

Kumamoto M 6.0 and 7.0 Earthquakes of April 14, 16 2016

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- NTT (phones, cells)
- MILT (expressways)
- Seibu (gas)
- Alex Tang, Prof. Kaz Konegai

(1) Human damages (as of Jun 30, 2016)

	persons
dead	69
Missing	1
Seriously injured	364
Slightly injured	1, 456
TOTAL	1, 890

(2) House damages (as of Jun 30, 2016)

	Number of houses
Total collapse	8, 044
Partially destroyed	24, 274
Some damages	118, 222
TOTAL	150, 540

Lifelines

- Electric Power: Moderate, locally severe damage
- Water: Moderate damage + regulatory shutdown
- Highways: Severe damage
- Railroads: Moderate damage, locally severe
- Natural gas: Moderate damage
- Levees: Severe damage
- Total Repair Cost (for lifelines): ~\$ 2 Billion US.
Economic impact: much, much larger

Hazards

- Shaking: PGA > 0.5g for ~ 420 km² (28 km long by 15 km wide). Most of this is in rural areas, but Mashita town heavily hit. Main population area in Kumamoto City < 0.25g. Fukuoka City < 0.05g. Farmland covers 40% of strongest shaking areas. Forested hills cover 50% of strongest shaking areas.
- Liquefaction: settlements > 0.5 meters in main water well area; in Mashita; sporadic 5 - 10 cm elsewhere.
- Landslide: extensive deep-seated slides where PGA > 0.4g and slope > 30 degrees. Total failure of many bridges. Failure of some transmission towers.
- Fault offset. About 20 km of surface faulting, commonly 0.3 to 1 meter, some places 2 meters. A few lifeline crossings, including roads, tunnels, electric power poles, a few pipes. Some severely tilted distribution poles.
- No tsunami issues



Niigata

Sendai

Kobe

Tokyo

Fukuoka

Kumamoto

Kyushu

Fukuoka



Mount Aso

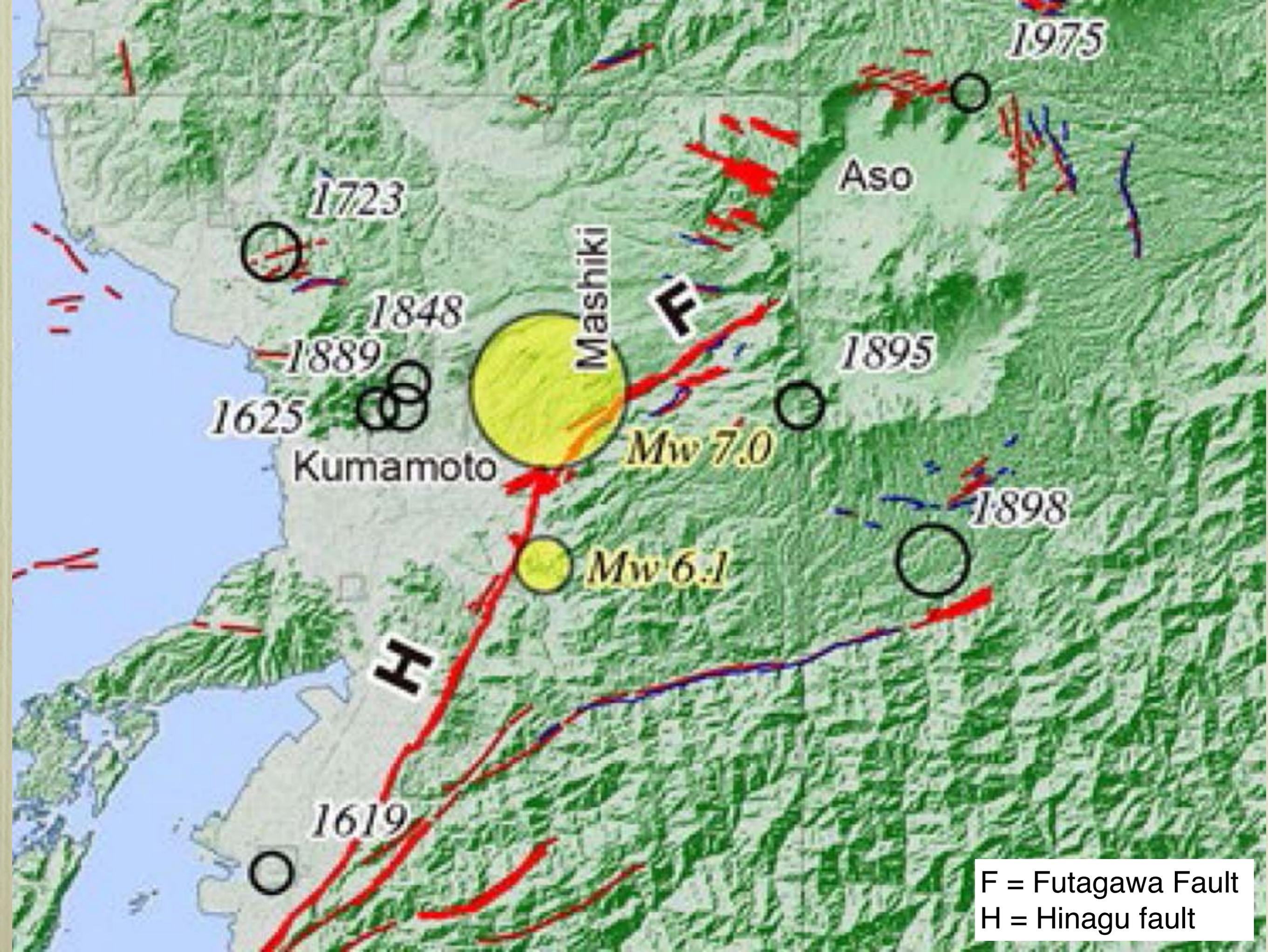


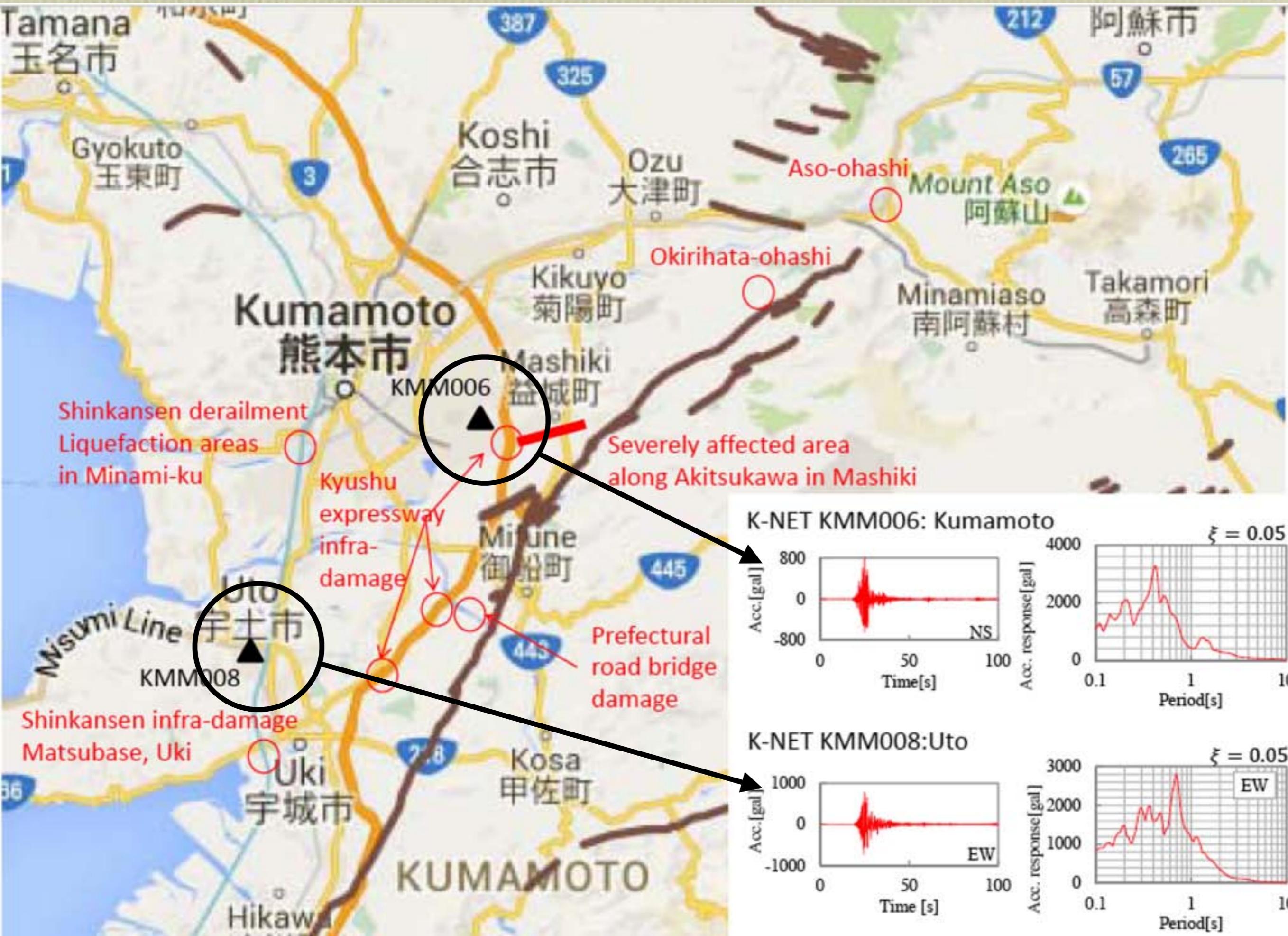
Kumamoto



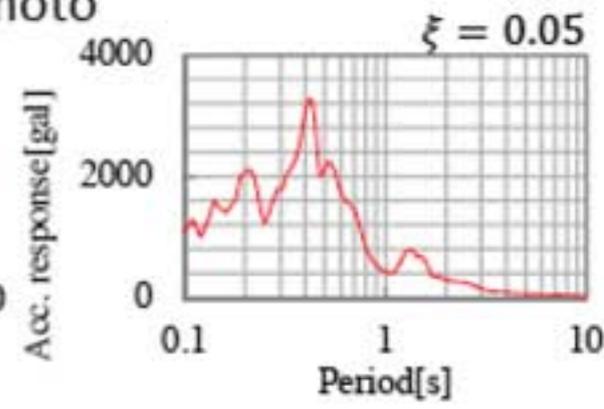
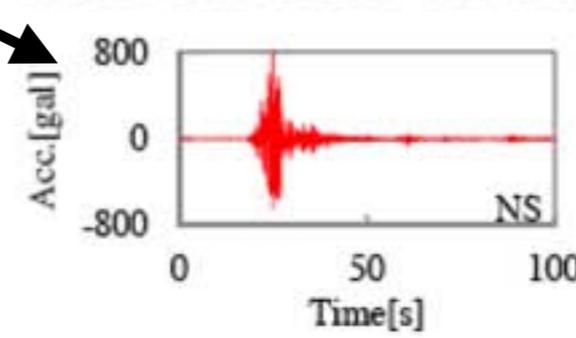


Ground Motions

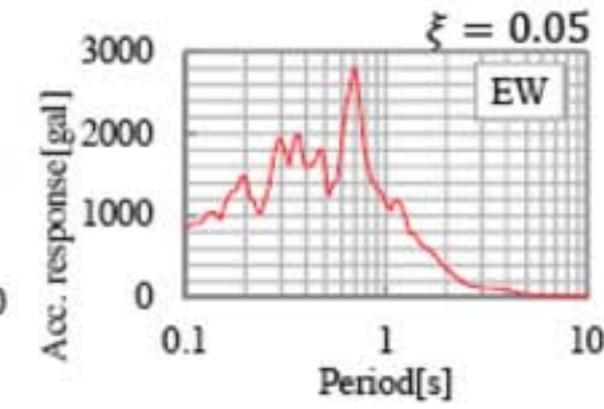
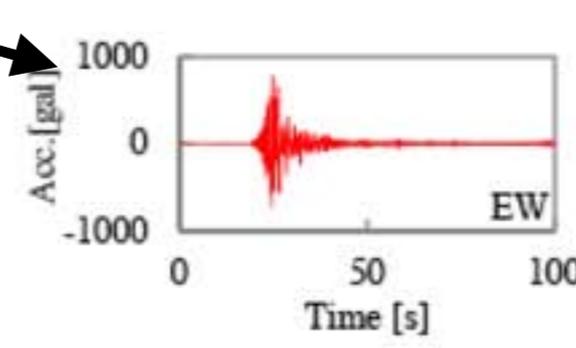




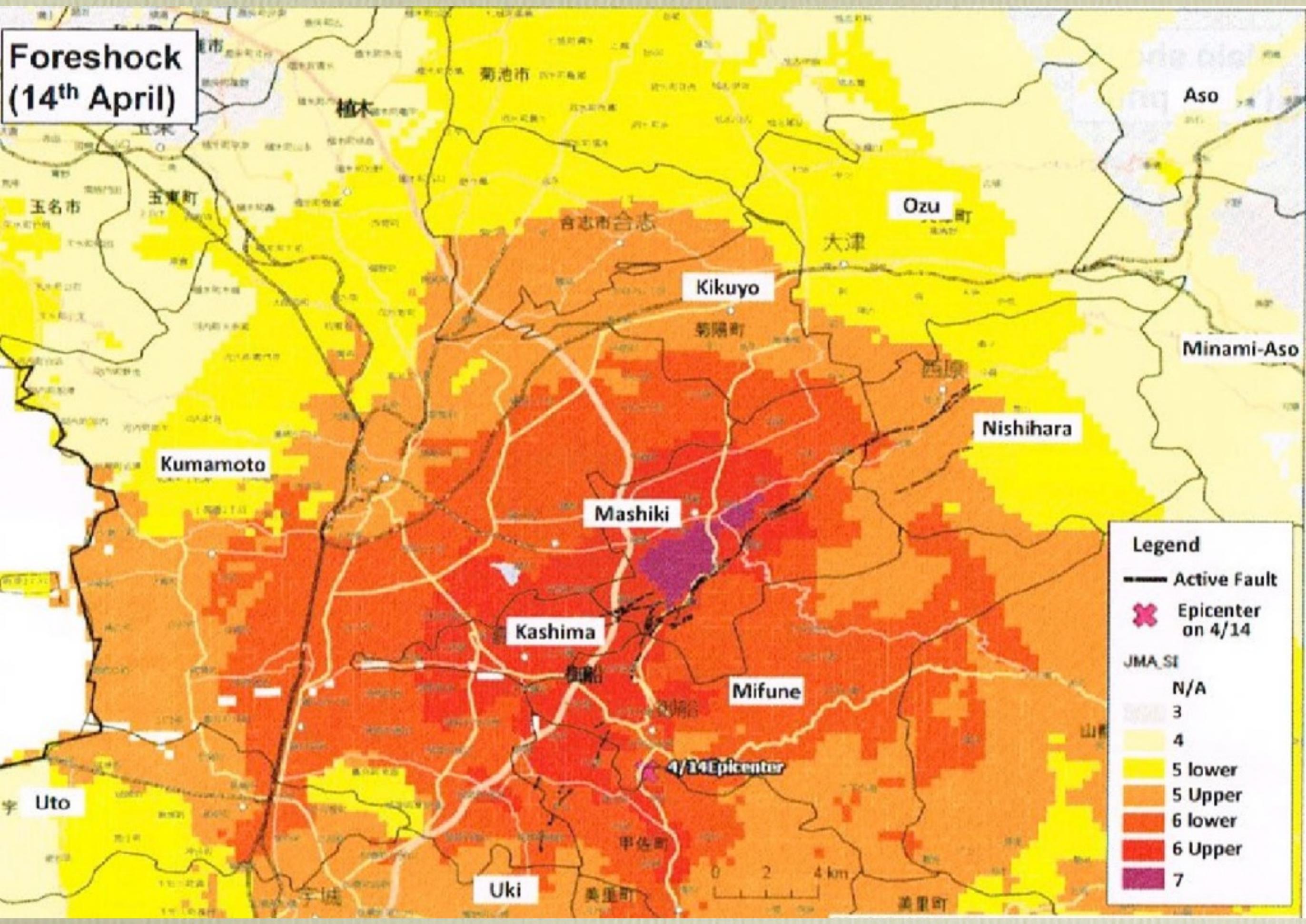
K-NET KMM006: Kumamoto



K-NET KMM008:Uto



Foreshock (14th April)



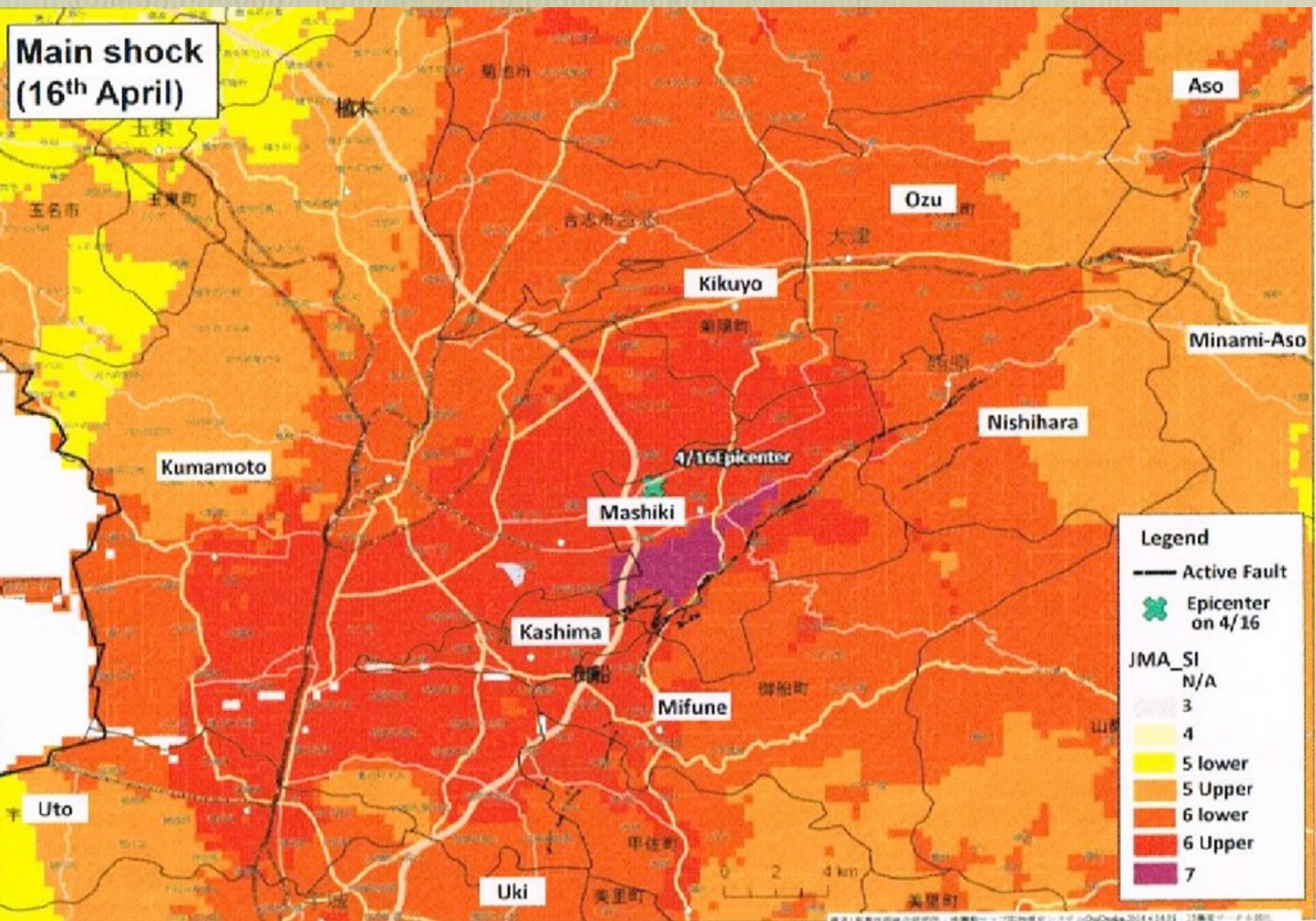
Legend

- Active Fault
- Epicenter on 4/14

JMA SI

- N/A
- 3
- 4
- 5 lower
- 5 Upper
- 6 lower
- 6 Upper
- 7

**Main shock
(16th April)**



Legend

- Active Fault
- ✦ Epicenter on 4/16

JMA_SI

N/A	(White)
3	(Light Yellow)
4	(Yellow)
5 lower	(Light Orange)
5 Upper	(Orange)
6 lower	(Dark Orange)
6 Upper	(Red)
7	(Purple)

0 2 4 km

資料: 気象庁 震害調査報告書 平成26年4月16日熊本県を震源とする地震 (震源地: 熊本県 震度: 7) 2014年4月16日 20時00分

Futagawa Fault

- April 16 2016 Mw 7.0
- ~3 events in 26,000 years, including 2016
- Right Lateral, south side “up”
- Rupture length ~ 30 km. Dip 60-84° WNW
- Rupture direction to ENE
- Maximum offset observations = 2.0 meters
horizontal, 0.5 meters vertical up (south side)
typical, 0.2 meters up (north side) in some places

Hinagu Fault

- April 14 2016 Mw 6.1 (various as Mw 6.0)
- Right Lateral
- Rupture length ~ 15 km. Dip 60-80°
- No surface fault offset observation

April 16 M 7.0

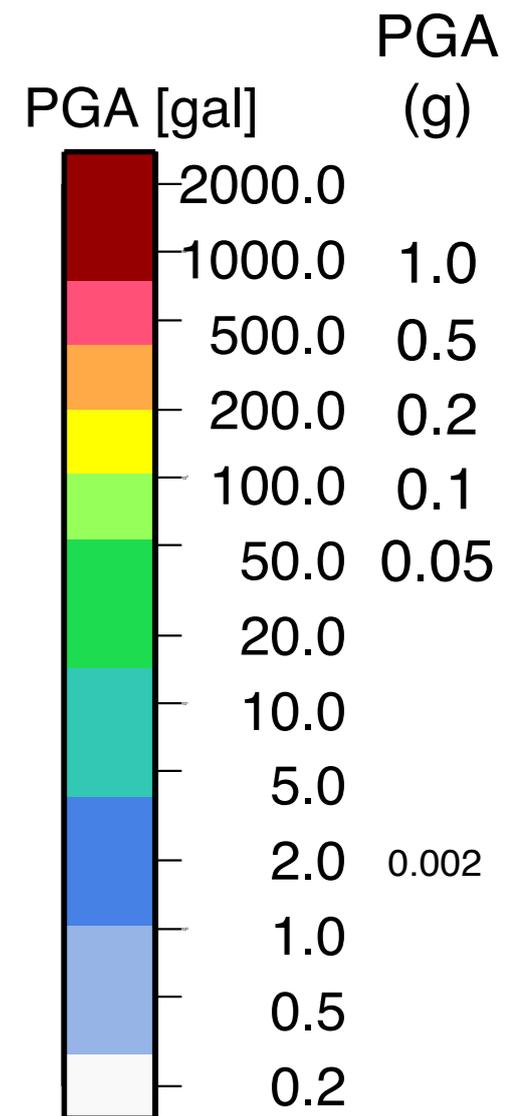
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30°

130°

135°

140°



April 16 M 7.0

35°

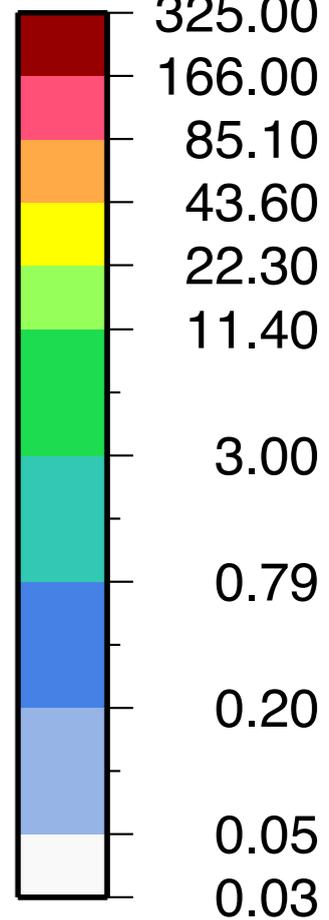
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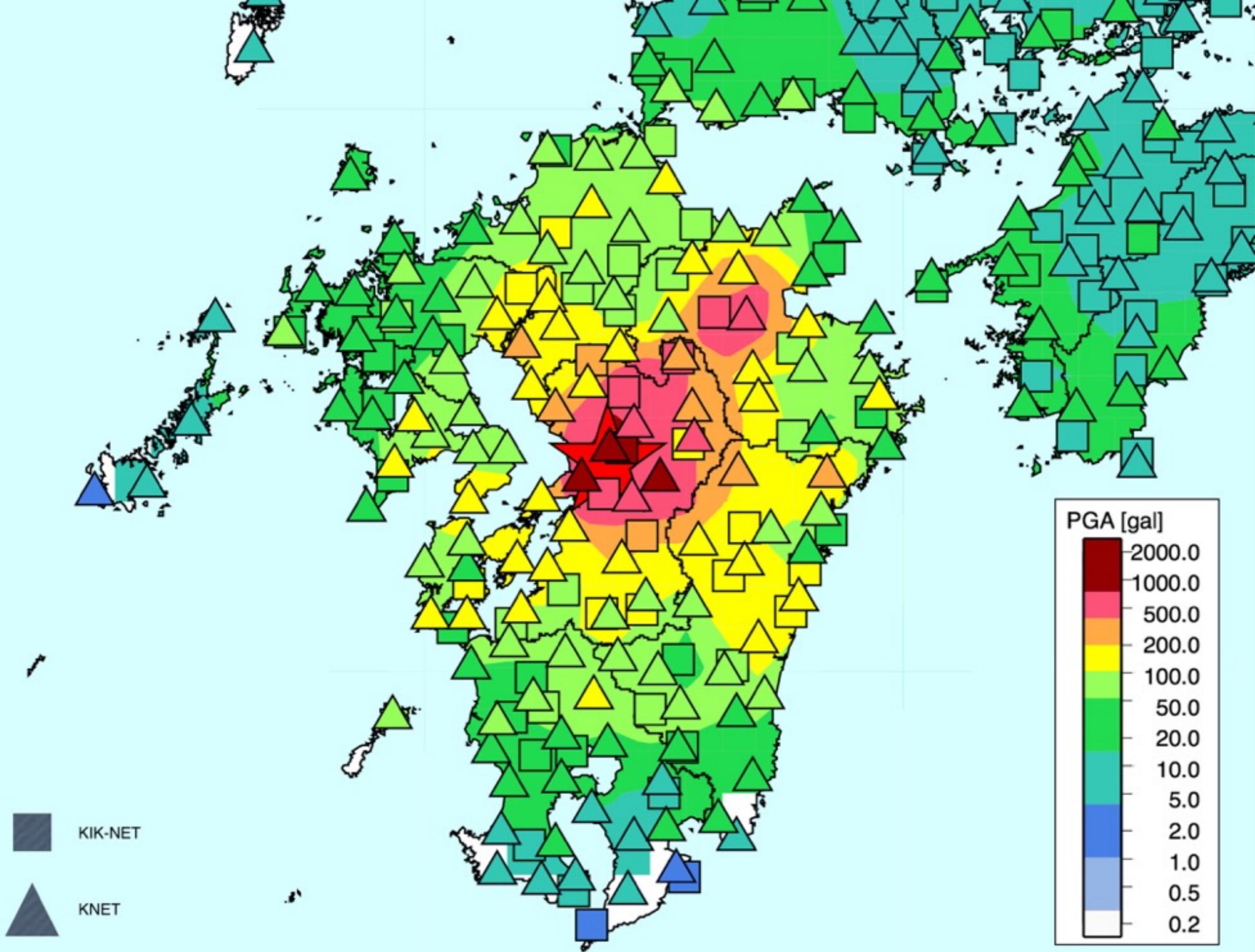
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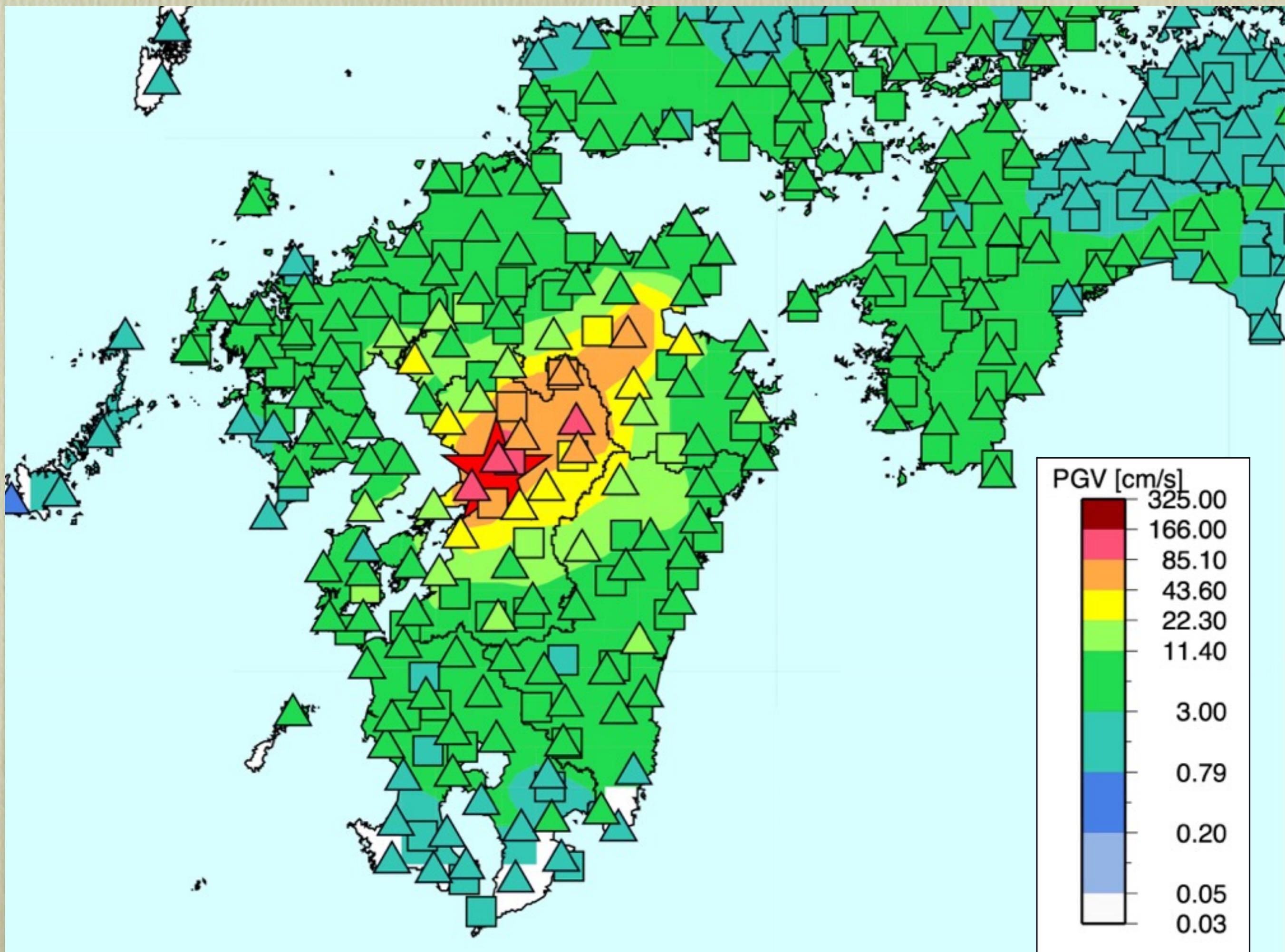
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PGV [cm/s]

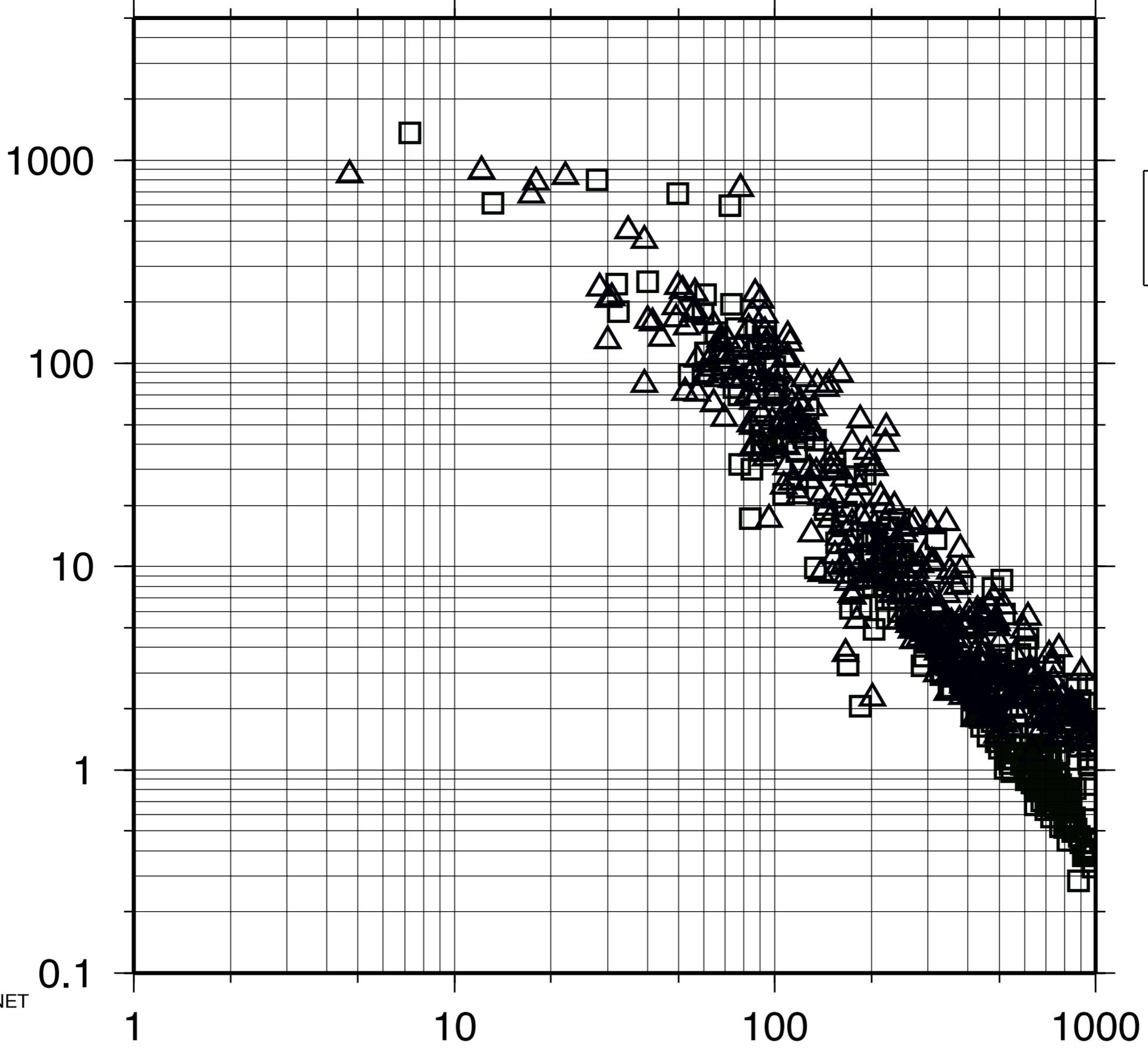






■ KIK-NET
▲ KNET

PGA [cm/s/s]



△ K-NET
□ KiK-net

Epicentral Distance [km]

PGV [cm/s]

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0.1
0.01

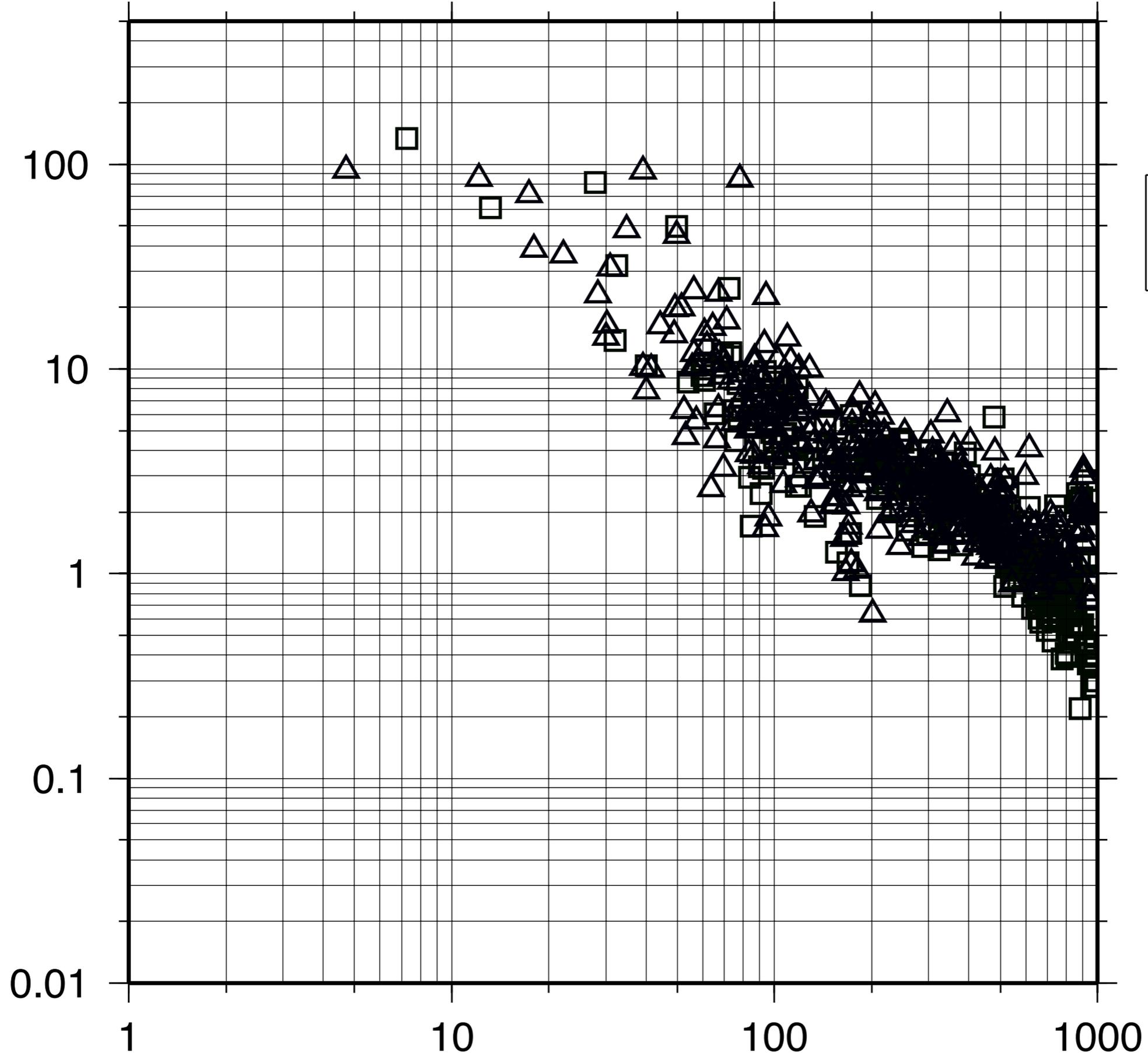
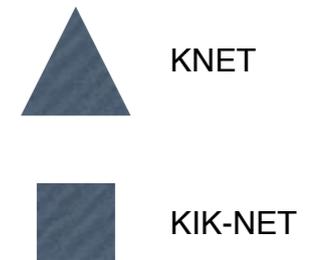
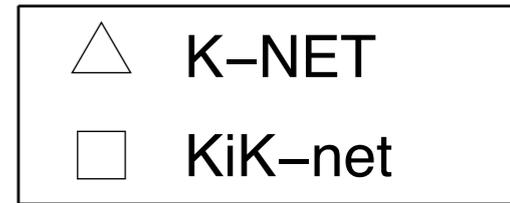
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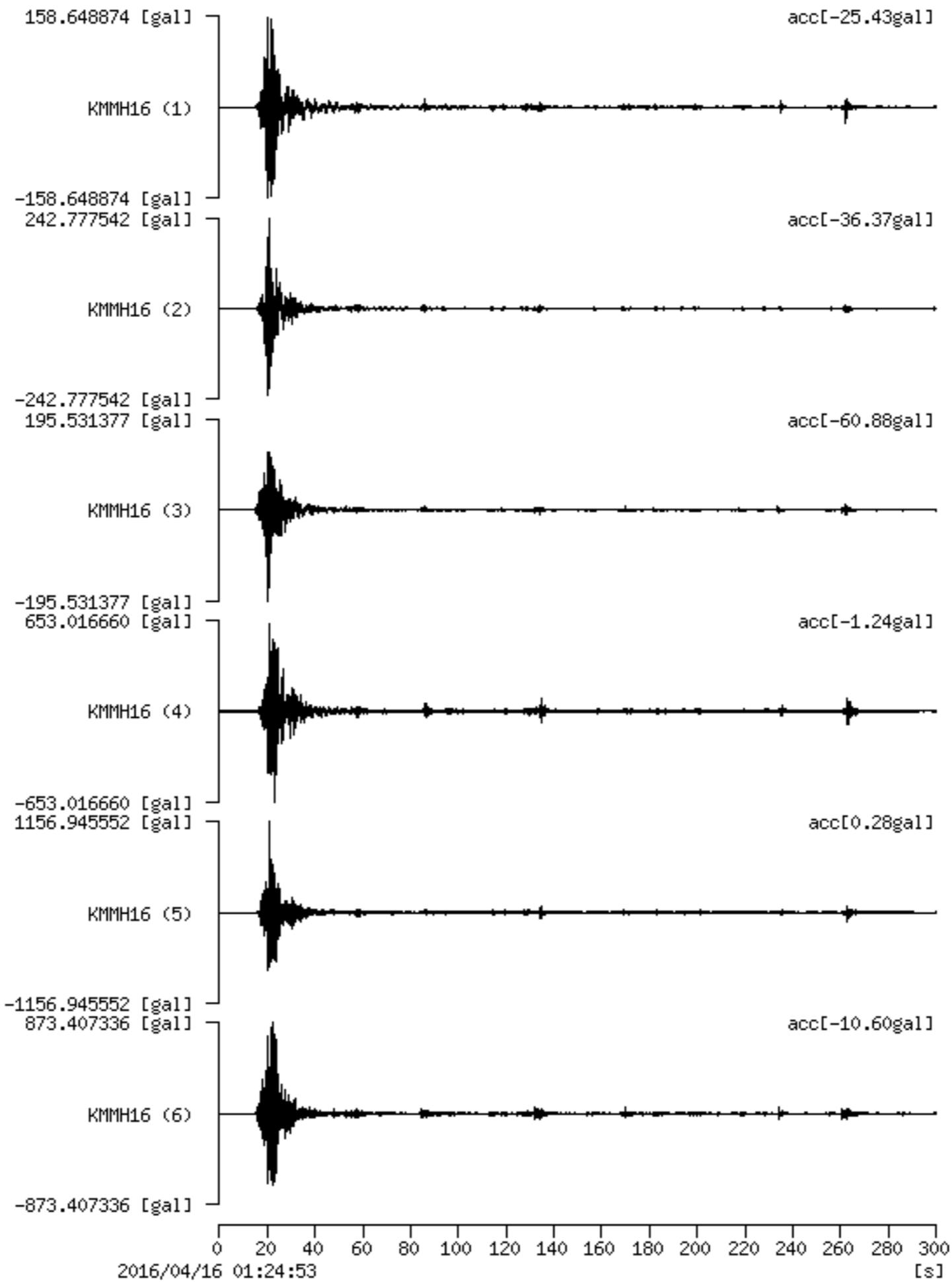
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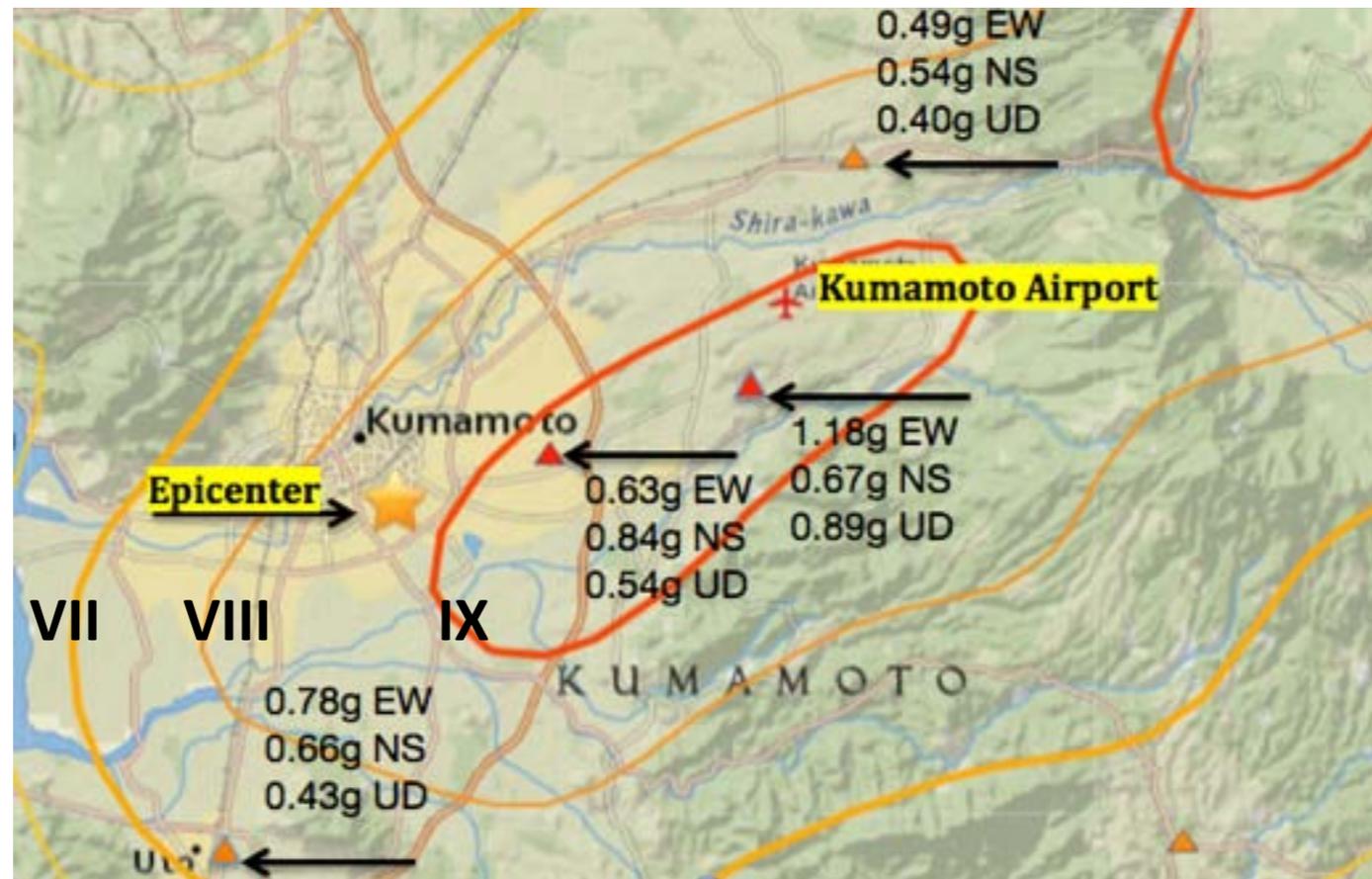
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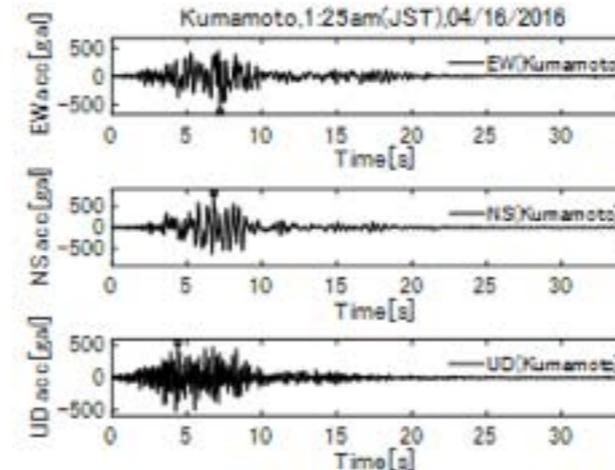
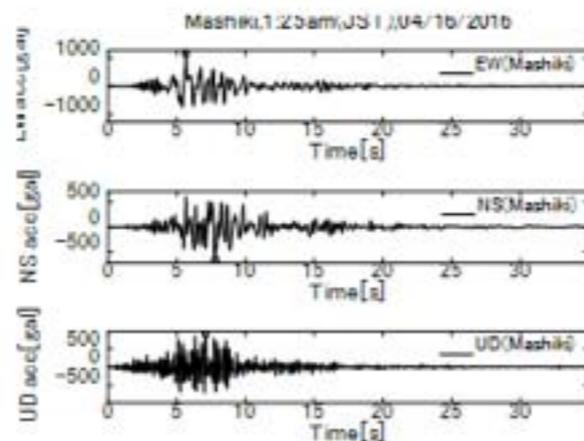




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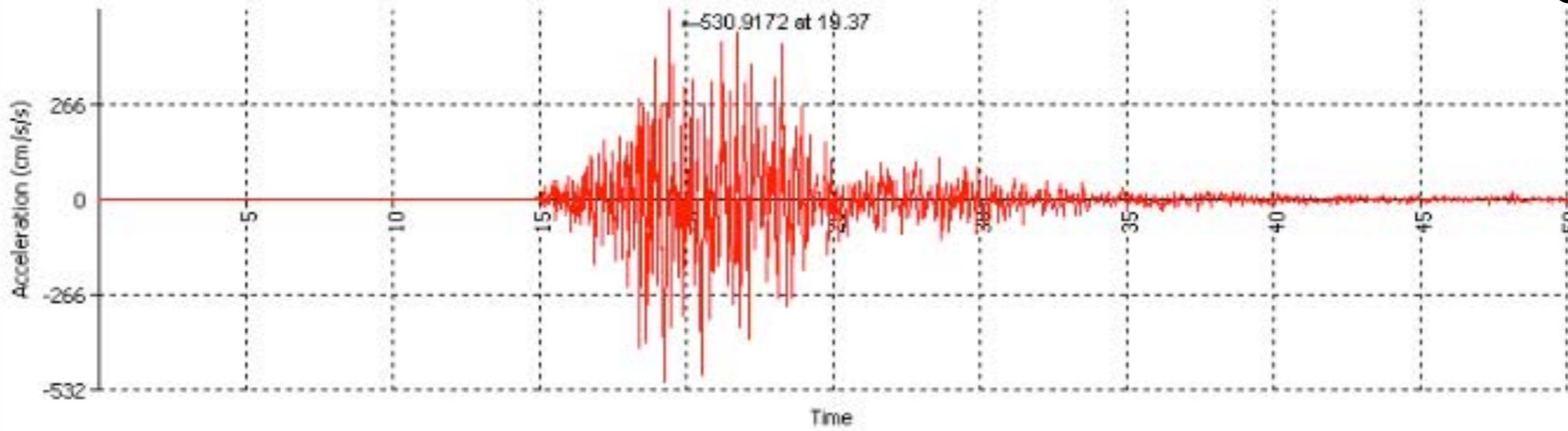


Summary of the ground motions recorded nearest to the Kumamoto Airport. The PGAs for the three components of each record are shown. The map also shows the intensities of the earthquake estimated by the USGS using PGA+PGV conversion to MMI.

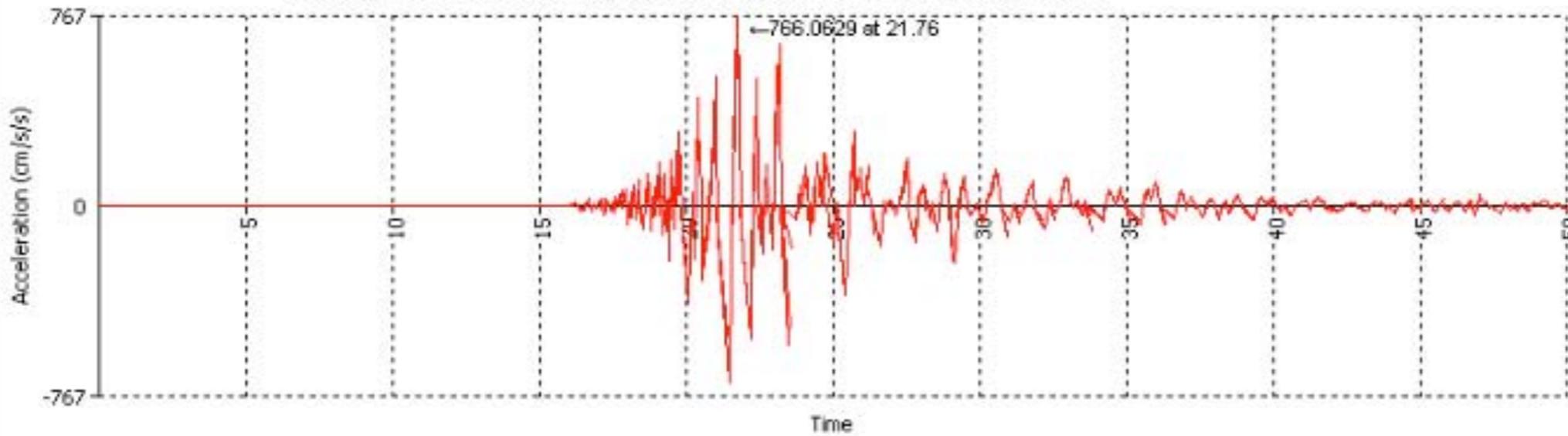


The recorded time histories at Mashiki, left, and Kumamoto, right. Courtesy Peter Yanev.

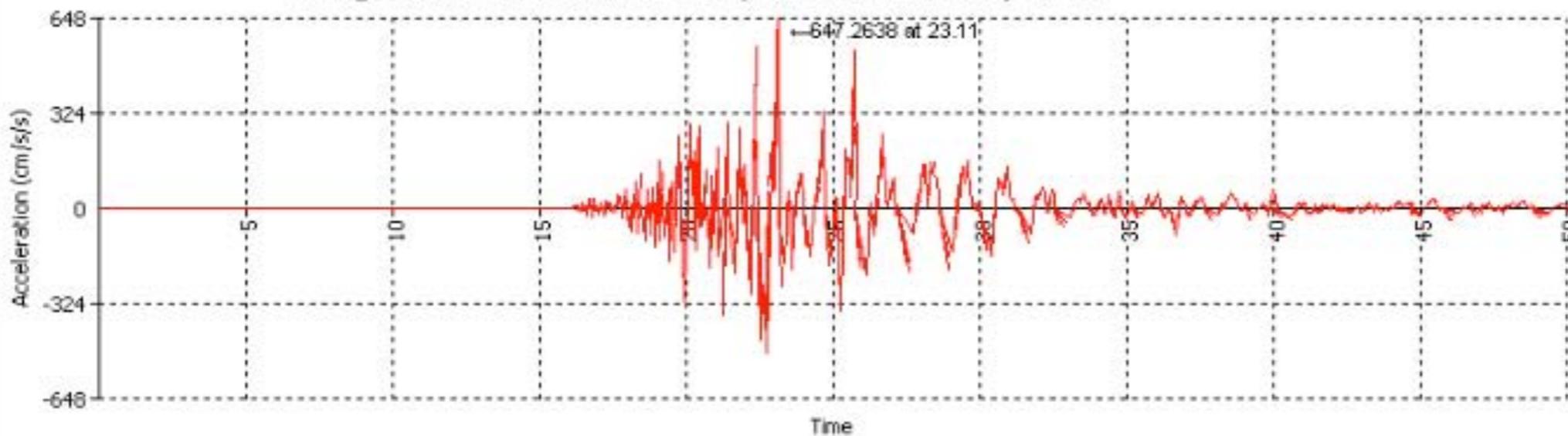
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Strong Motion Station KMM008 Uto (04/16/16 21:23 JST) Uto NS



Strong Motion Station KMM008 Uto (04/16/16 21:23 JST) Uto UD

Landslides



PGA ~0.4g+. Slope > 35°. Percent Massive Slide = 10%



PGA ~0.4g+. Slope > 35°. Percent Massive Slide = 20%



熊本 大分
Kumamoto Oita
← 57 →
200m

water flume to penstock

4 lane expressway (route 57)

JR railway

bridge

Foreground: Bridge Collapsed due to landslides at abutments
Background. Massive landslide fails 4 lane expressway and railroad tracks



water flume



4 lane expressway (route 57)

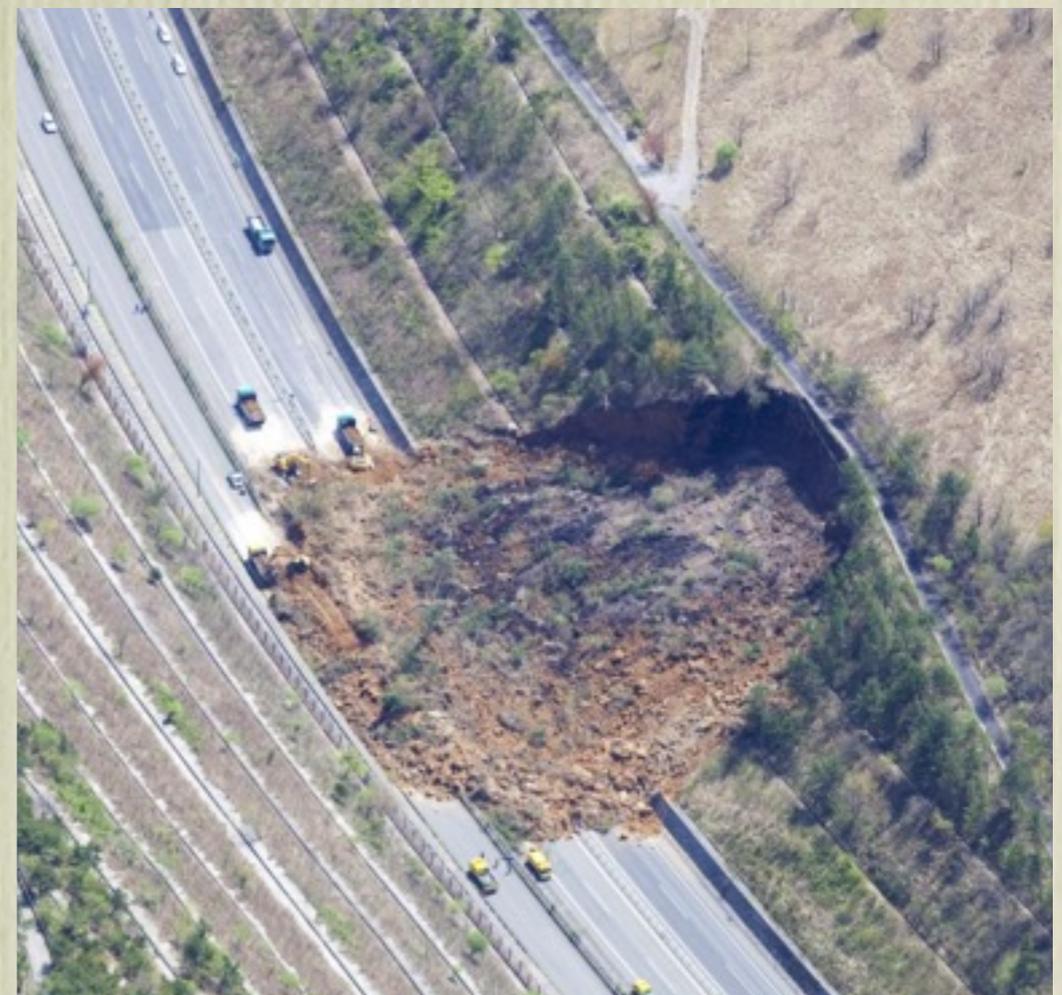


JR railway



bridge





九州地整はるかせ



【へり位置】熊本県上益城郡益城町

【撮影位置】熊本県上益城郡益城町

九州地整はるかせ



【へり位置】熊本県上益城郡御船町

【撮影位置】熊本県上益城郡御船町



PGA $\sim 0.7g+$. Embankment failure



Original Embedment

Electric Power

Kyushu Electric

- FY 2015. Sales 79,210 million kWh (down from 85,352 million kWh in FY 2011)
- Revenue about \$8 Billion / year

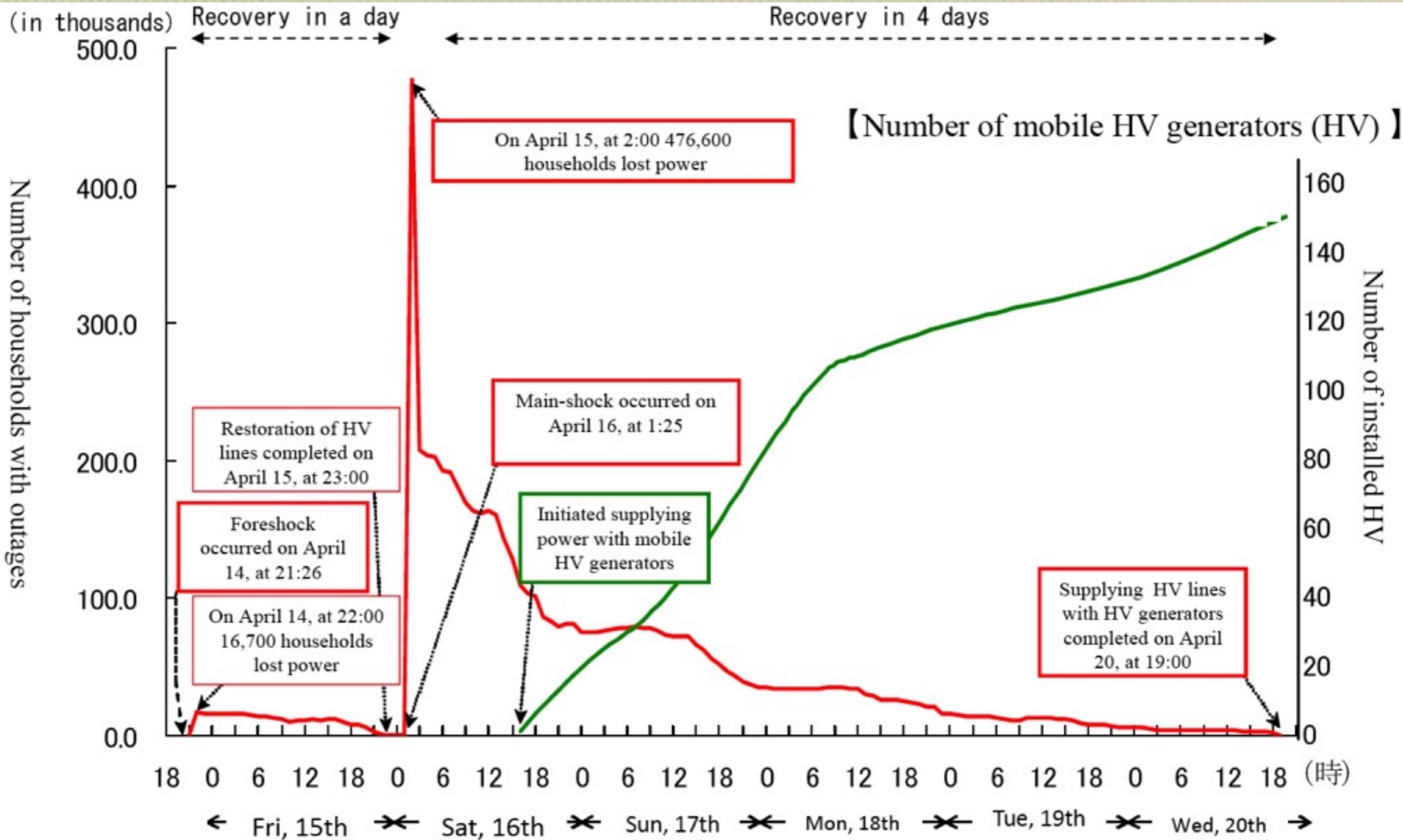
Kyushu Electric

- On Thursday April 14, at 21:26 JST, Mashiki Town in Kumamoto was hit by a foreshock of seismic intensity 7 on the Japanese scale, which led to outages affecting as many as 16,700 households.
- We responded by setting up the disaster control headquarters as we put all available resources into recovery, and by 23:00 JST the next day, Friday the 15th, we got power transmission through HV distribution lines fully restored.
- However, immediately afterwards at 1:25 JST on Saturday the 16th, a main shock of intensity 7 struck Mashiki Town and Nishihara Village, causing as many as 476,600 households to lose power, the greatest outage due to earthquake we have ever experienced in Kyushu.

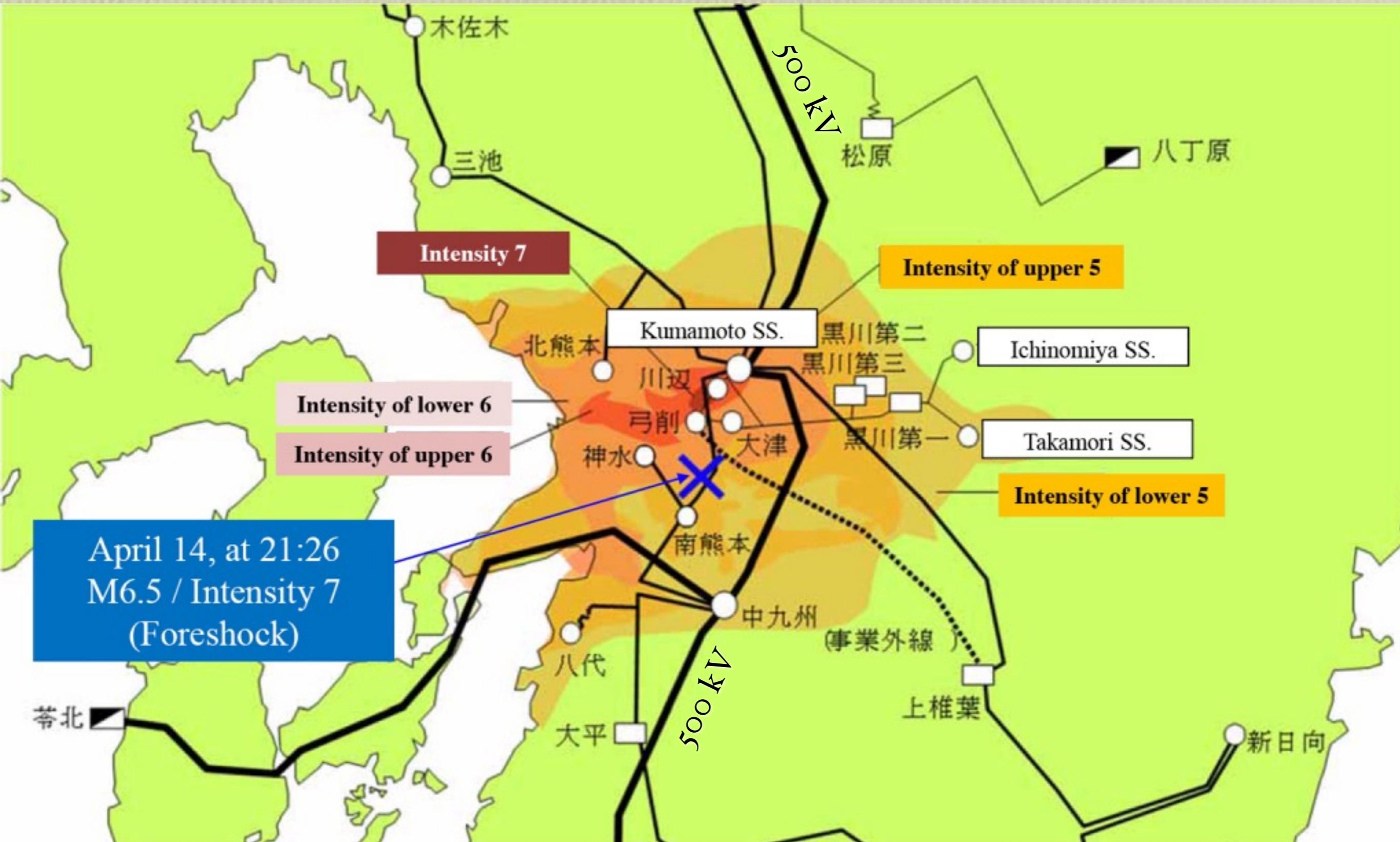
Kyushu Electric

- The restoration effort involved more than 4,000 personnel – 2,185 from Kyushu Electric Power, 1,423 from contractors, and 629 from the other electric utilities. The work proved to be extremely challenging due to factors such as landslides and damaged roads, and we deeply appreciate each and every one of these people for their sense of mission and their efforts towards restoration of electricity.
- We got down to restoring power using a total of 169 mobile HV generators – 59 from Kyushu Electric Power and 110 from the other electric utilities. It was just after 19:00 JST on Tuesday the 20th when we got the power from the generators to all HV distribution lines, except those that proved to be too difficult to restore.
- We continued our restoration work to have two temporary transmission towers and 15 poles installed in the Ichinomiya/Takamori area and achieved temporary recovery by 22:00 JST on Tuesday the 27th.

Kyushu Electric

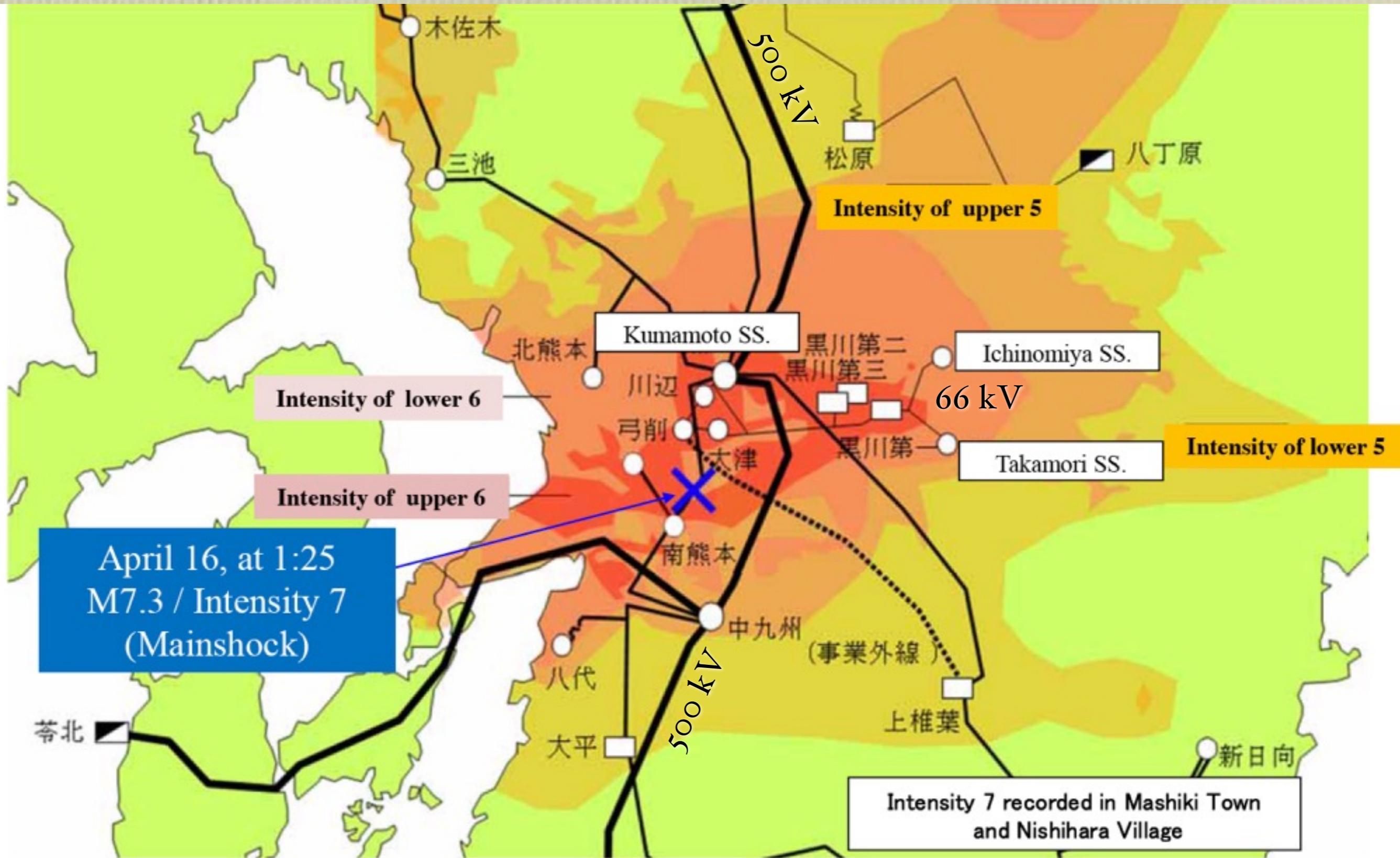


Kyushu Electric. Fore Shock, April 14 at 21:26



Kyushu Electric. Main Shock, April 16 at 1:25

Genkai



Sendai

Kyushu Electric. Damaged Facilities

Facilities	Damage	Notes
Hydro power	9 Power plants	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Damage to headrace channels caused by landslides and etc.
Transmission	27 Lines	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Large-scale landslides around steel towers▪ Damaged insulators and etc.
Transformation	10 Substations	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Transformer oil leakage, insulator damage and etc.
Distribution	259 Lines interrupted	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Damaged, collapsed, sloped power poles▪ Breakage or crossing of electric wires, and etc.

Kyushu Electric. Transmission Line Issues



For Kumamoto city

For Oita prefecture

No.5

No.6

No.7

Lifeline bridge collapsed

No.9

No.8

No.10

No.11

No.12

No.2

No.3

Kurokawa-Ichinomiya
line

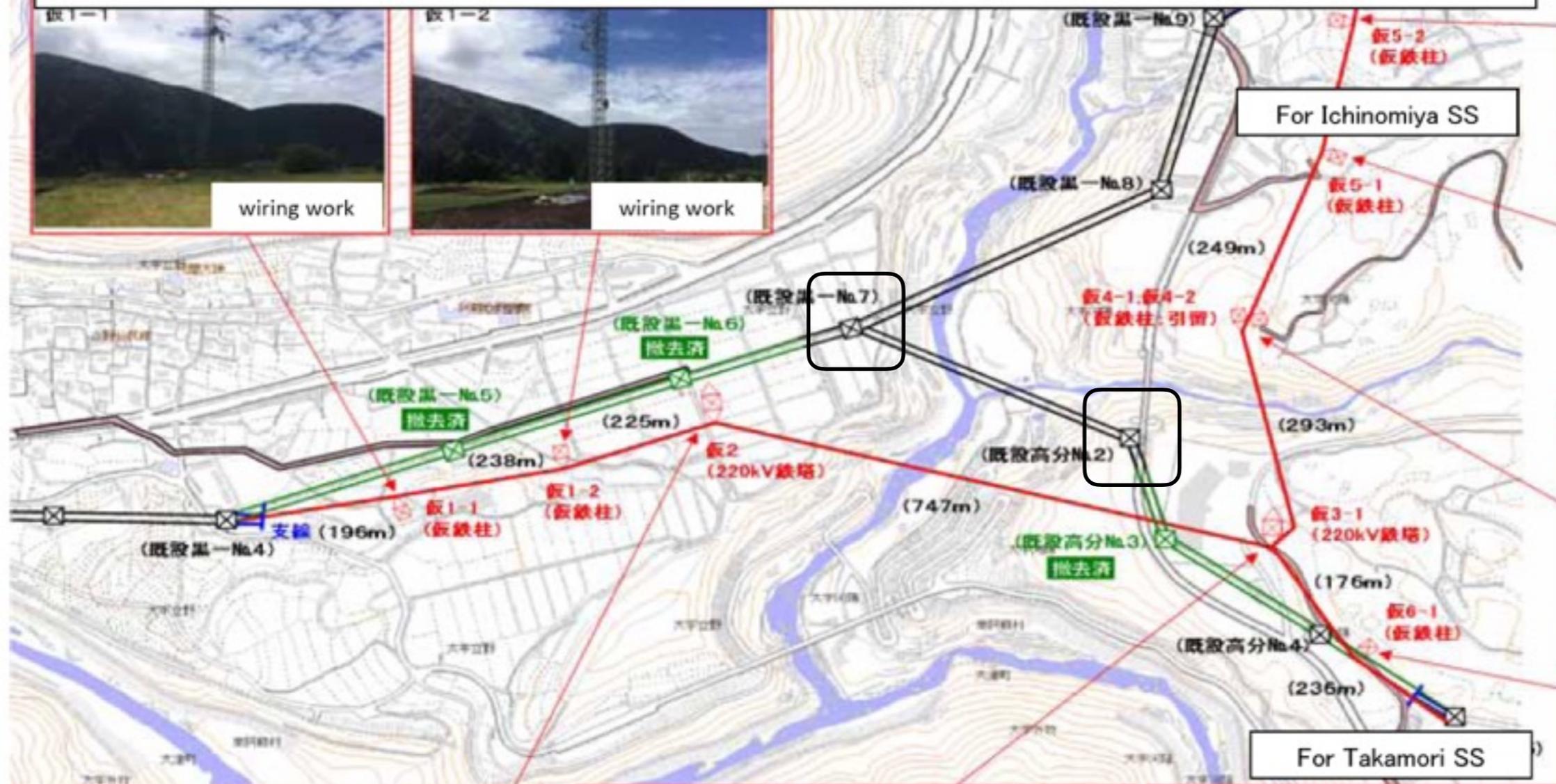
Route 325

For Takamori SS.

For Ichinomiya SS.

Kyushu Electric. Transmission Line Issues

② 66kV Kurokawa-Ichinomiya Line in Tateno Area with the Temporary Route



※ 写真は復旧工事の様子を掲載

Steel Tower
Minor Damage
(buckled brace)



Steel Pole
No Damage



Steel Tower
Major Damage
(2 foot PGD)

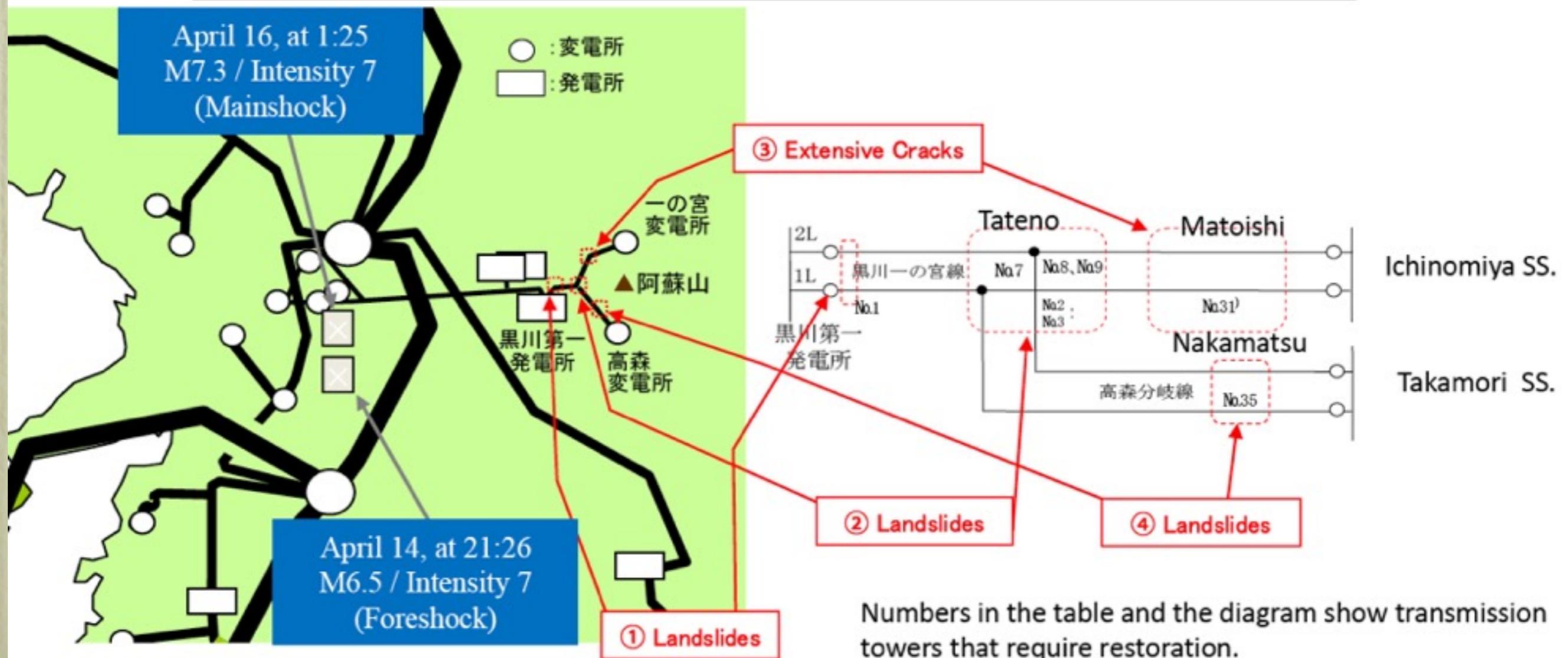


Steel Tower
Major Damage
(3 foot PGD)



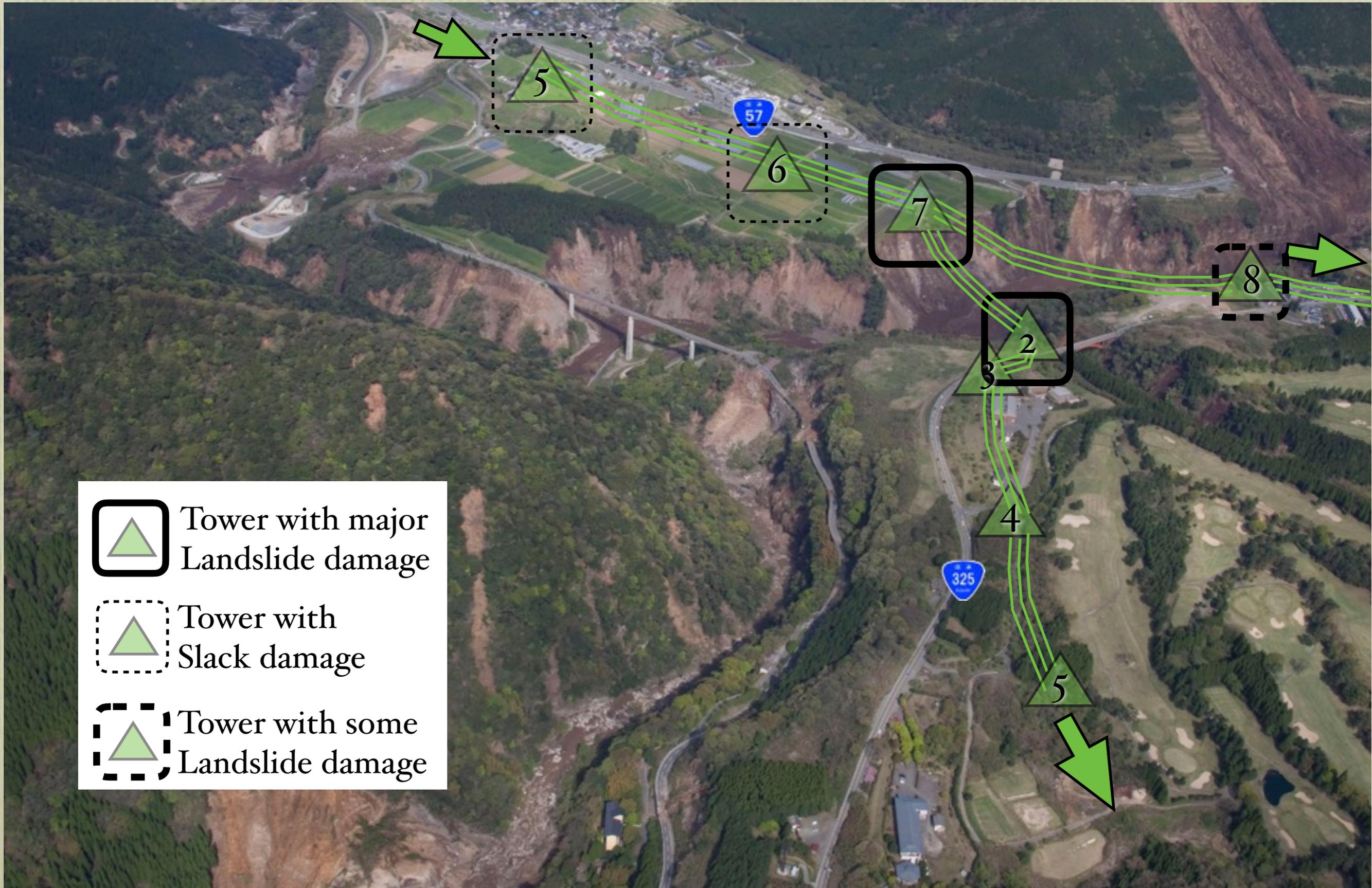
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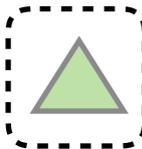
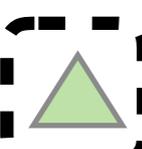
Damaged Sites	Outline of Restoration
① Kurokawa-Ichinomiya Line around No.1 site	Restoration by Utilizing a Neighboring Steel Tower
② Around Kurokawa-Ichinomiya Line in Tateno area around No.7	2 Temporary Steel Towers and 7 Temporary Steel Poles 2.7m × 1 cct.
③ Around Kurokawa-Ichinomiya Line in Matoishi area around No.31	7 Temporary Steel Poles 2.0km × 1 cct.
④ Around Takamori branch Line in Nakamatsu area around No.35	Temporary Steel Tower 0.5km × 1 cct.



From Kurakowa Substation
2 lines, 66 kV

To Ichinomiya
Substation, 2 lines, 66 kV



-  Tower with major Landslide damage
-  Tower with Slack damage
-  Tower with some Landslide damage

To Takamori Substation, 2 lines, 66 kV



New
Tower

New
Pole

Orig
New Tower
Pole

7



8











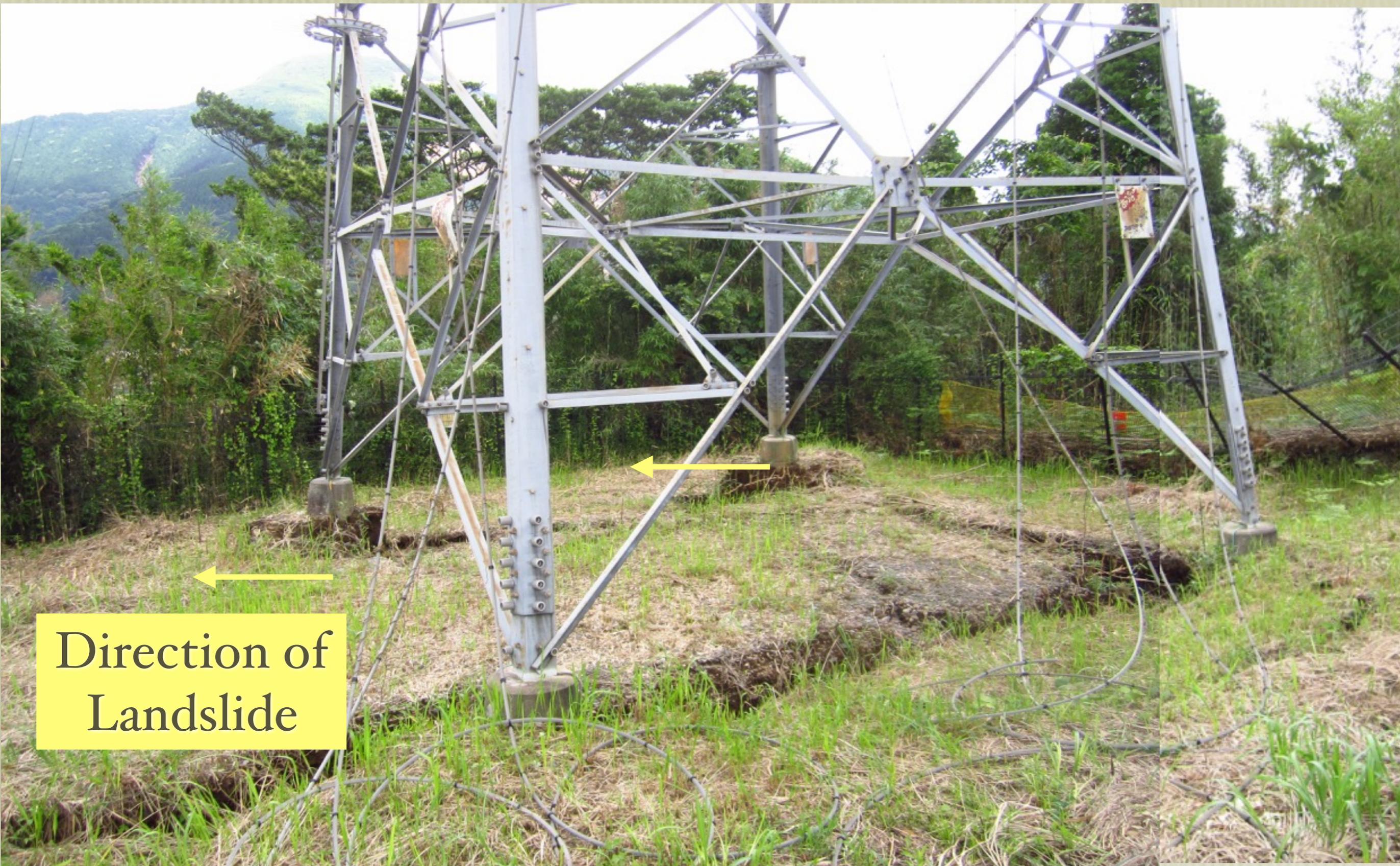




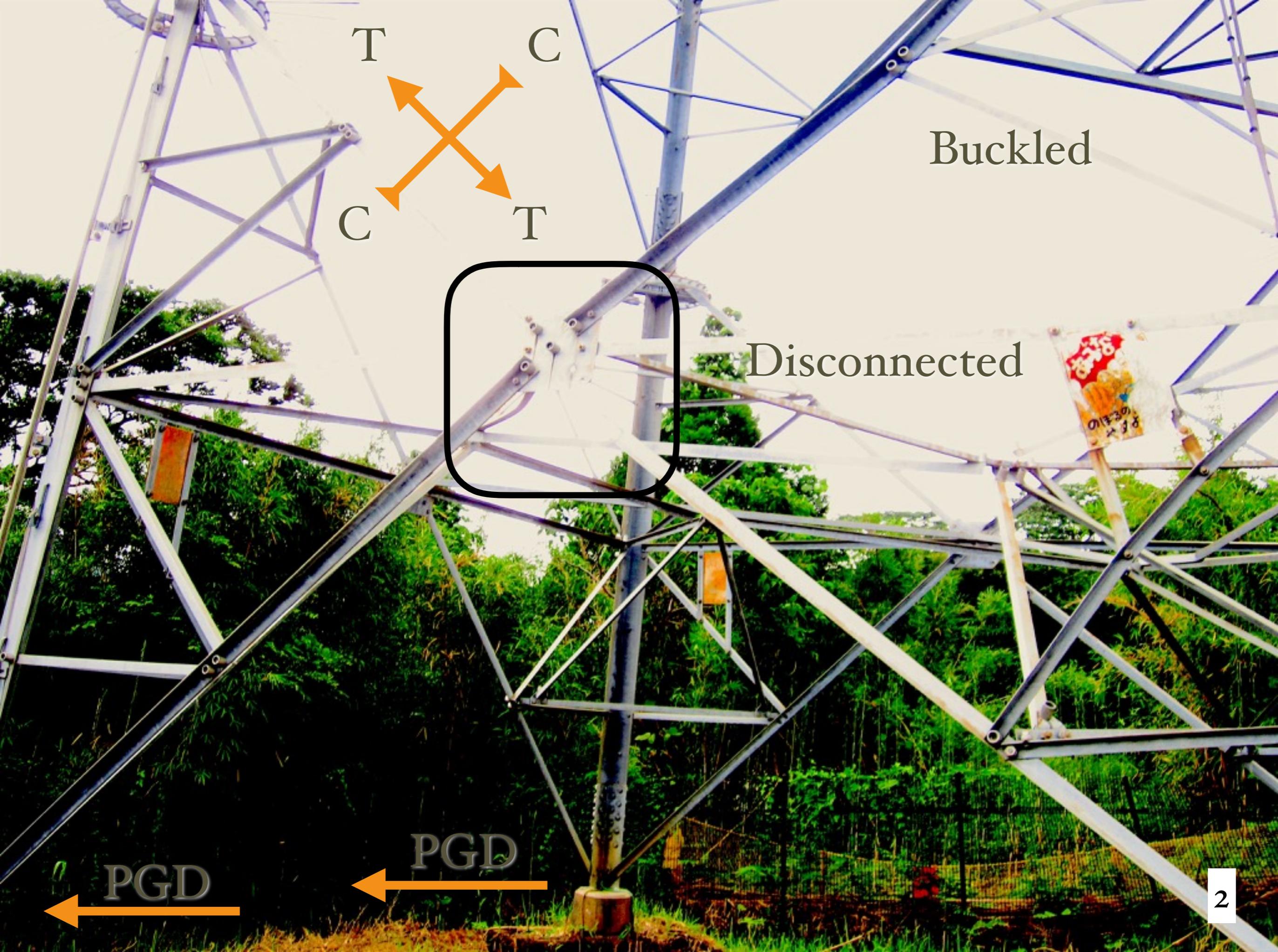




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Landslide

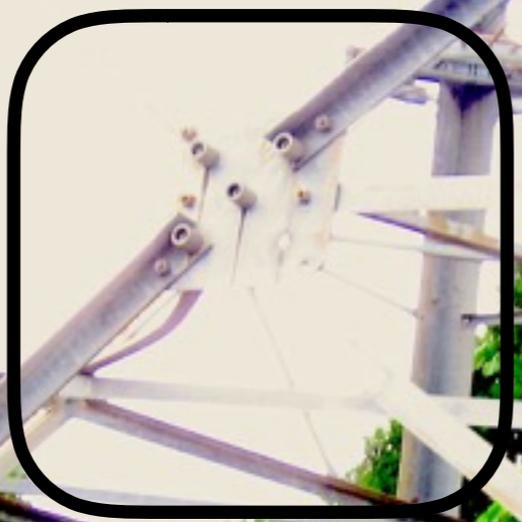


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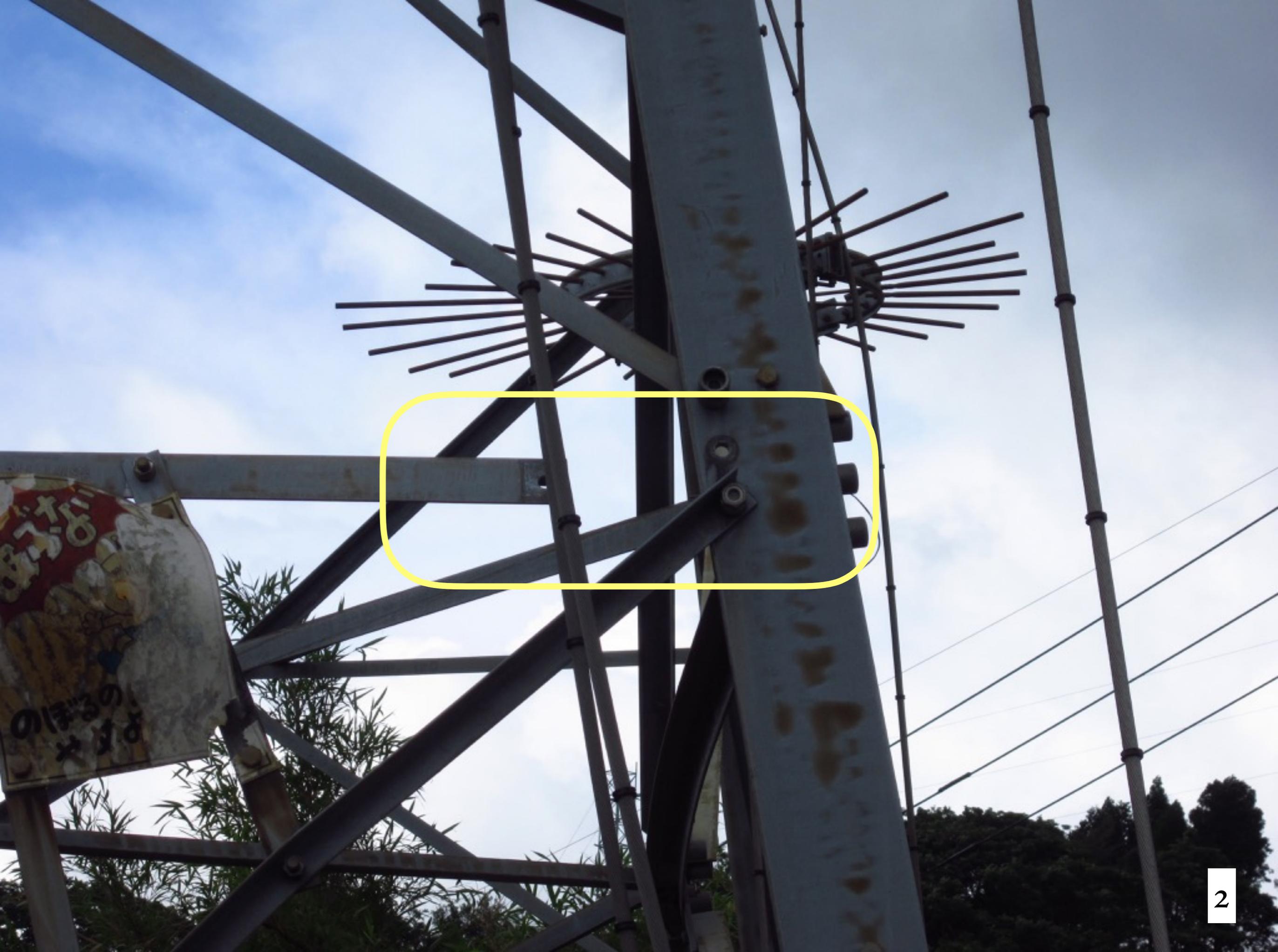
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Buckled



Disconnected

PGD PGD



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PGD





Steel Pole 9
No apparent yielding



Steel Pole 9
No apparent yielding



Steel Tower 10 Buckled Brace





Kyushu Electric. Transmission Line Issues

③ 66kV Kurokawa-Ichinomiya Line in Matoishi Area Affected by Extensive Cracks



66kV Kurokawa-Ichinomiya Line No.30

Damaged Foundation of the Tower No.32



66kV Kurokawa-Ichinomiya Line No.31



Which Failure Mechanism?

Strong Inertial Shaking Causes the Porcelain Insulators to vibrate against each other, damaging sheds. Or, Cable dynamics allow the strings to compress, allowing shed-to-shed and string-to-string impacts. No faults occurred due to this damage mode

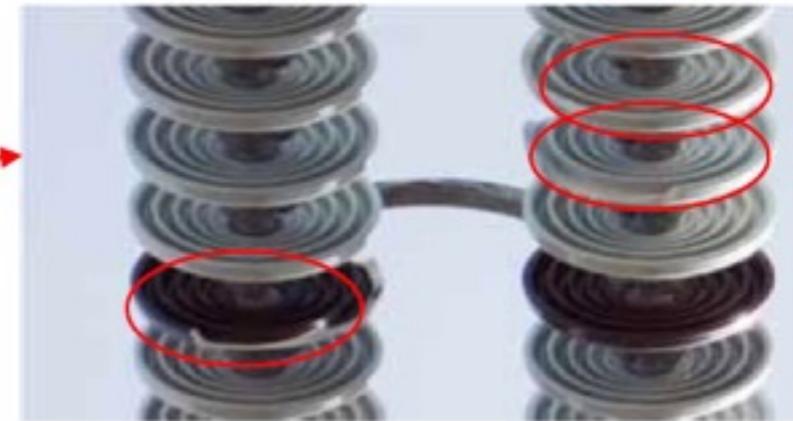
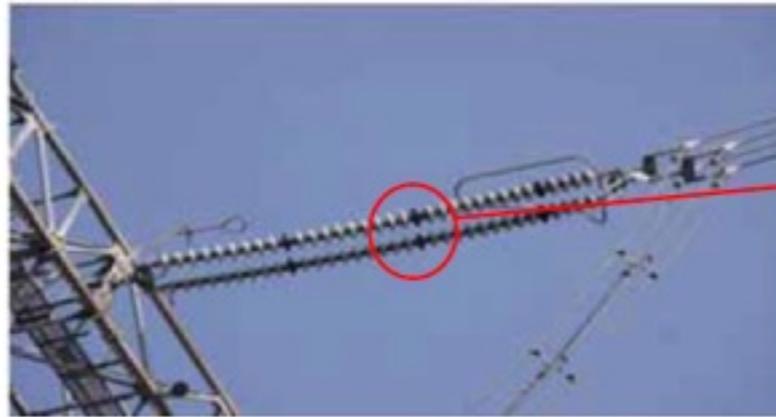
Typical 500 kV
Strain Tower
Jumper
Configuration



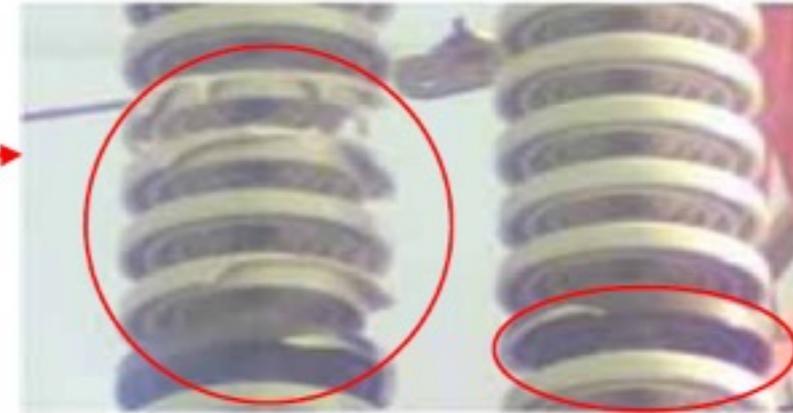
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500kV Insulators Damaged

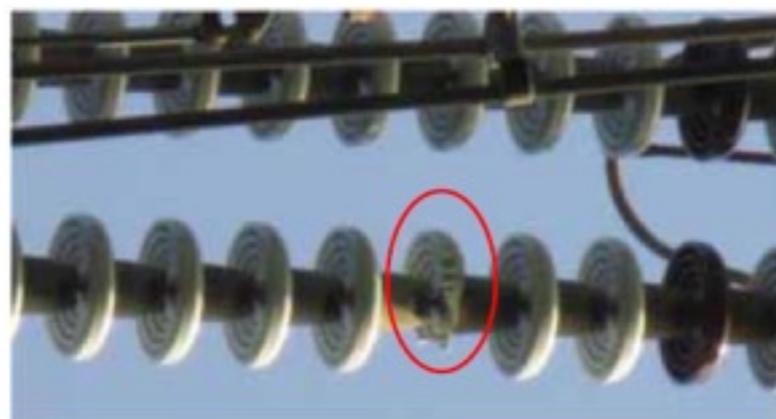
500kV Kumamoto
trunk line
№217-219



500kV Reihoku
thermal power line
№191



500kV Naka Kyushu
trunk line
№23

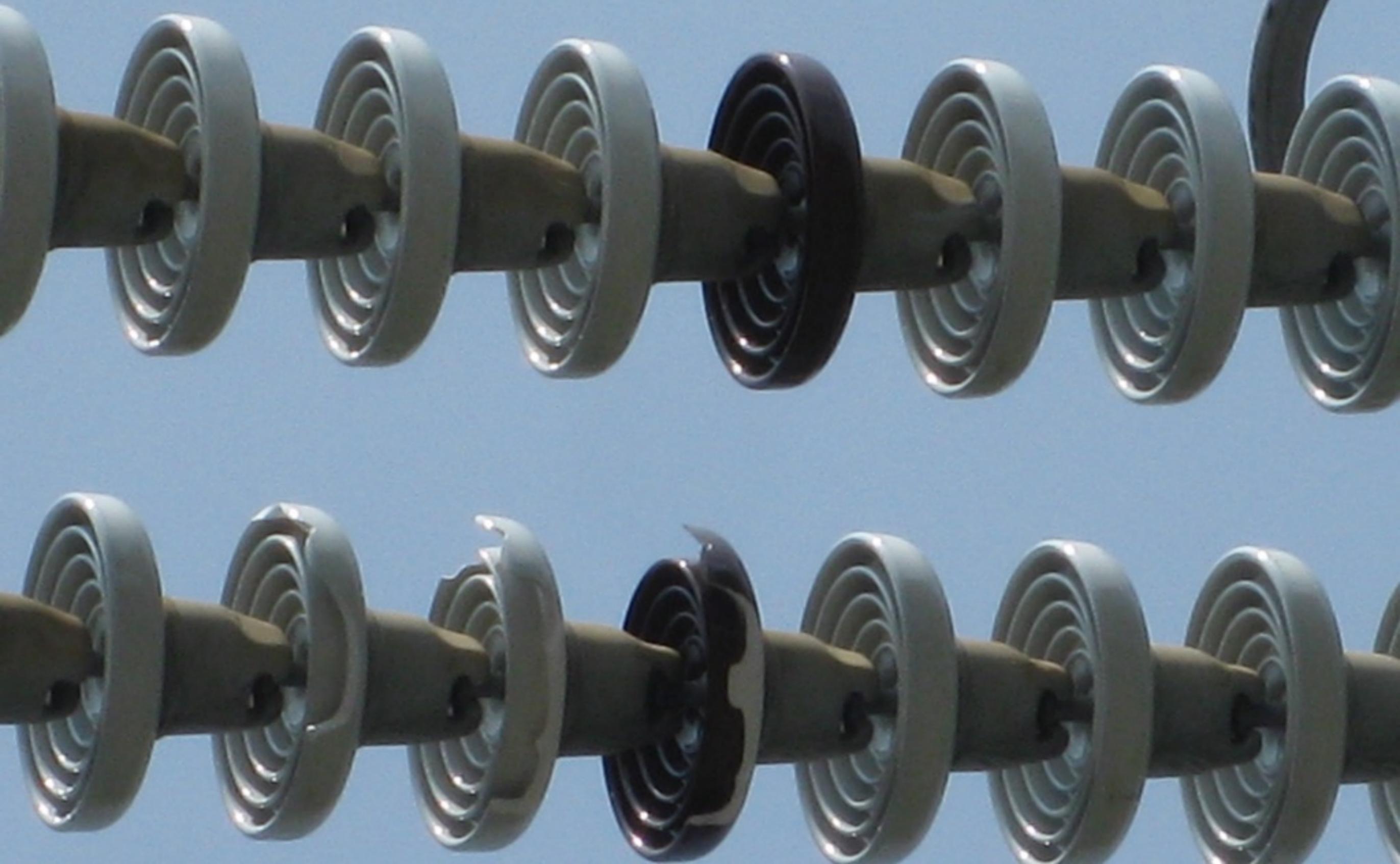


500kV Naka Kyushu
trunk line
№30

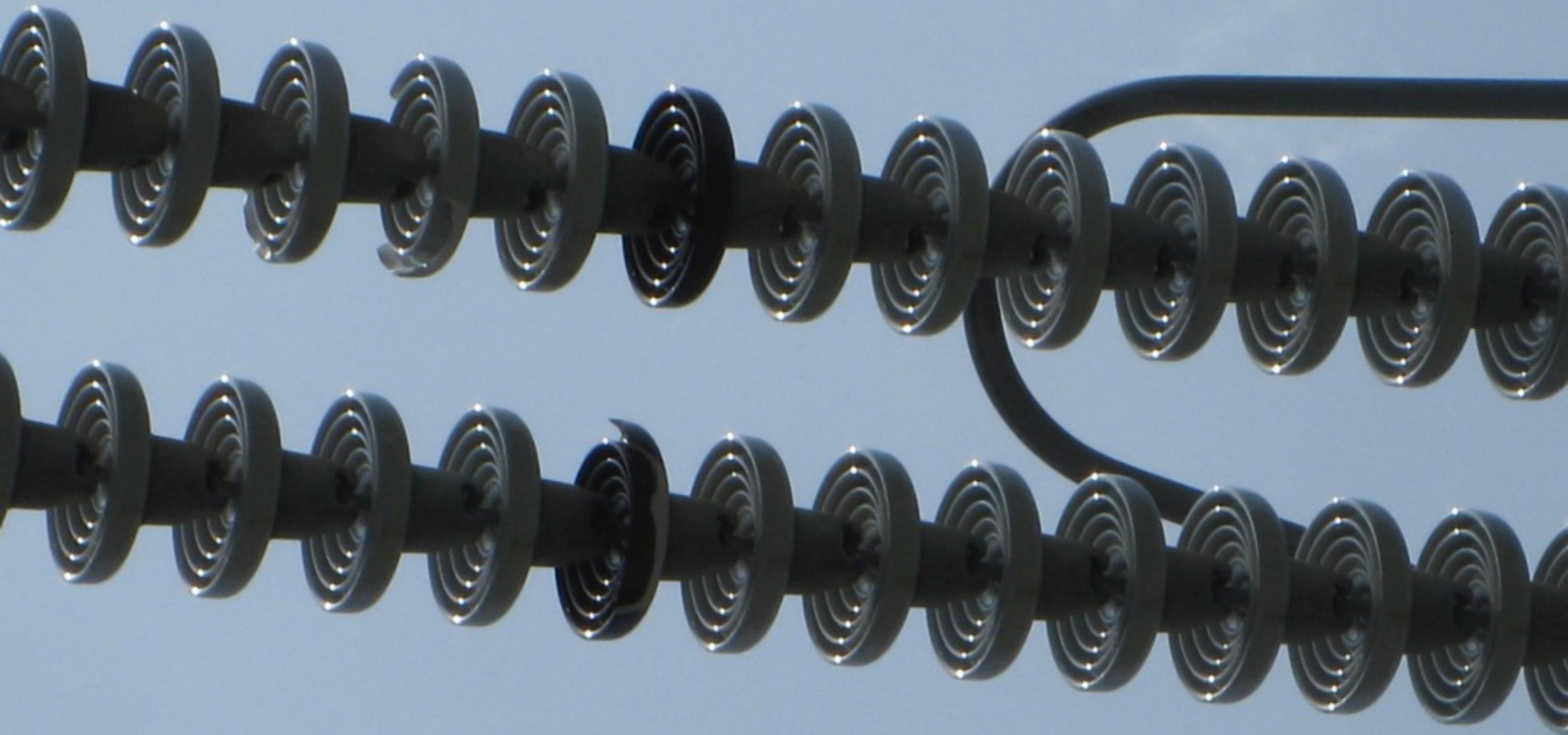


Solution: add spacers. Cause: vertical motions?
This damage did not cause faults

500 kV Kumamoto Trunk 1



500 kV Kumamoto Trunk 2



500 kV Reihoku Trunk



A photograph of a high-voltage power line tower. The tower is a lattice structure of reddish-brown metal. Two large, vertical insulators are mounted on the tower. Each insulator consists of many dark, cylindrical discs stacked on top of each other. The background is a clear, light blue sky. The text "500 kV Reihoku Trunk" is overlaid on the right side of the image.

500 kV Reihoku Trunk

500 kV Reihohoku Trunk





66 kV Kurakawa -
Ichinomiya
No. 5



66 kV Kurakawa -
Ichinomiya
No. 5



66 kV Kurakawa -
Ichinomiya
No. 7
April 16 821 am

66 kV Kurakawa -
Ichinomiya
No. 7



66 kV Kurakawa -
Ichinomiya
No. 8
April 16 8:35 am

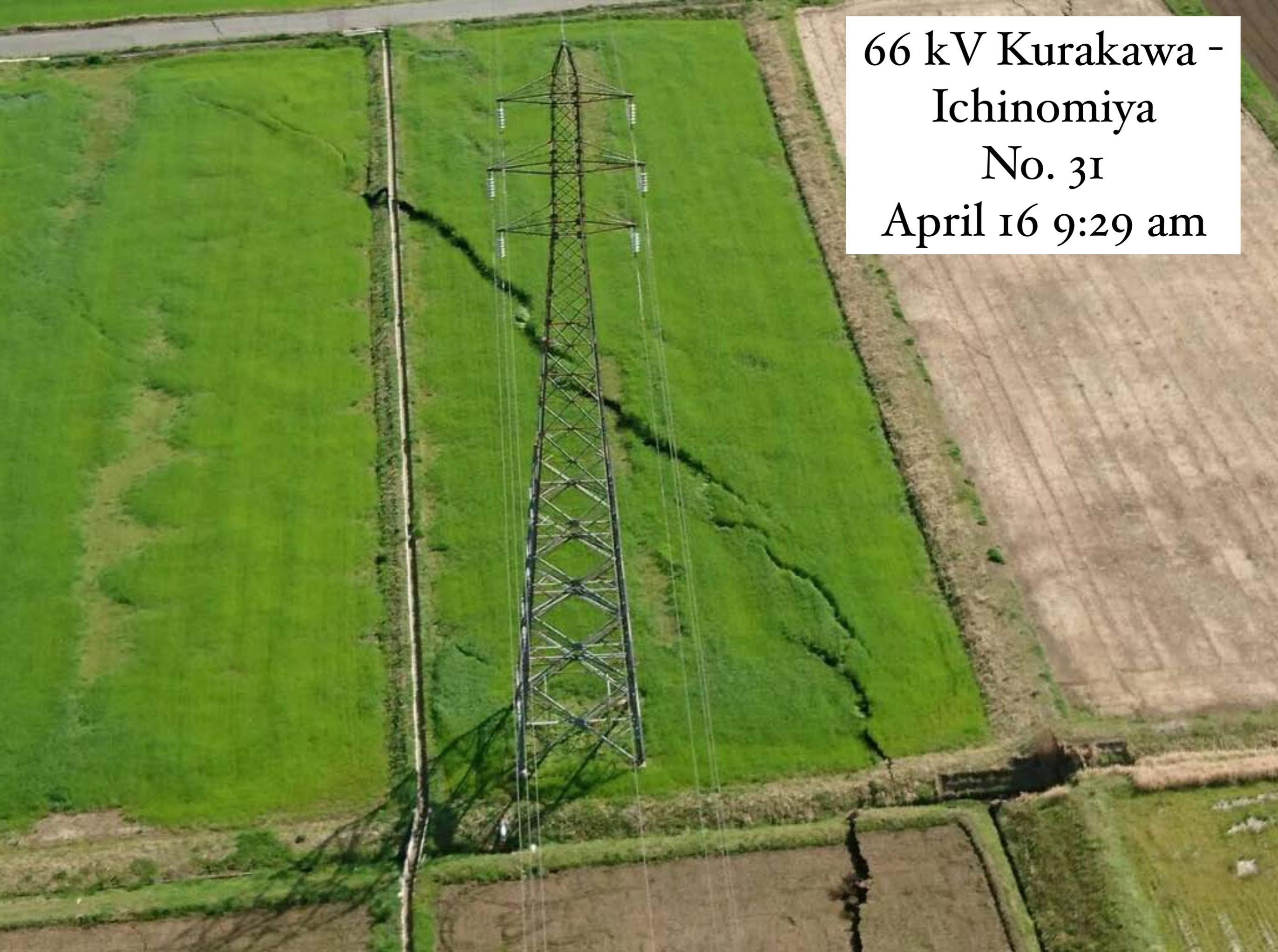


66 kV Kurakawa -
Ichinomiya
No. 8
April 16 8:28 am



66 kV Kurakawa -
Ichinomiya
No. 8
April 16 8:28 am



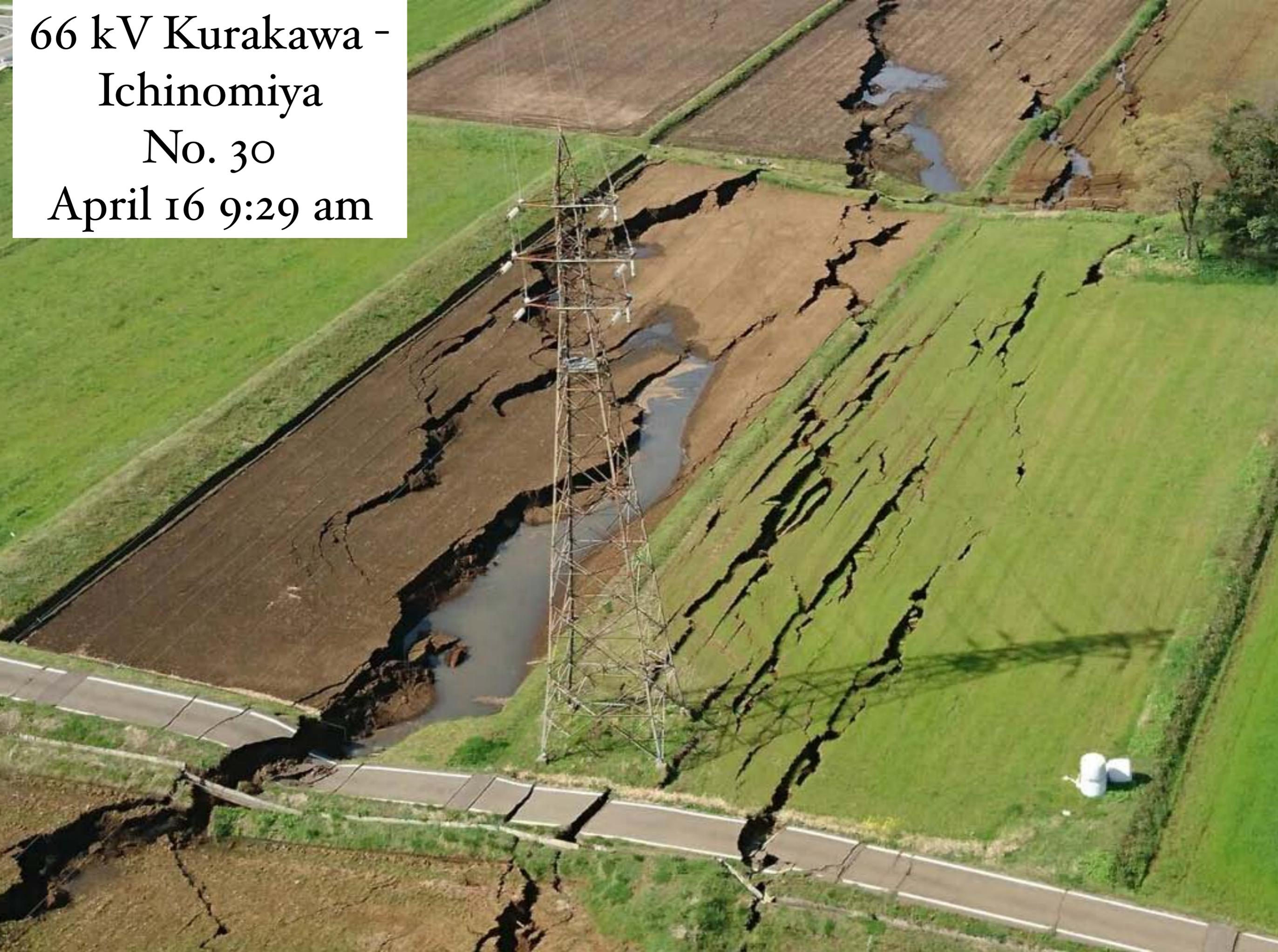
An aerial photograph of a tall, lattice-structured steel power line tower. The tower is positioned in the center of the frame, with several high-voltage power lines extending from it. The surrounding landscape is a mix of green fields and brown, tilled agricultural land. A road is visible at the top of the image. The tower's shadow is cast onto the green field to its right.

66 kV Kurakawa -
Ichinomiya
No. 31
April 16 9:29 am



66 kV Kurakawa -
Ichinomiya
No. 31
April 16 9:29 am

66 kV Kurakawa -
Ichinomiya
No. 30
April 16 9:29 am



66 kV Kurakawa -
Takamori
No. 2
April 16 8:28 am



An aerial photograph showing a tall, lattice-structured power line tower situated in a dense forest. The tower is positioned on a slight rise, with a river or stream visible to its right. The surrounding area is covered in lush green trees and vegetation. The image is taken from a high angle, providing a clear view of the tower's structure and the surrounding landscape.

66 kV Kurakawa -
Takamori
No. 2
April 16 8:21 am

66 kV Kurakawa -
Takamori
No. 2
April 17 8:52 am





66 kV Kurakawa -
Takamori
No. 2
April 17 8:52 am

Kumamoto Substation 2004. First Built ~ 1975

I-3Ø 500 - 220 kV TR

I-3Ø 220 - 66 kV TR

I-3Ø 66 kV RE

66 kV

500 kV Yard GIS 4 Lines

220 kV Yard 10 Lines

Image © 2016 DigitalGlobe
Image NASA

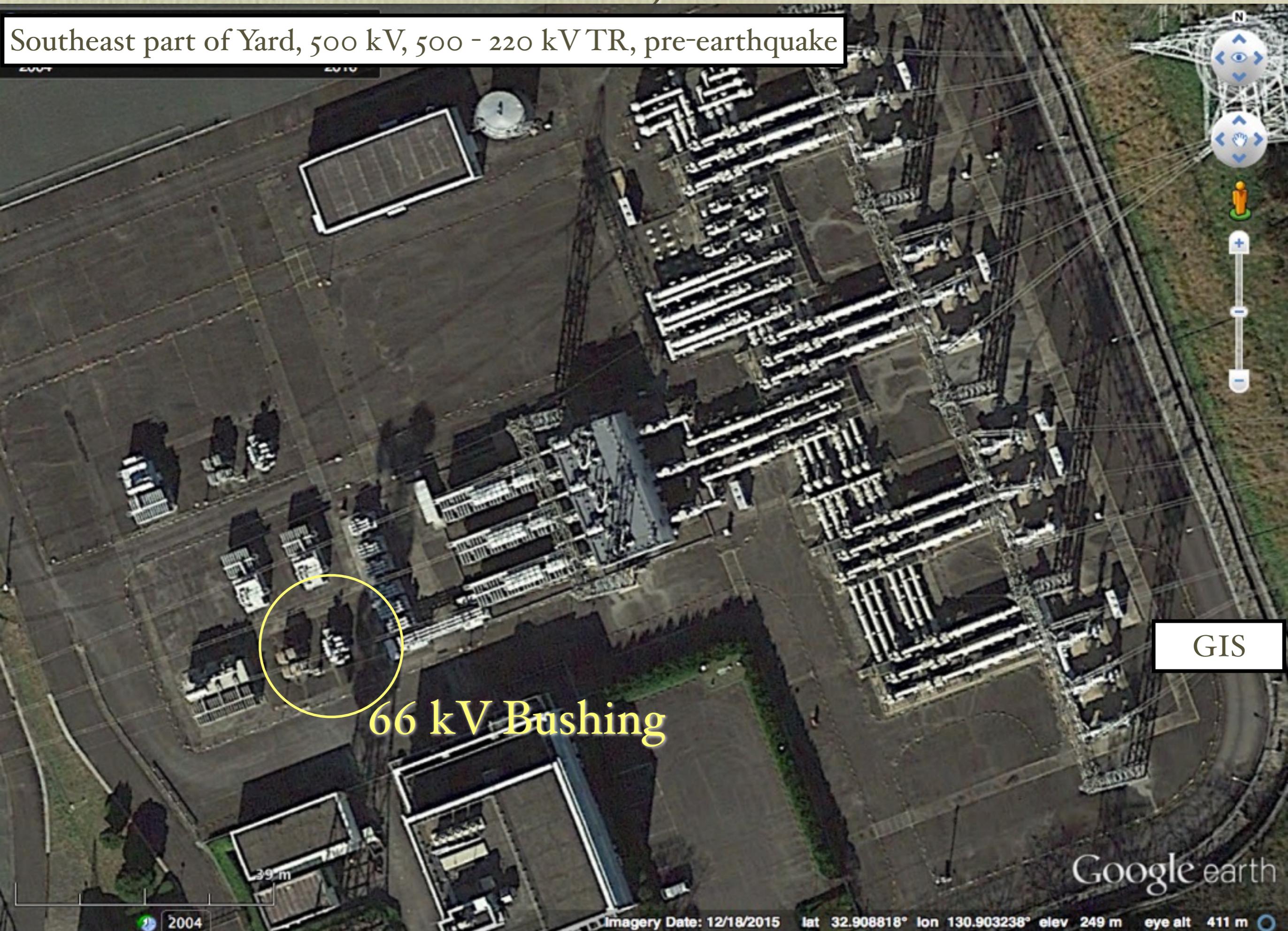
161 m

Google earth

Imagery Date: 2/11/2004 lat 32.909470° lon 130.902137° elev 247 m eye alt 908 m

2015

Southeast part of Yard, 500 kV, 500 - 220 kV TR, pre-earthquake



GIS

66 kV Bushing

Google earth

2004

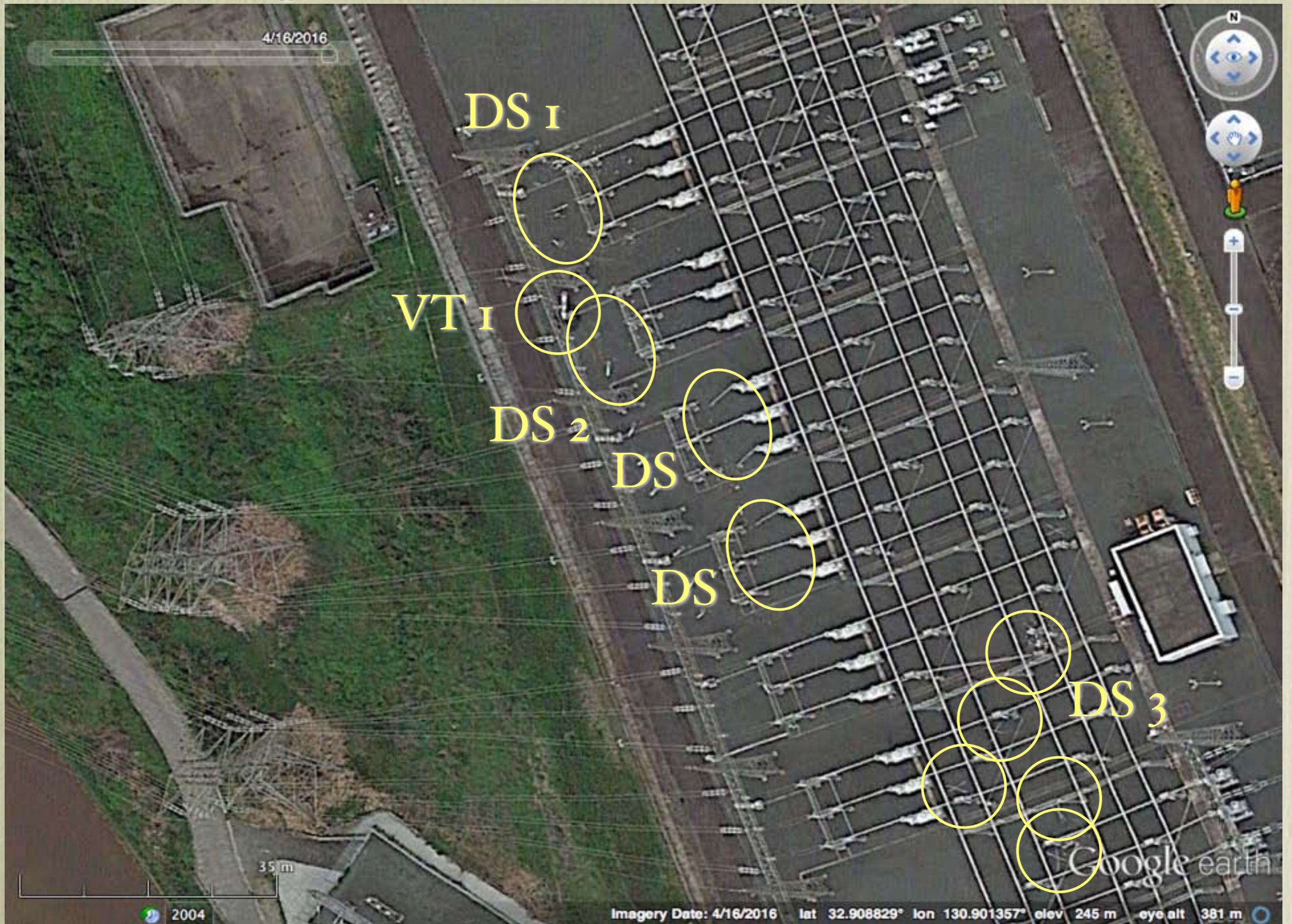
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66 kV Slipped Bushing and oil leakage



66 kV Neutral Bushing

April 16 2016 JST After Main Shock



April 16 2016 JST After Main Shock



April 16 2016 JST After Main Shock



DS 1

DS 2

VT. Older design. No seismic qualification
Similar device broke at Sendai 2011 Tohoku EQ

April 16 2016 JST After Main Shock



VT. Older design. No seismic qualification

April 16 2016 JST After Main Shock



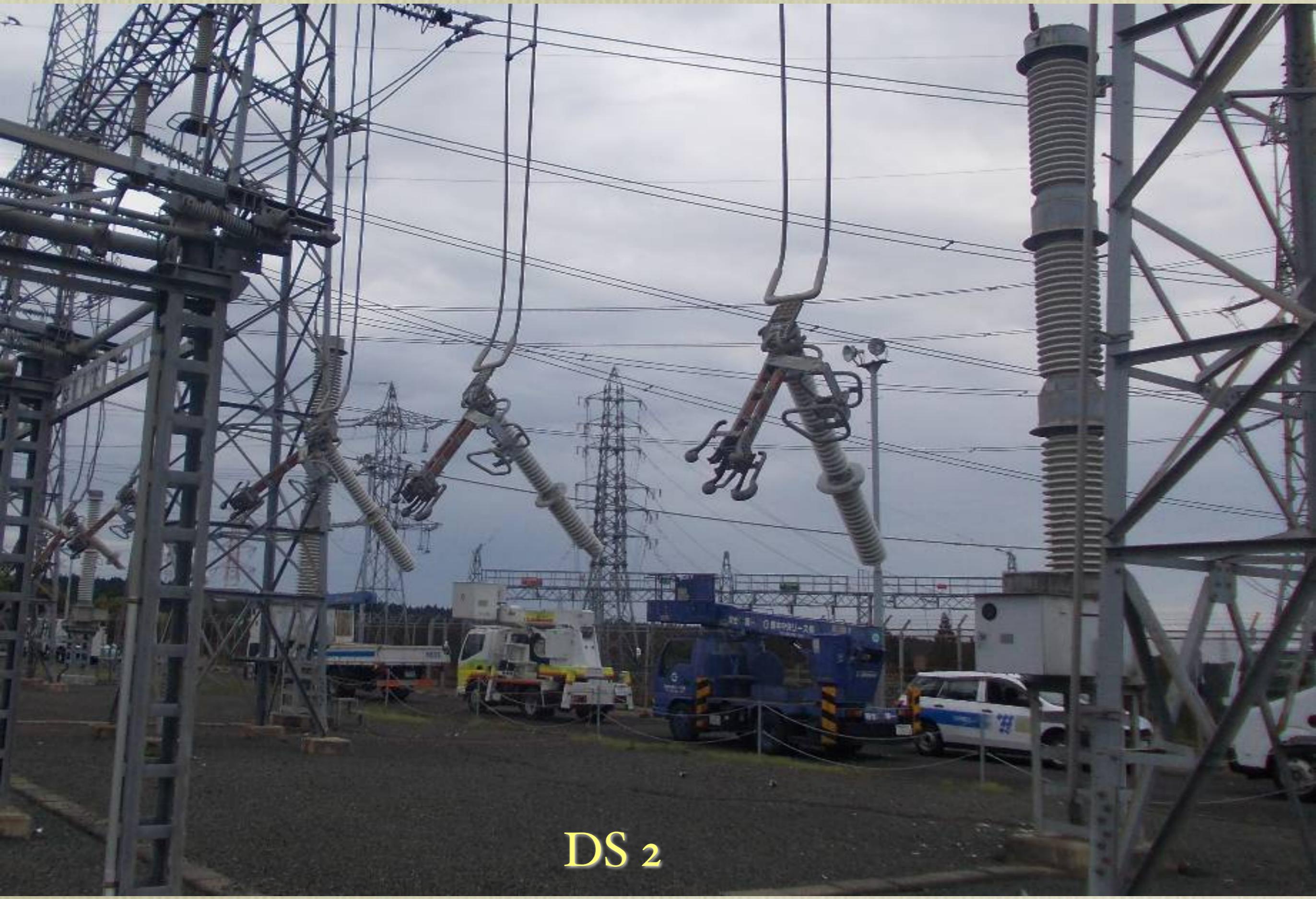
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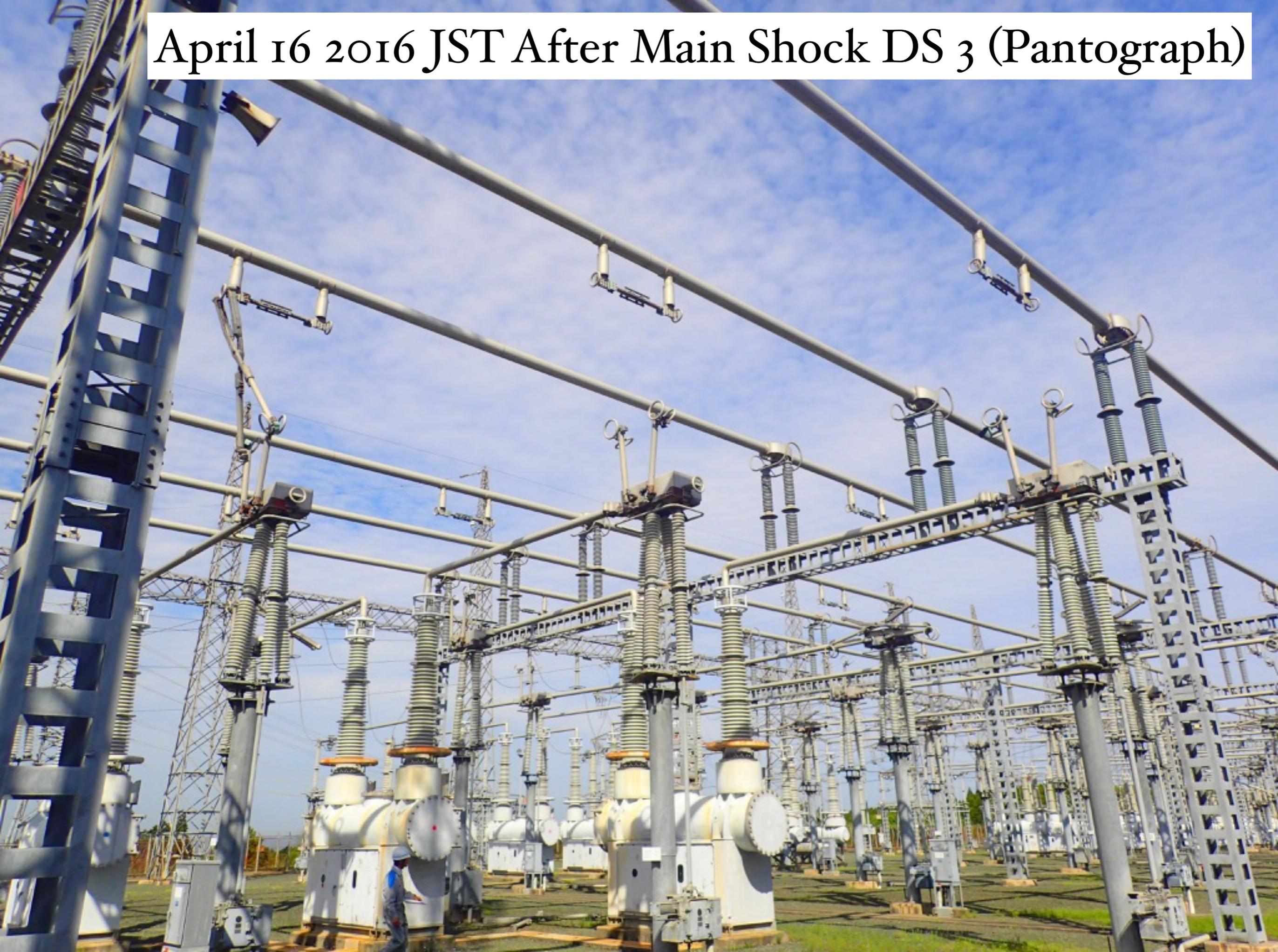
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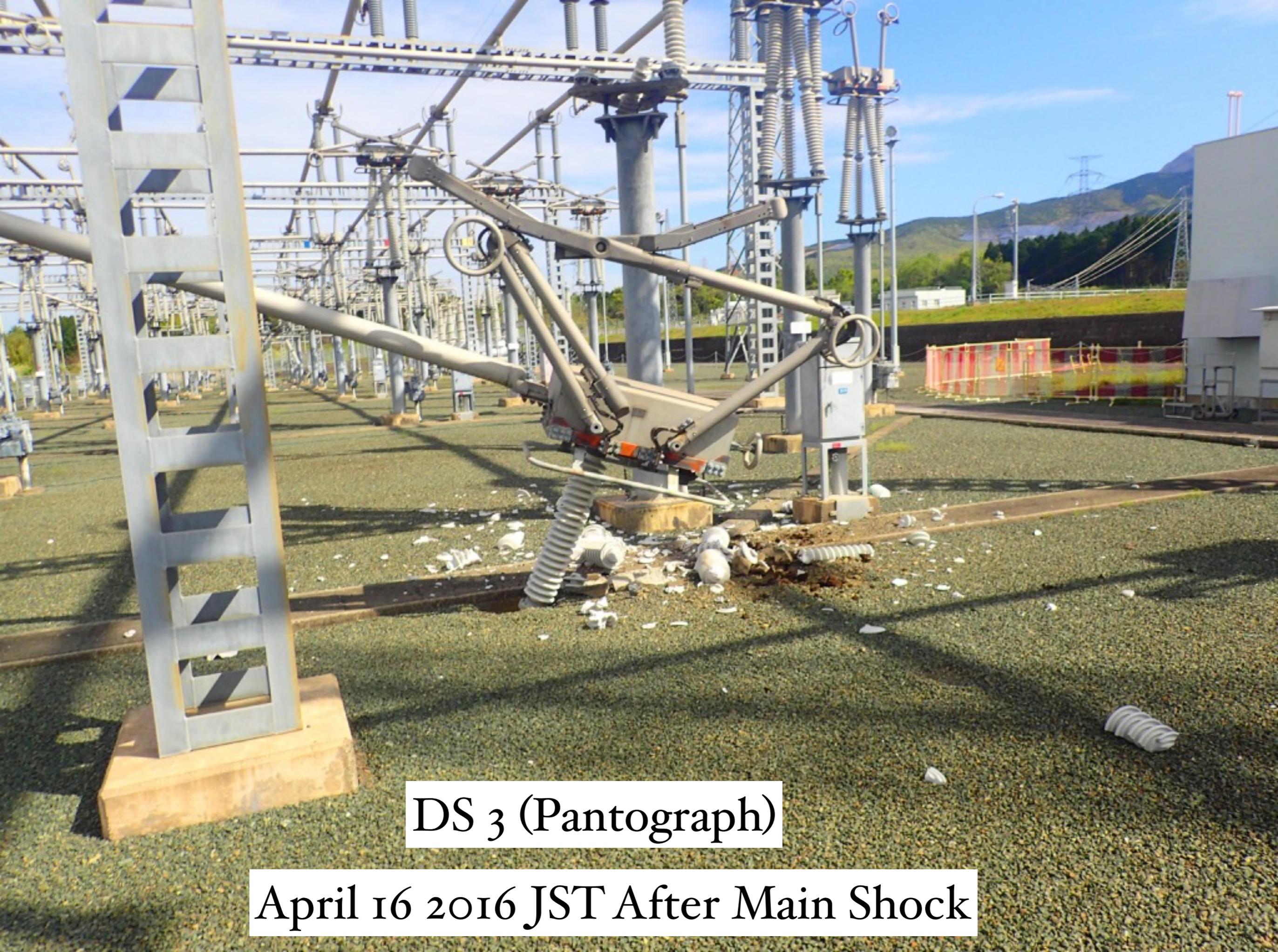
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DS 3

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DS 3 (Pantograph)

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DS I 220 kV



DS 3 220 kV



DS 220 kV



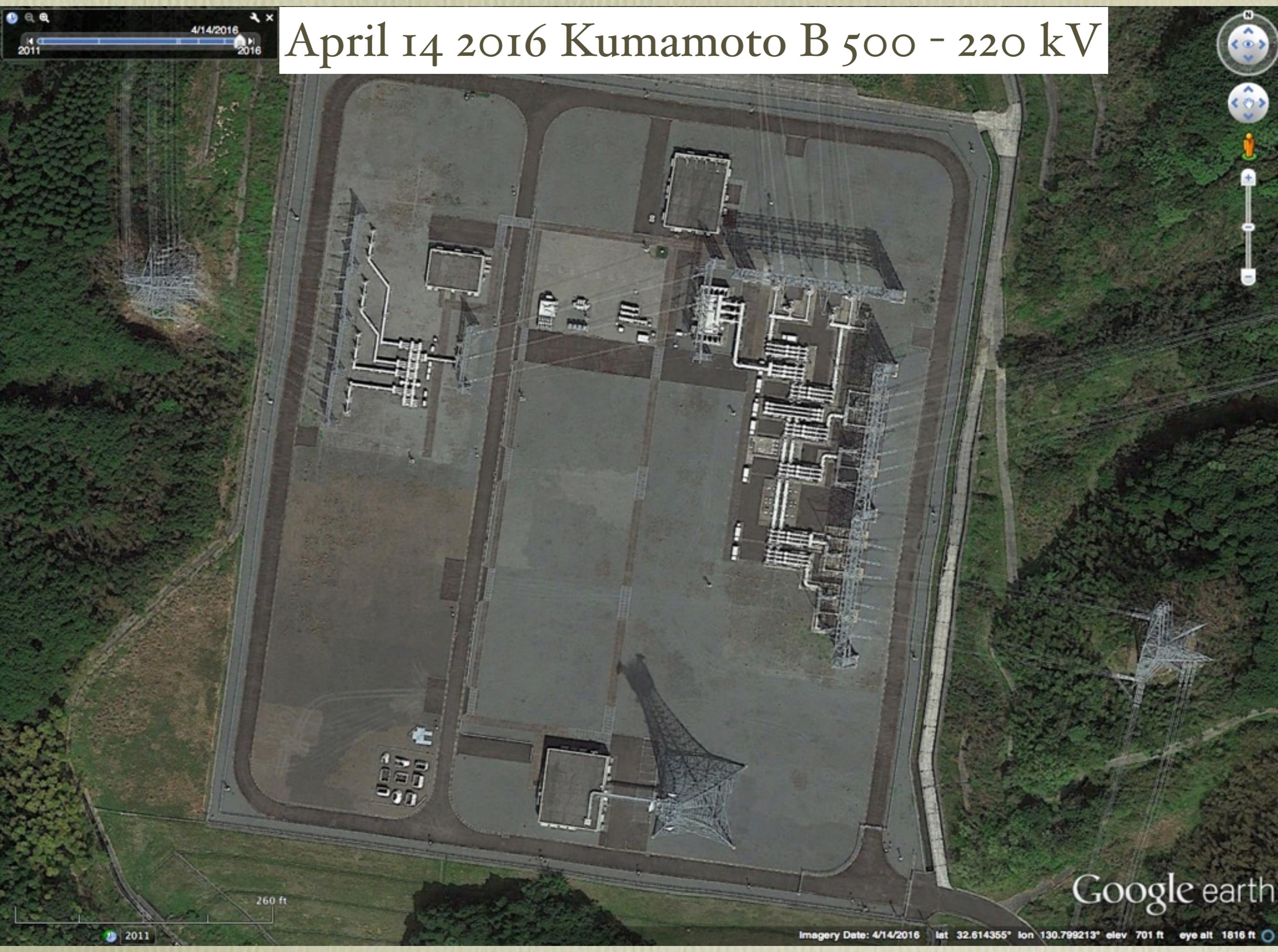
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CB 220 kV



April 14 2016 Kumamoto B 500 - 220 kV



4/14/2016
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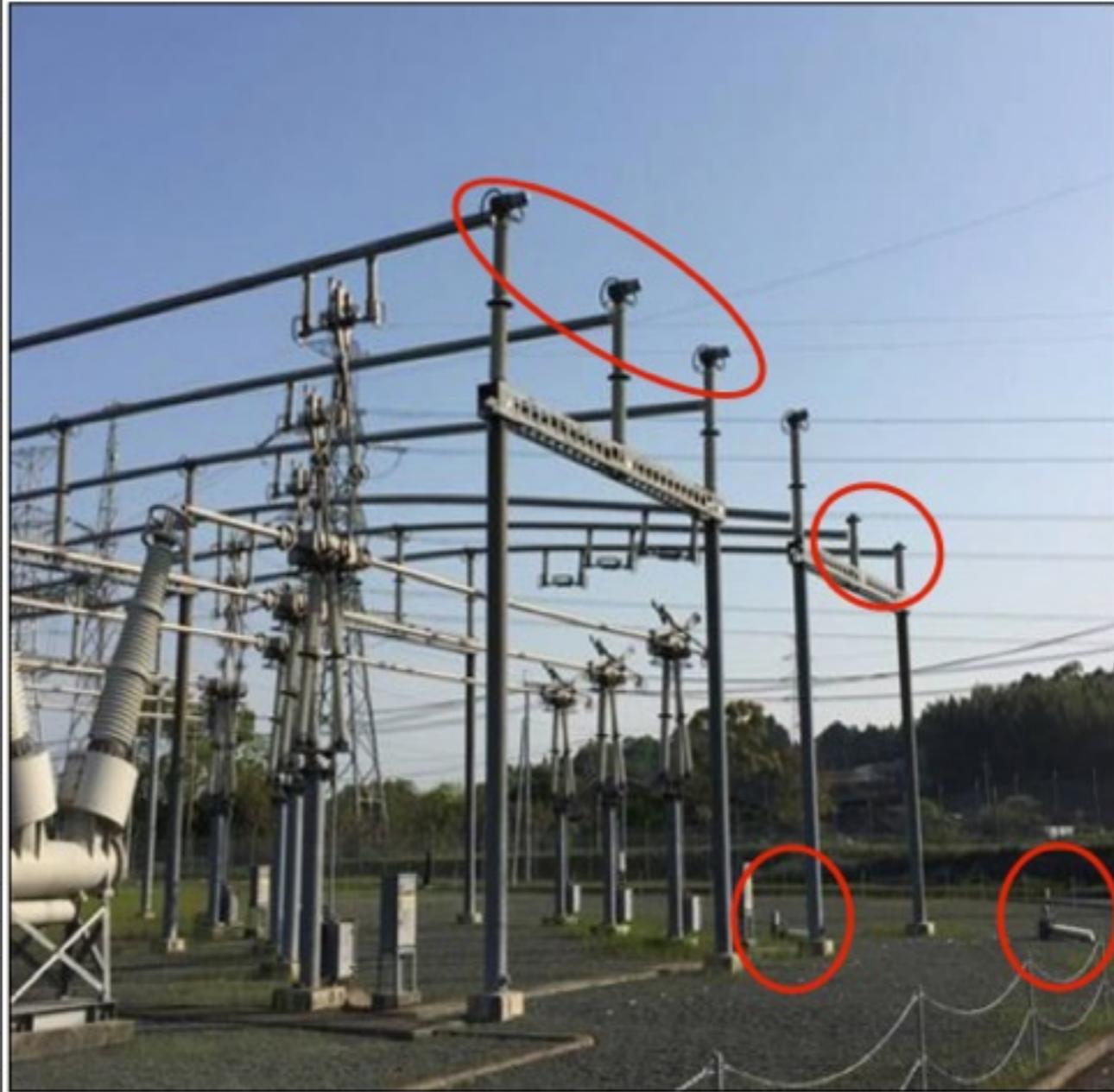


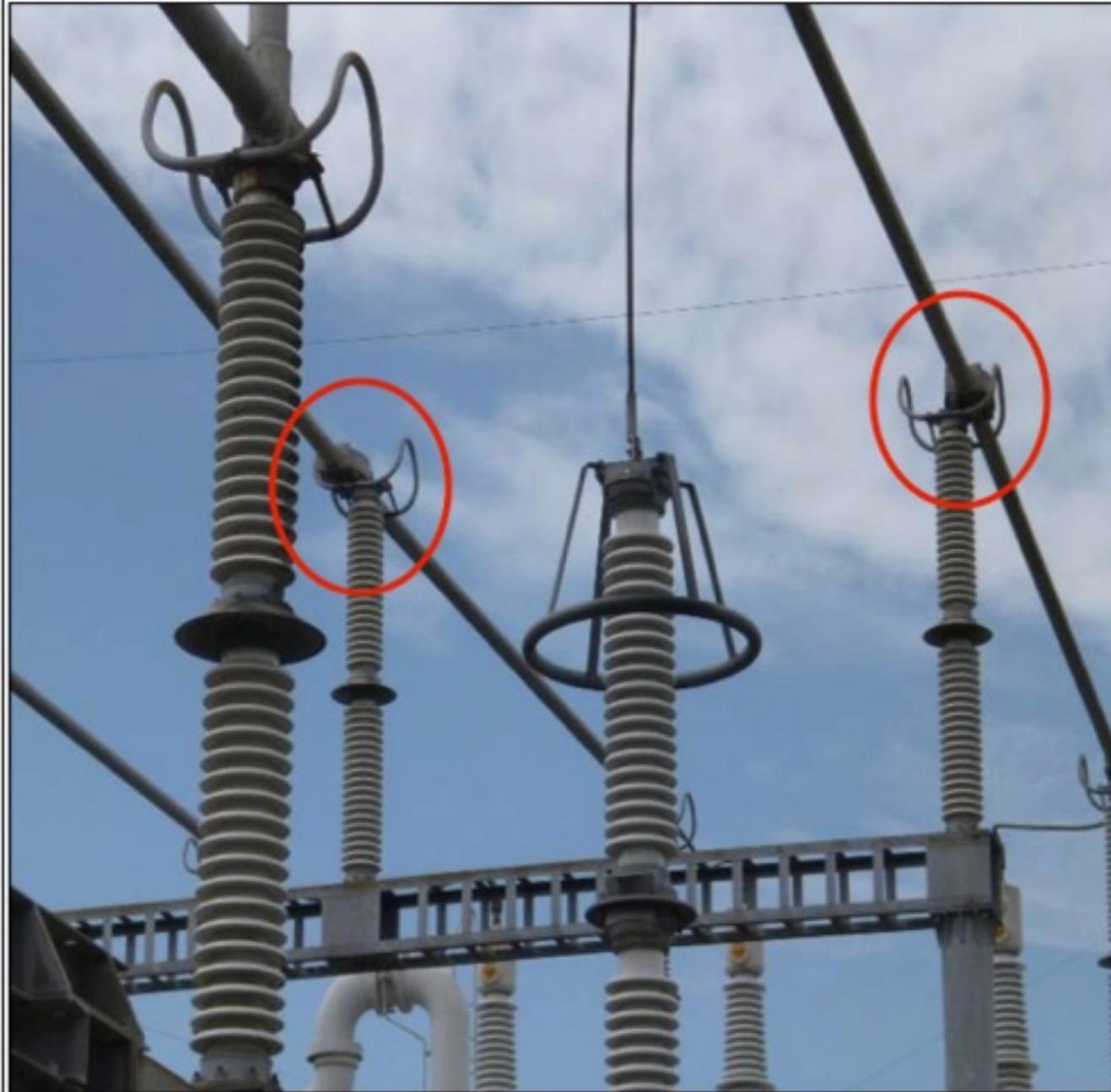
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Google earth

Imagery Date: 4/14/2016 lat 32.614355° lon 130.799213° elev 701 ft eye alt 1816 ft







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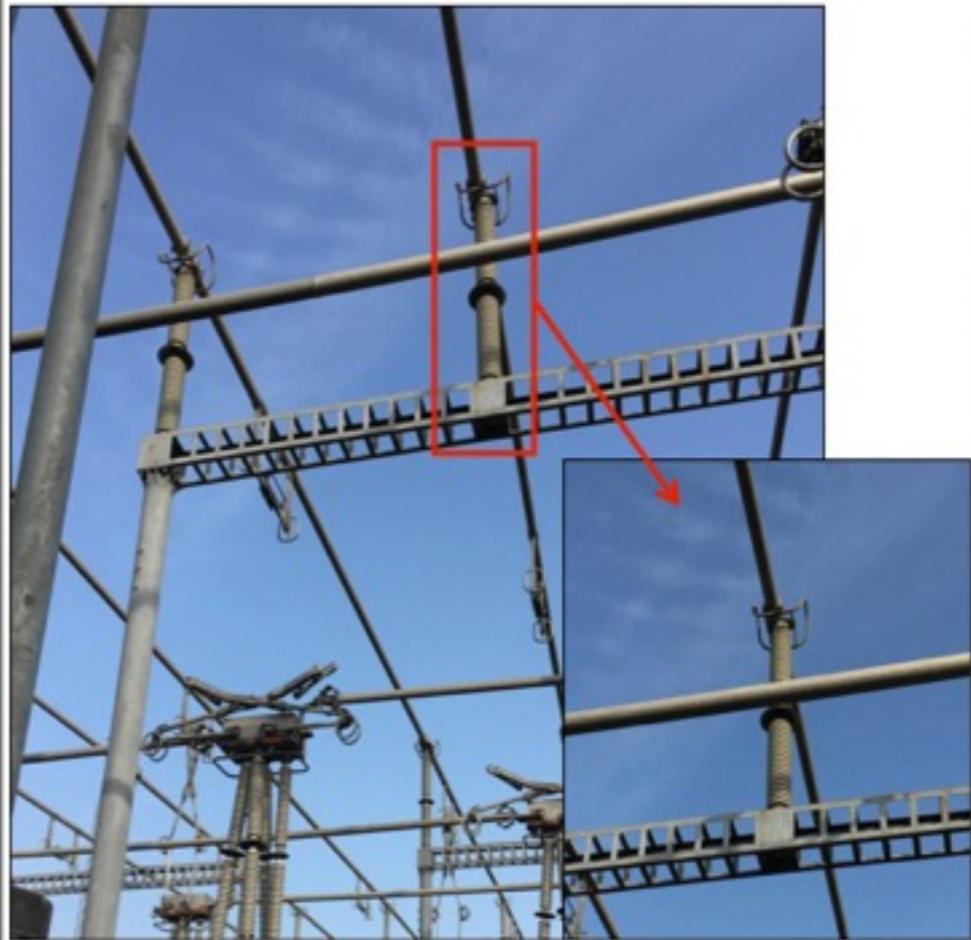
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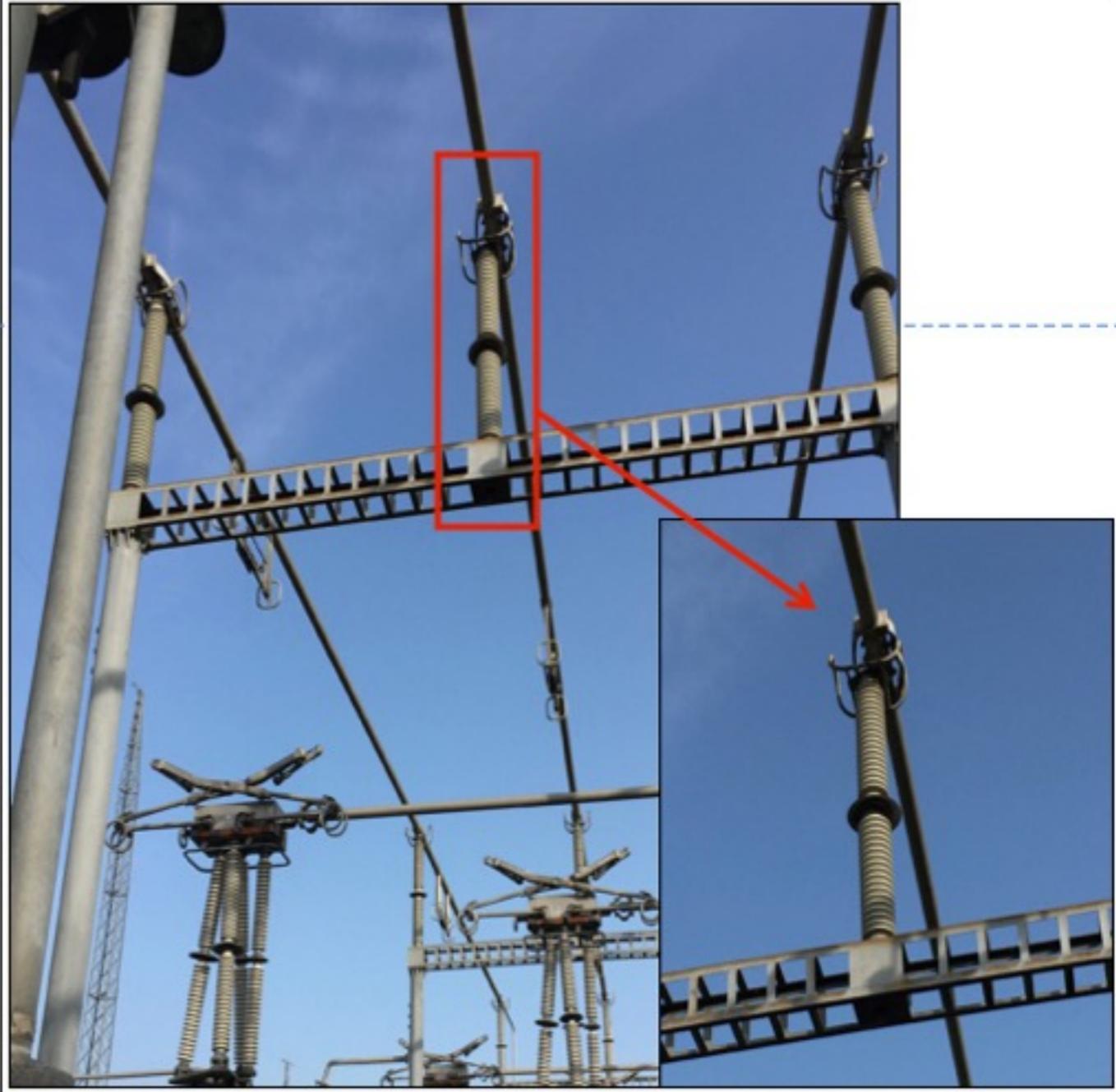
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Minami Kumamoto 66kV #4 Shunt Reactor



66kV bushing (S)



66kV bushing (T)



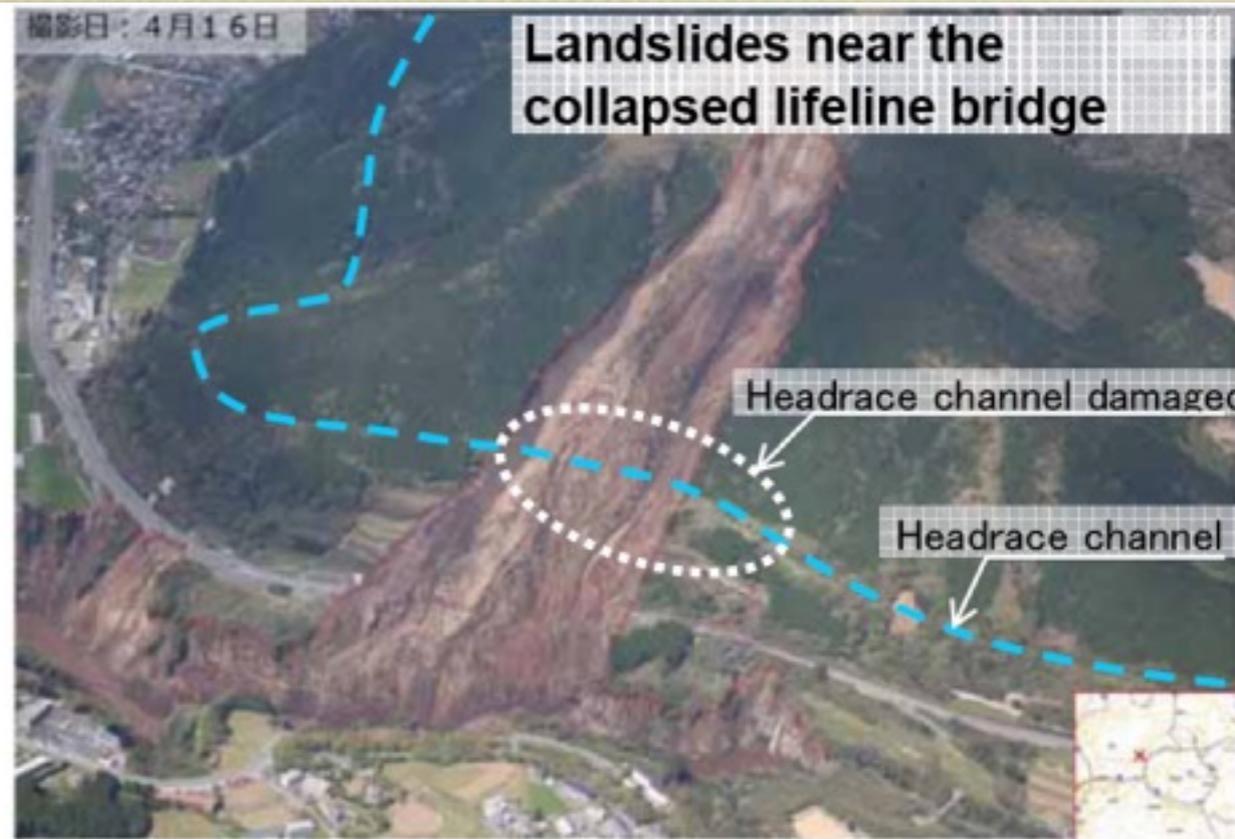
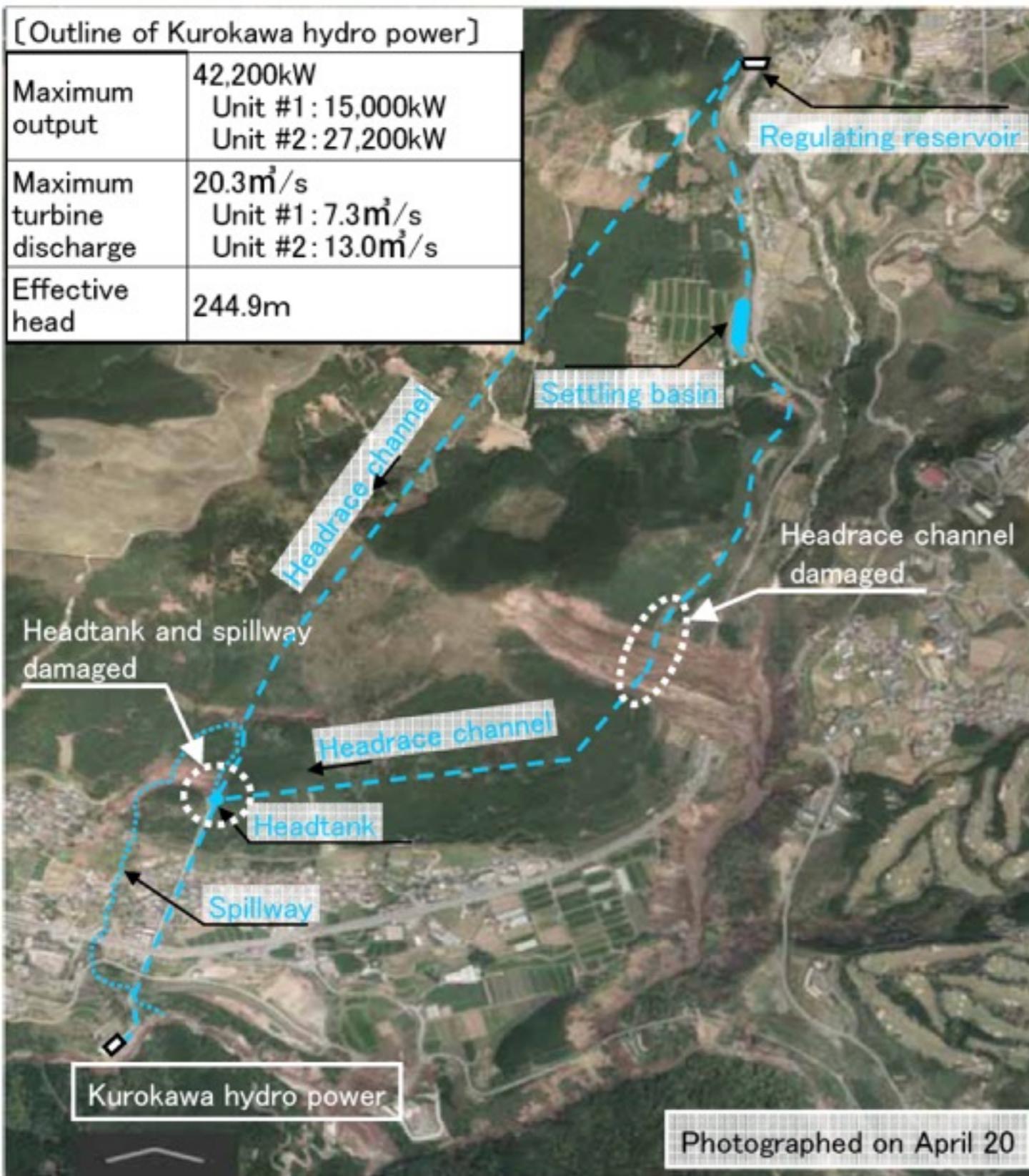
oil leakage



Kyushu Electric. Hydro Issues

[Outline of Kurokawa hydro power]

Maximum output	42,200kW Unit #1: 15,000kW Unit #2: 27,200kW
Maximum turbine discharge	20.3m ³ /s Unit #1: 7.3m ³ /s Unit #2: 13.0m ³ /s
Effective head	244.9m



JNC Company. Produces Fertilizer
Owns 13 Hydroelectric Power Plants



Turbine Building Failed. Repair after the landslide along the
access road is repaired (July 2 2016, t+77 days)

Distribution

Kyushu Electric. Distribution Issues

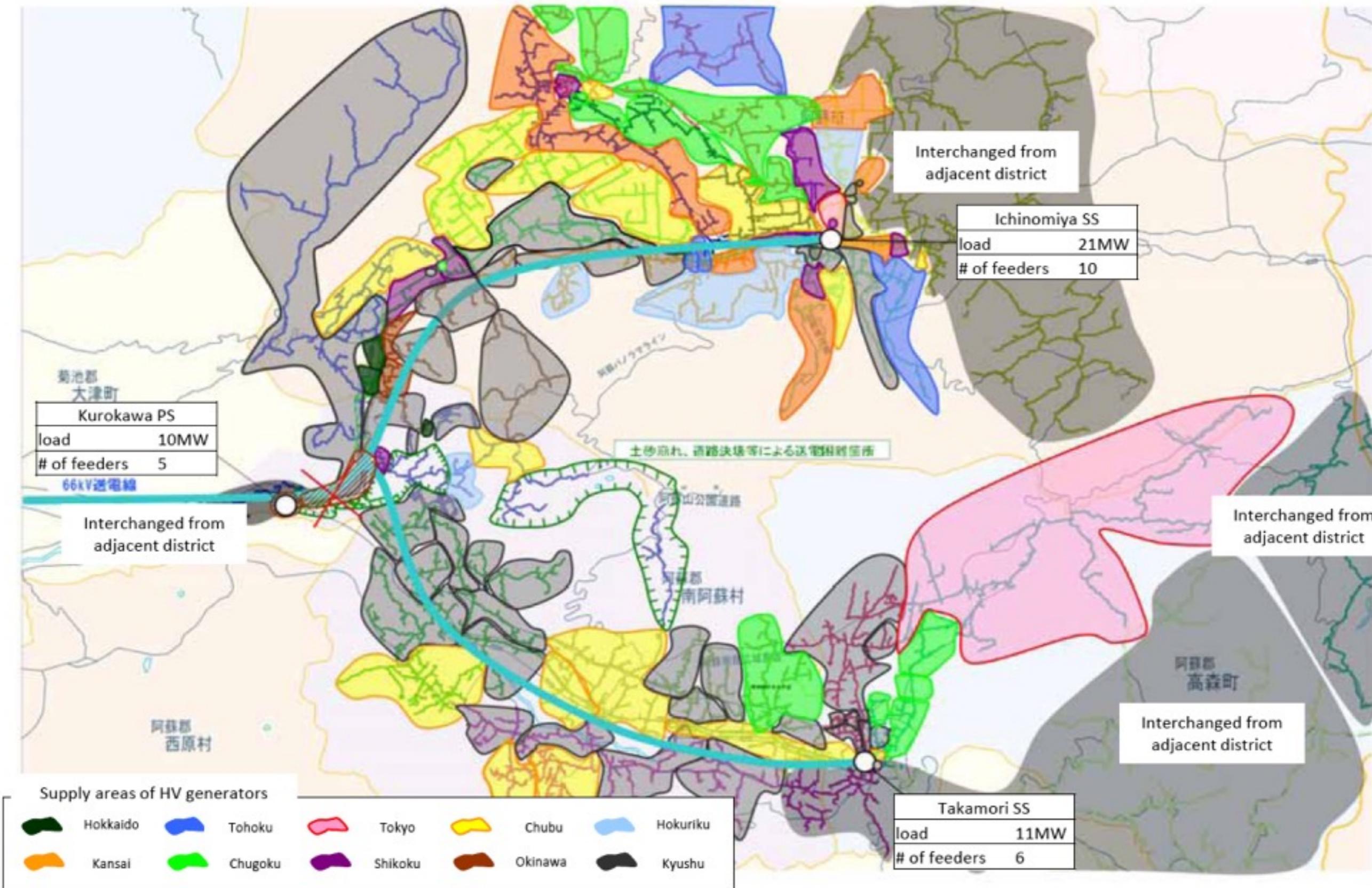


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The other 9 electric power companies provided enormous assistance in outage restoration.



Kyushu Electric. Distribution Issues

Hokkaido EPCO



Tohoku EPCO



Tokyo EPCO



Chubu EPCO



Hokuriku EPCO



Kansai EPCO



Chugoku EPCO



Shikoku EPCO



Okinawa EPCO



Kyushu Electric. Distribution Issues



Mobile HV generator fueling



Generator fuel storage site



Common
Distribution
Pole

Reinforced
Concrete
Tube

Primary is
Commonly
6.5 kV



Wood Poles
are Rare

Cross Arms
are steel

Attachments
use metal
friction clamps

Pulldowns +
PGDs
sometimes
rotate the
clamps, leading
to faults

Attachments
use metal
friction clamps



Cross Arms
are steel



CHACO
1000
1000
1000

CHACO
1000
1000
1000

TEPCO
SUZUKI
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1000
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1000

























Nuclear Power Plants

Sendai: In operation at the time of the earthquake.

• Sendai Nuclear Power Station

	Date and Time	JMA Seismic Intensity (Satsumasendai City, Kagoshima pref.)	Sendai Nuclear Power Station (Kyushu Electric Seismic Intensity)			
				Lowest floor of auxiliary building (on base rock)	Upper floor of auxiliary building (1 st floor)	Ground surface
①	16 April 2016 01:25 JST	4	Seismic Intensity	3	3	3
			Maximum Acceleration (gal)	8.6	12.6	30.3
②	16 April 2016 01:46 JST	2	Seismic Intensity	1	1	2
			Maximum Acceleration (gal)	2.5	3.0	5.3
③	16 April 2016 03:55 JST	1	Seismic Intensity	0	—	1
			Maximum Acceleration (gal)	0.8	—	1.2
④	16 April 2016 09:48 JST	2	Seismic Intensity	1	1	1
			Maximum Acceleration (gal)	1.4	1.7	2.4

2 x 890 MW (1984, 1985). All PWR



31.8336, 130.1897

Genkai: Not in operation at the time of the earthquake.

• Genkai Nuclear Power Station

	Date and Time	JMA Seismic Intensity (Karatsu City, Saga pref.)	Genkai Nuclear Power Station (Kyushu Electric Seismic Intensity)			
				Lowest floor of auxiliary building (on base rock)	Upper floor of auxiliary building (1 st basement floor)	Ground surface
①	16 April 2016 01:25 JST	4	Seismic Intensity	3	3	3
			Maximum Acceleration (gal)	20.3	30.1	23.5
②	16 April 2016 01:46 JST	3	Seismic Intensity	2	2	2
			Maximum Acceleration (gal)	7.7	15.0	9.8
③	16 April 2016 03:55 JST	2	Seismic Intensity	1	1	1
			Maximum Acceleration (gal)	2.6	4.7	2.6
④	16 April 2016 09:48 JST	2	Seismic Intensity	1	2	1
			Maximum Acceleration (gal)	3.3	7.6	3.1

2 x 559 MW (1975, 1980) + 2 x 1180 MW (1993, 1996). All PWR



33.5159, 129.8372

Questions?

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