

On using satellite altimetry and gravimetric data in mapping the Moho constituents for Fennoscandia

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Moho constituents (i.e., Moho depth, MD, and Moho density contrast, MDC) determination

- 1. Combination of five global MD models by a weighted least-squares procedure (MOUU22 MD),
- 2. Combination of three global MDC models by a weighted least-squares procedure (MOUU22 MDC).



Numerical results

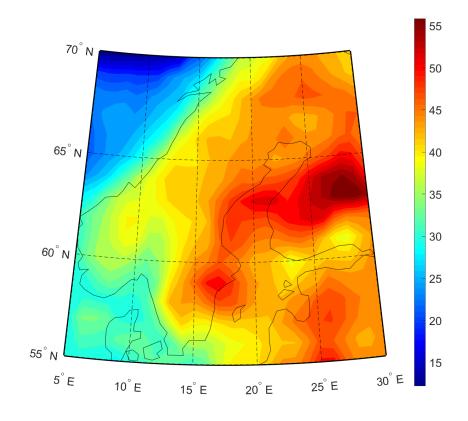


Figure 1a. The MOUU22 MD. (Unit: km)

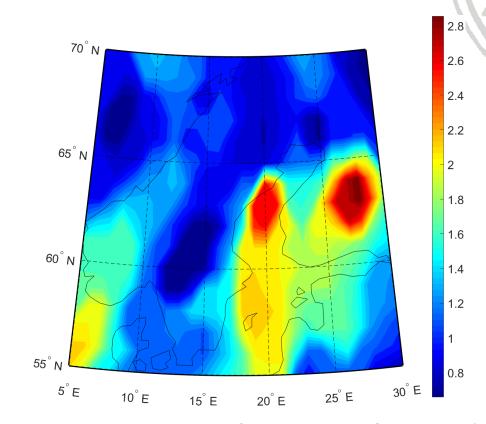


Figure 1b. The standard errors of the estimated MOUU22 MD. (Unit: km)



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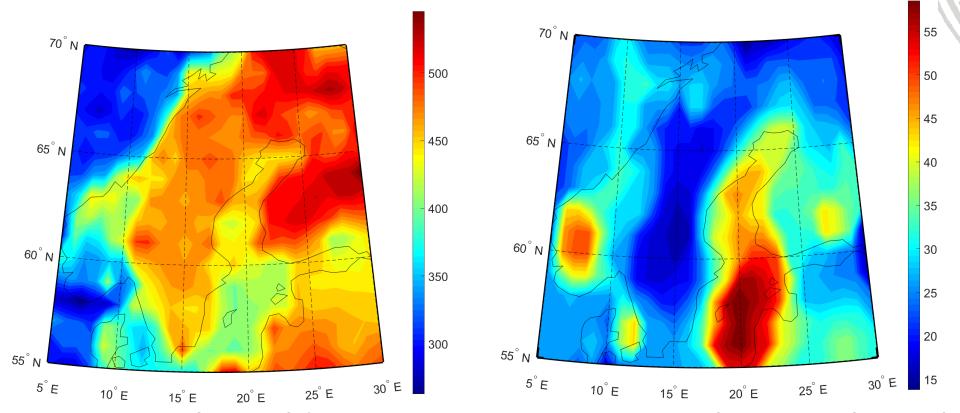
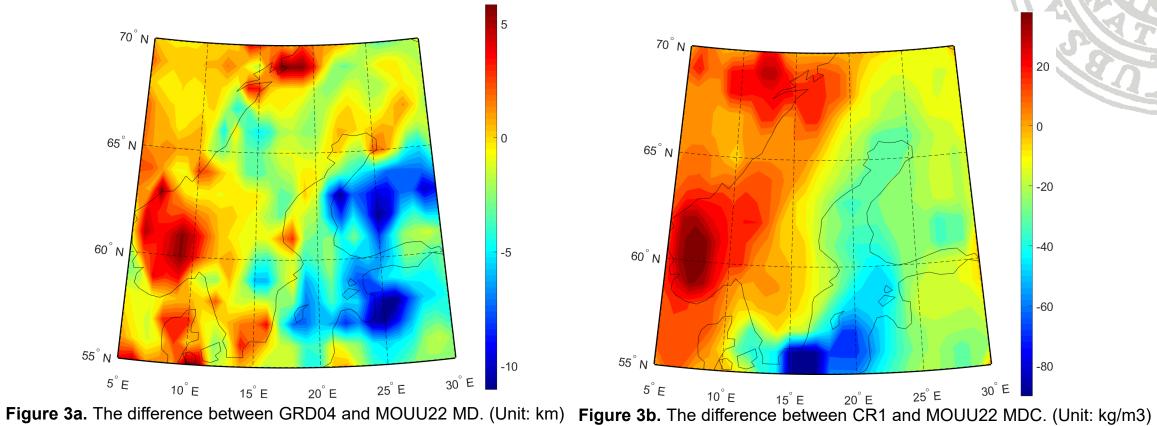


Figure 2a. The MOUU22 MDC. (Unit: kg/m3)

Figure 2b. The standard errors of the estimated MOUU22 MDC. (Unit: kg/m3)

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Comparison with other Moho models (i.e. CRUST1.0 and GRAD09)



RMS difference: 3.08 km

RMS difference: 23.30 kg/m3

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Conclusion

Model MOUU22 combines MD estimates from five global models and MDC from three models at a resolution of 1°×1°. The combination is performed pixel by pixel by highlighting good and toning down bad data in a least-squares sense. By including correlations among the data in the weighting procedure, no information is repeatedly used.

The MD and MDC in southern Finland is among the largest in the world.

