



# NATIONAL REPORT OF TURKEY- 2011

Türkezer, A., Aktuğ, B., Simav, M., Kurt, M., Parmaksız, E., Lenk, O.

General Command of Mapping

TR06100 Ankara/Turkey

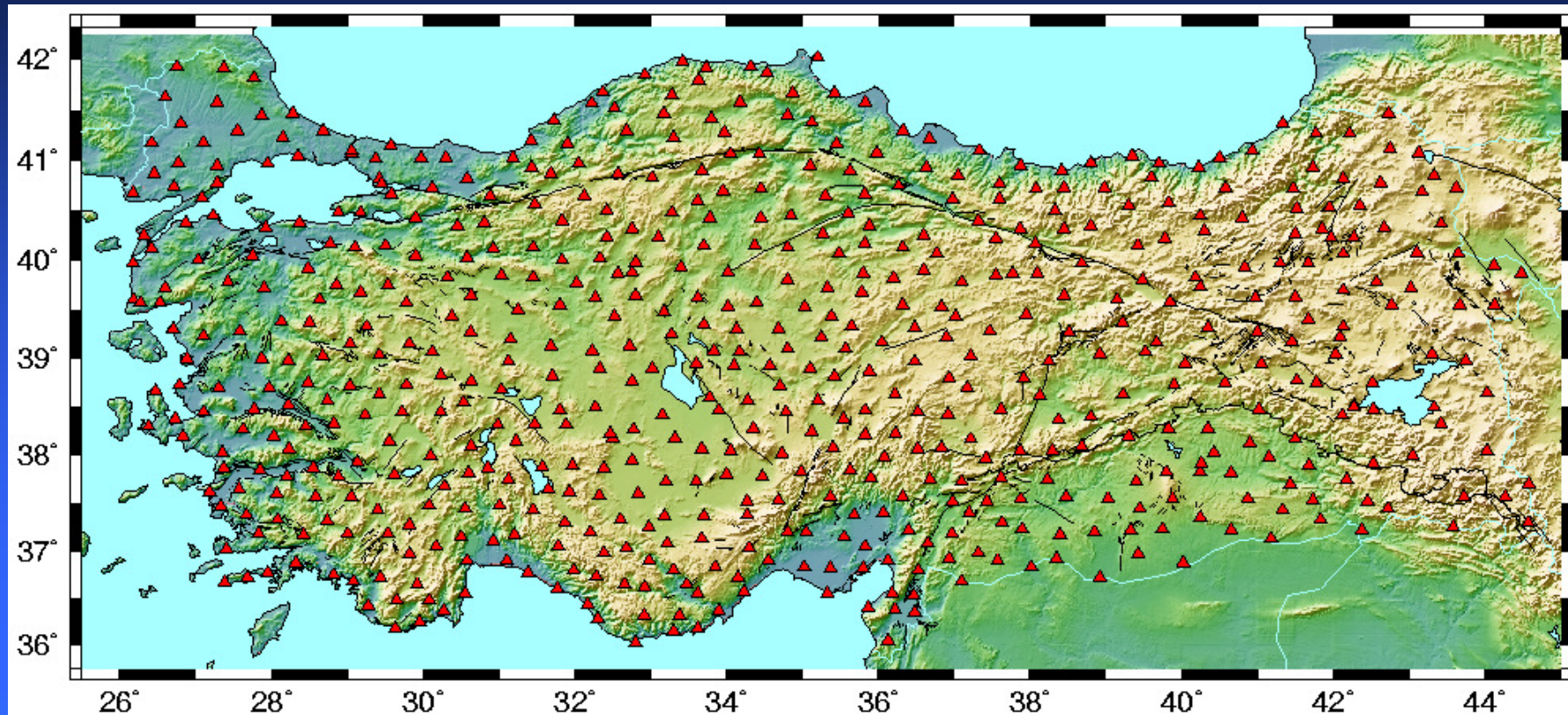
<http://www.hak.msb.gov.tr>



## CONTENTS

- Turkish National Fundamental GPS Network
- Turkish National Permanent GPS Network and Turkish National GPS RTK Network
- Episodic GPS Observations for Geodynamics Studies
- Turkish Sea Level Monitoring System (TUDES)
- Gravimetric Studies in Turkey
- Height Modernization Studies in Turkey

## TURKISH NATIONAL FUNDAMENTAL GPS NETWORK (TUTGA)



Distribution of TUTGA stations

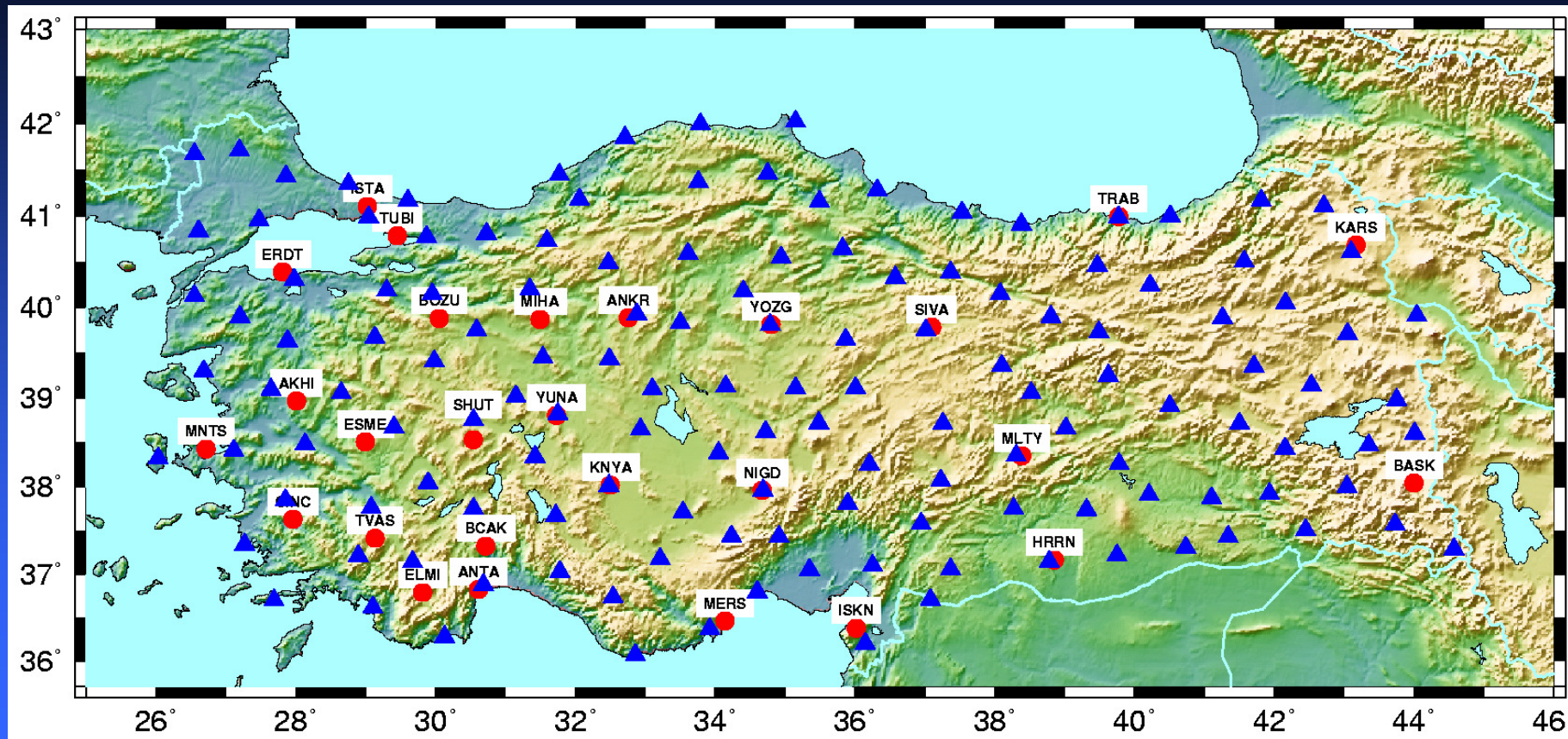


- Consists of about **700** stations.
- Revision surveys have been done after **1999**.
- 3D coordinates and velocities were computed in **ITRF2005**, transformed into **ITRF-96**.
- Coordination with **TUREF** (Turkish National Reference Frame).
- About **1-3 cm** positional accuracies, within the range of **0.1-0.01 ppm** relative precision.
- Connected to the Turkish Horizontal and Vertical Networks.
- Detailed information is at **official web** of General Command of Mapping.

<http://www.hgk.msb.gov.tr>



## TURKISH NATIONAL PERMANENT GPS NETWORK (TUSAGA) AND TURKISH NATIONAL GPS RTK NETWORK (TUSAGA-Active)



Distribution of TUSAGA (**Red Circles-27**) and TUSAGA-Active (**Blue Triangles-146**) stations .



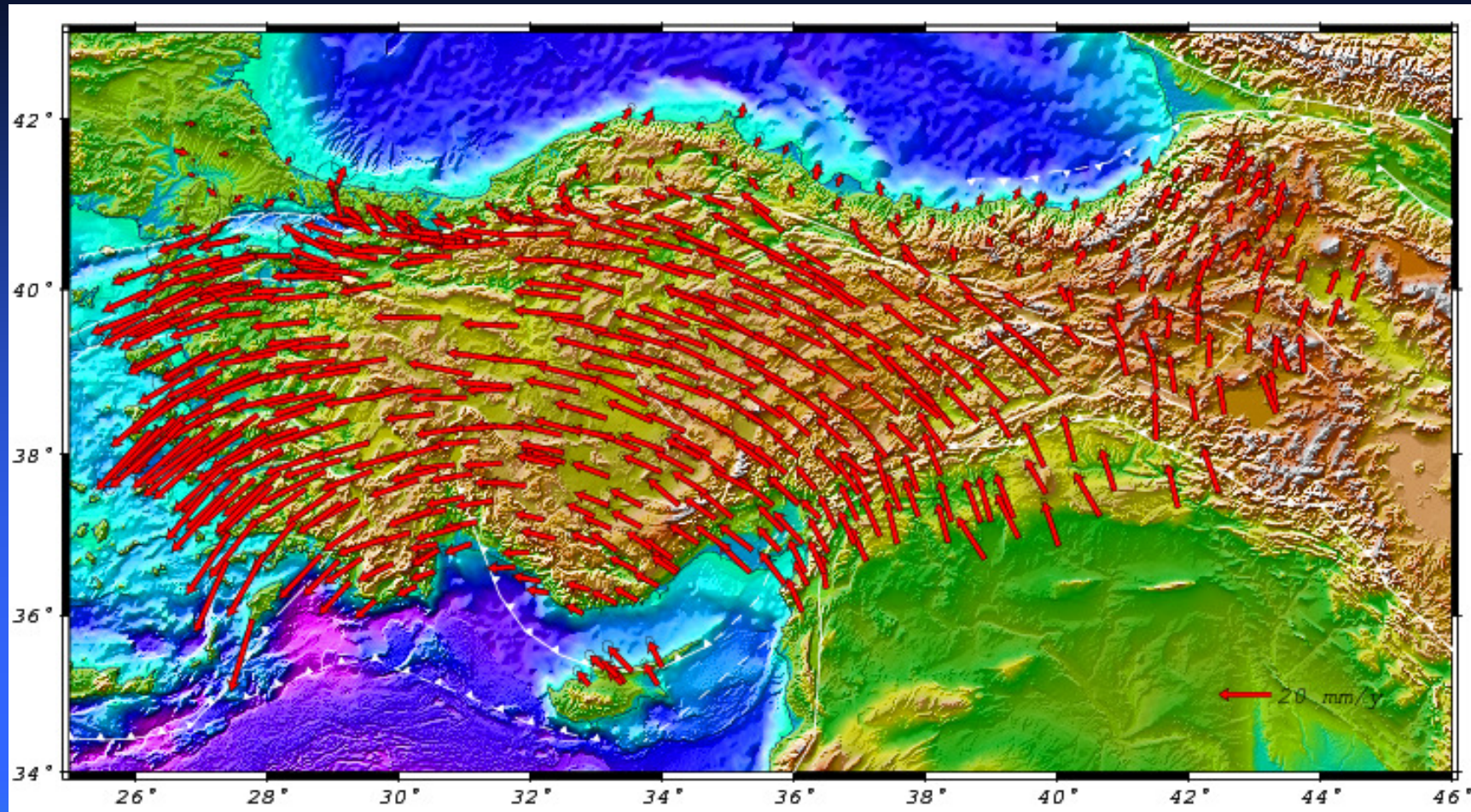
Time-series analysis on a **daily** basis.

- Going to be utilized as **geodetic control** and for monitoring **crustal movements**.
- A RTK Network of 146 sites, financed by **Turkish National Scientific and Technological Council**, responsibility of **Istanbul Culture University**, supervision of **General Command of Mapping (GCM)** and **General Directorate of Registration and Cadastre**.
- Fully operational.
- Particularly for the applications ranging from large-scale mapping, GIS and cadastral surveys.
- Serve on **real-time kinematic** basis.



# EPISODIC GPS OBSERVATIONS FOR GEODYNAMICS STUDIES

Velocity solution of GPS data over the interval 1992-2009



Horizontal velocity field of Turkey and surrounding regions  
in a Eurasia-fixed frame



Strain analyses utilizing secular movements shed light on **rigid block rotations**, **local compression** and **faulting areas** that well conform to the geological and geophysical evidence of Anatolia.

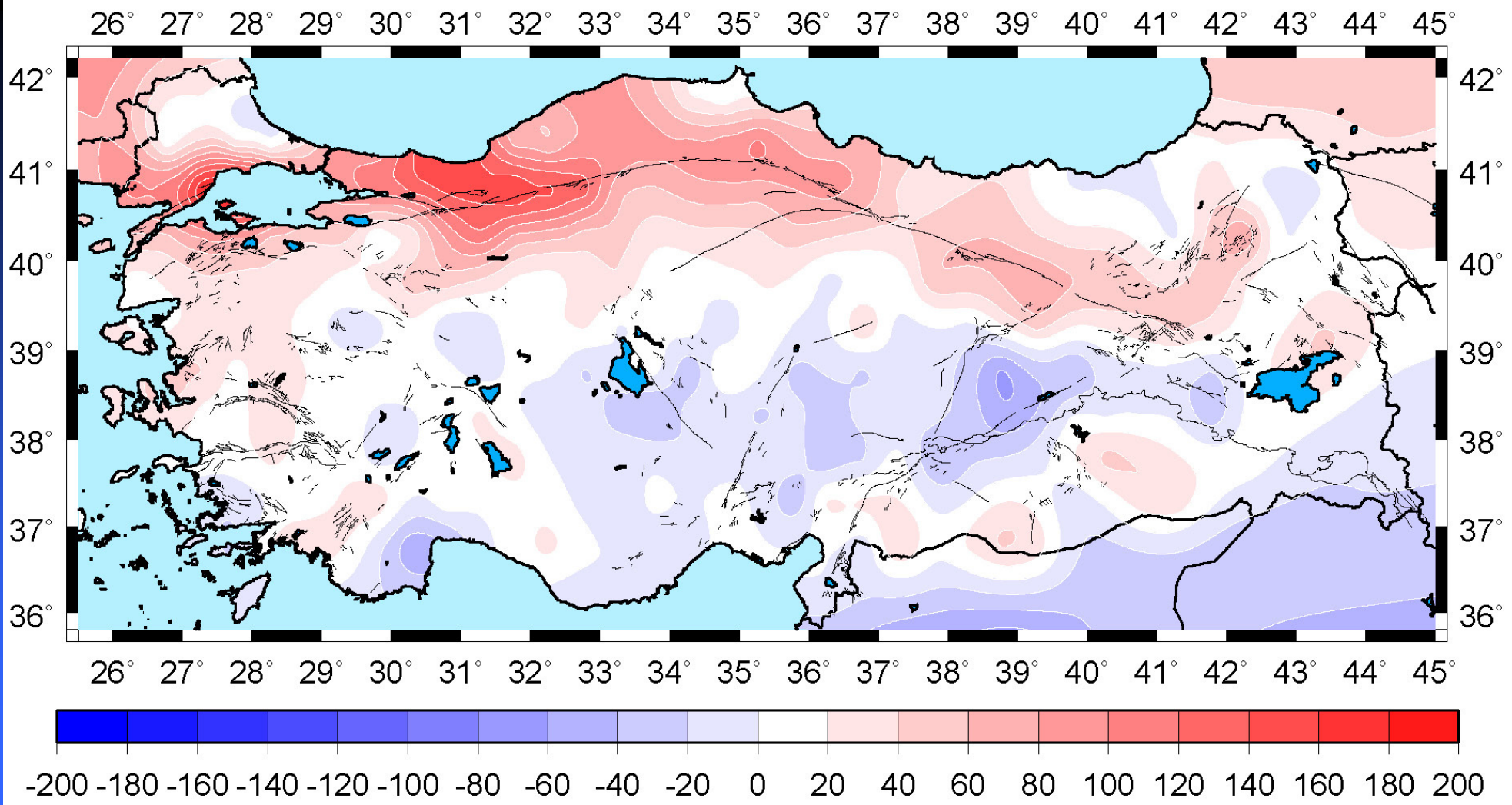
Due to **high seismic activity**, co-seismic and post-seismic deformation is also monitored by independent GPS campaigns.

TUTGA as well as other existing stations comprises a set of precise coordinates along with their velocities and possible co-seismic corrections for the earthquake-prone areas.





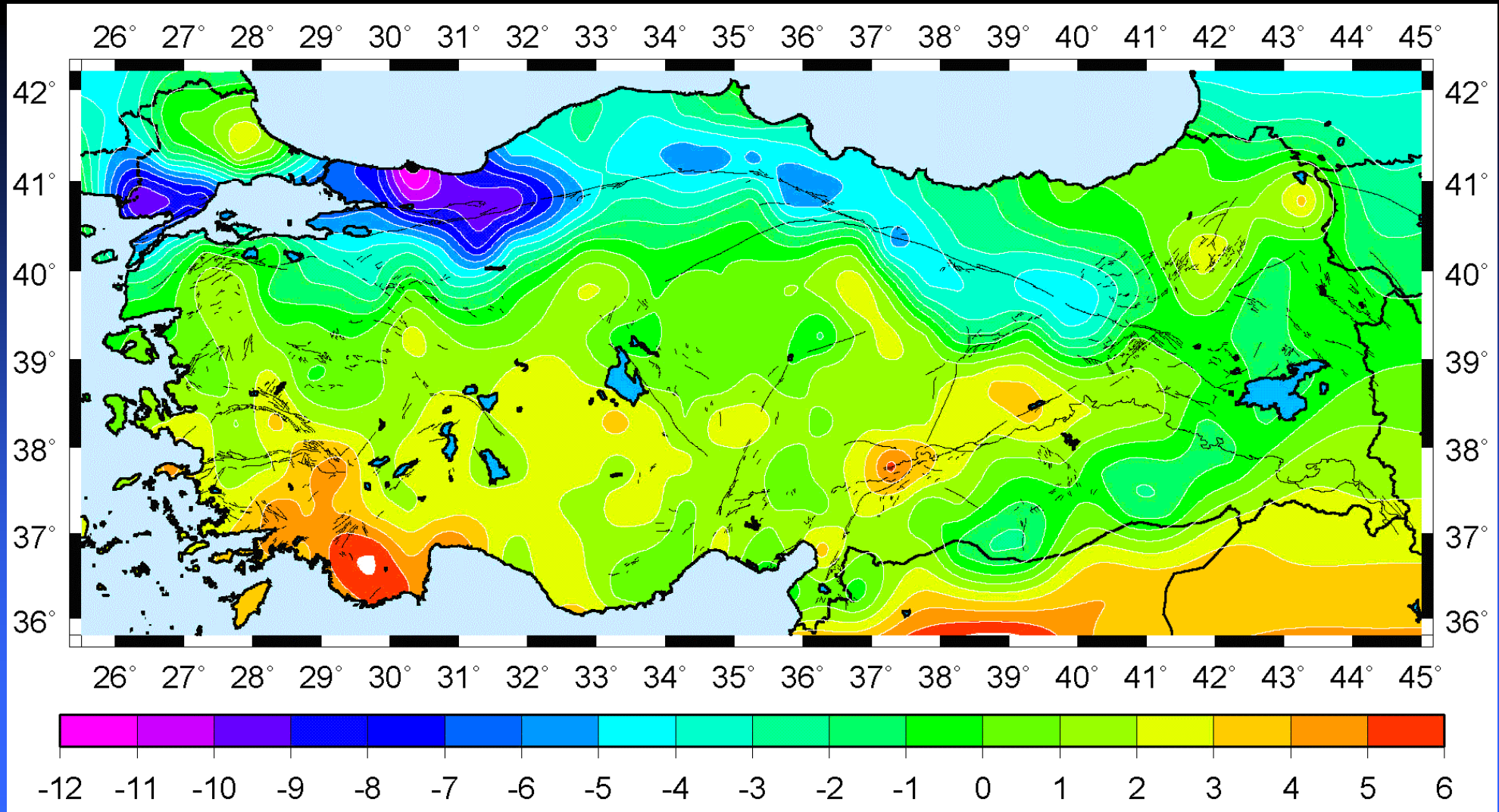
# NATIONAL REPORT OF TURKEY



Shear strains in nanostrain  $\text{yr}^{-1}$



# NATIONAL REPORT OF TURKEY



Rigid-body rotations in  $^{\circ}\text{Myr}^{-1}$



## TURKISH SEA LEVEL MONITORING SYSTEM (TUDES)



Locations of the existing TUDES tide gauges





- Consists of **19** digital and automatic tide gauges and a data center in Ankara.
- Used for the determination of vertical datum of **Turkish Vertical Control Network**, long term sea level changes, vertical land movements and for engineering purposes.
- GCM is a member of **European Sea Level Service (ESEAS)** and GCM acted as an **ESEAS CGPS**. Close collaboration with national universities for “Intergovernmental Coordination Group for the Tsunami Early Warning and Mitigation System in the North Eastern Atlantic, the Mediterranean and Connected Seas (ICG/NEAMTWS) Project”.



- **Satellite altimetry** and **GRACE** data were used to understand the sea level variations together with the tide gauge data.
- The high resolution **geoid height model for Turkey (TG-09)** has been recently computed based on spherical **FFT** approach by using land and marine (**KMS02**) free air gravity anomalies, Digital Elevation Model (**DEM**) and **GRACE GGM02S**, Global Geopotential Model combined with **EGM08**.



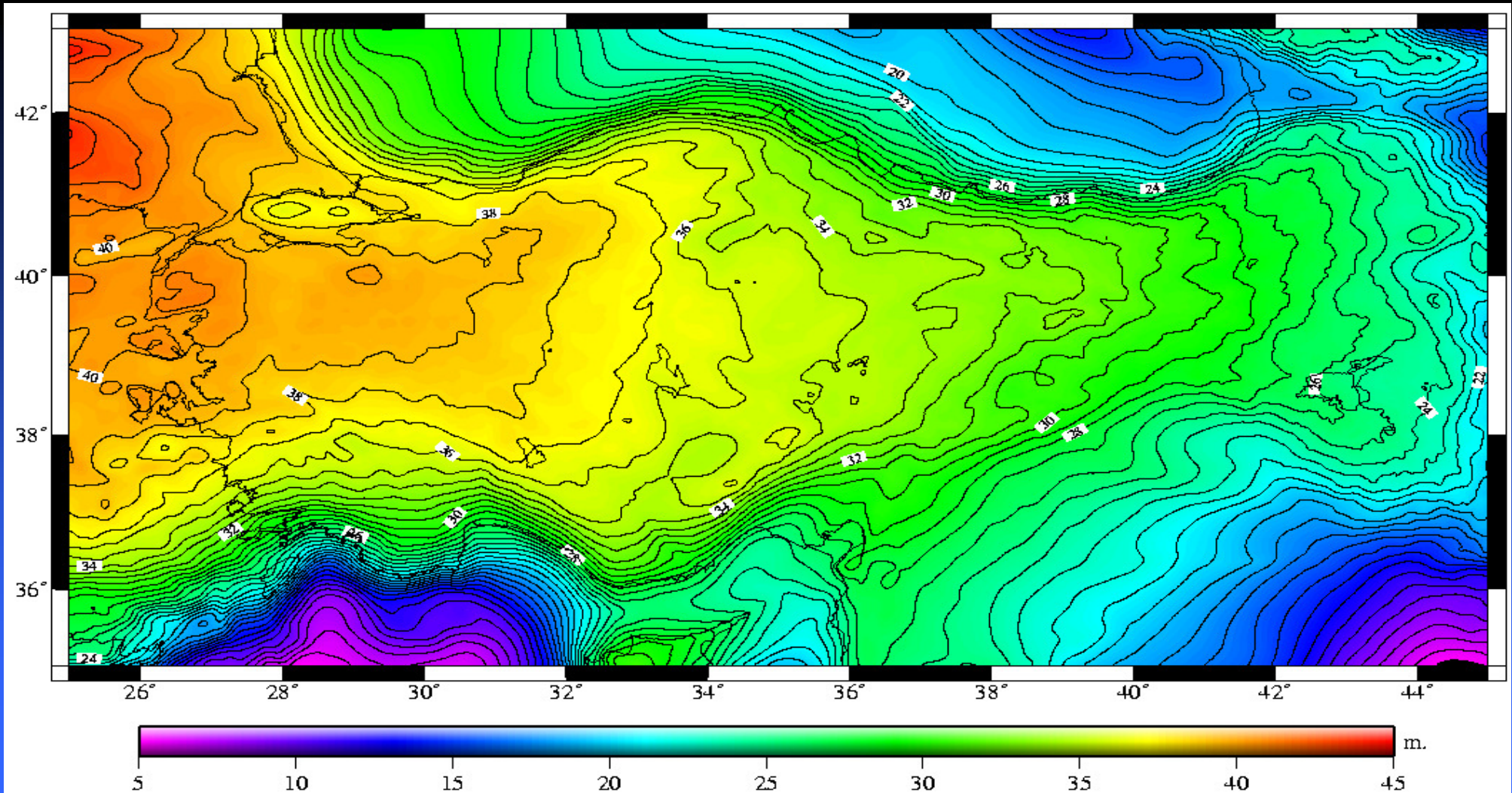
# GRAVIMETRIC STUDIES IN TURKEY

- The Fundamental Gravity Network of Turkey – 1999 (**TFGN-99**) was established between 1993-1999.
- GCM is a member of IAG Evaluation Group for Earth Gravitational Model-2008 (EGM08) and compare EGM08 model by using regional gravity, geoid height and GPS/leveling data in Turkey.
- The EGM08-derived quantities were compared with the GPS/leveling quasi-geoid heights, an existing GPS/leveling fitted regional quasi-geoid model (TG09) ), and the surface gravity anomalies in Turkey.





# NATIONAL REPORT OF TURKEY



Turkish Hybrid Geoid (THG-09)

RMS  $\pm$  9 cm.



## HEIGHT MODERNIZATION STUDIES IN TURKEY

- Studies of **Turkish National Vertical Control Network (TUDKA)** were started in 1935. Between 1985 and 1992 new measurements were performed and adjustments studies were completed and it is named **TUDKA-92**. In 1999, network was adjusted after including additional leveling measurements.
- GCM has started a project for height modernization in Turkey.

## CURRENT STATUS OF LEVELLING NETWORK



**Continuous Damage in Vertical Network,  
Current way of height determination not sustainable**





## THREE WAYS TO GO;

- Re-measure the leveling network completely.
- Improve the geoid and re-measure some part of levelling network.
- Improve the geoid and select as reference surface for the height system.



**THANK YOU!**