

Use what's in common: time-lapse FWI with distributed Compressive Sensing

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Preamble

Our first attempt at **FWI** for **time-lapse** seismic

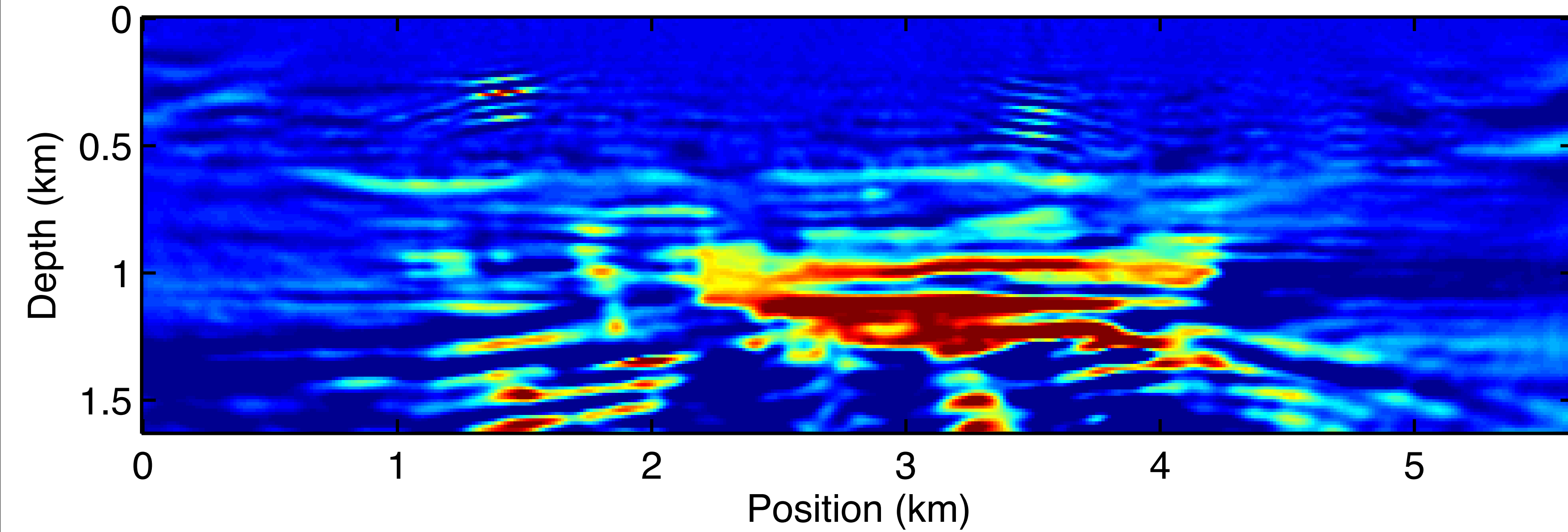
Using ideas from distributed **Compressive** Sensing

Fast inversion formulation

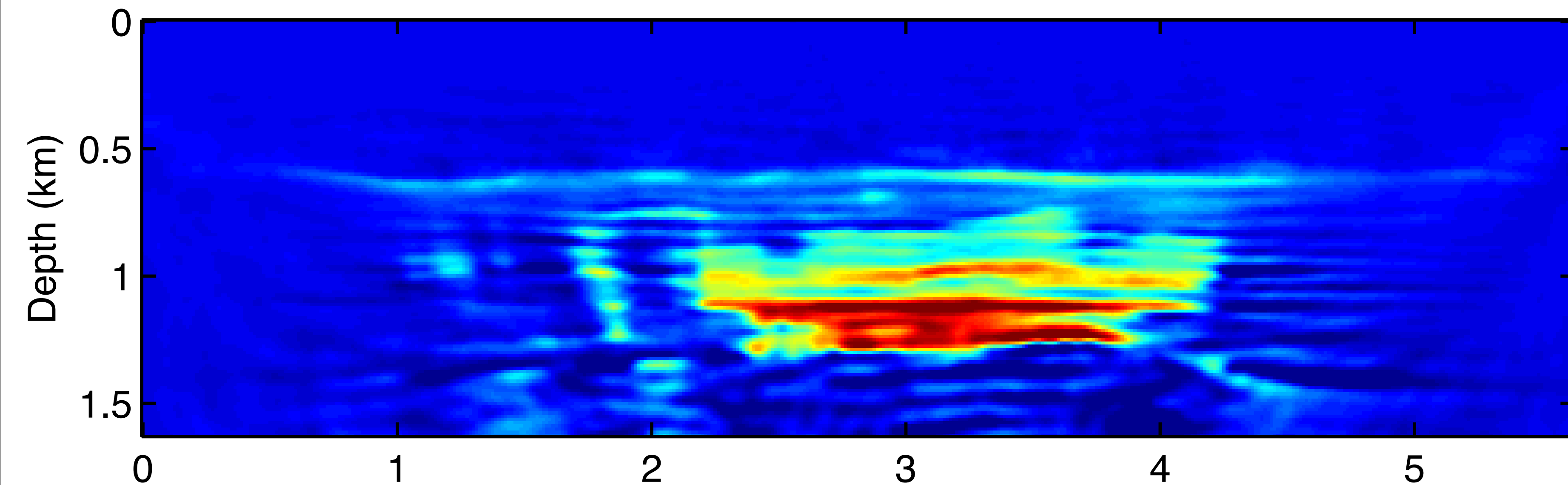
Improved time-lapse inversion results

Motivation

Time-lapse difference



Independent
inversion



Joint
inversion

Formulation

Full-waveform inversion

$$\underset{\mathbf{m}, \alpha}{\text{minimize}} \frac{1}{2} \|\mathbf{D} - \alpha \mathcal{F}[\mathbf{m}]\|_F^2$$

\mathbf{D} : observed data
 \mathcal{F} : forward modelling kernel
 α : source wavelet
 \mathbf{m} : model parameters

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Formulation

Modified Gauss-Newton

$$\tilde{\mathbf{x}}^k = \arg \min_{\mathbf{x}} \frac{1}{2} \left\| \underbrace{\mathbf{D}^k - \mathcal{F}(\mathbf{m}^k)}_{\mathbf{b}} - \underbrace{\nabla \mathcal{F}(\mathbf{m}^k) \mathbf{C}^T}_{\mathbf{A}} \mathbf{x} \right\|_2^2 \quad \text{s.t.} \quad \|\mathbf{x}\|_1 < \tau^k$$

$$\mathbf{m}^{k+1} = \mathbf{m}^k + \mathbf{C}^T \tilde{\mathbf{x}}$$

Full-waveform inversion w/ time-lapse

Independent inversion:

for $i = 1, 2$

$$\tilde{\mathbf{x}}_i^k = \arg \min_{\mathbf{x}_i} \frac{1}{2} \left\| \underbrace{\mathbf{D}_i^k - \mathcal{F}(\mathbf{m}_i^k)}_{\mathbf{b}_i} - \underbrace{\nabla \mathcal{F}(\mathbf{m}_i^k) \mathbf{C}^T}_{\mathbf{A}_i} \mathbf{x}_i \right\|_2 \quad \text{s.t.} \quad \|\mathbf{x}_i\|_1 < \tau_i^k$$

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Objective: Invert for baseline, monitor and difference

...but time-lapse data/models/images share information.

Distributed compressive sensing – joint recovery model (JRM)

vintages

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{x}_1 &= \mathbf{z}_0 + \mathbf{z}_1 \\ \mathbf{x}_2 &= \mathbf{z}_0 + \mathbf{z}_2 \end{aligned} \rightarrow \text{differences}$$

common component

$$\underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{A}_1 & \mathbf{A}_1 & \mathbf{0} \\ \mathbf{A}_2 & \mathbf{0} & \mathbf{A}_2 \end{bmatrix}}_{\mathbf{A}} \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{z}_0 \\ \mathbf{z}_1 \\ \mathbf{z}_2 \end{bmatrix}}_{\mathbf{z}} = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{b}_1 \\ \mathbf{b}_2 \end{bmatrix}}_{\mathbf{b}} \begin{matrix} \rightarrow \text{baseline} \\ \rightarrow \text{monitor} \end{matrix}$$

Key idea:

1. use the fact that *different* vintages *share* common information
2. invert for *common* components & *differences* w.r.t. the *common* components with *sparse* recovery

Joint full-waveform inversion w/ time-lapse

Joint inversion:

$$\tilde{\mathbf{z}}_k = \arg \min_{\mathbf{z}_k} \frac{1}{2} \left\| \underbrace{\mathbf{D}_i^k - \mathcal{F}(\mathbf{m}_i^k)}_{\mathbf{b}_k} - \underbrace{\nabla \mathcal{F}(\mathbf{m}_i^k) \mathbf{C}^T}_{\mathbf{A}_k} \mathbf{z}_k \right\|_2^2 \quad \text{s.t.} \quad \|\mathbf{z}_k\|_1 < \tau^k$$

Model update:

$$\mathbf{m}_i^{k+1} = \mathbf{m}_i^k + \mathbf{C}^T (\tilde{\mathbf{z}}_0^k + \tilde{\mathbf{z}}_i^k)$$

Joint full-waveform inversion w/ time-lapse

Joint inversion:

$$\mathbf{b}_k = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{D}_1^k - \mathcal{F}(\mathbf{m}_1^k) \\ \mathbf{D}_2^k - \mathcal{F}(\mathbf{m}_2^k) \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{A}_k = \begin{bmatrix} \nabla \mathcal{F}(\mathbf{m}_1^k) \mathbf{C}^T & \nabla \mathcal{F}(\mathbf{m}_1^k) \mathbf{C}^T & \mathbf{0} \\ \nabla \mathcal{F}(\mathbf{m}_2^k) \mathbf{C}^T & \mathbf{0} & \nabla \mathcal{F}(\mathbf{m}_2^k) \mathbf{C}^T \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{z}_k = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{z}_0^k \\ \mathbf{z}_1^k \\ \mathbf{z}_2^k \end{bmatrix}$$

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How is this different from recently published methods ?

Other joint inversion methods

Robust joint full-waveform inversion of time-lapse seismic data sets with total-variation regularization

[Musa Maharramov](#), [Biondo Biondi](#)

$$\begin{aligned} & \alpha \|\mathbf{D}_b^k - \mathcal{F}(\mathbf{m}_b^k) - \nabla \mathcal{F}(\mathbf{m}_b^k) \delta \mathbf{m}_b^k\|_2^2 \\ & + \beta \|\mathbf{D}_m^k - \mathcal{F}(\mathbf{m}_m^k) - \nabla \mathcal{F}(\mathbf{m}_m^k) \delta \mathbf{m}_m^k\|_2^2 \\ & + \dots + \delta \|\mathbf{WR}(\mathbf{m}_b^k - \mathbf{m}_m^k) - \Delta \mathbf{m}^{\text{PRIOR}}\|_1 \longrightarrow \min \end{aligned}$$

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No guarantee of improved vintages

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Good vintage recovery assured

Other joint inversion methods

Time-lapse image-domain tomography using adjoint-state methods

[Jeffrey Shragge](#), [Tongning Yang](#) and [Paul Sava](#)

Minimize image imperfections

$$\mathcal{H}_1 = \frac{1}{2} \|P_1(\mathbf{x}, \lambda) \mathbf{r}_1(\mathbf{x}, \lambda)\|_{\mathbf{x}, \lambda}^2$$

$$\mathbf{r}_1(\mathbf{x}, \lambda)$$

Extended image gather volume

$$P_1(\mathbf{x}, \lambda) = |\lambda|$$

Differential semblance operator

$$\mathcal{H}_2 = \frac{1}{2} \|P_2(\mathbf{x}, \lambda) \mathbf{r}_2(\mathbf{x}, \lambda)\|_{\mathbf{x}, \lambda}^2$$

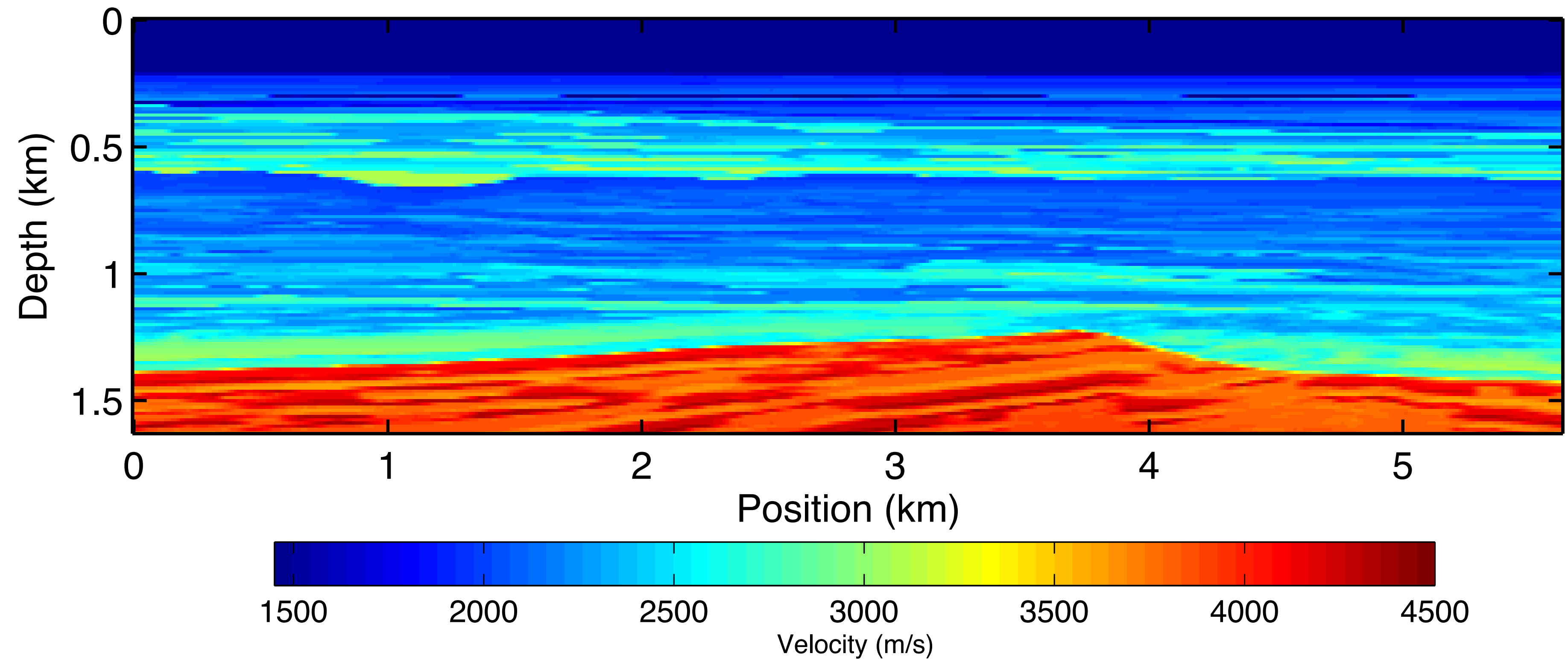
$$P_2 = P_{4D}(\mathbf{r}_1)$$

$$P_{4D} = \text{sech}^2(\langle \mathbf{r}_1^2 \rangle / \max(\langle \mathbf{r}_1^2 \rangle))$$

Application

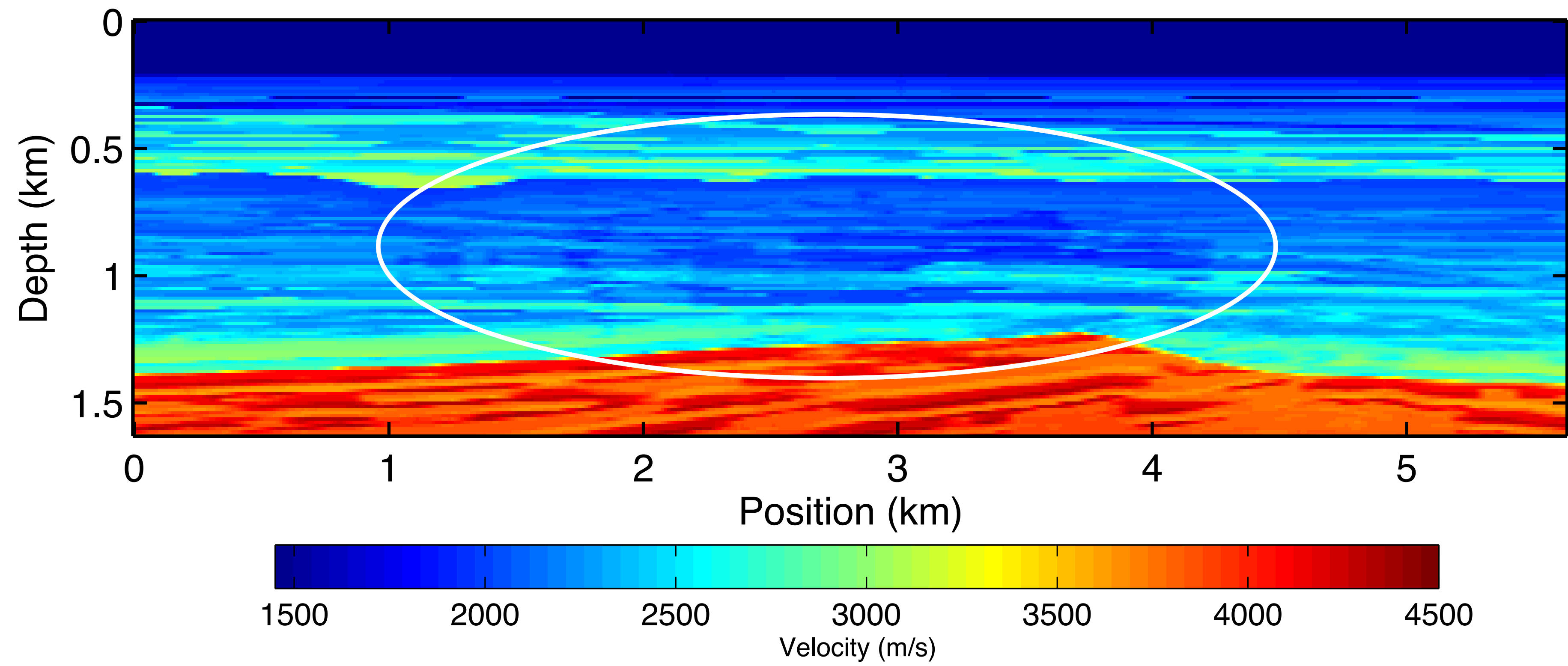
Baseline

BG Compass model

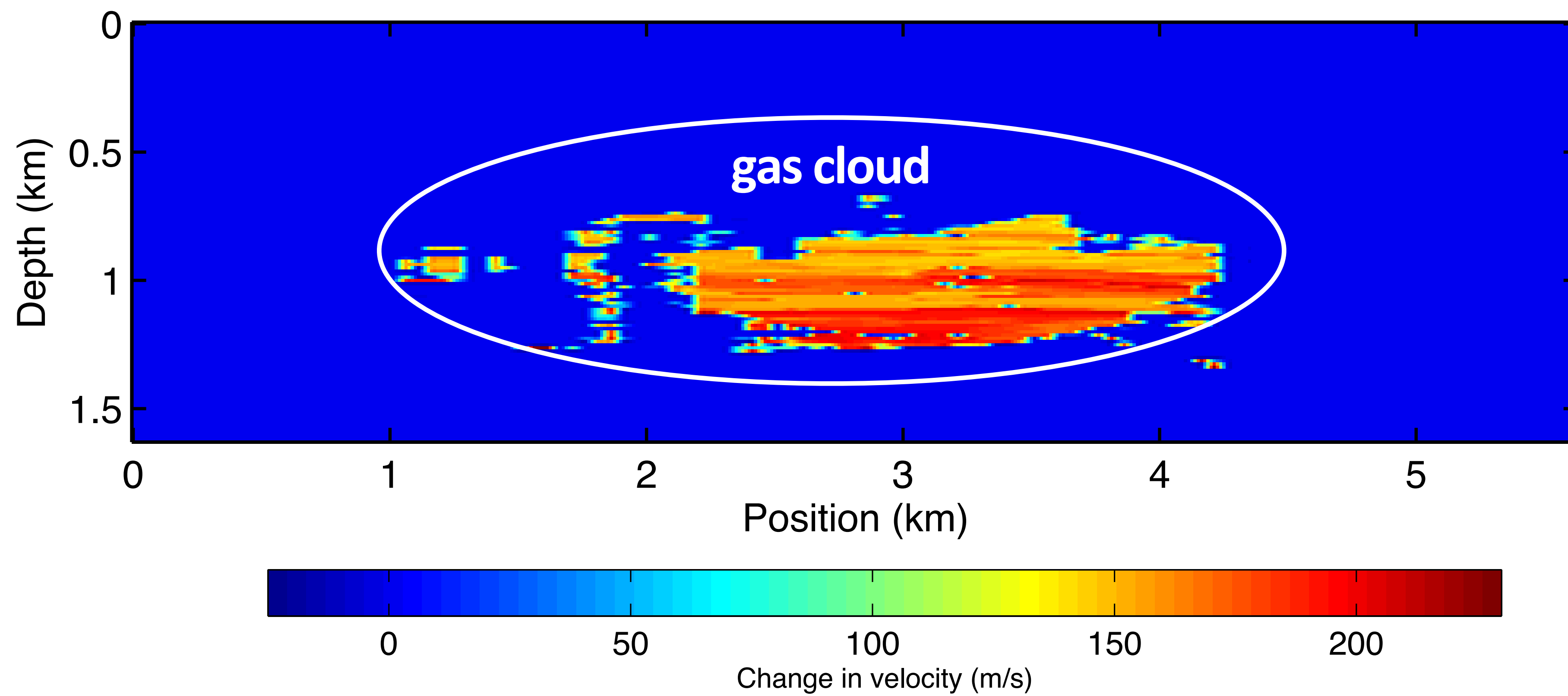


Monitor

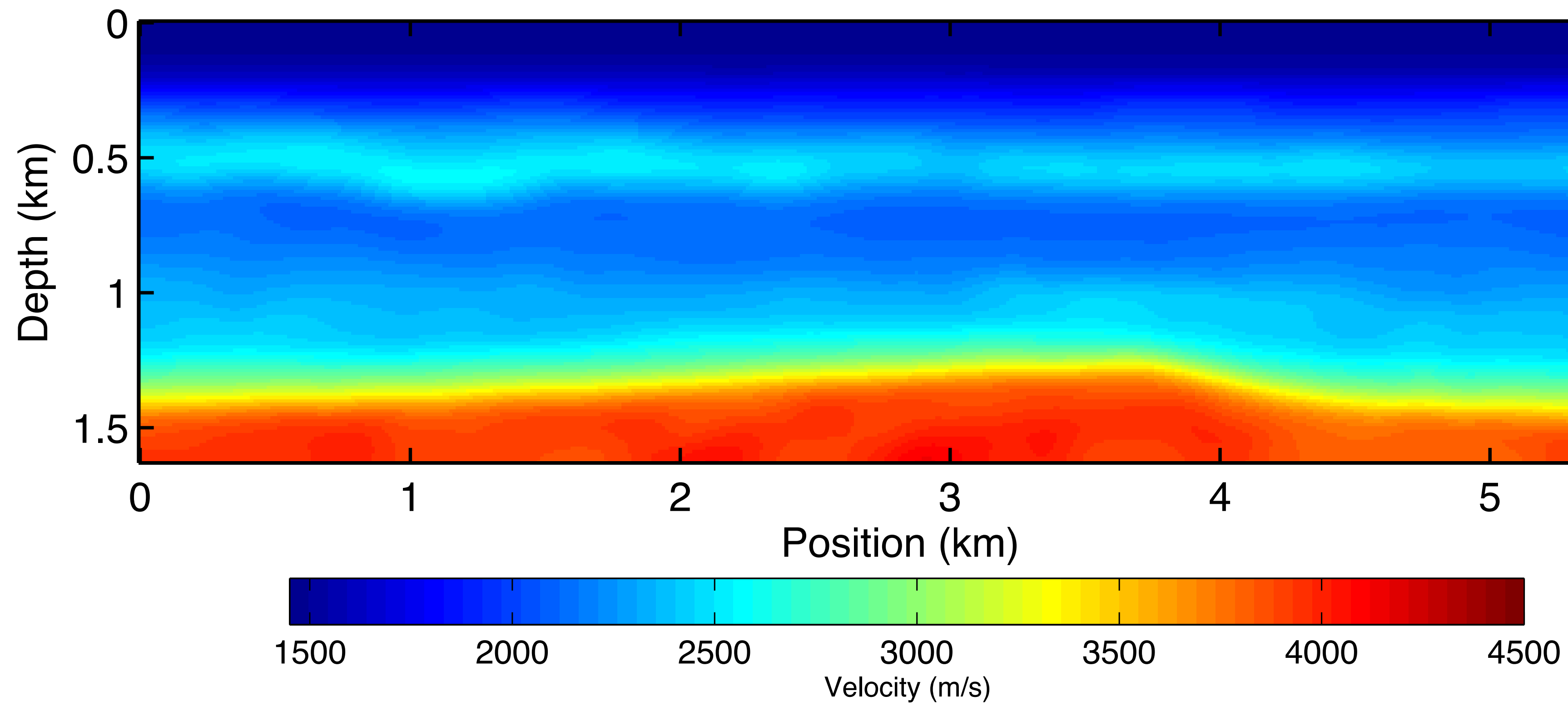
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Time-lapse



Starting model



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Example

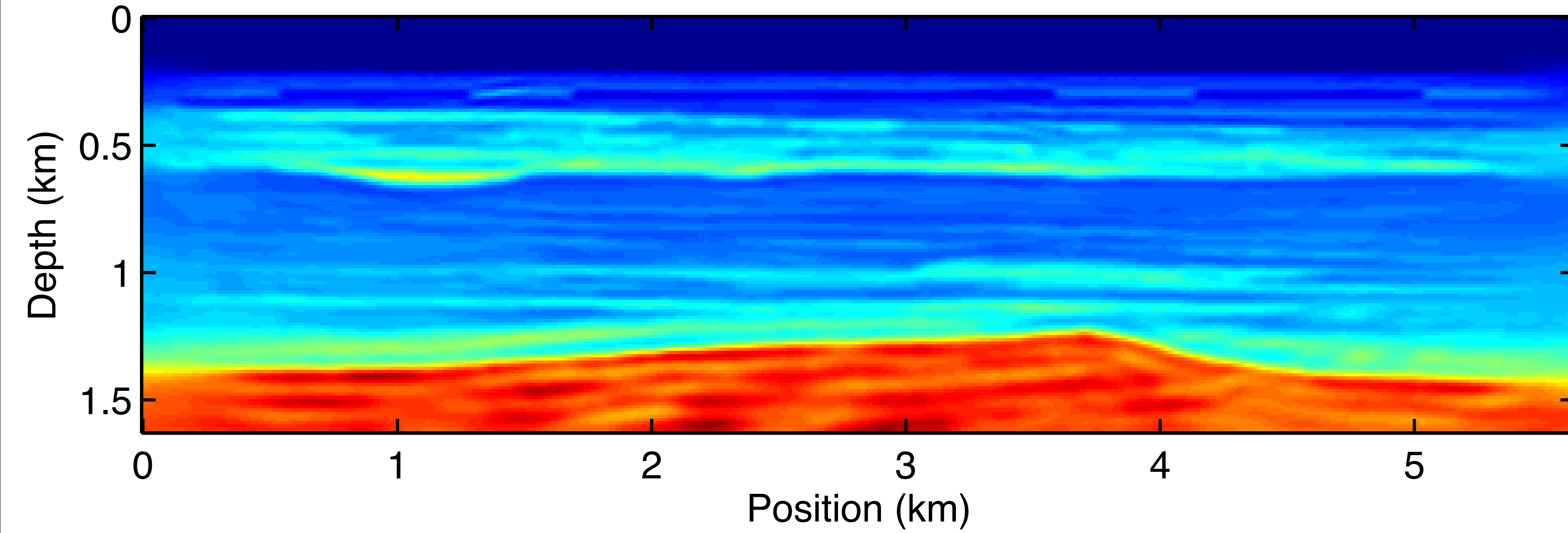
Modeling parameters

- 150 shots randomly sampled @ minimum 12.5m, maximum 137.5m interval
- 226 receivers @ 25m interval
- 80 frequencies from 3 to 22.5Hz
- Ricker wavelet @ 12Hz
- Maximum offset @ 5.6km

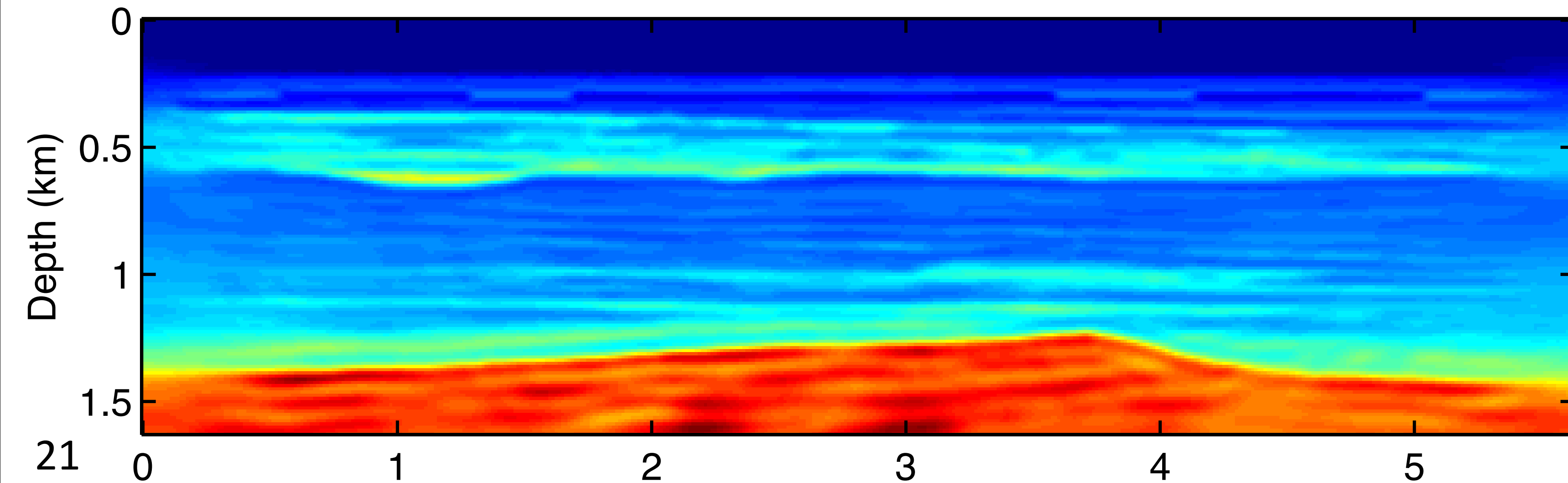
Modified Gauss-Newton

- Assume *good* initial model
- *Baseline* : use few simultaneous shots, *with* renewal
- *Monitor* : *repeat* similar encoding as baseline
- Started inversion at 3Hz
- 8 frequencies per band
- 10 Gauss-Newton subproblems per band
- Approximately 10 iterations per subproblem

Baseline inversion

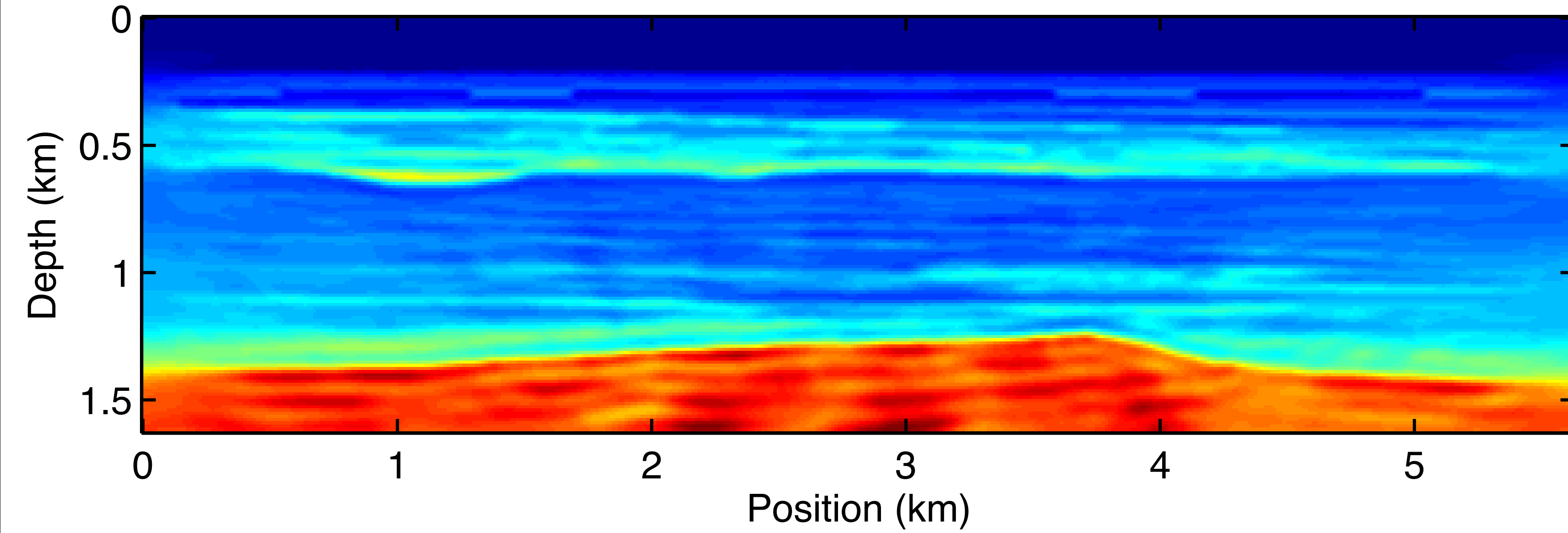


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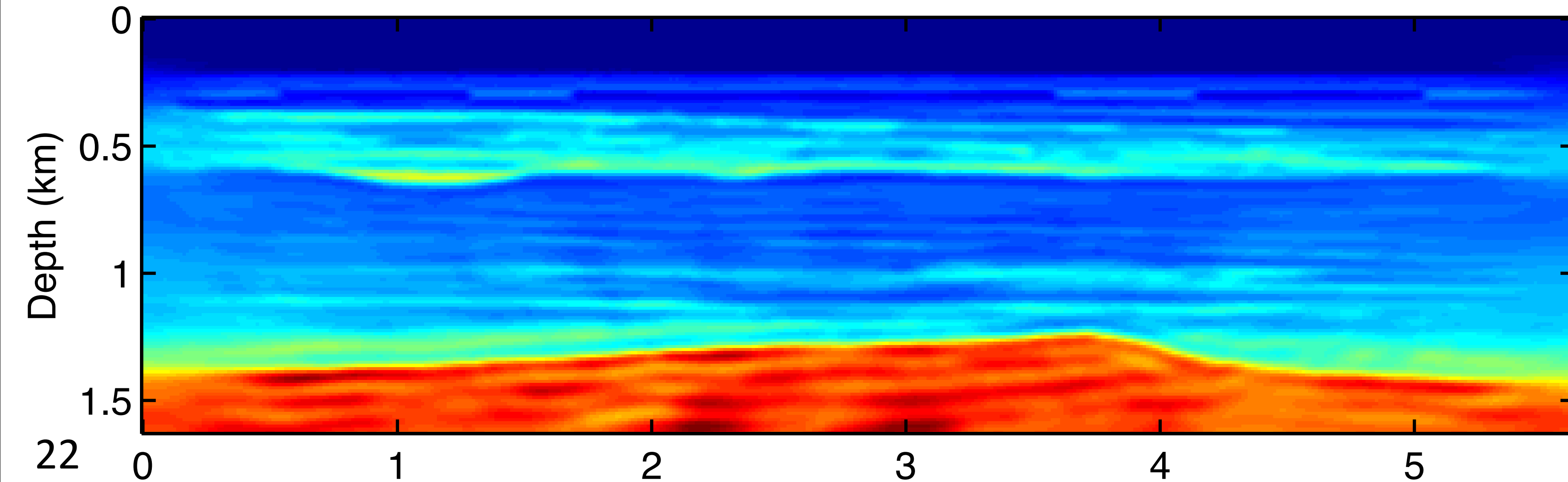


Joint

Monitor inversion

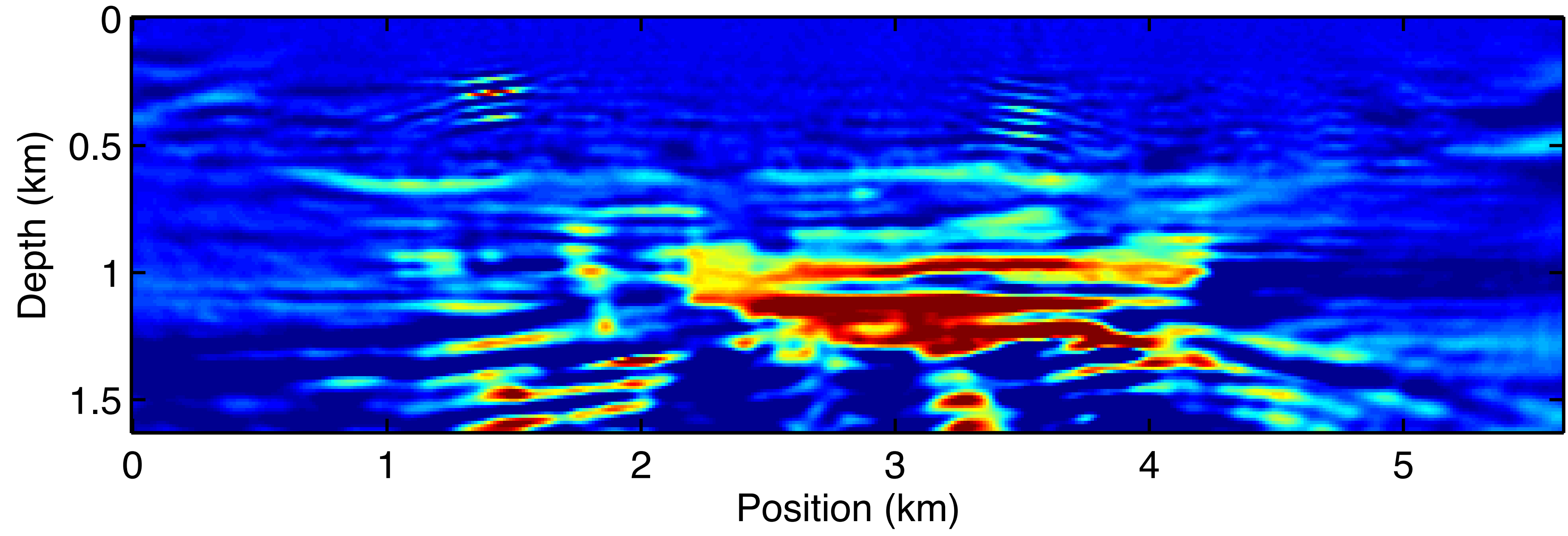


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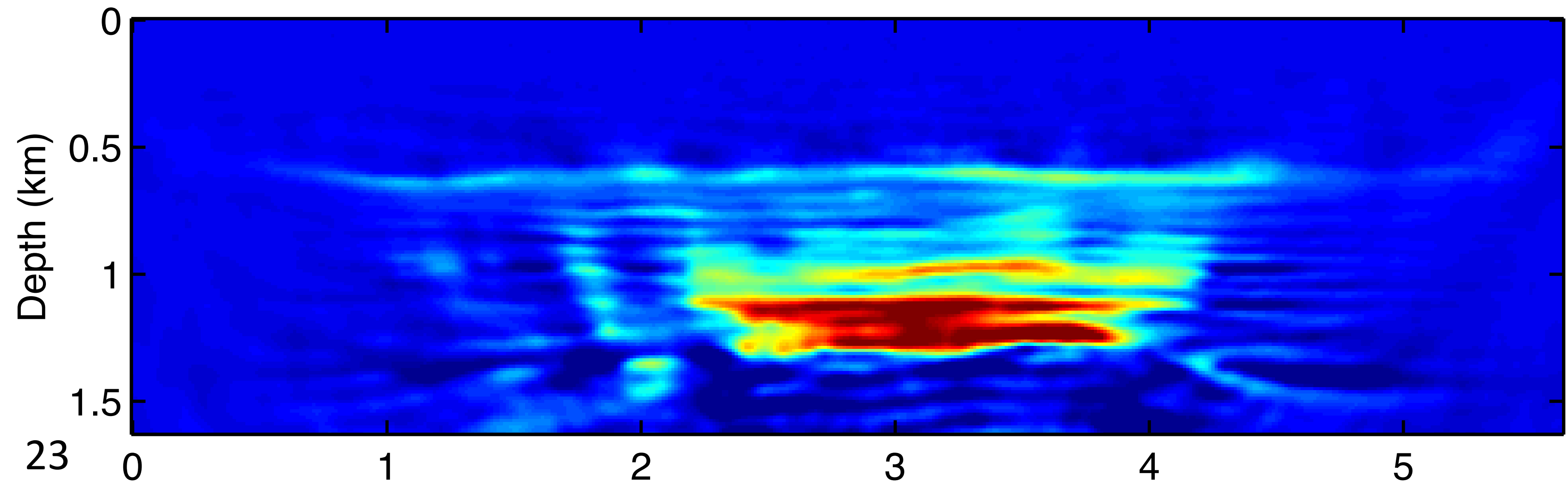


Joint

Time-lapse difference



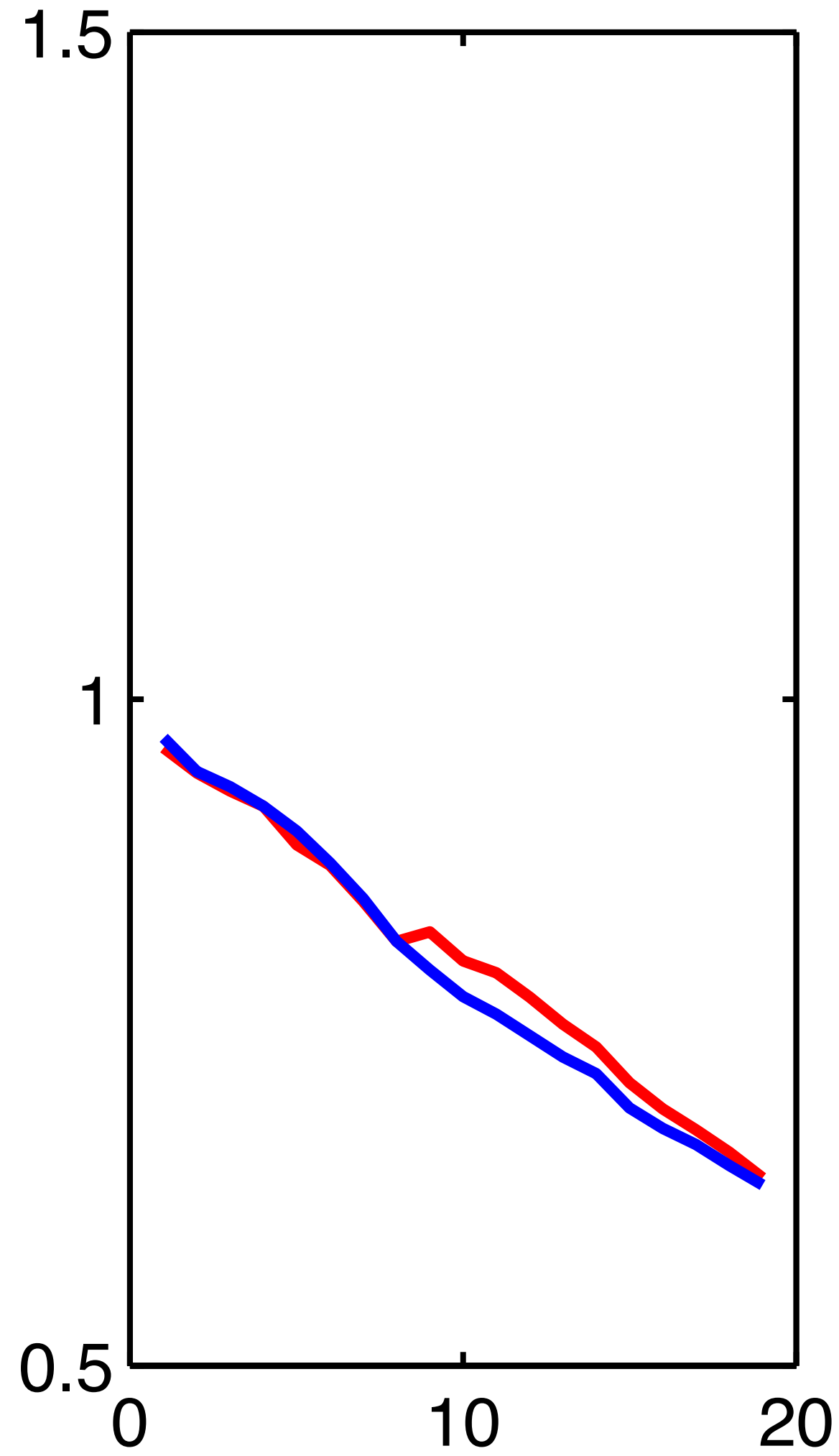
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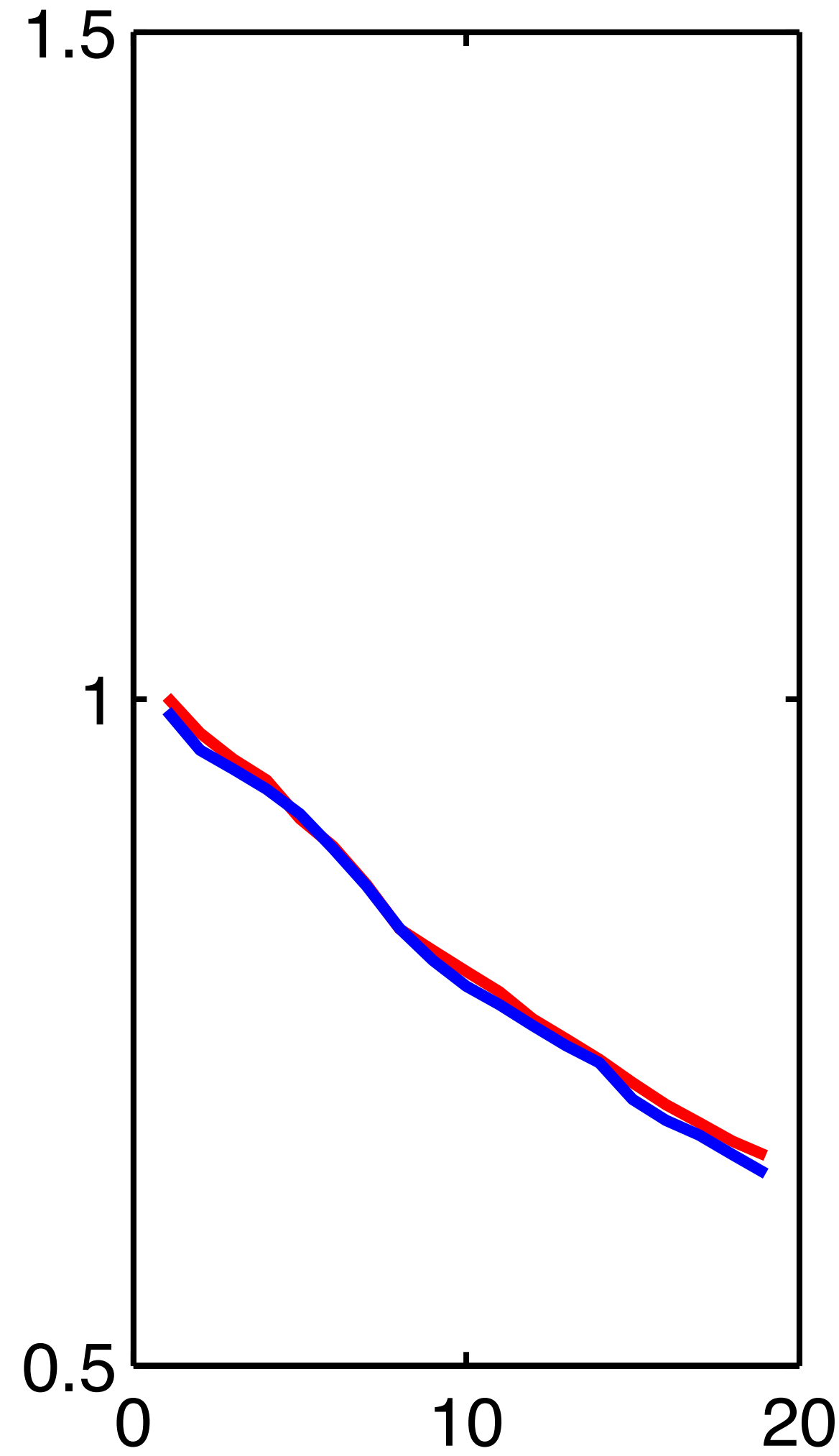
Joint

Model error

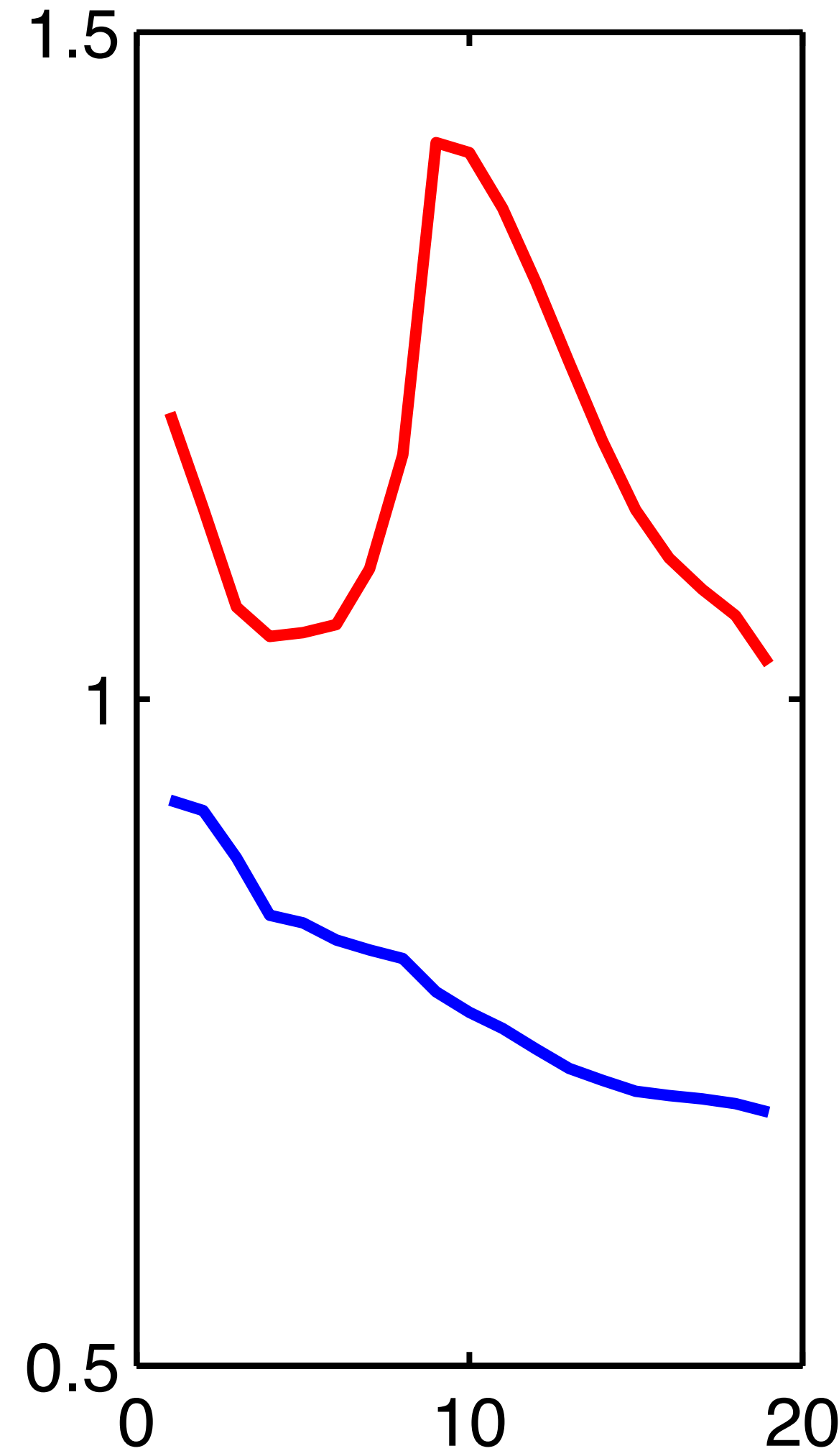
Baseline



Monitor



Difference

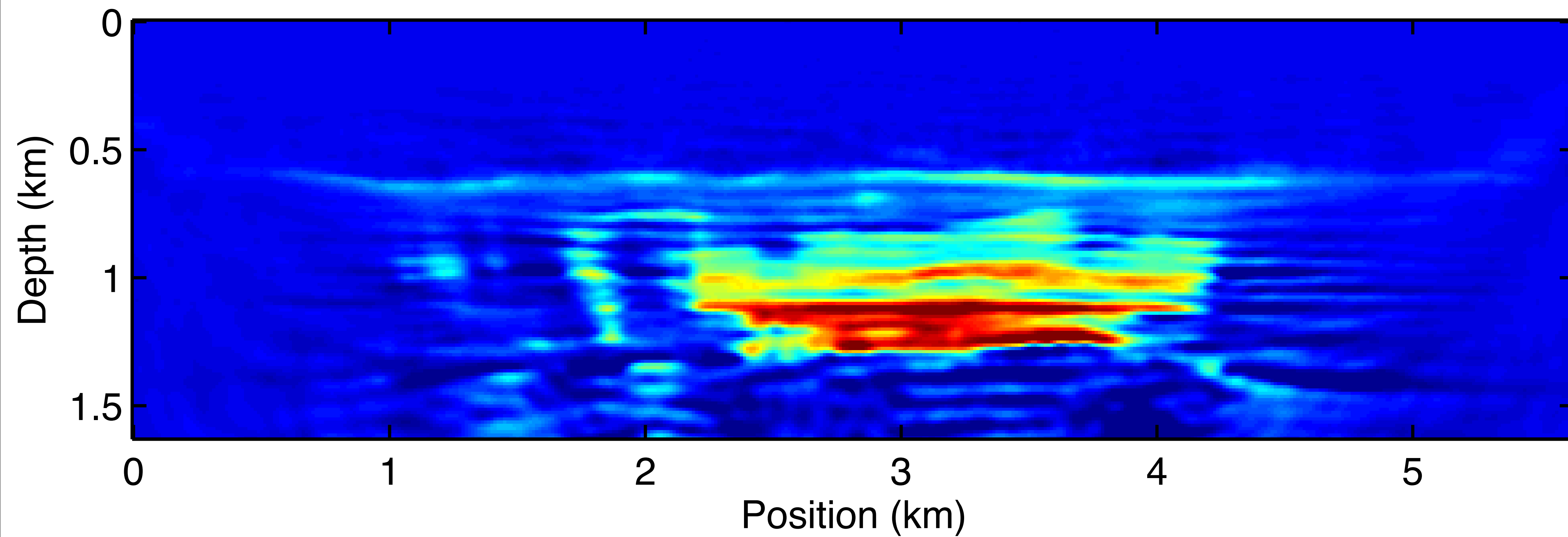


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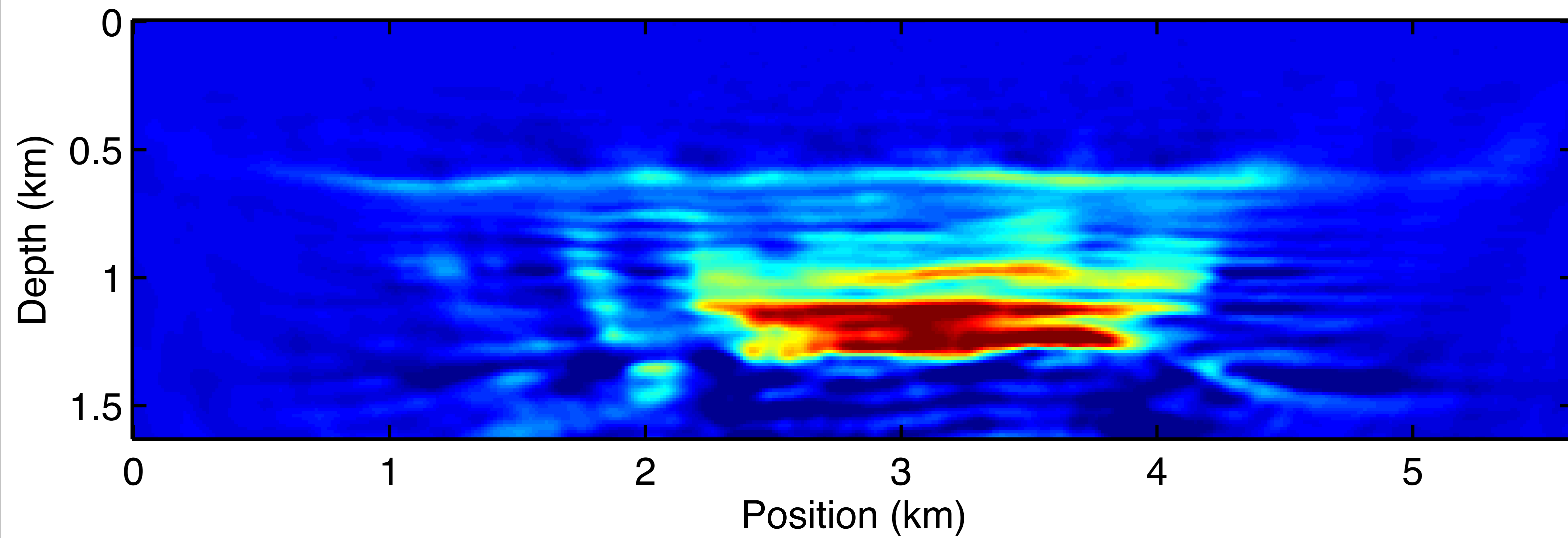
Independent

After the second pass with the *joint recovery model*

Second pass

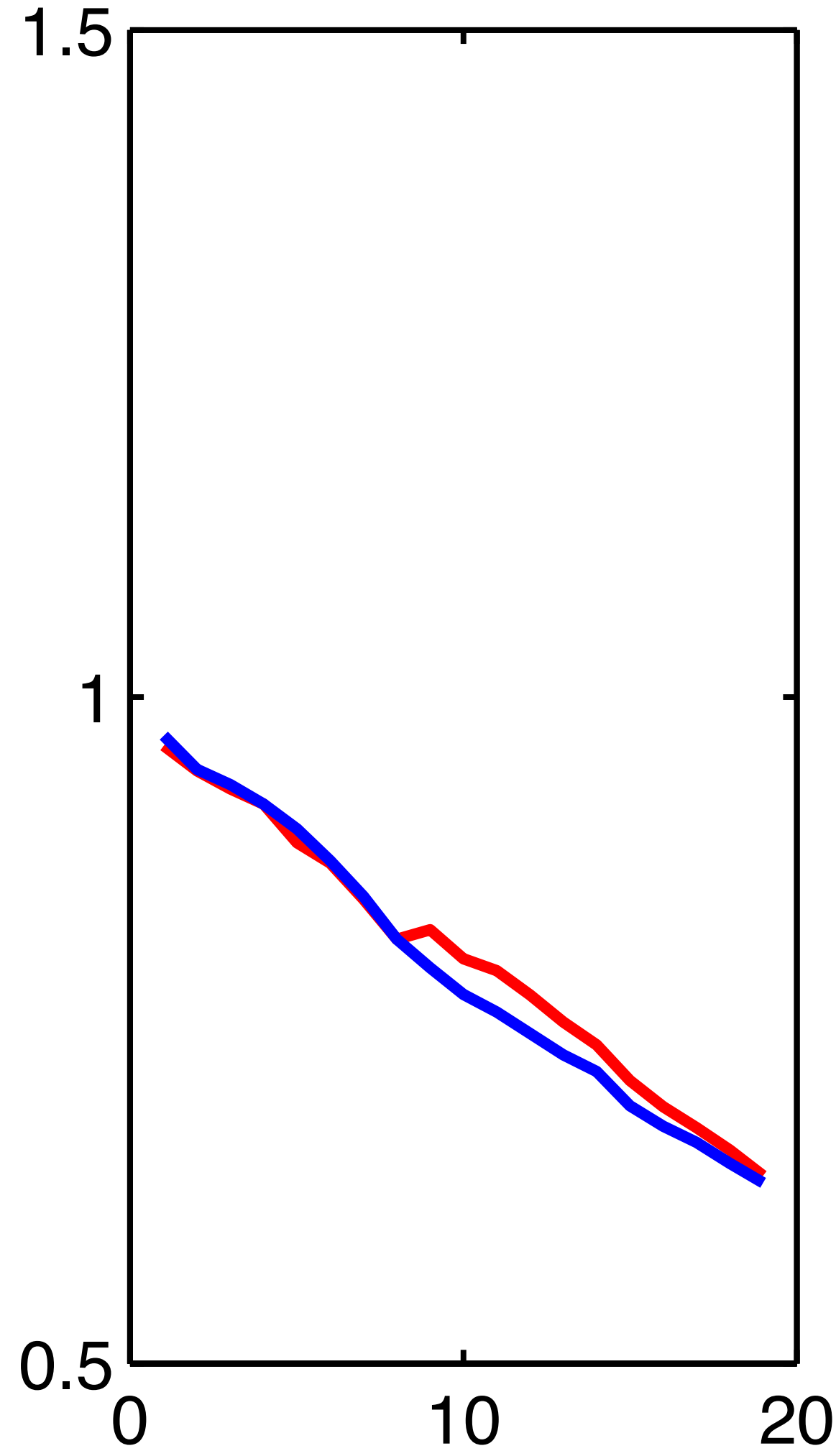


First pass

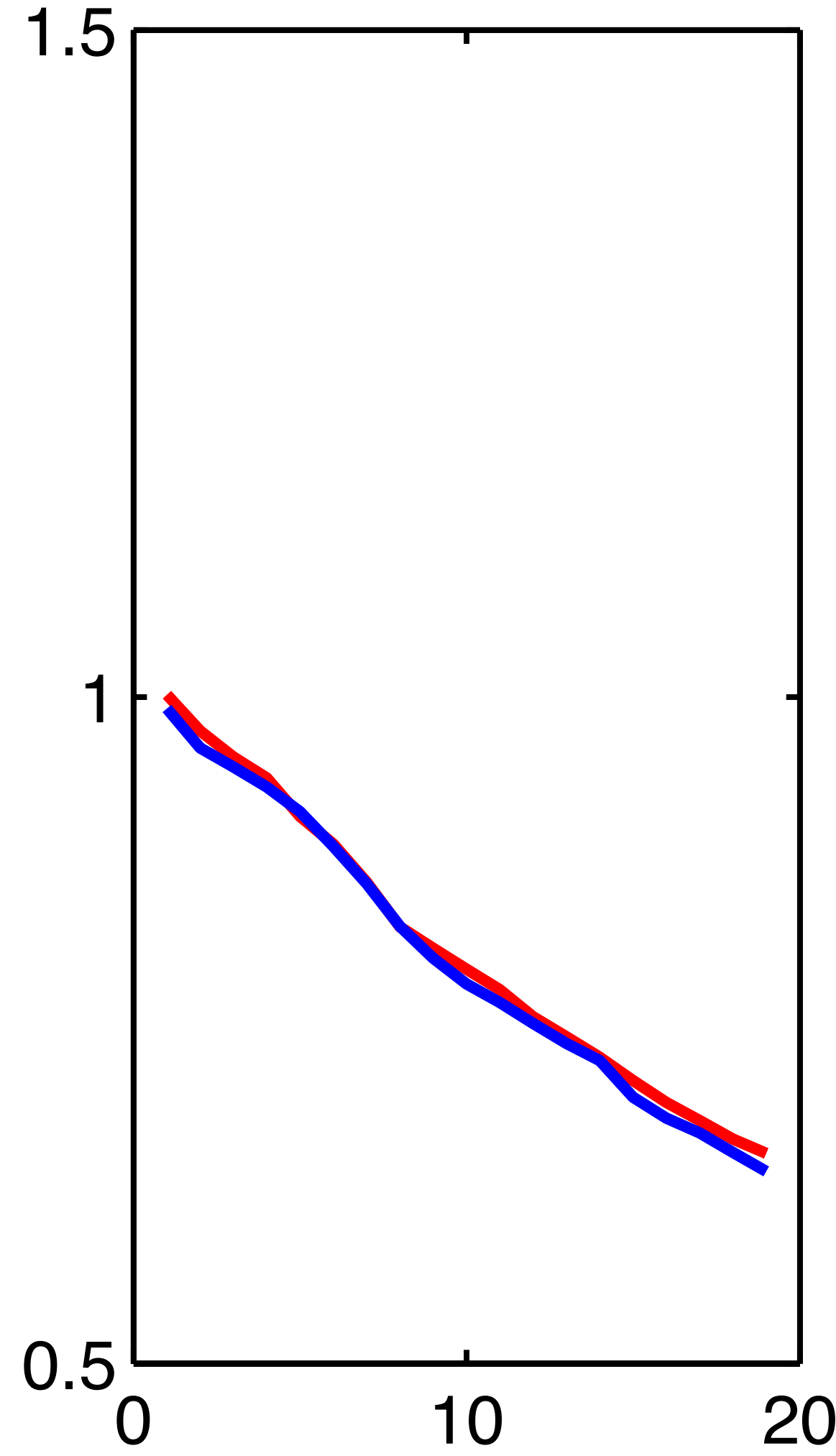


Model error – pass 1

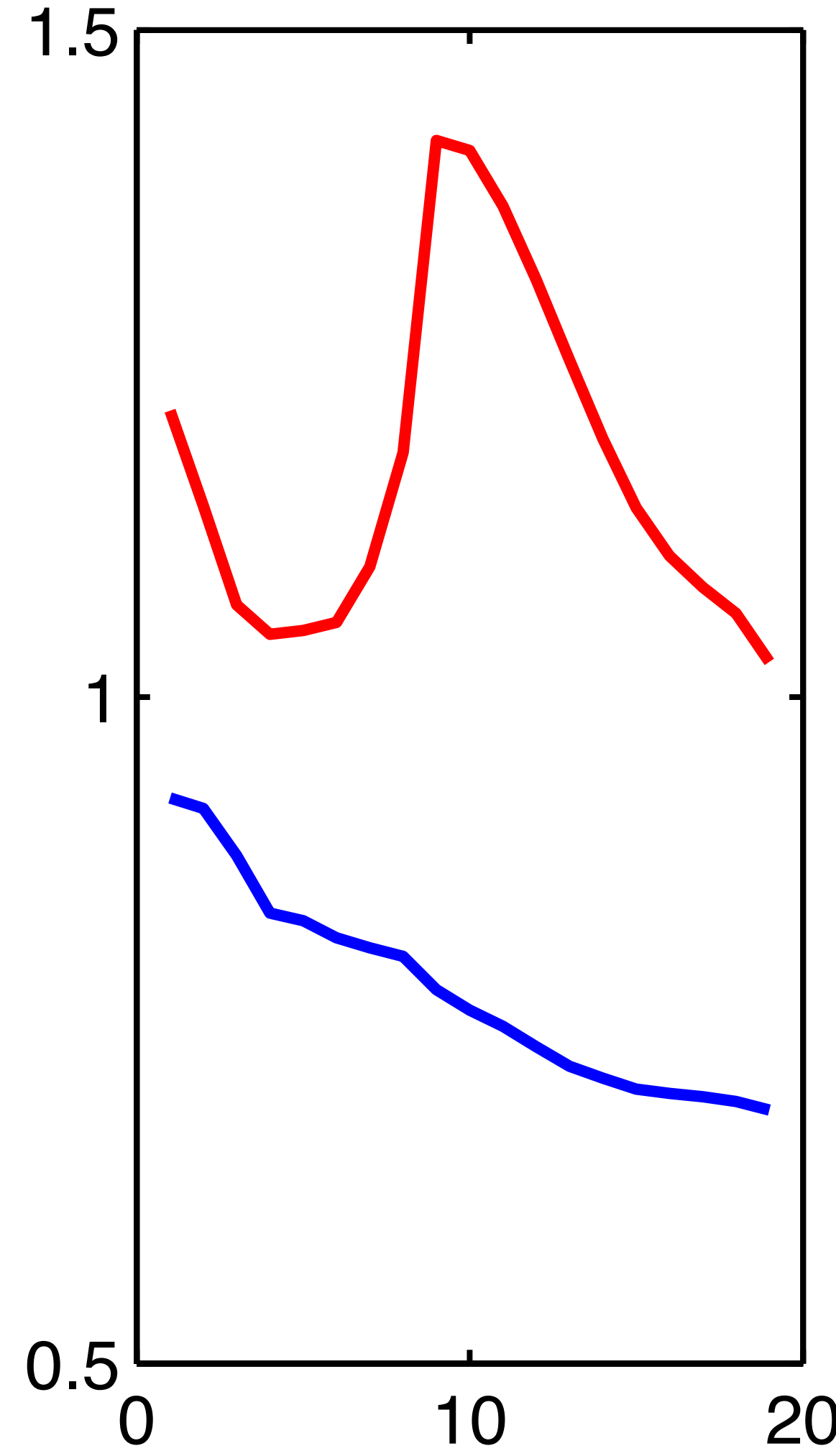
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Monitor



Difference

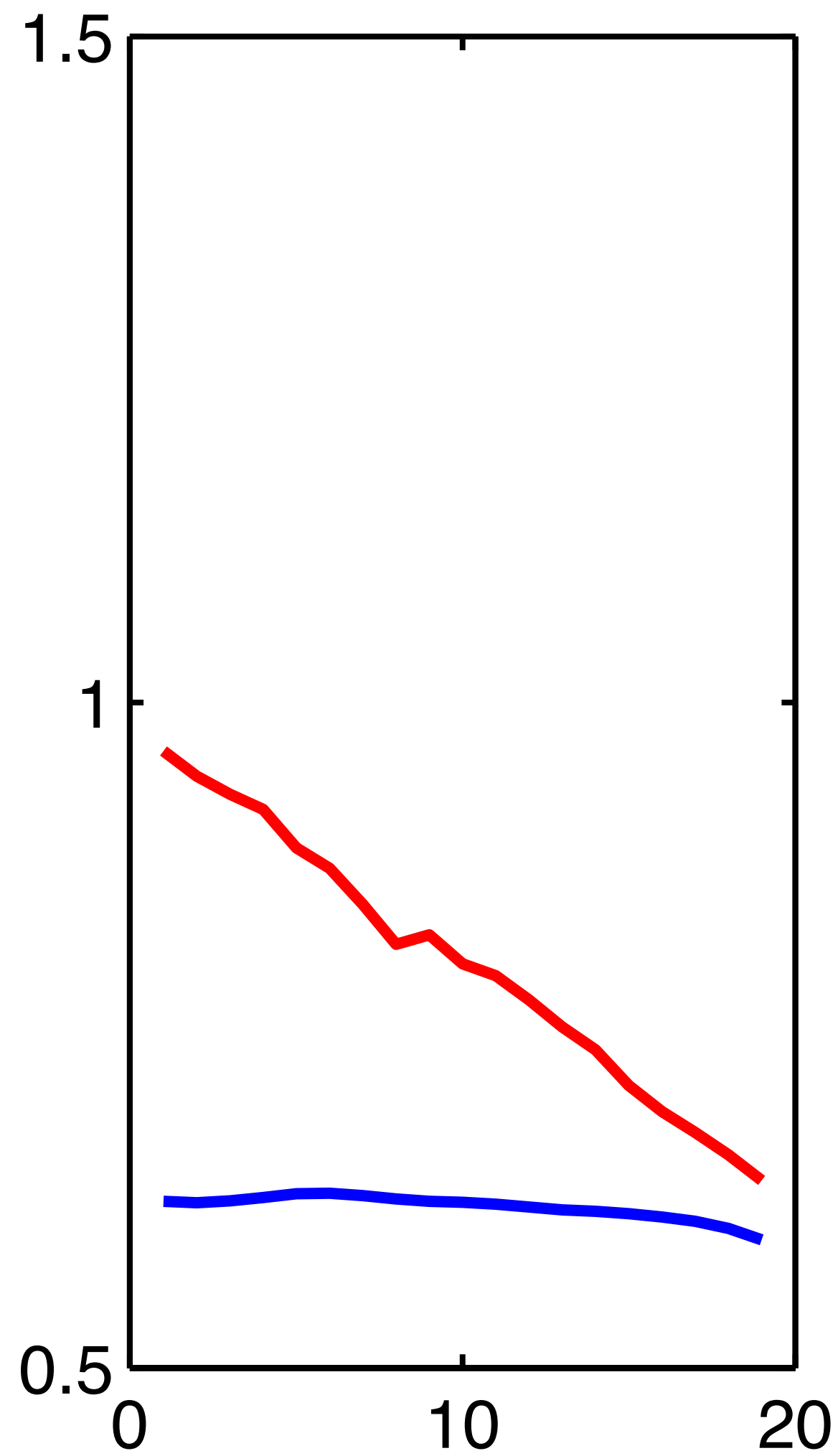


Joint

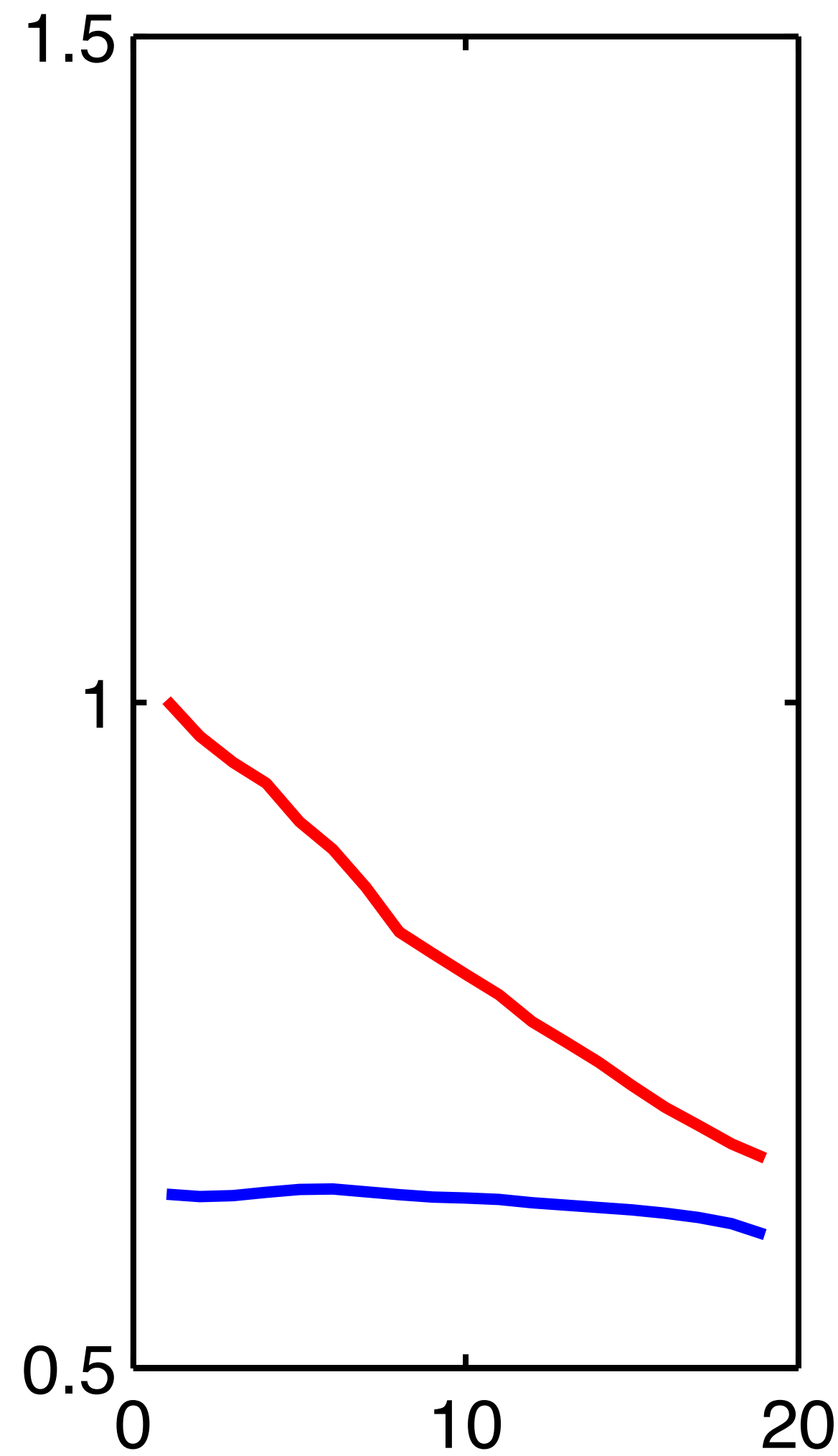
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Model error – pass 2

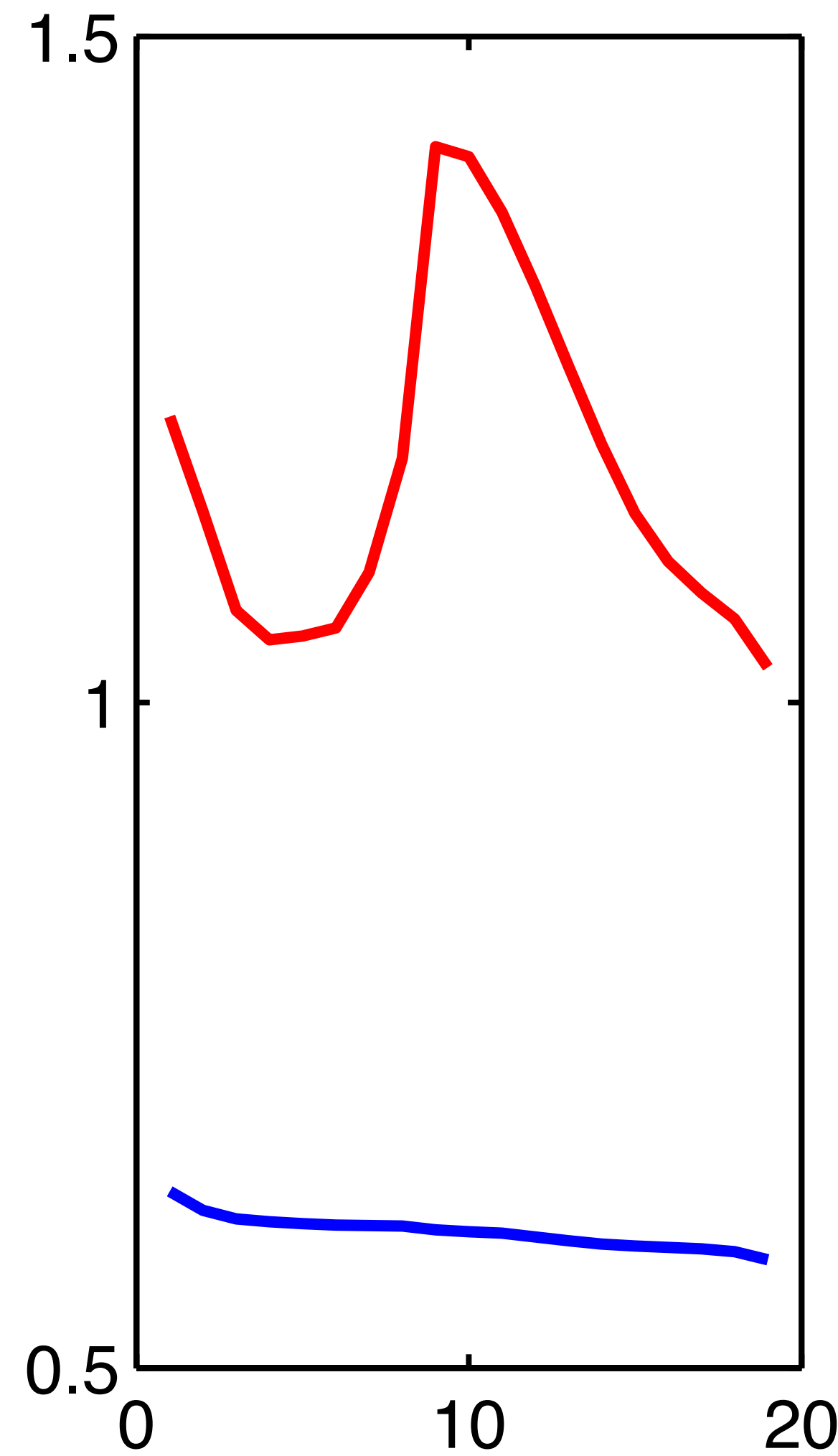
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Monitor



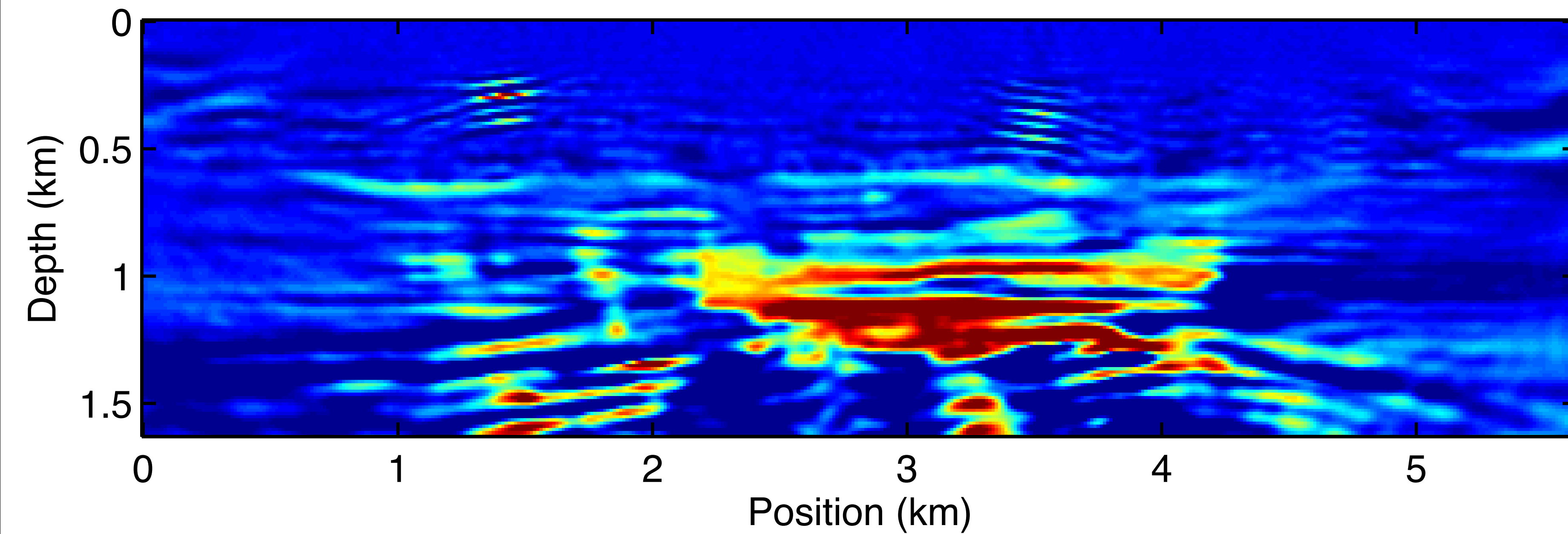
Difference



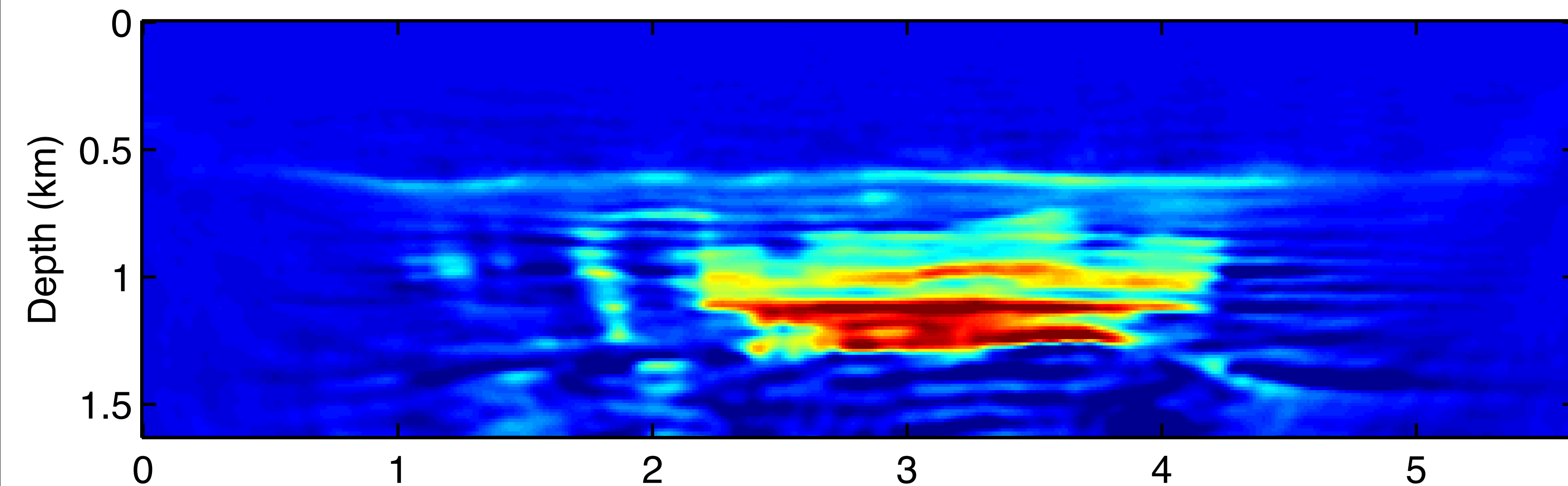
Joint

Independent

Joint vs Independent



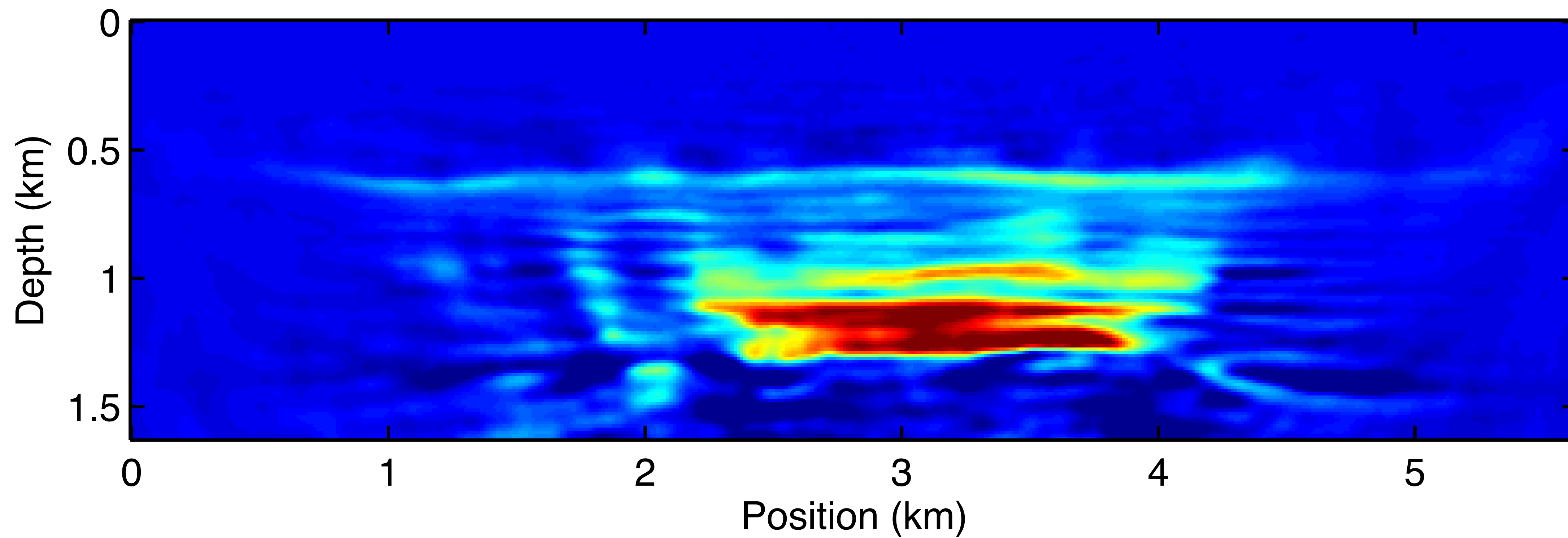
Independent
inversion



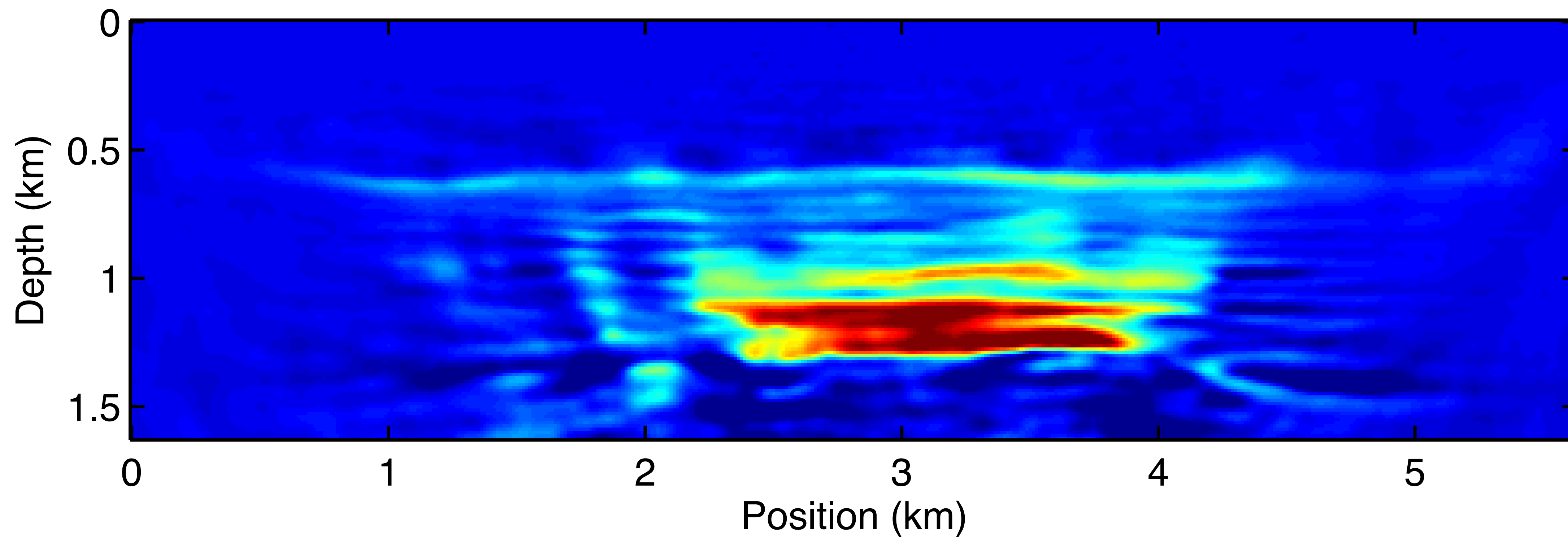
Joint
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What happens when the geometry is different?
-results as at 11:00p.m. Monday 08 Dec.

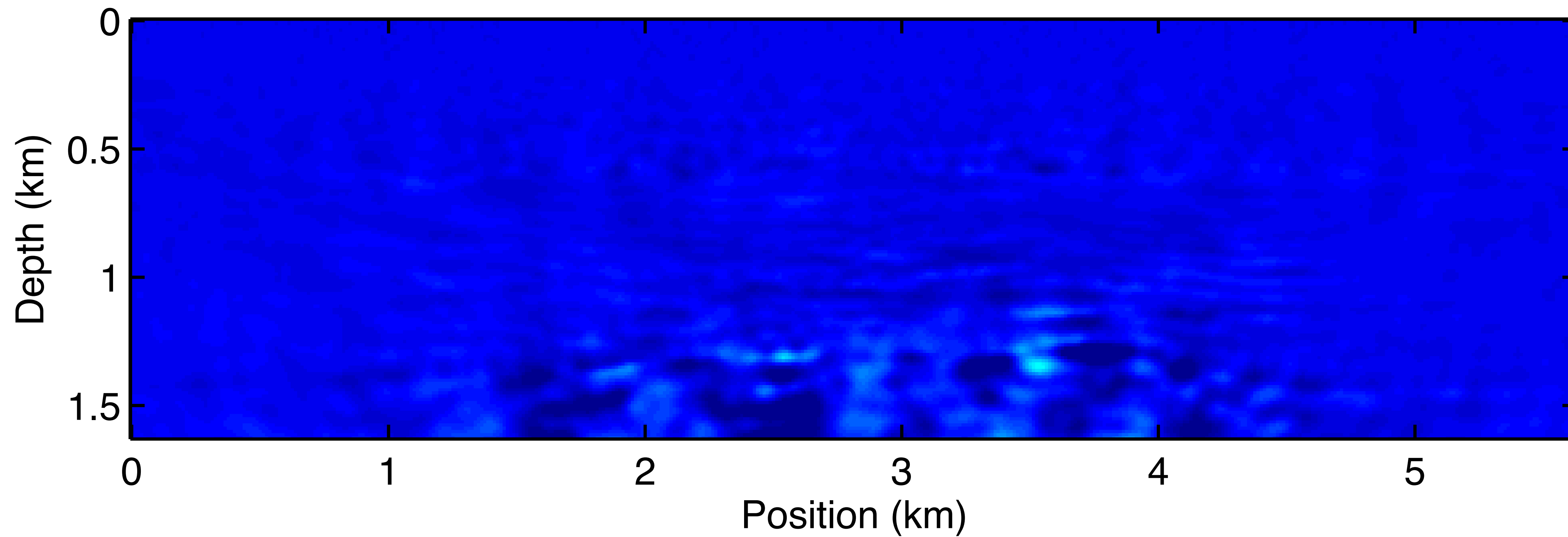
Different



Same



Error



No significant difference !!!

Conclusions

We can do FWI on time-lapse data and obtain **excellent** inversion results.

Randomization **speeds-up** computation using ideas from Compressive Sensing

Significant attenuation of artifacts in time-lapse difference model with the *joint recovery model*

“The key is in exploiting the shared information”.

Future work

Asymmetric acquisition geometry

- w/ & w/o repetition or “controlled” repetition

Multiple surveys

Software release

Uncertainty quantification

Other SLIM inversion algorithms

3-D FWI on time-lapse data set

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