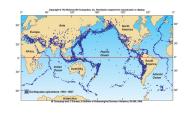
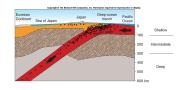
# SIO 15 LECTURE 05: EARTHQUAKES AND PLATE BOUNDARIES

Leftovers from Lecture 4 Announcements

## **Plate Boundaries and Earthquakes**

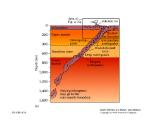


## **Earthquakes in Subduction Zones**



The Wadati-Benioff Zone

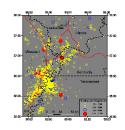
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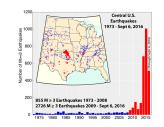
**The Largest Earthquakes** 



**Intraplate Earthquakes** New Madrid 1811/12



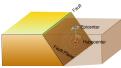
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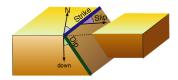
**Induced Seismicity** 



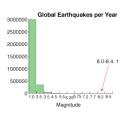
An Earthquake along a Fault (see class website)



Parameters of an Earthquake along a Fault (see class website)



**Earthquake Statistics** 

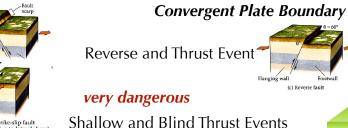


#### Earthquake Types see short video 5a

# **Analogy between Plate Boundaries and Earthquake Types**

**Divergent Plate Boundary** 

**Normal Events** 



Transform Plate Boundary Strike-slip Events

Shallow and Blind Thrust Events



**Earthquake Magnitudes** 

see short video 5b

(e) Strike-slip fault

Mercalli Intensity



Richter Magnitude

Moment Magnitude