

# **GEOELEC WP2**

## **« Prospective for Geothermal Electricity in Europe »**

### **Regional Workshop Greece, Cyprus, Malta, Bulgaria, Romania, Turkey**

Athens, 20/12/2011



# Regional compilation of prospective areas and resource assessment

## Geoelec Geothermal resource assessment protocol

### Data compilation

Critical review of bibliographic compilation from:

- Geological surveys
- Oil & Gas company public reports
- Direct contacts with underground 'explorators'
- 7 regional workshops to complete data compilation

# Early geothermal data compilations

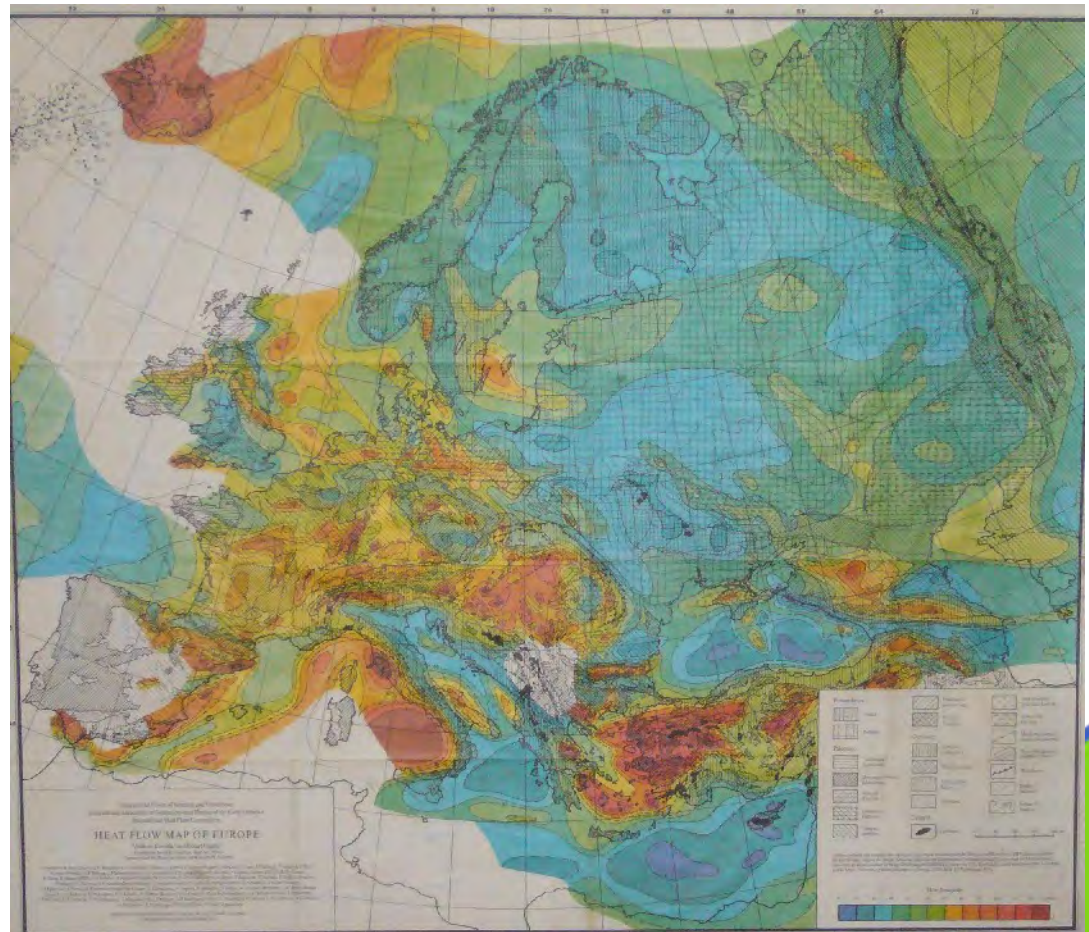
## CERMAK, V. & RYBACH, L. (eds.) (1979): Terrestrial Heat Flow in Europe

Book with different papers from a Workshop

A map of heat flow density was included in that book

Similar book:

CERMAK, V. & HÄNEL, R. (eds.) (1980): Geothermics and Geothermal Energy, Symposium EGS/ESC Budapest



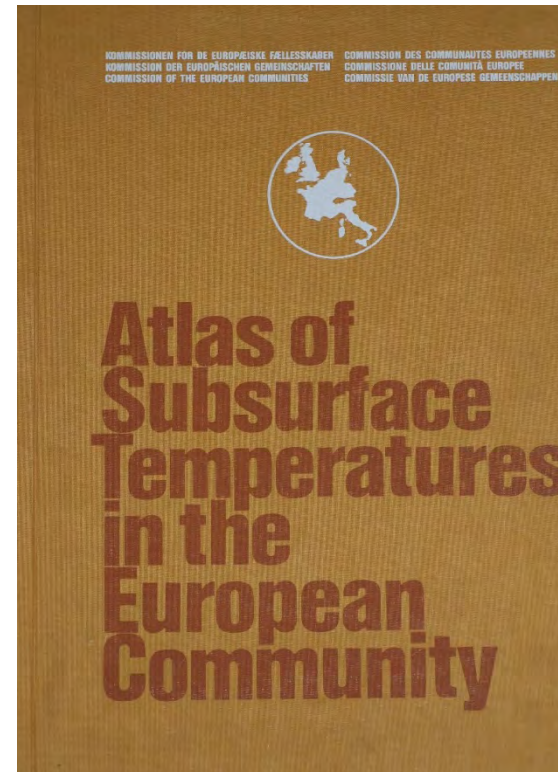
(Map by Cermak & Hurtig, 1979)

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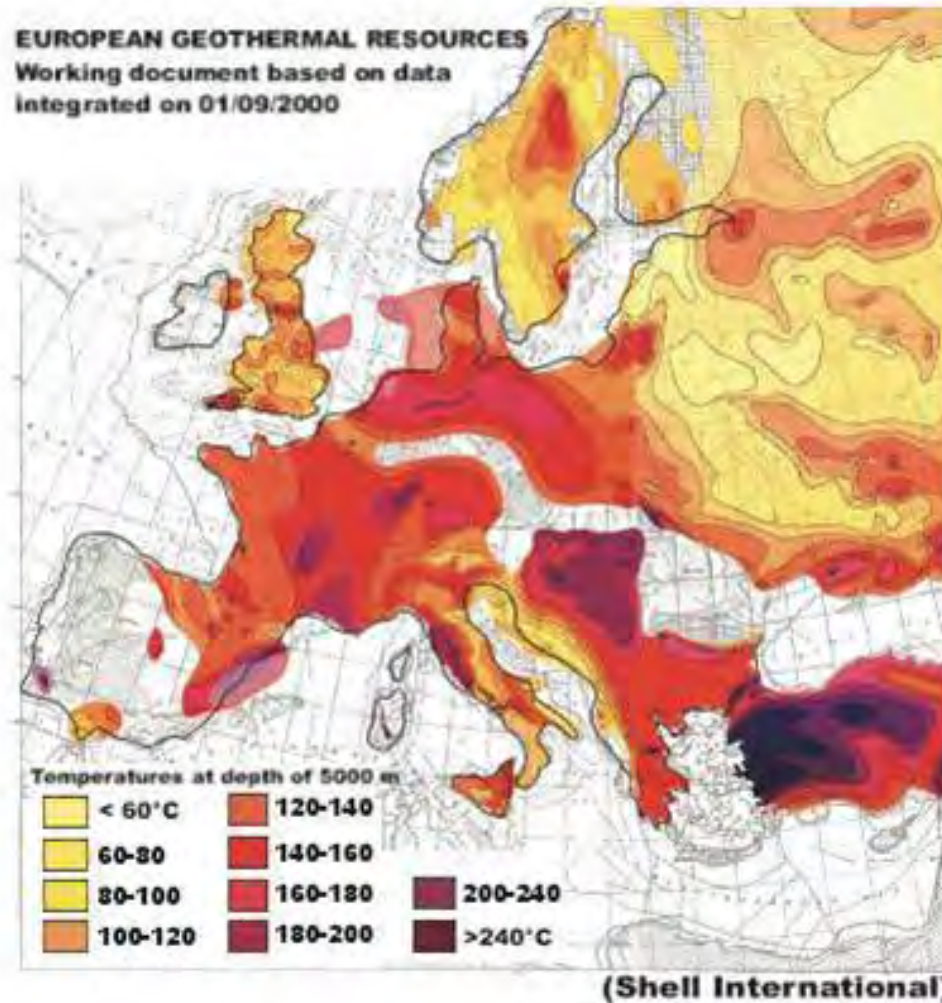
## EC 'Atlas of Subsurface Temperatures in the EC' (1980)

Coordinated by BGR, Hannover  
(Ralph Hänel)

Only heat flow and temperatures  
at depths between 500 and 5000,  
for countries and regions  
(e.g. Soultz-Landau)



# SHELL Map (2000)



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EC 'Atlas of geothermal resources in Europe' (2002)

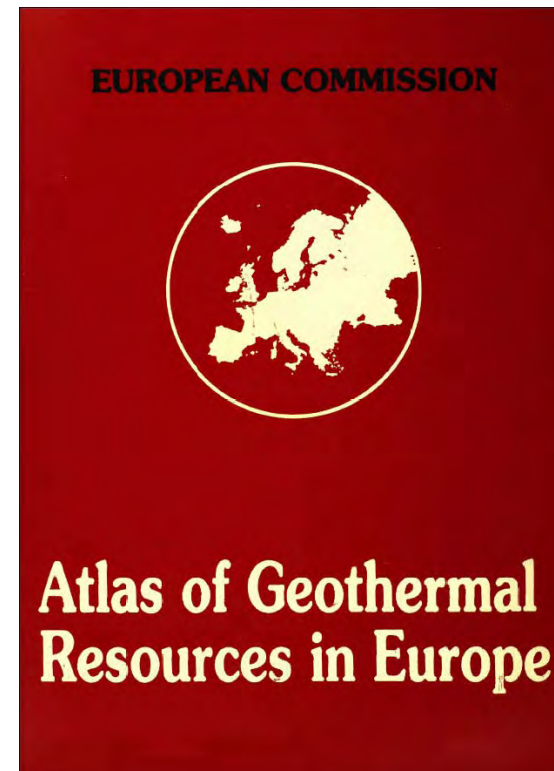
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Overview:

Heat Flow

Temperature at 1 Km and 2 Km depth

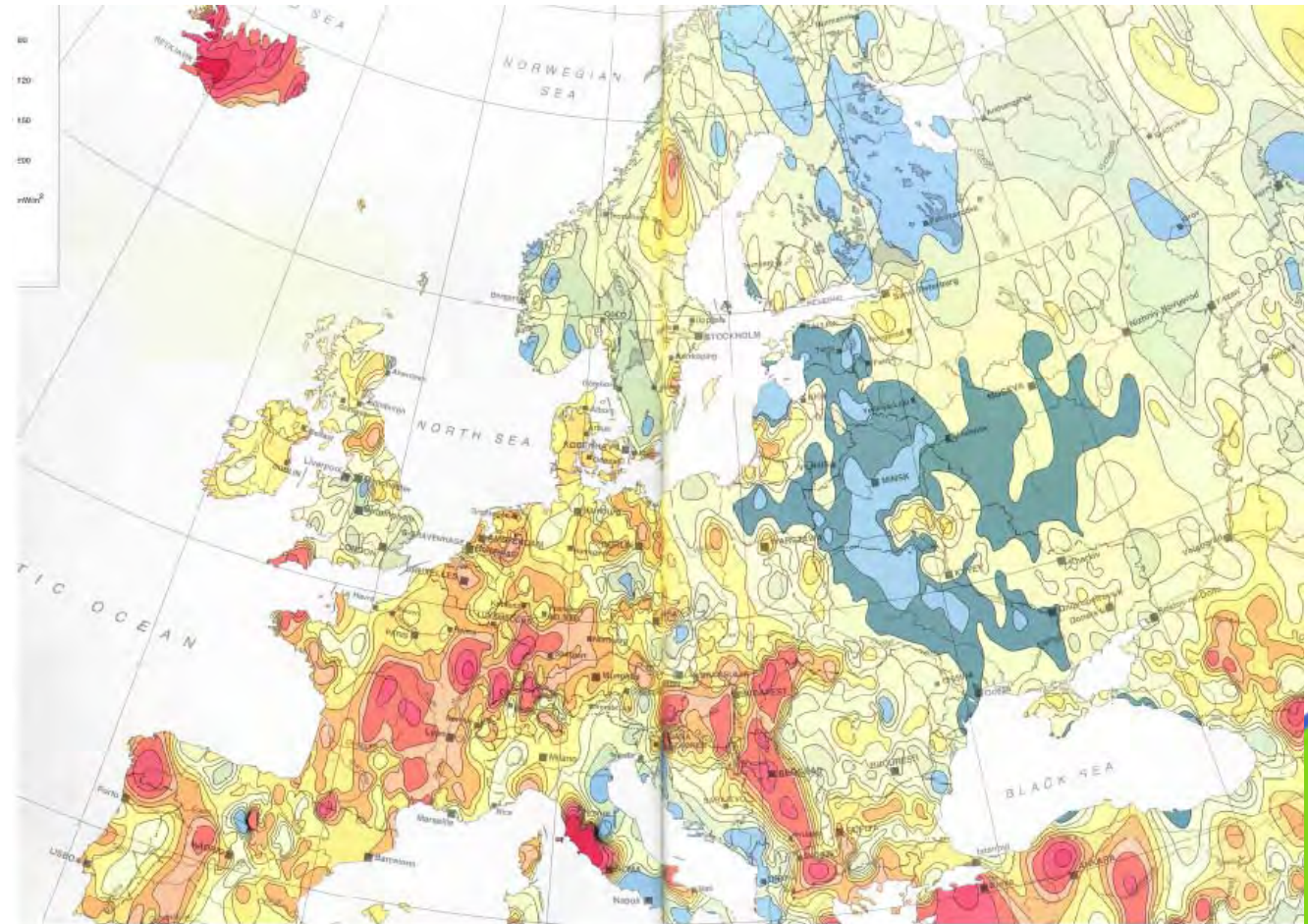
European Geothermal resources



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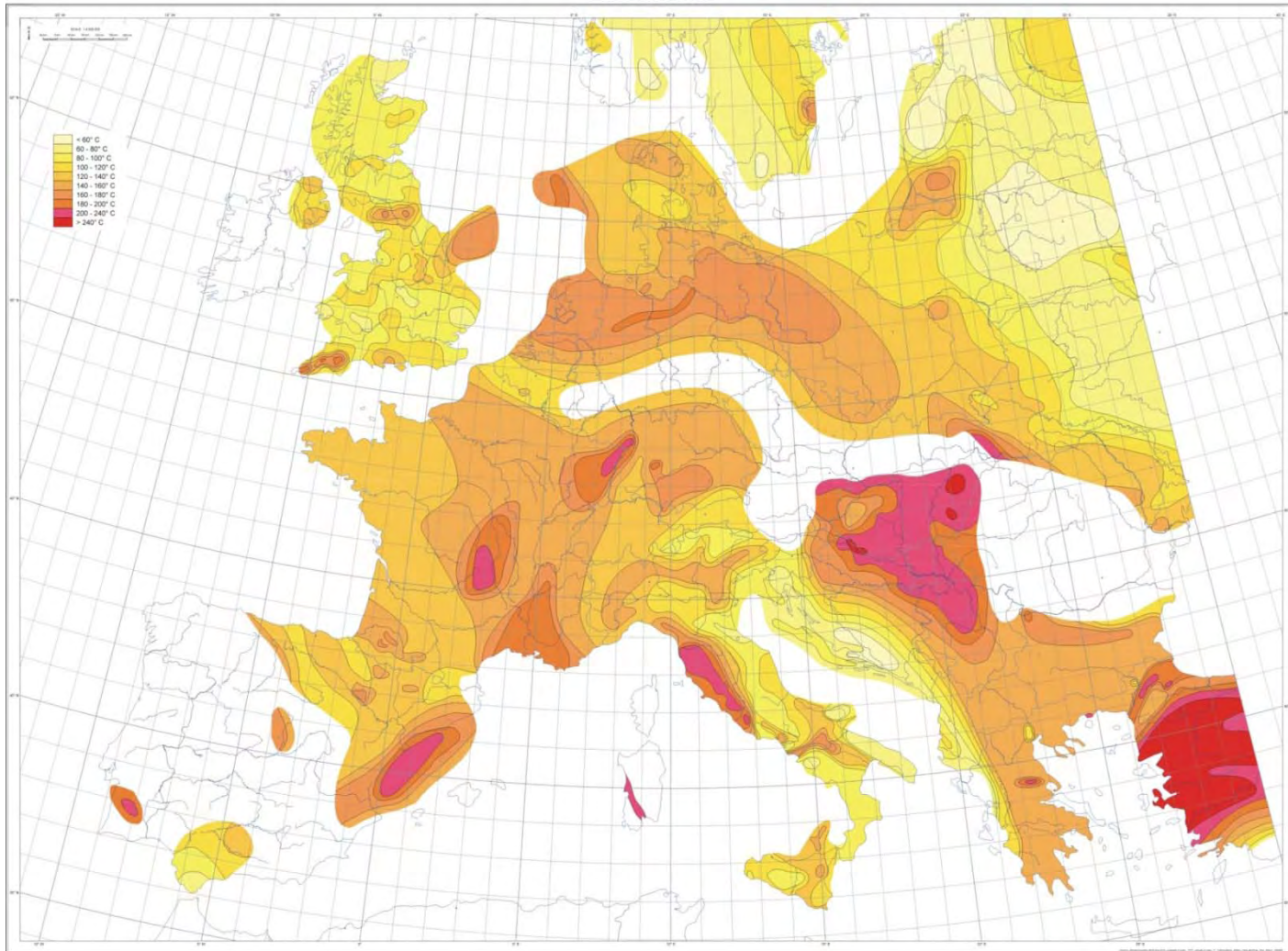
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Heat flow density



# ENGINE Project (FP6)

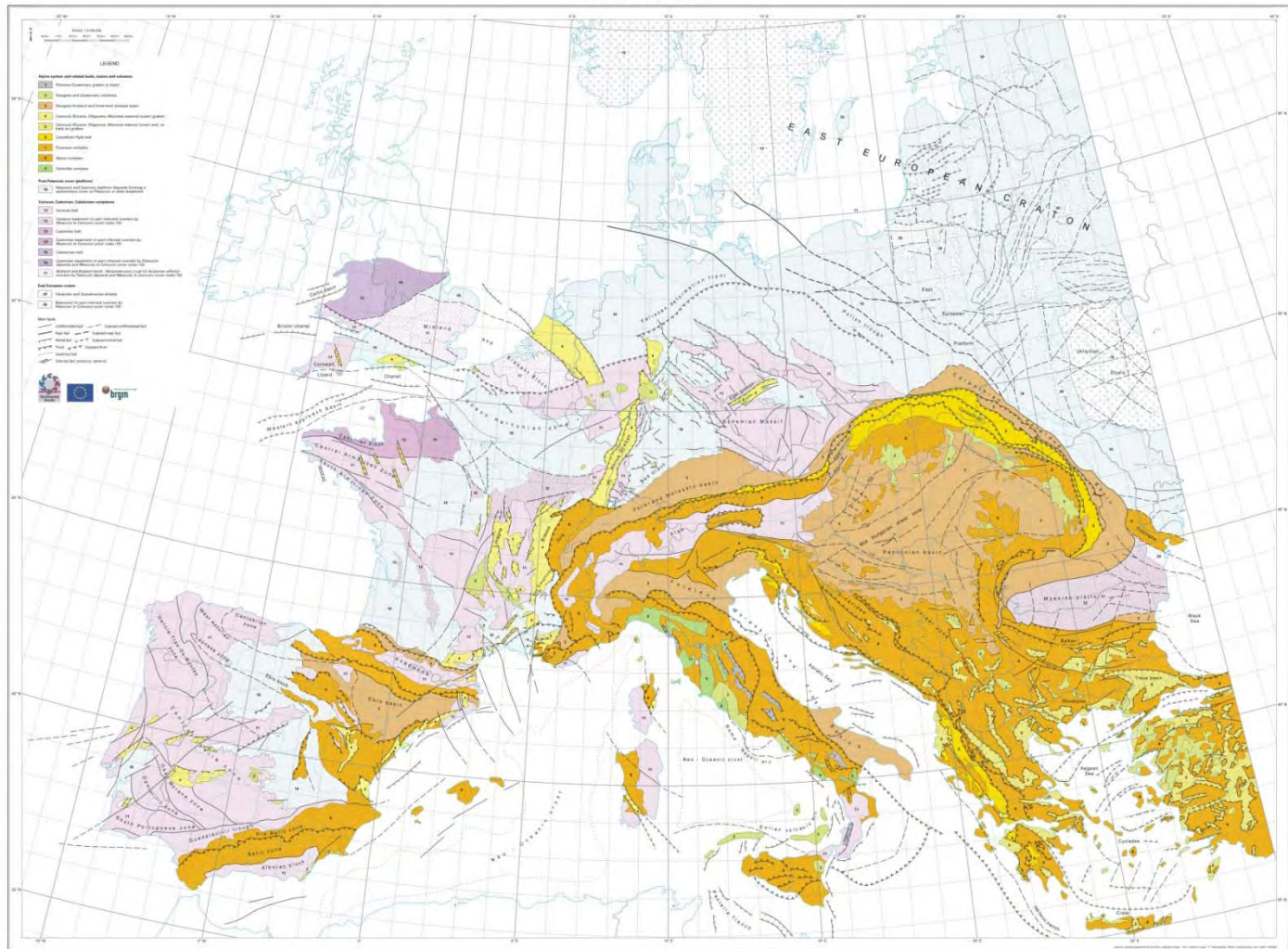
MAP OF THE TEMPERATURES EXTRAPOLATED AT 5 KM DEPTH  
SCALE 1:4,000,000





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DEEP GEOTHERMAL ANOMALIES IN THEIR EUROPEAN GEODYNAMIC SETTING  
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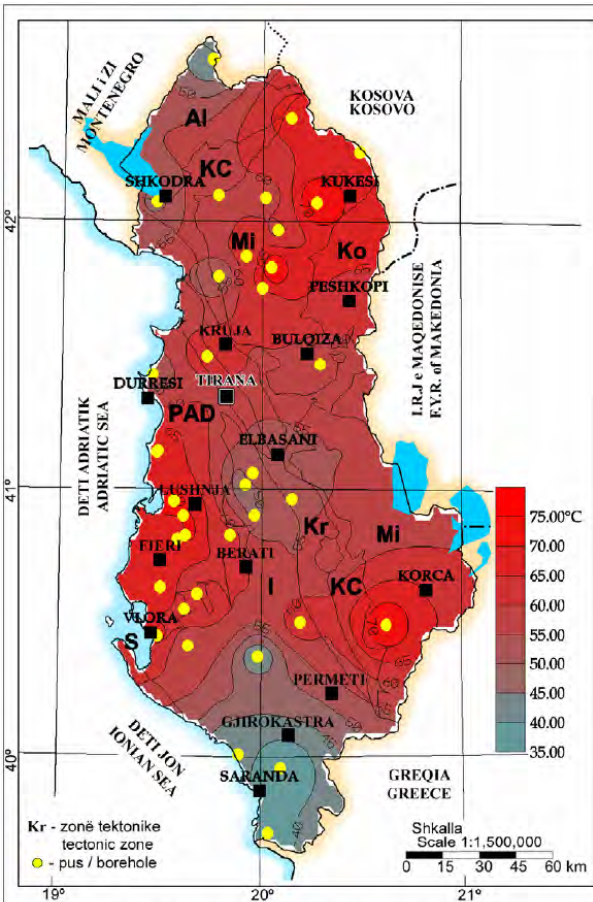
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- Methodology from other continents:
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  - Australia

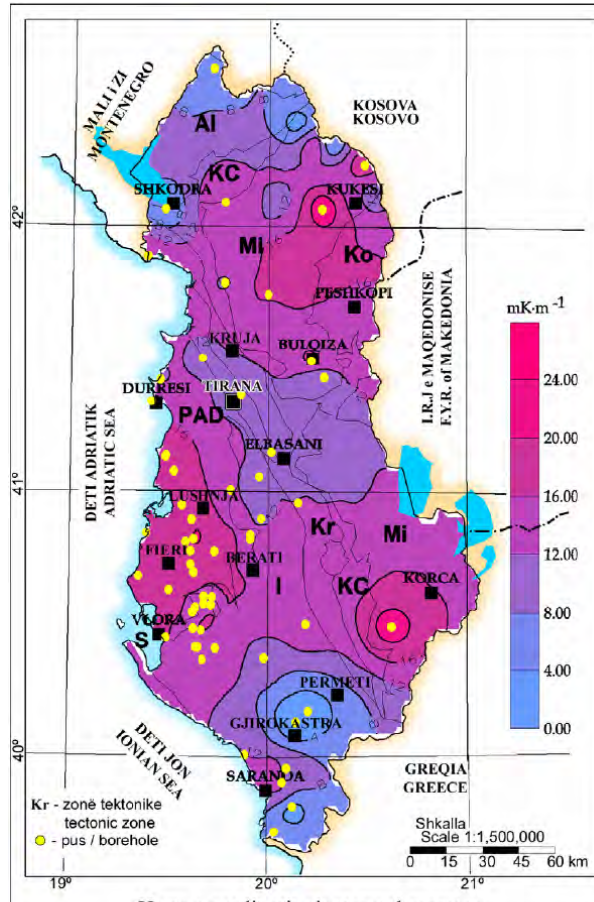
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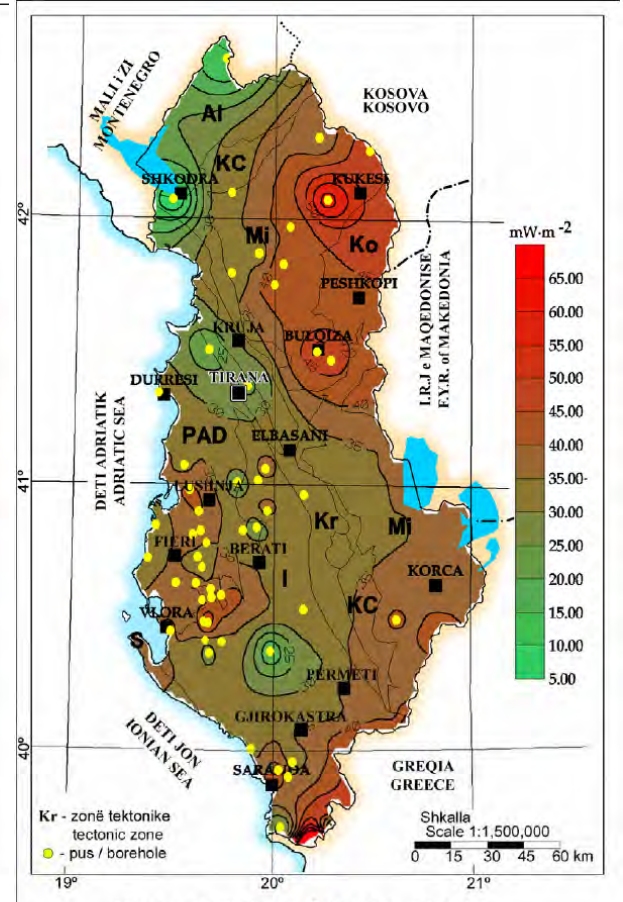
# ALBANIA



Harta e temperaturës në thellësinë 3000m  
Temperature Map at the depth 3000m



Harta e gradientit gjeotermal mesatar  
Average Geothermal Gradient Map



Harta e dendësisë së fluksit të nxehtësisë  
Heat Flow Density Map

# TURKEY



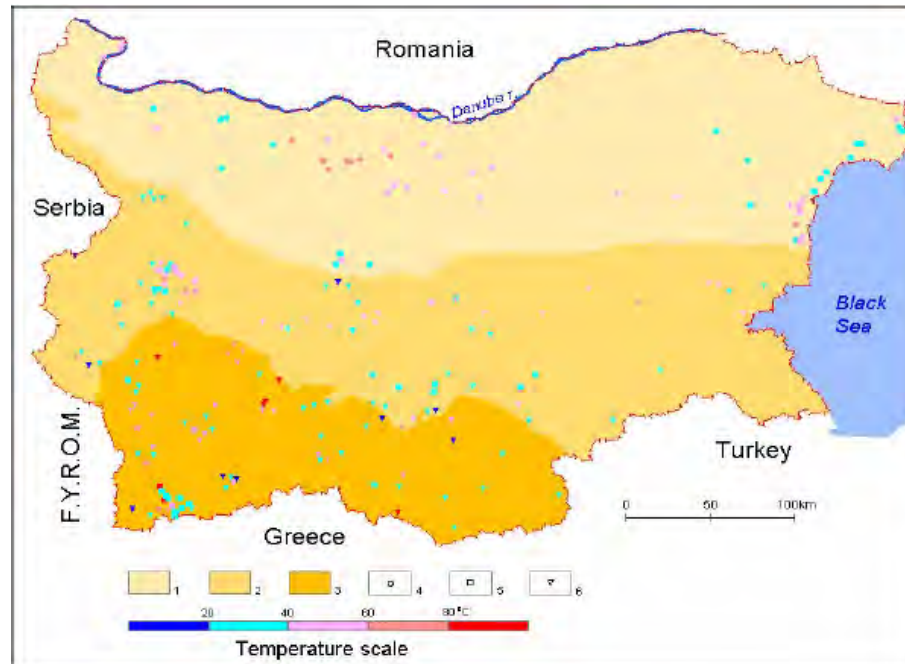
# ROMANIA



Figure 1: Location of the main Romanian geothermal reservoirs



# BULGARIA



1. Moesian plate (stratified reservoirs)
2. Sredna gora Sredna gora, incl. Balkan zone (secondary stratified reservoirs, fractured reservoirs)
3. Rila-Rhodopes massif (predominantly fractured reservoirs)
4. Major wells and groups of wells discovering stratified reservoirs in a plate region
5. Hydrothermal sources associated with waters from fractured reservoirs located in Southern Bulgaria.
6. Hydrothermal sources associated with waters from secondary stratified reservoirs located in Southern Bulgaria

Figure 3: Map of hydrothermal deposits of Bulgaria



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# Canada

## Geothermal energy resource potential of Canada (GS of Canada, 2011)

Contains maps on EGS potential !

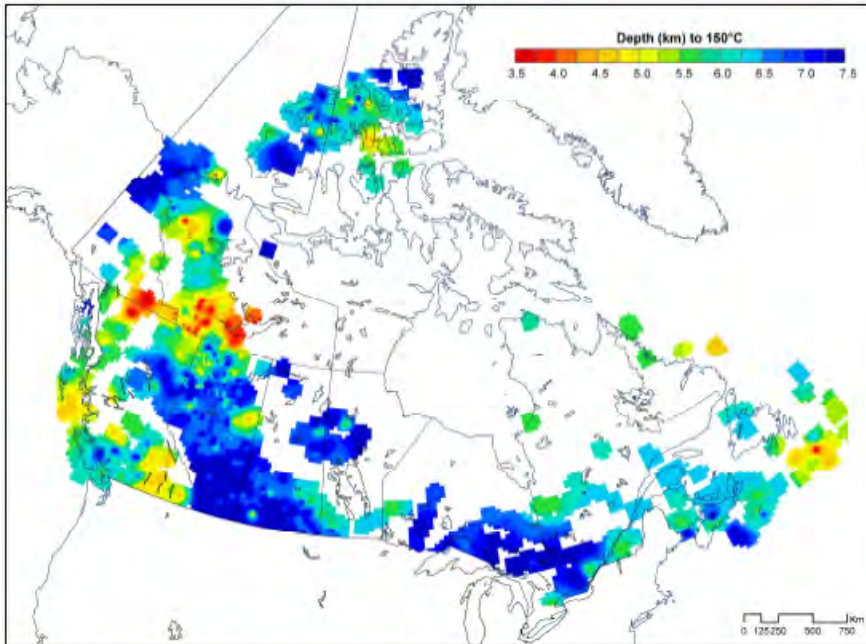


Figure 8.4. Depth (km) to 150 °C temperature.

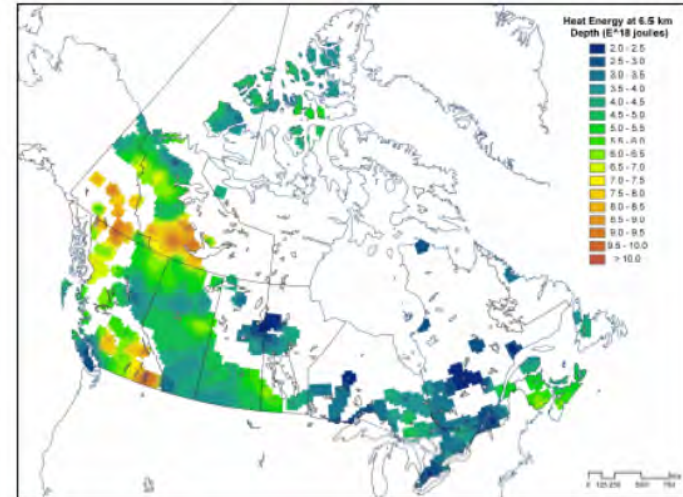


Figure 8.2. Heat Energy at 6-7 km depth.

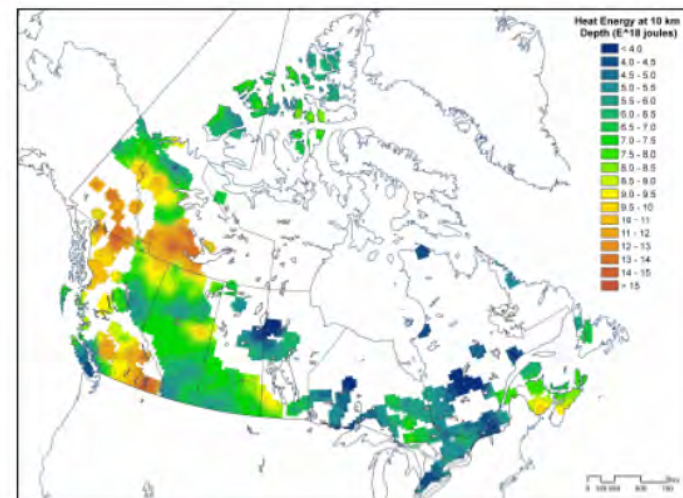


Figure 8.3. Heat Energy at 9-10 km.

# Canada

## Canadian Geothermal code for public reporting, Cangea, 2010

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### THE CANADIAN GEOTHERMAL CODE FOR PUBLIC REPORTING

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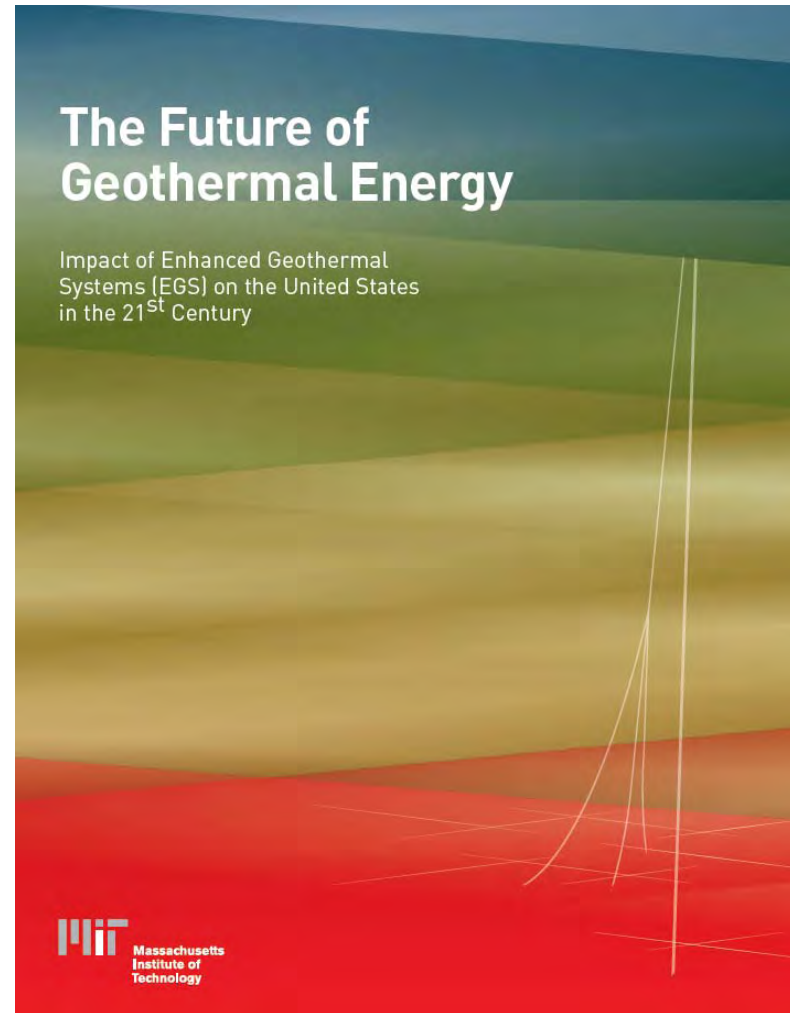
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# USA

- **The Future of Geothermal Energy, MIT, 2006**
- **GOOGLE.ORG:  
U.S. Geothermal Resource  
(3-10 km depth) on  
Google Earth**



# Australia

## The Geothermal reporting code, 2008, AGEA-AGEG



Australian Code for Reporting of Exploration Results,  
Geothermal Resources and Geothermal Reserves

### The Geothermal Reporting Code 2008 Edition

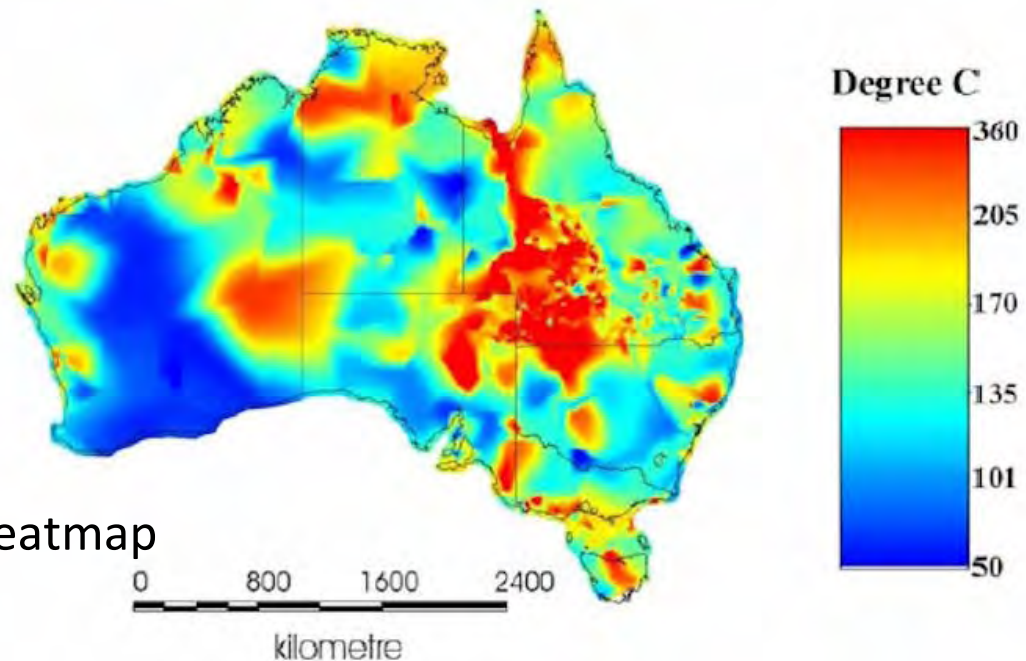
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# Australia

November 07, 2011: Exciting project looks at new way of characterizing resources in Australia



Australia\_geothermal\_heatmap

The Australian geothermal energy industry goes new ways with enlisting machine learning experts to identify and characterise resources by combining industry data and data of Geoscience Australia

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### Expected results:

- Compilation of geological and geophysical data inside Geological surveys, accessible to interested developers as open and easily as possible
- European Geothermal Reporting Code (discussion already started within TP Geoelec)

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