InSARによる桜島火山・ロ永良部島火山の地盤変動

Ground deformation of Sakurajima and Kuchierabujima volcanoes revealed by InSAR

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Sakurajima and Kuchierabujima volcanoes



Typical ground deformation patterns of Sakurajima volcano (leveling data)

Inactive stage of summit eruption: inflation beneath Aira caldera (about 25cm uplift around northern part of Sakurajima)

→ magma storage at the reservoir beneath Aira caldera

Active stage of summit eruption: deflation beneath Aira caldera and Sakurajima (about 23cm subsidence around northern and central part of Sakurajima)

→ pressure decrease at the reservoirs beneath Aira caldera and Sakurajima due to excess magma ejection



(after Eto et al., 1997)



Relations among secular changes of relative heights of BMs and eruptive activities at the active crater of Sakurajima volcano



Leveling survey 2007

Observation period: 2007/10/01-11/06 (Geographical Survey Institute) 2007/12/03-12/11 (University group)





Expected InSAR image calculated by using the pressure source from leveling data (deformation volume at the pressure source is assumed to be $+1.6 \times 10^7$ m³).



cm



ALOS/PALSAR interferogram

2006/09/24 - 2009/02/14 (FBS) (FBS)

Ascending Off nadir angle: 34.3 deg. Bperp: -385 m Expected InSAR image calculated by using the pressure source from leveling data (deformation volume at the pressure source is assumed to be $+9.8 \times 10^6$ m³).





ALOS/PALSAR interferogram

2007/11/25 - 2009/05/30 (FBS) (FBS)

Descending Off nadir angle: 34.3 deg. Bperp: -1150 m

Kuchierabujima volcano



Recorded historic eruptions: 1841, 1933, 1966 and 1980.

phreatic eruptions at a summit crater or at a fissure on the east of the crater

earthquake activities has been repeatedly observed.

 \leftarrow Repeated GPS surveys (1995/96 – 2000): Horizontal displacements: radial outward pattern from the summit crater. 2-4 cm near the crater and 1-3 cm at the flank.

Pressure source (Mogi's model):

 Located 500 m east of the crater at a depth of 100 m below the sea level (shaded circle). Volume increase in the source is estimated to be $1.7 \times 10^5 \text{m}^3$.





図 4. 2005 年 2 月から 2006 年 1 月までの水平変 位ベクトル.



図 5. 2006 年 1 月から 2006 年 12 月/2007 年 2 月までの水平変位ベクトル.

Results of repeated GPS surveys

(Iguchi et al., 2007)

Feb. 2005 – Jan. 2006:

 \rightarrow Horizontal displacements: radial outward pattern from the summit crater. Less than 1 cm at the flank.

Pressure source (Mogi's model) is located beneath the summit crater at a depth of 200 m above the sea level (300 m below the crater). Volume increase in the source is estimated to be $2.4 \times 10^4 \text{m}^3$.

Jan. 2006 - Dec. 2006:

 \rightarrow Horizontal displacements: clear radial outward pattern from the summit crater (more than 2 cm). Rapid decrease of displacements away from the summit crater.

Pressure source (Mogi's model) is located beneath the summit crater at a depth of 130 m below the crater. Volume increase in the source is estimated to be $6.2 \times 10^3 \text{m}^3$.



GPS 観測点SDW における変位. N:南北, E:東西, U:上下

2008 年 9 月から始まった口永良部島 新岳の北西 200m の地点での北西方向の 変位は、11 月ごろから変位速度が低下し ほぼ停止した。

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観測点位置図の作成に当たっては国土 地理院発行の2万5千分の1地形図(ロ 水良部島)を使用した

Continuous GPS observation

(Saito and Iguchi, 2007)

The continuous GPS observation is made at 4 stations since 2004.

The deformation indicating the inflation of summit region was observed at the observation site near the summit crater during the periods:

Jan. 2005 – Jun. 2005, Sep. 2006 – Jan. 2007, Sep. 2008 – Jan. 2009, respectively.

The ground deformation was accompanied by the increasing activity of volcanic earthquakes.



Unwrapped interferograms

Software: GAMMA

PALSAR data Orbit: Ascending Off-nadir angle: 34.3 deg.

Bperp

2006/08/26(FBS) - 2007/07/14(FBD) 71m 2006/08/26(FBS) - 2007/08/29(FBD) 374m 2006/05/26(FBS) - 2007/01/11(FBS) 374m

Display: unwrapped phase and image intensity







Unwrapped interferograms

Software: GAMMA

PALSAR data Orbit: Ascending Off-nadir angle: 34.3 deg.

	Bperp
2008/07/16(FBD) - 2009/01/16(FBS)	558m
2008/07/16(FBD) - 2009/03/03(FBS)	-449m
2006/10/11(FBS) - 2009/03/03(FBS)	-589m

Display: unwrapped phase and image intensity



Comparison with the model calculation



Unwrapped interferogram:



Summary

ALOS/PALSAR image pairs are analyzed in order to detect the recent ground deformation associated with the volcanic activity of Sakurajima and Kuchierabujima volcanoes, southwest Japan.

The resultant interferograms of Sakurajima volcano show a few centimeters of LOS distance decrease around the Aira caldera, being consistent with the results of the leveling surveys.

The interferograms of Kuchierabujima volcano show the LOS distance decrease in the small area near the summit crater during the periods of the inflation events observed by GPS.

The interferograms of these two volcanoes are in harmony with the simulated images in which the pressure sources inferred from the leveling or GPS data are assumed.

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