Quantifying Uncertainty through 3D Geological Modeling for Carbon Capture Storage in the Unayzah Formation in Saudi Arabia



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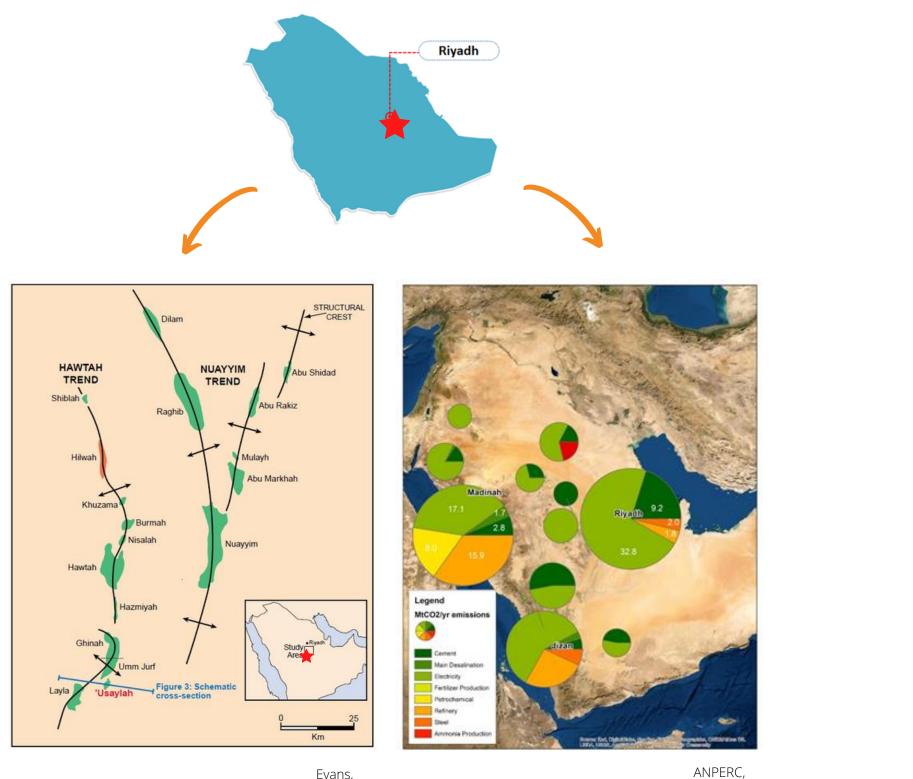
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Context & Objective



Evans, 1997



3D High-resolution Model of the Unayzah Formation as a Carbon Storage Reservoir

Reservoir architecture and heterogeneity Reservoir properties Key uncertainties and risks involved



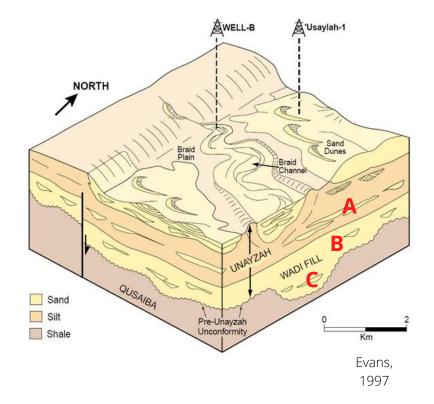
Accurate site selection Proper characterization

Safe, efficient, and reliable storage



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Geological Model

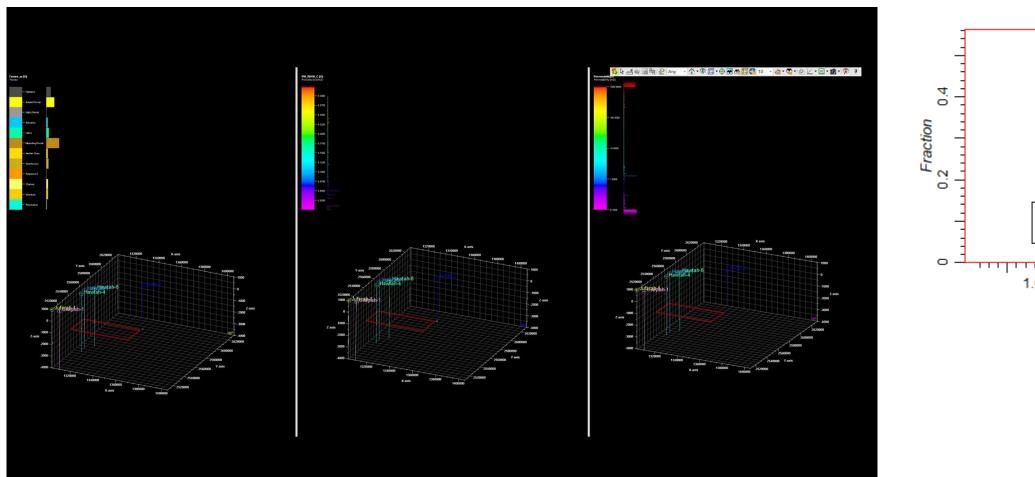


Reservoir = Unayzah Formation

- A Member
- B Member
- C Member

Parameters:

- Channels and facies elements orientation

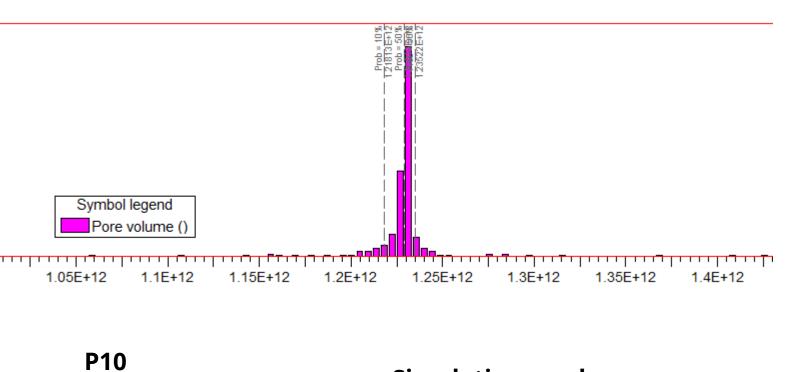


Uncertainty Analysis

P50 Models

P90

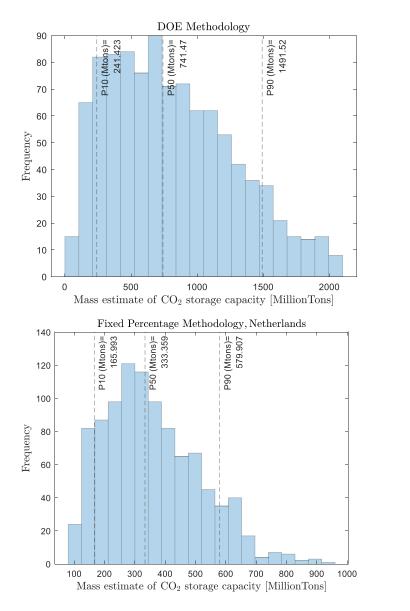
- Facies proportion in trend maps
- Porosity and permeability



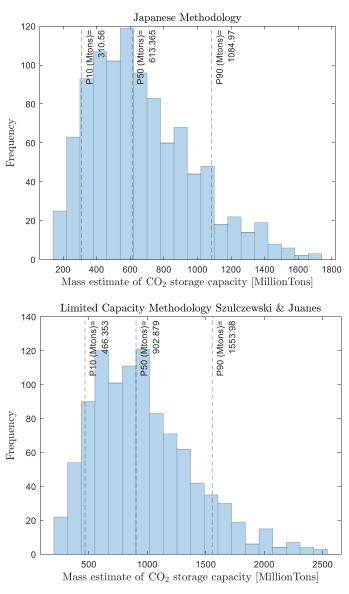
Simulations and Uncertainty Quantification

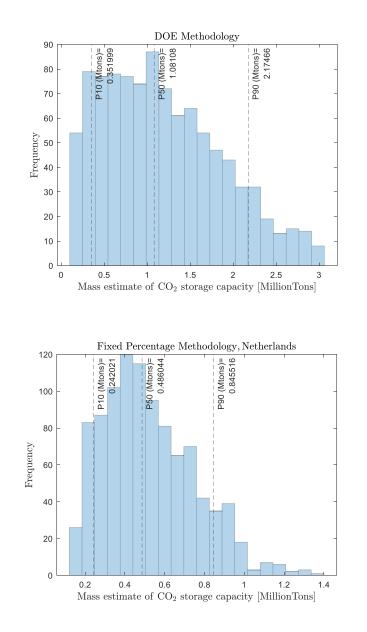


Dynamic Model: Quick CO2 Storage Estimation



3D Model

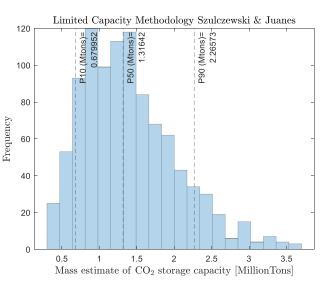




Parameters: Bulk volume, porosity, permeability, net thickness, efficienty factor.

2D Model

Japanese Methodology 120 100 100 0.5 1.5 1.5 2.5Mass estimate of CO₂ storage capacity [MillionTons]



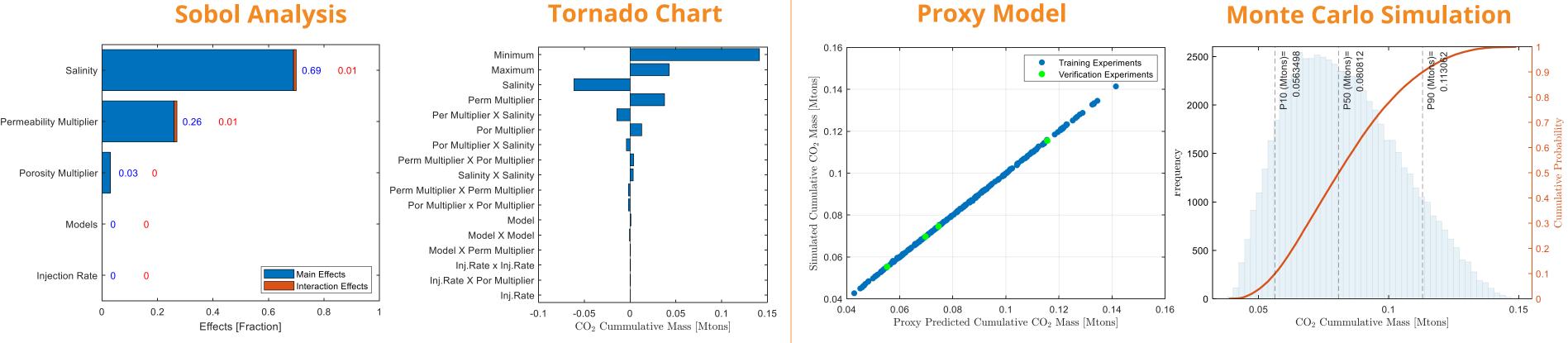


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Dynamic Model: Uncertainty Assessment











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