



Integrated Geophysics and Data Science for Soil Moisture Characterization and Hydrogeological Risk Assessment in Urban and Peri-Urban Areas

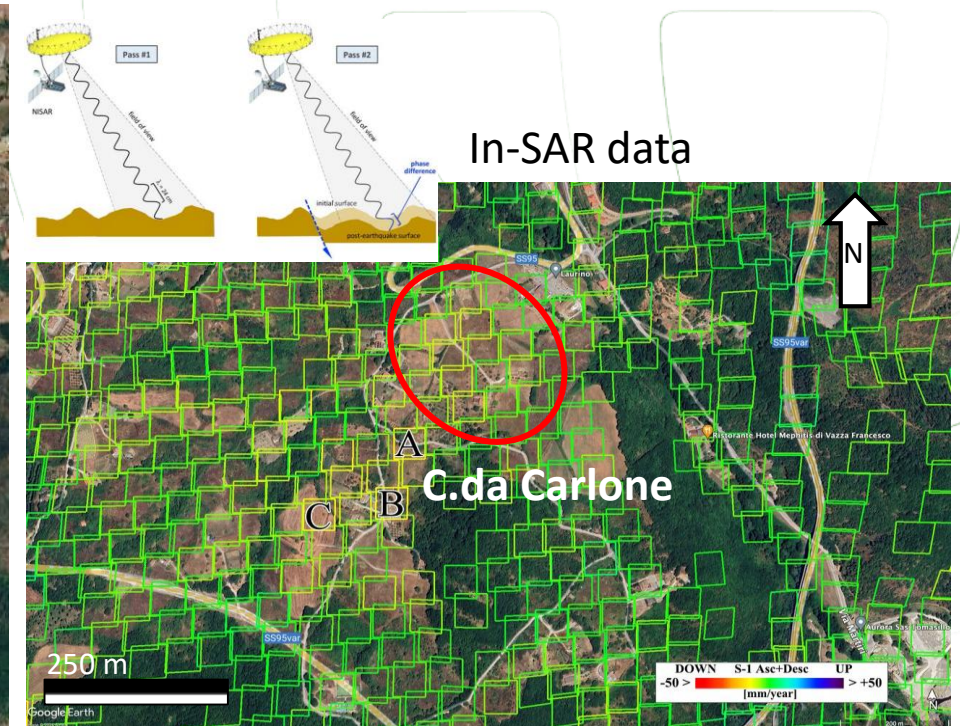
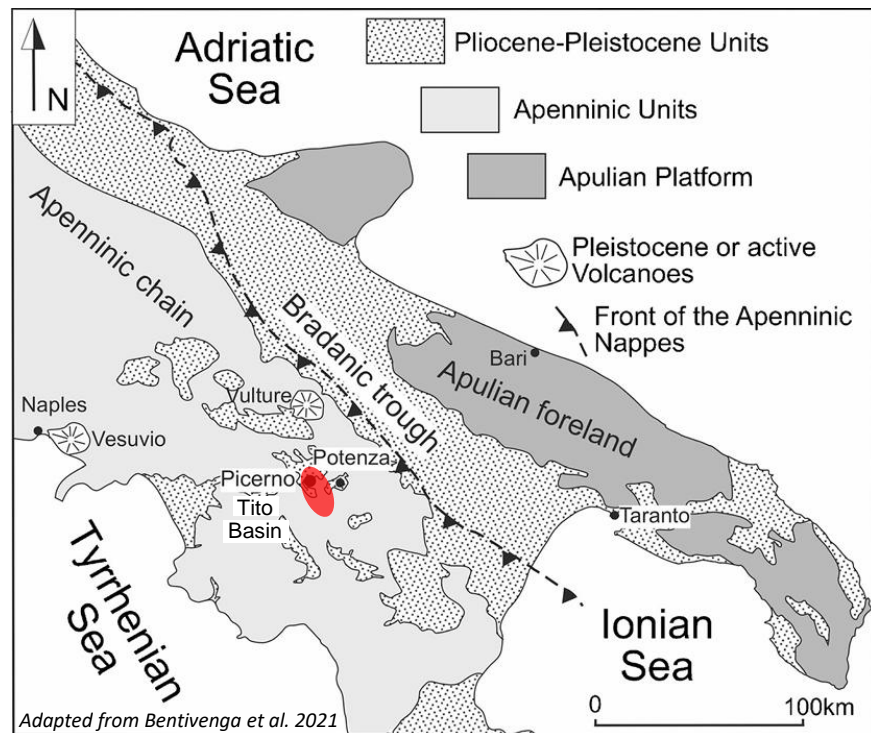
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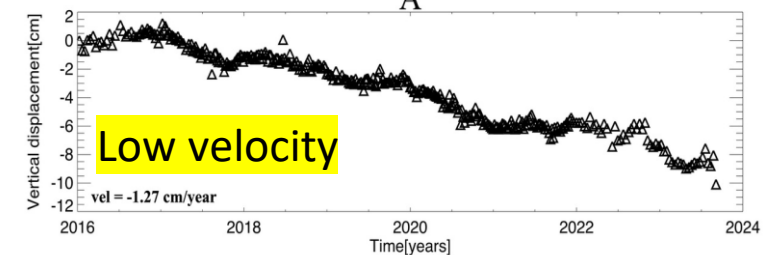


Study area *shaping the research methodology*



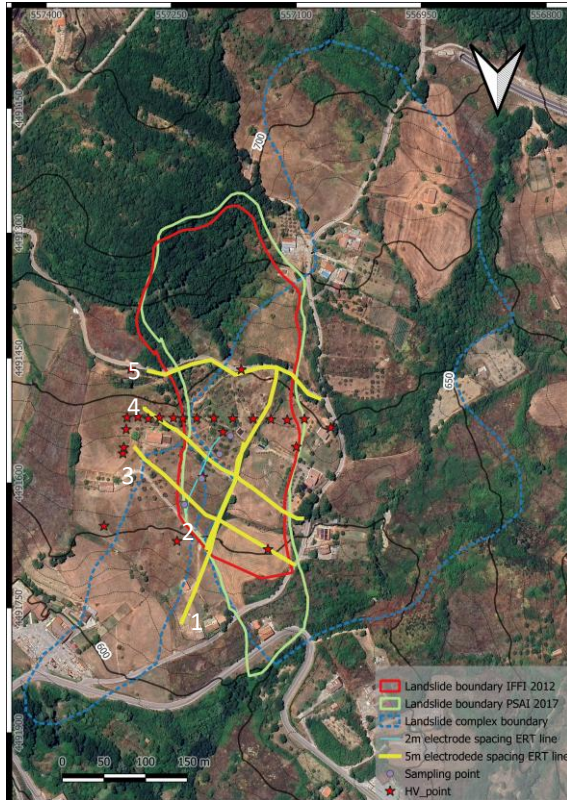
Key messages

- Peri-Urban area
- Hydrogeologic risk
- Logistical ease and feasibility
- Methodology
 - Setup of an open-air laboratory
 - Multidisciplinary, multiscale, multiparametric approach
 - Geophysical, hydrologic and meteorological data at lab, site scale

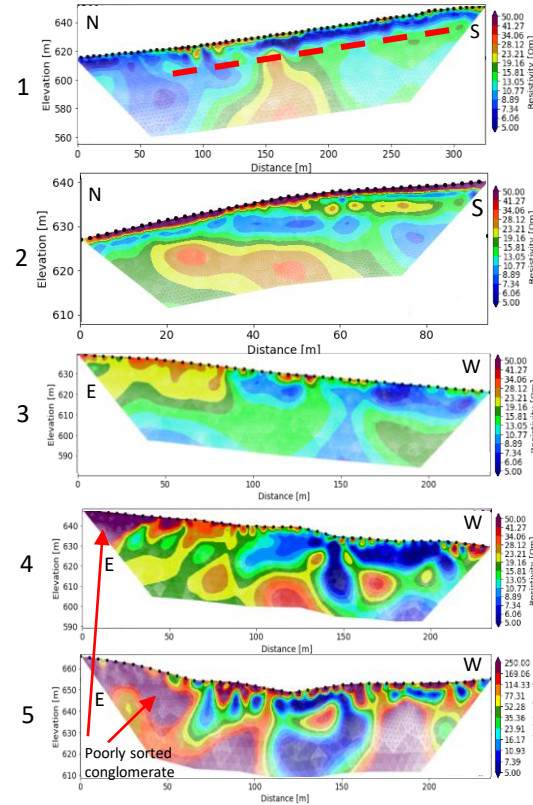


Key Results so far *field and lab strategies for site characterization*

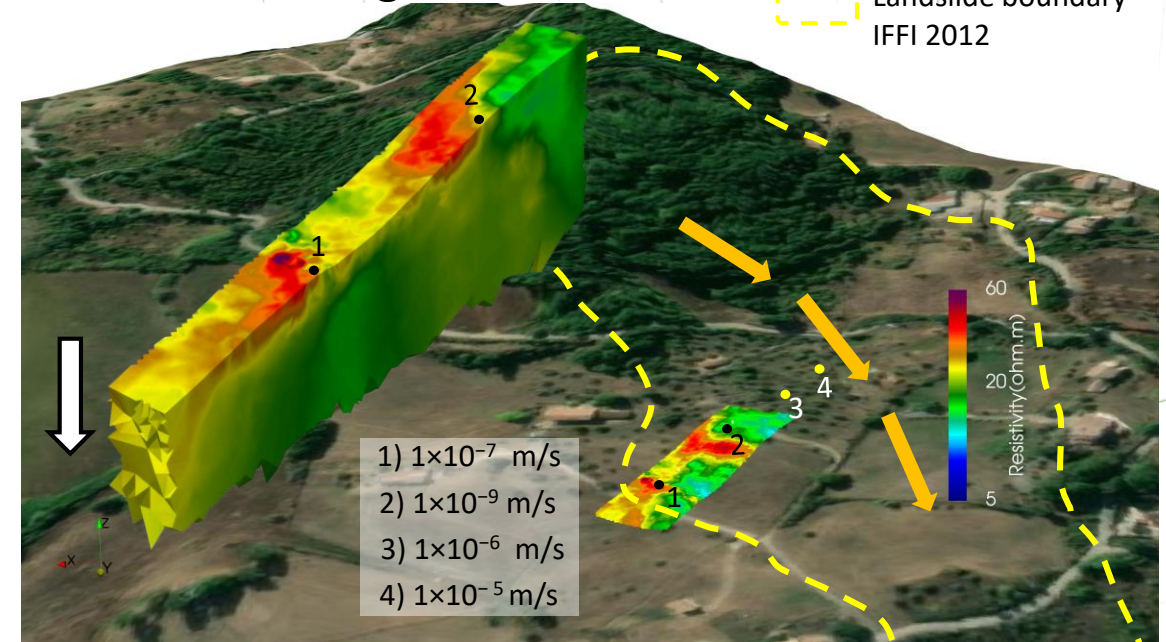
Geomorphological survey



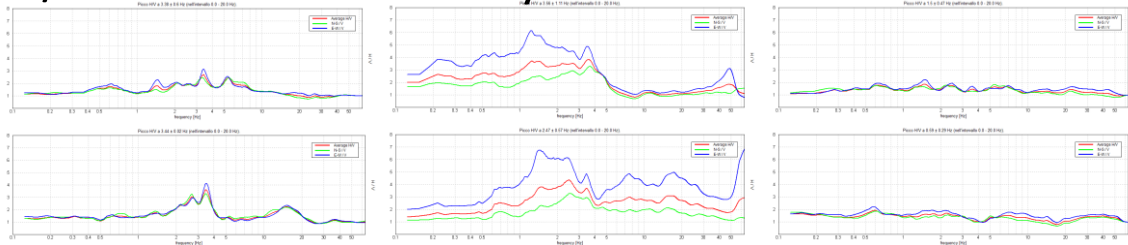
2D ERT modeling



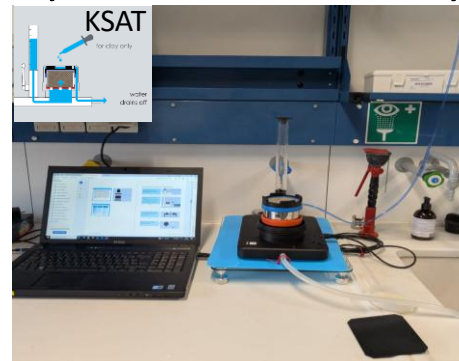
3D ERT modeling



H/V Microtremor Surveys



Hydraulic conductivity



Key messages

- Landslide Geometry
- Heterogeneity Mapping
- Channeling bedrock
- Building Prior Knowledge

Ongoing Efforts *bridging site and lab insights*



...In lab

Meteorological sensors

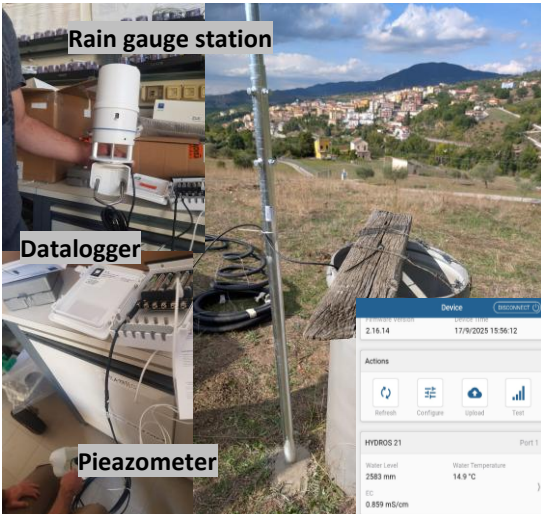
Tensiometer

Water
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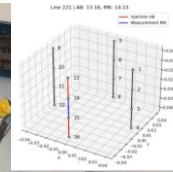
TL ERT system

TL Data gathering

Capturing drying process

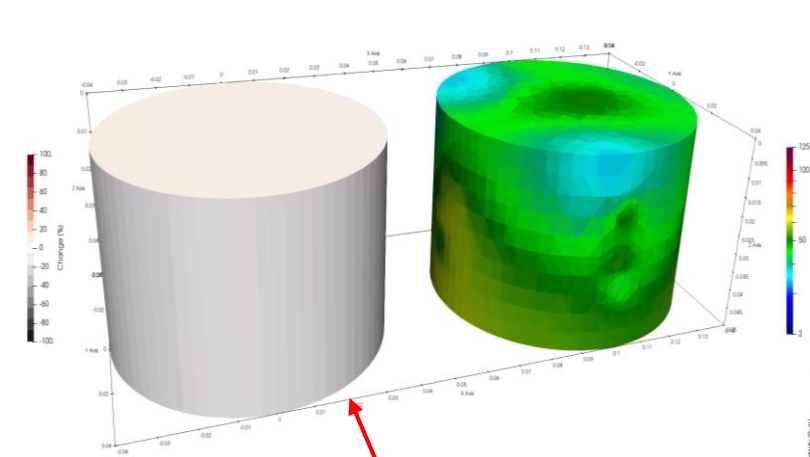


...On site

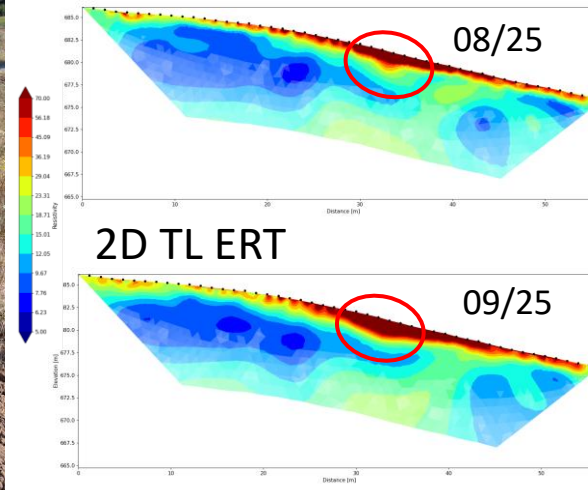
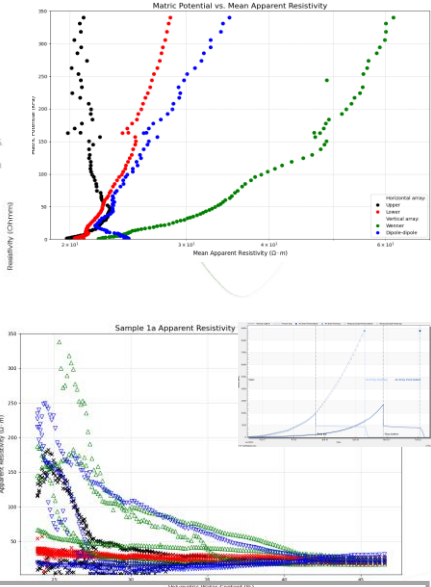


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3D TL ERT



TL data analysis

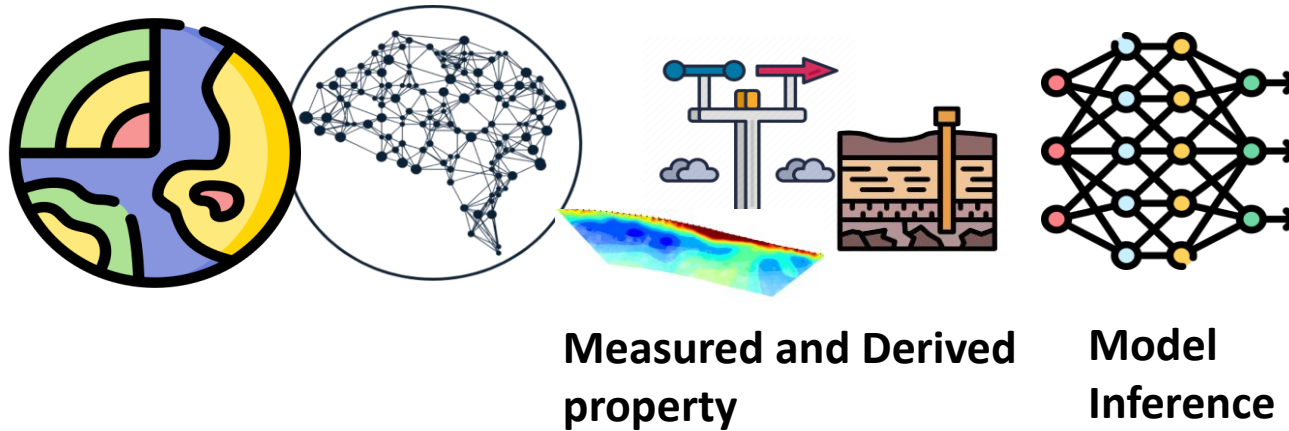


Key messages

- Field-to-Lab Replication
- Imaging and TL Data analysis
- Comparing Processes Across Scales
- Assembling a Dataset

Next Steps

Data mining using Machine learning technique



Processing & Modelling

We aim to apply machine learning to quantify relationships between time-lapse resistivity variations, measured hydrological properties, and derived geotechnical parameters, in order to develop predictive models of landslide body behavior over time.

Final Question

What is the real contribution that the ERT method can offer to advanced landslide monitoring, early warning systems, and to a broader range of applications, from agriculture to environmental remediation?



THANKS!

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