

**EXPLANATION**

- Salinian Terrane
  - Stanley Mountain Terrane
  - San Simeon Terrane
  - Patton Terrane
- Sur-Obispo Composite (McCulloch, 1987)

- Structural blocks within the Los Osos domain*
- A = Casmalia
  - C = Cambria
  - H = Solomon Hills
  - L = Los Osos
  - M = Santa Maria Valley
  - P = Purisima
  - S = San Luis/Pismo
  - V = Vandenberg/Lompoc

Source: PG&E (1988)

- Notes:
- Brown box outlines the 3D/2D seismic-reflection study area.
  - Green line outlines the Los Osos domain.
  - Hachures indicate uplifted structural blocks within the Los Osos domain.

**Regional Tectonic Setting with Faults and Structural Domains (Modified from PG&E, 1988)**

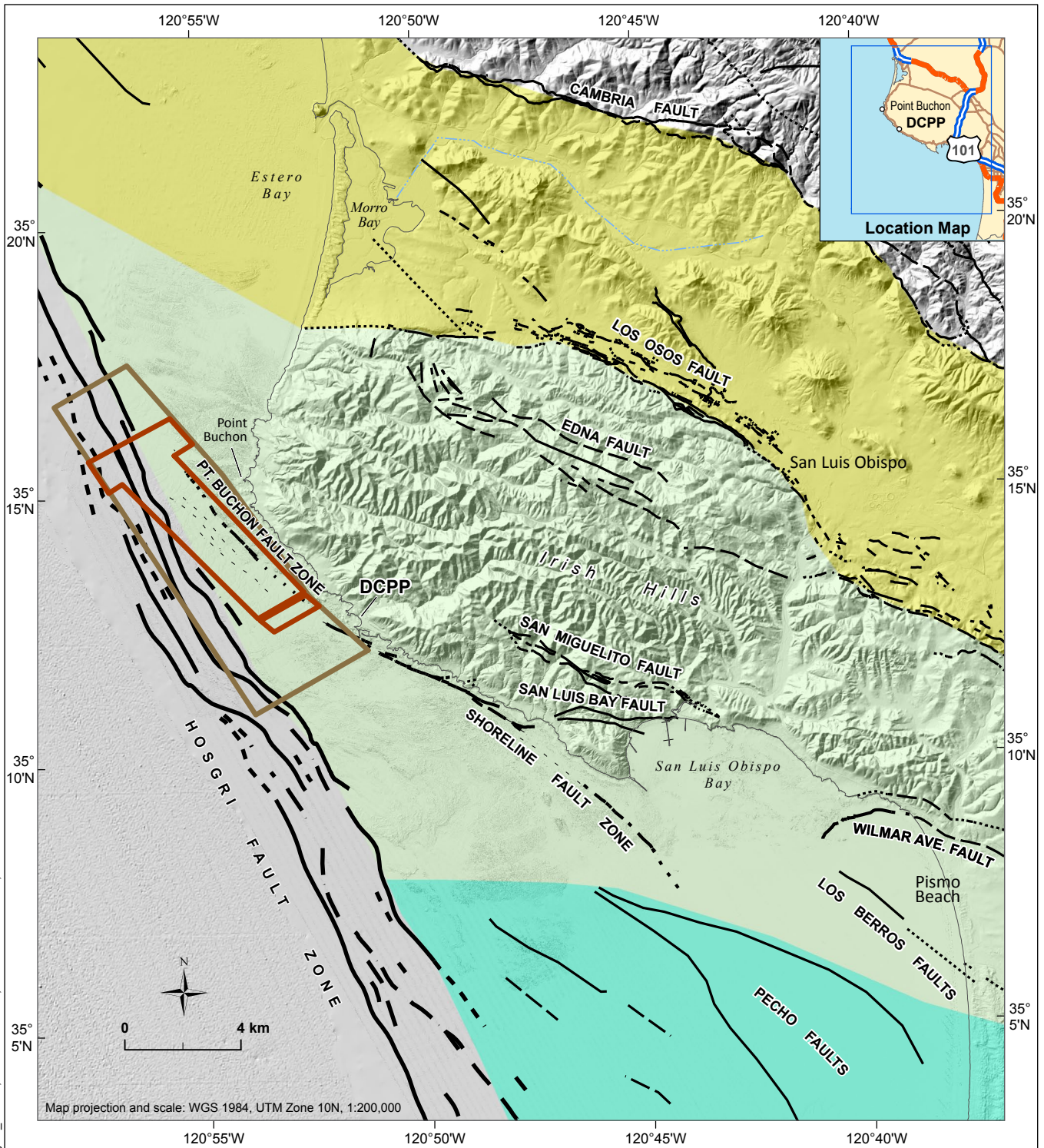
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**EXPLANATION**

- Hosgri Fault Zone, slip rate >1 mm/yr
- Fault with estimated slip rate <1 mm/yr
- Los Osos structural block
- San Luis/Pismo structural block
- Santa Maria Valley structural block
- 2D Survey area extent
- 3D Survey area extent

**Notes:**

- Locations of faults shown on map are from PG&E (2011b).
- Base map is 2010 PG&E Project DEM.

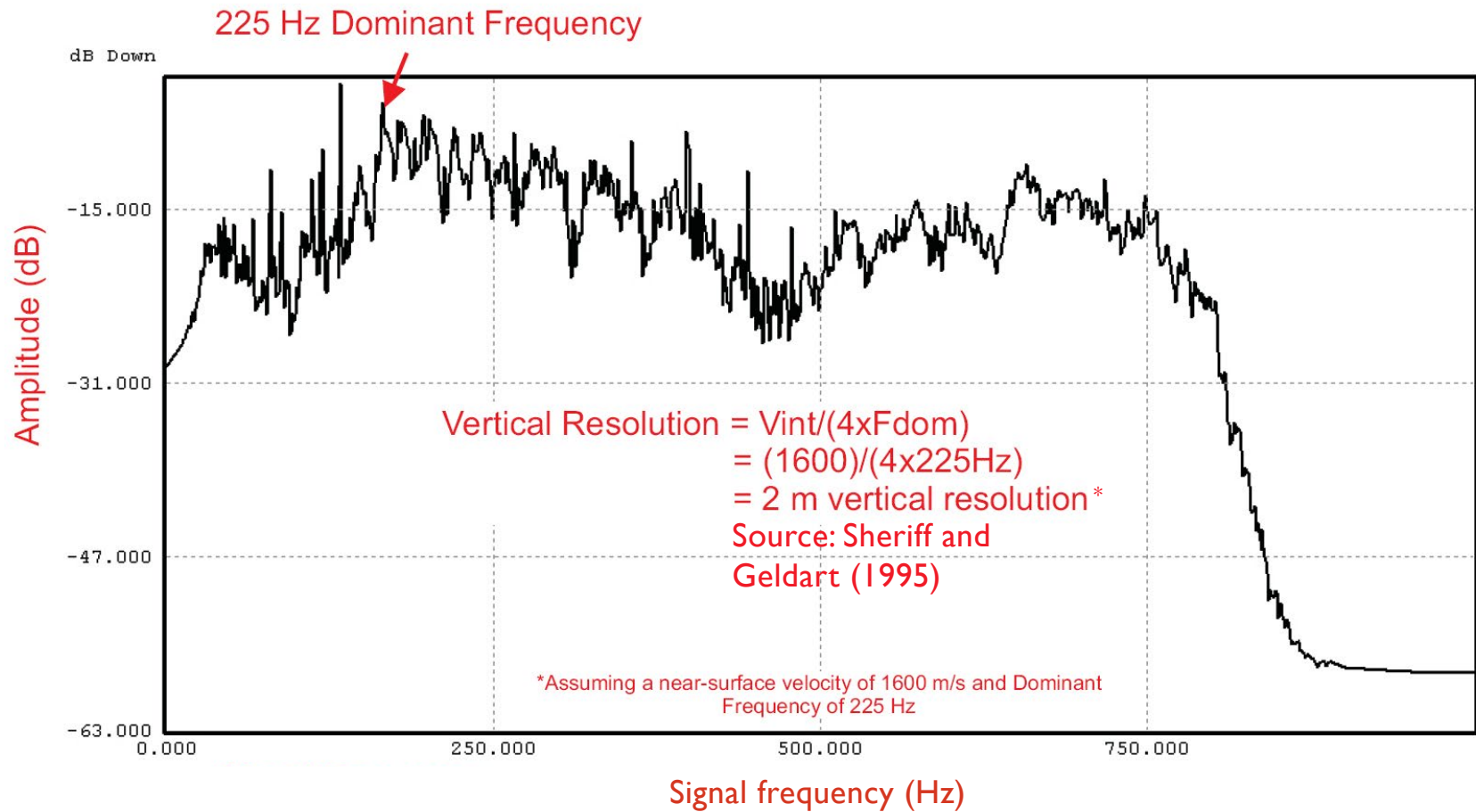
**Structural Blocks and Faults in the DCPD Area  
(Modified from PG&E, 1988)**

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Figure 1-2



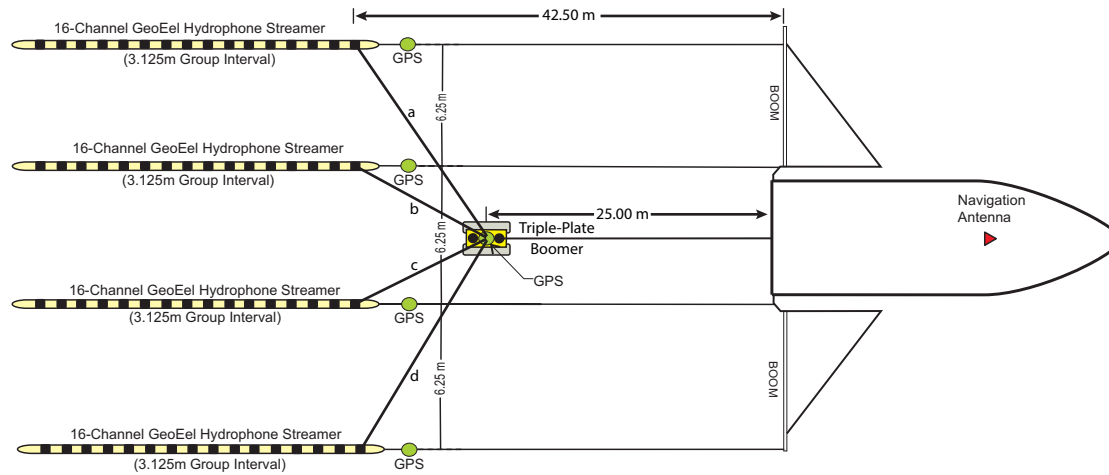
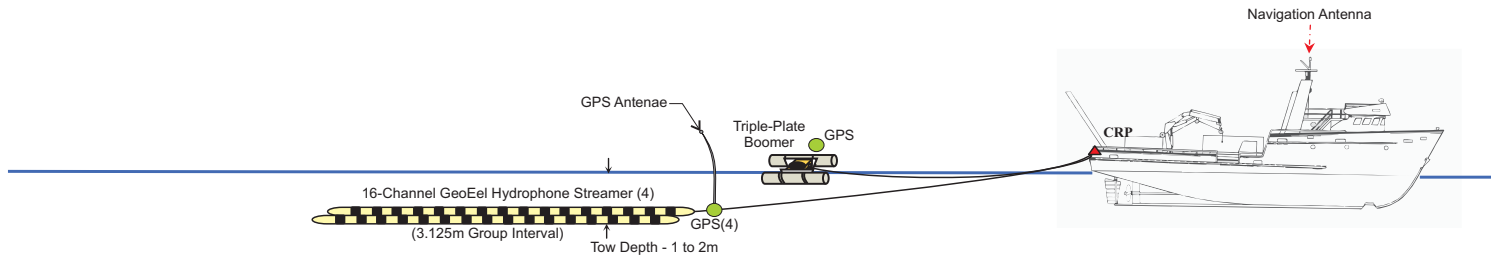
Frequency Spectrum from 3D/2D Seismic-Reflection Data Set Showing Dominant (Fundamental) Frequency of 200–225 Hz and Calculation Using 1,600–1,650 m/s to Determine Vertical Resolution (2.00–2.06 and 1.78–1.83 m)

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Figure 1-3



**Distances from boomer to head of streamers:**

- a: 12.01 m
- b: 8.15 m
- c: 8.15 m
- d: 12.01 m

**Abbreviations:**

CRP = common reference point  
 GPS = global positioning system

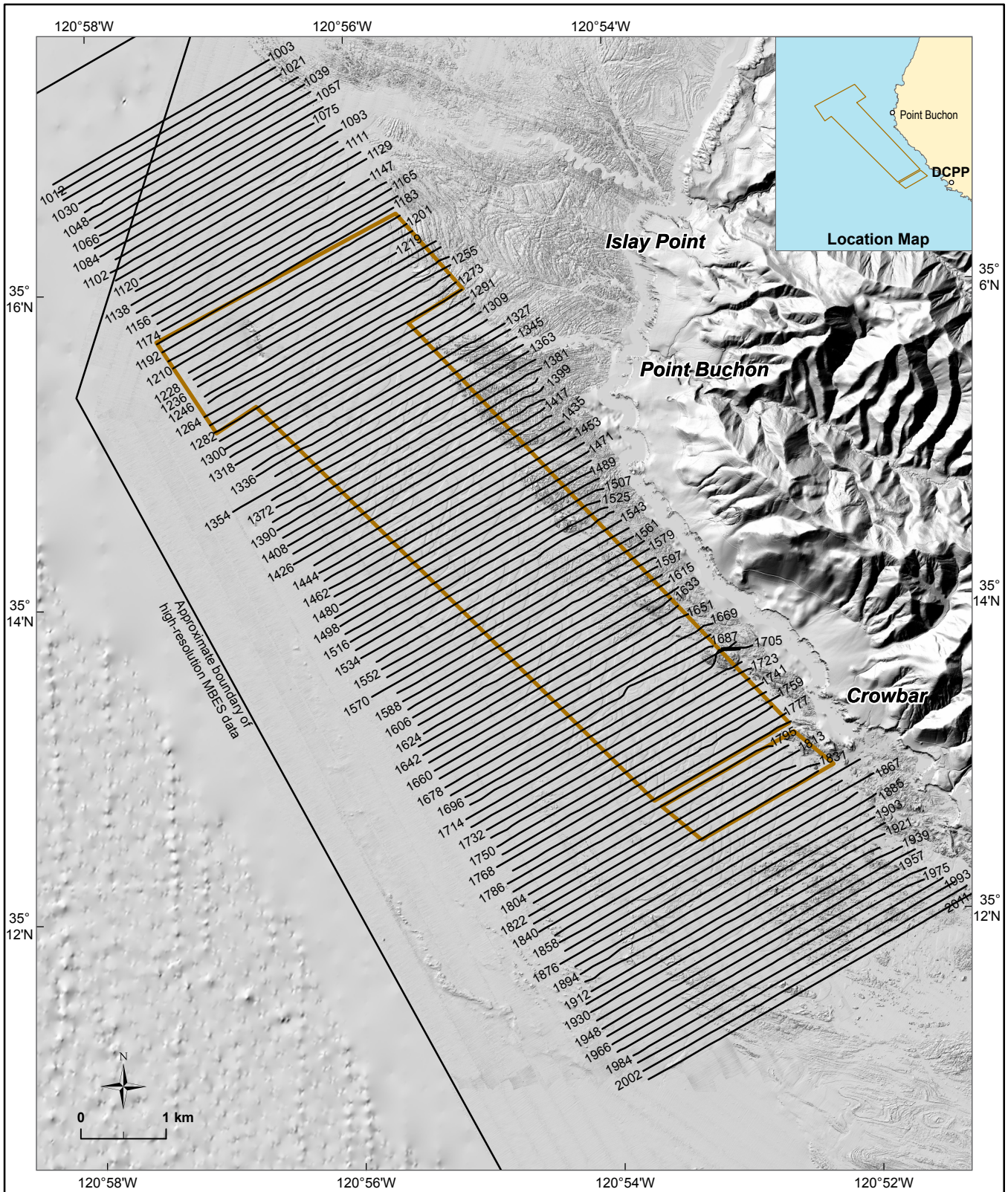
**Streamer Layout (Layback Diagram) for Seismic Source and Receivers Used in the Collection of 3D/2D Data from the M/V *Michael Uhl***

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Figure **2-1**



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**EXPLANATION**

- 2D survey trackline, approximately 100 m spacing
- Data boundary for 3D seismic-reflection surveys

Map projection: WGS 1984, UTM Zone 10N  
 MBES data source: CSUMB Seafloor Mapping Lab

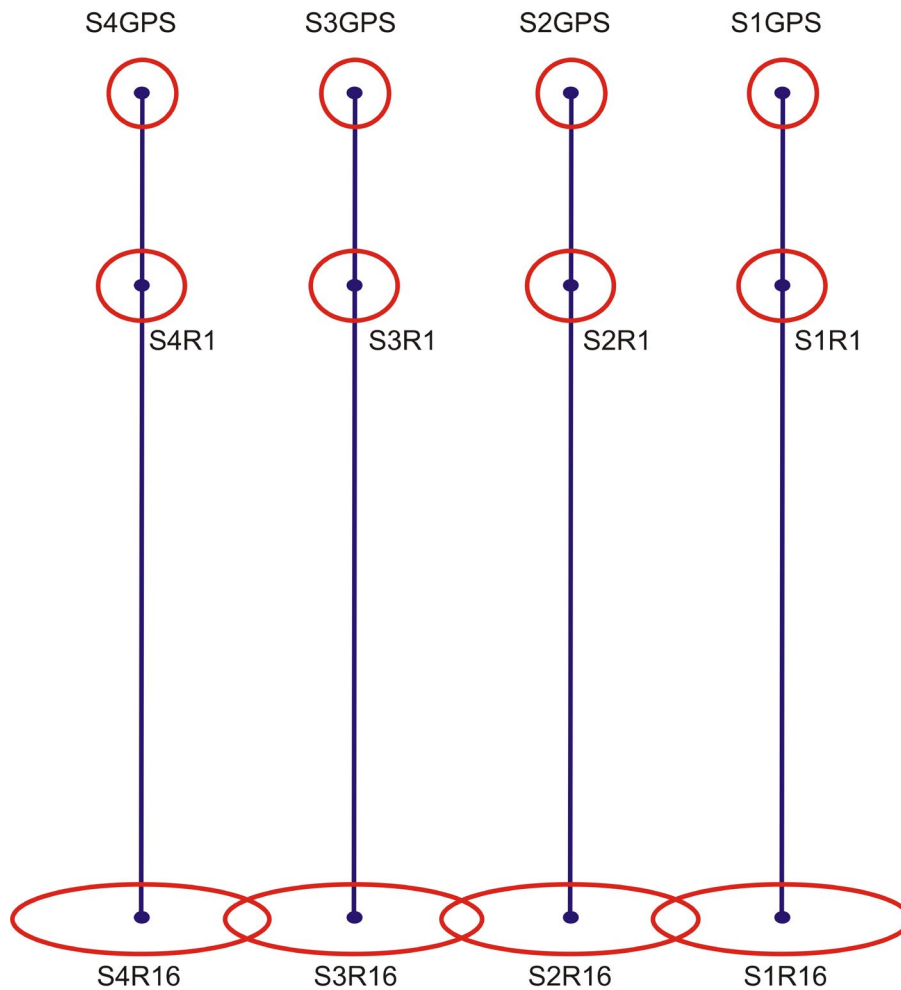
**Trackline Map of 2D Seismic-Reflection Lines and Boundary of 3D Survey Area**

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Figure **2-2**



**Notes:**

Ellipses represent working error of positioning; head end of streamers have a 1 m positioning accuracy, whereas a 3 m positioning accuracy occurs at the tail ends, resulting in an overall horizontal resolution of ~2–3 m.

Codes at dots indicate the following: S1–4 = streamer number; S1GPS–S4GPS = position of GPS unit at head of each streamer; S1–4R1–16 = receiver number in streamer.

**Schematic Diagram of Streamer Array  
Showing Navigation Positioning Accuracy  
During 3D/2D Seismic-Reflection Survey**

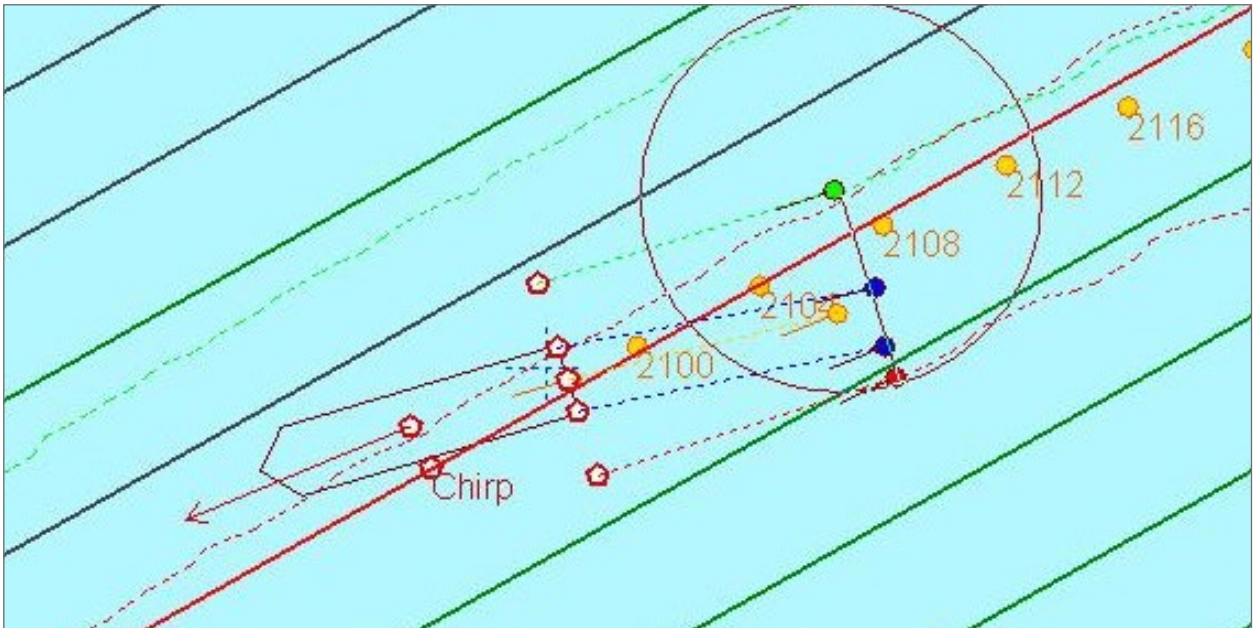
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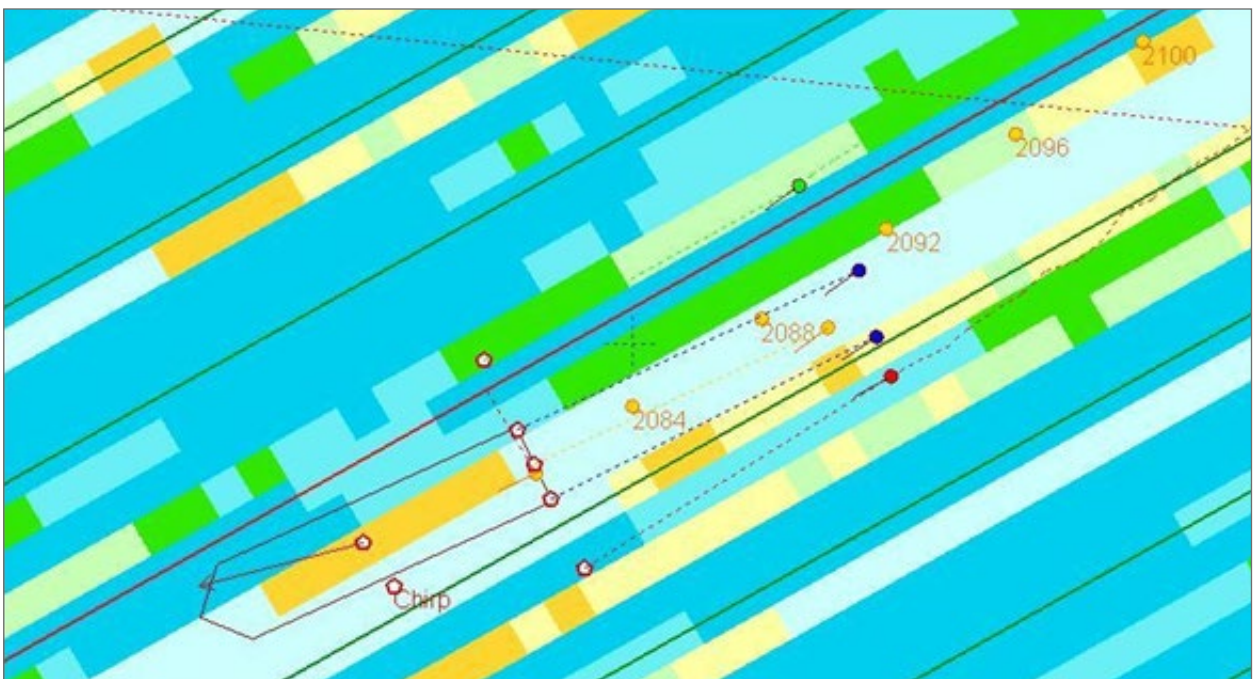
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**(a) Geometry of Array in Relation to Line Orientation (Data Coverage)**



**(b) Example of Coverage Obtained and Geometry of Array During Gap Filling Operations (Bin Infilling)**



**Notes:**

In part (a), red circles represent locations of GPS sensors on vessel, at the source and at head ends of streamers. Green (starboard or right), blue (inner) and red (port or left) color-filled circles represent ends of streamers. Numbers along the red line (active navigation line) represent shot points. Green lines are pre-programmed navigation lines.

In part (b), blue color represents 4-fold coverage or more; green, 3 fold; yellow, 2 fold; and gray, 0 coverage.

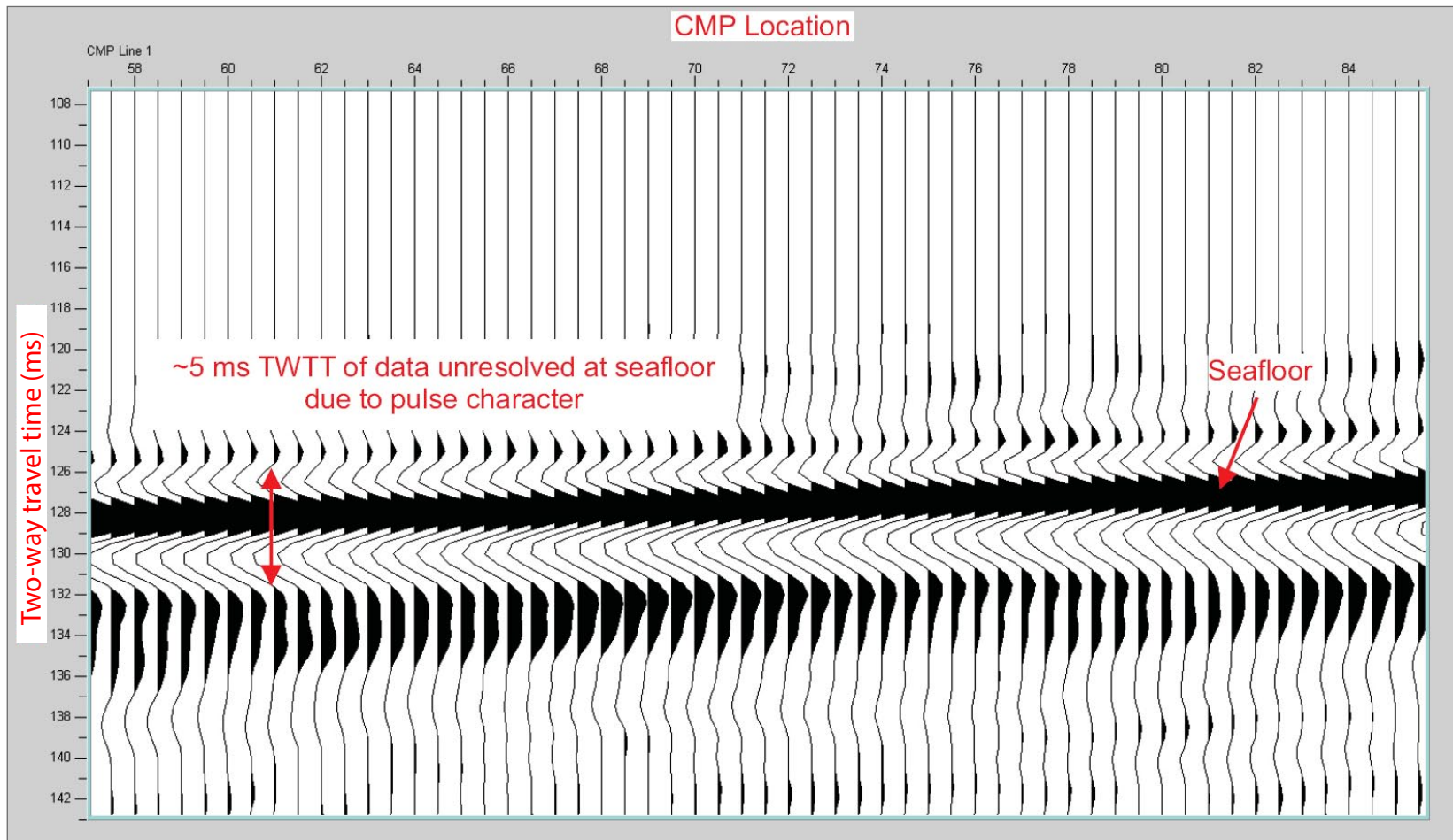
**Schematic Diagram Illustrating Skewed Geometry of Streamer Array During Times of Adverse Weather Conditions Resulting in Irregular Coverage**

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Figure 2-4



Note:

CMP = common midpoint or shot point

Example of “Bubble Pulse” Recorded During 3D/2D Seismic-Reflection Survey Showing ~5 ms (~4 m) Thick Shallow Subsurface Section Not Resolvable due to Masking of Legitimate Reflectors by Pulse Width

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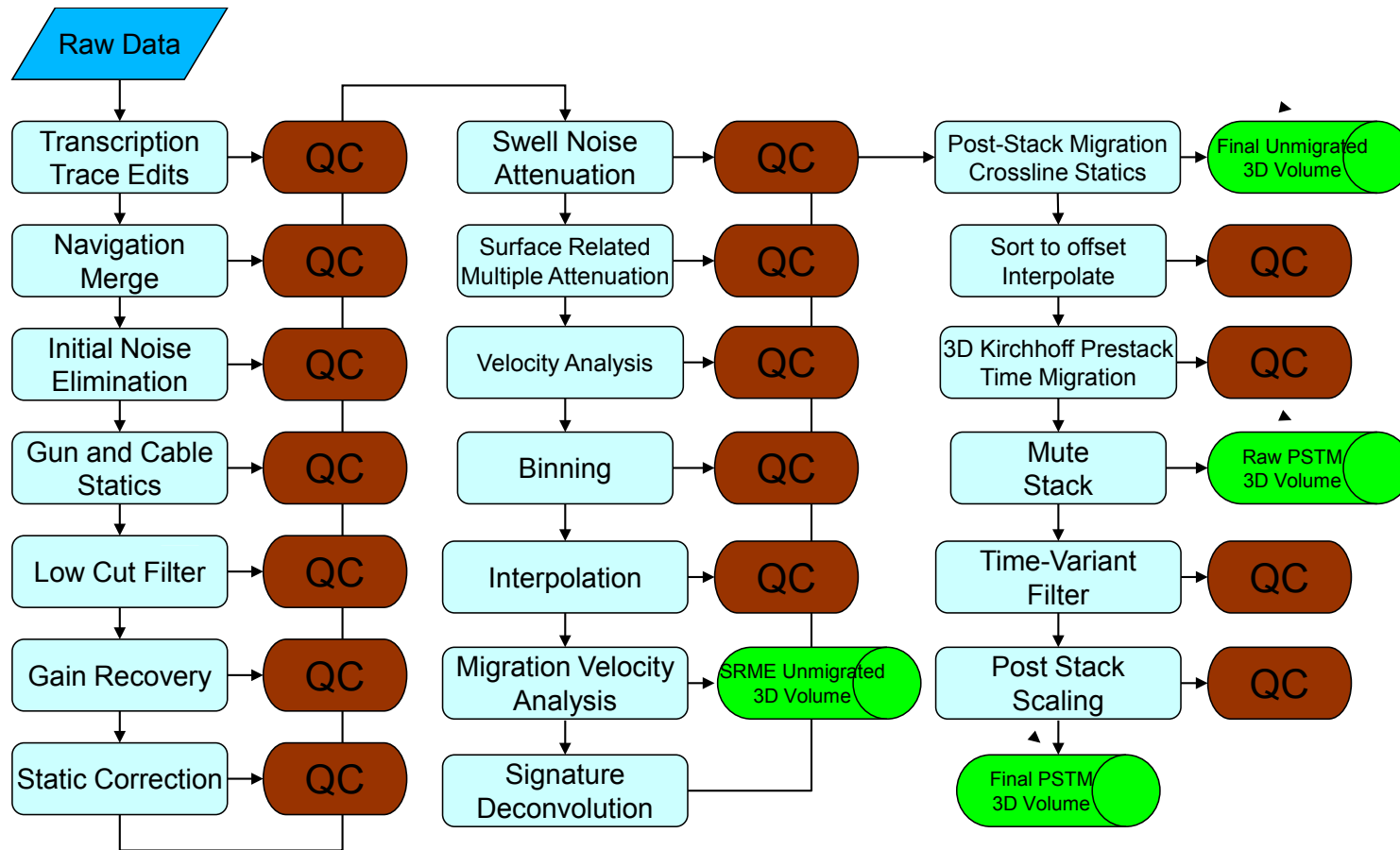


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Figure 2-5



# Processing Flow



Note:  
All quality control (QC) assessments were made prior to advancing to the next step of processing.

Flow Chart Showing Procedures and Steps Undertaken in the Processing of the 3D Data

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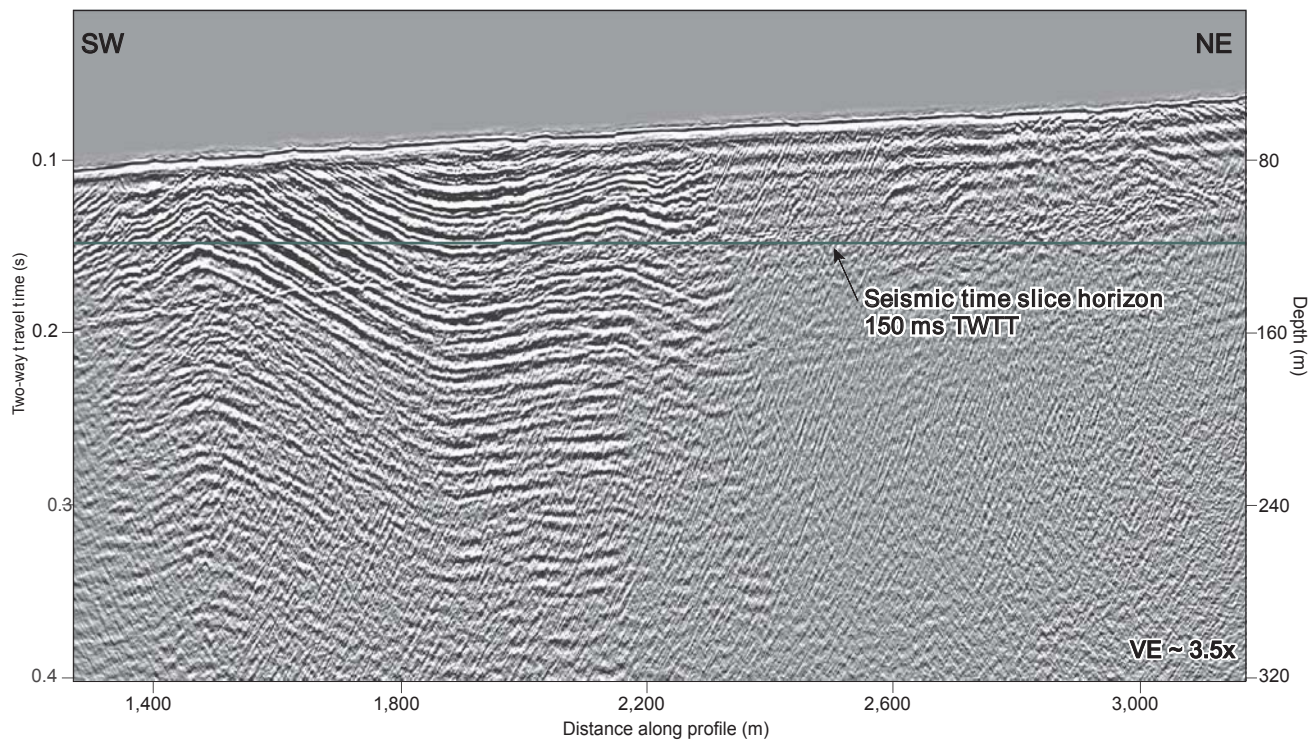


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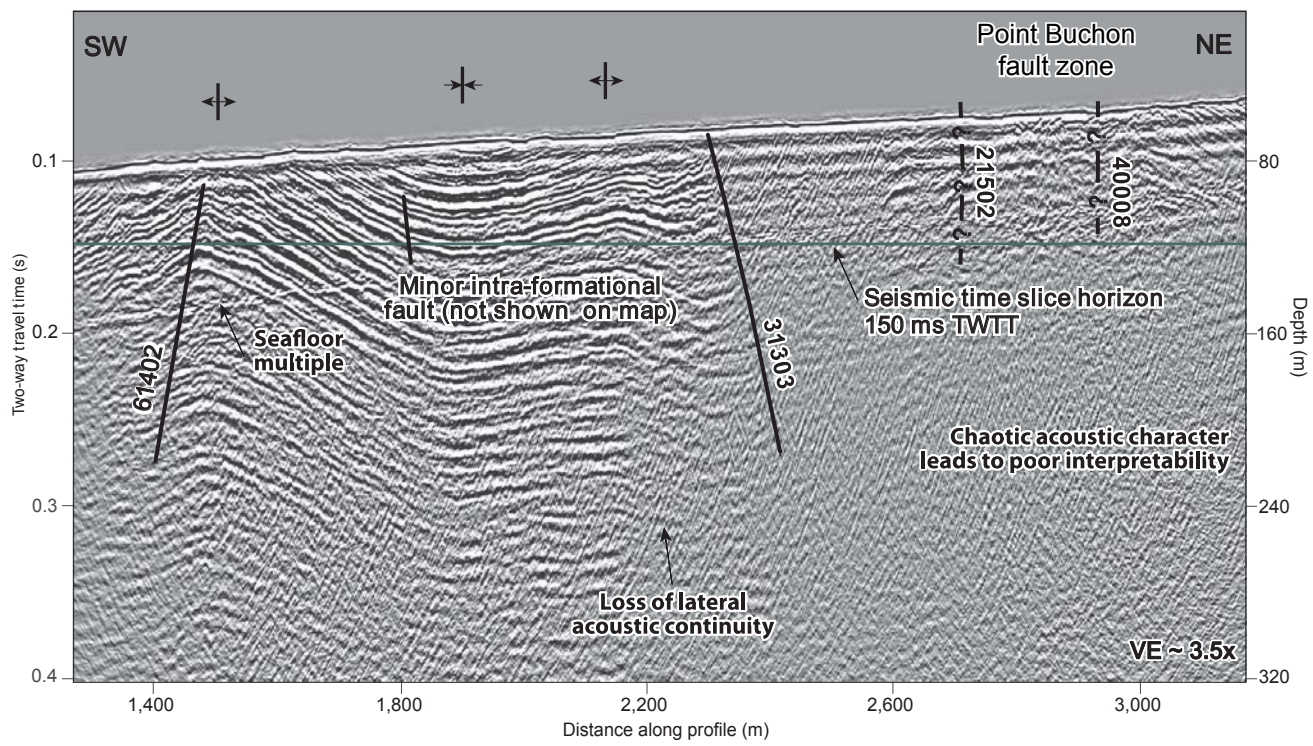
(a) Uninterpreted seismic profile

Line 12120

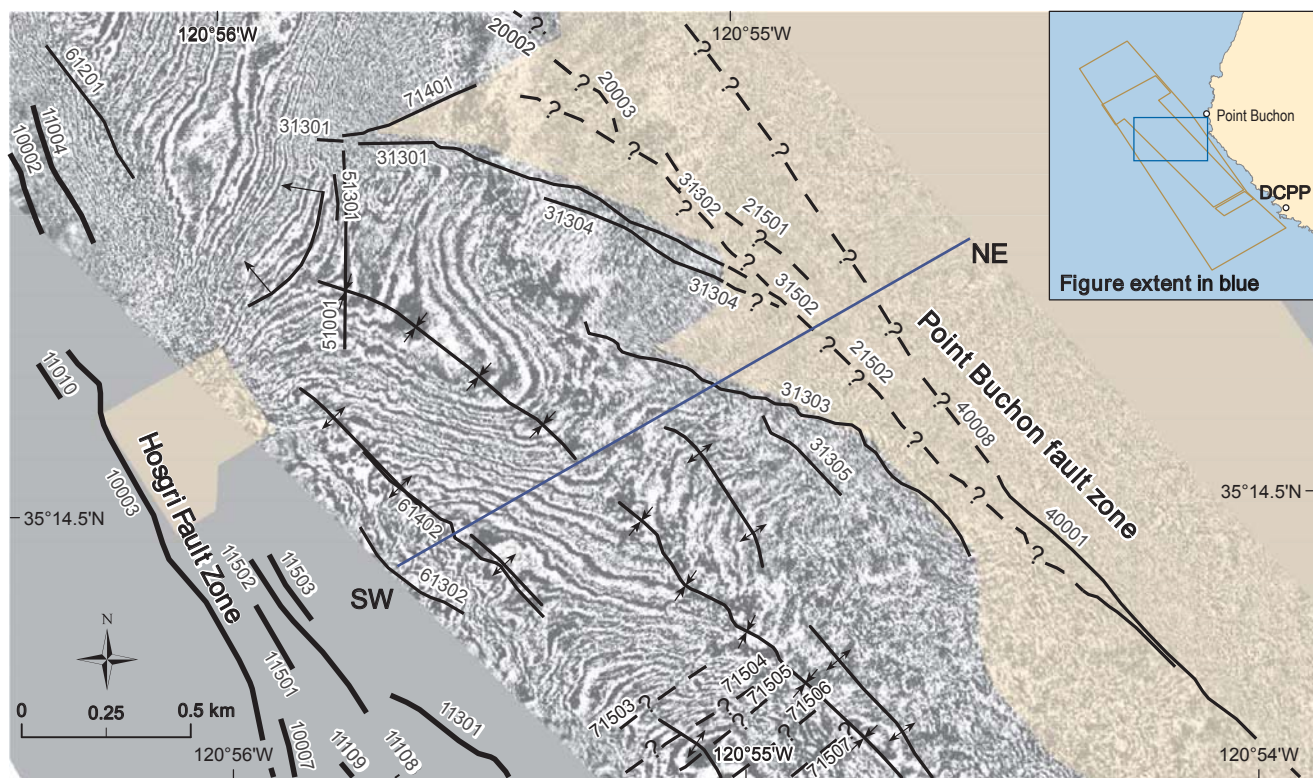


(b) Interpreted seismic profile

Line 12120



(c) Location map



**EXPLANATION**

- Time slice horizon
- Area of poor interpretability
- ? Faults, solid where well located, dashed where inferred or approximately located, queried where uncertain, dotted where buried by more than 20 milliseconds of undeformed strata
- ↔ Syncline
- ↔ Anticline
- ↔ Monocline
- Location of seismic profile shown on Plate 3b
- Amplitude scale: High (dark grey) to Low (light grey)

Note: Depth values on seismic profile assume a velocity of 1,600 m/s.

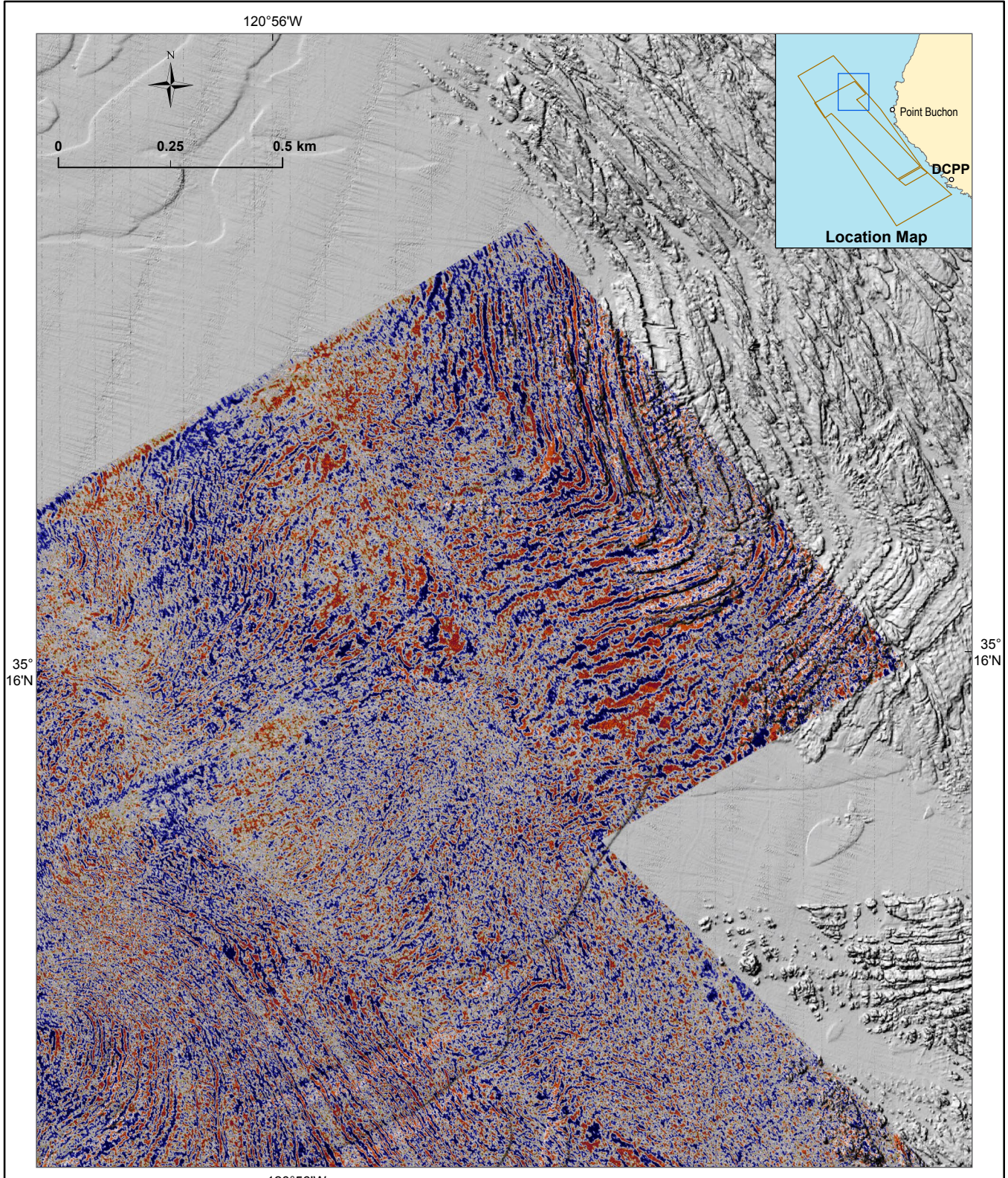
**Examples of Data Quality (Interpretability) Shown in (a,b) 3D Seismic-Reflection Profile Line 12120 and on (c) Amplitude Time Slice at 150 ms (TWTT)**

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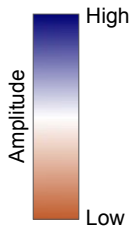
Figure 3-1



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**Time Slice Explanation**



Note: Good correlation of reflectors in the time slice with ridges imaged in bathymetry suggests that 3D survey is correctly aligned with MBES survey.

**MBES Bathymetry Overlain on 3D Amplitude Time Slice at 138 ms (TWTT) Showing a Good Correlation Between the Two Data Sets**

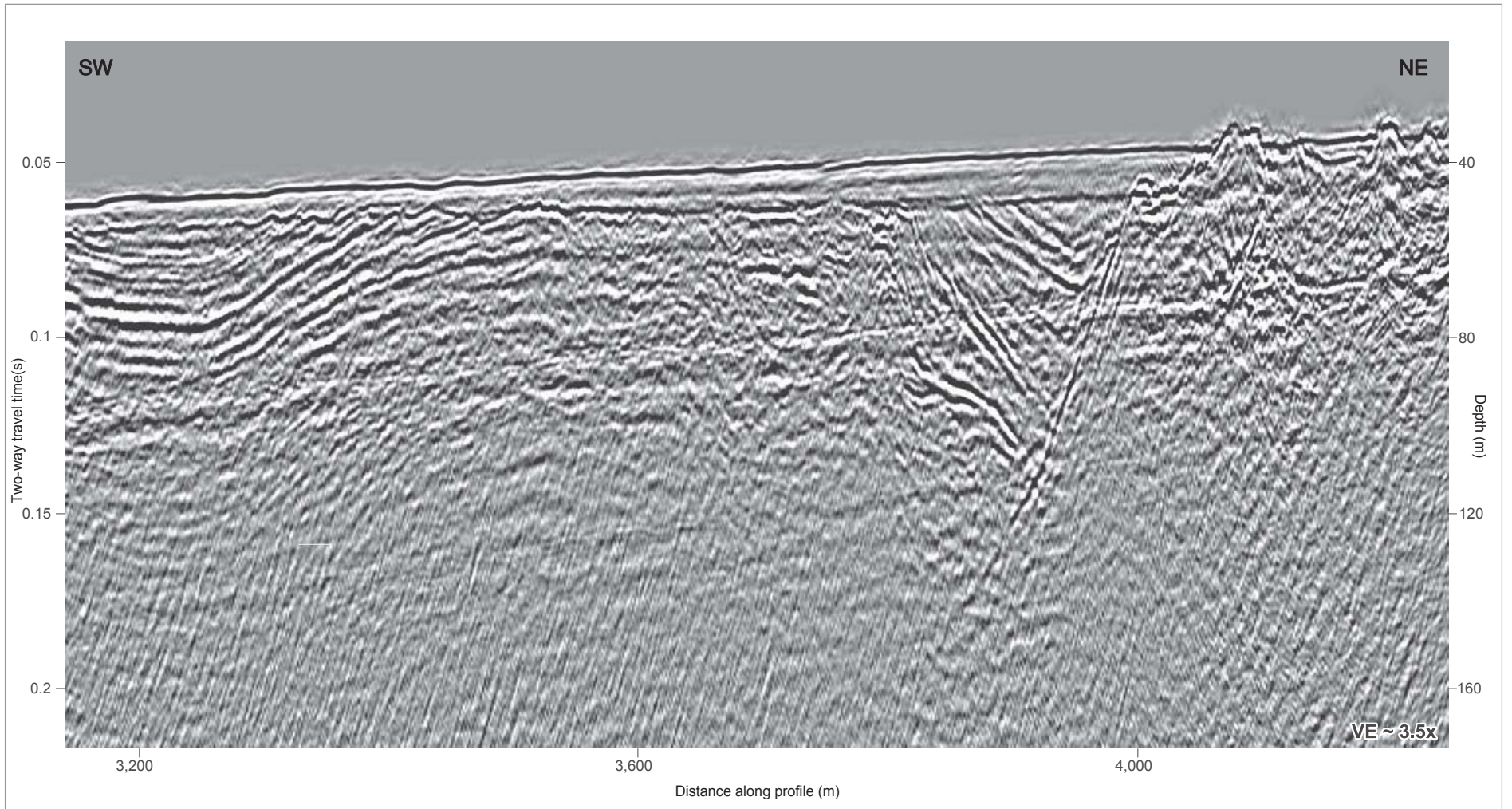
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**Figure 4-1**

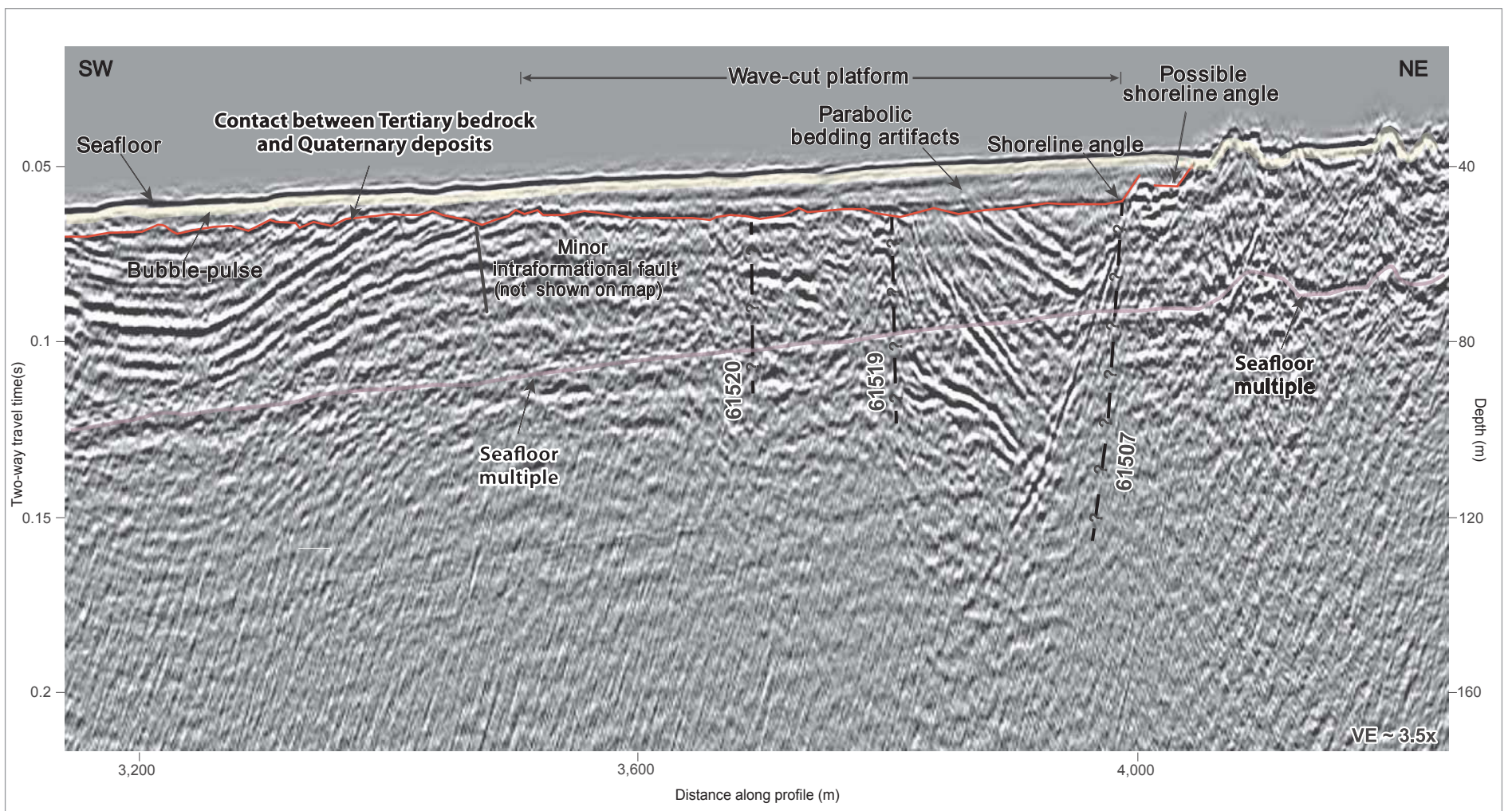
(a) Uninterpreted seismic profile

Line 13340



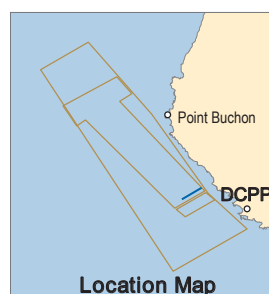
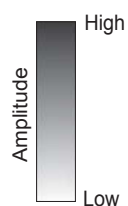
(b) Interpreted seismic profile

Line 13340



**EXPLANATION**

- Faults, solid where well located, dashed where inferred or approximately located, queried where uncertain, dotted where buried by more than 20 milliseconds of undeformed strata
  - Erosional surface (top of Tertiary rock)
  - Location of seismic profile shown on Plate 3b
- Notes:
1. Depth values on seismic profile assume a velocity of 1,600 m/s.
  2. Minor intraformational fault displayed on profile is not mapped and shown on fault maps or included within the fault database.



**Example of a Wave-Cut Platform and Shoreline Angles Illustrated in 3D Seismic-Reflection Profile 13340 and Showing Bedding Artifacts**

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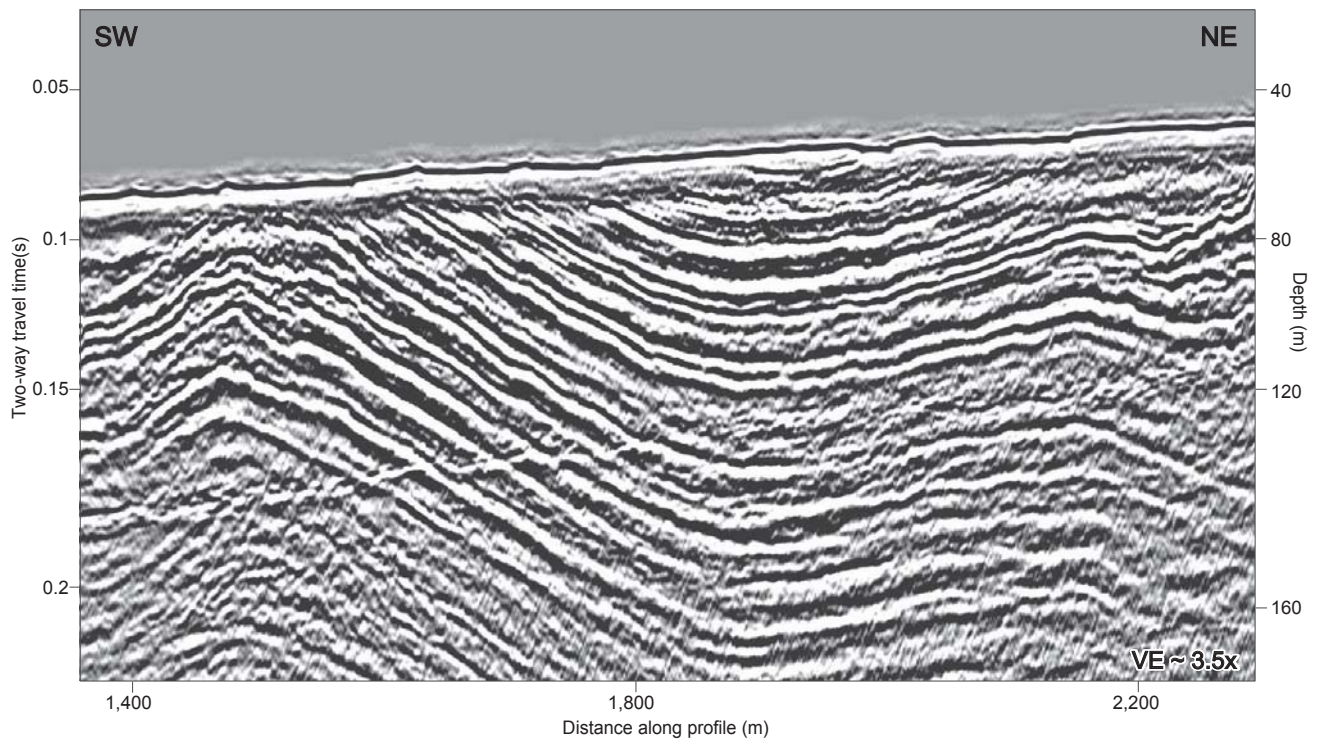


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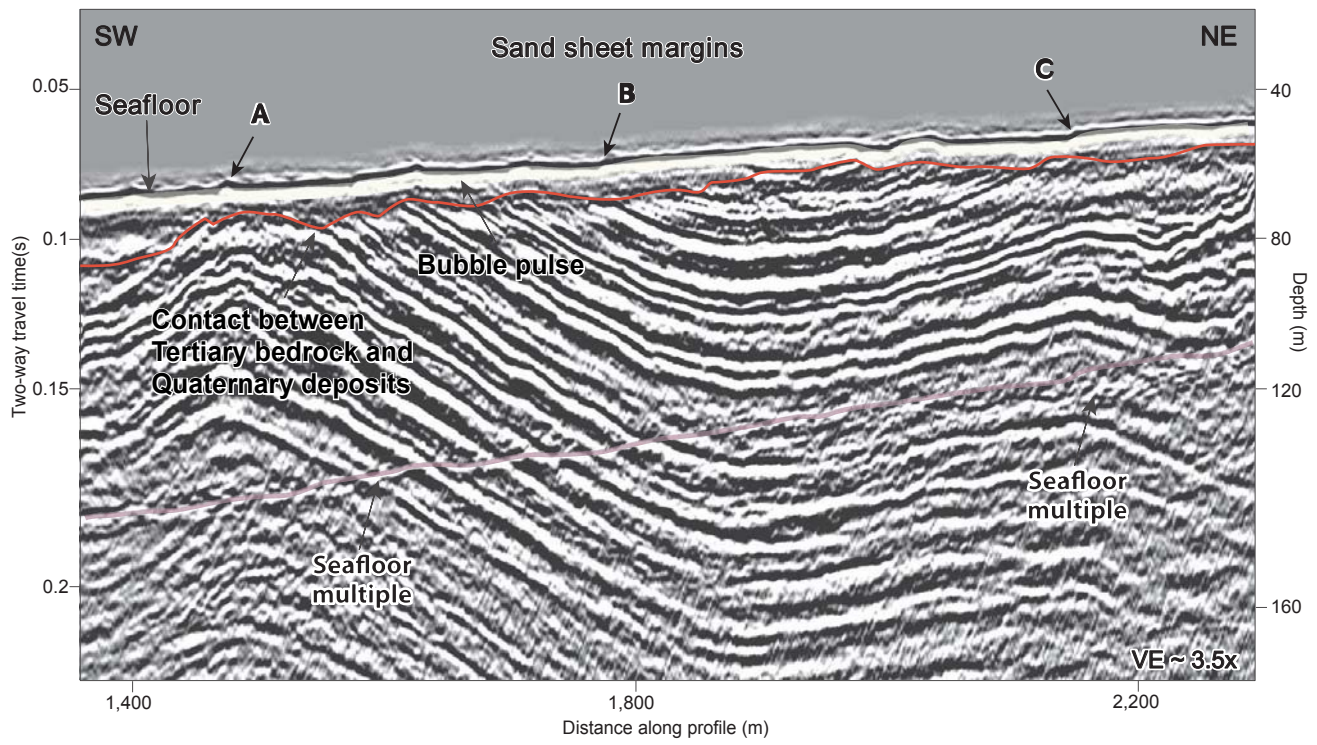
(a) Uninterpreted seismic profile

Line 12120

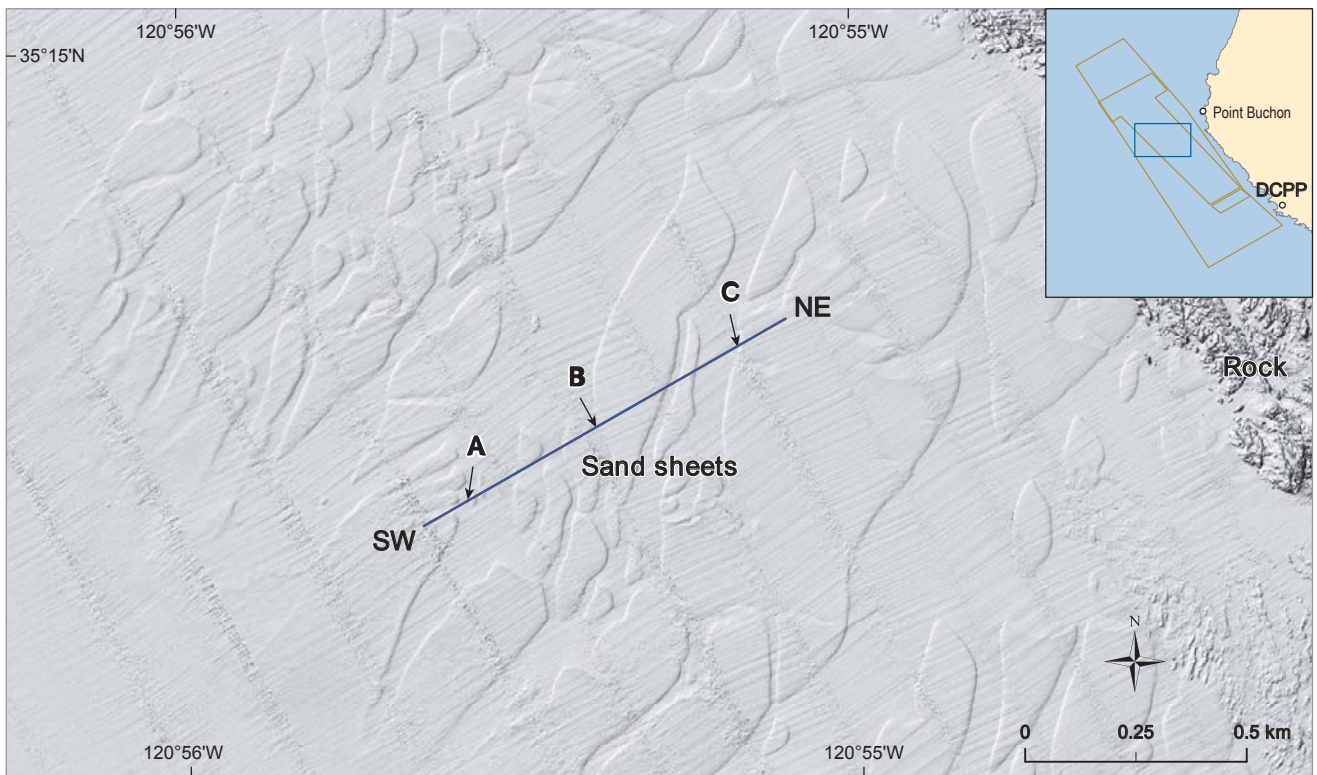


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Line 12120

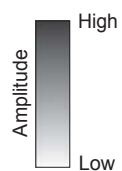


(c) Location map



**EXPLANATION**

- Location of seismic profile shown on Plate 3b
- Erosional surface (top of Tertiary rock)
- ↙ ↘ Location of mobile sand sheet margins



Note: Depth values on seismic profile assume a velocity of 1,600 m/s.

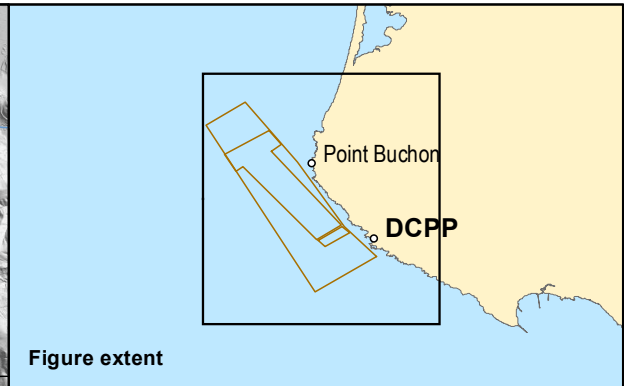
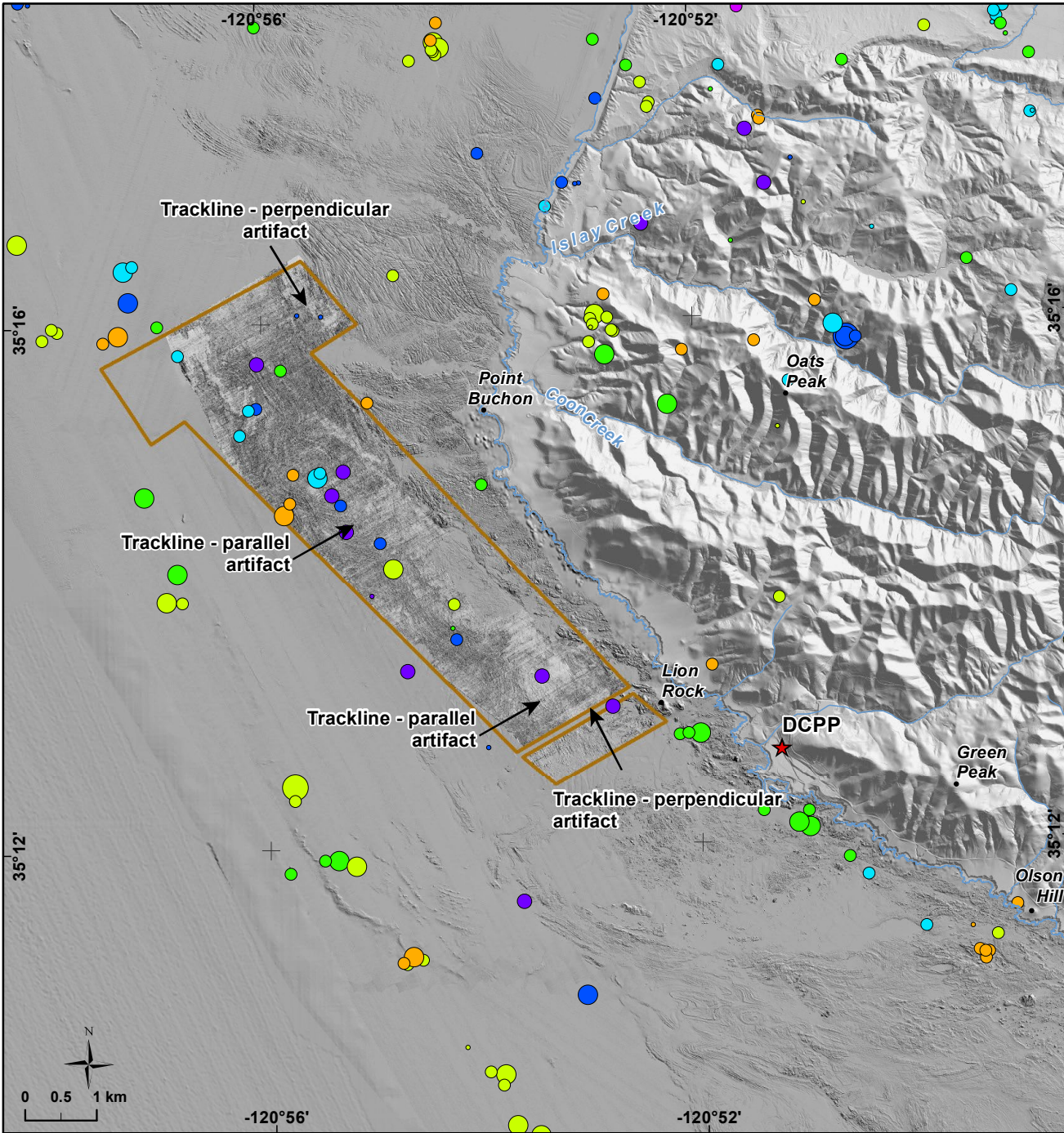
**Illustrations of Mobile Sand Sheets Shown in (a, b) 3D Seismic-Reflection Profile 12120 and on (c) MBES Shaded Relief Bathymetry Map**

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Figure **6-2**



**EXPLANATION**

3D/2D survey area extent

**Earthquake Data**

Depth (Km)	0.0 - 1.9	8.0 - 9.9
	2.0 - 3.9	10.0 - 11.9
	4.0 - 5.9	12.0 - 13.9
	6.0 - 7.9	14.0 +
Magnitude	0.0 - 0.9	2.0 - 2.9
	1.0 - 1.9	3.0 - 3.5

**DEM of Bedrock Surface with Sediment Removed in the Point Buchon Study Area**

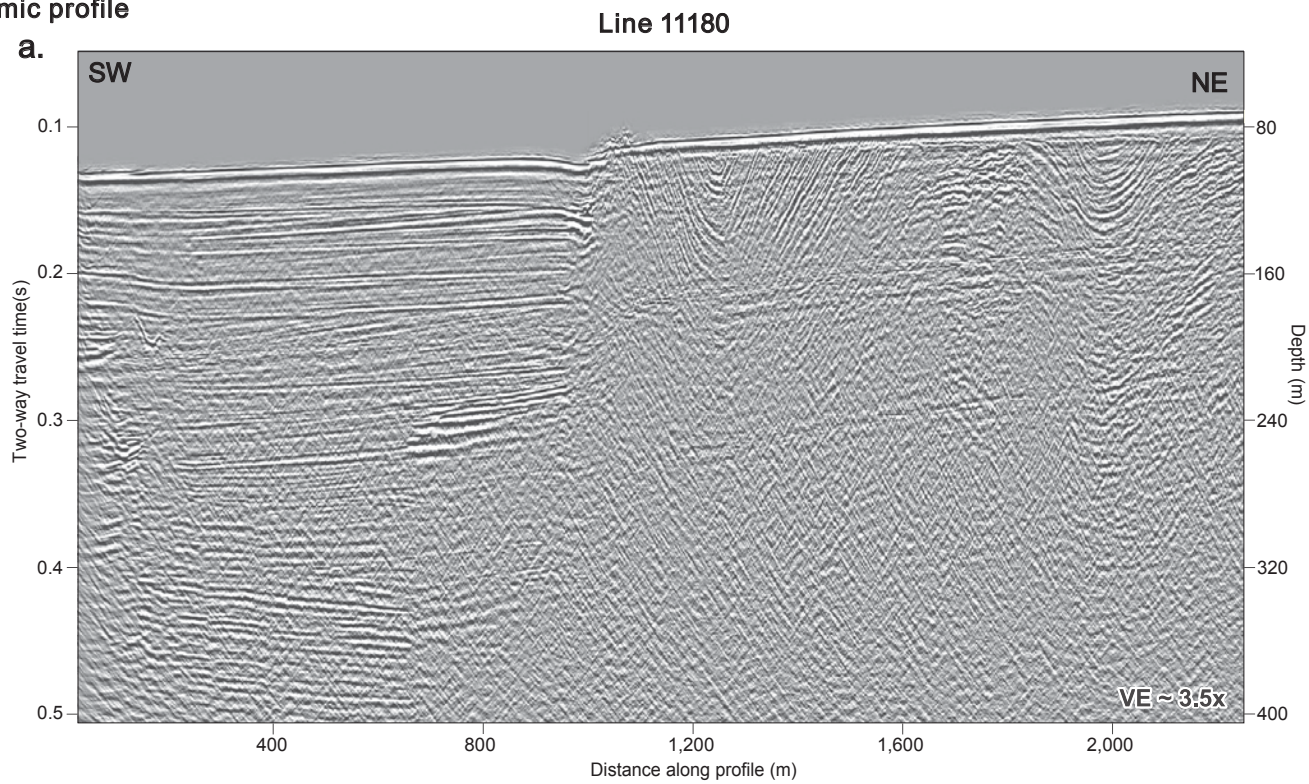
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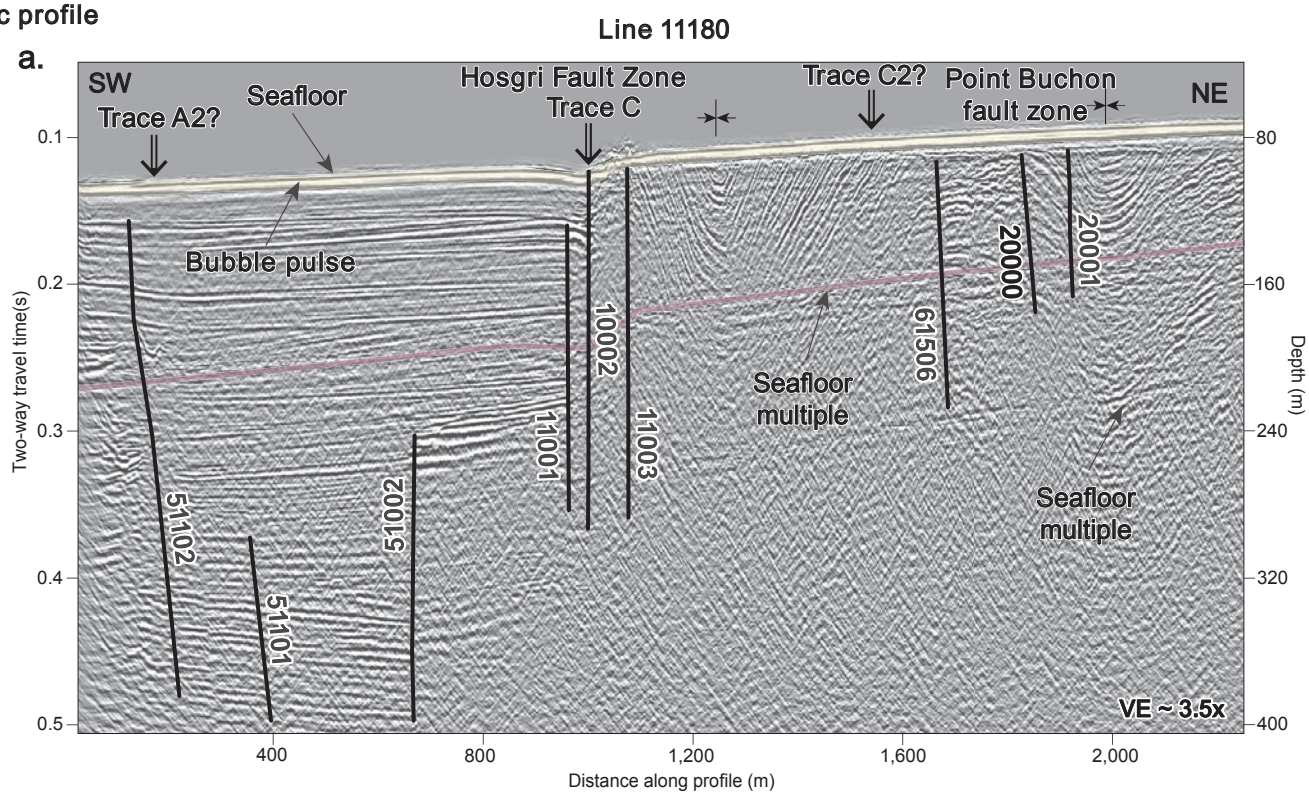
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Figure **6-3**

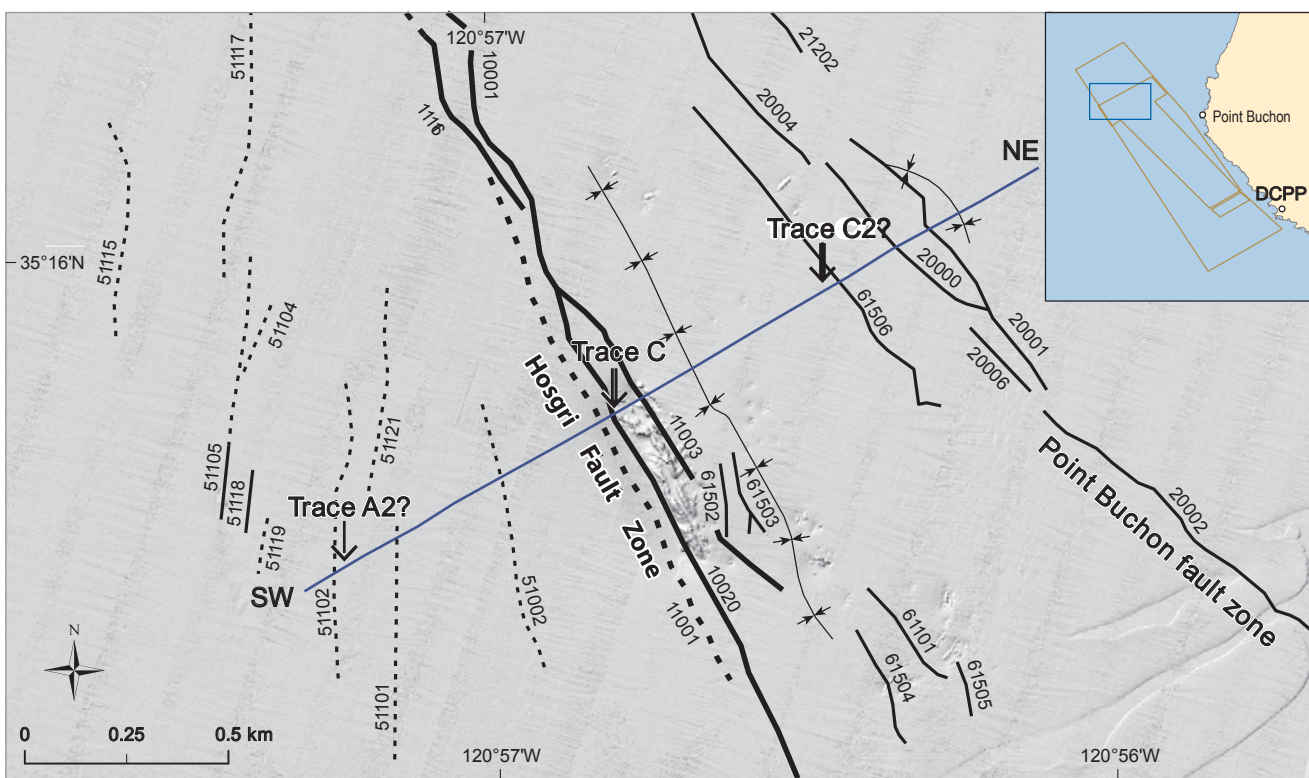
(a) Uninterpreted seismic profile



(b) Interpreted seismic profile



(c) Location map



Explanation

- Location of seismic profile shown on Plate 3b
- Faults, solid where well located, dashed where inferred or approximately located, dotted where buried by more than 20 milliseconds of undeformed strata
- ↓ Approximate positions of Hosgri fault traces from PG&E (2011b)
- ↔ Syncline
- ↕ Anticline
- Amplitude scale: High (dark) to Low (light)

Note: Depth values on seismic profile assume a velocity of 1,600 m/s.

**Vertical and Horizontal Geometry of Hosgri Fault Zone Strands in (a, b) 3D Seismic-Reflection Profile 11180 and on (c) MBES Bathymetry Map Within Northern Part of Survey Area**

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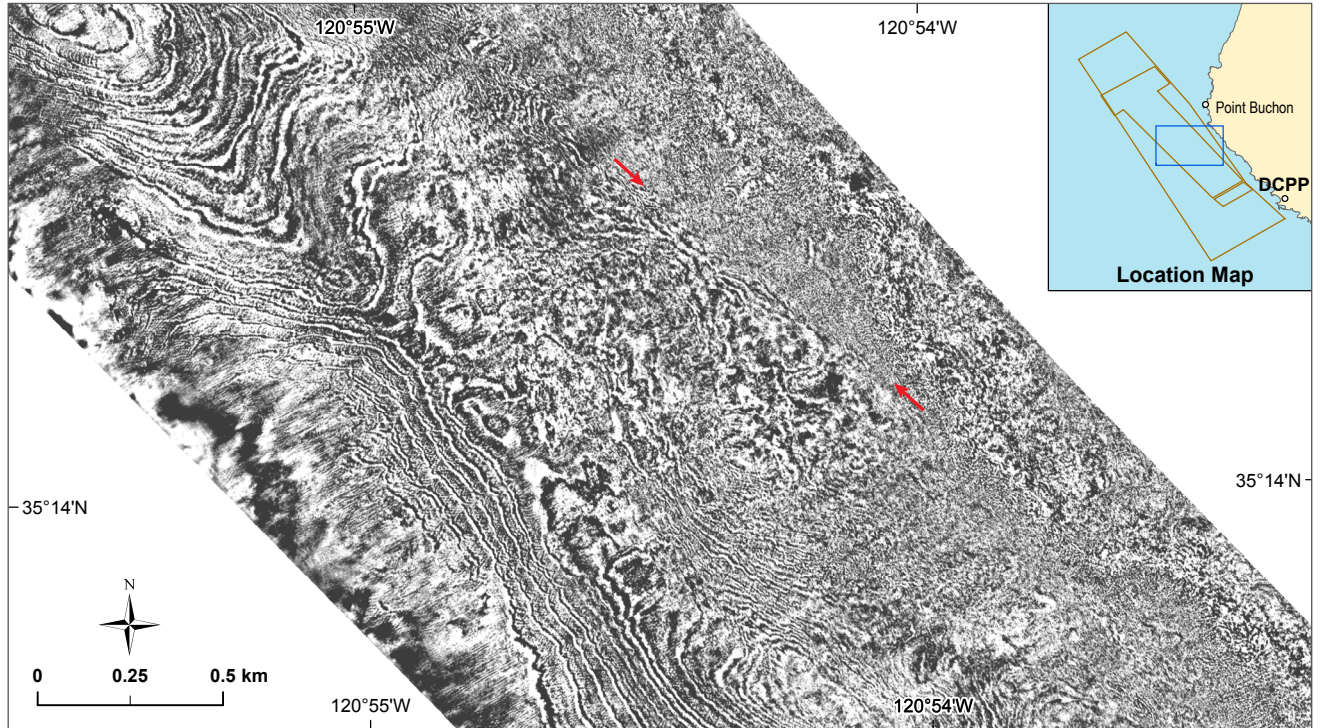


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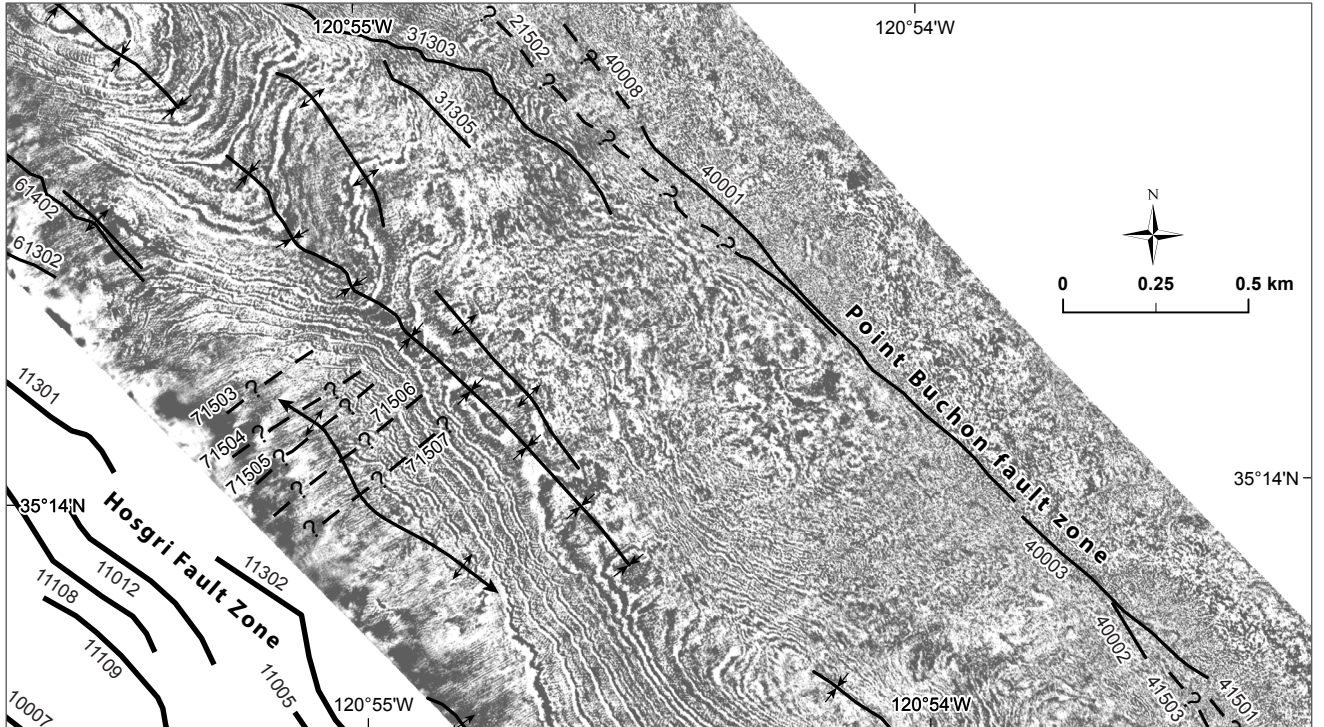
(a)

Uninterpreted



(b)

Interpreted



EXPLANATION

—?— Faults, solid where well located, dashed where inferred or approximately located, queried where uncertain, dotted where buried by more than 20 milliseconds of undeformed strata



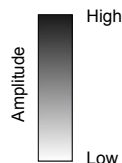
Syncline



Anticline



Point Buchon fault lineament



**Amplitude Time-Slice Maps at 95 ms (TWTT) in Southern Part of 3D Study Area Showing (a) Uninterpreted and (b) Interpreted Strands of the Point Buchon Fault Zone**

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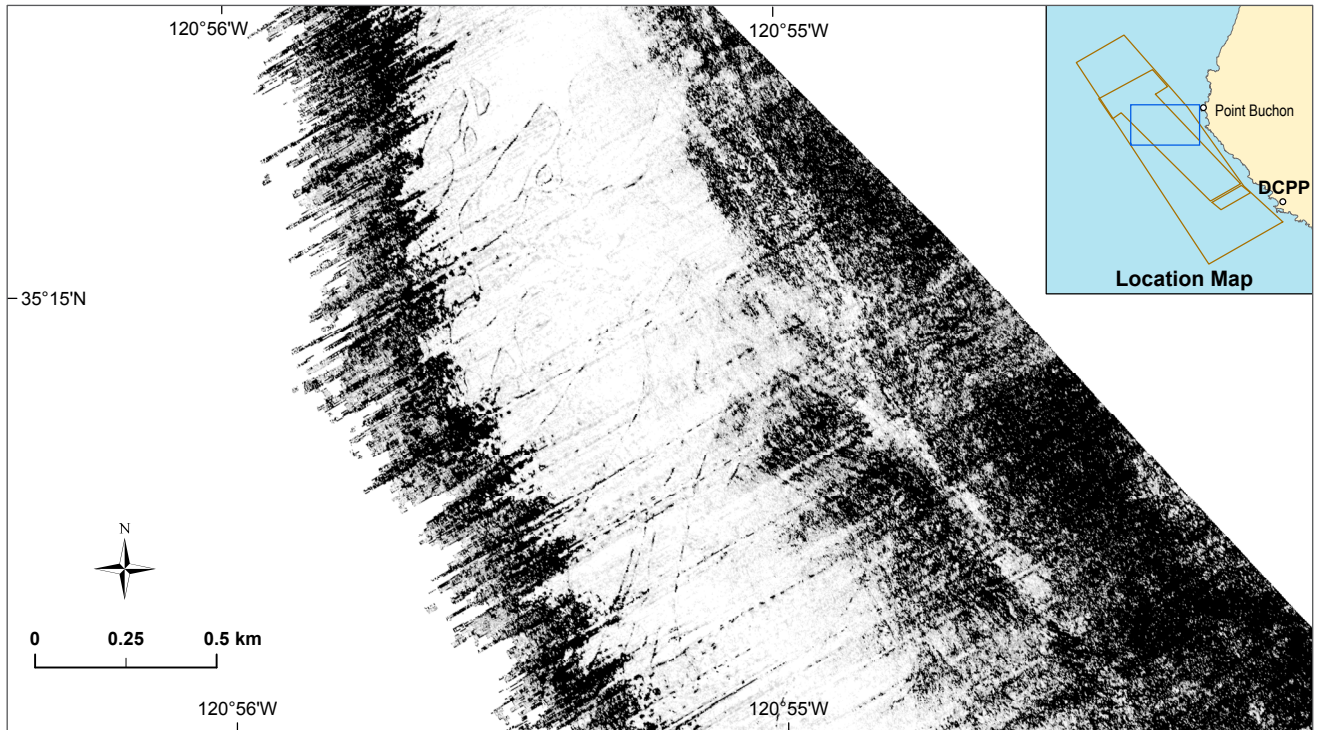
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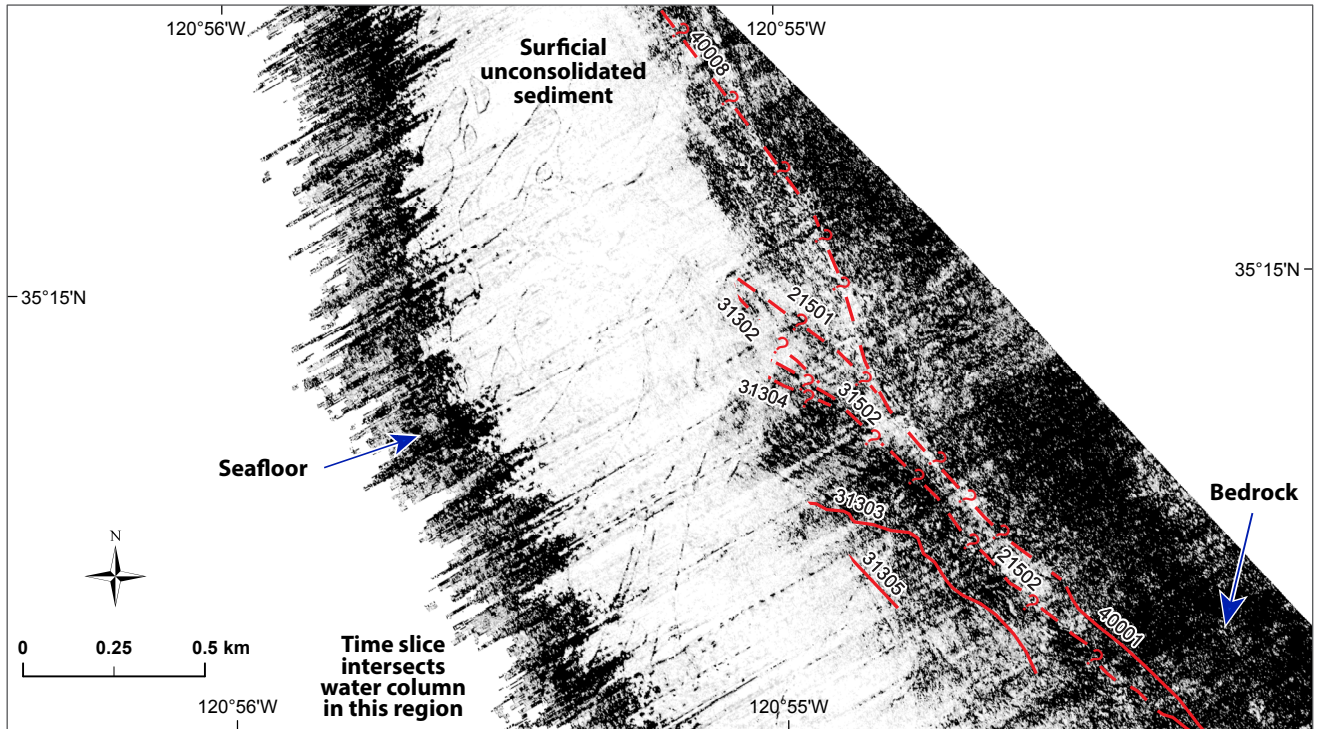
(a)

Uninterpreted



(b)

Interpreted

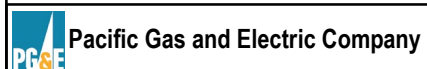


**EXPLANATION**

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**Fault Strands Associated with Fault Intersection of Point Buchon Fault Zone Shown in (a) Uninterpreted and (b) Interpreted Similarity Time Slices at 74 ms (TWTT)**

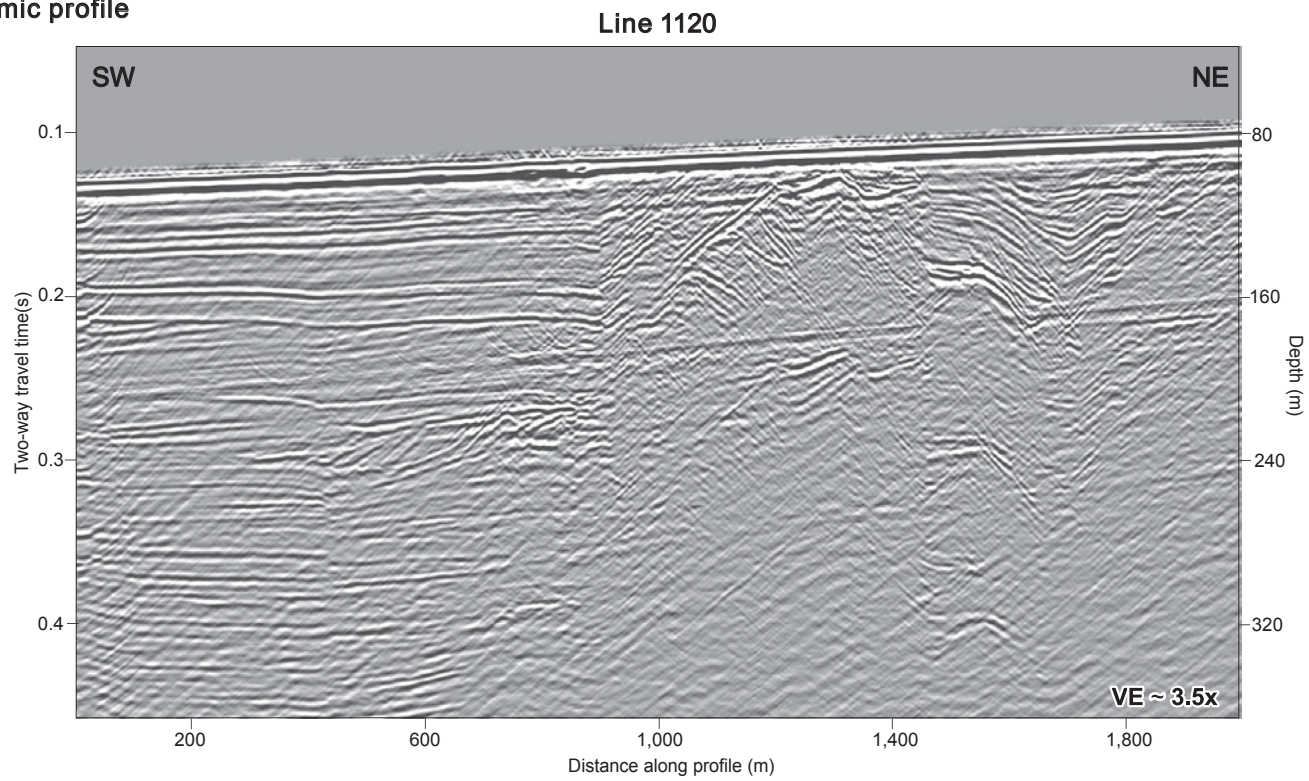
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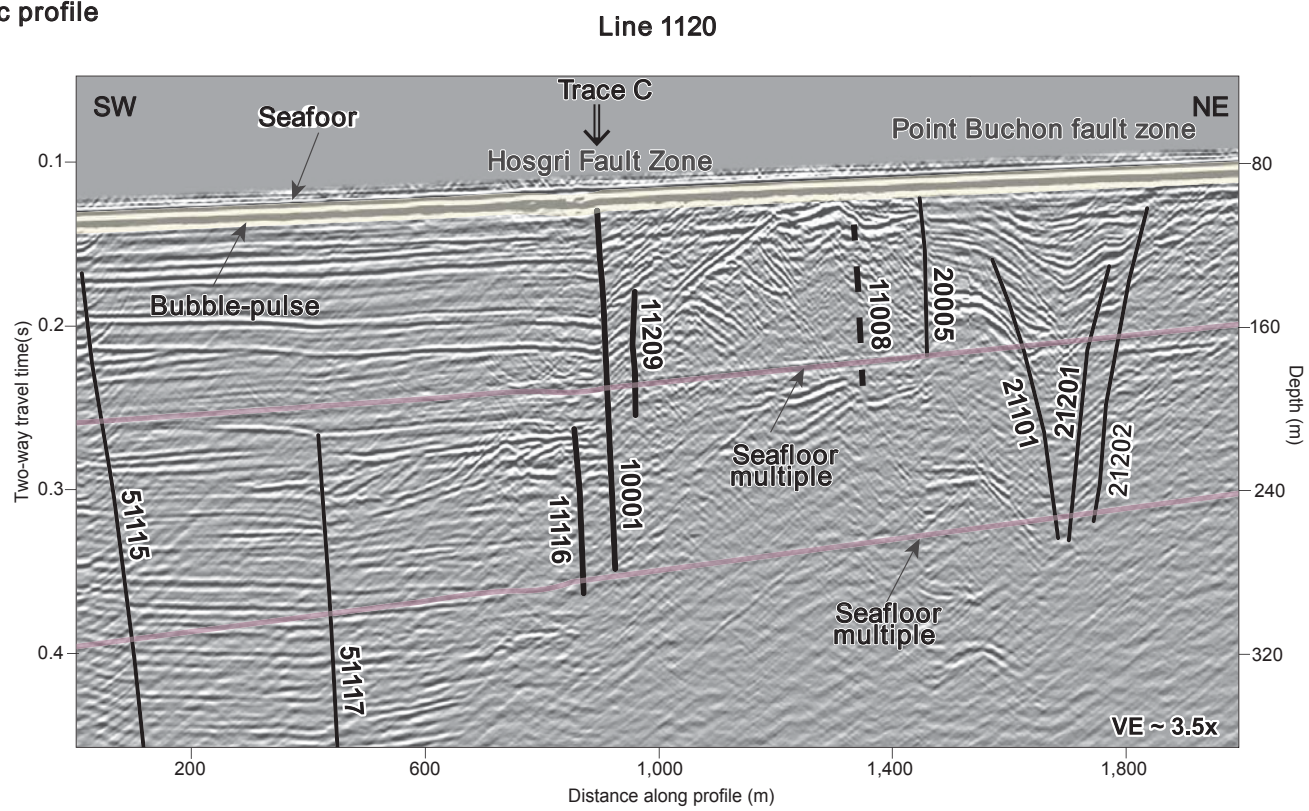
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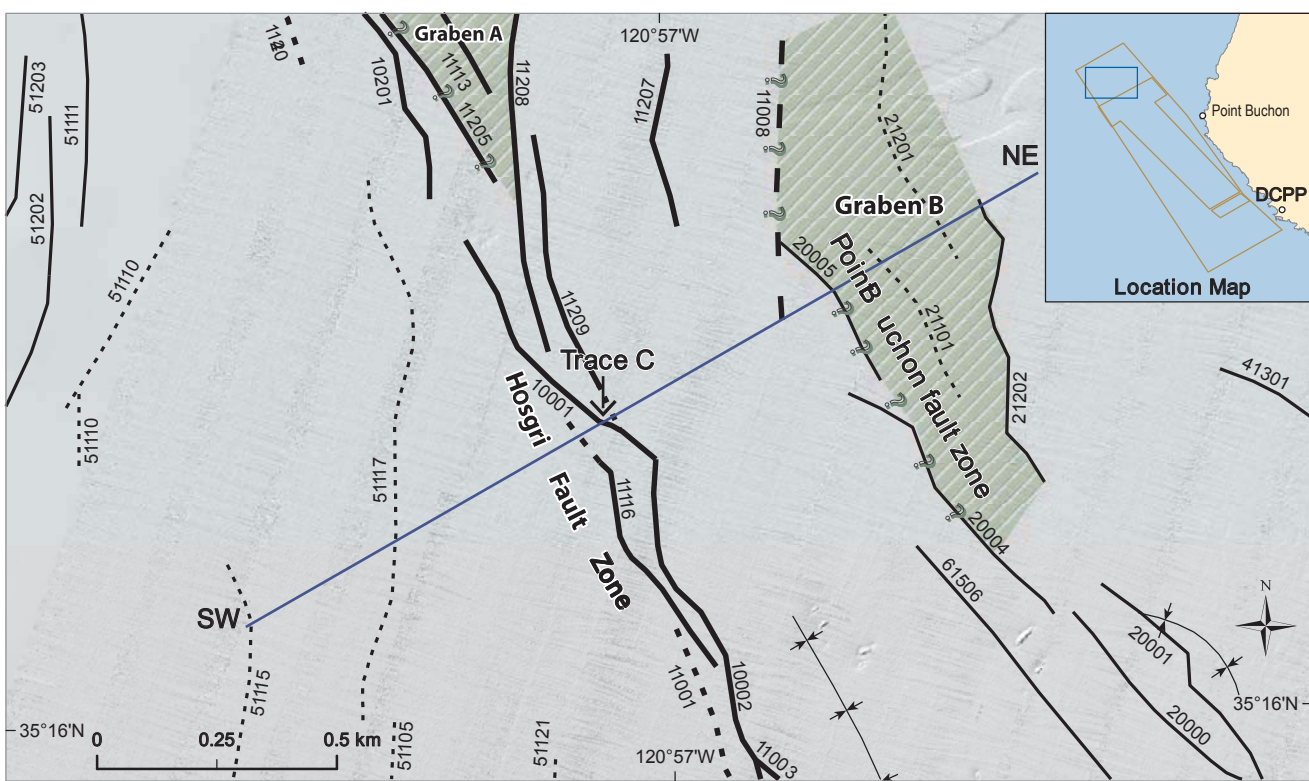
(a) Uninterpreted seismic profile



(b) Interpreted seismic profile

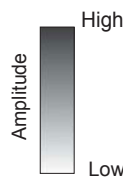


(c) Location map



**Explanation**

- Location of seismic profile shown on Plate 3b
- Faults, solid where well located, dashed where inferred or approximately located, dotted where buried by more than 20 milliseconds of undeformed strata
- ▨ Graben, queried where full extent is uncertain



Note: Depth values on seismic profile assume a velocity of 1,600 m/s.

**Graben at Northern End of Point Buchon Fault Zone Shown on (a, b) 2D Seismic-Reflection Profile 1120 and (c) MBES Bathymetry**

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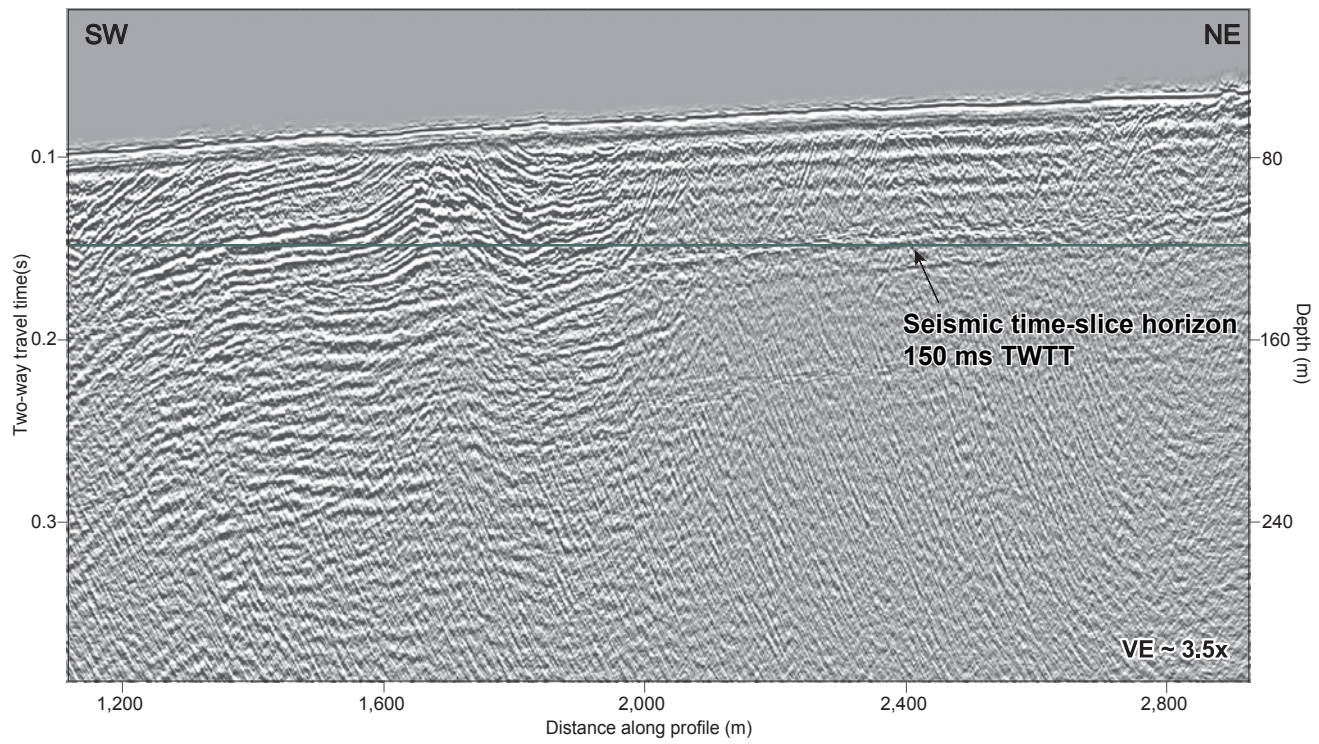


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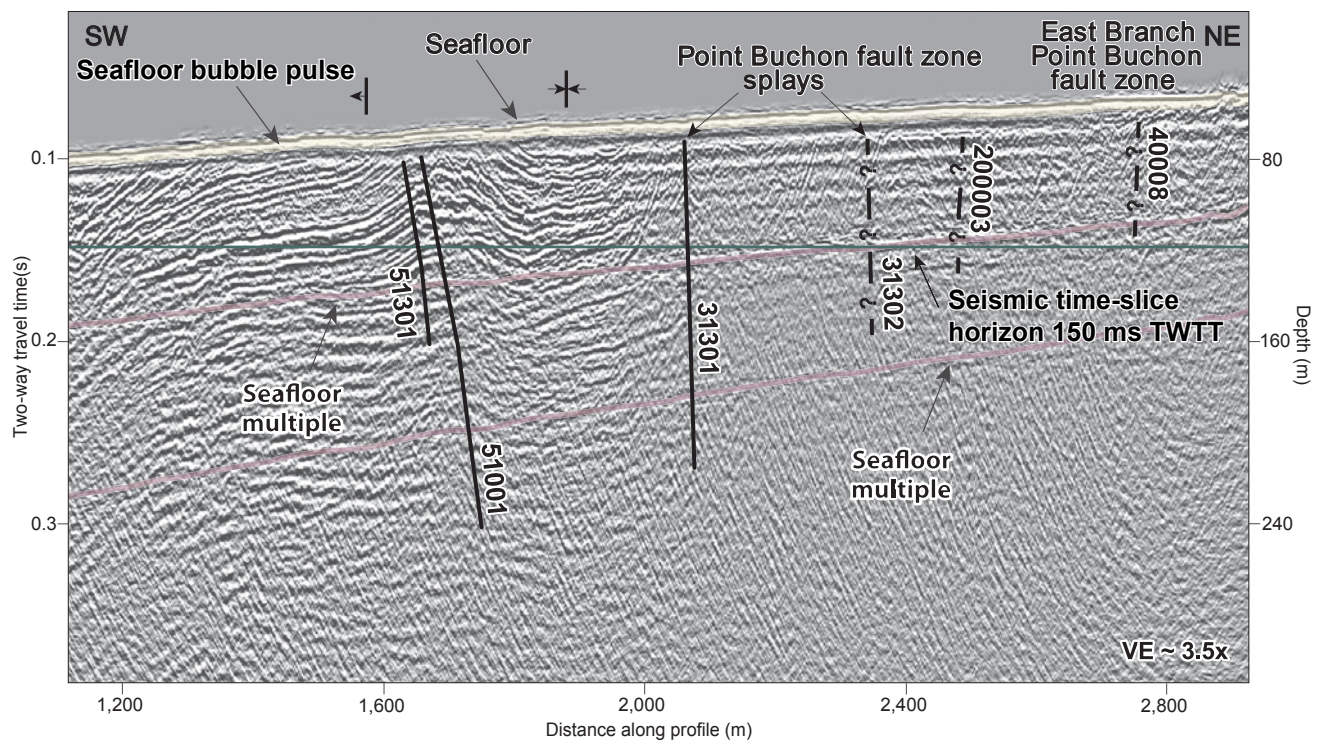
(a) Uninterpreted seismic profile

Line 11820

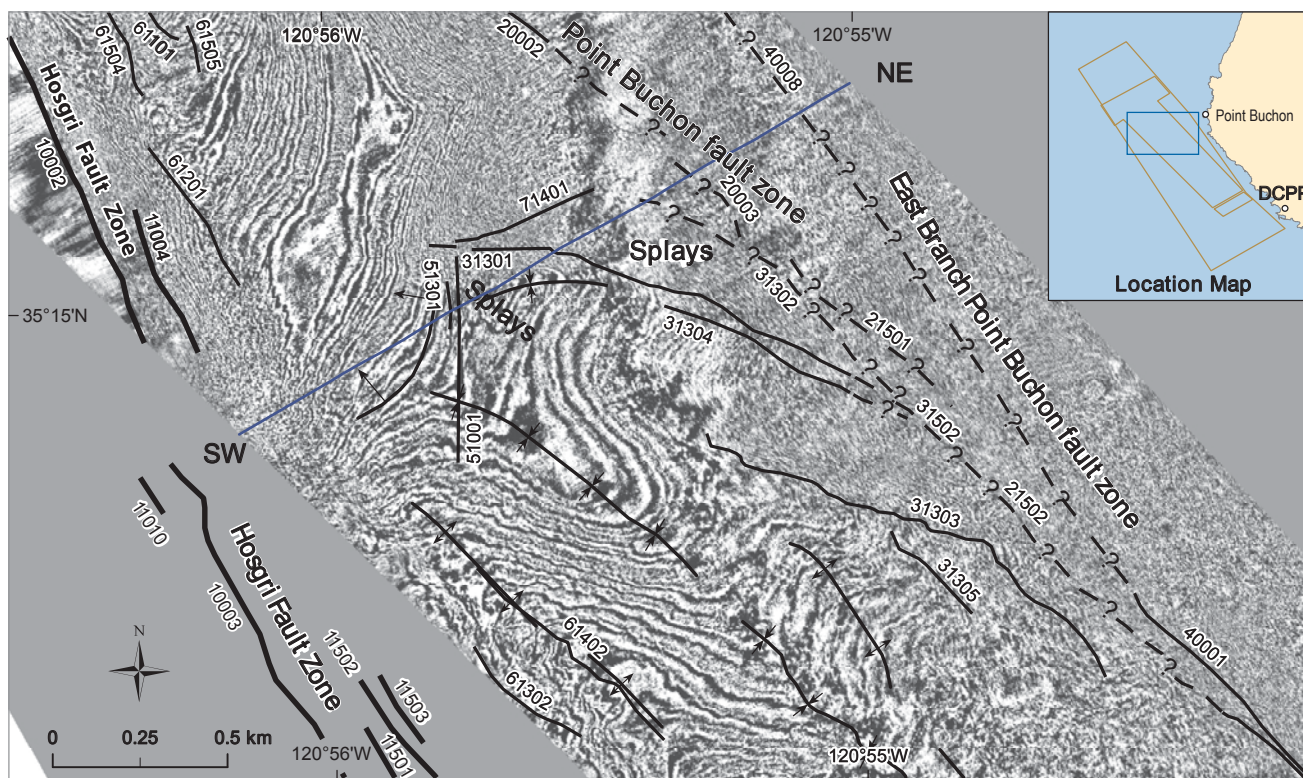


(b) Interpreted seismic profile

Line 11820

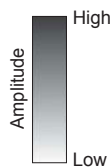


(c) Location map



**Explanation**

- Location of seismic profile shown on Plate 3b
- Time slice horizon
- Faults, solid where well located, dashed where inferred or approximately located, queried where uncertain, dotted where buried by more than 20 milliseconds of undeformed strata
- ✦ Syncline   ✧ Anticline   ▲ Monocline



Note: Depth values on seismic profile assume a velocity of 1,600 m/s.

**Structure Associated with Northern Part of Point Buchon Fault Zone Shown in (a, b) 3D Seismic-Reflection Profile 11820 and (c) Amplitude Time Slice at 150 ms (TWTT)**

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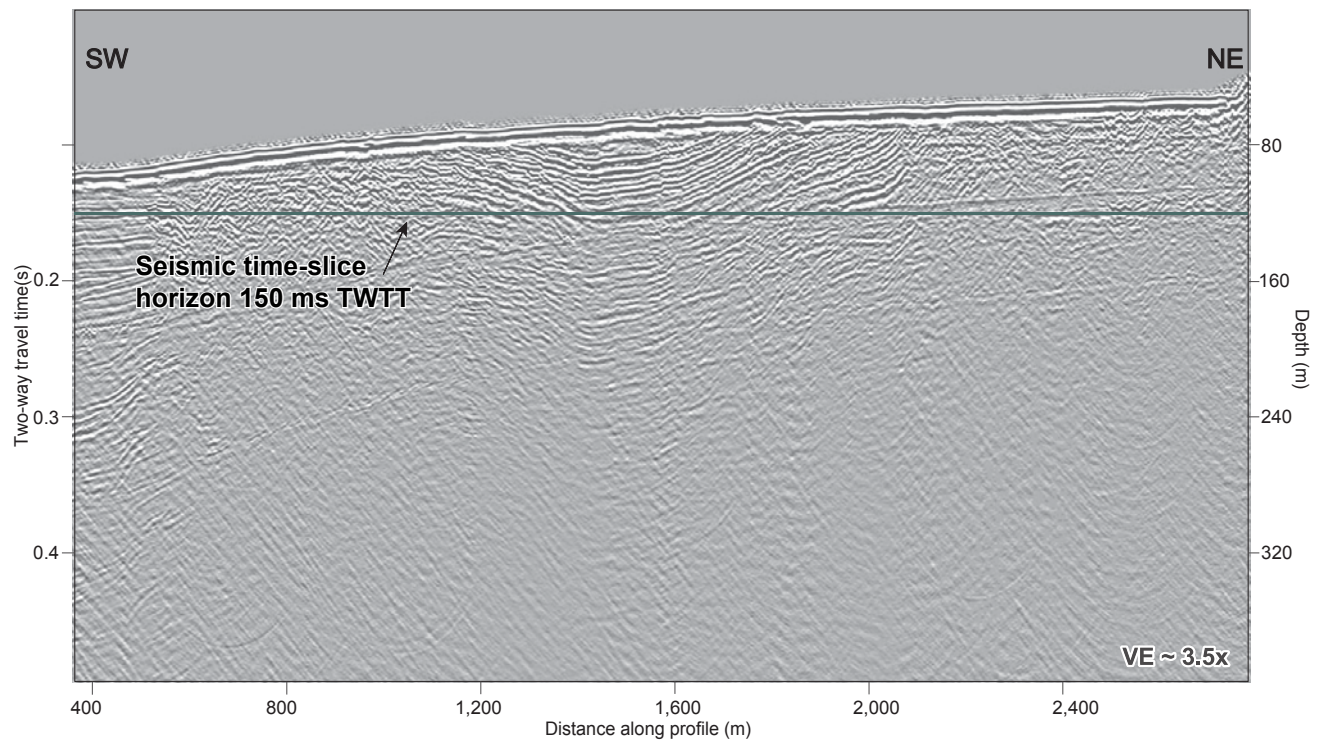


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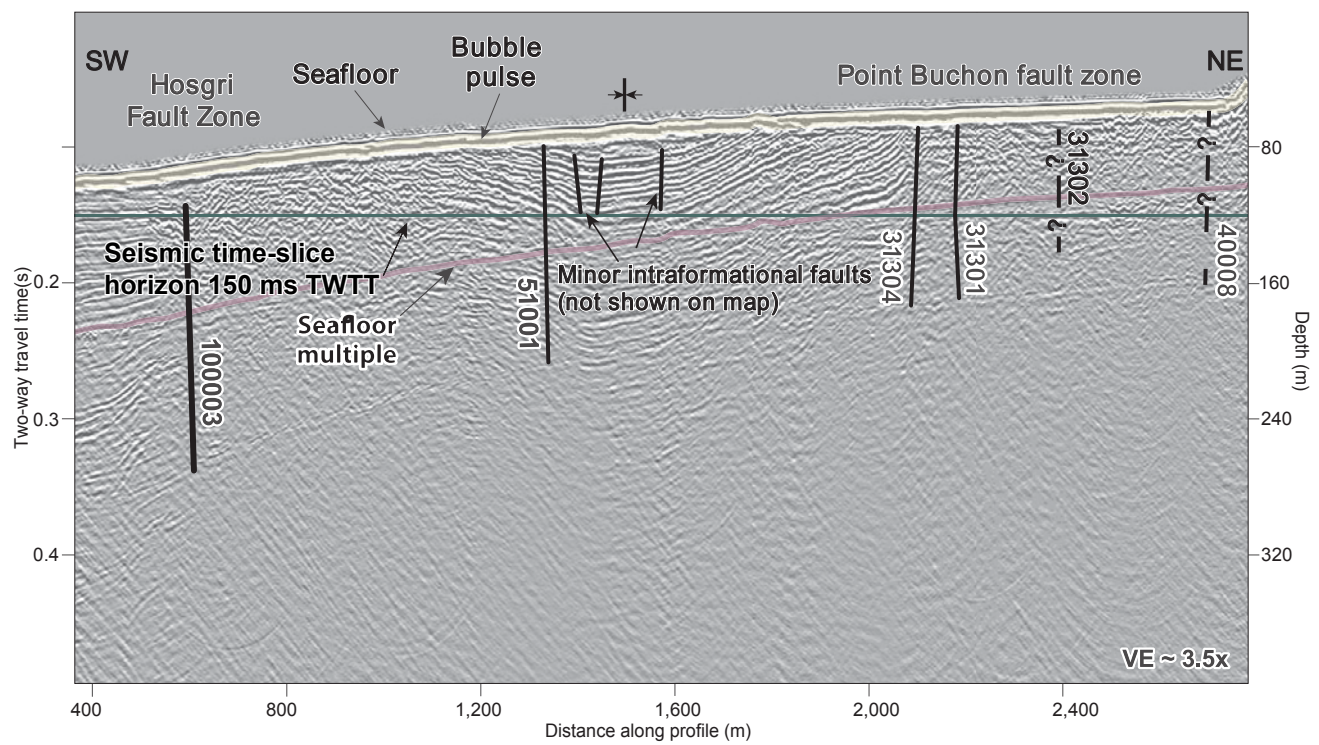
(a) Uninterpreted seismic profile

Line 1399

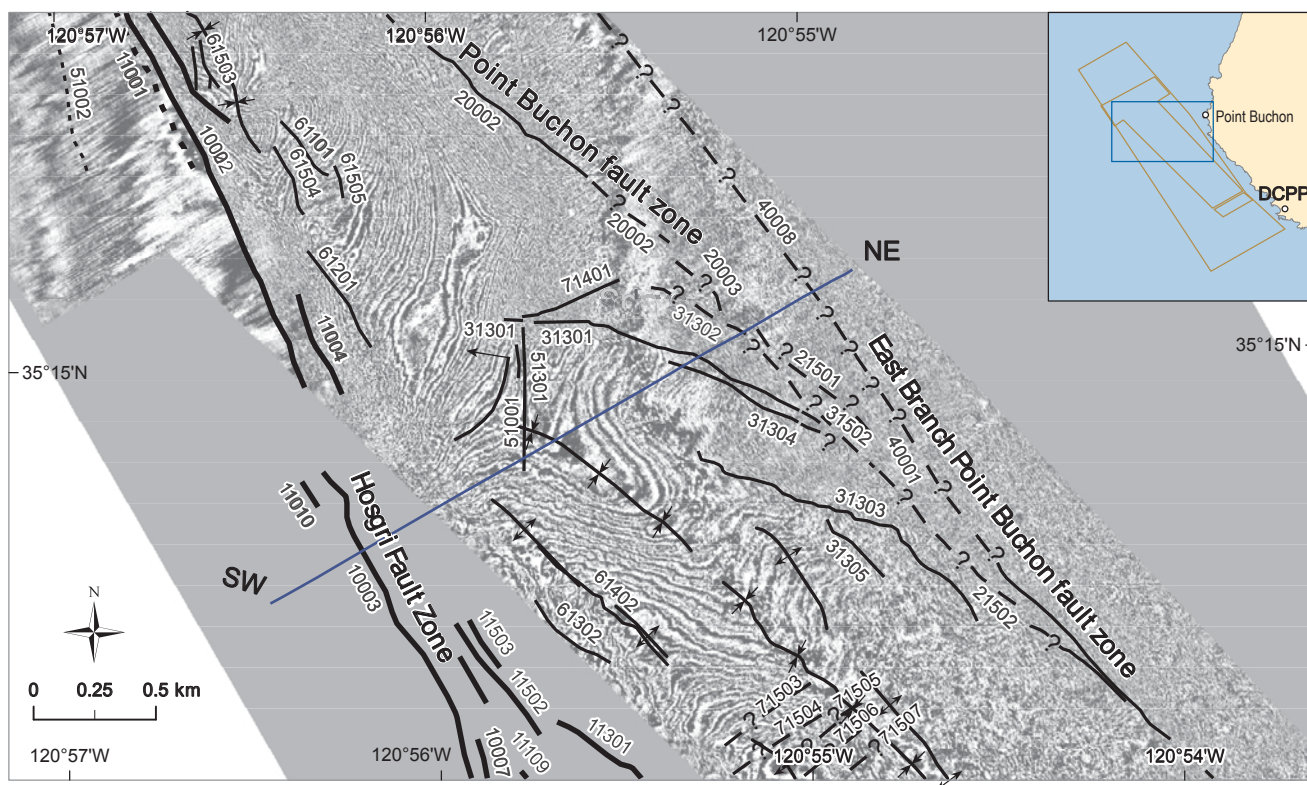


(b) Interpreted seismic profile

Line 1399



(c) Location map



EXPLANATION

- Location of seismic profile shown on Plate 3b
  - Time slice horizon
  - Faults, solid where well located, dashed where inferred or approximately located, queried where uncertain, dotted where buried by more than 20 milliseconds of undeformed strata
  - ⊕ Syncline   ⊕ Anticline   ⊕ Monocline
- Amplitude scale: High (dark) to Low (light)

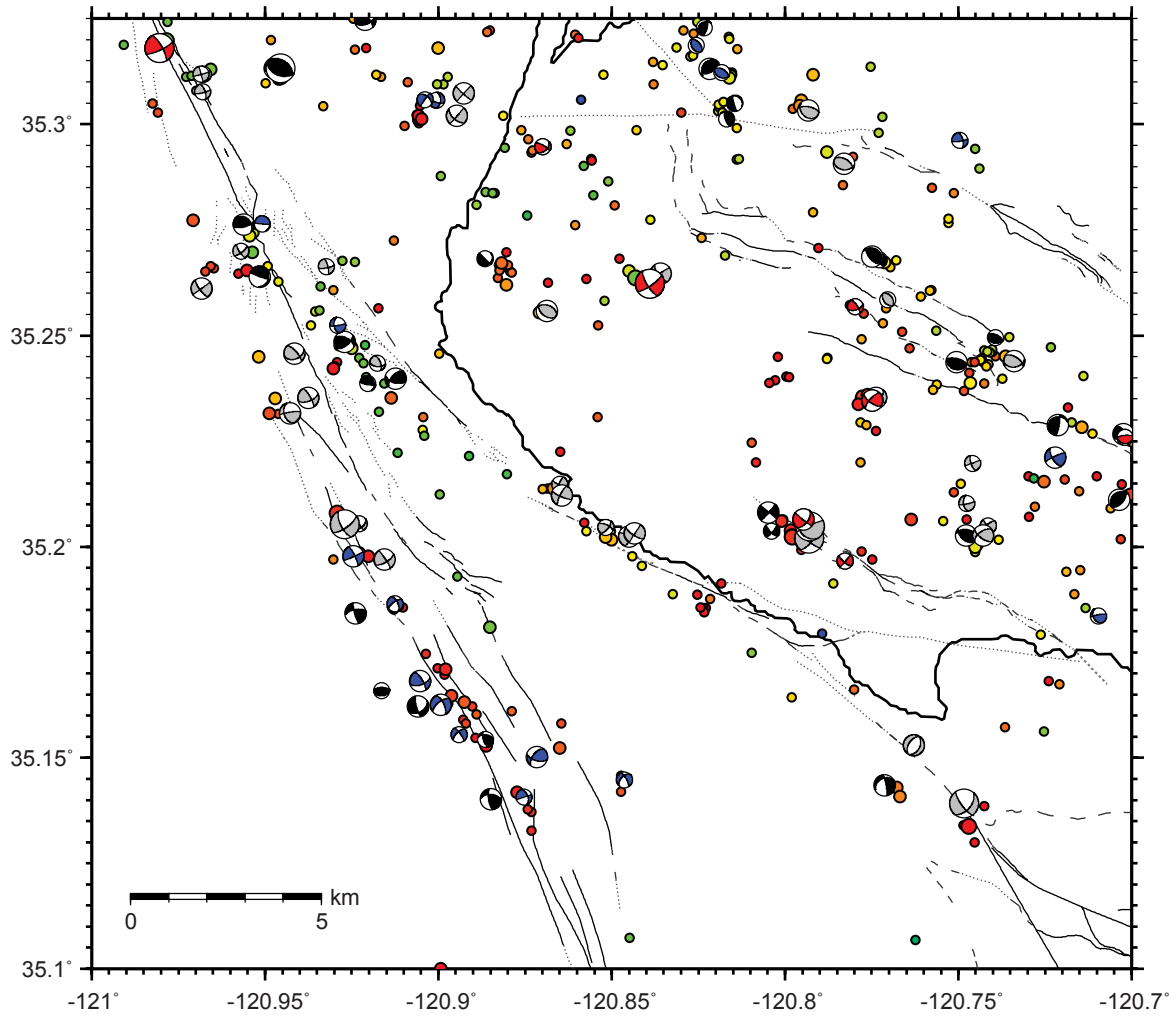
Note: Depth values on seismic profile assume a velocity of 1,600 m/s.

Principal Structural Elements in Northern Part of Study Area Showing Faults and Folds in (a, b) 2D Seismic-Reflection Profile 1399 and on (c) Amplitude Time-Slice Map at 150 ms (TWTT)

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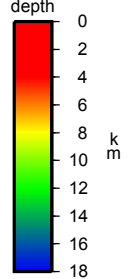


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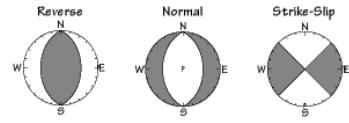


**EXPLANATION**

- Earthquakes  
 magnitude  
 ○ < 2.0  
 ○ 2.0 - 2.99  
 ○ 3.0 - 3.99



- Focal Mechanisms
- < 2.0
  - 2.0 - 2.9
  - 3.0 - 3.9
  - Hash Quality A,B,C  
Hardebeck, 2010  
(HASH; Hardebeck and Shearer, 2002)
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**Seismicity and Focal Mechanisms  
in the Study Area**

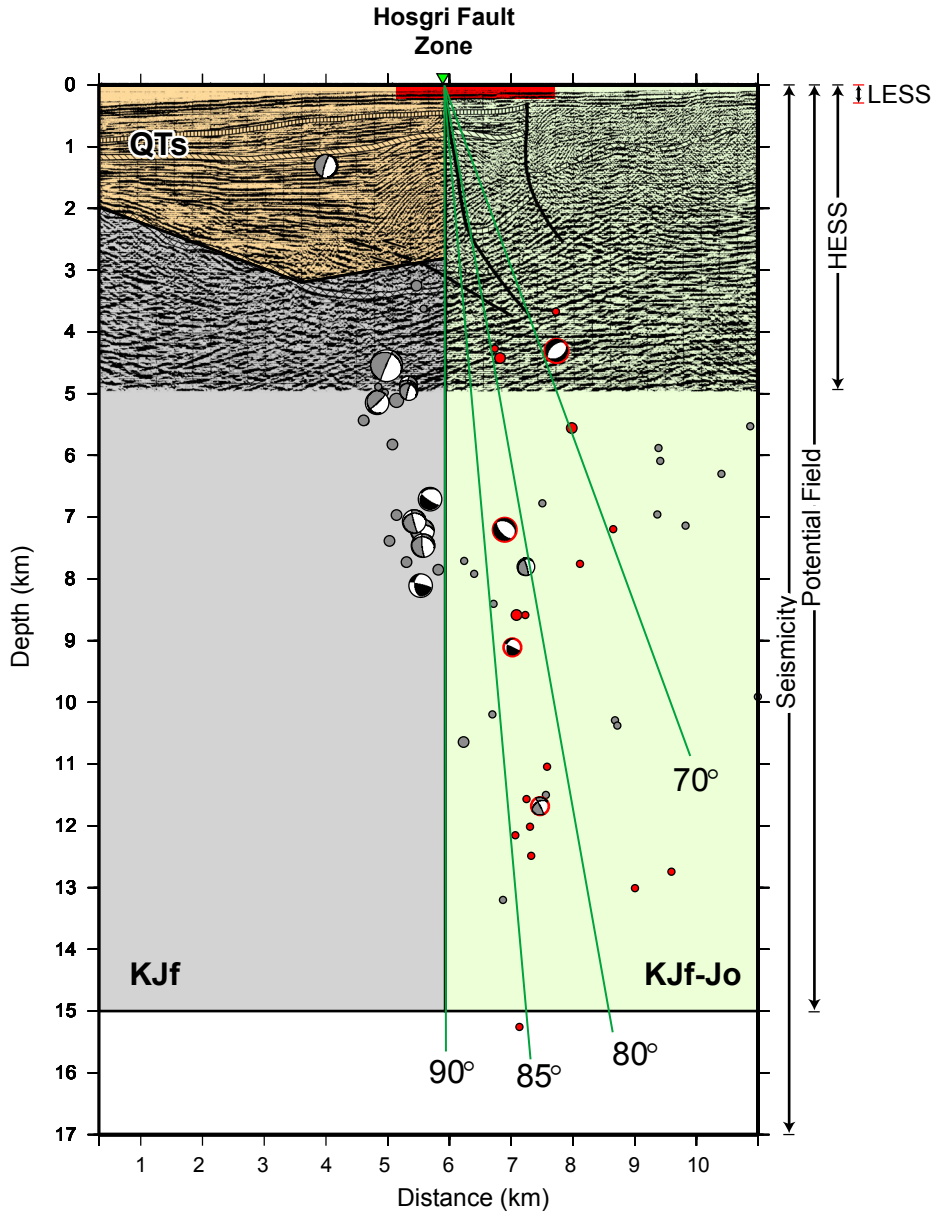
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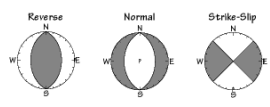
**EXPLANATION**

- QTs: Quaternary-Tertiary sedimentary rocks
- KJf: Cretaceous-Jurassic Franciscan Complex
- KJf-Jo: Cretaceous-Jurassic Franciscan Complex-Jurassic ophiolites

**Focal Mechanisms      Magnitudes**

- <2.0
- 2.0 - 2.9
- 3.0 - 3.9
- < 2.0
- 2.0 - 2.99
- 3.0 - 3.99

- Hash Quality A,B,C  
Hardebeck, 2010 (HASH);  
Hardebeck and Shearer, 2002)
- Hash Quality D  
Hardebeck, 2010 (HASH);  
Hardebeck and Shearer, 2002)
- FPFIT  
NCEDC, 2010 (Reasenber  
and Oppenheimer, 1985)



Notes: Earthquake relocations from Hardebeck (2010). Possible Hosgri fault zone dip angles are shown. Focal mechanisms are from 1-D (FPFIT) and 3-D (HASH) locations. Focal Mechanism symbols are associated with adjacent earthquake locations.

**Seismicity in Relation to Depth of 3D/2D  
Seismic Reflection and Potential Field Imaging**

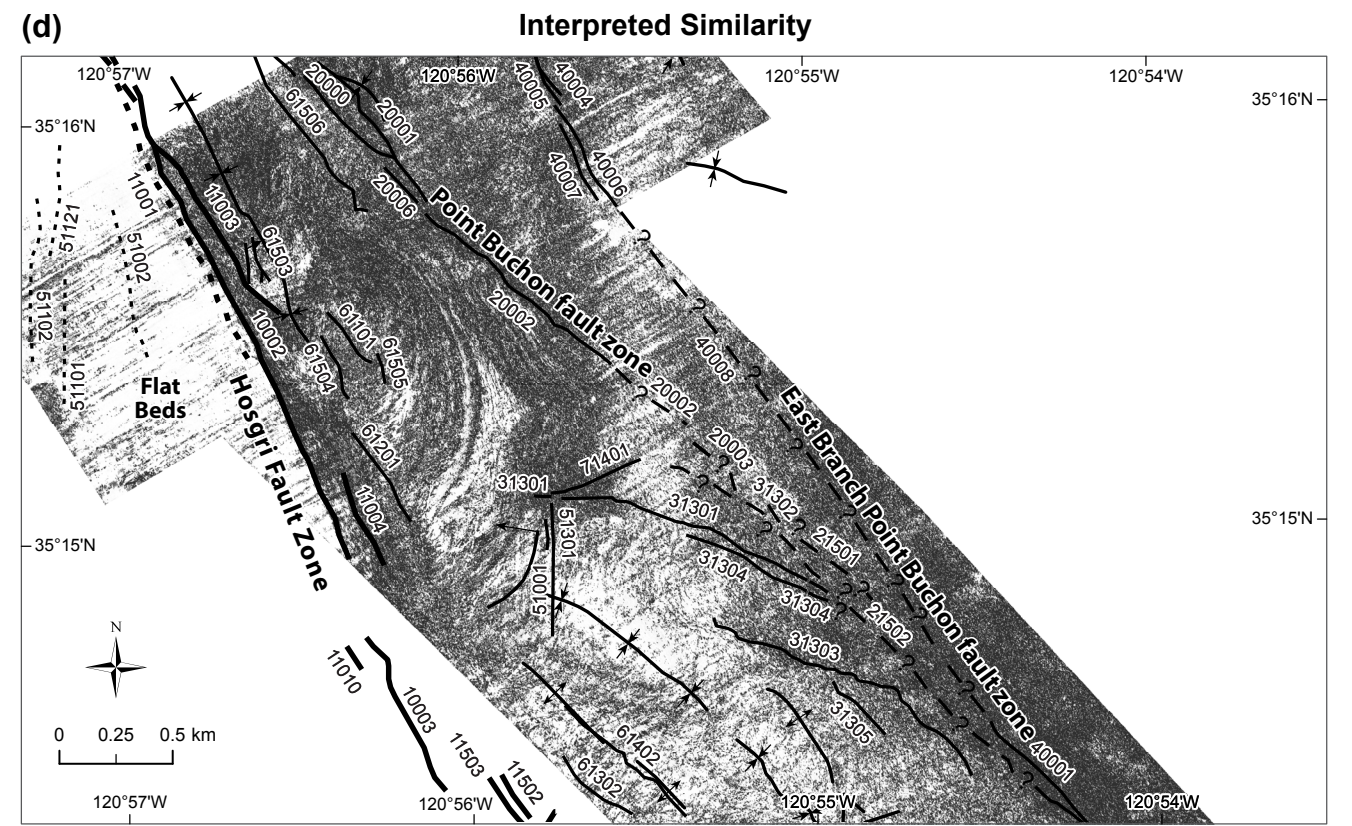
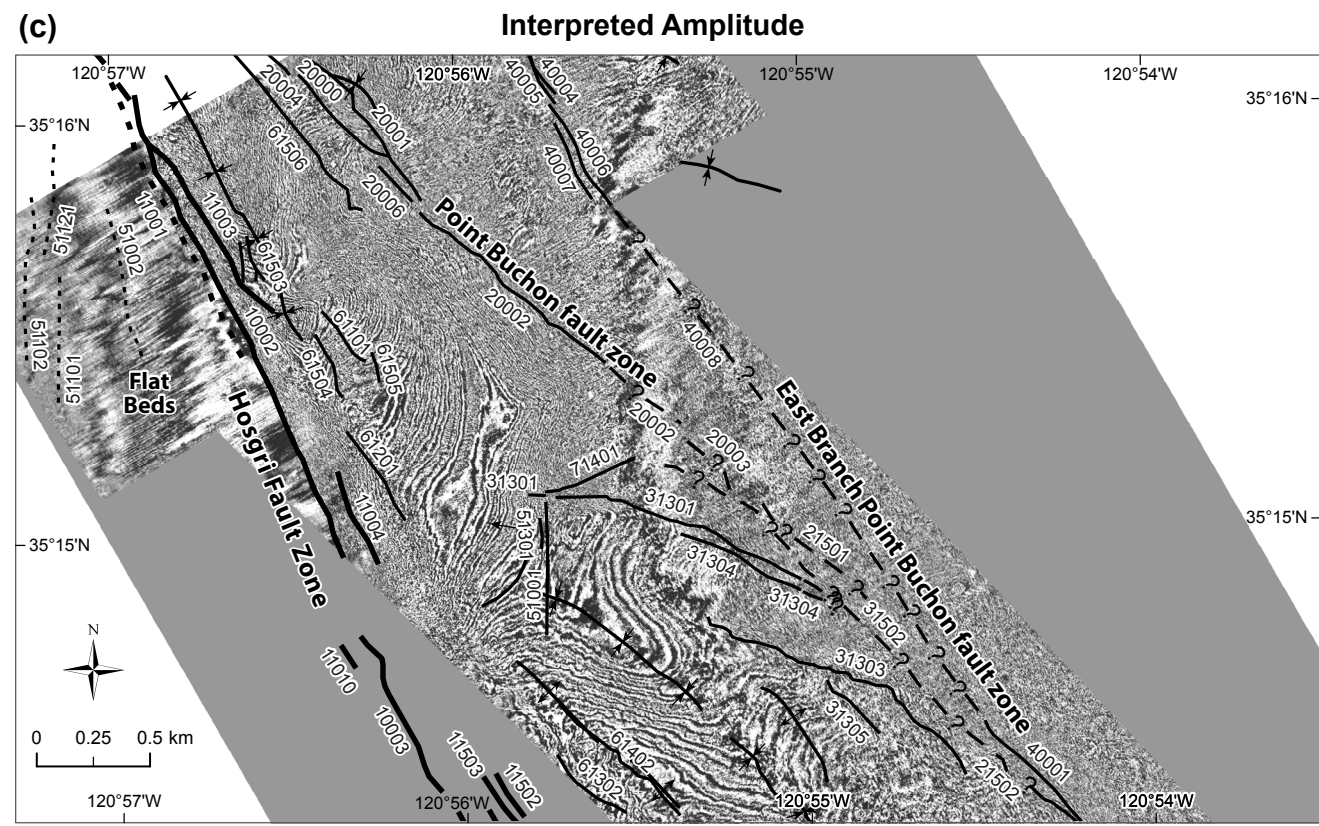
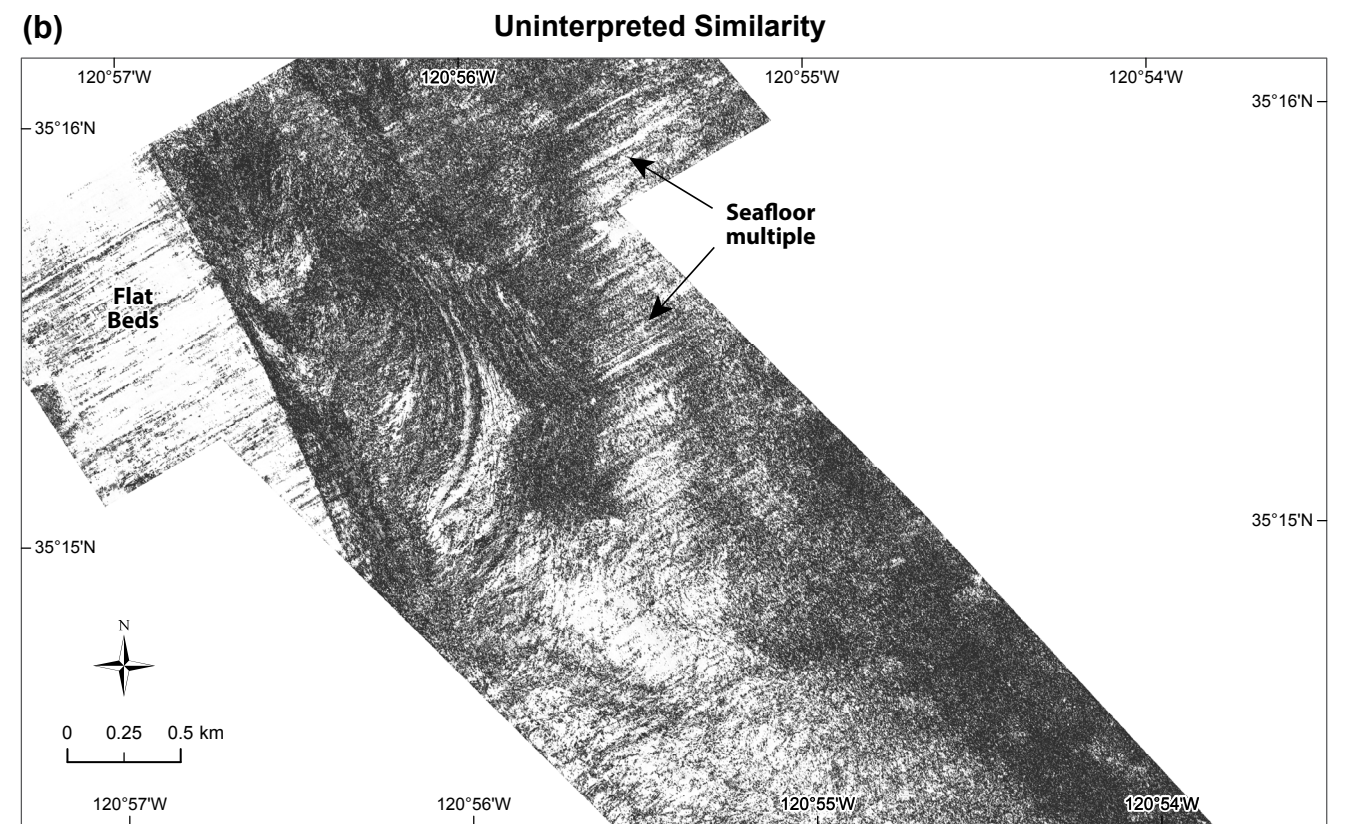
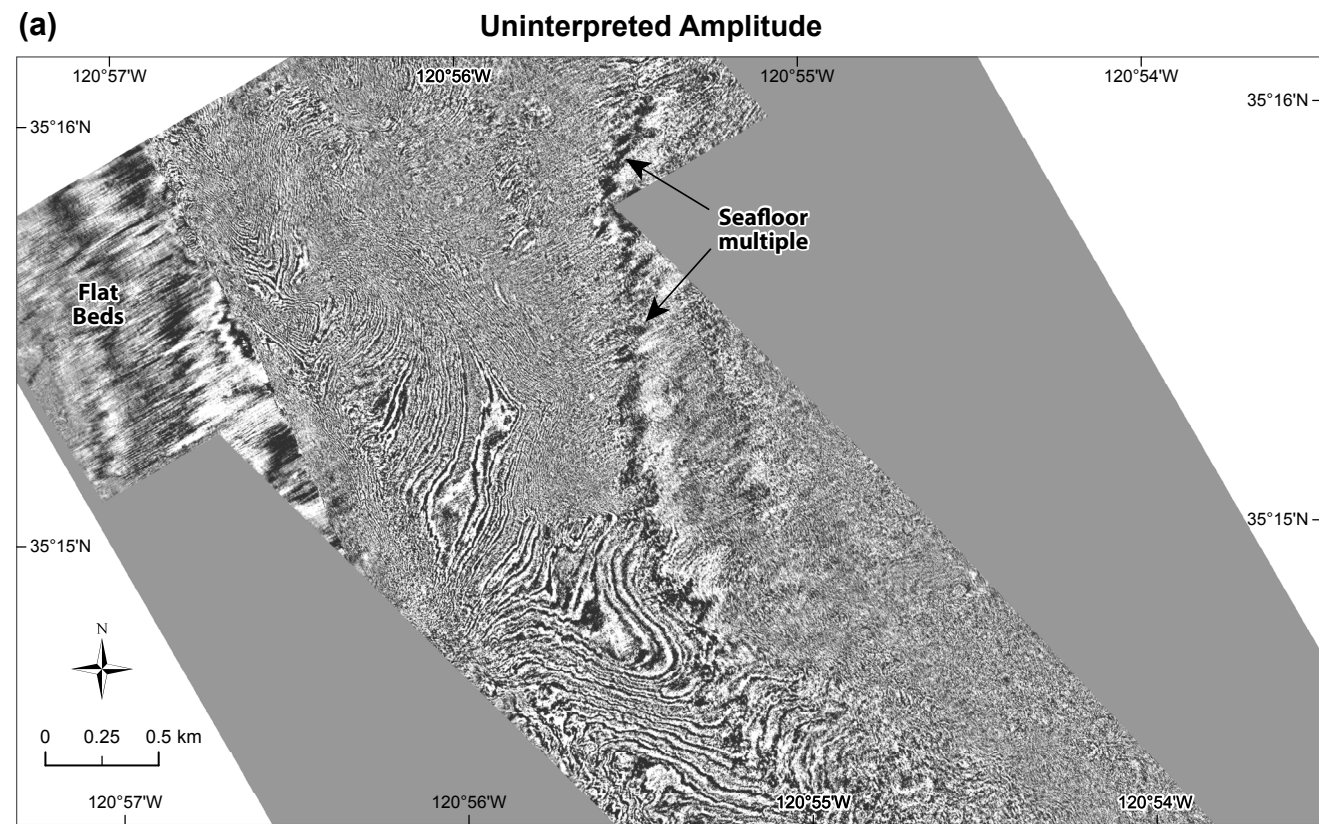
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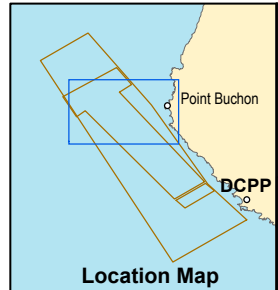
**Figure 7-1**



Map projections: UTM Zone 10N, WGS 84

**EXPLANATION**

- ?--- Faults, solid where well located, dashed where inferred or approximately located, queried where uncertain, dotted where buried by more than 20 milliseconds of undeformed strata
- ⋈ Syncline
- ⋈ Anticline
- ⋈ Monocline
- Amplitude
- High
- Low

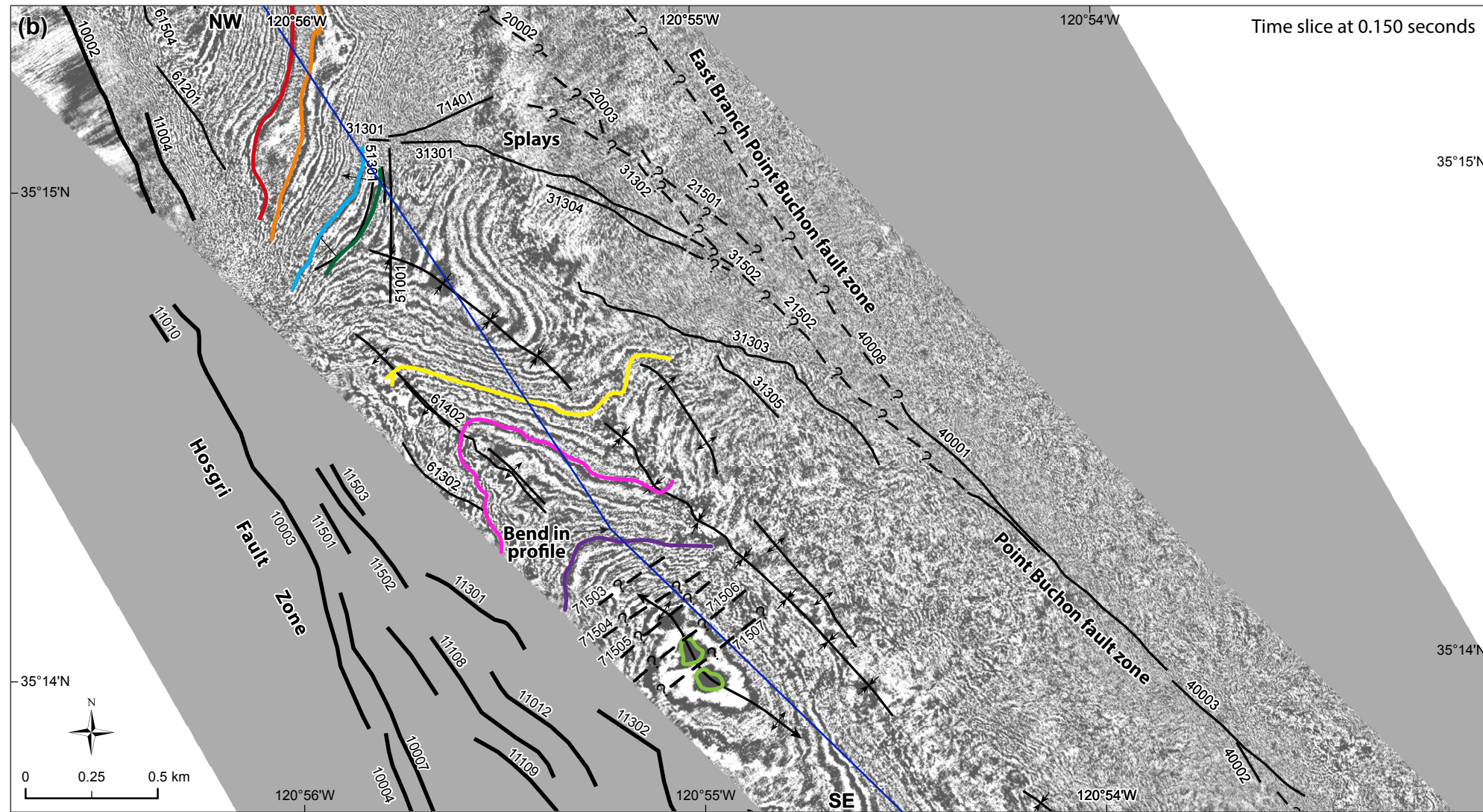
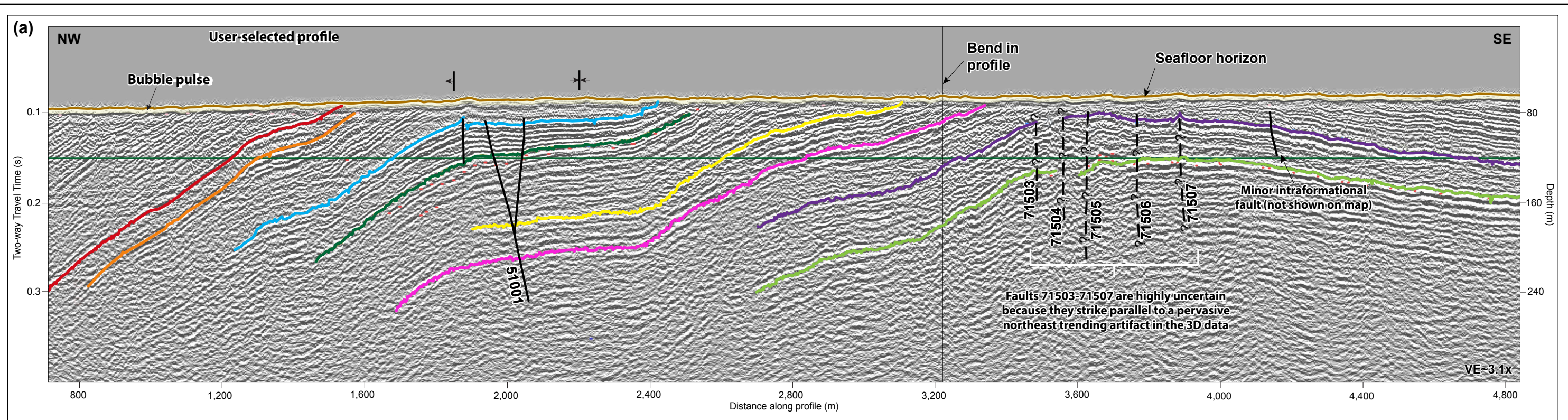


**Comparison of Amplitude and Similarity Time Slices at 150 ms Showing Uninterpreted Data (a and b) and Interpreted Maps (c and d)**

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**EXPLANATION**

- Location of seismic profile shown on Plate 3b
- Time slice horizon
- Faults, solid where well located, dashed where inferred or approximately located, queried where uncertain, dotted where buried by more than 20 milliseconds of undeformed strata

**Horizon Name**

- H05A
- H05B
- H15
- H20
- H25
- H30
- H35
- H40

- Monocline
- Anticline
- Syncline

Note: Depth values on seismic profile assume a velocity of 1,600 m/s.

**Marker Horizons Identified in (a) User-Selected 3D Strike Line and (b) Mapped on Amplitude Time Slice at 150 ms (TWTT)**

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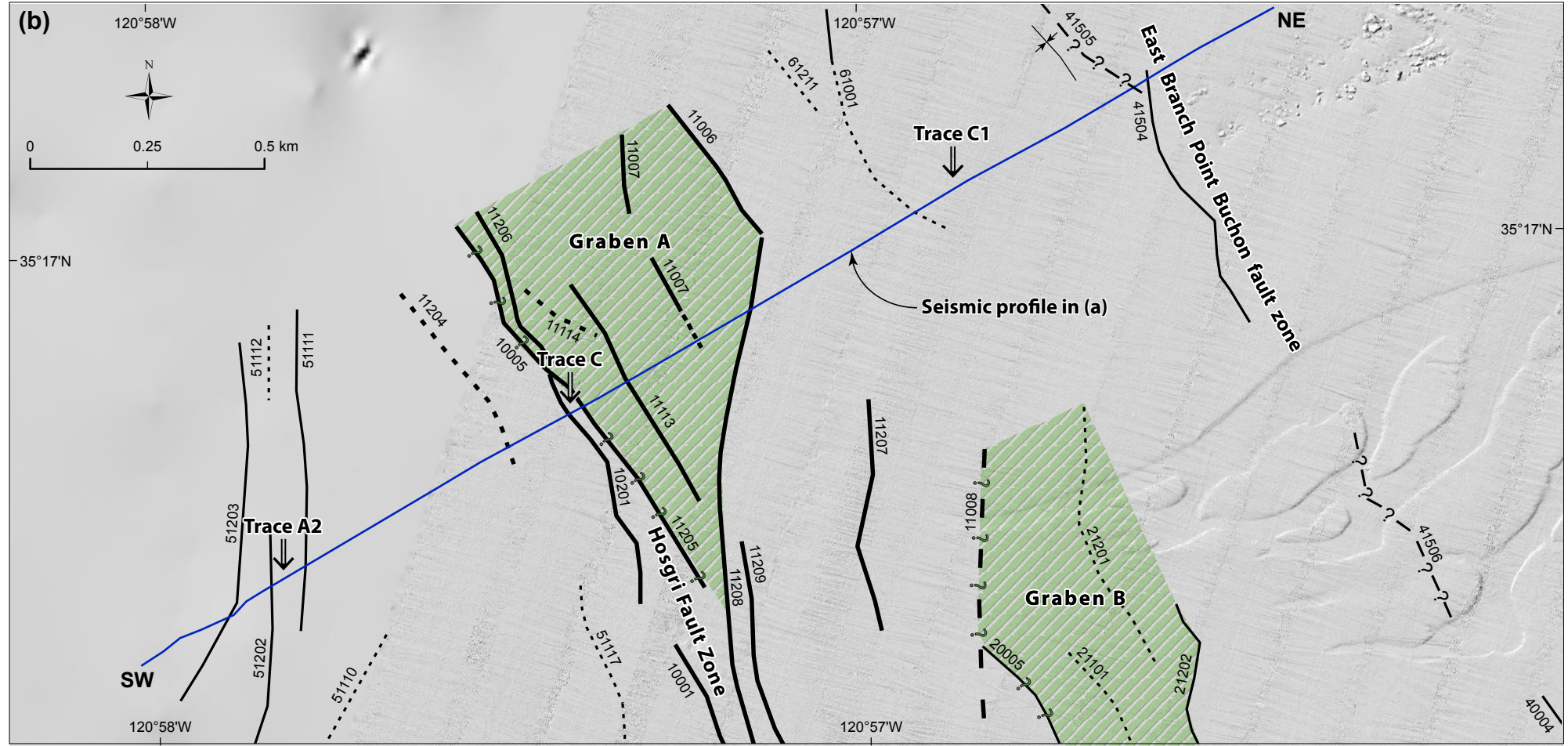
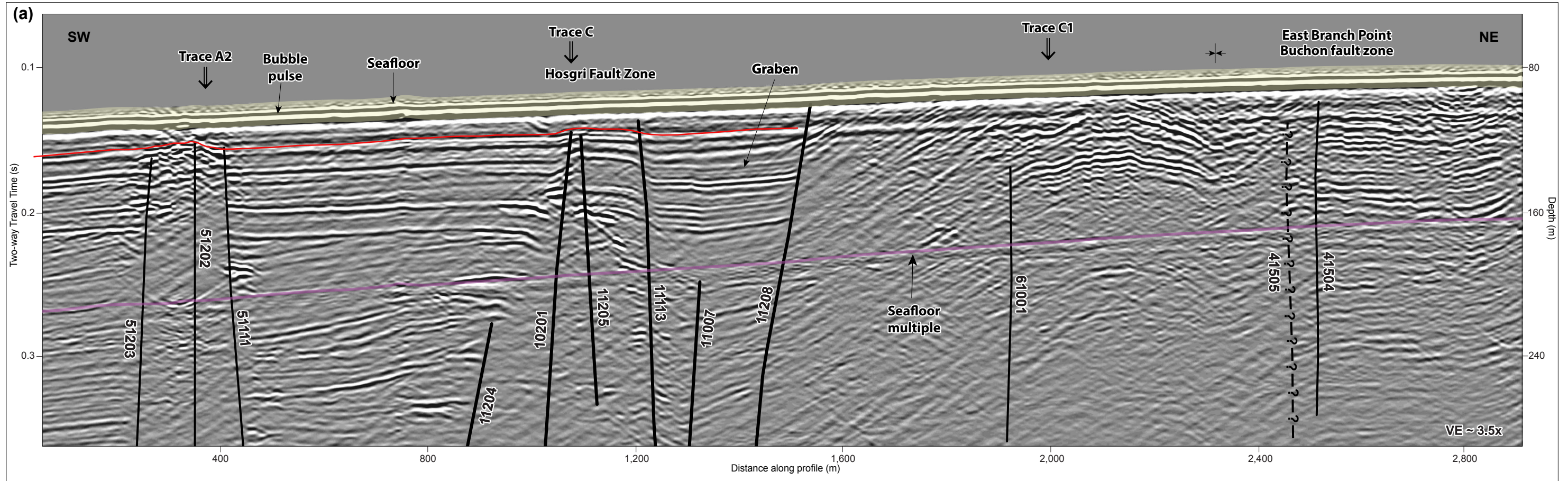
Foldout **B**

Location Map

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### EXPLANATION

- Location of seismic profile as shown on Plate 3b
- Shallow unconformity described in text
- - - Faults, solid where well located, dashed where inferred or approximately located, queried where uncertain, dotted where buried by more than 20 milliseconds of undeformed strata
- ↓ Approximate location of Hosgri fault traces from PG&E (2011b)
- ▨ Graben, queried where full extent is uncertain
- ↕ Syncline
- ↕ Anticline
- ↕ Monocline

Amplitude

Note: Depth values on seismic profile assume a velocity of 1,600 m/s.

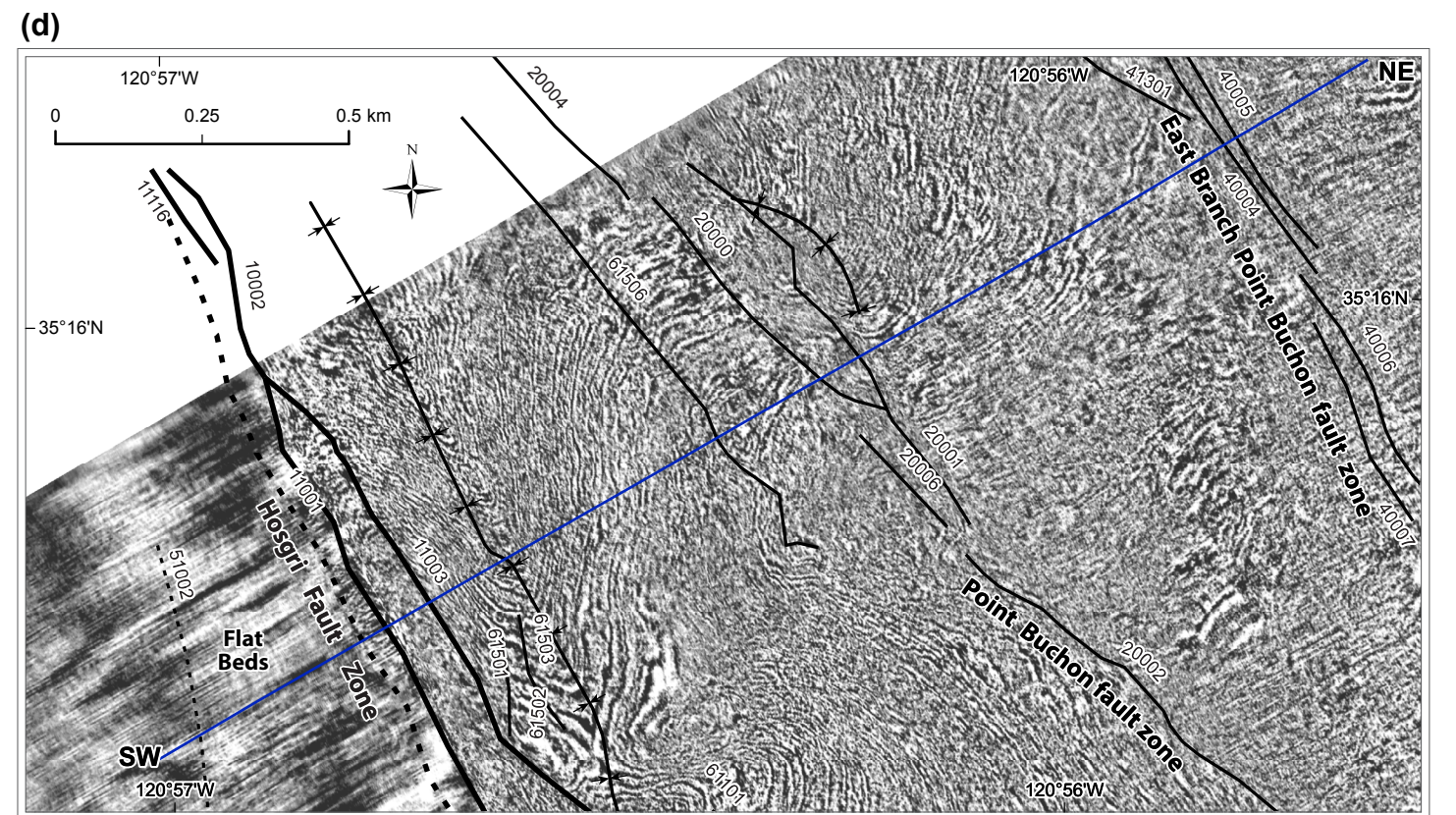
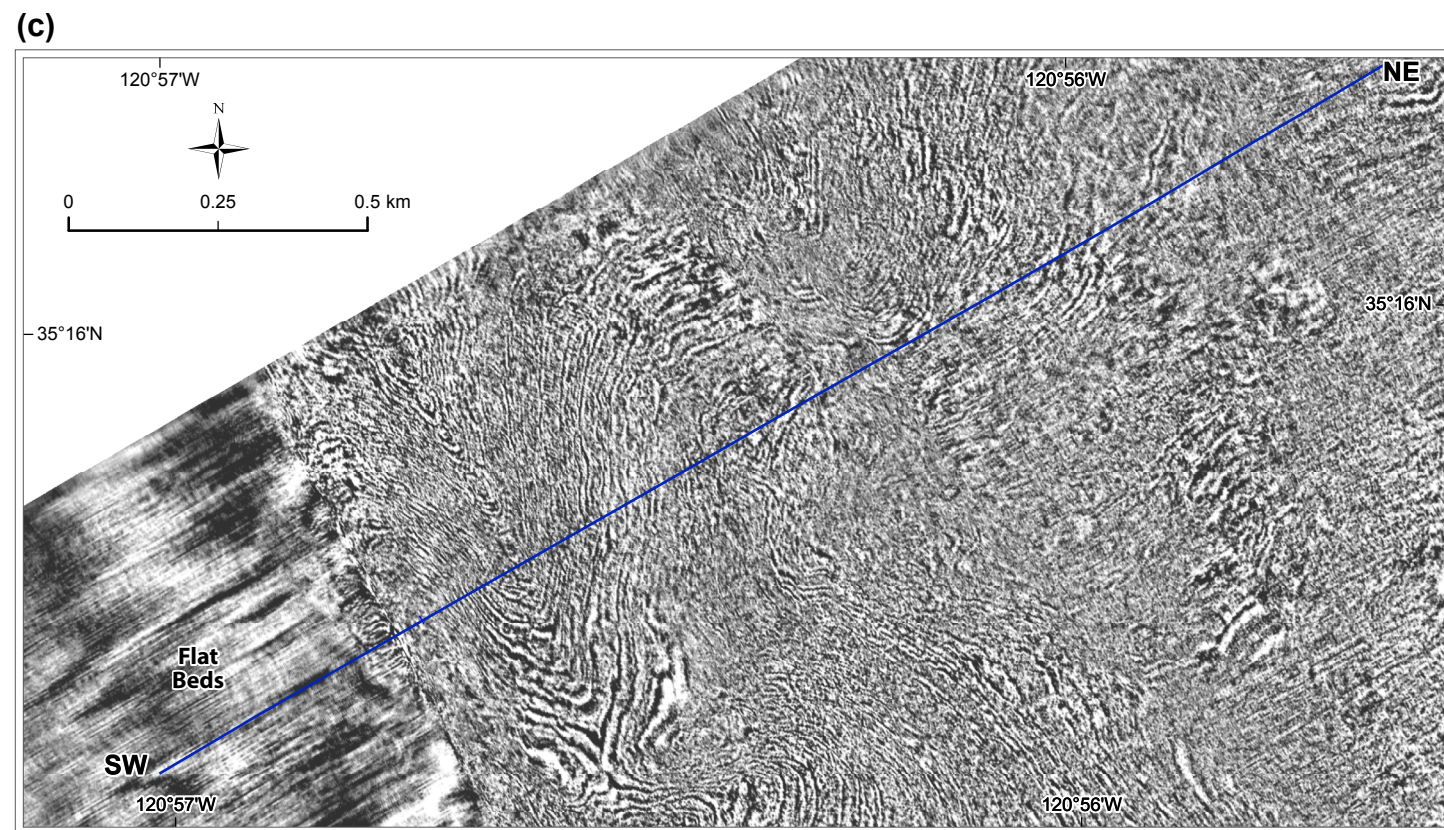
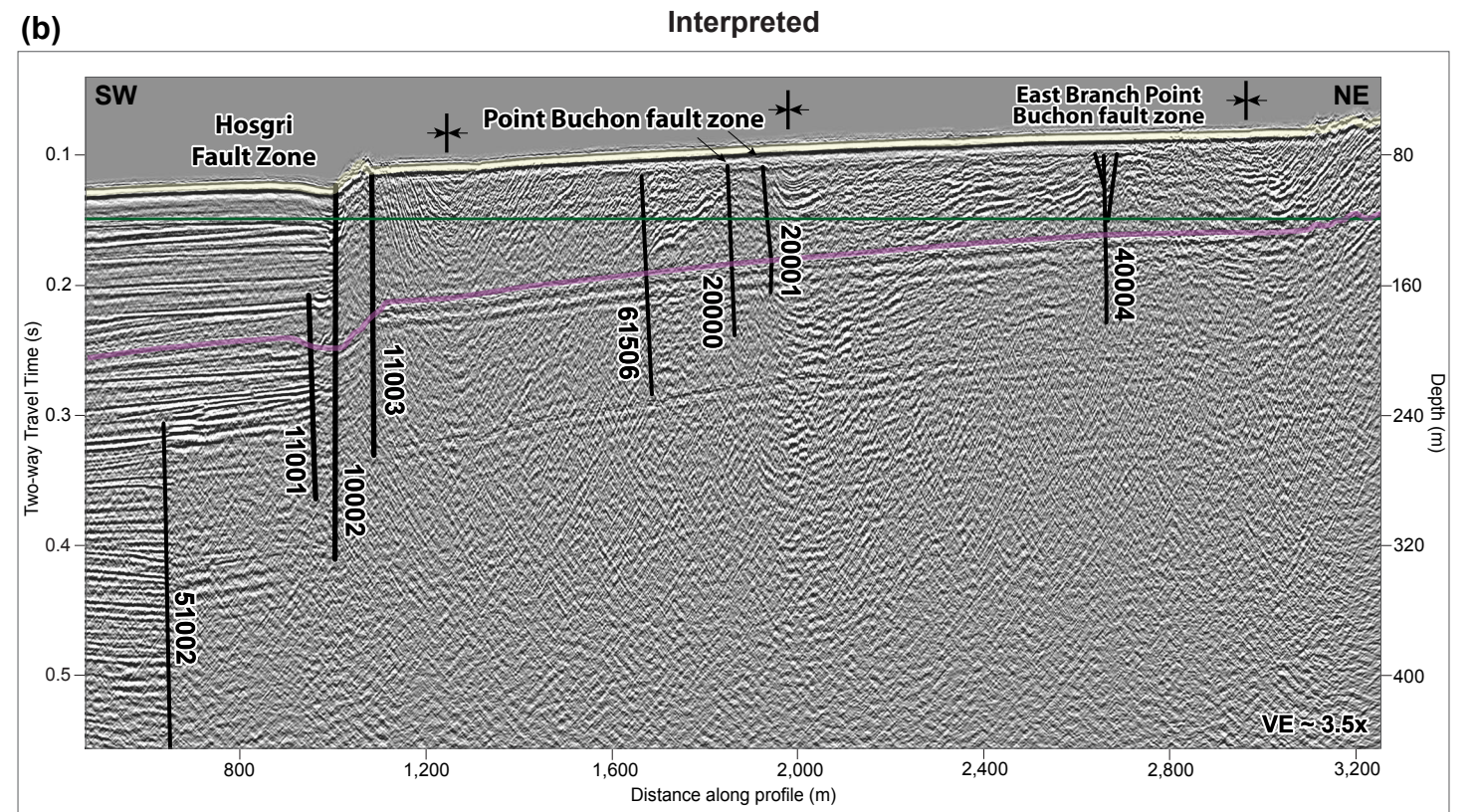
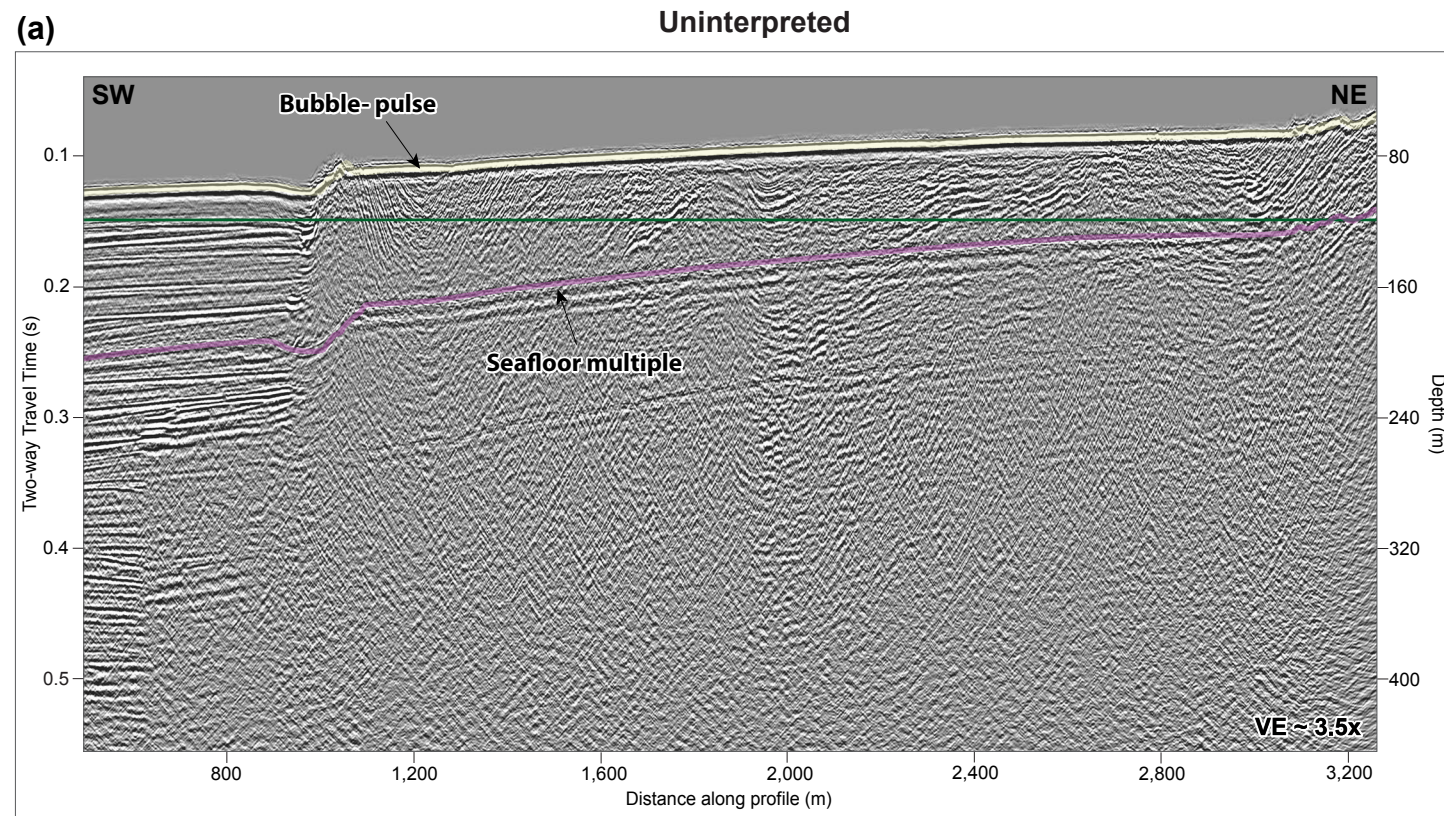
**Graben Associated with Hosgri Fault Zone: (a) 2D Seismic-Reflection Profile 1039 Showing Fault Boundaries and Sediment Fill and (b) Map View Showing Faults, Graben, and MBES Bathymetry**

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**Foldout C**

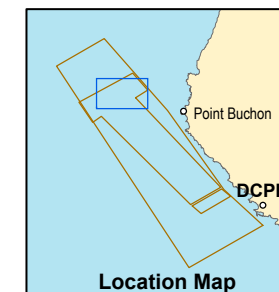
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**EXPLANATION**

- Location of seismic profile shown on Plate 3b
- Faults, solid where well located, dashed where inferred or approximately located, queried where uncertain, dotted where buried by more than 20 milliseconds of undeformed strata
- Time slice horizon
- Anticline
- Syncline
- Amplitude: High to Low

Notes:  
 - Depth values on seismic profile assume a velocity of 1600 m/sec.  
 - Map projections: UTM Zone 10N, WGS 84



**Relationship of the Hosgri and Point Buchon Fault Zones in Northern Part of Survey Area:**  
**(a) Uninterpreted and (b) Interpreted 3D Profile 11200; (c) Uninterpreted and (d) Interpreted Amplitude Time Slice at 150 ms (TWTT)**

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