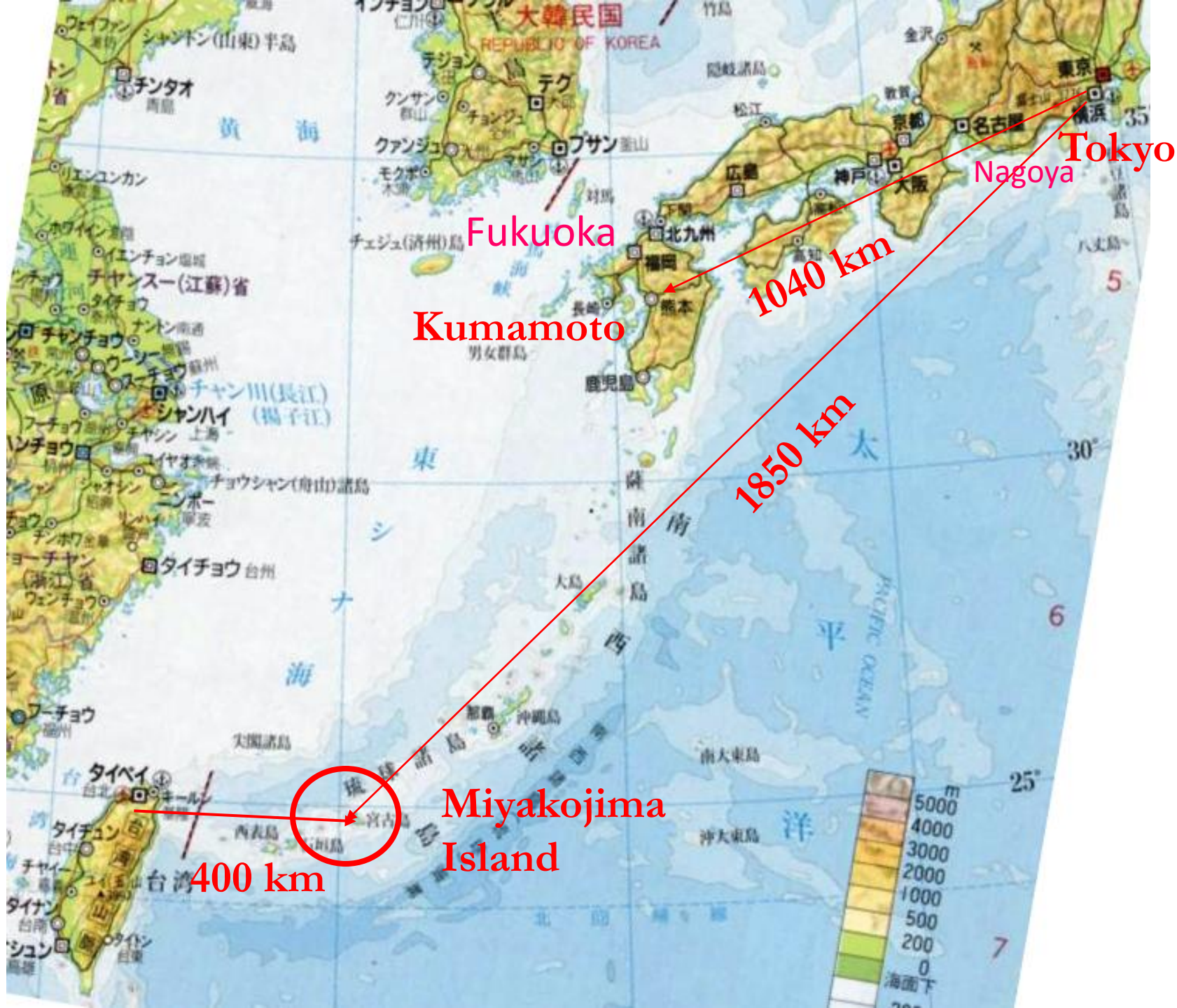




Groundwater management in the Kumamoto area

Suizenji Park, Spring water





Orono-shima

Yamaguchi

Heigun-jima

Fukuoka

Madara-shima

Taka-shima

Ikitsuki-shima

Hirado-shima

Kuro-shima

Matsu-shima

Nagasaki

Saga

Oita

Kumamoto

Okino-shima

Kami-koshiki-shima

Shimo-koshiki-shima

Miyazaki

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elev. 1331 ft

Streaming

100%

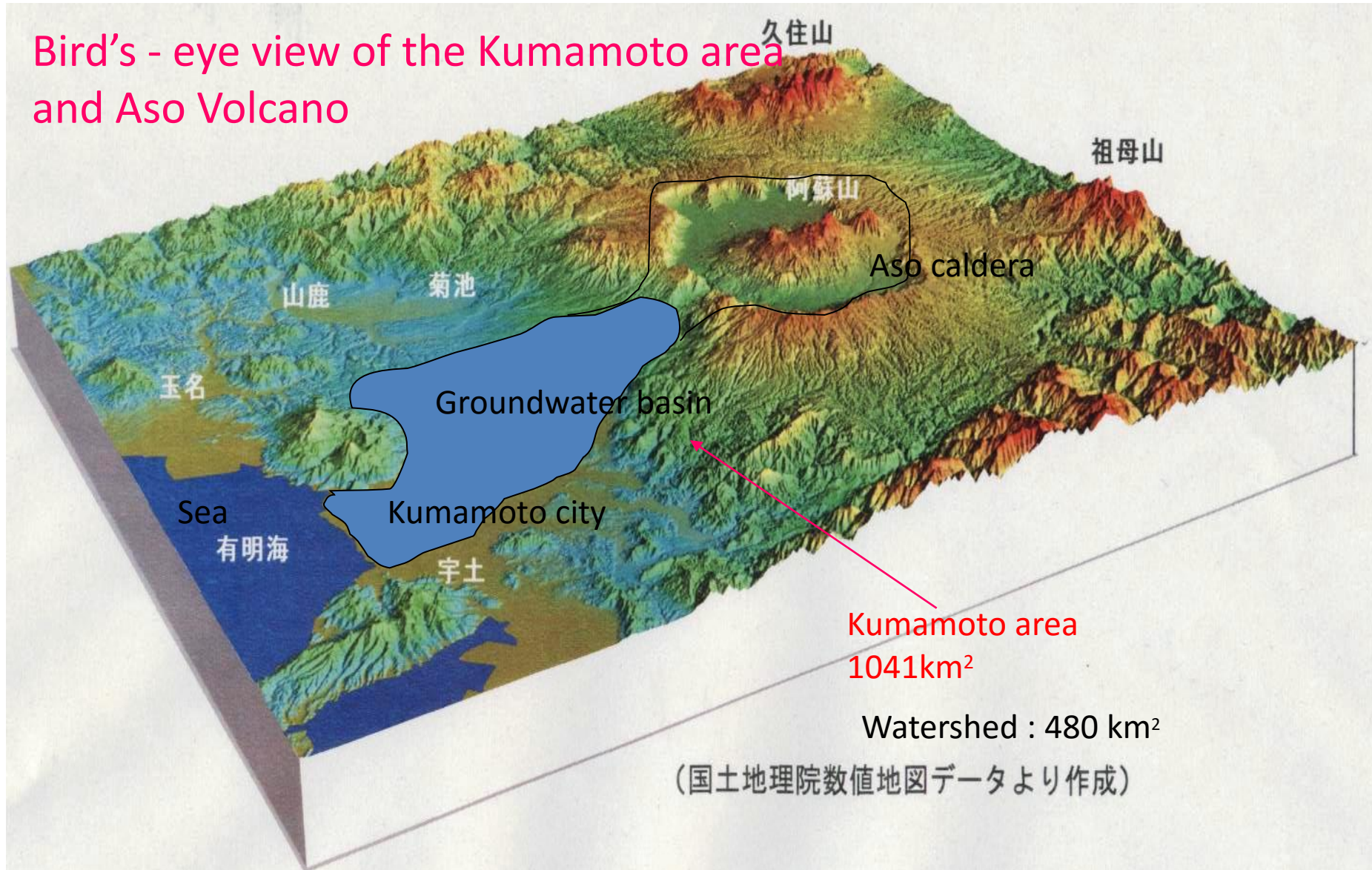
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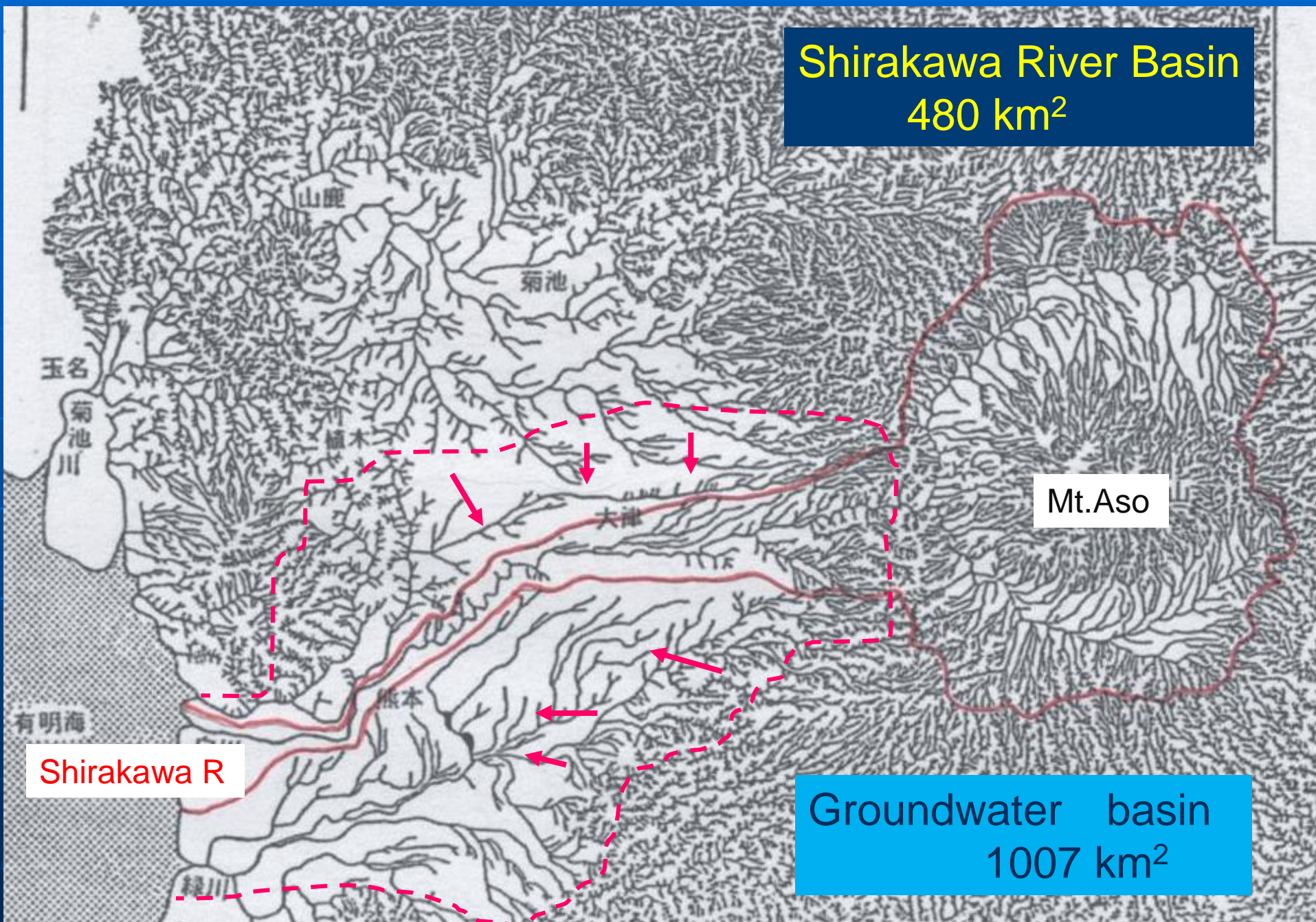


Bird's-eye view of Kumamoto Groundwater basin
(Kumamoto Municipal Water Bureau)

Bird's - eye view of the Kumamoto area
and Aso Volcano



Shirakawa River Basin 480 km²

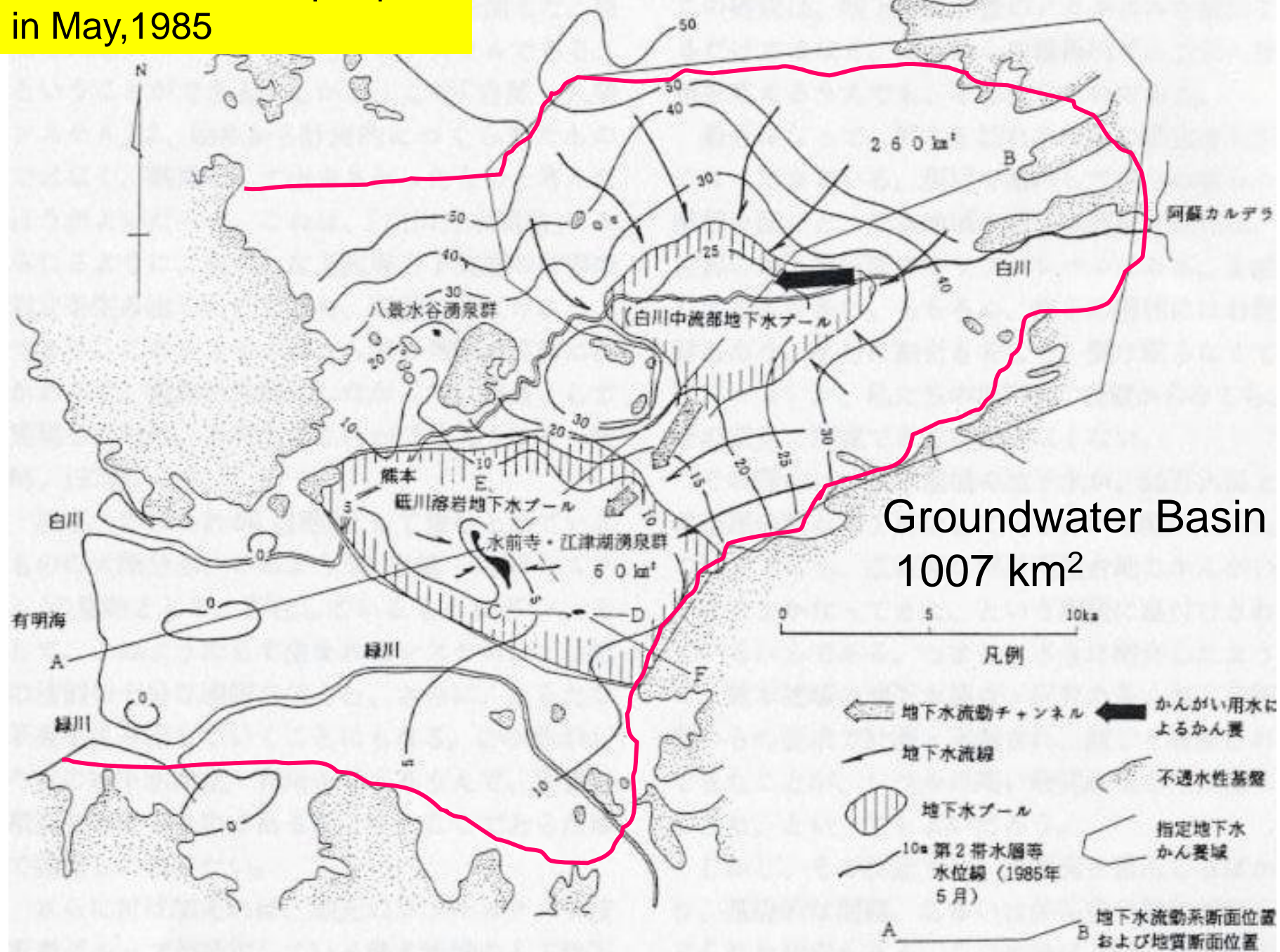


Mt. Aso

Shirakawa R

Groundwater basin
1007 km²

Water level of deep aquifer in May, 1985



Groundwater management in the Kumamoto area

Southwest Japan

- Groundwater basin (1007 km²) covers 13 administrative divisions.
- They concluded the basic agreement to preserve groundwater in the area. This is an epoch-making event.
- From Mt. Aso to Ariake Bay, water cycle & balance are clearly evaluated by simulation model study and well monitored in terms of water level, spring discharge and water quality.
- Groundwater abstraction : 186.2 million m³/year (510,000 m³/day, 2006)
- 976,000 people, for urban, agriculture and industrial activity
- Domestic water (320,000 m³/day) is dependent on groundwater by 100%. Clean water, just chlorine added.
- Alternative water source (surface water) unavailable
- After the target for preservation of groundwater is shown to the public, the program has progressed up to the present.

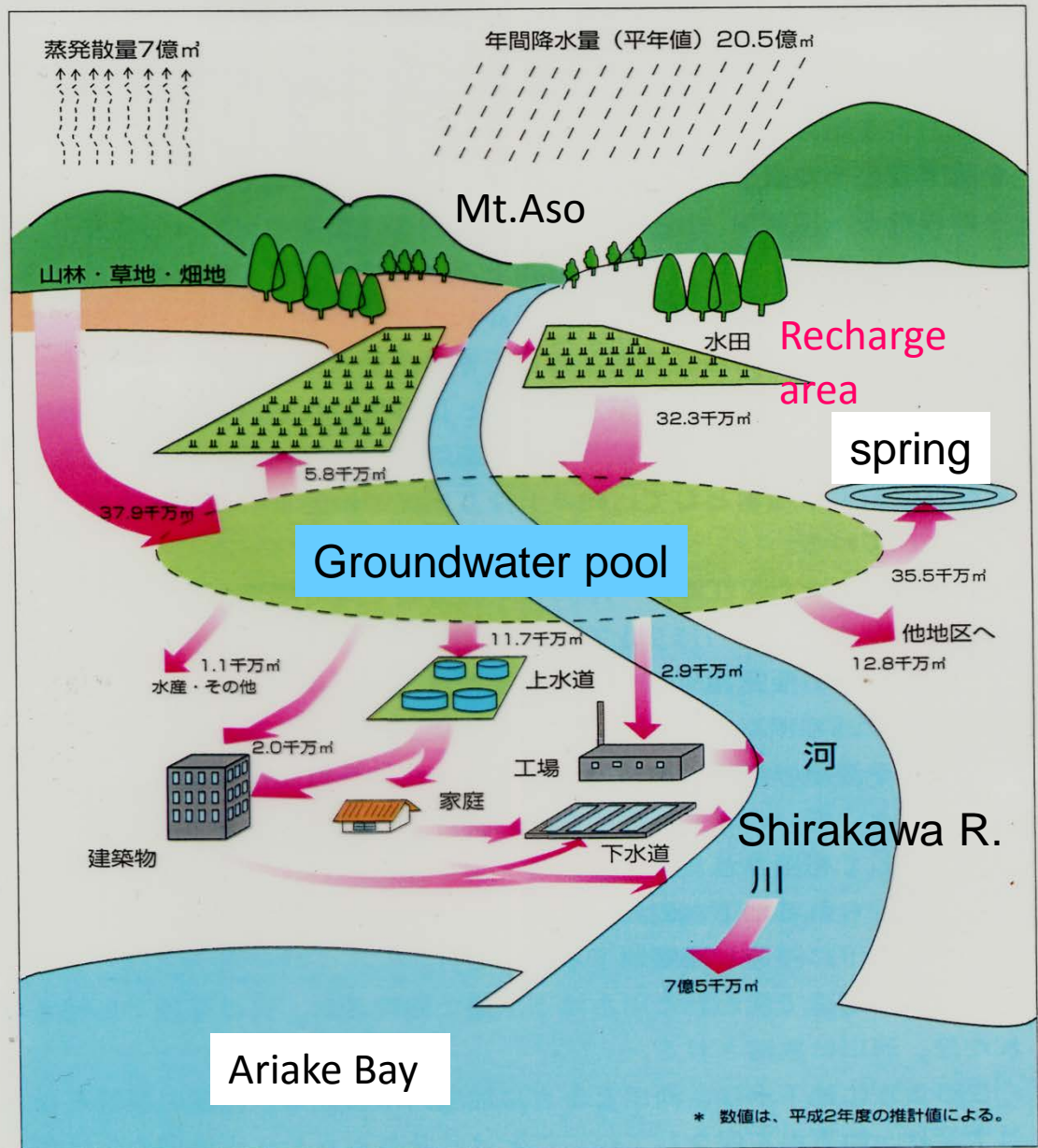
Procedure for groundwater basin management

- ① Research stage : to set up objectives, such as understanding of the status of groundwater problems and determination of permissible yield (critical water level)
- ② Observation stage ; to monitor whether the permissible level has been accomplished or not
- ③ Management stage ; to practice the original function of groundwater basin management , including the intensive promotion so as to save groundwater use

In three stages, such facilities as observation wells, data base, simulation system are required.

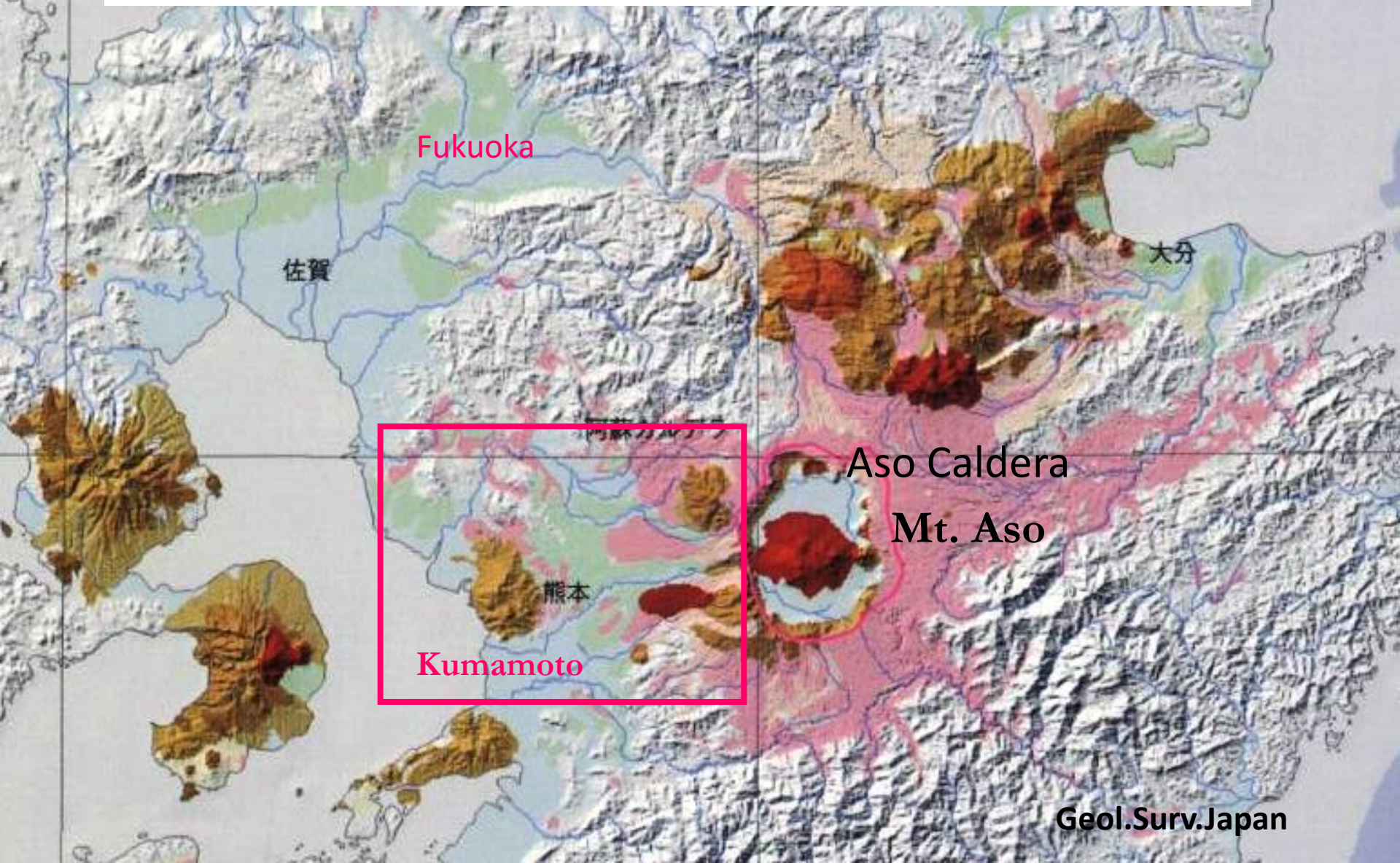
In the early part of the research stage, the plan is constructed, including cost estimate.

図-1 熊本地域の水循環と地下水



- Whole view of hydrologic cycle of the Kumamoto area
- Groundwater basin management in Kumamoto area
- From Mt. Aso to Ariake Bay
- Water cycle & balance are clearly evaluated by simulation model
- Preservation target is shown

Volcanic rocks in Northern Kyushu (Pliocene ~ Recent)



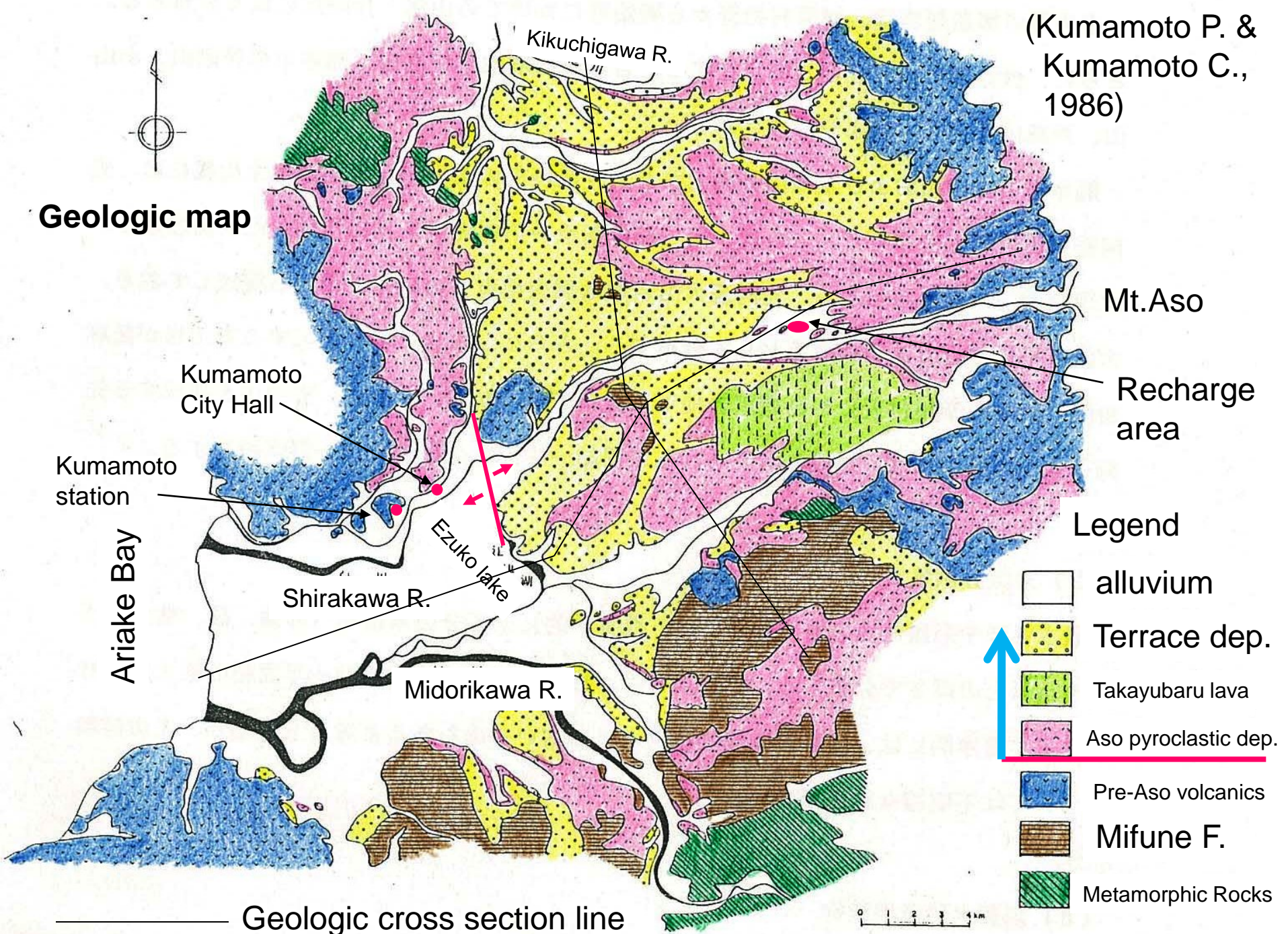
Geologic Succession of Aso Area

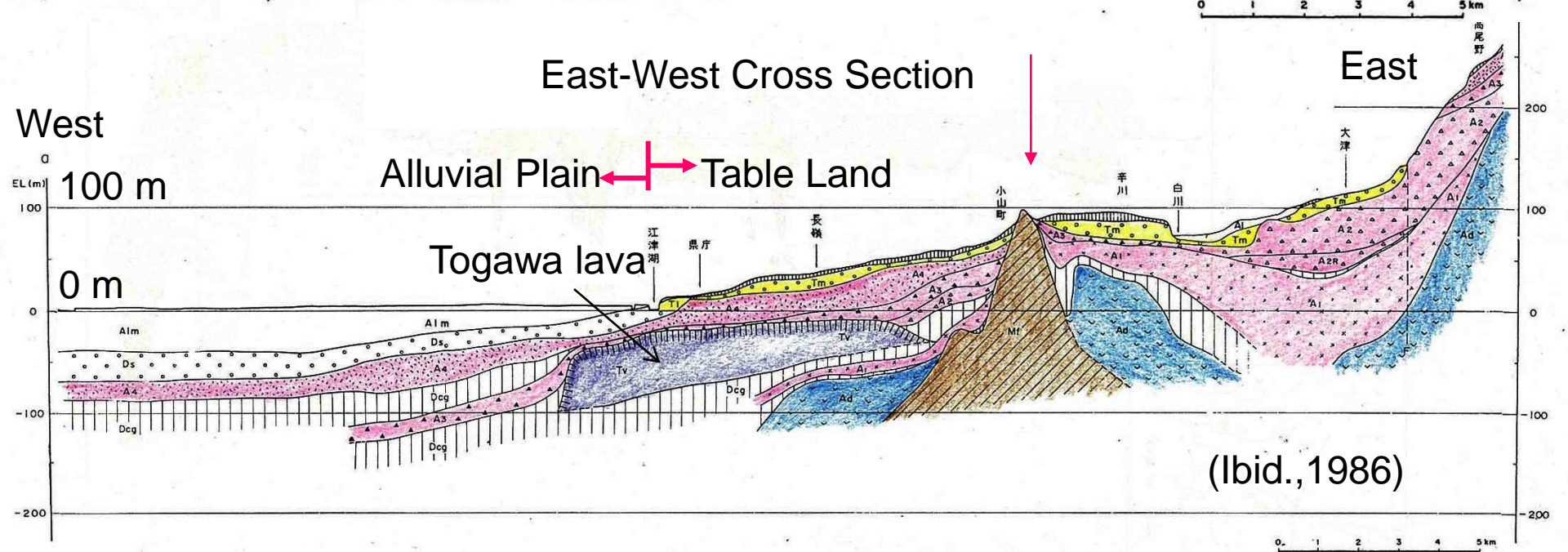
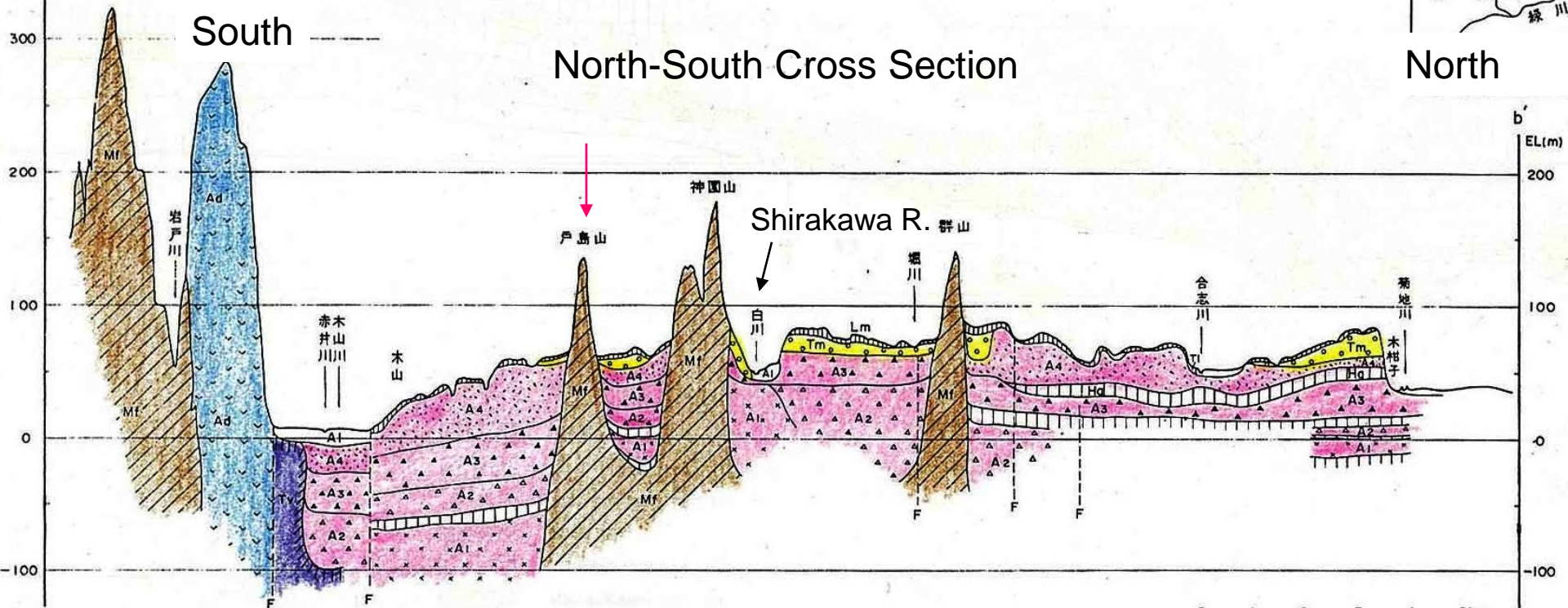
(Hase et al.,1998;Furukawa et al.2000)

Geologic age		Geologic Name	Radio Active (YBP) (* 1 0 0 0)	Thickness (m)
Holocene		Ariake clay Bed	ca. 9	24- 32
Pleistocene	Upper	Shimabarakaiwan Bed	18	6+
		Hodakubo/ Takuma Gravel Bed	—	15- 20
		Aso 4 WT	80- 90	6- 20
		Miyuki Bed	—	20- 30
		Aso 3 WT	120- 130	8- 20
	Middle	Togawa lava flow	ca. 150	60
		Aso 2 WT	—	—
		Aso2/ 1 inter Bed	—	35- 135
		Aso 1 WT	250- 280	10
		Suizenji Bed	ca. 300+	35+
Lower Pleist. ~P liocene		Pre- Aso Volcanic Rocks	—	—
Upper Cretaceous		Mifune Group	>65,000	—
Pre- Cretaceous		Metamorphic rocks	—	—

(Kumamoto P. & Kumamoto C., 1986)

Geologic map





Boring core of Togawa lava flow, Good aquifer
ca.25m – ca.98m (ca. 70m thick)



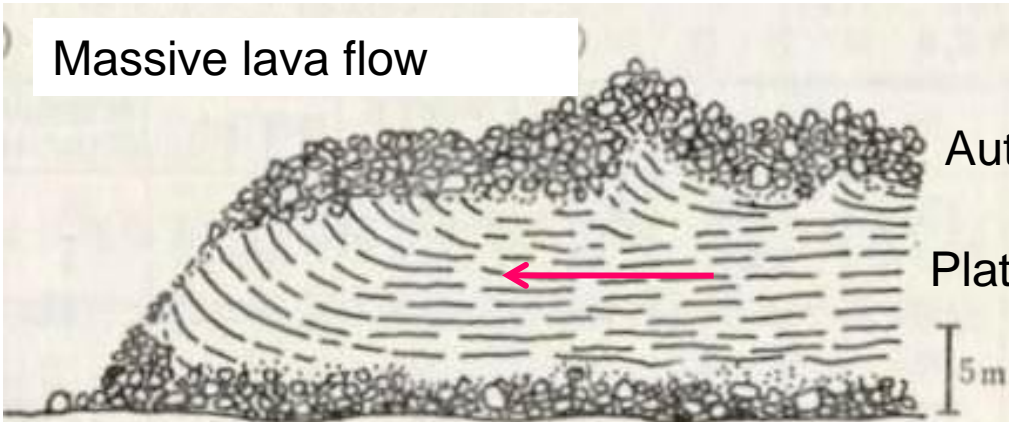
Massive lava flow

(Hakenomiya Water Museum)

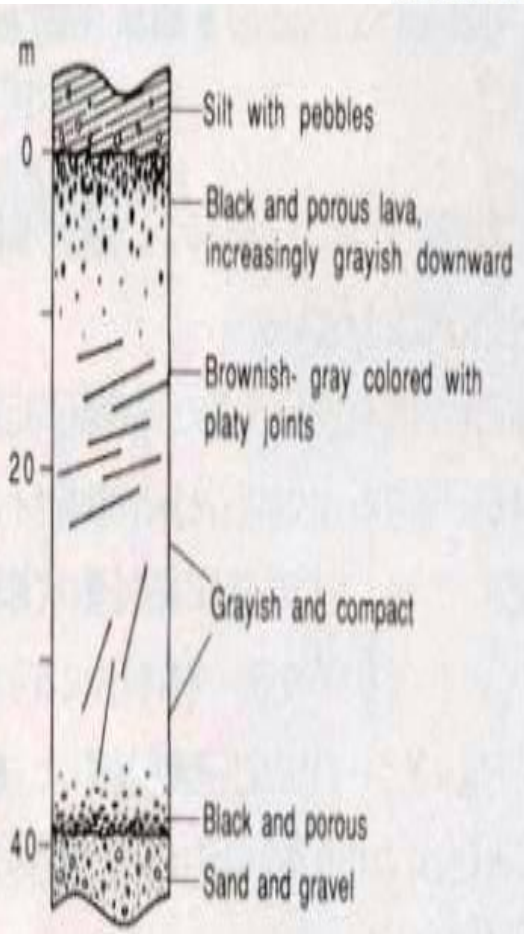
Auto-brecciated (clinker) and vesicular

Platy joint

(Macdonard,1972)



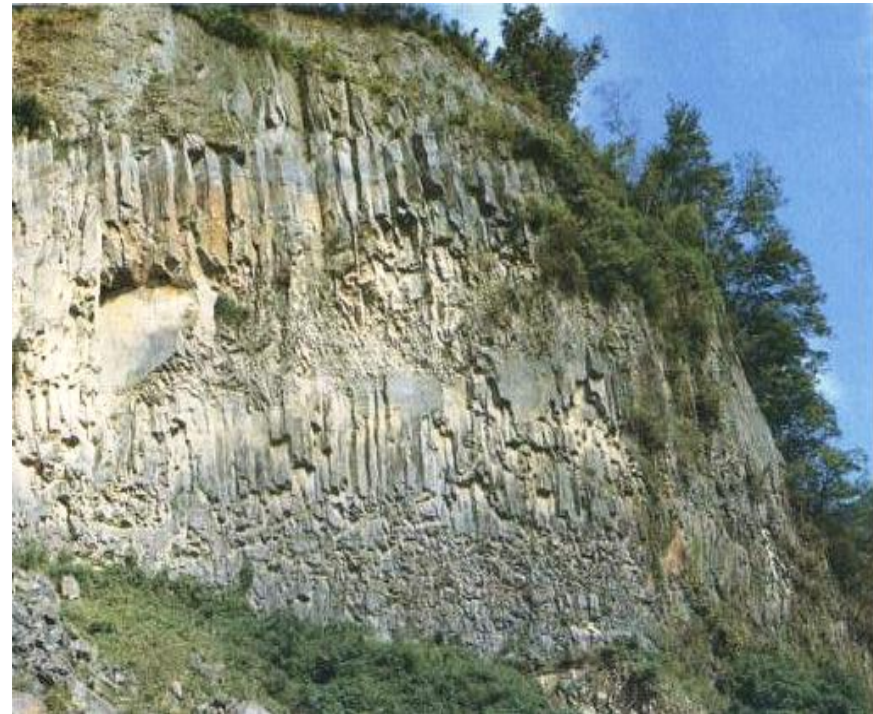
Close-up of drilled core of Togawa lava flow (porous, good aquifer)



Typical lithologic cross section (Morishita,1992)

(Kumamoto City)

Outcrop of Aso Welded Tuff

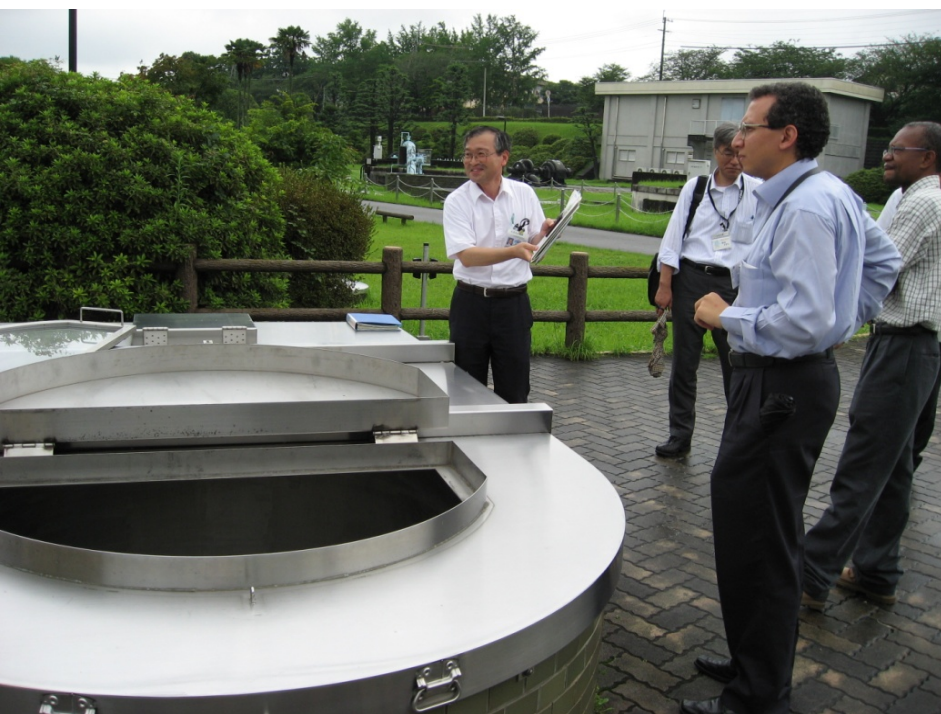


(Nature of Japan, Heibonsya)

Columnar joints are developed, much effective porosity, good aquifer



Kengun Well Field



Kengun Well Field

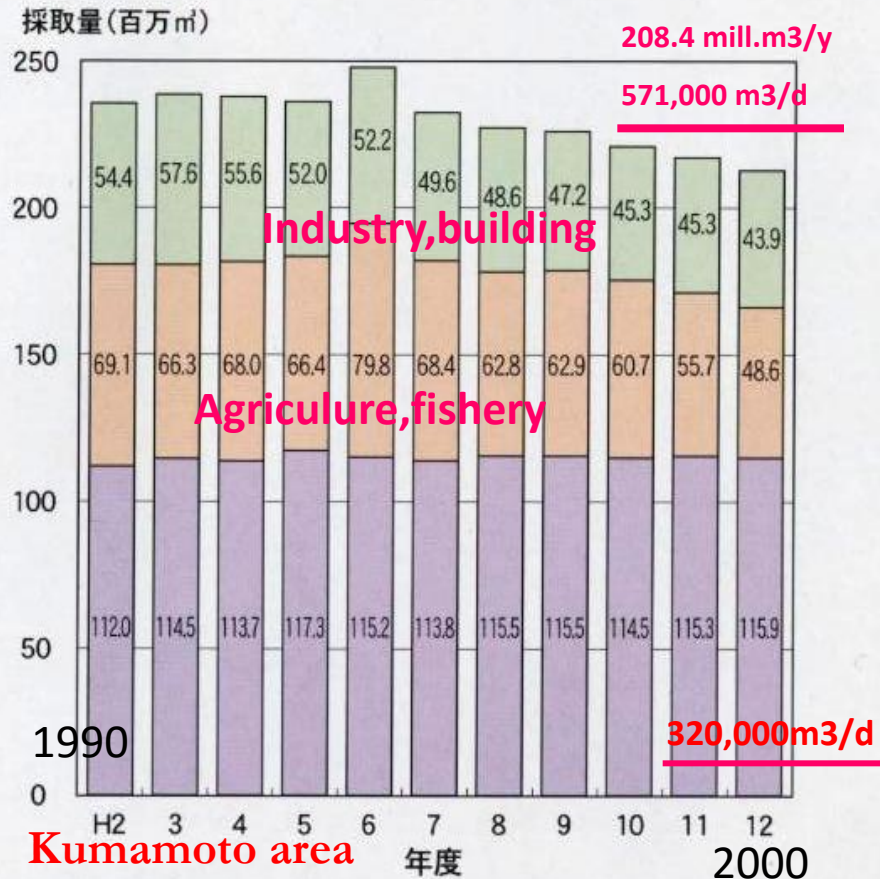


Self-flowing Well at Kengun Well Field, (16,000 m³/day)
Depth: 40m, diameter: 350-450mm

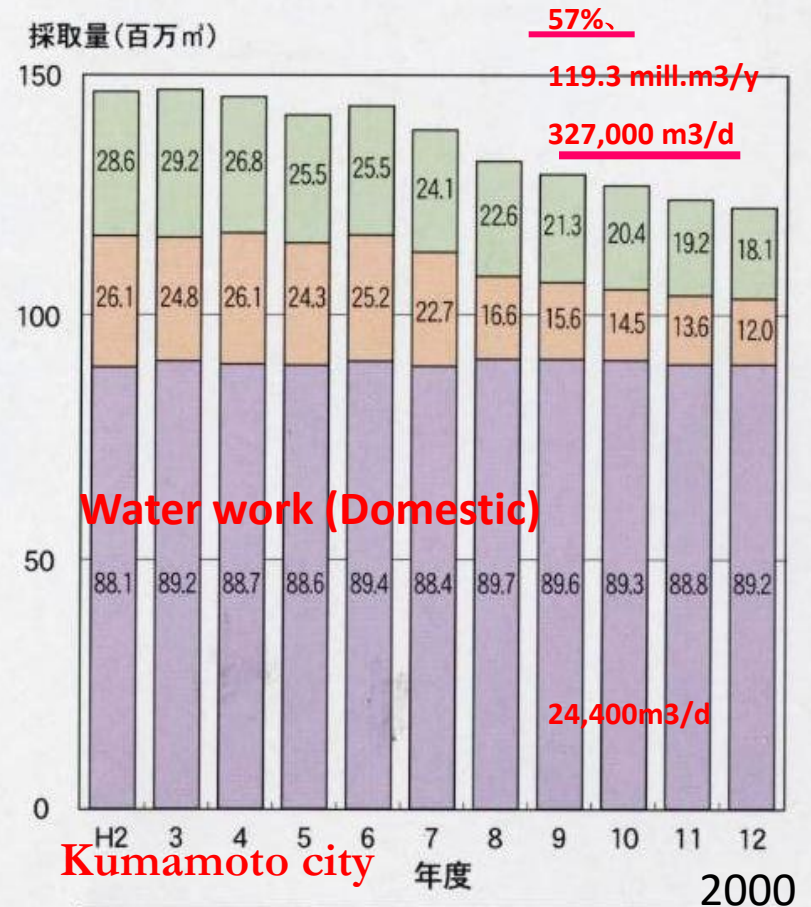
Annual change of groundwater pumpage in the Kumamoto area and city

(From 1990 to 2000)

地下水採取量の経年変化(熊本地域)



地下水採取量の経年変化(熊本市)



■ 上水道用 ■ 農業・水産養殖用
■ 工業・建築物・家庭用 他

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Pumpage of the Kumamoto area

(Kumamoto Pref. office)

Heavy draught year



building

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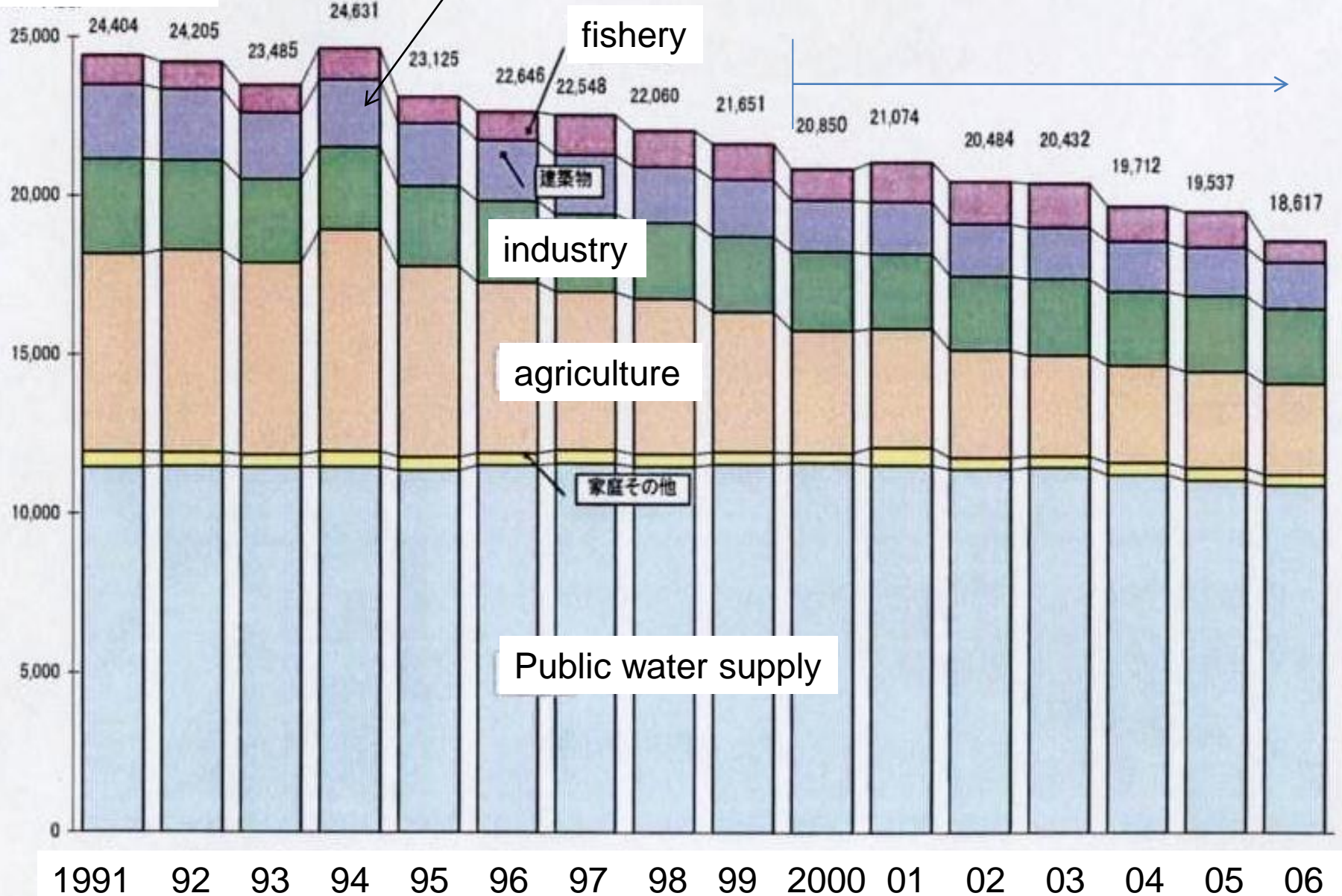
industry

agriculture

家庭その他

Public water supply

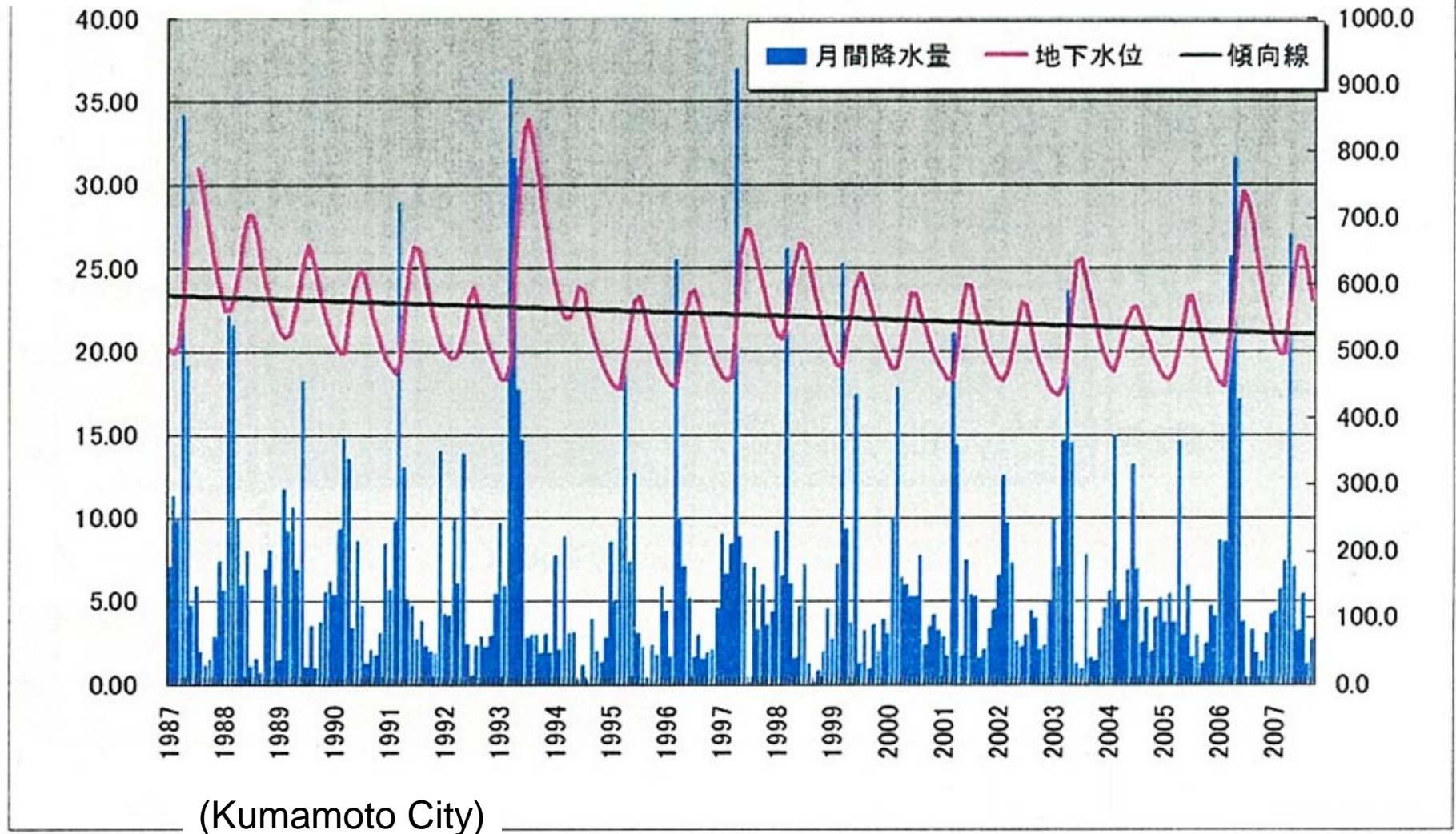
*10,000 m³/y



Monthly groundwater level (Toshima station in the middle of the basin) from 1987 to 2007

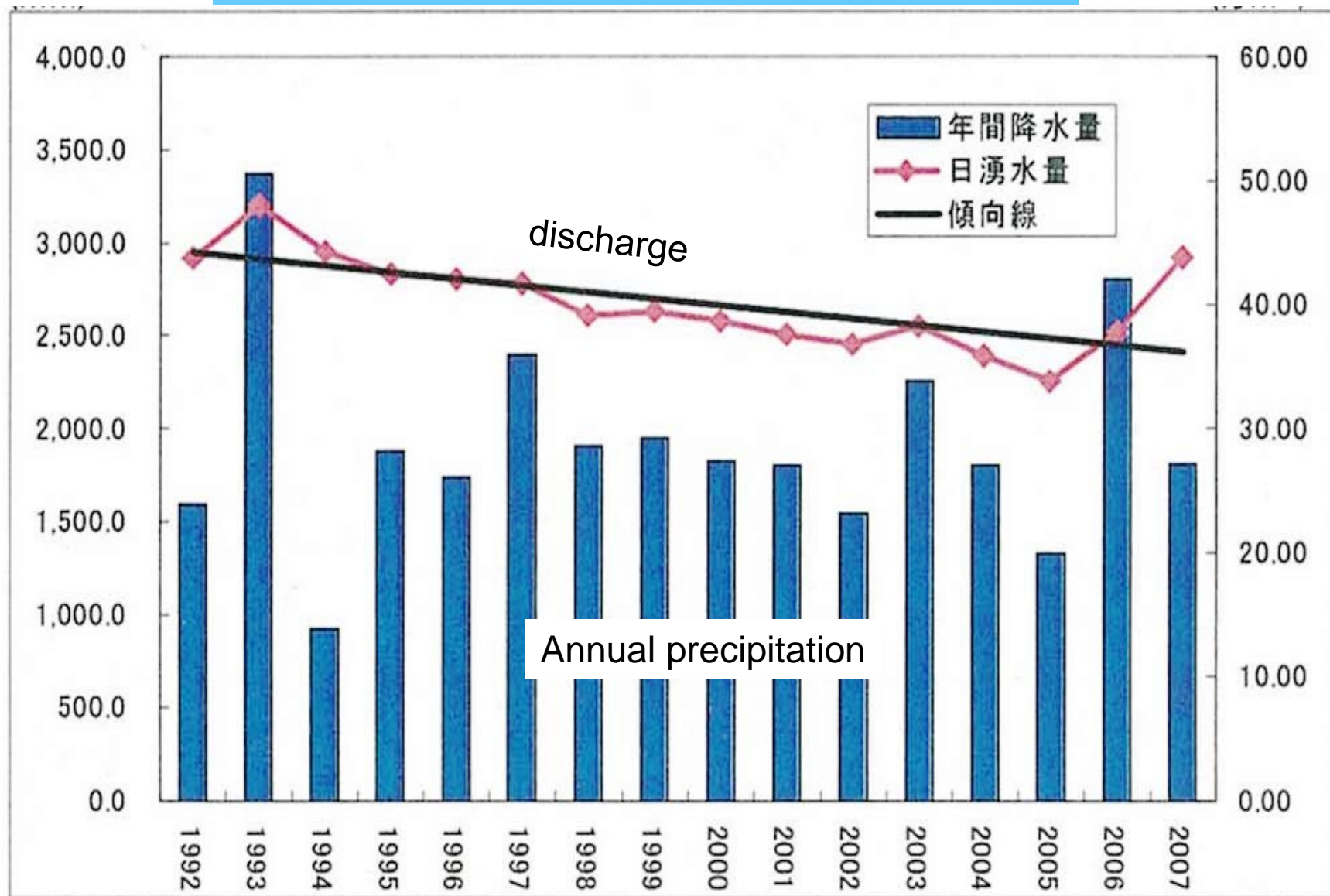
Groundwater level
elevation in meter

Monthly Precip
mm

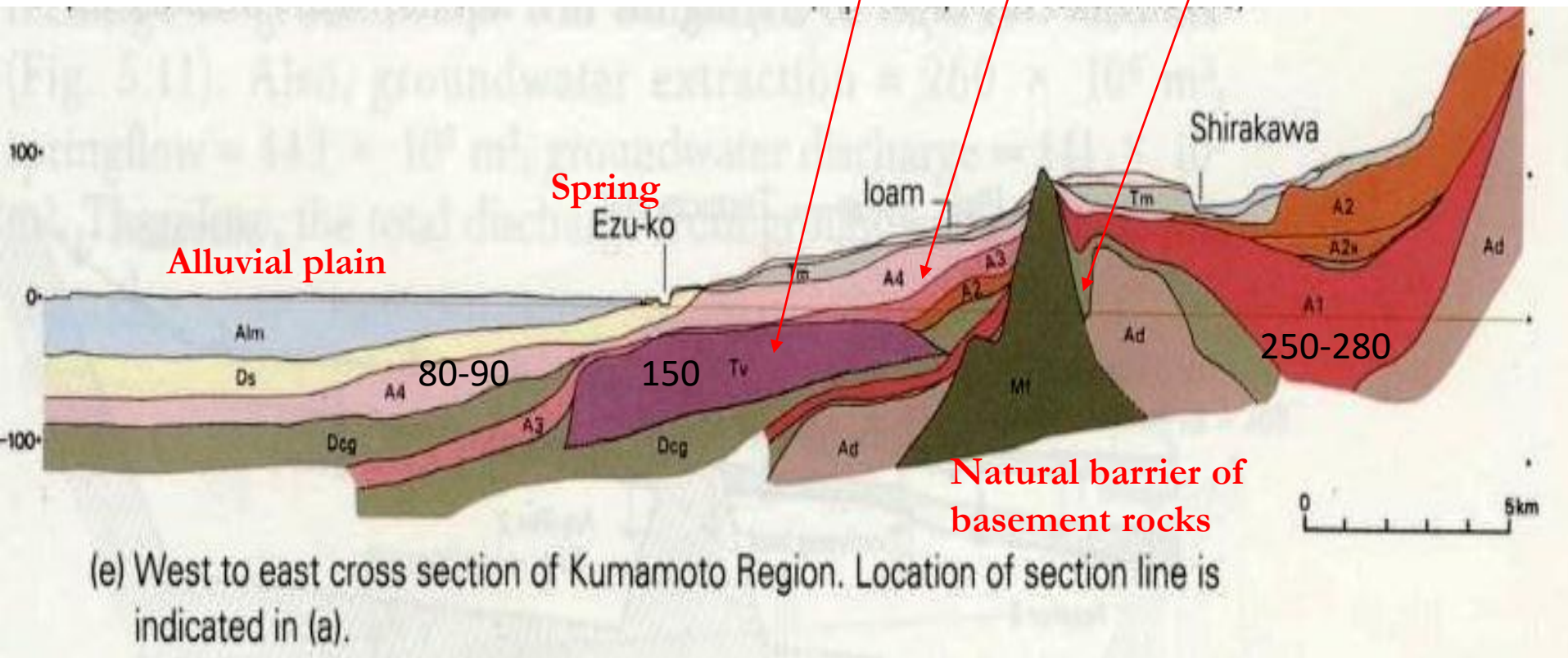


Discharge of spring water of Suizenji-Ezuko from 1992 to 2007

Daily discharge
*10,000 m³



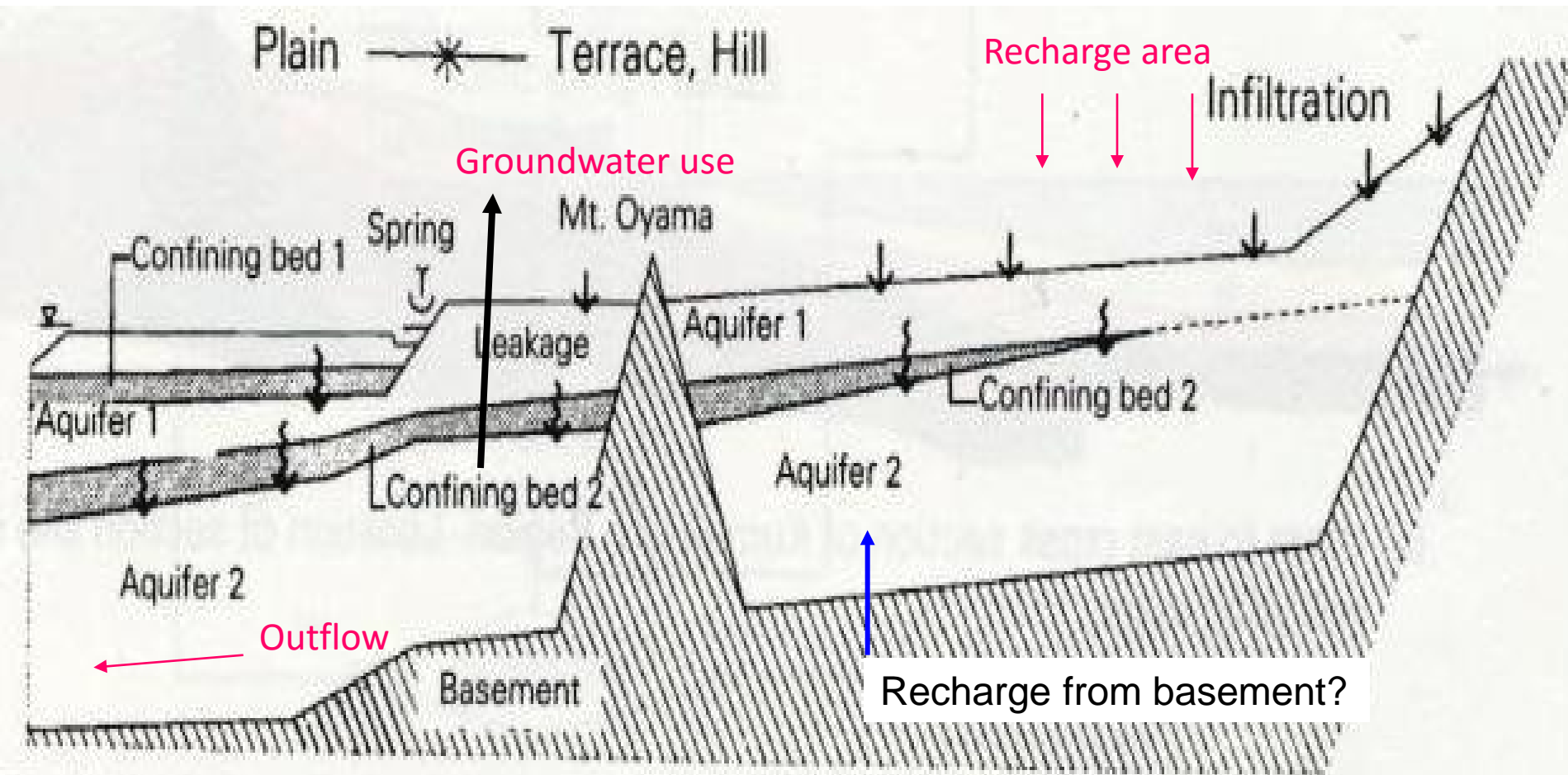
Geologic cross section in the west to east direction
 groundwater is regulated by upper aquifer (pyroclastic flows), natural subsurface dam
 and lower aquifer (andesite lava flow)



Absolute age * 1000 years before present

(Urban Kubota)

Modeling of groundwater basins



Confining bed 1 : Ariake clay (alluvial)	Aquifer 1 : Takuma sandy gravel layer and Aso-4
Confining bed 2 : Hanabusa clay	Aquifer 2 : Aso-1 ~ 3 and Togawa lava

Outcome of simulation study of 2007 and forecast in 2024

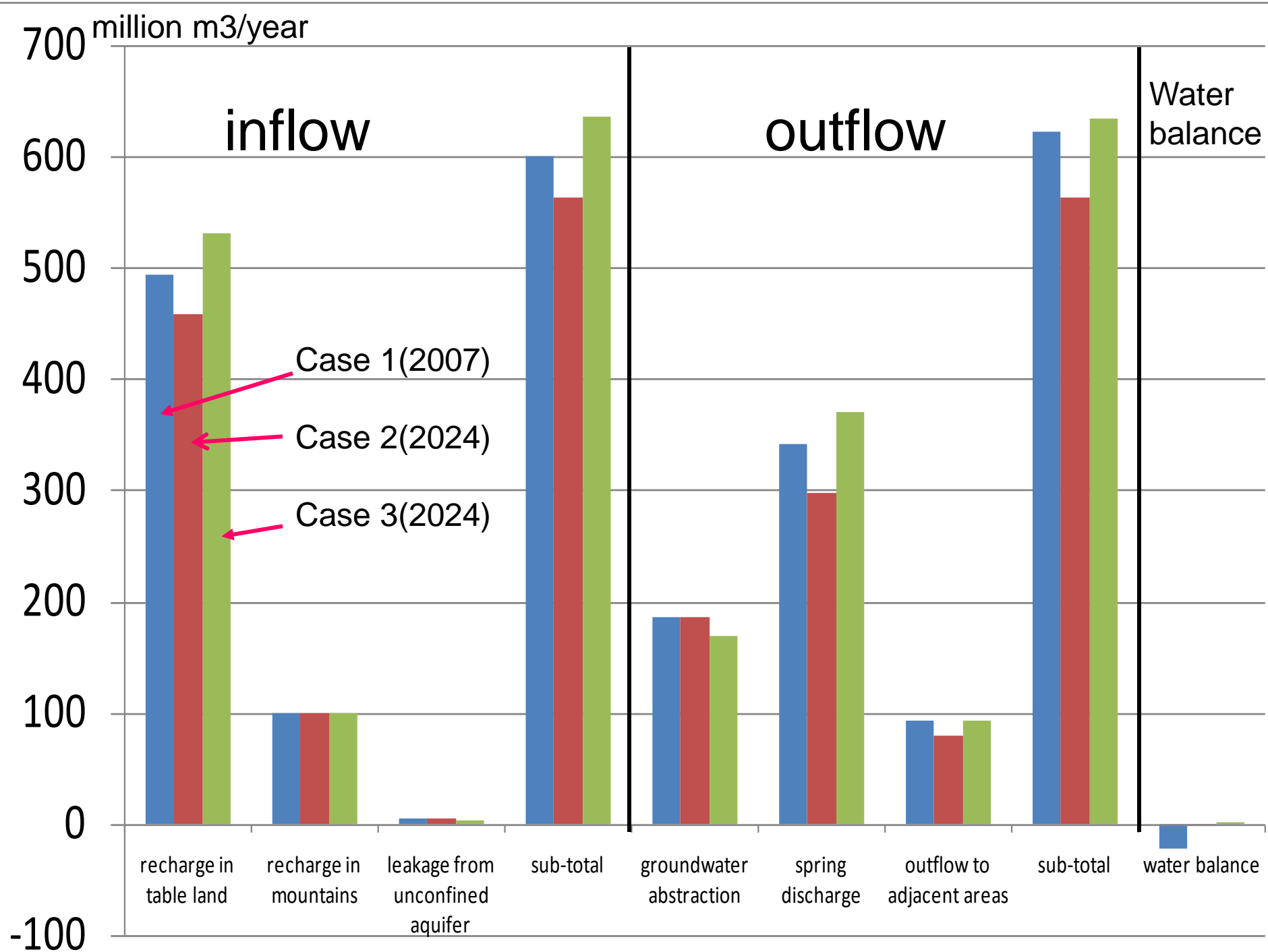
(million m³/year)

year		2007	2024	
hydrologic parameters		Case 1	Case 2	Case 3
inflow	recharge in table land	495.1	458.2	531.5
	recharge in mountains	100.4	100.0	100.1
	leakage from unconfined aquifer	4.8	4.9	4.6
	sub- total	600.4	563.2	636.2
outflow	groundwater abstraction	186.2	186.2	170.0
	spring discharge	342.6	297.3	370.6
	outflow to adjacent areas	93.6	80.5	93.8
	sub- total	622.6	564.0	634.4
water balance		- 22.2	- 0.8	1.8
precipitation at Kumamoto Observatory (mm/year)		1946.0	1946.0	1946.0

Case 1 : Present situation

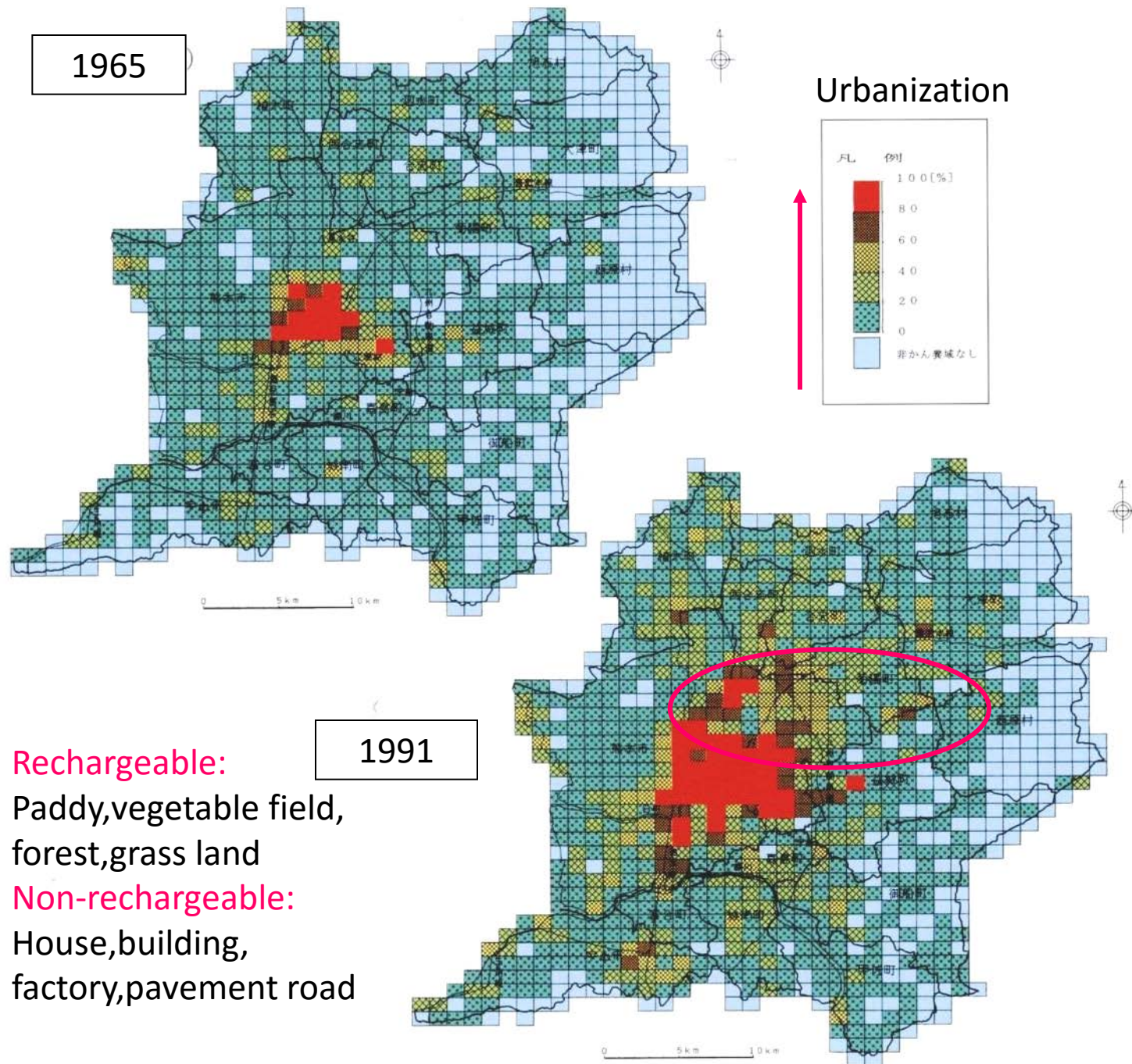
Case 2 : Forecast conditions are as follows (if countermeasures are not achieved),
 1) Rechargeable area will decrease according to average rate 1.12 km²/year during 1990 to 2006. 2) Groundwater will be abstracted at the rate of 186.2 m³/year(2006).
 3) Precipitation will continue at the rate of average year of 1946 mm/year.

Case 3 : Forecast conditions are as follows (if countermeasures are achieved),
 1) Artificial recharge will attain the final target of 73 million m³. 2) Groundwater abstraction will save down to 170 million m³ of upper limit.

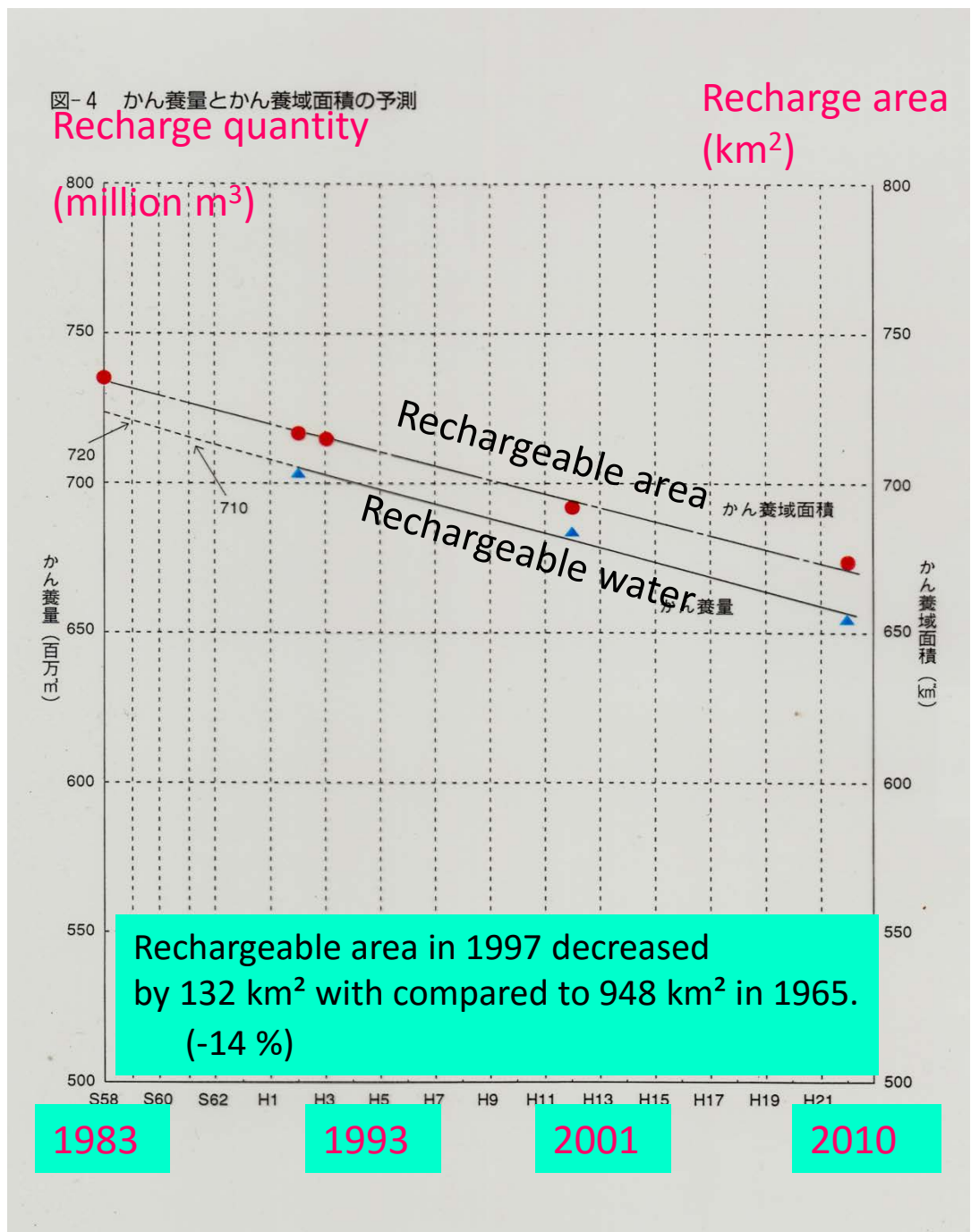


Decrease of
rechargeable
area

1 km grid
resolution



- Diagram showing the relation between time until 2010 and recharge of groundwater (million m³/year)
- Recharge Quantity decreases in proportion to decrease of rechargeable area in the upstream
- Decrease of recharge area is caused by change of land use from paddy and grass land to others (residential, pavement, factories, green house etc.)



Where does decrease of infiltration go away?
Let think from the viewpoints of water balance.

Basic Formula $P - R - E - I = \Delta S$

$$R = P - E - I - \Delta S$$

P: Precipitation

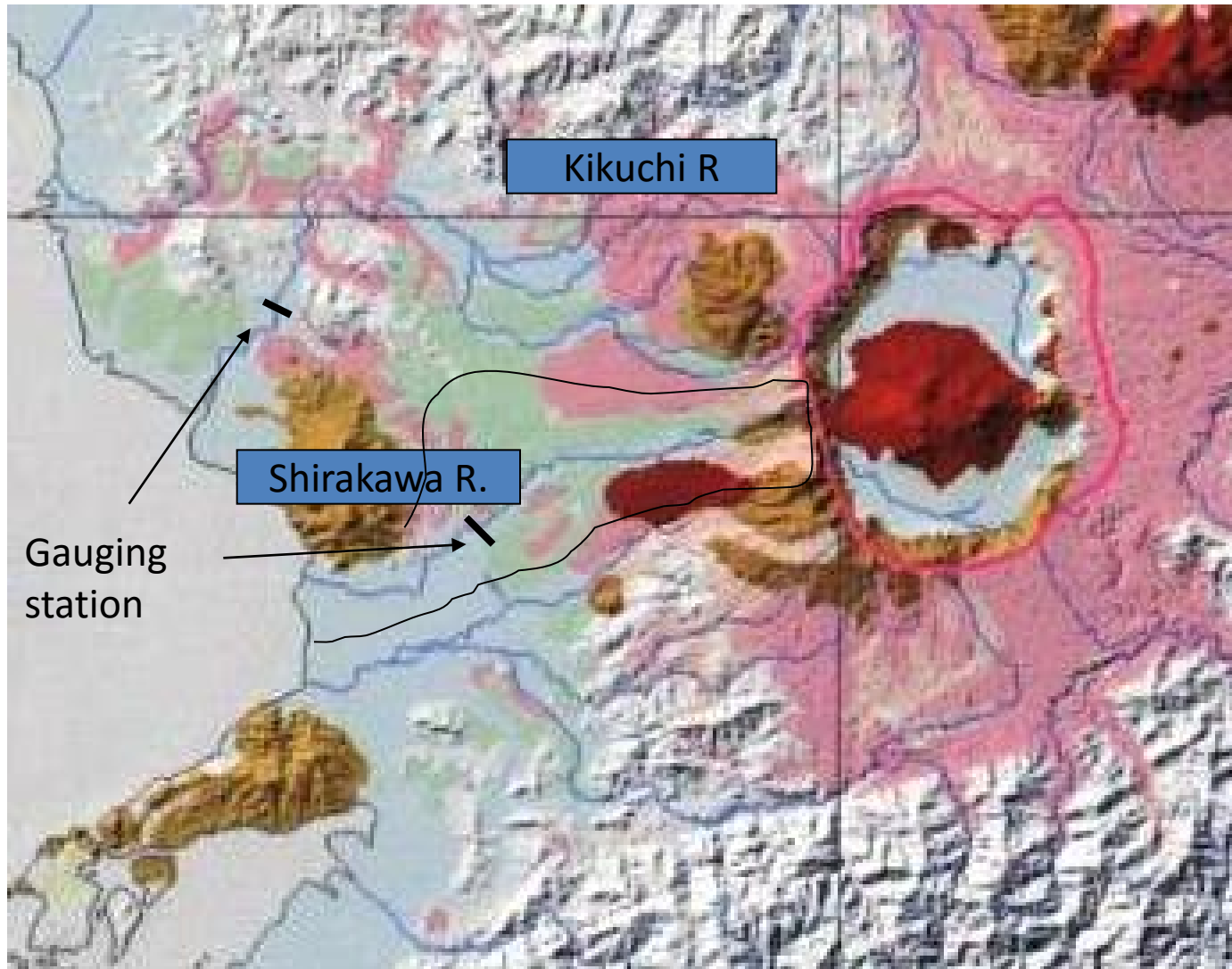
R: River Runoff

E: Evapotranspiration

I: Infiltration : underground for
recharge

ΔS : Difference of groundwater storage

Location of two rivers

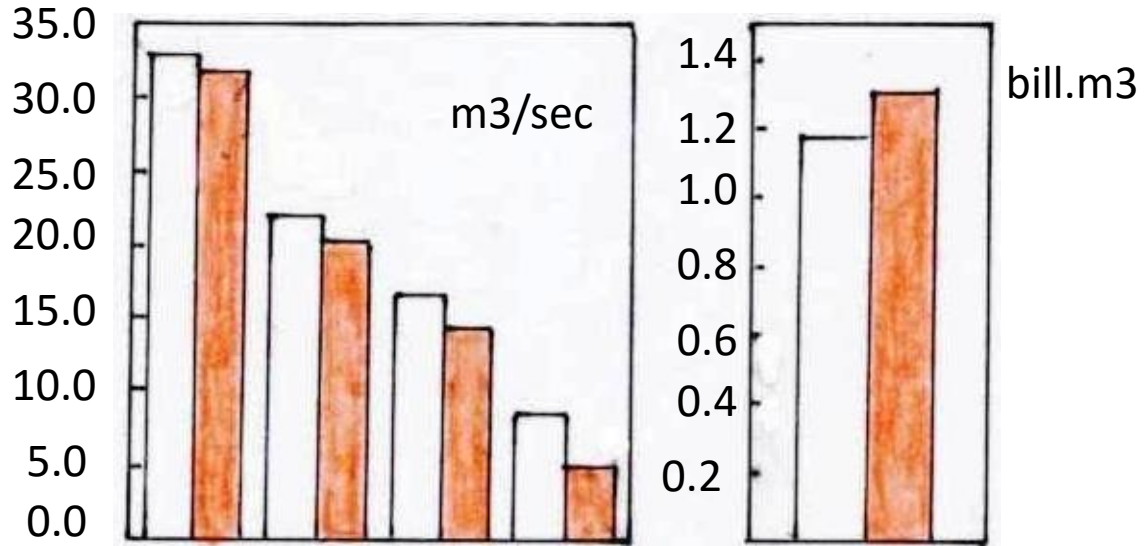


Change of river flow discharge in Kumamoto

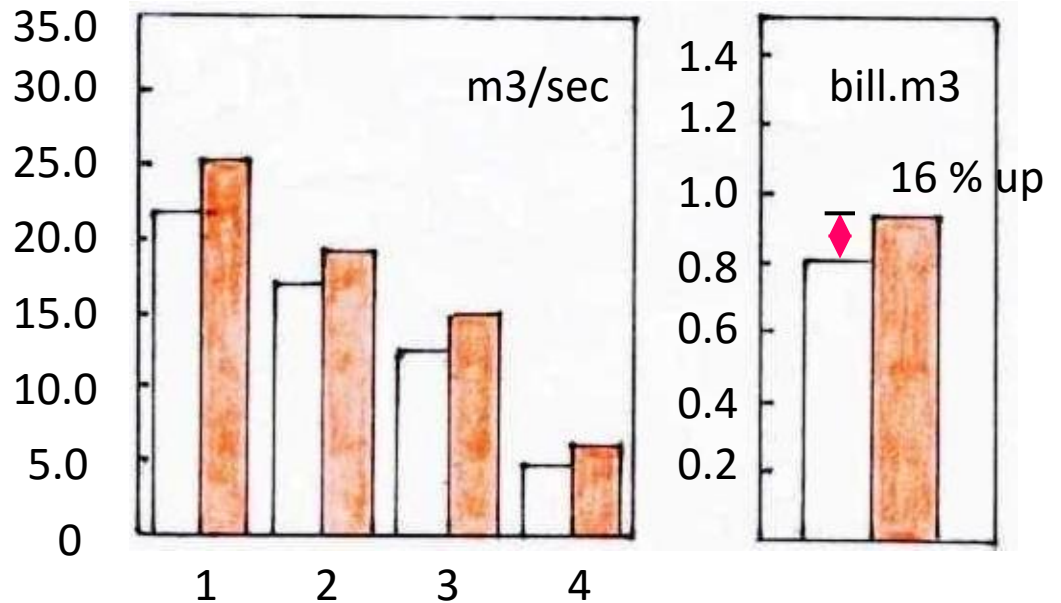
averages of
1955-1976
and
1977-1998



Kikuchi river (Tamana, 906.0 km²)



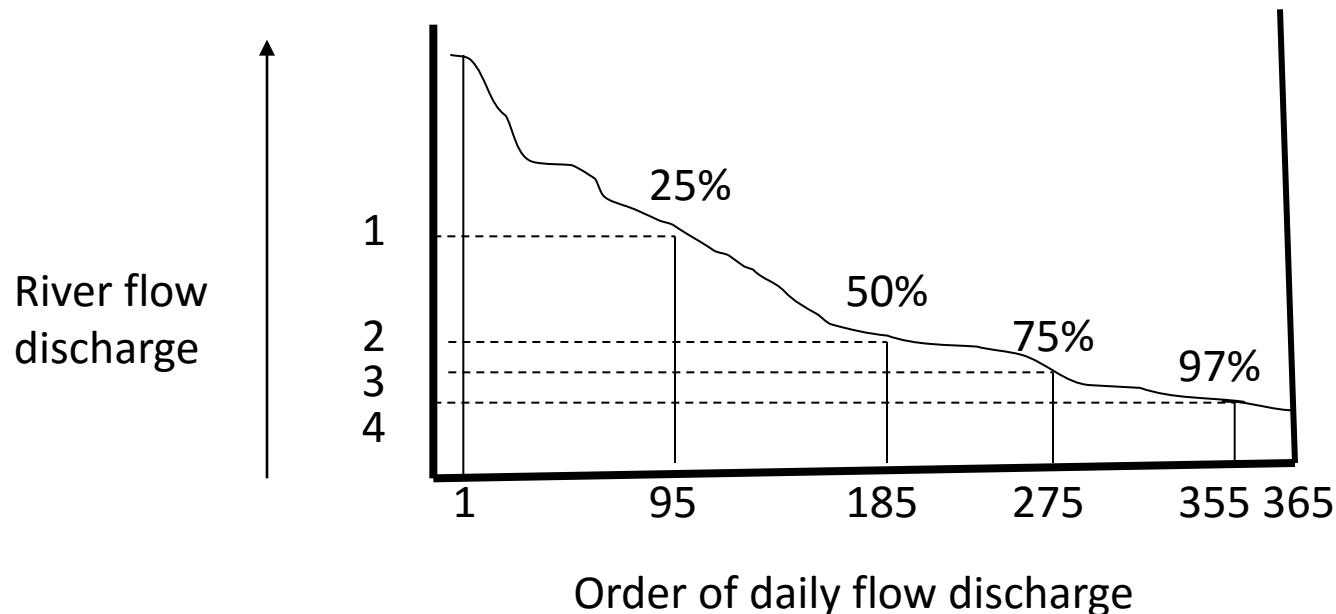
Shirakawa river (Yotugibashi, 477.0 km²)



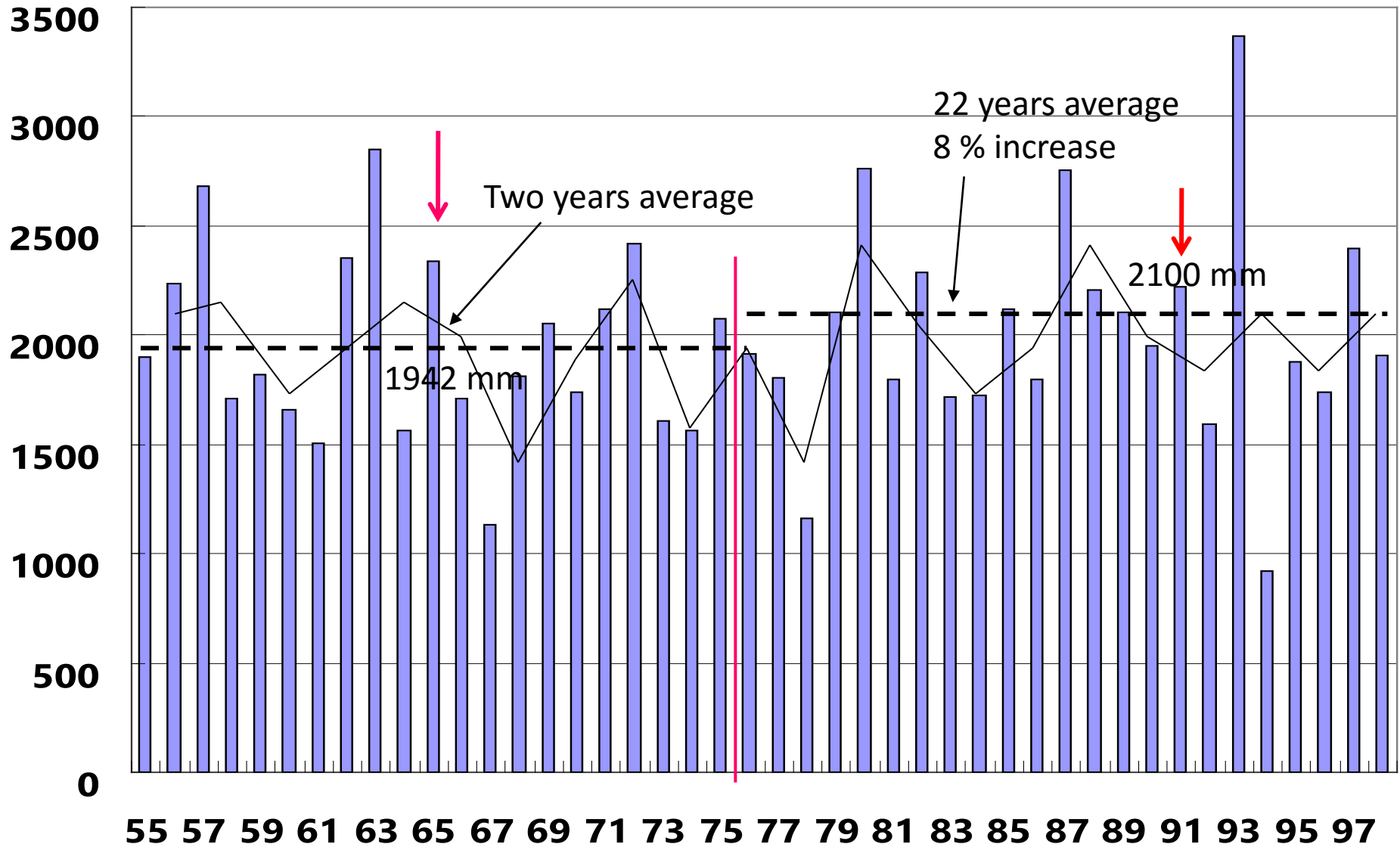
Definition of flow discharge

River flow

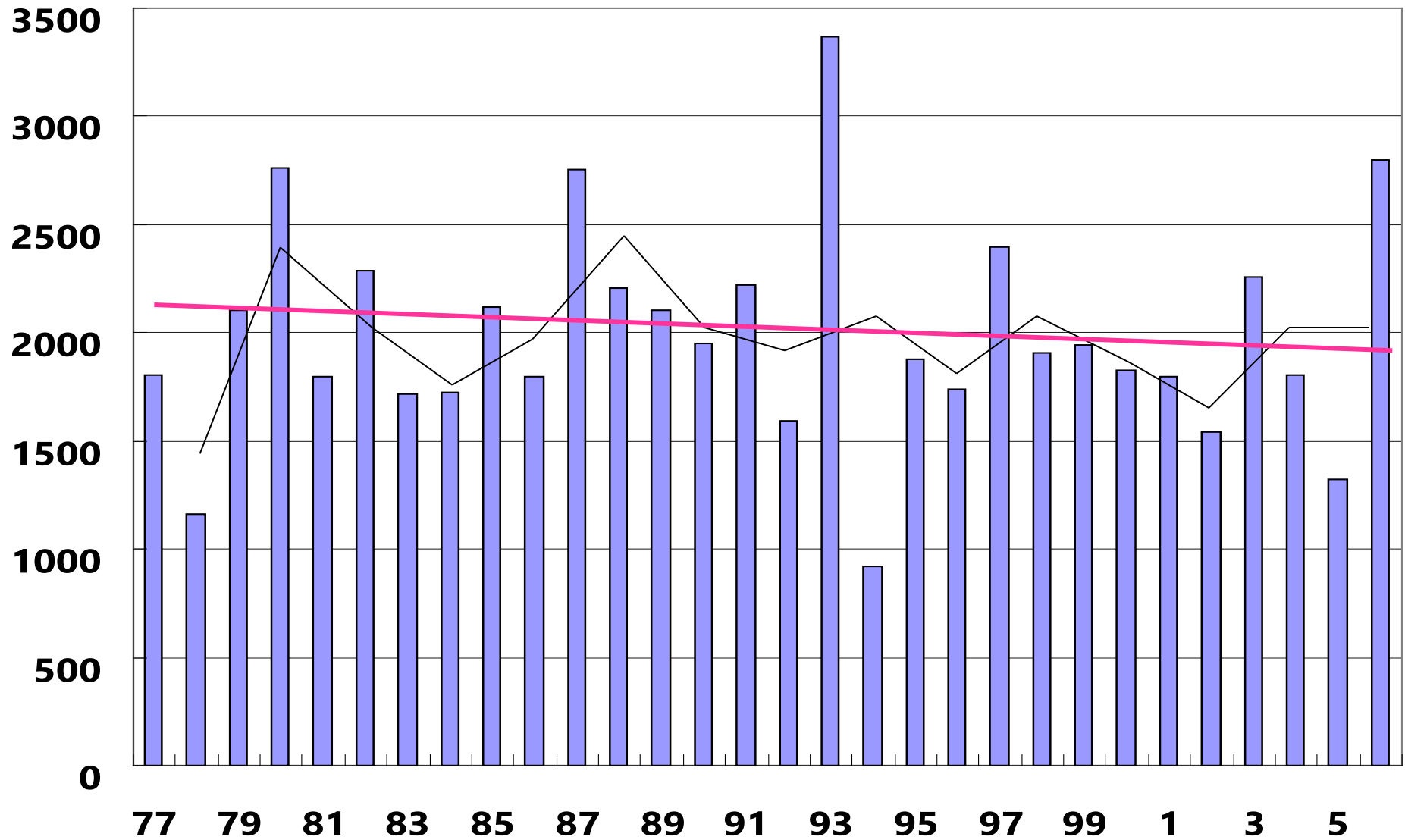
- 1: Wet discharge = 25 % exceedance for 95 days
- 2: Ordinary discharge = 50 % exceedance for 185 days
- 3: Low discharge = 75 % exceedance for 275 days
- 4: Draught discharge = 97 % exceedance for 355 days



Annual precipitation from 1955 to 1997 in Kumamoto (mm)



Annual precipitation from 1977 to 2006 (20 years) in Kumamoto city (mm)



Managing issues which the Kumamoto should solve in the near future are as follows,

- Water level declines for long term
- Spring discharge decreases for long term
- Rechargeable area in the middle to upstream decreases gradually
- 100% dependent upon groundwater
- No alternative water resources available
- Water use for domestic per capita is more than averages of other cities in Kyushu.
- Water quality deteriorated mainly originated from fertilizers, which are used for agriculture in suburb.
- Formulating of groundwater conservation plan (Prefecture, City)
- Building-up of local governance system
- On a basis of monitoring, the managing policies and results are recommended to evaluate from viewpoint of PDCA (plan, do, check and act, ISO) cycle.

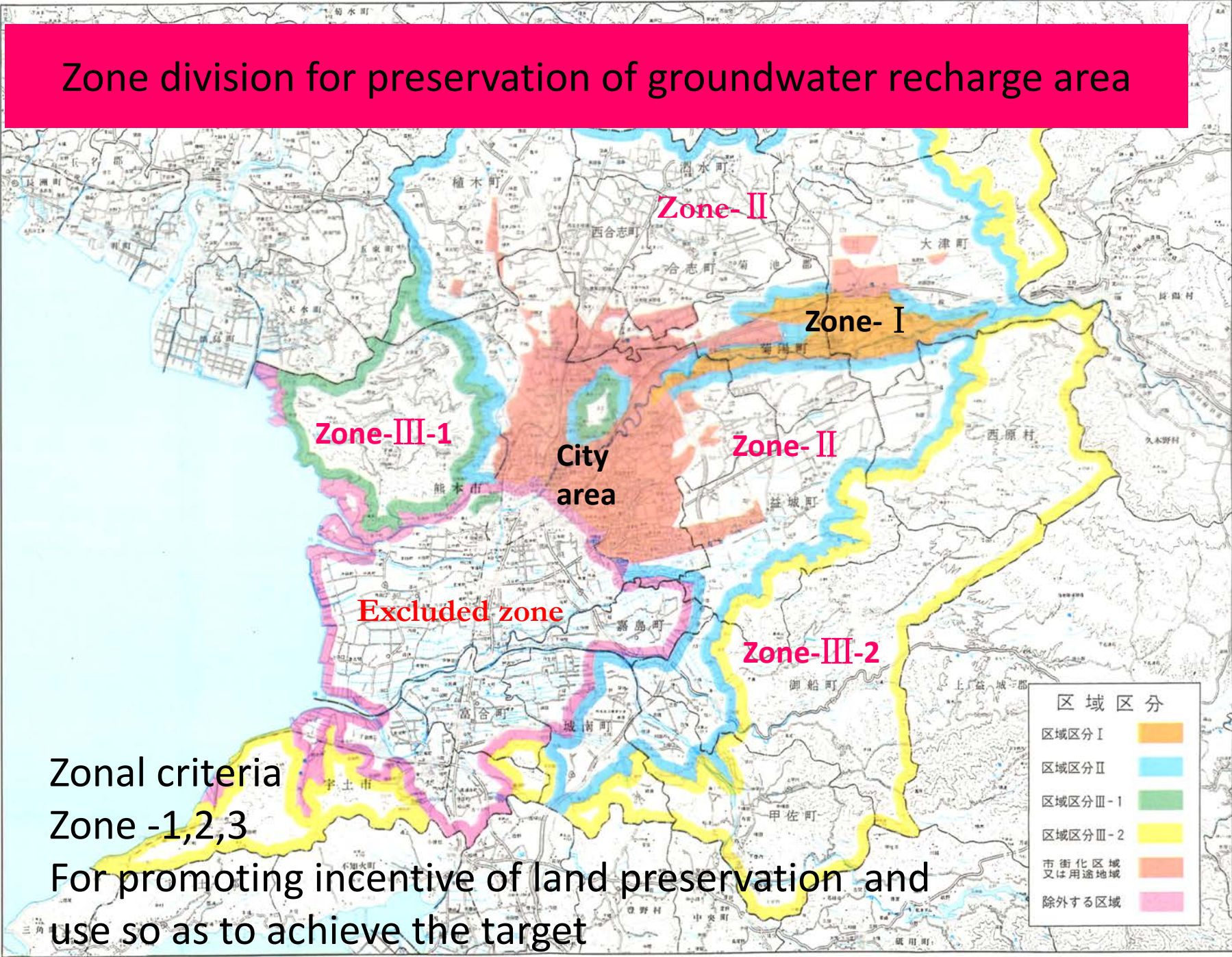
Principal target for groundwater preservation policy of Kumamoto area by Prefecture office (2 0 0 8)

Target parameter	Target year	Target value
Groundwater recharge	2024	73 million m ³
Groundwater abstraction	2024	170.0 million m ³ (0.47 million m ³ /d.)
Decrease of Groundwater abstraction	2024	16 million m ³
Nitrate-N content	2024	all wells <10 mg/L

Preservation guideline of land use in view of groundwater recharge and its quality



Zone divisi on	Area and land use	Guideline for preservation of recharge	Guideline for preservation of water quality
I	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • River terrace in the middle reach of Shirakawa river • Irrigated paddy 	1.New development is not invited in principle 2.In case of evelopment, rainfall infiltration is to equally be maintained	1. Hazardous substances to groundwater is kept away 2. In case of introducing and handling hazardous substances, <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Anti-shock structure against earthquake and facility is ensured • Storage is minimized and dispersed • Monitor and report soil and groundwater condition periodically
II	1.High land, irrigated paddy 2.Forest and bare land in the foot.of Ueki high land and Kinpozan mountains 3 .Forest, grass land, vegetable field and irrigated paddy	1.In case of development, grass land is maintained as wide as possible 2.Rainfall infiltration facility is recommended to ensure groundwater recharge	
III	1. Grass land in the suburb of urban area 2. Mountains		

Zone division for preservation of groundwater recharge area



Principal target for groundwater preservation policy in 1st stage of Kumamoto City (2004)

Target parameter	Year & numerical target		2002 (base line)	
	Q'tity	Year	Q'tity	Year
Addition of groundwater recharge (*million m ³ /y)	30	2008	—	2002
Decrease of groundwater pumpage (*million m ³ /y)	4	2008	—	2002
Groundwater pumpage (* million ³ /year)	113	2008	117	2002
Domestic water demand (l/day/capita)	230	2008	254	2002



 Kumamoto City is responsible for equality to abstraction ratio of 60% in the 2002 Kumamoto area, where the final target of recharge is set up 73 million m³ in 2024.

Principal target for groundwater preservation policy in 2nd stage of Kumamoto City (2009)

Target parameter	Target year	Target value	Year	Present value
Groundwater recharge	2013	30 million m ³	2007	12.23 million m ³
Decrease of groundwater abstraction	2013	4.8 million m ³ (104.68 million m ³)	2006	109.48 million m ³ (0.3 million m ³ /d.)
Domestic water use/capita/day	2013	230 ℓ/capita/d.	2007	241ℓ/capita/d.
Nitrate-N content	2013	exceeding 10 mg/L < 5%	2007	19.6 % (22wells/112 wells)

Set-up of monitoring standard groundwater level for preservation policy

イ) 基準地下水位

判定観測点の地下水位の近年の変動状況は、異常多雨の平成5年を除き、昭和62年から概ね低下傾向にある。昭和62年も年間降雨量が2,755mmと多雨の年であったが、昭和59年から昭和61年の3年間の降雨量は平常程度であり、地下水位も安定していたことから、それぞれの判定地点での3年間（植木町大和は昭和60年から2年間）の平均水位を、維持することが望ましい基準地下水位と考える。（図-3 参照）

表-8 基準地下水位

判定地点	基準地下水位(標高m)
大 津 町 陣 内	31
菊 陽 町 辛 川	25
植 木 町 大 和	57

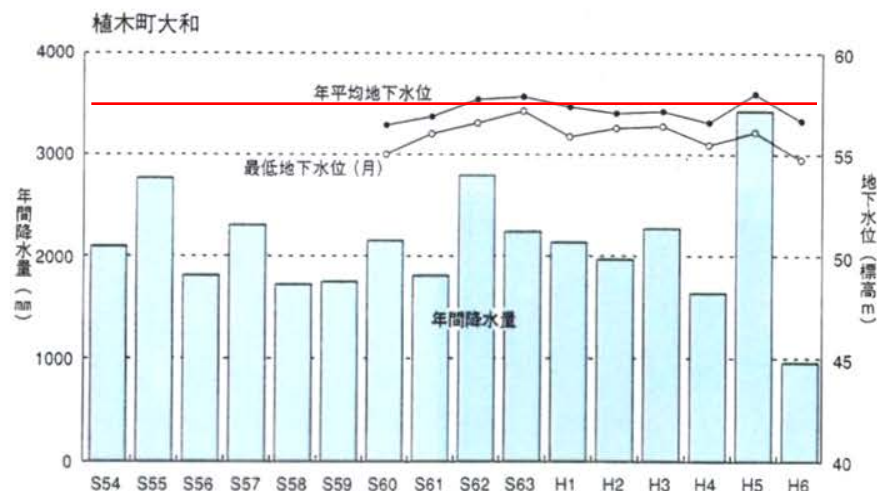
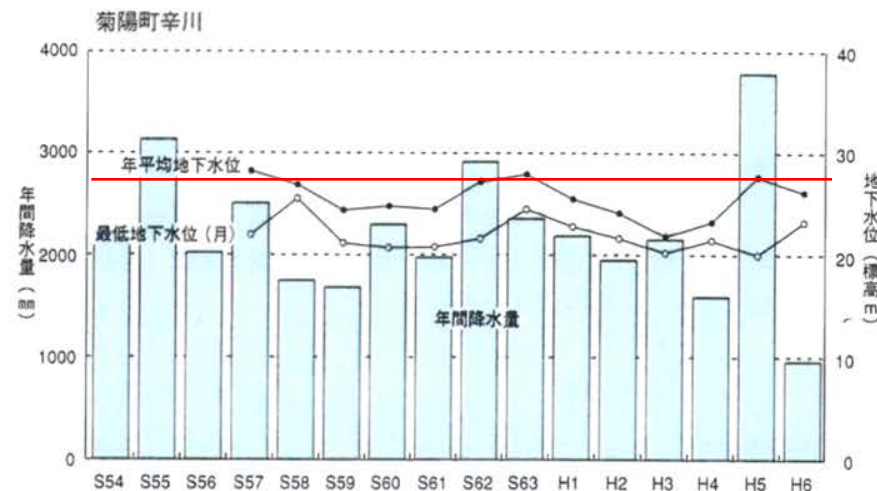
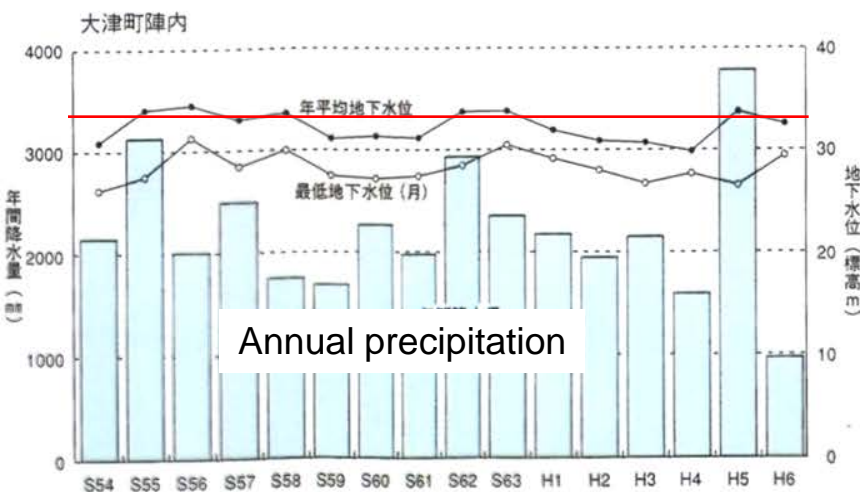


図-3 年間降水量と年平均地下水位の変動



全国初…高まる期待

Towards the groundwater conservation, three local autonomies agreed to set up artificial recharge using paddy field in the upstream of the Kumamoto area. This is the first epoch-making case ever in Japan (Jan.2004).

地下水保全へ熊本市、大津町、菊陽町が連携

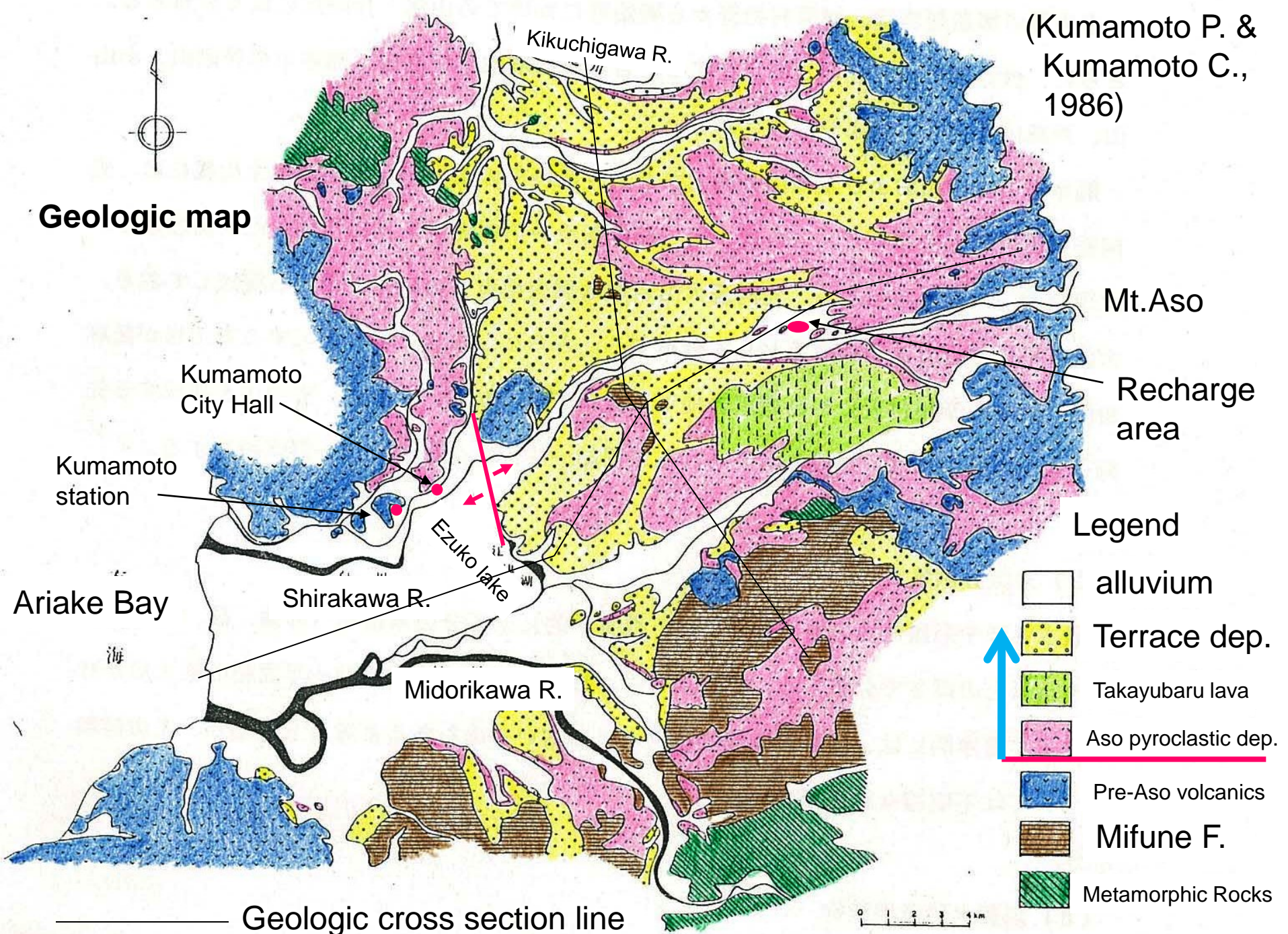
熊本市は来年度から、全国に誇る地下水を次世代に継承するため、白川中流の涵養（かんよう）域に当たる菊池郡大津、菊陽町の協力で、保全事業に乗り出す。両町の農家が協力、水田から転用した畑などに一定期間水を張ってもらうことで、五年後には涵養量の年間約三千万ト、5%近いアップを狙う。「市民の生命線」である地下水の保全に向け、自治体が広域連携する全国初の取り組みに、期待が高まっている。

同市は「地下水保全に
は白川中流域での涵養量
アップが最も効果的」と
して畑での水張りに着目
した。両町の水田面積は
約千六百㍍だが、減反な
どで半分は野菜などの畑
になっている。保全事業
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いる畑に、五―十月のう
ち一―三カ月間、水を張
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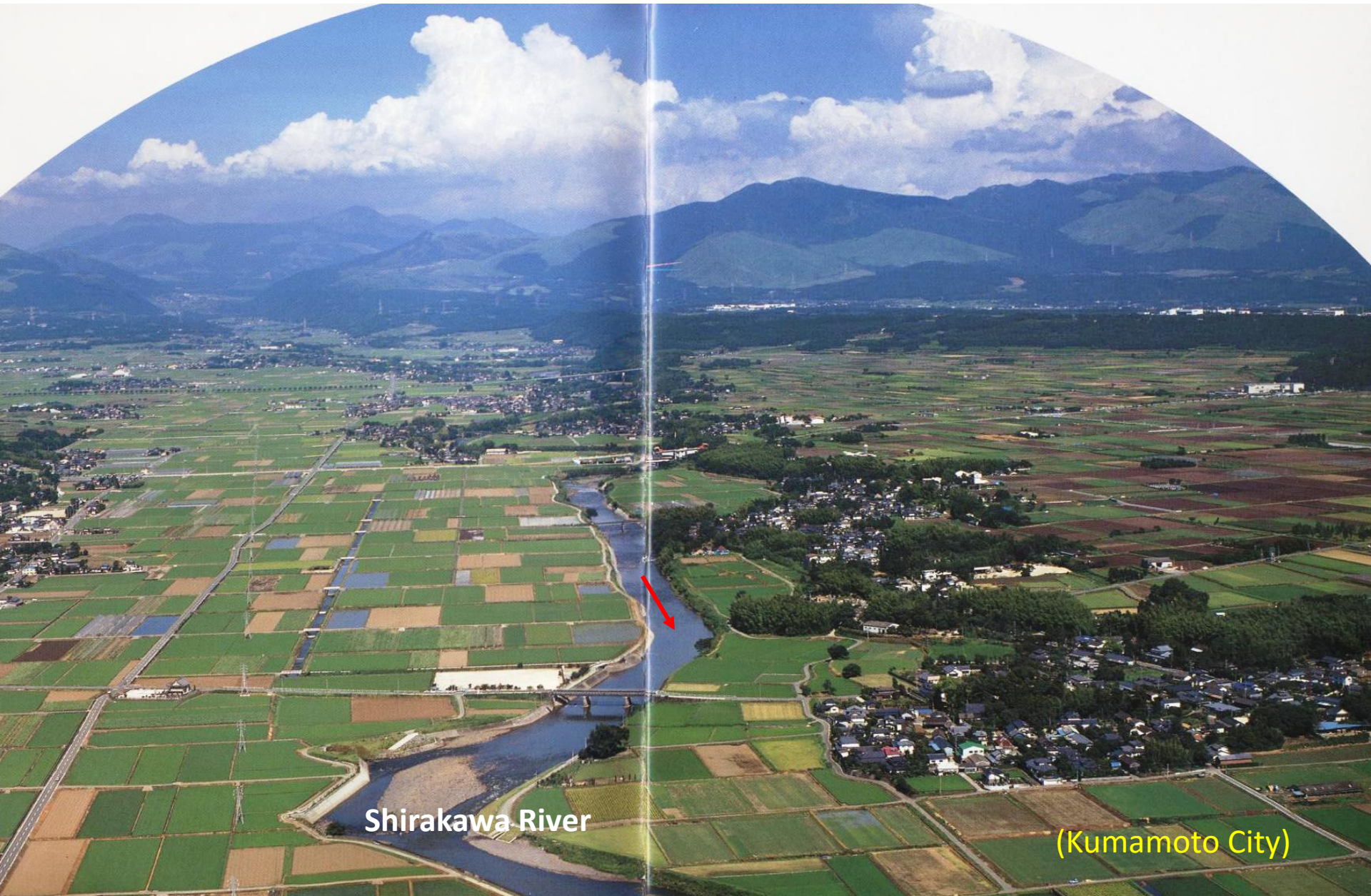


(Kumamoto P. &
Kumamoto C.,
1986)

Geologic map



Sky view from the downstream to Mt. Aso



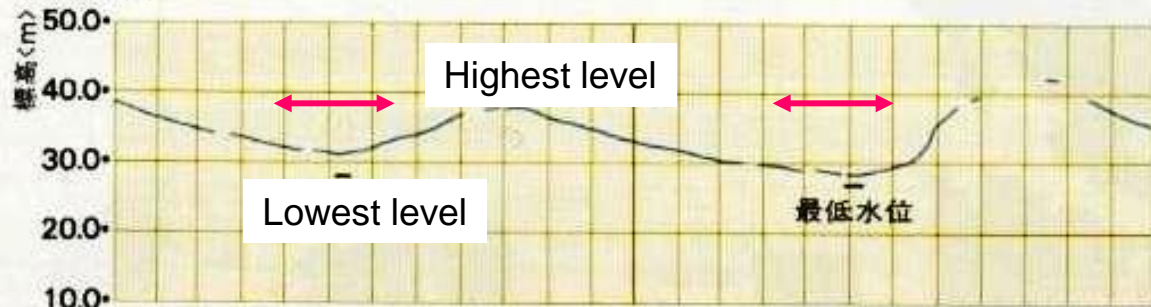
Shirakawa River

(Kumamoto City)

Seasonal fluctuation of water level in table land and alluvial plain (1981-82)

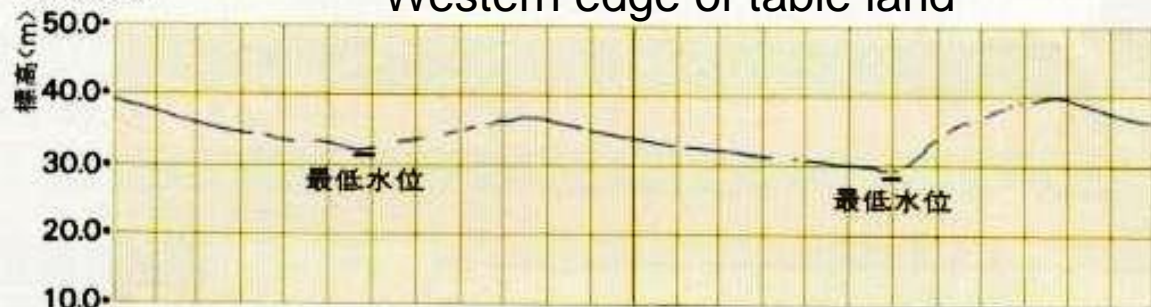
elevation

Central table land



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Western edge of table land



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Alluvial plain



Jan.

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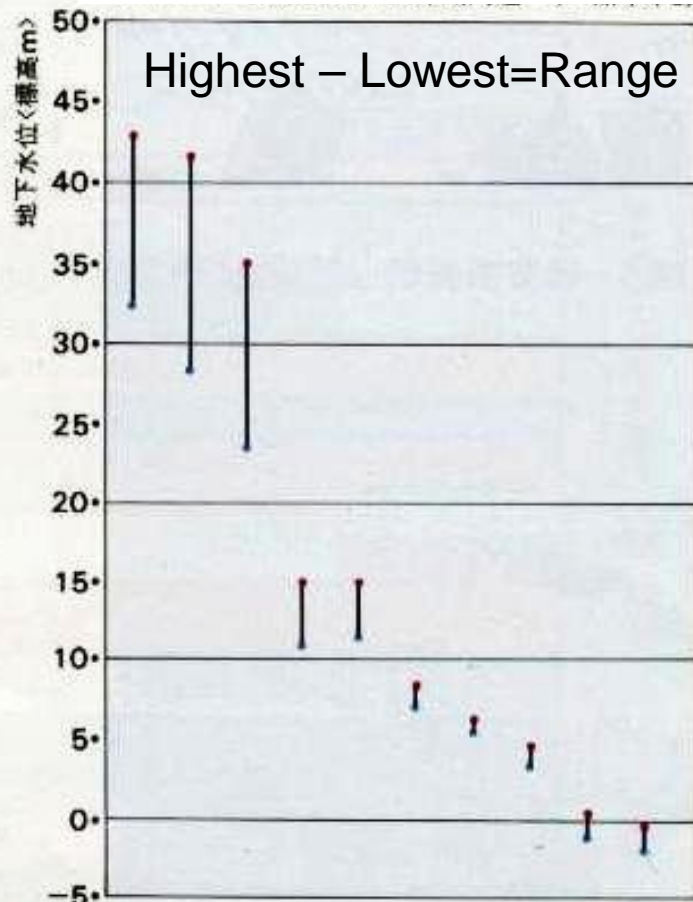
Fluctuation range of water level in table land and in alluvial plain (1982)

└ 菊池台地

Table land

Ezuko

alluvial plain



Highest : Oct. - Nov.

Lowest : June - July

Impound artificial recharge in paddy field, Kumamoto, 2004



The project started in 2004. Artificial recharge planned : 7.65 mill. m³/1 ~ 3 months(1 % of total recharge) : 255ha/60days=50 mm/day in average, at maximum 200 mm/day after plowing. Agreement between the Water Work and farmers : subsidiary paid 90,000 yen/ha(US \$ 770), Surface water is impounded to fallow paddy during May to October.

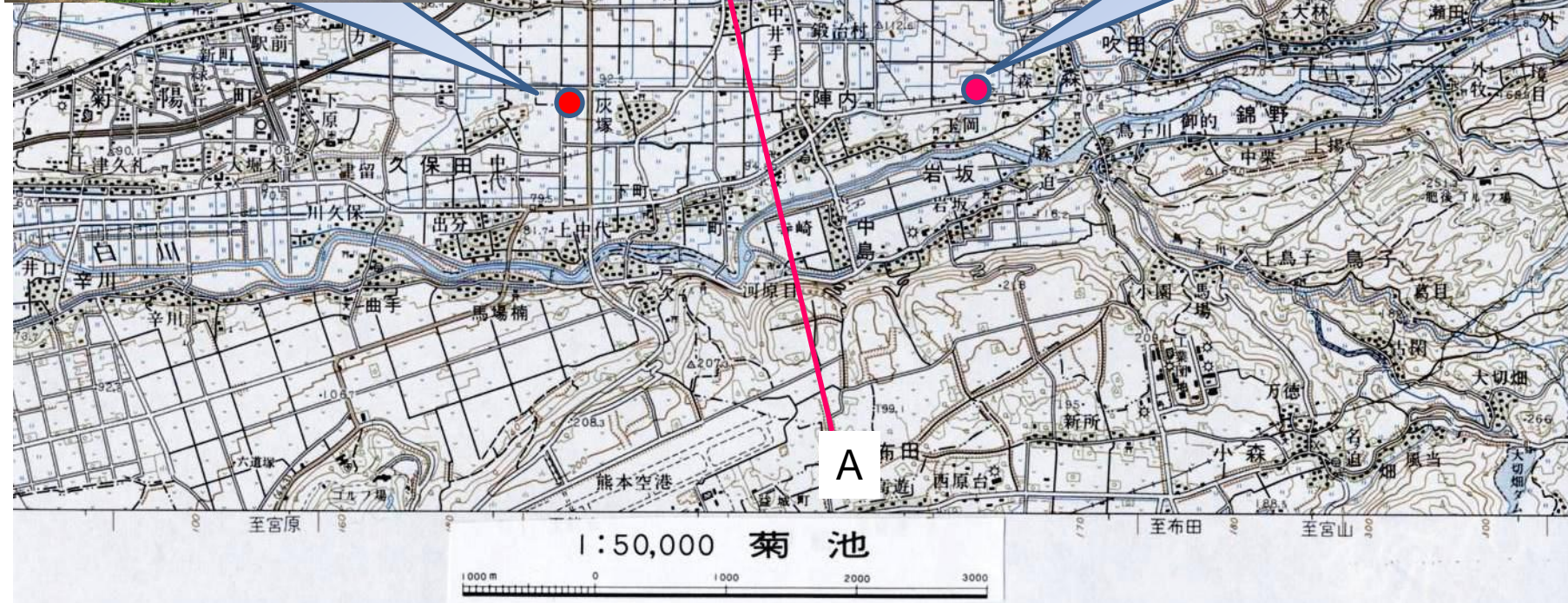
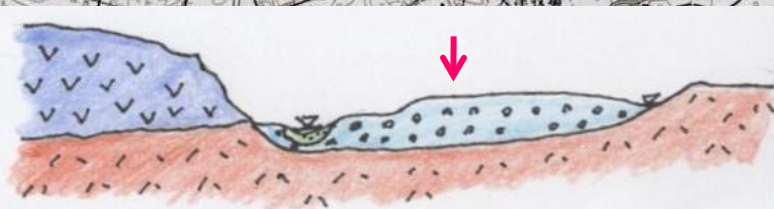


転作田 確認票	
耕作者氏名	矢野
住所	大
水田番号	久保 2166-1
実施面積	2.3
水張り期	6月 9月30日
張後物の名	大 人考

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白川中流域水田かん養たん水事業

田んぼ
地下水

水循環型営農推進協議会

Paddy Field for Groundwater Recharge Project
“Paddy will give birth to the best tasted groundwater in Japan”

Groundwater recharge plan of 2nd stage scheme

area		target	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013
Kikuyou Town Ohtsu Town		recharge volume(* 1000m3)	14,760	15,098	15,435	15,773	16,110
		total area (ha* month)	492	504	515	526	537
		new tactics (* 1000m3)	—	—	—	—	6,334
Kumamoto City		recharge volume(* 1000m3)	1,650	1,688	1,725	1,763	1,800
		total area (ha* month)	55	57	58	59	60
Table land (Nishihara,Mufune)		recharge volume(* 1000m3)	—	—	1,476	2,951	4,227
Rain harvesting	huose,farmer	recharge volume(* 1000m3)	222	444	666	888	1,110
	enterprise,factory	recharge volume(* 1000m3)					419
total recharge volume (* 1000m3)			16,632	17,320	19,302	21,375	30,000

- Kikuyou ,Ohtsu Towns and Kumamoto City :

Recharge volume=infiltration rate 100 mm/day × total area ×30 days ×10000

- Table land : Nishihara 79 mm/day, Mifune : 43 mm/day

- Rain harvesting : household for infiltration by rain box , farmer for green house

- Groundwater users of enterprise and factory > 30,000 m3/ year : independent method



熊本市地下水情報板 Groundwater Information

今日の水位 単位：標高m

過去の水位との比較 単位：m

戸島水位局

地盤面の標高 79.2m

長嶺水位局

地盤面の標高 84.2m

水前寺水位局

地盤面の標高 71.2m

唐田水位局

地盤面の標高 71.2m



水へのご協力をお願いします



Monitoring of groundwater level in front of the
City Hall of Kumamoto

享月 日 新 聞 (夕刊) 2003年(平成15年)5月29日 木曜日 43691号 (日刊)

阿蘇からの豊かな伏流水で知られる熊本市が、地下水保全のため、全国的にも珍しい「地下水保全税」の実施に動き始めた。同市は一月には市民を対象に「いこうな支払うか」を尋ねるアンケートを実施し、地下水が生み出す価値を年間63億7千万円と推計した。今年度中にも研究会を立ち上げた。本格的な検討に着手する予定だ。

(米谷陽一)

阿蘇の地下水
新税で守れ

苛、曲折も

答。5千円で13%に下がったが、平均金額は2,287円だった。

これらの結果をもとに、自然の価値を算出する統計的手法である「仮想市場評価法」を用いて、地下水の価値をはじめ出したところ、年額で63億7千万円と導き出された。

朝日新聞

夕刊

2007 : ?



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Comparison of Domestic water supply unit cost & quantity (1US\$=120Yen)

city	Item	Unit	2003	2002	2001
Kumamoto	Domestic	ℓ/day/capita	246	254	257
	Effective income rate	%	89.2	89.6	88.3
	Production unit cost	dollar/m ³	1.24	1.24	1.31
	Supply unit cost	dollar/m ³	1.42	1.42	1.42
Fukuoka	Domestic	ℓ/day/capita	202	203	205
	Effective income rate	%	95.5	96.6	96.0
	Production unit cost	dollar/m ³	1.88	1.92	1.88
	Supply unit cost	dollar/m ³	1.96	1.97	1.99

Establishment of Groundwater Conservation League of the Kumamoto Area in 2008

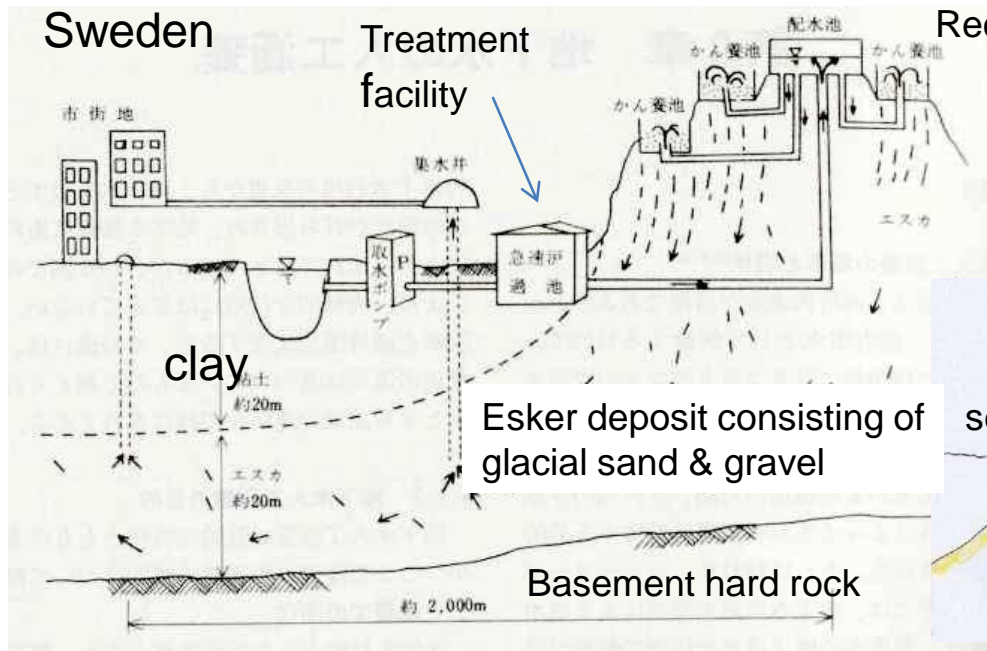
- 13 local autonomies signed to join the league.
- The league, which crosses administrative boundary, includes whole groundwater basin of ca.1041km².
- This means the administrations are workable in harmony with hydrological cycle of water.
- The agreement is worth taking concept of the one million people living in the basin into consideration.
- Because it is thought to be derived from mutual understanding that they live in the same “commons” and overcome opposition of stakeholder’s interest.

Discussion & summary

- Groundwater is regarded as viewpoint of water basin management
- Upstream: land use, artificial recharge
- Downstream: spring reservation, water saving campaign
- Local governments: institutional & financial frameworks constructed
- Informing, consultation and partnership are executed
- Citizens, experts and enterprises are involved
- To perform each part respectively based on global conception of environment preservation
- Essential parameters for evaluating local governance
- Basic Environment Law prescribes local municipal corporations play an important role to objectively execute environment preservation policy.
- Environment governance system is on the way to be established
- It is highly evaluated that Kumamoto city has contributed a great deal to international cooperation for long time.

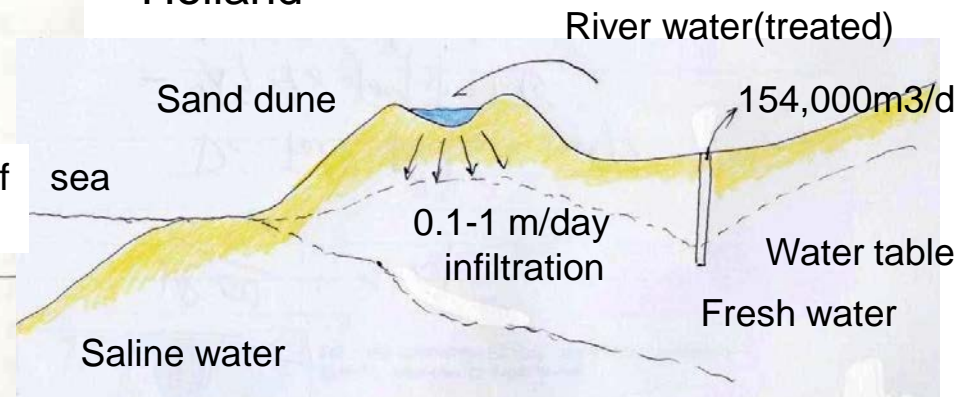
Purpose of groundwater recharge

- ◆Purification of groundwater quality
- ◆Prevention of salt water intrusion
- ◆Strengthening of groundwater reservoir
- ◆Prevention of land subsidence
- ◆Groundwater heat reservoir



Recharge from a pond

Holland



Method of groundwater recharge

TABLE 13.1 Distribution of Artificial Recharge Projects in California by Method of Recharge (after Richter and Chun⁶²)

Method	Percent of Recharge Projects	Percent of Recharged Water
Basin	54	58.4
Stream channel	15	29.5
Ditch and furrow	8	9.4
Pit	7	1.3
Well	12	1.0
Flooding	4	0.4
	100	100.0

Todd, D.K.
(1980)

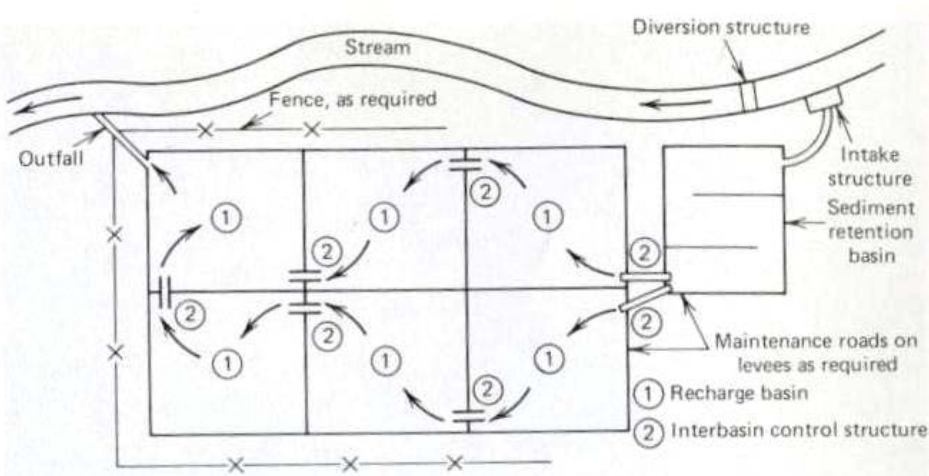


Fig. 13.1 Typical plan of a multiple-basin recharge project diverting water from a stream (after Amer. Soc. Civil Engrs., *Ground Water Management, Man. and Repts. on Engrng. Practice* 40, 1972).



Fig. 13.3 Channel spreading with rock-and-wire check dams in Cucamonga Creek near Upland, California (courtesy D. C. Muckel).



Fig. 13.2 Aerial view of spreading basins adjoining the San Gabriel River, Los Angeles, California, and temporary finger dikes within the river channel (courtesy Los Angeles County Flood Control District).

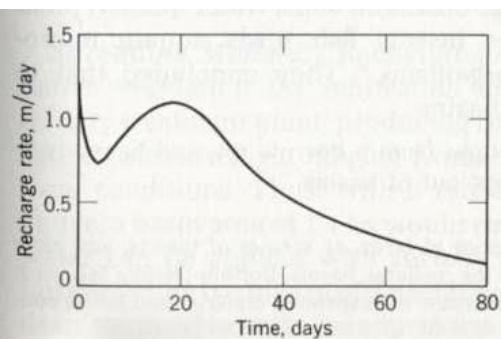


Fig. 13.9 Typical time variation of recharge rate for water spreading on undisturbed soil (after Muckel⁵¹).

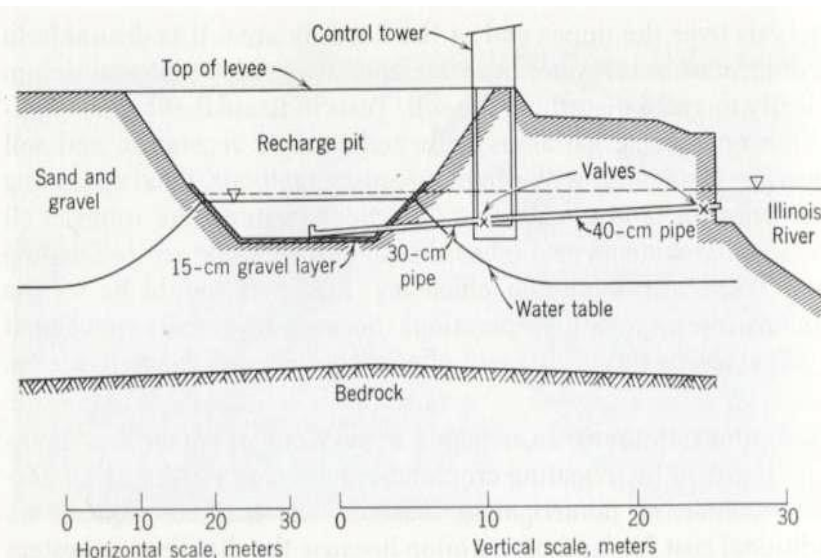
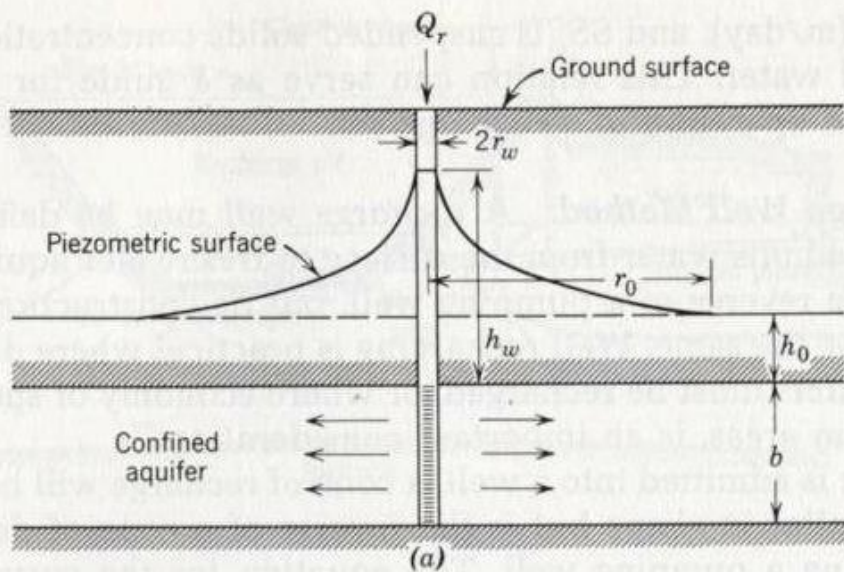


Fig. 13.5 Cross section of a recharge pit at Peoria, Illinois (after Suter and Harmeson⁷¹).

(Todd, D.K., 1980)

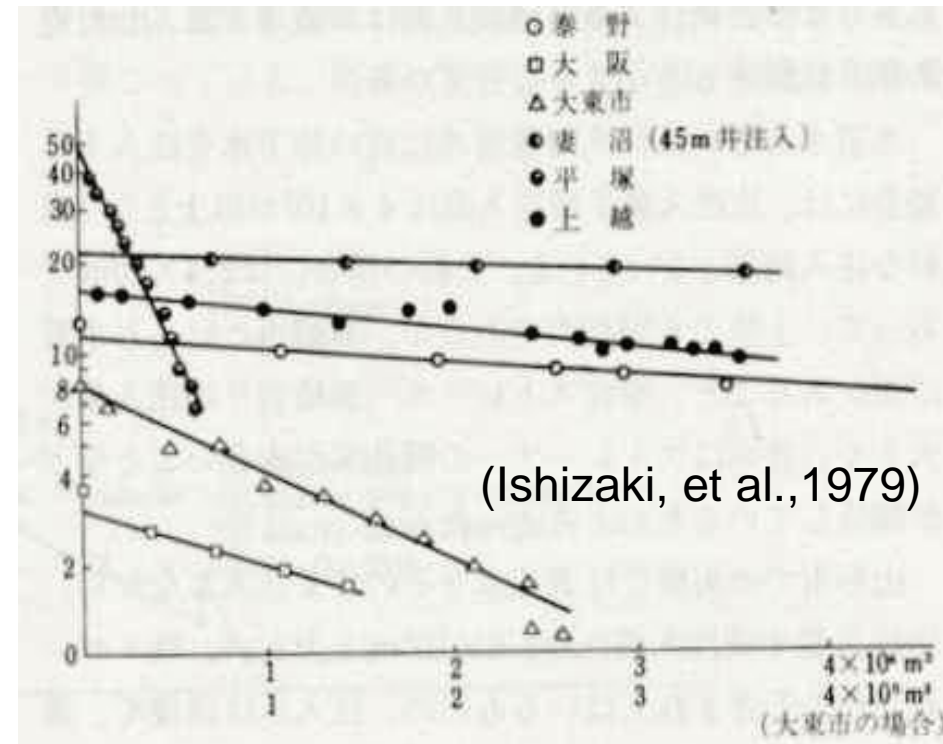


Fig. 13.4 Spreading ditches in Tujunga Wash, Los Angeles, California (courtesy City of Los Angeles Department of Water and Power).



Decrease of specific injection rate

$$\text{Specific injection rate} = \frac{\text{injection rate (m}^3/\text{sec)}}{\text{water level rise in a well (m)}}$$



(Ishizaki, et al., 1979)

Accumulative volume of injection water m³)

(Todd.D.K.,1980)

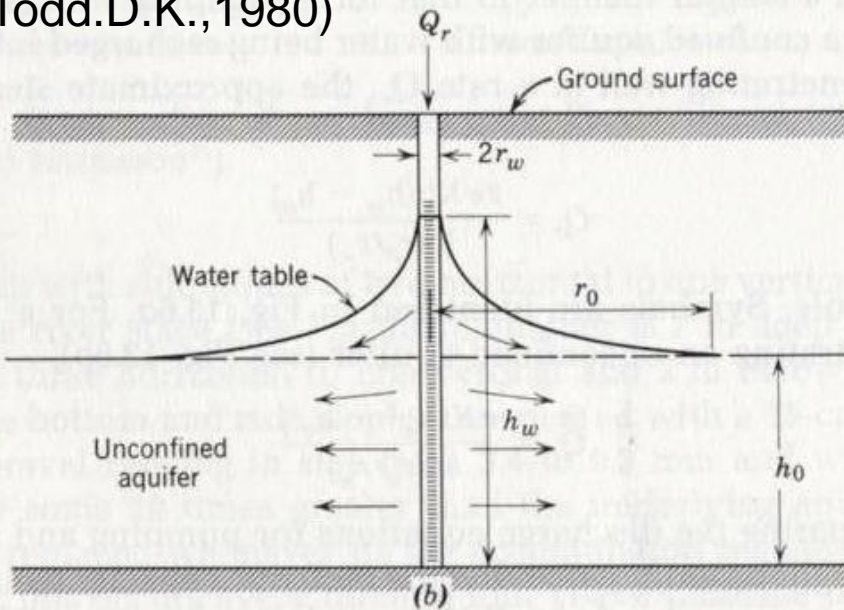


Fig. 13.6 Radial flow from recharge wells penetrating (a) confined and (b) unconfined aquifers.

Three types of well strainer

Johnson type screen (Driscoll,1986)

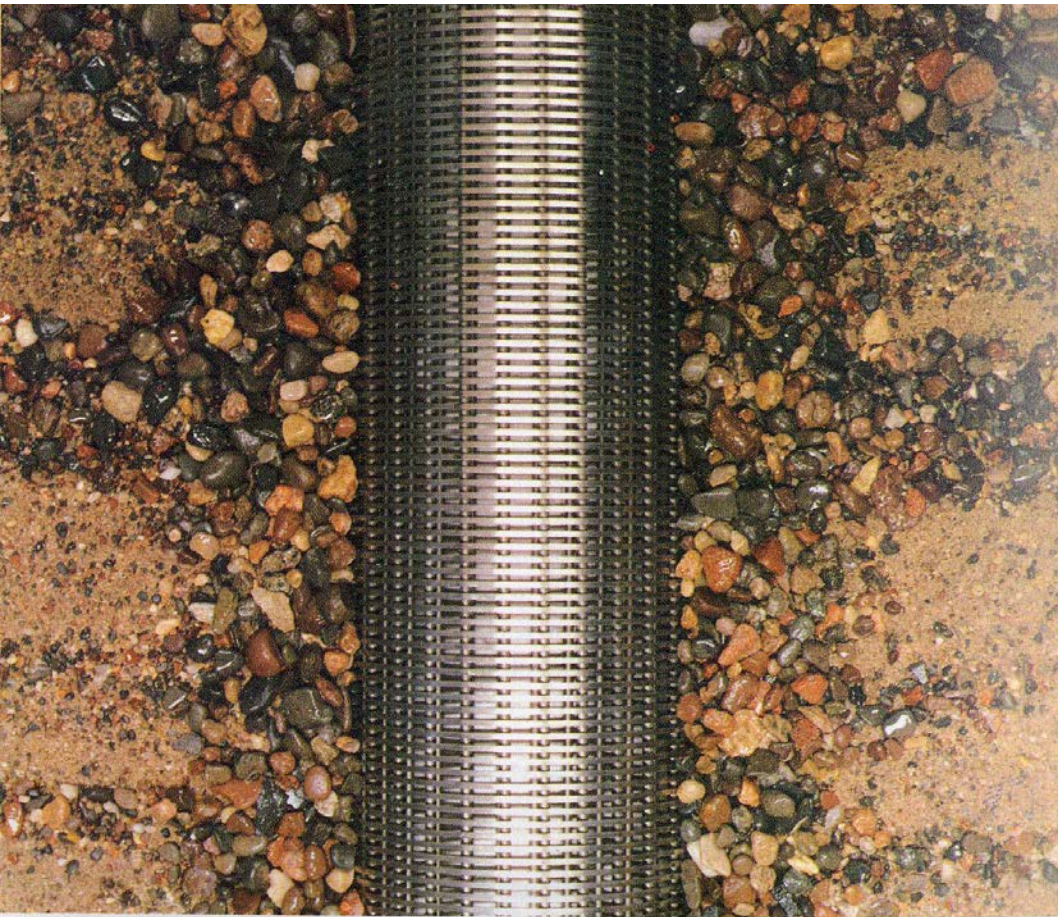


Figure 15.3. Natural development removes most particles near the well screen that are smaller than the slot openings, thereby increasing porosity and hydraulic conductivity in a zone surrounding the screen.

Pipe-base screen
(NST screen)
(Driscoll,1986)

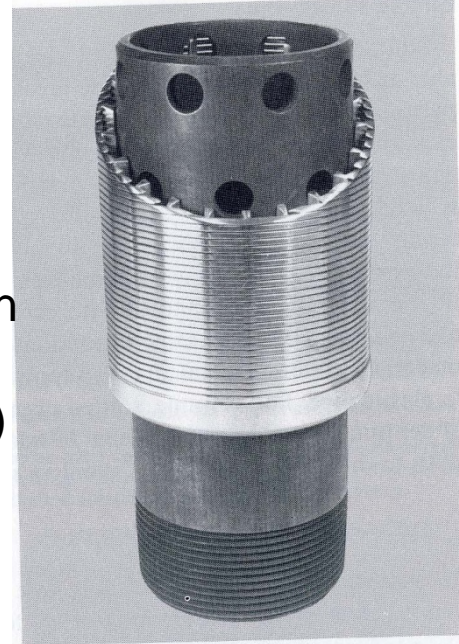
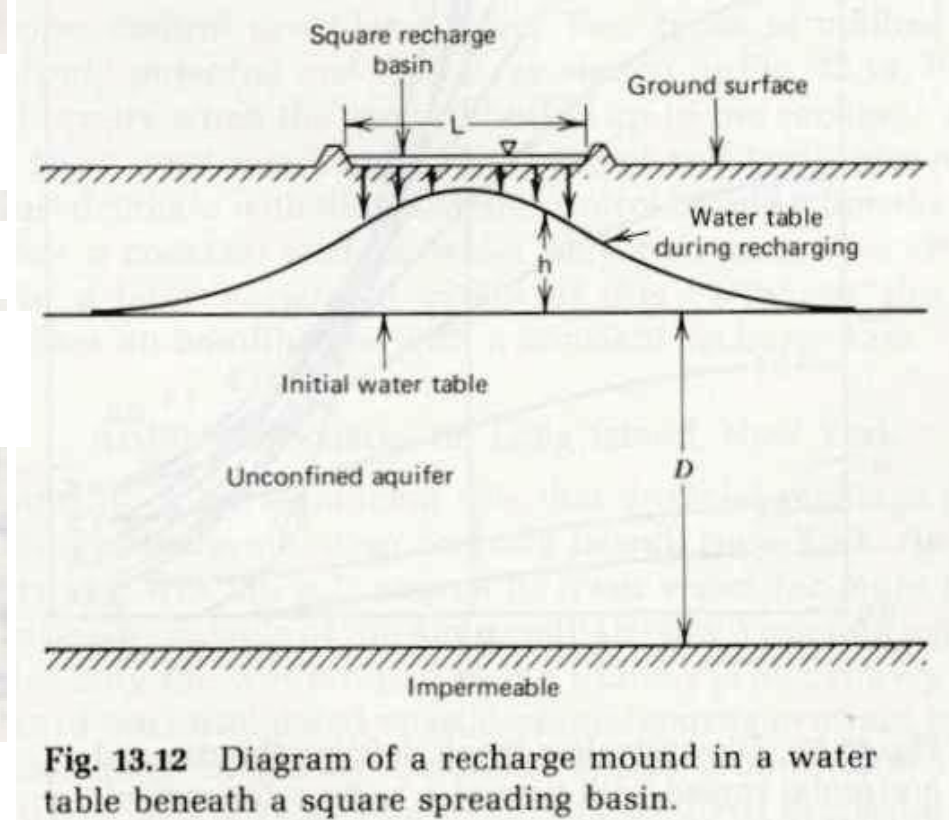
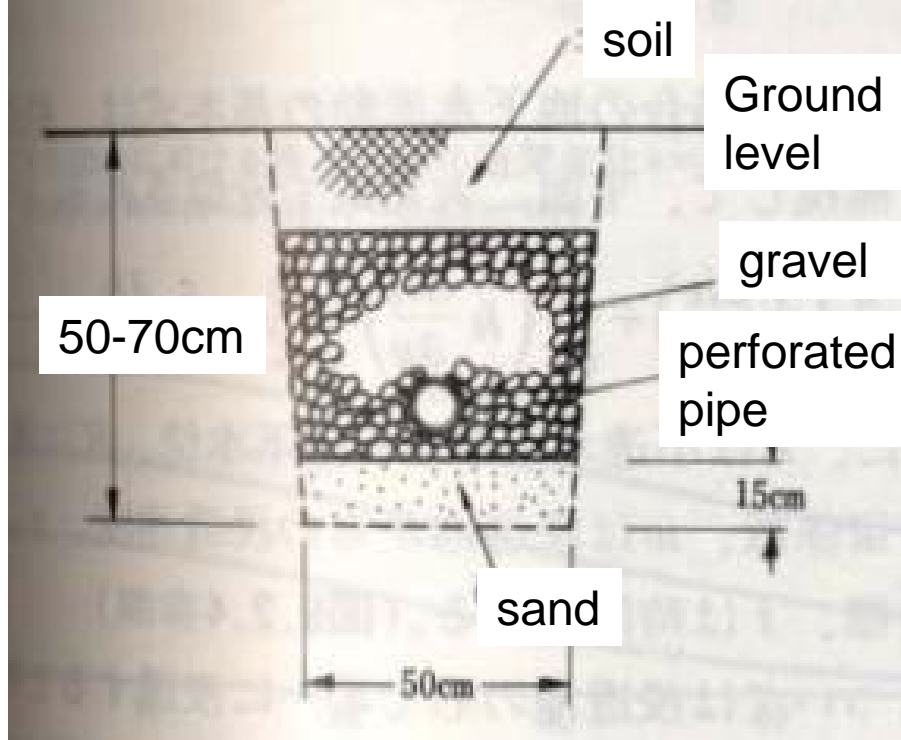


Figure 12.10. A pipe-base screen is constructed by wrapping wire around, or placing a continuous slot screen over, a perforated pipe base. This exceptionally strong construction is often specified for oil wells and occasionally for deep water wells. Both steel and plastic materials are used in this type of construction.

Slit type



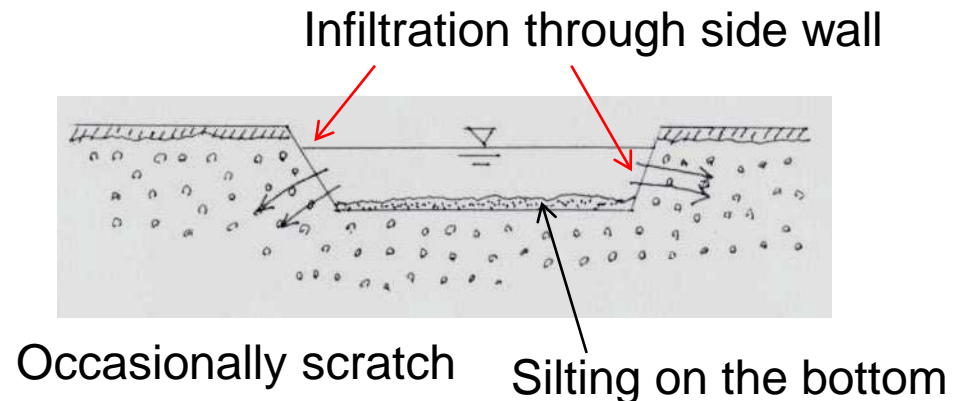


(Todd,D.K.,1980)

Negative factors for recharge

What causes clogging of injection rate ?

- 1) Suspended solid in injection water
- 2) Chemical reaction in aquifers
(ex. deflocculation caused by reaction of high sodium water with fine soil particles)
- 3) Multiplication of bacteria (microbe)
- 4) Air bubble
- 5) Change of soil particles distribution





Recharge in the arid zone

- Locally made Check dam in Matmata, South Tunisia, fossil blackish groundwater => pumping => pipeline => desalinization plant => domestic use in the cities in the downstream
- Micro-catchment water irrigation & harvesting in Siraz, South Iran
shallow ditch and mound around the Fog tree



Tunisia

Iran
Shiraz

23.12.2007

Matmata district, Tunisia



23.12.2007



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Micro Catchment Water Harvesting for Fig Tree Farm in Iran (2009)





Micro Catchment Water Harvesting for Fig Tree Farm in Iran (2009)





Thank you for kind attention !

A photograph of a Japanese castle tower, likely Matsumoto Castle, seen through a large, triangular stone wall. The wall is made of dark, moss-covered stones and is situated on a grassy hillside. In the foreground, there is a small, dark, rectangular stone structure on a paved base. The background is filled with lush green trees and foliage. The text "Thank you for kind attention." is overlaid in a white, italicized font across the center of the image.

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