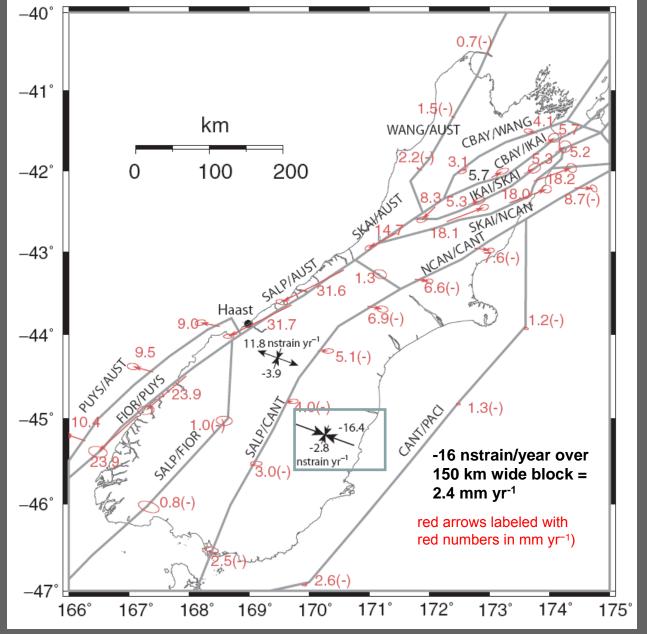
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Generalization:

Eastern Banks
Peninsula moves
~2-3 mm closer
to Porter's Pass
every year

Observation:

Canterbury
earthquake
sequence
resulted in ~3.5
metres of
contraction
parallel to
shortening
direction =
1500±250 yrs of
accumulated
elastic strain

From Wallace et al. (2007)