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For revision no 1 of this report a recalculation of the directional radar data has been done. The strike angle between the line of the plane's cross-section with the surface and the Magnetic North direction was earlier counted counter-clockwise but it is now recalculated as such it counts clockwise, see Figure 5-2. New values for strike and dip are therefore updated in Table 5-2.

Abstract

This report includes the data gained in geophysical logging operations performed within the site investigation at Oskarshamn. The logging operations presented here includes borehole directional radar (RAMAC) logging in the core drilled borehole KLX05 and borehole radar (RAMAC) and BIPS logging in the percussion drilled borehole HLX20. All measurements were conducted by Malå Geoscience AB/RAYCON during May 2005.

The objective of the radar surveys is to achieve information on the rock mass around the borehole. Borehole radar is used to investigate the nature and the structure of the rock mass enclosing the boreholes.

The objective of the BIPS logging is to achieve information of the borehole including occurrence of rock types as well as determination of fracture distribution and orientation.

This report describes the equipment used as well as the measurement procedures and data gained. For the BIPS survey, the result is presented as images. Radar data is presented in radargrams and the identified reflectors are listed.

The borehole radar data quality from KLX05 and HLX20 was relatively satisfying, but in large parts of lower quality due to more conductive conditions. This conductive environment of course reduces the possibility to distinguish and interpret possible structures in the rock mass which otherwise could give a reflection. However, the borehole radar measurements resulted in 45 identified and orientated (strike/dip) radar reflectors and in KLX05. In HLX20 41 radar reflectors were identified.

The BIPS images from HLX20 are of good quality down to a depth of 117.5 m. From that level down to the position where the logging was stopped the water quality is very bad and it is impossible to get any information from the borehole walls.

Sammanfattning

Denna rapport omfattar geofysiska loggningar inom platsundersökningsprogrammet för Oskarshamn. Mätningarna som presenteras här omfattar borrhålsradarmätningar med riktantenn (RAMAC) i borrhål KLX05 och borrhålsradarmätningar (RAMAC) och BIPS-loggningar i HLX20. Alla mätningar är utförda av Malå Geoscience AB/RAYCON under maj 2005.

Syftet med radarmätningarna är att samla information om bergmassan runt borrhålet. Borrhålsradar används till att karakterisera bergets egenskaper och strukturer i bergmassan närmast borrhålet.

Syftet med BIPS loggningen är att skaffa information om borrhålet inkluderande förekommande bergarter och bestämning av sprickors fördelning och deras orientering.

Rapporten beskriver utrustningen som använts liksom mätprocedurer och en beskrivning och tolkning av data som erhållits. För BIPS loggningen presenteras data som plottar längs med borrhålet. Radardata presenteras i radargram och en lista över tolkade radarreflektorer ges.

Borrhålsradardata från KLX05 och HLX20 var relativt tillfredställande, men i stora delar av sämre kvalitet troligen till stor del beroende på en konduktiv miljö. En konduktiv miljö minskar möjligheterna att identifiera strukturer från borrhålsradardata. Dock har 45 radarreflektorer identifierats och orienteras (med strykning/stupning) i KLX05. I HLX20 har 41 radarreflektorer identifierats.

BIPS bilderna från HLX20 är av god kvalitet ner till 117,5 m där mycket grumligt vatten helt förstör förutsättningar för loggning med BIPS kameran.

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1 Introduction

This document reports the data gained in geophysical logging operations, which is one of the activities performed within the site investigation at Oskarshamn. The logging operations presented here includes borehole directional radar (RAMAC) measurements in the core drilled borehole KLX05 and borehole radar (RAMAC) and TV-logging (BIPS) in the percussion drilled borehole HLX20. The work was carried out in accordance with activity plan AP PS 400-05-004. In Table 1-1 controlling documents for performing this activity are listed. Both activity plan and method descriptions are SKB's internal controlling documents.

This report includes measurements from 100 to 1,000 m in KLX05 and from 0 to 190 m in HLX20. The borehole KLX05 is percussion drilled with a diameter of 195 mm down to 75.1 m, from there the borehole is core drilled with a diameter of 76 mm. The borehole HLX20 is percussion drilled with a diameter of 138 mm.

All measurements were conducted by Malå Geoscience AB/RAYCON during May 2005. The investigation site and location of the boreholes is shown in Figure 1-1.

The used investigation techniques comprised:

- Borehole radar measurements (Malå Geoscience AB:s RAMAC system) with dipole and directional radar antennas.
- Borehole TV logging with the so-called BIP-system (Borehole Image Processing System), which is a high resolution, side viewing, colour borehole TV system.

The delivered raw and processed data have been inserted in the database of SKB (SICADA) and data are traceable by the activity plan number.

Table 1-1. Controlling documents for the performance of the activity (SKB internal controlling documents).

Activity plan	Number	Version
Borrhålsradar och BIPS i KLX05	AP PS 400-05-004	1.0
Tilllägg till Aktivitetsplan AP PS 400-05-004 (Borrhålsradar och BIPS KLX05)		
Method descriptions	Number	Version
Metodbeskrivning för TV- loggning med BIPS	SKB MD 222.006	1.0
Metodbeskrivning för borrhålsradar	SKB MD 252.020	1.0



Figure 1-1. General overview over the Simpevarp and Laxemar subareas in Oskarshamn with the location of the boreholes KLX05 and HLX20 in Laxemar.

2 Objective and scope

The objective of the radar and BIPS surveys is to achieve information on the borehole conditions (borehole wall) as well as on the rock mass around the borehole. Borehole radar is engaged to investigate the nature and the structure of the rock mass enclosing the boreholes, and borehole TV for geological surveying of the borehole including determination of rock types as well as fracture distribution and orientation.

This report describes the equipment used as well as the measurement procedures and data gained. For the BIPS survey, the result is presented as images. Radar data is presented in radargrams and the identified reflectors are listed.

3 Equipment

3.1 Radar measurements RAMAC

The RAMAC GPR system owned by SKB is a fully digital GPR system where emphasis has been laid on fast survey speed and easy field operation. The system operates dipole and directional antennas (see Figure 3-1). A system description is given in the SKB internal controlling document MD 252.021.

The borehole radar system consists of a transmitter and a receiver antenna. During operation an electromagnetic pulse, within the frequency range of 20 MHz up to 250 MHz, is emitted into the bedrock. Once a feature, e.g. a water-filled fracture, with sufficiently different electrical properties is encountered, the pulse is reflected back to the receiver and recorded.



The directional antenna

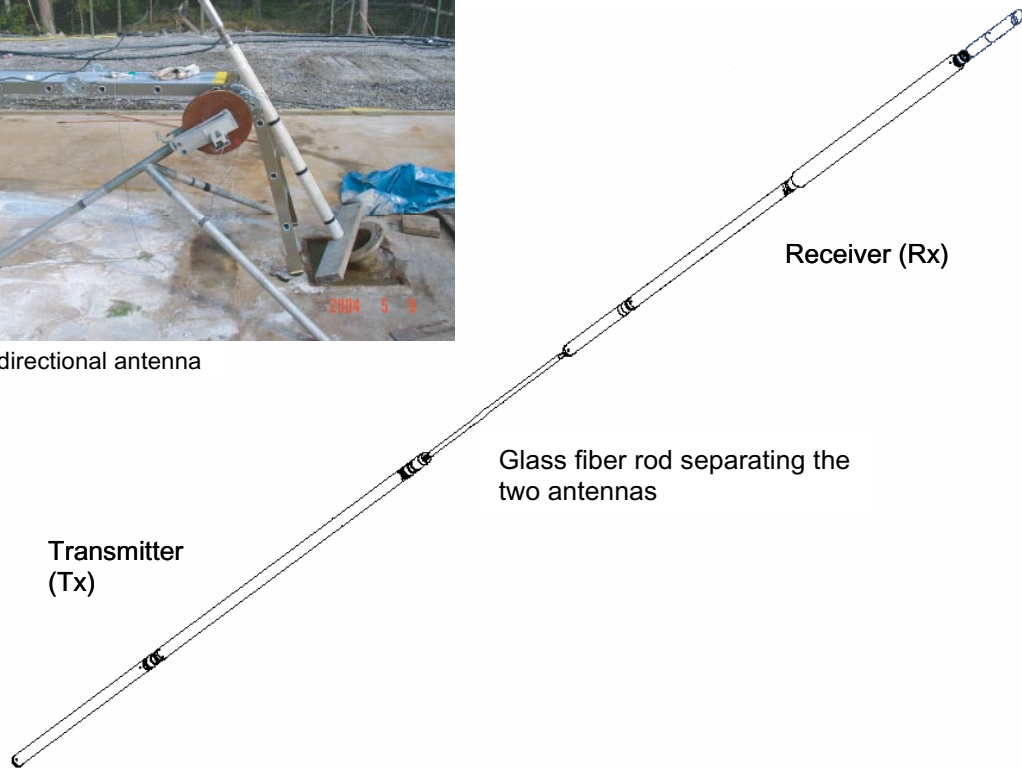


Figure 3-1. Example of a borehole radar antenna.

3.2 TV-Camera, BIPS

The BIPS 1500 system used is owned by SKB and described in SKB internal controlling document MD 222.005. The BIPS method for borehole logging produces a digital scan of the borehole wall. In principle, a standard CCD video camera is installed in the probe in front of a conical mirror (see Figure 3-2). An acrylic window covers the mirror part and the borehole image is reflected through the window and displayed on the cone, from where it is recorded. During the measuring operation, pixel circles are grabbed with a resolution of 360 pixels/circle.

The system orientates the BIPS images according to two alternative methods, either using a compass (vertical boreholes) or with a gravity sensor (inclined boreholes).

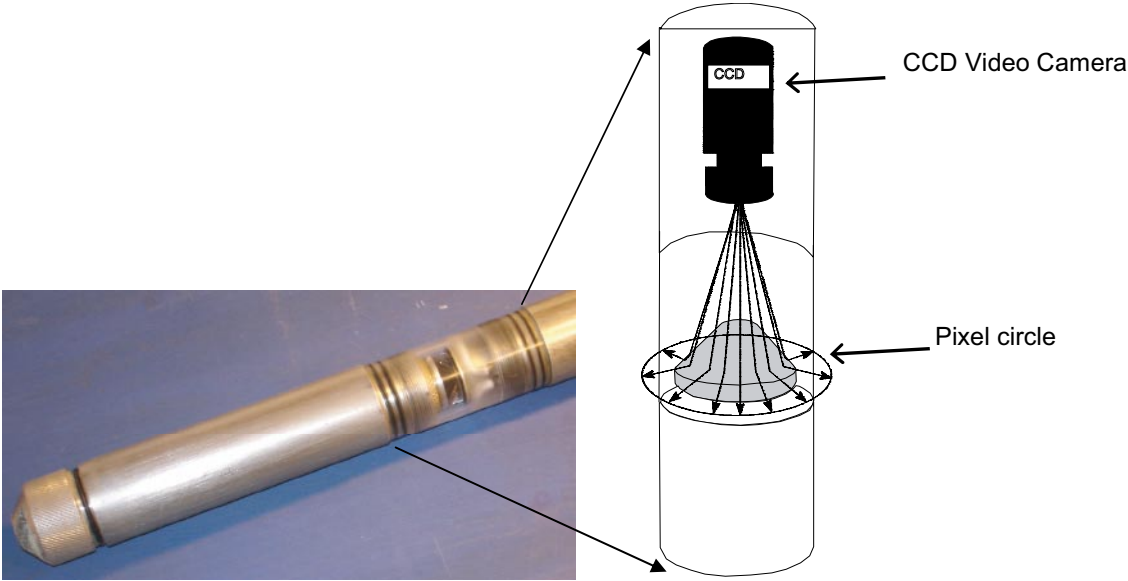


Figure 3-2. The BIP-system. Illustration of the conical mirror scanning.

4 Execution

4.1 General

4.1.1 RAMAC Radar

The measurements in HLX20 were carried out with dipole radar antennas, with frequencies of 250, 100 and 20 MHz. In KLX05 the measurements were carried out using the directional antenna, with a central frequency of 60 MHz.

During logging the dipole antennas (transmitter and receiver) were lowered continuously into the borehole and data were recorded on a field PC along the measured interval. The measurement with the directional antenna is made step wise, with a short pause for each measurement occasion. The antennas (transmitter and receiver, both for dipole and directional) are kept at a fixed separation by glass fiber rods according to Table 4-1. See also Figure 3-1 and 4-1.

All measurements were performed in accordance with the instructions and guidelines from SKB (internal document MD 252.020). All cleaning of the antennas and cable was performed according to the internal document SKB MD 600.004 before the logging operation.

The functionality of the directional antenna was tested before measurements in KLX05. This is done by measurements in the air, where the receiver antenna and the transmitter antenna are placed apart. While transmitting and measuring the receiver antenna is turned around and by that giving the direction from the receiver antenna to the transmitter antenna. The difference in direction is measured by compass and the result difference achieved from the directional antenna was about 1 degree. This can be considered as very good due to the disturbed environment, with metallic objects etc at the test site.

For more information on system settings used in the investigation of KLX05 and HLX20, see Tables 4-1 and 4-2 below.

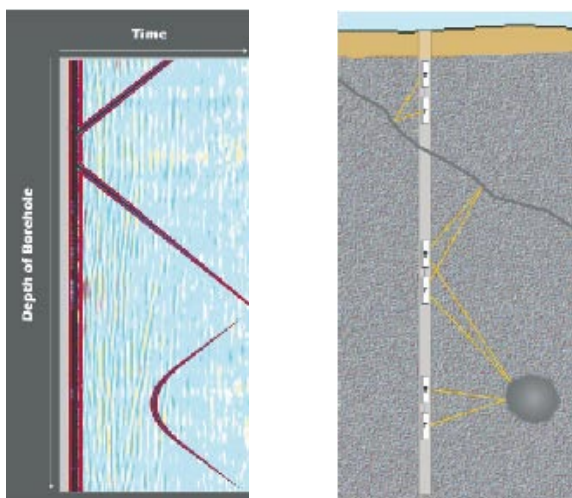


Figure 4-1. The principle of radar borehole reflection survey and an example of result.

Table 4-1. Radar logging information from KLX05.

Site:	Oskarshamn	Logging company:	RAYCON	
BH:	KLX05	Equipment:	SKB RAMAC	
Type:	Directional	Manufacturer:	MALÅ GeoScience	
Operator:	CG	Antenna	Directional	
Logging date:	05-05-18–05-05-19			
Reference:	T.O.C			
Sampling frequency (MHz):	615			
Number of samples:	512			
Number of stacks:	32			
Signal position:	410.51			
Logging from (m):	111.4			
Logging to (m):	991.4			
Trace interval (m):	0.5			
Antenna separation (m):	5.73			

Table 4-2. Radar logging information from HLX20.

Site:	Oskarshamn	Logging company:			RAYCON
BH:	HLX20	Equipment:			SKB RAMAC
Type:	Dipole	Manufacturer:			MALÅ GeoScience
Operator:	CG	Antenna			
		250 MHz	100 MHz	20 MHz	
Logging date:	05-05-18	05-05-18	05-05-18	05-05-18	
Reference:	T.O.C.	T.O.C.	T.O.C.	T.O.C.	
Sampling frequency (MHz):	2,424	891	239		
Number of samples:	619	518	518		
Number of stacks:	Auto	Auto	Auto		
Signal position:	-0.34	-0.35	-1.40		
Logging from (m):	1.5	2.6	6.25		
Logging to (m):	196.1	195.6	191.65		
Trace interval (m):	0.1	0.2	0.25		
Antenna separation (m):	2.4	3.9	10.05		

4.1.2 BIPS

All measurements were performed in accordance with the instructions and guidelines from SKB (internal document MD 222.006). All cleaning of the probe and cable was performed according to the internal document SKB MD 600.004 before the logging operation.

During the measurement, a pixel circle with a resolution of 360 pixels/circle was used and the digital circles were stored at every 1 mm on a MO-disc in the surface unit. The maximum speed during data collection was 1.5 m/minute.

A gravity sensor was used to measure the orientation of the images in the borehole HLX20.

In order to control the quality of the system, calibration measurements were performed in a test pipe before logging and after logging. Figure 4-2 corresponds to the test logging performed before and after the logging of HLX20. The results showed no difference regarding the colours and focus of the images. Results of the test loggings were included in the delivery of the raw data.

The BIPS logging information is found in the header for every single borehole presented in Appendix 3 in this report.

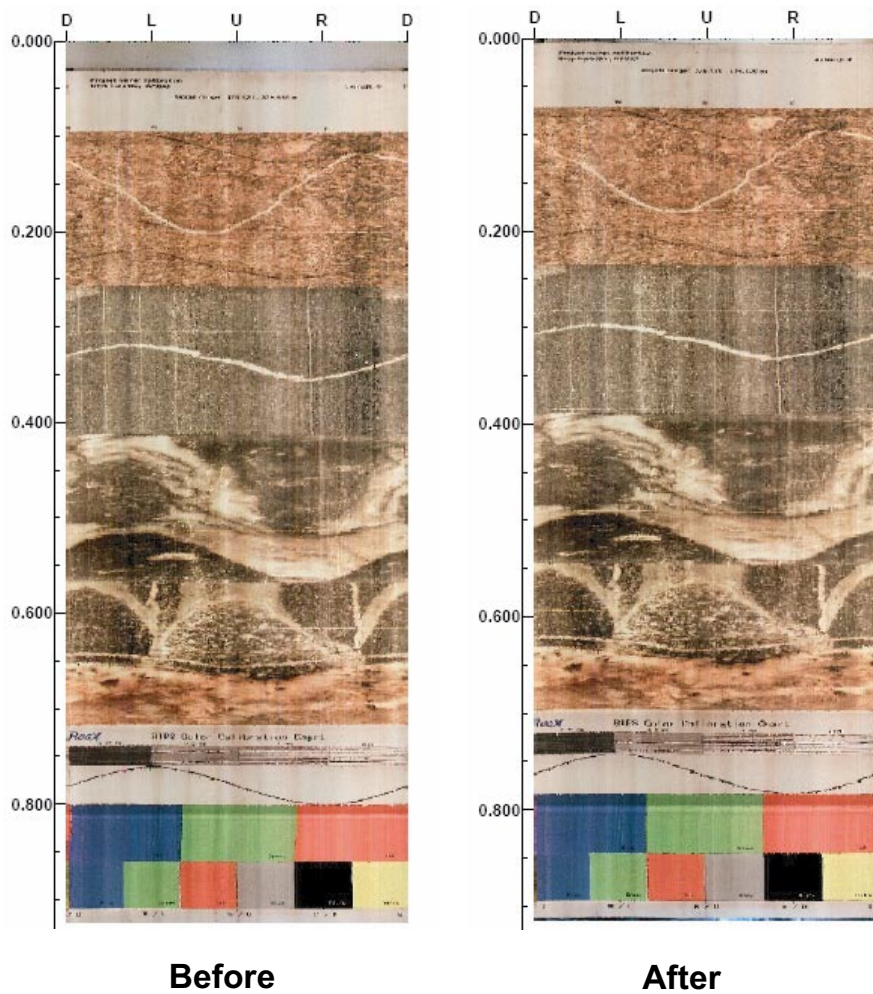


Figure 4-2. Results from logging in the test pipe before and after the logging campaign in May 2005.

4.1.3 Length measurements

During logging the depth recording for the RAMAC systems is taken care of by a measuring wheel mounted on the cable winch. The logging is measured from TOC (Top of Casing). The length is adjusted to the bottom of casing when visible in the BIPS image.

During the BIPS logging in coredrilled boreholes, where the reference marks in the borehole wall is visible on the image, the position where the depth mark is visible is marked with scotch tape on the logging cable. During BIPS logging the measured length was adjusted to true length according to depth mark visible in the BIPS image. The adjusted true length is marked with red in the image plot together with the non adjusted measured length which is marked with black as seen in Appendix 3. The tape marks on the logging cable are then used for controlling the RAMAC measurement.

The experience we have from earlier measurements with dipole antennas in the core drilled boreholes in Forsmark and Oskarshamn for the radar logging is that the depth divergence is less than 50 cm in the deepest parts of the boreholes.

The depth divergence is taken into account in the resulting tables in Chapter 5.

4.2 Analyses and interpretation

4.2.1 Radar

The result from radar measurements is most often presented in the form of a radargram where the position of the probes is shown along one axis and the propagation is shown along the other axis. The amplitude of the received signal is shown in the radargram with a grey scale where black colour corresponds to the large positive signals and white colour to large negative signals. Grey colour corresponds to no reflected signals.

The presented data in this report is adjusted for the measurement point of the antennas. The measurement point is defined to be the central point between the transmitter and the receiver antenna.

The two basic patterns to interpret in borehole measurements are point and plane reflectors. In the reflection mode, borehole radar essentially gives a high-resolution image of the rock mass, showing the geometry of plane structures which may or may not, intersect the borehole (contact between layers, thin marker beds, fractures) or showing the presence of local features around the borehole (cavities, lenses etc).

The distance to a reflecting object or plane is determined by measuring the difference in arrival time between the direct and the reflected pulse. The basic assumption is that the speed of propagation is the same everywhere.

There are several ways to determine the radar wave propagation velocity. Each of them has its advantages and its disadvantages. In this project the velocity determination was performed by keeping the transmitter fixed in the borehole while moving the receiver downwards in the borehole. The result is plotted in Figure 4-3 and the calculation shows a velocity of 120 m/micro seconds. The velocity measurement was performed in borehole KSH01B with the 100 MHz antennas /1/.

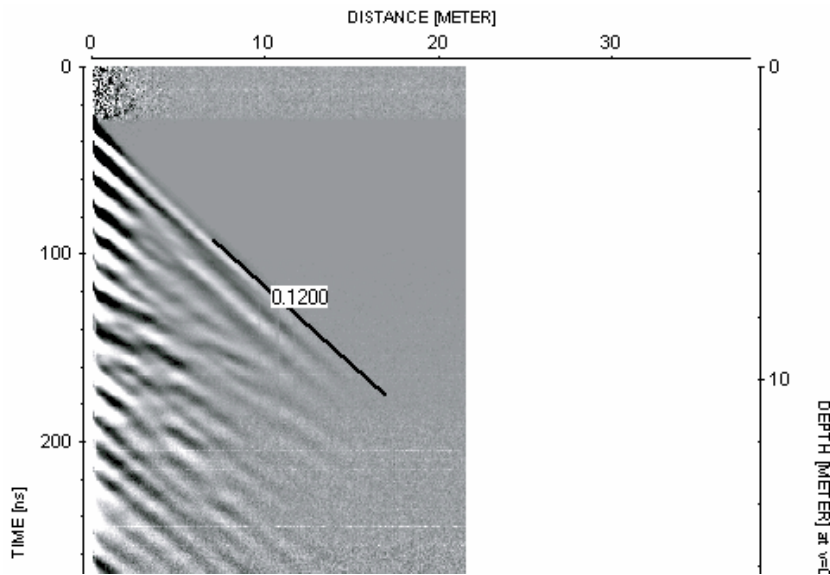


Figure 4-3. Results from velocity measurements in KSH01B with 100 MHz dipole antennas /1/.

The visualization of data is made with ReflexWin, a Windows based processing software for filtering and analysis of borehole radar data. The processing steps are shown in Table 4-3 and 4-4. It should be observed that the processing steps in Table 4-4 below refer to Appendix 2 in this report. The filters applied affect the whole borehole length and are not always suitable in all parts, depending on the geological conditions and conductivity of the borehole fluid. During interpretation further processing can be done, most often in form of bandpass filtering. This filtering can be applied just in parts of the borehole, where needed.

For the interpretation of the intersection angle between the borehole axis and the planes visible on the radargrams the RadinterSKB software has been used. The interpreted intersection points and intersection angles of the detected structures are presented in the Tables 5-2 and 5-3 and are also visible on the radargrams in Appendix 2 (HLX20). For visualisation of KLX05 see Appendix 1 /2/ and complementary information in Figure 5-3.

Table 4-3. Processing steps for borehole radar data from KLX05.

Site:	Oskarshamn	Logging company:	RAYCON
BH:	KLX05	Equipment:	SKB RAMAC
Type:	Directional	Manufacturer:	MALÅ GeoScience
Interpret:	JG	Antenna	Directional
Processing:	DC adjustment (400–500)		
	Time gain (linear 150 exp1)		
	FIR		

Table 4-4. Processing steps for borehole radar data from HLX20.

Site:	Oskarshamn	Logging company: RAYCON		
BH:	HLX20	Equipment: SKB RAMAC		
Type:	Dipole	Manufacturer: MALÅ GeoScience		
Interpret:	JG	Antenna	100 MHz	20 MHz
		250 MHz		
Processing:	DC removal (190–250)	DC removal (490–570)	DC removal (1,800–2,000)	
	Move start time (–23)	Move start time (–37)	Move start time (–85)	
	Gain (Stat 20 Linear 0.1 exp 1.7)	Gain (Start 68 linear 2.4 exp 0.6)	Gain (Start 140 Linear 1.1, exp 0.3)	

4.2.2 BIPS

The visualization of data is made with BDPP, a Windows based processing software for filtering, presentation and analysis of BIPS data. As no fracture mapping of the BIPS image is performed, the raw data was delivered on a CD-ROM together with printable pictures in *.pdf format before the field crew left the investigation site.

The printed results were delivered with measured length, together with adjusted length according to the length marks visible in the BIPS image. For printing of the BIPS images the printing software BIPP from RaaX was used.

4.3 Nonconformities

In HLX20 the logging activity was stopped already at 130 m due to dirty water present in the borehole from 117.5 m. The length of the borehole is 202.2 m.

For revision no 1 of this report a recalculation of the directional radar data has been done. The strike angle between the line of the plane's cross-section with the surface and the Magnetic North direction was earlier counted counter-clockwise but it is now recalculated as such it counts clockwise, see Figure 5-2. New values for strike and dip are therefore updated in Table 5-2.

5 Results

The results from the BIPS measurements were delivered as raw data (*.bip-files) on CD-ROM:s to SKB together with printable BIPS pictures in *.pdf format before the field crew left the investigation site. The information of the measurements was registered in SICADA, and the CD-ROM:s stored by SKB.

The RAMAC radar data was delivered as raw data (file format *.rd3 or *.rd5) for KLX05 and HLX20 with corresponding information files (file format *.rad) whereas the data processing steps and results are presented in this report. Relevant information, including the interpretation presented in this report, was inserted into the SKB database SICADA.

The delivered raw and processed data have been inserted in the database of SKB (SICADA) and data are traceable by the activity plan number.

5.1 RAMAC logging

The results of the interpretation of the radar measurements are presented in Tables 5-1 to 5-4. Radardata is also visualized in Appendices 1 and 2. For the identified structures in KLX05 with the dipole antenna see also /2/ and Figure 5-3 for visualization.

It should be remembered that the images in Appendices 1 and 2 and in /2/ are only a composite picture of all events 360 degrees around the borehole, and do not reflect the orientation of the structures.

Only the larger clearly visible structures are interpreted in RadinterSKB. A number of minor structures also exist, indicated in Appendices 1 and 2 and in /2/. Often a number of structures can be noticed, but most probably lying so close to each other that it is impossible to distinguish one from the other. Larger structures parallel to the borehole are also indicated in Appendices 1 and 2 and in /2/. It should also be pointed out that reflections interpreted will always get an intersection point with the borehole, but being located further away. They may in some cases not reach the borehole.

The data quality from KLX05 and HLX20, (as seen in Appendices 1 and 2 and in /2/) is relatively satisfying, but in large parts of lower quality due to more conductive conditions. A conductive environment makes the radar wave to attenuate, which decreases the penetration. This is for instance seen very clearly in the 250 MHz data from HLX20 This conductive environment of course also reduces the possibility to distinguish and interpret possibly structures in the rock which otherwise could give a reflection.

This effect is also seen in the directional antenna for KLX05, which makes it more difficult to interpret the direction to the identified structures. See Figure 5-1 right.

Further on, depending on the size of the borehole, the conductivity and the antenna frequency, so called ringing can be achieved, which again makes the interpretation of single structures quite complicated. This is seen for instance in the dipole component of the directional antenna in KLX05 from a depth of 315 m, Figure 5-1 left.

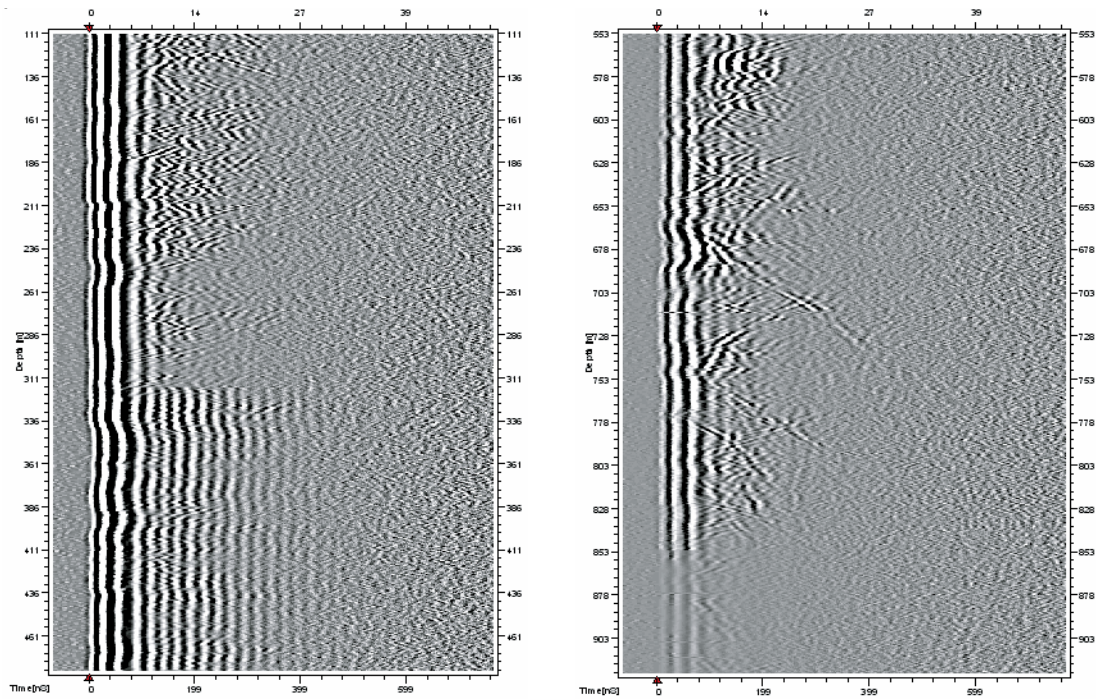


Figure 5-1. Data from KLX05, the dipole component of the directional antenna. Left: Example of ringing from 315 m and downwards. Right: Example of decreased penetration depth from 850 m and downwards.

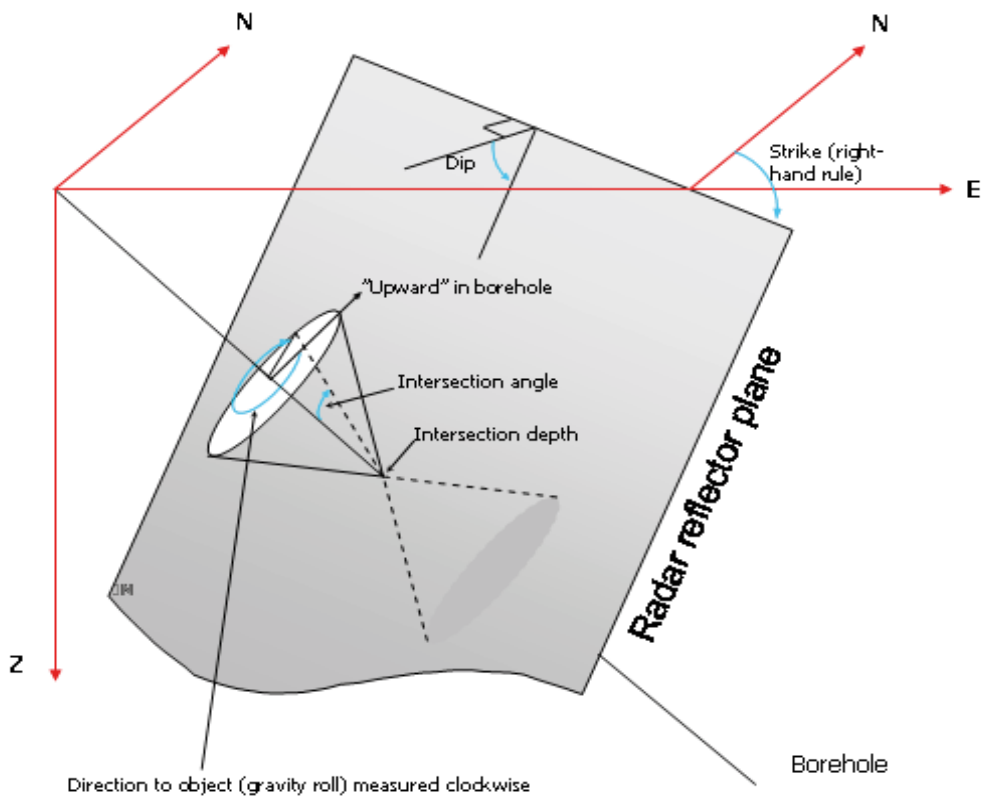


Figure 5-2. Definition of intersection angle, direction to object using gravity roll, dip and strike using the right hand rule as presented in Table 5-2.

As also seen in Appendices 1 and 2 and in /2/ the resolution and penetration of radar waves depend on the antenna frequency used. Low antenna frequency gives less resolution but higher penetration depth compared to a higher frequency. If structures can be identified with all three antenna-frequencies, it can probably be explained by that the structure is quite significant.

In Table 5-1 below the distribution of identified structures along the borehole are listed for HLX20. For KLX05, see /2/.

Table 5-1. Identified structures as a function of depth in HLX20.

Depth (m)	No of structures
-20	3
20-40	2
40-60	7
60-80	2
80-100	2
100-120	6
120-140	5
140-160	3
160-180	5
180-200	4
200-	2

Table 5-2 and 5-3 summarises the interpretation of radar data from KLX05 and HLX20. As seen some radar reflectors in Table 5-2 are marked with \pm , which indicates an uncertainty in the interpretation of the direction to the reflector. The direction can in these cases be ± 180 degrees. The direction to the reflector (the plane) is defined in Figure 5-2. As the borehole inclination for KLX05 is less than 85° the direction to object is calculated using gravity roll. This direction and the intersection angle are also recalculated to strike and dip, also given in Table 5-2 below. The plane strike is the angle between line of the plane's cross-section with the surface and the Magnetic North direction. It counts clockwise and can be between 0 and 359 degrees. A strike of 0 degrees implies a dip to the east while a strike of 180 degrees implies a dip to the west. The plane dip is the angle between the plane and the surface. It can vary between 0 and 90 degrees. Observe that a structure can have several different angles, if the structure is undulating, and thereby also different intersection depths. This is seen for structure 120r in Table 5-2 and Figure 5-3. To this structure, most likely, also structure 120x belongs.

Table 5-2. Interpretation of radar reflectors from the directional antenna in borehole KLX05.

RADINTER MODEL INFORMATION							
(20, 100 and 250 MHz Dipole Antennas and directional antenna)							
Site:	Oskarshamn						
Borehole name:	KLX05						
Nominal velocity (m/μs):	120.0						
Name	Intersection depth	Intersection angle	Direction to object (gravity roll)	Interpreted Dip 1	Interpreted Strike 1	Interpreted Dip 2	Interpreted Strike 2
42	37.4		309±	76	52	72	50
1	97.2		336	77	254		
6	114.7		288	67	225		
18	167.6		207±	26	153	73	304
23	180.8		192	22	128		
30	185.6		210±	15	189	56	301
203	200.4		258	58	198		
42x	210.7		297±	87	41	69	33
31	213.2		276±	52	223	47	352
34	231.0		96	32	328		
204	236.0		198	11	163		
44	260.6		153	31	58		
48	297.8		279±	75	212	67	12
52	311.5		6	64	279		
59	355.8		3±	32	270	17	268
68	419.0		321±	46	248	16	340
69x	434.1		159±	25	66	69	269
79	506.8		198±	18	144	64	298
82	516.4		81±	49	341	42	215
83	518.5		24±	45	297	10	227
87	529.9		192±	21	129	69	294
92	562.7		207±	32	148	75	307
197	579.9		162	18	35		
103	591.7		12±	73	289	24	123
120x	628.3	14	291	86	215		
116	648.1		201	38	106		
760	650.7	6	21	72	122		
120r	663.8		192±	6	211	47	261
124	692.9		243	73	172		
102	695.4		270	53	212		
126	696.8		114	63	50		
139	727.1		324	79	250		
132	730.2	10	276	84	200		
660	733.9		123	49	26		
138x	746.3		150	45	60		
138	754.1		102	61	42		
145	766.8		174±	10	80	62	276
154	811.8		321±	59	254	23	22
153	816.9		201±	22	142	70	296
155	828.8		195±	41	156	88	148

RADINTER MODEL INFORMATION
(20, 100 and 250 MHz Dipole Antennas and directional antenna)

Site: Oskarshamn
Borehole name: KLX05
Nominal velocity (m/μs): 120.0

Name	Intersection depth	Intersection angle	Direction to object (gravity roll)	Interpreted Dip 1	Interpreted Strike 1	Interpreted Dip 2	Interpreted Strike 2
156	841.0		204±	35	172	83	335
162	874.6		351	66	308	13	109
164	890.5		45±	53	342	22	233
186	996.9	24	294	78	222		
173	941.5		294±	62	265	43	42

Table 5-3. Interpretation of radar reflectors from dipole antennas 20, 100 and 250 MHz borehole HLX20.

RADINTER MODEL INFORMATION
(20, 100 and 250 MHz Dipole Antennas)

Site: Oskarshamn
Borehole name: HLX20
Nominal velocity (m/μs): 120.00

Object type	Name	Intersection depth	Intersection angle
PLANE	1	10.8	58
PLANE	2	13.5	49
PLANE	3	17.2	50
PLANE	8x	36.7	15
PLANE	6	36.8	60
PLANE	4	44.5	49
PLANE	8	44.8	21
PLANE	5	47.1	70
PLANE	7	51.7	48
PLANE	10	58.0	39
PLANE	39	58.2	50
PLANE	9	59.7	77
PLANE	11	71.8	53
PLANE	12	78.4	67
PLANE	13	88.2	47
PLANE	14	93.7	51
PLANE	16	104.3	76
PLANE	40	107.1	23
PLANE	15	108.9	46
PLANE	18	111.7	71
PLANE	17	119.4	59
PLANE	19	119.7	86
PLANE	20	124.8	79
PLANE	22	125.1	78
PLANE	21	127.5	58
PLANE	23	131.0	50
PLANE	24	136.7	81

**RADINTER MODEL INFORMATION
(20, 100 and 250 MHz Dipole Antennas)**

Site: Oskarshamn
Borehole name: HLX20
Nominal velocity (m/μs): 120.00

Object type	Name	Intersection depth	Intersection angle
PLANE	25	142.3	30
PLANE	28	155.8	58
PLANE	26	157.6	50
PLANE	27	160.7	44
PLANE	30	165.2	58
PLANE	31	167.4	27
PLANE	29	170.0	59
PLANE	32	178.7	53
PLANE	35	189.0	61
PLANE	34	193.5	38
PLANE	33	195.9	54
PLANE	36	199.7	64
PLANE	37	205.3	61
PLANE	41	221.2	49

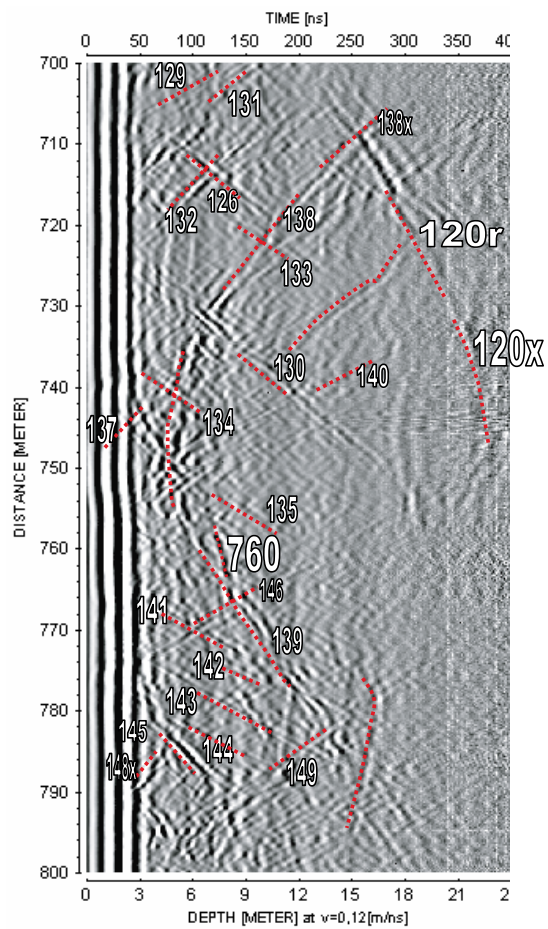
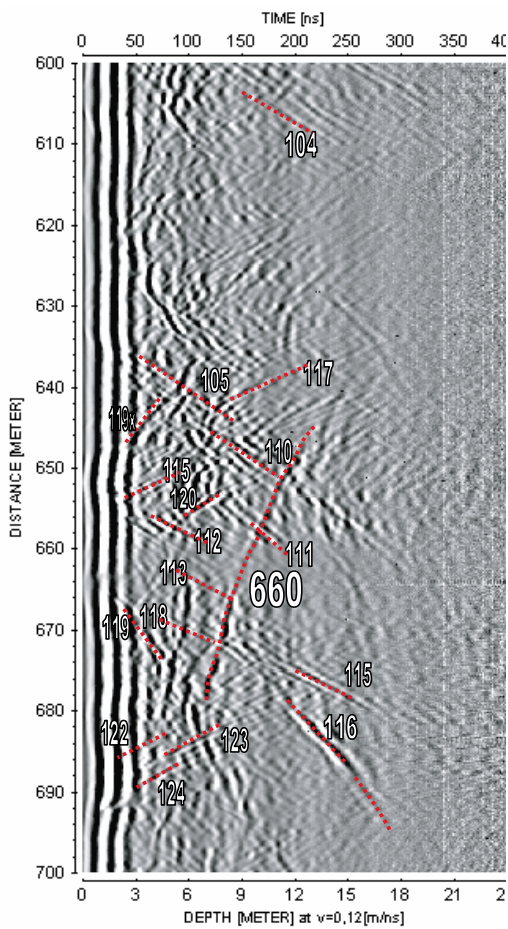


Figure 5-3. Two sections of Appendix 1 and in /2/ showing the 100 MHz dipole data. The sections are supplemented with the structures 660, 760, 120r and 120x also seen in Table 5-2 which not is shown in /2/.

In Appendix 2, the amplitude of the first arrival is plotted against the depth, for the 250 MHz dipole antennas. The amplitude variation along the borehole indicates changes of the electrical conductivity of the volume of rock surrounding the borehole. A decrease in this amplitude may indicate fracture zones, clay or rock volumes with increases in water content, i.e. increases in electric conductivity. The decrease in amplitude is shown in Table 5-4. For decrease in amplitude in KLX05 see Appendix 1 and /2/.

Table 5-4. Borehole length intervals in HLX20 with decreased amplitude for the 250 MHz antenna.

Length (m)	Length (m)
15	145
40–55	165
75	180
90	190
115–135	

5.2 BIPS logging

The BIPS pictures from HLX20 are presented in Appendix 3.

In order to control the quality of the system, calibration measurements were performed in a test pipe before and after the logging. The resulting images displayed with no difference regarding the colours and focus of the images. Results of the test loggings were included in the delivery of the raw data.

To get the best possible depth accuracy, the BIPS images are adjusted to the reference mark at 110 m on the logging cable.

The BIPS images in the appendix are adjusted for the tension of the cable and error of the depth readings from the measuring wheel. The adjusted depth is showed in red colour and the recording depth have black colour in the printouts.

Down to 117.5 m the images are of good quality (See Appendix 3). At that position the probe enter in to a zone where the water quality is very bad and it is impossible to get any good images in the rest of the borehole. The borehole has been pumped to clean out the dirty water. But most probably this only affected the top part of the borehole, and clean formation water was pumped from the 117.5-m zone, which left dirty water in the bottom part the borehole.

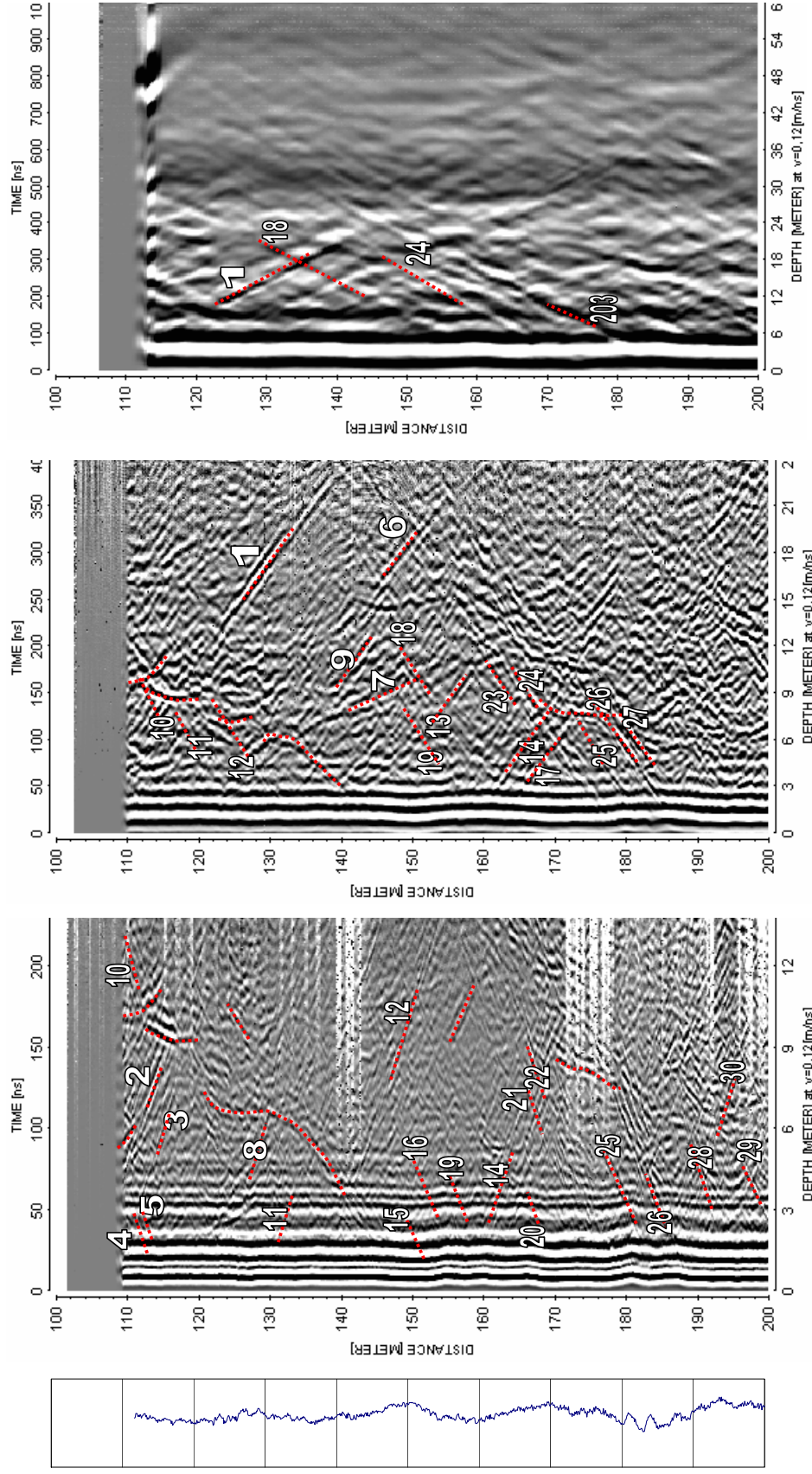
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Appendix 1

Radar logging in KLX05, 100 to 990 m, dipole antennas 250, 100 and 20 MHz

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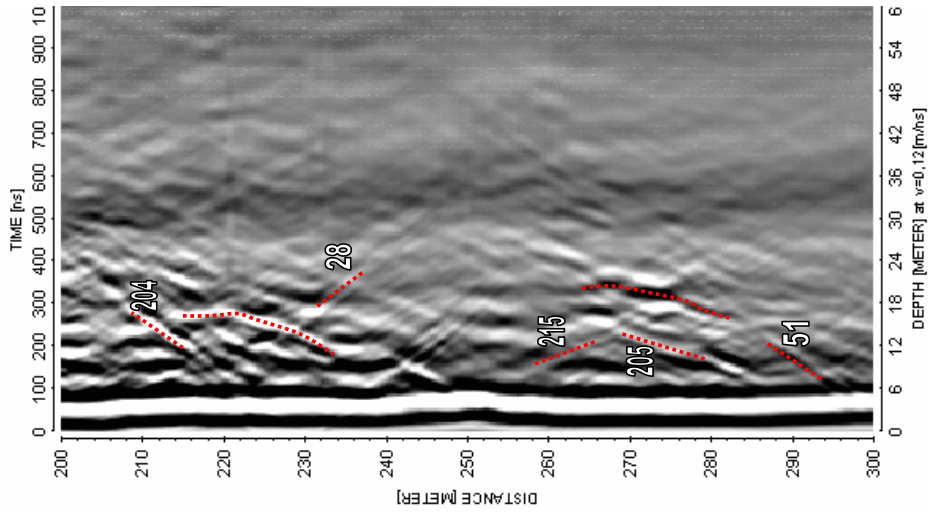


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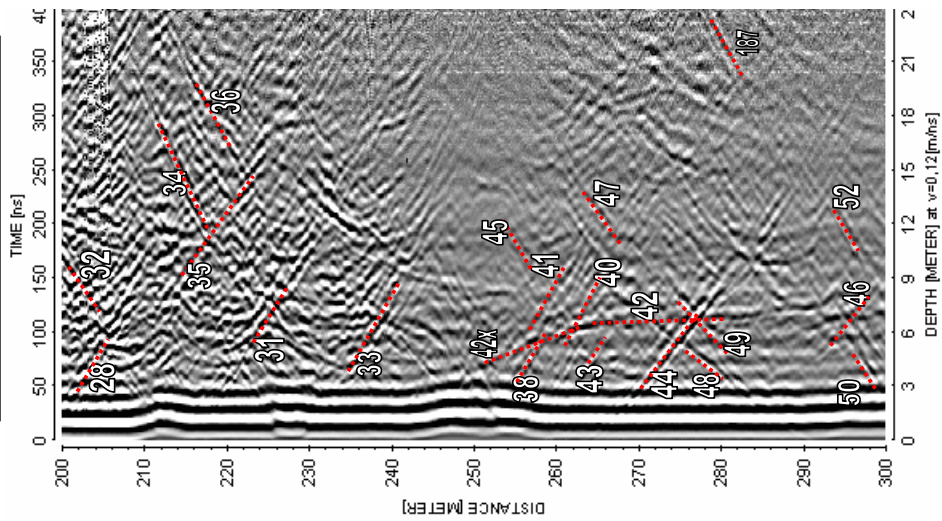
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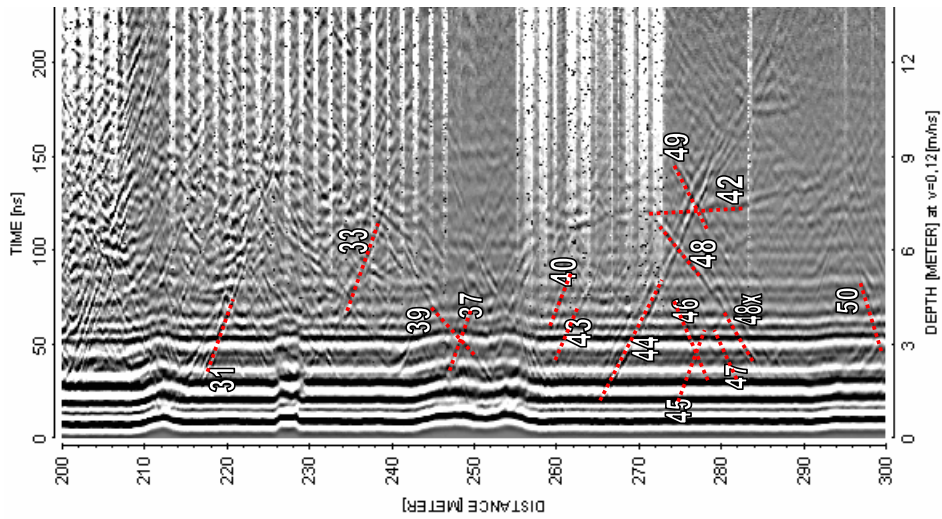
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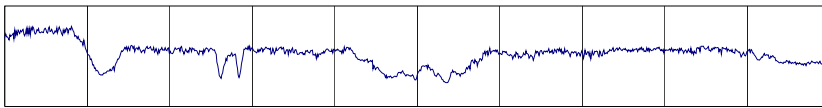
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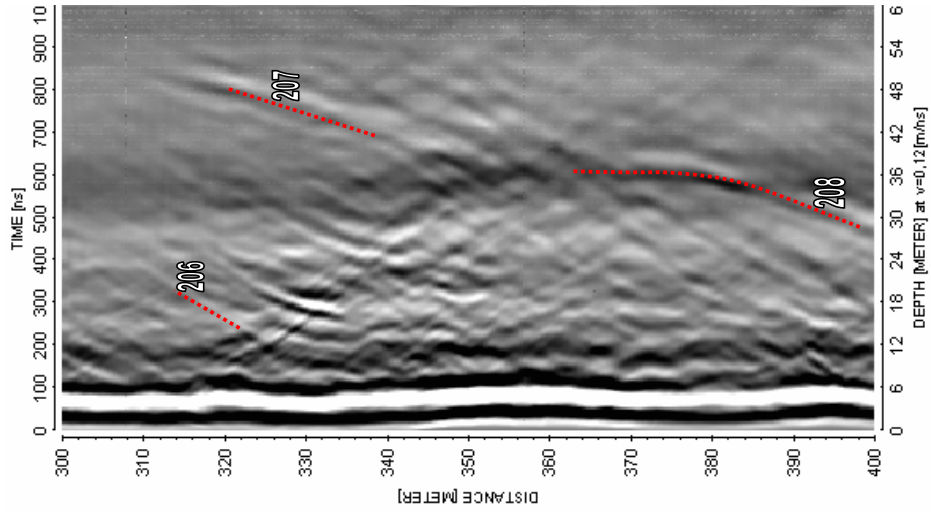
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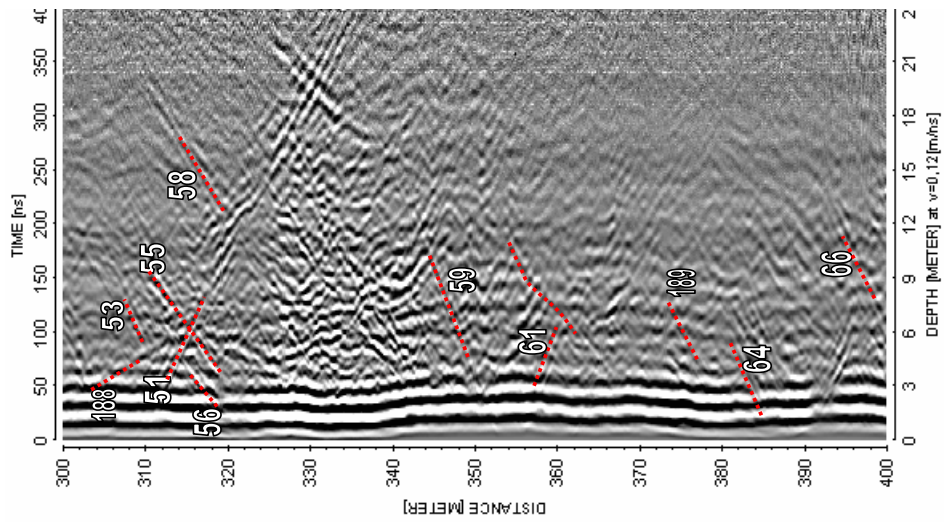
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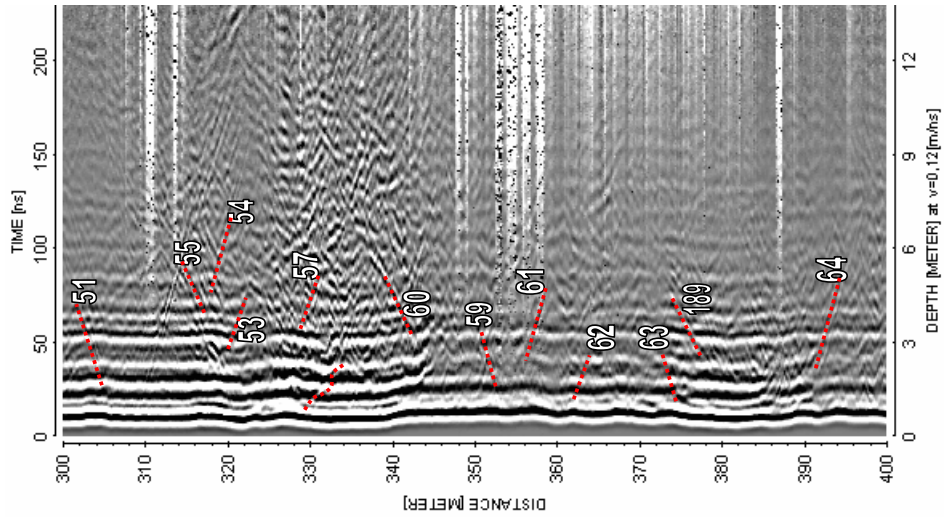
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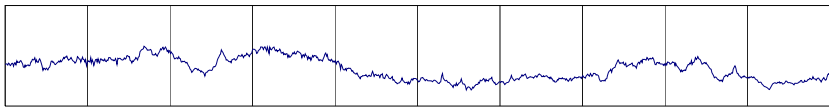
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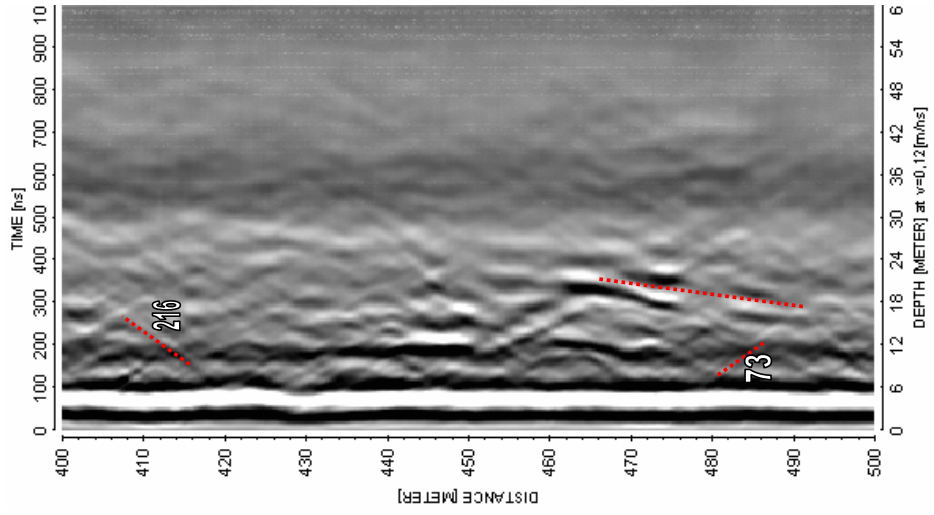
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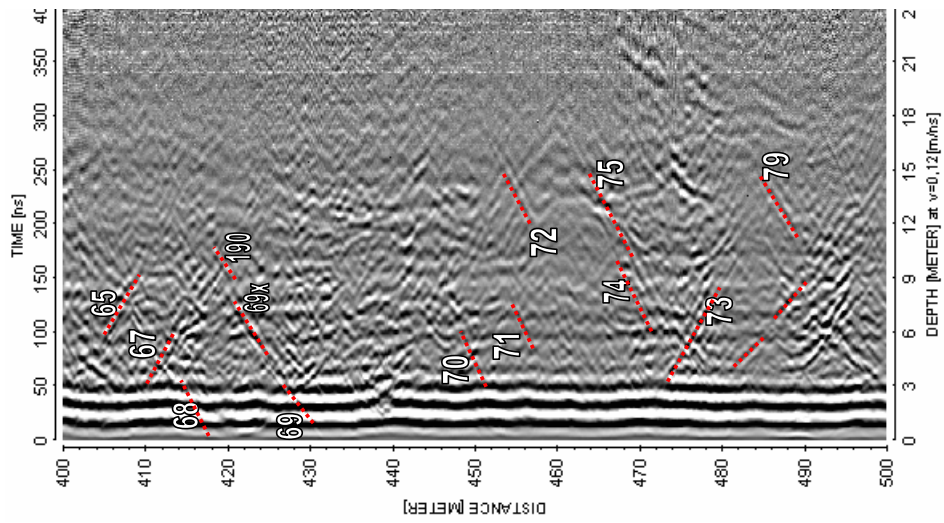
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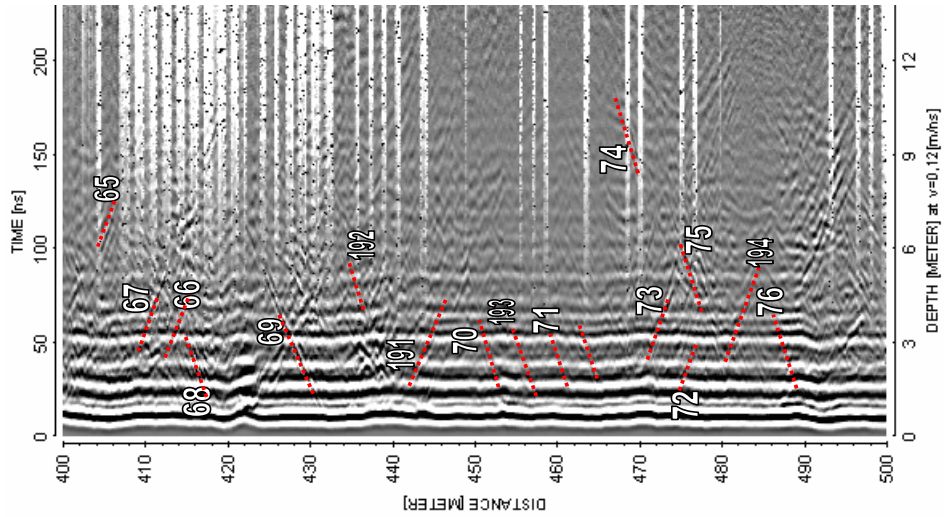
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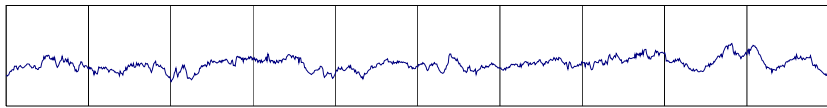
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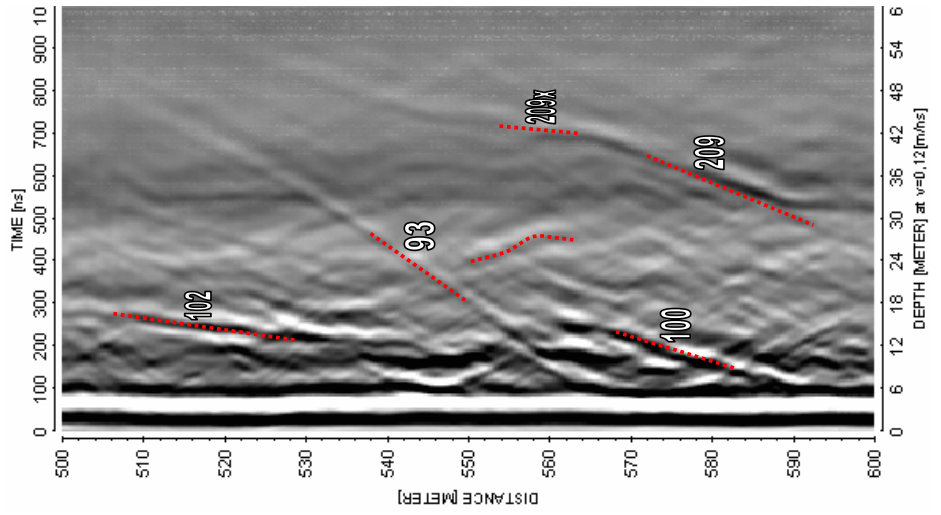
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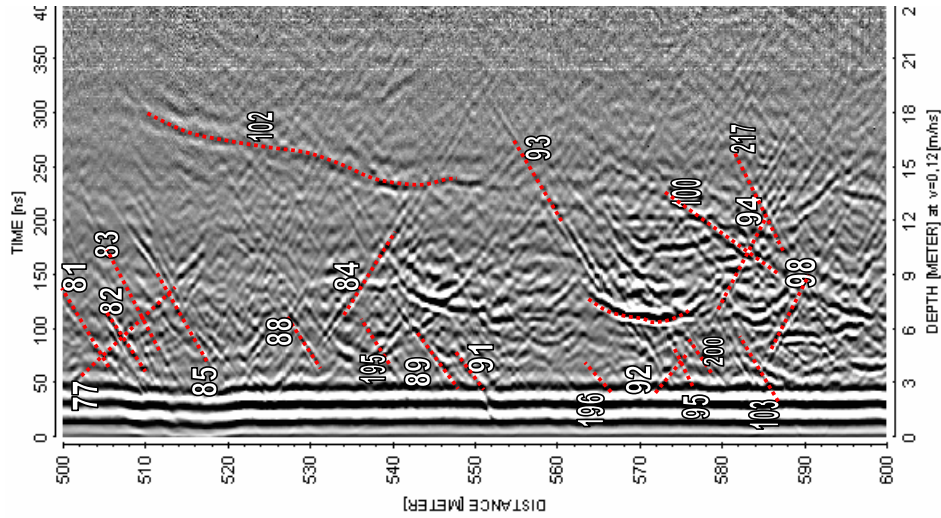
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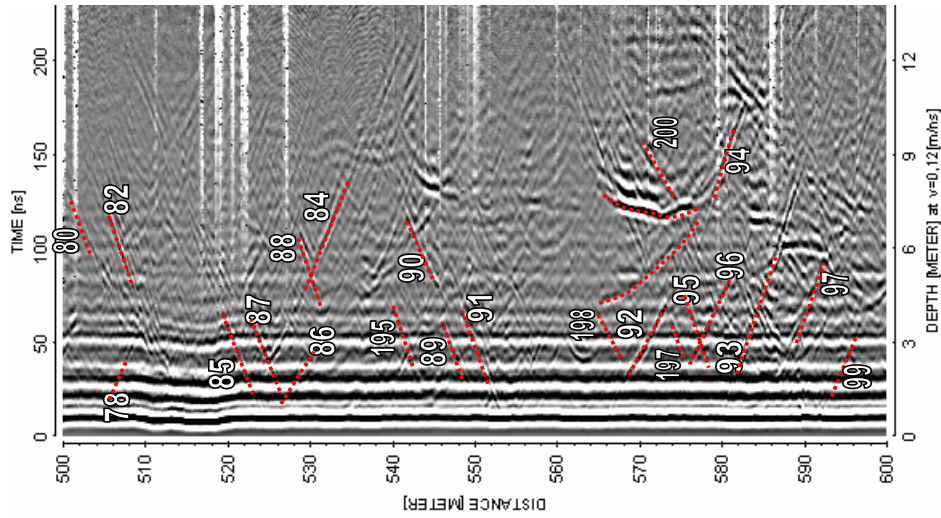
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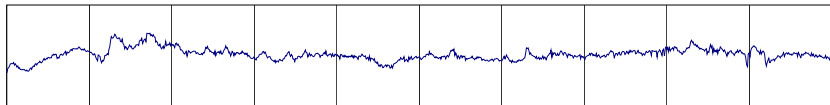
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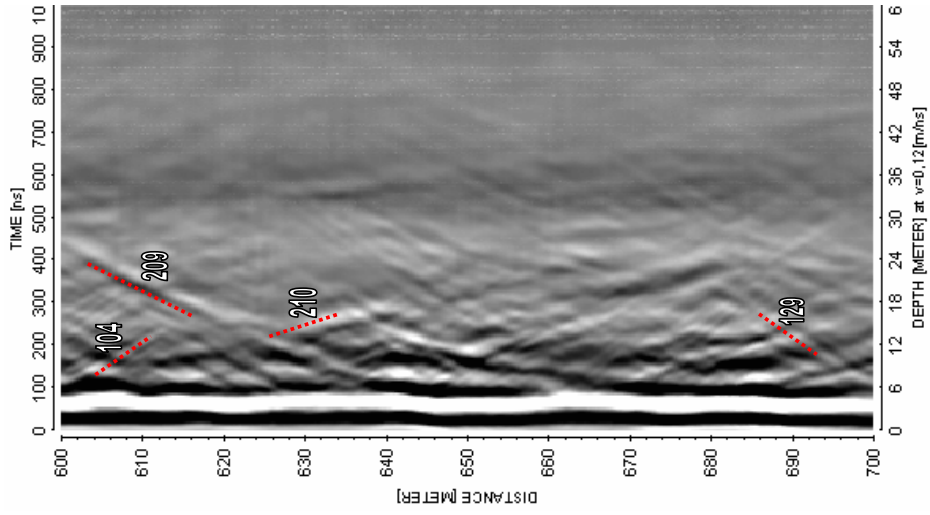
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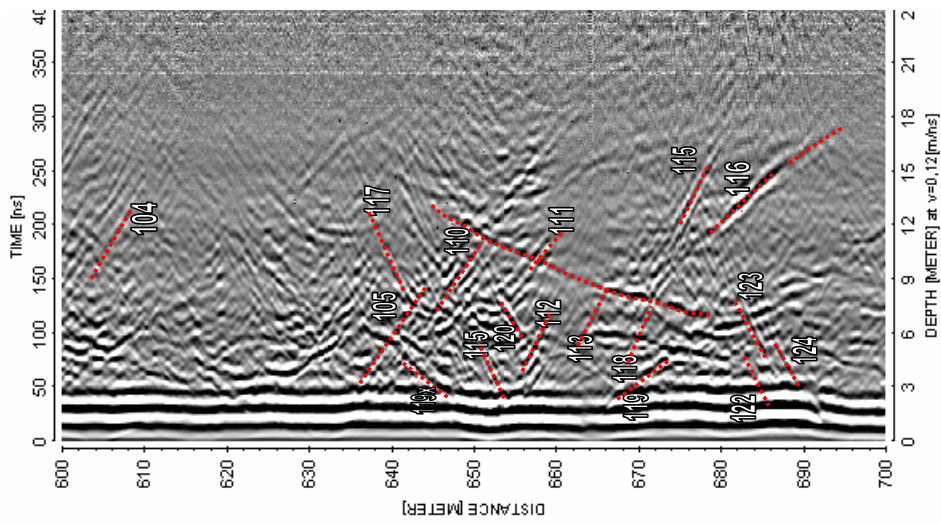
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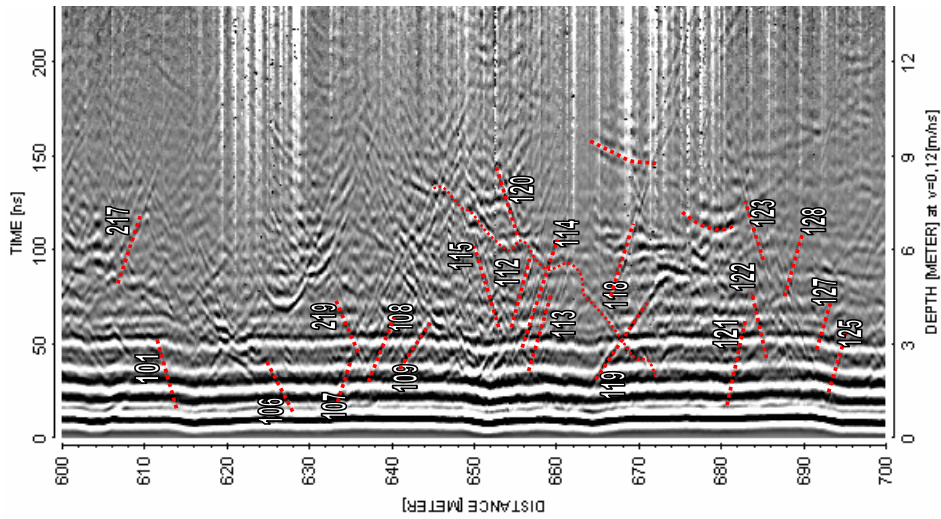
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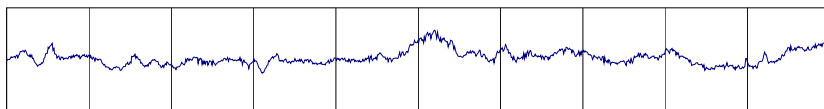
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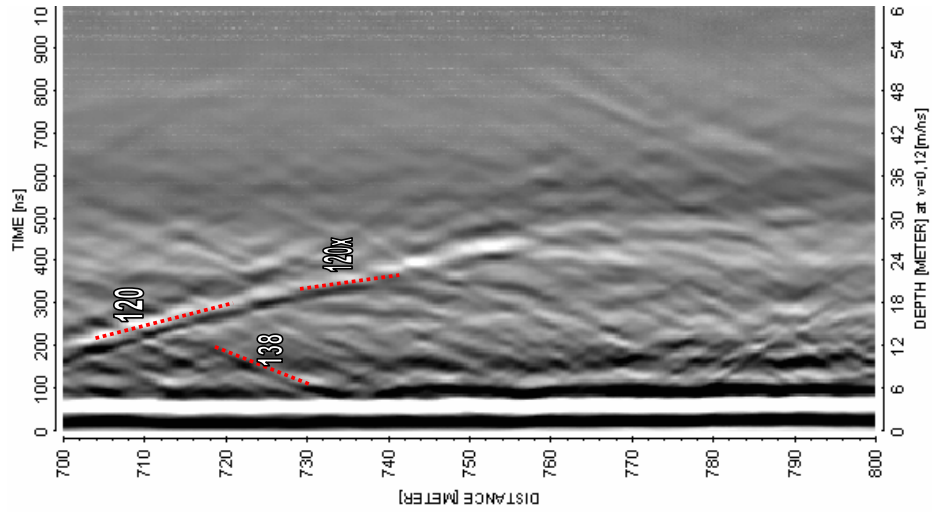
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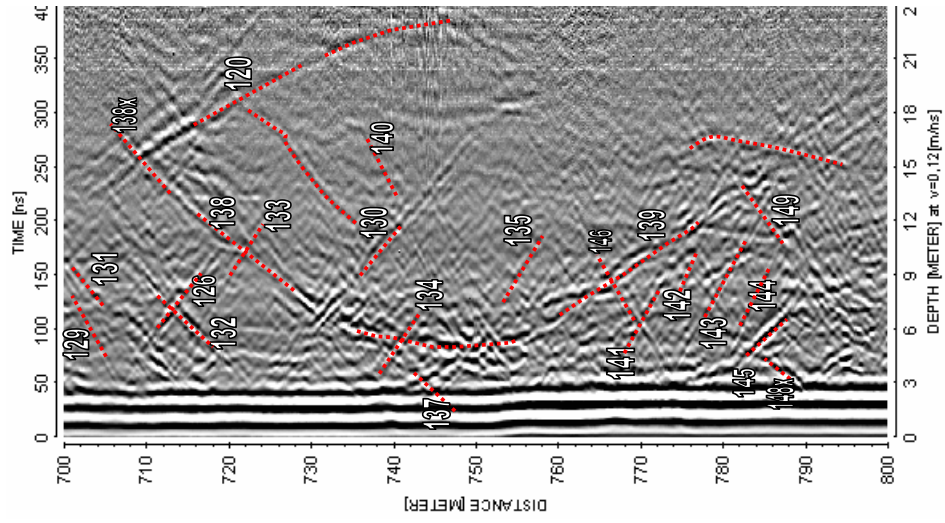
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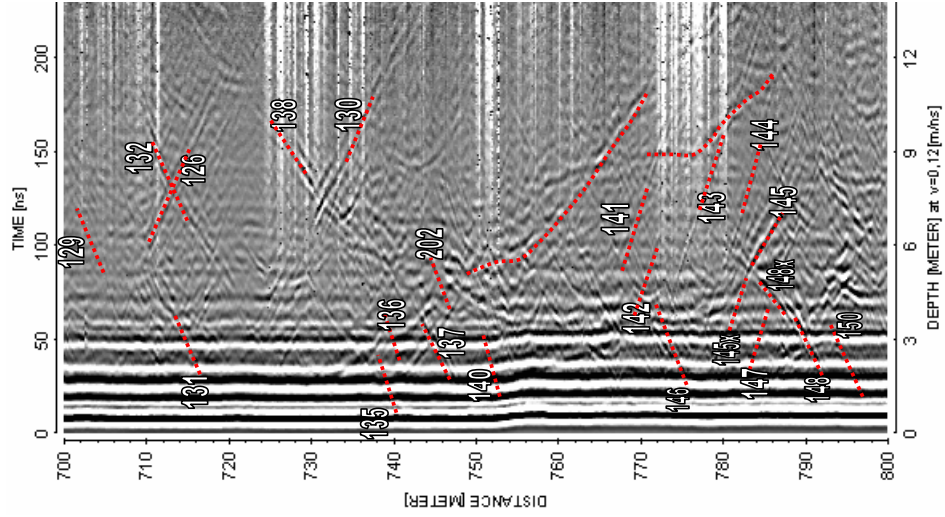
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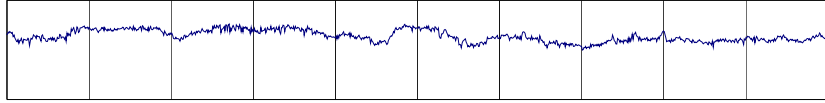


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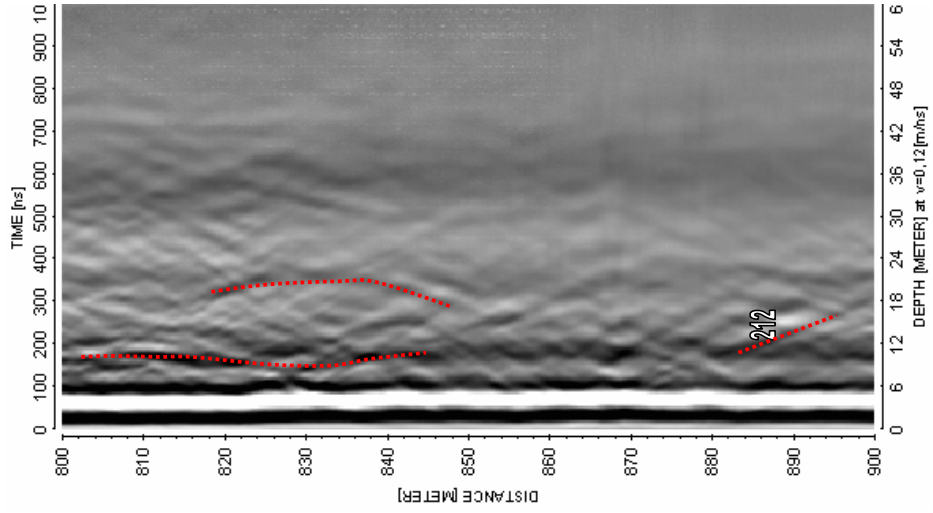


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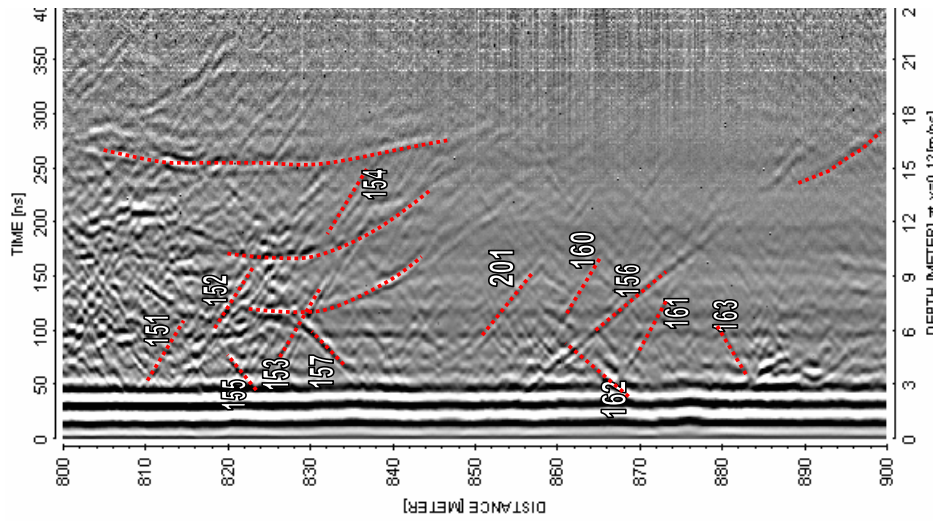
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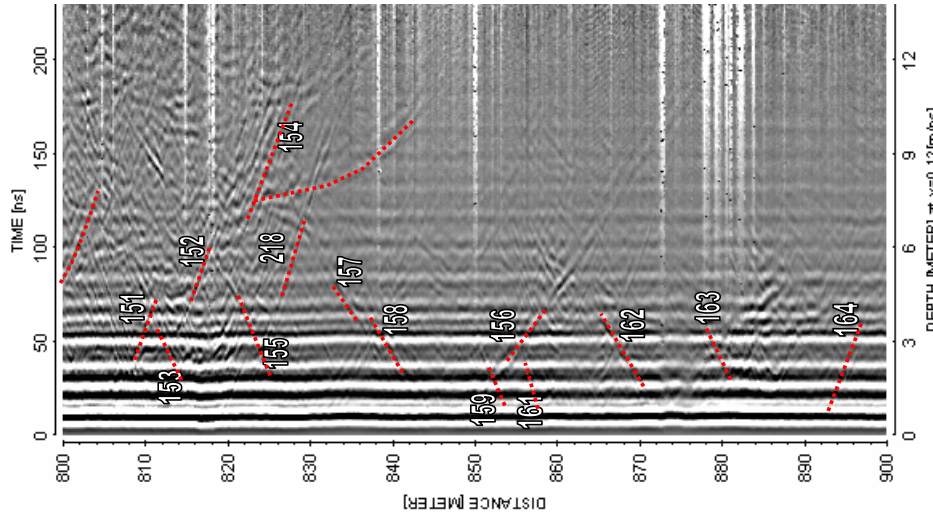
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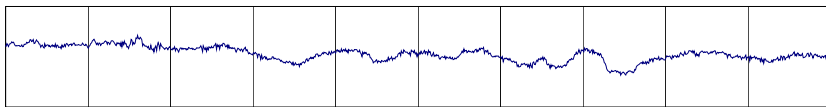
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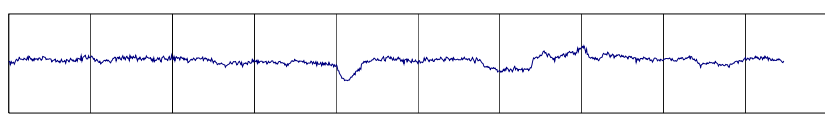
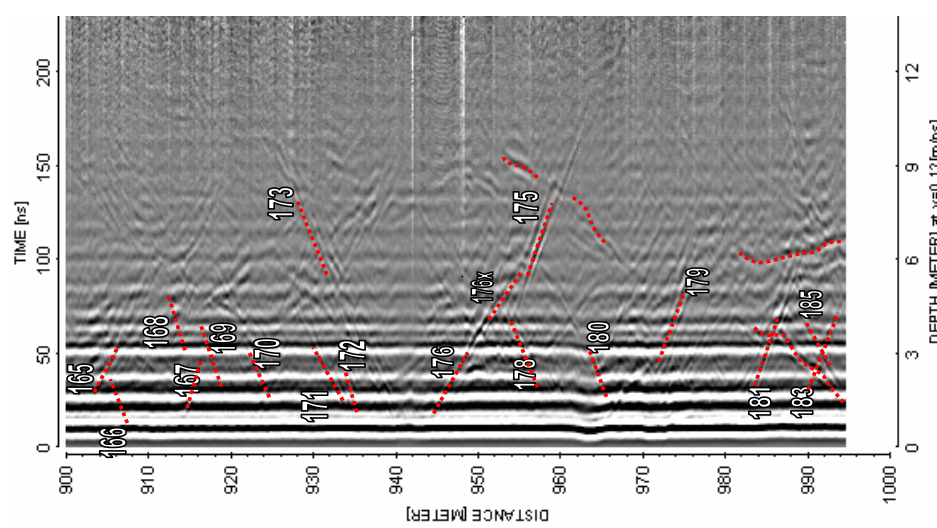
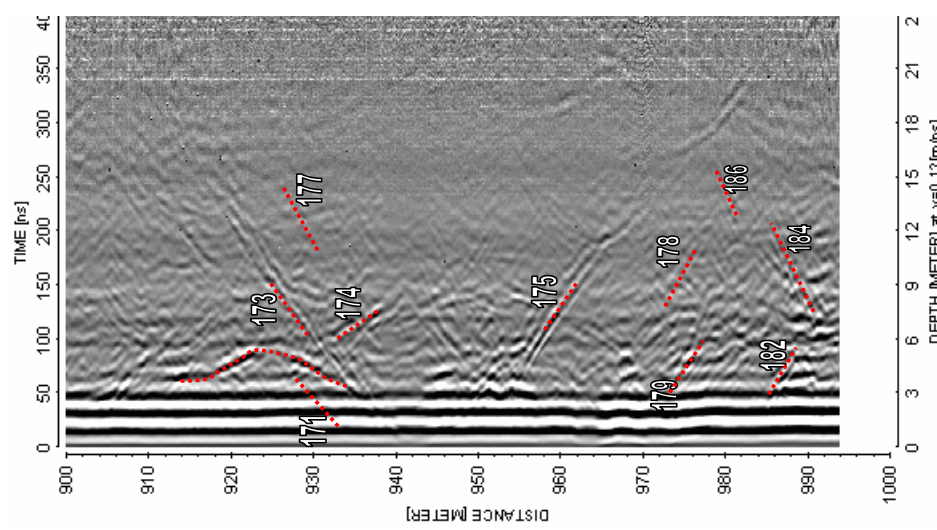
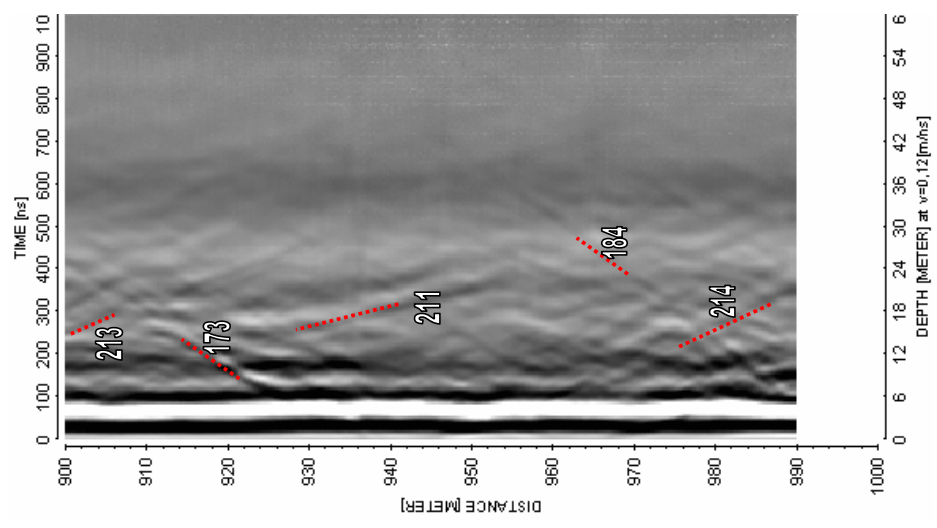
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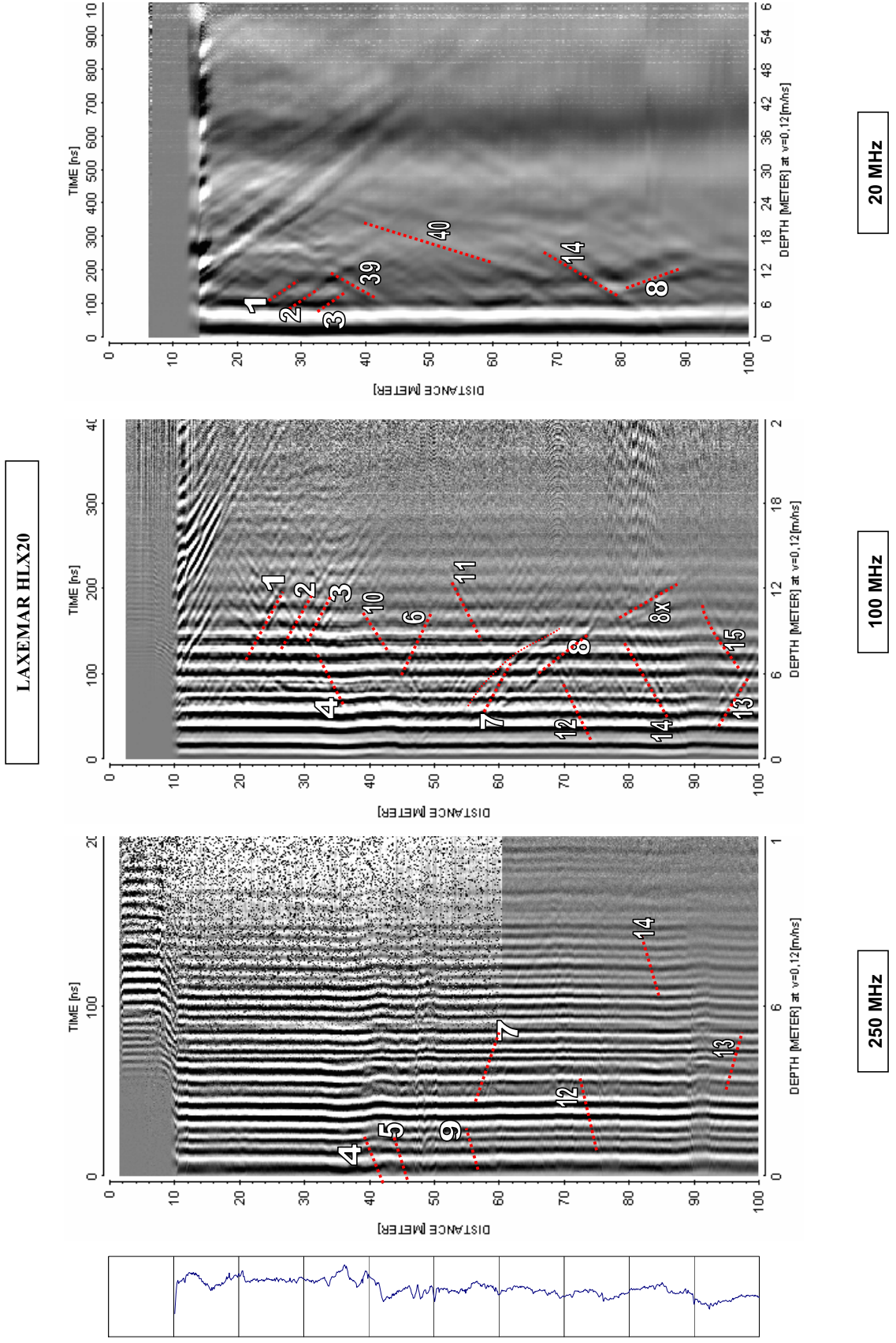


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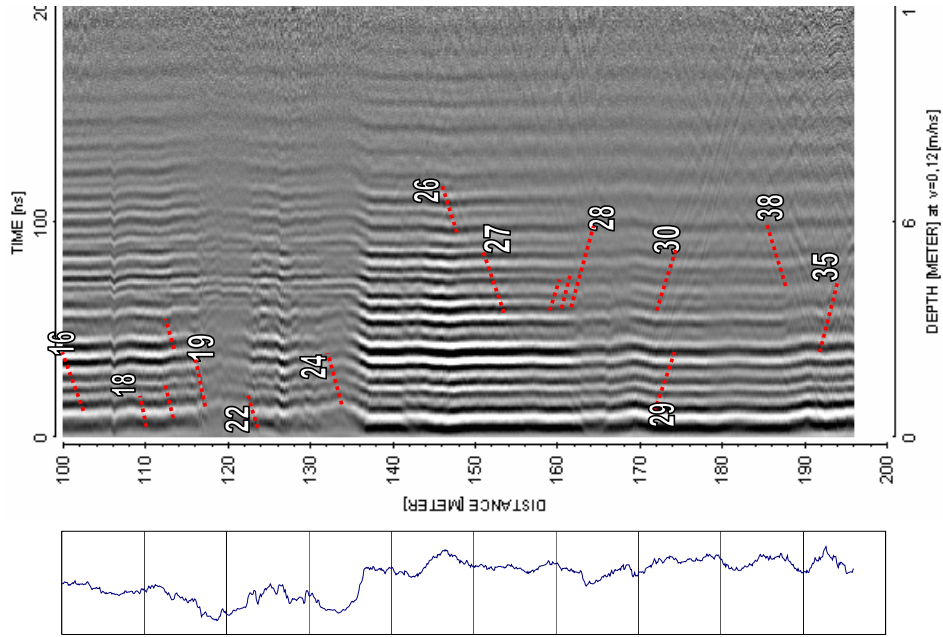


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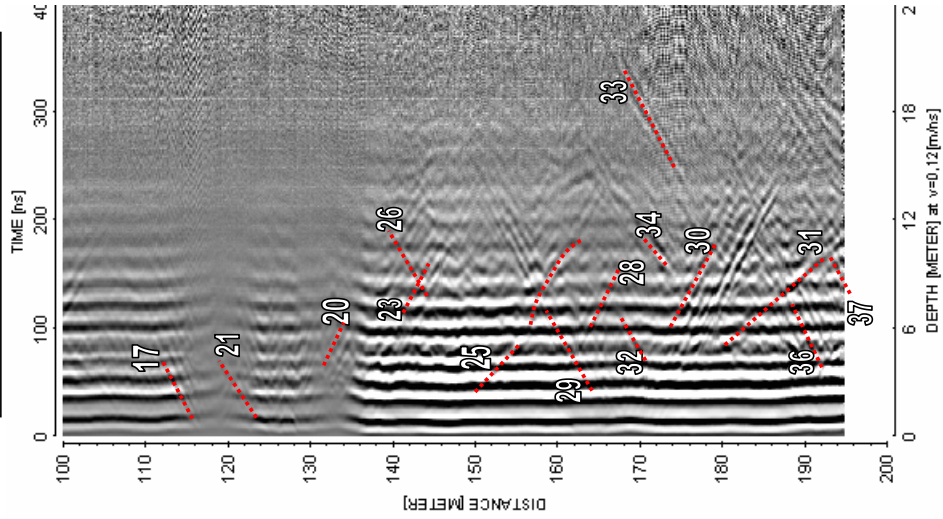
Radar logging in HLX20, 0 to 190 m, dipole antennas 250, 100 and 20 MHz



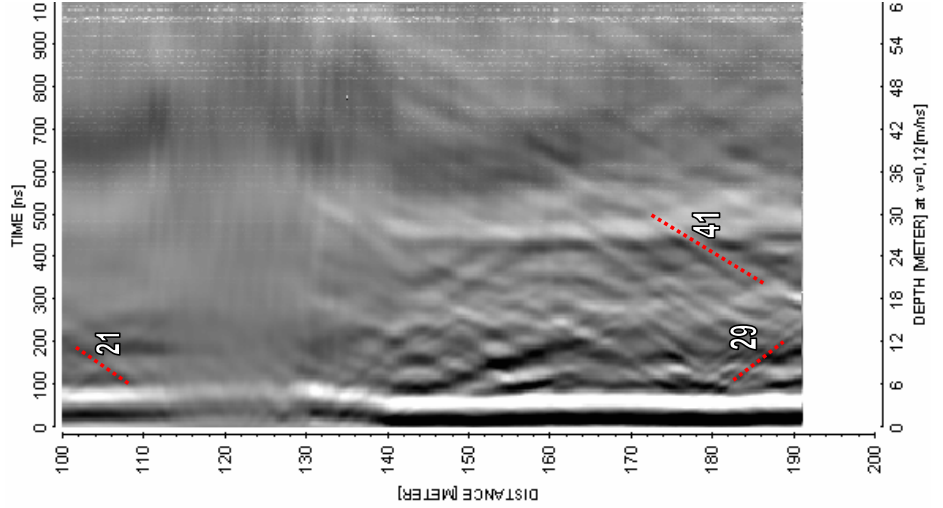
LAXEMAR HLX20



250 MHz



100 MHz



20 MHz

BIPS logging in HLX20, 9 to 130 m

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Bore hole number : HLX20

Date : 05/05/18

Time : 10:32:00

Depth range : 9.000 - 129.995 m

Azimuth : 0

Inclination : -60

Diameter : 140.0 mm

Magnetic declination : 0.0

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Scan direction : To bottom

Scale : 1/25

Aspect ratio : 100 %

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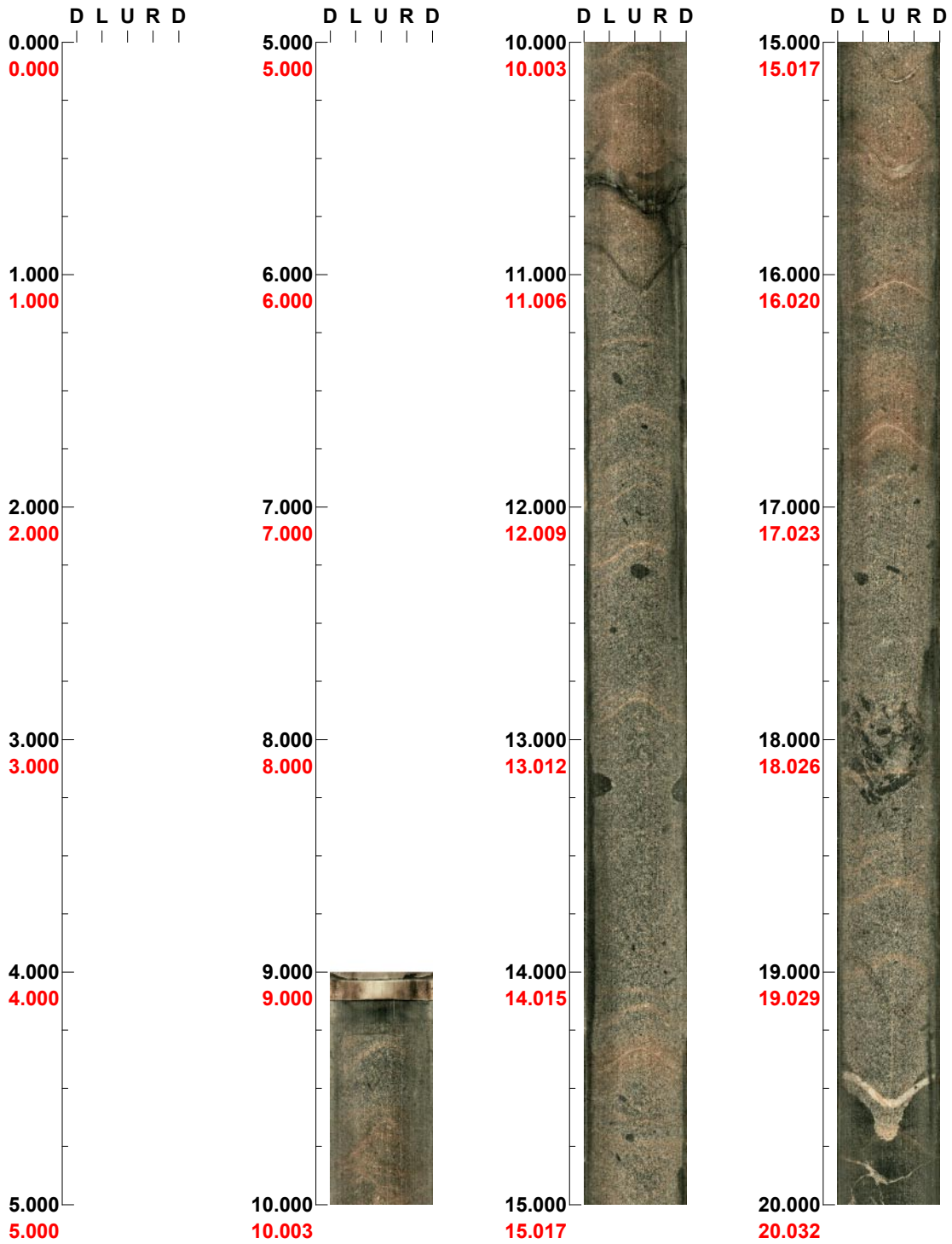
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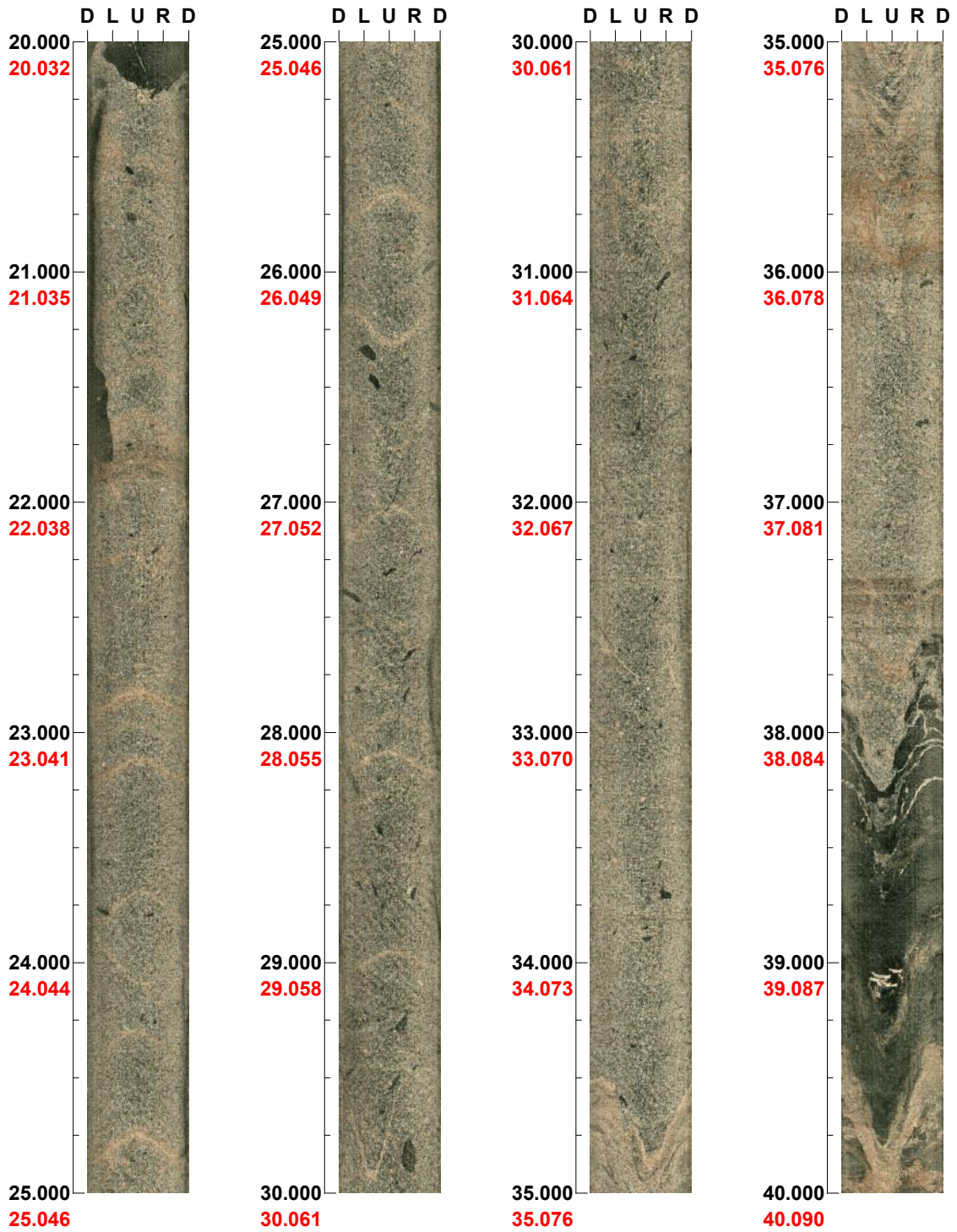
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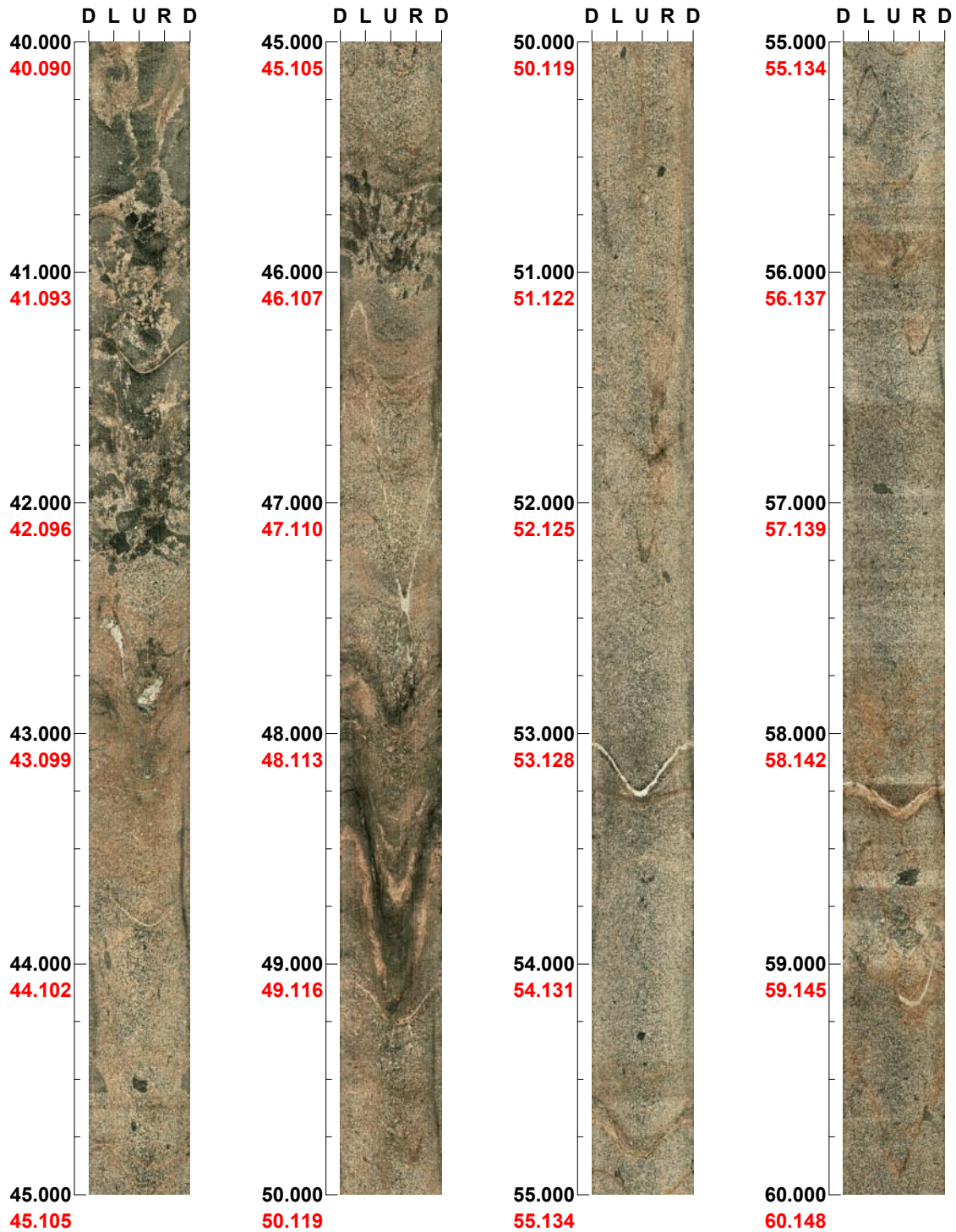
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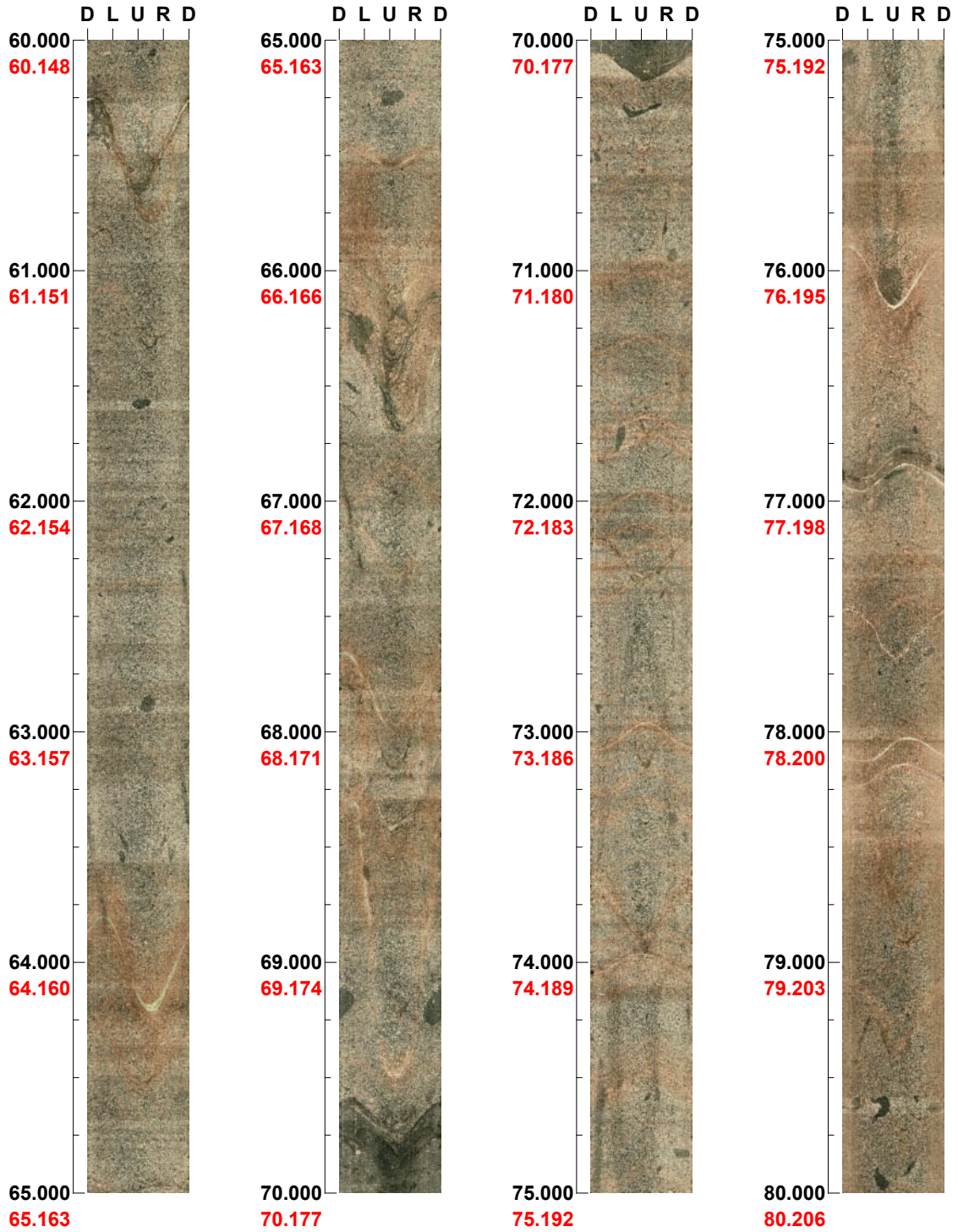


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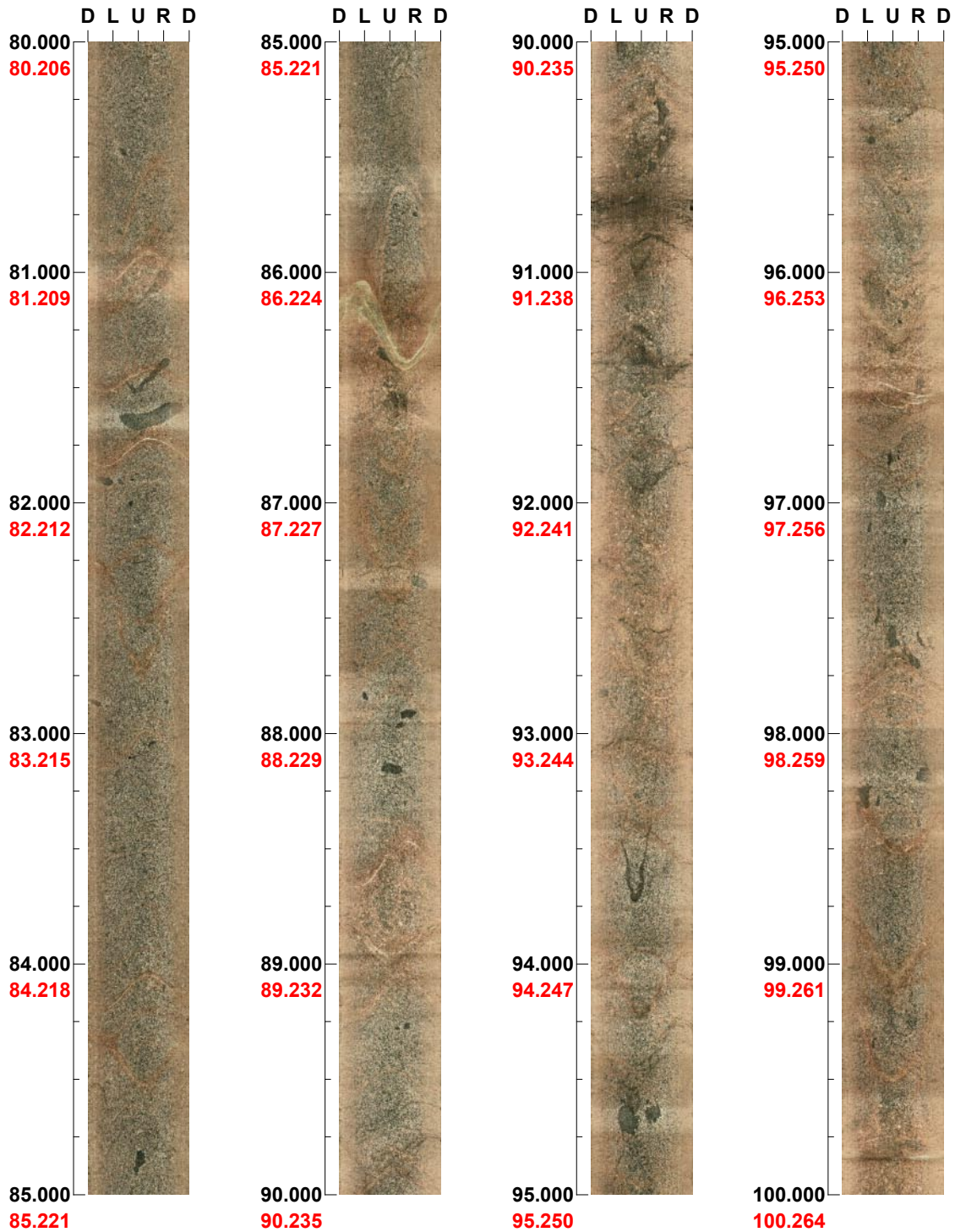


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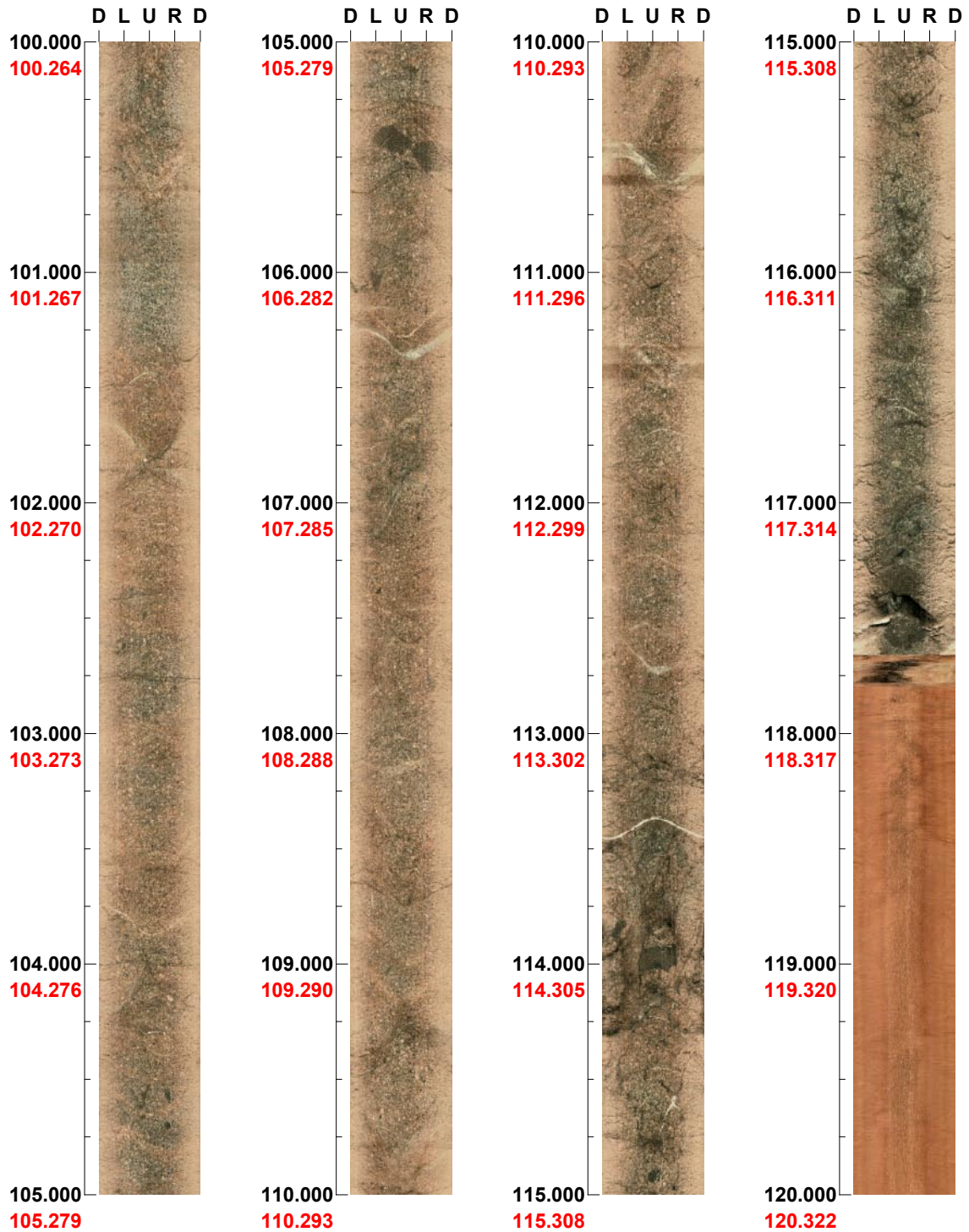


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Depth range: 100.000 - 120.000 m



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Project name: Laxemar
Bore hole No.: HLX20

Azimuth: 0

Inclination: -60

Depth range: 120.000 - 129.995 m

