

# Earth-like criteria from archeomagnetic field models

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## SETS OF OBSERVATIONS

- + observations of the geomagnetic field
  - direct observations made by ground-based or satellite-based geomagnetic measurements
    - geomagnetic field models (spherical harmonics degree 1-20)
  - indirect observations from sampling the magnetic recordings of rocks, sediments and kilns
    - archeo and paleo-geomagnetic field models (spherical harmonics degree 1-10)
- + numerical experiments based on ab-initio calculations of magnetic field generation and heat transfer between Earth's core and mantle
  - see talks of F. Deschamps
  - see talks of F. Terra-Nova

## SETS OF OBSERVATIONS

- + paleo-geomagnetic field models are based on data that un-evenly sample Earth's magnetic field in time and space
- + severely, temporal uncertainties range from a few decades to  $10^6$  years, depending on the age of the sample
- + spatial data distribution allows, at maximum, to resolve spherical harmonic degree  $\sim 6$  (Brown et al., 2018)

## SET OF MAGNETIC FIELD MODELS

The list of archeomagnetic field models evaluated:

- + CALS3k.4a Korte & Constable, 2011 - past 3 kyr.
- + CALS10k.2 Constable et al., 2016 - past 10 kyr.
- + HFM.OL.A1 Constable et al., 2016- past 9 kyr.
- + pfm9k.1 Nilsson et al., 2014 - past 9 kyr.
- + pfm9k.2 Nilsson & Suttie, 2021 - past 9 kyr.
- + SHA.DIFF.14k Pavon-Carrasco et al., 2014 - past 2014 kyr
- + LSMOD.2 Brown et al., 2018 - 30–50 kyr.
- + GGFSS70k Panovska et al., 2021 - 15-75kyr.
- + GGF100k Panovska et al., 2018 - past 100 kyr.
- + SHAWQ2K Campuzano et al., 2019 - past 3 kyr.
- + COV-ARCH and COV-LAKE Hellio & Gillet, 2018 - past 3 kyr.
- + A\_FM, ASD\_FM and ASDI\_FM Licht2013 et al., 2013 - past 3 kyr.
- + BIGMUDI4k Arneitz et al., 2019 - past 4 kyr.
- + ArchKalmag14k.r Schanner et al., 2022

## SET OF MAGNETIC FIELD MODELS

### Models based on stochastic inversion

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CALS3k.4a	past 3 kyrs	10	cubic B-splines	A & L
CALS10k.2	past 10 kyrs	10	cubic B-splines	A & L & S
HFM.OL.A1	past 10 kyrs	10	cubic B-splines	A & L & S
pfm9k.1	past 9 kyrs	10	cubic B-splines	A & L & S
SHA.DIFF.14k	past 10 kyrs	10	cubic B-splines	A & L
SHAWQ2k	past 2.3 kyrs	10	cubic B-splines	A & L & S
GGF100k	past 100 kyrs	10	cubic B-splines	A & L & S
GGFSS70k	15-75kyrs BC	6	cubic B-splines	A & L & S

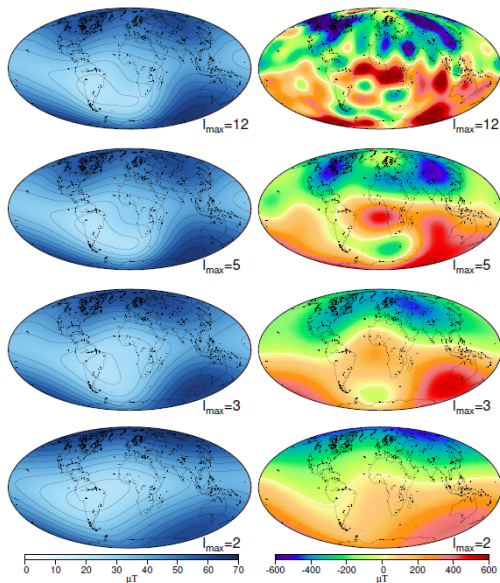
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### Models based on ensemble and Bayesian approaches

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pfm9k.2	past 9 kyrs	5		A & L & S
COV-ARCH & COV-LAKE				
A_FM, ASD_FM, ASDI_FM	past 3 kyrs	5		A & L & S
BIGMUDI4k	past 4 kyrs	8		H & A & L
ArchKalmag14k.r	past 14 kyrs	8		H & A & L

# SET OF MAGNETIC FIELD MODELS



radial magnetic field at the CMB (Brown et al. 2018)

## MEASURES OF FIELD COMPLEXITY

- + Mauersberger-Lowes spectra are one way to characterize magnetic field complexity
- + another way: compute spatial quantities like

$$\text{Norm 1 : } \oint B^2 dS|_{r=c} = (l+1) \left(\frac{a}{c}\right)^{(2l+4)}$$

$$\text{Norm 2 : } \oint B_r^2 dS|_{r=c} = \frac{(l+1)^2}{2l+1} \left(\frac{a}{c}\right)^{(2l+4)}$$

$$\text{Norm 3 : } \oint (\nabla_h B_r)^2 dS|_{r=c} = \frac{l(l+1)^3}{2l+1} \left(\frac{a}{c}\right)^{(2l+6)}$$

these norms are used to construct most of the field models

# EARTH'S LIKENESS OF DYNAMO SIMULATIONS

+ Christensen et al. 2010

→ relative axial dipole power

$$AD/NAD = P_{10}/(P_{11} + \sum_{n=2}^8 (a/c)^{2n-2} \sum_{m=0}^n P_{nm})$$

with

$$P_{nm} = (n+1)(g_{nm}^2 + h_{nm}^2)$$

→ equatorial symmetry

odd =  $n + m$  → equatorial anti-symmetric

even =  $n + m$  → equatorial symmetric

→ zonality

relative power of axisymmetric components in the non-dipole field  
(Z/NZ)

→ flux concentration

$$FCF = (\langle B_r^4 \rangle - \langle B_r^2 \rangle^2) / \langle B_r^2 \rangle^2$$

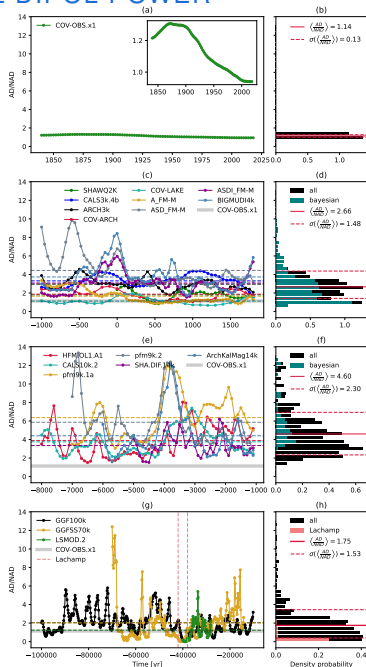
+ this study:

→ derive same criteria from archeo- and paleomagnetic field models

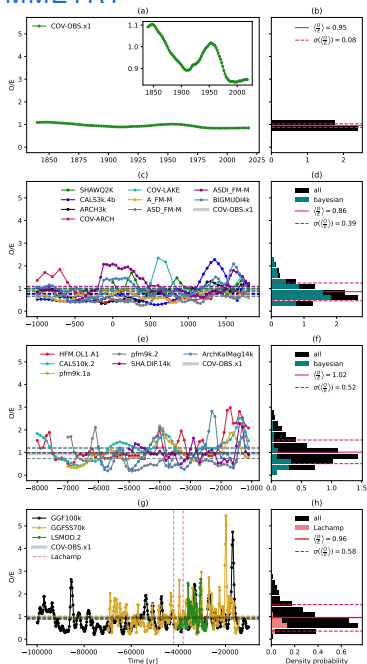
→ temporal complexity, new criteria



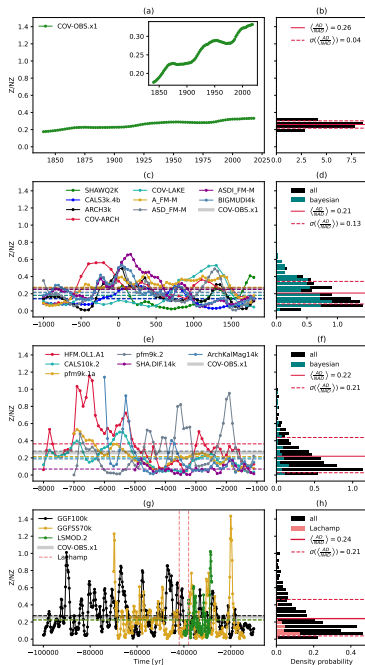
# RELATIVE AXIAL DIPOL POWER



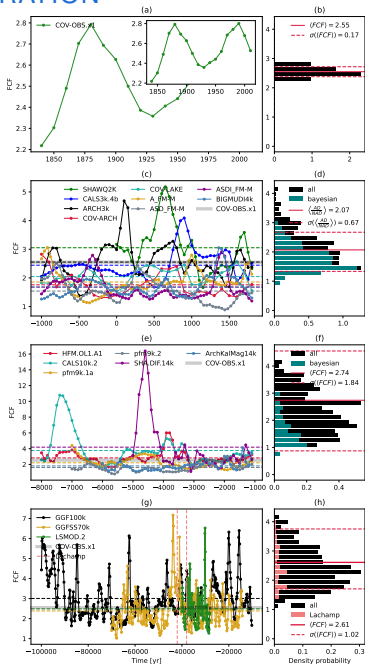
# EQUATORIAL SYMMETRY



# ZONALITY



# FLUX CONCENTRATION



## OUTLOOK

- + derive mean characteristics of the archeo- and paleomagnetic field that are robustly resolved independently of the model priors
- + the mean characteristics (spatially and maybe temporally) should be compared to dynamo simulations