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# Free-surface waves using extended shallow water models part 3

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# Schedule

Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
8:50–9:00	<i>Opening</i>				
9:00–10:30	L3	L5	L2	L4	L6
10:30–11:00	<i>Coffee break</i>	<i>Coffee break</i>	<i>Coffee break</i>	<i>Coffee break</i>	<i>Coffee break</i>
11:00–12:30	L1	L1	L2	L4	L6
12:30–13:30	<i>Lunch</i>	<i>Lunch</i>	<i>Lunch</i>	<i>Lunch</i>	<i>Lunch</i>
13:30–15:00	L3	L5	L3	L5	
15:00–15:30	<i>Coffee break</i>	<i>Coffee break</i>			
15:30–17:00	Poster session	L1			
17:45–19:00			<i>Social event</i>		

## L1: Mon 11-12:30

- overview
- motivation
- derivation

## L2: Tue 11-12:30

- analysis

## L3: Tue 15:30-17

- selected papers
- outlook

Slides at: [https://github.com/scalaura/waves\\_summerschool](https://github.com/scalaura/waves_summerschool)

# Content of this talk

1 Repetition

2 Analysis

# 1 Repetition

**Question: What are desirable model properties?**

$$\partial_t \mathbf{u}_N + \mathbf{A}_N \partial_x \mathbf{u}_N = \mathbf{S}(\mathbf{u}_N), \quad \mathbf{u}_N \in \mathbb{R}^{N+2}$$

- high accuracy
- low complexity
- efficiency
- adaptivity
- extendability
- analytical form
- conservation
- hyperbolicity
- stability
- equilibria
- steady states
- entropy

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$$\partial_t \mathbf{u}_N + \mathbf{A}_N \partial_x \mathbf{u}_N = \mathbf{S}(\mathbf{u}_N), \quad \mathbf{u}_N \in \mathbb{R}^{N+2}$$

- Hyperbolic Shallow Water Moment Equations [JK, ROMINGER, 2020]
- Shallow Water Linearized Moment Equations [JK, PIMENTEL-GARCIA, 2022]
- Primitive variable regularization [JK, submitted]
- axisymmetric quasi-2D [VERBIEST, JK, 2025] and 2D [BAUERLE et al., 2025]

2 selected papers

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## Different source/friction terms

- Newtonian slip flow [KOWALSKI, TORRILHON, 2019]
- Bedload Manning friction [GARRES-DIAZ et al., 2021]
- Sediment transport with erosion and deposition at bottom [PARVIN et al., submitted]
- non-slip boundary conditions [ZHOU et al., submitted]
- Savage-Hutter / varying viscosity [HUANG, et al., in preparation]



$$\partial_t \mathbf{u}_N + \partial_x \mathbf{F}(\mathbf{u}_N) = \mathbf{B}(\mathbf{u}_N) \partial_x \mathbf{u}_N + \mathbf{S}(\mathbf{u}_N), \quad \mathbf{u}_N \in \mathbb{R}^{N+2}$$

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## efficiency

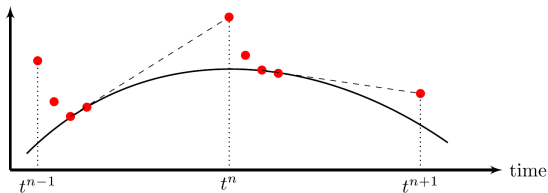
- (high-order) path-conservative finite volume schemes [JK, CASTRO, 2017]
- Roe method for large hyperbolic systems [PIMENTEL, et al., 2020]

## structure

- asymptotic-preserving numerics [JK, SAMAEY, 2021],
- micro-macro decomposition [JK, VANDECASTEELE, 2023]
- well-balancing [JK, PIMENTEL, 2022], [CABALLERO, et al., 2025]

# Projective Integration for stiff RHS

$$\partial_t \mathbf{u}_N + \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{u}_N) \partial_x \mathbf{u}_N = -\frac{1}{\tau} \mathbf{S}(\mathbf{u}_N)$$



## Mitigate stiffness of RHS

- small inner steps for fast dynamics
- extrapolation step for slow dynamics

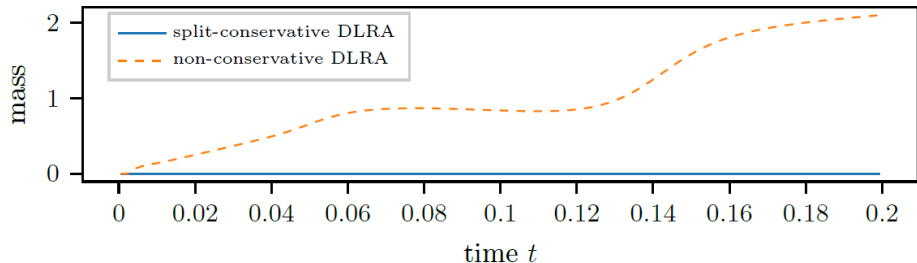
- for kinetic equations [JK, SAMAEY, 2021]
- for shallow flows [AMRITA, JK, 2022]
- can be written as Runge-Kutta method [JK, SAMAEY, 2025]
- alternative is implicit splitting scheme [HUANG, et al., 2022]

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Problem: standard model reduction (POD or DLRA) does not lead to mass conservation.

Macro-micro decomposition:

$$\mathbf{Q} = [\mathbf{U} \quad \mathbf{V}], \quad \mathbf{U} = [h(x_j, t) \quad h(x_j, t) u_m(x_j, t)]_j \in \mathbb{R}^{N_x \times 2},$$

$$\mathbf{V} = [h(x_j, t) \alpha_1(x_j, t) \quad \dots \quad h(x_j, t) \alpha_N(x_j, t)]_j \in \mathbb{R}^{N_x \times N}.$$

Apply model reduction only to micro variables  $\mathbf{V}$ .

$\Rightarrow h$  and  $u_m$  are always included in the solution space, including conservation of mass.

# Hyperreduction of SWME model: macro-micro decomposition

$$\partial_t \mathbf{q} + \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{q}) \partial_x \mathbf{q} = \mathbf{g}(\mathbf{q}),$$

operator splitting:

$$\text{Step 1: transport} \quad \partial_t \mathbf{q} + \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{q}) \partial_x \mathbf{q} = 0, \quad (1)$$

$$\text{Step 2: friction} \quad \partial_t \mathbf{q} = \mathbf{g}(\mathbf{q}) \quad (2)$$

macro-micro decomposition:

$$\text{Step 1a: macro transport} \quad \mathbf{q}^n = (\mathbf{u}^n, \mathbf{v}^n) \xRightarrow{(1)} (\tilde{\mathbf{u}}^{n+1}, \mathbf{v}^n),$$

$$\text{Step 1b: micro transport} \quad (\tilde{\mathbf{u}}^{n+1}, \mathbf{v}^n) \xRightarrow{(1)} (\tilde{\mathbf{u}}^{n+1}, \tilde{\mathbf{v}}^{n+1}),$$

$$\text{Step 2a: macro friction} \quad \tilde{\mathbf{q}}^{n+1} = (\tilde{\mathbf{u}}^{n+1}, \tilde{\mathbf{v}}^{n+1}) \xRightarrow{(2)} (\mathbf{u}^{n+1}, \tilde{\mathbf{v}}^{n+1}),$$

$$\text{Step 2b: micro friction} \quad (\mathbf{u}^{n+1}, \tilde{\mathbf{v}}^{n+1}) \xRightarrow{(2)} (\mathbf{u}^{n+1}, \mathbf{v}^{n+1}).$$

$$\partial_t \mathbf{q} + \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{q}) \partial_x \mathbf{q} = 0,$$

$$\mathbf{q} = \begin{bmatrix} u & \mathbf{v} \end{bmatrix}, \quad \mathbf{A}(\mathbf{q}) = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{A}_{uu} & \mathbf{A}_{uv} \\ \mathbf{A}_{vu} & \mathbf{A}_{vv} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\mathbf{A}_{uu} = \begin{bmatrix} gh - u_m^2 - \frac{1}{3}\alpha_1^2 & 1 \\ -2u_m\alpha_1 & 2u_m \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{2 \times 2}, \quad \mathbf{A}_{uv} = \begin{bmatrix} \frac{2}{3}\alpha_1 & & & \\ & \frac{3}{5}\alpha_1 & & \\ & & \ddots & \\ & & & \ddots \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{2 \times N},$$

$$\mathbf{A}_{vu} = \begin{bmatrix} -\frac{2}{3}\alpha_1^2 & 2\alpha_1 \\ & & & \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times 2}, \quad \mathbf{A}_{vv} = \begin{bmatrix} u_m & \frac{1}{3}\alpha_1 & & \\ & u_m & \ddots & \\ & & \ddots & \frac{N+1}{2N+1}\alpha_1 \\ & & & u_m \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times N}.$$

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$$\partial_t \mathbf{q} = \frac{\nu}{\lambda} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ u_m + \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 \\ 3 \left( u_m + \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 + 4 \frac{\lambda}{h} \alpha_1 \right) \\ 5 \left( u_m + \alpha_1 + \alpha_2 + 12 \frac{\lambda}{h} \alpha_2 \right) \end{pmatrix}.$$



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## implicit scheme:

$h$  is constant during the friction step  $\Rightarrow$  explicit backward Euler [PIMENTEL, JK, 2022]

# POD-Galerkin (offline phase)

*singular value decomposition (SVD) of the snapshot matrix*

$$\mathbf{V}^{\text{POD}} = \begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{V}^0 \\ \vdots \\ \mathbf{V}^{N_t-1} \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{(N_x N_t) \times N}, \quad (3)$$

where the  $\mathbf{V}^n$  are solution snapshots.

Truncated SVD of  $\mathbf{V}^{\text{POD}}$ :

$$\mathbf{V}^{\text{POD}} = \mathbf{\Psi} \mathbf{\Sigma} \mathbf{W}^{\top} \quad (4)$$

$\mathbf{\Sigma} = \text{diag}(\sigma_1, \dots, \sigma_r)$ ,  $r \ll N$ , is diagonal matrix containing the largest  $r$  singular values.

$\mathbf{\Psi} \in \mathbb{R}^{(N_x N_t) \times r}$ ,  $\mathbf{W} \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times r}$  are left and right singular vectors.

POD approximates micro variables using orthonormal basis  $\{\mathbf{w}\}_{k=1, \dots, r}$

$$\mathbf{v}(x, t) \approx \tilde{\mathbf{v}}(x, t) = \sum_{k=1}^r \hat{\alpha}_k(x, t) \mathbf{w}_k, \quad r \ll N \leq N_t \quad (5)$$

$$= \mathbf{W} \hat{\mathbf{v}}(x, t), \quad (6)$$

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⇒ Hyperreduction of the micro steps.

# Dynamical Low-Rank Approximation (DLRA)

Apply DLRA only to microscopic correction terms  $v_i := h\alpha_i$

$\mathbf{V}(t) \in \mathbb{R}^{N_x \times N}$ , where  $v_{ji} = h(t, x_j)\alpha_i(t, x_j)$ ,

dynamical low-rank approximation

$$\mathbf{V}(t) = \mathbf{X}(t)\mathbf{S}(t)\mathbf{W}(t)^\top$$

$\mathbf{X} \in \mathbb{R}^{N_x \times r}$  basis vectors in space

$\mathbf{W} \in \mathbb{R}^{N \times r}$  basis vectors in moments

$\mathbf{S} \in \mathbb{R}^{r \times r}$  coefficient matrix

$\Rightarrow$  Project discrete scheme onto dynamical basis (intrusive).

$$\mathbf{V}(t) = \mathbf{X}(t)\mathbf{S}(t)\mathbf{W}(t)^\top$$

$$\dot{\mathbf{V}}(t) \in \mathcal{T}_{\mathbf{V}(t)}\mathcal{N}_r \quad \text{such that} \quad \|\dot{\mathbf{V}}(t) - R_v(\mathbf{U}(t), \mathbf{V}(t))\| \rightarrow \min!$$

- ① **K-step:** Update  $\mathbf{X}^0$  to  $\mathbf{X}^1$  via

$$\dot{\mathbf{K}}(t) = R_v(\mathbf{K}(t)\mathbf{W}^{0,\top})\mathbf{W}^0, \quad \mathbf{K}(t_0) = \mathbf{X}^0\mathbf{S}^0.$$

Determine  $\mathbf{X}^1$  with  $\mathbf{K}(t_1) = \mathbf{X}^1\mathbf{R}$  and store  $\mathbf{N} = \mathbf{X}^{1,\top}\mathbf{X}^0$ .

- ② **L-step:** Update  $\mathbf{W}^0$  to  $\mathbf{W}^1$  via

$$\dot{\mathbf{L}}(t) = R_v(\mathbf{X}^0\mathbf{L}(t)^\top)^\top\mathbf{X}^0, \quad \mathbf{L}(t_0) = \mathbf{W}^0\mathbf{S}^\top.$$

Determine  $\mathbf{W}^1$  with  $\mathbf{L}(t_1) = \mathbf{W}^1\tilde{\mathbf{R}}$  and store  $\mathbf{N} = \mathbf{W}^{1,\top}\mathbf{W}^0$ .

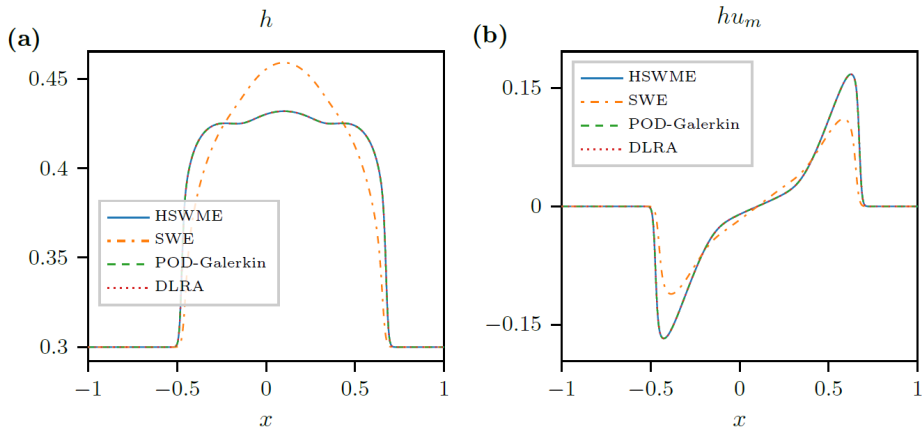
- ③ **S-step:** Update  $\mathbf{S}^0$  to  $\mathbf{S}^1$  via

$$\dot{\mathbf{S}}(t) = \mathbf{X}^{1,\top}R_v(\mathbf{X}^1\mathbf{S}(t)\mathbf{W}^{1,\top})\mathbf{W}^1, \quad \mathbf{S}(t_0) = \mathbf{N}\mathbf{S}^0\mathbf{N}^\top$$

and set  $\mathbf{S}^1 = \mathbf{S}(t_1)$ .

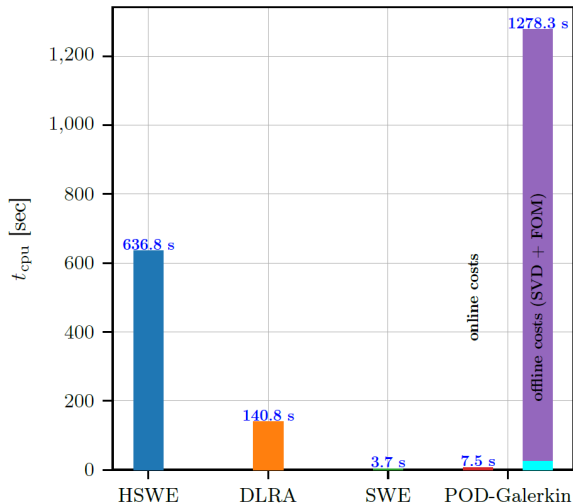


# Dam break accuracy [JK, KRAH, KUSCH, submitted]



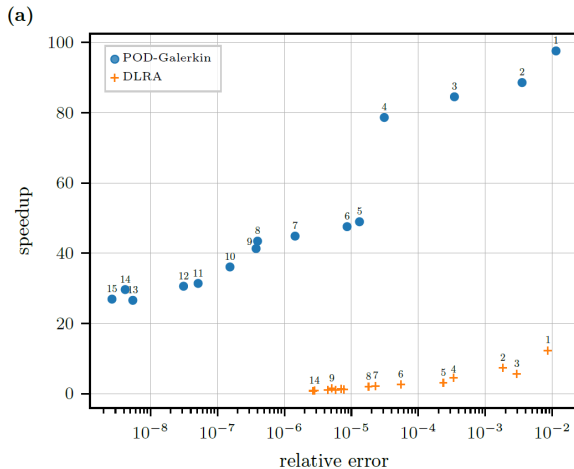
DLRA and POD solutions are as accurate as full model.

# Dam break runtime ( $r = 3, 4$ )



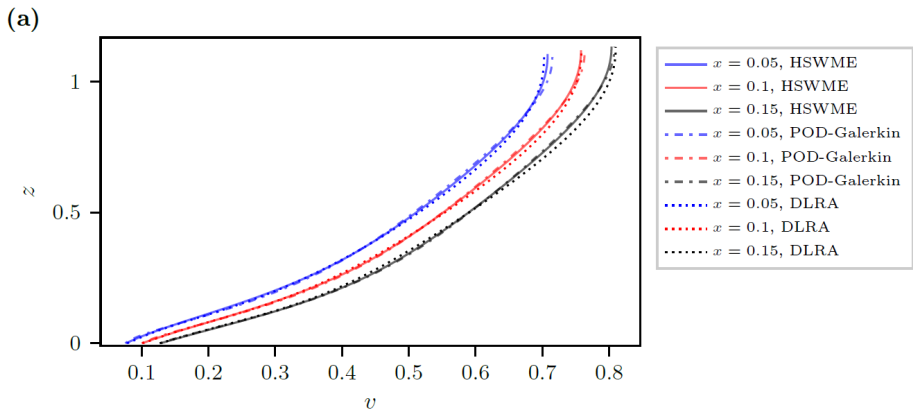
DLRA and POD both yield significant speedup

# Dam break efficiency for changing $r$



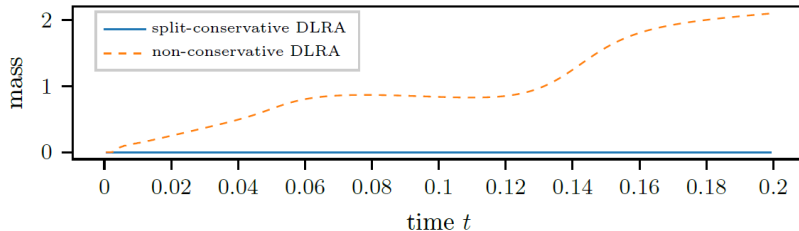
POD looks faster than DLRA because we do not count offline computation here.

# Smooth wave velocity profile 1



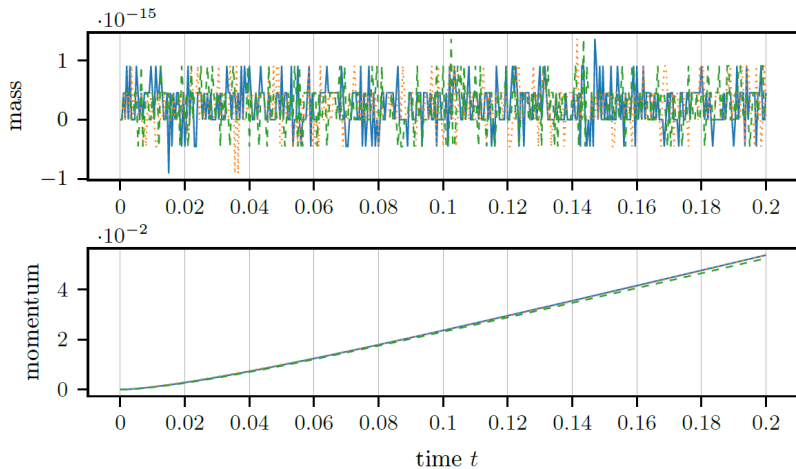
Accurate velocity profile for DLRA and POD.

# Role of macro-micro splitting



Without the splitting in macro and micro variables, naive DLRA does not lead to mass conservation.

# Smooth wave conservation properties

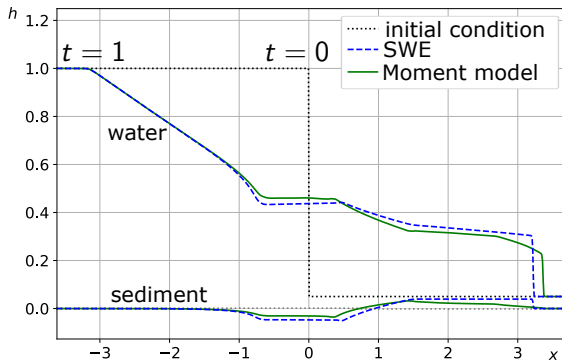


Mass is conserved up to machine precision.

# Sediment transport [GARRES-DIAZ, et al., 2021]

**Idea:** Include moving bed and Manning friction

$$\partial_t \mathbf{u}_N + \mathbf{A}_N \partial_x \mathbf{u}_N = \mathbf{S}_F, \quad \mathbf{u}_N = (h, hu_m, h\alpha_1, \dots, h\alpha_N, h_b)^T \in \mathbb{R}^{N+3}$$



⇒ More realistic sediment transport

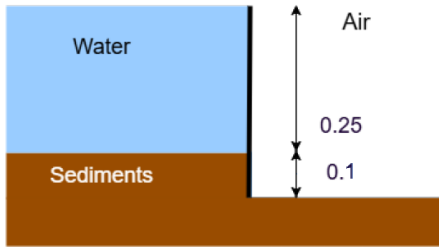
**Idea:** Include sediment concentration equation and erosion-deposition effects



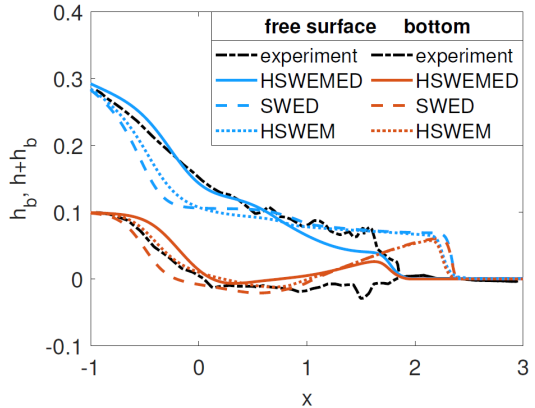
$$\partial_t \mathbf{u}_N + (\mathbf{A}_N + \mathbf{A}_s) \partial_x \mathbf{u}_N = \mathbf{S}_{ED} + \mathbf{S}_F$$
$$\mathbf{u}_N = (h, hu_m, h\alpha_1, \dots, h\alpha_N, hc, h_b)^T \in \mathbb{R}^{N+4}$$

**Results:** characteristic speed analysis and simulations





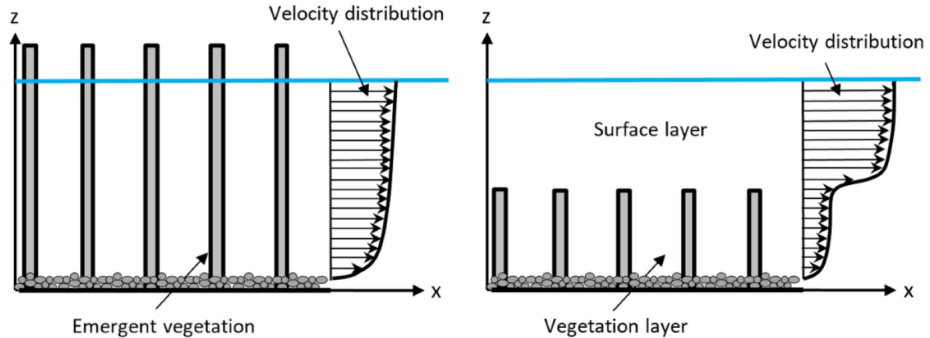
(a) test setup



(b) simulation result

⇒ Better accuracy of new models

# Effect of Vegetation



⇒ Velocity variations can be captured by our models

$$h, hu \rightarrow h, q$$

$$\partial_t \begin{pmatrix} h \\ q \end{pmatrix} + \partial_x \begin{pmatrix} q \\ \frac{q^2}{h} + \frac{g}{2} h^2 \end{pmatrix} = -\frac{\nu}{\lambda} \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \frac{q}{h} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$h(t, x, \omega) = \sum_{k=0}^K \hat{h}_k(t, x) \psi_k(\xi(\omega))$$

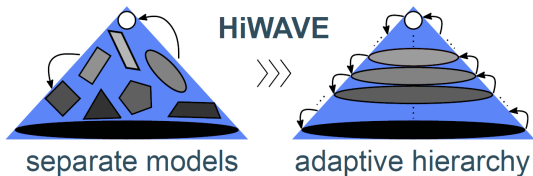
$$q(t, x, \omega) = \sum_{k=0}^K \hat{q}_k(t, x) \psi_k(\xi(\omega))$$

**Idea:** Polynomial chaos expansion of conservative variables

$$\frac{q(t, x)}{h(t, x)}(\omega) := \sum_{k=0}^K c_k(t, x) \psi_k(\xi(\omega))$$

**Results:** hyperbolicity proof for  $N = 1$  ( $h, hu_m, h\alpha_1 \rightarrow h, q, r$ )

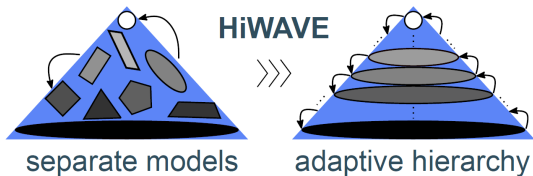
Natural hazard prediction  
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Thank you for your attention!



summary

## 1 repetition

- hyperbolic shallow water moment models

## 2 selected papers

- source term
- numerics
- POD and DLRA hyperreduction
- sediment transport
- steady states
- vegetation
- Uncertainty Quantification

# Conclusion

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## part 3

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