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Recent activity of the Tobetsu faults on the Ishikari plain, Hokkaido

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Purpose

Elucidate recent activity of the Tobetsu faults.

Method

Geological, seismic, gravity, drilling surveys and trench the active fault.

Result

Activity in northern part of falts shows 0.12 m/kyr of average slip rate, 0.6m of slip per event. Last event is estimated about 5,000 y.B.P. and recourence is estimated about 5,000 year.

Tree event in southwestern part of falts estimates 6,500-6,000y.B.P, 4,500-3500y.B.P, 900-500y.B.P?.

In particular, This last event is similar sand dyke event of Karinba site of Eniwa City.