

## README

%This is a description of the data files in these two data sets:

[http://www.marine-geo.org/tools/search/Files.php?data\\_set\\_uid=26175](http://www.marine-geo.org/tools/search/Files.php?data_set_uid=26175)

[http://www.marine-geo.org/tools/search/Files.php?data\\_set\\_uid=26177](http://www.marine-geo.org/tools/search/Files.php?data_set_uid=26177)

### **Digital seafloor, basement and layer 2A picks:**

1. leg1\_age\_sf\_l2a.mat has the ages (x\_age1), seafloor picks in Two-way time (age1\_sf) and layer 2A picks in Two-way time (l2a\_age1) for leg 1 of profile
2. leg2\_age\_sf\_l2a.mat has the ages (x\_age2), seafloor picks in Two-way time (age2\_sf), basement picks in Two-way time (age2\_bs) and layer 2A picks in Two-way time (l2a\_age2) for leg 2 of profile
3. leg3\_age\_sf\_l2a.mat has the ages (x\_age3), seafloor picks in Two-way time (age3\_sf), basement picks in Two-way time (age3\_bs) and layer 2A picks in Two-way time (l2a\_age3) for leg 3 of profile

%These have been used in plotting figures 4a and 4b in the main article. Please refer to text in main article for leg1, leg2 and leg3 descriptions.

### **Processed seismic data showing layer 2A:**

4. sq1\_stack.segy is the stack section in the oldest part of the profile (62.8 - 75.4 Ma)
5. sq4\_stack\_l2a\_tomo.segy is the stack section from 49.3 - 53 Ma
6. sq7\_stack\_l2a.segy is the stack section corresponding to 26.7 - 35.1 Ma
7. sq9\_stack\_l2a.segy is the stack section from 14.7 - 19 Ma
8. sq14\_stack\_for\_jian.segy is the stack section from 4.5 Ma on the South American plate to 7.7 Ma on the African plate

%Please see figure 3 and text for the age ranges of these sections.

### **Additional stack sections are:**

9. sq10\_stack\_l2a\_tomo.segy is the stack section at 11.2 - 14.7 Ma
10. sq11\_stack\_l2a\_tomo.segy is the stack section at 2 - 6 Ma
11. sq5\_stack.segy is the stack section at 38.9 - 46.7 Ma
12. sq6\_stack.segy is the stack section at 35 - 38.9 Ma

%Note the final velocity models in figure 6 and their associated ray coverage diagrams (S6), residual reduction plot (S7) are being currently used for another study and will be made available later.