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 2 *Figure SM 1: Tests on (i) Left column: Variation of depth from 0 to 250 and 500m, all other*
 3 *parameters constant, depth has little influence on the surface deformation either on a*
 4 *virtual sensor (V11) located close to the rupture zone or on a virtual sensor (V3) located*
 5 *further, within the Les Saintes Archipelago. The scenario with the top of the fault rupturing*
 6 *the surface (depth = 0m) triggers high-frequency waves which could result from a numeric*
 7 *instability and is to be considered carefully. (ii) Right column: Variations of dip from 55 to*
 8 *65 and 75°, all other parameters constant, have little influence on the surface deformation*
 9 *on a virtual sensor (V11) located close to the rupture zone. However, the difference on a*
 10 *virtual sensor (V3) located further, within the Les Saintes Archipelago, is notable especially*
 11 *on the first peak amplitude, from 0.2 m (75°) to 0.5 m (55°). The following waves show less*
 12 *difference (Figure SI 1).*

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