

# Synthetic Seeding for AGC Surveys

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### **Problems / Motivation**

- For dynamic surveys, how can we demonstrate that we are able to meet the projects objectives throughout the survey area. To answer questions like:
  - Are there areas, where due to site noise items could be missed?
  - On my site how deep can you classify anomalies correctly?
- Co-located seeds were not always correctly identified in cued/static surveys.
- Can the assessment of background measurements be improved?

Note: These presentation is forward looking, while I hope these will be in the next release this may change.

# Synthetic Seed Dynamic Data

- Add a synthetic seed responses to survey data
  - Location, random within a defined area but avoid anomalies
  - Depth, random within a range
  - Orientation Inclination (Horizontal/Inclined/Vertical) or random
- A new datatype, DSD
- Preparation for seeding
  - Data processing
  - Leveling
  - Background removal
  - Create Located Database
    - Create Amplitude grid
- Post seeding (just like DAM)
  - Create Located Database
    - Create Amplitude and Coherence Anomaly grids
  - Pick targets
  - Classify and Rank
- Report on Seeds Statistic

Synthetically Seed Dynamic Database					? ×
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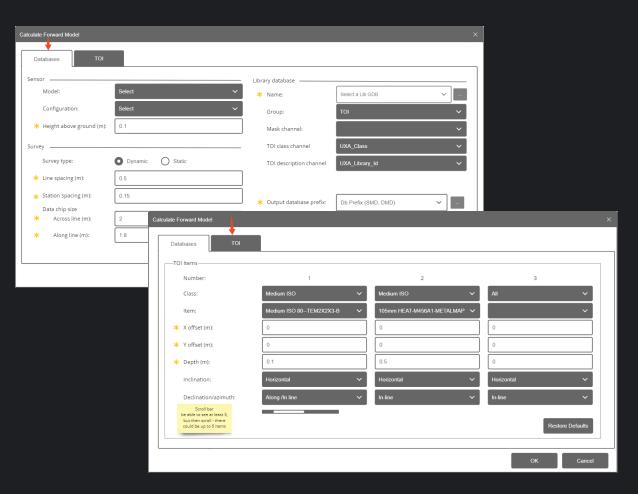
# **Calculate Seed Statistics**

- Easy to use for AGC data
- Ideally your seed data include:
  - Depth
  - Signal amplitude
  - Polarizabilities
  - Size and Decay
- Output
  - Add result channels to the seed database
  - Identify the seeds in the source database
  - Export seed results to a CSV
  - Summary plot
  - Map

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# **Forward Modelling**

- Easier to use tool
  - Separation from Depth Response Curve
- Add support for:
  - dynamic (multi-shot) measurements
  - multiple TOI

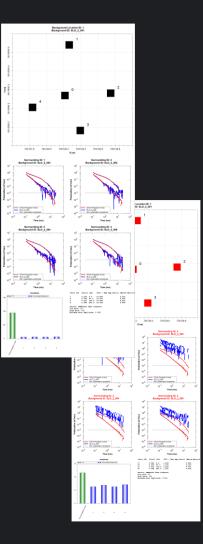


# **Background Location Validation Test**

• Update to support multiple items

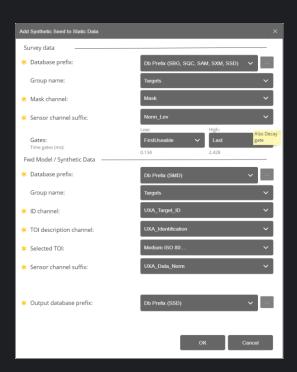
Note: For static/cued surveys, this tool along with the depth response, can be used to understand the limitations for AGC at a site.

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- Raw Background Validation Data								
* Database prefix:	T1_SBR		~					
* Group name:	para		~					
* Mask channel:	UXA_MASK		$\sim$					
- TOI Reference Data								
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* ID channel:	UXA_TARGET_ID		$\sim$					
* TOI description channel:	UXA_Identification							
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* Background cluster distance	: (m):	1.2						
* Min. reference to surroundi	0.2							
* Max. reference to surround	0.8							
* Sum of TOI to background a	2.5							
* Min. polarization amplitude (	0.001							
* TOI match metric:	0.85							
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Background location ID: <ul> <li>Auto generate</li> <li>Use flag ID</li> </ul>								
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#### **Synthetic Seed Static Data**

- Add synthetic seed to other static/cued data
  - Primarily background measurements (SBG)
- A new datatype SSD



# What now, and next?

1. Do you have feedback and can provide data examples?

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- 2. Explore how can synthetic seeds help with improve AGC quality control, supplementing physical seeds?
  - Enable a better understanding of the limitations of the current technology.
  - Where can we (as the industry) further improve?

