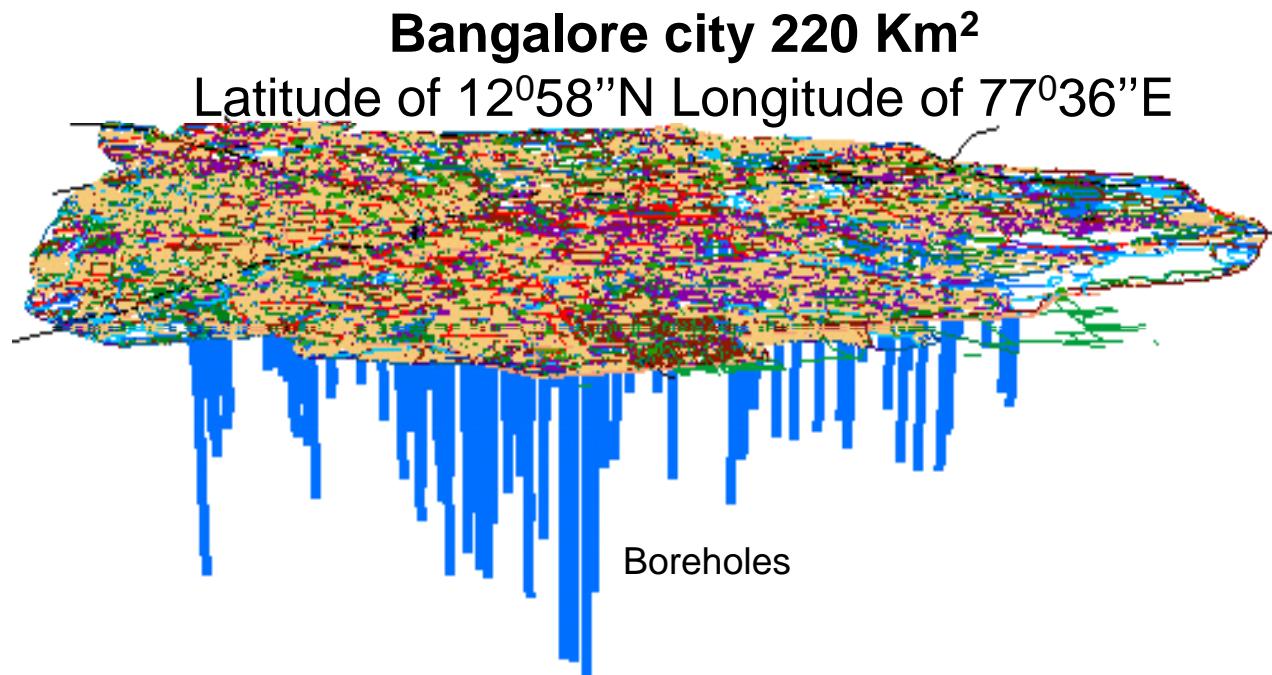


# Seismic Microzonation of Bangalore Urban Centre : Integration Of Different Parameters to Develop Hazard Index Map Using GIS



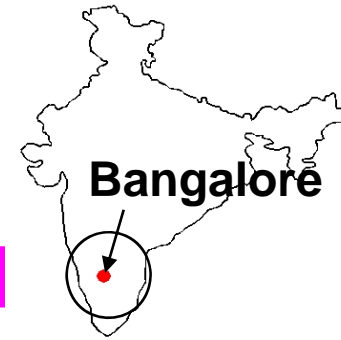
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**Estimation of EQ hazard in an urban area is presented with an emphasis on local site effects**

## Outline

- **Introduction**
- **Microzonation of Earthquake I**
- **Microzonation of Bangalore**
- **Seismic Microzonation Maps** – Development of Hazard Index Map - Integrating geological & seismological layers using GIS - maps prepared
- **Summary**



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**Multidisciplinary approach – Engineering Seismology, soil dynamics, geotechnical and structural engineering**

# ESTIMATING RISK OF EARTHQUAKE DISASTER

- **Seismic Risk**
  - *Intensity at the epicenter (hazard),*
  - *Objects and structures (exposure),*
  - *Damageability (vulnerability),*
  - *how far from the source and type of topography, soil deposits, water table (local site effects) – evaluation of local hazard*
- *Reduction of vulnerability of our buildings and other structures, those existing and those being built or to be built, is the key to earthquake protection.*
- *It is here, the engineers have their most critical role to play.*

**Microzonation** is an important component of earthquake disaster risk management framework

India's urban and semi-urban centers hazard assessment -considering local site effects is Important

It is here in evaluating Hazard, the Geotechnical engineers have their most critical role to play in assessing the local site effects.

Microzonation is defined as the zonation with respect to ground motion characteristics taking into account source and site conditions (ISSMGE/TC4, 1999).

# Mitigation Strategies to reduce EQ Damages

## ■ To Reduce Earthquake Disasters

1. Understand the origins and forces caused by earthquakes- Assessment of seismic hazard

→  **Microzonation of a region.**

2. Understand the behavior of structures under seismic action

3. Know how to design buildings to prevent non-structural damage.

4. Put that knowledge into practice- retrofit and rehabilitation of existing structures

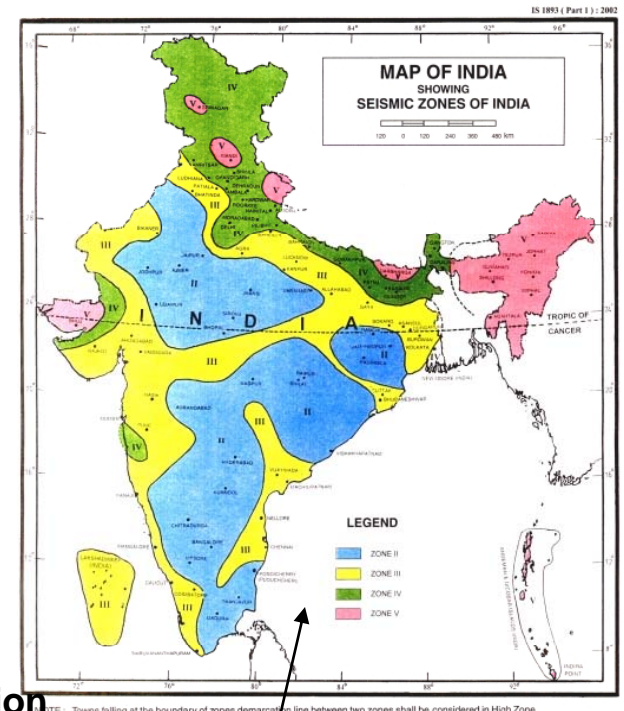
Development of appropriate code of practice

Development of quality control to insure correct application

Legislation

■ Buildings codes base seismic design forces on intensity of shaking during an earthquake. Design parameters are: Acceleration, velocity or spectral acceleration with a specified probability of exceedance. Mapping of these parameters on a national scale is called as **MACROZONATION**

-Macrozonation are at small scales

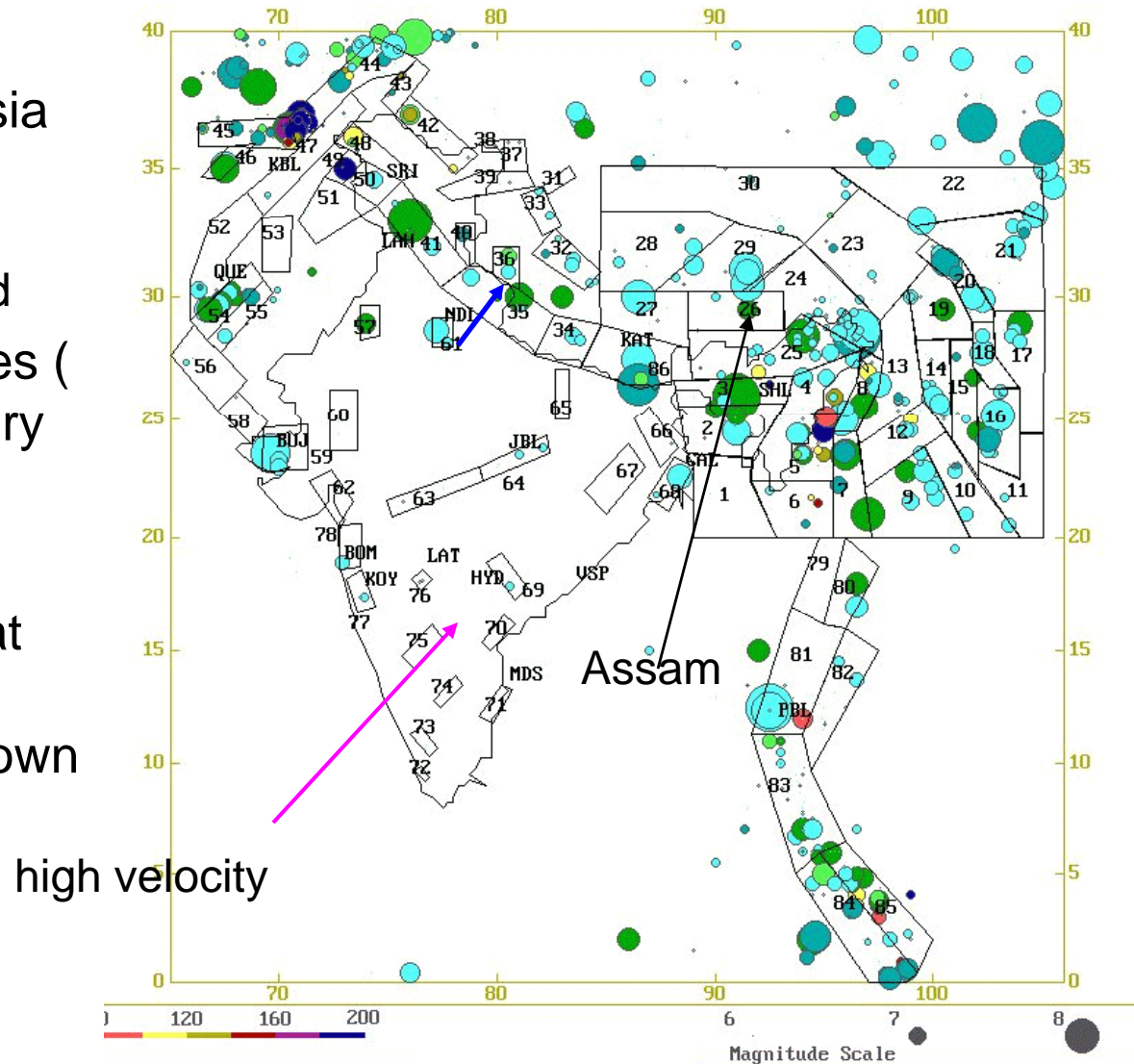


**Scale is in important issue:** 1: 25000 or less for microzonation

# Earthquakes in India

- Collision of India with Asia
  - region of greatest continental tectonic deformation in the world
- 15% of great earthquakes (M 8.0) in the 20<sup>th</sup> Century
- Assam EQ = 8.5 – 7<sup>th</sup> largest
- Major earthquakes are at plate boundaries, intraplate, and along known faults

## Global Seismic Hazard Assessment Program (GSHAP)



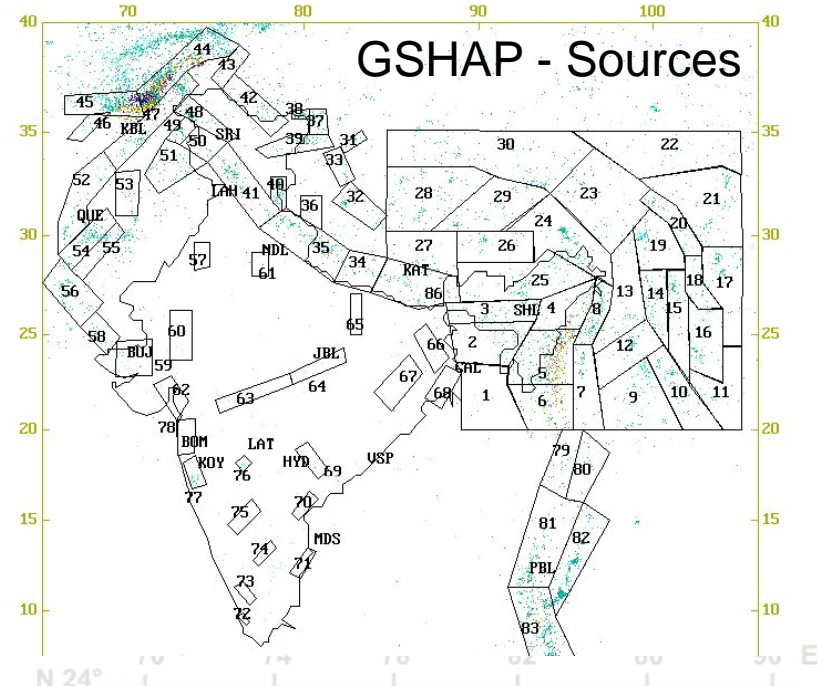
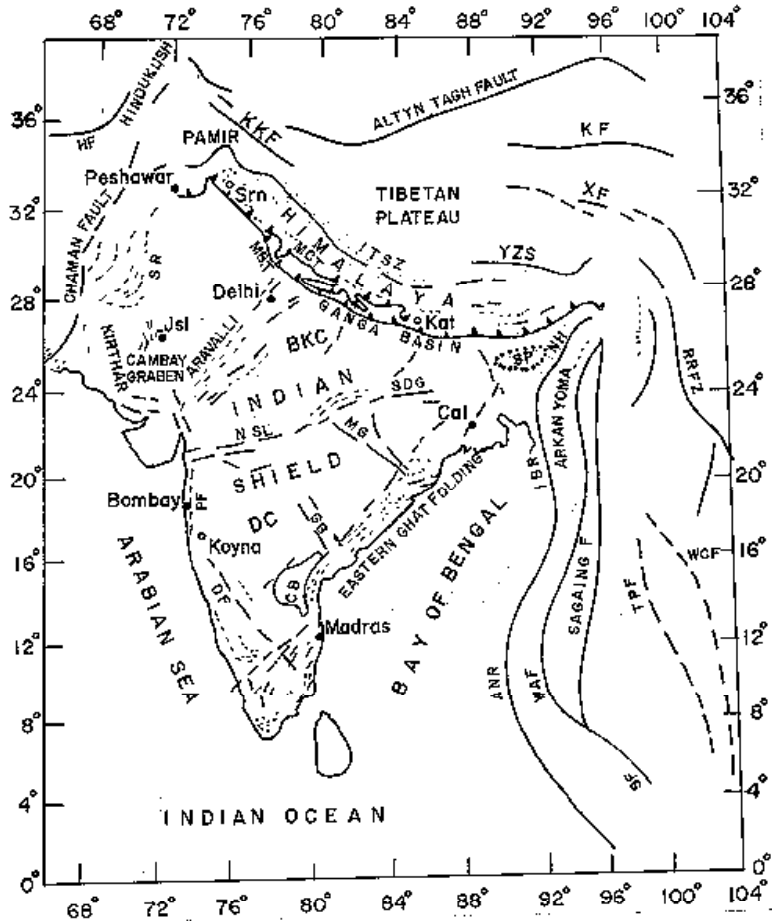
Seismic sources

# List of Major Earthquakes in India in the last 100 years

Date	Event	Time	Magnitude	Max. Intensity	Deaths
12 June 1897	Assam	16:25	8.7	XII	1500
8 Feb. 1900	Coimbatore	03:11	6.0	X	Nil
4 Apr. 1905	Kangra, Himachal Pradesh	06:20	8.6	X	19,000
15 Jan. 1934	Bihar-Nepal	14:13	8.4	X	11,000
31 May 1935	Quetta	03:03	7.6	X	30,000
15 Aug. 1950	Assam	19:31	8.5	X	1,530
21 Jul. 1956	Anjar ←	21:02	7.0	IX	115
10 Dec. 1967	Koyna	04:30	6.5	VIII	200
23 Mar. 1970	Bharuch ←	20:56	5.4	VII	30
21 Aug. 1988	Bihar-Nepal	04:39	6.6	IX	1,004
20 Oct. 1991	Uttarkashi, Uttranchal	02:53	6.6	IX	768
30 Sep. 1993	Killari (Latur)	03:53	6.4	IX	7,928
22 May 1997	Jabalpur, Madhya Pradesh	04:22	6.0	VIII	38
29 Mar. 1999	Chamoli, Uttranchal	12:35	6.8	VIII	63
26 Jan. 2001	Bhuj, Gujarat ←	08:46	7.7	X	13,805
08 Oct 2005	India-Pakistan	09:20	7.4	X	20,600

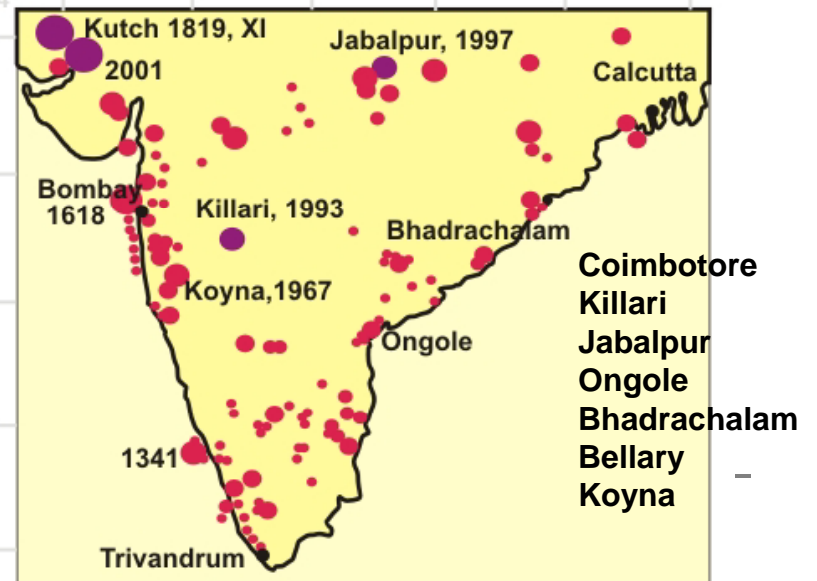
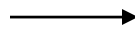
EQ's happened both at plate boundaries, intra plate and known faults (even in the shield region)

# Peninsular India



Shield regions also generate earthquakes, much less frequently and of smaller magnitude, the activity occurring on paleorifts and other pre-existing structures.

Historic seismicity in peninsular India



## Major Hazards of Earthquakes

- Ground Shaking
- Liquefaction
- Landslides
- Tsunamis

Reduced by following EQ Resistant Design

## Damages due to Earthquakes

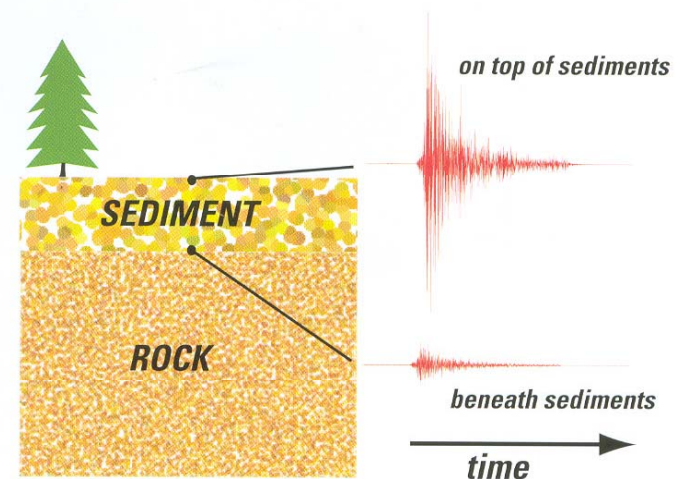
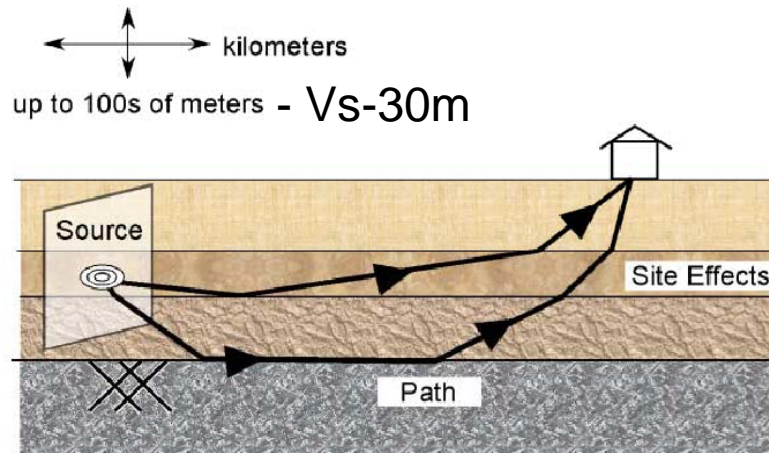
- Structural damage due to Inertia force during intense ground shaking
  - Frequency matching leading to resonance
- Indirect damage due to liquefaction or lateral spreading of the ground

Even in developed world, geotechnics associated damage and mitigation measures have not yet been implemented to an extent to reduce the damage



# Local Site Effects

Modification of the incoming wave field characteristics (amplitude, frequency, duration) due to soil characteristics and topography.



- ✓ Seismic action at bed rock level
  - ✓ depends on the magnitude, source properties and properties of the path medium.
  - ✓ Convolution of the input motion at the bed rock with the response of the upper soil layers will give surface result (Site conditions)
    - ✓ 1D representation with horizontal layers characterized by thickness and  $V_s$ -30m (geotechnical properties)
    - ✓ Field experiments – Ambient noise survey with reference sites
- 2D and 3D geometry, with linear and non-linear constitutive relations, topographical implications, etc influence the results

- ✓ Wave amplification in sediment layer
- ✓ Wave amplification due to Local topography

# Damages due to local site effects and liquefaction in earthquakes



Earthquake Damage in Mexico City, Mexico, September 19, 1985 - resonance



Million Dollar Bridge after 1964 Alaska earthquake



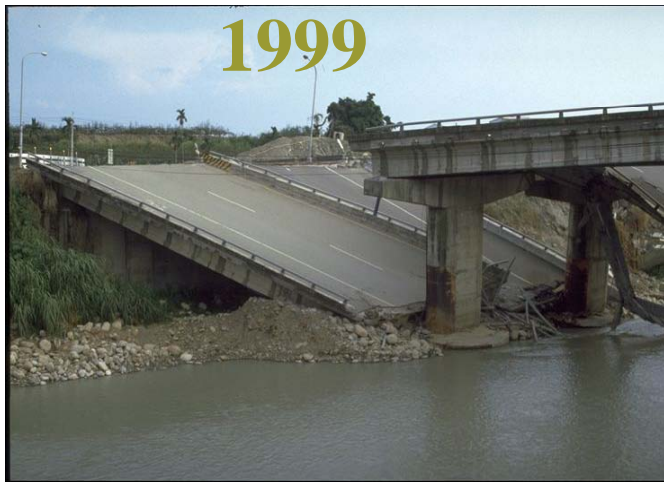
Showa Bridge after 1964 Niigata earthquake

1995



Building in Kobe after 1995 earthquake

1999



Bridge in Taiwan after 1999 Chi-Chi earthquake

2001



Kandla port building after 2001 Bhuj earthquake

The effect of the subsoils on the earthshaking and building damage is emphasized.

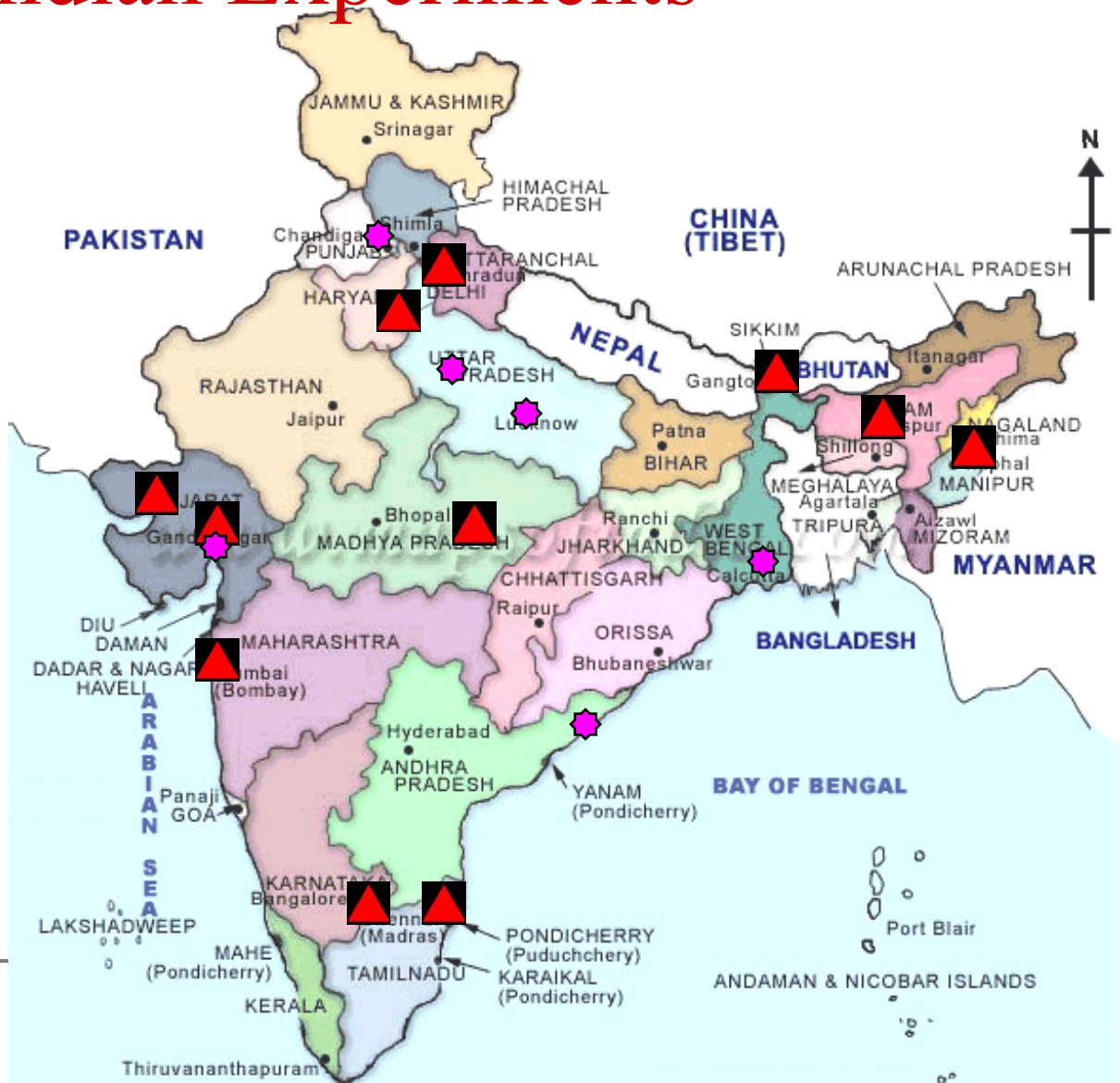
## **Microzonation Levels with Scale**

- ✓ First grade (Level I) map - with scale of 1:1,000,000 – 1:50,000 Ground motion was assessed based on the Historical earthquakes and existing information of geological and geomorphological maps.
- ✓ Second grade (Level II) map - with scale of 1:100,000- 1:10,000 Ground motion is assessed based on the microtremor and simplified geotechnical studies
- ✓ Third grade (Level III) map-with scale of 1:25,000- 1:5,000 ground motion has been assessed based on the complete geotechnical investigations and ground response analysis

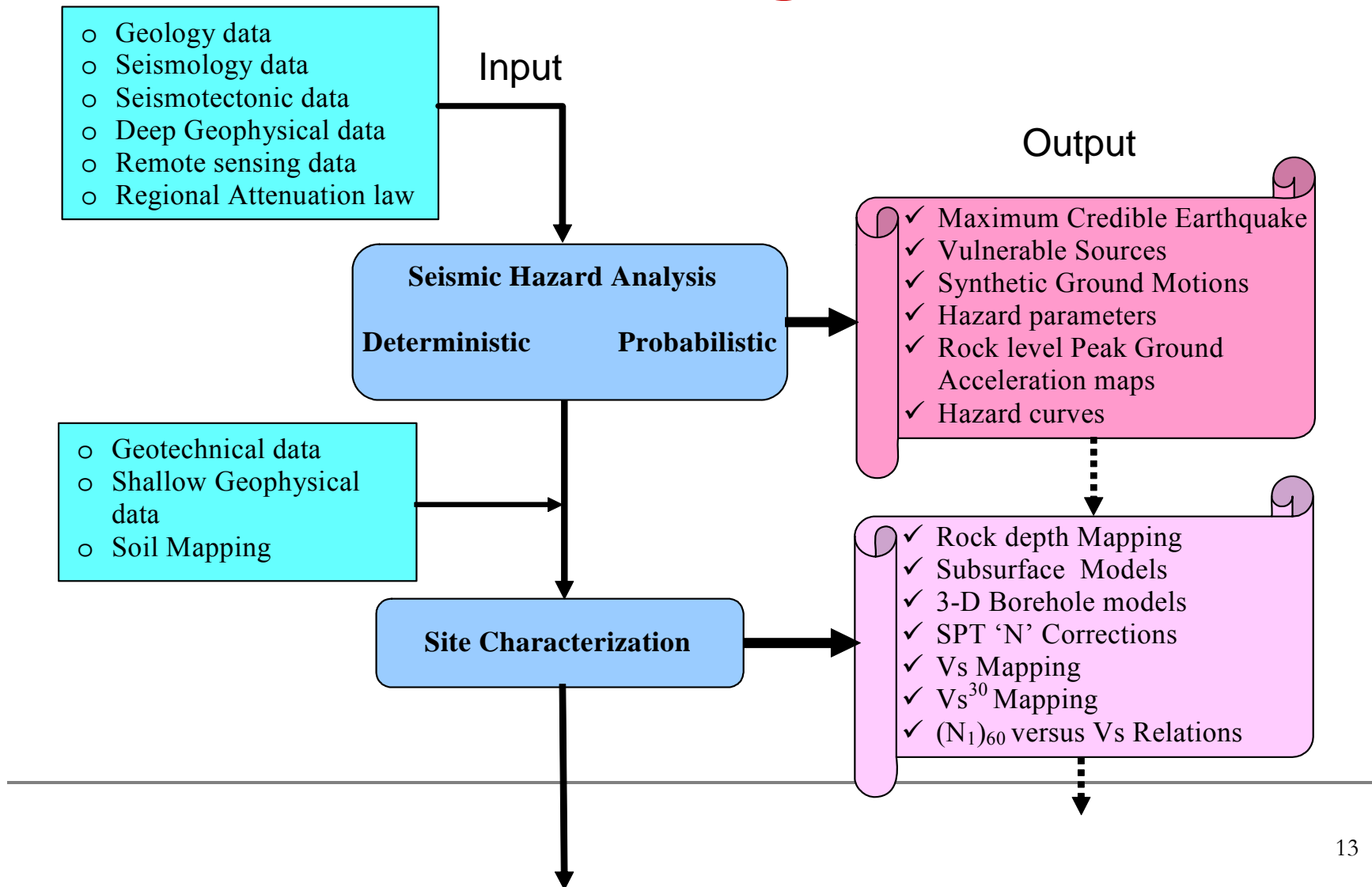
# Microzonation of earthquake hazard

## Indian Experiments

City / Areas
Jabalpur, MP
Sikkim
Mumbai
Delhi
North East India
Gauwhati
Ahmedabad
Dehradun
Bhuj
Chennai
Bangalore
Gandhidham
Vishakpatnam
Kolkata
Chandigarh



# Steps for Seismic Hazard Analysis and Microzonation of Bangalore



- Rock motion data
- Soil Data
- Dynamic Properties
- Experimental Study -Microtremor

**Site Response**  
Theoretical    Experimental

- ✓ Amplification Maps
- ✓ Ground Peak Acceleration map
- ✓ Period of soil column map
- ✓ Spectral acceleration for different frequency
- ✓ Response spectrum
- ✓ Comparative study
- ✓  $(N_1)_{60}$  versus  $G_{max}$  Relations

- Ground PGA
- Magnitude of EQ
- Soil properties with corrected "N" value
- Experimental studies

**Liquefaction Assessment**

- ✓ Liquefaction susceptibility map
- ✓ Factor of safety Table
- ✓ Factor of safety map
- ✓ Liquefaction mapping

- Geology and Seismology
- Rock depth
- Soil characterization
- Response results
- Liquefaction results

**Integration of Hazards**

- ❖ Microzonation maps
- ❖ Hazard Map
- ❖ Data for Vulnerability Study
- ❖ Data for Risk analysis

# USE OF MICROZONATION MAPS

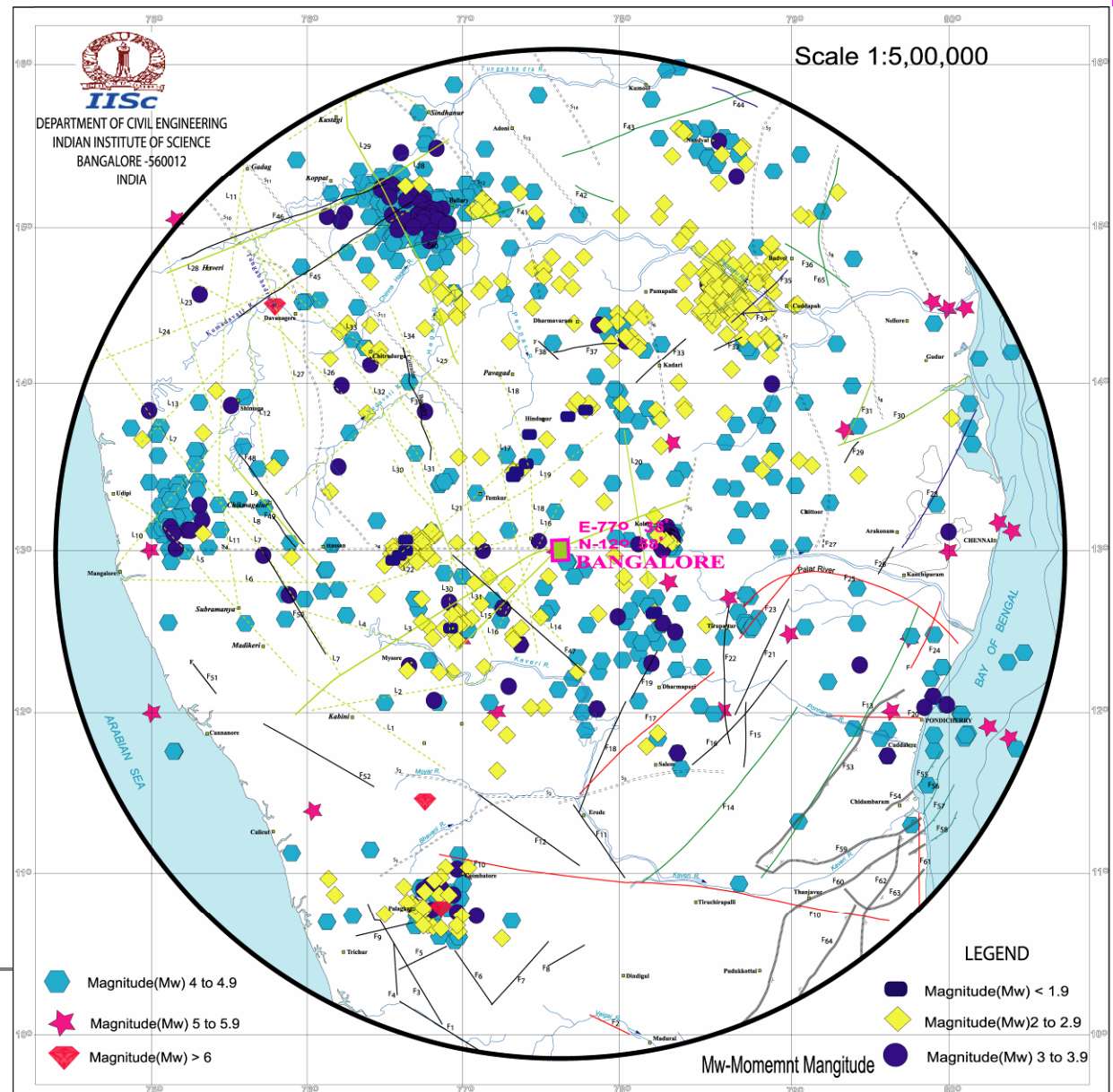
- Detailed evaluation of potential EQ hazards, urban development plans, comprehensive planning and zoning, siting of public facilities and utilities, redevelopment and retrofit plans, emergency management
- Seismic microzonation maps do not provide detailed hazard parameters at the level of the specific building site. However, they do provide guidance to the municipal planning department where site specific investigations are required

# Seismicity of Study area seismotectonic map

## Events:

- 1421 Earthquake Events
- Ms, Mb, Intensity  
➔ Mw
- 3 < = 394 events
- 3 to 3.9 = 790 events
- 4 to 4.9 = 212 events
- 5 to 5.9 = 22 events
- > 6 = 3 events
- Maximum earthquake magnitude is 6.2.
- Period (1807-2006)

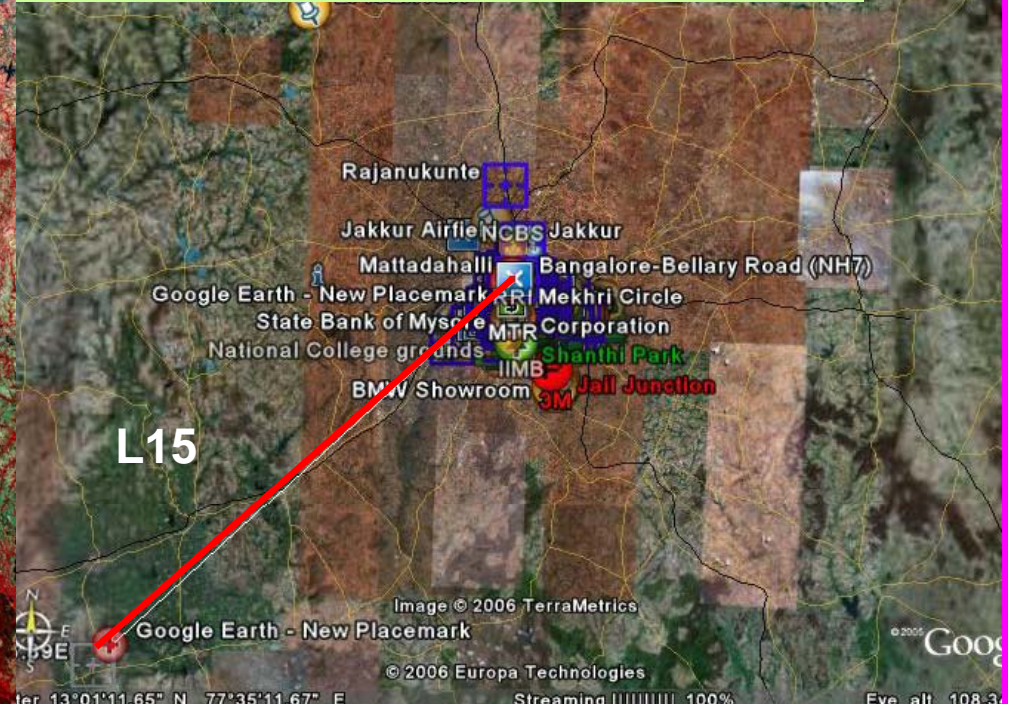
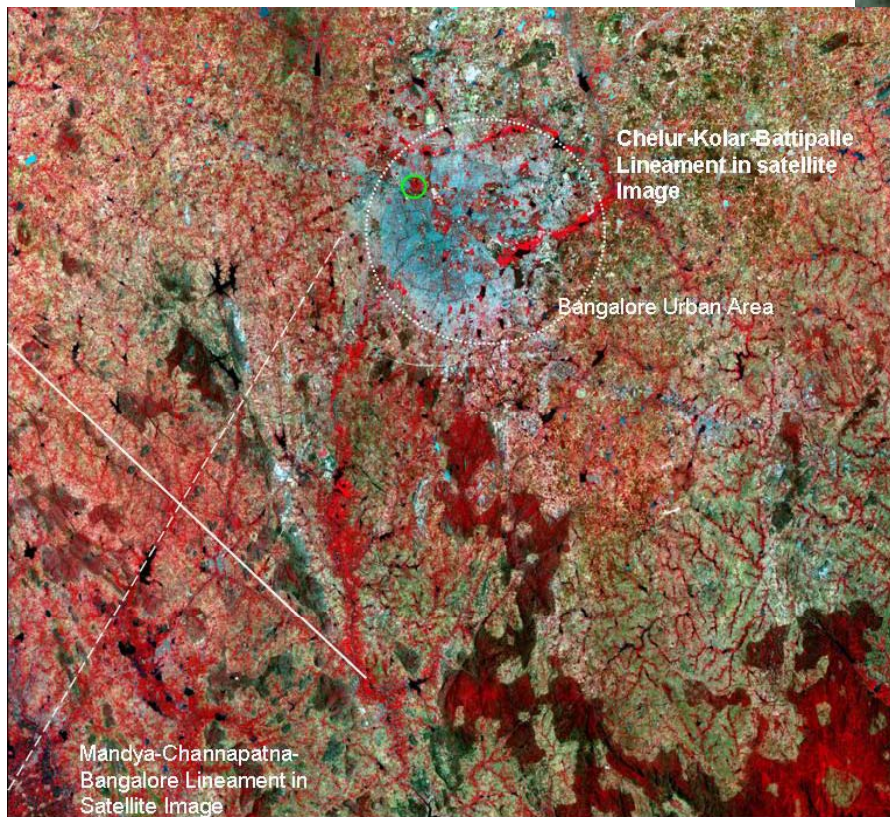
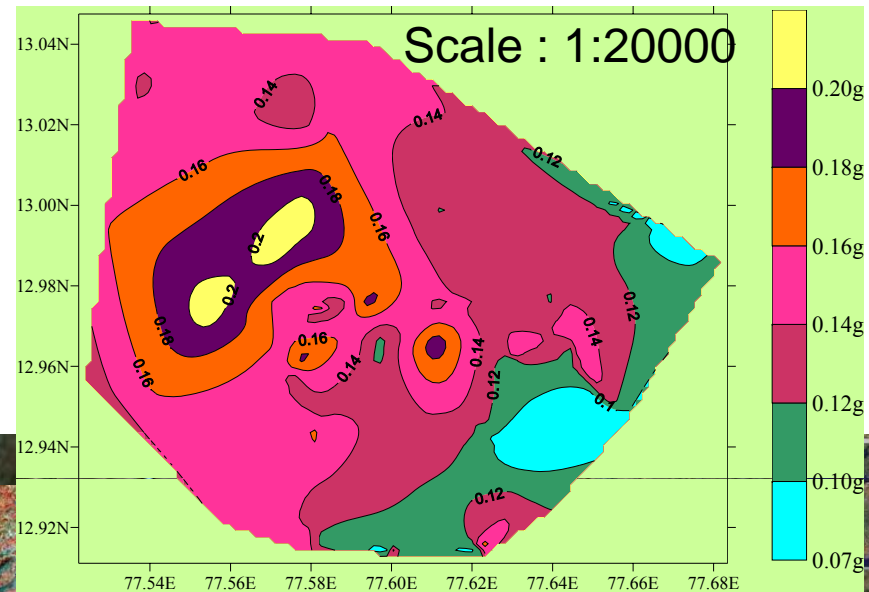
Natural Hazard and Earth  
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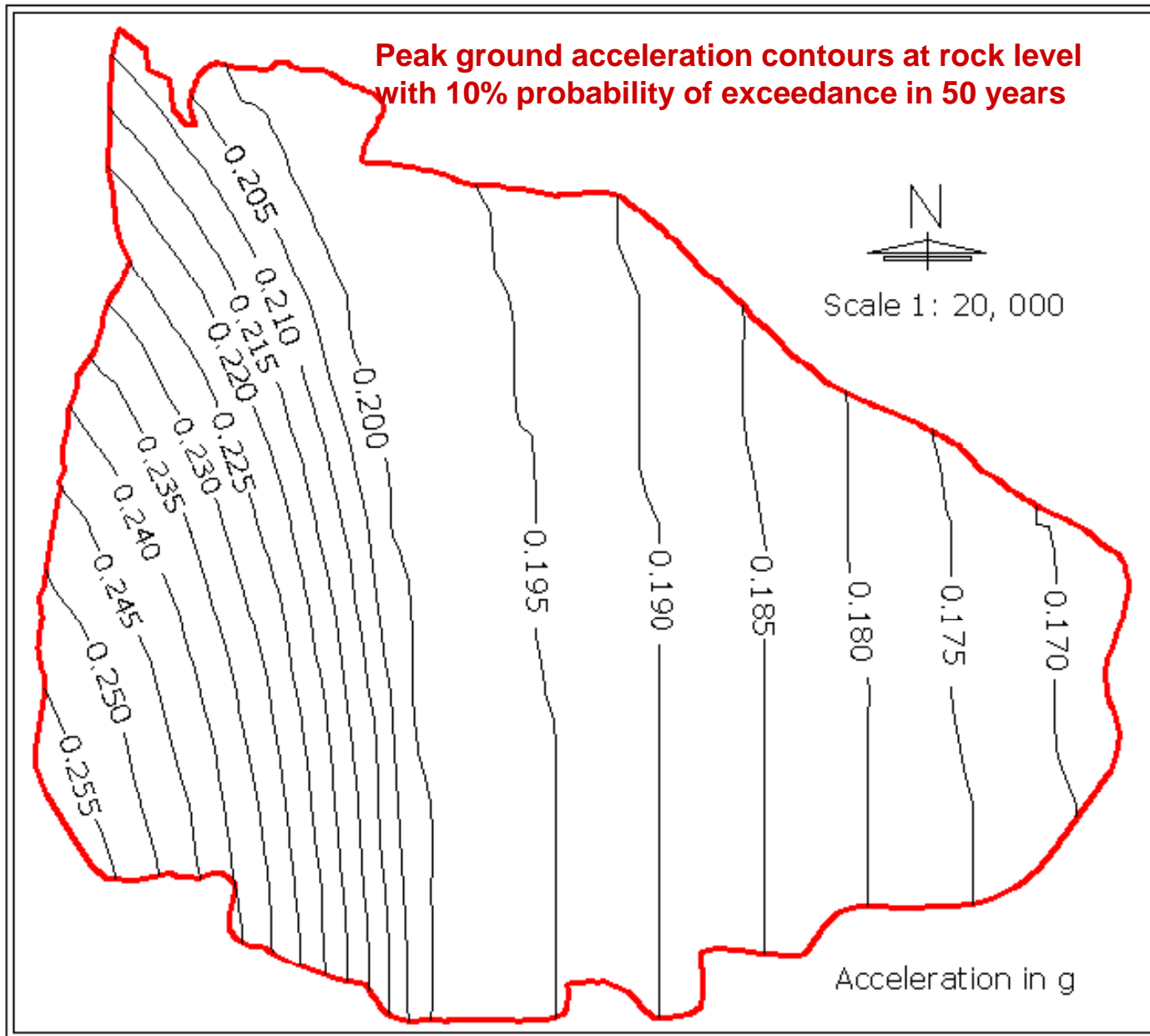
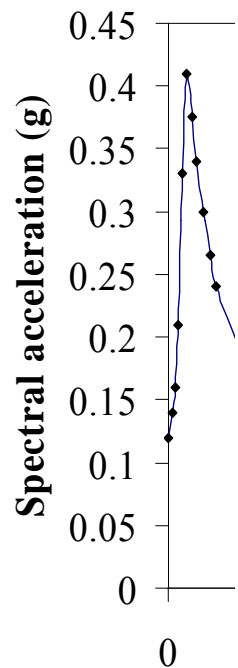


# Peak Ground Acceleration at Rock Level

- L15 Passes Through Bangalore
- Synthetic Ground motion generated at each borehole location



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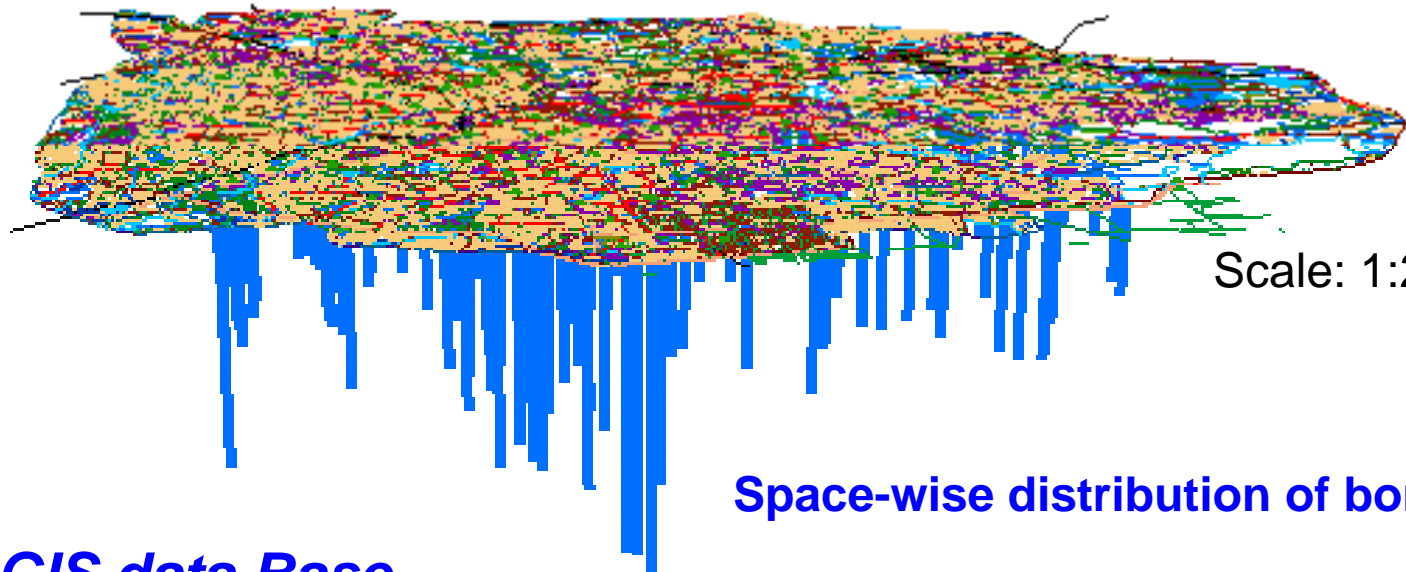
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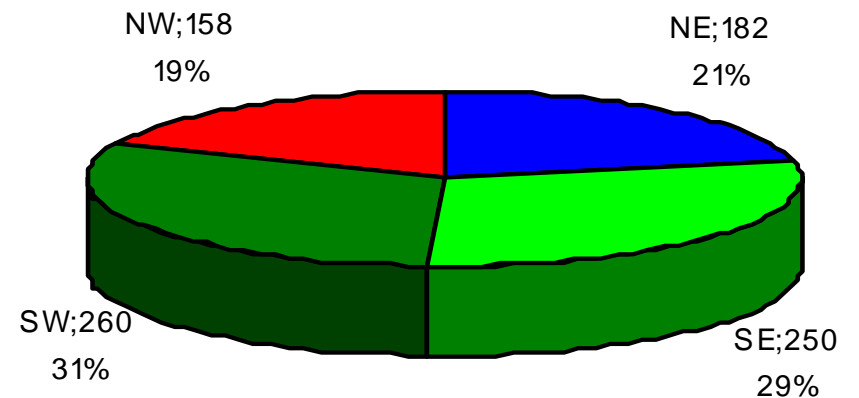
Data from Ragnu Kanti and Tyengar (2006)

These Sa/g values are much higher than codal values

# SITE CHARACTERIZATION - 3D Sub Surface Model of Bangalore- using borehole data



## Space-wise distribution of boreholes



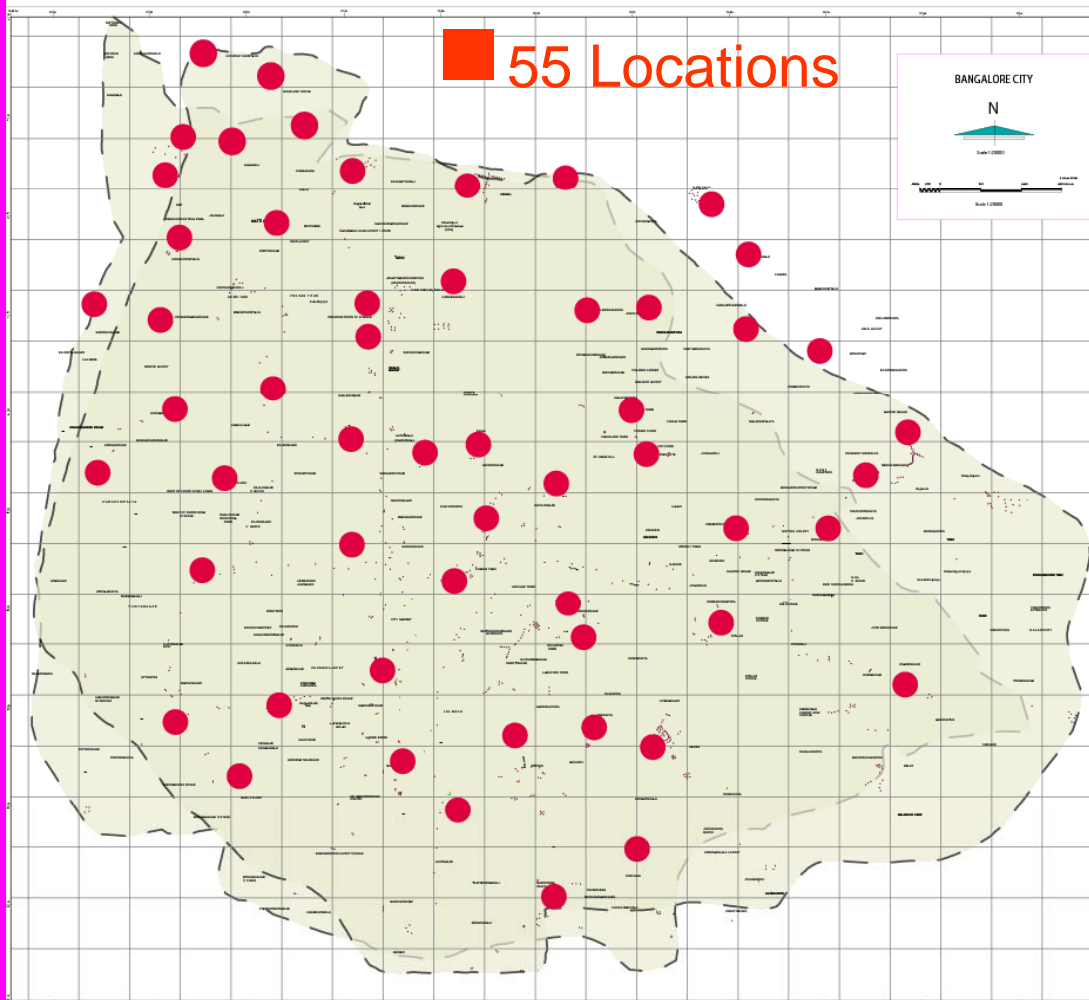
## GIS data Base

- 900 Boreholes- bore log with SPT "N" value
- Depth up to 40m
- Properties and Water Table Information

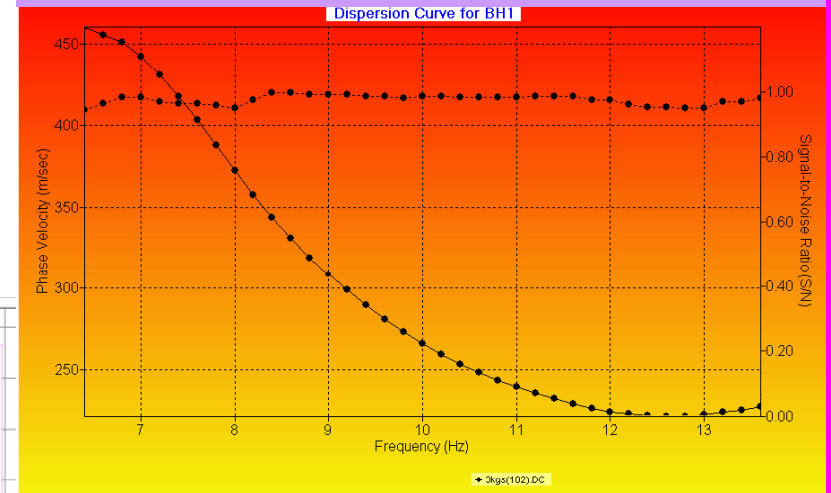
# Multichannel Analysis of Surface Wave (MASW) – Geophysical Testing

→ Vs Profiling 1D-55

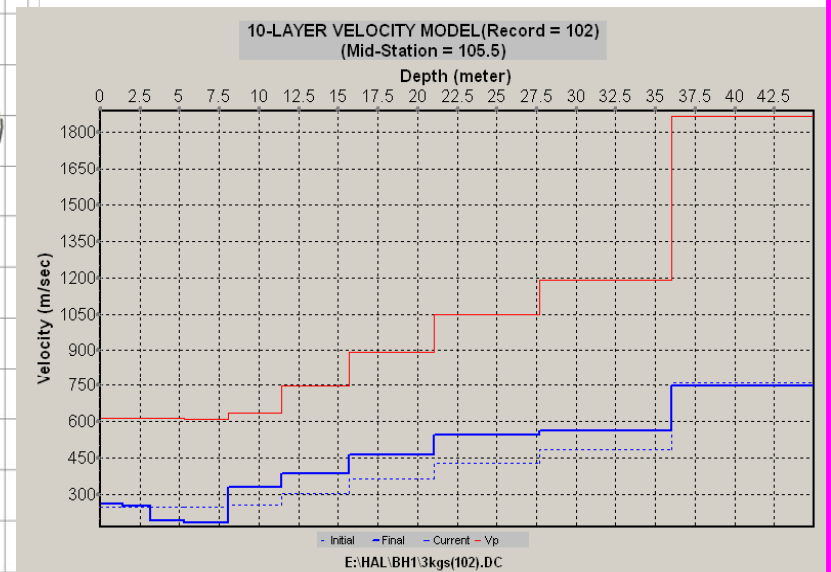
→ Vs Profiling 2D -22



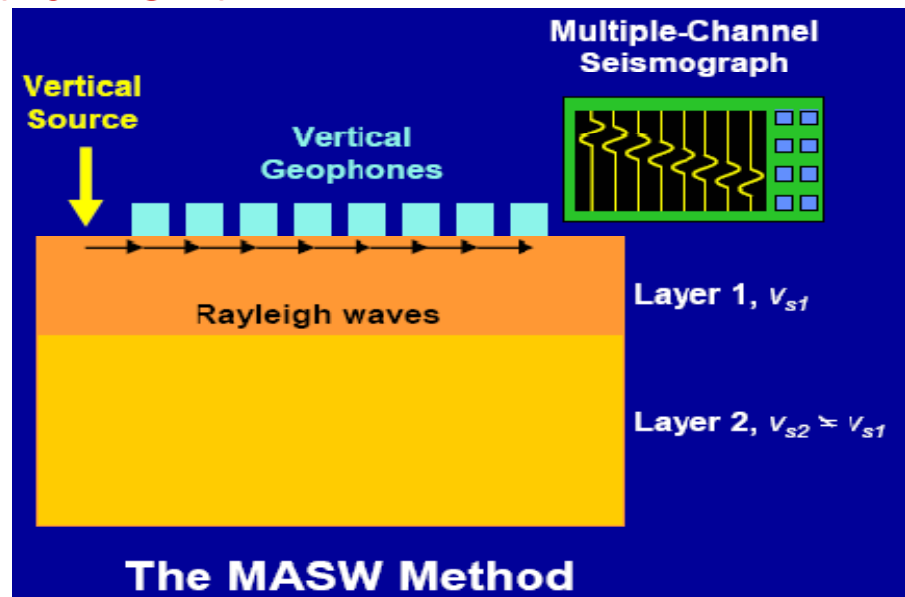
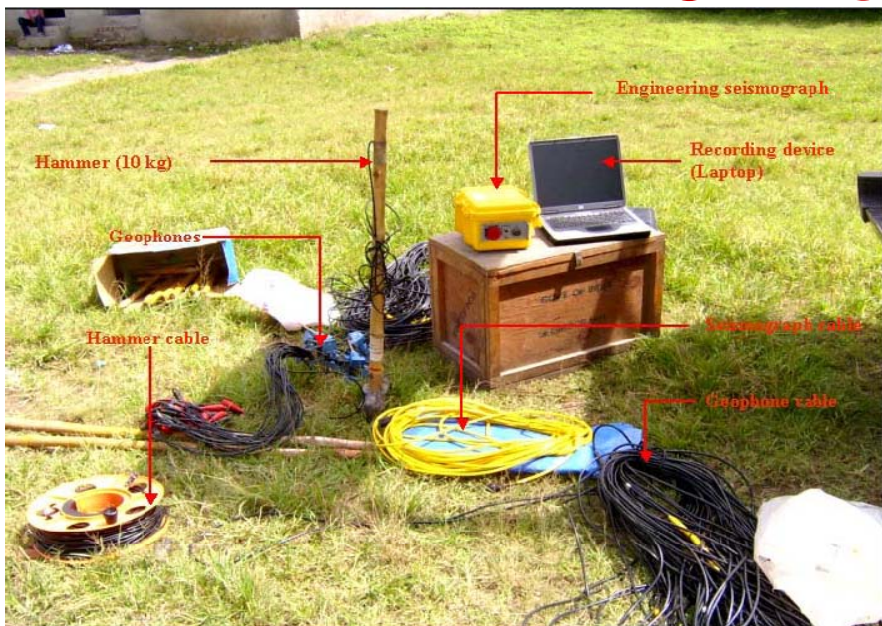
## Dispersion Curve



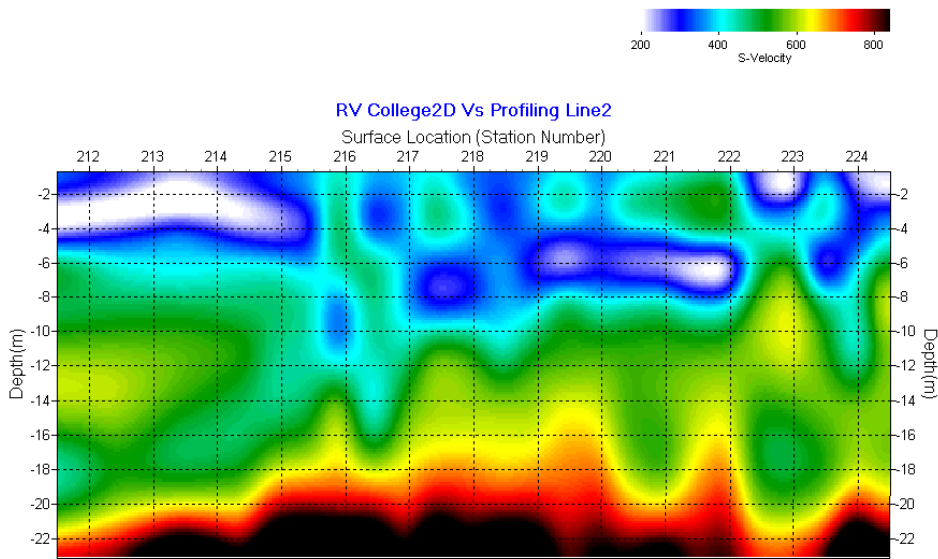
## Shear Wave Velocity Profiling - Surfseis (Kansas Geological Survey)



# MASW Instrument



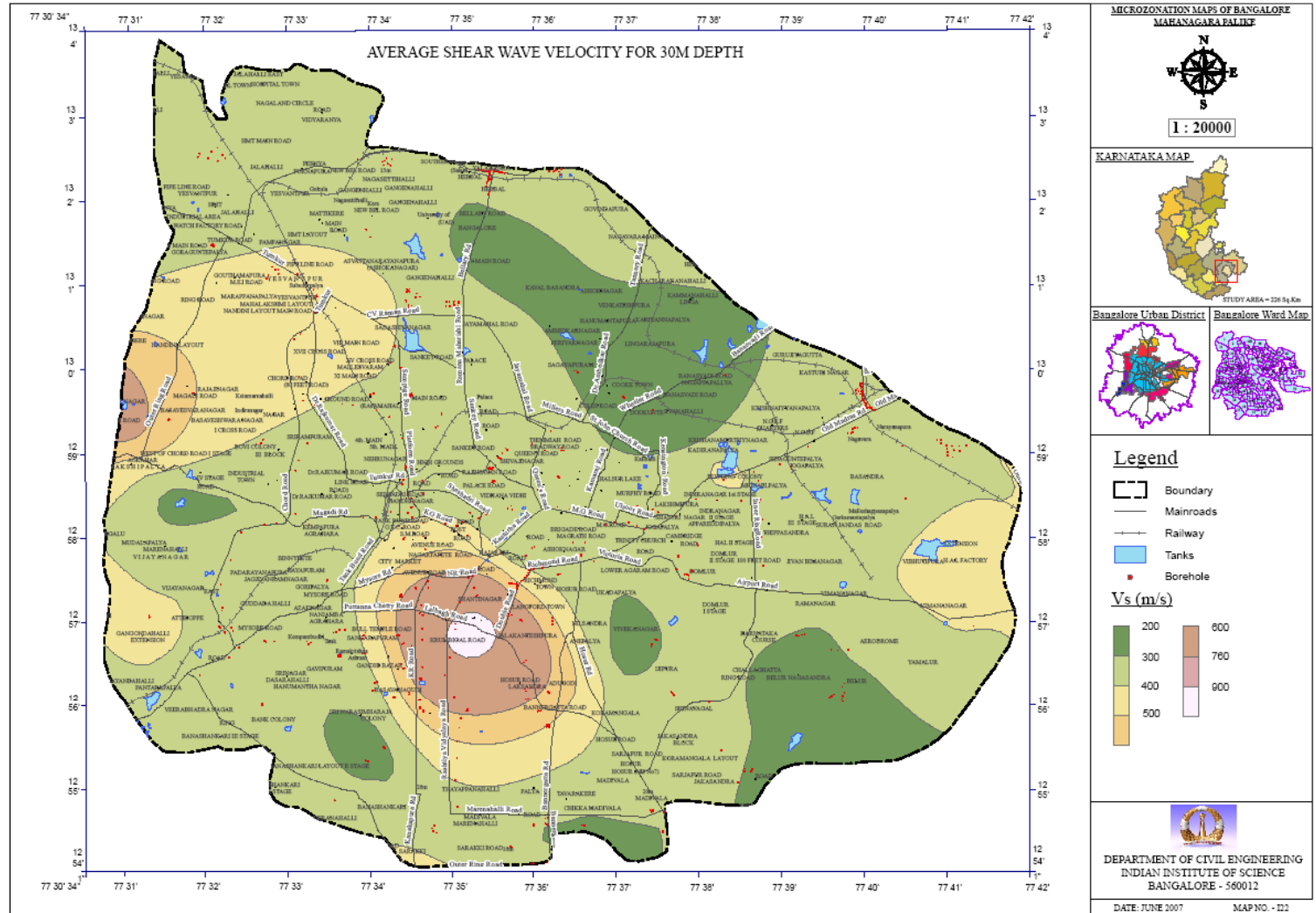
J.C. Nagar MASW testing



Subsurface Velocity in 2D

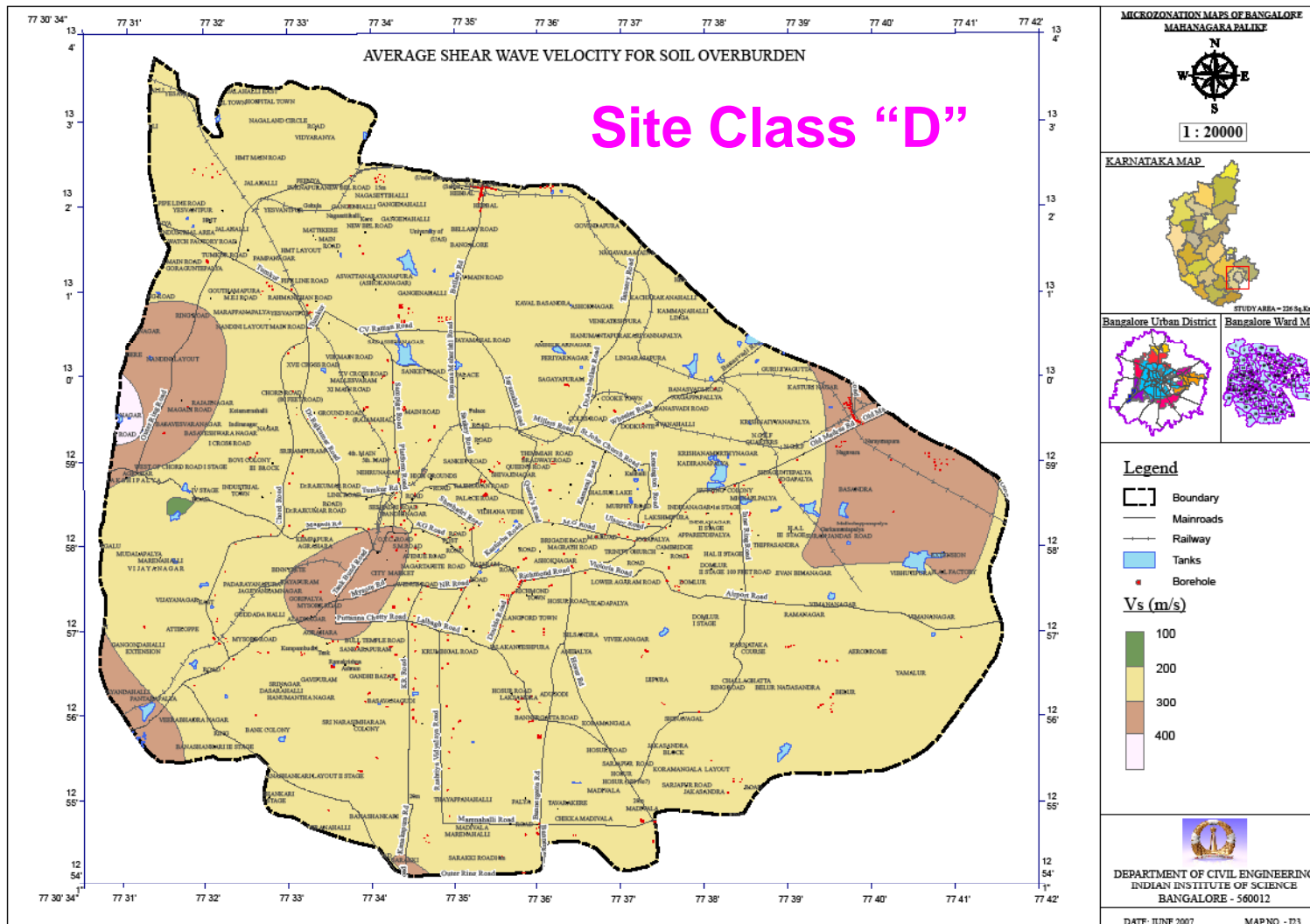


# Vs average for 30m Depth

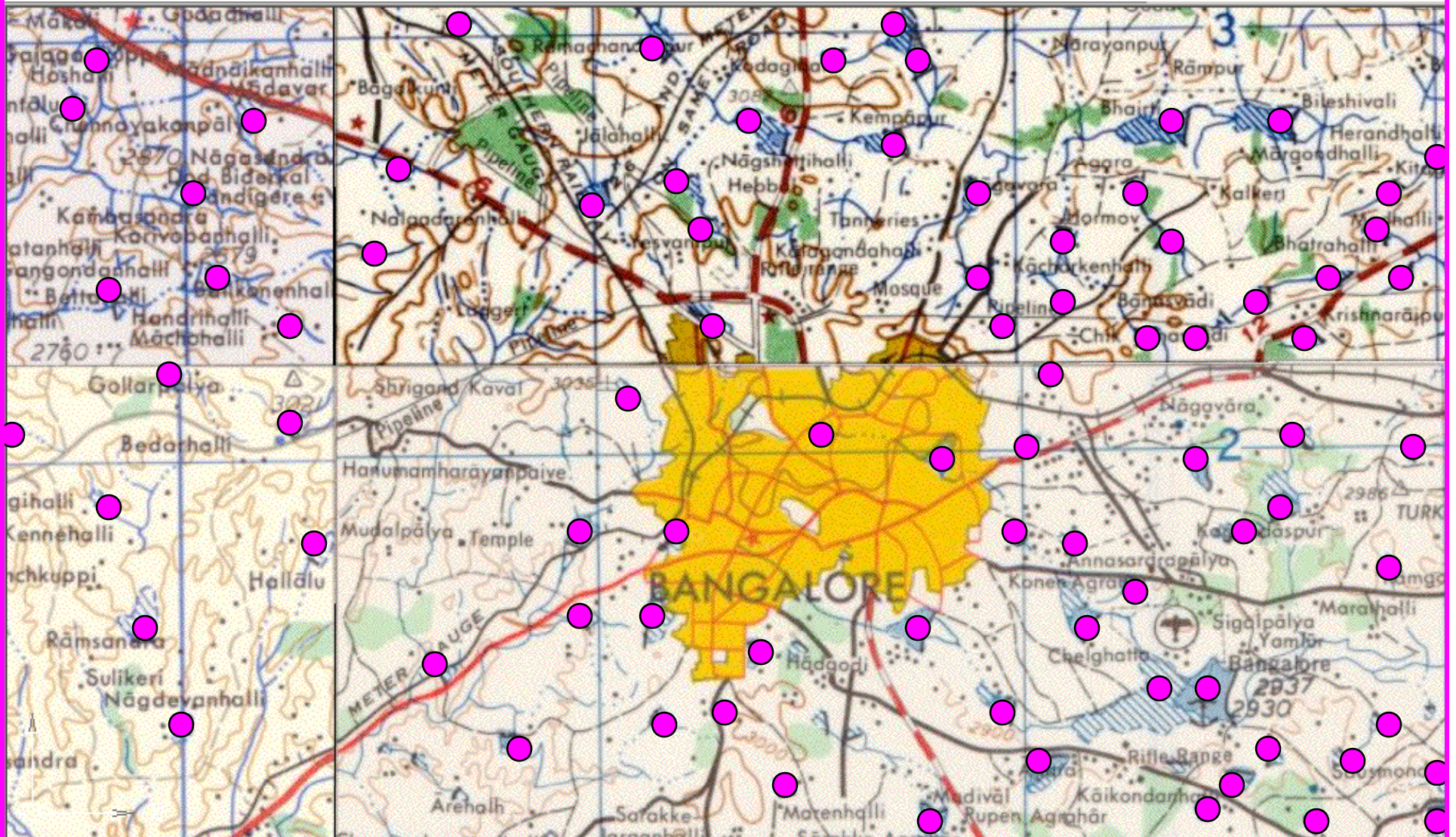


Site Class "C and D"

# Average shear wave velocity for soil Overburden



# Old tanks in Bangalore – Topo Sheet of 1960



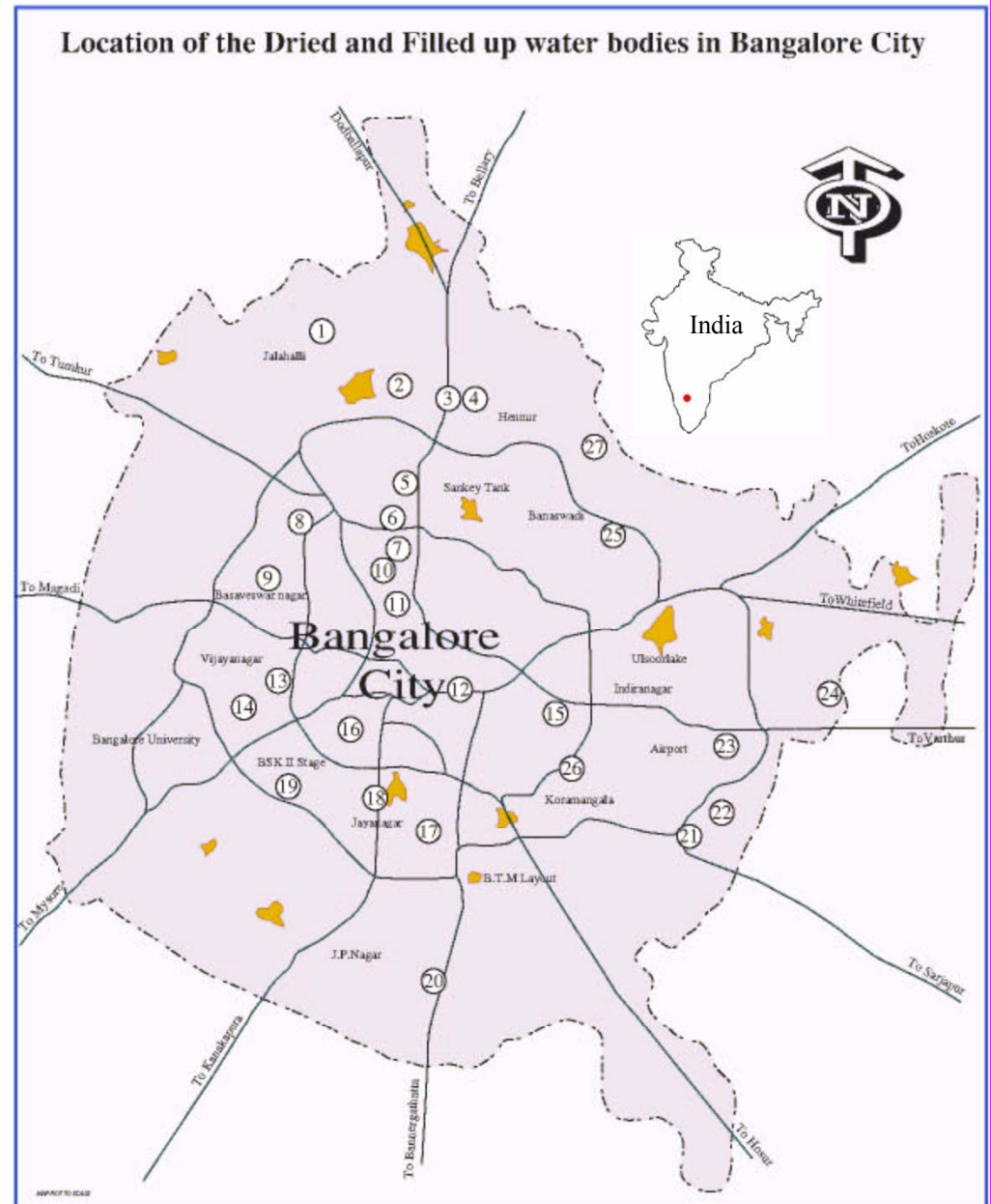
within Corporation boundary



# Tanks / lakes in Bangalore and present status

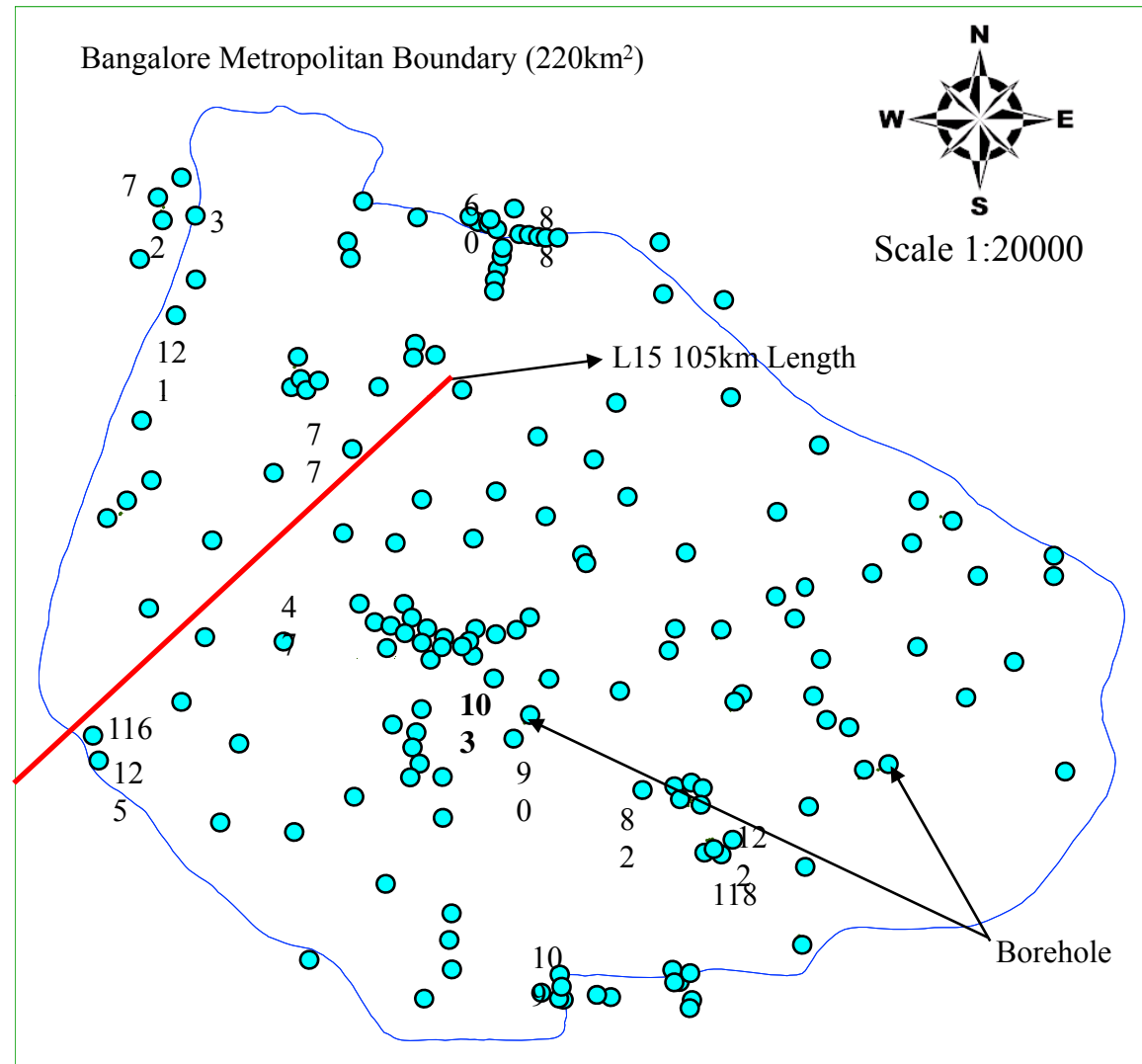
1	Vidyaranya Lake	Vidyaranya(Jalahalli East)
2	Gokula Tank	Mattikere
3	Geddalahalli Lake	RMV 2nd Stage, 1st Block
4	Nagashettihalli Lake	RMV 2nd Stage, 2nd Block
5	Tumkur Lake	Mysore Lamps
6	Ramshetty Palya kere	Milk Colony (Playground)
7	Oddarapalaya Lake	Rajajinagar (Industrial Area)
8	Ketamaranahalli Lake	Rajajinagar (Mahalakshmpuram)
9	Kurubarahalli Lake	Basaveshwaranagar (Chord Road)
10	Agasana Lake	Gayathri Devi Park
11	Jakkarayana kere	Krishna Floor Mills
12	Dharmambudhi Lake	Kempgowda Bus Terminal
13	Vijayanagar Chord Rd Lake	Vijayanagar
14	Marenahalli Lake	Marenahalli
15	Sampangi Lake	Kanteerva Stadium
16	Kalasipalya Lake	Kalasipalya
17	Siddapura Lake	Siddapura/Jayanagar 1 stBlock
18	Tyagarajanagar Lake	Tyagarajanagar
19	Kadirenahalli Lake	Banashankari 2nd Stage
20	Sarakki AgraharaLake	JP Nagar 4th Phase
21	Koramangala Lake	National Dairy Research Institute
22	Chinnagara Lake	Ellpura
23	Domlur Lake	Domlur Second Stage
24	Kodihalli Lake	New Thippasandra /Government Buildings
25	Banaswadi Lake	Subbayapalya Extension
26	Shule Tank	Ashok Nagar, Football Stadium
27	Hennur Lake	Nagavara (HBR Layout)

**About 150 lakes now reduced to 64**

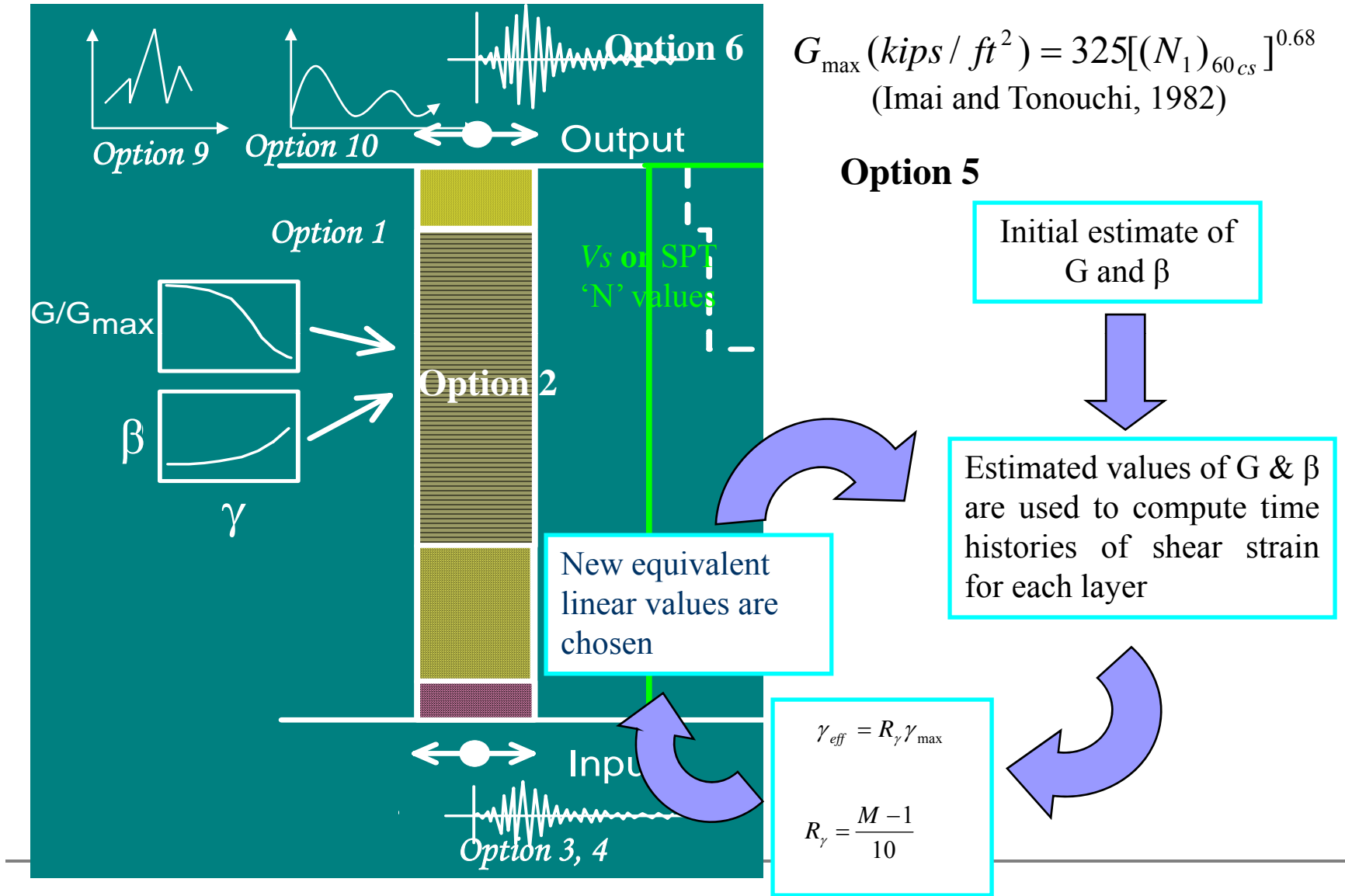


# Geotechnical Data for Ground Response Analysis

- From data base  
160 borelogs  
selected
- SHAKE2000
  - SITE CHARACTERIZATION +
  - INPUT BEDROCK MOTION
  - GROUND RESPONSE ANALYSIS
  - RESPONSE PARAMETERS

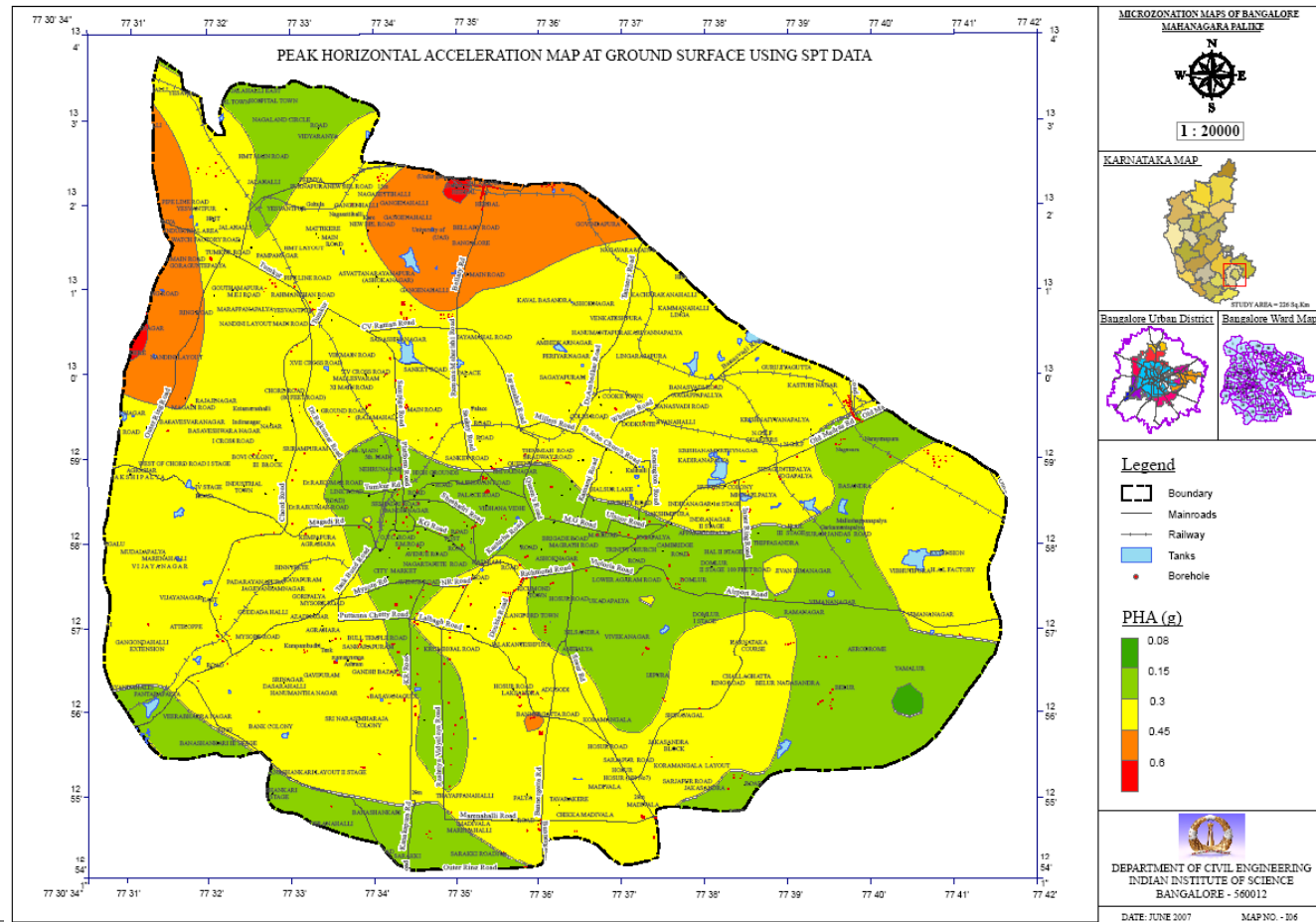


# ✓ Equivalent Linear Approach



# ✓ Peak Ground Acceleration and Amplification Ratio

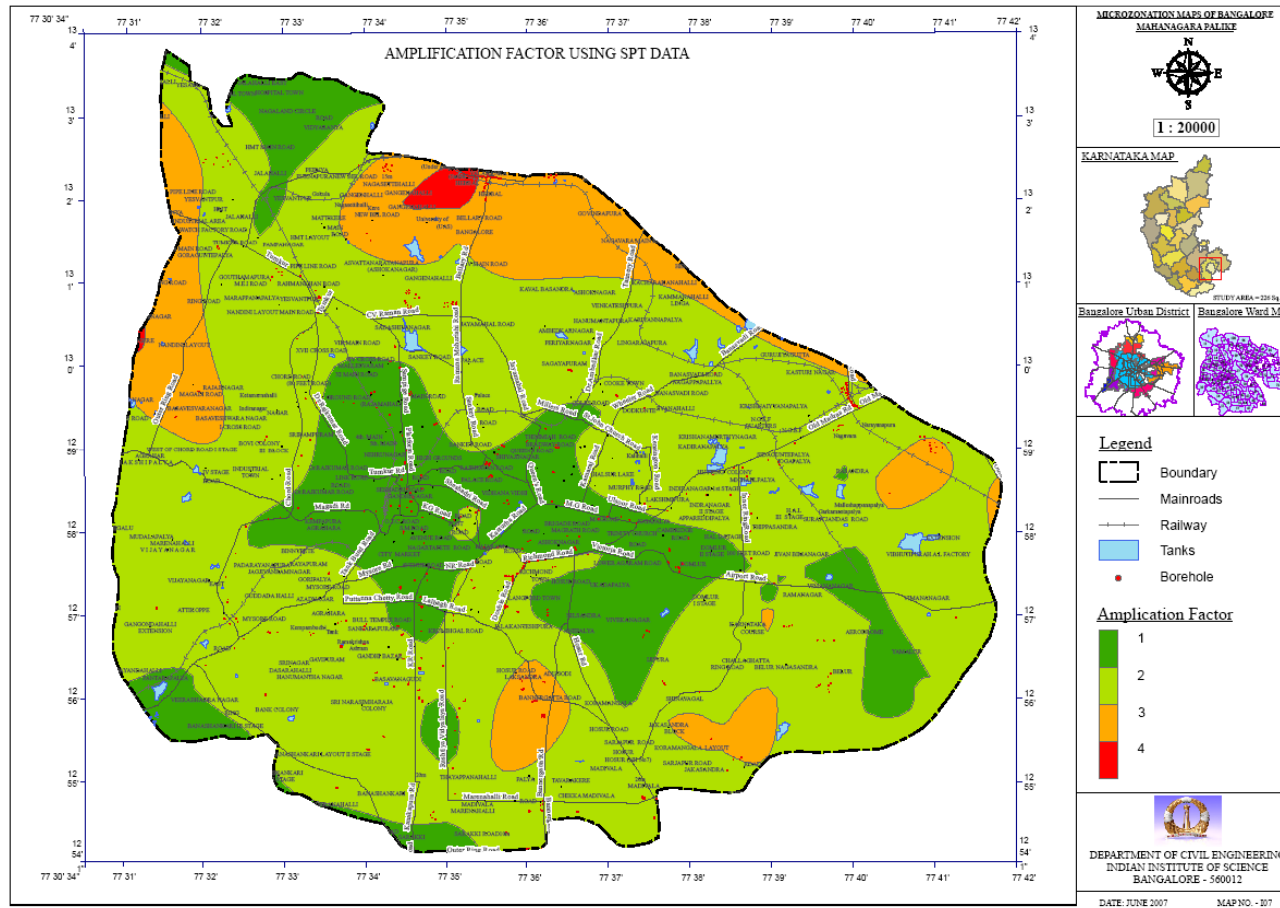
## Peak Horizontal Acceleration map at Ground Surface



# ✓ Peak Ground Acceleration and Amplification Ratio

## Amplification Factor Zones

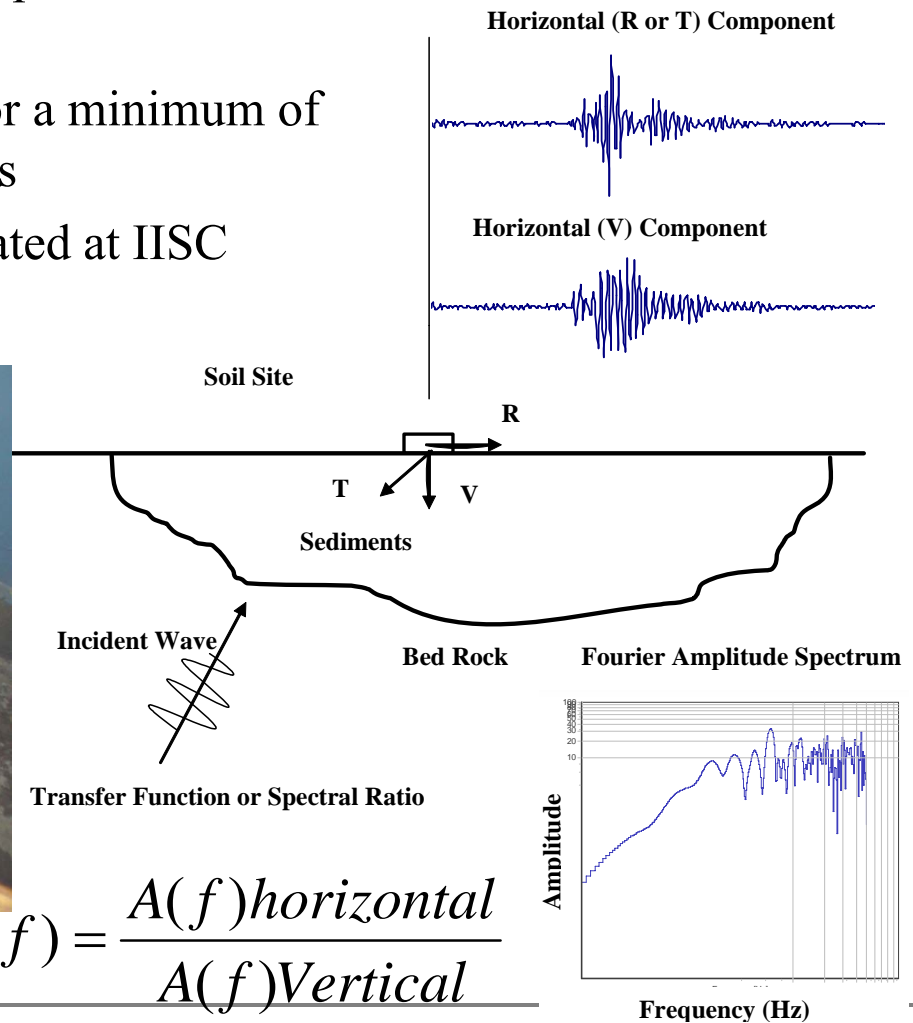
Zone	Amplification Factor
1 (I)	1.00-1.99
2 (II)	2.00-2.99
3 (III)	3.00-3.99
4 (IV)	> 4.00



## ✓ Instrument and Methodology

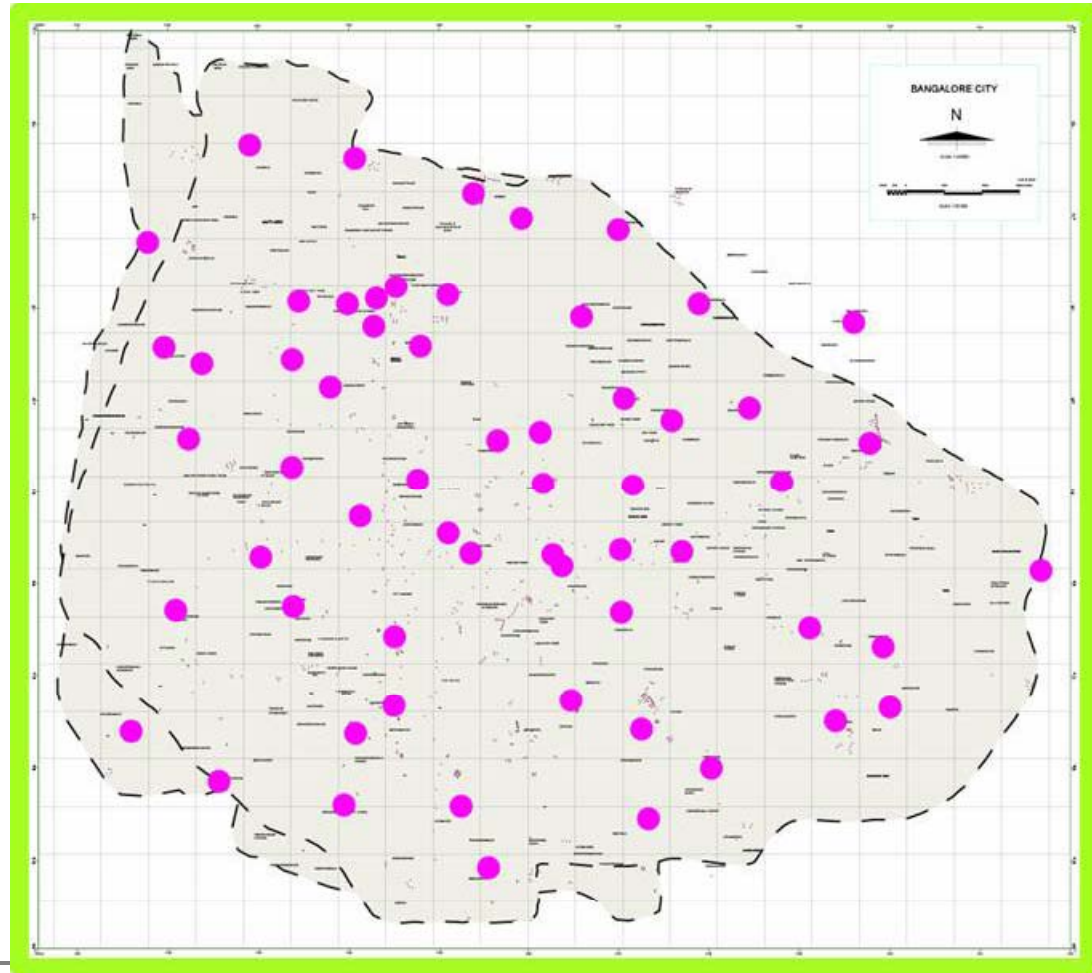
Predominant frequency is obtained by evaluating the horizontal to vertical spectral ratio (Nakamura, 1989)

- L4-3D short period sensors equipped with digital acquisition systems
- The duration of recording was for a minimum of 3 hours and a maximum of 26 hrs
- One permanent station was operated at IISC rock outcrop

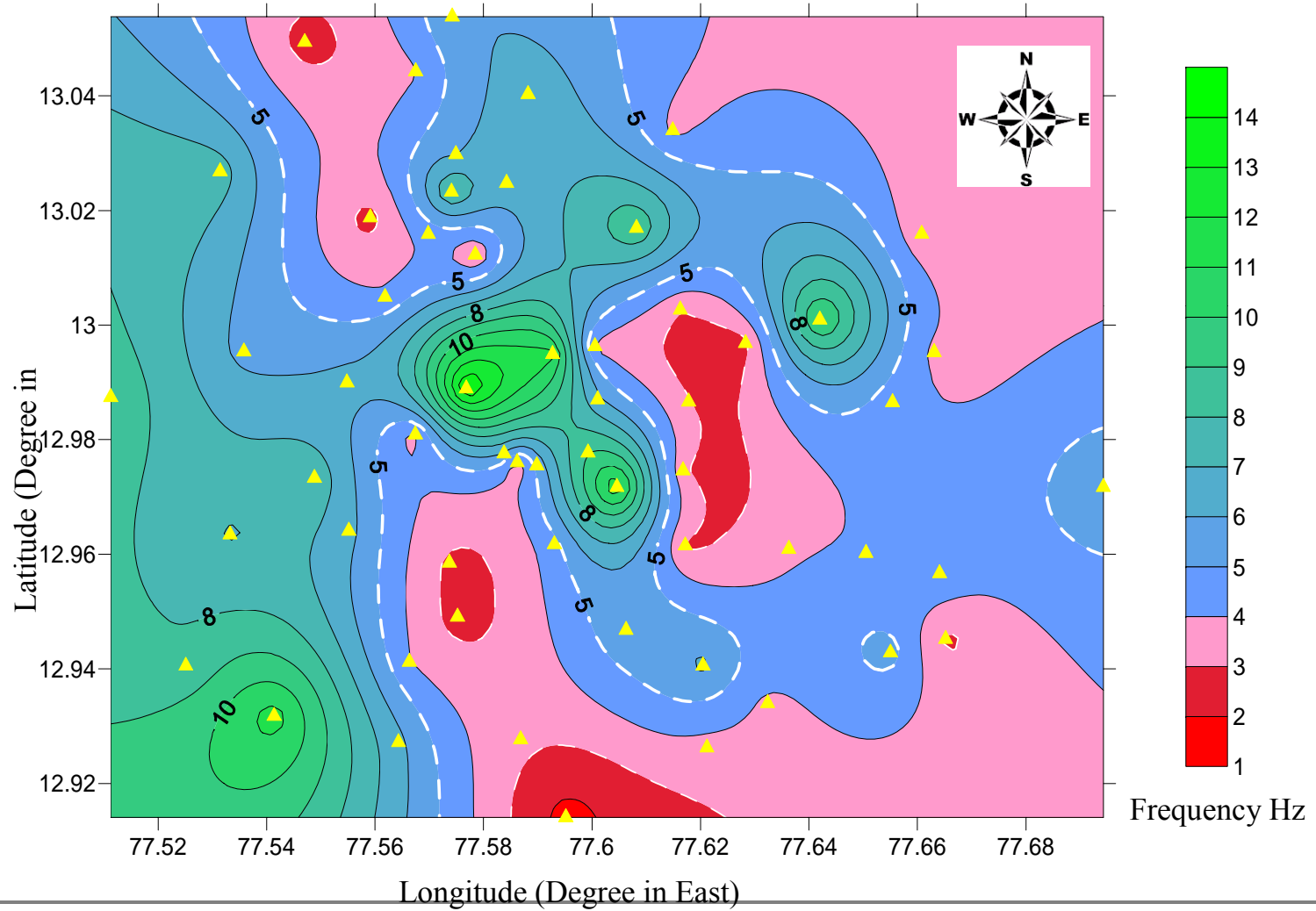


## ✓ Testing location

- 54 location testing was done
- The spectra and the H/V ratios have been computed using the JSESAME program
- Places are selected mostly like schools collages and Govt buildings

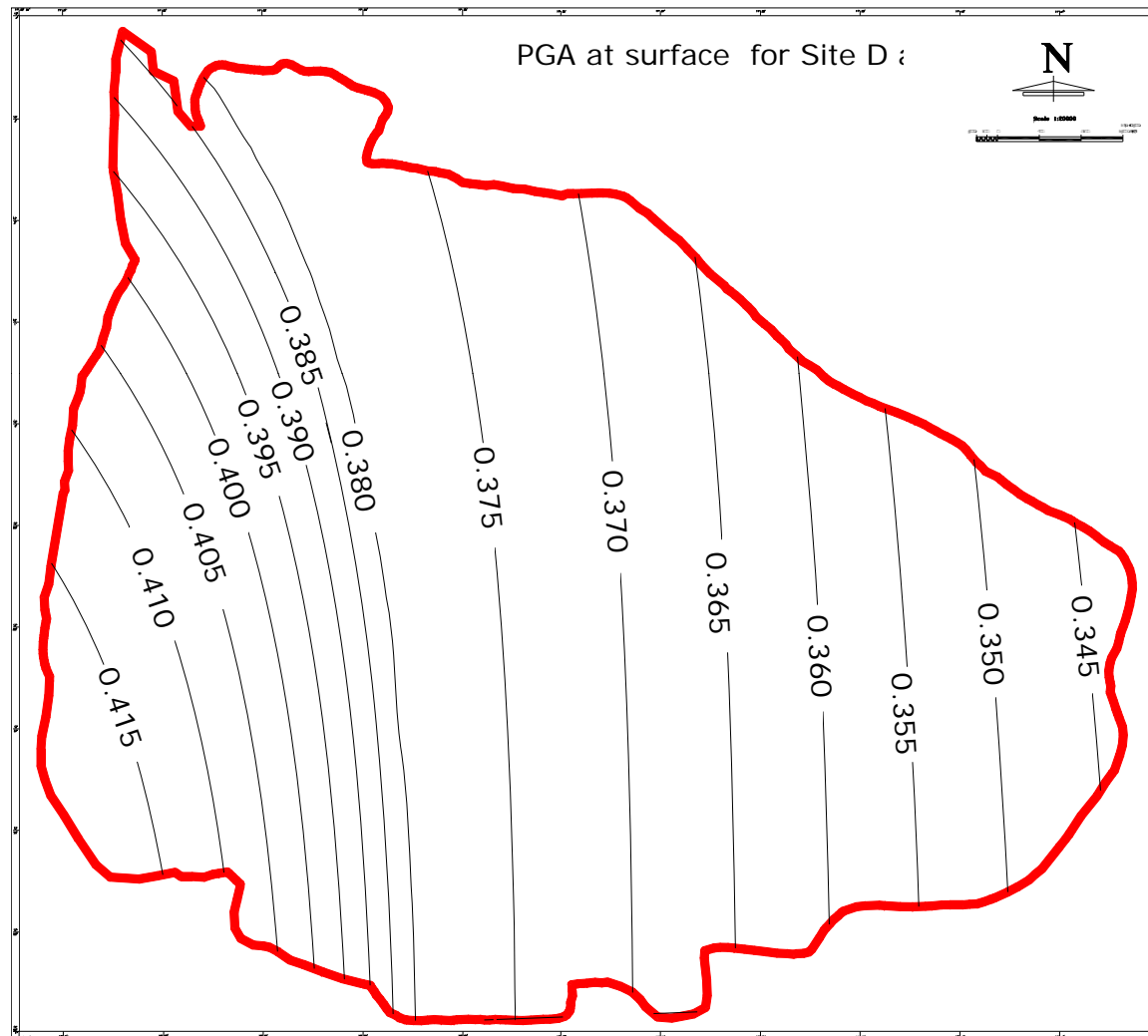


## Contour map of dominant frequency



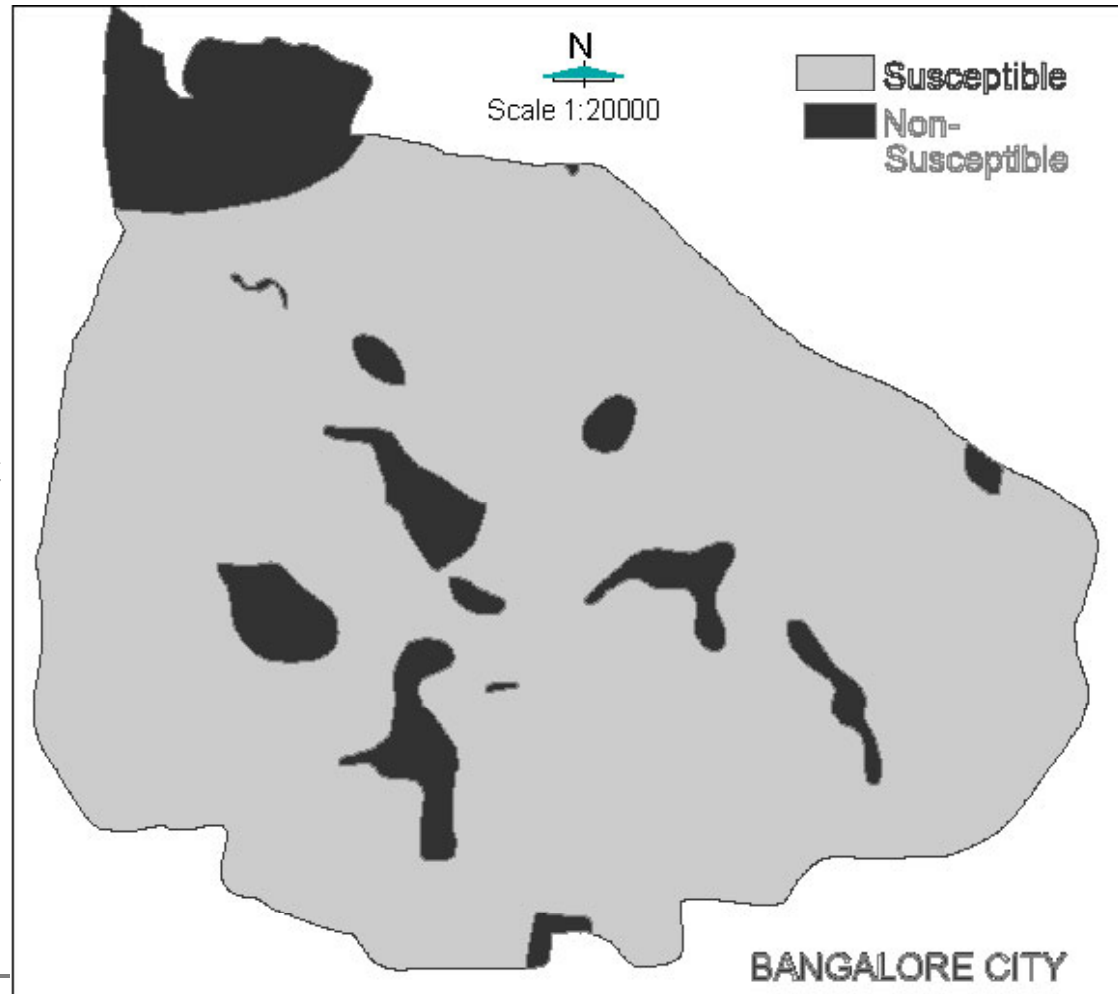


# Surface level PGA for site class D using PSHA

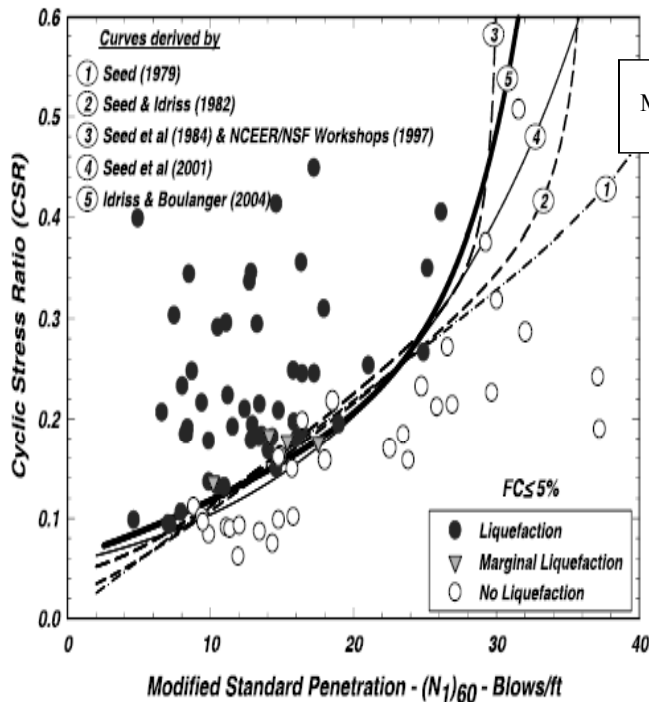
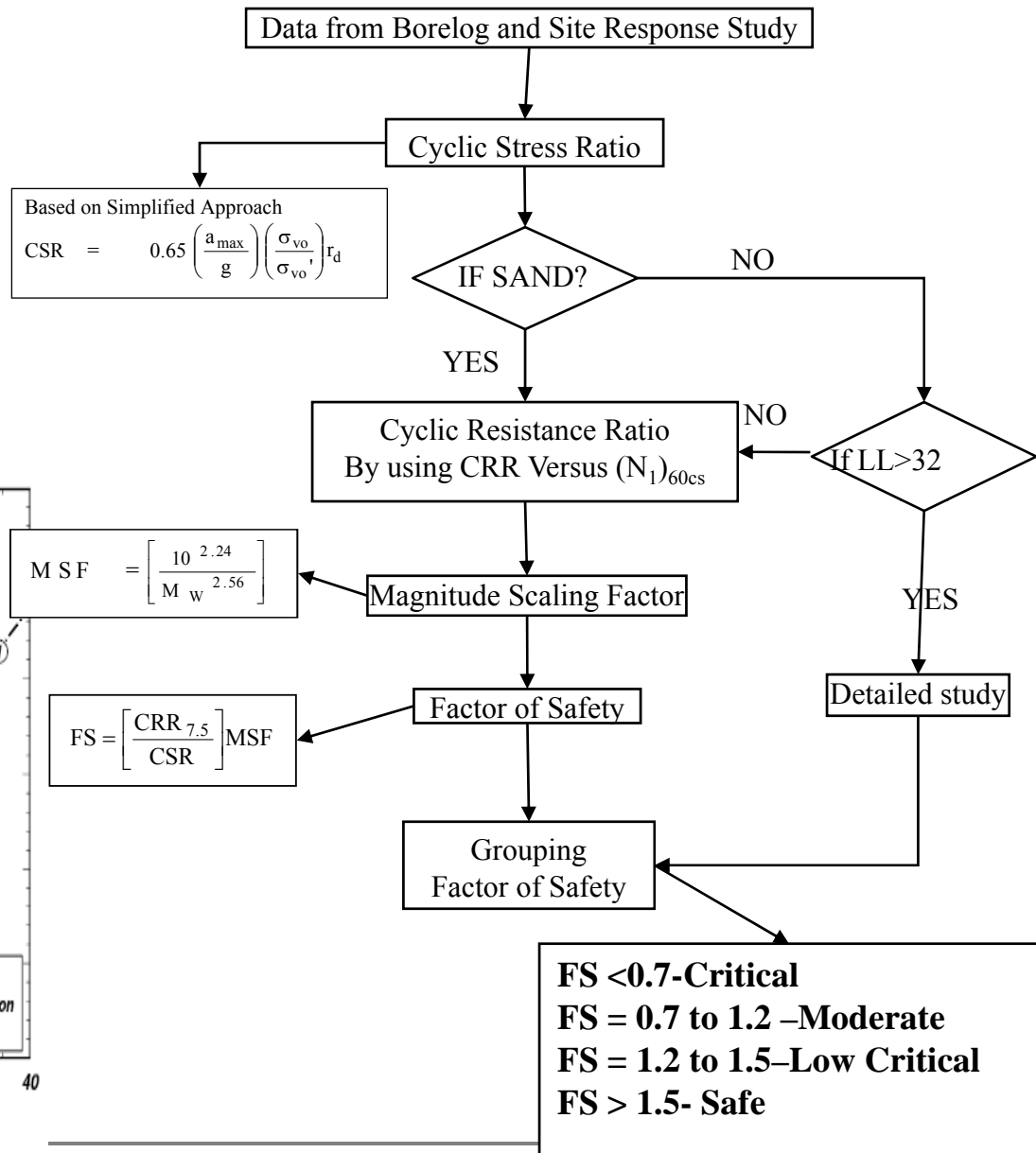


## ✓ Liquefaction Susceptibility Map

- Susceptible areas have been identified by considering the approach of Pearce and John (2005)
  - Presence of sand layers at depths less than 20m,
  - Encountered water table depth less than 10m, and
  - SPT field “N” blow count less than 20
- From SPT data susceptibility has been assessed

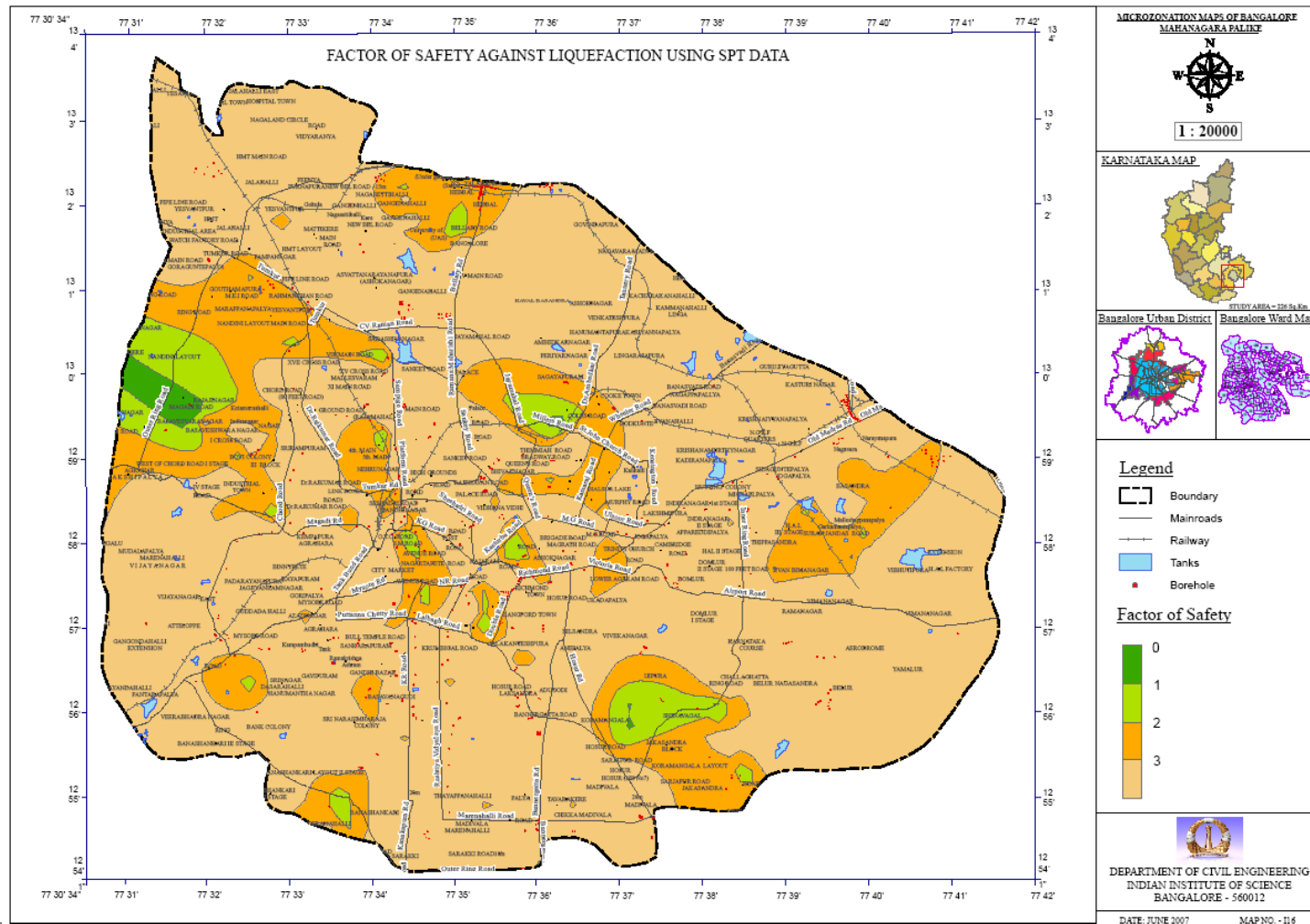


# Flow chart for Liquefaction Hazard Assessment



Simplified Procedure (Seed and Idriss, 1971) and subsequent revisions (Seed et al., 1983, 1985; Youd et al., 2001; Cetin et al., 2004)

# Factor of safety against Liquefaction



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## Integration of hazard maps on GIS Platform

- Saaty's Analytical Hierarchy process constructs a matrix of pairwise comparisons (ratios) between the factors of earthquake hazard parameters (EHP)
- Total 9 parameters are selected in this study
- Geomorphological Attributes -4 (also SPT and MASW)
- Seismological Attributes -5
- Weights and ranks are assigned based on the importance of factors towards hazard
- ArcGIS-9.2 has been used

**The advantage of GIS is the capacity for spatial analysis, and the advantage of AHP is the capacity of multi-index integrated evaluation**

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# Analytical Hierarchy Process

- Devised by Thomas Saaty
- Each stakeholder compares each pair of factors
- Assigns comparative weights
- forming a complete matrix
- Weights must sum to one

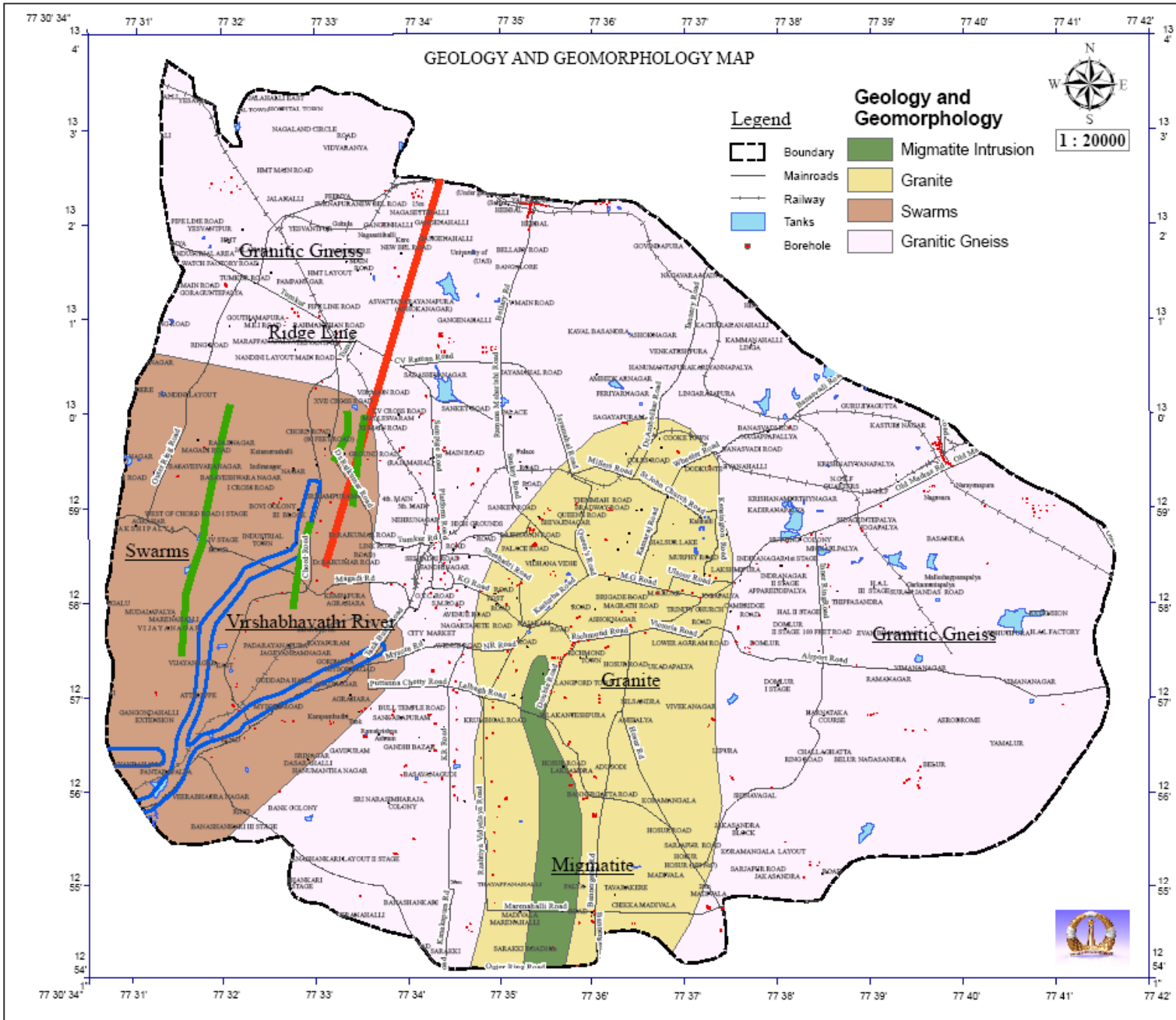
Although the AHP method has its unique advantages in multi-index integrated evaluation, it has some deficiencies- it can not effectively reflect the spatial distribution pattern of the evaluation results. However, GIS technology has strong spatial analysis capabilities, which can counter the AHP's deficiencies.

**Our method combines GIS with AHP is into the evaluation of seismic Hazards.**

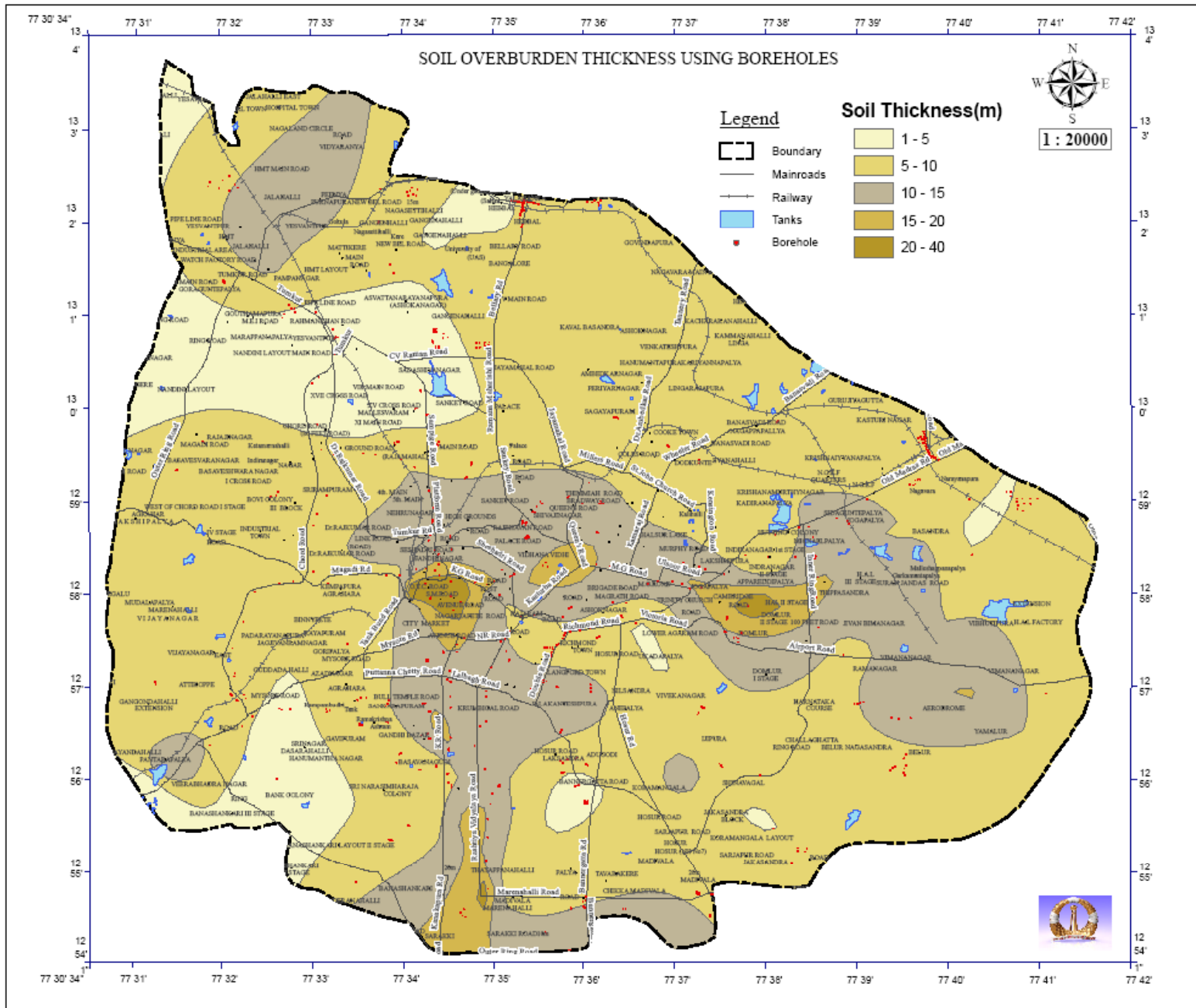
**The study, through GIS, divides the area into regular grids and then plots the divided map of seismic hazards into a format that allows the classification of hazard index indicating high to low hazard**

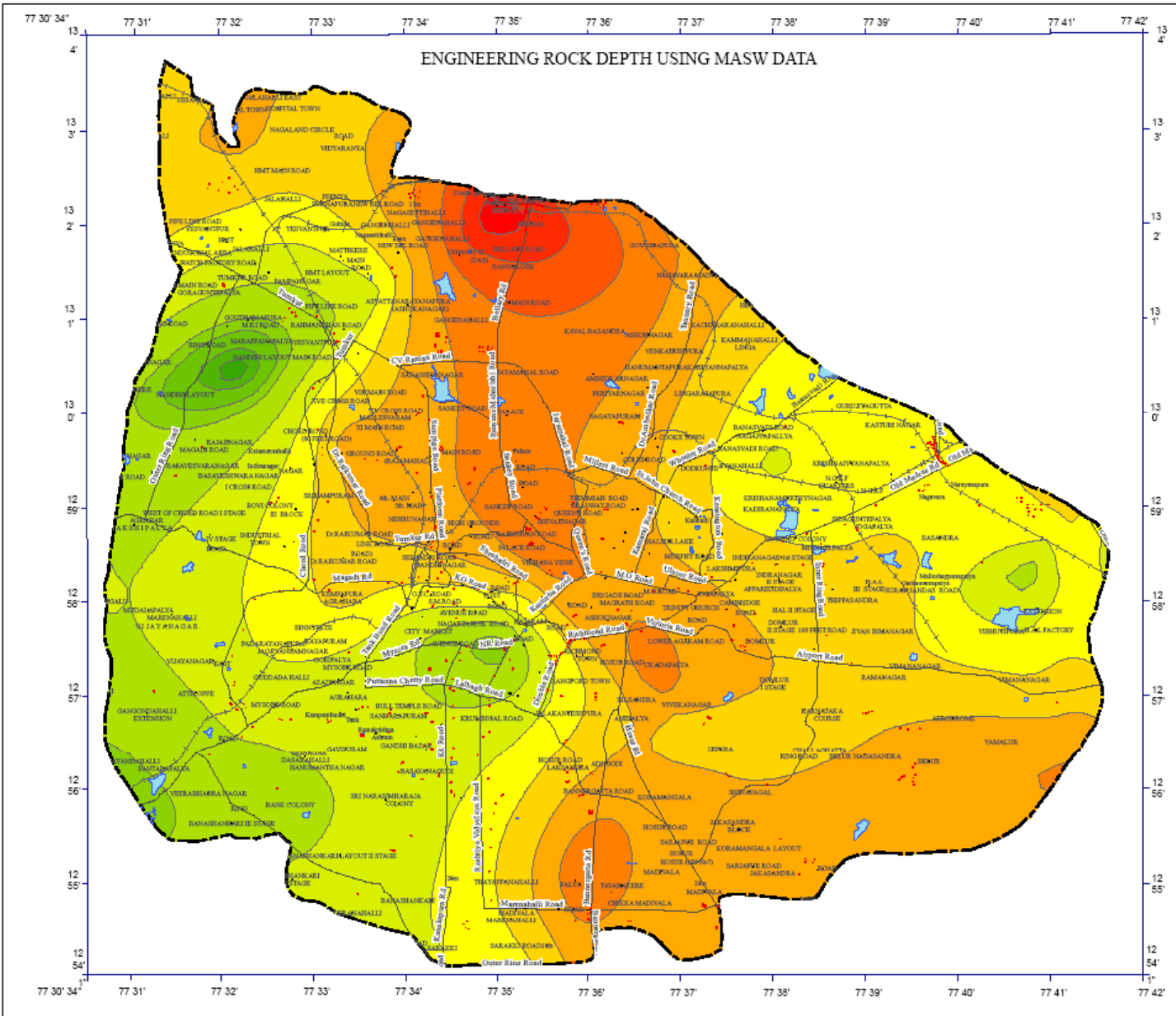
# Themes and its weights for GIS integration

Index	Themes	Weights
PGA	Rock level PGA using DSHA-DPGA	9
	Rock level PGA using PSHA-PPGA	9
AF	Amplification factor	8
ST	Soil Thickness using MASW	7
	Soil Thickness using borehole	7
SS	Equivalent Shear wave velocity for Soil	6
	Equivalent Shear wave velocity for 30 depth	6
FS	Factor of safety against liquefaction	5
PF	Predominant period / frequency	4
EL	Elevation levels	3
DR	Drainage pattern	2
GG	Geology and geomorphology	1









**MICROZONATION MAPS OF BANGALORE MAHANAGARA PALIKE**

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**KARNATAKA MAP**

STUDY AREA - 226 Sq. Km


**Bangalore Urban District**      **Bangalore Ward Map**

**Legend**

- Boundary
- Mainroads
- Railway
- Tanks
- Borehole

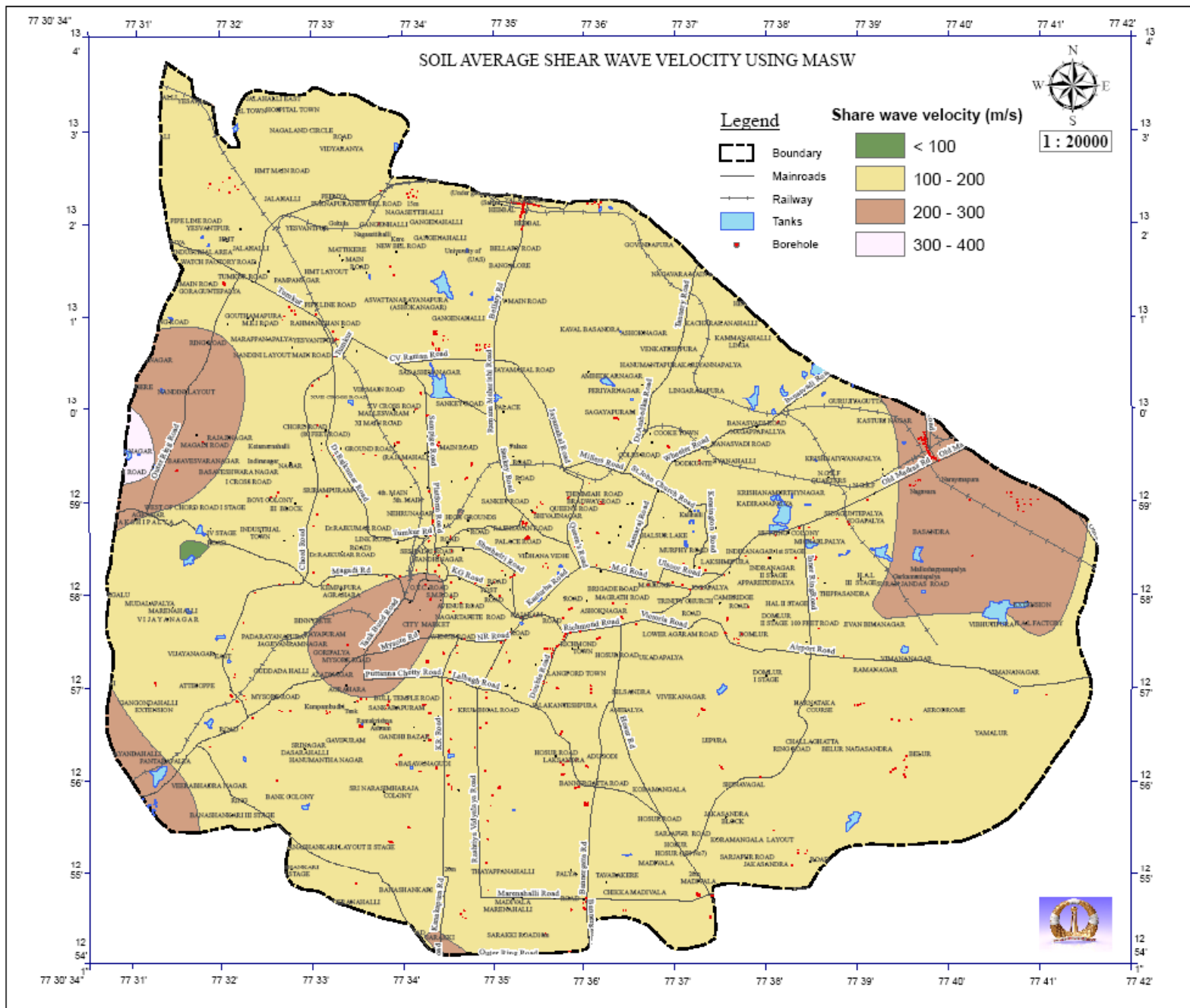
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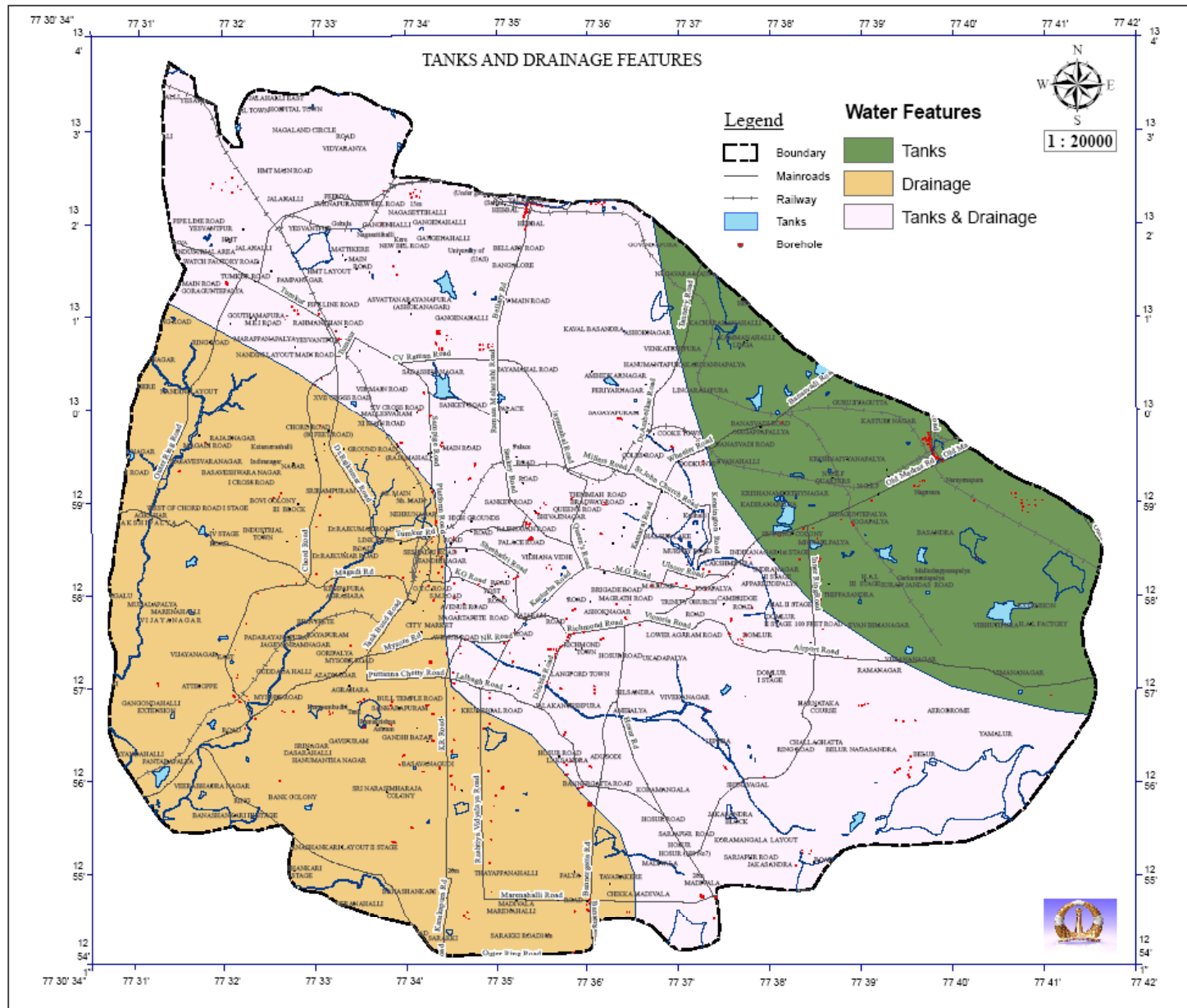
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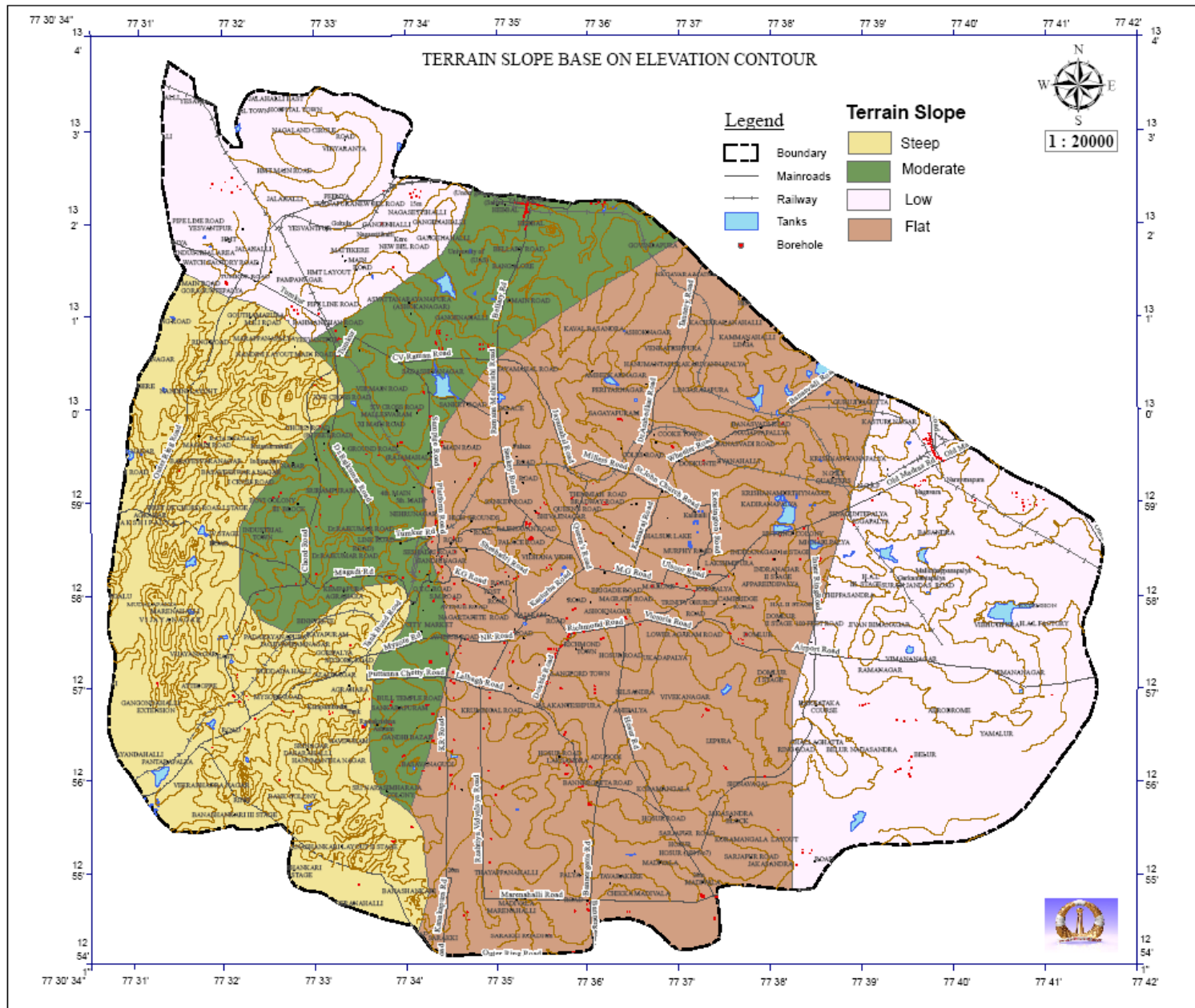


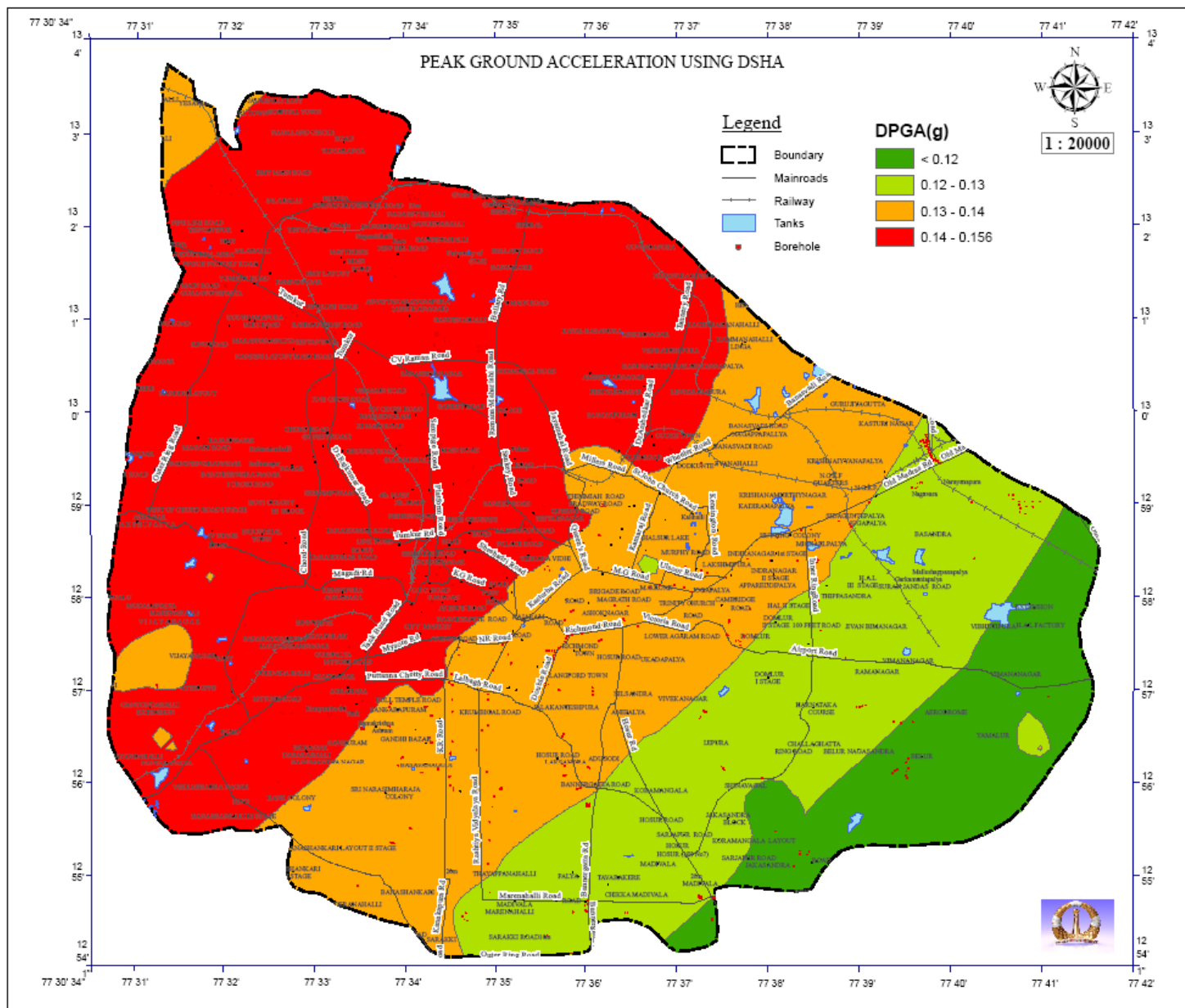
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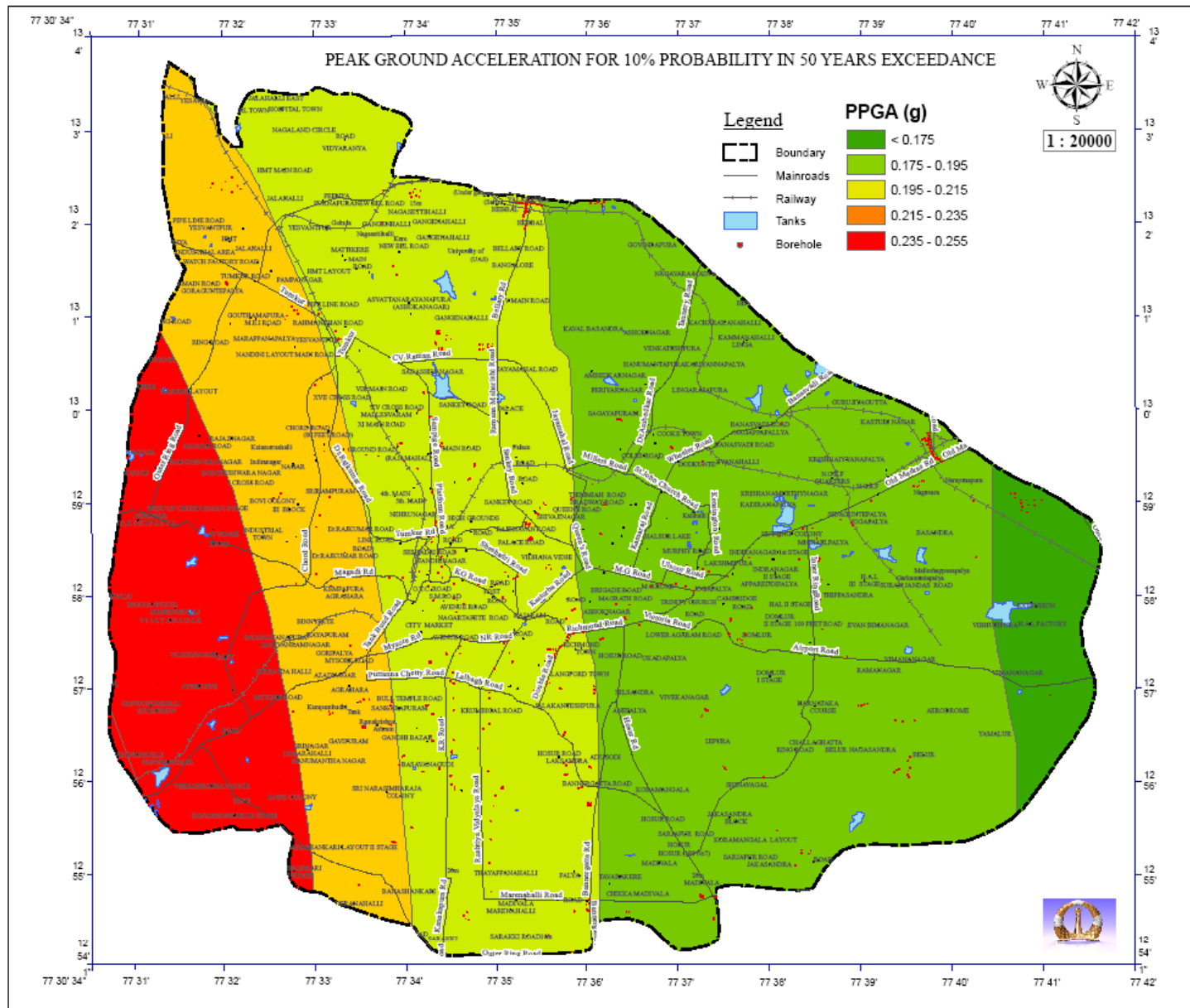
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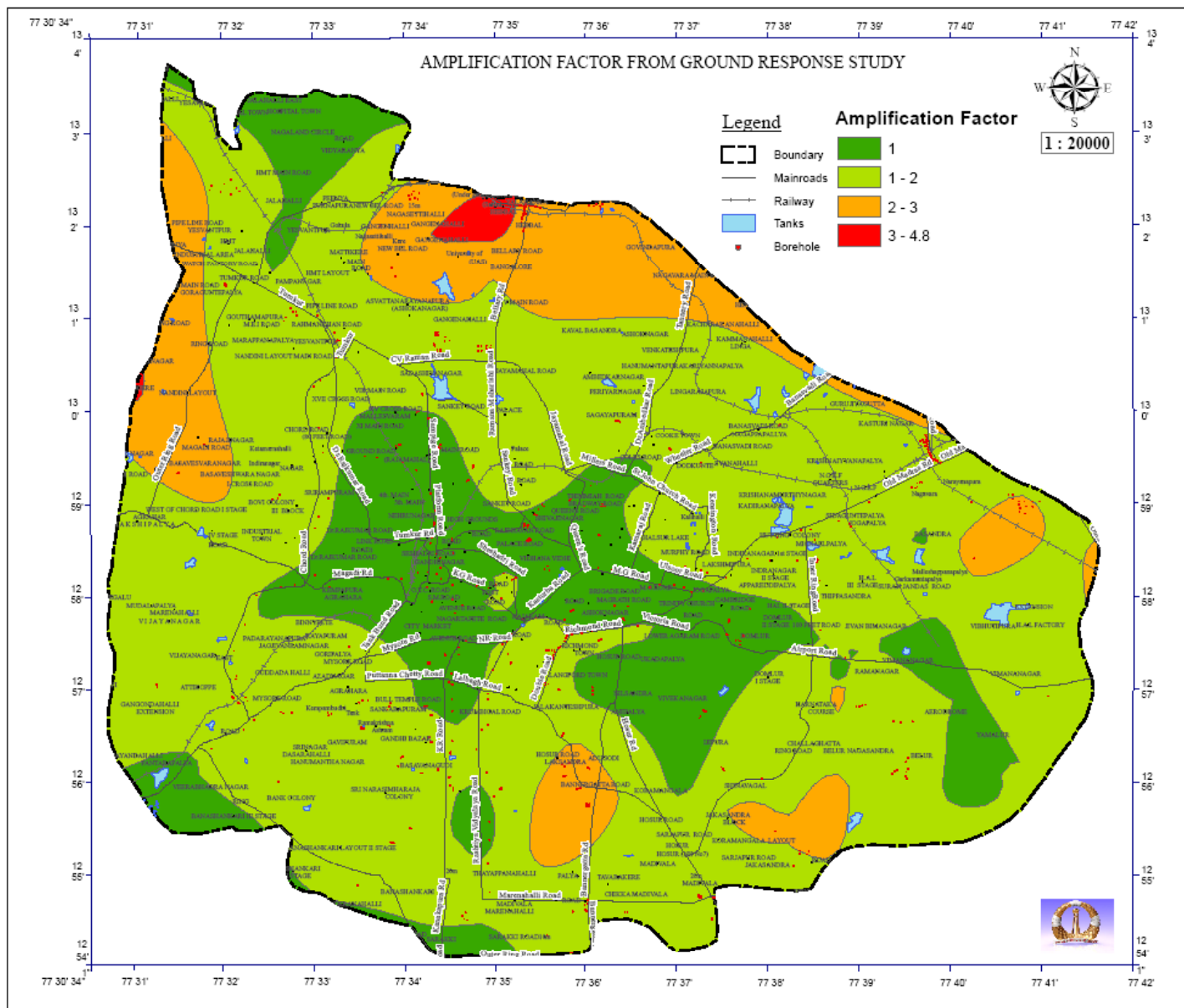




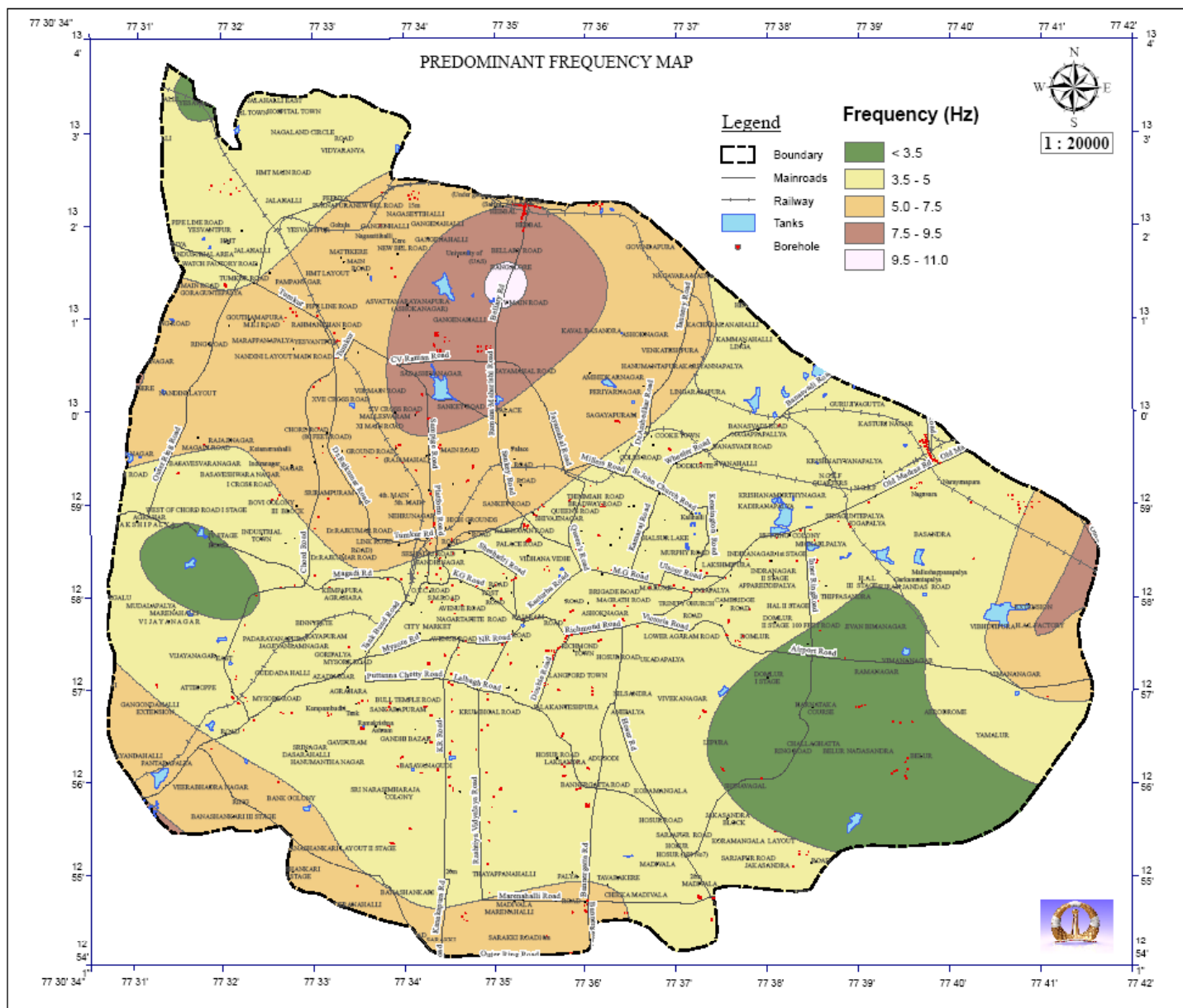


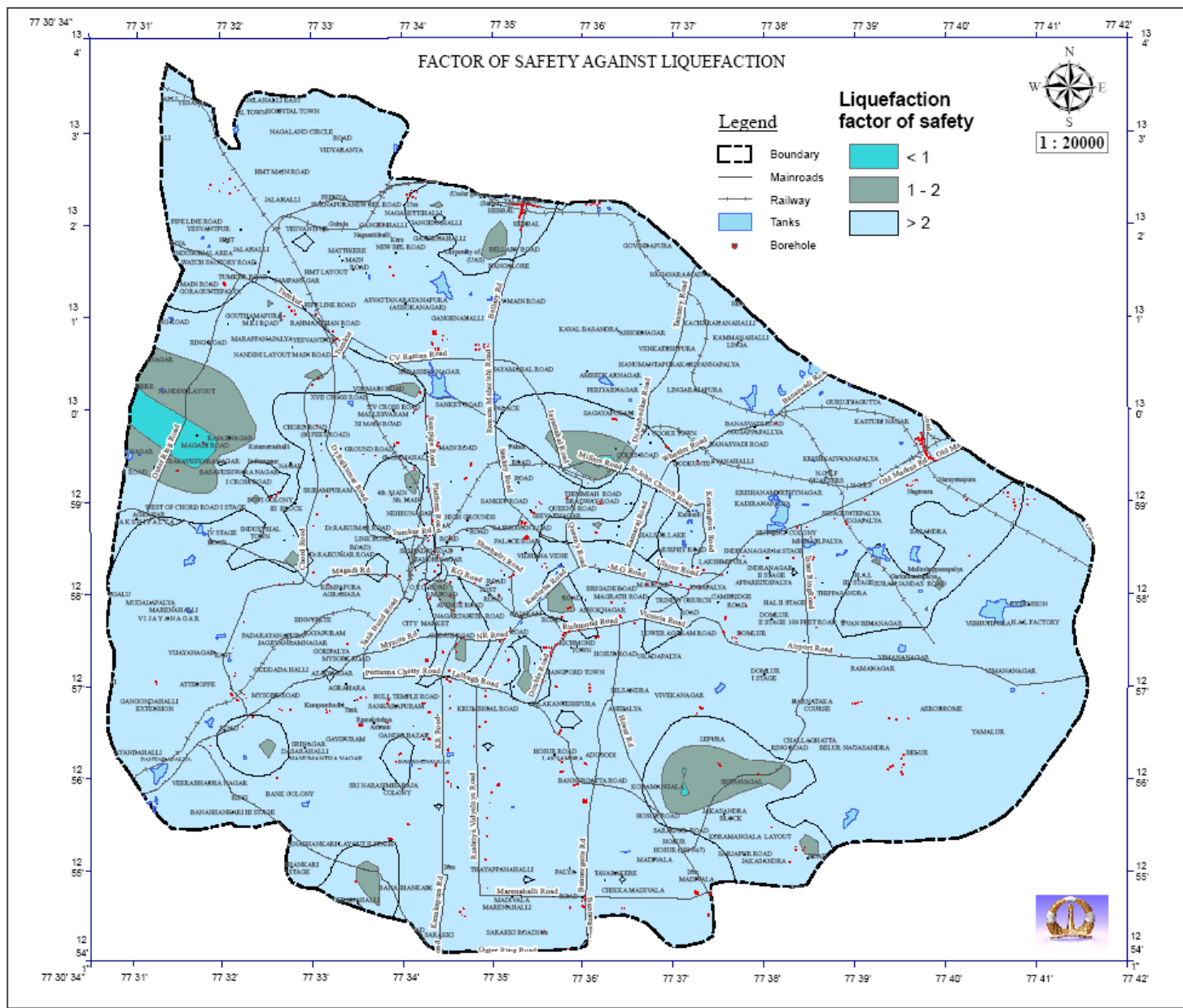












## Normalized ranks of the themes

Themes	Values	Weight	Ranks	Normalized Ranks
PGA (g)	<0.12	0.200	1	0
	0.12 to 0.13		2	0.33
	0.13 to 0.14		3	0.66
	0.14 to 0.15		4	1
AF	1-2	0.178	1	0
	2-3		2	0.33
	3-4		3	0.66
	>4		4	1
ST (m)	1-5	0.156	1	0
	5-10		2	0.25
	10-15		3	0.5
	15-20		4	0.75
	20-25		5	1
Vs (m/s)	<100	0.1333	4	1
	100-200		3	0.66
	200-300		2	0.33
	300-400		1	0
FS	<1	0.111	3	1
	1-2		2	0.5
	>2		1	0
PF (Hz)	<03.5	0.0889	1	0
	3.5-5		2	0.25
	5-7.5		3	0.5
	7.5-9		4	0.75
	9-11		5	1

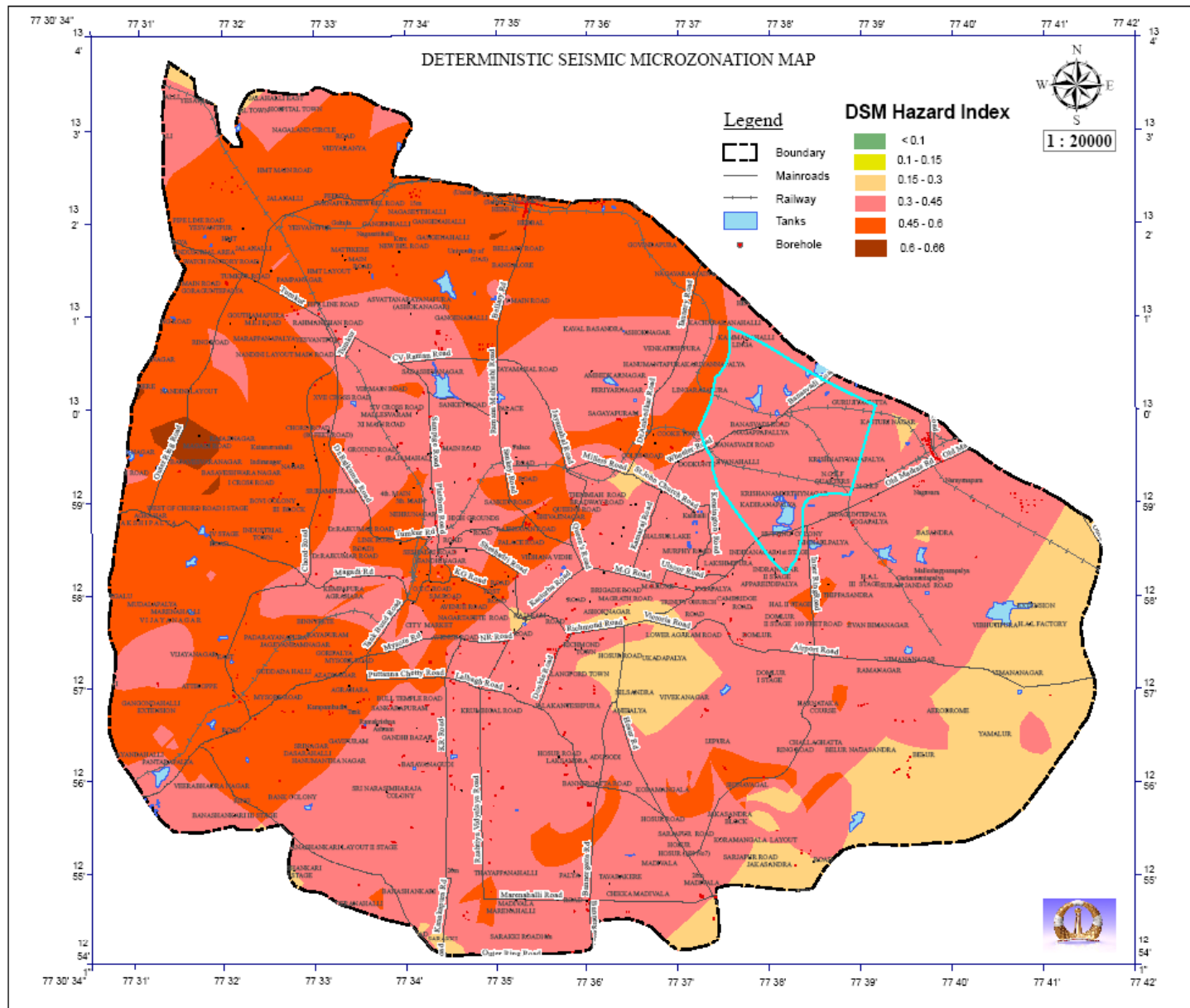
## Deterministic seismic microzonation map

$$DSM - HI = \left( DPGA_W DPGA_r + AF_W AF_r + ST_W ST_r + SS_W SS_r + FS_W FS_r + PF_W PF_r + EL_W EL_r + DR_W DR_r + GG_W GG_r \right) / \sum W$$

Integrated GIS map shows that

hazard index values vary from 0.10 to 0.66

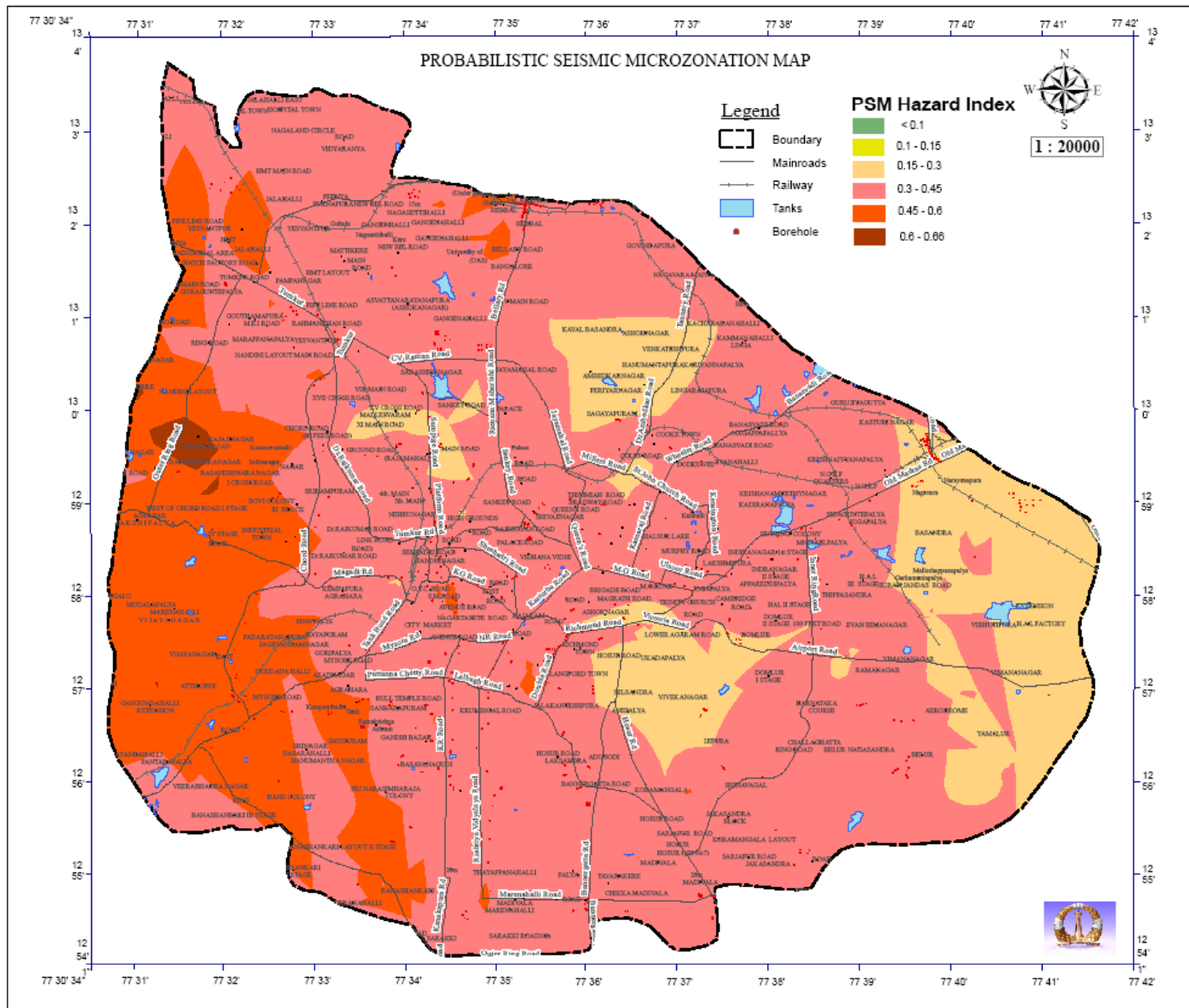
- ❖ The maximum hazard is attached to the seismic hazard index greater than 0.6 at western part of Bangalore.
- ❖ Eastern part of city attached to a minimum hazard when compare to other areas.
- ❖ Western and southern part has mixed hazard and northern part has moderate hazard.



## Probabilistic seismic microzonation map

$$PSM - HI = \left( PPGA_W PPGA_r + AF_W AF_r + ST_W ST_r + SS_W SS_r + FS_W FS_r + PF_W PF_r + EL_W EL_r + DR_W DR_r + GG_W GG_r \right) / \sum W$$

- ❖ Probabilistic hazard index values vary from 0.10 to 0.6
- ❖ These values are lesser than that of deterministic hazard index.
- ❖ The maximum hazard is attached to the seismic hazard index greater than 0.6 at south western part of Bangalore.
- ❖ Lower part (south) of Bangalore is identified as moderate to maximum hazard when compare to the northern part.



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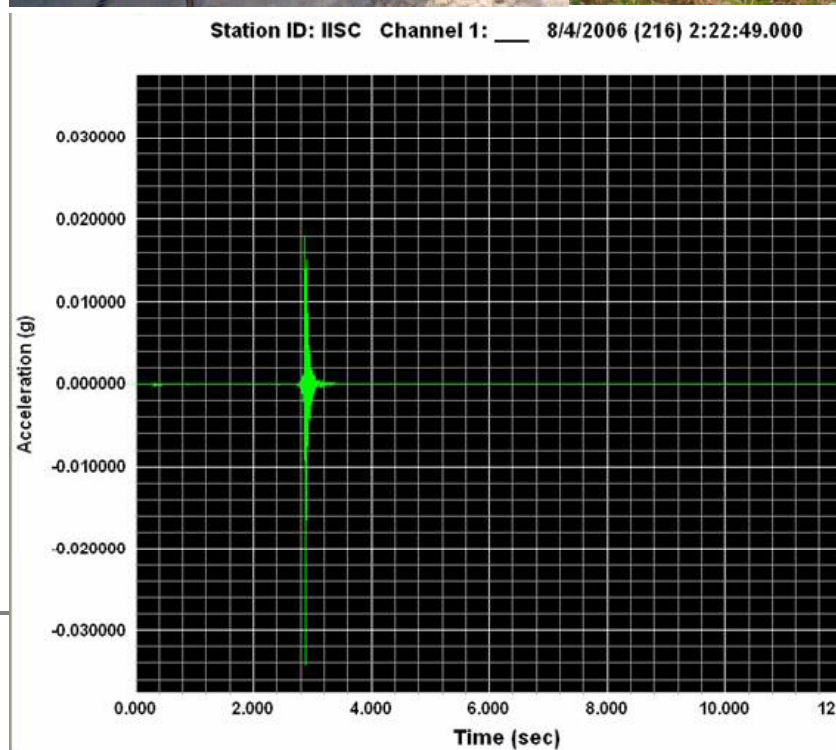
# Conclusions

- ❖ Area with Maximum hazard covered by DSM-HI is larger when compared to PSM-HI
- ❖ Maximum hazard at western part of city in DSM may be attributed to the location of seismic source (Mandya-Channapatna- Bangalore lineament) and larger PGA in that area.
- ❖ PSM shows that the maximum hazard is at south western part, because the maximum number of seismogenenic sources is located in that direction.



## Installations of Strong Motion Accelerographs and BBS

- 8 SMA procured from M/s Kinemetrics, USA installed in Bangalore (1 in Mysore)
- 6 surface and 2 borehole sensors.
- Many mild earthquakes recorded.
- EQ of 3.4 in the border of Andhra, Tamil Nadu and Karnataka recorded.
- BROAD BAND SEISMOGRAPH STS 2 – M/s Kinemetrics is installed



# SUMMARY

- Seismic hazard is evaluated for Bangalore with local site effects - maps have been prepared in GIS 1:20000 scale
- Microzonation study employed the following aspects:
  - Maximum credible earthquake considering both DSHA and PSHA –0.15g
  - Use of Attenuation relation developed for PI
  - Site characterization by geotechnical and geophysical methods
  - Site specific ground motion studies based on both analytical (1D equivalent linear analysis) and ambient noise survey – Moderate amplification
  - Liquefaction Analysis – No liquefaction threat
- Considering a Grid 1kmx1km– PSHA is carried out including site response
- Hazard maps have been prepared.