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The theory of the pressure structure function used the assumption of joint Gaussian velocities to obtain tractable results. That theory has recently been replaced by a new theory that does not use this assumption.

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ten county Southern Oklahoma Development Association. Catchment centers were established in Ada, Durant and Ardmore. Rolling Hills Psychiatric Hospital is a bed facility which began admitting patients in The hospital provides treatment for adults, adolescents and preadolescents in the areas of psychiatric illness and chemical dependency. There is an active lake country association which promotes interesting activities in the area such as peach festivals, watermelon seed spitting contests, a sand bass festival, and old time arts and crafts fairs. Ada is a natural center for rock hounds far and wide. It is within driving distance of the rose rocks, trilobites, brachiopods, crinoid bulbs, as well as petrified wood and several different varieties of fossils. Ada is near Indian arrow chipping grounds. There is an active artists association which promotes two or three art shows annually as well as several craft shows. Many of the artists and craftsmen are recognized in their respective fields regionally and statewide and devote much of their time to developing new artists. In fact, it brought about naming of the type of petrified material in , several years after it was discovered in an abandoned hog lot of a former ranch in the isolated hills near Clarita, Oklahoma in Southeast Pontotoc County. Not true wood, this ancestor of modern trees was a fibrous material with nodes rather similar to those of a cornstalk. Callixylon extends as far back as knowledge of seed plants. Being highly specialized, it is believed to show evidence of being the termination of an evolutionary time. It is the largest example of callixylon, or primitive wood, from the Devonian period known to exist, part of what was once a gigantic semi-tree. Estimates of geologists set the period at about , years ago. The largest piece is almost five feet in diameter and more than eight feet long. Other large pieces lay nearby and there were hundreds of smaller chunks scattered about. In its petrified state, it weighs many tons. Some idea of the original mighty plant may be had from the estimate that the massive relics put together at East Central University were at least 16 feet above the ground. The late John Pitts, a local geologist, saw the big fragments in the hog lot and obtained possession of them. In , the late Dr. Thomas, then geology teacher at East Central. White recognized what they were and began to try to raise money to move the fossil to Washington, D. However, he died before he could raise the funds. Thomas supervised removal of the callixylon to Ada. Dedication of the geological oddity to Dr. White came in late , with many eminent geologists present. Since its dedication, the callixylon has been visited by thousands of persons, from this area and from far and wide. It continues to be the champion, although a slightly smaller specimen was found near Wapanucka, Oklahoma in The cold clear water was preferred by the Choctaws and Chickasaws, and the area became a choice camp site. The spring bears the name of one of the last and best known Chickasaw Chieftains, Governor William L. Byrd, who operated a grist mill nearby. The City of Ada was experiencing water troubles, both in supply and threatened contamination, before the town was ten years old. Goodwin, was brought here on October 5,, to test the spring. He found the spring flowing 18 million gallons per day. Gabriel Brown, a restricted Indian, owned the spring site. Finally, on December 8,, a deed for the spring site land was executed at Atoka. In the early days, water was pumped at the spring. Upon installation of its present water system, the City installed a 36" concrete conduit for about 3, feet from the spring, then a 24" cast iron water line for a considerable distance and finally a 20" cast iron line running into the City reservoir. The underground storage capacity is 7,, gallons; the 2,, gallon reservoir was constructed in and improved in while the 5,, gallon reservoir was completed about The water is pumped from the two concrete reservoirs at the pump station located at the reservoirs and the pumping equipment consists of four pumps. The pumping operation is entirely manual, there being no automatic control. The water reaches the distribution system from the pump station through two lines, one being 14 inches and the other 12 inches in diameter. It was almost 20 years later that the present 24" gravity flow line was constructed to bring in an estimated 7,, gallons daily when flowing at capacity. The elevated water towers have a total capacity of 1,, gallons storage; the capacity of one being , gallons and of the other , gallons. It lies 2 miles due west of Highway Country Club N. Mississippi Arlington N. Country Club Lonnie Abbott Rd. North Hills Centre N. Main Craddock Rd. Mississippi North Hills Centre E. Broadway Arlington S. Main N, Broadway E. Main Lonnie Abbott Rd. Schematic diagram of hydrologic cycle. Formulation of the groundwater flow equation. Introduction to Modeling Introduction to Modeling What is a model?

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The present approach results from recent advances in seismic tomography and mineral physics, particularly knowledge of elastic properties of mantle phases at high pressure and temperature, that have spurred an increased interest in the origins of the observed lateral variations in physical properties seismic wave speeds, density and electrical conductivity of mantle and crustal minerals. Rather than invert for the physical property to which a specific geophysical field gives rise to, we jointly invert different geophysical fields for composition and thermal state. Compared to conventional geophysical inversion techniques, our strategy has the advantage of providing a natural way of integrating the widely different data sets. At the same time, it also allows us to obtain tighter constraints on the inverted parameters. These improved constraints are realized by combining thermodynamic modeling of mantle mineral phase equilibria with inversion of geophysical data using stochastic sampling methods. These results obtained provide us with the information that is crucial to unravel the relative importance of chemical and thermal contributions that are observed as variations in seismic wave speeds in tomographic images. In turn, this information will provide constraints on the dynamic evolution of the Earth. Six models of the thermal and compositional structure of the mantle lithosphere beneath North America obtained from stochastic inversion of surface-wave dispersion data. From Khan et al. The composition of peridotites, which are samples from the upper mantle and have been used to infer its composition, are found to be depleted in Si relative to the chondrites. The latter are traditionally thought of as the building blocks of the terrestrial planets, as the chondrites appear to sample the primitive material that started out as dust in the solar nebula and which grew, through collisional processes, into planets. The resolution of the lower mantle Si content, or the bulk mantle composition in general, thus holds the potential of providing insight into the nature of the material from which the Earth assembled. Using various types of geophysical data e. For example, for the Earth we found that Khan et al. These interdisciplinary studies benefited greatly from working closely with geochemists and petrologists, notably John MacLennan, Stuart Ross Taylor and James Connolly. In principle, electrical methods provide stronger constraints on chemical composition and thermal state because electrical conductivity is more sensitive to variations in mantle chemistry and temperature and hence on mineralogy, than do elasticity properties. Using electrical conductivity as a means to infer the amount of water stored in the upper mantle and transition zone is of particular interest as even small amounts of water can cause significant changes to the physical properties of mantle minerals with potentially strong implications for mantle dynamics. Laboratory mineral electrical conductivity measurements as a function of inverse temperature. The solid and dotted lines in Figure 9d are bulk conductivity and adiabat, respectively. Note that the model by Khan et al. Inverting long-period electromagnetic sounding data using laboratory-based electrical conductivity profiles Khan, A. Solving an inverse problem means making inferences about some model from observations. The fully non-linear here referred to as the general inverse problem is typically characterised by one or both of the two following items: Instead we have to rely on stochastic-based sampling algorithms such as MCMC to collect information on the posterior probability density in the model space. The most widely employed sampling methods are the Metropolis algorithm and the Gibbs sampler. The method renders sampling of the posterior probability density possible, even in cases where the prior information is only available as an algorithm that samples the prior probability density. Given a collection of models sampled according to the posterior, we can proceed to estimate posterior model parameter covariances or resolution measures that are more useful in many applications, such as evaluating posterior probabilities for the existence of structures in the Earth or planet of interest. Application of sampling-based methods and analysis using Bayesian tools have been applied extensively to lunar geophysical data e. Much of this work was done in close collaboration with Klaus Mosegaard. Samples of the lunar density structure obtained from inversion of lunar geodetic data. One

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hundred samples taken from the prior top and posterior bottom probability distribution. Comparison provides a good idea of those features that are well-resolved recurring among models and those that are ill-resolved non-recurring. The code extracts the information from tables and can also be used to convert the information to a form suitable for plotting or further analysis. We anticipate that the program will be particularly useful for inverse problems, especially for Monte Carlo simulations, where speed of execution is an essential requisite. Publications Precalculated phase equilibrium models for geophysical properties of the crust and mantle as a function of composition, Zunino, A.

Chapter 3 : Subsurface Modeling: August , Ada, Oklahoma

relating the pressure structure function and spectrum to fourth-order velocity structure We do not use the joint Gaussian assumption that was Pressure structure functions and spectra