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Volcanoes deformation: measurements and interpretation through modeling

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Merapi Volcano, Indonesia (2008), from National Geographic



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Magma storage and transport through the crust

-Deformation study by InSAR

-Modeling (analytical + numerical) of magmatic plumbing systems beneath volcanoes

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Outline of the course:

*I Availability of deformation measurements through time SINCE WHEN?

*II Tools used for deformation measurements: HOW?

-in situ measurements

-remote sensing: InSAR

*III Various causes of deformation at volcanoes CAUSES?

- -Example of a typical basaltic volcano (Piton de la Fournaise, Reunion Island)
- -Example of a typical andesitic volcano (Montserrat)
- *IV Modeling of deformation sources HOW TO USE?

-Analytical model for volcanoes deformation

-Numerical models advantages, remaining problems

*V Inversion of deformation data

*VI Why is it important to study volcanoes deformation? WHY?

- Monitoring for risk assessment.
- Understanding volcanoes behaviour.

*VII Interest of Complementary measurements *VIII Two exemples of numerical models.

Optional: Practical works -Analytic models (Matlab) -Numerical models (COMSOL software)



Measurements of surface deformation available at volcanoes

Temporal series are available over more than 100 years.



From Dvorak et Dzurisin, 1997

Some long term information also exists over 10,000 years



Vesuvius, Italy

Using paleoecology



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Some long term information also exists over 10,000 years.



First interpretation of volcano deformation : Hawaii



Recently: a significant improvment of the spatial and temporal resolution of deformation measurements : Hawaii



2 main progress:



Tools for surface deformation measurements:



Tools for surface deformation measurements:

Most often used on volcanoes:

-GPS

-EDM measurements

-levelling

-photogrammetry

In situ measurements require benchmarks







Levelling surveys:





Height (BM-2) = 3.5332 m - (2.4561 m - 1.4932 m) = 2.5703 m

Height (BM-3) = 2.5707 m - (2.9987 m - 1.0785 m) = 0.6501 m

From Dzurizin, 2007

Tools for surface deformation measurements:



Most often used on volcanoes:

-tiltmeters -strainmeters -GPS

-EDM measurements





$$\underline{\theta} = \left(\begin{array}{c} \theta_x \\ \theta_y \end{array}\right) = \left(\begin{array}{c} \frac{\partial U_x}{\partial z} \\ \frac{\partial U_y}{\partial z} \end{array}\right) = \left(\begin{array}{c} -\frac{\partial U_z}{\partial x} \\ -\frac{\partial U_z}{\partial y} \end{array}\right)$$

$$\theta_r = \frac{\partial U_r}{\partial z} = -\frac{\partial U_z}{\partial r}$$



Simple bubble tiltmeters : precision around 1 µrad. (a few 1000\$) Borehole long-base tiltmeters: precision around 1nrad (10⁻⁹ rad) (more expensive)

Extensometers:

0.8

0.4

0

-0.4

-0.8

Normal, tangential and vertical displacement along a fault U_n, U_t, U_v





From Peltier et al, 2006

Strainmeters:

Measure the strain $(\varepsilon_{xx}, \varepsilon_{yy}, \varepsilon_{zz})$ Volumetric strainmeters measure $\Delta V/V = \varepsilon_{xx} + \varepsilon_{yy} + \varepsilon_{zz}$ Often placed in boreholes Sampling frequency 1Hz to 100Hz Precision around 10⁻¹², can detect strain around 5*10⁻⁸ over months Price around 10000\$





Ux, Uy (precision around mm) Uz (precision around cm)



From Dzurisin, 2007



EDM measurements:

Distance between two points







Photogrammetry:

Use of photographs or videos to measure surface displacements.





From Walter, GJInt, 2011

Tools for surface deformation measurements:





Map of displacement in a given direction.

Wavelength used by SAR imagery



Satellite providing SAR data

Satellite	Period f t	Revisit ime (days)	Altitude (km)	Frequency (GHz)	Band	Incidence Angle (deg)	Swath (km)
ERS-1	1991-199	6 35	790	5.3	С	23	100
ERS-2	1995-201	$1 \ 35$	790	5.3	\mathbf{C}	23	100
JERS-1	1992-199	8 44	568	1.275	\mathbf{L}	39	85
Radarsat	1995-	24	792	5.3	\mathbf{C}	20-49	10 - 500
ENVISAT	2001-	35	800	5.3	\mathbf{C}	20 - 50	100-500
ALOS	2002-201	$1 \ 45$	700	1.27	\mathbf{L}	8-60	40-350
Radarsat 2	2007-	24	798	5.3	\mathbf{C}	20-60	20-500
TerraSAR-X (2)	2007-	11	514	9.65	Х	20-55	10-100
Cosmo-Skymed (4)) 2007-	16	619.61	9.6	Х	40 - 50	10-200
ALOS2	2013-	14	628	1.2	\mathbf{L}	8-70	25 - 350
Sentinel1(2)	2013-?	12	6935	5.4	\mathbf{C}	>25	>250

Satellites



Spatial and temporal resolution is improving

A large amount of data is expected around 2015 with Sentinel 1



Cosmo-Skymed



Principle of SAR (Synthetic Aperture Radar)

Resolution in azimuth is given by $R\lambda/L \rightarrow 5$ km for ERS

This resolution is improved par Synthetic Aperture processing:

-Using Doppler effect in azimuth =azimuth compression

-Using frequency modulation of the signal in range=range compression



Images SAR

SAR Synthesis





ERS scene 100*100km 140 millions of pixels

Raw data Resolution 5km in azimuth 14km in range For ERS Single look complex (SLC) Image =focused image Resolution 5 m in azimuth 20 m in range

(Massonnet et al., 1998)



Synthetic Aperture Radar (SAR) imagery

Remote sensing All weather and day/night observations A given target is defined by its distance from the satellite.

A complex signal: $y_M = |y_M| e^{if_M}$





Random signal

SAR geometry

Foreshortening



Image quality: geometry Foreshortening et layover effect



Foreshortening

Layover

Image quality: geometry

➔ example of layover effect


Difficulty: There are some « holes » in the signal.



Descending (3.6 % of image) 7% Ascending (4.9 % of image) 12%

InSAR: Interferometry between 2 images

2 dates of acquisitions

Master image (M)

- Temporal baseline(ΔT) : time difference between 2 images

-Spatial baseline ($B\perp$) : distance between the 2 satellites position



InSAR provides maps of surface displacement in Line of Sight

2 acquisitions radar: ---> Master Image (M) Slave Image (S)

Couple of images characterized by: $B\perp$, ΔT

$$Int = y_M y_S^* = |y_M| |y_S| exp(j(\phi_M - \phi_S))$$

$$\Phi_{\rm M} - \Phi_{\rm S} = \Delta \Phi = \Delta \Phi_{\rm spatial} (B_{\rm perp}, z) + \Delta \Phi_{\rm atmo} + (4\pi/\lambda) d + \Delta \Phi_{\rm noise}$$

1 fringe corresponds to a displacement of $\lambda/2$ in the Line of Sight Precision around 1 cm

Exemple ENVISAT images on Colima volcano



$$\Delta \Phi = \Phi_{M} - \Phi_{S}$$



Enable to measure vertical and E-W displacements.

Ambiguity of phase information

 $\Delta \Phi$ is known with an ambiguity of 2π Phase unwraping is required to obtained displacement with regards to a reference point



$$Coherence = \gamma = \frac{\left|\sum M_i \cdot E_i *\right|}{\sqrt{\sum |M_i|^2 \cdot \sum |E_i|^2}} \quad ; \quad 0 \le \gamma \le 1$$

Spatial Resolution : 40 m * 40 m



Mean Amplitude

Phase difference $\Delta \phi$

Coherence

Coherence





Increasing spatial baseline (B⊥, m)

Increasing temporal baseline (ΔT , days)

Coherence is better with L-band over vegetated areas



ENVISAT: $\Delta T=385$ jours B $\perp=5m$



ALOS: $\Delta T=873$ jours B $\perp=177m$

C-band

L-band



Coherence with L-band over Java

From Philibosian & Simons, 2011



Processing chains Conventional InSAR

- DIAPASON developed by CNES (Massonnet)
- ROI_PAC (Jet Propulsion Lab. & Caltech) <u>http://www.roipac.org/</u> with mdx to visualize
- NEST (Next ESA SAR Toolbox) <u>http://nest.array.ca/web/nest</u>

- Also some useful tools written in C can be found here: http://www.efidir.fr/

Processing chain (ROIPAC example).

ROI_pac Two-pass Processing Flow



modified from Mark Simons

Processing chain (ROIPAC example).

MOUNT PEULIK VOLCANO, ALASKA





From Dzurizin, 2007

Processing chain (ROIPAC example).

MOUNT PEULIK VOLCANO, ALASKA



Filtered interferogram over amplitude image



Transformation to geographical coordinates



Filtered, transformed interferogram over shaded relief from DEM



From Dzurizin, 2007

An example of interferogram

Piton de la Fournaise, Reunion Island Eruption on the 23rd of August 2003



From Froger et al, 2004

Signal is not always so obvious



Atmospheric, orbit and DEM errors

Errors can become larger than the signal for low strain and short time intervals

SAR Time series analysis: a way to improve signal/noise



Allow picking of coherent pixels. DEM estimation error is possible Other errors are reduced by filtering in time.

Any InSAR method using multiple images of the same area acquired at different time.

Two families of Time series studies

(see Hooper et al, Tectonophysics, 2012)

*Persistent Scatterer methods

optimized for pixels dominated by a single scatterer





*<u>Small Baseline methods</u>:

optimized for pixels with a Gaussian distribution of scatterers





Processing chains SAR time series

StaMPS Andy Hooper
http://radar.tudelft.nl/~ahooper/stamps/index.html

- NSBAS Marie-Pierre Doin and EFIDIR team http://www.efidir.fr/

Example of Small Baseline Approach



From Doin et al, 2011

Main improvements due to InSAR

Detection of deformation in remoted areas/ Regional studies

Detection of deep storage zones.



Better imagery of deformation sources



Pritchard & Simons, 2002

Main InSAR limitations

*Poor temporal resolution (35 days reduced sometimes to 1 day)

*Atmospheric artefacts:



DEM-SRTM

Under sea measurements

Pressure at the seafloor is measure and converted to depth:

- bottom pressure recorders (BPRs)

Continuous record, useful to measure sudden deformation event.

- **mobile pressure recorder (MPR)** connected to a remotely operated vehicle (ROV).

Several survey with MPRs deployment onto an array of seafloor benchmarks to make campaign-style pressure measurements, allows to quantify long term deformation.

<u>Application: seamounts deformation quantification, also used</u> to quantify tsunamis

Under sea measurements



Sketch of a bottom pressure recorder

Summary

Instrument	Information	Spatial sampling	Temporal sampling	Available since	Precision
EDM	Distance variations	Punctual	Days to years	A few 100 years	mm
Theodolite	Angle variations	Punctual	Months to years	A few 100 years	mgr
Extensometers	Fault opening	Punctual	A few seconds	Around 30 years	10µm
Volumetric strainmeter	Volume variation	Punctual	A few seconds		
Tiltmeter	Tilt variations	Punctual	A few seconds	Around 100 years (around 40 years for continuous)	nrad
GPS	3D displacement	Punctual	A few seconds	20 years	mm for horizontal cm for vertical
SAR SAR time series	1D displacement	Maps (100 km ²)	Around 10 days	Since 1995 20 years	cm mm

Summary



From Dzurizin, 2007

Various types of measurements



Figure 1.23. Strain rate detection threshold for various deformation-monitoring techniques as a function of the interval over which repeated measurements are averaged (J. Langbein, USGS, written commun., 1998). An 8-km baseline was assumed for GPS and EDM. Open circles and solid squares represent annual GPS measurements and annual two-color EDM measurements, respectively. Most geodetic measurements are subject to both random-walk noise (e.g., monument drift) and white noise (e.g., atmospheric effects, instrument noise). Using a high sampling rate and averaging a large number of samples can sometimes mitigate the effect of white noise; in such cases, random-walk noise becomes a limiting factor. Borehole strainmeters and long-base tiltmeters provide the most accurate information over timescales of minutes to days, while repeated leveling or GPS surveys are best over periods of months to years.

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Averaging interval, in years

Complementary measurements are useful

because the type of signal, which can be recorded and quantified, strongly depends on the instrument and on the network geometry

Various causes of deformation at volcanoes

Ex: temporal evolution of surface displacement recorded at Grimsvötn





(from Sturkell et al., JVGR, 2006)

GPS campaigns

Ex: temporal evolution of surface displacement recorded at Grimsvötn



GPS campaigns + CGPS

Interpretation: magma storage at shallow depth



Inflation by magma accumulation in a storage zone during inter-eruptive periods. Deflation by magma withdrawal during eruptions.

Magmatic intrusion during an eruptive event

Piton de la Fournaise, Reunion Island Eruption on the 23rd of August 2003



From Froger et al, 2004

Magma flow within a conduit



Cumulative displacements at GPS benchmarks from 1993 to 1997 in a vertical plan (azimuth N145°E). Merapi volcano summit area.



From Beauducel et al, 2000

Uplift around Katla volcano, Iceland





Uplift around Katla volcano, Iceland

• Uplift measured by GPS (Sturkell et al, 2008)



June 2001-June 2004


Uplift around Katla volcano, Iceland

<u>2 possible sources :</u>

- an input of magma beneath Katla volcano

- the unloading effect induced by the retreat of the glacier A peripheric long term decrease:

Ablation of ice ($\rho = 900 \text{ kg/m}^3$) mainly occurs from May to September.

Ice load variation (m) Oct. 1999-Oct. 2004



Subsidence induced by the load of eruptive deposits.

*Colima volcano (Mexico): a summit subsidence (more than 2 cm/an) mostly localized on lava flows.

Descending track 384





From Pinel et al, 2011

Subsidence induced by the load of eruptive deposits.

Volcano	Lava composition	Age (yr)	Max. flow thickness (m)	Max. subsidence rate (cm/yr)	References
Krafla (1975–1984)	Basaltic	17-20	50	0.6	Sigmundsson et al. (1997)
Tolbachik (1975–1976)	Basaltic	16 - 28	80	~ 2	Pritchard and Simons (2004) and Fedotov et al. (1980)
Okmok (1945–1958)	Basaltic	35-38	20–30	~ 1.5	Lu et al. (2005b)
Okmok (1997)	Basaltic	0.1	50	83	Lu et al. (2005b)
Okmok (1997)	Basaltic	3	50	4	Lu et al. (2005b)
Colima (1998–1999)	Andesitic	3-8	30 (flow fronts)	1.5	Pinel et al. (2011), Navarro-Ochoa et al. (2002) and Zobin (2002)
Santiaguito (2004–2005)	Dacitic	4-6	120	6	This work
Paricutin (1943–1953)	Basaltic-andesite	54 - 65	> 70	4-4.5	Fournier et al. (2010)
Reventador (2005)	Andesitic	3-4		1-2	Mothes et al. (2008)
Sierra Negra (1979)	Basaltic	13-19		3	Amelung and Day (2002)
Lonquimay (1988–1989)	Andesitic	13-21	55	2	Fournier et al. (2010); Naranjo et al. (1992)
Nyamuragira (1991–1993)	Basaltic	6-11		1-4	Colclough (2006)
Nyamuragira (1991–1993)	Basaltic	13-18	570)	0.9	G. Wadge, personal communication, 2012
Nyamuragira (2004)	Basaltic	2–5		1	G. Wadge, personal communication, 2012
Etna (1983)	Basaltic	10 - 14	55	0.8	Stevens et al. (1999)
Etna (1989)	Basaltic	3-4	10	3.5	Briole et al. (1997)
Etna (1991–1993)	Basaltic	1–2	96	25.6	Briole et al. (1997)

From Ebmeier et al, 2012

Volcanic edifice instabilities Large flank displacements



From Doin et al, 2011

Damavand, Iran, inactive



From Shirzaei et al, 2011

Hydrothermal systems



Figure 10.9. Schematic model of the transition from magmatic to epithermal conditions in a sub-volcanic environment where the tops of intruded plutons are at depths in the range I to 3 km. (A) The brittle-to-plastic transition occurs at about 370° to 400°C and dilute, dominantly meteoric water circulates at hydrostatic pressure in brittle rock, while highly saline, dominantly magmatic fluid at lithostatic pressure accumulates in plastic rock. (B) Episodic and temporary breaching of a normally self-sealed zone allows magmatic fluid to escape into the overlying hydrothermal system. See text for discussion.

From Dzurizin, 2007

Various causes of deformation at volcanoes

-Storage of magma in a shallow reservoir/ withdrawal of a shallow reservoir.

-Emplacement of magmatic intrusion at shallow depth.

-Magma conduit flow.

-Movements induced by surface load changes, compaction/contraction of eruptive deposits. -Flank instabilities.

-Hydrothermal systems

Not always related to magmatic activity

For instance: Katla (Iceland), Damavand volcano (Iran)

Deformation observed on a typical basaltic volcano Ex Piton de la Fournaise, Reunion Island



Eruption in August 2003 $0.8 * 10^6 \text{ m}^3$

From Froger et al, 2004

Deformation observed on a typical basaltic volcano Ex Piton de la Fournaise, Reunion Island

Sud Nord Altitude (m) 2400 DSRg SNEGa FJSq 2000 FORg 1600 1200 800 400 0 Nord (m) 35000 37000 38000 Août 2004 (37 jours d'inflation) Novembre 2005 (42 jours d'inflation) 5 cm Février 2005 (87 jours d'inflation) Décembre 2005 (25 jours d'inflation) Octobre 2005 (125 jours d'inflation) Juillet 2006 (119 jours d'inflation)

Peltier, seminar in Grenoble, 2009

Deformation observed on a typical basaltic volcano

Ex Piton de la Fournaise, Reunion Island



Brenguier et al. ,2012

Deformation observed on a typical andesitic volcano

Ex: Montserrat



from Sparks (2003)

Deformation observed on a typical andesitic volcano Ex: Montserrat



From Elsworth et al. (2008)



Apparent depth of the magmatic source Increases with the distance crater-GPS station \rightarrow 2 sources (5 and 17 km) Foroozan et al, 2010,2011

Summary: Types of deformation

	Basaltic volcanoes	Andesitic volcanoes
Reservoir	*	*
Intrusions	*	
Conduit		*
Load	*	*
Destabilisation	*	*

Modeling of deformation sources

$$\underline{\underline{\sigma}} = \begin{pmatrix} \sigma_{xx} & \sigma_{xy} & \sigma_{xz} \\ \sigma_{yx} & \sigma_{yy} & \sigma_{yz} \\ \sigma_{zx} & \sigma_{zy} & \sigma_{zz} \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{Rheology}} \underline{\underline{\epsilon}} = \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon_{rr} & \epsilon_{r\theta} & \epsilon_{rz} \\ \epsilon_{r\theta} & \epsilon_{\theta\theta} & \epsilon_{\thetaz} \\ \epsilon_{rz} & \epsilon_{\thetaz} & \epsilon_{zz} \end{pmatrix}$$

Stress tensor

Forces

Strain tensor $\underline{\varepsilon} = \frac{1}{2} (\overrightarrow{\text{grad}} \, \underline{u} + \overrightarrow{\text{grad}}^{\mathsf{T}} \, \underline{u})$

$$\underline{U} = \left(egin{array}{c} U_{m{x}} \\ U_{m{y}} \\ U_{m{z}} \end{array}
ight)$$









Strain and displacement...

Displacement vector defined at each point:



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For "small" displacements, strain tensor is given by:

$$\underline{\epsilon} = \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon_{xx} & \epsilon_{xy} & \epsilon_{xz} \\ \epsilon_{xy} & \epsilon_{yy} & \epsilon_{yz} \\ \epsilon_{xz} & \epsilon_{yz} & \epsilon_{zz} \end{pmatrix} \qquad \epsilon_{xx} = \frac{\partial U_x}{\partial x} \qquad \epsilon_{xy} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\partial U_x}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial U_y}{\partial x} \right) \\ \text{with} \qquad \epsilon_{yy} = \frac{\partial U_y}{\partial y} \qquad \epsilon_{xz} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\partial U_x}{\partial z} + \frac{\partial U_z}{\partial x} \right) \\ \epsilon_{zz} = \frac{\partial U_z}{\partial z} \qquad \epsilon_{yz} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\partial U_z}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial U_y}{\partial z} \right) \end{pmatrix}$$

Strain and displacement...

Displacement vector defined at each point:

 $\underline{U} = \left(\begin{array}{c} U_r \\ U_\theta \\ U_z \end{array}\right)$

 $x = r \cos \theta$ $y = r \sin \theta$ z = z $dV = r dr d\theta dz$ $ds^{2} = dr^{2} + r^{2} d\theta^{2} + dz^{2}$

Cylindrical coordinates

For "small" displacements, strain tensor is given by:



$$\underline{\epsilon} = \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon_{rr} & \epsilon_{r\theta} & \epsilon_{rz} \\ \epsilon_{r\theta} & \epsilon_{\theta\theta} & \epsilon_{\thetaz} \\ \epsilon_{rz} & \epsilon_{\thetaz} & \epsilon_{zz} \end{pmatrix} \qquad \text{with} \qquad \begin{aligned} \epsilon_{rr} = \frac{\partial U_r}{\partial r} & \epsilon_{r\theta} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial U_r}{\partial \theta} + \frac{\partial U_{\theta}}{\partial r} - \frac{U_{\theta}}{r} \right) \\ \epsilon_{\theta\theta} = \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial U_{\theta}}{\partial \theta} + \frac{U_r}{r} & \epsilon_{rz} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{\partial U_r}{\partial z} + \frac{\partial U_z}{\partial r} \right) \\ \epsilon_{zz} = \frac{\partial U_z}{\partial z} & \epsilon_{\theta z} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial U_z}{\partial \theta} + \frac{\partial U_{\theta}}{\partial z} \right) \end{aligned}$$

Strain and displacement...

Spherical coordinates

Displacement vector defined at each point:

$$\underline{U} = \left(\begin{array}{c} U_r \\ U_\theta \\ U_\phi \end{array}\right)$$



For "small" displacements, strain tensor is given by:

$$\underline{\epsilon} = \begin{pmatrix} \epsilon_{rr} & \epsilon_{r\theta} & \epsilon_{r\phi} \\ \epsilon_{r\theta} & \epsilon_{\theta\theta} & \epsilon_{\theta\phi} \\ \epsilon_{r\phi} & \epsilon_{\theta\phi} & \epsilon_{\phi\phi} \end{pmatrix} \qquad \text{with} \qquad \begin{aligned} \epsilon_{rr} = \frac{\partial U_r}{\partial r} & \epsilon_{r\theta} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial U_r}{\partial \theta} + \frac{\partial U_{\theta}}{\partial r} - \frac{U_{\theta}}{r} \right) \\ \epsilon_{\theta\theta} = \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial U_{\theta}}{\partial \theta} + \frac{U_r}{r} & \epsilon_{r\phi} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{r \sin \theta} \frac{\partial U_r}{\partial \phi} + \frac{\partial U_{\phi}}{\partial r} - \frac{U_{\phi}}{r} \right) \\ \epsilon_{\phi\phi} = \frac{1}{r \sin \theta} \frac{\partial U_{\phi}}{\partial \phi} + \frac{U_r}{r} + \frac{U_{\theta} \text{cotan}}{r} & \epsilon_{\theta\phi} = \frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{1}{r \sin \theta} \frac{\partial U_{\theta}}{\partial \phi} + \frac{1}{r} \frac{\partial U_{\phi}}{\partial \theta} - \frac{U_{\phi} \text{cotan}\theta}{r} \right) \end{aligned}$$

What is a model ?

A model is a theoretical representation of reality which aims at better knowing and better understanding this reality.

A model is a framework which allows:

- to interpret various observations (surface displacements, heat flux, self-potential, seismicity, gravity...)

- to constrain our knowledge (on crustal rheologies, stress field, initial state...)

The model: A chalenging tool

Knowing that:

"All is simple is false. All is complicated is useless" Paul Valéry.

The degree of complexity has to be related to the numbers of available observations.

You have to choose:

- The physics

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- Medium properties

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And eventually to perform a dimensionless study

Various methods for modeling



Importance of scaling

Various methods for modeling



Importance of scaling

Modeling of deformation sources 1- Analytical models for volcanoes deformation

Assumptions

Crust is considered as an isotropic, homogeneous, half-space

with an <u>elastic behaviour</u>:

Hooke's law:

$$\boldsymbol{\varepsilon} = \frac{1}{E} \left((1+\nu)\boldsymbol{\sigma} - \nu \operatorname{Tr}(\boldsymbol{\sigma})\mathbf{I} \right)$$
$$\boldsymbol{\sigma} = \frac{E}{1+\nu} \left(\boldsymbol{\varepsilon} + \frac{\nu}{1-2\nu} \operatorname{Tr}(\boldsymbol{\varepsilon})\mathbf{I} \right)$$

E: Young's modulus v: Poisson's ratio

G: Modulus of rigidity is also used $G=E/(2*(1+\nu))$

Young's modulus

From seismic data: a dynamic value



The « Mogi » model (1958)

(Bull. Of the Earthq. Res. Inst. Vol 36, 1958)



Four parameters: position, depth, strength

- The physics Continuum mechanics, solid, linear elasticity (Hooke's law) No distant force $div \sigma = 0$
- Medium properties Homogeneous E, v
- Half-space (H_c , R_c) with $R_c/H_c << 0$ - The geometry
- The initial state
- Perturbation considered
- The dimensionless study

- The boundary conditions Free upper surface, zero displacements at infinity Equilibrium, no initial stress field

- Punctual pressure source (ΔP)
- For a given v, only one solution when scaling all distances by chamber depth H_c and displacement by $(\Delta PR_c^{3)}/(EH_c^{2})$

 $u_{v}=2(1-v^{2})/(1+r^{2})^{3/2}, u_{r}=2(1-v^{2})*r/(1+r^{2})^{3/2}$
Mogi Model



Most simple analytical model= Point source model in an homogeneous elastic half-space: « Mogi model » (1958) (4 parameters)

Vertical displacement:

$$U_z(z=0,r) = 2(1-v^2) \frac{\Delta P_c R_c^3}{E} \frac{H_c}{(H_c^2+r^2)^{3/2}}$$

$$U_{zmax}(z=0) = 2(1-v^2) \frac{\Delta P_c R_c^3}{EH_c^2}$$

 $U_z = U_r * H_c/r$

Horizontal displacement:

$$U_r(z=0,r) = 2(1-v^2) \frac{\Delta P_c R_c^3}{E} \frac{r}{(H_c^2 + r^2)^{3/2}}$$

Tilt:
$$\theta_r(r) = 6(1 - v^2) \frac{\Delta P_c R_c^3 H_c}{E} \frac{r}{(H_c^2 + r^2)^{5/2}}$$

Vertical displacement



With v=0.25

Horizontal displacement



With v=0.25

Tilt



Normalised lateral distance (r/H_c)

With our convention, inflation induces a positive tilt

With v=0.25

Mc Tigue's formulation for a finite sphere

Mogi model is a point source model, valid only in case $R_c \ll H$ Only give $\Delta PR_c^3/E$: no information on the source size. McTigue (*JGR*, 1987) propose a better analytical approximation depending on R_c :

Vertical displacement:

$$U_{z}(z=0,r) = 2(1-v^{2})\frac{\Delta P_{c}R_{c}^{3}}{E} \left[\frac{H_{c}}{(H_{c}^{2}+r^{2})^{3/2}} - \frac{(1+v)}{2(7-5v)}\frac{1}{H_{c}^{2}}\frac{R_{c}^{3}}{(H_{c}^{2}+r^{2})^{3/2}} + \frac{15(2-v)}{4(7-5v)}\frac{R_{c}^{3}}{(H_{c}^{2}+r^{2})^{5/2}}\right]$$

Horizontal displacement:

$$U_r(z=0,r) = 2(1-\nu^2) \frac{\Delta P_c R_c^3}{E} \left[\frac{r}{(H_c^2+r^2)^{3/2}} - \frac{(1+\nu)}{2(7-5\nu)} \frac{1}{H_c^3} \frac{r R_c^3}{(H_c^2+r^2)^{3/2}} + \frac{15(2-\nu)}{4(7-5\nu)} \frac{1}{H_c} \frac{r R_c^3}{(H_c^2+r^2)^{5/2}} \right]$$

Tilt:

$$\theta_r(r) = 6(1 - v^2) \frac{\Delta P_c R_c^3}{E} \left[\frac{H_c r}{(H_c^2 + r^2)^{5/2}} - \frac{(1 + v)}{2(7 - 5v)} \frac{1}{H_c^2} \frac{r R_c^3}{(H_c^2 + r^2)^{5/2}} + \frac{25(2 - v)}{4(7 - 5v)} \frac{r R_c^3}{(H_c^2 + r^2)^{7/2}} \right]$$

Vertical displacement



Normalised lateral distance (r/H_c)

With v=0.25

Horizontal displacement



Normalised lateral distance (r/H_c)

With v=0.25

Tilt



Normalised lateral distance (r/H_c)

With our convention, inflation induces a positive tilt

With
$$v=0.25$$

It is difficult to have an information on magma reservoir size from surface deformation

Ex: Wesdhal, Alaska (Lu et al., 2000) : Inflation of 16 cm from sept. 93 to oct. 98 due to a storage zone at 9 km depth



Difference of vertical displacement at surface < mm.

Contrains on reservoir size from temporal evolution of surface displacement

For basaltic volcanoes a simple model coupling crustal deformation and magma flow :



Contrains on reservoir size from temporal evolution of surface displacement

With a smaller reservoir the Displacement rate is larger at the beginning.



Exponential decay of surface displacement is observed.





Lu et al, JGR, 2010

Influence of surface slope

<u>Analytical solutions:</u> Small slope influence can be estimated



(McTigue & Segall, GRL, 1988)

Influence of reservoir geometry

Ellipsoïdal source *Yang et al, JGR 88*





Influence of reservoir geometry



From Segall, 2010

Oblate ellipsoid



Vertical displacement:

$$U_z(z=0,r) = 2(1-v^2)\frac{\Delta P_c R_c^3}{E} \frac{4H_c^3}{\pi (H_c^2+r^2)^{5/2}}$$

Horizontal displacement:

$$U_r(z=0,r) = 2(1-v^2) \frac{\Delta P_c R_c^3}{E} \frac{4H_c^2 r}{\pi ({H_c}^2 + r^2)^{5/2}}$$

$U_z = U_r * H_c/r$



 $\Delta P(t)$ Heaviside function (step function) $\Delta P(t)=0$ for t<0 = ΔP for t ≥ 0

$$t_r = \frac{6 \eta (1 - \nu) R_{c2}^3}{E R_{c1}^3}$$

$$U_r(r,t) = \frac{(1+\nu)\Delta P R_{c1}^3}{2E} \left[e^{-\frac{t}{t_r}} + \frac{R_{c2}^3}{R_{c1}^3} (1-e^{-\frac{t}{t_r}}) \right]$$

 $\longleftrightarrow R_{c1}$: internal radius $\longleftrightarrow R_{c2}$: external radius





In an elastic half-space (Segall, 2010)

 R_{c1} : radius of the chamber R_{c2} : radius of the chamber+ the viscous shell

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From Segall, 2010

The « Okada » model (1985)

Dislocation in an homogeneous elastic half-space. 10 parameters: Latitude, Longitude, Depth, Width, Length, Strike, Dip, Rake, Displacement vector (tangential+normal).



Useful to model dykes or sills, the normal component of the displacement vector (opening) dominates.

The « Okada » model (1985)



Figure 8.33. Profiles of normalized vertical (left) and horizontal (right) displacements across a point tension crack with dips of 0° , 30° , 60° , and 90° . The distance is in source depths. A profile for a point source with equivalent moment is shown in gray for comparison.

From Dzurisin, 2007

The « Okada » model (1985)

The eruptive fissure can be discretized in a large number of small elements with a given displacement vector.



Disadvantage: we get an opening distribution however we would like a pressure distribution.

Magma flow within a conduit



Overpressurized conduit (Love 1987):

L=5km, a_c =15m,G=0.8GPa, v=0.25, P=10MPa, τ =3kPa

Displacement induced by the surface load

Displacement induced by a point source load on a elastic half-space:

$$U_{rG^{\infty}}(r) = -\frac{g}{2\pi} \frac{(1+\nu)(1-2\nu)}{E} \frac{1}{r}$$

$$U_{zG^{\infty}}(r) = \frac{g}{\pi} \frac{1-\nu}{E} \frac{1}{r}$$

Integrating, we have the solution for any surface load distribution

$$U_{z}^{\infty}(\vec{r}) = \int_{R} U_{zG^{\infty}}(\vec{r} - \vec{r'})\rho(\vec{r'})h(\vec{r'})\,dS(\vec{r'})$$

Pinel et al, GJInt, 2007

Displacement induced by the surface load

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Elastic lithosphere

Mantle=inviscid fluid



Figure 1. Vertical displacement as a function of lateral distance. Curves represent the value of $U_{zG^{\infty}}$ (half-space case) and $U_{zG^{H}}$ with H = 2, 5 and 10 km (thick plate case). Calculations are done with $\nu = 0.25$ and E = 15 GPa. The curve representing $U_{zG^{H}}$ for H = 50 km overlaps with the curve for the half-space.



Figure 2. Radial displacement as a function of lateral distance. Curves represent the value of $U_{rG^{\infty}}$ (half-space case) and $U_{rG^{H}}$ with H = 2, 5 and 10 km (thick plate case). Calculations are done with v = 0.25 and E = 15 GPa. The curve representing $U_{rG^{H}}$ for H = 50 km overlaps with the curve for the half-space.

Pinel et al, GJInt, 2007

Displacement induced by the surface load

Model :

Spatial integration of Green's function :



Volcanic edifice instability

Displacement occurs when

 $\sigma_t > So + tan\phi (\sigma_n - P_f)$ with ϕ the angle of internal friction P_f : fluid pressure σ_t : tangential stress σ_n :normal stress



Elsworth &Voight, 1995

Modeling of deformation sources 2- Numerical models -Advantages -Remaining problems

NUMERICAL MODELING: spatial and temporal discretization

An added step: The meshing



Various methods:

*Based on continuum physics The physics is approximately solved for each element at each time step. -Finite difference -Finite Element -Boundary element

*Discrete Element methods:





From Holohan et al, JGR, 2011

More complexe geometry: real topography



Numerical models: real DEM



From Fukushima et al, JGR, 2010

More complexe geometry: reservoir shapes



Numerical models:

Completely free

even if most often simple shape are tested mainly because of the lack of information on real shapes

Heterogeneous medium

Numerical models:

Results from tomography can be used....



... in order to define spatial distribution of elastic parameters

 $E = 5/6\rho V_p^2$ $V = [(V_p / V_s)^2 - 2]/[2(V_p / V_s)^2 - 2]$

Analytical solutions: Only homogeneous or layered medium.

More complex rheology



Numerical models:

-Visco-elasticity (Pearse et al, JGR 2010, Del Negro et al, PEPI, 2009...)

-Elasto-plasticity (Currenti et al, JGR 2010)

More realistic initial state

Numerical models:

<u>Analytical solutions:</u> Isotropic initial stress field

*Lithostatic:

- Isotropic (Mc Garr, 1988)

$$\sigma_{xx} = \sigma_{yy} = \frac{\nu}{1-\nu}\sigma_{zz}$$

(Jaeger and Cook, 1979)

*Close to failure and water saturated (Townend and Zoback, 2000)

$$\sigma_{xx} = \sigma_{yy} = \left[\frac{\sqrt{1+\mu^2}-\mu}{\sqrt{1+\mu^2}+\mu} + 2\frac{\rho_w}{\rho_r}\frac{\mu}{\sqrt{1+\mu^2}+\mu}\right]\sigma_{zz}$$

More realistic initial state



From Catry, PhD Thesis 2011
Coupling various physics



Numerical models:

<u>Analytical solution</u>: One problem at once

From Del Negro et al, PEPI, 2009







From Fournier & Chardot, 2012





INTERMEDIATE LOW INJECTION

SMALL



From Fournier & Chardot, 2012

Thermo-poro-elasticity

Table 1. TOUGH2 Models Parameters: Domain Dimensions,Injection Depths, Durations and Rates, and Fluid Temperature^a

		Inject		Inject	Inject. Rate		
Model	Radius (km)	Depth (km)	Duration (kyr)	Temperature (°C)	H_2O (t d ⁻¹)	$\begin{array}{c} \mathrm{CO}_2 \ (t \ d^{-1}) \end{array}$	
l Large caldera	50	5	22.5	350	$10 imes 10^3$	500	
2 Intermediate	5	1.7	10	350	$10 imes10^3$	500	
3 Intermediate	5	1.7	10	350	1×10^3	50	
4 Small	5	0.5	10	250	$10 imes 10^3$	500	



INTERMEDIATE LOW INJECTION

SMALL



From Fournier & Chardot, 2012

Thermo-poro-elasticity

Poroelasticity only

Fluid-structure interaction



From Bonnardot et al, EPSL, 2008

At the fluid surface interface:

- same velocity for the fluid and the solid
- Continuity of the stress vector applied at the surface



Models of fluid flow in a rigid conduit -including crystallization, degassing..., -aiming at understanding effusive/explosive transitions, flux rate variations Sparks, 1997, Melnik & Sparks 1999, Barmin et al., 2002

Plug formation is expected.

Not often linked to geophysical observations

Fluid-structure interaction A key problem in volcanology



Models used to interpret geophysical observations

(Beauducel et al, 2000, Green et al, 2006, Anderson et al, 2011...)

Not often related to the physics of magma flow



- Axial symmetry
- Stress continuity at the solid-fluid interface

Full coupling considering the conduit deformation

→Quantification of deformation induced by plug formation (Albino et al, GJInt, 2011)

NUMERICAL MODELS VALIDATION: A REQUIRED STEP

H Rc

Case Rc/H=0.1

Radial displacement



NUMERICAL MODELS VALIDATION: A REQUIRED STEP



For instance, close to the surface, static elastic parameters might be different from the dynamic ones:



Large possibilities however few constrains. Choices have to be made. For instance another key problem in volcanology is to define a **fracturation criterium**

1

Minimum stress must exceed Tensile strength

 $\sigma_3 < -T_s$

 ΔP increases with depth ΔP >70MPa for z>3km

When independent estimations give $\Delta P^{-3-15}MPa$

2

Coulomb criterium

 $\sigma_t > S_o + \tan \phi_f (\sigma_n - P_f),$

However rupture has to be in tension



Axis of symmetry

Minimum deviatoric stress must exceed Tensile strength

$$\frac{2\sigma_3-\sigma_1-\sigma_2}{2} \leq -T_s$$

 $\Delta \mathsf{P}$ constant with depth

Compatible with dyke propagation theory

Inversion of deformation data



Inversion of deformation data



Mechanical model (parameters φ, rheology)

Surface displacement

Inversion

Expression du Misfit



Expression du Misfit



Choice of Misfit expression

L1:
$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \left| x_{mod,i} - x_{obs,i} \right|$$

Same weight for each difference.

L2:
$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} (x_{mod,i} - x_{obs,i})^2$$

Largeur differences have larger effect

Normalised Misfit (%)

$$\frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} |x_{mod,i} - x_{obs,i}|}{\sum_{i=1}^{n} |x_{obs,i}|} *100$$

Inversion of deformation data

- Choice of a forward model (analytical or numerical)
- Data downsampling (ex: quadtree, Jonsson 2002)
- Data weighting (covariance)
- Estimation of a cost function using the forward

 $\chi^2(\mathbf{m}) = (\mathbf{u}_o - \mathbf{u}_m)^T C_d^{-1} (\mathbf{u}_o - \mathbf{u}_m),$

- Exploration of space parameters
- •Sometimes smoothing is required
- •Estimation of results fiability

(residuals, root mean square error (RMSE), density distributions)

Mainly because of computational cost

Possible ways to proceed : -use analytical solutions together with correction functions determined with numerical modeling (Manconi et al, JGR, 2010) -use of summation of Green's function (Masterlark 2007) -use of synthetic tests



From Fournier & Chardot, 2012



Why studing deformation at volcanoes?

*1 Monitoring for risk assessment.*2 Understanding volcanoes behaviour.

Detection of magma storage

Detection of long term precursors (months or years before an eruption).

InSAR: Useful for remote areas.



From Lu et al, 2008

Detection of deformation in remoted areas



Using time series analysis

Chaussard and Amelung, 2012

Detection of deformation in remoted areas

- A tool to decide where to put in-situ instruments
- A tool to performed regional studies and establish correlation between magma reservoir depth and the tectonic context (Chaussard and Amelung, 2012)

However no systematic correlation between eruption and deformation signal (especially for andesitic stratovolcanoes)

Ex: temporal evolution of surface displacement recorded at Grimsvötn





(from Sturkell et al., JVGR, 2006)

Displacement $\rightarrow (\Delta P_c * R_c^3)/E$

Magmatic Overpressure at eruption onset From displacement data



 $\Delta P=24MPa$ for a spherical chamber (R_c=1.5km) $\Delta P=5.5MPa$ for an oblate chamber (a=2.5km,b=0.5km)

A realistic rupture criterion



<u>Objective</u>: - To know when the magma will leave a storage zone.



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When independent estimations give $\Delta P^{-1-15}MPa$



Coulomb criterium

 $\sigma_t > S_o + \tan \phi_f (\sigma_n - P_f),$

However rupture has to be in tension

Deviatoric component of the minimum stress must exceed Tensile strength

$$\frac{2\sigma_3 - \sigma_1 - \sigma_2}{2} \le -T_s$$

 $\rightarrow \quad \Delta P \ge 2T_s$

3

 ΔP constant with depth

Consistent with dyke propagation theory

What does it practically mean?

Knowing -the chamber size, position and shape-the surrounding stress field-the crustal tensile strength

We can quantify the magma pressure required for chamber wall rupture.

Magmatic Overpressure at eruption onset From displacement data



2 reservoir withdrawal ($P_c \searrow$ until P_f)

With E=30GPa, v=0.25, H_c=3km for an oblate chamber (a=2.5km,b=0.5km)

 $\Delta P=5.5MPa$ T_s= 22MPa

Detection of edifice destabilization



Mount St Helens before the 18th of May 1980 (2 months) Displacements of 1.5-2.5m/days

Voight et al., U.S. Geol. Surv. Prof. Pap., 1250,1981.

Precursor of eruption onset





From Surono et al, 2013

Detection of magmatic intrusions emplacement

Short-term precursors:

Ex: Piton de la Fournaise, Reunion Island.



Displacements recorded during the dyke vertical propagation (20 min) 2H30 before the eruption onset (*Peltier et al, JGR, 2007*)

Volcanoes growth by: -magmatic intrusions -eruptive deposits

The edifice growth is responsible for the present stress field.

The ratio Intrusive/eruptive growth is poorly known:

Global studies on plutons and eruptive products: $V_{Intrusif}=5-10*V_{eruptif}$ (Crisp 1984) Petrological and structural studies at La Palma, Canarian Islands: $V_{intrusif}=V_{eruptif}$ (Staudigel & Schmincke, 1984) Seimological data in en extensive context: $V_{intrusif}=2*V_{eruptif}$ (White et al., 2008) Numerical simulations, Piton de la Fournaise

V_{intrusif}=0.13*V_{eruptif} (Annen et al., 2001)

Deformation studies allow to quantify volume of magmatic intrusions:

$$\frac{\Delta V_{surf}}{\Delta V_{in}} = \frac{2(1-\nu)}{1+\frac{4G}{3K}},$$

Topographic variations allow to quantify volume of eruptive deposits:

Edifice growth and stress field evolution. Ex: Afar rift.



Grandin, Thèse, 2009



Grandin et al, 2010, JGR

Edifice growth and stress field evolution. Ex: Afar rift.

Intrusive and extrusive volumes for dyking/eruptive events since September 2005.

	Sept 2005	June 2006	July 2006	Sept 2006	Dec 2006	Jan 2007	Aug 2007	Nov 2007	April 2008	July 2008	Oct 2008	Feb 2009	June 2009	Total (×10 ⁶ m ³)
Intruded volume (×10 ⁶ m ³)	$\begin{array}{r} 1750 \pm \\ 250^a \end{array}$	120± 10 ^b	47± 17 ^b	88± 14 ^b	58± 11 ^b	37± 13 ^b	48 ± 1^{b}	150± 10 ^b	$90\pm20^{\circ}$	70± 20 ^c	170±1 ^c	80±3 ^c	$50\pm7^{\circ}$	2758 ± 227
Erupted volume (×10 ⁶ m ³)							4.6± 1.5 [₫]						11 ± 1.8^{d}	15.6± 3.3 ^d

^a Grandin et al., 2009.

^b Hamling et al., 2009.

^c I. Hamling unpublished data.

^d Estimate from field and remote sensing observations.



Fergusson et al., EPSL, 2010
Deformation is a useful information

In order to know the plumbing system geometry and state of pressure.

But complemetary informations are required: gravimetry, gas emissions, seismicity.

Comparison between seismicity rate and deformation

$$D(t) = A + B \left[\sigma_c - P_0 - P \left(1 - \exp\left(\frac{-t}{\tau}\right) \right) \right]^{-\gamma}$$



Lengliné et al, 2008

Gravimetry and deformation

Overpressure within a reservoir can be due to: -case 1:gas exsolution due to crystallisation (Tait et al, 89) \rightarrow no input of fresh magma ($\Delta M=0$) -case 2: a new input of magma \rightarrow unrest

For case 2 (for a spherical reservoir):

$$\Delta V_{uplift} = \frac{\Delta M}{\rho} \frac{2(1-\upsilon)}{1+\frac{4G}{_{3K}}}$$

Gravity measurements allows to constrain ΔM and to estimate which amount of magma is stored at depth.

Numerical modeling: first example.

Ground deformation induced by conduit flow Photo USGS

• Albino F., Pinel V., Massol H., Collombet M., Conditions for detection of ground deformation induced by conduit flow and evolution, *Journal of Geophysical Research, 2011*.

Coupling 2 fields :



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First attempt of one-way coupling



(Hautmann et al, Tectonophysics, 2009)

*Pressure applied are derived from Costa et al, 2007

*No tangential stress on the conduit wall

Model description :



Axial symmetry

- Stress continuity at the solid-fluid interface
- Full coupling

Effect of plug formation :



Reference state: a constant viscosity flow

Perturbation : increase of viscosity in the upper part of the conduit

Distance of detection



Critical distance from crater for tilt detection is < 1 km

 $a_c = 15 m$; $L_c = 5000 m$; $P_c = 10 MPa$; G = 0.8 GPa

Distance of detection

Increase with conduit radius overs conduit length a_c / L_c Decrease with the ratio G/Pc









Increase of tilt amplitude correlated to magma flow rate reduction

 Above a critical threshold for viscosity contrast, tilt remains constant.

b) Plug thickness increase





Decrease of tilt amplitude correlated to magma flow rate reduction

Rapid increase of tilt amplitude during the early stage of plug growth.



 Evolution of plug thickness around a critical size can induce a succession of inflation and deflation

 Plug reduction can explain tilt reversal observed before eruptions (Chadwick et al, 1988)

b)



This mechanism can partly explained observations

Montserrat



More realistic viscosity profiles do a better job



Comparing various sources of deformation



*Full Coupling fluid+ solid.

*Coupling various physics: fluid dynamics + degassing and solid mechanics

INFLUENCE OF SURFACE LOAD VARIATIONS ON MAGMA STORAGE ZONES

Various origine for surface load variations :

* Volcanic system evolution: edifice construction/destruction



* External causes:

 Ice load variations above subglacial volcanoes (Katla, Iceland)



Katla: a subglacial volcano beneath Myrsdalsjökull ice cap:

65°N



2000 2002 Year, labelled from january 1st 2004

-0.02

AUST-HAME

HAMR-REYI

2 time scales: (Gudmundsson et al., 2007)

Seasonal Effect



- Snow accumulation/melt during winter/ summer
- Amplitude : 0.04 MPa



- Glacier retreat due to global warming since 1890.
- Amplitude: 0.035 MPa/y

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A seasonal displacement superimposed on the uplift



Seismic activity (1978-1985)

Seismicity seasonality



2000

2004 (*Geirsson et al., 2005*)

More events during the summer (Einarsson & Bransdottir, 2000)



All historical eruptions during the

summer

(Eliasson & al., 2005)

Various consequences of surface load variation :



*Variation of magma pressure Pc



Various consequences of surface load variation :



Model description:



- Crust: elastic, homogene, isotropic,
- Magma fluid with bulk modulus K
- Axial geometry, Reservoir : ellipsoïde & Various load distribution
- Initial state: lithostatique $\sigma_{rr} = \sigma_{zz} = \sigma_{\theta\theta}$

Mesh and boundary conditions:

- FEM -COMSOL
- Magmatic reservoir: pressure condition applied at the wall
- Surface load: pressure applied at the surface



Pressure change at the axis:



Sigmundsson et al., Trans. Phil. Roy. Soc, 2010

Seasonal effect: influence on surface displacement:

Almost no effect of the reservoir on the displacement field except directly above the reservoir for an oblate shape.

 \rightarrow Displacements around Myrdalsyökull can be interpret considering an homogeneous half-space to obtain Young's modulus estimation (E=29 ±5 GPa, *Pinel et al, GJInt, 2007*)

Seasonal effect: influence on seismicity rate:

Coulomb stress change $(\Delta CFF = \Delta \tau - \mu' \Delta \sigma_n)$ induced by the seasonal snow melt

 With a reservoir, the amplitude of the ΔCFF is increased (by a factor 20) and maximum at the periphery.

Earthquakes location

Earthquakes seasonality Seismic activity (1978-1985) 20 Western cluster Eastern cluster 18 70 Number of events 16 Number of events 14 12 10 6 20 4 2 0 September November Lanuary Conuary March March March March June May In July 1 Augus, Septemb , ^{len}ue Month Month

More events during the summer (*Einarsson & Bransdottir, 2000*)

Seasonal effect: influence on eruption likelihood:

Dyke intrusions can be modulated by seasonal ice load variations.

As the effect amplitude is small, it will be observed only if the magma input rate is low (smaller than 0.1 bars/y)

Historical eruptions

No historical eruptions during winter (*Eliasson* & al., 2005)

2 time scales: (Gudmundsson et al., 2007)

Seasonal Effect

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KATLA : Effect of long term ice retreat.

Introduction of visco-elasticity



Symbol

h

E

ν Pc

Symbol E_m

 ρ_{m}

 μ_{m}

Value

10 km

30 GPa

2800 kg.m⁻³

3100 kg.m⁻³

3.10¹⁸ Pa.s

0.25

Value

30 GPa

We estimated which part of the uplift was induced by the long term ice retreat and showed that magma input has to be considered at a rate of 4 bars/y from 2001 to 2004.

KATLA : Effect of long term ice retreat on eruption likelihood:

Results:



Ice retreat also acts on magma production (increase of magma melting) and dykes propagation (*Hooper et al, Nature Geoscience, 2011*)

Interest of numerical modelling in this case :



*Consider a visco-elastic rheology: temporal evolution.

Including new constrains on the local structural and physical properties or on the local state of stress, we could improve this model, using a 3D approach.

Conclusions:

Deformation data are useful and not so difficult to acquire and interpret.

Used for many years but in the last decades major improvements in temporal and spatial resolution.

In situ instruments have to be close enough to the source

Useful to combine with other measurements

To take home: **Deformation does not necessarily mean eruption to follow.**

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Presenter le cours toujours sous forme de questions....

Que doivent-ils retenir de ce cours. Quel exam....

Il me faut une conclusion.

*Améliorer la forme du cours.*Ameliorer lien entre origine de la deformation et modèles.