

# Physical modelling: laboratory models



- In forty years, 27 million cubic meters of sediment have been added to the bay and a thousand hectares of new vegetated land encroached into it.
- The model demonstrated that, by 2042, the marine environment of the inner bay around the Mont would vanish completely. Nothing can stop this happening eventually, but it can be slowed down.



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There are two keys to delaying the inevitable:

- Restore the hydraulic power of the Couesnon river to flush sediment out of the inner bay.

