

ピクセルオフセット解析における誤差 Errors in Pixel Offset Analysis

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Pixel Offset Analysis

Pixel Offset Analysis (Offset Tracking, Image Matching, etc.)

Coregistrate two Images at densely distributed tie-points and estimate the surface displacement as misfit of the global coregistration function.

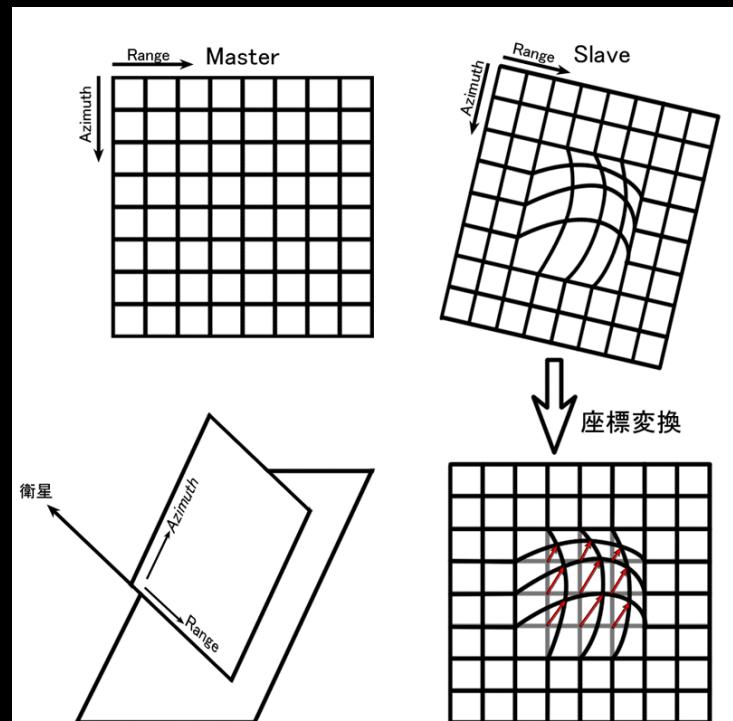
Each offset is calculated as image shift which maximizes the image correlation of small image patches

Compared to InSAR, Pixel Offset Analysis can

- detect large displacement
InSAR: ~2m / POA: ~(window size)/2
- detect azimuth component of the displacement, as well as range

but

- ✗ is less sensitive to the displacement
InSAR: 2~3cm / POA: 40cm
- ✗ has lower spatial resolution
InSAR: 18m / POA: ~1km



Strategy

Target: Iwate-Miyagi Nairiku (Inland) Earthquake (M7.2, 2008)

Data: 6 PALSAR amplitude image pairs

Method: Calculate EW, NS and UD components of the surface displacement by applying weighted least-square adjustment to estimated range and azimuth offsets

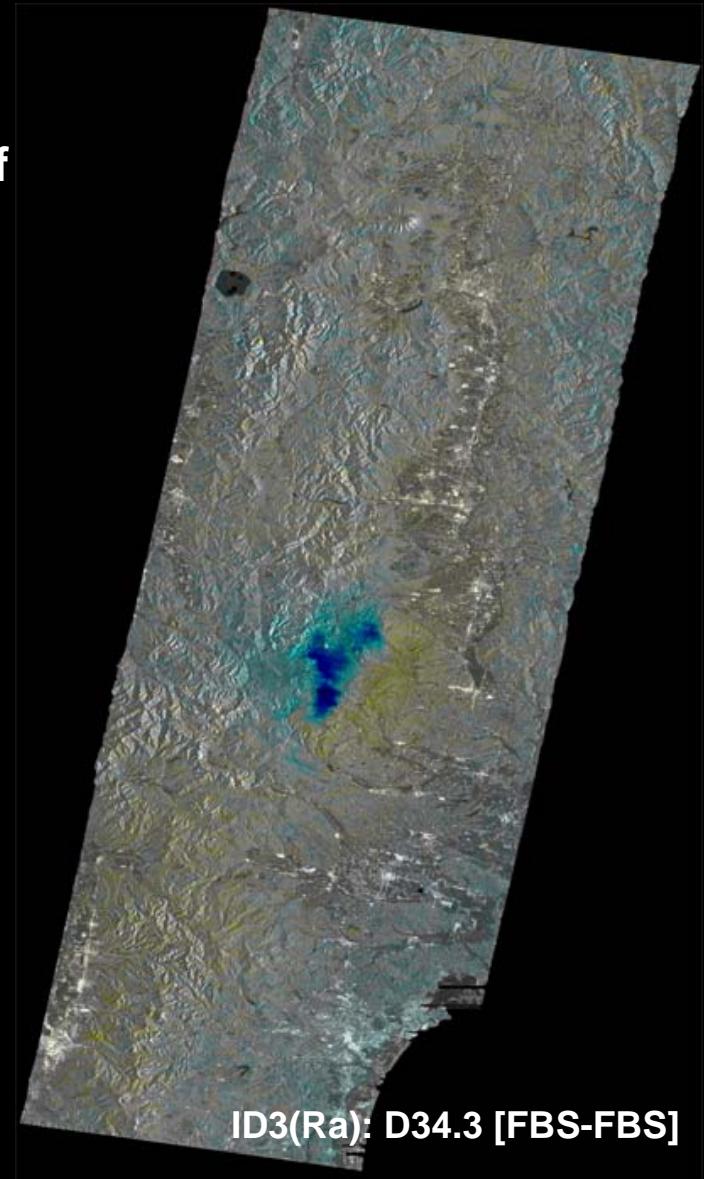
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1	2006/06/19 [FBD]	2008/06/24 [FBS]	053 [41.5]	301m
2	2006/07/06 [FBD]	2008/07/11 [FBS]	054 [41.5]	291m
3	2007/08/29 [FBS]	2008/07/16 [FBS]	057 [34.3]	-788m
4	2006/08/02 [FBS]	2008/06/22 [FBS]	061 [21.5]	389m
5	2007/06/21 [FBS]	2008/06/23 [FBS]	402 [34.3]	-335m
6	2007/02/03 [FBS]	2009/02/08 [FBS]	402 [34.3]	-1083m

- FBD images are oversampled in range direction before offset estimation for FBD-FBS pairs
- Correlation window size: 256x256[pixel]
- Stereoscopic effect is corrected using SRTM DEM

Error Evaluation

Evaluate the error by calculating Std. Dev. of the offsets

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	Ra		40cm
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Calculation of the three-dimensional displacement

Assumptions

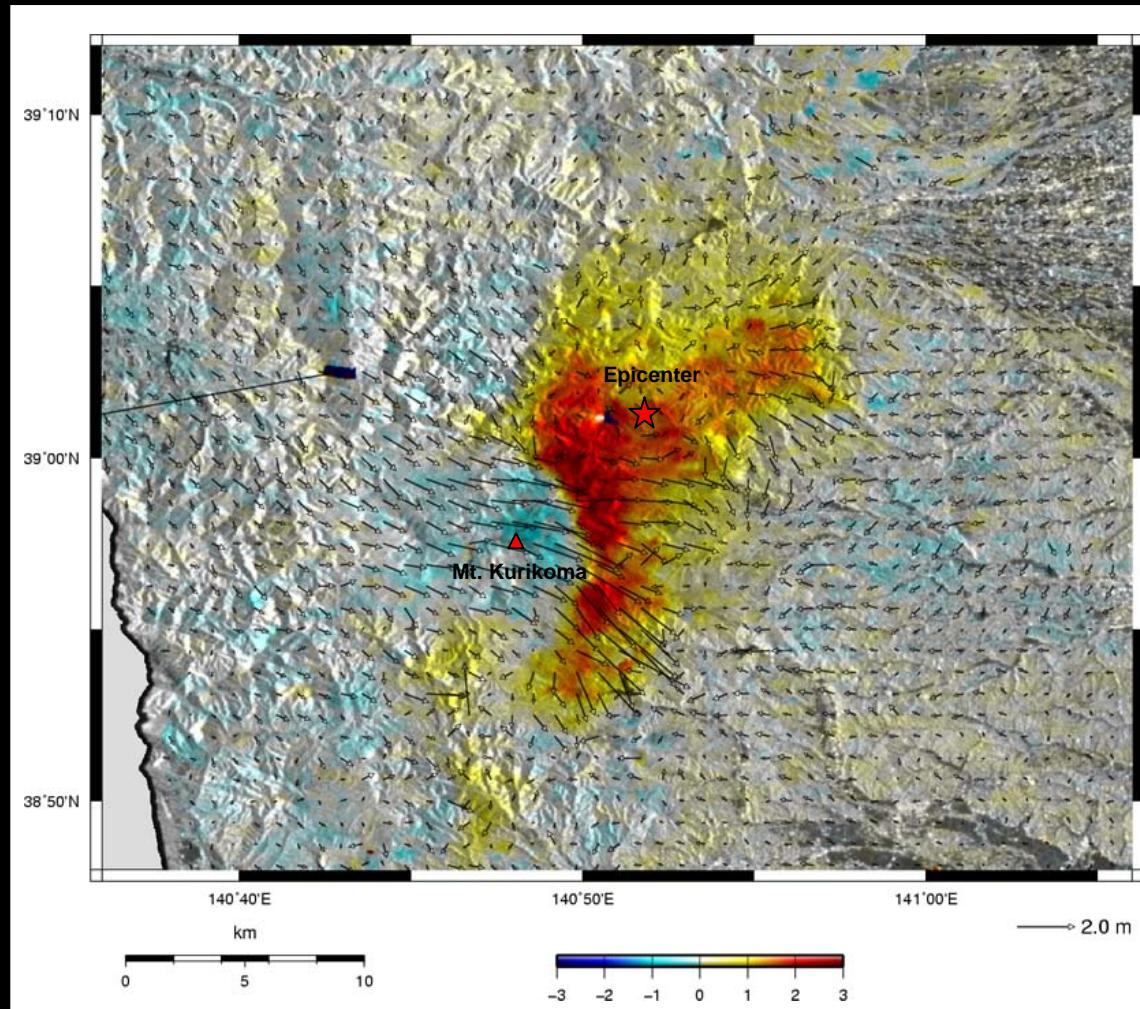
- All the pairs observe same deformation
- Range/Azimuth offset errors follow a normal distribution
- The error is constant over the scene



Apply least-square adjustment using $1/\sigma^2$ as weight

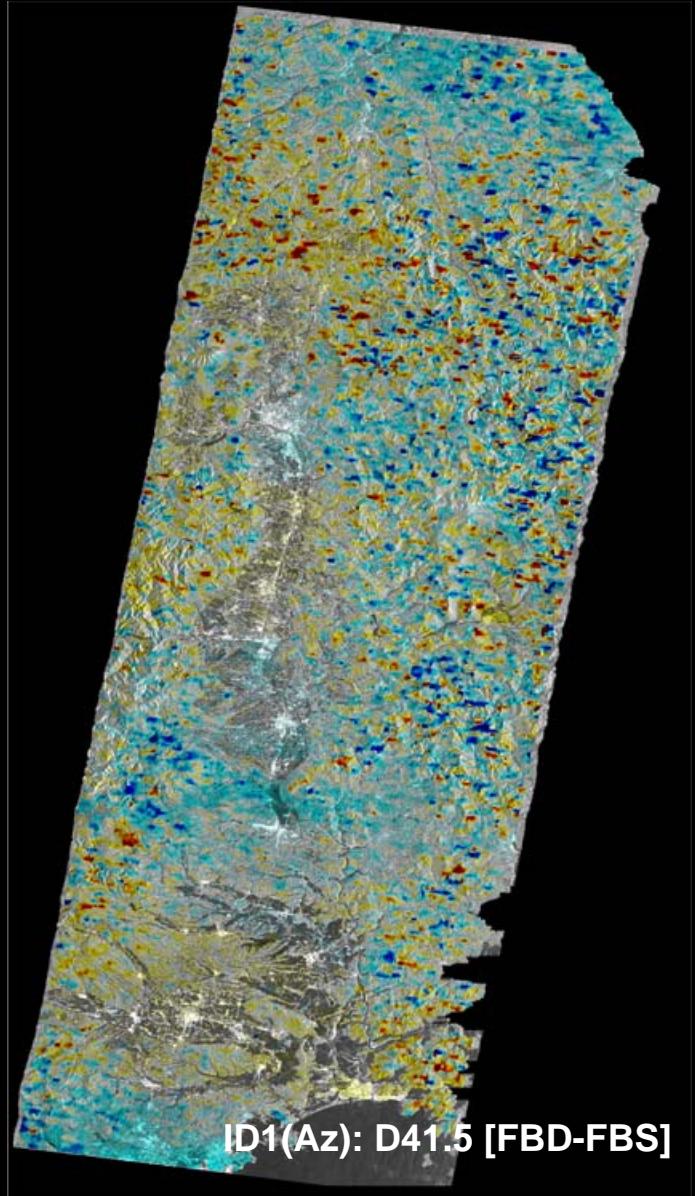
Three-Dimensional coseismic displacement map

Horizontal Displacement Vector (arrows) + Vertical Displacement (color)



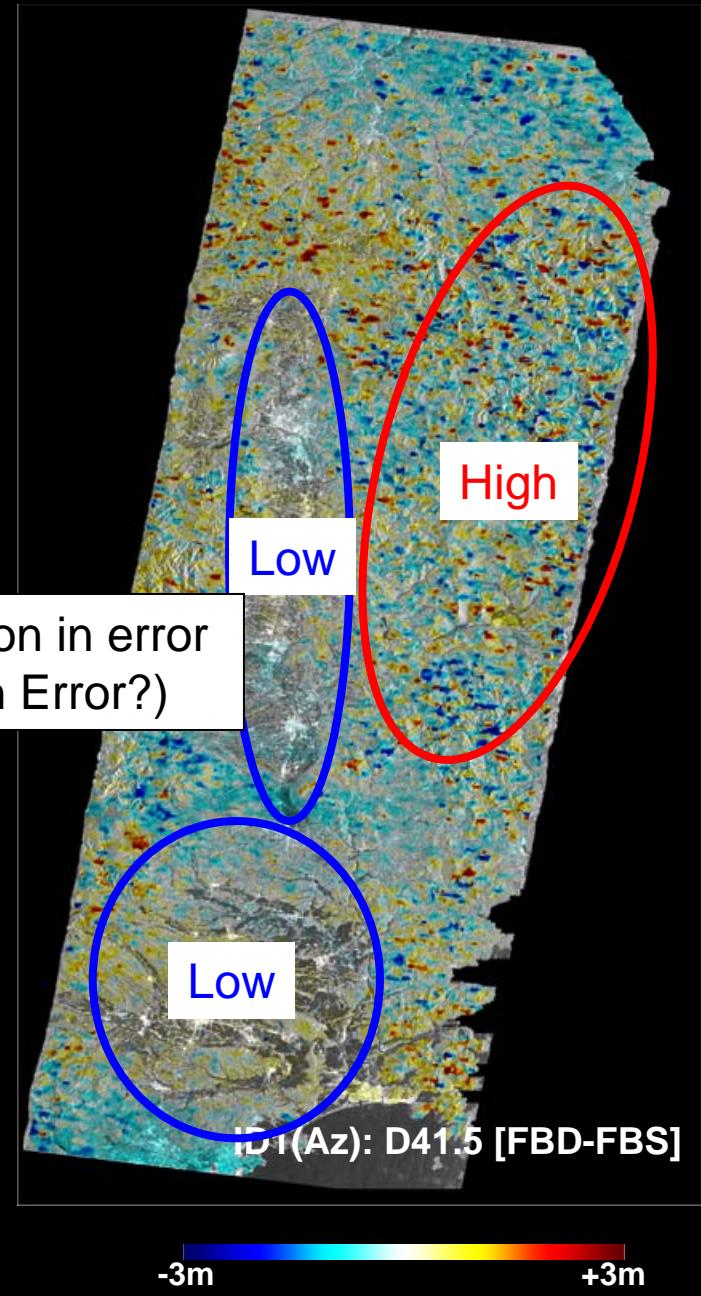
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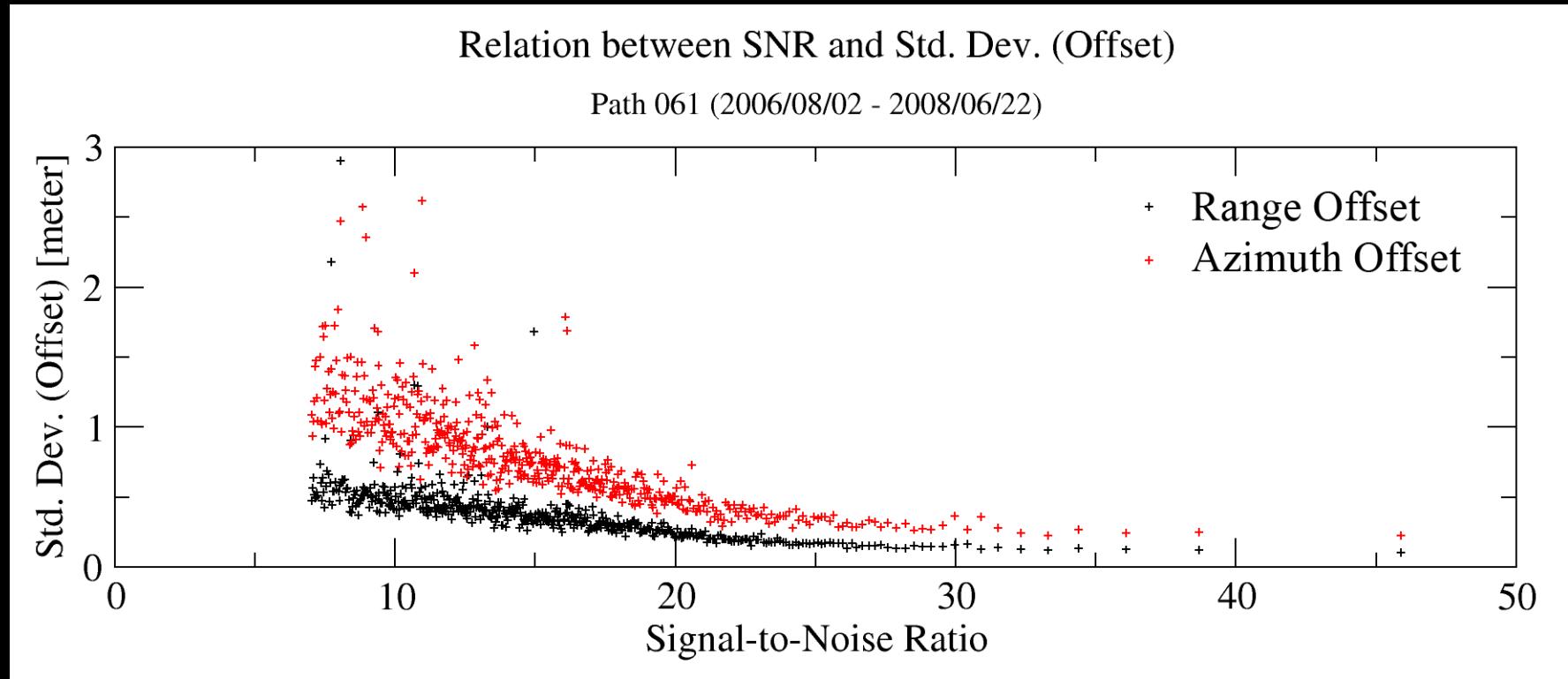
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New Strategy

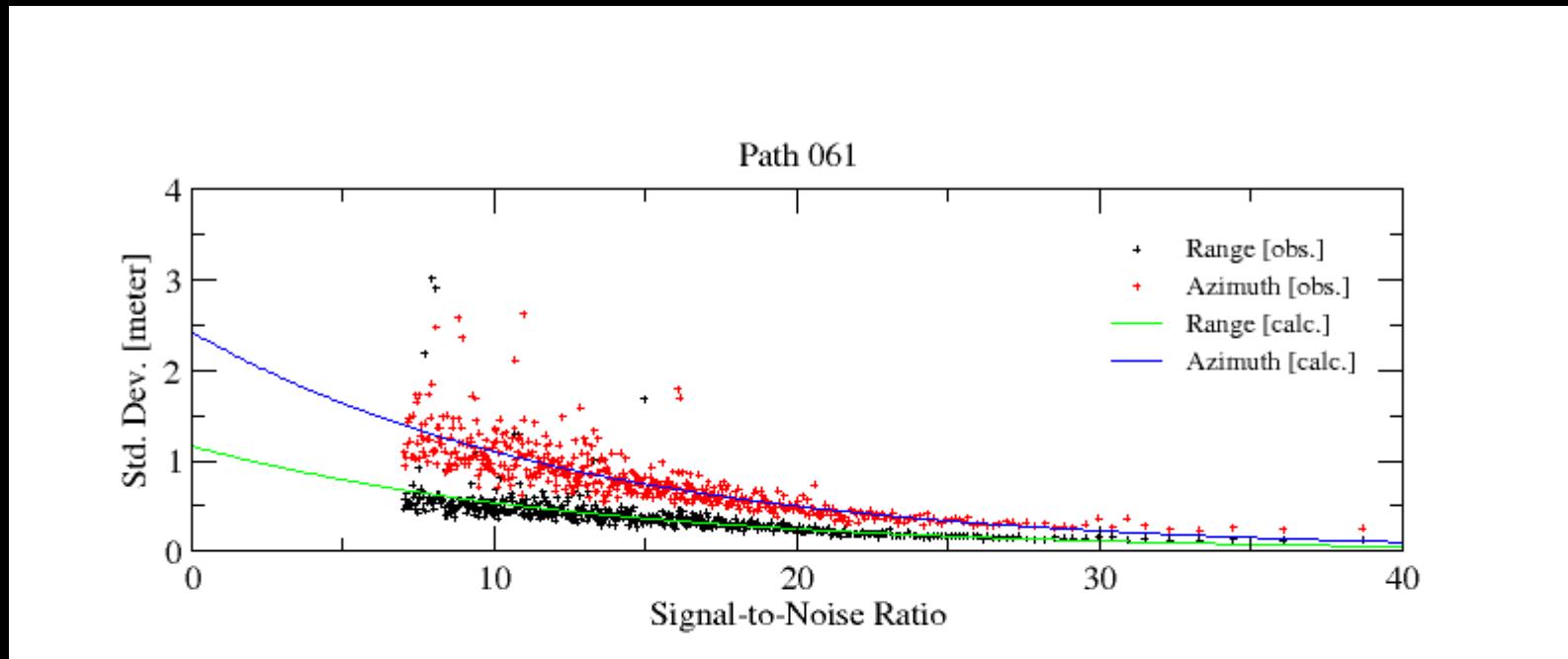
0. Offset estimation program implemented by GAMMA provides SNR (some kind of quality measure) for each offset estimate
1. Sort offset estimates by SNR
2. Distribute offset estimates into bins so that each bin contains 100 offset estimates
3. Calculate Std. Dev. for each bins assuming that offset estimates of same SNR are under same condition
4. Check if any relation is seen between SNR and Std. Dev. of each bins

Result



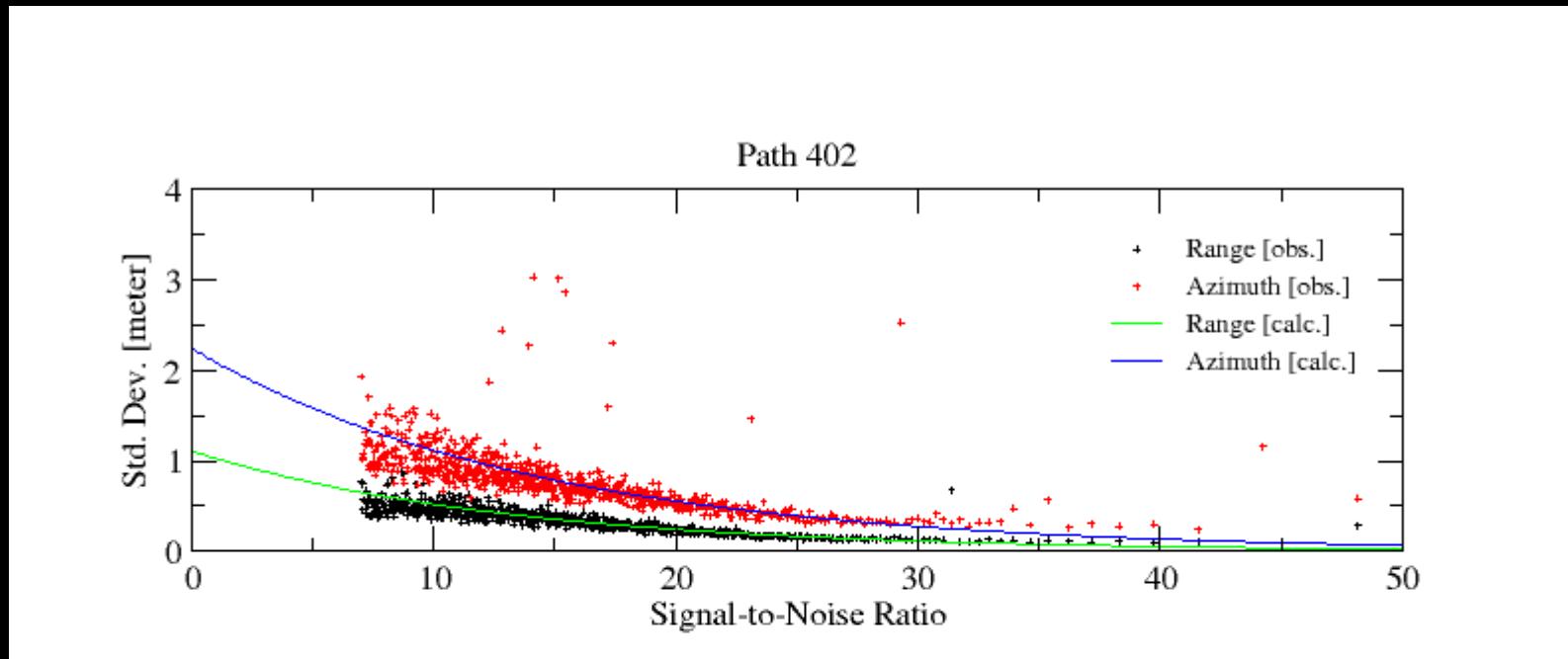
Exponential Function ($y = ae^{bx}$) should explain the data well

Result



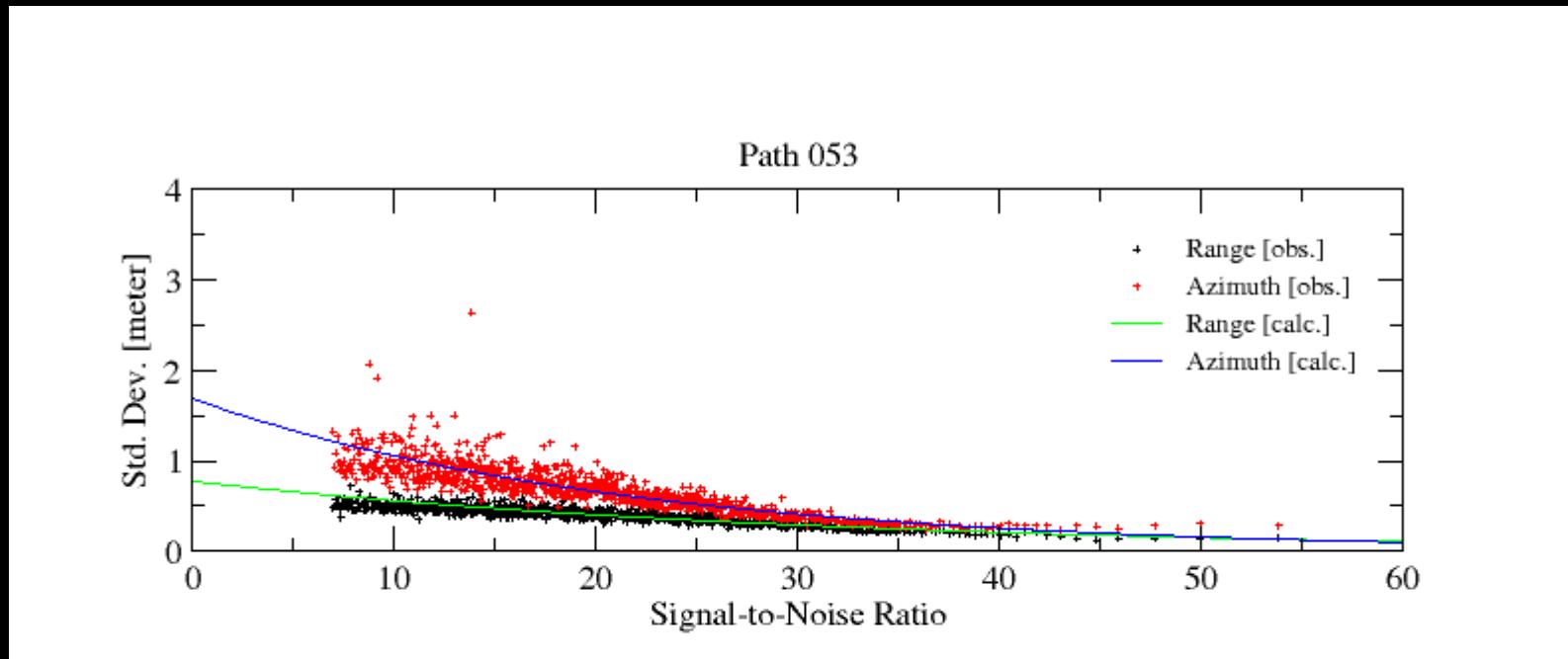
$$\begin{aligned}\sigma_{offset} &= 1.16 \times e^{-0.077(SNR)} && \text{(Range)} \\ &= 2.42 \times e^{-0.079(SNR)} && \text{(Azimuth)}\end{aligned}$$

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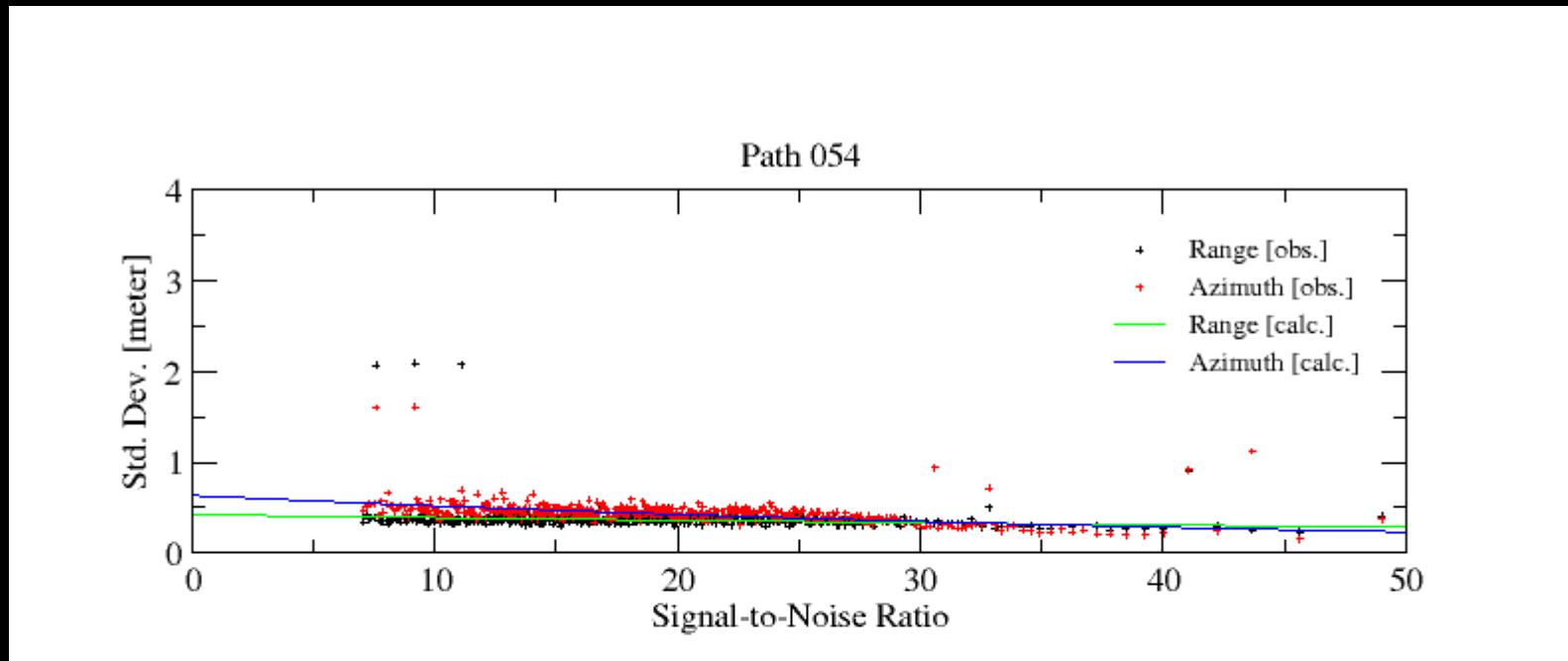
$$\begin{aligned}\sigma_{offset} &= 1.11 \times e^{-0.076(SNR)} && \text{(Range)} \\ &= 2.24 \times e^{-0.070(SNR)} && \text{(Azimuth)}\end{aligned}$$

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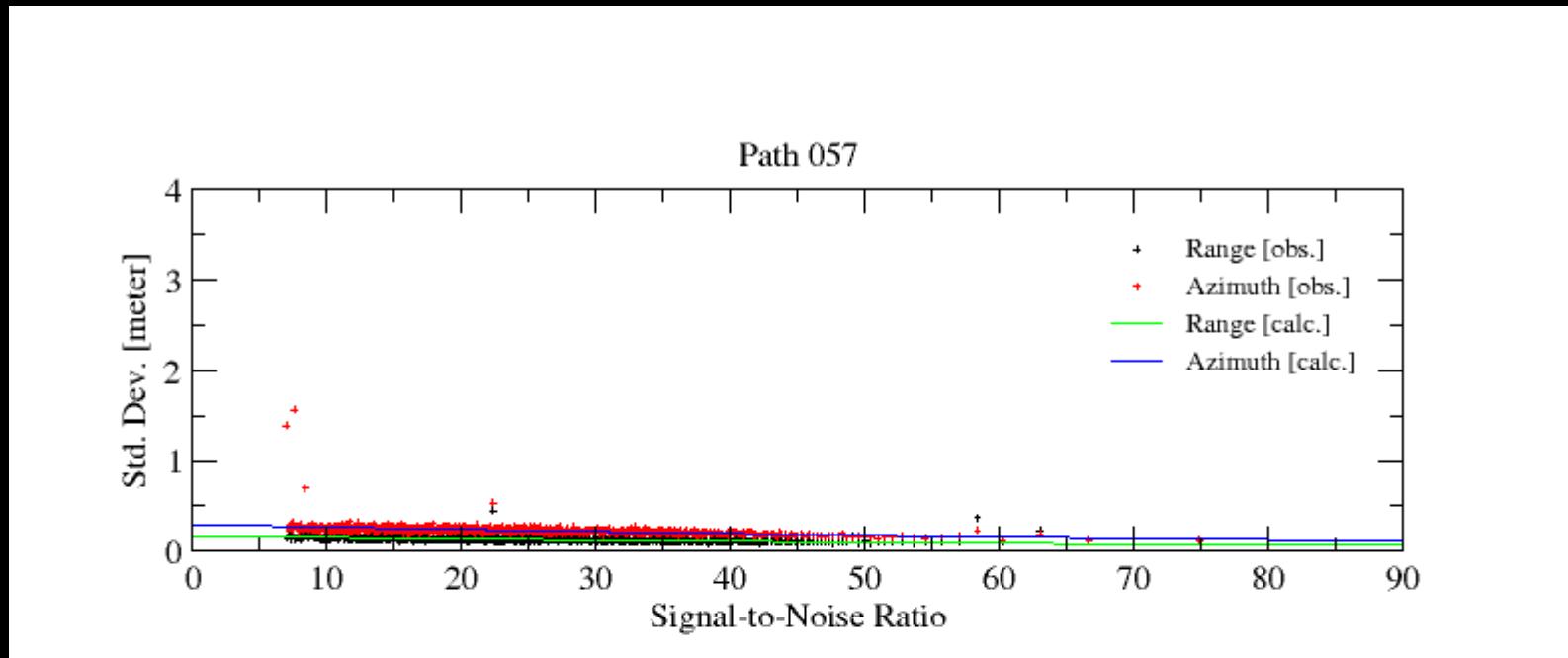
$$\begin{aligned}\sigma_{offset} &= 0.78 \times e^{-0.032(SNR)} && \text{(Range)} \\ &= 1.69 \times e^{-0.047(SNR)} && \text{(Azimuth)}\end{aligned}$$

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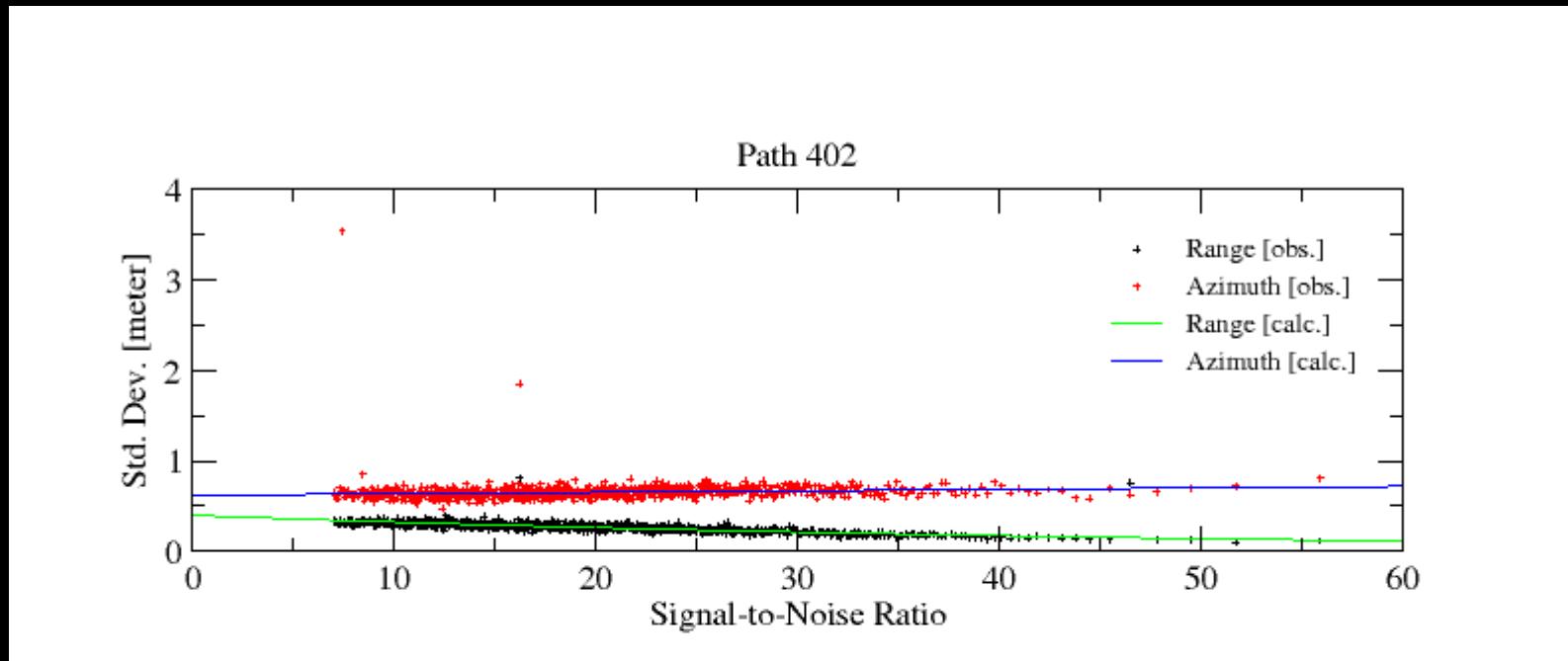
$$\begin{aligned}\sigma_{offset} &= 0.42 \times e^{-0.008(SNR)} && \text{(Range)} \\ &= 0.63 \times e^{-0.020(SNR)} && \text{(Azimuth)}\end{aligned}$$

Result



$$\begin{aligned}\sigma_{offset} &= 0.17 \times e^{-0.077(SNR)} && \text{(Range)} \\ &= 0.30 \times e^{-0.011(SNR)} && \text{(Azimuth)}\end{aligned}$$

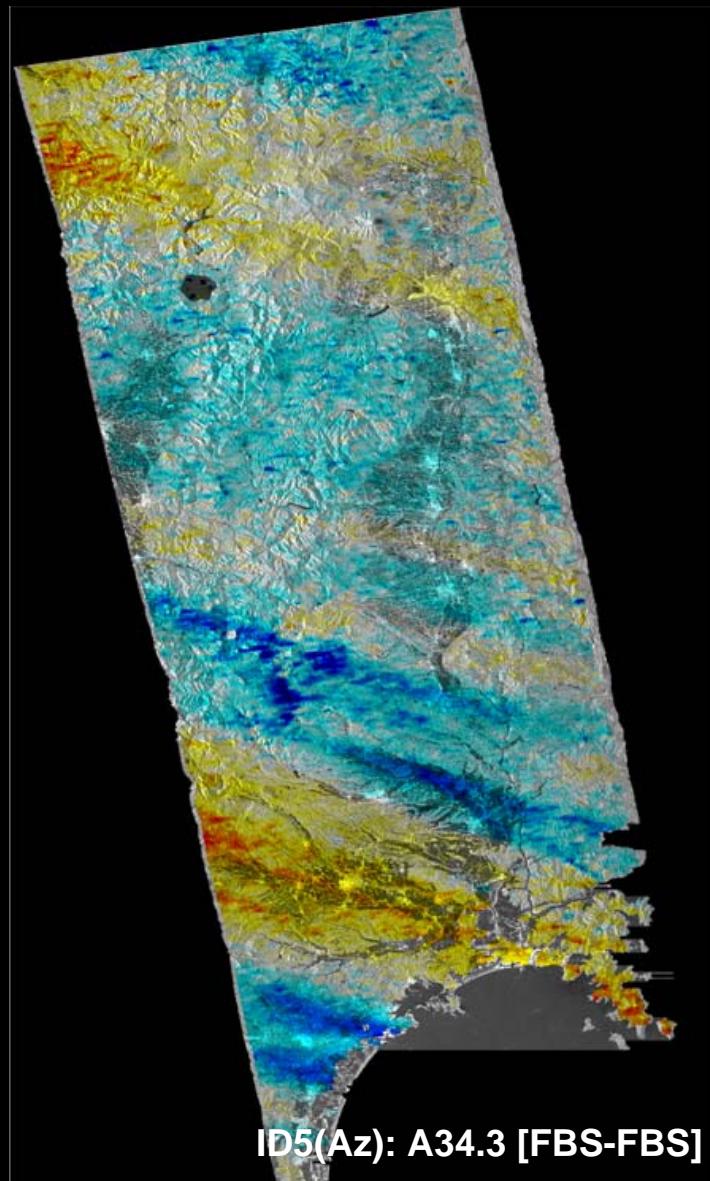
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$$\begin{aligned}\sigma_{offset} &= 0.40 \times e^{-0.021(SNR)} && \text{(Range)} \\ &= 0.62 \times e^{0.002(SNR)} && \text{(Azimuth)}\end{aligned}$$

Path 402, Azimuth Offset

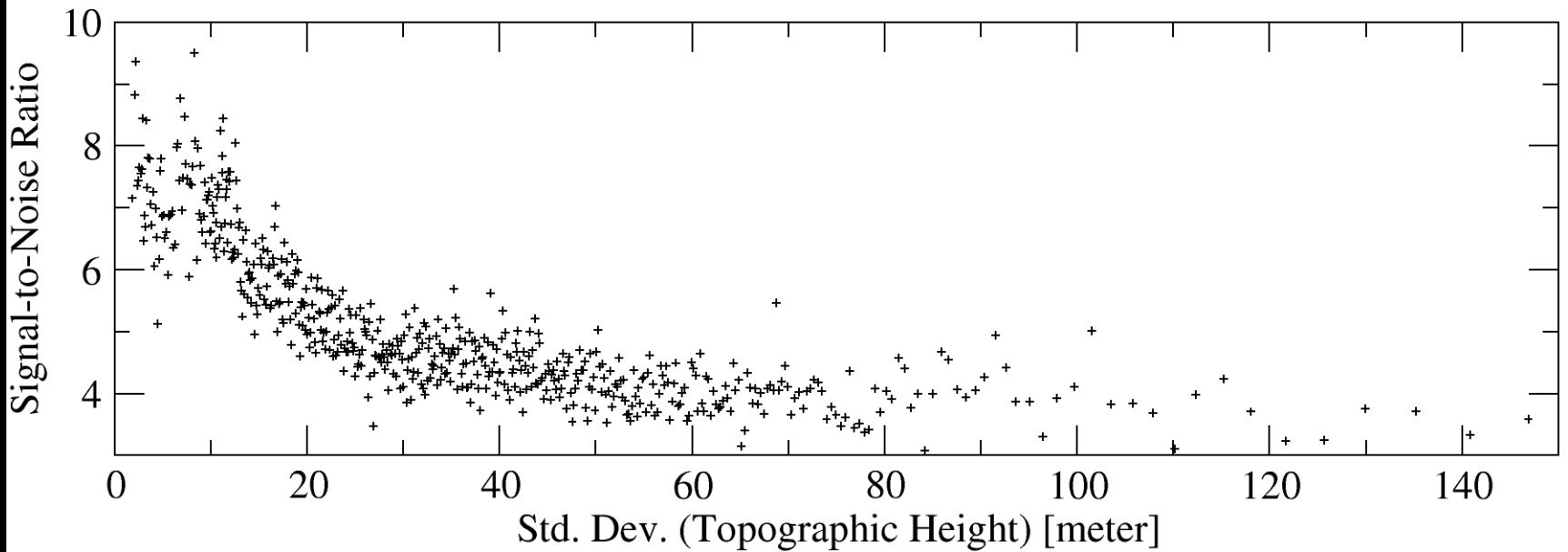
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Effect of Topography

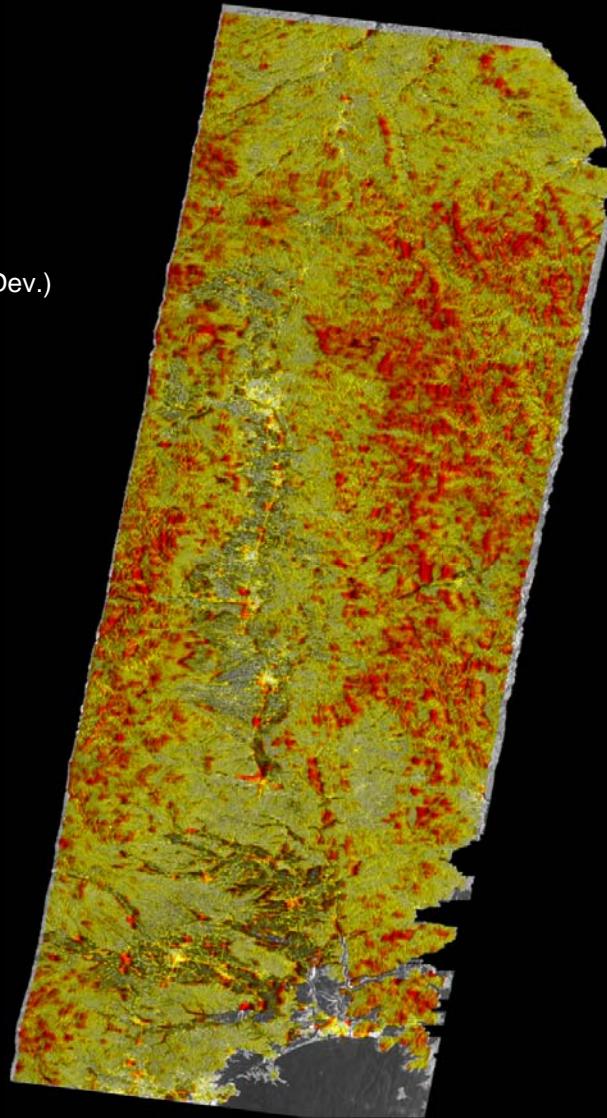
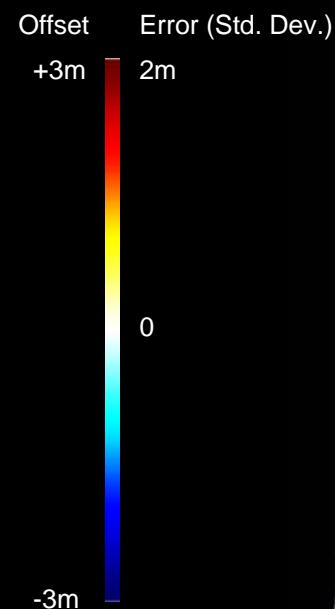
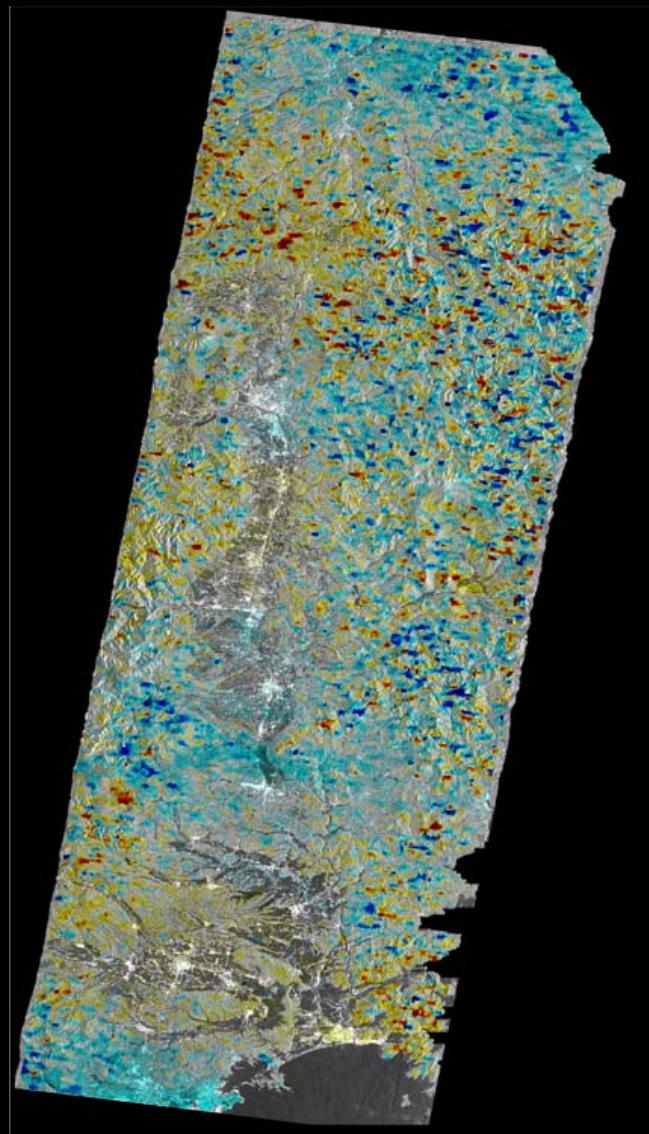
Relation between Std. Dev. (Topographic Height) and SNR

Path 061 (2006/08/02-2008/06/22)



$$SNR = \begin{cases} a + b / \sigma_{topo} & (\sigma_{topo} > 10) \\ random & (\sigma_{topo} < 10) \end{cases}$$

Offset and Error Map



Summary

The relation between the SNR and offset error is investigated in empirical manner

- σ_{offset} can be well explained as an exponential function of SNR
- SNR is inverse proportional to σ_{topo} when σ_{topo} is greater than 10m