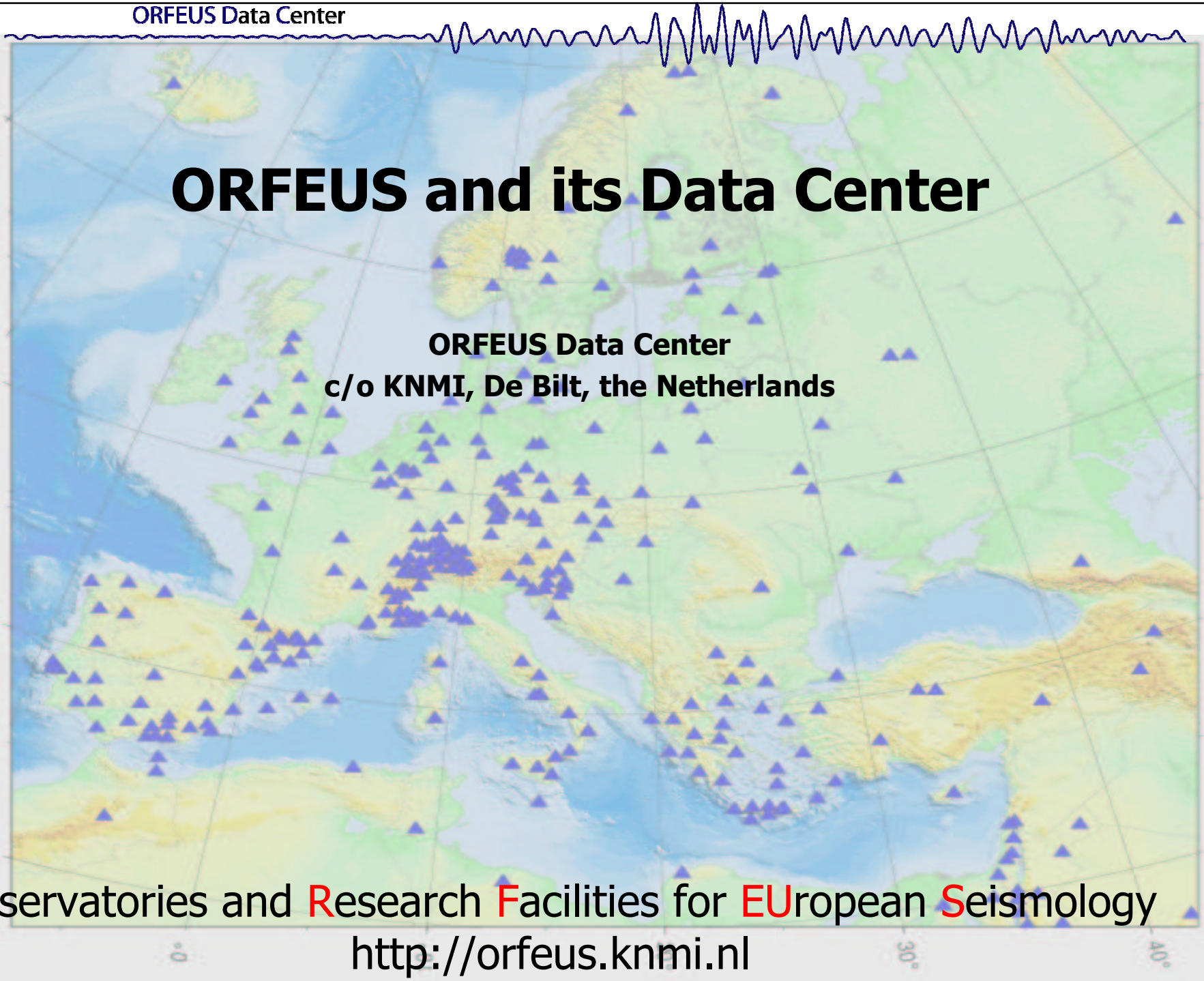




ORFEUS Data Center



ORFEUS and its Data Center

ORFEUS Data Center
c/o KNMI, De Bilt, the Netherlands

Observatories and Research Facilities for European Seismology
<http://orfeus.knmi.nl>

ORFEUS Organizations and Research Facilities for European Seismology

The European non-profit foundation that aims at co-ordination and promoting digital, broadband (BB) seismology in the European-Mediterranean area.

Orfeus Data Center (ODC)

Objective:

- European earthquake high quality waveform data archive

Policy:

- Open data (emphasis on research community and decision makers)

Requirements:

- Homogeneous format, complete description (SEED)
- Systematic archives (events and continuous)
- Easy and rapid data access/search

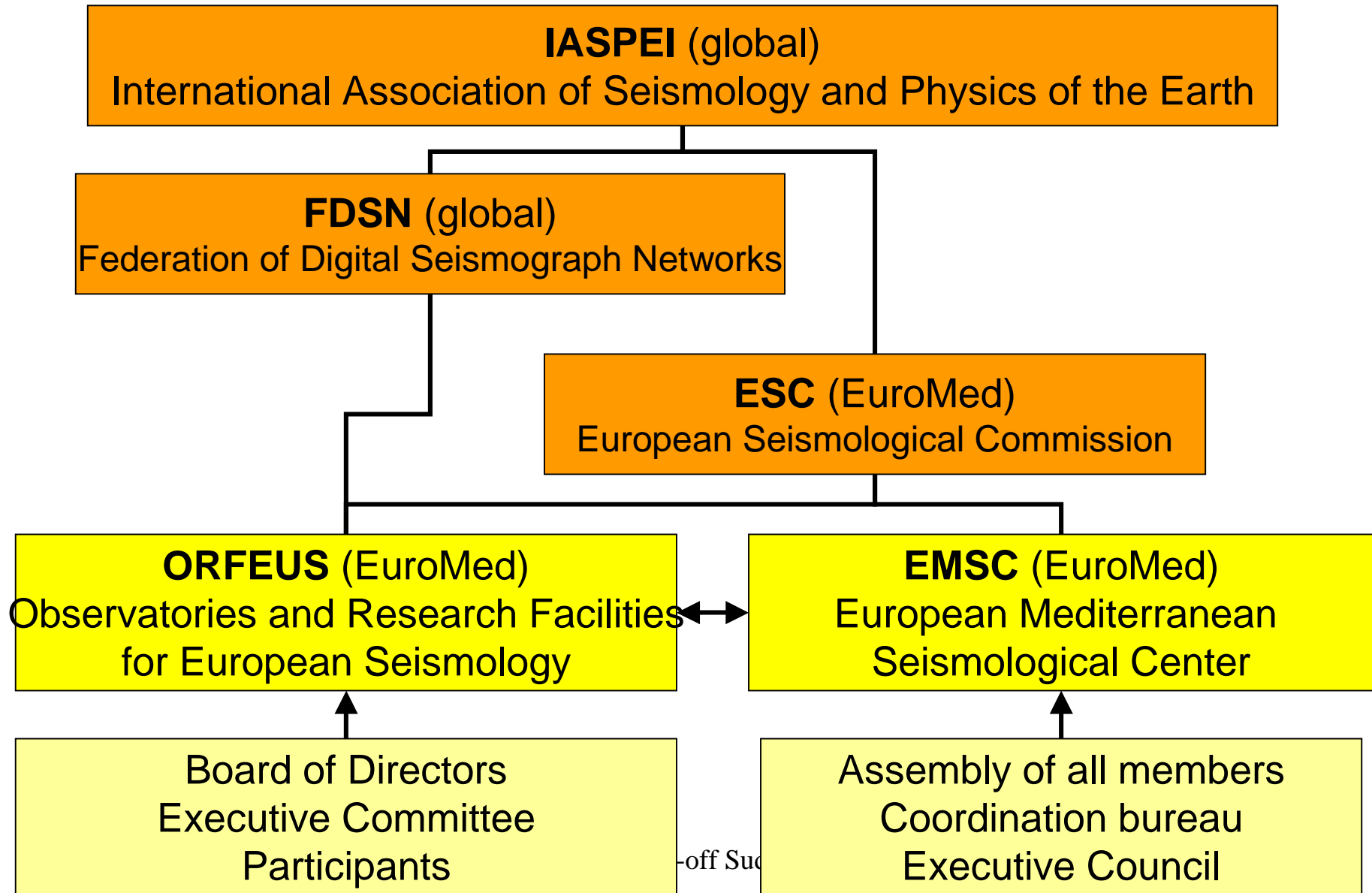
ORFEUS Organisation

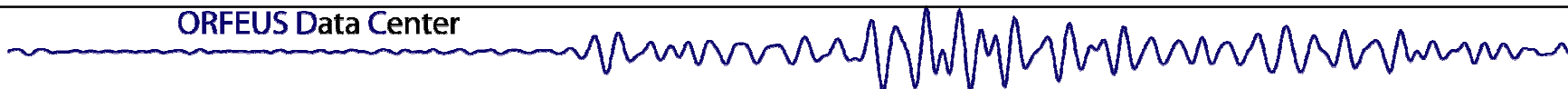
- **Board of Directors**
Representatives of Corporate funding agencies (President: D. Giardini)
- **Executive Committee**
- **ORFEUS-EMSC coordinating committee**
- **Scientific Advisory Board**

- ORFEUS Secretary General (T. van Eck)
- Director ORFEUS Data Centre (B. Dost)
- Board members: Austria, Belgium, Denmark, France, Germany, Greece, Italy, the Netherlands, Norway, Portugal, Spain, Switzerland, UK, (Sweden)

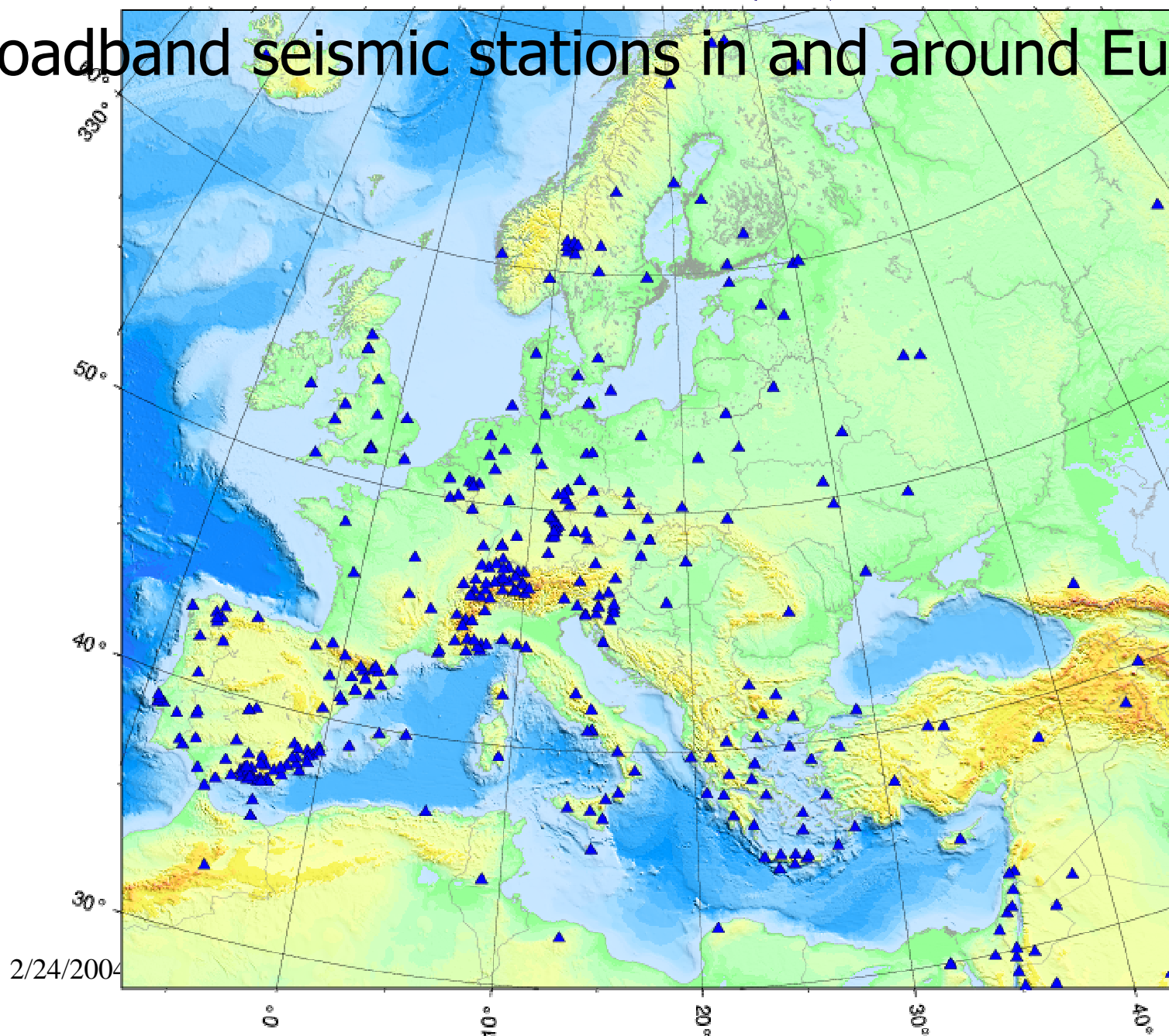
- KNMI (Royal Netherlands Meteorological Institute) is the host.
 - Provides office space, infrastructure, 1.5 f.t.e. staff for operations
- ORFEUS finances 2.1 f.t.e. personnel (including MEREDIAN)

Global and European collaboration in earthquake monitoring





Broadband seismic stations in and around Europe



European seismological data

- 11 Seismological Observatoria in Europe and its surroundings
- Data types:
 - Broadband (BB) ORFEUS (waveform data)
 - Very Long Period (VLP)
 - Short period (SP) EMSC (parameter data)
 - Ocean Bottom Seismometers (OBS) ORFEUS (waveform data)
 - Acceleration (ACC)
- (Semi)permanent BB stations in Europe and its surroundings
 - 11 BB stations installed
 - 25 additional BB stations in funding stage (5 years planning)
 - 11 BB stations in EBSN ODC target 11 (5 years planning)

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Coordination activities

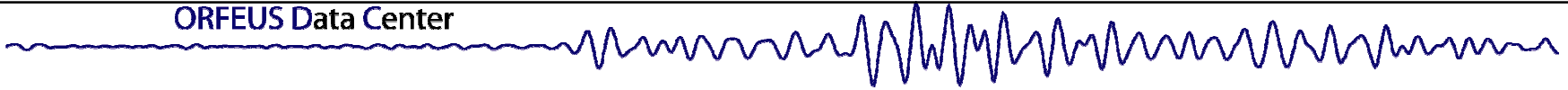
- *Station siting (WG1) (C. Illa)*
 - Coordinating BB station siting in Europe and its immediate surroundings.
 - European BB station inventory.
- *Technical Support (WG2) (D. Pesaresi)*
 - Gather and disseminate technical information. Coordinate technical assistance on BB sensors and data-loggers.
- *Mobile stations (WG3) (P. Denton)*
 - Maintain inventory and coordinate data archiving and dissemination
- *Seismological software (WG4) (Manfred Baer)*
 - Maintain the Seismological Software Library (Unix, Ithru, PC and Mac) and software coordination.

ORFEUS workshops

EMICES project ORFEUS workshops 2002 and 2003:

- **Object Oriented software** September 22-24, 2003
Athens, Greece (ORFEUS/EMICES).
- **Data exchange in the Mediterranean area**
Nicosia, Cyprus (ORFEUS, EMSC/EMICES, USGS and UNESCO initiative)
September 1-14, 2003
- **Instrumentation** November 1-22, 2002,
Istanbul, Turkey (ORFEUS).
- **Real-time data exchange** October 21-25, 2002.
Barcelona, Spain (ORFEUS/EMICES).

EMICES: European-Mediterranean Infrastructure Co-ordination for Earthquake Seismology EC project EFK2-CT-2001-00002

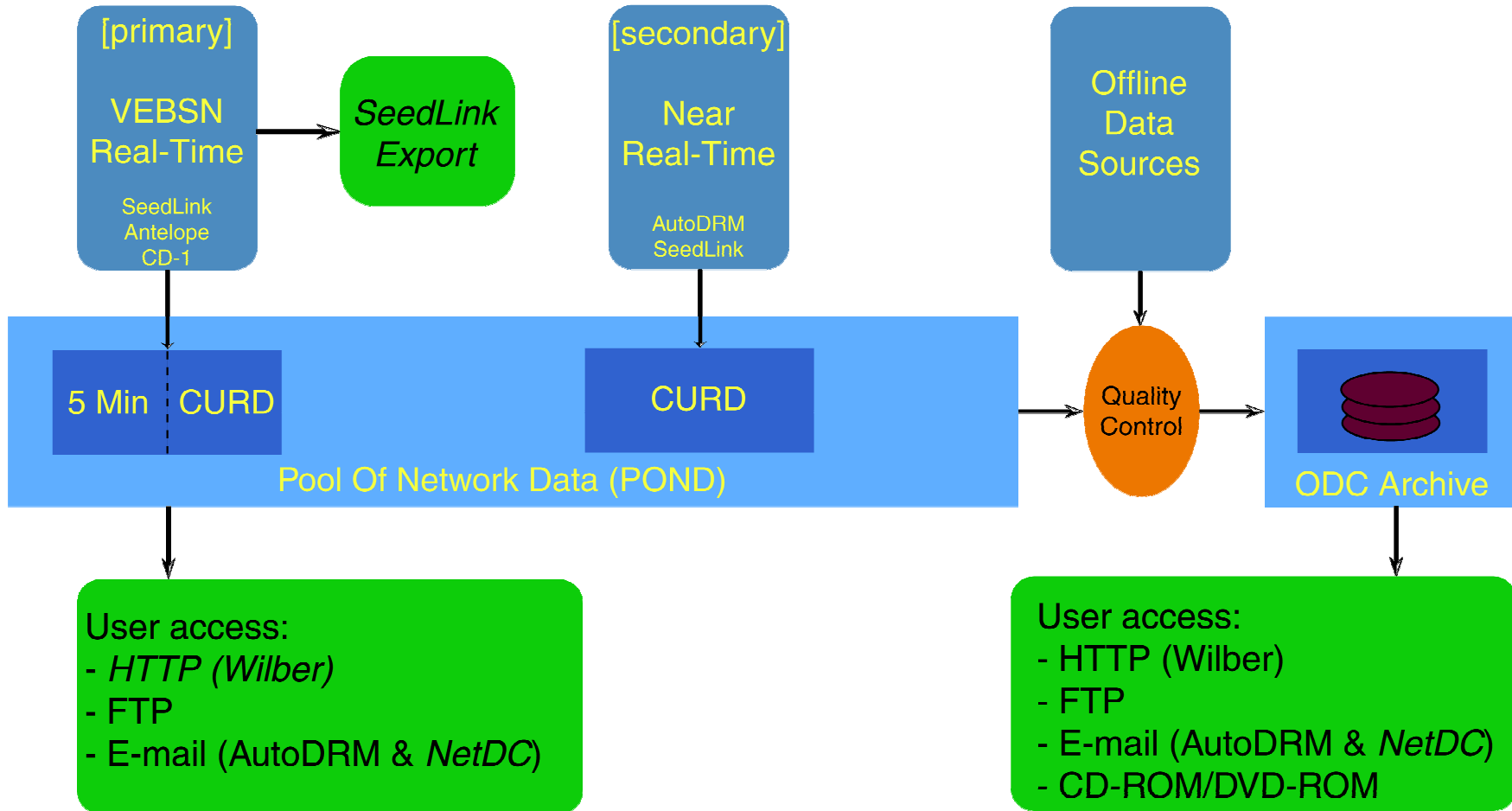


Relevant examples of ORFEUS coordination in Europe

- full SEED format
 - Response functions □ ground motion retrieval
 - no duplication of station codes (NEIC)
 - network codes (FDSN) □ proper ownership reference
- Standardized waveform data exchange:
 - AutoDRM (ETH □ email based) □ Additional access to SP
 - SeedLink (GF □ ORFEUS, real-time)
 - European and regional networks possible

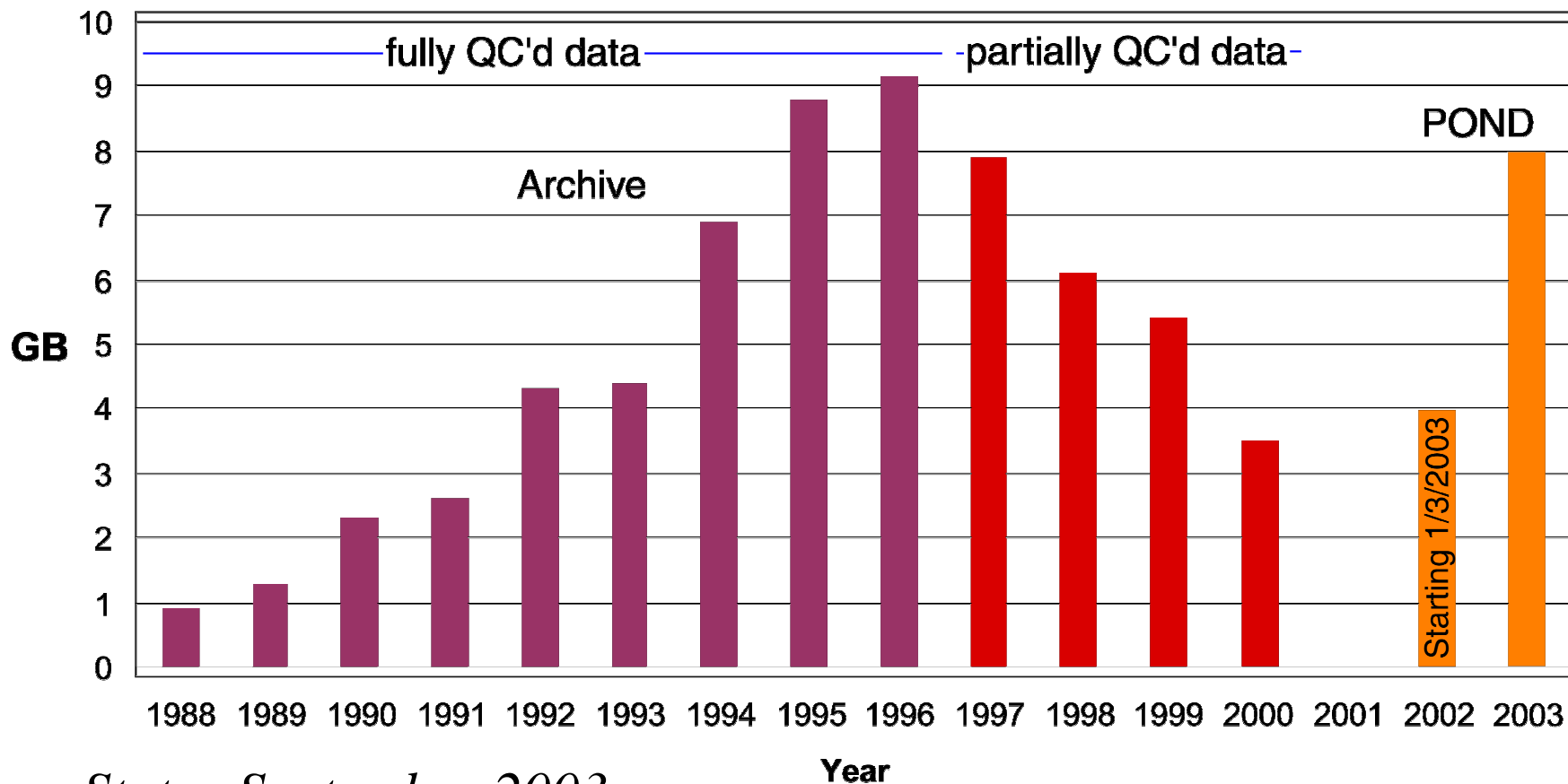
ODC Pipeline

EQ ~15-20 mins ~2 months ~1 year a long time





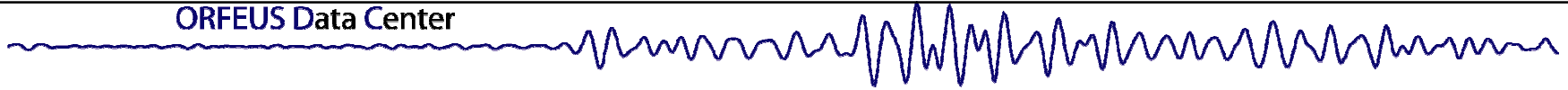
ODC Element Data Holdings



Status September 2003

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SPICE kick-off Sudelfeld



MERIDIAN EC Project

Mediterranean **E**uropean **R**apid **E**arthquake **D**ata **I**nformation
and **R**esearch **N**etwork *EC contract ER*

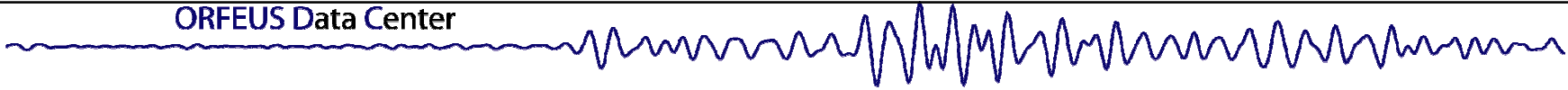
Start date: November 1, 2004

MERIDIAN consortium: 14 participants (national observatories)

End date: April 2005

Goal: Initialize real-time waveform data exchange in Europe and make previously inaccessible data available to the research community, developing a distributed archive

- P1: Improving and securing data archival
- P2: Improving rapid cross border data exchange
- P3: Developing a distributed European seismological archive
- P4: Seismological software co-ordination



MERIDIION CONSORTIUM Participants

- Royal Netherlands Meteorological Institute (KNMI) coordinator** **N**
- Instituto Geográfico Nacional (IGN)** **E**
- Istituto Nazionale di Geofisica e Vulcanologia (INGV)** **I**
- National Observatory of Athens / Institute of Geodynamics (NOI)** **E**
- Geoforschungszentrum Potsdam (GFZ)** **D**
- Centre National de la Recherche Scientifique (CNRS)** **F**
- Zentralanstalt für Meteorologie und Geodynamik (ZAMG)** **A**
- Eidgenössische Technische Hochschule Zürich (ETHZ)** **C**
- Norwegian Seismic Centre (NORSAR)** **NO**
- Environmental Geocentric Slovenia (EGRS)** **SI**
- Geophysical Institute of the Czech Academy of Sciences (IGS-CR)** **C**
- Geophysical Institute of the Slovak Academy of Sciences (IGS-SK)** **SK**
- National Institute of Research and Development for Earth Physics (NIE-RO)** **RO**
- Geophysical Institute of the Bulgarian Academy of Sciences (GIS-BG)** **B**
- Institute of Geophysics of the Polish Academy of Sciences (IGP-S)** **PL**
- University of Malta (UOM)** **M**
- Geological Survey of Estonia (GSE)** **EE**
- Geodetical Geophysical Research Institute of the Bulgarian Academy of Sciences (GGRI-S)** **BG**

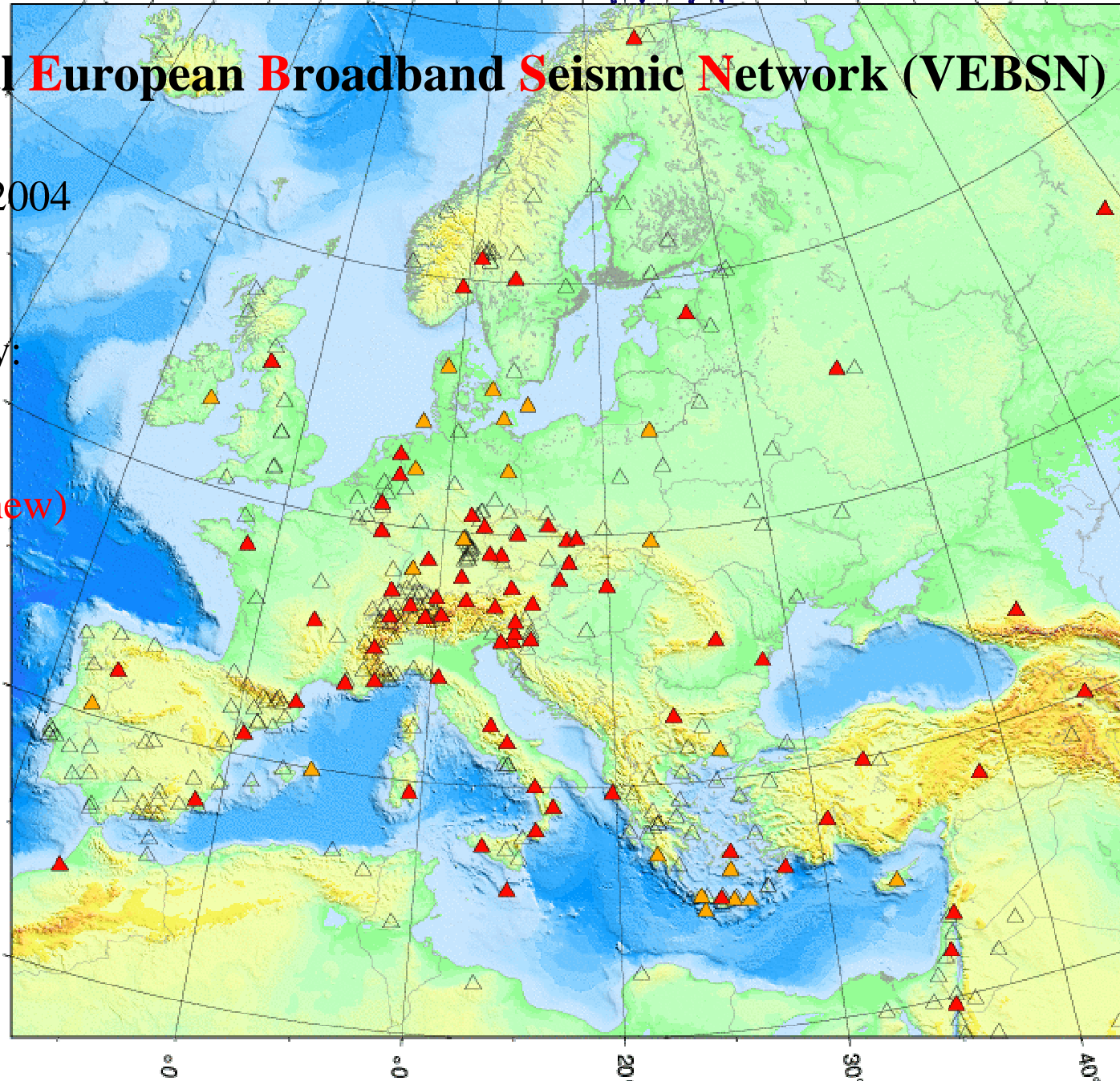
Virtual European Broadband Seismic Network (VEBSN)

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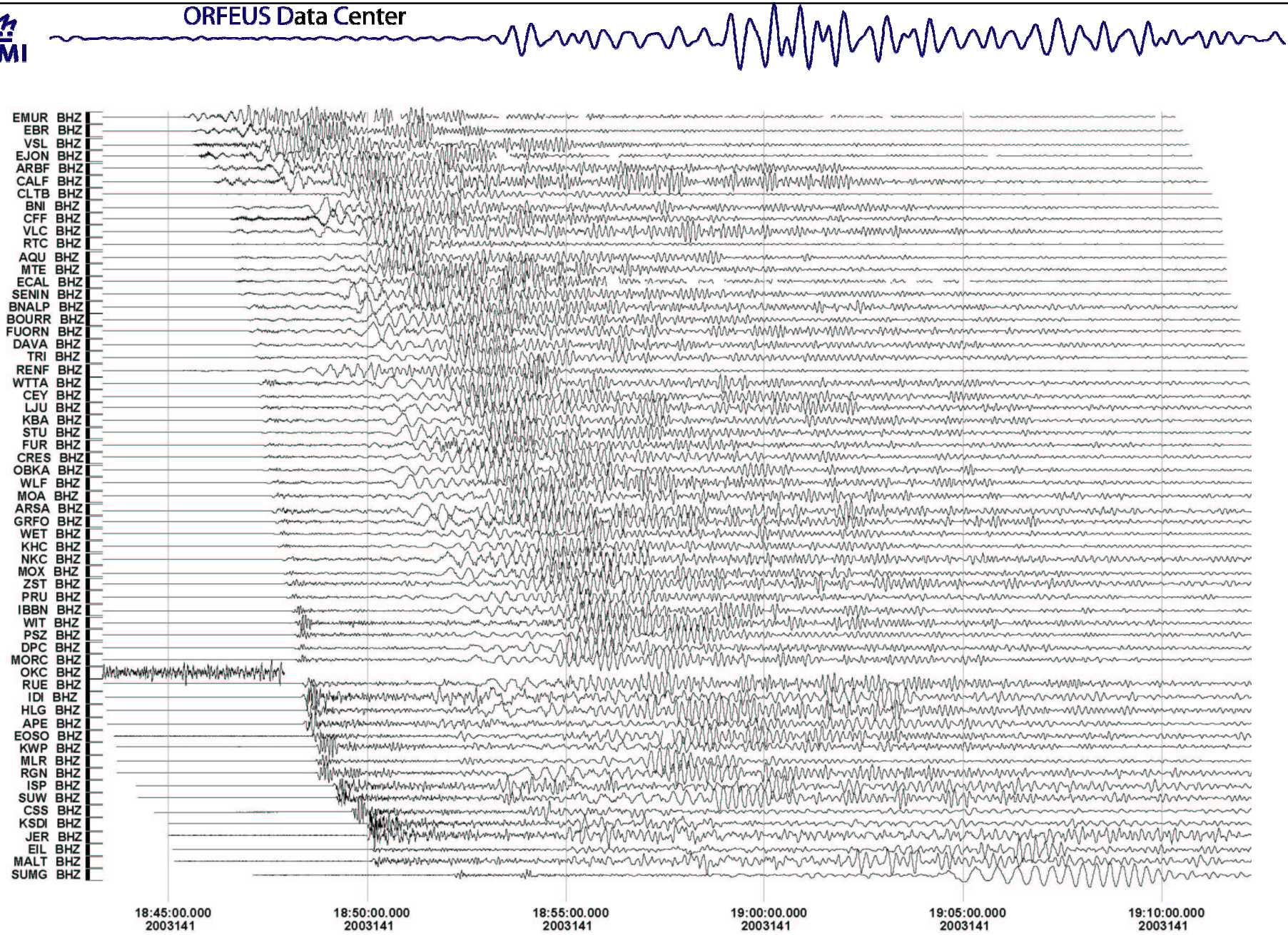
~ 100 stations

Data availability:

- Continuous
- Event data
- Data stream (new)

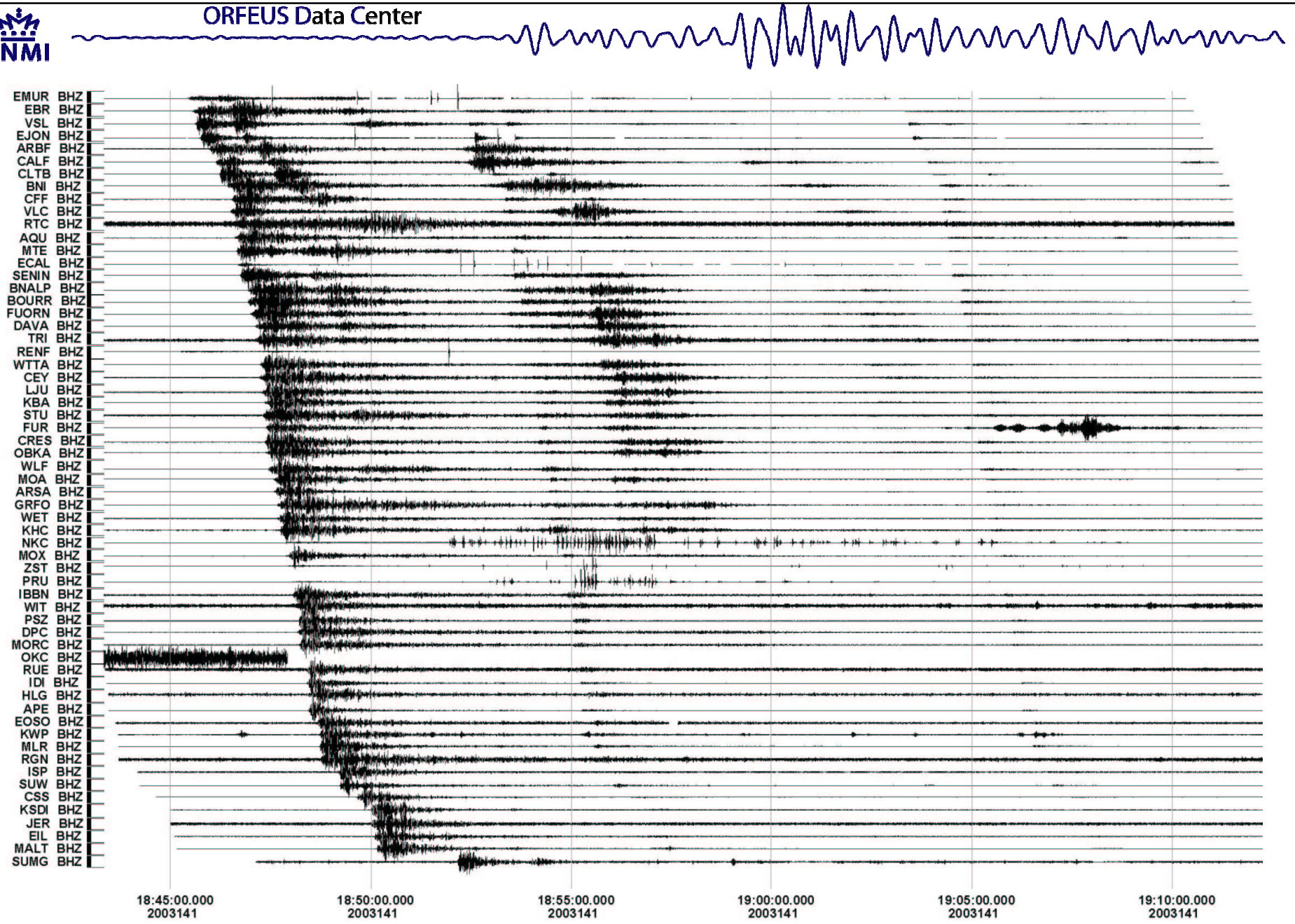


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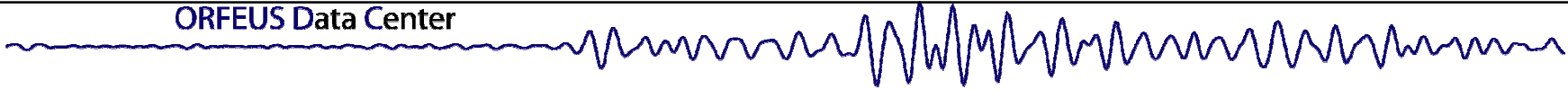
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Algeria earthquake (21 May 2003)



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Table 1. MEREDIAN CONSORTIUM:

NL	Royal Netherlands Meteorological Institute (KNMI), De Bilt, The Netherlands
CZ	Geophysical Institute, Academy of Sciences Czech Republic, Prague, Czech Republic
ES	Instituto Geografico Nacional, Madrid, Spain
MN	MedNet, Istituto Nazionale di Geofisica e Vulcanologia, Rome, Italy
HL	National Observatory of Athens / Institute of Geodynamics, Athens, Greece.
GE	GEOFON, GeoForschungsZentrum Potsdam, Germany.
GE/PL	Geophysical Institute, Polish Academy of Sciences, Warschaw, Poland
FR	Centre National de la Recherche Scientifique, Nice, France.
OE	Zentralanstalt für Meteorologie und Geodynamic, Vienna, Austria.
CH	Eidgenössische Technische Hochschule Zürich, Switzerland.
NO	NORSAR, Kjeller, Norway.
SL	Environmental Agency of the Republic of Slovenia, Ljubljana
SK	Geophysical Institute, Slovak Academy of Sciences, Bratislava, Slovak Republic

Table 2. Additional participating observatories

GE	Geological Survey of Cyprus, Nicosia, Cyprus.
GE	Geological Survey of Estonia, Tallinn, Estonia.
G	Geoscope, Département de Sismologie, Institut de Physique du Globe, Paris, France.
FR	ReNaSS, Ecole et Observatoire des Science de la Terre, Strasbourg, France.
GR	German Regional Seismograph Network, Erlangen, Germany
GE	Geophysical Institute of Israel, Lod, Israel.
MN	Istituto Nazionale di Oceanografia e di Geofisica Sperimentale, Trieste, Italy
MN	Dipartimento di Scienze della Terra, University of Trieste, Italy.
GE	Universidad Complutense, Madrid, Spain
GE	Real Observatorio de la Armada, San Fernando, Spain
SS	Observatori de l'Ebre, Roquettes, Spain
GE	Bogazici University, Kandilli Observatory and ERI, Istanbul, Turkey.
II	IRIS/IDA network, University of California, Scripps Institute of Oceanography, USA.
IU	IRIS/USGS network, USGS Albuquerque Seismological Laboratory, USA.