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Sta- ion <u>No.</u>	Station Name	REFTEK Number	Deployment Time (JD 274) hh:mm (UTC)	Pickup Time (JD 280) hh:mm (UTC)	Comments
N1	Seven Devils	7279	1600	1600	
N2	Coos Co. Forest	7322	1630	1630	Seismometer
	<u>.</u>				tampered with
N3	Beaver Hill	7355	1710	1712	PLN when deployed
N4	Noble Creek	7300	1800	1600	
N5	Coquille River	7278	1915	1806	Sample Rate 80 ms
N6	Middle Creek	7316	2015	1900	
N7	Tioga	7282	2100	1940	
N8	Williams River	7321	2210	2045	
N9	Long Ridge	7294	2310	2115	
N10	Melrose School	7364	2200	2156	
S1	Port Orford	7317	1626	1620	GPS No Lock
S2	Elk River	7100	1729	1707	Two channels (V,H1)
S3	Panther Creek	7301	1820	1750	
\$4	Panther Mtn.	7289	2005	1840	
S5	Agness Pass	7277	2055	1935	
S6	Rogue River	7296	2304	2136	
S7	Bear Camp	7101	2354	2230	Only one GPS Lock
S 8	Howard Creek	7302	0100 JD 275	2309	Two channels (V,H1)
S9	Golden Wedge	1502	010032273	2309	
	Mine	7281	1908 JD 275	0010 JD 281	
S10	Quartz Creek	7103	1700 JD 275	0150 JD 281	Failed to record Two channels (V,H1)

TABLE 5. Sonobuoy Launch Times and Locations

Sono- buoy <u>No.</u>	Line, FFID*	Launch Time JD:Hr:Mn:Second	Latitude (N) Longitude (W) Deg. Minute Deg. Minute
46	1A, 2754	220:23:05:53.027	60 02.6129 169 14.6611
47	1C, 280	221:06:56:10.223	60 25.5245 169 08.9543
48	1C, 1331	221:12:29:12.483	60 53.4262 169 02.1449
49	1D, 155	221:18:04:29.205	61 23.3408 168 54.3576

APPENDIX 1. R/V Ewing Air Gun Firing Times and Locations

UCT	· · ·	Lat. (N)	Long. (W)
Day:HR:MN:SEC	FFID	Deg. Min.	Deg. Minute
		223111111	- A TANAGE
Line CB01			
277:02:43:13.596	00103	43 27.6102	124 21.9956
277:03:00:15.566	00147	43 26.6286	124 23.0631
277:03:30:18.175	00235	43 24.7091	124 24.9628
277:04:00:18.977	00321	43 22.9125	124 26.8377
277:04:30:07.990	00404	43 21.1732	124 28.7690
277:05:00:18.699	00491	43 19.3270	124 30.8129
277:05:30:00.880	00576	43 17.4726	124 32.4988
277:06:00:18.078	00665	43 15.5757	124 34.4907
277:06:30:05.631	00750	43 13.8356	124 36.4291
277:07:00:03.592	00834	43 12.0172	124 38.2633
277:07:15:10.487	00876	43 11.1202	124 38.9450
Line CB05			
277:10:08:51.208	00104	43 13.3858	124 29.2266
277:10:30:11.146	00169	43 13.3141	124 31.6216
277:11:00:00.757	00264	43 13.2408	124 35.1000
277:11:30:10.008	00350	43 13.0798	124 38.1078
277:12:00:08.401	00434	43 12.9212	124 41.1892
277:12:30:11.582	00518	43 12.8632	124 44.2584
277:13:00:04.155	00602	43 12.6749	124 47.3269
277:13:30:14.432	00689	43 12.3434	124 50.5072
277:14:00:02.892	00776	43 12.1146	124 53.6157
277:14:30:06.004	00857	43 12.0605	124 56.5089
277:15:00:14.142	00939	43 12.1069	124 59.5744
277:15:30:06.734	01025	43 11.9852	125 02.7398
277:16:00:07.224	01113	43 11.7551	125 05.9386
277:16:30:20.275	01199	43 11.6308	125 09.0631
277:17:00:06.458	01285	43 11.4920	125 12.2315
277:17:30:08.167	01376	43 11.2694	125 15.5296
277:18:00:10.037	01463	43 10.9922	125 18.6518
277:18:30:53.413	01553	43 10.8393	125 21.9516
277:19:00:08.122	01639	43 10.7501	125 25.0634
277:19:30:00.645	01726	43 10.5856	125 28.2297
277:20:00:07.042	01816	43 10.3533	125 31.5579
277:20:12:42.245	01854	43 09.6455	125 32.4822
II ODA			
Line CB04			
277:20:31:56.944	00100	42 00 1221	106 30 4350
277:20:31:36.944	00102	43 08.1771	125 32.4372
277:21:30:08.914	00185	43 05.9924	125 32,3669
277:22:00:05.240	00270	43 03.7431	125 32.3543
277:22:30:16.176	00355 00439	43 01.4881	125 32.2956
277:22:30:10:176	00523	42 59.2314	125 32.2493
277:23:30:16.228		42 56.9896	125 32.2143
278:00:00:12.370	00610 00699	42 54.6327	125 32.3245
278:00:30:11.163	00099	42 52.2554	125 32.3412
278:00:58:15.485	00764	42 50.0200 42 47.8815	125 32.2821 125 32.0572
270.00.30.13.463	00004	72 47,0013	123 32.0372
Line CB06			
- *			
278:01:44:40.833	00101	42 48.9993	125 33.4243
278:02:00:12.160	00139	42 48.8671	125 31.8780
278:02:30:27,213	00208	42 48.6396	125 29.5865
278:03:00:08.517	00268	42 48.3660	125 27.4584
278:03:30:27.395	00333	42 48.2197	125 25.0874
278:04:00:17.689	00397	42 47.9021	125 22.7299
278:04:30:04.848	00470	42 47.6075	125 20.0321
278:05:00:06.626	00550	42 47.3850	125 17.0958
278:05:30:10.208	00634	42 46.9381	125 14.0705
278:06:00:18.320	00725	42 46.5435	125 10.7236
278:06:30:15.090	00814	42 46.1930	125 07.6280
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278:07:00:14.933	00901	42 45.8403	125 04.5469	279:17:00:15.140	01227	40 40 2020	104 41 6400
278:07:30:08.651	00986	42 45.4446	125 01.4656	279:17:30:05.426		42 40.3828	124 41.6480
278:08:00:03.935	01072	42 45.0810	124 58.4216	279:18:00:00.950	01424	42 38.1048	124 41.2165
278:08:30:05.283	01156	42 44.7900	124 55.4299		01509	42 35.8531	124 40.7938
278:09:00:00.694	01237	42 44.4861	124 52.5584	279:18:30:15.174	01594	42 33.6278	124 40.3745
278:09:30:21.544	01316	42 44.1720	124 49.7533	279:19:00:13.493	01680	42 31.3320	124 39.9767
278:10:00:16.047		_	· · · • •	279:19:30:01.823	01760	42 29.2963	124 39,4817
	01391	42 43.7901	124 47.1304	279:20:00:13.494	01839	42 27.1675	124 39.2205
278:10:30:14.836	01467	42 43.4004	124 44.3405	279:20:30:11.804	01921	42 24.9708	124 38.9345
278:11:00:01,500	01547	42 43.1629	124 41.4369	279:21:00:13.714	02005	42 22.7542	124 38.5564
278:11:30:00.271	01628	42 43.0515	124 38.4949	279:21:30:07.956	02089	42 20,4900	124 38.3073
278:12:00:10.818	01714	42 42.7398	124 35.3837	279:22:00:13.486	02175	42 18.2168	124 37.7613
278:12:11:16.762	01746	42 42.5987	124 34.2138	279:22:30:17.657	02263	42 15.8486	124 37.4274
				279:23:00:06.358	02353	42 13.4499	124 37.1967
Line CB06T				279:23:07:59.436	02377	42 12.8352	124 37.0884
278:13:10:51.908	00103	42 40.4444	124 32.9880	Line CB07			
278:13:30:14.931	00158	42 39,4920	124 34.578I				
278:14:00:13.184	00246	42 38.0653	124 37.0754	280:00:33:10.079	00102	42 14.9724	124 37.2126
278:14:30:04.174	00331	42 36.8819	124 39.6899	280:01:00:05.263	00177	42 15.2143	124 39.9594
278:15:00:09.626	00420	42 35.6390	124 42.4644	280:01:30:01.085	00265	42 15.5166	124 43.0562
278:15:30:12.243	00510	42 34.2098	124 45.0989	280:02:00:10.015	00350	42 15.5076	124 46.0712
278:16:00:16.314	00600	42 32.9656	124 47.8788	280:02:30:18.414	00433	42 15,7040	124 49.1072
278:16:30:13.376	00689	42 31.7122	124 50.5590	280:03:00:10.135	00518		124 52.1320
278:16:53:13.019	00755	42 30.7248		280:03:30:07.329	00603	42 16.0909	124 55.1472
				280:04:00:16.776	00690	42 16.1584	124 58.3059
Line CB03				280:04:30:02,992	00776	42 16.4413	125 01.3843
				280:05:00:10.803	00863	42 16.7079	125 04.5059
278:18:49:43.119	00104	42 31.1803	124 55.0315	280:05:30:20.490	00951	42 16.8271	125 07.6324
278:18:59:46.803	00129	42 31.8823	124 54.9045	280:06:00:07.729	01038	42 16.9263	125 10.7886
278:19:32:29,279	00130	42 31.0777	124 56.3565	280:06:30:18.089	01126	42 17.1299	125 13.9259
278:20:00:18.258	00156	42 29.2992	124 55.8522	280:07:00:18.420	01120		
278:20:30:08.454	00239	42 31.2082	124 55.1669	280:07:30:11.981	01309	42 17.4725	125 17.2581
278:21:00:18.603	00321	42 33.3984	124 54.6102			42 17.7558	125 20.5571
278:21:30:13.463	00406	42 35.6386	124 54.0681	280:07:46:42.418	01362	42 17.8625	125 22.4321
278:22:00:00.818	00400	42 37.9020	124 53.6506	Lies CDO4s			
278:22:30:13.504	00578	42 40,1765		Line CB04s			
278:23:00:01.480	00578		124 53.3134	202.20.22.22.22	00104		
278:23:30:13.238		42 42,3030	124 52.8964	280:08:02:23.945	00106	42 18.5793	125 23.6212
	00740	42 44.4693	124 52.4517	280:08:30:11.951	00181	42 20.5553	125 24.0540
279:00:00:19.986	00824	42 46.6787	124 52.1748	280:09:00:04.508	00267	42 22.8538	125 24.4219
279:00:30:14.002	00905	42 48.8454	124 52.1269	280:09:30:03.188	00356	42 25.2168	125 25.0514
279:01:00:05.791	00988	42 51.0158	124 51.4521	280:10:00:03.608	00448	42 27.6620	125 25.6255
279:01:30:21.260	01070	42 53.1612	124 51.0483	280:10:30:13.885	00541	42 30.0764	125 26.4417
279:02:00:12.243	01149	42 55.2633	124 50.8578	280:11:00:13.265	00632	42 32.4303	125 27.0421
279:02:30:18.362	01231	42 57.4629	124 50.2631	280:11:30:04.940	00722	42 34.7959	125 27.6391
279:03:00:15.864	01317	42 59.7057	124 49.7535	280:12:00:09.478	00815	42 37.2562	125 28.4700
279:03:30:12.776		43 02.0308	124 49.6356	280:12:30:18.221	00909	42 39.6638	125 29.2628
279:04:00:04.726	01485		124 49.1819	280:13:00:04.440	00999	42 42.0079	125 29.9014
279:04:30:10.487	01555	43 05.8180	124 48.8018	280:13:30:12.742	01086	42 44.1726	125 30.7297
279:05:00:10.529	01624	43 07.7633	124 48.4863	280:14:00:13.317	01166	42 46,2625	125 31.1849
279:05:30:10.329	01706	43 09.9824	124 48.0267	280:14:30:02.804	01243	42 48.2557	125 31.7983
279:06:00:19.840	01781	43 12.2963	124 47.5731	280:15:00:14.798	01319	42 50.1818	125 32.5497
279:06:30:13.529	01868	43 14.6090	124 47.2059	280:15:23:54.110	01380	42 51.7775	125 32.8437
279:07:00:06.204	01953	43 16.8831	124 46.8656	AT-1			
279:07:11:22.543	01985	43 17.7285	124 46.7986				
Line CB02							
279:09:45:57.807	00101	43 13.1471	124 36.9358				
279:10:00:20.087	00141	43 12.0812	124 37.1116				
279:10:30:11.217	00226	43 09.8227	124 37.7771				
279:11:00:09.029	00311	43 07.5358	124 38.2413				
279:11:30:01.200	00401	43 05.1594	124 38.6903				
279:12:00:08.101	00489	43 02.8680	124 39.1879				
279:12:30:04.160	00575	43 00.6100	124 39.6234				
279:13:00:14.134	00661	42 58.3128	124 40.0178				
279:13:30:18.031	00743	42 56.1869	124 40.3676				
279:14:00:16.521	00828	42 53.8947	124 40.9234				
279:14:30:12.978	00917	42 51.5633	124 41.5231				
279:15:00:11.474	01001	42 49,4349	124 41.8500				
279:15:00:11.474 279:15:30:15.135	01001 01078	42 49,4349					
		42 49.4349 42 47.3216	124 41.8500				
279:15:30:15.135	01078 01160	42 49.4349 42 47.3216 42 45.1420	124 41.8500 124 41.9611				

APPENDIX 2: CONVERTING REFTEK FORMAT DATA TO RECEIVER GATHERS

Below is a step by step description of the processes necessary to convert the continuously recorded REFTEK data into SEG-Y format common receiver gathers. The bulk of this reduction was carried out by the Stanford PASSCAL Instrument facility, however it was necessary for us to make/re-make several receiver gathers (where?). To cut 1 day of data with a 100 Hz sample rate and 20 s air gun repetition rate requires about 20 minutes of wall clock time. For more detail, please consult the online manual page for segygather.

- 1. Download data from REFTEKs compressed hard drives as described in text.
- 2. Convert REFTEK formatted data tapes to SEG-Y formatted tapes

use tar xvf /dev/nrst1 to read the refdump file from tape and write it to disk

Type:

mkdir XXXX (where XXXX is the station number)
cd XXXX
mt -f /dev/rstY/ rewind
ref2segy -t /dev/rstY (where Y is the tape device number)

If prompted, enter the sampling rate and gains in dB for each channel

3. Check REFTEK functioning and obtain station coordinates

These checks were made using the logview program to view the information contained in the REFTEK log file. A plot of the GPS coordinates obtained every hour can be obtained using the GPS tool. The average of these positions is used for the station location. Clock performance can also be assessed via plots of clock phase locking.

First, type logview filename where filename is a REFTEK logfile e.g. 94:231.7300.log

Second, click on GPS: Clock window in logview. A plot of all GPS coordinates and statistics on these locations will be provided.

4. Generate shot times file

This file should be in the format:

shot time lat lon 1 94:277:02:43:13.596 43.460171 -124.366592 2 94:277:02:43:38.730 43.459801 -124.367004 Note that shot time format is (yr:jd:hr:min:sec). This information is obtained from the shotfile generated on board the EWING (for shotfiles lon is negative in the western hemisphere). A detailed example of how to do this is given below:

First, combine all shot information into one big file: e.g. big.shot.

Second, edit (vi) timefit.awk to select needed dates for shottimes.

Third, type awk -f timefilt.awk big.shot >tmp. Puts output into tmp.

Fourth, type awk -f degmin2degdec.awk tmp >277_280.shotfile where 277_280.shotfile is an example of a shotfile name

Fifth, type head 277_280.shotfile to look at first few lines of shotfile

Sixth, type tail 277_280.shotfile to look at last few lines of shotfile

Seventh, vi 277_280.shotfile to delete s.ts.n220: from files
vi 277_280.shotfile to change "94-" to "94:"
vi 277_280.shotfile to change "94+" to "94:"
vi 277_280.shotfile to header line "shot time lat lon" in lower case

e.g. :%s/94+/894:/g in vi

Eighth, awk '{print \$1, \$2}' 220_228.shotfile >220_228.starttime

5. Generate Receiver File (RCVR file)

This file should be in the format:

number	DAS/C lon	lat	elevation
1	7317/1 42.737500	-124.508333	
2	7317/2 42.737500	-124.508333	79
3	7317/3 42.737500	-124.508333	79

number = arbitrary sequential station number

DAS = REFTEK unit number

C = Channel (1=vertical, 2=N-S Horizontal, 3=E-W Horizontal)

lon = negative in the western hemisphere
elevation = elevation in meters

6. Write cshell to produce start times list and cut data.

e.g. cut.csh

The same cshell can be used for both operations. First a start times list must be created. This list was created by appending the lists produced for each day in step 2. Secondly the continuous data was cut using segggather. The format is:

segygather -i ../starttimes -s ../shottimes -g

../rcvrfile -d device -n record_length -o output_device

An example c-script for Cape Blanco is:

#! /bin/cshls

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$1/R277.01/*.1>/breck/data1/CB/lst/$1.1.lstls
$1/R278.01/*.1>>/breck/data1/CB/lst/$1.1.lstls
$1/R279.01/*.1>>/breck/data1/CB/lst/$1.1.lstls
$1/R280.01/*.1>>/breck/data1/CB/lst/$1.1.lstls
$1/R277.01/*.2>/breck/data1/CB/lst/$1.2.lstls
$1/R278.01/*.2>>/breck/data1/CB/lst/$1.2.lstls
$1/R279.01/*.2>>/breck/data1/CB/lst/$1.2.lstls
$1/R280.01/*.2>>/breck/data1/CB/lst/$1.3.lstls
$1/R277.01/*.3>/breck/data1/CB/lst/$1.3.lstls
$1/R279.01/*.3>>/breck/data1/CB/lst/$1.3.lstls
$1/R279.01/*.3>>/breck/data1/CB/lst/$1.3.lstls
$1/R279.01/*.3>>/breck/data1/CB/lst/$1.3.lstls
$1/R279.01/*.3>>/breck/data1/CB/lst/$1.3.lstls
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/breck/data1/CB/segygather -i /breck/data1/CB/lst/\$1.1.lst -o /dev/nrst\$2 -s /breck/data1/CB/shot_times -d \$1/1 -g /breck/data1/CB/receivers -n 60 /breck/data1/CB/segygather -i /breck/data1/CB/lst/\$1.2.lst -o /dev/nrst\$2 -s /breck/data1/CB/shot_times -d \$1/2 -g /breck/data1/CB/receivers -n 60 /breck/data1/CB/segygather -i /breck/data1/CB/lst/\$1.3.lst -o /dev/rst\$2 -s /breck/data1/CB/shot_times -d \$1/3 -g /breck/data1/CB/receivers -n 60

where \$1/RZZZ.01/*.N defines the year, julian day and REFTEK channel number where /breck/data1/CB defines the data directory

The first twelve lines produce a list of all the start times for days 277 to 280 (the period of the EWING cruise). The 1s are for component 1, 2s for component 2, and 3s for component 3. Segygather is then run using the start times list generated (\$1.lst), the shot file (shot_times), and the receiver file (receivers). The data was cut to 60 sec, this means that a 60 sec slice of the continuous data was cut for each shot. The shots were separated by 20 to 30 sec resulting in more than one shot being recorded on each trace. The cut traces are then downloaded to tape.

When finished editing, type chmod +x cut.csh to make it executable

Put a new, labeled Exabyte tape in the Exabyte tape drive.

Run program by typing cut.csh XXXX Y where XXXX is the station number and Y is the tape device number.

7. Load into PROMAX

The data is now in a format suitable to be loaded into PROMAX. Appendix 2 lists the necessary input parameters. Read tape using ProMAX software and make screen display to verify segygather worked properly.

APPENDIX 3. PASSCAL SEGY TRACE HEADER FORMAT

Byte #	Description
1 - 4 5 - 8 9 - 12 13 - 16	Trace sequence number within data stream Trace sequence number within reel (same as above) Event number Channel number
29 - 30	Trace identification code = 1 for seismic data
69 - 70 l	Elevation constant = 1
115 - 116	Number of samples in this trace (note if equal 32767 see bytes 229 - 232)
117 - 118	Sample interval in microsecs for this trace (note if equal 1 see bytes 201 - 204)
119 - 120	Fixed gain flag = 1
121 - 122 	Gain of amplifier
157 - 158	Year data recorded
159 - 160	Day of year
161 - 162	Hour of day (24 hour clock)
163 - 164	Minute of hour
165 - 166	Second of minute
167 - 168	Time basis code: 1=local 2=GMT 3=other
174 - 174	Stake number index
181 - 186*	Station Name code (5 chars + 1 for termination)
187 - 194*	Sensor Serial code (7 chars + 1 for termination)
195 - 198*	Channel Name code(3 chars +1 for termination)
199 - 200*	Extra bytes (2 chars)
201 - 204*	Sample interval in microsecs as a 32 bit integer
205 - 206*	Data format flag: 0=16 bit integer 1=32 bit integer
207 - 208*	Miliseconds of second for first sample
209 - 210*	Trigger time year
211 - 212*	Trigger time julian day
213 - 214*	Trigger time hour
215 - 216*	Trigger time minutes
217 - 218*	Trigger time seconds
219 - 220*	Trigger time milliseconds
221 - 224*	Scale factor (IEEE 32 bit float)
005 0064	(true amplitude = (data value)*(scale factor)/gain
225 - 226*	Instrument Serial Number
229 - 232*	Number of Samples as a 32 bit integer
233 - 236*	Max value in counts.
237 - 240*	Min value in counts.

^{*} Header values not specified in the standard SEGY format

APPENDIX 4. PROMAX INPUT AND PROCESSING PARAMETERS

This appendix contains all the information necessary to load the Cape Blanco, Oregon wide-angle seismic data into ProMAX, manipulate the ProMAX database, filter the data, produce plots and pick arrivals. The appendix is divided into four sections. The first describes the structure of the flows used, the second then lists the input parameters for all the ProMAX tools used the flows. The third describes how to pick and export arrival times.

1.0 FLOWS

1.1 INPUT FROM TAPE TO DISK

SEG-Y Input Disk Data Output

1.2 PROCESS AND PLOT ADJACENT SHOTS

This flow was used to realise our first objective, to simply plot the data for a 'first look'. Thus no velocity reduction was applied and all traces were plotted with equal spacing.

Disk Data Input
Trace DC Removal
Bandpass Filter
Automatic Gain Control
Spiking/Predictive Decon
Create CGM+ Plotfile
Plot CGM+ Plotfile ZGS

1.3 GEOMETRY

Non-standard geometry is difficult in ProMAX. Rather than do the geometry inside ProMAX the necessary parameters were calculated outside ProMAX and then imported to ProMAX. It was necessary, however, to initialise the geometry first which was achieved as follows.

Geometry Installation*

The * indicates it is a standalone tool which does not need Disk Data Input.

1.4 PROCESSING AND PLOTTING AS A FUNCTION OF RANGE

This flow was used once the shot-receiver ranges had been imported into the ProMAX database. On each occasion the flow is run the range information must be read from the database, it is not stored permanently as a header value.

Disk Data Input
Trace DC Removal
Bandpass Filter
Database/Header Transfer
Trace Header Math
Trace Header Math
Linear Moveout Correction

Automatic Gain Control
Spiking/Predictive Deconvolution
Trace Mixing
Trace Header Math
Create CGM+ Plotfile
Plot CGM+ Plotfile ZGS

The two Trace Header Math tools after the Database/Header Transfer load the range and the absolute range into OFFSET and AOFFSET respectively. This transfer allows the velocity tool to be used on the screen display. The trick to plotting as a function of range is to pretend the range is a CDP. To do this the integer value of the range is loaded into the CDP header prior to plotting. The plot is then created in the CDP spatial domain. The conversion to an integer means it is necessary to calculate the range in meters otherwise all shots within 1 km would be collapsed together.

2.0 Promax tool parameters

Below are lists of the critical input parameters for the tools used, note that this is not a complete list.

2.1 SEG-Y INPUT

Type of storage Tape Input multiple files from tape(s) Yes Multiple file selection Select Specify input files list 1/ IBM standard label? No Input data's sample rate 0.8Maximum time to input 60000.0 Get channel number from trace headers Yes Input trace format Get from header Is this stacked data? No Maximum traces per ensemble 12283 Primary sort header word SHOT Input primary selection choice Input ALL Input secondary selection choice None Enter primary tape drive device path name /dev/rmt/1

Notes: When selecting which file to load it is only possible to indicate one file at a time. To view more than one channel, first execute the flow, and then change the 1/ to a 2/ and execute again. When ProMAX gets to the end of the file it states 'Run out of data'. This phrase simply means 'at the end of the file' so select 'stop'.

2.2 DISK DATA OUTPUT

Record length to output 0.0
Compress the data Yes
Pre-geometry database initialization No

Note: The 0.0 outputs all the data.

2.3 DISK DATA INPUT

Trace read option

Select primary trace header entry

Select secondary trace header entry

Select tertiary trace header entry

Sort order for dataset

Sort

Recording channel number

Field file ID number

None

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Notes: In some flows it is necessary to indicate all traces for a process in which case it is useful to have the primary trace header entry something that is the same for all traces. In the case of the Chukchi data, channel number is such a field. The secondary trace header entry is actually the one that picks out the required traces.

2.4 BANDPASS FILTER

Type of filter

Type of filter specification

Phase of filter

Domain of filter Frequency values

Single filter

Ormsby bandpass

Zero

Frequency

3-5,10-12

Note: The phase of the filter (zero or minimum) may be used depending on the processors preference.

2.5 TRACE HEADER MATHS

Select mode

Define trace header equation

Fixed equation mode aoffset=abs(range)

Notes: This tool simply sets the anoffset attribute to the absolute value of the range for each trace. It is useful to put the calculated range in offset and anoffset as this allows the velocity tool to be used on screen.

2.6 LINEAR MOVEOUT CORRECTION

Type of LMO application

Header entry used to specify distance

Select primary header entry

Specify velocity parameters

Additional Time Shift

Forward

aoffset

None

8000:

-2000

Notes: The distance used must be positive otherwise the timeshift applied will be in the wrong direction for the negative ranges.

2.7 SCREEN DISPLAY

2.7.1 CONSTANT TRACE SPACING

Number of traces per screen

Maximum number of ensembles per screen

Do you wish to use variable trace spacing?

Select trace display mode

Primary trace labelling header entry

Mode of primary trace annotation

500

No

WT/VA

FFID

Incremental

Increment for primary trace annotation Secondary trace labelling header entry

50 None

Trace scaling mode

Conventional

Notes: An ensemble is the group of traces indicated by a single value of the 'primary trace header entry' specified in 'Disk Data Input'. If FFID is specified as the primary entry then the maximum number of ensembles will have to be the same as the number of traces as there is only one trace per ensemble. The best solution is to specify a large number.

2.7.2 VARIABLE TRACE SPACING

Number of traces per screen

Maximum number of ensembles per screen

Do you wish to use variable trace spacing

Header entry for trace spacing

Secondary trace labelling header entry

Mode of annotation

Increment

O

Yes

range

range

Incremental

50

Notes: It is only possible to display the data on the screen with variable trace spacing if all the data is displayed on one screen. The user must then zoom in and out to have a closer look if necessary. The 'traces per screen option' must be either 0, for automatic mode, or a number greater than twice the total number of traces. Ideally the 'primary trace header entry, specified in the 'Input from Disk' should be something that specifies all traces (channel number for the Cape Blanco data), in which case we can enter one here. Otherwise the 'maximum numberof ensembles' must be greater than twice the number of traces. If the maximum number of ensembles specified is not 1 the automatic mode for number of traces does not work in which case both numbers must be greater than twice the total number of traces. Twice the number of traces must be specified because ProMAX will only display half the number given. A problem occurs if the number of traces is greater than 499 as the largest number that can be entered in either of these options is 9999.

2.8 CREATE CGM+ PLOTFILE

2.8.1 CONSTANT TRACE SPACING

Plot file name cgmplot
Plotting units cm

Spatial domain of plot Input trace order

CDP increment

Submenu to view Traces/Plots/Posts/Graphs

Components list Post>Header>FFID

Posting method Value

Select header values to post 3289-4934(400)

Include label Yes
Label text FFID

Components list >primary trace data<

Trace space (traces/plot unit) 80
Time scale (plot units/sec) 2
Start time 0

End time

Timing lines

Timing annotation increment Timing annotation format

Trace plot mode

Section gain Clip limit

40

2000 5000

5000

Decimal seconds

Variable area

0.5

Submenu to view

Title box text

Minimum height of side label

-1

Submenu to view Processing sequence text Processing sequence options

Fully Automatic

Notes: Problems were encountered when the file name was changed from the default. The user must specify the actual numbers to be posted in the 'select header values to post'. The maximum number of traces it is possible to plot was about 80 per cm, to do so it must be a variable area only plot. Specifying '-1' in the 'minimum height of side label' results in no label, specifying the default of 0 generates the label automatically. If a label is generated then specifying a 'fully automatic processing sequence' prevents the user entering a generating tool which causes unnecessary complications.

2.8.2 VARIABLE TRACE SPACING

Before the create plot tool the user must insert a Trace Header Math tool specifying the following:

Select mode

Fixed equation mode Define trace header equation

cdp=int(range)

The critical parameters in Create CGM+ Plotfile are:

Spatial domain of plot

CDP Leftmost CDP Rightmost CDP

250 000 250 000

CDP increment

DATA<

Submenu to view

Traces/Plots/Posts/Graphs Components list >PRIMARY TRACE

Trace space (traces/plot units)

10 000

Notes: The plot will cover the range specified here however there will only be data if the input traces specified in 'Input From Disk' are in this CDP/range interval. The 'Trace space' is now CDPs per plot unit.

3.0 PICKING ARRIVALS

The first and some secondary arrivals were picked in ProMAX. A pick file can then be exported and imported into modelling packages. This picking is achieved by picking a 'Top Mute'. Care must be taken using the "snap" icon as ProMAX may interpolate and pick incorrectly. The picks are exported using the Trace Muting tool as described in the step by step instructions below. The format of the exported file is shown in the comment lines at the beginning of the code reduction3. It is important to note that the exported times will be the reduced times if the picks were made on a reduced time plot.

Insert the 'Trace Muting' tool at end of flow but leave is inactive (MB3).

Run a flow to display the data on the screen. It is preferable to display all the data on one screen and then zoom in to pick, if the data is split across several screens then it is impossible to check the continuity of the picks. If stacking/trace mixing is used, it may be necessary to moveout section 5 of the line at different velocities, and later (after unreducing the times), splice the picks together.

Zoom in to where you want to start picking.

Click on the pick (hammer) and 'Pick top mute'.

Choose between creating a new file of picks or modifying an old one.

Choose a secondary key. The pick file generated will contain the 'primary trace header entry' specified in the 'Input from Disk' tool (Section \$\$) and the secondary key specified here. Clearly we choose range or offset.

Enter a name which ProMAX uses to refer to this set of picks.

Pick away. MB1 adds picks either individually or by holding it down and drawing a line. MB3 deletes picks. Snap icon enables the nearest peak, trough, or zero crossing to be found. We used the nearest peak (black). Use this tool with care!

Once finished click on the 'Stop' icon and 'Save work to database before quitting'.

Once back in the flow click with MB2 on the inactive Trace Muting tool. Then click with MB1 on the 'Select mute parameter file' which should read 'INVALID'.

The file containing the picks should now appear. Click on 'Export' from the menu bar, and then the pick file. Type the path and file name where you would like the file to be saved and press Return. The file has now been saved and may be manipulated to be input to a modelling package.

Move the mouse to the top of the screen to reenter the flow.

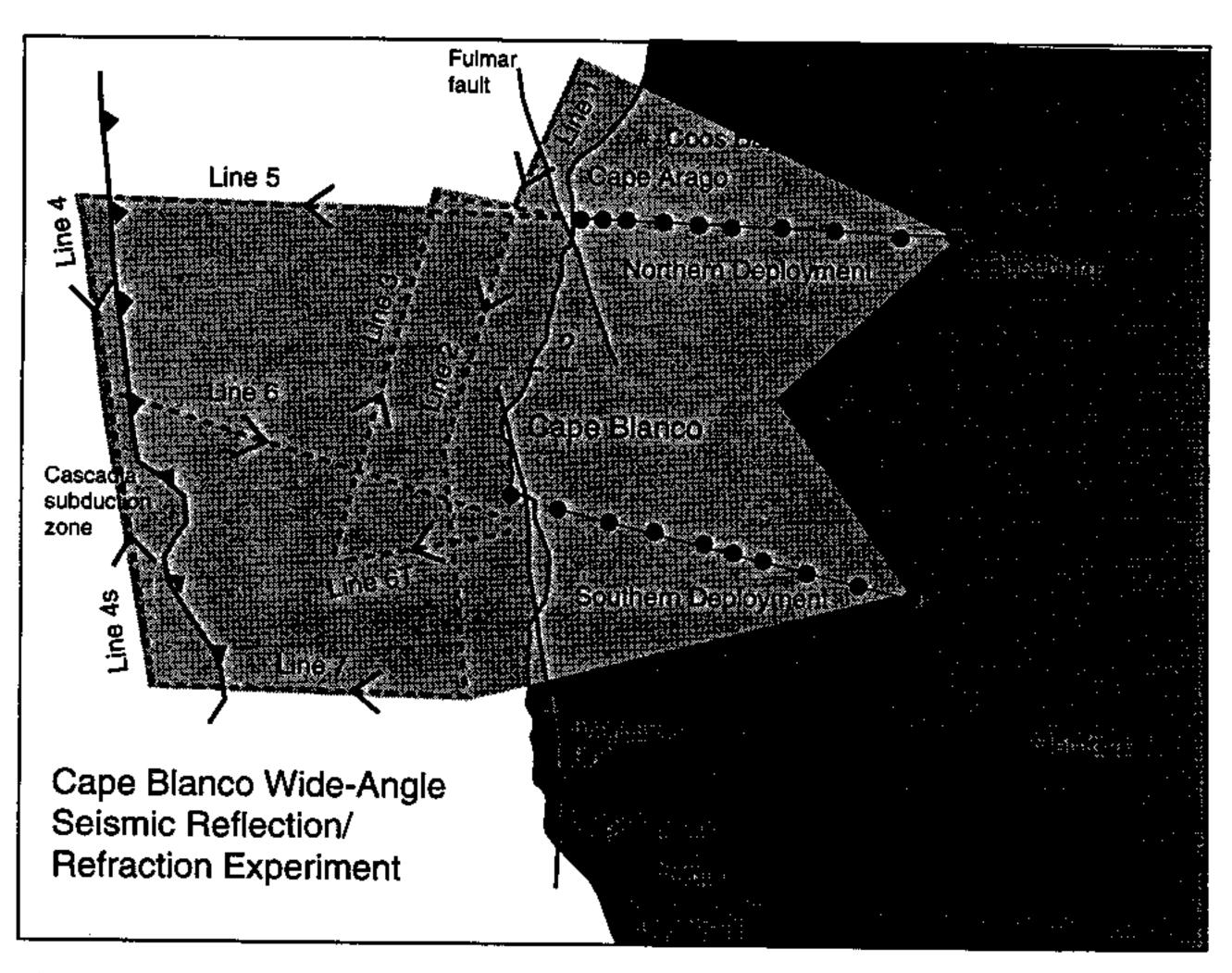


Figure 1. Map of Cape Blanco vicinity of Oregon, showing location of R/V Ewing tracklines (dashed lines), Reftek stations (filled circles), and major faults. Shaded region illustrates area sampled by seismic raypaths by this source and receiver geometry. Note that the density of raypaths is highest in the vicinity of Cape Blanco and decreases away from Cape Blanco.