

Finite Earthquake Source Modeling

*based on 1-point and 2-point statistics
of kinematic source parameters*

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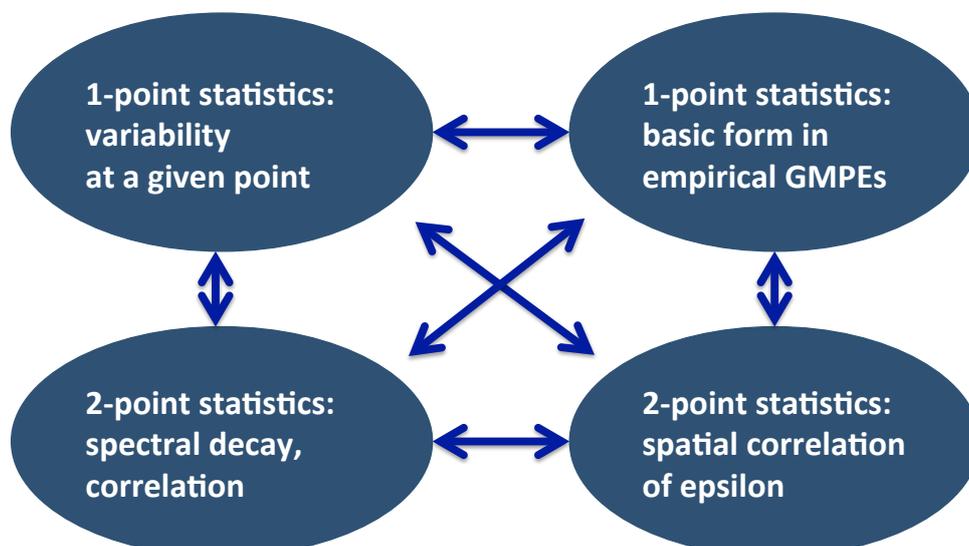
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Consistency !! *in ground motion modeling*

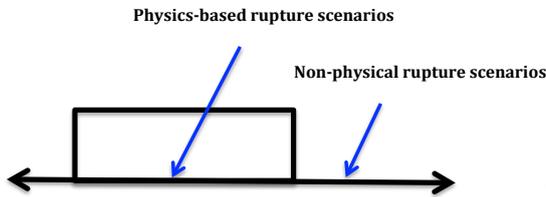
Earthquake Seismology

Earthquake Engineering



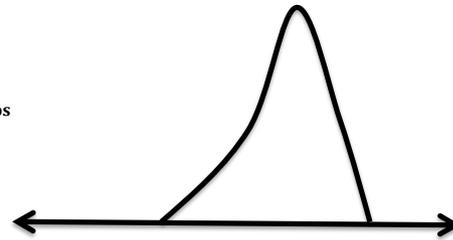
Quantifying the likelihood of rupture scenarios

(a)



a) Non-zero, but **uniform probability** is assigned to physics-based (physically-acceptable) rupture scenarios. Zero probability is assigned to non-physical rupture scenarios

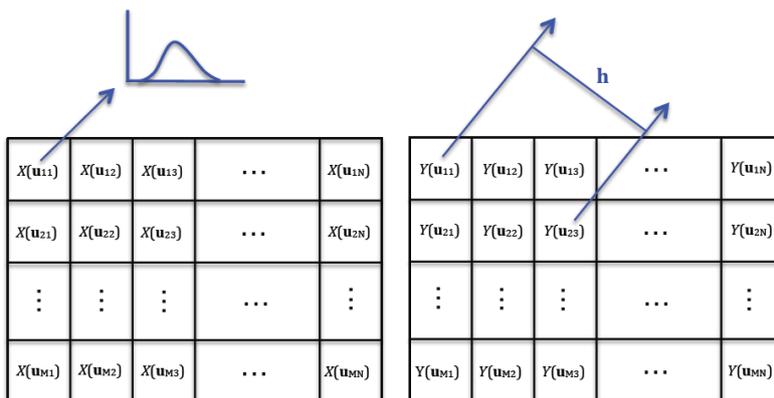
(b)



b) **Non-uniform probability** distribution within the physics-based rupture scenarios

Physics-based (pseudo-dynamic) rupture modeling may help us to exclude non-physical rupture scenarios, but the next step is to quantify the likelihood of the physically admissible rupture scenarios

Finite source modeling with spatial random field models



Continuous random field

$$\{X(\mathbf{u}), \forall \mathbf{u} \in A\}$$

Discrete random field

$$\{X(\mathbf{u}_{ij}), i = 1, \dots, M, j = 1, \dots, N\}$$

Autocorrelation

$$\text{Cov}(X(\mathbf{u}_{ij}), X(\mathbf{u}_{ij} + \mathbf{h})) = \text{Cov}(X(\mathbf{u}_{pq}), X(\mathbf{u}_{pq} + \mathbf{h})) = \text{Cov}_{XX}(\mathbf{h}), \quad \rho_{XX}(\mathbf{h}) = \text{Cov}_{XX}(\mathbf{h}) / \sigma_X^2$$

Cross-correlation

$$\text{Cov}(X(\mathbf{u}_{ij}), Y(\mathbf{u}_{ij} + \mathbf{h})) = \text{Cov}(X(\mathbf{u}_{pq}), Y(\mathbf{u}_{pq} + \mathbf{h})) = \text{Cov}_{XY}(\mathbf{h}), \quad \rho_{XY}(\mathbf{h}) = \text{Cov}_{XY}(\mathbf{h}) / \sigma_X \sigma_Y$$

Spatial correlation (2-point stats.)

Auto and cross-covariance function and correlogram

$\Sigma =$

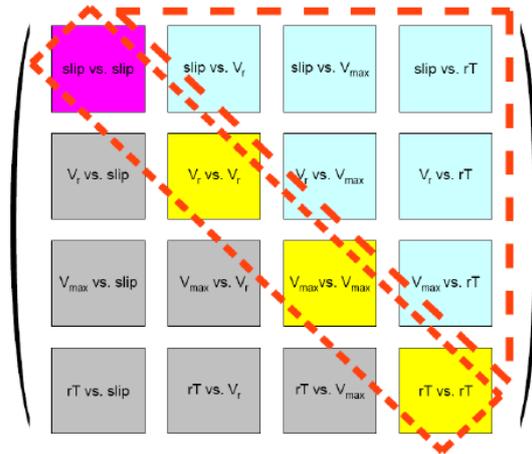
$$C(\mathbf{h}) = E\{(X(\mathbf{u}) - m_X)(Y(\mathbf{u} + \mathbf{h}) - m_Y)\}$$

$$\rho(\mathbf{h}) = C(\mathbf{h}) / (\sigma_X \sigma_Y)$$

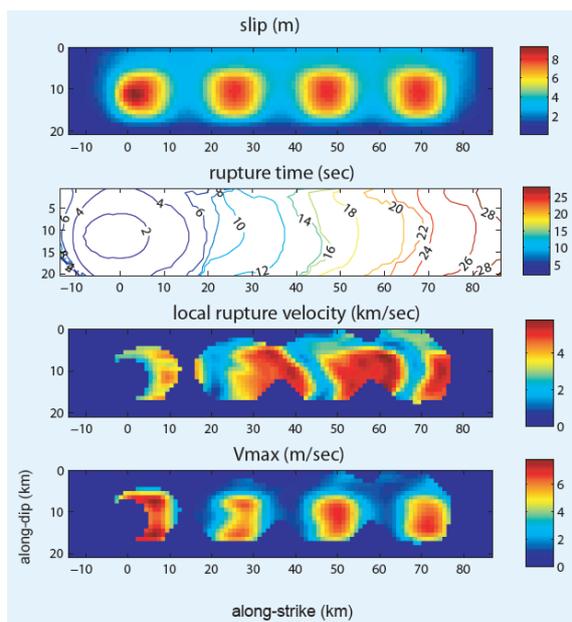
$$\hat{C}(\mathbf{h}) = \frac{1}{N(\mathbf{h})} \sum_{\alpha=1}^{N(\mathbf{h})} x(\mathbf{u}_\alpha) \cdot y(\mathbf{u}_\alpha + \mathbf{h}) - \hat{m}_X \hat{m}_Y$$

$$\hat{m}_X = \frac{1}{N(\mathbf{h})} \sum_{\alpha=1}^{N(\mathbf{h})} x(\mathbf{u}_\alpha)$$

$$\hat{\sigma}_X^2 = \frac{1}{N(\mathbf{h})} \sum_{\alpha=1}^{N(\mathbf{h})} (x(\mathbf{u}_\alpha) - \hat{m}_X)^2$$

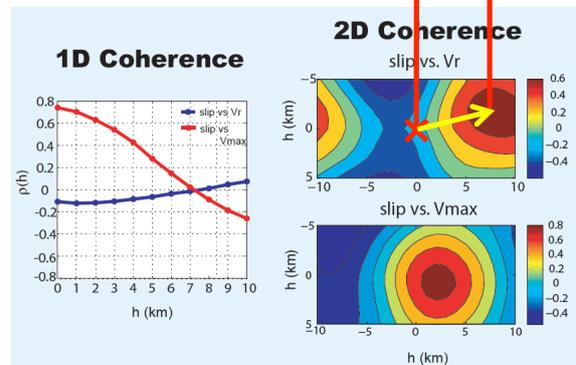


Spatial correlation from dynamic rupture models



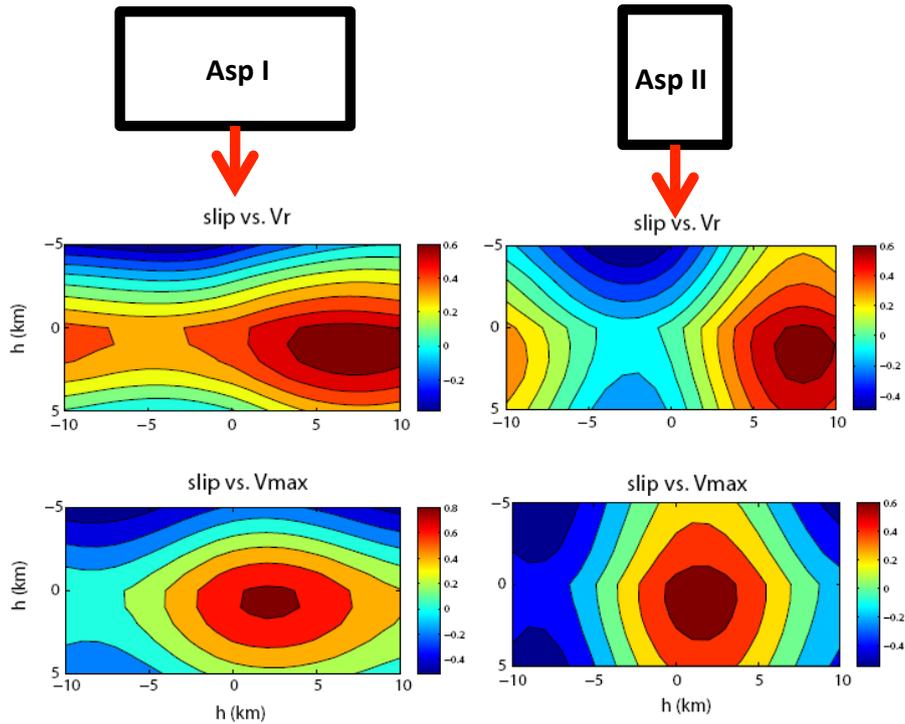
(Dalguer et al., 2008)

Response Distance ~ 8 km



(Song and Somerville, 2010)

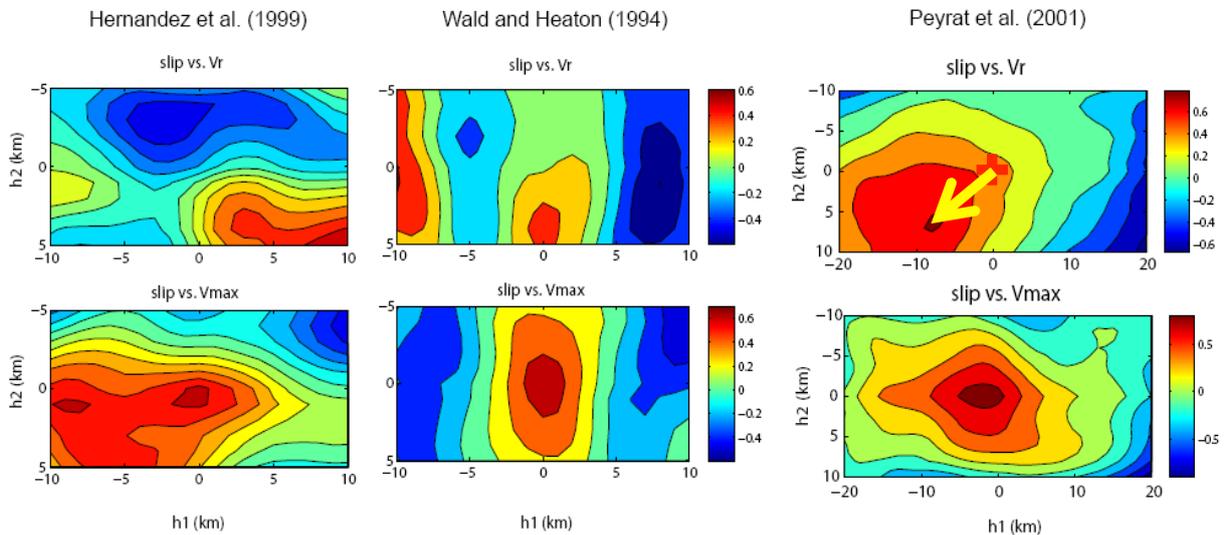
Does asperity shape affect correlation?



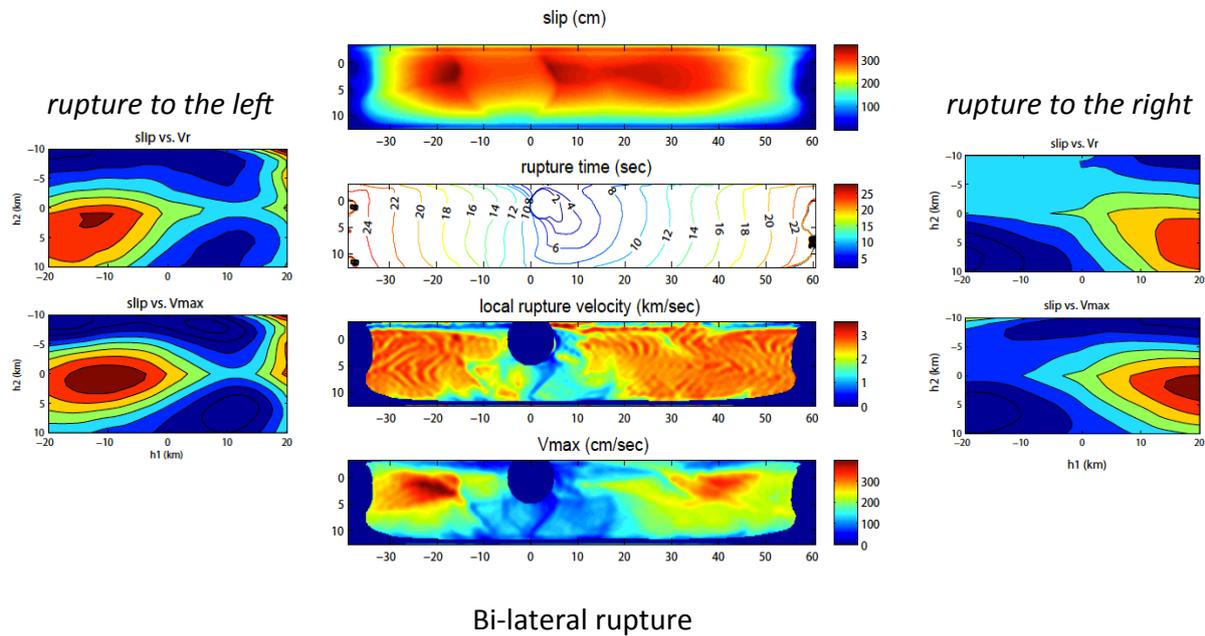
Spatial correlation in the 1992 M_w 7.2 Landers, California, event

Kinematic

Dynamic



Non-stationarity in spatial correlation



Earthquake Source Statistics

to quantify the variability of rupture processes

- **1-Point Statistics**
 - Scaling of mean slip and sigma with earthquake size
 - Supershear and subshear
 - Crack-like and pulse-like rupture
 - Stick-slip and creeping
- **2-Point statistics**
 - *Auto-coherence*: define heterogeneity of source parameters
 - *Cross-coherence*: control coupling between different parameters

