$  (toe failure presumption)**

$$A(g) = 0.00, 0.02, \dots, 1.00$$







# ZEYTINBURNU PILOT PROJECT

## 1. MICROZONATION WITH RESPECT TO GROUND SHAKING INTENSITY FOR URBAN PLANNING

*Regional Earthquake Hazard,  
Site Characterization,  
Analysis and Interpretation*

## 2. VULNERABILITY ASSESSMENT OF BUILDING STOCK FOR REHABILITATION

*Spectral acceleration at 0.2s & 1.0s on the ground surface*

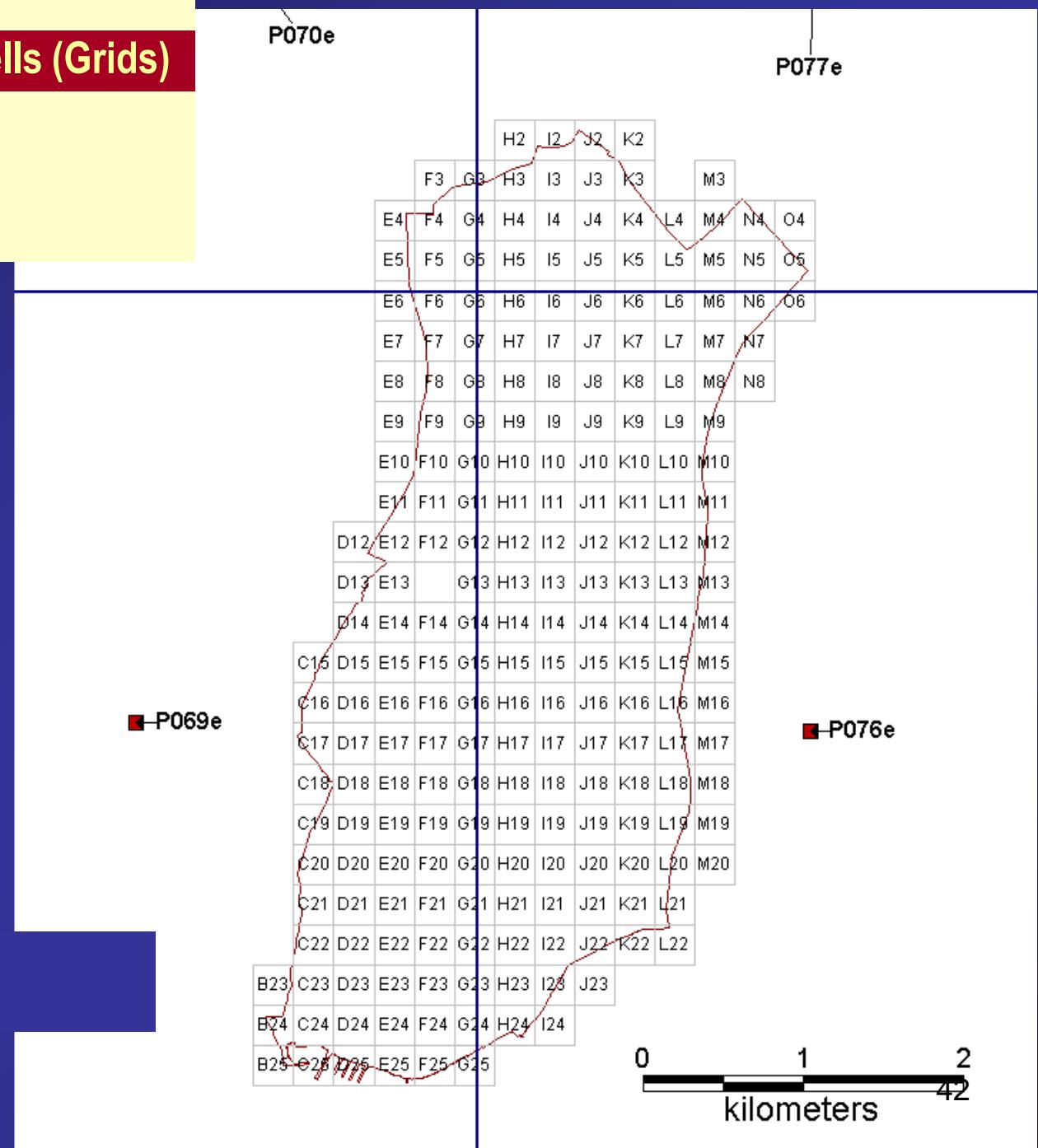
# REGIONAL EARTHQUAKE HAZARD

- Probabilistic earthquake hazard estimation  
For a return period of 475 years or 10% exceedance probability in 50 years
- A grid system composed of 250 x 250m cells
- Calculation of the spectral accelerations
- Simulation of the spectrum compatible design basis ground motion

## METHODOLOGY

### • Input Data Based on Geo-Cells (Grids)

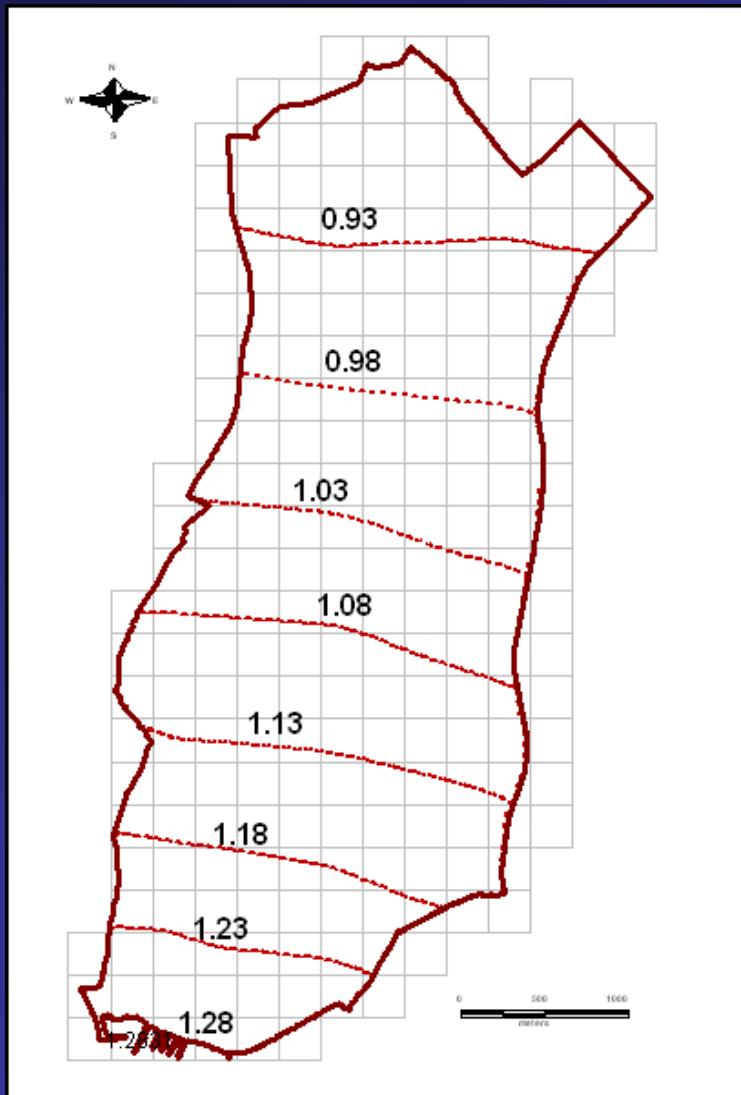
- Site Response Analysis
- Seismic Hazard Maps
- Building Inventory Data Base
- Vulnerabilities
- Loss Estimation



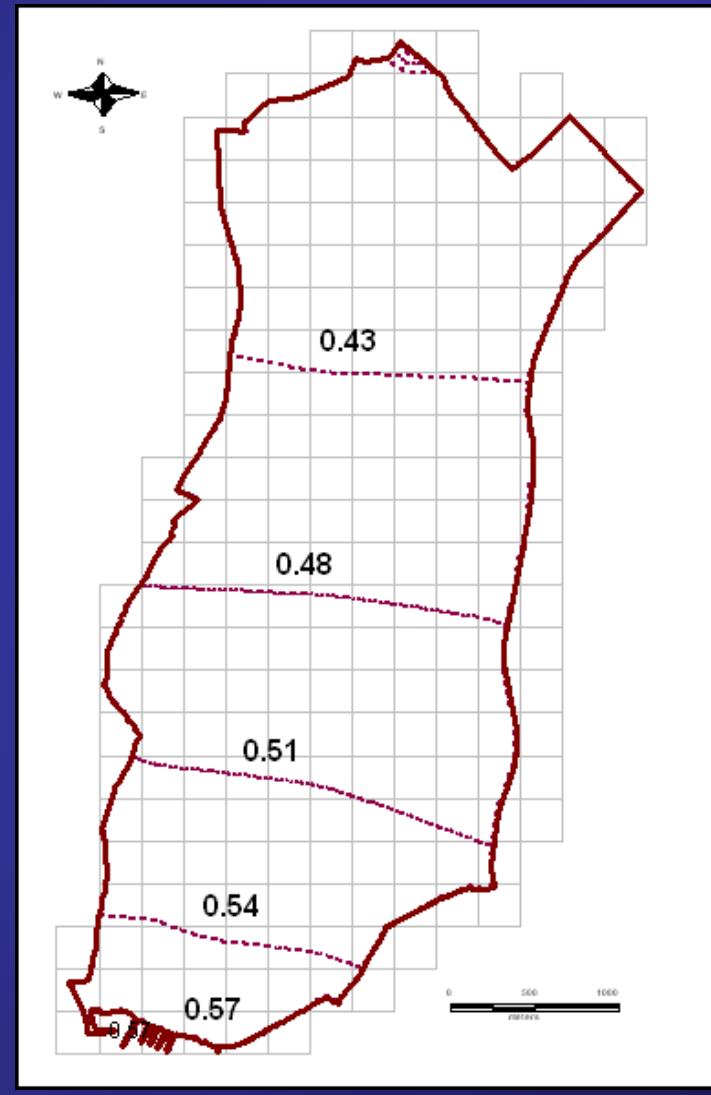
Zeytinburnu Grid System  
INGV Stations

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kilometers

## Spectral accelerations at 0.2 sec



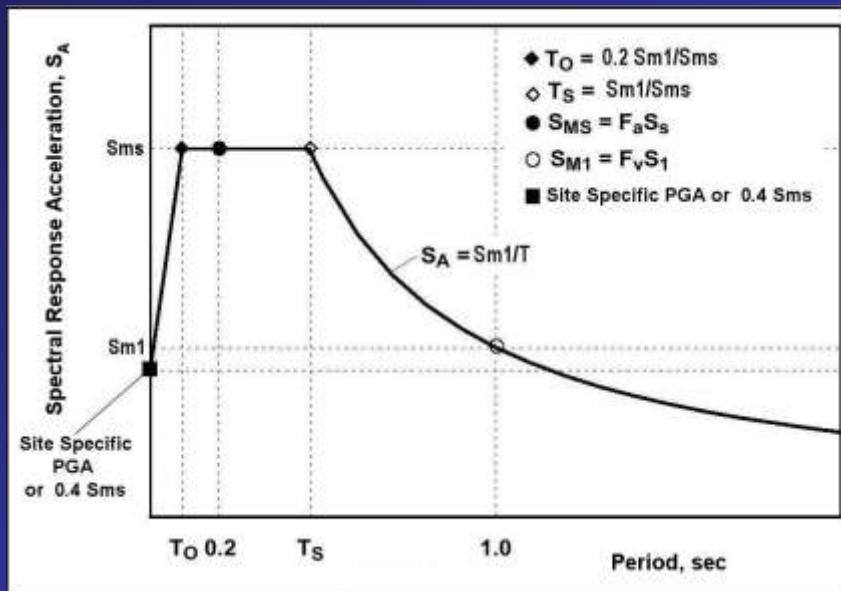
## Spectral accelerations at 1.0 sec



# Simulated Input Ground Motion

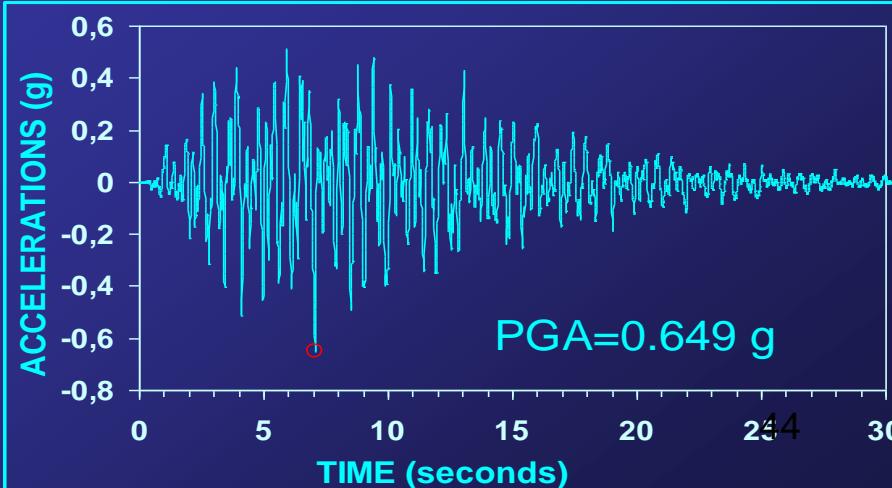
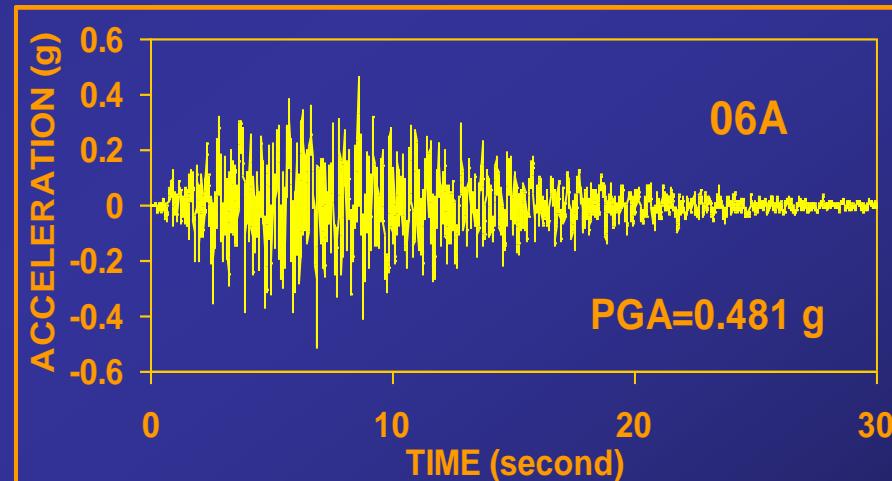
Acceleration Response Spectra Compatible: Tarscths, Rascal

## NEHRP UNIFORM HAZARD SPECTRUM

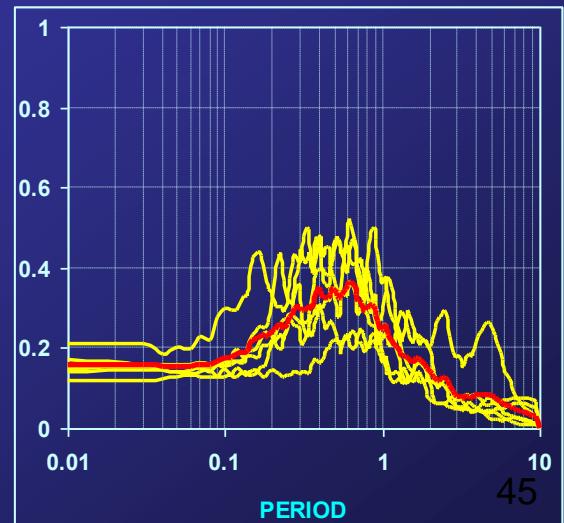
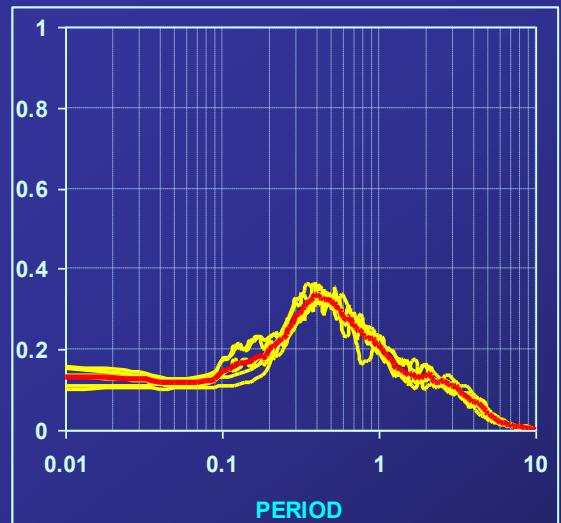
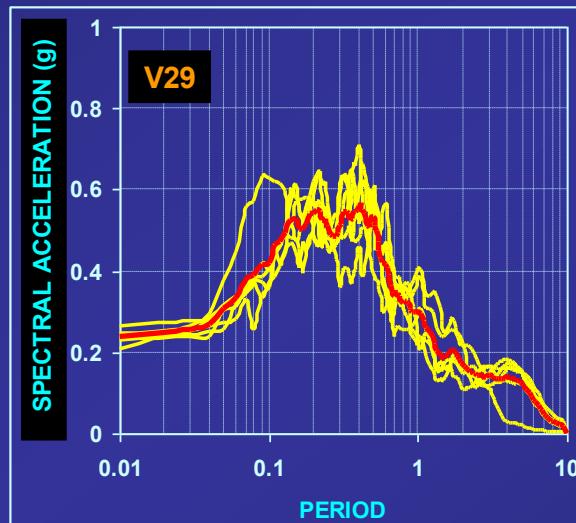
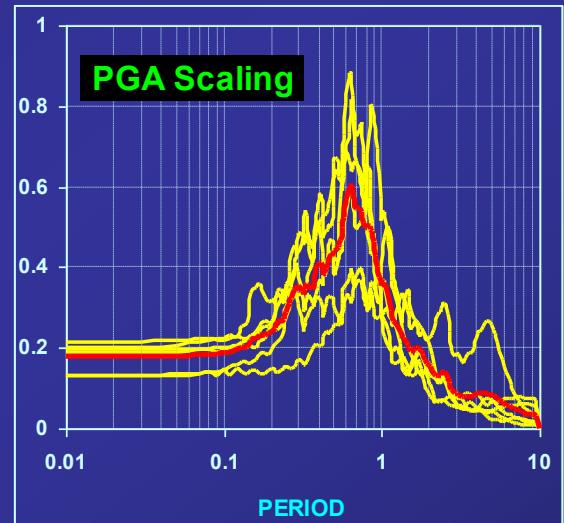
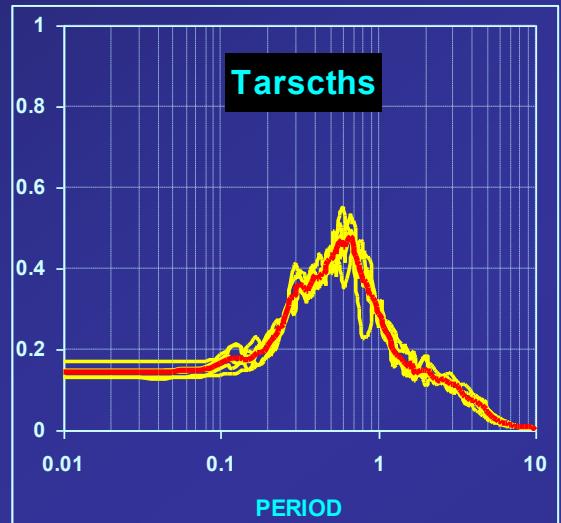
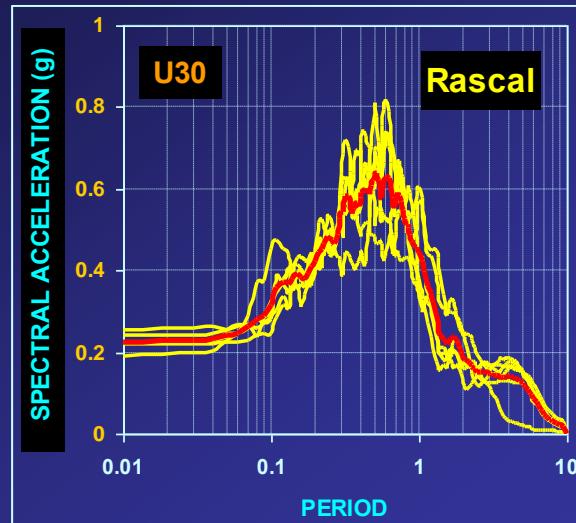


ACCELERATION TIME  
HISTORY ON THE GROUND  
SURFACE CALCULATED  
BY ONE DIMENSIONAL  
SITE RESPONSE  
ANALYSIS

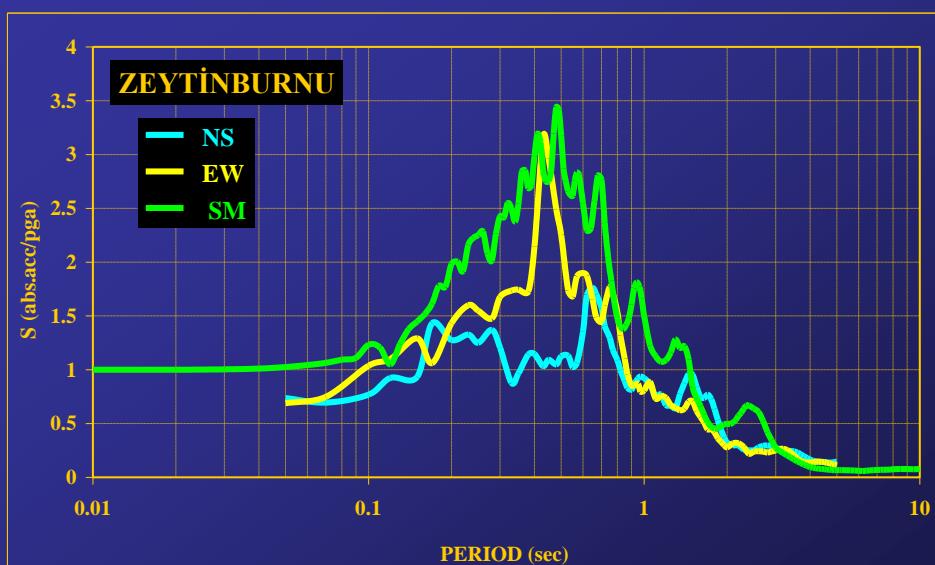
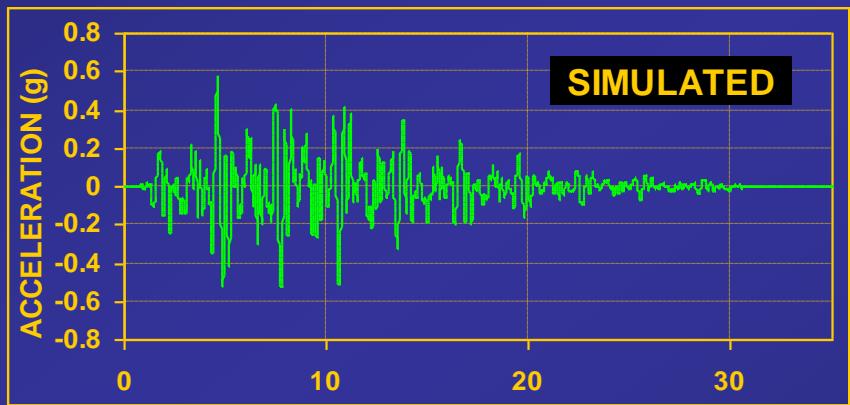
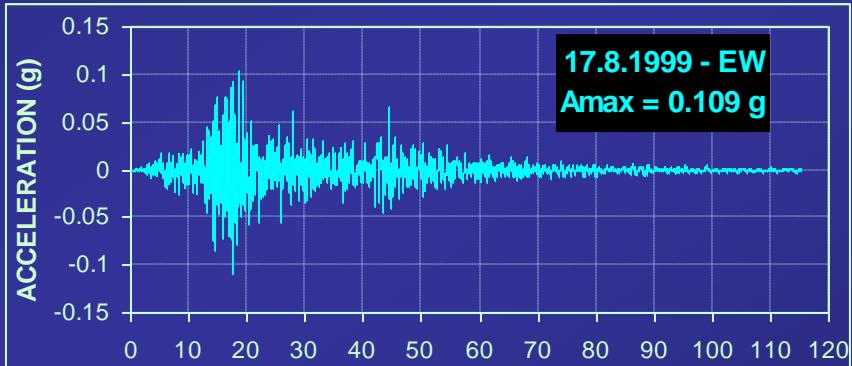
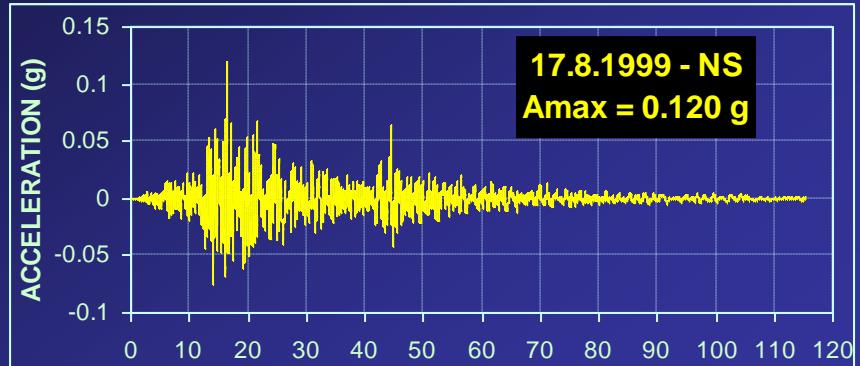
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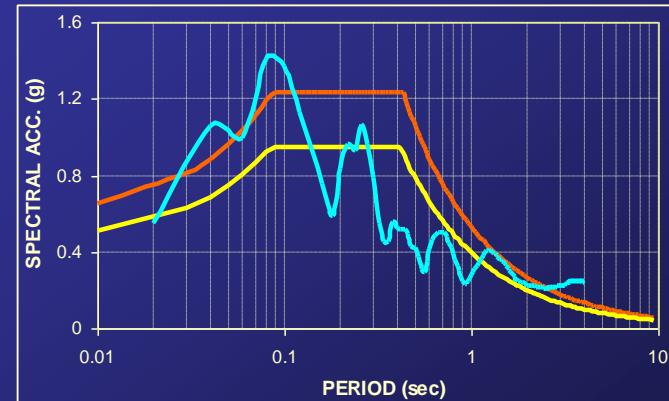
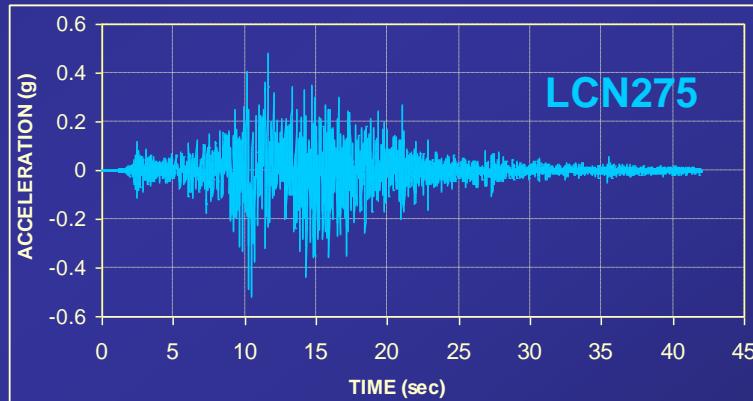
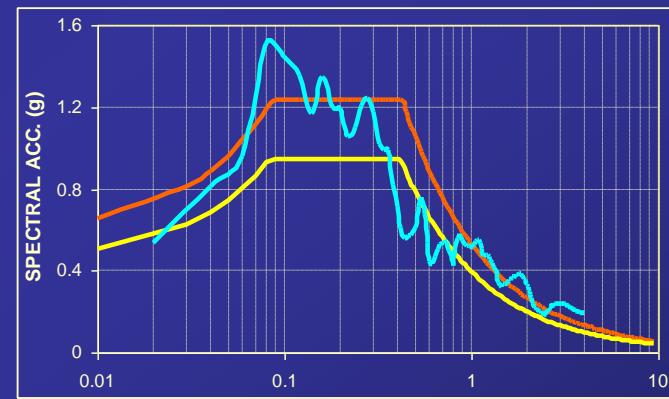
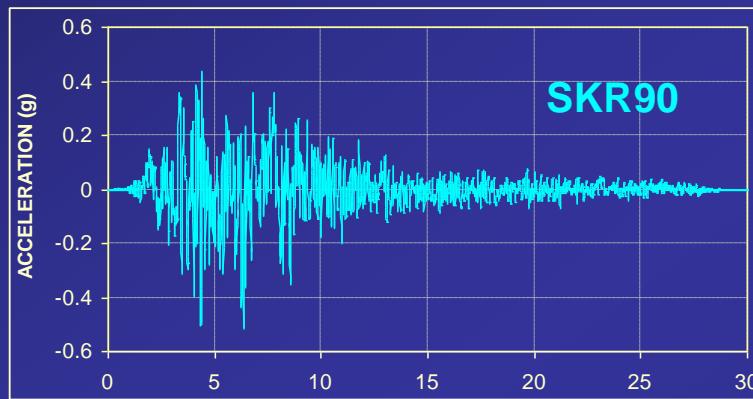
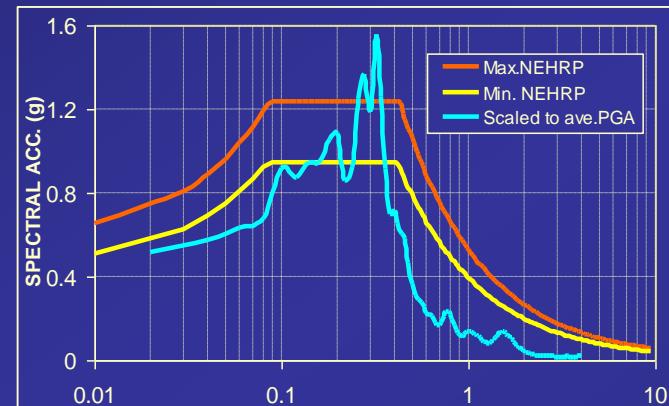
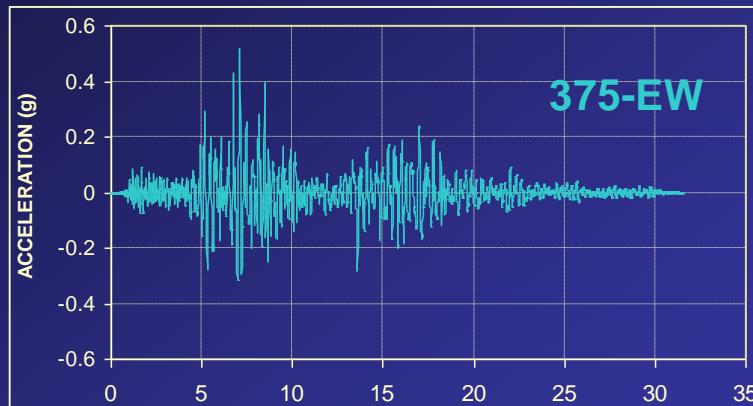
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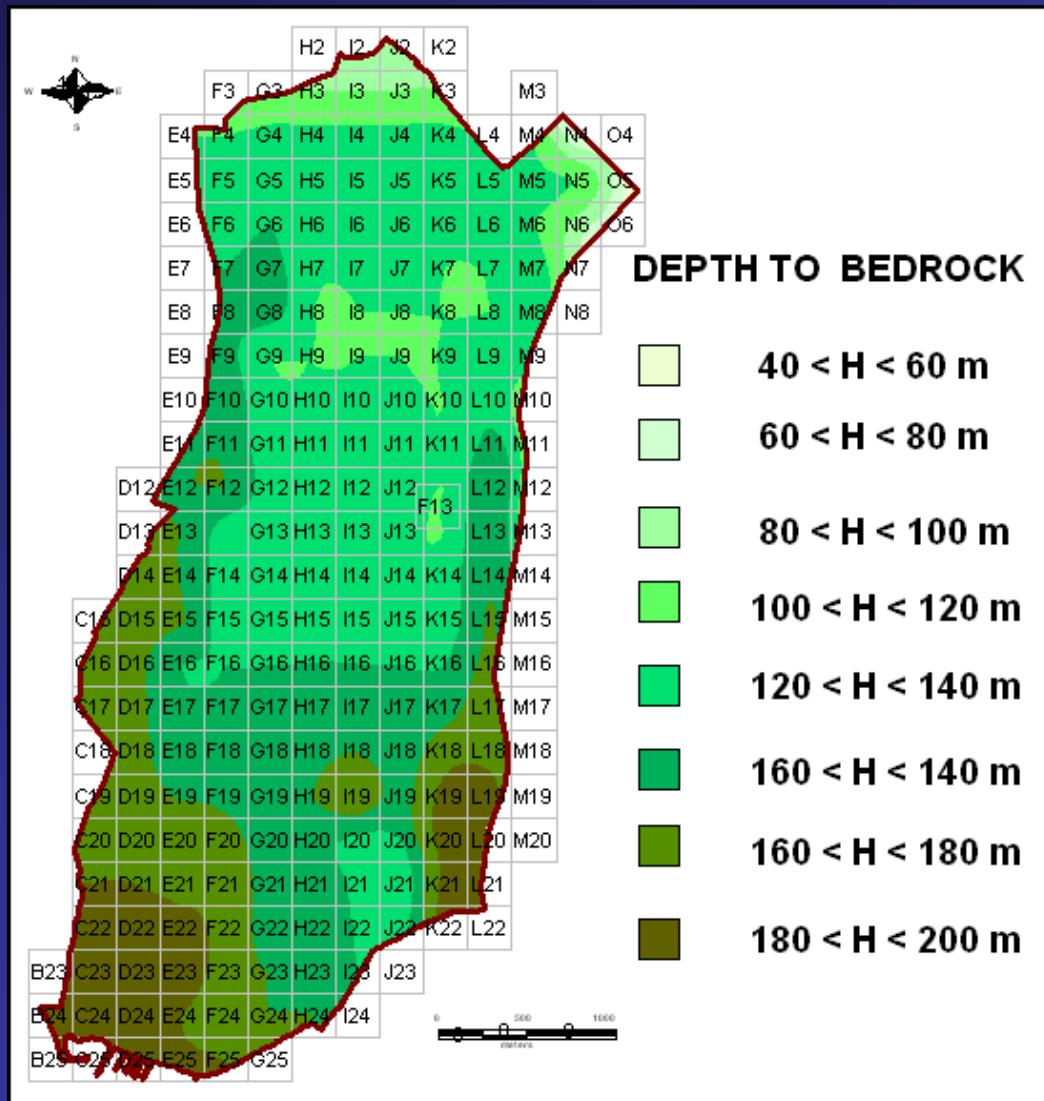
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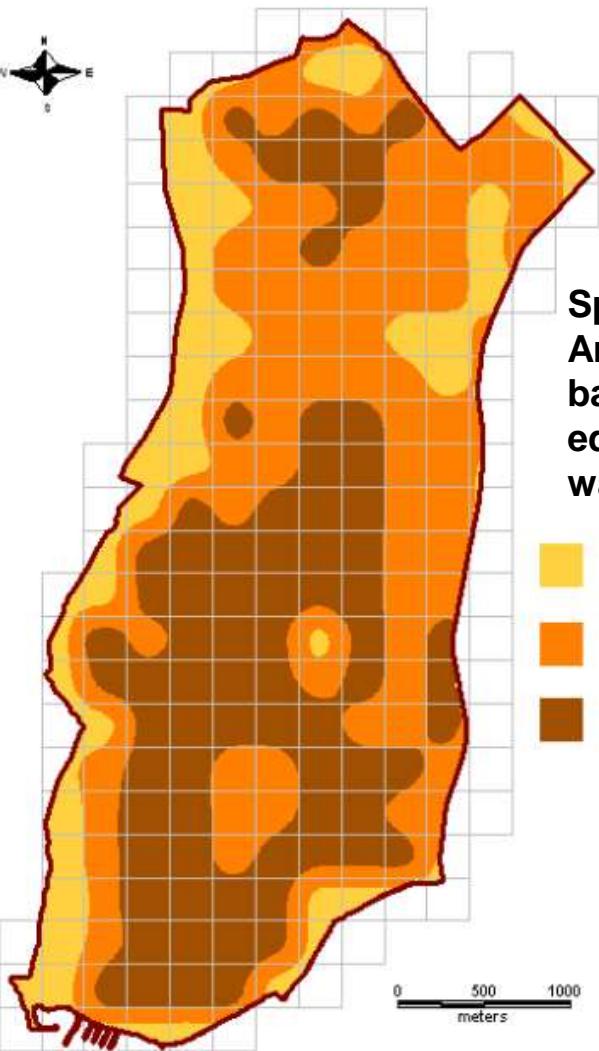


# INPUT MOTION: EARTHQUAKE HAZARD COMPATIBLE



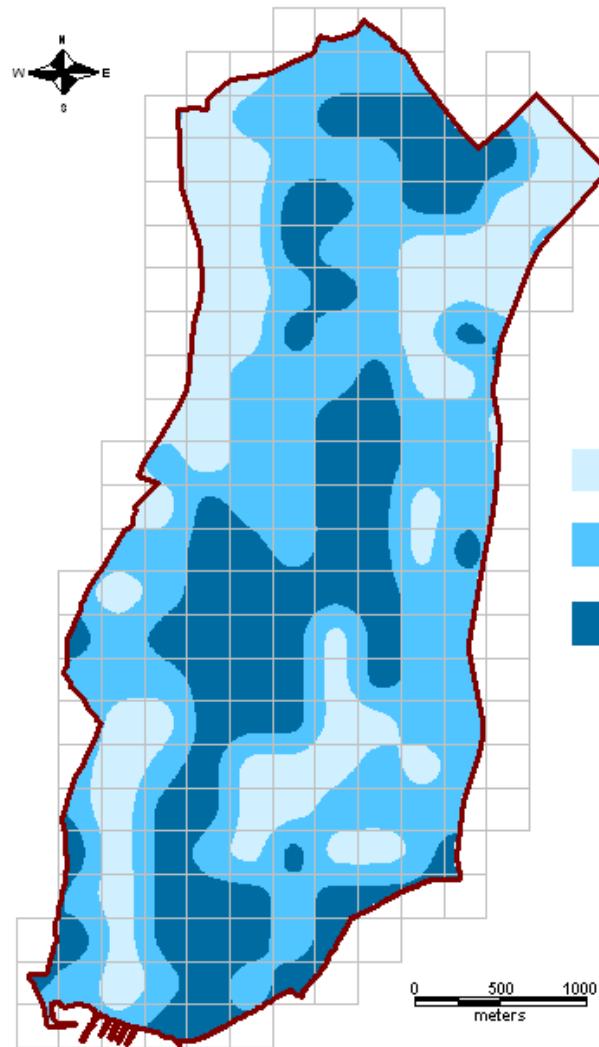
# SITE CHARACTERISATION





**Spectral  
Amplification  
based on  
equivalent shear  
wave velocity**

- Av ( $3.64 < S < 2.31$ )
- Bv ( $2.31 < S < 2.13$ )
- Cv ( $2.13 < S < 1.77$ )



**Average spectral  
acceleration  
between 0.1-1.0 sec**

- As ( $1.66 < S_{avg} < 0.89$  g)
- Bs ( $0.89 < S_{avg} < 0.78$  g)
- Cs ( $0.78 < S_{avg} < 0.56$  g)

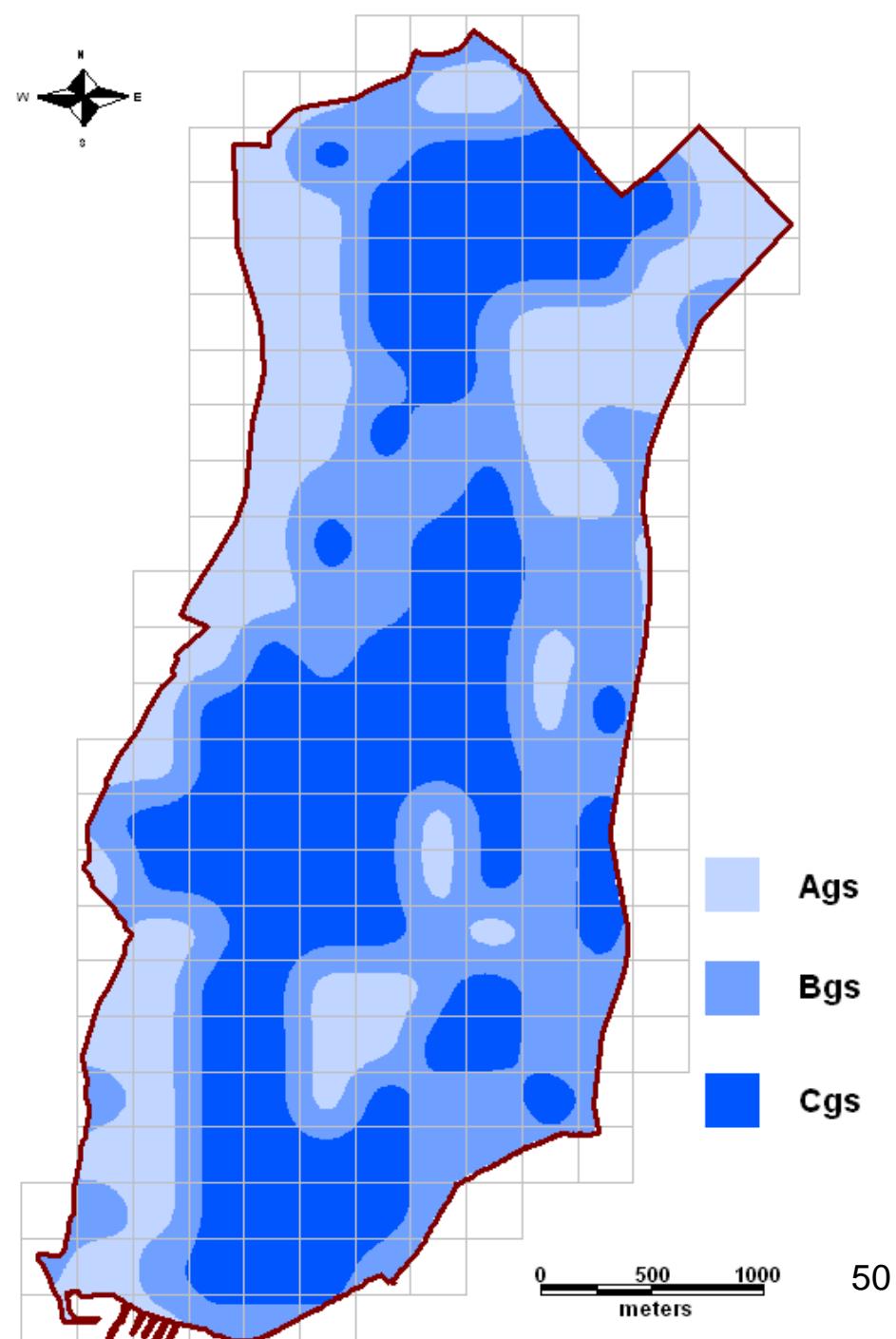
**Combination of these two maps gives microzonation map with respect ground shaking.**

# MICROZONATION WITH RESPECT TO GROUND SHAKING

$$A_{GS} = A_v \& A_s + A_v \& B_s + B_v \& A_s$$

$$B_{GS} = B_v \& B_s + C_v \& A_s + A_v \& C_s$$

$$C_{GS} = C_v \& C_s + C_v \& B_s + B_v \& C_s$$



# URBAN AND LAND USE PLANNING

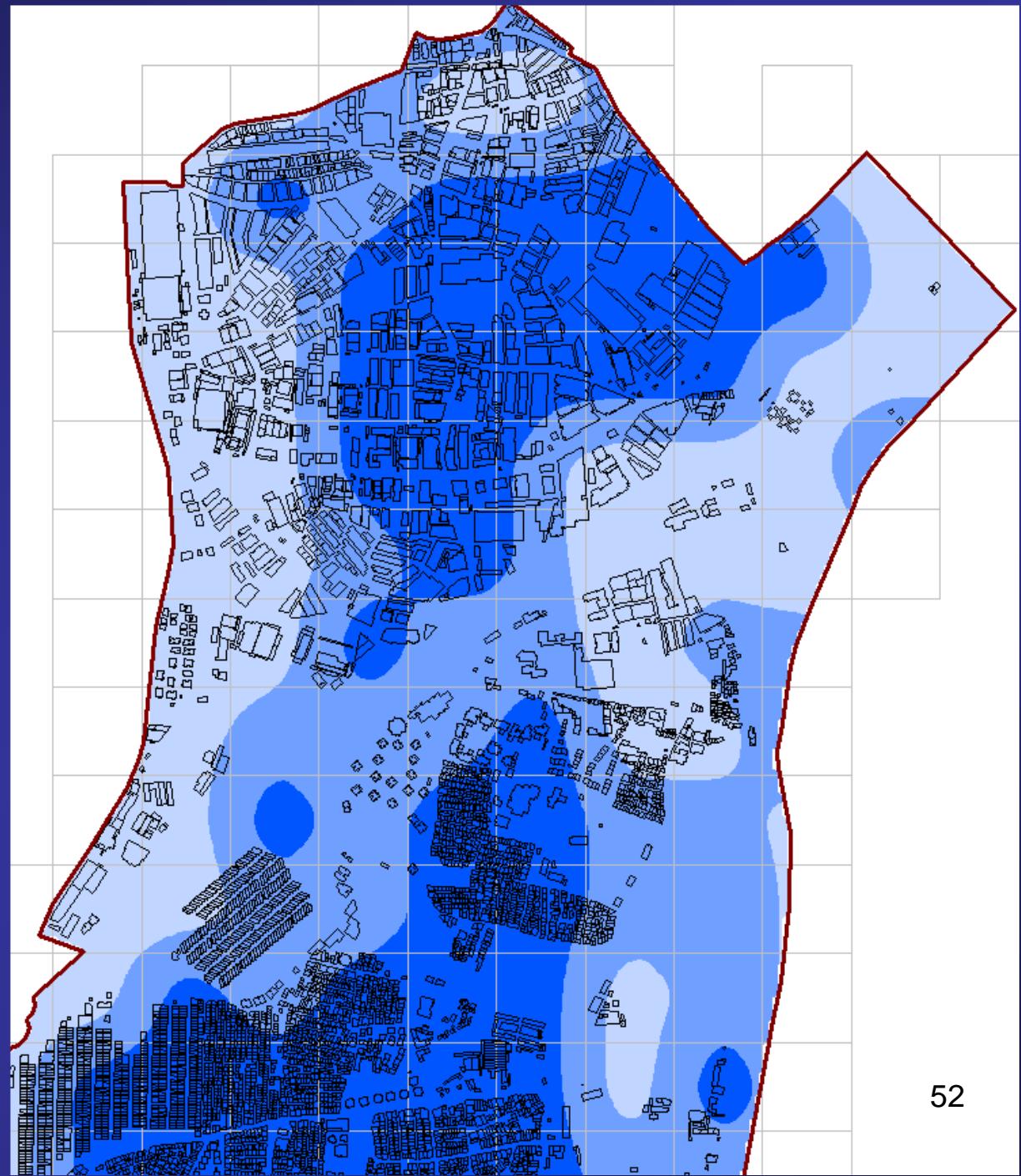
1. To specify building and population densities and
2. To evaluate functional layouts
3. For selection of locations for important buildings and lifelines

## 1. URBAN PLANNING

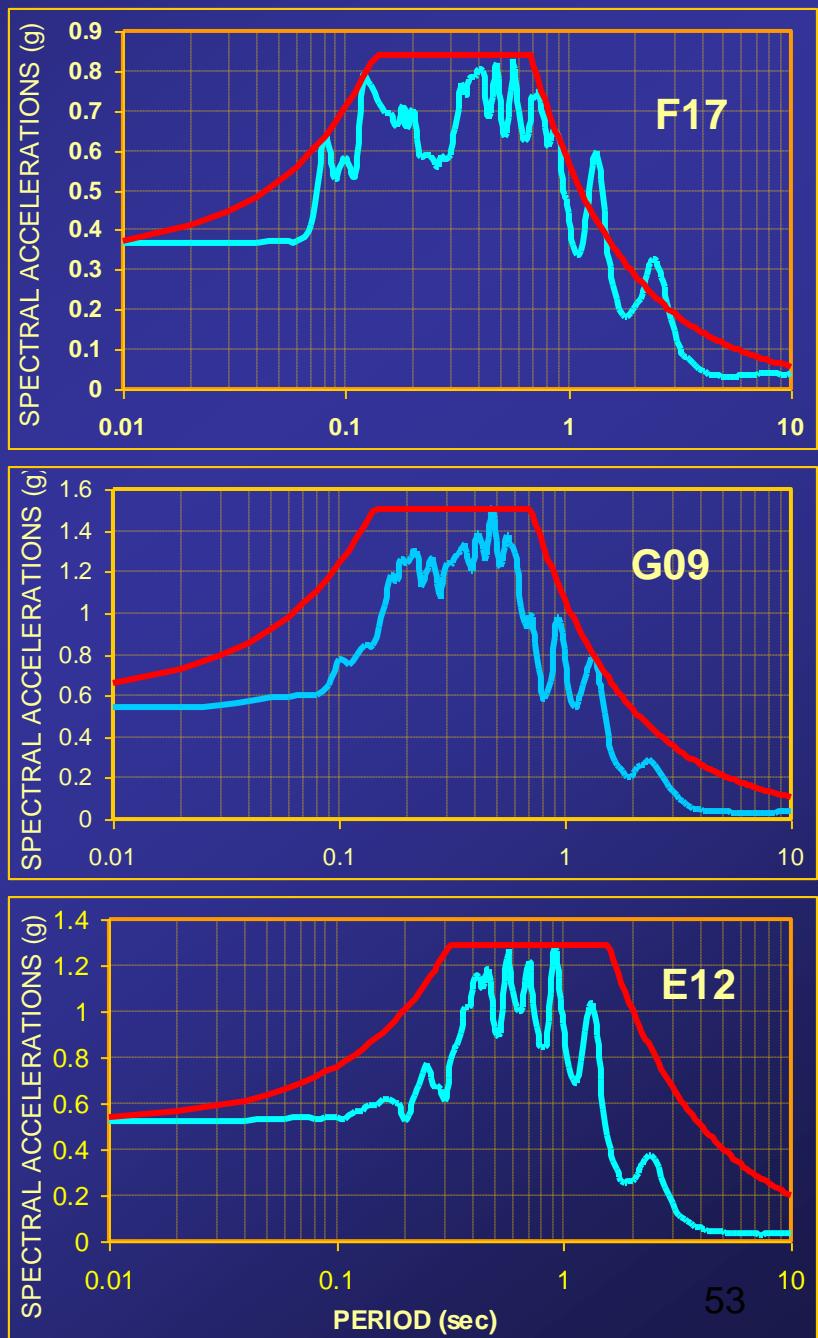
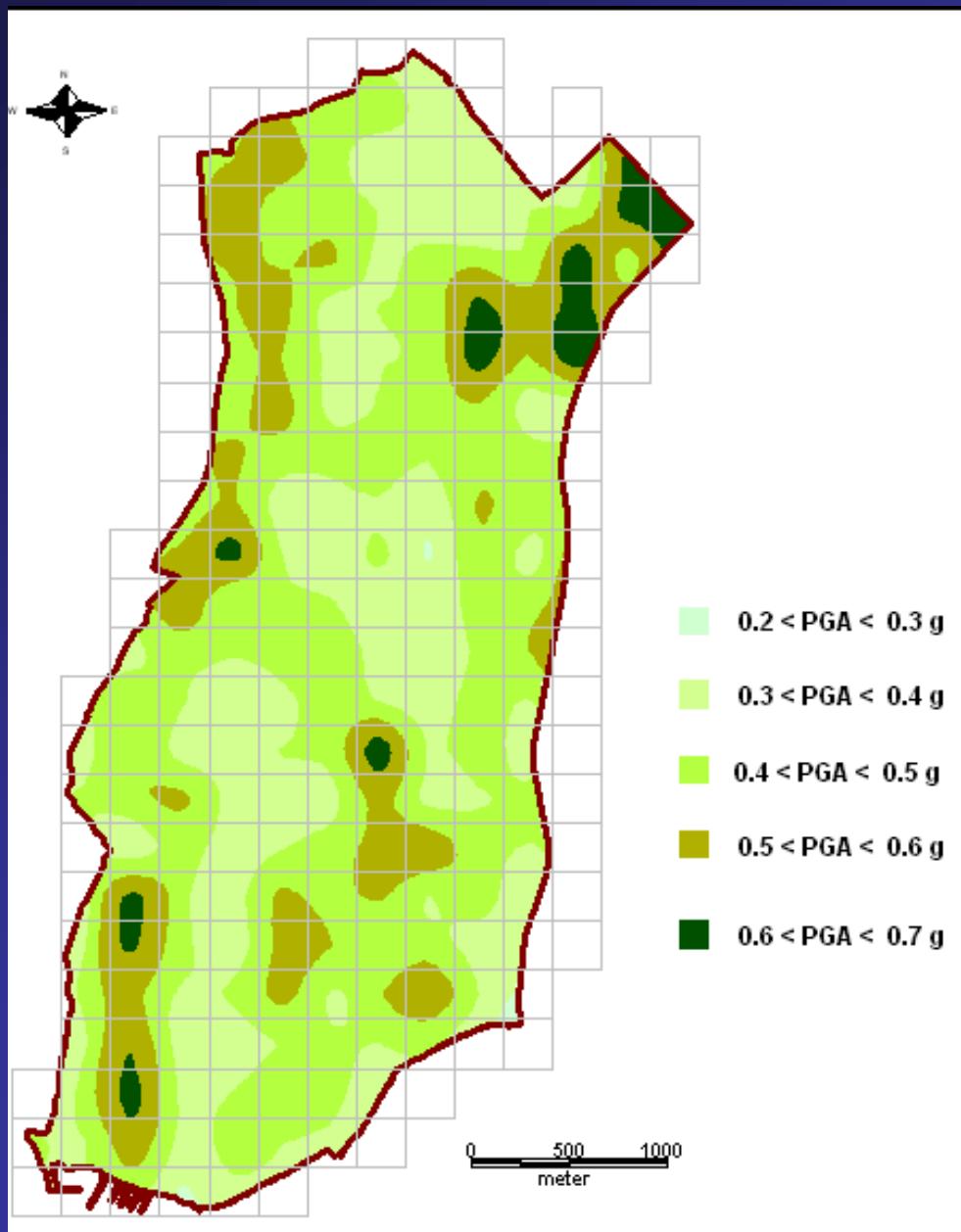
*Building and population density*

## 1. EARTHQUAKE SCENARIO

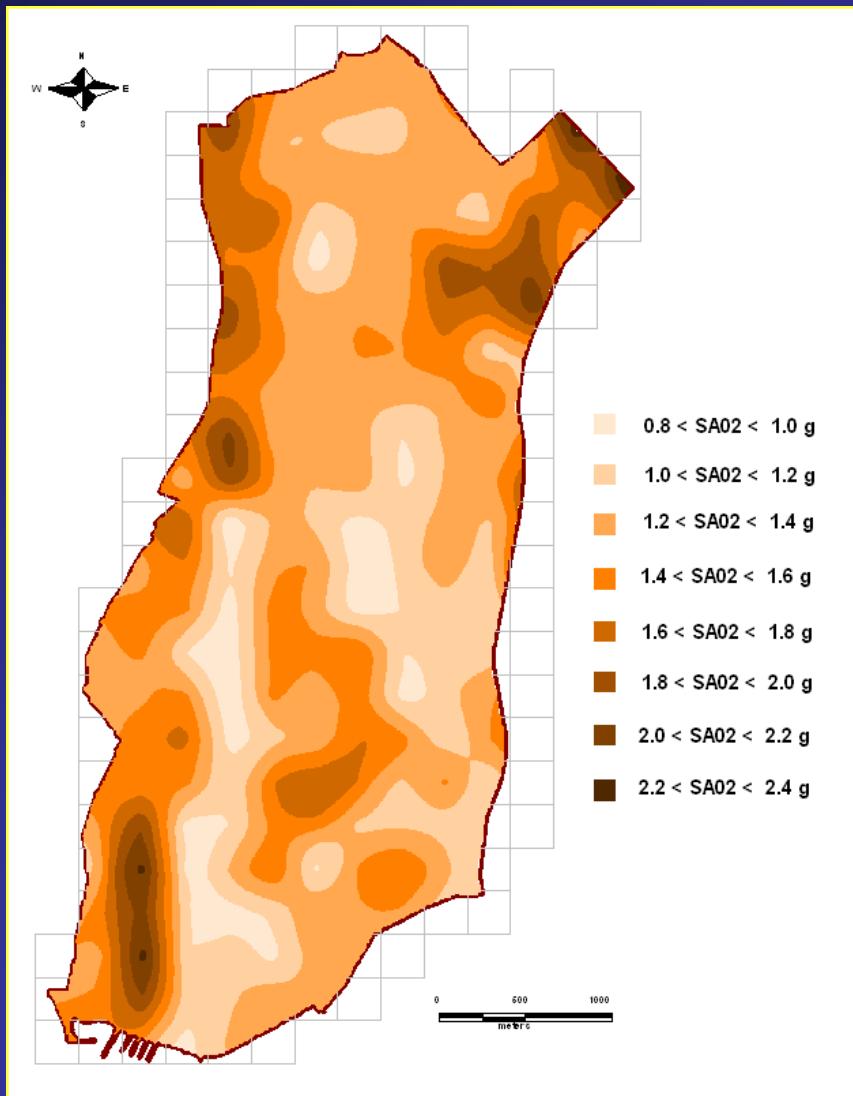
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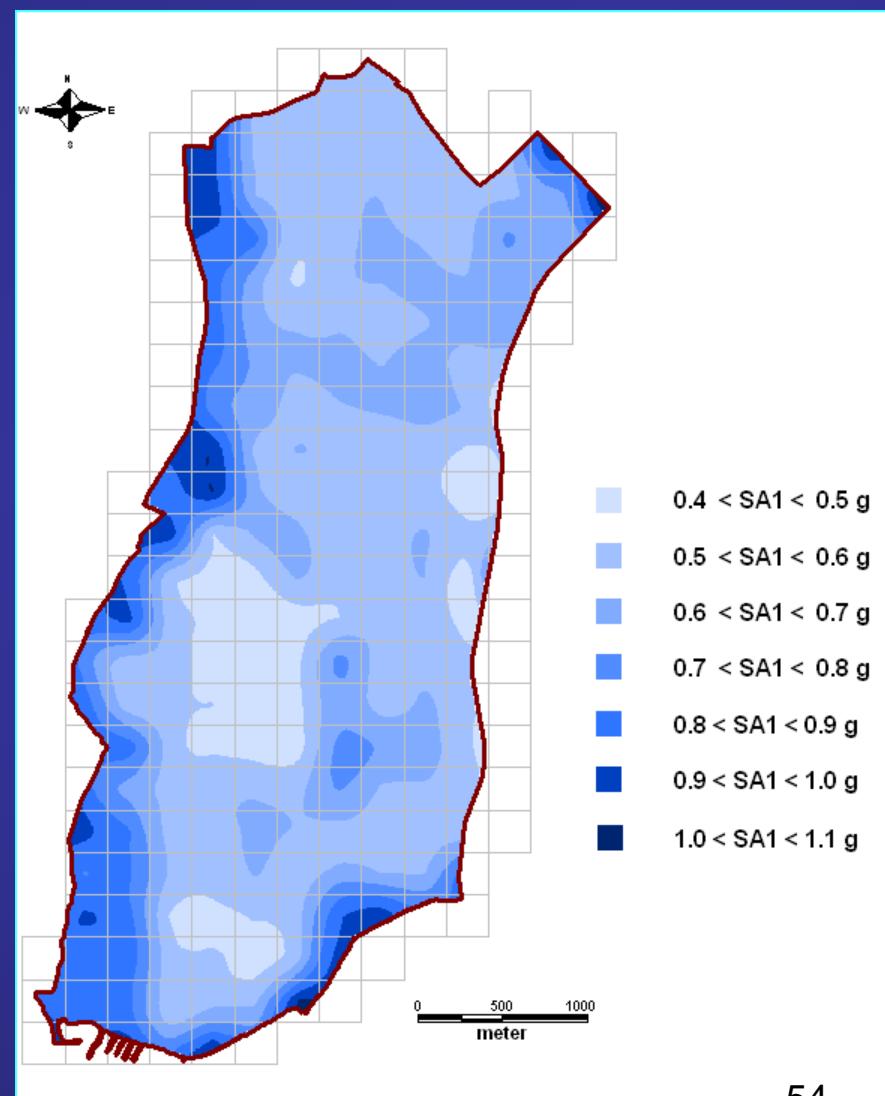
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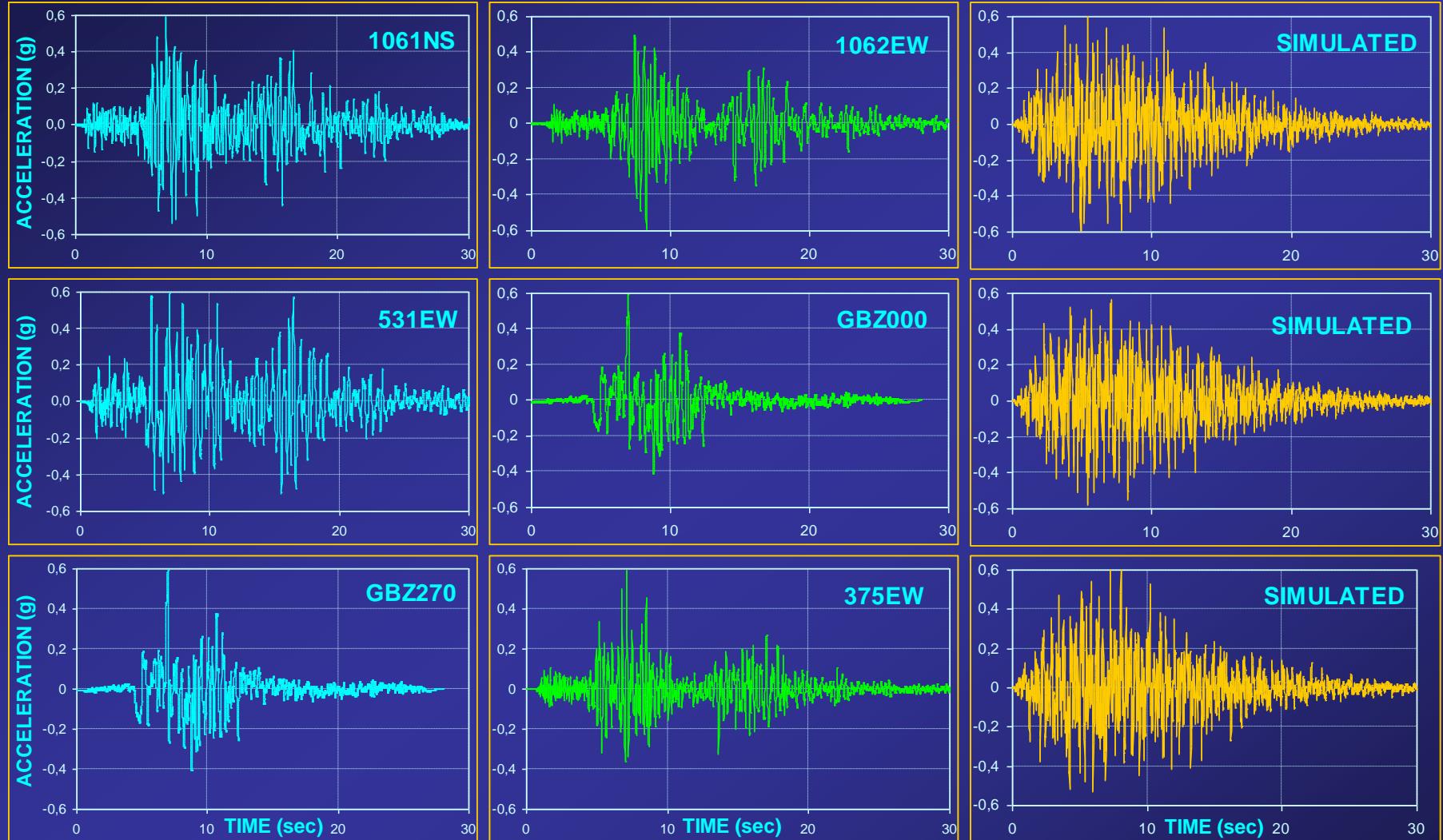


## Variation of spectral accelerations at 0.2s determined by best envelop



## Variation of spectral accelerations at 1.0s determined by best envelop

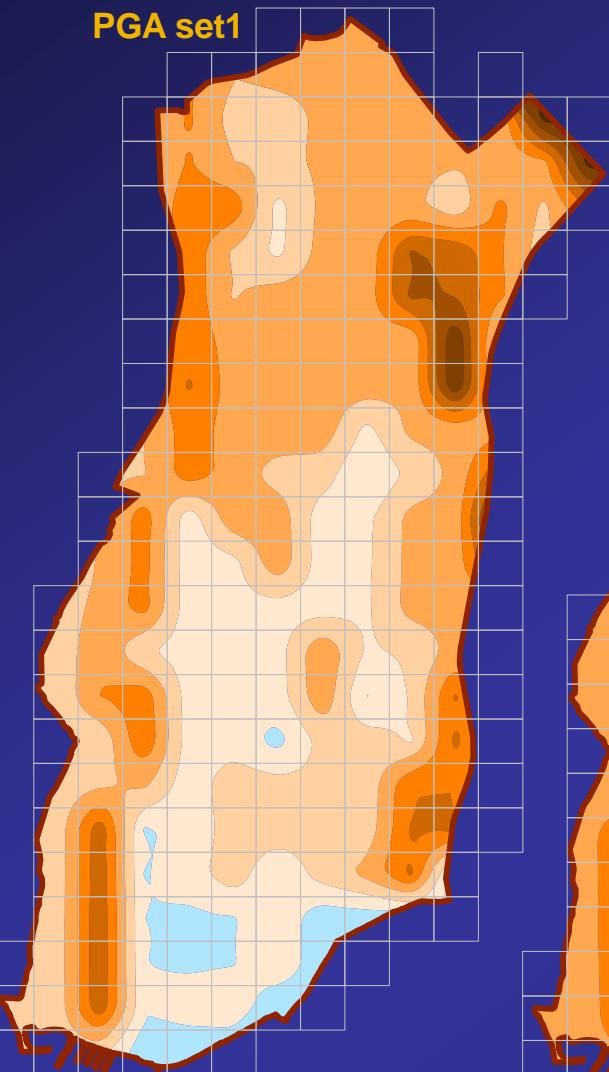




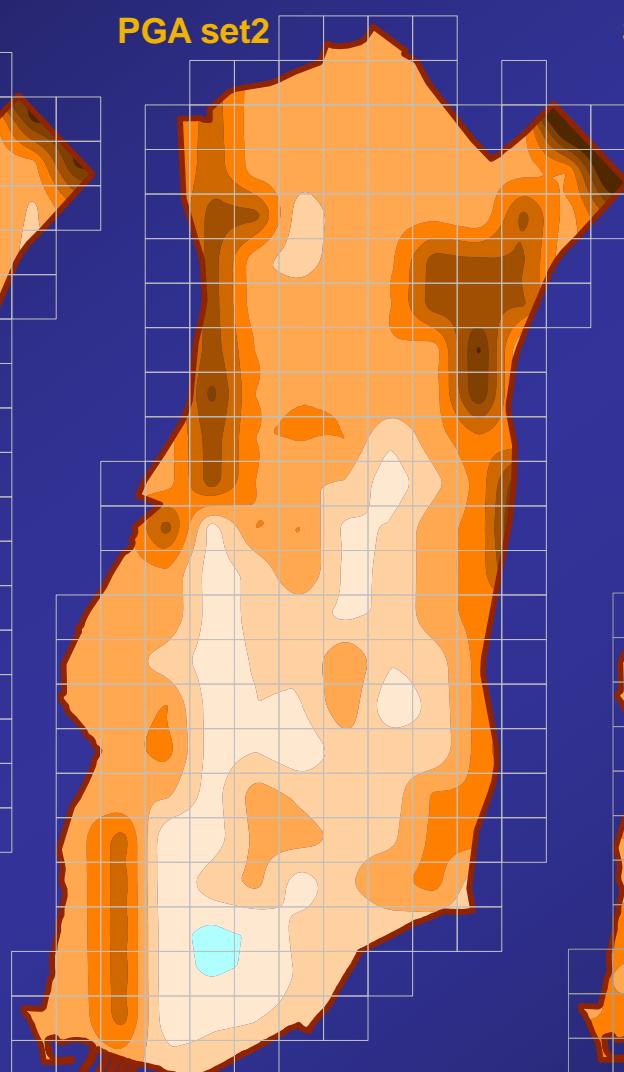
**Two sets of scaled real and one set of simulated acceleration records  
used for site response analyses for one cell**

# Microzonation maps for average short period spectral accelerations

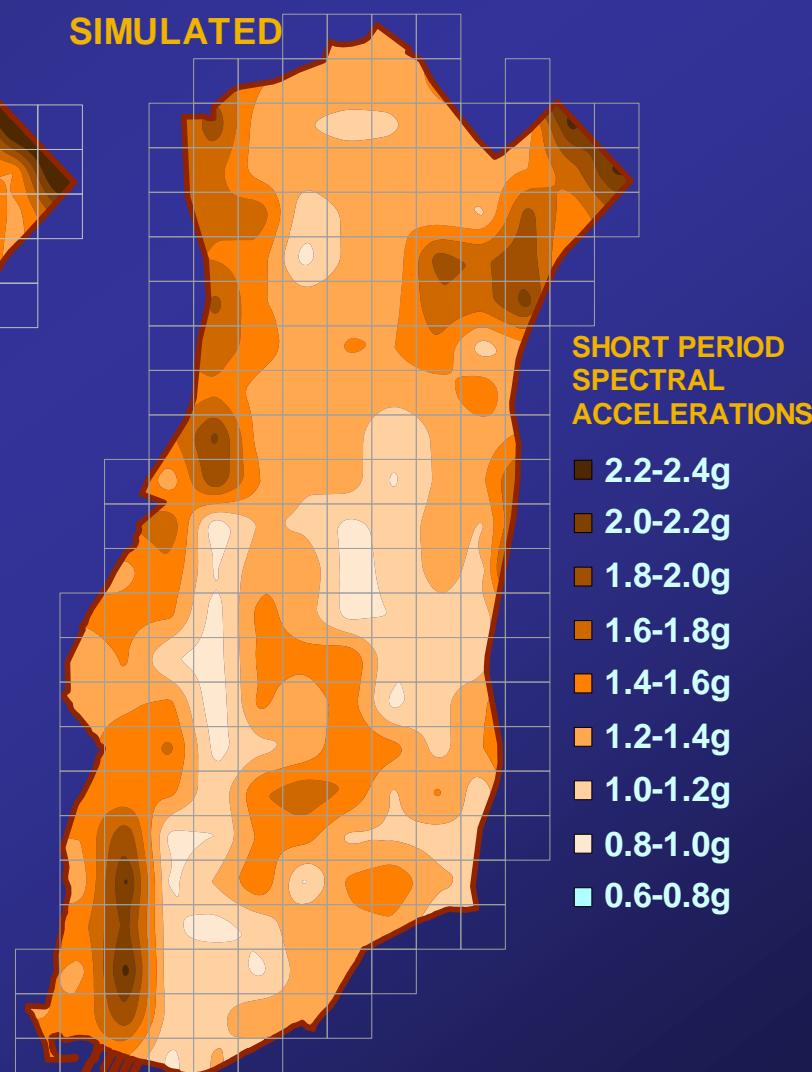
PGA set1



PGA set2



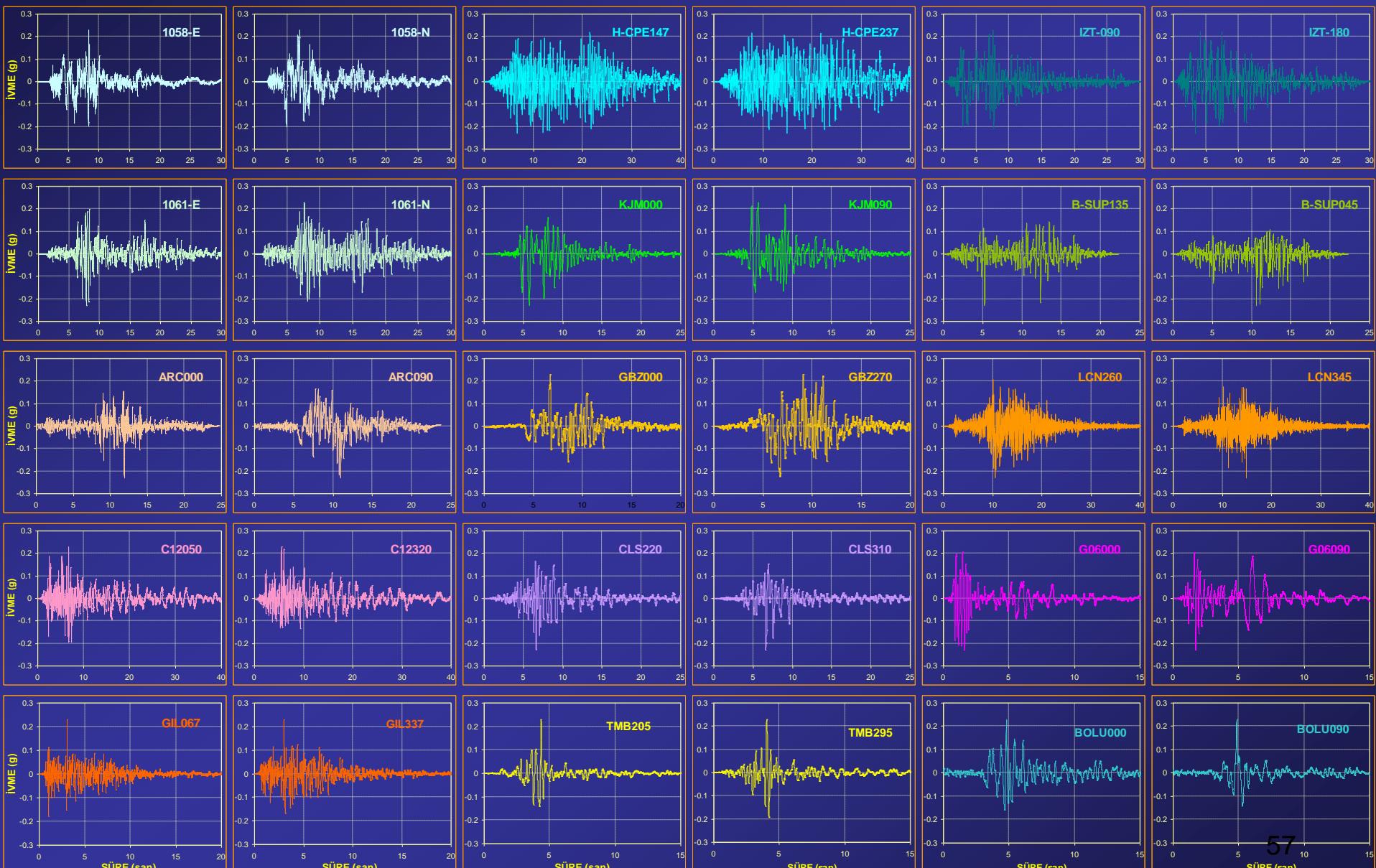
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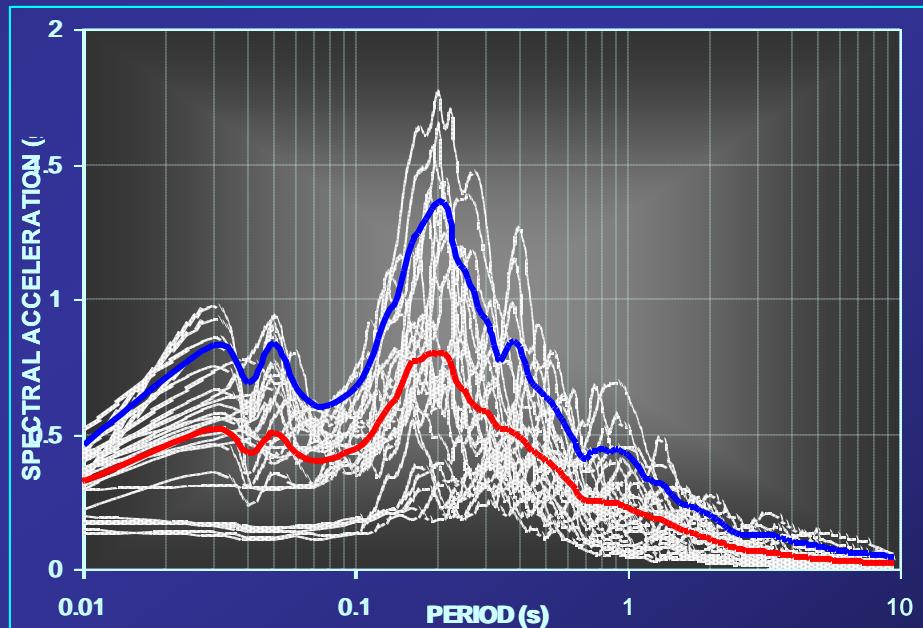
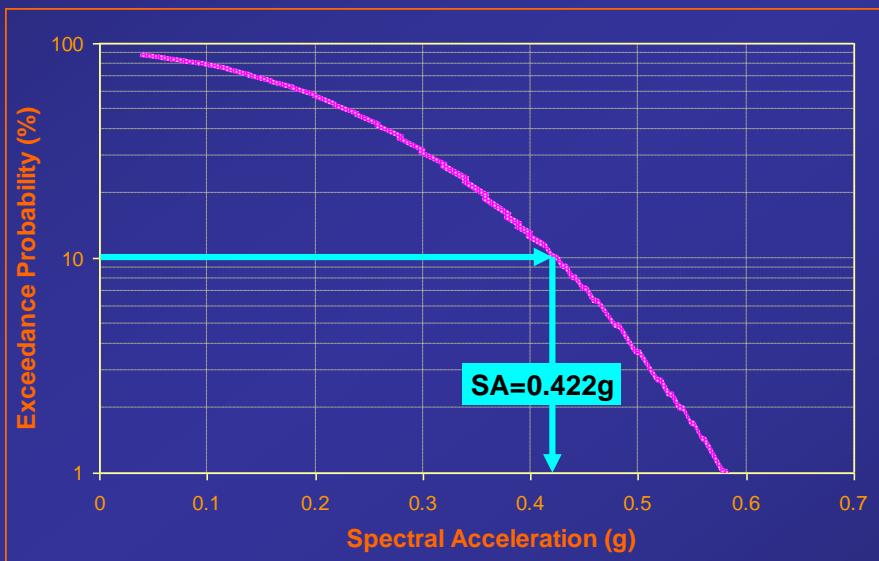
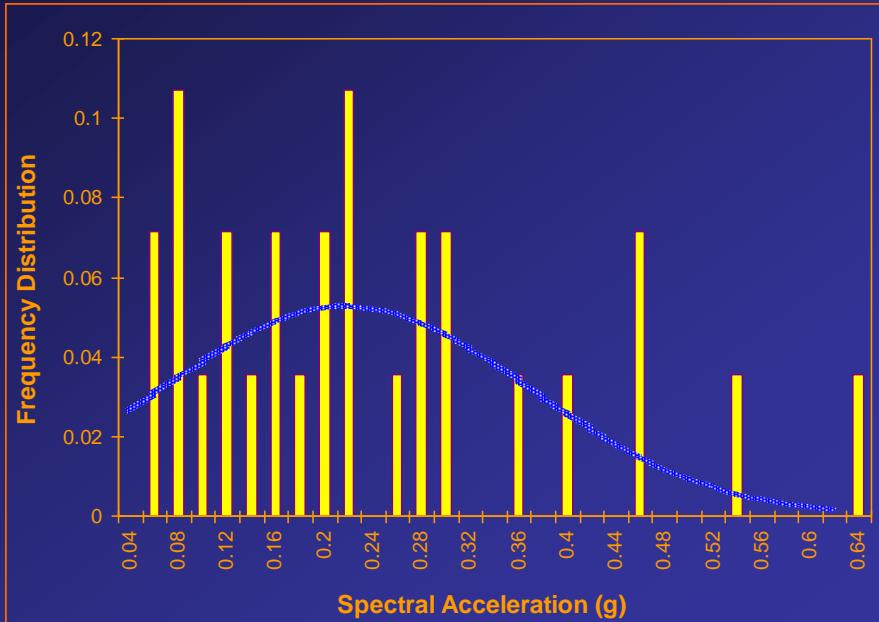
SHORT PERIOD  
SPECTRAL  
ACCELERATIONS

- 2.2-2.4g
- 2.0-2.2g
- 1.8-2.0g
- 1.6-1.8g
- 1.4-1.6g
- 1.2-1.4g
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- 0.8-1.0g
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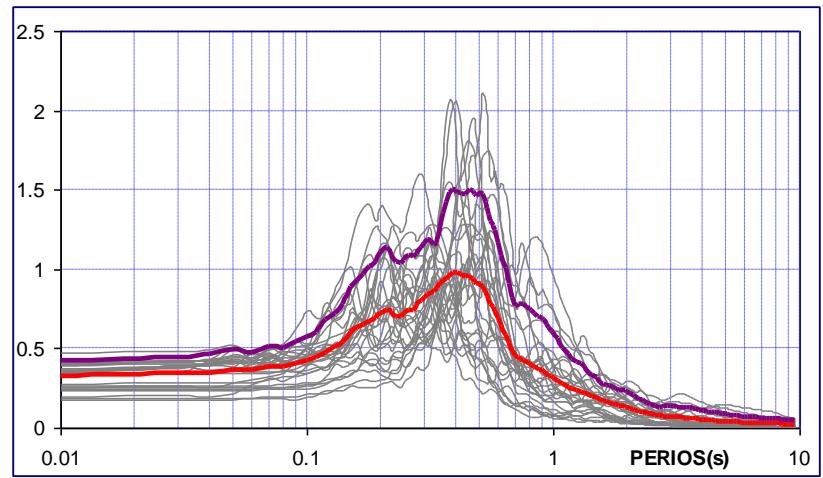
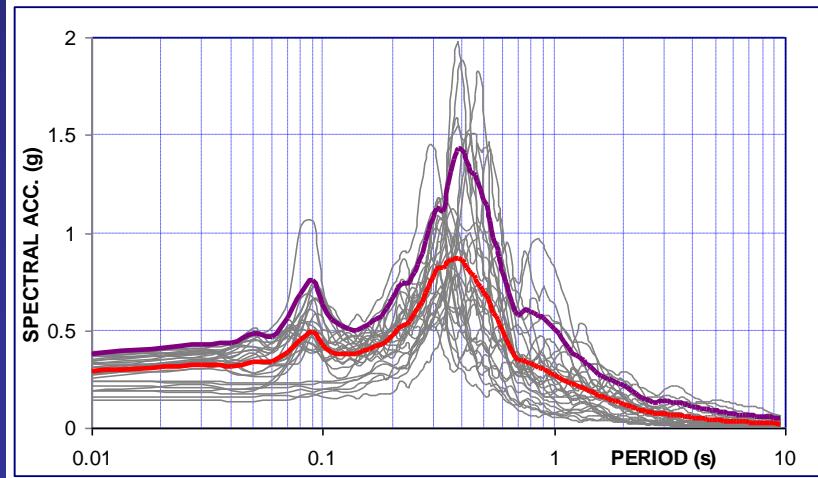
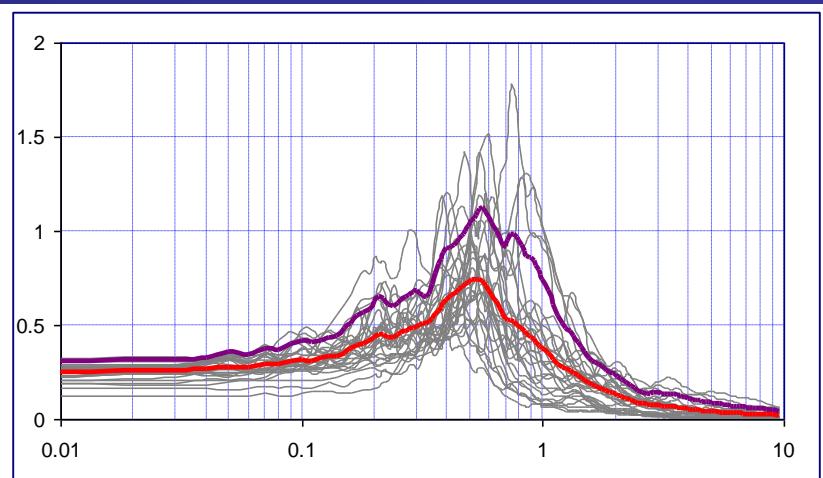
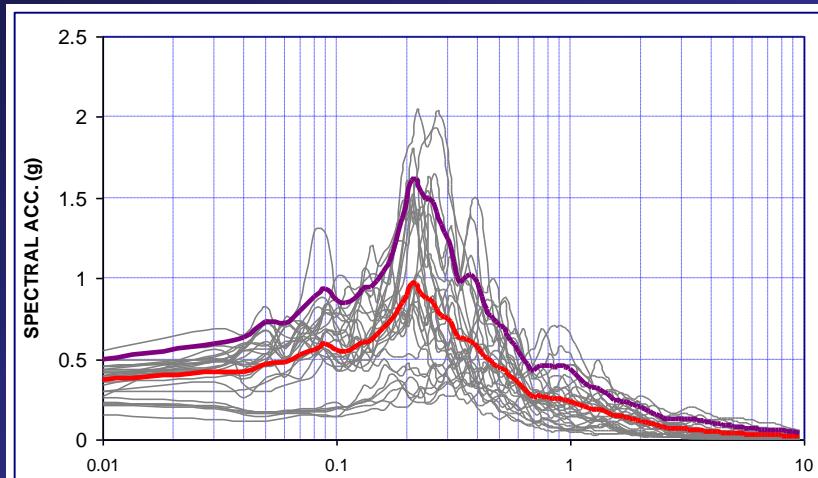
# PGA scaled acceleration records



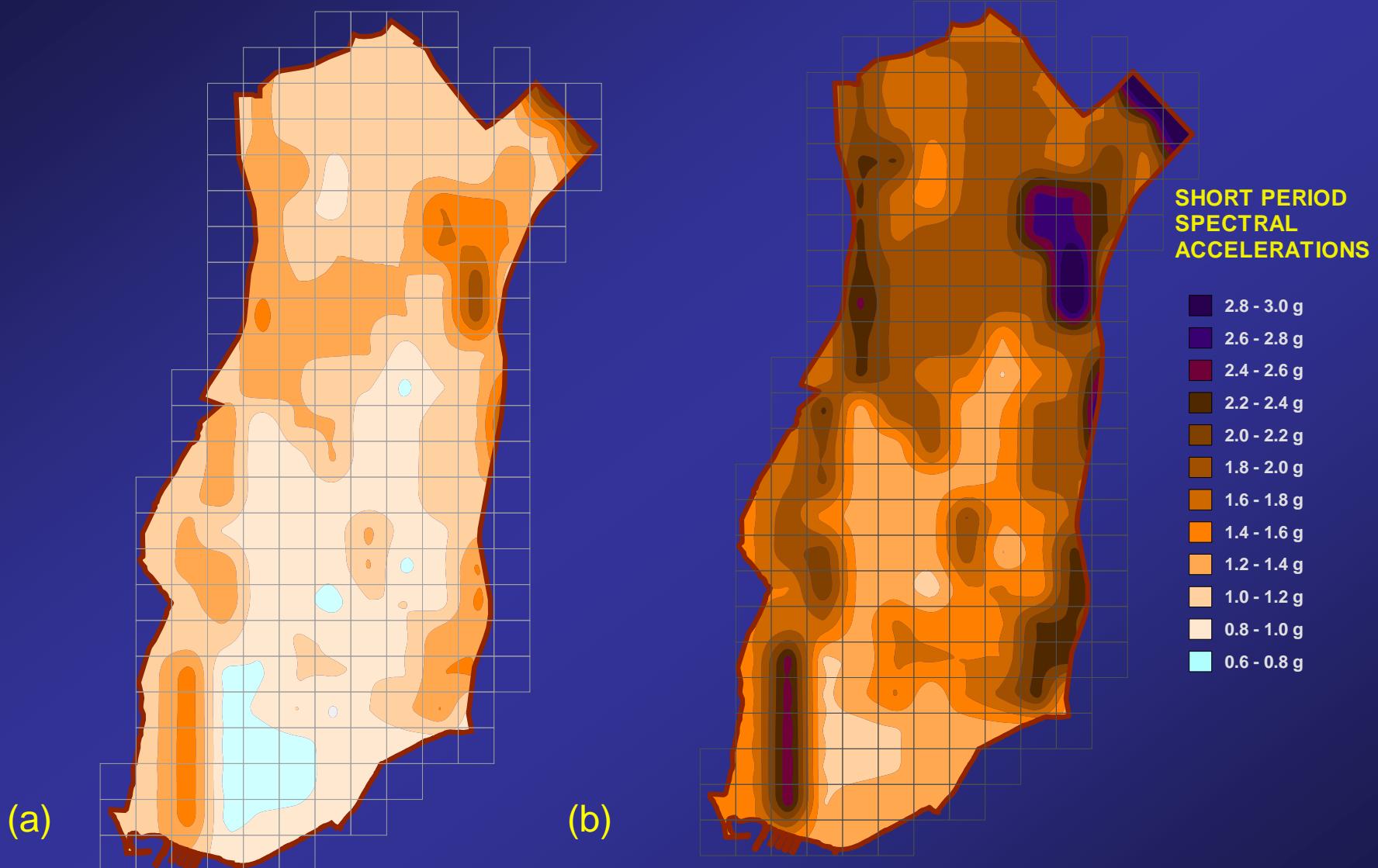
# Probabilistic interpretation of multiple site response analyses



# CALCULATED SPECTRAL ACCELERATIONS



# Spectral acceleration zonation\*



Spectral acceleration at short period calculated as (a) the average of all site response analyses and (b) corresponding to 10% exceedance level

# FOR ESTIMATING SPECTRAL ACCELERATIONS ON THE GROUND SURFACE



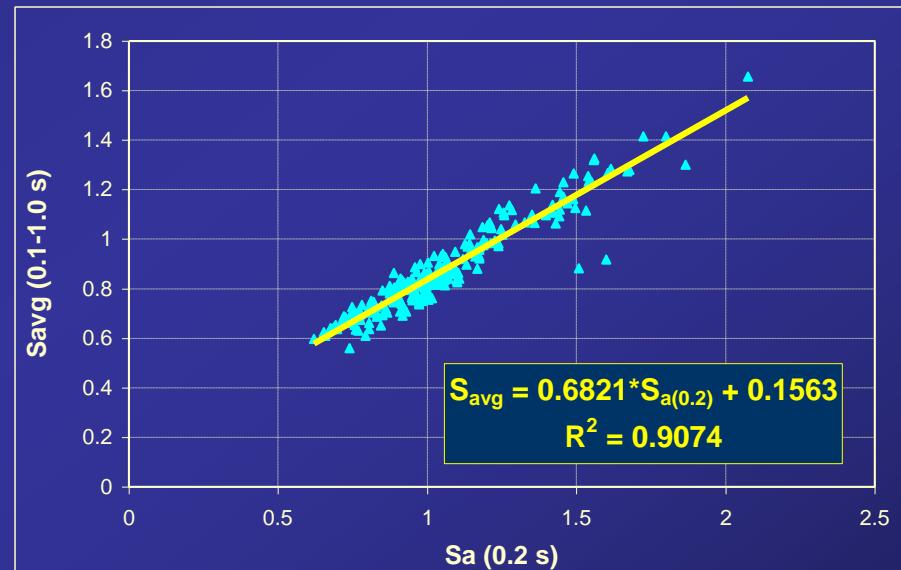
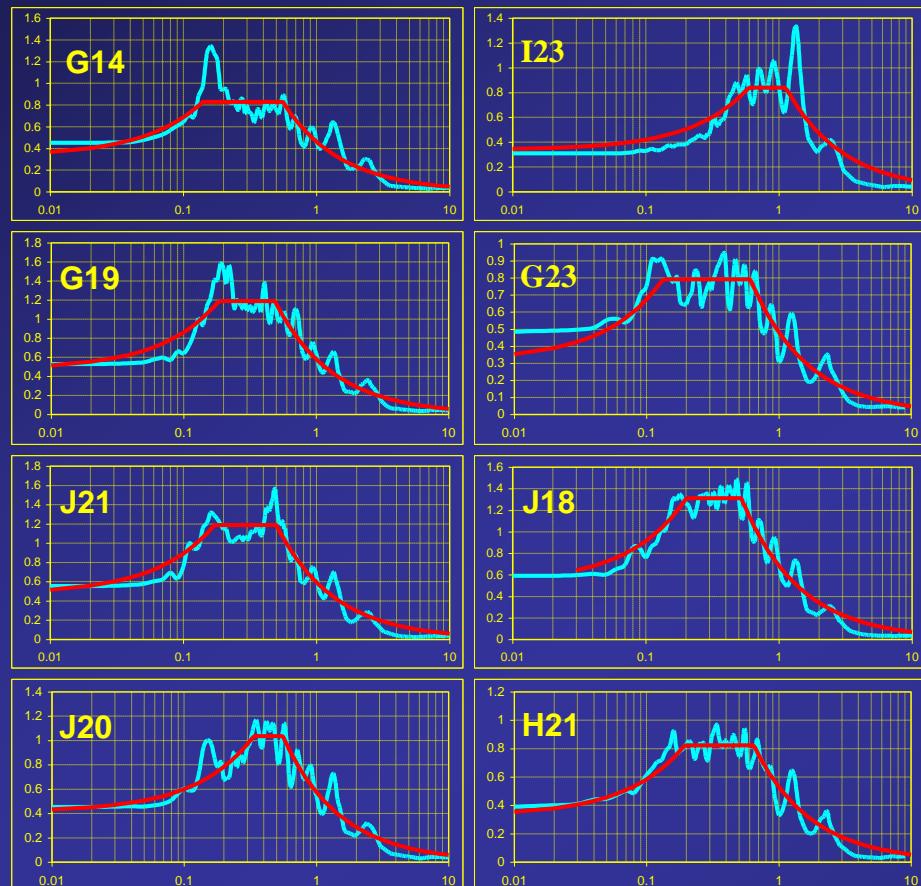
FIRST OPTION IS TO USE SIMPLIFIED ASSESSMENT BASED AVERAGE SHEAR WAVE VELOCITY

SECOND OPTION IS TO USE SPECTRAL ACCELERATIONS CALCULATED BY SITE RESPONSE ANALYSIS

- NEHRP
  - BORCHERDT (1994)
- $$S_{MS} = F_a S_S \quad S_{M1} = F_v S_1$$

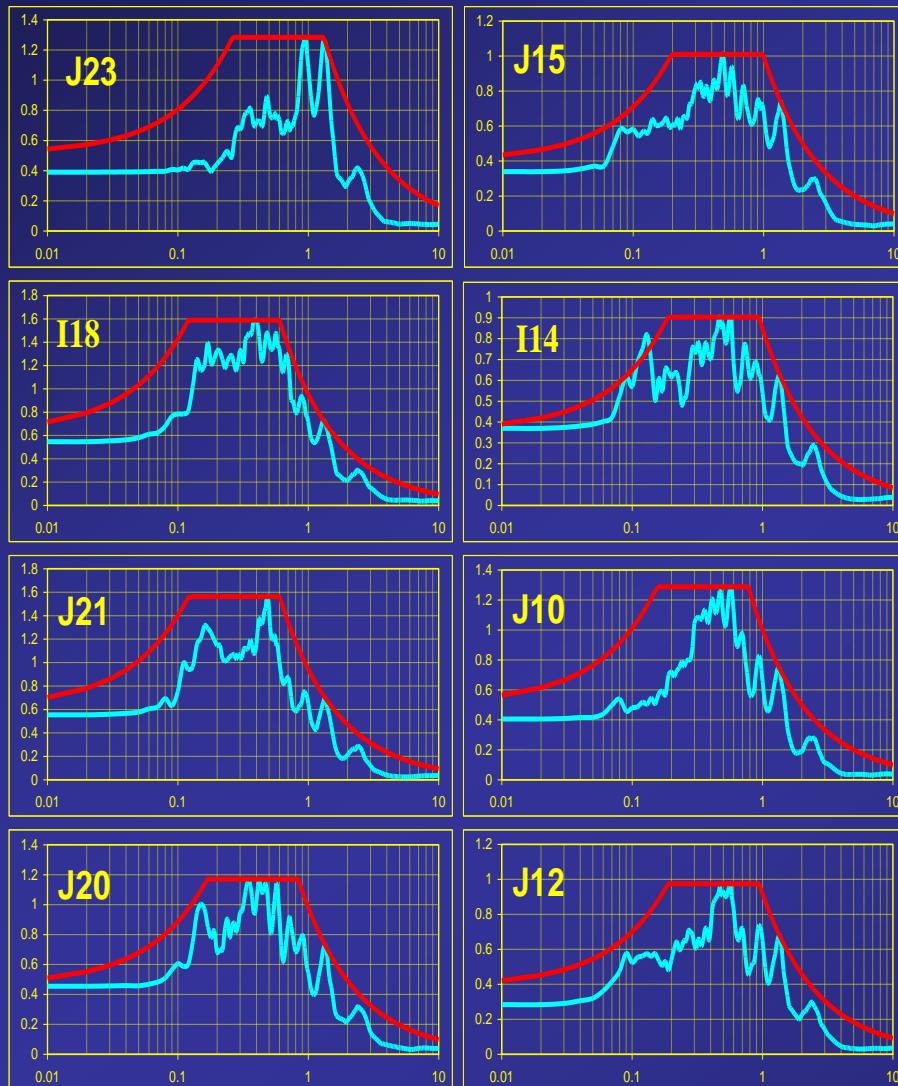
FITTING A NEHRP SPECTRA BY AN OPTIMISATION SCHEME

# BEST FIT USING AN OPTIMIZATION SCHEME ALLOWING $T_0$ TO BE INDEPENDENT OF $T_s$

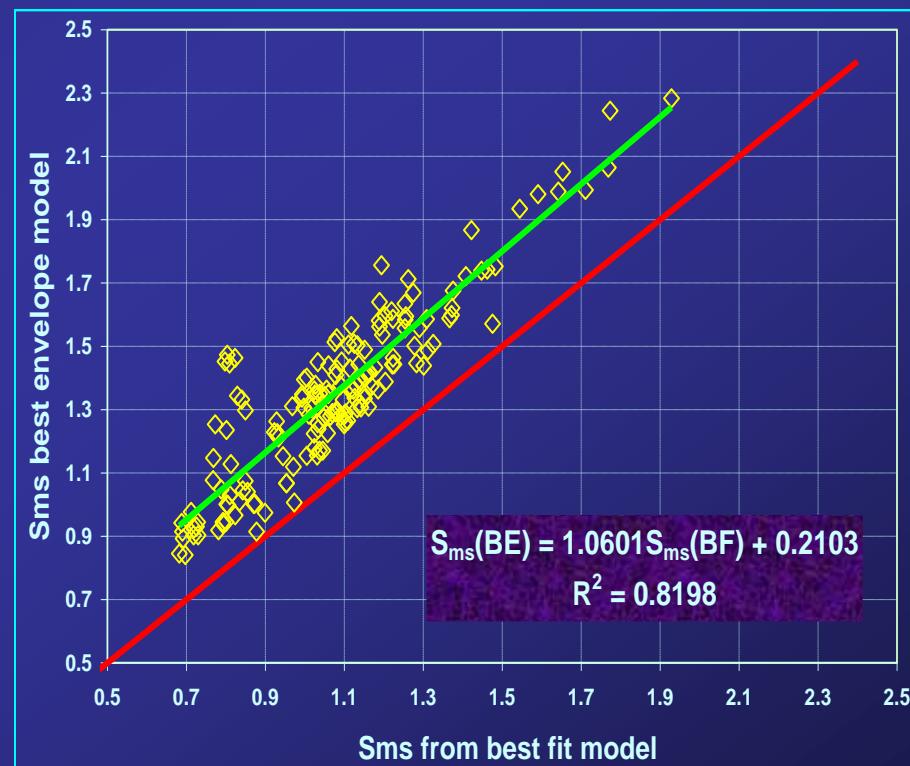


Comparison of average spectral Accelerations with the calculated SS (0.2 s) based on best fit approach

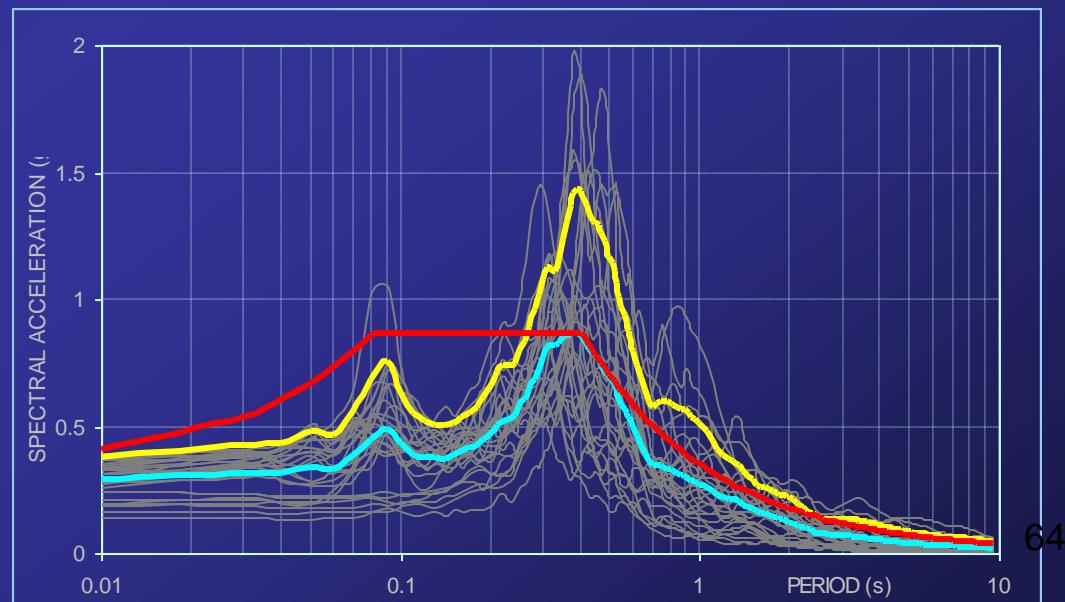
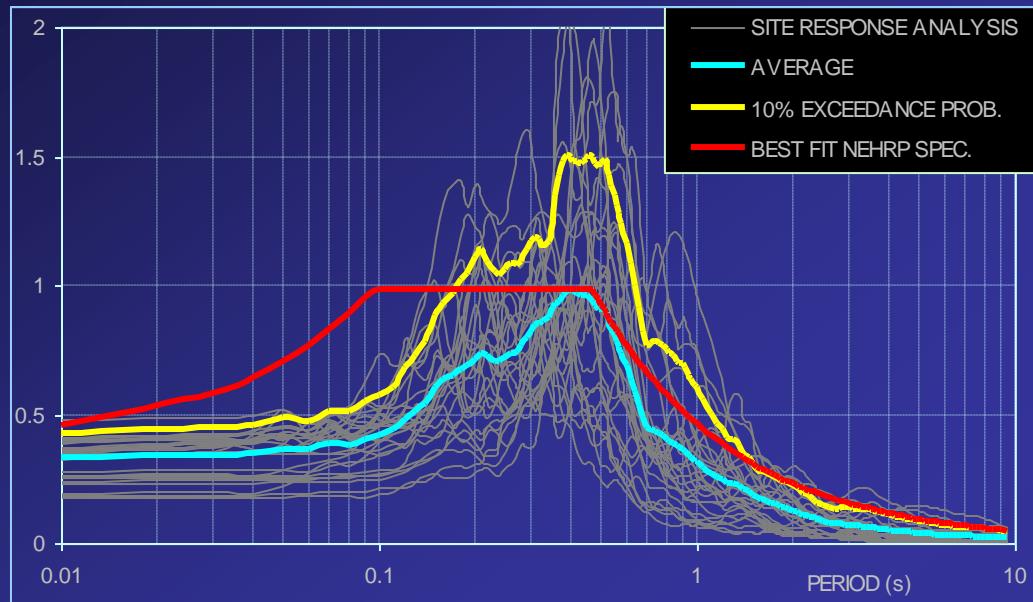
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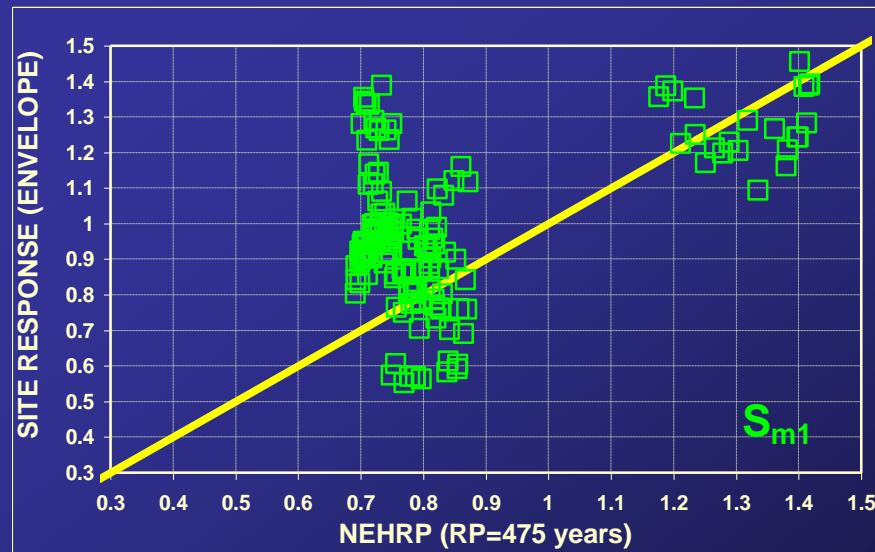
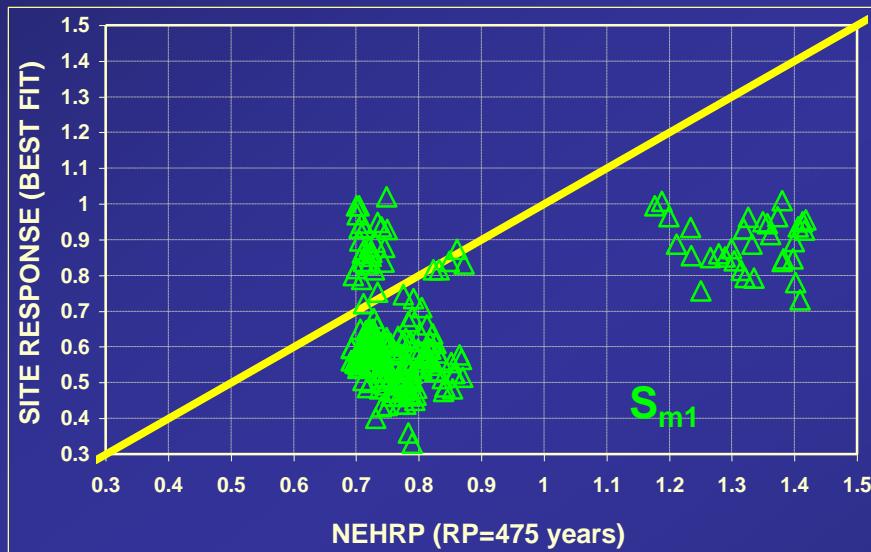
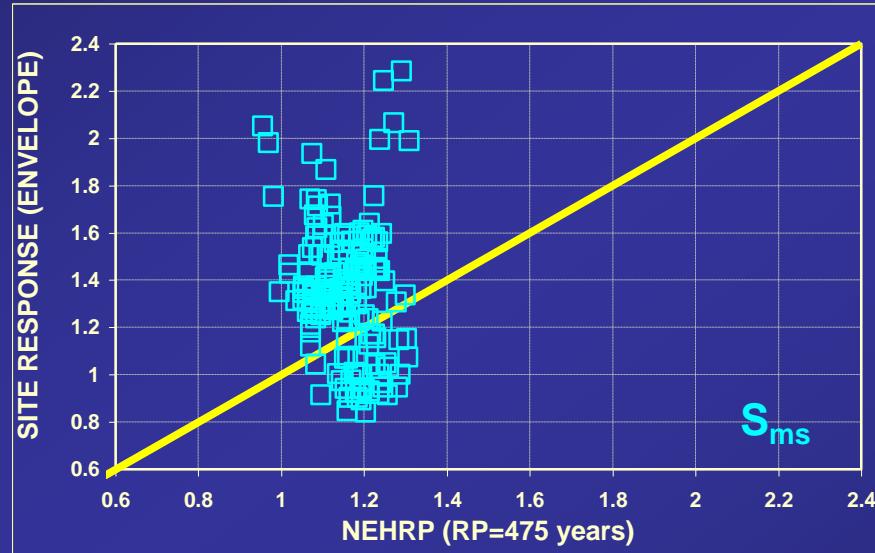
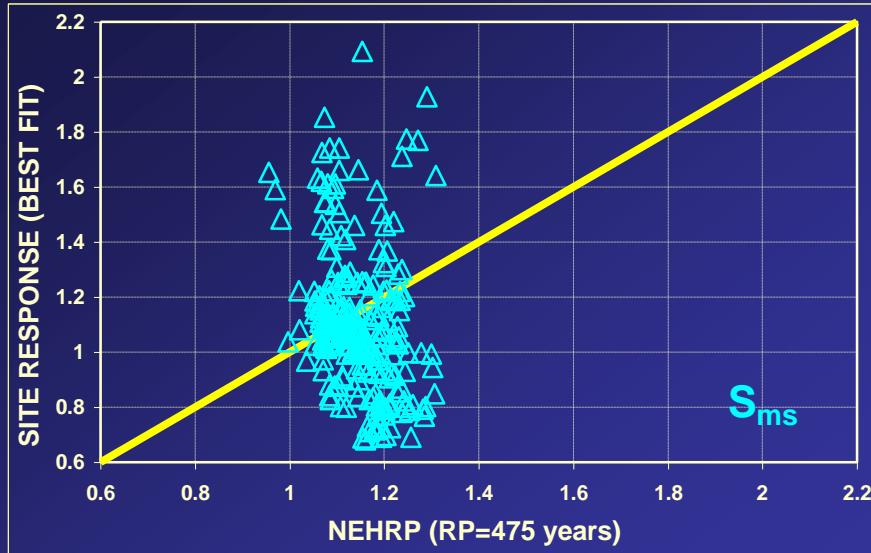


Comparison of SS (0.2s) spectral accelerations calculated by best fit and best envelope approaches

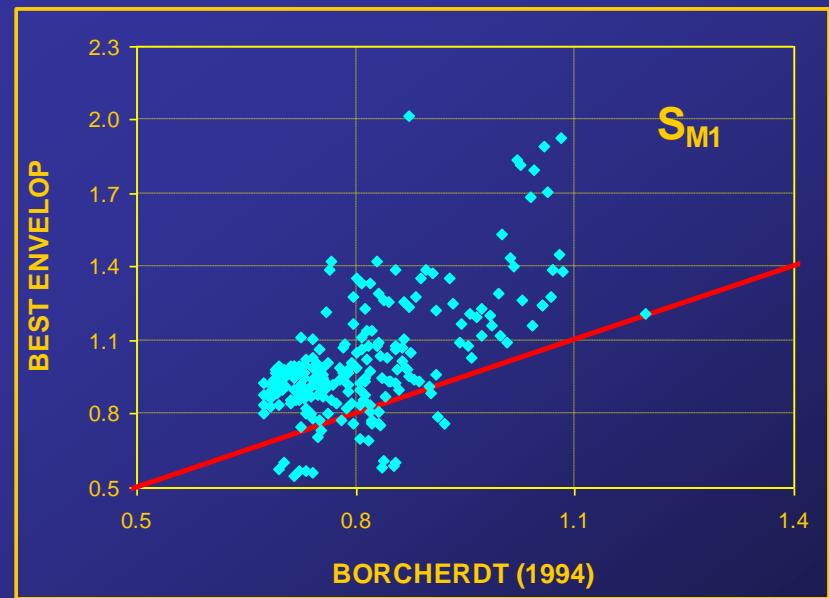
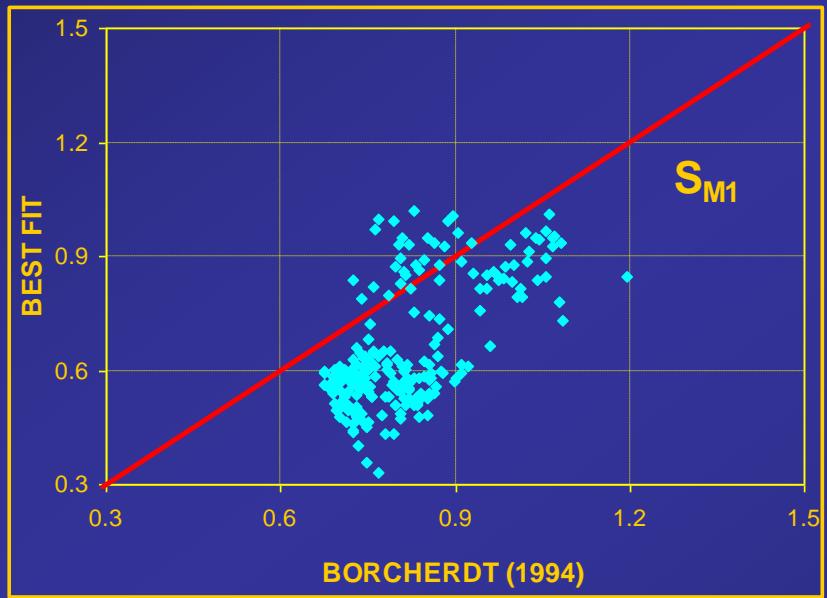
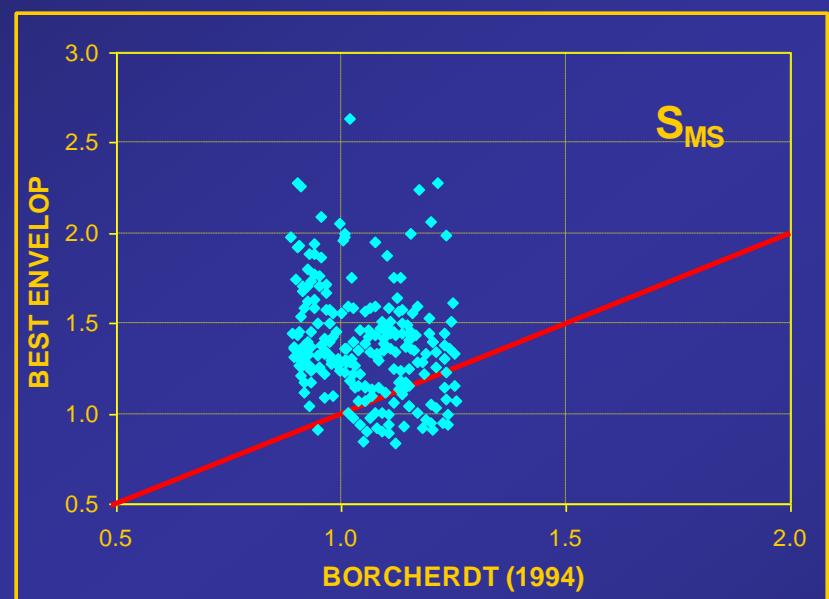
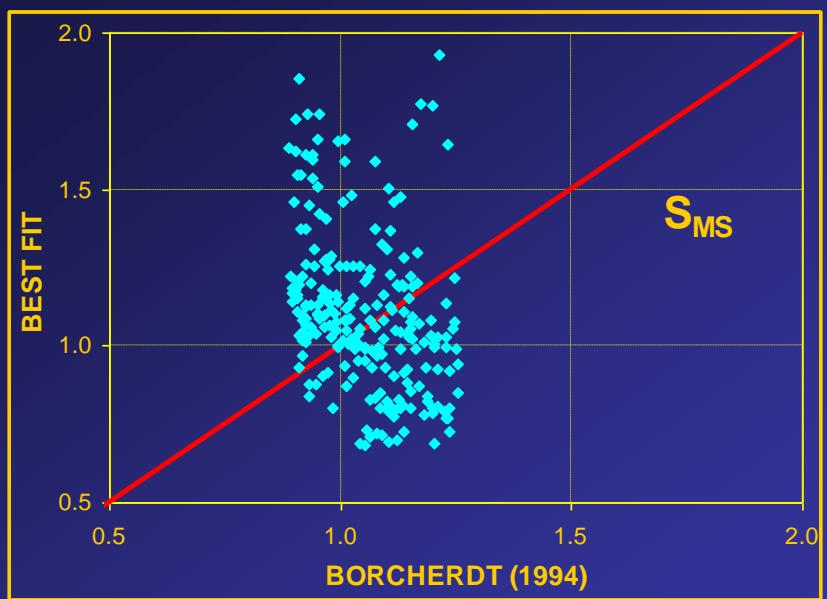


# BEST FIT NEHRP ENVELOPE SPECTRUM



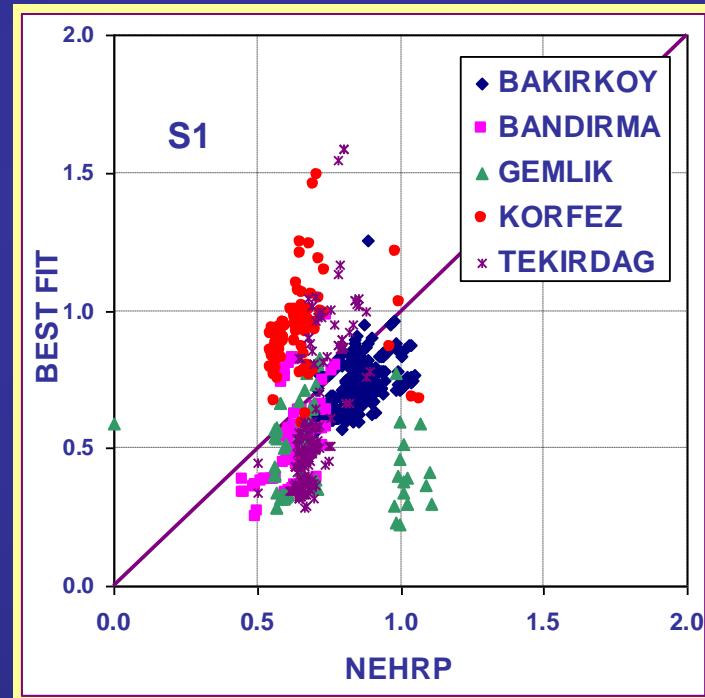
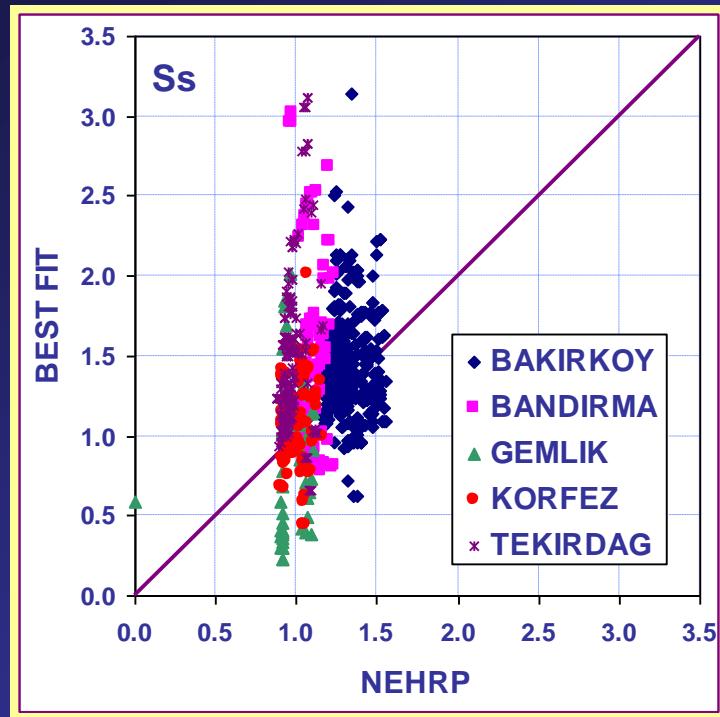


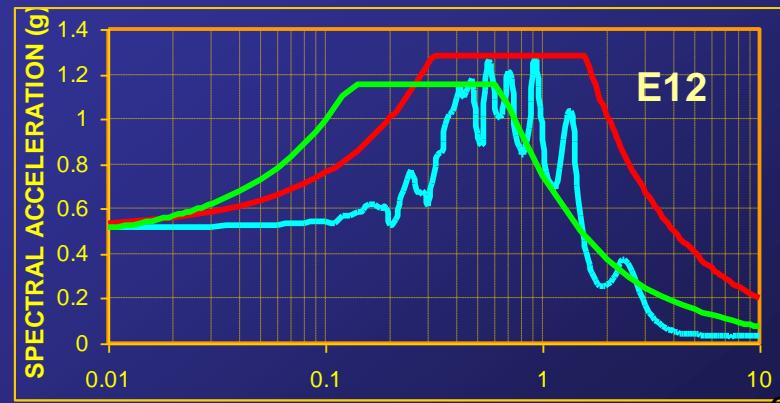
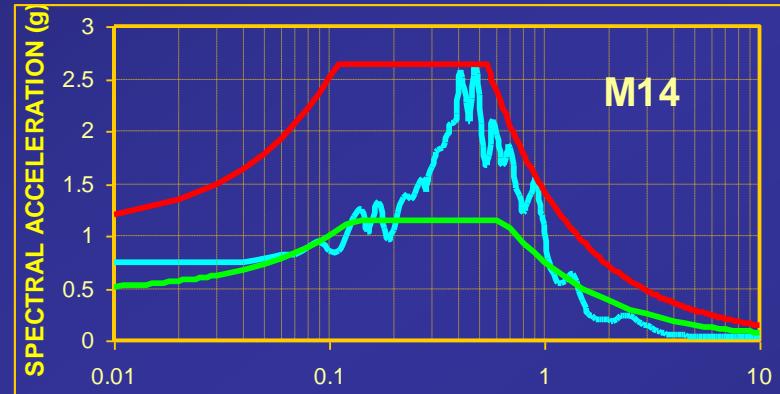
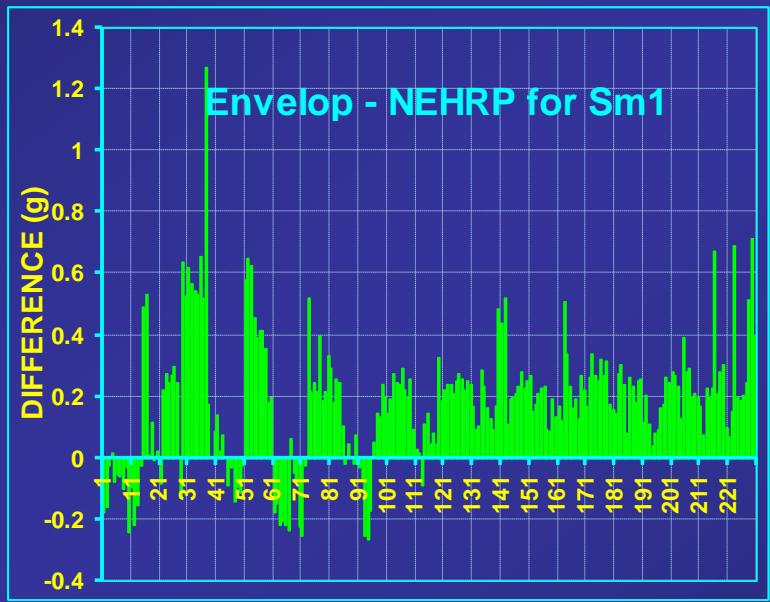
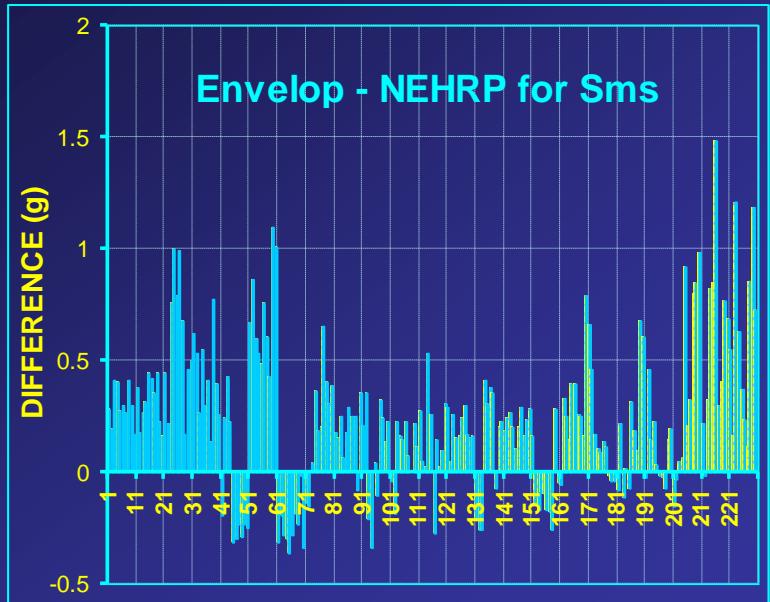
## COMPARISON OF SITE RESPONSE WITH NEHRP BASED EVALUATION OF GROUND MOTION CHARACTERISTICS



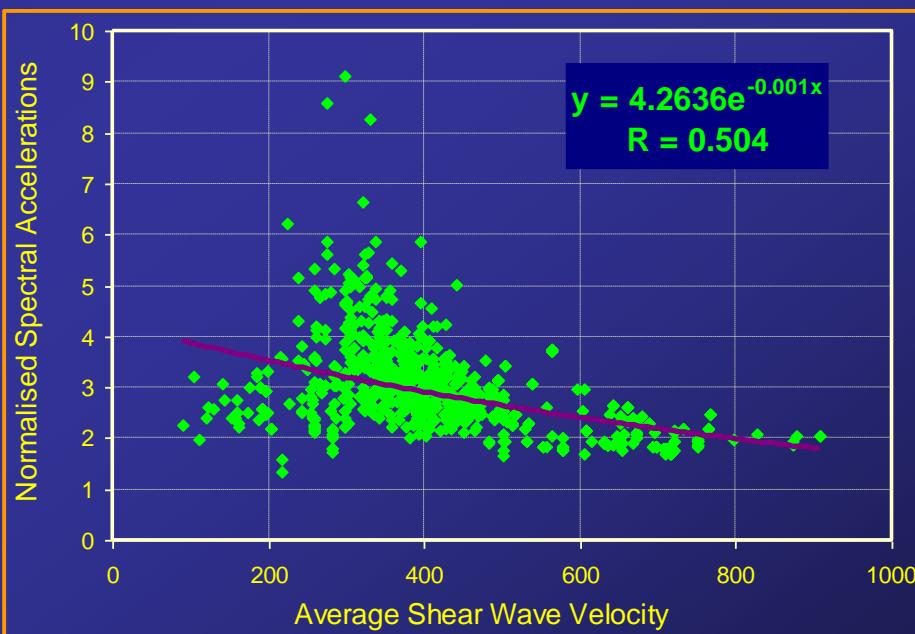
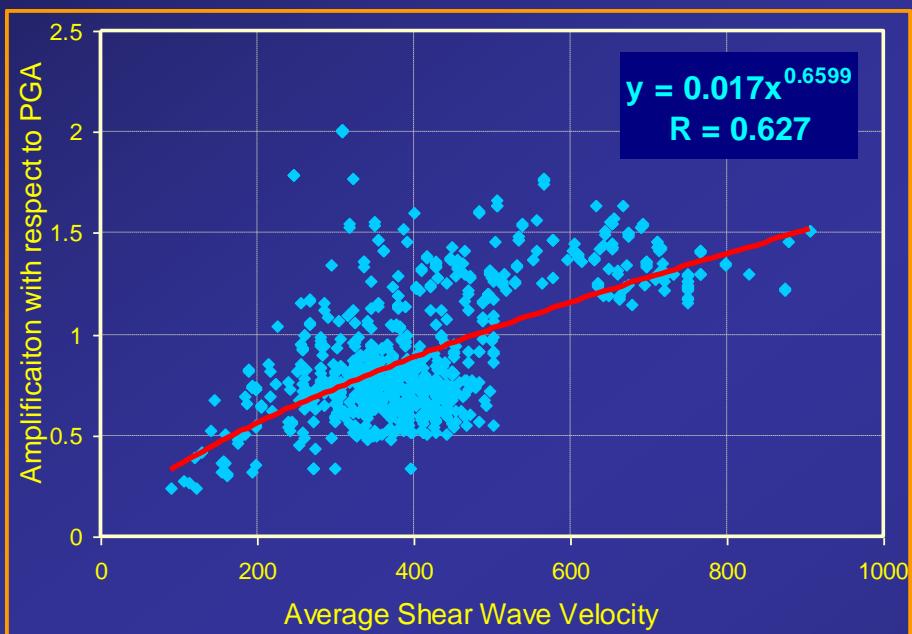
**COMPARISON OF SITE RESPONSE WITH BORCHERDT (1994) BASED  
EVALUATION OF GROUND MOTION CHARACTERISTICS**

# Comparison of Spectral Accelerations\*





# Correlations based on site response analysis



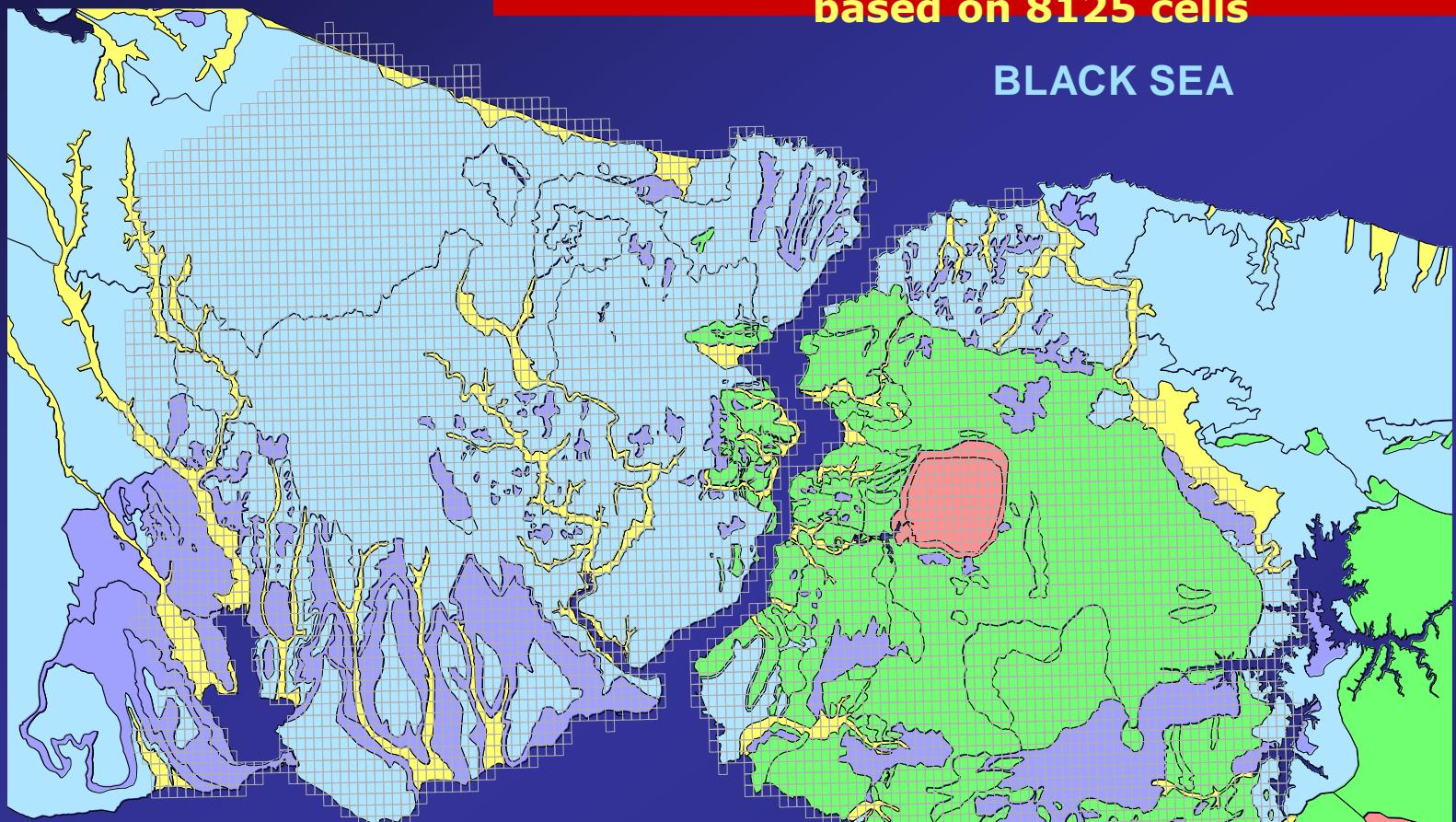
The purpose for earthquake loss estimation scenarios are for assigning the priorities in the implementation of the risk reduction, hazard mitigation measures, and for disaster preparedness.

The process of loss estimation due to earthquakes involves:

1. Compilation of building inventories,
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3. Site dependent earthquake ground motion characteristics,
4. Estimation of vulnerability of the building inventories.

# Istanbul site classification according to NEHRP based on 8125 cells

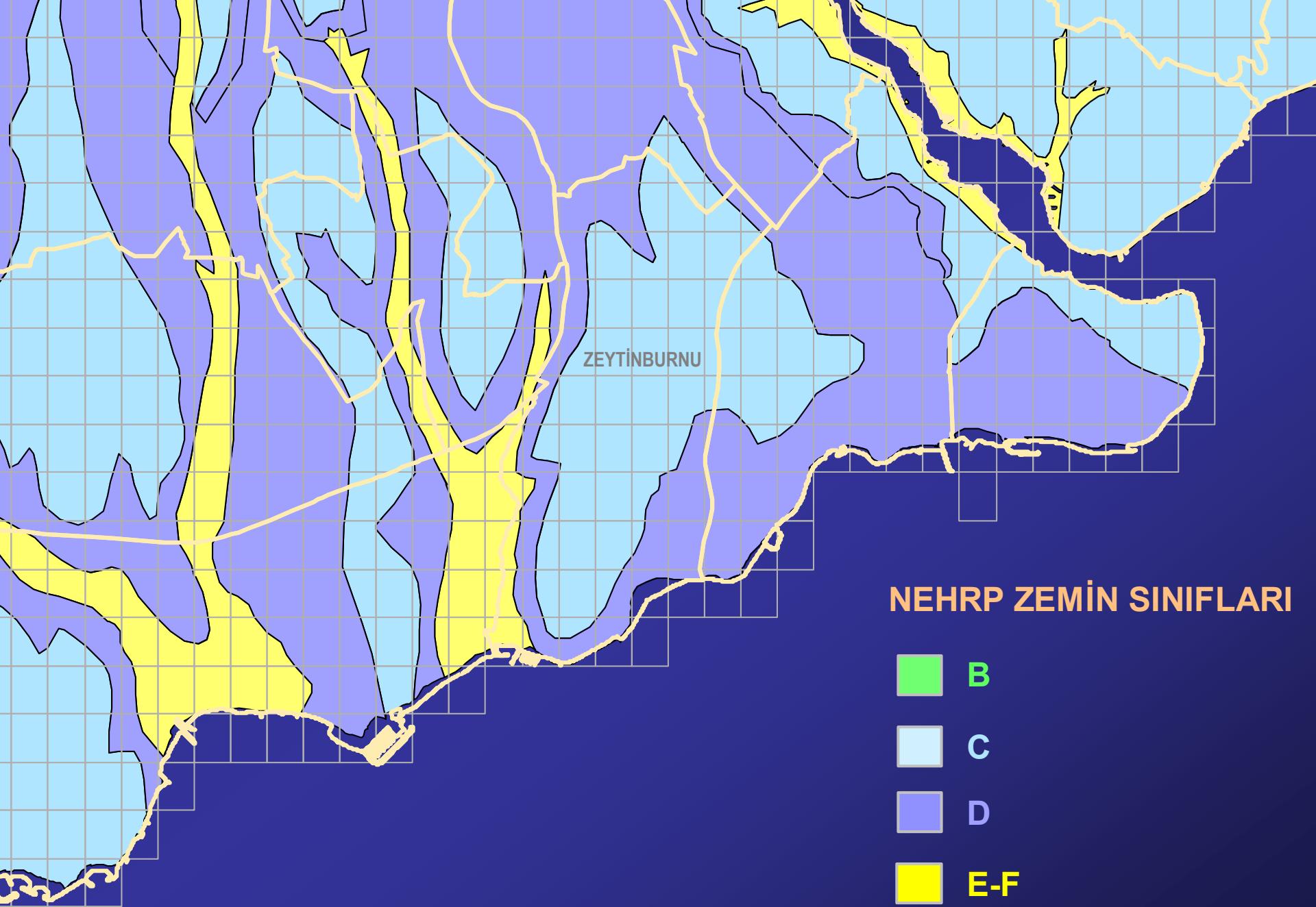
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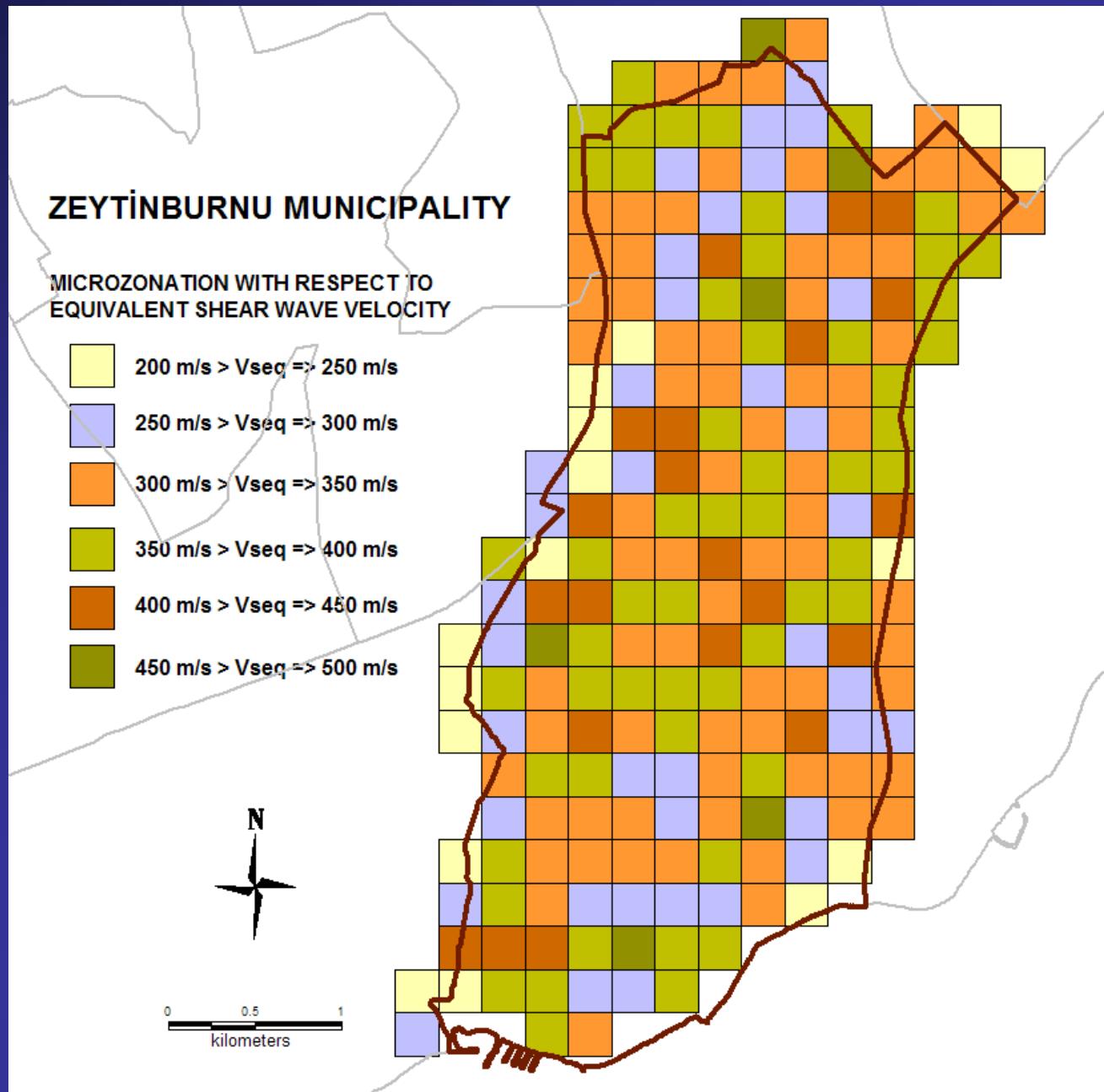
ISTANBUL NEHRP (2001) Site Classification	
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D	
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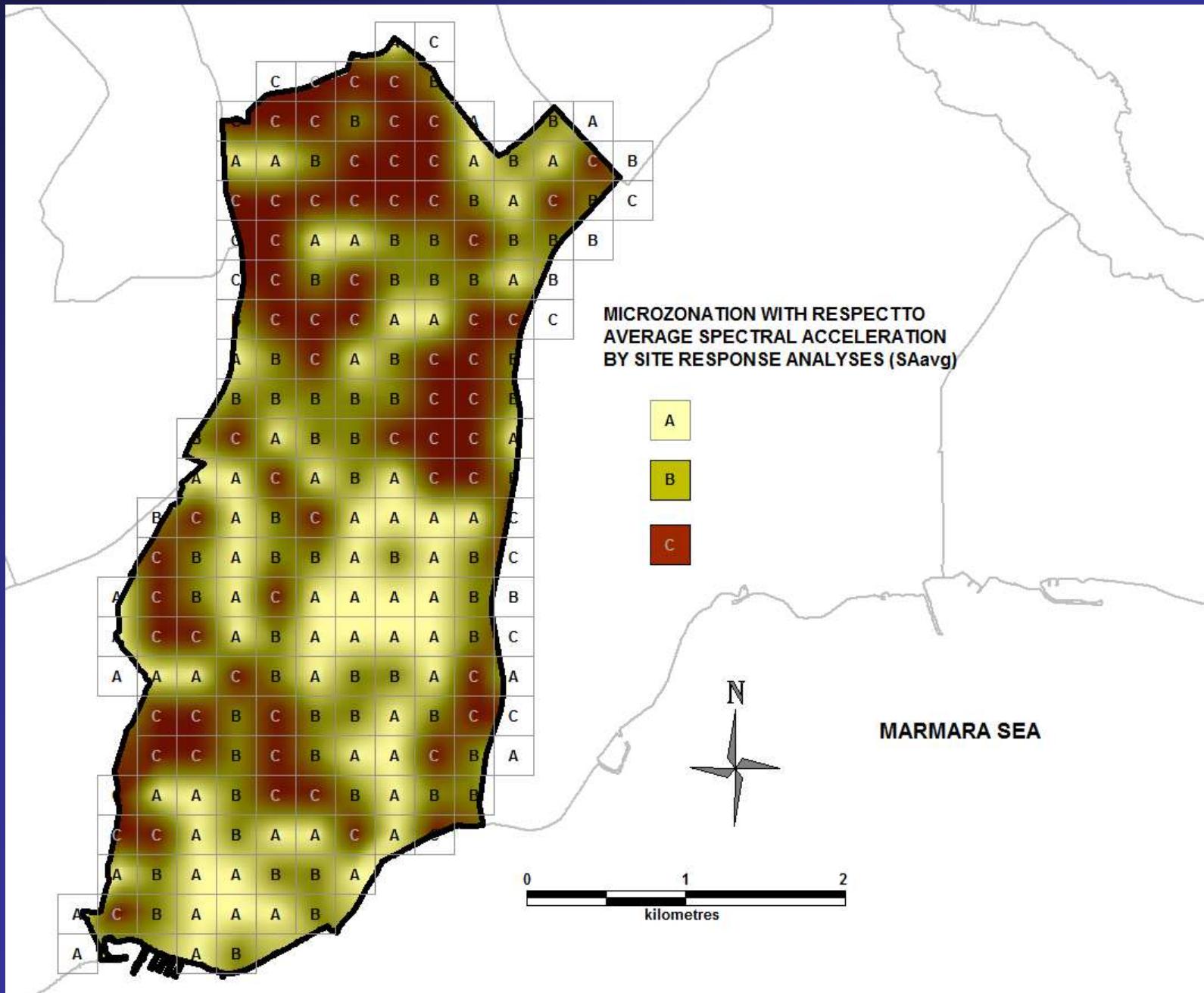


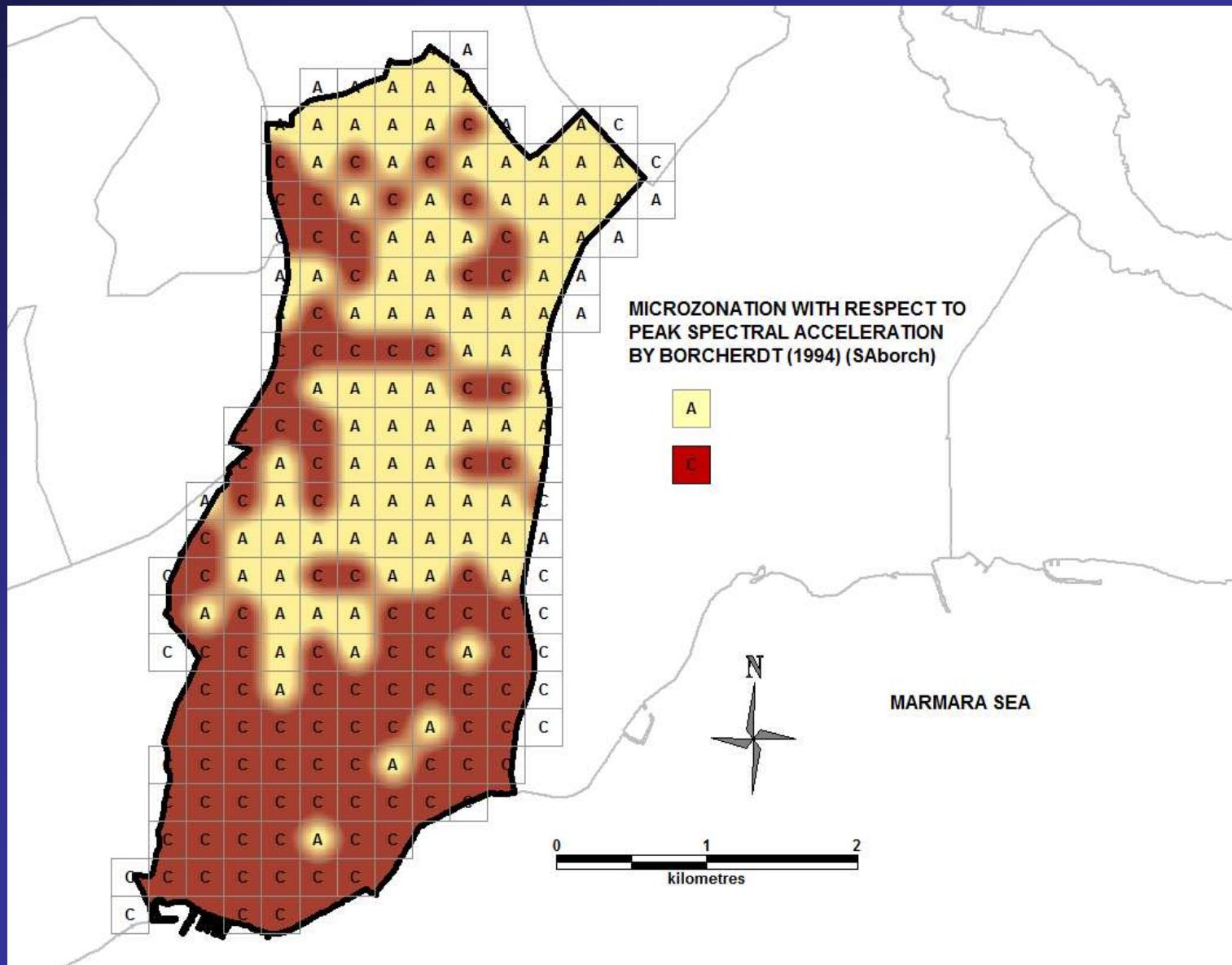


## Zemin Davranış Analizleri İle Hesaplanmış En Büyük İvmeler



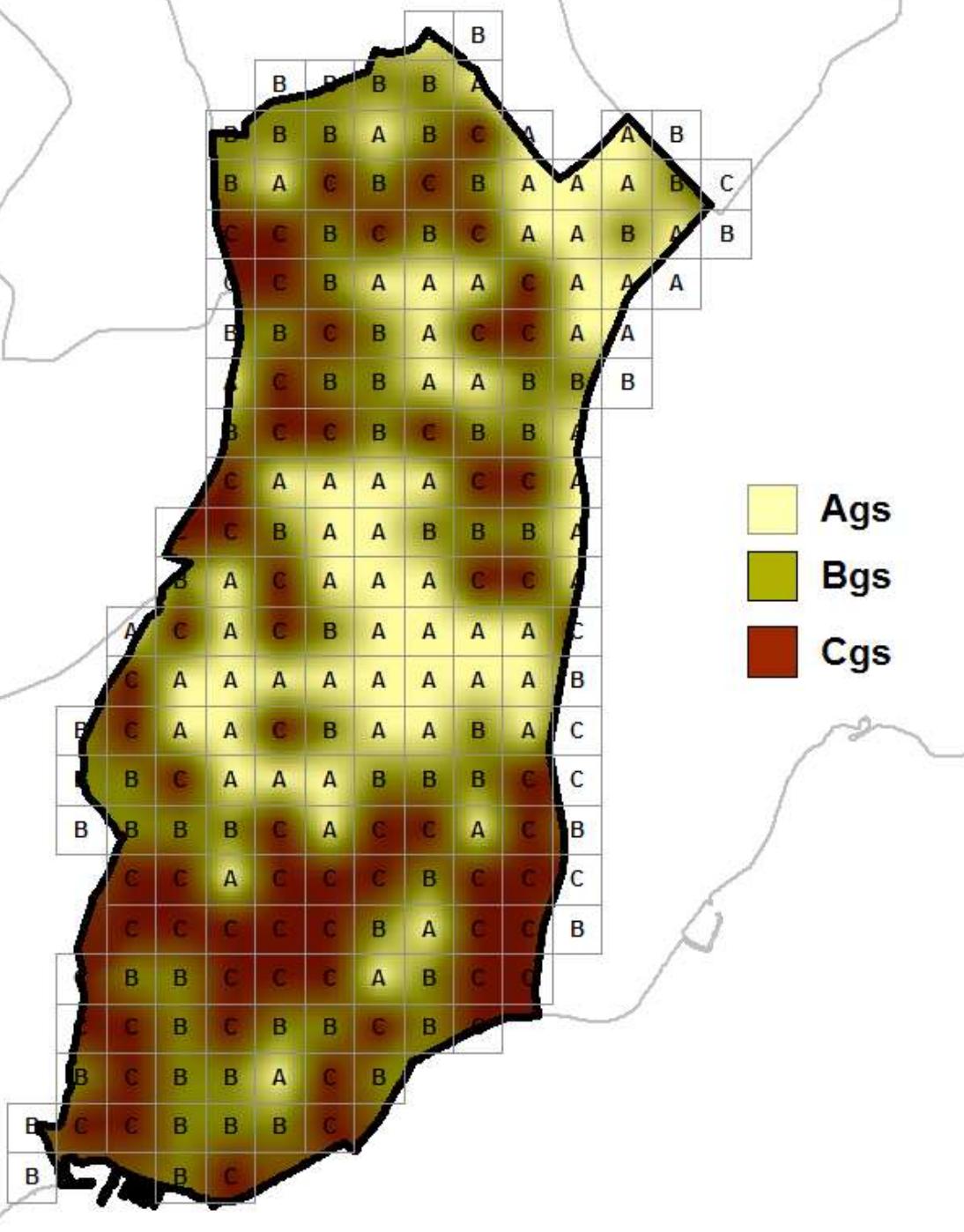


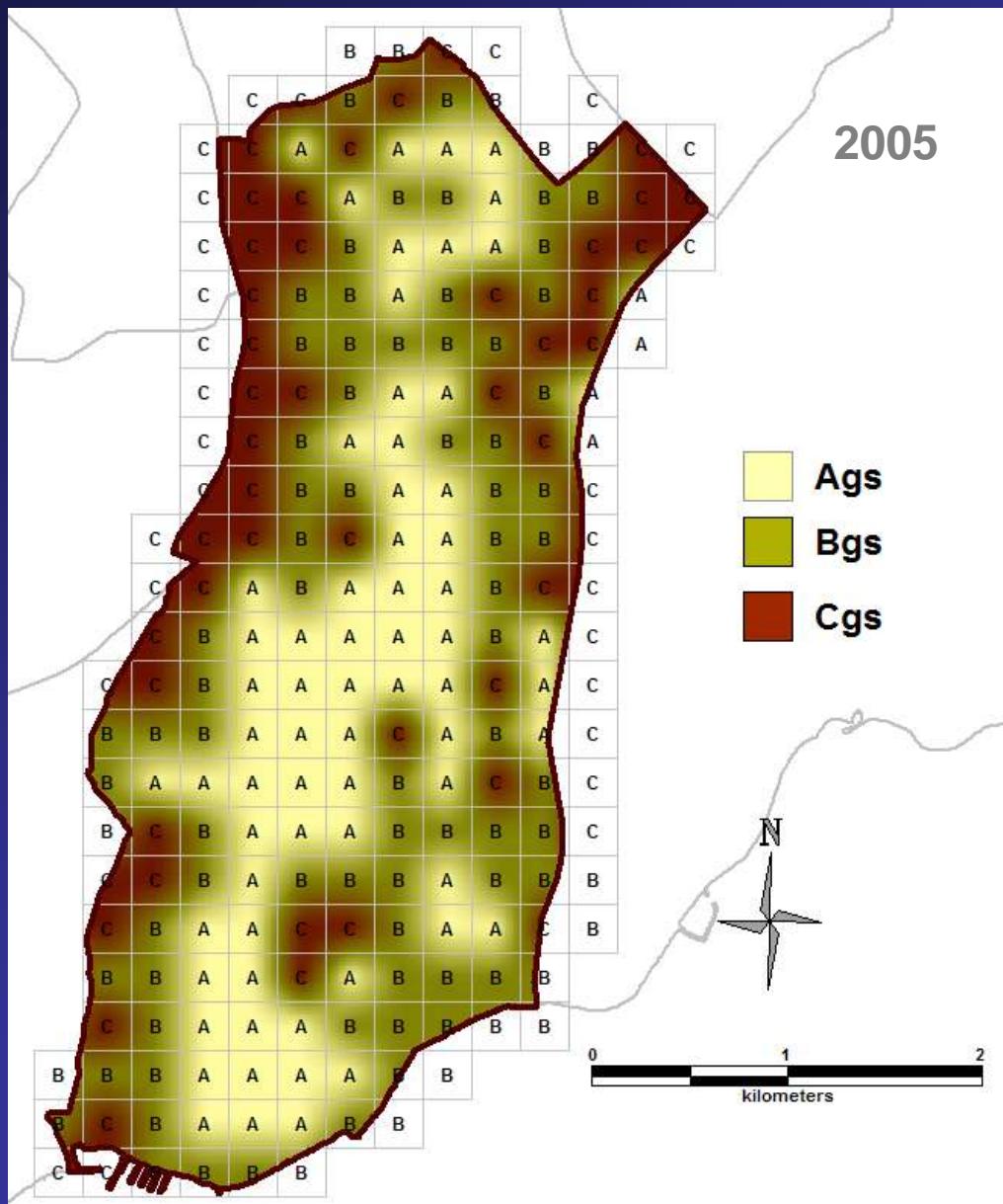




## MICROZONATION WITH RESPECT TO GROUND SHAKING INTENSITY

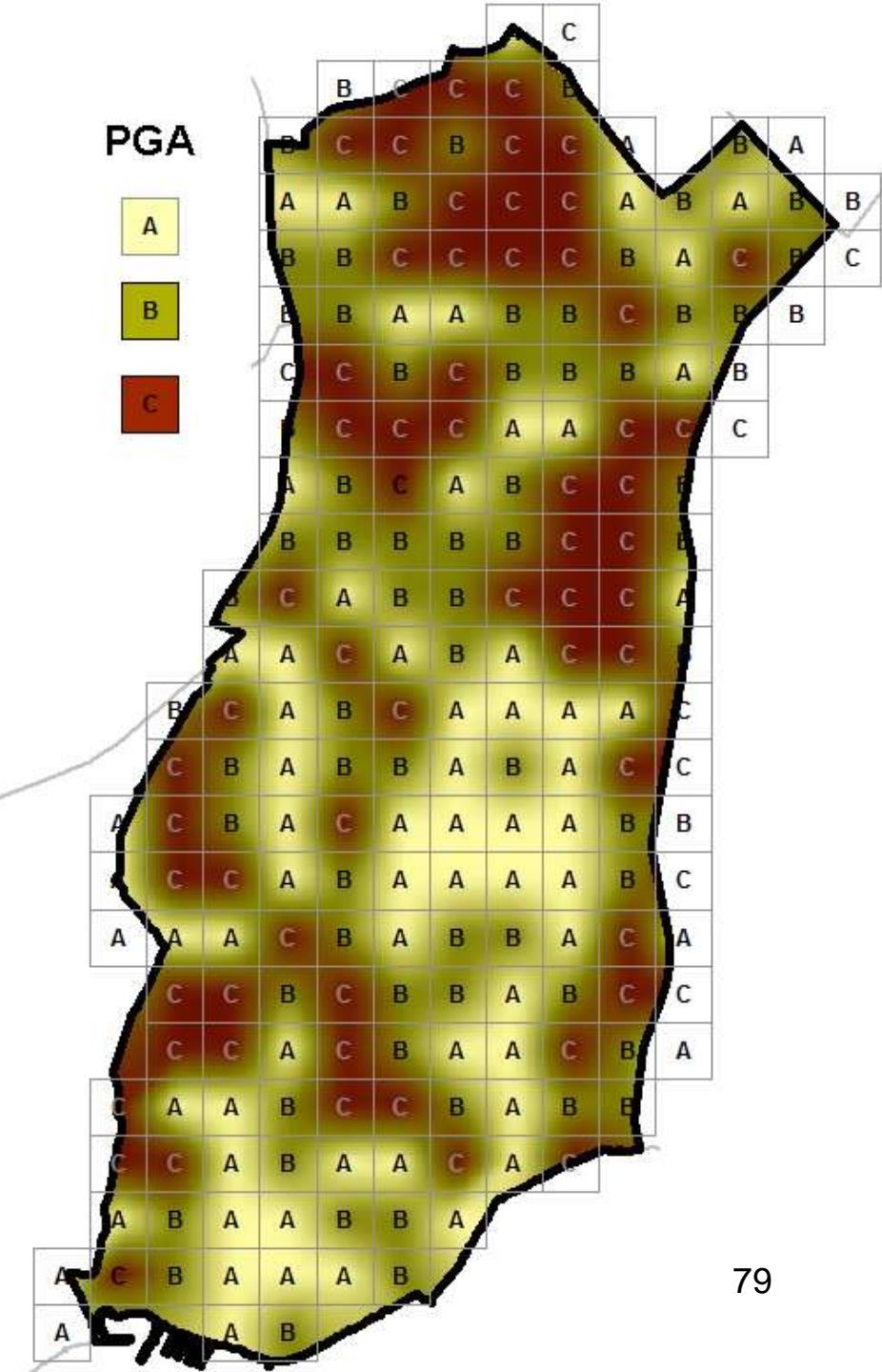
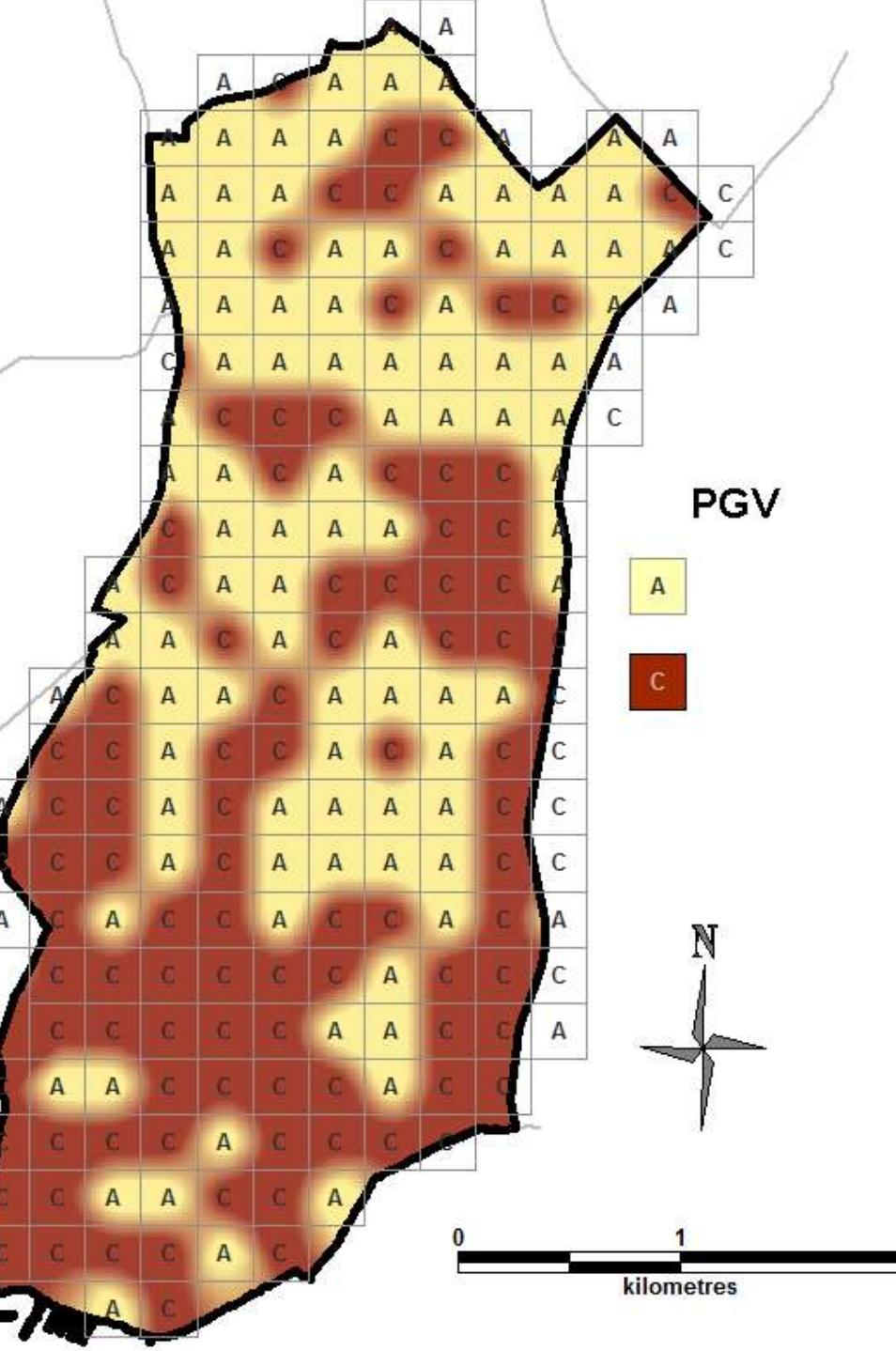
Borings in all cells and site response analysis based on 28 real (hazard compatible) acceleration time histories

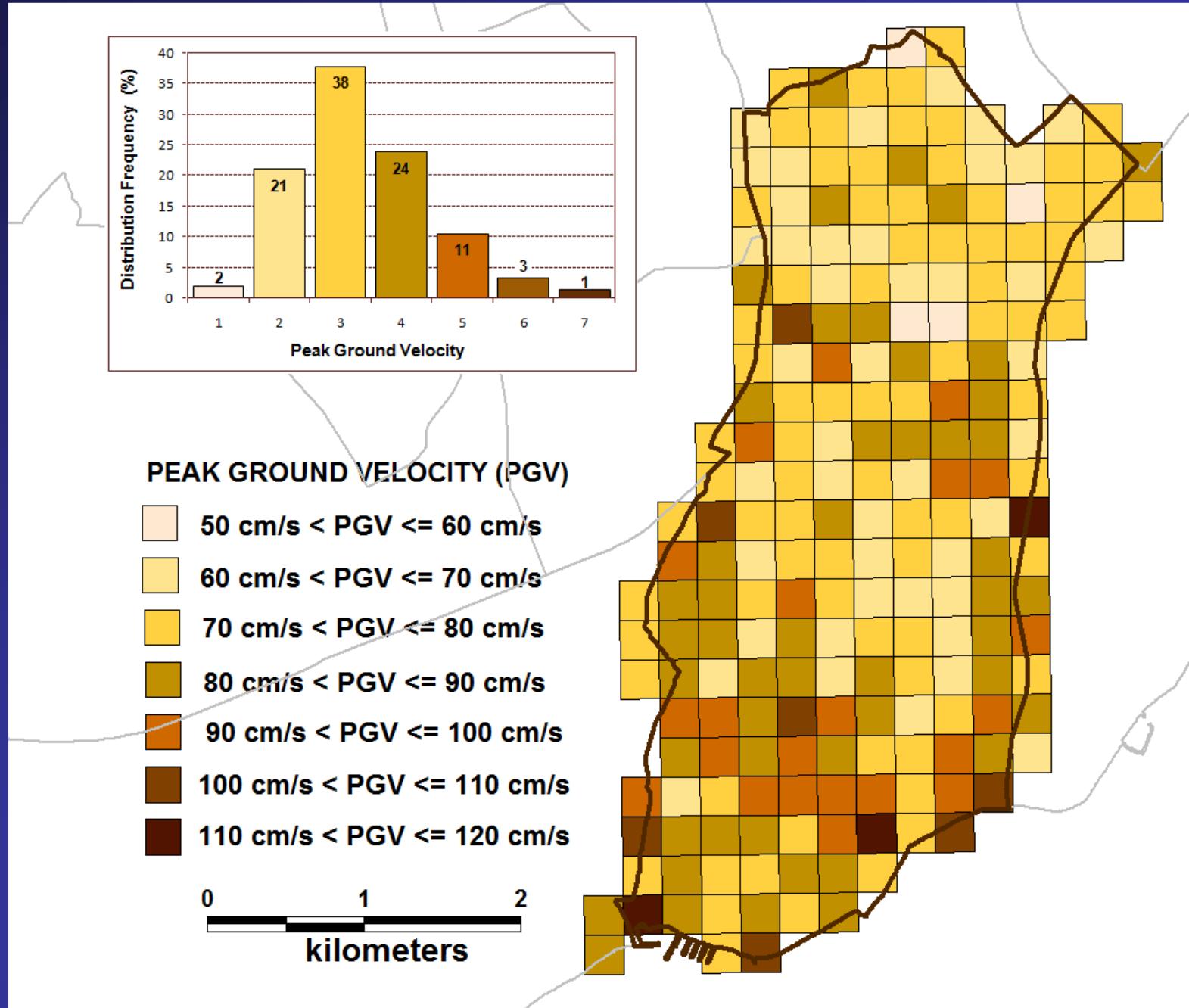


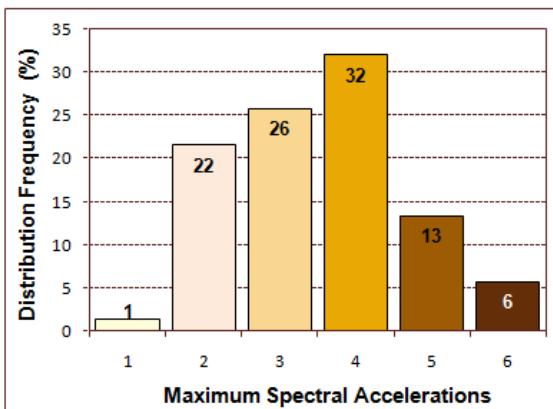


## MICROZONATION WITH RESPECT TO GROUND SHAKING INTENSITY

Limited number of borings and site response analysis based on 3 simulated acceleration time histories

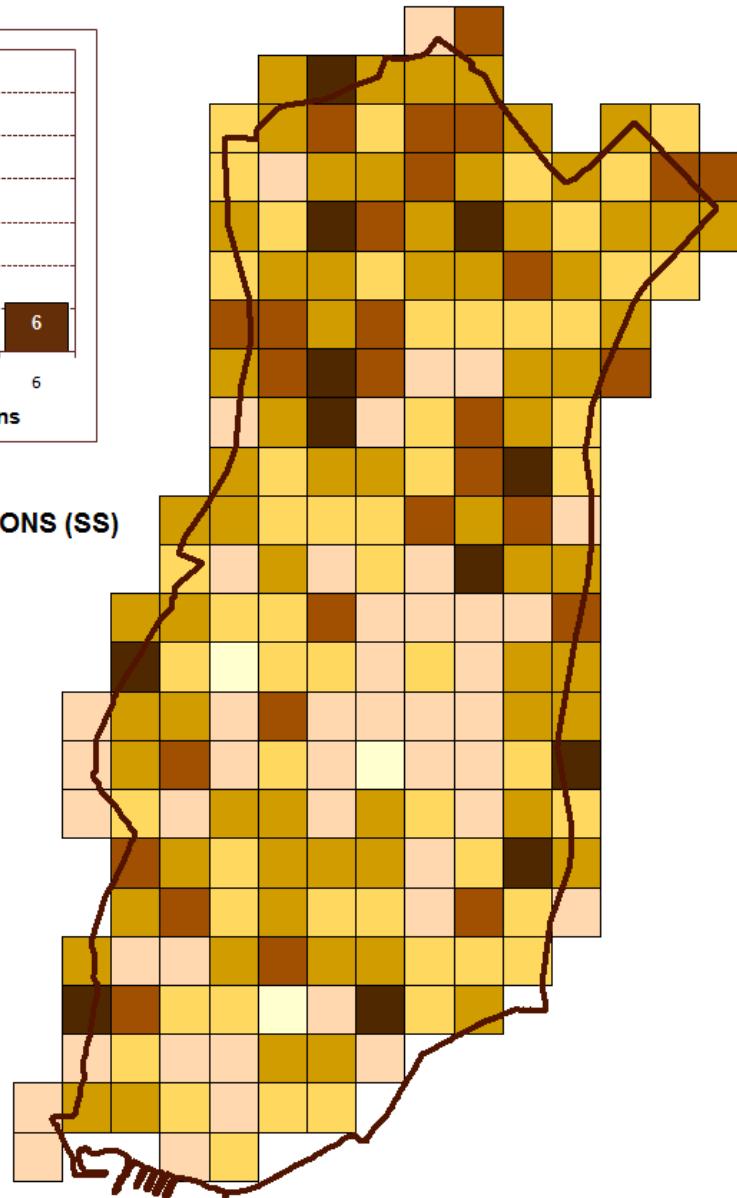


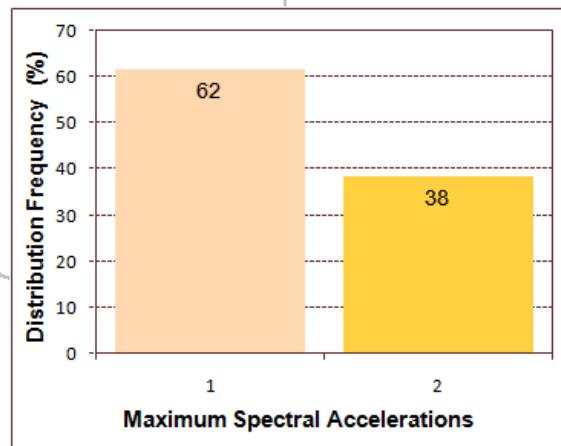




#### MAXIMUM SPECTRAL ACCELERATIONS (SS)

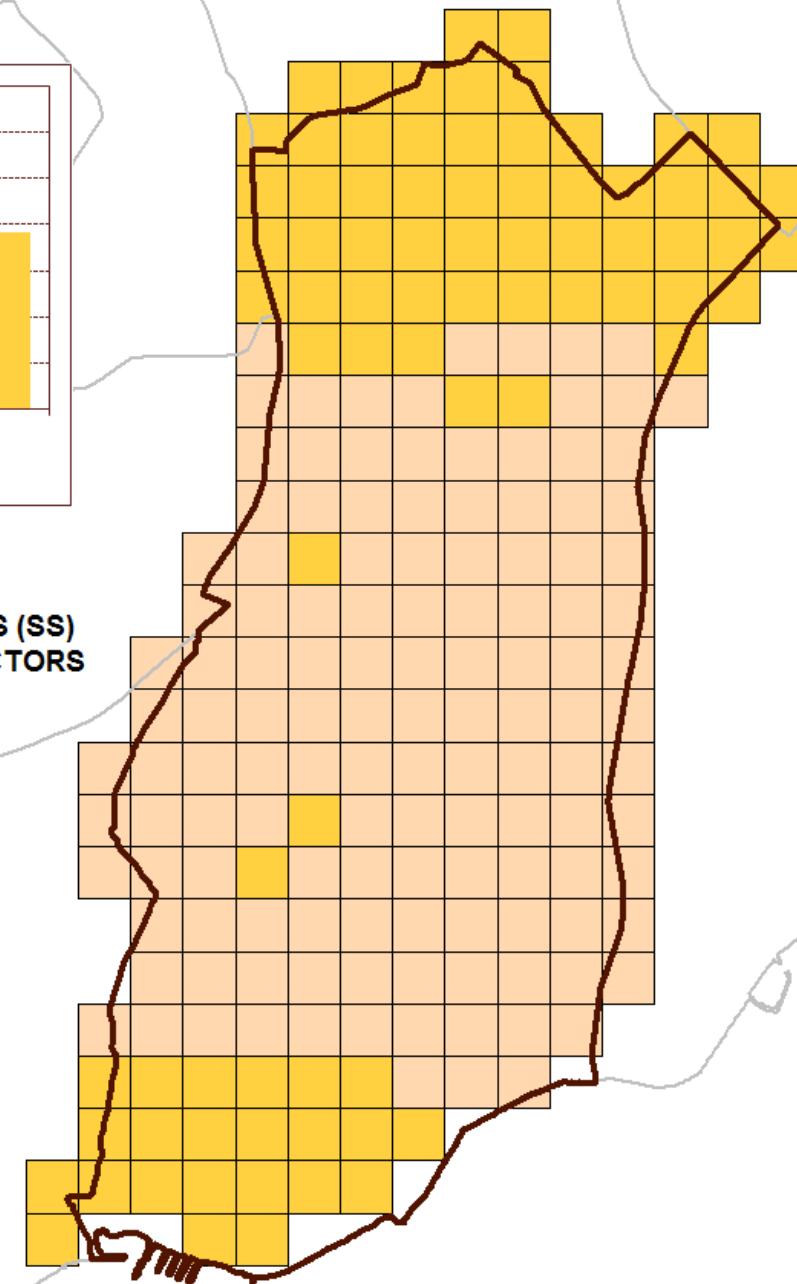
- █  $S_s \leq 0.5g$
- █  $0.5g < S_s \leq 1g$
- █  $1g < S_s \leq 1.5g$
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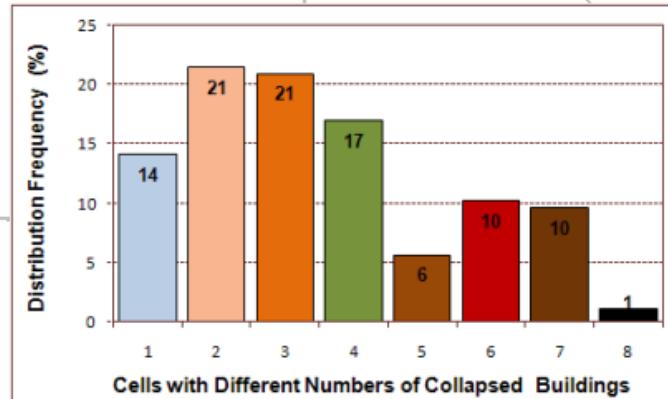


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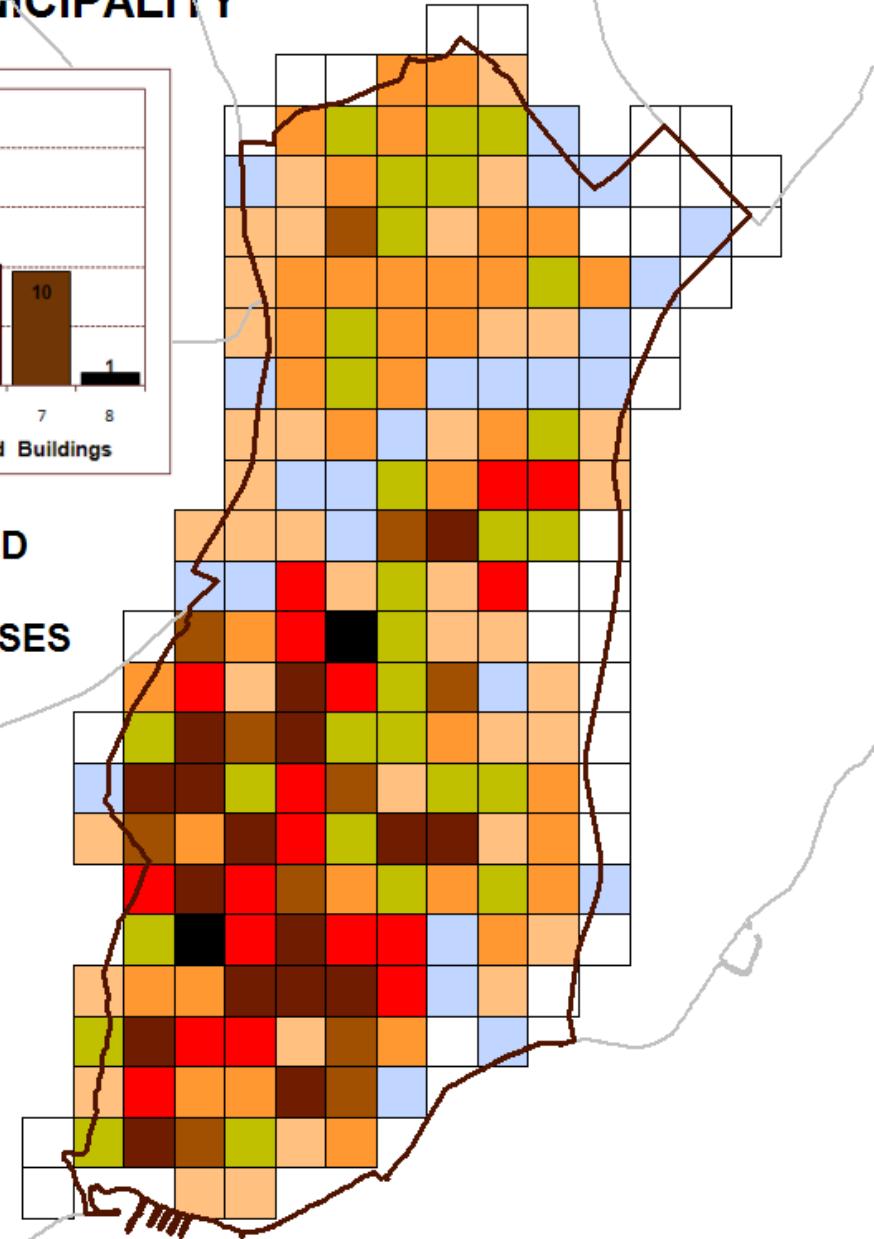
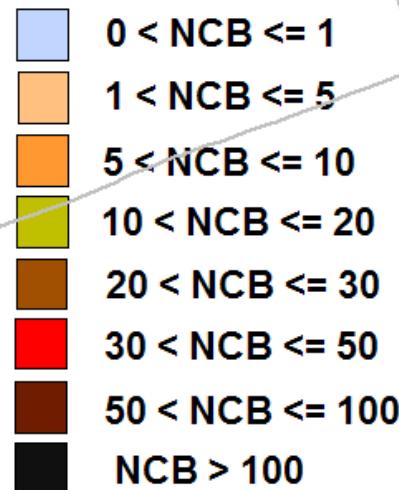
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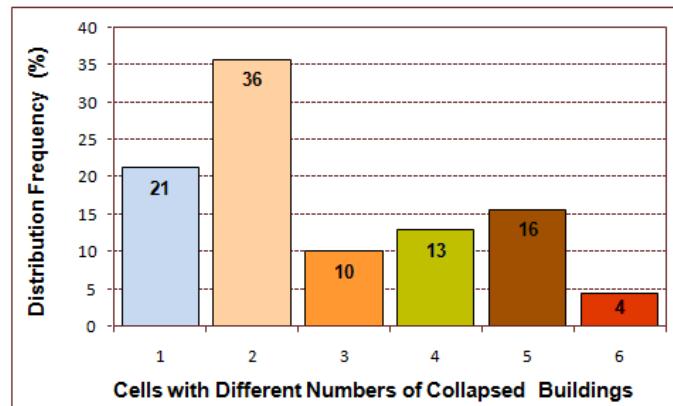
## ZEYTINBURNU MUNICIPALITY



### NUMBER OF COLLAPSED BUILDINGS BASED ON SITE RESPONSE ANALYSES



## ZEYTINBURNU MUNICIPALITY



### NUMBER OF COLLAPSED BUILDINGS BASED ON NEHRP

- 0 < NCB <= 1
- 1 < NCB <= 5
- 5 < NCB <= 10
- 10 < NCB <= 20
- 20 < NCB <= 30
- 30 < NCB <= 50

