

# Numerical methods for nonlinear nonlocal water wave models

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# Abstract

Nonlinear water wave models





# Outline

This thesis is organised in the following way. Part I contains general theoretical background on nonlinear wave models as well as description of methods used to solve the equations involved. Some properties of solutions to the equations and a summary of results are also given in the first part. Part 2 consists of the research papers that present scientific results in detail.

## List of reseach papers included in Part II

### Paper A:

Moldabayev, D., Kalisch, H., Dutykh, D.: *The Whitham equation as a model for surface water waves*, Phys. D **309**, 99–107 (2015),  
<http://dx.doi.org/10.1016/j.physd.2015.07.010>.

### Paper B:

Dinvay, E., Moldabayev, D., Dutykh, D., Kalisch, H.: *The Whitham equation with surface tension*, Nonlinear Dynamics, 1–14 (2017),  
<http://dx.doi.org/10.1007/s11071-016-3299-7>.

### Paper C:

Henrik Kalisch, Daulet Moldabayev, Olivier Verdier: *A numerical study of nonlinear dispersive wave models with SpecTraVVave*, **specify status of the paper**.

### Paper D:

Benjamin Segal, Daulet Moldabayev, Henrik Kalisch, Bernard Deconinck: *Explicit solutions for a long-wave model with constant vorticity*, submitted to European Journal of Mechanics - B/Fluids.



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# **Part I**

## **Background**



# Chapter 1

## Introduction

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## **Part II**

### **Scientific results**

