

Recent seismicity beneath Fuji volcano

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The activity of deep low frequency earthquakes beneath Fuji volcano became vigorous since October until December 2000. Hypocenters were distributed about 15km deep under Fuji volcano. Our seismic observation detected not only low frequency earthquakes but also high frequency ones. According to our observation, 20 to 40 high frequency earthquakes have been occurring in a year and shallow earthquakes have been also observed. The shallow seismicity has not changed associated with the low frequency earthquakes activity.