

Supplementary items to:

Emergence of modern-style continental subduction modulated by rifted margin-subduction feedback

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32 **Table 1. Material parameters used in this study.** Additional parameters constant accross all materials are the
33 elastic shear modulus $G = 5 \times 10^{10}$ Pa, the thermal expansivity $\alpha = 3 \times 10^{-5} \text{ K}^{-1}$, the heat capacity $C_p = 1050 \text{ J K}^{-1}$, and
34 the thermal conductivity $\kappa = 3.0 \text{ W m}^{-1} \text{ K}^{-1}$. The minimum and maximum viscosities are capped to 5×10^{18} and
35 $1 \times 10^{23} \text{ Pa s}^1$, respectively. 1, [Hirth & Kohlstedt \(2003\)](#). 2, [Mackwell et al. \(1998\)](#). 3, [Ranalli, \(1995\)](#).

Unit	ρ (kg m^{-3})	Rheology	A ($\text{Pa}^{-n} \text{ s}^{-1}$)	E (J mol^{-1})	n	V ($\text{m}^{-3} \text{ mol}^{-1}$)	ϕ ($^{\circ}$)	C (MPa)	Cp (J K^{-1})
Upper Mantle	Peridotite	Dry olivine ¹	1.1×10^5	530×10^3	3.5	14.75×10^{-6}	20	30	1050
Sediments	Sediments	Wet quartzite ³	3.2×10^{-4}	154×10^3	2.3	-	20	30	850
Upper continental crust	UCC	Wet quartzite ³	3.2×10^{-4}	154×10^3	2.3	-	20	30	900
Lower continental crust	LCC	Anorthite 75 ³	3.3×10^{-4}	238×10^3	3.2	-	20	30	950
Upper oceanic crust	NMORB	Diabase ²	8	485×10^3	4.7	-	0	5	1000
Lower oceanic crust	NMORB	Anorthite 75 ³	3.3×10^{-4}	238×10^3	3.2	-	20	30	1050
Serpentinite	Serpentinite	Isoviscous $5 \times 10^{18} \text{ Pa.s}$	-	-	-	-	20	30	1050

48 Table 2. Bulk compositions used in the density phase diagrams.

	Average continental crust	Average mid-ridge ocean basalt	Sediments	Lherzolite KB-1
	Andesite	Oceanic crust (N-MORB)	Average greywacke	Peridotite
Wt.%/REF	Rudnick & Gao, 2003	Gale et al., 2013	Pettijohn, 1963	Davies et al., 2009
SiO ₂	60.60	50.42	68.85	44.48
TiO ₂	0.72	1.53	0.74	0.11
Al ₂ O ₃	15.90	15.13	12.05	3.51
FeO	6.71	9.81	4.75	8.2
MnO	0.10	0.17	0.05	0.12
MgO	4.66	7.76	2.96	39.52
CaO	6.41	11.35	0.5	3.07
Na ₂ O	3.07	2.83	4.87	0.3
K ₂ O	1.81	0.14	1.81	0.02
P ₂ O ₅	0.13	0.16	0.06	-
Cr ₂ O ₃	0.01	0.03	-	0.32
H ₂ O	-	-	3.07	-
CO ₂	-	-	0.08	-
Total	100.12	99.33	99.79	99.65

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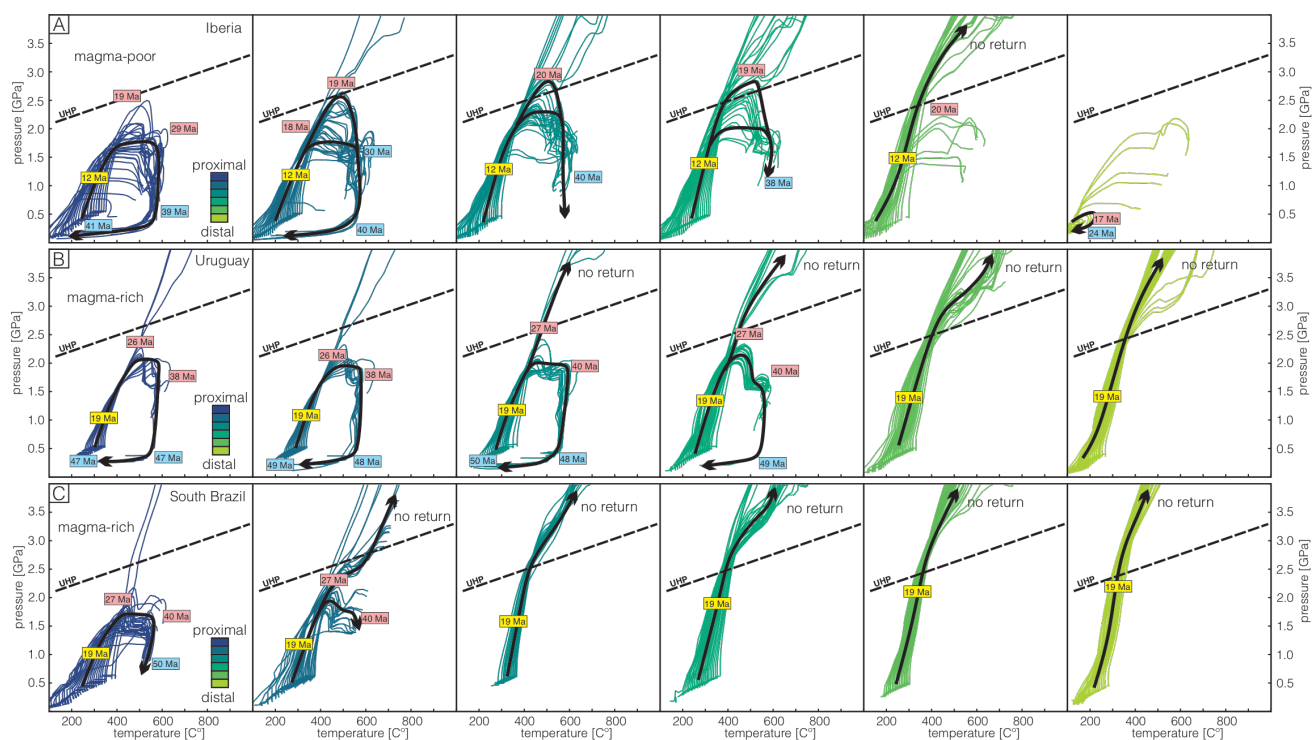
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58 **Figure S1** – Pressure-temperature-time trajectories for the different segments of the subducted continental
 59 crust for different rifted margins with a slab pull given by a pre-collisional subduction of an oceanic lithosphere
 60 with an age of 40 Ma. **A.** Iberia. **B.** Uruguay and **C.** South Brazil

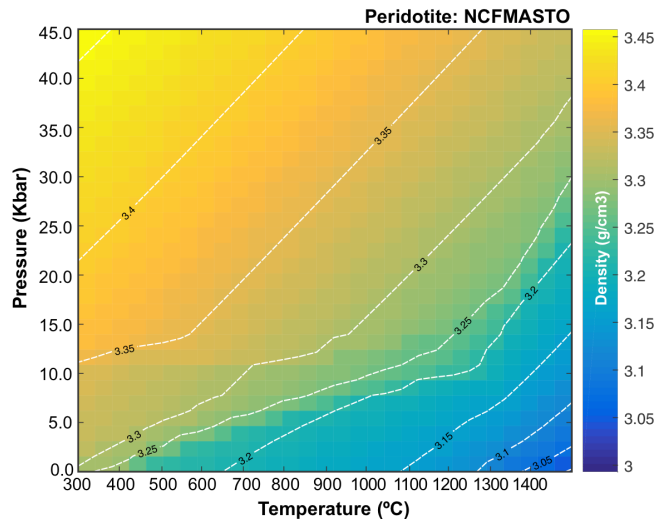
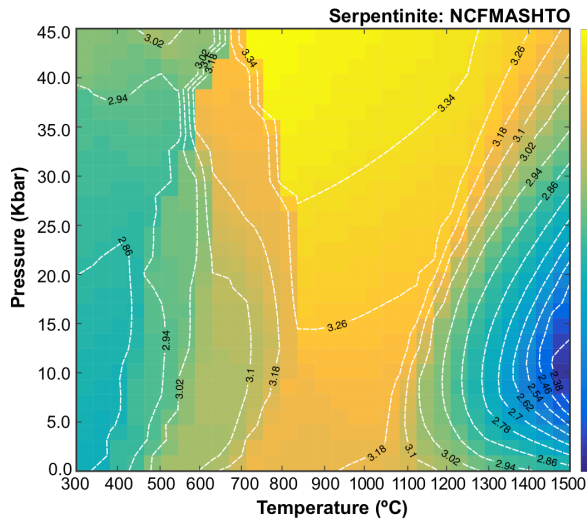
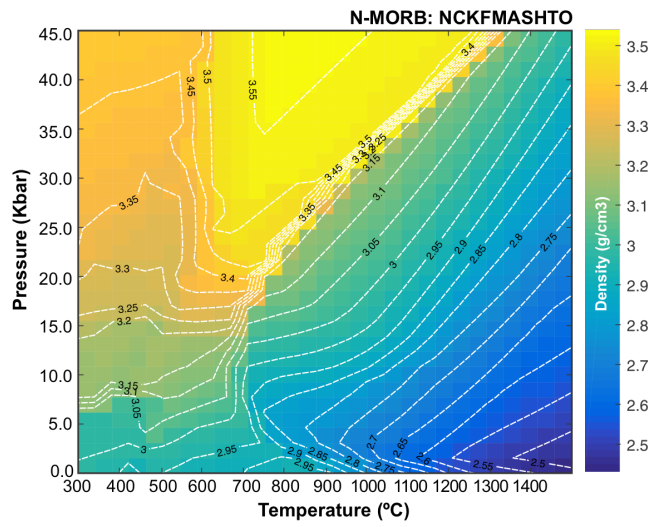
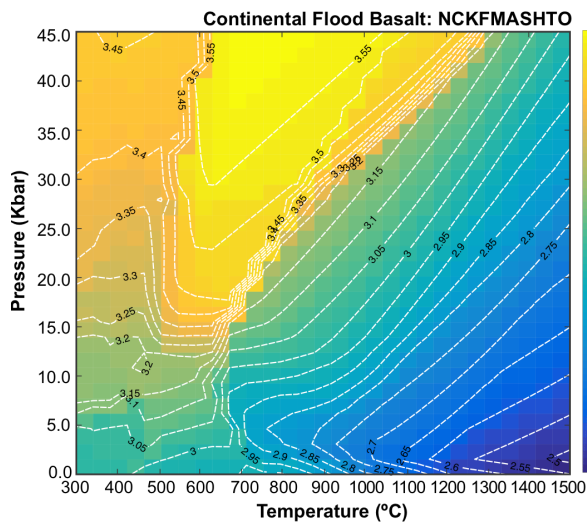
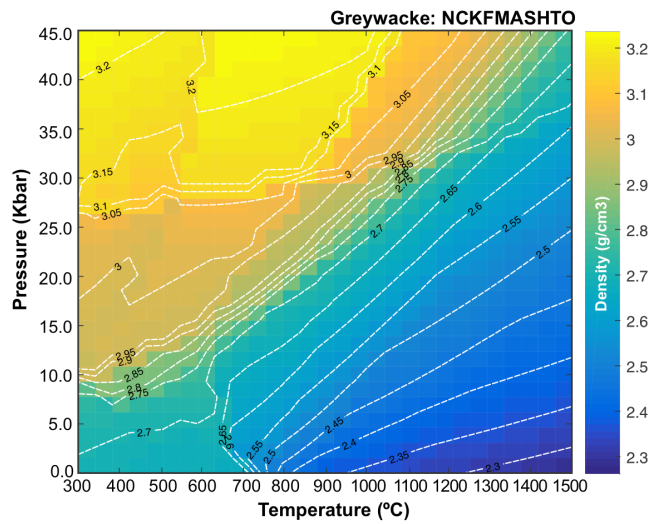
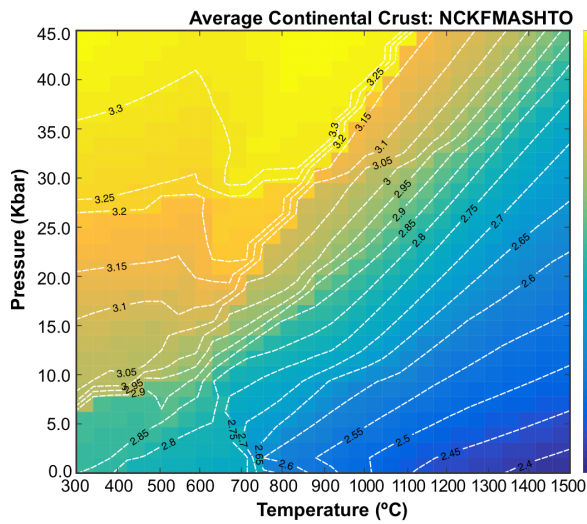


Figure S2 – Calculated density variation for different lithologies used in the thermomechanical model.

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