

Supplementary Information for: “Dense seismic node arrays for enhanced understanding and monitoring of geothermal systems”

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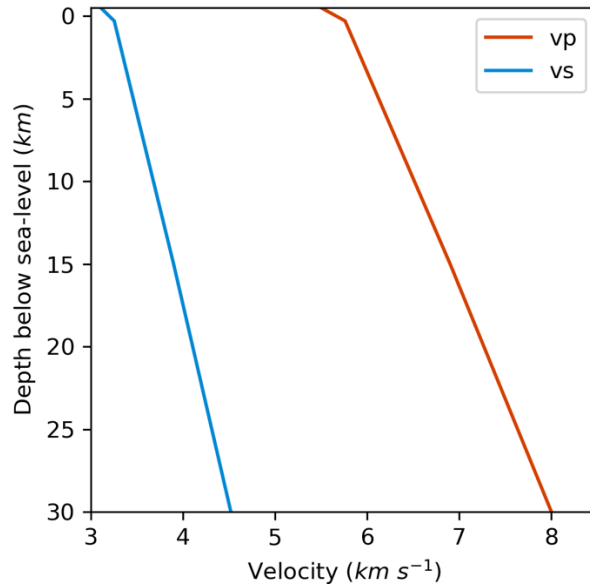
Parameter	Value
QuakeMigrate detection parameters:	
Data sampling rate	200 Hz
Bandpass filter, P-wave	2-80 Hz
Bandpass filter, S-wave	2-50 Hz
Grid resolution	x = 0.1 km y = 0.1 km z = 0.2 km
STA/LTA, P-wave	0.05 s / 1.0 s
STA/LTA, S-wave	0.1 s / 1.0 s
Coalescence detection threshold	Median Absolute Deviation (MAD) dynamic trigger with multiplier of 8 and window length of 3600 s.
Moving time window (marginal window)	60 s
Pre/post padding around window	1.0 s
NonLinLoc relocation parameters:	
Arrival-time error	Width of Gaussian fit to QuakeMigrate onset function (STA/LTA) for each receiver
Location method (LOCMETH)	Equal differential time likelihood function (EDT_OT_WT)
Gaussian velocity model error (LOCGAU)	SigmaTime = 0.005 s
Travel-time dependent model error (LOCGAU2)	SigmaTfraction = 0.005 s; SigmaTmin = 0.005 s; SigmaTmax = 10 s

Table S1 – Parameters for earthquake detection using QuakeMigrate and subsequent earthquake relocation using NonLinLoc.



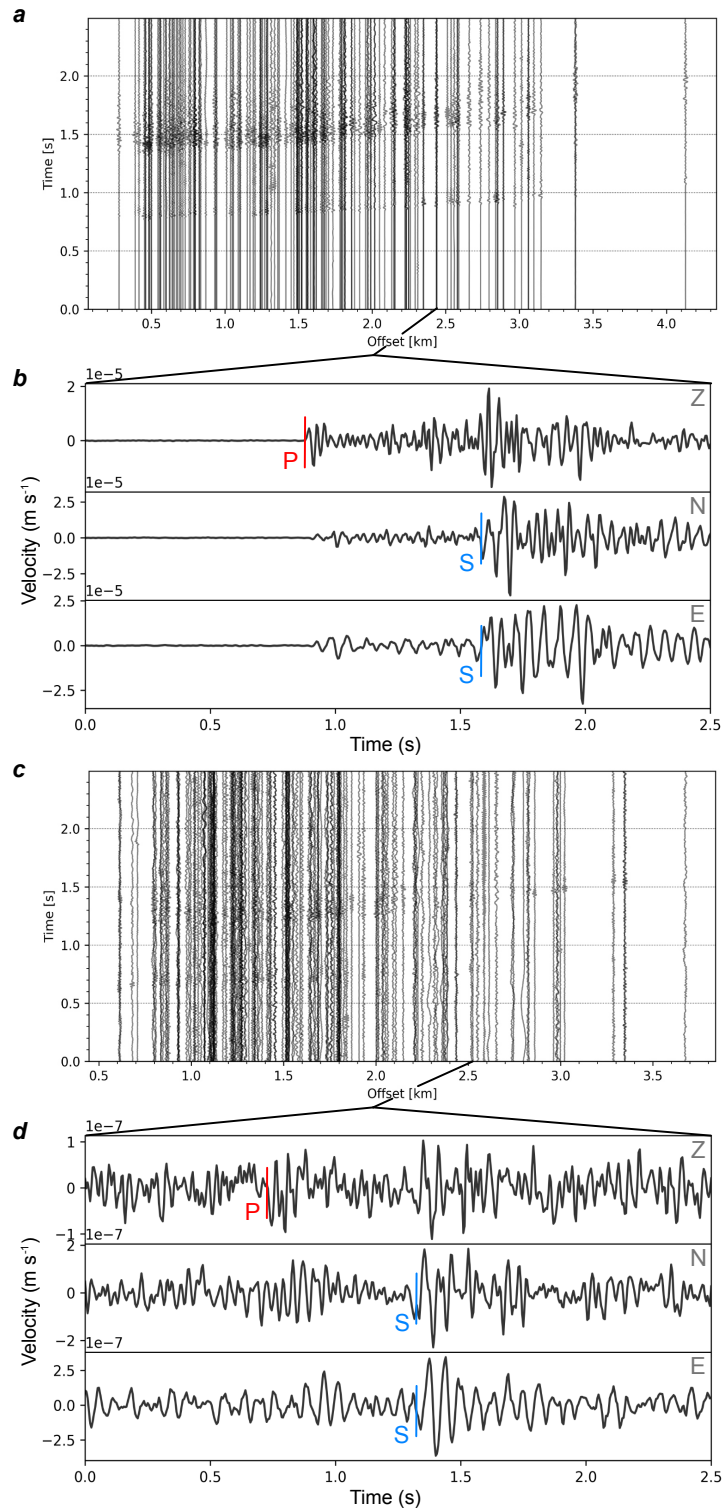
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Figure S1 – Example field deployment of 3-component site. Note that this example is for a “stacked” site, where four sensors were deployed in combination for each channel. Typically, most sites only comprise of either one or three nodes (for a Z-only or ZNE sites, respectively). Rubber duck and a person’s knees are included for scale.



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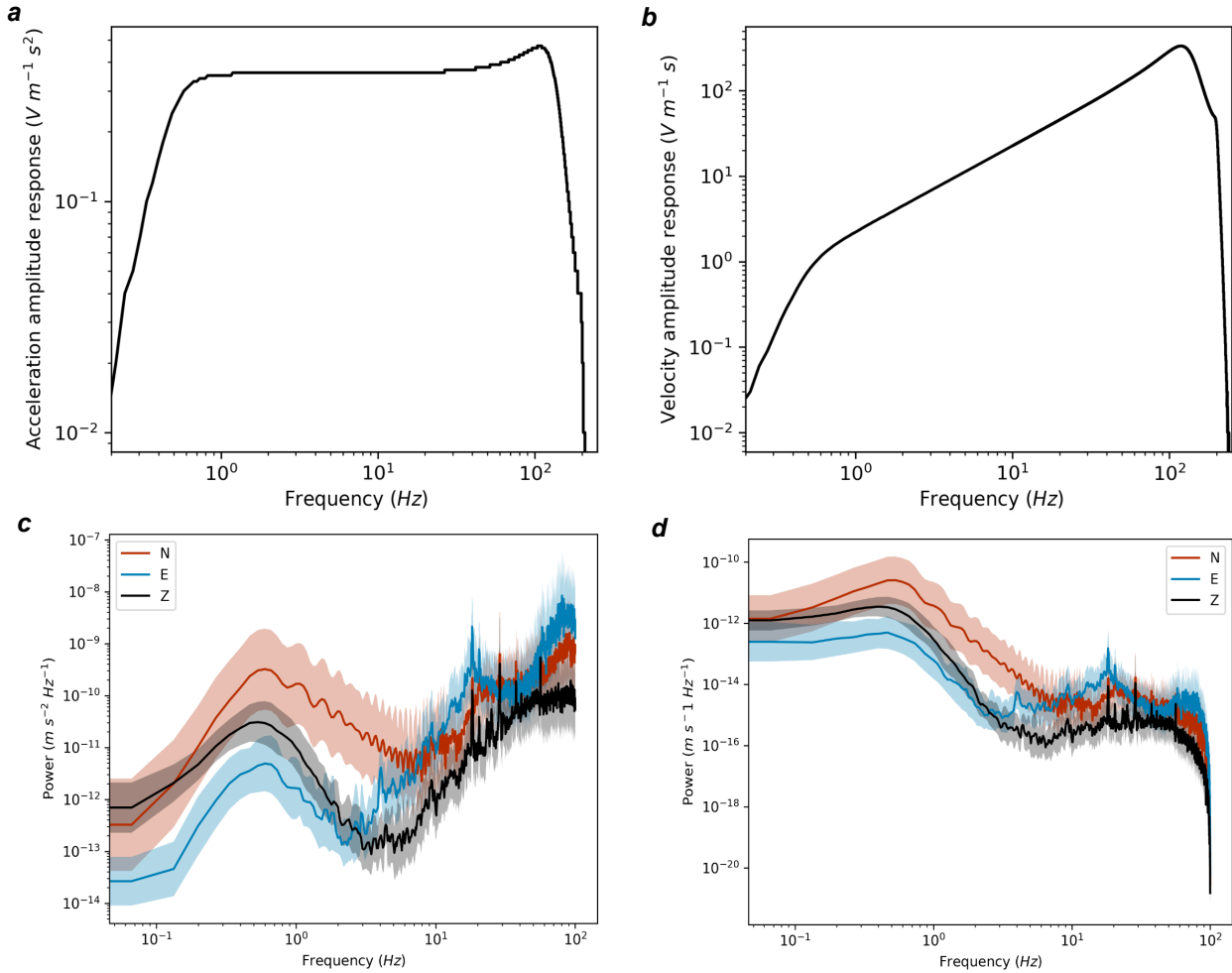
Figure S2 – Velocity model used in this study. This is the British Geological Survey SW England 1D layered model (Booth, 2010).



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 31 *Figure S3 – Example waveforms of a large ($M_w = 1.59$) and a small ($M_w = 1.04$) earthquake. a. Record*
 32 *section for an $M_w = 1.59$ earthquake that occurred at 15:23:04 on 01/12/2022. b. Waveforms for this event at*
 33 *the receiver site F110T (south-west region of the network). c. Record section for an $M_w = 1.04$ earthquake*
 34 *that occurred at 00:19:38 on 27/11/2022. d. Waveforms for this event at the receiver site F110T (south-west*
 35 *region of the network). P and S arrivals are approximately labelled in (b) and (d). Waveforms have been*
 36 *converted from the native Stryde node units of acceleration to velocity, after correcting for instrument*
 37 *response. Waveforms are then filtered between 1-60 Hz. Note the lower frequency content on the east*
 38 *component, likely due to poorer coupling to the ground, compared to the other channels.*

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42 *Figure S4 – Stryde node instrument response and example noise spectra. a. Acceleration instrument response.*

43 *b. Velocity instrument response. Instrument response provided by Stryde Ltd. c. Instrument-response*

44 *corrected acceleration noise spectra from 50 noise windows at receiver F110T, for all three components. d.*

45 *Instrument-response corrected velocity noise spectra from 50 noise windows. Variation between noise*

46 *windows in (c), (d) is shown by shaded region. Spectra in (c), (d) are calculated using a multitaper spectral*

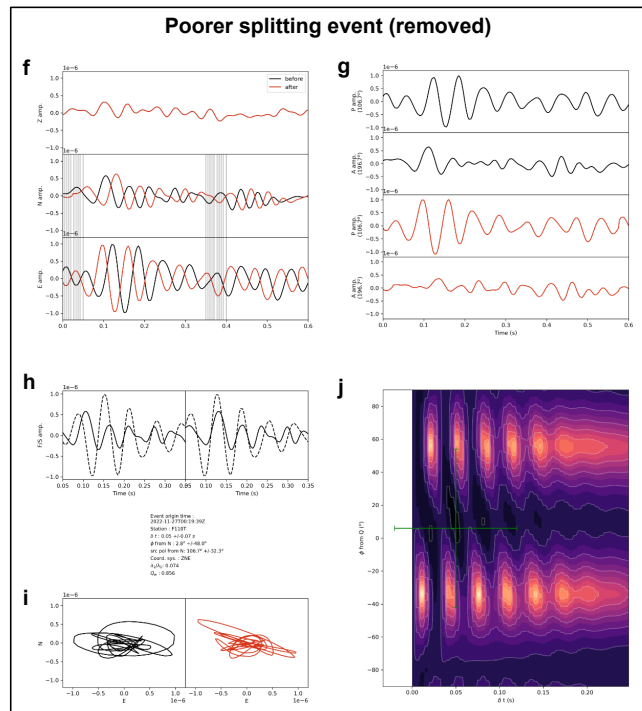
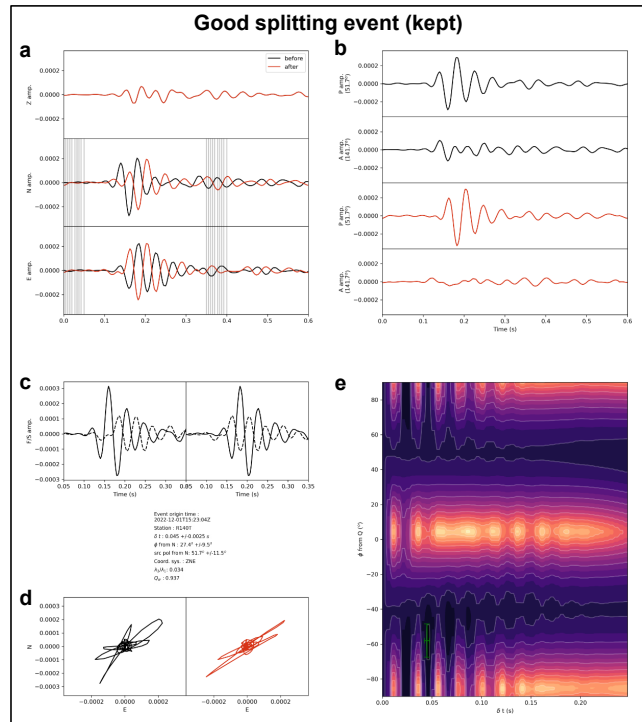
47 *method.*

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Parameter	Value
S-wave frequency filter	1-30 Hz
Window start time before fast S-wave arrival time	0.1 s
S-wave arrival time pick tolerance (estimated error)	0.05 s
Window start time after fast S-wave arrival time	0.25 s
Rotation step (increment in ϕ)	1°
Max. fast to slow S-wave delay-time (δt_{max})	0.25 s
Number of windows for (Teanby et al., 2004)cluster analysis	10
Data upsample factor	2

49 *Table S2 – Parameters used for shear-wave splitting analysis (correspond to input parameters used by SWSPy*

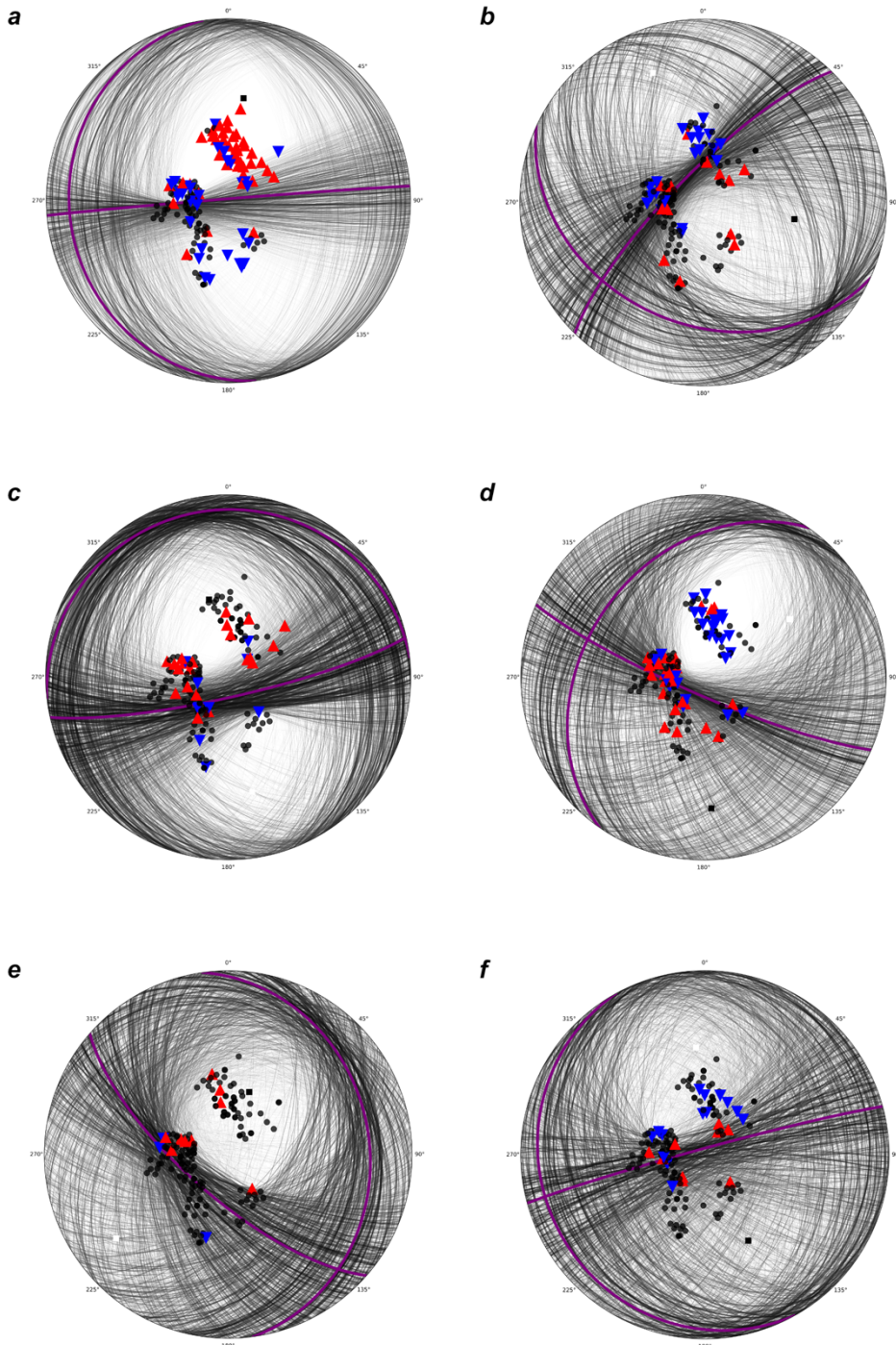
50 *(reference in main text)).*



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 53 *Figure S5 – Examples of good and poor quality splitting measurements. Constraints that make an event*
 54 *deemed good or poor are detailed in the main text. a-e. Examples of a shear-wave good splitting result. a.*
 55 *Waveforms before and after shear-wave splitting effect removed (black and red, respectively). b.*
 56 *Propagation and propagation-perpendicular components, before and after splitting removed. Note that all*
 57 *energy should be in the P-plane. C. Fast and slow shear waves, before and after the time shift is applied.*
 58 *Splitting statistics/parameters are also stated here. D. Particle motions before and after removing splitting*
 59 *effects. e. Fast-direction/time-delay space where the minimum eigenvalue is located (green point). Green*
 60 *bars indicate uncertainty. Note that fast angle is relative to Q-plane, not North. F-j. Same as a-e, but for a*

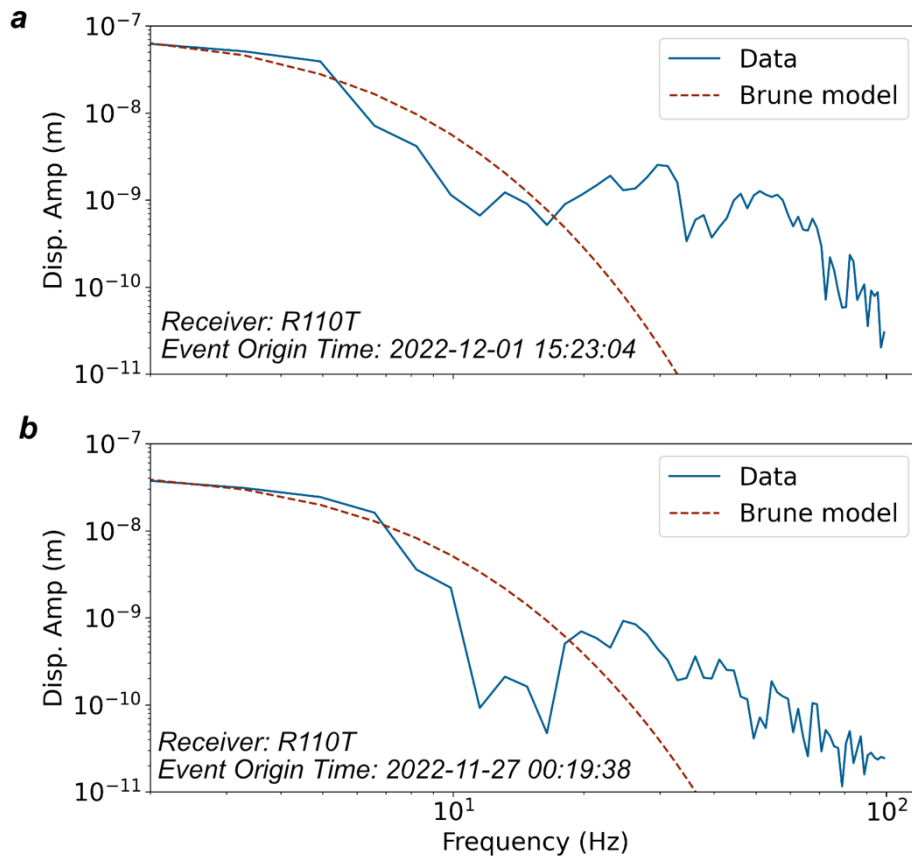
61 *poor splitting event that is removed from the results. See SWSPy (reference in main text) for more details on*
 62 *the underlying analysis and Table S2 for all the parameters used in the shear-wave splitting analysis.*

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 68 *Figure S6 – Examples of other double-couple, automatic P-polarity constrained focal mechanism inversions*
 69 *(corresponding to earthquakes shown in Figure 3a). Red points are receivers with compressional first arrivals,*
 70 *blue points are dilatational first arrivals and black points are undefined. Black lines indicate most likely 1% of*
 71 *fault-plane solutions, which can be thought of as representative of uncertainty in focal mechanism*
 72 *orientation.*

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75 *Figure S7 – Examples of earthquake spectra for a larger and smaller magnitude event at one receiver ((a) is*
 76 *the larger event and (b) is the smaller event). Note that higher frequency energy is somewhat not reconciled*
 77 *by Brune model fit, but long-period spectral level, used to calculate moment release, is unaffected.*

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