

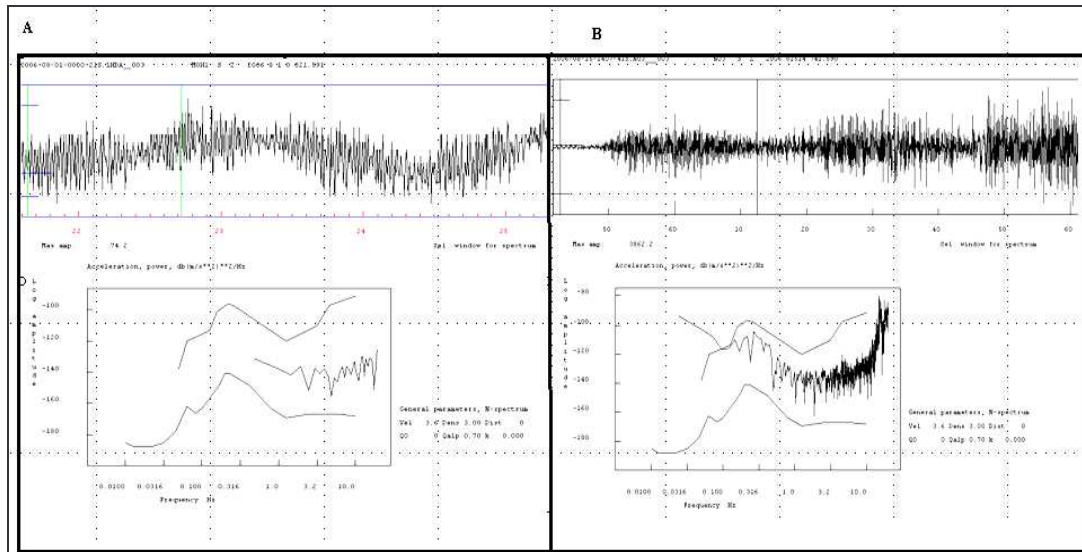
## Appendix A: Station Non-operation chart

Operational statistics chart for the LHWP seismic stations from 2002 to 2006. Blank boxes mean stations were functional; L means stations were malfunctioning due to lightening, V due to vandalism, O/F means stations were on and off, N means stations were not functional due to other reasons and U means there are uncertainties in the causes of stations' failure.

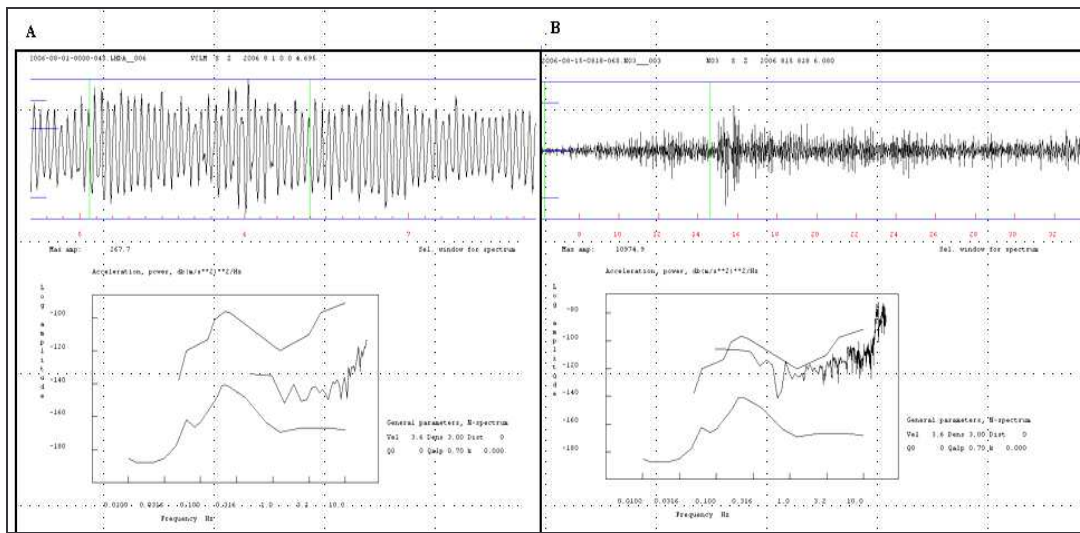
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Jan-02											
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Apr-02											
May-02											
Jun-02	N										
Jul-02											
Aug-02			N		N						
Sep-02											
Oct-02	N	N	N	N	N						
Nov-02											
Dec-02						L					V
Jan-03						N	N	N	N	N	V
Feb-03							N	U	U	N	
Mar-03							N	U	U	N	
Apr-03							N	U	U	N	
May-03											
Jun-03											
Jul-03											
Aug-03											
Sep-03			N		N		N				
Oct-03											
Nov-03			O/F		O/F	N	N				
Dec-03		U	O/F		N	N	N				
Jan-04	O/F		O/F		N	N	N				
Feb-04	O/F						N				
Mar-04							N				
Apr-04							N				
May-04		N	N		N	N	N				
Jun-04						N	N				

Jul-04					N		N			
Aug-04		N	N							
Sep-04										
Oct-04										
Nov-04										
Dec-04								N		N
Jan-05										
Feb-05										
Mar-05										
Apr-05	N	N	N	N	N					
May-05	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Jun-05	N	N	N	N	N					
Jul-05			N	N	N		N			
Aug-05							N			N
Sep-05	L	N			N					
Oct-05							N	N		
Nov-05							N			
Dec-05			N		N	N	N	L		O/F
Jan-06			N							
Feb-06			N							
Mar-06	N	N	N	N	N	N	N			N
Apr-06	N	N	N	N	N	N	N			N
May-06	N	N	N	N	N	N	N			N
Jun-06	N	N	N	N	N		N			N
Jul-06	N	N	N	N	N		N			N
Aug-06	N	N	N	N	N		N			N
Sep-06	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Oct-06	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N	N
Nov-06	N	N	N	N	N		N			N
Dec-06	N	N	N	N	N		N		N	N

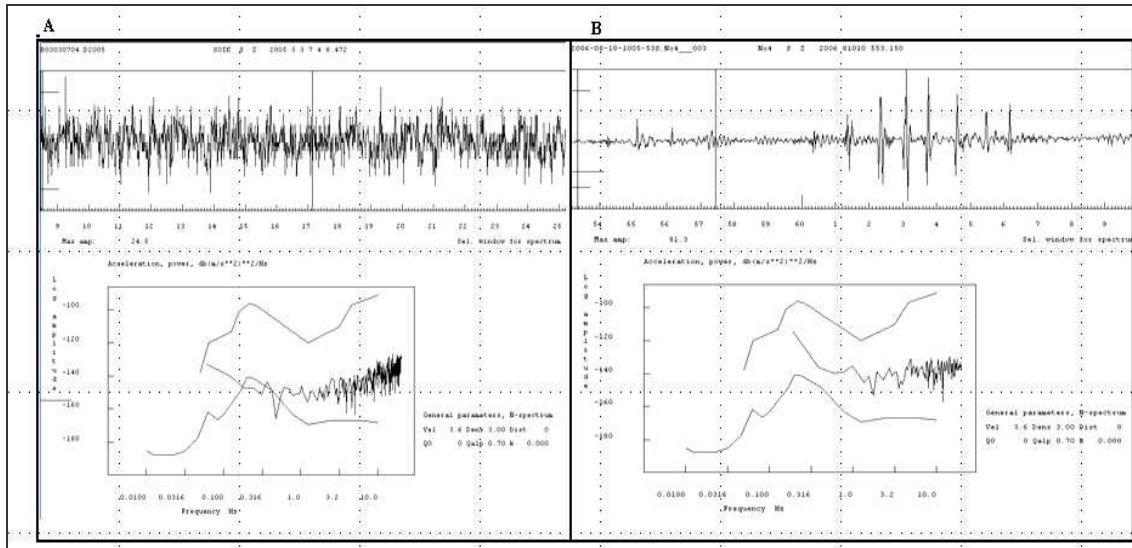
# Appendix B: Noise Spectra Comparison



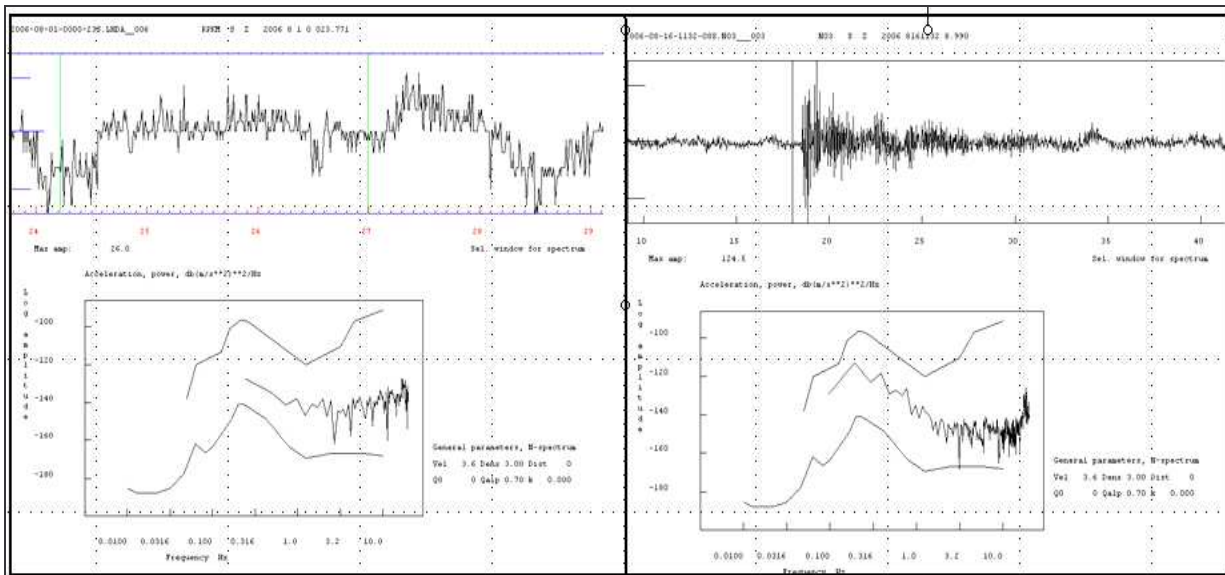
Noise spectra from the for station MOH1. A is the permanent station's signal and B is the GBV's signal



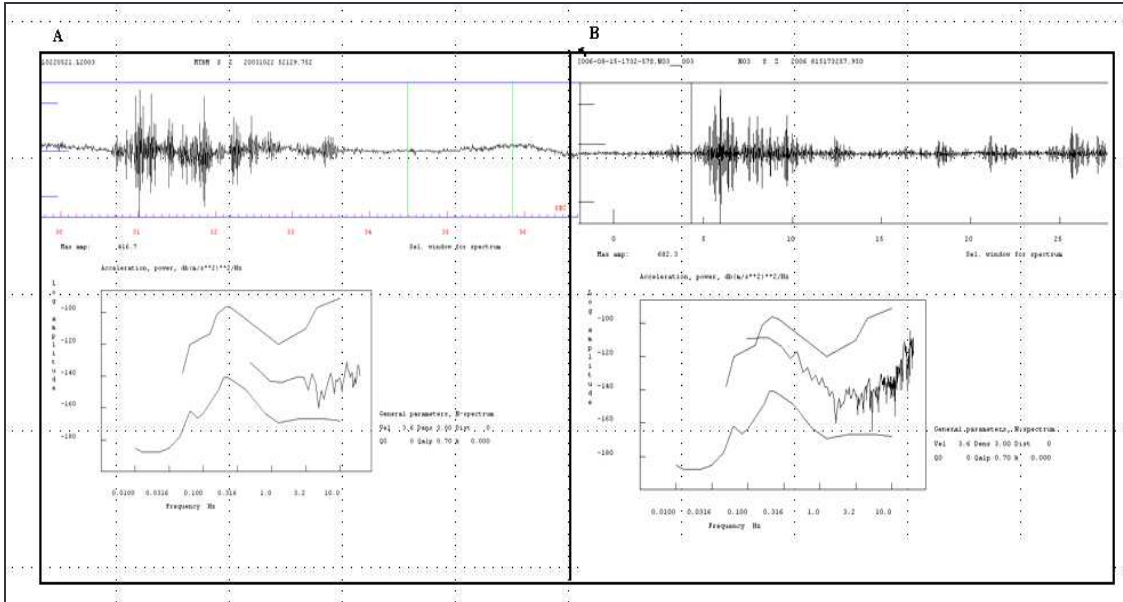
Noise Spectra from station VCLM. A is the permanent station's signal and B is the GBV's signal



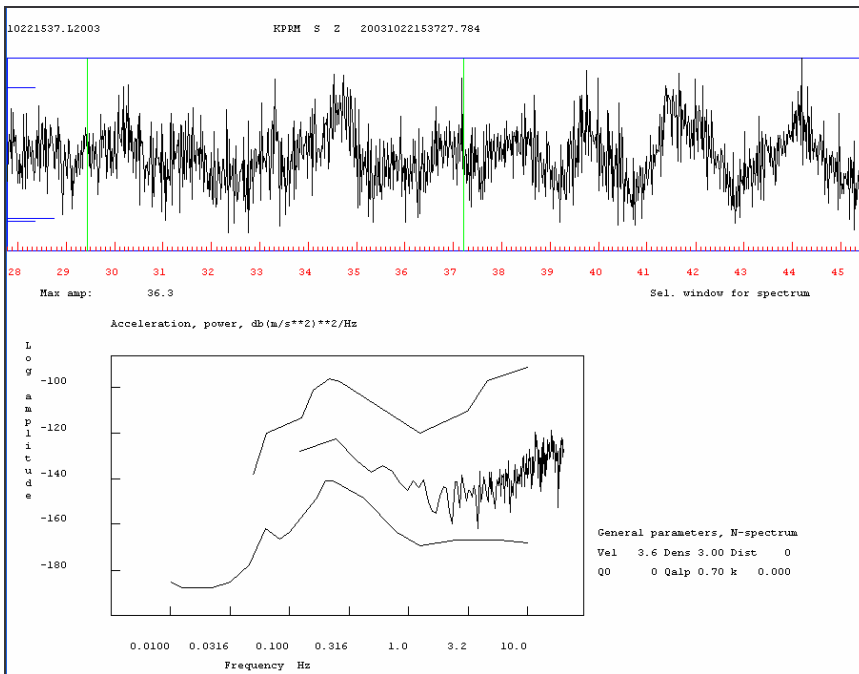
Noise Spectra from station SOIK. A is froma signal from the permanent station and B is a signal from the GBV.



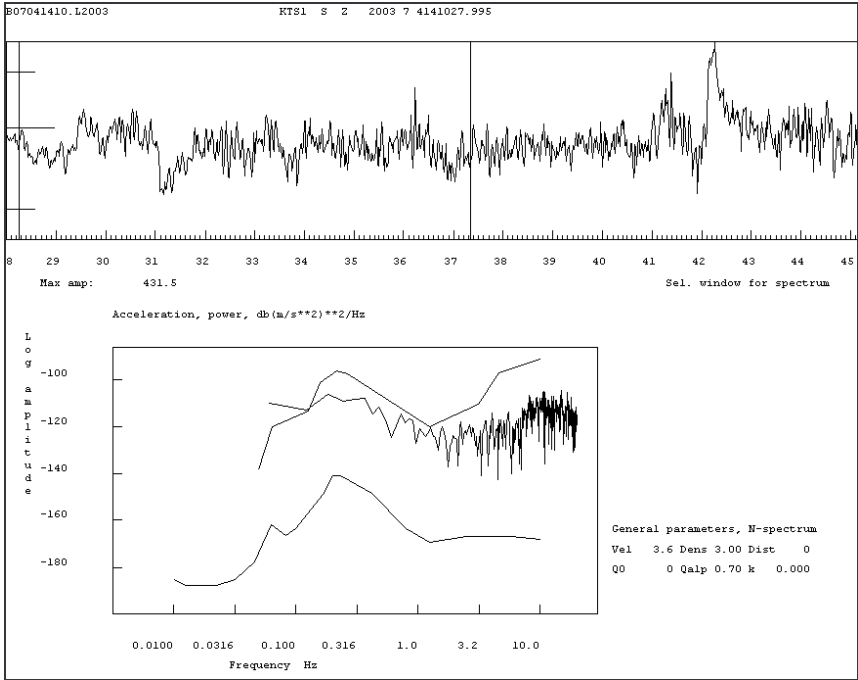
Noise Spectra for RPKM. A is signal from permanent station while B is signal from GBV.



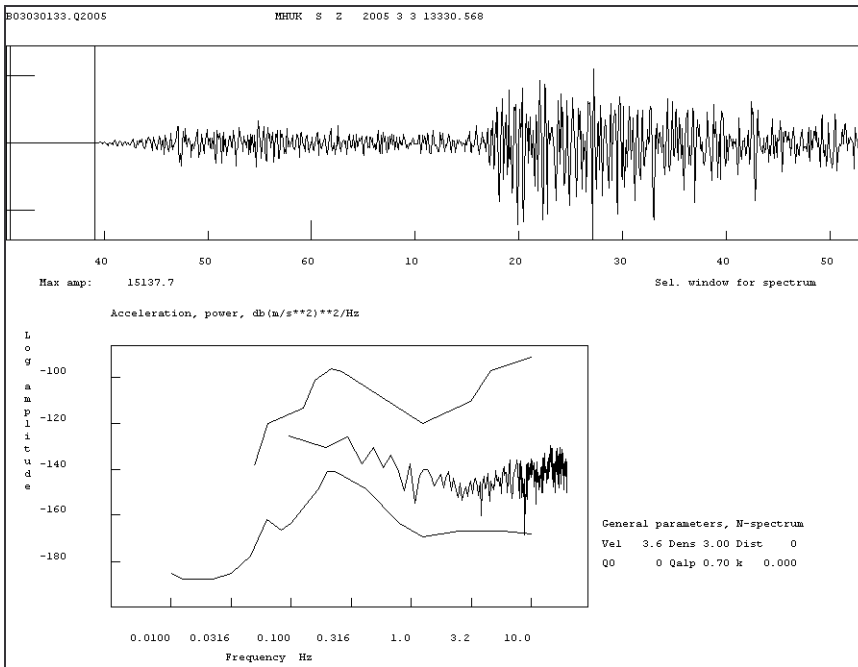
Noise spectra from MTBM. A is from permanent station and B is from GBV.



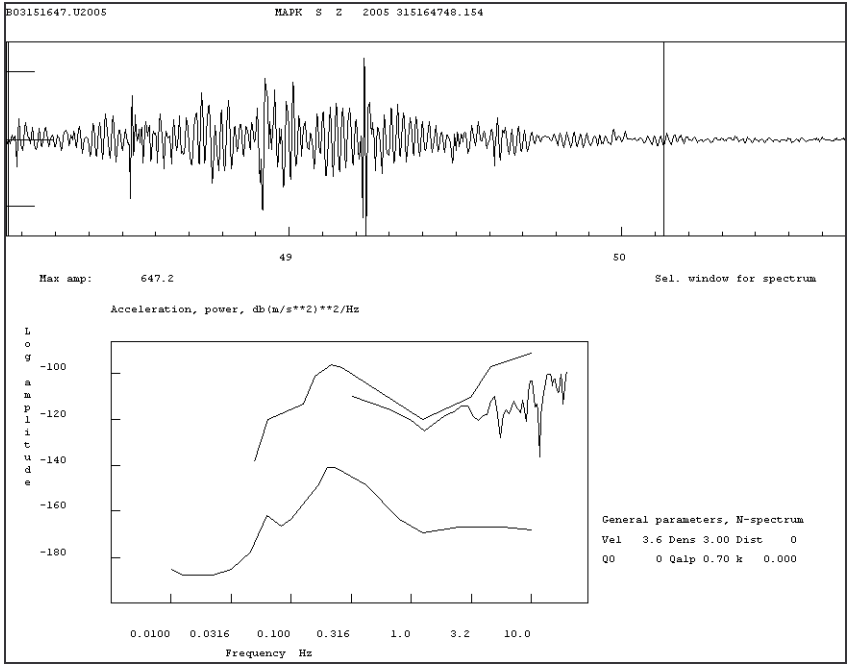
Noise Spectra from KPRM permanent station. No comparison was made for this station.



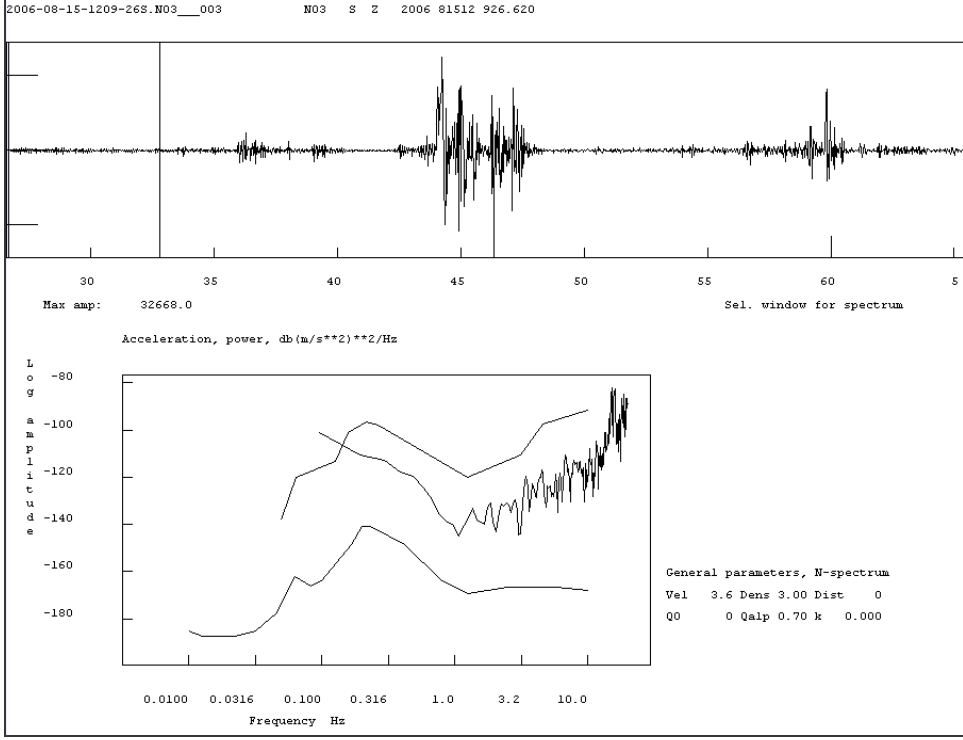
Noise Spectra for KTS. No comparison for this station.



Noise spectra from MHUK.



Noise spectra from MAPK permanent station



Noise from MHLM station recorded by the GBV.

## Appendix C: Programs used

Compilation of catalogues and calculations of the seismic hazard are done by use of **SEISAN** software (Havskov, 2003). A brief description of the programs used and files yielded by using this software is given below.

### **SELECT**

This program selects a subset of earthquake data according to a given criteria. Earthquakes were selected from all three databases mentioned in the thesis and put into one catalogue. First the LHWP data for the period 2002 to 2006 was re-analyzed and a database was created. The CGS data was split into two parts due to the fact that one data file is from 1620 to 1899 and the other from 1902 to 1971, then the ISC data, which is from 1904 to 2006 was merged. The LHWP data, which covers the period 1995 to 2001, was also merged and it can be seen that there was an overlap of data with the PDE. This overlap was dealt with by use of other programs whose descriptions will follow. The **SELECT** program produces a file; **select.out**, which contains the compiled catalogue which can be changed to a name of meaning to the analyst. It is then possible to specify the particular details that one is interested in (e.g. an area in terms of coordinate limits, magnitude types, hypocenter agency etc) and work on that portion of data. As a result, this program is used several times during this thesis work.

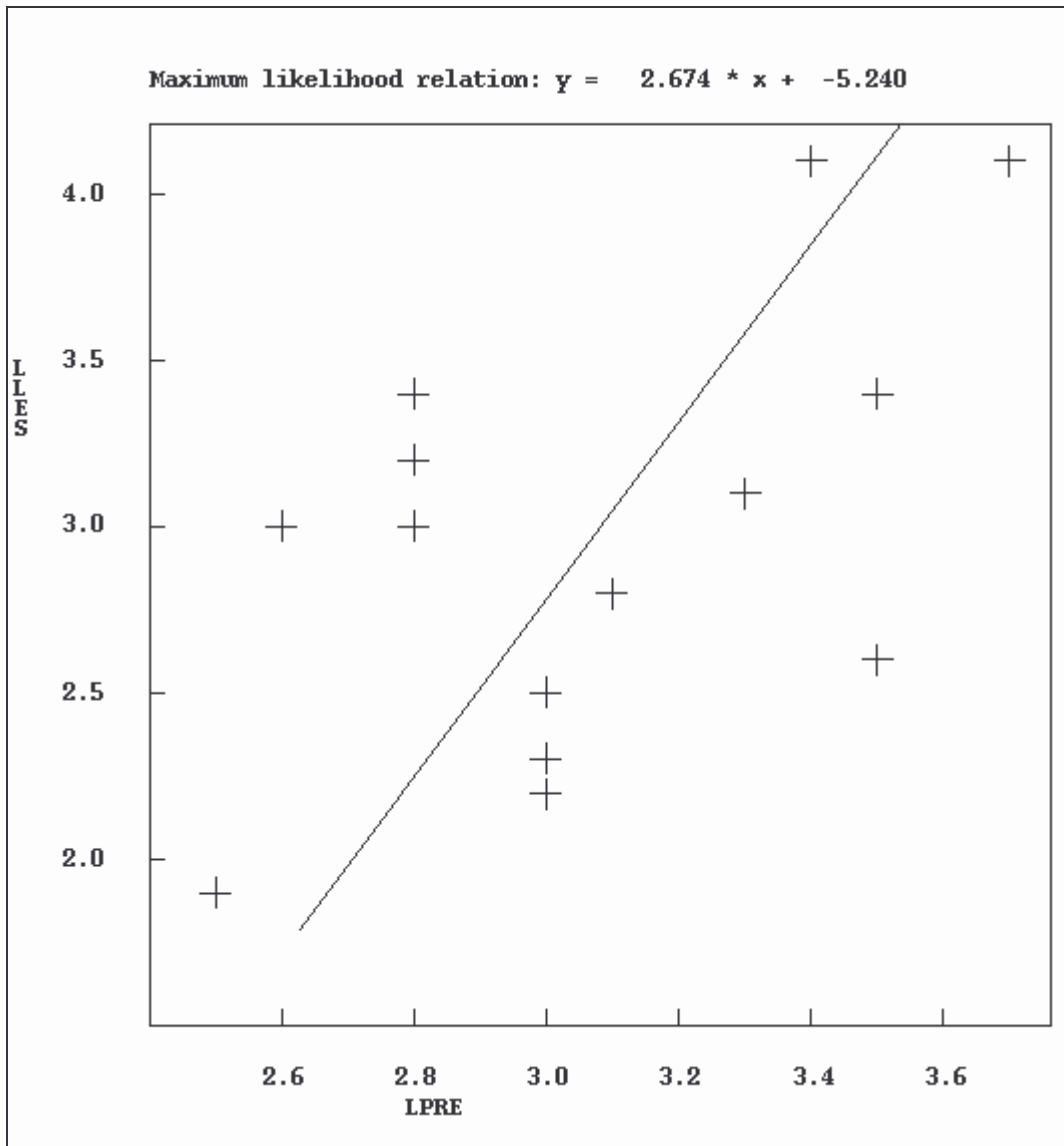
### **SPLIT**

This is run together with **EEV** in order to create an alternative identity for duplicate events. In the case of events that overlapped, these programs were run and the duplicates were appended, by using option “s” which indicates which events are duplicates the an option “a” is used to associate/ append the event such that the event appears once in the

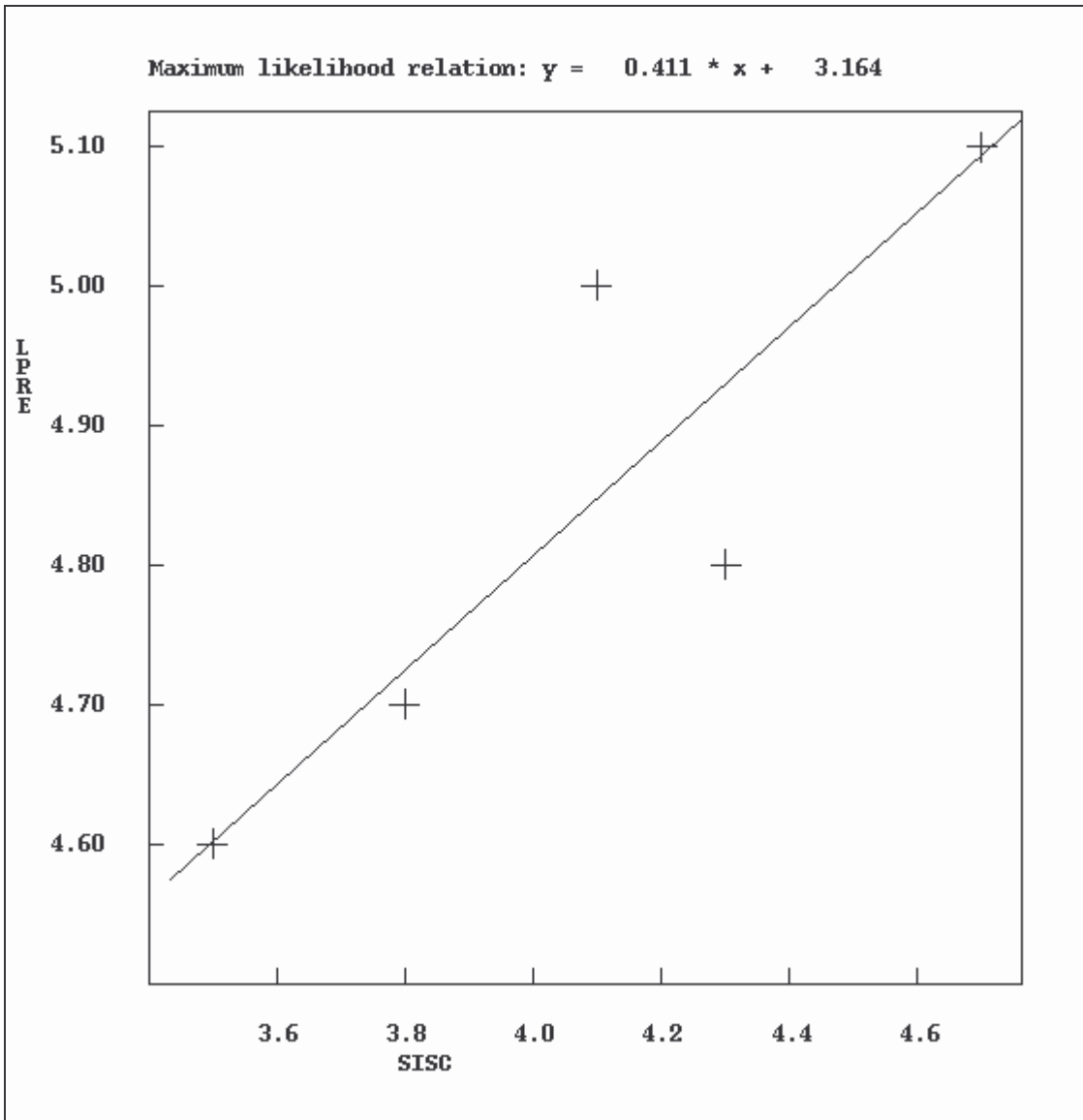


database. **SPLIT** is an important tool when merging catalogues. In a way the catalogue was “cleaned”.

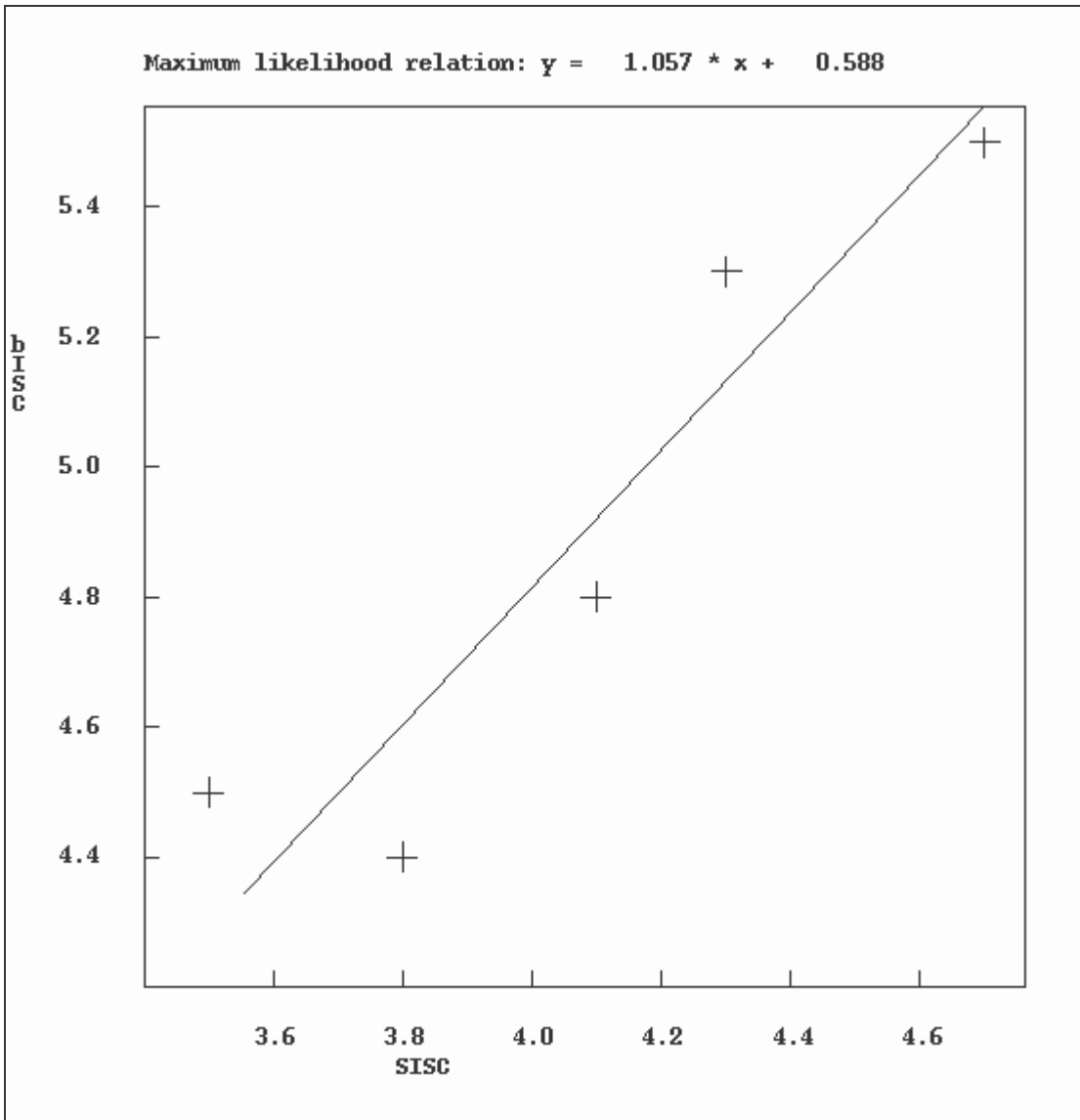
## Appendix D: Impractical magnitude unification plots



Plot between  $M_L$  and  $M_W$ .

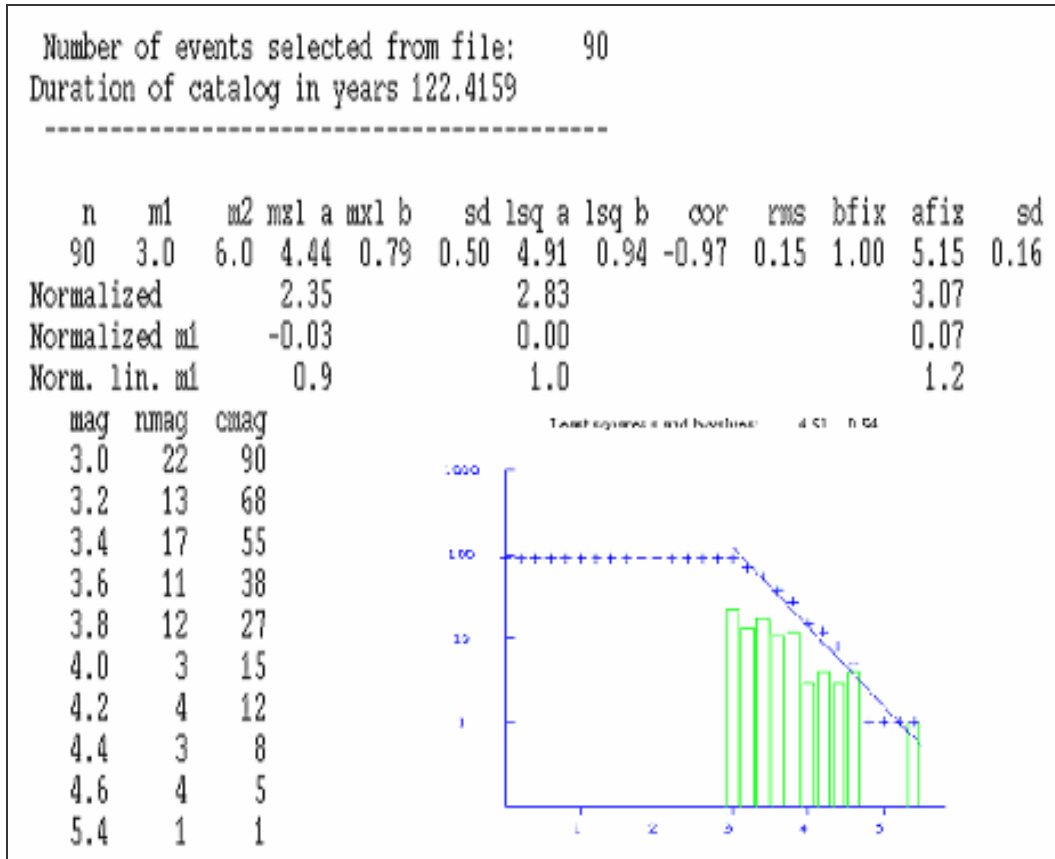


Plot between  $M_L$  and  $M_S$

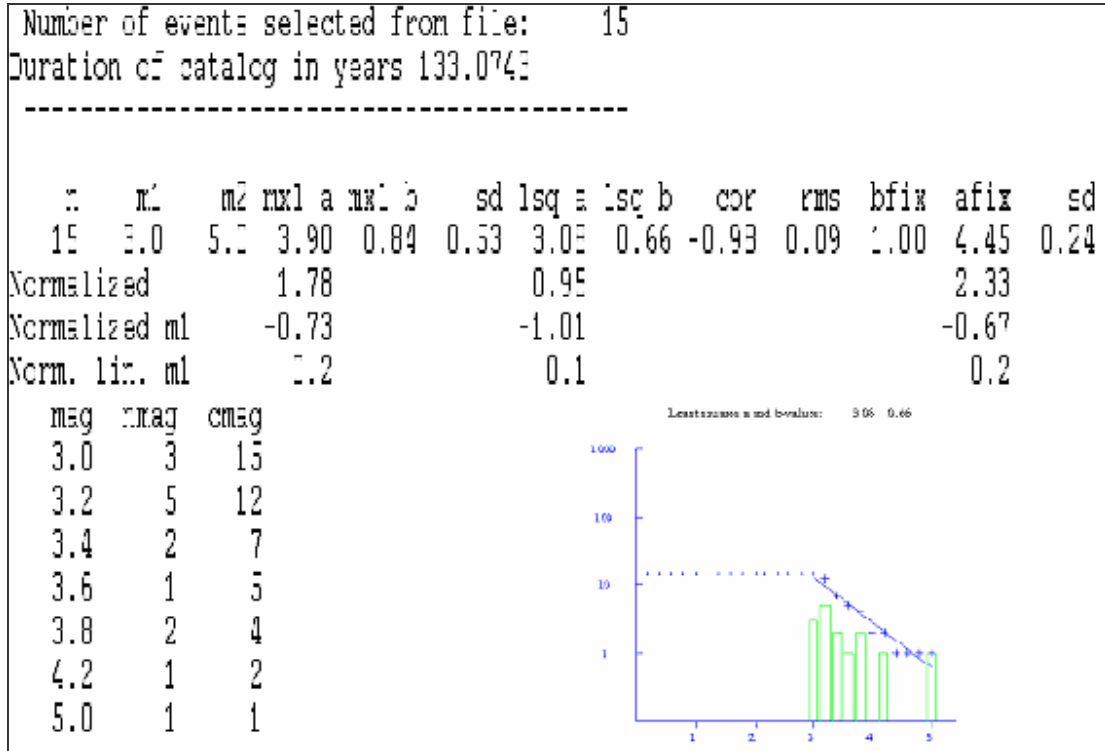


Plot of  $M_b$  and  $M_S$

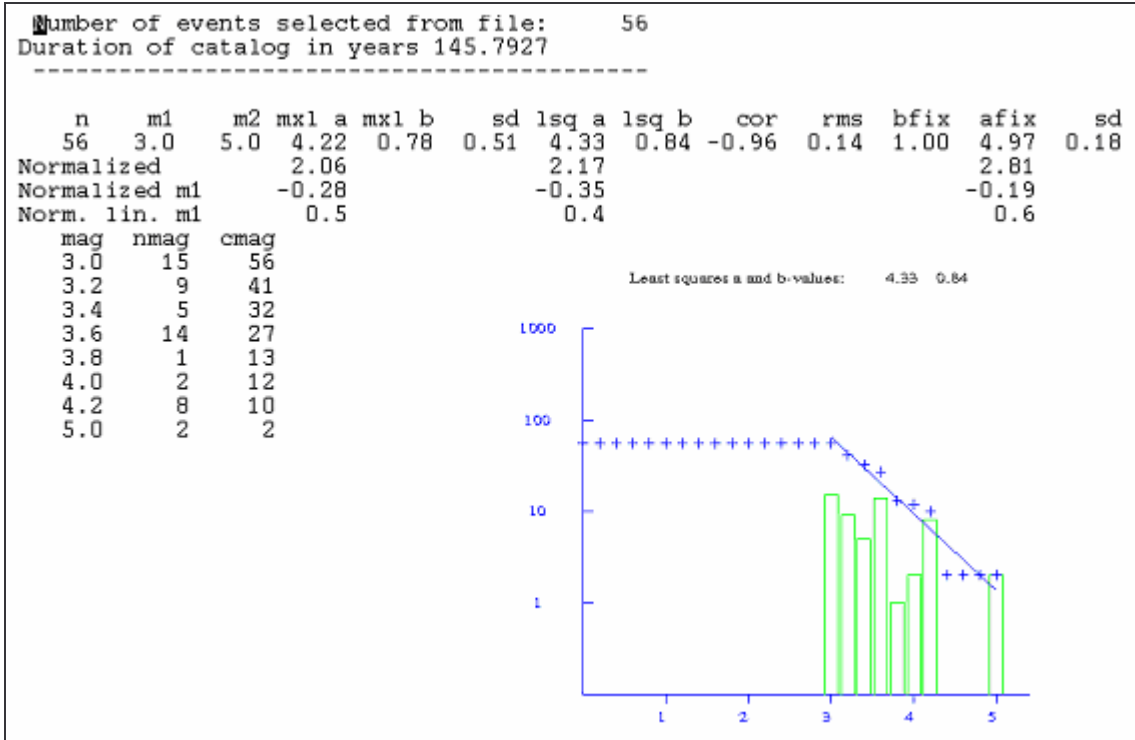
## Appendix E: b-value plots



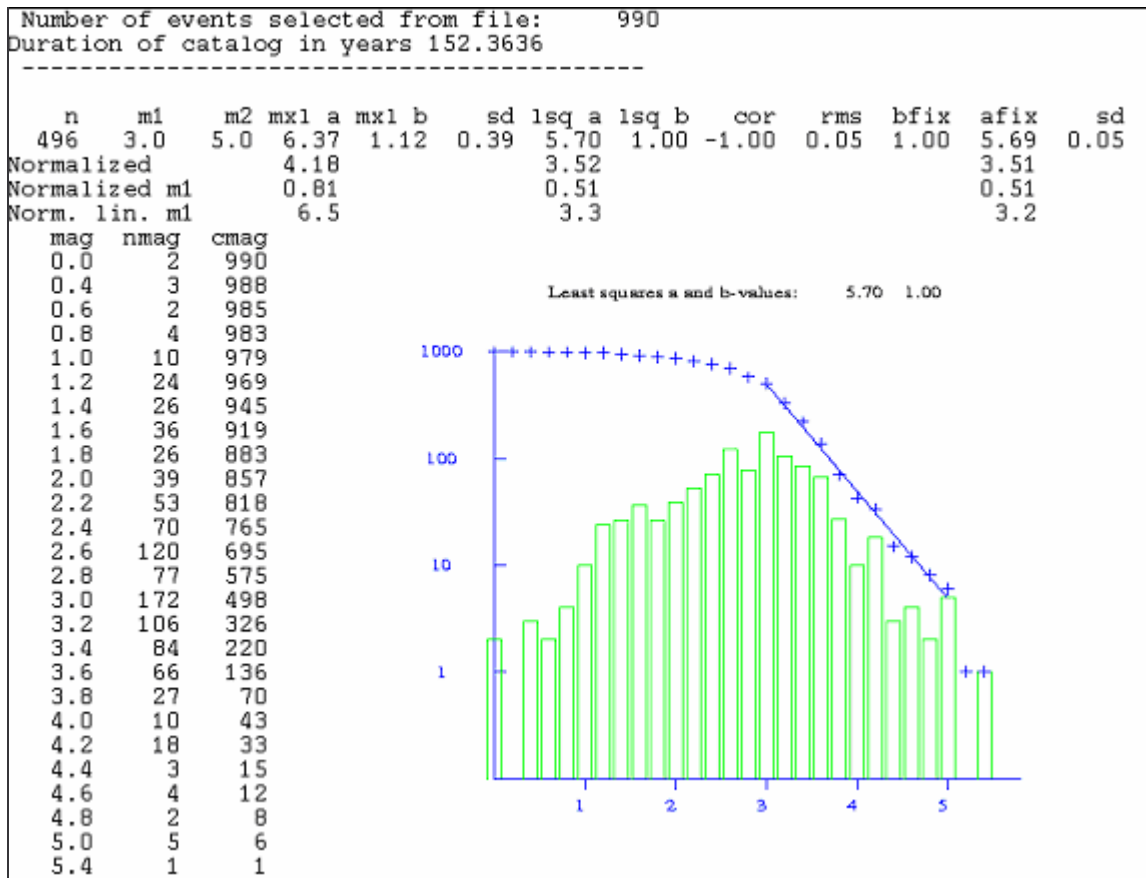
*b*-value parameters together with plot for Senqu zone.



*b*-value parameters together with plot for North Lesotho.



*b-value parameters together with plot for Drakensberg zone*



*b-value parameters together with plot for Study region.*



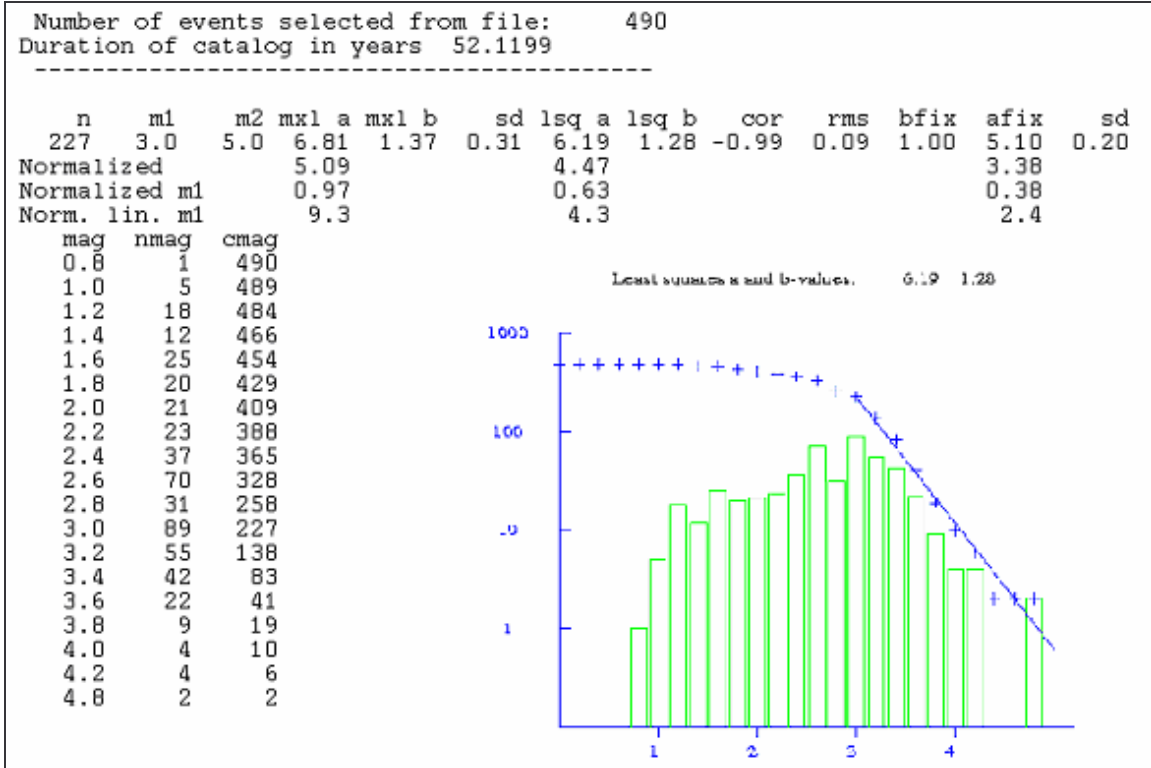


Figure 6: *b*-value parameters together with plot for SA-Mines.

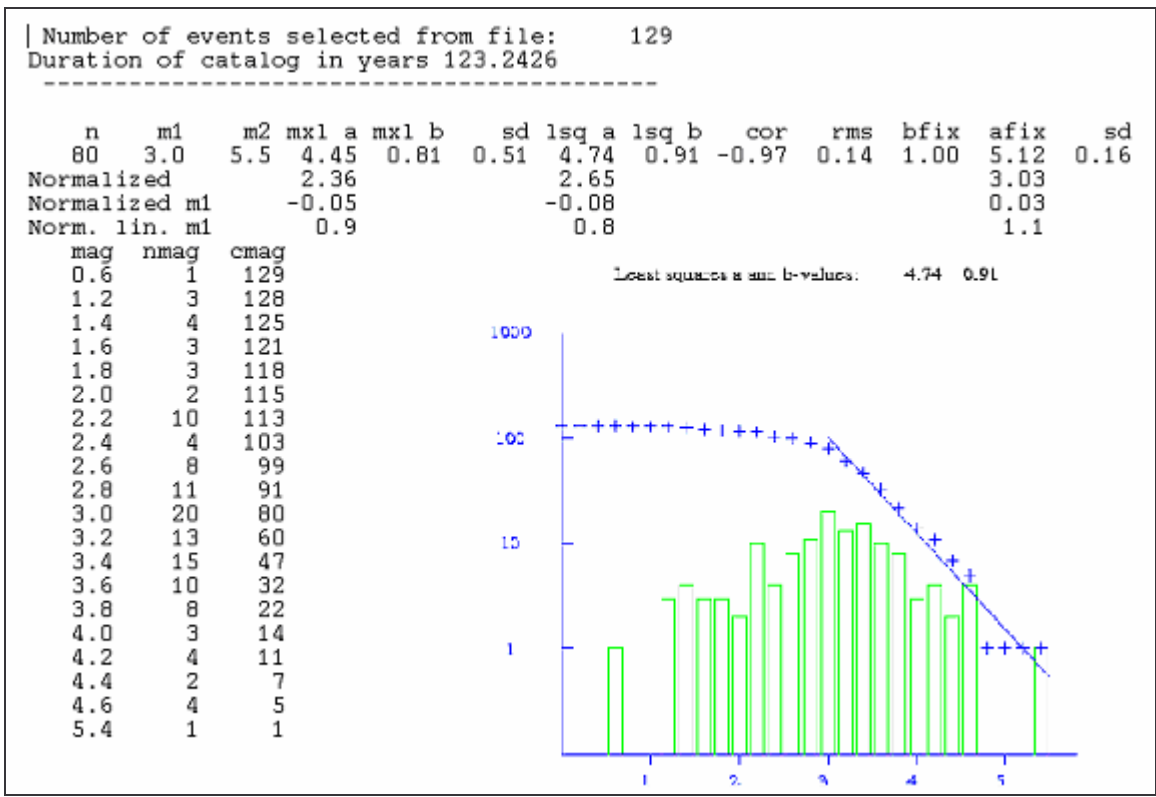


Figure 7: *b*-value parameters together with plot for Senqu.

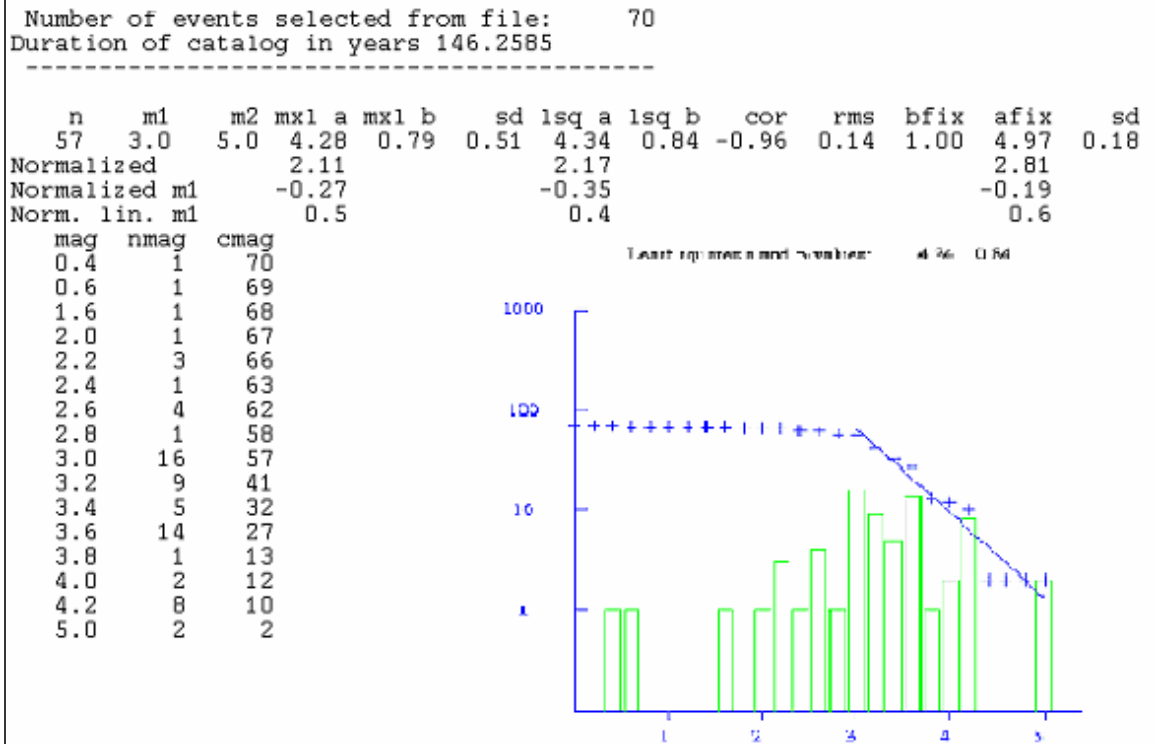


Figure 8:  $b$ -value parameters together with plot for Drakensberg.

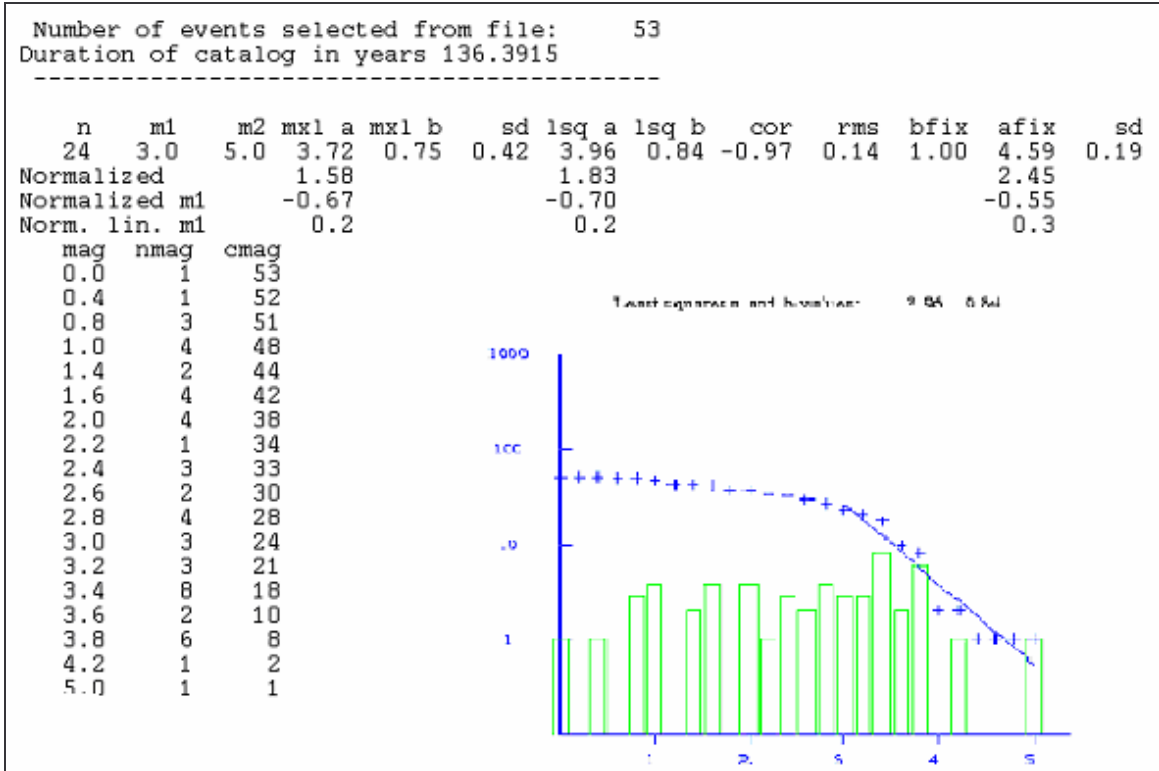


Figure 9: b-value parameters together with plot for North Lesotho.

Number of events selected from file: 9  
 Duration of catalog in years 10.7574

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Normalized
Normalized m1      1.91      0.75      1.97
Normalized m1      0.03      -0.27     -0.03
Norm. lin. m1      1.1      0.5      0.9
mag  nmag  cmag
0.4   1     9
1.2   1     8
1.4   1     7
2.0   1     6
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2.6   1     3
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3.2   1     1
  
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Least squares a and b-values: 1.78 0.51

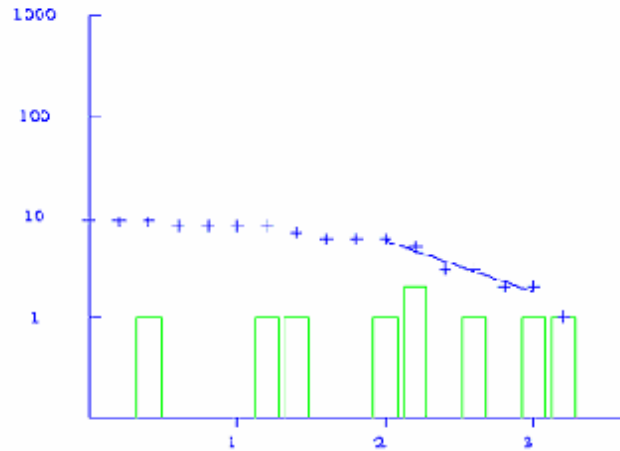


Figure 9: b-value parameters together with plot for Katse Dam.

## Appendix F: Hazard maps not shown in the thesis

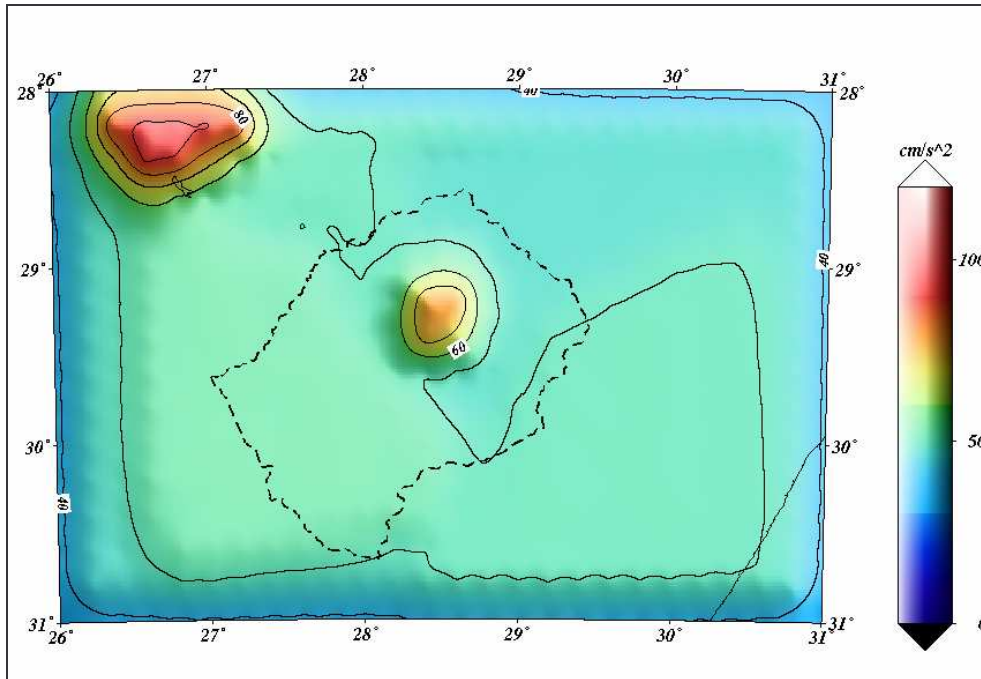


Figure 1 Hazard map for 100 year return period

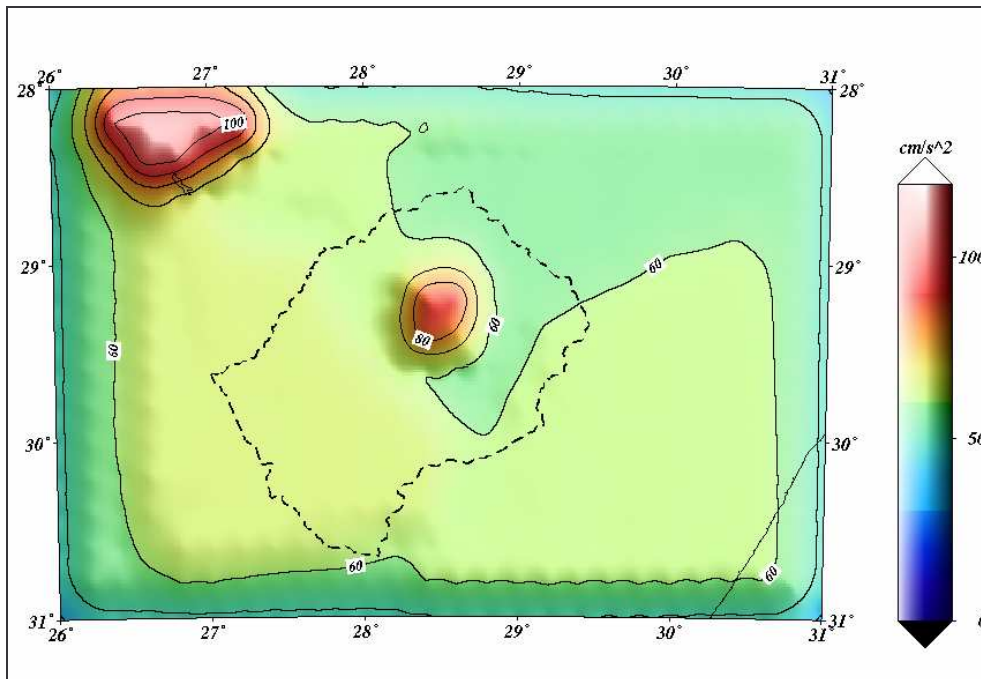


Figure 2: hazard for 200 yrs return period

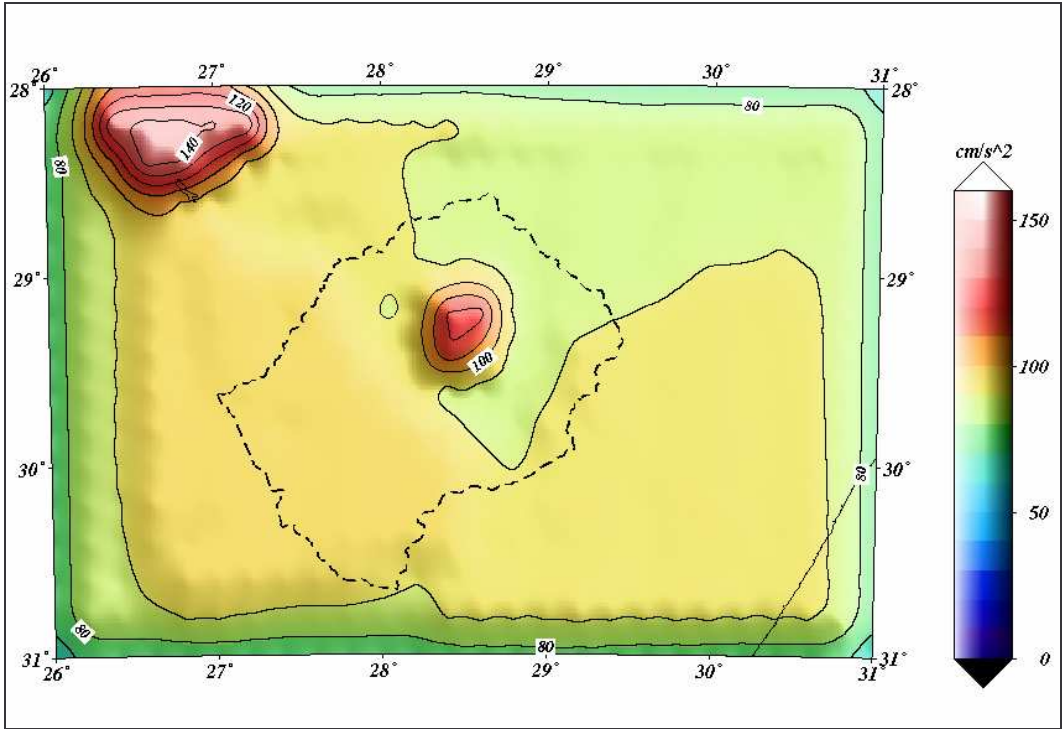


Figure 3: Hazard map for 1000 year return period

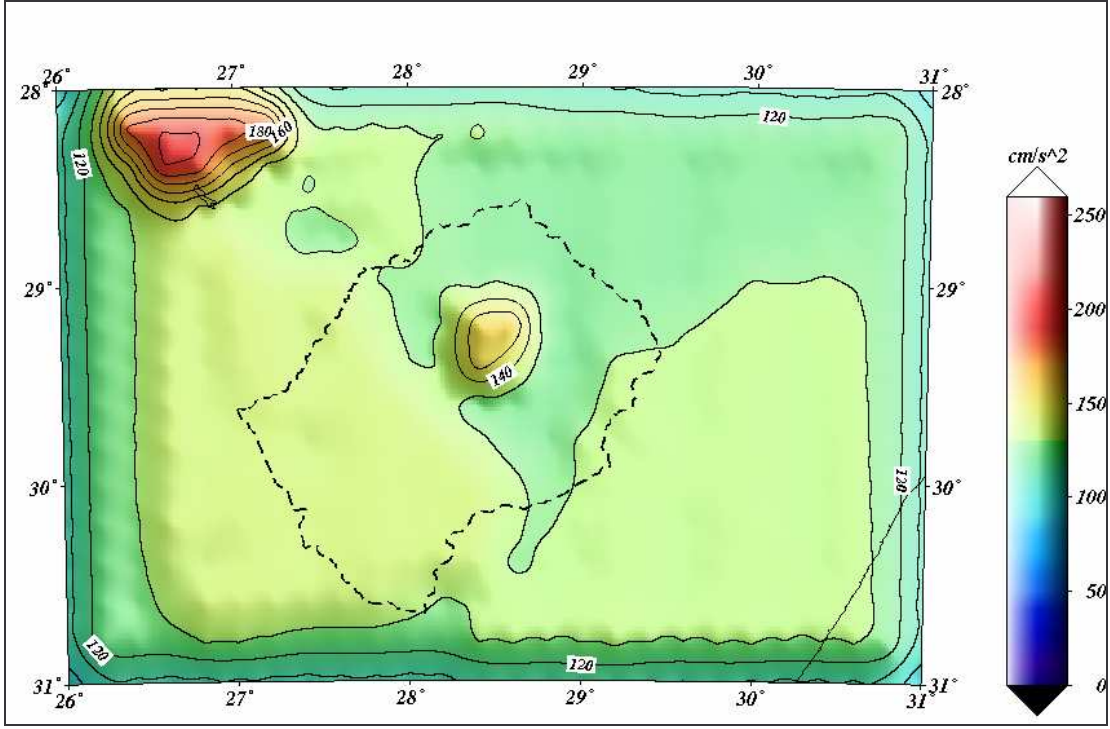


Figure 4: Hazard map for 5000-year return period

