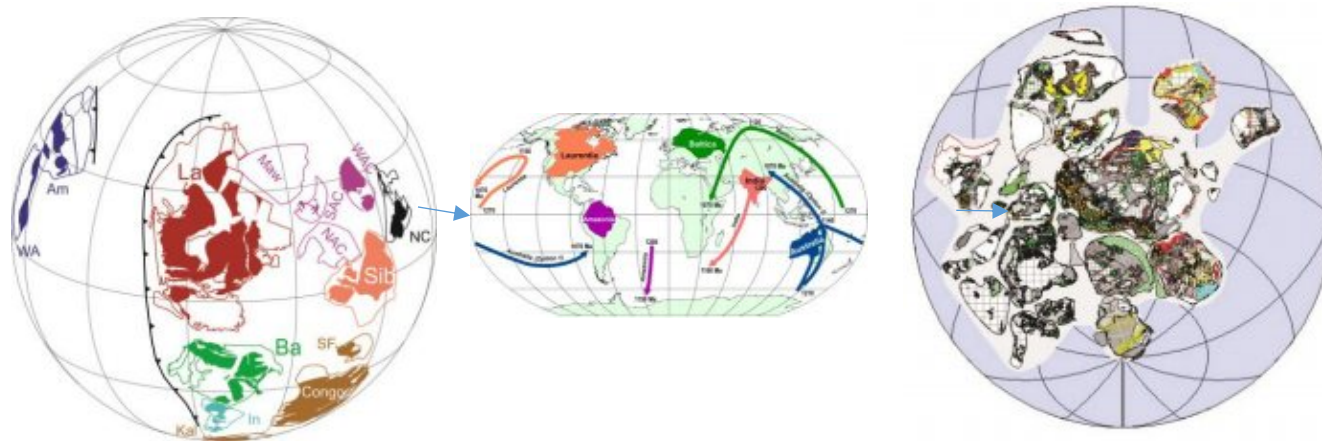


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Paleogeographic reconstructions



Constraints for paleogeographic reconstructions

- “TRADITIONAL:

Marine magnetic anomalies

Paleomagnetism

Paleontology

Crustal provinces

Paleoclimate

Sedimentary provenance

Passive and active margins

Geochemistry

Large Igneous Provinces

ETC.....

- “NEW”:

Plate velocities

Integrated plate models

Animation models

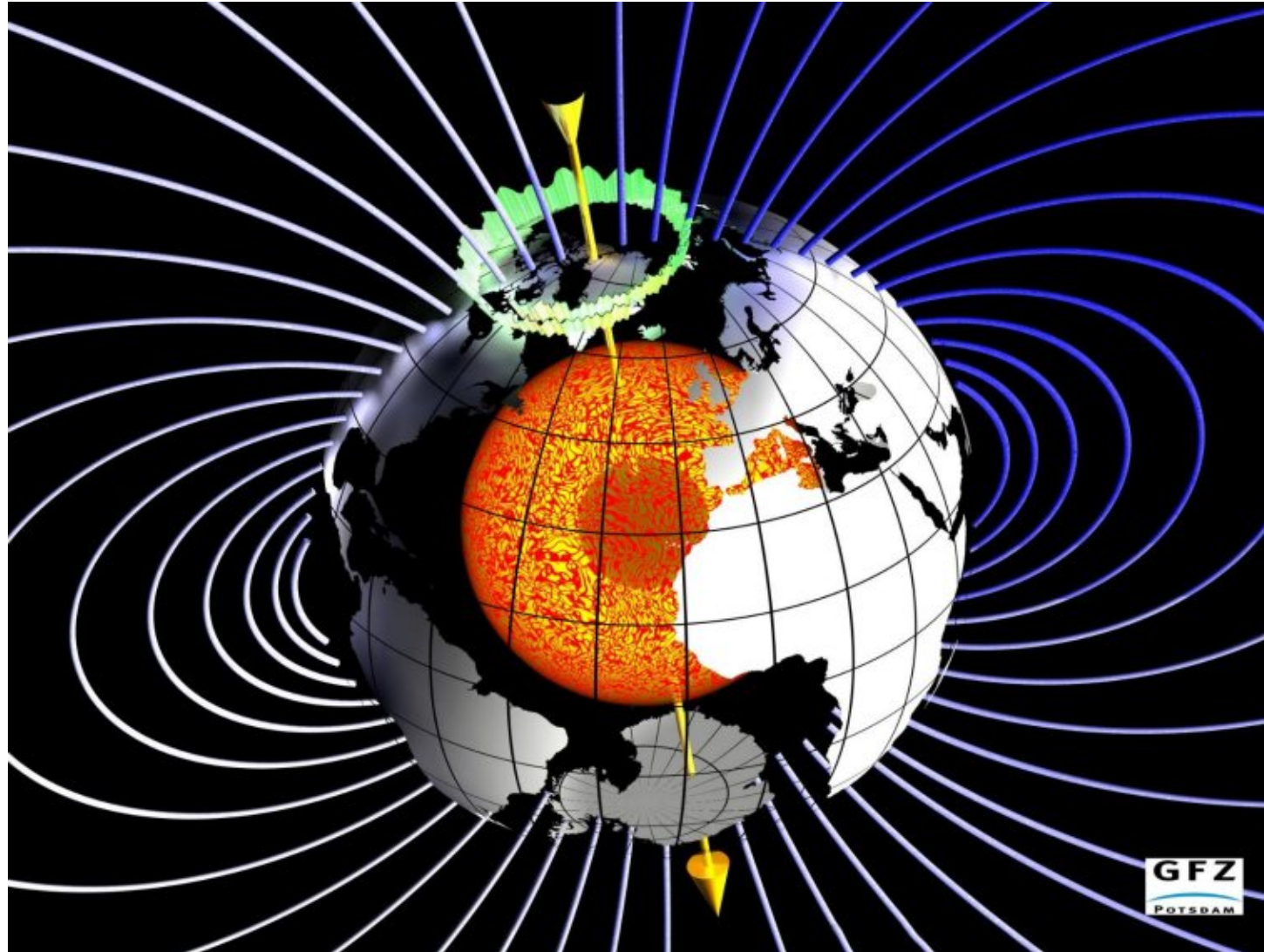
- QUEASTIONABLE:

Supercontinents

Unchanged building blocks

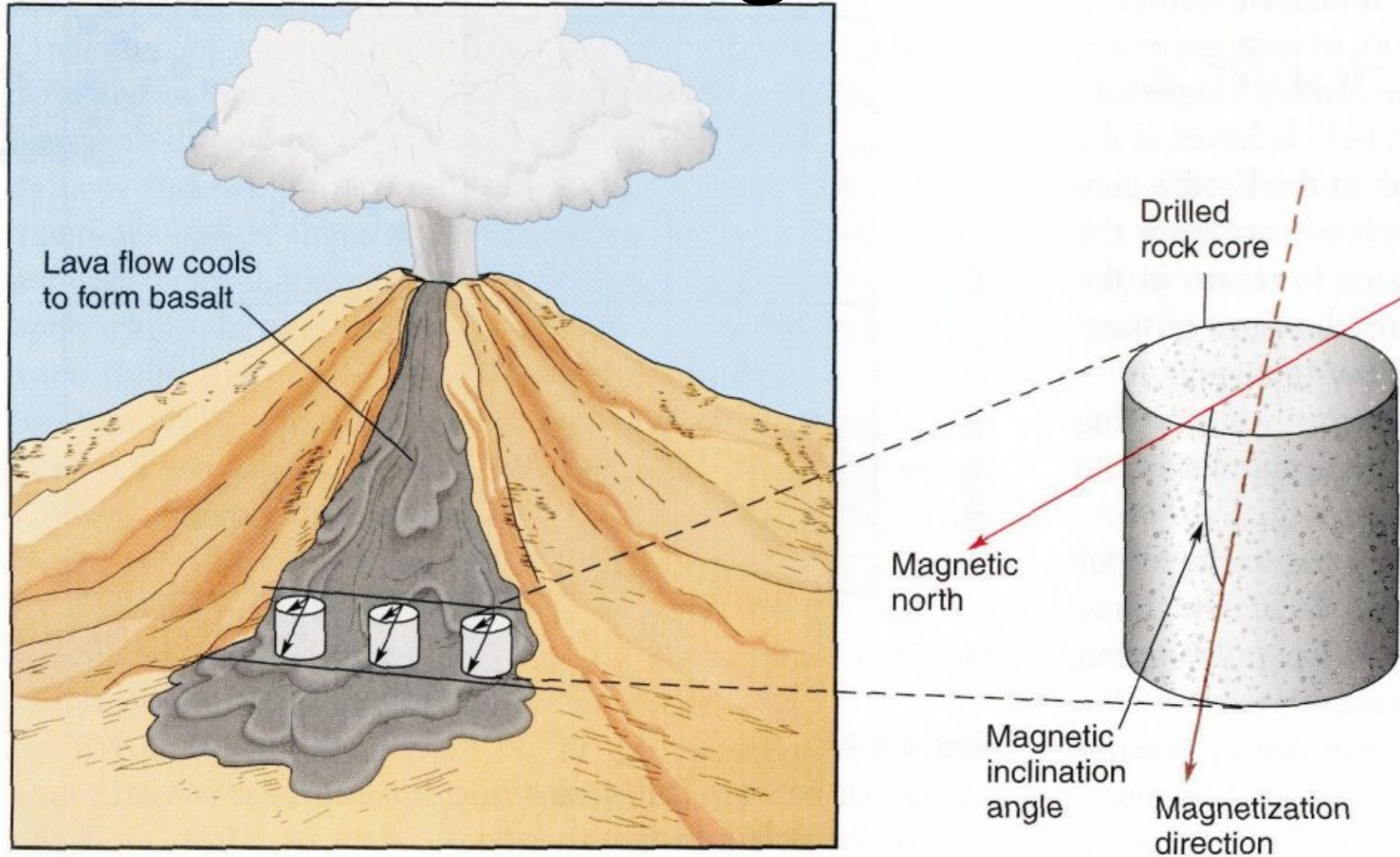
Stereotypes

Paleomagnetism



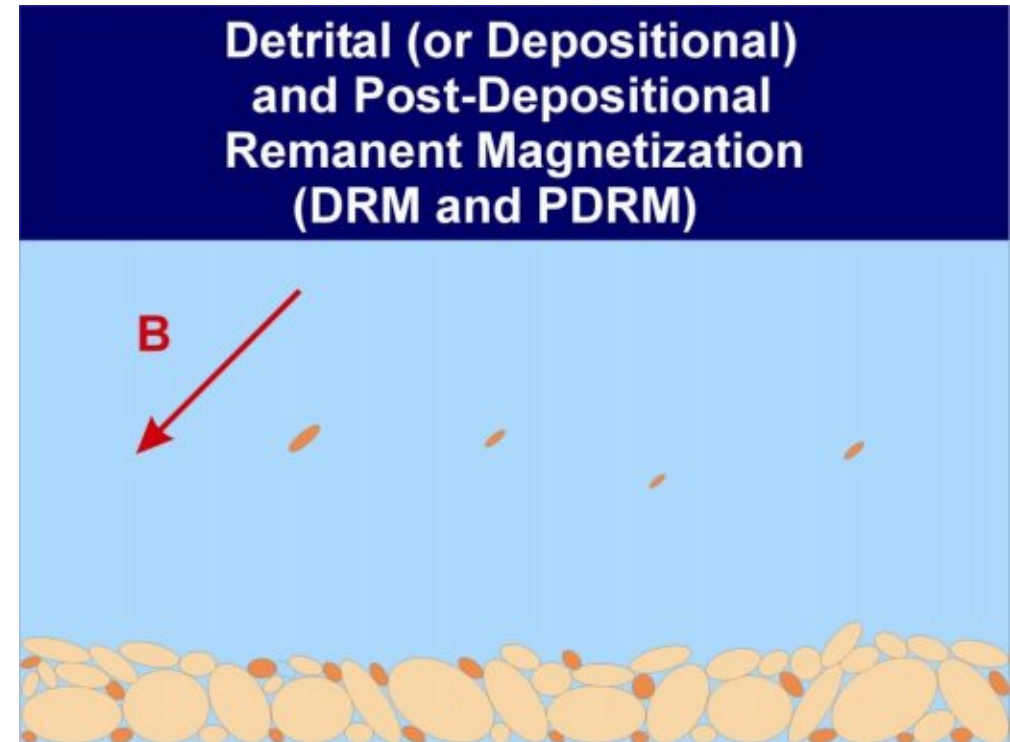
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Murphy and Nance



Paleomagnetism

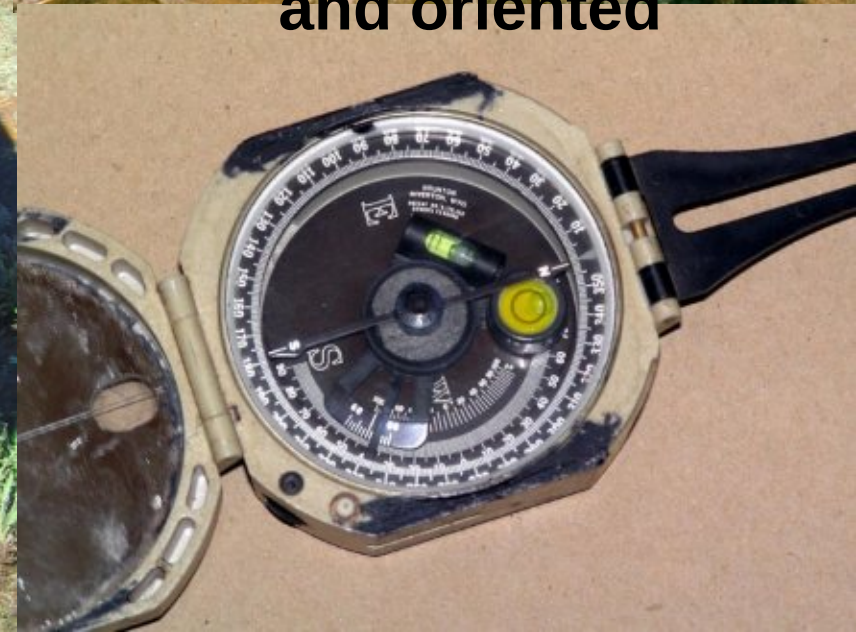
- alignment of magnetic particles by the geomagnetic field as they fall through water and settle at the bottom – **DRM**
- all re-orientation of these particles in unconsolidated sediments - **PDRM**



Samples must be drilled



and oriented

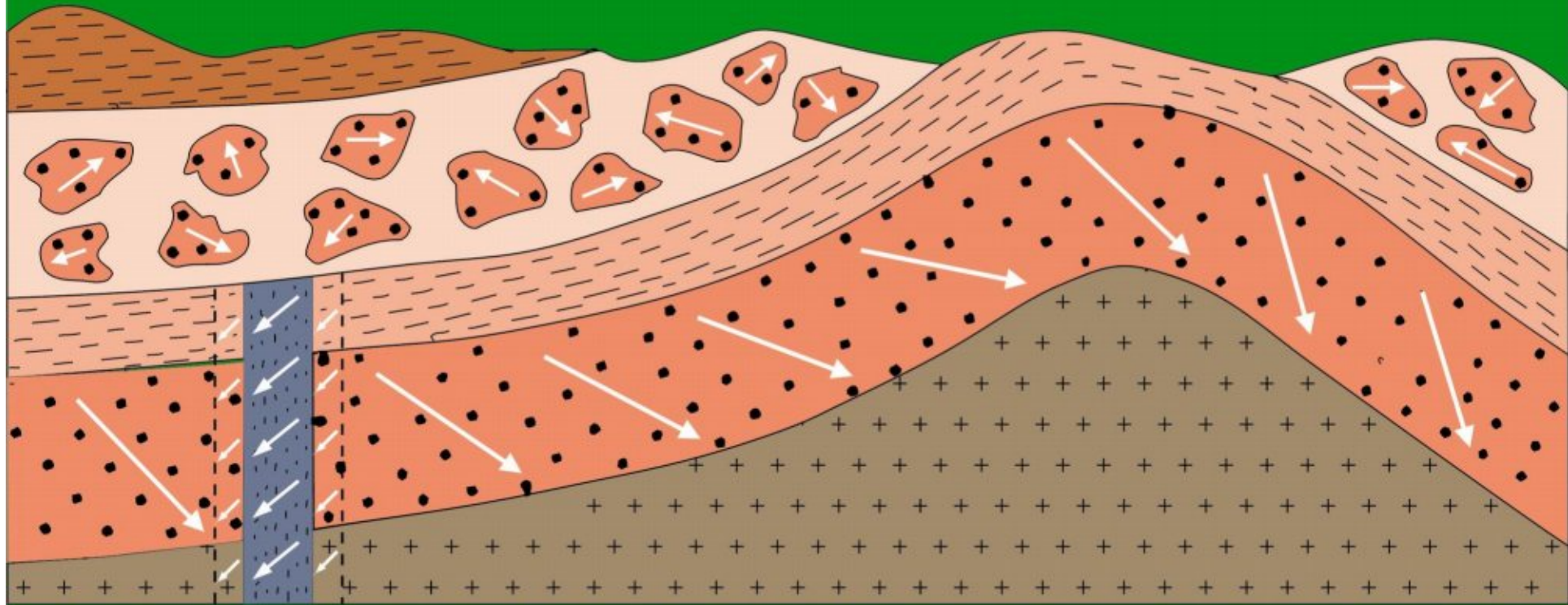






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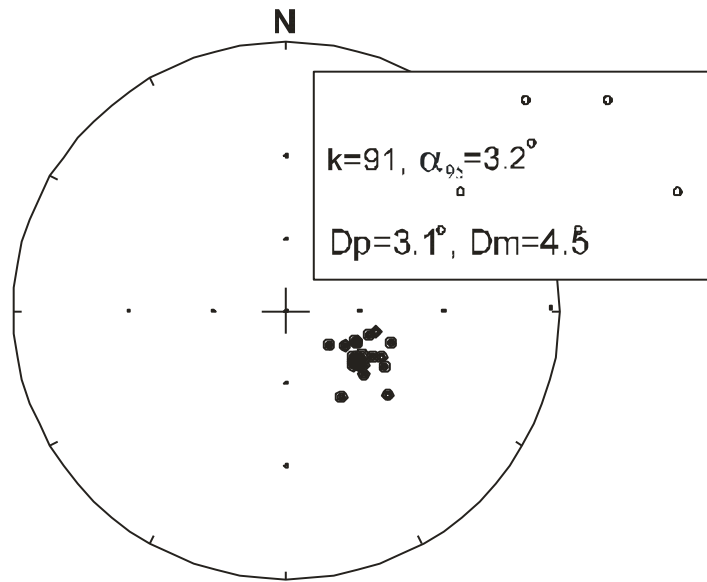
Fold, Conglomerate and Baked Contact Tests



North Geomagnetic Pole 10000-0 B.P.



After analyses palaeomagnetic directions should be plotted on the stereoprojection and mean palaeomagnetic direction and pole should be calculated



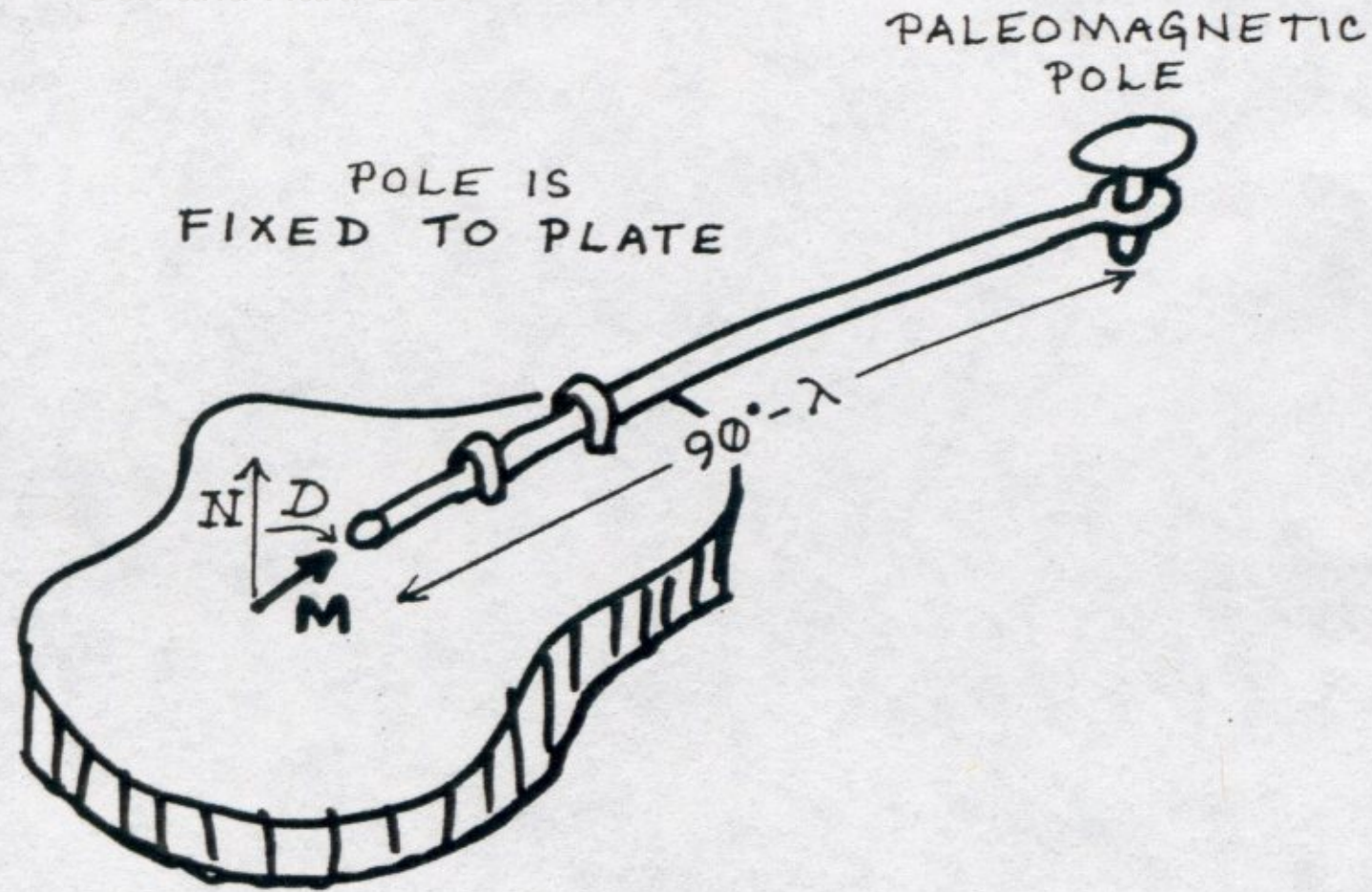
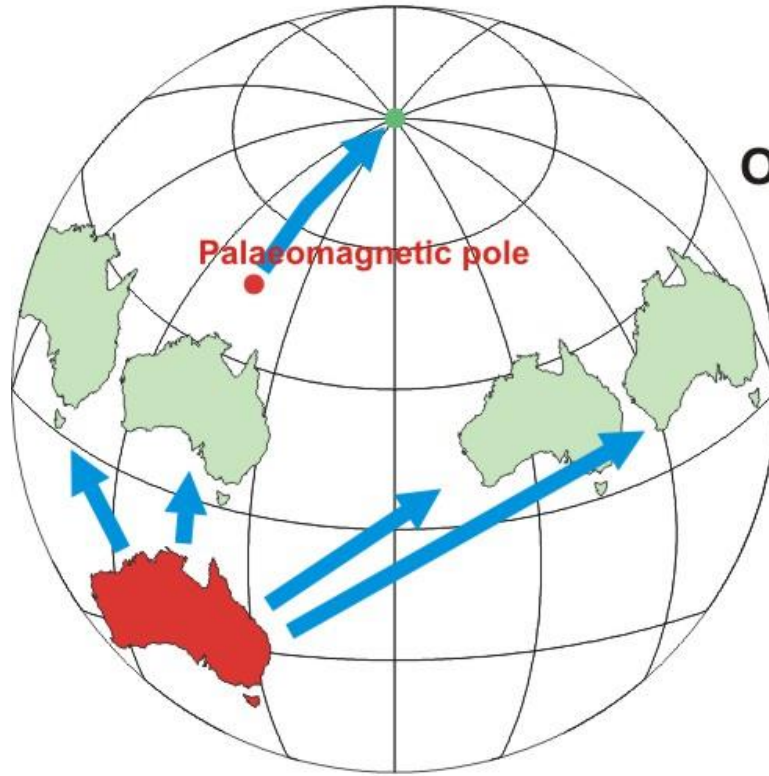


Figure 9-6.

A paleomagnetic pole moves with a plate as if the pole were attached to the plate with a rigid rod.

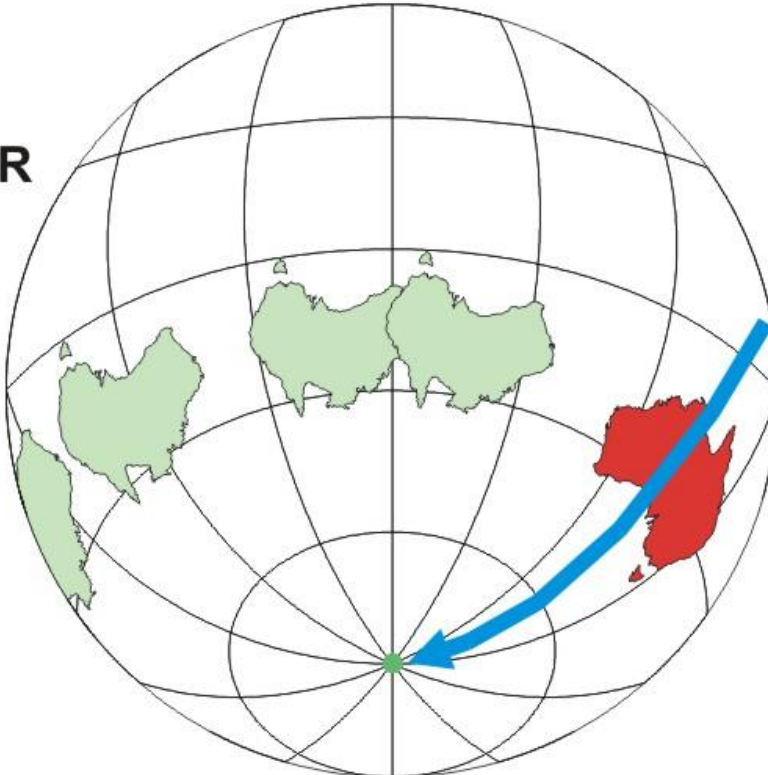
How to reconstruct?

First polarity option



Second polarity option

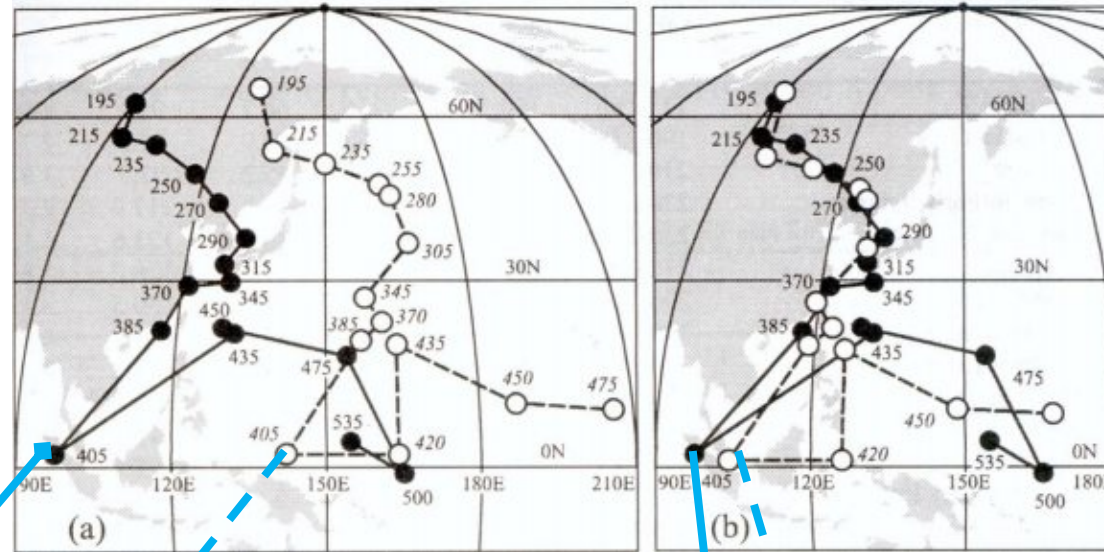
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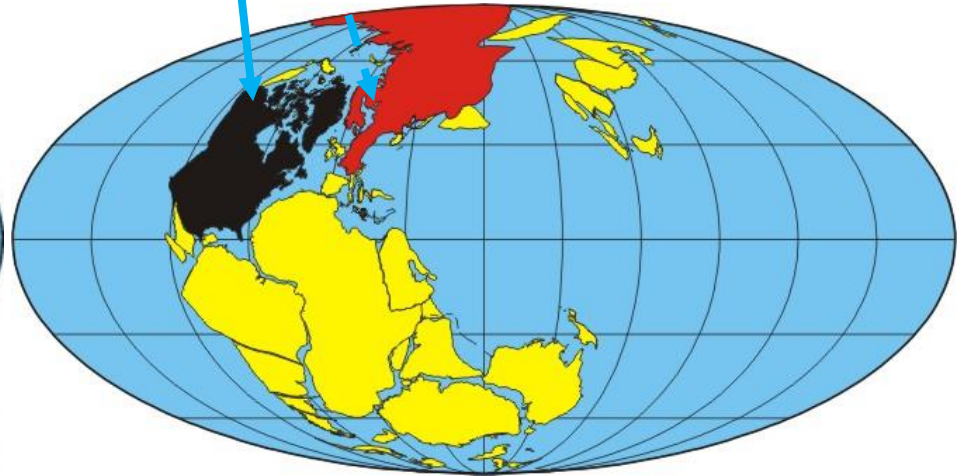
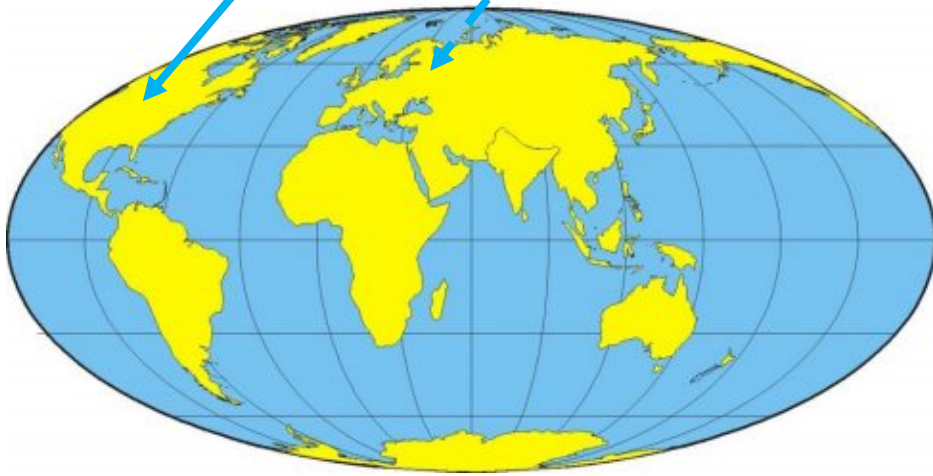
...but Apparent Polar Wander Paths can help

How to reconstruct?

APWPs for
Europe
and North
America



Van der Voo, 1993



How many poles are required for APWP? Phanerozoic example.

- Gondwana ~230 poles
- North America + Greenland ~200 poles
- Stable Europe ~170 poles



Phanerozoic polar wander, palaeogeography and dynamics

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67 1800-1250 Ma poles

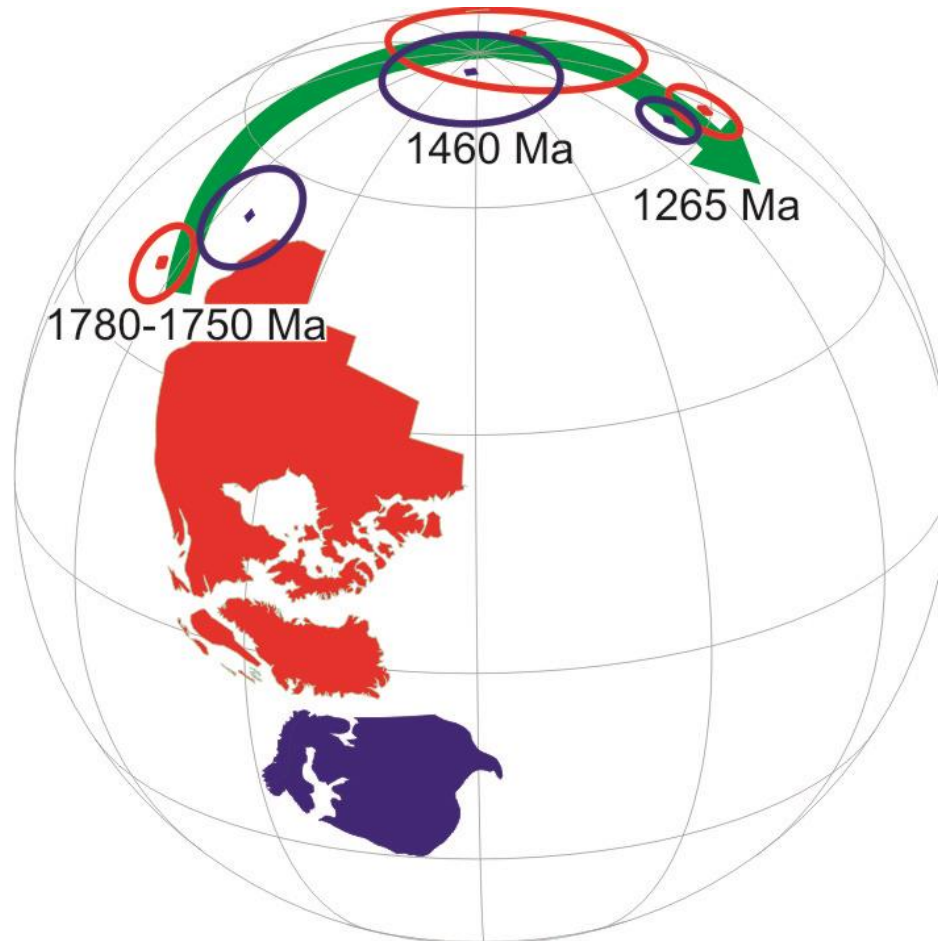
Continent	1800- 1750 Ma	1750- 1700 Ma	1700- 1650 Ma	1650- 1600 Ma	1600- 1550 Ma	1550- 1500 Ma	1500- 1450 Ma	1450- 1400 Ma	1400- 1350 Ma	1350- 1300 Ma	1300- 1250 Ma	TOTAL
<u>Baltica</u>	6	1		3	2	2	2				1	17
<u>Laurentia</u>												
+Greenland	3	1			1		3	6	4	1	3	22
Siberia		1				2	1					4
Australia	2	4	1	3	1	2						13
India							1					1
Amazonia	2							2				4
Congo											1	1
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Nordik Paleomagnetic Workshop, Lulea 2009

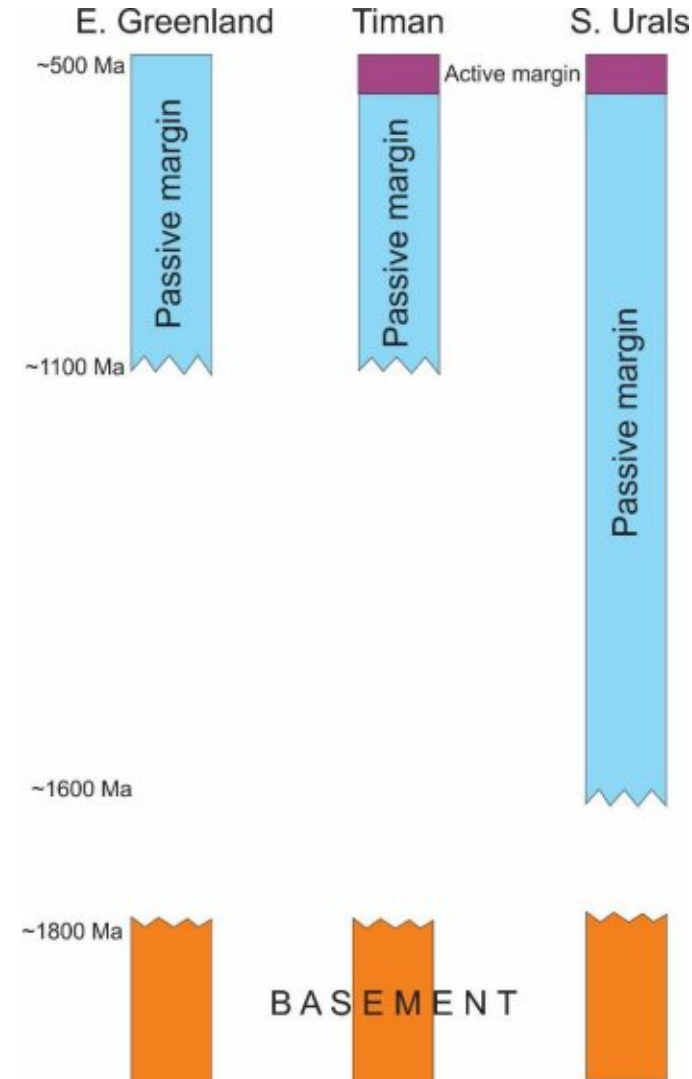
This is not enough – only few short reliable APWP fragments are possible

Laurentia-Baltica, 1780-1260 Ma

Paleomagnetic evidence



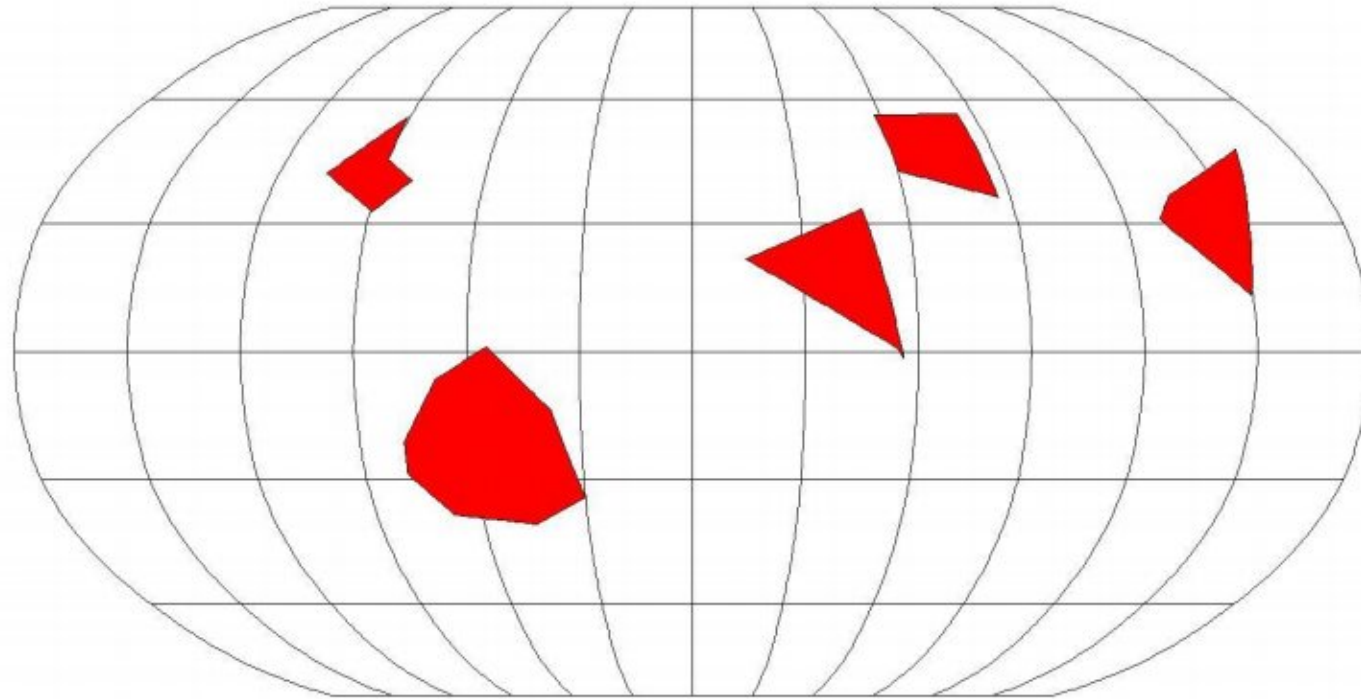
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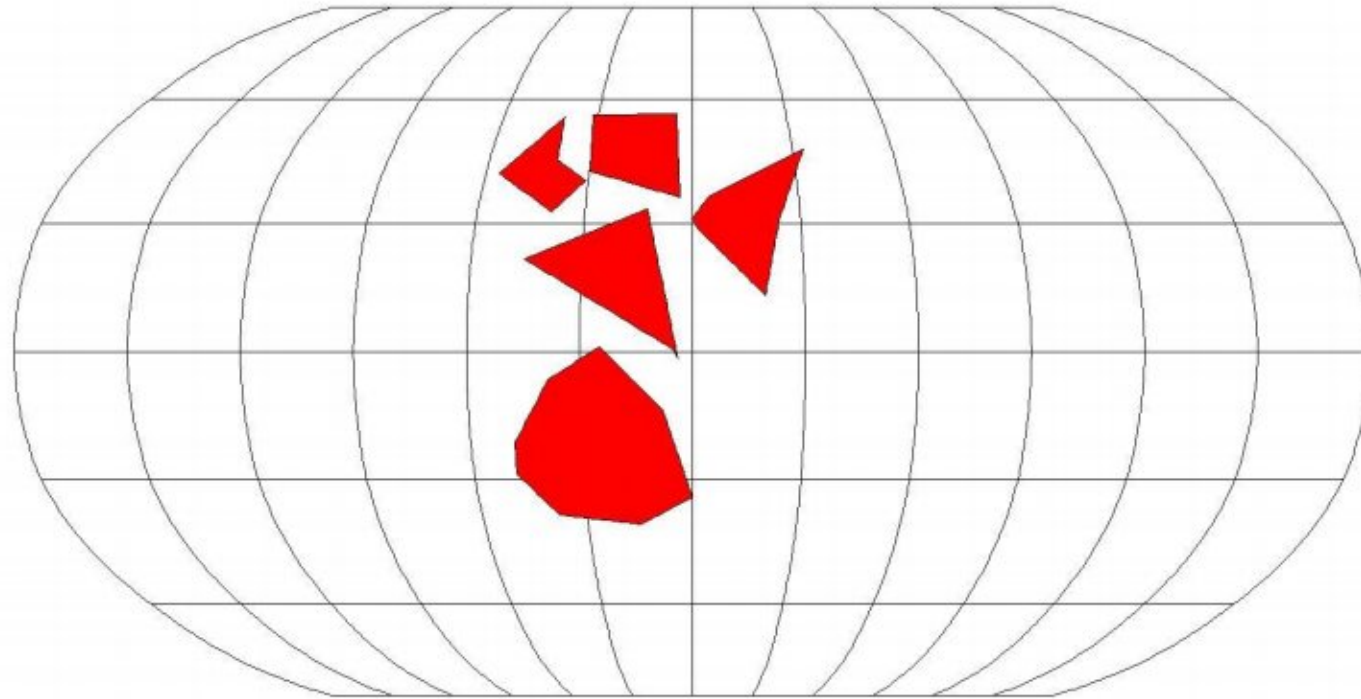
~1800 - 1600 Ma
accretional orogens



5 coeval poles, no preliminary assumptions



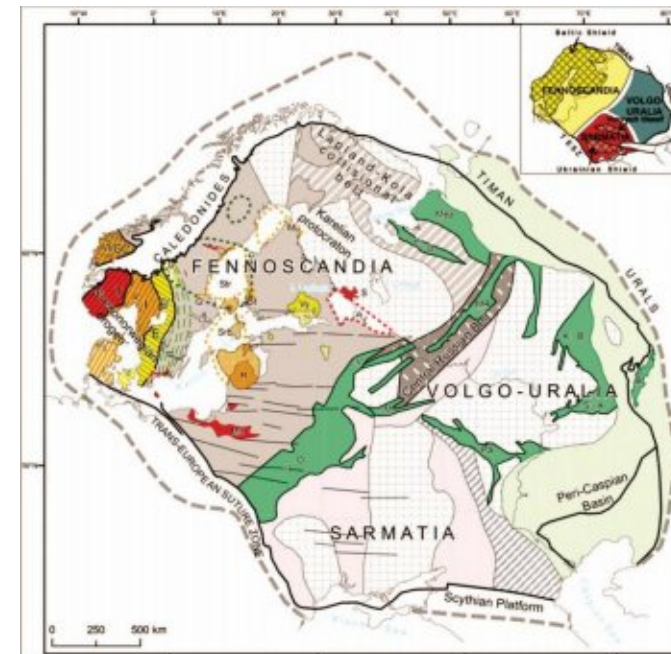
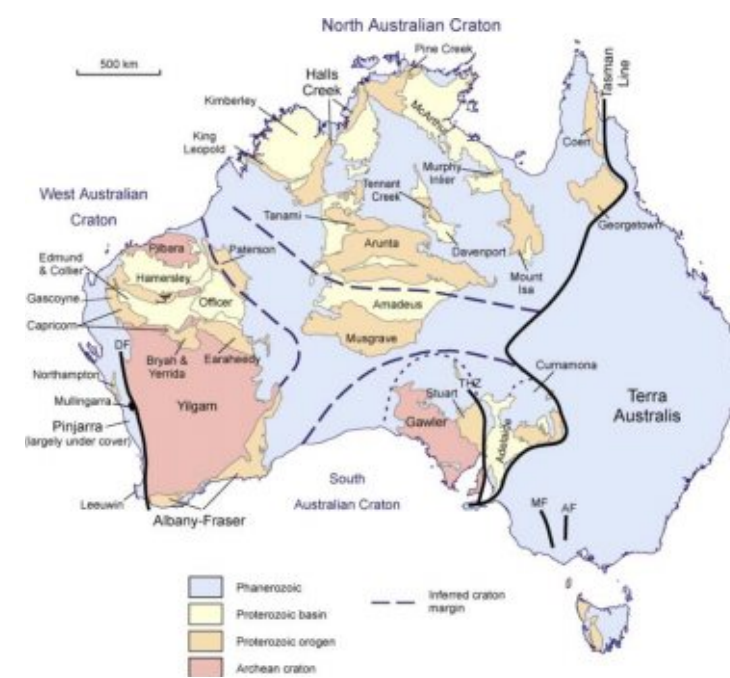
5 coeval poles and suggestion about supercontinent



What is supercontinent?

1. A supercontinent is a landmass comprising more than one continental core, or craton.

This definition fails - almost all present continents satisfy this criterion.

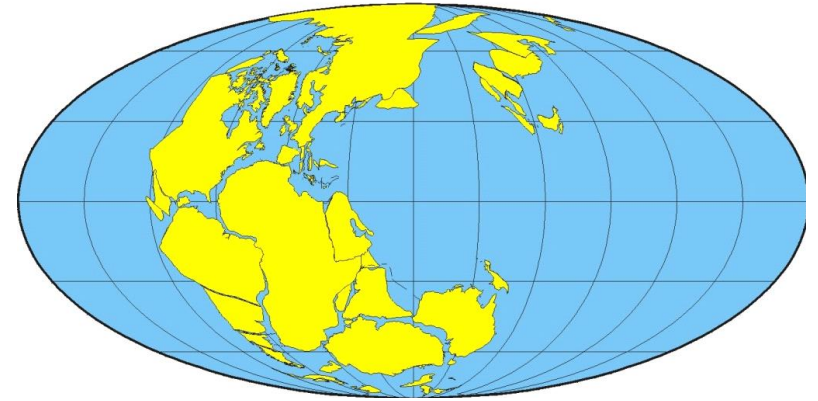


What is supercontinent?

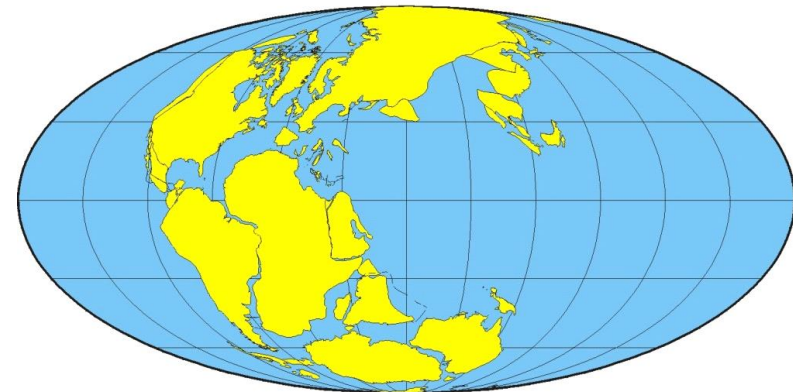
2. A supercontinent is a single landmass consisting of all the modern continents.

This definition also fails, because even the best known supercontinent Pangea does not contain all continental crust.

-175 Ma



-145 Ma



What is supercontinent?

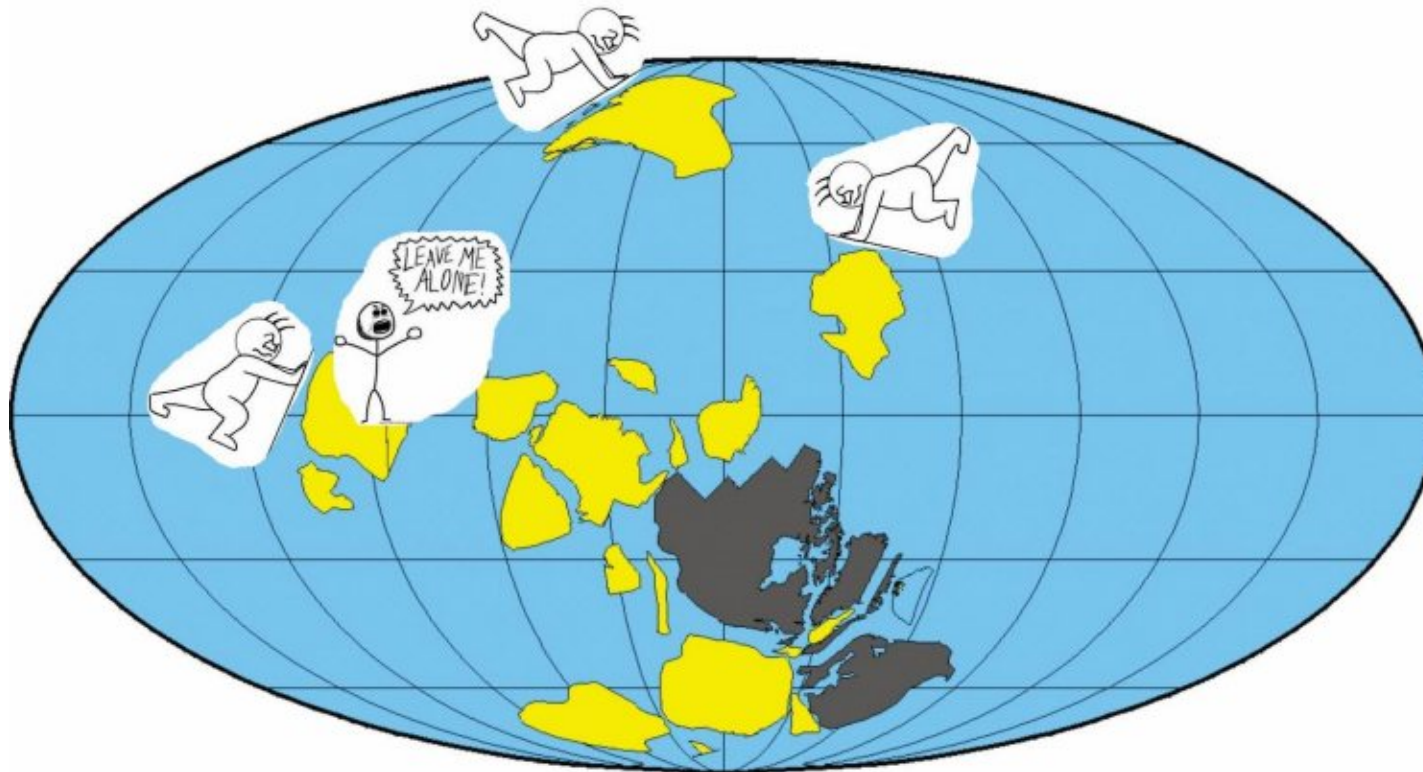
3. A supercontinent is a single landmass consisting of most (>50%? >75% >90%) of existing continental crust.

The important implication of such definition is that Gondwana is not a supercontinent, but just a building block of Pangea.



Golden Mean

Let us call 'supercontinent' a landmass comprising a *significant* part (~40%?) of the existing continental crust. **This means that inclusion of ALL continents into supercontinent is not compulsory**



Timing of supercontinent

M. T. McCulloch and V. C. Bennett

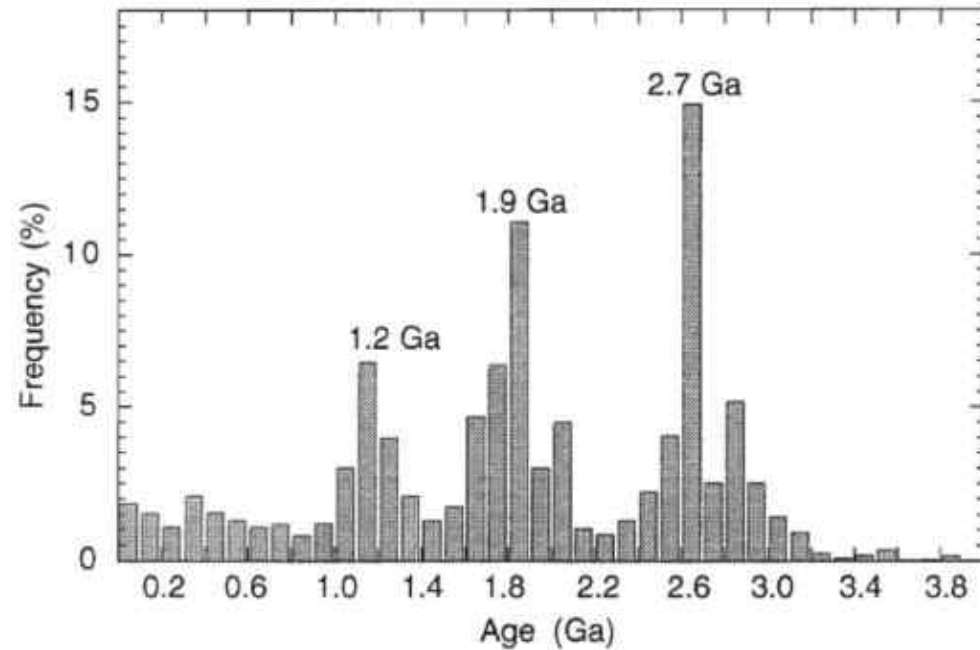
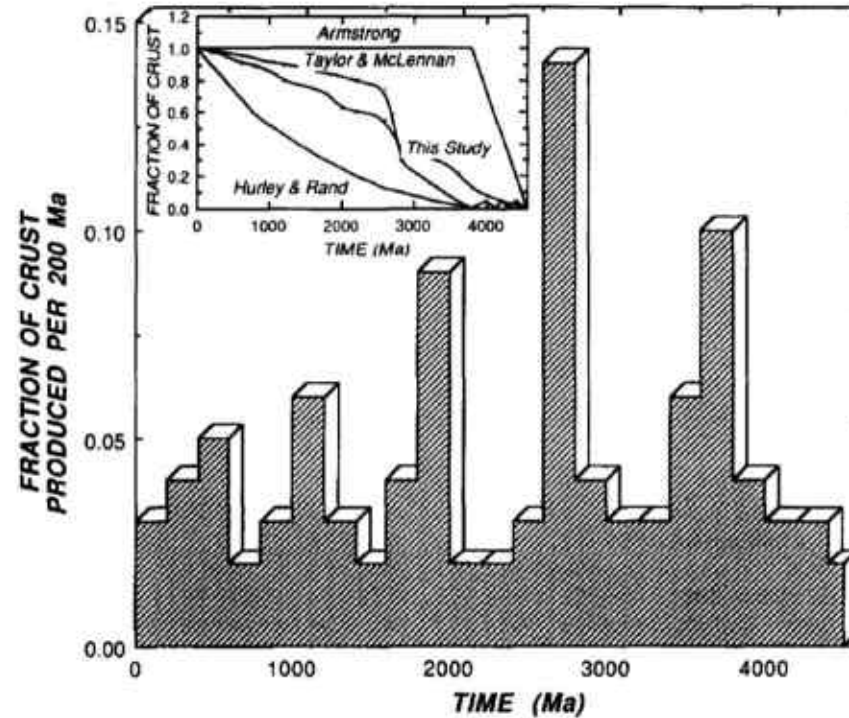
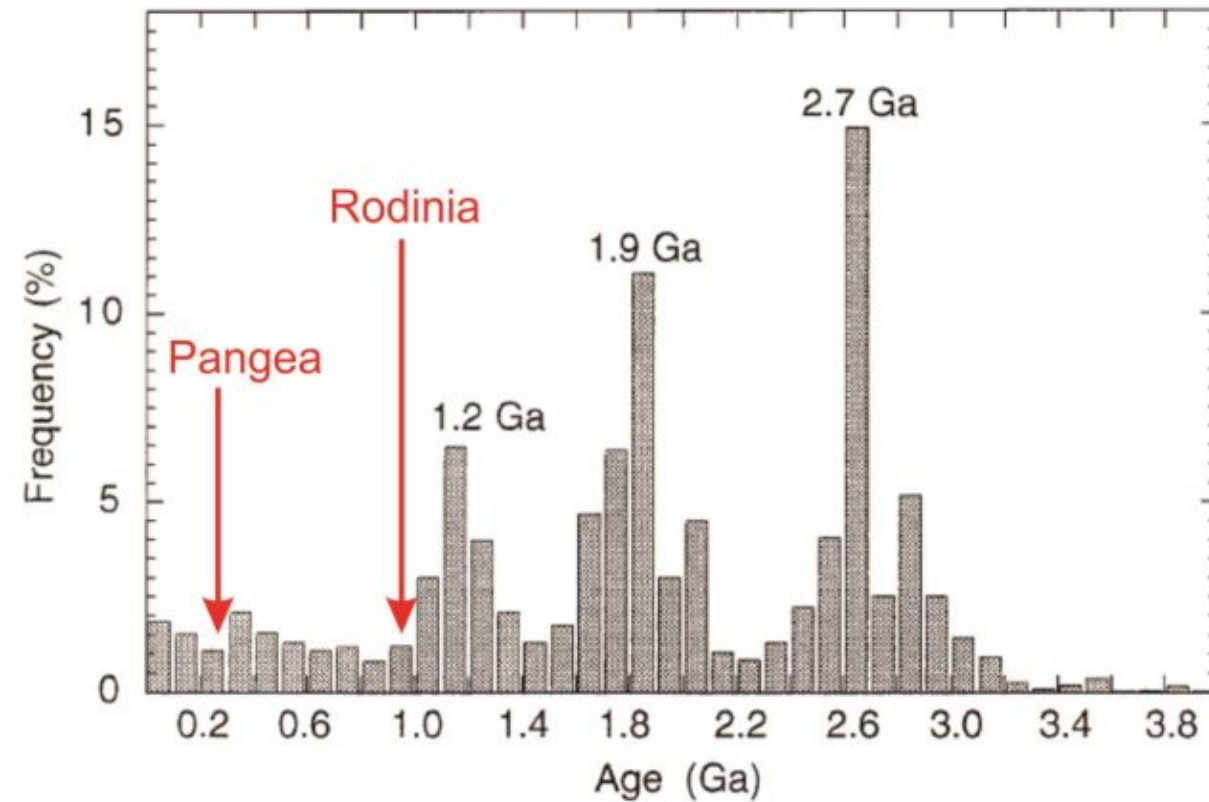


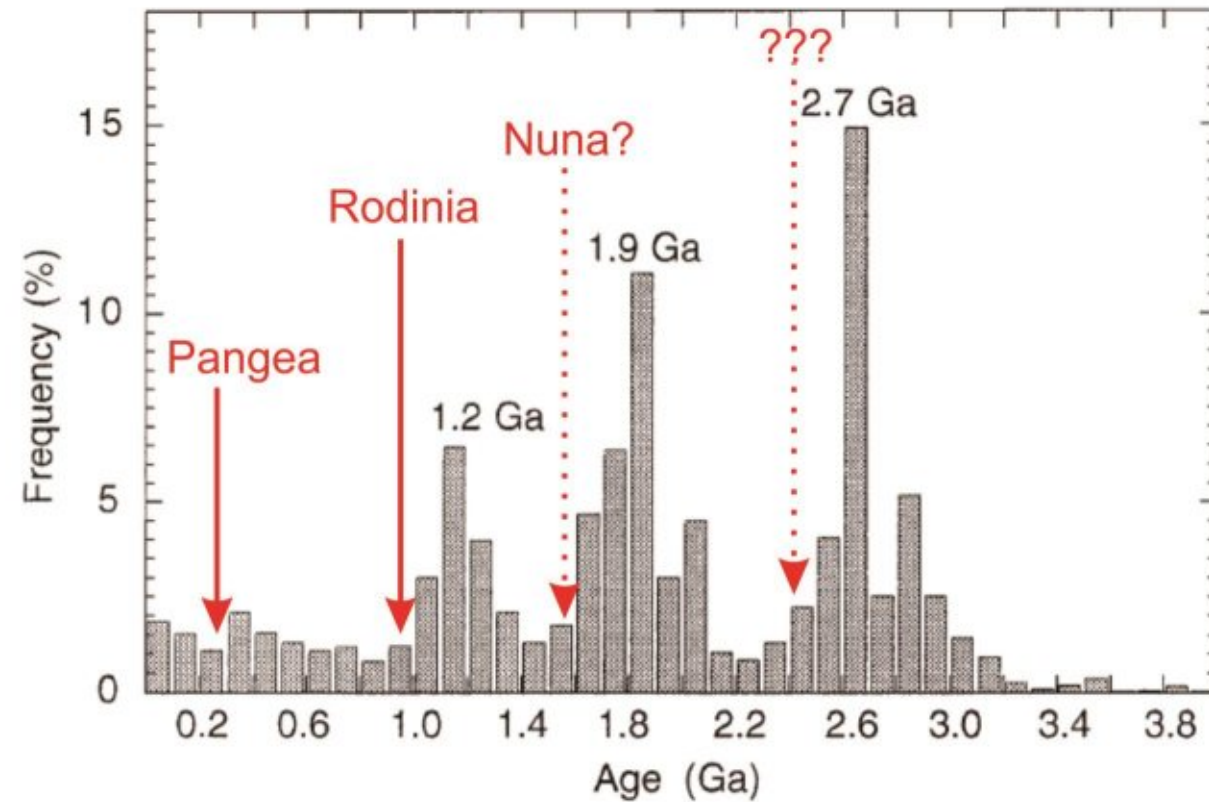
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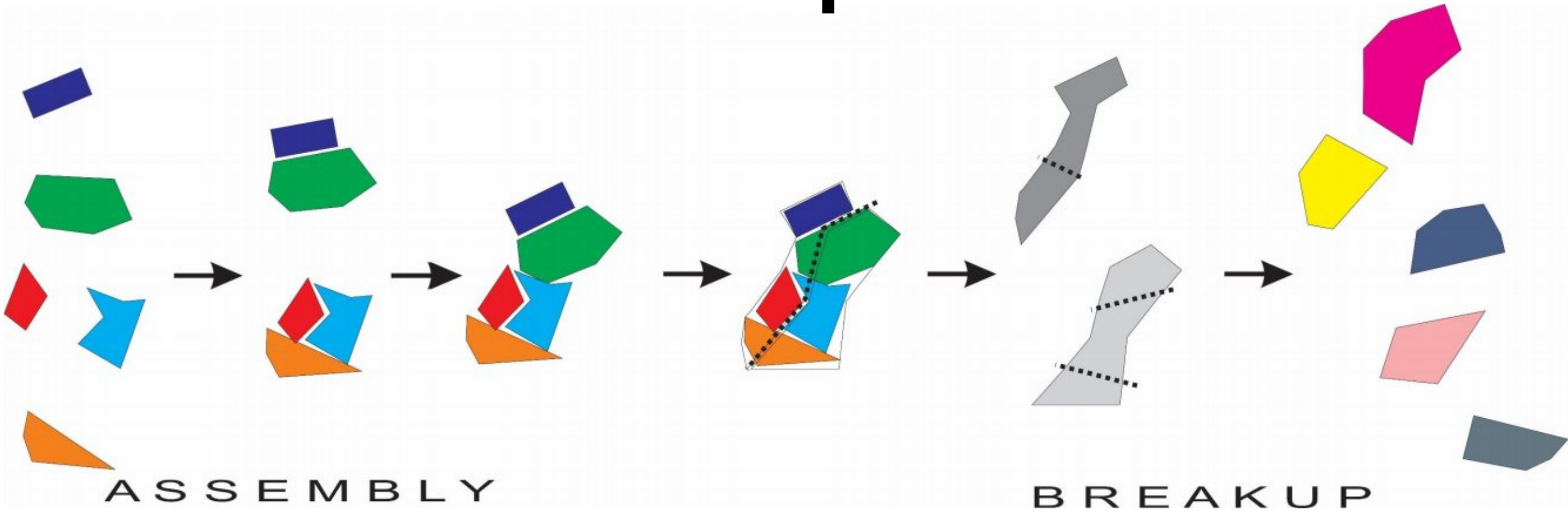
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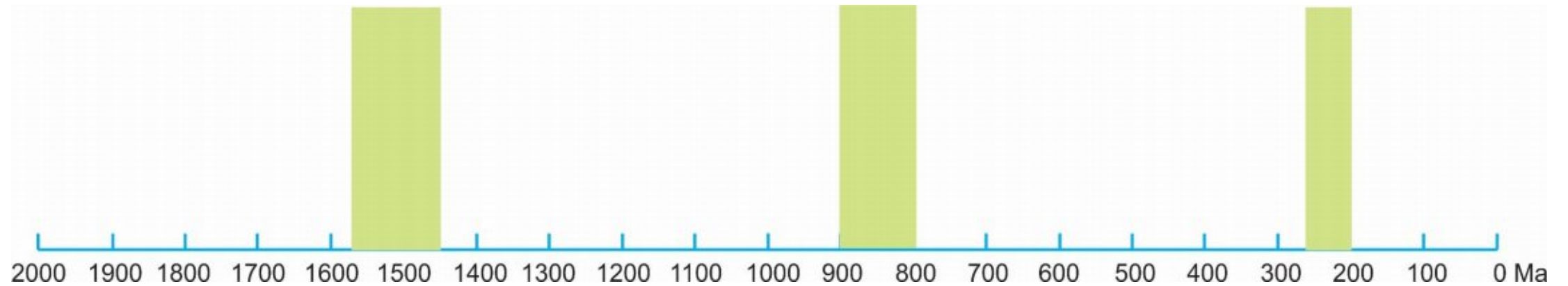
Assemblies of supercontinents?



Duration of supercontinent



Duration of supercontinent



Supercontinent:

1. Should not necessarily include all continental crust
2. Exist since the latest stage of amalgamation until the first stage of breakup
3. As the supercontinents' combine lifetime is short comparing to no-supercontinent combined time, proper supercontinent reconstruction requires a lot of pre- and post-supercontinent reconstructions

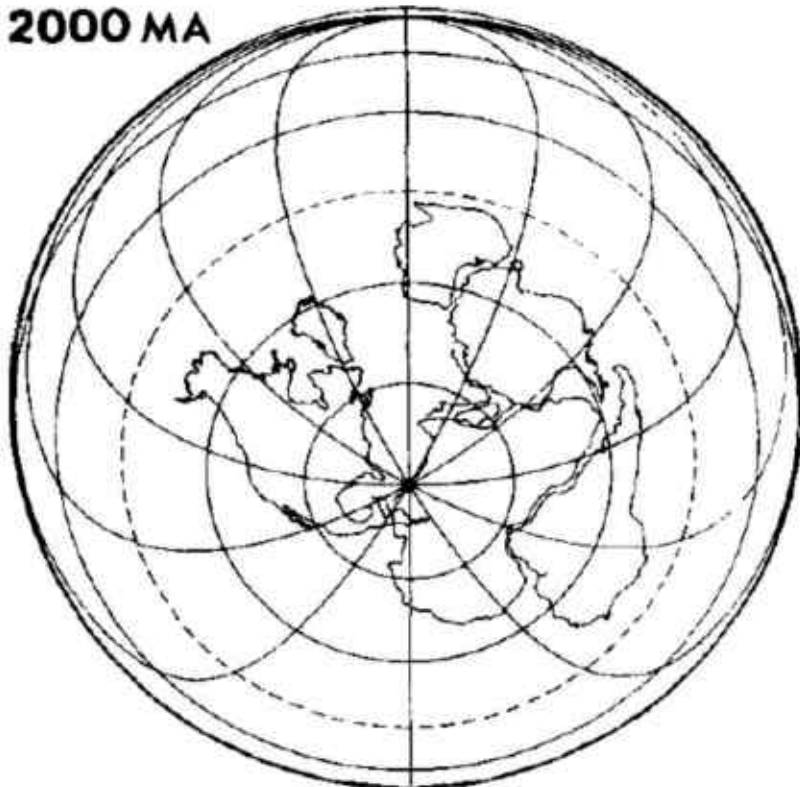
Shapes of building blocks

- Accretionary growth
- Braking away fragments
- Rifting across continents

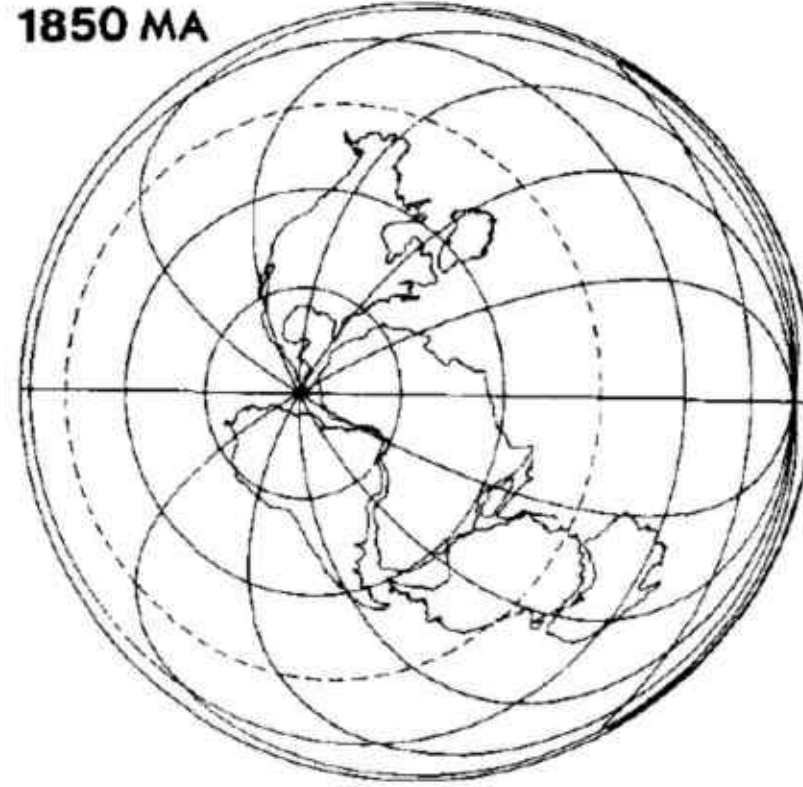
Palaeomagnetism in the Coronation Geosyncline and arrangement of continents in the middle Proterozoic

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2000 MA



1850 MA



Accretionary growth



1770 Ma

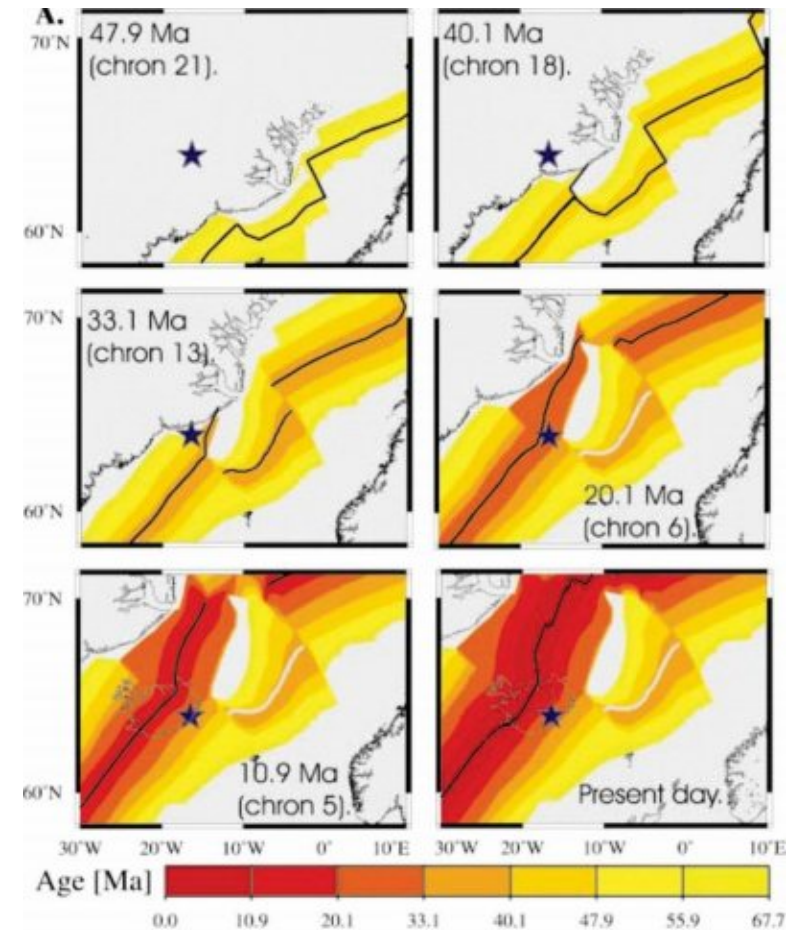
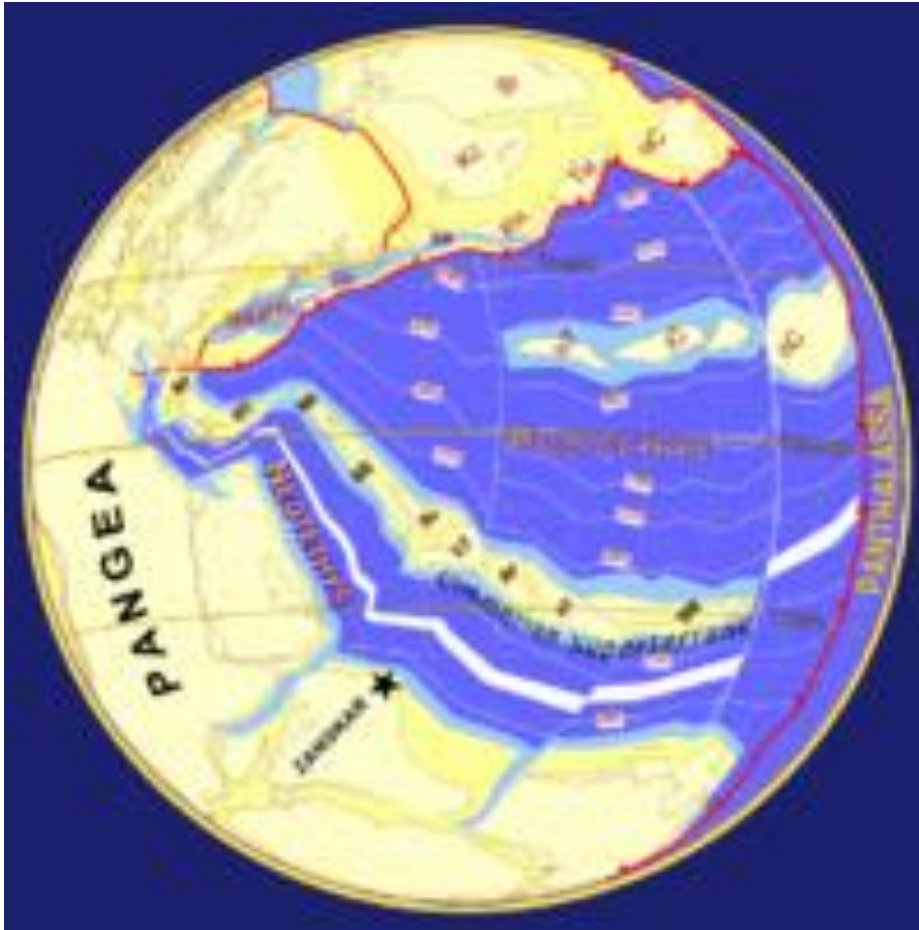


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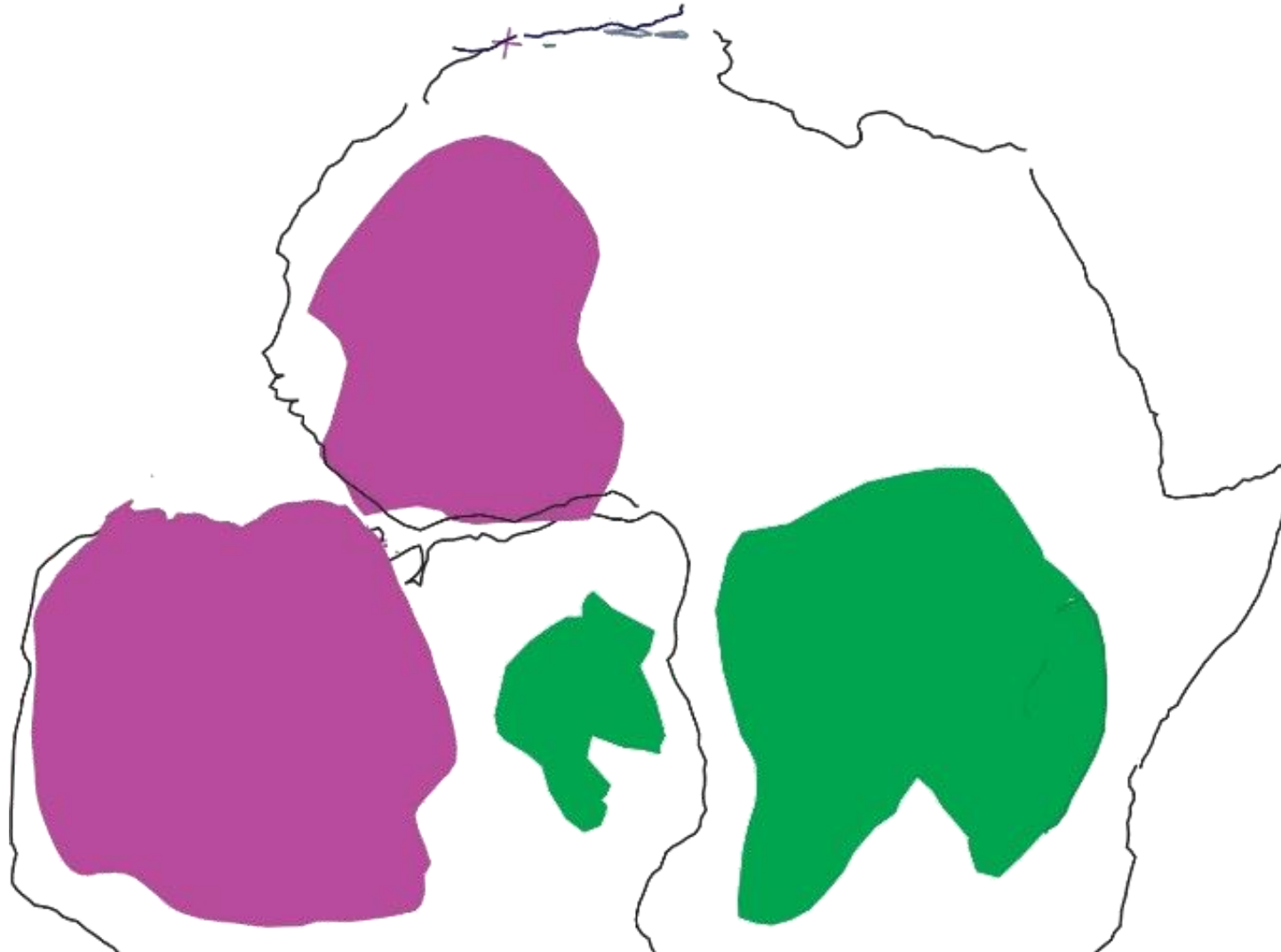


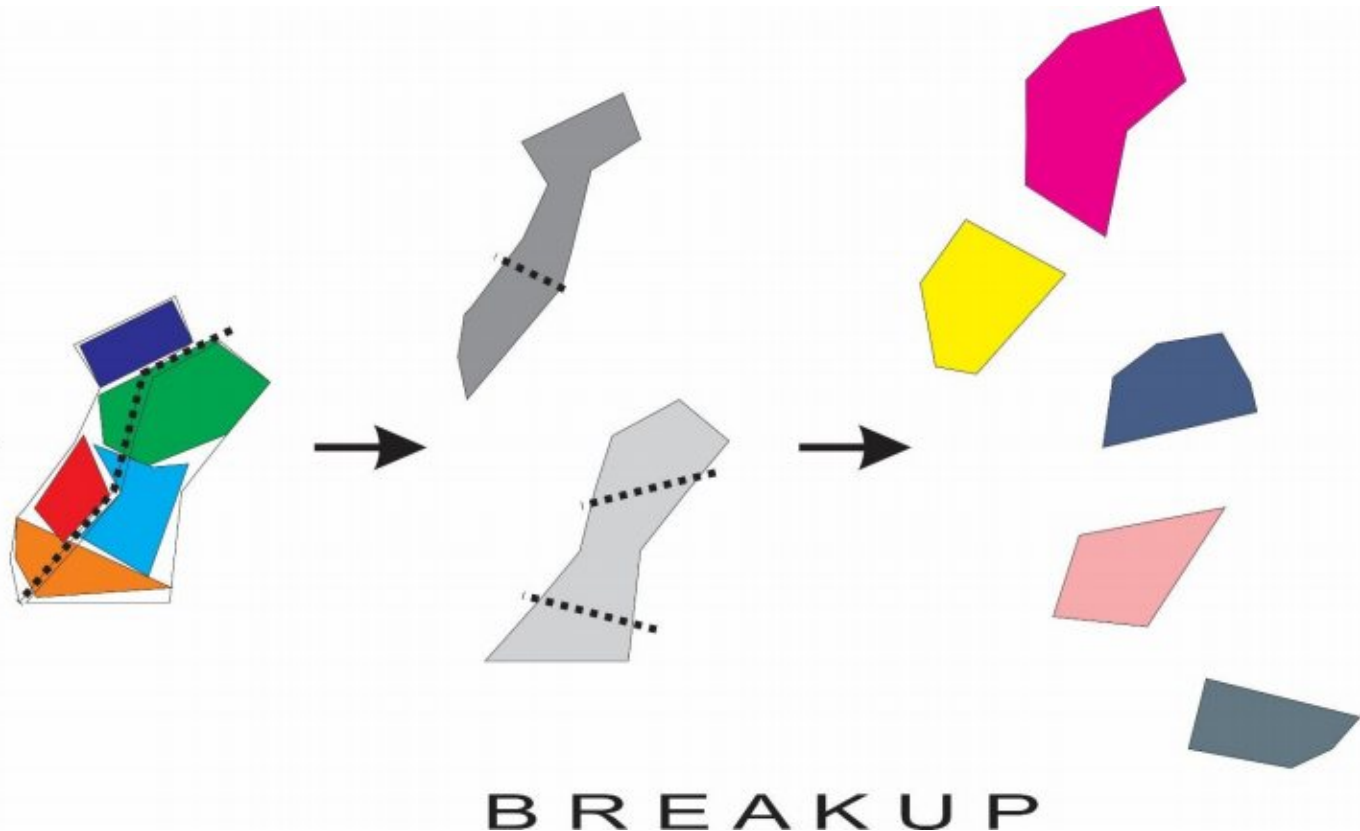
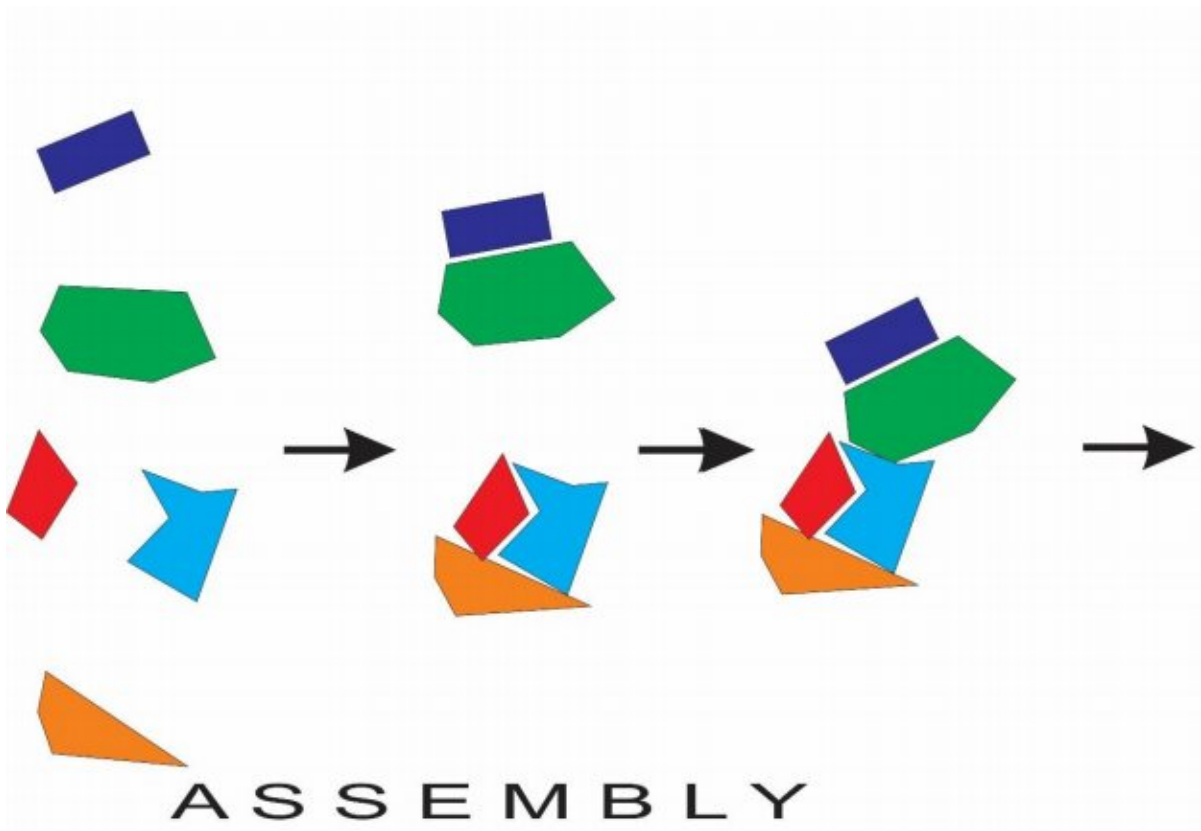
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Braking away fragments



Rifting across continents



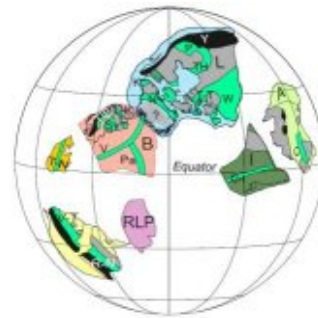


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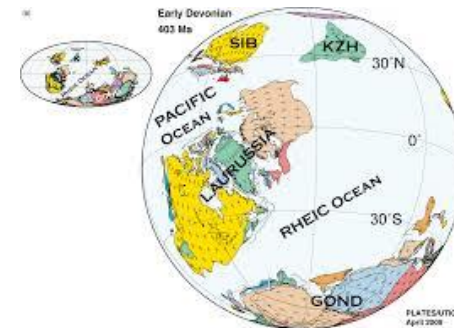
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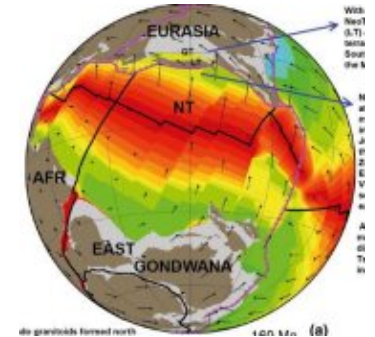
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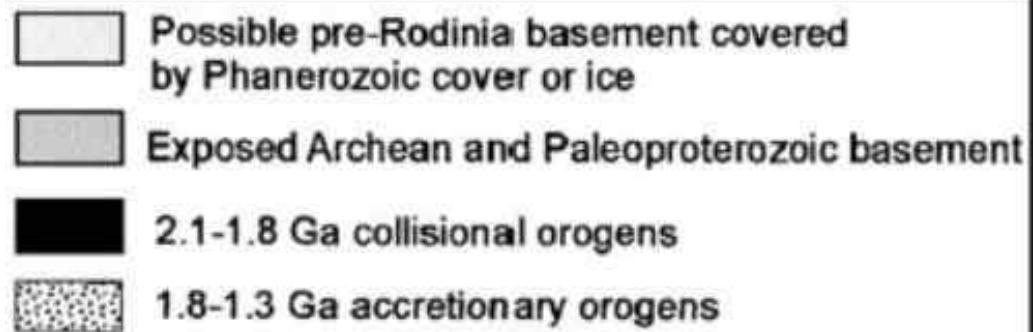
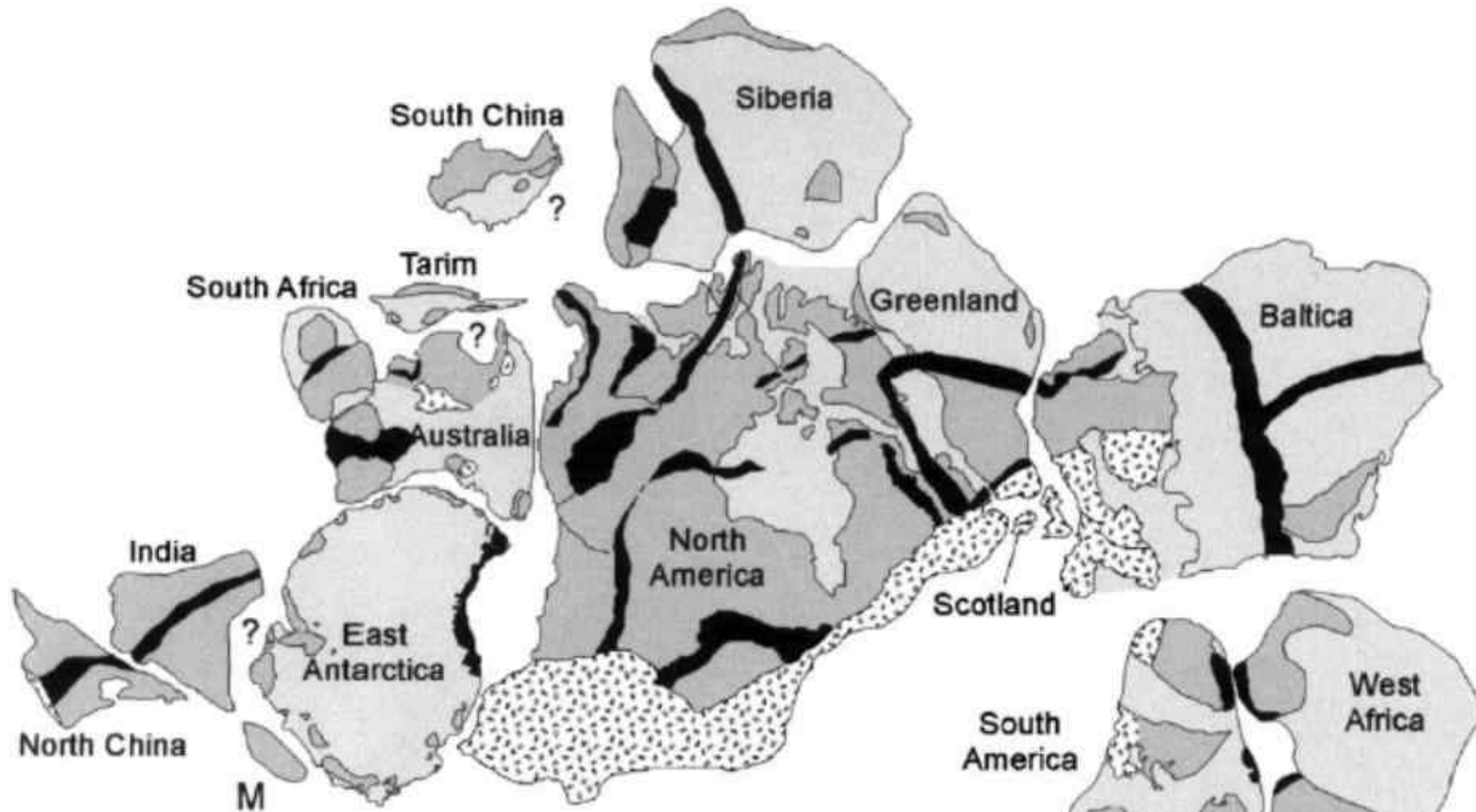
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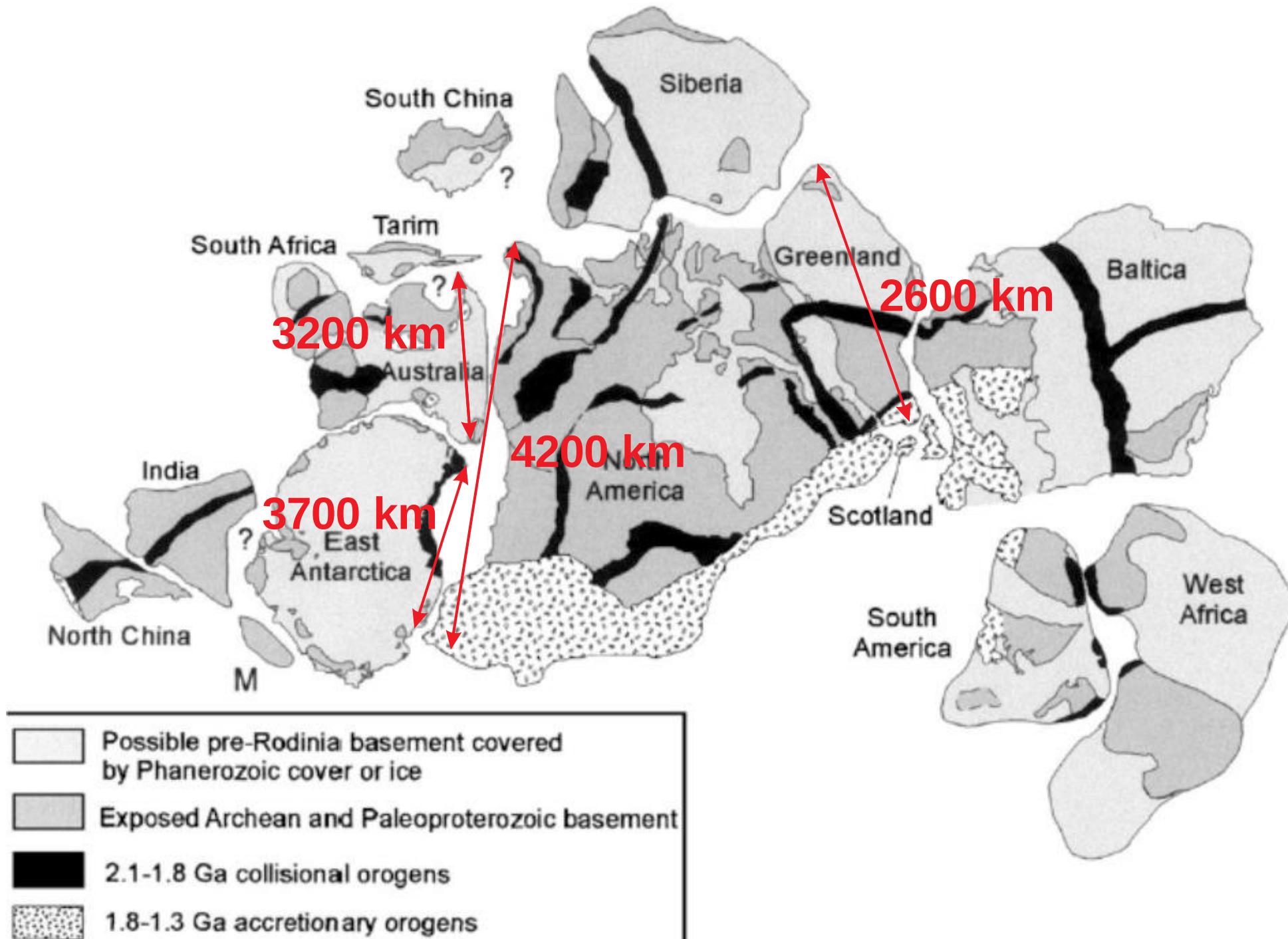


PLATES-like software



GPLATES





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Precambrian supercontinent?

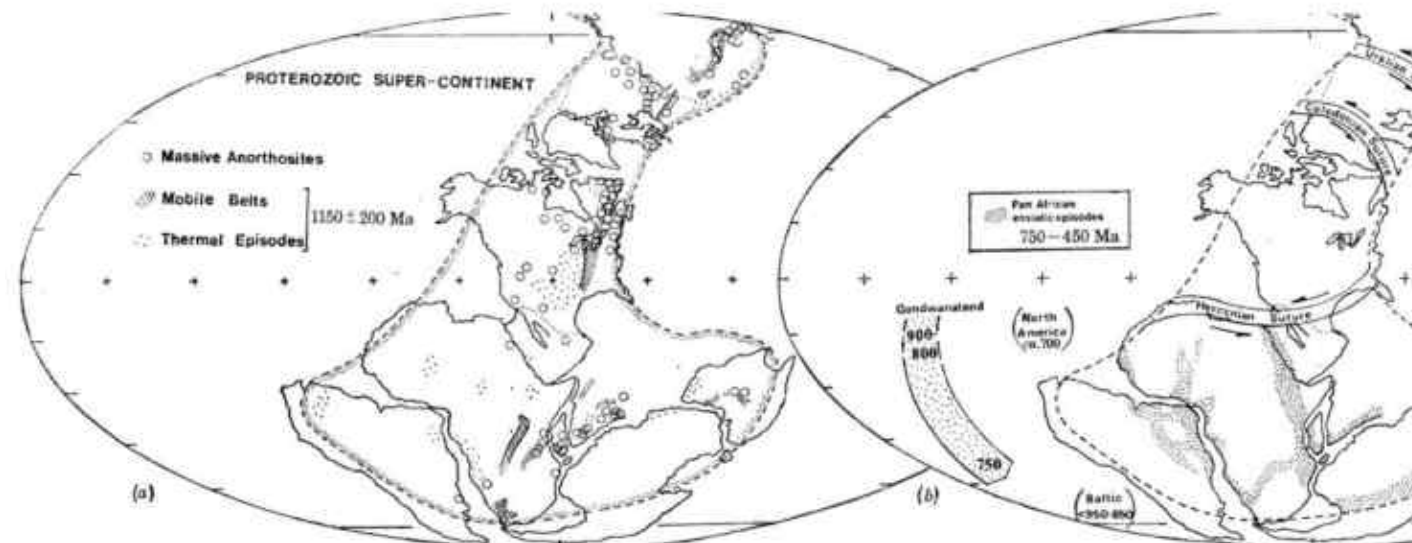
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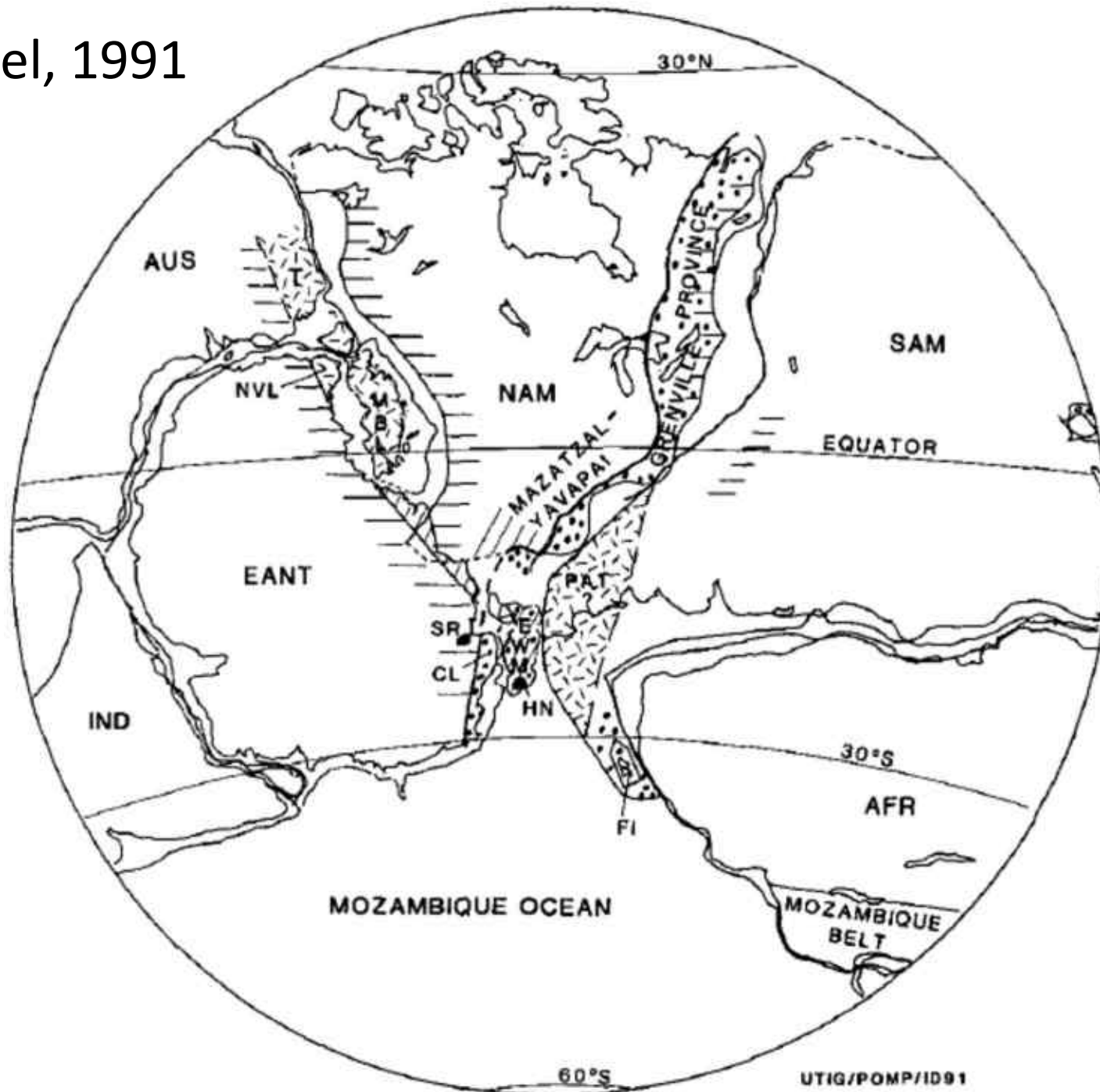
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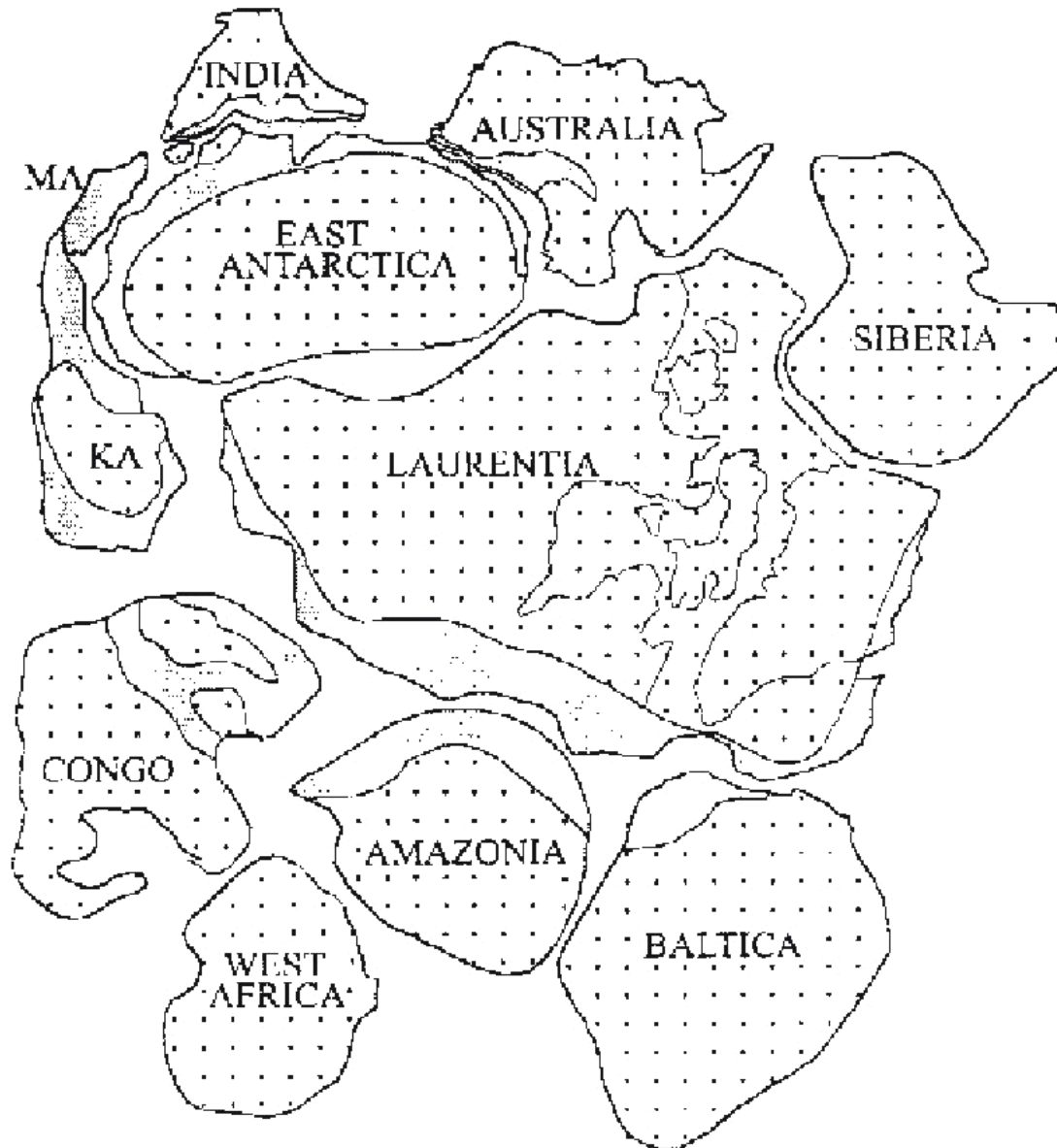




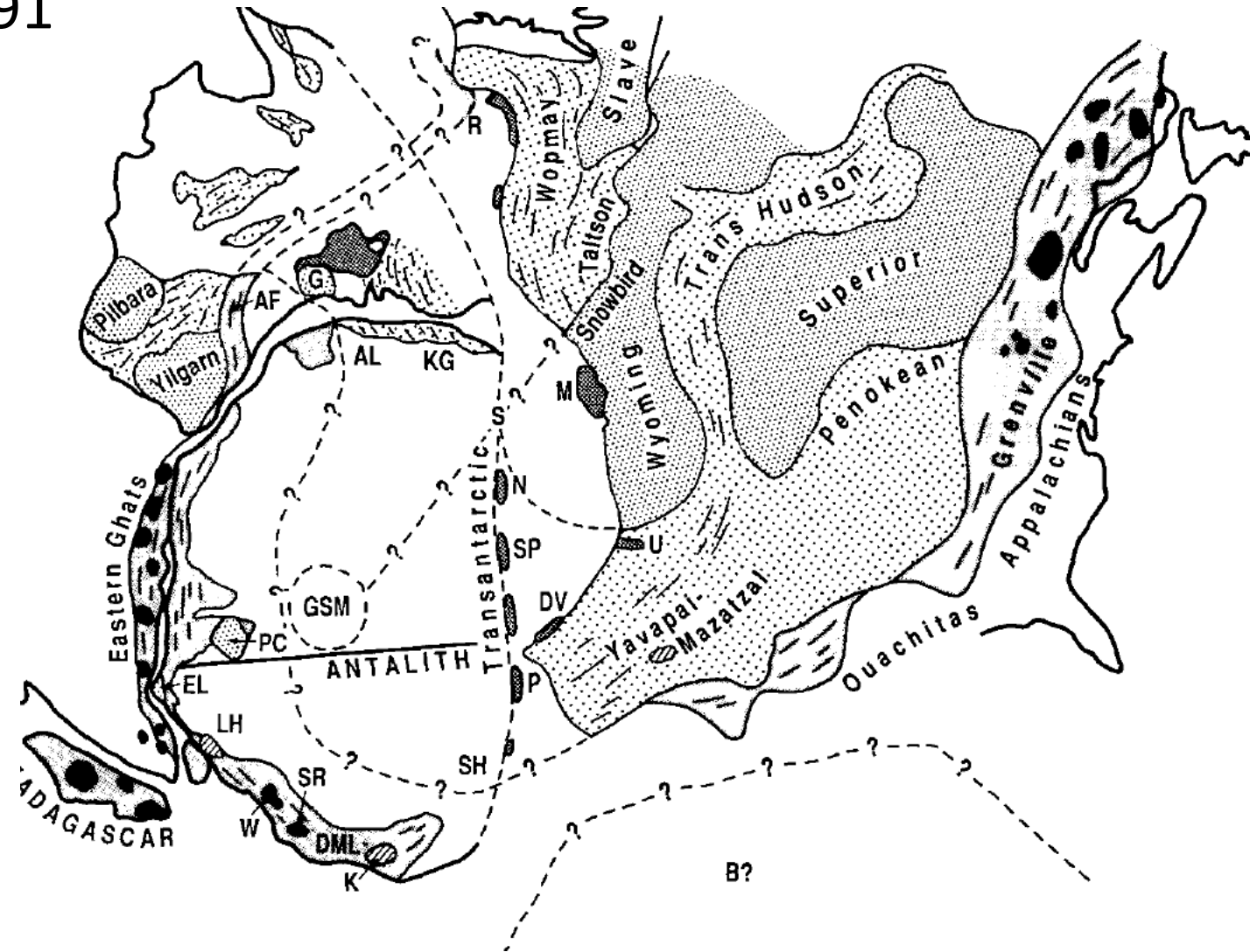
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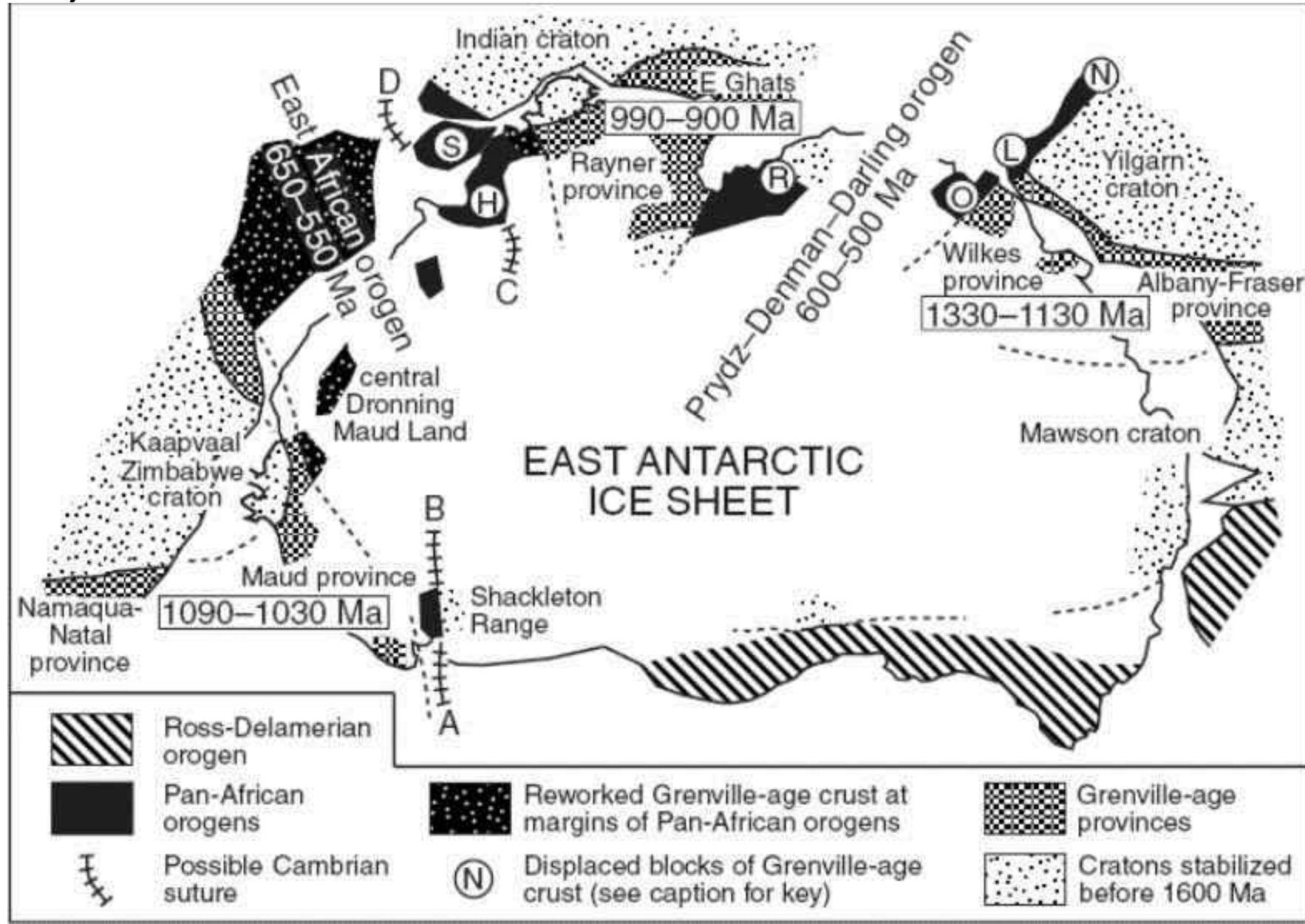
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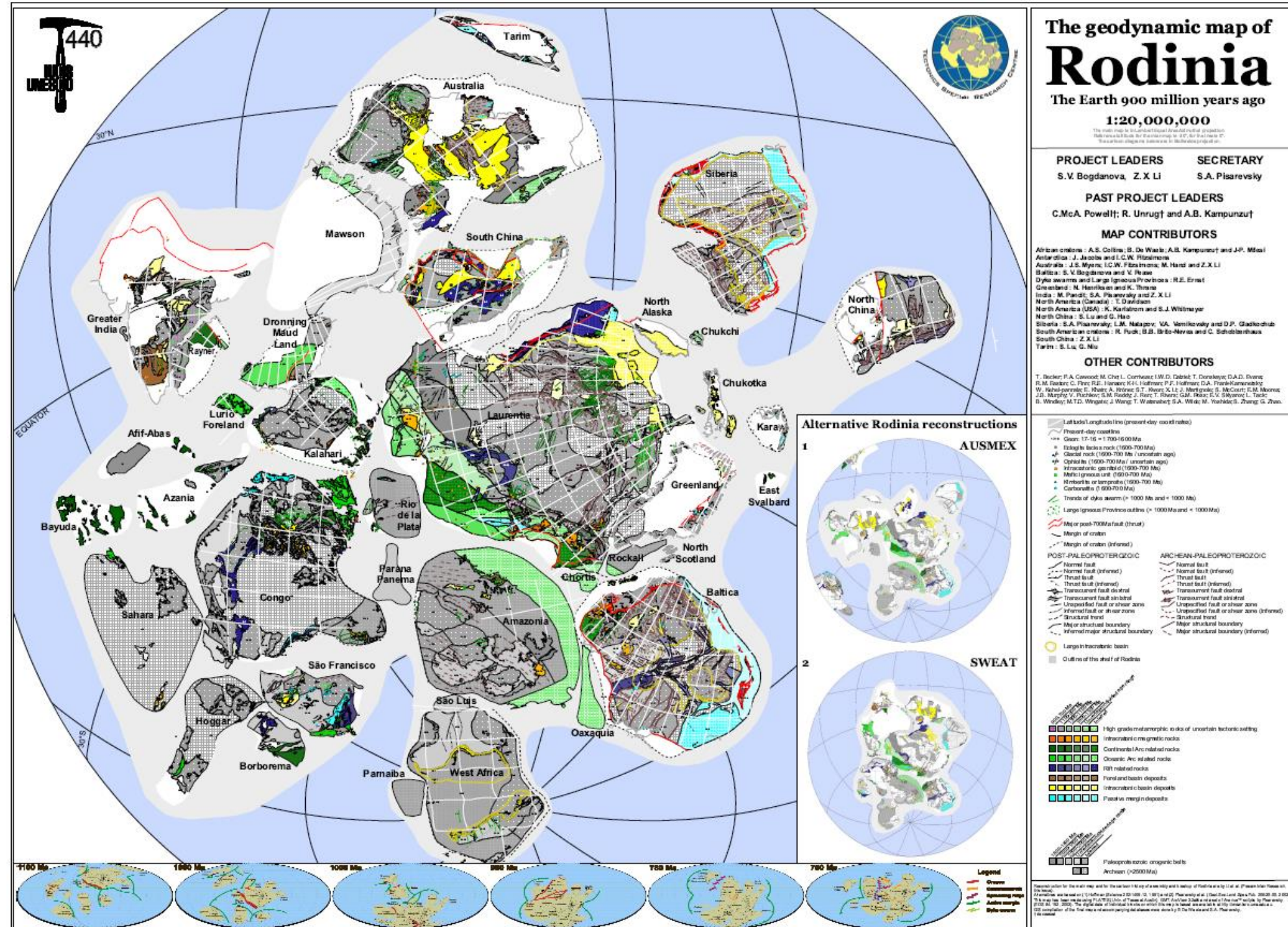
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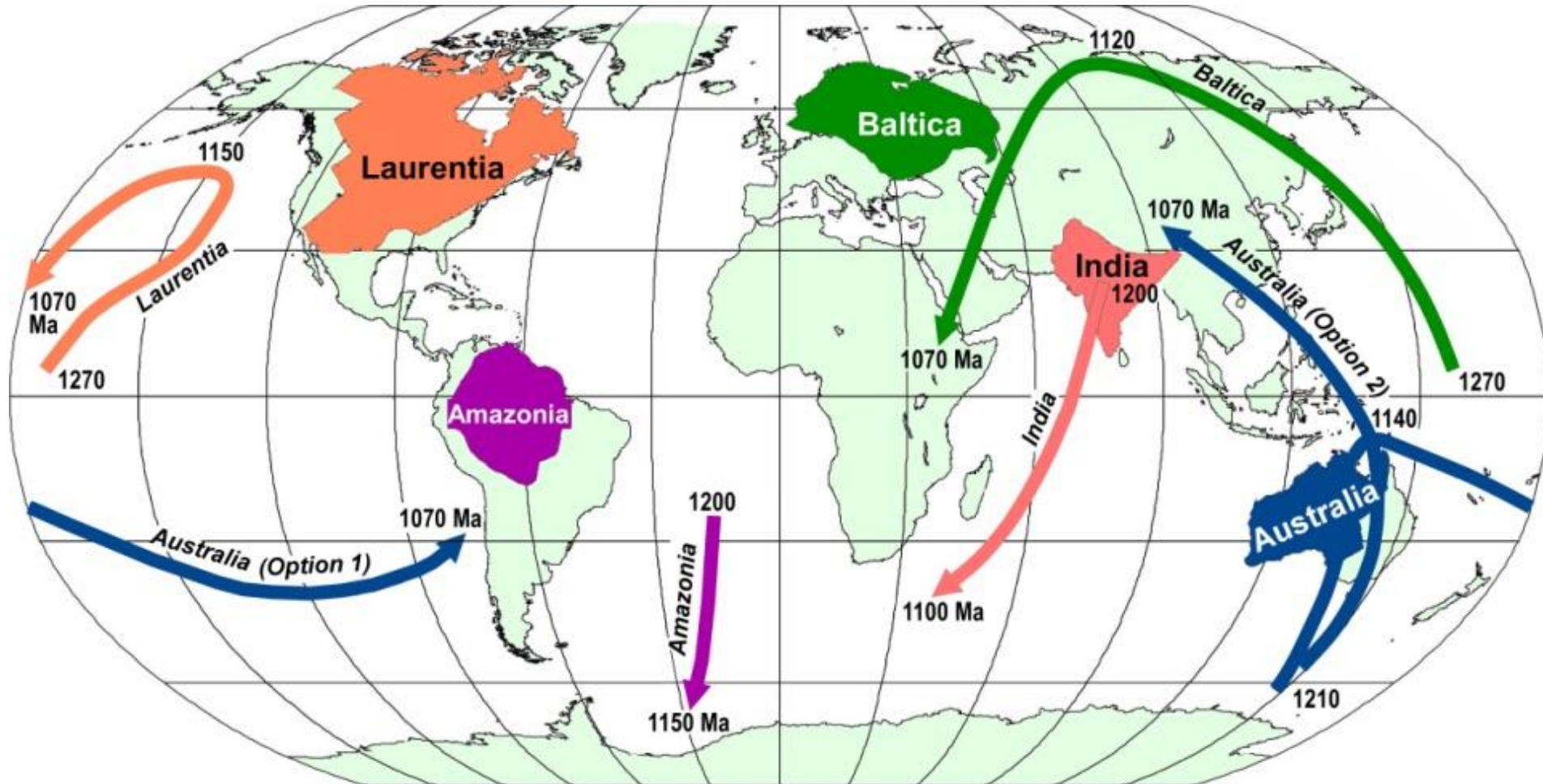
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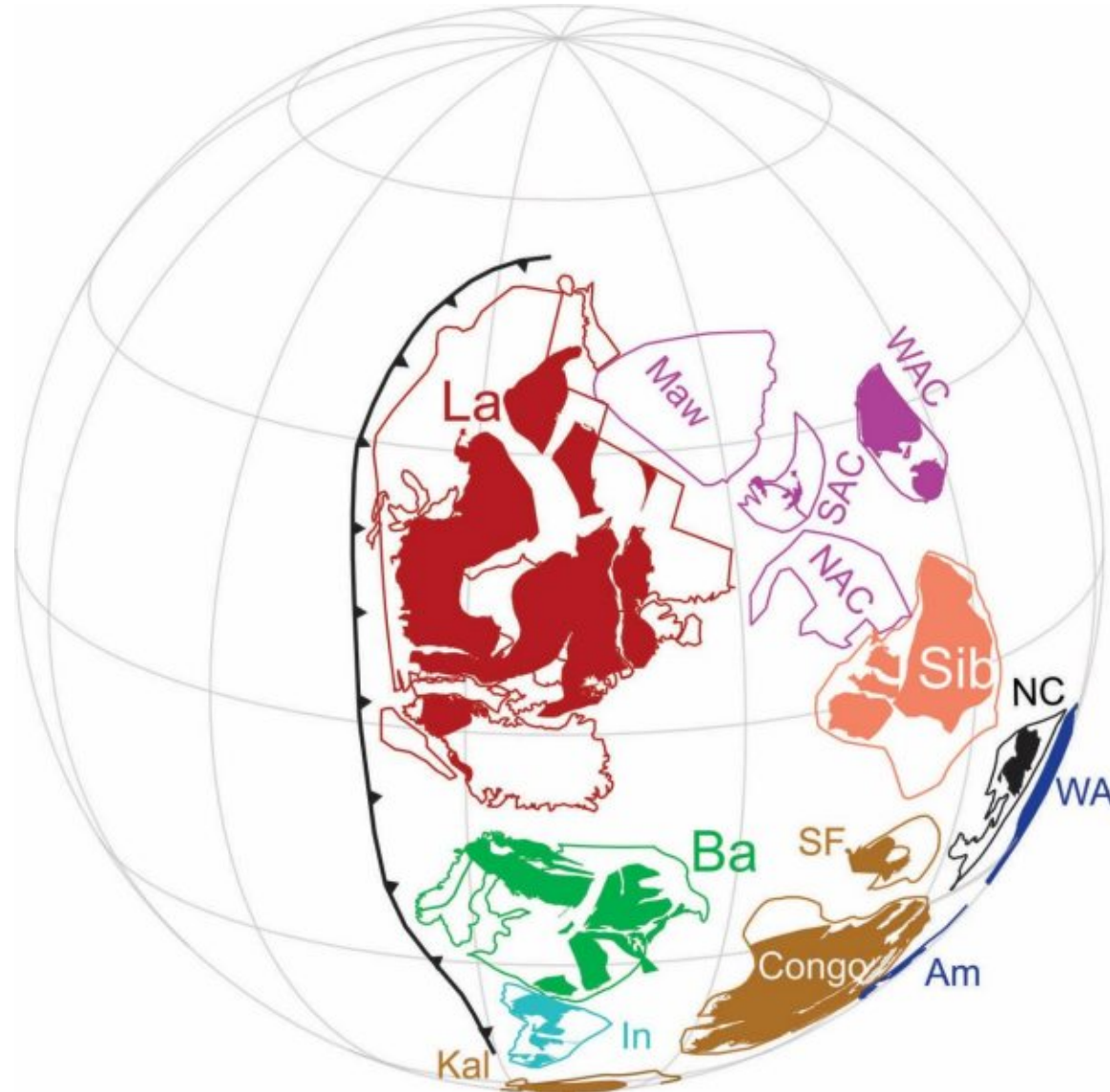
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No supercontinent between 1300 and 1000 Ma



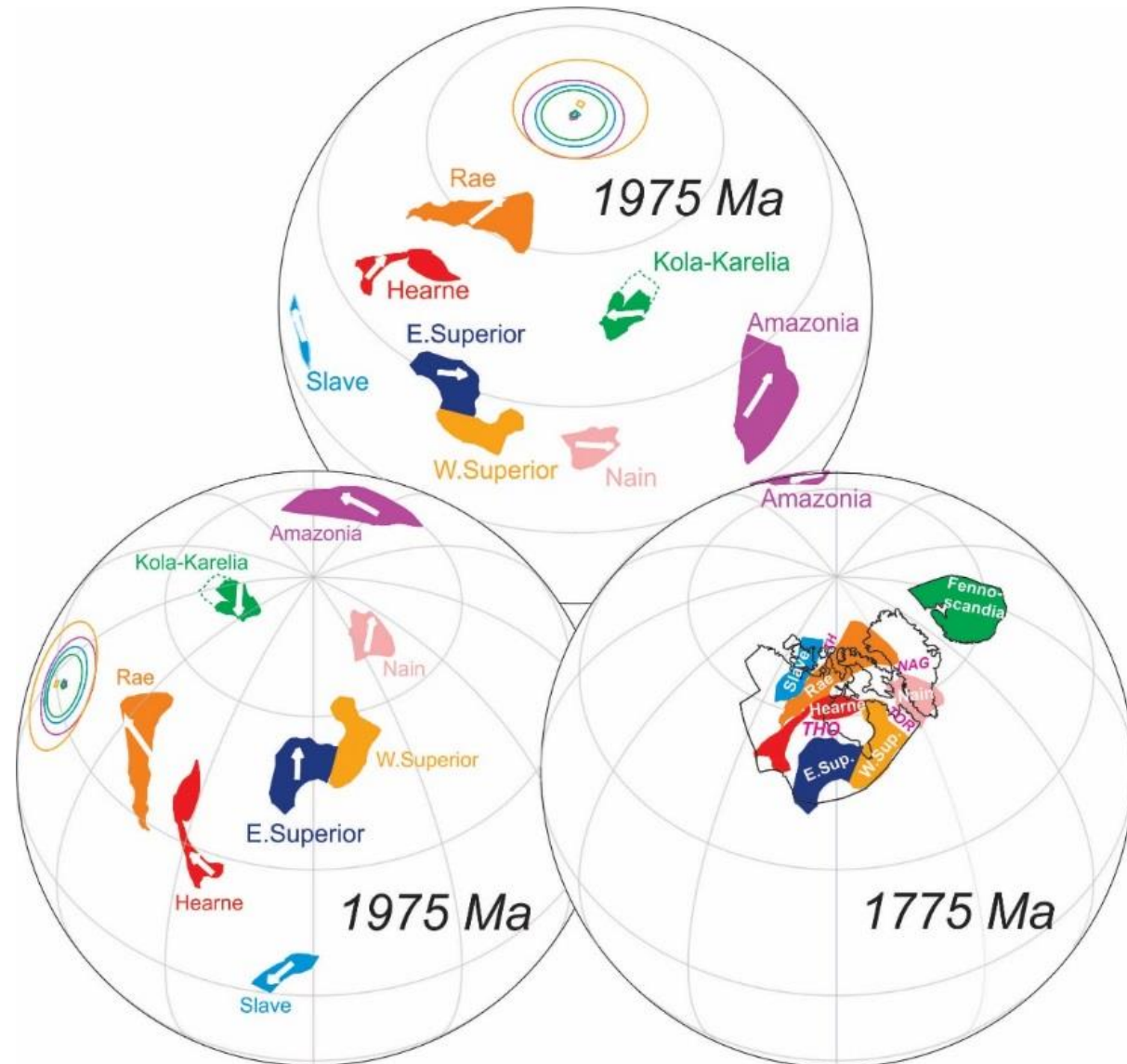
Nuna/Columbia 1600-1400 Ma



Progress in supercontinent reconstructions

- GPLATES
- Full-plate Phanerozoic continuous paleogeographic animations
- First full-plate Neoproterozoic continuous paleogeographic animation
- New animated model of Nuna
- New Paleo-, Mezo- and Neoproterozoic paleomagnetic data
- New Proterozoic LIPs
- New detrital zircons studies
- New multidisciplinary studies of key areas

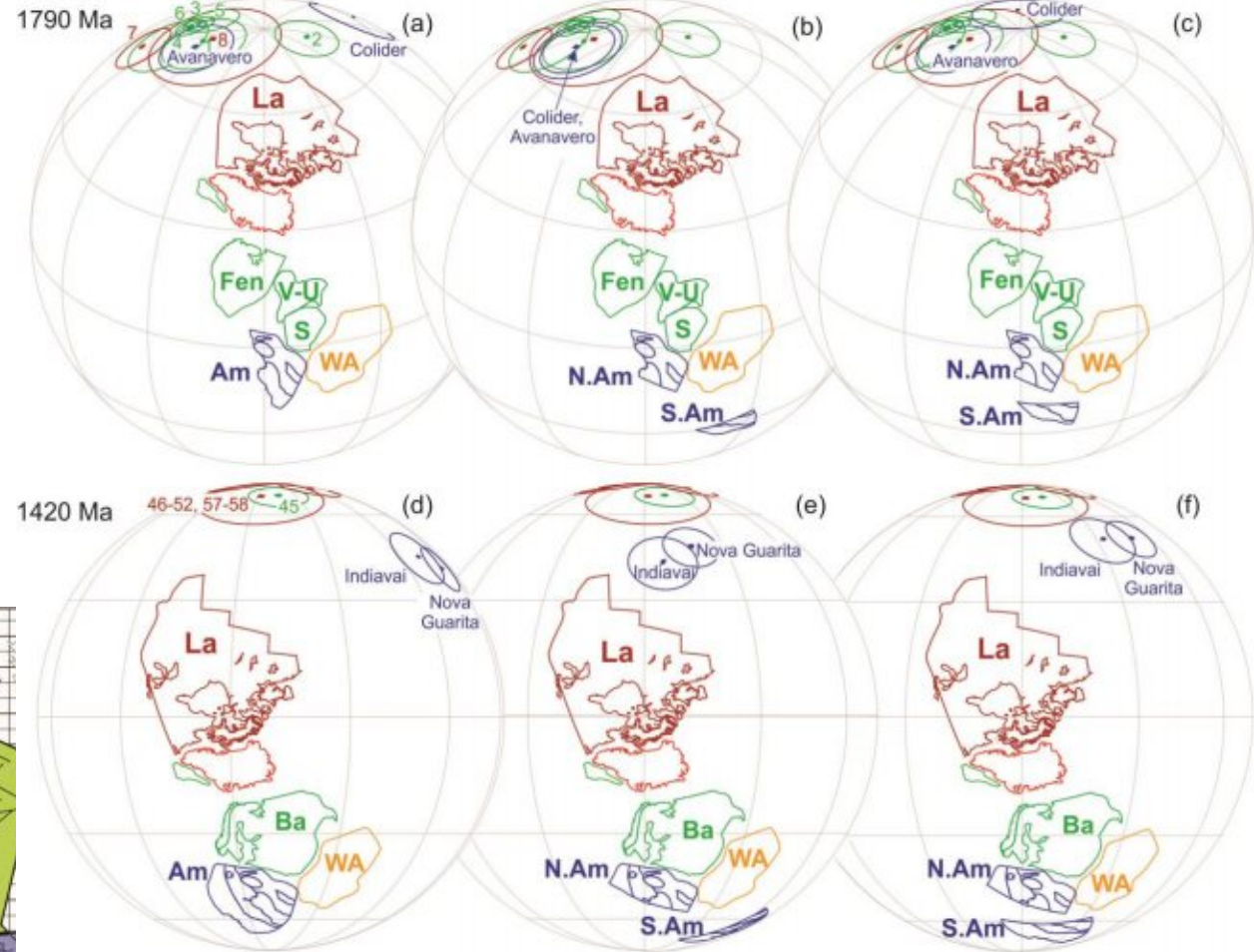
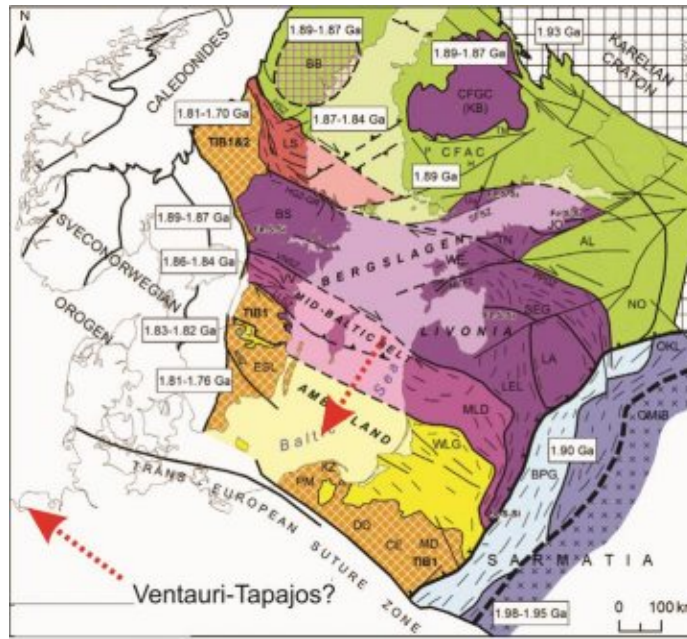
2000-1800 Ma



- New ~1975 Ma key pole from Kola-Karelia and Amazonia cratons (Lubnina and Pisarevsky, 2017; Bispo-Santos et al., 2014)
- New ~1880 Ma key poles from Kola-Karelia and Slave cratons (Klein et al., 2016; Buchan et al., 2015)
- Previously published coeval poles from Superior Craton
- **CONCLUSION:** no supercontinent between ~1975 Ma and ~1800 Ma

Amazonia- Baltica -SAMBA

Johansson, 2009



Pisarevsky et al., 2014

And there are no barcode matches in LIPs and in dyke swarms

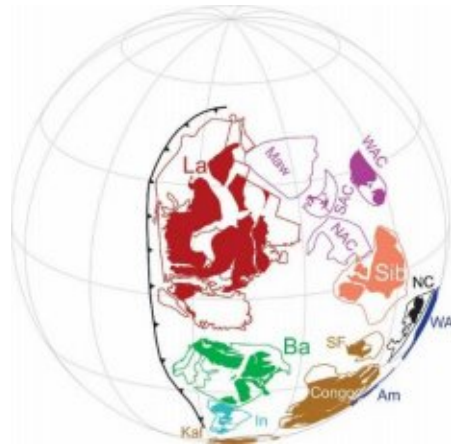
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2000-900 Ma

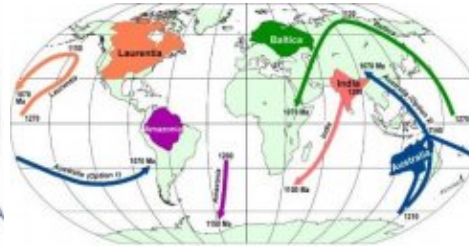
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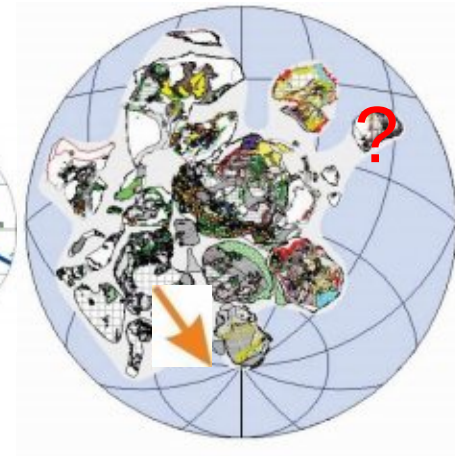
No supercontinent
2000 – 1650 Ma



Supercontinent
1600 – 1400 Ma



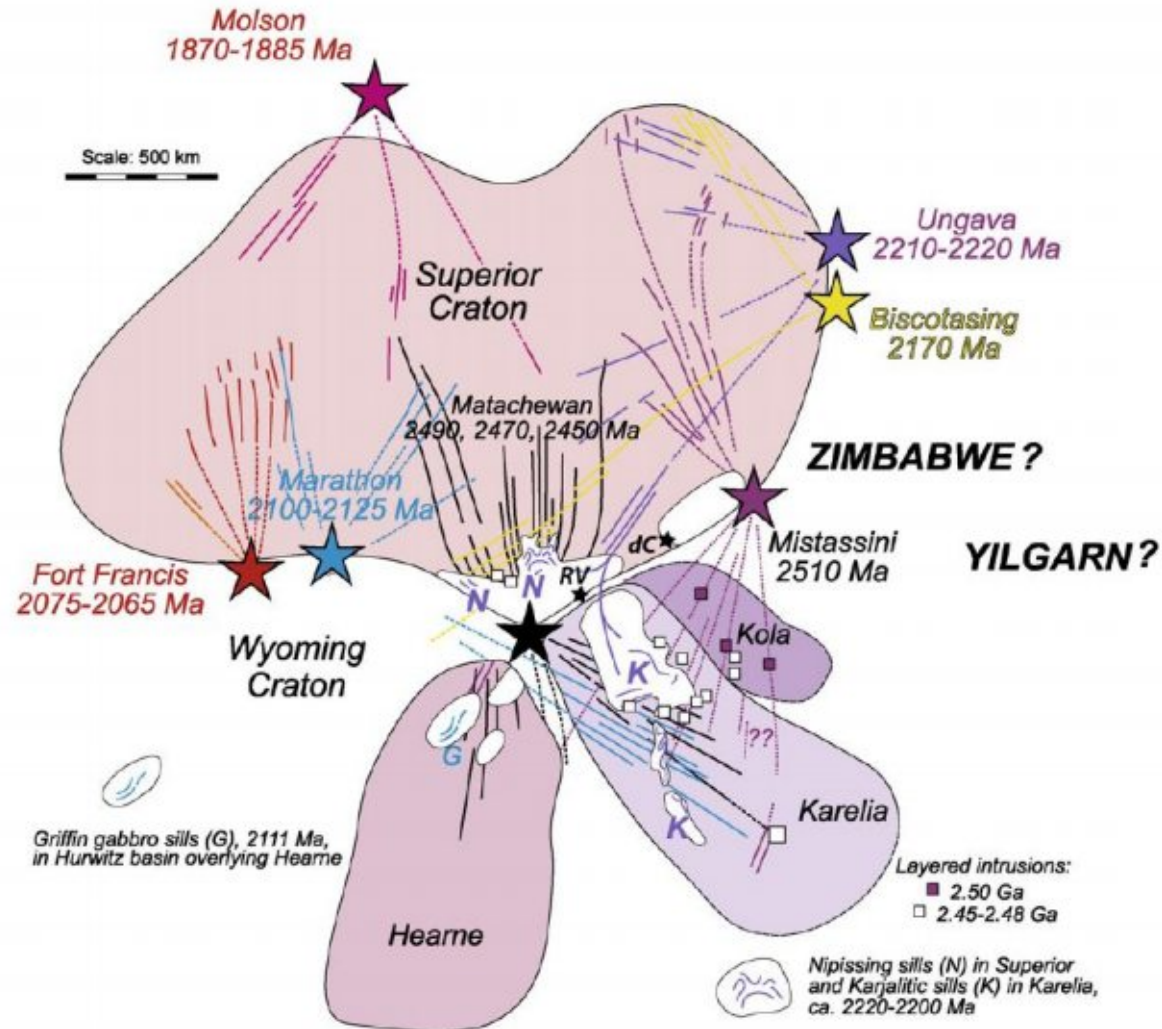
No supercontinent
1350 – 1000 Ma



Supercontinent
After 900 Ma

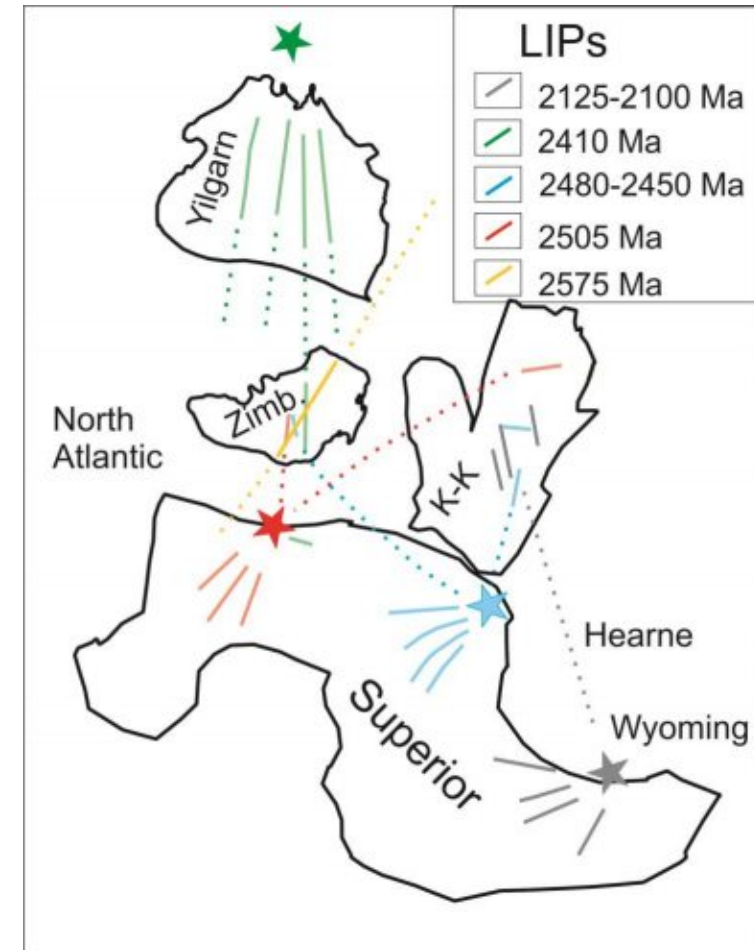


Superia: dykes geometry matching (~2400 Ma)



Superia: dykes geometry + paleomagnetism

- Introduced by Bleeker (2003)
- Reconstructions published by Söderlund et al., 2010
- More recently with new paleomagnetic data – by Pisarevsky et al., 2014



Выводы

- Все опубликованные докембрийские палеогеографические реконструкции пока еще спорны и будут претерпевать изменения по мере поступления новых данных и новых идей
- Конфигурация, время образования и распада докембрийских суперконтинентов – пока еще предмет дискуссий
- Любые палеогеографические реконструкции должны быть тестируемы - т.е. построены с использованием сферических вращений. Параметры этих вращений должны быть приведены в публикации
- Суперконтиненты не включали в себя всю континентальную кору
- Суммарное время существования суперконтинентов было относительно мало

Новое поколение палеогеографических реконструкций

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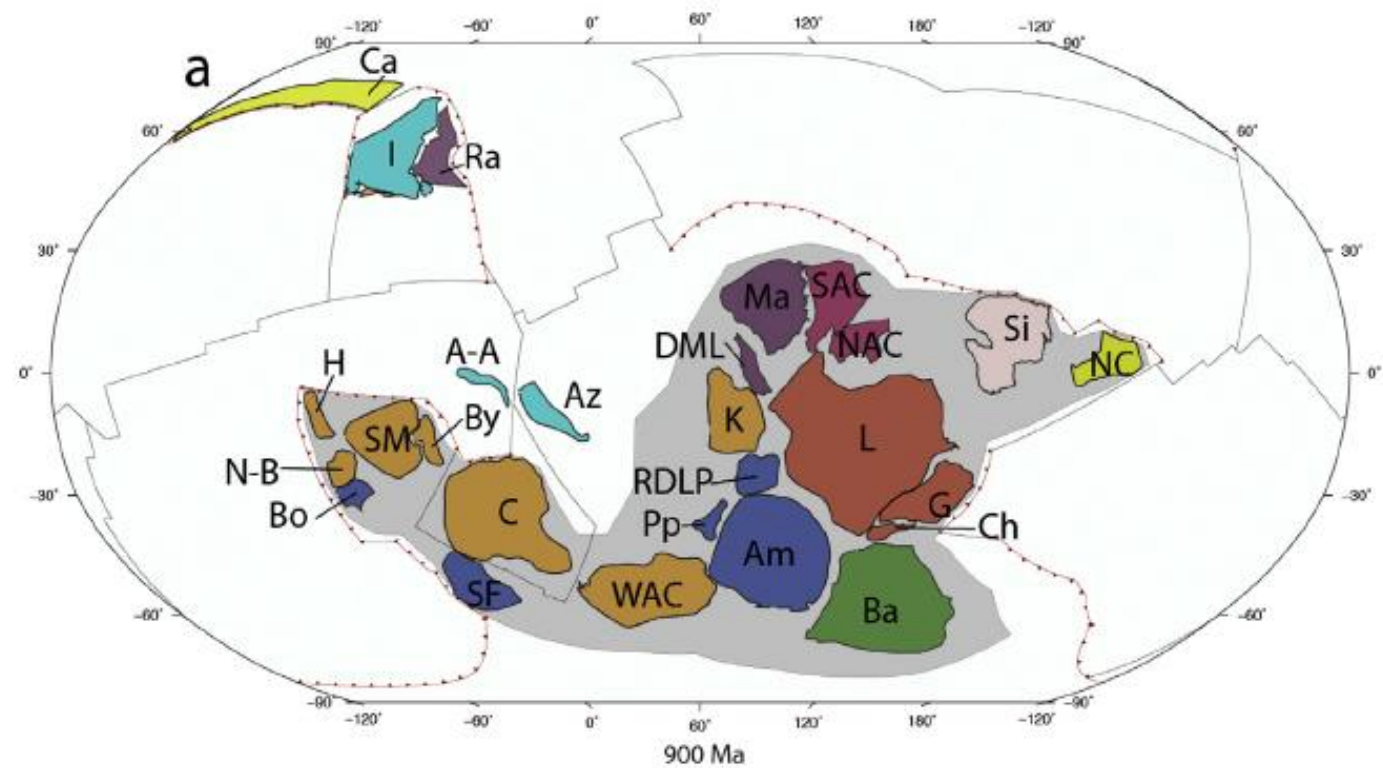
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