

# Sensor Web Enablement for Debris Flow Monitoring System in Taiwan

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# Outline

- Debris Flow Monitoring System
  - Overview
  - New Approach
- OGC Standards
- Demo

# Debris Flow Monitoring Stations

01.白布帆站	(Baibufan Station)
02.九份二山站	(Jioufen-Ershan Station)
03.神木站	(Shenmu Station)
04.上安站	(Shang-An Station)
05.郡坑站	(Jyunkeng Station)
06.豐丘站	(Fongciou Station)
07.大粗坑站	(Dacukeng Station)
08.鳳義坑站	(Fongyikeng Station)
09.射馬干站	(Shemangan Station)
10.華山站	(Huashan Station)
11.大興站	(Dasing Station)
12.豐山站	(Fongshan Station)
13.松鶴站	(Songhe Station)
14.坪頂站	(Pingding Station)
15.蘇樂站	(Suru Station)
16.玉峰站	(Yufong Station)
17.下田埔站	(Shiatainpu Station)



# *Challenges on Extreme Weather Condition*

*-- after Typhoon Calamity of Morakot*



# **Compound Hazards occurred simultaneously:**

✓ Compound hazards observed at Xiao-lin Village, Jia-xien, Kaoshiung:

- Flooding
- Shallow landslide
- Debris flow
- Deep landslide
- Barrier dam
- Dam bursting

**Pre-typhoon**

**2008/11**

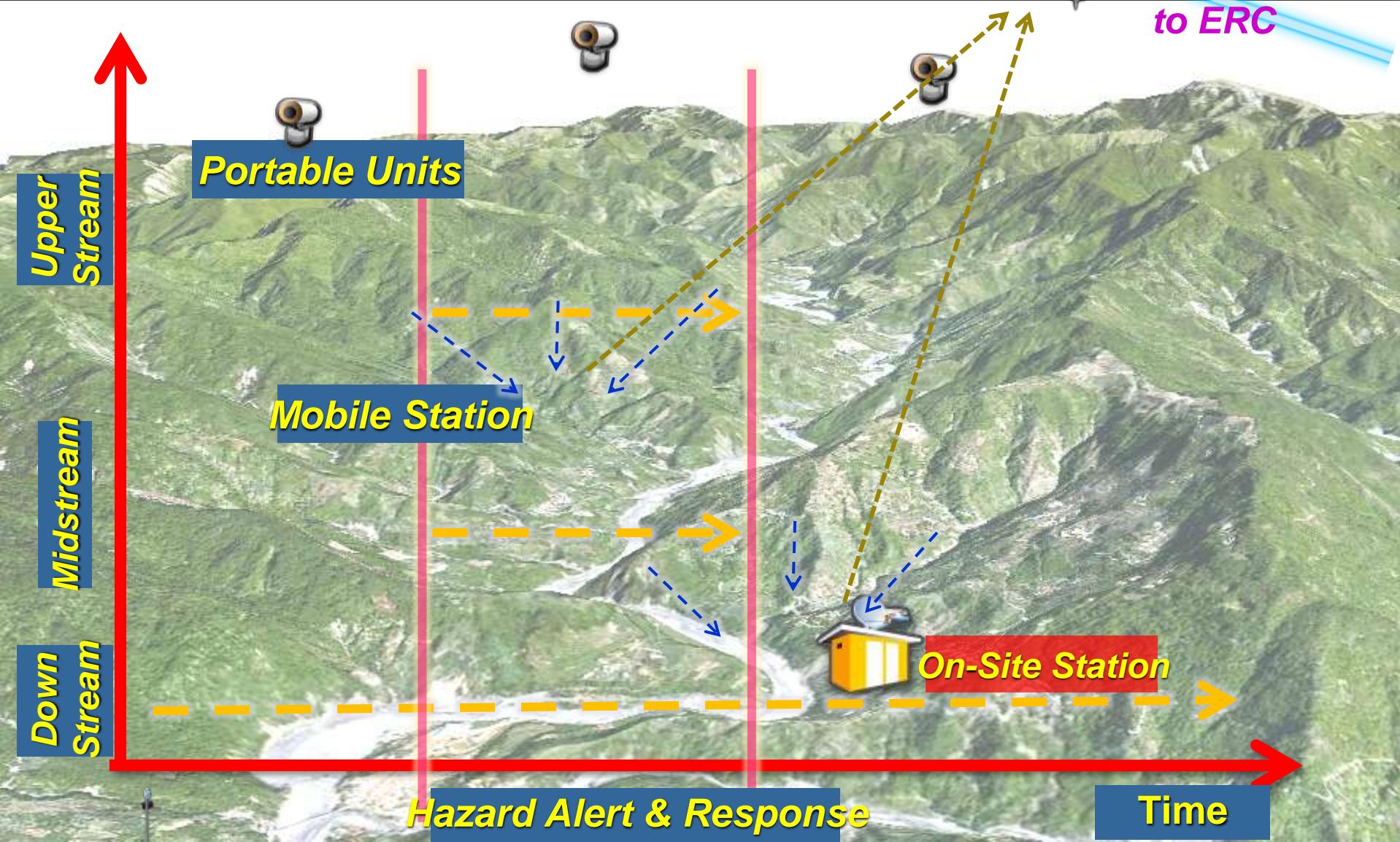


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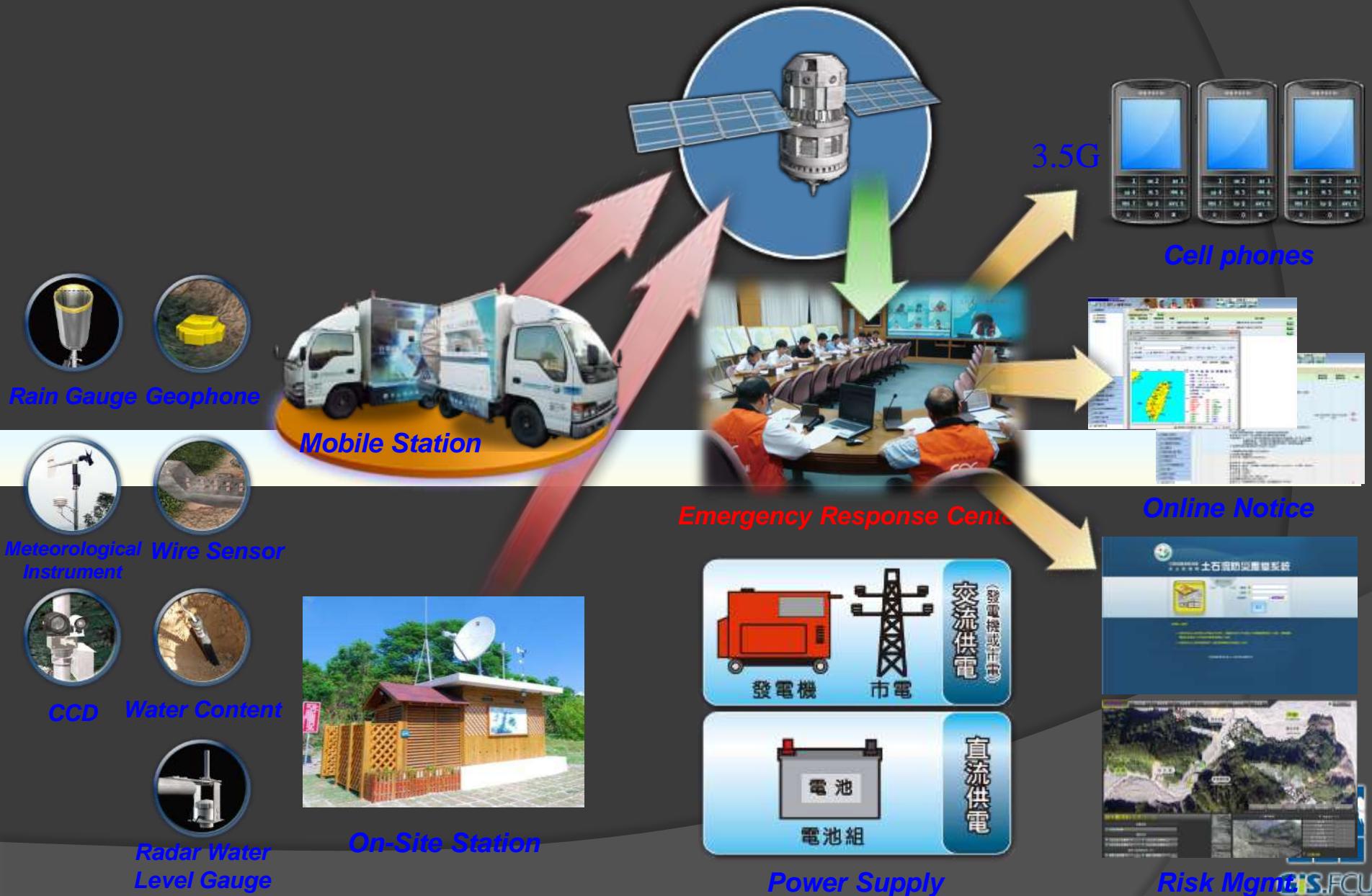
**2009/8**



# Watershed-oriented Monitoring Network



# Current Debris Flow Monitoring System



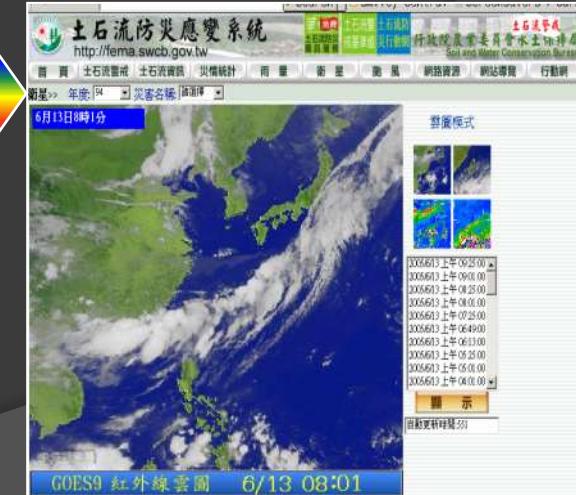
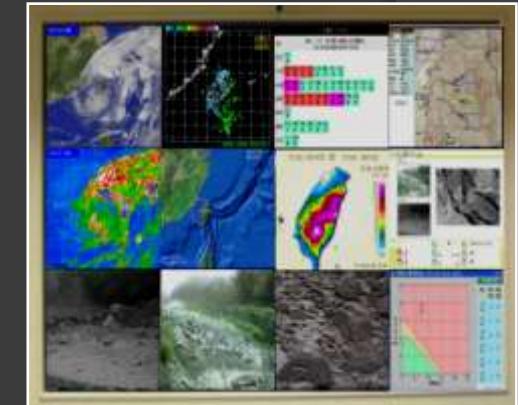
# *Debris flow monitoring station*



Satellite communication



Debris Flow  
Information System



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# Case History – Shenmu Station 2009

CCD image (front view)  
of Aiyuzi downstream



CCD image (sideview)  
of Aiyuzi upper stream

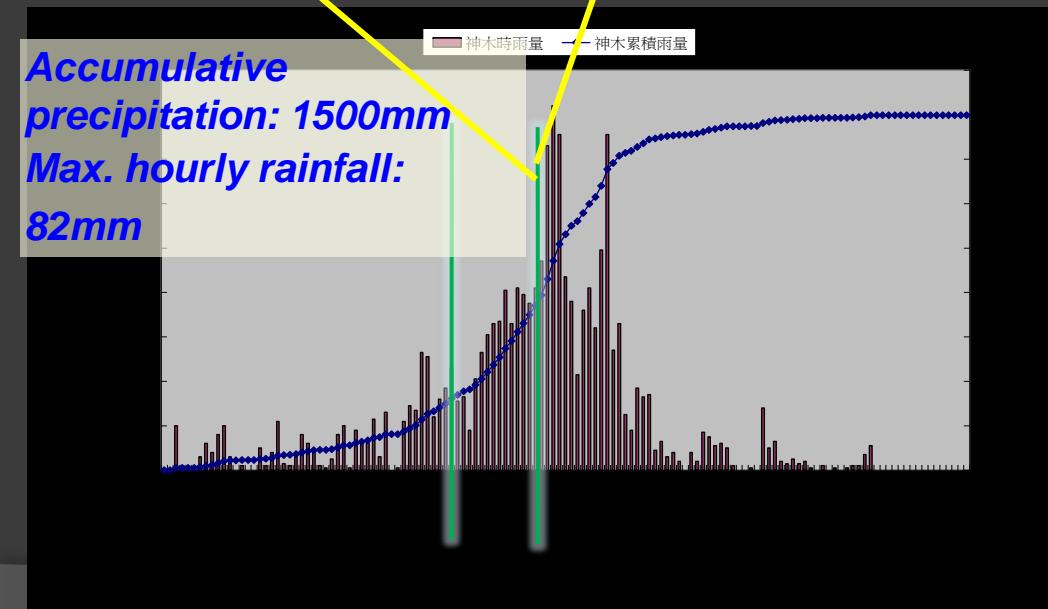


Velocity

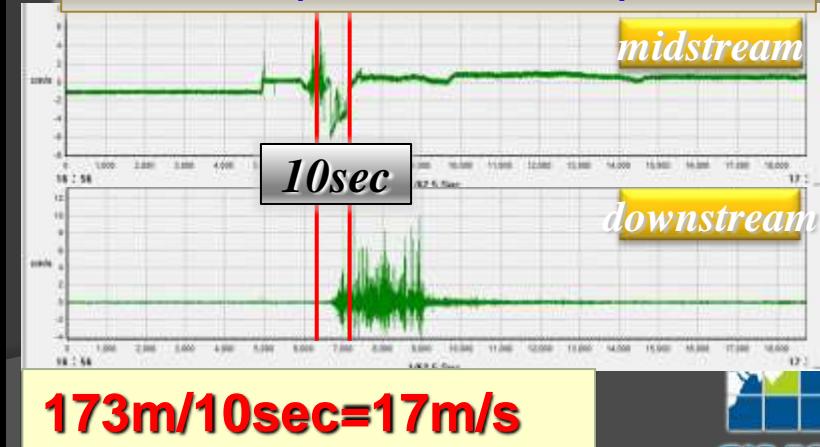


$$50m/3sec=17m/s$$

Accumulative precipitation: 1500mm  
Max. hourly rainfall: 82mm



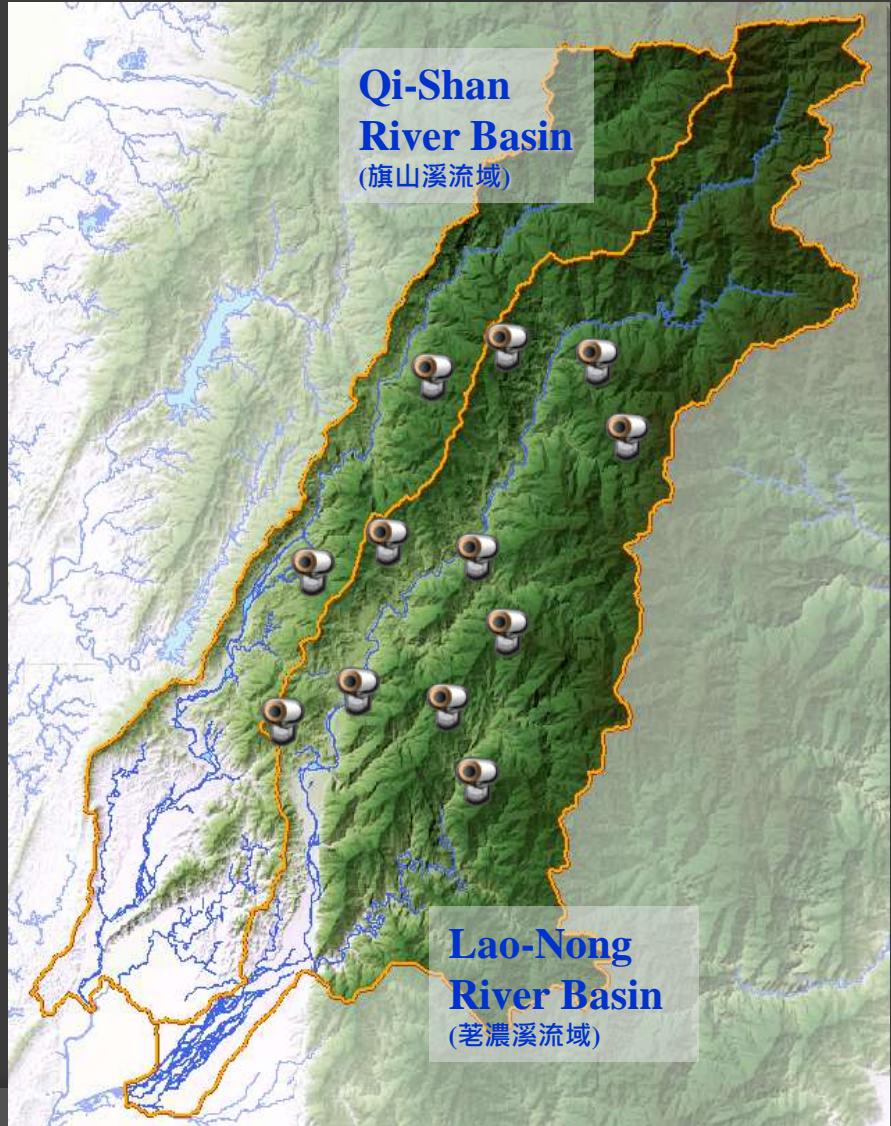
Geophone signal after wavelet transform (8/8 16:56~17:00)



$$173m/10sec=17m/s$$

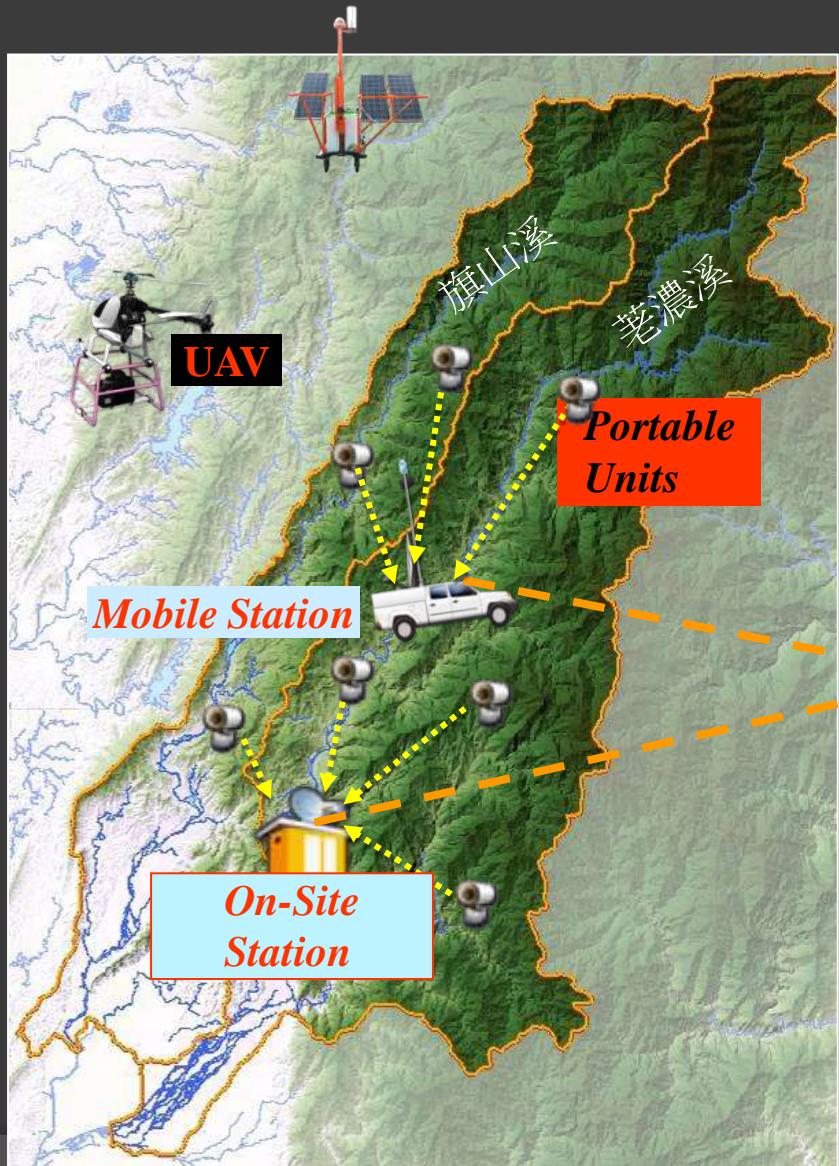
# Basin-wide Monitoring System

# *Basin-wide Debris Flow Monitoring System*



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# *Basin-wide Debris Flow Monitoring System*



- *Point → Line → Plane*
- *Combining mobile stations and portable units.*
- *Integrating data from different agencies.*



# Basin-Wide Monitoring Network

## Qi-Shan & Lao-Nong Basins



Debris Flow Potential	High	Moderate	Low	Check Pt..	Total
Qi-Shan River	18	14	12	2	46
Lao-Nong River	19	6	4	1	30
Total	37	20	16	3	76

Monitoring Network: at most 18 stations (1 on-site, 3 mobile-, 14 grid-stations)

# Basin-Wide Monitoring Network

## Steps:

1. Determine monitoring **priority** for creeks and rivers.
2. Site investigation for station location and **communication quality**.
3. Evaluate the **networking criteria** to enhance data transmission.
4. Network analysis for potential debris flows and available monitoring stations.

# Basin-Wide Monitoring Network

## Step 1. Potential Debris Flow List

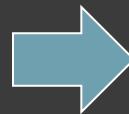
1. Based on the latest debris flow investigation reports.
2. Estimate the scores of each debris flow using weighting factors and dispatch models.
3. Top 30 scores are in the priority list for later site investigation.

Debris Flow Basic Info	高縣 DF020	
	Original	Latest (2009)
Landslide Ratio	<1%	2.28% 
Upstream Slope	60%~120%	60%~120%
Landslide Scale	Not evident	Small areas
Wood deposit	>30 cm	8cm~30cm
Vegetation	Dense	Mod. sparse
Potential	Low	Low

# Basin-Wide Monitoring Network

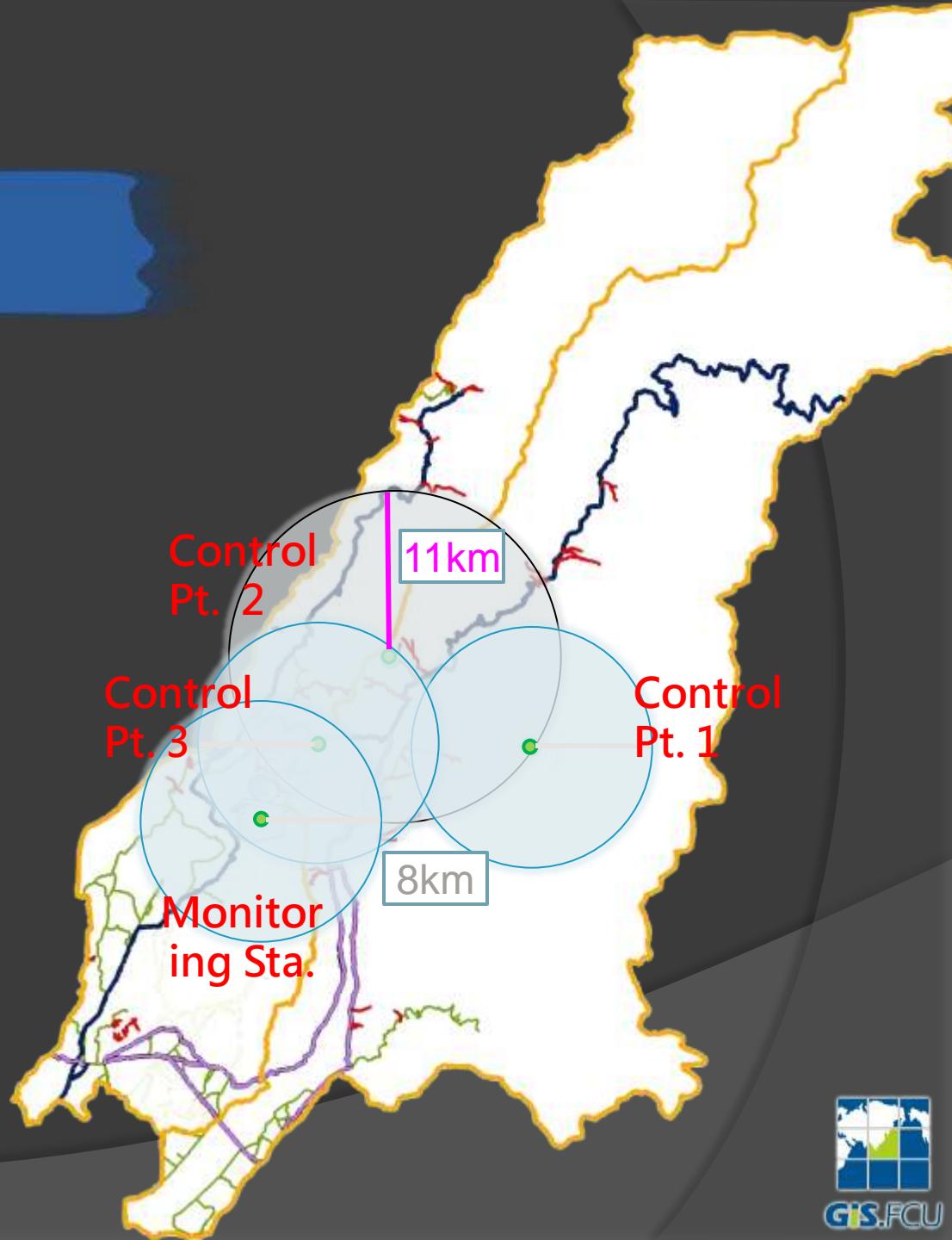
## Step 2. Site Investigation

- What to check:**  
communication quality  
and status, road and  
traffic, safety and  
security, instrument  
applicability and CCD  
images.
- Prepare “Site  
Investigation Report”**



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交通狀況	道路可及性	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 可 <input type="checkbox"/> 不可	
	替代道路	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 有 _____ 口無	
通訊	無線電	與鄰近固定站距離 _____ m	
	3G/GPRS	GPRS : 90 kbps	
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		2.4GHz	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 可 <input type="checkbox"/> 不可
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	CCD 攝影機	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 可 <input type="checkbox"/> 不可	
	地震檢知器	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 可 <input type="checkbox"/> 不可	
	土壤含水量計	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 可 <input type="checkbox"/> 不可	
溪流照片			→ 溪流流向
地理位置圖			
備註			

## Step 2. Communication Test

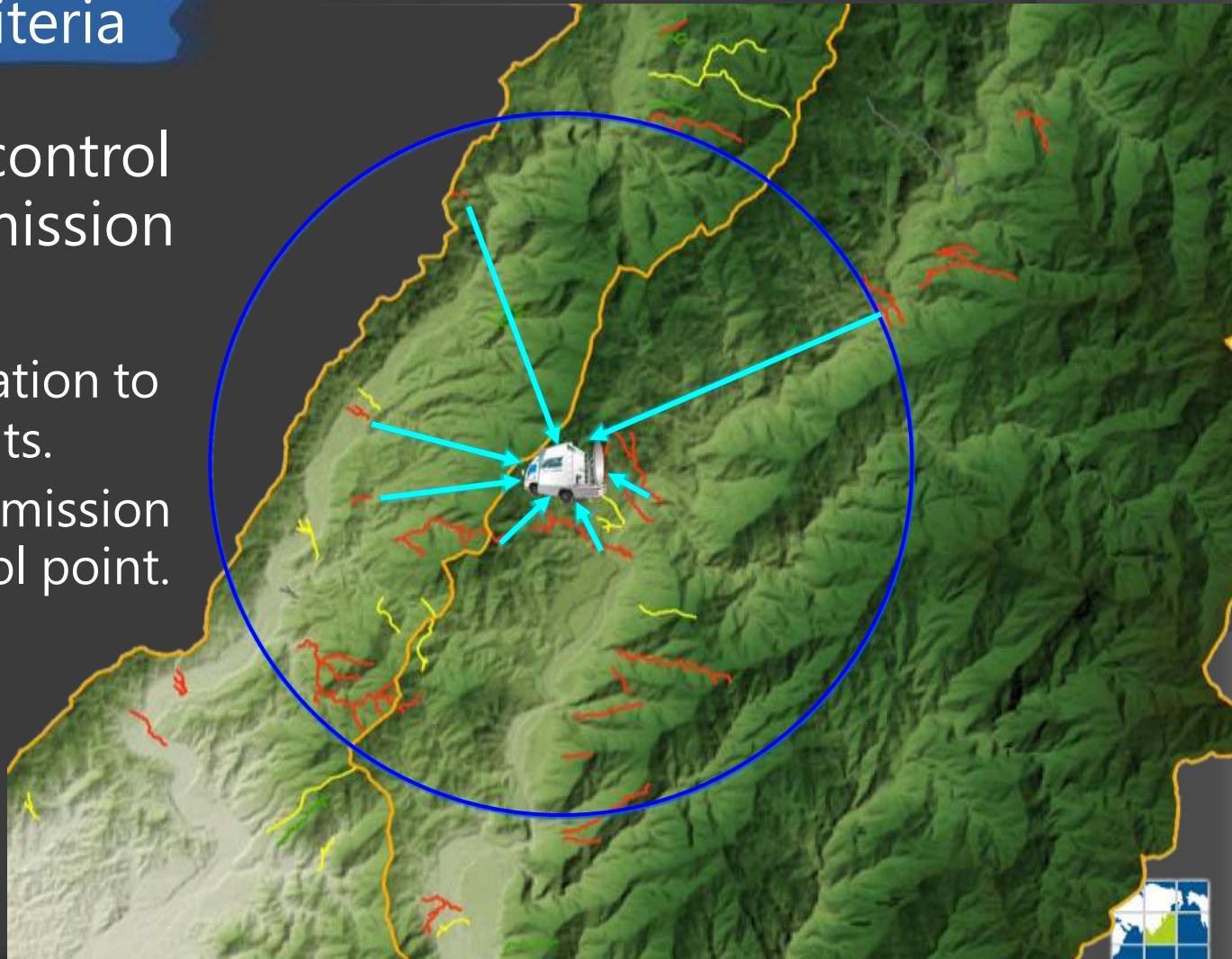


# Basin-Wide Monitoring Network

## Step 3. Networking Criteria

Use accessible control points as transmission hubs.

- send mobile station to the control points.
- or set up a transmission hub at the control point.



# Basin-Wide Monitoring Network

## Step 3. Networking Criteria

- **Capability of Monitoring Sta.**
  1. On-site and mobile stations: **receive and transmit** data.
  2. Portable Units: Use GPRS/3G/3.5G, or with help of transmission hubs (within distance of 3-5 km). **Receive data only.**
  3. Transmission Hubs: receive data from grid stations within the radius of 11km.



Portable Monitoring  
Unit

# Basin-Wide Monitoring Network

## Step 4. Network Planning

Assumptions:

- Case 1: mobile station not available
  - ✓ When no mobile station is available during typhoon season.
  - ✓ Use transmission hubs to replace mobile stations, and connect to grid stations.
- Case 2: mobile station is available
  - ✓ At most 3 mobile stations are available, with one on-site station.
  - ✓ Use full-function grid stations at locations of high scores and available 2.4GHz wireless.

# Portable Monitoring Unit

# Grid Monitoring Station R&D



## Intention

Easy to Transport

Basic monitoring functions

Light-weight

Flexible on Instrument Installation

Various Communication Options

Light-weight

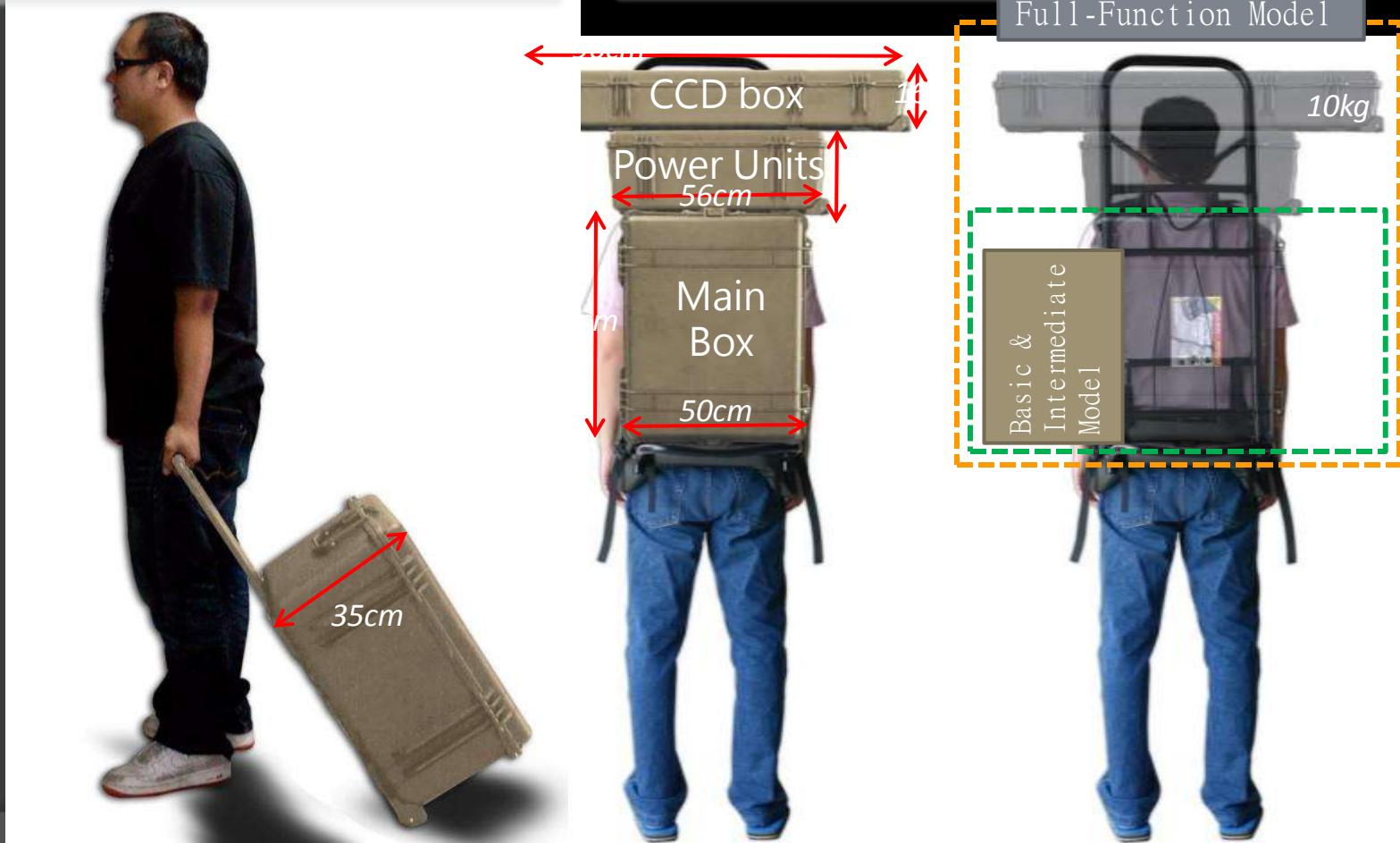
Plug-and-Play Power Supply

Easy to Operate

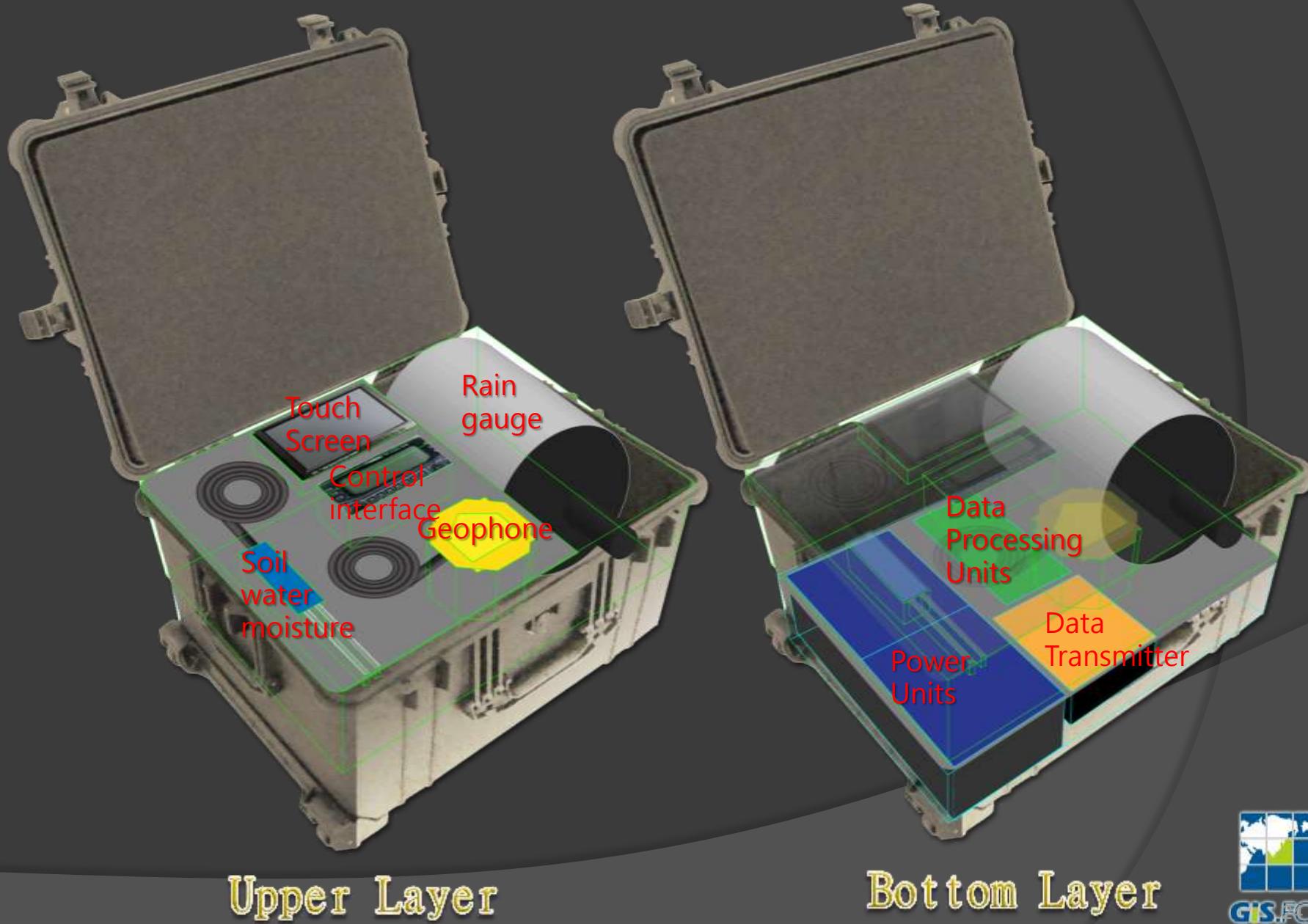
# Grid Monitoring Station R&D

- ◆ Military-standard box
- ◆ Use cables and nails to fix the box.

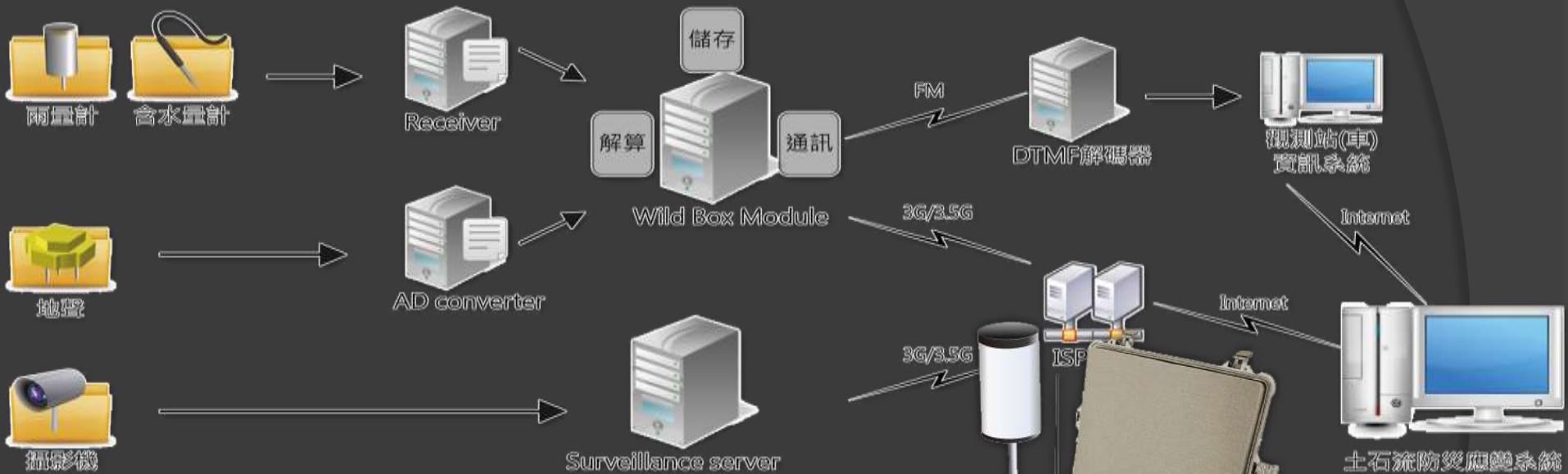
- ◆ Aluminum-alloy carrier
- ◆ Carry on shoulder or drag by hand



# Grid Monitoring Station R&D



## Data Transmission



## Full-Function Model



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# OGC Standards

# OGC Standards

- Open Geospatial Consortium (OGC)
  - <http://www.opengeospatial.org>
- Standards
  - SWE: Sensor Web Enablement
  - SOS: Sensor Observations Service
  - SPS: Sensor Planning Service
  - SAS: Sensor Alert Service
- How to
  - Description of sensor
  - XML Schema

# Overview

## 17 Stations

Each station has one IPC.

Shen-Mu Station



Shang-An Station



Jyun-Keng Station



Fong-Ciou Station



Each station has several sensors such as ...

CCD Camera

Rain Gauge

Geo Phone

Wire Sensor

Water Level Meter

Water Pressure Sensor

Each station sends observation data through ADSL or satellite

## SWCB



Database

The database provide sensor data for services

SOS  
(Sensor Observation Service)

SPS  
(Sensor Planning Service)

SAS  
(Sensor Alert Service)

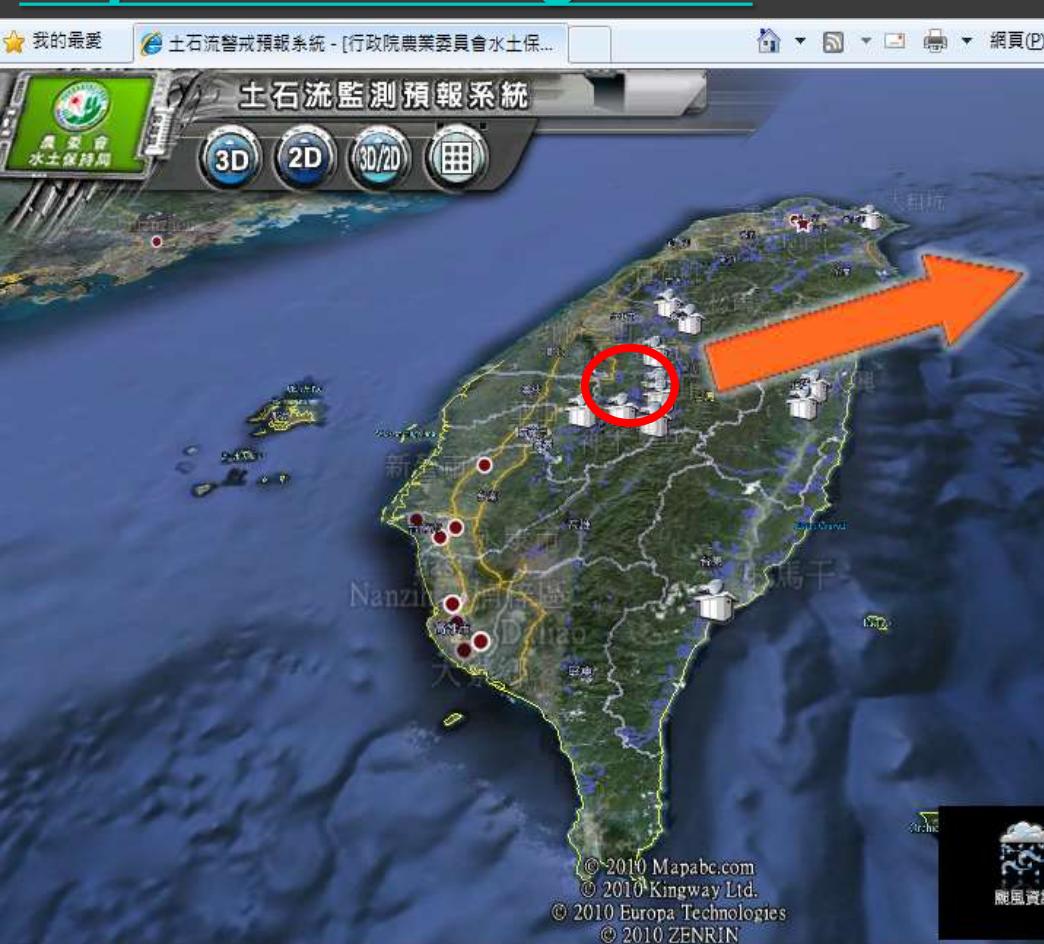
## Consumer



Consumer

# Debris flow integration and display system

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# Debris flow integration and display system

The image illustrates a debris flow integration and display system. It consists of three main components:

- Top Left Window:** A screenshot of a video surveillance interface titled "ccd3". The timestamp "2009/11/10 上午 10:32:13" is displayed. A red circle highlights the top status bar, which shows "JiufenErshan\_CCD Camera 03".
- Bottom Left Window:** A 3D geographical information system (GIS) map showing a terrain with a road. A small building labeled "九份三山" is visible. A red circle highlights a camera icon on the map, indicating its location.
- Right Window:** A Microsoft Internet Explorer browser displaying an SOS Service page. The URL is <http://210.241.45.102:6037/service/ShowCCD.aspx?DeviceID=0&SourceType=1&SensorID=1>. The page shows sensor details:

SamplingTime 1	2009-11-11T17:20:16+08:00
Latitude 1	23.949857
Longitude 1	120.834779

A red arrow points from the camera icon on the map to this service window, indicating the connection between the physical camera location and the data it provides.

# Debris flow integration and display system

## Service

按一下[這裡](#)以取得完整的作業清單。

### RequestSOS

#### 測試

若要以 HTTP POST 通訊協定測試作業，請按一下 [叫用] 按鈕。

參數	值
requestXML:	<input type="text"/>

#### SOAP 1.1

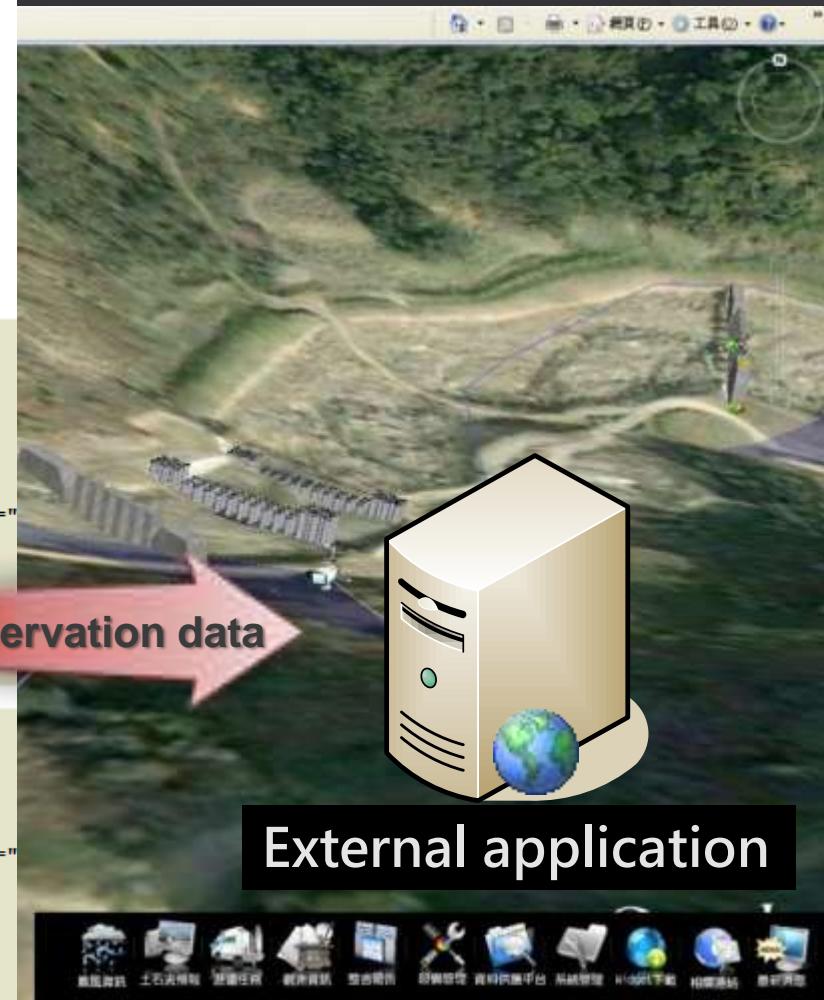
下列是 SOAP 1.1 要求與回應的範例。預留位置顯示之處必須代入實際的值。

```
POST /FCU_GIS_SOS/Service.asmx HTTP/1.1
Host: 210.241.45.102
Content-Type: text/xml; charset=utf-8
Content-Length: length
SOAPAction: "http://www.gis.fcu.edu.tw/RequestSOS"

<?xml version="1.0" encoding="utf-8"?>
<soap:Envelope xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance" xmlns:xsd="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema">
  <soap:Body>
    <RequestSOS xmlns="http://www.gis.fcu.edu.tw/">
      <requestXML>string</requestXML>
    </RequestSOS>
  </soap:Body>
</soap:Envelope>
```

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HTTP/1.1 200 OK
Content-Type: text/xml; charset=utf-8
Content-Length: length

<?xml version="1.0" encoding="utf-8"?>
<soap:Envelope xmlns:xsi="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema-instance" xmlns:xsd="http://www.w3.org/2001/XMLSchema">
  <soap:Body>
    <RequestSOSResponse xmlns="http://www.gis.fcu.edu.tw/">
      <RequestSOSResult>xml</RequestSOSResult>
    </RequestSOSResponse>
  </soap:Body>
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```



External application

# Thank You

# Typhoon MORA KOT

## Shen-Mu Debris Flow Monitoring Station

# The Debris Flow Event of Aiyuzi River

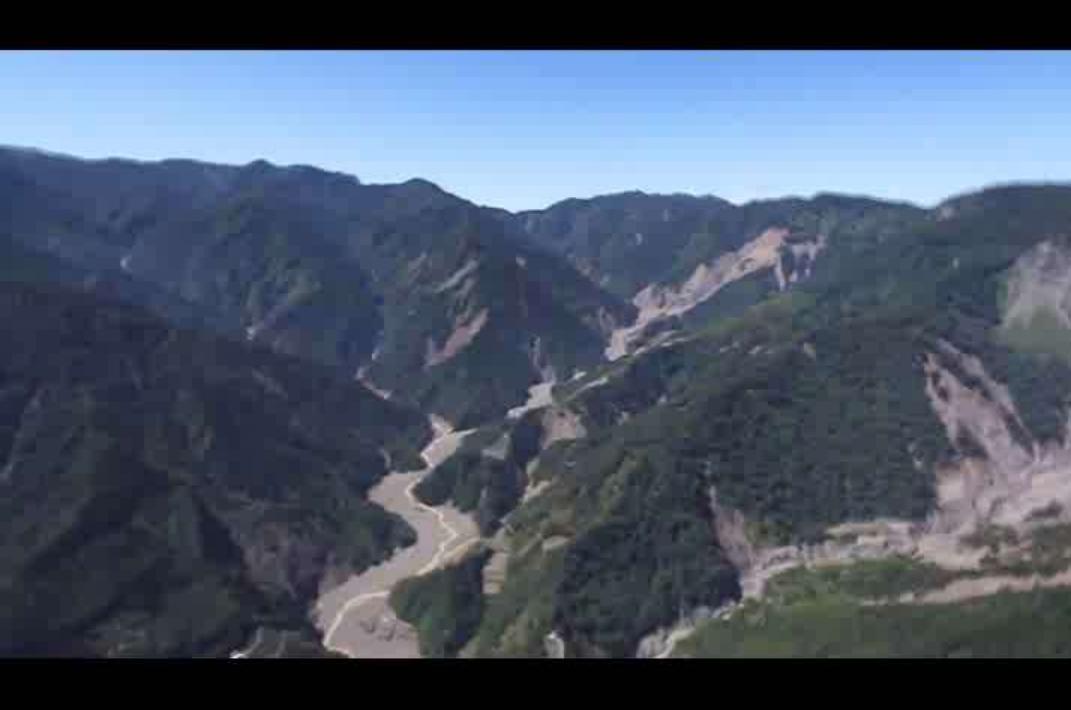
## (8/8 16:57)



Aiyuzi River CCD image (front)



Aiyuzi River CCD image (side)



UAV image  
98/08/18

Aiyuzi River



# The comparison of UAV images before and after the debris flow event at upstream



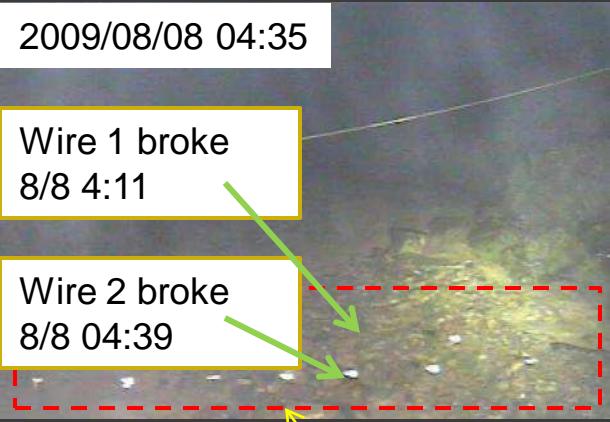
UAV Image\_2006



UAV  
Image\_2009/08/18

# Aiyuzi River Debris Flow Event

2009/08/08 04:35



2009/08/08 04:39



2009/08/08 04:41



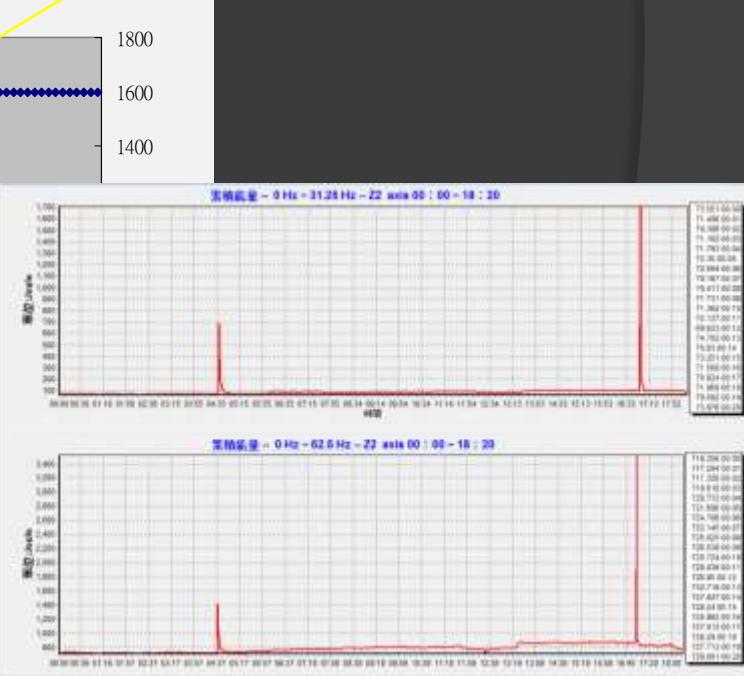
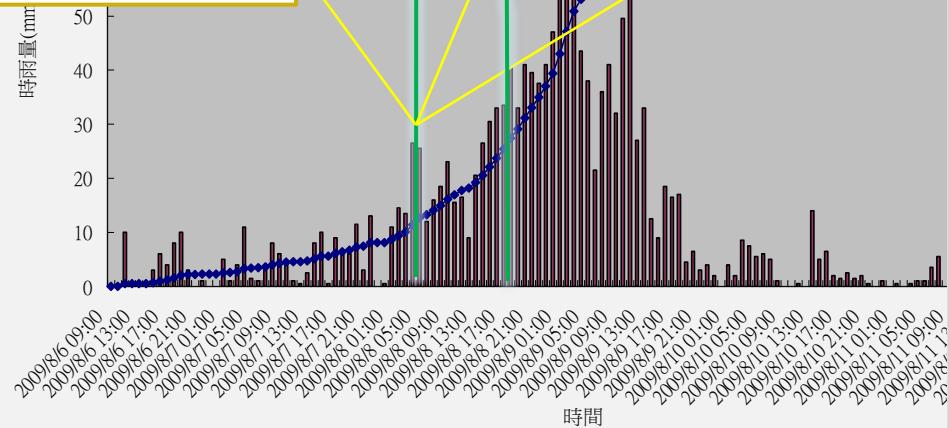
Wire 1 broke  
8/8 4:11

Wire 2 broke  
8/8 04:39

Accumulate rainfall :  
1500mm

The heaviest rainfall :  
82mm/per hour

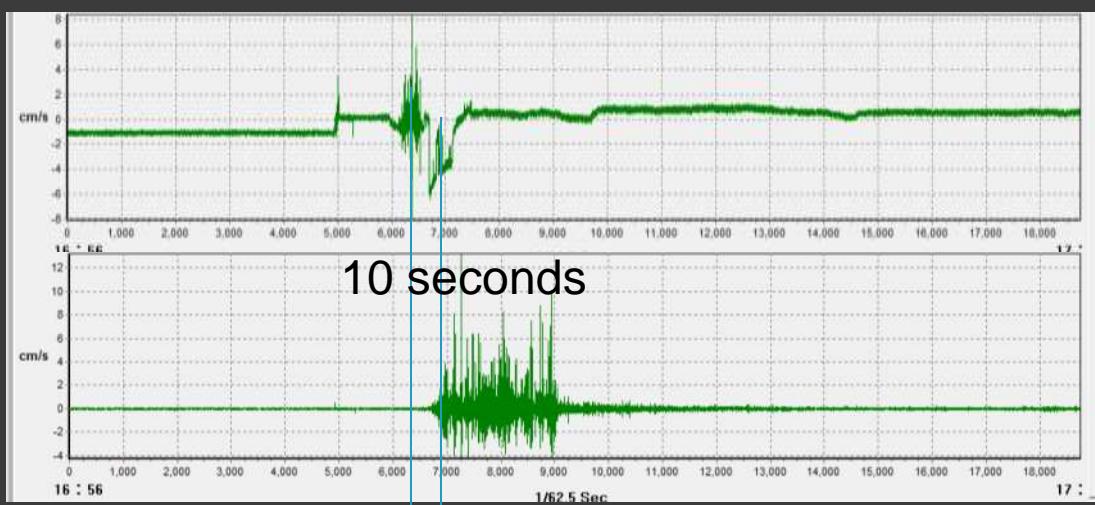
Aiyuzi River wire broke



# Estimating of debris flow speed



$$50\text{m}/3\text{sec}=17\text{m/s}$$



$$173\text{m}/10\text{sec}=17\text{m/s}$$

The comparison of downstream and midstream Underground Sound analysis by Wavelet Transform at Shen-Mu station  
(8/8 4:36~4:42)