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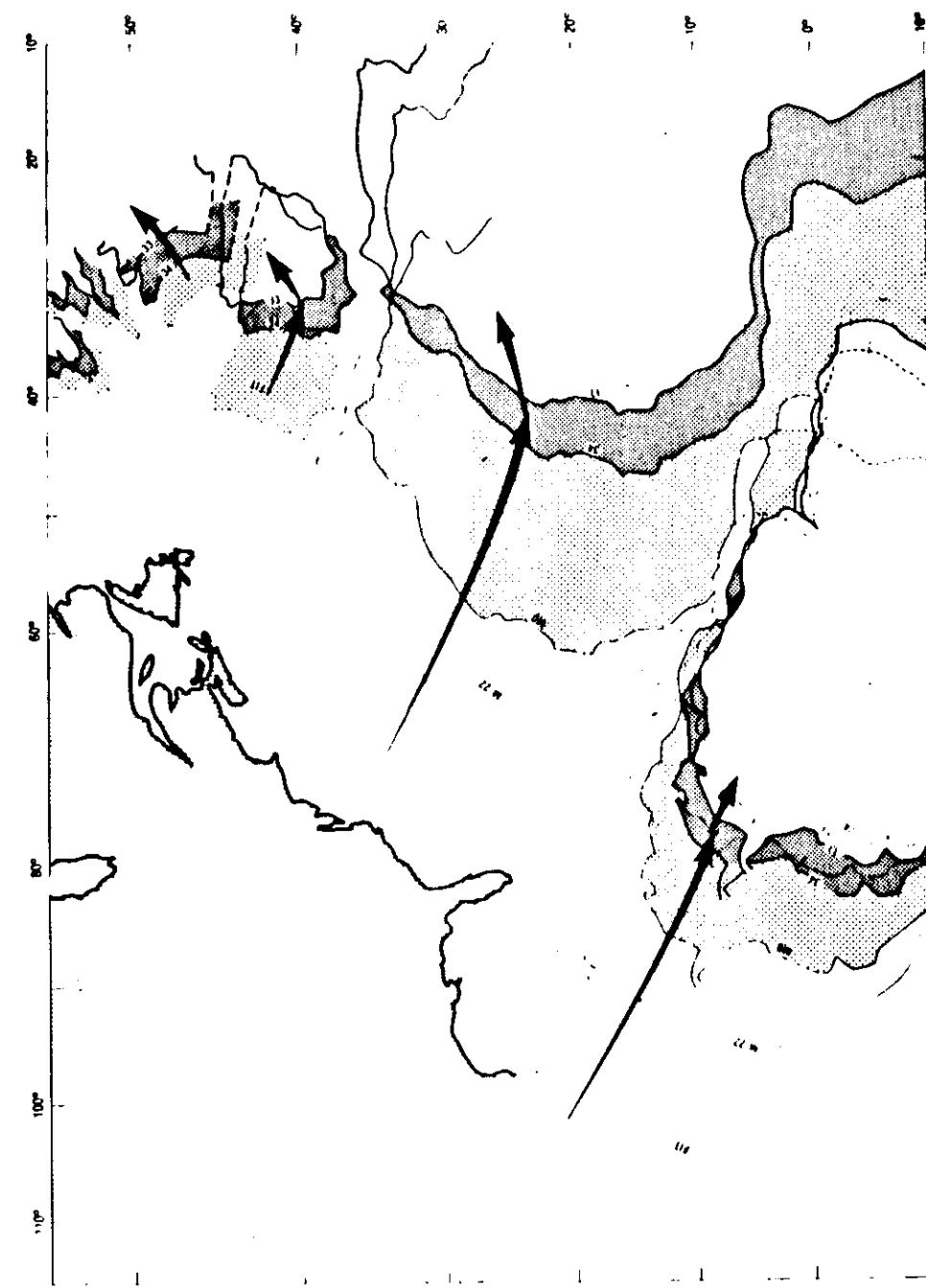
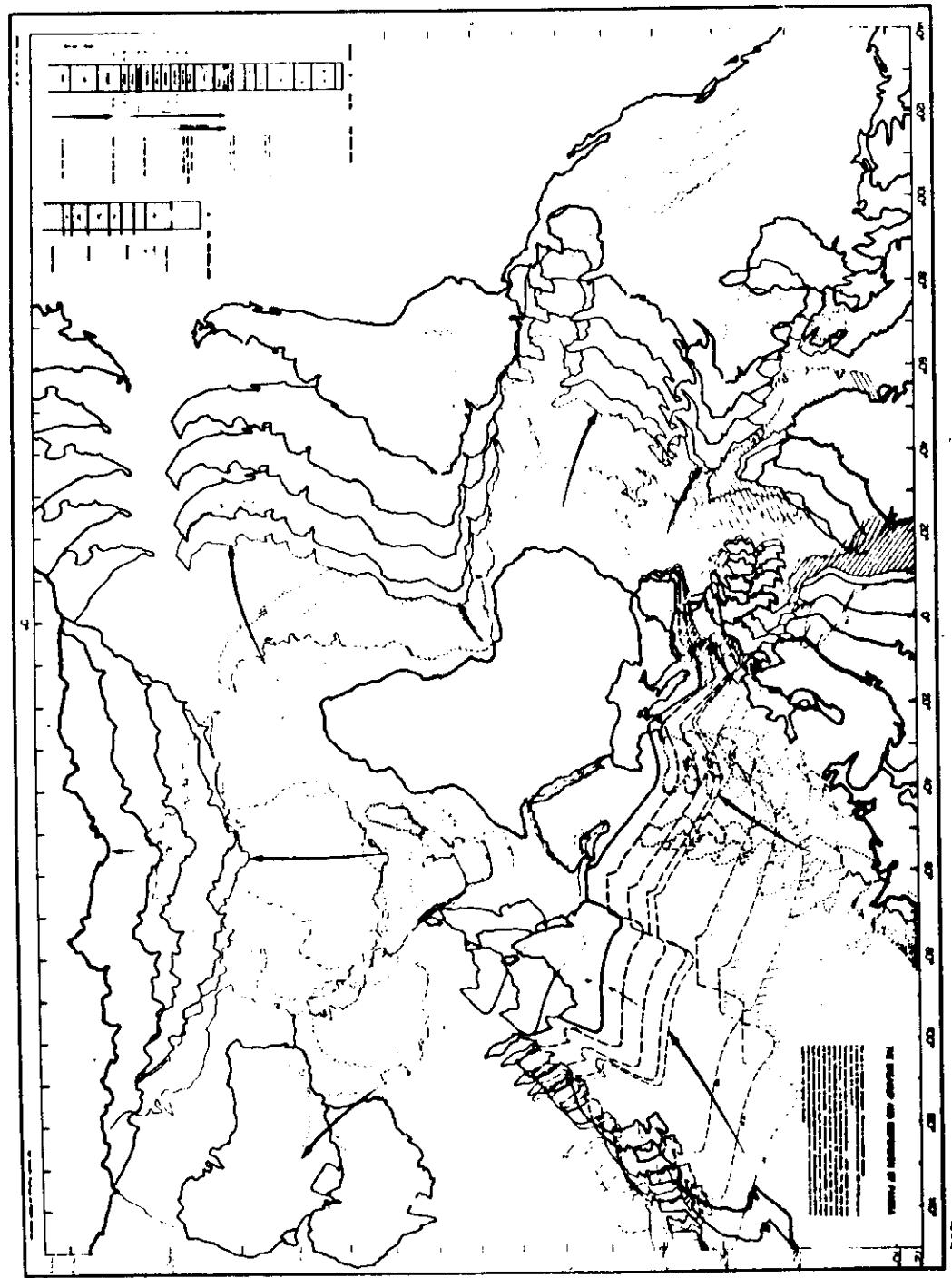
WORKSHOP
GLOBAL GEOPHYSICAL INFORMATICS WITH APPLICATIONS TO
RESEARCH IN EARTHQUAKE PREDICTIONS AND REDUCTION OF
SEISMIC RISK

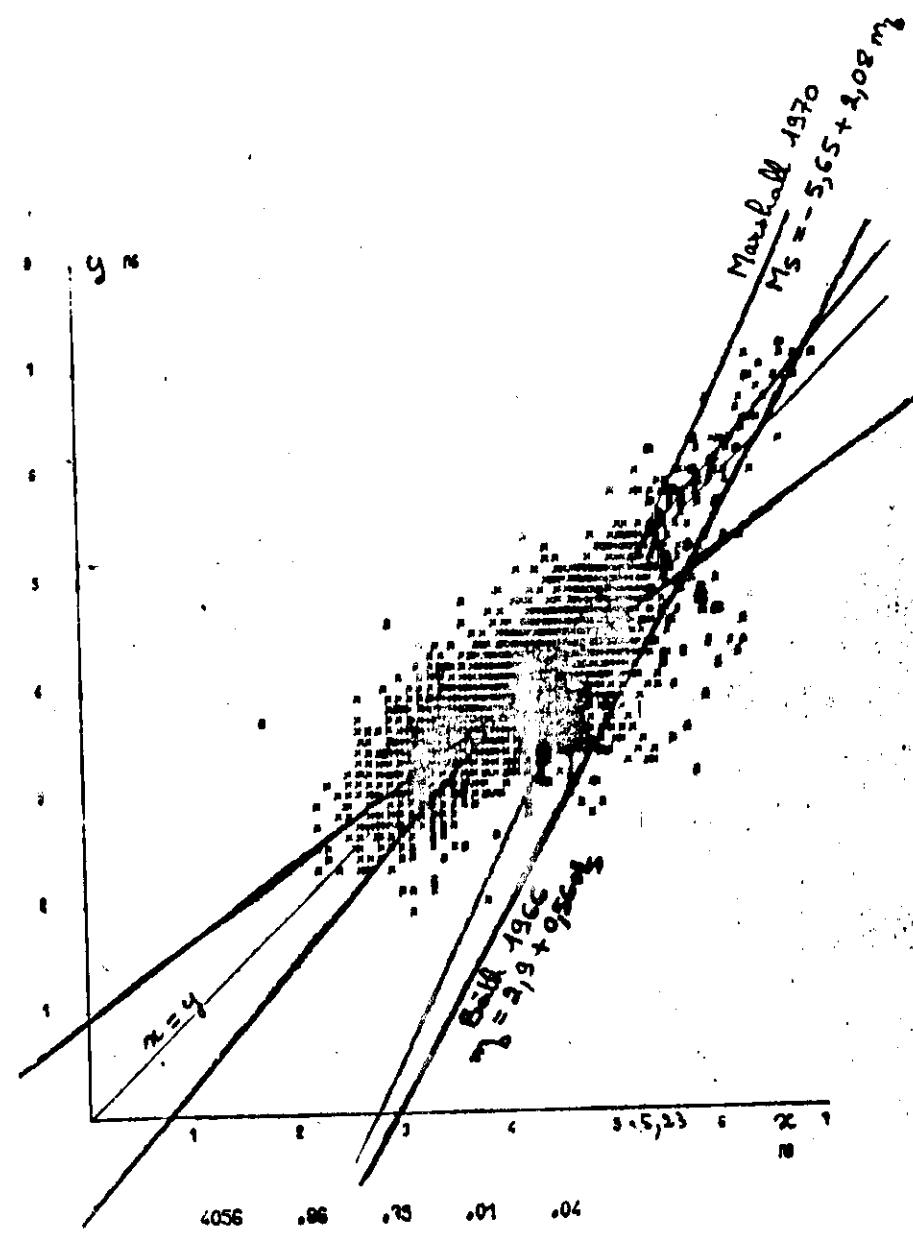
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TECTONICS & EARTHQUAKE DATA FILE

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The inner structure of data

- level 1

a
b

b : computational data

(epicenter location, maximum intensities, seismic moment, magnitudes, ...)

b : observational data

(arrival times, quotation of disasters from books, ...)

- level 2 : raw data

(seismograms, historical sources *in extenso*, ...)

- level 3 : ancillary data

(miscellaneous : stations directory, glossary of waves,
bibliographic references, ...)

EPI

EPI id , Quadrat id , Reporting Agency, Year, Latitude + error, Longitude + error, Type , Origin time , Magnitude [2 x (type + value)] , Confidentiality code.

PARAM

EPI id , Travel-time table, Method of computation , Depth computed ? , Depth + error Azimuthal gap, RMH, RMS, Number of associated phases, Number of phases used Maximum - Minimum distances, Maximum intensity reported, Areal extent of pector intensity scale used , Catalog ID , Determination's quality index.

$n_1 \times \text{MAGN}$ EPI id , 6 x (Magnitude type + averaged value + number of reported values + reporting agency)

$n_2 \times \text{FOCMEC}$ EPI id , Reporting agency , Scalar moment (mantissa + power) , ($\ell_1, \lambda_1, \delta_1$), ($\ell_2, \lambda_2, \delta_2$) , (modulus + azimuth + plunge of 1st axis) , (modulus + azimuth + plunge of 2nd axis)

$n_3 \times \text{TENSOR}$ EPI id , Reporting agency , Scaling factor, r-r component + error, ℓ - ℓ component + error , θ - θ component + error, r - θ component + error , r - ℓ component + error, θ - ℓ component + error.

$n_4 \times \text{STAPHA}$ EPI id , station (binary) code, phase (binary) code, epicentral distance , epicentre azimuth , static residuals , actually included in computations ?, weight , overlap on following day ?

$n_5 \times \text{ASSO}$ EPI id , associated EPI id , Reporting agency , Catalogue id , Association's quality index

$n_6 \times \text{QUOTE}$ EPI id , Secondary reporting agency + catalogue id ,

$n_7 \times \text{REFER}$ EPI id , Pointer(s) to bibliographic references

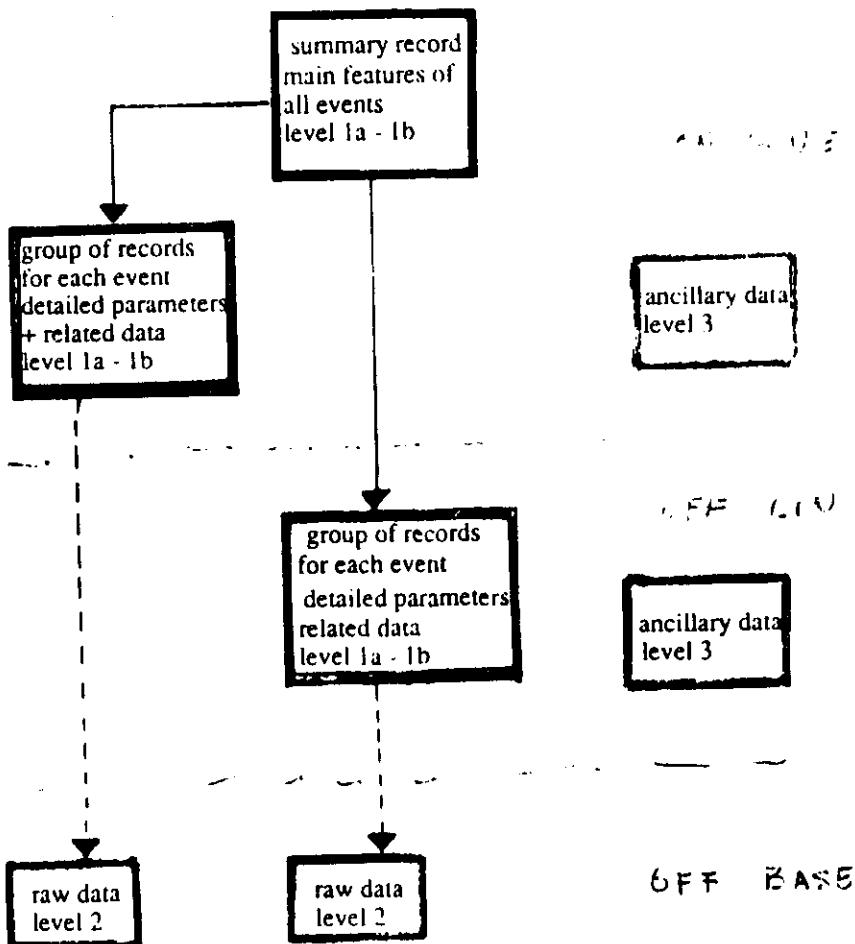
$n_8 \times \text{COMMENTS}$ EPI id , Comments

STADAT STADAT ID, Station (binary) code, Phase (binary) code, Arrival time + date,
 instrument code , Amplitude + period , First-motion deviation

$m \times EPISTA$ STADAT ID, $p \times (EPI + STAPHA)$ ID including given STADAT in computation

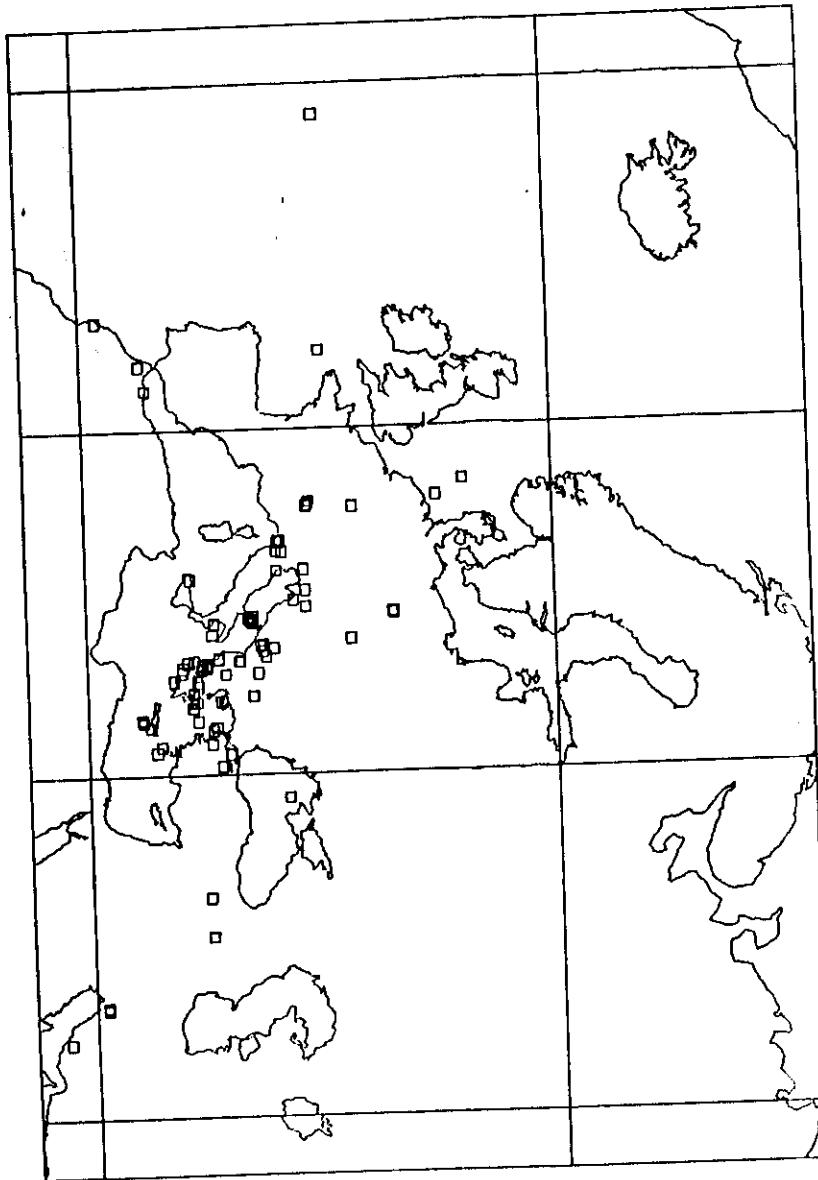
iB	Bibliographic references + table of (EPI + related records) id quoted.
TATAB	Table : binary code \leftrightarrow international alphanumerical code
TATION	Seismographic stations directory (including instruments characteristics)
PNET	Seismographic network directory
HASTAB	Table : binary code \leftrightarrow usual alphanumerical code
FLI	Table : quadrats covered by each "Flinn + Engdahl's region"
LINN	"Flinn + Engdahl's regions" directory
COUNTRY	Table : quadrats covered by each political country
LOC	(evolutive) table : quadrats covered by vernacular geographic names
CATALOG	Table : EPI ids of any given catalogue
ORGANISM	Seismological agencies directory
SPLIT	Directory of split quadrats

On-line data retrieval



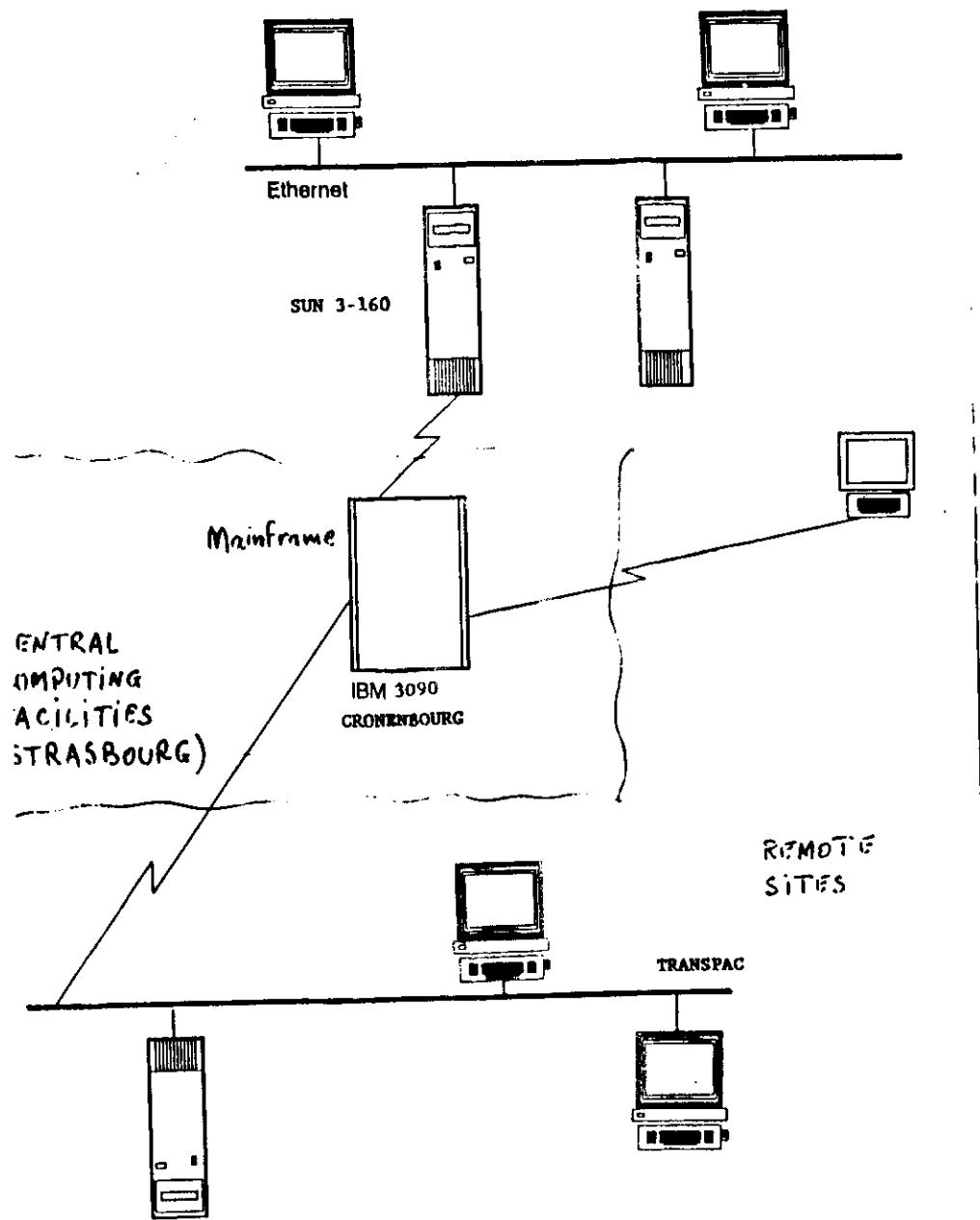
Data retrieval : how ?

- using general-purpose procedures structured in menus
- using SQL interactive DBMS language
- using screen-oriented procedures (whenever possible)
- using FORTRAN programs (at the centre)
- ability to transfer data to one's own computer through general-purpose or dedicated networks



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Network architecture



Further topics

- use of natural languages in retrieval ?
- additionnal map drawing software
- customized output
- compatibility with statistics software