INVERSION OF MAGNETIC AND GRADIENT MAGNETIC DATA FOR DETECTION AND DISCRIMINATION OF METALLIC OBJECTS

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- **Forward Simulation of Metallic Objects**
  - ***a) Why? – for what purposes***
  - ***b) How? – methodology , direction***

- **UXO Inversion Objectives**
  - **a)** ***Depth Estimation by*** 3D ***Euler Deconvolution***
  - **b)** ***'Least Squares' Method for Magnetization Vector***

Simulation of the Magnetic Field caused by Metallic Objects

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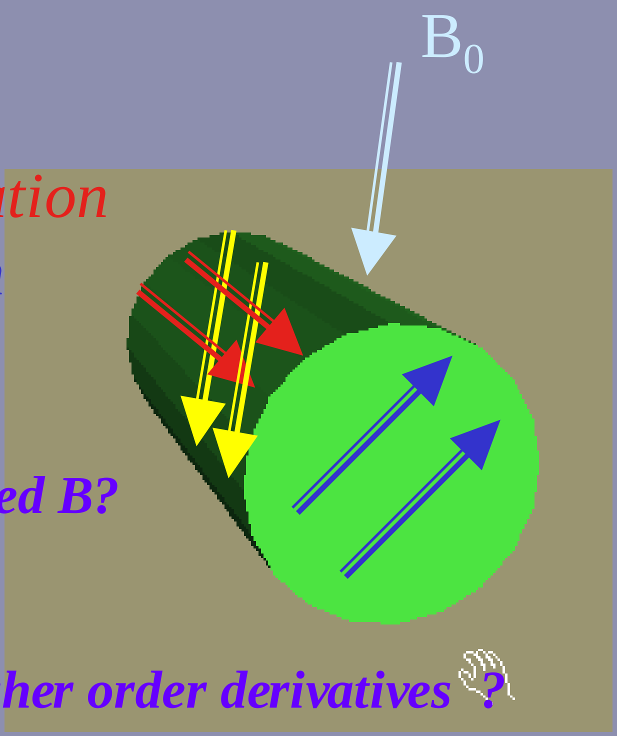
RM – remanent or "permanent" magnetization



- ***how do distributions of WI, SI and RM affect measured B?***
- ***Interactions between permanent and induced***
- ***Total B_T (TMI) versus (Bx,By,Bz),***
- ***nature and use of ($\delta B_T/\delta x$, $\delta B_T/\delta y$, $\delta B_T/\delta z$) plus higher order derivatives ?***

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How to Simulate ?

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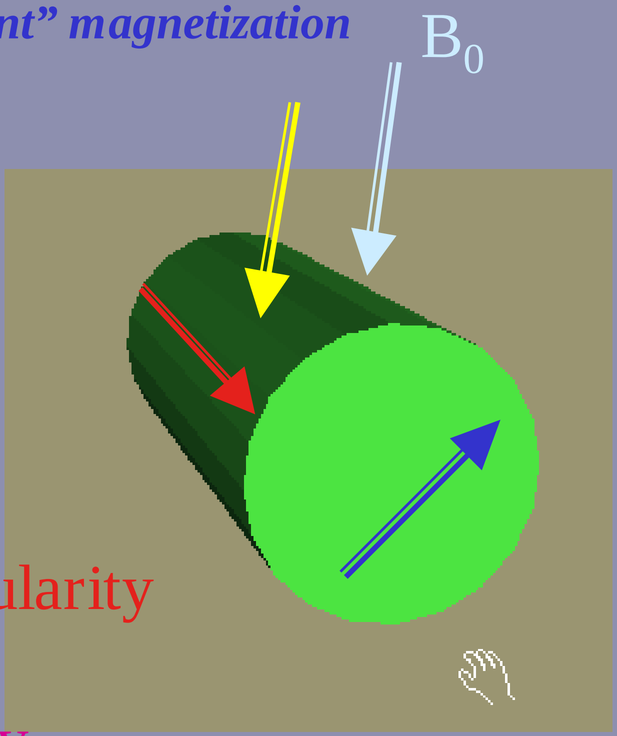

$$\underline{B}(r) = \underline{B}_0(r) + \int \delta\mu\, \mathbf{G}(r,r`)\, \Gamma(r`)\, \underline{B}_0(r`)$$

$$+ \int \mathbf{G}(r,r`)\, \underline{M}(r`) + \underline{\text{interactions}}$$

- Γ(r`) – analytic integration over singularity
- Derivatives – not by finite difference
- Interactions – multi-body, single body
- *Induced by Permanent ?*

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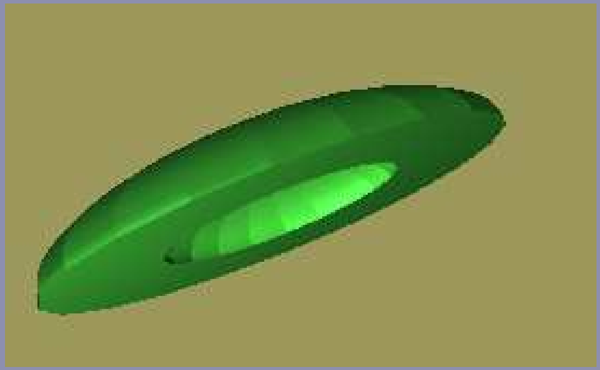
Structural Models ?

Polyhedral grid format which can be used for the different physical models



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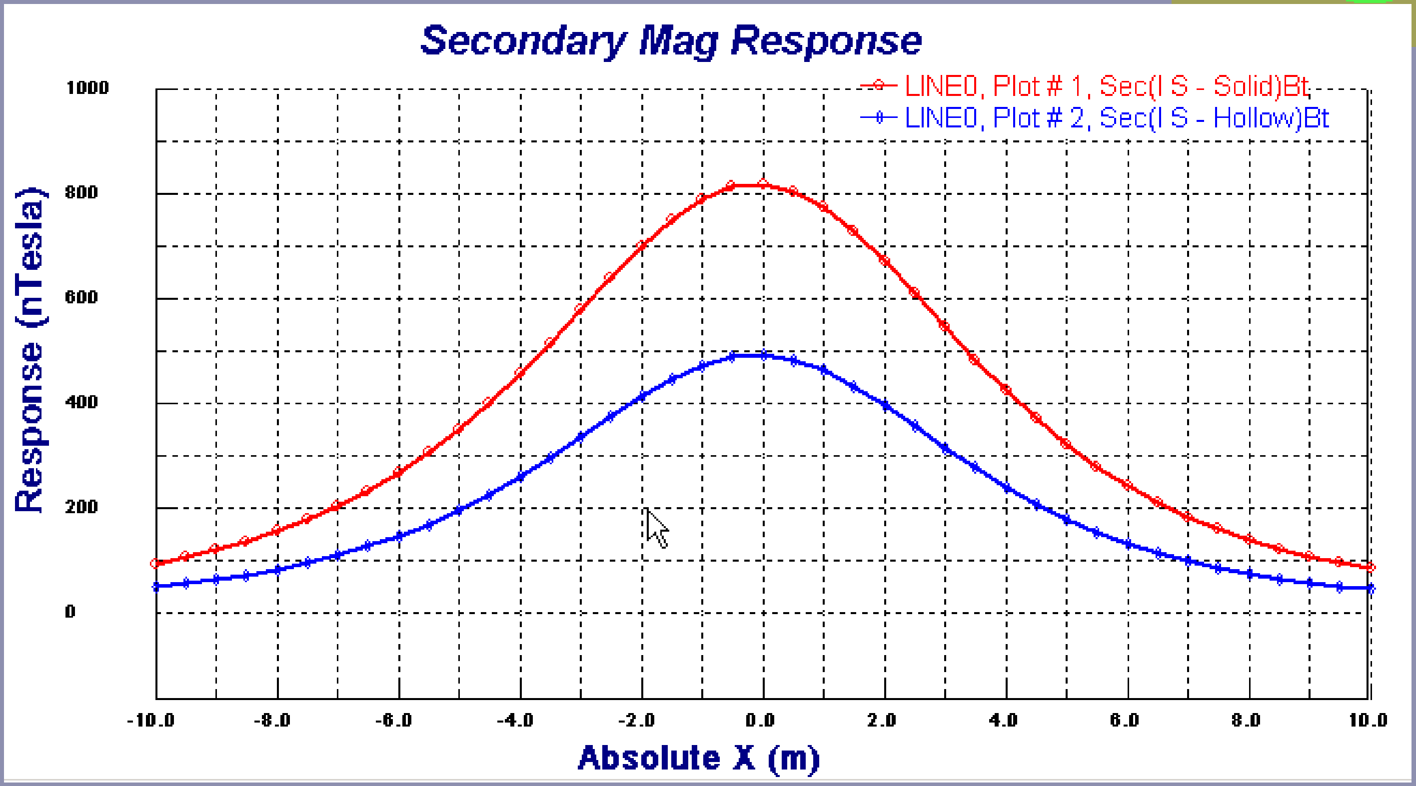
Structural Models ?

R_ext = 1m, R_int = .8m, L = 5m
Incl = 75º, Declination = 20º



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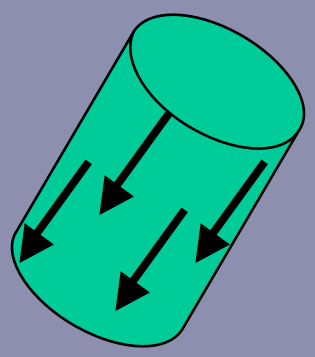
a) 3D Euler Deconvolution –
with statistical analyses of position of magnetization

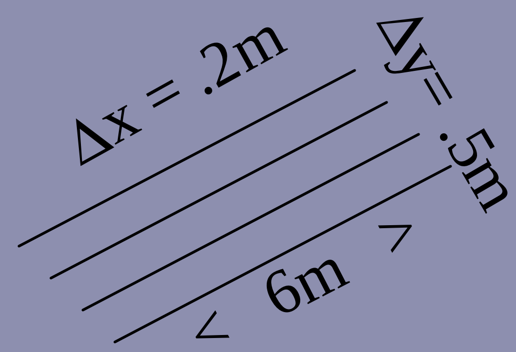
b) Least Squares Inversion for $\underline{M}$

<u>Synthetic Example</u>



R = 56mm
L = 300mm

$\underline{M}$ (incl =75^{o}, decl = 225^{o},
strength = 2 x B_0)



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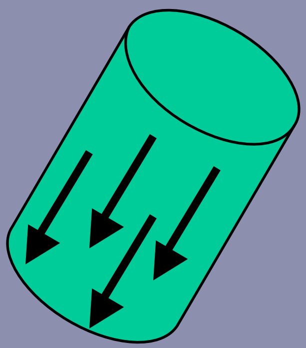
a) Euler Deconvolution – Zhang et al, Geophysics, 2000

Synthetic Example



R = 56mm
L = 300mm
V = .3m^3

$\underline{M}$ (incl =75^o, decl = 225^o, strength = 2 x B_0)

Target	X	Y	Z
Actual	-1	0.25	-1
FFT derivatives	-.625	.245	-.578
True derivatives	-.994	.265	-.994

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b) Least Squares – user controlled interactive process

Invert for volume magnetization then divide by volume

1) *Select a search volume – e.g. 4x4x10m*
2) *Select a target volume – e.g. 0.125m^3*
3) *Iterate refining volume with previous positional estimate*

Synthetic Example

Model	X centre	Y centre	Z centre	Dip	Decl	Strength	Cell Size
Actual	-1	0.25	-1	75	225	2	0.003
Inverse I	-1.25	0.75	-0.75	33	-33	0.034	0.125
Inverse II	-1.1	0.3	-0.9	77	264	0.6	0.008
Inverse III	-0.95	0.25	-1	74.9	223	1.49	0.004
Inverse IV	-1.05	0.25	-0.95	76	235	1.8	0.003

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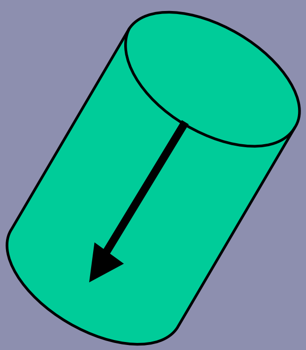

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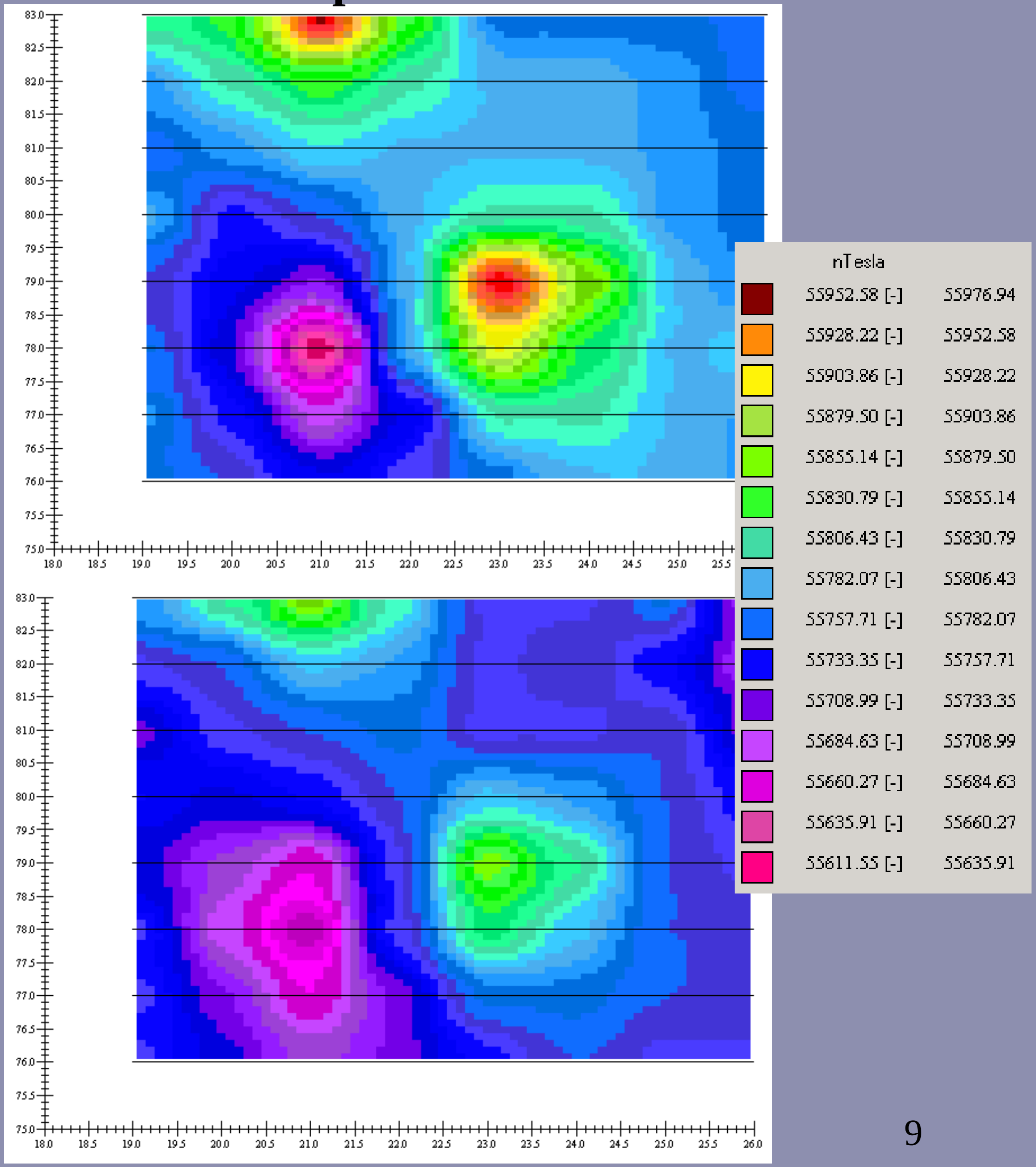
Test Site Example

Artillery Shell B6
depth of burial = 0.5 m
dip 45 degrees
Shell diameter = 10.5 cm,
Length = 46cm
Weight 15 kg
Line Spacing = 1m
Data Spacing = 1m
York University Test Site

Top Sensor – 1m



Bottom Sensor – 0.5m

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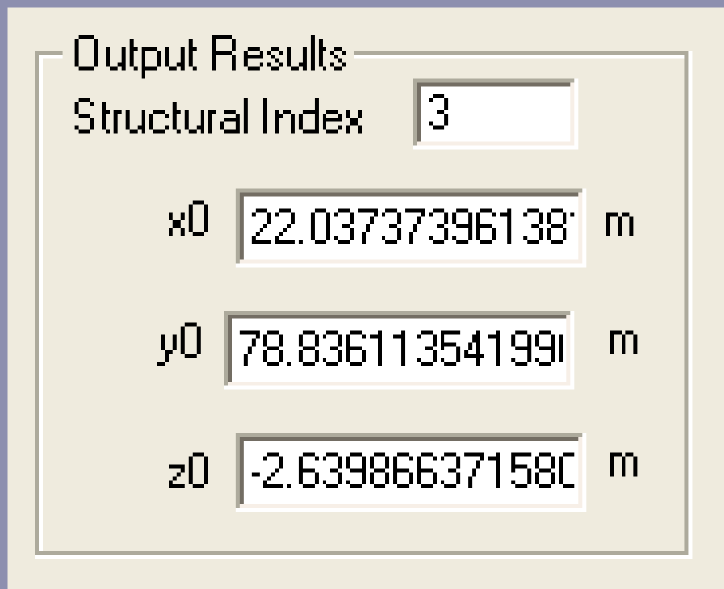
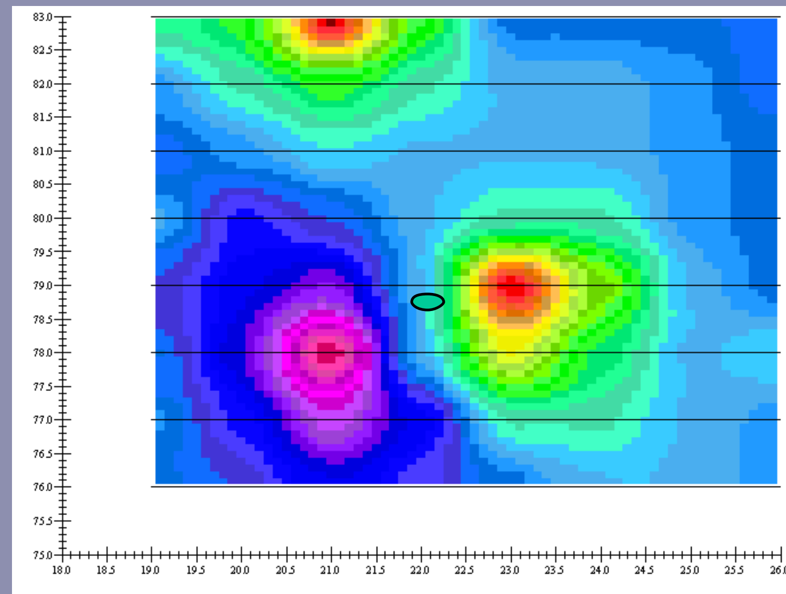
Test Site Example

Euler Deconvolution

- Derivatives by Simple Difference

top-bottom sensor, cross line, inline





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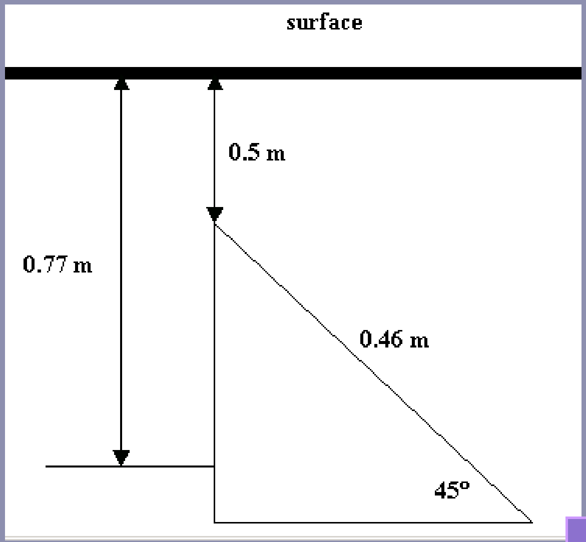
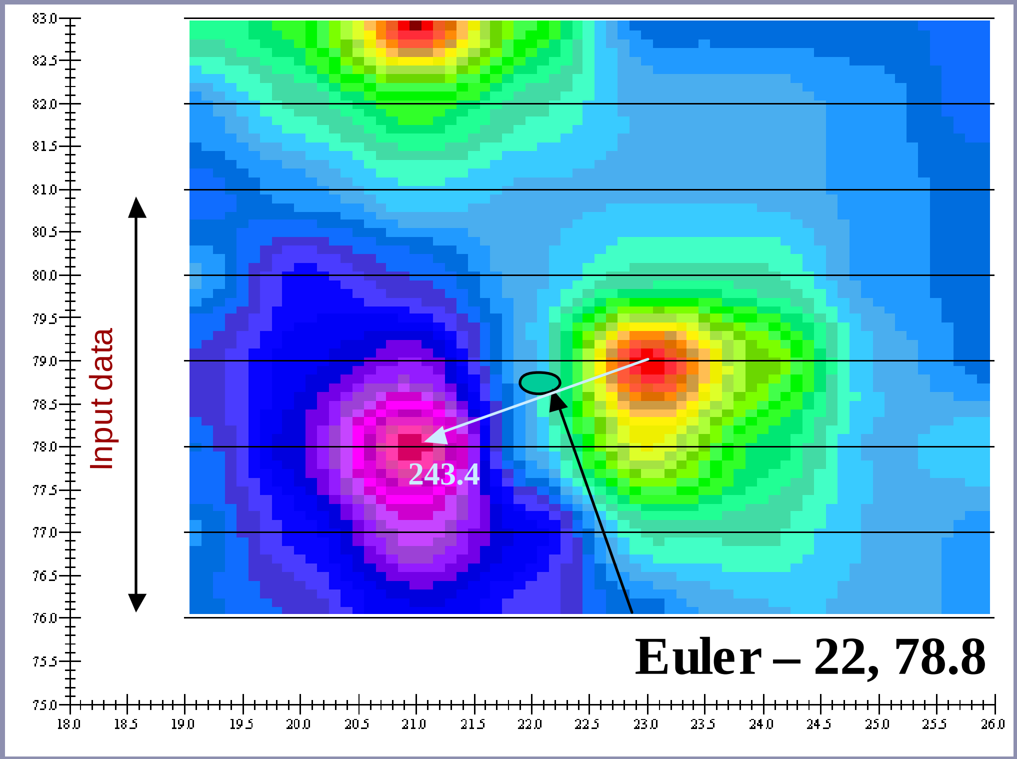
Test Site Example

Least Squares Inversion

$$|\underline{B}| = |\,\underline{B}_o + \underline{B}(\underline{M})\,|$$

Background
Inclination = 63.3
Declination = 5.1.
55768.5 (nT).
Cubic Volume Used = .004m^3





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bottom	22.4	78.4	1.4	16.6	242.0	50.0
top	21.9	78.6	0.8	3.7	234.0	37.4
both	22.2	78.6	0.9	1.4	246.0	41.3

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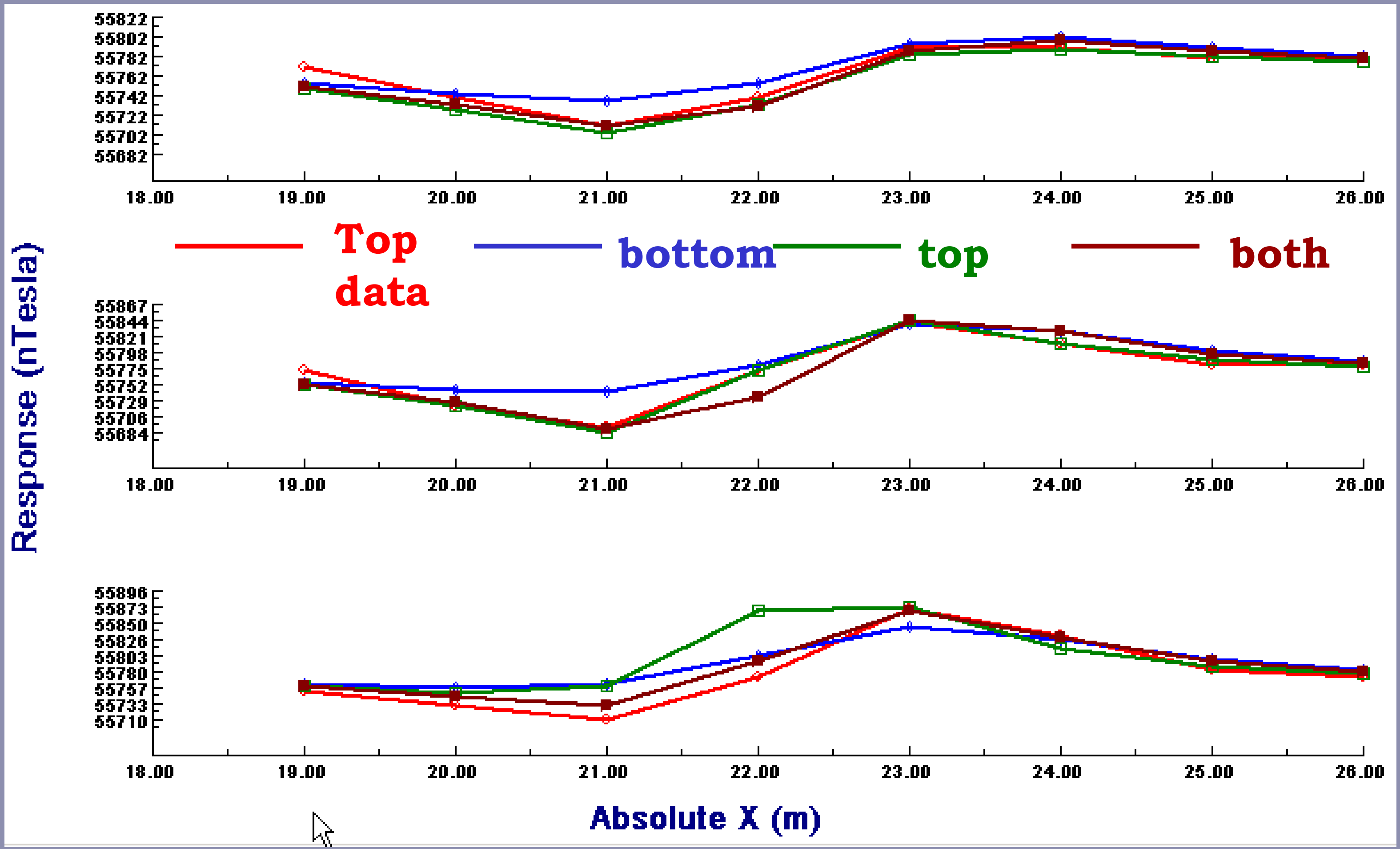
Test Site Example *Least Squares Inversion*



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Forward: Versatile Technique allowing:

- ❖Easy use and development
- ❖Range of physical simulation abilities
- ❖Complex model calculation capability
- ❖Speed

Inversion:

- ❖Quick estimators for position and magnetization

Direction:

- ❖**Comparison with different instruments**
- ❖**Comparison with different data types**
- ❖**Forward modeling for magnetization distribution characterization**