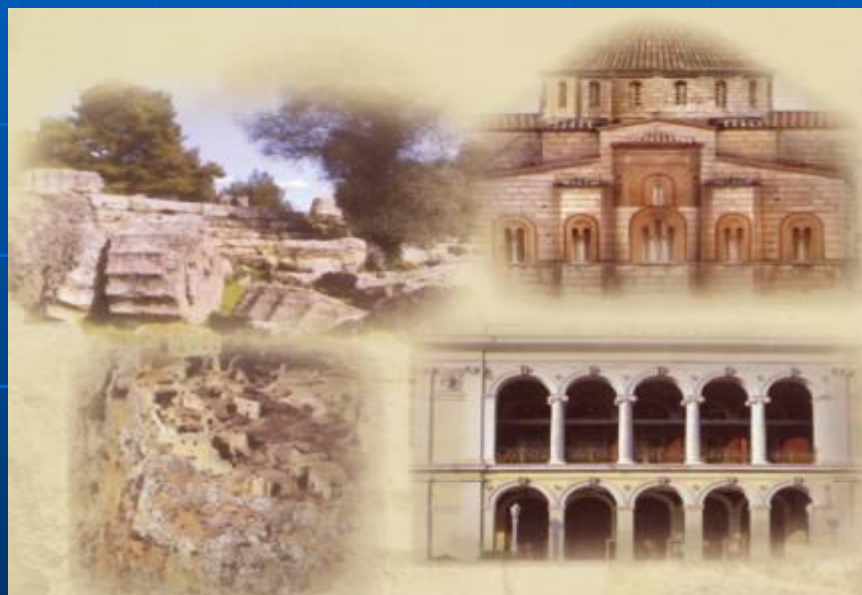




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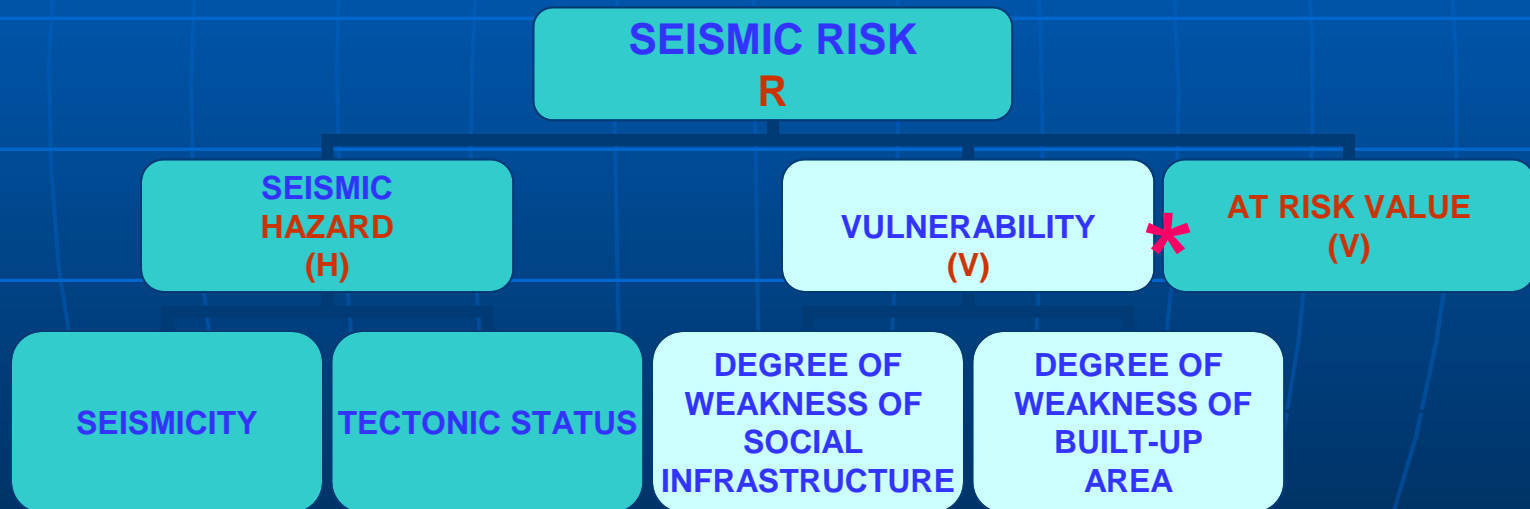


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## Confronting the problem



$$R=H*V*V$$

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$$R=H*V*V$$



Reduction of the Vulnerability !!!

## Vulnerability

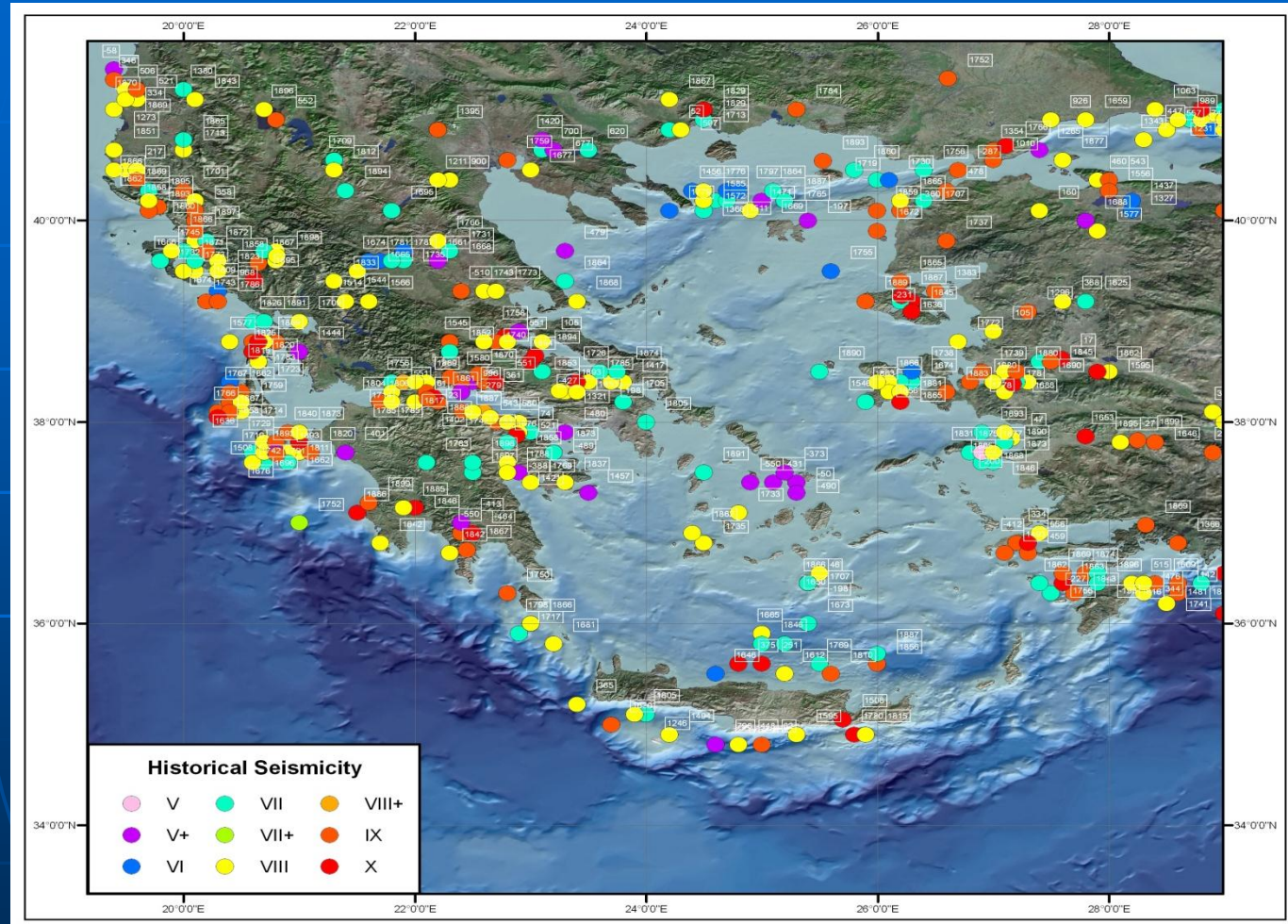
expresses the Seismic Response of The Monument to Seismic Event with unknown Characteristics with the degree of uncertainty in the determination of the structural Characteristics

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**Master Plan for Seismic Hazard  
Estimation**

- Available data Collection
- Implementation of a GIS interface
- Joint assessment – evaluation of available information
- Monument case studies using different seismological methodologies

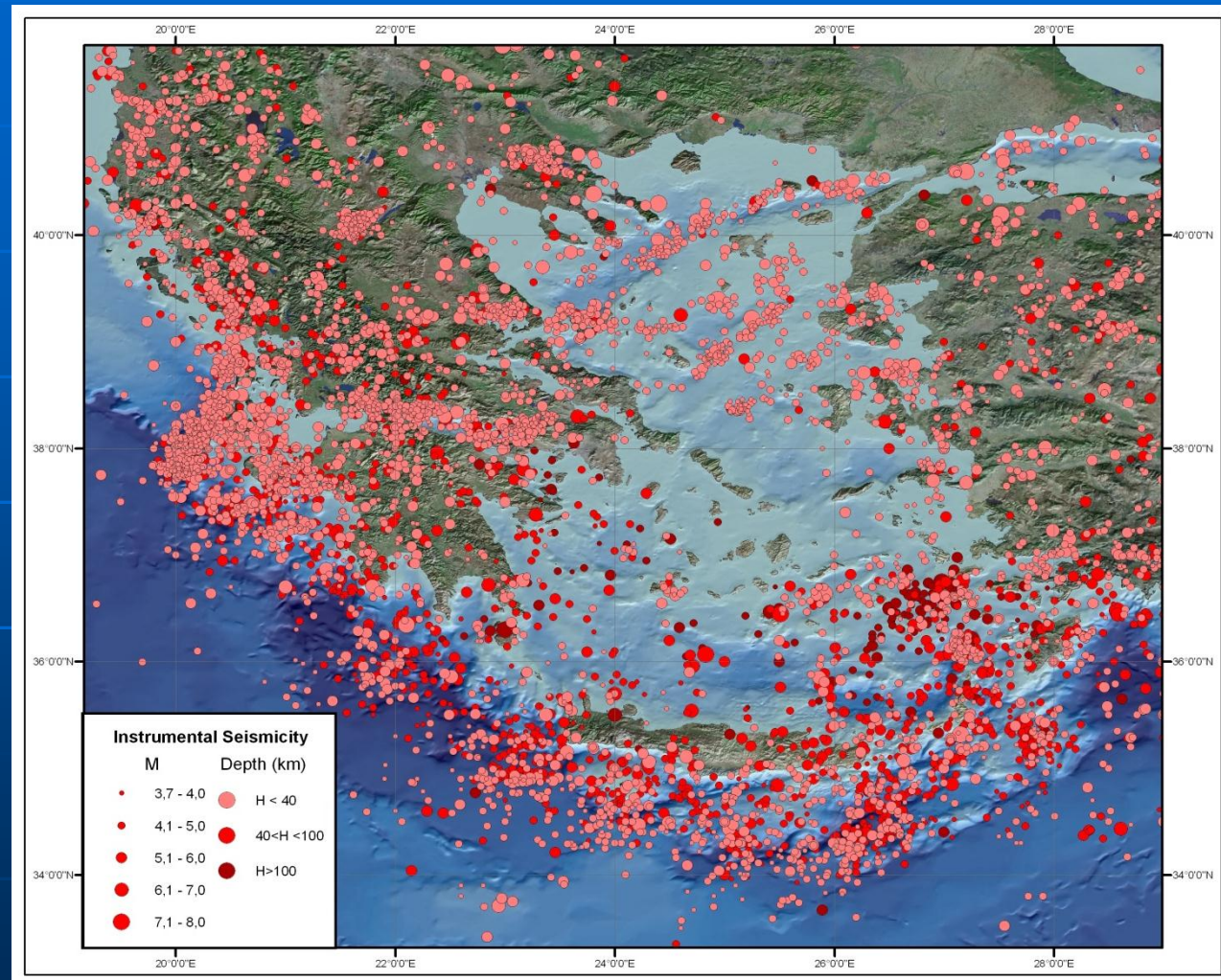
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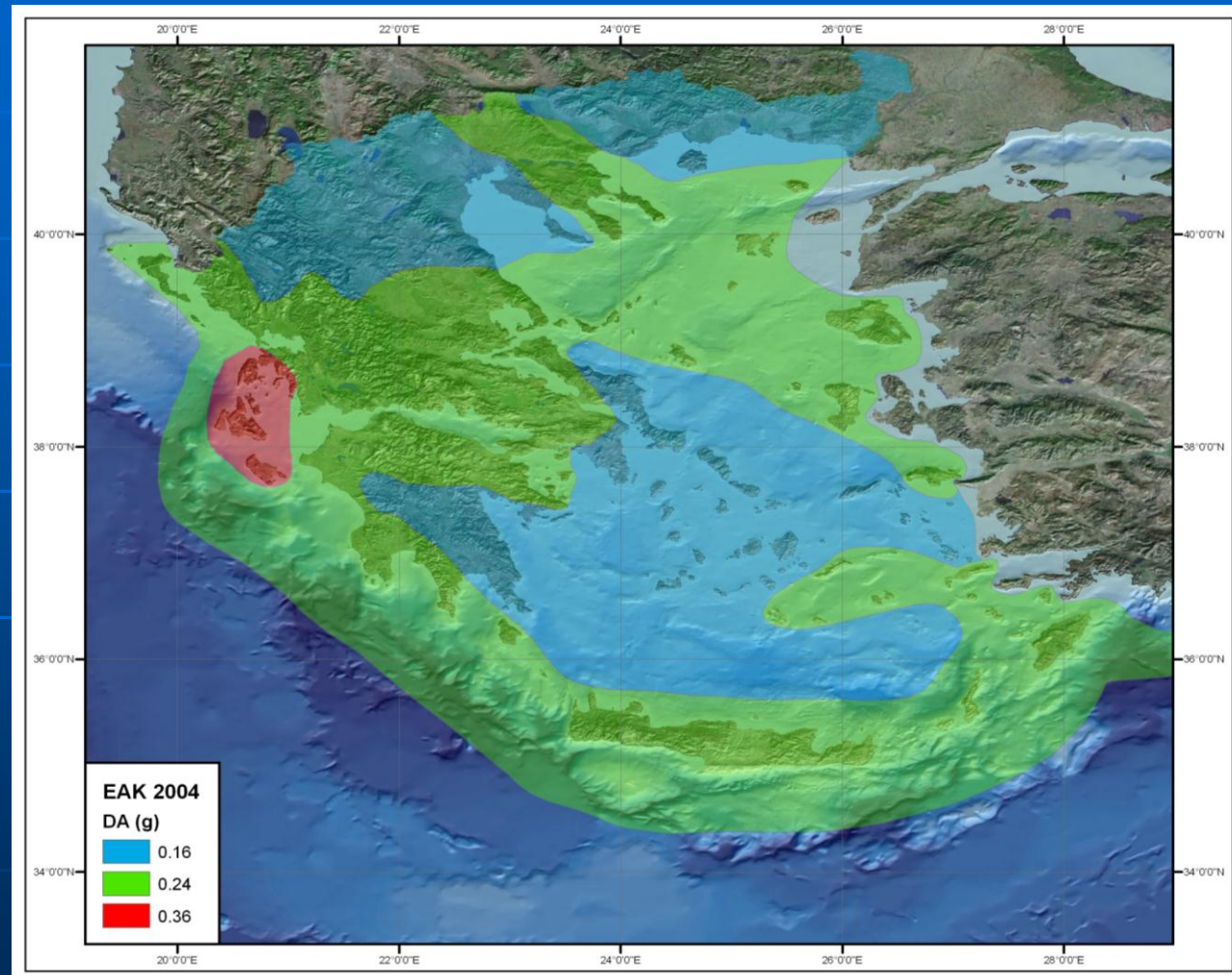


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**NEW SEISMIC ZONES IN GREECE**



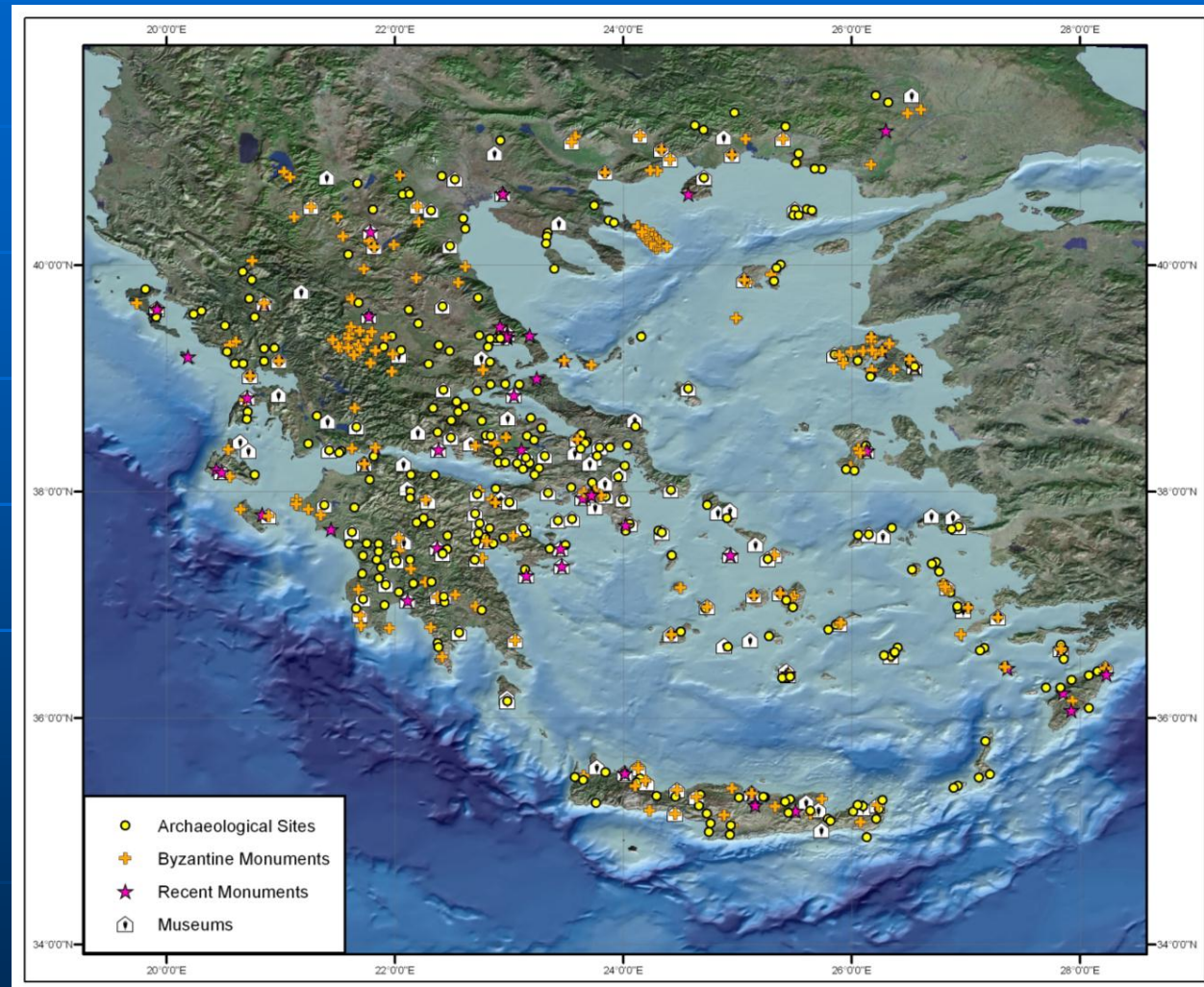
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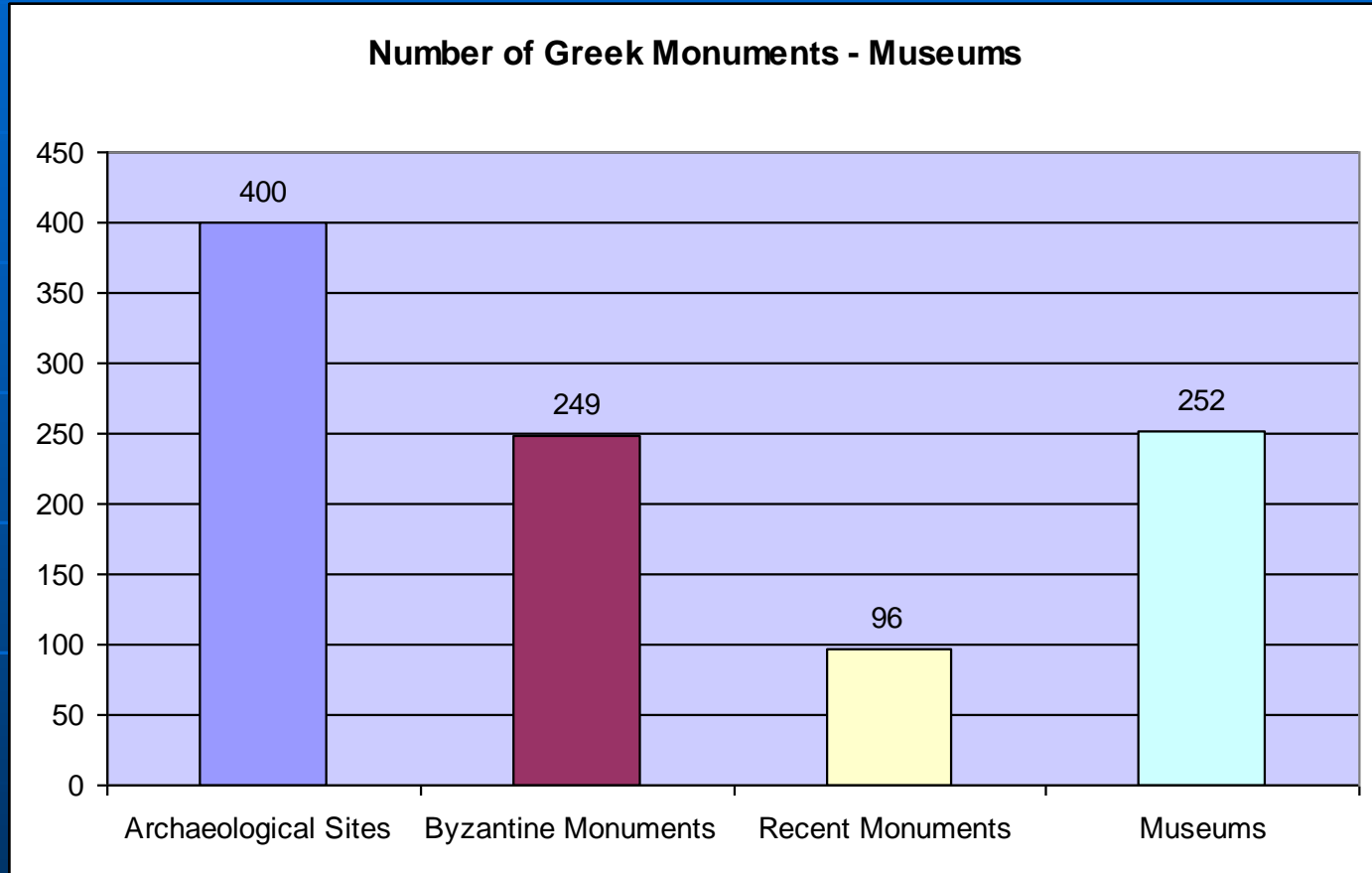


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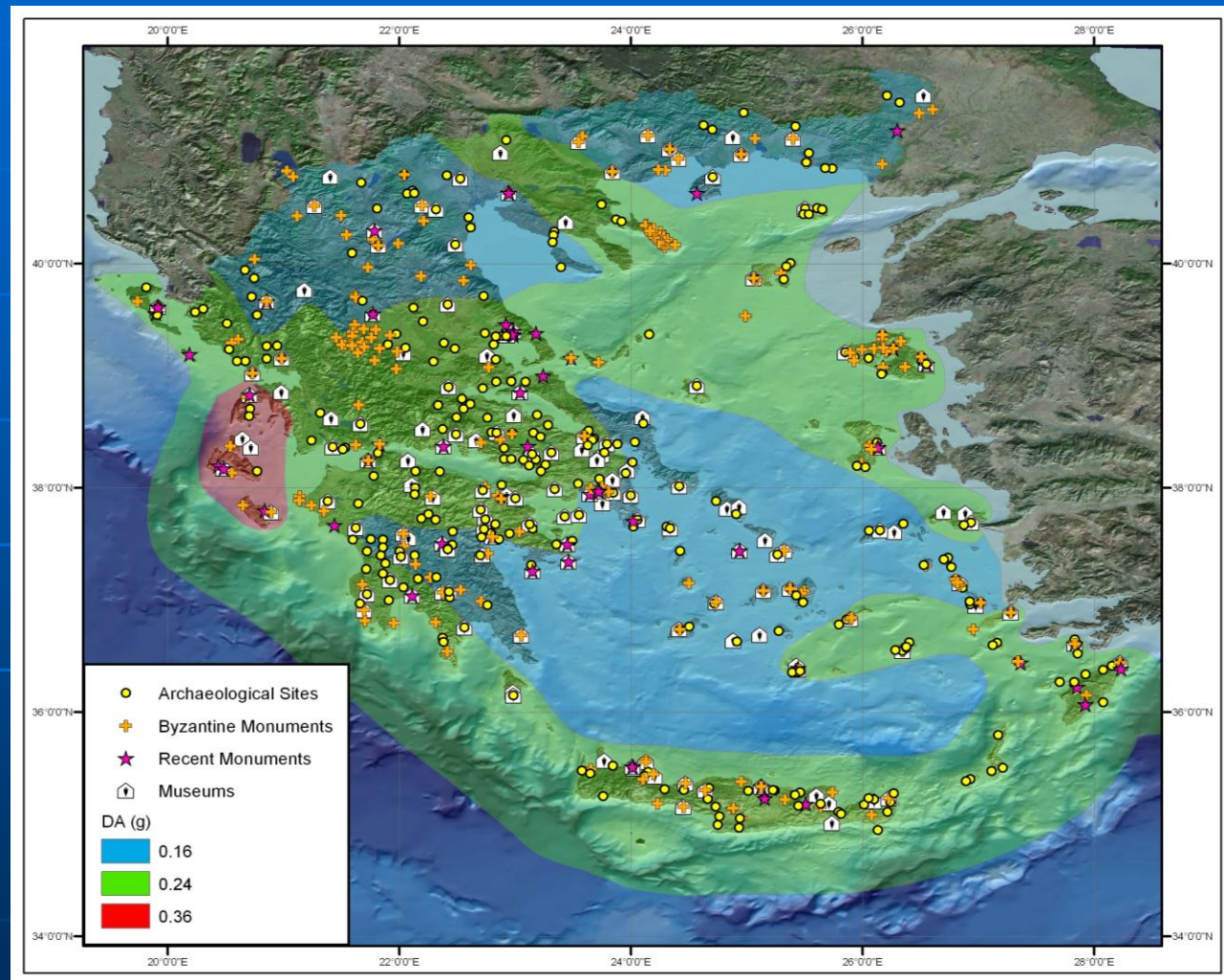
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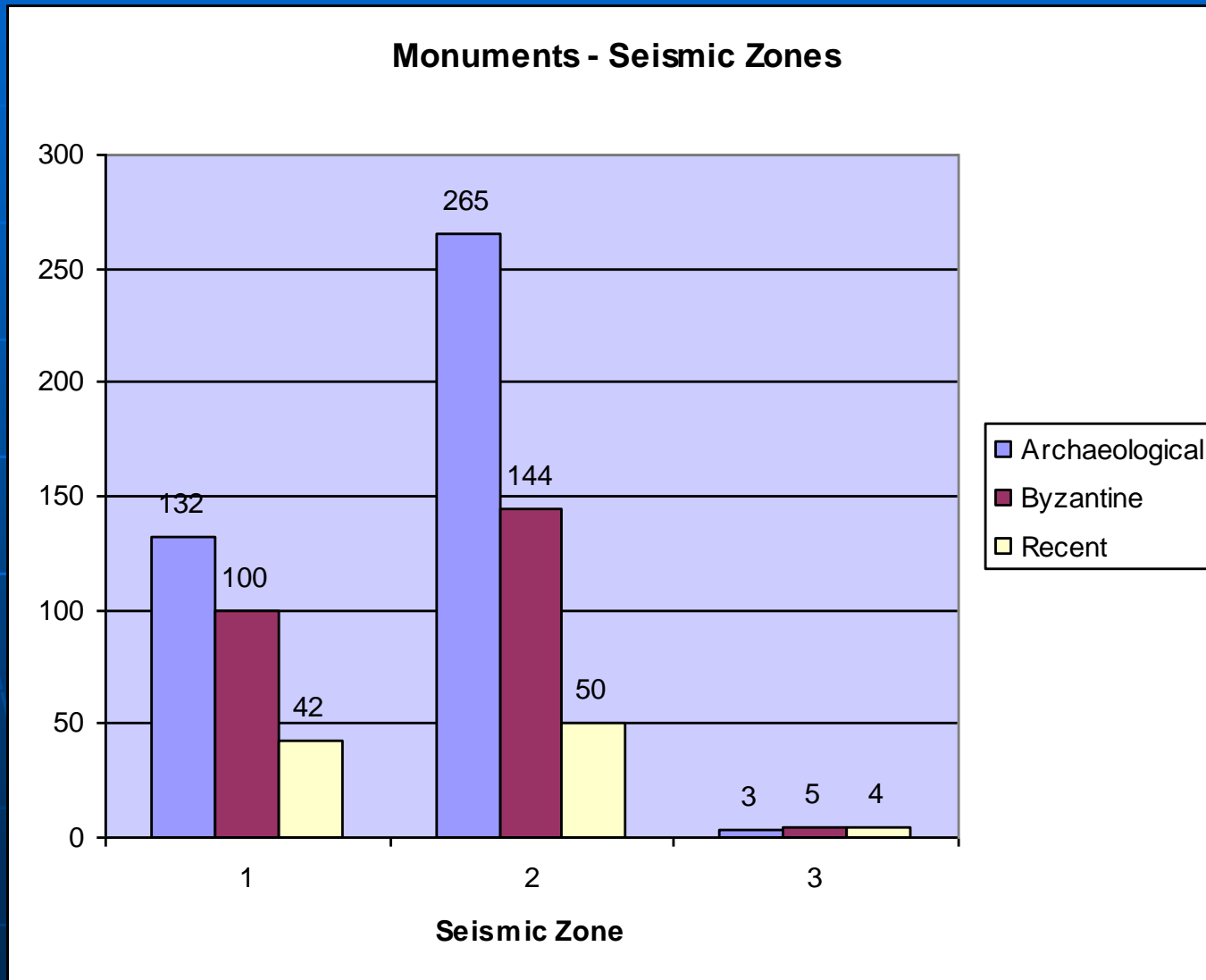
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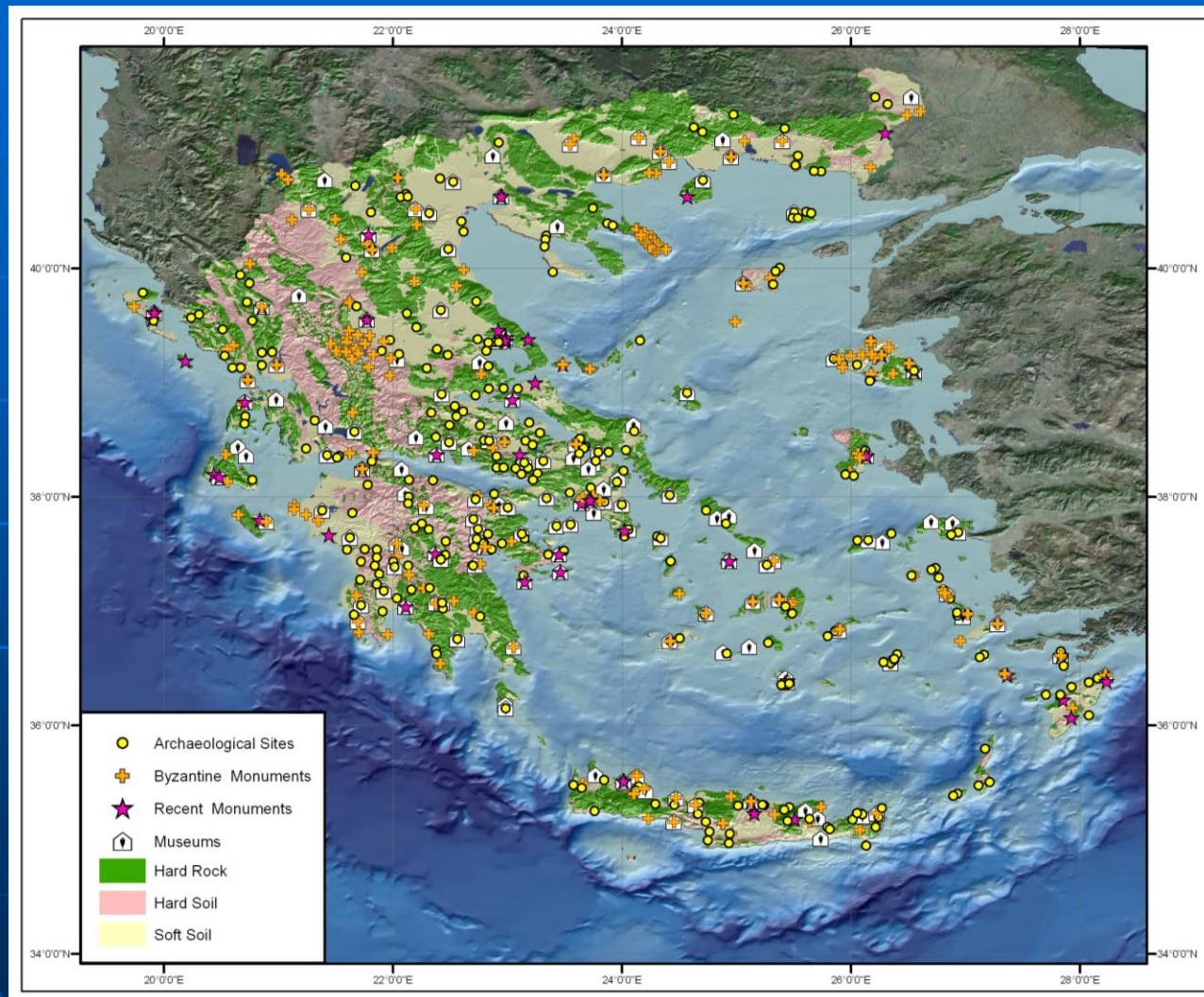
**GREEK MONUMENTS - SEISMIC ZONES**



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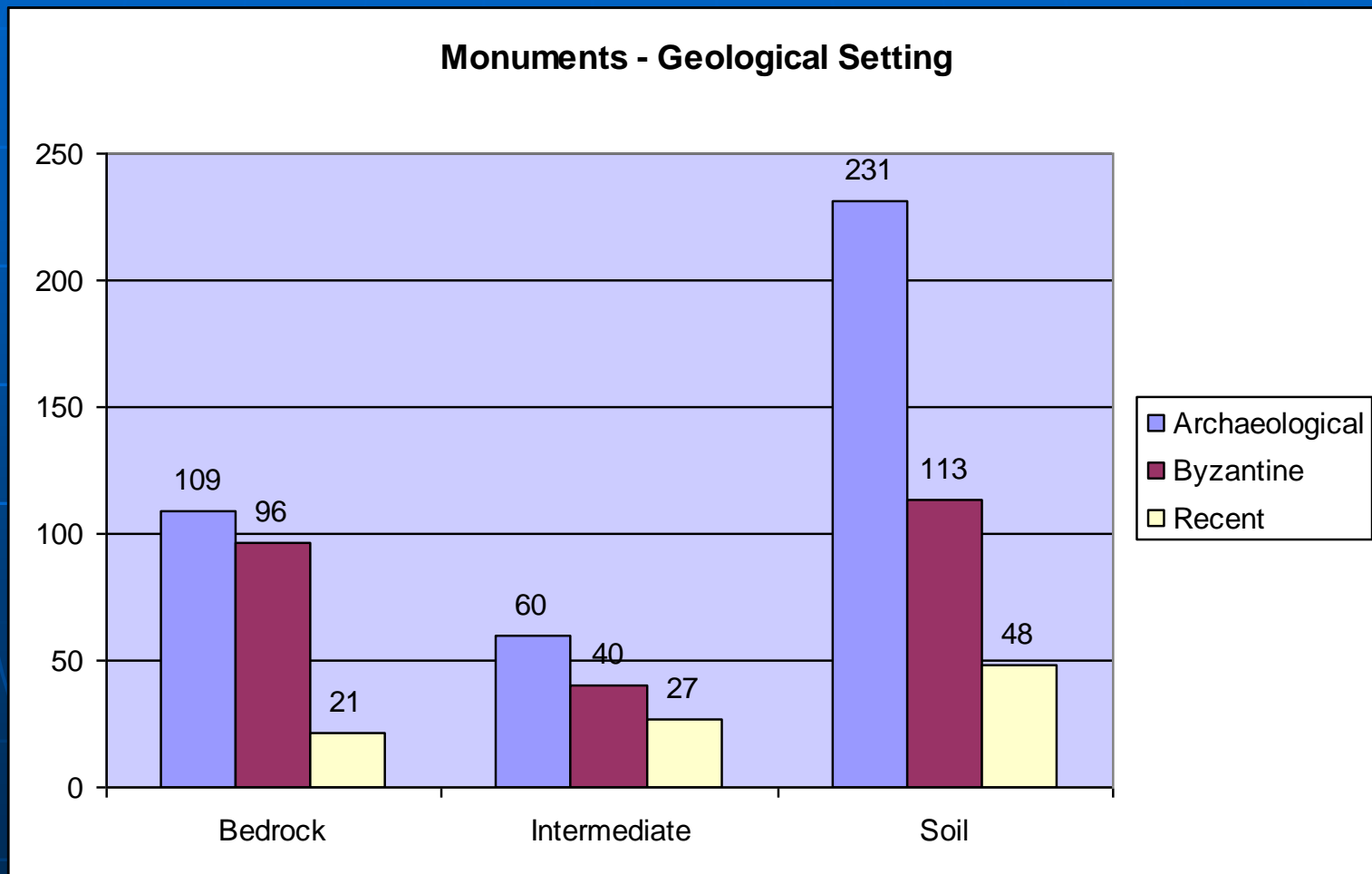


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**GREEK MONUMENT DATA BASE**  
**Preliminary Site Characterization**

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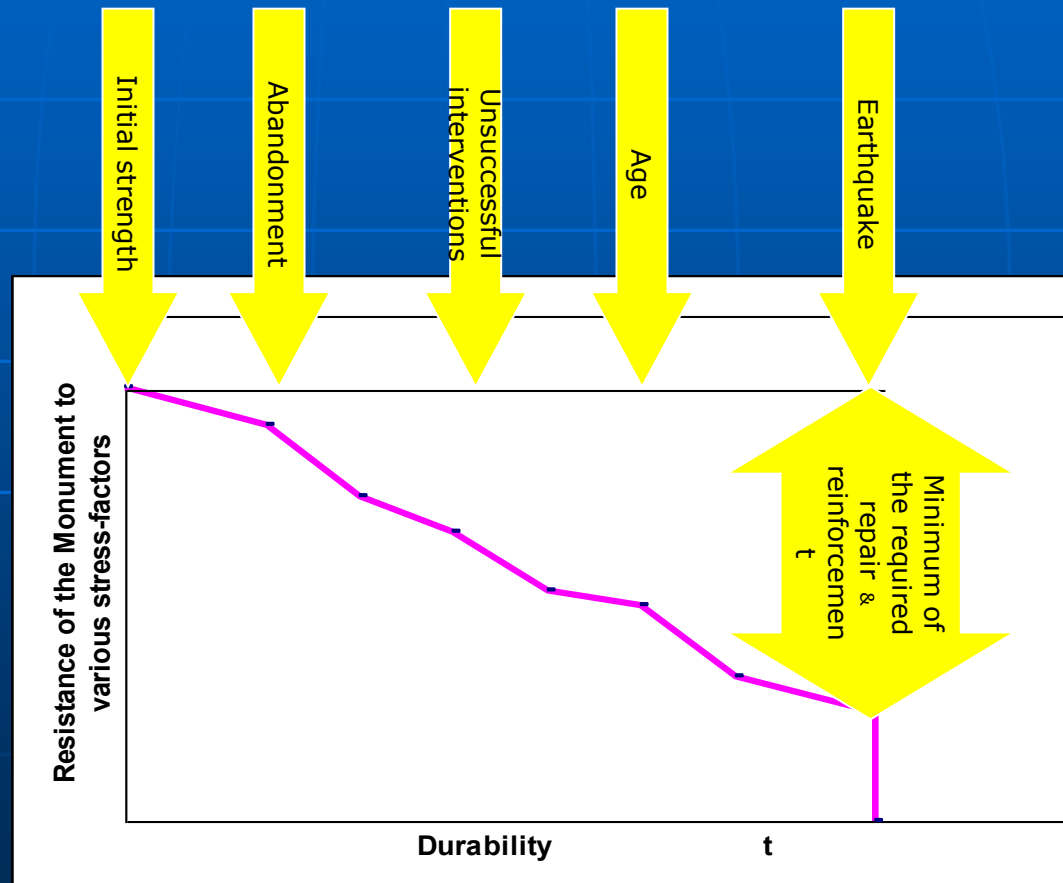
## Factors that contribute to vulnerability

- Abandonment
- Unsuccessful Interventions
- Age
- Earthquake
- Natural & Chemical Damages
- Creep
- Fire
- Soil Alterations e.g. Liquefaction,  
Subsidence  
Underground Water, Faults e t c)
- Damp
- Air Pollution
- Tsunamis & others



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Some of the causes leading to the weakness of the Monument



Weakness chart during time of Historical Building

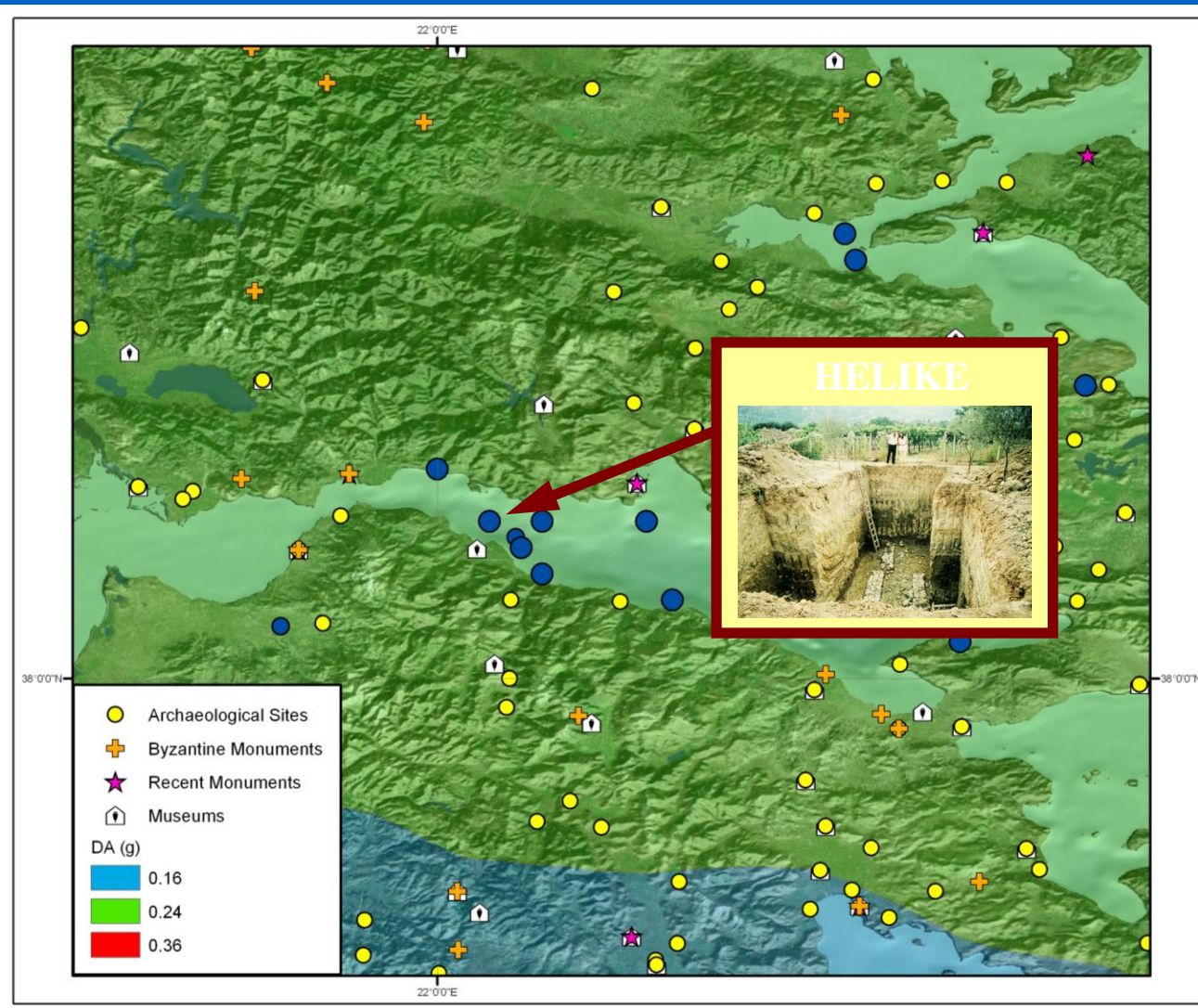
# PROTECTING MONUMENTS AND HISTORICAL SETTINGS FROM THE NEXT EARTHQUAKE - VULNERABILITY MODELS

- **Statistical** – buildings are classified by typology and other constructive details; the statistical distribution of **damage grades** is given by DPM (*Damage Probability Matrix*) or fragility curves; the seismic input may be in PGA or **Intensity**; the method is based on the observed vulnerability.
- **Mechanical-based** – the vulnerability of a set of buildings is given by a **capacity curve**, obtained by push-over analyses on prototype buildings; the most probable damage state is obtained by a proper comparison with the **demand spectrum**.

METHODS	CURRENT BUILDINGS	MONUMENTS
Statistical model	<b>ALL BUILDINGS IN THE TOWN</b> A methodology based on the EMS-98 classification, with a vulnerability refinement through behaviour modifiers	<b>ALL MONUMENTS IN THE TOWN</b> Probabilistic evaluation of the damage (fragility curves), by observed vulnerability (past earthquakes) and expertise. -
	<b>HISTORICAL CENTRE</b> Vulnerability of the old aggregates, due to interactions and irregularity	
Mechanical-based method	<b>ALL BUILDINGS IN THE TOWN</b> Simplified capacity curves for each European building type (HAZUS + new curves for European masonry, r.c., ...)	<b>MACROELEMENTS APPROACH</b> Simplified capacity curves for some collapse mechanisms in the churches (façade overturning, triumphal arch)
	<b>HISTORICAL CENTRE</b> Simplified capacity curves for some collapse mechanisms, typical of historical centres (façade overturning)	<b>MAIN MONUMENTS</b> Capacity curves from n.l. analysis (simplified or f.e.m.)



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An earthquake in 373 b.c. generated a tsunami that destroyed and submerged Helike in the waters of a coastal lagoon.

In 2001, archaeologists discovered the first traces of the long-lost site of Helike, a classical Greek city buried in an alluvial plain on the southwest shores of the Gulf of Corinth.

# PROTECTING MONUMENTS AND HISTORICAL SETTINGS FROM THE NEXT EARTHQUAKE

## Reduction of the Vulnerability

- Short Term Measures
  - Removal of Risk Elements
  - Securing of Serviceability Levels
  - Protection against Fires
  - Post Earthquake Assessment of Monuments





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## Reduction of the Vulnerability

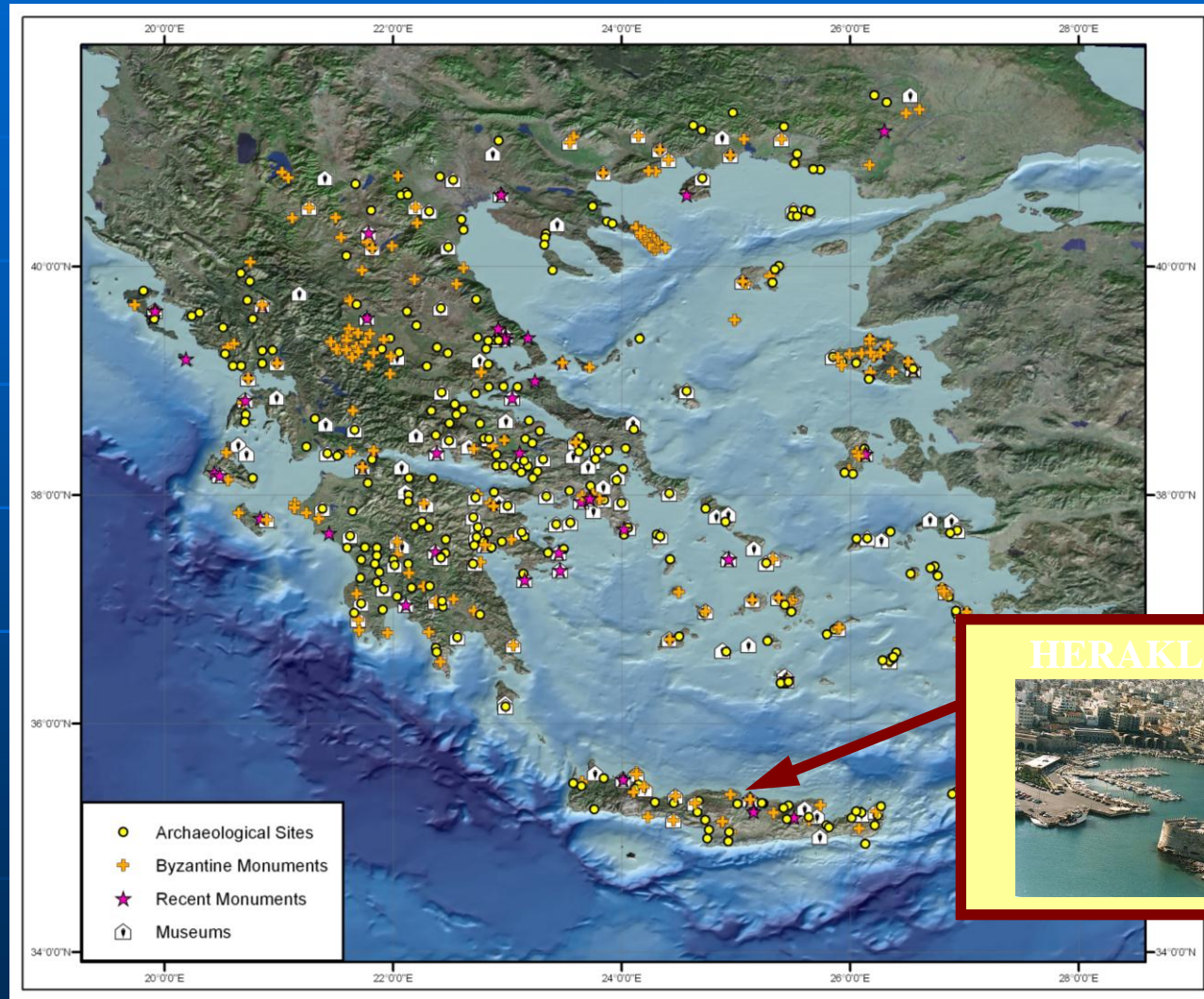
### ➤ Long-Term Measures

- Syntax of the “Principles of Structural Restoration of Cultural Heritage Buildings”
- Reinforcement of Monuments
- Preseismic Control of Monuments
- Monitoring
- Examination of the A-Seismic structural Techniques of Traditional Settlements
- Innovative Anti-seismic Techniques e.g. Seismic Isolation and Passive Energy Dissipation Systems
- Soil Amelioration
- Confronting of Coastal Risks e.g. Tsunamis
- Assignment of Scientific Research Projects
- Raising the public awareness in favour of Structural Safety of Monuments against Earthquakes





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## HERAKLEION



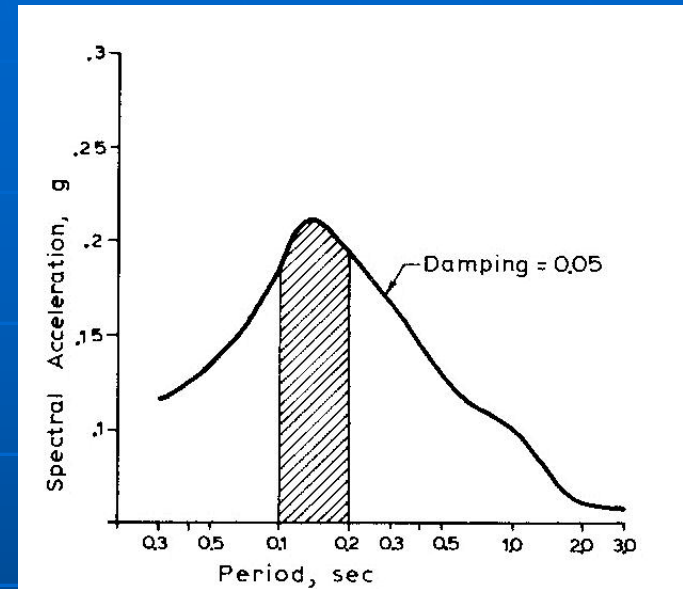
## Microzonation Studies: Heraklion Case

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The old (first) palace was built in around 2000 B.C. but it was completely destroyed by an earthquake in 1700 B.C. The new (second) palace, more complex in plan, strongly resembling a labyrinth, was constructed immediately afterwards.

## Knossos Case Study



Within the critical periods of 0.1 – 0.2 sec and with probability 90% of not being exceeded in the next 50 and 100 years, the values of spectral acceleration are found to be 0.21 and 0.24g, respectively.



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## Micro tremor Study Church of Panaghia Kapnikarea



- The church of Panaghia Kapnikarea is built on the ruins of an ancient temple, dedicated to a female goddess, possibly Athena or Demeter. It was founded at the beginning of the 11th century (around 1050 A.D.) and was probably named after its donor.

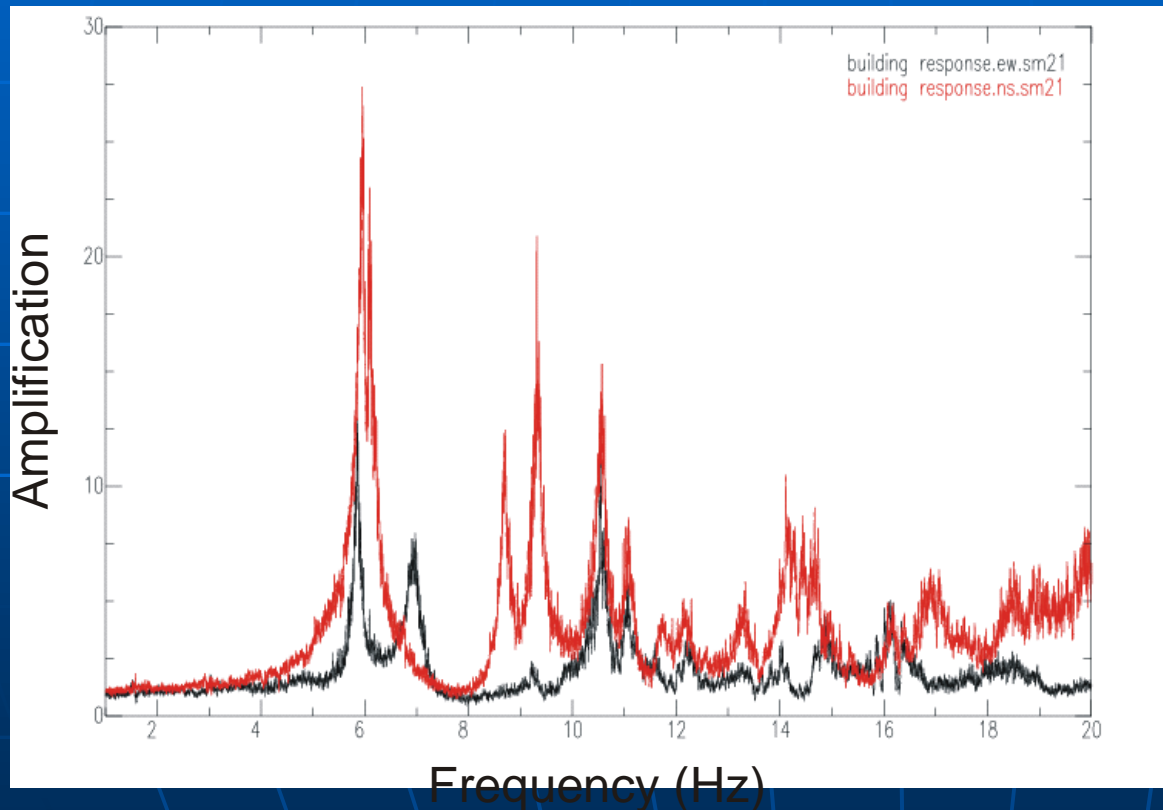


- The influence of man-made seismic energy sources was examined, especially the one by the metro.

- Seismographs were installed and the dominant frequency in two dimensions was determined.

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Smoothed Response Spectra of the Building  
for the two horizontal Components.



**N-S:**  
2 peaks, 0.1-0.12  
sec (8.5 – 10 Hz)

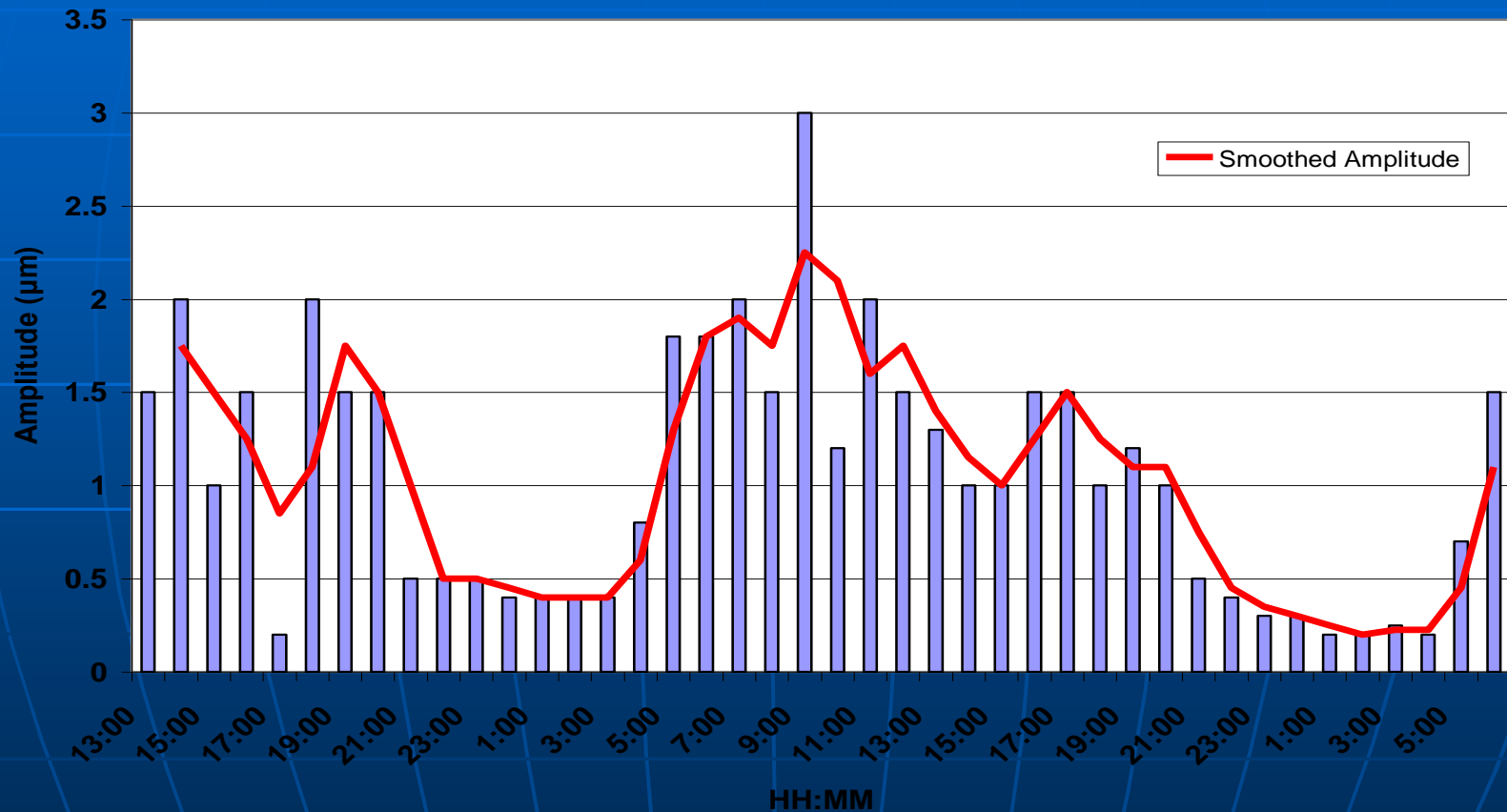
**E-W:**  
2 peaks, 0.1 sec  
(10 Hz)

Maximum values are observed in both components at  
0.17 sec (5.8 Hz) (Dominant Frequency of the Building).



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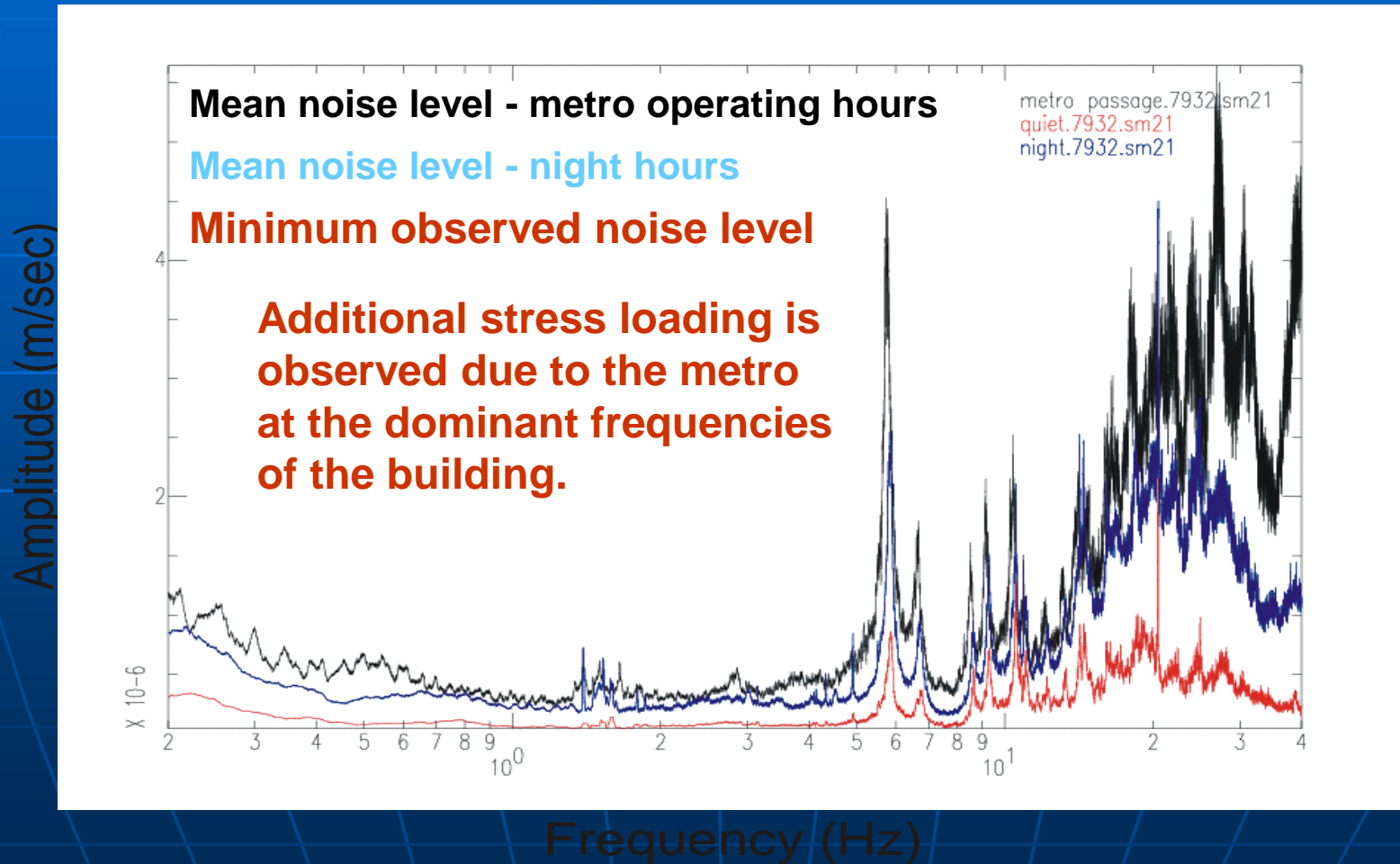
Ground Velocity Diagrams for the Dominant Period 0.17 sec (Frequency 5.8 Hz).



Increased loading during the rush hours of the metro (6 a.m. - 9 p.m.)

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## Smoothed Amplitude Spectra (Component N-S)



# **PROTECTING MONUMENTS AND HISTORICAL SETTINGS FROM THE NEXT EARTHQUAKE**

**Seismological Studies contribute to the effort of protection of the Greek cultural Heritage and especially :**

## **A. MONUMENT'S SEISMIC HAZARD ESTIMATION**

Probabilistic and deterministic estimation of the maximum anticipated values of ground motion (acceleration, velocity and displacement).

## **B. MICROZONATION AROUND A MONUMENT**

Ground noise analysis, geophysics, boreholes

Estimation of:

- the influence of local geology conditions and
- the maximum spectral values of ground motion. The eigenperiod of the monument must significantly differ with these values, in order to avoid resonance phenomena.

## **C. MONUMENT'S SEISMIC HAZARD ESTIMATION CONCERNING:**

- Tsunamis,
  - Liquefaction phenomena,
  - Landslides,
- caused by earthquakes.