

Density dependent groundwater flow in the coastal zone

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Lecture set-up: 14* 1 hr

- **PowerPoint sheets**
- **Lecture Notes**
- **Practicals numerical modelling**

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Curriculum Vitae

- Delft University of Technology, Civil Engineering: till 1997
Ph.D.-thesis: Impact of sea level rise on groundwater flow regimes
- Utrecht University, Earth Sciences: till 2002
- Free University of Amsterdam, Earth Sciences: till 2004
- Deltares, Science Council
- Utrecht University (Associate Professor): from 2014

Qualifications:

- Groundwater resources management
- Density-dependent groundwater flow and coupled solute transport
- Salt water intrusion in coastal aquifers
- Assessment of climate change on groundwater resources
- Numerical Modeling
- Teaching and training

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Future deltas



Sustainable deltas



Safe deltas



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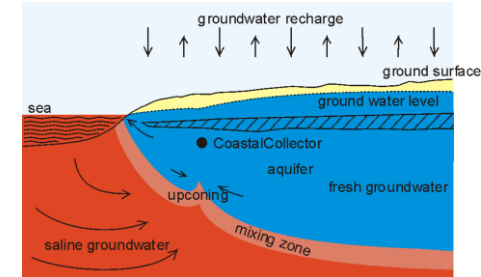
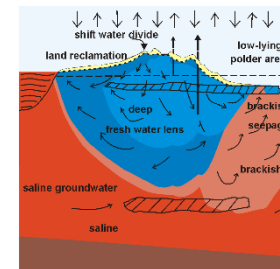
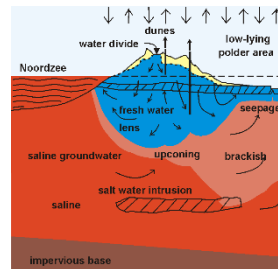
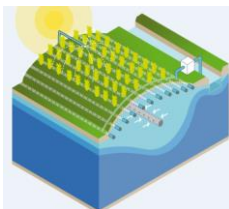
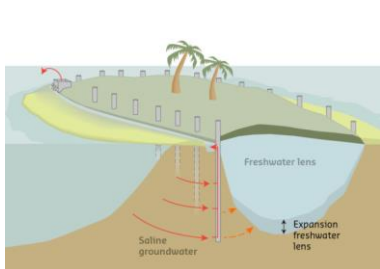
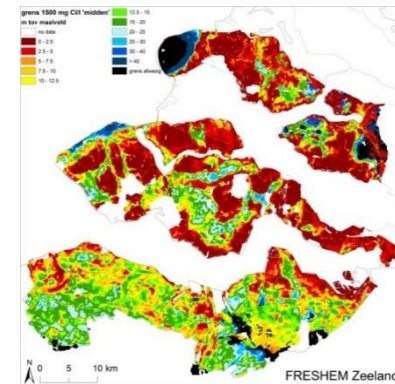
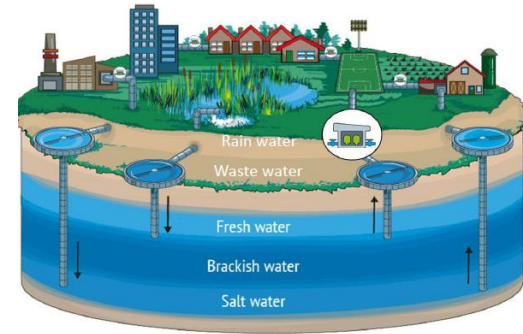
- **Adaptive delta planning**
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- **Enabling technologies**

Some of my present activities

- Part of (national) research programmes **AquaConnect** and **GEOWAT**
 - a. Key technologies for safeguarding regional water provision in fresh water stressed deltas
 - b. A Global Assessment of the Limits of Groundwater Use
 - c. impact of sea-level rise in coastal groundwater systems
- Small-scale ASR pilot projects in Netherlands (GO-FRESH Zeeland), Vietnam (FAME)
- NUFFIC Egypt (Smart Water in Agriculture and Food Security Desert and Delta)
- Mapping fresh-saline groundwater by Airborne EM Surveys, FRESHEM
- Supervising MScs and 5 PhD on coastal groundwater issues: e.g.
 - field studies Mekong and Nile deltas on water saving in agriculture
 - modelling (parallel massive computing)
 - global groundwater modelling
 - innovative monitoring techniques (ERT, AHDTs)
- Joining innovations to improve freshwater supply in coastal zones
 - Desalination, solar energy and Aquifer Storage and Recovery!
 - Seepcat, Coastal Collectors



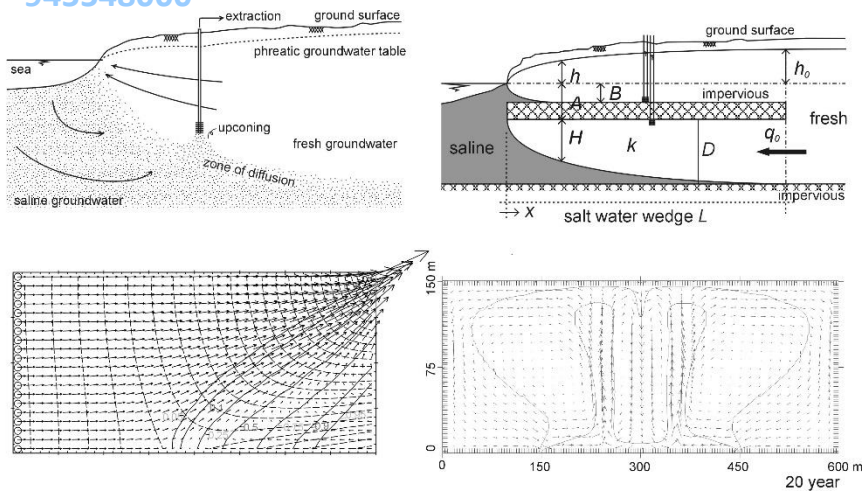
Research on groundwater in the coastal zone

- >20 years experience in modelling variable-density dependent groundwater flow and coupled solute transport in the coastal zone
- incorporating monitoring campaigns results in numerical modeling tools
- research on new fresh-saline phenomena: salty seepage boils and shallow freshwater lenses in saline environments
- knowledge on creating 3D initial chloride distribution, based on geostatistics and geophysical data (analyses, VES, borehole measures, AEM)
- quantifying effects of climate change and sea level rise on fresh groundwater resources
- developing adaptive and mitigative measures to stop salinization in the coastal groundwater system (e.g. ASR, MAR: fresh keeper, coastal collectors, freshwater storage underground)

Lecture notes, practicals and ppt on freshsalt.deltares.nl

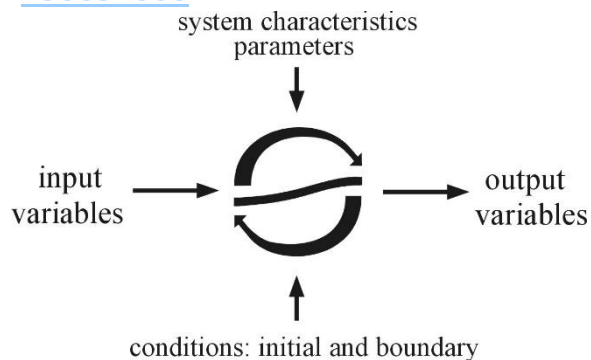
1. Density dependent groundwater flow

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2. Groundwater modelling

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Practicals numerical modelling

- PMWIN
- SEAWAT: variable-density groundwater flow and salt transport
- Cases:
 - Rotating sharp interface
 - Freshwater lens
 - Henry's case
 - (Elder's case)
- Setup practicals:
 - try to work together in teams, e.g. of two persons
 - short report of findings (make screenshots)
 - deliver within two weeks after finish last SWI lectures

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Possibilities for internships / MSc thesis at Deltares

1. Estimating geologic uncertainty in groundwater salinity modeling
2. How old is Dutch groundwater?
3. Exploring groundwater salinization effects of large-scale sea level rise adaptation in the Netherlands
4. Estimating groundwater salinity in the coastal zone of Africa, using machine learning techniques
5. Estimate groundwater use in Africa, using machine learning
6. Machine learning of airborne EM data to concurrently map groundwater salinity and lithology
7. Literature study of global surface water salinization
8. Model study on islands in the Pacific Ocean using the SIDS groundwater modelling framework
9. Comparison of 2D and 3D groundwater flow model estimations in deltaic regions (with Utrecht University)
10. Economical and technical feasibility of offshore groundwater pumping (with Utrecht University)

Topics of density driven groundwater flow

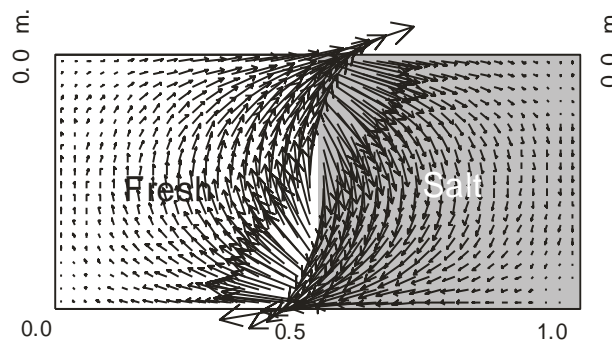
1. Introduction
 - water on earth
 - salt water intrusion
 - freshwater head
2. Interface between fresh and saline groundwater
 - analytical formulae (Badon Ghyben-Herzberg)
 - upconing example
3. Numerical modelling
 - mathematical background
 - paleo-reconstructions
 - benchmark problems: Henry, Elder, Hydrocoin, etc.
4. Case-studies
 - hypothetical cases
 - 2D, 3D cases
 - real cases

Examples of variable-density groundwater flow

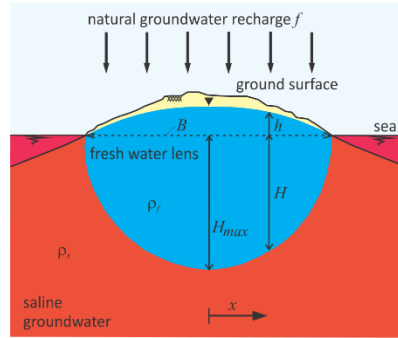
- Henry's problem
- Dutch 2D cases
- Effect of Tsunami on groundwater resources
- Vertical interface
- Rotating interface
- Freshwater lenses
- Salt water pocket
- Rotating immiscible interface
- Hydrocoin
- Broad 14 Basin, North Sea
- Heat transport: Elder and Rayleigh=4000
- Dutch 3D cases

Practicals

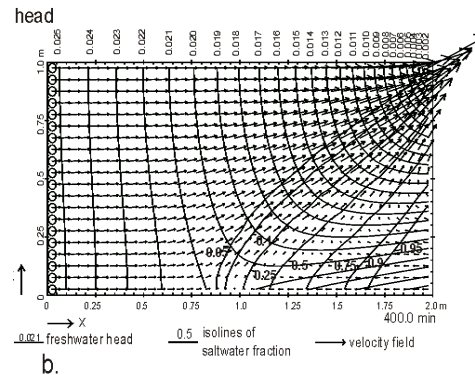
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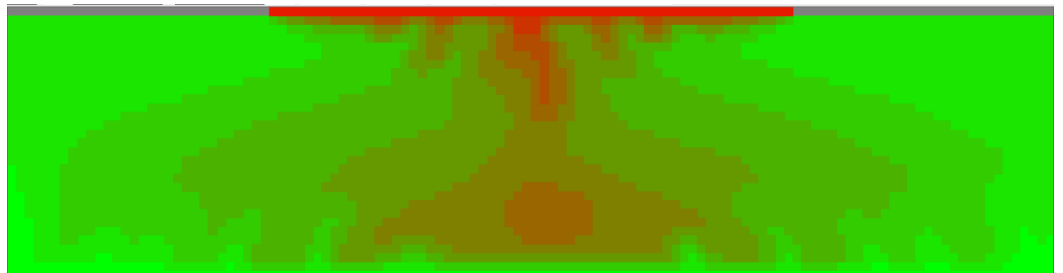
- Freshwater lens



- Henry's case



- (Elder's case)



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- **Water system analysis**
- **Monitoring**
- **Modelling**
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- **Solutions**



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The long-lived success of the conference series reflects the relevance of managing saline groundwater problems around the world, especially in densely populated coastal areas. These include:

- increased demand due to economic development and population growth
- over-exploitation of water resources, especially in arid and semi-arid areas
- contamination and quality deterioration of water resources
- characterization of groundwater systems and movement of saline groundwater
- management and prevention of salinization
- natural and man-made environmental change

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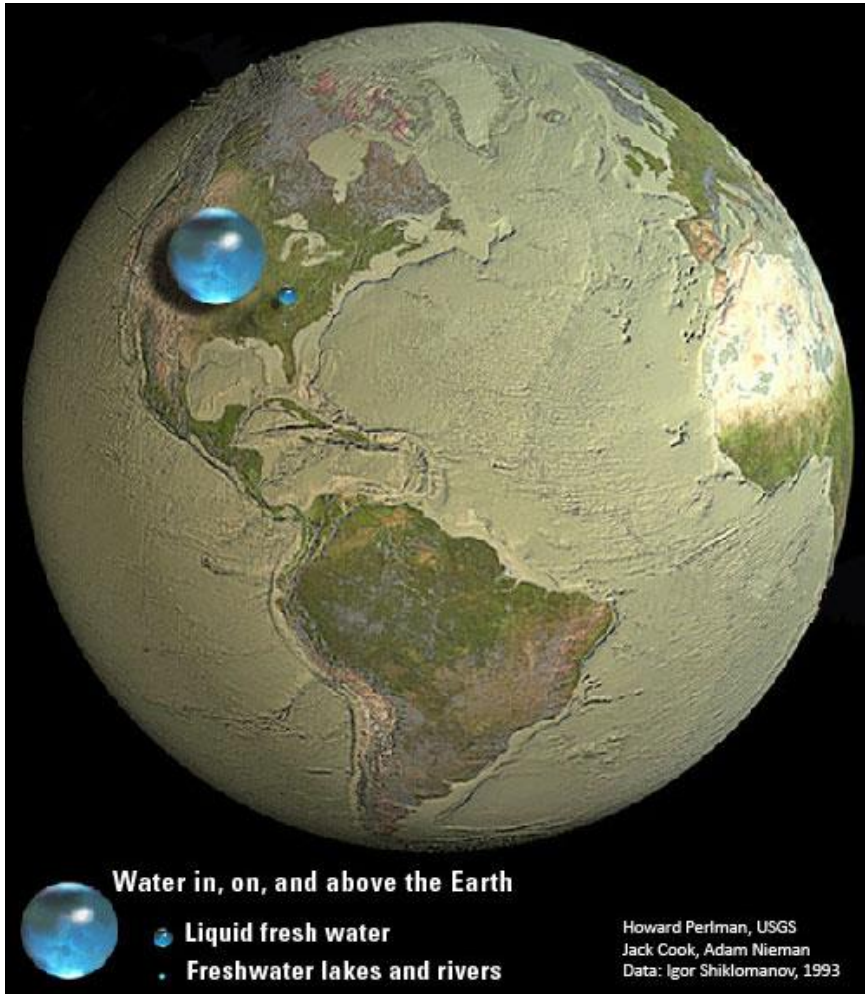
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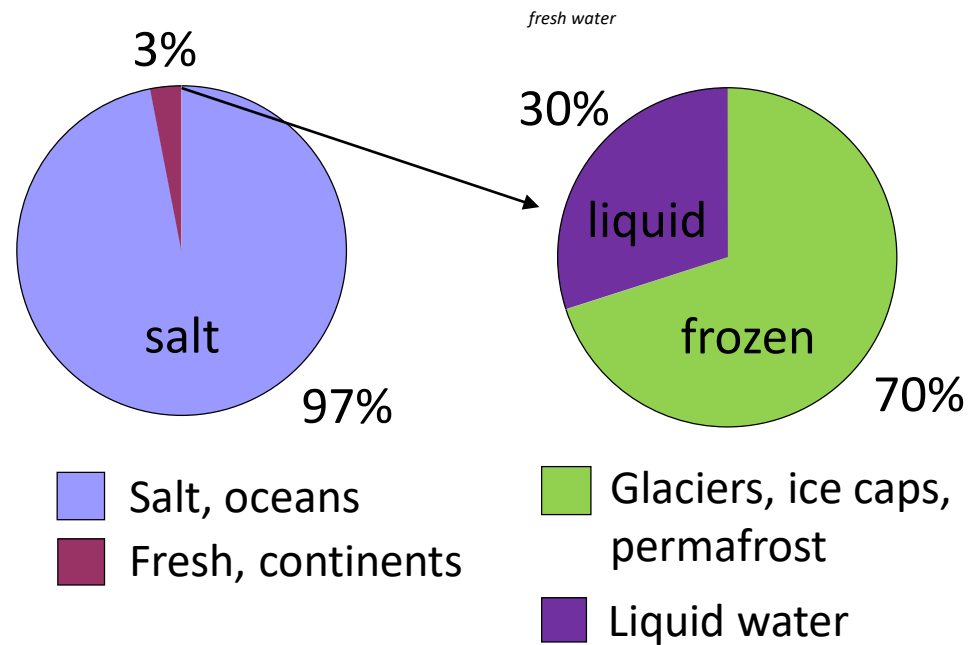
Volumes of water on Earth: a scarce product



Water in/on/above Earth

Liquid fresh water

Freshwater lakes rivers

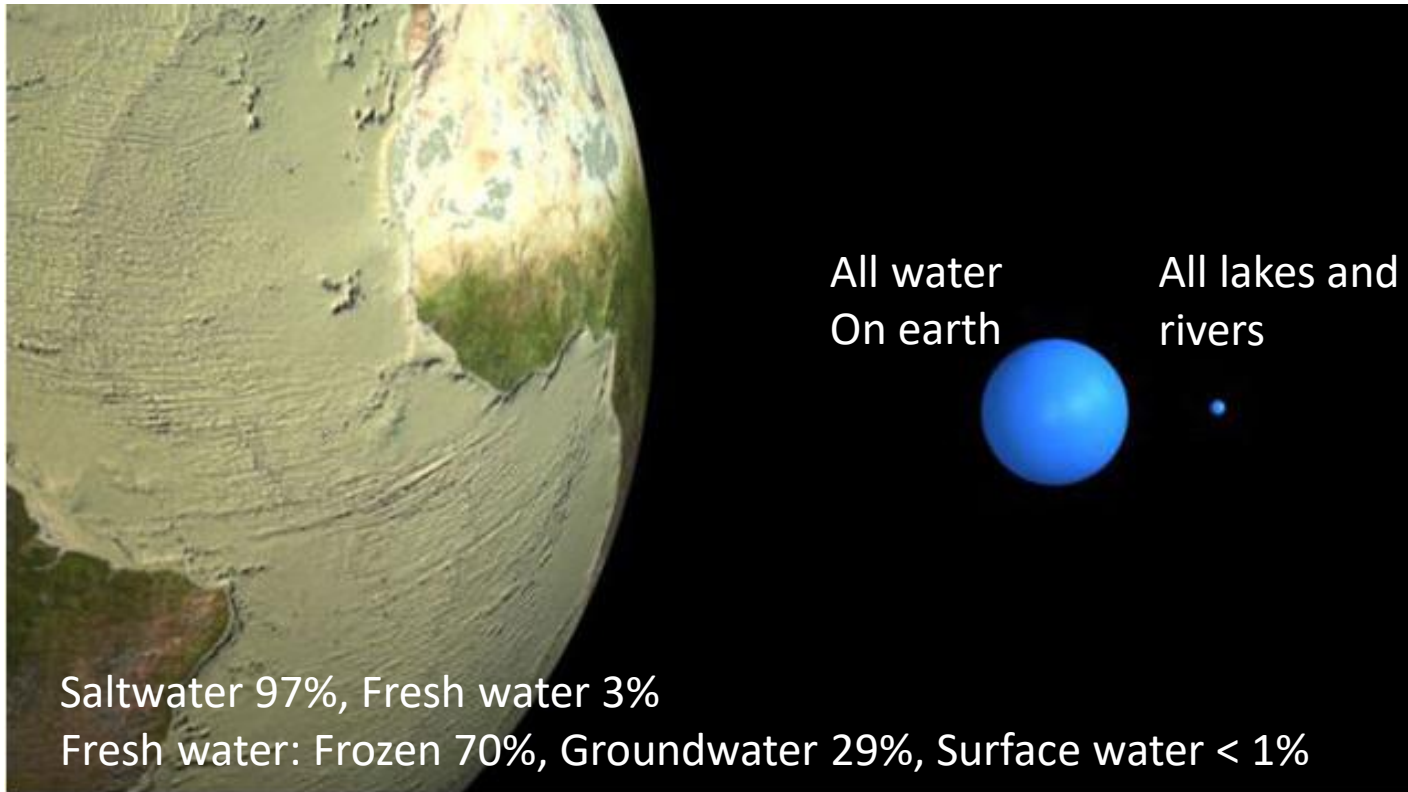


Source: Perlman, USGS; Shiklomanov, 1993

Water Energy Food Nexus

Global water scarcity

Fresh water is a scarce resource...



Fresh groundwater resources in delta's seriously under stress

Every year, about 2 million people worldwide die from diarrhea, caused by bad drinking water quality; this is more than people dying from flooding Events.

Groundwater is an important source of drinking water (now ~50% and increasing):

- increase world population & economical growth
- relatively easy-to-access and available in large quantities
- high quality and still unpolluted (relative to surface water)
- loss of surface water due to contamination

In the future, we have to cope which:

- climate change and sea-level rise
- increasing quantities groundwater extractions
- land subsidence
- politics, policy & watermanagement, affecting land use

Reasons and drawbacks of using groundwater

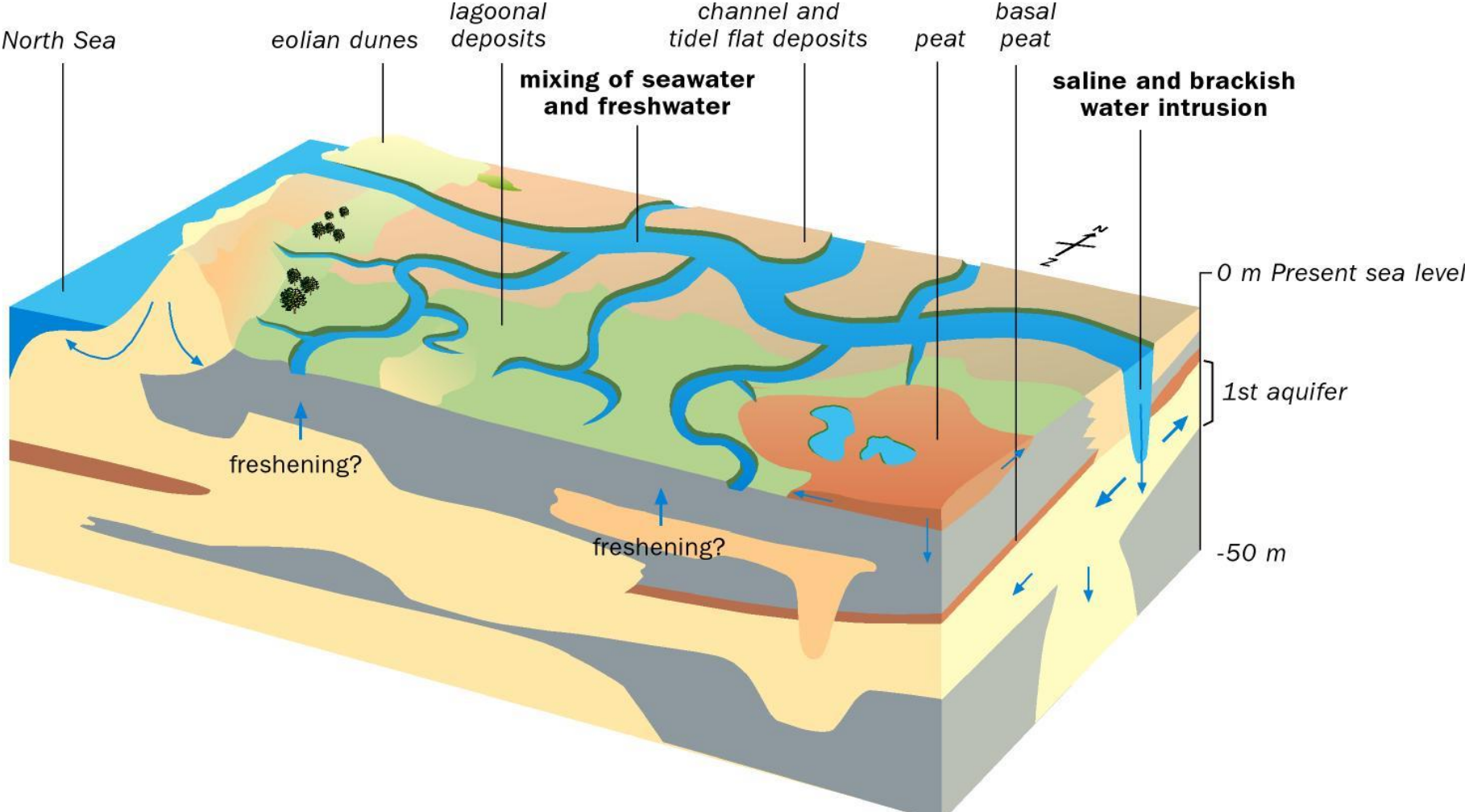
Advantage:

- no seasonal effects
- high quality
- low storage costs
- large quantities
- no spatial limitations

Disadvantage:

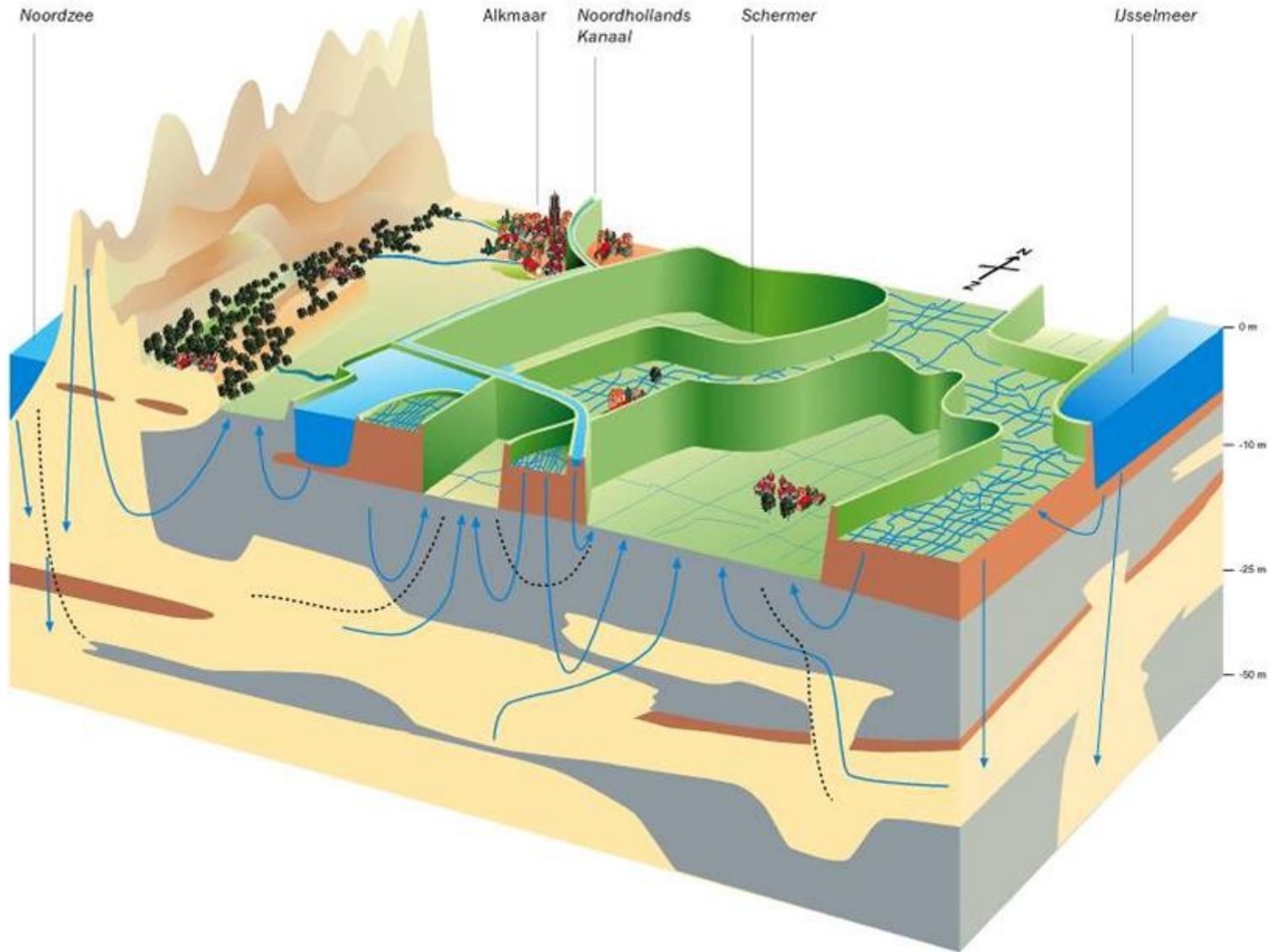
- high extraction costs
- local droughts
- high mineral content
- land subsidence....
- salt water intrusion !

Coastal groundwater system, before man

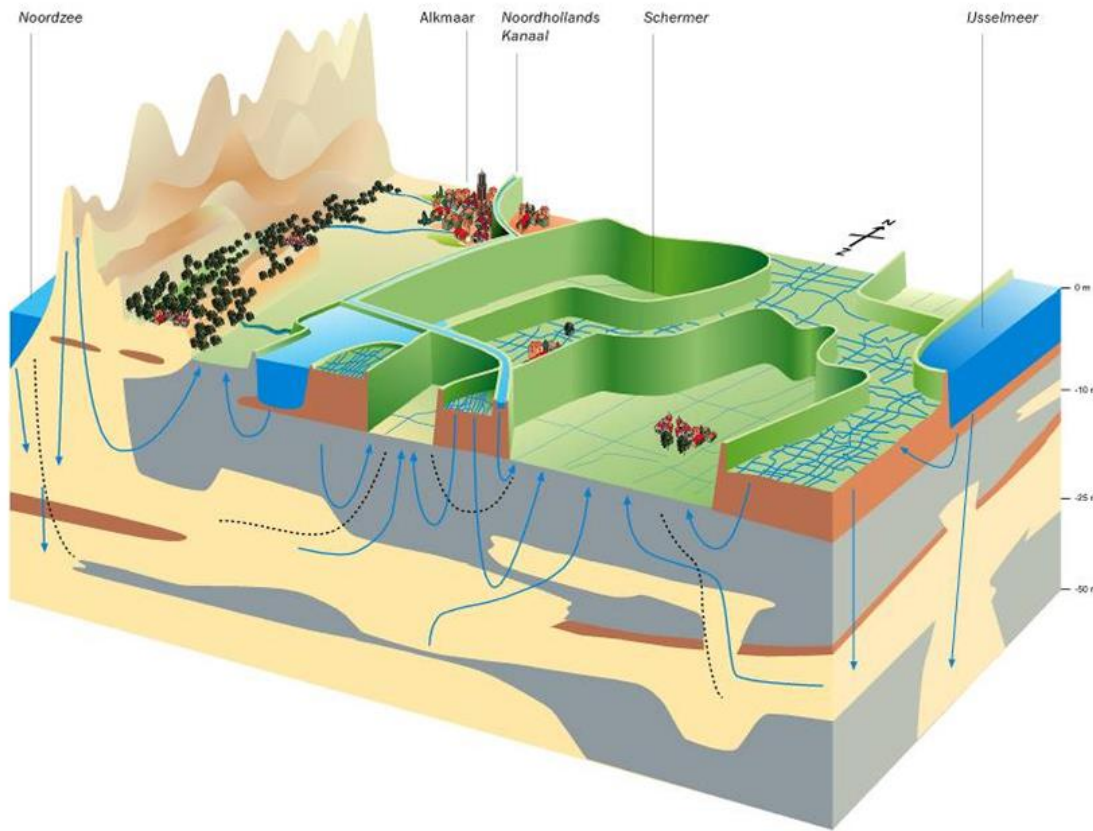


Coastal groundwater system, now

The polders in the Netherlands



The current coastal groundwater system in the Netherlands



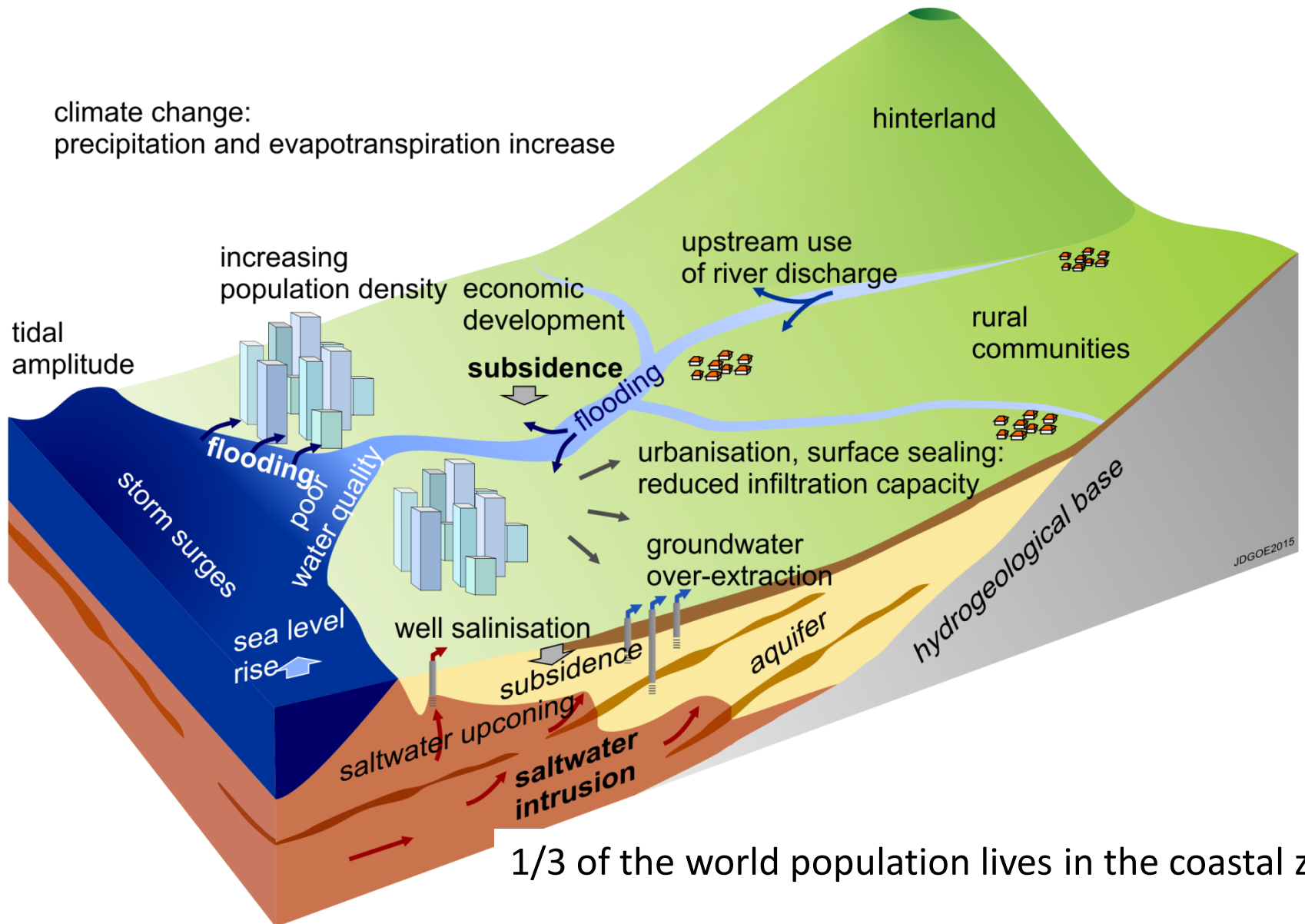
Level reductions in the past have caused groundwater flows inland

History (palaeohydrogeology) important: groundwater flow is a slow process

The past still influences the distribution of fresh-brackish-salt groundwater

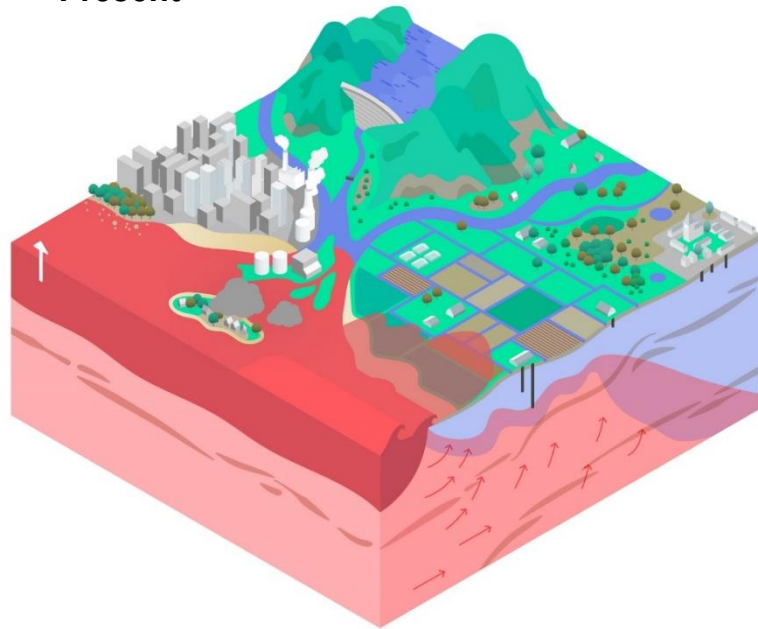
Fresh-salt distribution can vary greatly over a short distance

Threats to deltas worldwide: subsidence, salinisation, depletion, sealing, sea level rise, CC

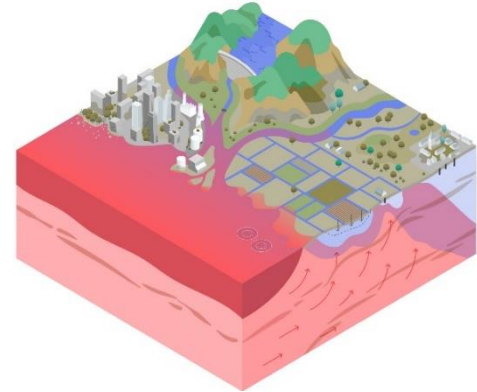


Fresh groundwater availability deltaic areas

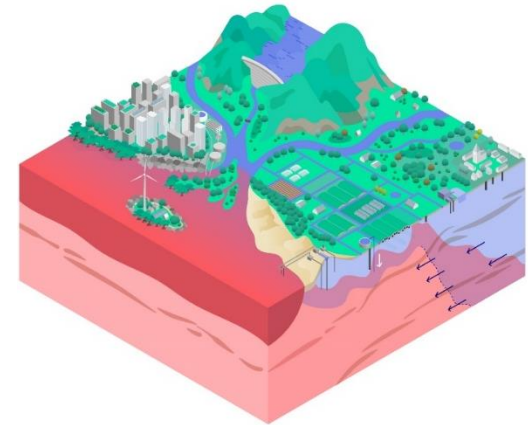
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Future without measures



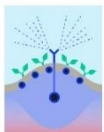
Future with measures



1/3 world population lives in the coastal zone



Aquifer storage and recovery



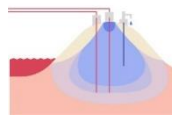
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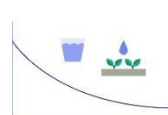
Waste water (re)usage & circulation of water flows



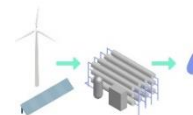
Brackish water as fresh water resource



Less water usage/spillage



Desalinate with new technologies



Changing your water usage mindset



Water pricing



Fresh groundwater resources in deltas are seriously under stress

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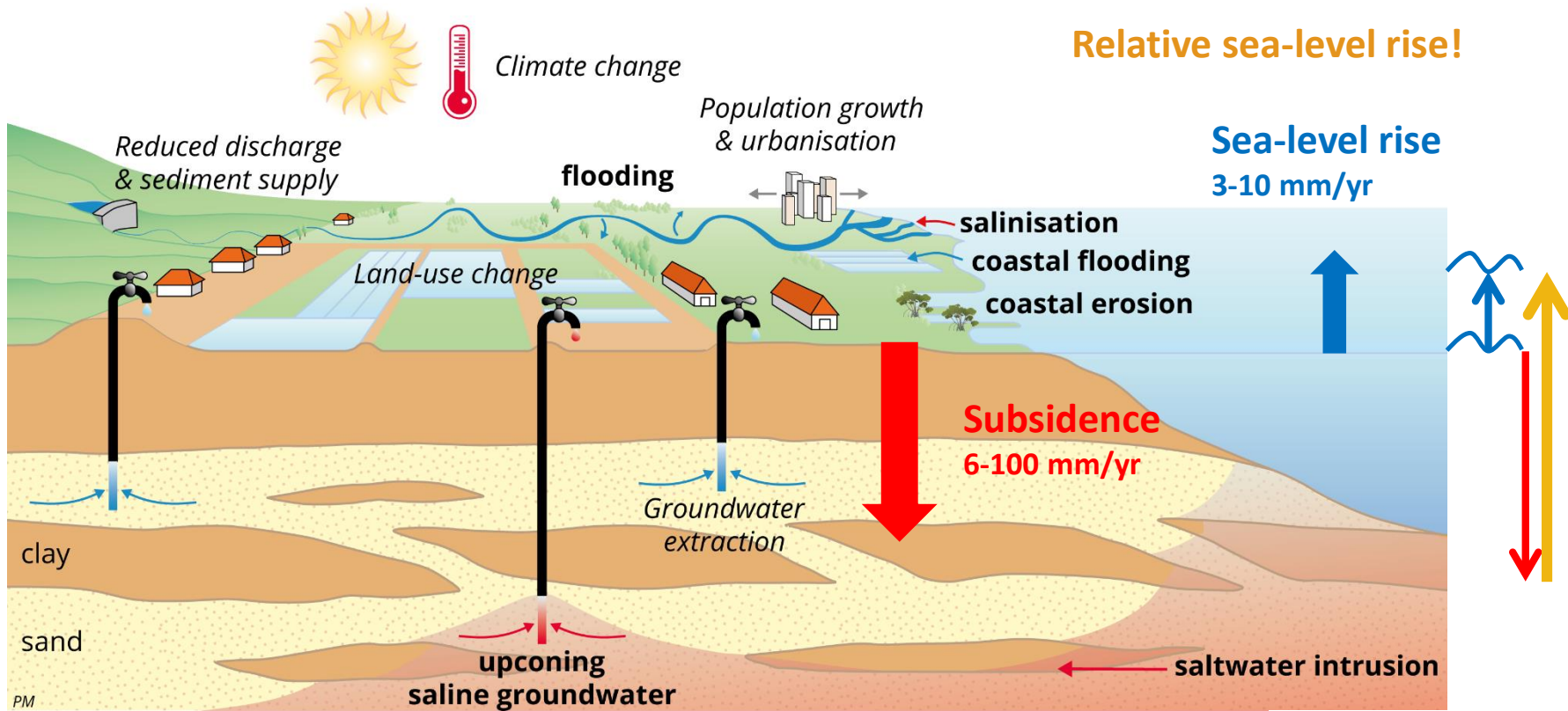
Groundwater is an key source for many agricultural, domestic and industrial water users in many countries, due to its high quality and relatively easy-to-access quantity (now ~50% and increasing)

In the future, delta's have to cope which....:

- more groundwater extractions
- land subsidence
- climate change and sea-level rise
- politics, policy & watermanagement, affecting land use



Many changes in the Mekong delta (and other deltas around the world)



Minderhoud, 2019

Absolute **Sea-level rise** versus **Subsidence**

Deltas are densely populated areas: >500 million people worldwide
High economic value
Crucial to global food security*

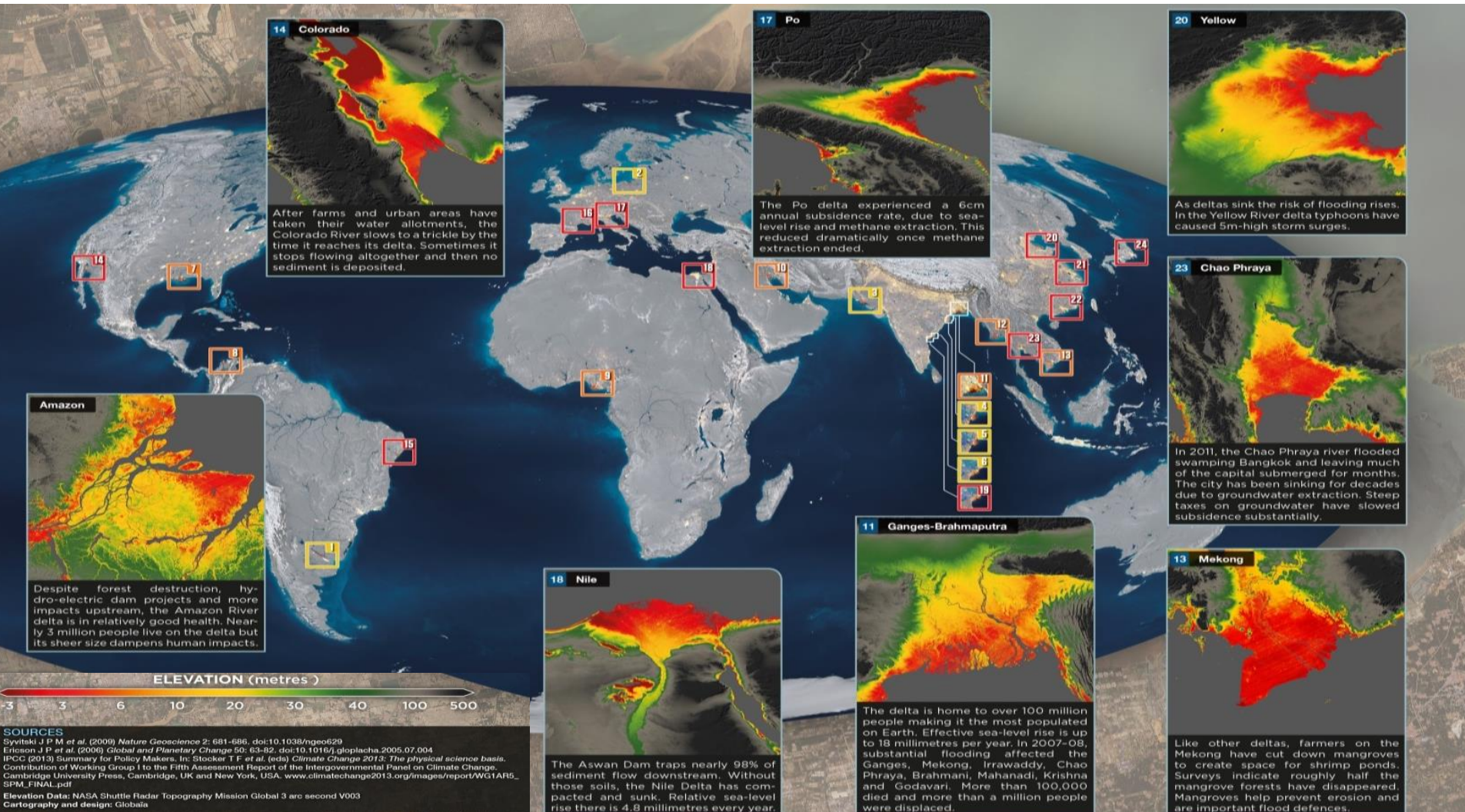
Deltas at risk

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→ densely populated: >500 million people worldwide

→ high economic value

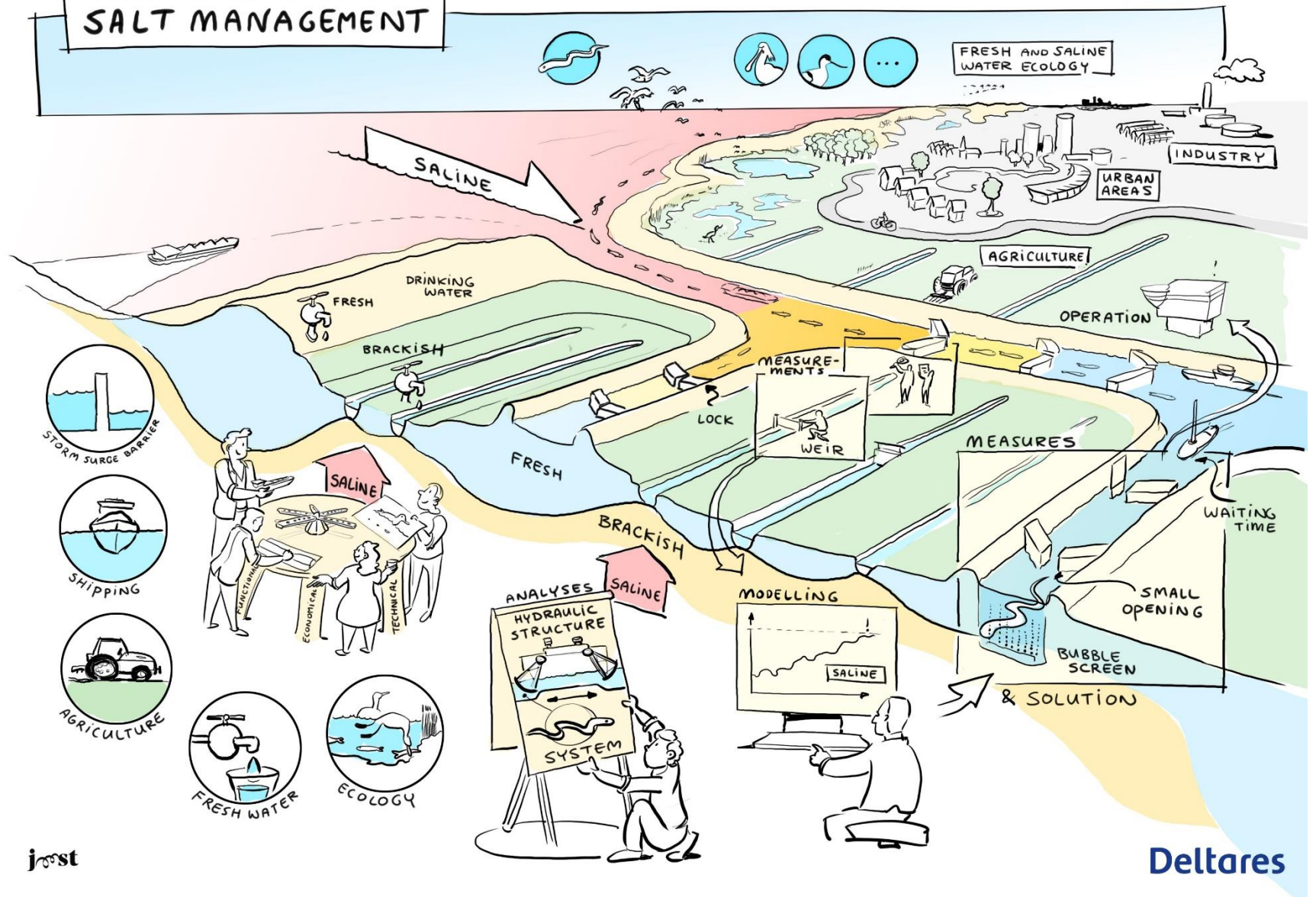
→ crucial to global food security



Sea level rise: **+2 m** 



SALT MANAGEMENT



Studies on fresh water availability issues around the world

- 30% of global population lives within 100km of the coastline
- <5m Above Present Sea Level: 320 million people and 1.5 million km²



Source: Deltares

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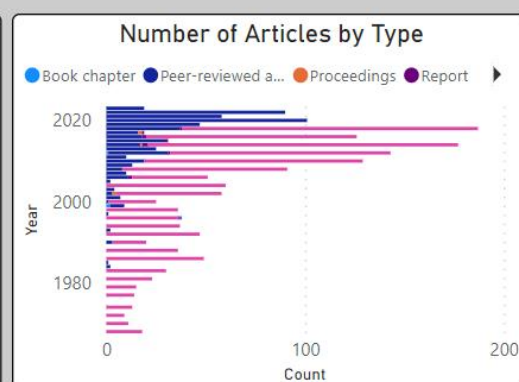
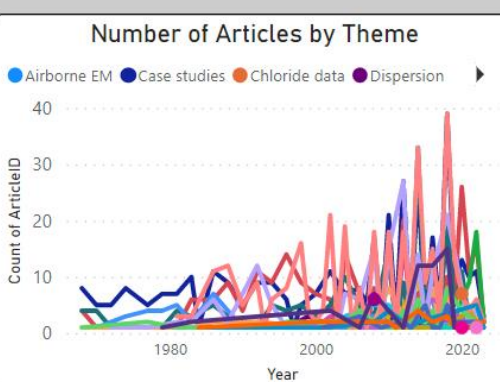
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In 1 liter ocean: about 35 gr salt





In 1 liter Dead Sea water (Jordan) : about 280 gr salt





In 1 liter drinking water: about 0.6 gr salt is allowed





Rice can grow well in water with a salt content less than about 2.0 gr salt in 1 liter water



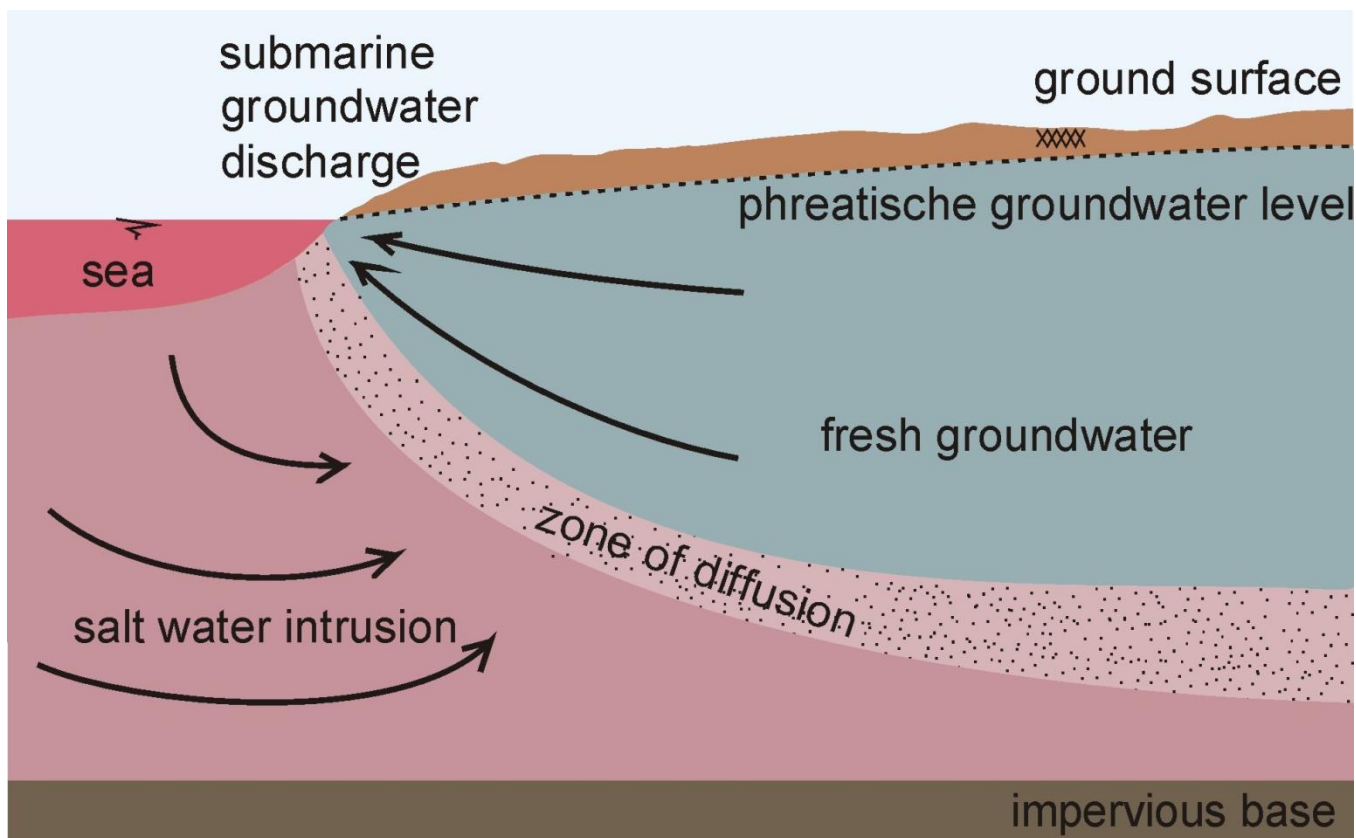
Definition of fresh and saline groundwater

Type	mS/cm	mg TDS/l	Drinking- or irrigation water
Non-saline or fresh water	<0.8	<600 *	Drinking and irrigation water
Slightly saline	0.8 - 2	600-1.500	Irrigation water
Moderately saline	2-10	1.500-7.000	Primary drainage water and groundwater
Highly saline	10-25	7.000-15.000	Secondary drainage water and groundwater
Very highly saline	25 - 45	15.000-35.000	Seawater is 35000 TDS mg/l
Brine	>45	>45.000	

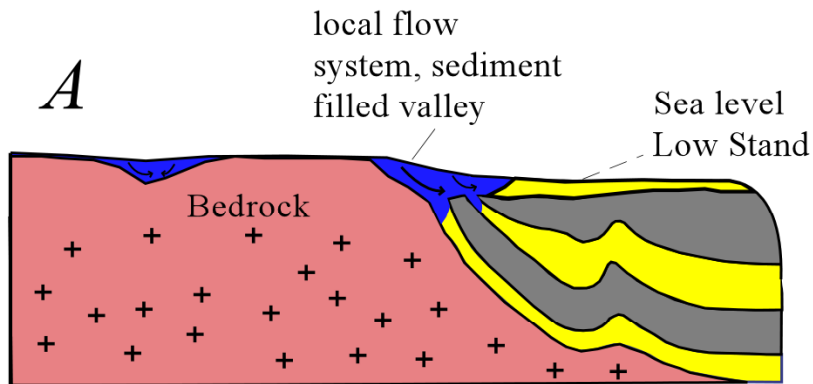
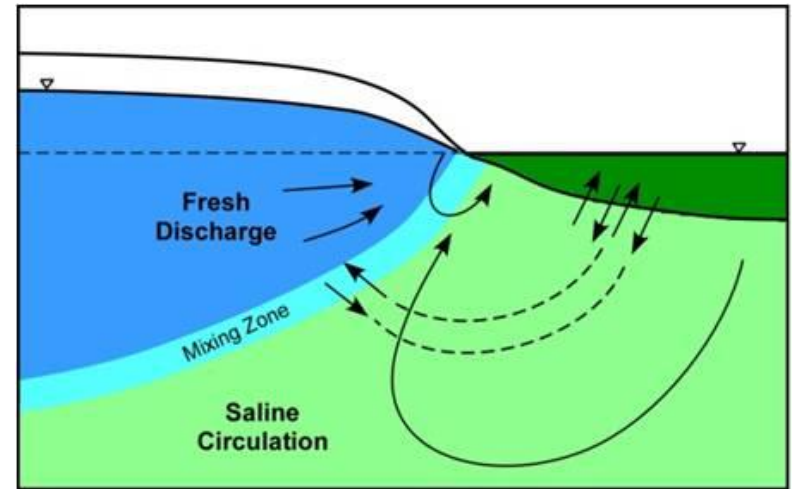
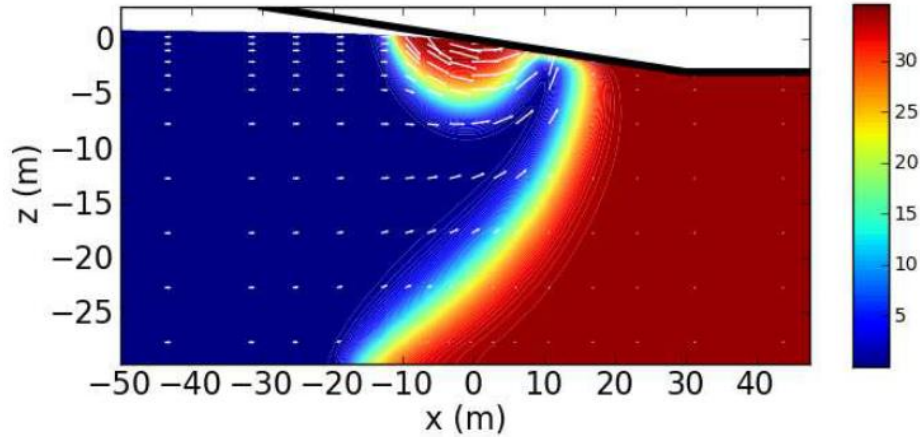
Bangladesh, 2014

Definition of salt water intrusion

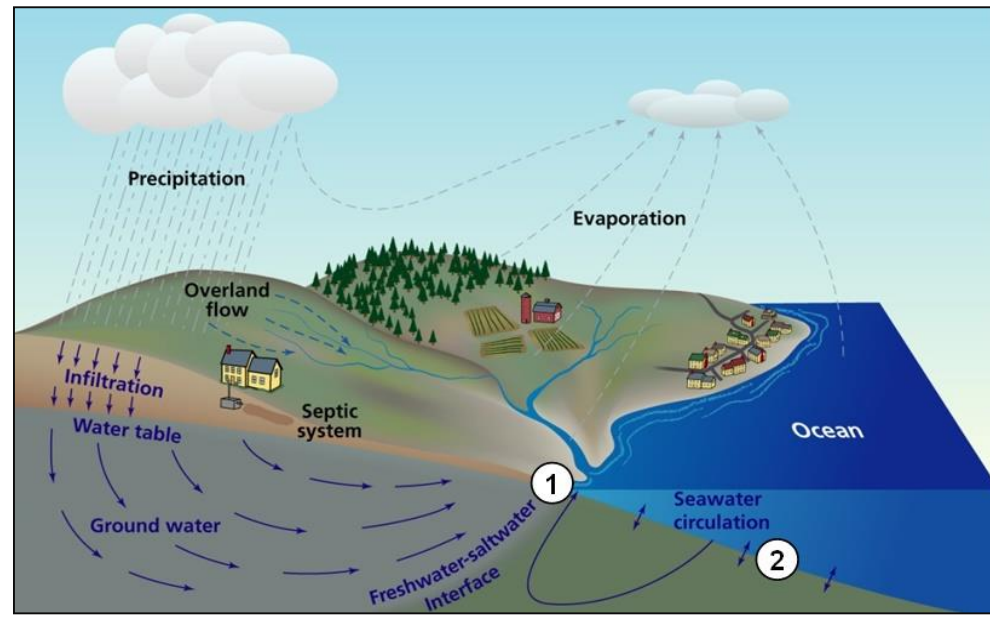
Inflow of saline water into an aquifer which contains fresh water

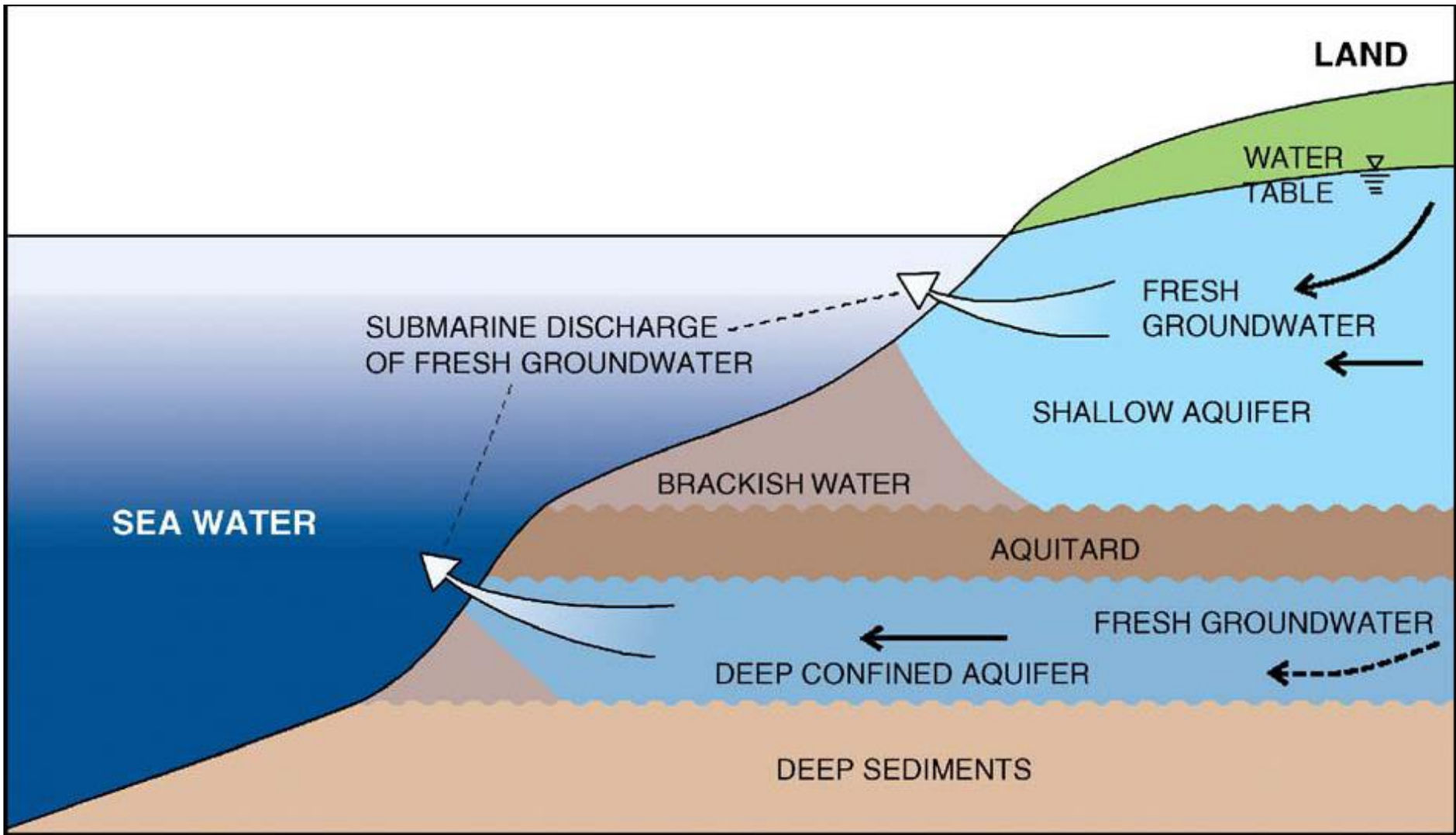


Groundwater in the coastal zone



Source: Nature, 2013





Origin of saline groundwater in the subsoil

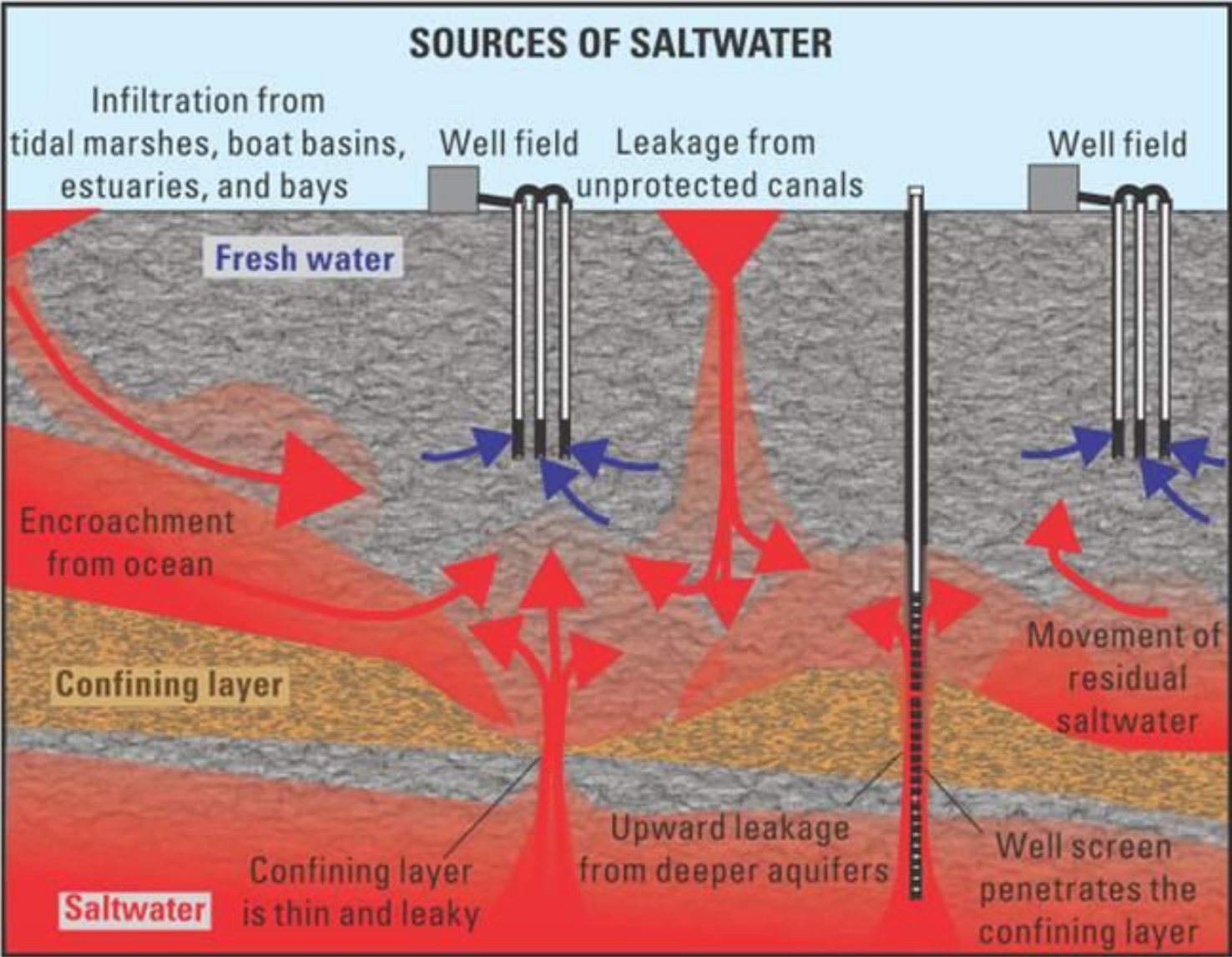
Geological causes:

- marine deposits during geological times
- trans- and regressions in coastal areas (deltas)
- salt/brine dome

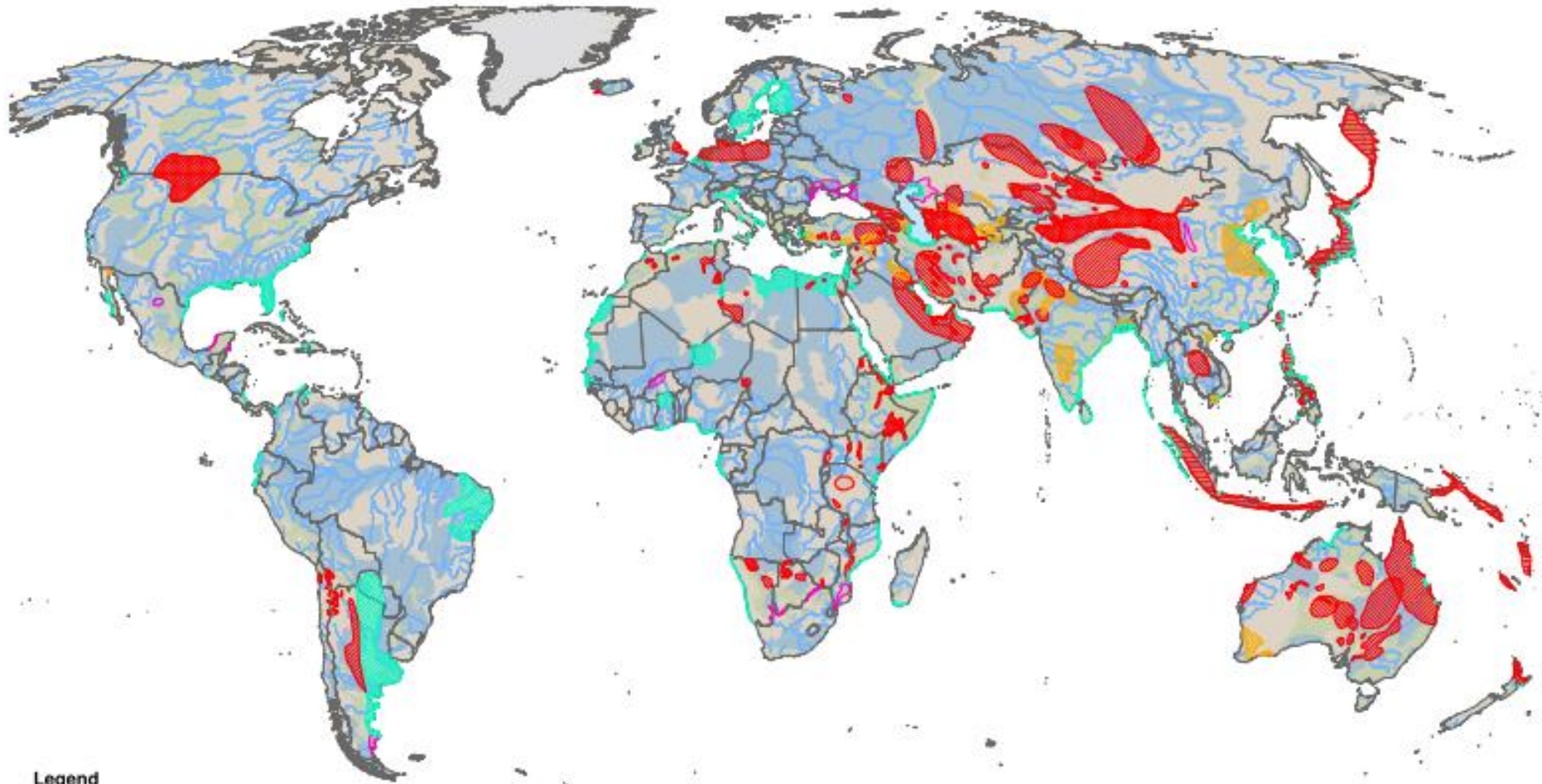
Anthropogenic causes:

- agriculture/irrigation (salt damage Middle East & Australia)
- upconing under extraction wells throughout the world
- upconing under low-lying areas (e.g. Dutch polders)

Combining salinization processes in the coastal zone



Regions with brackish and saline groundwater at shallow and intermediate depths



Legend

- | | | | | | |
|---|--|---|--|---|--------------------|
|  | Marine origin |  | Natural terrestrial origin |  | Irrigation |
|  | Connate |  | Evaporation |  | Pollution |
|  | Marine transgression |  | Dissolution |  | Unspecified origin |
|  | Lateral seawater intrusion & up-coning |  | Igneous activity | | |
|  | Combination of connate, transgression and current flooding |  | Hydrothermal mineral water | | |
| | |  | Combination of evaporation & dissolution | | |

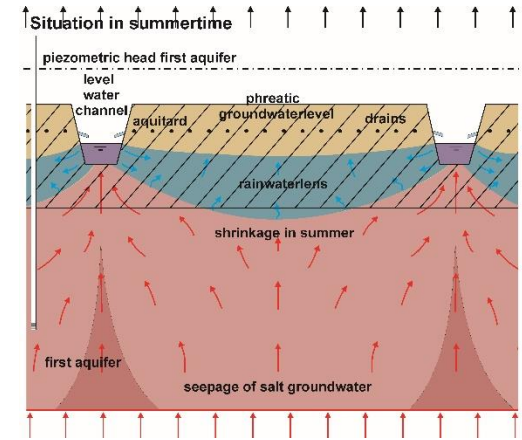
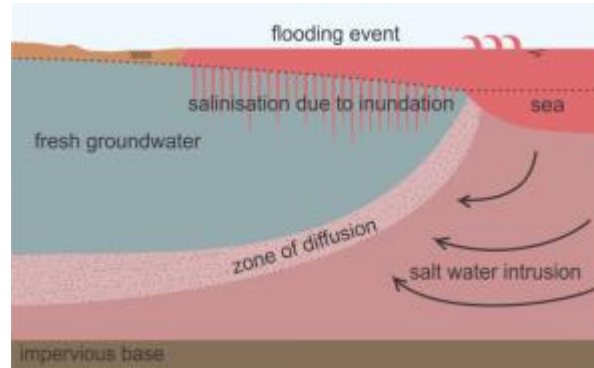
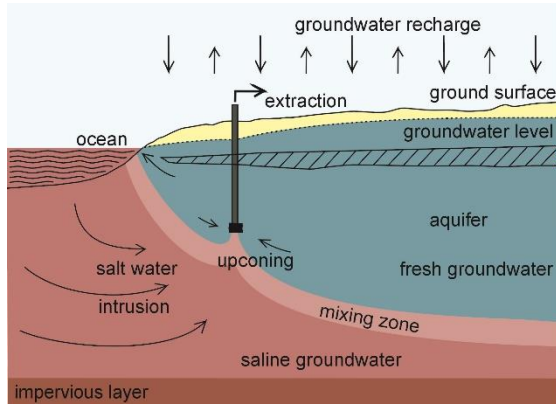
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|  | Marine origin |  | Political borders |
|  | Transgression |  | major sedimentary groundwater basin |
|  | Flooding |  | area with complex hydrogeological structure |
|  | Lateral seawater intrusion & up-coning |  | local shallow aquifer |
|  | Irrigation |  | ice |

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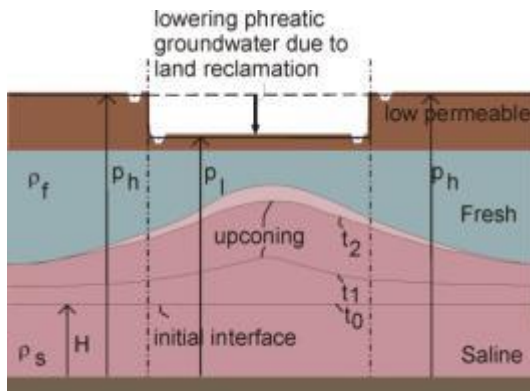
Salinisation processes at local scale



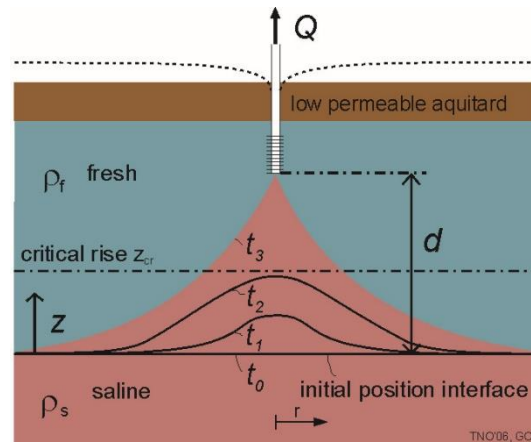
Salt water intrusion groundwater

Inundation saline seawater

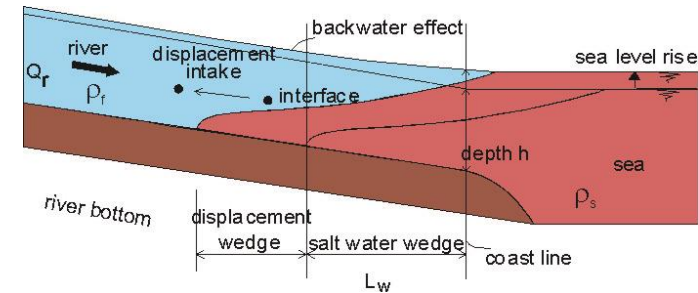
Shallow rainwaterlens



Upconing low-lying area



Upconing extraction



Salt water intrusion surface water

Stress 1: there is salt everywhere














Regions with brackish-saline groundwater at shallow and intermediate depths

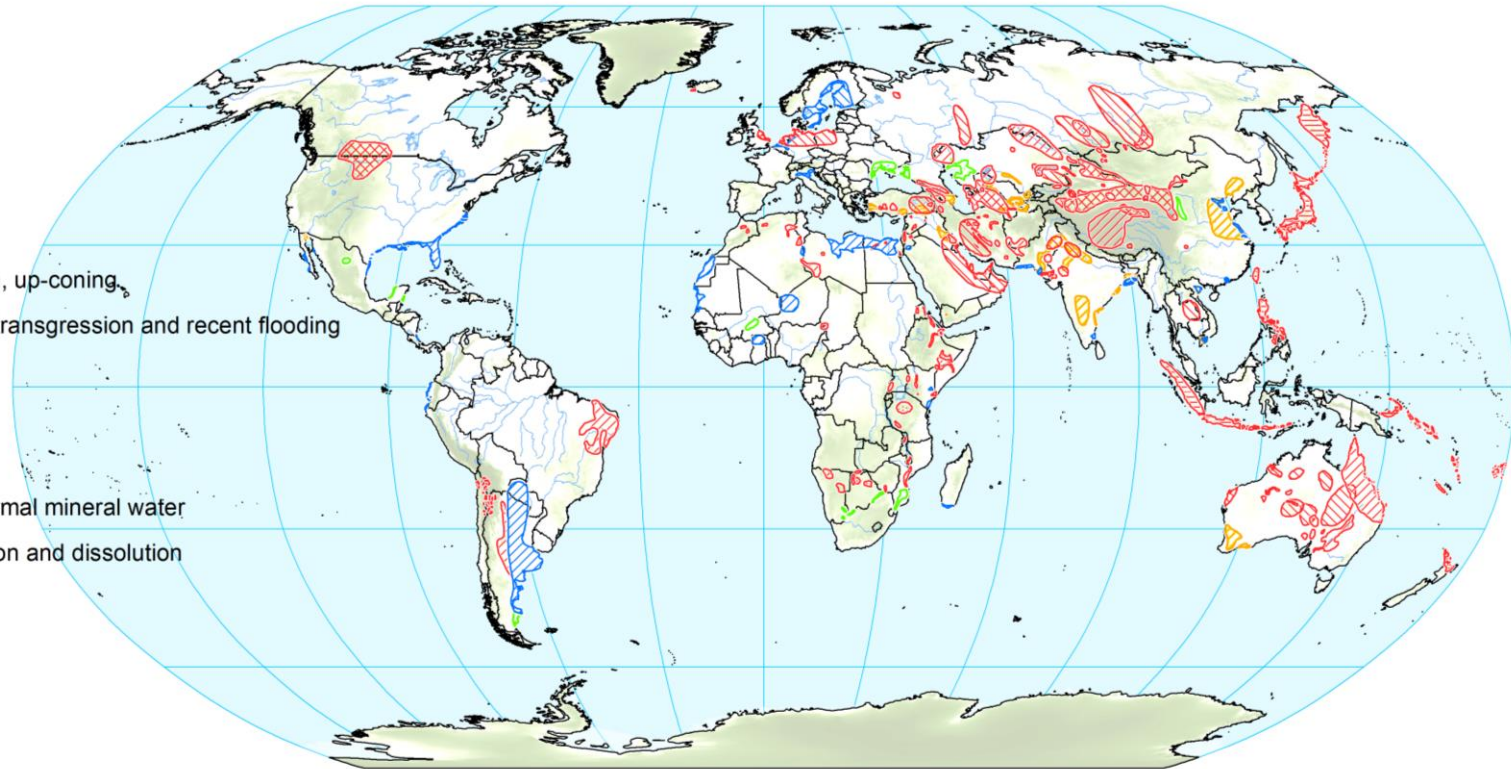
Saline Groundwater of the World

Legend

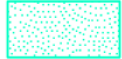
Groundwater_Salinity


Genetic Category

-  A0 Marine origin
-  A1 Connate
-  A2 Marine transgression
-  A4 Lateral seawater intrusion, up-coning
-  A7 Combination of connate, transgression and recent flooding
-  B0 Natural terrestrial origin
-  B1 Evaporation
-  B2 Dissolution
-  B4 Igneous activity hydrothermal mineral water
-  B5 Combination of evaporation and dissolution
-  C1 Irrigation
-  C2 Pollution
-  D0 Unspecified origin







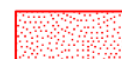
 Marine origin


 Connate


 Marine transgression


 Lateral seawater intrusion & up-coning

 Combination of connate, transgression and current flooding

 Natural terrestrial origin

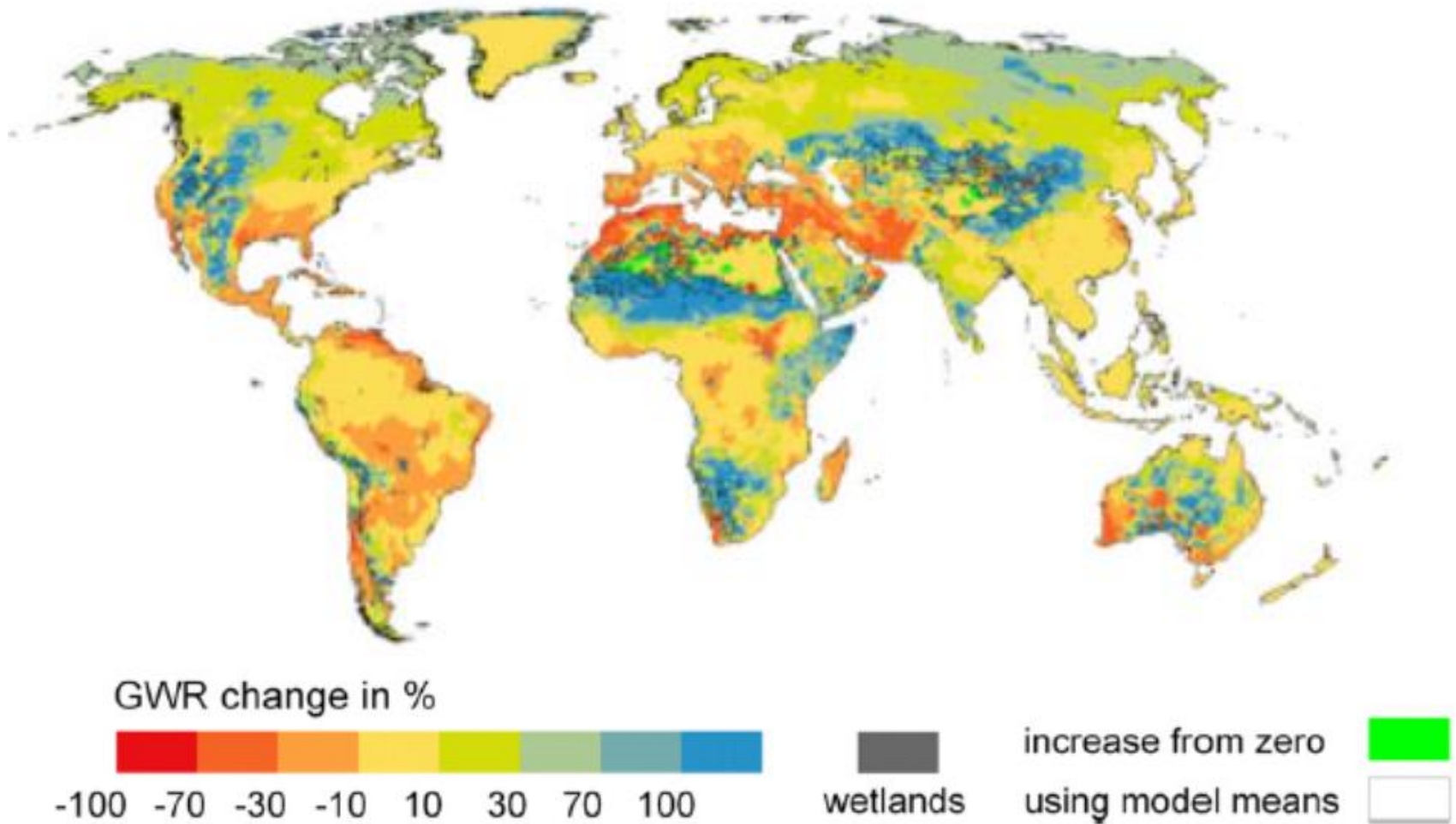
 Evaporation

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 Combination of evaporation & dissolution

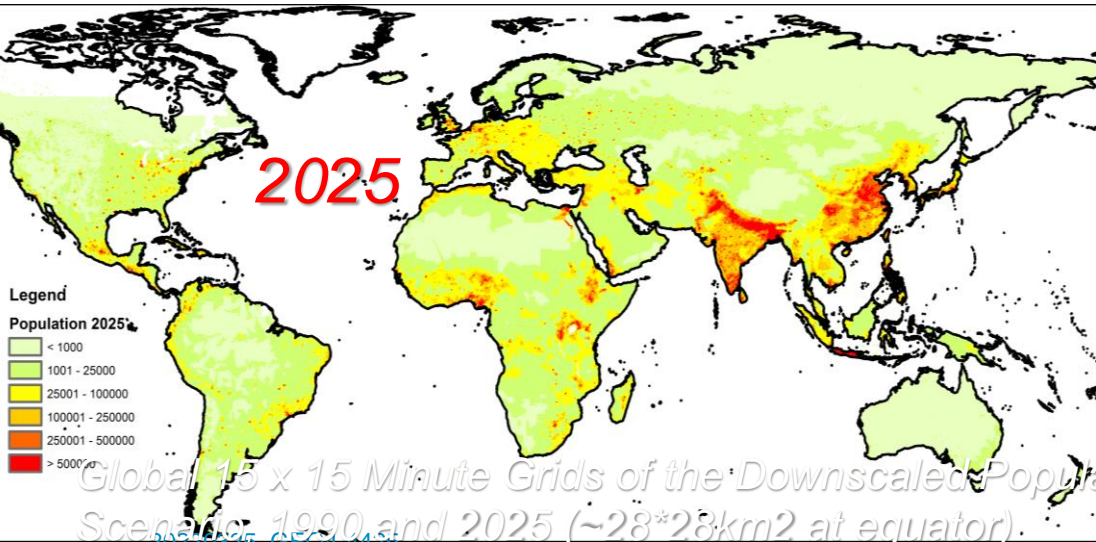
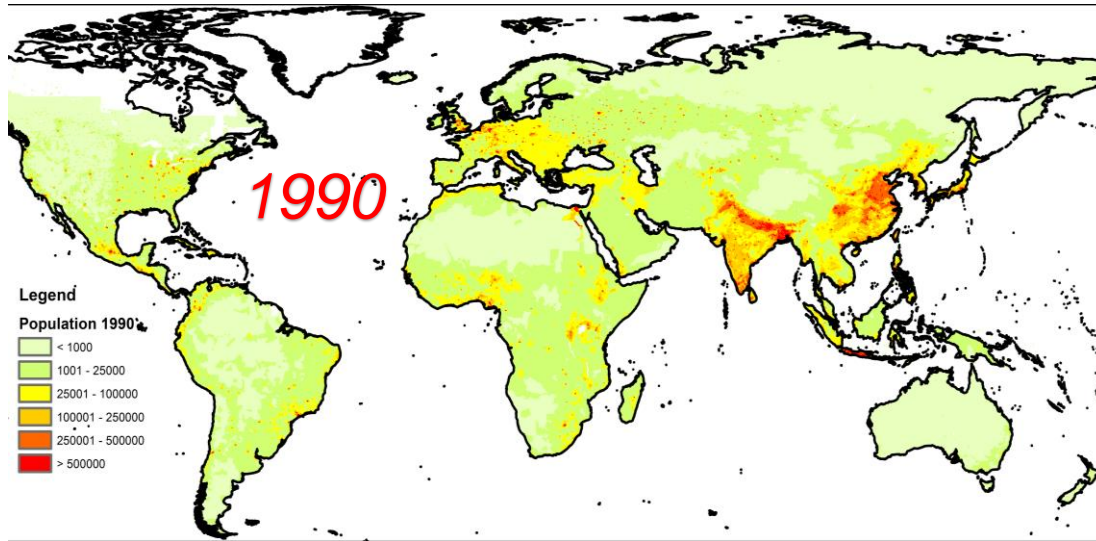
Stress 2: Change in groundwater recharge by end of century



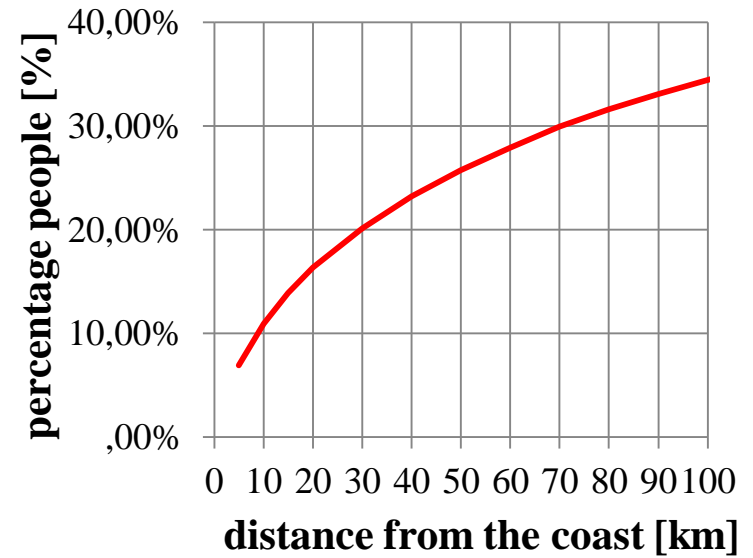
Projected percent changes of groundwater recharge by the end of this century with respect to present (1971–2000)
WaterGAP model with five different GCMs for RCP8.5

Portmann et al, 2013, ERL
From: Wada

Stress 3: Population growth 1990-2025, needing water



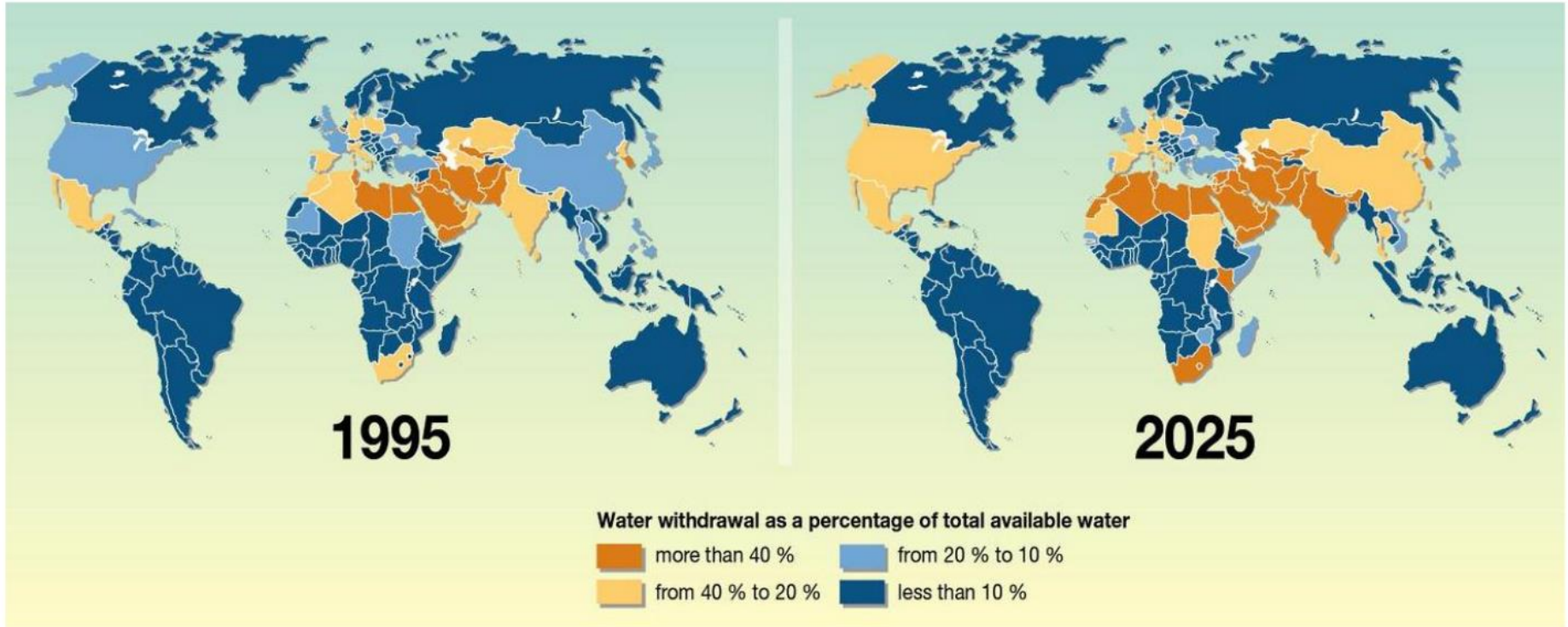
2100 million people in the first 70km from the coastline



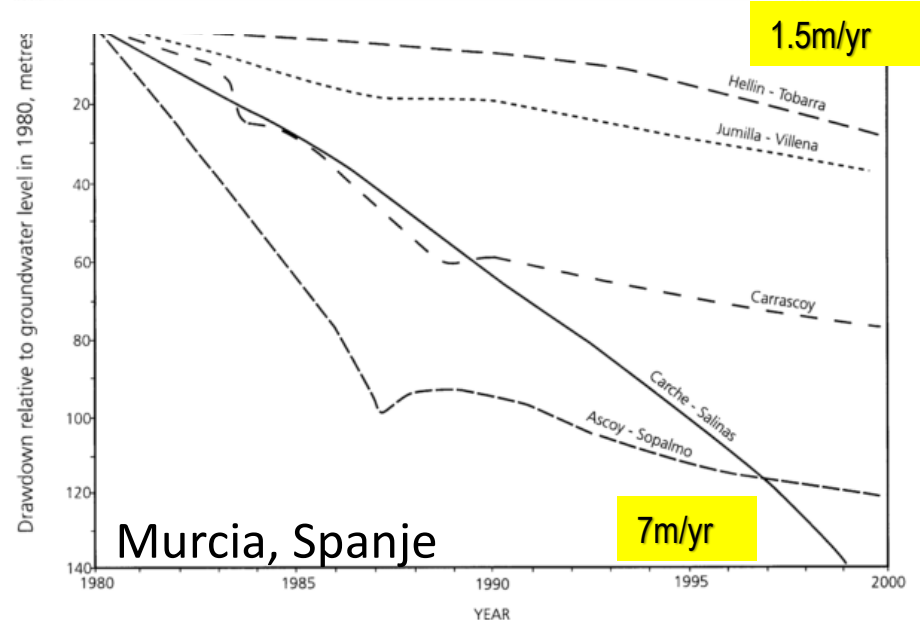
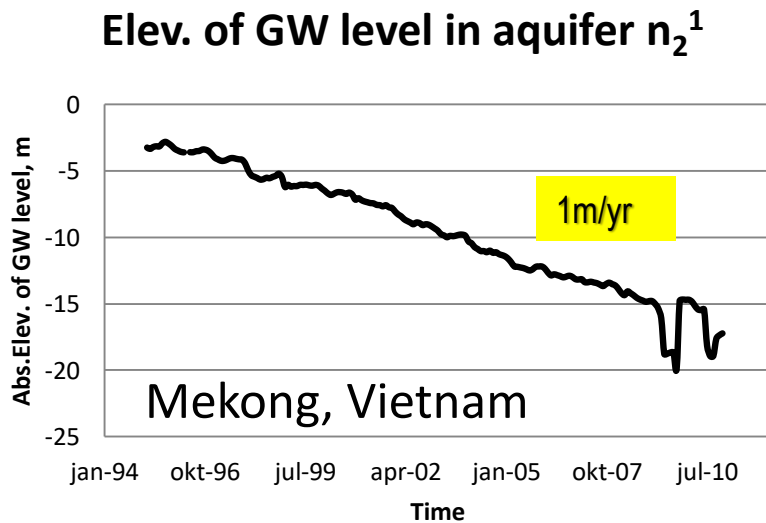
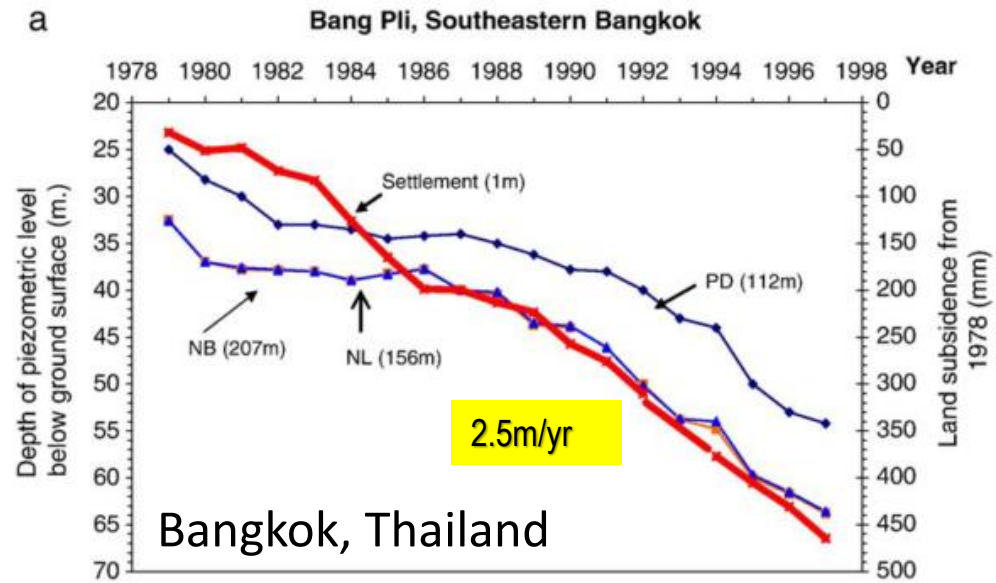
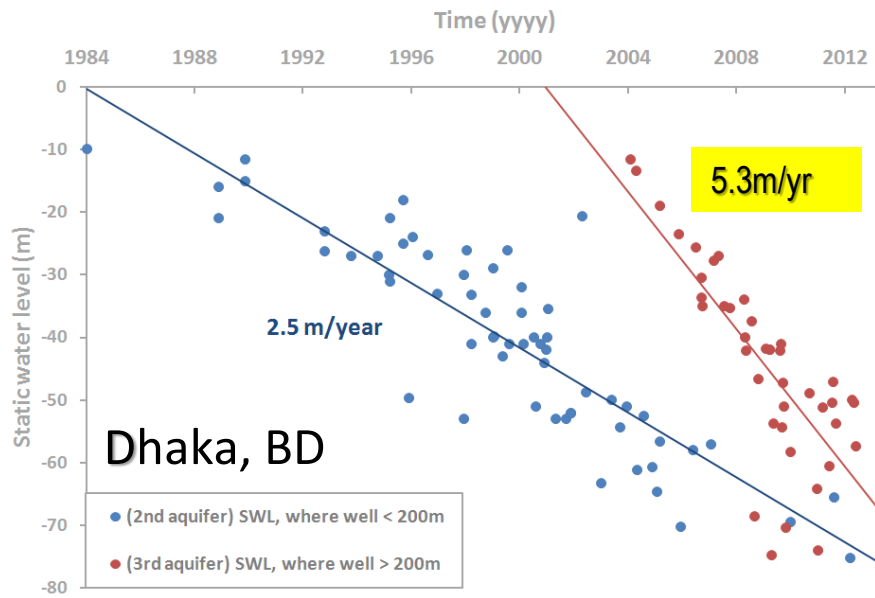
Global 15 x 15 Minute Grids of the Downscaled Population Based on the SRES B2 Scenario: 1990 and 2025 (~28*28km² at equator).

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Water withdrawal as % of total available water



Stress 4: Serious overexploitation coastal aquifers worldwide



What causes the land to subside?

Natural causes (geological processes):

- ▢ *Loading* of the earth's crust by ice sheets, sediment (delta's), the ocean/sea
- ▢ *Compaction* of older sediments after sedimentation

Anthropogenic causes (human-induced processes):

- ▢ *Oil/gas extraction* (usually relatively deep)
- ▢ *Groundwater extraction* (usually moderately deep)
- ▢ *Drainage* of soils \Rightarrow oxidation of peat, soil compaction

Why discriminating between human-induced and natural processes?

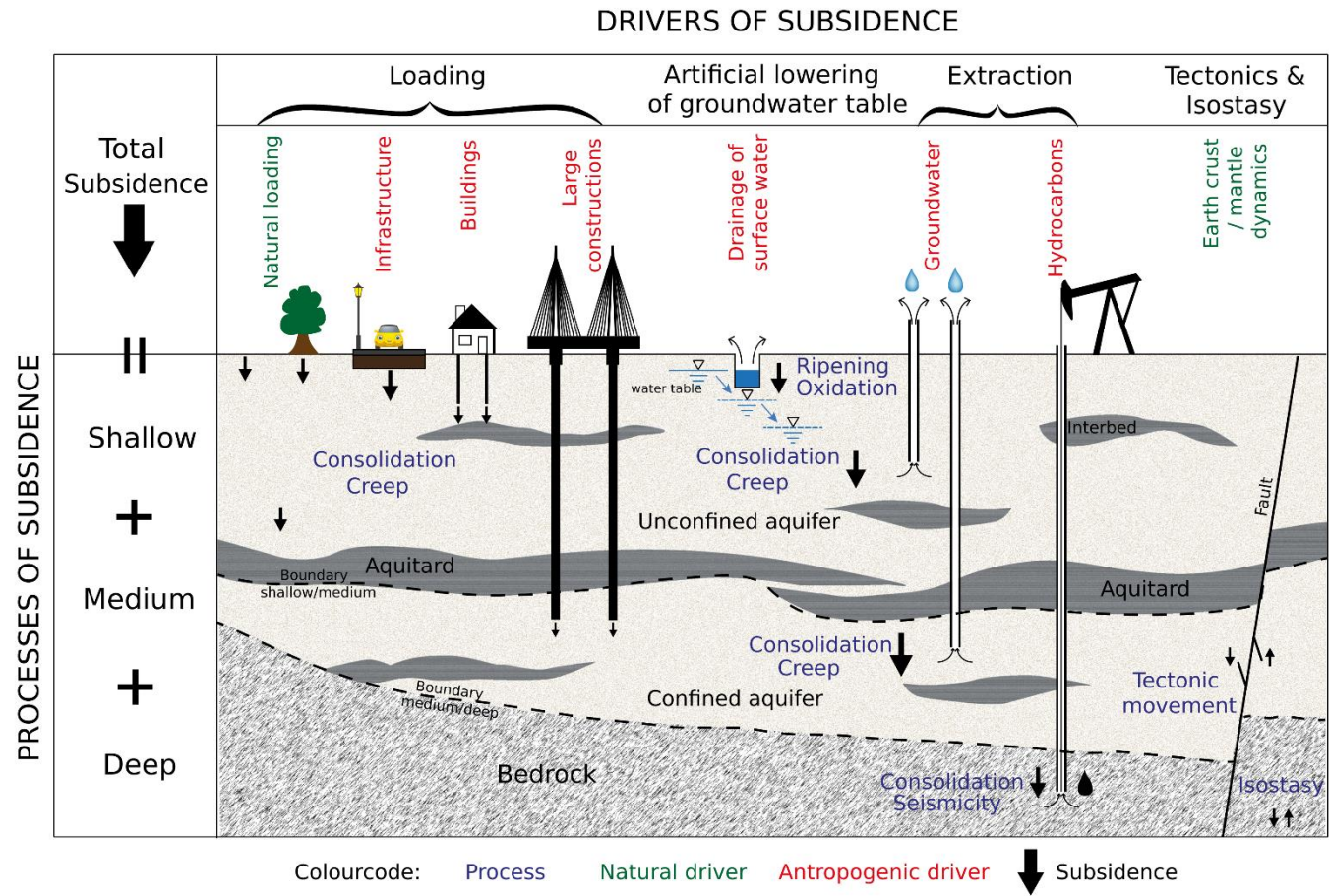
- ▢ Magnitude
- ▢ Cooping strategy (mitigation versus adaptation)

Possible causes of land subsidence in the Mekong

Land subsidence is a **natural process** in deltas.

Land subsidence can be **accelerated** by **human activities** that increase **physical loading** or change the **hydrogeological situation**

Total subsidence is the cumulative effect of all processes.



Impacts

Newly made road level

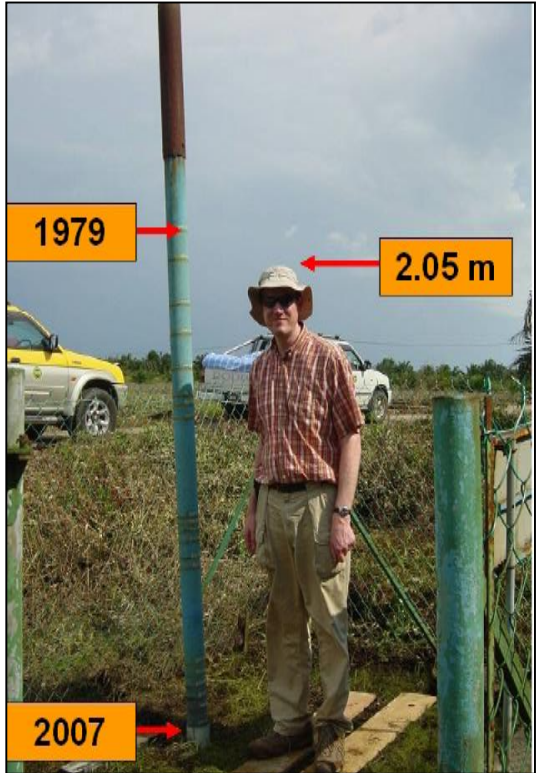
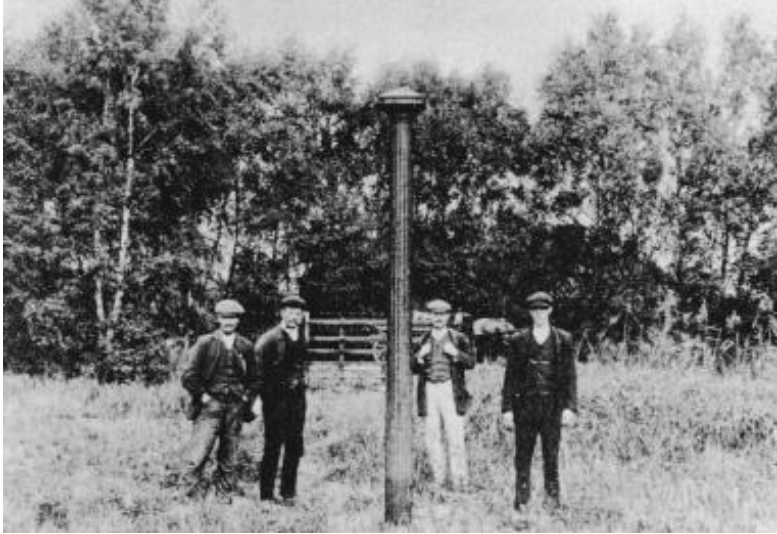
Abandon well head



Subsidence of original road level

Previous Road level

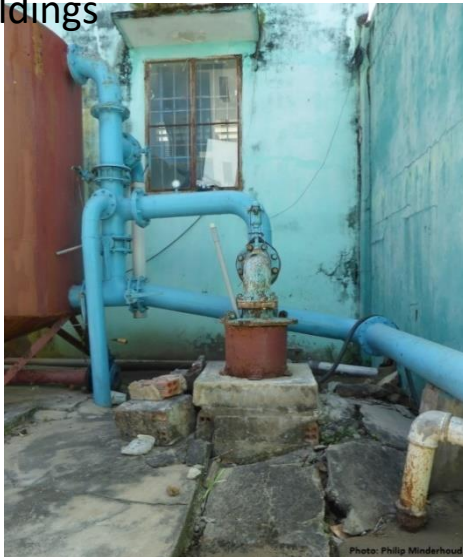




Evidence of subsidence in the Mekong delta

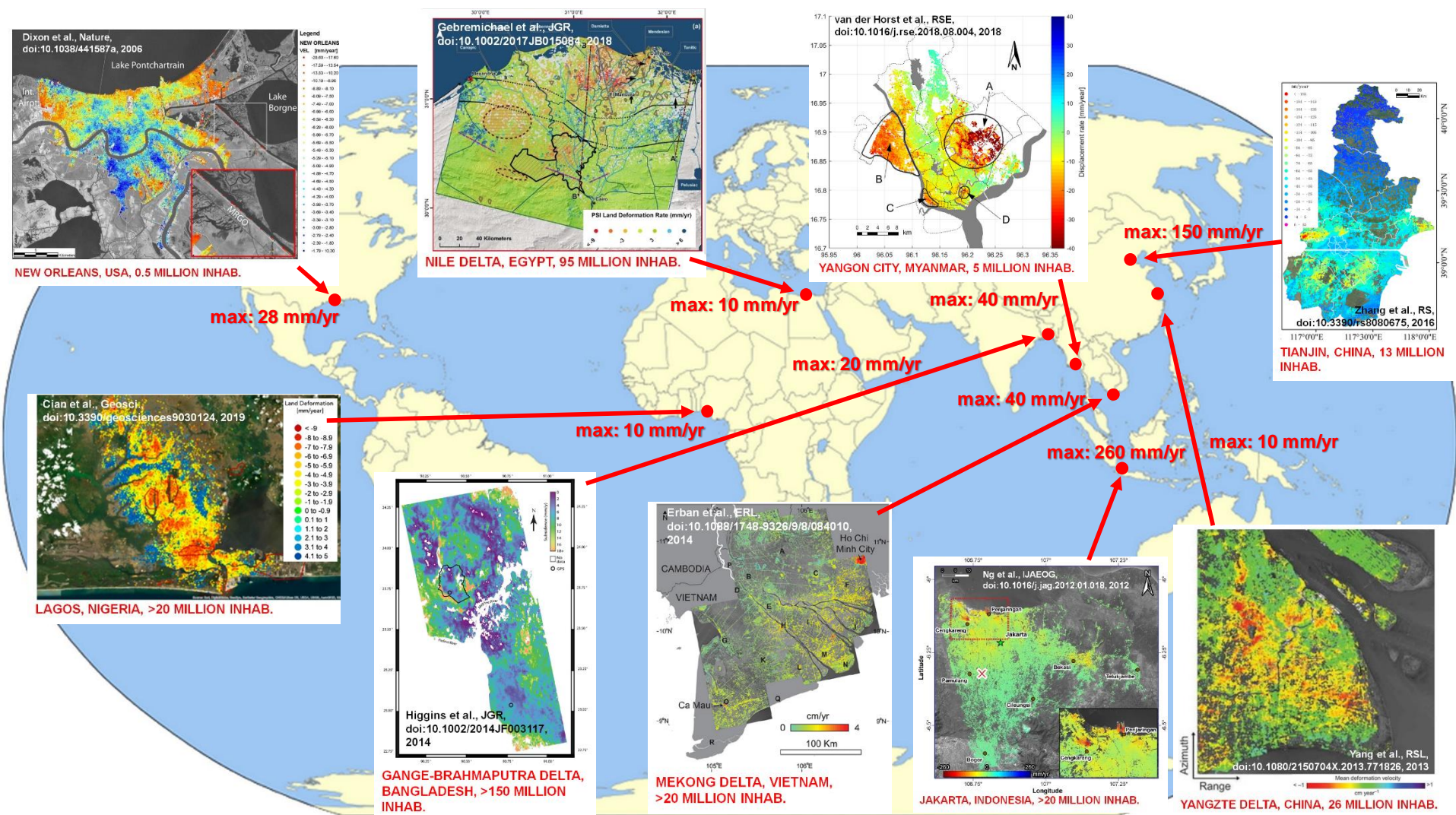


Shallow subsidence, visible around founded bridges and buildings



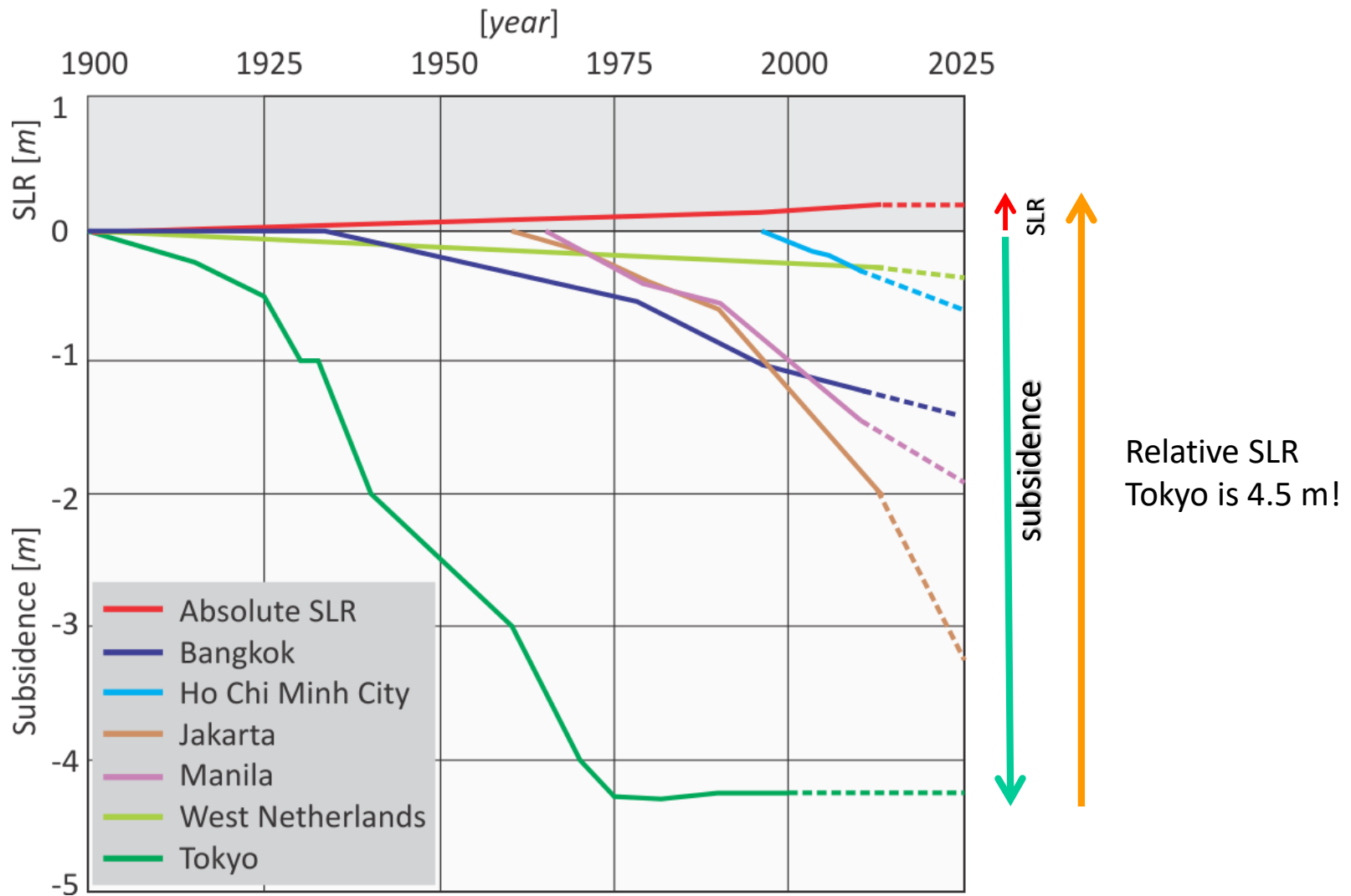
Deeper subsidence, visible by protruding pumping wells

Land subsidence in deltas is a global problem



Courtesy of Pietro Teatini

Stress 5: Land subsidence in some major coastal areas



Subsidence issues are underestimated

Four case studies

What lessons can we learn:

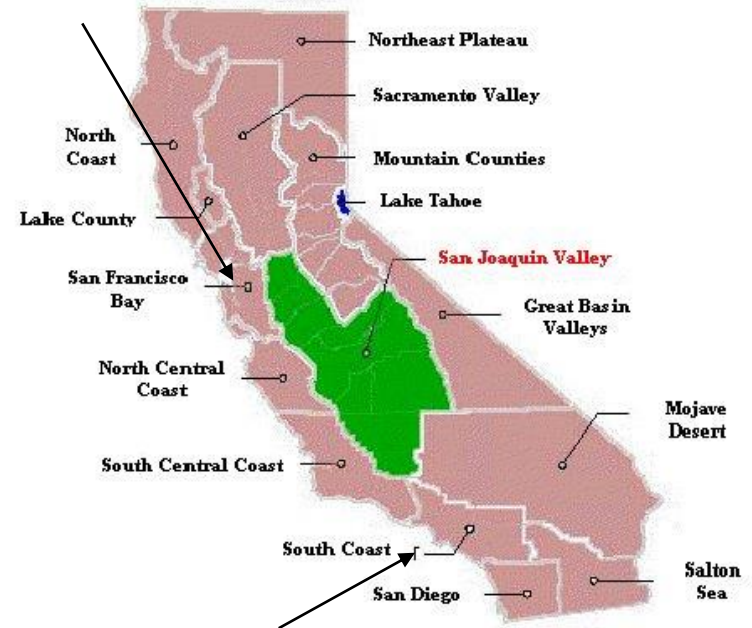
1. California, USA
2. Bangkok, Thailand: implementing policies to reduce extraction
 - Groundwater act (1977)
 - Mitigation of Groundwater Crisis and Land subsidence (1983)
 - Groundwater Tariff and Conservation Fee (1985)
3. Jakarta, Indonesia: until today no mitigation measures on groundwater extraction
4. Mekong Delta, Vietnam

Case 1: Land subsidence San Joachim Valley, CA, USA



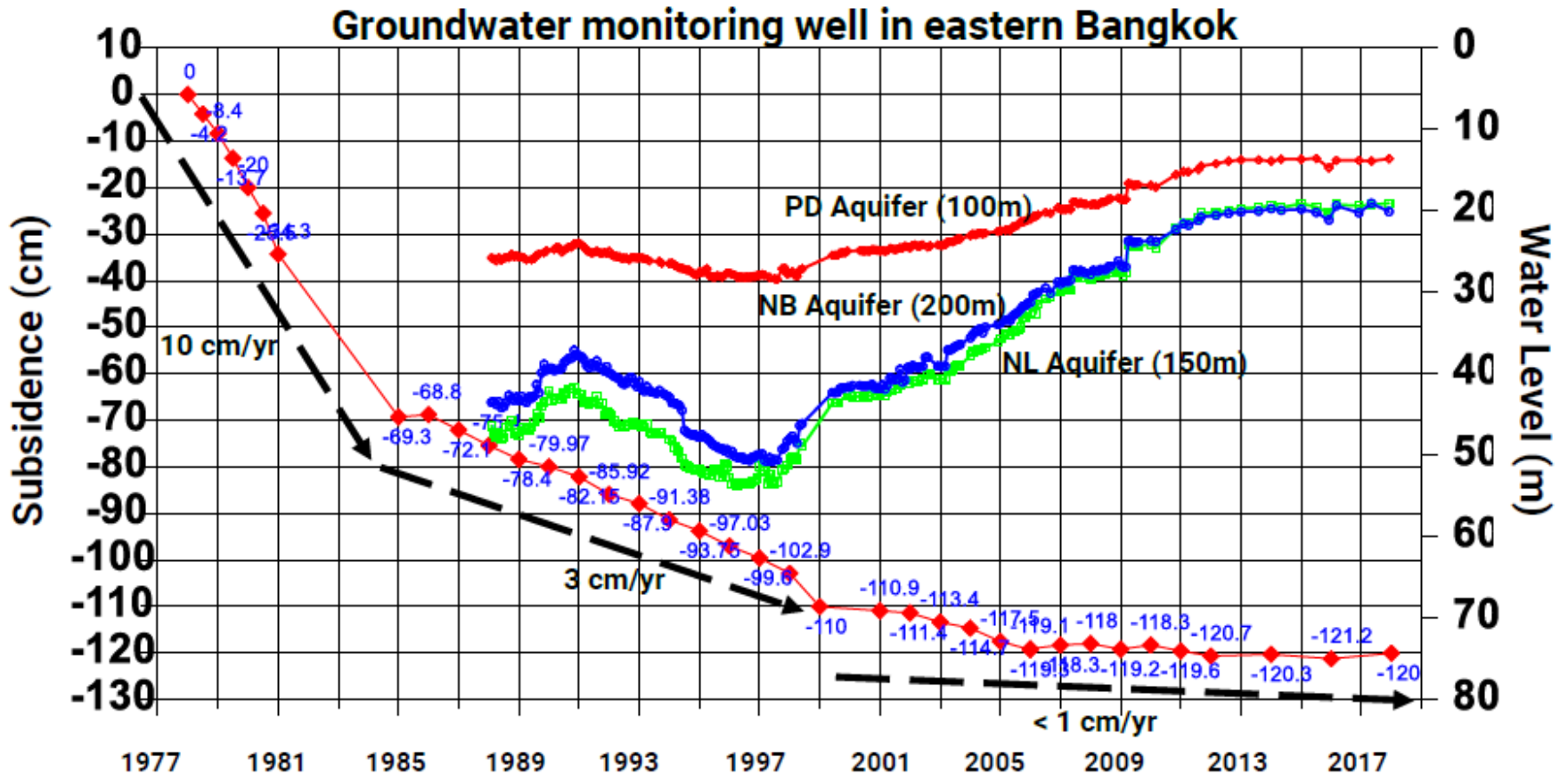
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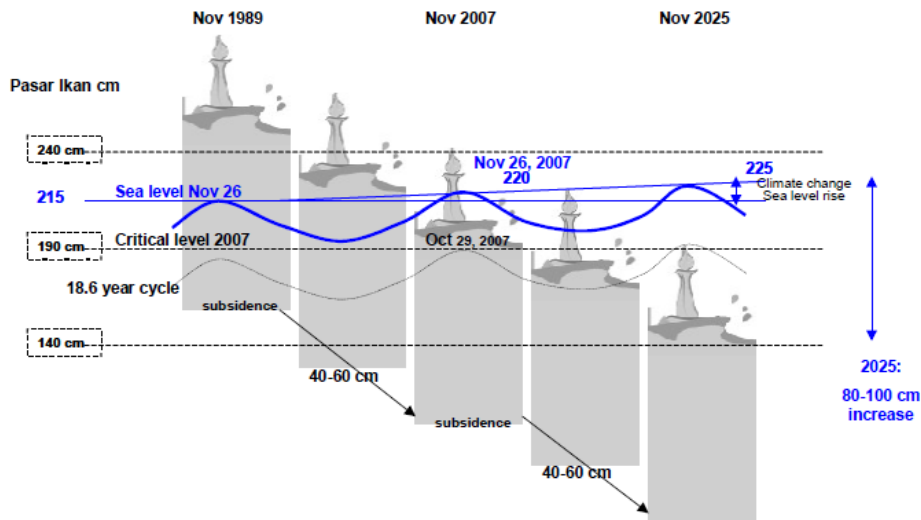
Los Angeles

Case 2: Bangkok



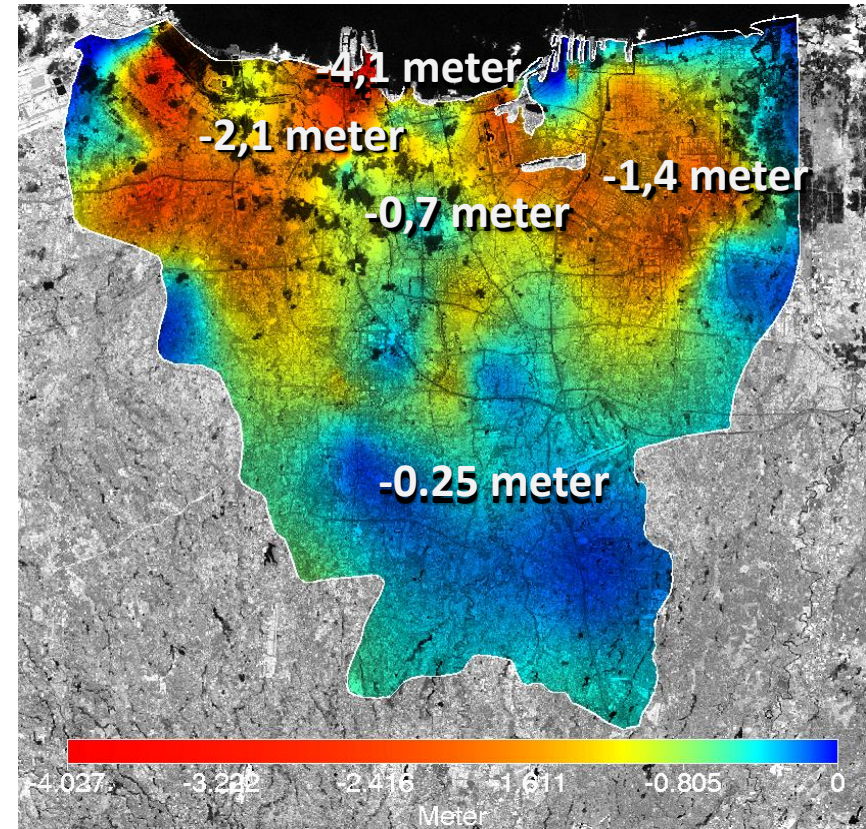
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Case 3: Jakarta



Brinkman and Hartman, 2009

Cumulative subsidence map of Jakarta 1974-2010

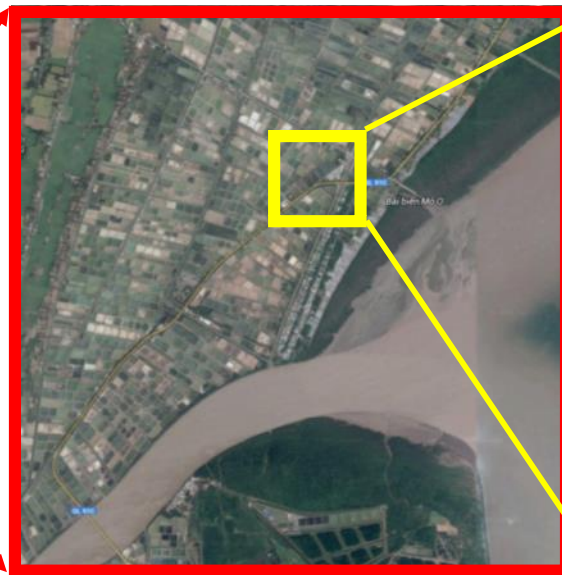


Subsidence rates: up to 25 cm/year

Case 4: Groundwater overexploitation in Mekong Delta

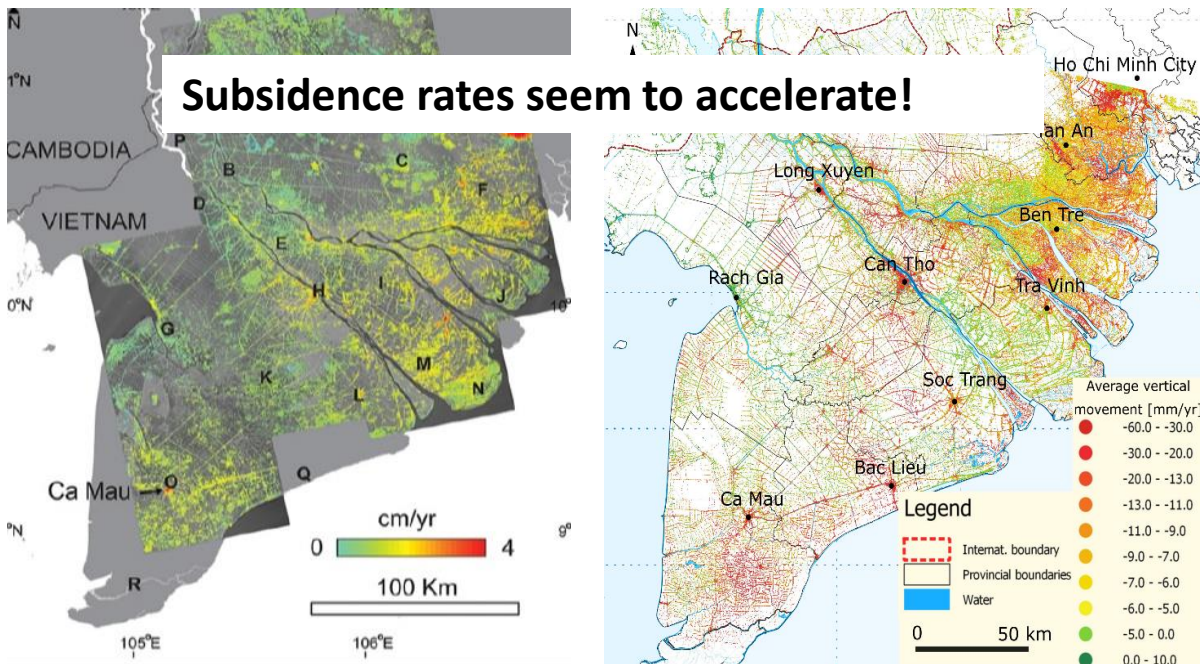


Aquaculture (e.g. shrimp farms) need an large quantity of fresh groundwater



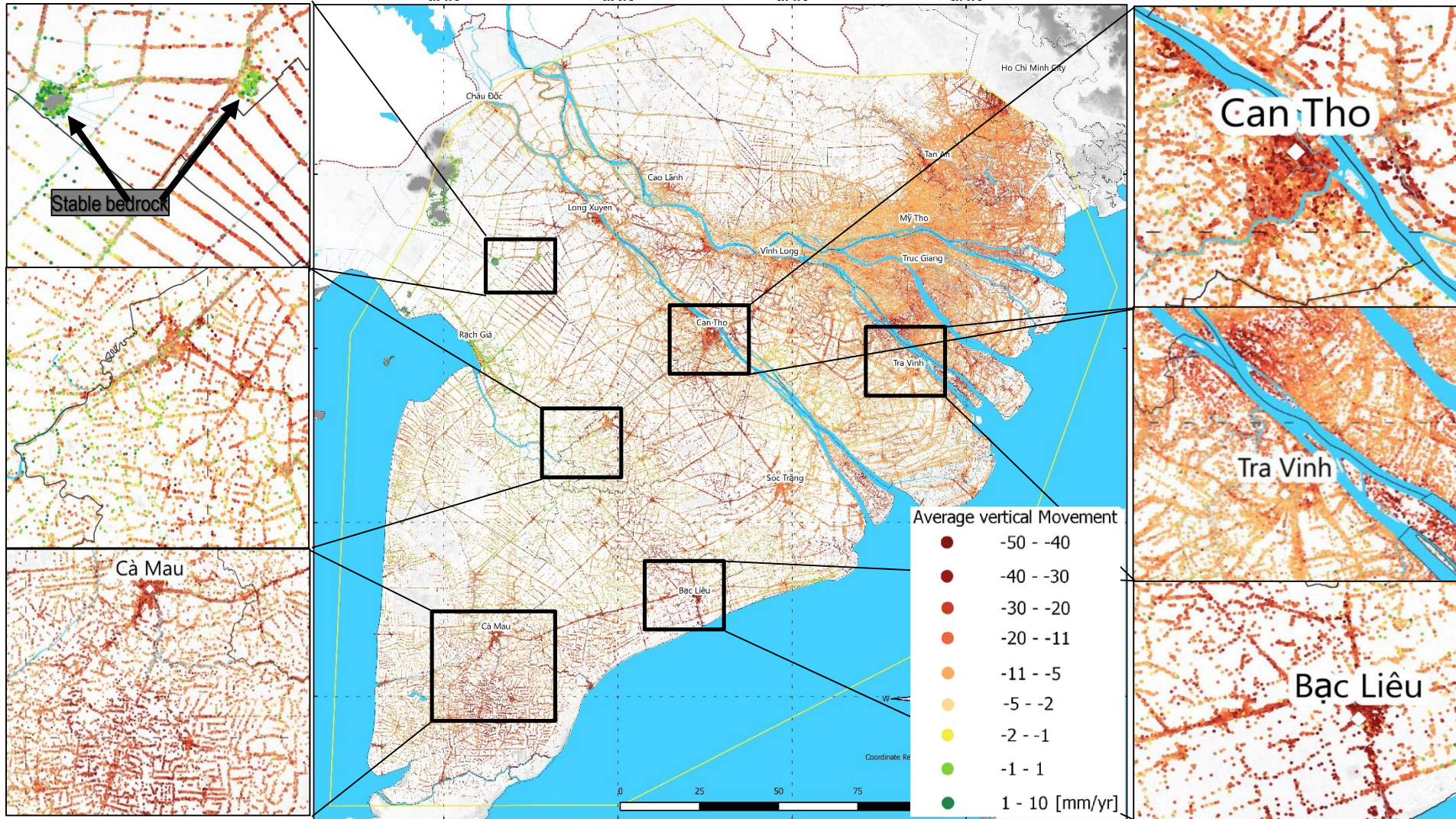
The Mekong delta is sinking

Estimated InSAR-derived subsidence rates (cm/yr)



Evidence on the ground

Satellite measured subsidence rates (2014-2019): ~10-50 mm/yr

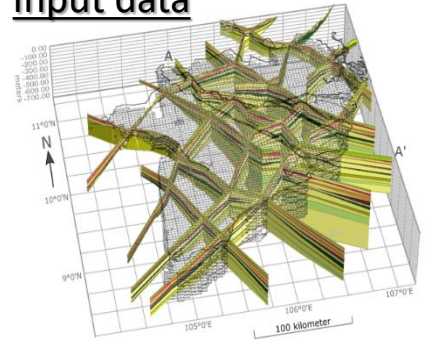


Copernicus ESMN-62 in cooperation with GIZ and BGR

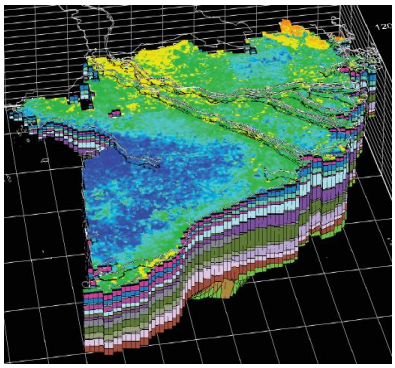
Hydraulic and hydrogeological data from DWRPIS and SIWRR

iMOD-WQ-SEAWAT-SUB-CR: 3D model groundwater salinity + subsidence

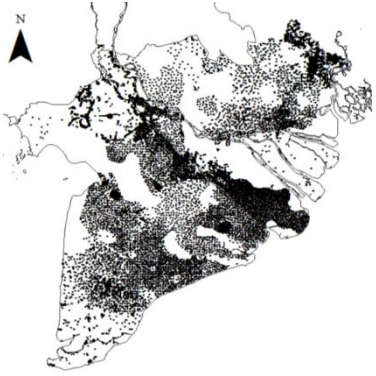
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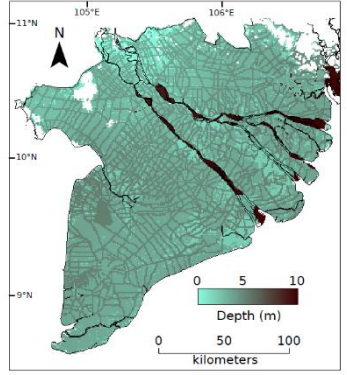
Geological borelogs and cross-sections



3D geology

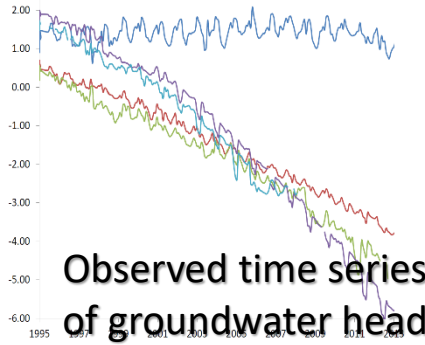


Location, depth & rate of groundwater extractions

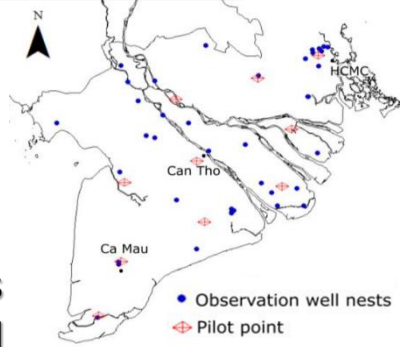


Surface water system

Hydrogeological calibration

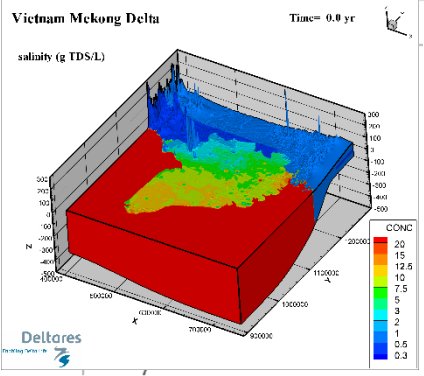


Observed time series of groundwater head

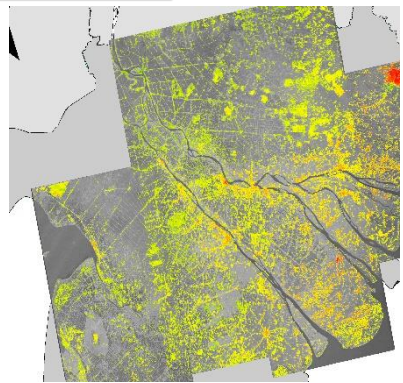


• Observation well nests
◊ Pilot point

Subsidence module

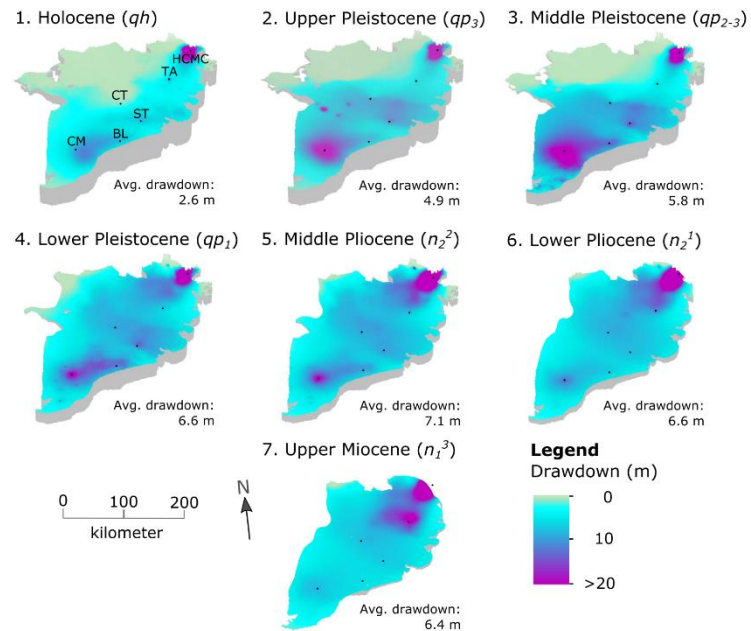


3D salinity

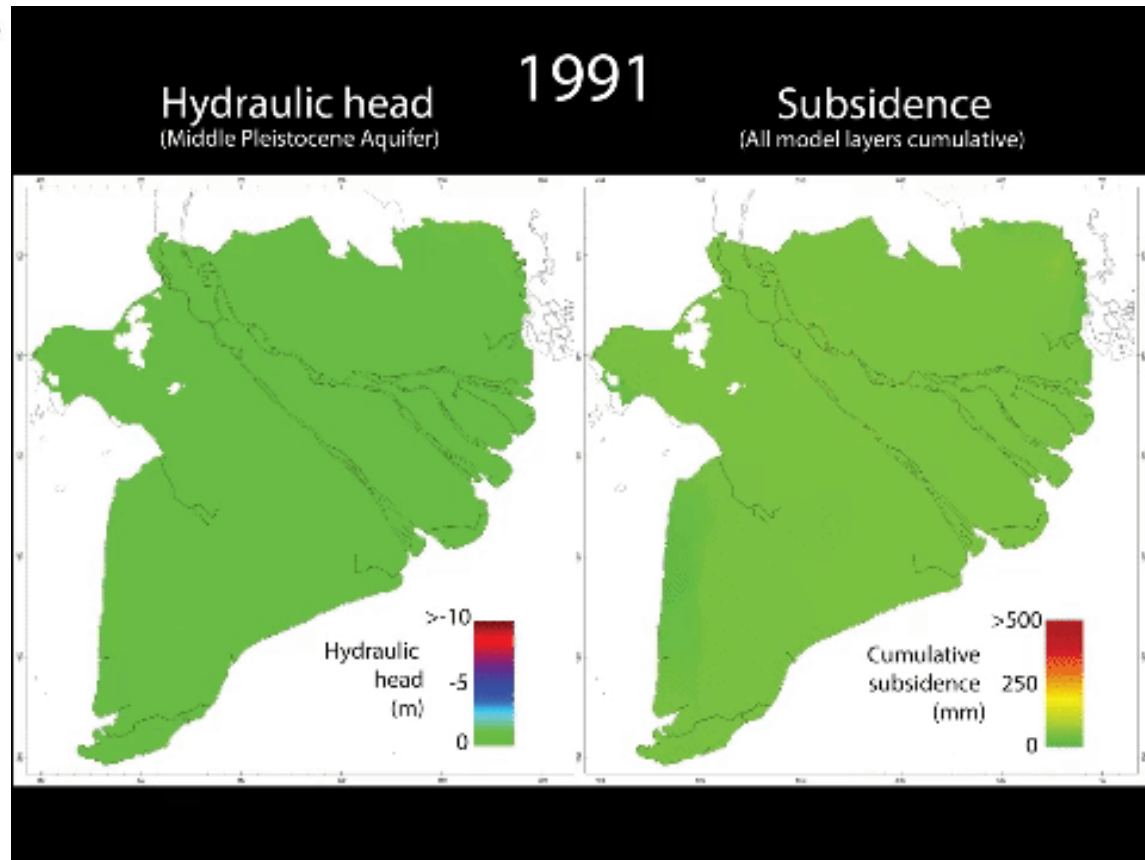


Validation: InSAR-derived subsidence (Urban et al., 2014)

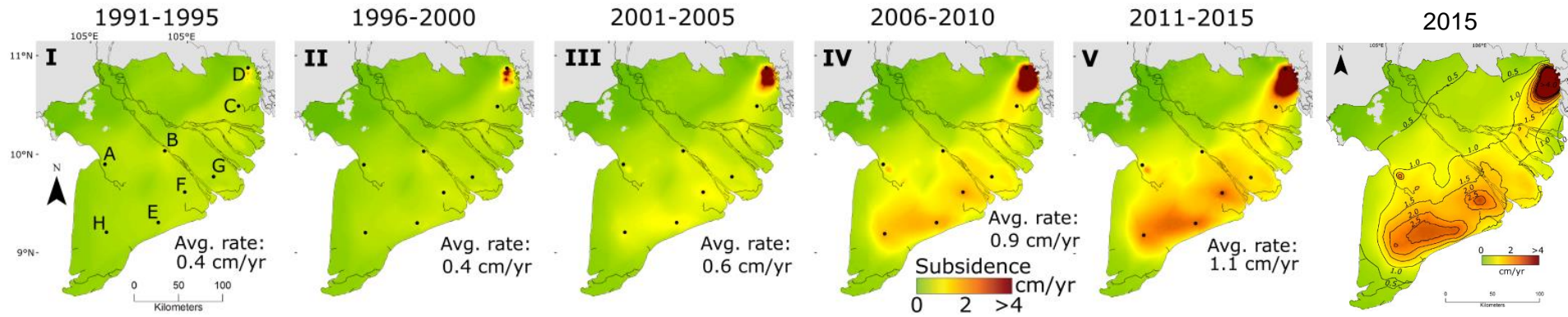
25 years of simulated groundwater extraction



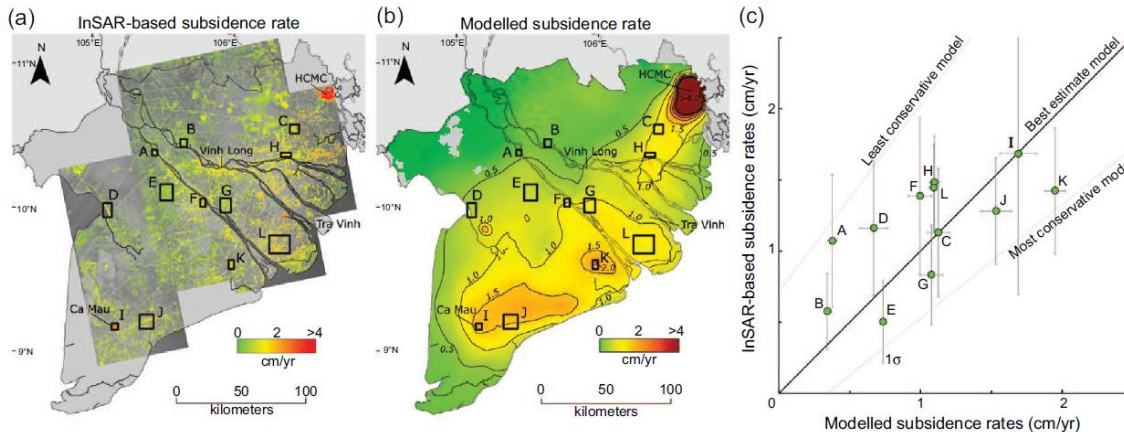
Groundwater extraction is much larger than groundwater recharge, and replenishment is very limited



Extraction-induced subsidence is accelerating!



Groundwater extraction-driven subsidence exceeds absolute sea-level rise by a magnitude!

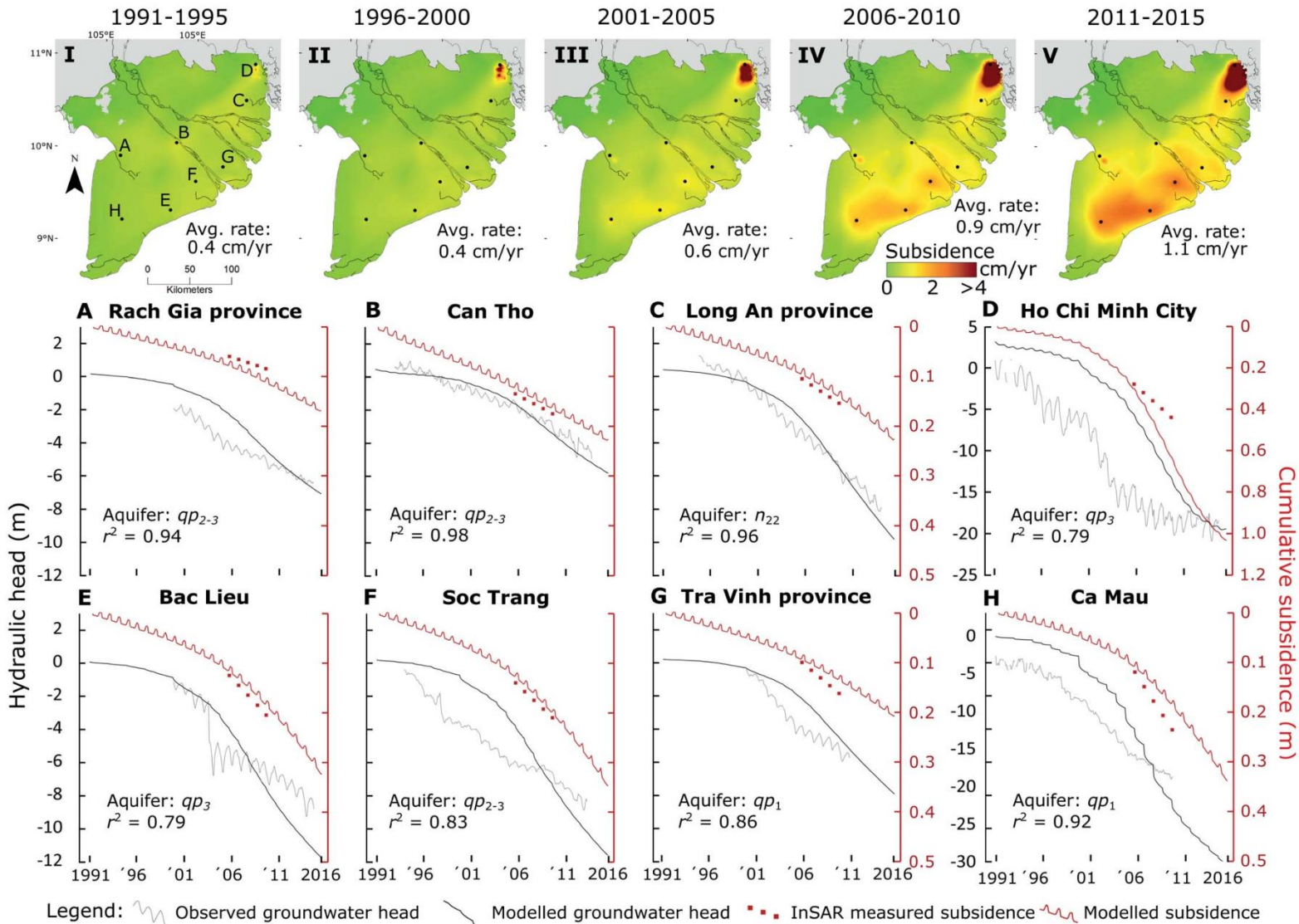


Sources of uncertainties in modeling results:

- Hydrogeology and geotechnical parameters
- Extraction data
- Geological schematization
- Layer discretization

Most/least conservative model: 60%/160% of the best estimate model rates

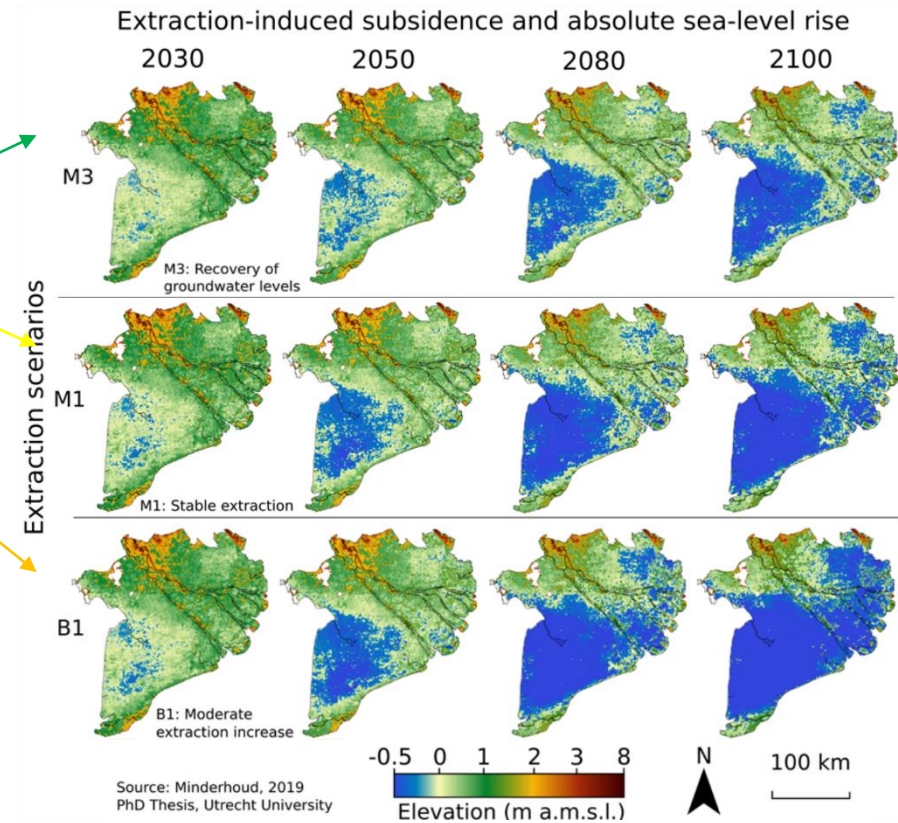
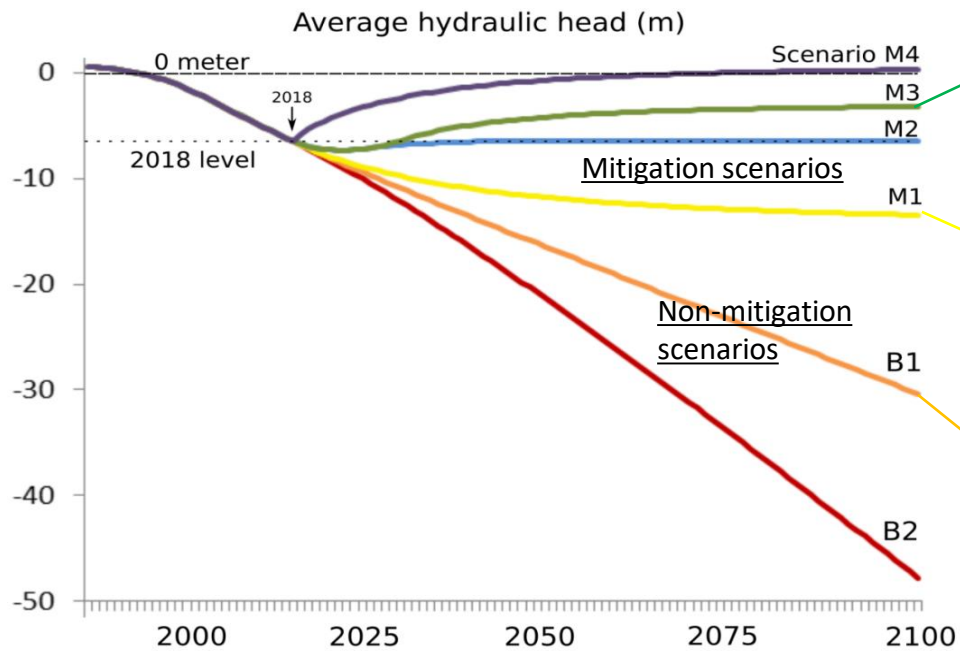
Large groundwater extractions lead to subsidence in the Mekong delta (results Rise and Fall project)



The future of the Mekong delta?

The decisions of today, will determine tomorrow

Scenarios of future groundwater extraction pathways

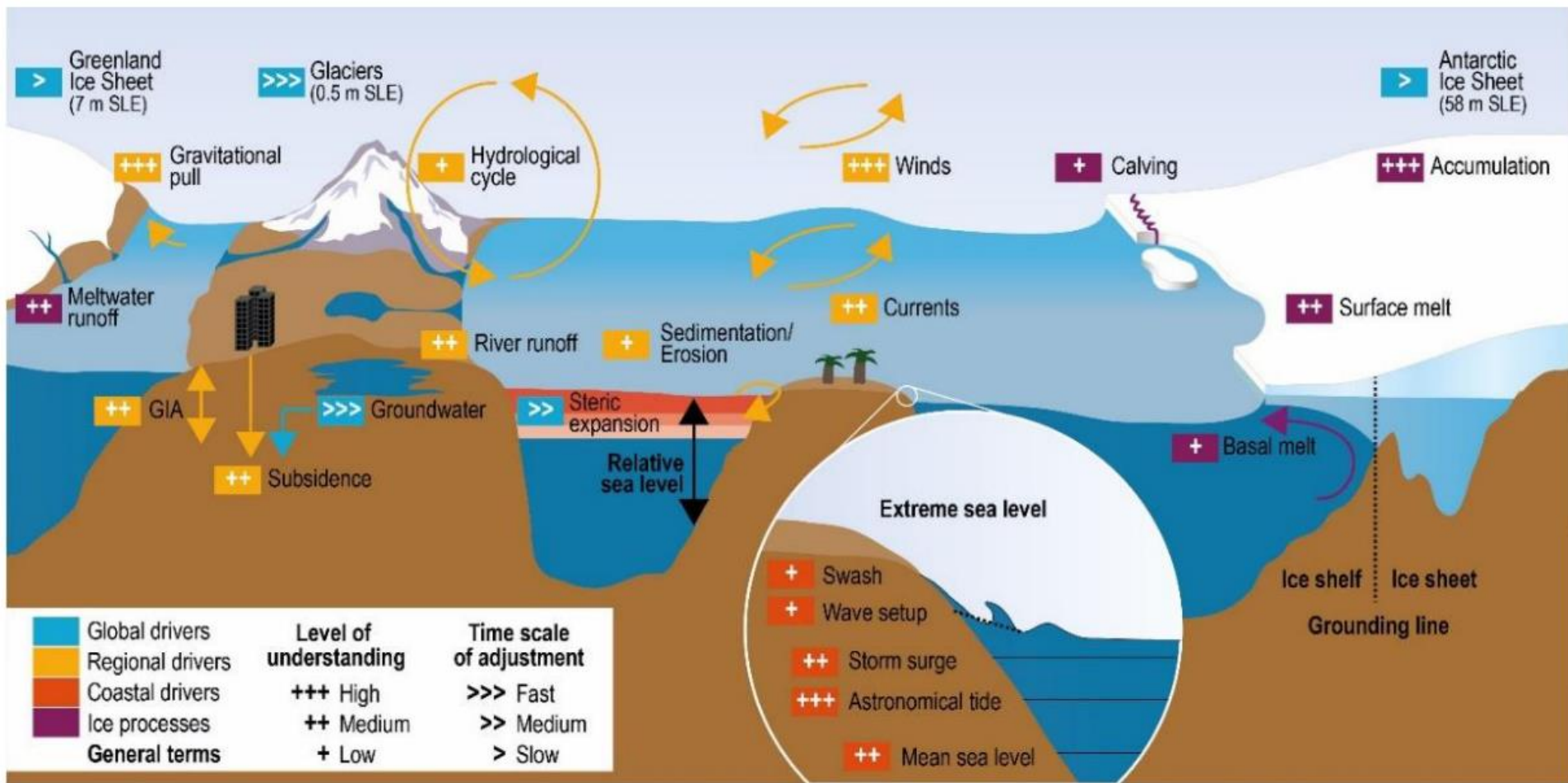


Minderhoud et al., in review

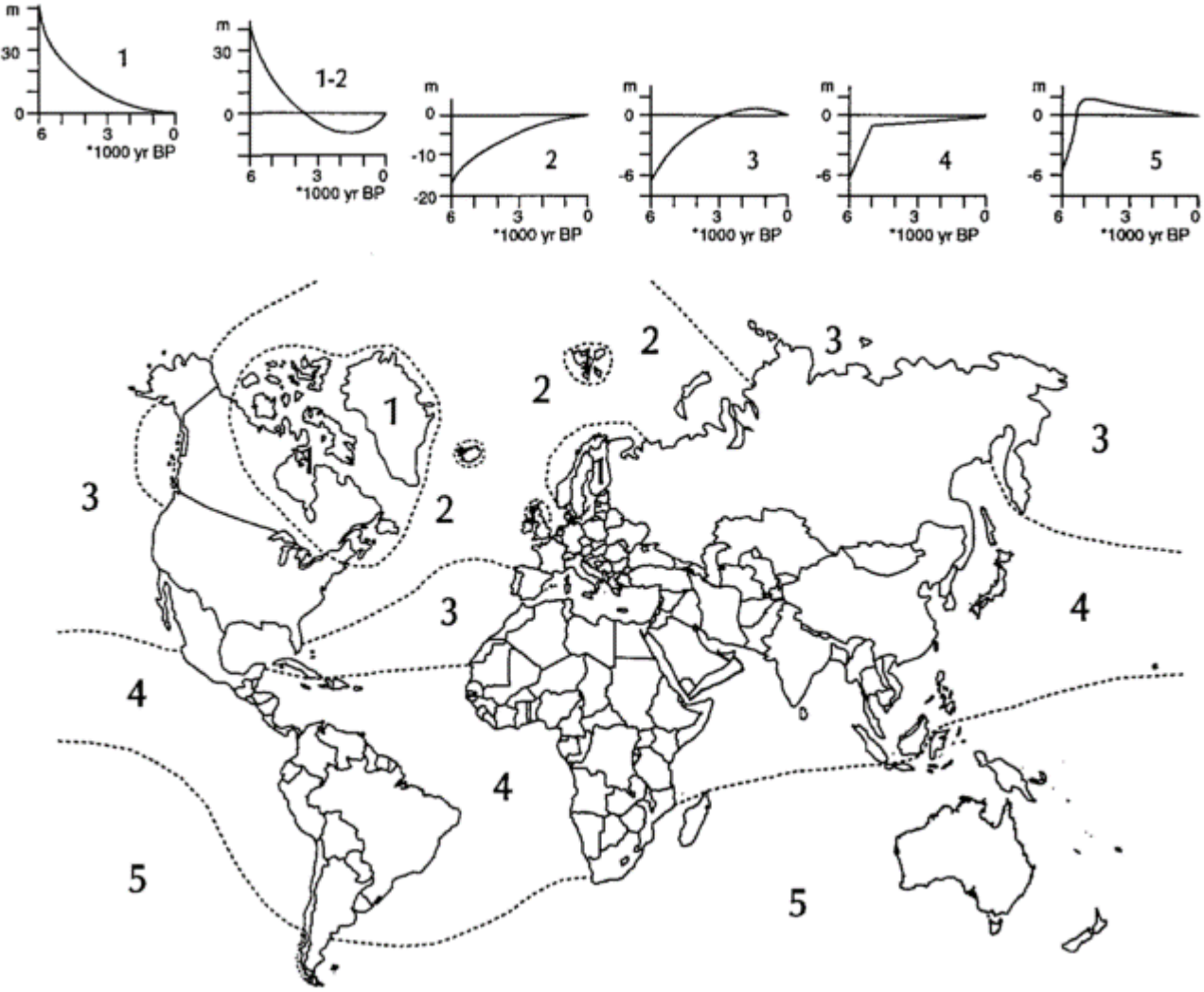
N.B. New InSAR measurements point to a potential underestimation of subsidence by the model

Stress 6: Mean Sea Level Rise

Illustration of climate and non-climate driven processes that influence sea level along coasts

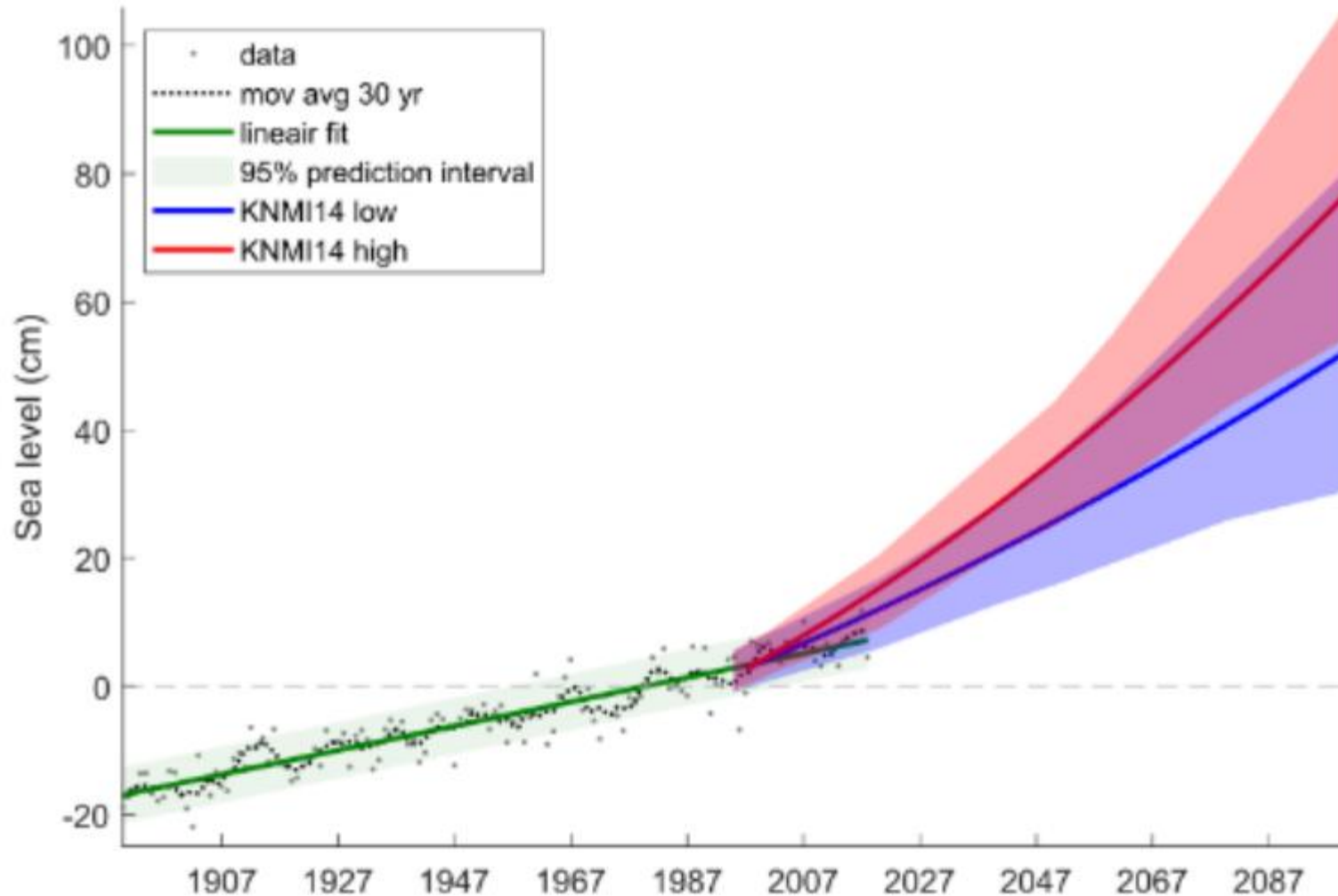


Regional distribution of Holocene Sea-level Changes



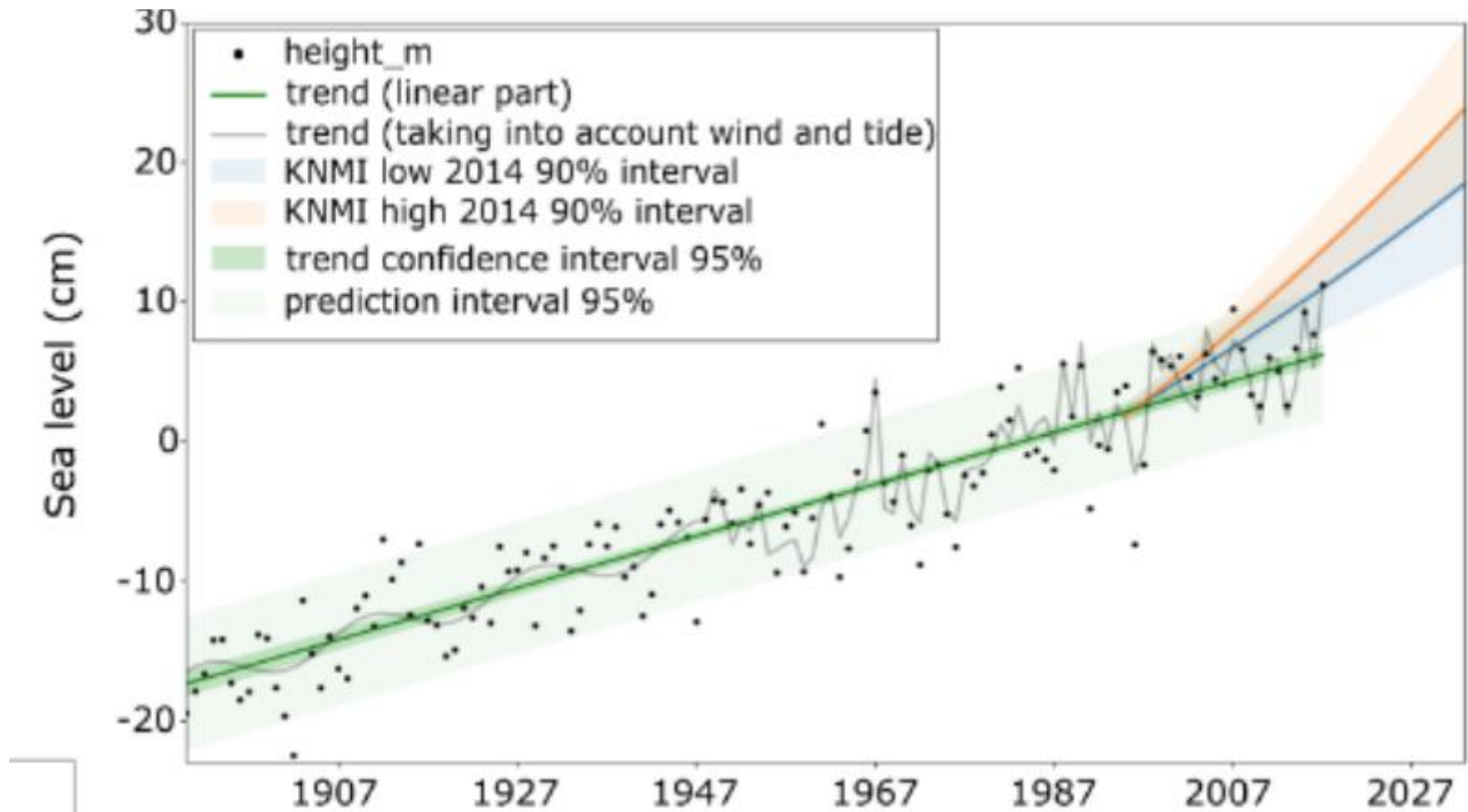
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KNMI sea level projections and historic observations in the Zeespiegelmonitor



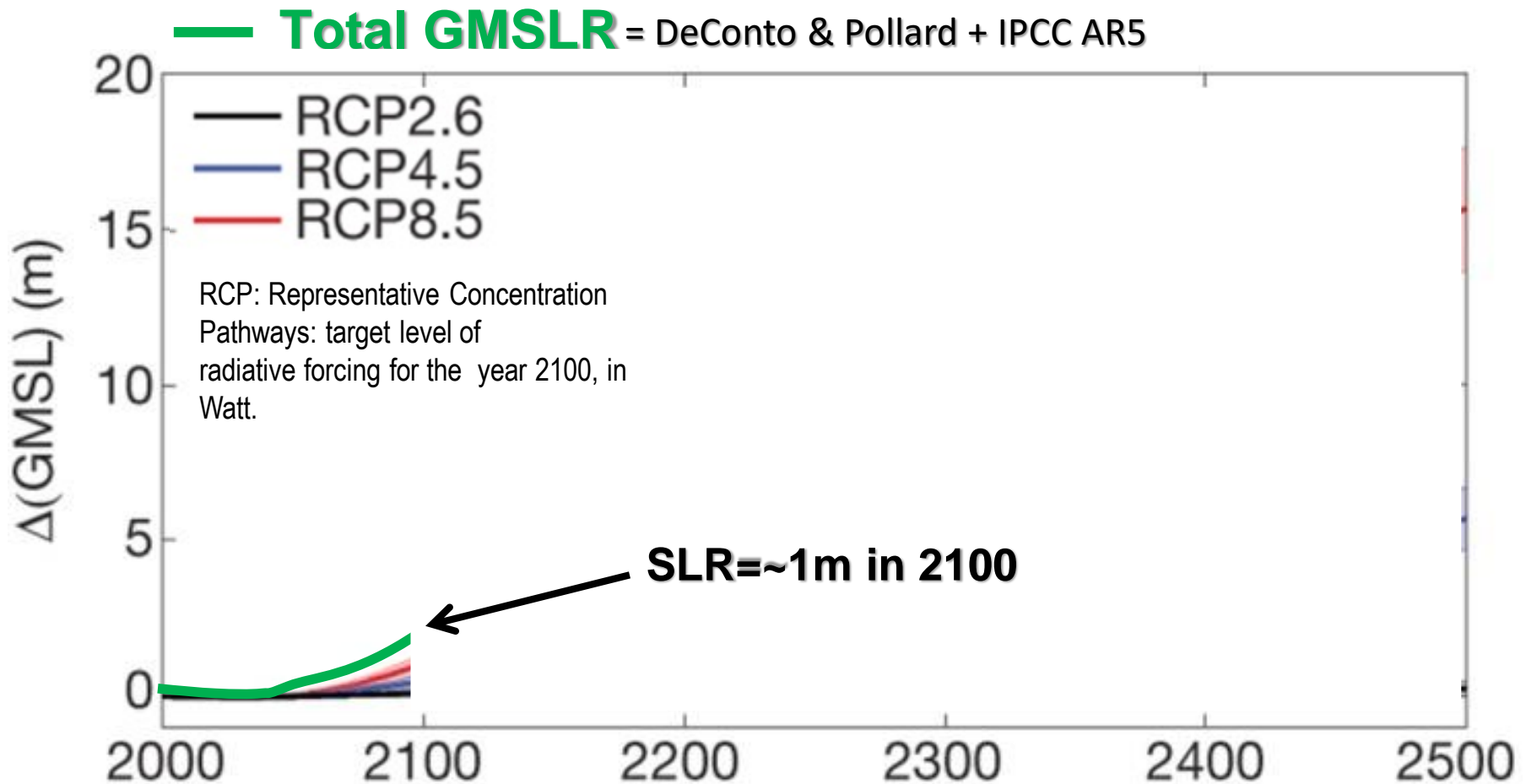
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Stress: Global Mean Sea Level Rise (GMSL)

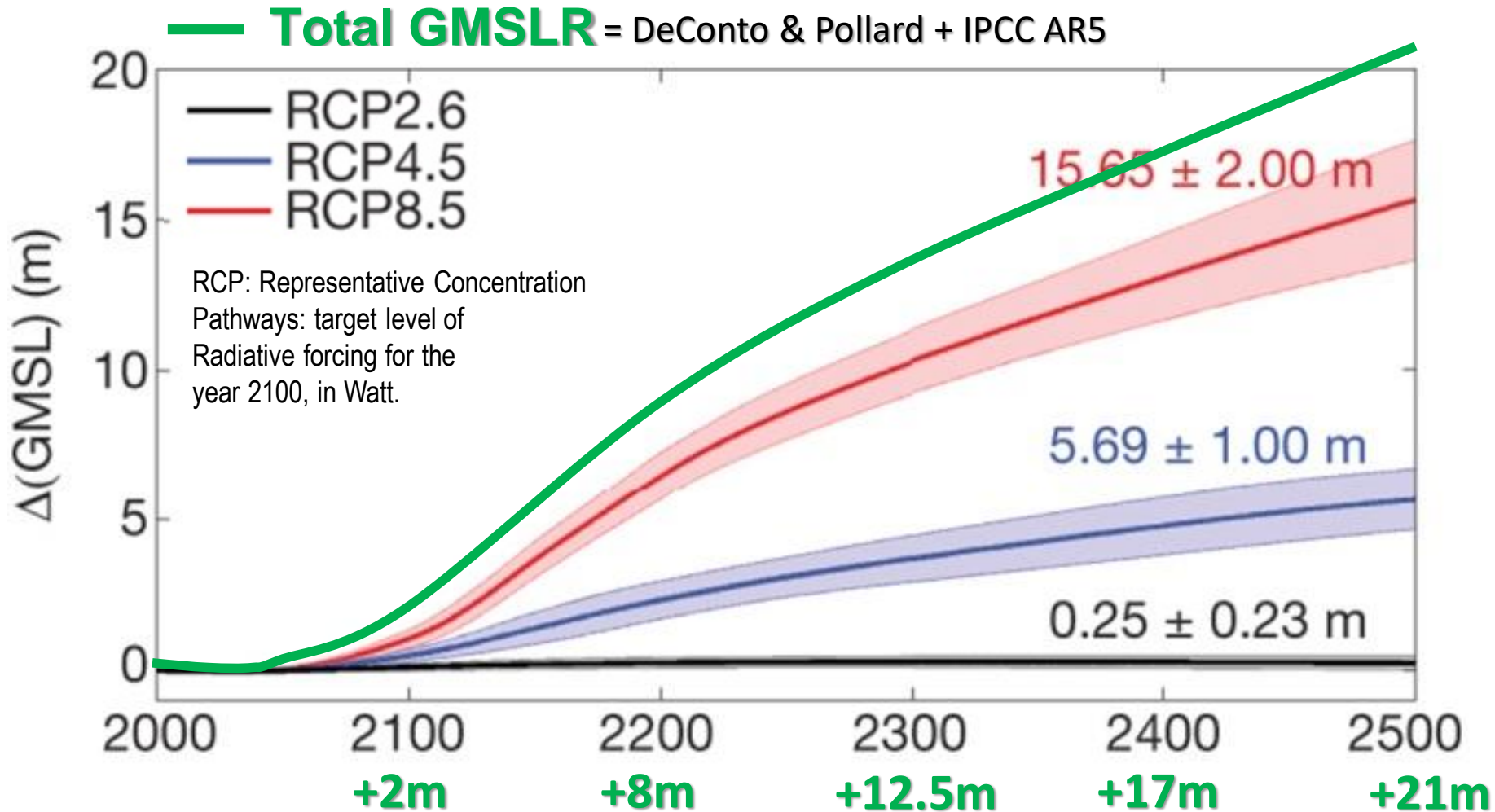
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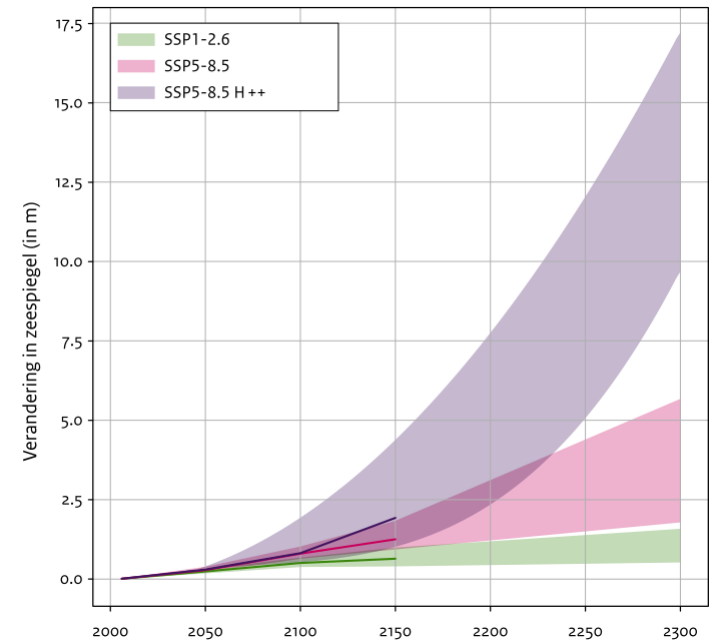
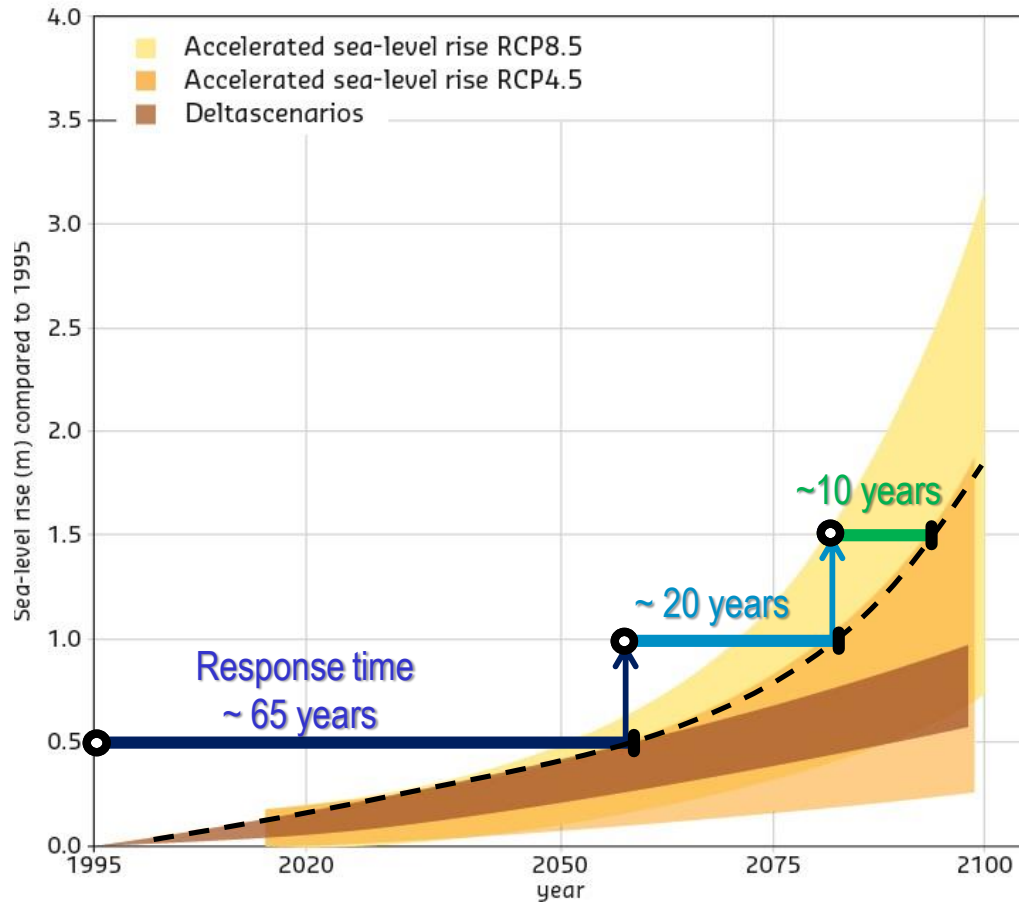
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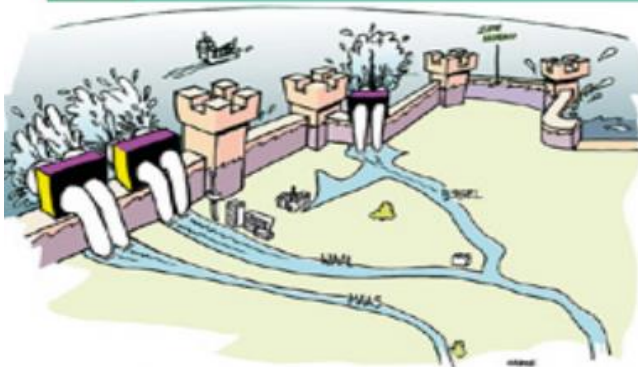
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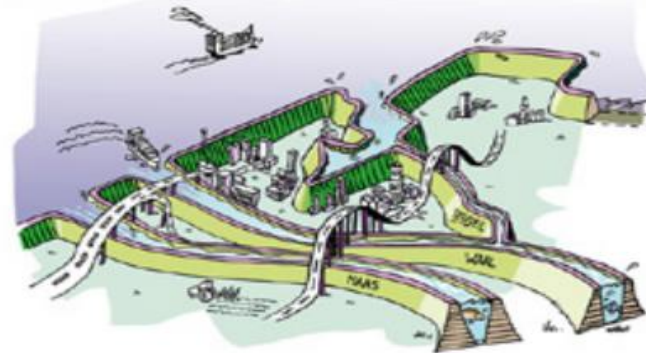
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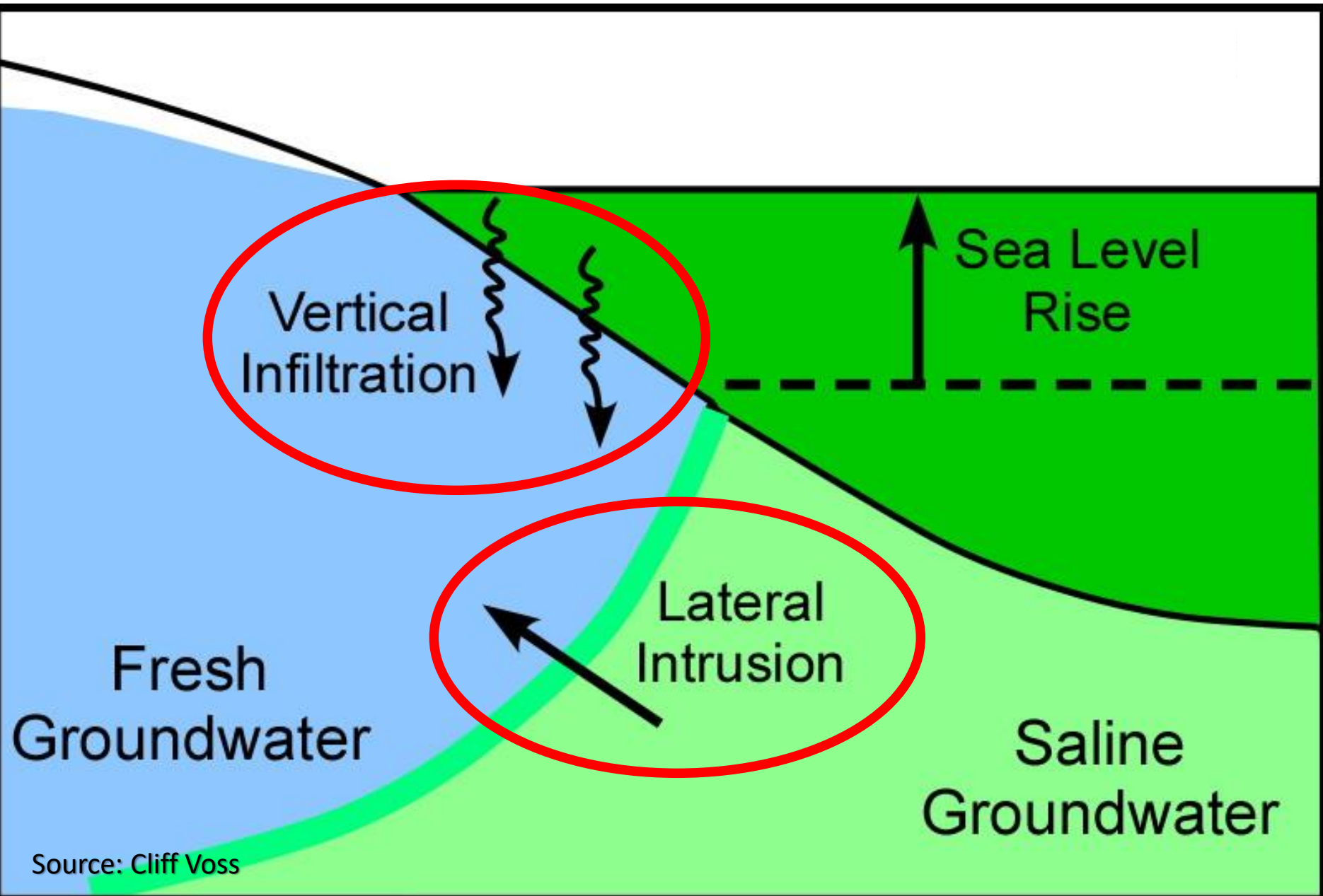
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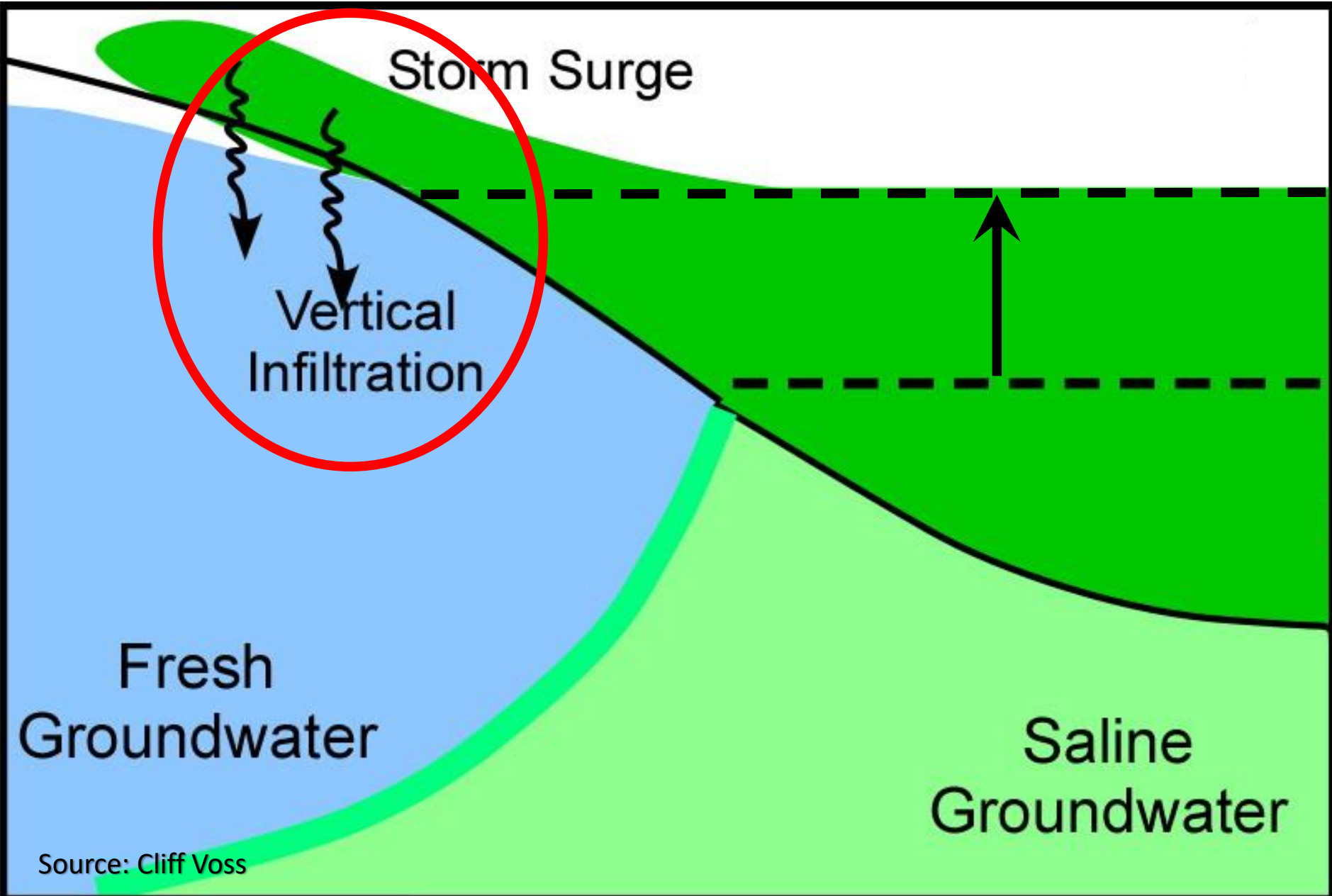
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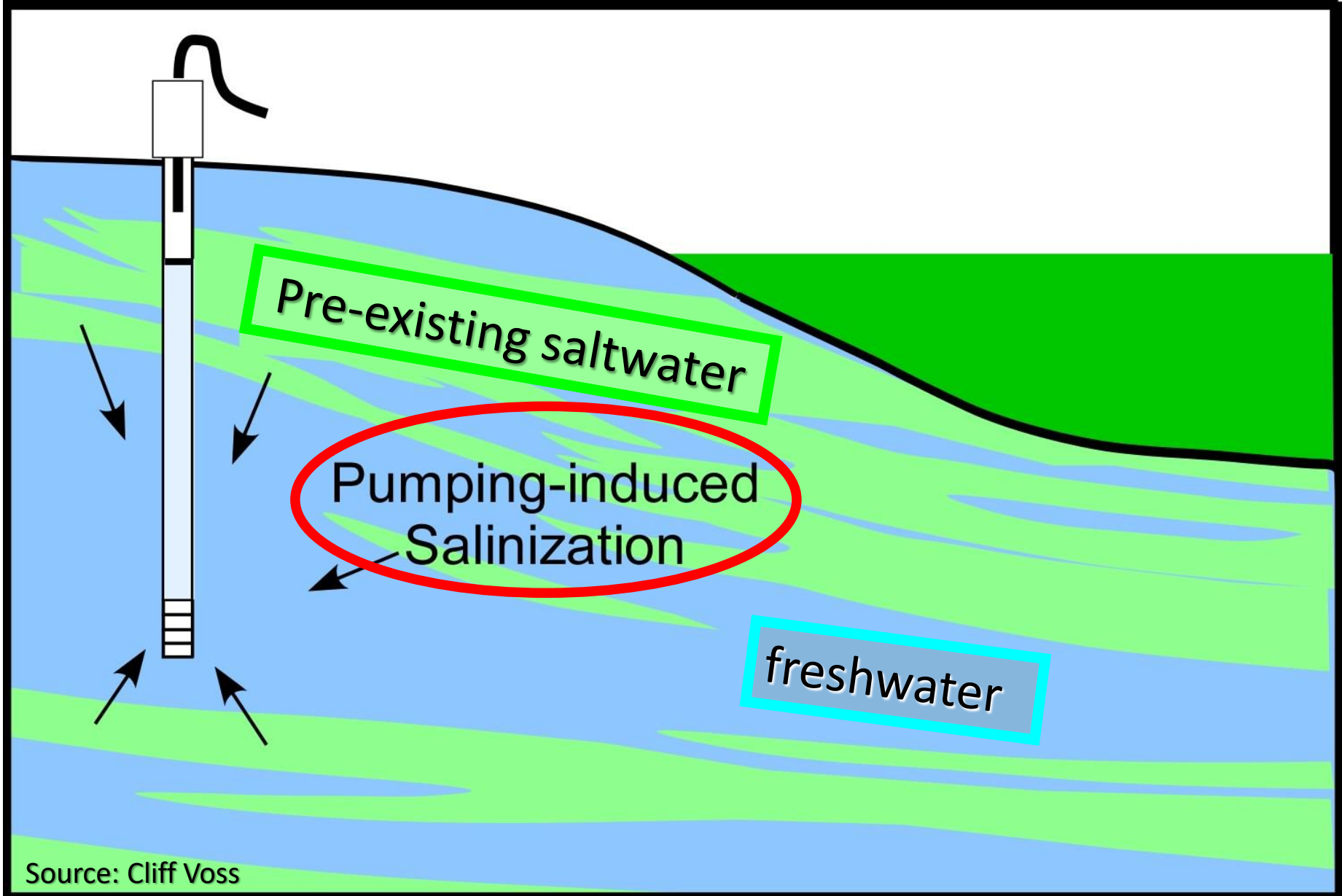
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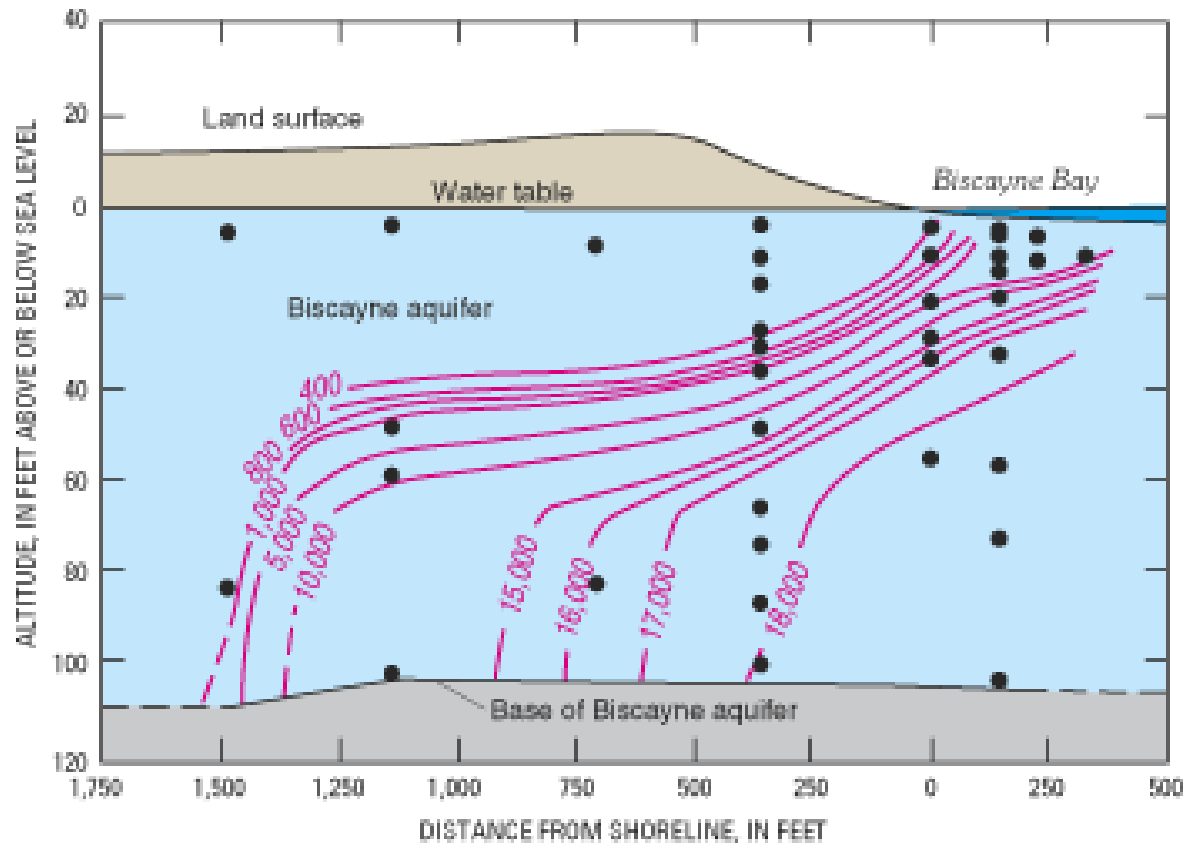
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Salinization due to Pumping



Biscayne aquifer, Florida USA: Henry's case



EXPLANATION

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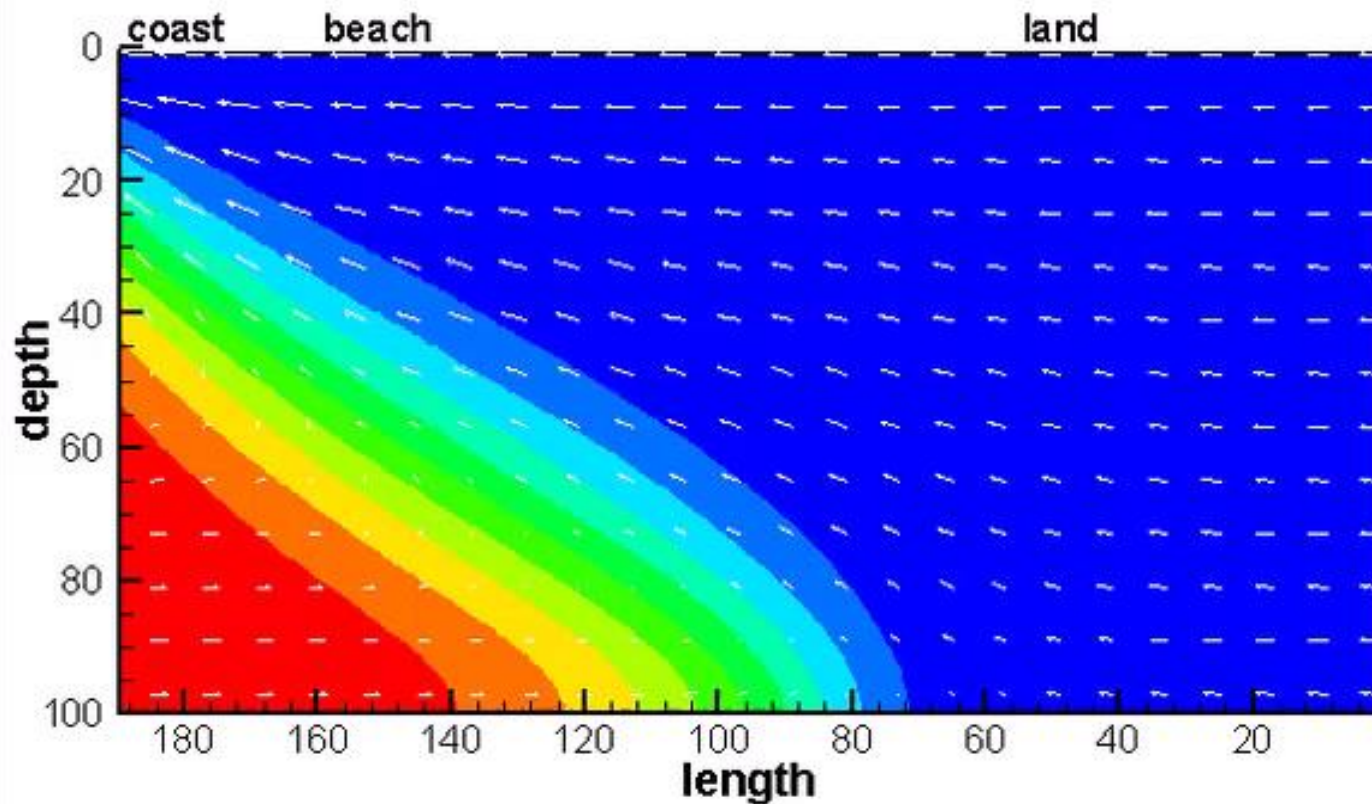
Line of equal chloride concentration, in parts per million

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Bottom of fully cased well from which water-quality samples were collected

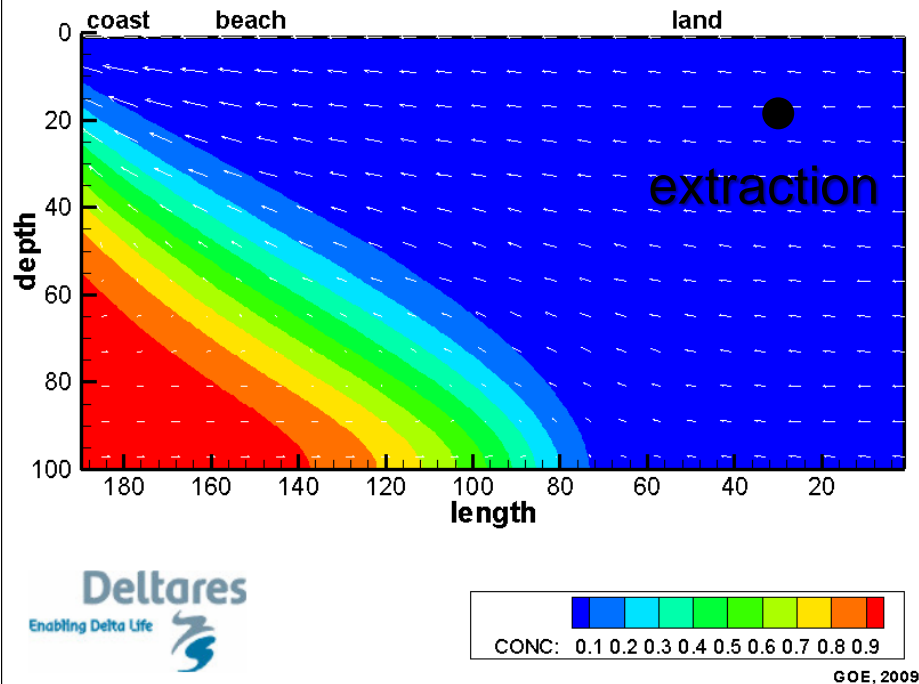
Modified from Kohout (1964)

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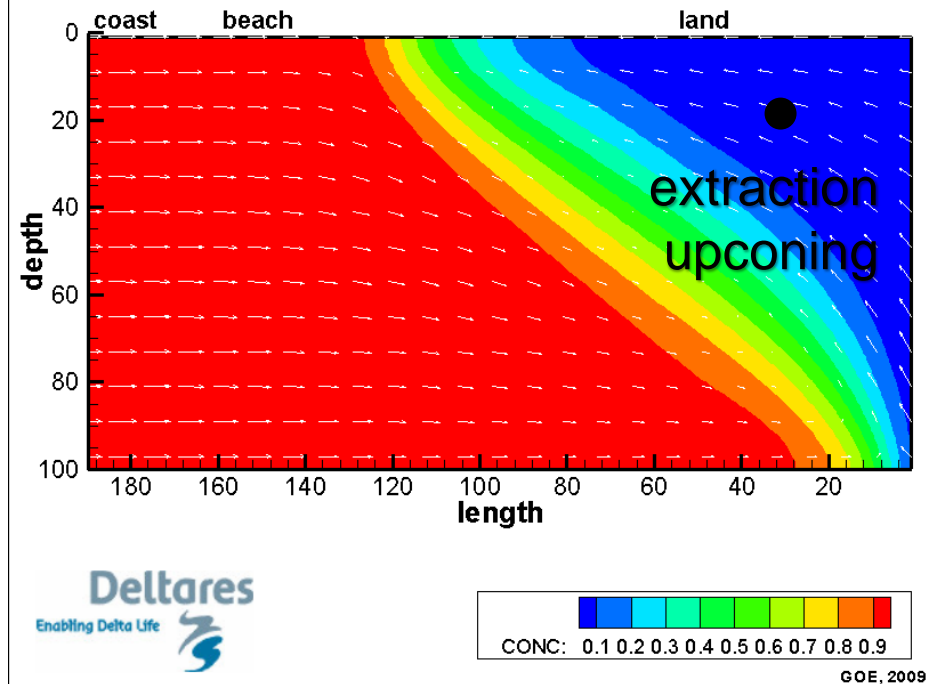


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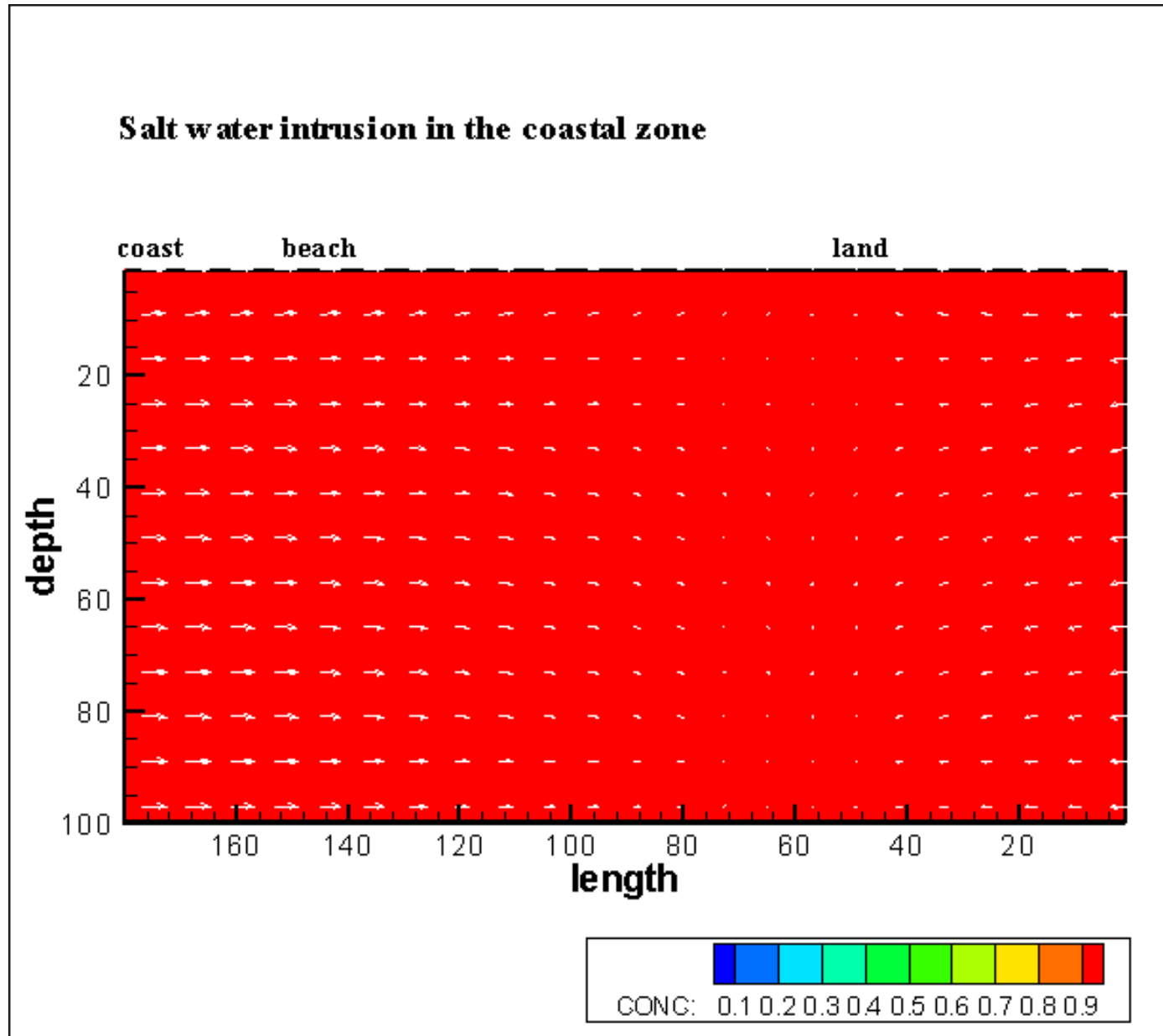
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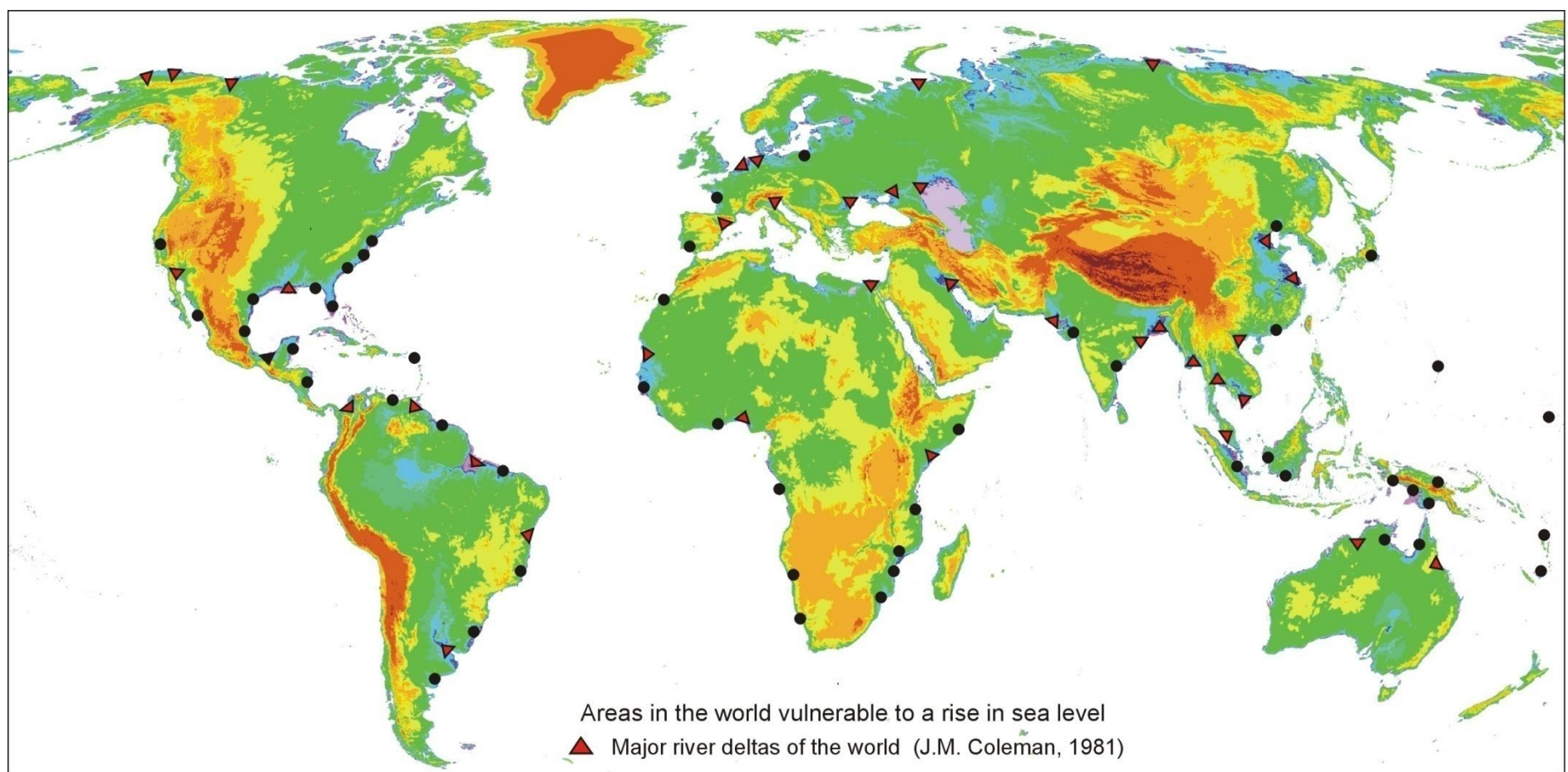
Salt water intrusion



Effects of sea level rise on groundwater resources in deltaic areas

1. Increase of salt water intrusion
2. Increase of upconing under groundwater extraction wells
3. Increase of piezometric head
4. Increase of seepage and salt load to the surface water system
5. Risk of instable Holocene aquitards
6. [Decrease of fresh groundwater reservoirs due to decrease in natural groundwater recharge]

Effects of sea level rise on groundwater resources in deltaic areas

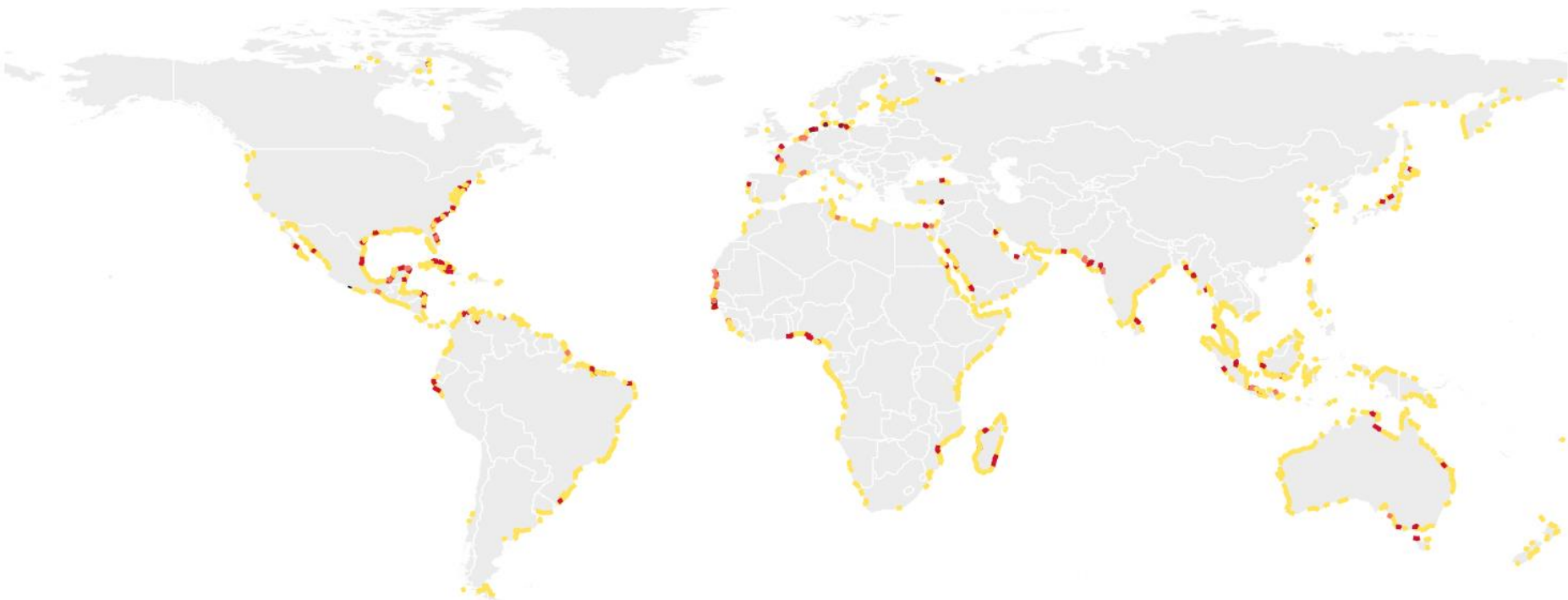


Digital Elevation Model (DEM)

Global groundwater salinisation vulnerability map

EXAMPLE - More than 35 million people could lose more than 10% of their fresh groundwater resources by 2100, compared to 2020, according to RCP 8.5 sea level rise scenario.

— *low risk* — *moderate risk* — *high risk* — *very high risk*

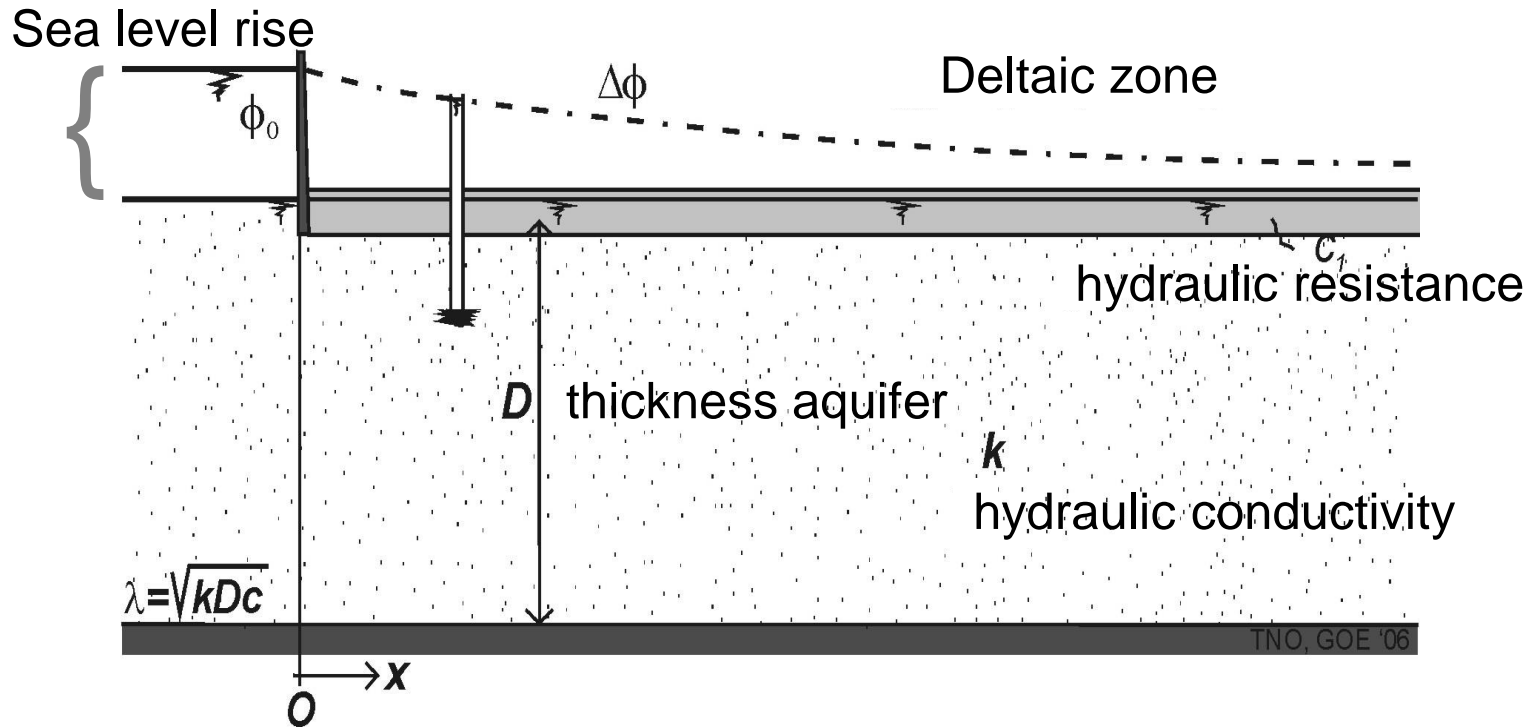


fresh groundwater will decrease due to sea-level rise compared to present conditions

Zamrsky et al. 2022, in reviews

Effect of sea level rise:

Analytical approach for zone of influence in deltaic areas



$$\Delta\phi(x) = \phi_0 e^{-x/\lambda}$$

$$\lambda = \sqrt{kDc}$$

- Zone of influence is equal to \sqrt{kDc}
- At $x=3\lambda$, only 5% of sea level rise is detectable

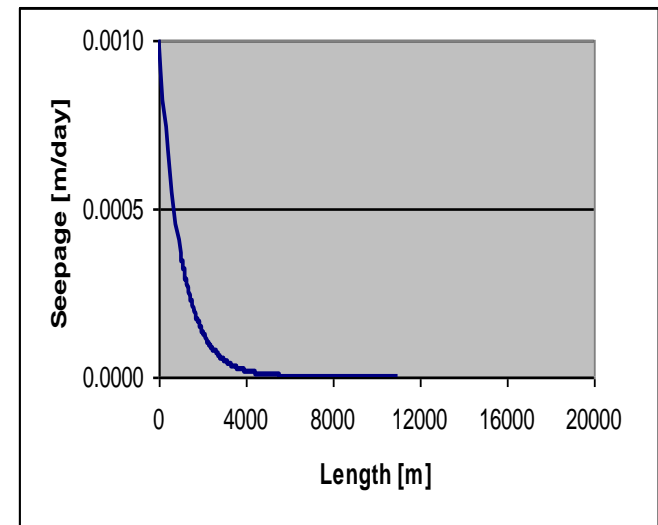
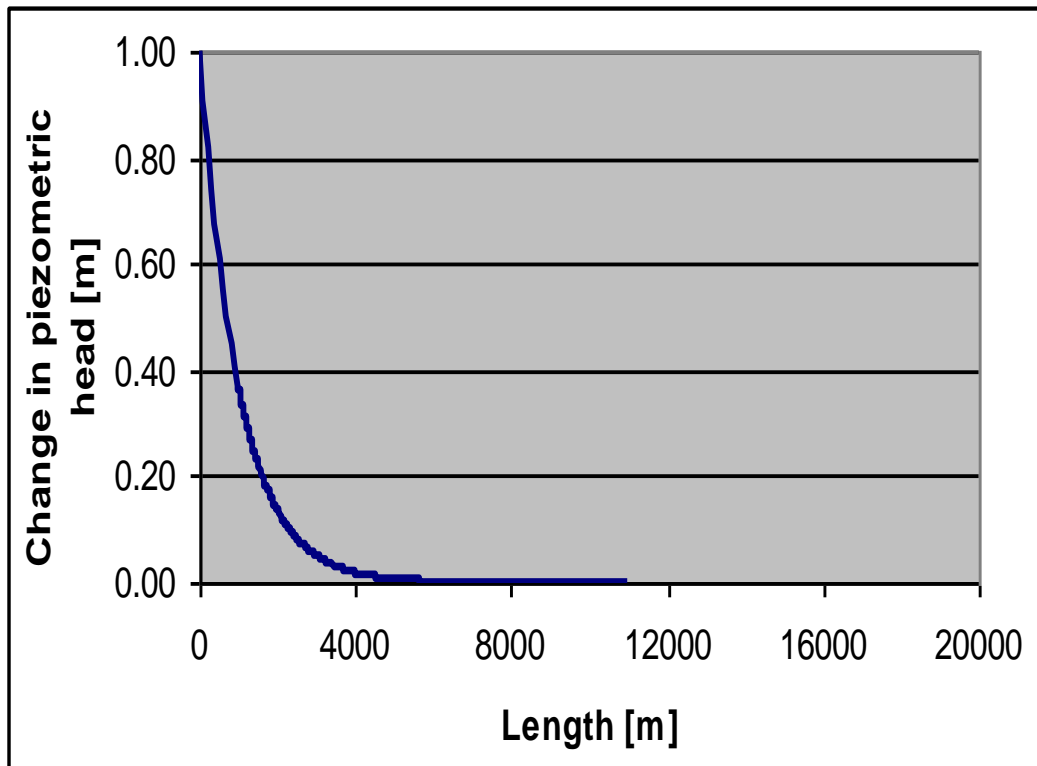
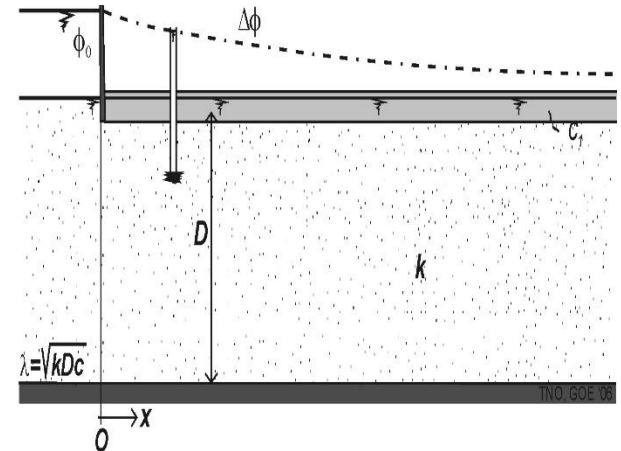
Effect of sea level rise:

Case 1 with Dutch subsoil parameters

$$kD = 1000 \text{ m}^2/\text{day}$$

$$c = 1000 \text{ day}$$

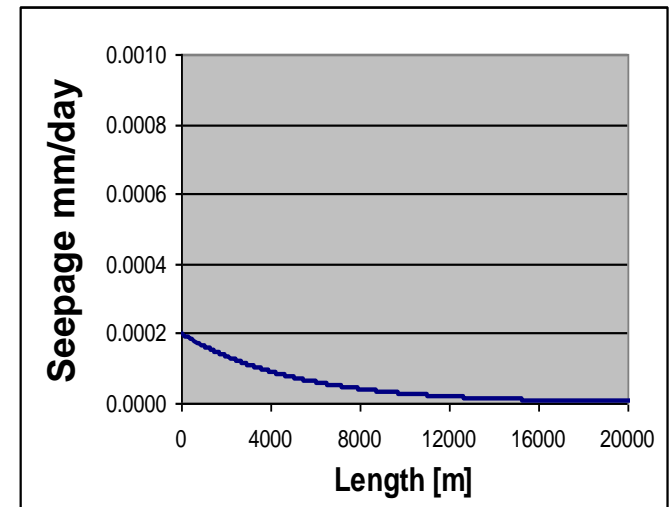
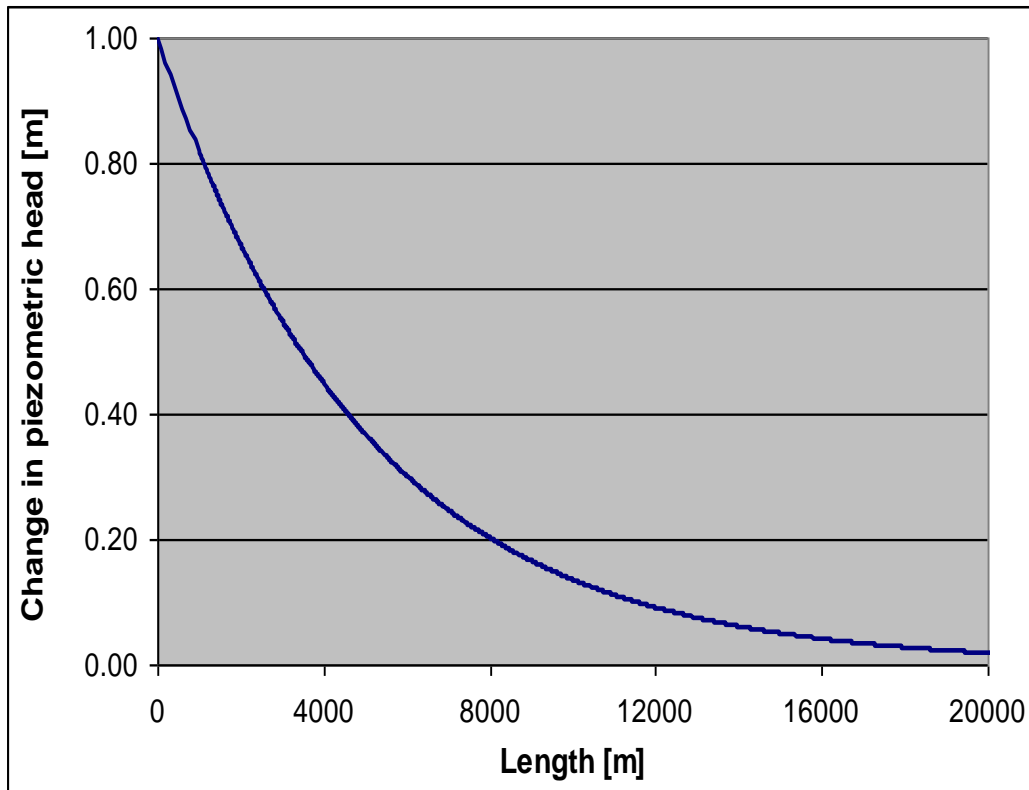
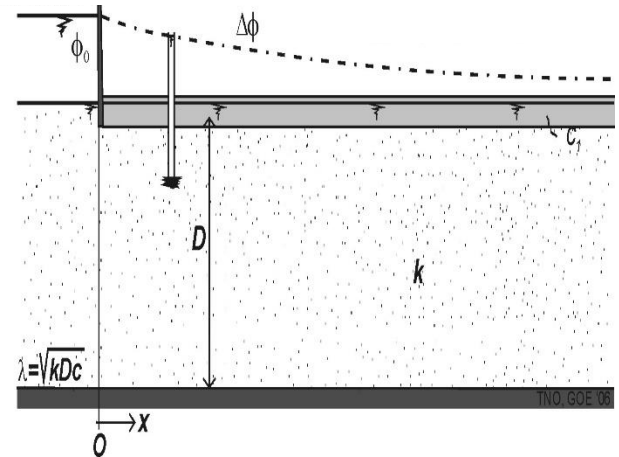
$$\lambda = 1000 \text{ m}$$



Effect of sea level rise:

Case 2 with Dutch subsoil parameters

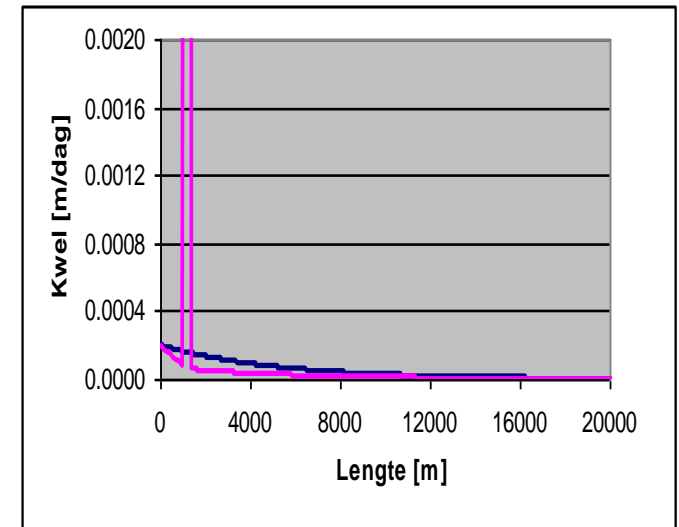
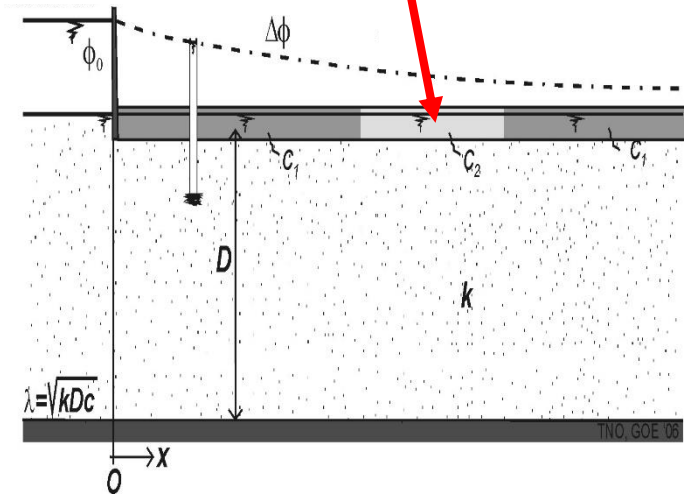
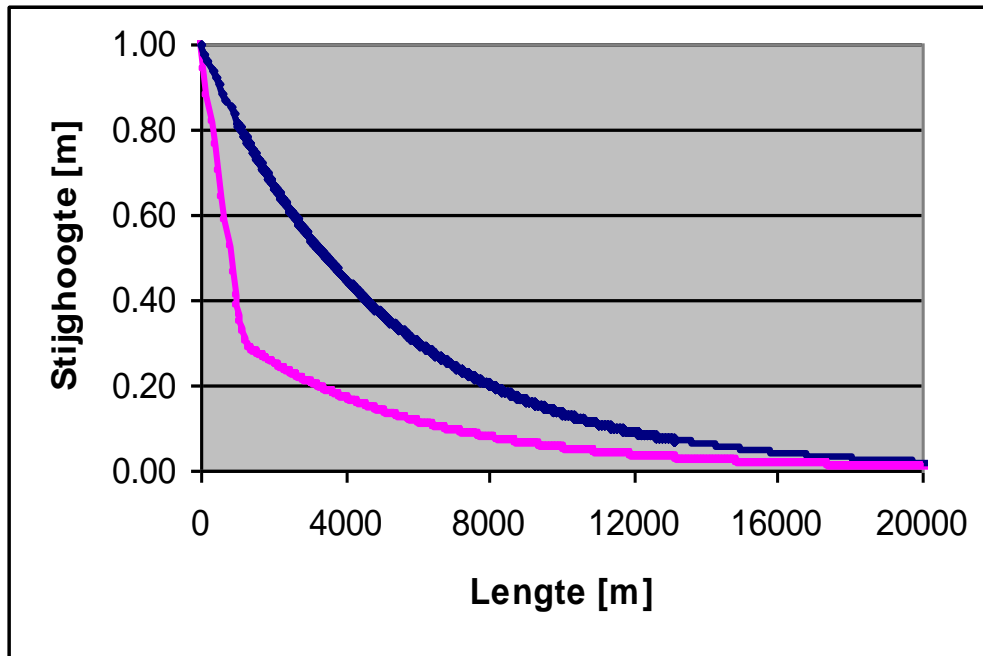
$kD = 5000 \text{ m}^2/\text{day}$
 $c = 5000 \text{ day}$
 $\lambda = 5000 \text{ m}$



Case 3 with Dutch subsoil parameters

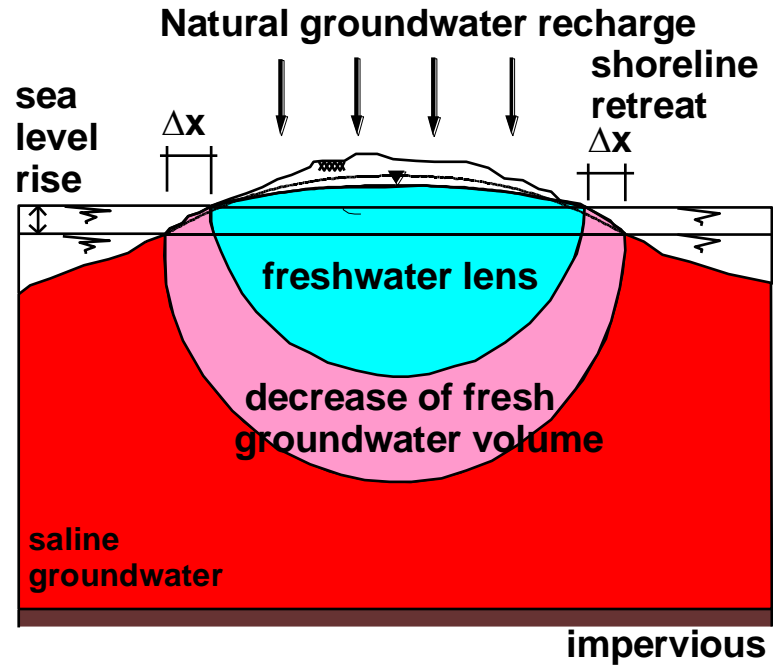
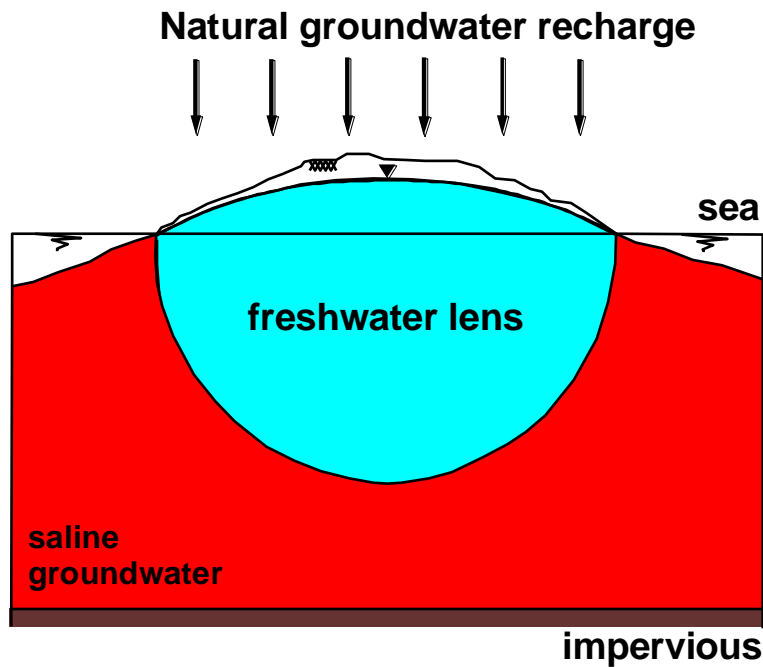
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$c_1 = 5000 \text{ dag}, \quad c_2 = 50 \text{ dag}$



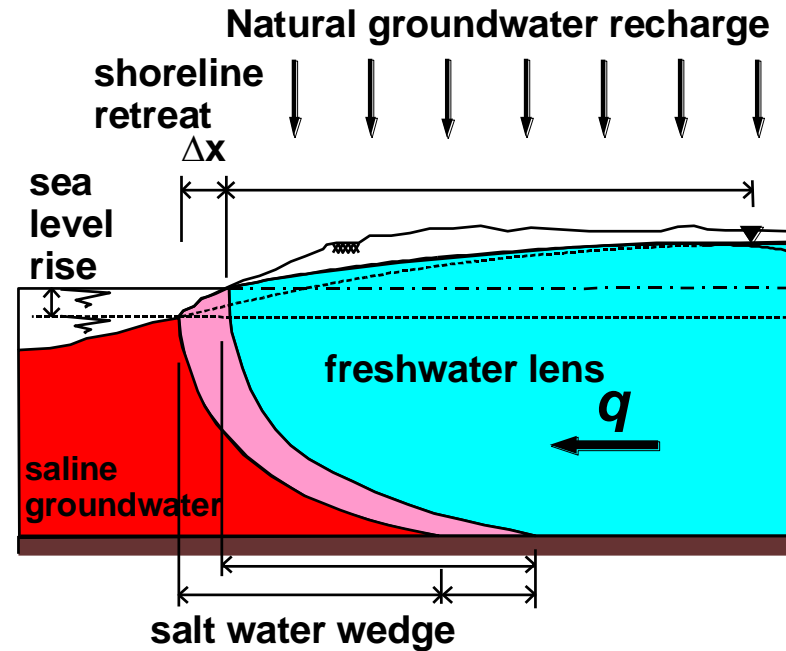
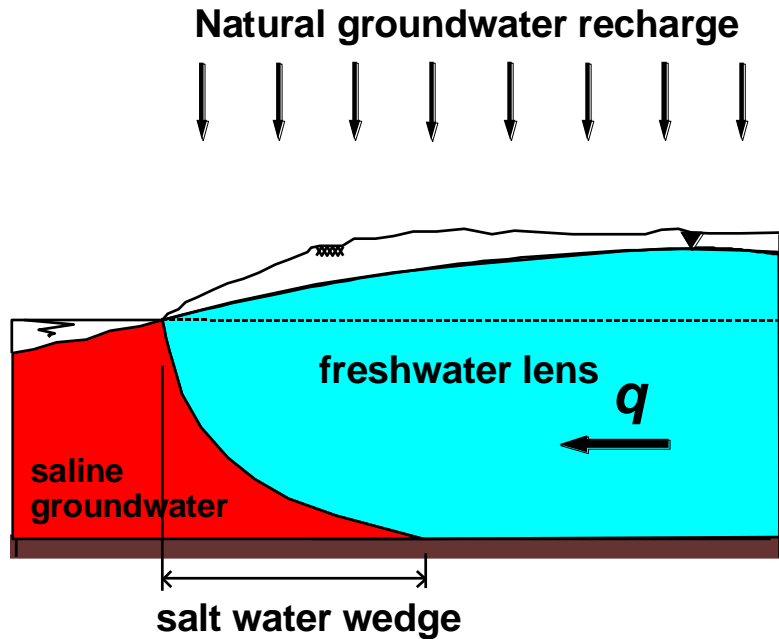
Effect of a relative sea level rise (1):

Deep aquifer



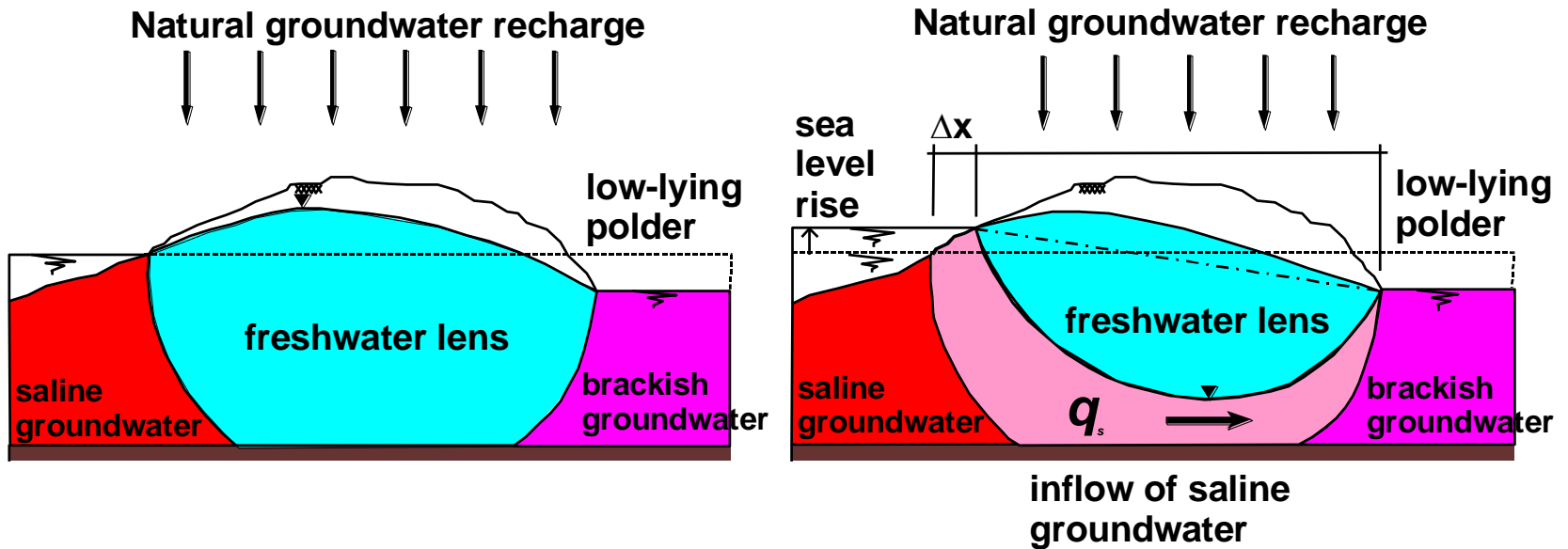
Effect of a relative sea level rise (2):

Shallow aquifer

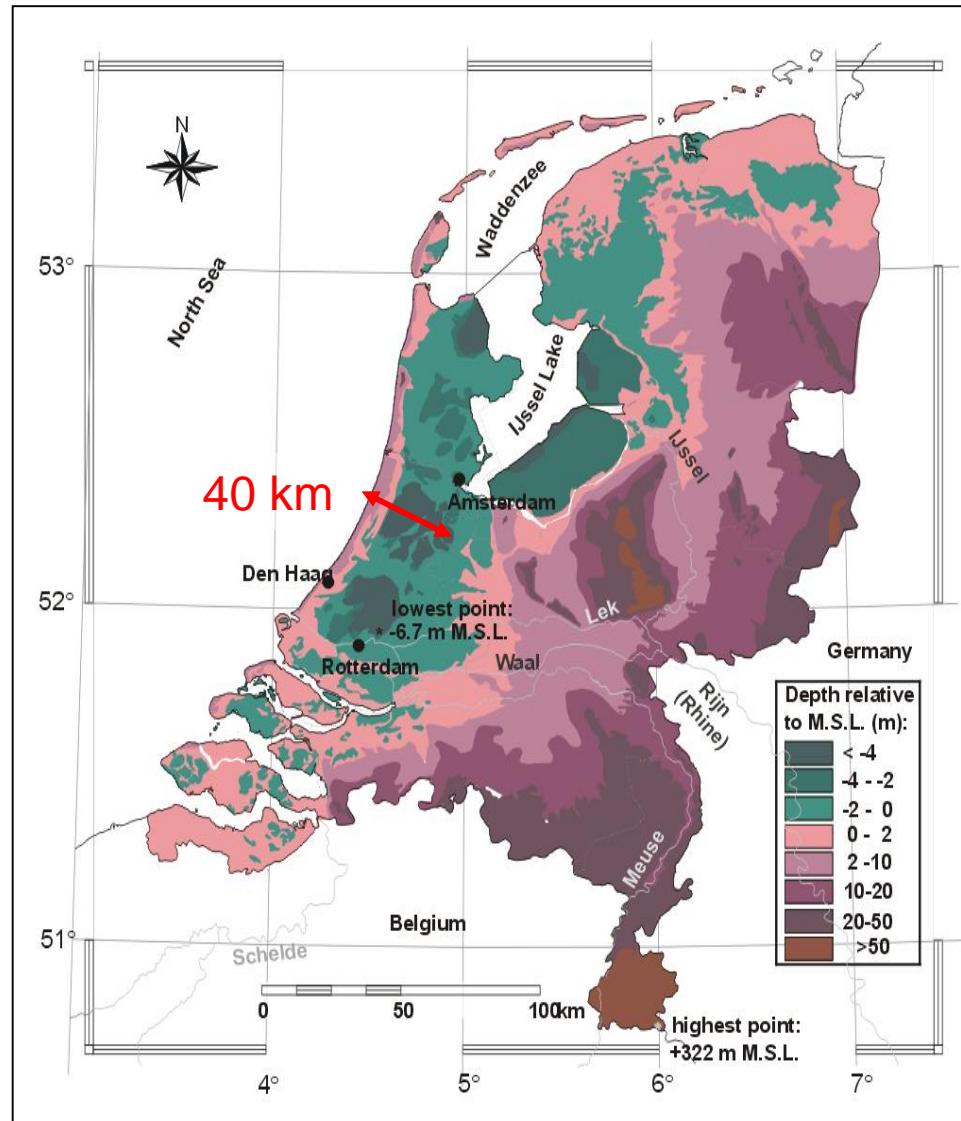


Effect of a relative sea level rise (3):

Shallow aquifer



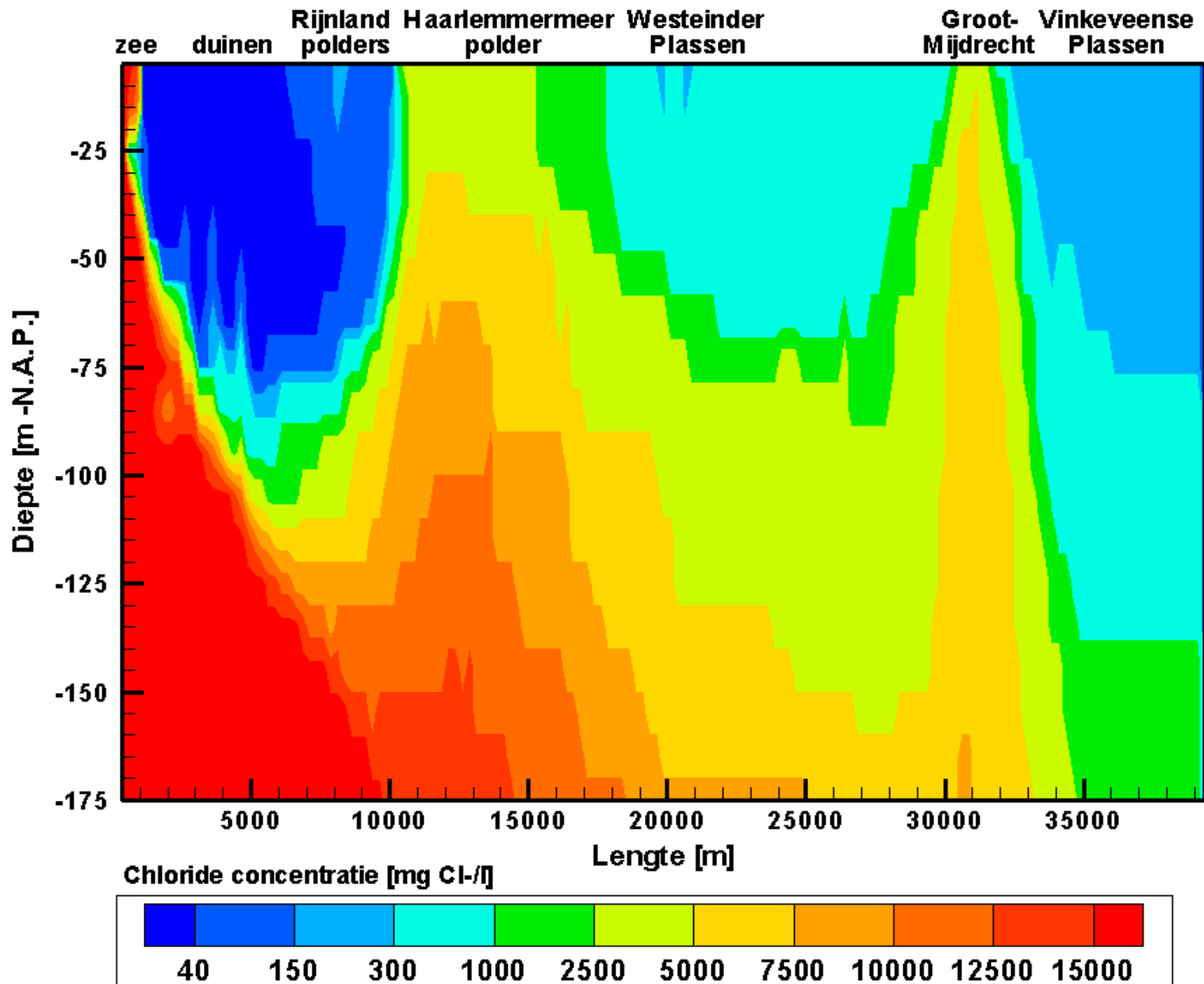
Effect sea level rise on groundwater salinity in a 2D profile



Verzilting van het regionale grondwater systeem door autonome processen

(geen zeespiegelstijging)

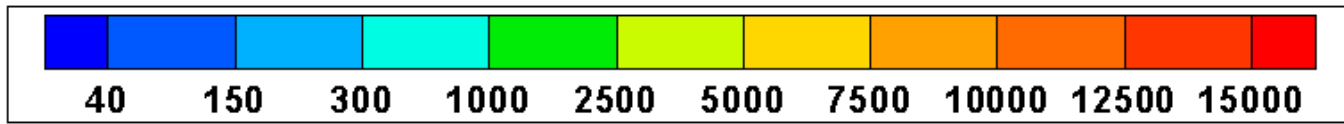
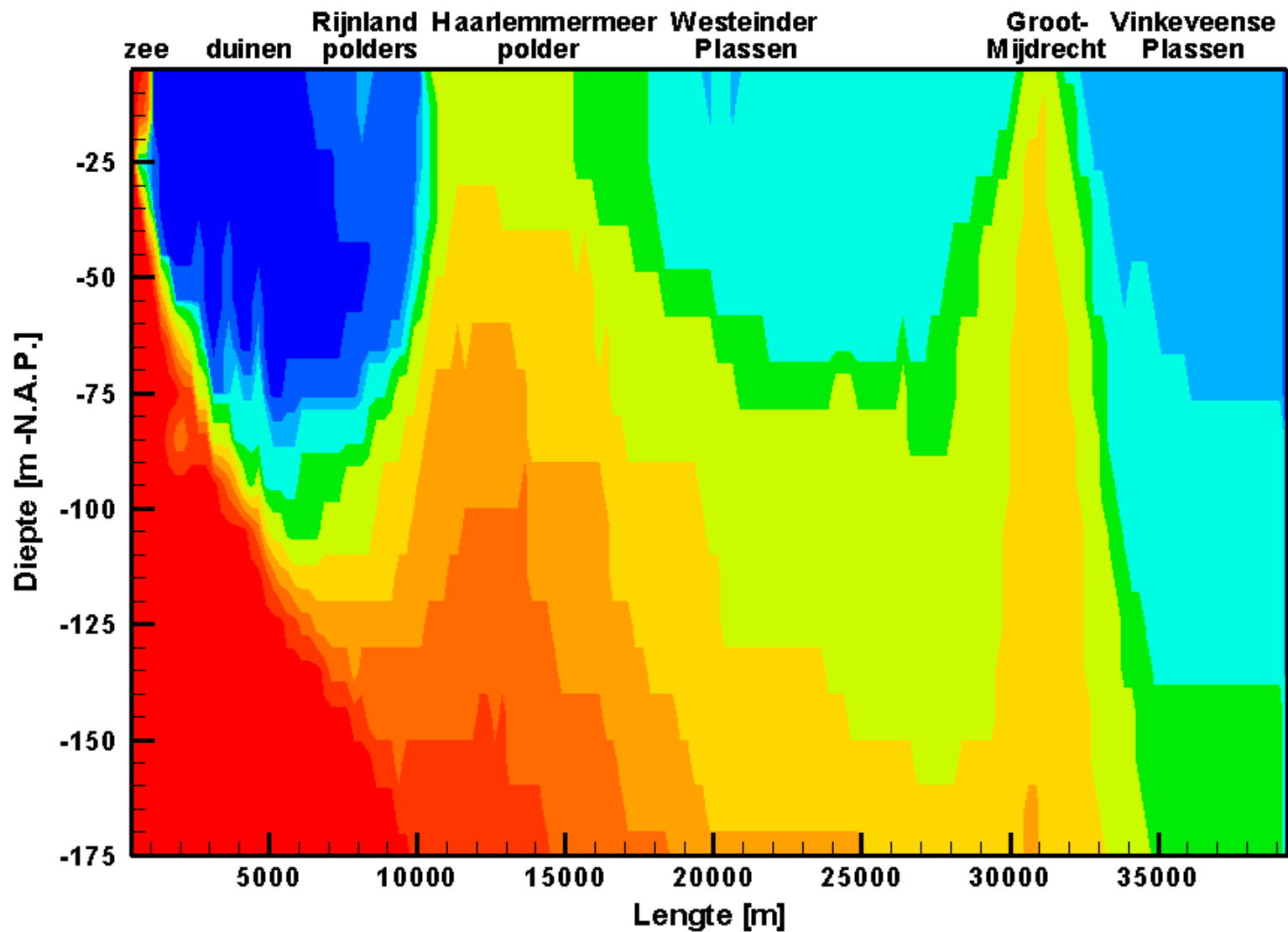
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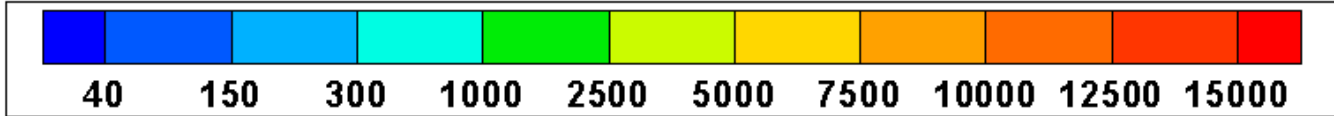
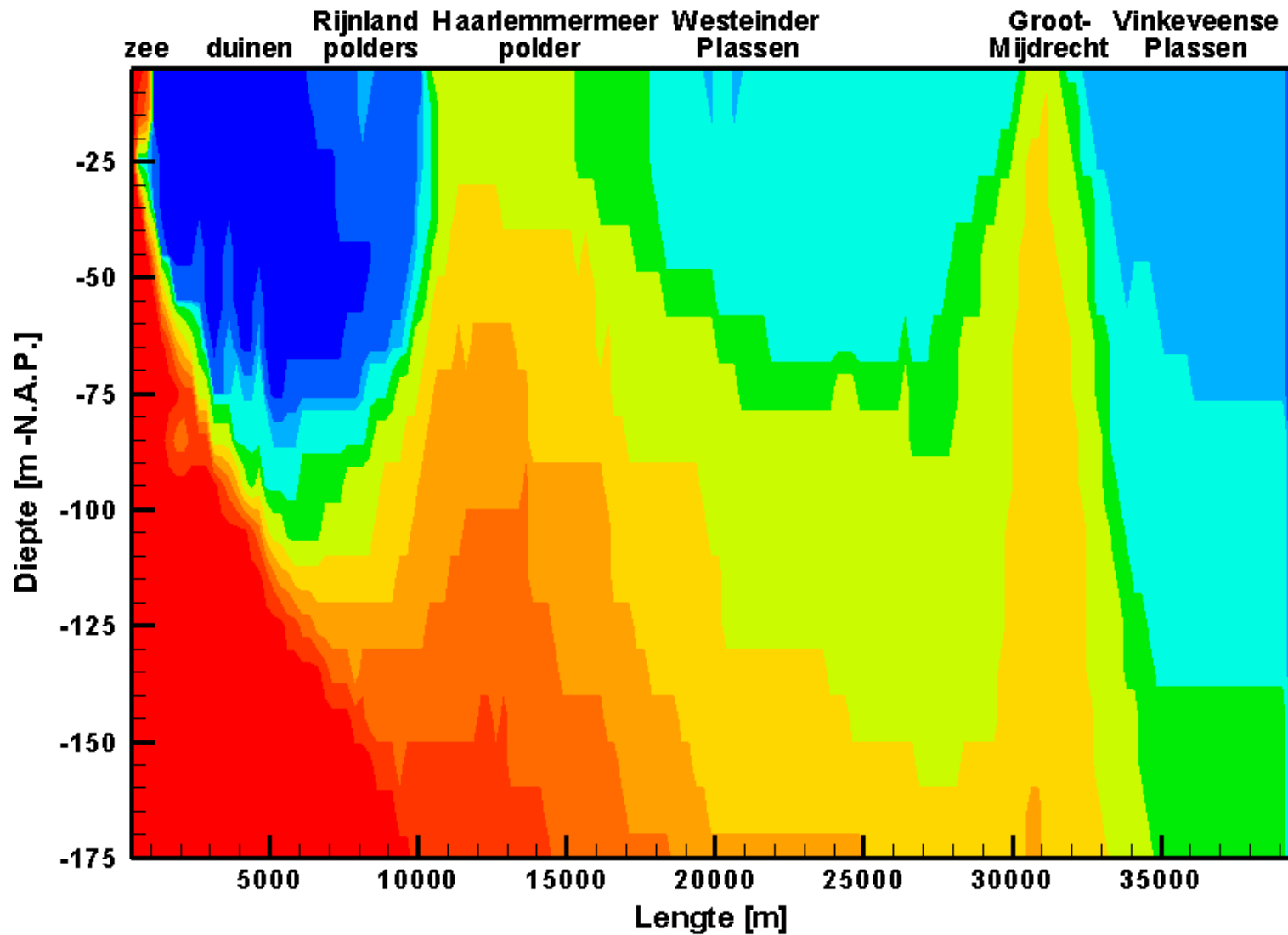
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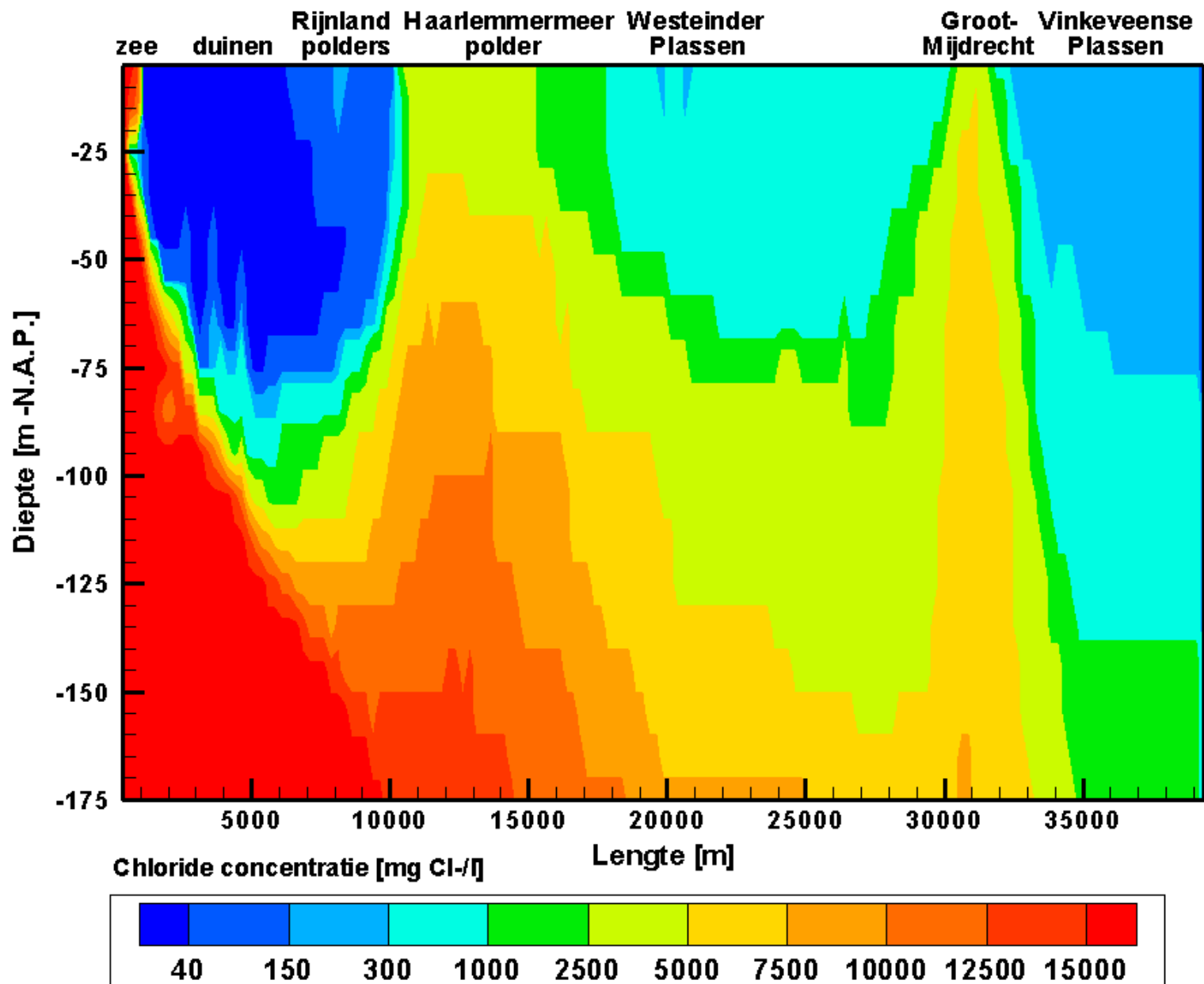
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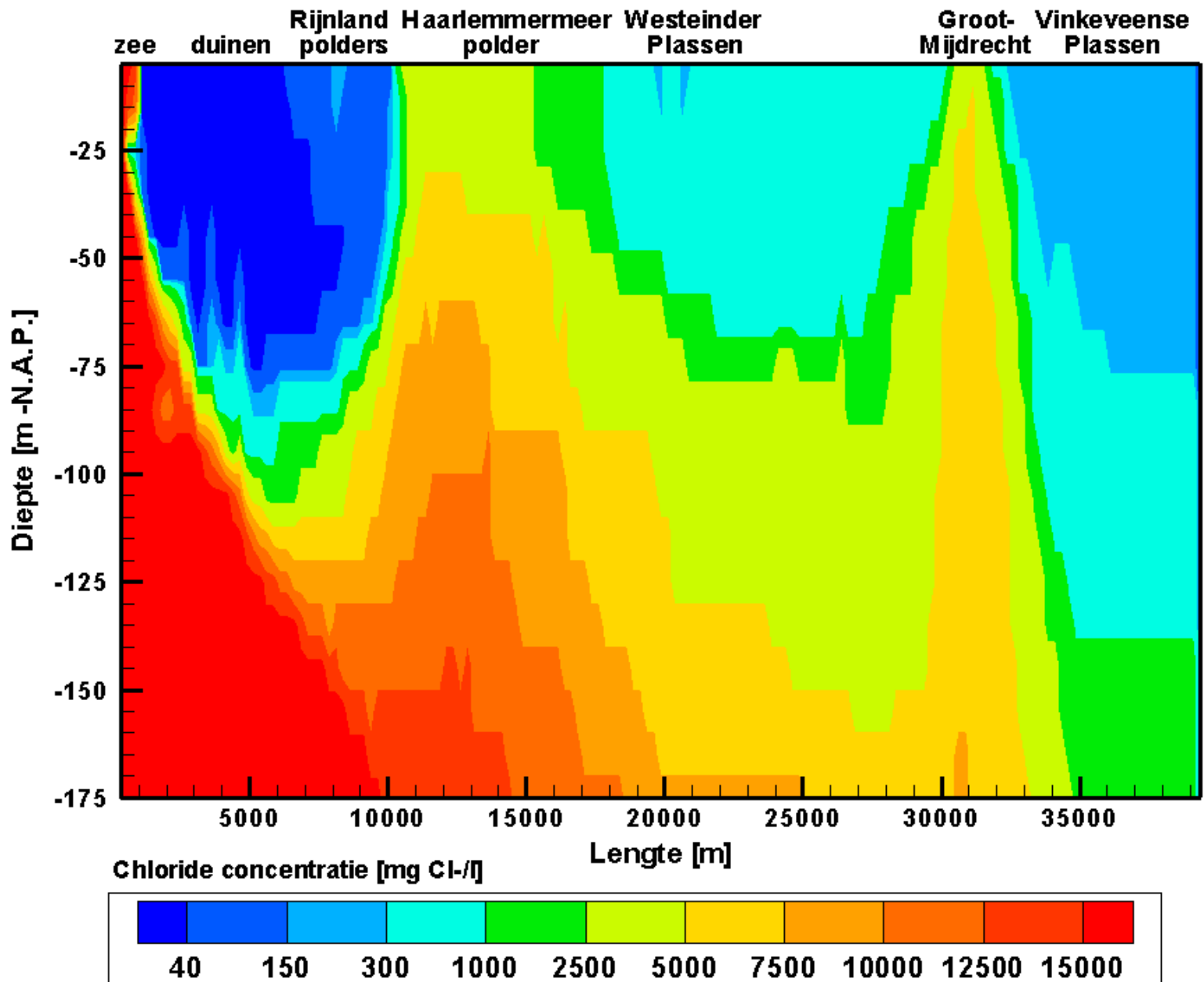
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Verzilting van het regionale grondwater systeem door autonome processen

(zeespiegelstijging=150 cm per eeuw)

Tijd= 1990 AD



Fresh-brackish-saline groundwater

Ions		[mg/L]
Negative ions	Cl^-	19000
	SO_4^{-2}	2700
	HCO_3^-	140
	Br^-	65
Total negative ions		21905
Positive ions	Na^+	10600
	Mg^{+2}	1270
	Ca^{+2}	400
	K^+	380
Total positive ions		12650
Total Dissolved Solids (TDS)		34555

Definition fresh-brackish-saline groundwater

Main type of groundwater	Chloride concentration [mg Cl ⁻ /L]
oligohaline	0 - 5
oligohaline-fresh	5 - 30
fresh	30 - 150
fresh-brackish	150 - 300
brackish	300 - 1000
brackish-saline	1000 - 10.000
saline	10.000 - 20.000
hyperhaline or brine	≥ 20.000

Type	[mS/cm]	[mg TDS/L]	Drinking- or irrigation water
Non-saline or fresh water	<0.7	<500	Drinking and irrigation water
Slightly saline	0.7 - 2	500-1.500	Irrigation water
Moderately saline	2 - 10	1.500-7.000	Primary drainage water and groundwater
Highly saline	10 - 25	7.000-15.000	Secondary drainage water and groundwater
Very highly saline	25 - 45	15.000-35.000	Seawater is about 35000 TDS mg/L
Brine	>45	>35.000	n.a.

Examples of equations of state

Knudsen (1902)

$$\rho_{(S,T)} = 1000 + 0.8054S - 0.0065(T - 4 + 0.2214S)^2$$

T < 15 °C, S < 20 ppt

Linear (concentration)

$$\rho_{(C)} = \rho_f \left[1 + \alpha \frac{C_i}{C_s} \right] \quad \text{where } \alpha = \text{relative density difference}$$

Linear (temperature)

$$\rho_{(T)} = \rho_f [1 - \beta(T - T')]$$

Exponential (temperature, pressure, salt)

$$\rho_{(T,p,\omega)} = \rho_f e^{-\alpha(T-T_0) + \beta(p-p_0) + \gamma\omega}$$

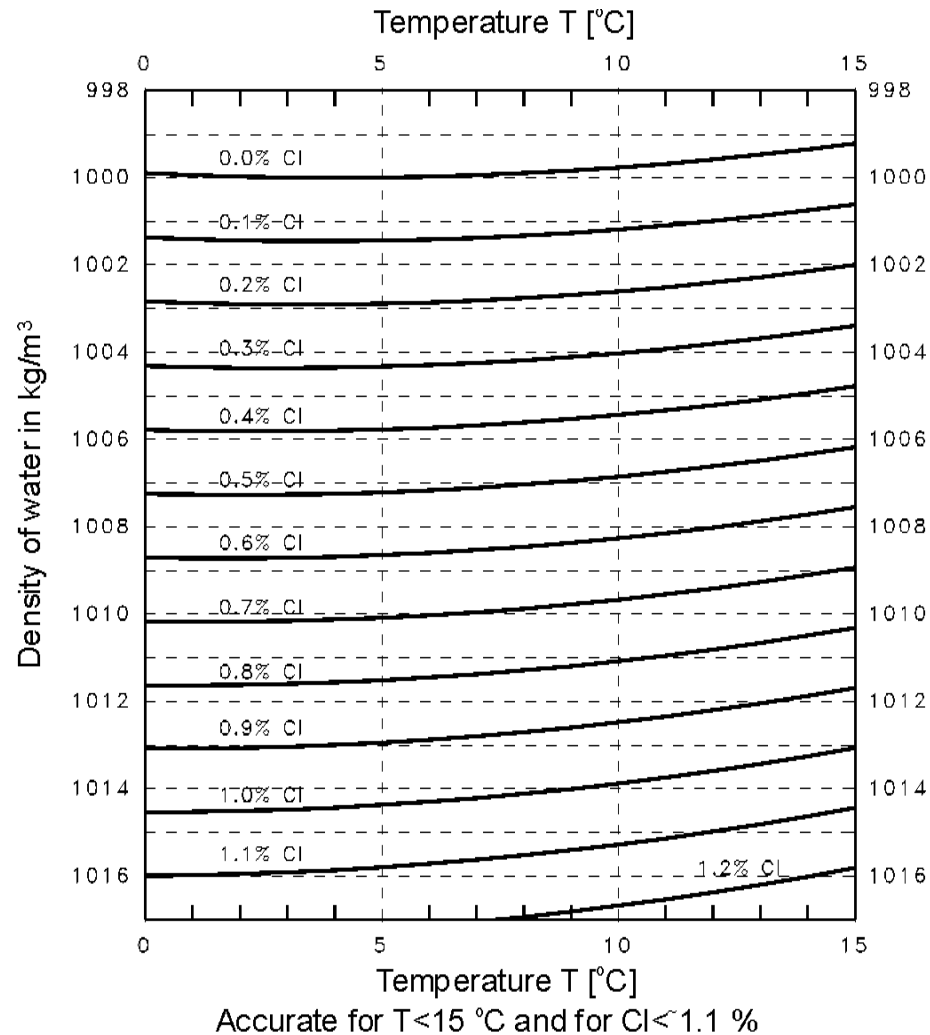
Equation of state (SEAWAT)

$$\rho_{i,j,k} = \rho_f + \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial C} C_{i,j,k}$$

e.g.:

1. conc=35 TDS g/l: DRHODC=0.7143
2. conc=19000 mg Cl⁻/l: DRHODC=0.001316
(as 1025=1000+0.001316*19000)
3. conc=1: DRHODC=25 (example practicals)

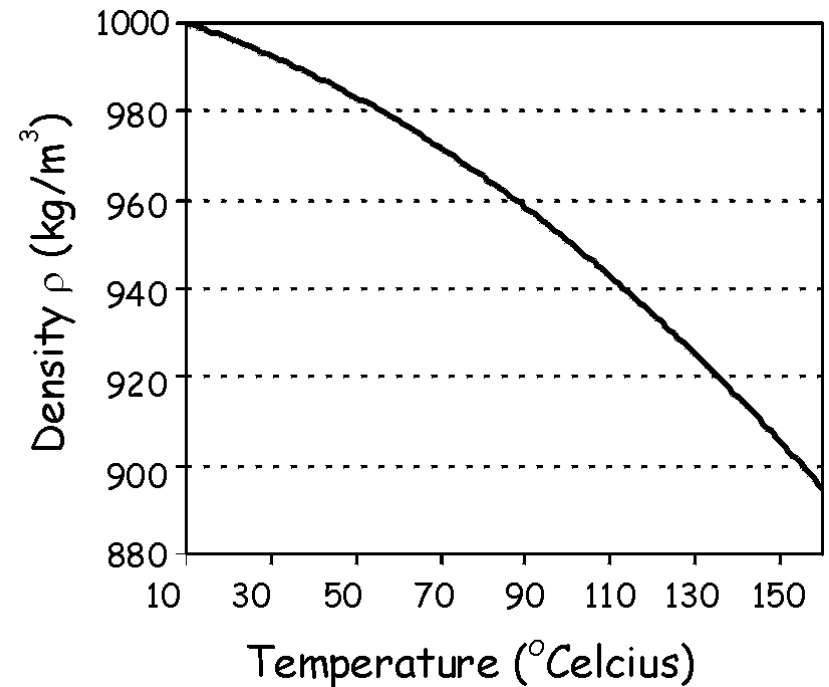
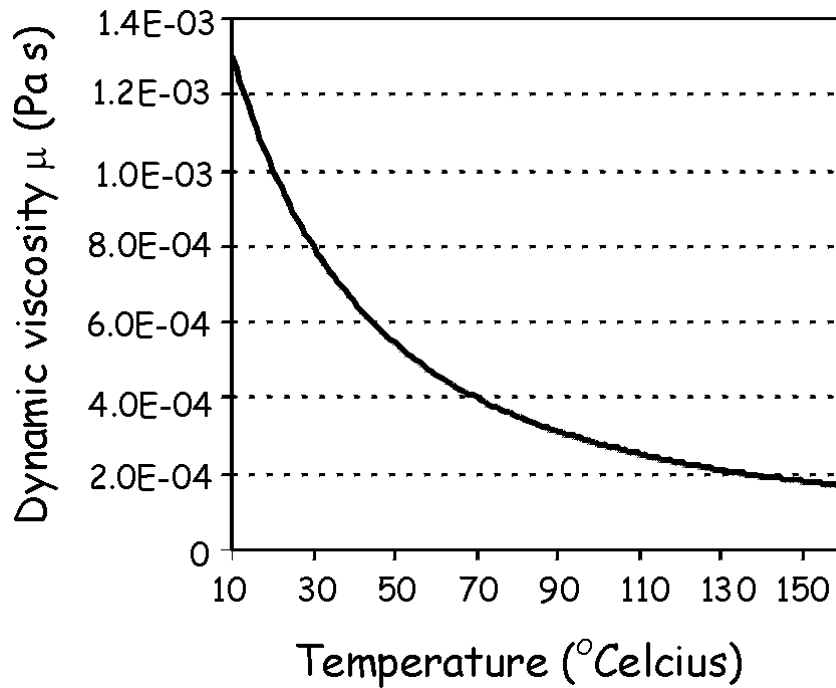
Density depends on salinity and temperature



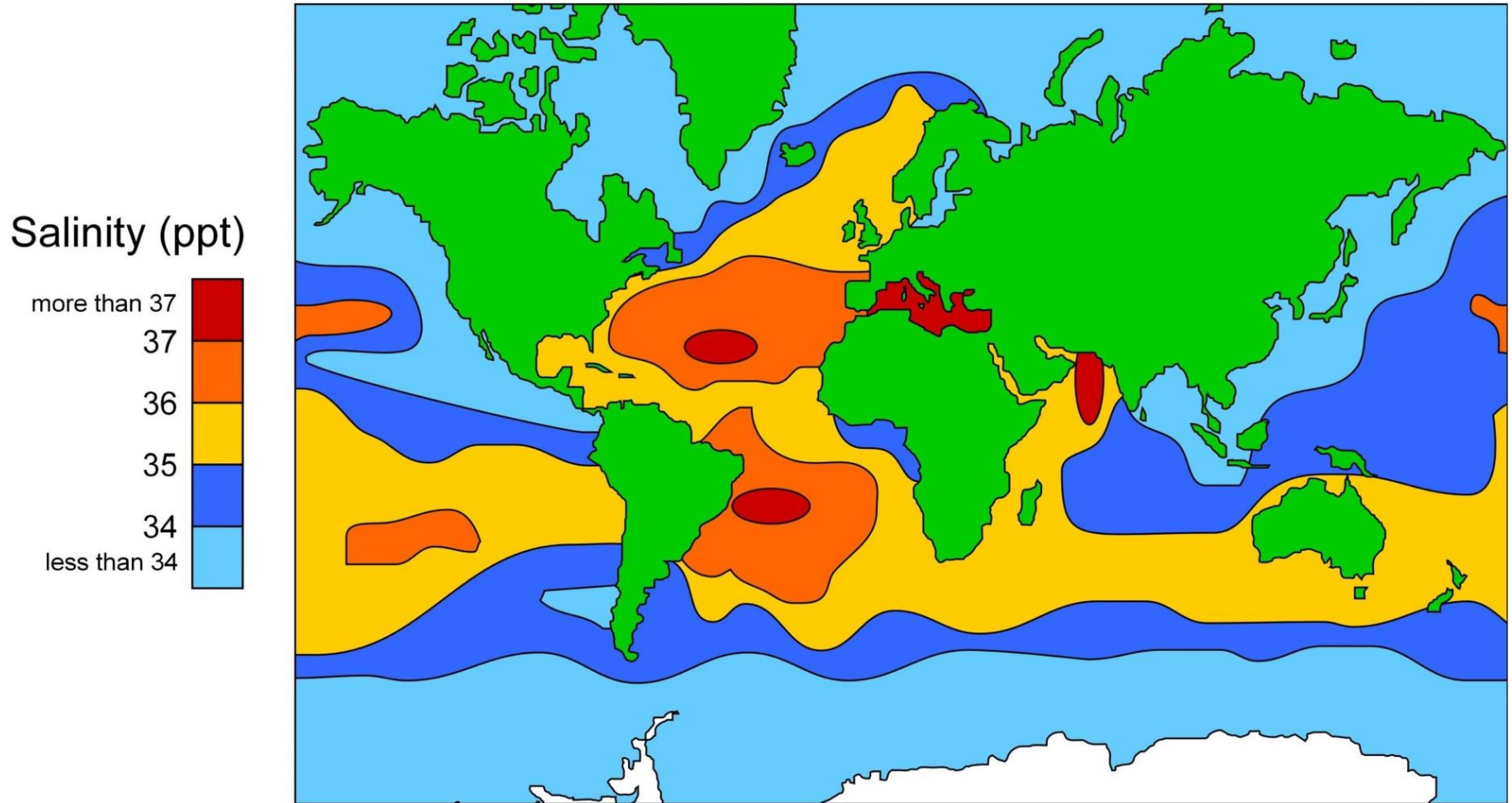
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Density and viscosity depend on temperature

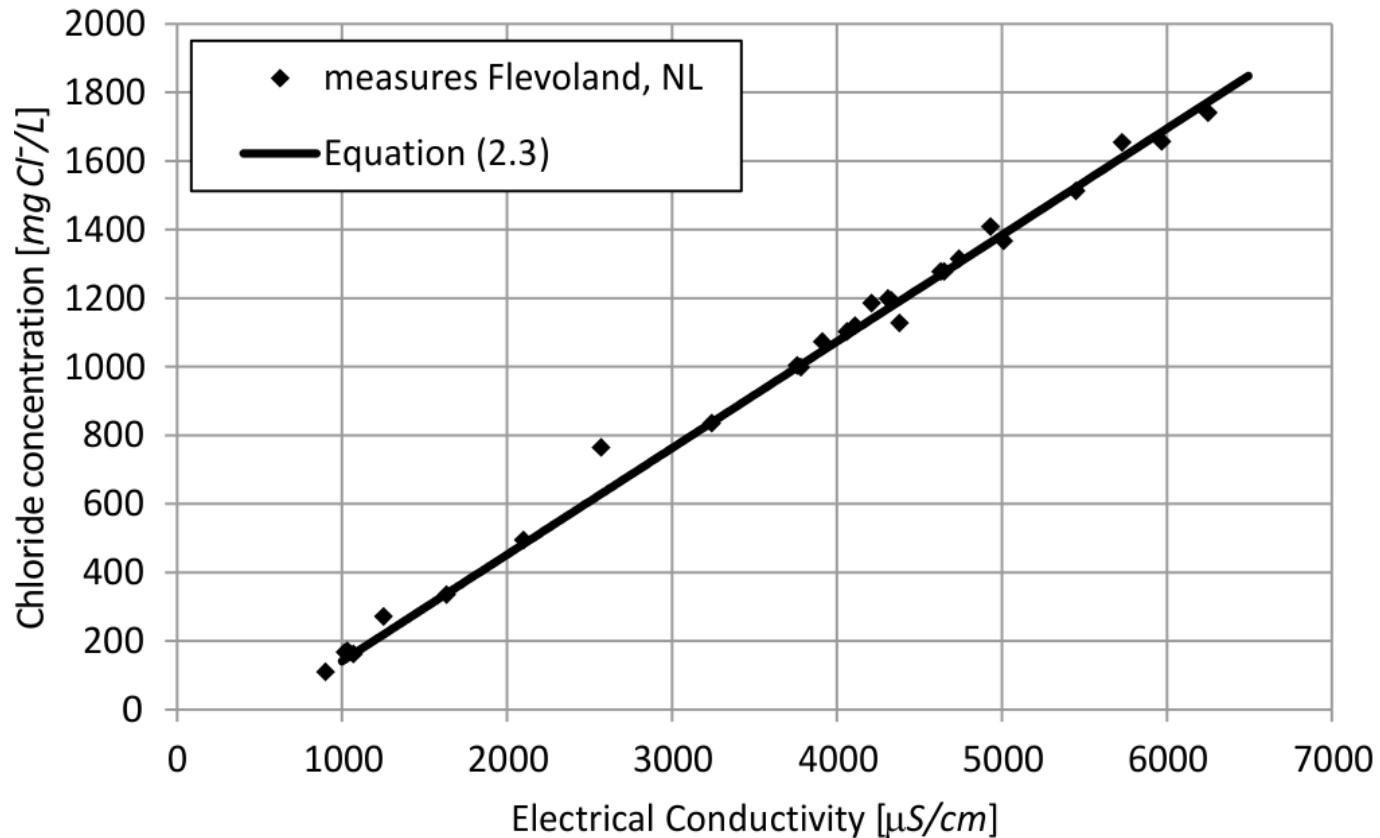
(10°C-160 °C)



Salinity in ocean waters



Close relation between chloride concentration and Electrical Conductivity



$$Cl^{-} (mg / L) = EC_w (\mu S / cm) \cdot 0.305 - 137$$

Close relation between chloride concentration and Electrical Conductivity

$$10^6 \mu S/cm = 10^3 mS/cm = 1 S/cm$$

$$1 \mu S/cm = 100 \mu S/m$$

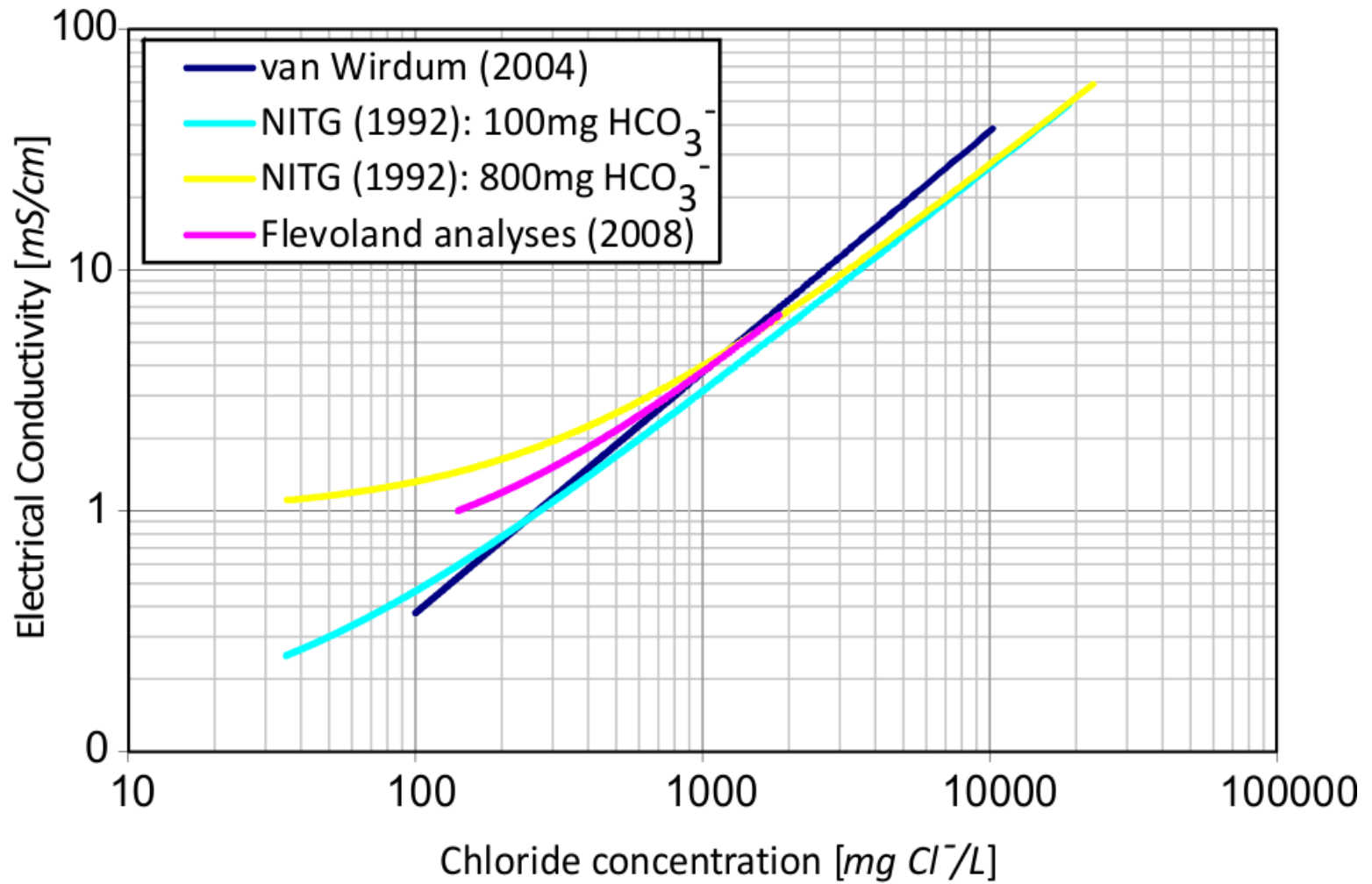
ocean water:

$\sim 19000 \text{ mg Cl}^-/\text{L}$ or $\sim 34555 \text{ mg TDS/L}$

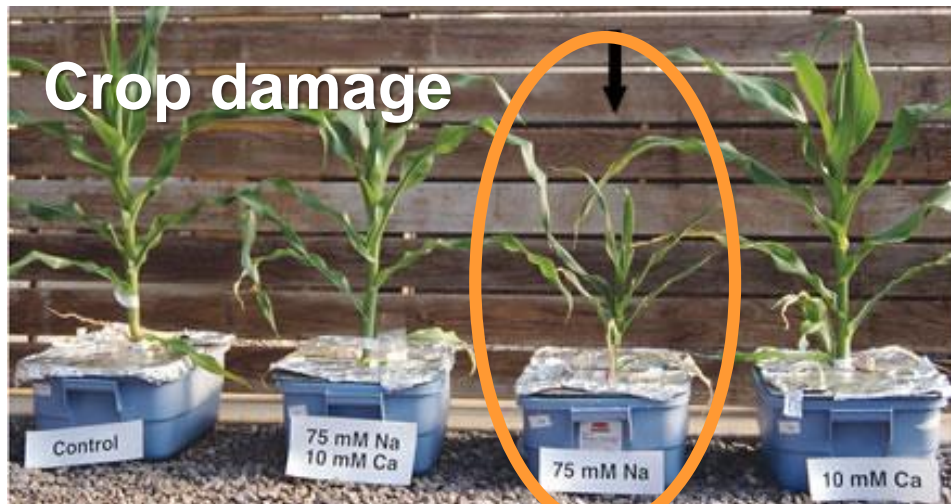
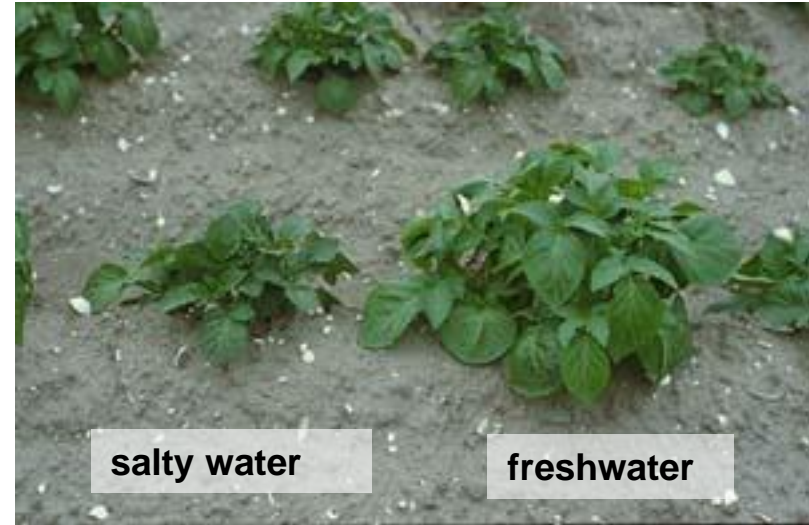
$\sim 5 \text{ S/m}$ or $\sim 48 \text{ mS/cm}$

the ratio Cl^- over TDS equal to ~ 0.554 , under stable
normal seawater environments

EC versus Chloride



Salt in water is a problem



Saline groundwater threats for:

- drinking water supply in dunes:
 - upconing of saline groundwater
 - decrease of fresh groundwater resources
 - recharge areas reduction
- agriculture:
 - salt damage to crops: salt load and seepage
- water management low-lying areas:
 - flushing water channels
- ecology

Salt in water is a problem for different water management sectors:

-drinking water:

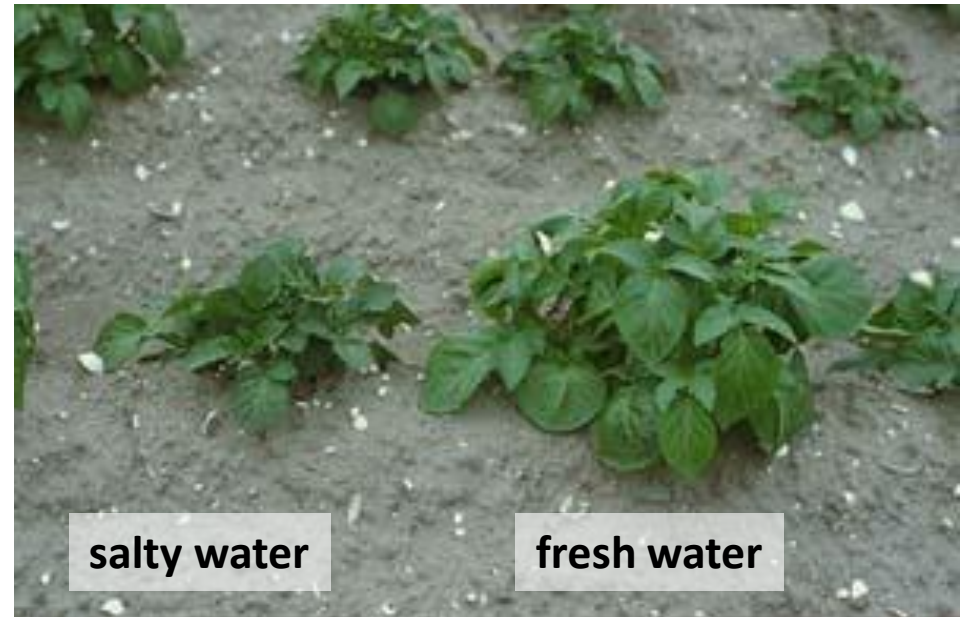
- taste (100-300 mg Cl⁻/l)
- long term health effect
- norm: EC& WHO=150 mg Cl⁻/l (live stock=1500 mg Cl⁻/l)

-industry:

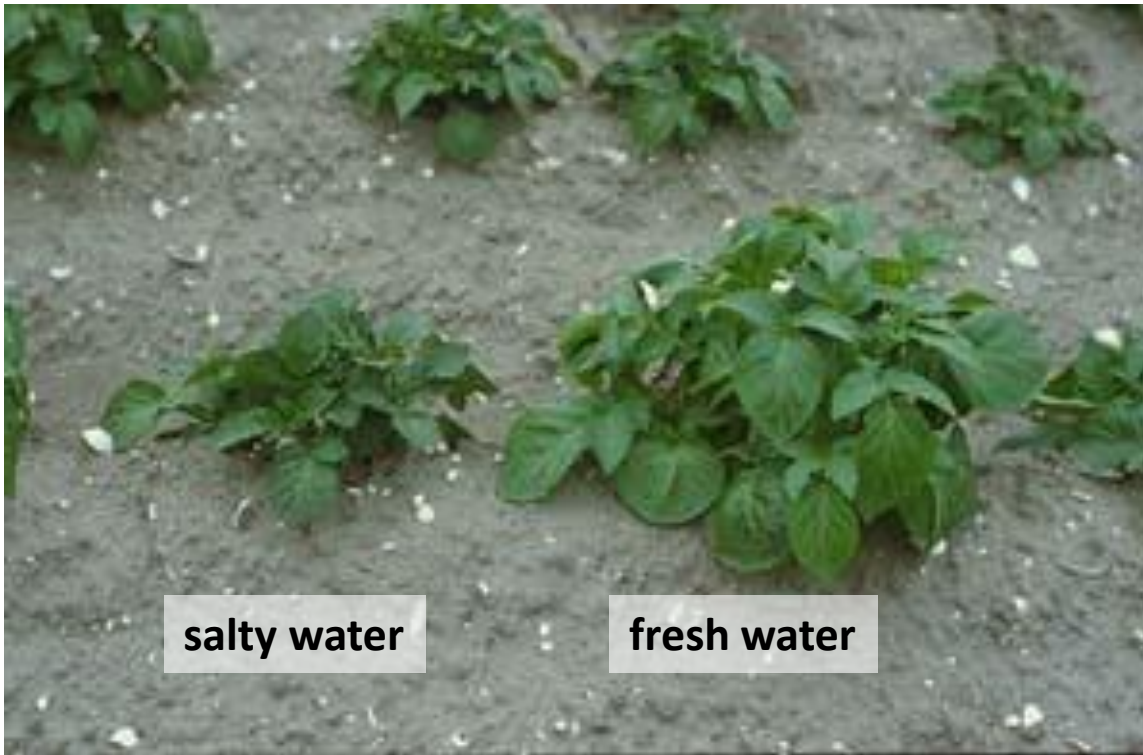
- corrosion pipes
- preparation food

-irrigation/agriculture:

- production crops
- salt damage

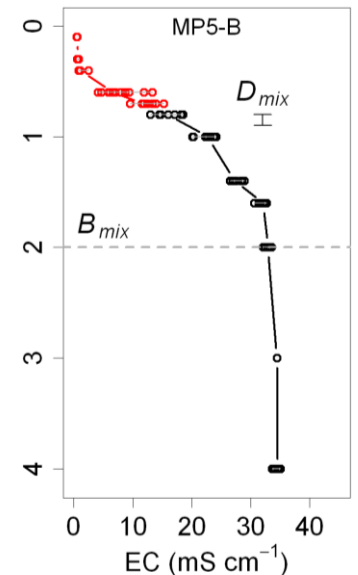
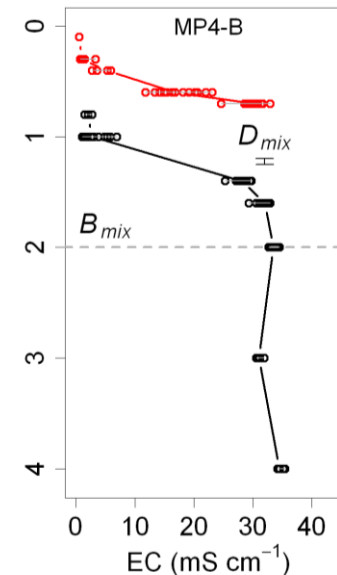
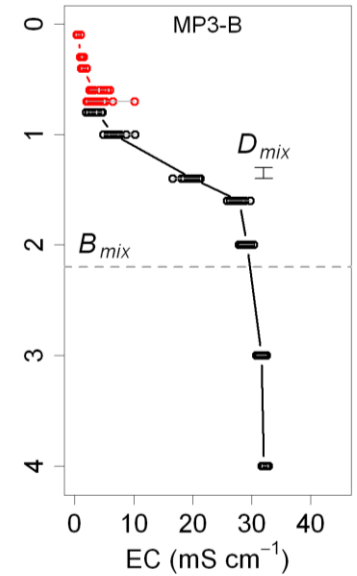
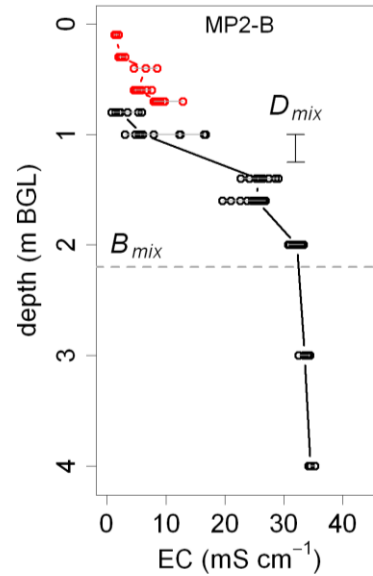
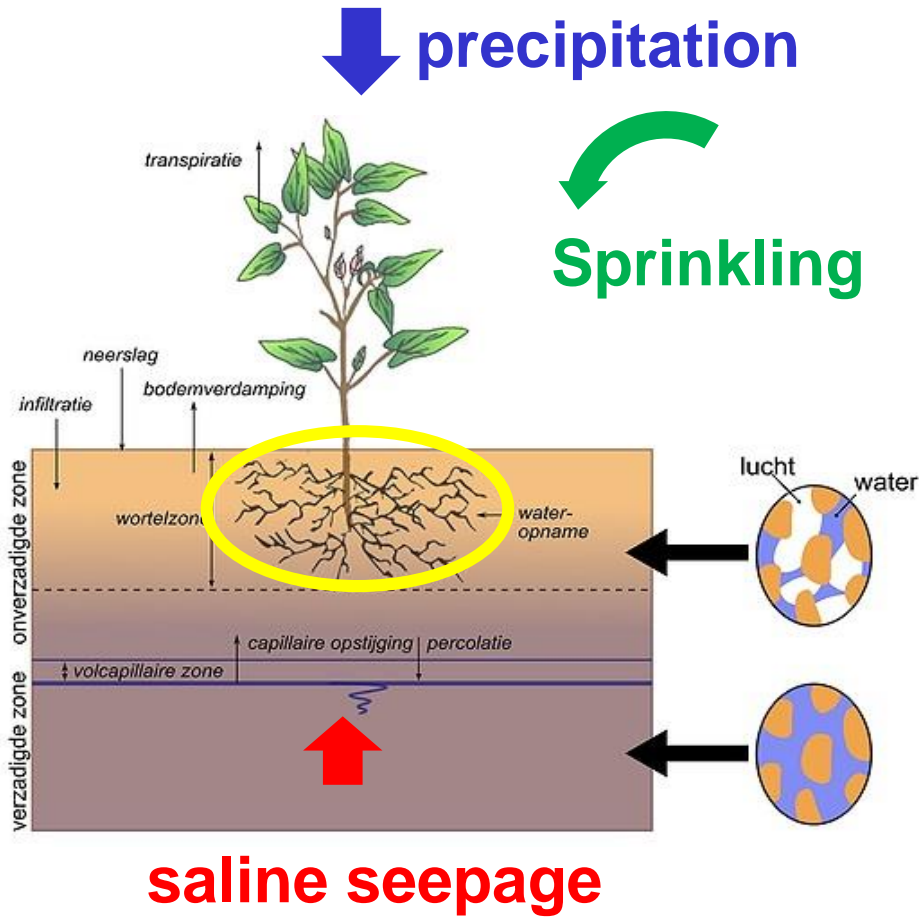


Effects salinisation: salt damage



Source: Proefstation voor de Akkerbouw en Groenteteelt, Lelystad

Salt-resistant crops



Salt damage to crops

Important parameters:

- Chloride concentration in the root zone
- land use
- sensitivity crops

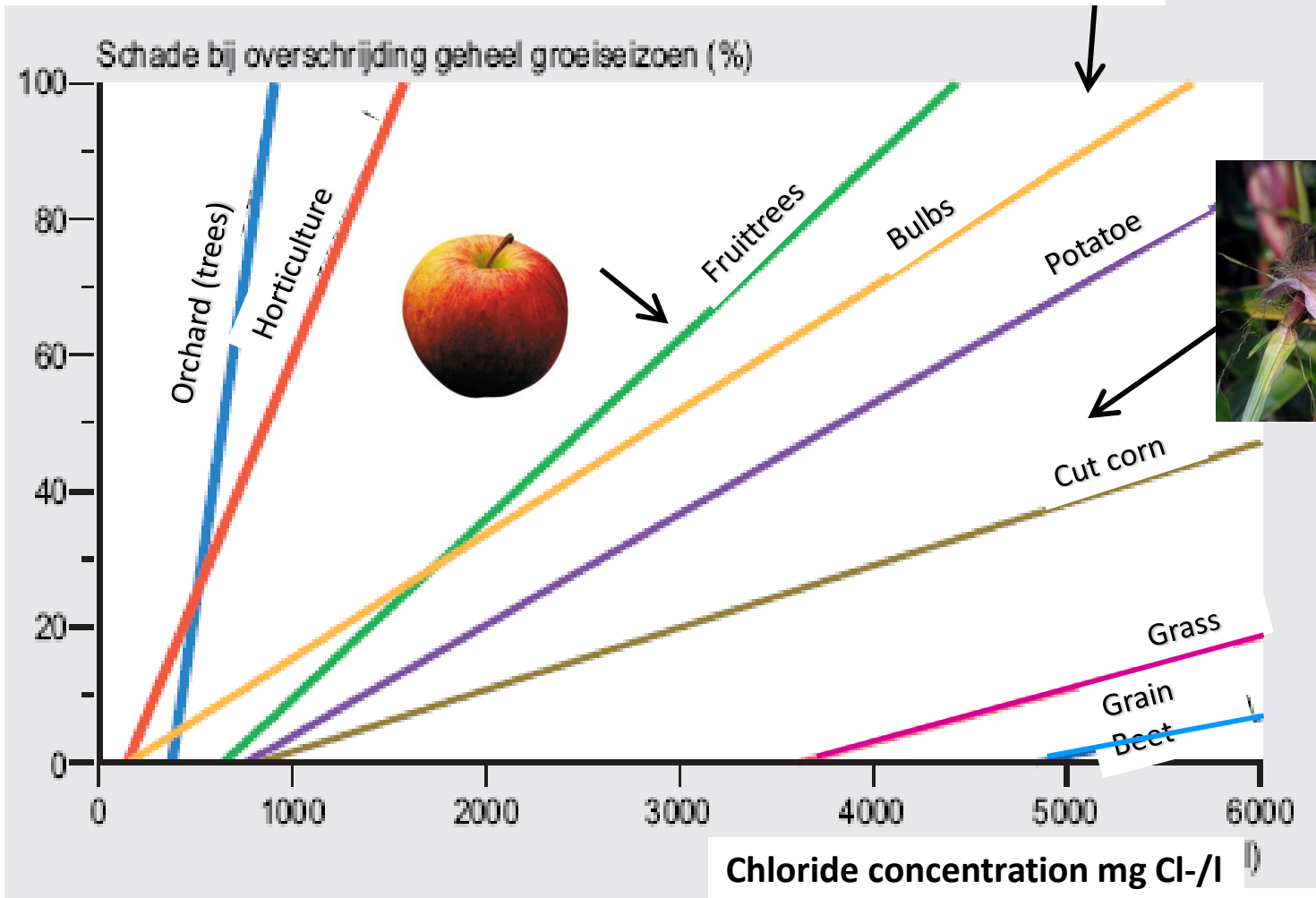
Land use	Threshold value root zone (mg Cl⁻/l)	Gradient root zone (-)
Grass	3606	0.0078
Potatoes	756	0.0163
Beet	4831	0.0057
Grains	4831	0.0058
Horticulture	1337	0.0141
Orchard (trees)	642	0.0264
Bulb	153	0.0182

Source: Roest et al., 2003 en Haskoning

Salt damage to crops



Relation between salt concentration and damage to crops



Source: MNP, 2005

	Soil moisture		Irrigation water	
	Limi	Gradient	Limit	Gradient
Crop	mg/l Cl	%/mg/l Cl	mg/l Cl	%/mg/l Cl
Potatoe	756	0.0163	202	0.0610
Grass	3606	0.0078	962	0.0294
Sugar beat	4831	0.0057	1288	0.0212
Cut Corn	815	0.0091	217	0.0343
Grains	4831	0.0058	1288	0.0218
Fruit trees	642	0.0264	171	0.0991
Orchard (trees)	378	0.1890	101	0.7086
Vegetables	917	0.0158	245	0.0591
Horticulture	1337	0.0141	356	0.0527
Bulbs	153	0.0182	41	0.0683

Question:

Demand fresh water per capita per day?:

- a. 10 litre/day
- b. 25 litre/day
- c. 100 litre/day
- d. 200 litre/day



**2500 litres of water
for 1 cotton shirt**



The water footprint of products

global averages

1 kg wheat	1 m³ water
1 kg rice	3 m³ water
1 kg milk	1 m³ water
1 kg cheese	5 m³ water
1 kg pork	5 m³ water
1 kg beef	15 m³ water





**40 litres of water
for 1 slice of bread**



**1500 litres of water
per kg refined sugar**



**2400 litres of water
for 1 hamburger**



= 140 litres of water



**10 litres of water
for 1 sheet of A4-paper**

Groundwater salinization in the Netherlands

The Netherlands: low-lying lands

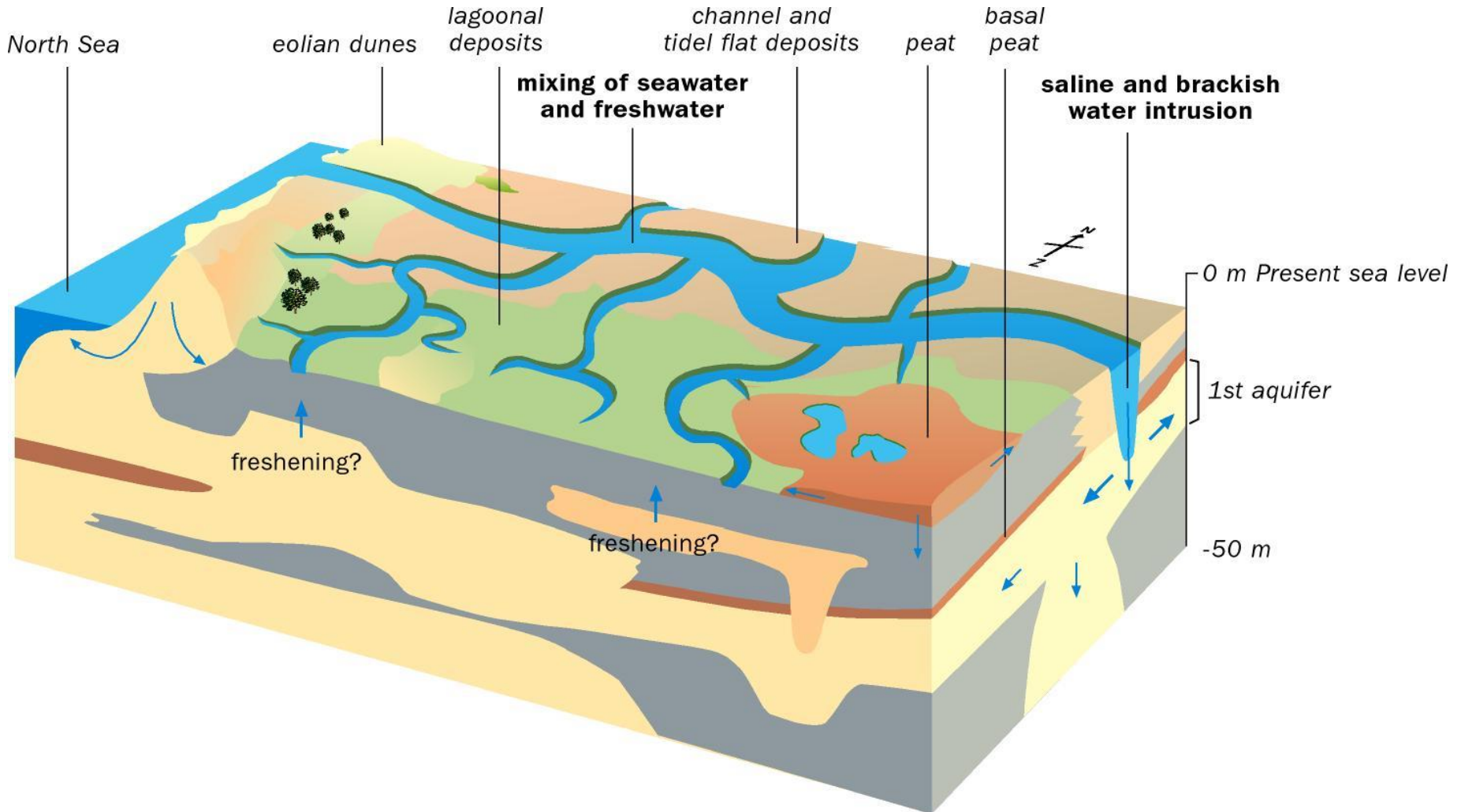
Sea level rise: +2 m

Europe N. America S. America

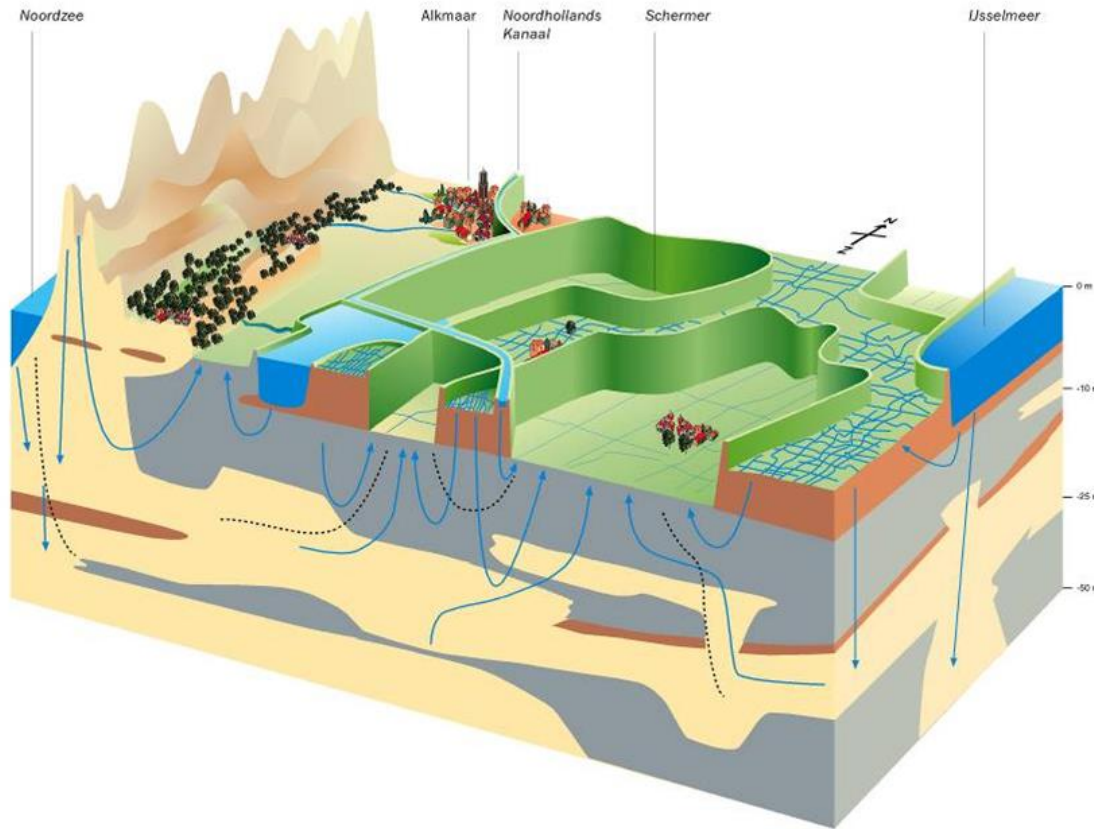
<http://flood.firetree.net>



The Netherlands in the past, before human influences (~4000 BC)



The current coastal groundwater system in the Netherlands



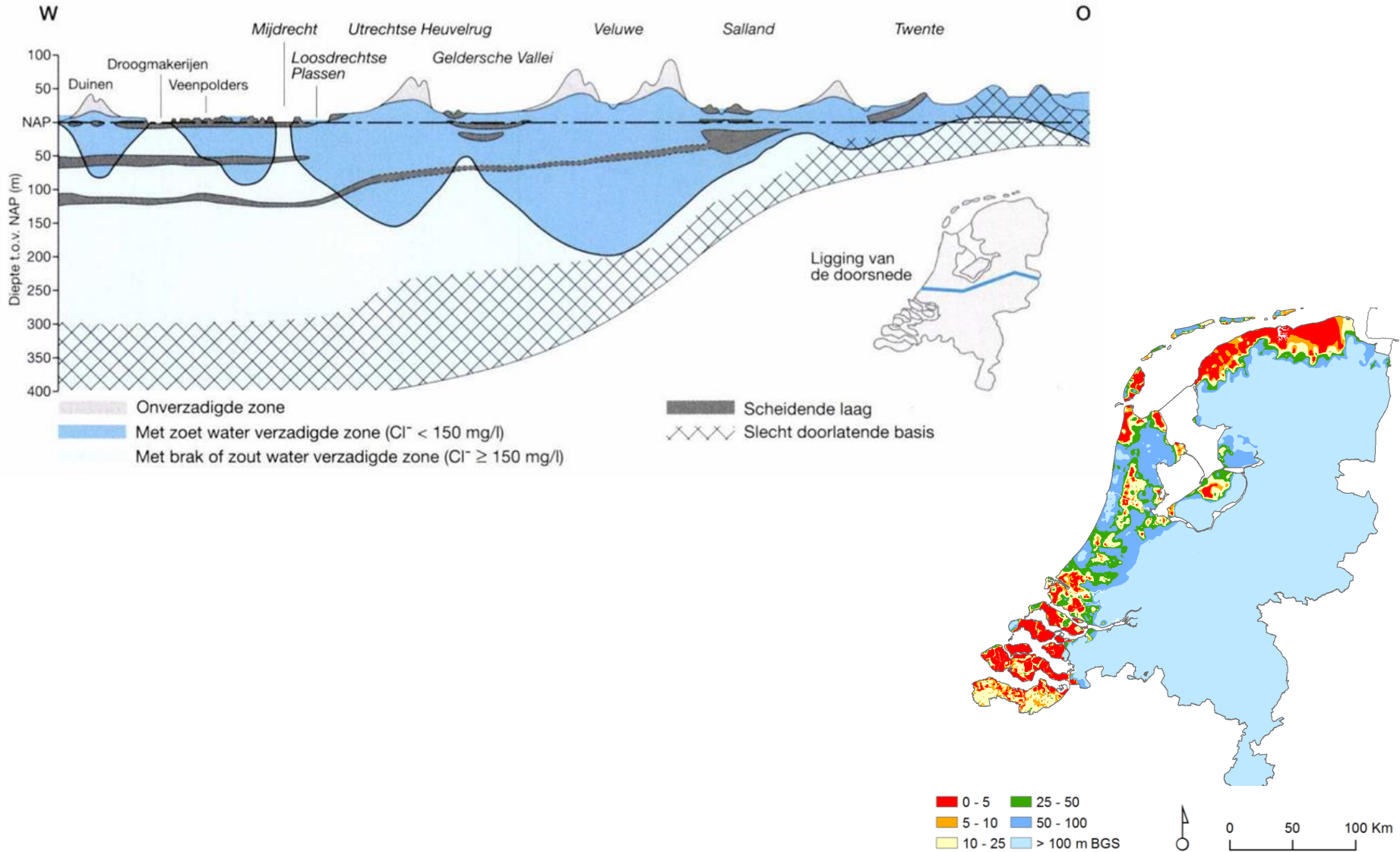
Level reductions in the past have caused groundwater flows inland

History (palaeohydrogeology) important: groundwater flow is a slow process

The past still influences the distribution of fresh-brackish-salt groundwater

Fresh-salt distribution can vary greatly over a short distance

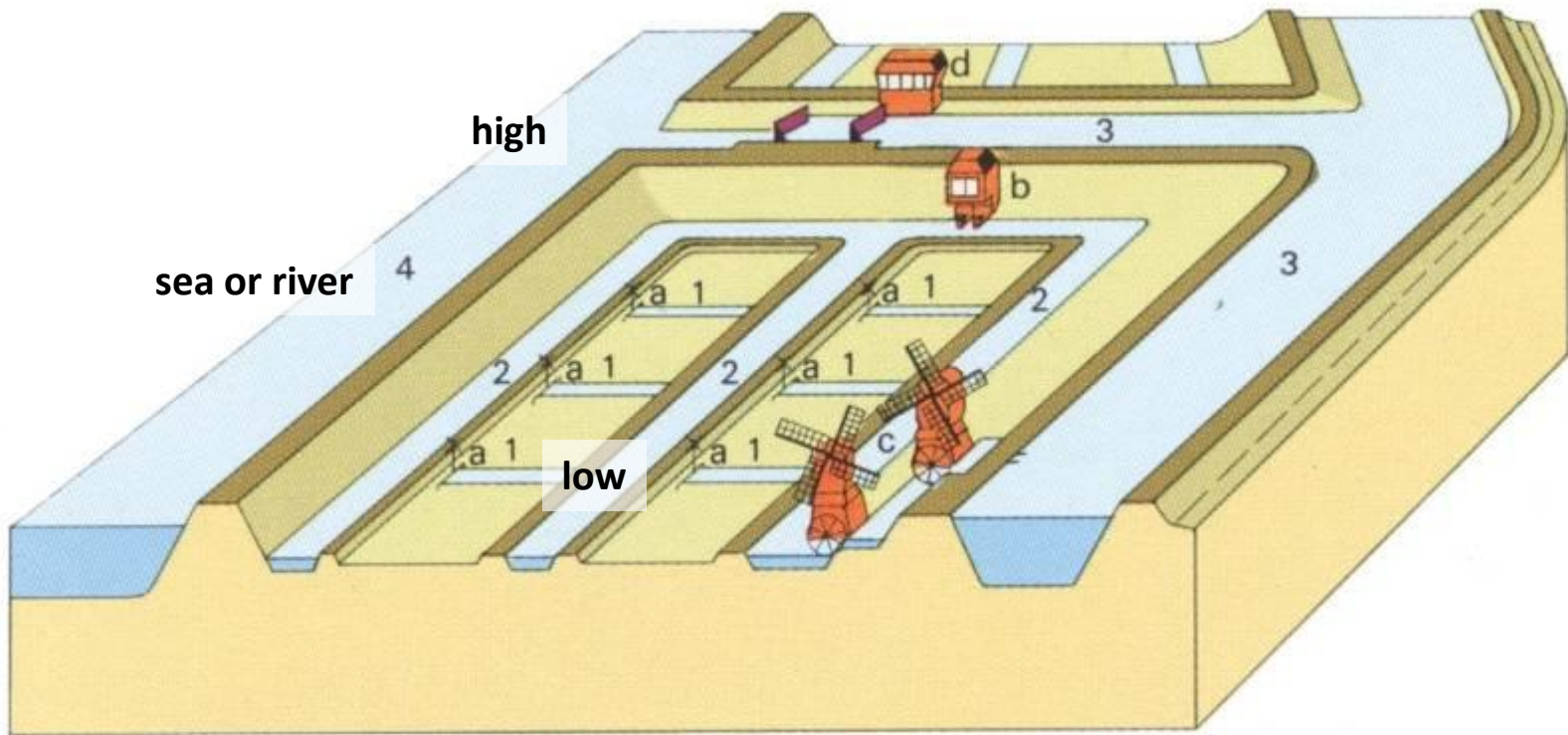
Saline groundwater in the Netherlands



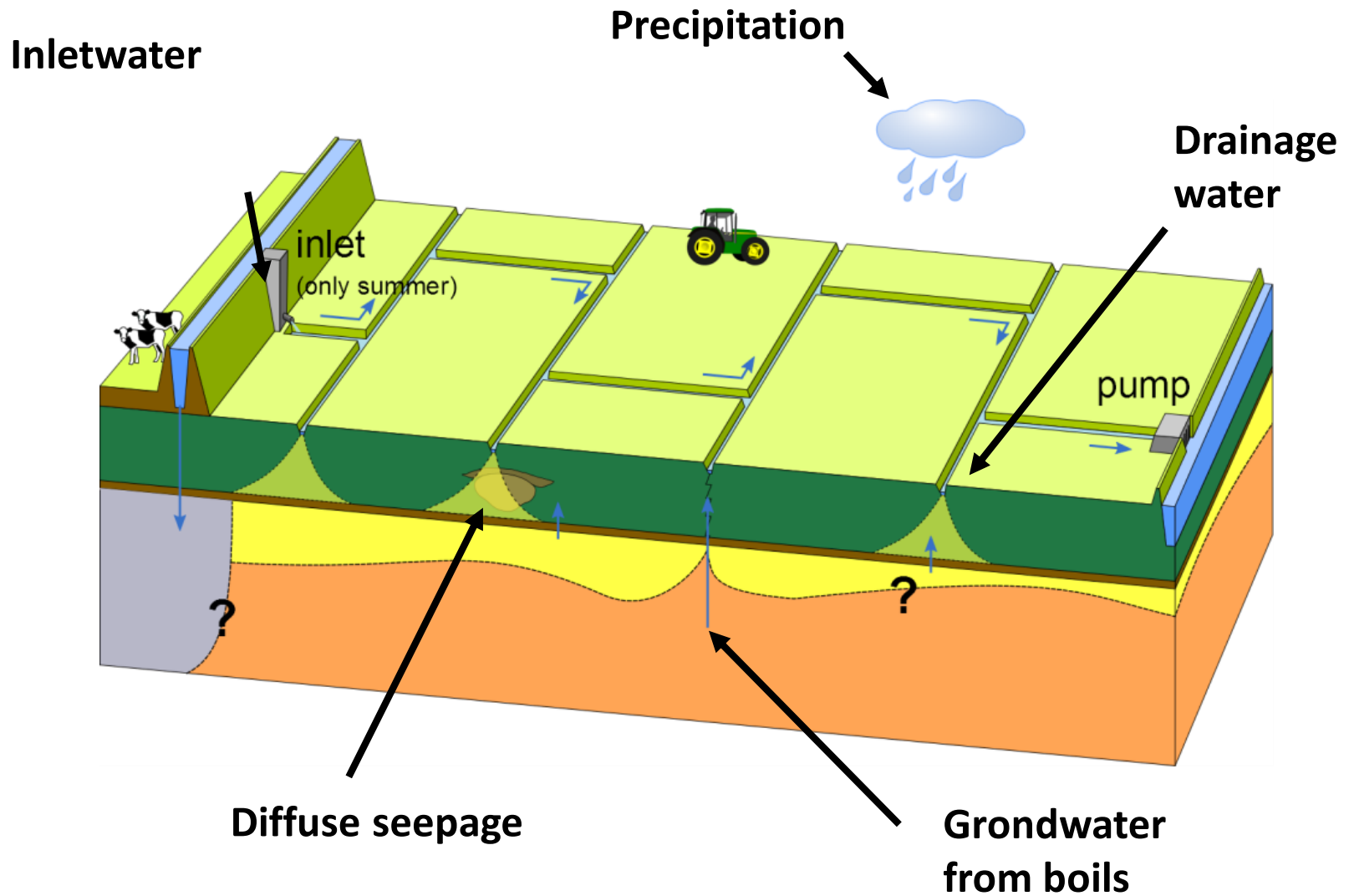
The polder system

A polder is:

a sophisticated system to drain the excess of water in a low-lying area

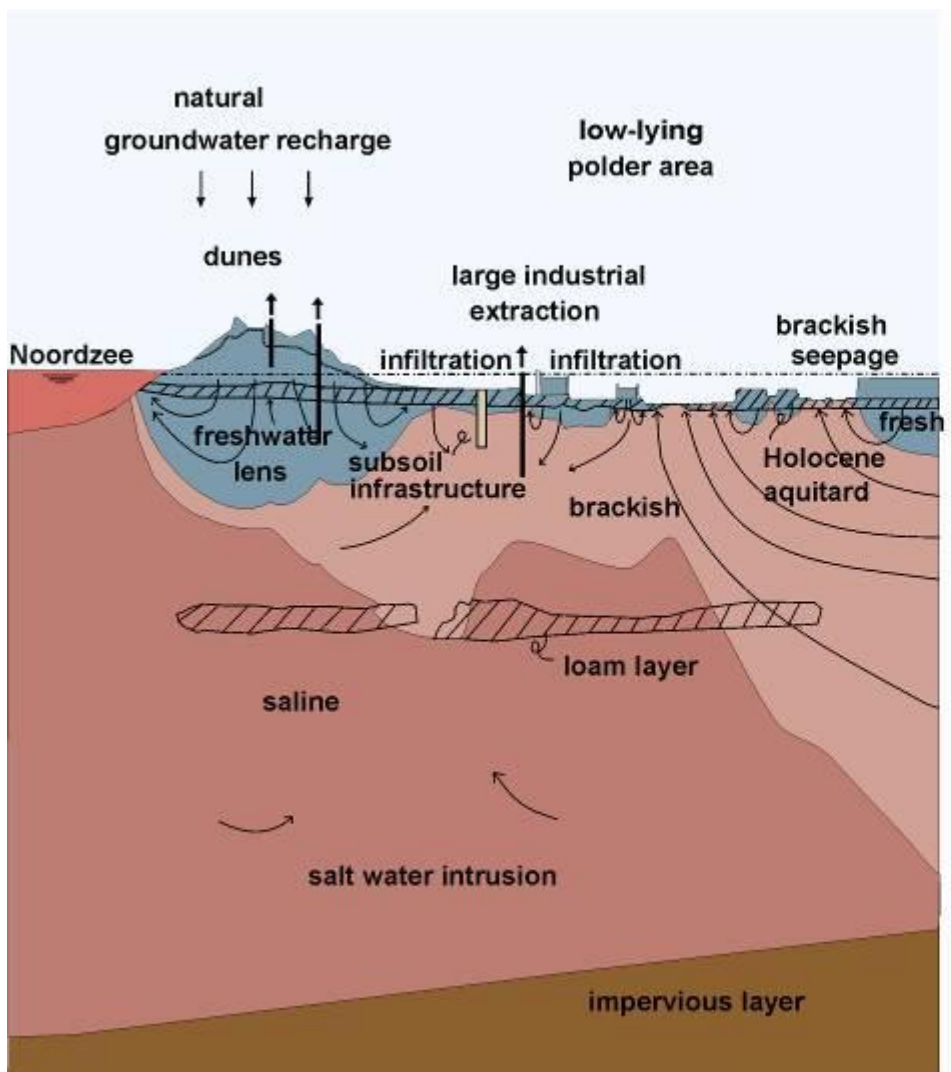


Polder system: a schematic overview of water flows

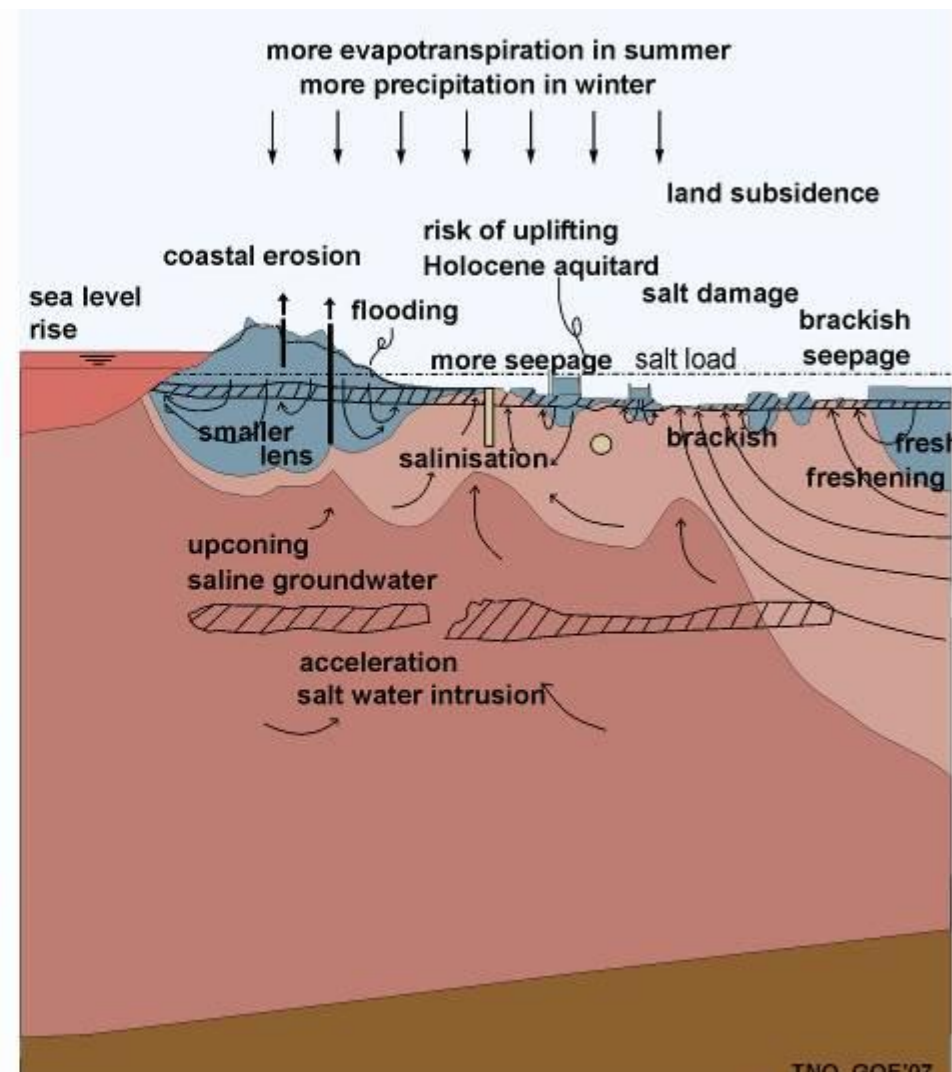


The Dutch groundwater system under stress

Present processes

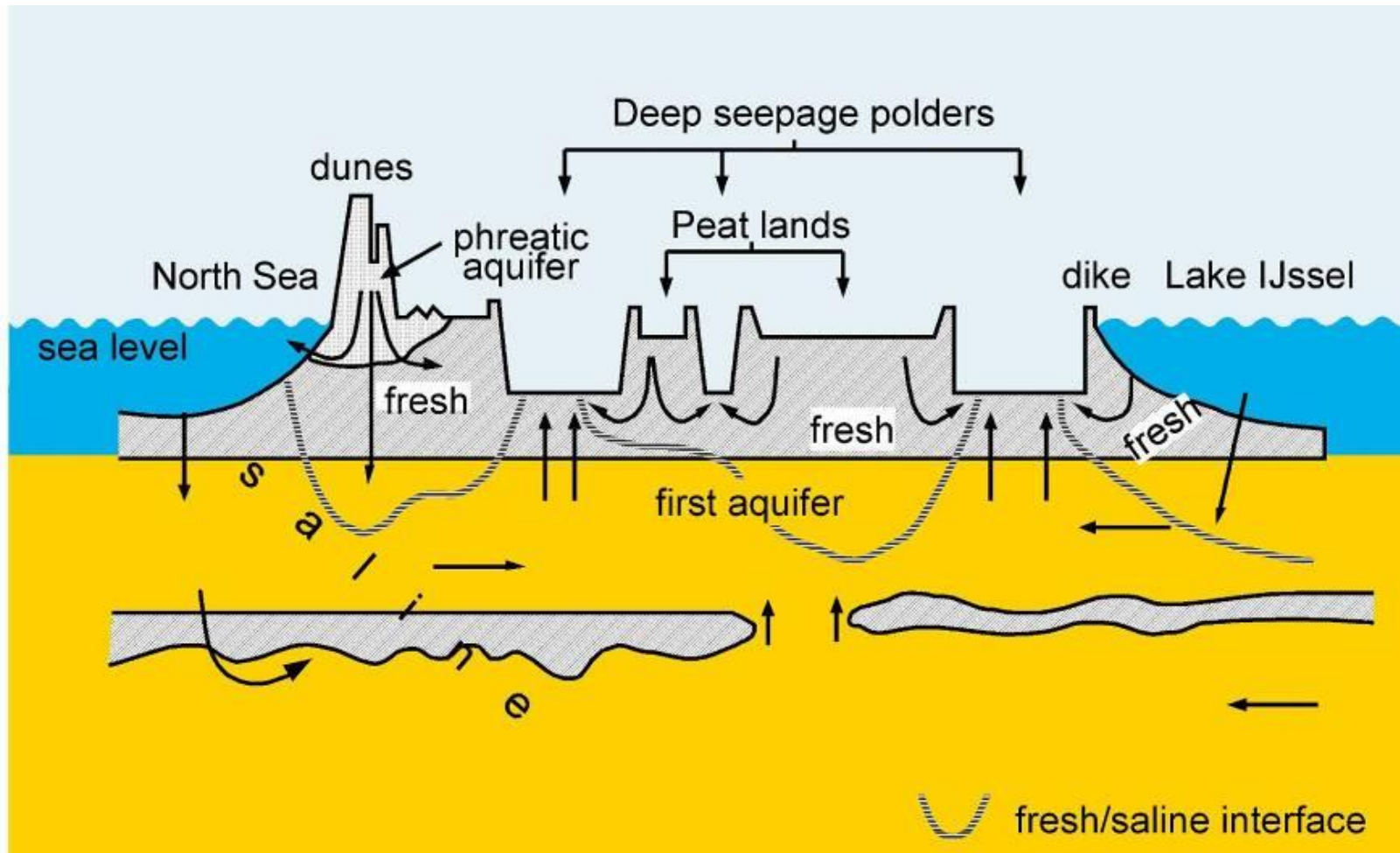


Future changes



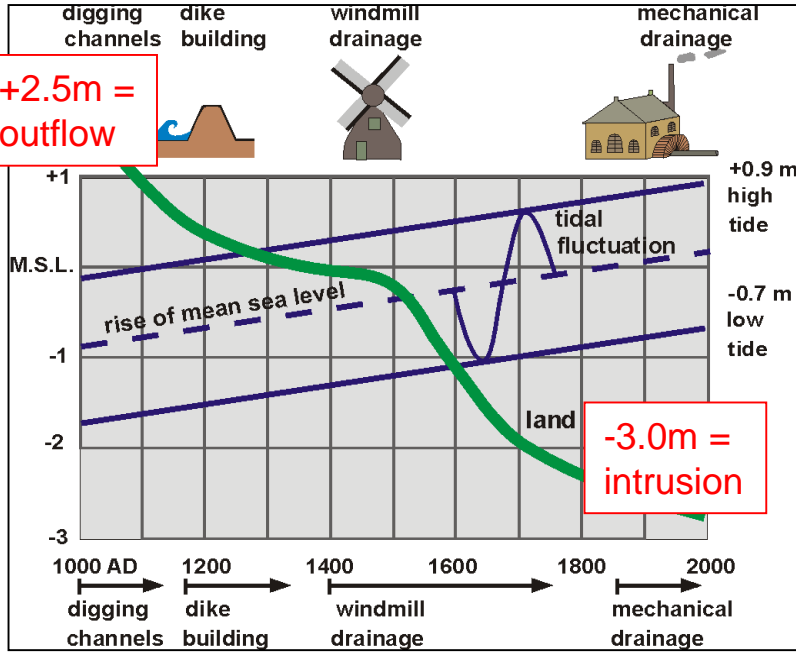
Saline seepage leads to:

- Salinization and eutrophication of surface waters
- Salinization of shallow groundwater
- Salinization of root zone (crop damage)

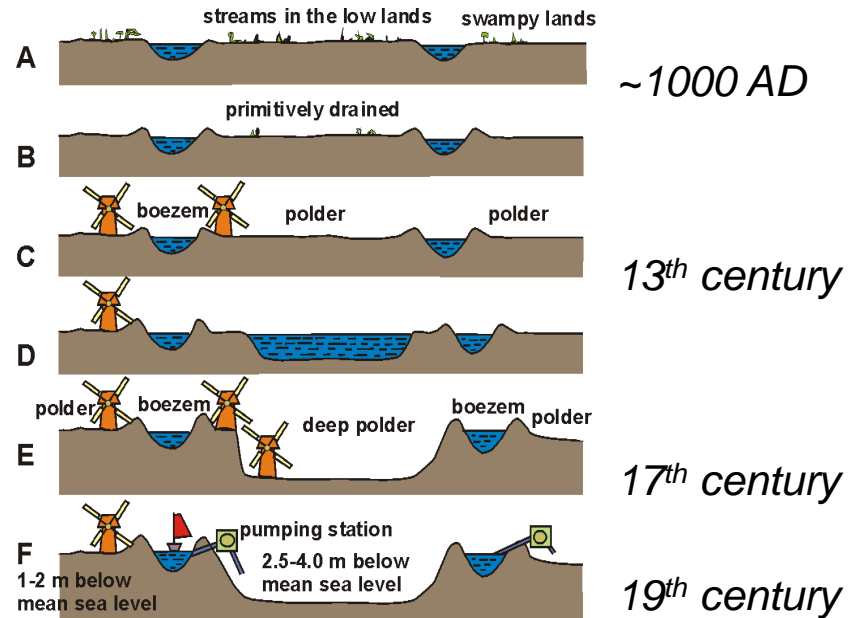


From fresh water outflow to salt water inflow

Historical subsidence of the ground surface in Holland

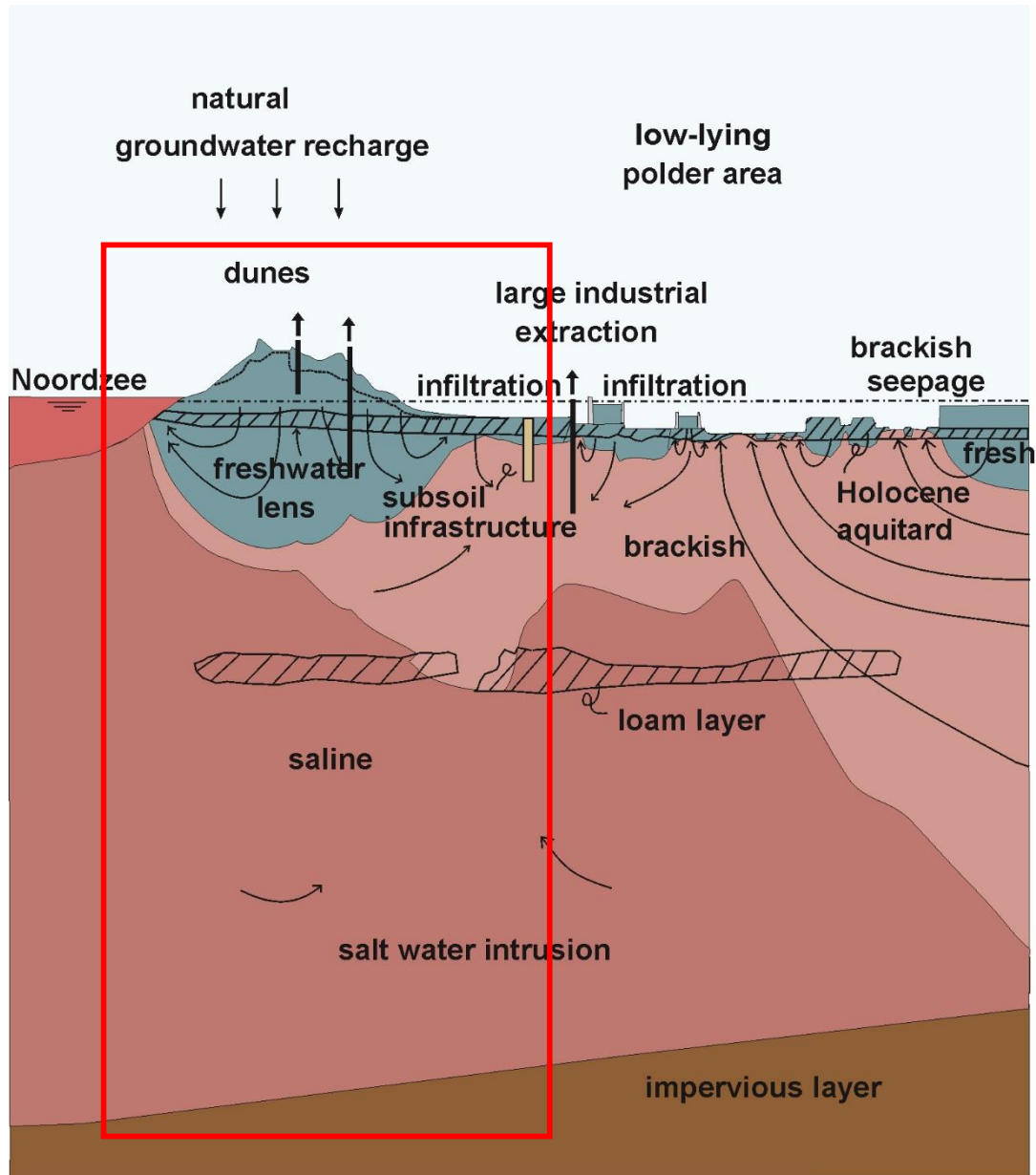


Ground surface



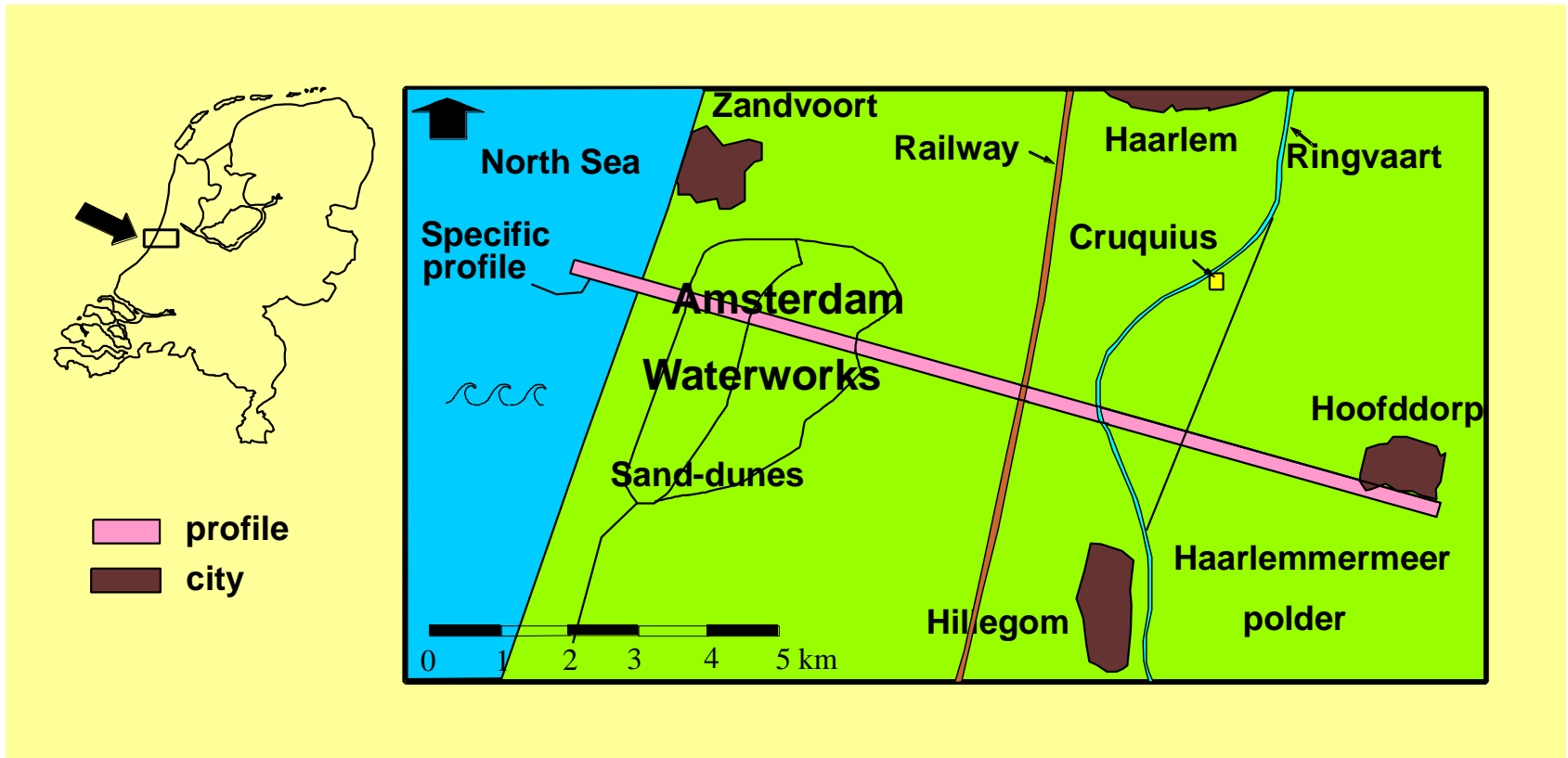
My first density dependent groundwater flow and solute
transport model in 1990!

Saltwater intrusion in the Netherlands

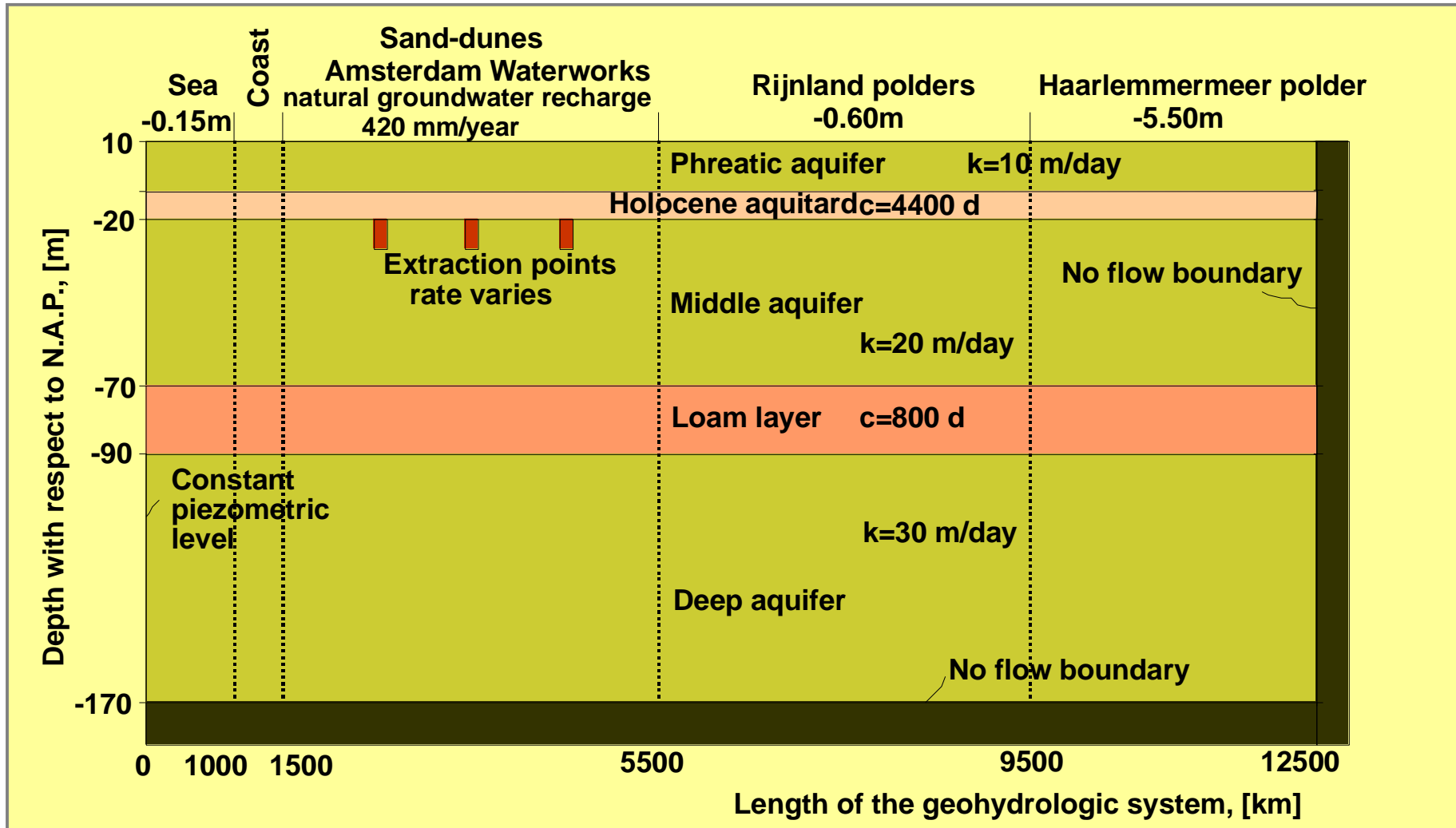


Saltwater intrusion in the Dutch coastal zone

Position profile through Amsterdam Waterworks, Rijnland polders and Haarlemmermeer polder

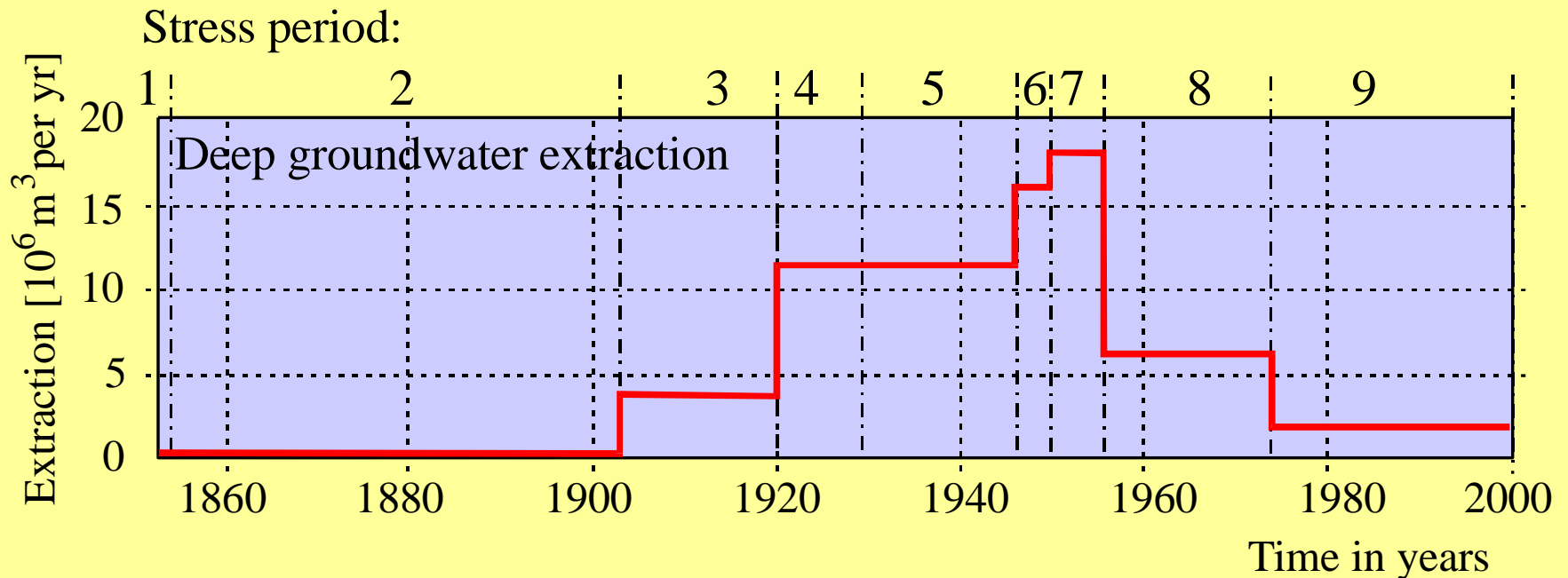


Geometry, subsoil parameters, boundary conditions

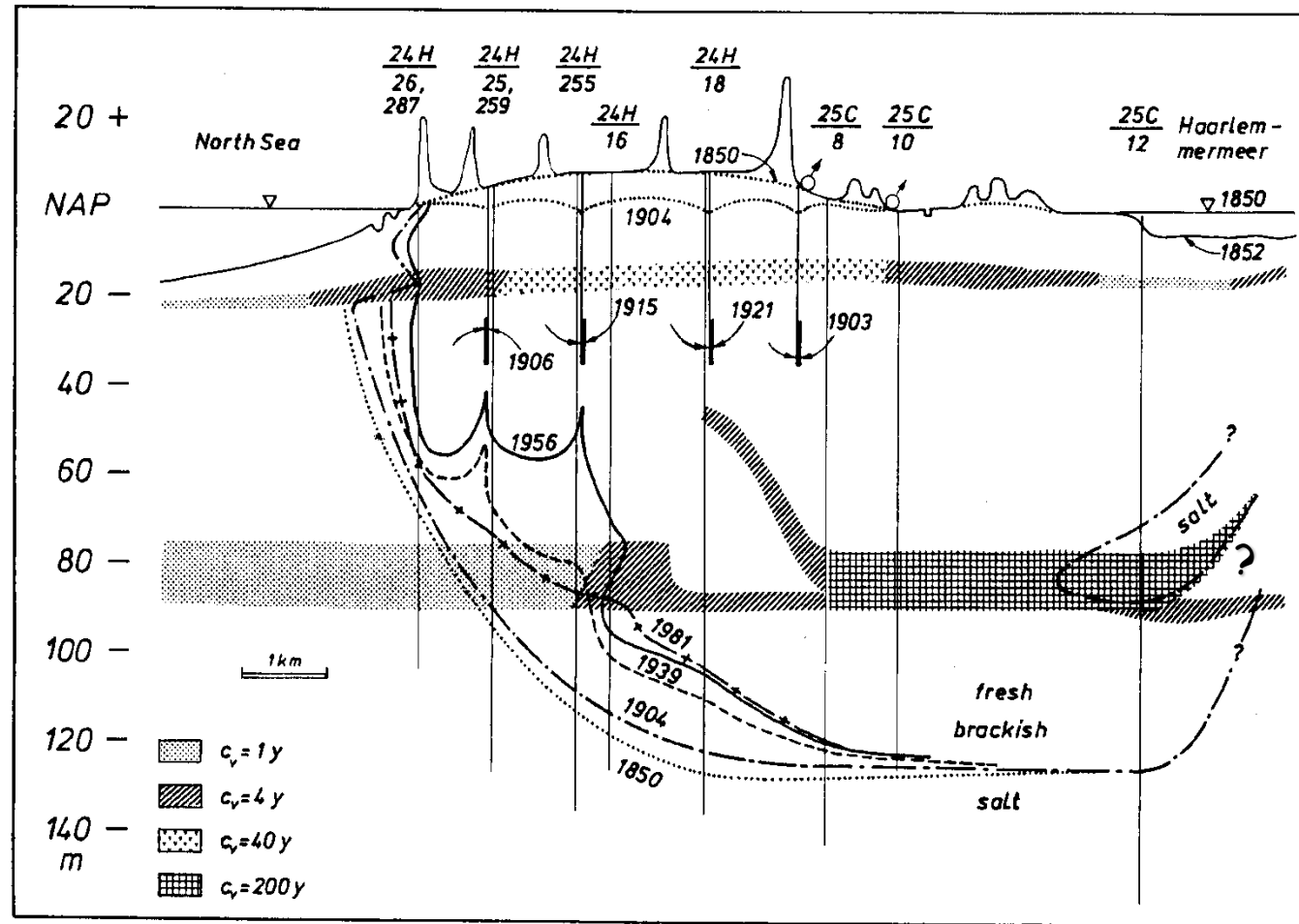
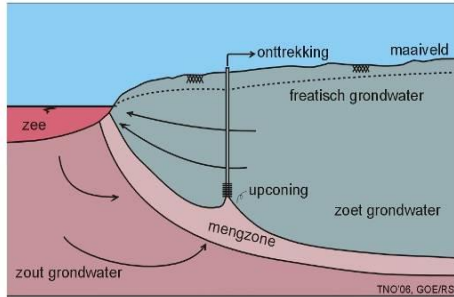


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Grondwater extractions out of the middle aquifer in the sand-dune area of Amsterdam Waterworks



Upconing of brackish-saline groundwater



Since 1957 in the Netherlands: large-scale Managed Aquifer Recharge for drinking water

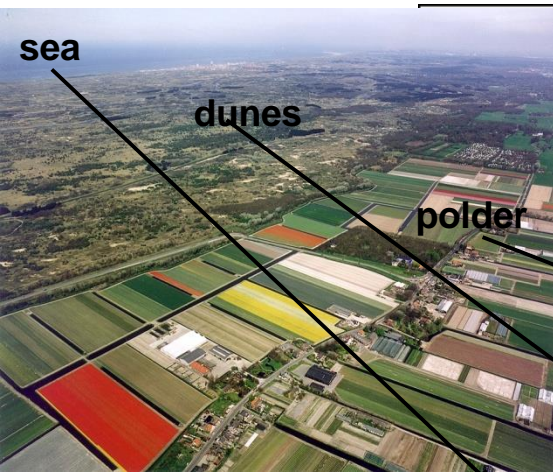
Dune water supply for Amsterdam:

- Artificial infiltration of river water from Rhine River started in 1957
- 40 km of abstraction canals
- 9 km of drains
- 40 recharge ponds (86 ha)
- 65 Mm³/year
- 60% Amsterdam water supply

- Groundwater is a very reliable source for water supply, but is likely not renewable and should be used sustainably.
- Extractions must be managed and monitored systematically.
- We apply conjunctive use of surface as well as groundwater. Feasible tested technologies include river bank infiltration, gallery, and infiltration basin.



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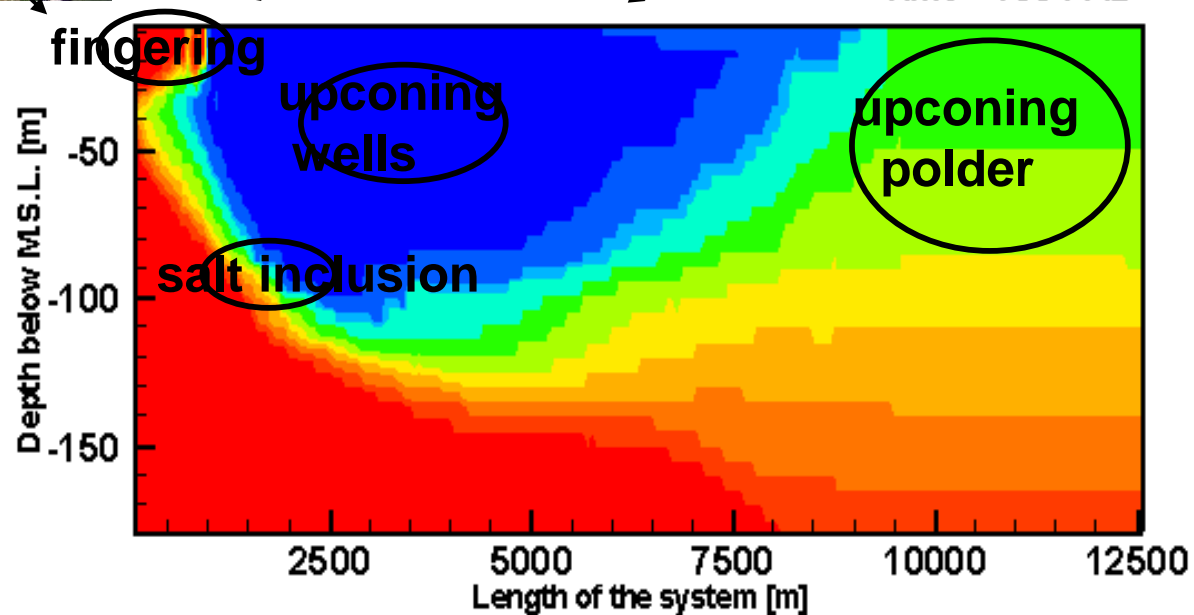


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Profile Amsterdam Waterworks-Haarlemmermeerpolder

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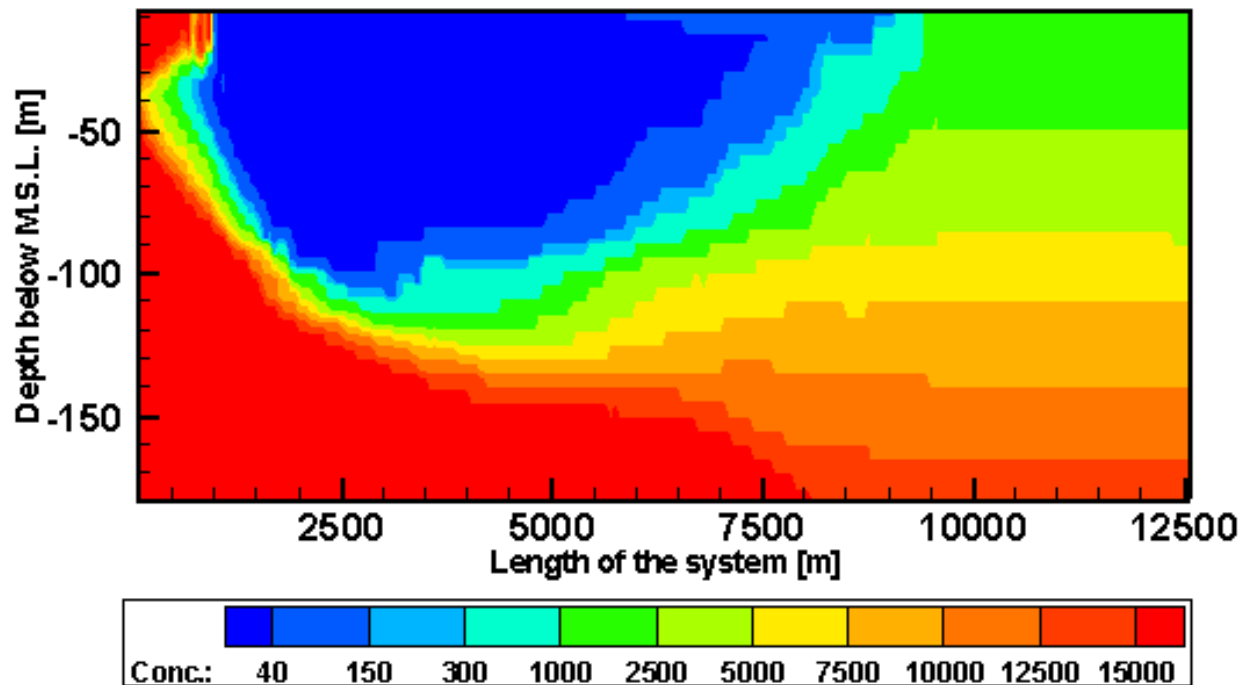
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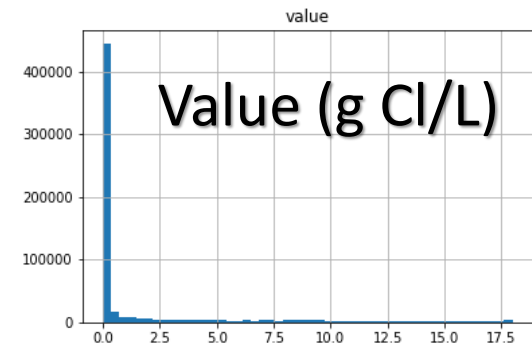
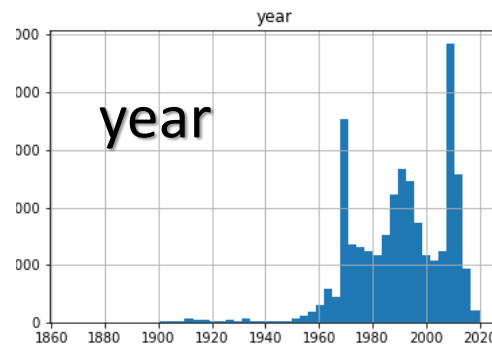
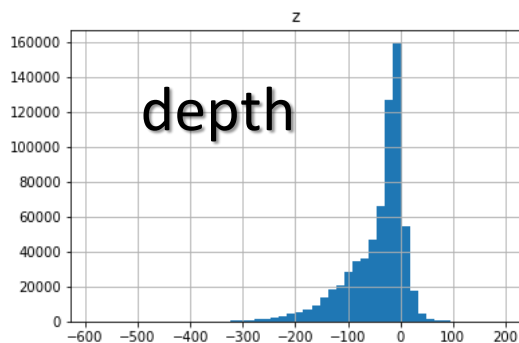
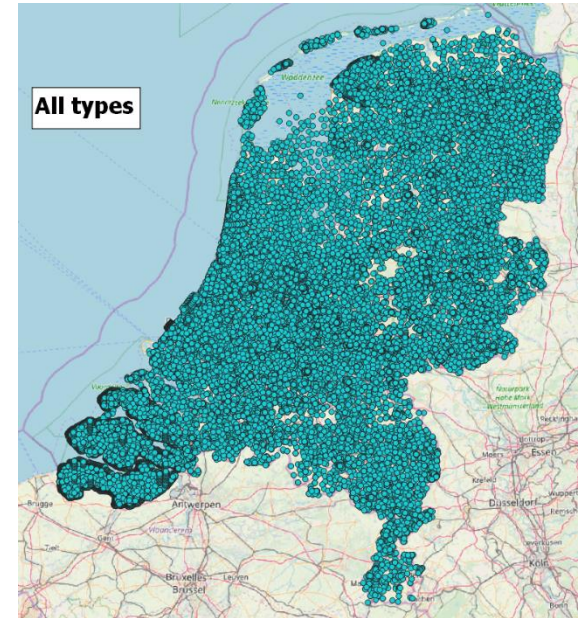
Palaeo hydrogeological modelling

Palaeo-modeling salt water intrusion during the Holocene: an application to the Netherlands

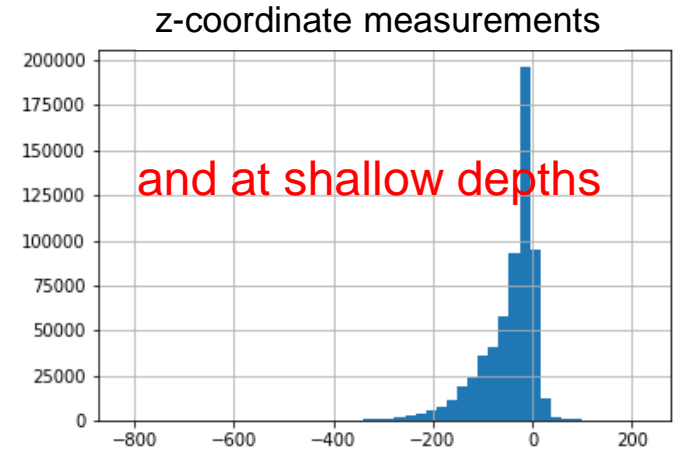
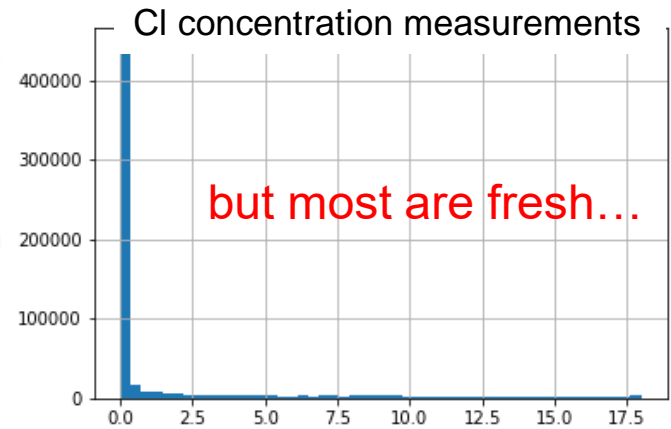
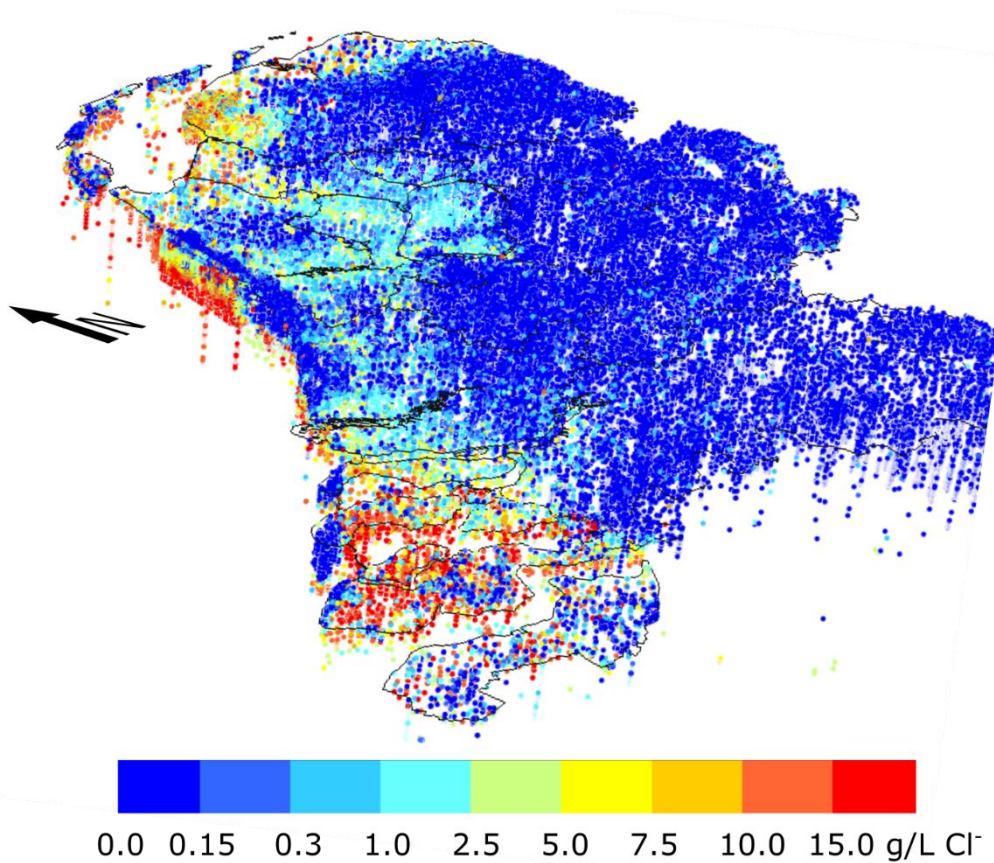
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From measurements to 3D salinity distribution

- 2.7M measurement locations:
 - Chemical analyses, geophysical measurements (Borelogs, VES, ECPTs, Airborne EM)
 - Varying quality, heavily biased to fresh, shallow
- 3D indicator kriging
- ‘Soft data’ to guide interpolation (sea, deep)
- Transparent and reproducible workflow

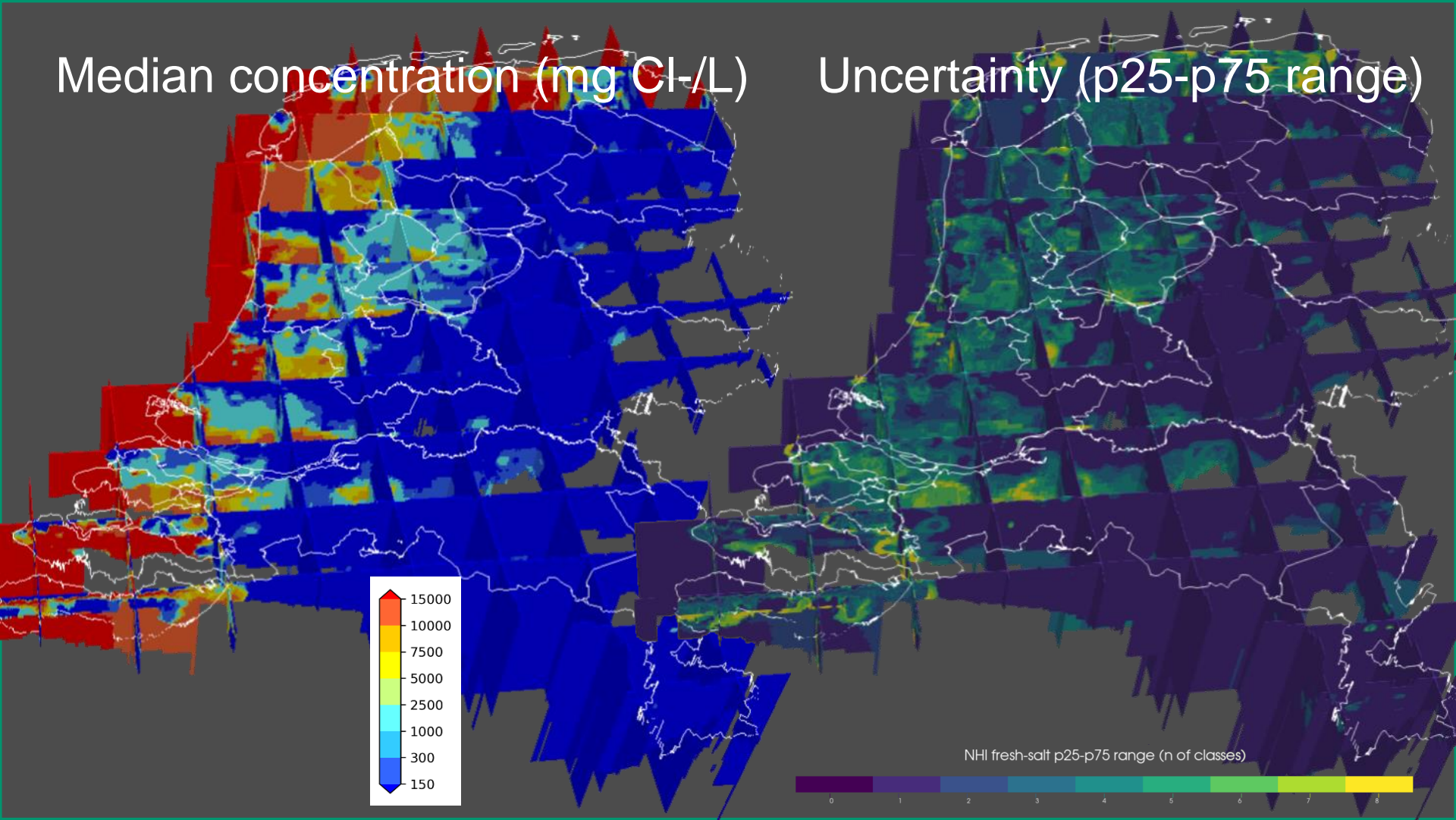


Current groundwater salinity distribution

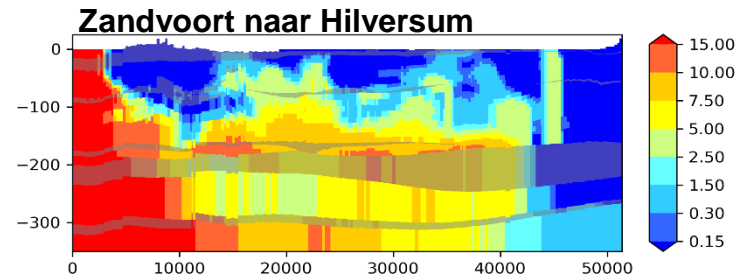


Median concentration (mg Cl-/L)

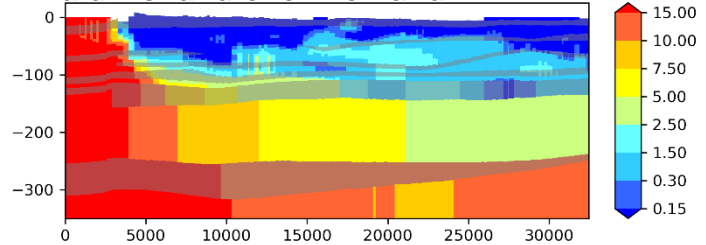
Uncertainty (p25-p75 range)



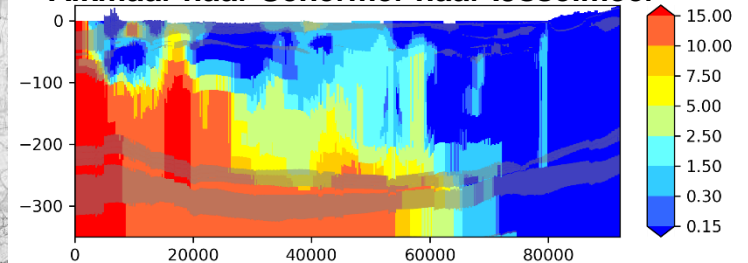
2D present-day groundwater salinity (mg Cl/L), from NHI fresh-salt



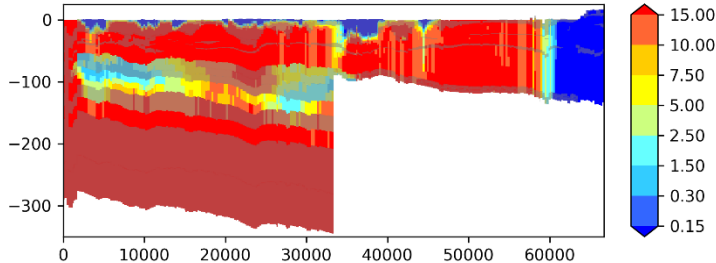
Zuid Holland over Delfland



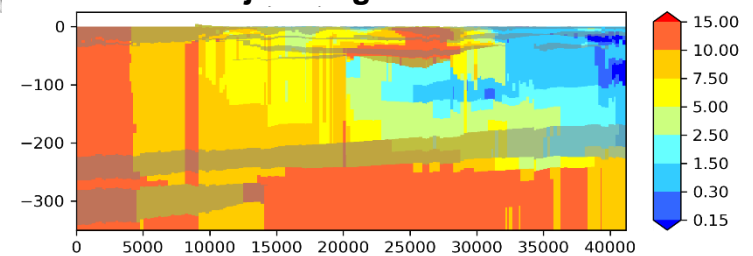
Alkmaar naar Schermer naar IJsselmeer



Zeeland over Walcheren naar Brabantse Wal



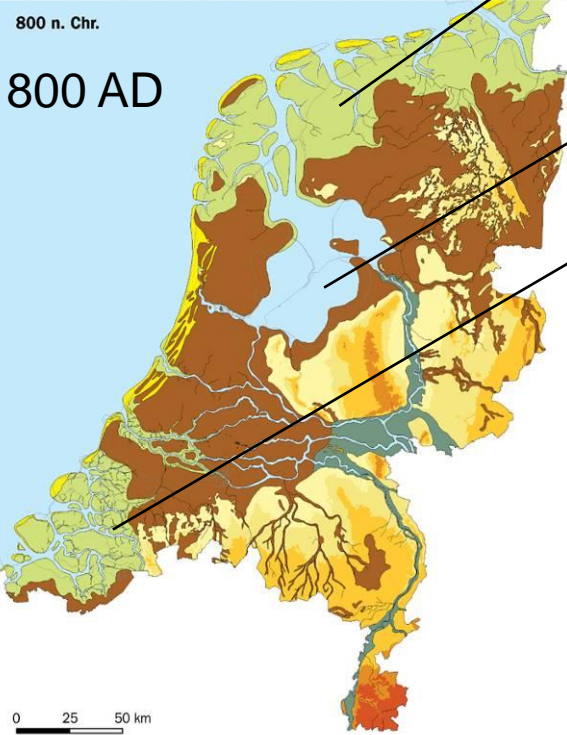
Friesland bij Harlingen



3850 v. Chr.

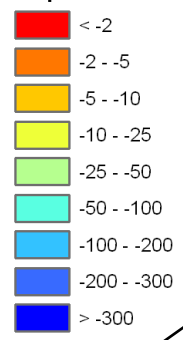
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Max
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0 25 50 km

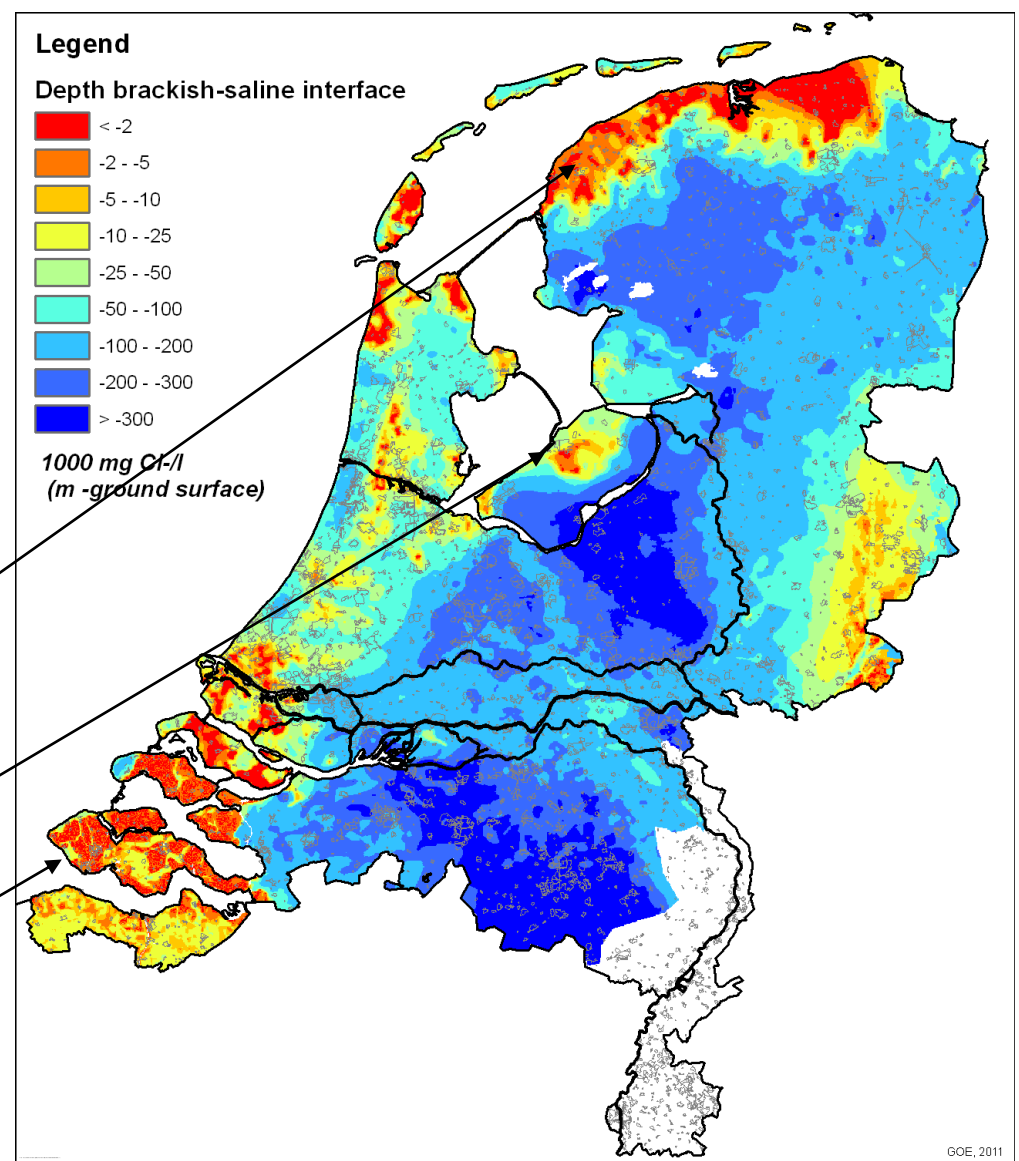


Legend

Depth brackish-saline interface



1000 mg Cl⁻/l
(m -ground surface)



GOE, 2011

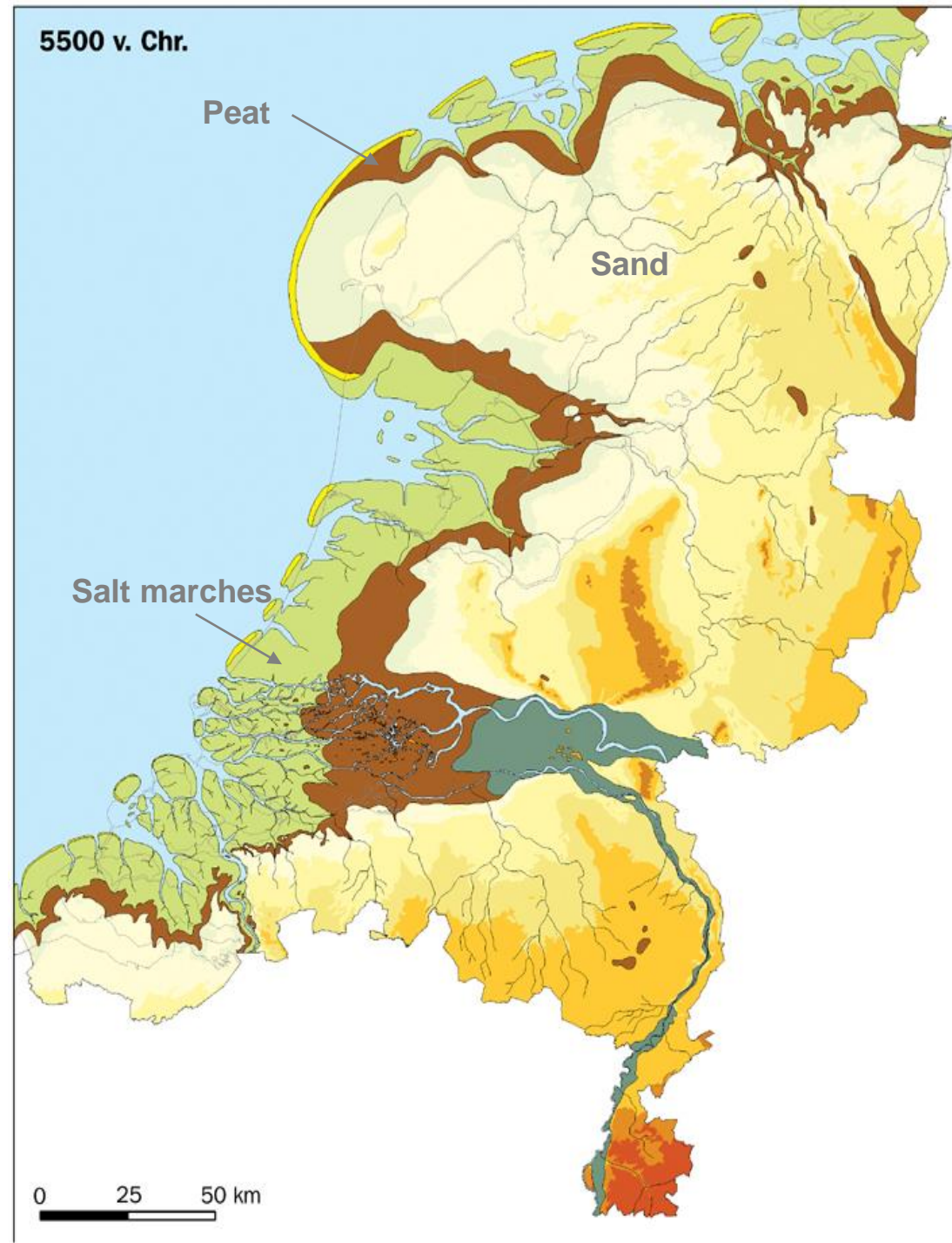
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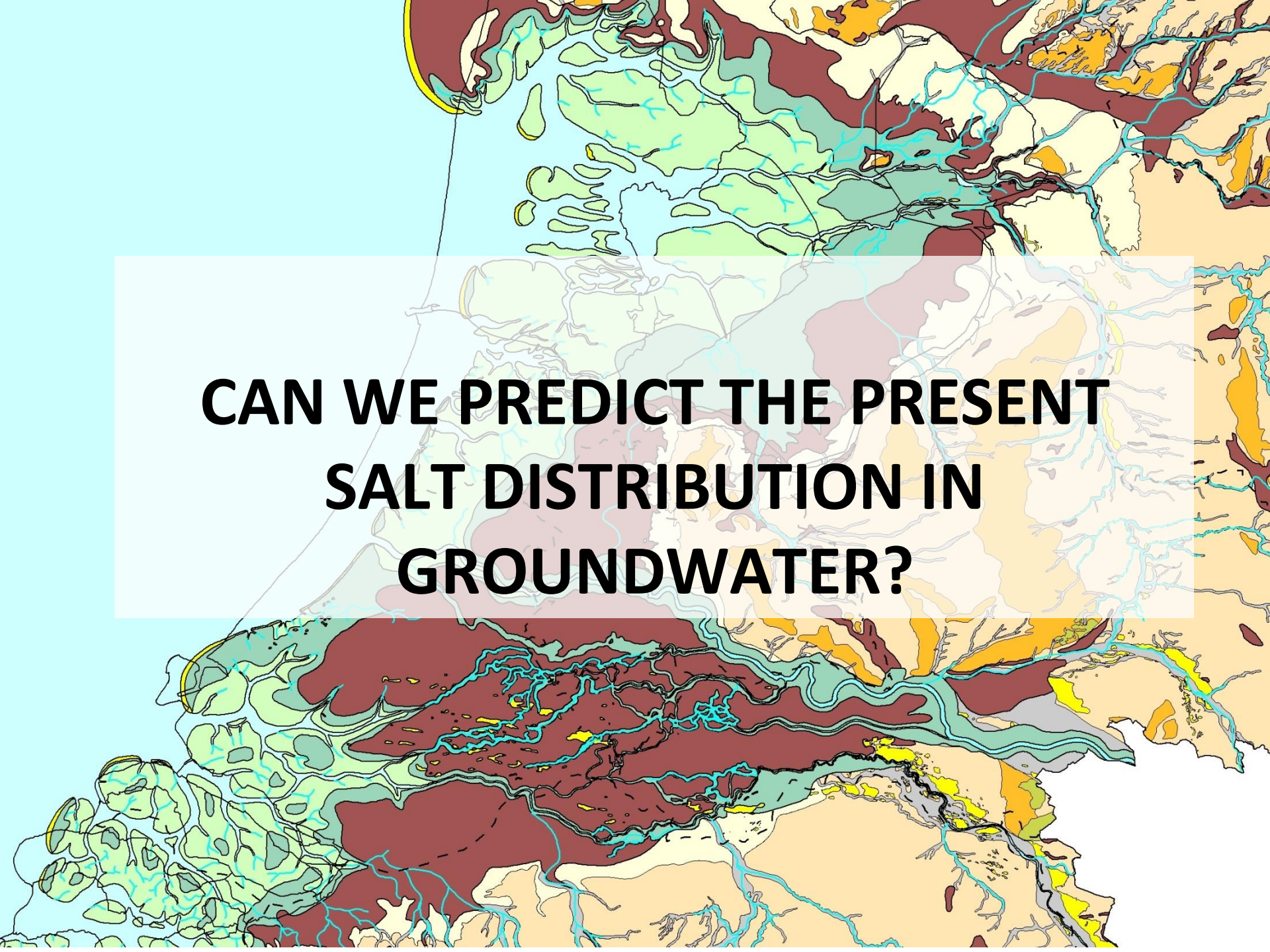
- Analyses
- VES
- Borehole measurement

The Holocene transgressions

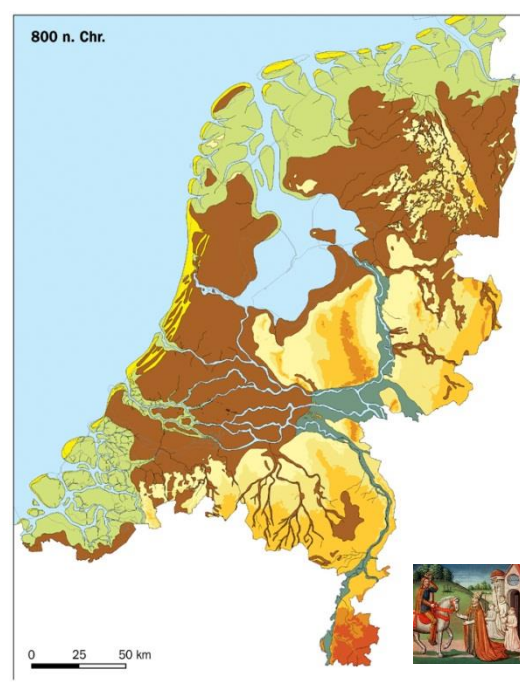
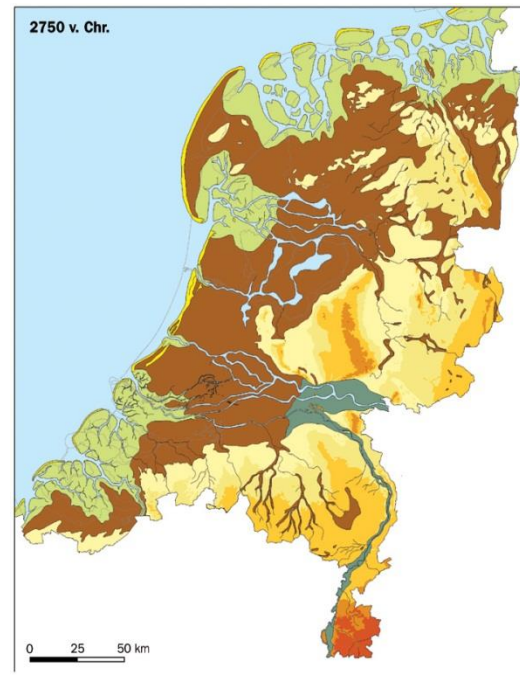
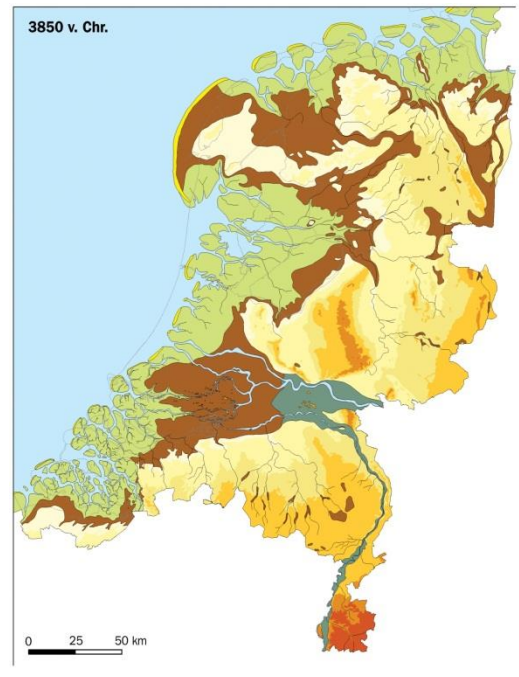
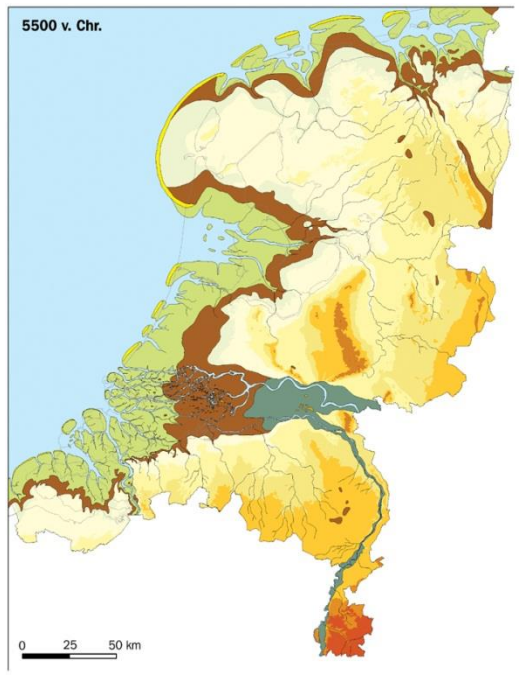
Major impact on
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7500 BP



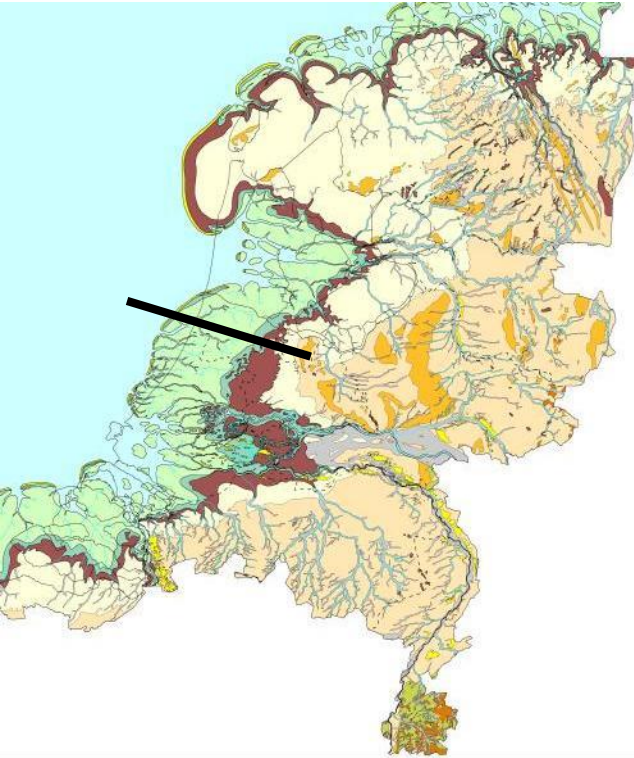


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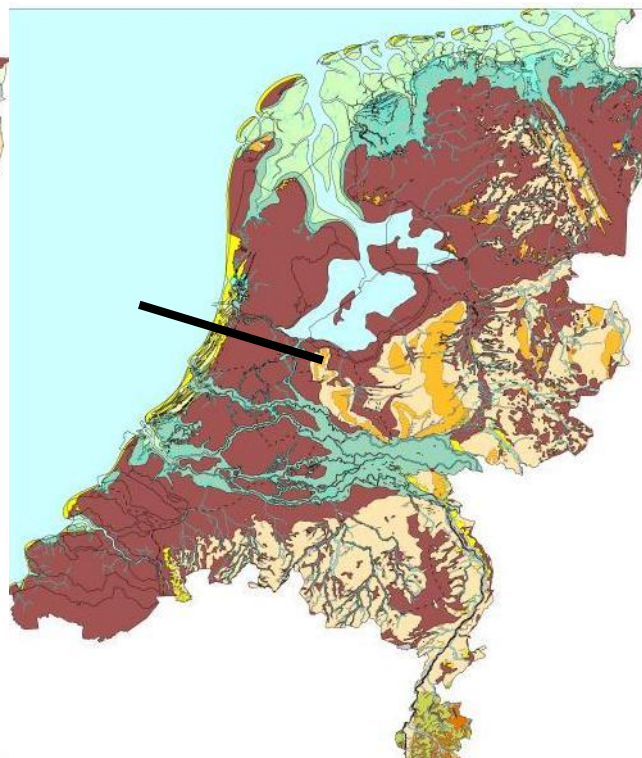
Palaeogeographical development

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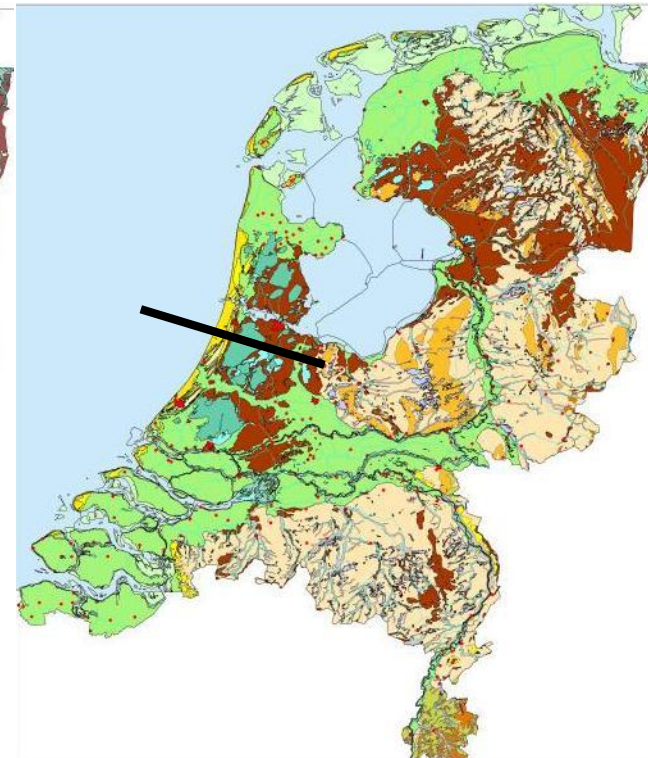
Maximal transgression

100 AD



Peat development

1850 AD



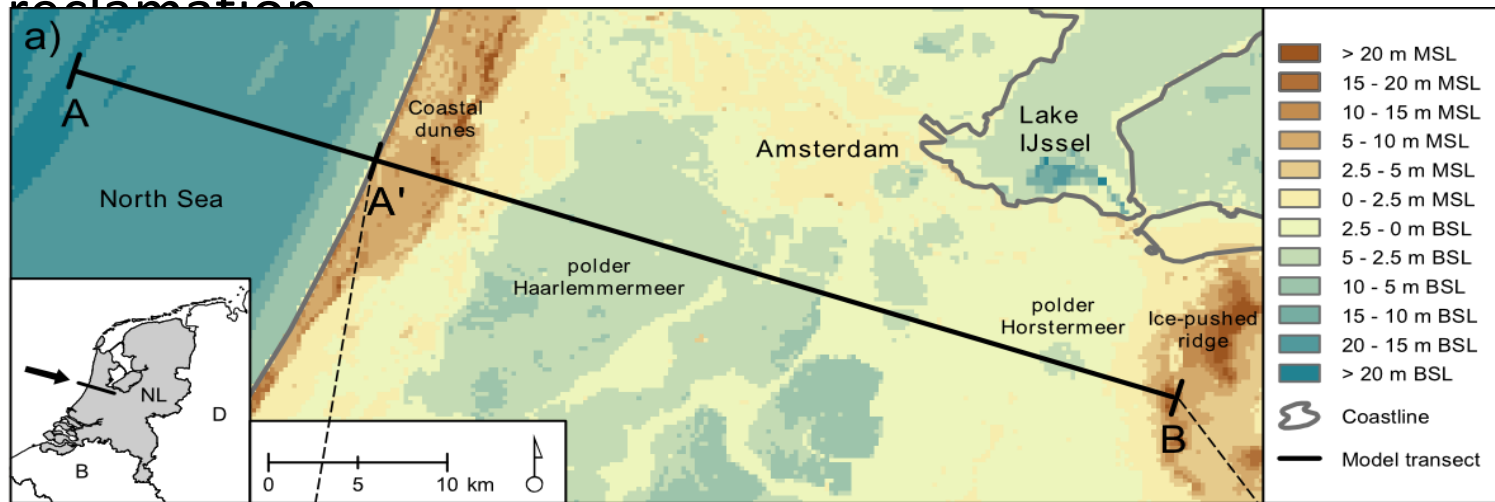
Reclaimed land, polder

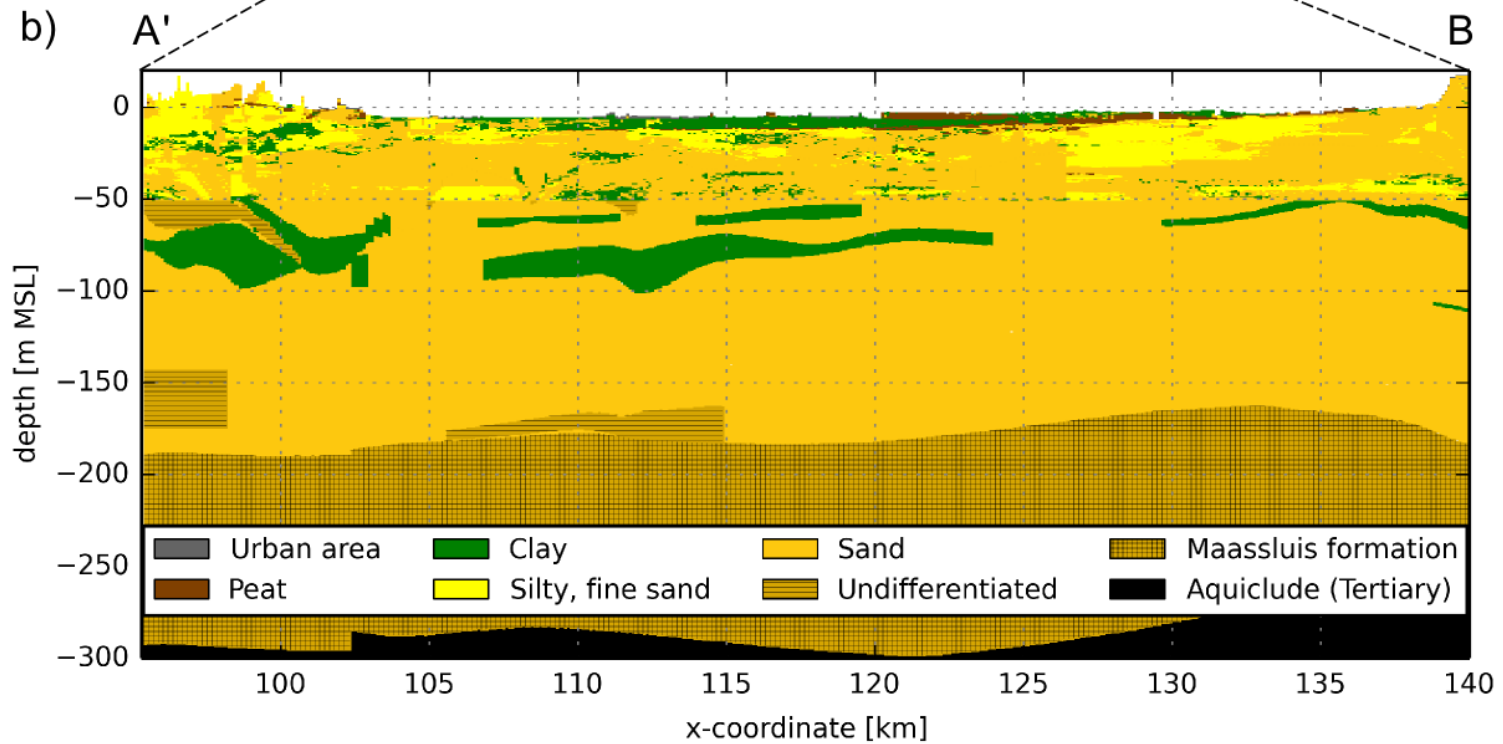
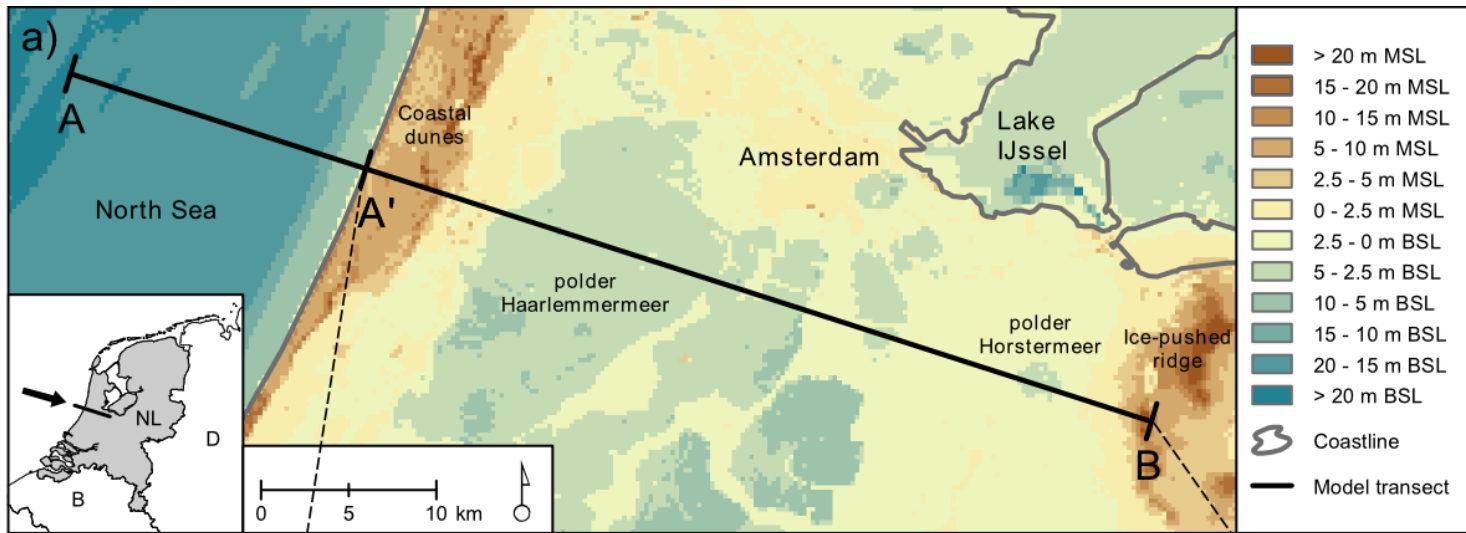
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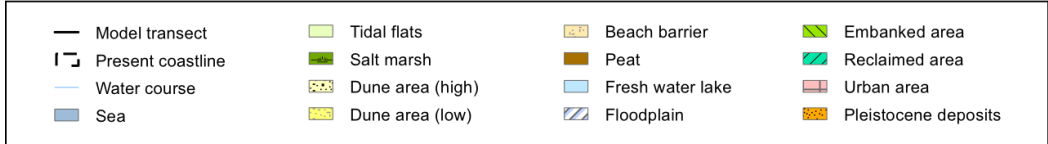
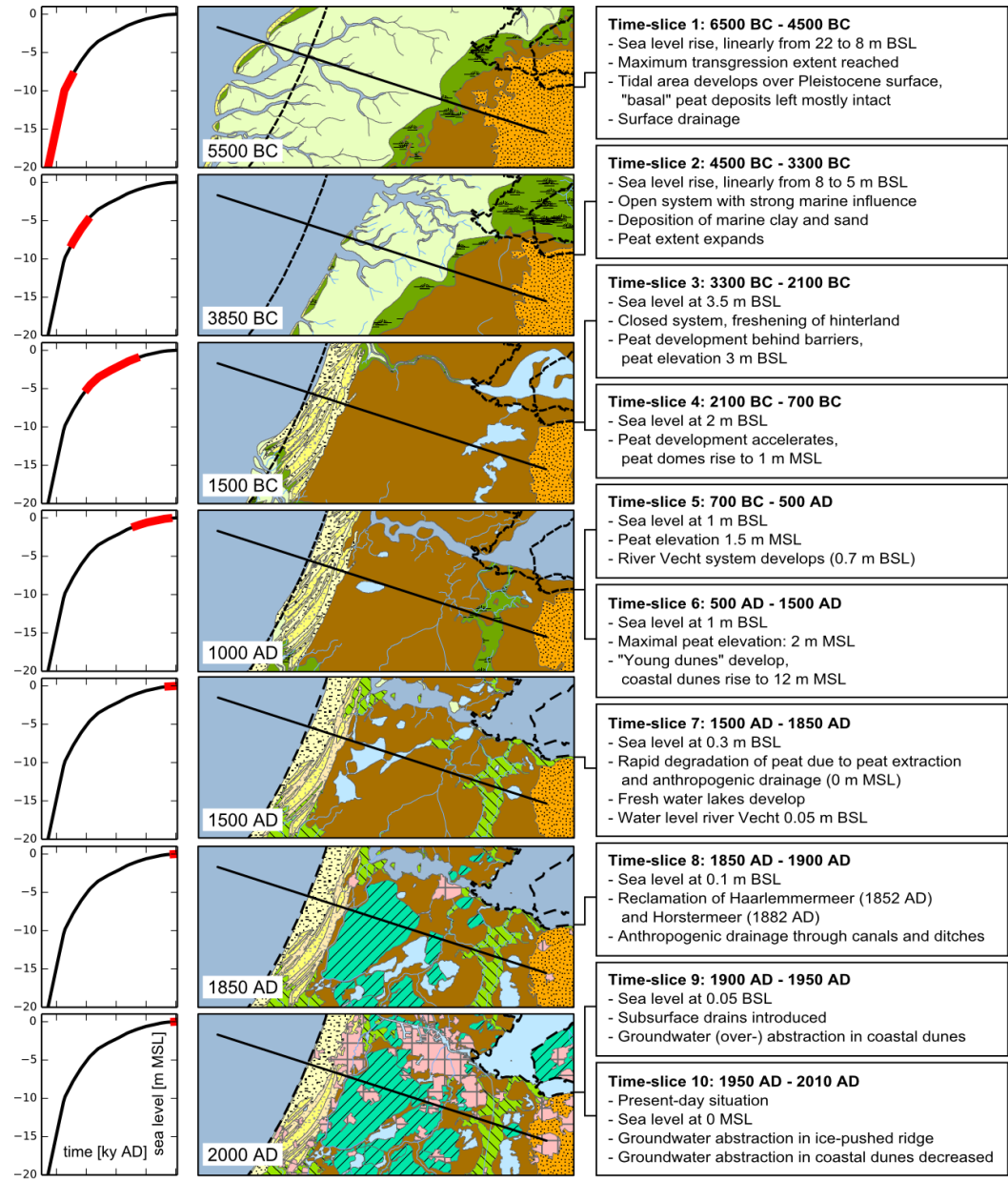
Atlas NL in het Holoceen (Vos et al, 2011)

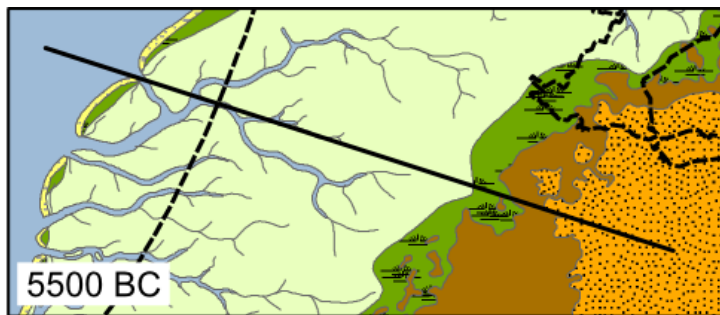
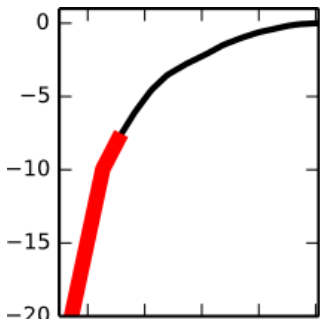
Occurrence of salt under the polder Haarlemmermeer

- Model profile Zandvoort - Hoofddorp – Hilversum
- Palaeogeographical development (Vos et al, 2011)
- 6500 BC - 2010 AD
- marine transgression
- Peat development, peat degradation, drainage,
reclamation



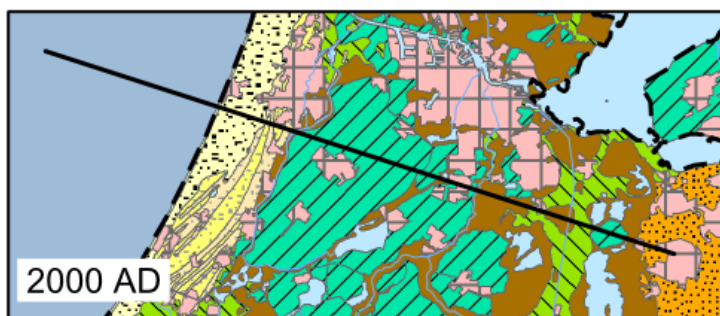
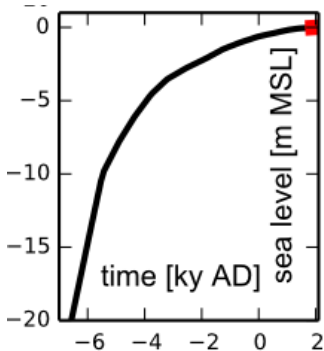






Time-slice 1: 6500 BC - 4500 BC

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Time-slice 10: 1950 AD - 2010 AD

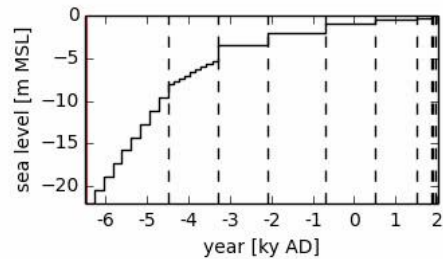
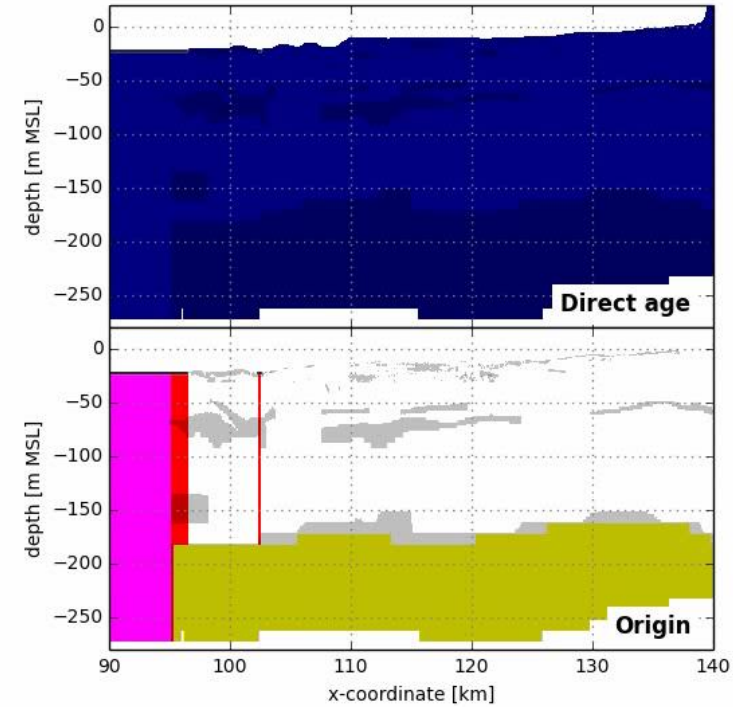
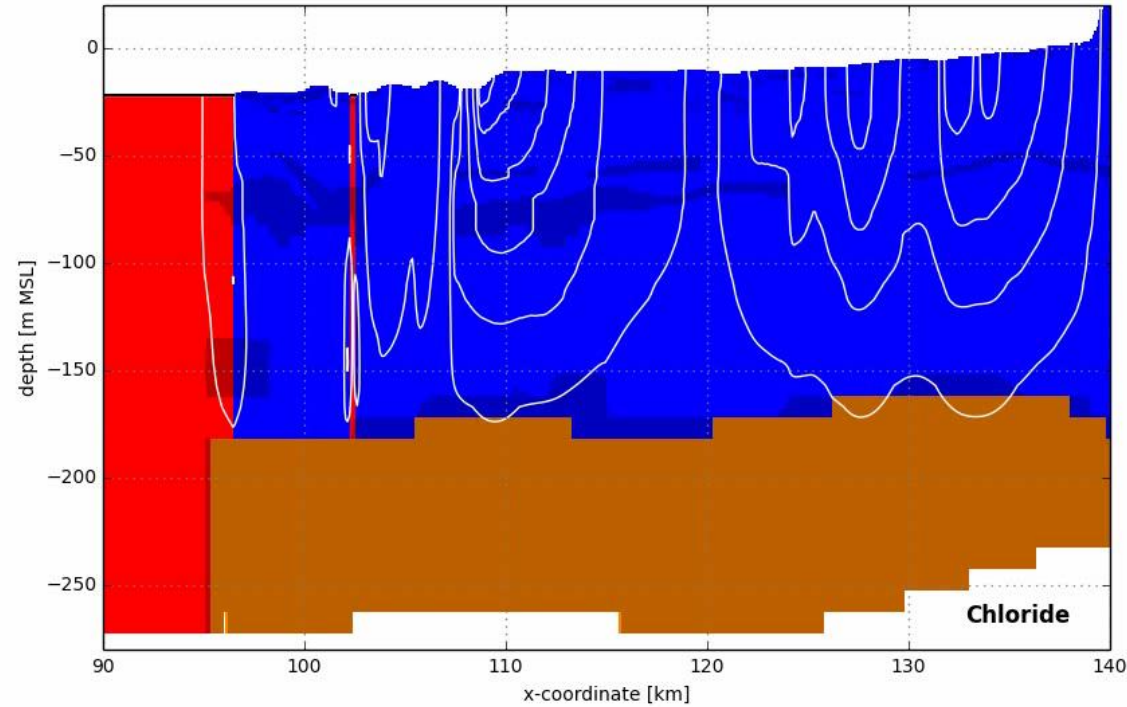
- Present-day situation
- Sea level at 0 MSL
- Groundwater abstraction in ice-pushed ridge
- Groundwater abstraction in coastal dunes decreased

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|-----------------------|--------------------|--------------------|------------------------|
| — Model transect | □ Tidal flats | □ Beach barrier | □ Embanked area |
| ┌─┐ Present coastline | □ Salt marsh | □ Peat | □ Reclaimed area |
| — Water course | □ Dune area (high) | □ Fresh water lake | □ Urban area |
| □ Sea | □ Dune area (low) | □ Floodplain | □ Pleistocene deposits |

Development saline groundwater

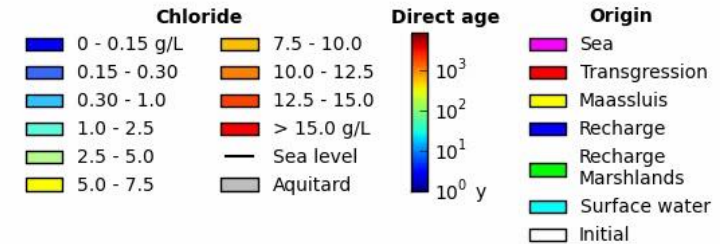
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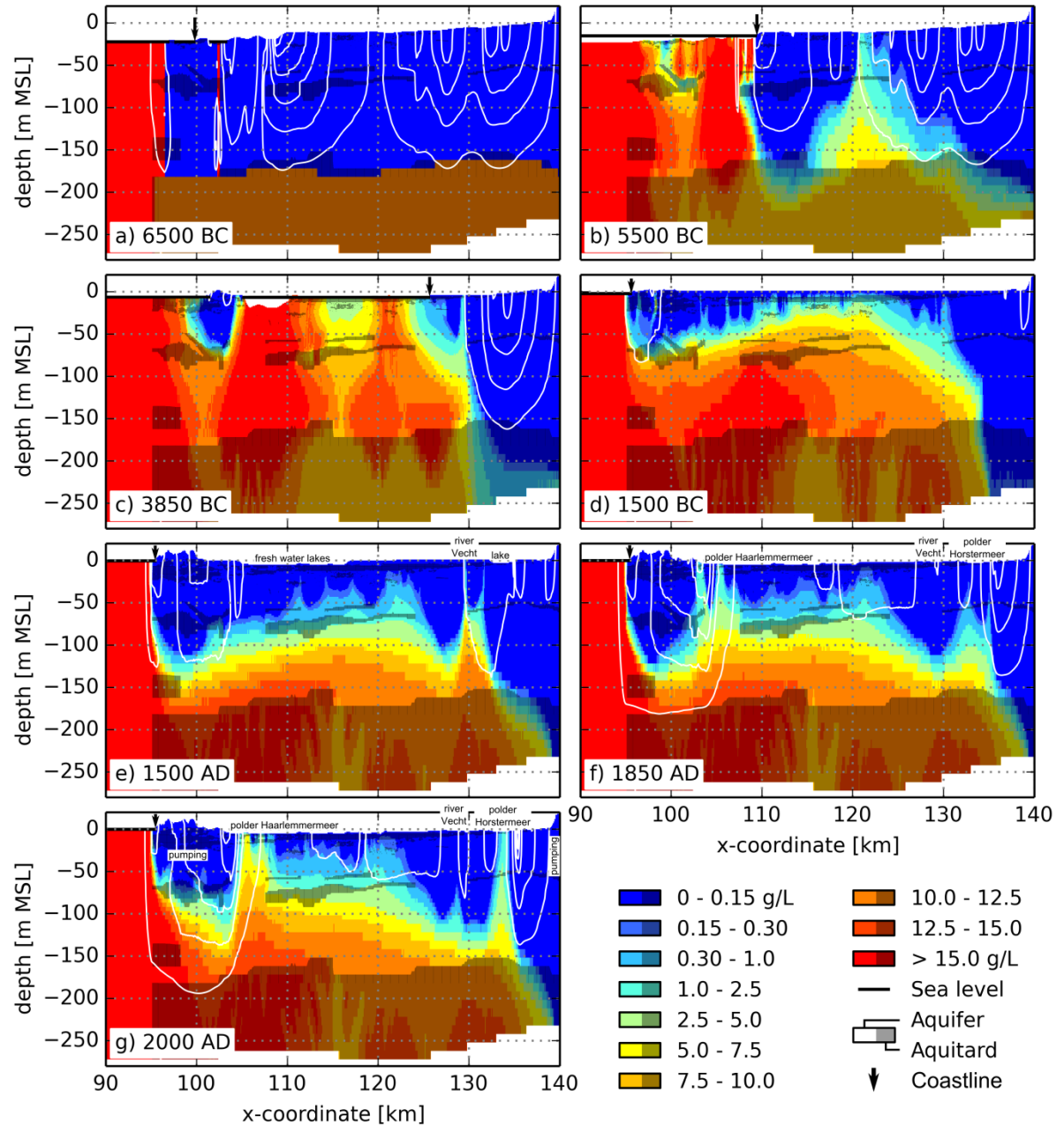
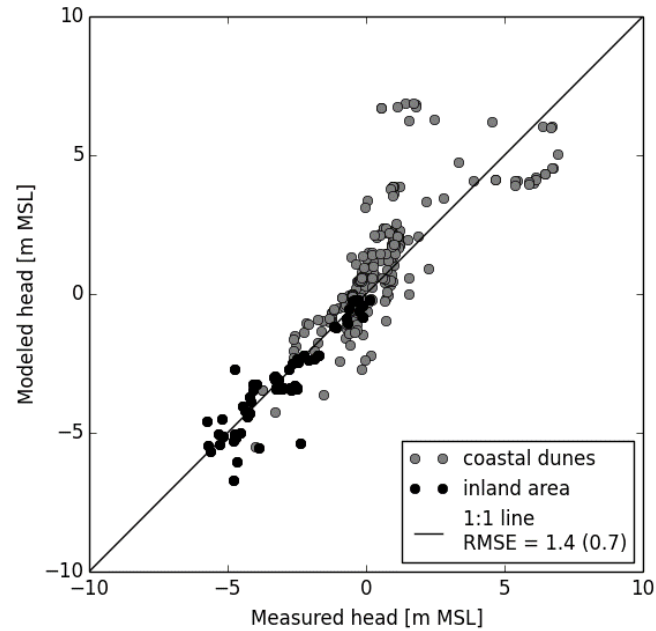


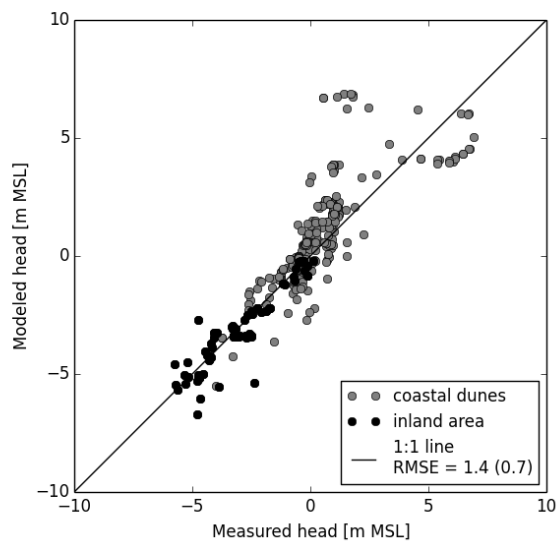
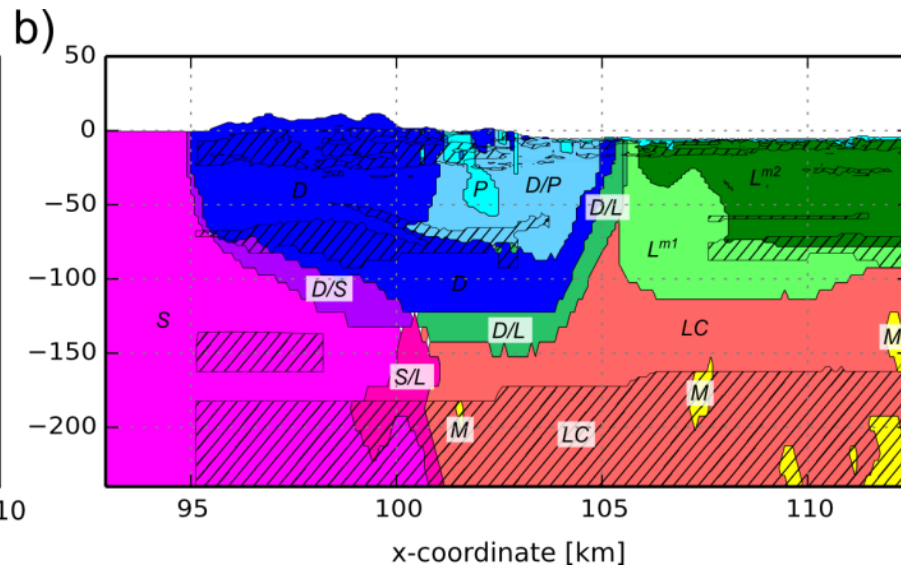
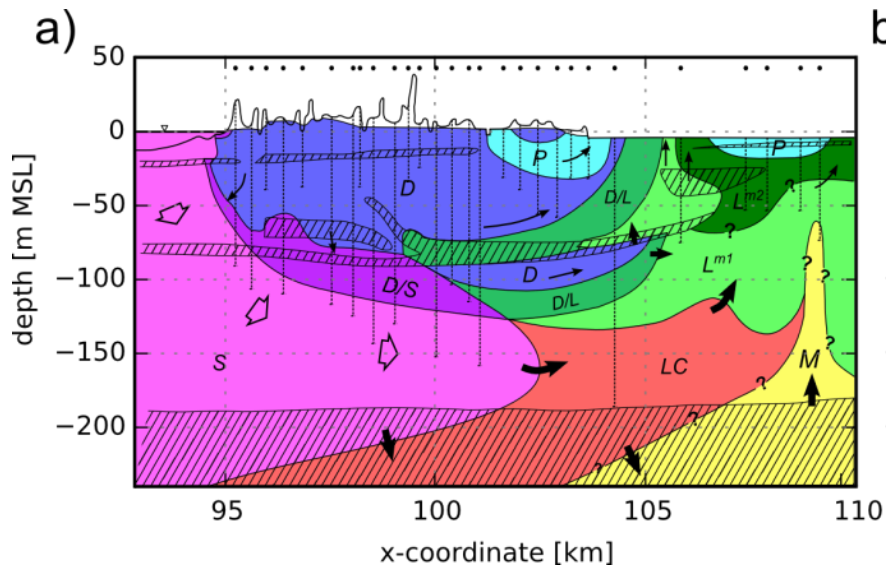
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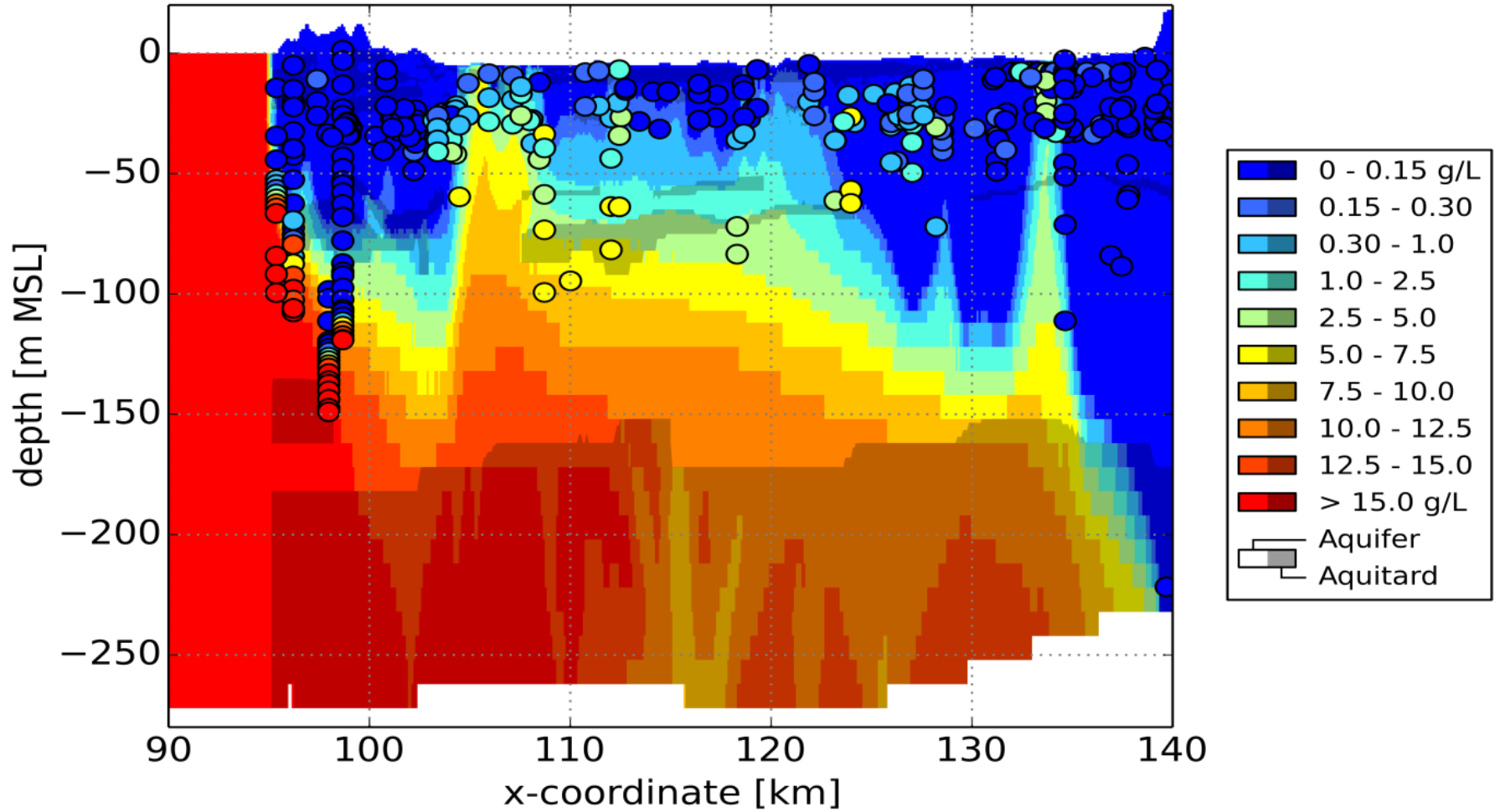


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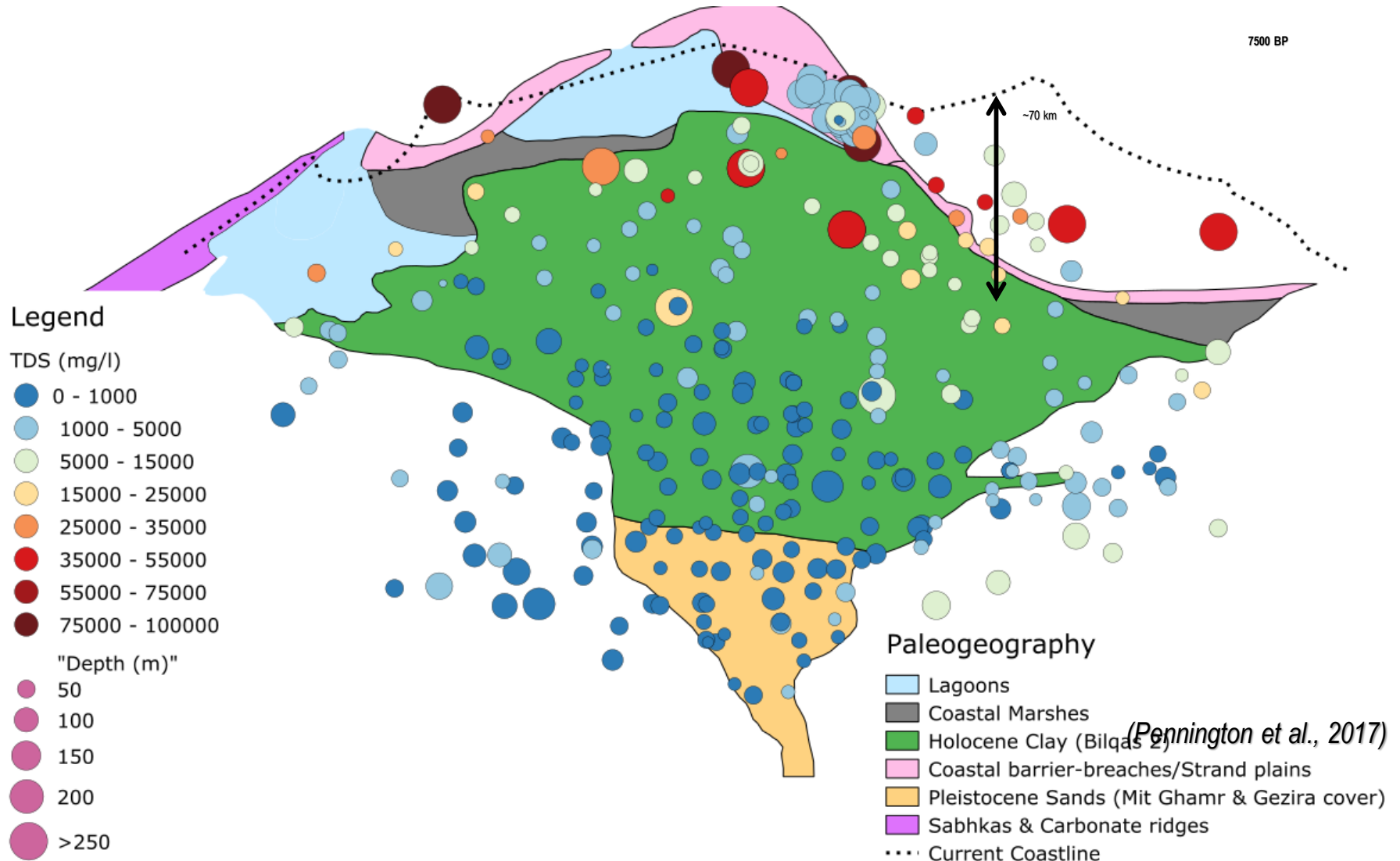




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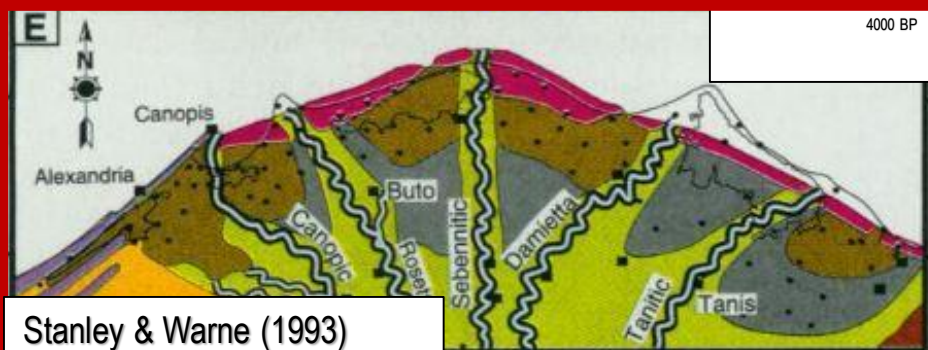
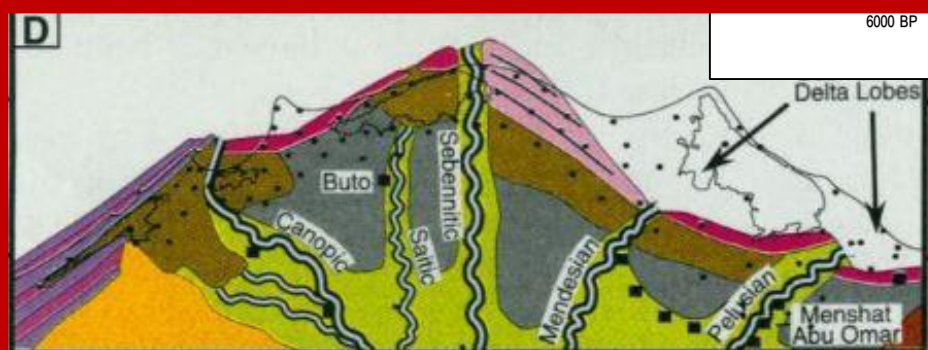
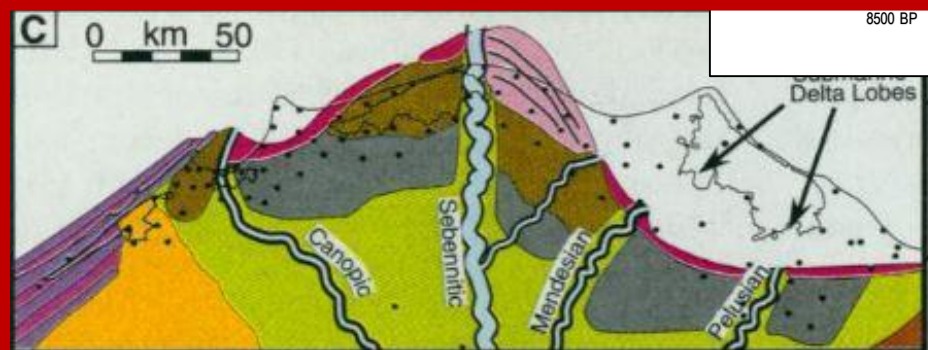
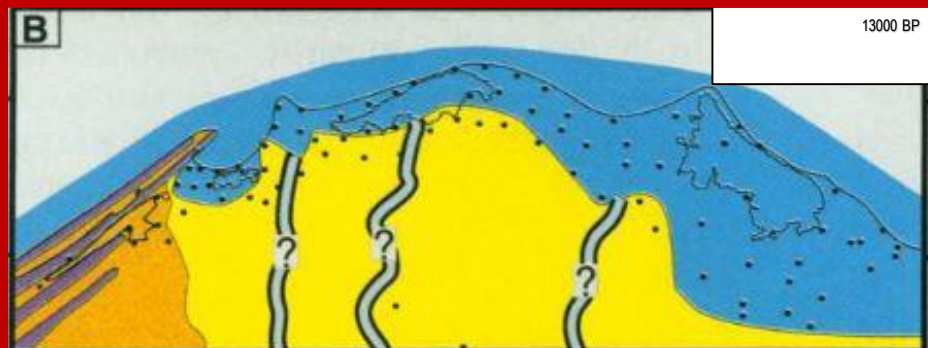
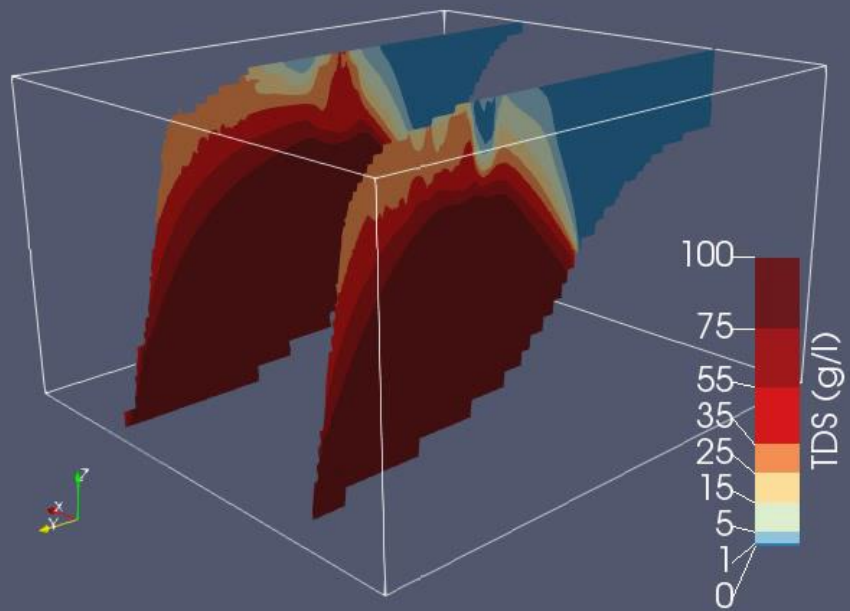


Paleohydrogeology Nile Delta: a data-poor delta



Van Engelen, J., Verkaik, J., King, J., Nofal, E.R., Bierkens, M.F.P.P., Oude Essink, G.H.P., 2019. A three-dimensional palaeo-reconstruction of the groundwater salinity distribution in the Nile Delta Aquifer. *Hydrol. Earth Syst. Sci.* 23, 5175–5198.

Time: 13000 year BP

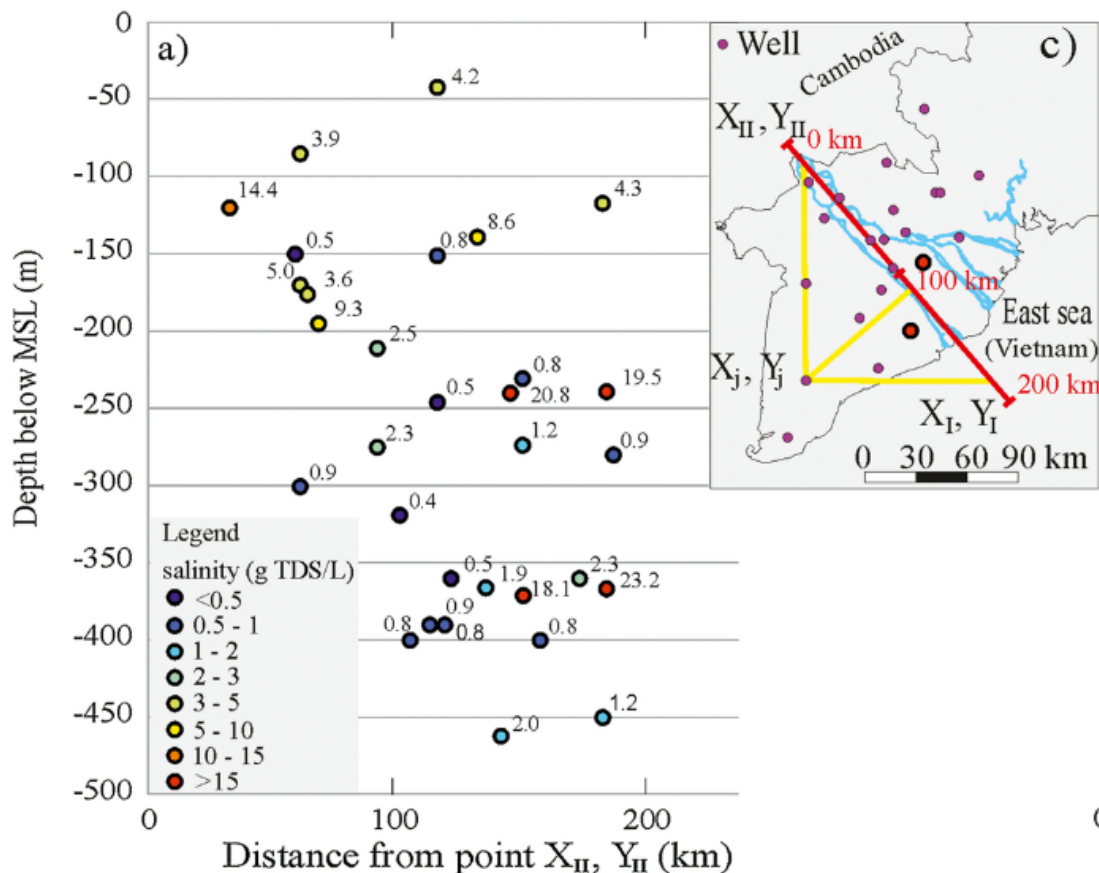


van Engelen et al. (2019, HESSD)

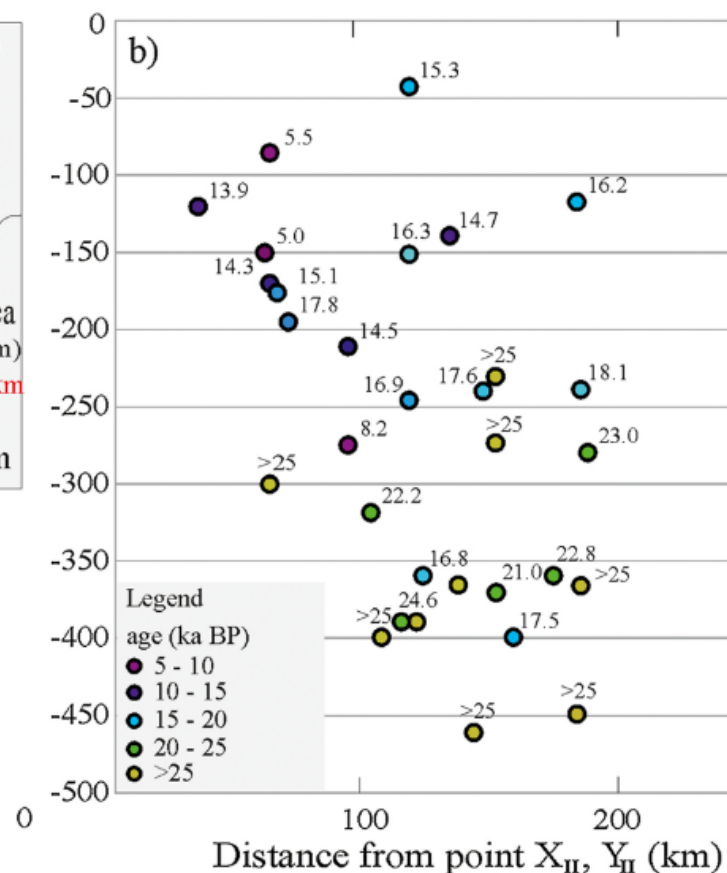
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Paleo reconstruction groundwater salinity: Mekong delta

Observed groundwater salinity



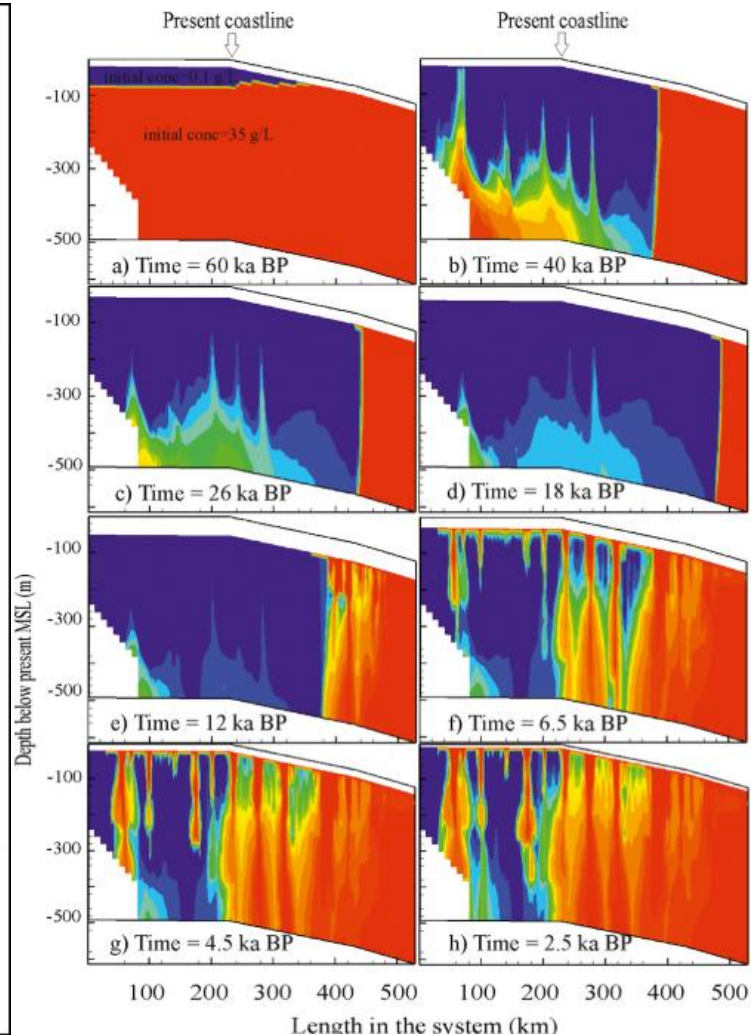
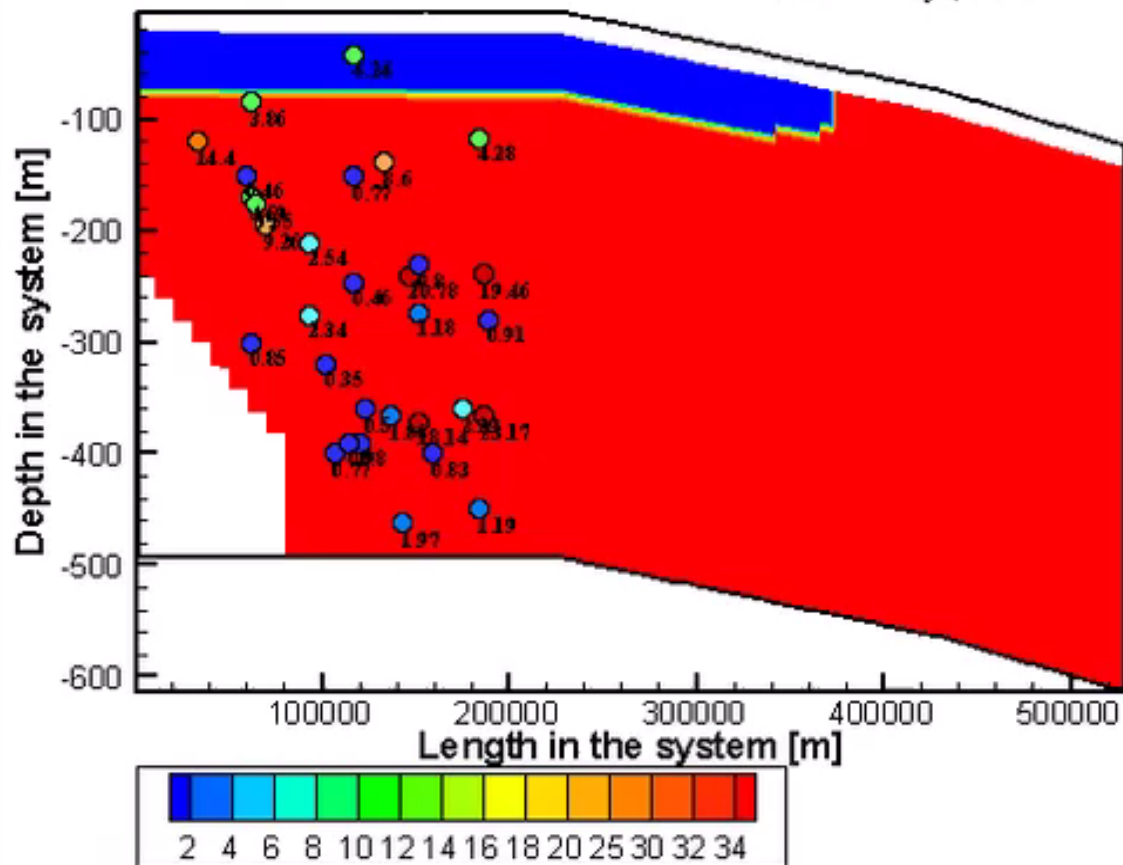
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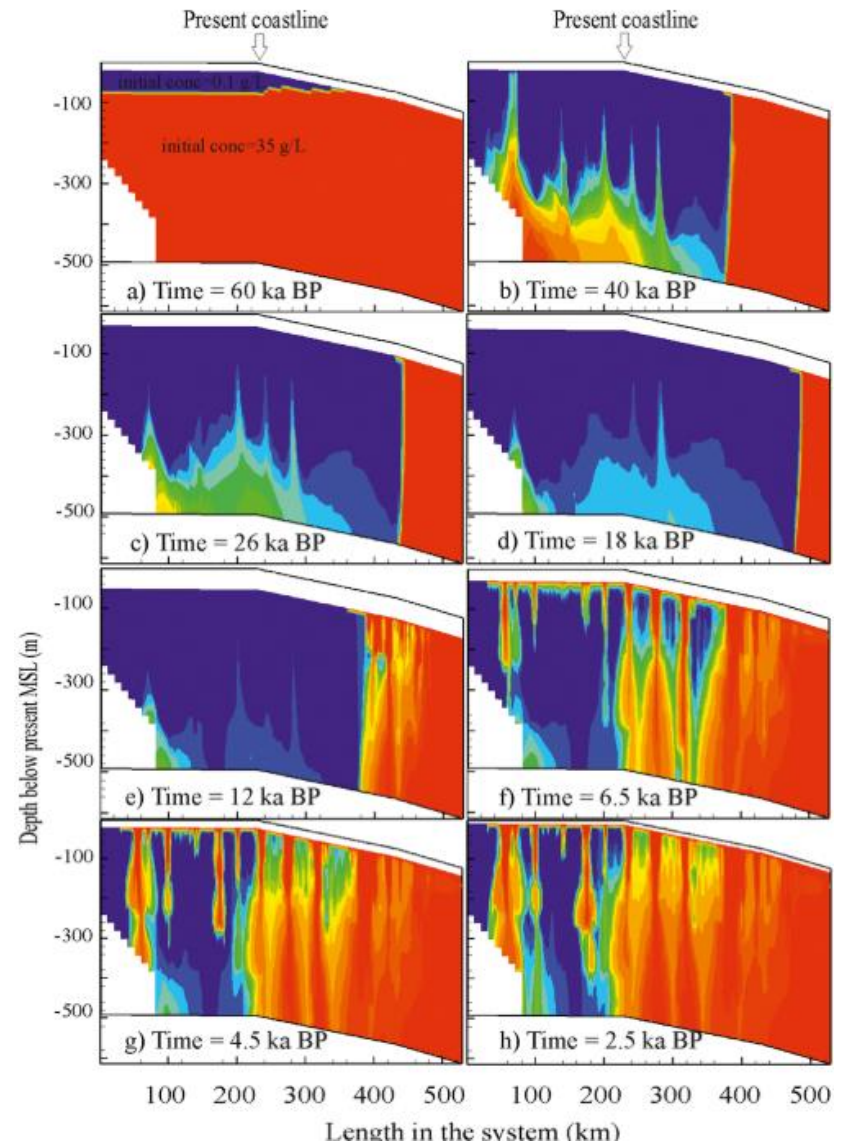
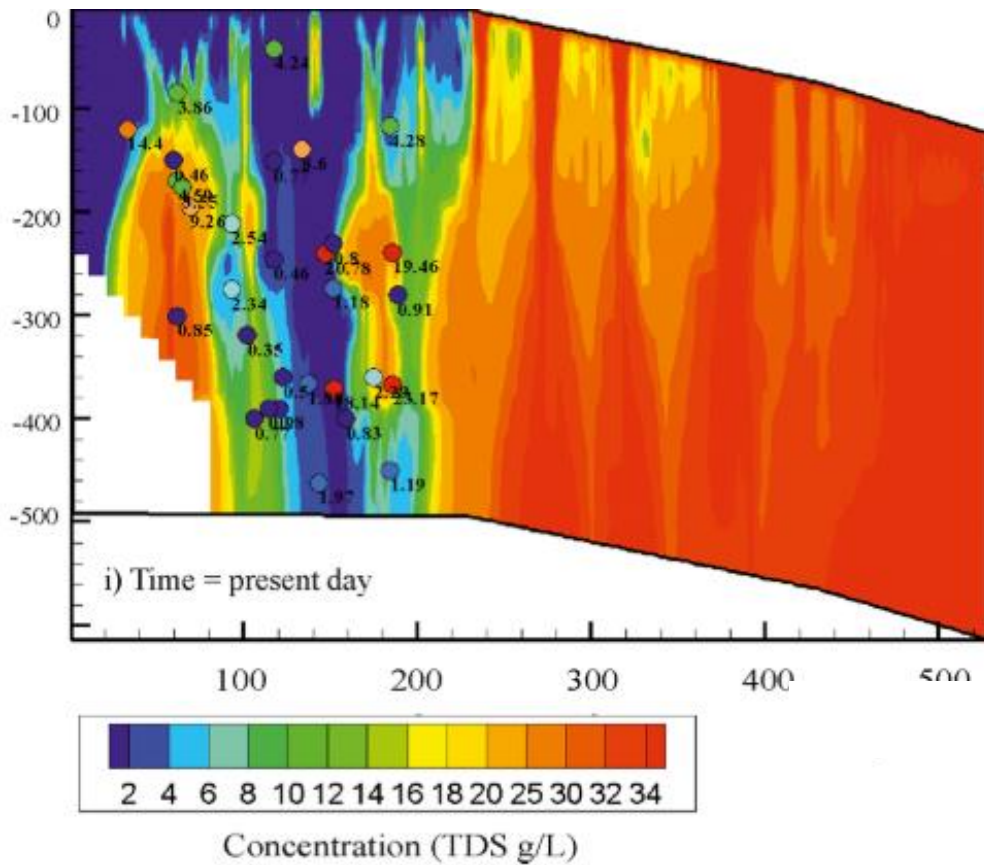
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Mekong Delta, Vietnam, 2D conceptual model

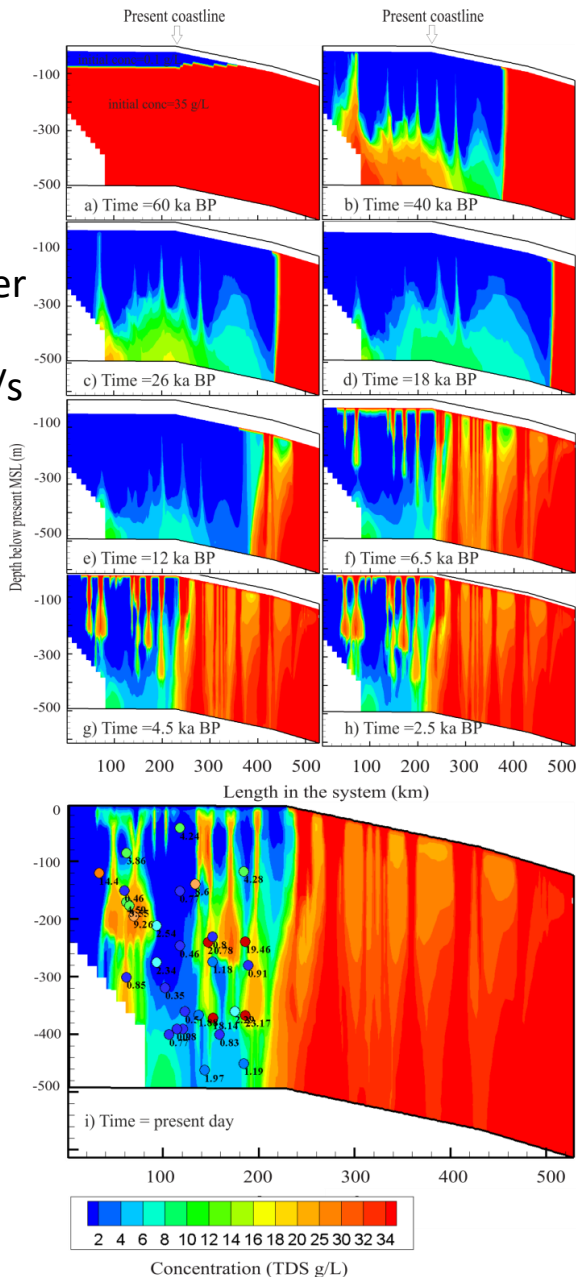
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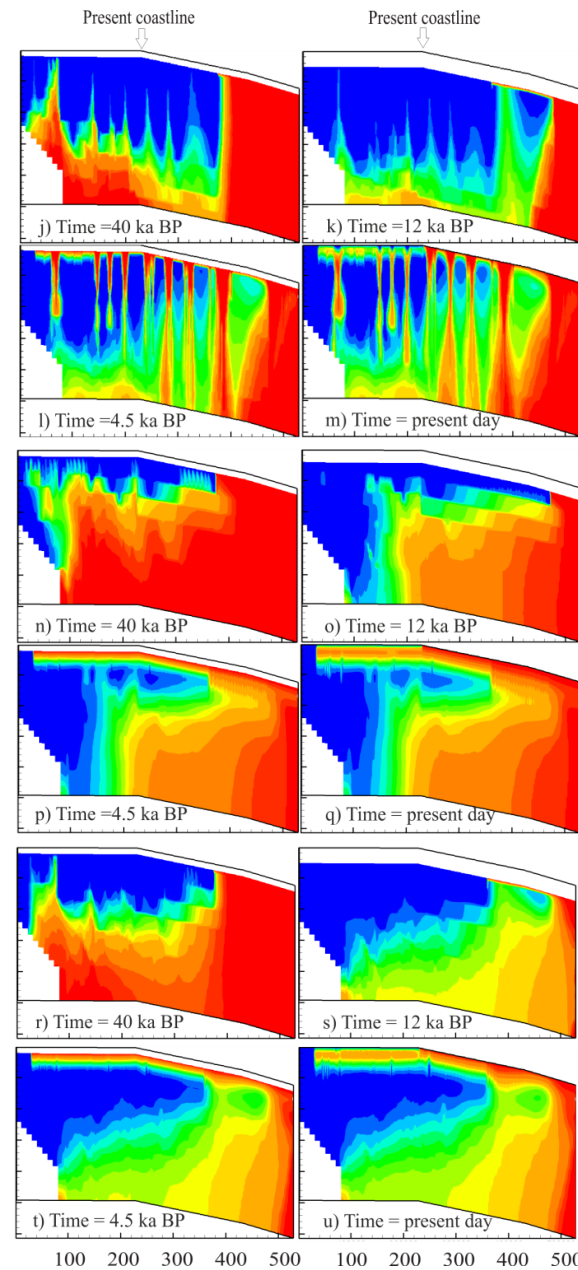
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reference case
“geology i”
 more
 disconnected
 strata and thinner
 aquitards
 with $K_h = 10^{-7}$ m/s



“geology ii”
 more connected
 thicker aquitards
 with $K_h = 10^{-7}$ m/s

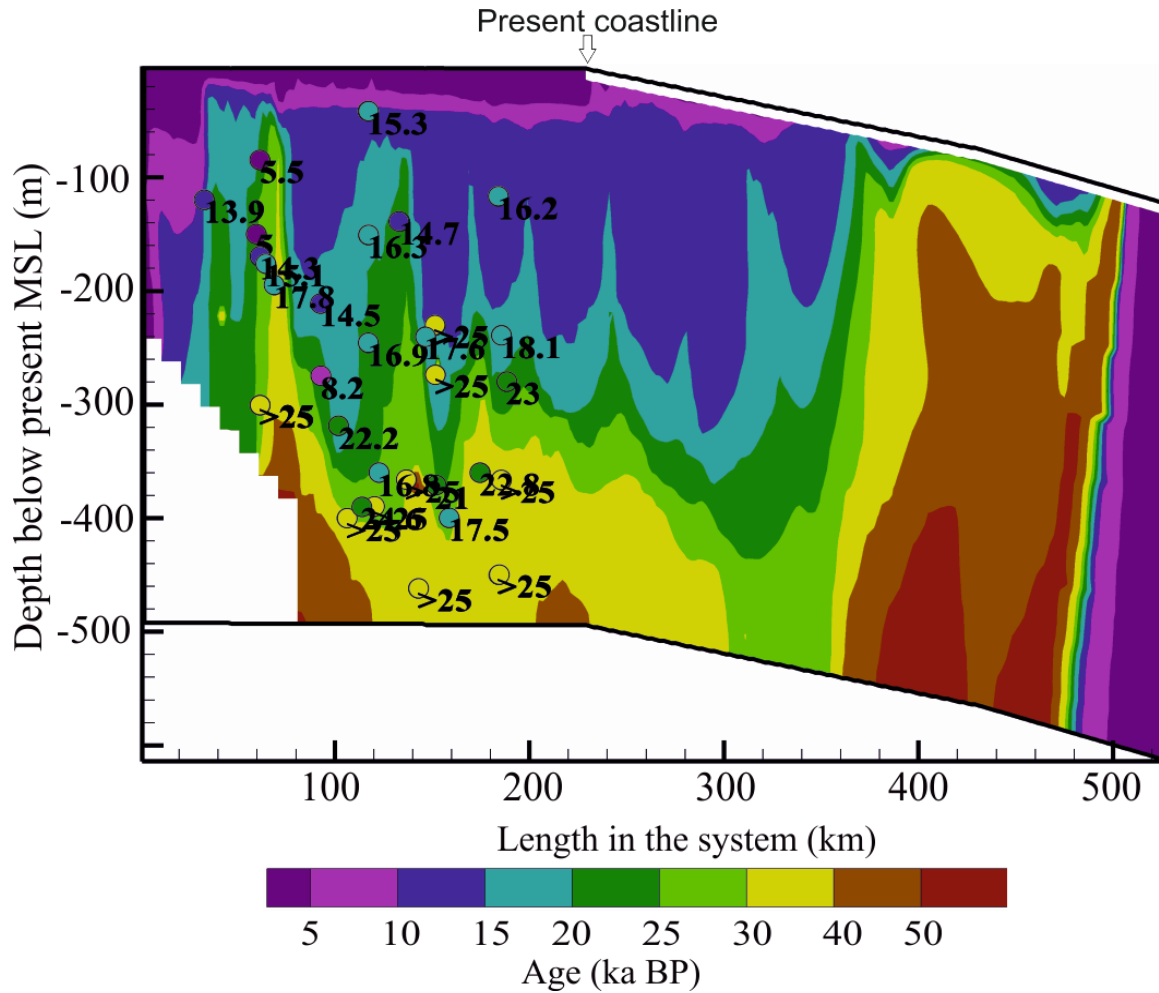


“geology iii”
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Results of ref case, modelled and observed age

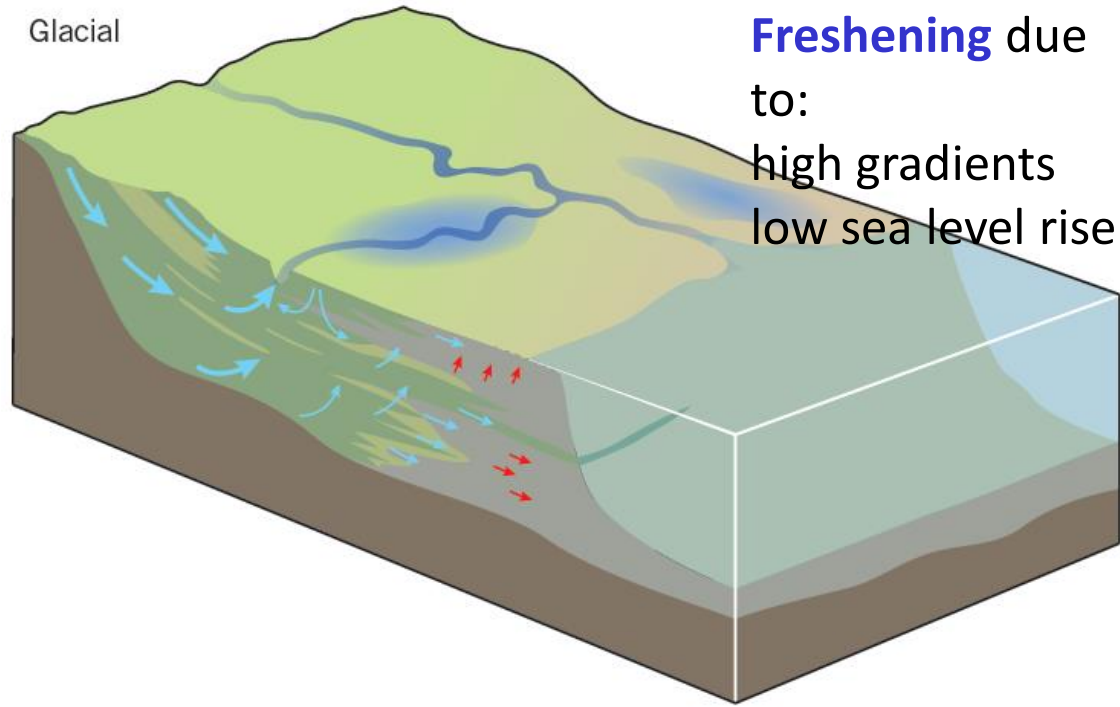
Modeled GW age distribution reference case at present day



- Most fresh groundwater in the Vietnamese Mekong Delta was recharged 60-12 kyr ago
- Presently, groundwater is hardly being recharged due to high resistance top layer

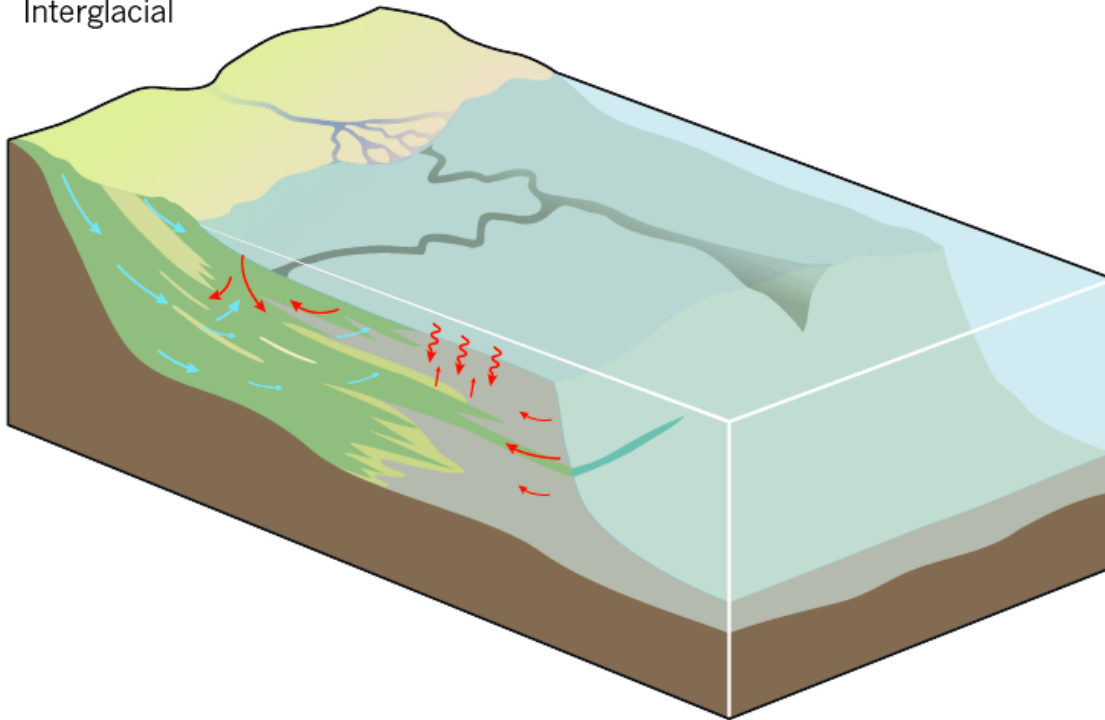
Genesis and preservation

Glacial



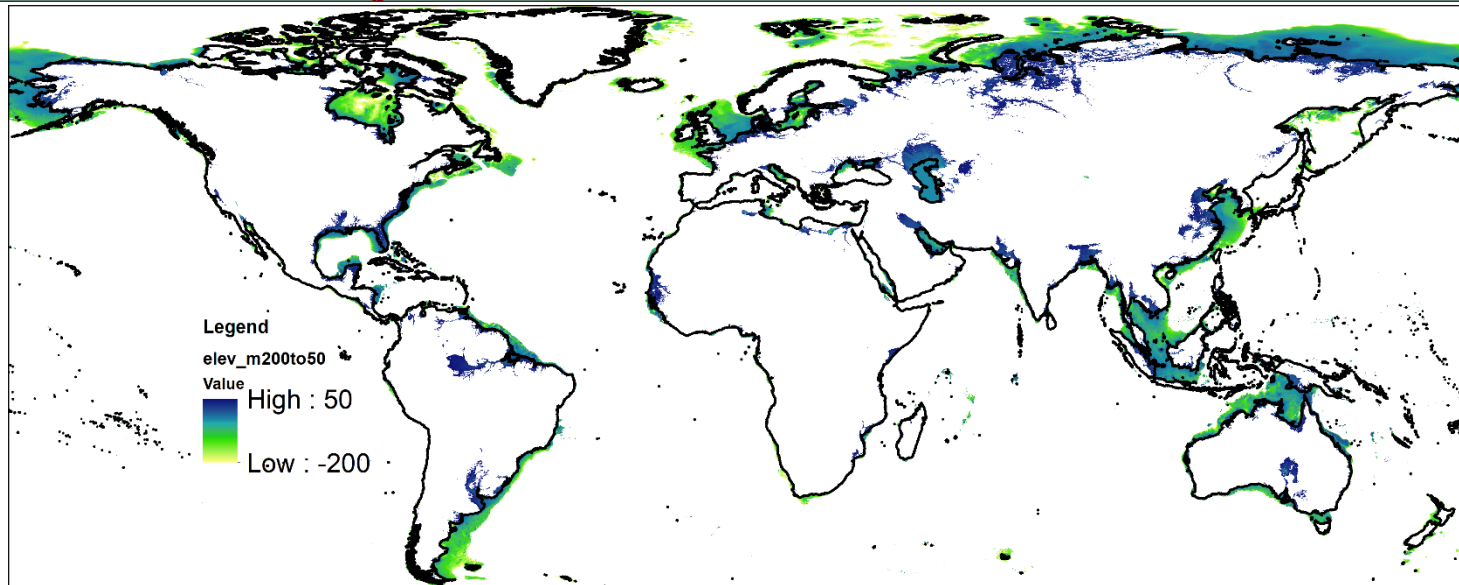
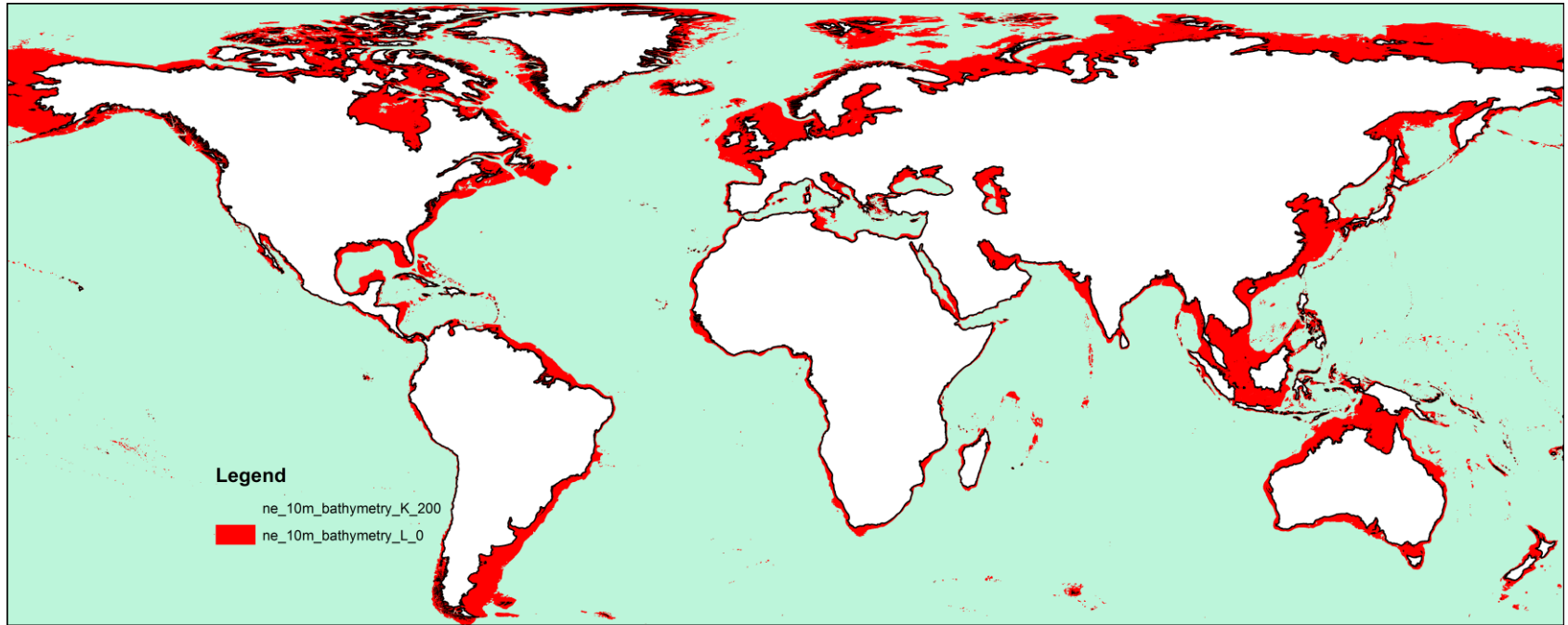
Freshening due to:
high gradients
low sea level rise

Interglacial



Salinisation due to:
marine transgression
and vertical inflow of
saline surface water

Possible locations of offshore (submarine) groundwater

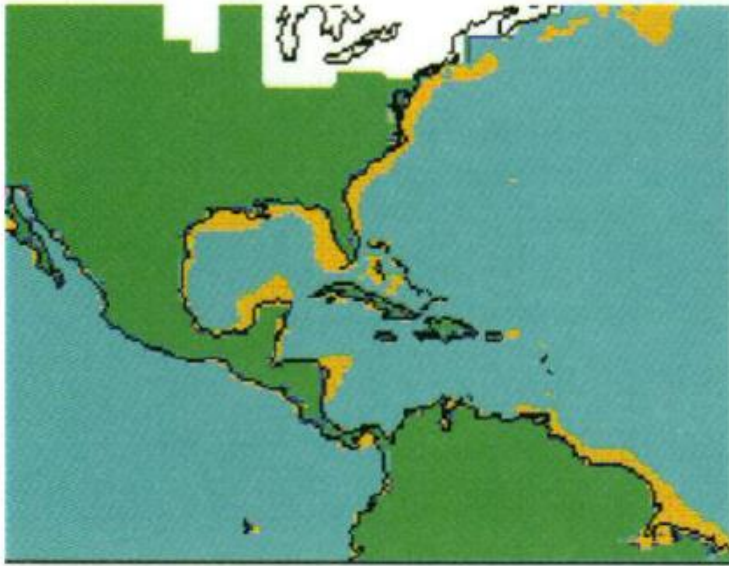


World map of topography and bathymetry showing known occurrences of fresh and brackish offshore groundwater



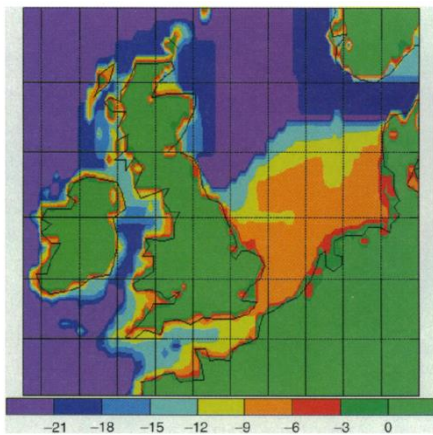
Coastal zone cases around the world

Occurrence related to dynamic sea-levels and coastlines

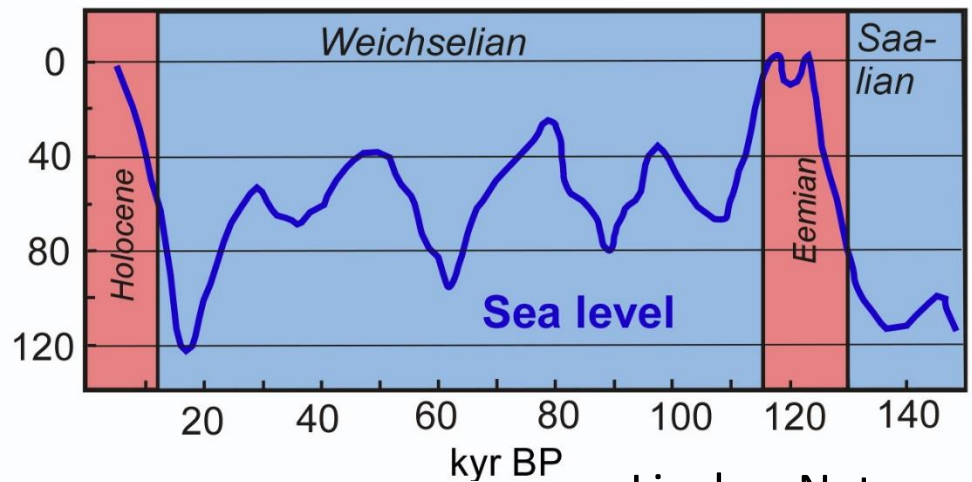


Exposed continental shelves

Peltier, *Science*, 1994

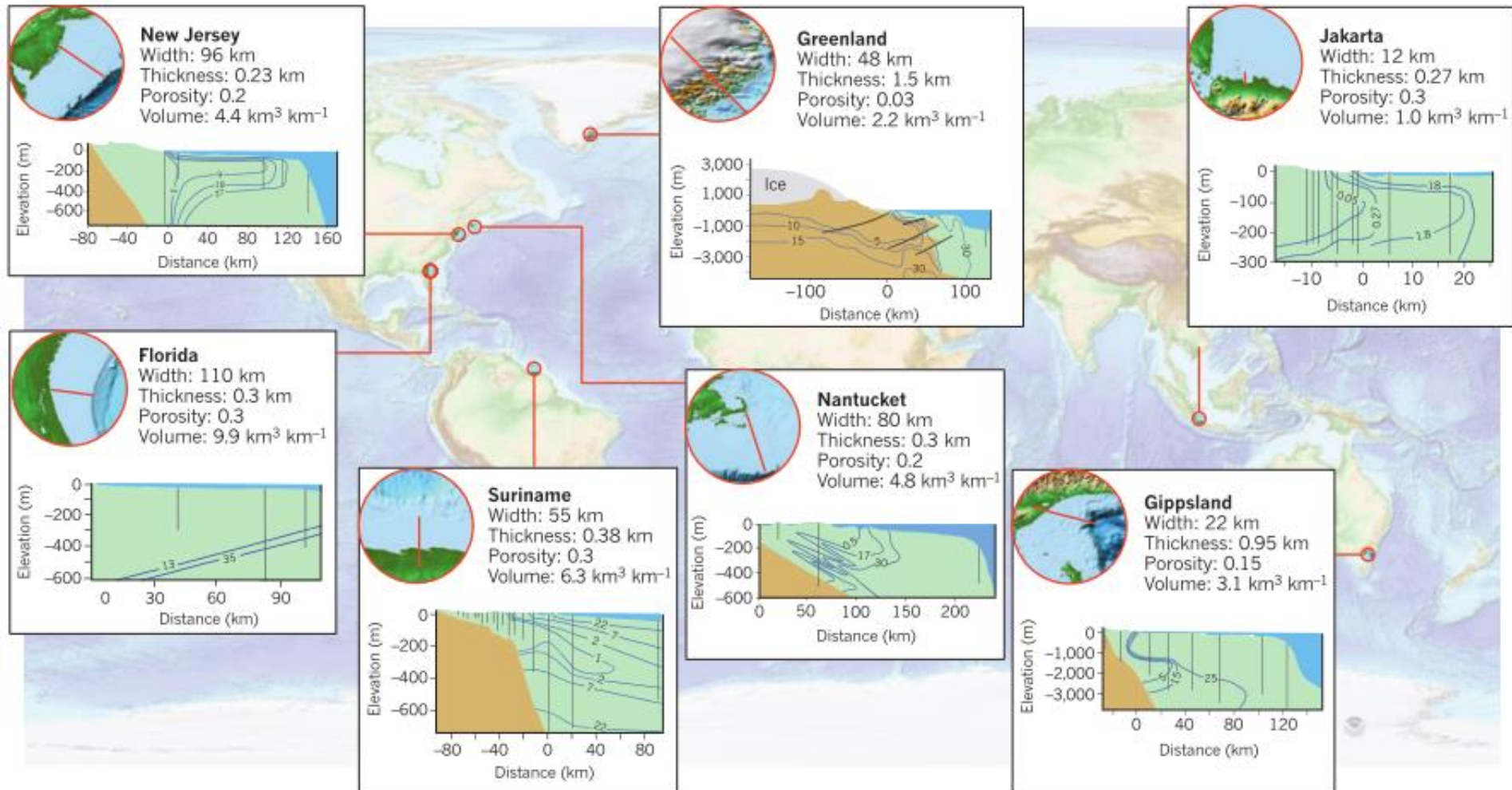


Inundated (kyr BP)



Linsley, *Nature*, 1996

Global overview of inferred key metrics and cross sections of well-characterised vast meteoric groundwater reserves



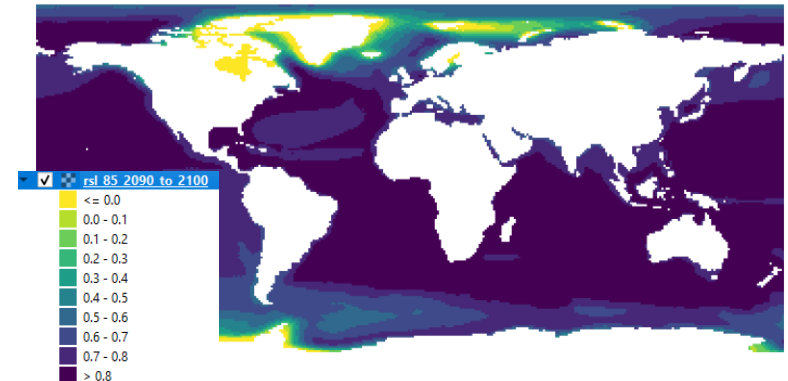
Work Daniel Zamsky: Data sources and general approach

1. Global data (DEM, hydrogeology, groundwater recharge)
2. Modelling 2D profiles in unconsolidated sediment media (including paleo-reconstruction)
3. SLR based on IPCC-SROCC (2019) report, regional SLR for RCPs 2.5, 4.5, 8.5, up to 2100 (global till 2300)

TABLE 1 | Global datasets collected and used as input.

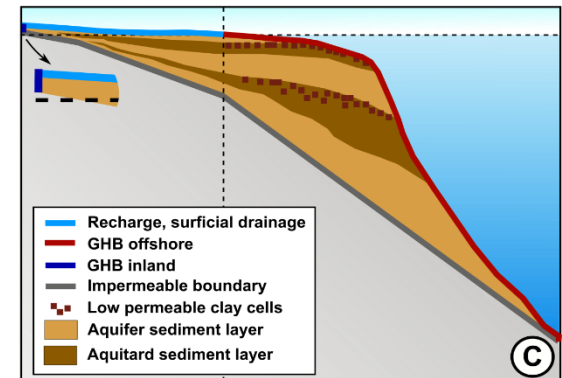
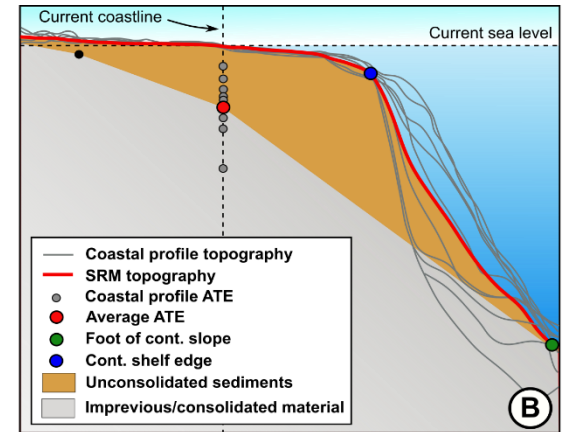
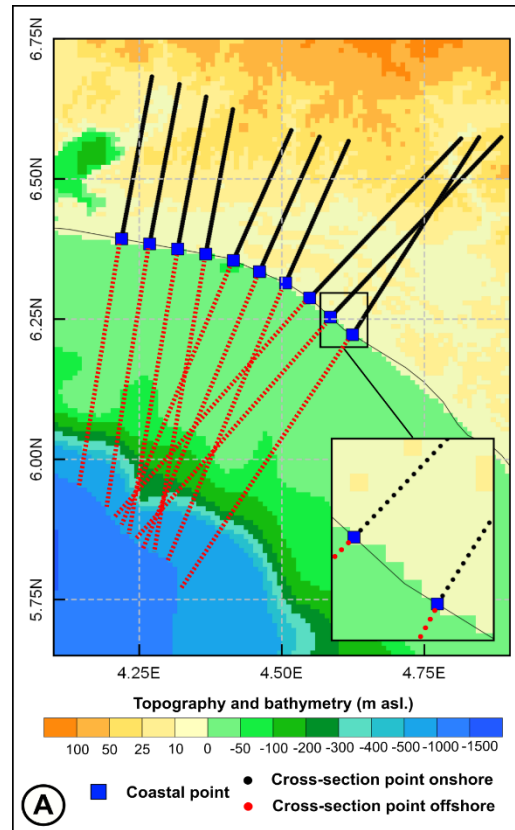
Dataset name	Description	Resolution	References
GEBCO 2014 ^{1,2}	Global topography and bathymetry	30"	Weatherall et al., 2015
ATE ²	Unconsolidated groundwater system thickness estimation (unconsolidated sediments only)	Vector	Zamrsky et al., 2018
P ² , ET ²	Long term average annual precipitation and evapotranspiration	30"	NTSG, 2019
GLHYMPS ²	Bottom aquifer hydraulic conductivity	30"	Gleeson et al., 2014
GLHYMPS 2.0 (GUM) ²	Upper aquifer hydraulic conductivity	30"	Huscroft et al., 2018
Soilgrids ²	Soil layer thickness	30"	Hingl et al., 2014
Soil hydraulic properties ²	Global soil hydraulic conductivity	30"	Montzka et al., 2017
COSCAT ^{1,2}	Segmentation of the shelf and basins	Vector	Meybeck et al., 2006
MARCAT ¹	Segmentation of the shelf and basins, typology	Vector	Laruelle et al., 2013
WTD ²	Water table depth (relative to sea level)	30"	Fan et al., 2017
Ocean floor age ¹	Age of oceanic bottom	2'	Müller et al., 2008
Delta dispersion ¹	Dispersion system classification	Vector	Walsh and Nittrouer, 2009
Delta location	Location of 40 largest deltas worldwide	Vector	Tessler et al., 2015
LGM ¹	Last glacial maximum global extent	Vector	Ehlers and Gibbard (2004)
Tectonic plate boundaries ¹	Indicates passive/active margins	Vector	Coffin et al., n.d.
GLIM ¹	Global lithology classification	Vector	Hartmann and Moosdorf, 2012
Seafloor sediment type	Seafloor lithology classification	6'	Dutkiewicz et al., 2015

¹Used for estimating the global geological heterogeneity; ²used as input for SEAWAT models, implemented using SEAWAT (Langevin et al., 2008).

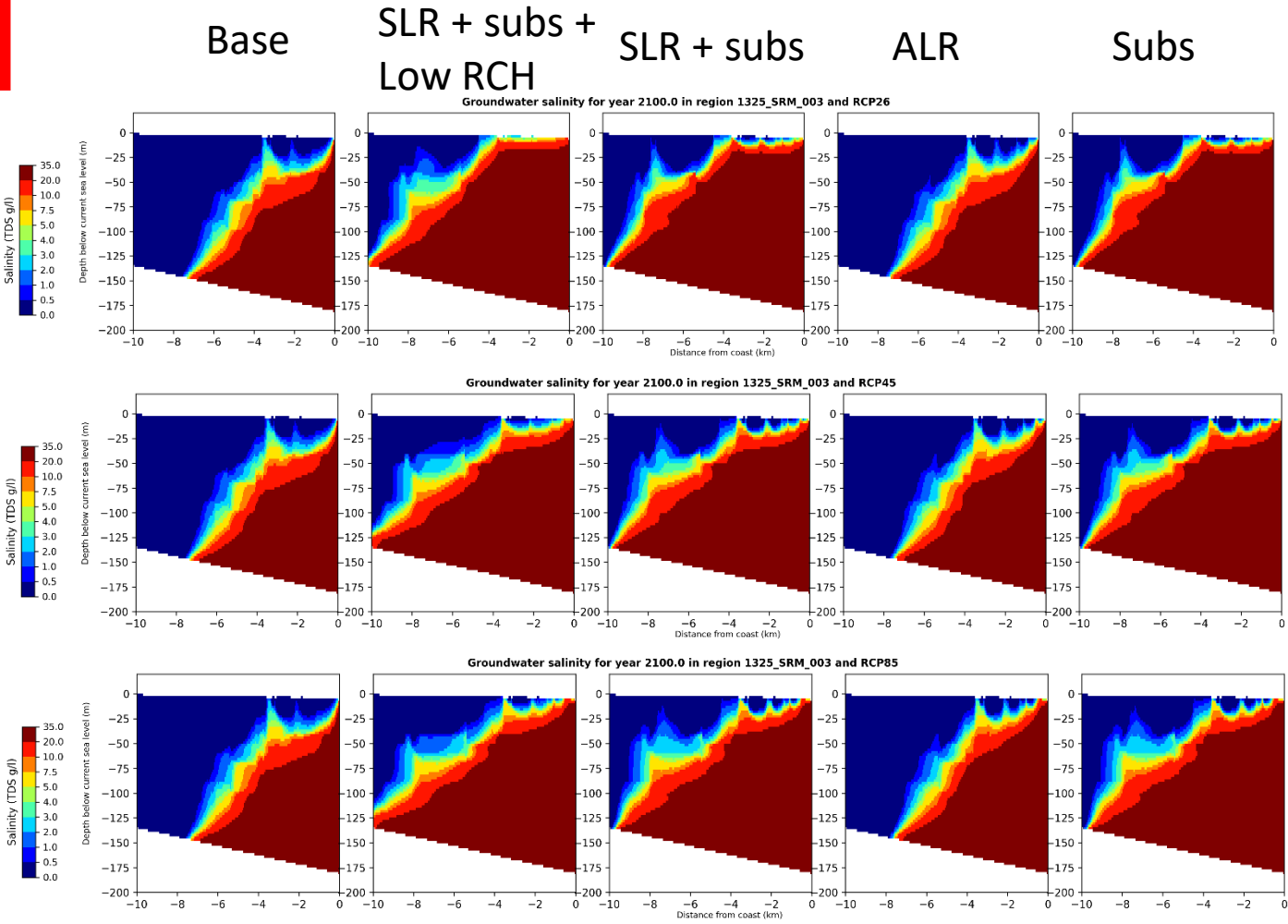
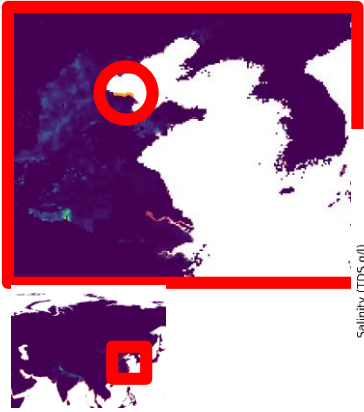


Modelling setup

1. Average representative profile aggregated over a larger coastal region (hundreds of km)
2. Several geological scenario conditions to cover uncertainties (Zamrsky et al. 2018, 2020)
3. Results as change in fresh groundwater volume compared to 2000AD



Example results



Estimated volumes of offshore fresh groundwater volumes

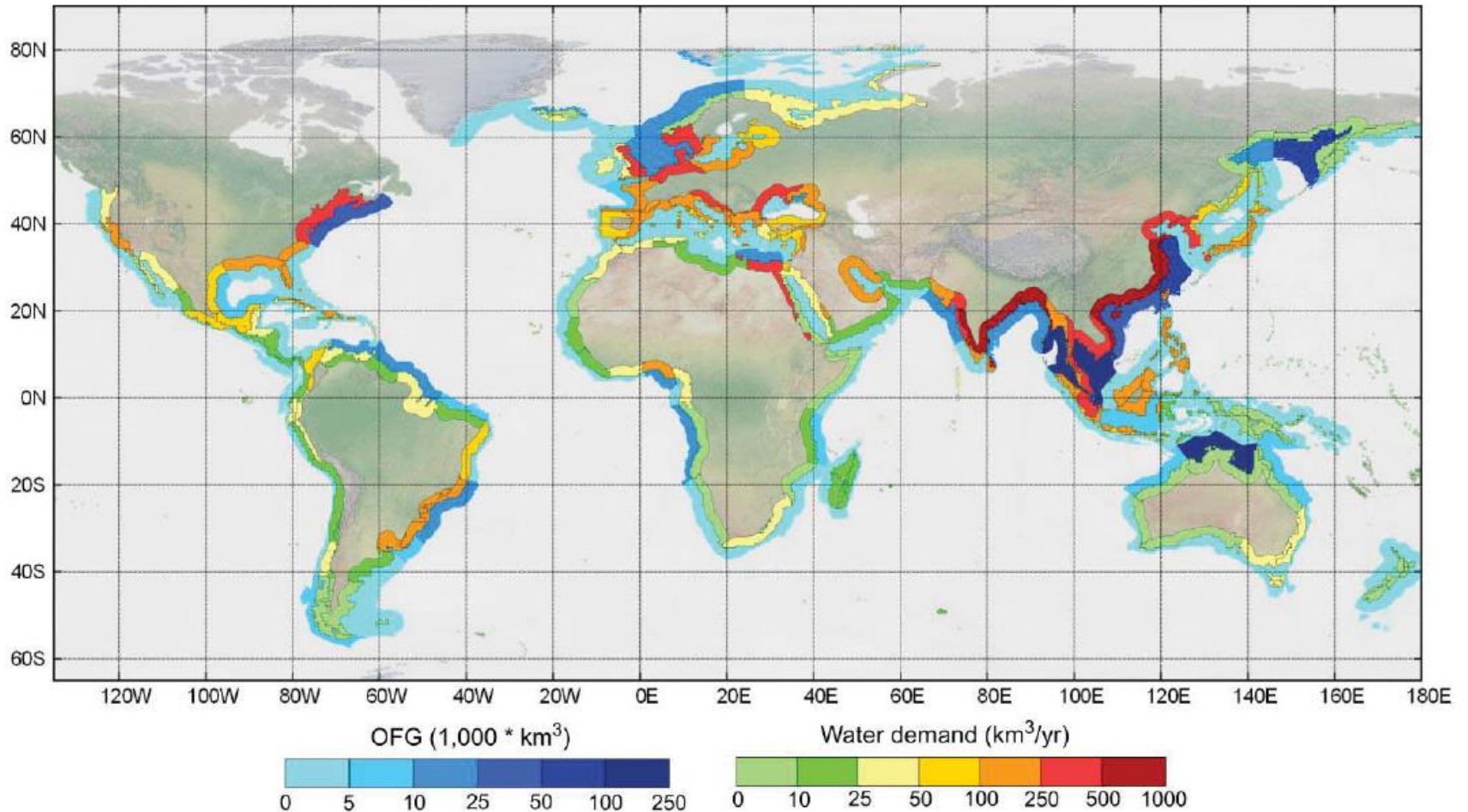


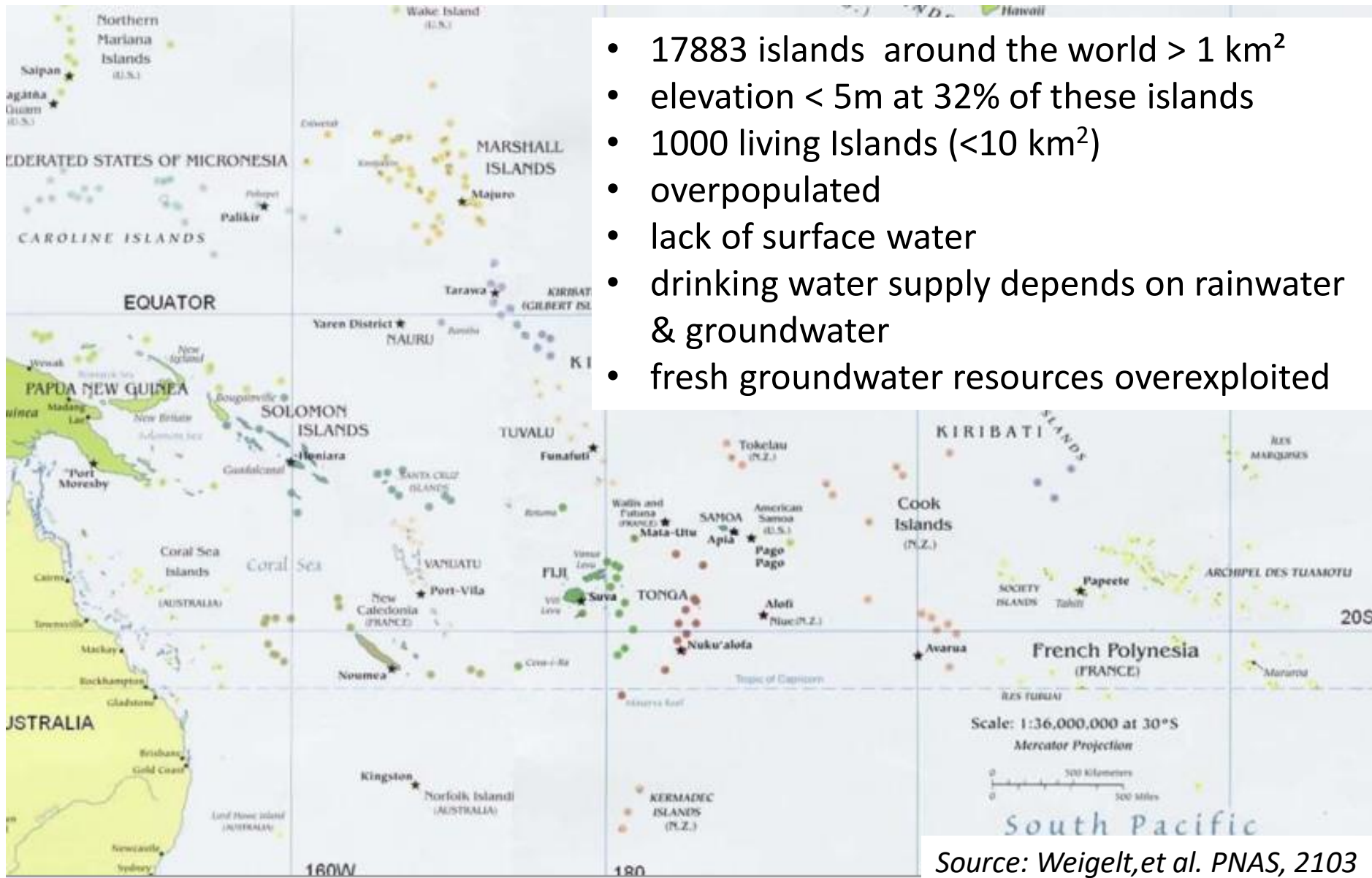
Figure 1 Estimated regional OFG volumes (in 1,000 km³) plotted with regional coastal current water demand (km³/yr) based on the global hydrological and water resources model PCR-GLOBWB (30). Note that gross water demand is plotted, which includes losses and return flows. South-east and East Asia stands out as regions where OFG could provide an additional source of fresh water and therefore has most potential for OFG exploration.



Fresh groundwater resources in SIDS under climate and global stresses



Facts SIDS: small island developing states in Pacific



- 17883 islands around the world > 1 km²
- elevation < 5m at 32% of these islands
- 1000 living Islands (<10 km²)
- overpopulated
- lack of surface water
- drinking water supply depends on rainwater & groundwater
- fresh groundwater resources overexploited

Source: Weigelt, et al. PNAS, 2103

Water resources at SIDS



Headlines: SIDS / Water Resources / Climate Change



Residents of Kiribati make their way home through floodwaters. Rain and warmer weather can exacerbate the high tides that often wash into villages.

**Before we drown
we may die of thirst**

Obama declares disaster as Marshall Islands suffers worst-ever drought



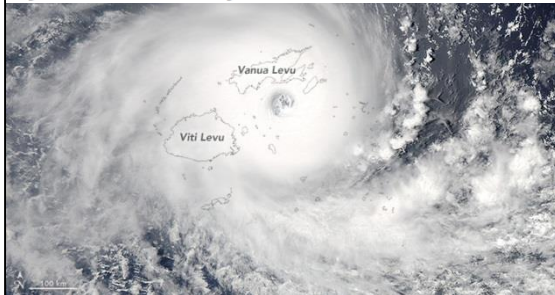
Source: <https://www.theguardian.com>

Running Dry: Almost a year after the drought, Palau is still trying to overcome water challenges

April 8, 2017 | By Bernadette Cannon



Winston the strongest, first Category 5 cyclone to hit Fiji



1907 (Vanuatu) (most likely 1905-1906)

'Emau – we are having a very long drought here and in much need of rain to water the ground...The Emau people have no water either to drink or cook food with, and are boating over from Efate. The coconut trees are ceasing to bear, and some of them are dying....'
The New Hebrides Magazine January 1907 and August 1908.

Case Kiribati: fresh water supply



Credit: Marie Bourrel



Case Kiribati: fresh water supply



Today



~per capita share of the sustainable yield of Bonriki and Buota potable groundwater reserves

~50%

Supply
system
losses

Current
estimates of
leakages and
losses in
transmission

~2 x

More
people

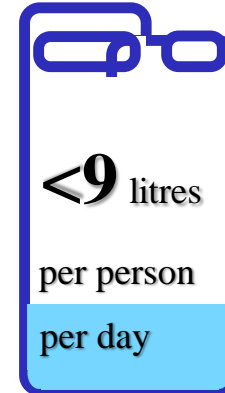
Potential
population
increase at
current
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rates

>5%

Climate
impact

Potential
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2035



assuming 3.47% growth, 5% reduction in sustainable yield, and no changes to current system losses

Source: Hebblethwaite, D. (2015)

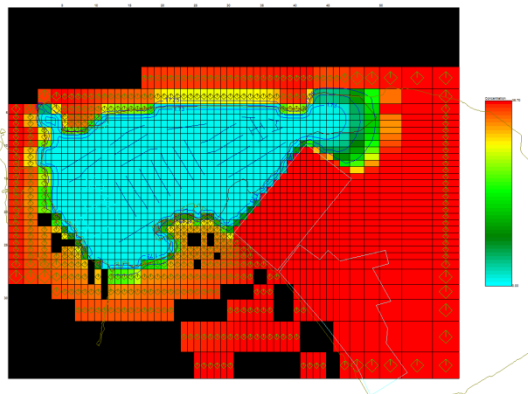
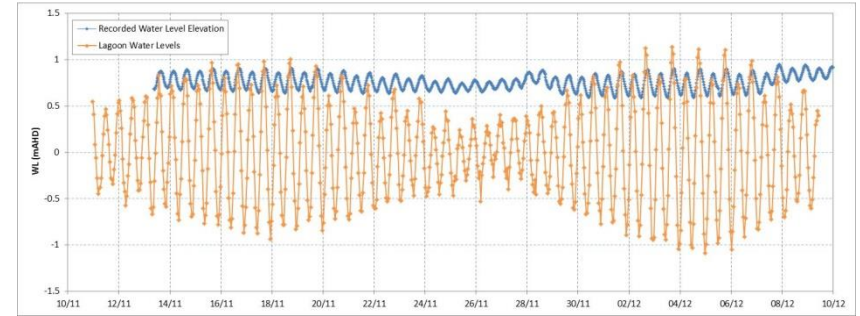
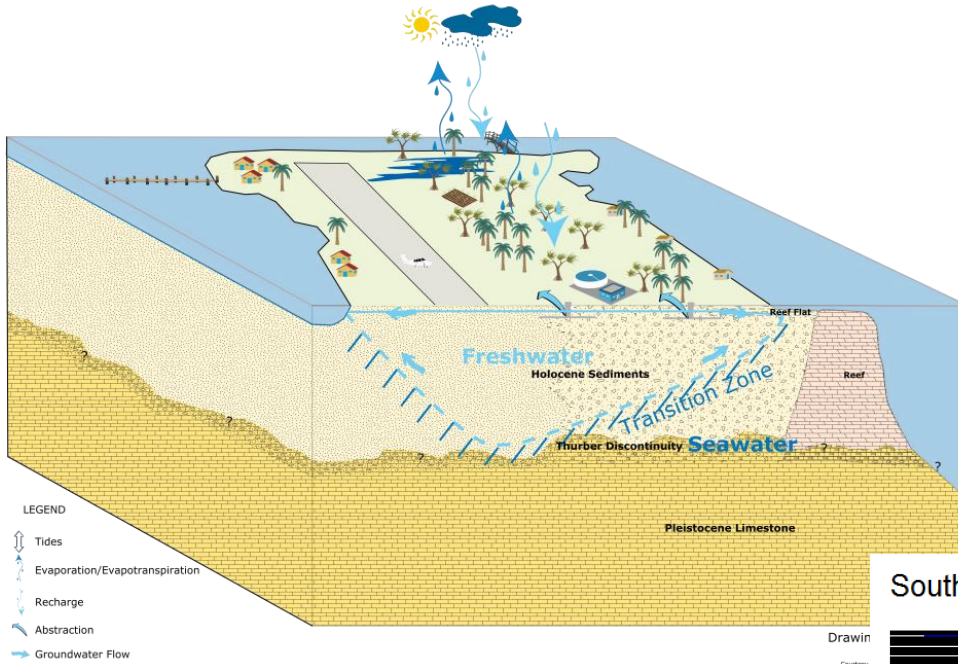
The challenge



“Before we drown we may die of thirst”
(Weiss, 2015)

Anote Tong President of Kiribati

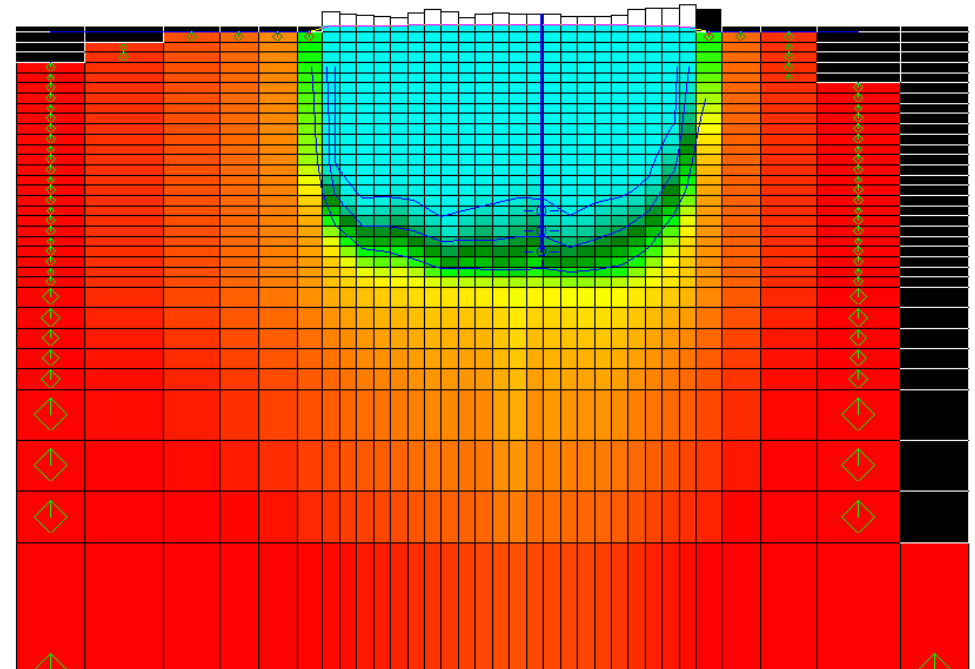
Case Kiribati: Conceptual and numerical modelling tools



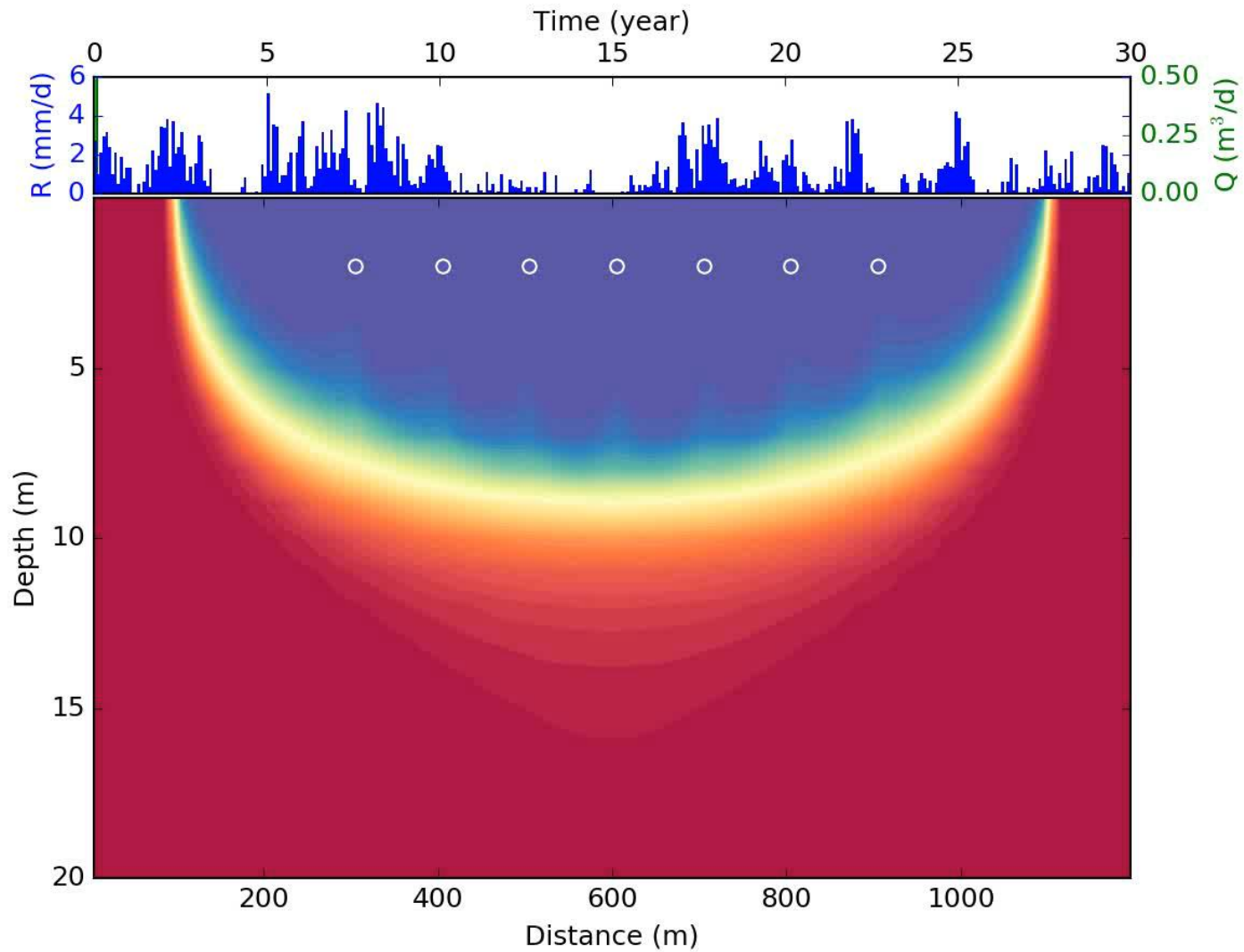
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Cross-Section Along Column 18

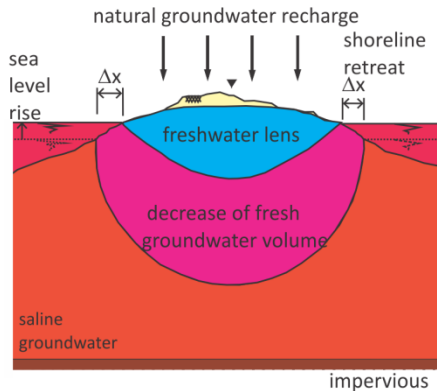
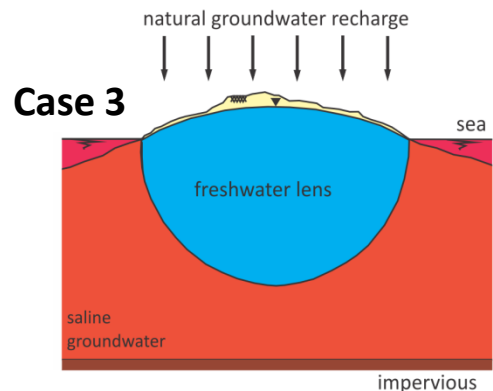
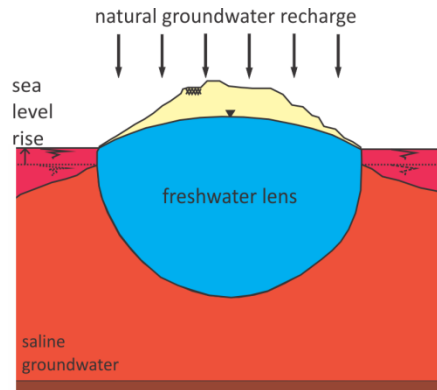
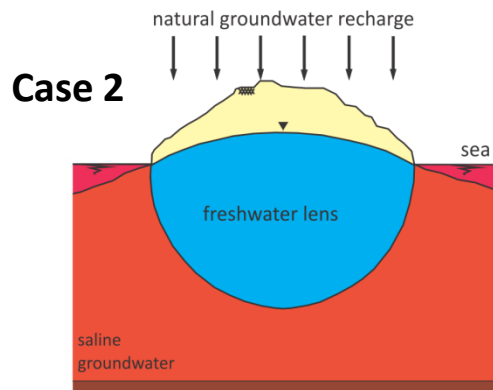
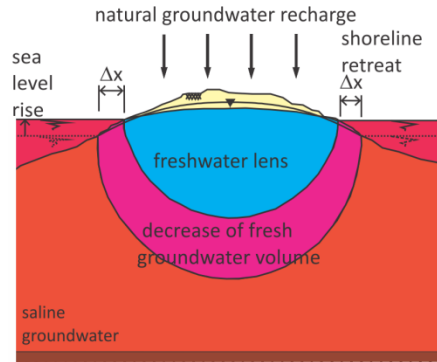
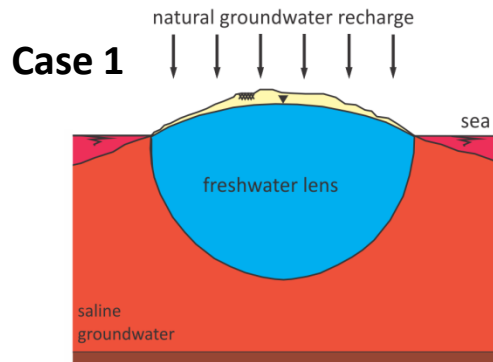
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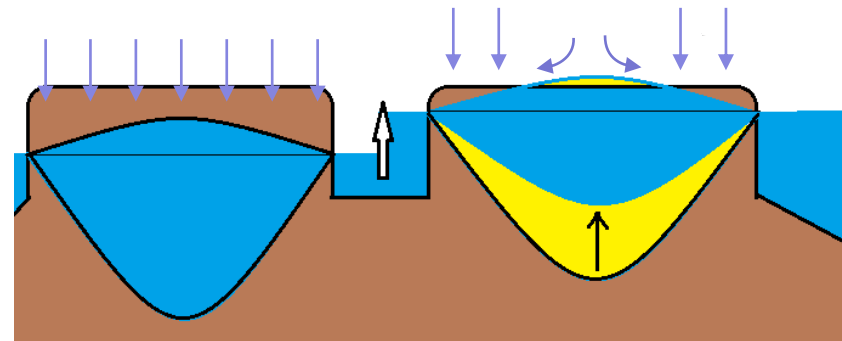
Case Kiribati: Numerical modelling tools



Stresses to fresh groundwater lenses



- erosion reduces fresh groundwater volumes
- volume reduction is linear to erosion width island



Case Kiribati: Understanding the groundwater system



Mapping the salinity distribution

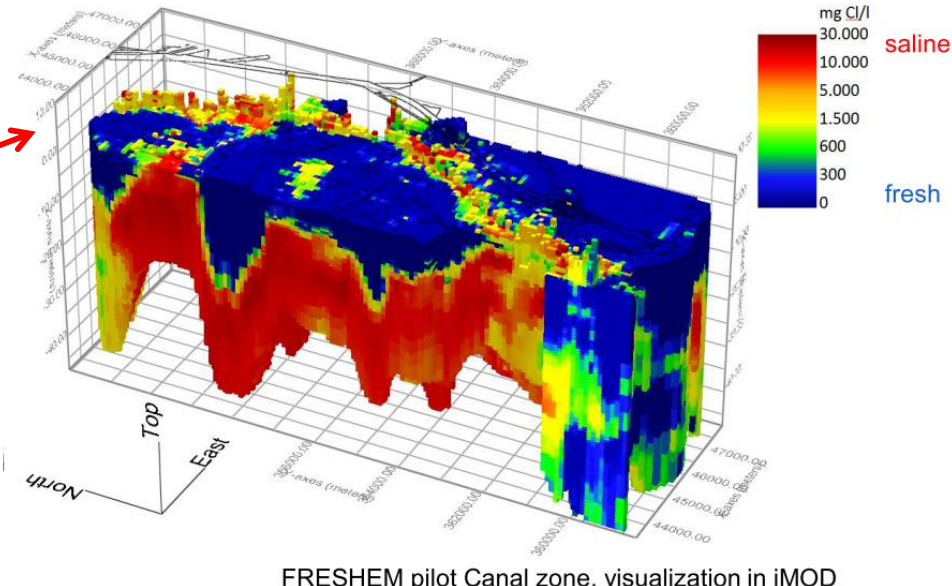
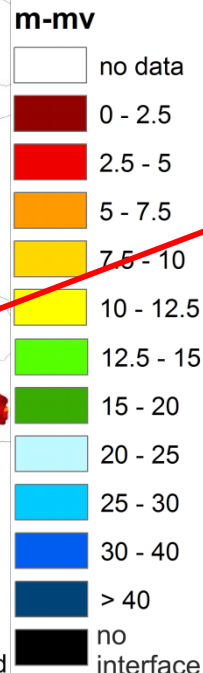
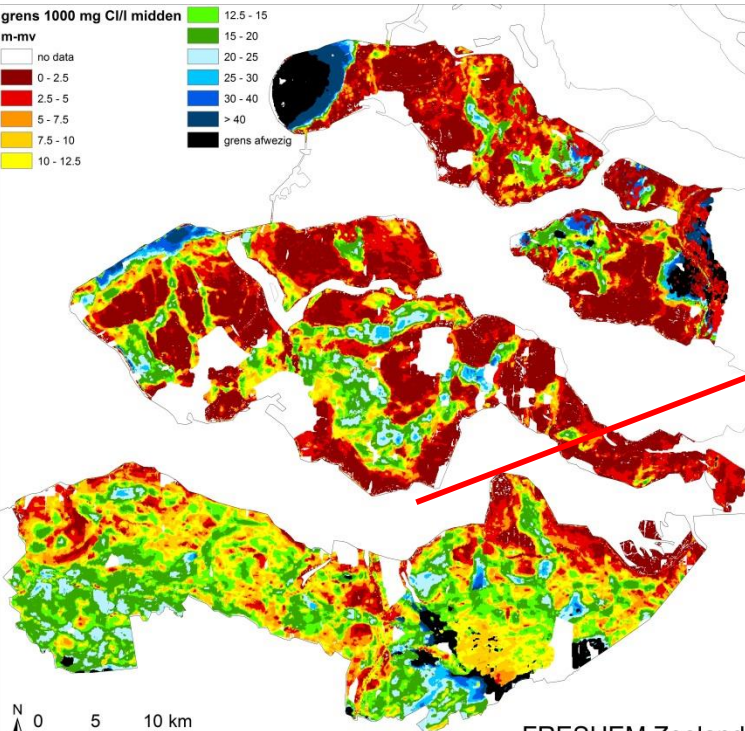
Airborne EM surveys:
 much cheaper, faster, 3D, AND
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TNO innovation for life

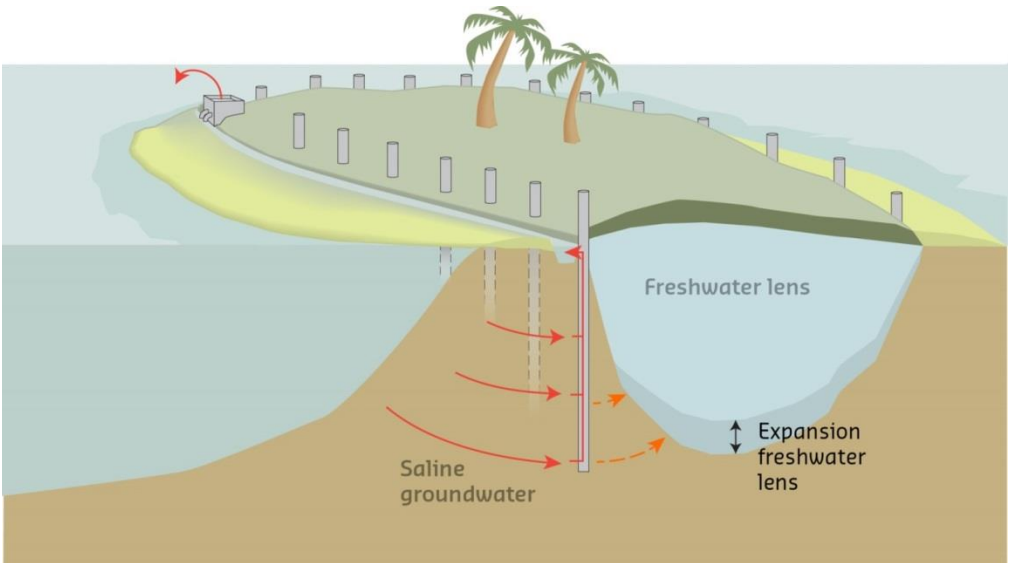
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Deltares
 Enabling Delta Life

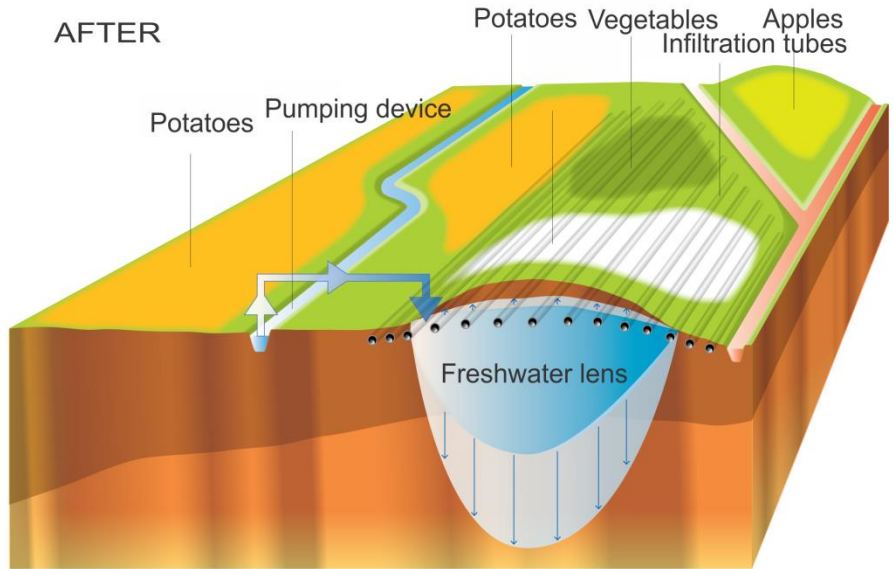
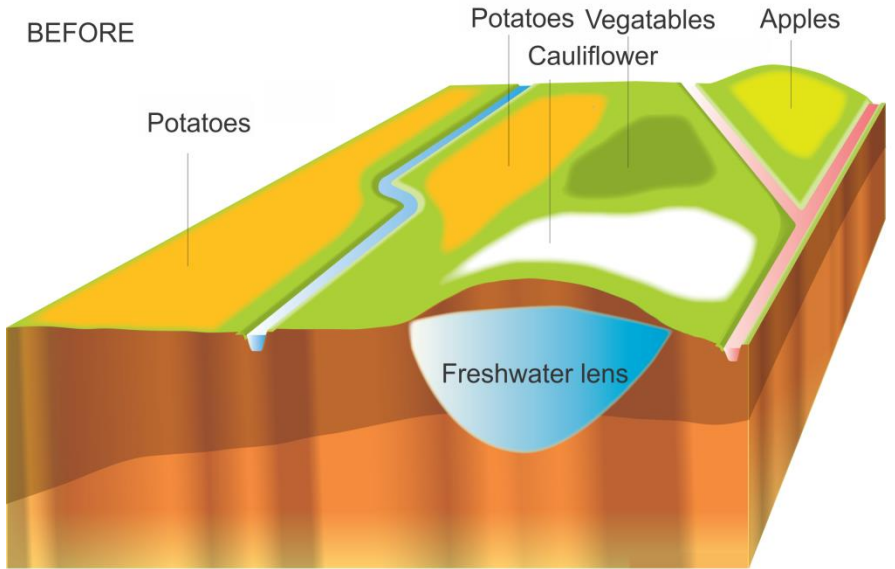


Seepage systems

Tested seepage system for
Protecting fresh groundwater
resources on small oceanic islands
from sea-level rise: SEEPCAT



Aquifer Storage and Recovery / Managed Aquifer Recharge

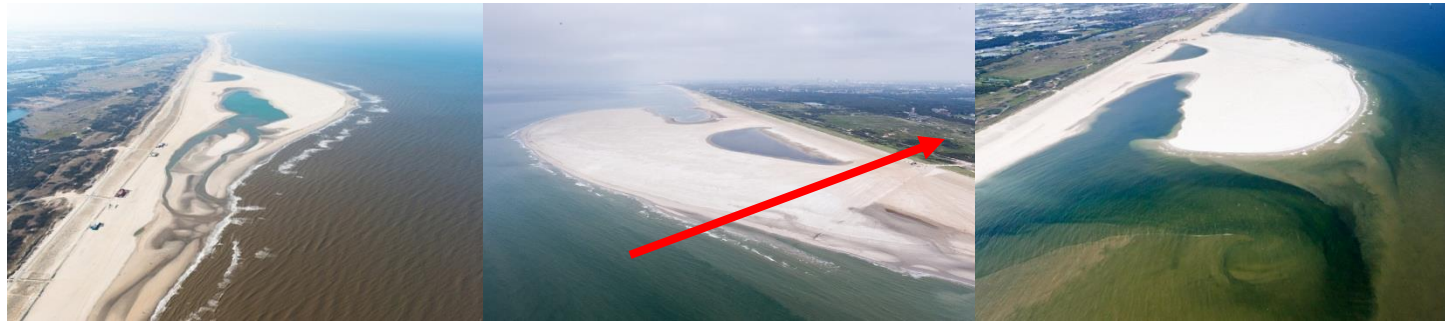


Saline water Clay
Fresh (ground) water Sand

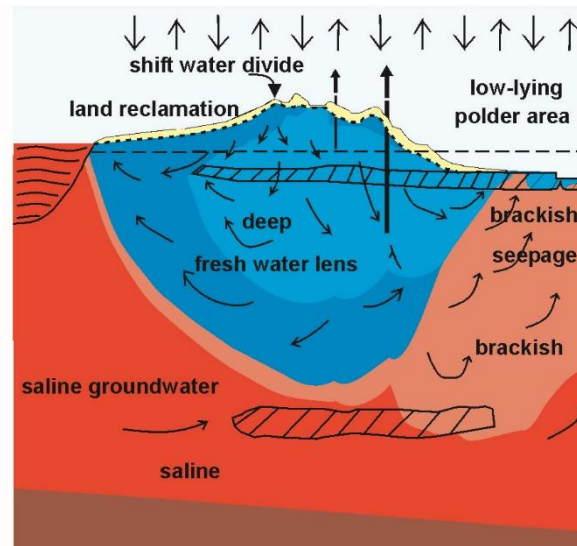
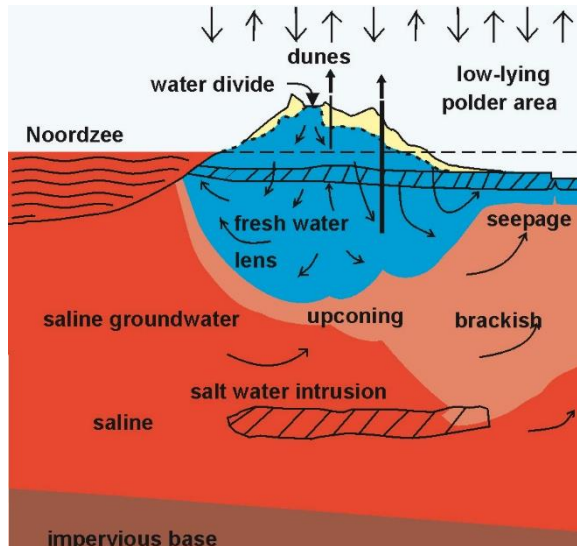
Saline water Clay
Fresh (ground) water Sand
Fresh (ground) water after measure



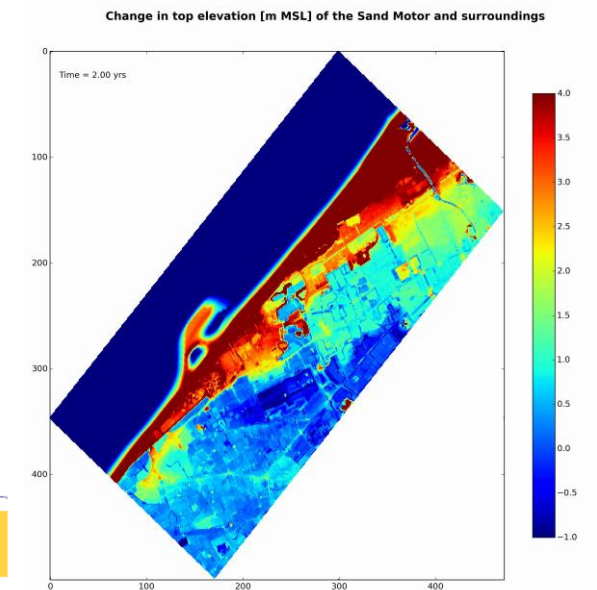
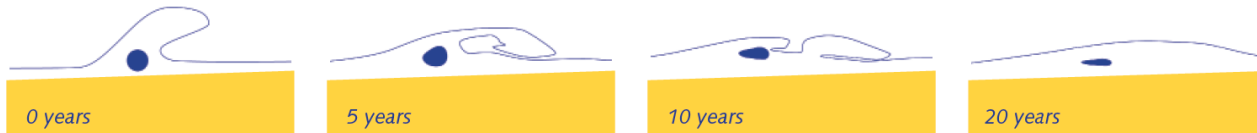
Increase strategic freshwater reservoirs in the coastal zone



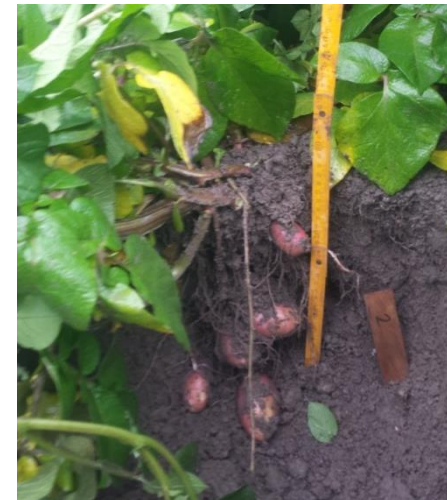
200m width sand suppletion at the Dutch Coast will on the long run to a built-up of ~1000 million m³ fresh groundwater



Development of the Sand Motor



Salt resistant crops on salinized soils





Global Quick Scan of the Vulnerability of Groundwater systems to Tsunamis*

**or other flooding events*

Daniel Zamrsky^{1,2}, Marta Faneca Sánchez¹, **Gu Oude Essink**^{1,3}

Subsurface and Groundwater Systems

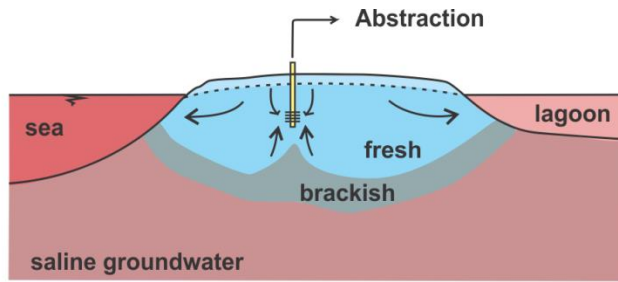
Deltares, The Netherlands

freshsalt.deltares.nl

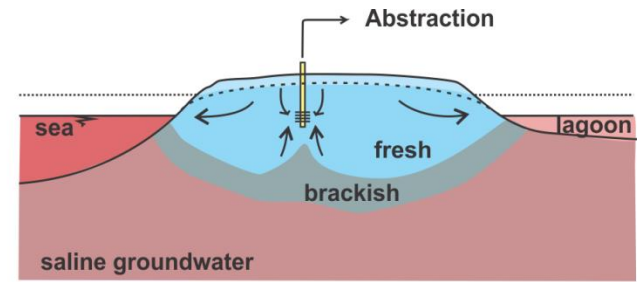
1. *Sense of Urgency*
2. *Approach*
 - vulnerability Tsunami index map
 - modelling salt groundwater
3. *Preliminary results*

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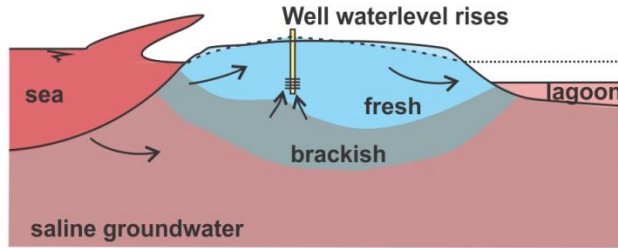
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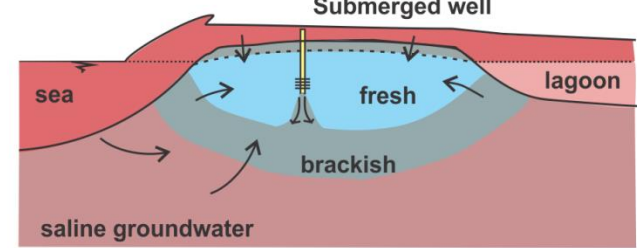
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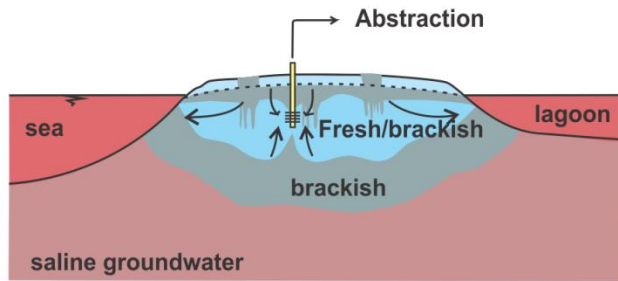
2. Just before Tsunami:
Lowering of sea- and lagoonwater level



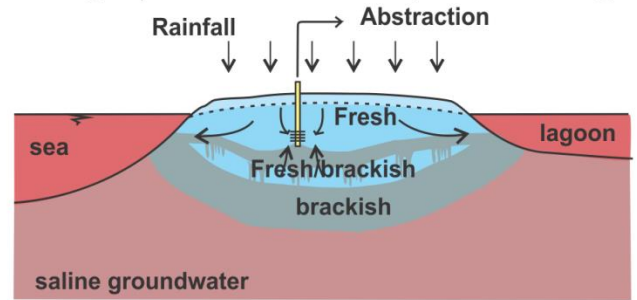
3. Just before Tsunami:
Subsurface pressure wave precedes surface wave



4. During Tsunami: Flooding of island,
mixing of water due to sudden pressure changes



5. After Tsunami
Freshwater mixed with brackish water

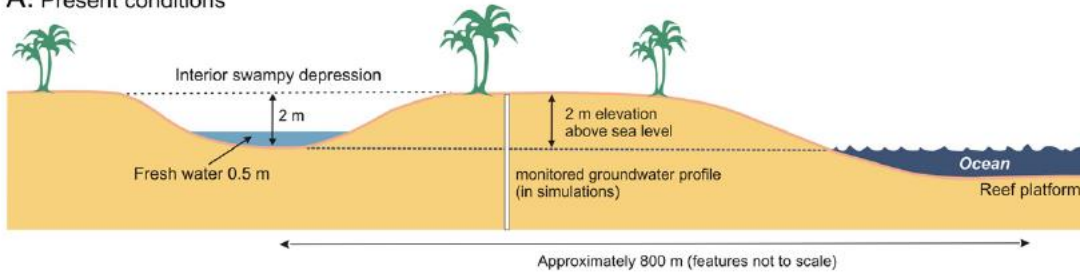


6. After Tsunami
Recharge by rainfall replaces brackish water

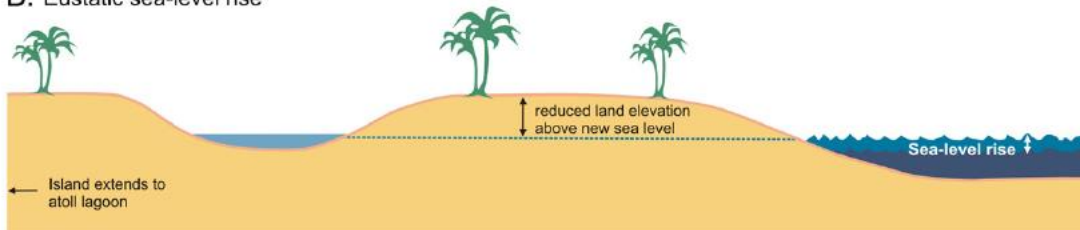


The fate of freshwater lenses on atoll

A. Present conditions



B. Eustatic sea-level rise



C. Cyclone washover after eustatic SLR



D. Cyclone washover with accompanying temporary SLR

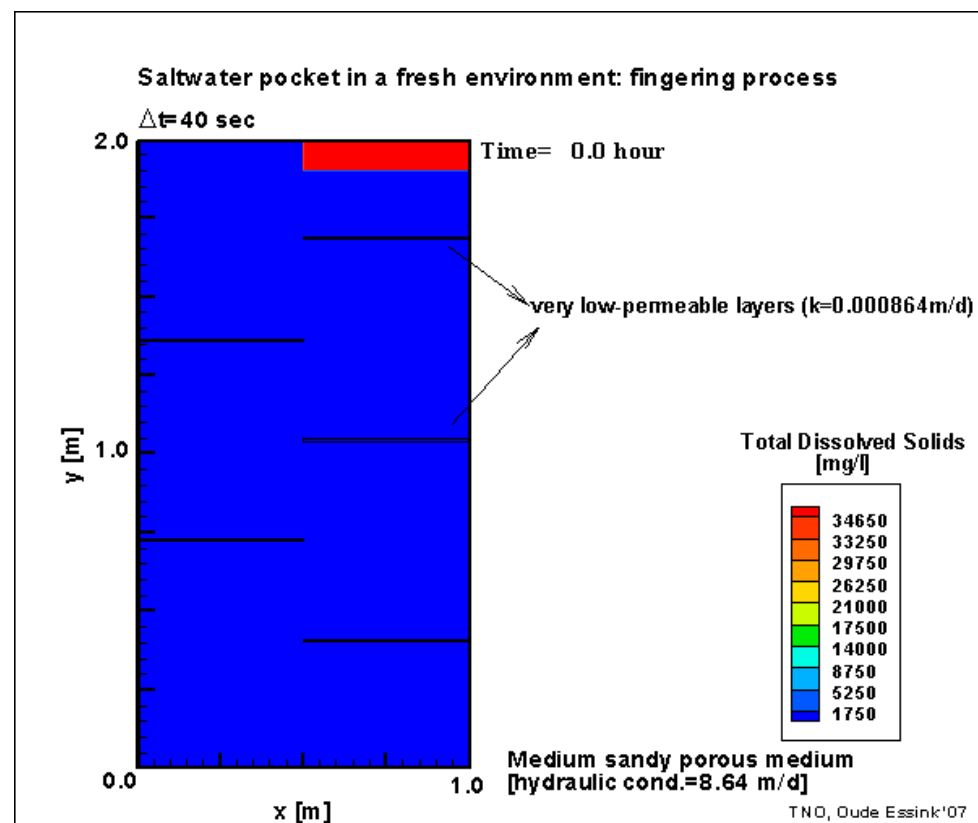
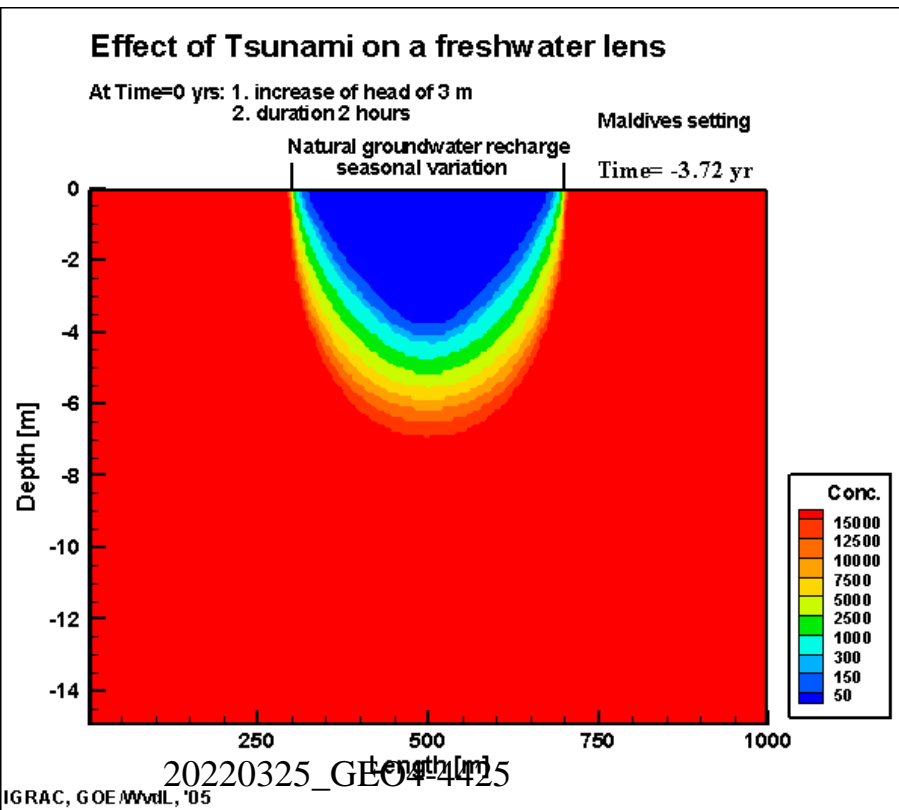


Chui, T.F.M., Terry, J.P., 2015. Groundwater salinisation on atoll islands after storm-surge flooding: modelling the influence of central topographic depressions. *Water Environ. J.* 29, 430–438. <https://doi.org/10.1111/wej.12116>

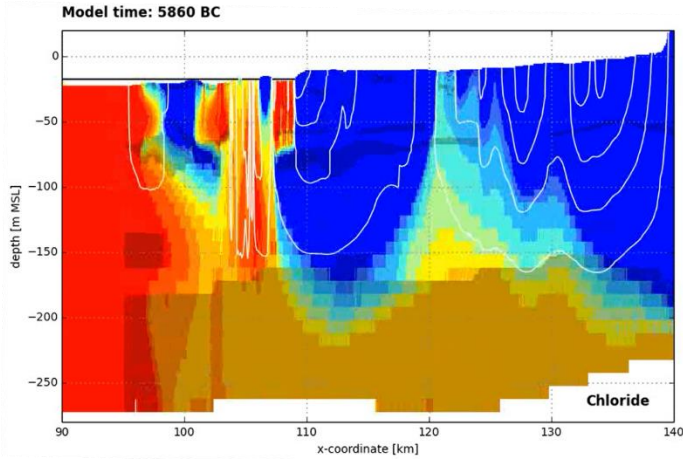
Salinisation processes of fresh groundwater reserves

Impression of relevant salinisation processes in coastal aquifers:

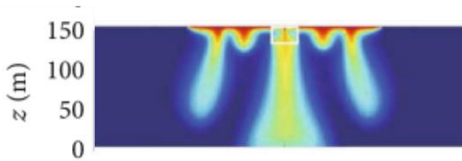
- Contamination freshwater lens after sea water flooding
- Saline fingering processes in the subsoil



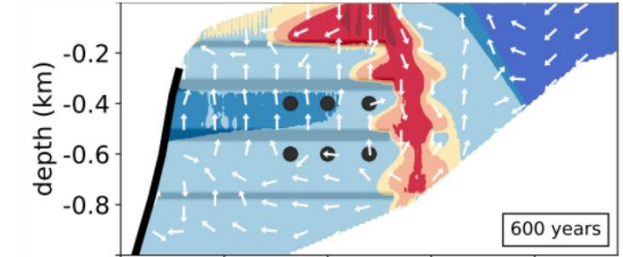
Examples salinity processes in vertical direction



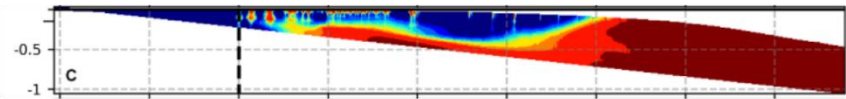
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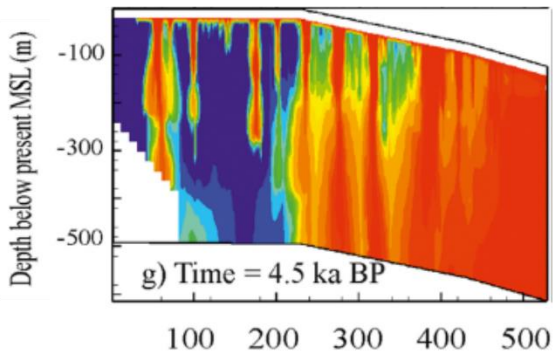
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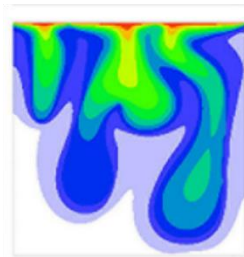
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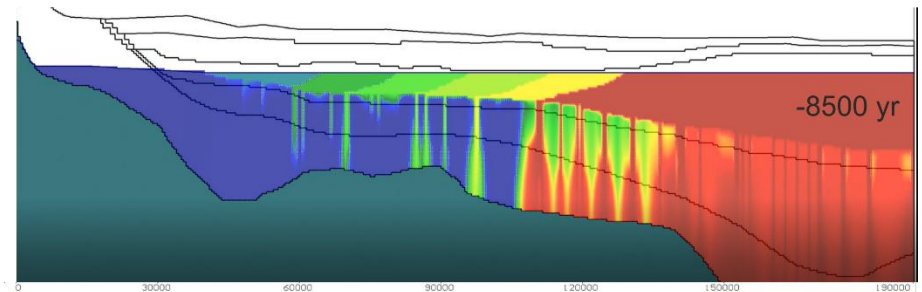
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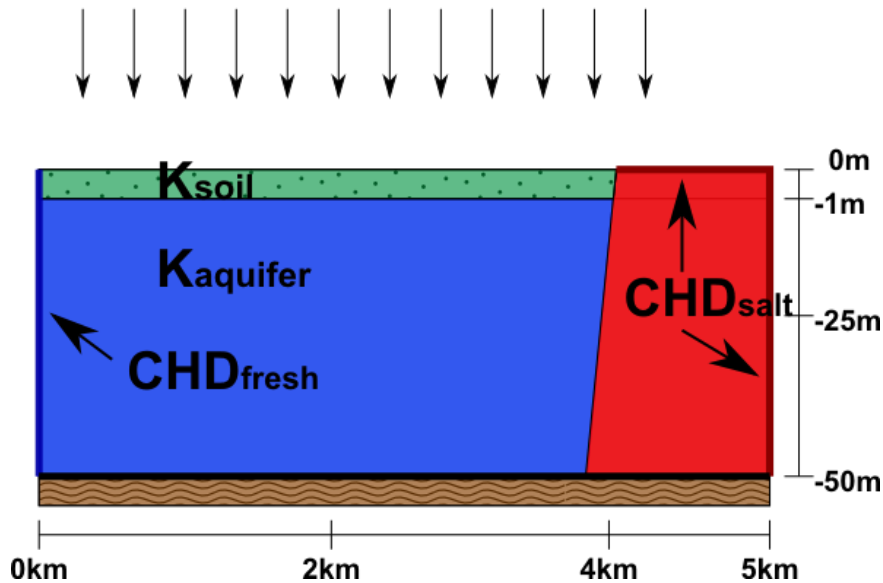


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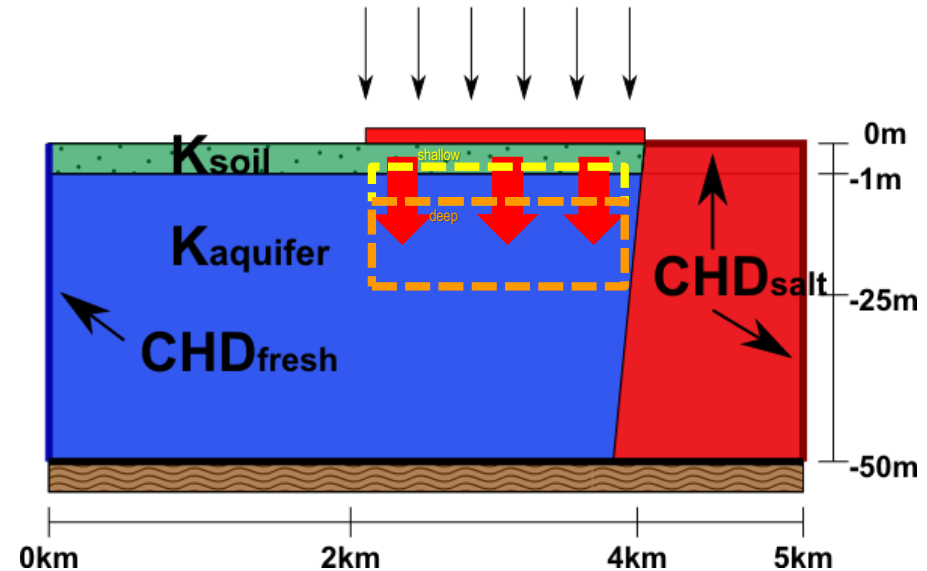
Concept 2D modelling variable-density groundwater flow and coupled salt transport

Normal system

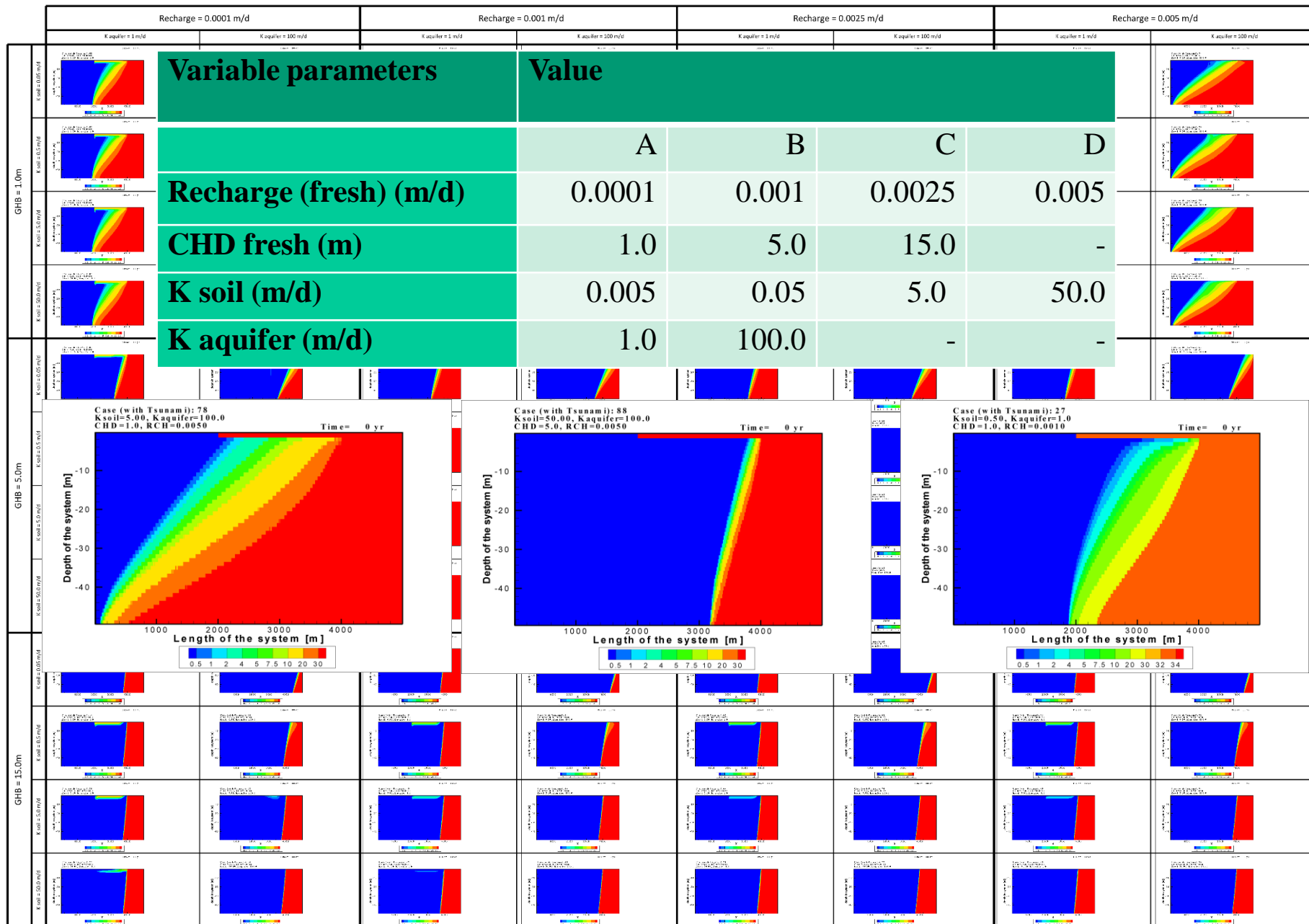
Recharge rate



Tsunami inundation

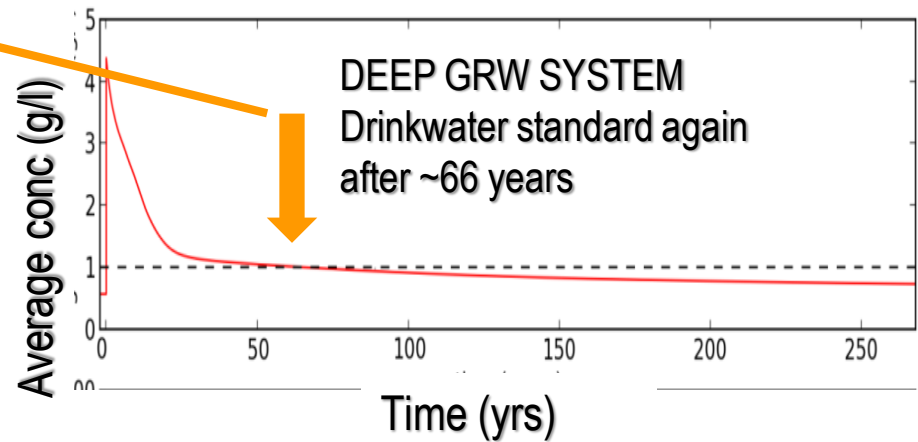
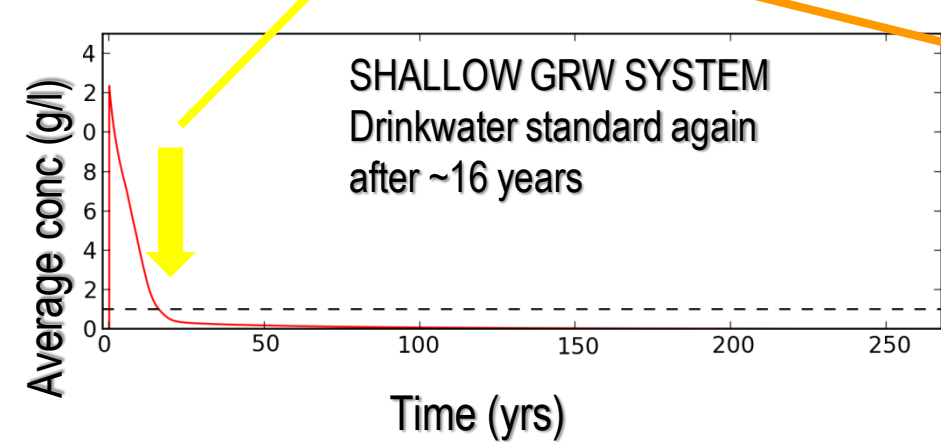
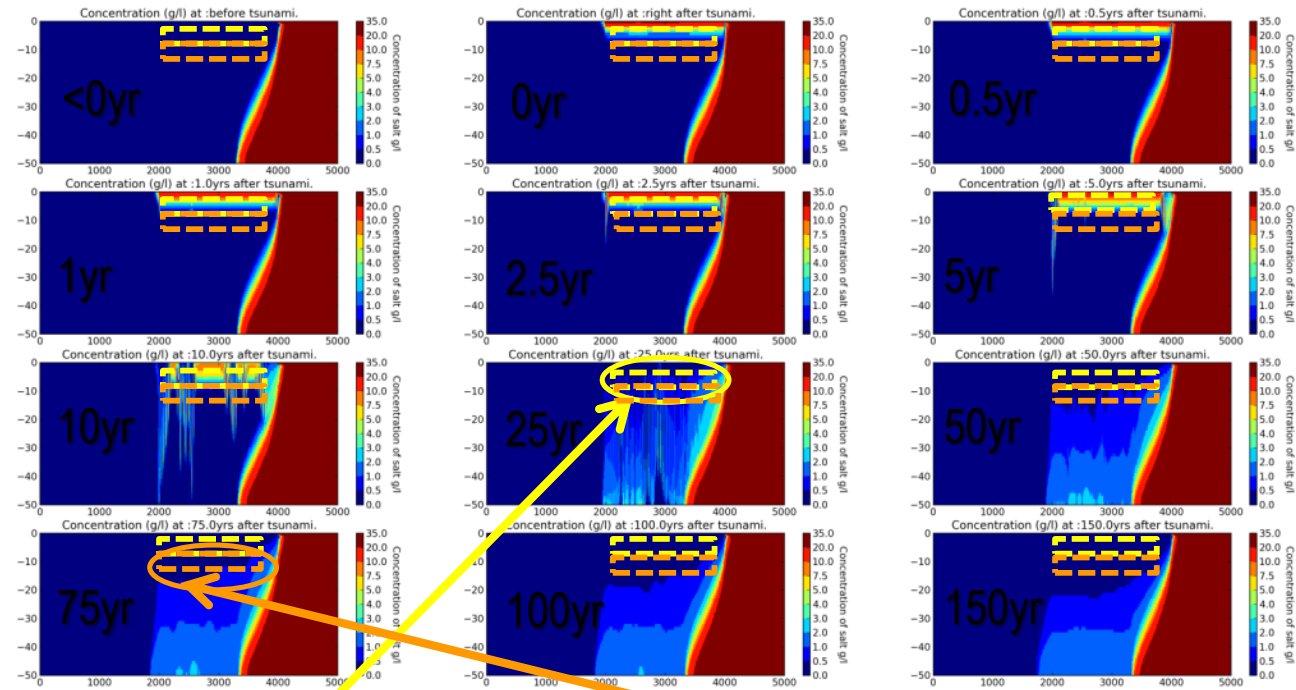


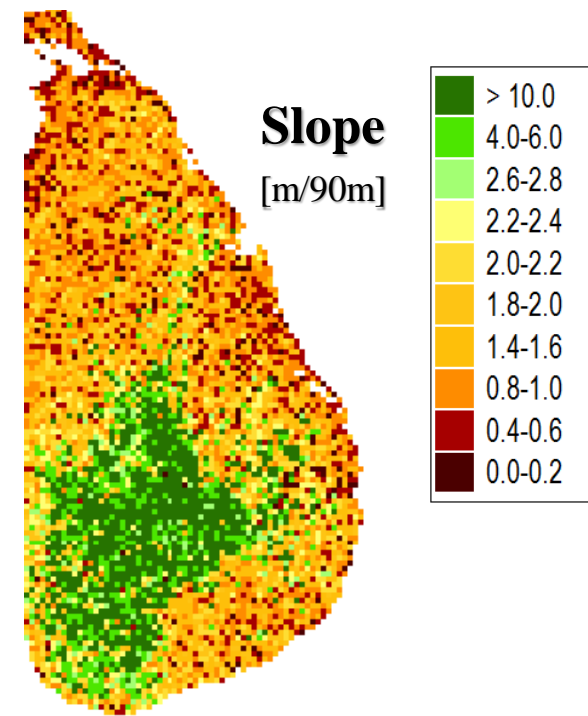
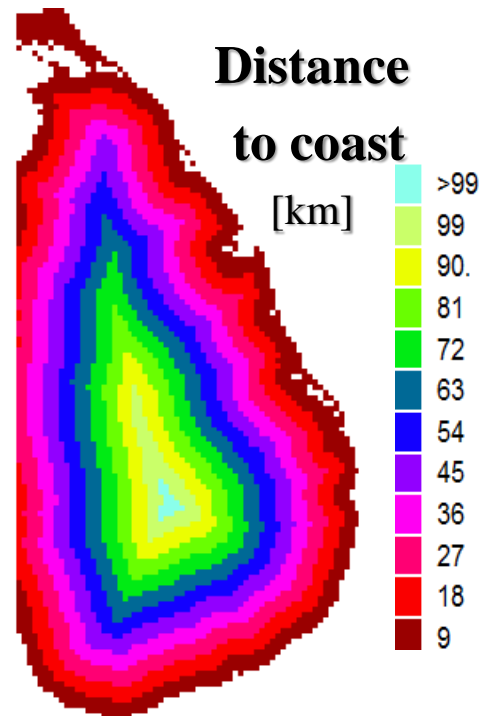
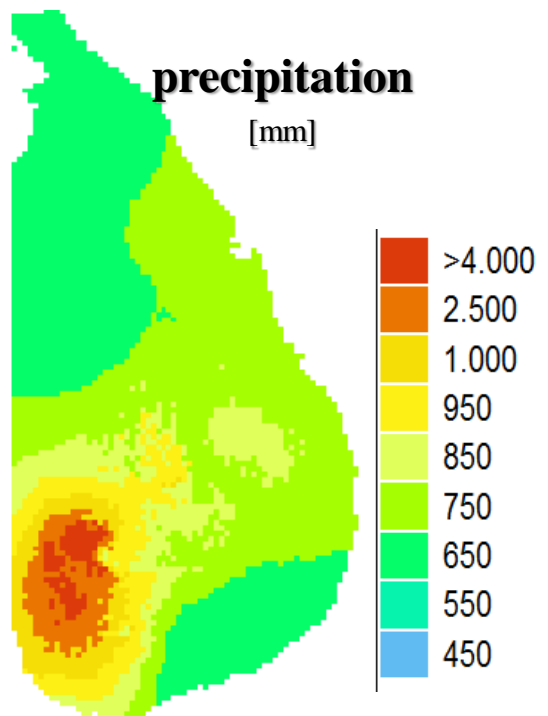
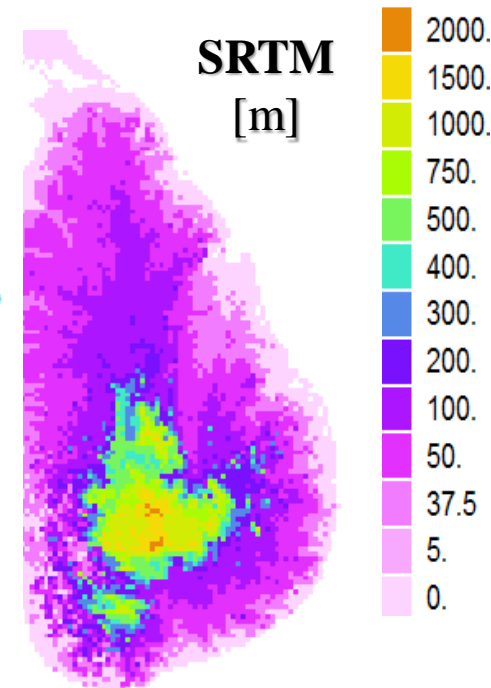
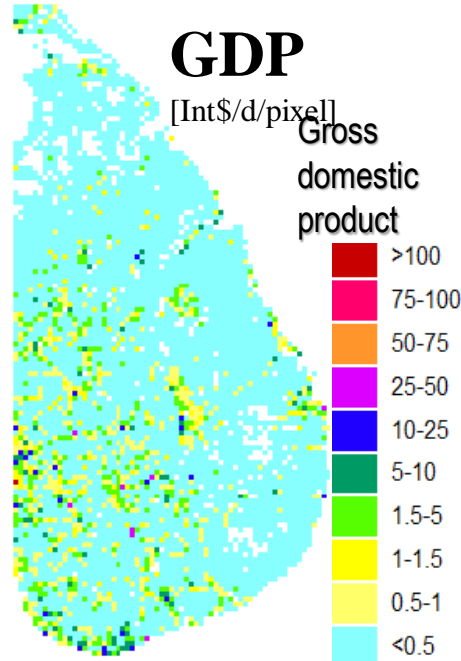
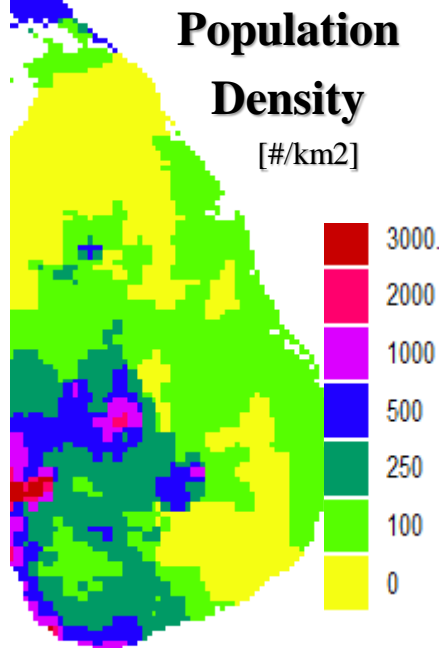
- Focus on coastal *deep* and *shallow* fresh groundwater resources
- How long does it takes before the groundwater system is fresh again, available for groundwater extractions?

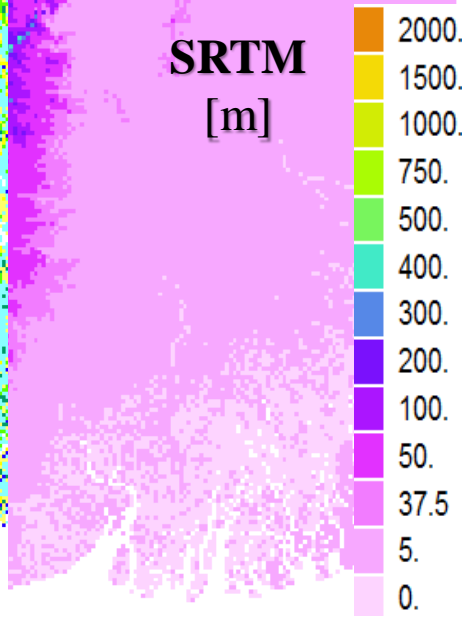
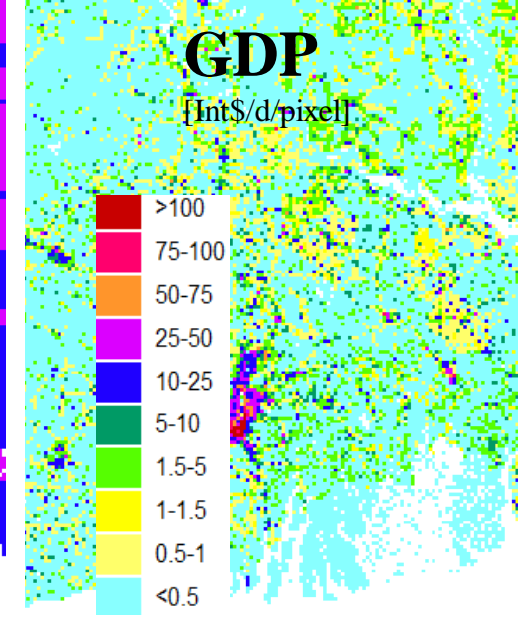
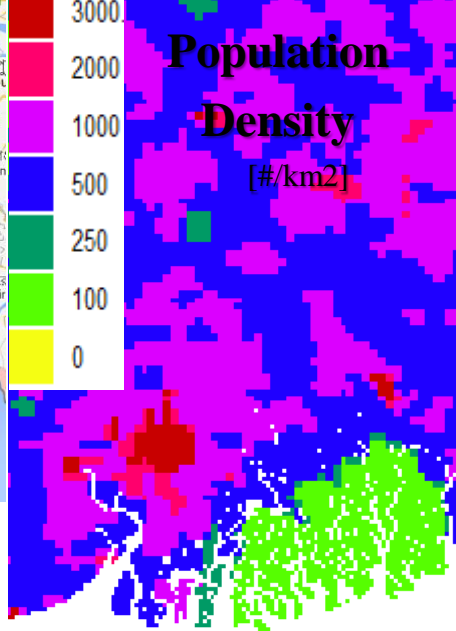


Results of one case

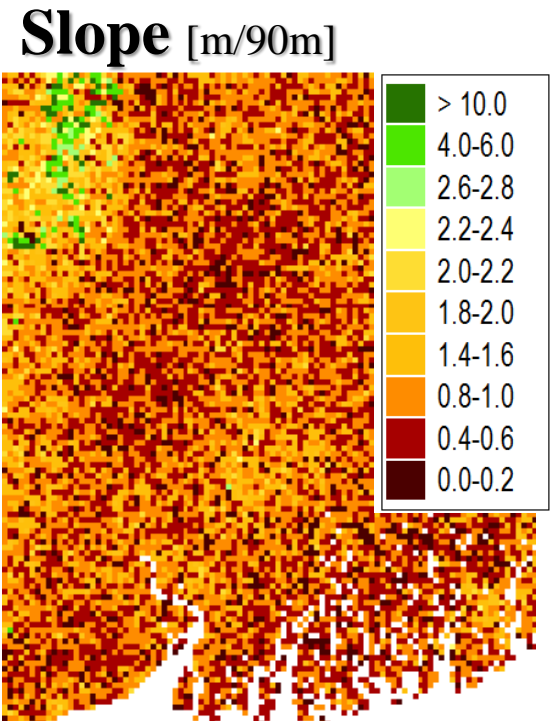
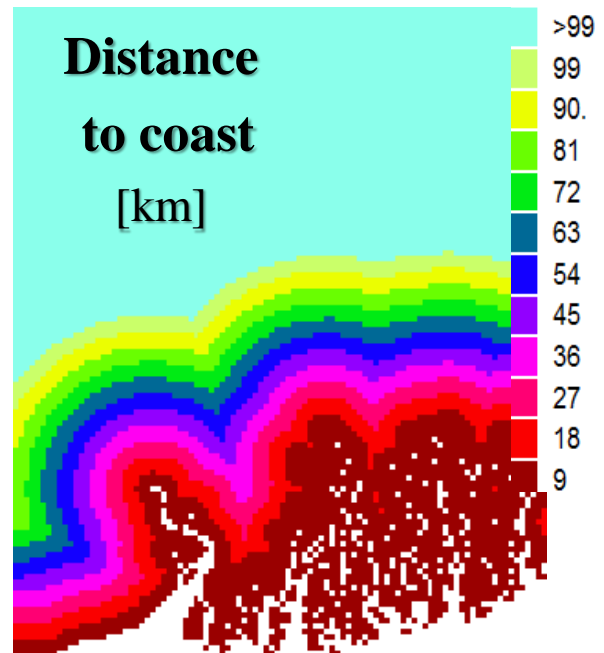
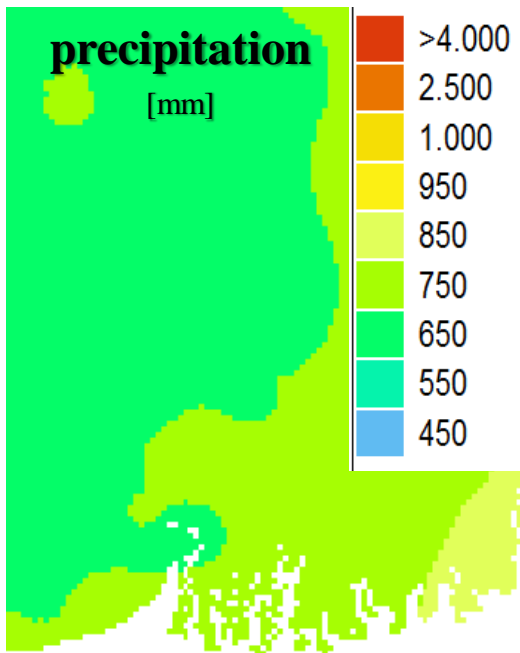
Salt water fingers intrude the groundwater system the coming tens of years





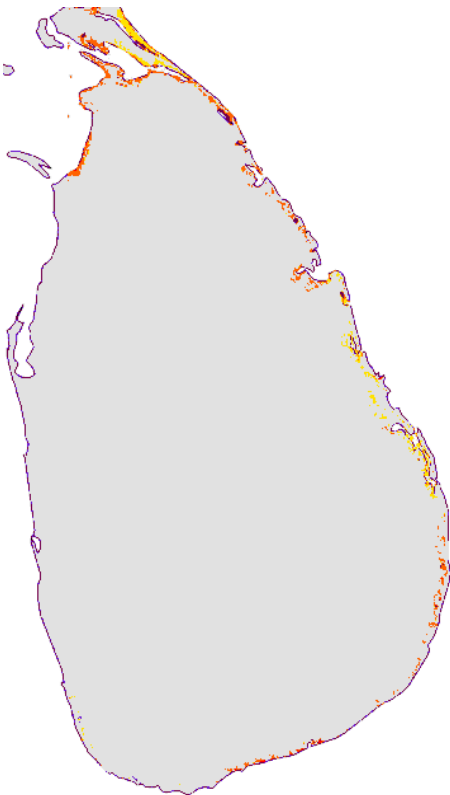
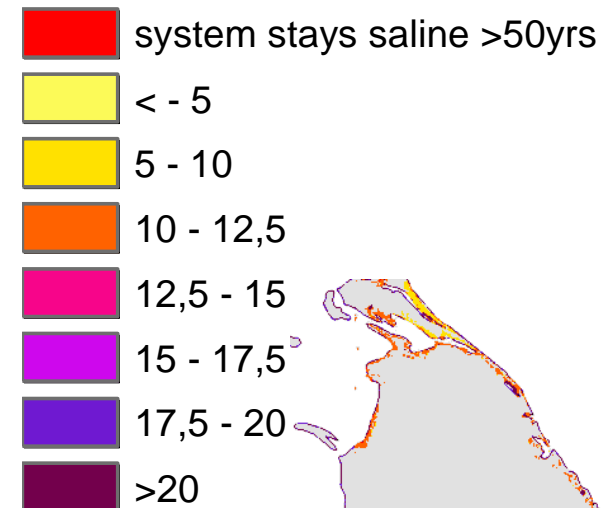


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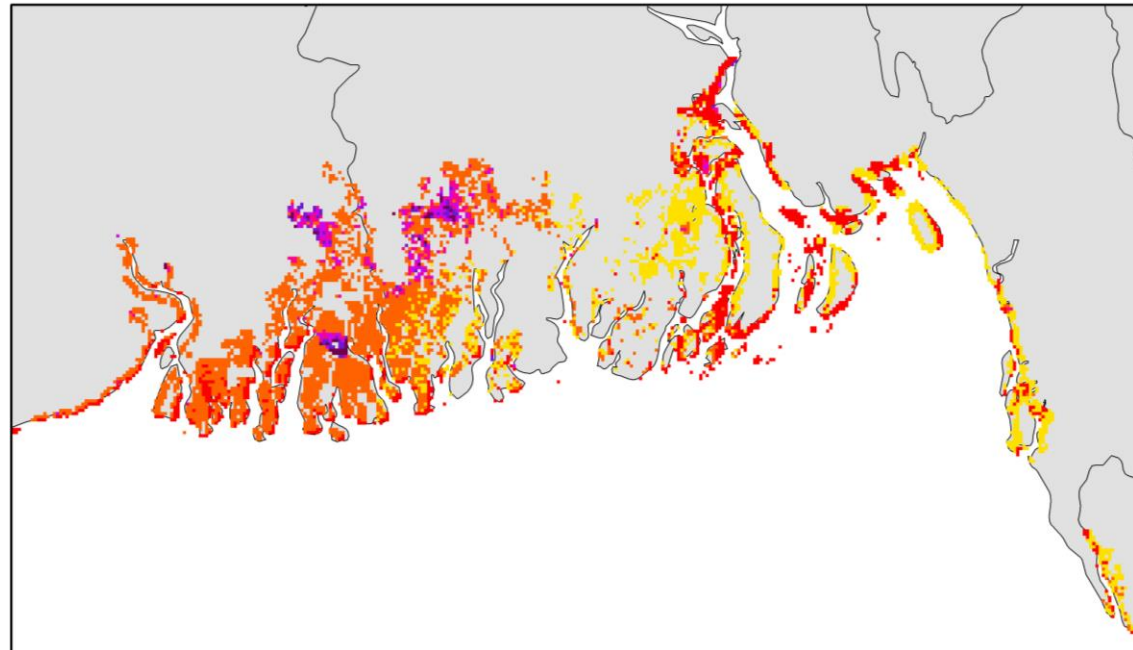


Mapping the results

Legend



Time (yrs) before the shallow coastal groundwater system is fresh enough again for drinking water extraction



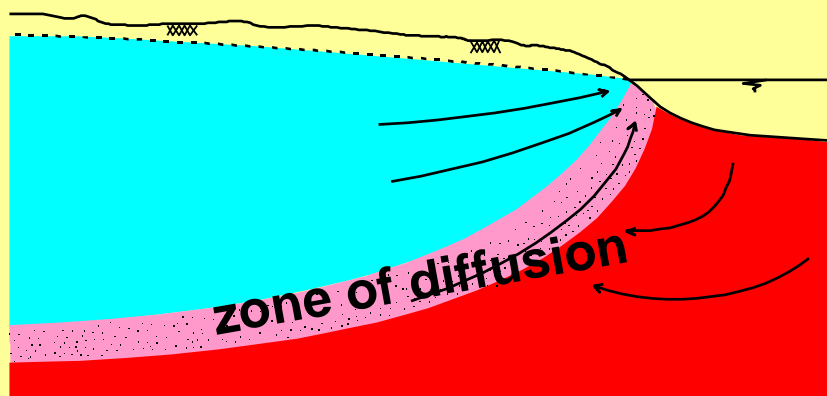
- Shallow groundwater system
- GDP < 1 US\$/day/capita

Sharp interface between
fresh and saline groundwater

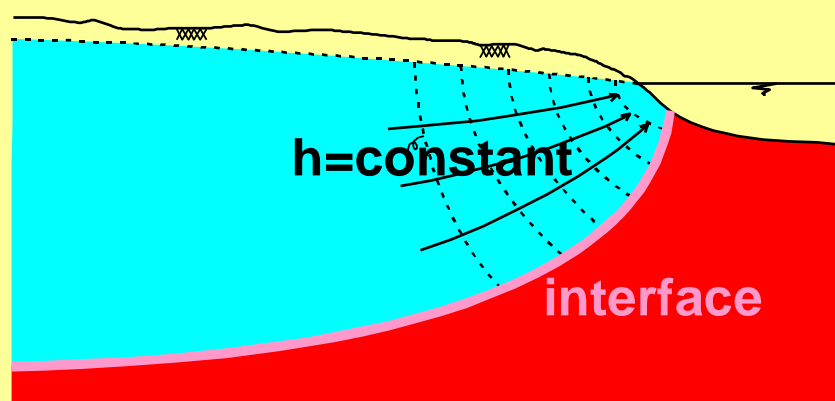
Badon Ghyben-Herzberg principle

Difference between reality and Badon Ghyben-Herzberg approximation

concept: mixing zone in reality



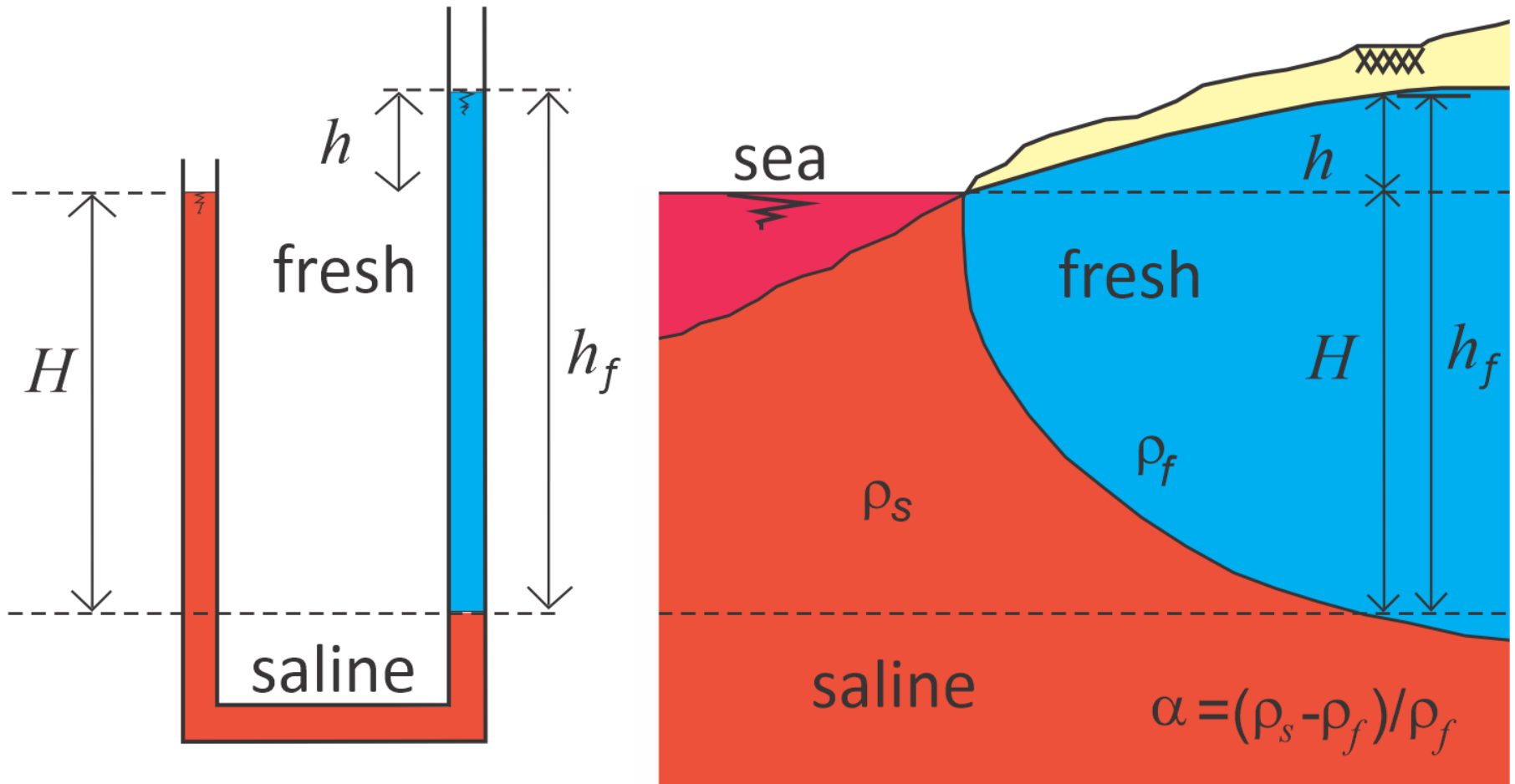
concept: interface between fresh and saline groundwater

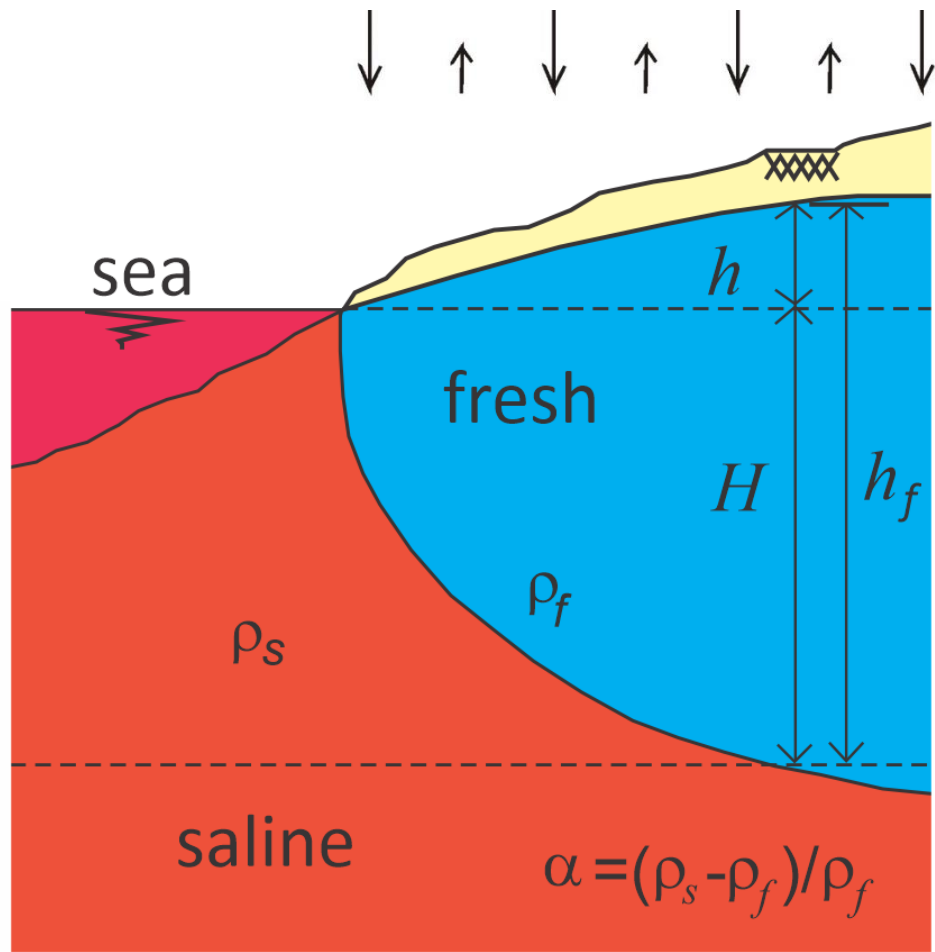


Badon Ghijben-Herzberg principle

The principle suggests an interface between fresh and saline groundwater

Analogy: iceberg & saline ocean and granite tectonic plate & basalt base



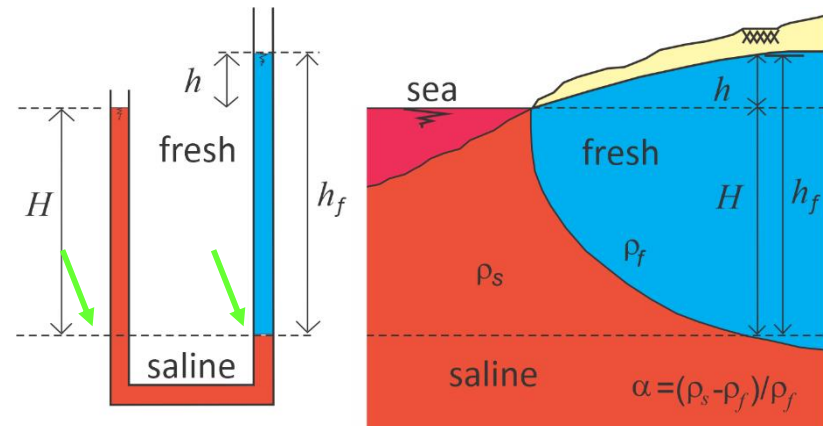


pressure saline groundwater = pressure fresh groundwater

$$\rho_s H g = \rho_f (H + h) g$$

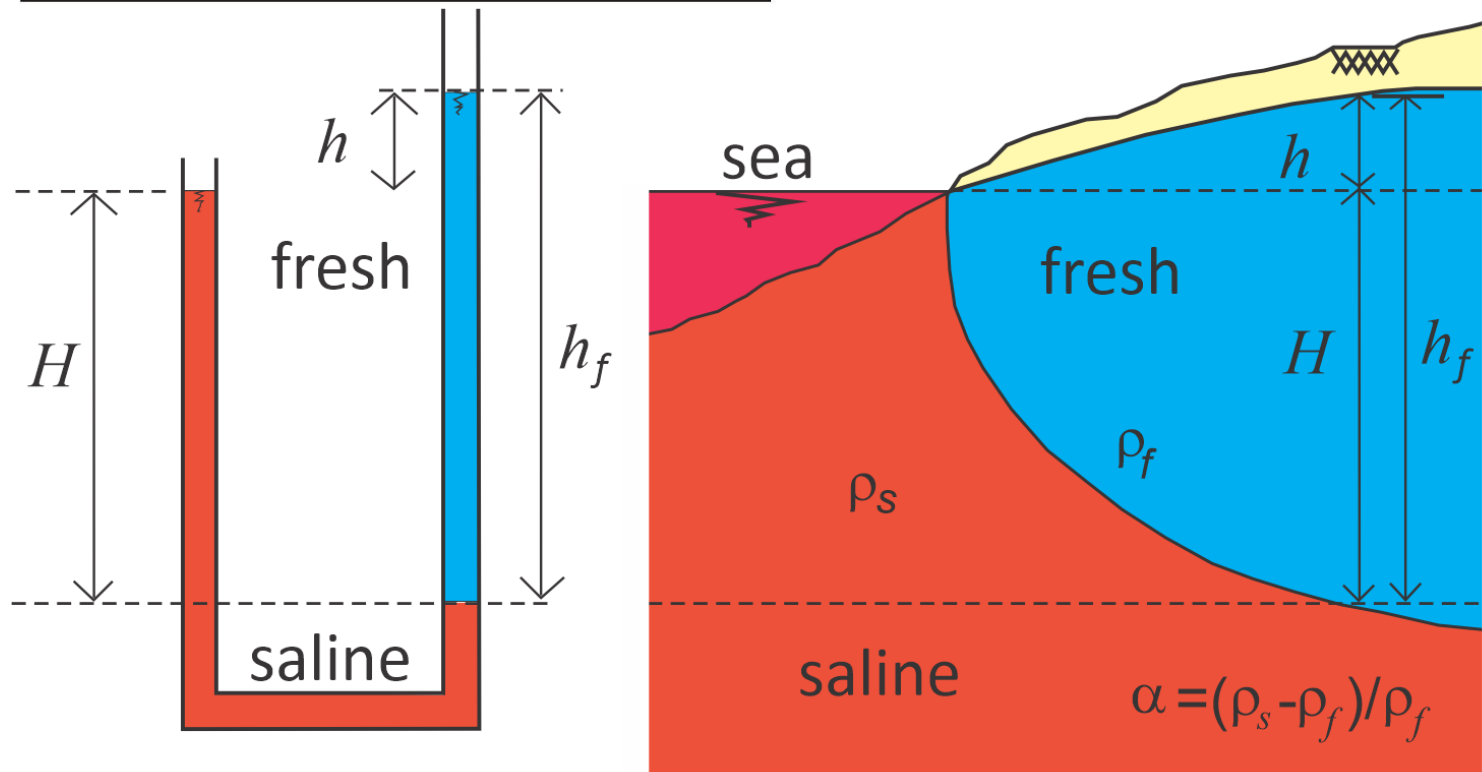
$$h = \frac{\rho_s - \rho_f}{\rho_f} H$$

$$h = \alpha H$$



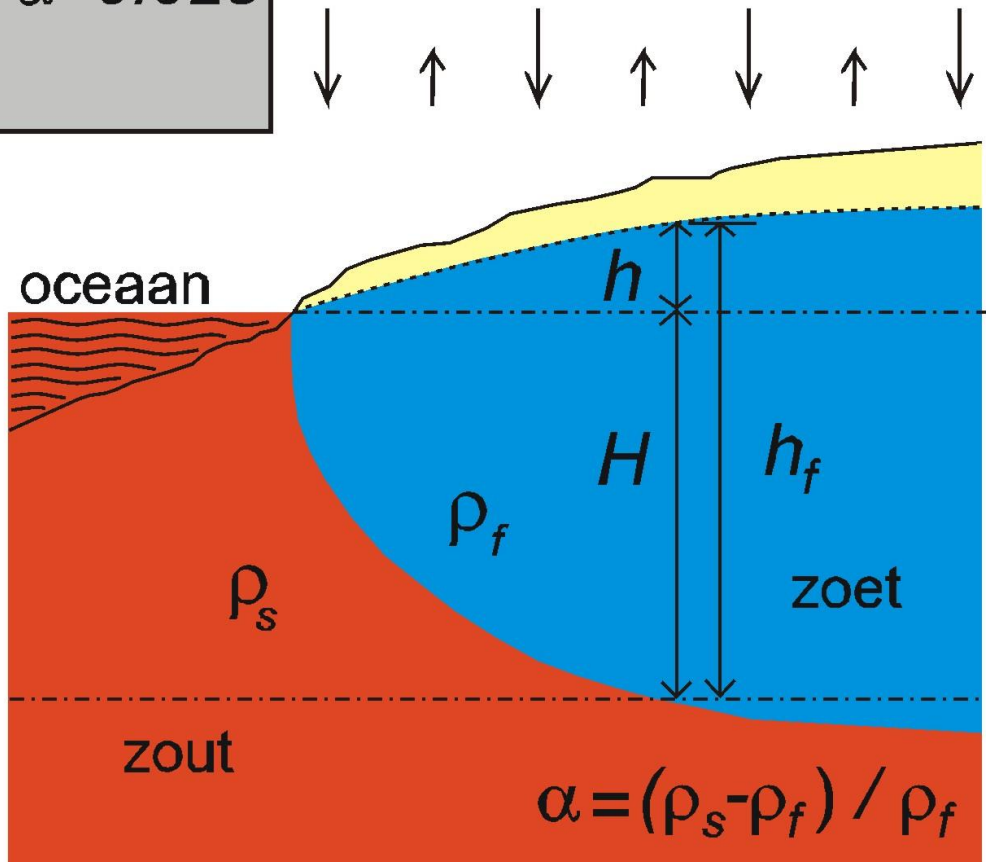
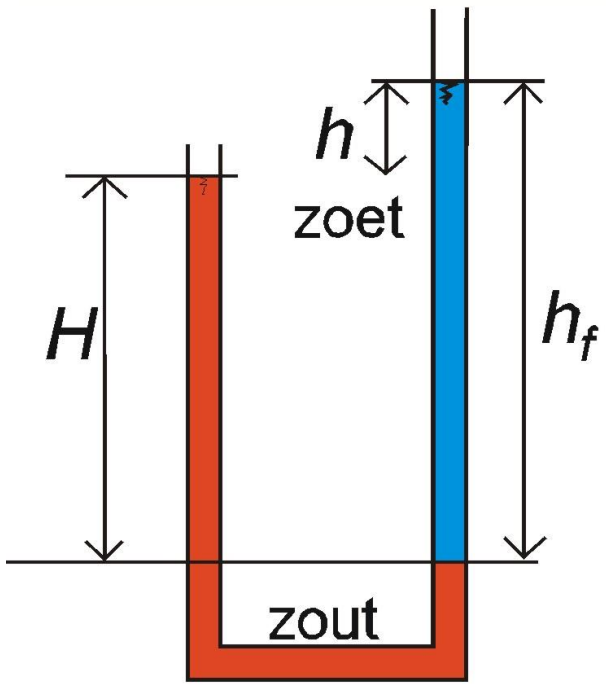
$$h = \alpha H \quad h = \frac{\rho_s - \rho_f}{\rho_f} H \quad h = \frac{1025 - 1000}{1000} H$$

$h = \alpha H$
 in ocean water $\alpha = 0.025$
 $h = 1 \text{ m}, H = 40 \text{ m}$



$$h = \alpha H \quad h = \frac{\rho_s - \rho_f}{\rho_f} H \quad h = \frac{1028 - 1000}{1000} H$$

$h = \alpha H$
 Mediterranean Sea $\alpha = 0.028$
 $h = 1 \text{ m}, H = 35.7 \text{ m}$



Badon Ghyben-Herzberg principle

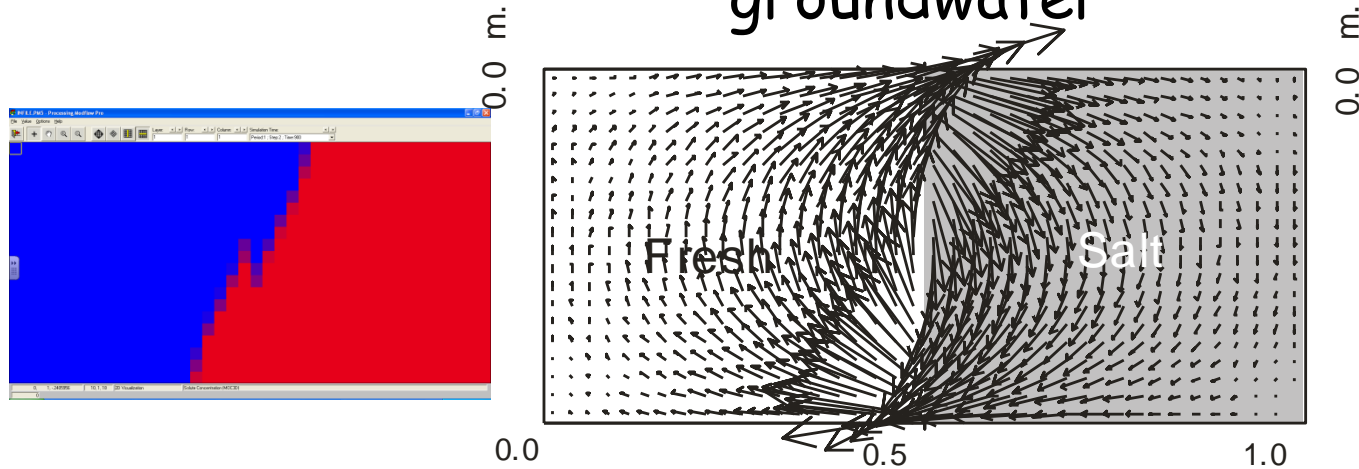
- gives analytical solutions (see later and lectures)
- educational
- interface is a simple approximation
- dispersion zone $< 10\text{m}$
- relative simple geometries

Badon Ghyben-Herzberg principle

What is the case then $h \neq \alpha H$?

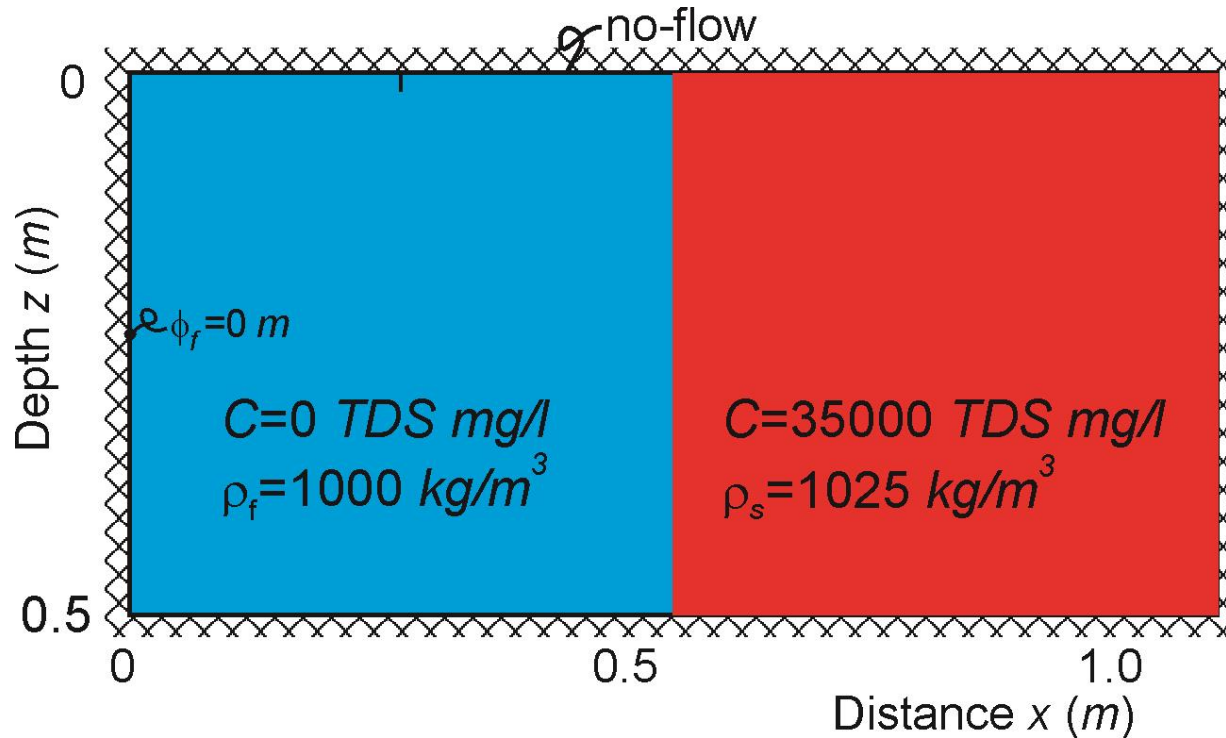
1. still dynamic situation
2. occurrence resistance layer
3. natural groundwater recharge not constant
4. relative density difference α is not ok
5. occurrence shallow bedrock
6. groundwater extractions

Case 1: Vertical interface between fresh and saline groundwater



Parameters			
Layers	20	K_{hor}	$1 \cdot 10^{-3} \text{ m/s}$
Rows	1	T	$2.5 \cdot 10^{-5} \text{ m/s}$
Columns	40	Anisotropy K_{hor}/K_{ver}	1
Δx	0.025 m	n_e	0.1
Δy	1 m	α_L	0 m
Δz	0.025 m	α_T	0 m
Stress periods	15		
Initial concentration	0 and 35000 mg/l		
bouyancy	0.025		

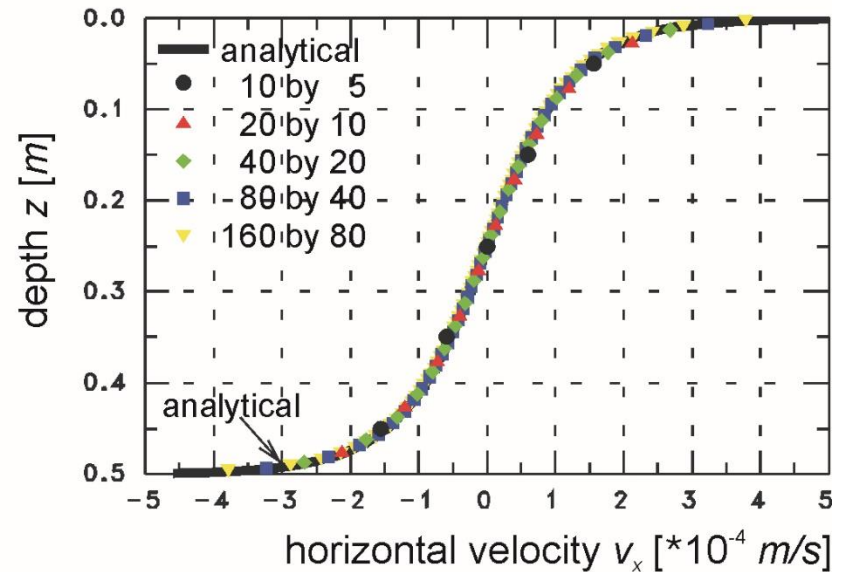
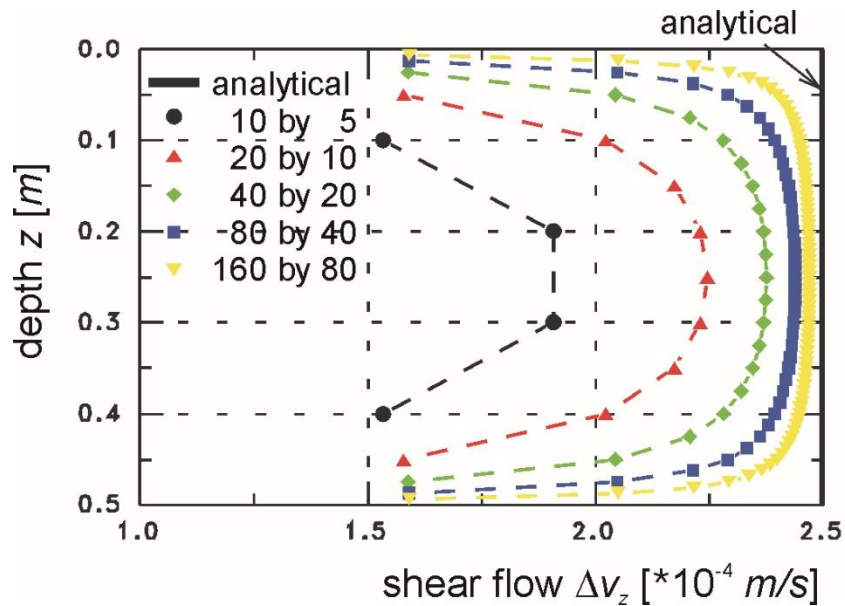
Vertical interface



Subsoil parameters:

$$k=10^{-3} \text{ m/s}$$
$$n_e=0.10$$
$$\alpha_L=\alpha_{TH}=\alpha_{TV}=0 \text{ m}$$
$$D_m=0 \text{ m}^2/\text{s}$$

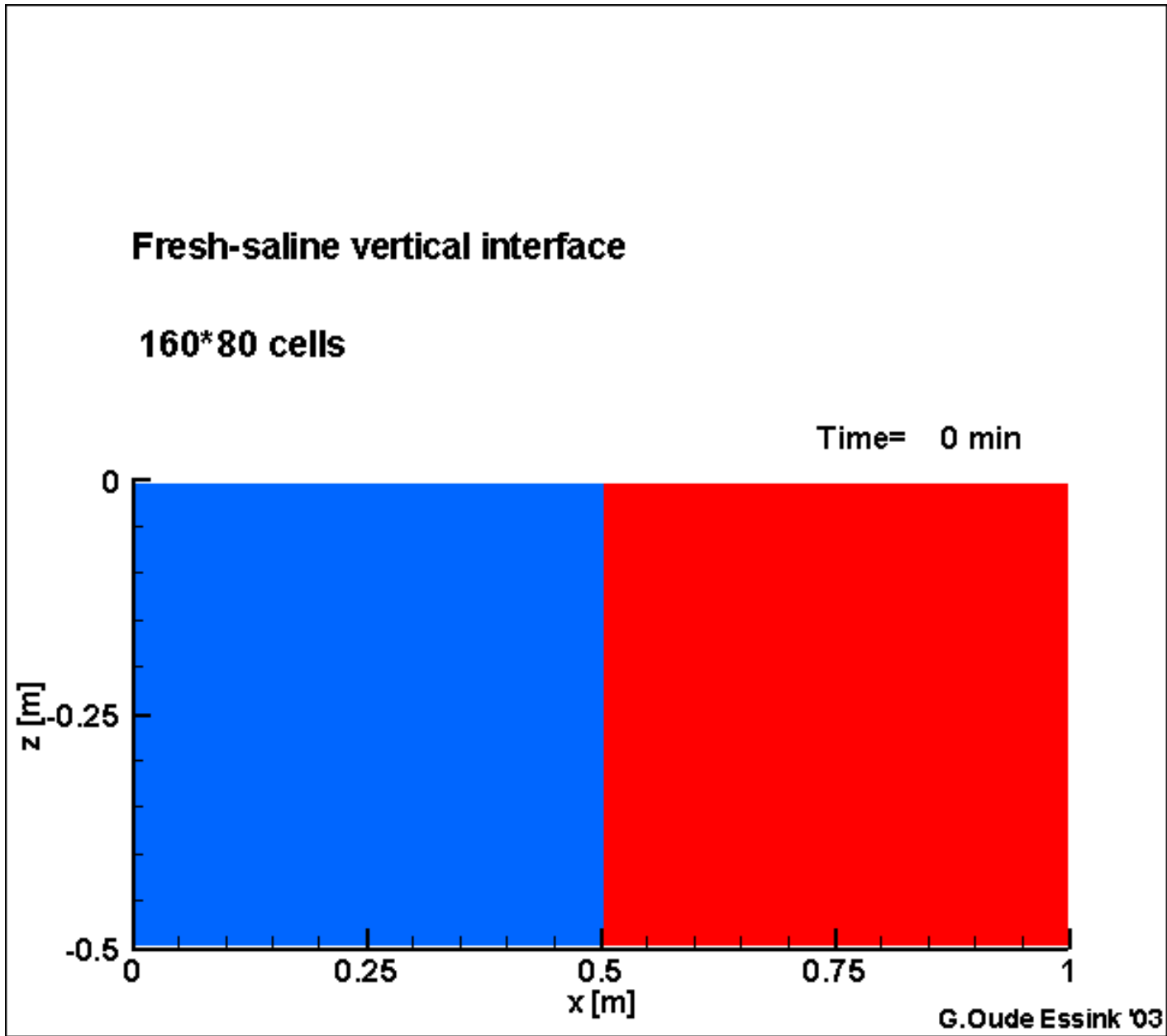
Effect of the number of cells on the shear flow at the interface at t=0



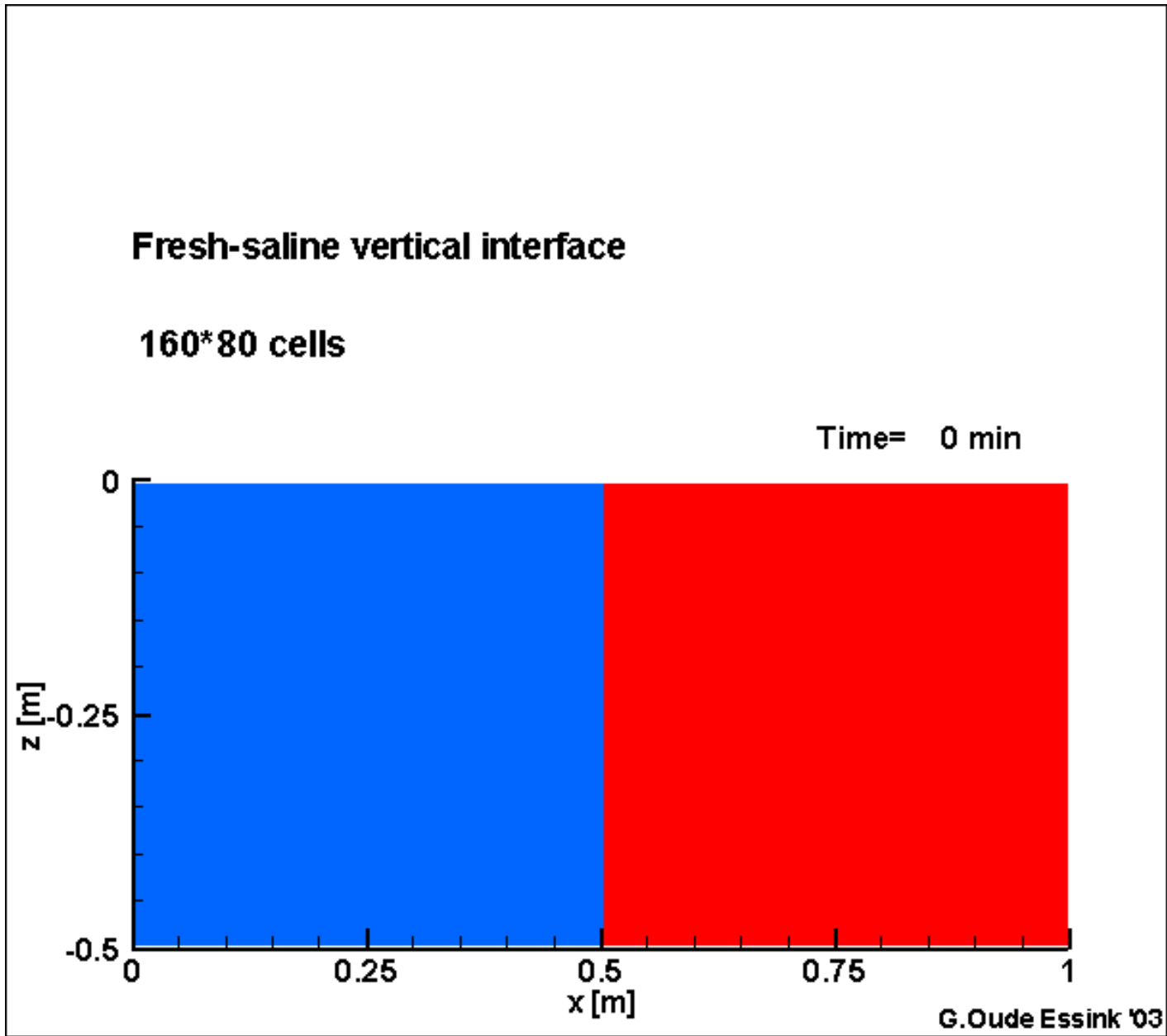
$$\Delta v_z = \frac{k}{n_e} \left(\frac{\rho_s - \rho_f}{\rho_f} \right)$$

$$v_x = \frac{k}{n_e} \left(\frac{\rho_s - \rho_f}{\rho_f} \right) \frac{1}{\pi} \ln \tan \left(\frac{\pi z}{2D} \right)$$

Vertical interface



Vertical interface



The effect of numerical solvers on the salt transport

Examples

Check for the meaning of parameters:

Zheng, C., Wang, P.P., 1999. MT3DMS: A modular three-dimensional multispecies transport model for simulation of advection, dispersion, and chemical reactions of contaminants in groundwater systems. Technical report, Waterways Experiment Station, US Army Corps of Engineers, Strategic Environmental Research and Development Program - Contract Report SERDP-99-1.

<https://hydro.geo.ua.edu/mt3d/mt3dmanual.pdf>

Default parameters solvers

Advection Package (MT3DMS) FD

Solution Scheme: Finite Difference Method

Weighting Scheme: Upstream weighting

Particle Tracking: Hybrid 1st order Euler and 4th order Runge-Kutta

Simulation Parameters

Courant number (PERCEL)	0,75
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Advection Package (MT3DMS) TVD

Solution Scheme: 3rd-order TVD Scheme (ULTIMATE)

Weighting Scheme: Upstream weighting

Particle Tracking: Hybrid 1st order Euler and 4th order Runge-Kutta

Simulation Parameters

Courant number (PERCEL)	0,75
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OK Cancel Help

Advection Package (MT3DMS) MOC

Solution Scheme: Method of Characteristics (MOC)

Weighting Scheme: Upstream weighting

Particle Tracking: Hybrid 1st order Euler and 4th order Runge-Kutta

Simulation Parameters

Max. number of total moving particles (MXPART)	100000
Courant number (PERCEL)	0,75
Concentration weighting factor (WD)	0,5
Negligible relative concentration gradient (DCEPS)	0,00001
Pattern for initial placement of particles (NPLANE)	2
No. of particles per cell in case of DCCELL<=DCEPS (NP1)	4
No. of particles per cell in case of DCCELL>DCEPS (NP2)	15
Minimum number of particles allowed per cell (NPMIN)	2
Maximum number of particles allowed per cell (NPMAX)	15

OK Cancel Help

Default parameters solvers

Advection Package (MT3DMS) **MMOC**

Solution Scheme: Modified Method of Characteristics (MMOC)

Weighting Scheme: Upstream weighting

Particle Tracking: Hybrid 1st order Euler and 4th order Runge-Kutta

Simulation Parameters	
Courant number (PERCEL)	0,75
Concentration weighting factor (WD)	0,5
Negligible relative concentration gradient (DCEPS)	0,00001
Pattern for placement of particles for sink cells (NLSINK)	0
No. of particles used to approximate sink cells (NPSINK)	15

OK Cancel Help

Advection Package (MT3DMS) **HMOC**

Solution Scheme: Hybrid MOC/MMOC (HMOC)

Weighting Scheme: Upstream weighting

Particle Tracking: Hybrid 1st order Euler and 4th order Runge-Kutta

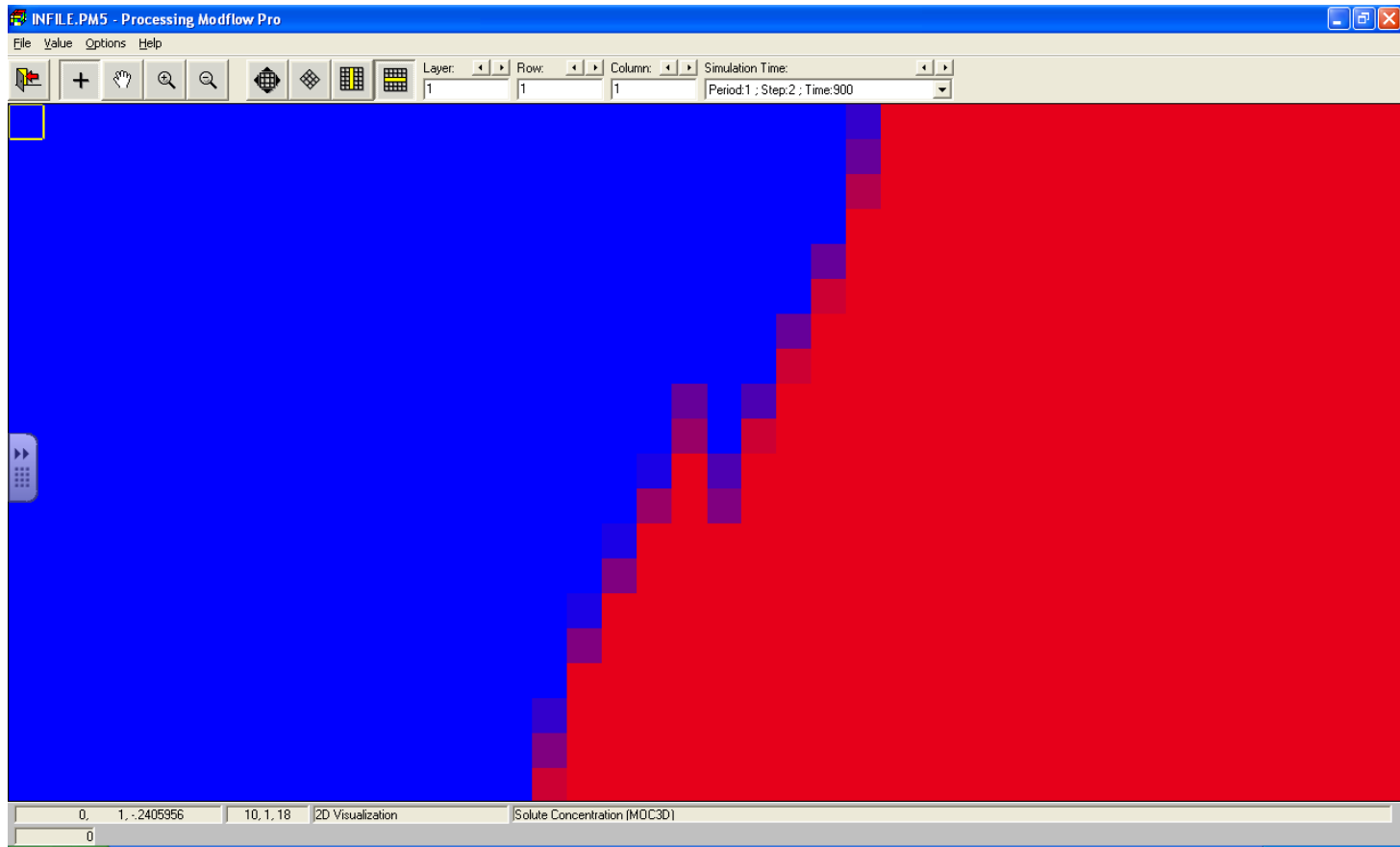
Simulation Parameters	
Max. number of total moving particles (MXPART)	100000
Courant number (PERCEL)	0,75
Concentration weighting factor (WD)	0,5
Negligible relative concentration gradient (DCEPS)	0,00001
Pattern for initial placement of particles (NPLANE)	2
No. of particles per cell in case of DCCELL<=DCEPS (NI)	4
No. of particles per cell in case of DCCELL>DCEPS (NP)	15
Minimum number of particles allowed per cell (NPMIN)	2
Maximum number of particles allowed per cell (NPMAX)	15
Pattern for placement of particles for sink cells (NLSINK)	0
No. of particles used to approximate sink cells (NPSINK)	15
Critical relative concentration gradient (DCHMOC)	0,0001

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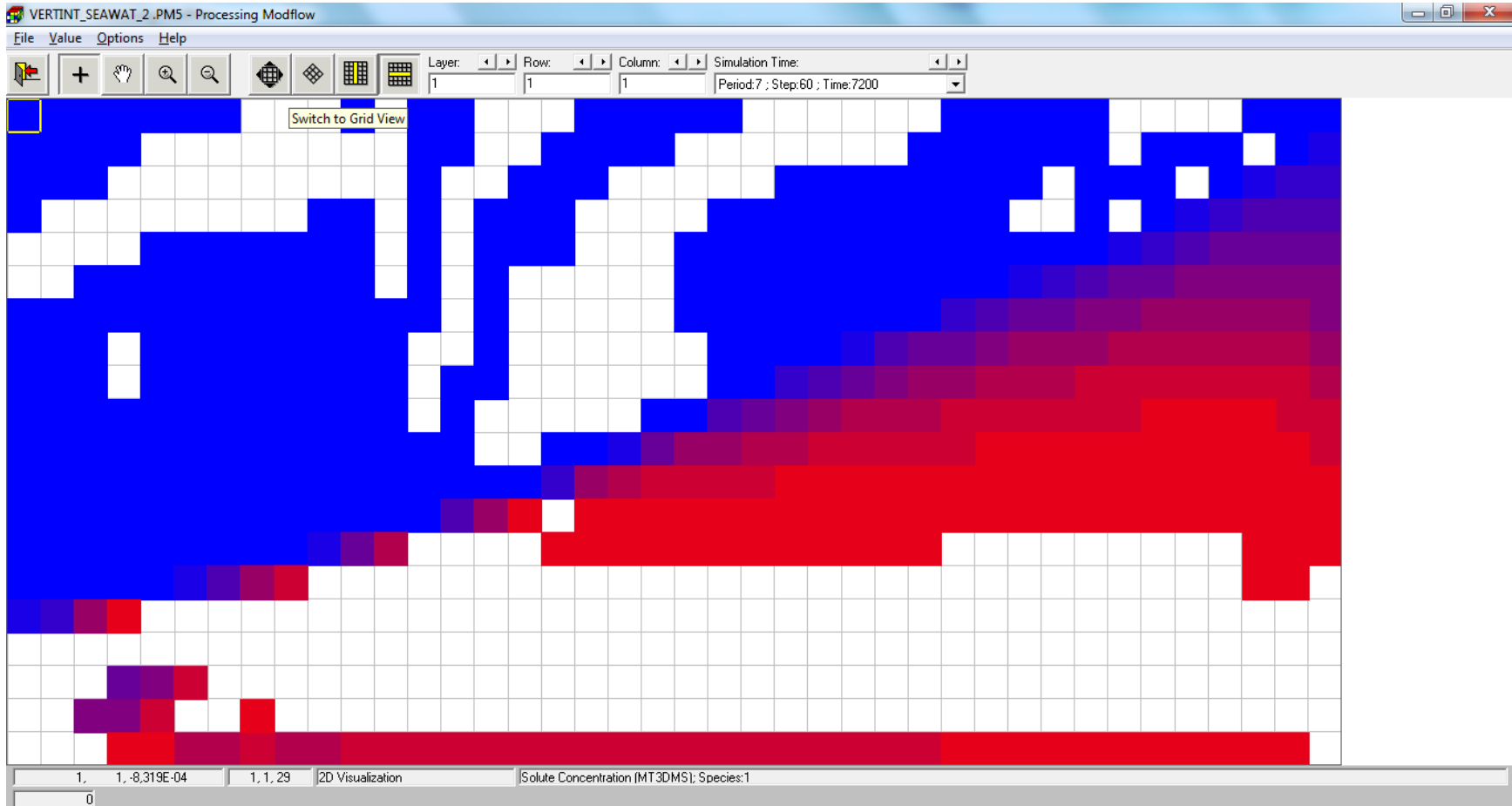
More information:

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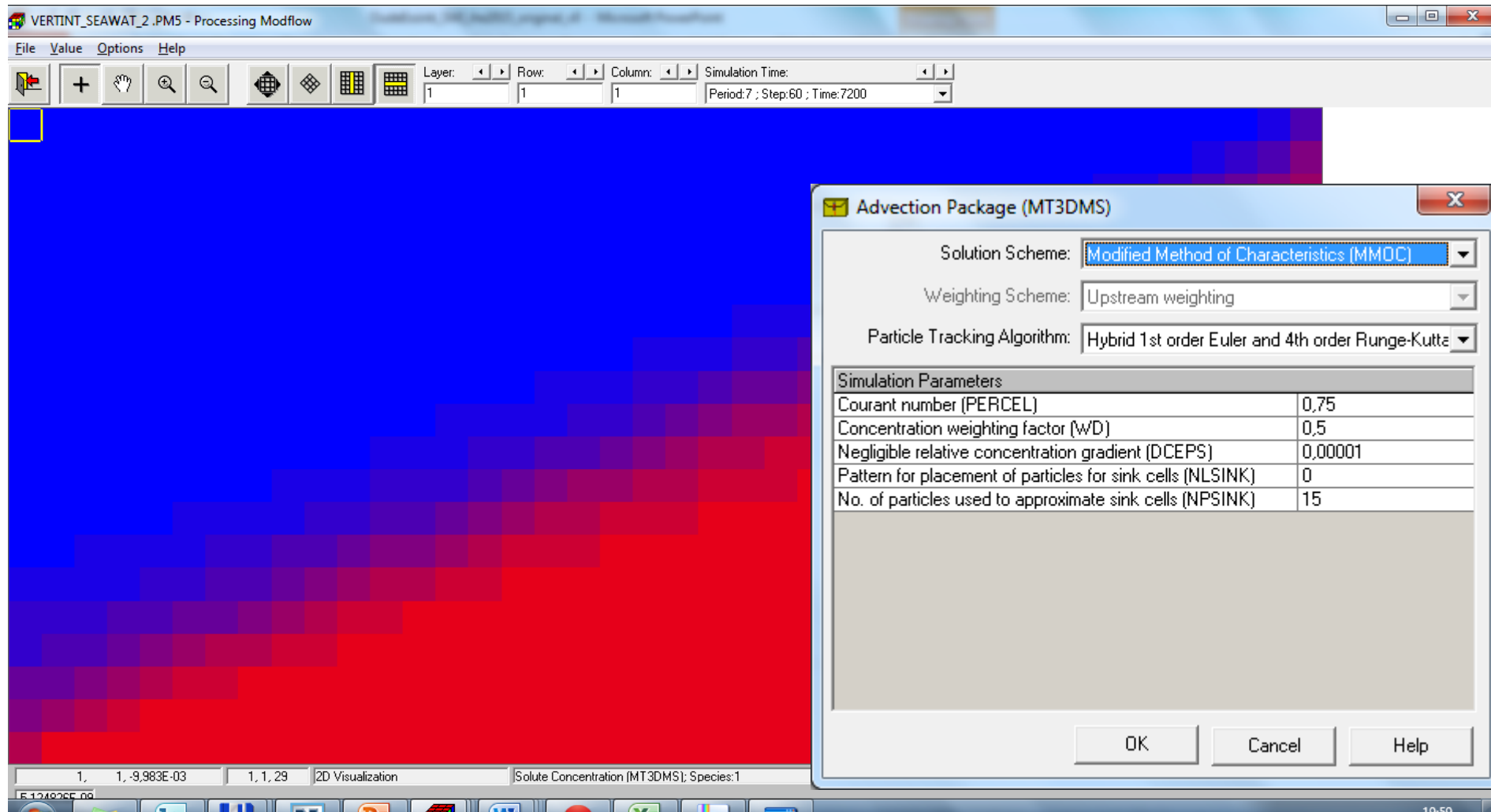
1 particle per cell, MOCDENS3D



ULTIMATE



MMOC, NPLANE=0



VERTINT_SEAWAT_2 .PM5 - Processing Modflow

File Value Options Help

Layer: 1 Row: 1 Column: 1 Simulation Time: Period:7 ; Step:60 ; Time:7200

Advection Package (MT3DMS)

Solution Scheme: Modified Method of Characteristics (MMOC)

Weighting Scheme: Upstream weighting

Particle Tracking Algorithm: Hybrid 1st order Euler and 4th order Runge-Kutta

Simulation Parameters	
Courant number (PERCEL)	0,75
Concentration weighting factor (wD)	0,5
Negligible relative concentration gradient (DCEPS)	0,00001
Pattern for placement of particles for sink cells (NLSINK)	0
No. of particles used to approximate sink cells (NPSINK)	15

OK Cancel Help

1, 1, -9,983E-03 1, 1, 29 2D Visualization Solute Concentration (MT3DMS); Species:1

15:12:00

19:59

MMOC, NPLANE=10

The screenshot displays a software window titled "VERTINT_SEAWAT_2 .PM5 - Processing Modflow". The main area shows a 2D visualization of solute concentration, with a color gradient from blue (low concentration) to red (high concentration). A yellow box highlights a small region in the top-left corner. The interface includes a menu bar (File, Value, Options, Help) and a toolbar with various navigation and visualization tools. The status bar at the bottom indicates "Solute Concentration (MT3DMS); Species:1".

An "Advection Package (MT3DMS)" dialog box is open, showing the following settings:

- Solution Scheme: Modified Method of Characteristics (MMOC)
- Weighting Scheme: Upstream weighting
- Particle Tracking Algorithm: Hybrid 1st order Euler and 4th order Runge-Kutta

Simulation Parameters	
Courant number (PERCEL)	0,75
Concentration weighting factor (WD)	0,5
Negligible relative concentration gradient (DCEPS)	0,00001
Pattern for placement of particles for sink cells (NLSINK)	10
No. of particles used to approximate sink cells (NPSINK)	15

Buttons: OK, Cancel, Help

HMOC

VERTINT003.PMS - Processing Modflow

File Value Options Help

Layer: 1 Row: 1 Column: 1 Simulation Time: Period:7; Step:60; Time:7200

Advection Package (MT3DMS)

Solution Scheme: Hybrid MOC/MMOC (HMOC)

Weighting Scheme: Upstream weighting

Particle Tracking Algorithm: Hybrid 1st order Euler and 4th order Runge-Kutta

Simulation Parameters	
Max. number of total moving particles (MXPART)	100000
Courant number (PERCEL)	0,75
Concentration weighting factor (WD)	0,5
Negligible relative concentration gradient (DCEPS)	0,00001
Pattern for initial placement of particles (NPLANE)	2
No. of particles per cell in case of DCCELL<=DCEPS (NPL)	4
No. of particles per cell in case of DCCELL>DCEPS (NPH)	15
Minimum number of particles allowed per cell (NPMIN)	2
Maximum number of particles allowed per cell (NPMAX)	15
Pattern for placement of particles for sink cells (NLSINK)	0
No. of particles used to approximate sink cells (NPSINK)	15
Critical relative concentration gradient (DCHMOC)	0,0001

0, -1,095E-03 1, 1, 19 2D Visualization Solute Concentration (MT3DMS): Species 1

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OK Cancel Help

Finite Difference Method

The image shows a software window titled "VERTINT_SEAWAT_2 .PM5 - Processing Modflow". The main area displays a 2D visualization of a solute concentration plume, with colors ranging from blue (low concentration) to red (high concentration). The plume is moving from the top right towards the bottom left. The interface includes a menu bar (File, Value, Options, Help) and a toolbar with various navigation and visualization tools. The status bar at the bottom indicates "0, 1, 0" and "1, 1, 9" for the 2D visualization, and "Solute Concentration (MT3DMS); Species:1".

An "Advection Package (MT3DMS)" dialog box is open in the foreground, showing the following settings:

- Solution Scheme: Finite Difference Method
- Weighting Scheme: Upstream weighting
- Particle Tracking Algorithm: Hybrid 1st order Euler and 4th order Runge-Kutte

Simulation Parameters:

Courant number (PERCEL)	0,75
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Buttons: OK, Cancel, Help

MOC

The screenshot shows a software window titled 'VERTINT003.PM5 - Processing Modflow'. The main area displays a 2D visualization of a flow domain, with a large blue region on the left and a red region on the right. A small blue square is visible in the top-left corner of the visualization area. The status bar at the bottom indicates '2D Visualization' and 'Solute Concentration (MT3DMS): Species 1'.

The 'Advection Package (MT3DMS)' dialog box is open, showing the following settings:

- Solution Scheme: Method of Characteristics (MOC)
- Weighting Scheme: Upstream weighting
- Particle Tracking Algorithm: Hybrid 1st order Euler and 4th order Runge-Kutta

Simulation Parameters:

Max. number of total moving particles (MXPART)	100000
Courant number (PERCEL)	0,75
Concentration weighting factor (W/D)	0,5
Negligible relative concentration gradient (DCEPS)	0,00001
Pattern for initial placement of particles (NPLANE)	2
No. of particles per cell in case of DCELL<=DCEPS (NPL)	4
No. of particles per cell in case of DCELL>DCEPS (NPH)	15
Minimum number of particles allowed per cell (NPMIN)	2
Maximum number of particles allowed per cell (NPMAX)	15

Buttons: OK, Cancel, Help

MOC

The screenshot displays a software window titled "VERTINT003.PM5 - Processing Modflow". The main area shows a 2D visualization of a plume, with a blue background and a red plume moving from the bottom-left towards the top-right. The plume is composed of several layers of red and purple cells. A small blue square is visible in the top-left corner of the visualization area.

The "Advection Package (MT3DMS)" dialog box is open, showing the following settings:

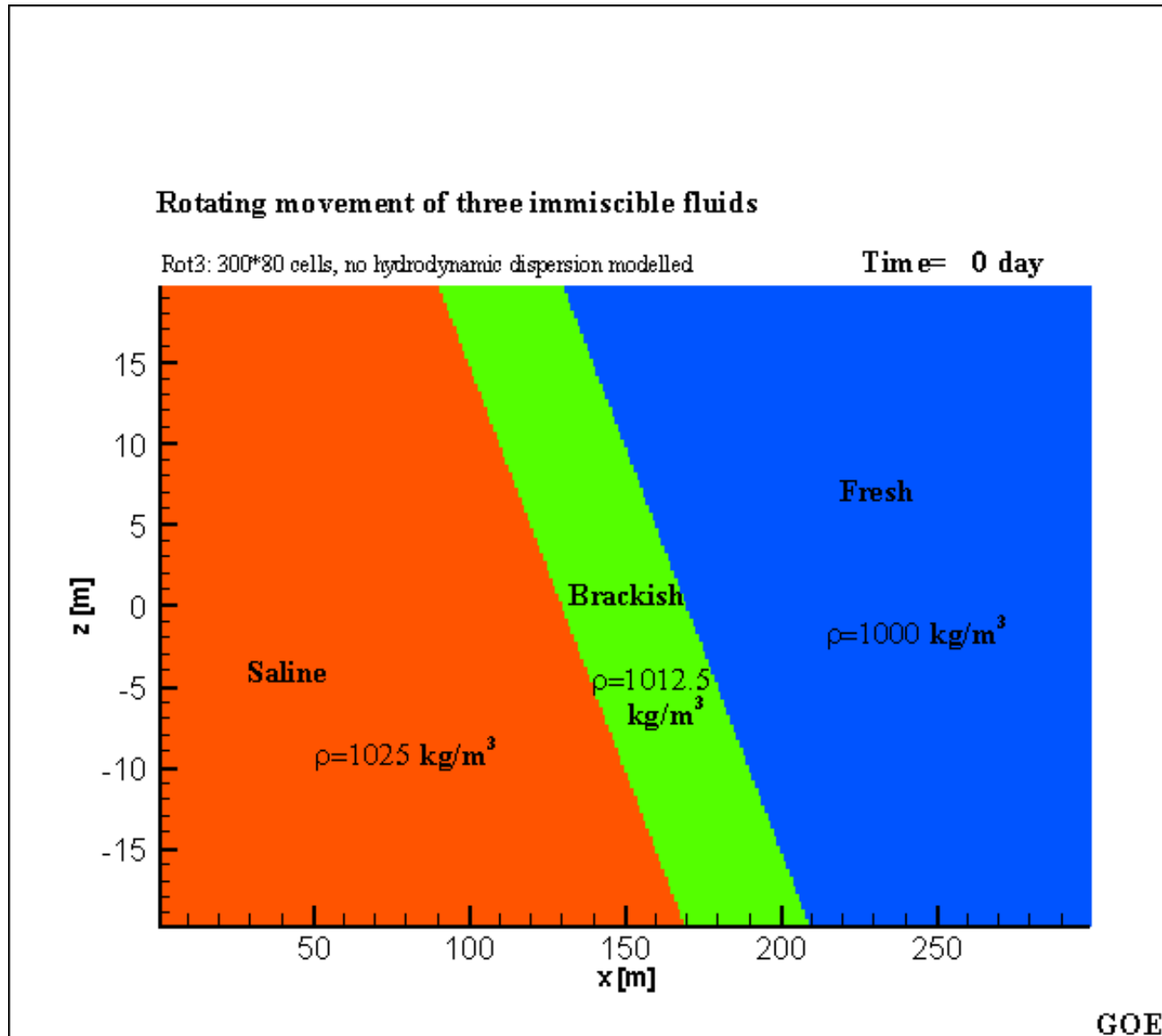
- Solution Scheme: Method of Characteristics (MOC)
- Weighting Scheme: Upstream weighting
- Particle Tracking Algorithm: Hybrid 1st order Euler and 4th order Runge-Kutta

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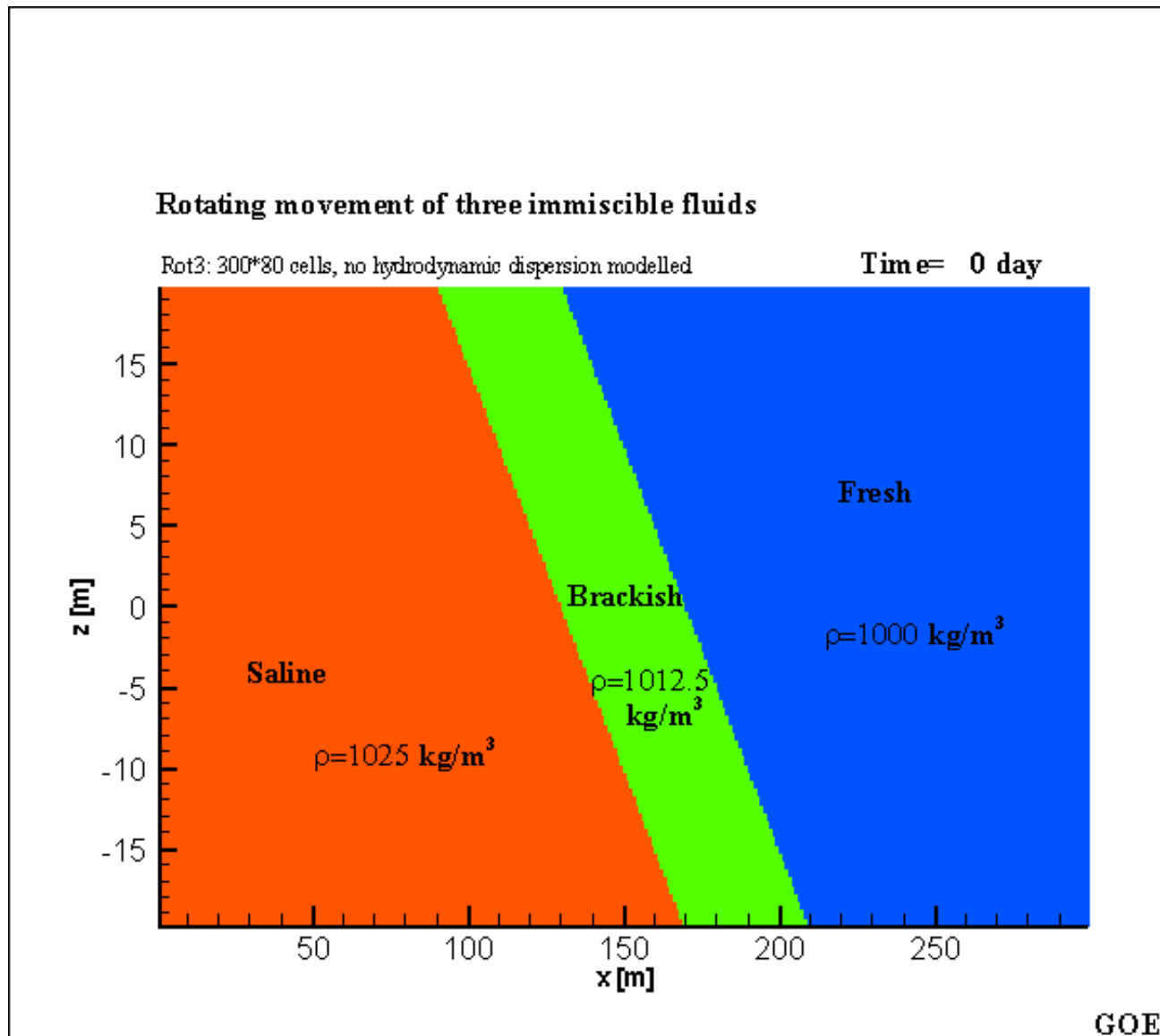
Simulation Parameters	
Max. number of total moving particles (MXPART)	100000
Courant number (PERCEL)	0,75
Concentration weighting factor (WD)	0,5
Negligible relative concentration gradient (DCEPS)	0,00001
Pattern for initial placement of particles (NPLANE)	2
No. of particles per cell in case of DCCELL<=DCEPS (NPL)	4
No. of particles per cell in case of DCCELL>DCEPS (NPH)	15
Minimum number of particles allowed per cell (NPMIN)	16
Maximum number of particles allowed per cell (NPMAX)	75

The status bar at the bottom of the window shows: 0, 1, -4156626 | 17, 1, 13 | 2D Visualization | Solute Concentration (MT3DMS): Species 1

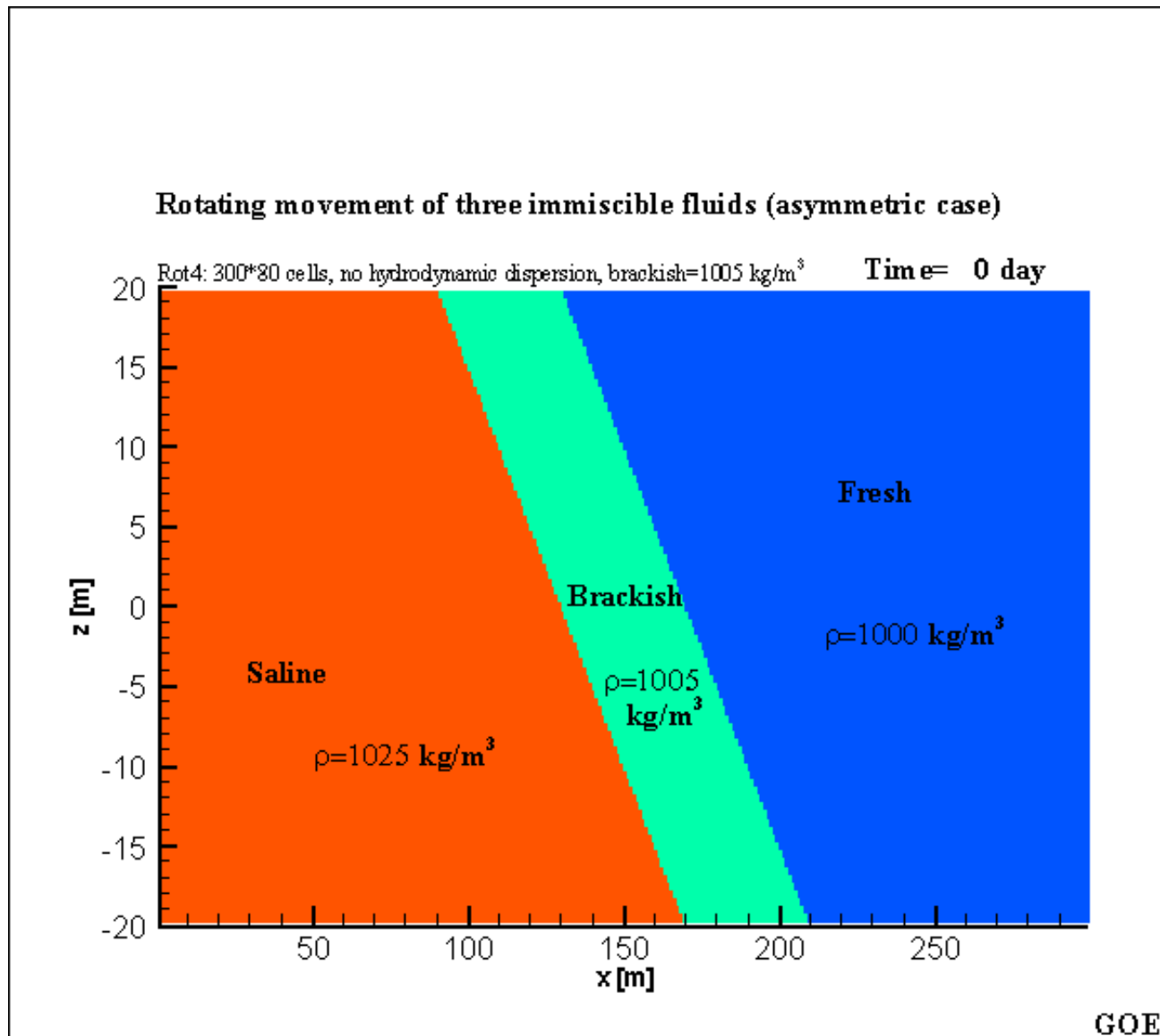
Rotating immiscible interfaces



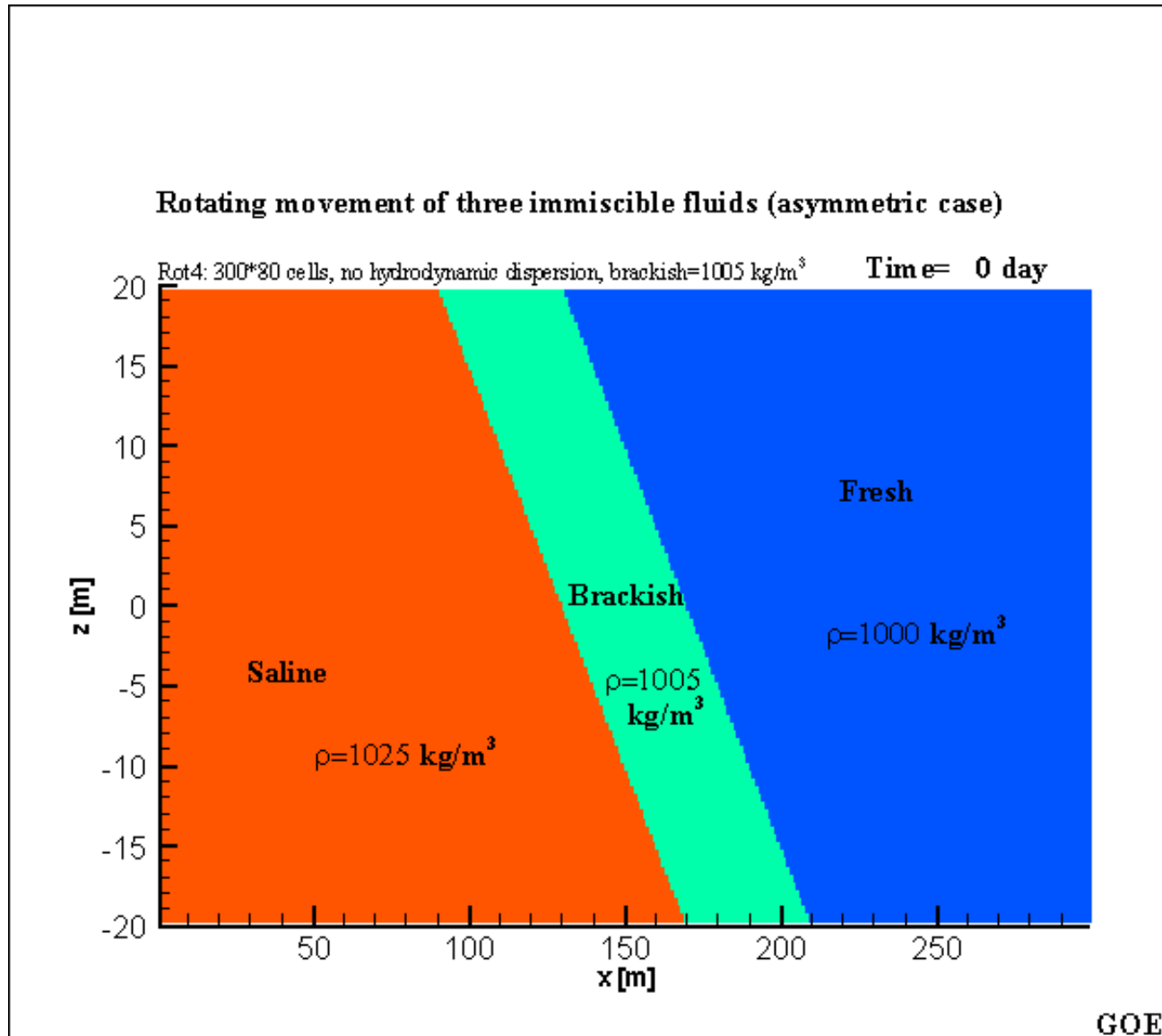
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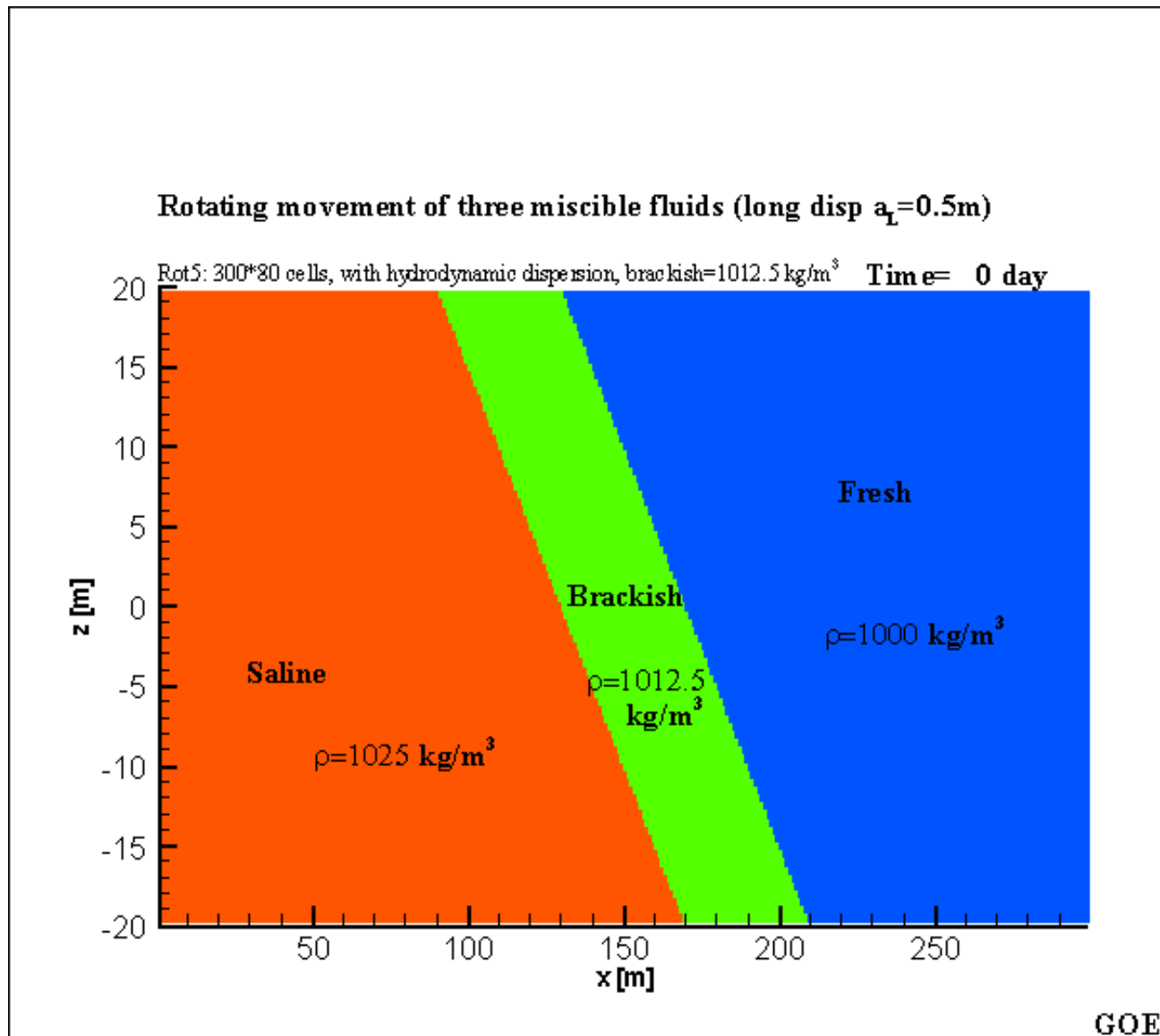
Rotating immiscible interfaces (asymmetric)



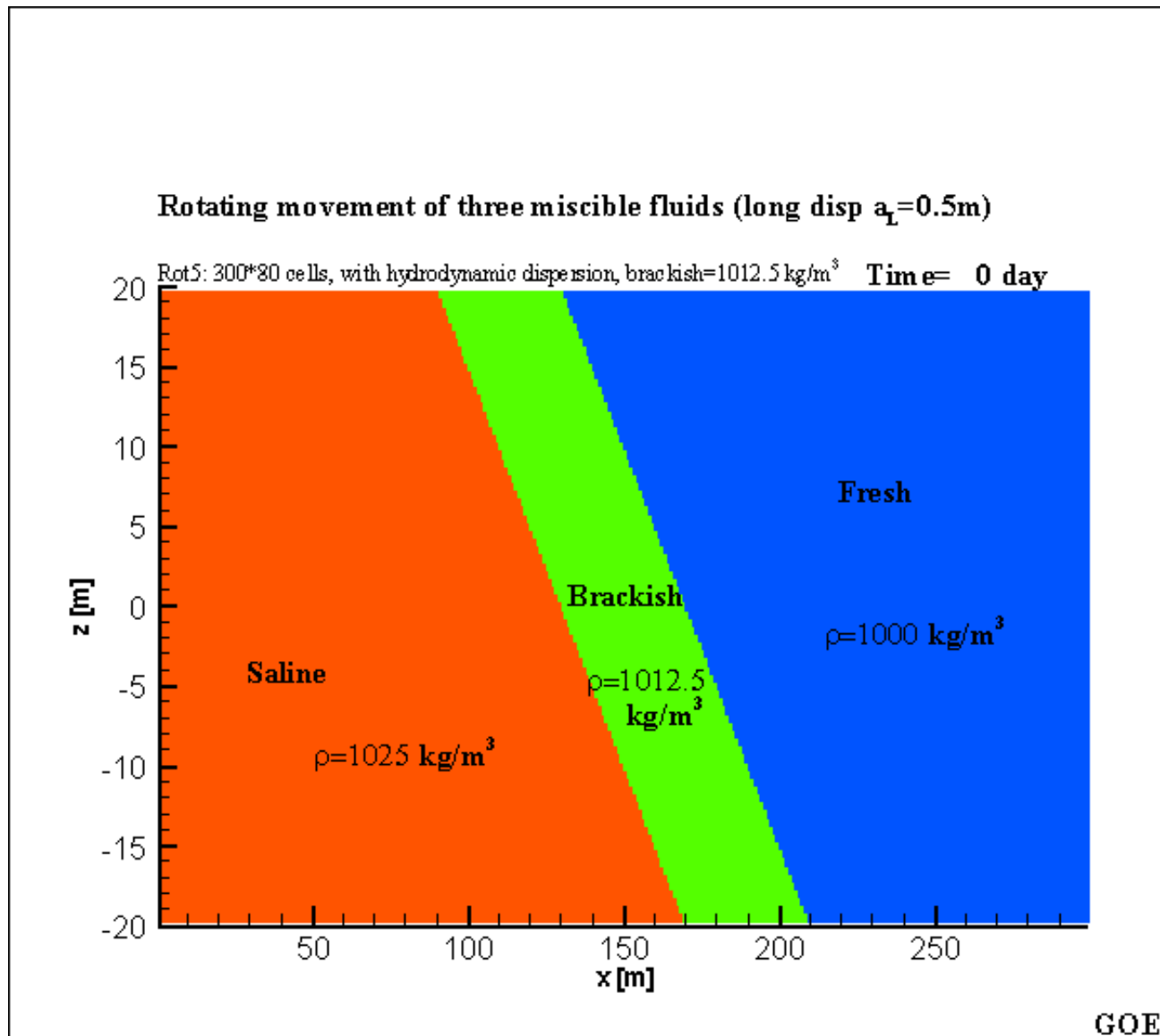
Rotating immiscible interfaces (asymmetric)



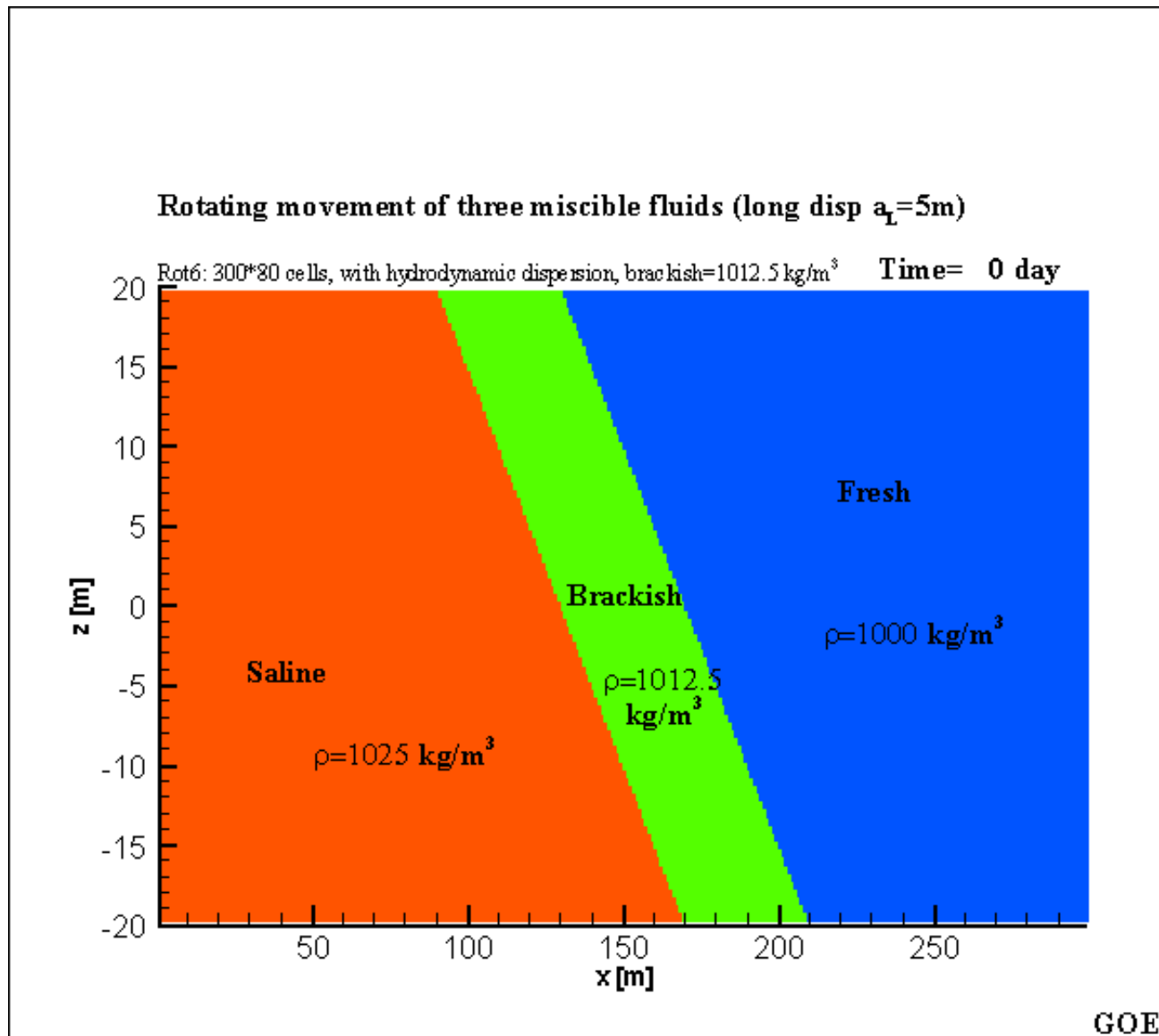
Rotating interfaces with dispersion $\alpha_L=0.5m$



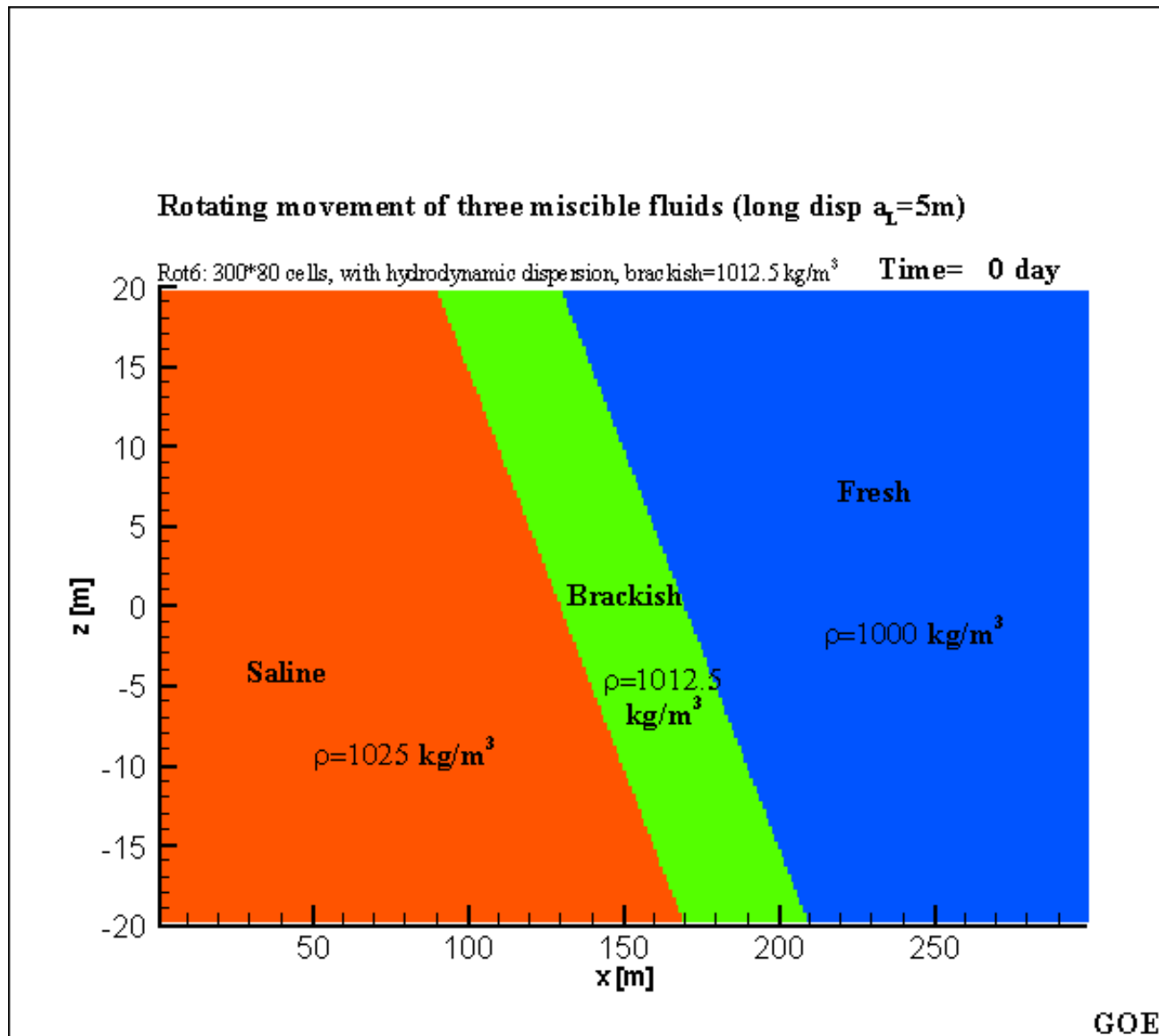
Rotating interfaces with dispersion $\alpha_L=0.5m$



Rotating interfaces with dispersion $\alpha_L=5m$



Rotating interfaces with dispersion $\alpha_L=5m$

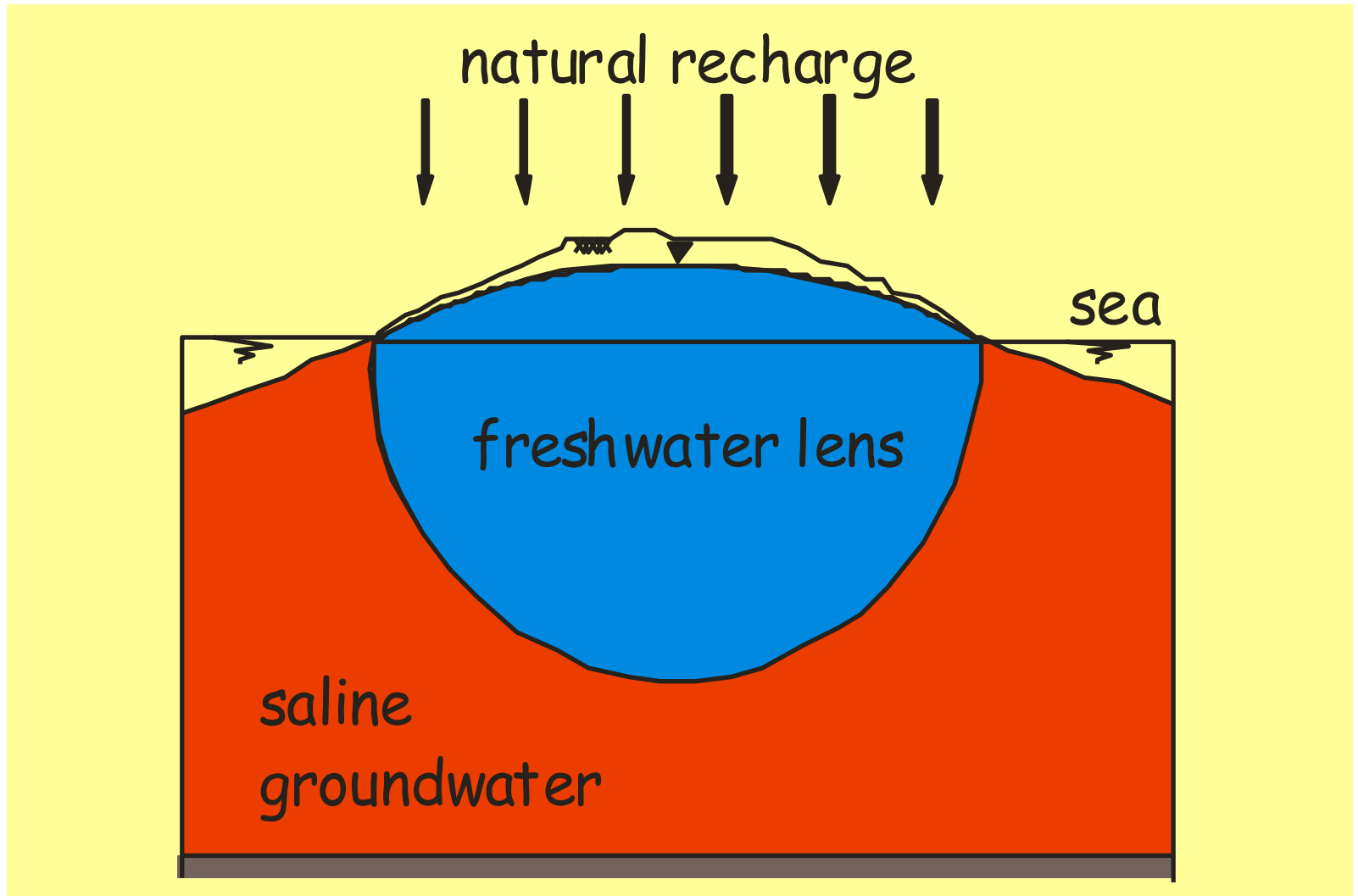


Rotating immiscible interfaces

Conclusion:

To check the variable-density component of your code, this immiscible interface benchmark can be used.

Evolution of a freshwater lens



Question:

How long does it take before the volume of a freshwater lens in a sand-dune area with width of 4km is filled?:

- a. 5 years
- b. 25 years
- c. 100 years
- d. 500 years

T = specific time scale

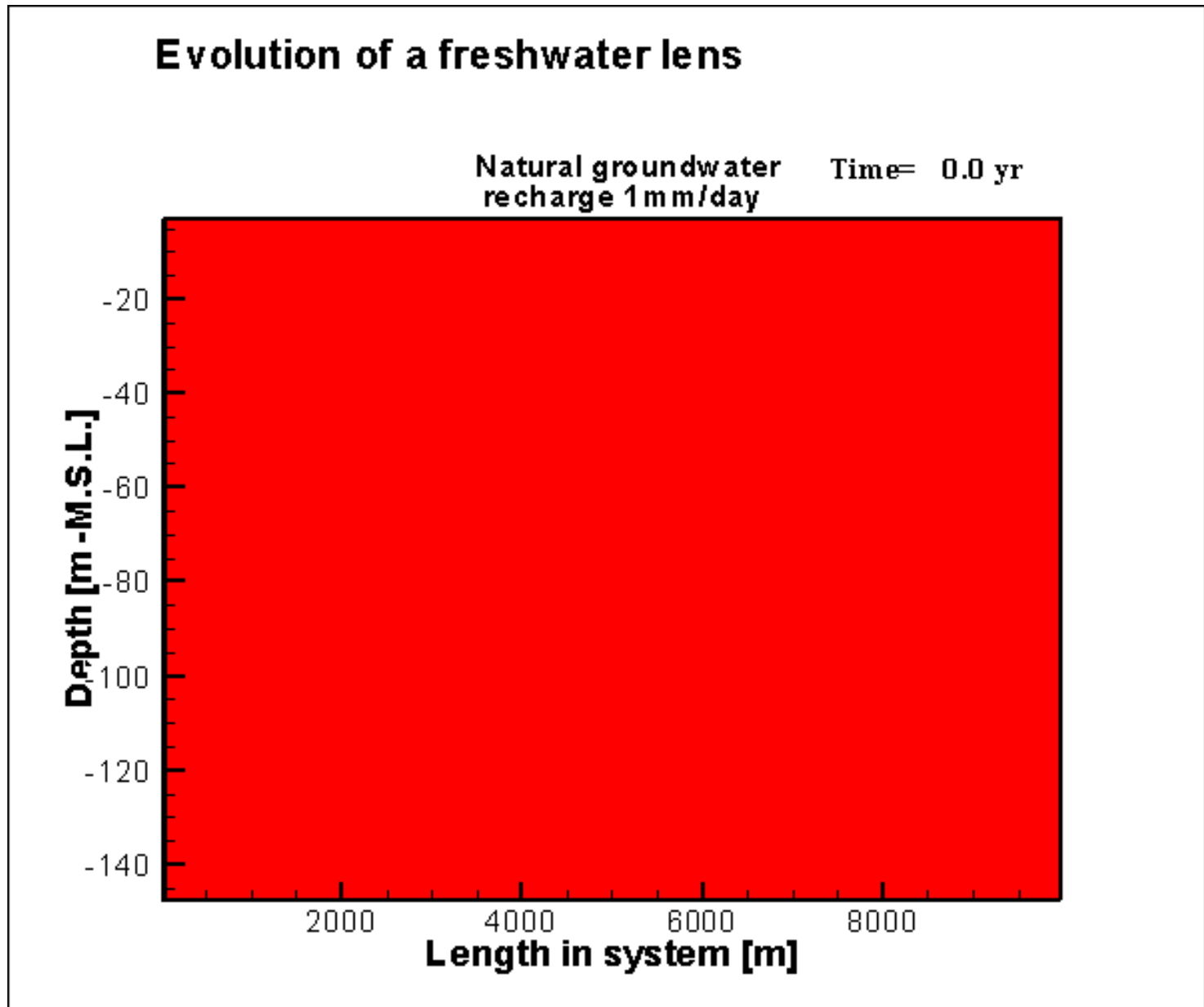
T = time period before the lens has reached 95% of its final form

In the Netherlands: **T = 75-200 jaar,**

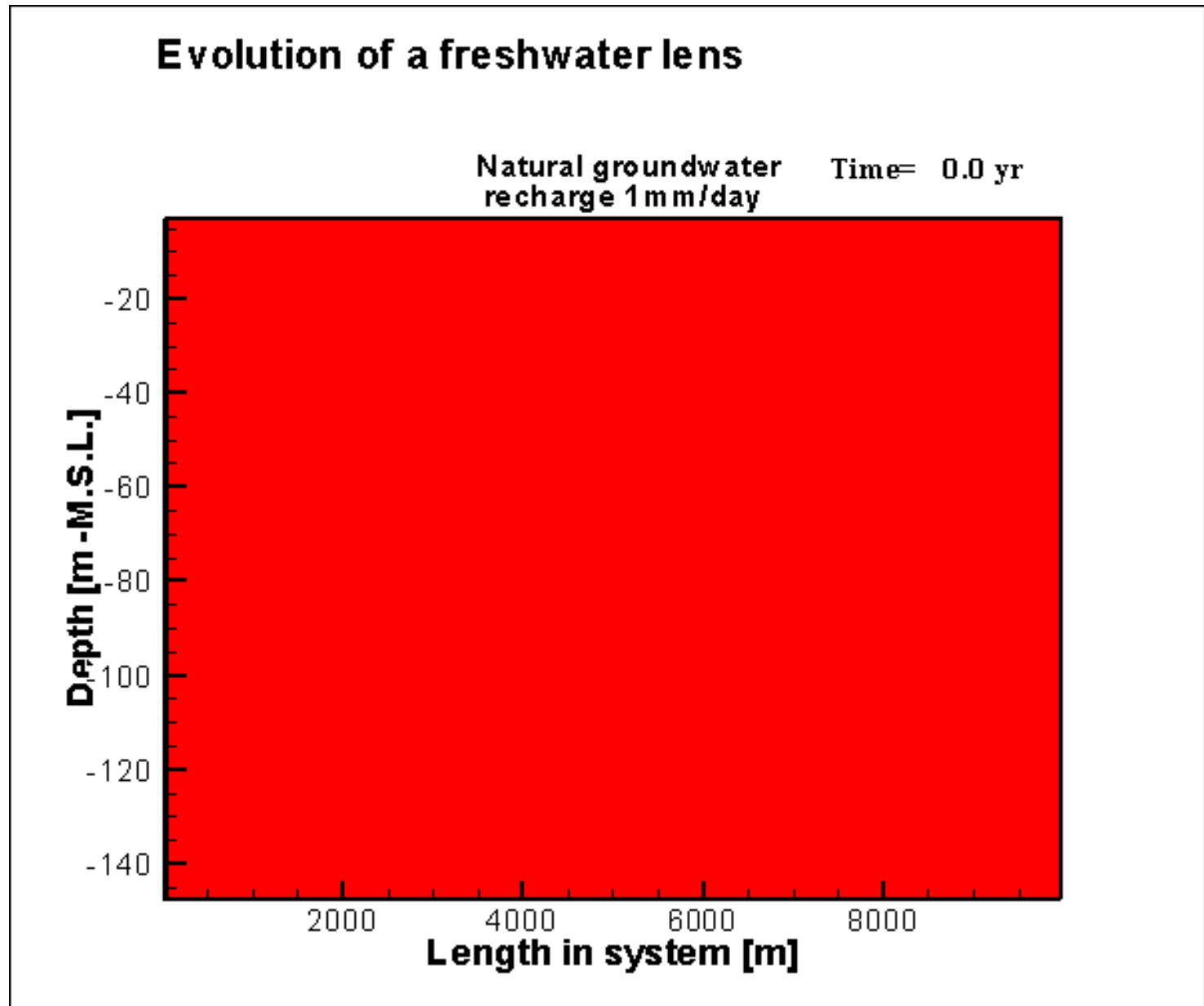
depends on:

- width dune area
- natural groundwater recharge
- hydraulic conductivity soil

Concept: evolution freshwater lens (not Griend!)



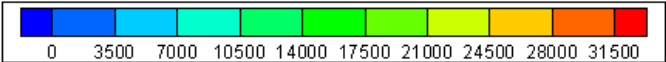
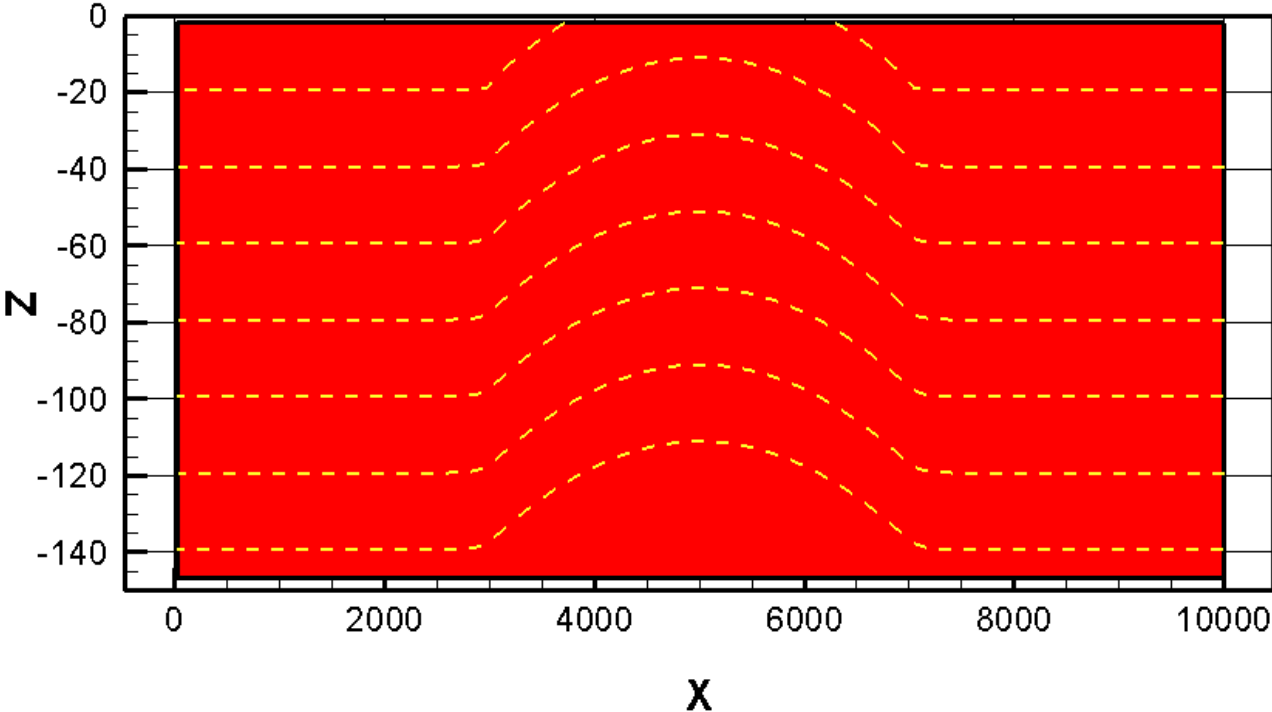
Concept: evolution freshwater lens (not Griend!)



Evolution freshwater lens

Evolution of a freshwater lens

Time= 0.00 yr

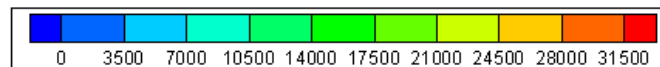
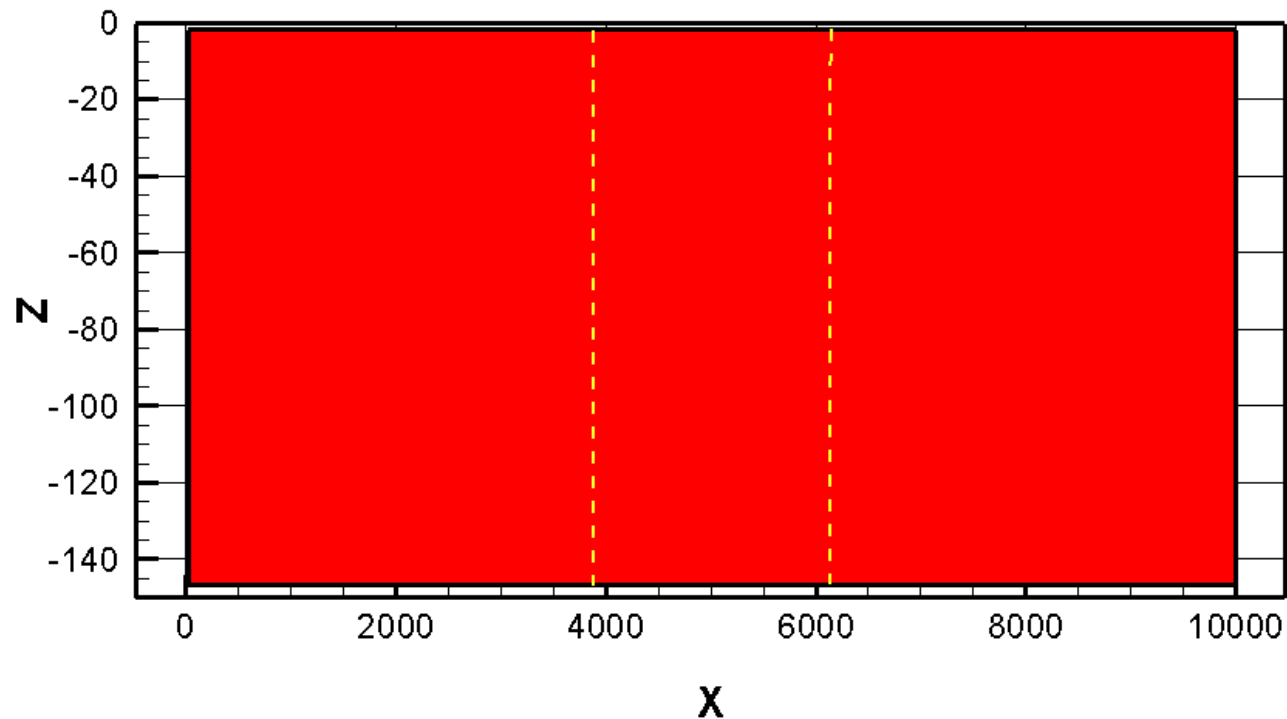


Evolution freshwater lens: no density effects

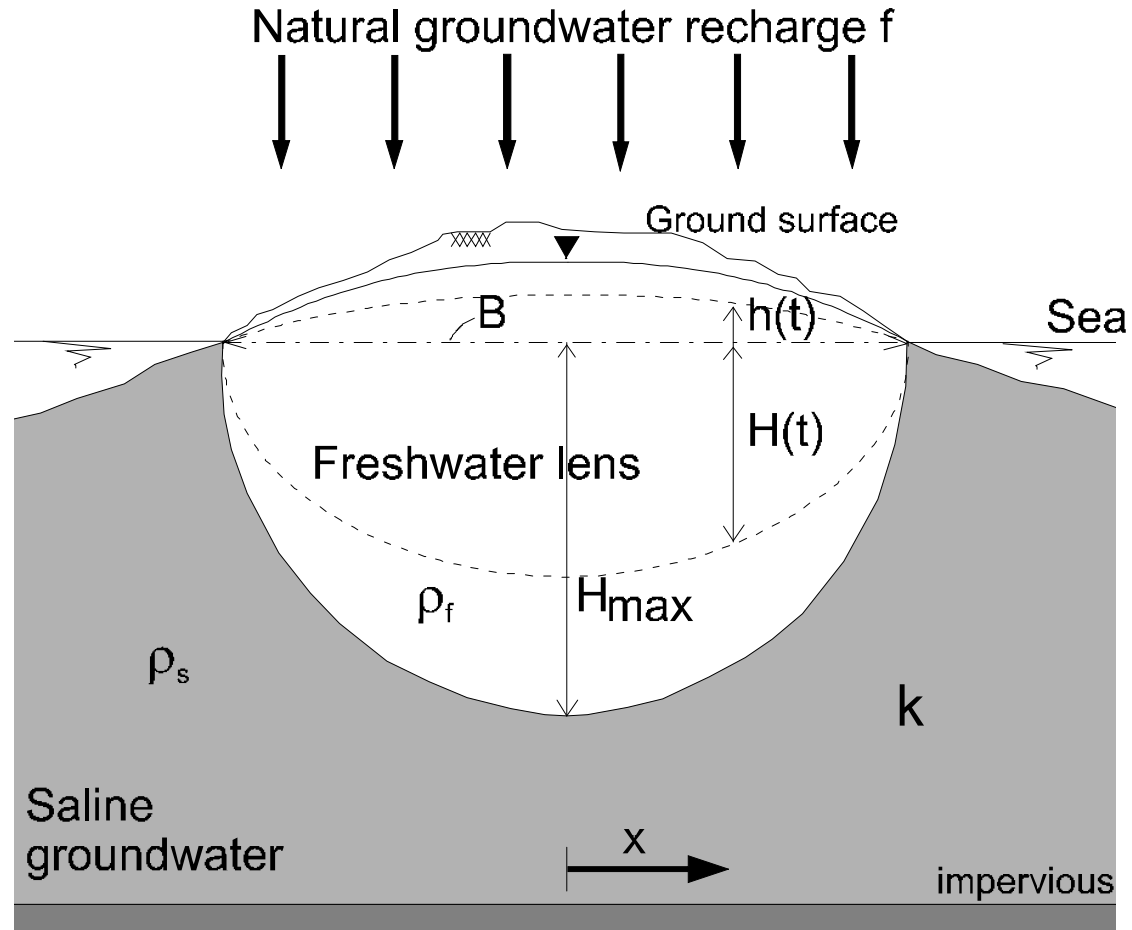
Evolution of a freshwater lens

No density effect, only solute transport

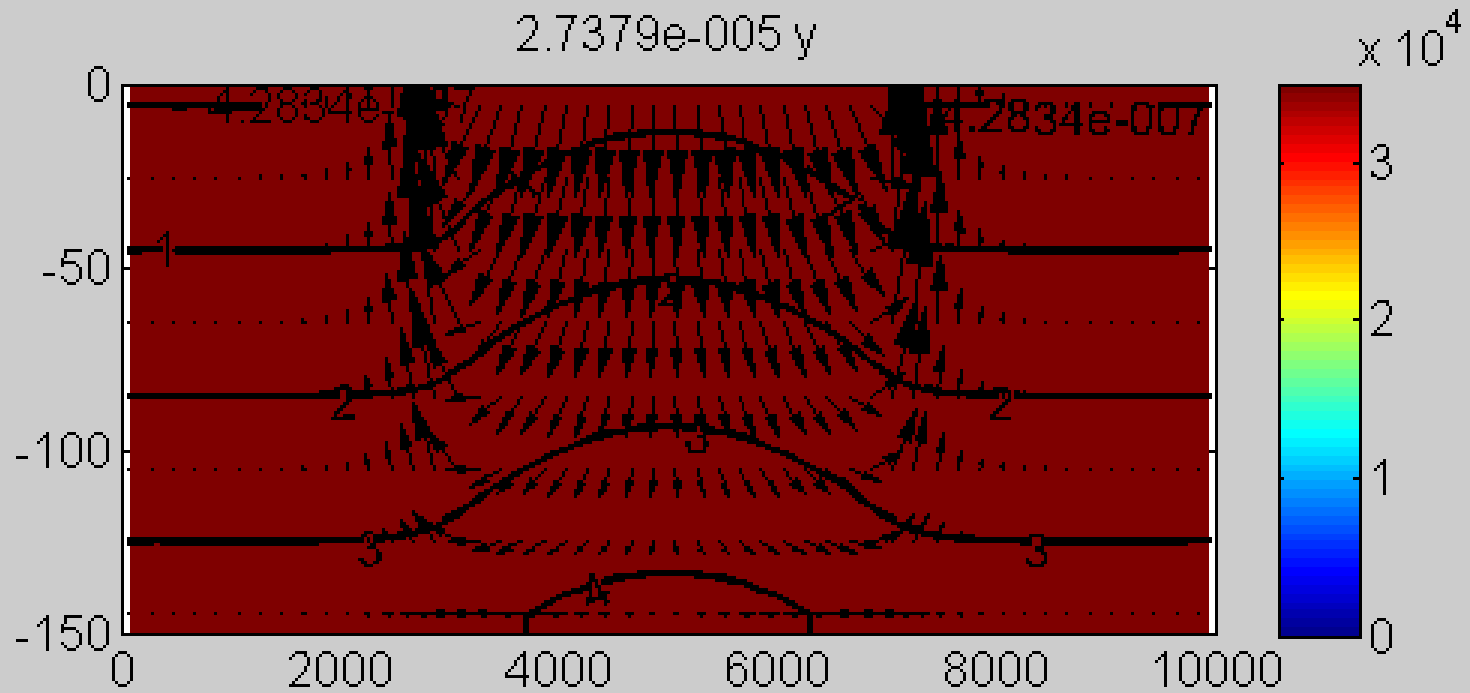
Time= 0.00 yr



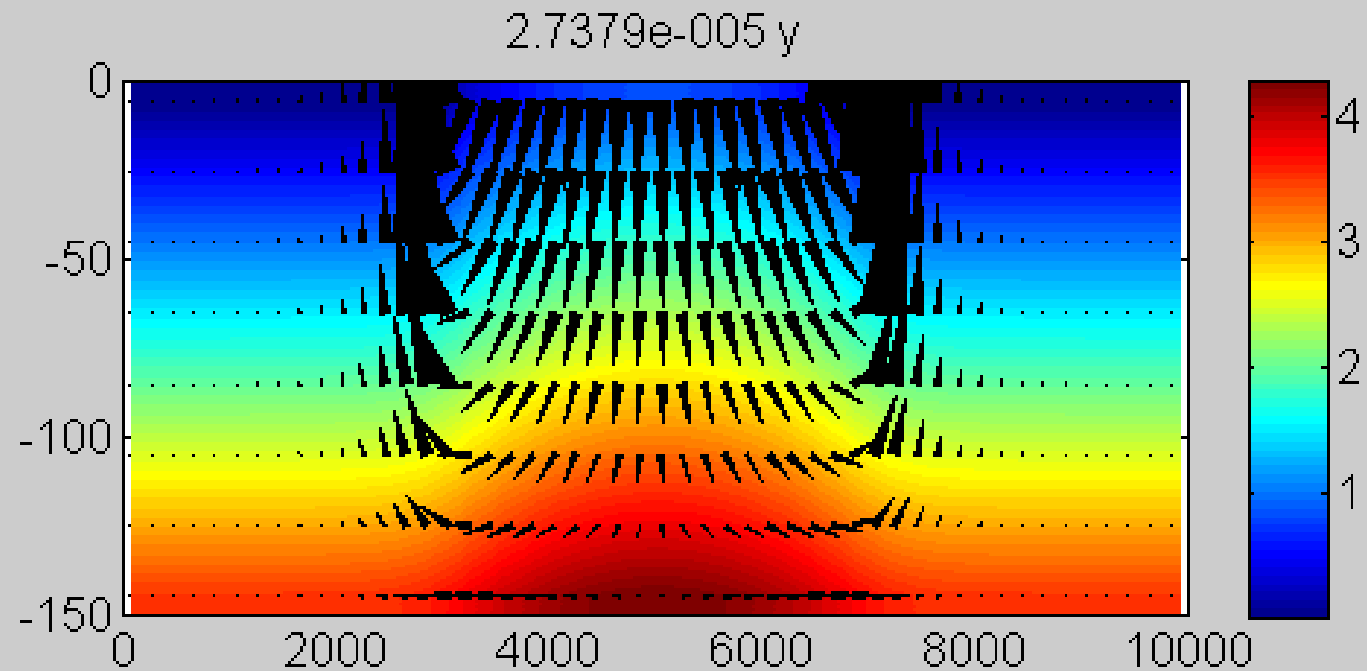
Case 2: Development of a freshwater lens



Evolution lens



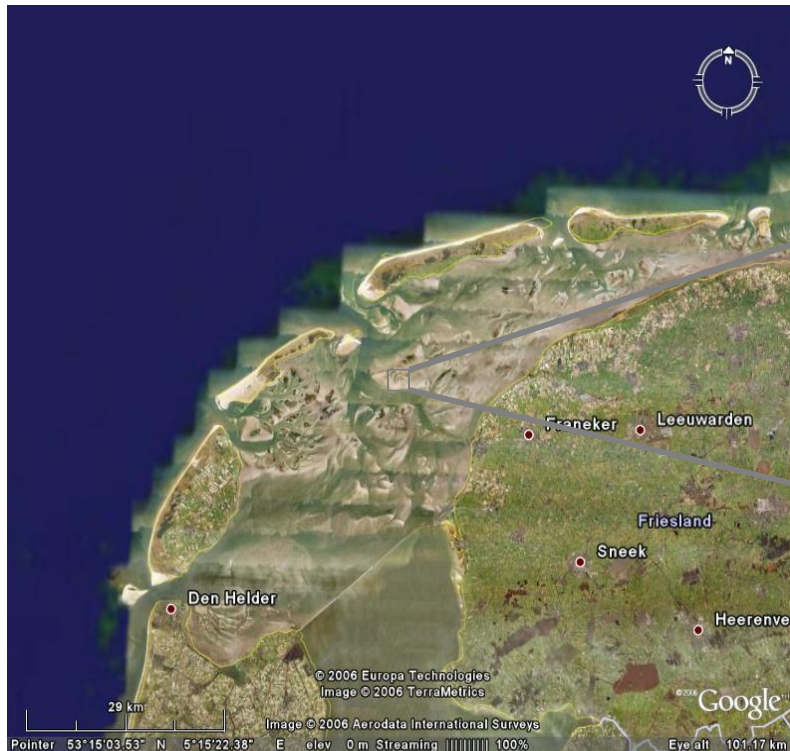
Evolution freshwater head



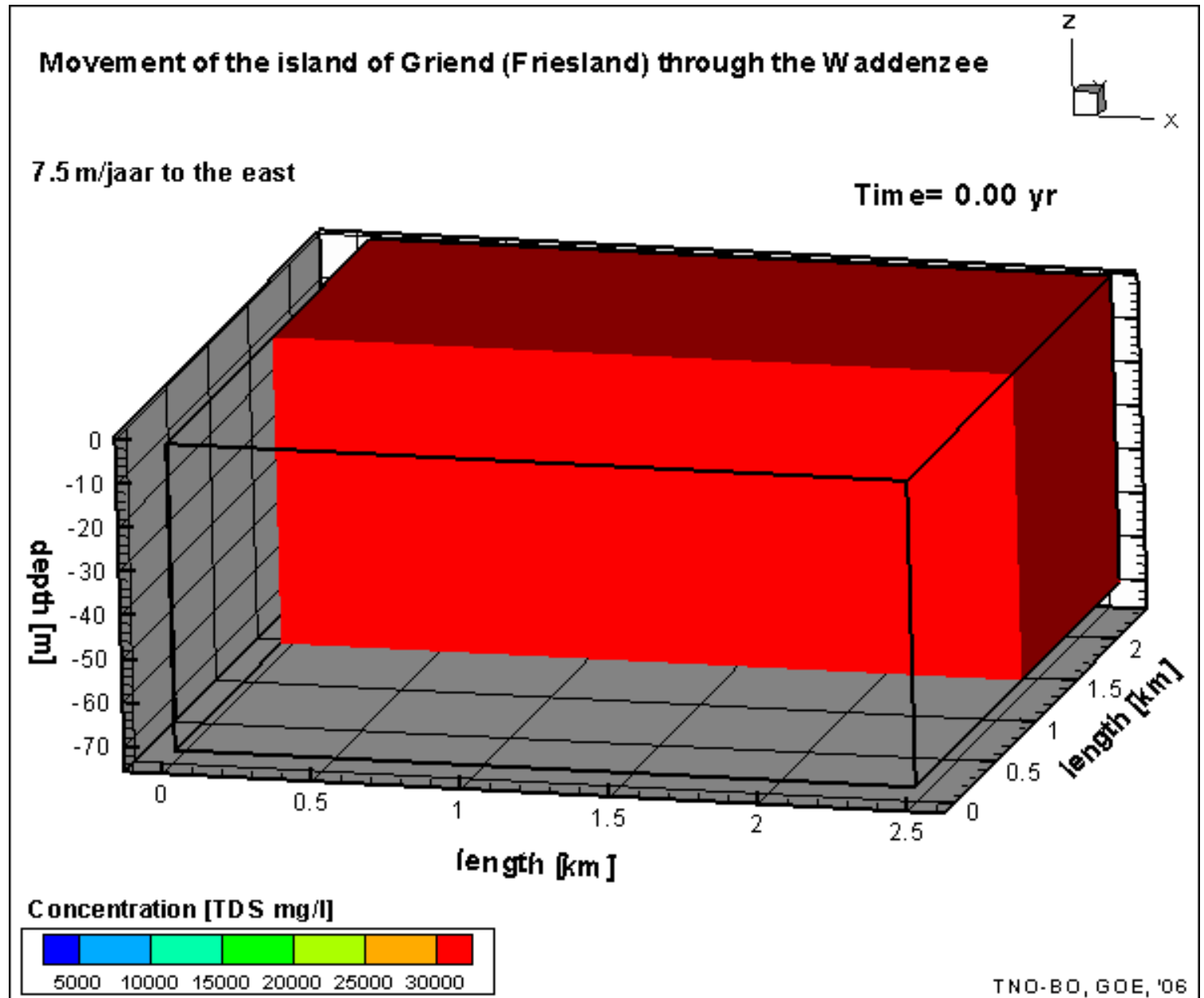
The island of Griend

Issues:

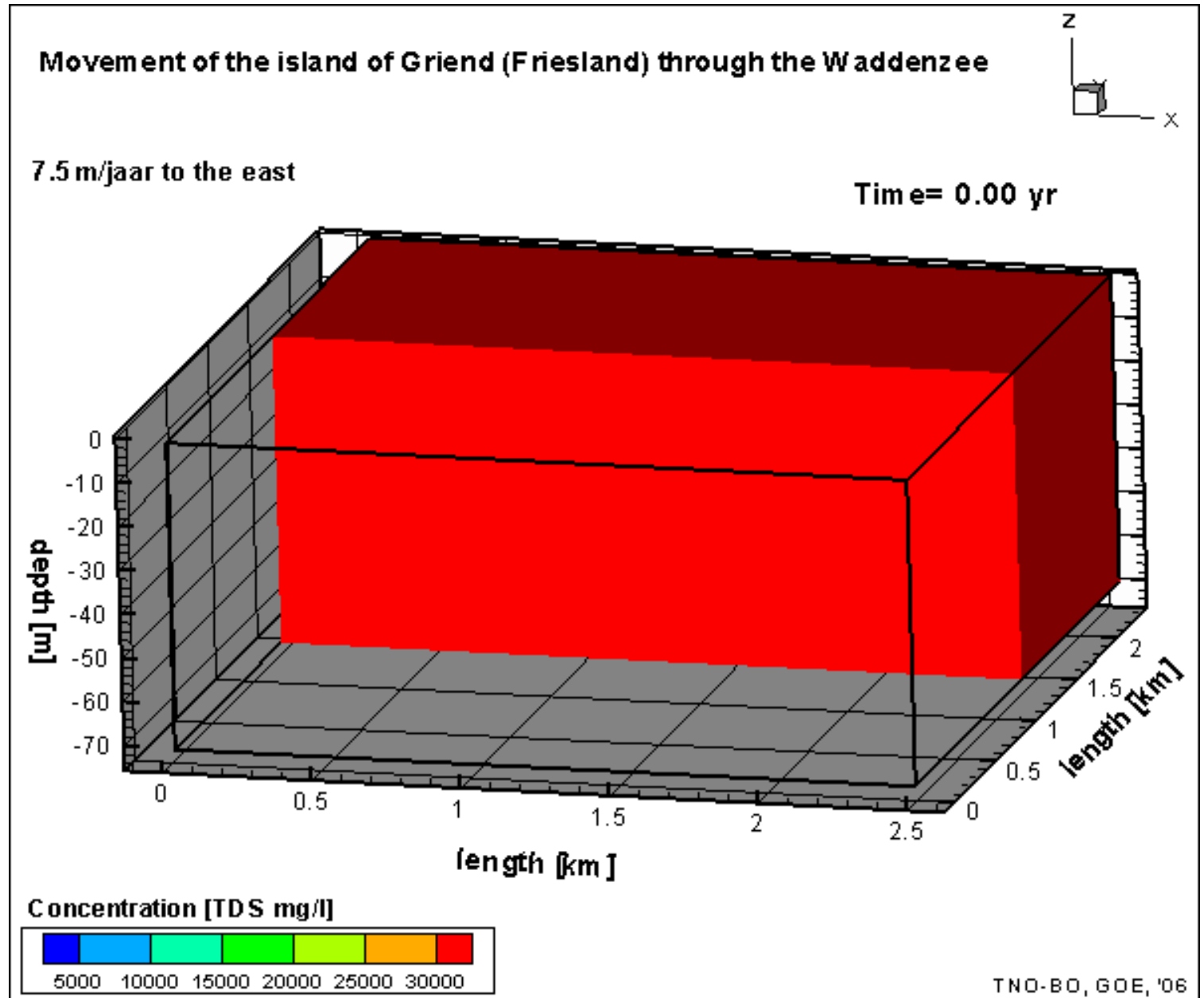
1. Small island moves $\sim 7.5\text{m}$ per year to the east
2. Effect on the volume of the freshwater lens:
 - Can a lens be developed?
 - What is the thickness of the lens?



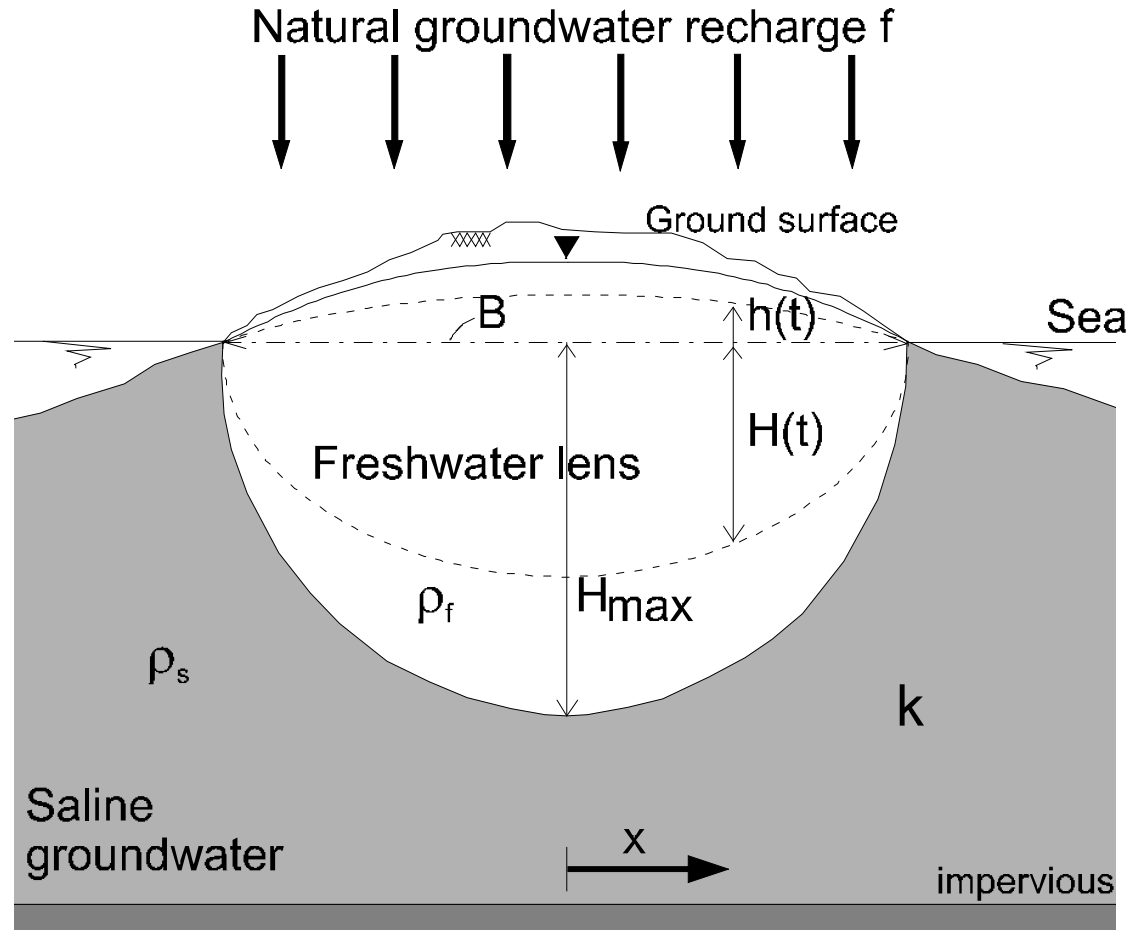
Movement of De Griend and creation of the lens



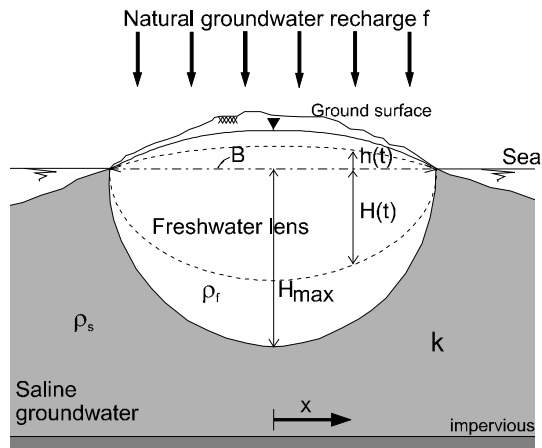
Movement of De Griend and creation of the lens



Case 2: Development of a freshwater lens



Case 2: Development of a freshwater lens



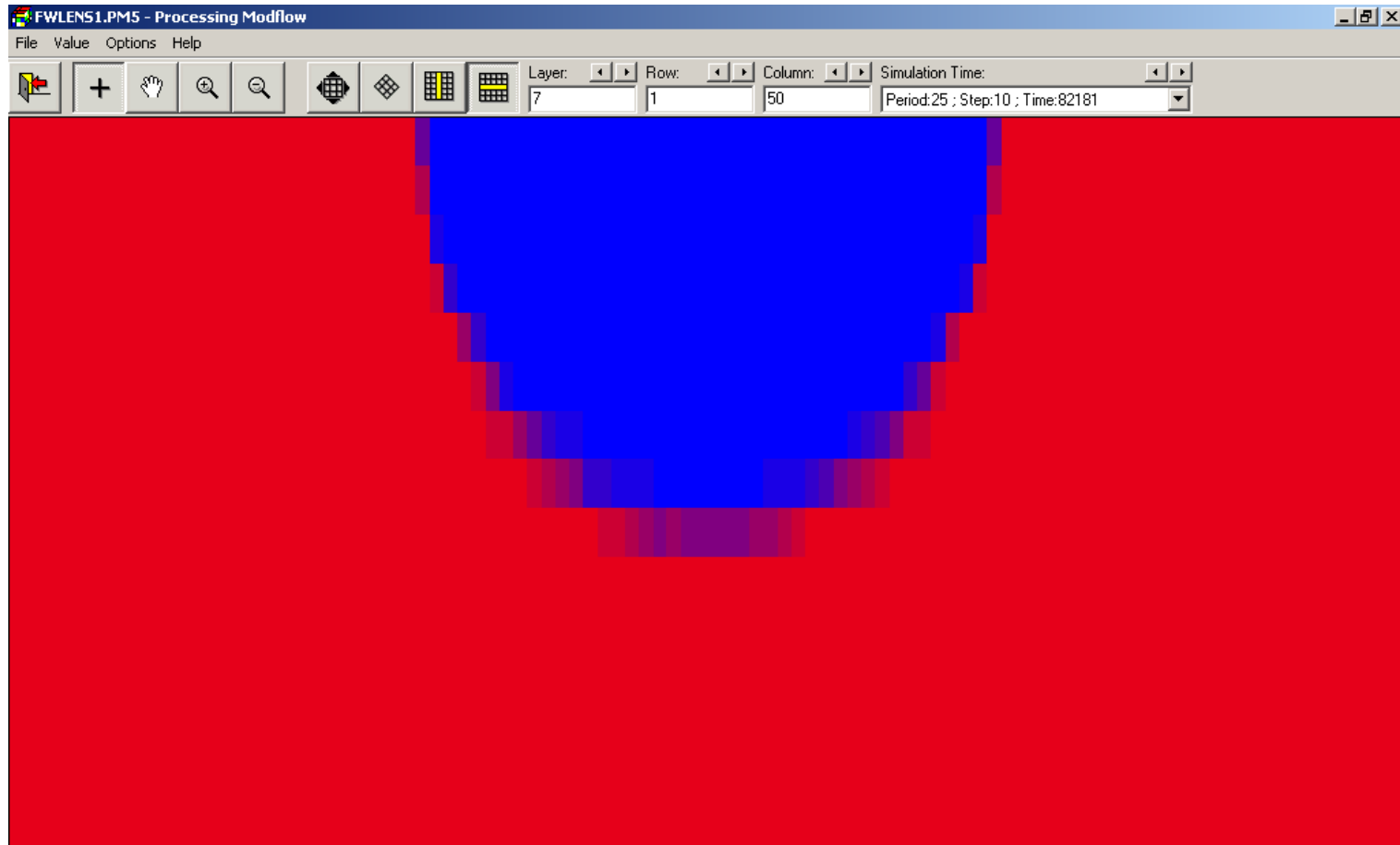
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Rows	1	T	200 m/d
Columns	100	Anisotropy K_{hor}/K_{ver}	10
Δx	100 m	ne	0.35
Δy	10 m	αL	0 m
Δz	10 m	αT	0 m
Stress periods	10	recharge	360 mm/y
Initial concentration	35000 mg/l	Recharge concentration	0 mg/l
bouyancy	0.025		

On the benchmark Freshwater lens, exercise 4

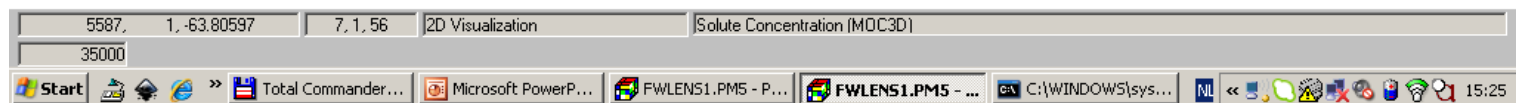
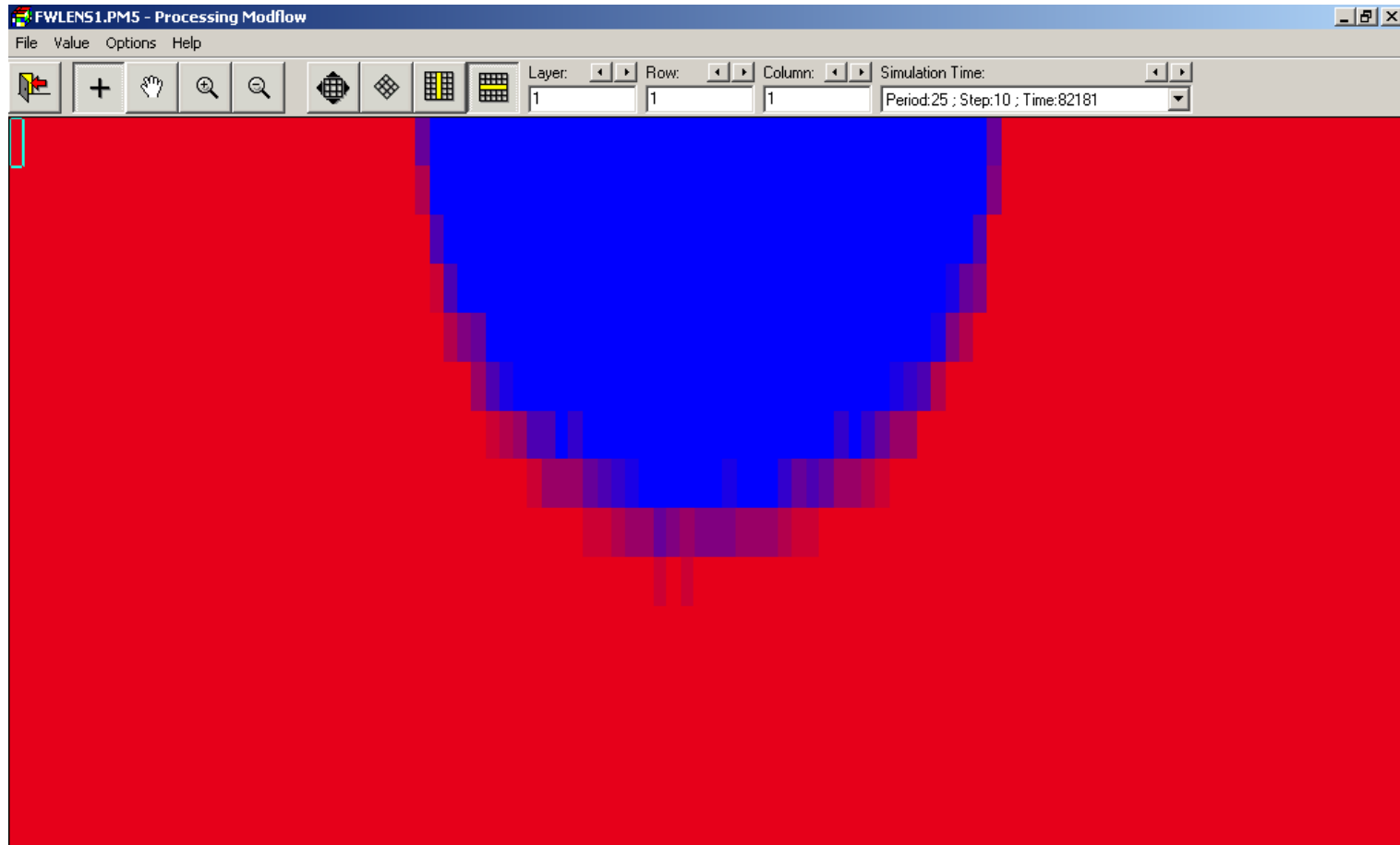
How much groundwater (approximately, in $m^3/day/m'$) can be extracted without serious upconing of saline and brackish groundwater (serious means a TDS-concentration >300 mg/l. Make only a coarse and quick calculation. Try to supply 100.000 people with drinking water on an island with a length L of 10 km?

- Length B lens = 4000m, Recharge = 0.001m/d
- Flux in: $4m^2/day$, or $4 m^3/day$ per stretched meter
- 100.000 people with say 100 l/day is $10.000 m^3/day$
- Length $L = 10km = 10000m$
- So the rate of fresh groundwater you want to extract from this 1m wide cross-section is $10.000 m^3/day / 10000m = 1 m^2/day$
- You have to extract in total $-1 m^2/day$ out of this 2D cross-section (of 1m stretched)

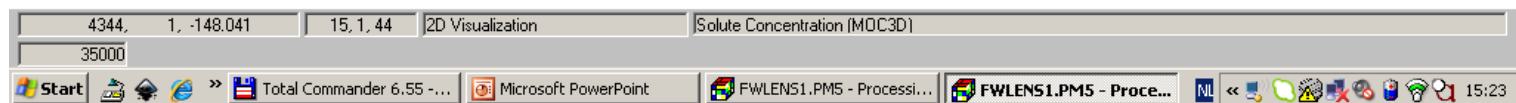
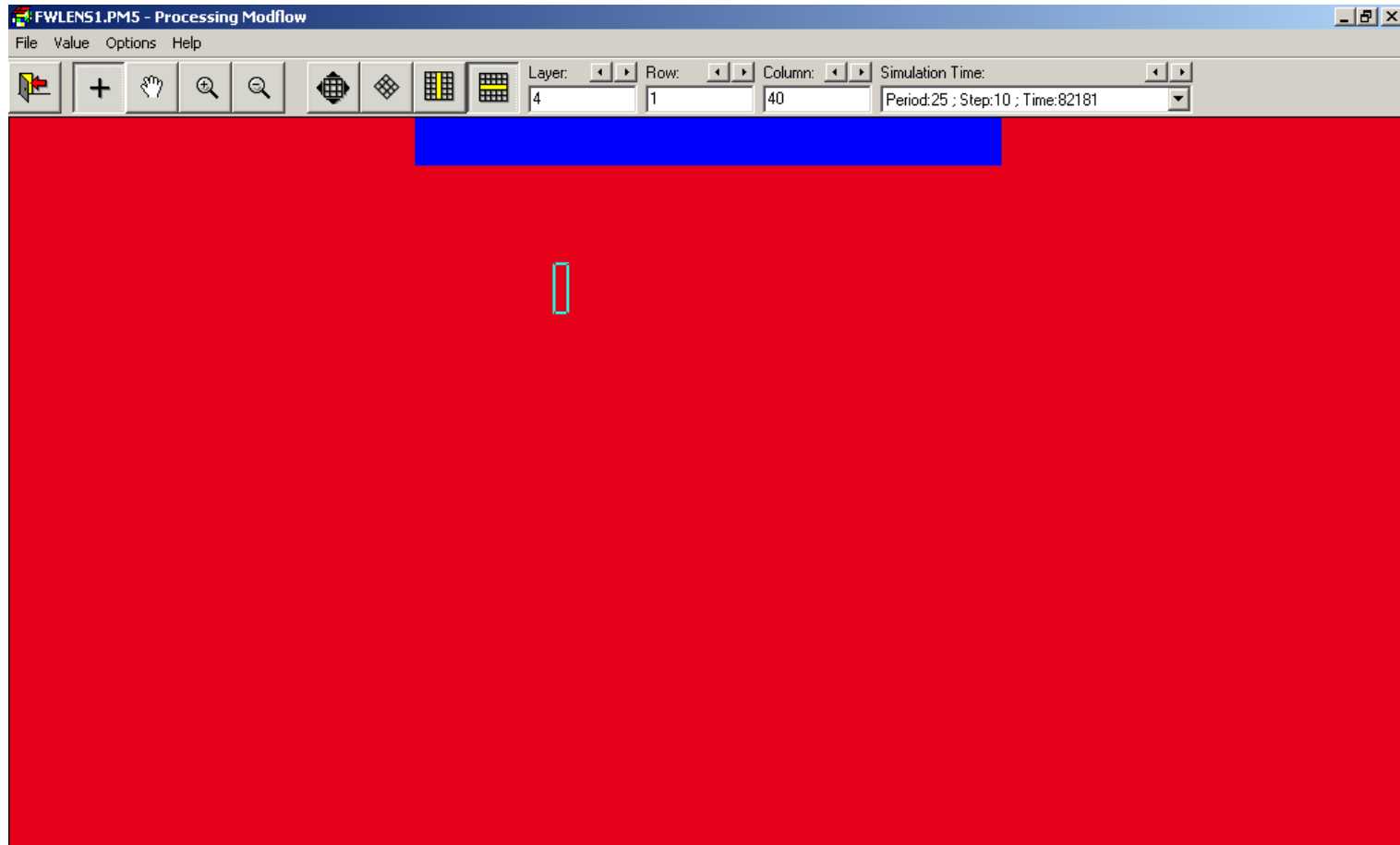
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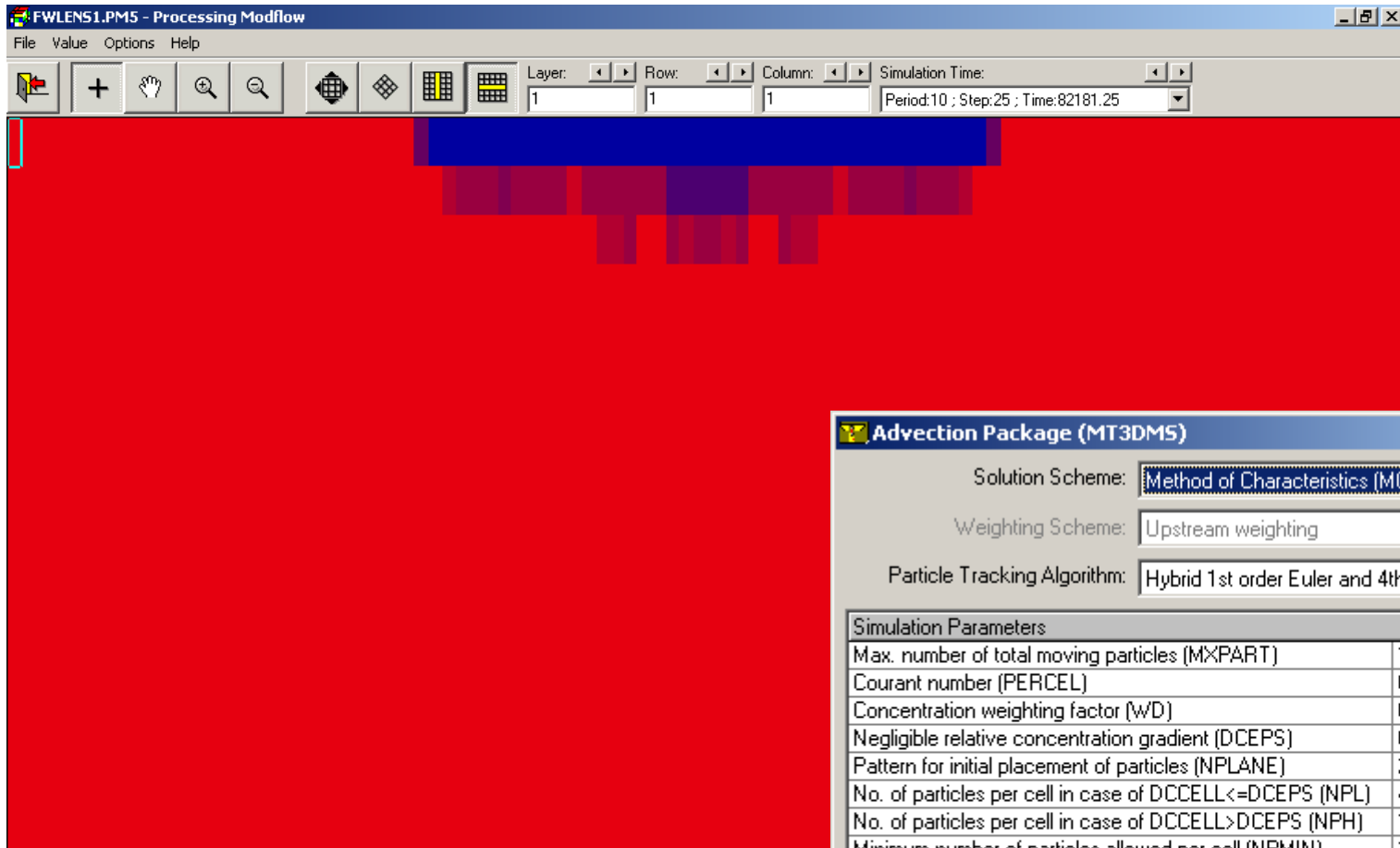
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SEAWAT, MOC, NPLANE=2



Advection Package (MT3DMS)

Solution Scheme: Method of Characteristics (MOC)

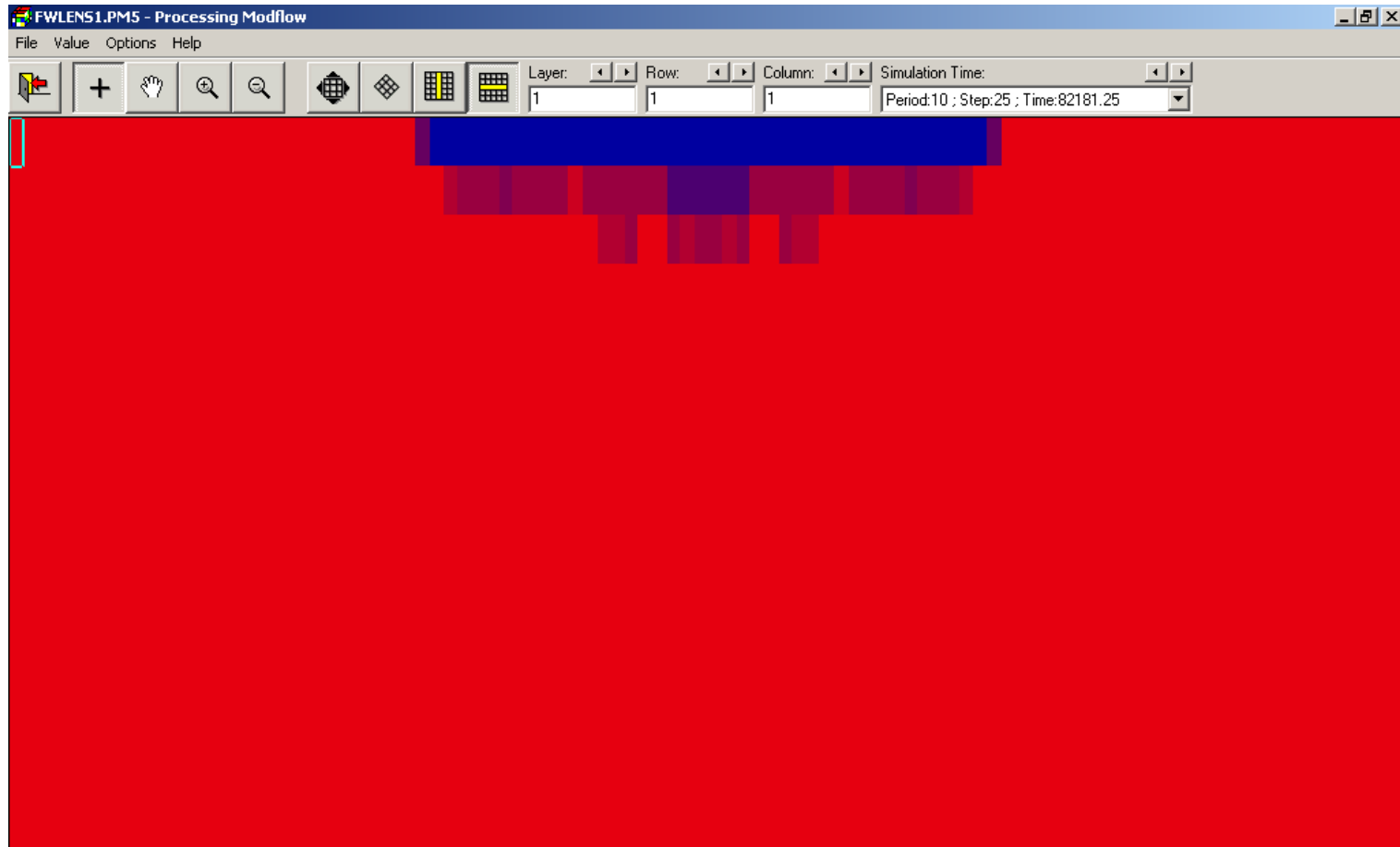
Weighting Scheme: Upstream weighting

Particle Tracking Algorithm: Hybrid 1st order Euler and 4th order Runge-Kutta

Simulation Parameters	
Max. number of total moving particles (MXPART)	100000
Courant number (PERCEL)	0,75
Concentration weighting factor (WD)	0,5
Negligible relative concentration gradient (DCEPS)	0,00001
Pattern for initial placement of particles (NPLANE)	2
No. of particles per cell in case of DCCELL<=DCEPS (NPL)	4
No. of particles per cell in case of DCCELL>DCEPS (NPH)	15
Minimum number of particles allowed per cell (NPMIN)	2
Maximum number of particles allowed per cell (NPMAX)	15

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SEAWAT, MOC, 4.NPLANE=16

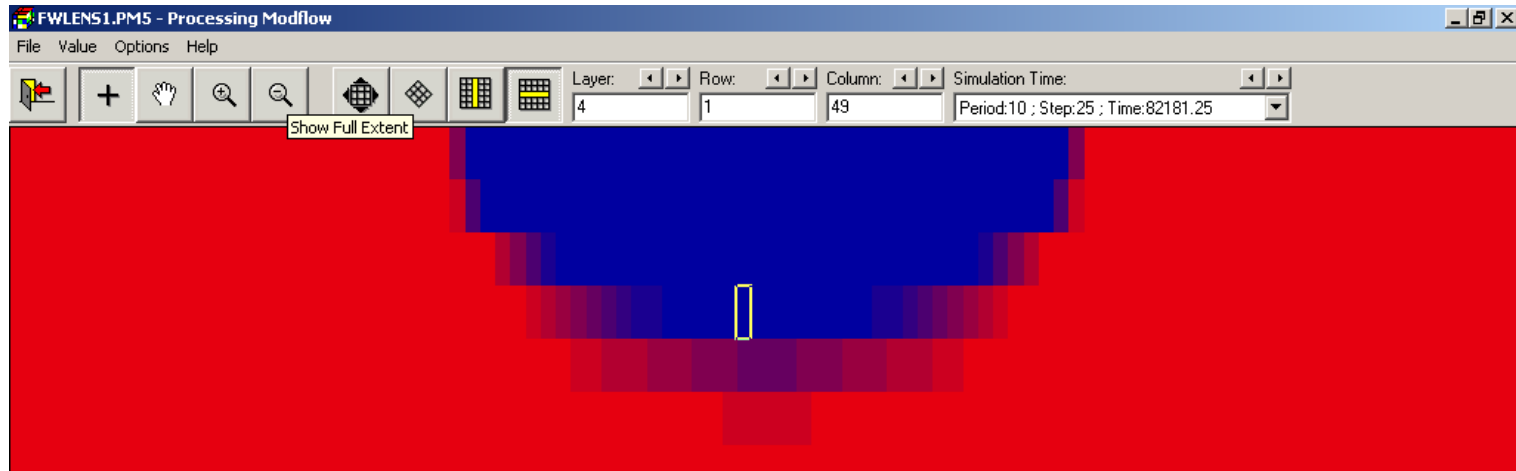


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Advection Package (MT3DM5)

Solution Scheme: Method of Characteristics (MOC)

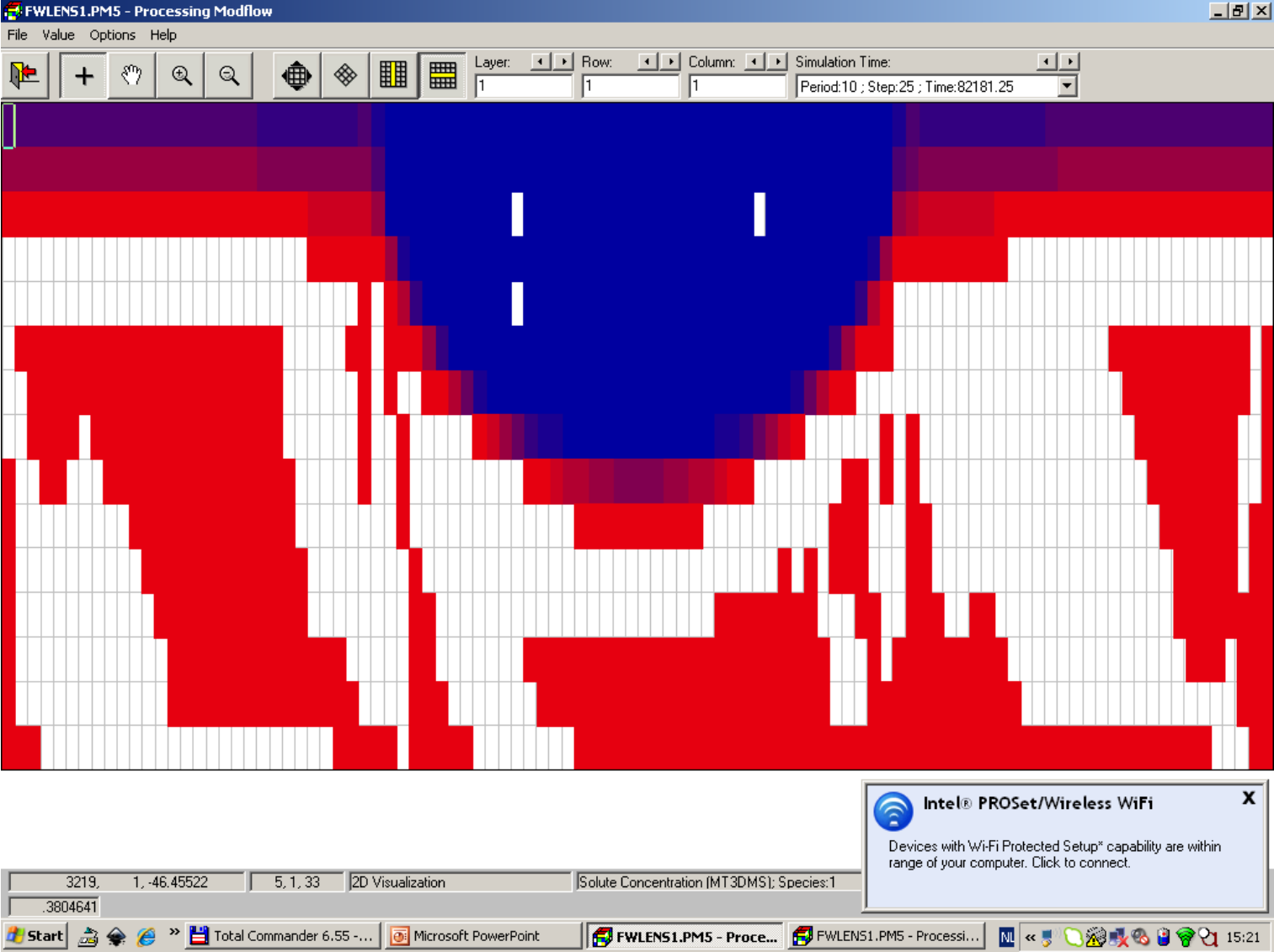
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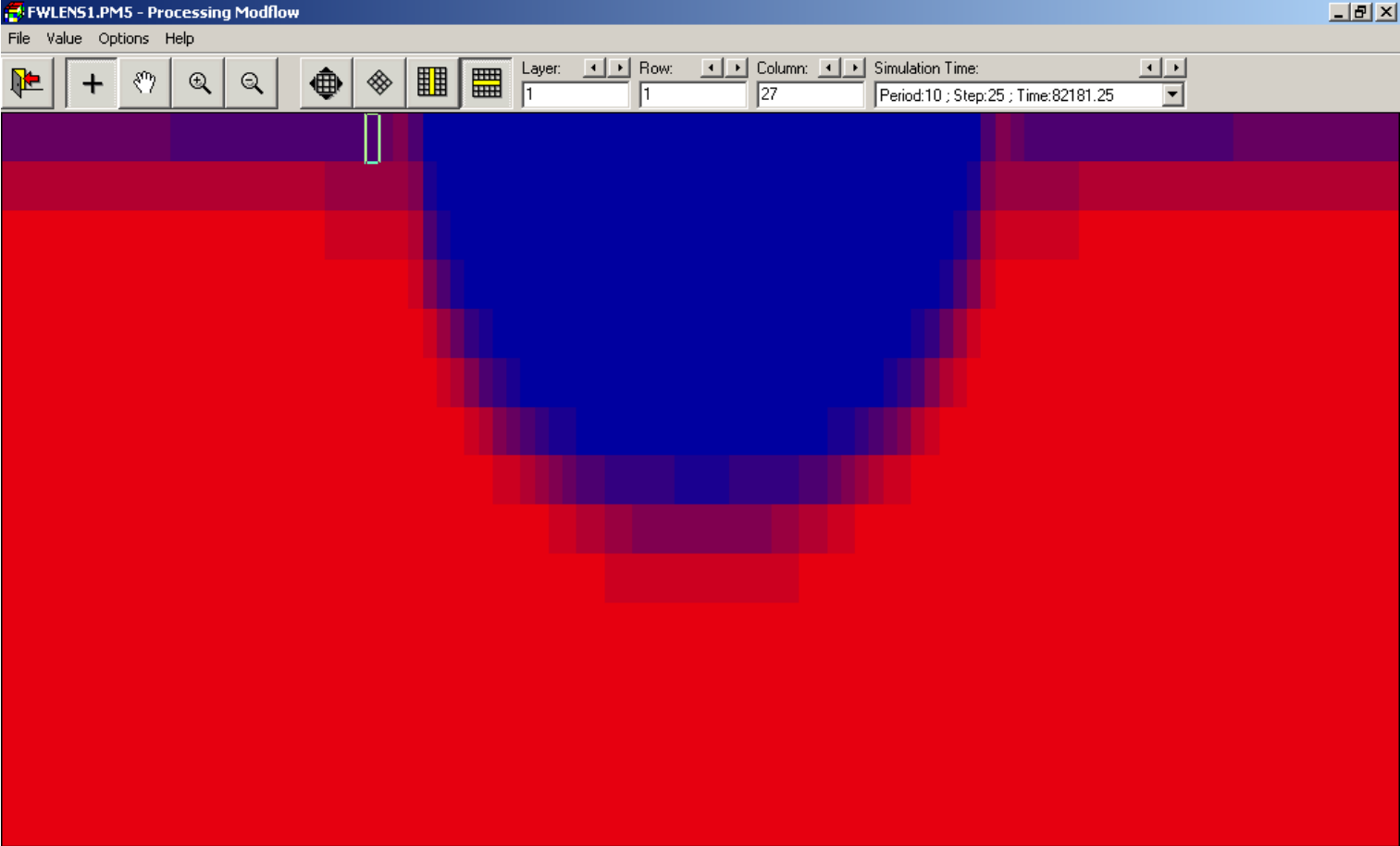
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Concentration weighting factor (WD)	0,5
Negligible relative concentration gradient (DCEPS)	0,00001
Pattern for initial placement of particles (NPLANE)	16
No. of particles per cell in case of DCCELL<=DCEPS (NPL)	16
No. of particles per cell in case of DCCELL>DCEPS (NPH)	35
Minimum number of particles allowed per cell (NPMIN)	15
Maximum number of particles allowed per cell (NPMAX)	19

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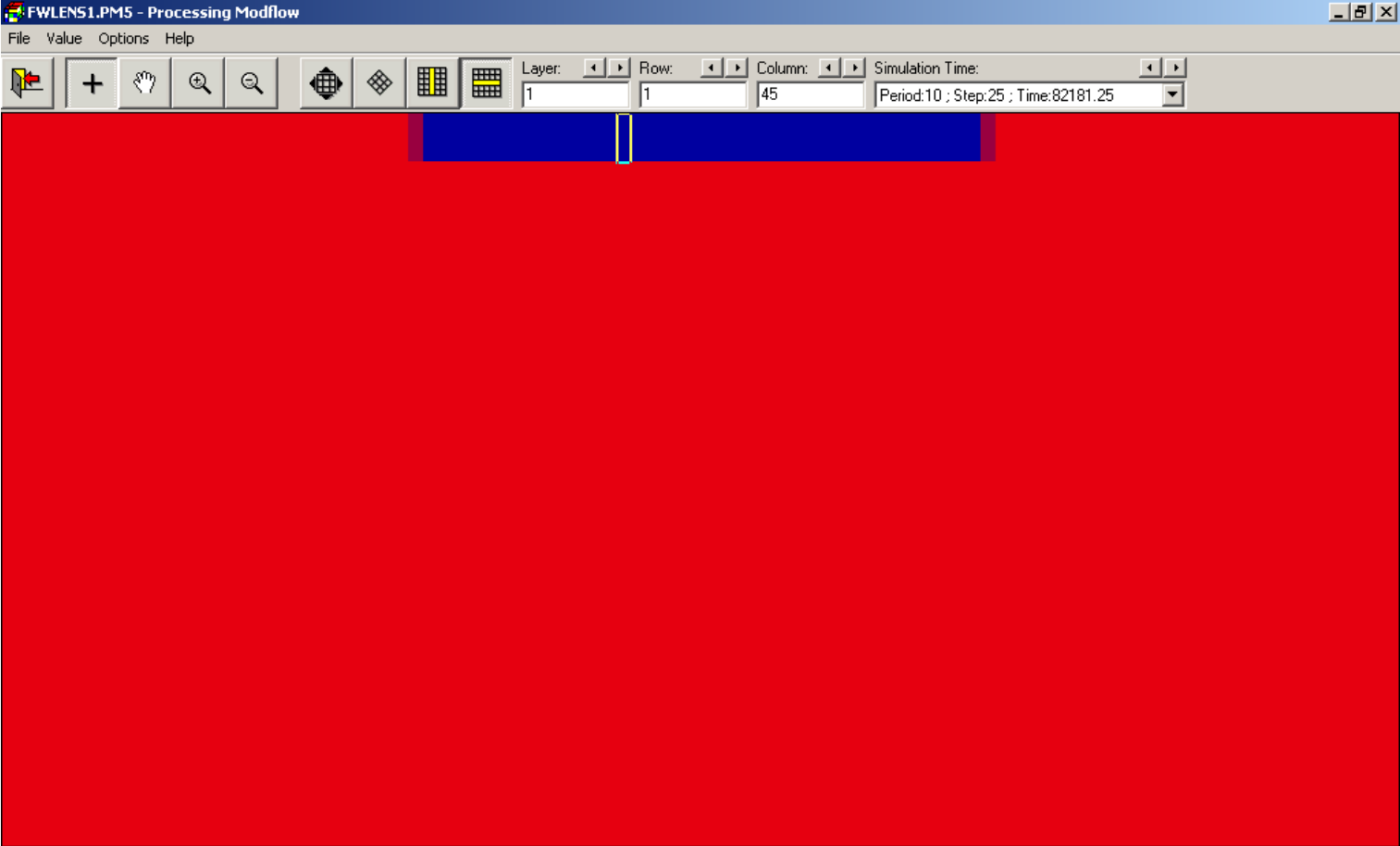
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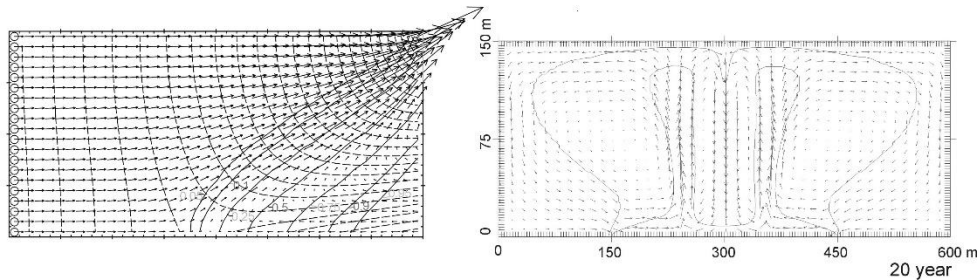
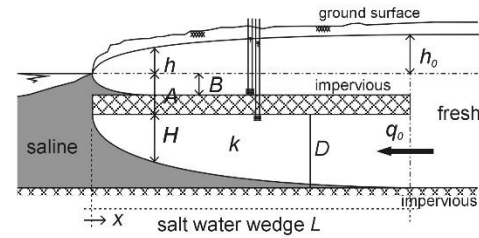
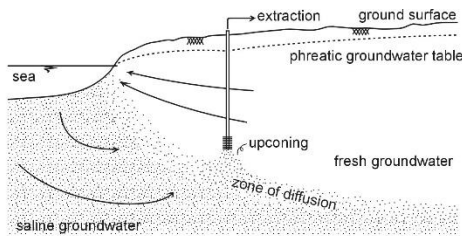
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Analytical solutions

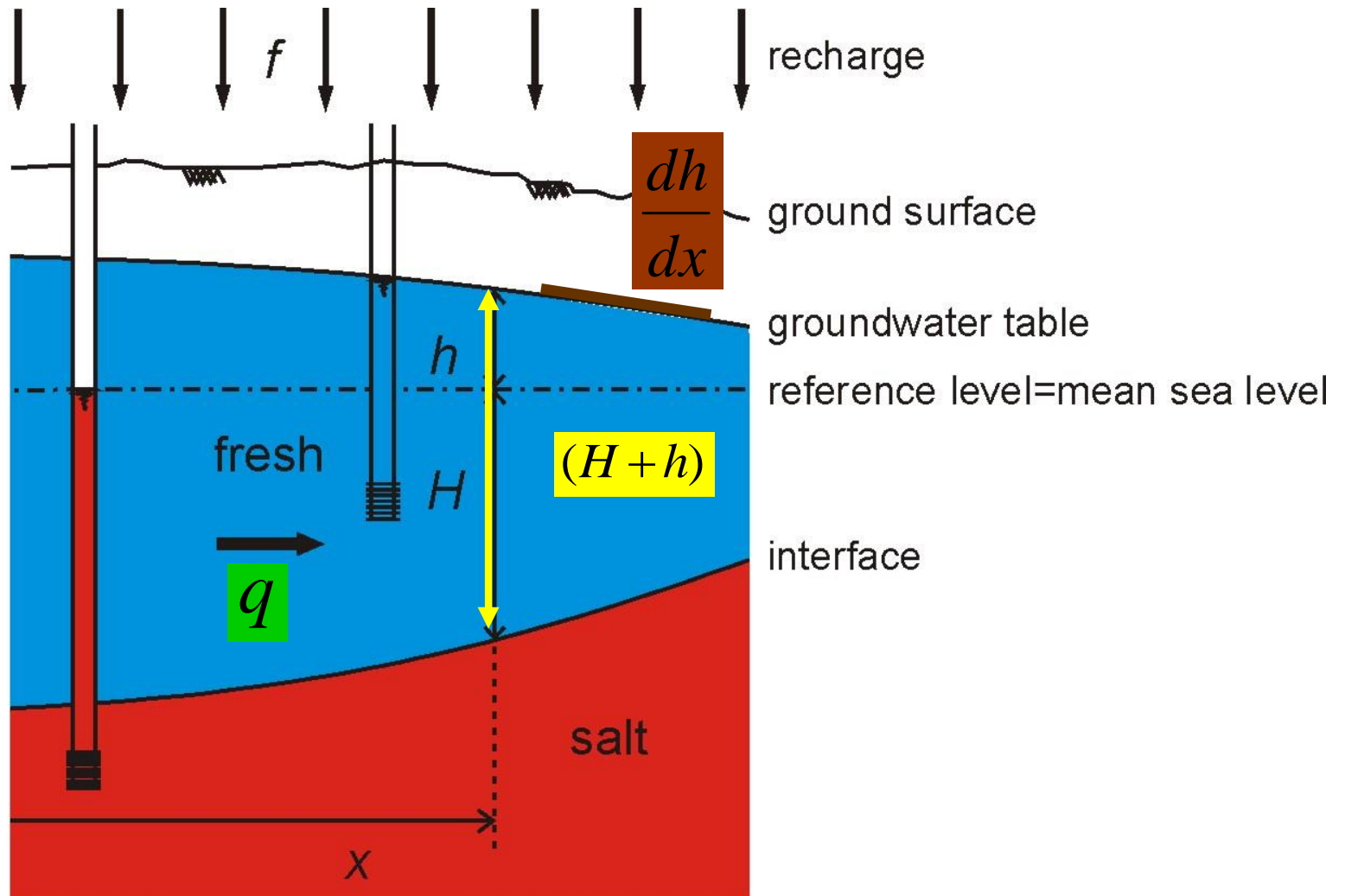
Analytical solutions

See lecture notes *Density dependent groundwater flow* (p. 29-48)



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Unconfined aquifer (1D situation)

$$dq = f dx \quad \begin{array}{l} \text{integration} \\ \text{gives} \end{array} \quad q = fx + C1$$

$$-k(H + h) \frac{dh}{dx} = fx + C1$$

$$h = \alpha H \rightarrow -k(H + \alpha H) \alpha \frac{dH}{dx} = fx + C1$$

$$H dH = -\frac{fx + C1}{k\alpha(1 + \alpha)} dx$$

Unconfined aquifer (1D situation)

$$HdH = -\frac{fx + C1}{k\alpha(1 + \alpha)} dx$$

integration
gives

$$\frac{1}{2}H^2 = \frac{-\frac{1}{2}fx^2 - C1x + C2}{k\alpha(1 + \alpha)}$$

$$H = \sqrt{\frac{-fx^2 - 2C1x + 2C2}{k\alpha(1 + \alpha)}}$$

Unconfined aquifer (1D situation)

$$H = \sqrt{\frac{-fx^2 - 2C_1x + 2C_2}{k\alpha(1+\alpha)}}$$

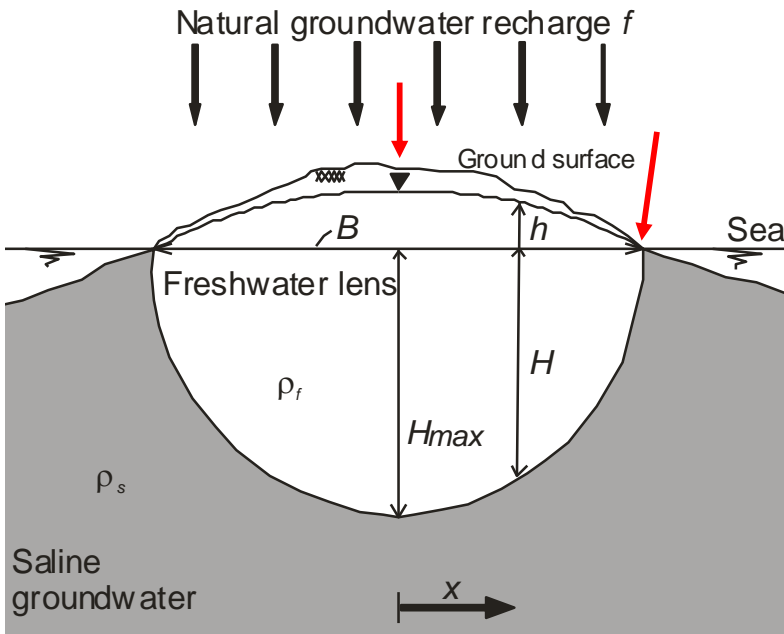
$$h = \alpha H$$

$$q = fx + C_1$$

Example 1: Elongated island

$$H = \sqrt{\frac{-fx^2 - 2C_1x + 2C_2}{k\alpha(1+\alpha)}}$$

$$q = fx + C_1$$

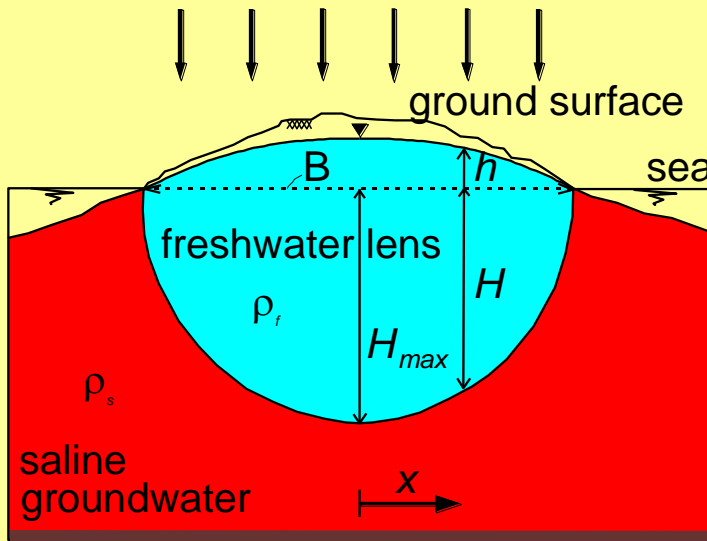


Boundary conditions

$$x = 0 : q = 0 \rightarrow C_1 = 0$$

$$x = 0.5B : H = 0 \rightarrow C_2 = fB^2 / 8$$

Example of analytical solutions (I)



Depth of fresh-saline interface H

$$H = \sqrt{\frac{f(0.25B^2 - x^2)}{k\alpha(1 + \alpha)}}$$

$$h = \alpha H \quad h = \frac{\rho_s - \rho_f}{\rho_f} H$$

Maximal thickness lens

$$H_{max} = \frac{1}{2} B \sqrt{\frac{f}{k\alpha(1 + \alpha)}}$$

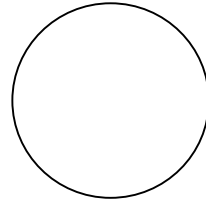
Volume lens

$$V = \frac{1}{4} \pi (1 + \alpha) H_{max} B n_e$$

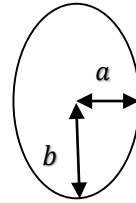
$$\text{Characteristic time } T = \frac{\text{volume of water in lens}}{\text{inflow of water}} = \frac{\pi n_e B}{8} \sqrt{\frac{(1 + \alpha)}{k f \alpha}}$$

$$V = \frac{1}{4} \pi (1 + \alpha) H_{\max} B n_e$$

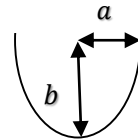
- Surface of a circle is: πr^2



- Surface of an ellipsis is: πab



- Surface bottom lens: $\frac{1}{2} \pi ab$

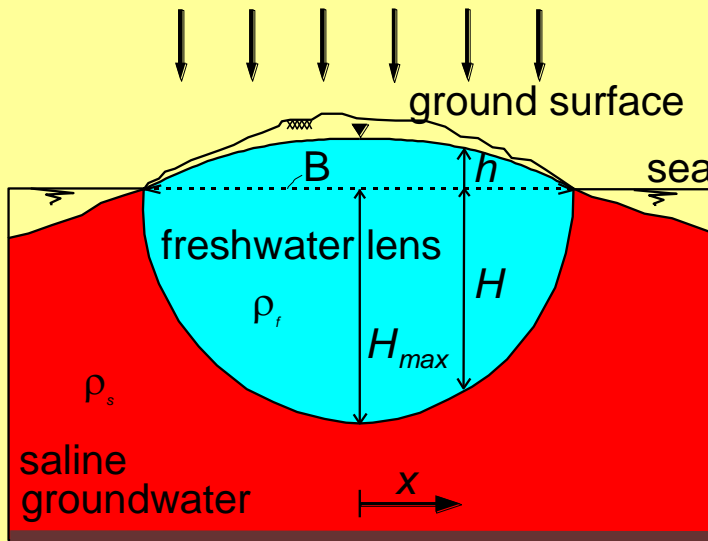


- $a = 1/2 B$

- $b = H_{\max}$

- Surface = $\frac{1}{4} \pi H_{\max} B$ times n_e times $(1 + \alpha)$ for the phreatic part

Example of analytical solutions (I)



Depth of fresh-saline interface H

$$B = 2000\text{m}, f = 0.001\text{m/day}$$

$$k = 10\text{m/day}, \alpha = 0.025$$

$$n_e = 0.35$$

Maximal thickness lens

$$H_{max} = 62.5\text{m}, h_{max} = 1.56\text{m}$$

Volume lens (wrong in lectures notes)

$$V = 35203\text{m}^3/\text{m}'$$

Characteristic time $T = \frac{35203}{2} \text{ days} = 48.2 \text{ years}$

$$W=4000\text{m}$$

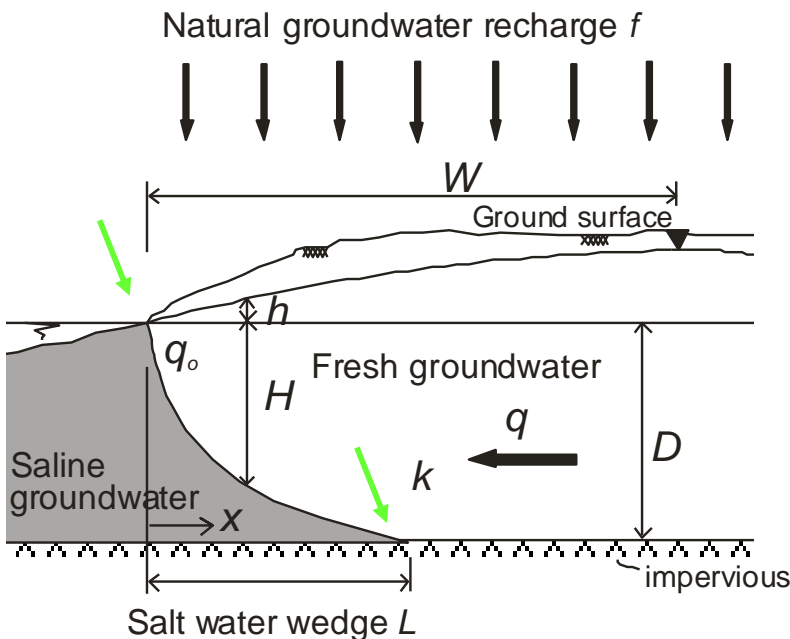
$$f=1\text{mm/d}=0.001\text{m/d}$$

$$Q_{\text{recharge}}=4\text{m}^3/\text{d per meter}'=4\text{m}^2/\text{d}$$

$$50\%=2\text{m}^2/\text{d}$$

Example 2: salt water wedge

$$H = \sqrt{\frac{-fx^2 - 2C_1x + 2C_2}{k\alpha(1+\alpha)}} \quad q = fx + C_1$$



Boundary conditions

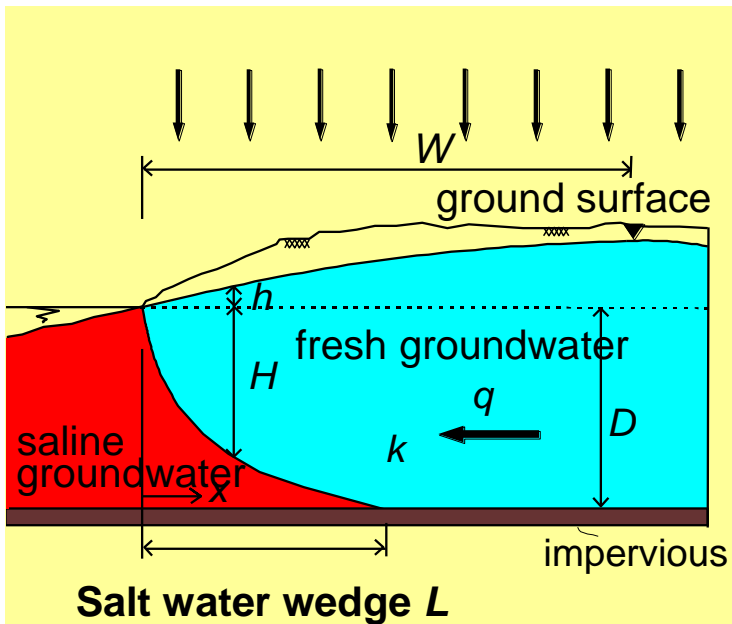
$$x = 0: q = q_0 \rightarrow q_0 = -fW \rightarrow C_1 = q_0$$

$$x = 0: H = 0 \rightarrow C_2 = 0$$

Length of salt water wedge

$$x = L: H = D$$

Example of analytical solutions (II)



$$L = -\frac{q_0}{f} - \sqrt{\left(\frac{q_0}{f}\right)^2 - \frac{k}{f} D^2 (1 + \alpha) \alpha}$$

$$q_0 = -fW$$

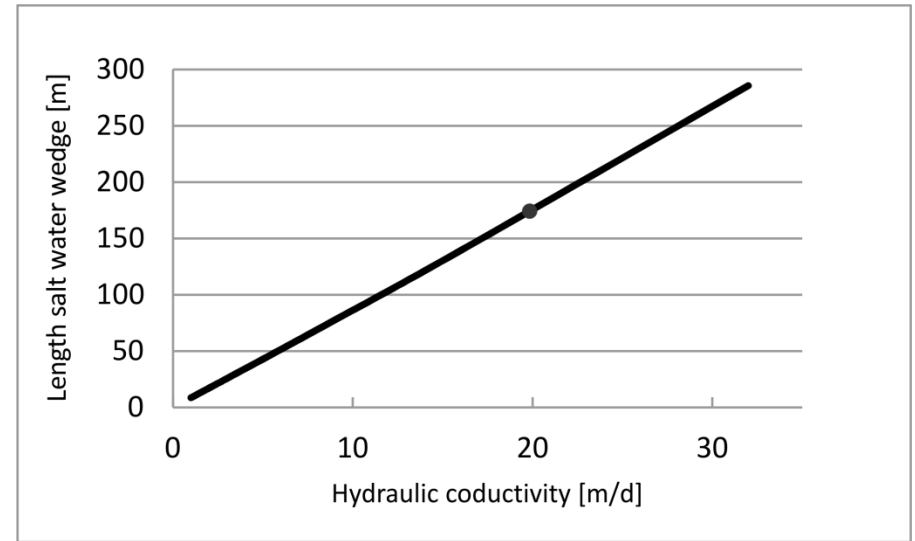
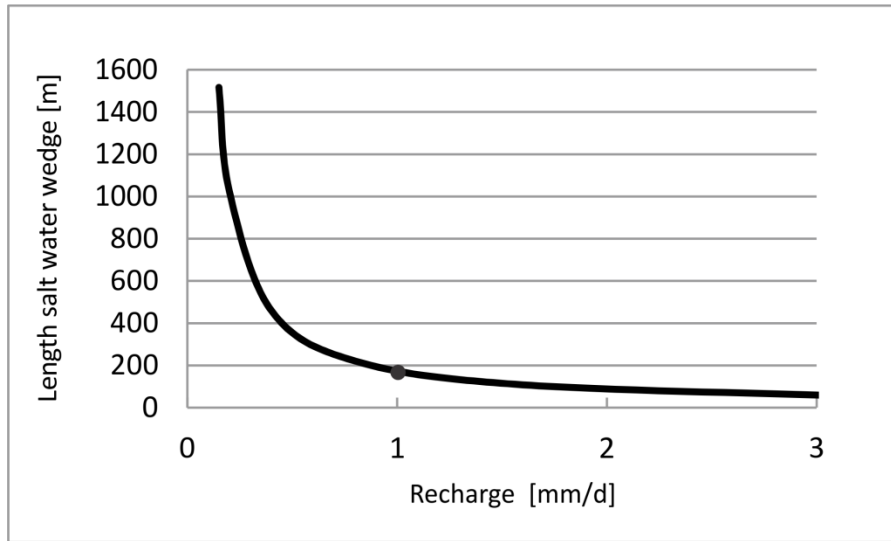
$$h = \alpha H$$

Example:

$$W = 3000\text{m}, f = 0.001\text{m/day}, \alpha = 0.020, k = 20\text{m/day}, D = 50\text{m}$$

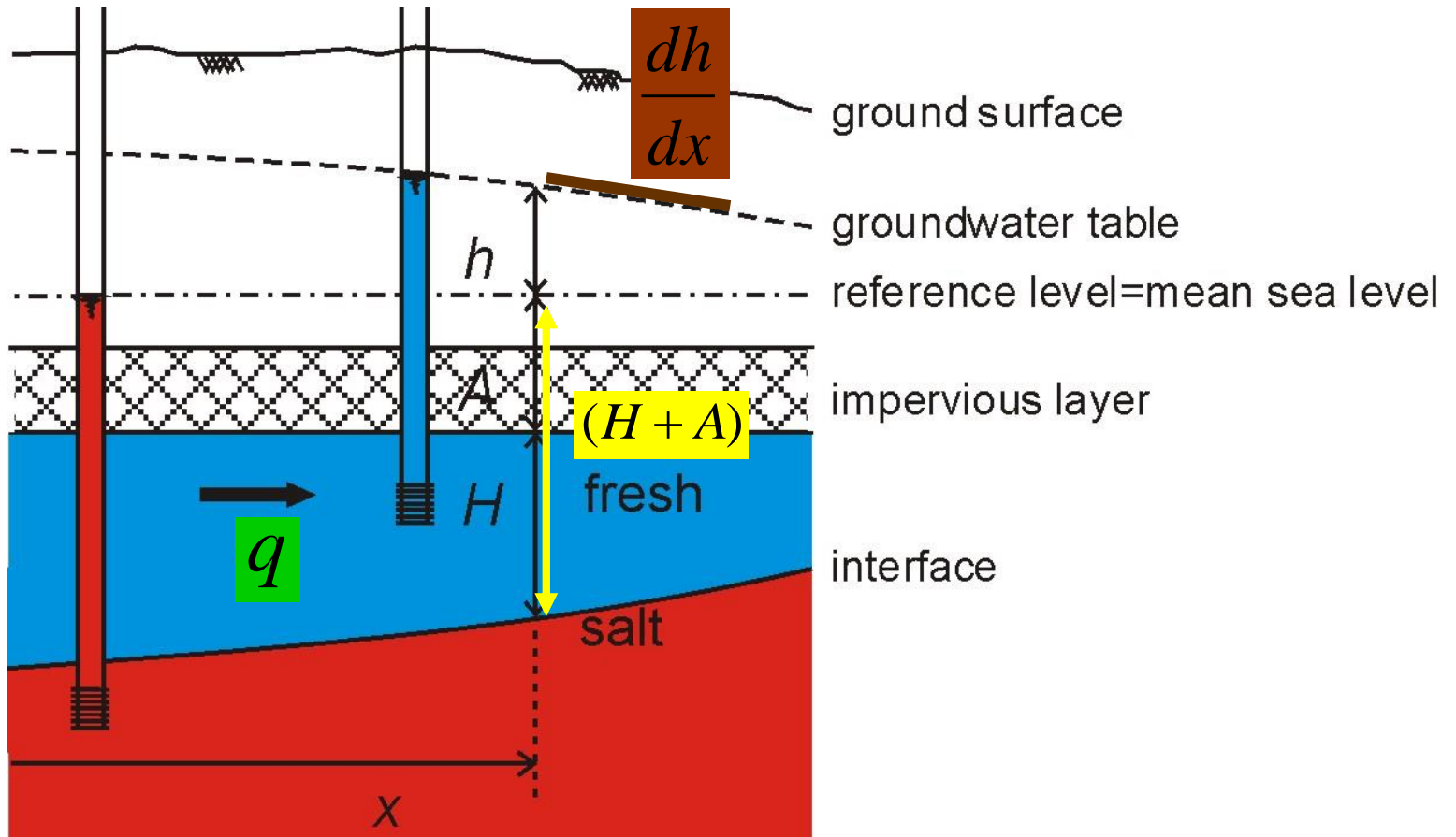
$$L = 175.1\text{m}$$

Length of the salt water wedge as a function of a. recharge and b. hydraulic conductivity



the dots resample with the example mentioned above

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$$-kH \frac{dh}{dx} = q_0$$

$$HdH = -\frac{q_0}{k\alpha} dx$$

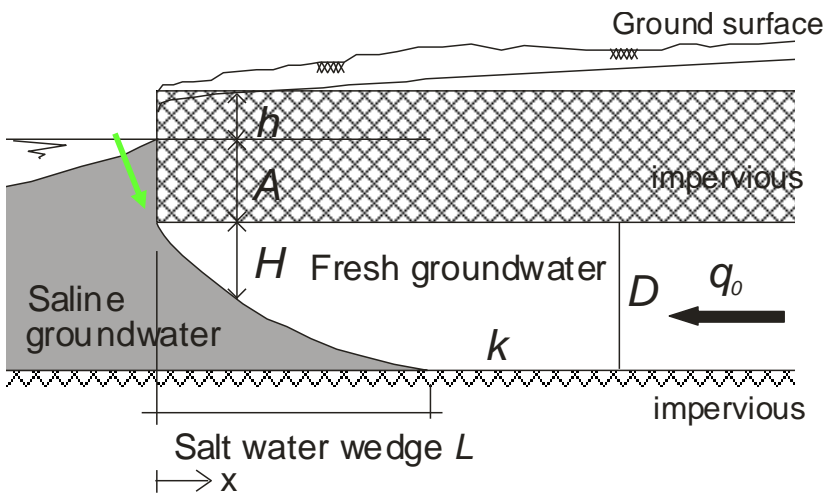
integration gives

$$\frac{1}{2} H^2 = \frac{q_0 x}{k\alpha} + C$$

$$H = \sqrt{-\frac{2q_0 x}{k\alpha} + 2C}$$

Example 3: salt water wedge confined aquifer

$$H = \sqrt{-\frac{2q_0x}{k\alpha} + 2C}$$



Boundary condition

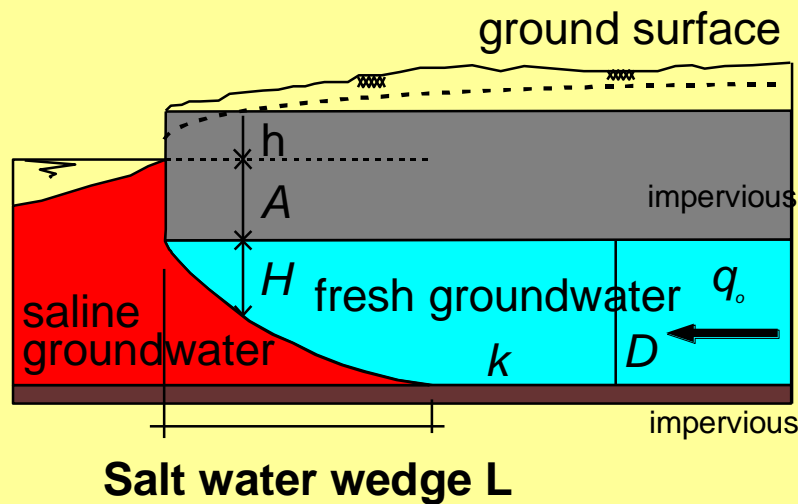
$$x = 0 : H = 0 \rightarrow C = 0$$

$$H = \sqrt{-\frac{2q_0x}{k\alpha}}$$

Length of salt water wedge $x = L : H = D$

$$L = -\frac{kD^2\alpha}{2q_0}$$

Example of analytical solutions (III)



Length of salt water wedge

$$H = \sqrt{\frac{2q_0x}{k\alpha}}$$

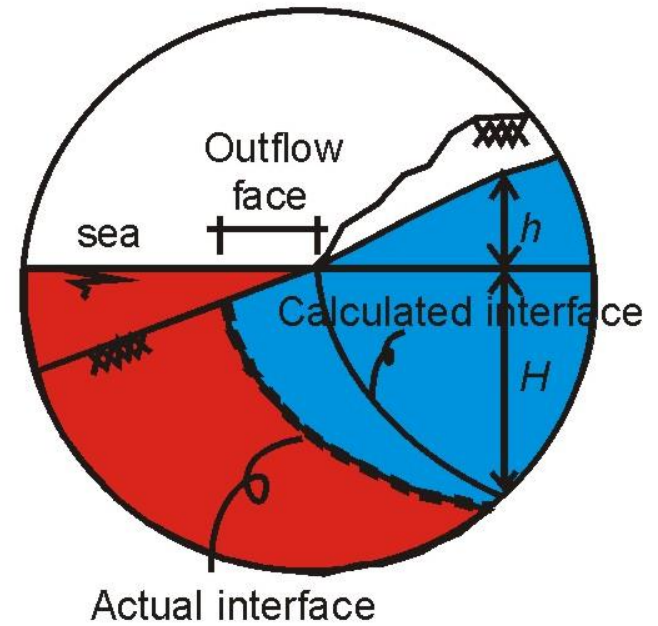
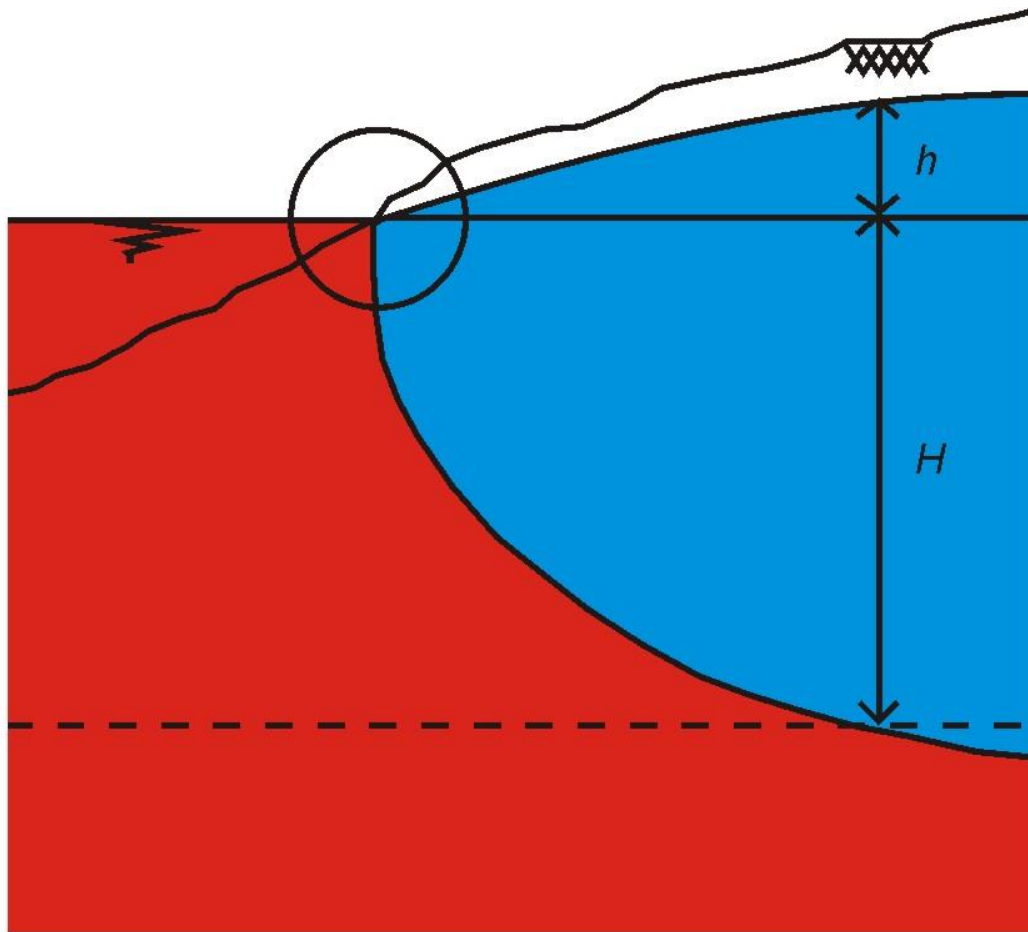
$$L = -\frac{kD^2\alpha}{2q_0}$$

Example:

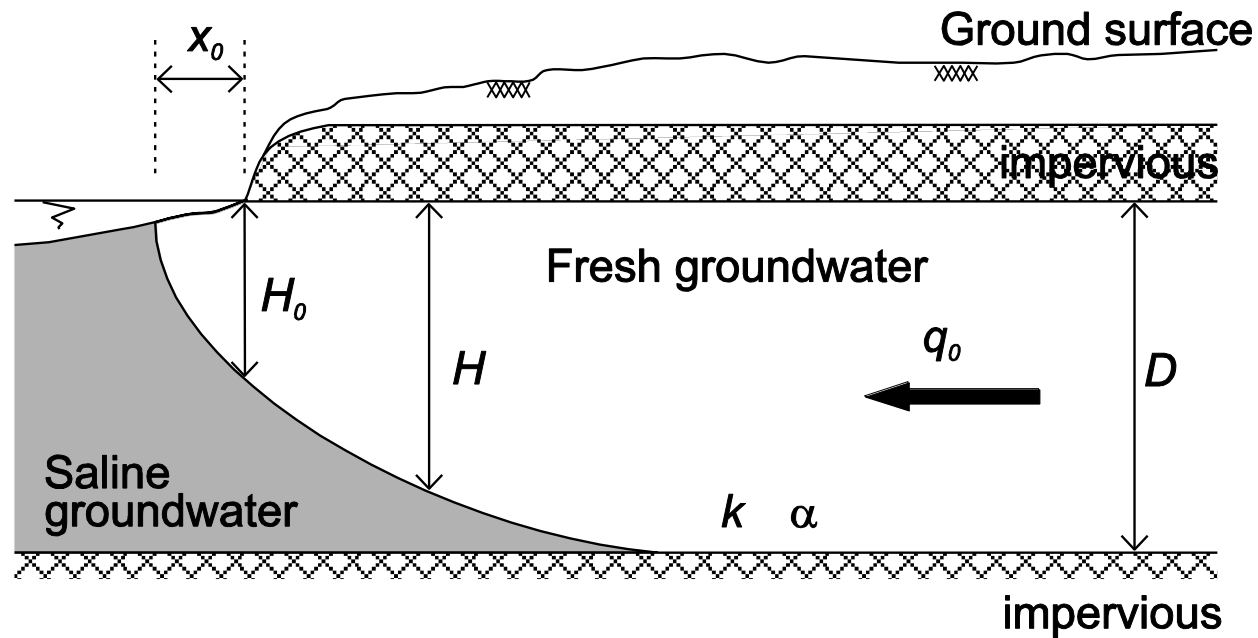
$$W = 2000\text{m}, f = 0.001\text{m/day}, \alpha = 0.025, k = 25\text{m/day}, D = 40\text{m}$$

$$L = 250\text{m}$$

Outflow face (Submarine Groundwater Discharge)



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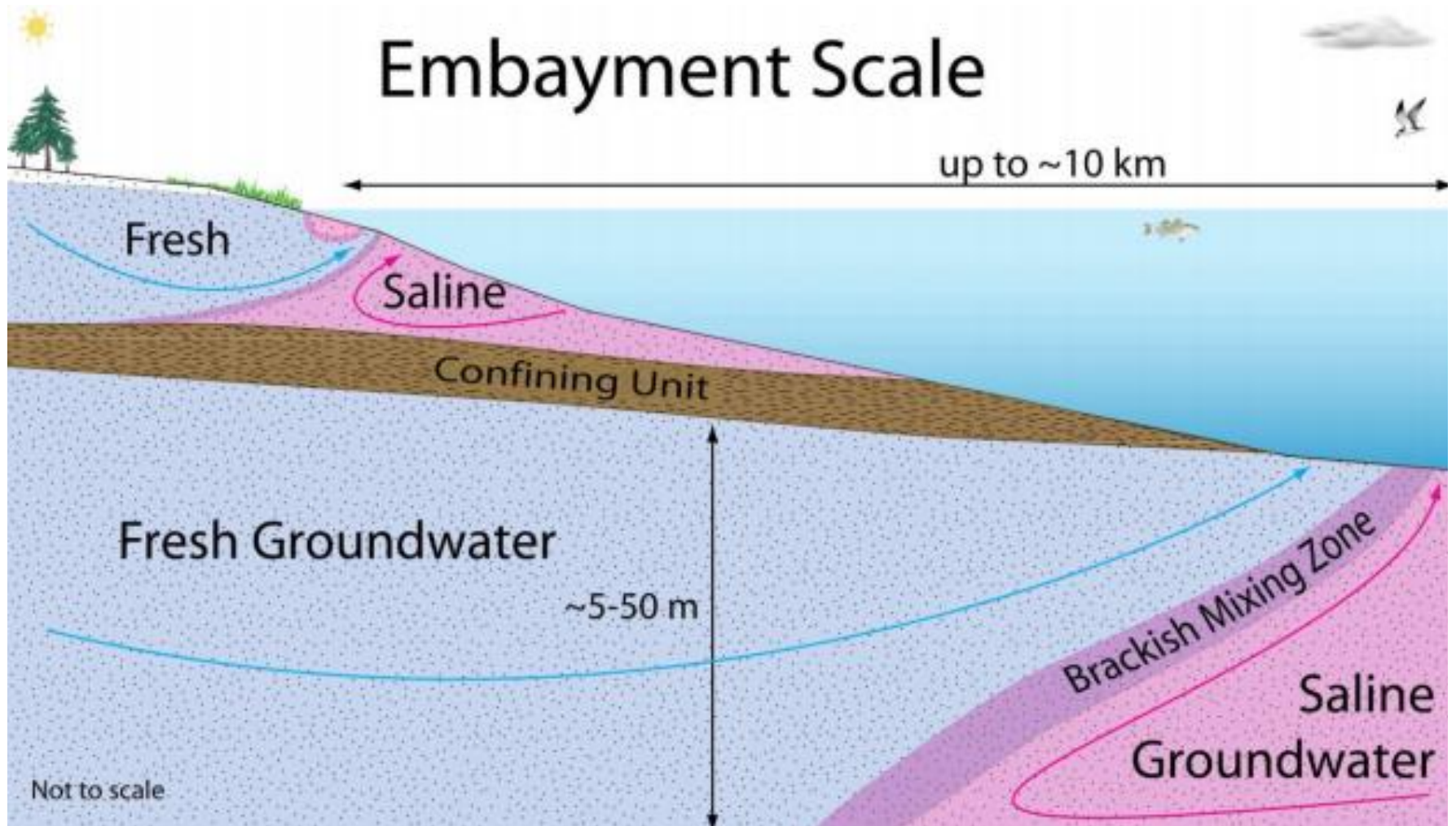
$$x_0 = \frac{q_0}{2k\alpha} \quad H_0 = \frac{q_0}{k\alpha} \quad \text{Glover (1959)}$$

Example:

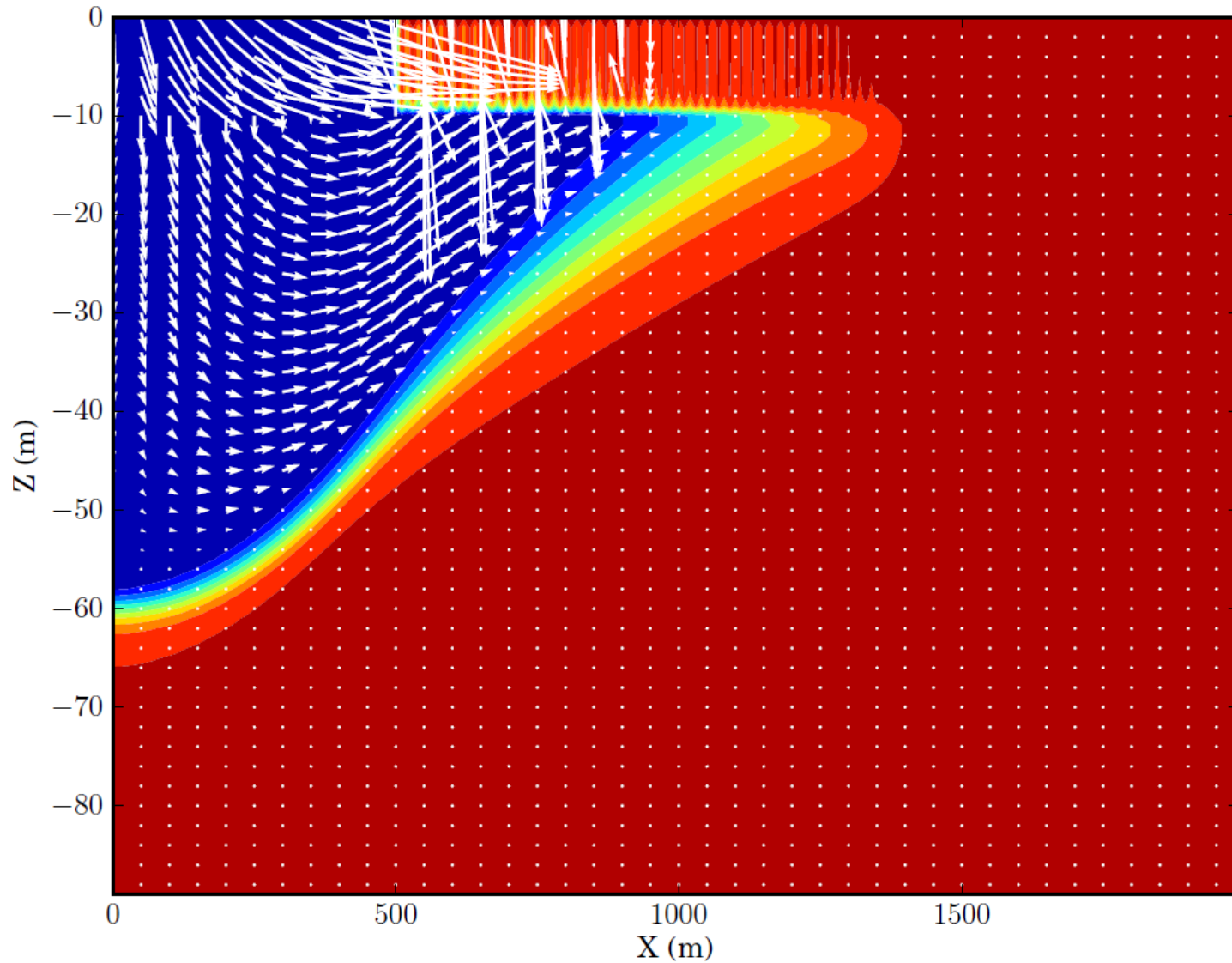
$$x_0 = f \cdot L / (2k\alpha) = 0.001 \text{m/d} \cdot 20000 \text{m} / (2 \cdot 20 \cdot 0.025) = 20 \text{m (only!)}$$

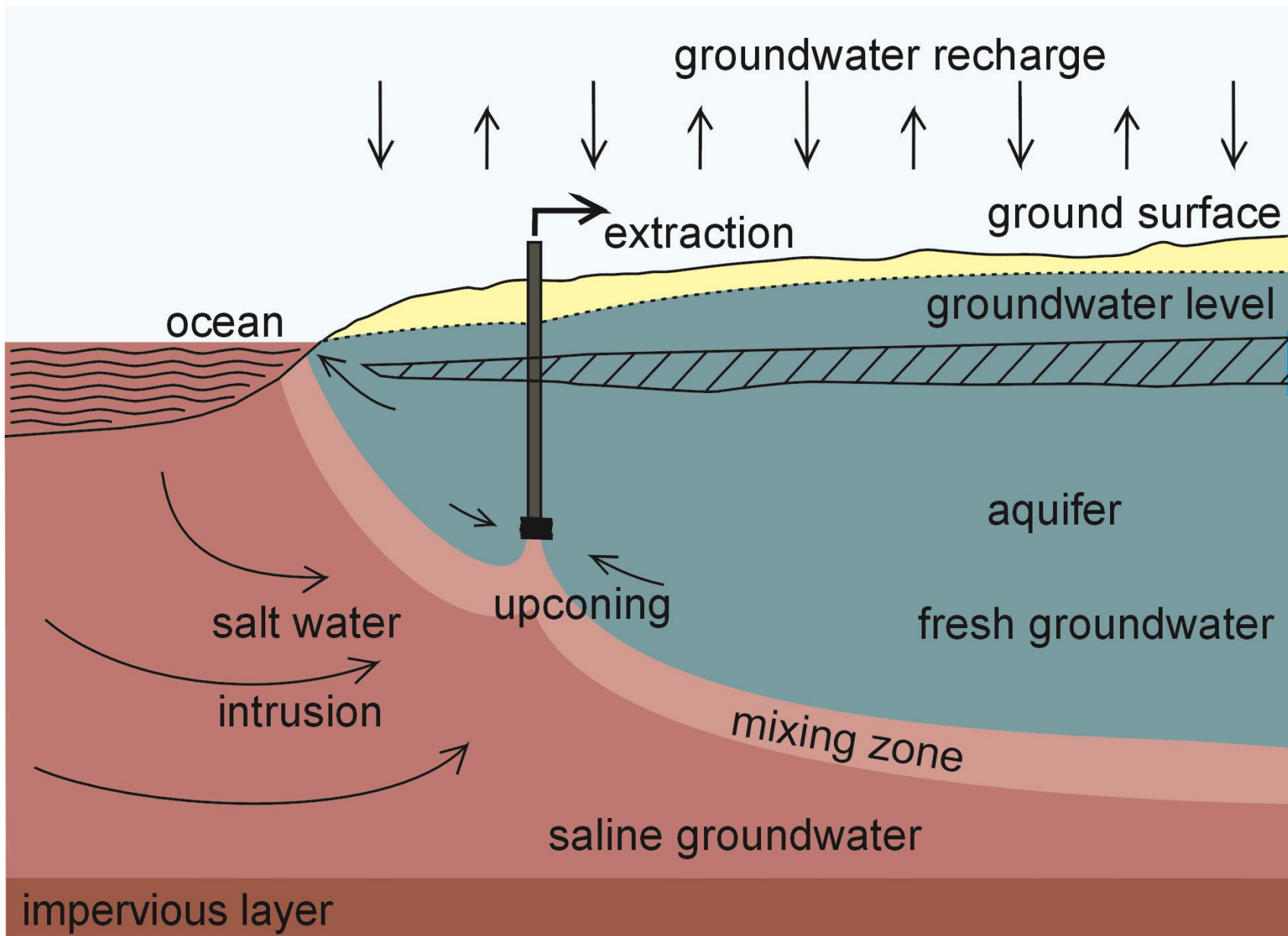
Note: no resistance layer offshore

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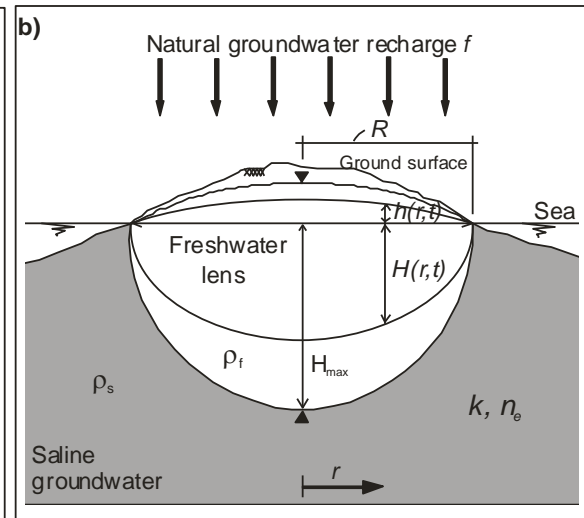
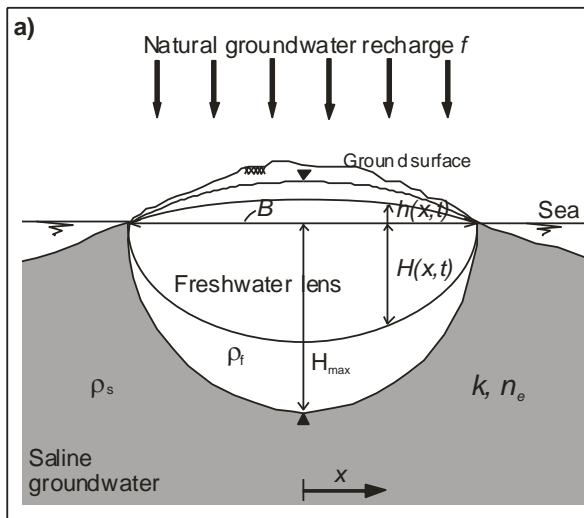
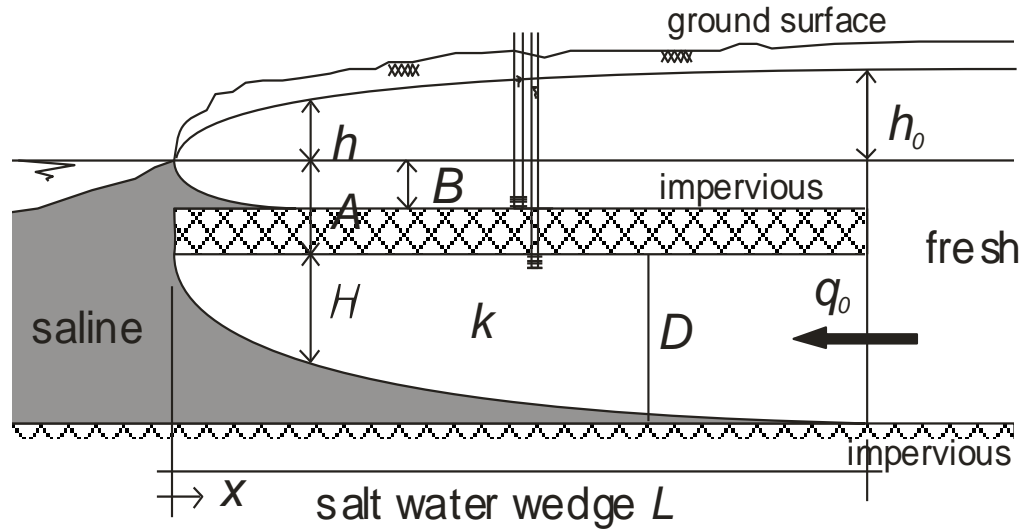


Outflow face (Submarine Groundwater Discharge)





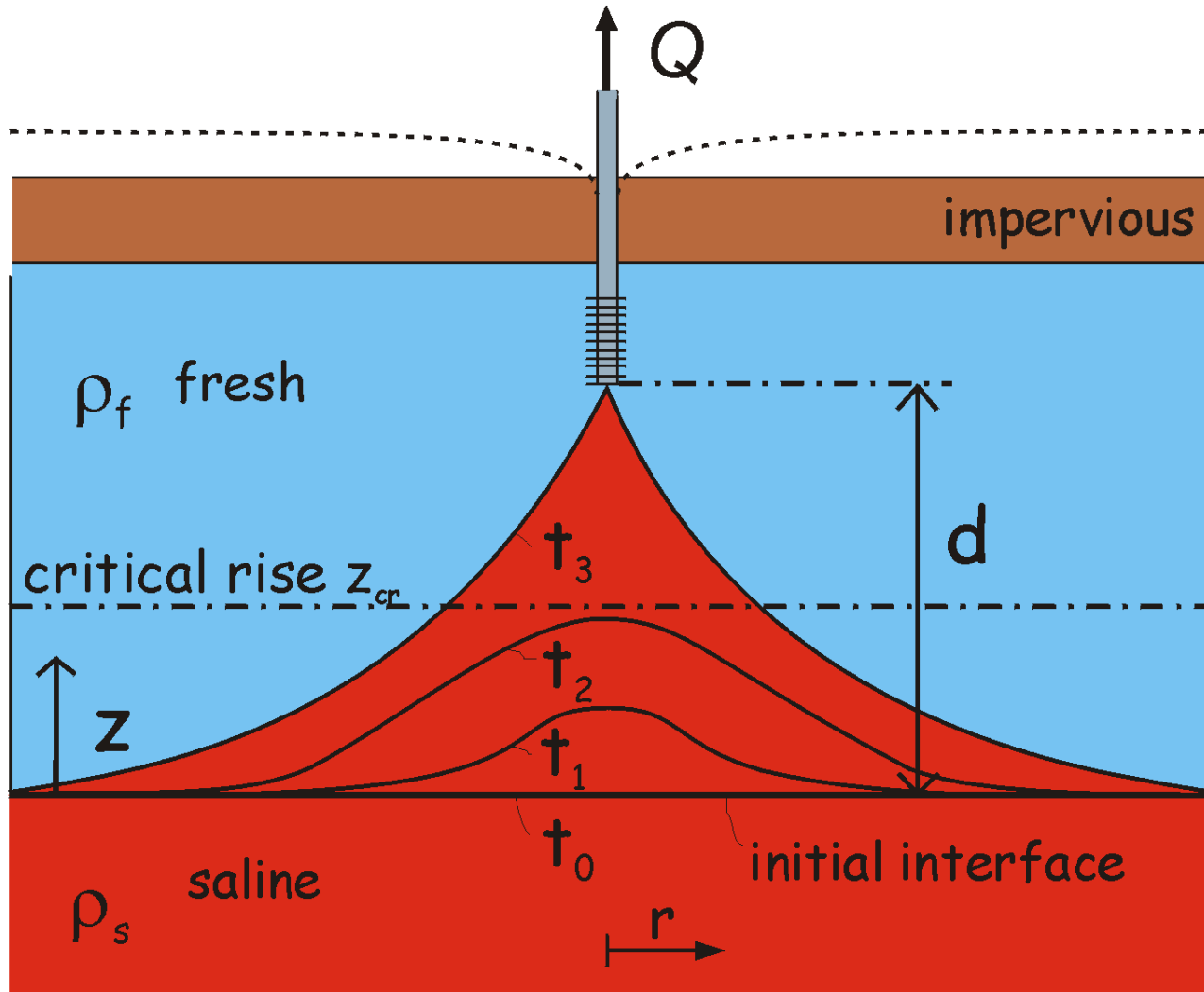
See the lectures for more cases



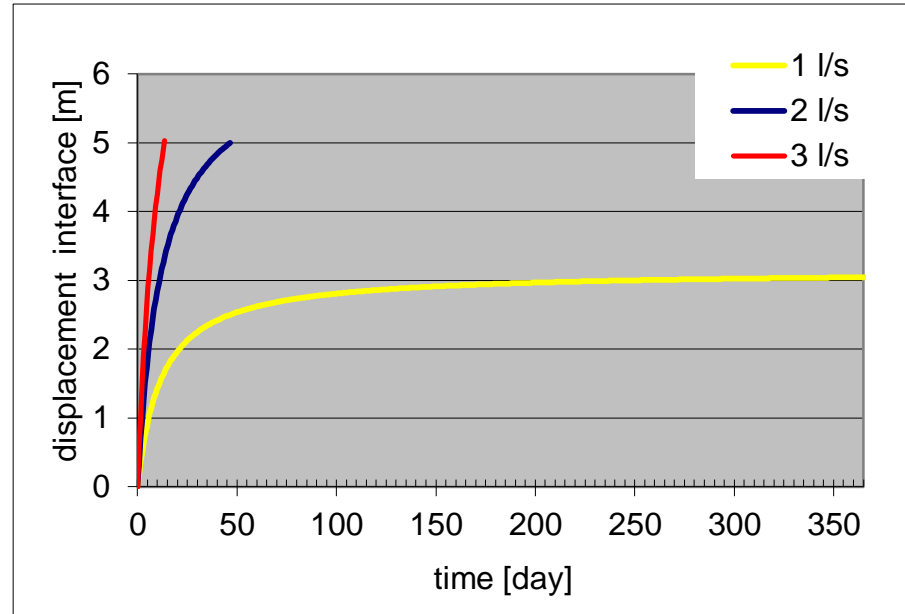
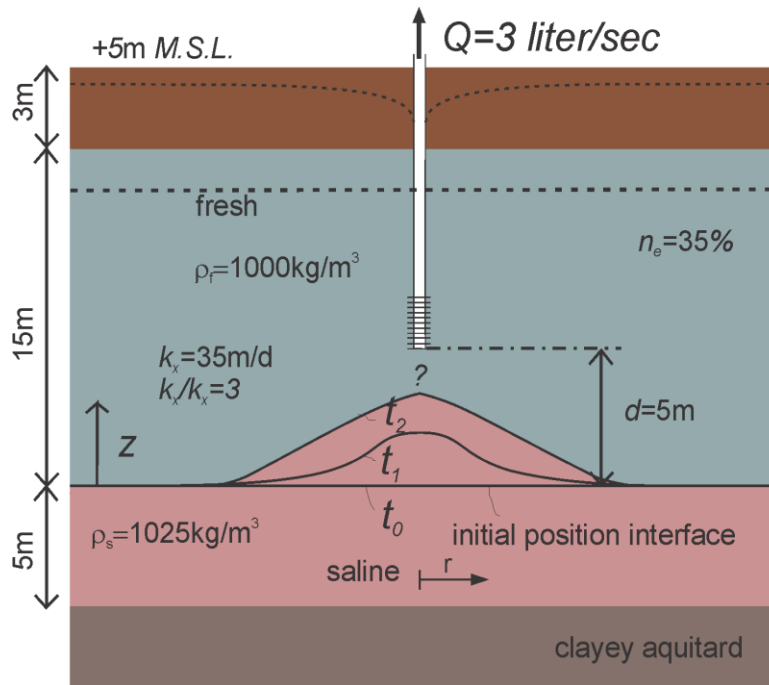
Upconing processes

Examples of analytical solutions (IV)

Upconing of saline groundwater under an extraction well

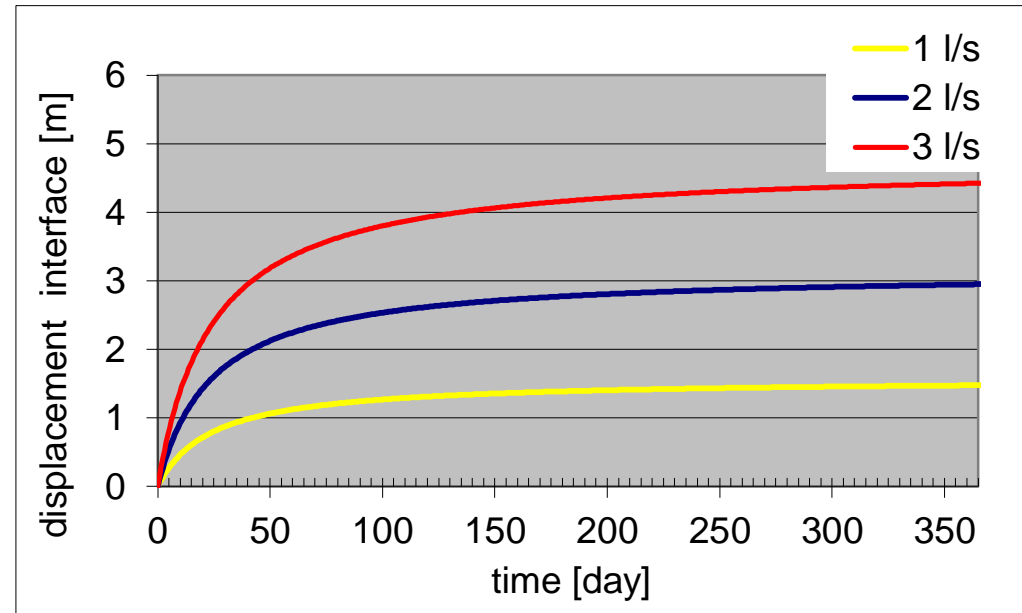
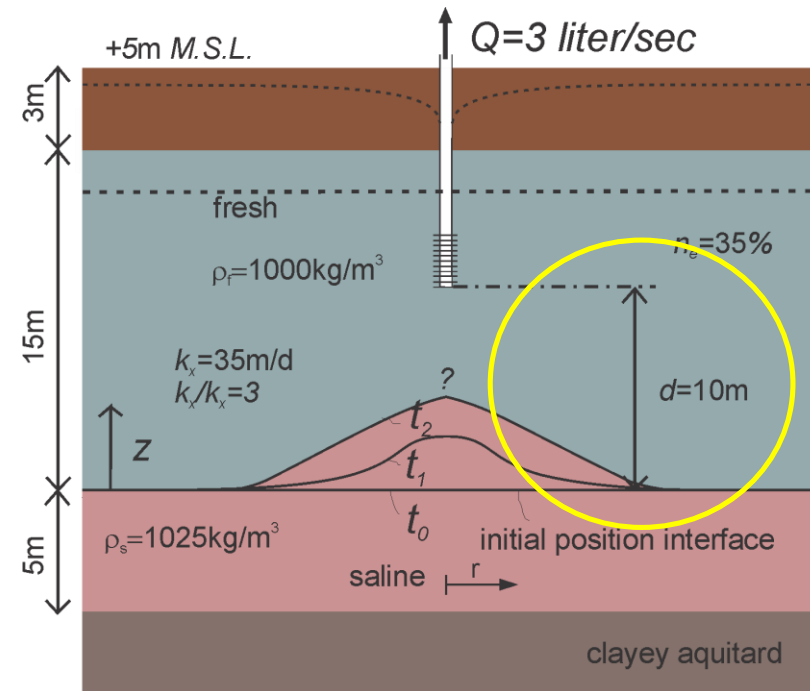


Situation Jurong Island: pilot extraction well



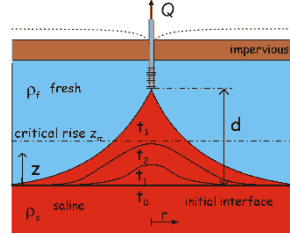
- Distance between well screen and initial interface: 5m
- Rapid upconing of interface, depending on extraction rate
- No saline groundwater in extraction well with scenario 1 l/s
- Good set-up for testing system

Situation Jurong Island: pilot extraction well: $d=10\text{m}$!



- **Distance between well screen and initial interface: not 5 but 10m**
- No saline groundwater in extraction well with all three scenarios
- Less interesting for testing system

Examples of analytical solutions (IV)



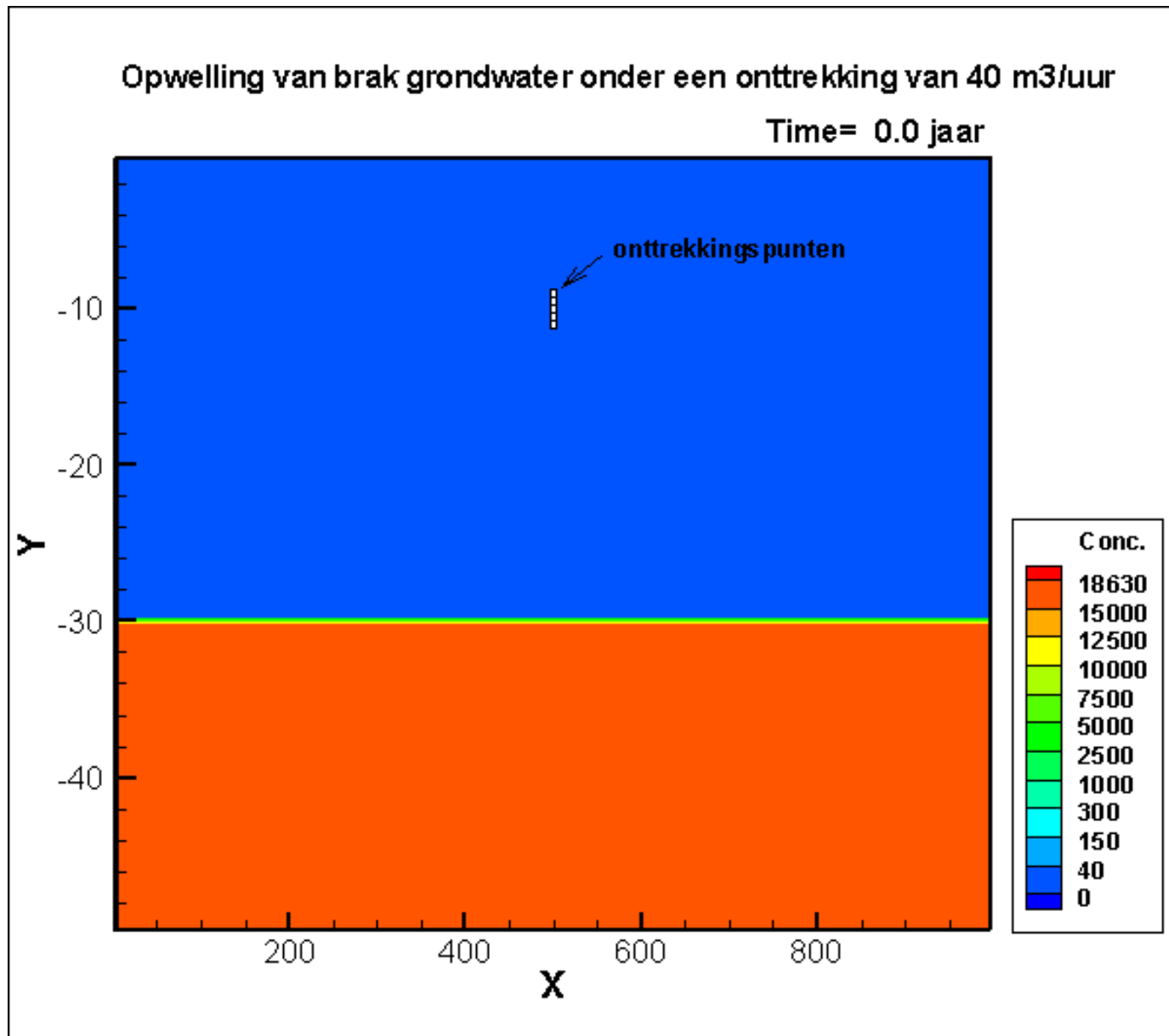
Upconing of saline groundwater under an extraction well

$$z(r, t) = \frac{Q}{2\pi\alpha k_x d} \left[\frac{1}{(1 + R'^2)^{1/2}} - \frac{1}{[(1 + \gamma')^2 + R'^2]^{1/2}} \right]$$

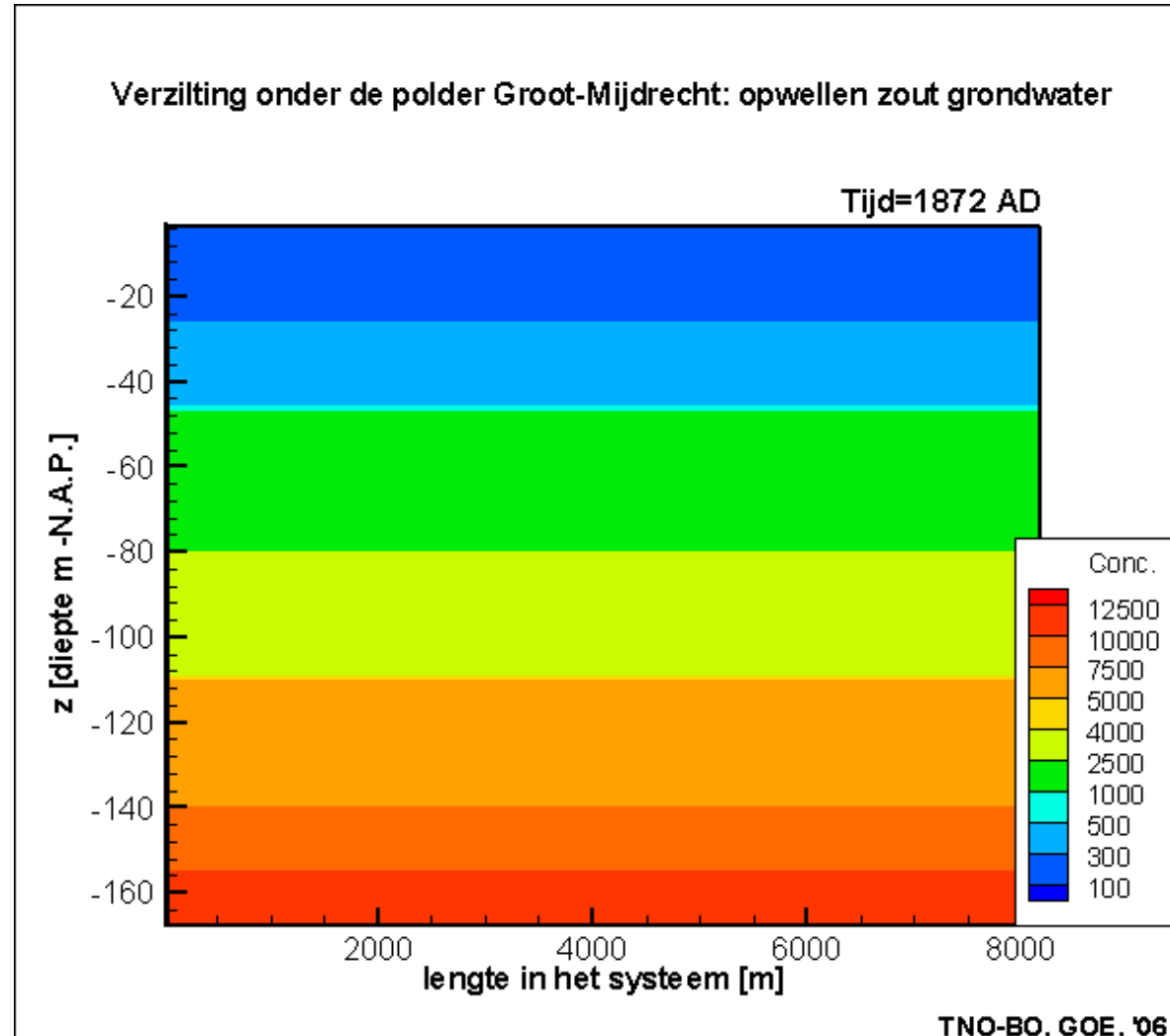
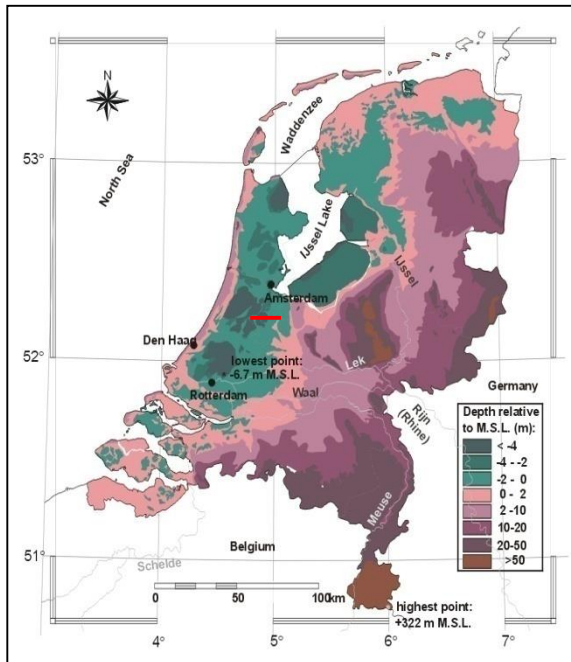
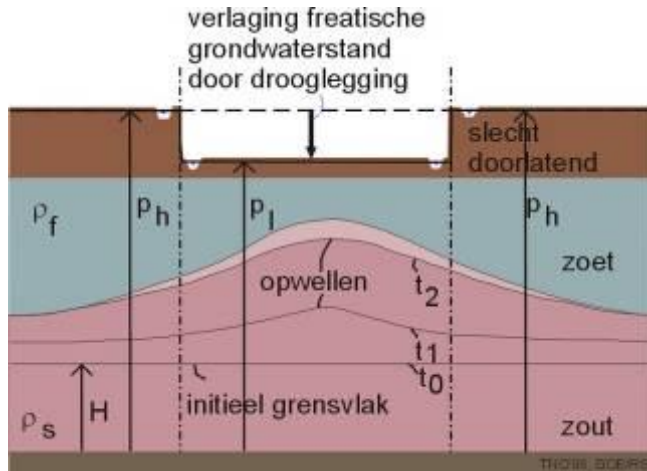
$$R' = \frac{r k_z}{d k_x} t^{1/2} \quad \gamma' = \frac{\alpha k_z}{2n_e d} t$$

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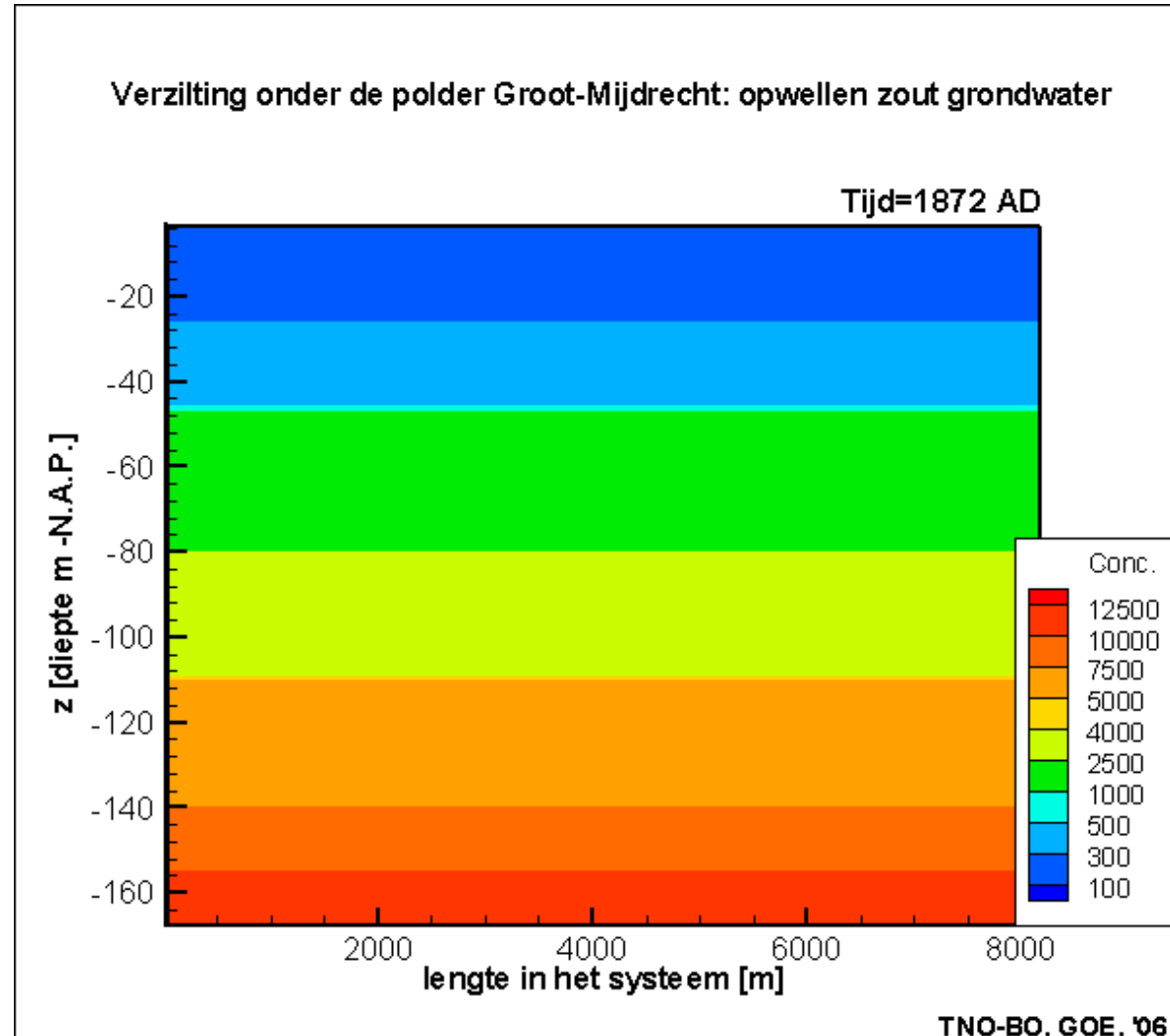
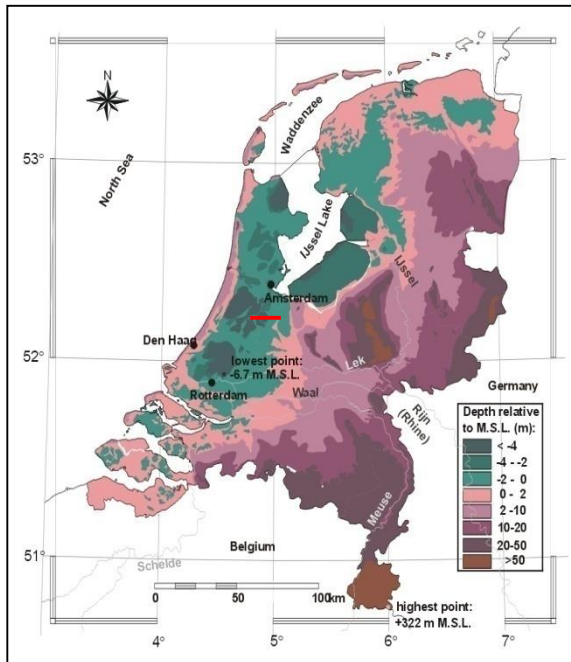
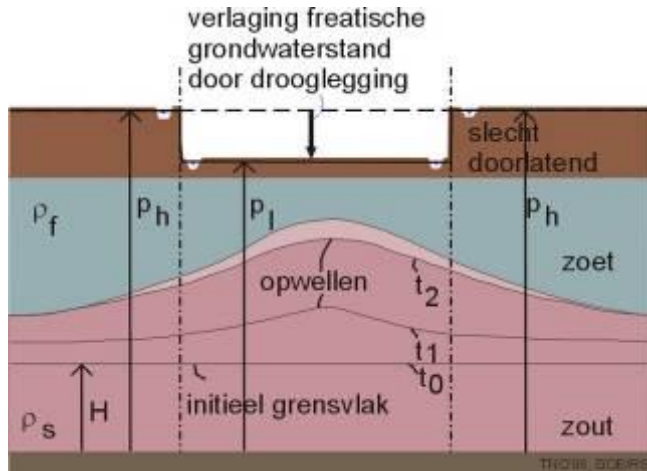
Upconing of salt under an extraction



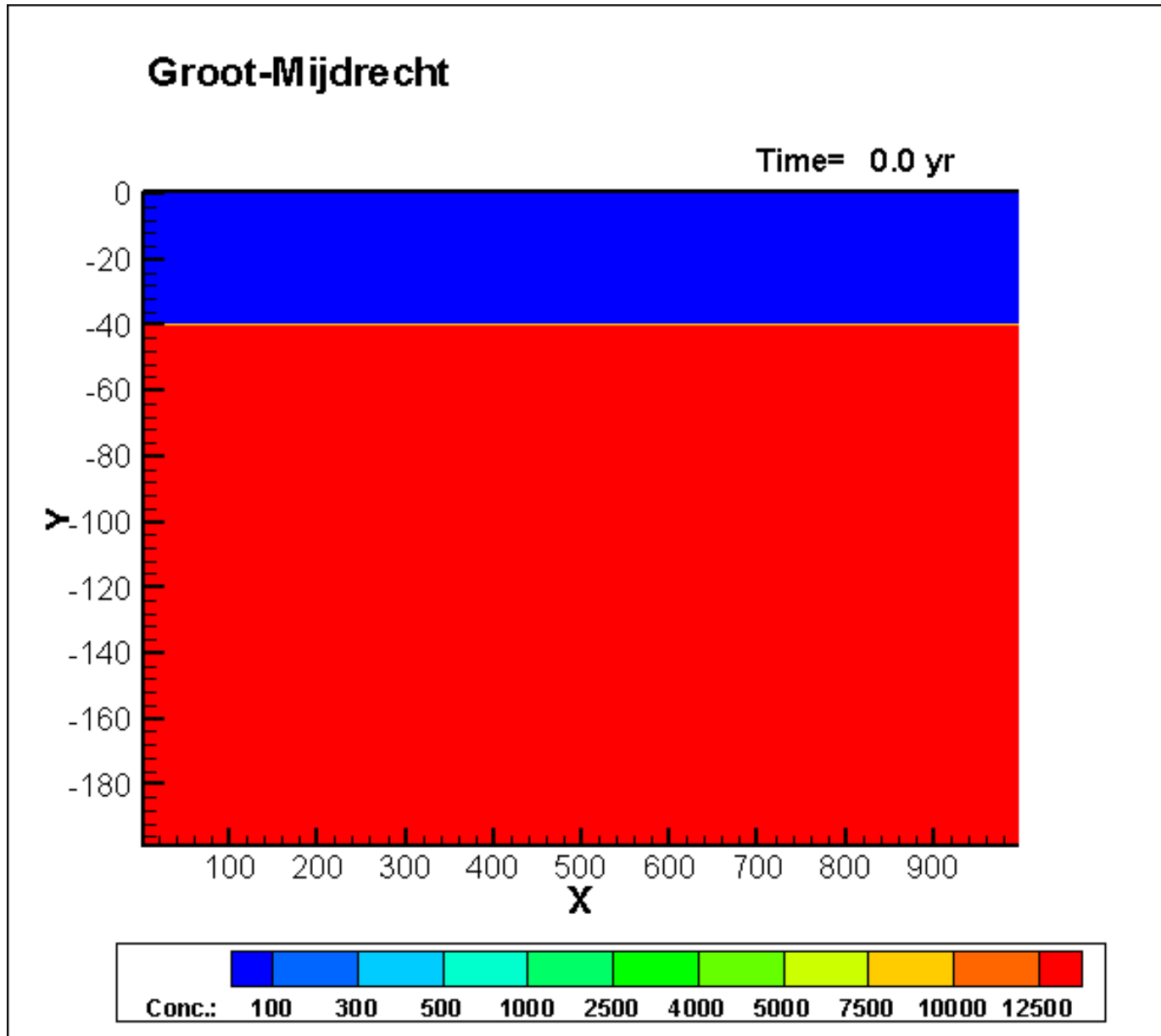
Upconing under a low-lying polder (Groot-Mijdrecht)



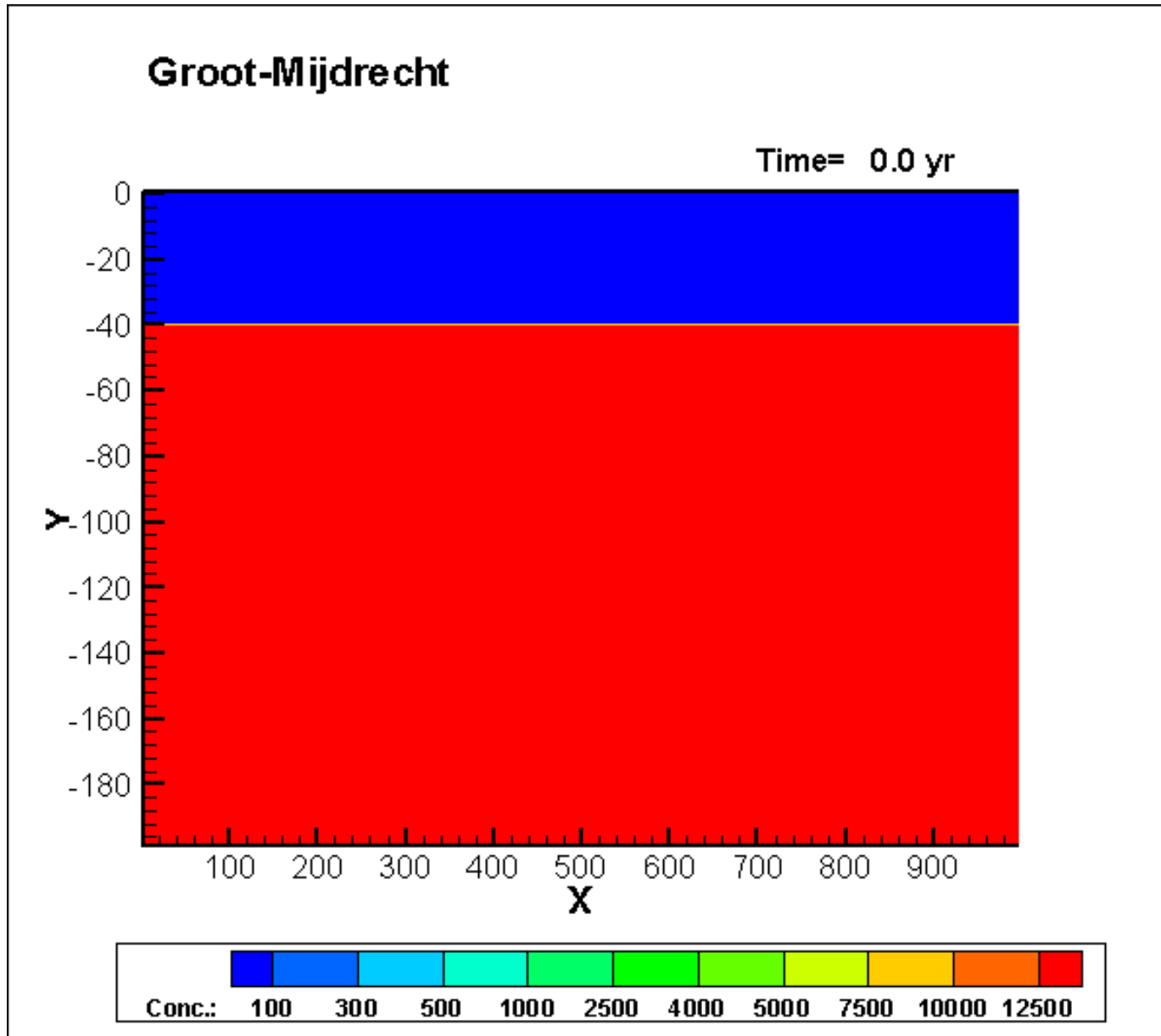
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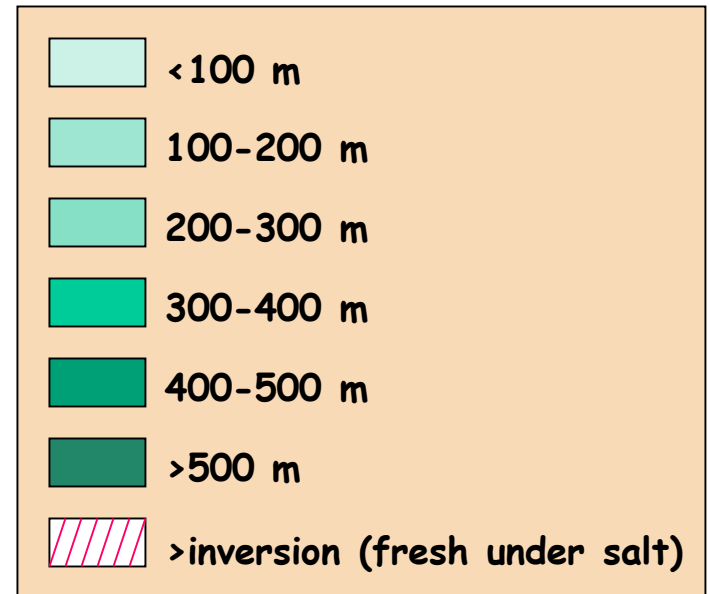
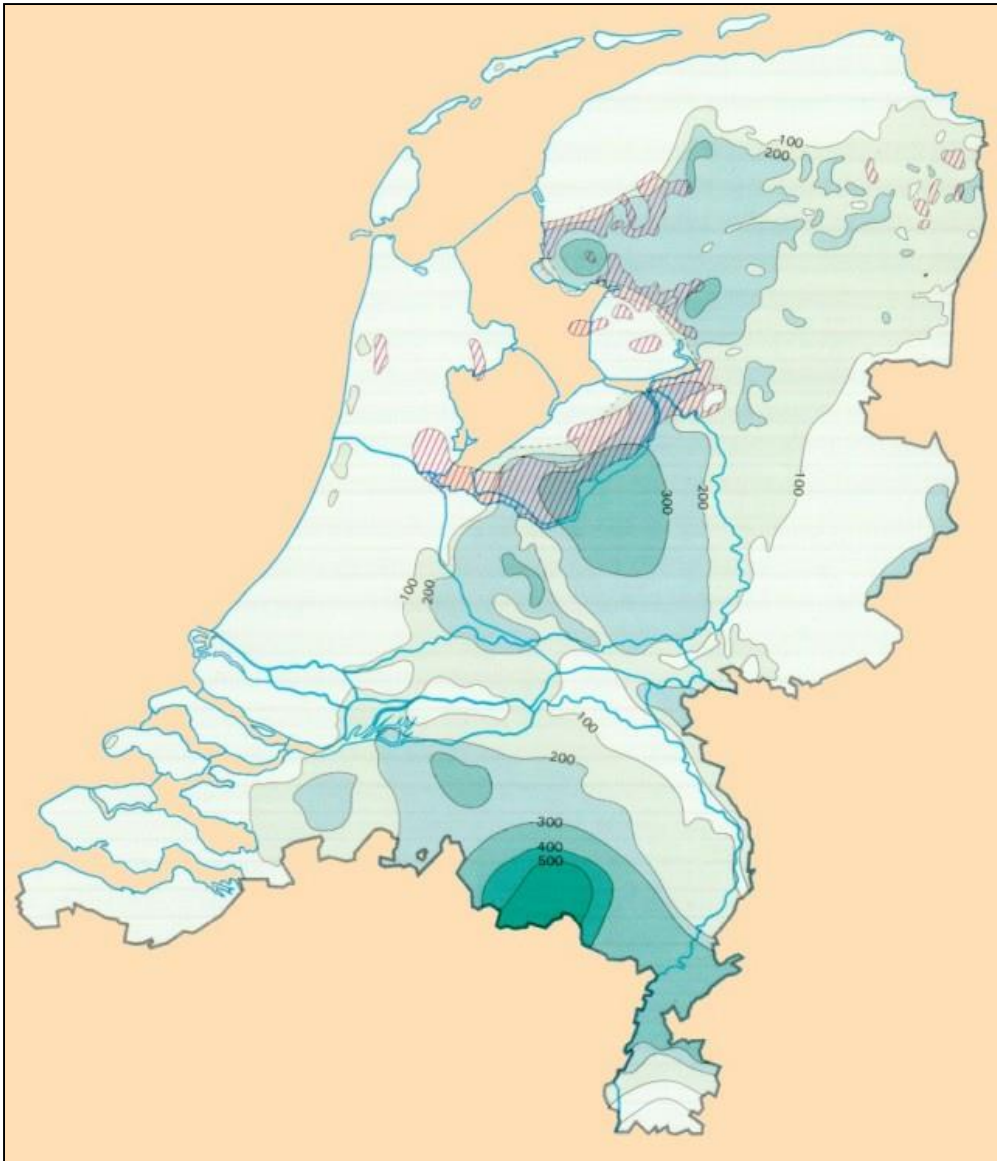
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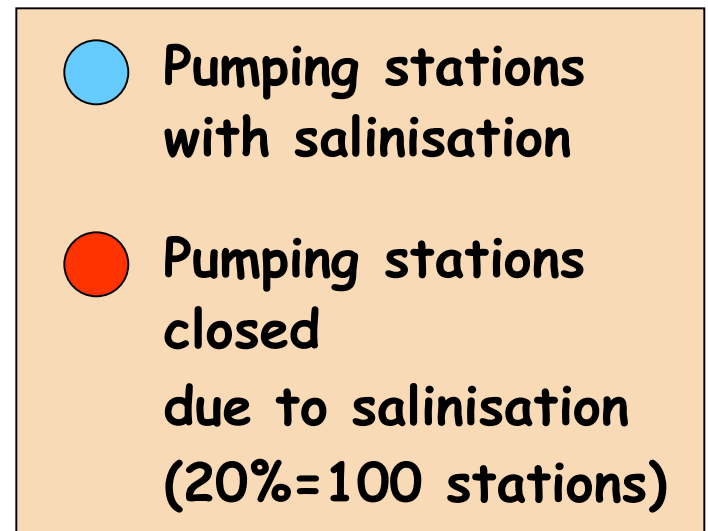
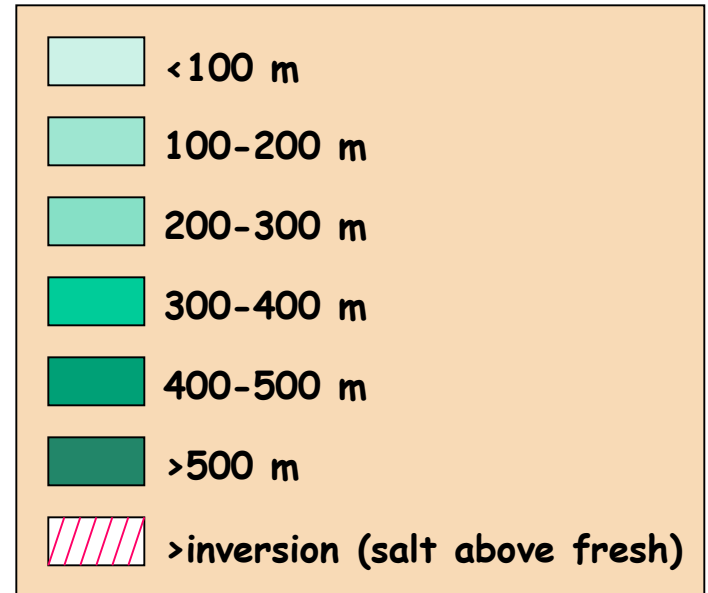
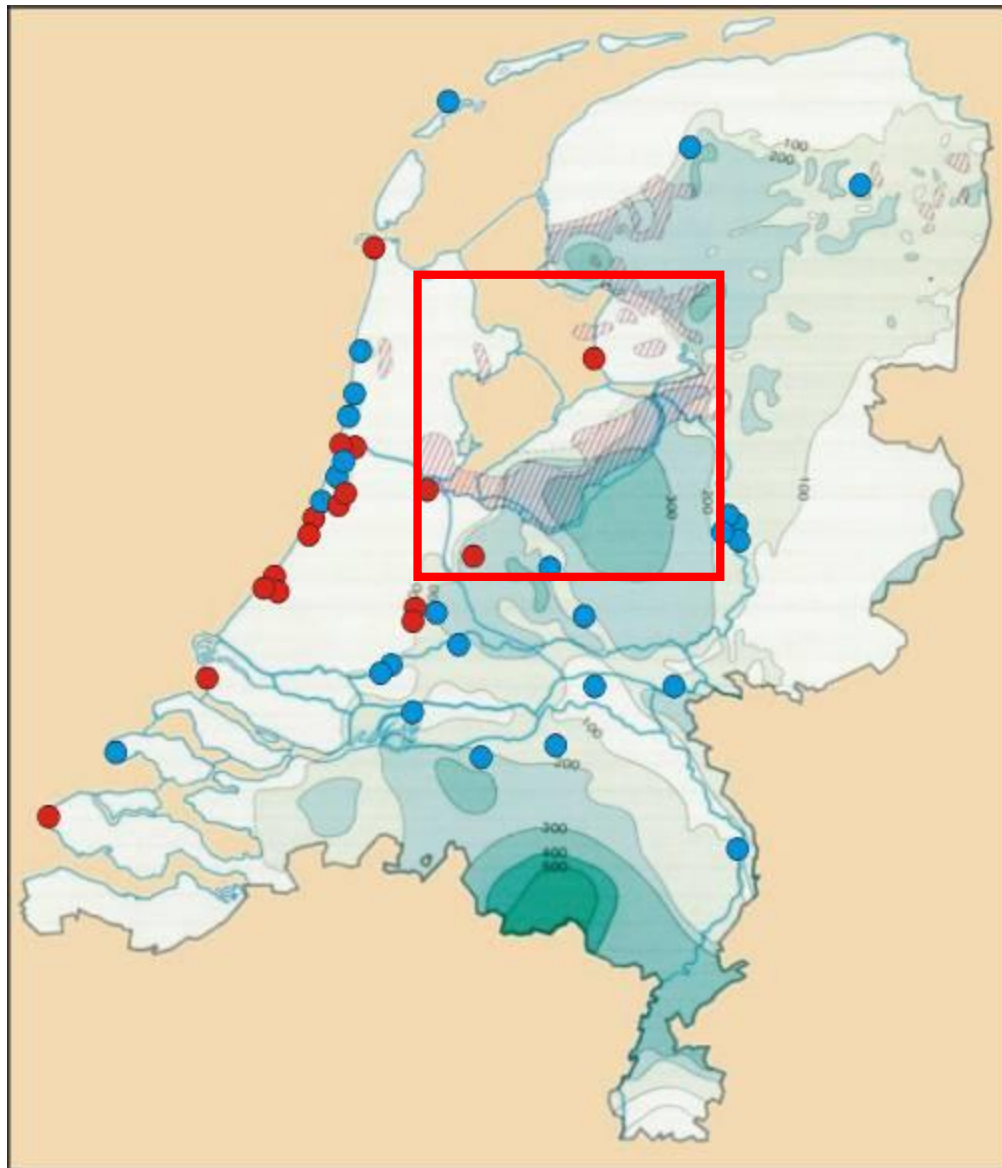
Upconing under a low-lying polder (Groot-Mijdrecht)



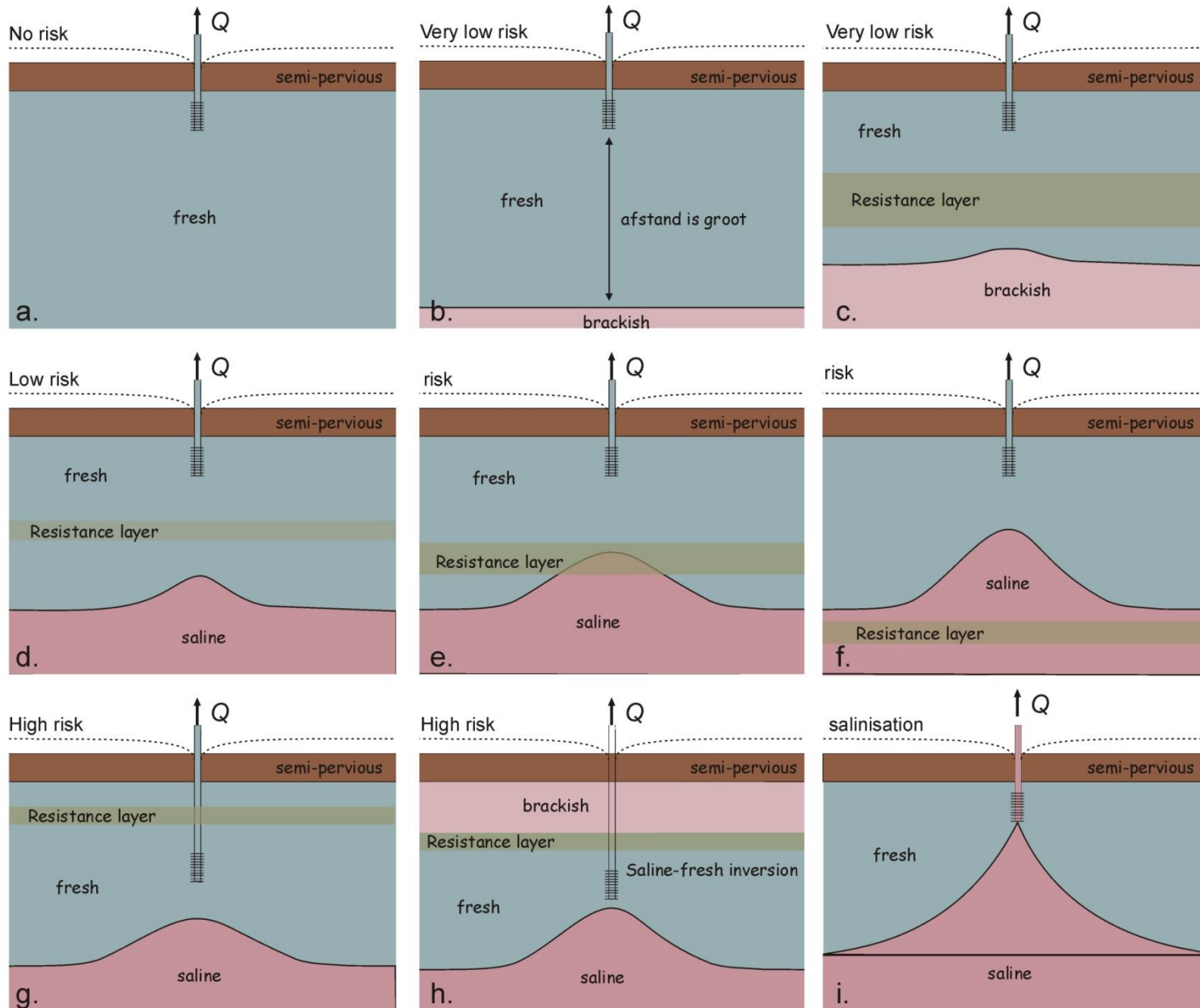
Fresh-salt interface (150 mg Cl⁻/l)



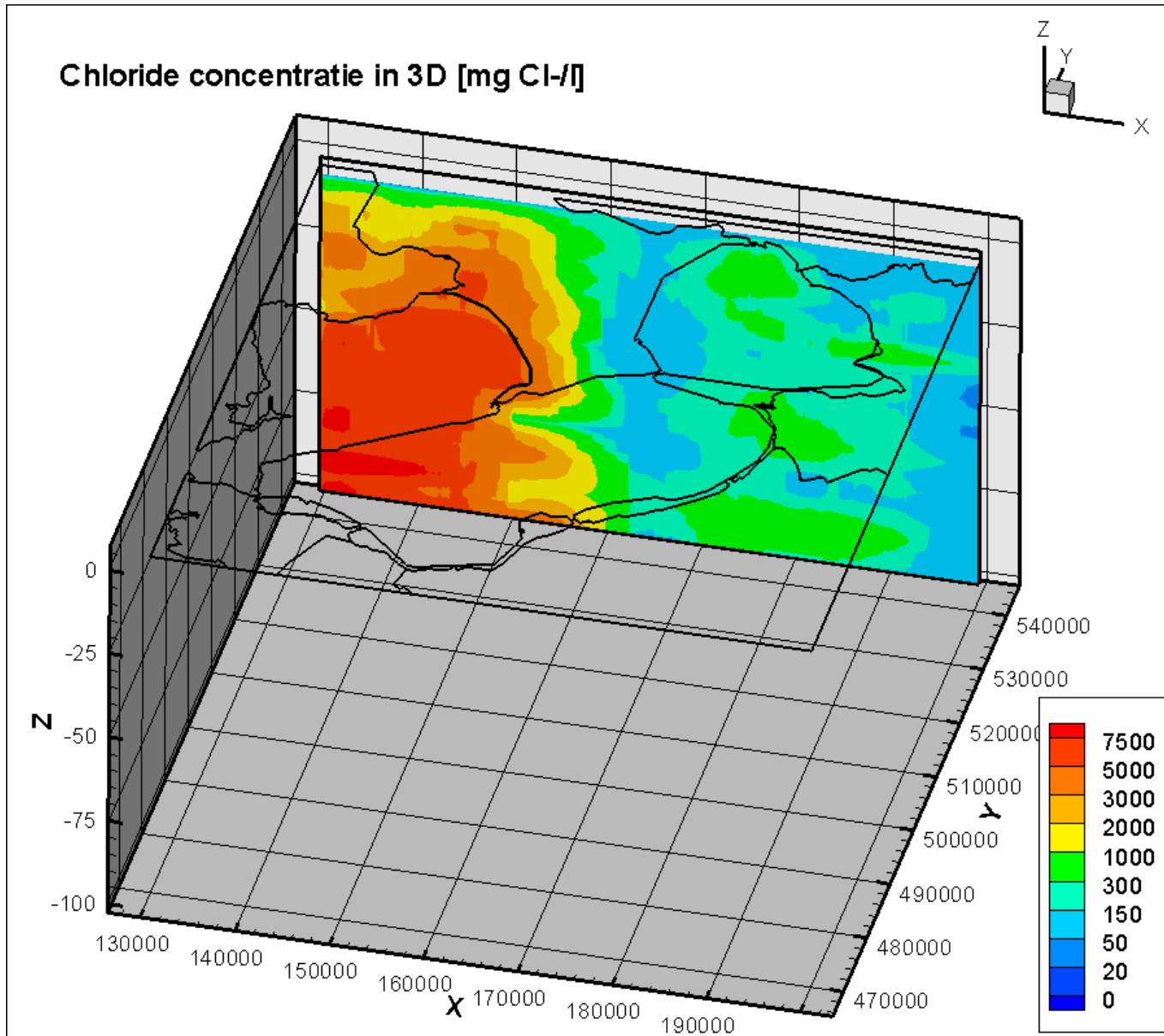
Availability of fresh groundwater



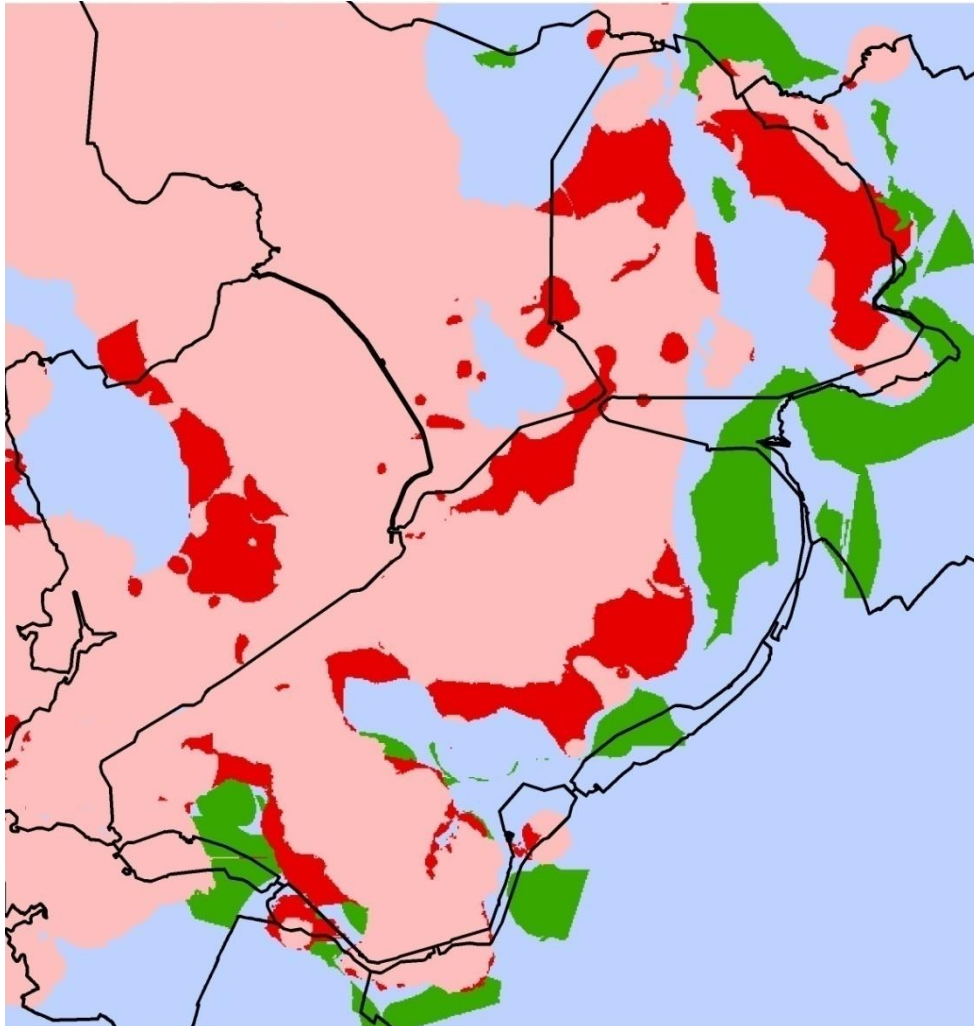
Different risks of upconing saline groundwater



Animation 3D Chloride concentration



Upconing in Flevoland



Risk depends on:

- Initial position interface
- Resistance layers
- Existence inversion
- Extraction rate and scheme

 High risk

 Low risk

 Very low risk

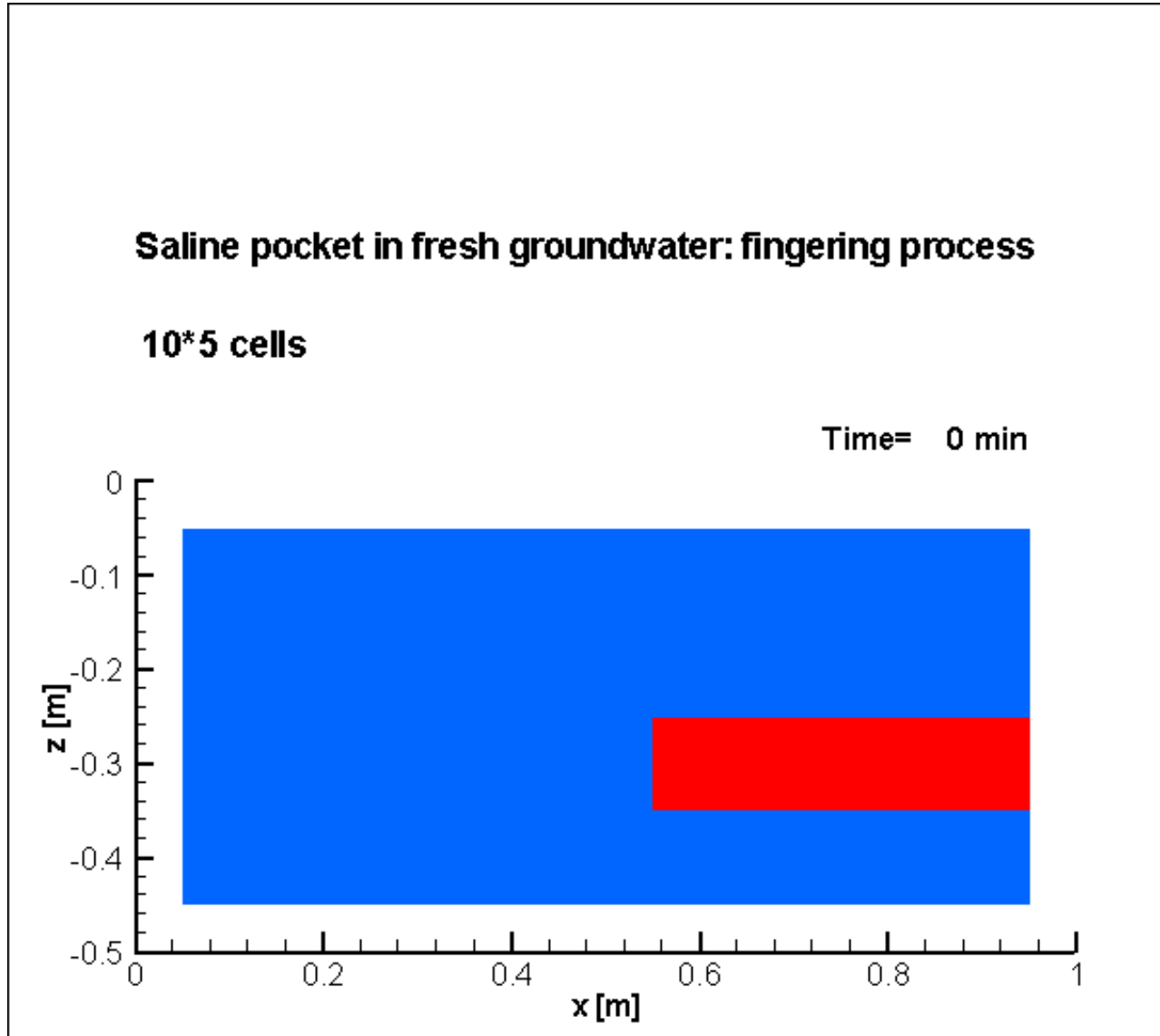
Salt water pocket in a fresh environment

Grid convergence

Time step

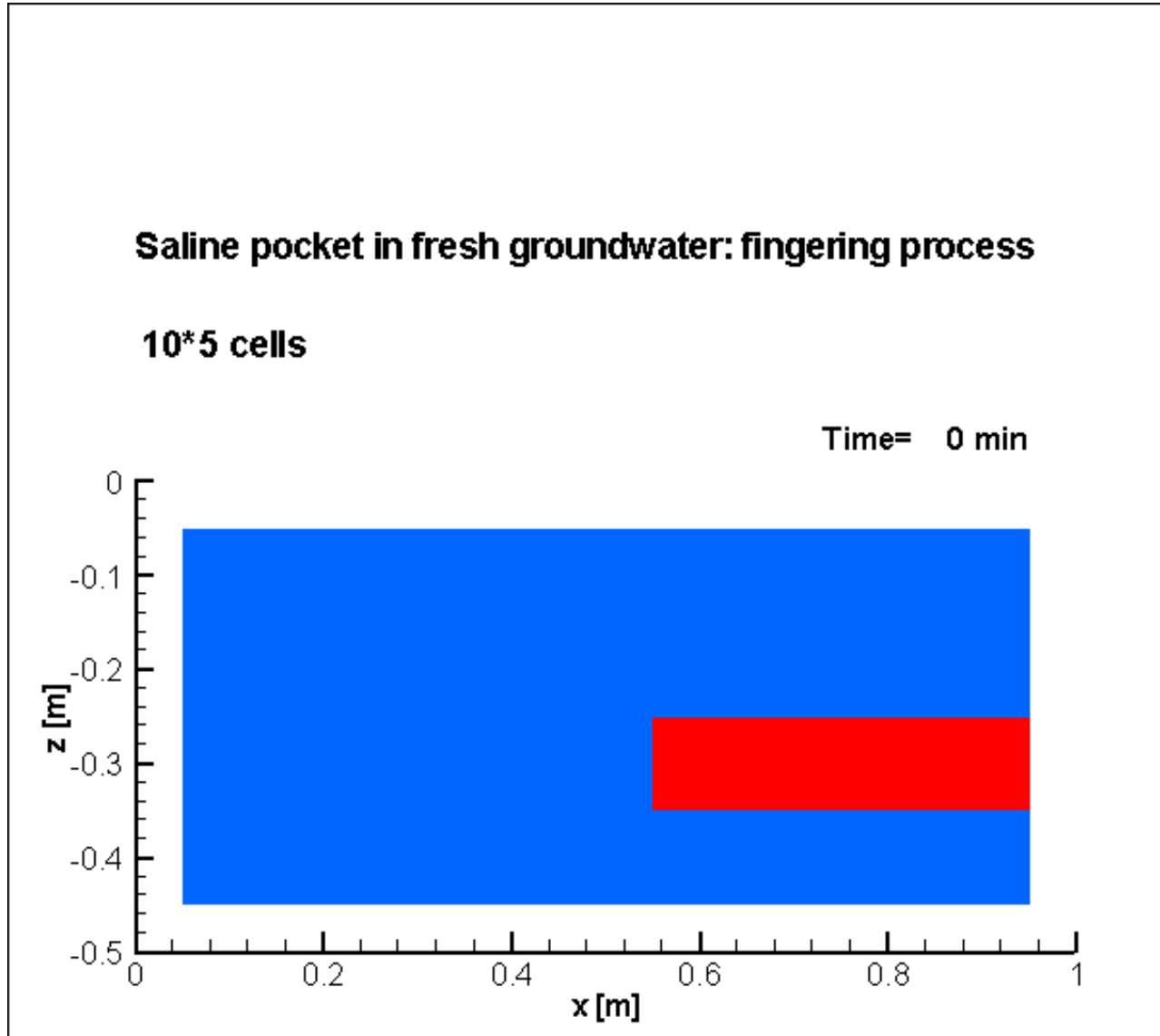
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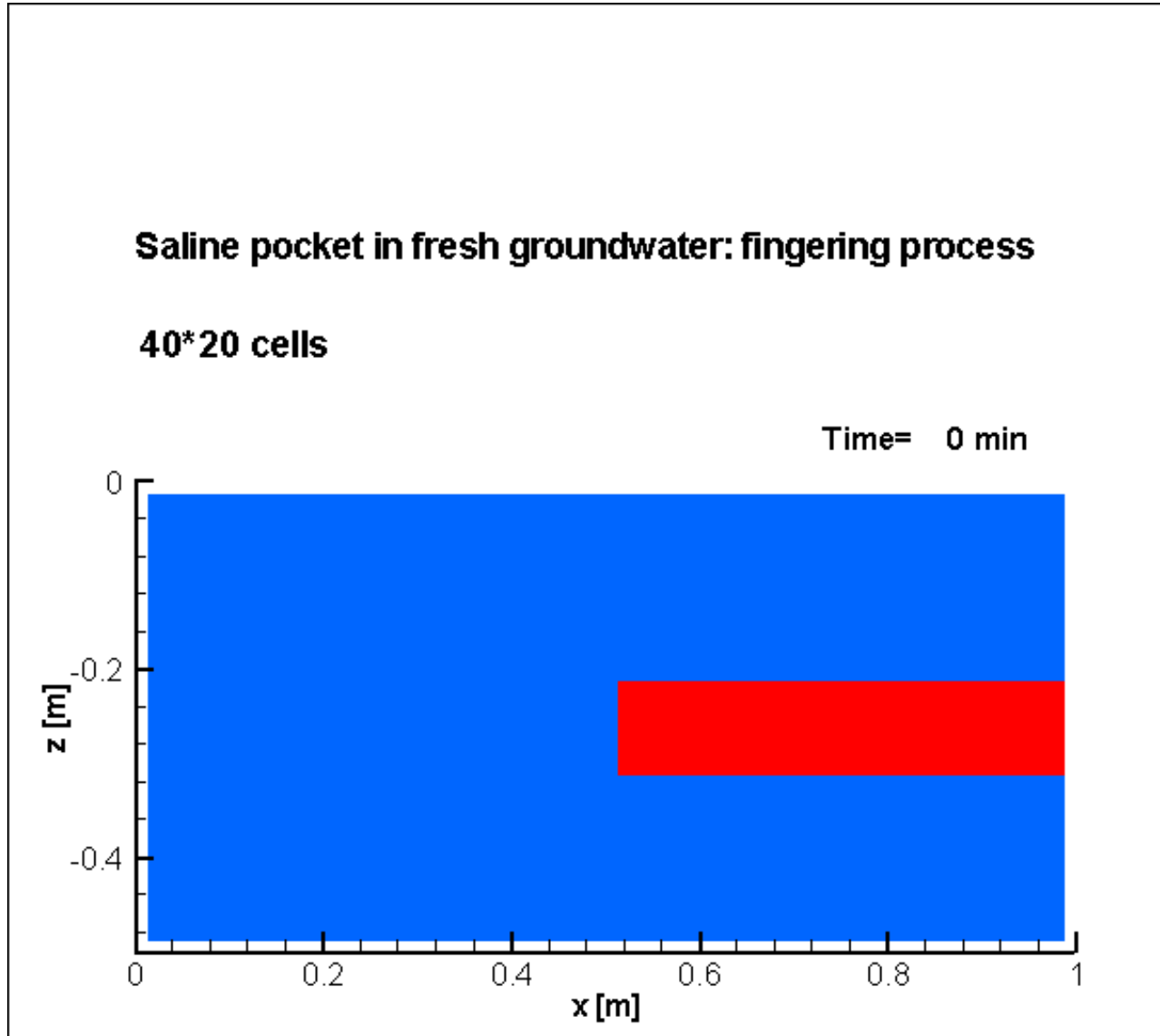
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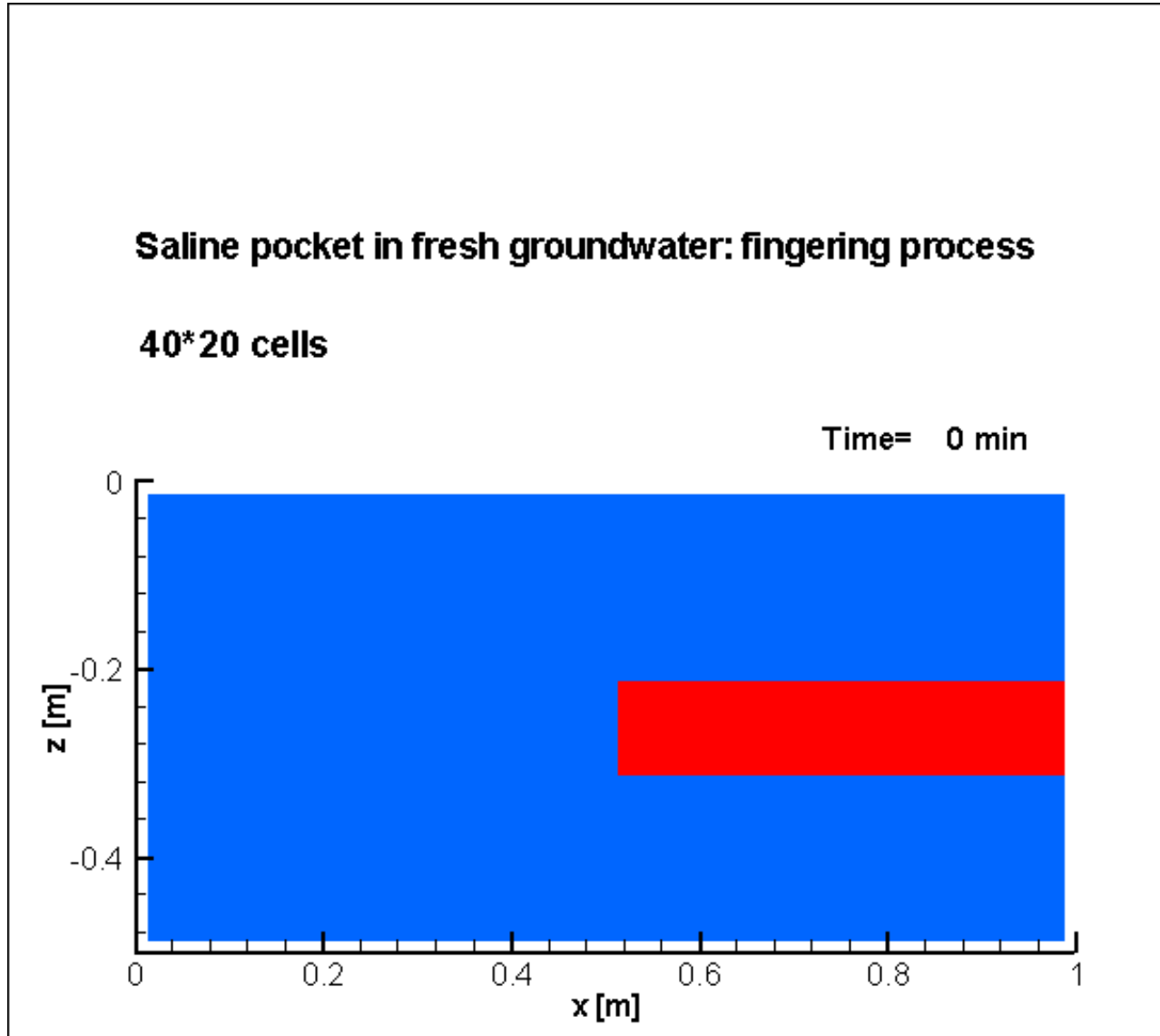
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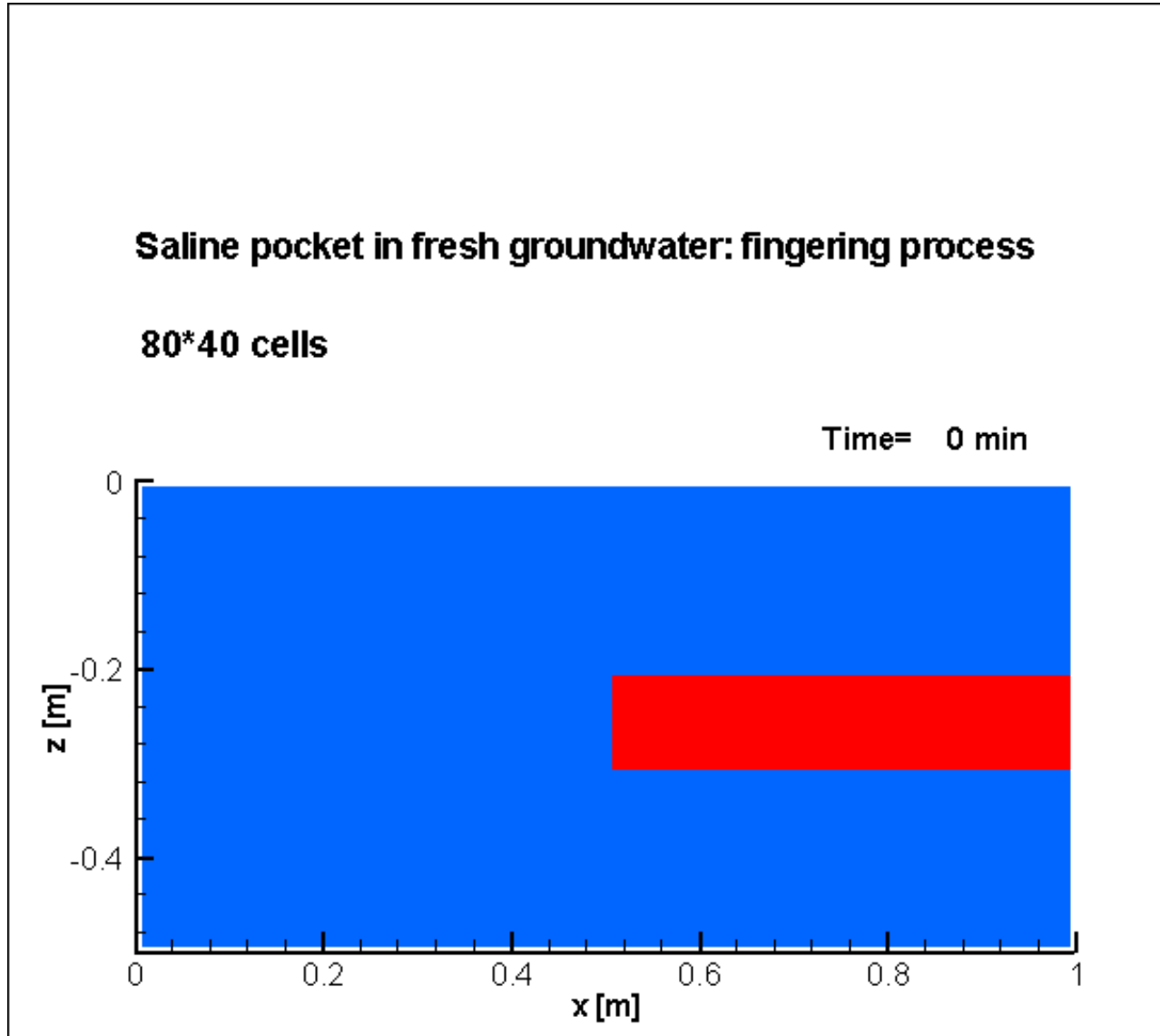
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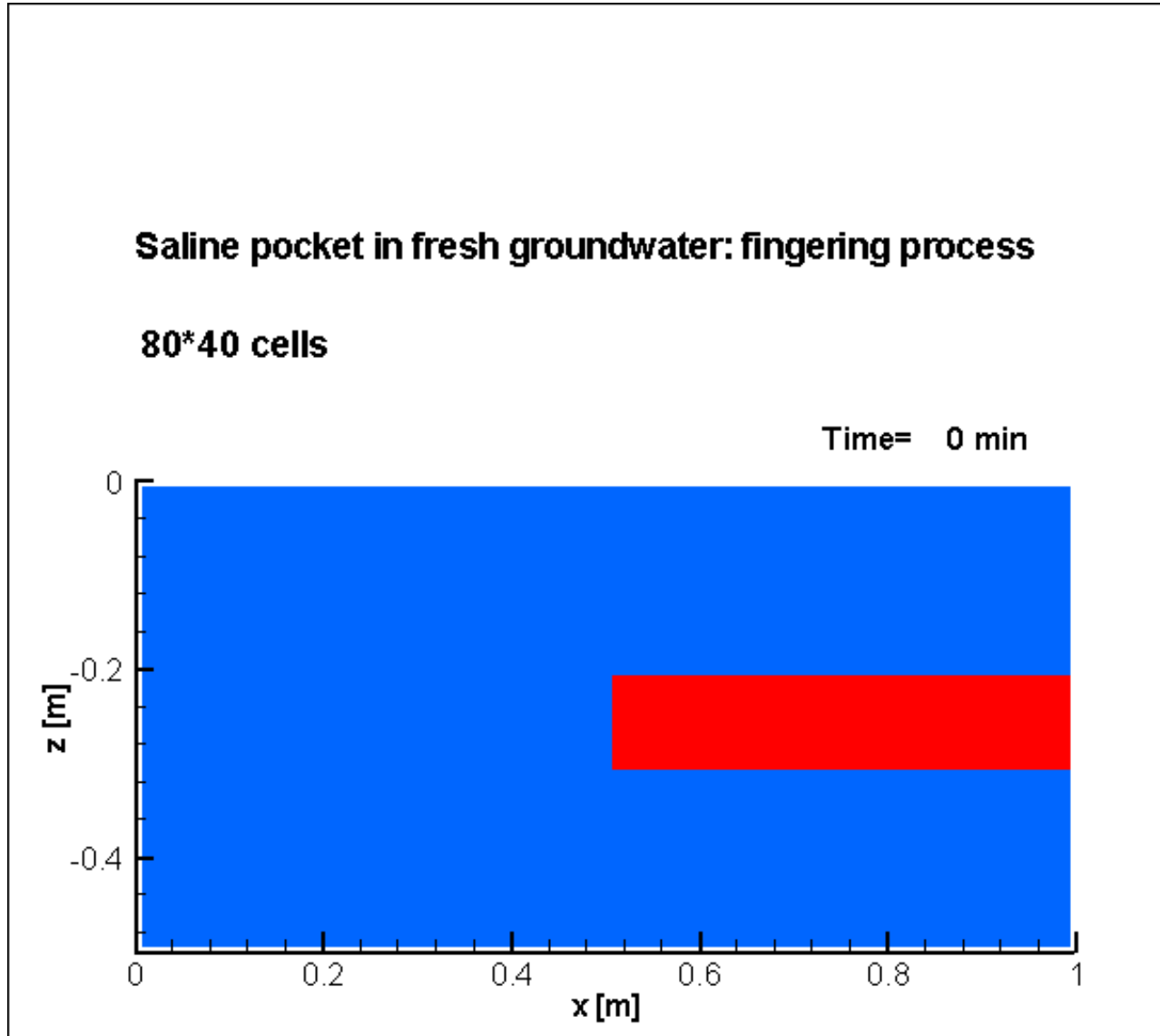
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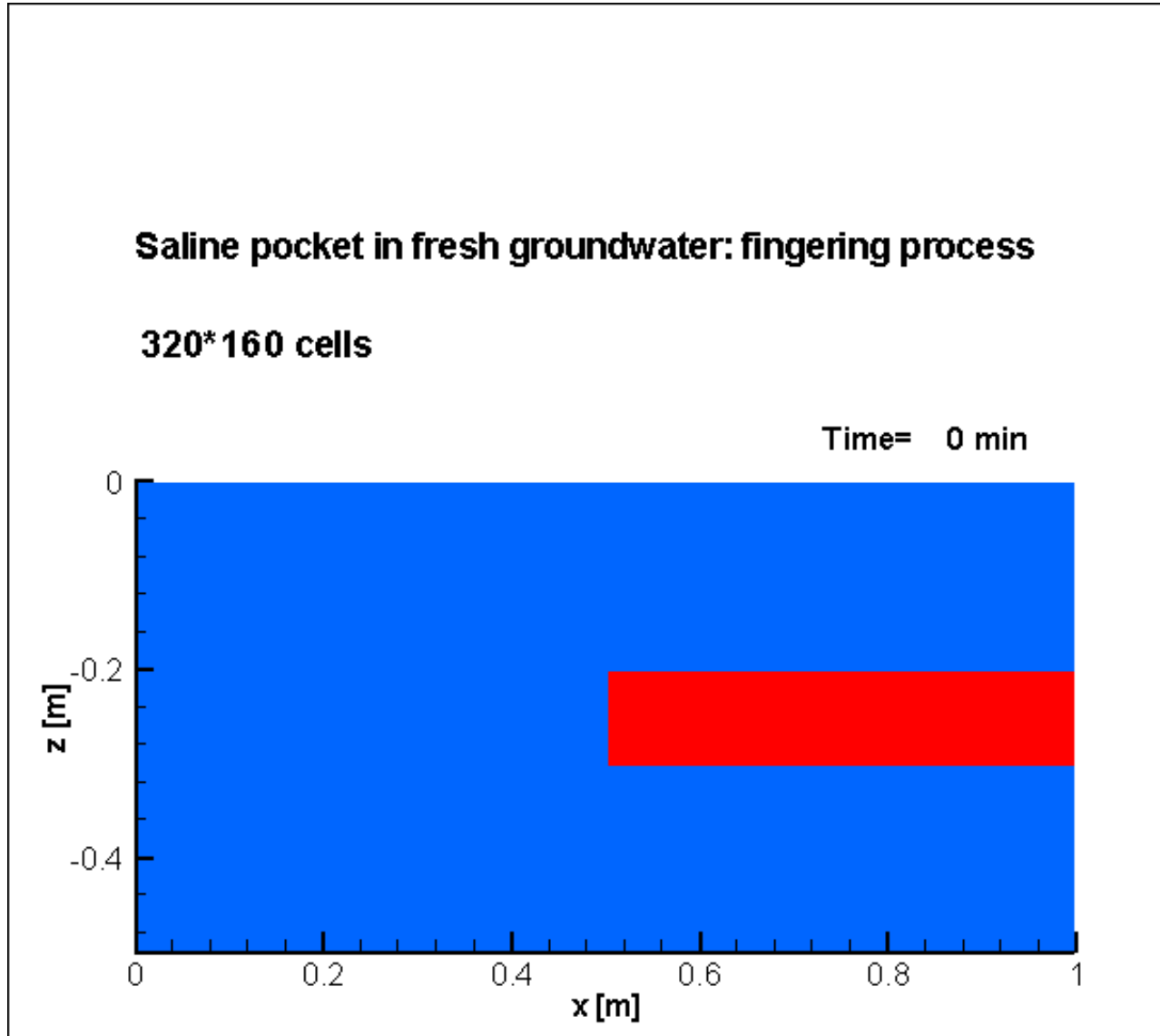
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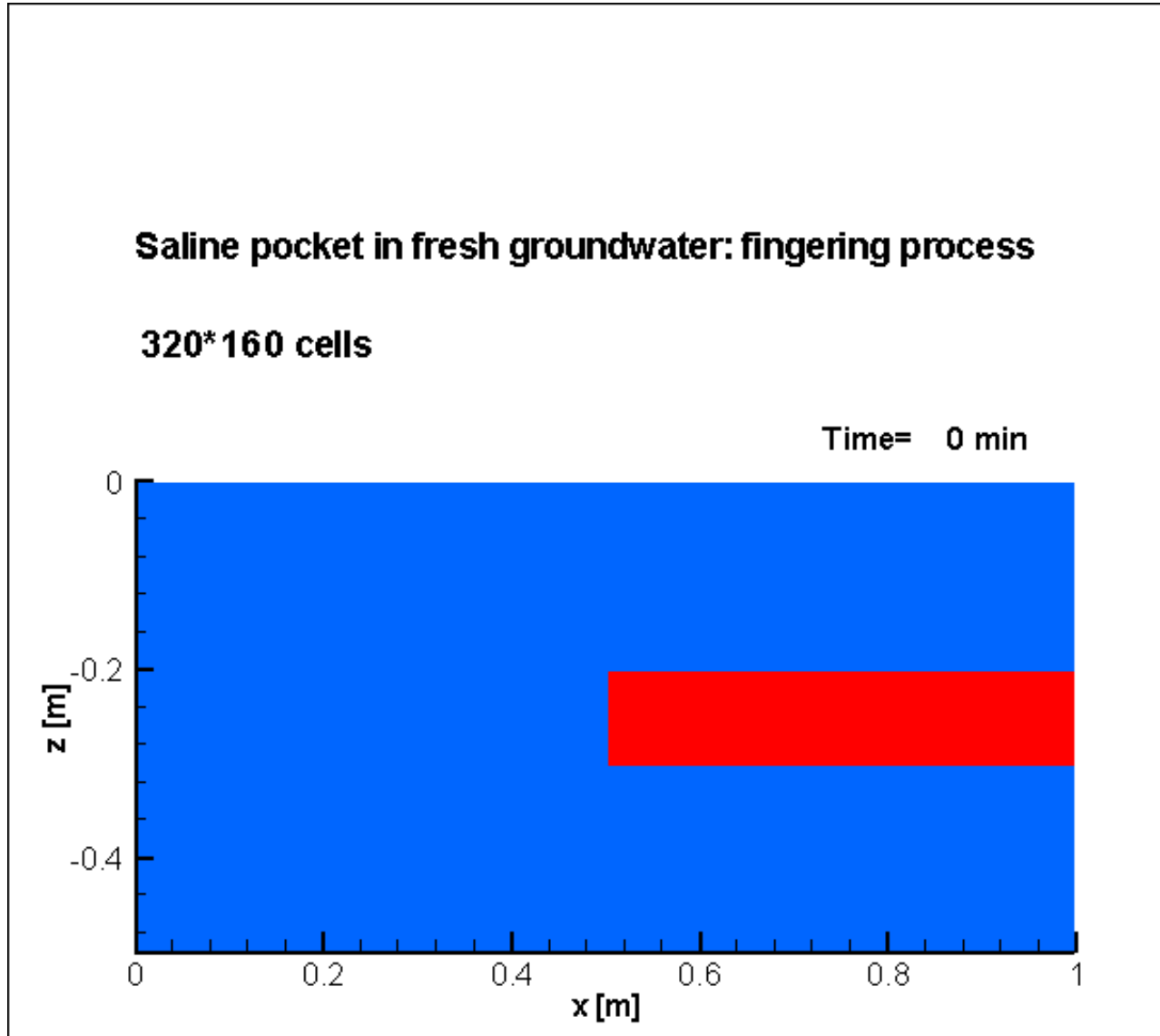
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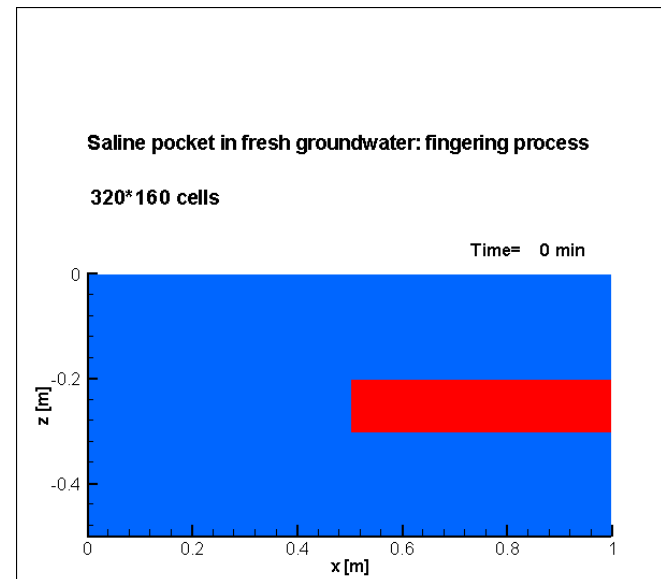
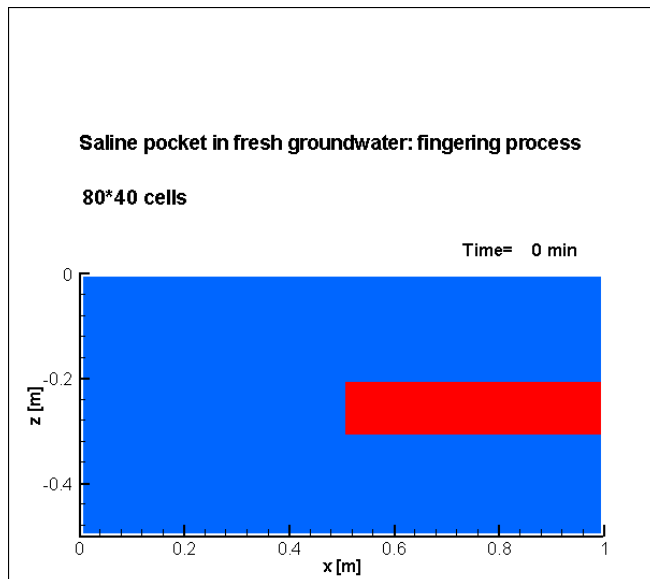
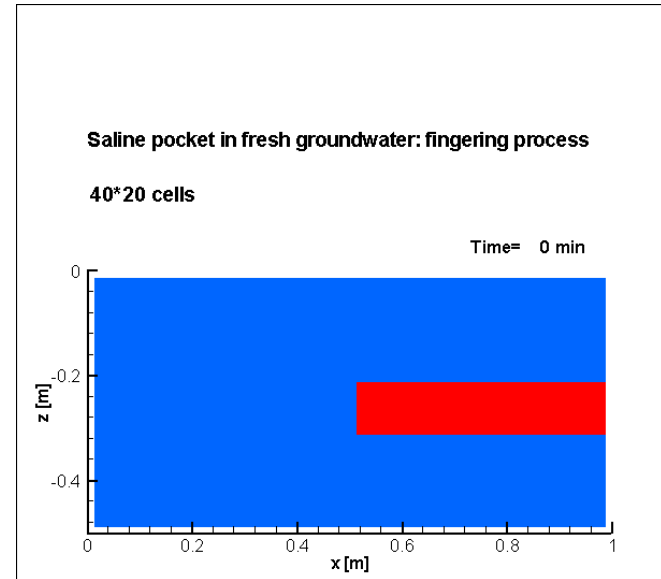
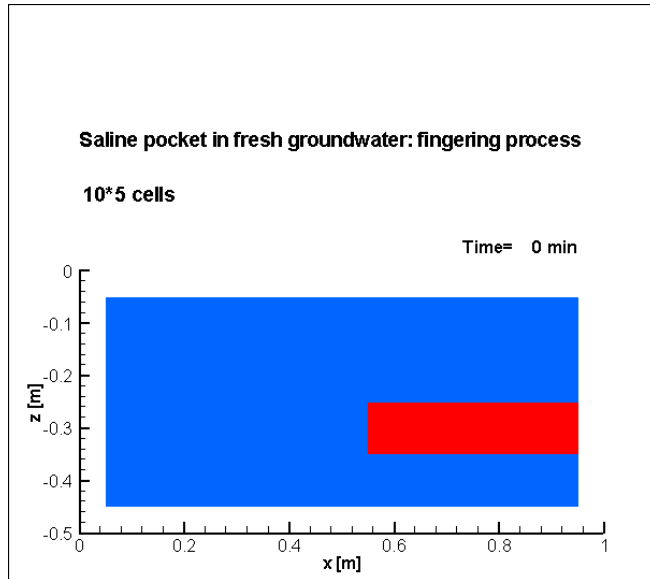
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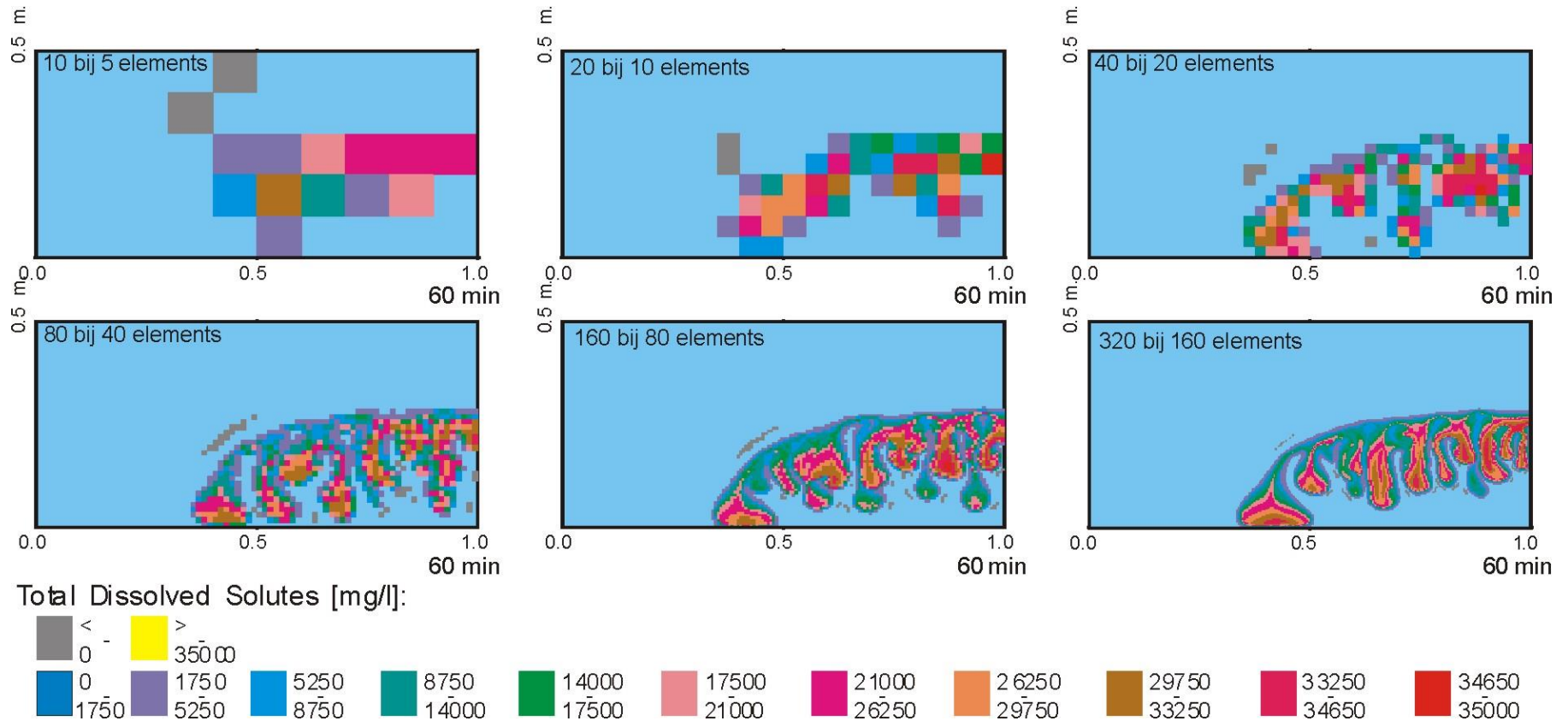


Salt water pocket in a fresh environment (V)

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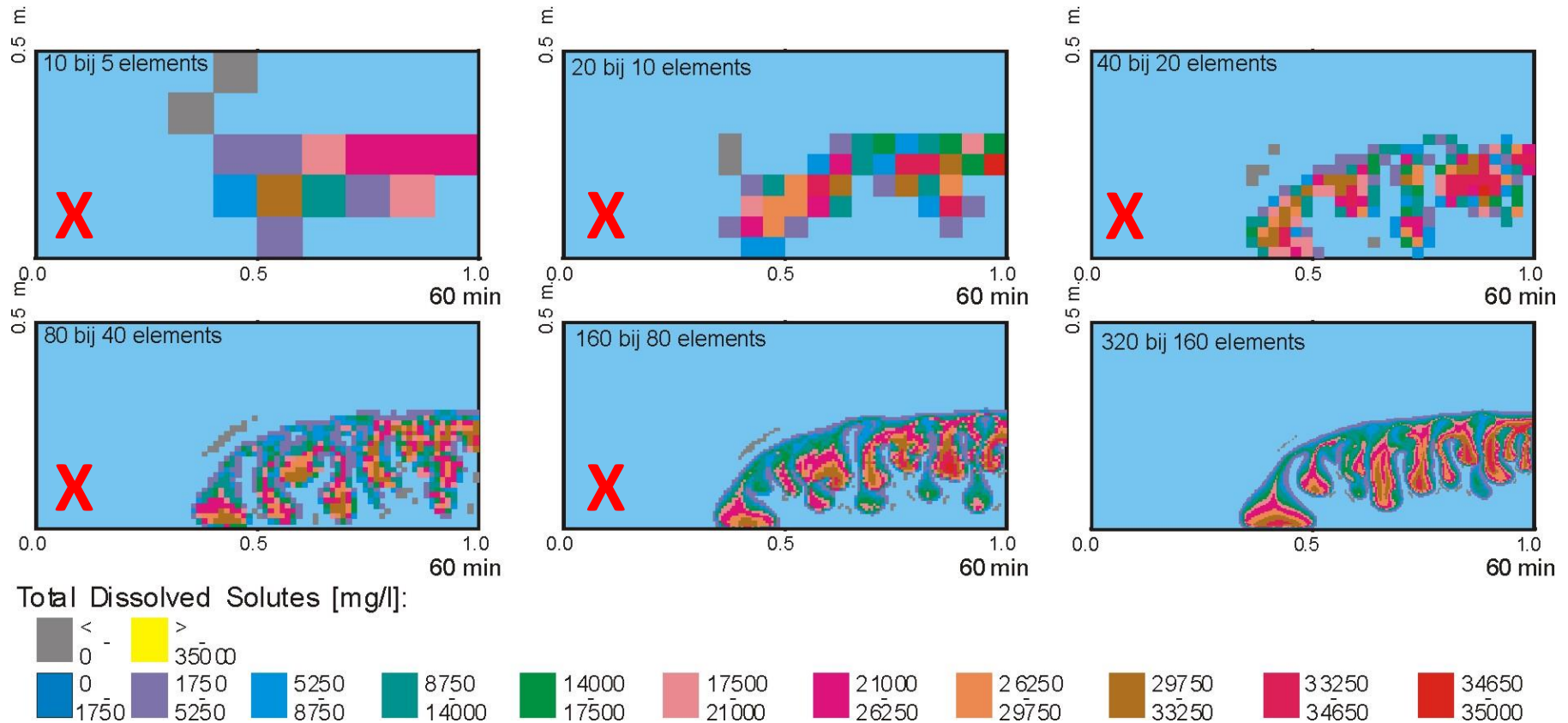


Effect of size model cell on physical process



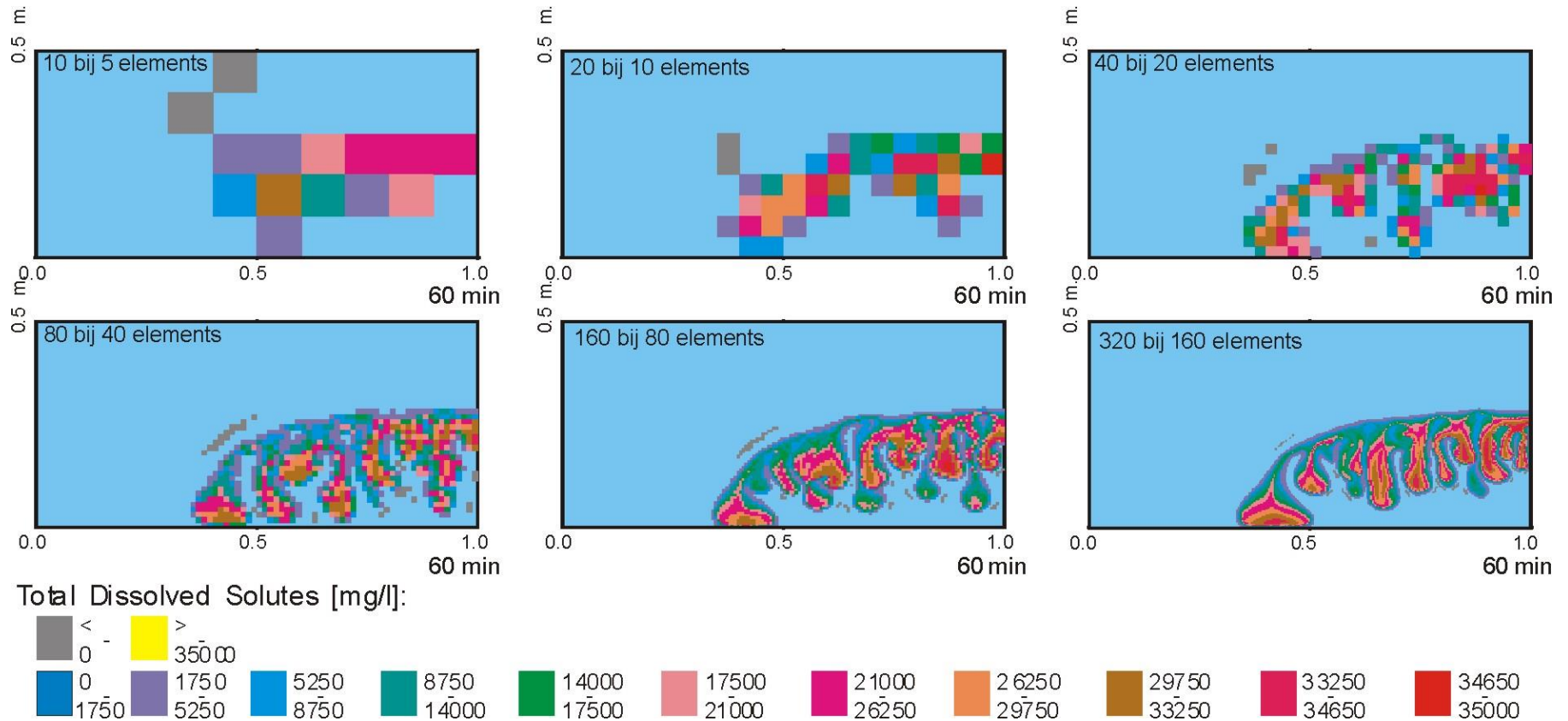
Size of cell has a large effect on modelling result!

Effect of size model cell on physical process



X= LOUSY models for predicting exact number of salt water fingers

Effect of size model cell on physical process



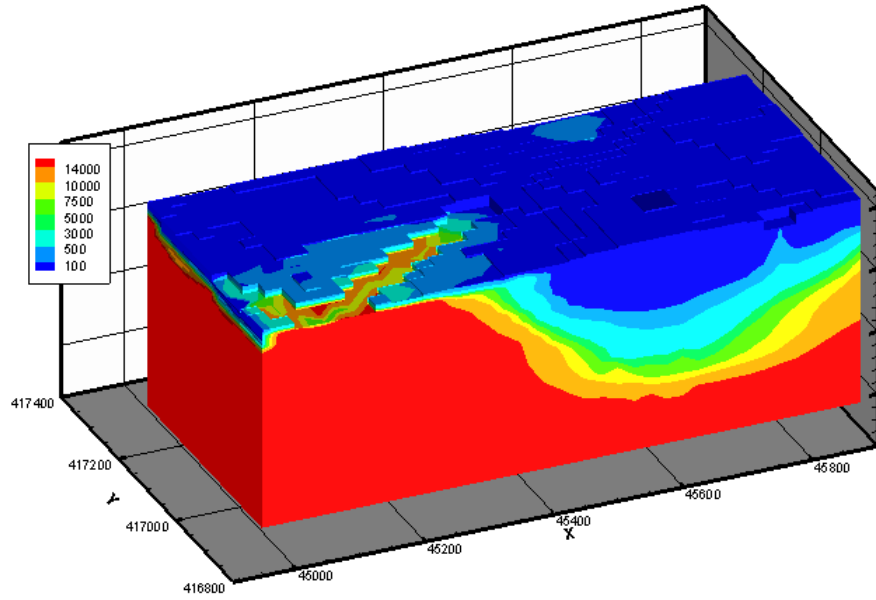
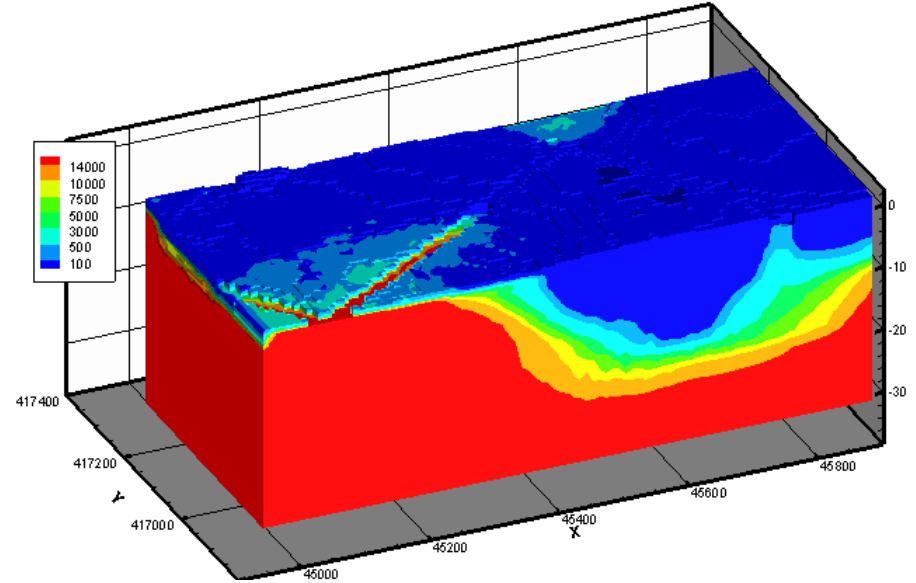
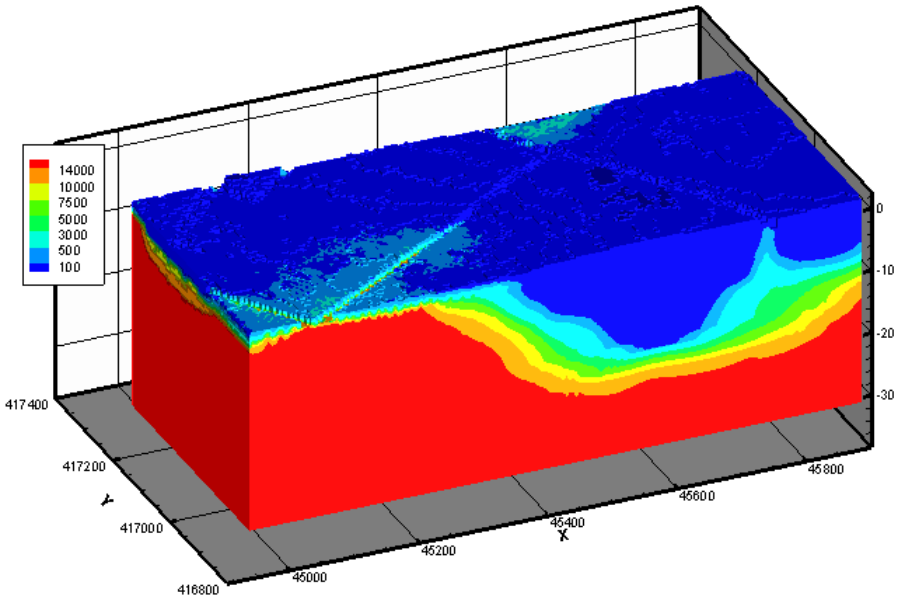
BUT: all models are GOOD for predicting the moment of touching the base!

Salt water pocket in a fresh environment (VI)

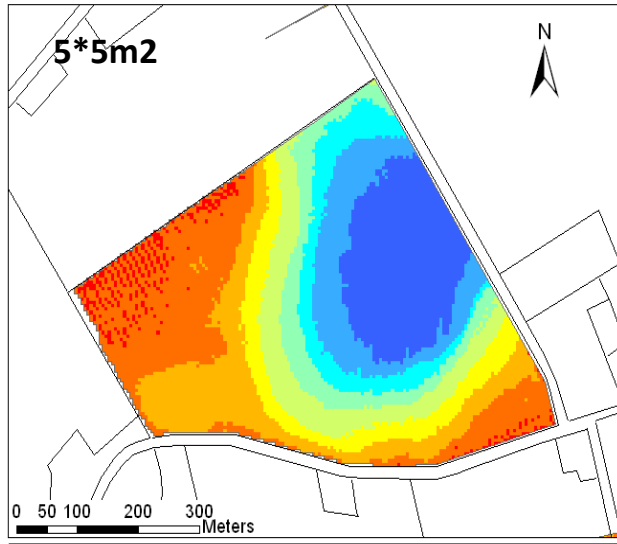
Conclusion:

- For some physical processes, a large number of cells is necessary
- Check always grid convergence!

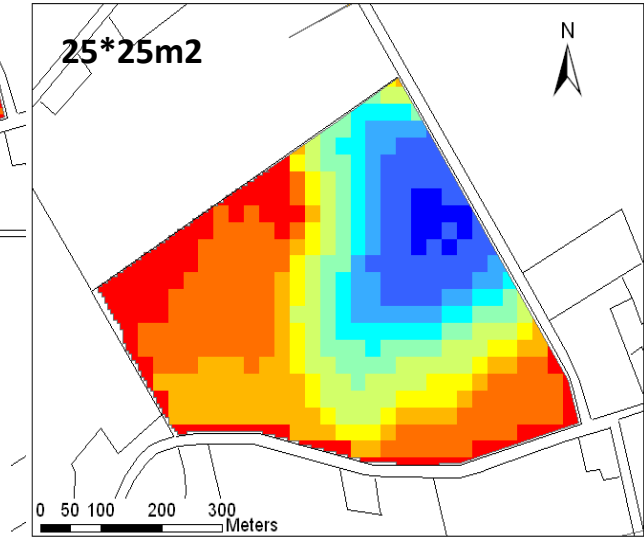
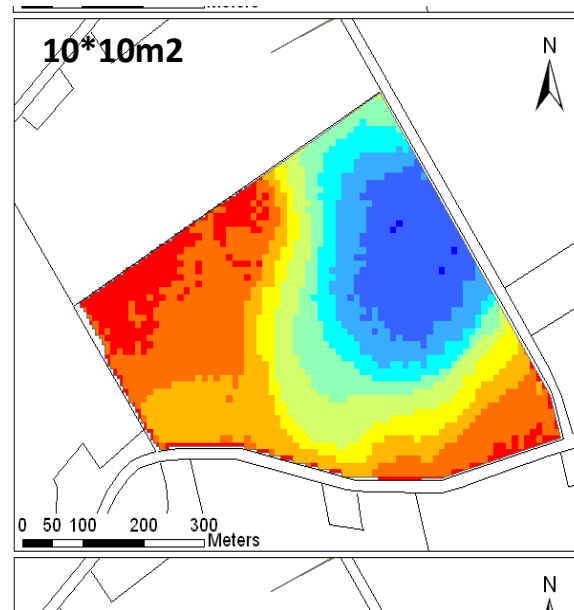
Different model scales: 5, 10, 25m2



Different model scales

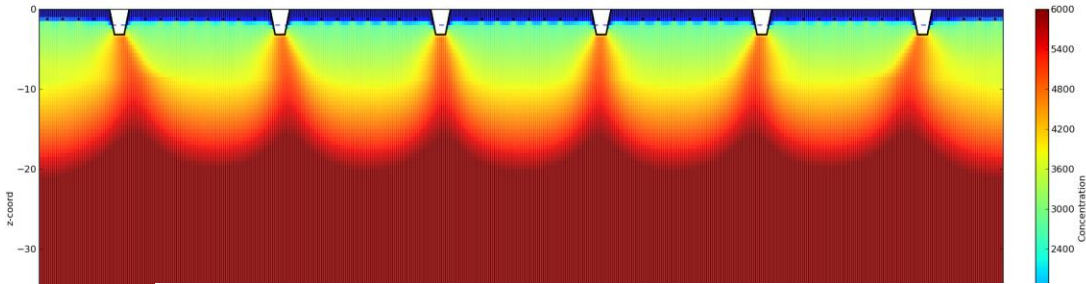


Which one is good enough?



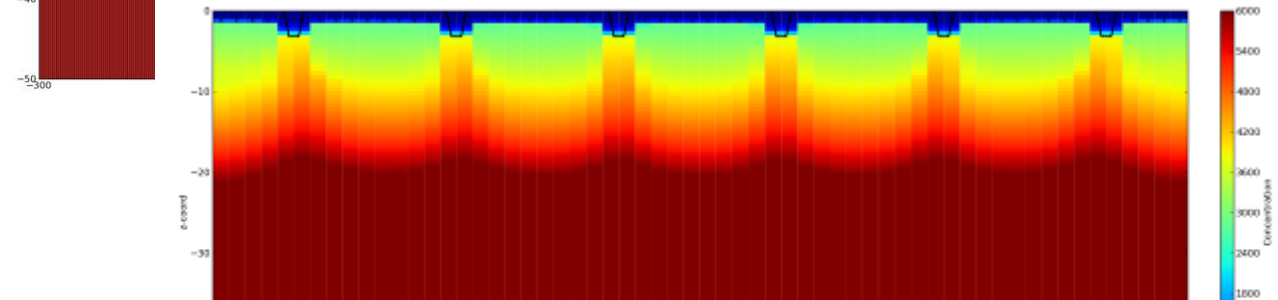
Upscaling issues: upconing under ditch

Concentration, time = 1000.0 d



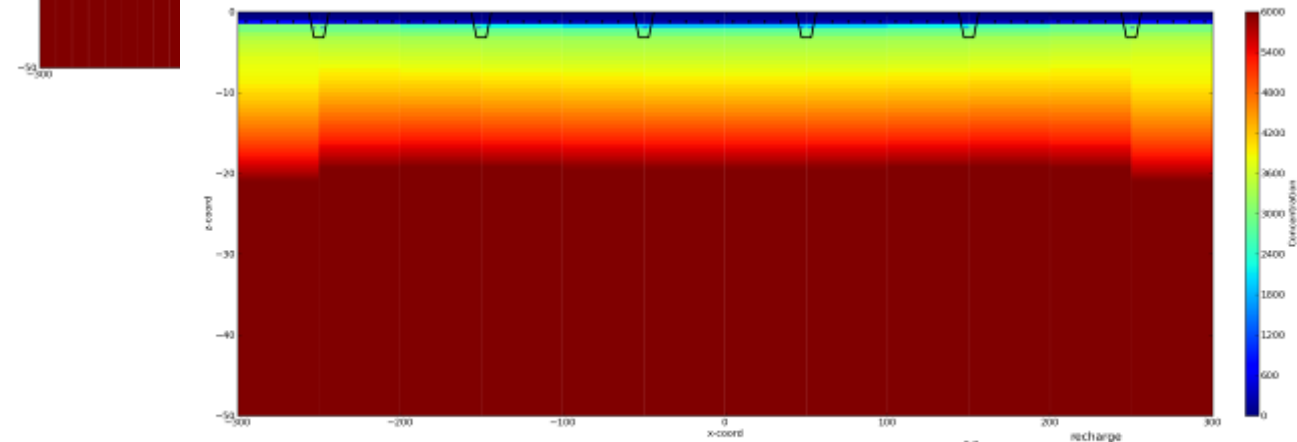
Cell size: 0.5m
Salt load: 3000 kg/d

Concentration, time = 1000.0 d



Cell size: 10m
Salt load: 1750 kg/d

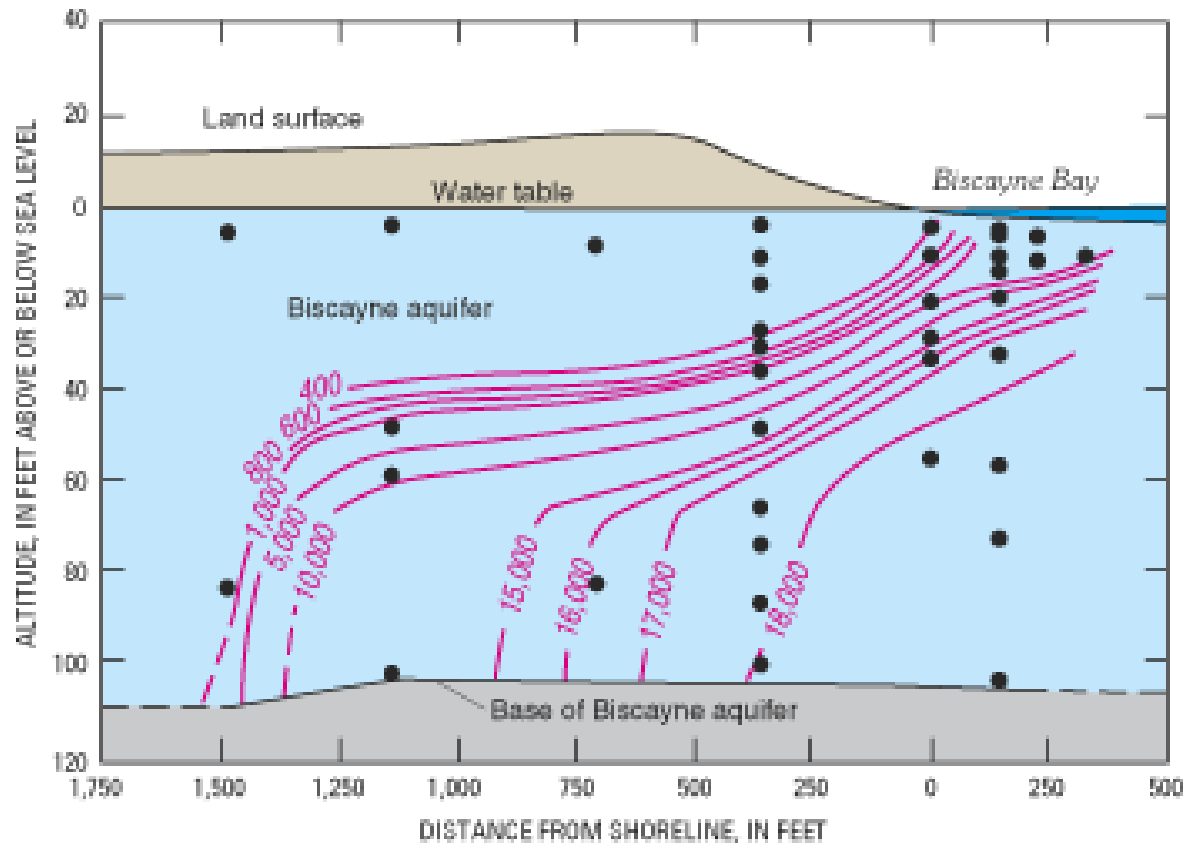
Concentration, time = 1000.0 d



Cell size: 50m
Salt load: 2000 kg/d

$a_L = 0.01m$

Biscayne aquifer, Florida USA: Henry's case



EXPLANATION

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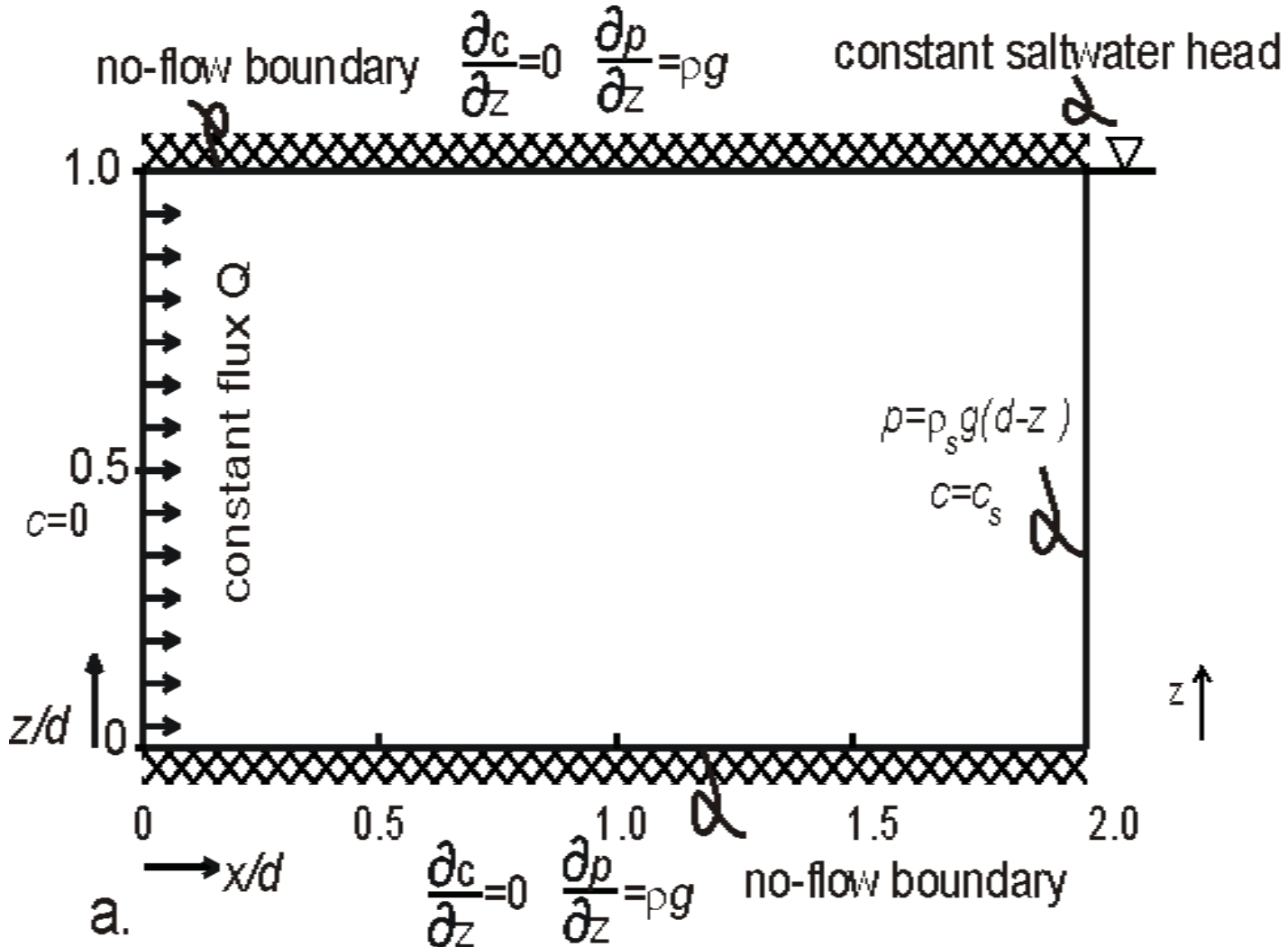
Line of equal chloride concentration, in parts per million

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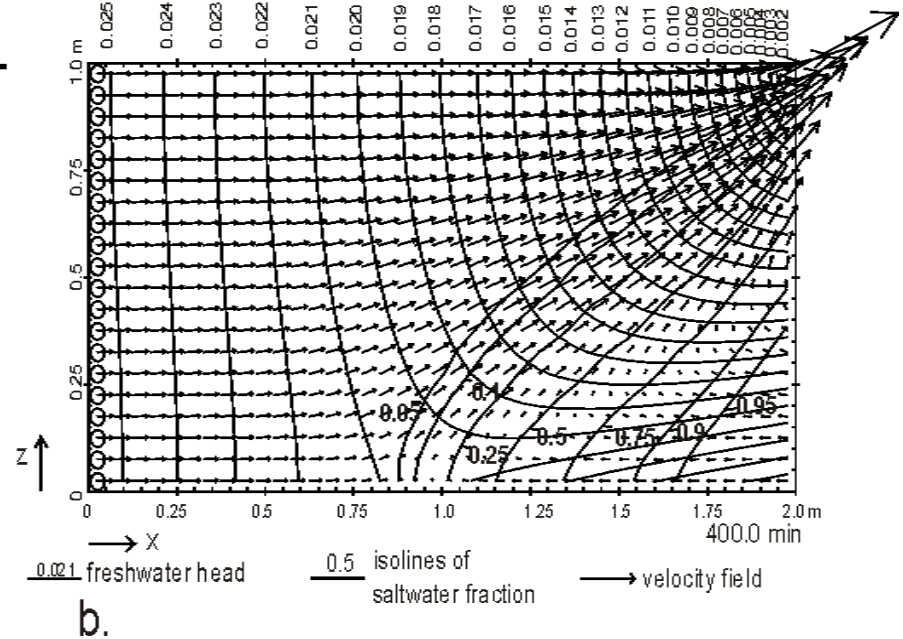
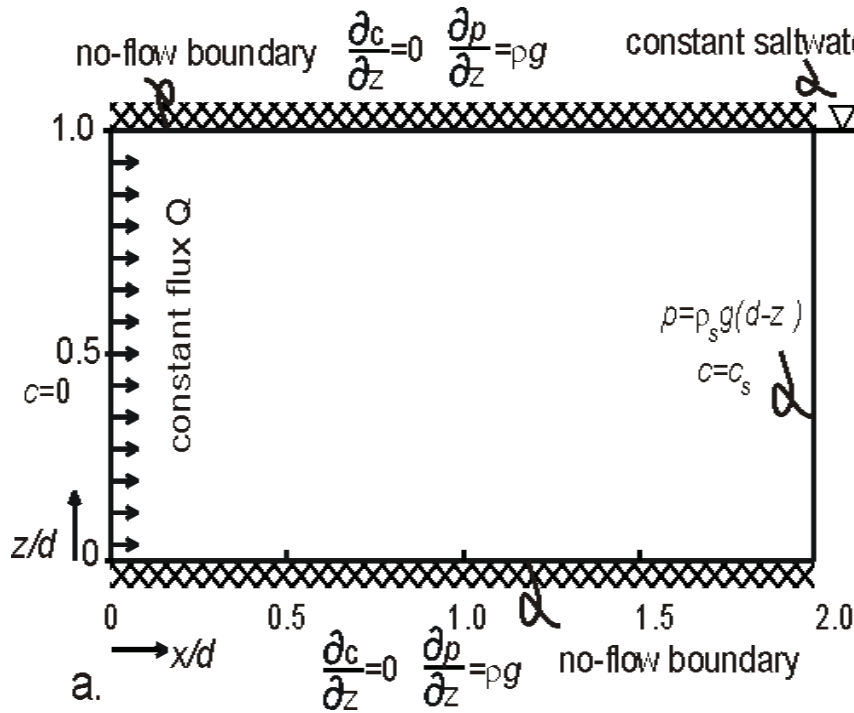
Bottom of fully cased well from which water-quality samples were collected

Modified from Kohout (1964)

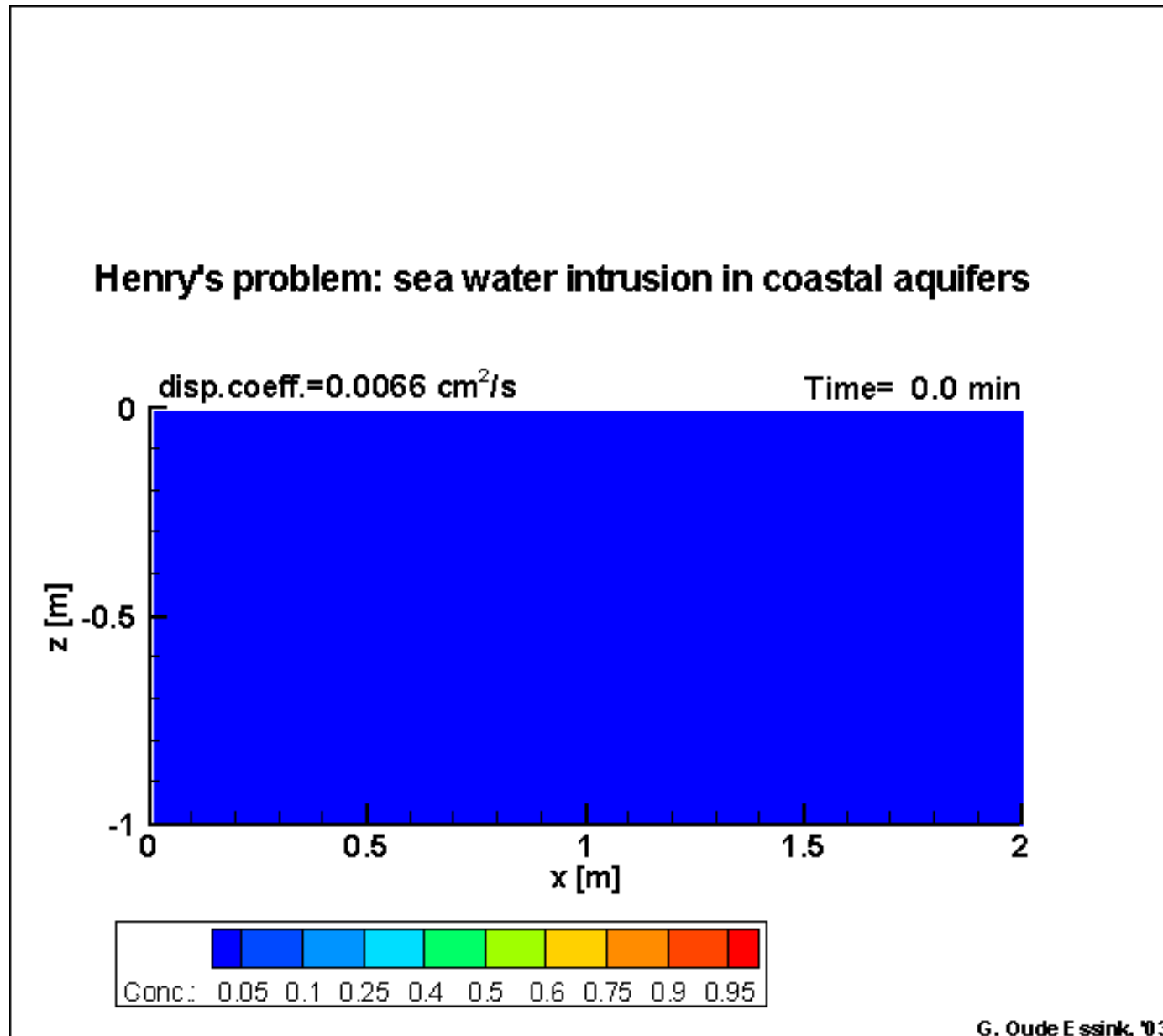
Henry's problem (1964)



Henry's problem



Henry's problem

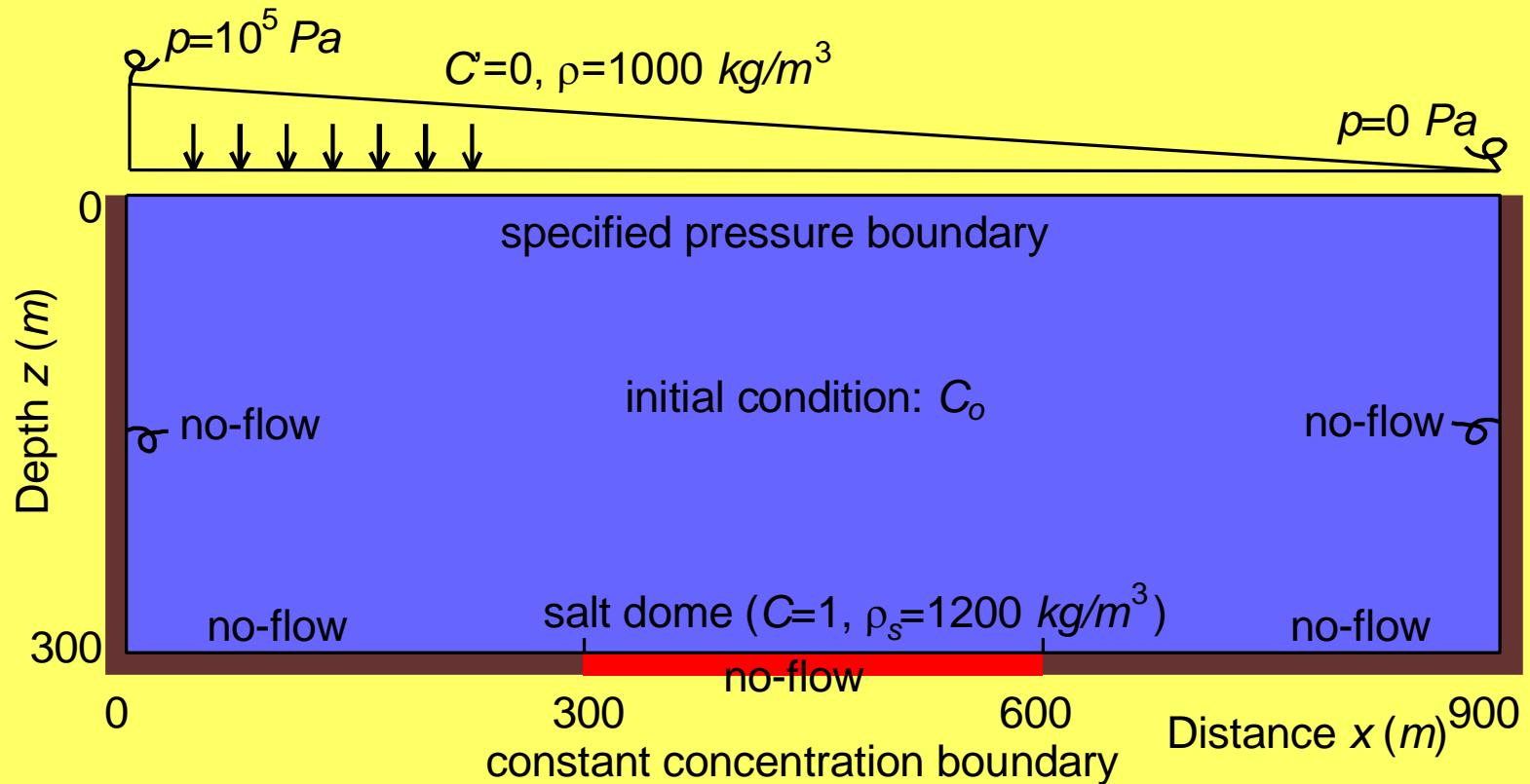


Henry's problem

Don't use the Henry problem as a variable-density benchmark, because even with a constant density model, the results are more or less the same!

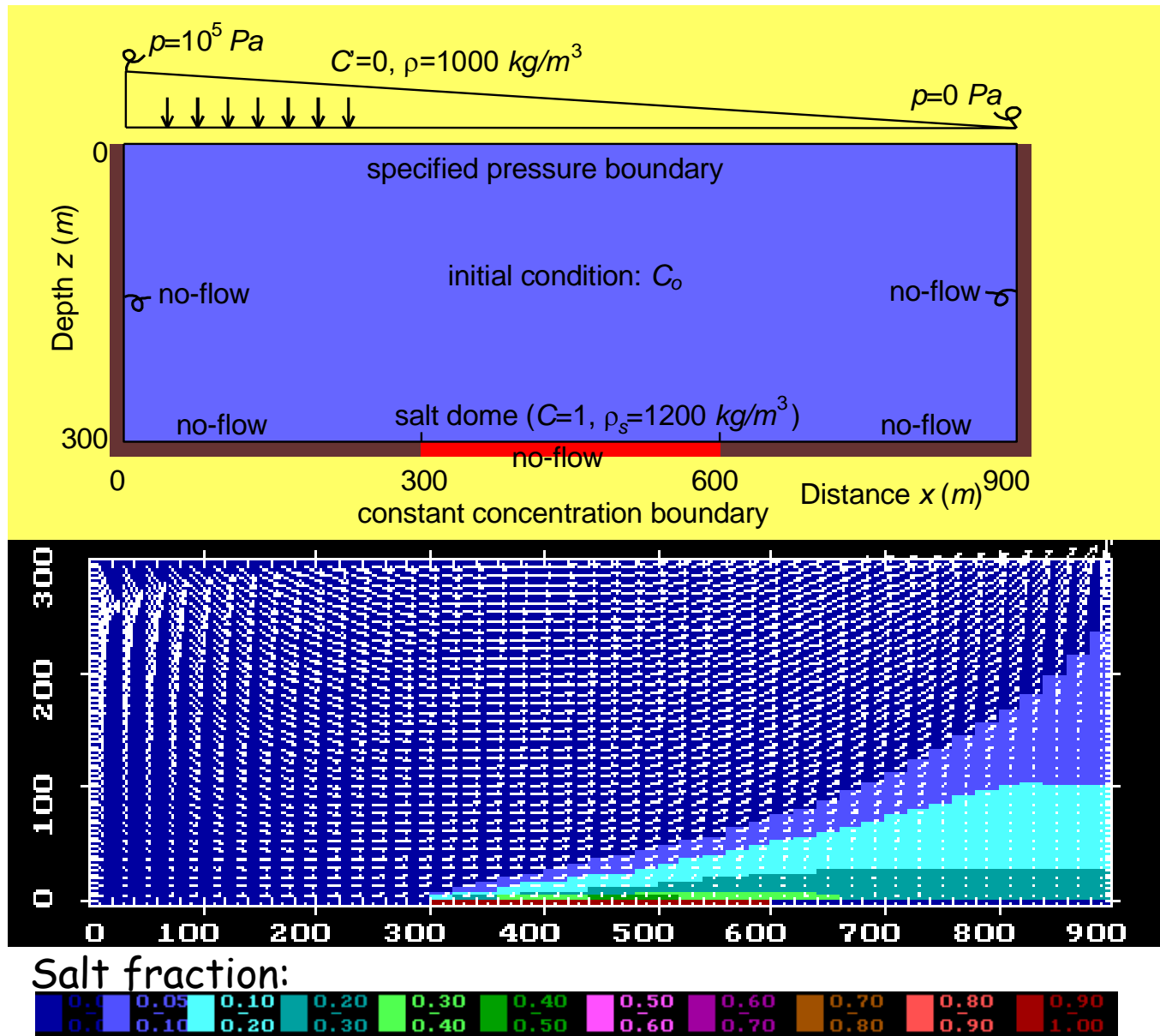
Hydrocoin:

disposal of high-level nuclear waste
groundwater movement near salt domes
Gorleben salt dome, Germany



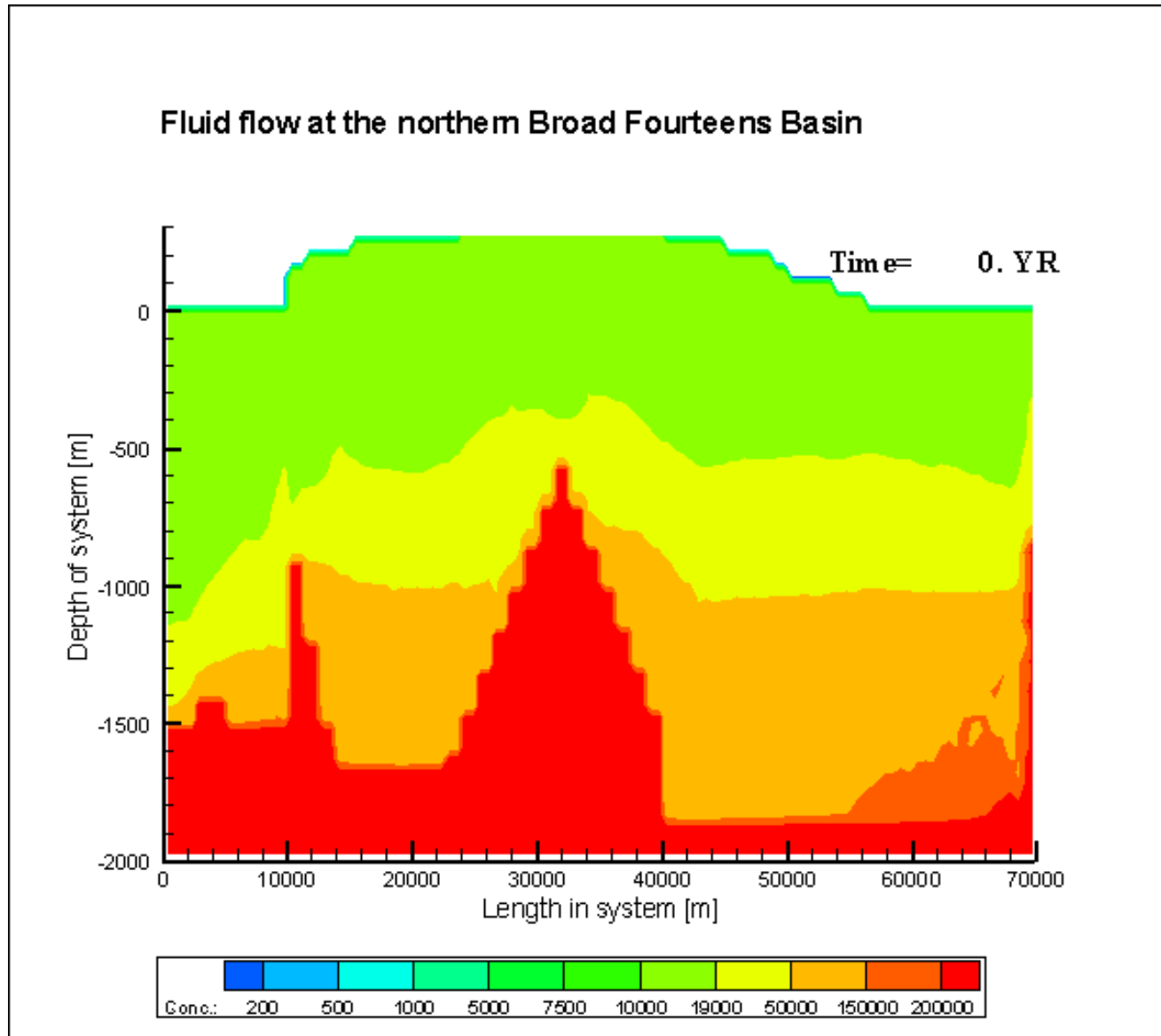
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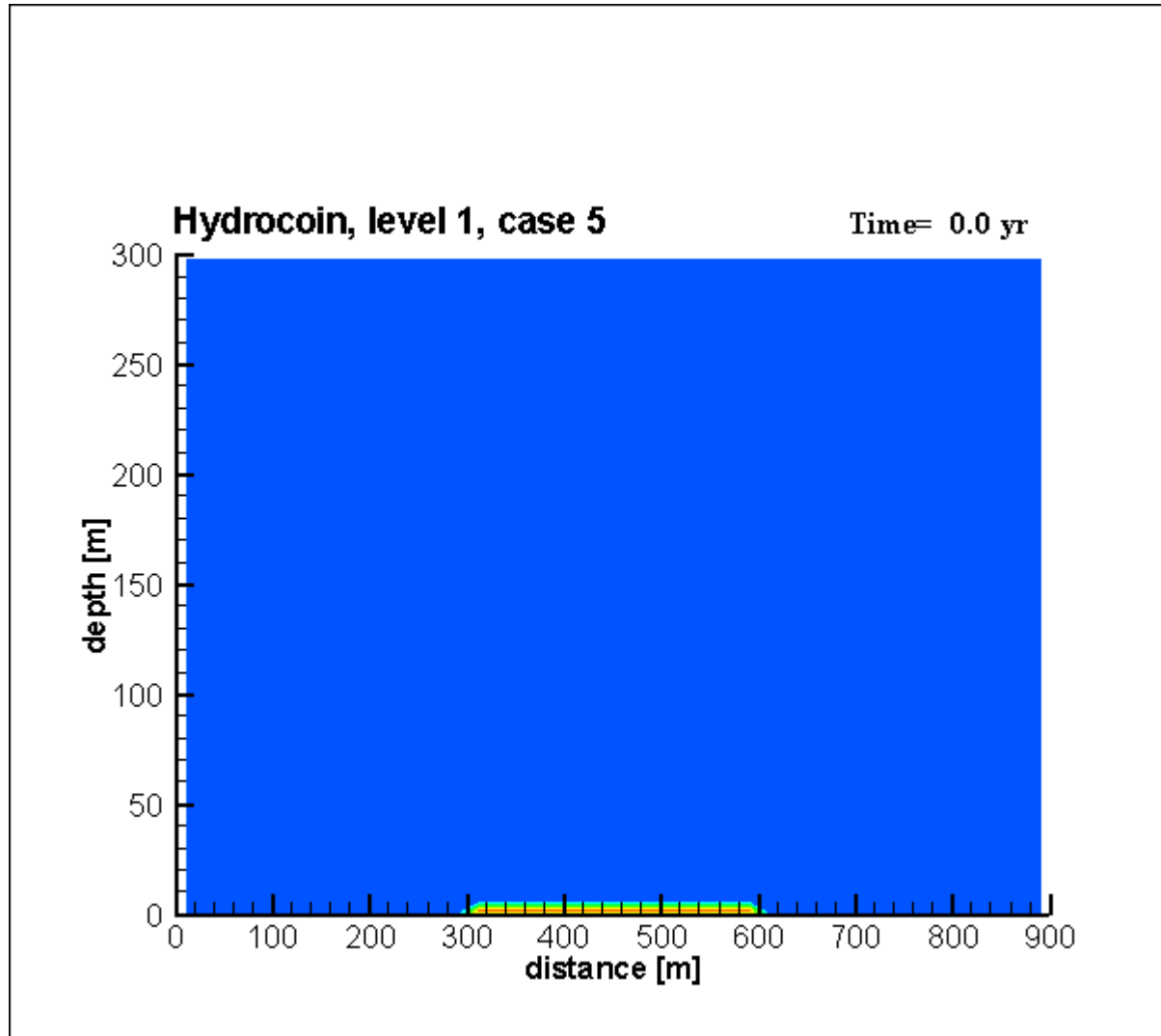
Broad 14 Basin, North Sea

Geofluids'03, with L. Bouw



Hydrocoin: effect of boundary condition (I)

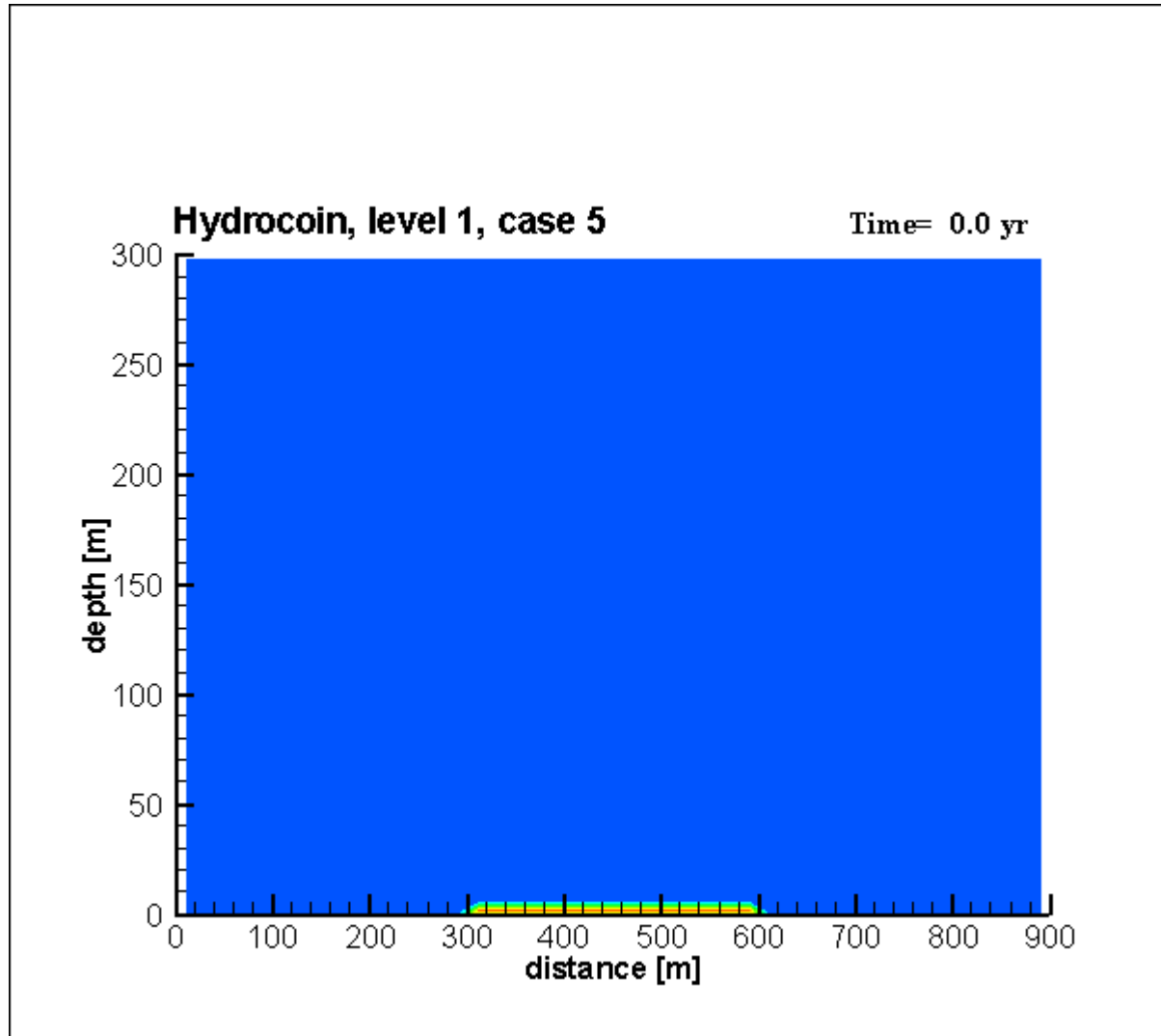
supply of brine through advection and hydrodynamic dispersion



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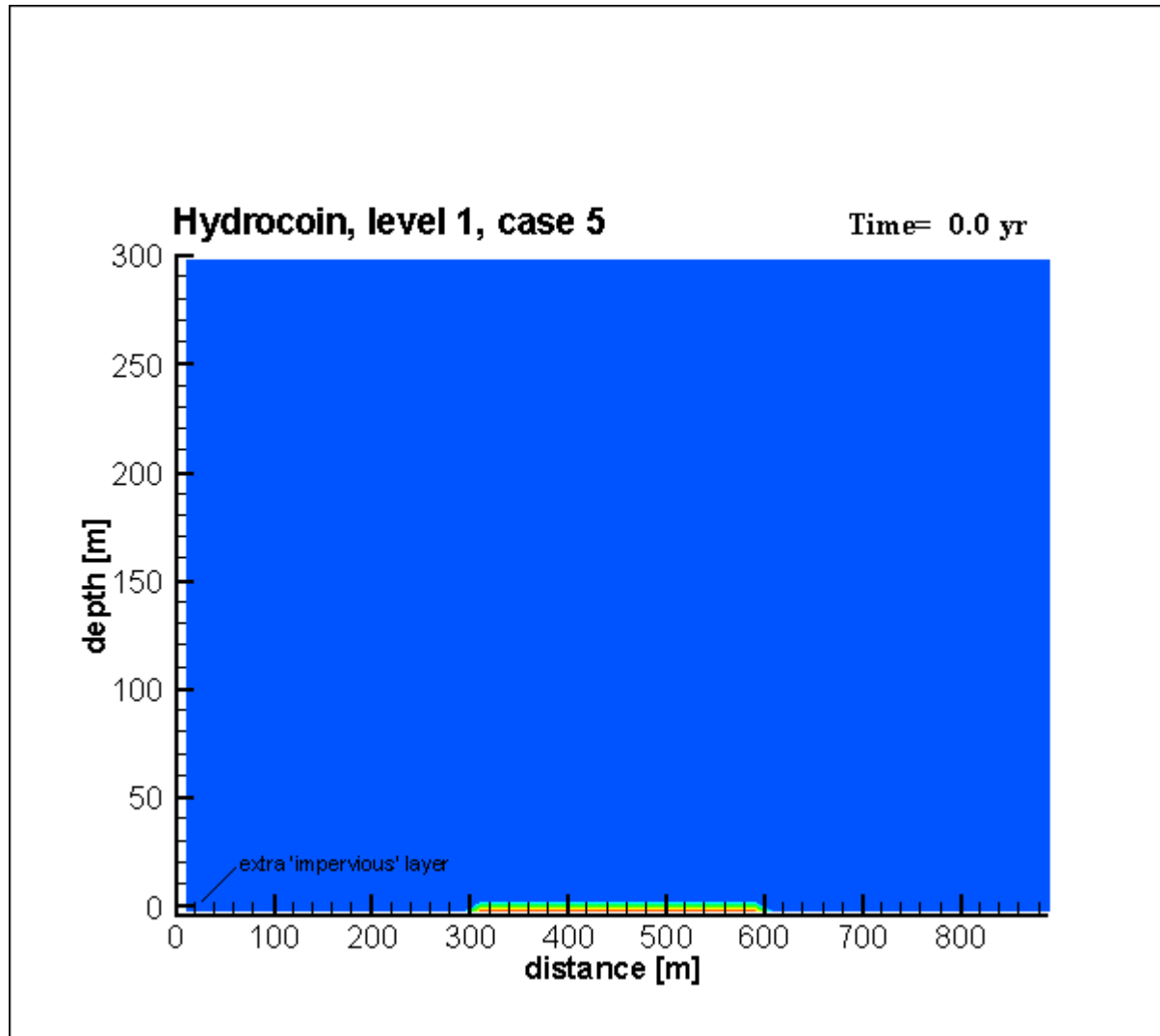
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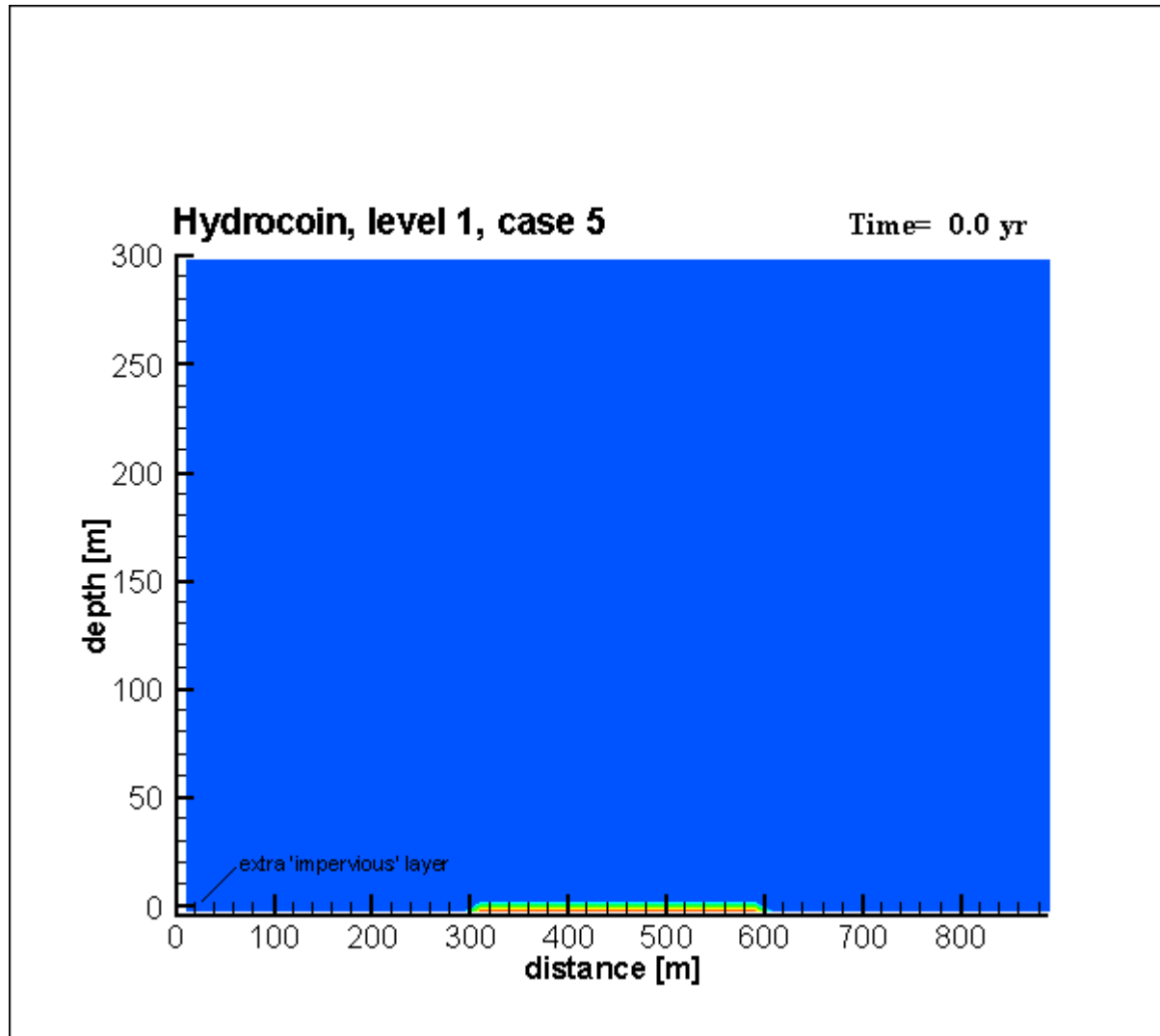
supply of brine through only hydrodynamic dispersion



swept-forward type

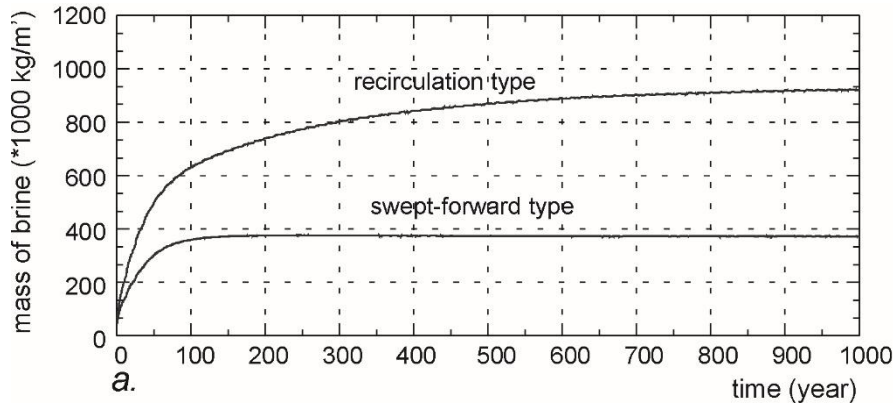
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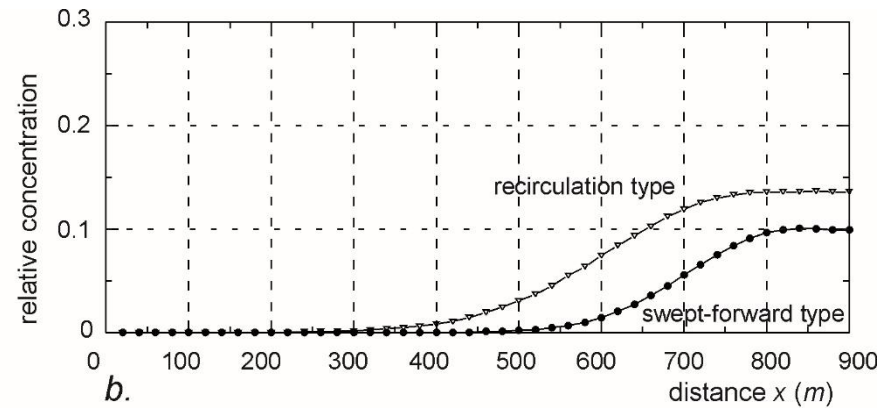


swept-forward type

Hydrocoin: difference recirculation vs swept forward

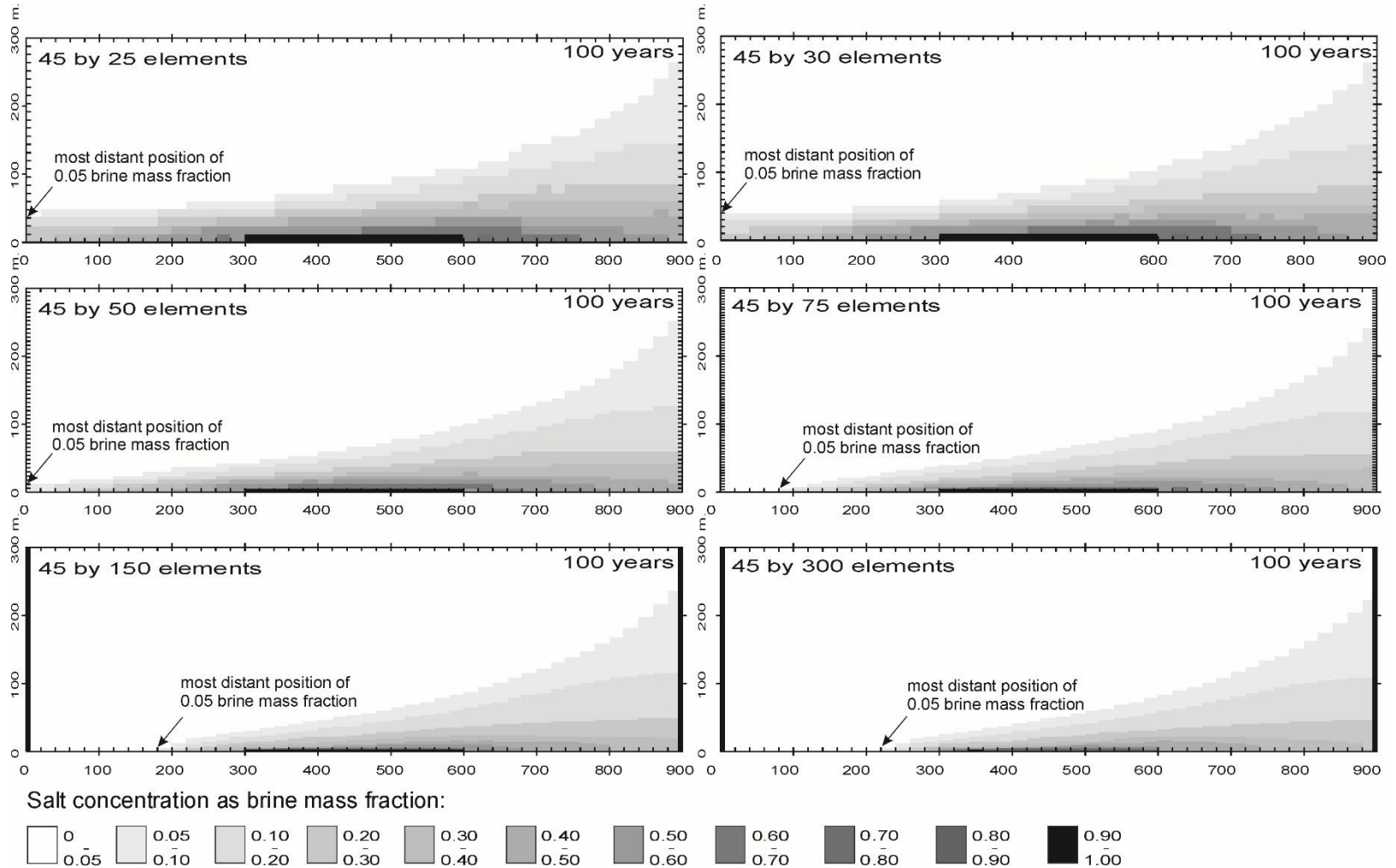


total mass of brine



brine conc at depth=200m

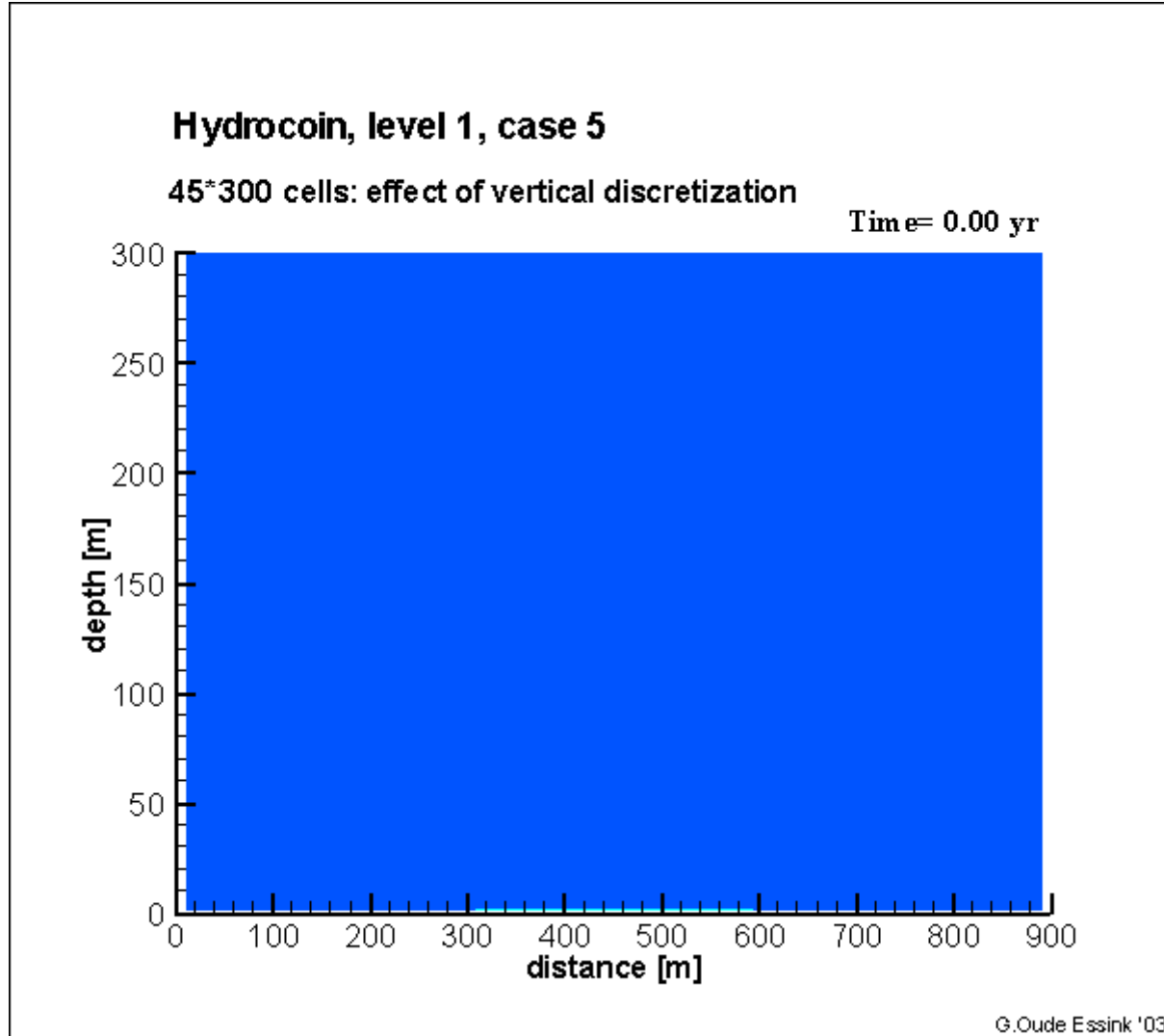
Hydrocoin: effect of vertical grid size



Recirculation type

Hydrocoin: effect of vertical discretization (III)

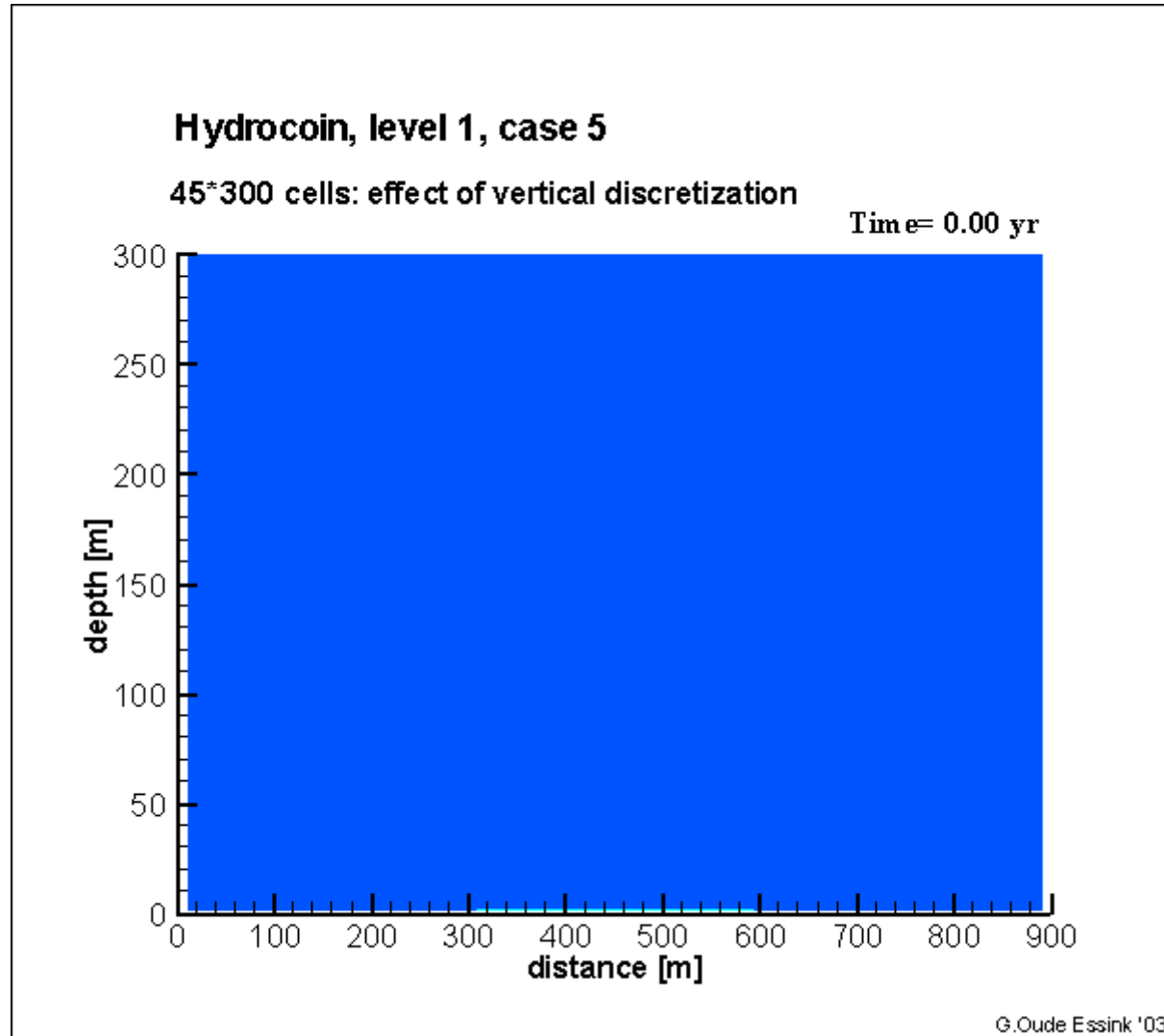
more vertical cells give better solution



like the swept-forward type

Hydrocoin: effect of vertical discretization (III)

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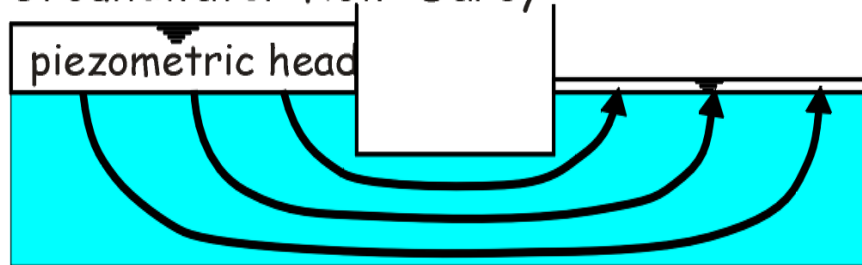


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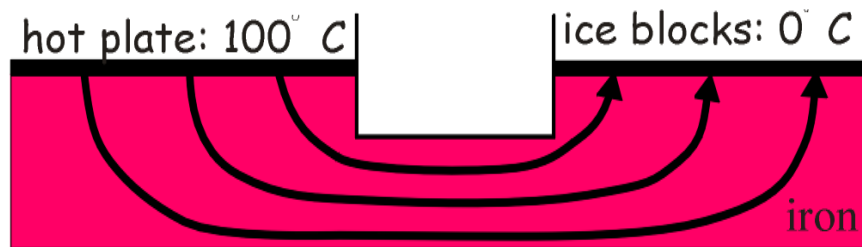
Analogy physical processes

Heat transport (analogy with solute transport)

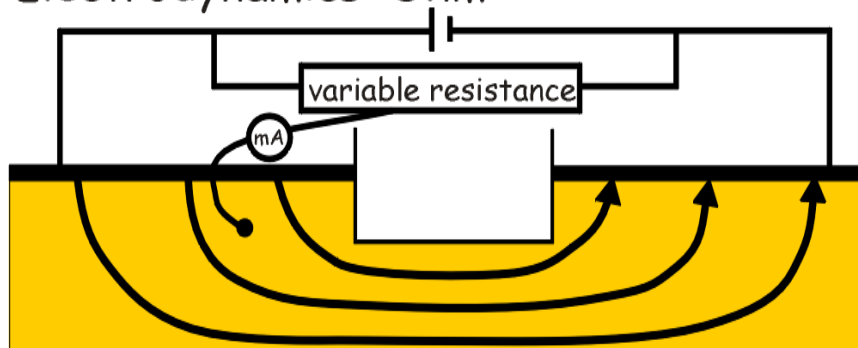
Groundwater flow: Darcy



Heat conduction: Fourier



Electrodynamics: Ohm



$$q = -k \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x}$$

$$h = -\lambda \frac{\partial T}{\partial x}$$

$$i = -\sigma \frac{\partial V}{\partial x}$$

Conduction and convection of heat

$$h = -\lambda_e \frac{\partial T}{\partial x} + n_e \rho c_f VT$$

thermal conductivity [Joule/(ms⁰ C)]

$$\lambda_e = n_e \lambda_{fluid} + (1 - n_e) \lambda_{solid}$$

heat flux conduction (Fourier) convection (fluid flow)

continuity equation

$$-\frac{\partial h}{\partial x} = \rho' c' \frac{\partial T}{\partial t}$$

specific heat capacity [Joule/(kg⁰ C)]

$$\rho' c' = n_e \rho c_{fluid} + (1 - n_e) \rho_{solid} c_{solid}$$

Analogy solute and heat transport

Solute: advection-dispersion equation

$$\frac{\partial C}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} \left(D_{ij} \frac{\partial C}{\partial x_j} \right) - \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} (C V_i) + \frac{(C - C') W}{n_e}$$

Heat: convection-conduction equation

$$\rho' c' \frac{\partial T}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} \left(\Lambda_{ij} \frac{\partial T}{\partial x_j} \right) - \rho c_f \frac{\partial T}{\partial x_i} q_i + \Gamma$$

Analogy heat and solute transport

Heat transport

Convection-conduction equation

$$\rho'c'\frac{\partial T}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} \left(\Lambda_{ij} \frac{\partial T}{\partial x_j} \right) - \rho c_f \frac{\partial T q_i}{\partial x_i} + \Gamma$$

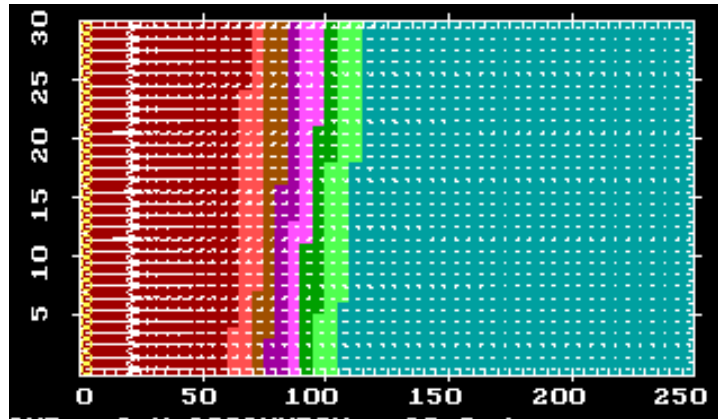
Equation of state: relation density & temperature

$$\rho_{i,j,k} = \rho_f (1 - \alpha_f T_{i,j,k})$$

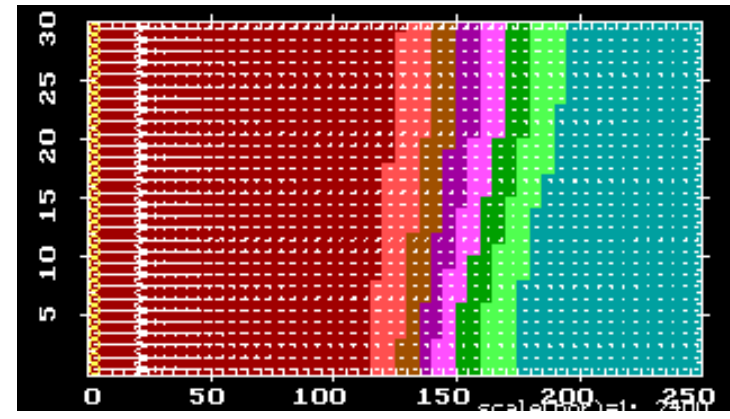
Analogy between solute and heat transport

Solute	Heat
C	T
R_d	$1 + \frac{(1 - n_e) \rho_s c_s}{n_e \rho c_f}$
D_m	$\frac{n_e \lambda_e + (1 - n_e) \lambda_s}{n_e \rho c_f}$
λ	0

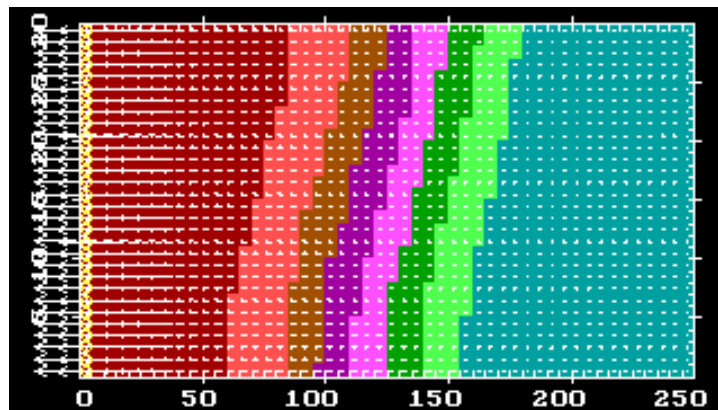
Energy storage in geothermal reservoirs



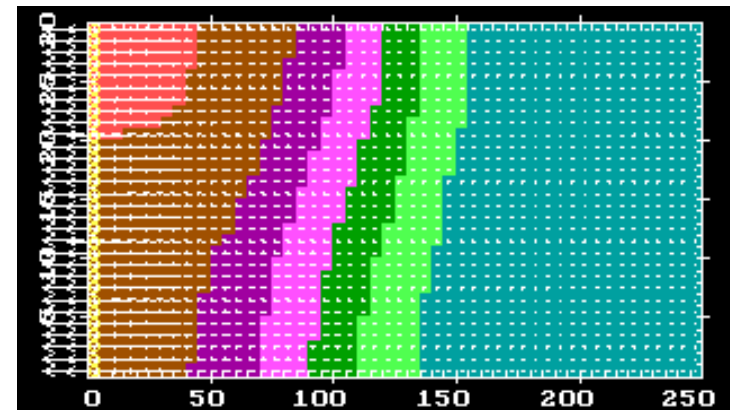
t=30 days



t=90 days



t=150 days



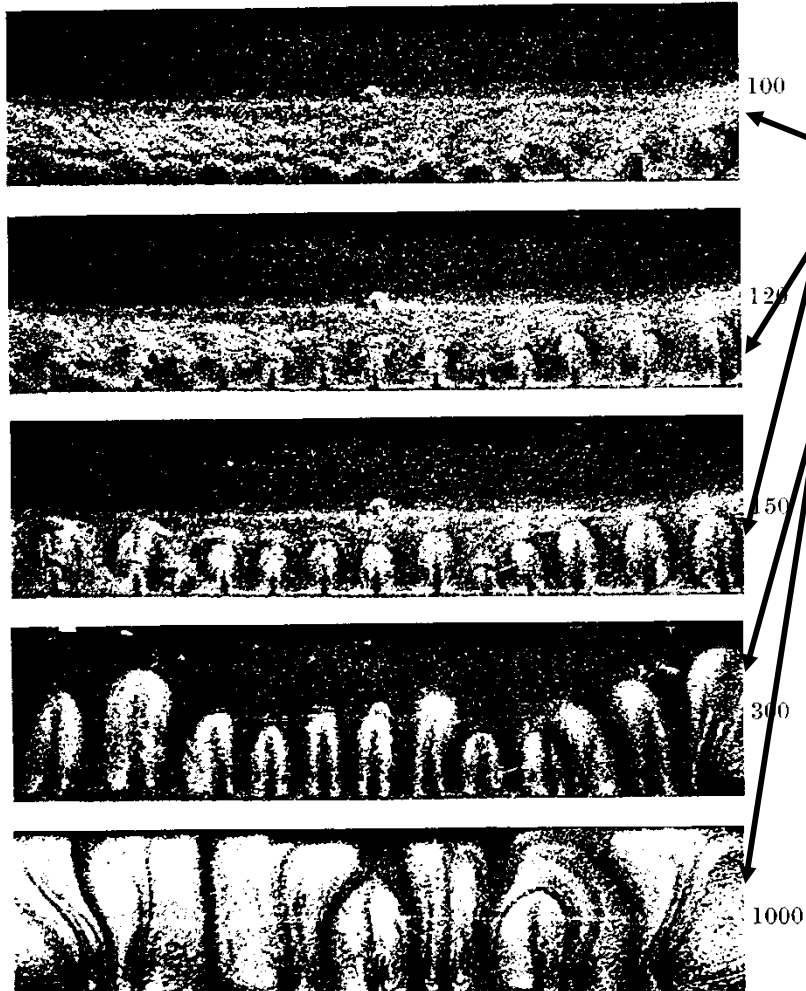
t=210 days

Temperature (degrees Celcius):



Elder problem (I)

It is originally a heat transport problem



Phases:

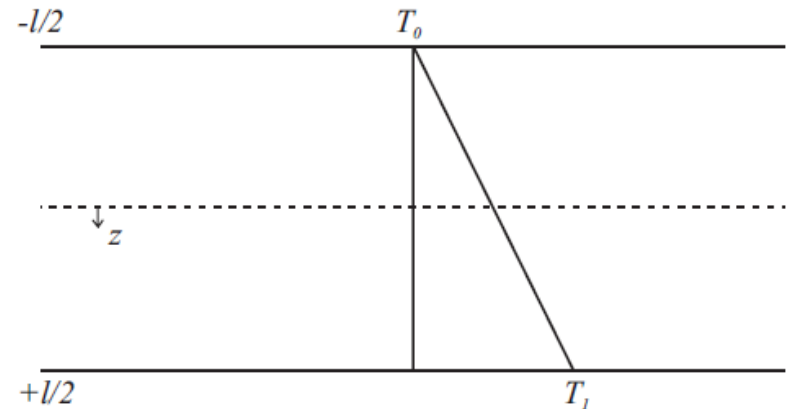
1. Stable growth diffusive boundary layer
2. Development flow cells embedded in boundary layer
3. Emergence of disturbances that grow into fingers

Convection of heat occurs when:

$$\text{Rayleigh number} > 4\pi^2$$

Stability criteria

$$Ra = \frac{\rho_0 \alpha_f g \kappa (T_1 - T_0) l}{\mu \kappa_e} > 4\pi^2$$



Darcy equations:

$$q_x = -\frac{\kappa}{\mu} \frac{\partial p}{\partial x}$$

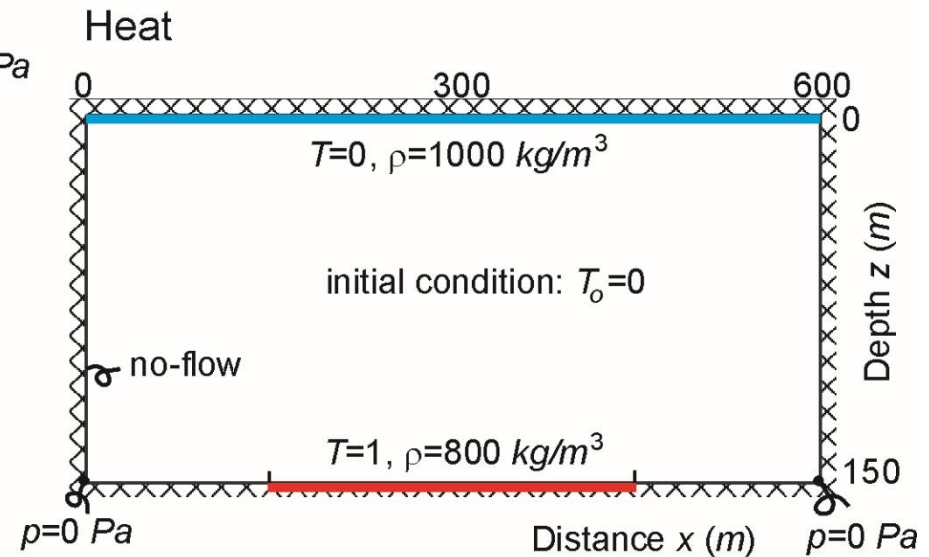
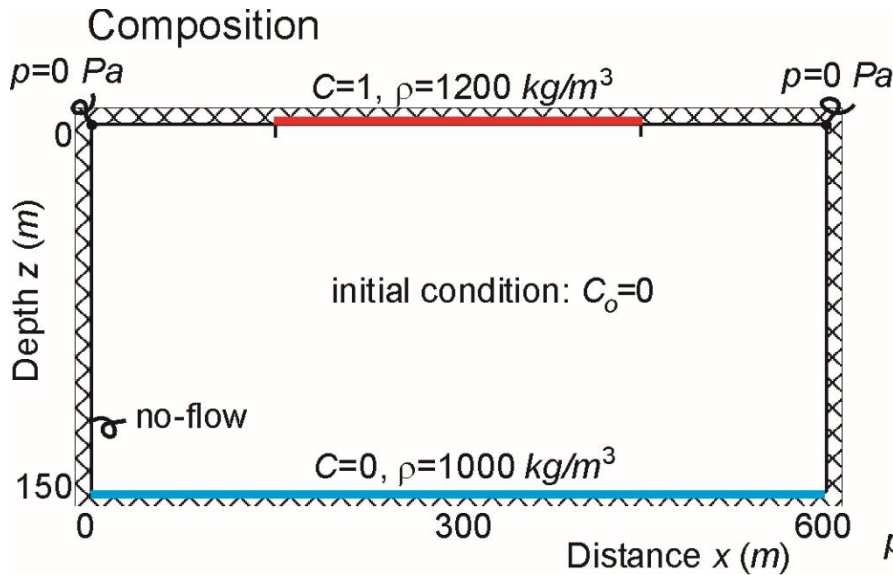
$$q_z = -\frac{\kappa}{\mu} \left(\frac{\partial p}{\partial z} - \rho g \right)$$

$$\rho = \rho_0 [1 - \alpha_f (T - T')]]$$

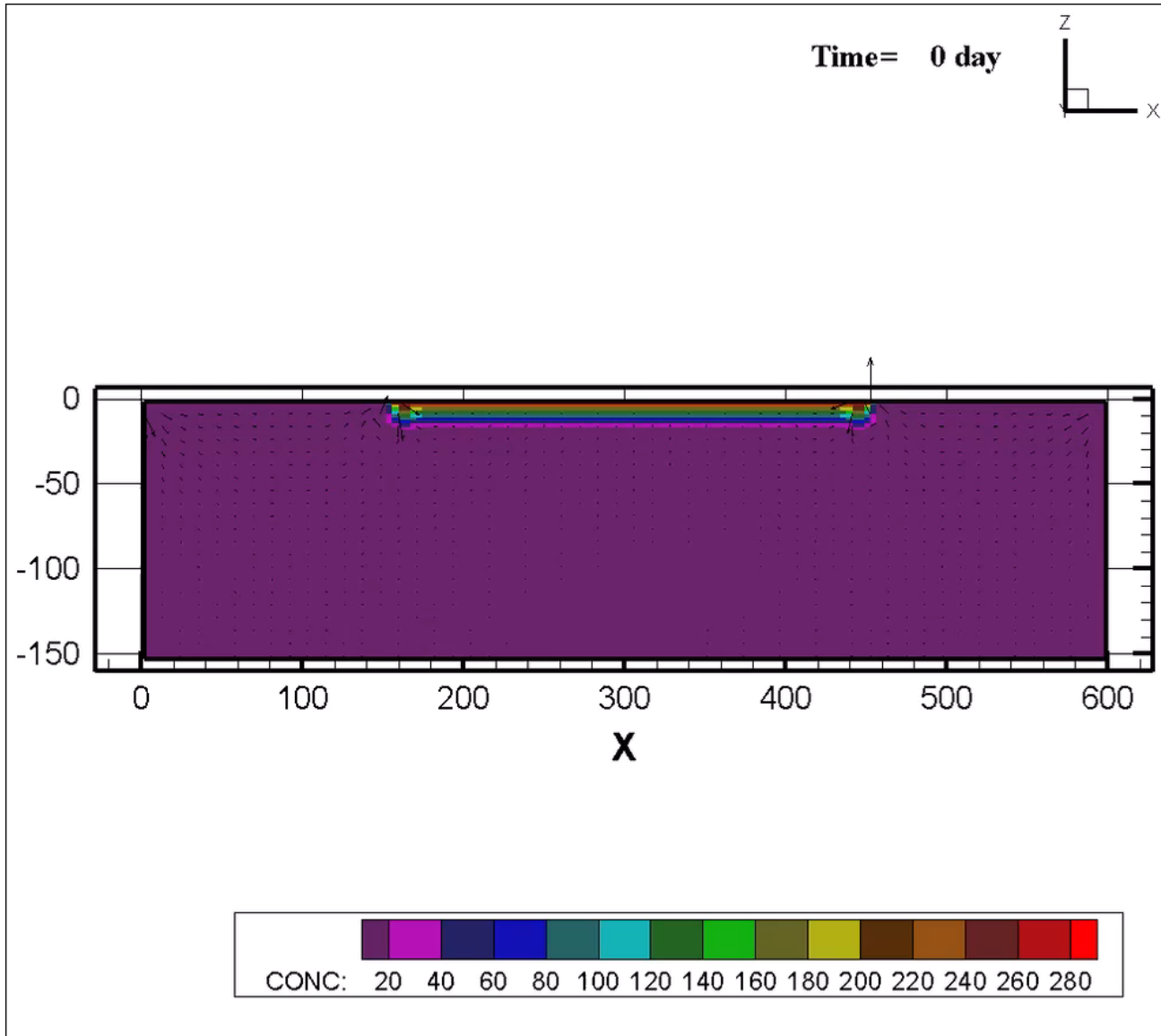
$$\frac{\lambda_e}{\rho c_f} = \kappa_e \quad (= \text{thermal diffusivity } M L^{-2})$$

Elder problem (II)

Analogy composition and heat

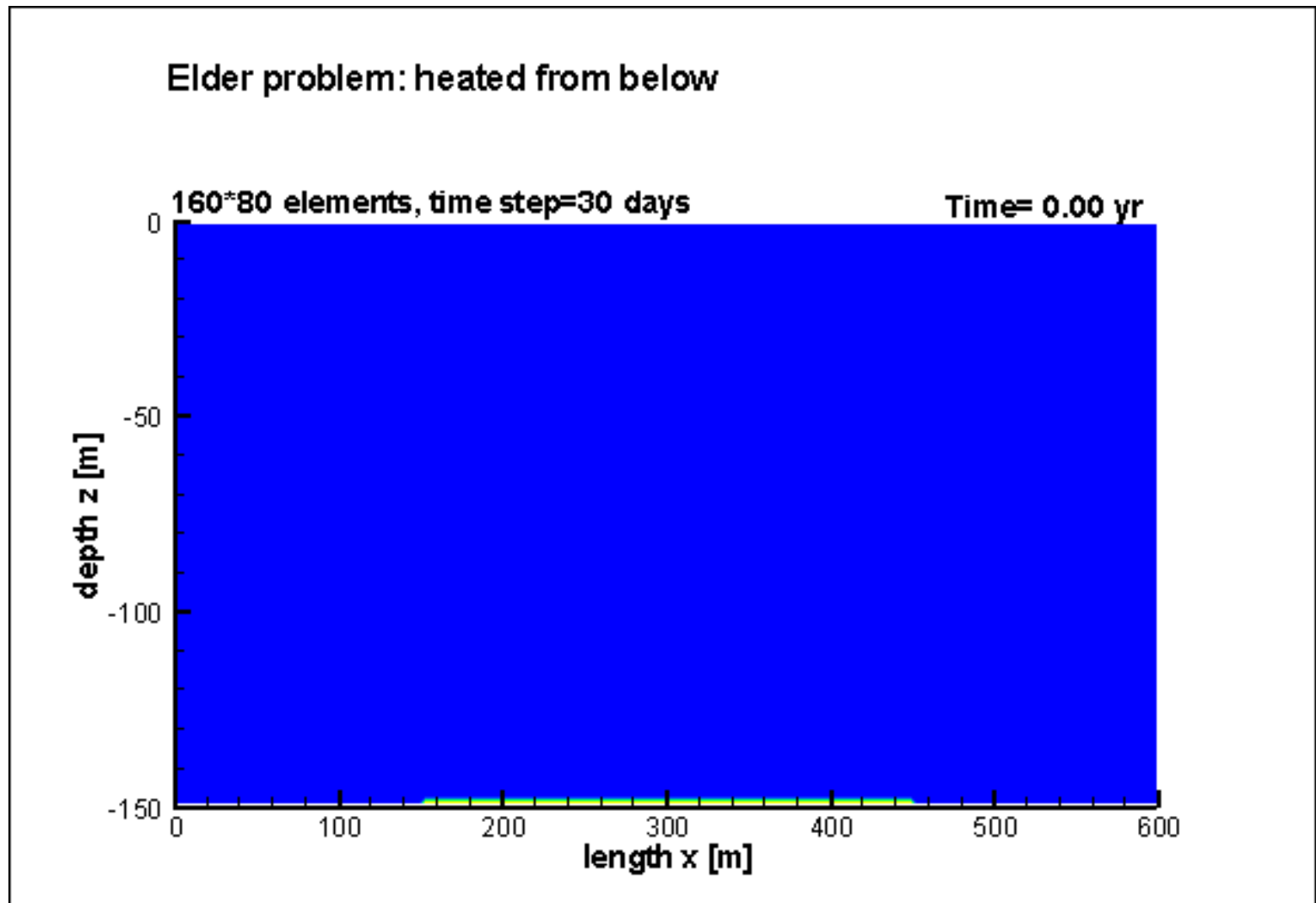


Case Elder, salt-fresh



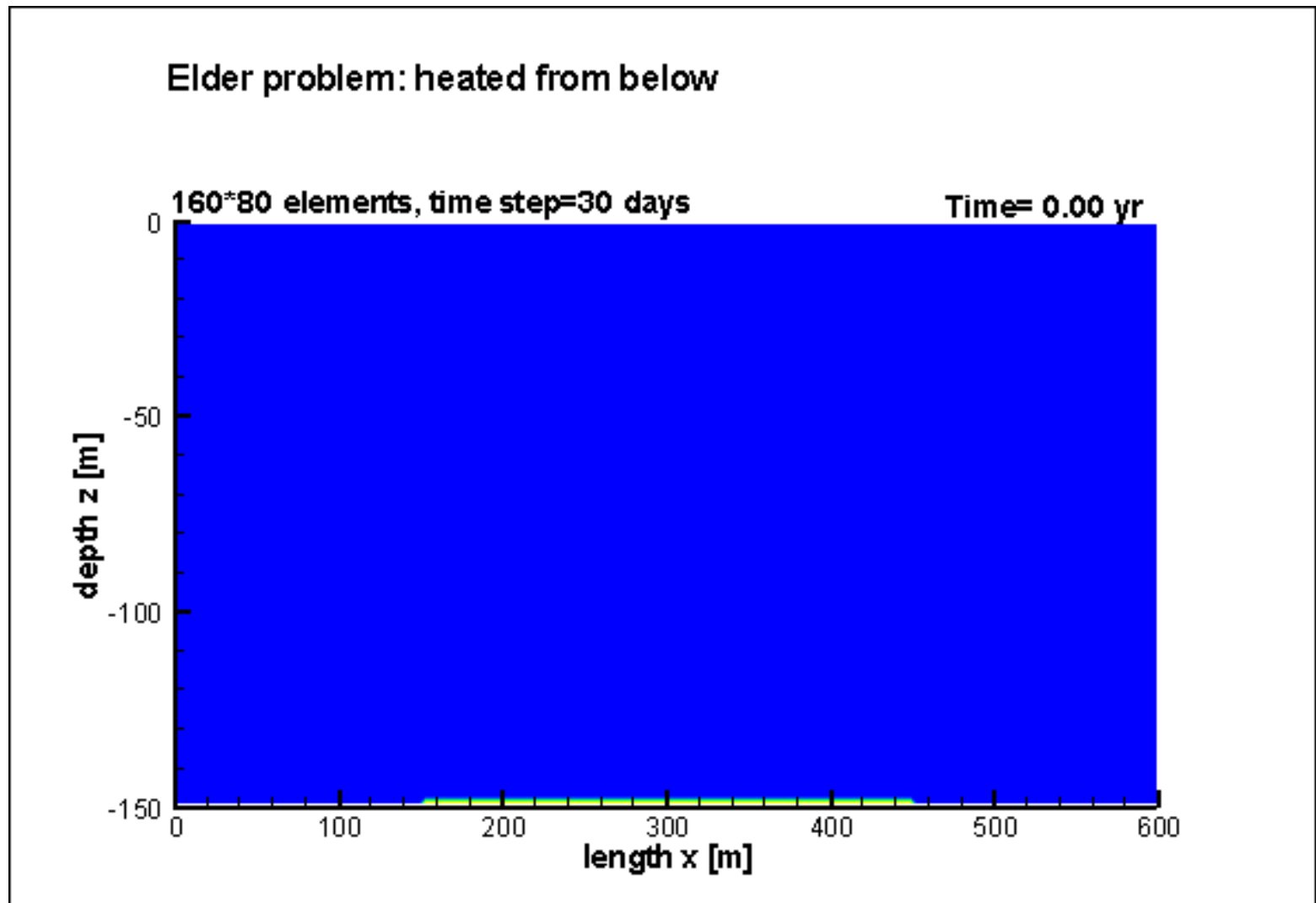
Elder problem (III)

Development of convection cells (Rayleigh number=400)

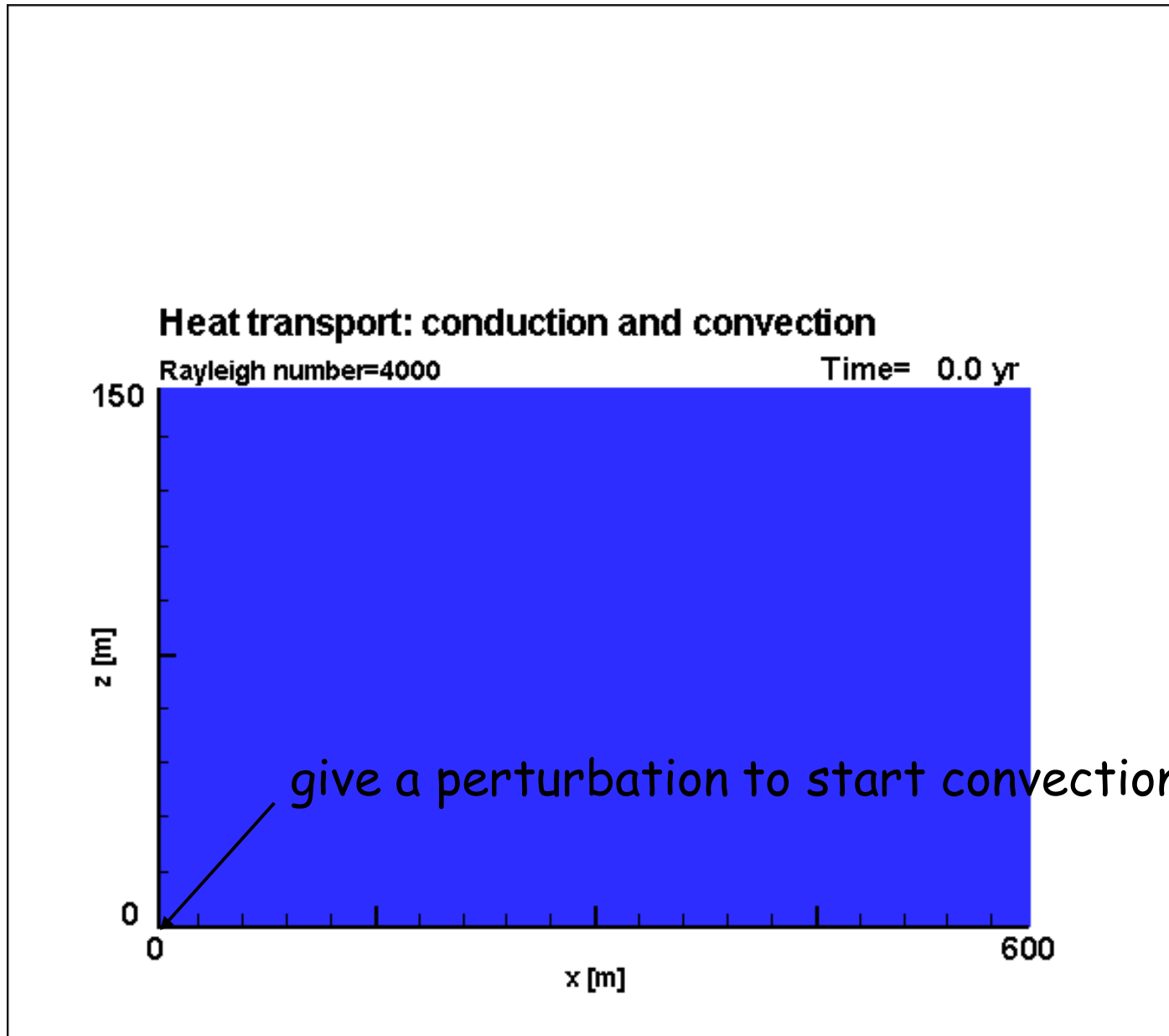


Elder problem (III)

Development of convection cells (Rayleigh number=400)



Heat transport (Rayleigh number=4000)



Impact of the 26-12-04 Tsunami on groundwater systems



Sri Lanka
Some days after December 26th, 2004



Impact of the 26-12-04 Tsunami on groundwater systems

Impression of relevant salinisation processes by conceptual models of salt water intrusion in coastal aquifers:

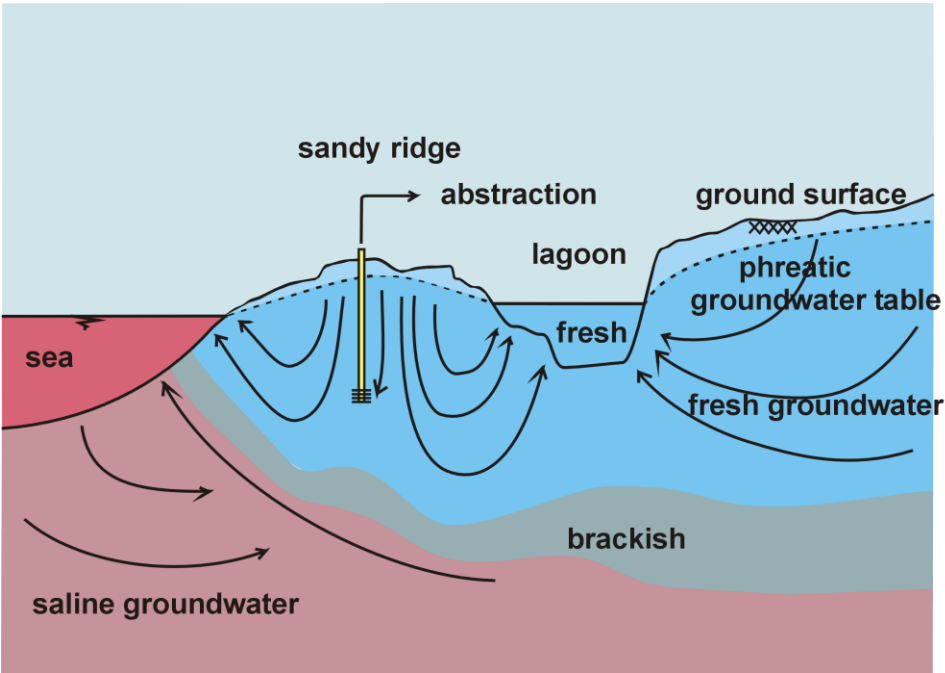
1. Fingering processes in the subsoil
2. Evolution of a freshwater lens after flooding by sea water
3. Freshwater lens in a coastal aquifer with a brackish lagoon

Next step:

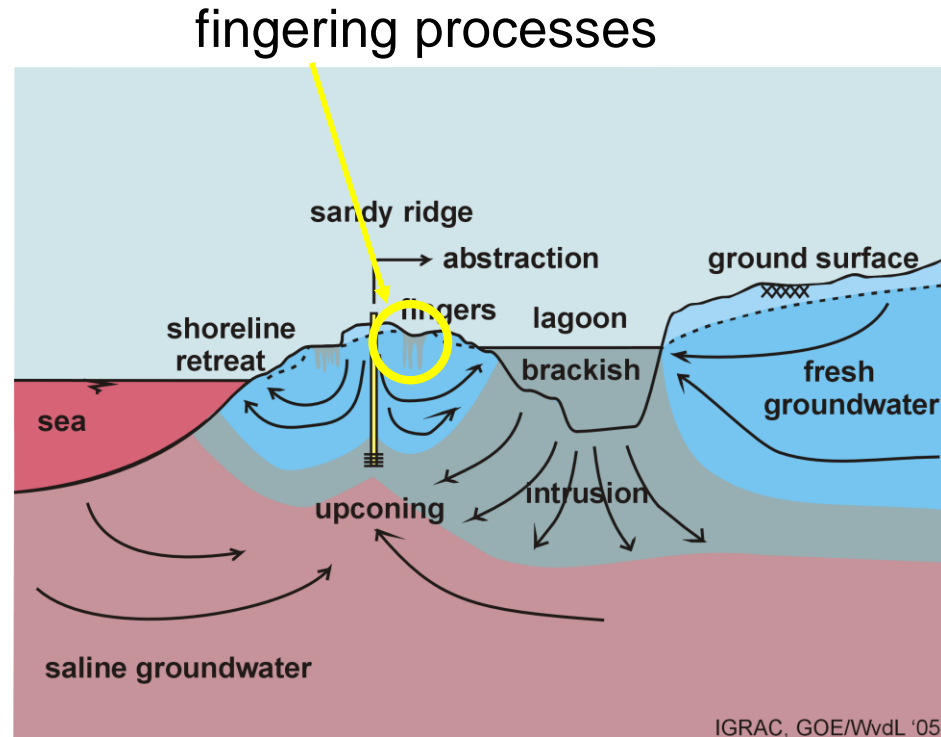
quantifying processes in real situations, using topographic and hydrogeological data, and ending up with vulnerability maps

Concept 1: Fingering processes in the subsoil

Case Sri Lanka: lagoon setting

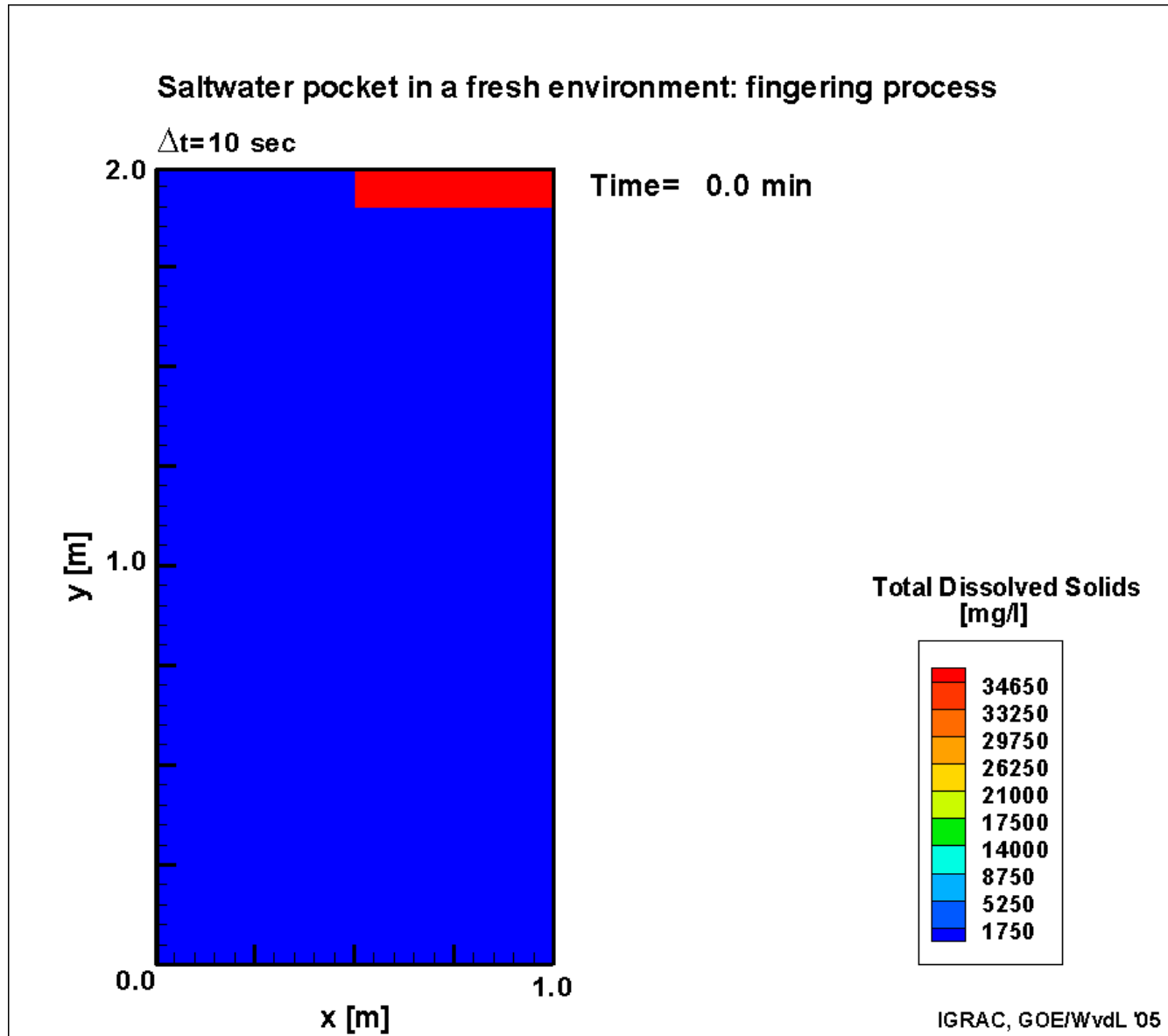


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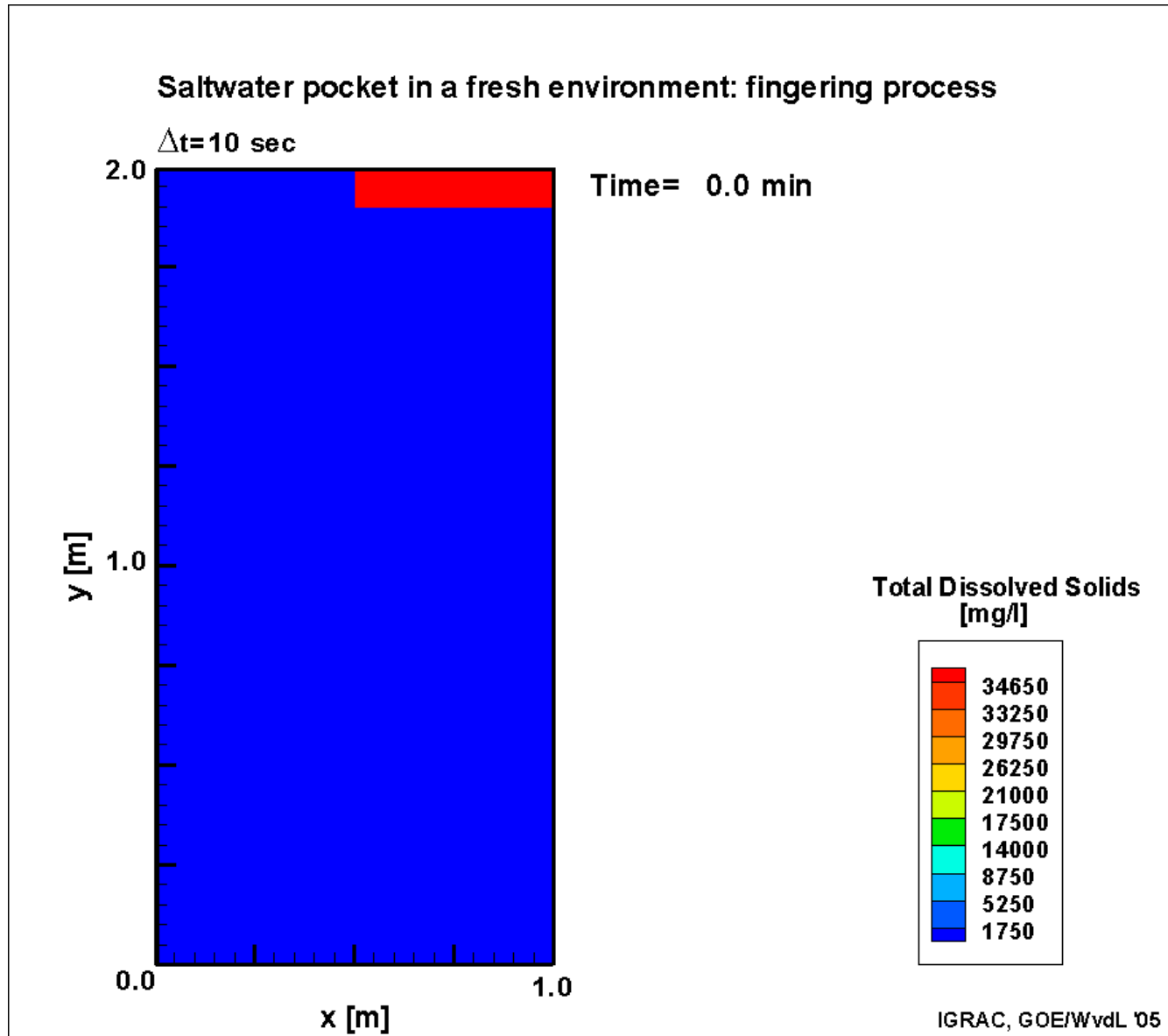


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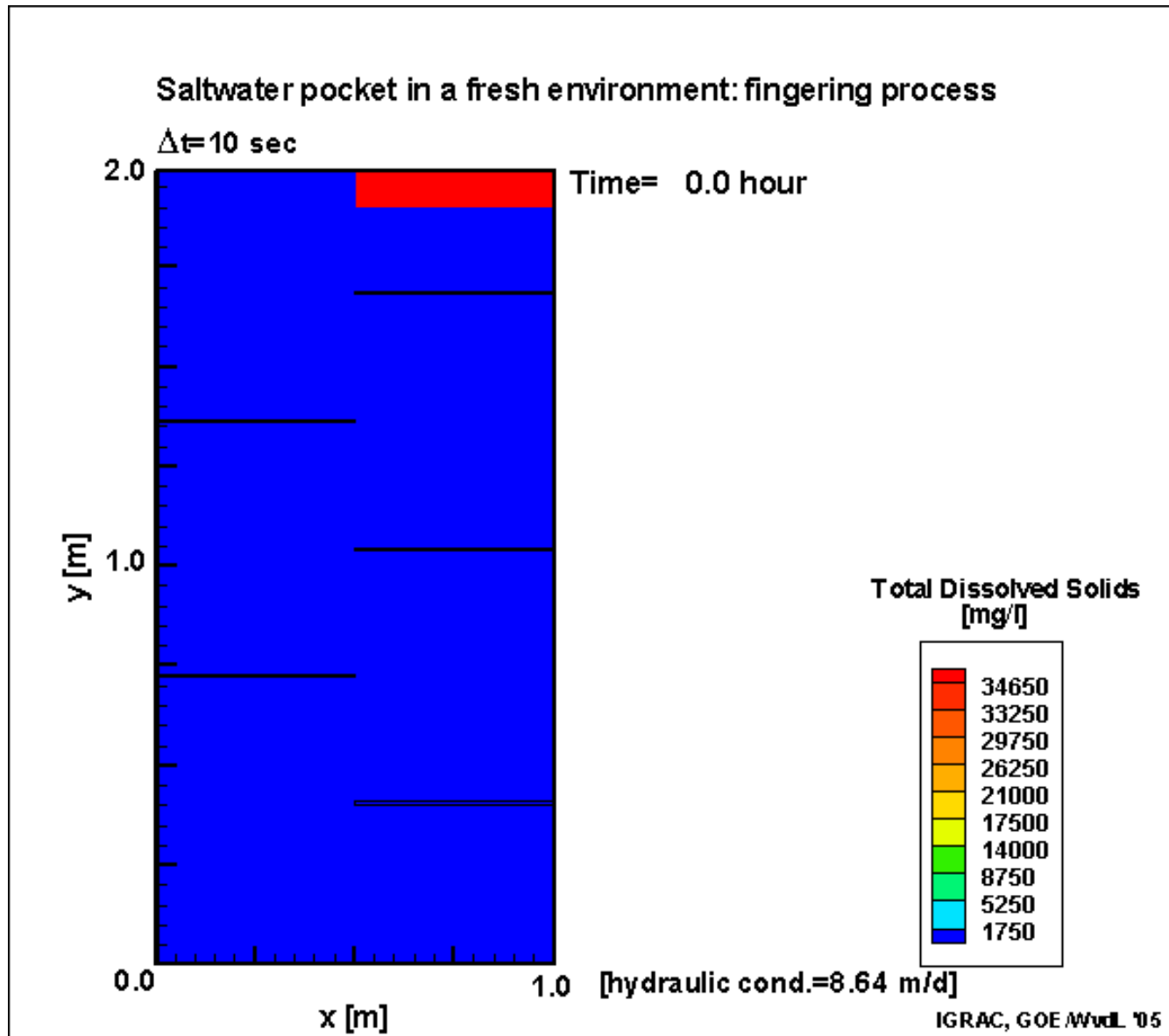
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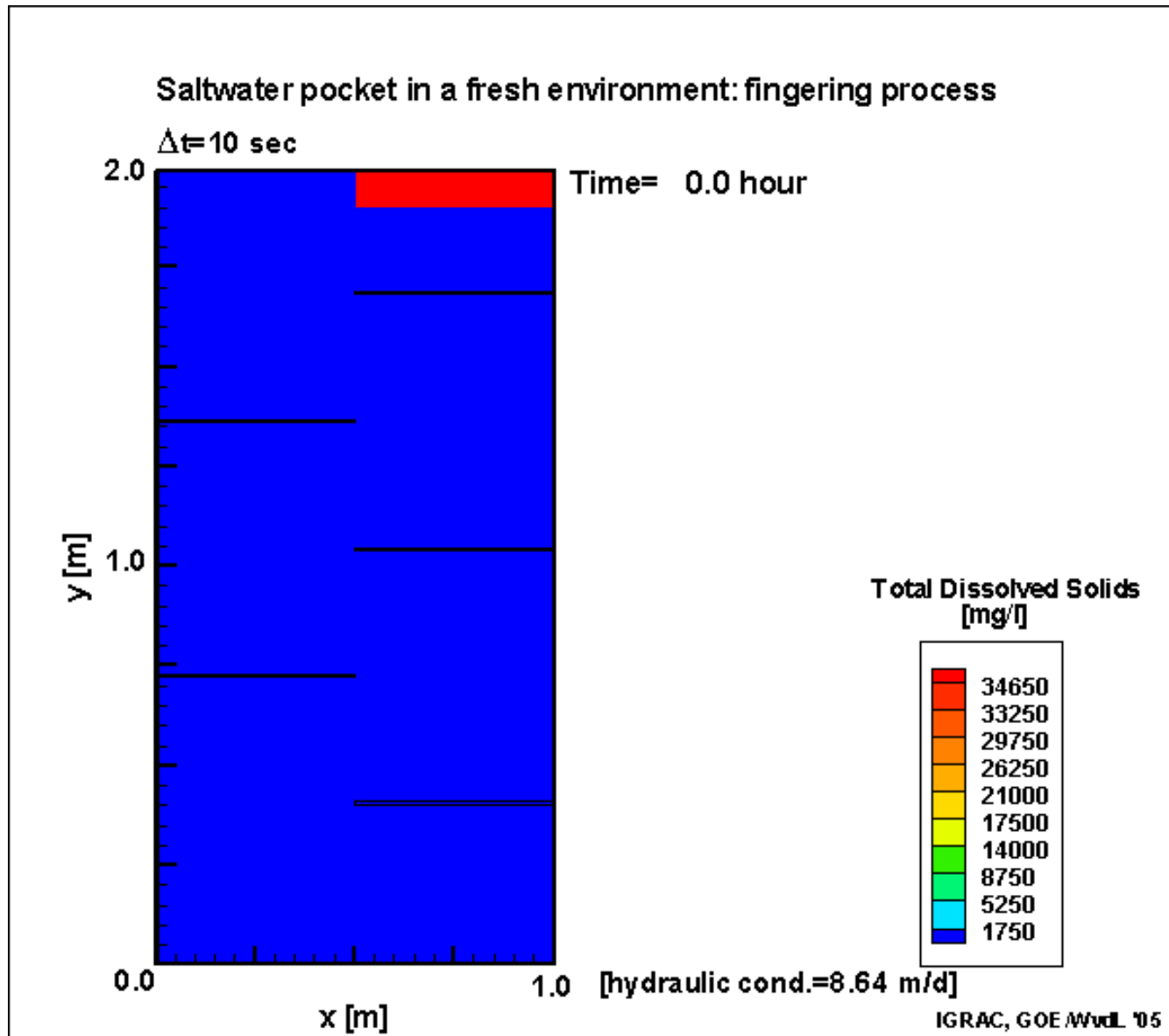
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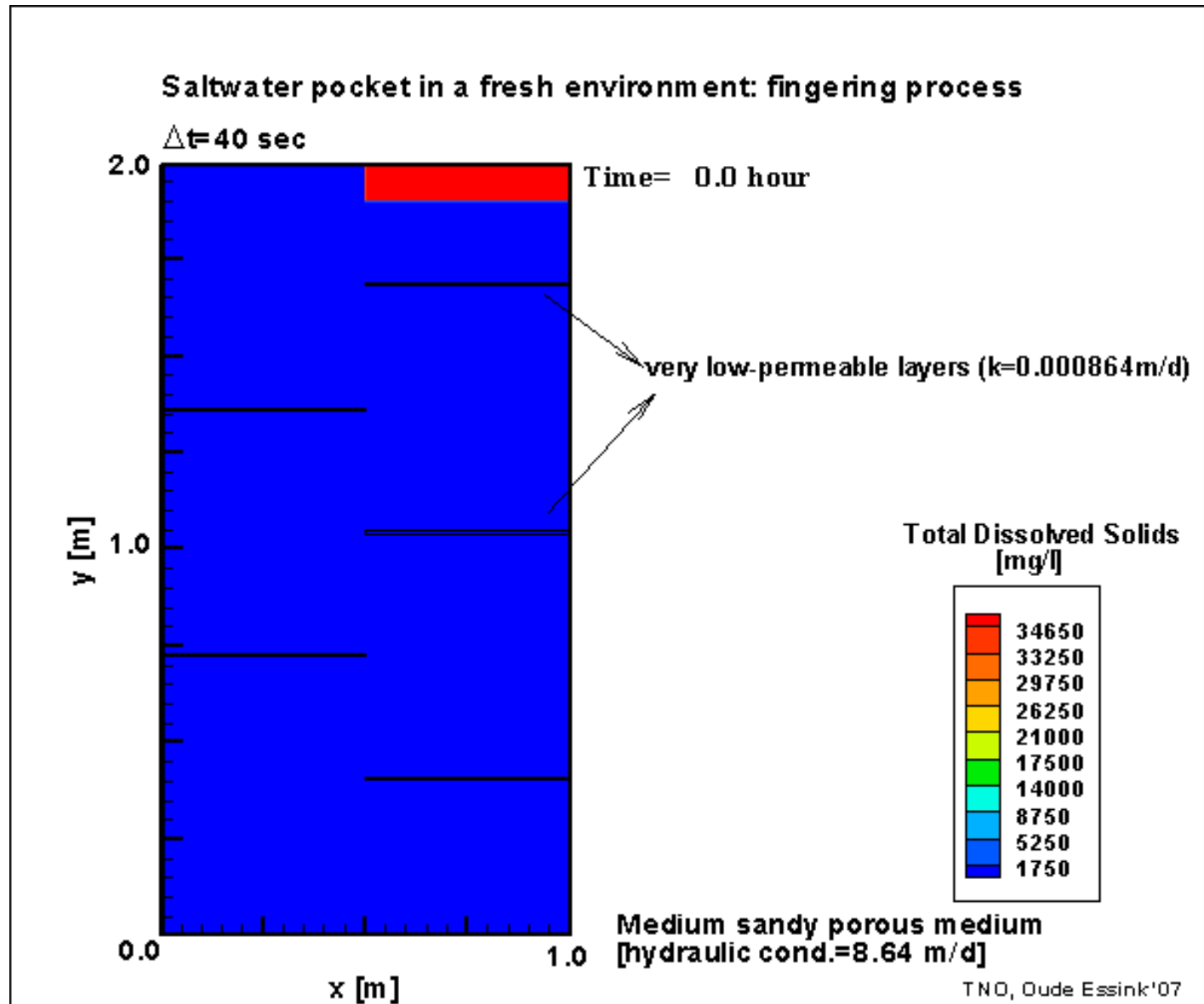
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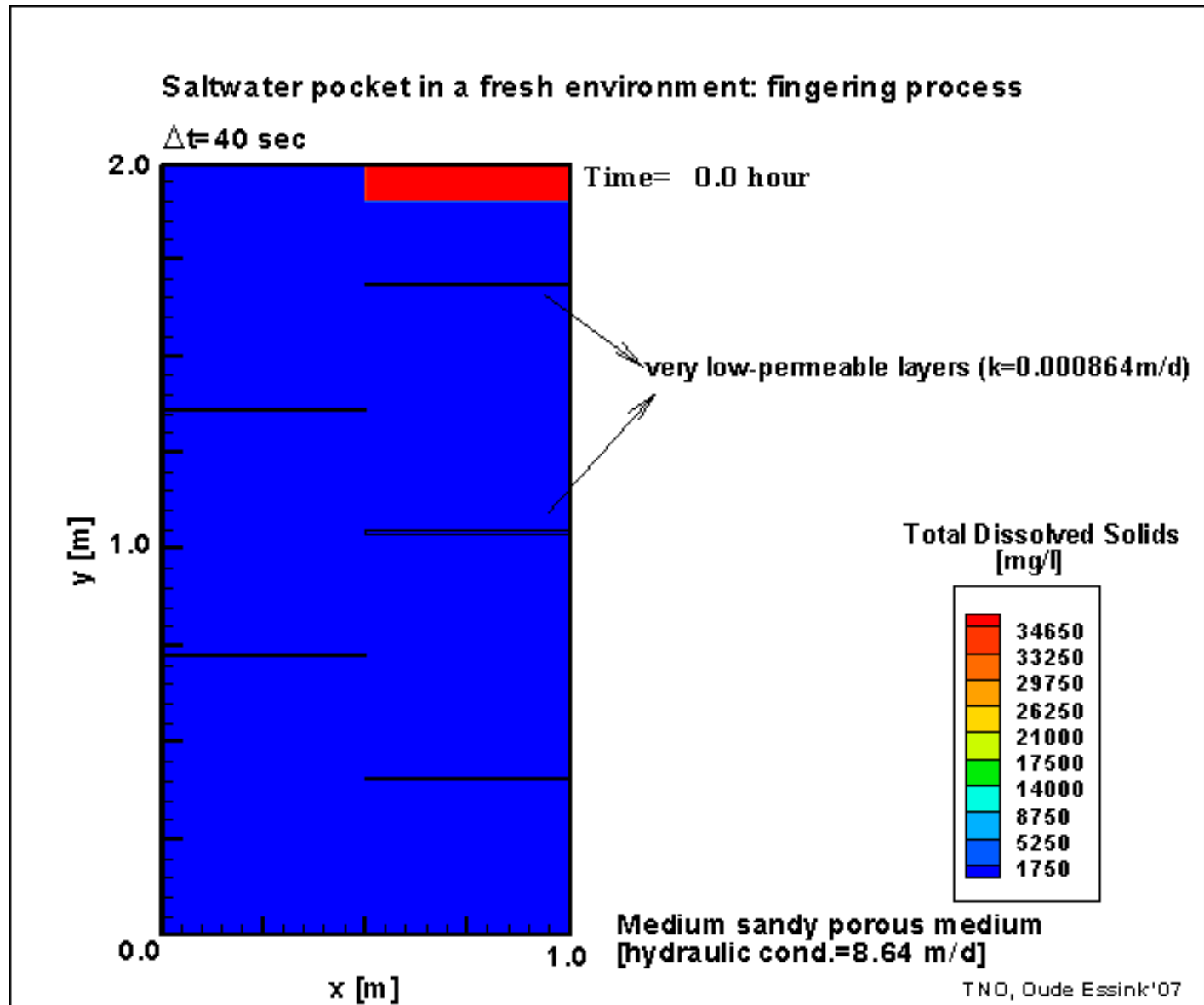
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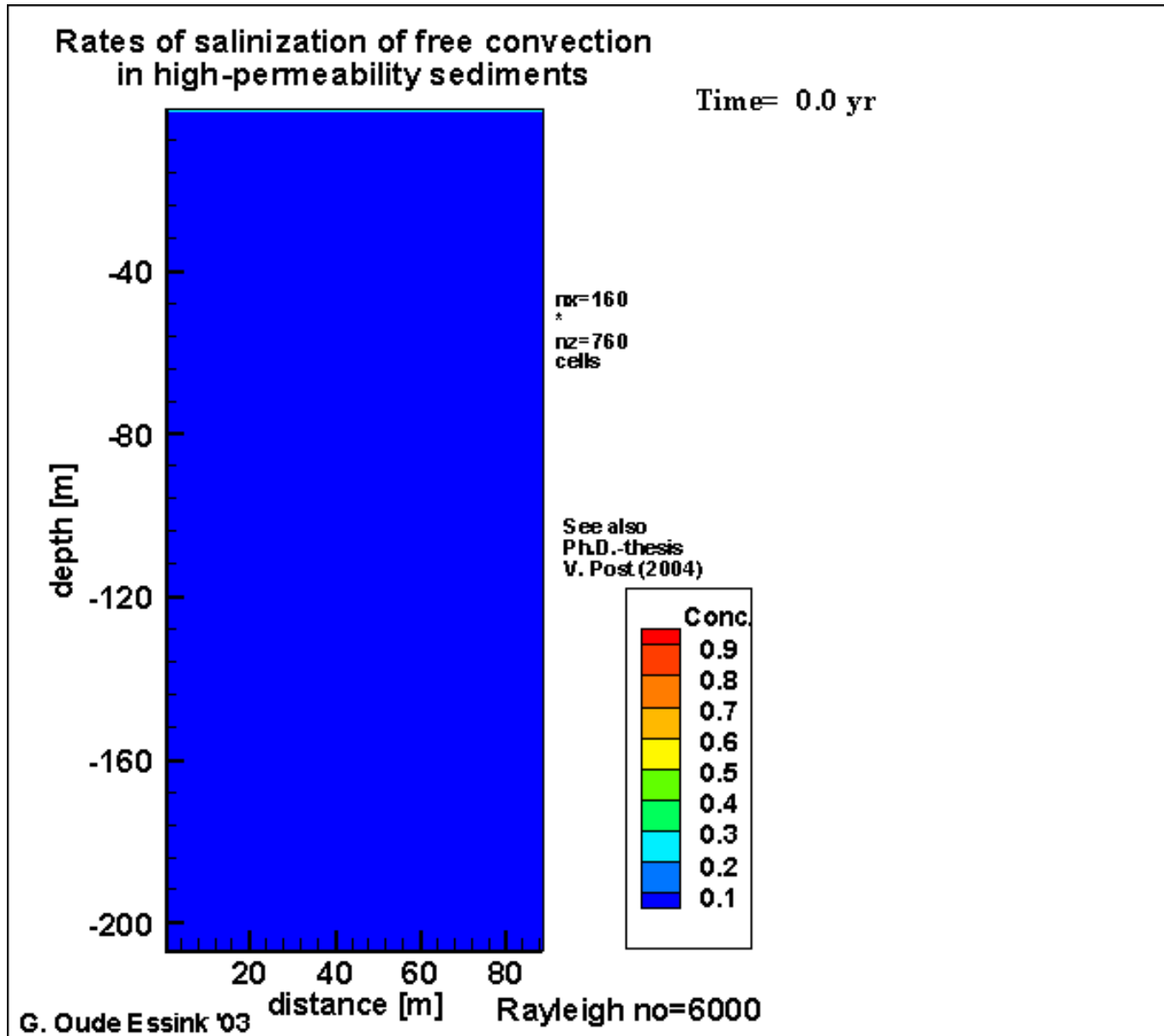
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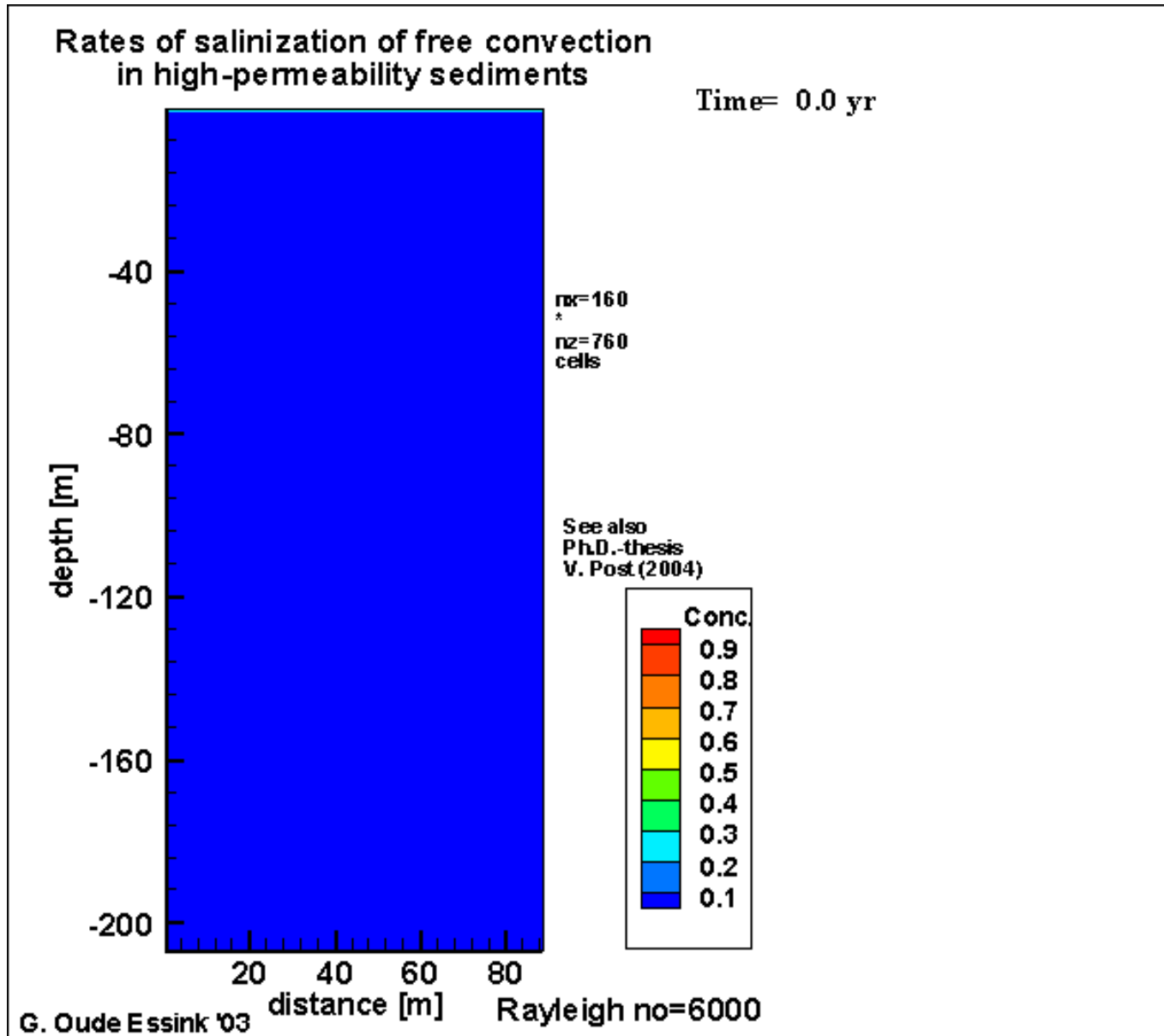
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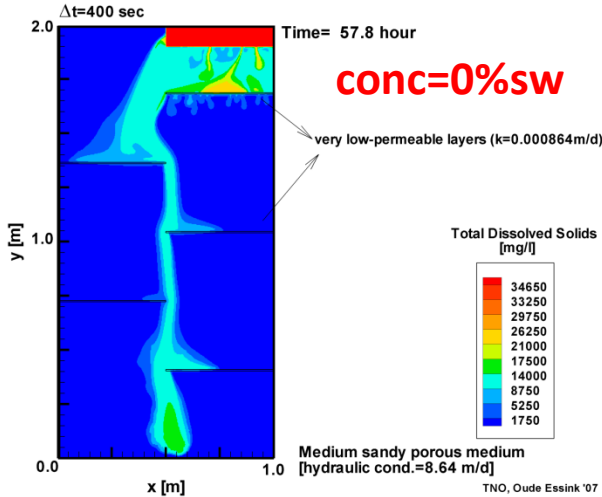


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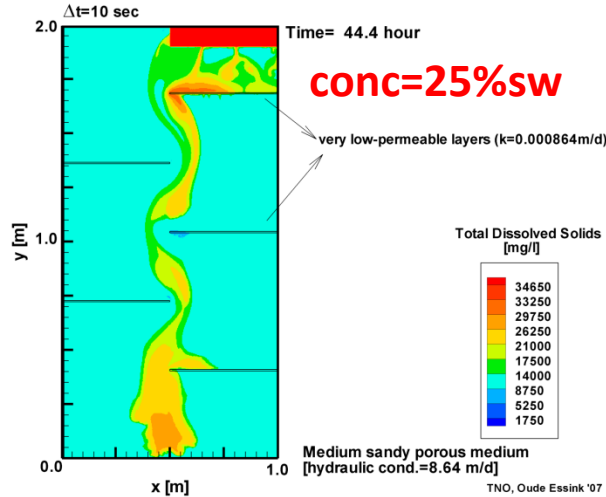


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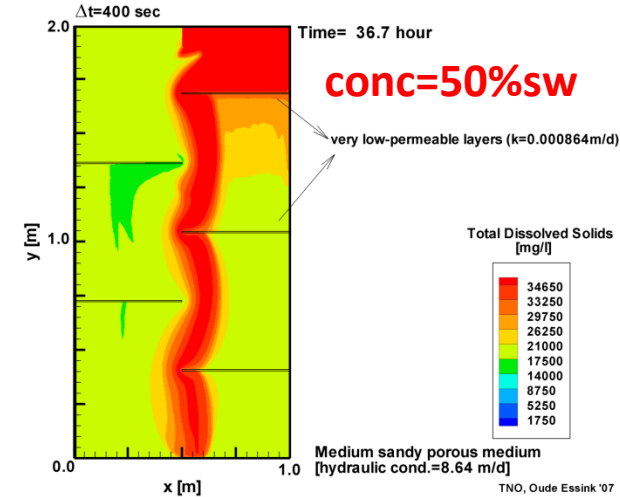
Saltwater pocket in a fresh environment: fingering process



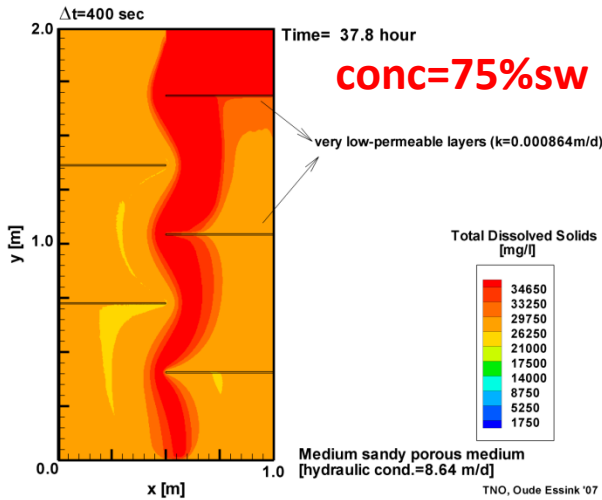
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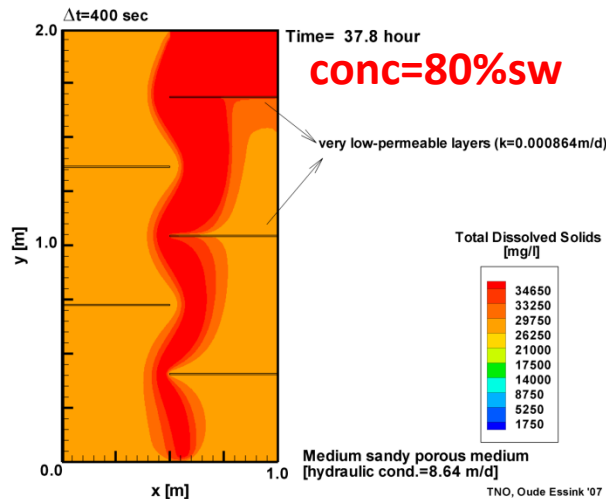
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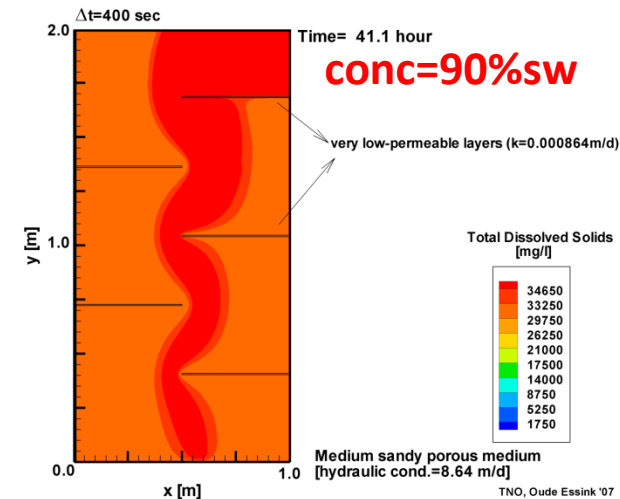
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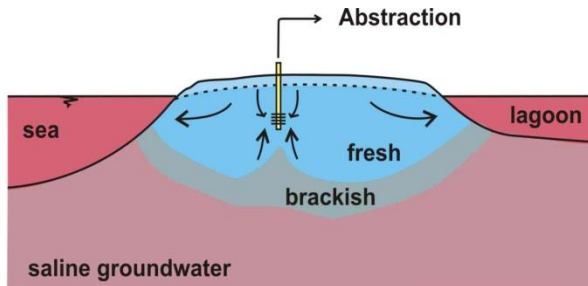
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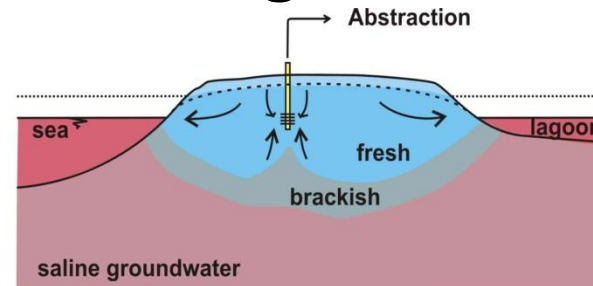
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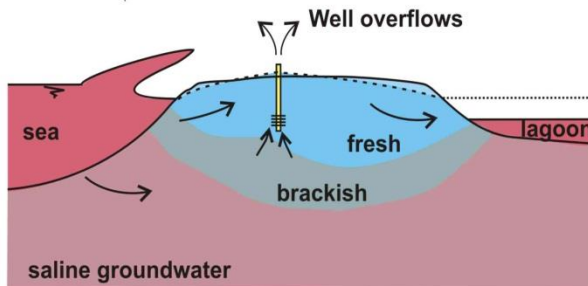
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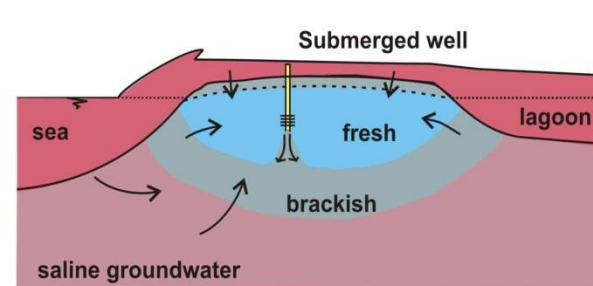
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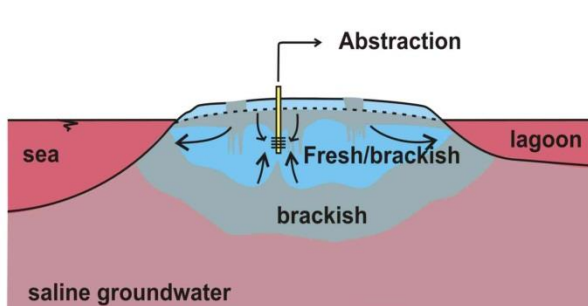
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Lowering of sea- and lagoonwater level



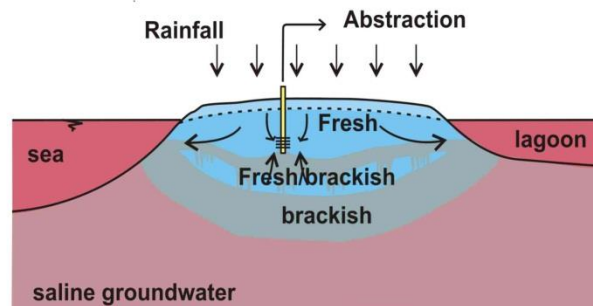
3. Just before the Tsunami:
Subsurface pressure wave precedes surface wave



4. During the Tsunami: Flooding of island,
mixing of water due to sudden pressure changes

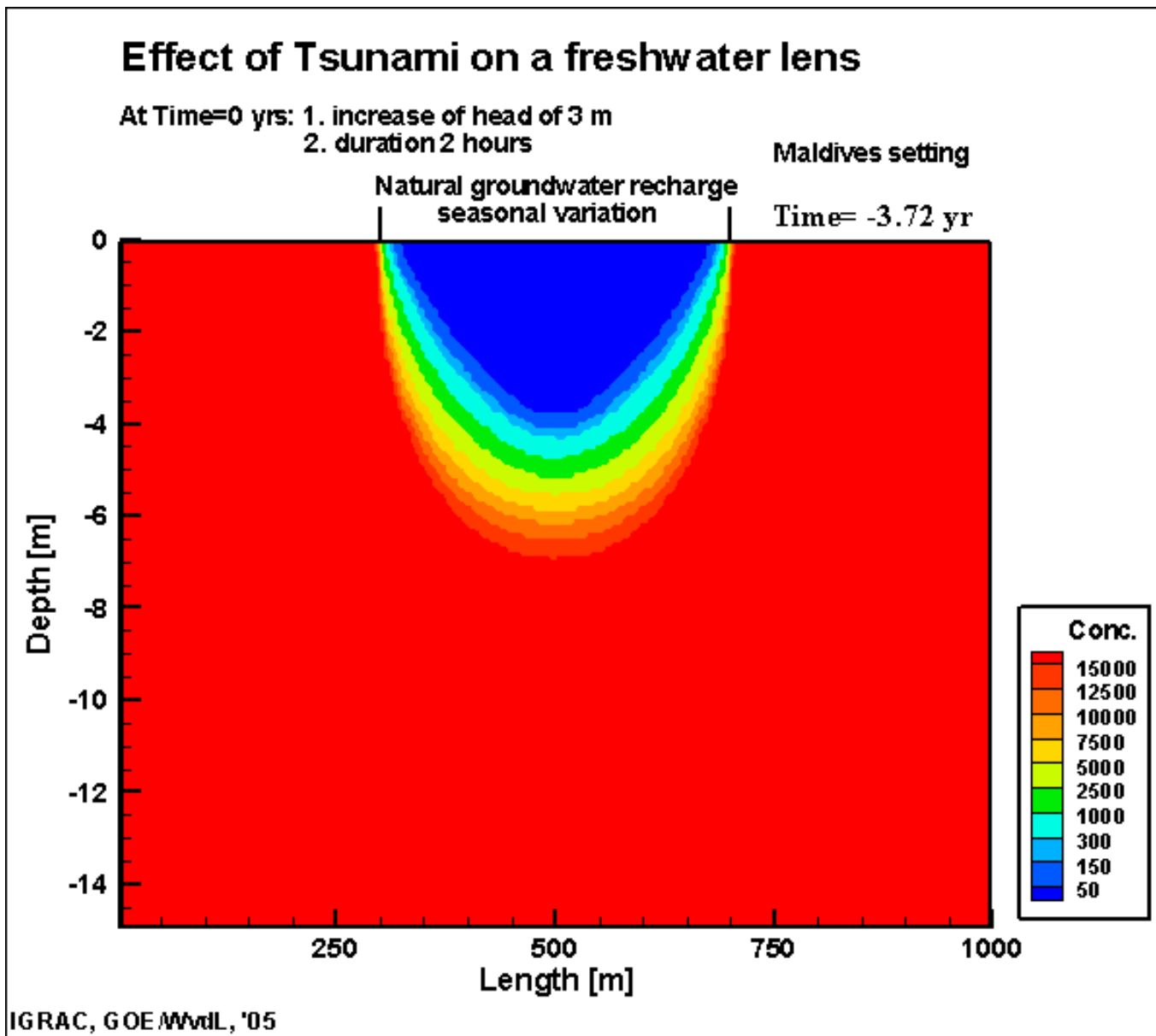


5. After the Tsunami
Freshwater mixed with brackish water

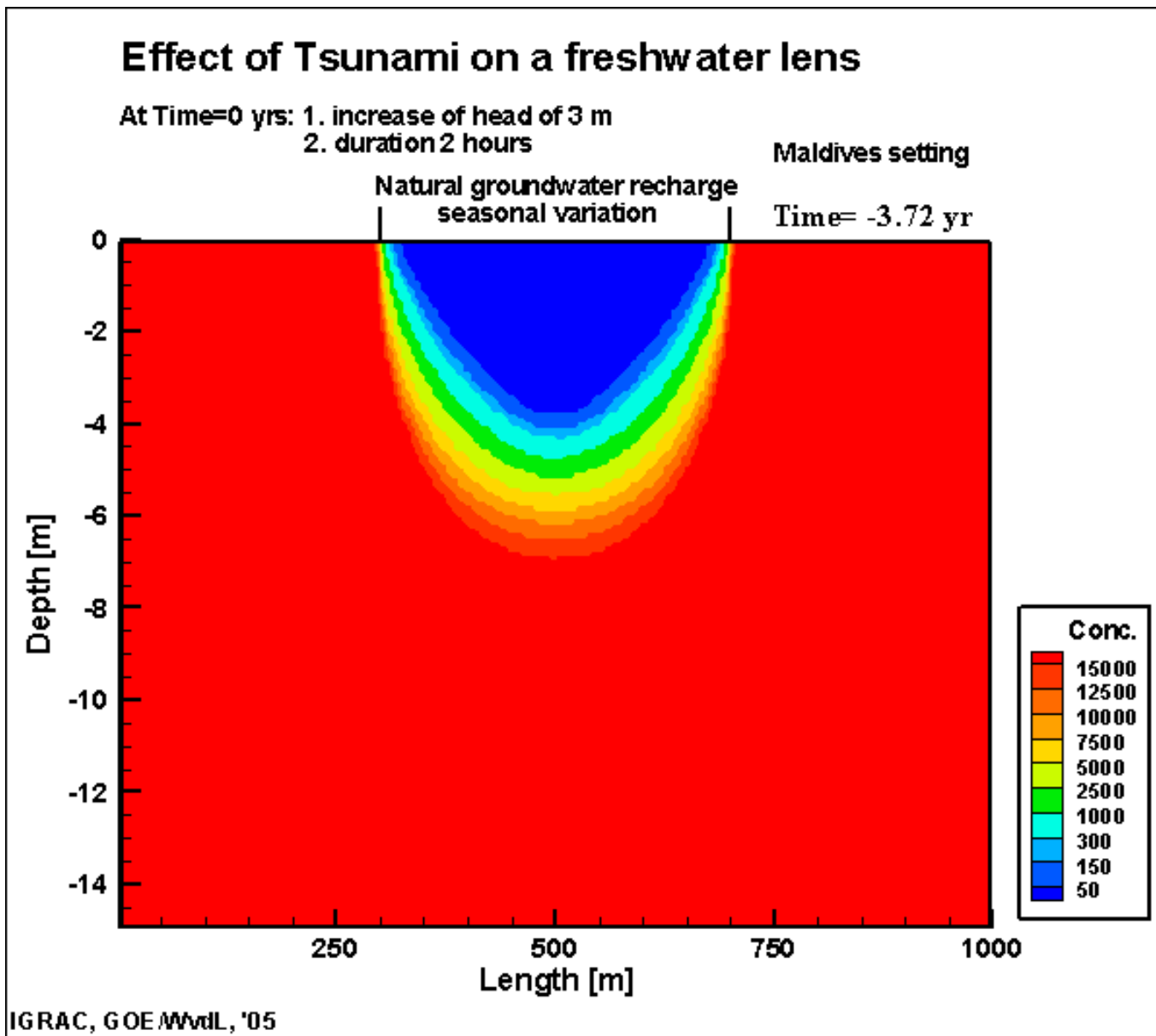


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Recharge by rainfall replaces brackish water

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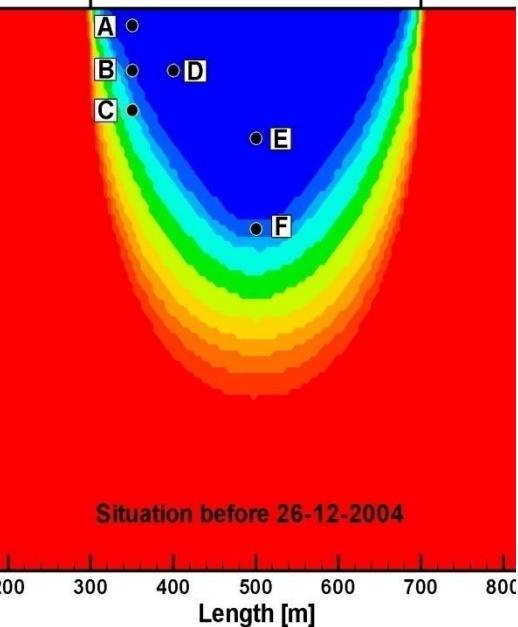
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Impact of Tsunami on a freshwater lens

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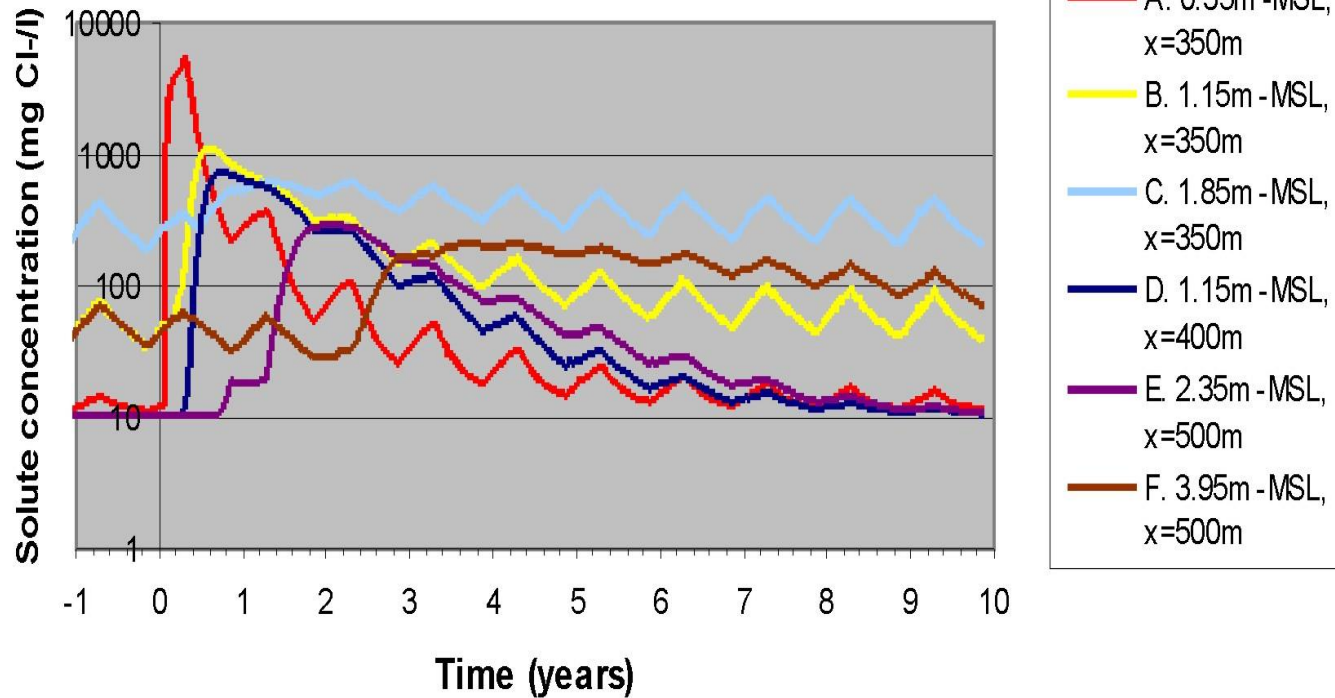
Natural groundwater recharge
seasonal variation



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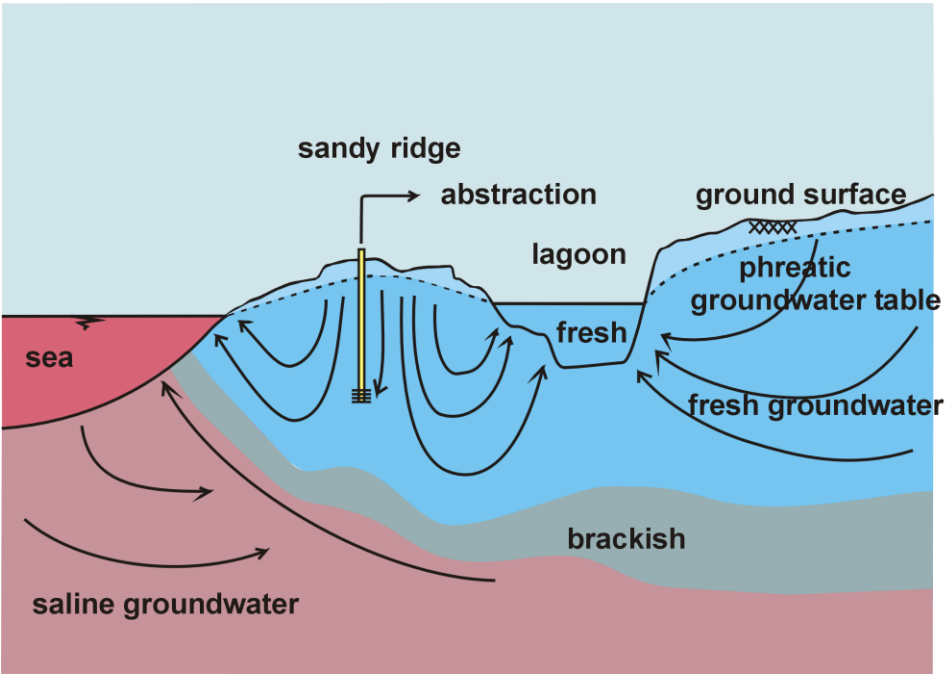
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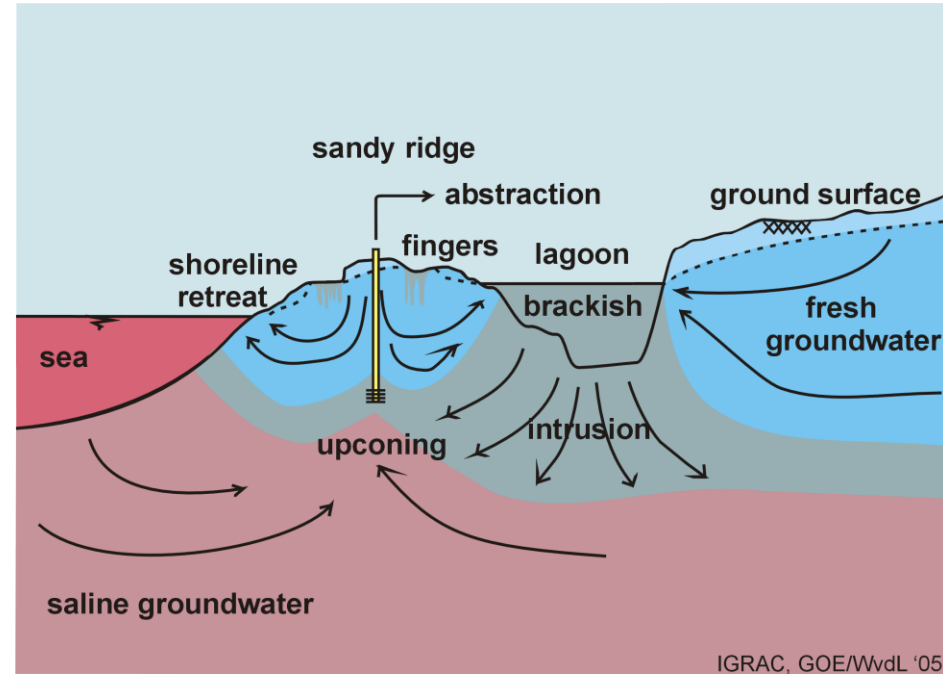


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Case Sri Lanka: lagoon setting

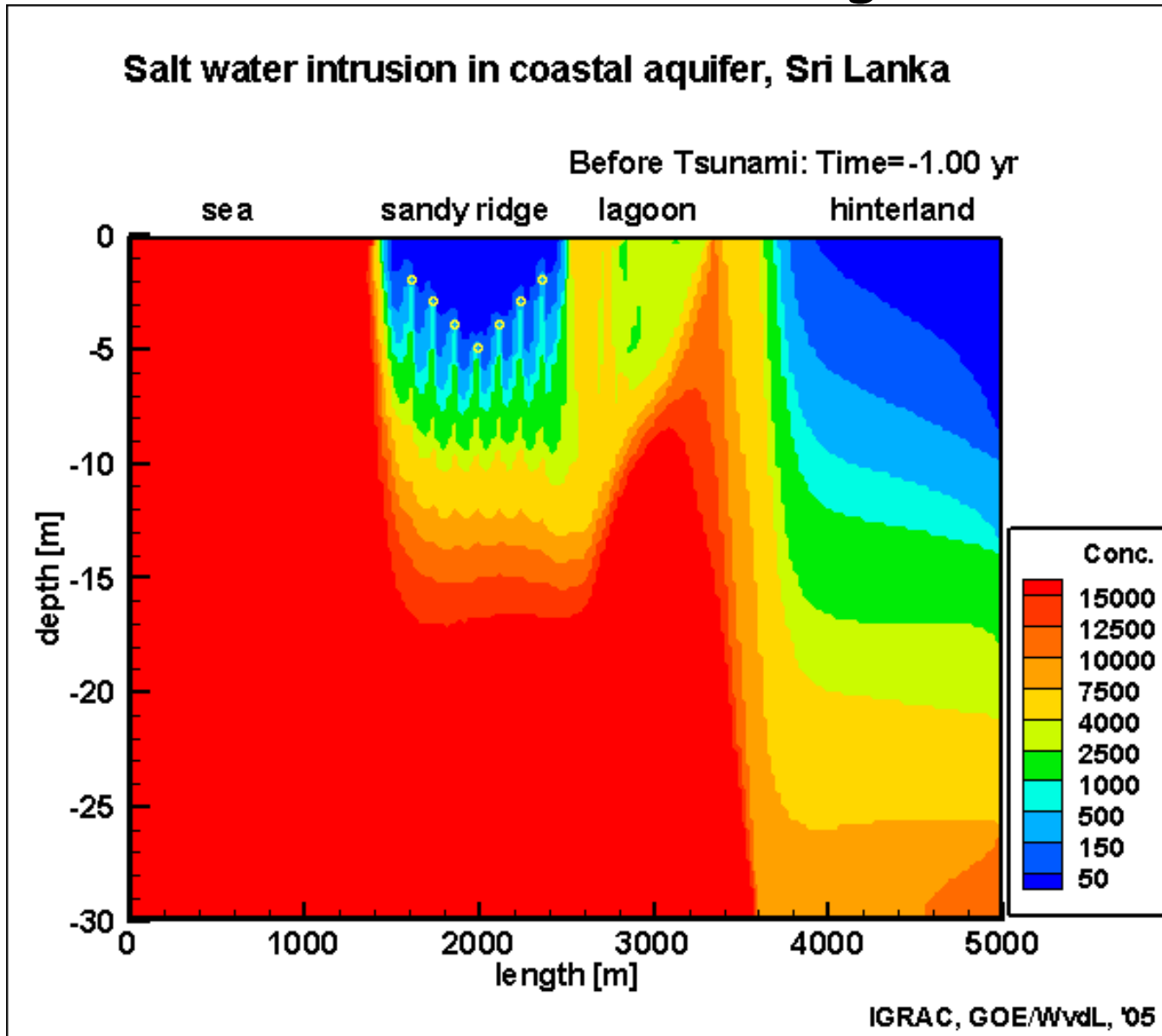


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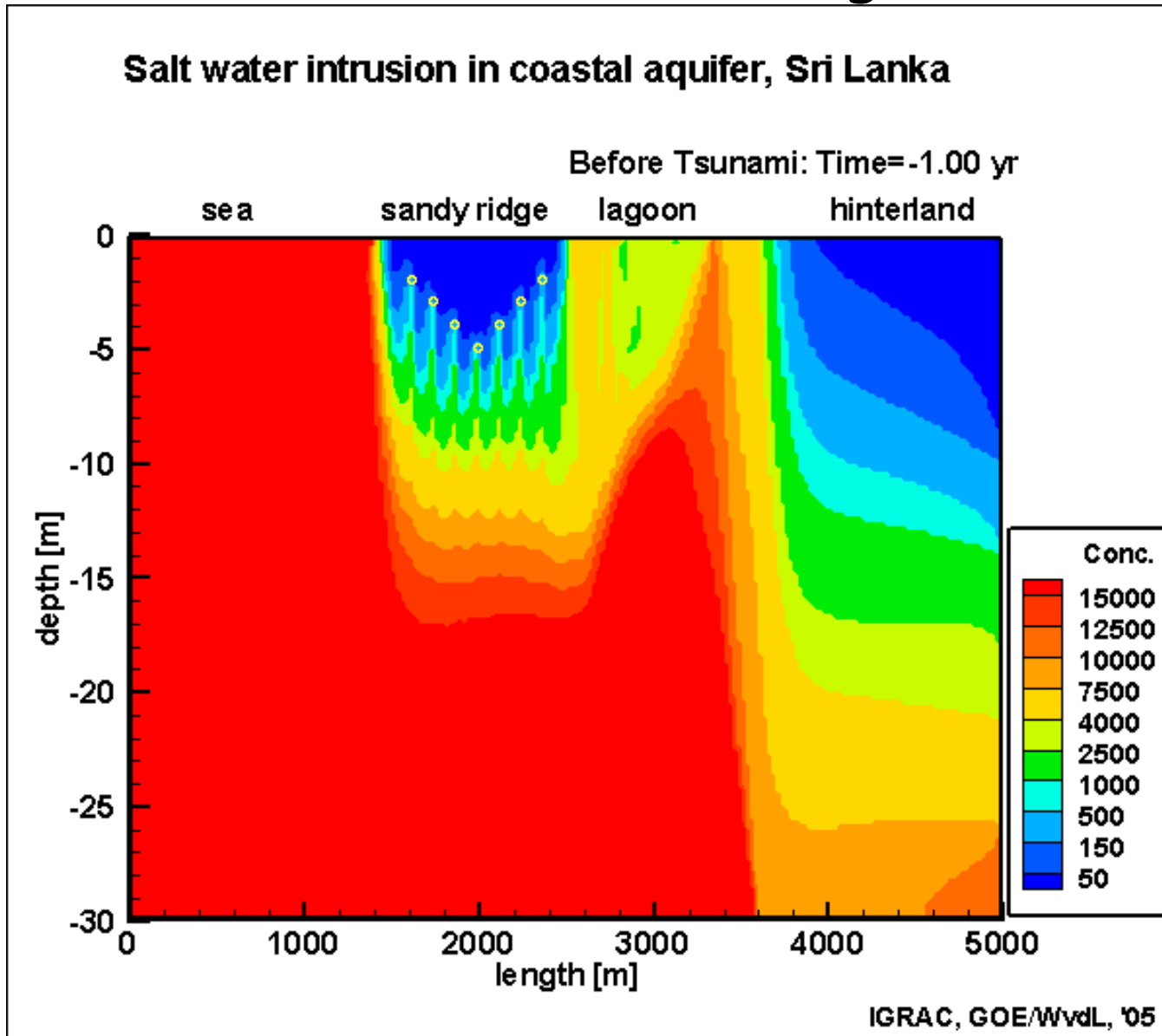


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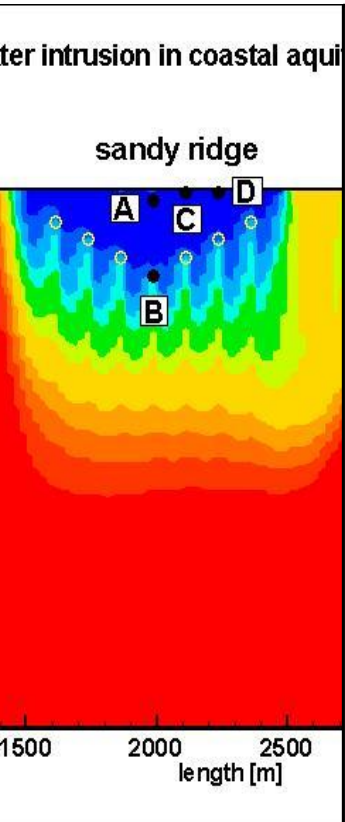
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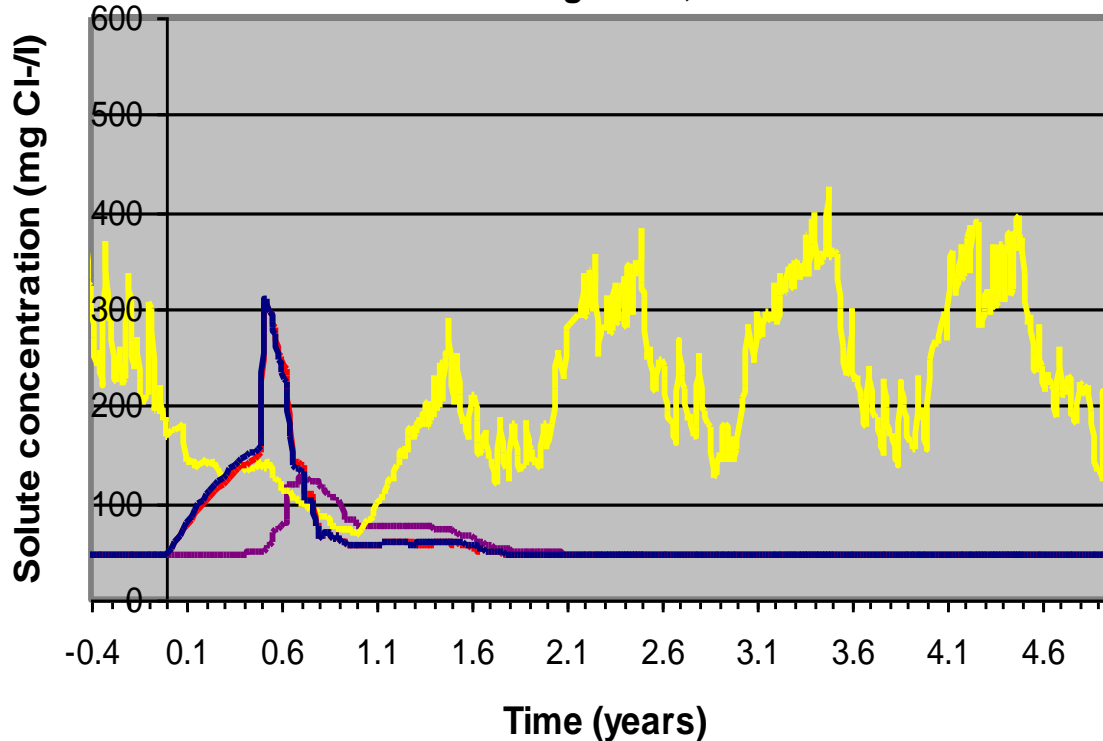


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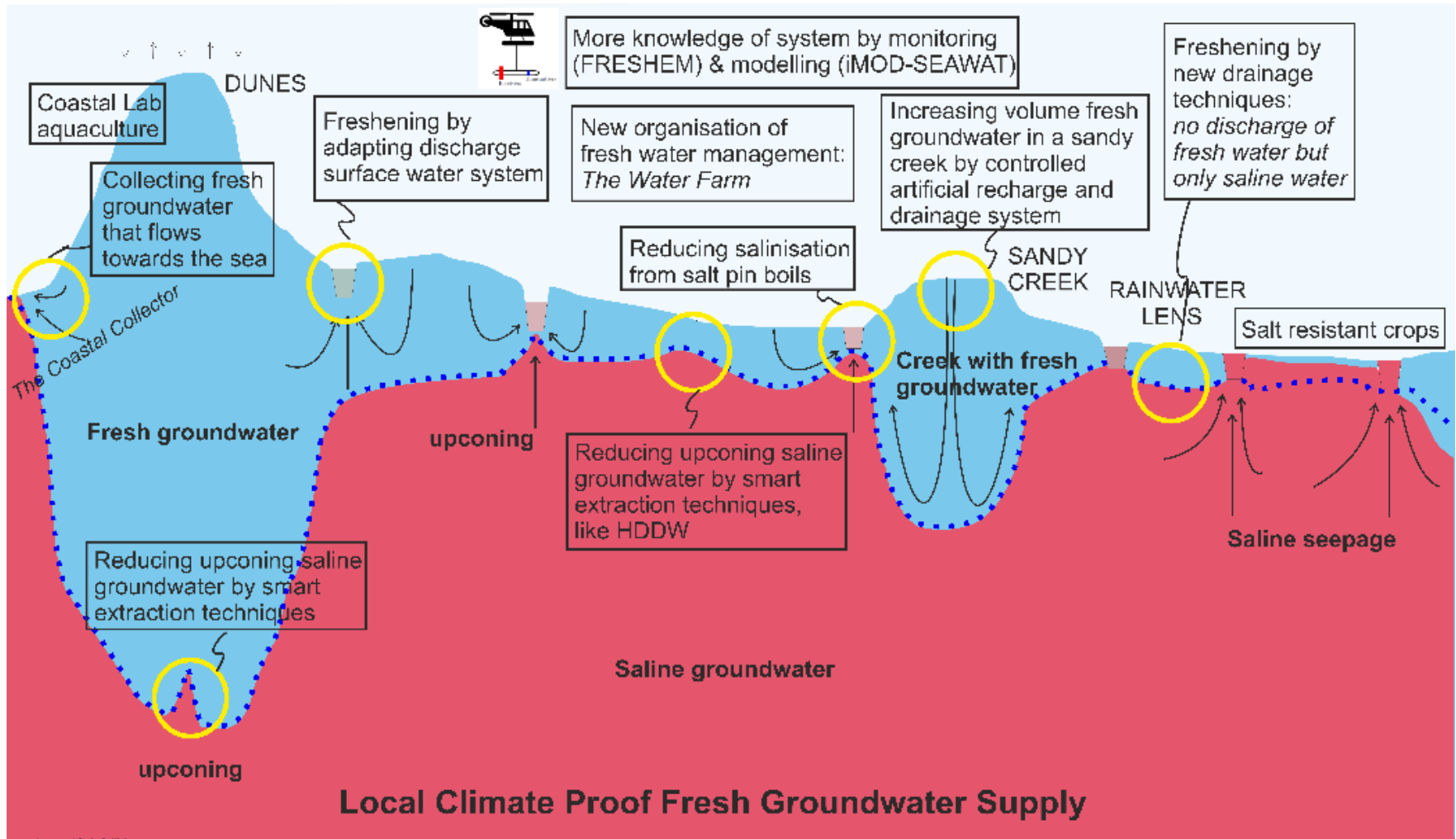


- A. 0.7m -MSL, x=1987.5m
- B. 4.9m -MSL, x=1987.5m
- C. 0.3m -MSL, x=2112.5m
- D. 0.3m -MSL, x=2237.5m

Compensating measures

Setting up piloting solutions/strategies

Combination of different strategies for improving local climate-proof fresh groundwater supply
There is no solution that fits all



Possible solutions to stop salt water intrusion:

- Restriction of groundwater extractions through permits
- Co-operation between authorities and water users
- Desalinisation of saline water
- Technical countermeasures of salt water intrusion
 - six examples

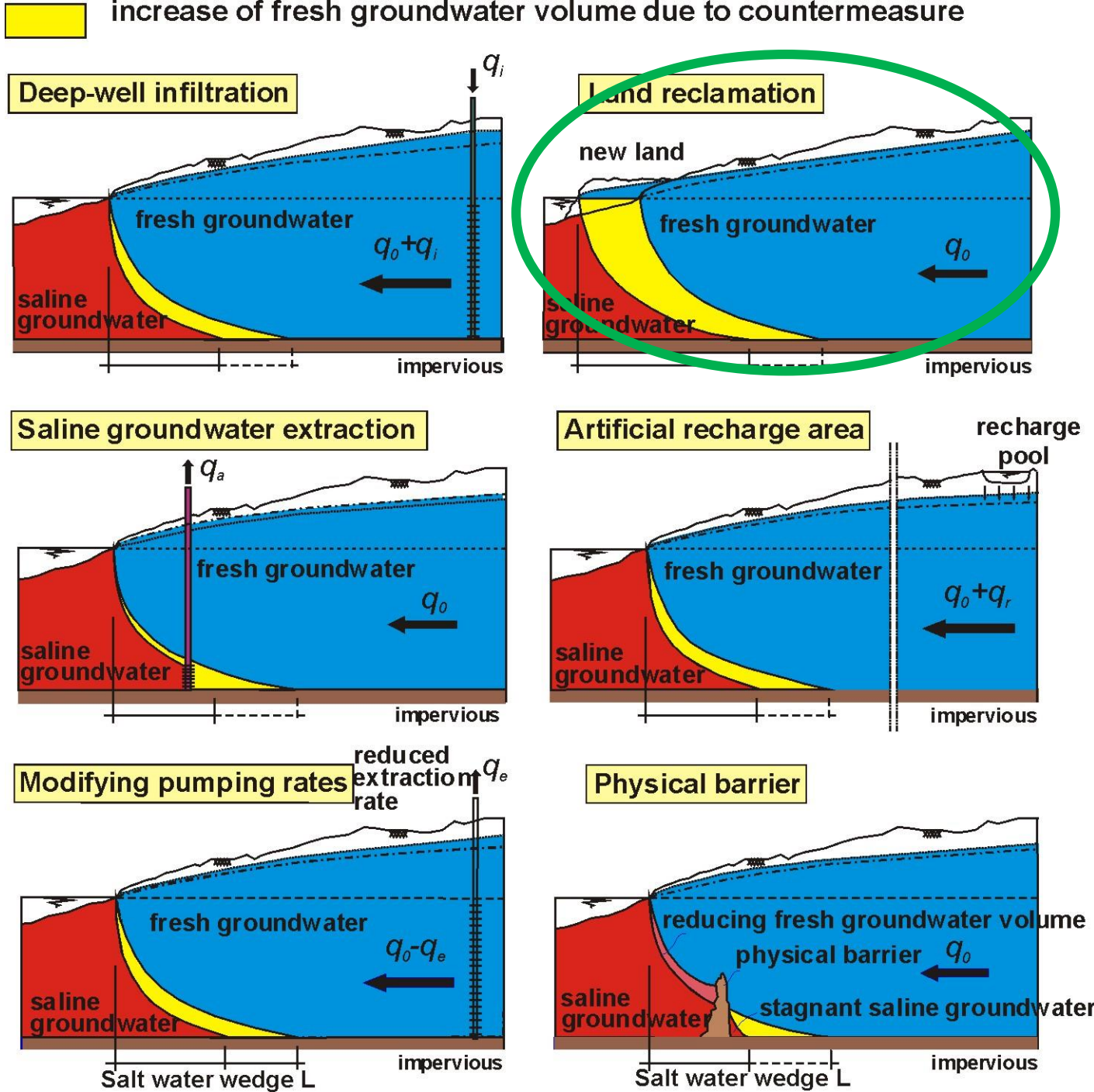
Tools to understand salt water intrusion:

- Monitoring of salinities and piezometric levels
- Numerical modelling of salt water intrusion

Measures to compensate salt water intrusion

- 'The Fresh Holder'
- Extraction of saline/brackish groundwater
- Infiltration of fresh surface water
- Modifying pumping rates
- Land reclamation in front of the coast
- Creating physical barriers (crystallisation or biosealing)
- Inundation of low-lying polders

Technical measures to compensate salt water intrusion



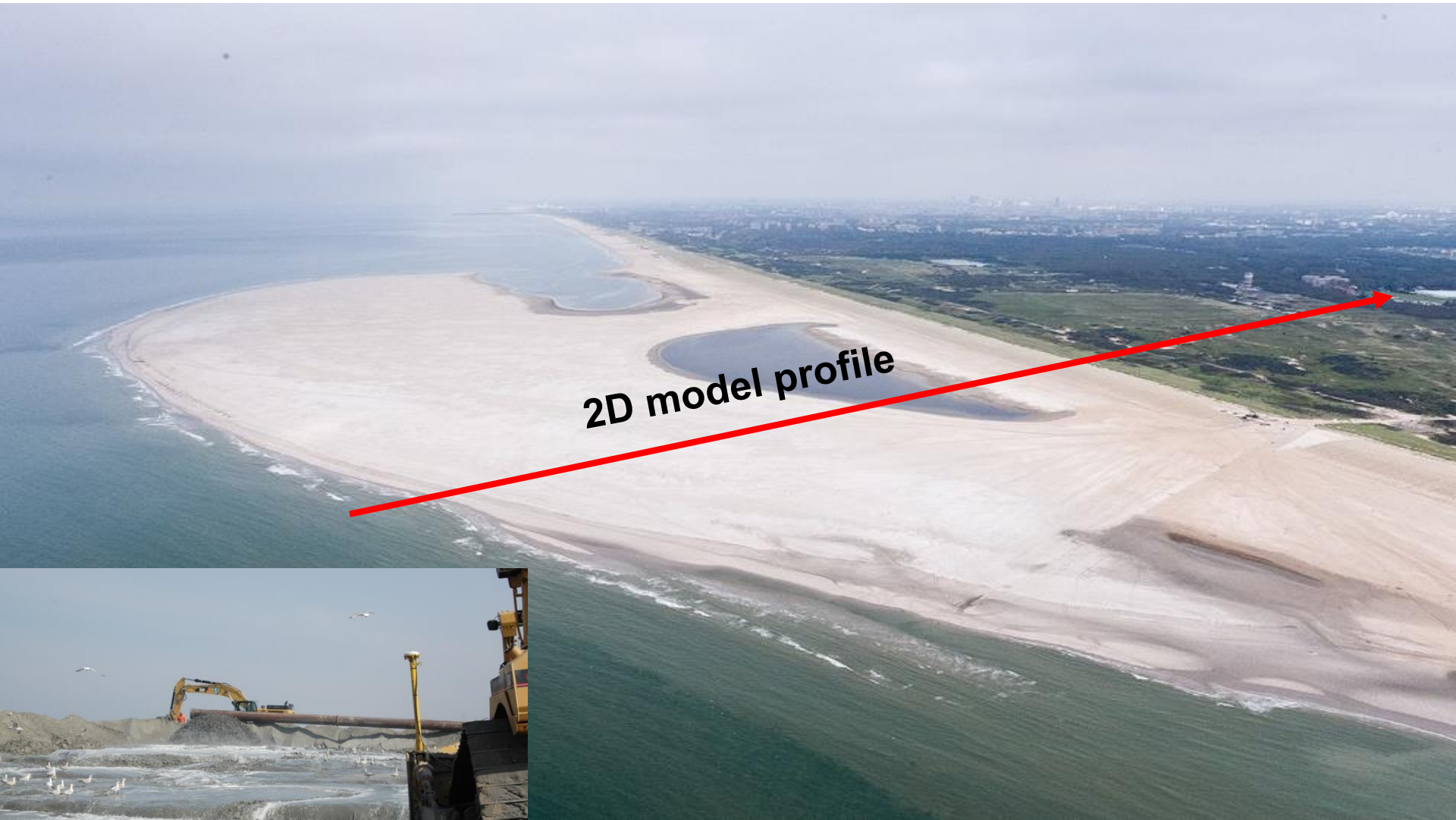
Land reclamation

The Zandmotor: effects at the hinterland?





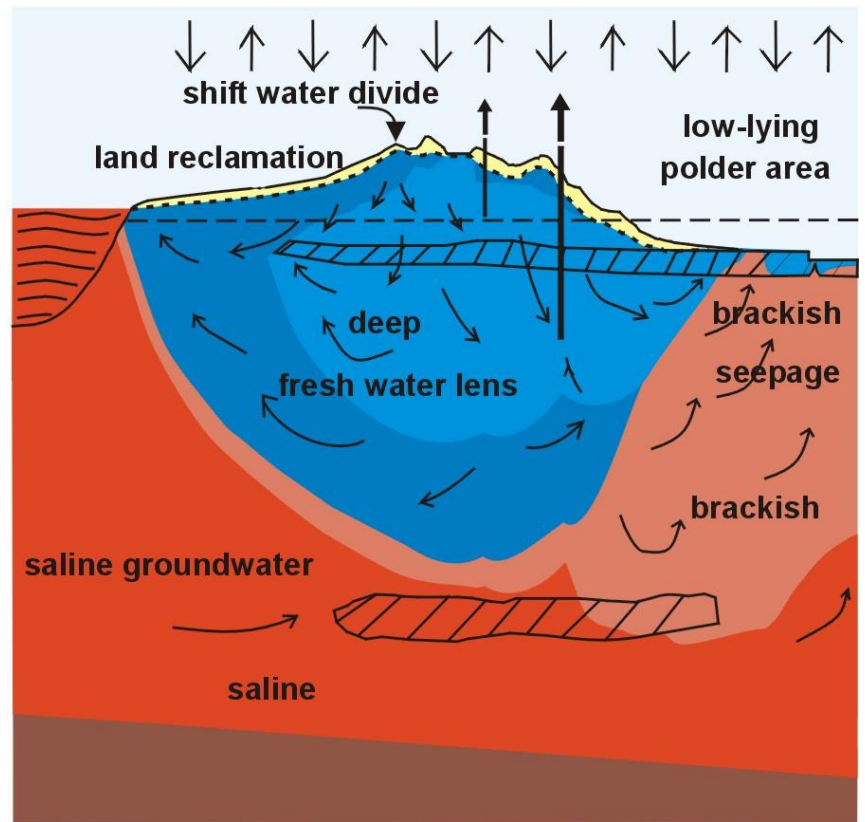
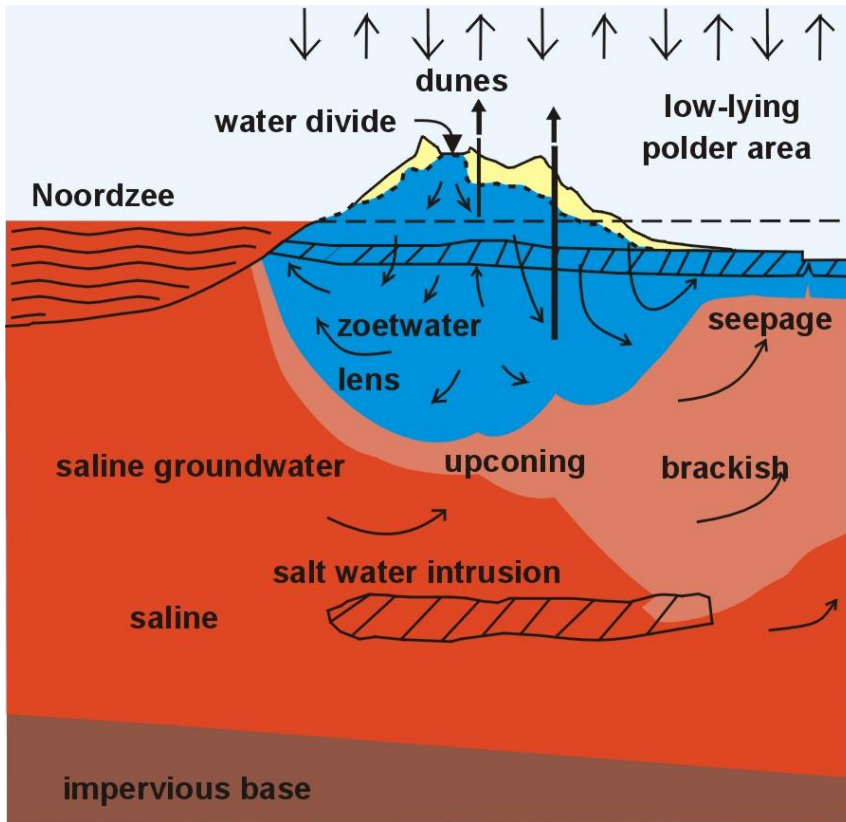
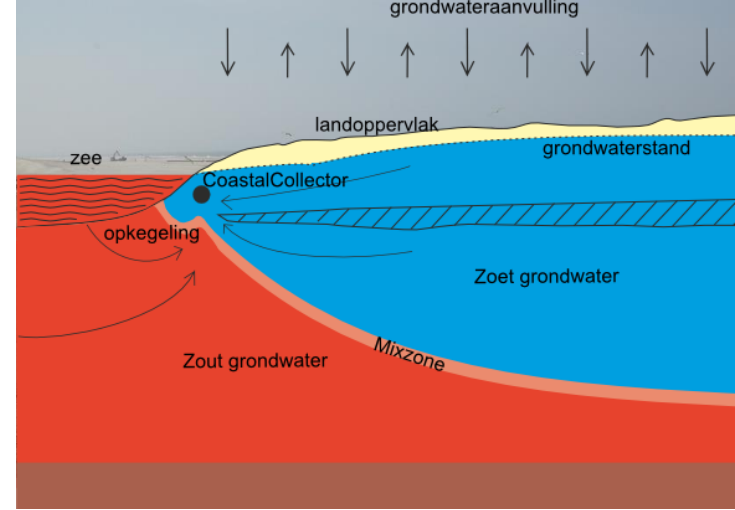
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The Zandmotor

storage extra
fresh water?



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Development of the Sand Motor



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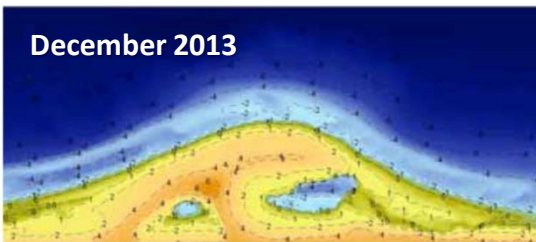
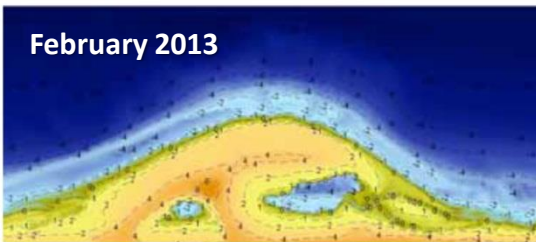
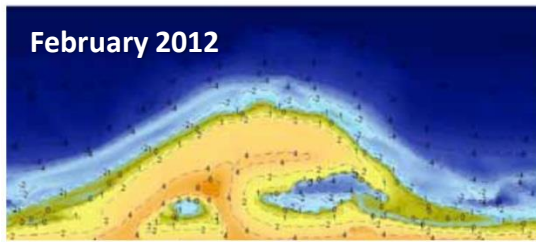
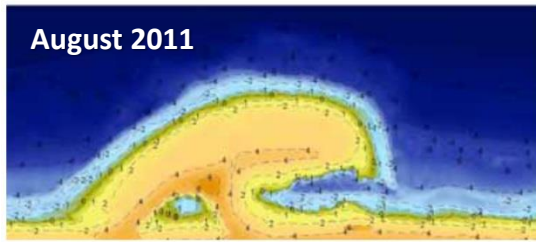
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10 years

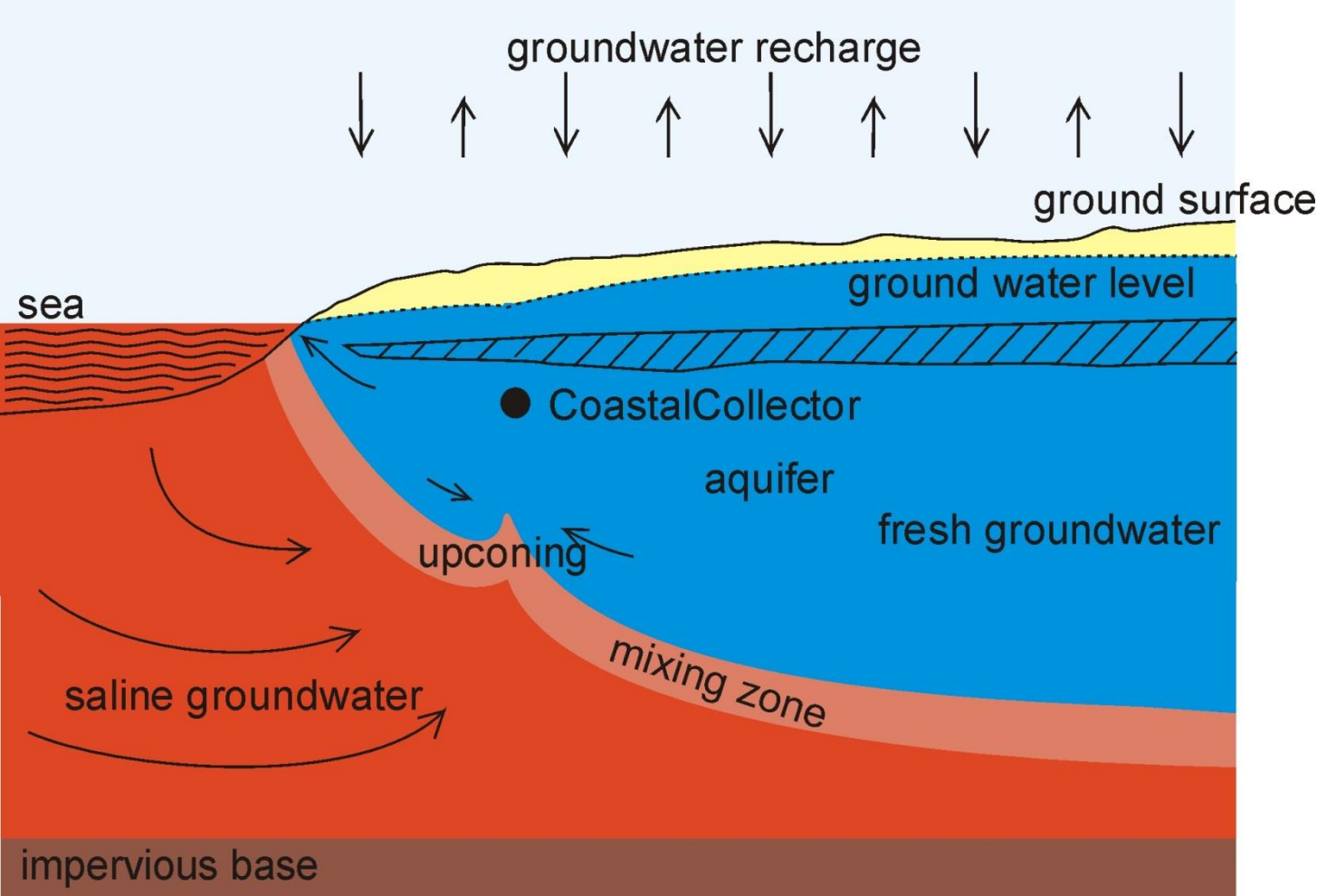


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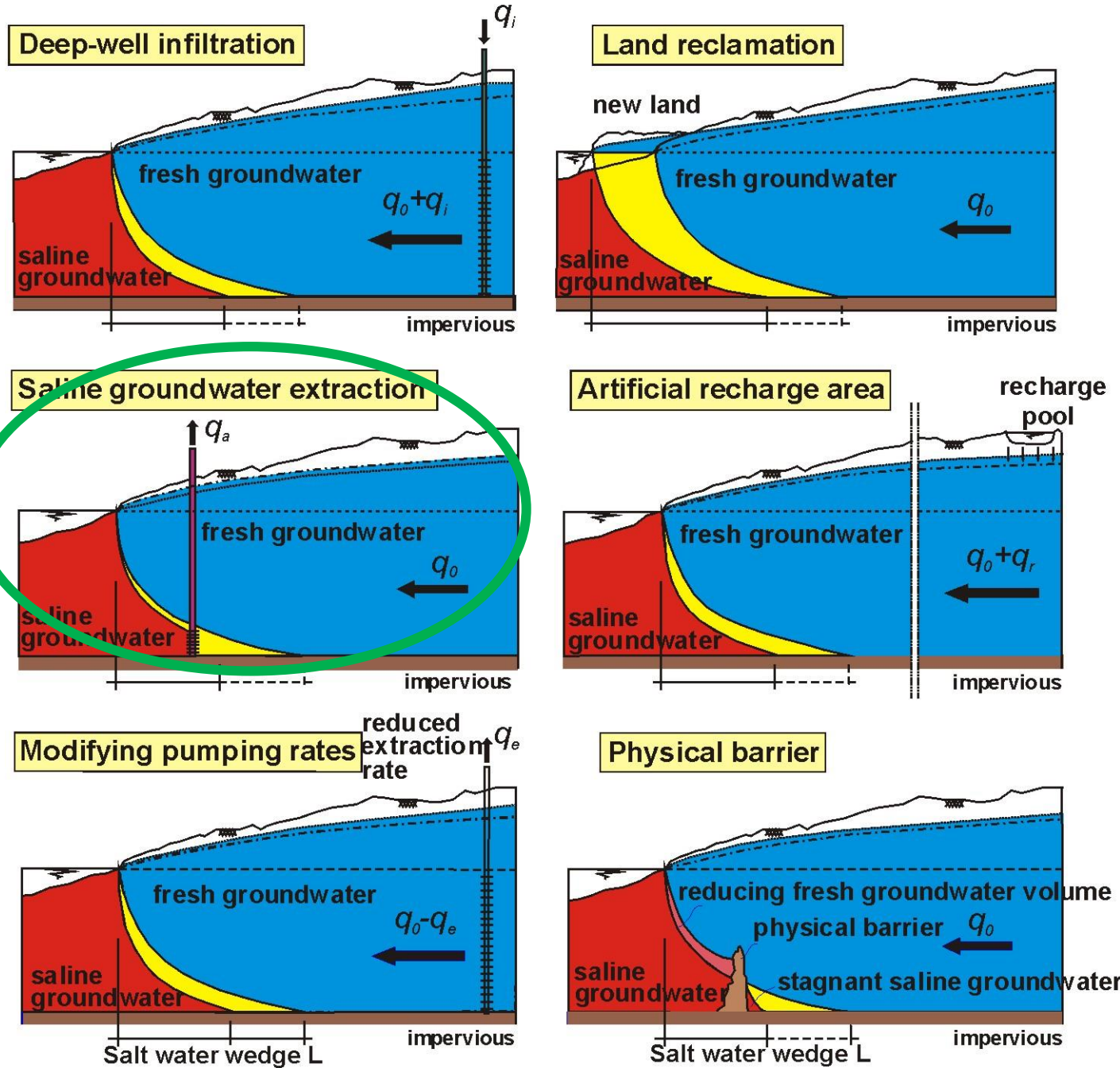
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The Coastal Collector

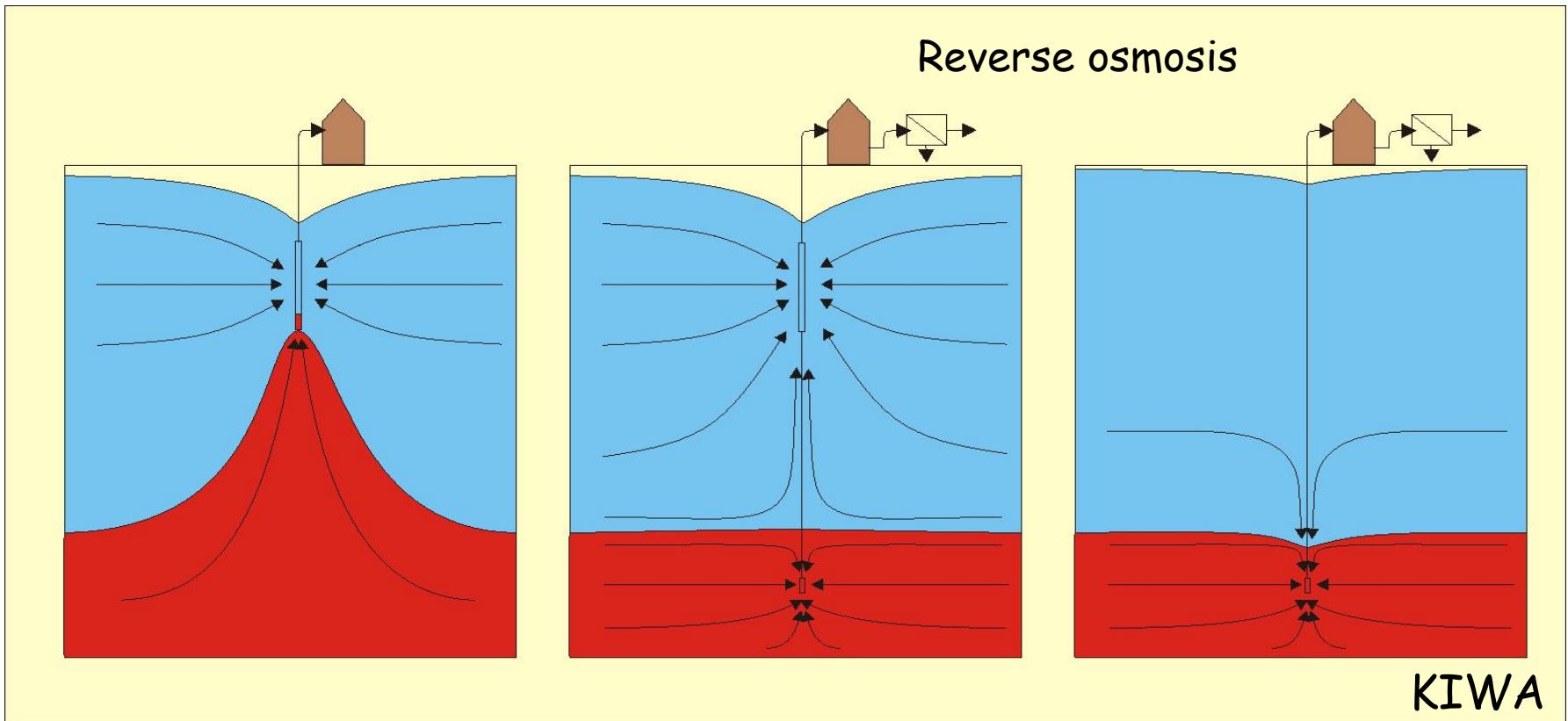


Technical measures to compensate salt water intrusion

increase of fresh groundwater volume due to countermeasure



Solution: The Fresh Holder



Upconing can be prevented by the extraction of brackish groundwater

This brackish groundwater can be transformed to water of agricultural water quality by using the membrane filtration technique

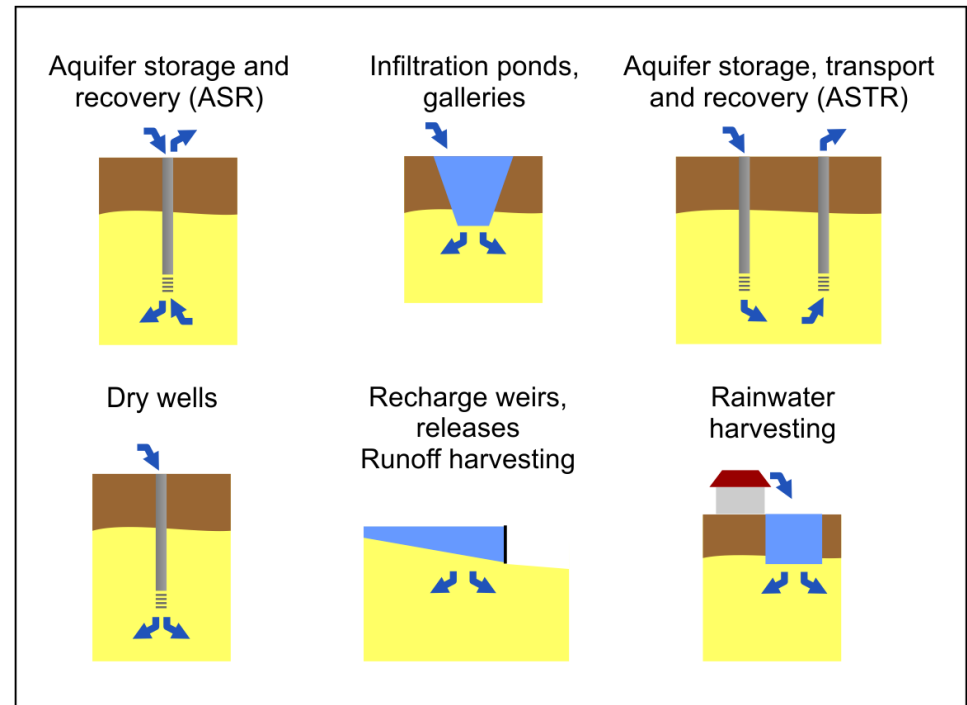


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Aquifer Storage Recovery or Managed Aquifer Recharge

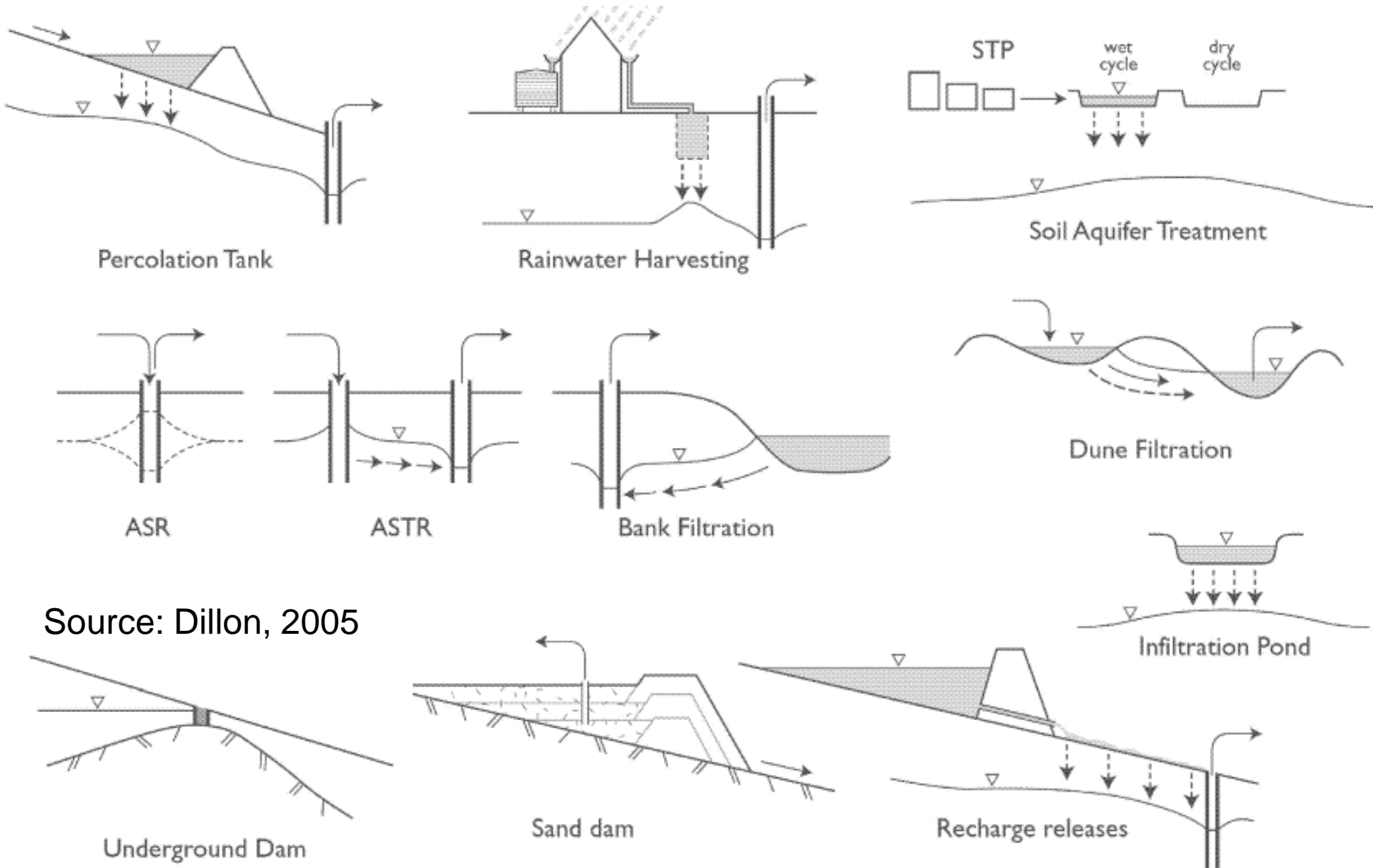
Closing the gap between water supply and water demand.

Depending on the water use characteristics: small or large-scale; shallow and deep.



Aquifer Storage and Recovery

“potential to be a major contribution to UN Millennium Goals for Water Supply”



Source: Dillon, 2005

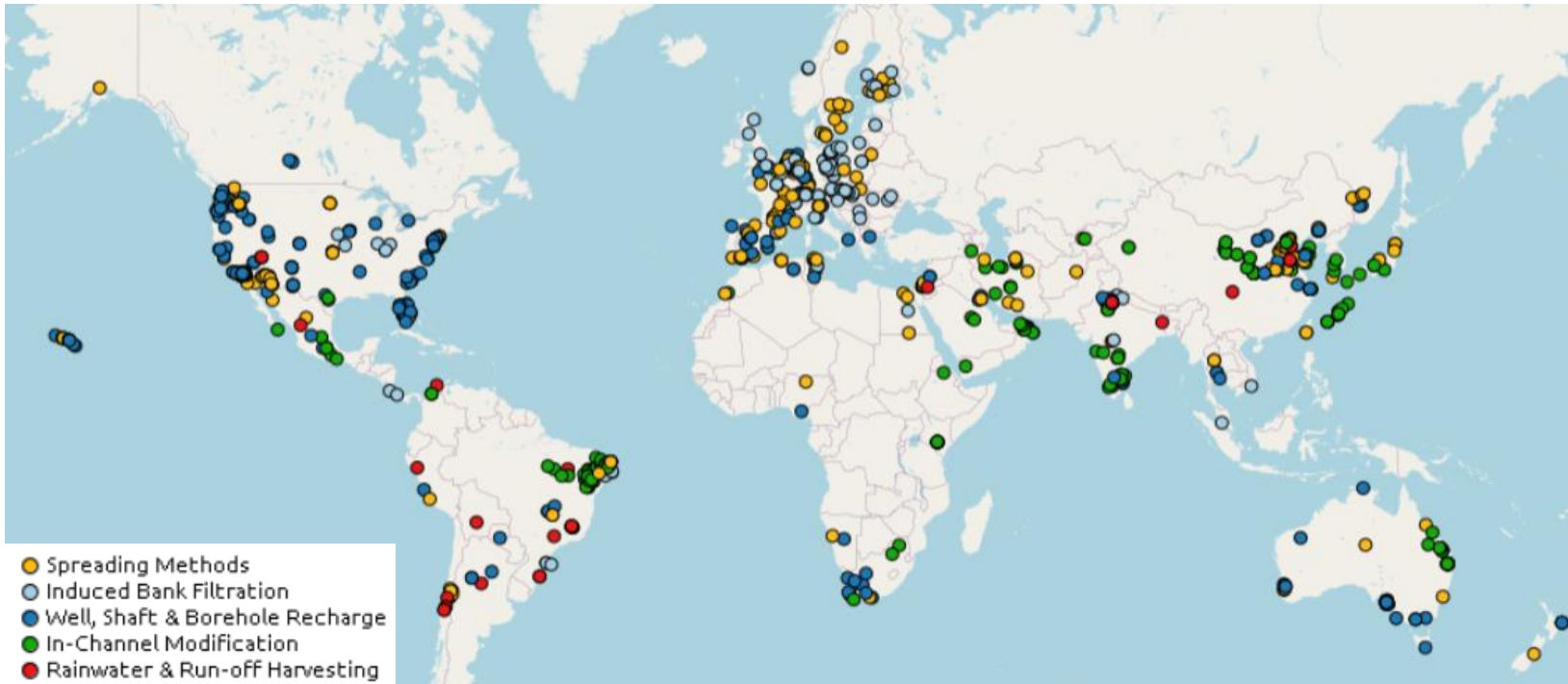
Advantages Aquifer Storage Recovery / Managed Aquifer Recharge

1. Store water for long-term storage
2. Buffer capacity for seasonal droughts
3. Smooth out demand and supply fluctuations
4. Reduce evaporation loss
5. Improve water quality
6. Store excess storm/flood water
7. Manage salt water intrusion
8. Manage land subsidence
9. Strategic reserve for emergency situations
10. Raising groundwater table
11. Provide water for domestic, agricultural & industrial use
12. Protect sewers of water overload during intense rain events

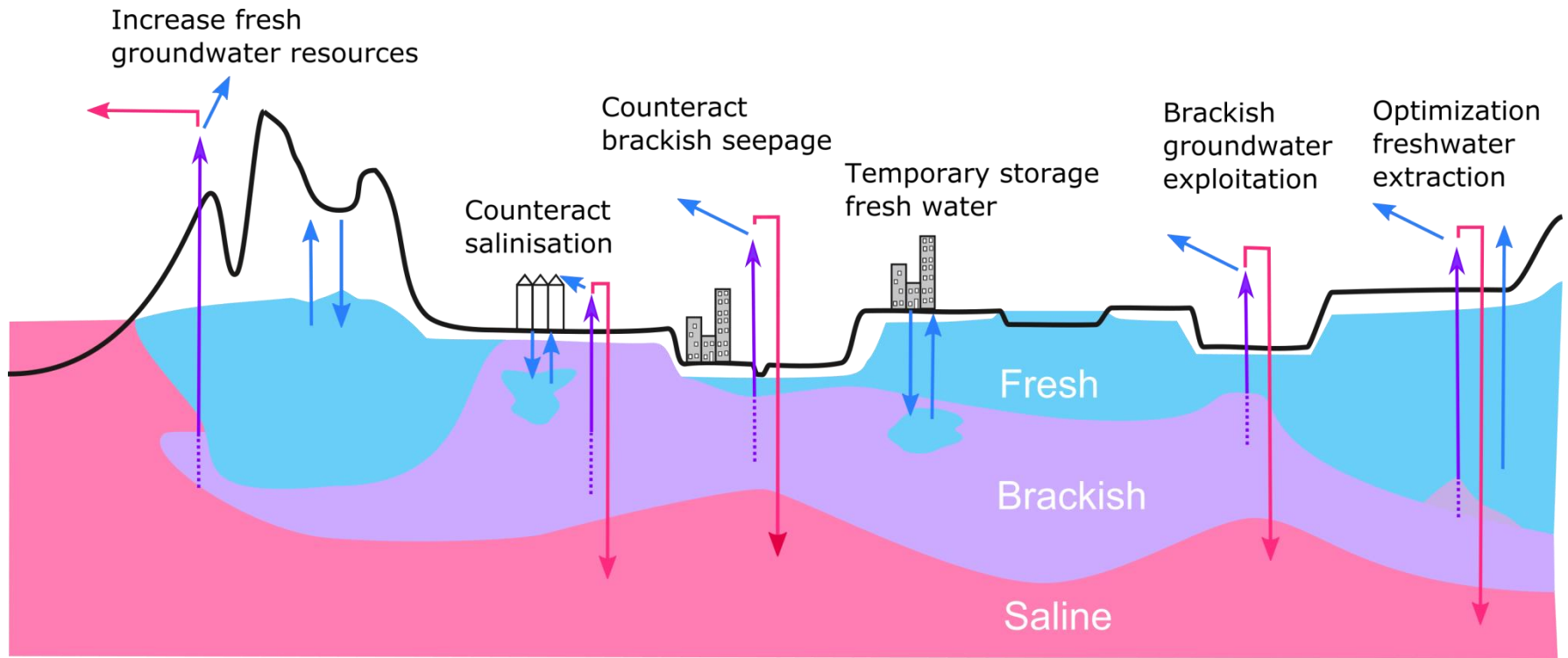


Areas around the world with MAR systems

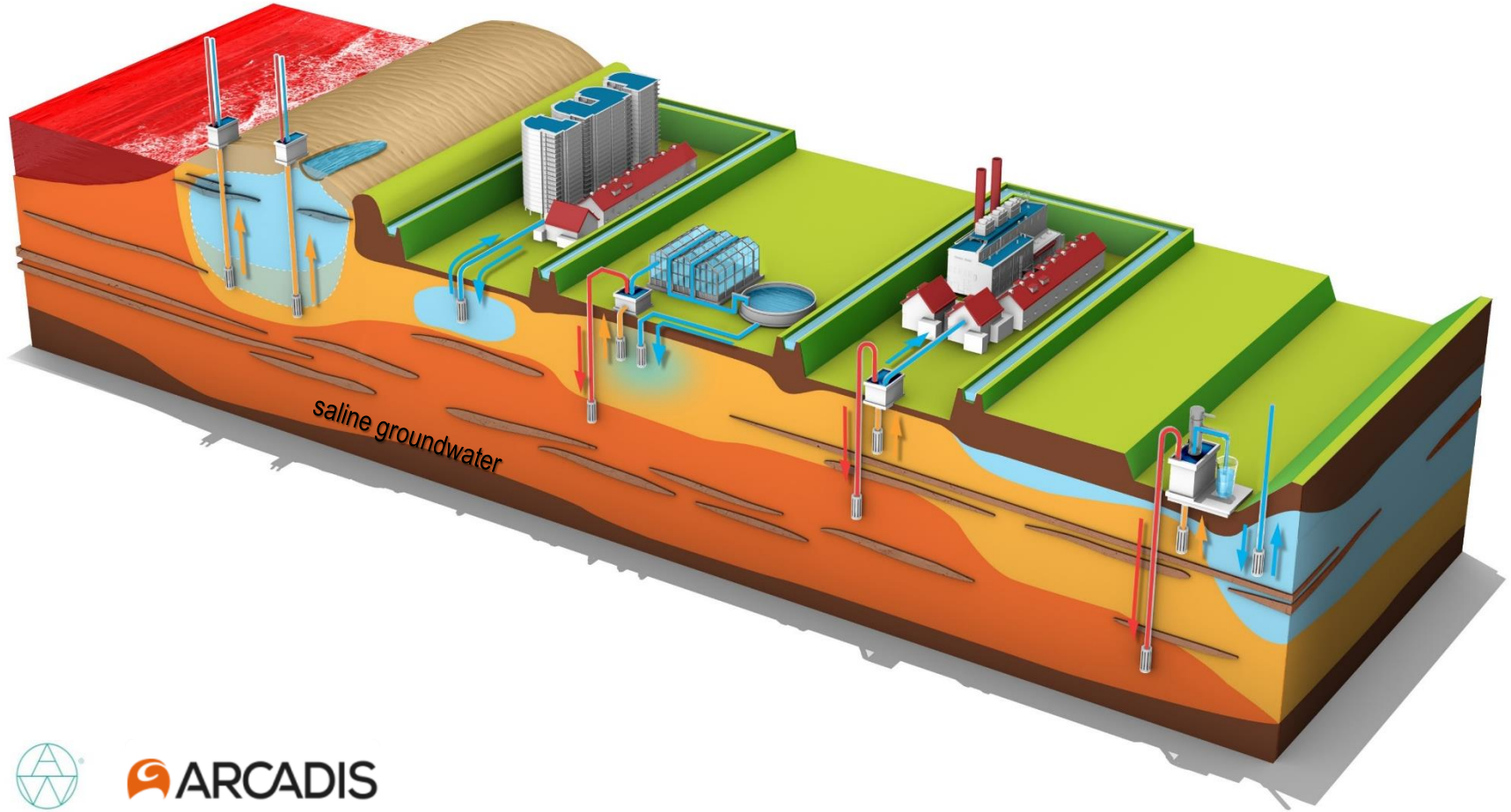
<https://ggis.un-igrac.org/view/marportal>



COASTAR: COastal Aquifer STORAGE And Recovery



COASTAR, a subsurface solution for sustainable water management in coastal zones



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COastal Aquifer STORAGE And Recovery

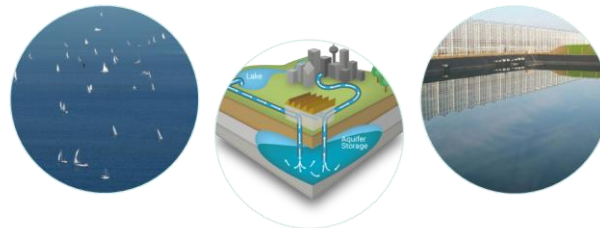
as a subsurface solution to improve water availability, in areas around the world with water scarcity and salinization issues

- Close the water gap between water supply and demand in space and time
- Prevent salinization by using brackish groundwater for fresh water production



Water sources

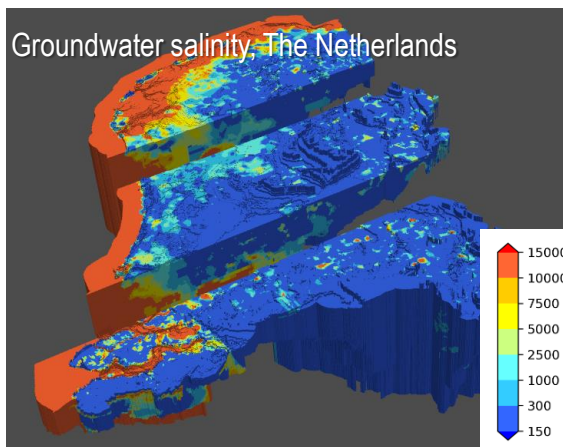
Water storage



Water demand

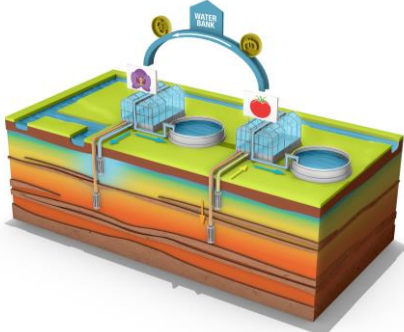
Why COastal Aquifer STORAGE And Recovery?

- Growing population and urbanization, increasing demand for water of higher quality
- Climate change: sea level rise, longer periods of drought
- The subsurface offers integral solutions to deal with coastal water management challenges
- *Brackish Groundwater is the New Fresh*

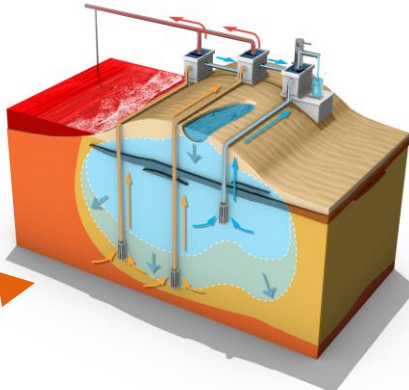


COASTAR solutions in the Netherlands - Cases

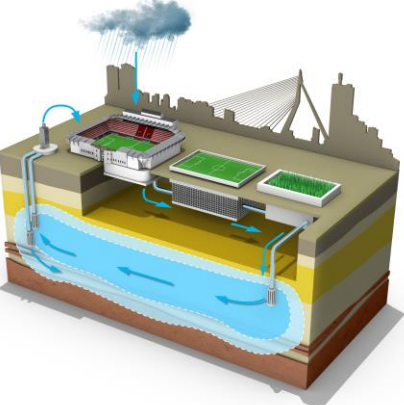
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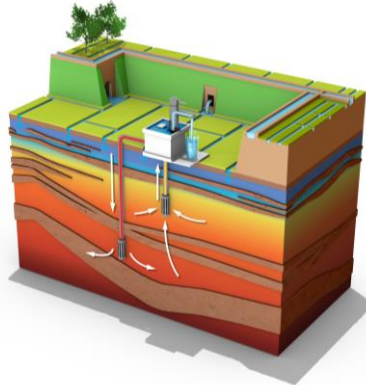
2. Brackish water extraction dunes



4. Urban Water Buffers



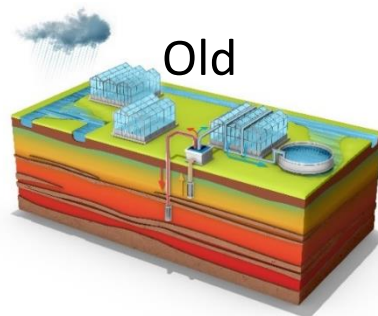
3. Brackish groundwater extraction deep polders



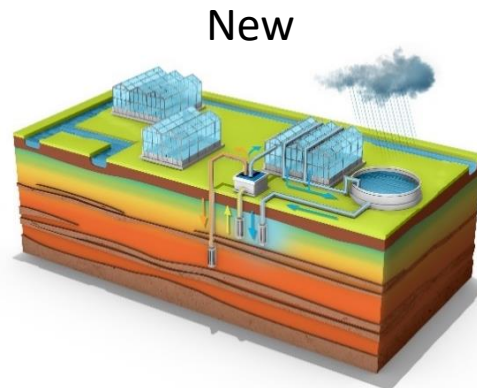
Waterbank Westland

Towards sufficient irrigation water

- Horticulture companies infiltrate excess rain water in the subsurface, to compensate extractions.

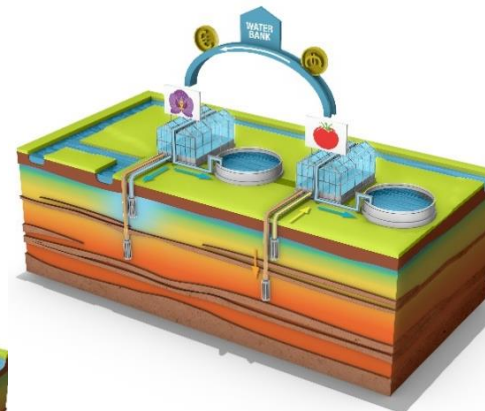


- It helps preventing salinization and diminishes overflow.



- Brings in the perspective on sustainable fresh water supply in the horticulture sector.

Waterbank



- Cooperation in some form is necessary:

The waterbank

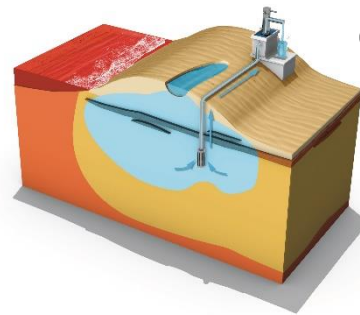
Three variants:

- 1. Basic: individual companies infiltrate excess rain water
- 2. Clusters: multiple companies infiltrate excess rain water together
- 3. With other companies: in addition other company roofs will be added to the system

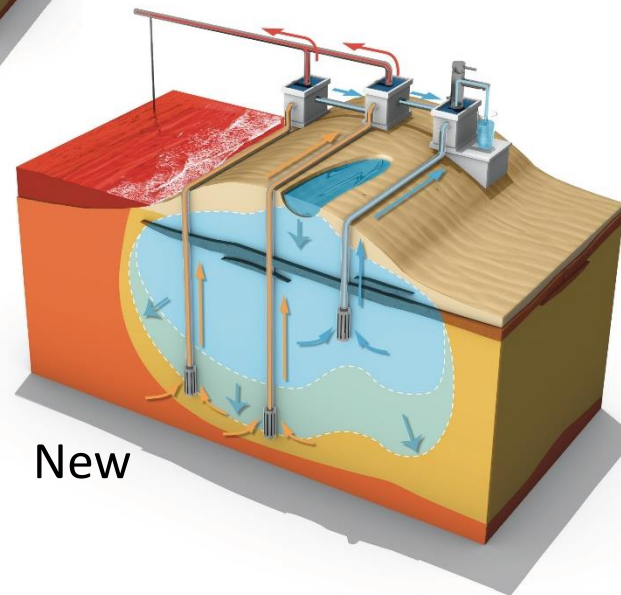
Brackish water extraction coastal dunes

Drinking water company Dunea

- Dunea searches for new drinking water sources in addition to the river water sources.
- Brackish groundwater is a potential source.
- By extracting from below the freshwater lens, this lens grows
- Double benefit: new drinking water source and a larger strategic fresh water resource.



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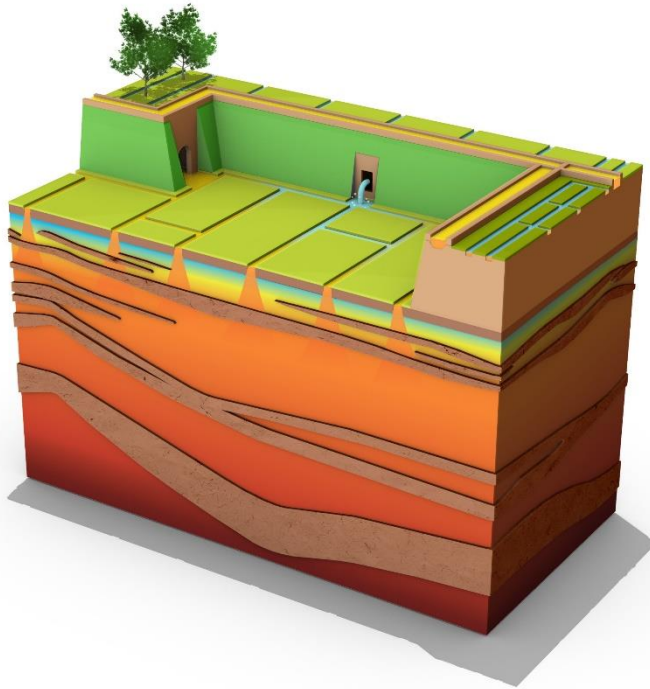
New

- Groundwater modelling results show it is likely to recover around 20 million m³ brackish groundwater
- Interesting cost-related: extraction on existing location saves on new expensive pipelines.
- Effluent ('brine groundwater') can be easily discharged at sea.

Brackish groundwater exploitation low-lying polders

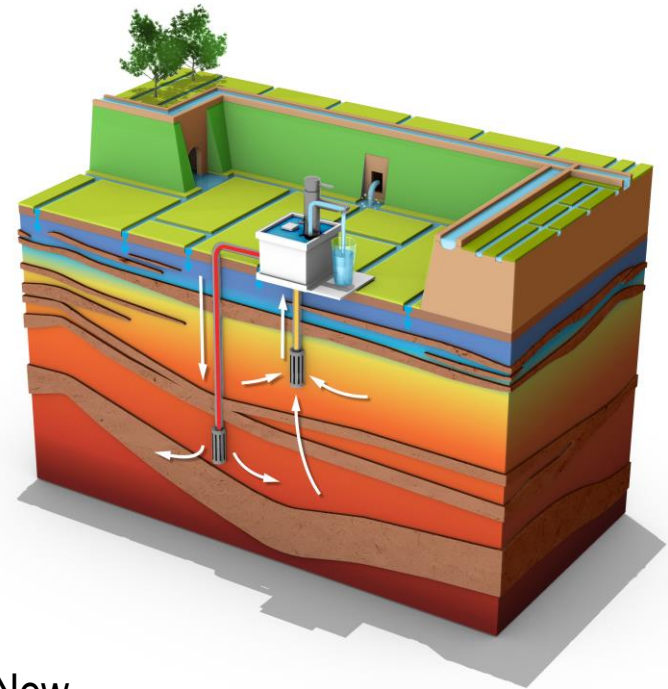
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Drinking water and desalinisation for agriculture



Oud

- Brackish ground- and surface water
- Reducing the number of salty boils

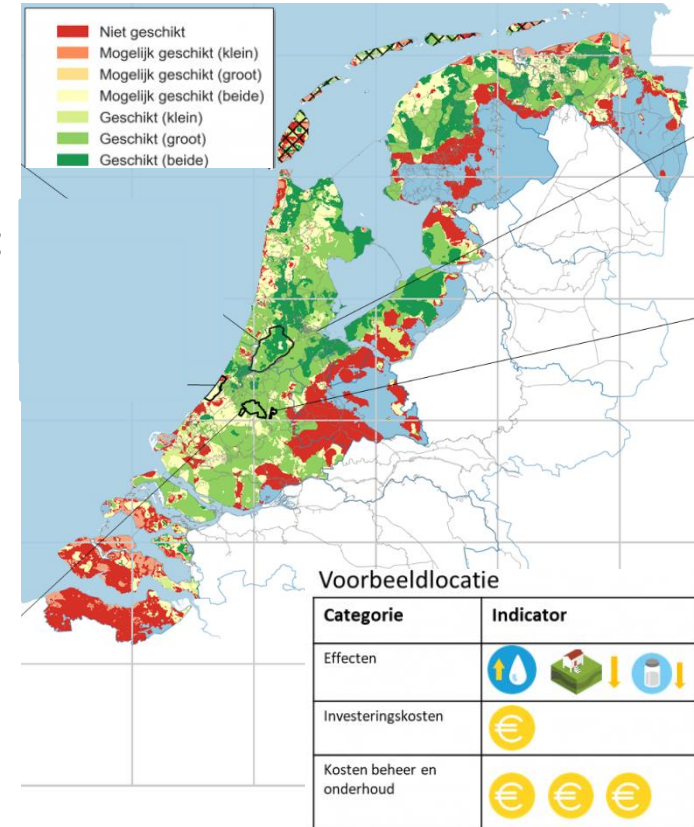


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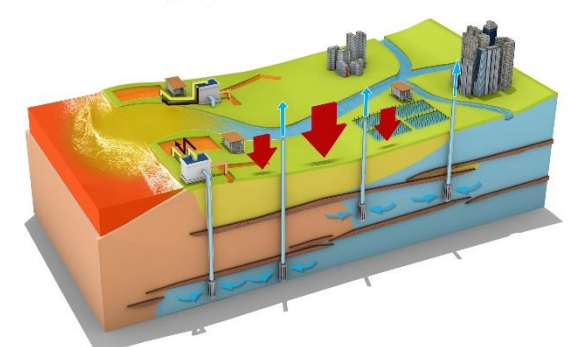
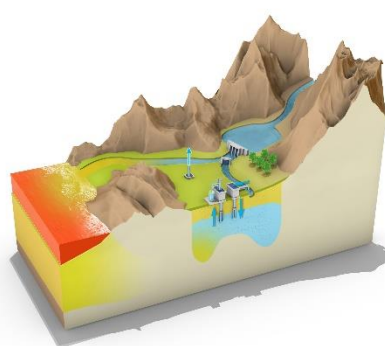
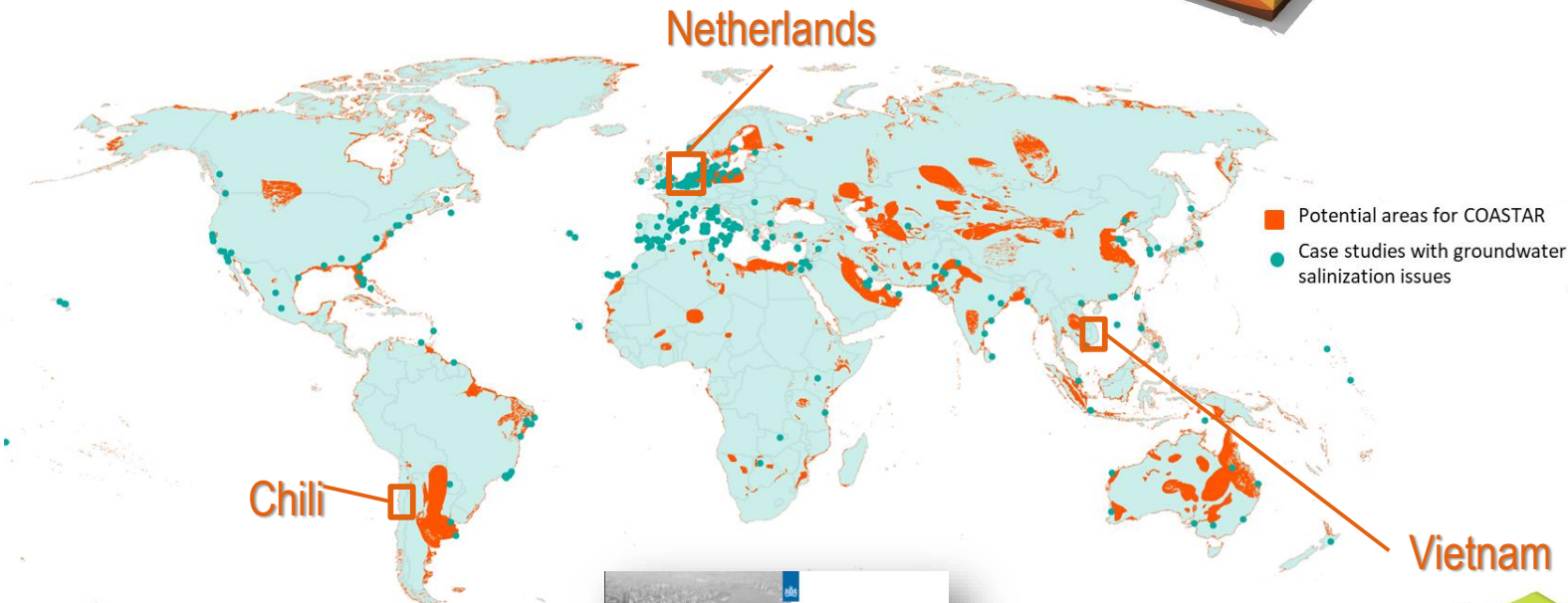
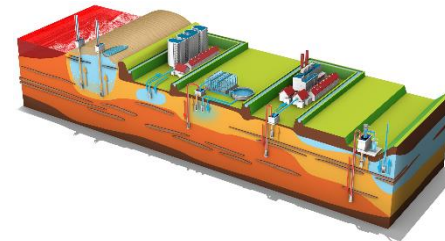
- Brackish groundwater exploitation
- Reduction brackish seepage (salty boils)
- Deminishing water- and salt loads to polder

Potential maps COASTAR for the Netherlands

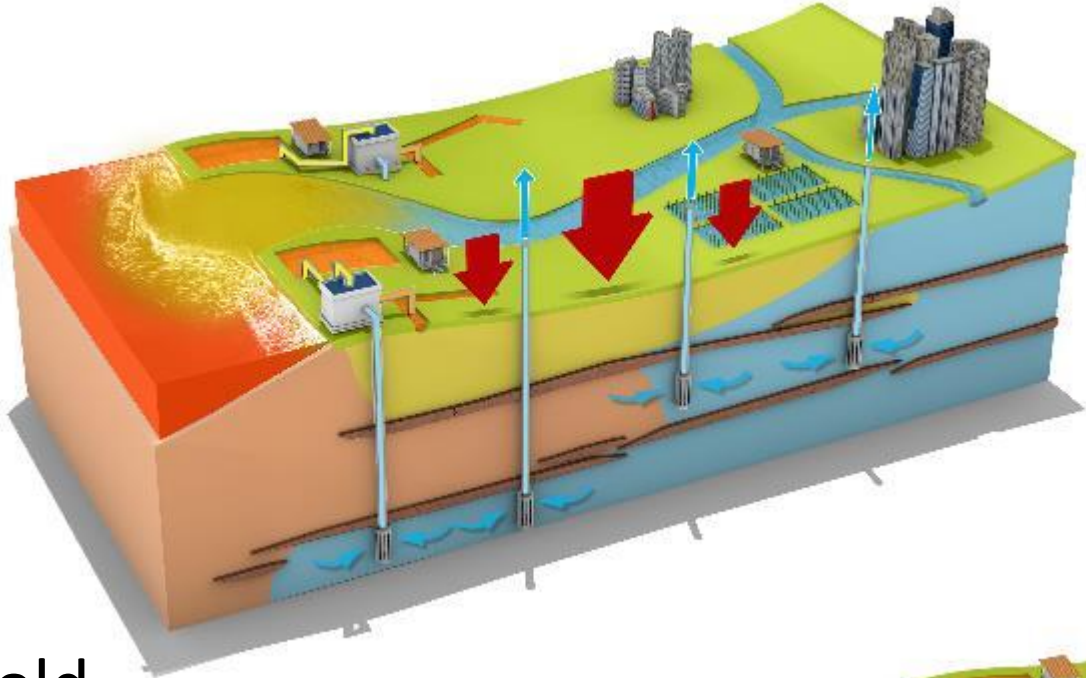
- Hydrogeological analyses for the COASTAR solutions:
 - Brackish water extraction
 - Fresh water storage in the subsurface
- Effect analyses on the application of the COASTAR solutions:
 - Preventing salt water intrusion
 - Preventing salinization
 - Crating an additional drinking water source
 - Preventing land subsidence
 - Preventing (groundwater) flooding
- Cost and benefit analysis on case level
- Result:
 - **Potential maps** =
 - hydrogeological suitability + effect analyses + economic analysis



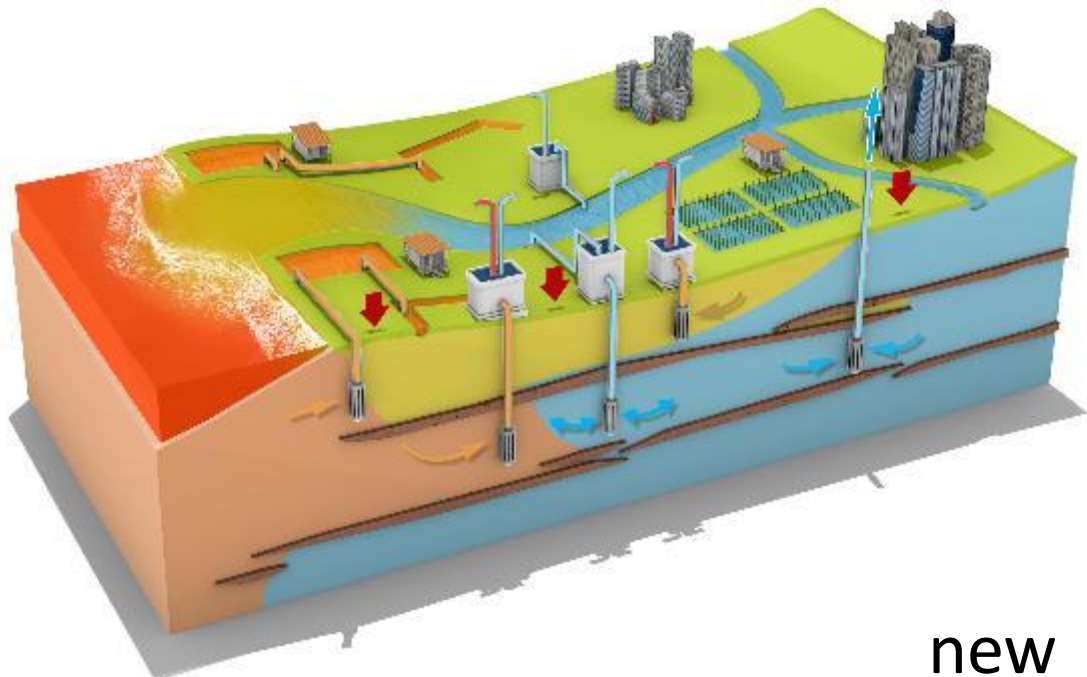
COASTAR opportunities International



Case deep-well Aquifer Storage and Recovery (Mekong delta, Vietnam)

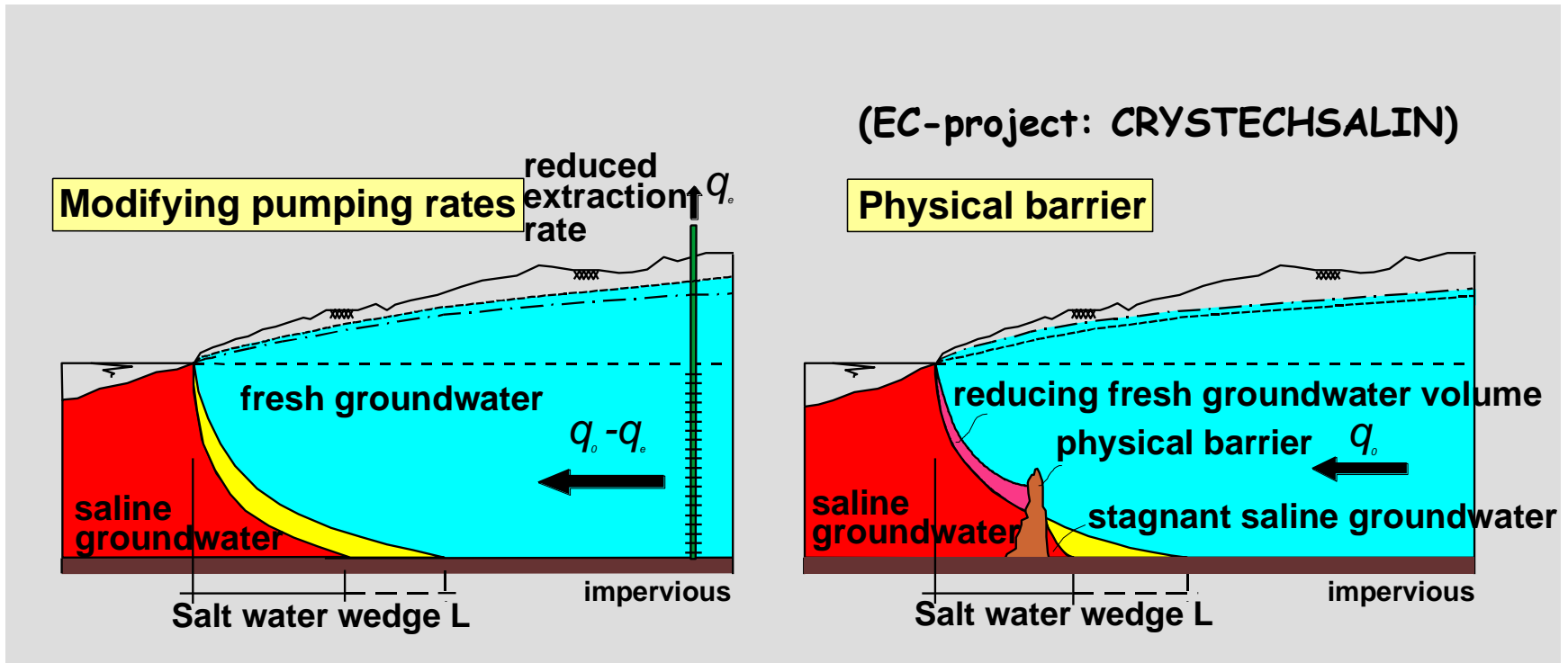


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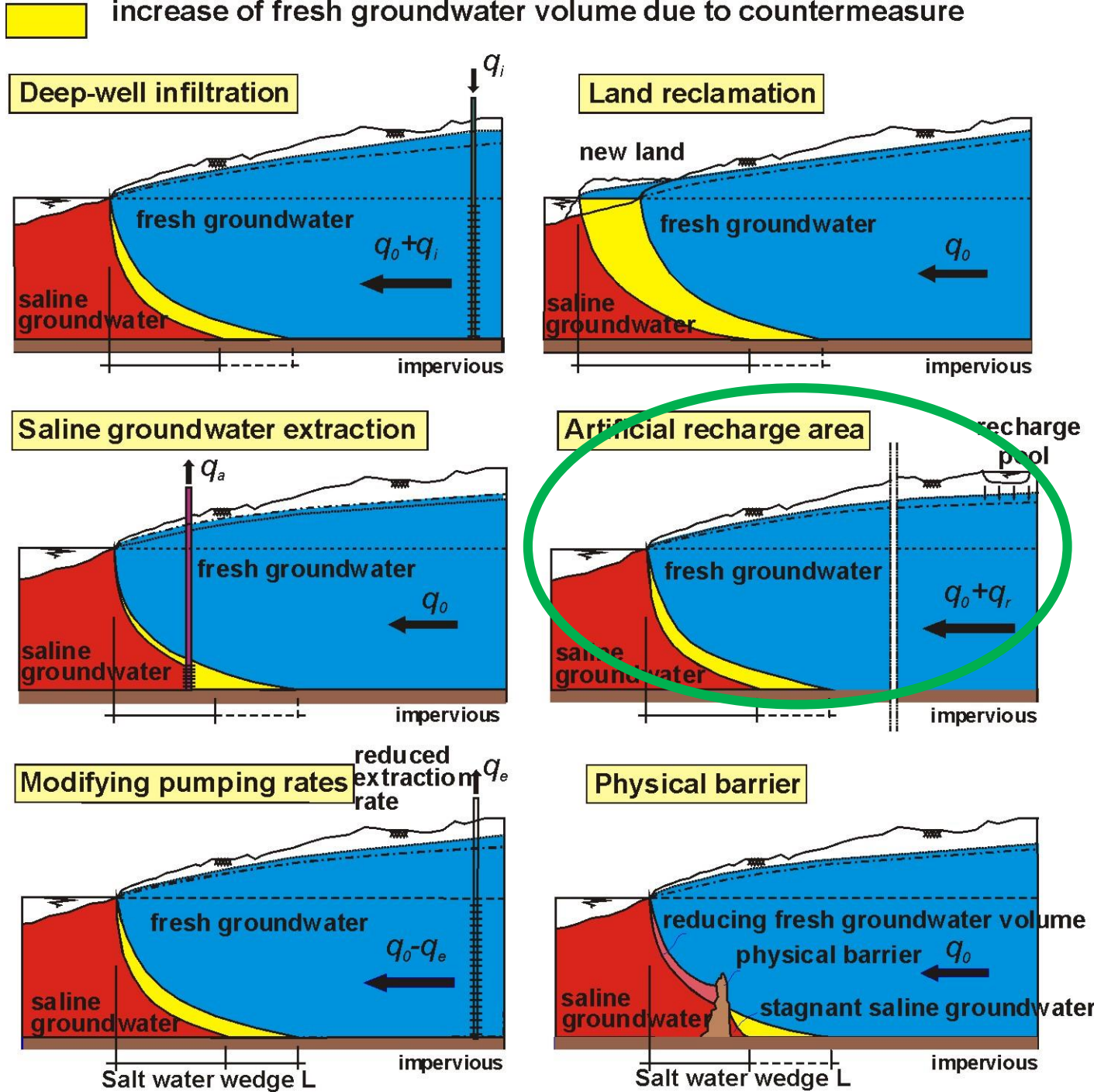


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Countermeasures of salt water intrusion



Technical measures to compensate salt water intrusion



Aquifer Storage and Recovery in the coastal zone



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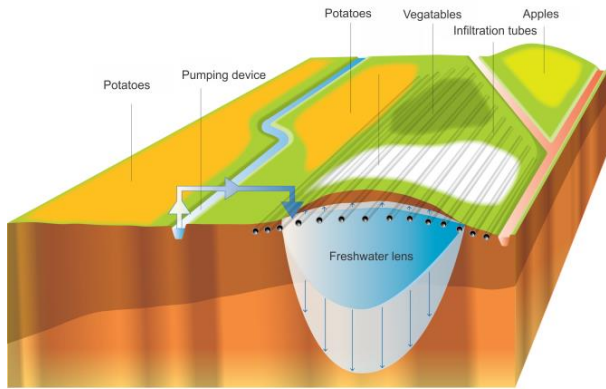
Goal:

Increase fresh groundwater resources in saline seepage areas in the southwestern part of the Dutch Delta

Methods:

3 pilot studies: infiltration of fresh water in times of water excess and extraction in times of droughts

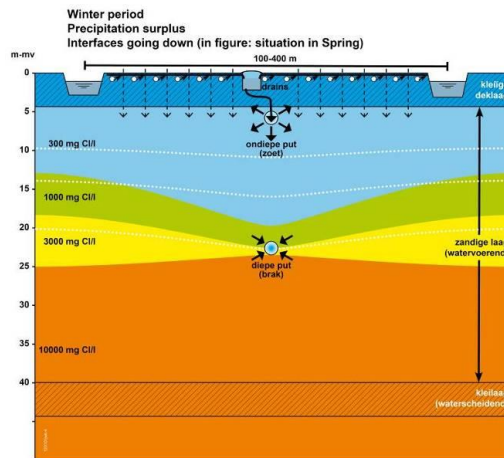
Many small local solutions together can be enough for a regional fresh water supply



■ Saline water
■ Fresh (ground) water
■ Fresh (ground) water after measure

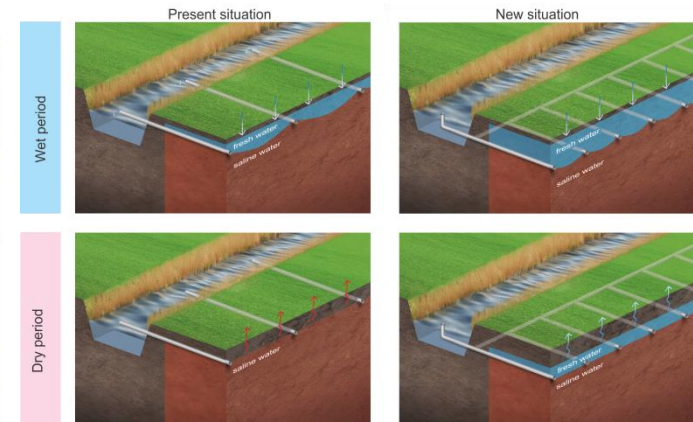
Creekridge Infiltration Test

Increase fresh water in creek ridge by injection of fresh surface water and extraction of saline groundwater



The Freshmaker

Increase fresh water volume in creek ridge by passive infiltration via drainage

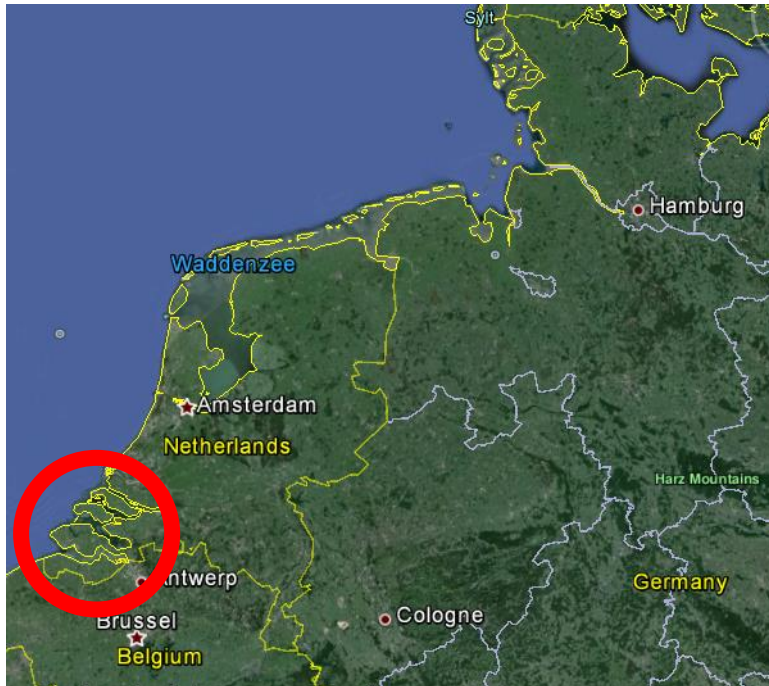


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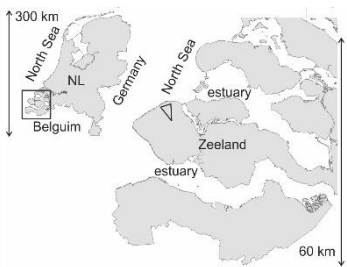
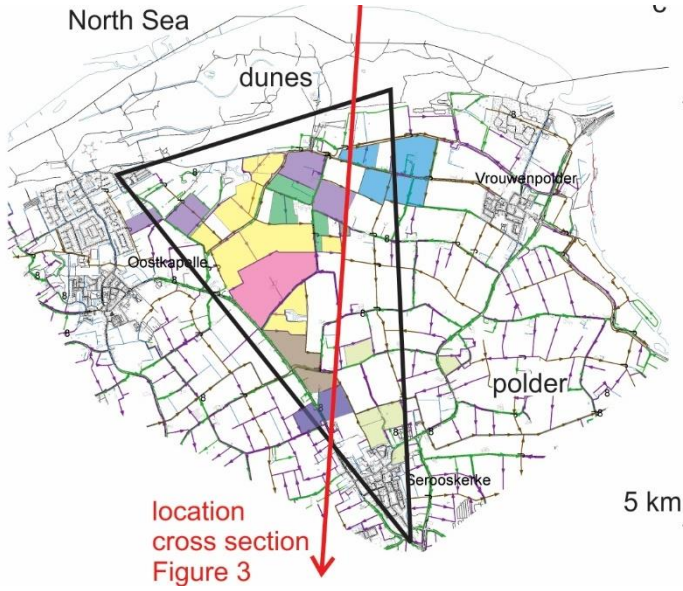
Maintain fresh water volume in shallow rainwater lenses by smart deep controlled drainage

Problem statement

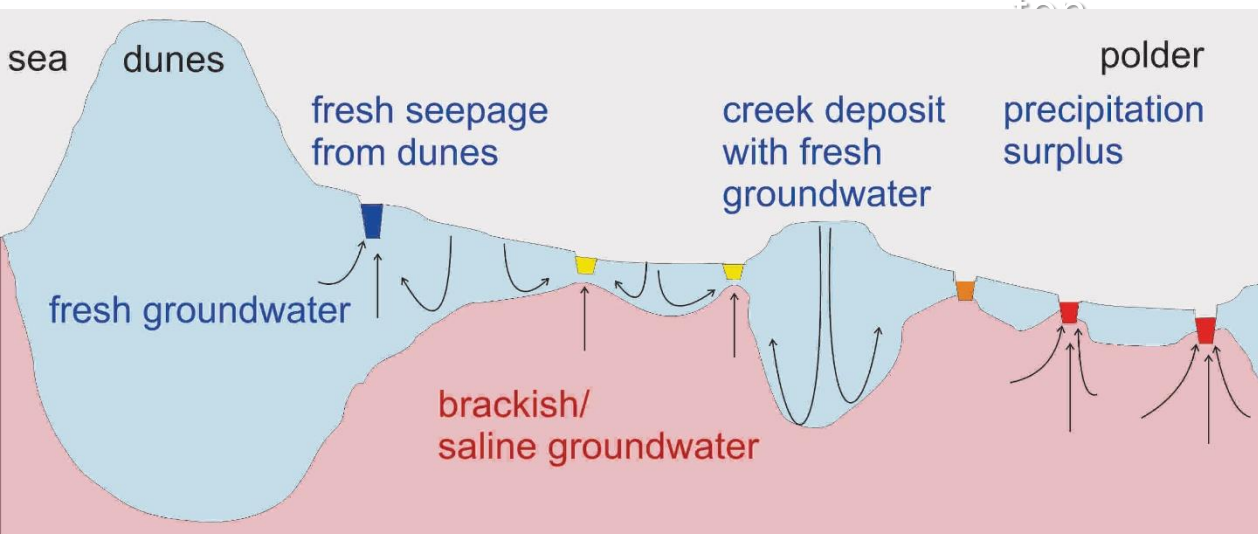
- Crop damage southwestern part of the Netherlands
- Fresh groundwater below creek ridges



Case study: Water Farm



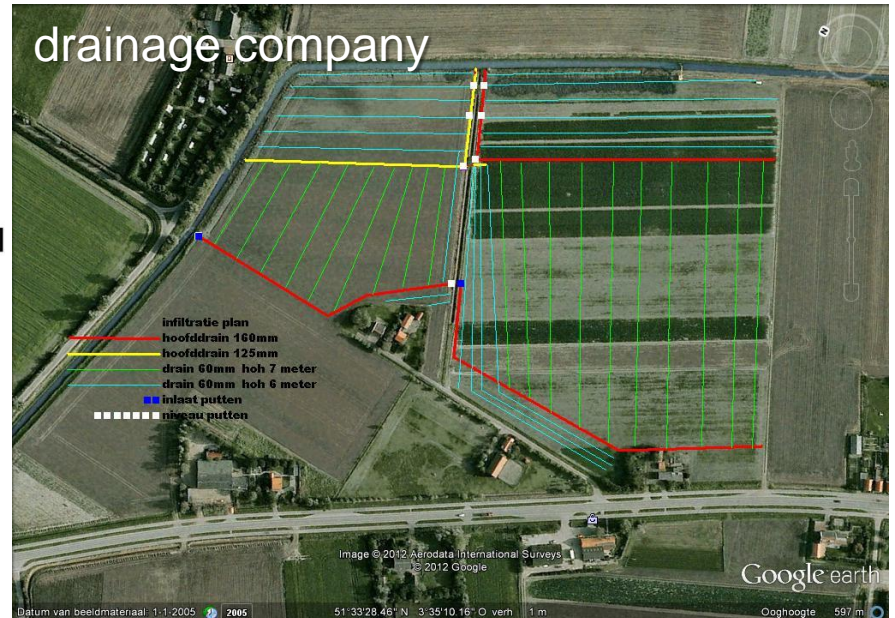
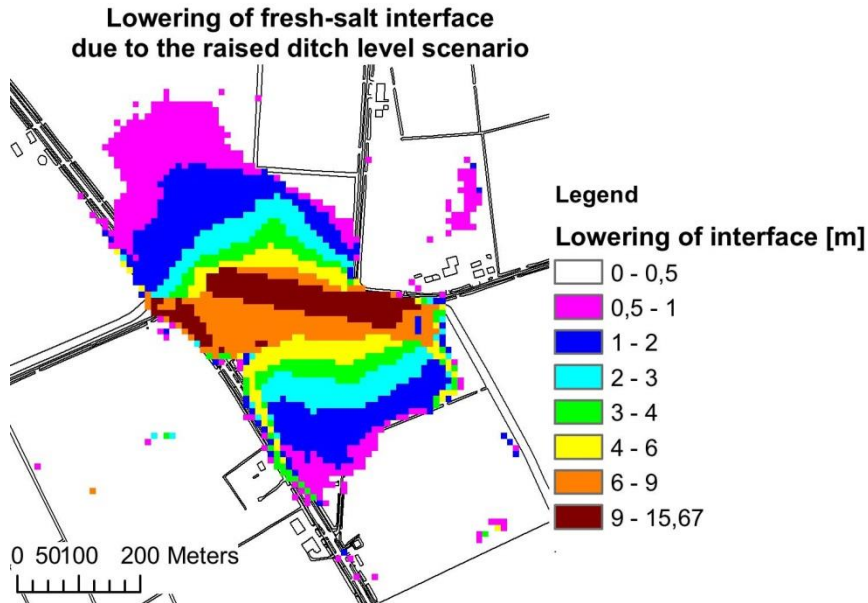
- 3 km² area
- 8 farms
 - 4 arable farming
 - 2 horticulture
 - 2 fruit
- start case study 2010



- measures
- communication to outside world

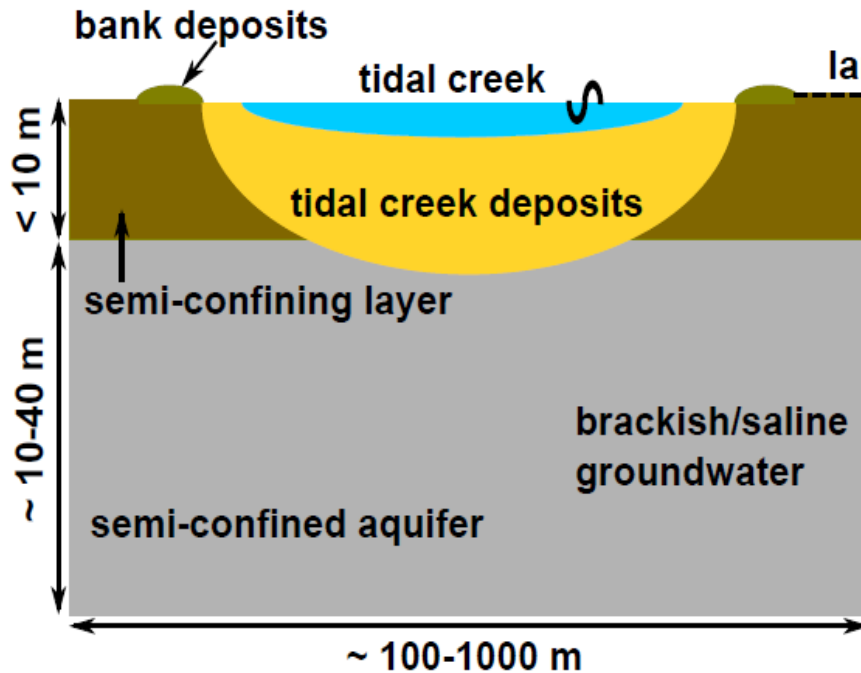


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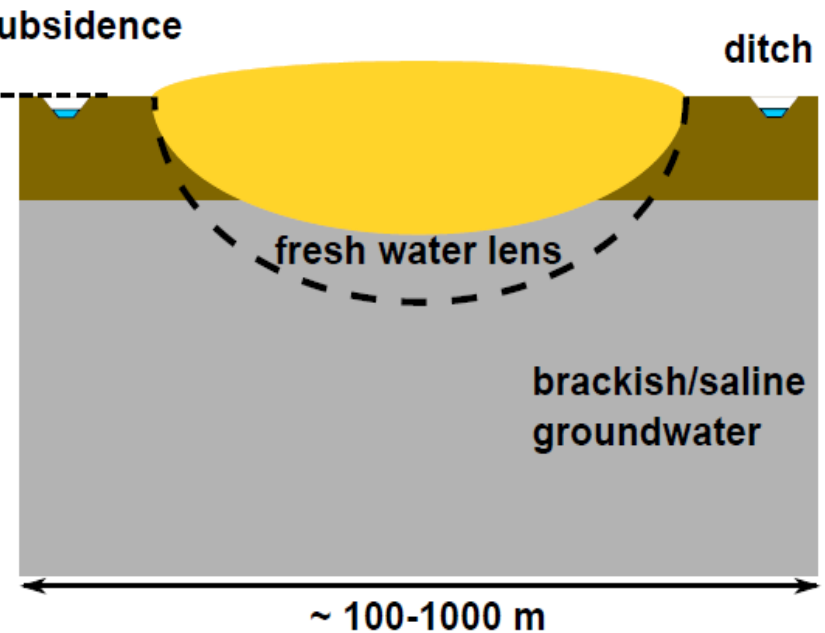


Creek ridges

1200 AD; before land reclamation

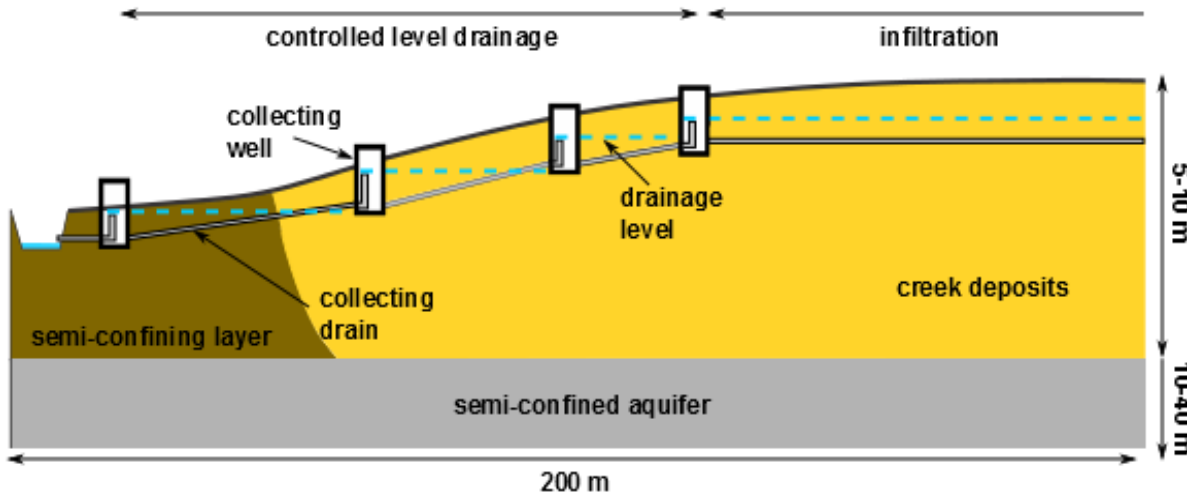


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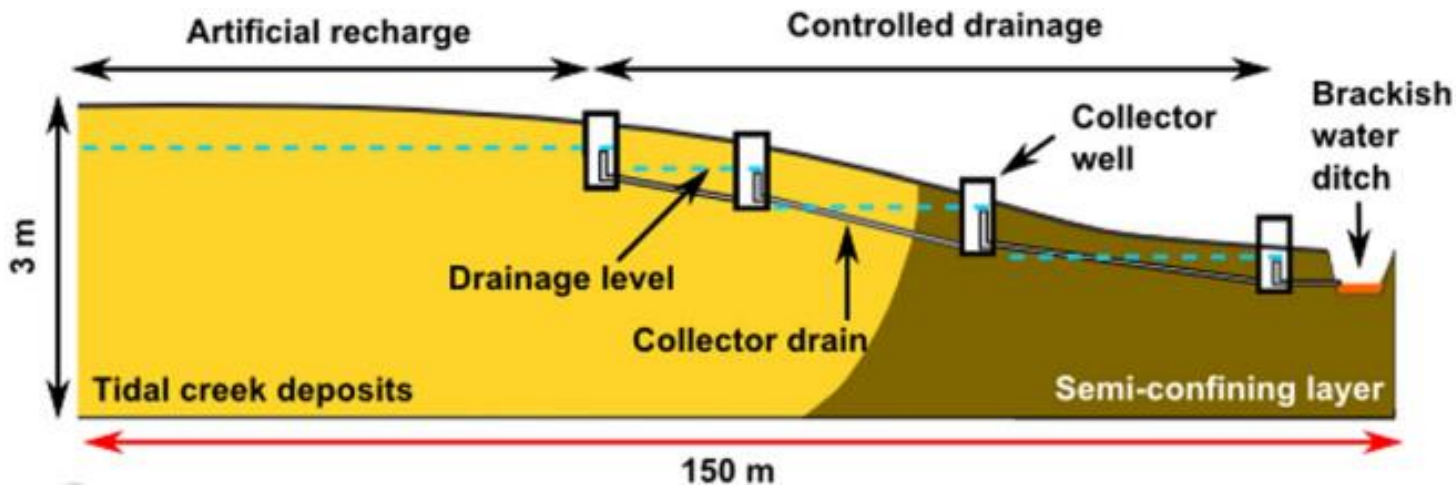


Measure

- Controlled level drainage
- Increase groundwater level



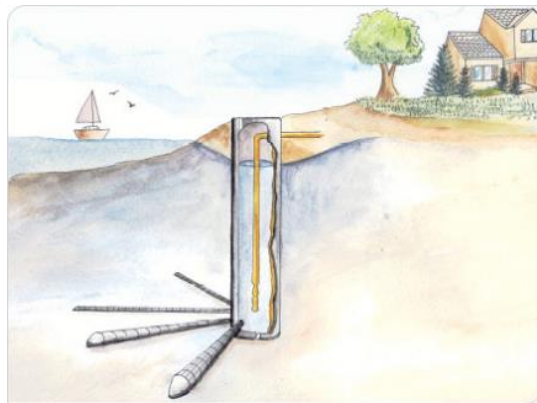
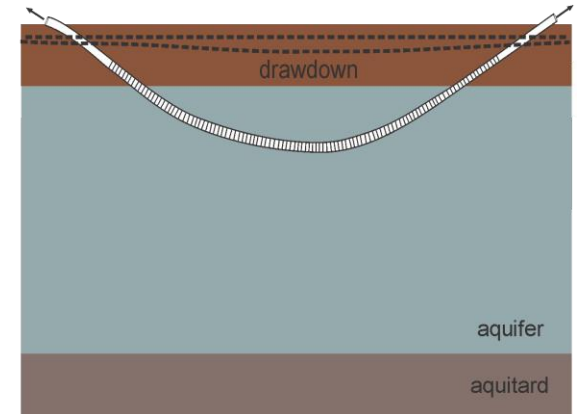
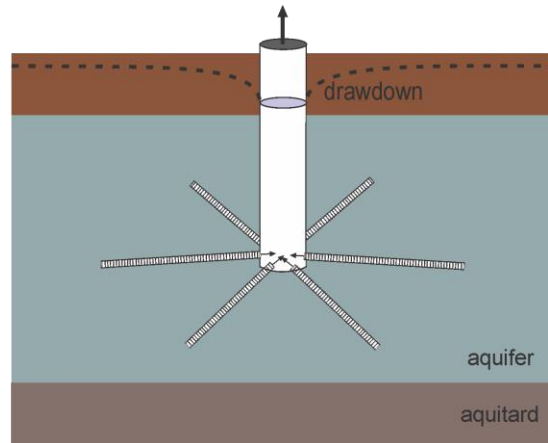
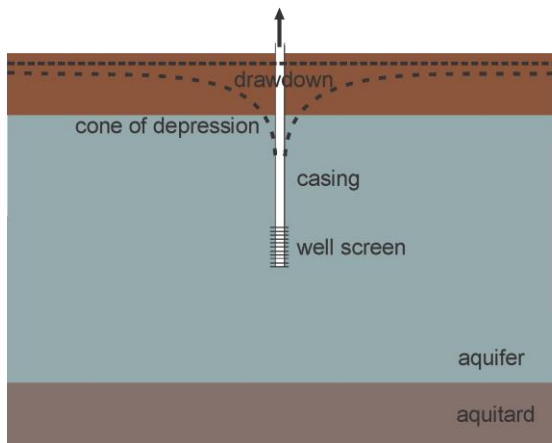
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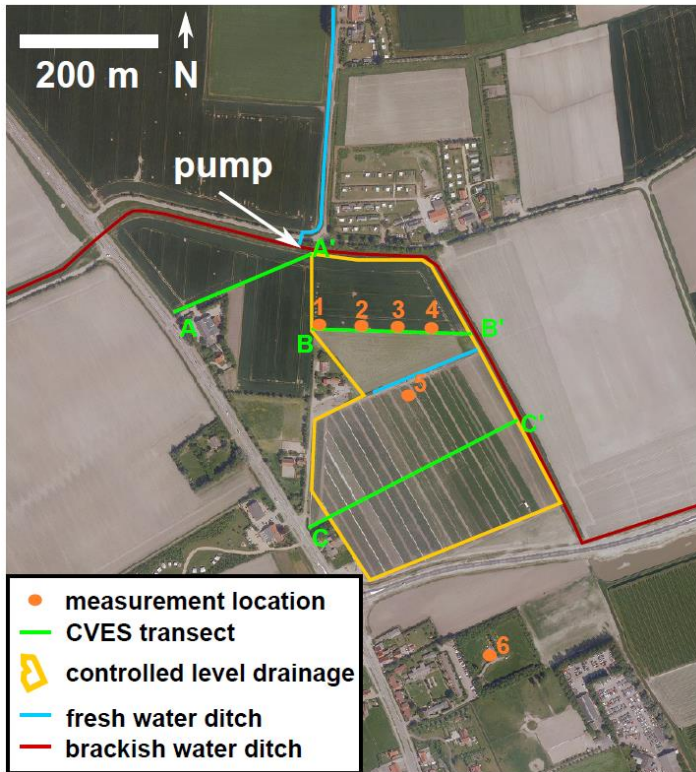
Legend

- Extent CARD system
- Location of the cross section show in a
- Fresh water ditch
- Brackish/saline water ditch
- Artificial recharge
- Controlled drainage

Types of extraction systems



Installation of drainage and monitoring network

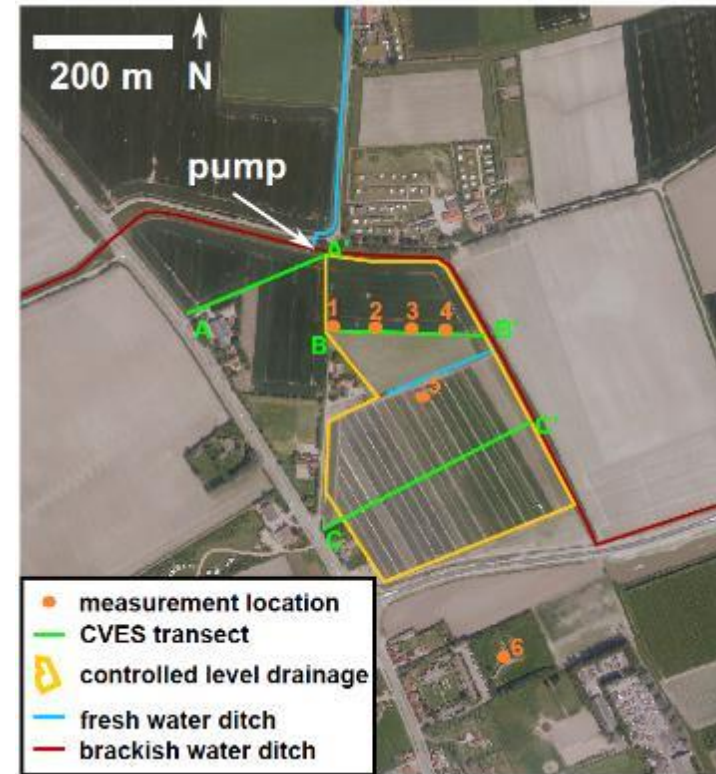


various types of field measurements

Different types of field measurements applied

Measurement type	Purpose
Pressure transducers ^a	Groundwater levels
Sampling using piezometer nest	EC_{w20}
SLIMFLEX ^b	EC_{bulk}
CPT ^c	Lithology and EC_{bulk}
CVES ^d	EC_{bulk}
SMD ^e	EC_{bulk}

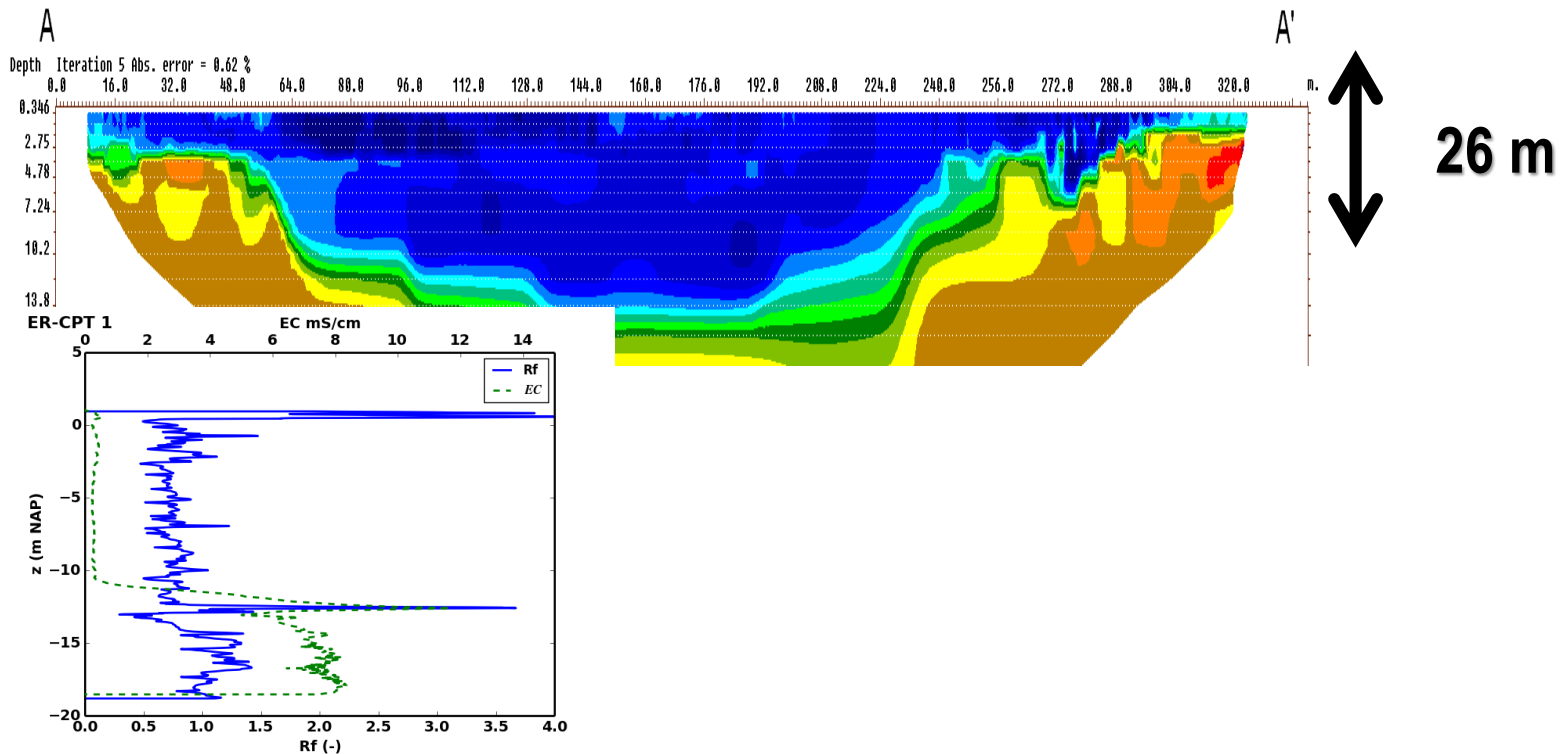
- a. Schlumberger, The Netherlands (type ' Diver ')
- b. Deltares, The Netherlands
- c. Fugro, The Netherlands
- d. ABEM, Sweden
- e. Imageau, France



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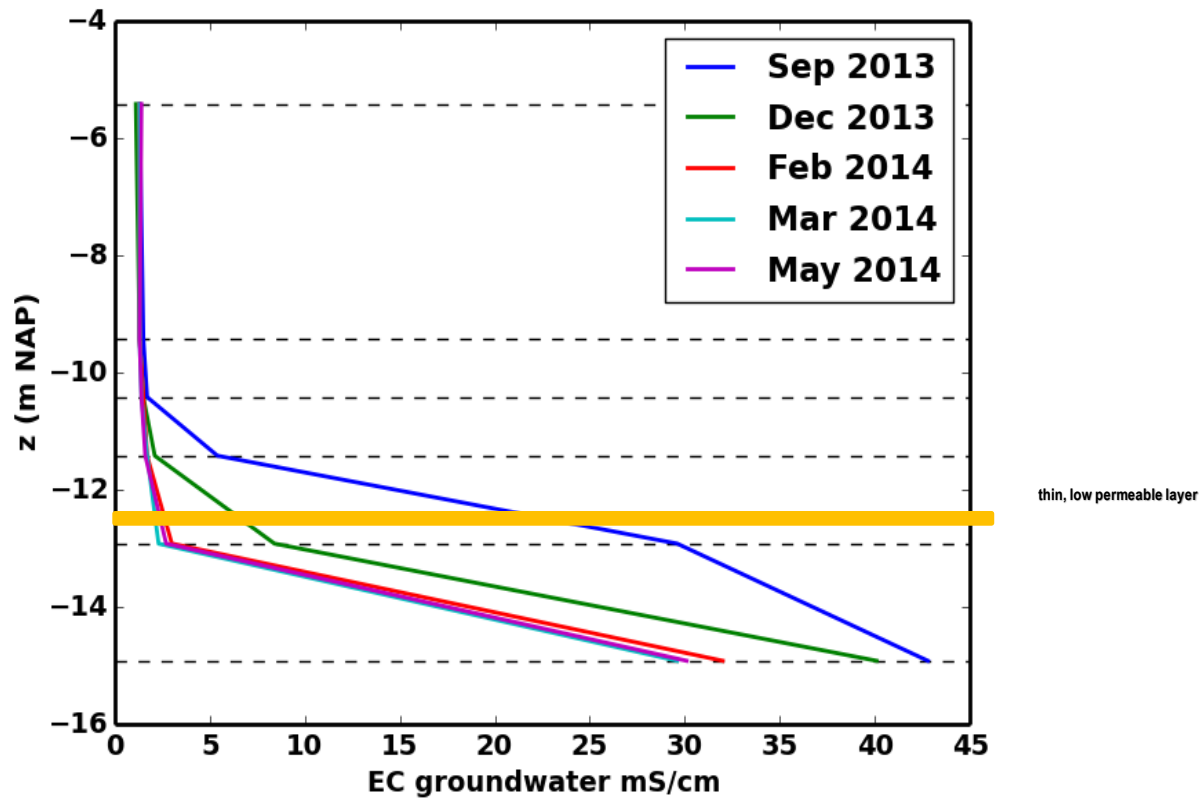
- Fresh groundwater up to -12 m NAP

360 m

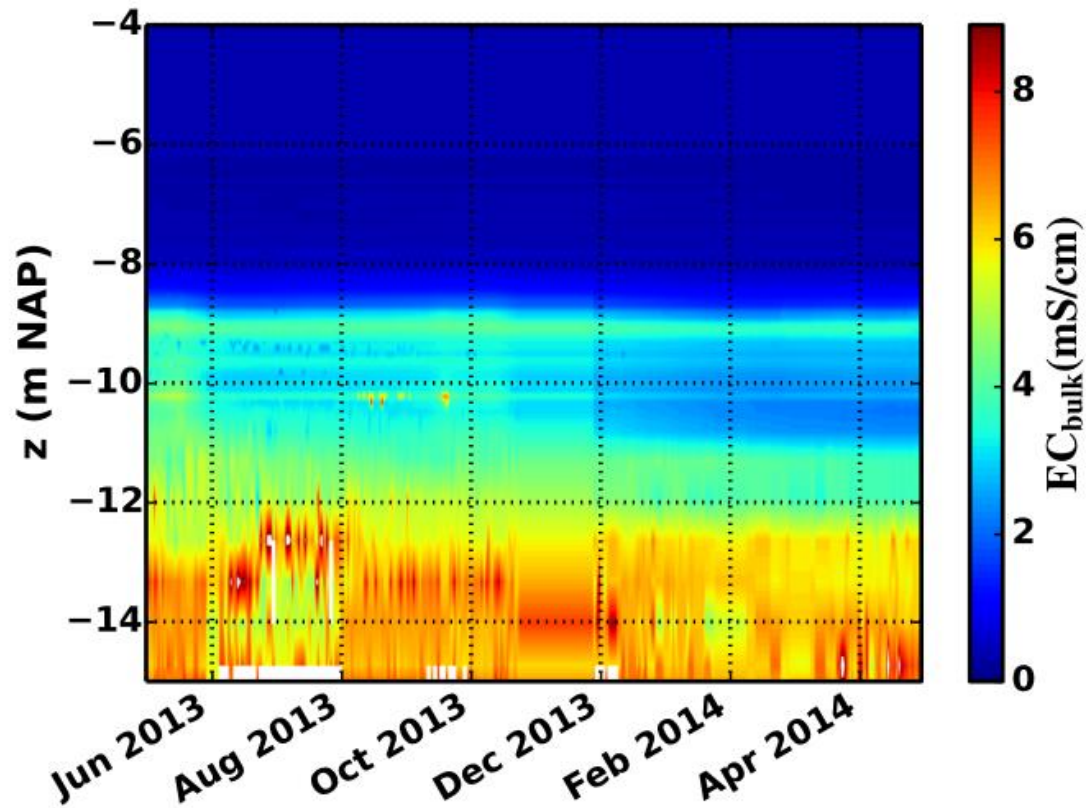
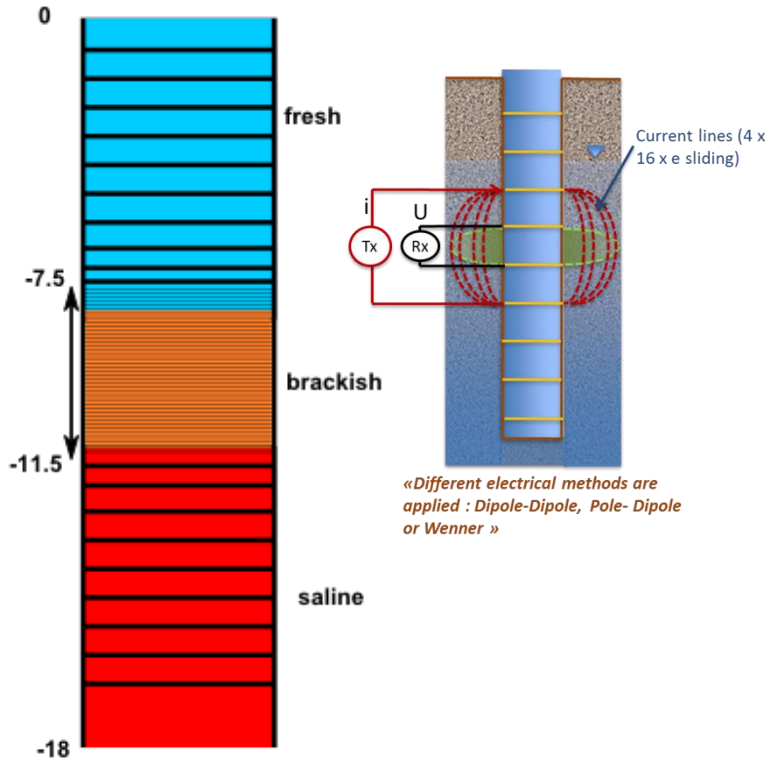


Key field observations (2)

- Freshening up to 2m



Subsurface Monitoring Device (SMD): Monitoring salinities

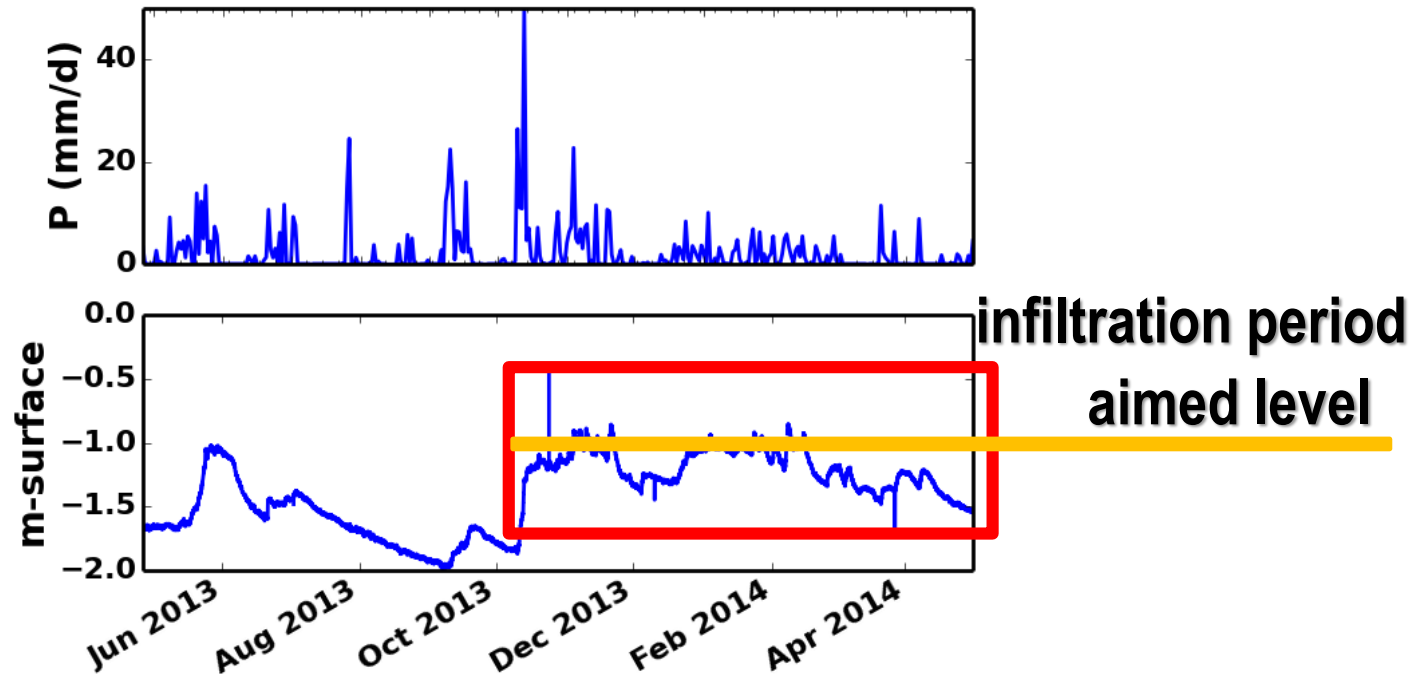


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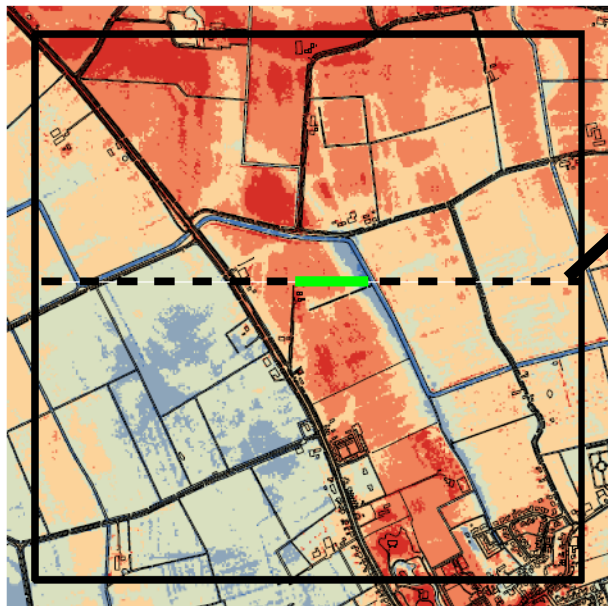


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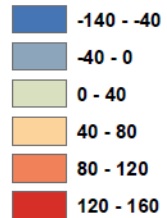
- Groundwater levels and precipitation





Modeling



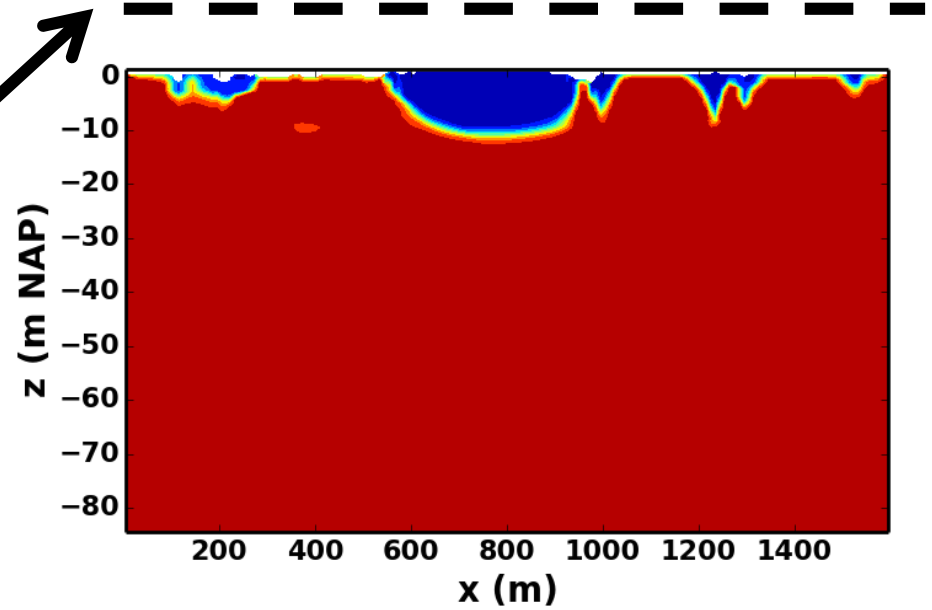
surface elevation
(cm NAP)



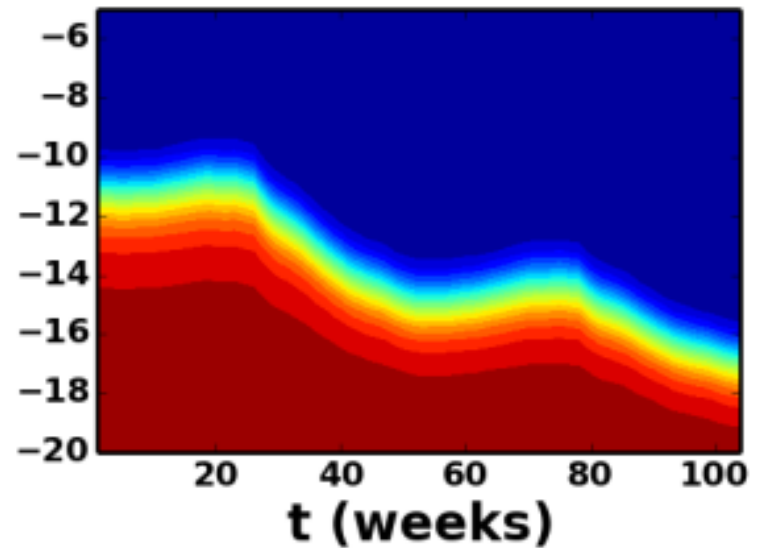
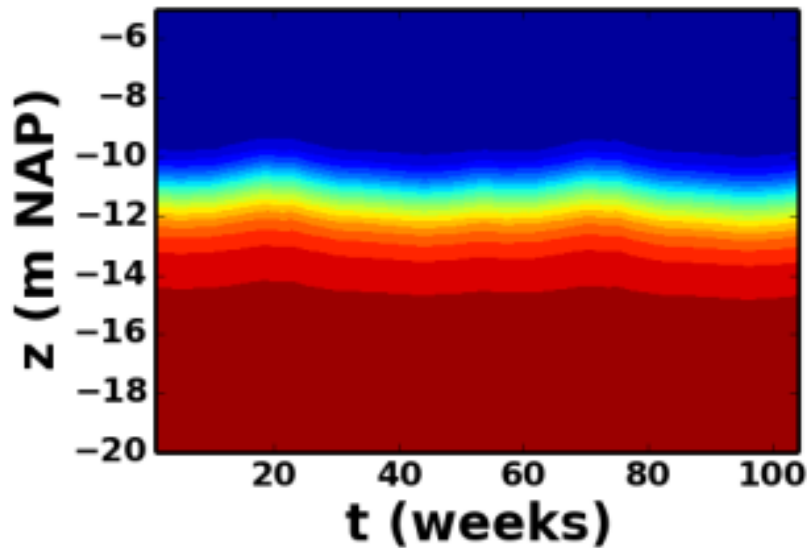
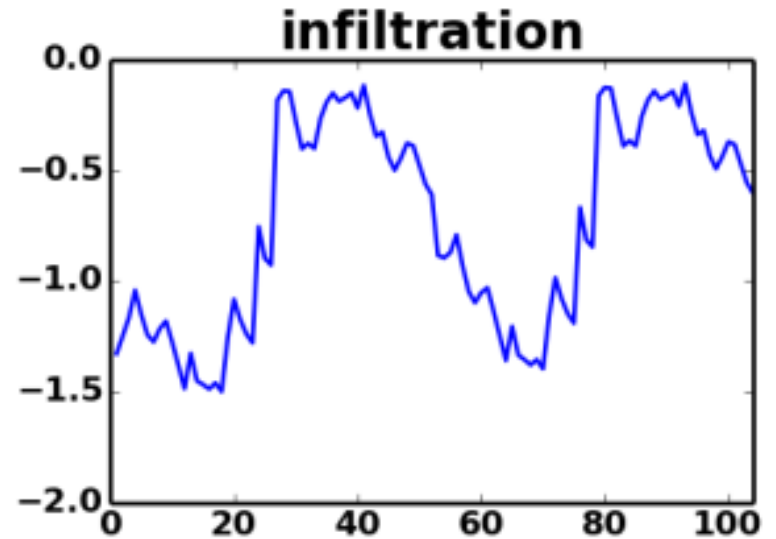
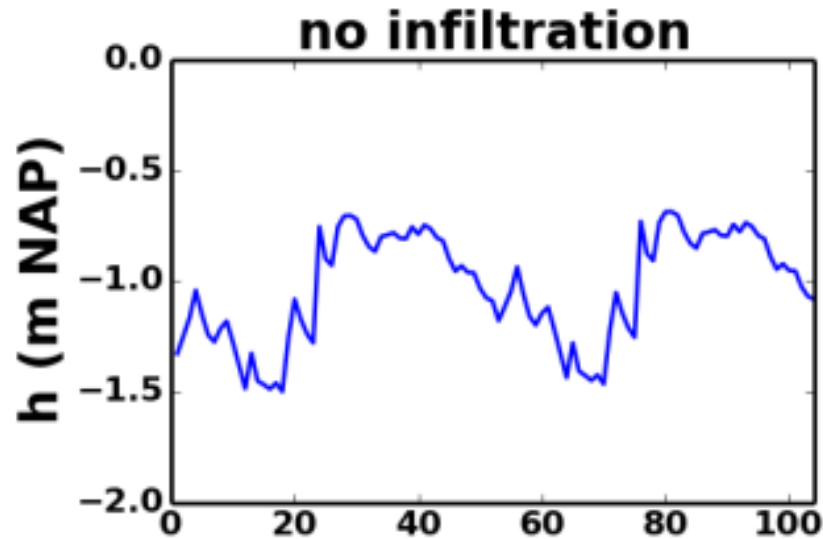
 model domain


200 m

creek ridge



Influence of infiltration



Example NL: Salt resistant crops on salty boils



Cl-conc seepage:

(Polder Noordplas)

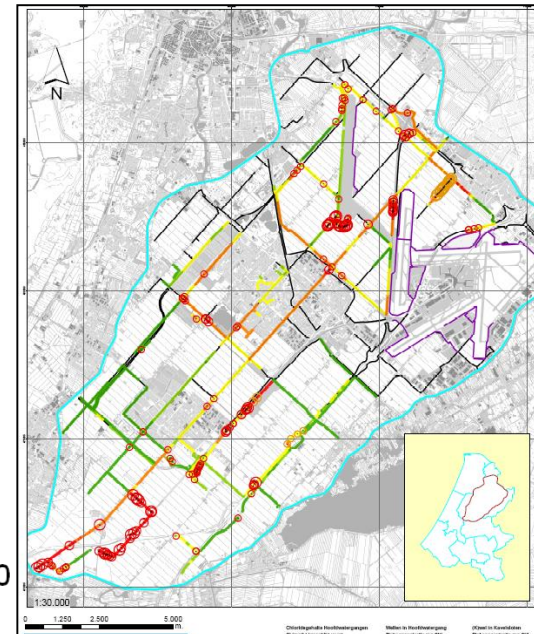
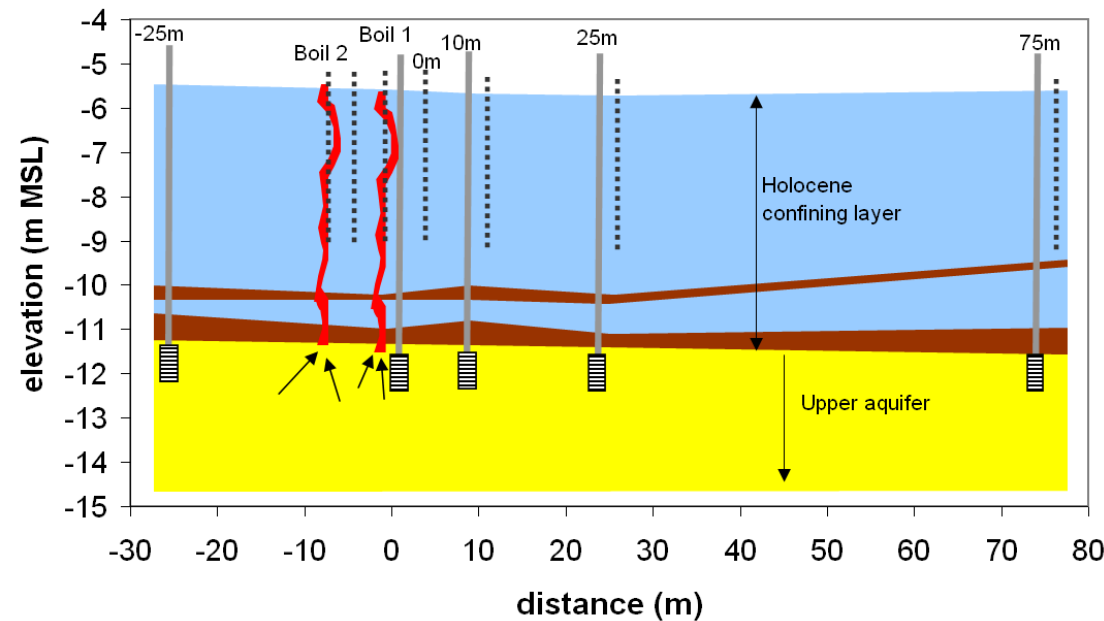
Diffuse : 100 mg/l

Paleochannel : 600 mg/l

Boils : 1100 mg/l



Ask Perry de Louw for details



Modelling

salt water intrusion

density dependent groundwater flow

Why mathematical modelling anyway?

A model is only a schematisation of the reality!

Why mathematical modelling anyway?

+:

- cheaper than scale models
- analysis of very complex systems is possible
- a model can be used as a database
- to increase knowledge about a system (water balances)

-:

- simplification of the reality
- only a tool, no purpose on itself
- garbage in=garbage out: (field)data important
- perfect fit measurement and simulation is suspicious

Numerical modelling variable density flow

Type:

- sharp interface models
- solute transport models

State of the art:

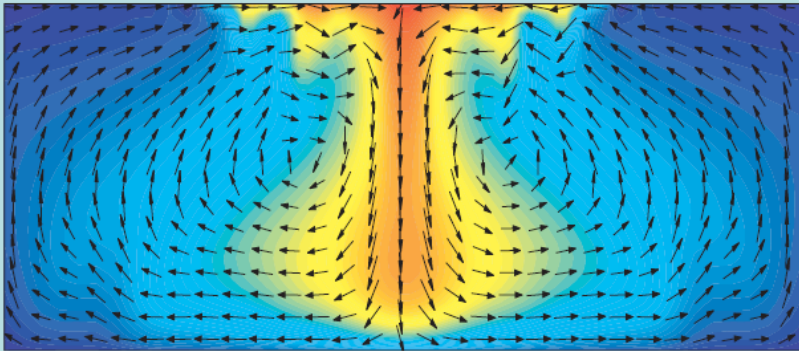
- three-dimensional
- solute transport
- transient

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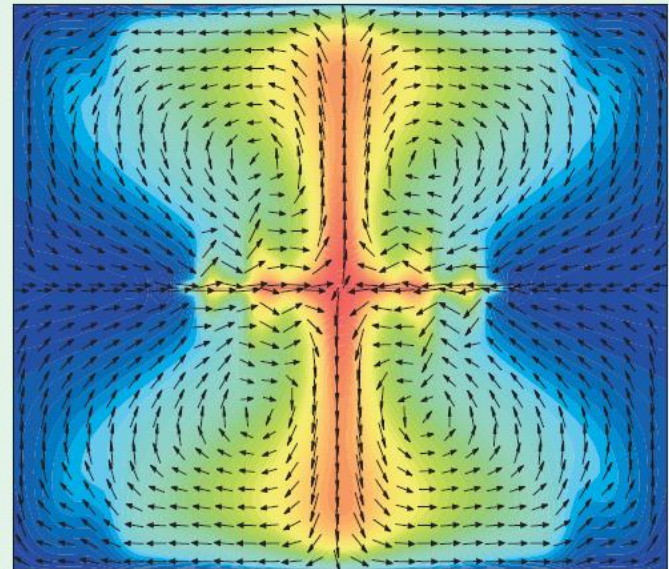
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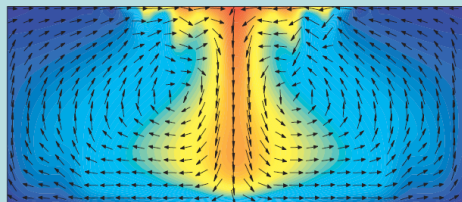
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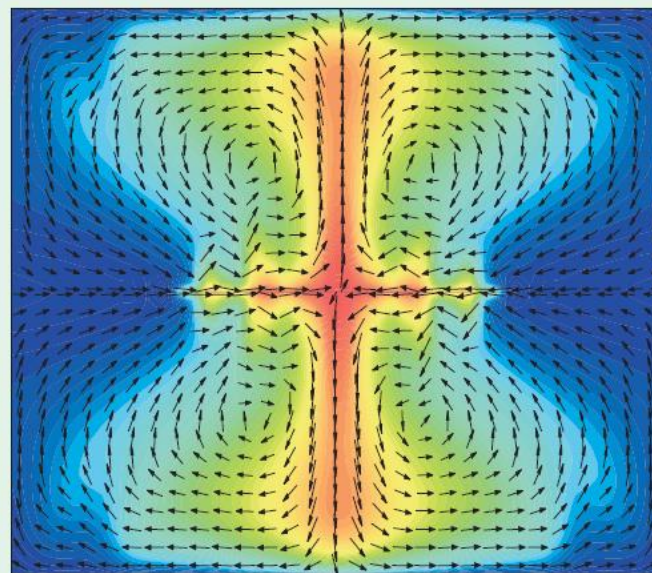
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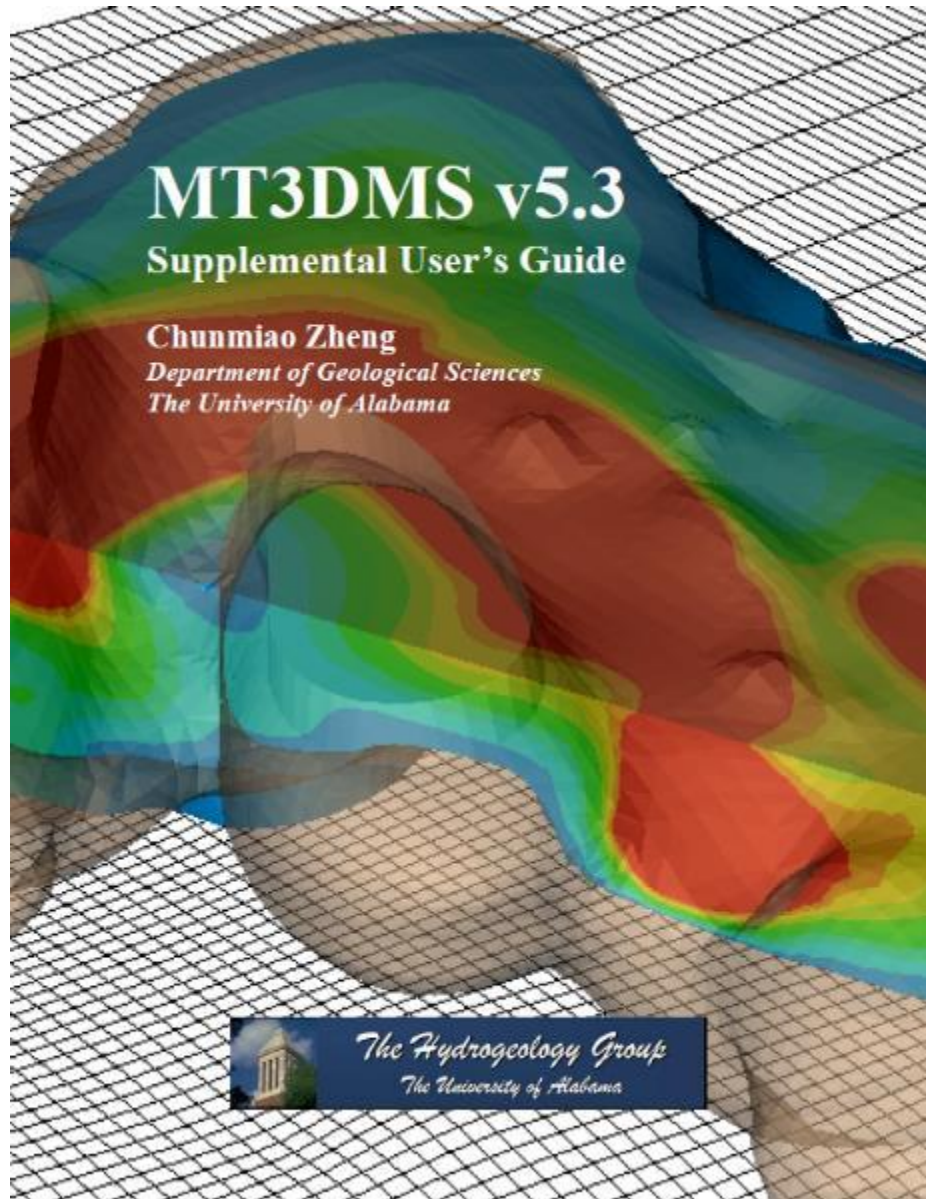
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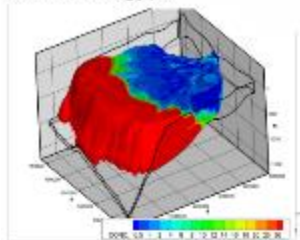
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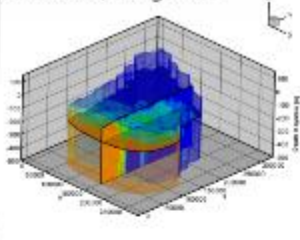


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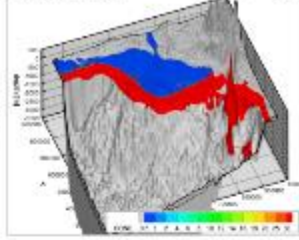
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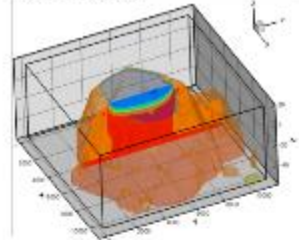
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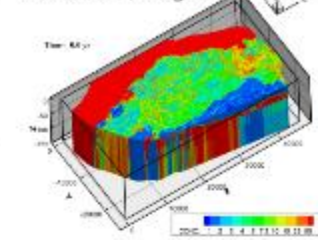
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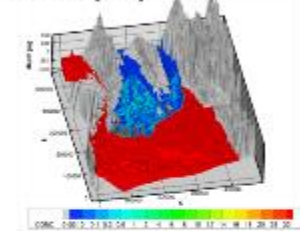
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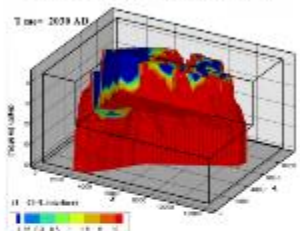
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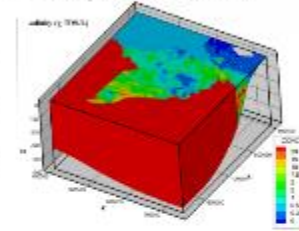
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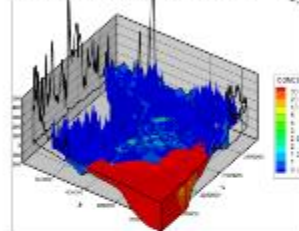
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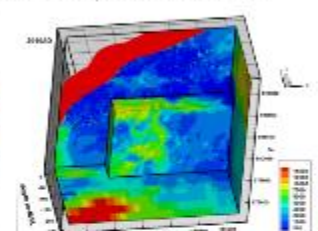
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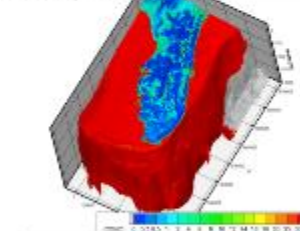
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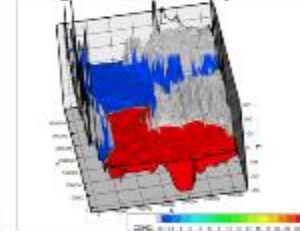
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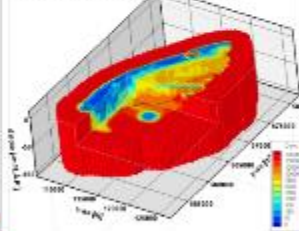
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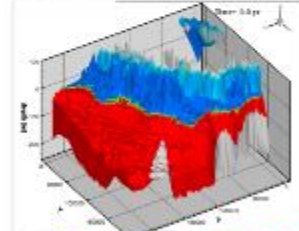
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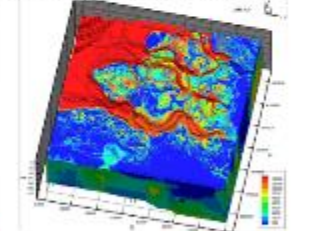
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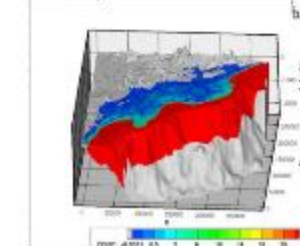
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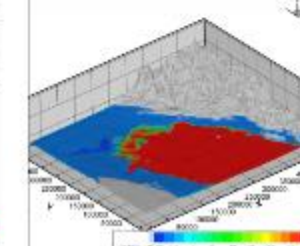
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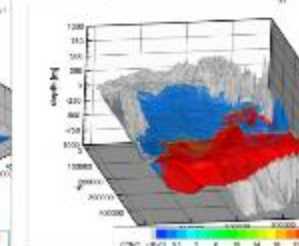
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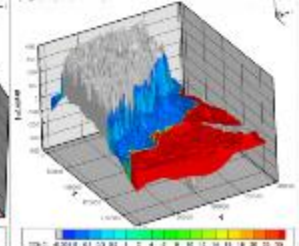
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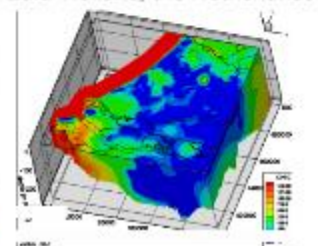
Orinoco, Venezuela



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Zuid-Holland, the Netherlands



Some existing 3D codes which simulate variable density groundwater flow in porous media:

SEAWAT (*Guo & Bennett, 98*)

METROPOL (*Sauter, '87*)

FEFLOW (*Diersch, '94*)

MVAEM (*Strack, '95*)

D3F (*Wittum et al., '98*)

MOCDENS3D (*Oude Essink, '98*)

HydroGeoSphere (*Therrien, '92*)

SWICHA (*Huyakorn et al., '87*)

SWIFT (*Ward, '91*)

FAST-C 3D (*Holzbecher, 98*)

MODFLOW+MT3D96 (*Gerven, '98*)

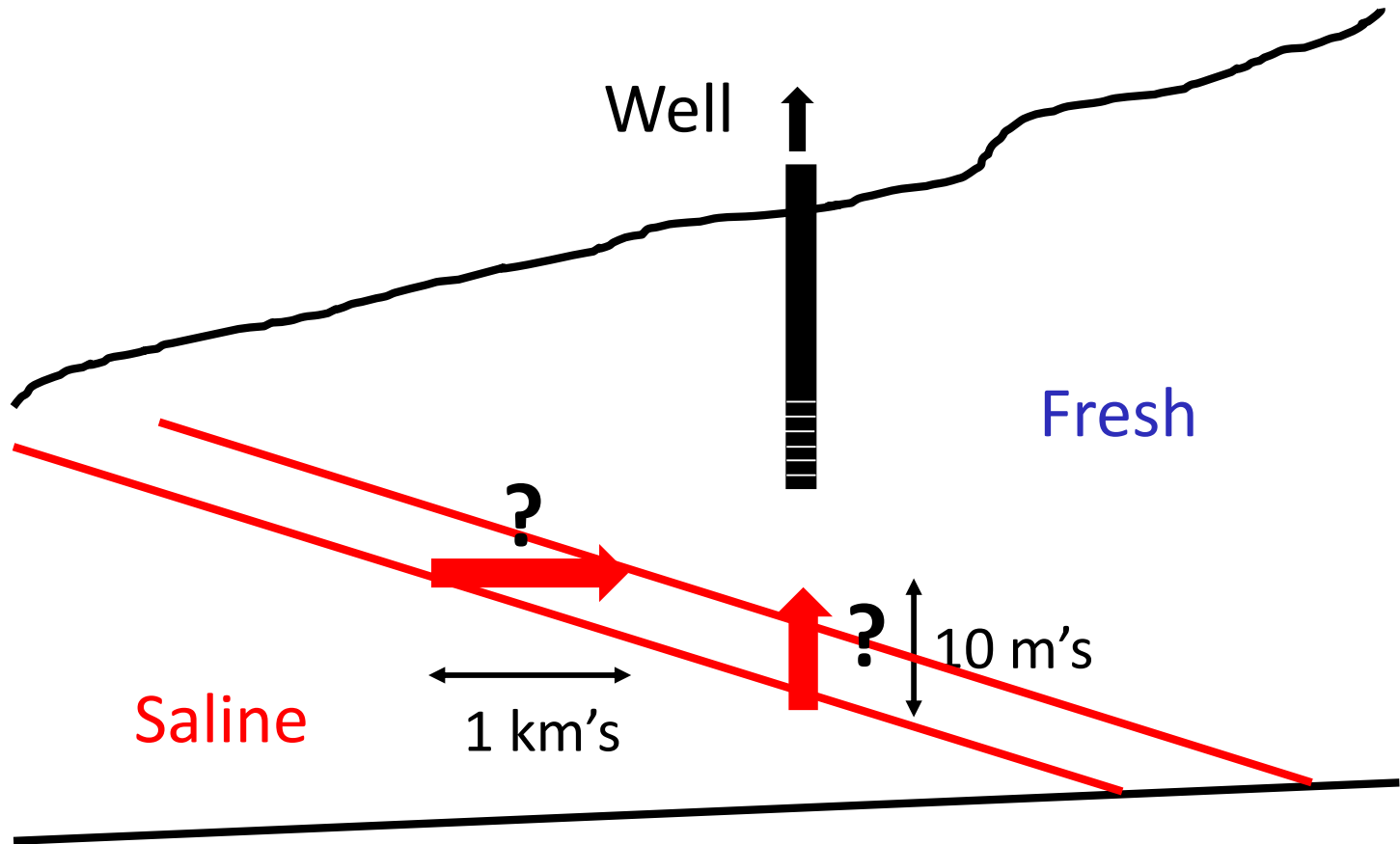
HST3D (*Kipp, '86*)

SUTRA (beta-version, *Voss, '02*)

Fresh-salt groundwater modelling issues

1. Grid convergence
2. Vert-hor displacement interface
3. Transient versus Steady-state
4. Salt BC: e.g. far enough for the area of interest, BC zz 3D model
5. Do not trust solvers default: e.g. Case Nile delta
6. Rotation mixing, effect of dispersion
7. Big delta systems and drain-river packages: there is always a drainage system around
 - a. Conductance for large cells
 - b. Sof okay, but check it
8. Rule of Thumb: Lambda (GHB)
9. Animation over more times than just Stress Periods
10. Focus velocity field, including high DEM contrast!

Movement of interface: hor. of vert.?



Visualisation tools

- Tecplot <https://www.tecplot.com/>
- Paraview <https://www.paraview.org/>
- iMOD <https://oss.deltares.nl/web/imod>
- Flopy <https://www.usgs.gov/software/flopy-python-package-creating-running-and-post-processing-modflow-based-models>
- Modelviewer <https://www.usgs.gov/software/model-viewer-a-program-three-dimensional-visualization-ground-water-model-results>

SEAWAT

$$\nabla \cdot \left[\rho K_o \left(\nabla h_f + \frac{\rho - \rho_f}{\rho_f} \nabla z \right) \right] = \rho S_s \frac{\partial h_f}{\partial t} + \theta \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial C} \frac{\partial C}{\partial t} - \rho_{ss} q_{ss}$$

where ρ is the density of the groundwater ($M L^{-3}$); K_o is the hydraulic conductivity tensor ($L T^{-1}$); h_f is the freshwater head (L); z is the vertical coordinate (L); ρ_f is the density of fresh groundwater ($M L^{-3}$); S_s is the specific storage coefficient (L^{-1}); t is the time (T); ϕ is the effective porosity (-); C is the concentration ($M L^{-3}$); ρ_{ss} is the density of the sink or source (T^{-1}); and q_{ss} is the sink and source term (T^{-1}).

$$\rho = \rho_f + \frac{\partial \rho}{\partial C} C$$

$$\frac{\partial(\theta C)}{\partial t} = \nabla \cdot (\theta D \cdot \nabla C) - \nabla \cdot (q C) - q_{ss} C_{ss}$$

where D is the hydrodynamic dispersion tensor ($L^2 T^{-1}$); q is the specific discharge vector ($L T^{-1}$) and C_{ss} is the source and sink concentration ($M L^{-3}$).

Restrictions 3D salt water intrusion modelling

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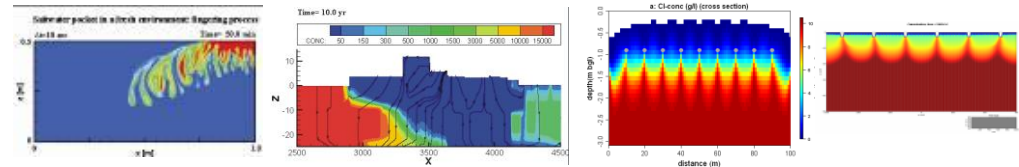
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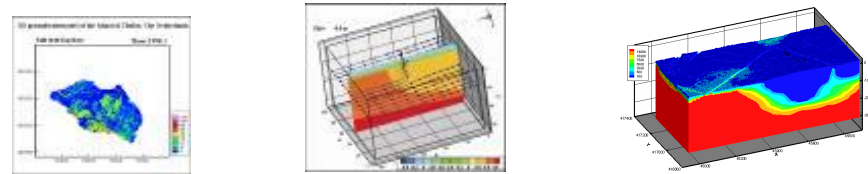
solution is better solvers

Modelling fresh-salt groundwater on different scales

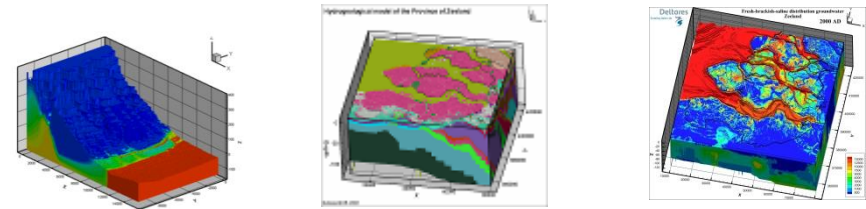
Sub-local: fingering, salty sand boils
storm surges (e.g. Tsunami 2004)
cell size=1cm-1m



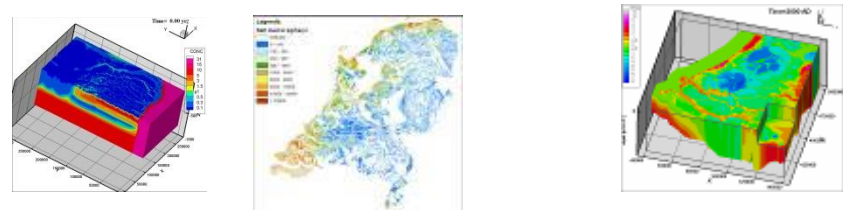
Local: rainwater lenses, Aquifer Storage and Recovery, heat-cold
cell size=5-25m



Regional: fresh groundwater volumes farmer level
cell size=100m



National: salt load, national fresh groundwater volumes, impact SLR
cell size=250m-2km



Goal:

To take largest cell size possible to accurately model relevant salinisation processes

Boundary Conditions Models

Dirichlet: head

- fixed head (DEM minus unsaturated zone)

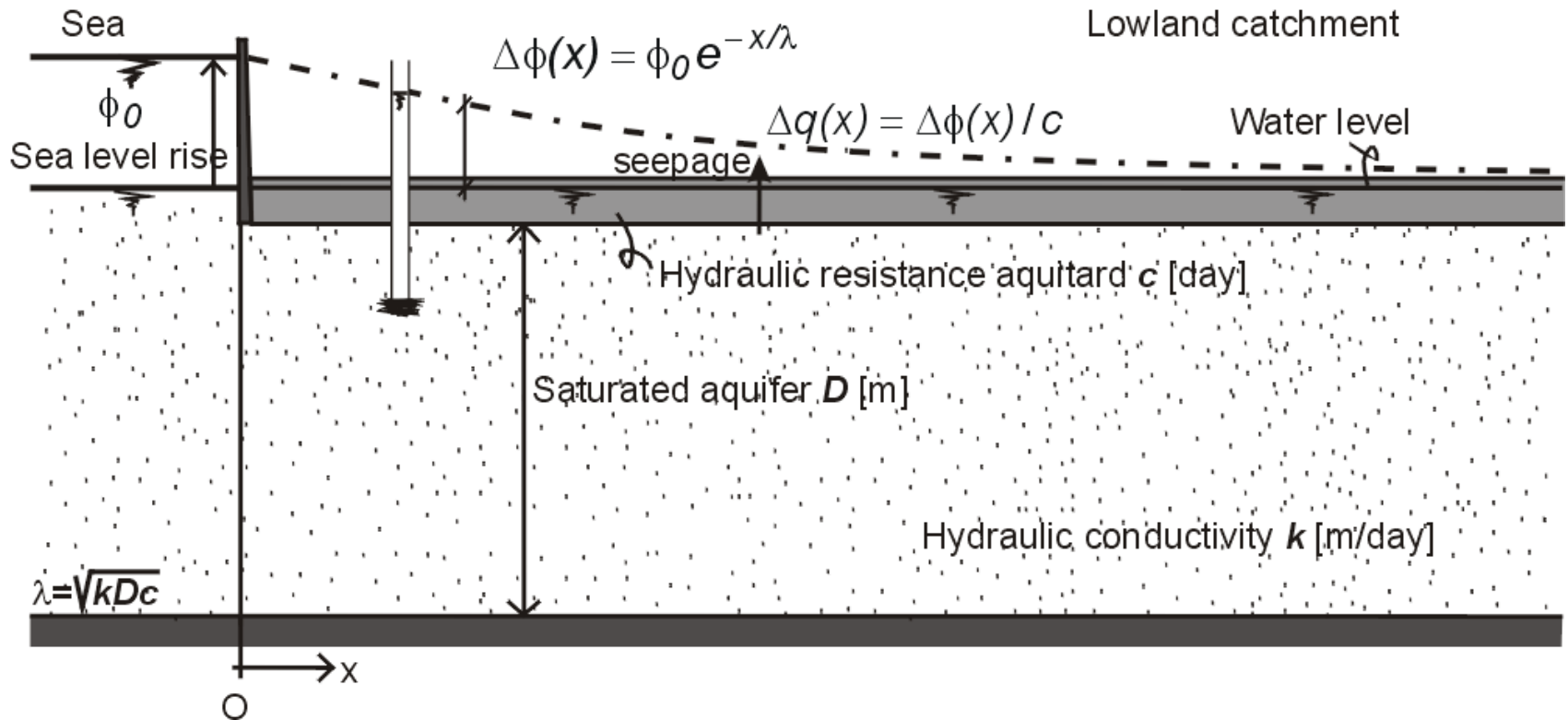
Neumann: flux

- Zero = no-flow
- Constant

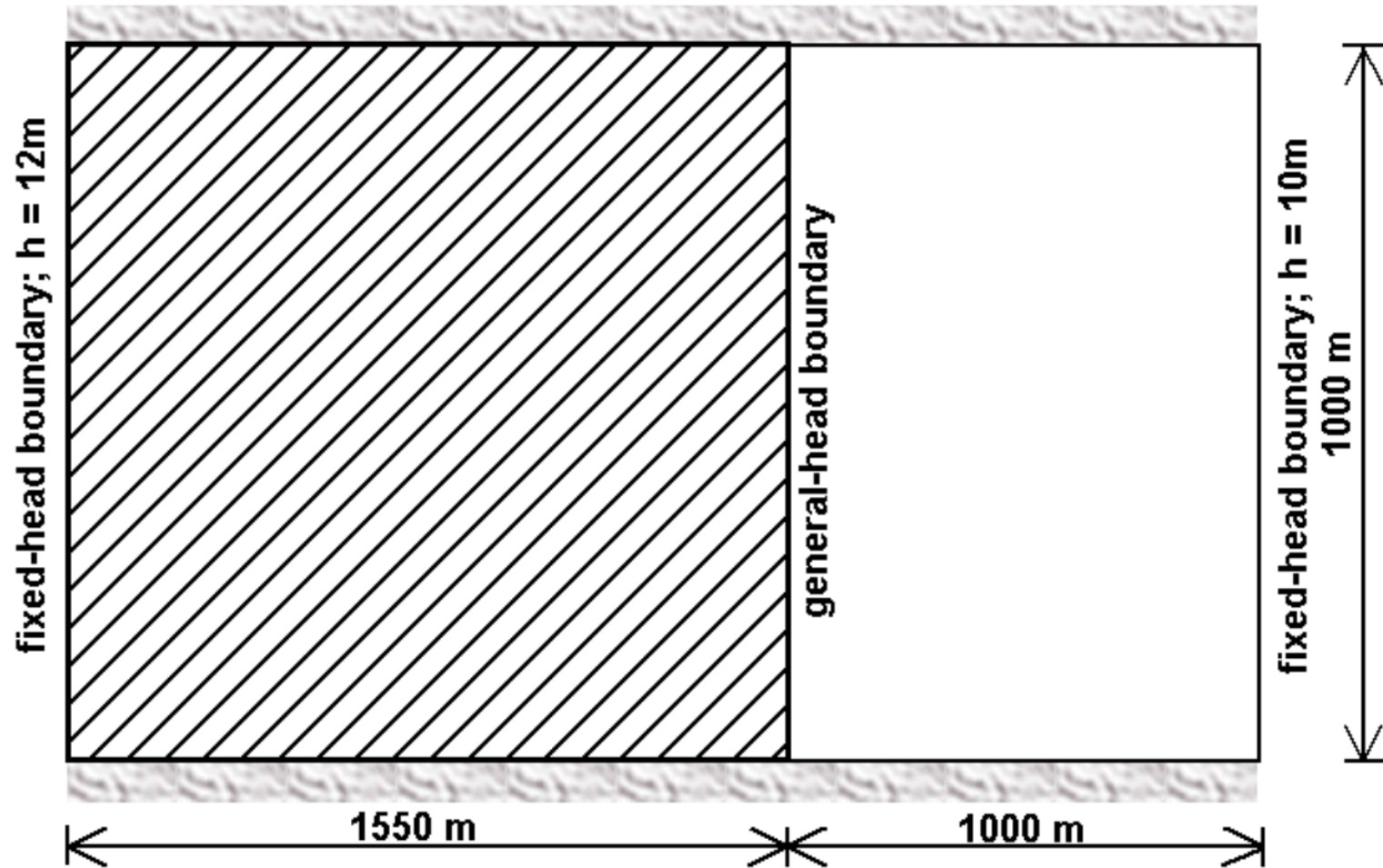
Robin / Cauchy: mixed

- Like General Head Boundary!

Formula of Mazure, zone of influence head



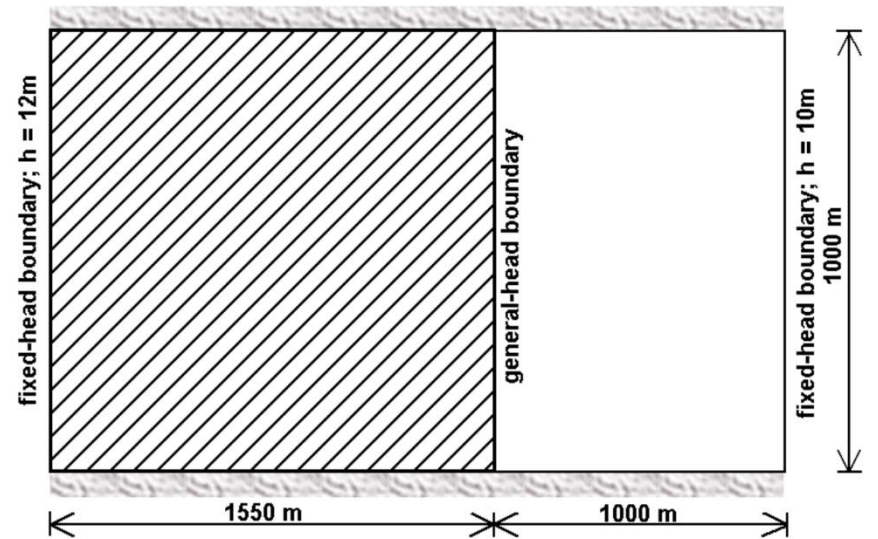
Using the GHB for the head BC



Using the GHB for the head BC

$$\text{Conductance}_{\text{GHB}} = K_{\text{GHB}} \cdot A/L$$

- K_{GHB} is the (horizontal) hydraulic conductivity,
- L is the distance from the actual fixed-head boundary to the modeled GHB cell,
- A is the area of the cell face, which is perpendicular to the groundwater flow in the unmodeled area.



Solute transport models

Combine
the groundwater flow equation
and
the advection-dispersion equation
by means of
an equation of state

Solute transport equation

Partial differential equation (PDE):

$$R_d \frac{\partial C}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} \left(D_{ij} \frac{\partial C}{\partial x_j} \right) - \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} (C V_i) + \frac{(C - C_e) W}{n_e} - R_d \lambda C$$

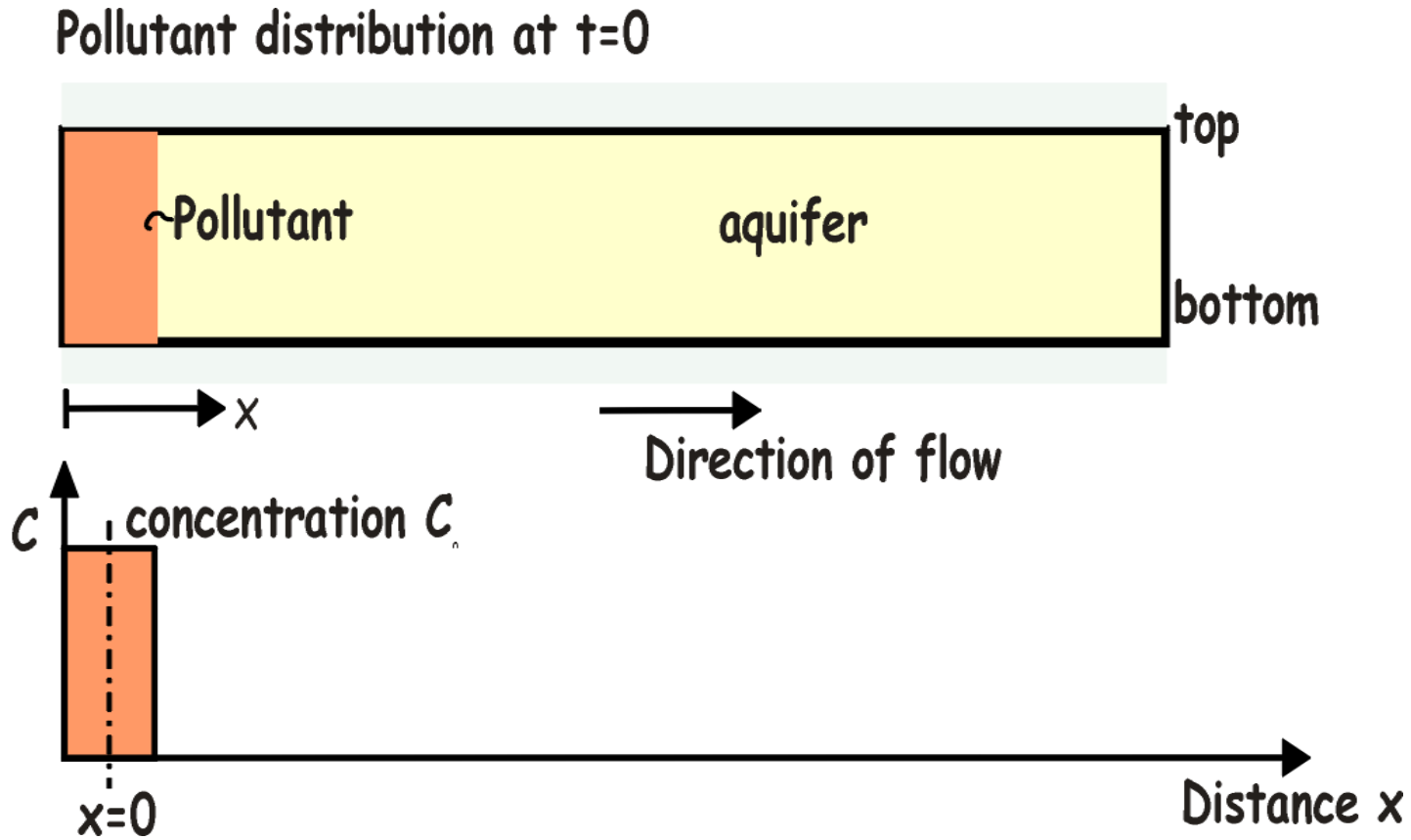
change in concentration dispersion diffusion advection source/sink decay

D_{ij} =hydrodynamic dispersion [$L^2 T^{-1}$]

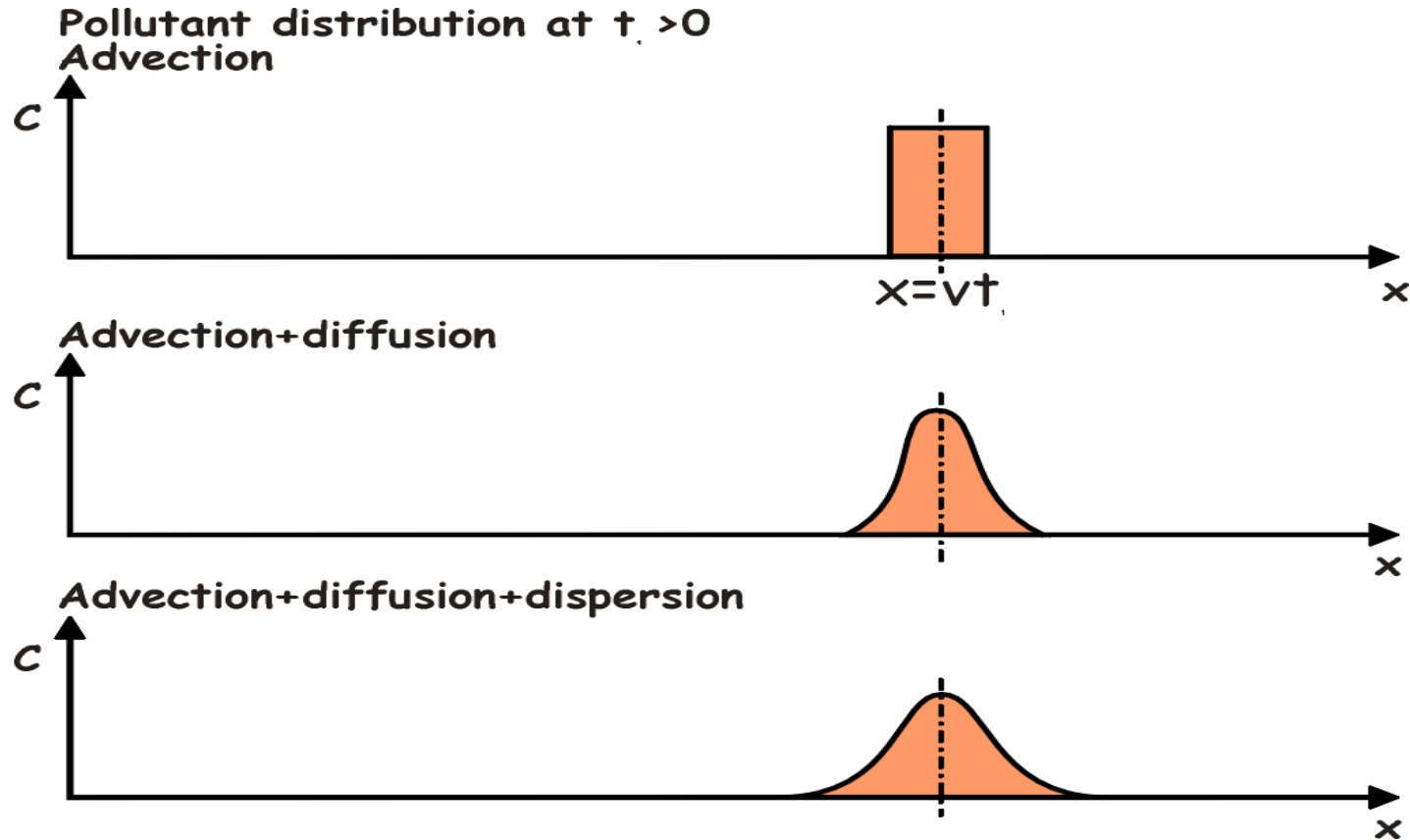
R_d =retardation factor [-]

λ =decay-term [T^{-1}]

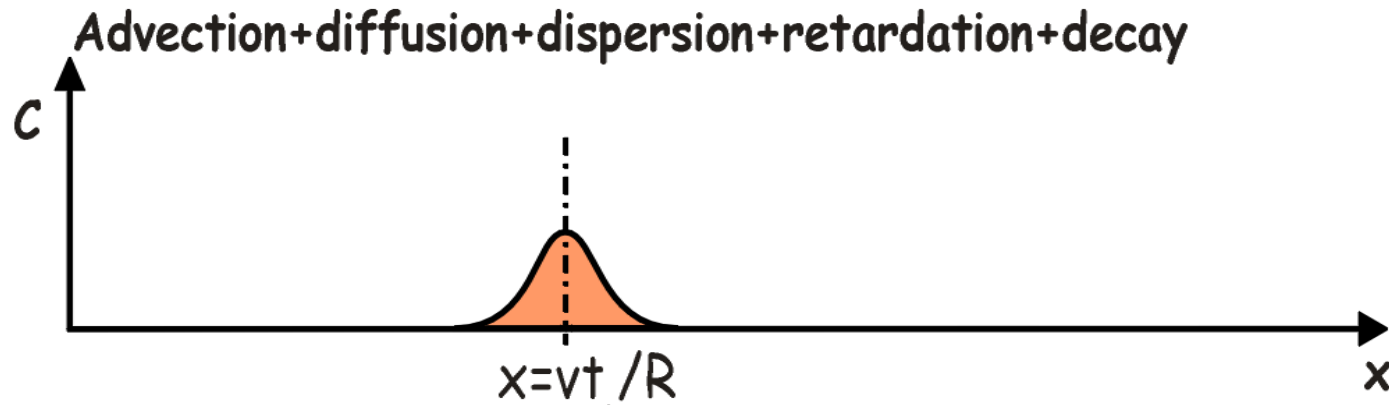
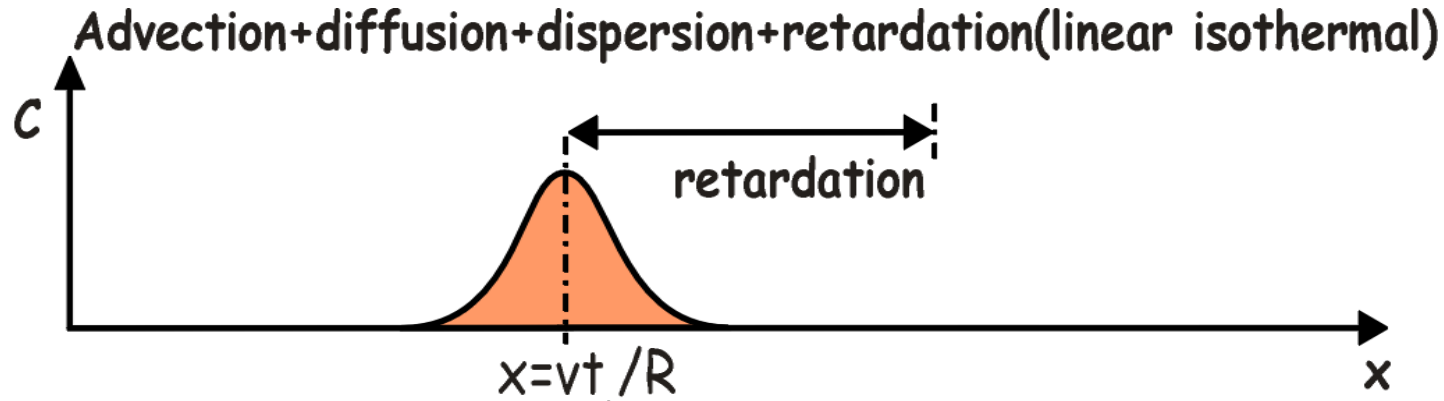
Solute transport equation: column test (I):



Solute transport equation: column test (II):



Solute transport equation: column test (III):



Hydrodynamic dispersion

$$\begin{aligned} &\text{hydrodynamic dispersion} \\ &= \\ &\text{mechanical dispersion} + \text{diffusion} \end{aligned}$$

mechanical dispersion:

tensor

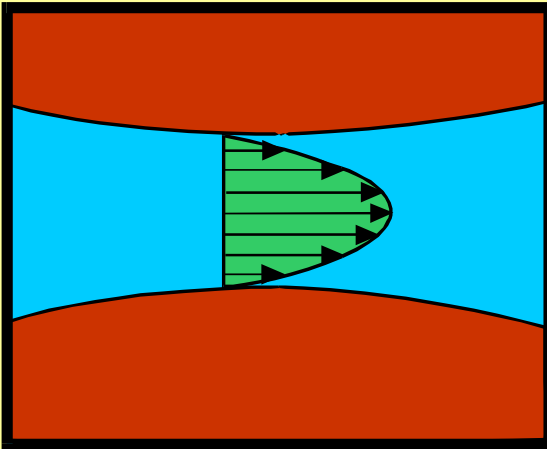
velocity dependant

diffusion:

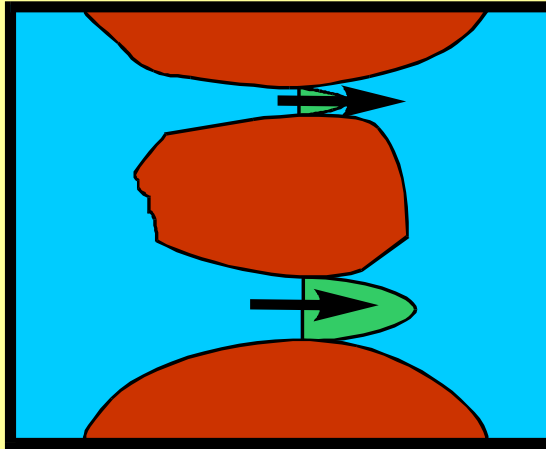
molecular process

solute spread due to concentration differences

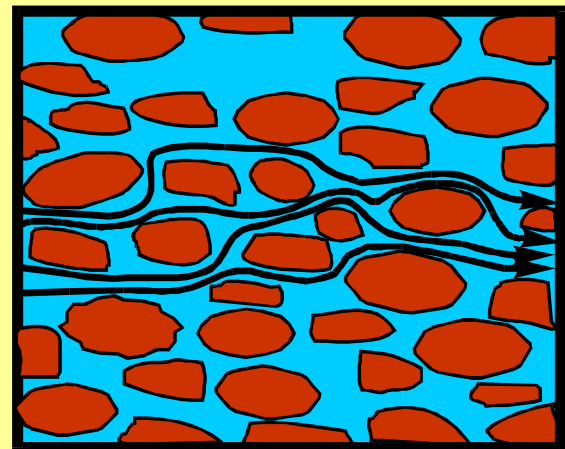
Mechanical dispersion



Differences in velocity
in the pore

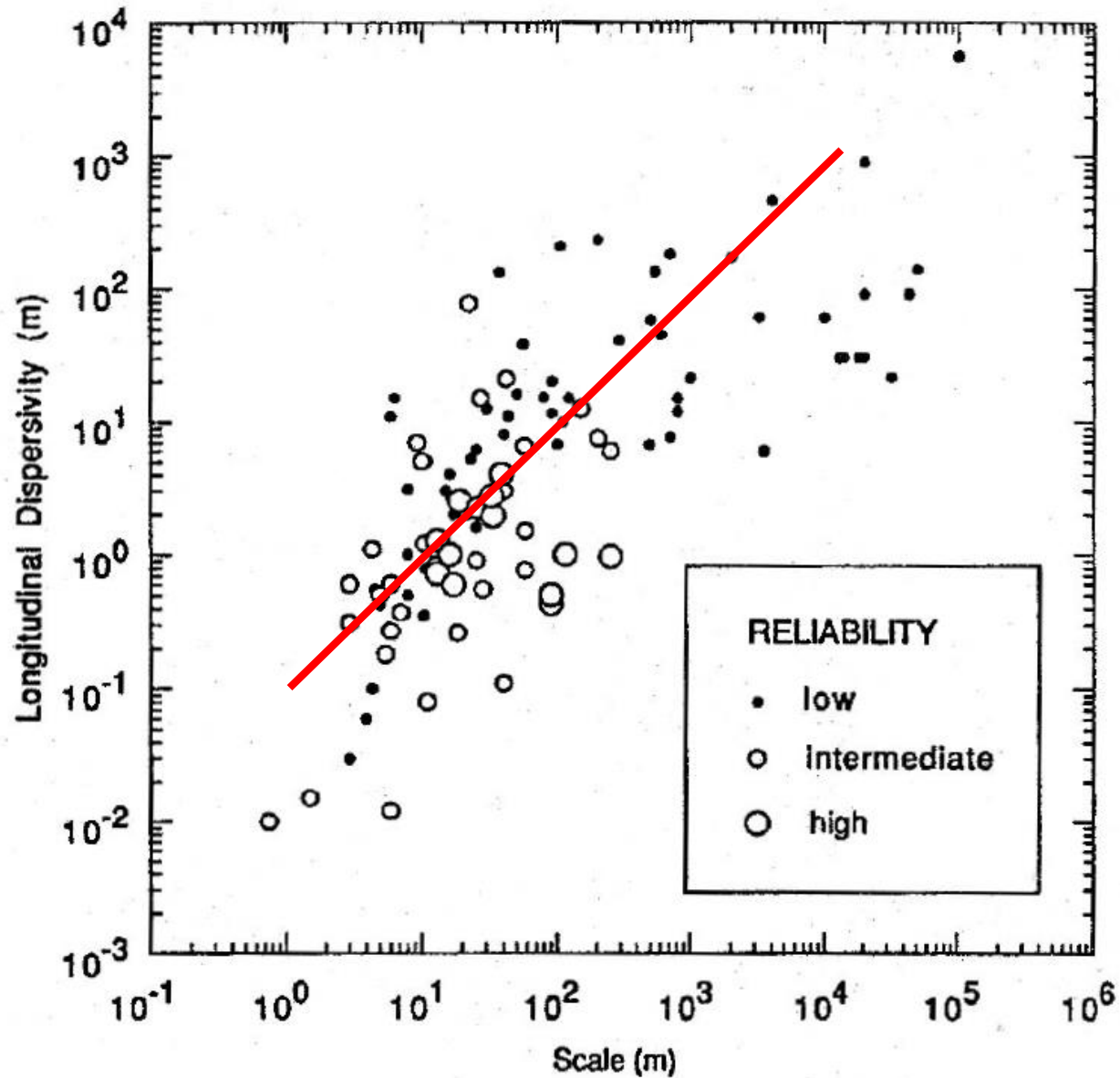


Differences in velocity
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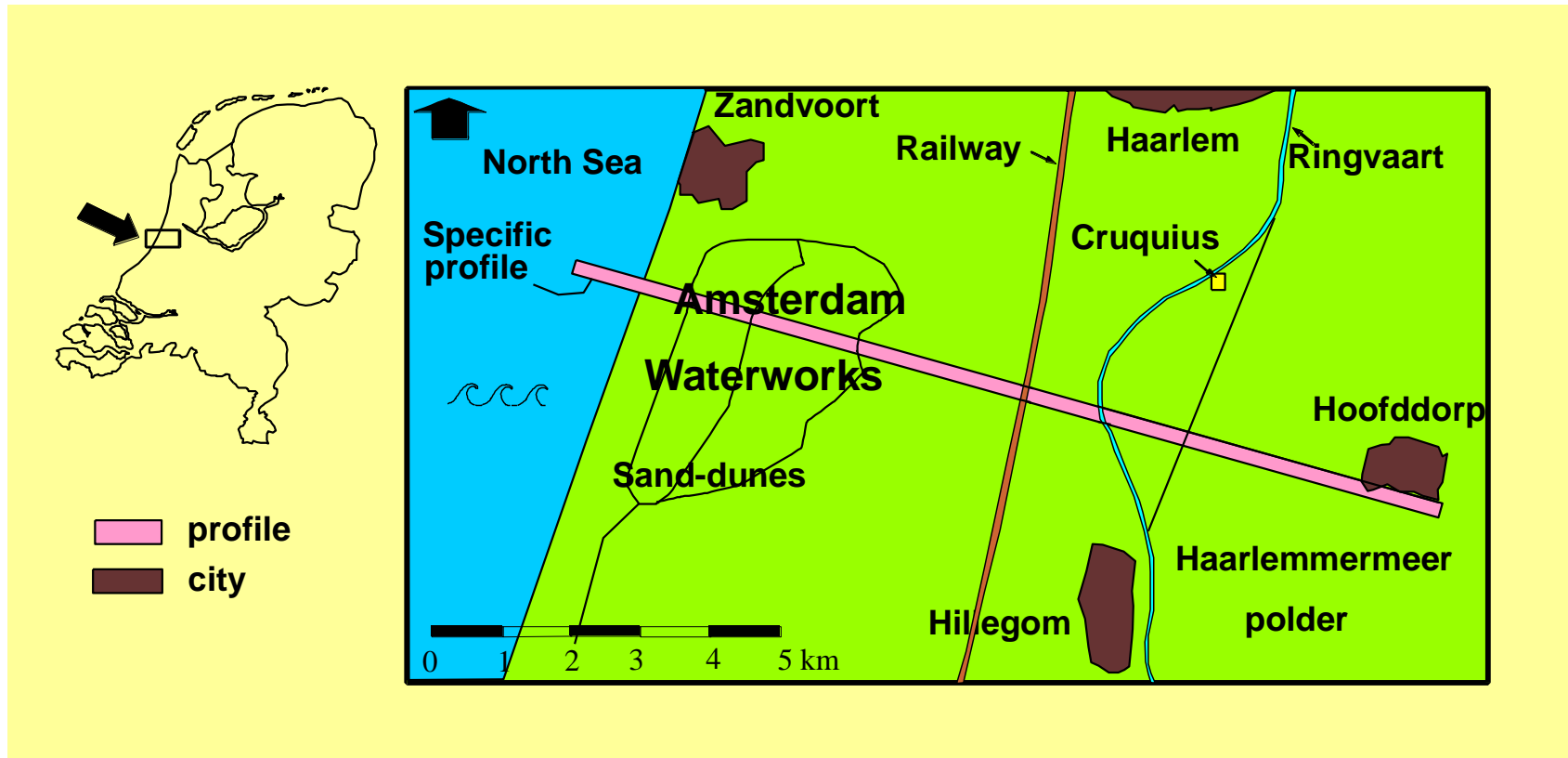
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Scale-dependency longitudinal dispersivity



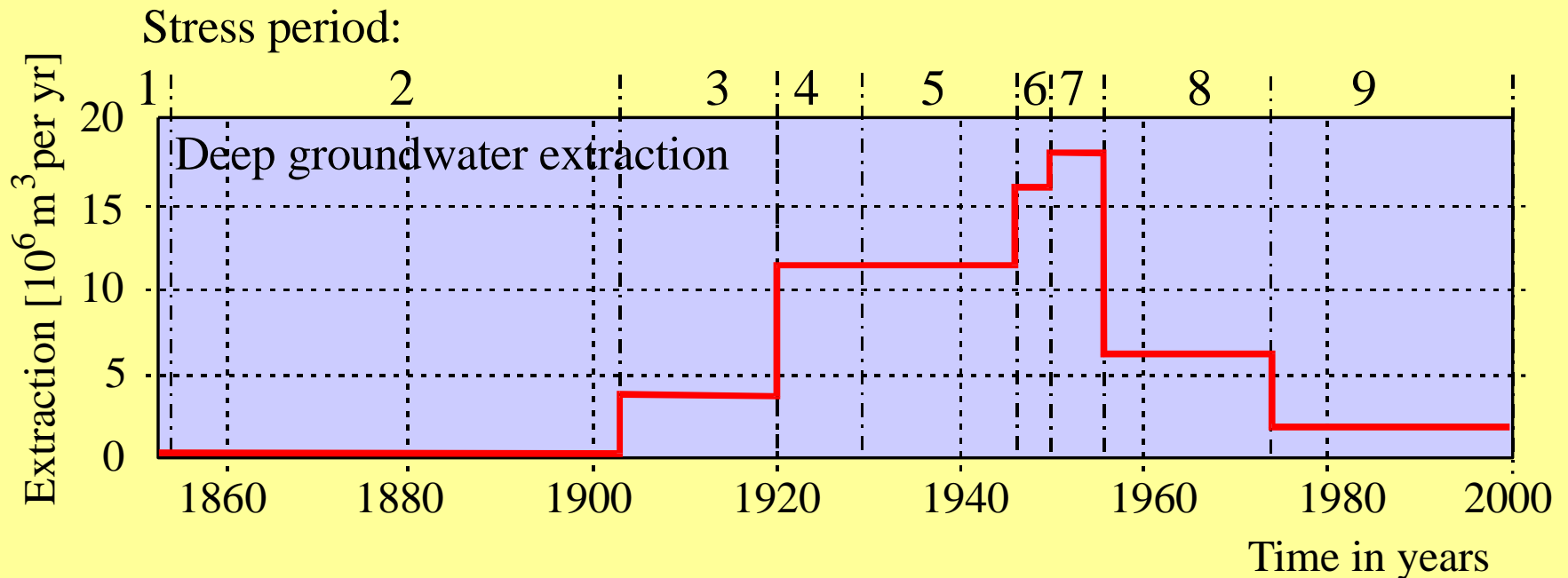
Effect of α_L on the salinisation of the aquifer (I)

Position profile through Amsterdam Waterworks, Rijnland polders and Haarlemmermeer polder



Effect of α_L on the salinisation of the aquifer (II)

Grondwater extractions out of the middle aquifer in the sand-dune area of Amsterdam Waterworks

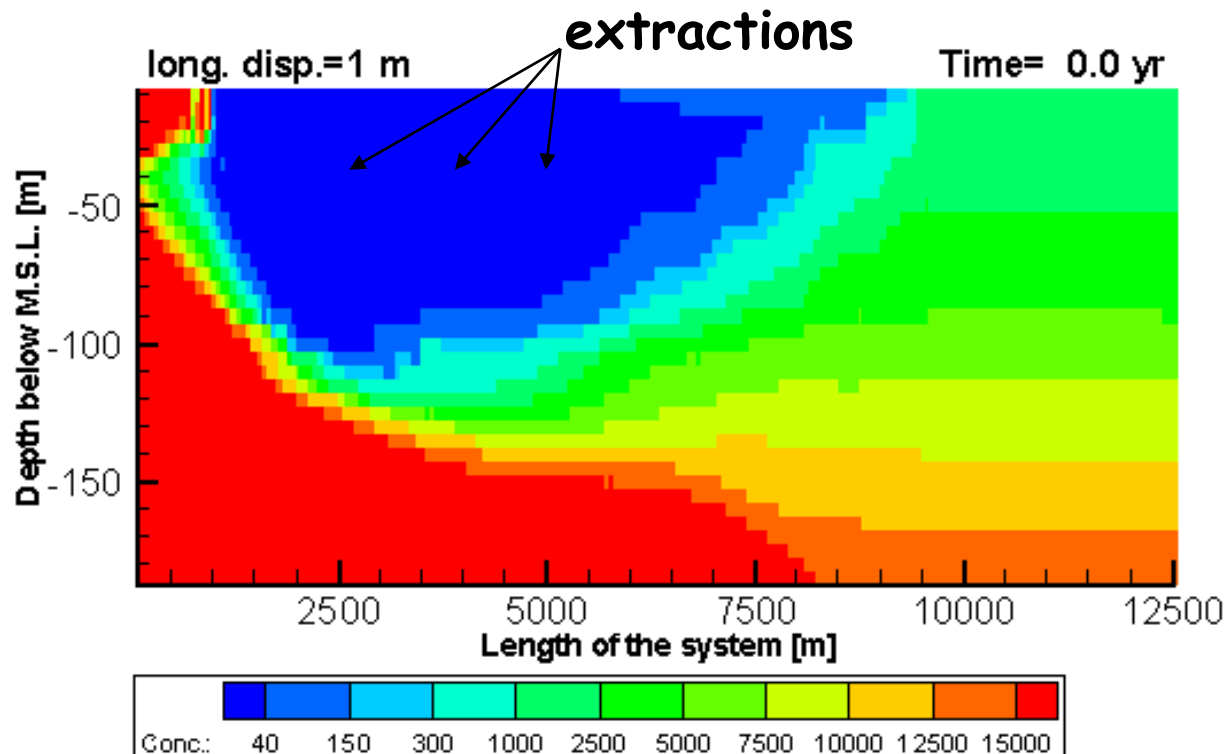


Effect of α_L on the salinisation of the aquifer (III)

$\alpha_L = 1$ m

Initial situation: 154 years ago

Profile Amsterdam Waterworks-Haarlemmeerpolder

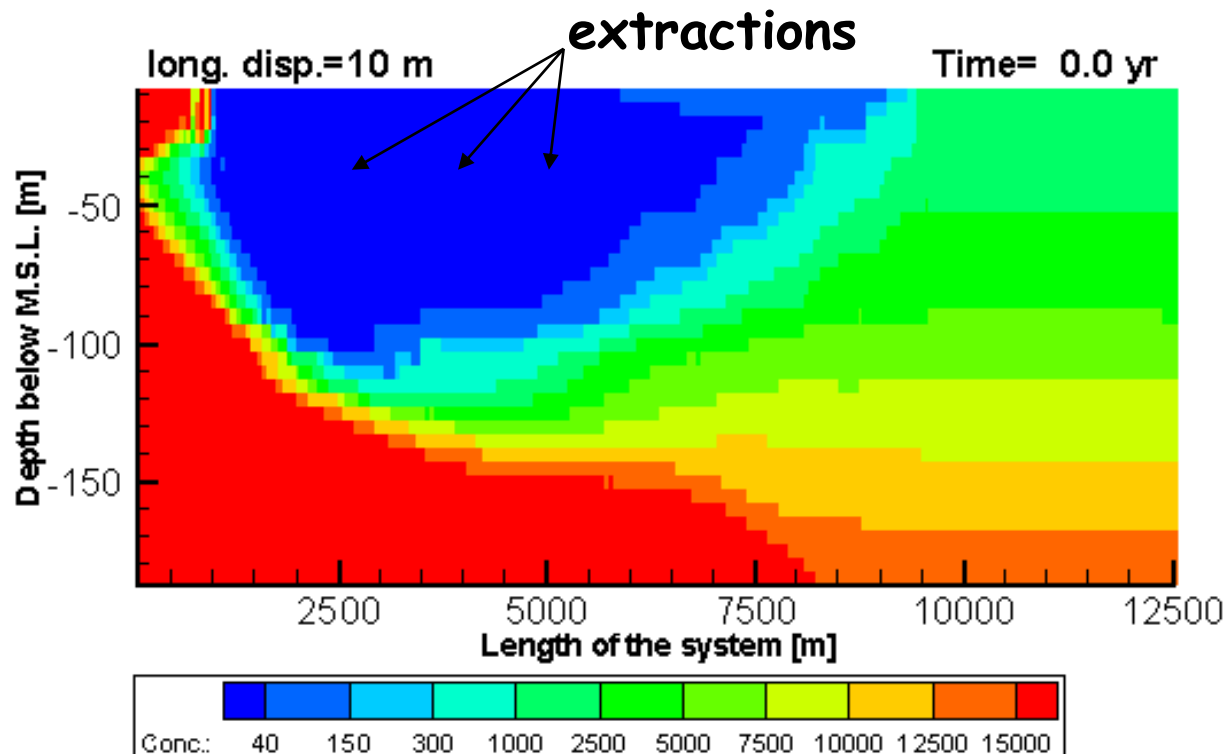


Effect of α_L on the salinisation of the aquifer (IV)

$\alpha_L = 10$ m

Initial situation: 154 years ago

Profile Amsterdam Waterworks-Haarlemmeerpolder



Solute transport equation: diffusion (I)

diffusion is a slow process: diffusion equation

only 1D-diffusion means: $R_d=1$, $V_i=0$, $\lambda=0$ and $W=0$

$$\frac{\partial C}{\partial t} = D \frac{\partial^2 C}{\partial z^2}$$

similarity with non-steady state groundwater flow equation

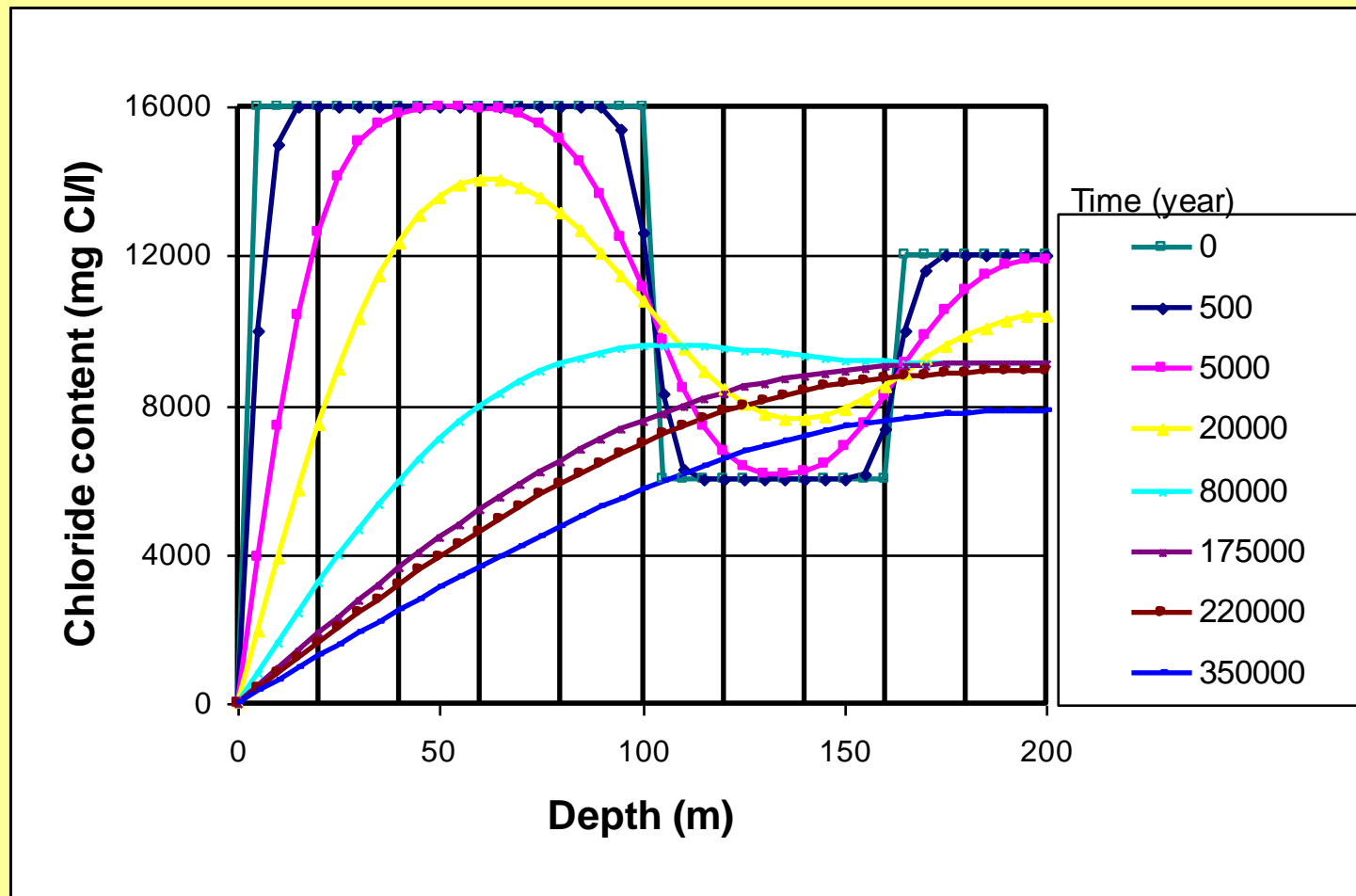
$$S \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial t} = T \frac{\partial^2 \phi}{\partial x^2} + N \quad \frac{T\Delta t}{S\Delta x^2} < 0.5$$

$$\phi_i^{t+\Delta t} = \phi_i^t + \frac{N\Delta t}{S} + \frac{T\Delta t}{S\Delta x^2} (\phi_{i+1}^t - 2\phi_i^t + \phi_{i-1}^t)$$

$$C_i^{t+\Delta t} = C_i^t + \frac{D\Delta t}{\Delta z^2} (C_{i+1}^t - 2C_i^t + C_{i-1}^t) \quad \frac{D\Delta t}{\Delta z^2} < 0.5$$

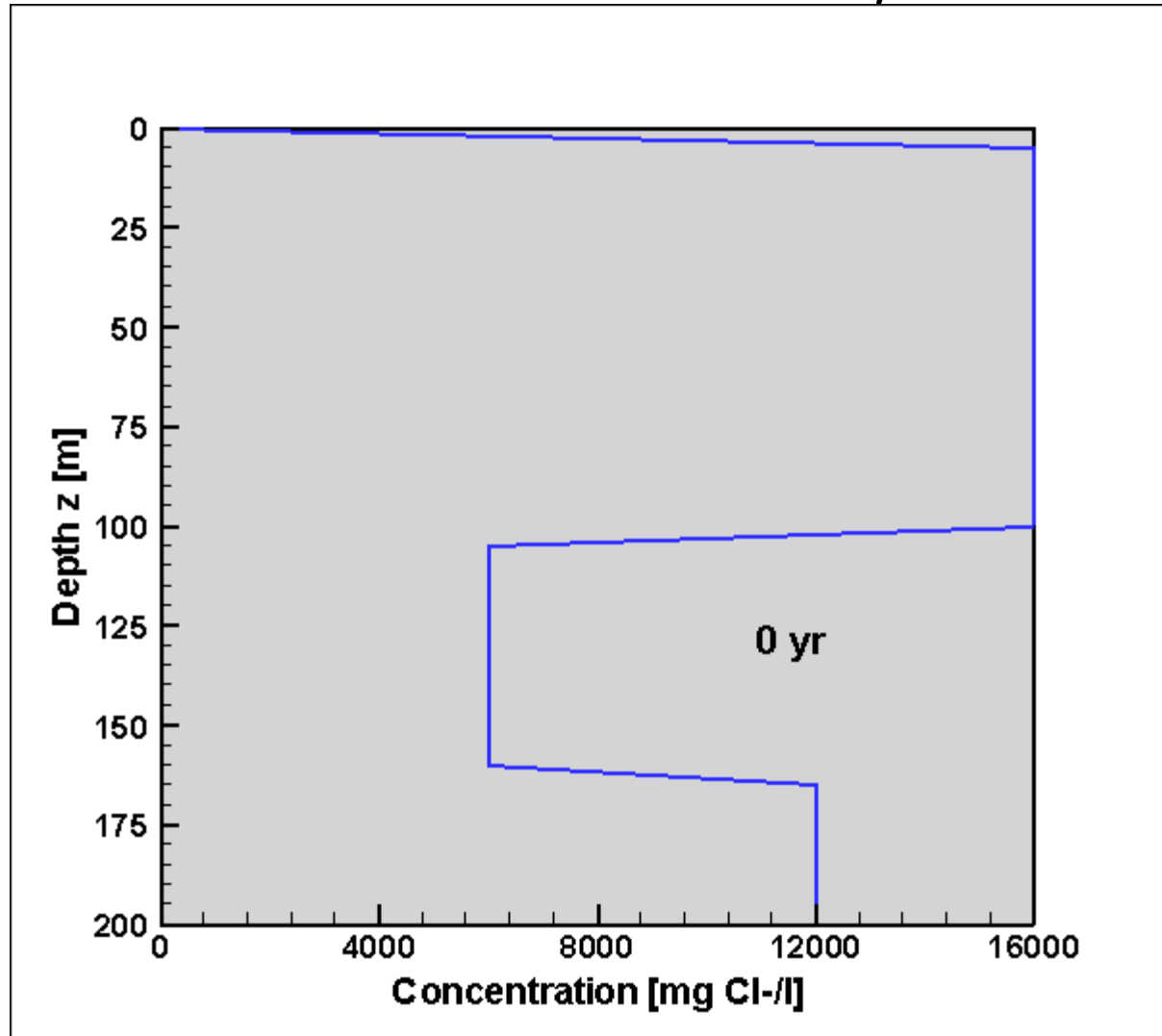
Solute transport equation: diffusion (II)

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Solute transport equation: diffusion (III)

Animation as a function of 350.000 years



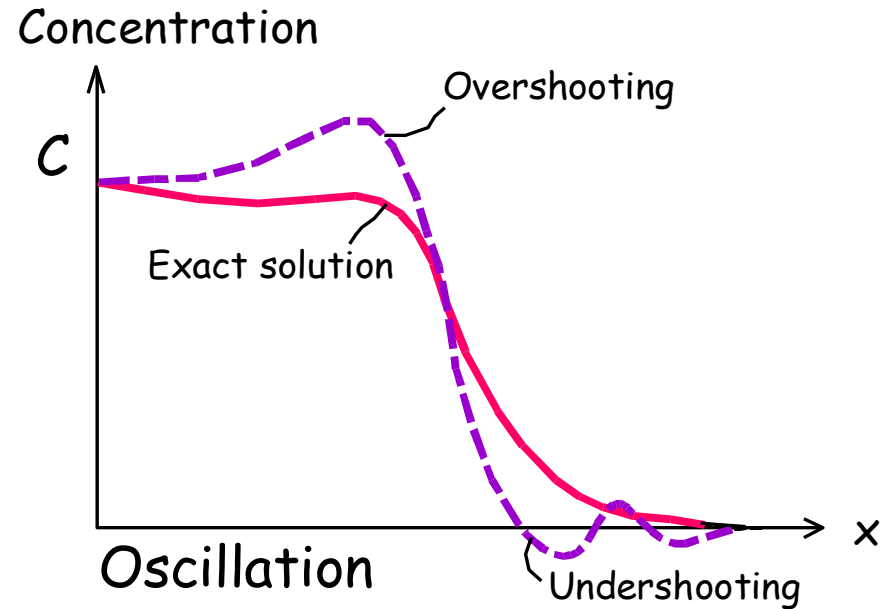
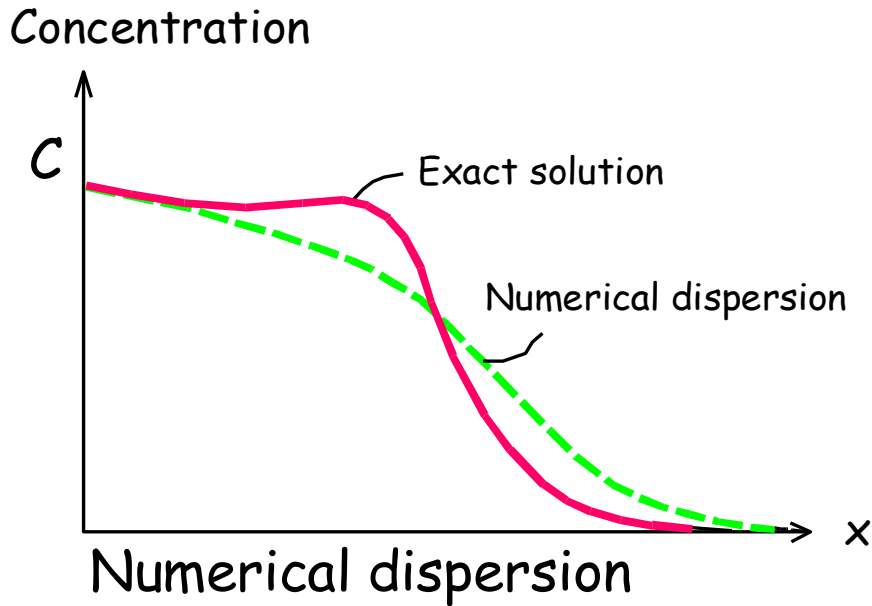
Stability criteria for solute transport equation (I)

1. Neumann criterion:

$$\frac{D_{xx} \Delta t_s}{\Delta x^2} + \frac{D_{yy} \Delta t_s}{\Delta y^2} + \frac{D_{zz} \Delta t_s}{\Delta z^2} \leq 0.5$$

$$\Delta t_s \leq \frac{0.5}{\frac{D_{xx}}{\Delta x^2} + \frac{D_{yy}}{\Delta y^2} + \frac{D_{zz}}{\Delta z^2}}$$

Numerical dispersion and oscillation



$$\frac{\partial C}{\partial t} = D \frac{\partial^2 C}{\partial z^2} \quad C_i^{t+\Delta t} = C_i^t + \frac{D\Delta t}{\Delta z^2} (C_{i+1}^t - 2C_i^t + C_{i-1}^t) \quad \frac{D\Delta t}{\Delta z^2} < 0.5$$

Stability criteria for solute transport equation (II)

2. Mixing criterion:

$$\Delta t_s \leq \frac{n_e b_{i,j,k}^k}{Q'_{i,j,k}}$$

Change in concentration in element is not allowed to be larger than the difference between the present concentration in the element and the concentration in the source

Stability criteria for solute transport equation (III)

3. Courant criterion:

$$0 < \xi \leq 1$$

$$\Delta t_s \leq \frac{\xi \Delta x}{V_{x,\max}}$$

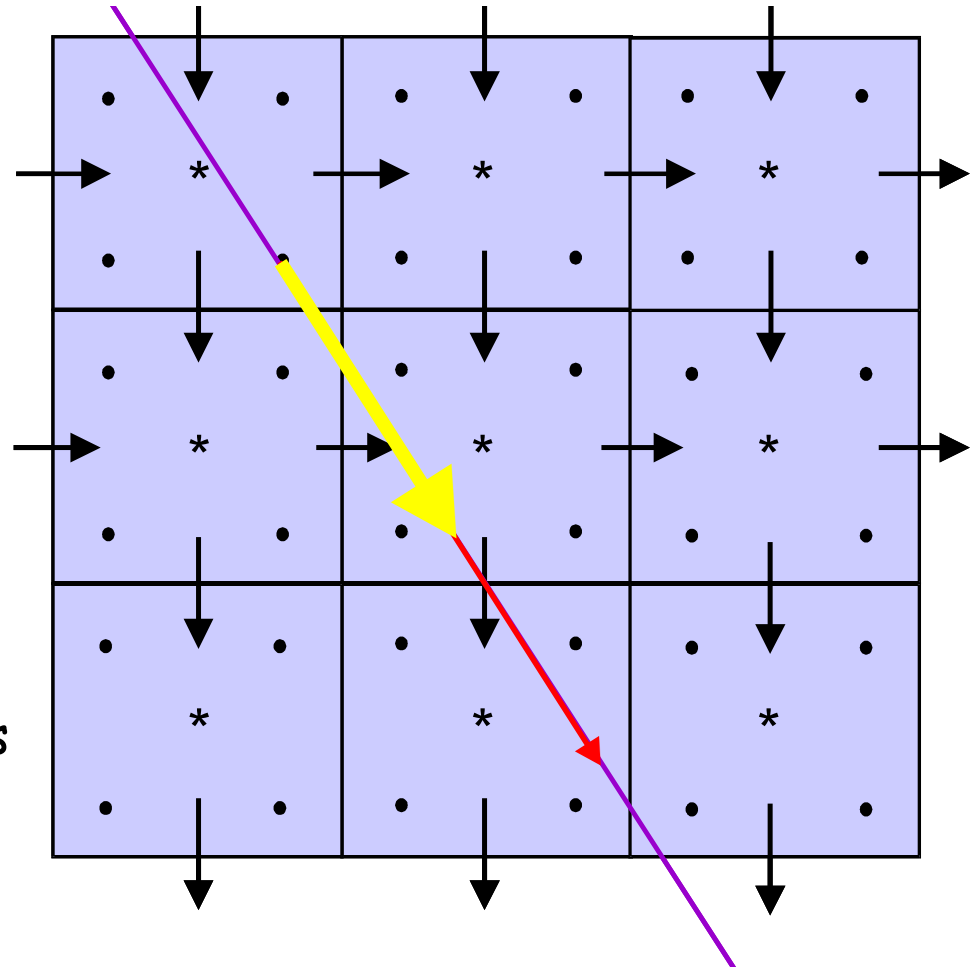
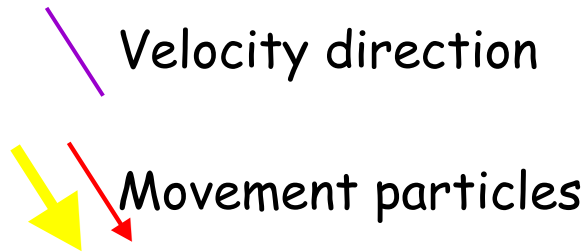
$$\Delta t_s \leq \frac{\xi \Delta y}{V_{y,\max}}$$

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Stability criteria (III)

3. Courant criterium

- * Node element
- Particle



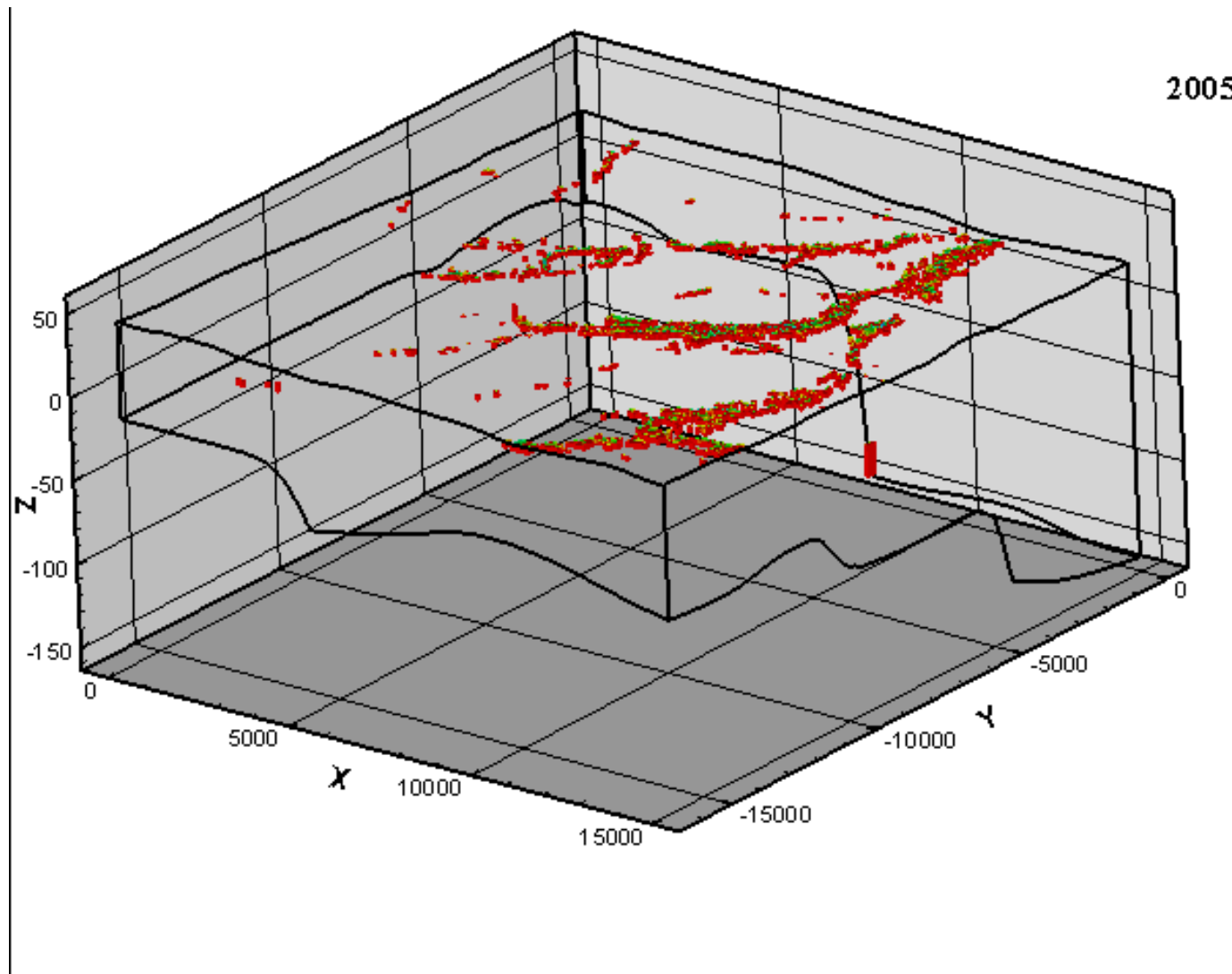
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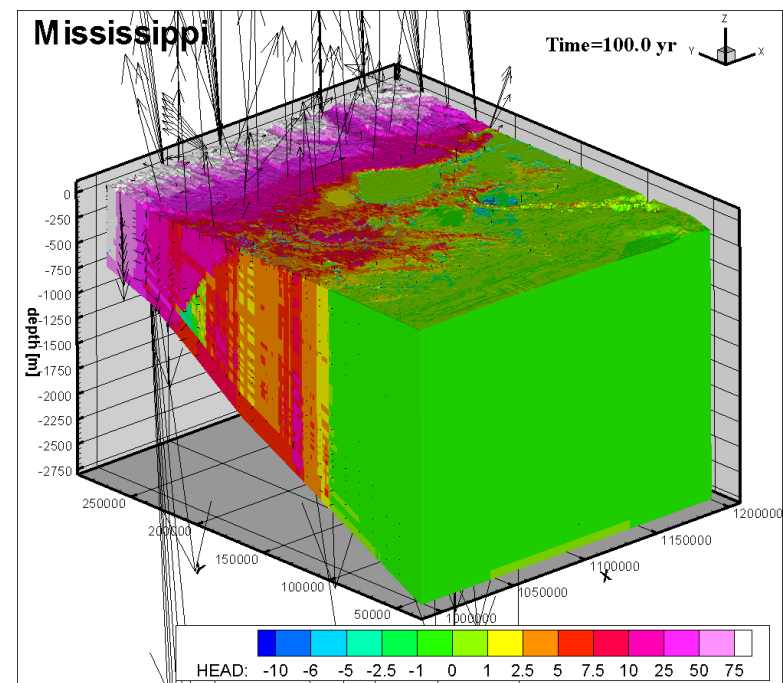
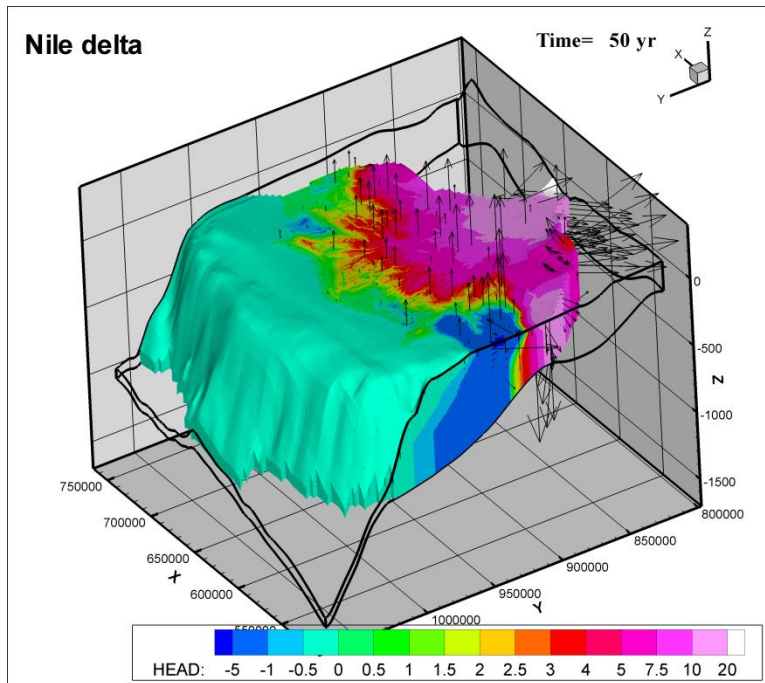
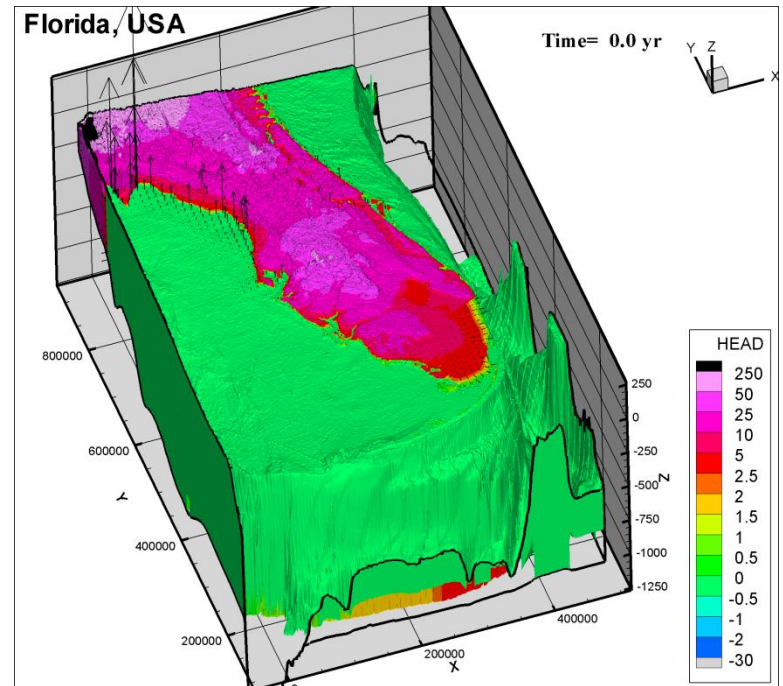
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Courant criterion: places where timestep is smaller than 40 days

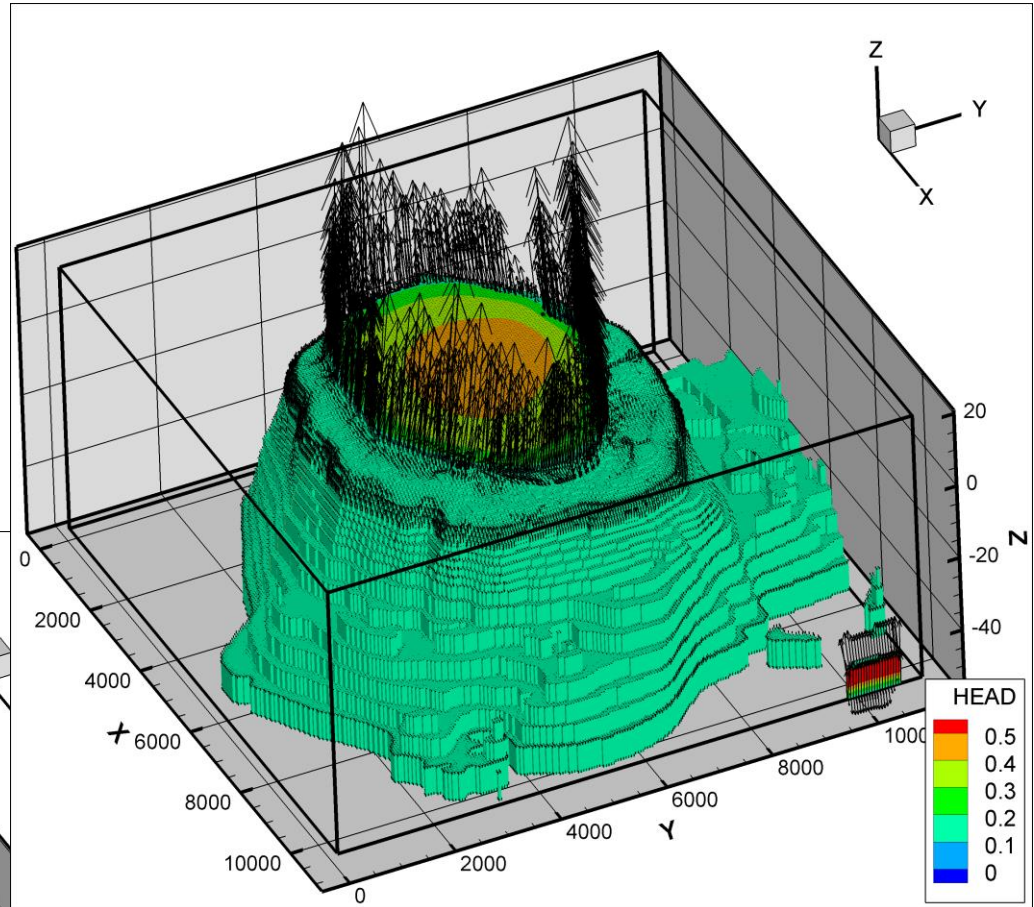
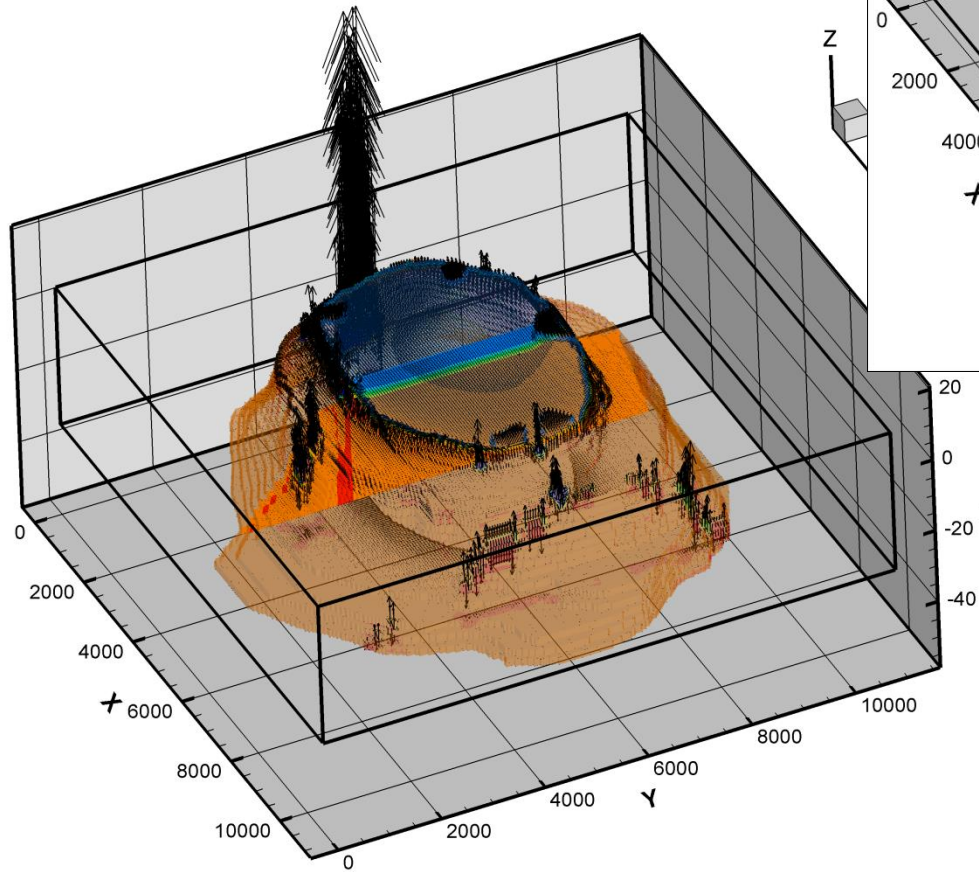


Check the velocity field!

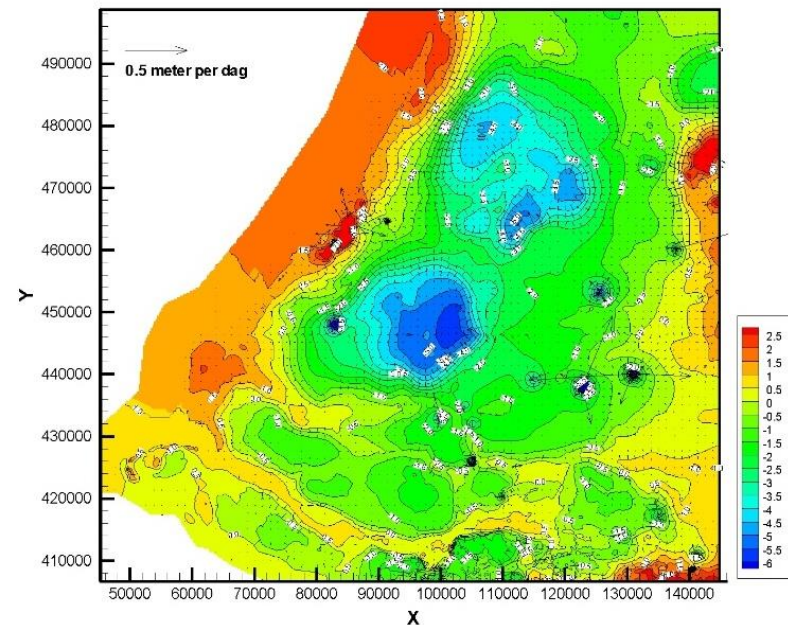
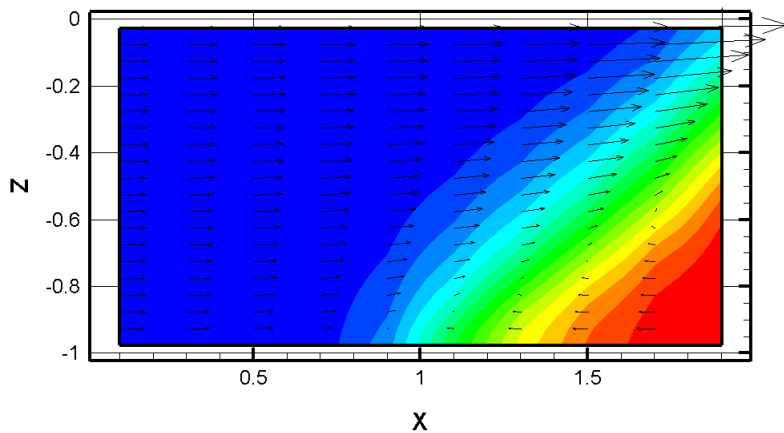
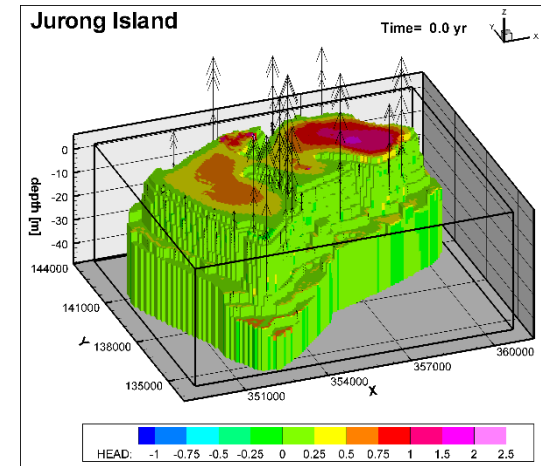
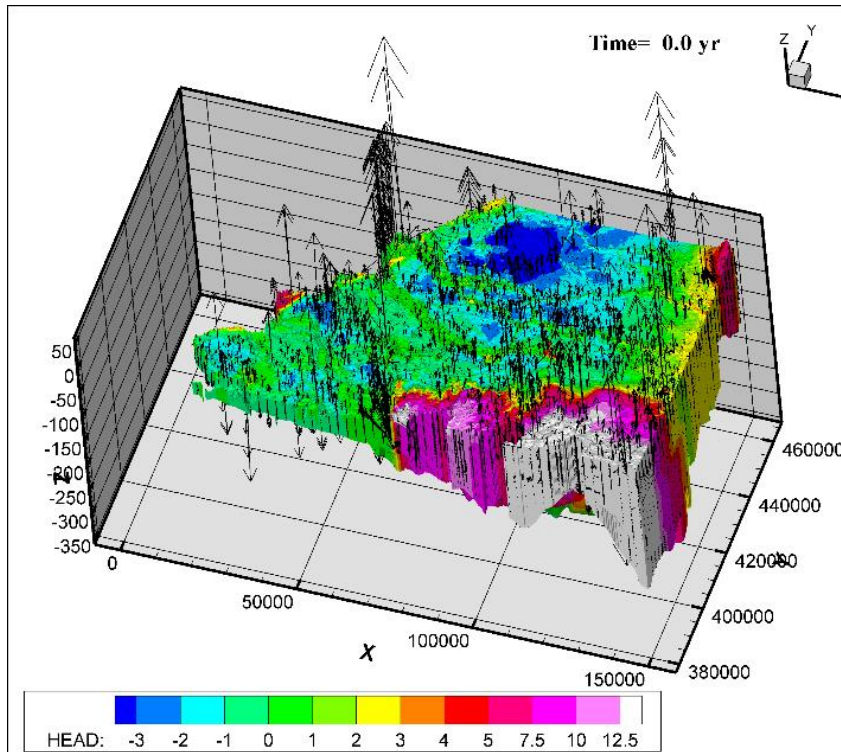
Tool: tecplot / paraview



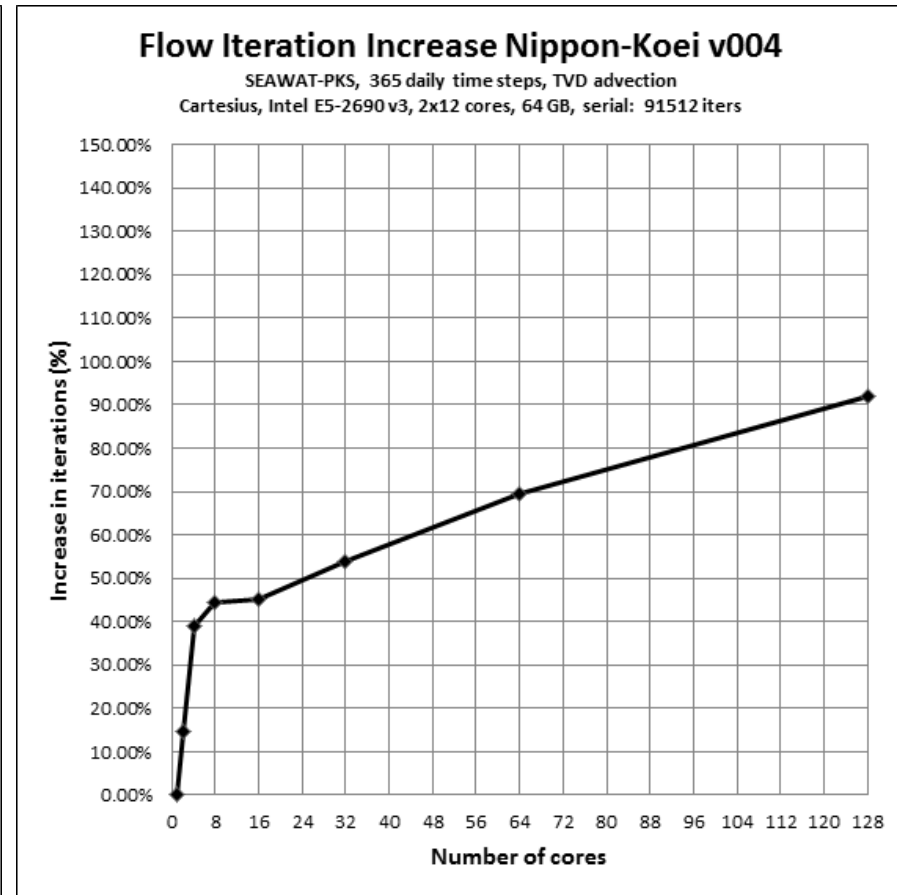
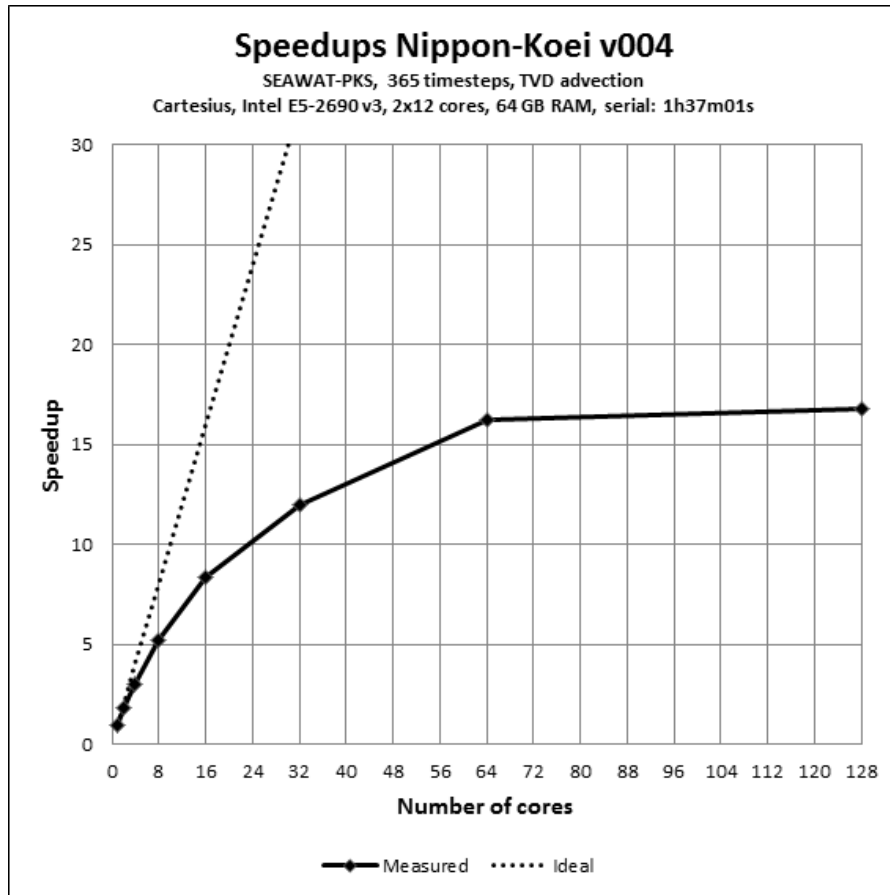
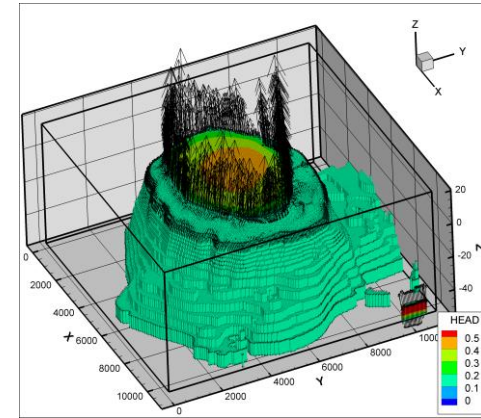
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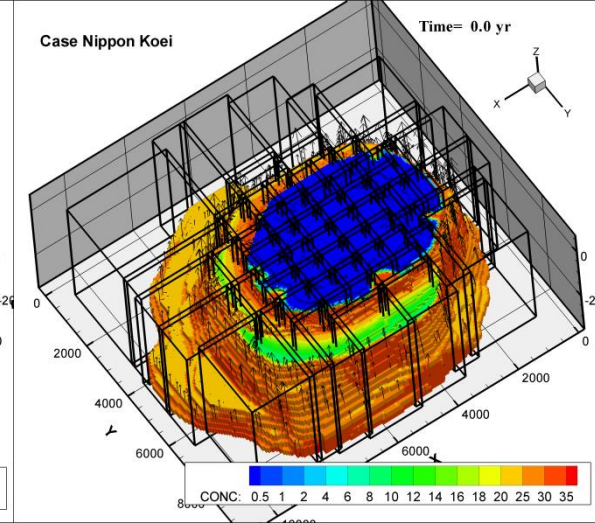
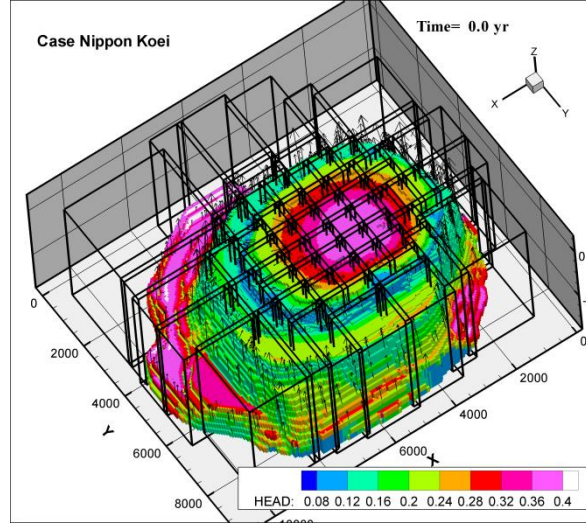
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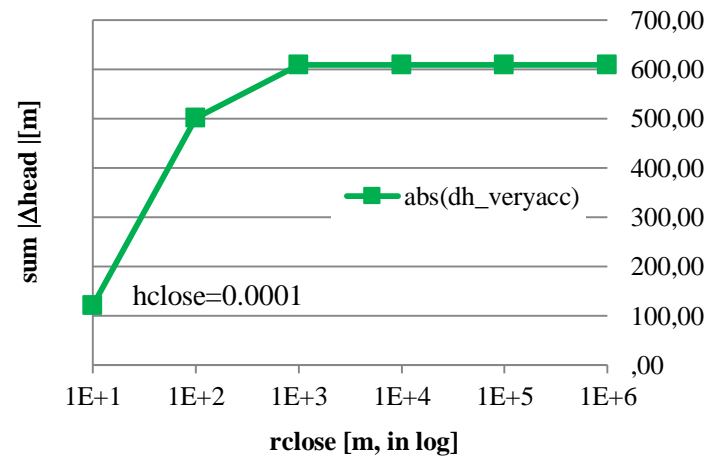
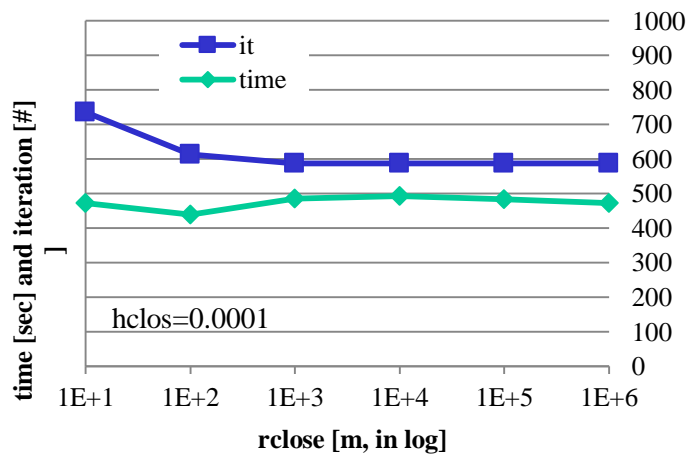
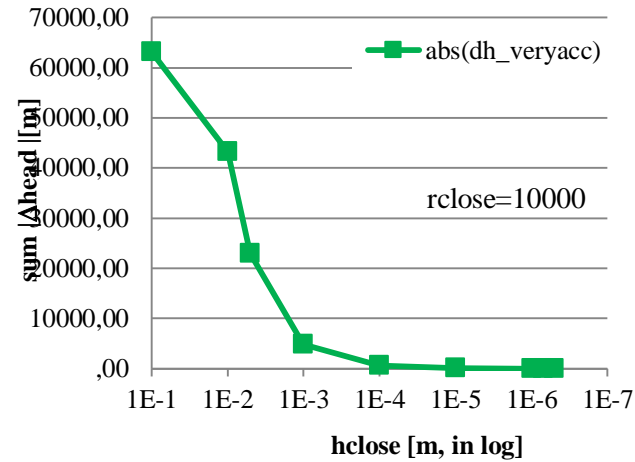
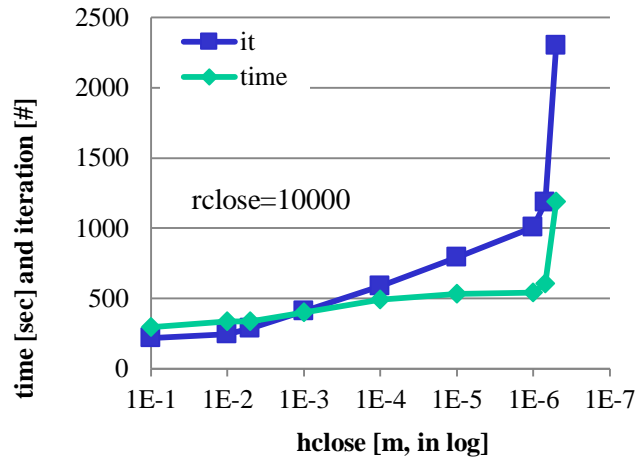
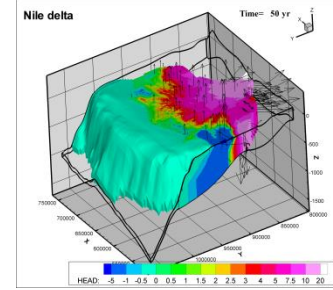


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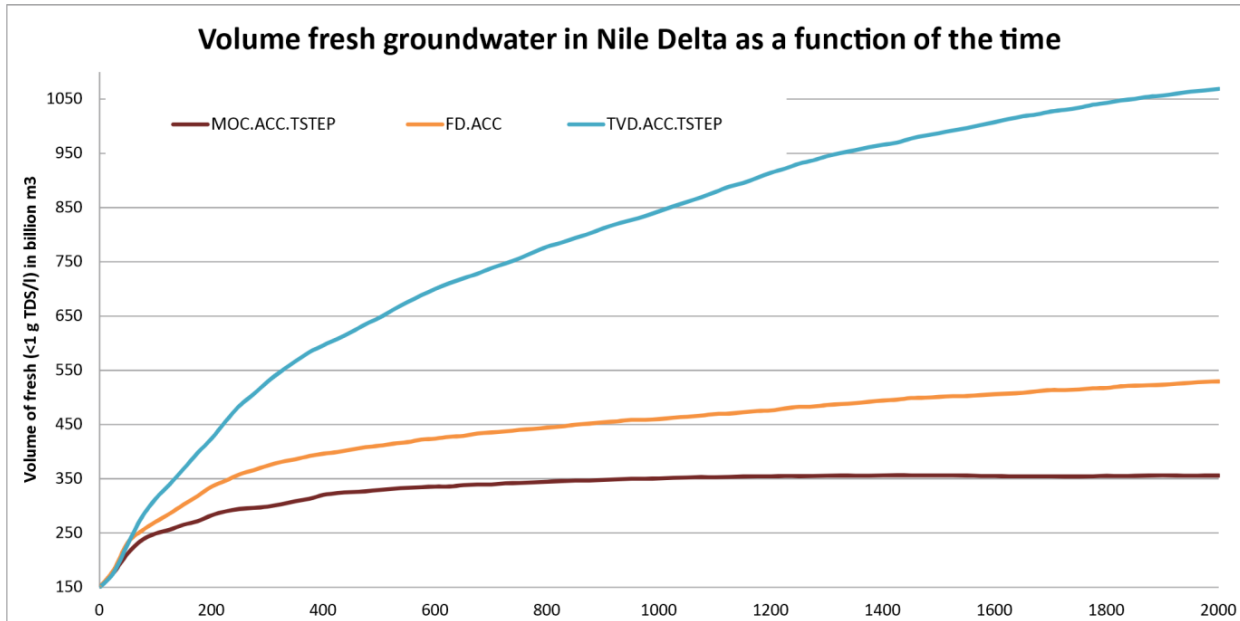


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software	SEAWAT	SEAWAT	SEAWAT	iMOD-SEAWAT	iMOD-SEAWAT
computer	Quad 2.60 GHz	Quad 2.60 GHz	Quad 2.60 GHz	Cartesius 1 core	Cartesius 64 cores
date input data	21-11-17	08-12-17	21-12-2017	21-12-2017	21-12-2017
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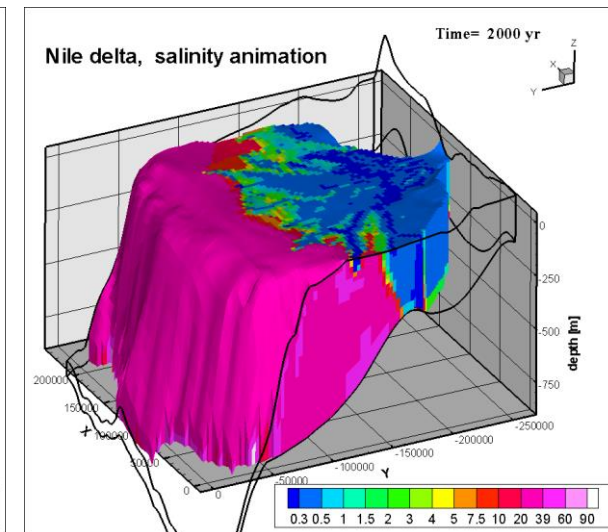
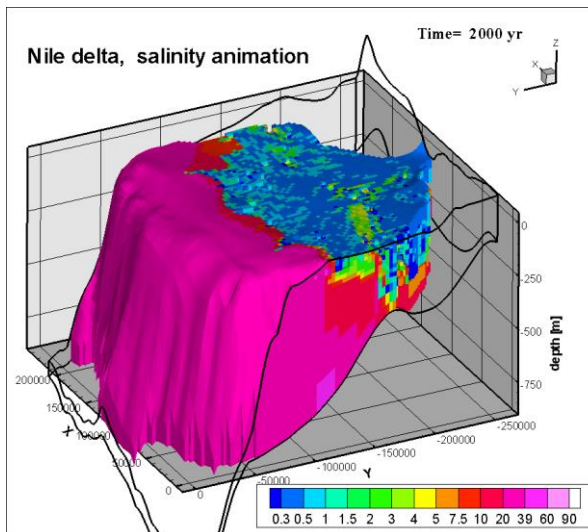
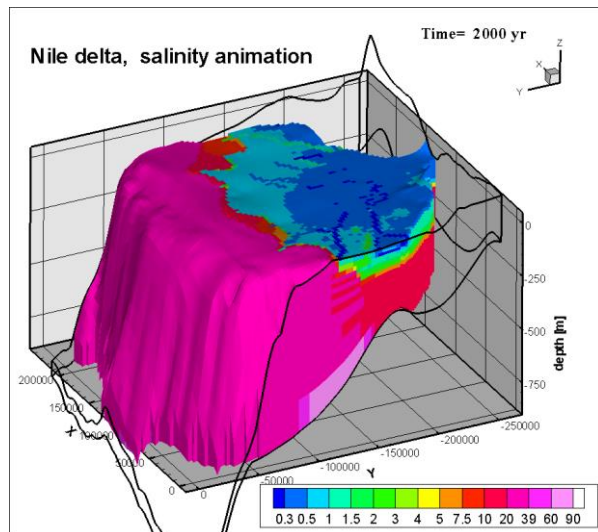
Test your SEAWAT SOLVERS

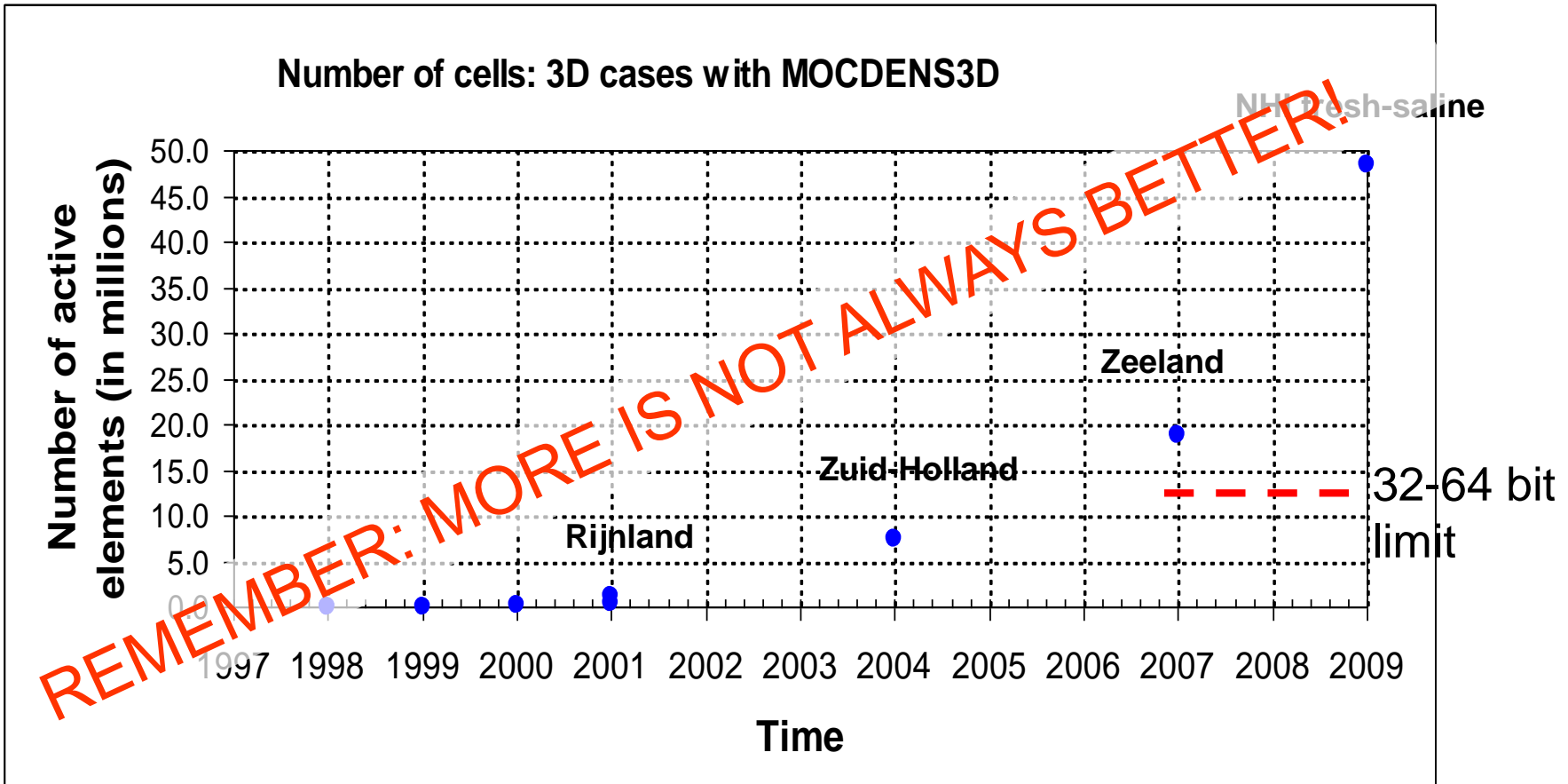


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DO NOT DO THIS AT HOME (IF YOU HAVE NOT ENOUGH DATA)

Modelling effect climate change on fresh-salt groundwater

Modelling:

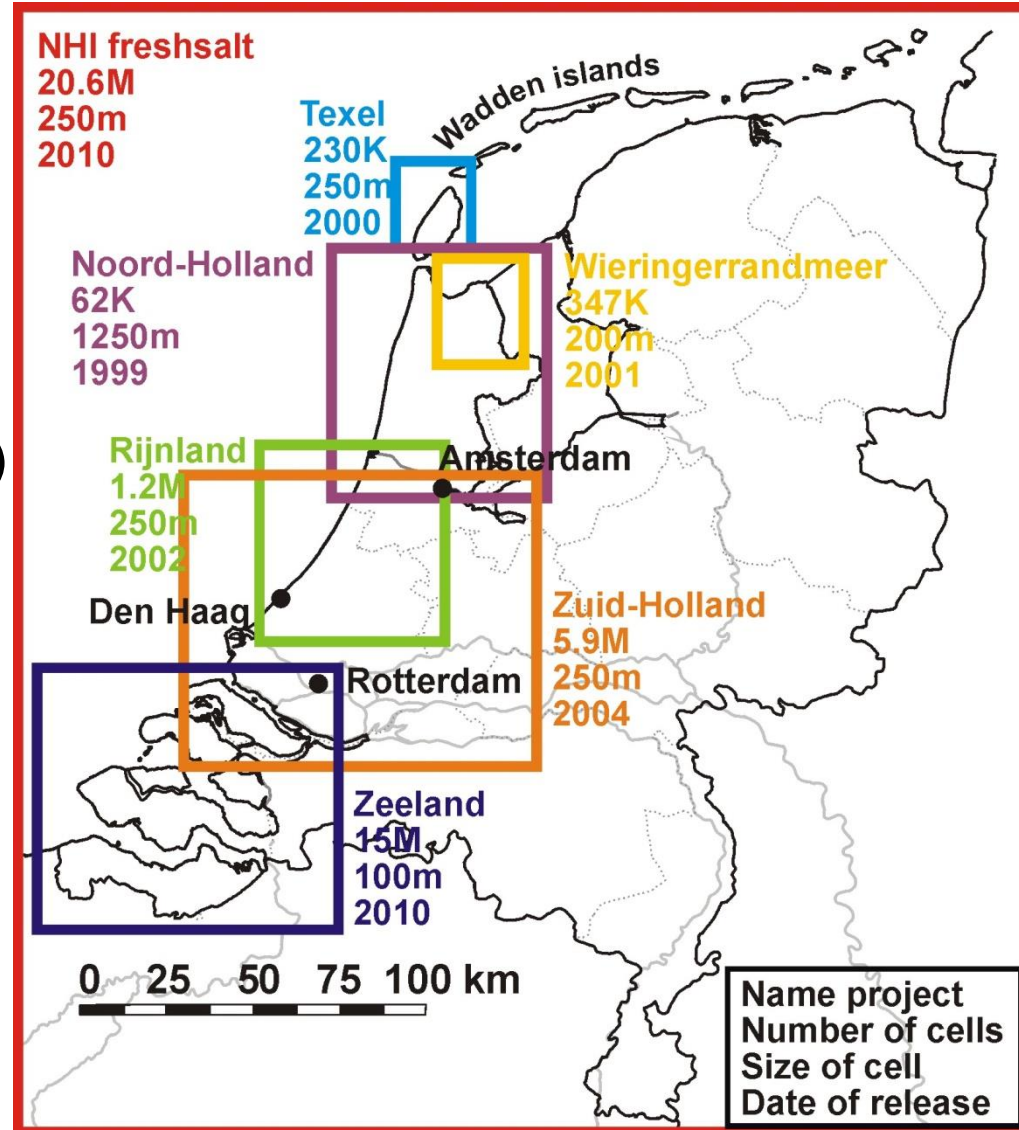
- variable-density
- 3D, non-steady
- groundwater flow
- coupled solute transport

Code:

MOCDENS3D (MODFLOW family)
similar to SEAWAT

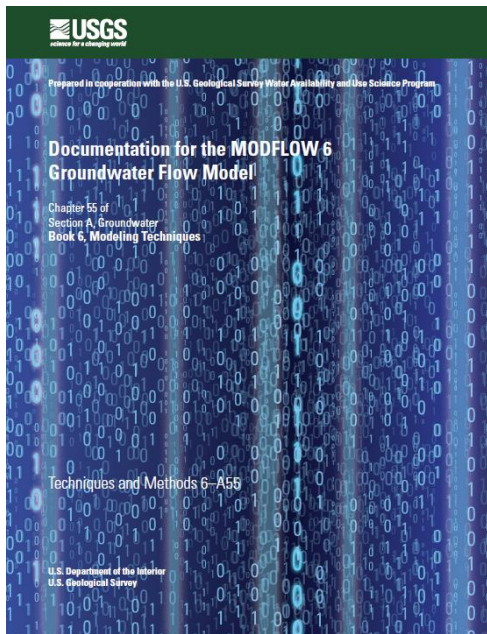
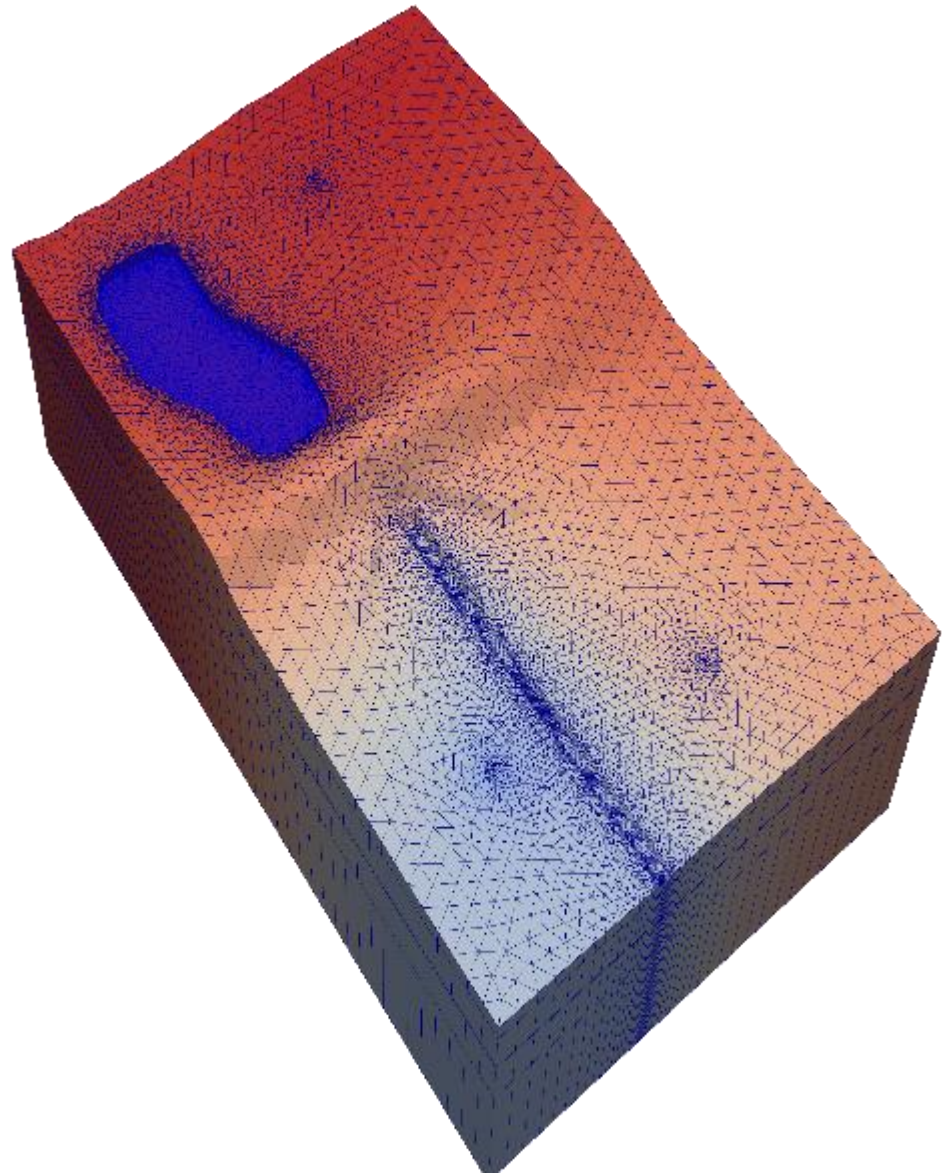
Assessing effects:

- autonomous salinisation
- sea level rise
- changing recharge pattern
- land subsidence
- changing extraction rates
- adaption measures



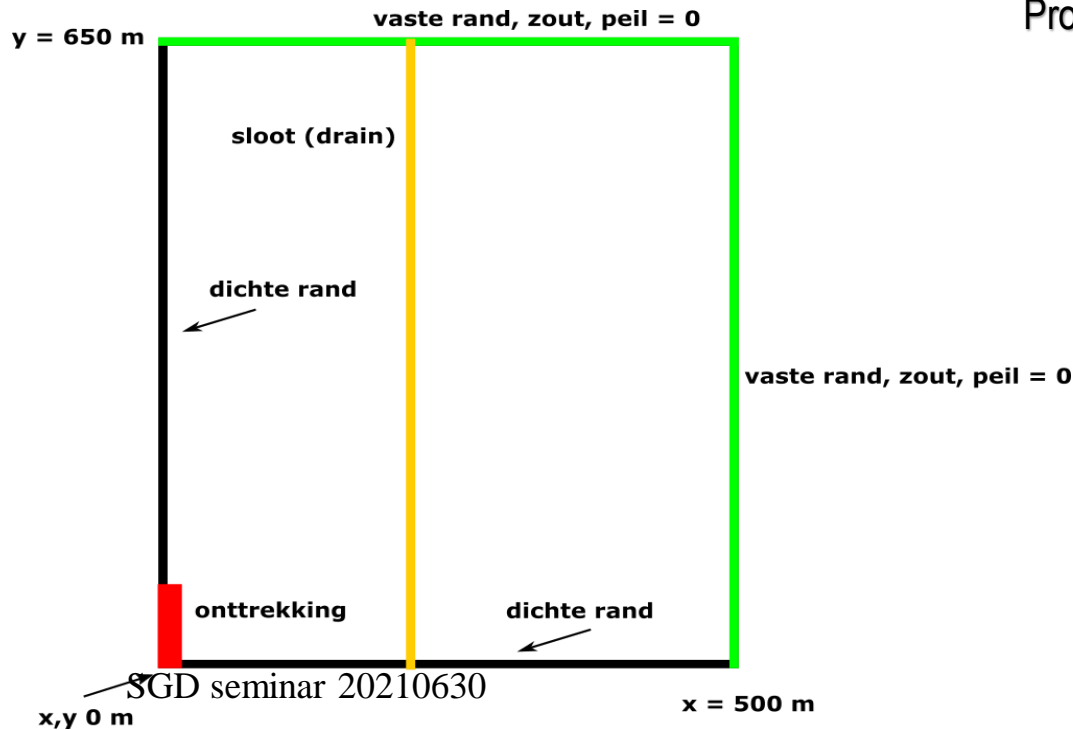
MODFLOW 6: fresh-salt

- Detail / computer power where needed (extractions/ surface water)
- Unstructured grid
- XT3D package for full 3D anisotropy

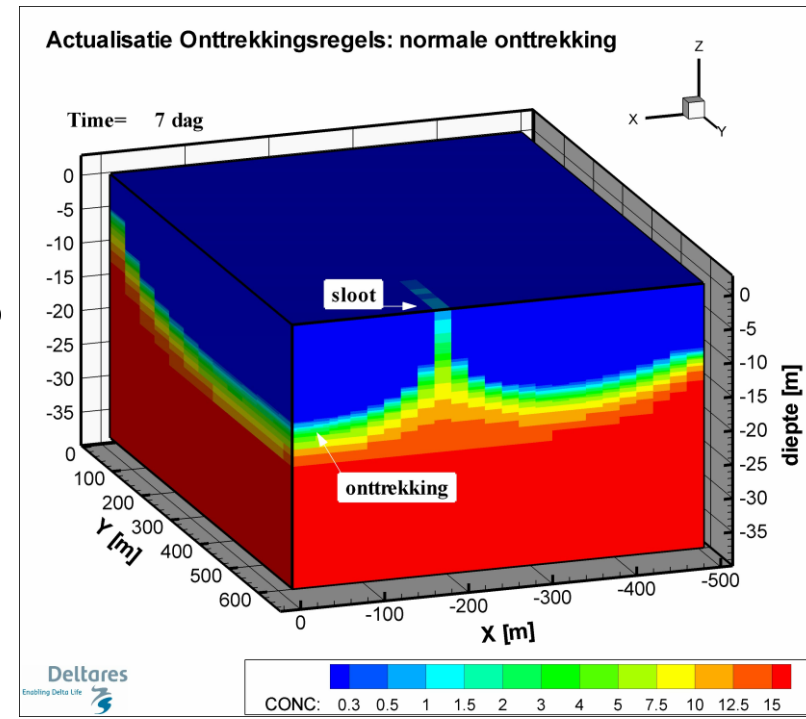


Performed activities

- Code from Github and compiled it (september 2018)
- Built a test model in MF6 with structured and unstructured grid, to compare with SEAWAT v4.

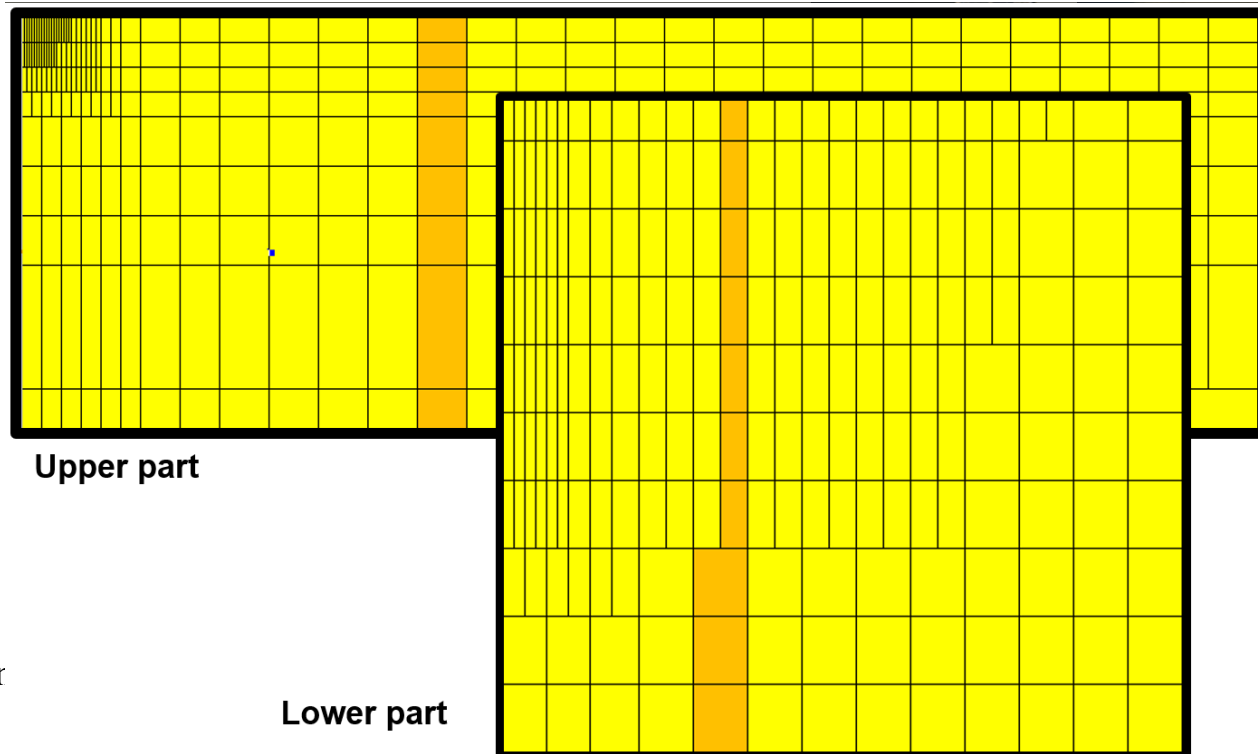


Case: 3D Model as used in Oude Essink & Pauw (2018) for the derivation of extraction rules for the Province of Zeeland



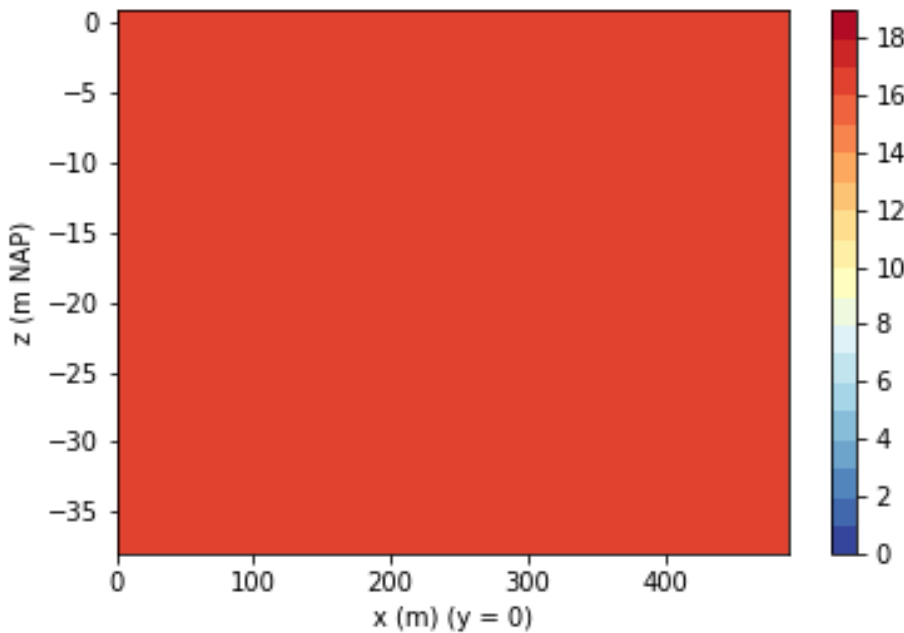
Testing different grids and run times in this 3D synthetic case

- Original grid: 77112 cells (already optimized using non-equidistant grid)
- Unstructured grid: 40068 cells
- Therefore reduced simulation times are expected, but large velocities around e.g. extraction wells limit practical applications



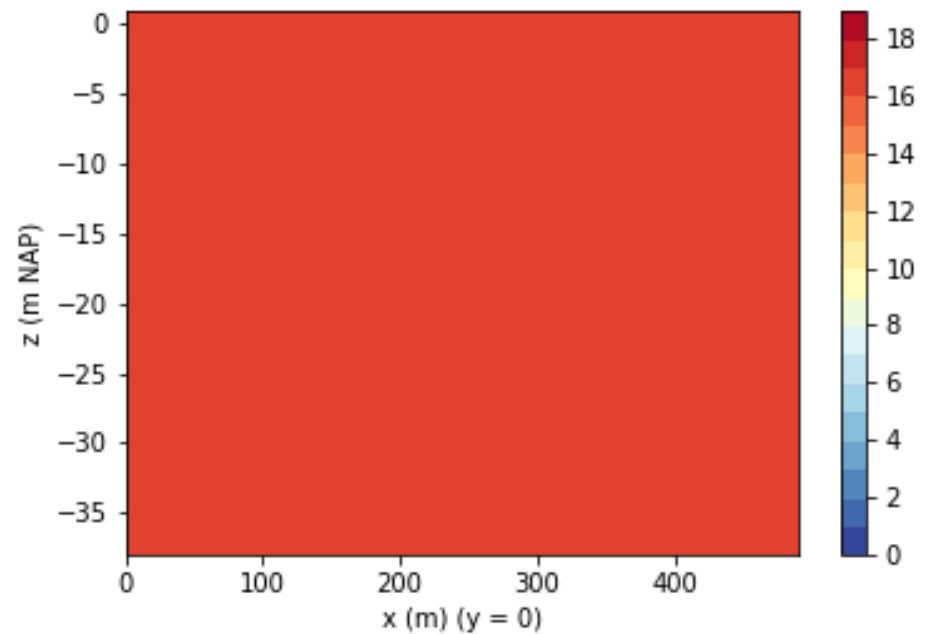
Regular grid, **with** density effects

CONCS MODFLOW 6, YEAR = 0



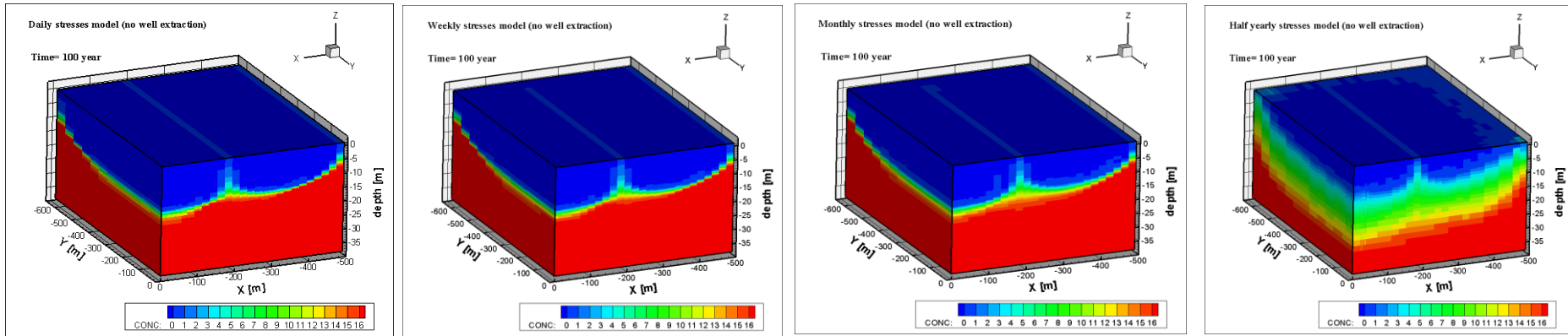
MF6

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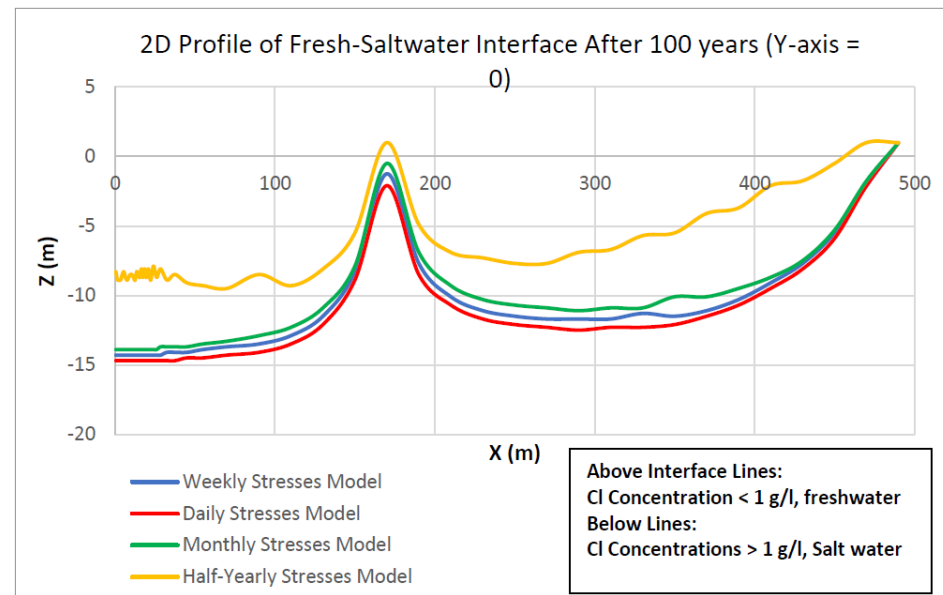
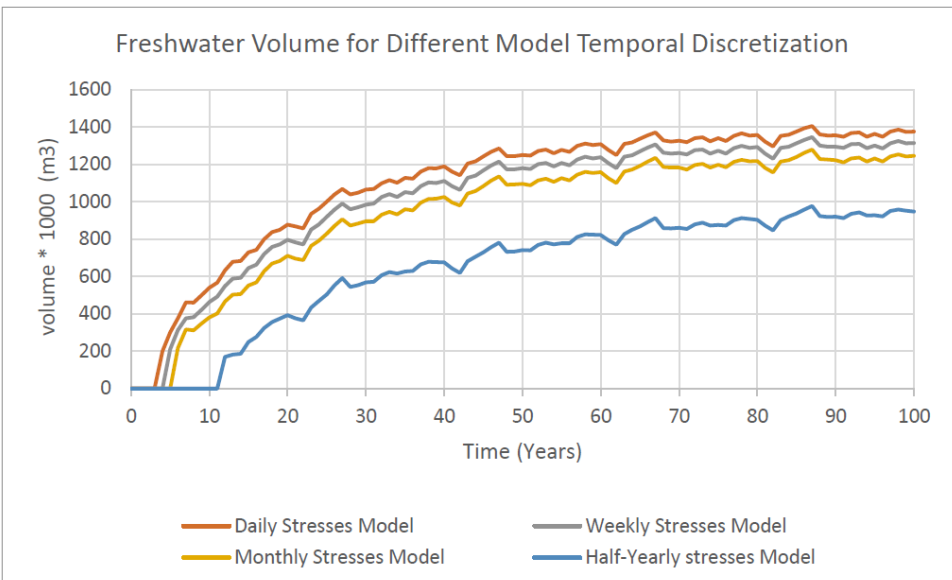


SEAWAT v4

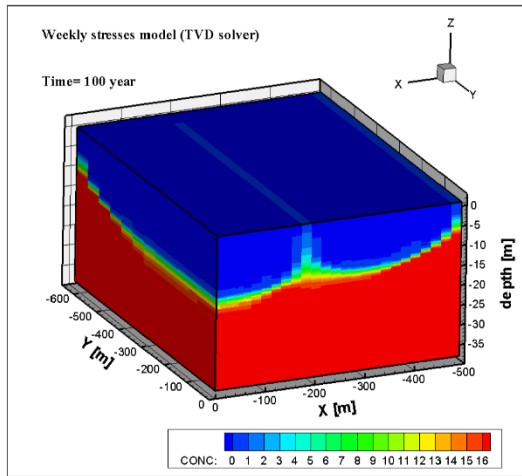
MODFLOW6: Effect temporal discretisation



Daily Weekly Monthly Half-yearly



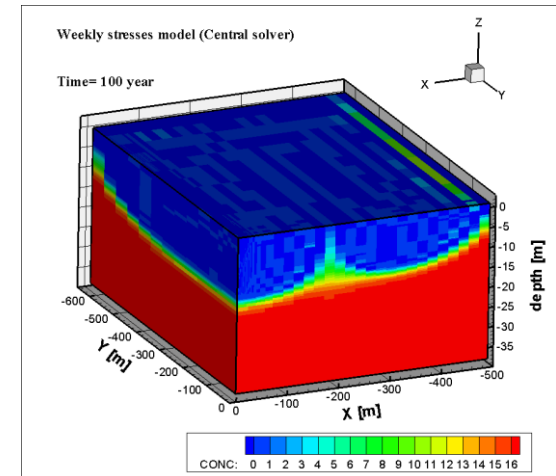
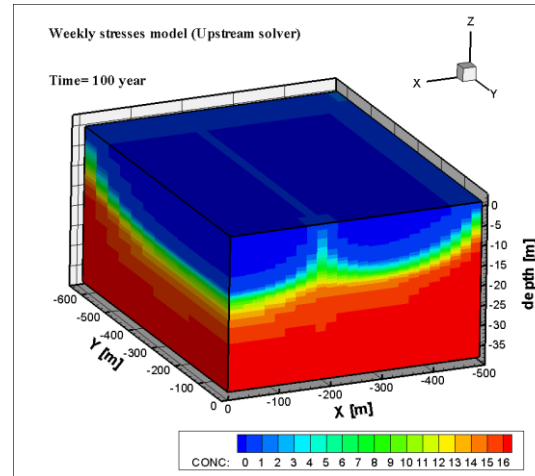
MODFLOW6: Effect solver



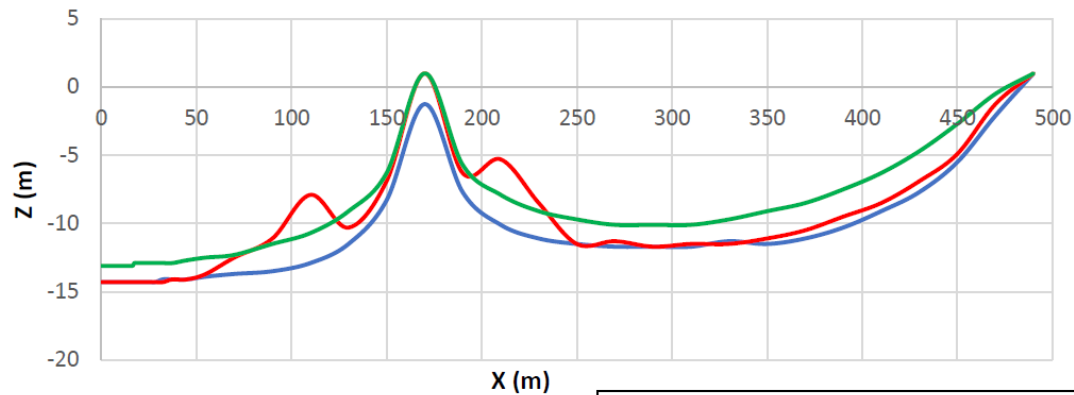
TVD

Upstream

Central in Space



2D Profile of Fresh-Saltwater Interface After 100 years (Y-axis = 0)



- Base Case Model (TVD solver)
- Finite Difference with Central Weighting Schema
- Finite Difference with Upstream Weighting Schema

Above Interface Lines:
Cl Concentration < 1 g/l, freshwater

Below Lines:
Cl Concentrations > 1 g/l, Salt water

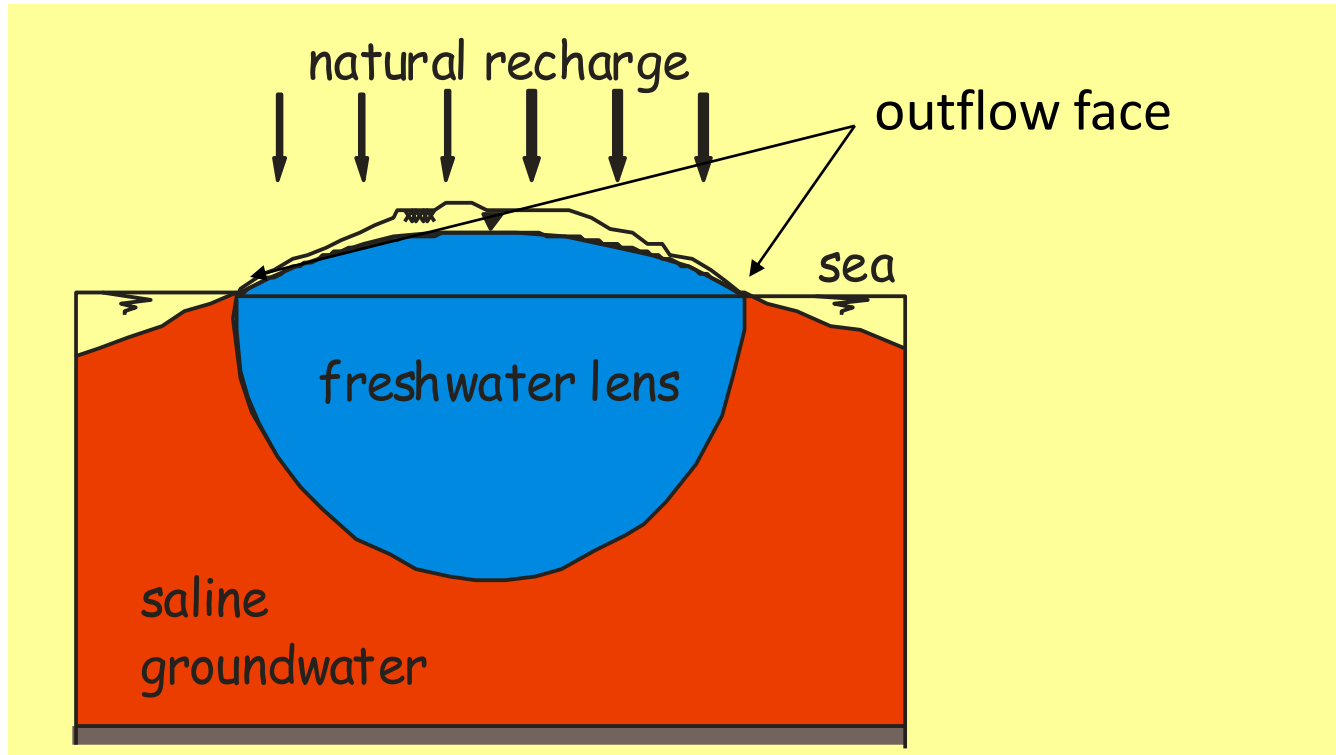
Fields of application of fresh-saline groundwater models

- Water system analysis in brackish-saline environments (salt loads, salt boils, freshwater lenses)
- Quantifying effects of climate change & sea level rise
- Drinking water issues: upconing saline groundwater under extraction wells
- Developing measurements to stop salinization groundwater systems (e.g. fresh keeper, coastal collectors, freshwater storage underground)
- Impact of the disasters as tsunamis on fresh groundwater resources
- Submarine Groundwater Discharge (marine water pollution, Harmful Algae)

Difficulties with variable density groundwater flow

- Initial density distribution (effects on velocity field) !
- Velocities freshwater lens at the outflow face near the sea
- Boundary conditions (especially concentration boundaries)
- Choice of element size
- Length of flow time step to recalculate groundwater flow

Outflow face at the coast is difficult to model



Flow converges and thus velocities are very high at the outflow face

This is numerically difficult to handle

A good initial density distribution is essential

- Because groundwater and solute transport are coupled, the density influences groundwater velocities
- Numerous density measurements are necessary to get a reliable 3D density matrix

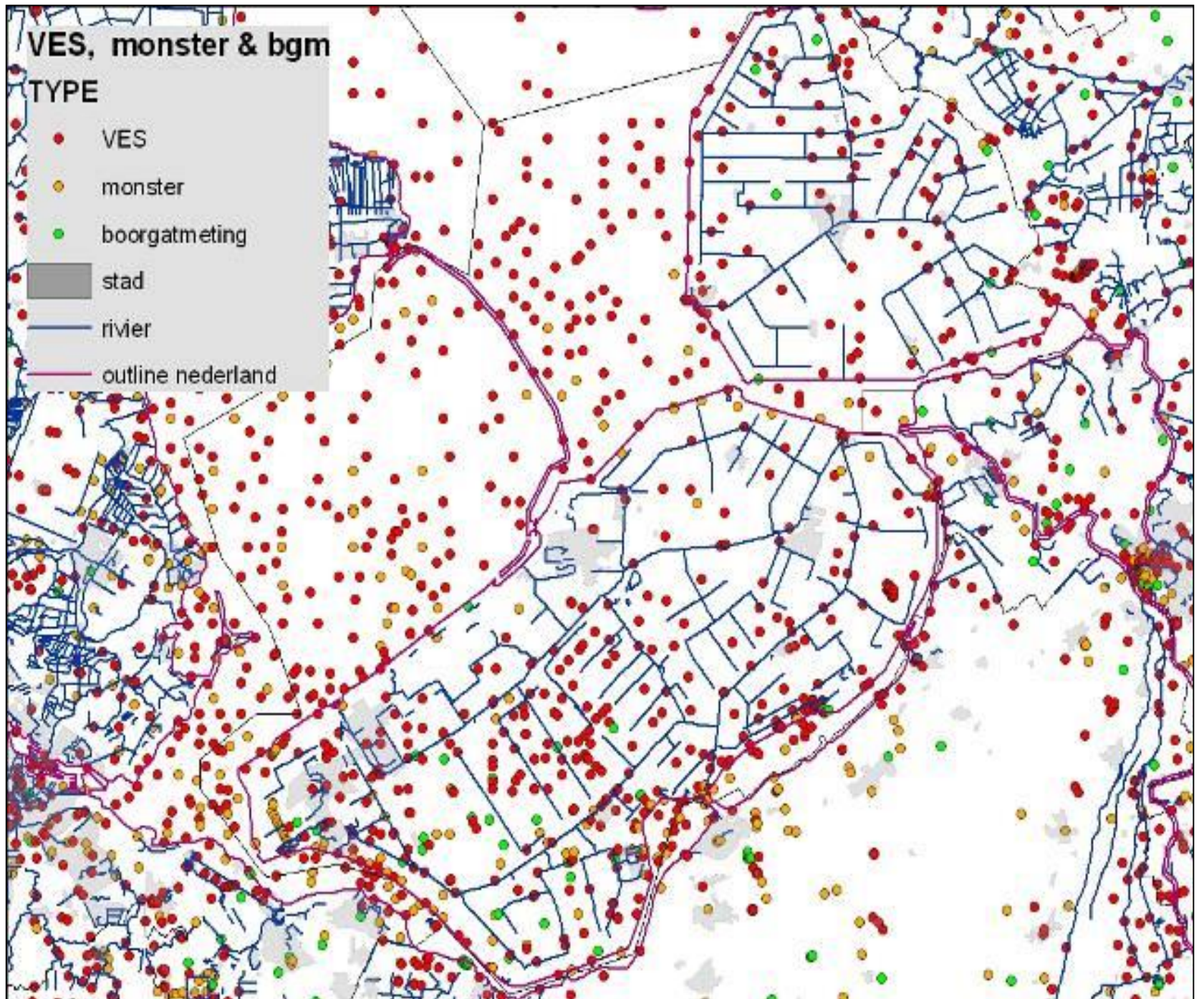
'Procedure' to improve initial density distribution

- Implement all chloride data
 - Analyses, Borehole, VES, Airborne techniques (HEM, SkyTem)
 - Better old than nothing
 - Better VES than nothing
- Interpolate and extrapolate
 - Sea = easy (salt)
 - Inland = fresh?
- Start with simulation (10/20/30 years) with mol.diffusion*1000 to smooth out artificial densities

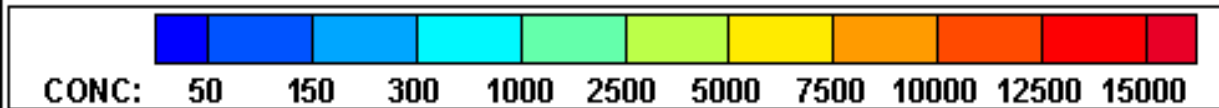
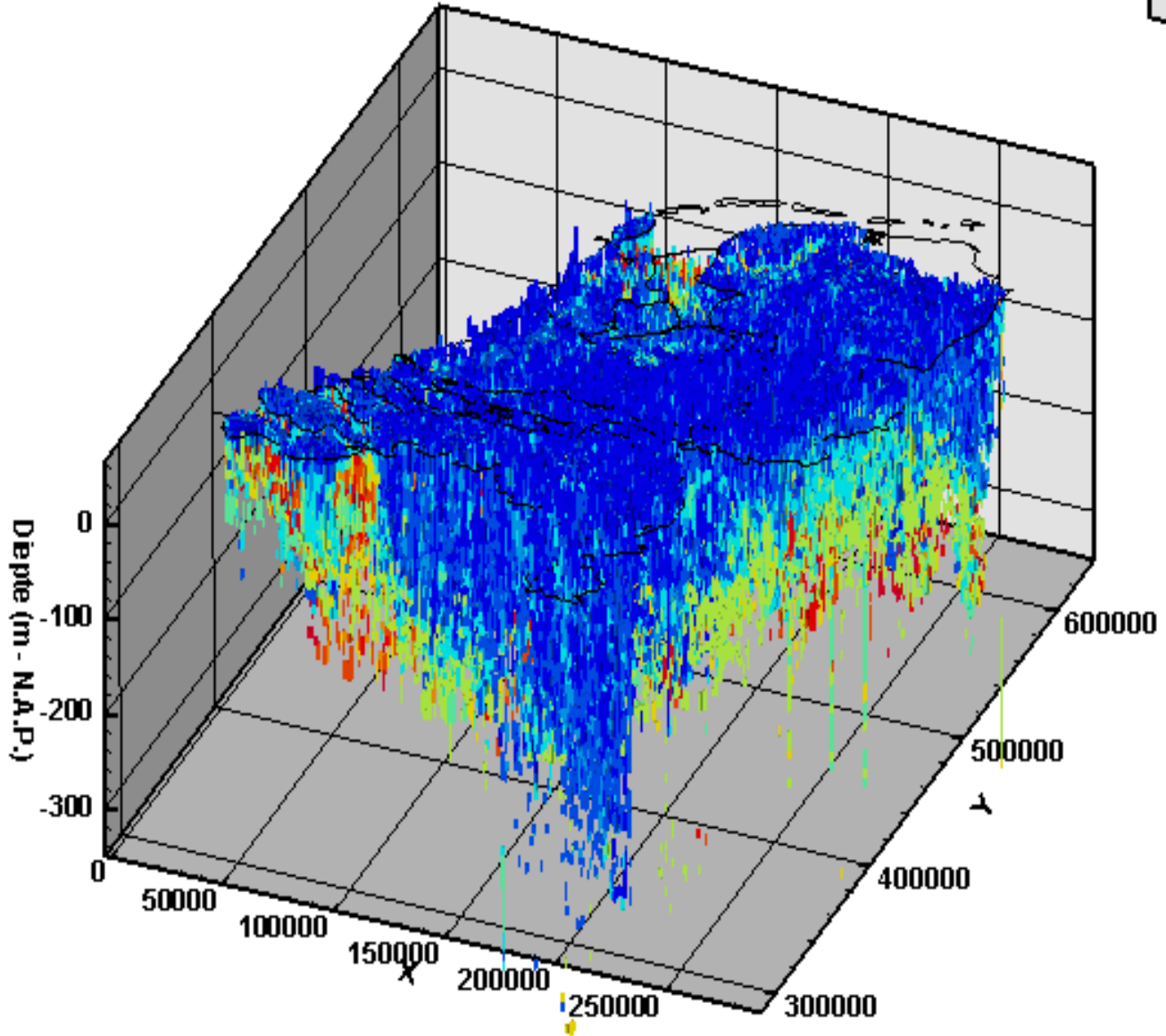
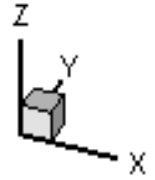
VES, monster & bgm

TYPE

- VES
- monster
- boorgatmeting
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- rivier
- outline nederland



Chloride concentrations in Nederland

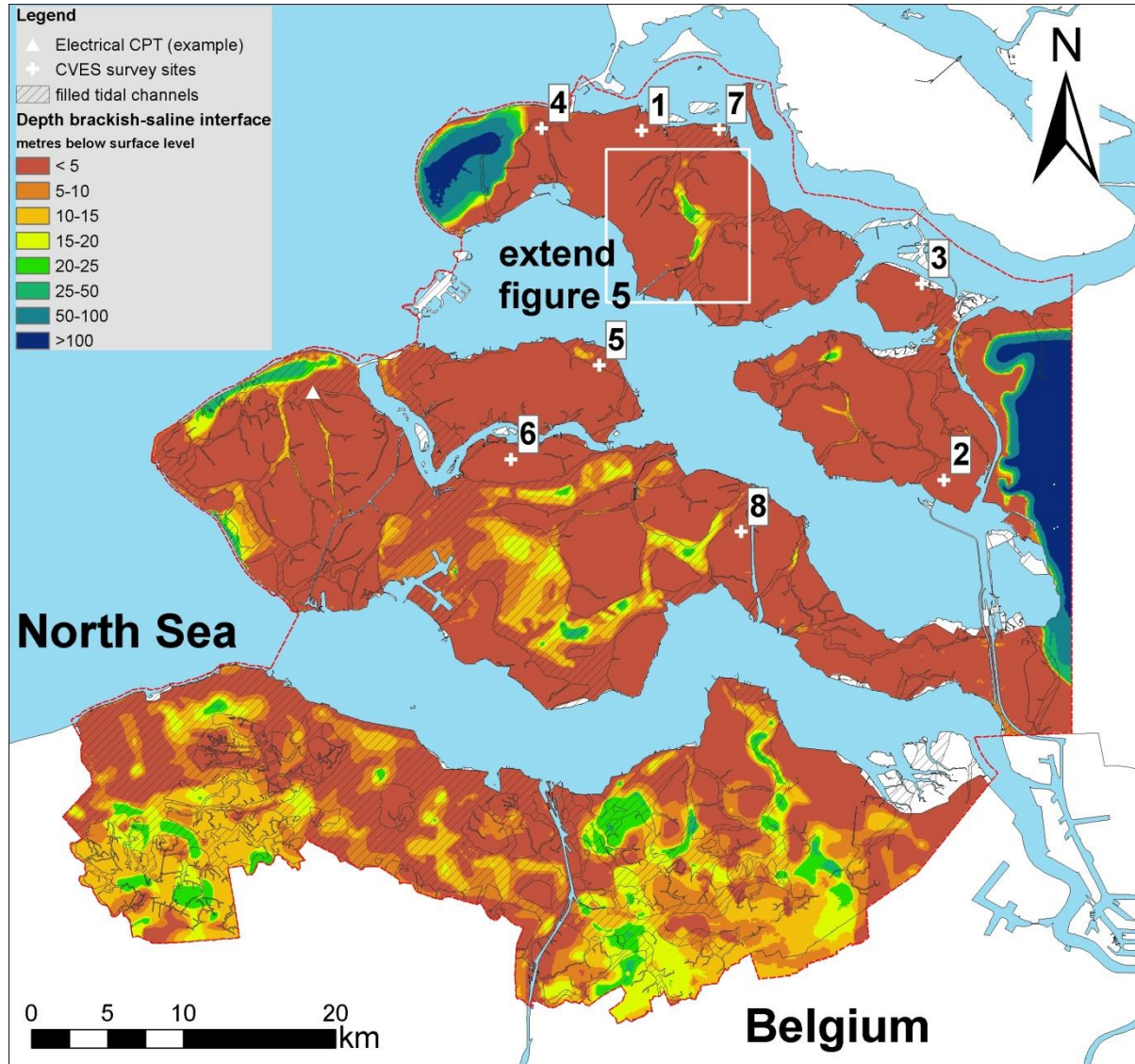


Mapping brackish-saline interface Zeeland

Combining different types of data sources:

Data type	Characteristics of measurement	# Data	Determined	Accuracy depth of interfaces
Groundwater Samples	0D in situ	721	Chloride concentration	Depends on positions of screens
Geo-electrical borehole logs	1D in situ	149	1D chloride profile, Depth fresh-brackish and brackish-saline interface, Inversions.	±1 m
Electrical CPT	1D in situ (max. depth 50 m)	71	Borehole log	±1 m
VES	1D from surface	1113	Depth brackish-saline interface, Major inversions, (1D chloride profile).	±20% of depth
EM34	1D from surface	3251	Depth brackish-saline interface	ranges of 7.5, 15 or 30 m (accuracy decreases with depth)
Groundwater Abstractions	0D in situ	716	Depth brackish-saline interface	a range depending on screen depth
Unique locations		6021		

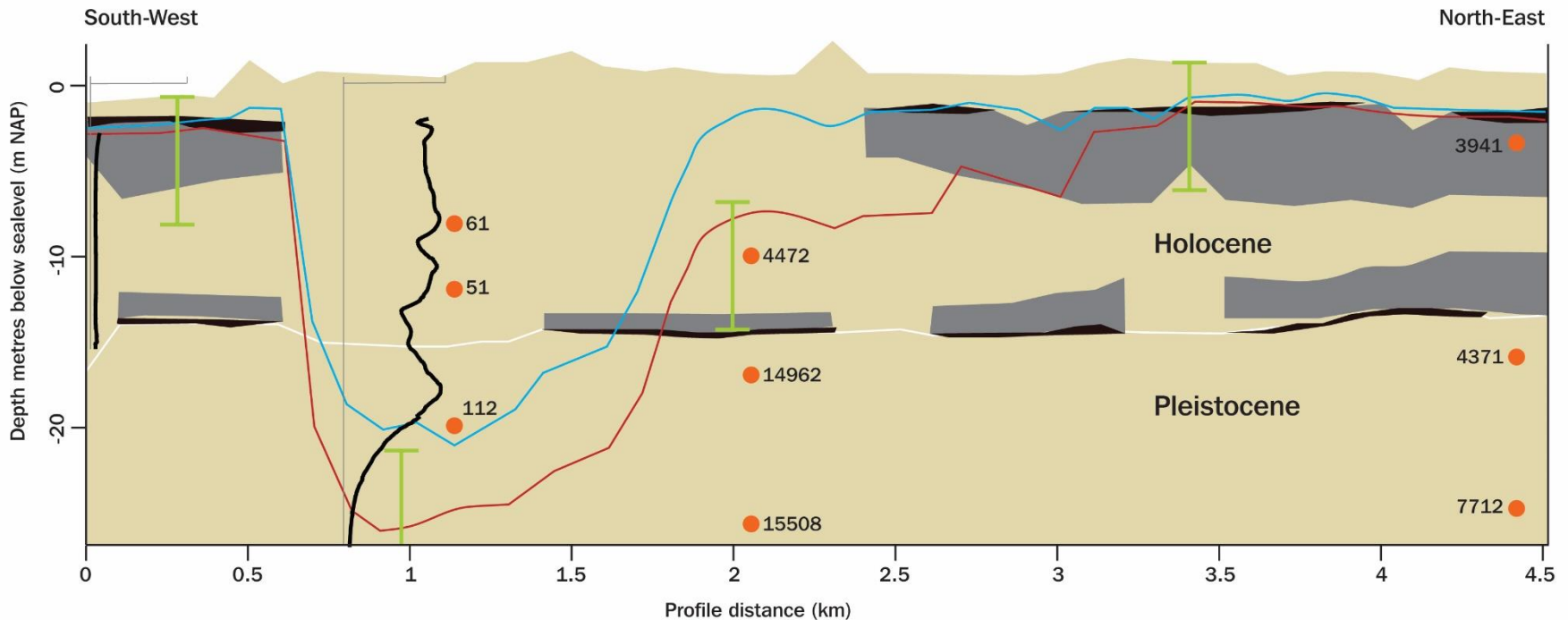
Mapping brackish-saline interface



Goes et al, 2009

Mapping brackish-saline interface

Combining different types of data sources



Geology

- sand
- clay
- peat
- top of Pleistocene

Measurements

- 0 45
Long Normal well log resistivity (Ohm-m)
- 61 chloride water sample (mg/l)
- EM34: depth range brackish-saline interface

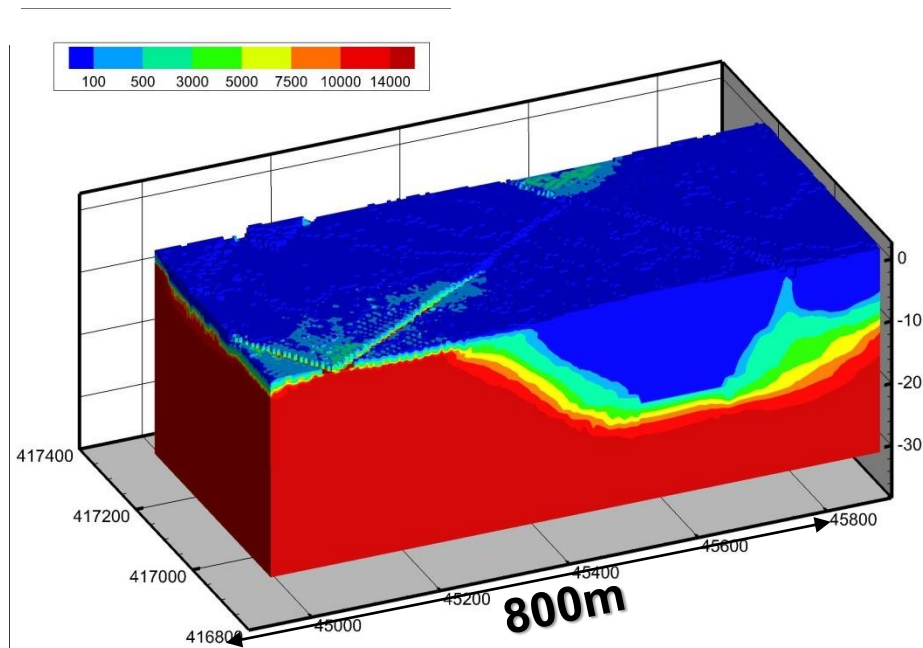
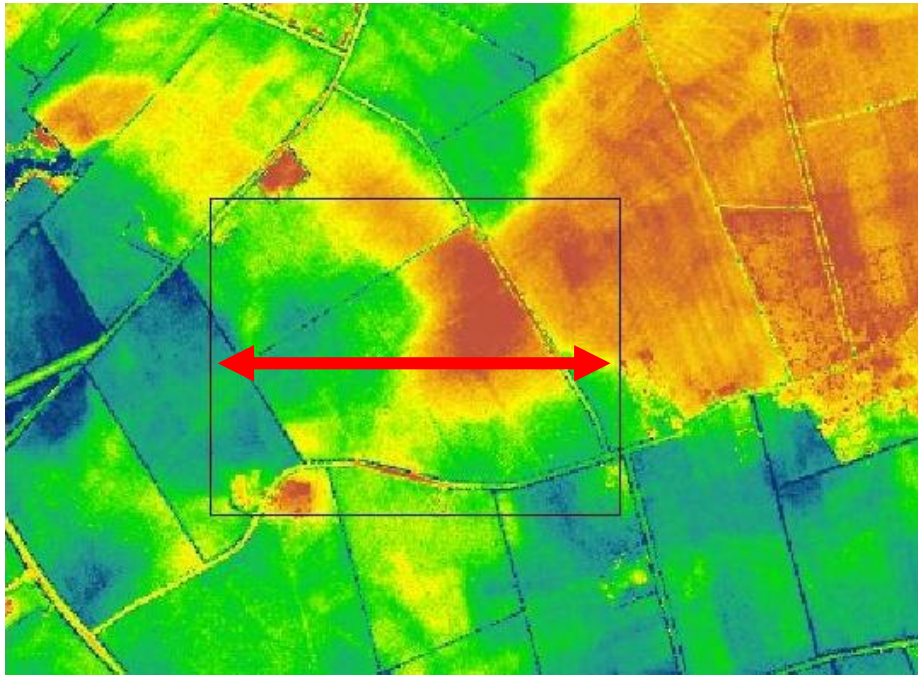
Interpretation

- brackish-saline groundwater interface
- fresh-brackish groundwater interface

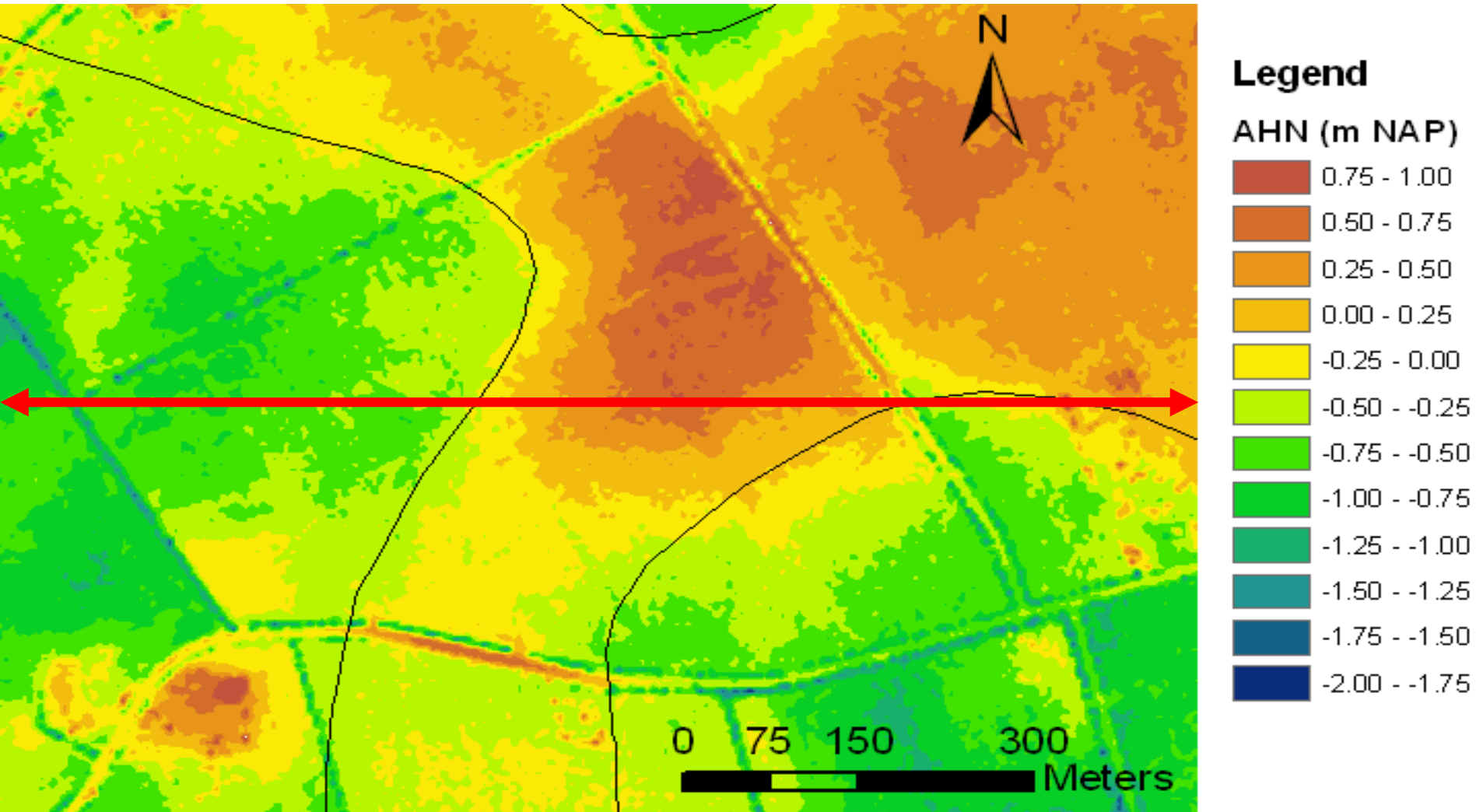
Use variable-density groundwater flow modelling

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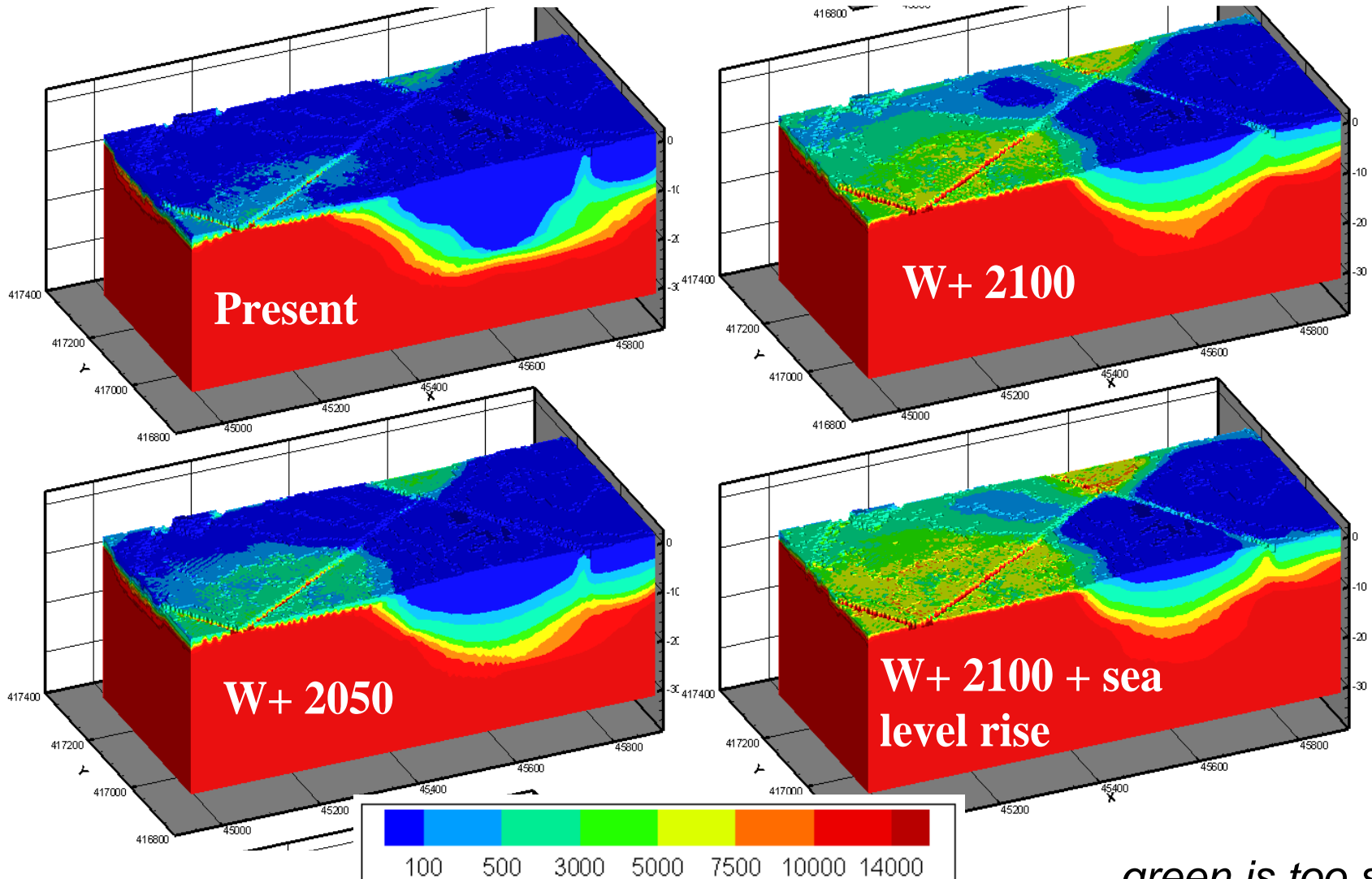
- variation in ground surface directly affects fresh-saline distribution



Use variable-density groundwater flow modelling



Local approach: simulated Cl-conc. with different CC-scenarios

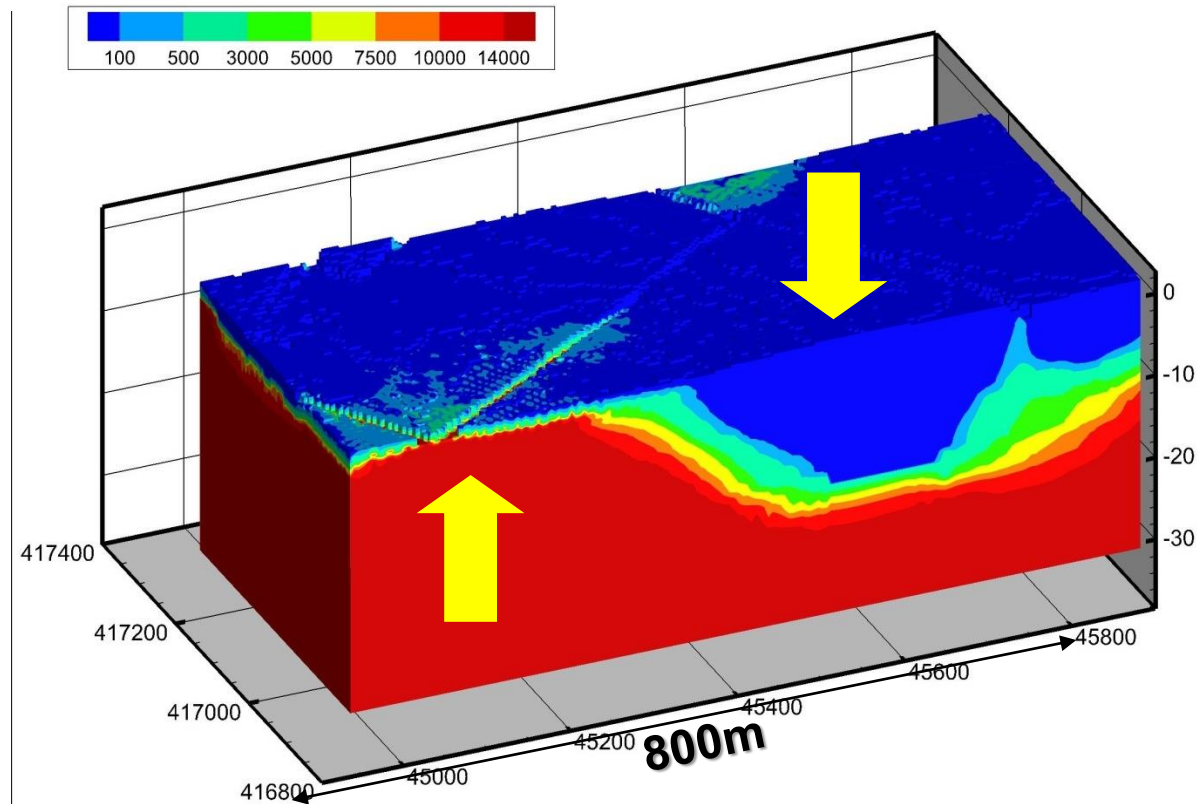
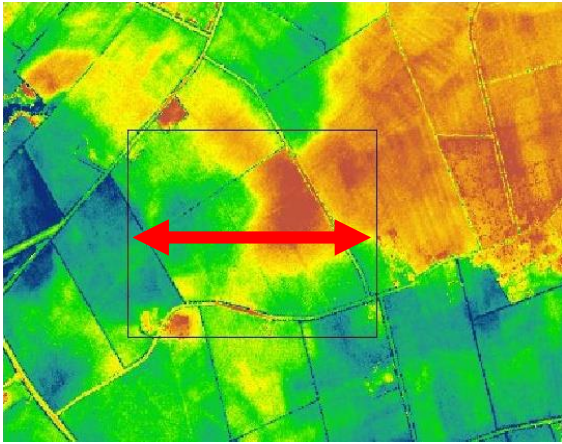


*green is too salty
to grow fresh crops*

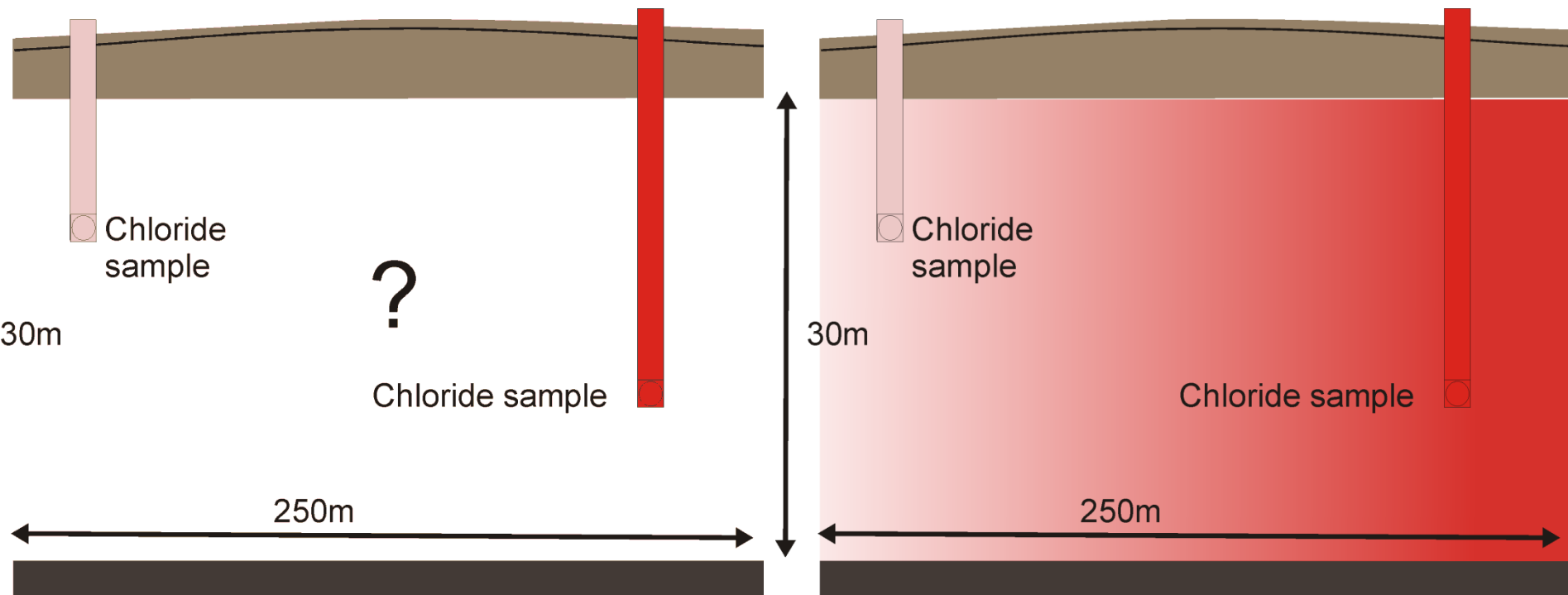
Use variable-density groundwater flow modelling

Why a model?

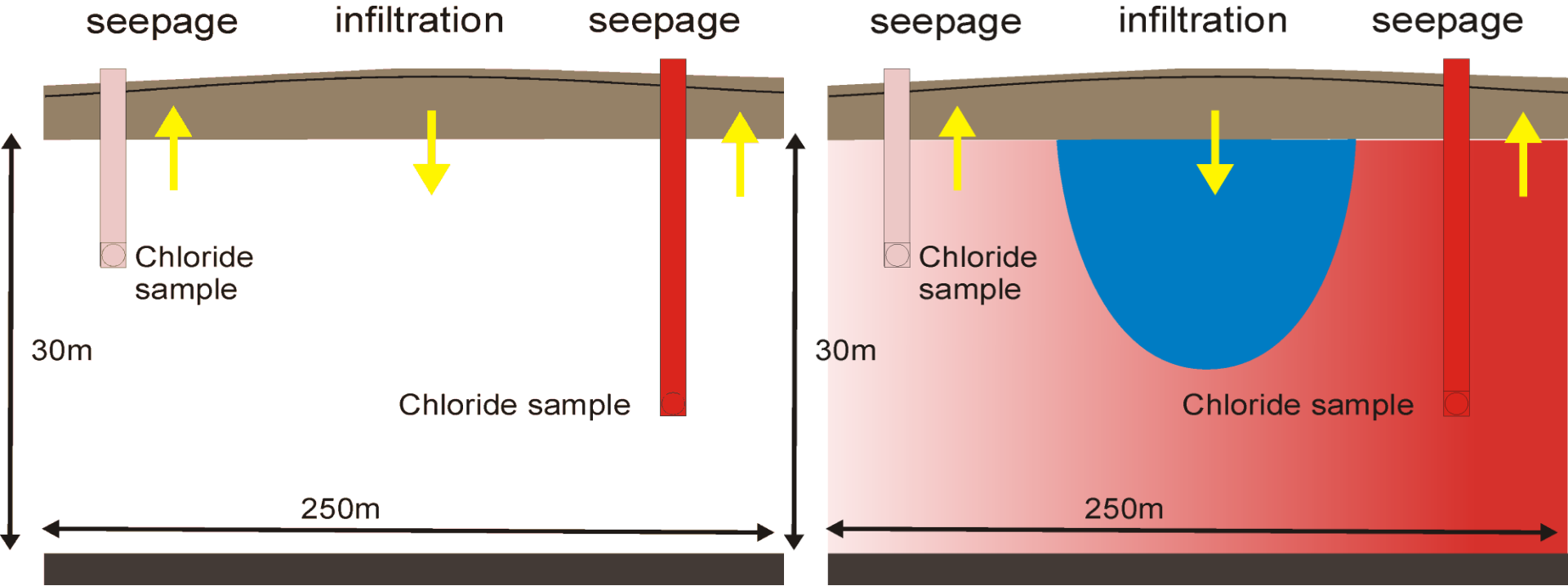
- variation in ground surface directly affects fresh-saline distribution



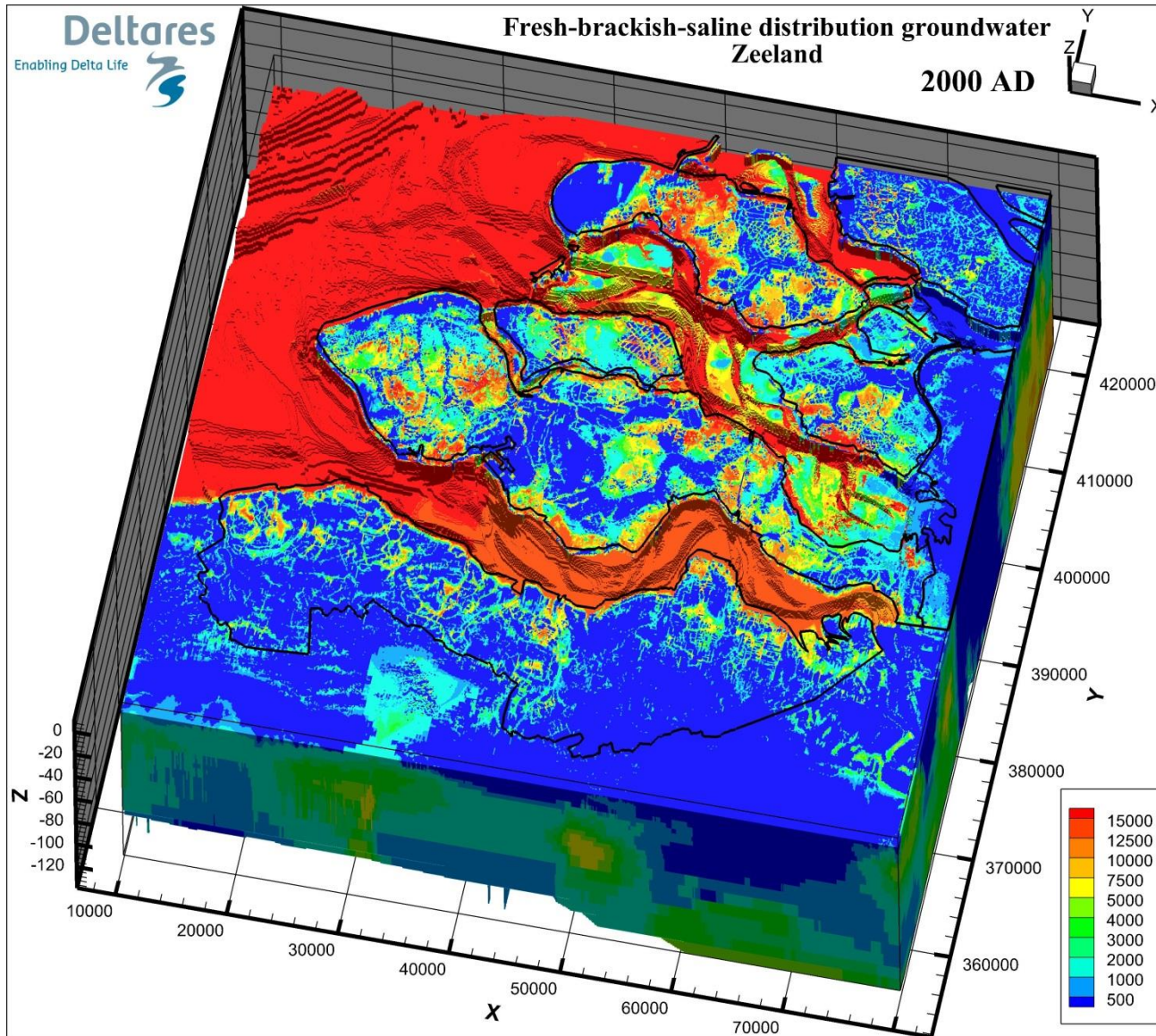
Interpolation chloride



Using flow model for better interpolate chloride



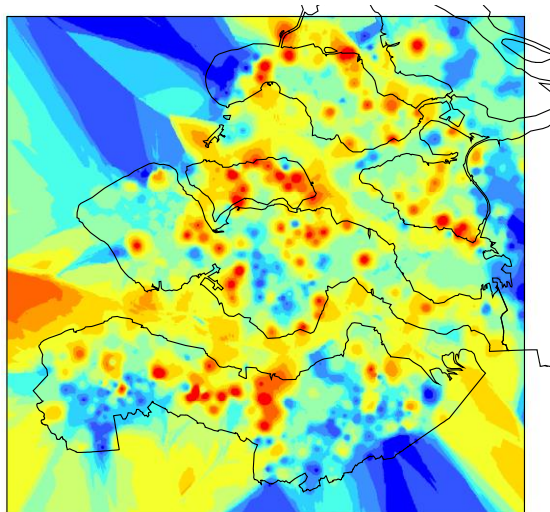
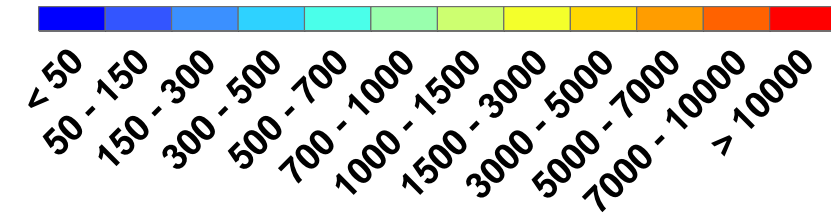
3D fresh-saline groundwater distribution



Regional groundwater model:

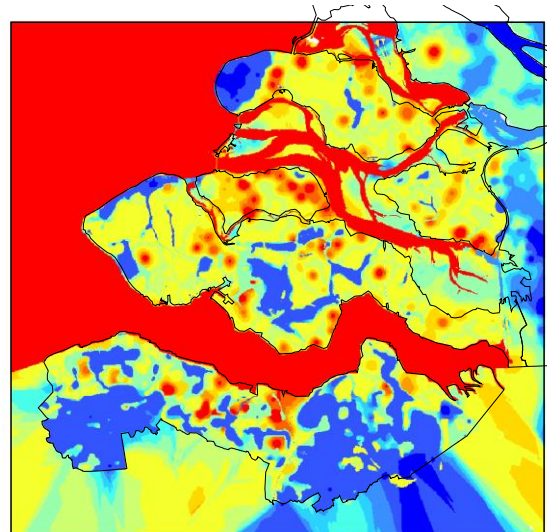
From chloride measurements to a 3D distribution

mg Cl/l



Step 1:
interpolating data:

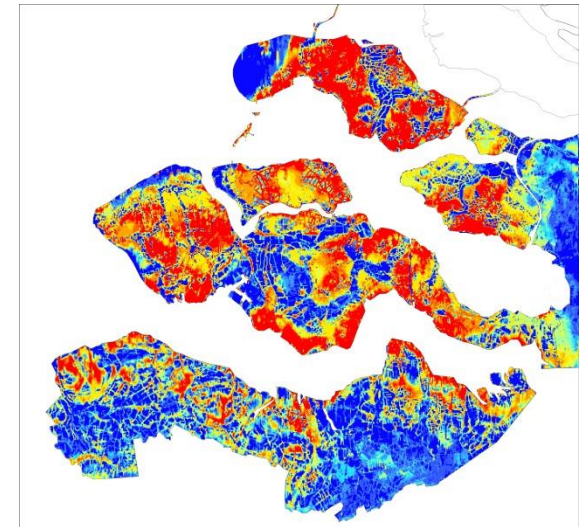
- Groundwater samples
- Geo-electrical borehole logs
- (C)VES, EM, electrical CPT



Step 2:
including interfaces

- Mapped fresh-brackish
- Mapped brackish-salt

results at - 6.5 m msl

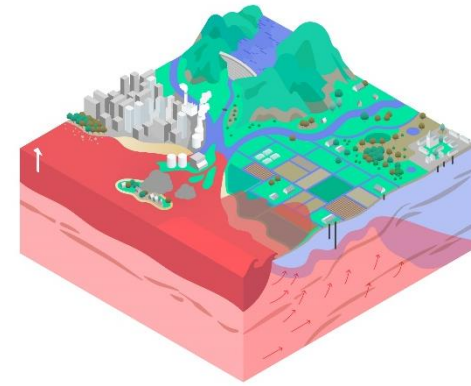


Step 3:
model result 2010:

- *Model as interpolator*

Level of modelling saltwater intrusion depends on e.g.:

1. data availability
2. time to work on
3. available budget
4. technical knowledge base (data science, coding, python, hydro-informatics)



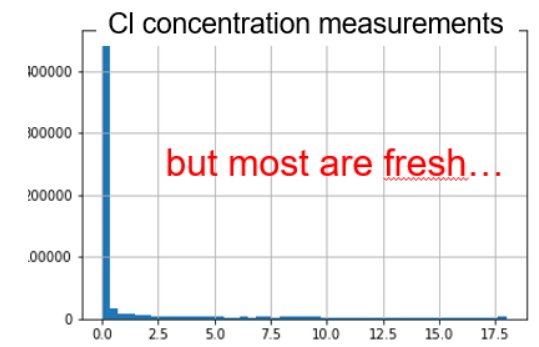
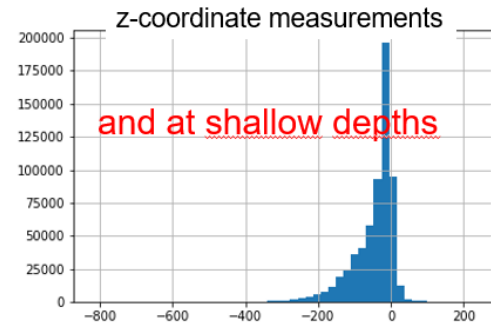
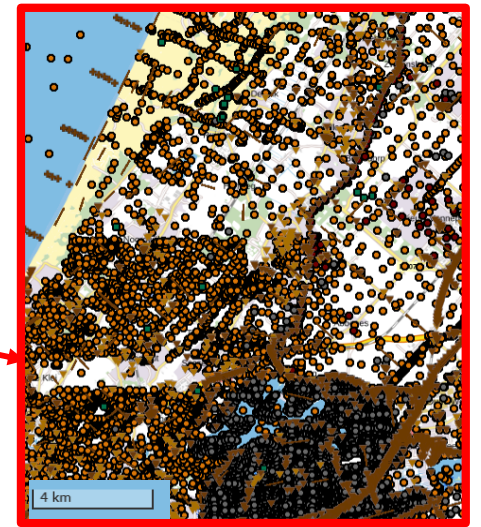
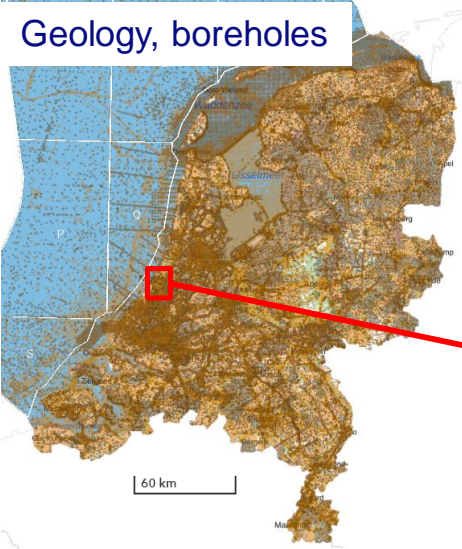
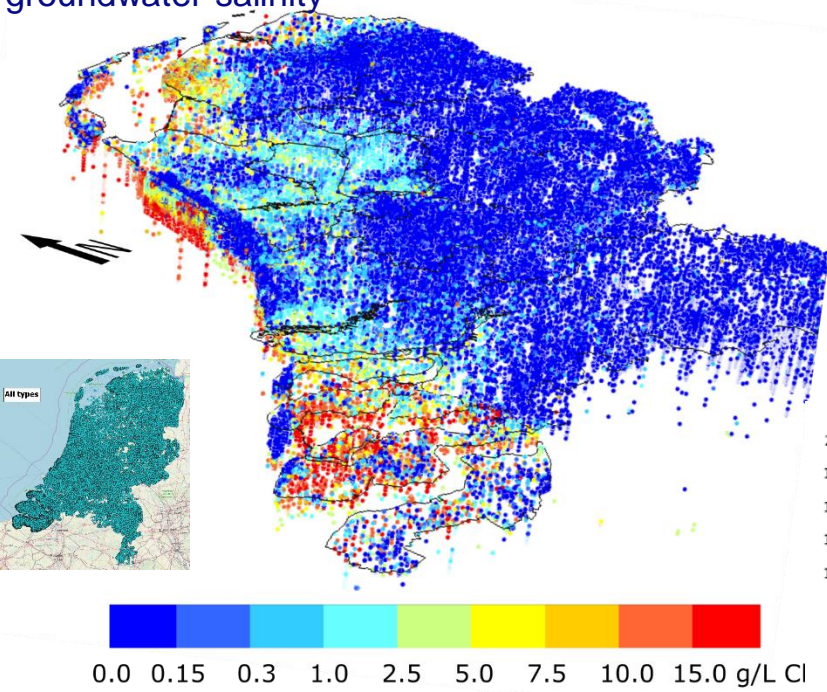
Examples of cases we have worked on (not generic applicable)

	Intensity	Data	Time	Budget	Technology needed	Case examples
1	very high	+++	>10 yr	>1M€/yr	+++	Netherlands
2	high	++	3-5 yr	>100k€/yr	++	Mekong delta
3	medium	+	1-2 yr	max 200k€	+	Nile data
4	low	global data	<0.2 yr	<50 k€	++	Oman

1 Case Netherlands

Data availability NL

groundwater salinity



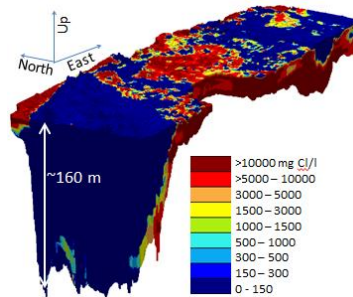
1 Case Netherlands

FRESHEM: fresh-salt mapping groundwater

TNO innovation for life

BGR

Deltares



Method:

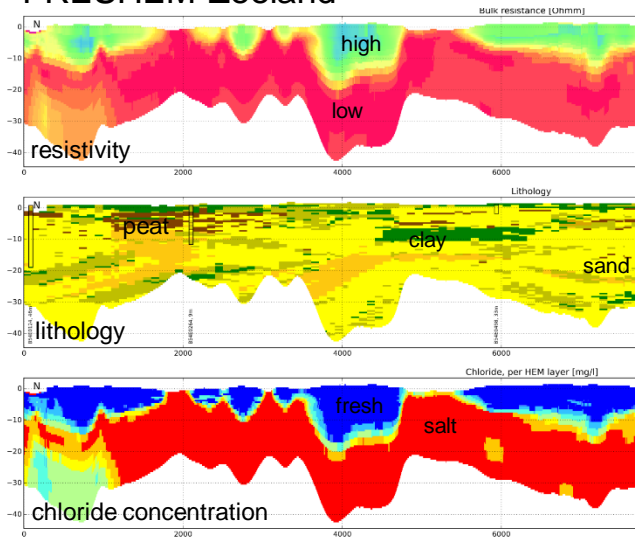
Combination helicopter measurements with data and knowledge about subsurface and processes in fresh-saline groundwater

Results:

- Mapping of 3D groundwater salinity
- Mapping of clay layers

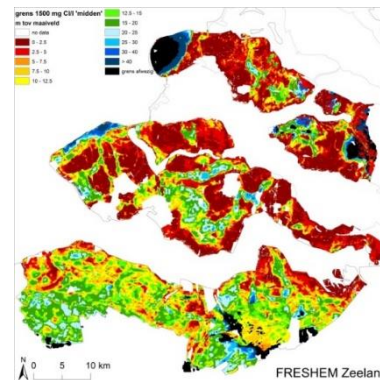
FRESHEM NL (2022-2025)

FRESHEM Zeeland



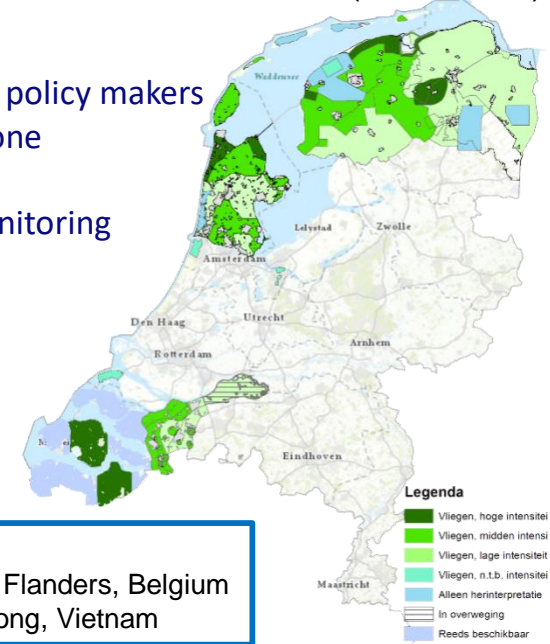
Applications:

- strategic fresh groundwater users & policy makers
- support ASR (COASTAR) in coastal zone
- identify brackish water potential
- improve groundwater models & monitoring



International:

- Project in Flanders, Belgium
- Pilot Mekong, Vietnam



Salt water intrusion in groundwater systems

1 Case Netherlands

Modelling: NHI fresh-salt (National Hydrological Instrument)

iMOD-WQ model, parallel:

SEAWAT + M3TD + bells & whistles

39 layers, 1300 rows, 1200 columns

- Fully scripted, python based
- In version control
- One workflow from external data to figures

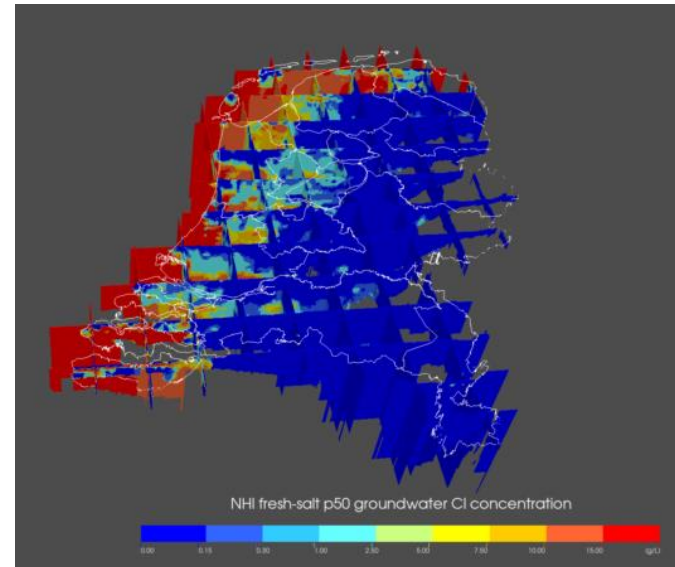
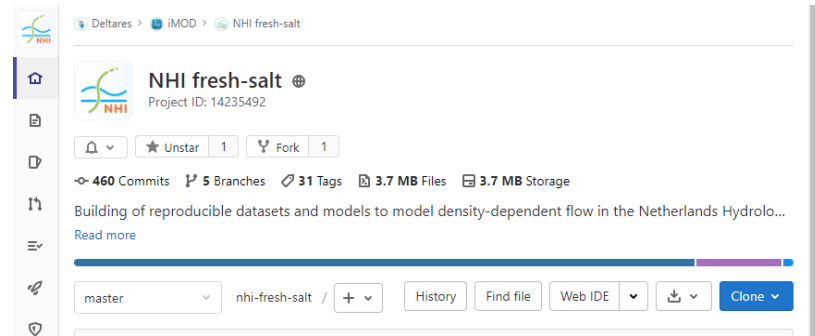


Openly available at:

<https://gitlab.com/deltares/imod/nhi-fresh-salt>

<https://deltares.gitlab.io/imod/imod-python/>

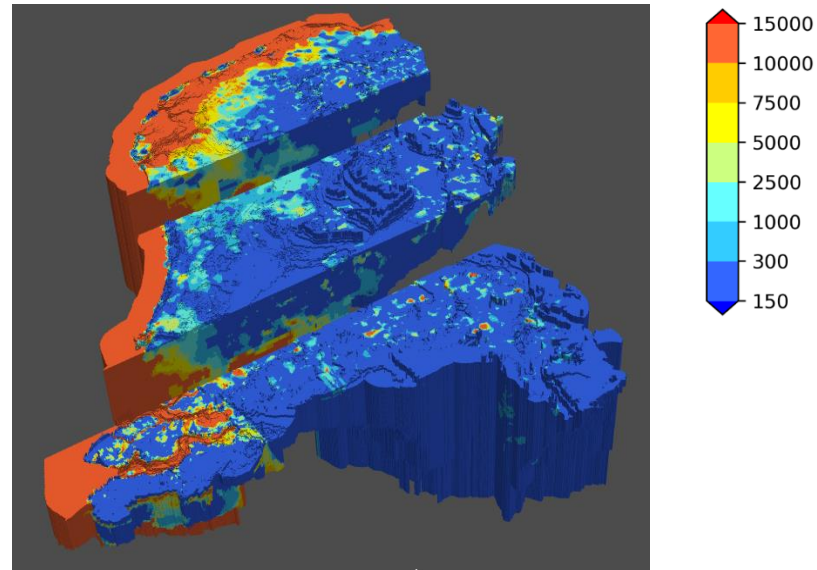
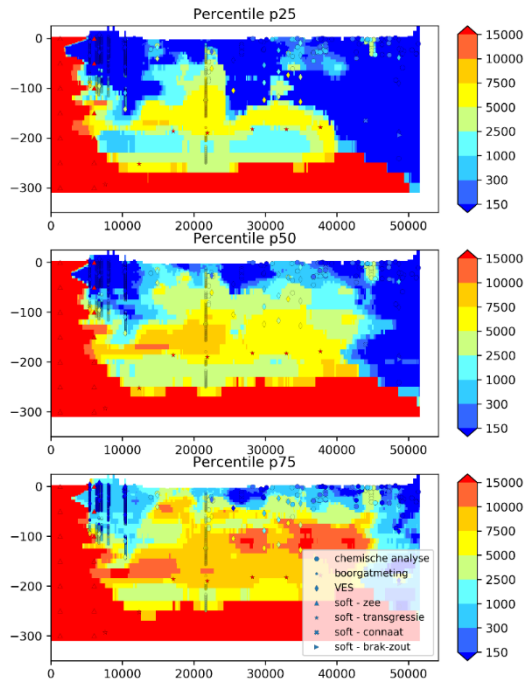
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1 Case Netherlands

Model transient groundwater salinity

- Present-day groundwater salinity
- Extended model 20 km seaward
- Vertically detailed model layers
- Constructed using Toolbox NHI fresh-salt
- 250 x 250m, 39 layers (31M active cells)
- Runtime ~ 2 days for 100 year simulation, parallel (16 cores) and after speed-ups

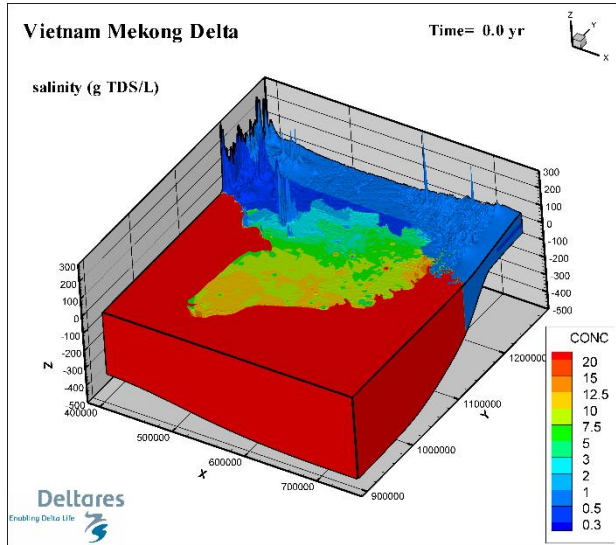


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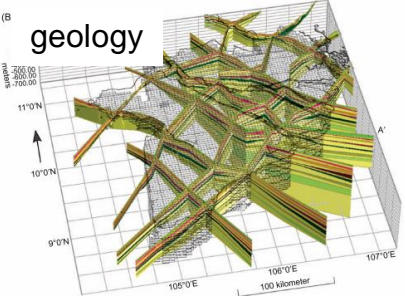
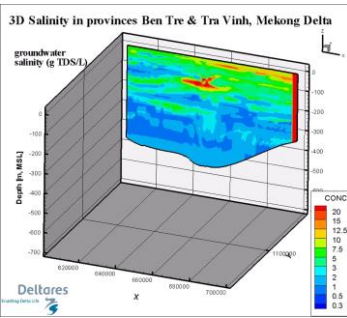
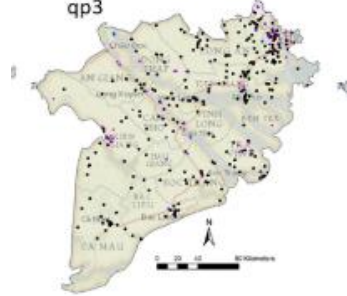
2. Case Mekong

Quite some hydrogeological data, time and budget

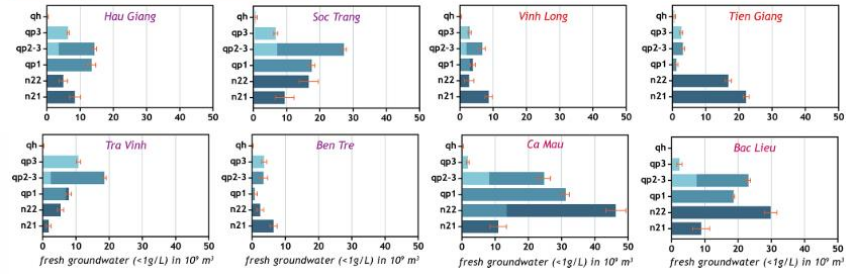
Geology and groundwater salinity data from existing databases



extractions aquifer qp3



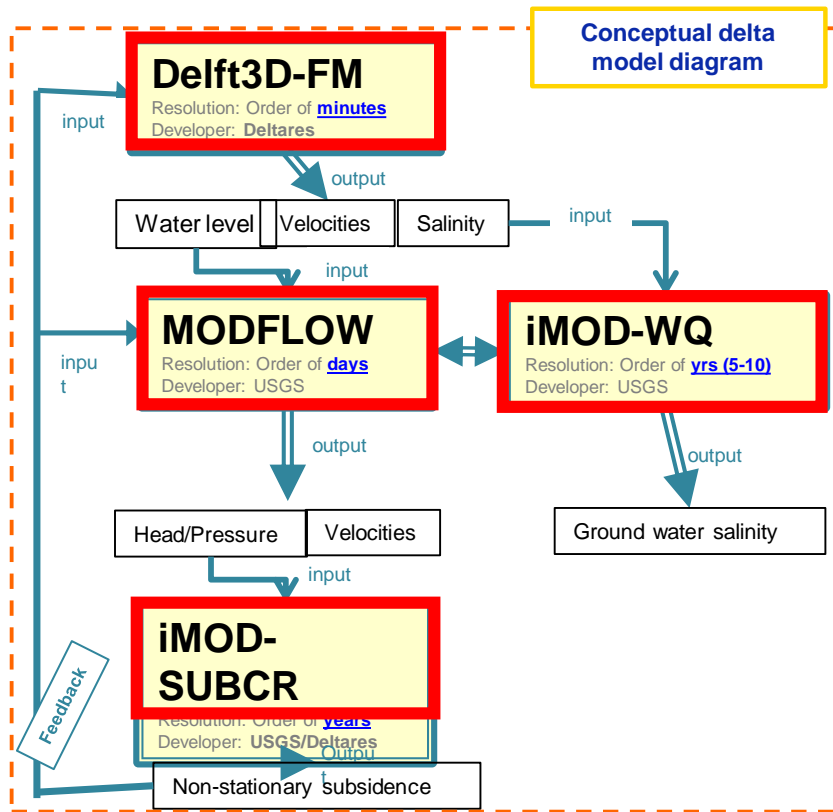
GUI: iMOD-WQ



Gunnink, J.L., Pham, V.H., Oude Essink, G.H.P., Bierkens, M.F.P., 2021. The 3D groundwater salinity distribution and fresh groundwater volumes in the Mekong Delta, Vietnam, inferred from geostatistical analyses. *Earth Syst. Sci. Data* 13, 3297–3319. <https://doi.org/10.5194/essd-13-3297-2021>

2. Case Mekong

Use (integrated) modeling toolboxes to quantify stresses and pathways



Open Source software Deltares

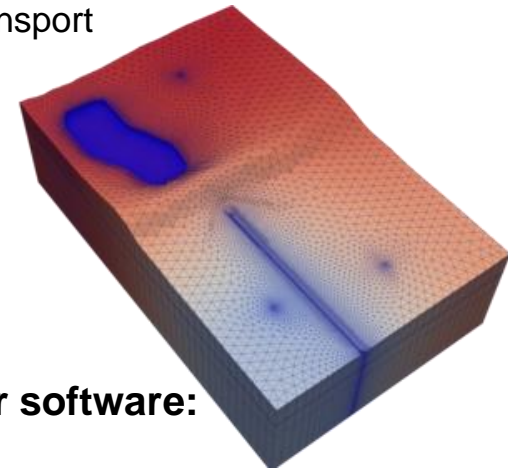
iMOD-WQ-SUBCR (SEAWAT, parallel):

- Modeling salt transport, variable-density groundwater flow and subsidence

Delft3D-FM:

- Modeling surface water, fresh and saline water and sediment transport

MODFLOW6!



Check Deltares site for software:

<https://oss.deltares.nl/>

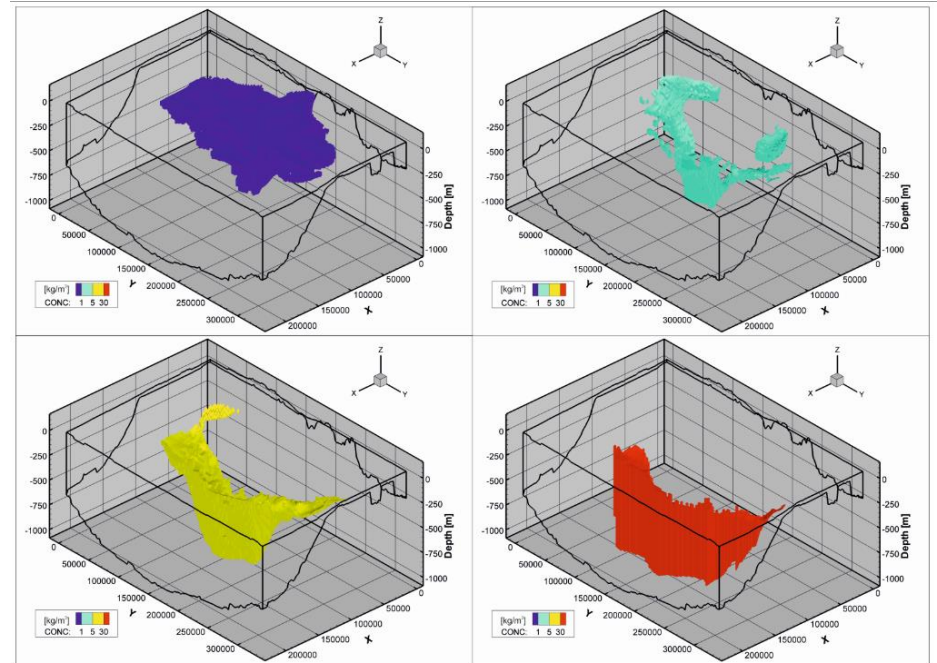
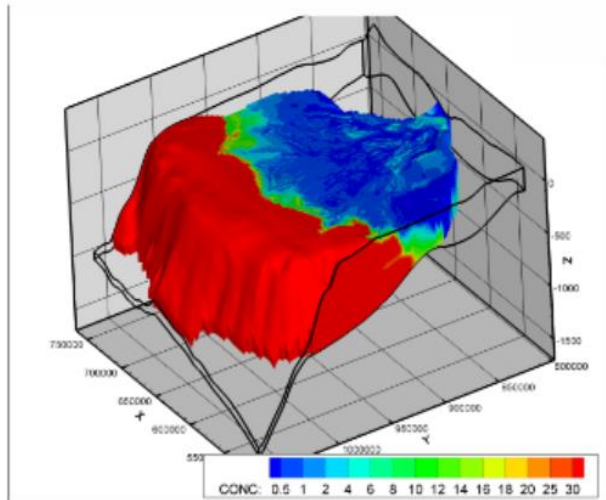
3. Case Egypt, Nile

Limited amount of hydrogeological data, time and budget

Salt water intrusion understanding using 3D variable-density groundwater models

Nile delta, Egypt

GUI: PMWIN



Mabrouk, M.B., Jonoski, A., Oude Essink, G.H.P., Uhlenbrook, S., 2019. Assessing the fresh-saline groundwater distribution in the Nile Delta Aquifer using a 3D variable-density groundwater flow model. *Water (Switzerland)* 11, 1–22. <https://doi.org/https://doi.org/10.3390/w11091946>

4. Case Oman

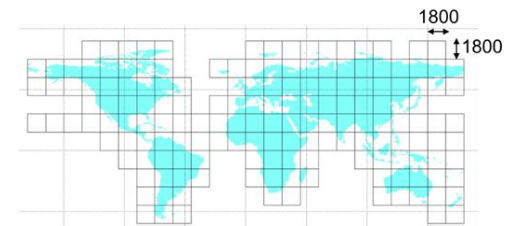
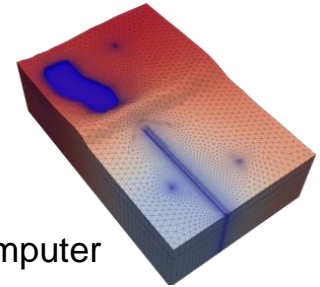
Only global hydrogeological data, limited time and budget

Development global groundwater model

1. Hyper resolution groundwater modelling on a global scale ($1 \times 1 \text{ km}^2$)
2. MODFLOW (6) / iMOD-WQ / SEAWAT **parallel codes**, using normal and supercomputer
3. Components: **quantity, salinity**
 - subsidence, groundwater quality (later, >2023)
 - heat transport (later, >2023)
4. **Downscaling clipping features** for continental <-> national <-> regional <-> local
5. Work in process: calibration/validation, improve geology (by adding extra geological databases), collect extractions, 3D groundwater salinity

6. Data processing:

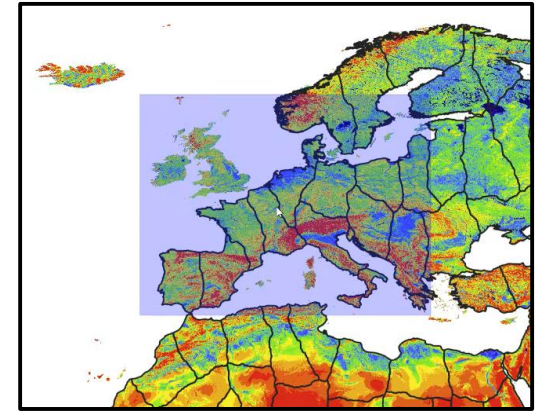
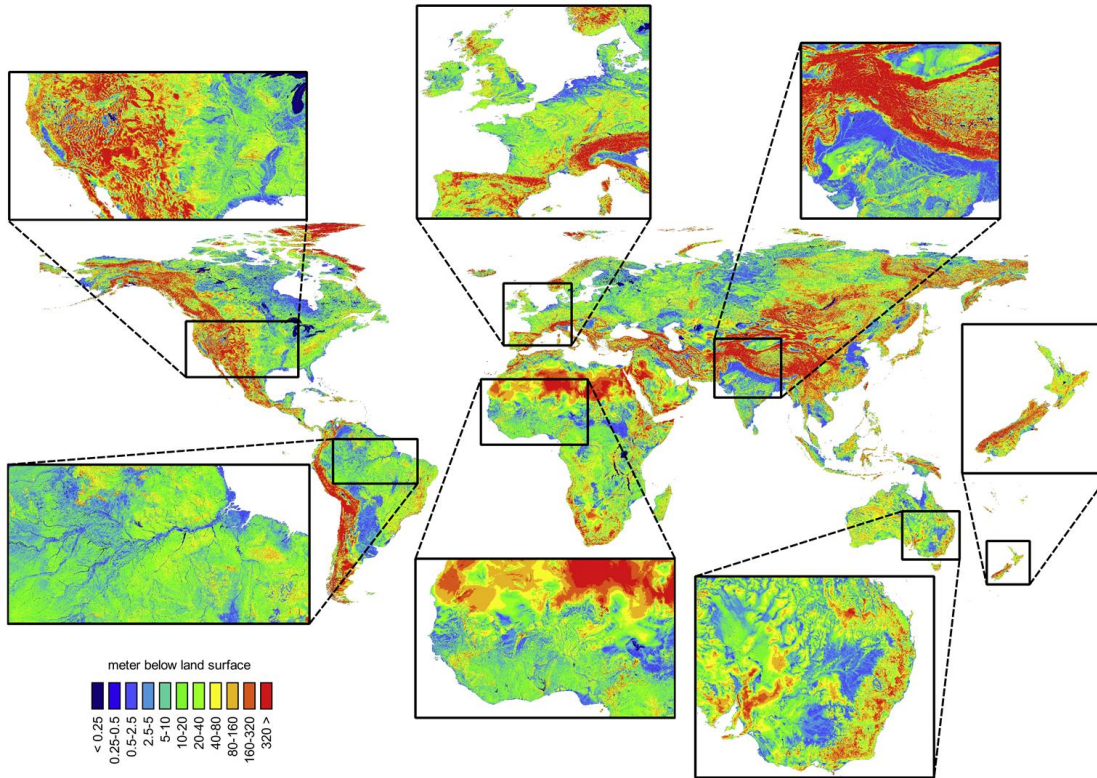
- 163 tiles of 15° (1800 x 1800 pixels) following landmass
- python scripting transient data for 1958-2015
- monthly data for recharge, storage, rivers, drains and wells
- runtime using 12 nodes and 384 cores: ~ 3.5 hours
- storage: 163 x 85 GB = 13.5 TB



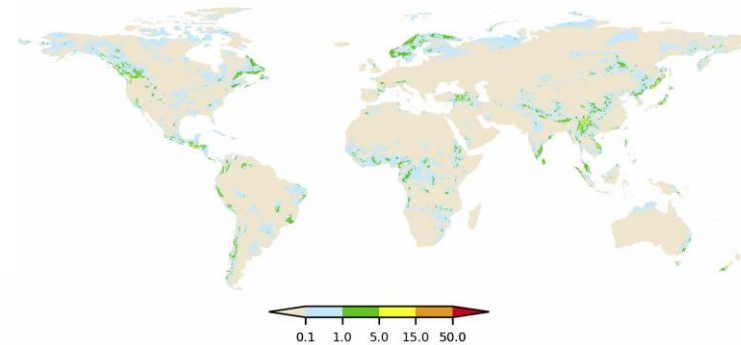
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2	Americas	77.13	3	32	96
3	Australia	16.34	1	32	32
4	Other	17.35	1	32	32
		278.33	12		384

4. Case Oman

Some results: piezometric heads: 1*1km², transient



Year-averaged water table depth (in m) relative to initial state for 1970

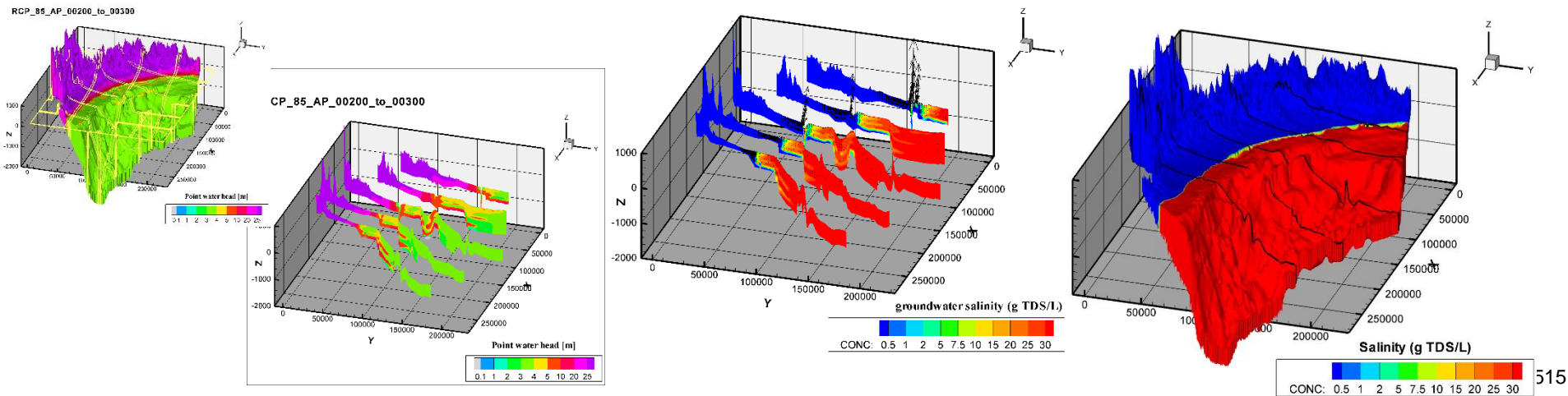
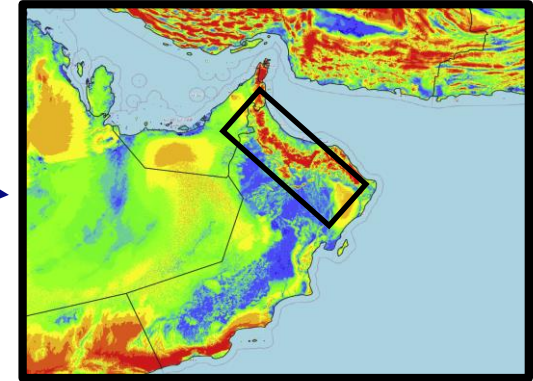
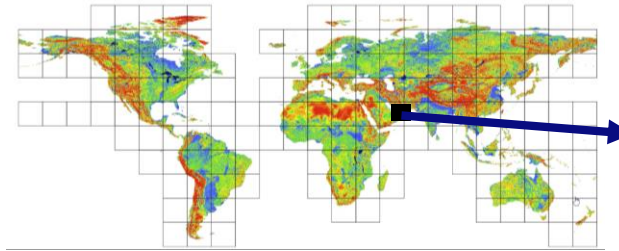


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4. Case Oman

Using global groundwater modelling, example

- Based on work of Zamrsky et al., (2020, 2022) results in 2D sections of salinity and hydraulic properties globally.
- Data converted to 3D using innovative interpolation methods (global estimates of 3D salinity).
- Model ran 100 years in < 1 day on a fast machine (24 core).



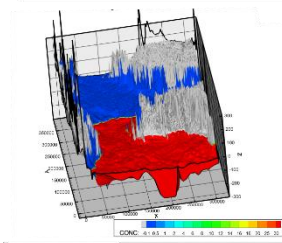
4. Case Oman, examples

Only global hydrogeological data, limited time and budget

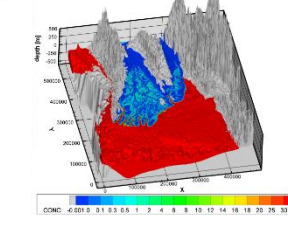
Using 3D groundwater salinity models, local and global data

GUI: iMOD-WQ

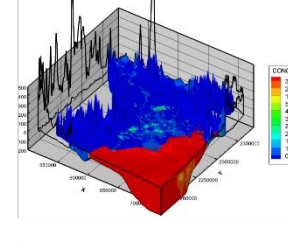
Bangkok, Chao Phraya delta



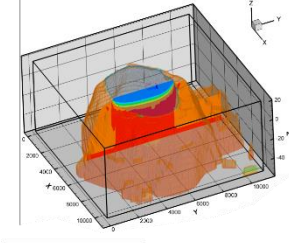
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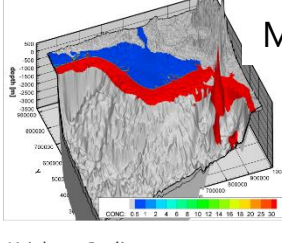
Red River, Vietnam



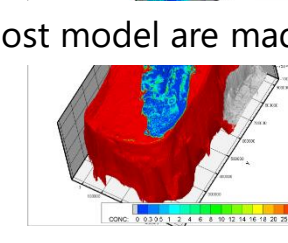
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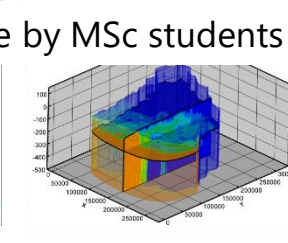
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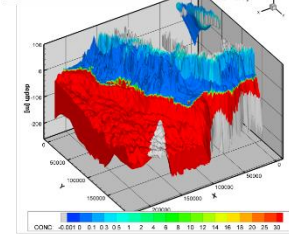
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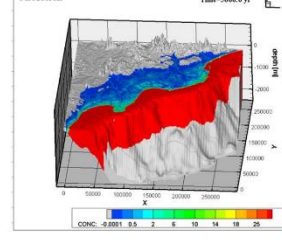


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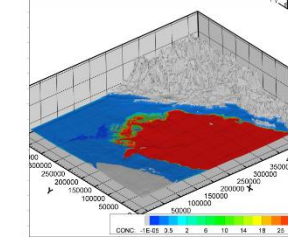


Most model are made by MSc students

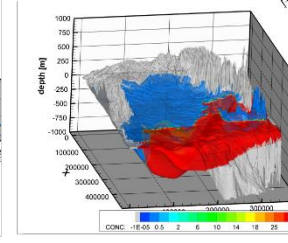
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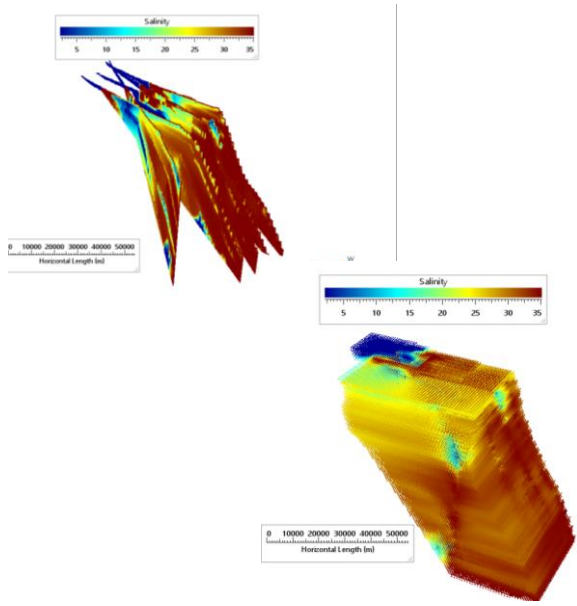
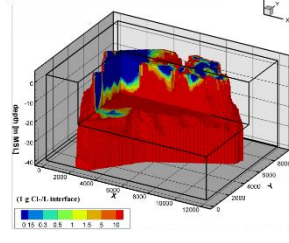
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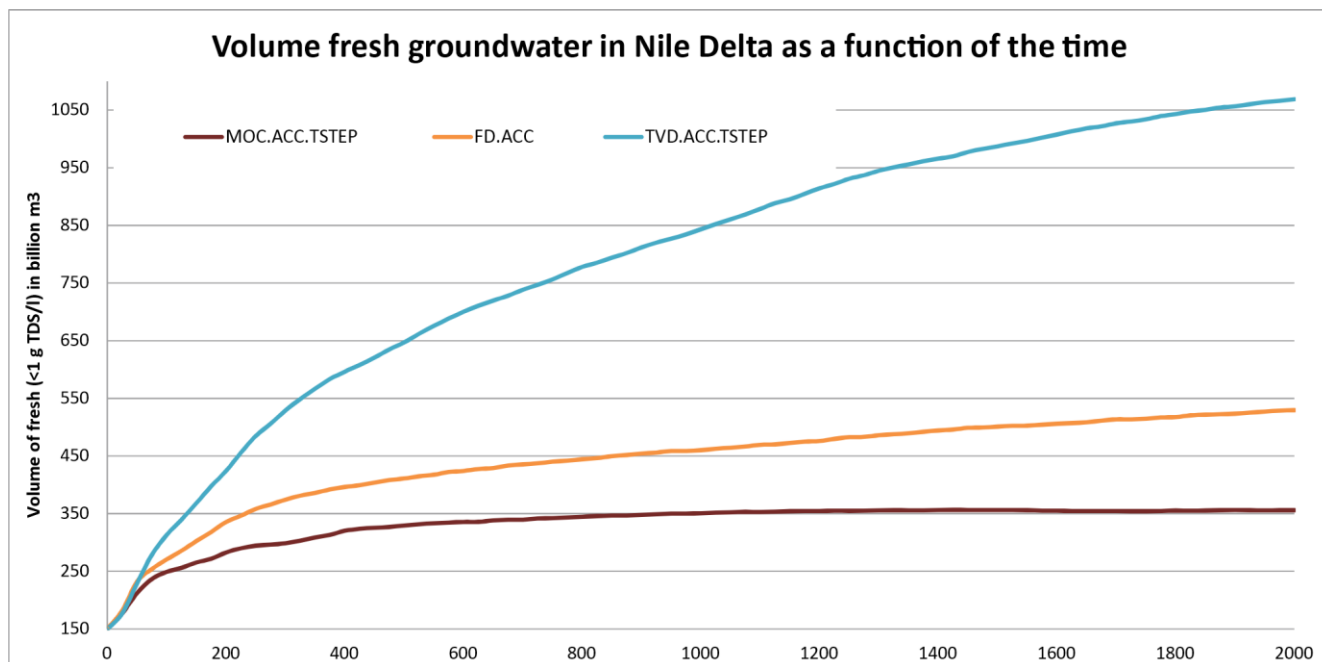
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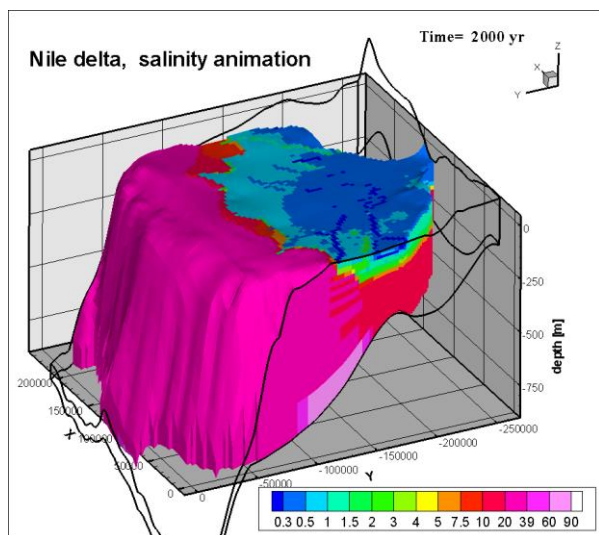
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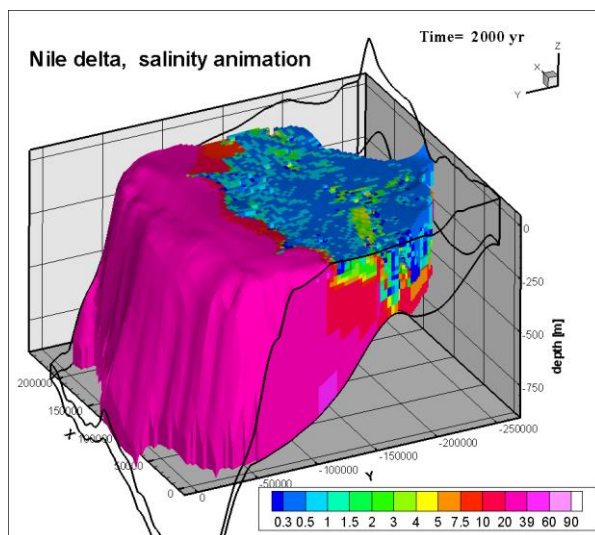
Case Nile delta, effect of solvers



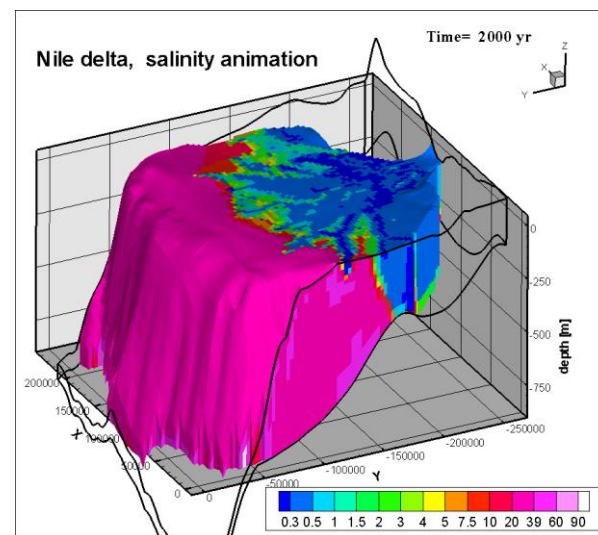
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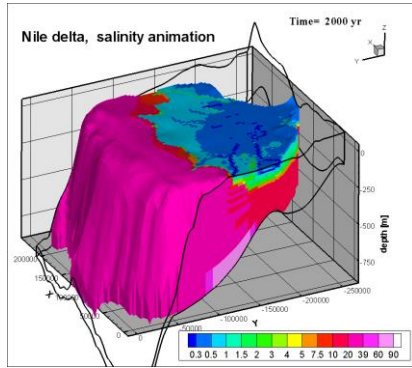
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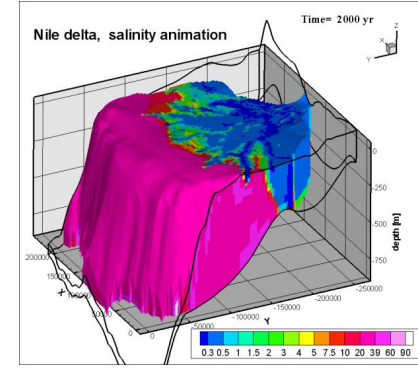
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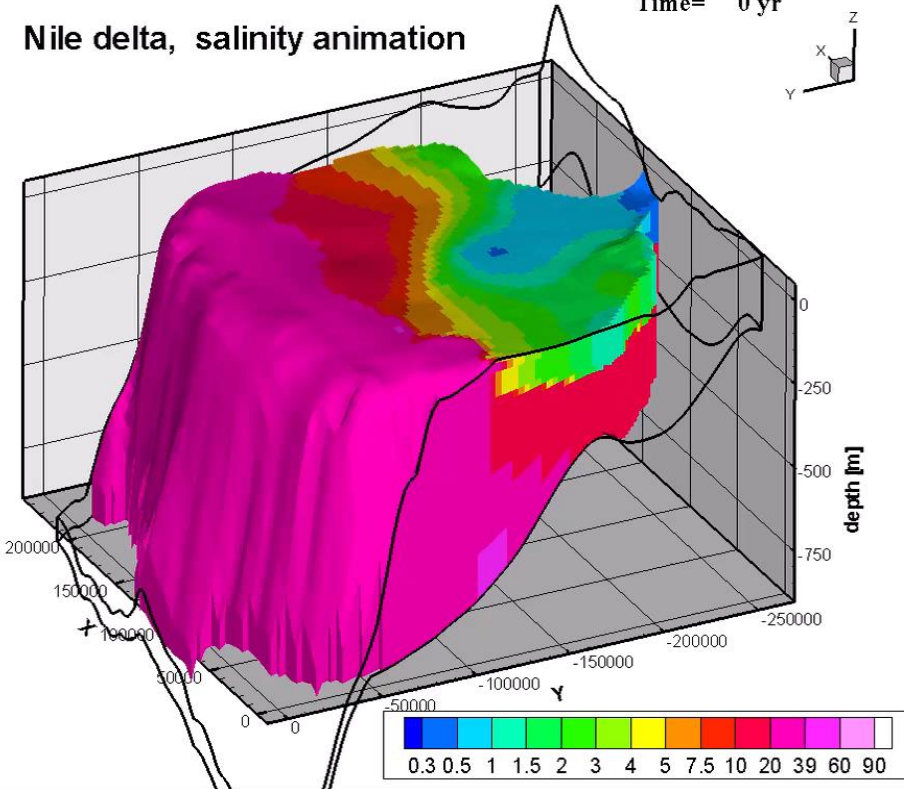


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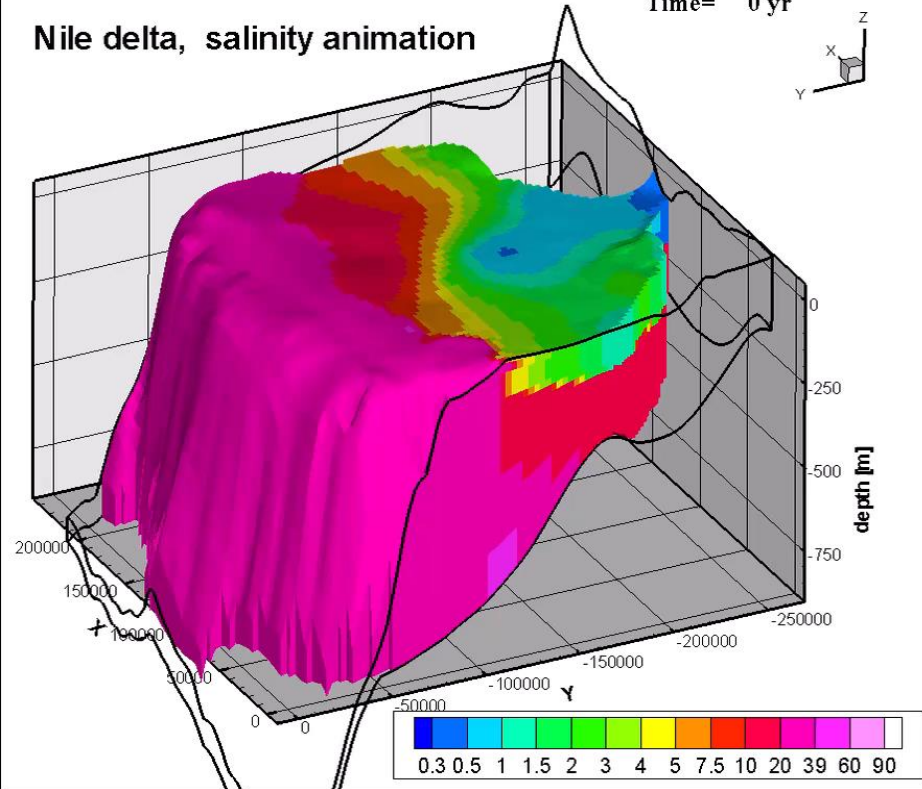
Nile delta, salinity animation

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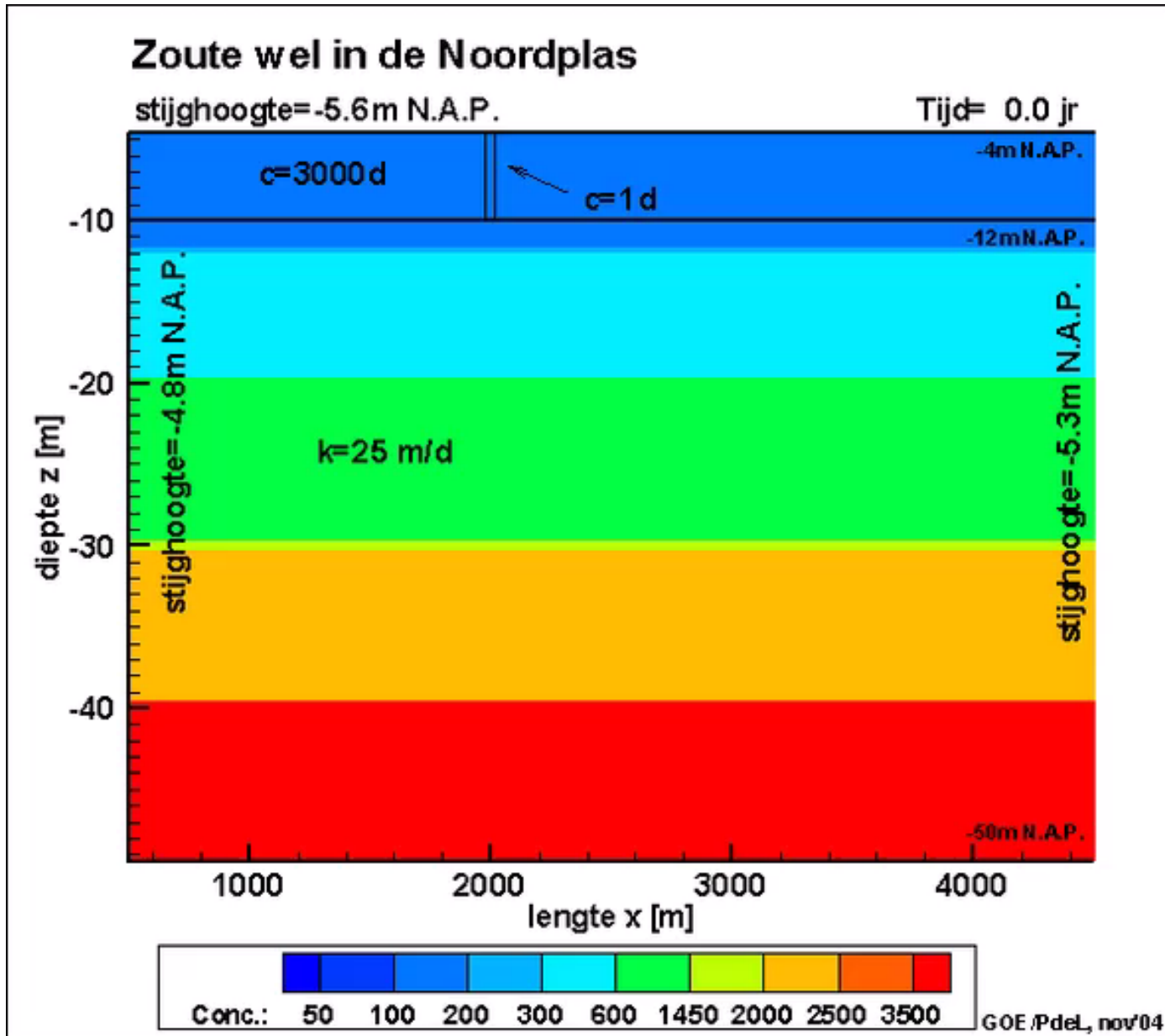


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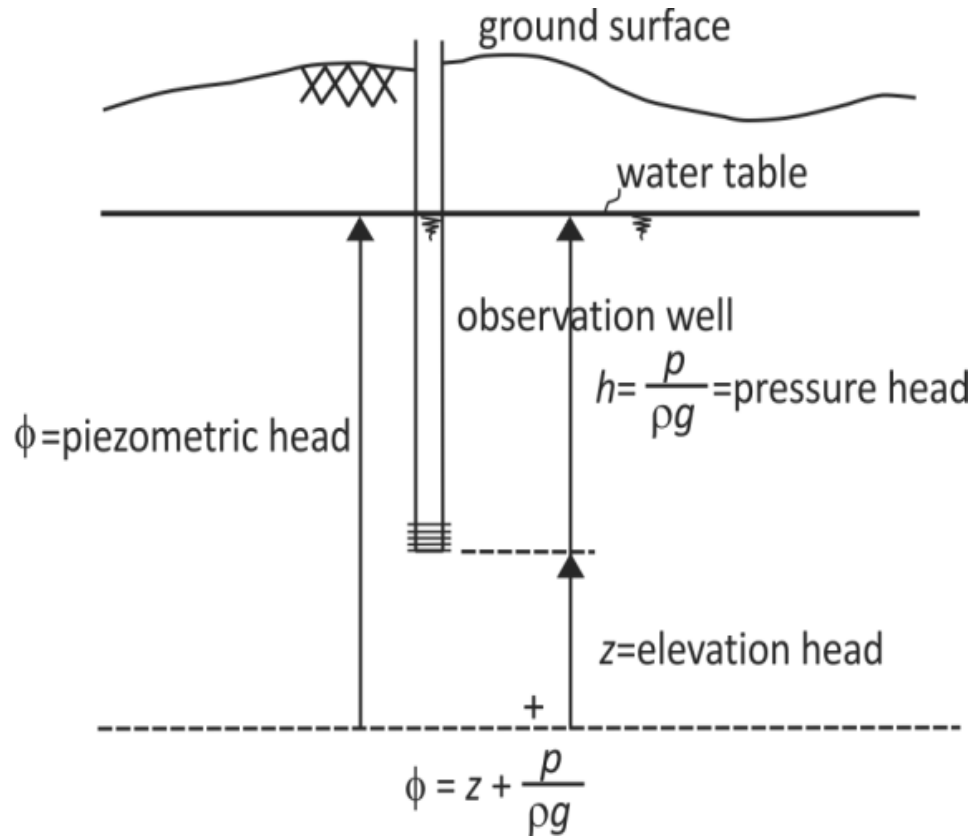


Find the two errors!



Point water head
and
Freshwater head ϕ_f

Piezometric head ϕ



$$\phi = \frac{p}{\rho g} + z$$

$$p = \rho g (\phi - z)$$

Freshwater head ϕ_f

$$\phi_f = \frac{p}{\rho_f g} + z$$

1. Groundwater with different densities can be compared
2. Fictive parameter
3. Hydrologists like to use heads instead of pressures
4. Pressure sometimes better
5. Confusing (heads not perpendicular to streamlines)

Freshwater head ϕ_f

$$h_f = \frac{\rho}{\rho_f} h$$

$$\phi_f = h_f + z$$

$$\phi_f = \frac{\rho}{\rho_f} h + z$$

e.g.:

$$\rho_s = 1025 \text{ kg/m}^3$$

$$h = 10 \text{ m}$$

$$\phi_f = 10.25 \text{ m}$$

Special case: hydrostatic pressure: $q_z=0$

$$q_z = -\frac{\kappa_z \rho_f g}{\mu} \left(\frac{\partial \phi_f}{\partial z} + \frac{\rho - \rho_f}{\rho_f} \right)$$

no vertical flow

$$0 = \left(\frac{\partial \phi_f}{\partial z} + \frac{\rho - \rho_f}{\rho_f} \right)$$

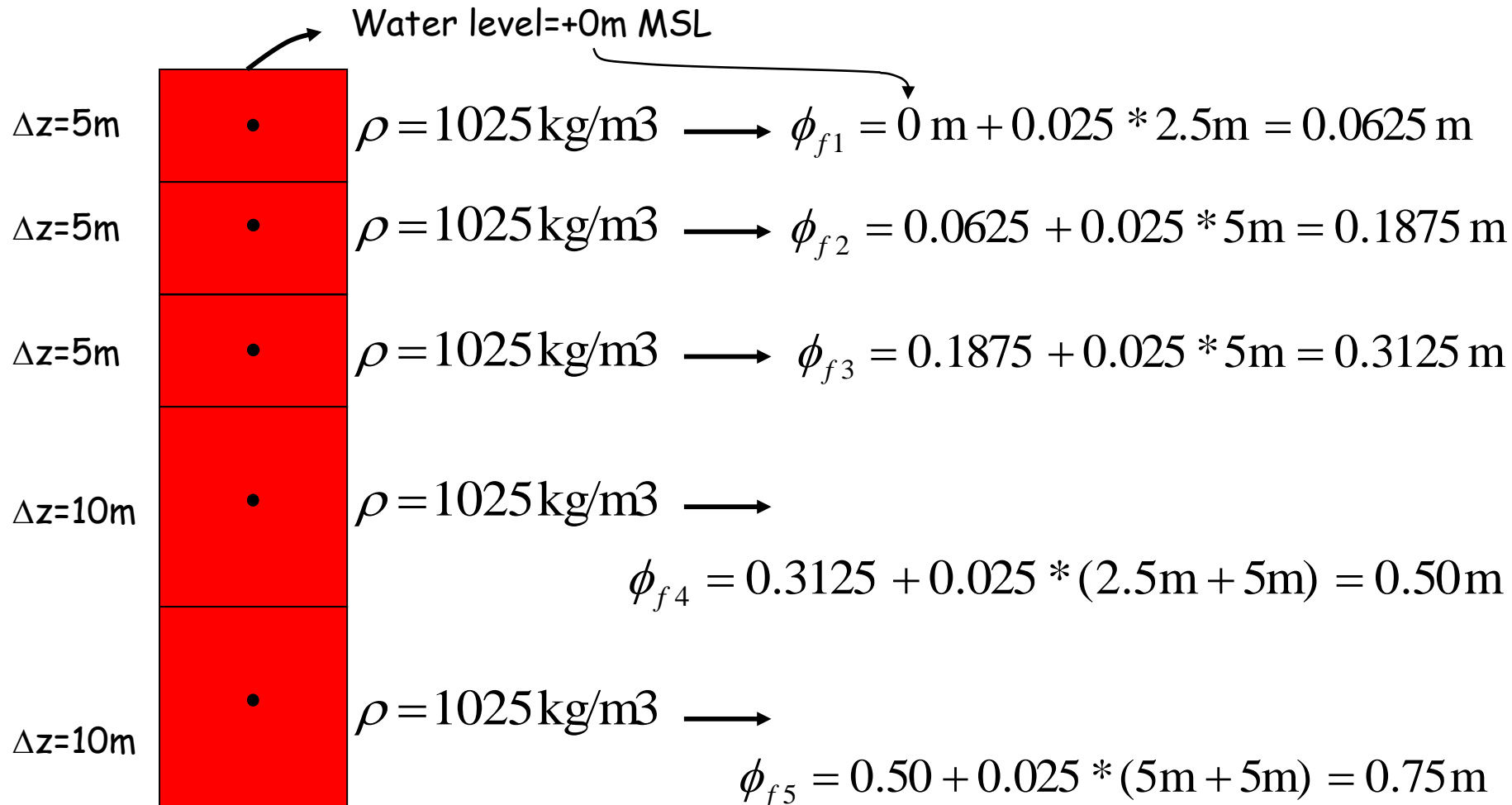
$$\partial \phi_f = -\frac{\rho - \rho_f}{\rho_f} \partial z$$

$$\phi_{f2} = \phi_{f1} - \frac{\rho - \rho_f}{\rho_f} (z_2 - z_1)$$

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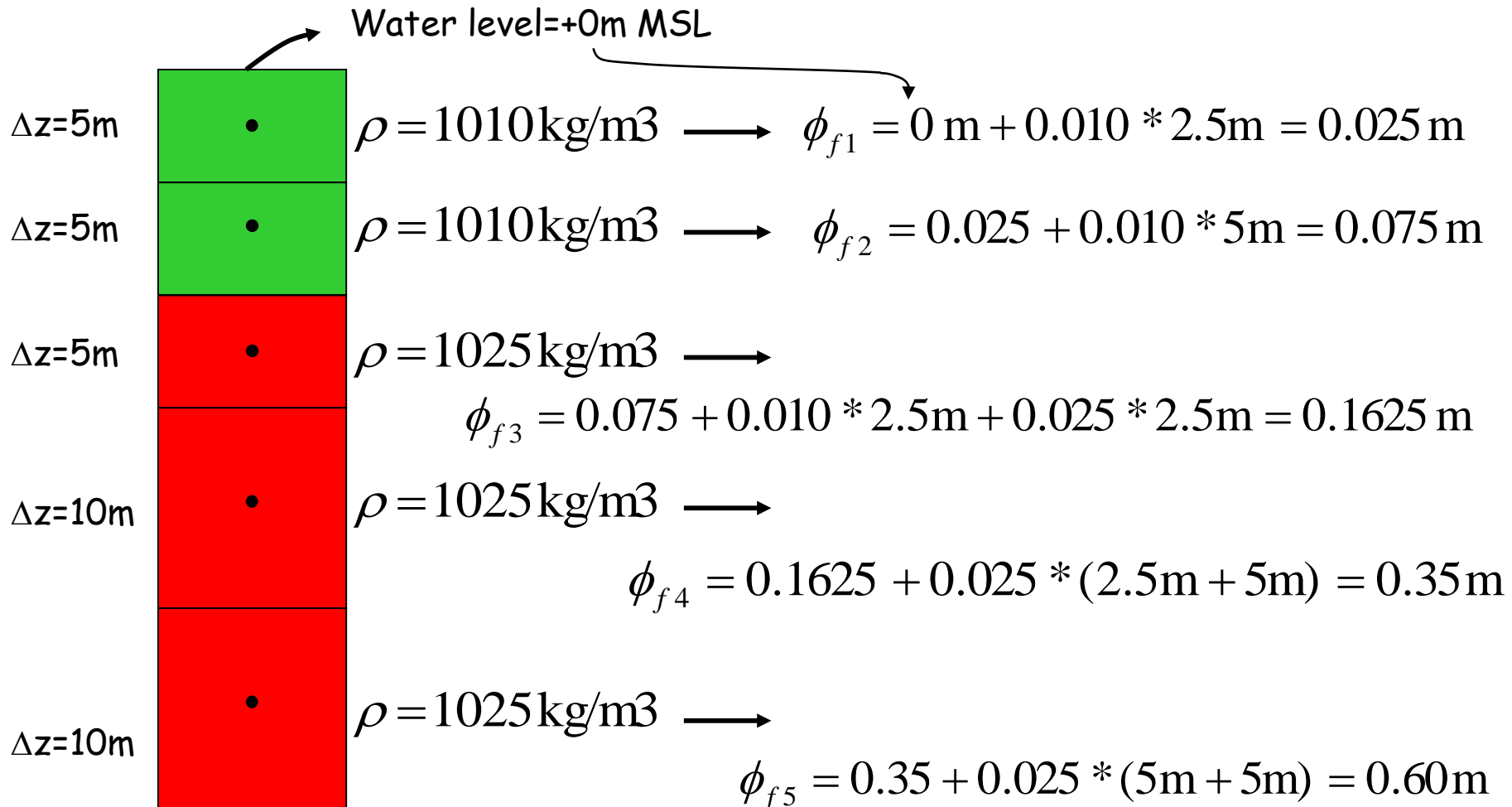
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Hydrostatic boundary condition at the sea



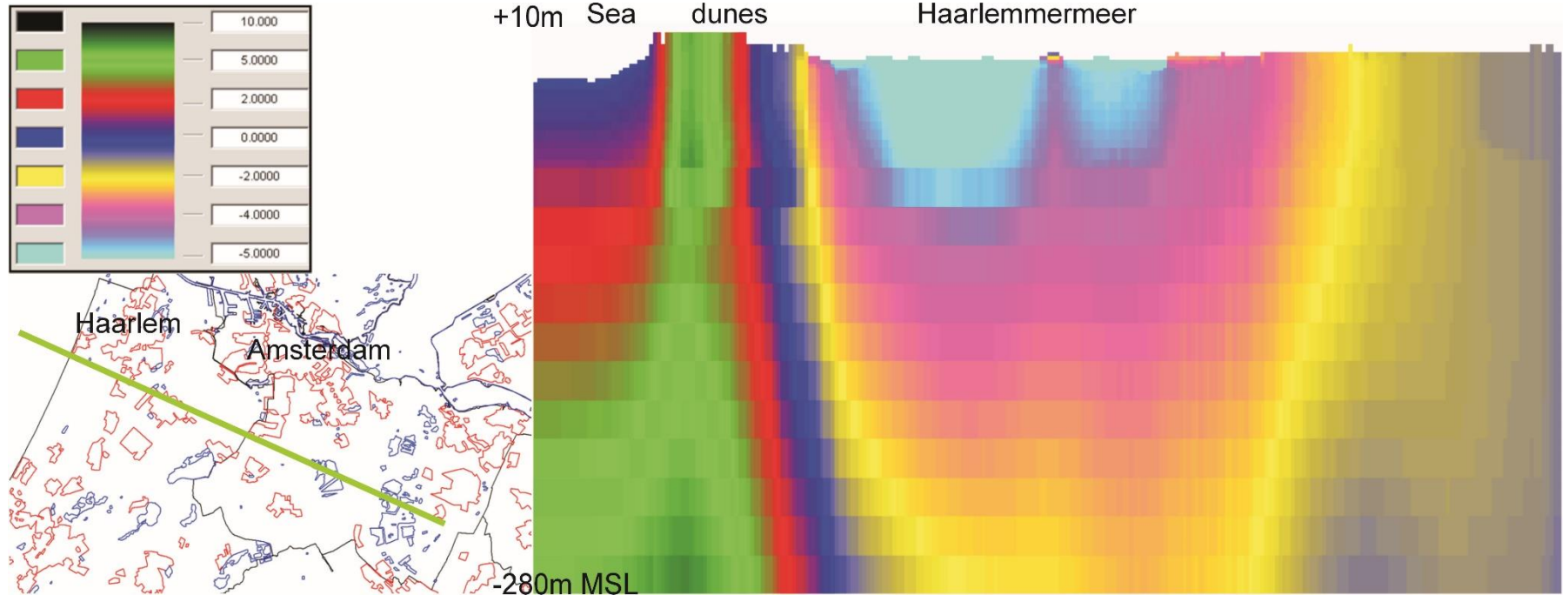
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Hydrostatic boundary condition at the sea

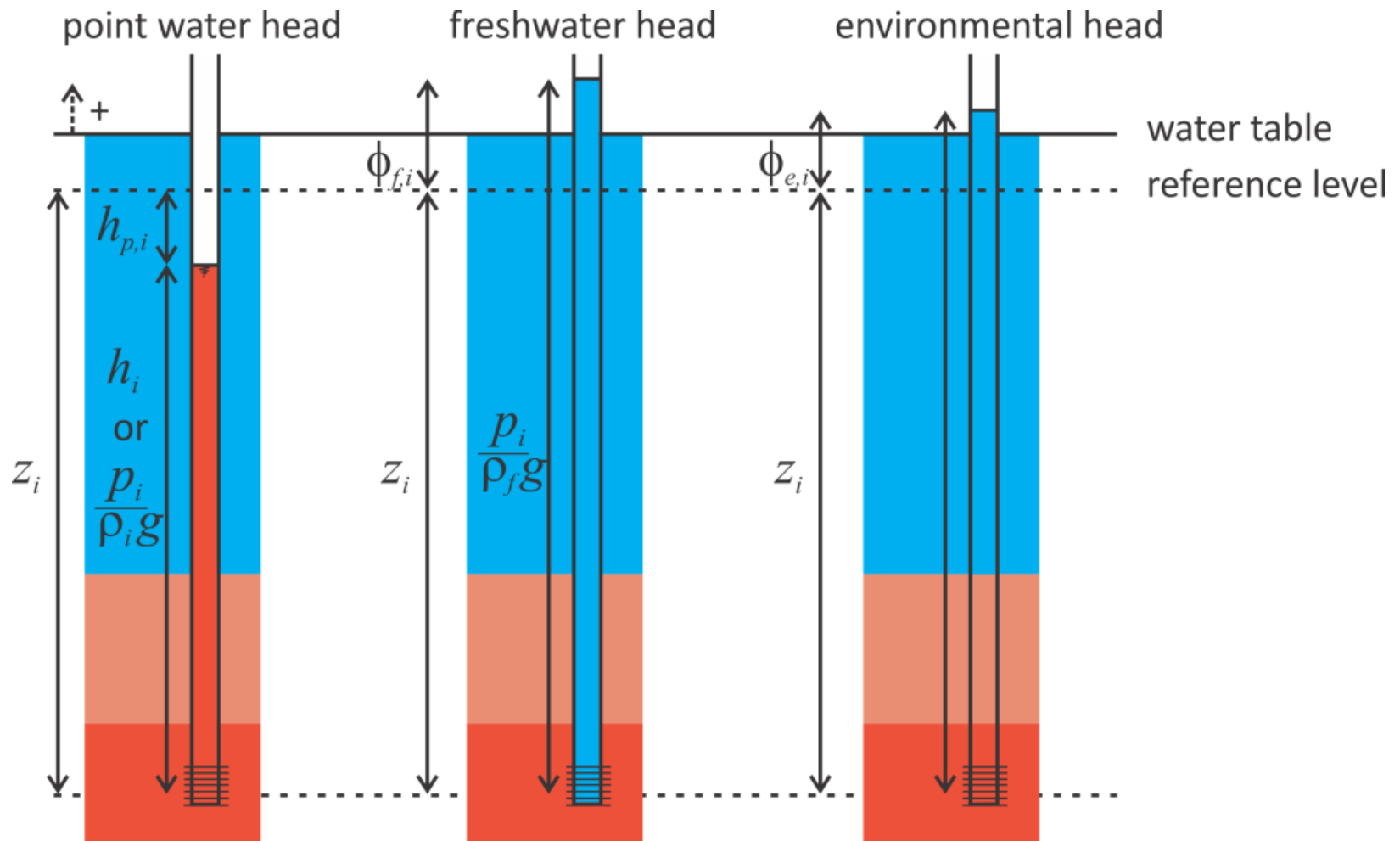


$$\phi_{f2} = \phi_{f1} + \frac{\rho - \rho_f}{\rho_f} (\Delta z)$$

Example 2D profile NHI model freshwater head ϕ_f



Which one is useful?



Point water head

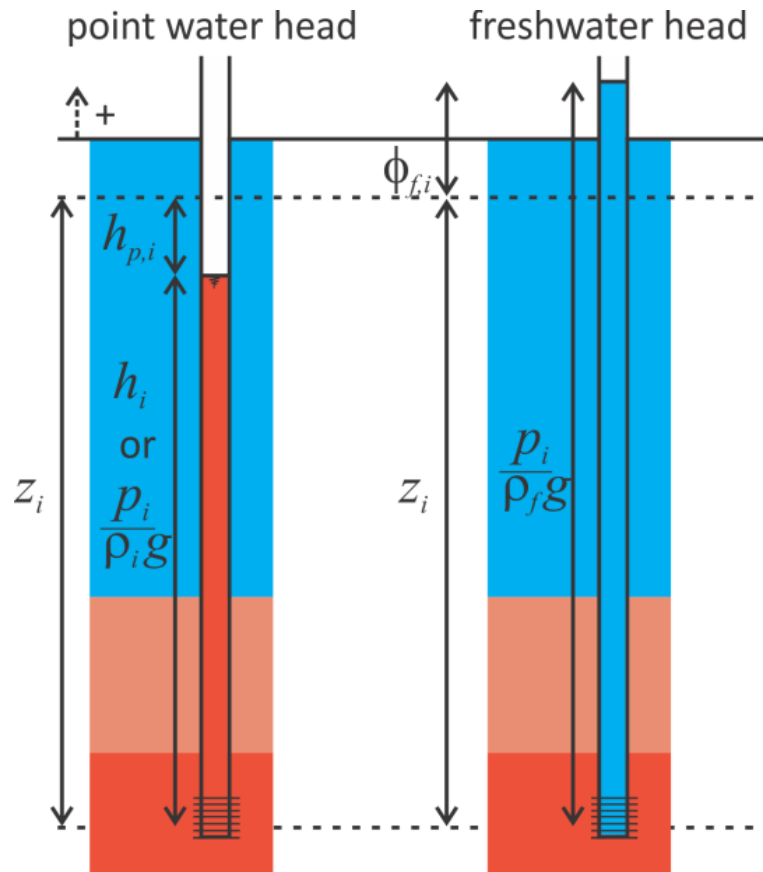
$$h_{p,i} = z_i + h_i \iff h_i = h_{p,i} - z_i$$

$$h_i = \frac{p_i}{\rho_i g} \iff p_i = h_i \rho_i g$$

Freshwater head

$$\phi_{f,i} = z_i + \frac{p_i}{\rho_f g} \iff \phi_{f,i} = z_i + \frac{h_i \rho_i}{\rho_f}$$

$$\phi_{f,i} = \frac{\rho_i}{\rho_f} h_{p,i} - \frac{\rho_i - \rho_f}{\rho_f} z_i$$



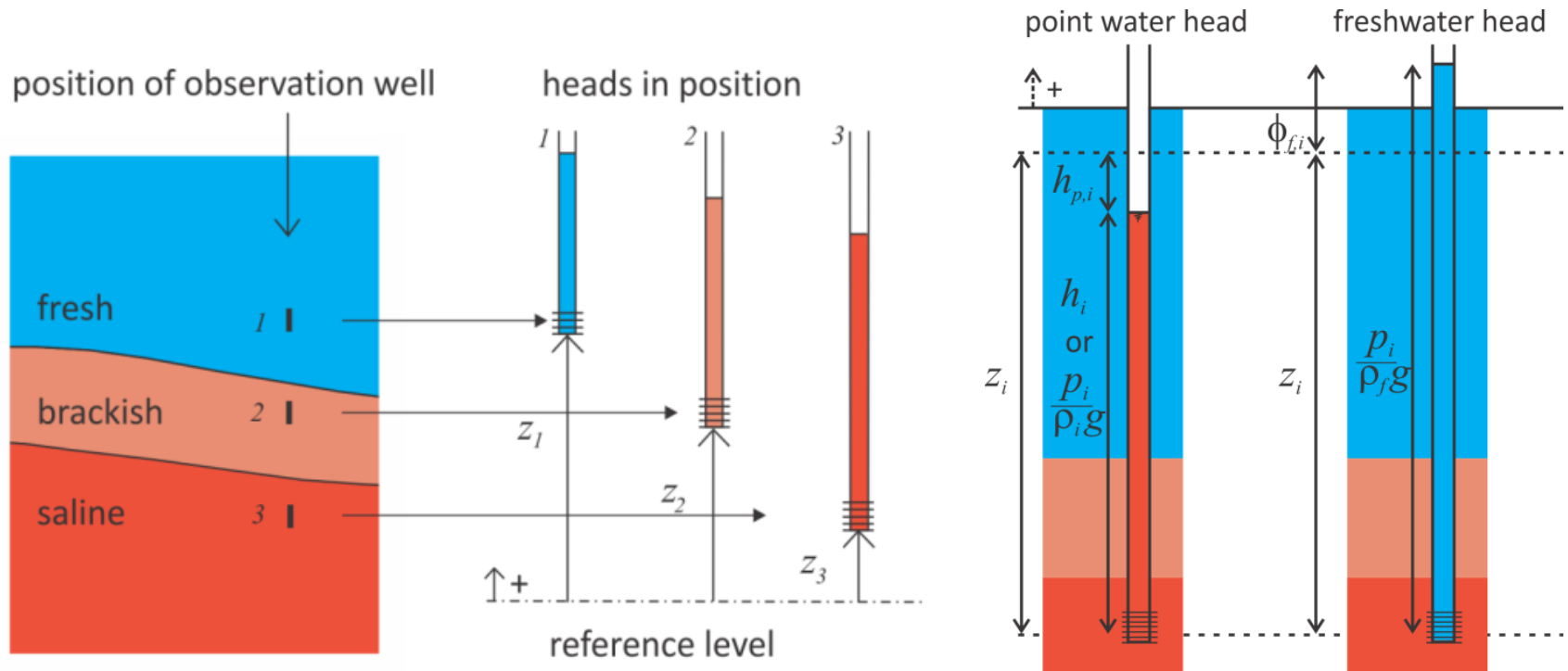
Point water head

Freshwater head

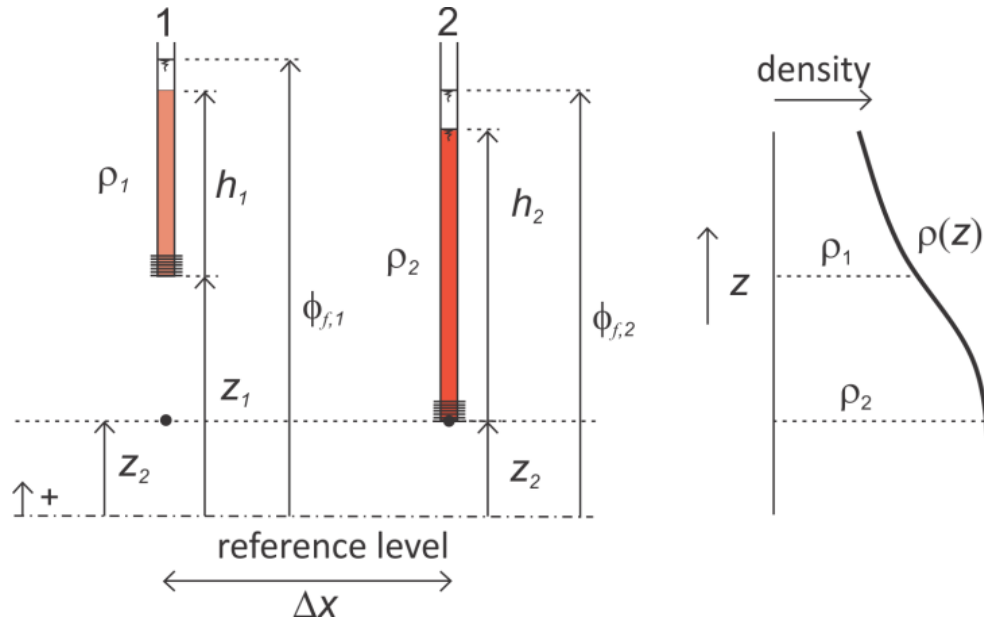
Example 1: $h_{p,i} = -1 \text{ m MSL}$, $\rho_i = 1025 \text{ kg/m}^3$, $z_i = -11 \text{ m MSL}$: $\phi_{f,i} = -0.75 \text{ m MSL}$.

Example 2: $h_{p,i} = 0 \text{ m MSL}$, $\rho_i = 1025 \text{ kg/m}^3$, $z_i = -10 \text{ m MSL}$: $\phi_{f,i} = 0.25 \text{ m MSL}$.

Example 3: $h_{p,i} = 0 \text{ m MSL}$, $\rho_i = 1025 \text{ kg/m}^3$, $z_i = -100 \text{ m MSL}$: $\phi_{f,i} = 2.50 \text{ m MSL}$.



Freshwater head ϕ_f : horizontal flow?

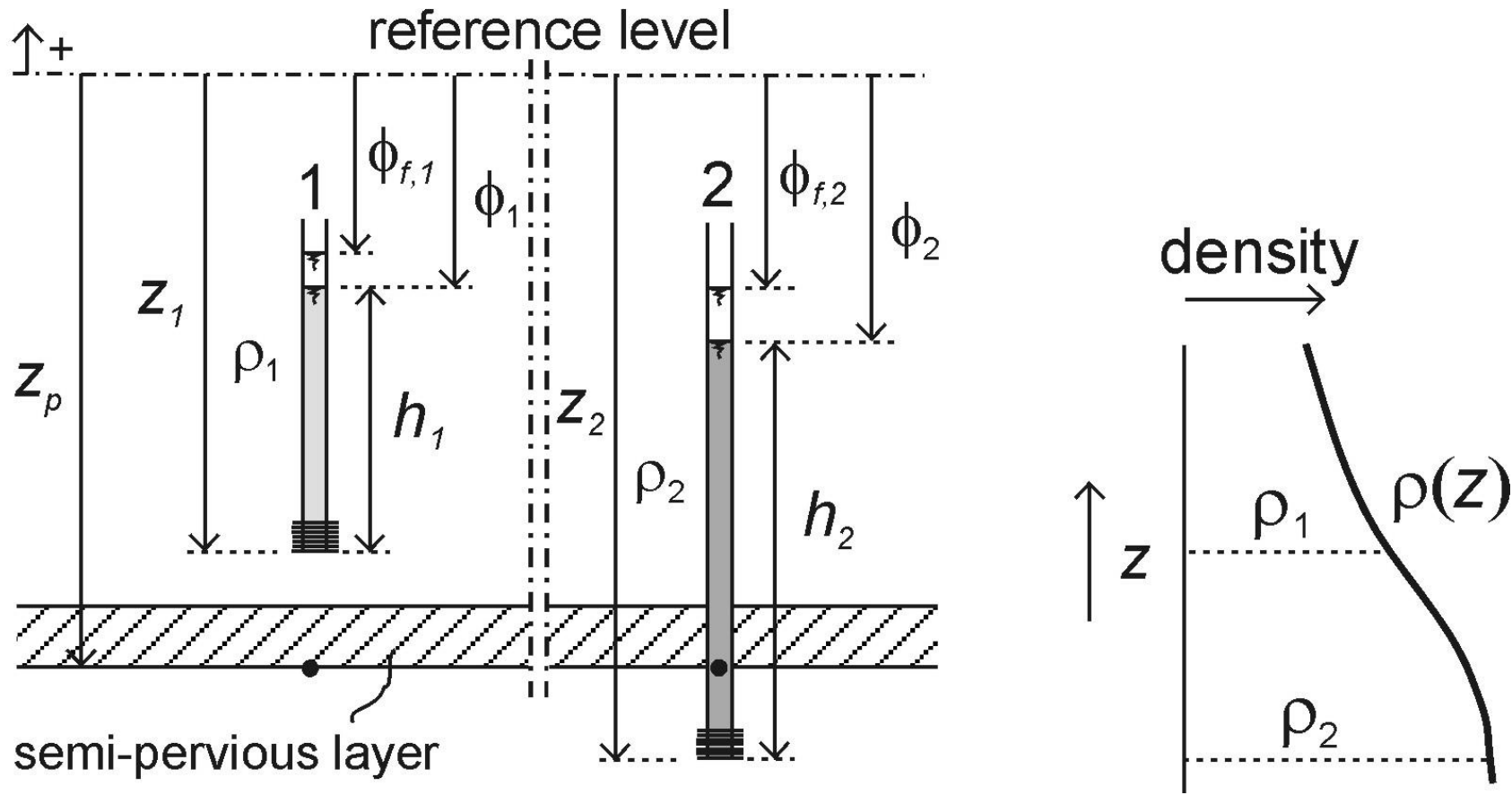


$$p_1^{at\ z=z_2} = \rho_1 g h_1 + \int_{z_2}^{z_1} \rho(z) g dz \quad \phi_{f,1}^{at\ z=z_2} = z_2 + \frac{\rho_1}{\rho_f} h_1 + \frac{1}{\rho_f g} \int_{z_2}^{z_1} \rho(z) g dz$$

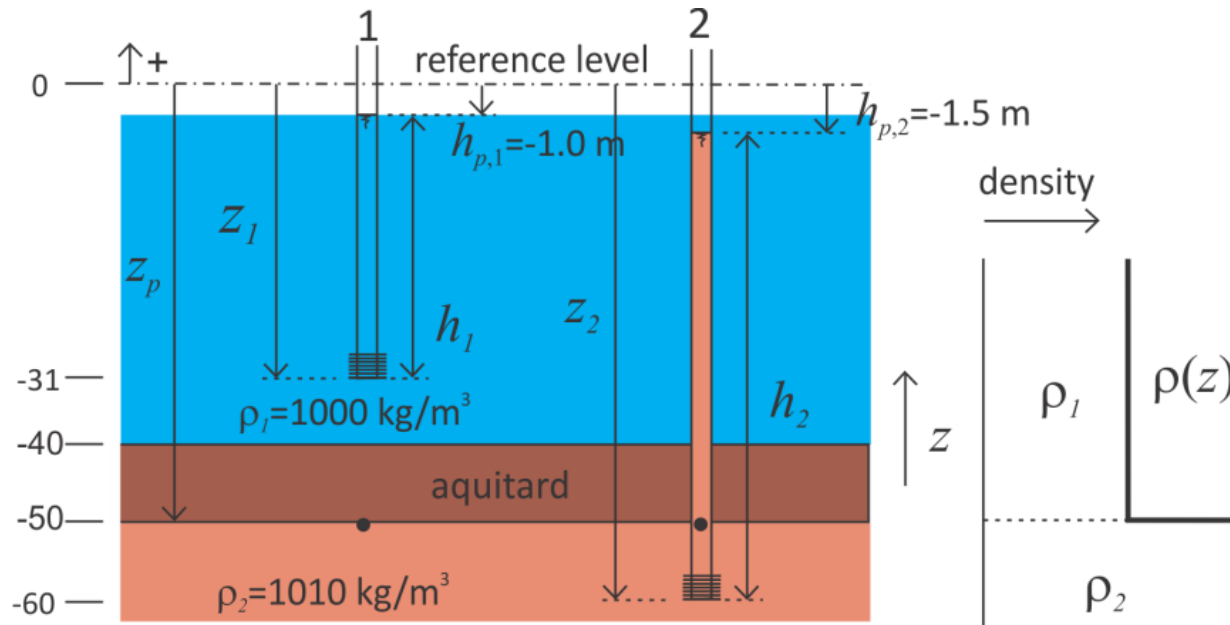
$$p_2^{at\ z=z_2} = \rho_2 g h_2 \quad \phi_{f,2}^{at\ z=z_2} = z_2 + \frac{\rho_2}{\rho_f} h_2$$

$$q^{at\ z=z_2} \cong -k_x \frac{\phi_{f,2}^{at\ z=z_2} - \phi_{f,1}^{at\ z=z_2}}{\Delta x}$$

Freshwater head ϕ_f : vertical flow?

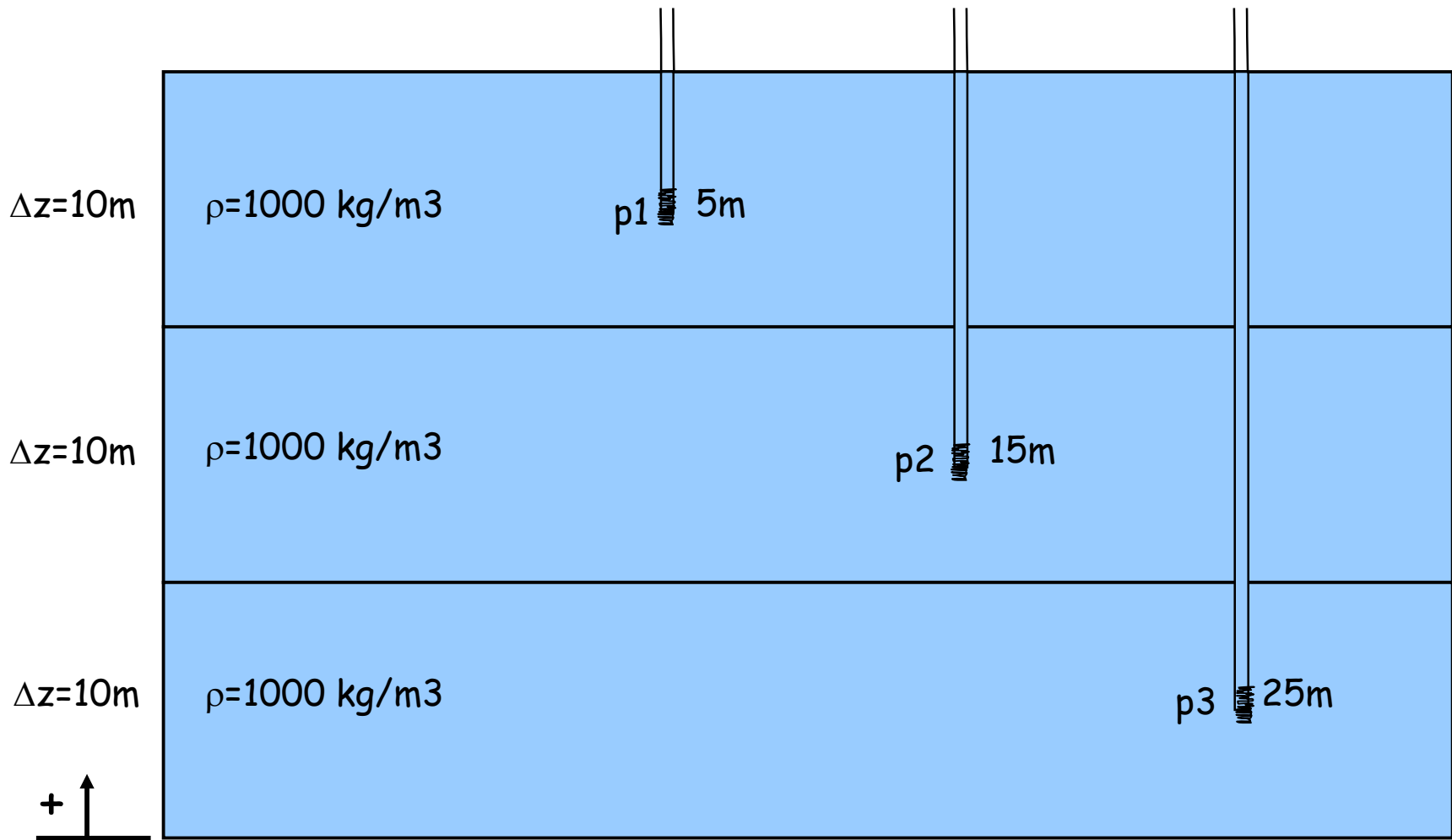


Freshwater head ϕ_f

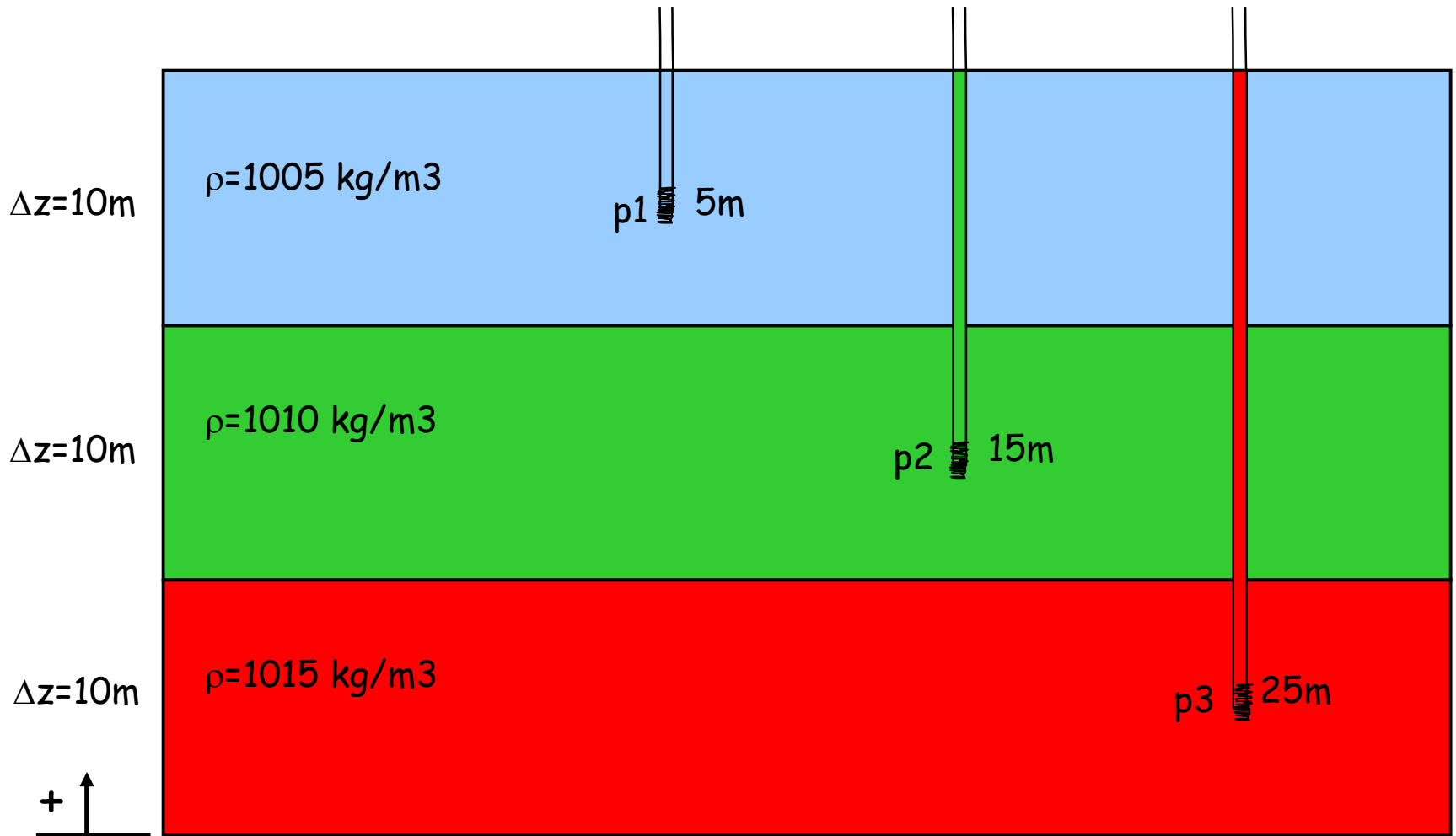


$$\phi_{f,1}^{z=-50} = -50 + \frac{1000}{1000} 30 + \frac{1}{1000g} \int_{-50}^{-31} 1000gz = -50 + 30 + 19 = -1.0$$

$$\phi_{f,2}^{z=-50} = -50 + \frac{1010}{1000} 58.5 - \frac{1}{1000g} \int_{-60}^{-50} 1010gz = -50 + 59.085 - 1.01(-50 + 60) = -1.015$$

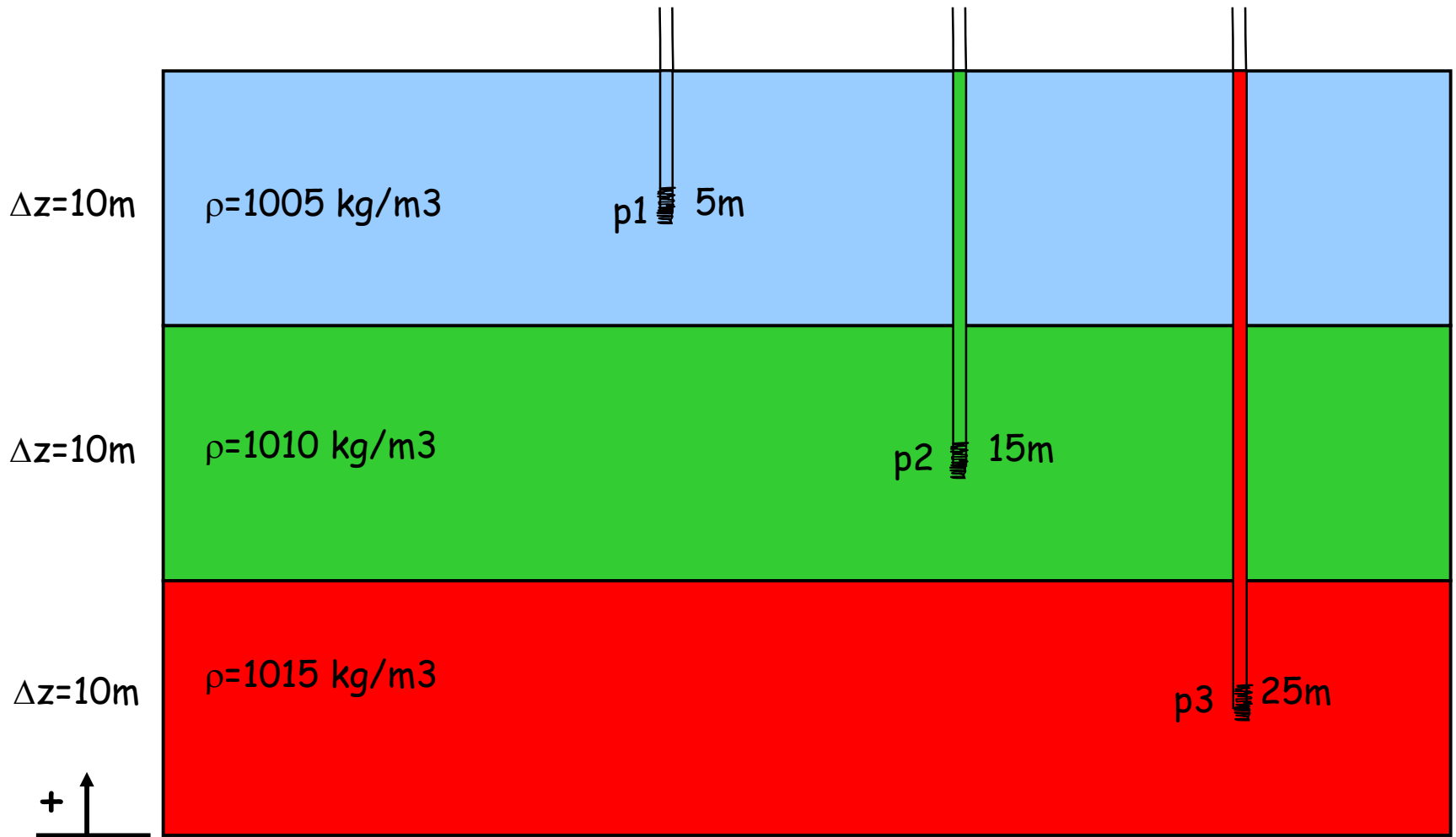


No flow



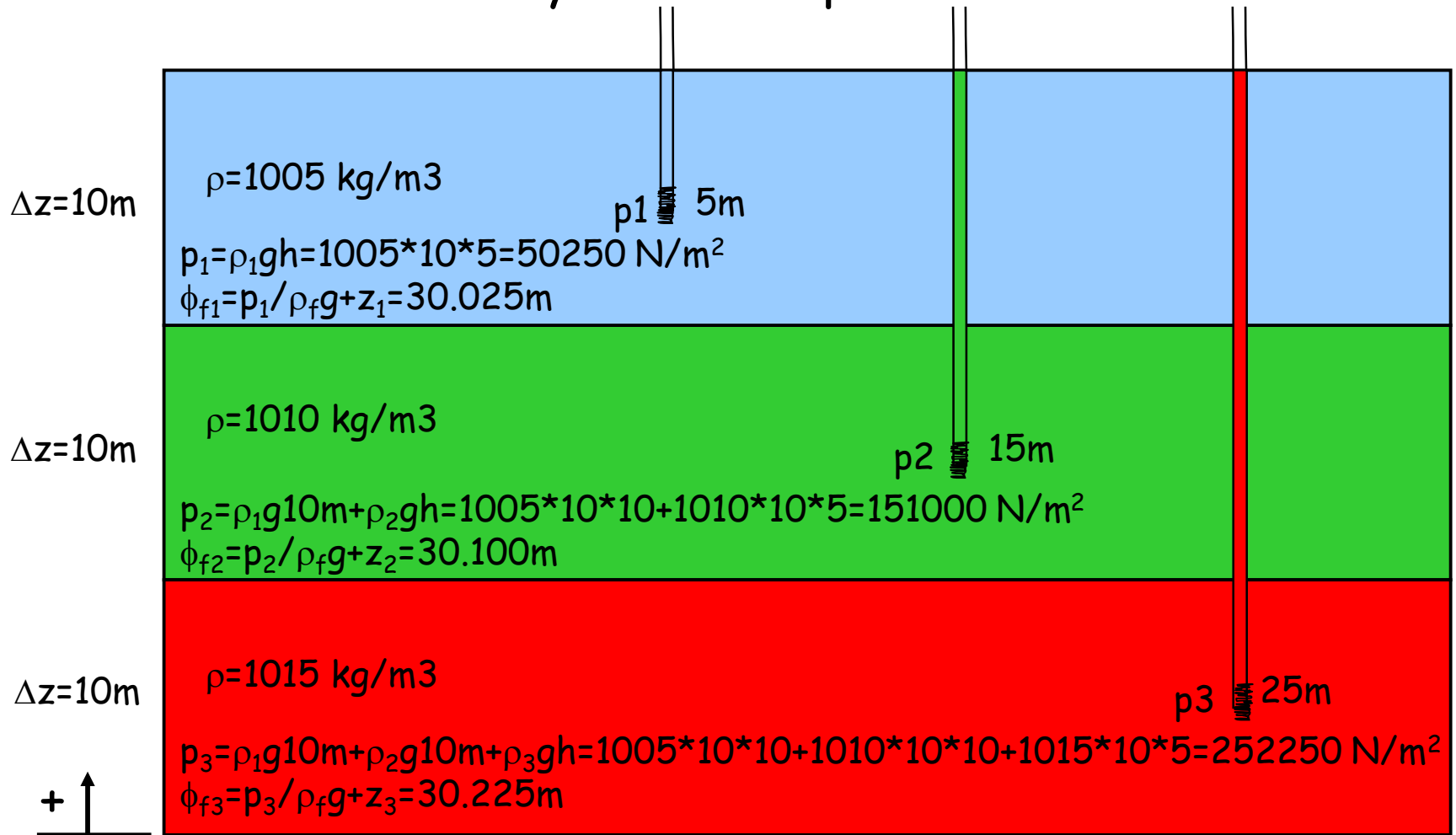
Flow or no flow? (if $p \neq$ hydrostatic than flow)

Calculate to freshwater head!



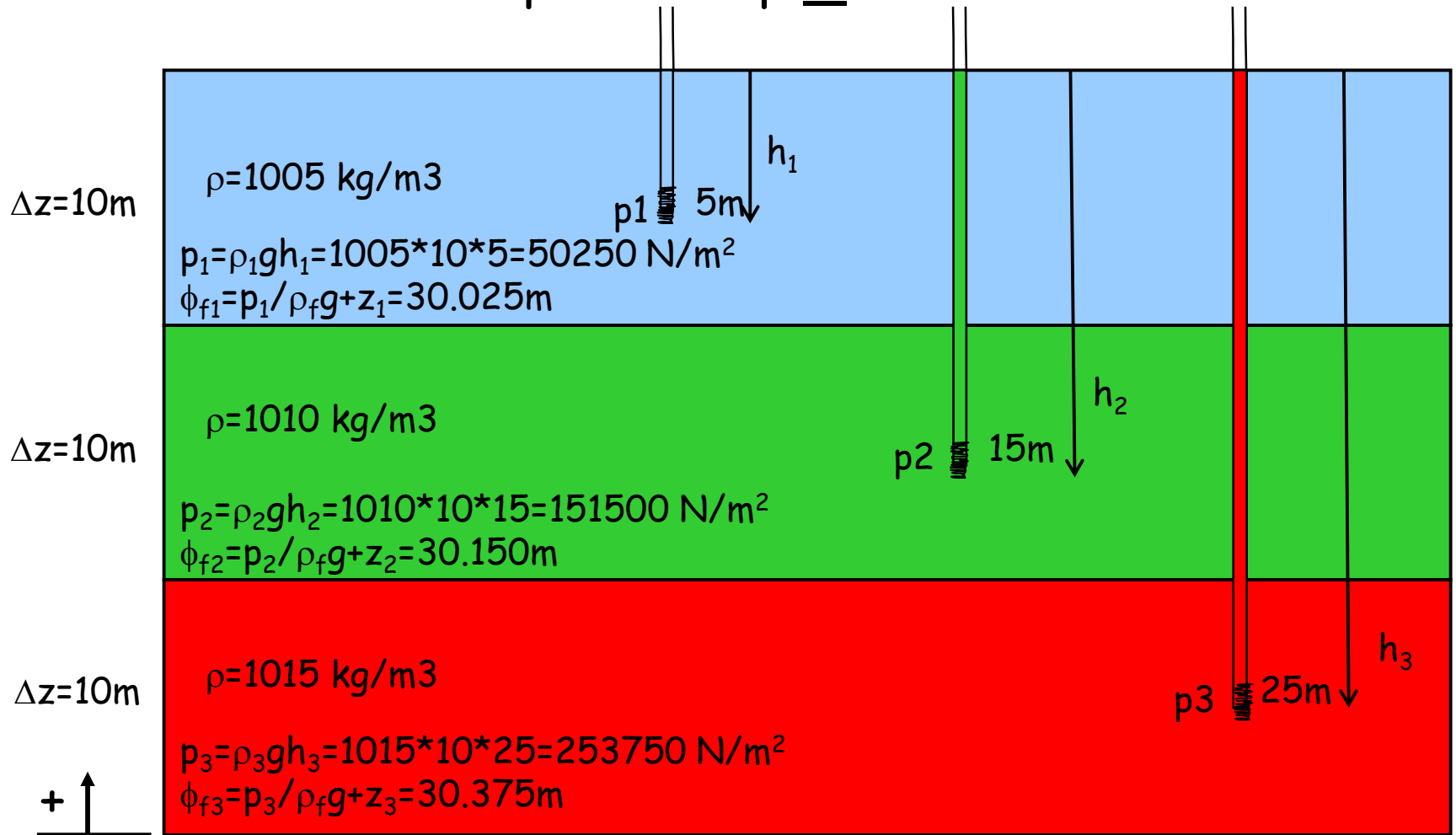
1. Determine hydrostatic pressure (and freshwater head ϕ_f)
2. Determine pressure p in well! (and freshwater head ϕ_f)

1. Determine hydrostatic pressure and frwhead



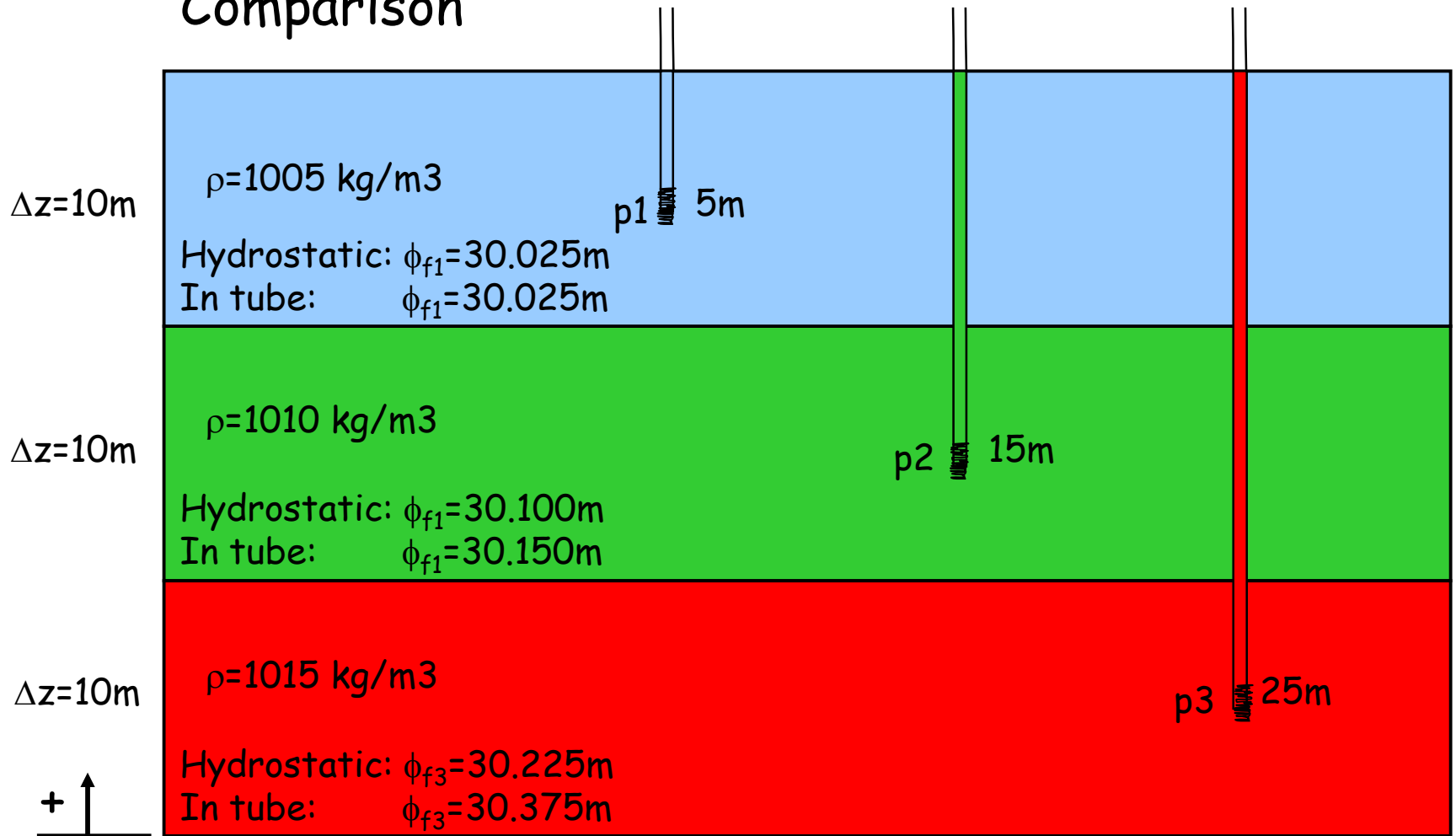
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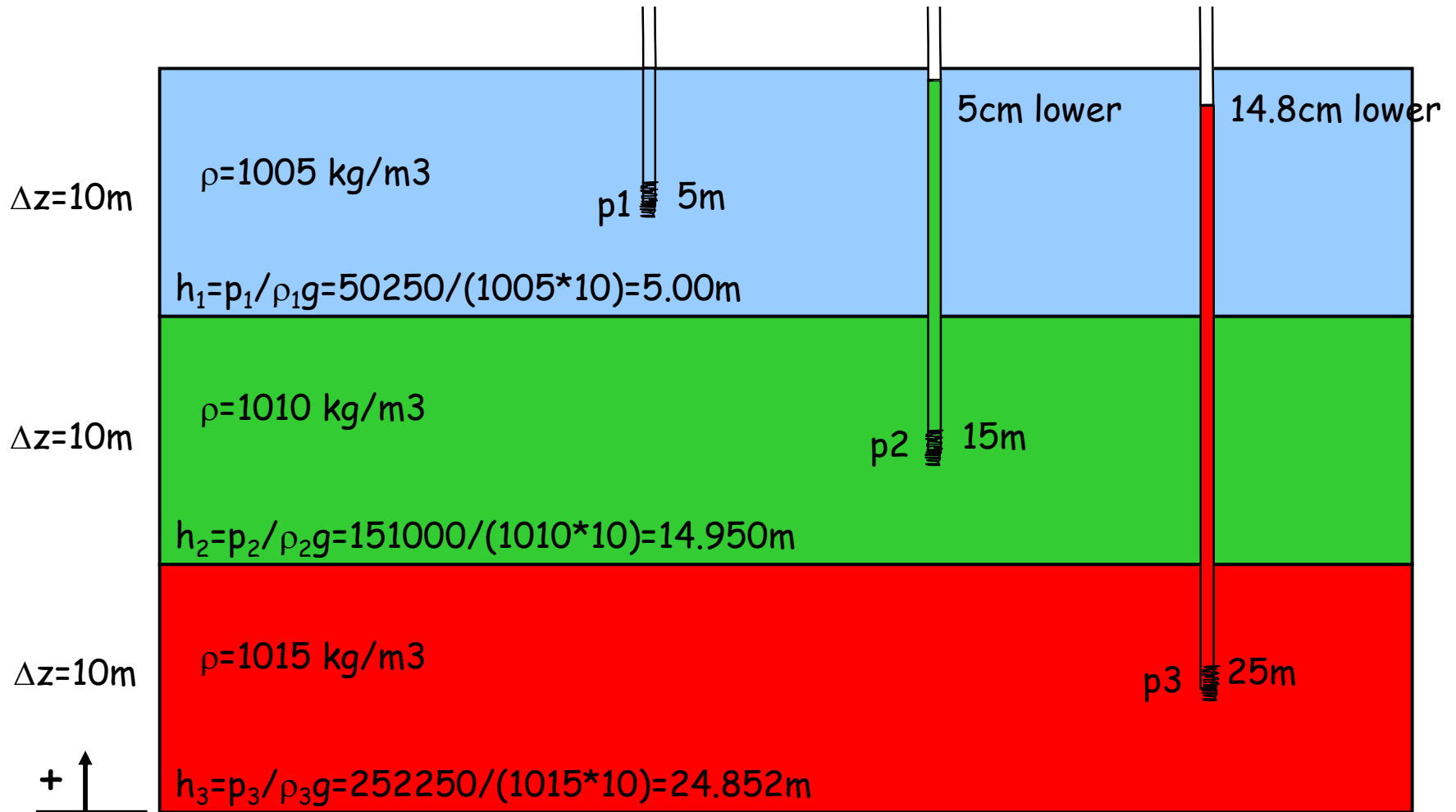
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Comparison



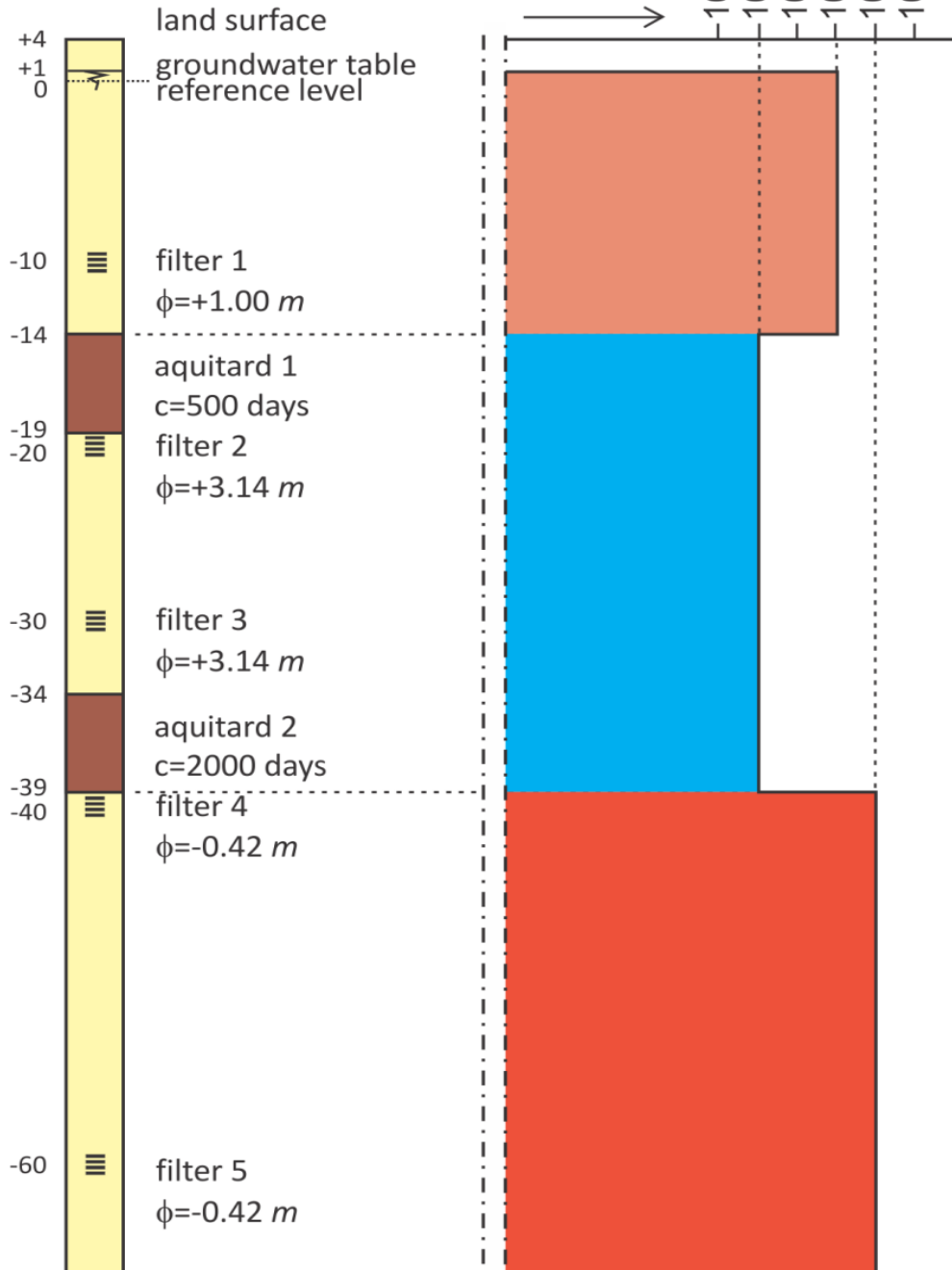
Conclusion: freshwater head not equal, so vertical upward flow!

What would be the water level in the tube if hydrostatic?



bore-log

density kg/m^3

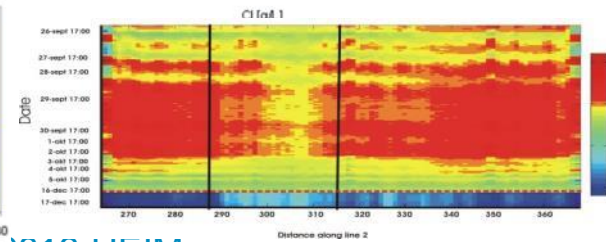
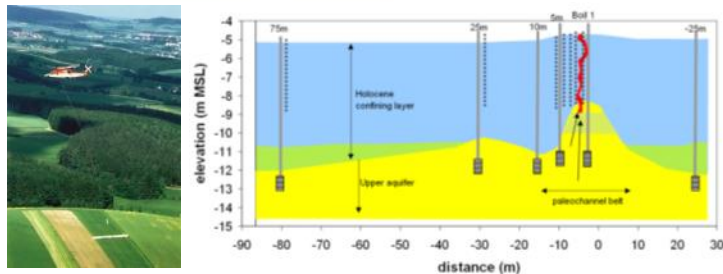
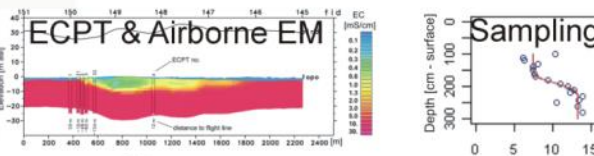
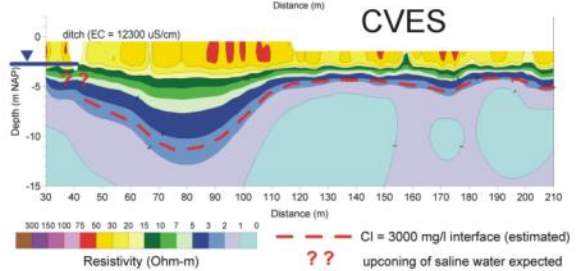
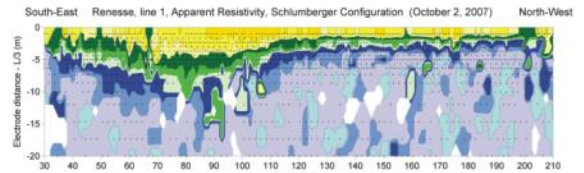
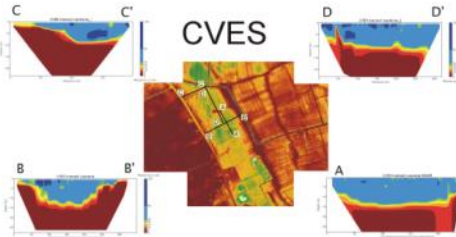
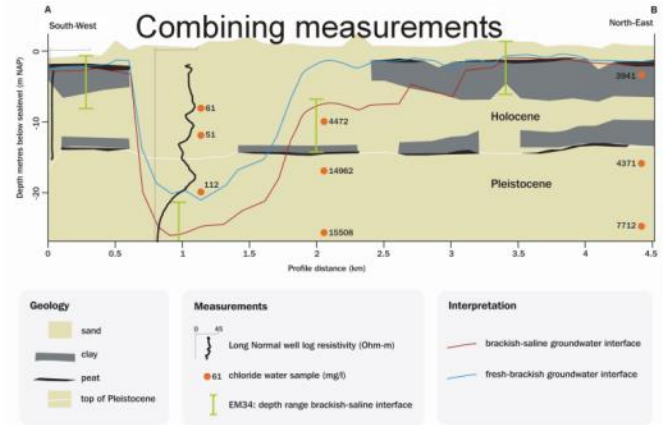
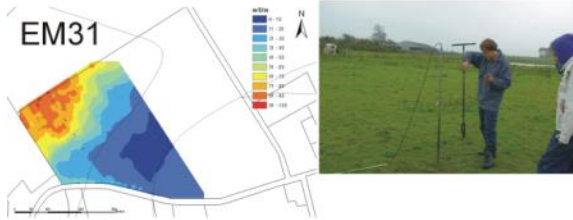
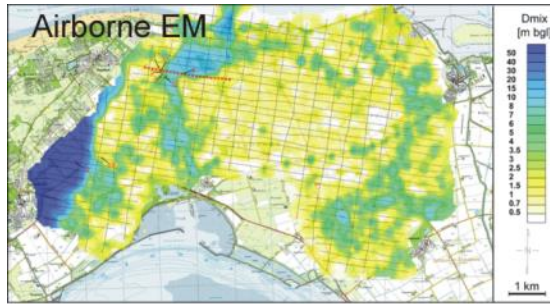


Take home message

1. In coastal area (with fresh-brackish-saline groundwater), always measure head and Electrical Conductivity (EC)
2. Convert EC to density
3. Determine freshwater head with lecture notes and ppt
4. Determine flow

Monitoring

Different (fresh-salt) monitoring techniques

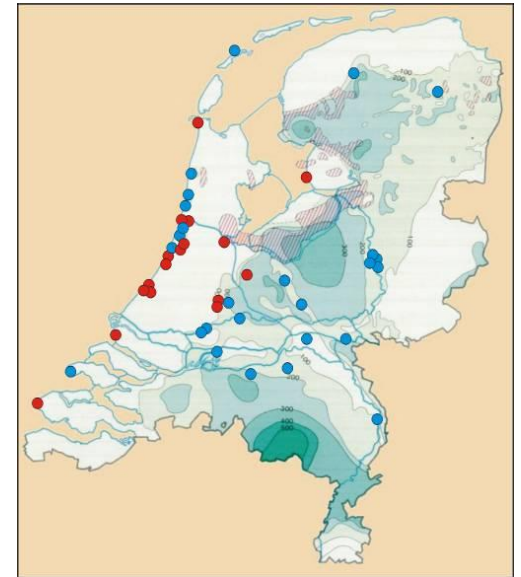


Monitoring salt in groundwater

- Why monitoring?
 - Mapping salt concentrations in the groundwater
 - Detection of trends (upconing near pumping stations)
 - System and process knowledge
 - Input for a groundwater model

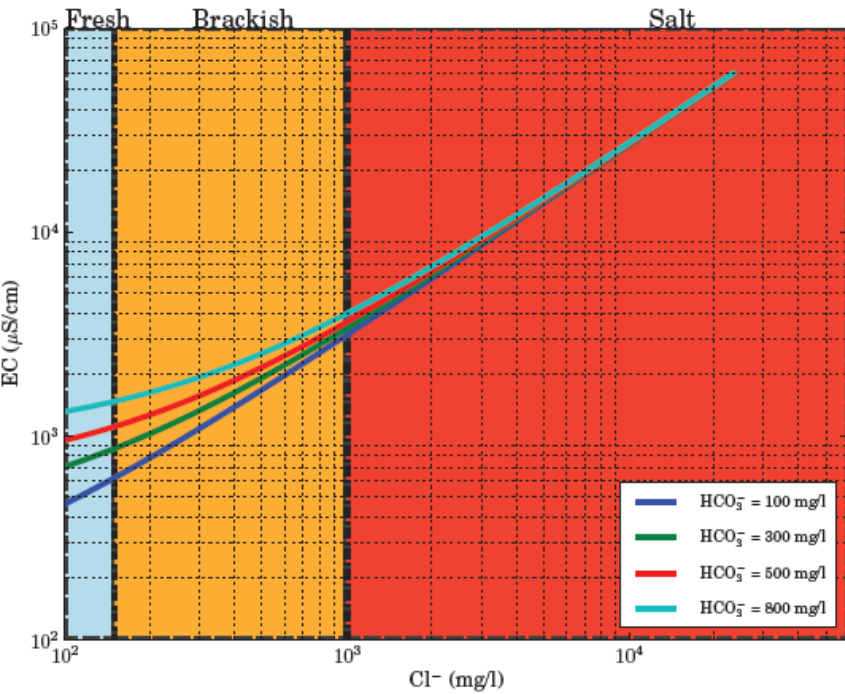
- Methods:

1. Direct: water sample available
2. Indirect: conductance of the subsoil

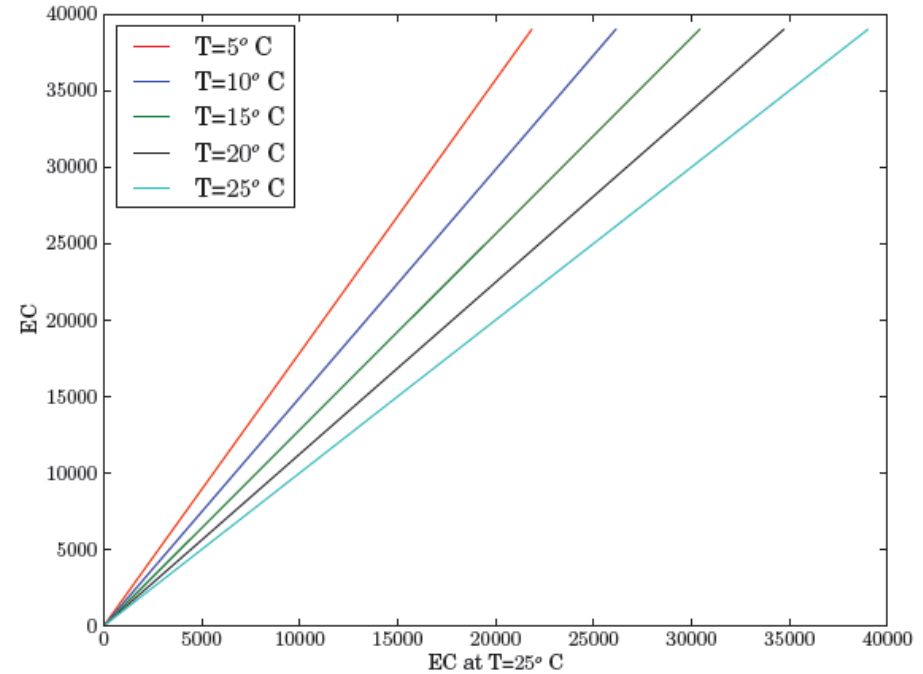


- Pumping stations with salinisation
- Pumping stations closed due to salinisation

EC and Chloride



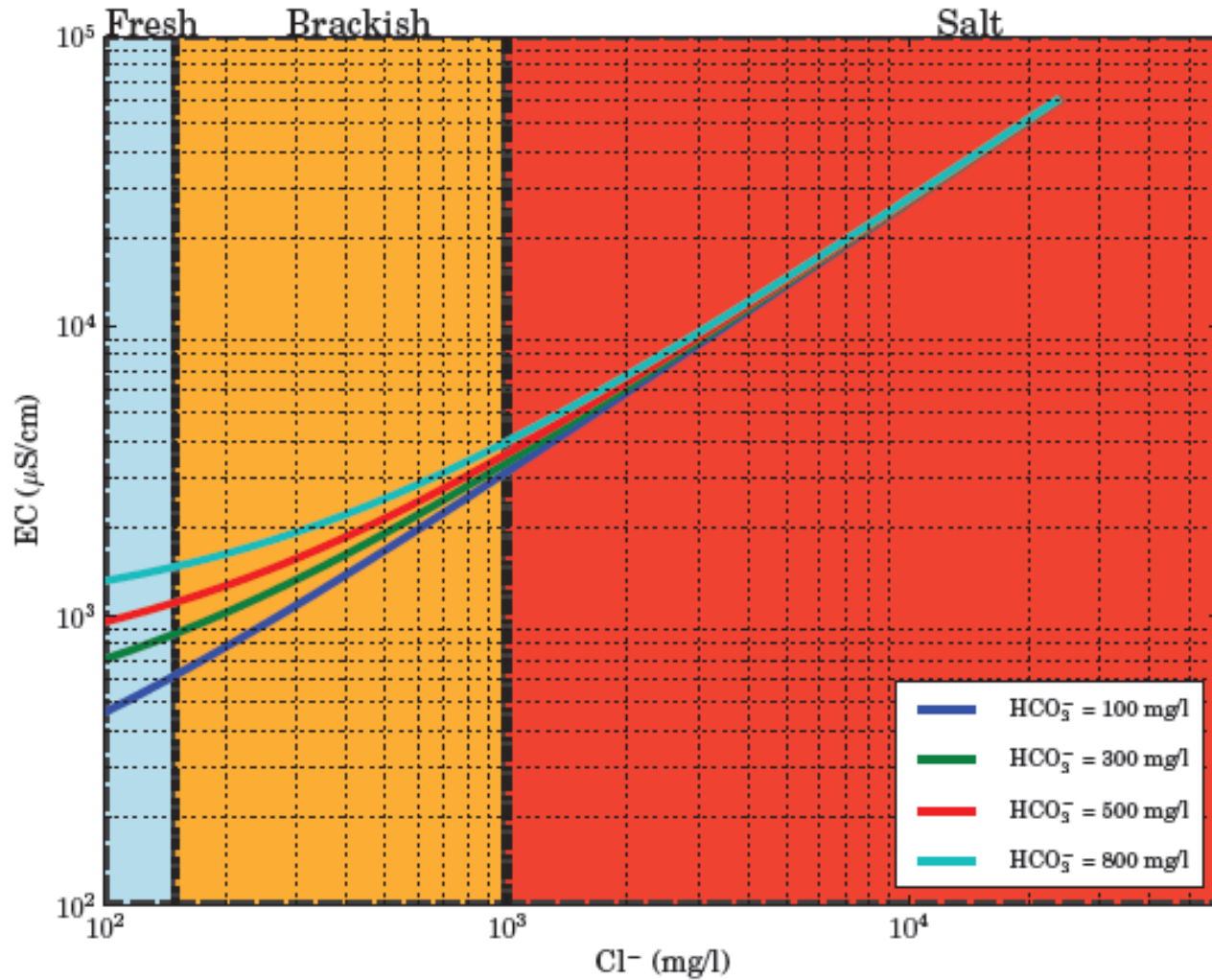
EC-Cl at different HCO_3^- concentrations.



(b) EC and temperature standardized EC.

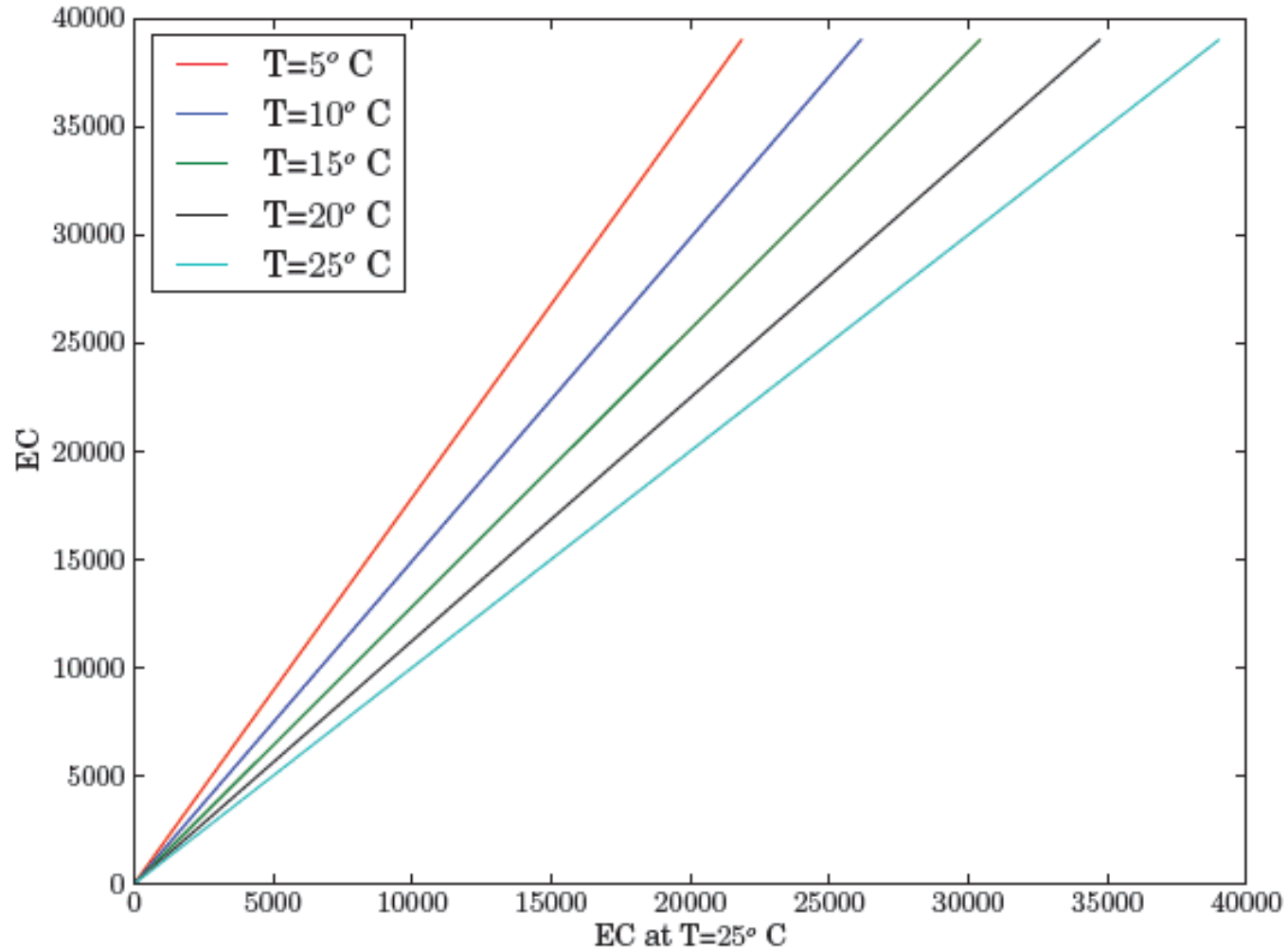
P. Pauw, 2009

EC and Chloride



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EC and Chloride



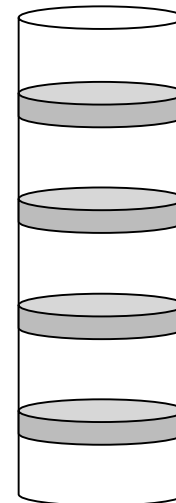
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Monitoring salt in groundwater: Direct methods

Method	Advantage	Disadvantage
1. Observation well	<ul style="list-style-type: none">•High accuracy•Detection trends	<ul style="list-style-type: none">•Costly•Point measurement
2. Well screens in observation well	<ul style="list-style-type: none">•High accuracy•Detection trends•High vertical resolution	<ul style="list-style-type: none">•Costly
3. Sediment sample (extraction milliliters of water)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">•High accuracy•High vertical resolution	<ul style="list-style-type: none">•Very costly and time consuming

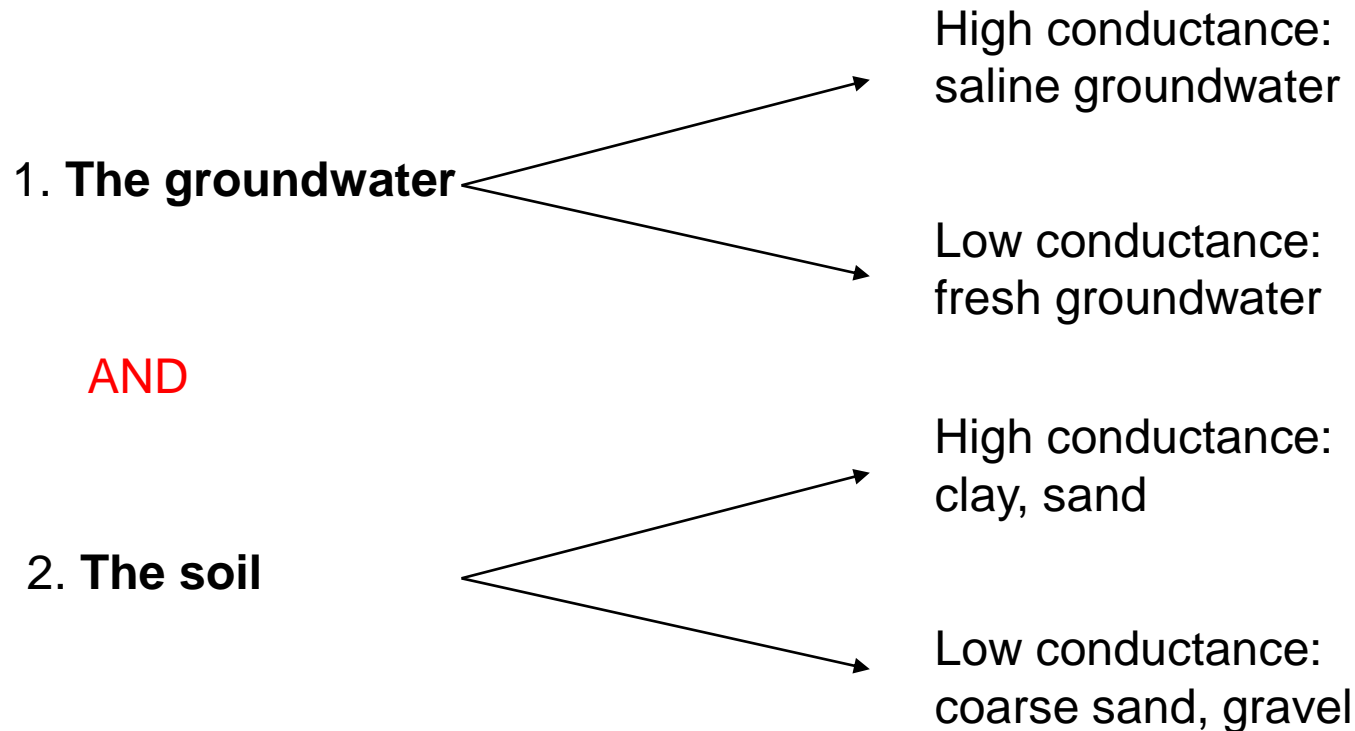


Direct methods 1 and 2



Monitoring salt in groundwater: Indirect methods

Indirect methods measure the **conductance** of:



Hence information about the lithology (sand, clay etc) is needed!

Monitoring salt in groundwater: Indirect methods

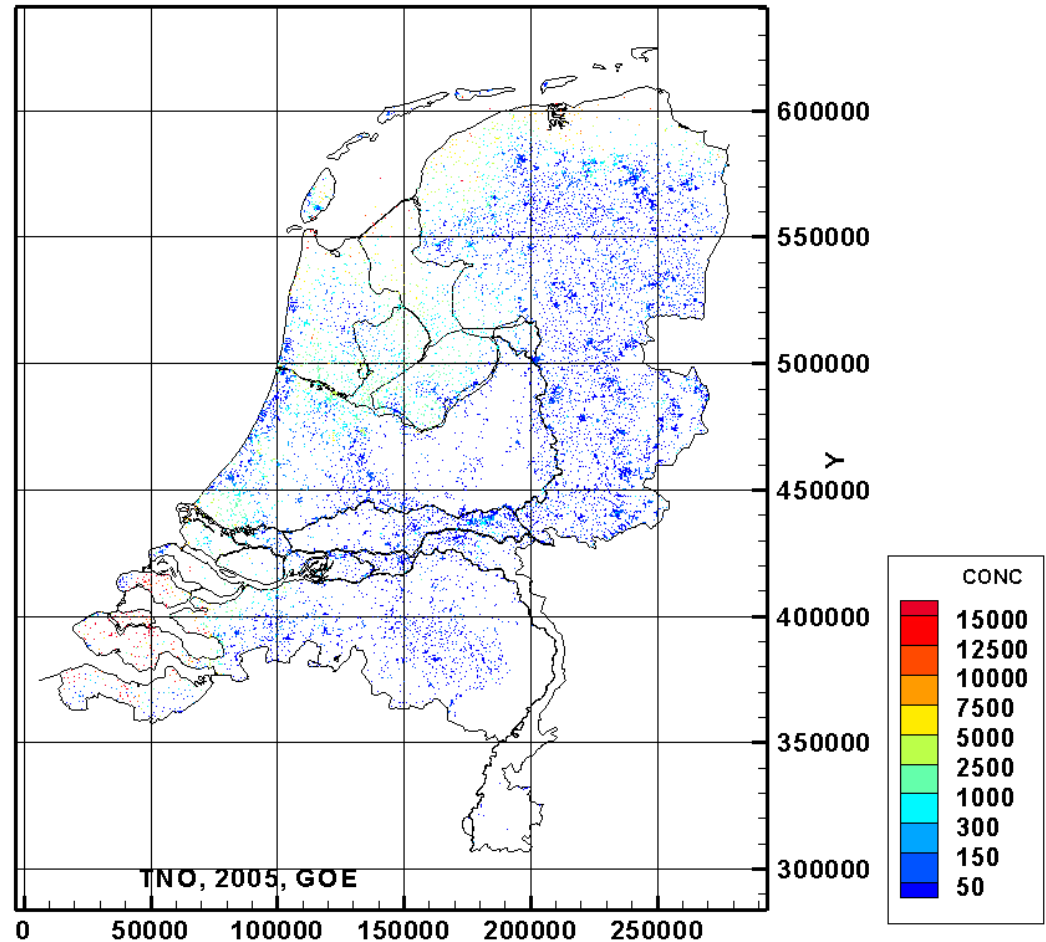
Method	Advantages	Disadvantages
1. Electrical conductance measurements	<ul style="list-style-type: none">•High resolution (3D)•Depth ~200 m	<ul style="list-style-type: none">•Time consuming
2. Electromagnetic measurements	<ul style="list-style-type: none">•Fast	<ul style="list-style-type: none">•Limited vertical resolution•Sensitive for underground conductors (pipes)
3. Satellites	<ul style="list-style-type: none">•Suitable for large areas	<ul style="list-style-type: none">•Small vertical resolution•Low accuracy

Method used at Deltares

Number of measurements bottom Holocene top layer :
direct methods and Vertical Electric Soundings (VES)

Combination of:

- Direct measurements
- Electrical conductance measurements
 - Surface (VES)
 - Borehole



Source: Oude Essink et al (2005)

Electrical conductance measurements

1. Measuring:

- **Inside a borehole**
- From surface level
- From the air



Source: TNO

Electrical conductance measurements

1. Measuring:

- Inside a borehole
- **From surface level (depth ~ 200 m)**
- From the air



Source: V. Post, 2007

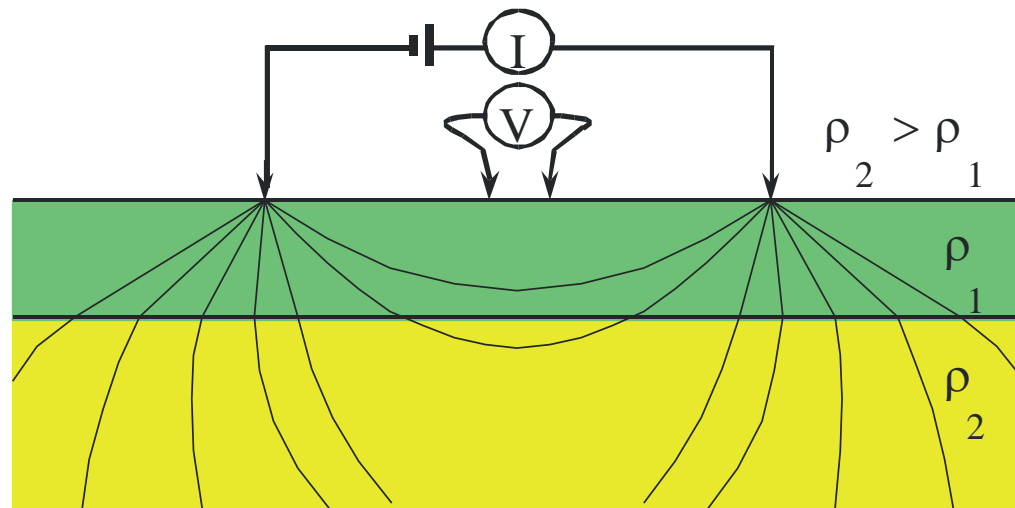
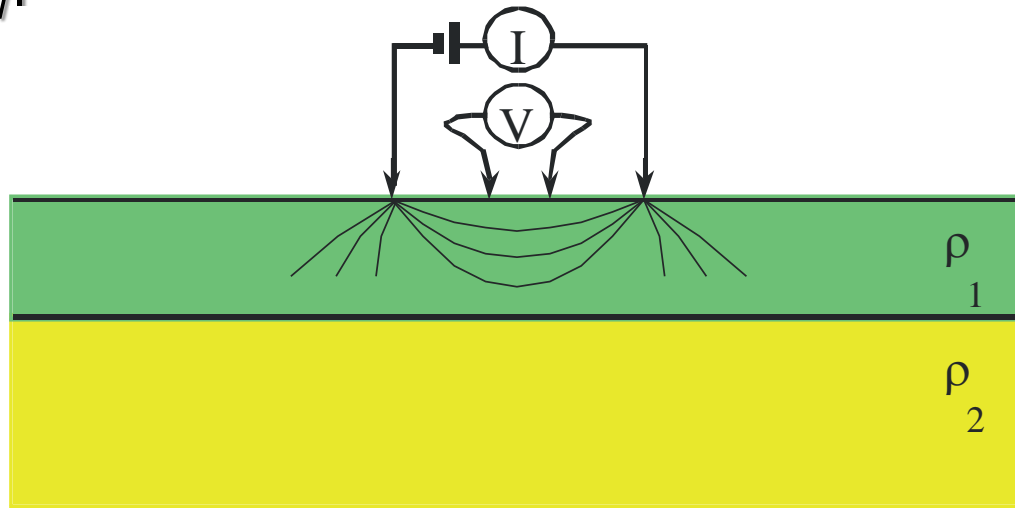


Source: Vitens

Principle geo-elektrical measurement

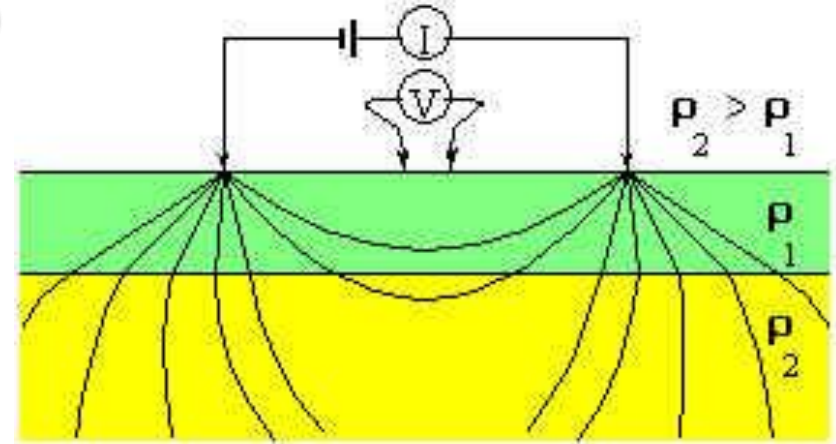
I: currentelektrode, V: potentialelektrodes, Ra: appearant elektrisk resistivitet

$$R_a = \text{constant} \cdot V/I$$

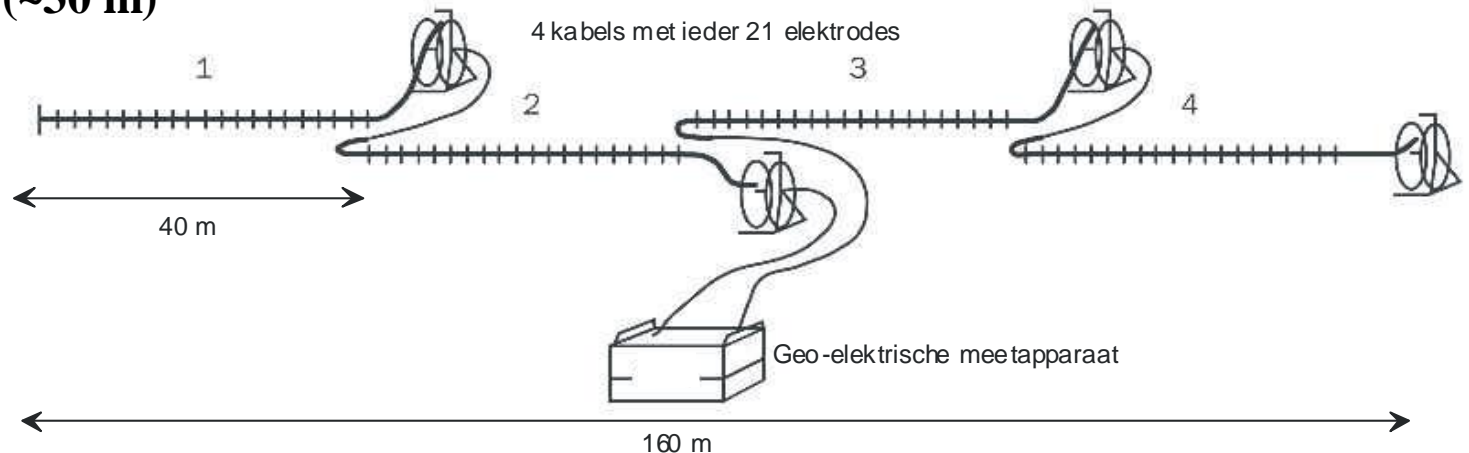


Types geo-electrical measurements

- I Vertical Electrical Sounding (VES)
- 4 elektrodes at surface
- 1D elektrical resistivity profile
- Labor intense
- Accurate, great depths
- Deep hydrogeology



- II Continue Vertical Elektrical Sounding (CVES)
- >80 elektrodes at surface
- 2D elektrical resistivity subsurface
- Limited depth (~30 m)

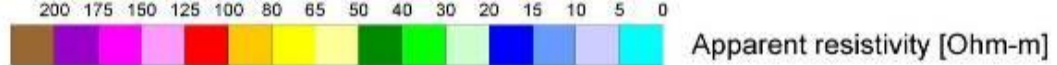


VES measurement end 1950s/begin 1960s

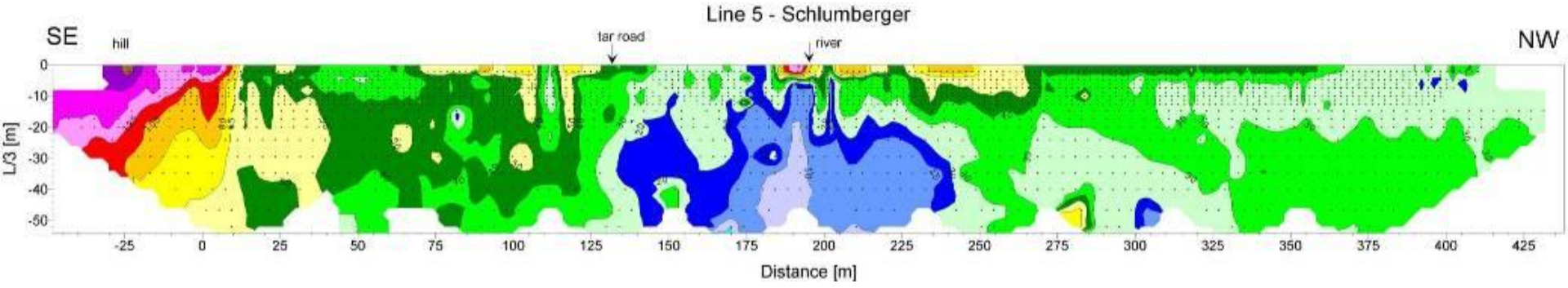
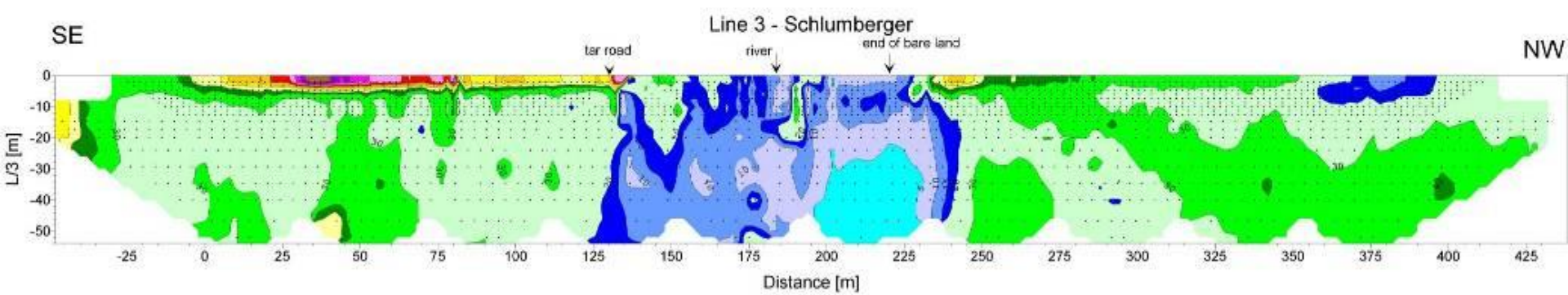
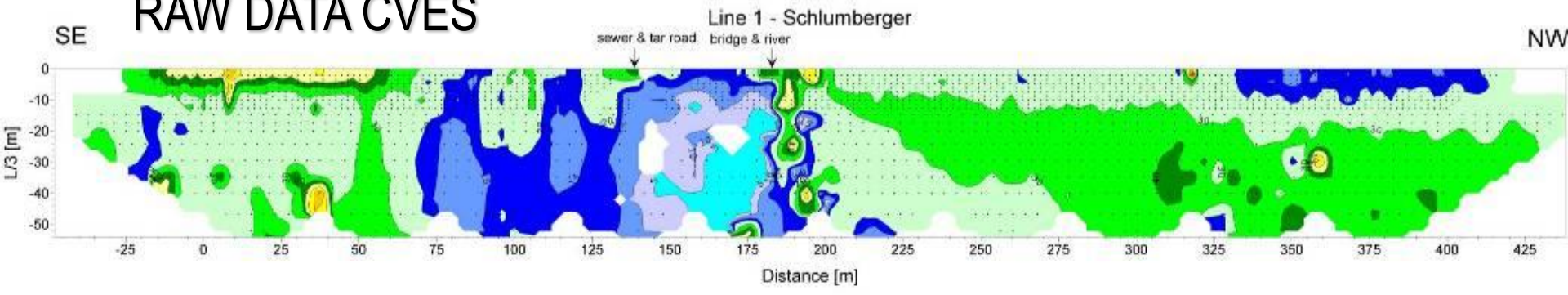


CVES measurements 2010s





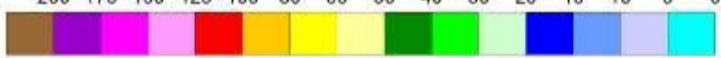
RAW DATA CVES



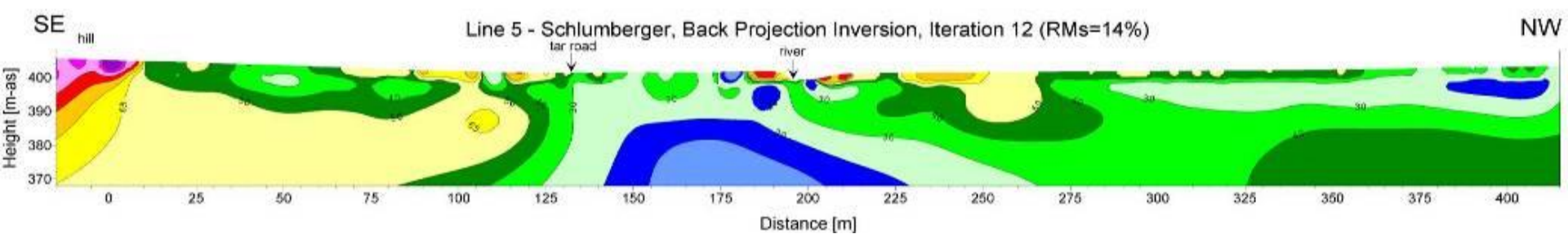
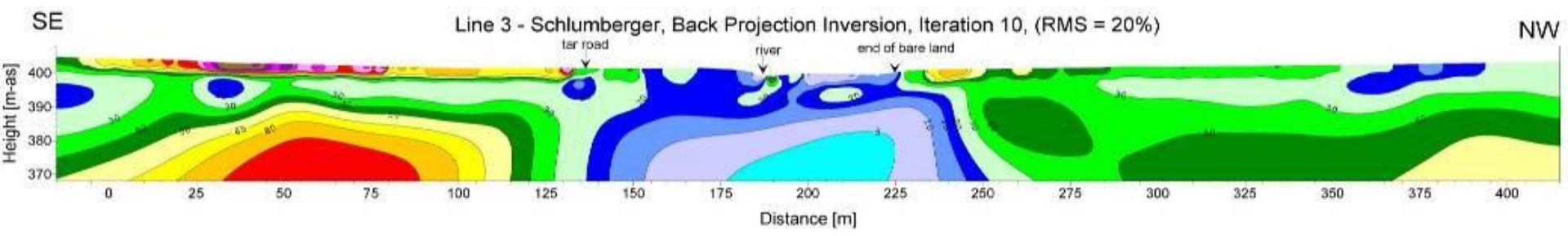
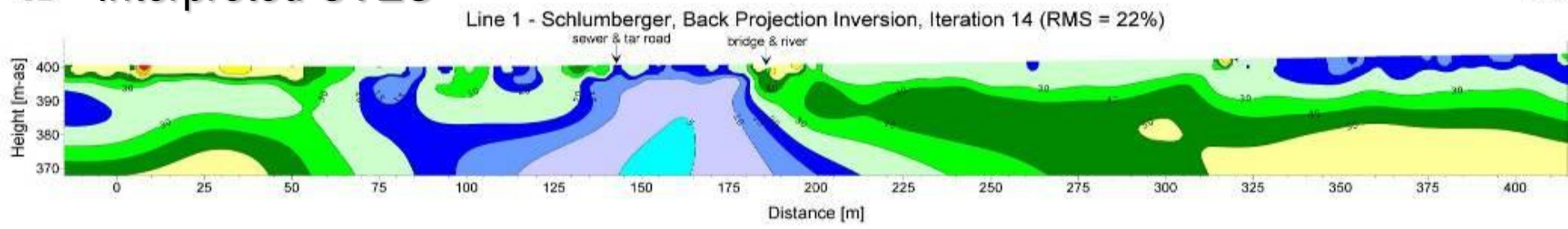
water met hoge EC (lage weerstand)

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Real (inverted) resistivity [Ohm-m]

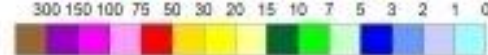


Interpreted CVES



water met hoge EC (lage weerstand)

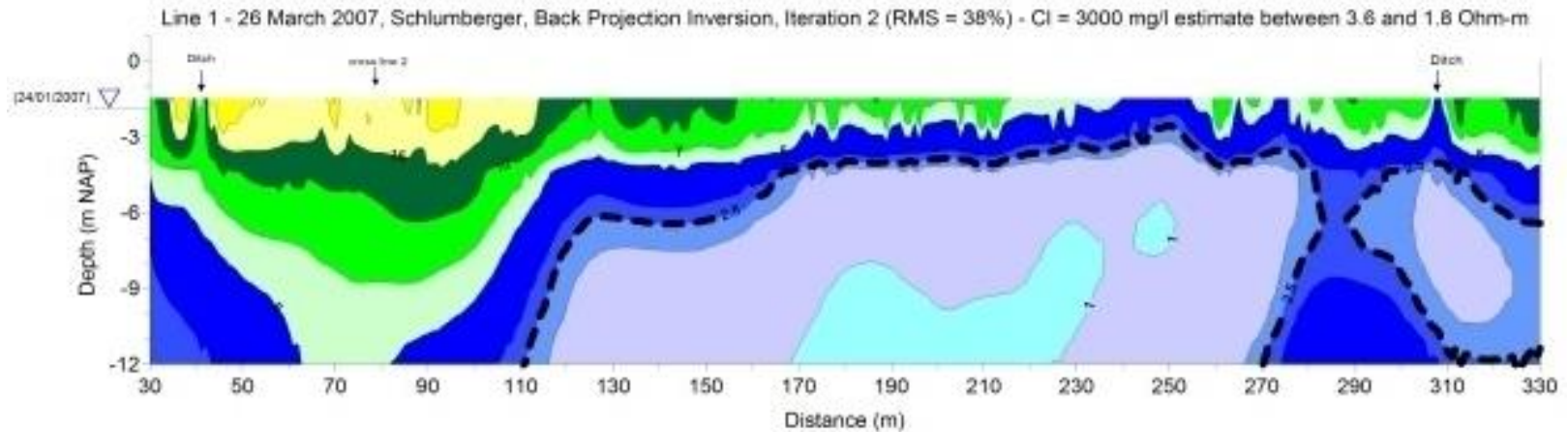
Site 11 - Renesse



Real Inverted Resistivity (Ohm-m)

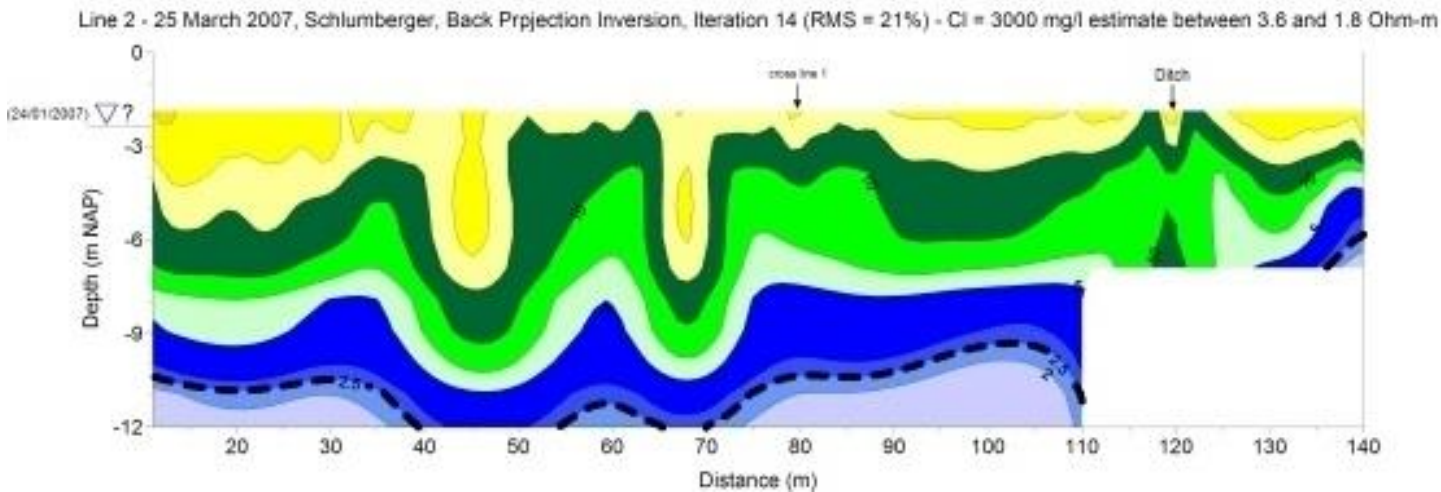
South-East

North-West



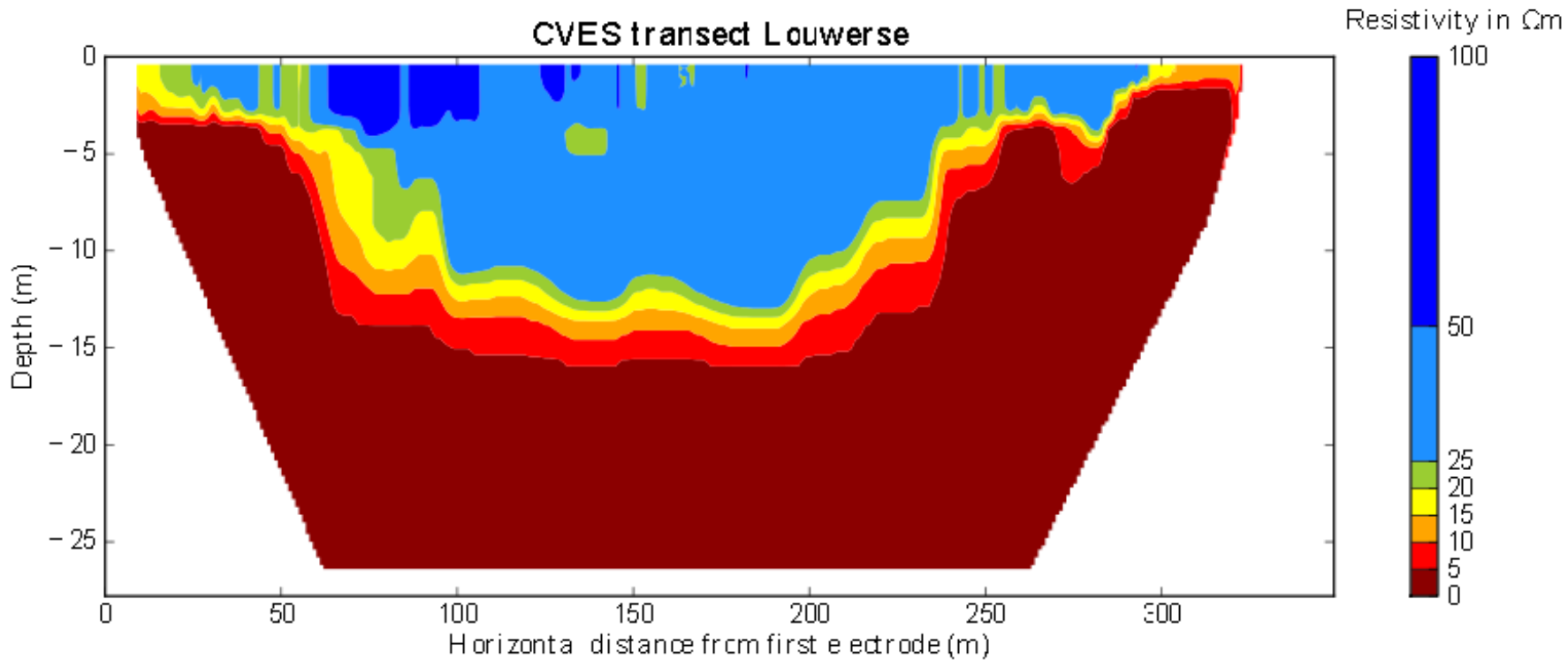
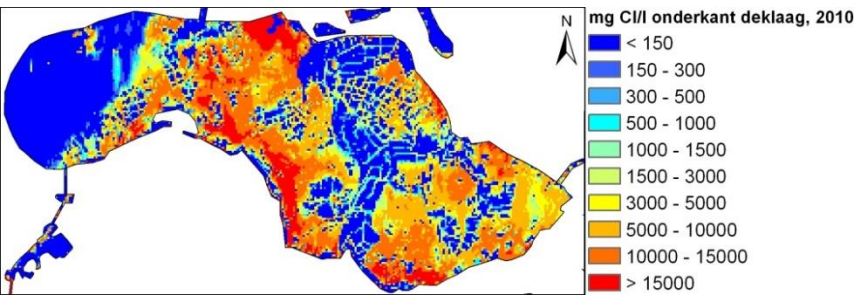
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water met hoge EC (lage weerstand)

Possible measures for sandy creeks



Monitoring salt in groundwater: Indirect methods

- Electrical conductance measurements

$$\rho_s = F * \rho_w$$

ρ_s = resistance subsoil & groundwater

ρ_w = resistance groundwater

F = formation factor

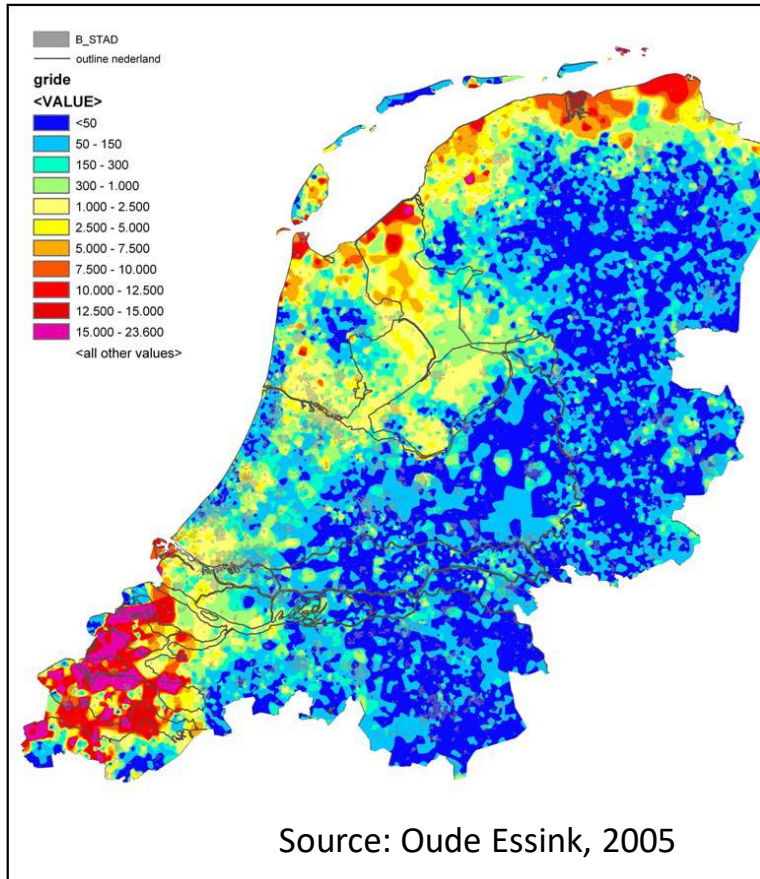
Lithology	F
Gravel with sand	7
Coarse sand	5
Sand with silt	2 - 3
Clay	1-3*
peat	1*

} → *F varies with the resistance of the groundwater*

If the lithology is known AND the measurement is in an aquifer
→ ρ_w can be calculated

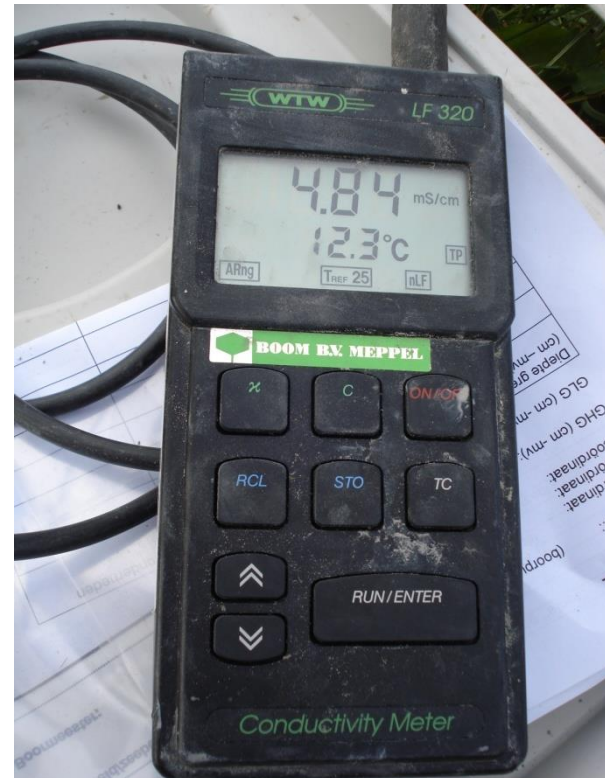
VES measurements are used in combination with borehole logging

Result: chloride concentration bottom Holocene toplayer



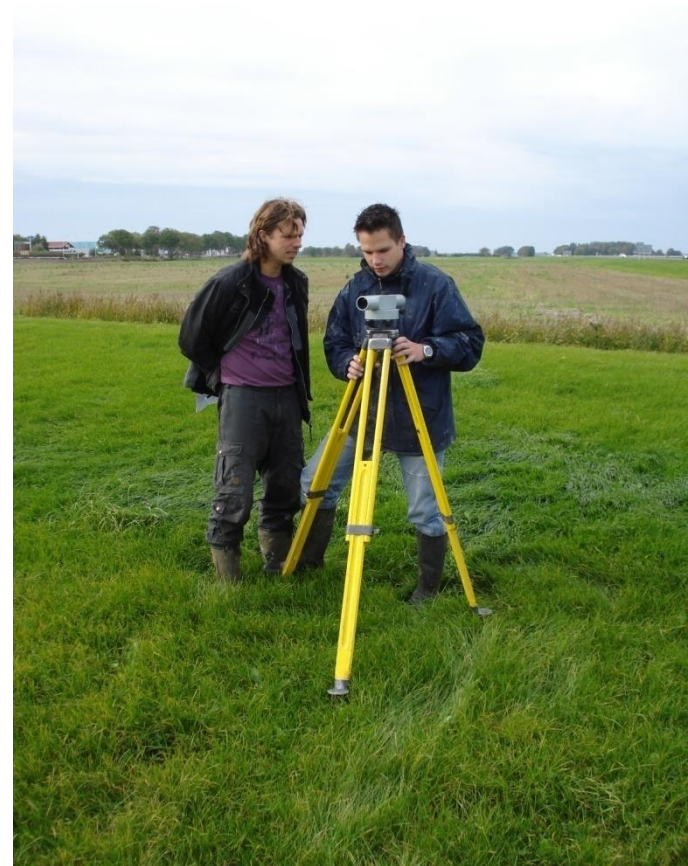
- Software Geological Survey of the Netherlands (TNO) is used to determine the salt concentration of the groundwater in the measurements
- Inter- and extrapolation is used to make a continuous field
- 2D Result is an combination of:
 1. Direct measurements (3500)
 2. Electrical conductance in boreholes (2000)
 3. Vertical Electric Sounding (VES) measurements (10.000)

T-EC probe



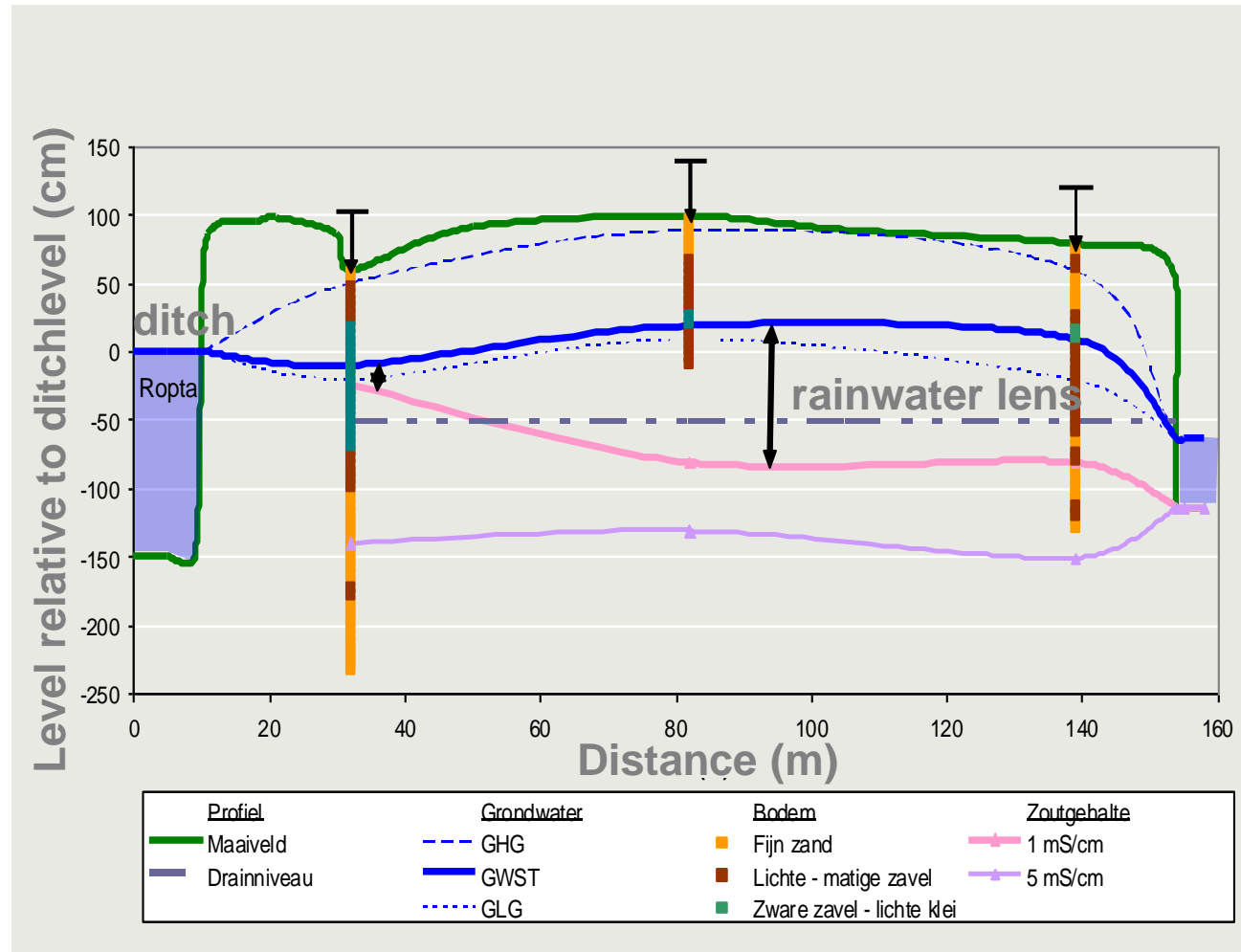
T EC fieldwork

Altitude measurements



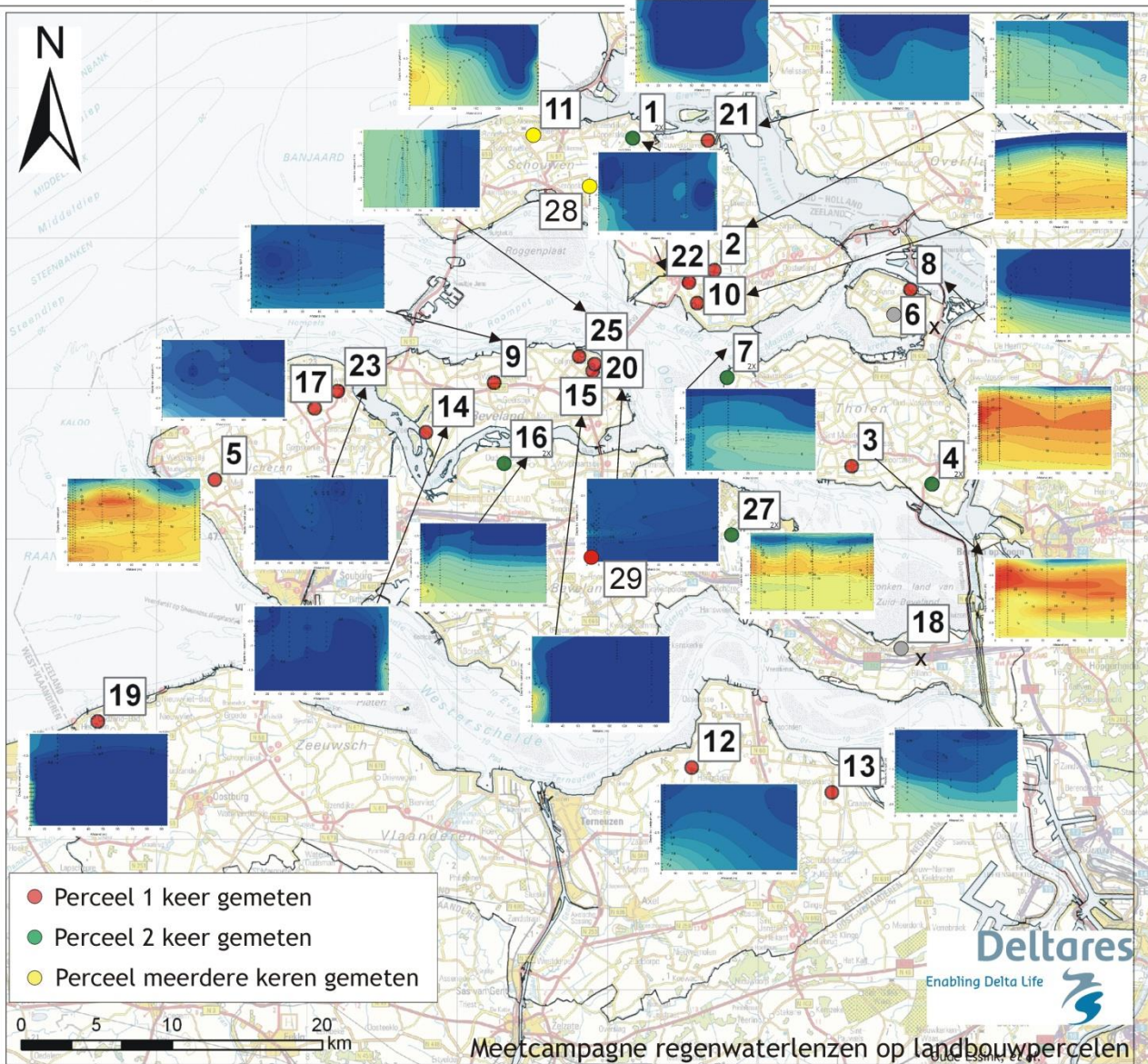


Use field measurements to understand the process



TEC-probe Monitoring campaign 2005-2009

Verziltingsonderzoek Provincie Zeeland



CliWat www.cliwat.eu

- Transnational project in the North Sea Region
- Main objectives:
 - to evaluate the physical and chemical impacts of climate change on groundwater and surface water systems
 - to provide data for adaptive and sustainable water management and infrastructure.
- Different innovative monitoring techniques (Helicopter EM, CVES, CPT, TEC-probe) are used to map the salinization status of the coastal groundwater system.



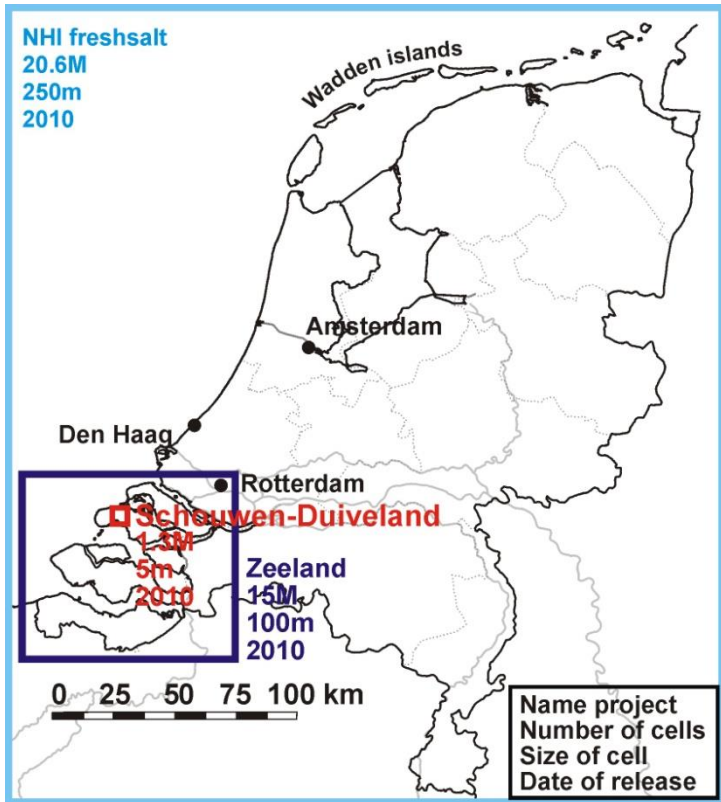
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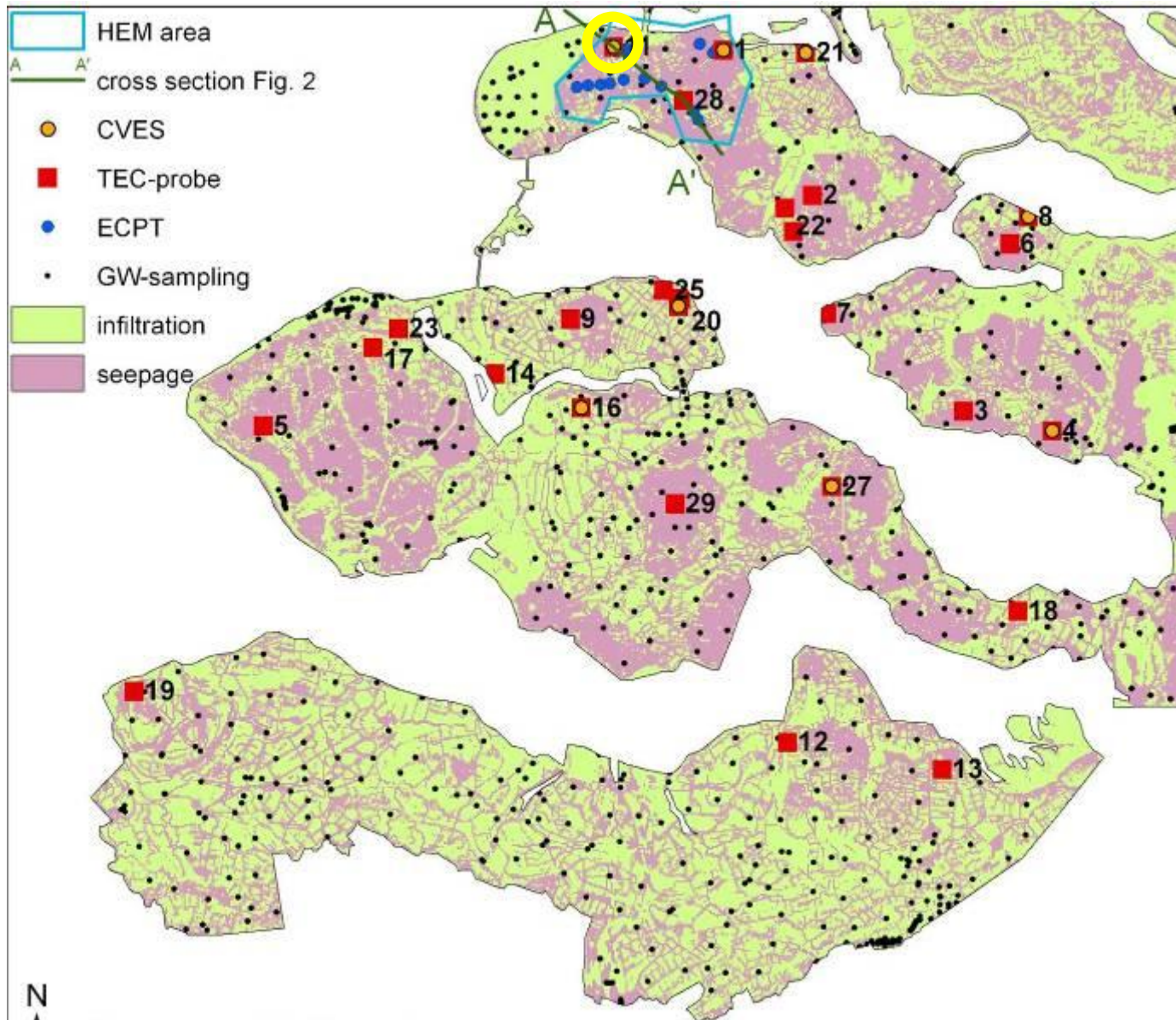
Miljøcenter Århus



Description local area



Monitoring network in our Pilot Area Zeeland



Up to local approach

Example: Assessing effect of climate change on salt water intrusion

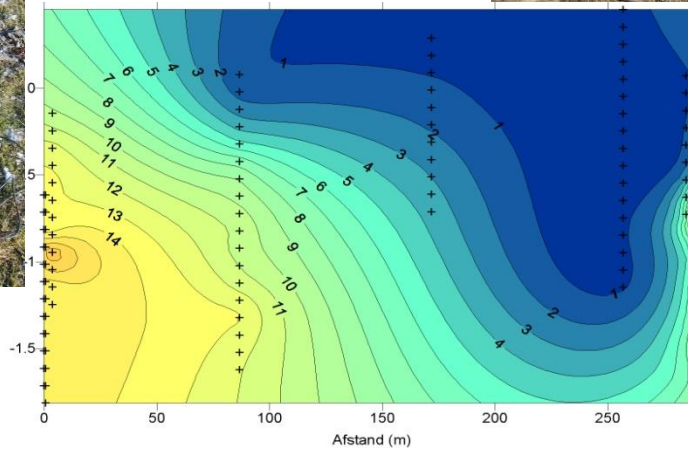
Source: Oude Essink, 2009

Monitoring:

- piezometric head and solute concentration
- TEC probes, CVES
- online



TEC probe



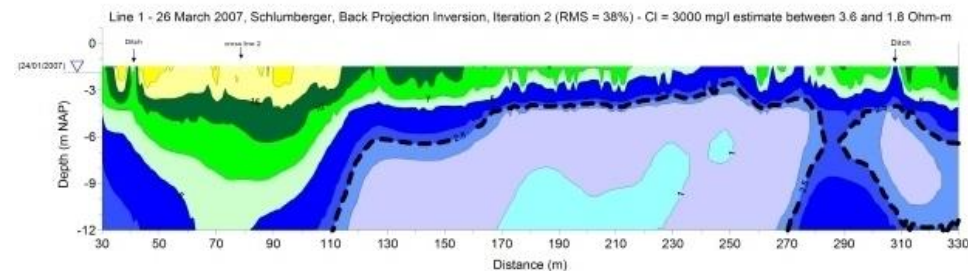
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CVES

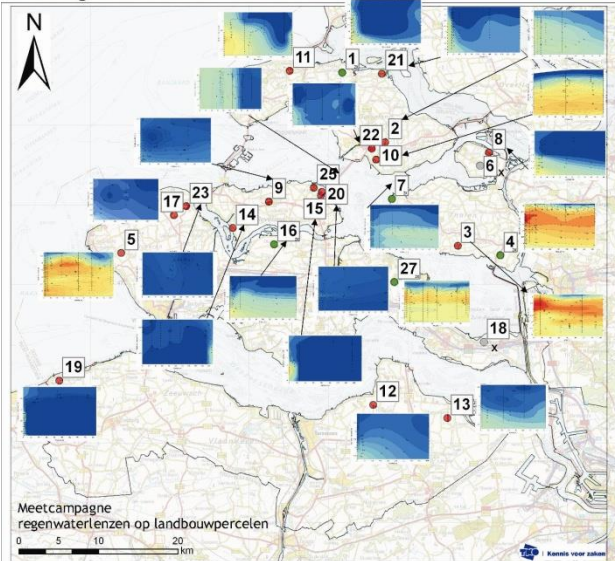


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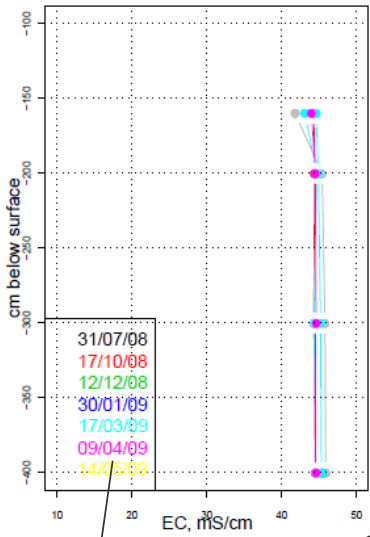
Meetcampagne regenwaterlenzen op landbouwpercelen

Rijkswaterstaat

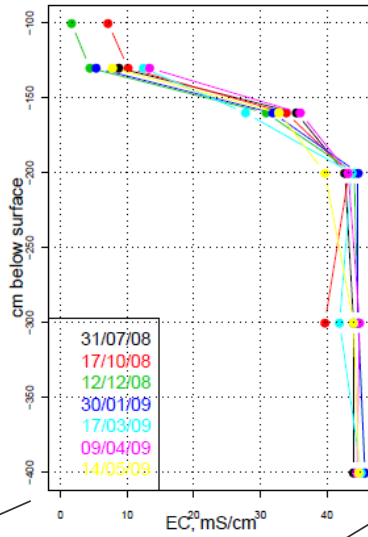
Site 11: from infiltration to seepage



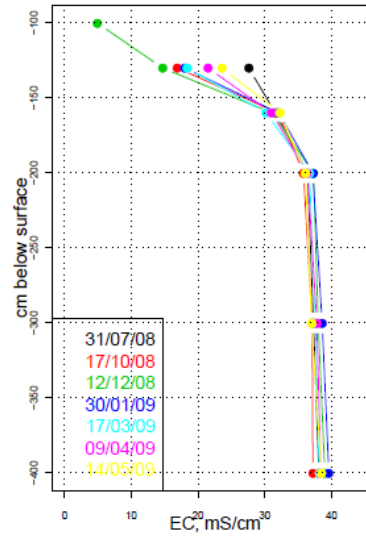
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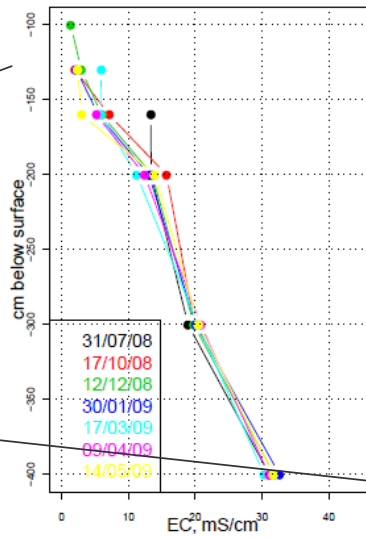


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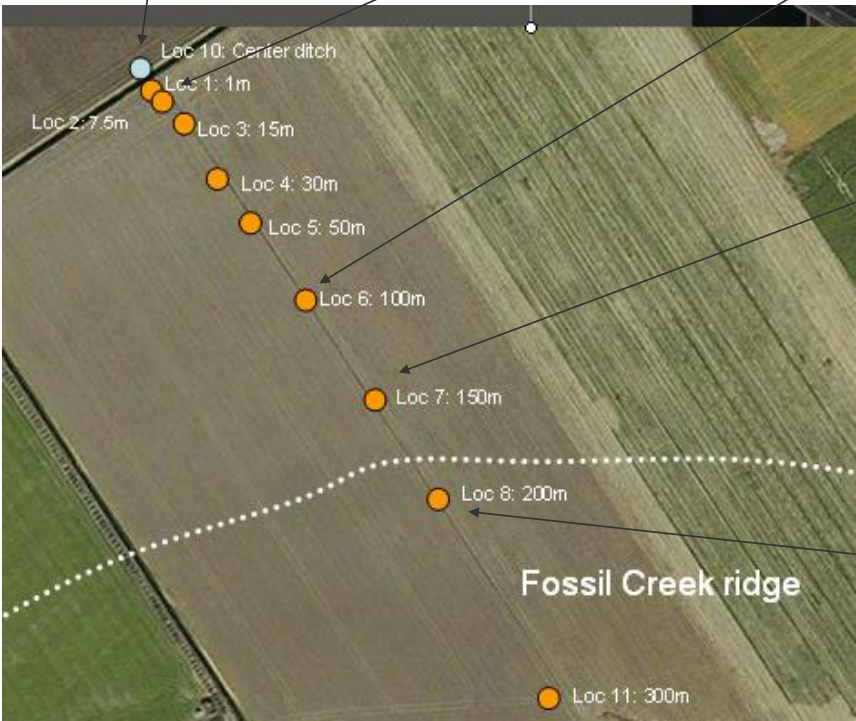
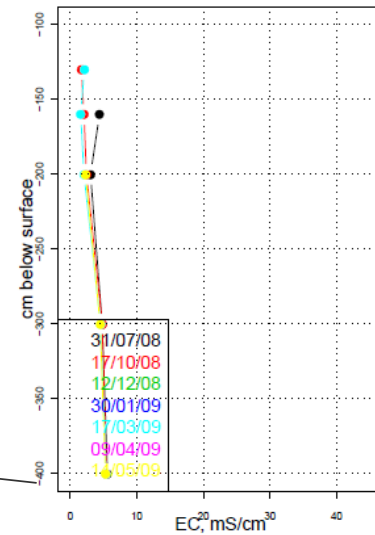


Groundwater r sampling: Salt distribution in time

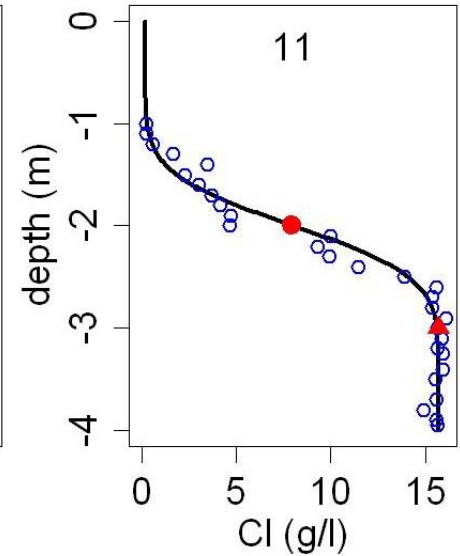
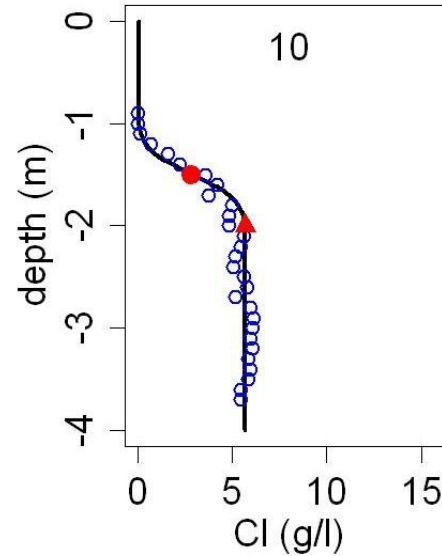
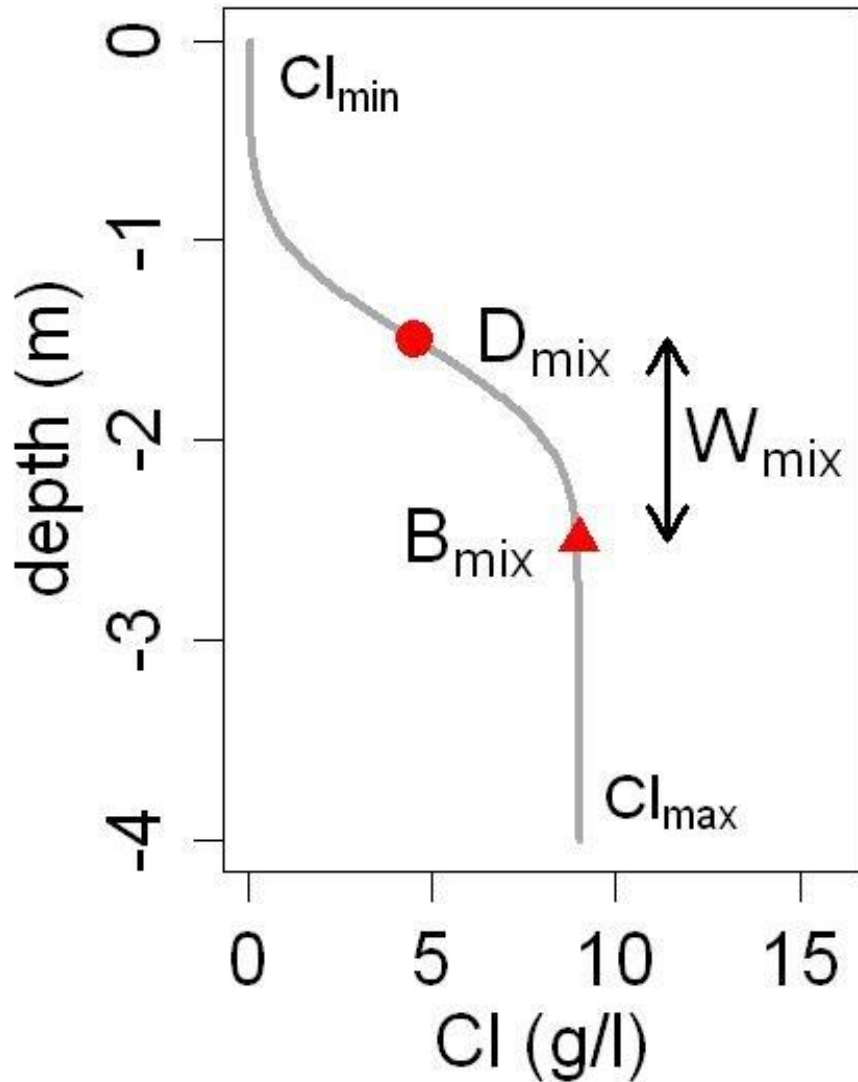
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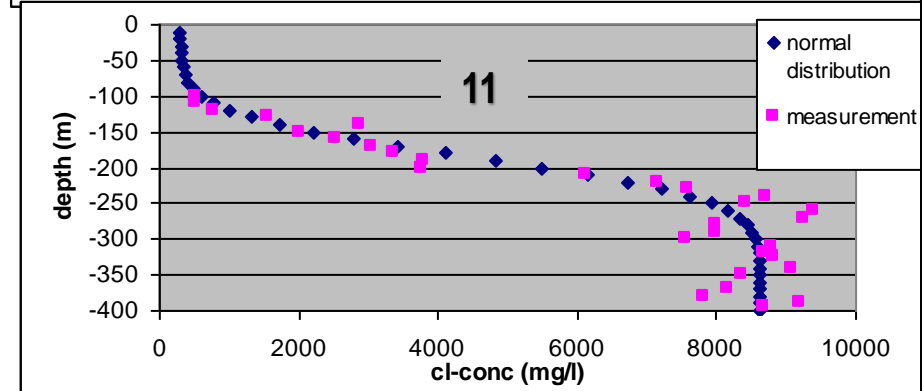
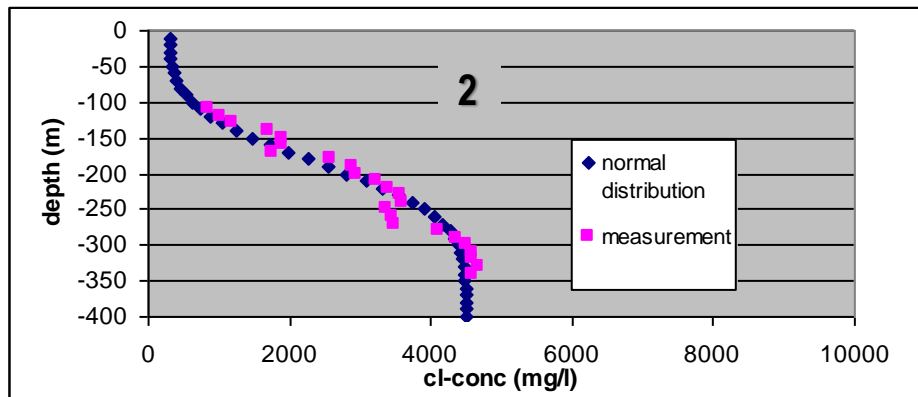
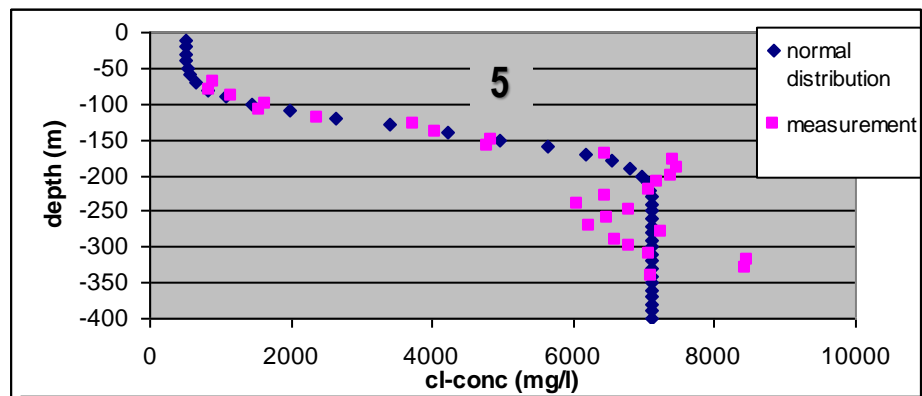
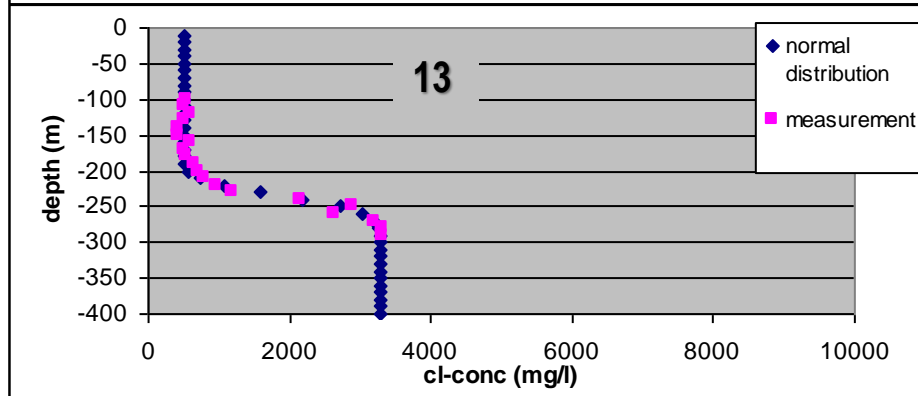
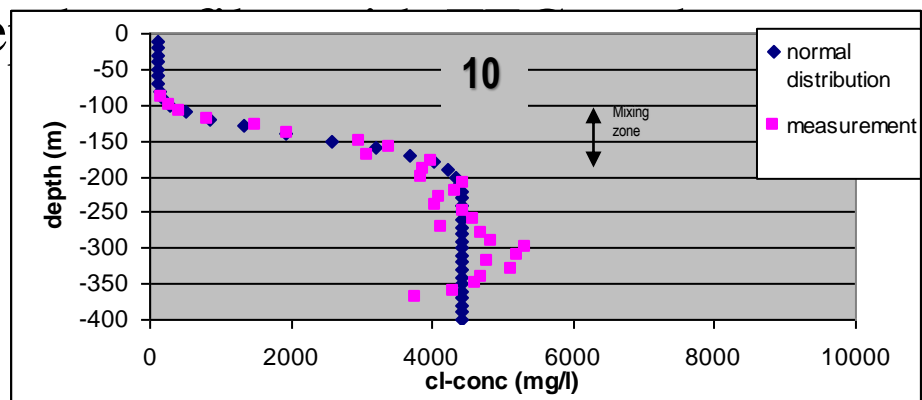
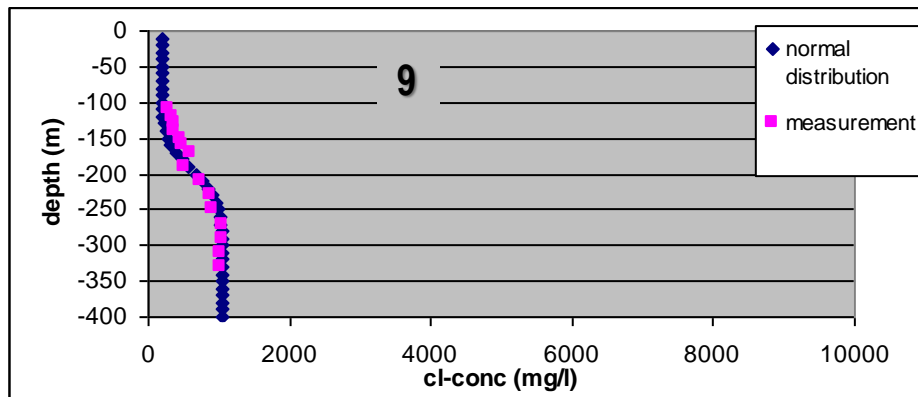
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Lens characteristics

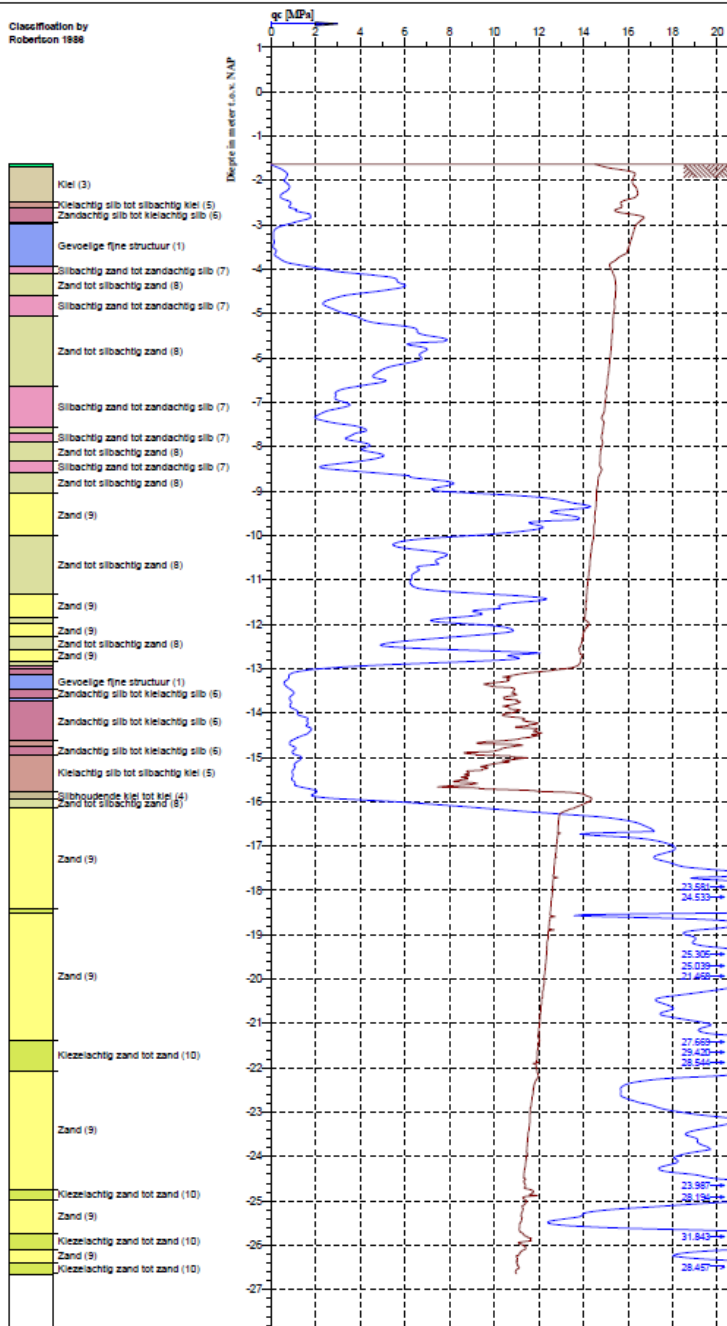


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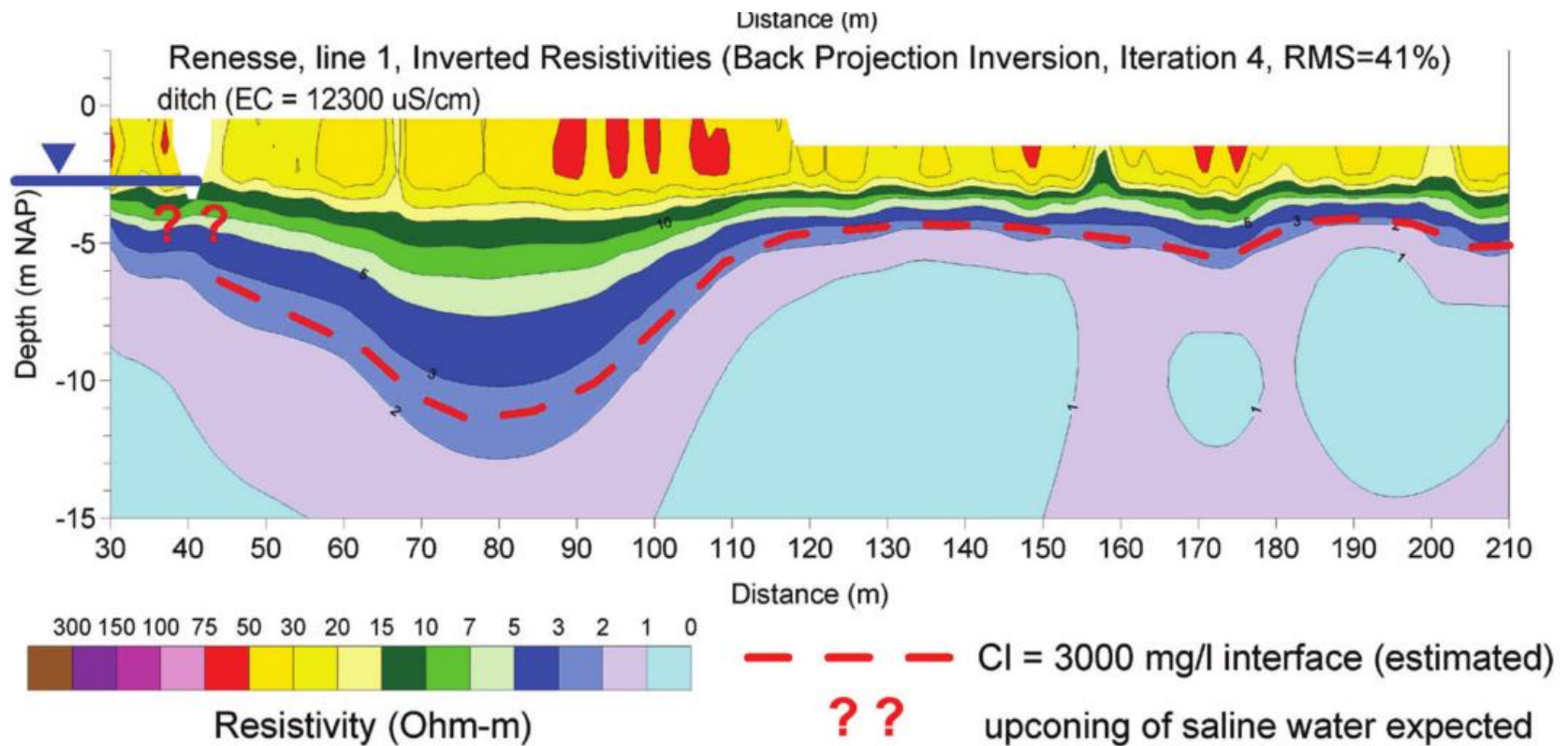
Elect. CPT (mS/m)

Classification by Robertson 1988

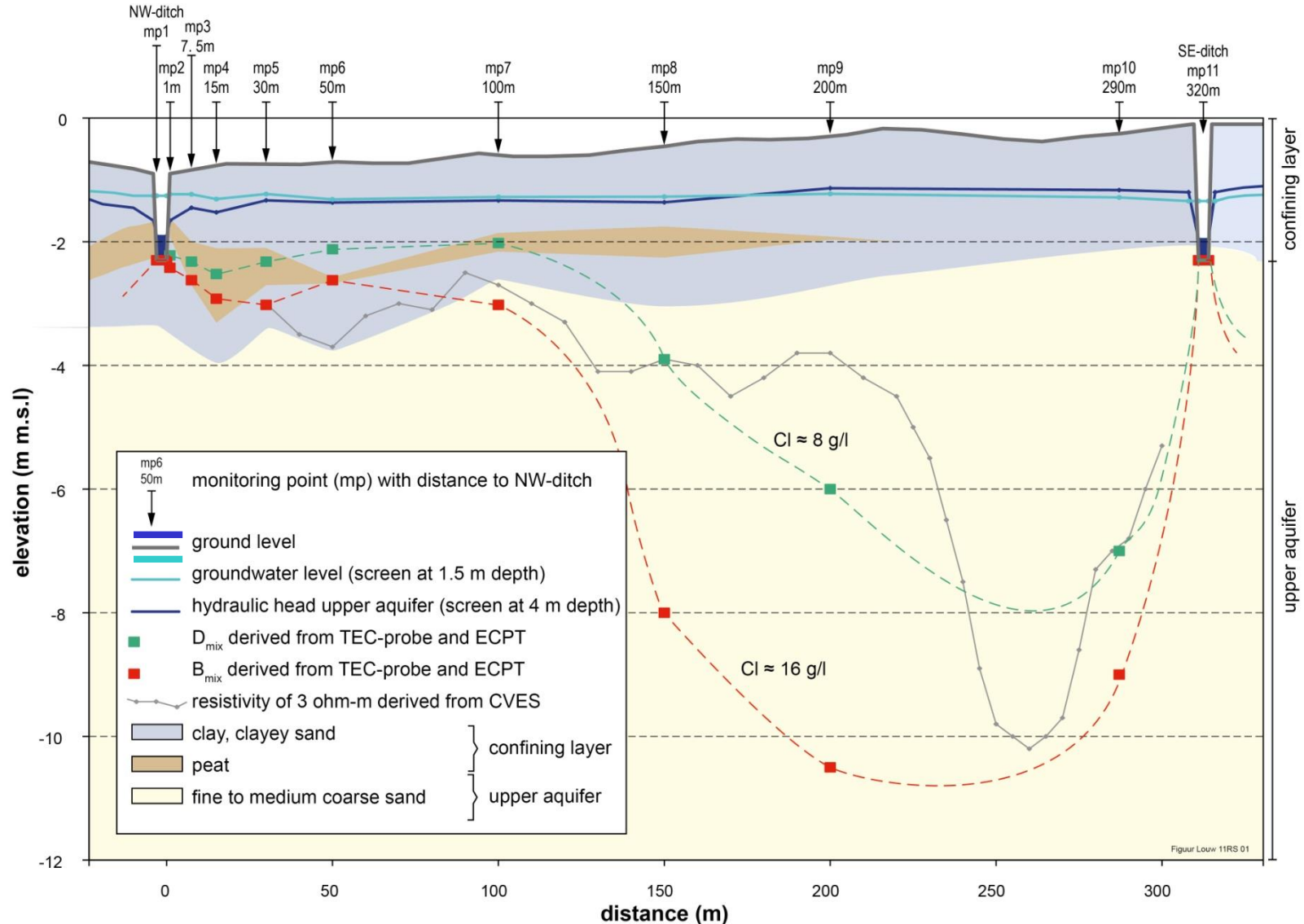


CVES

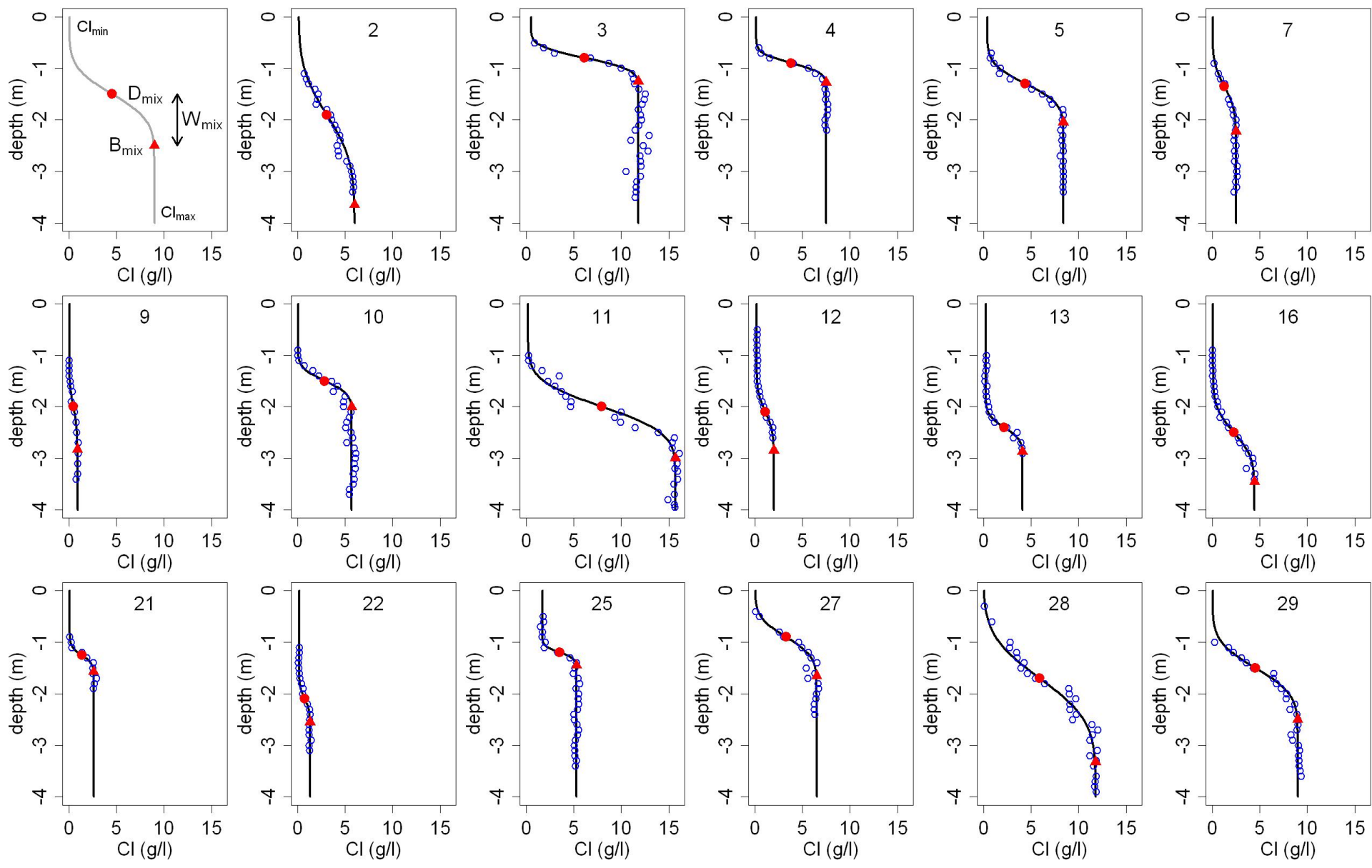
CVES: continuous vertical electrical sounding



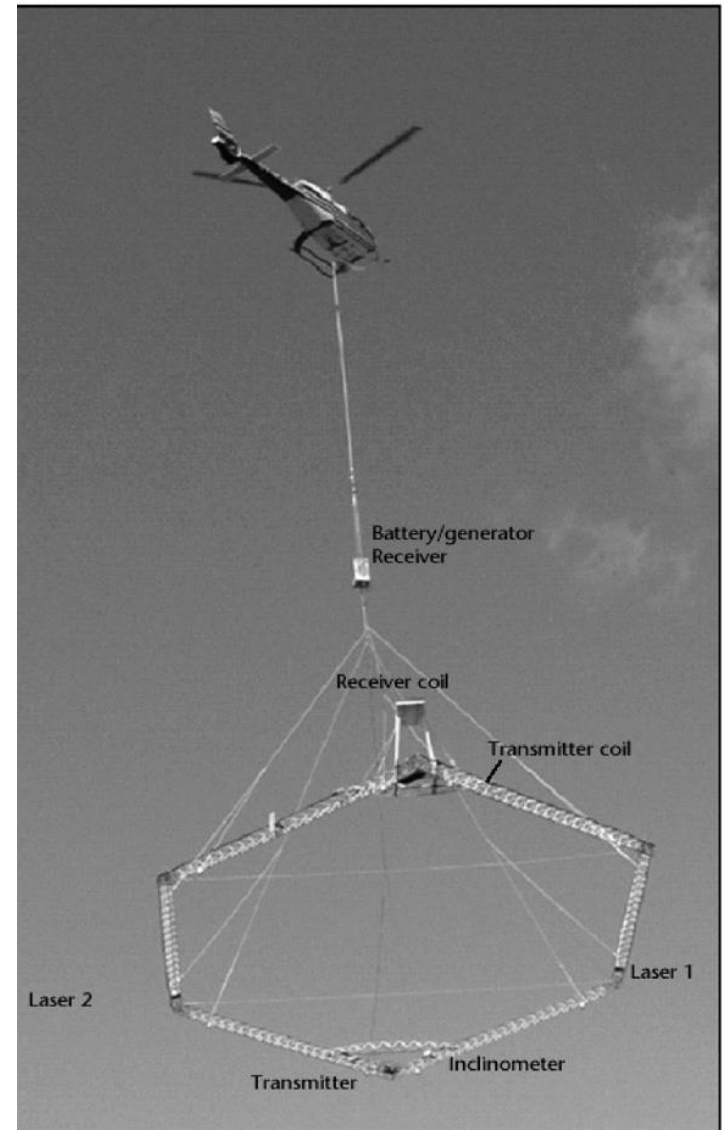
Seepage / infiltration determines thickness rainwater lens



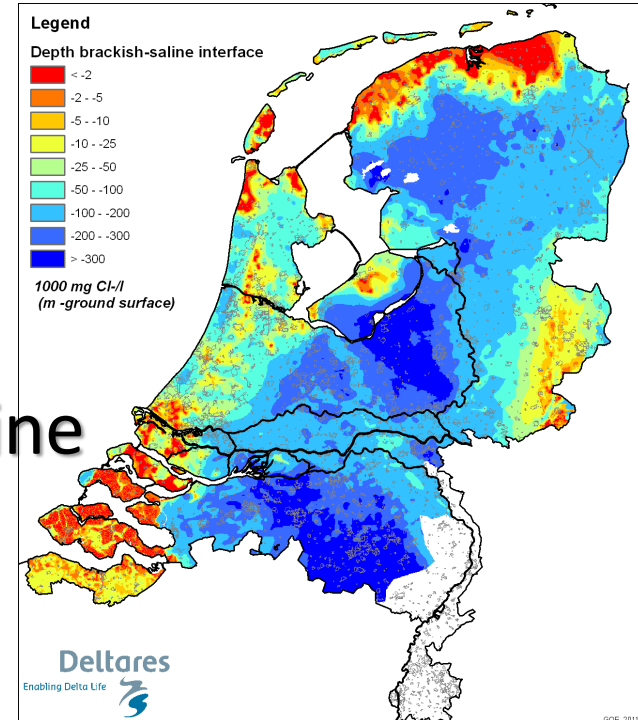
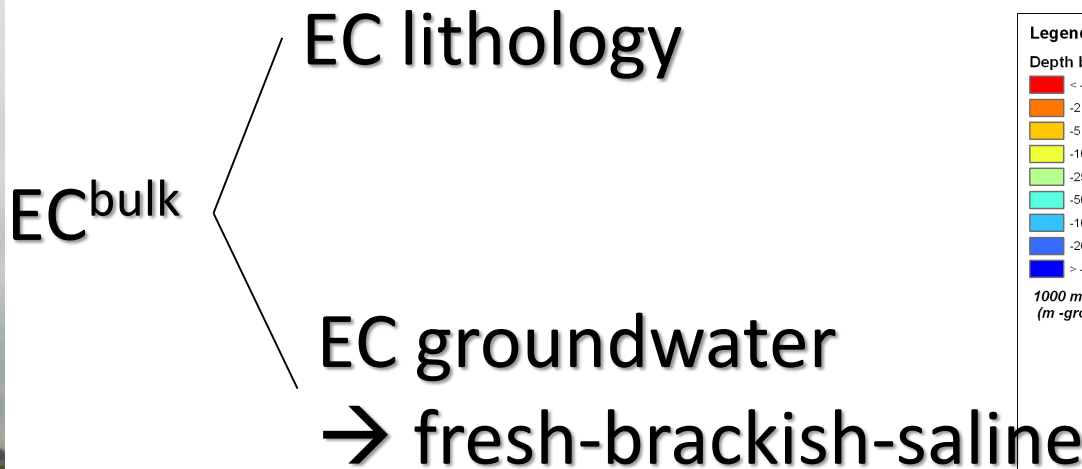
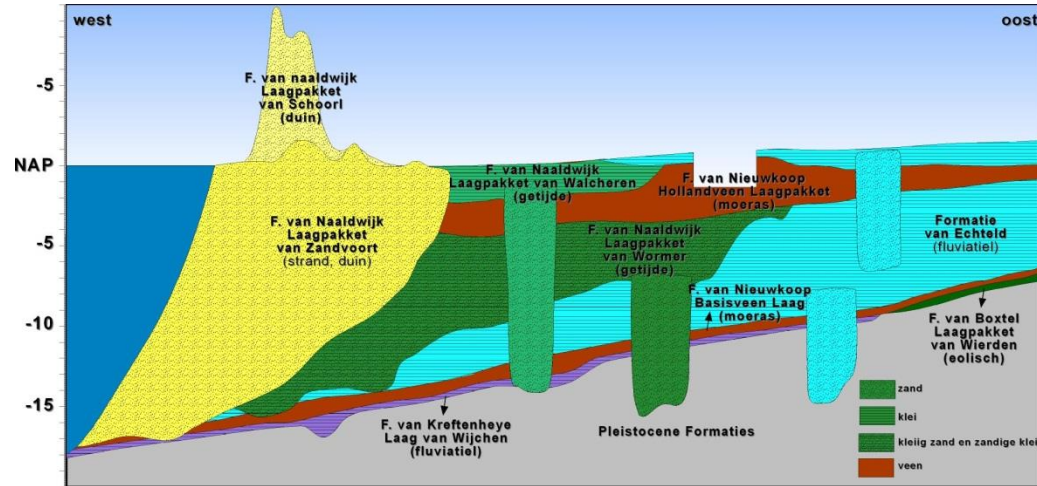
TEC-probe results



Electrical conductance measurements



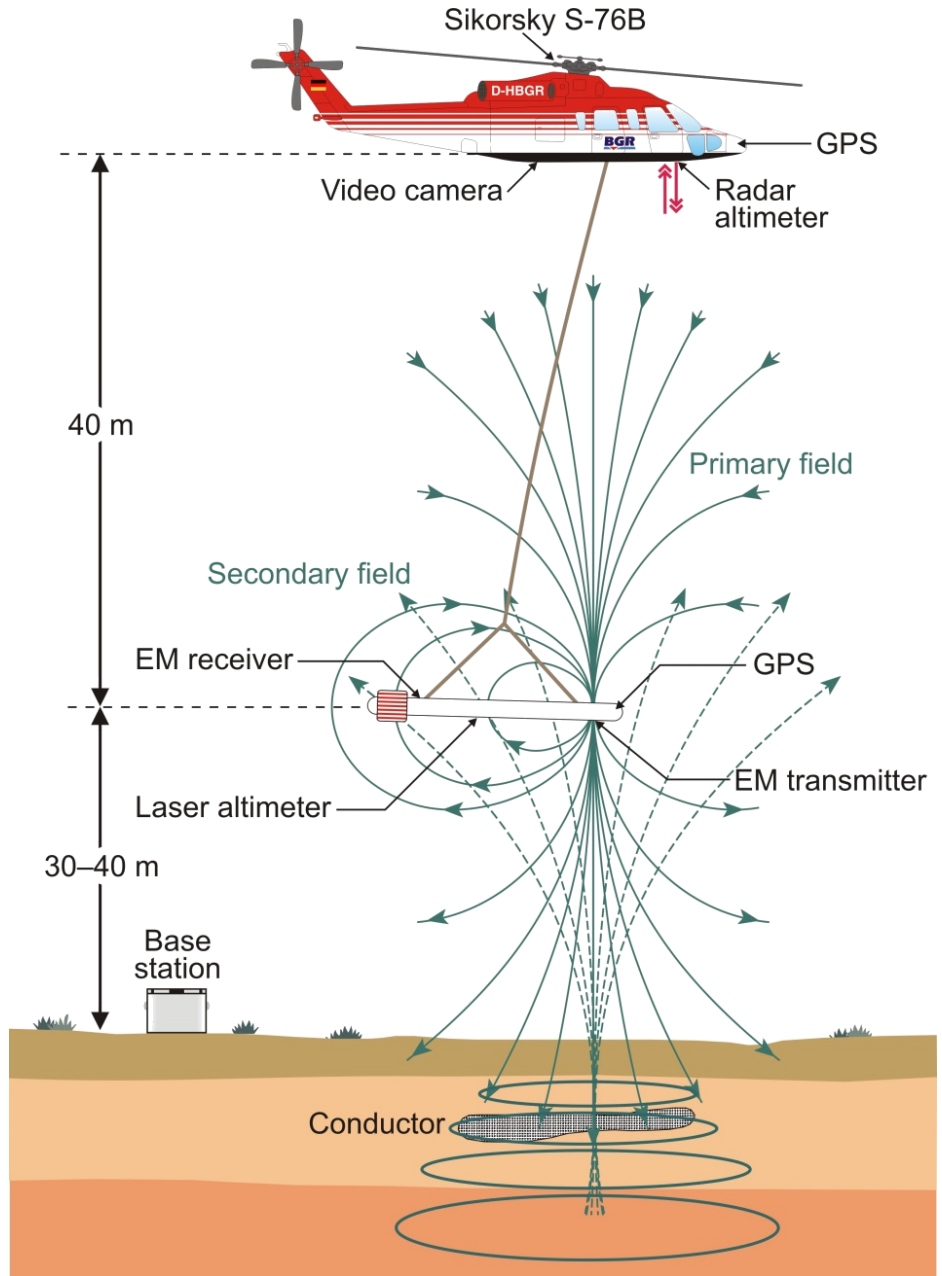
From bulk to groundwater resistivity



EC = Electrical Conductivity = conductivity

BGR helicopter-borne geophysical system

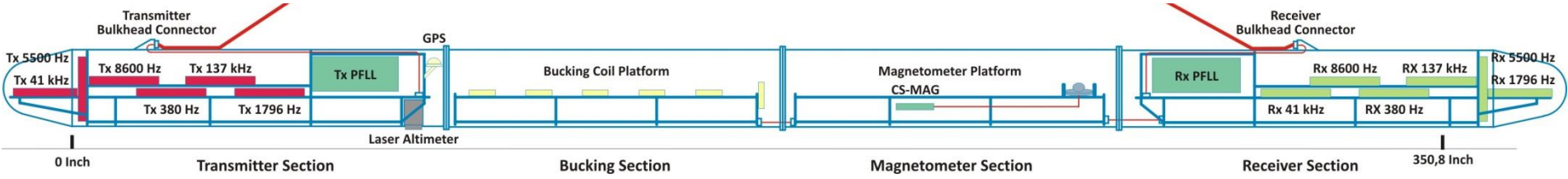
Airborne geophysical survey system	
Helicopter:	Sikorsky S-76B
Helicopter equipment:	GPS-Navigation GPS-Tracking Radar and barometric altimeters Video camera
Standard equipment:	Electromagnetic system Magnetometer Laser altimeter Gamma-ray spectrometer
Optional equipment:	Laser scanner Pulse radar <i>Stepped frequency</i> - Radar Gravimeter Differential GPS Photogrammetric camera Infrared camera
Base station equipment:	Magnetic total field sensor Air pressure sensor Differential GPS
Survey speed:	130 – 160 km/h
Sampling distance:	~ 4 and 40 m
Line separation	50 – 2000 m



BGR helicopter-borne geophysical system

Recent six-frequency HEM system

Type:	RESOLVE – Digital system Modified BKS36a DSP and BKS60 DSP systems	
Length:	~ 10 m	
Weight:	~ 400 kg incl. cable (80 kg)	
Manufacturer:	Fugro Airborne Systems, Canada	
Frequency [Hz]	Coil separation[m]	Geometry
387	7.94	horizontal coplanar
1820	7.93	horizontal coplanar
5500	9.06	vertical coaxial
8225	7.93	horizontal coplanar
41550	7.91	horizontal coplanar
133200	7.92	horizontal coplanar

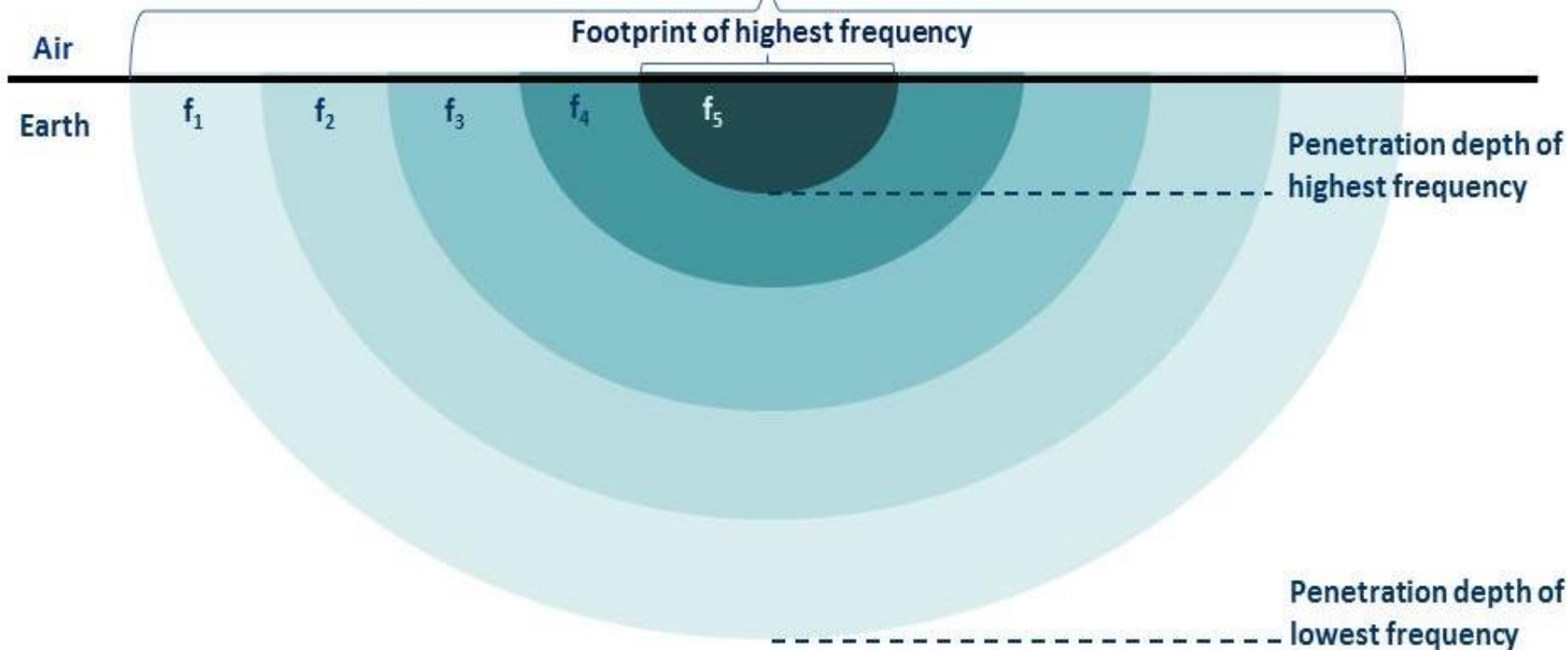


Footprint on diep ~ 50 m
Footprint diep ~ 200 m

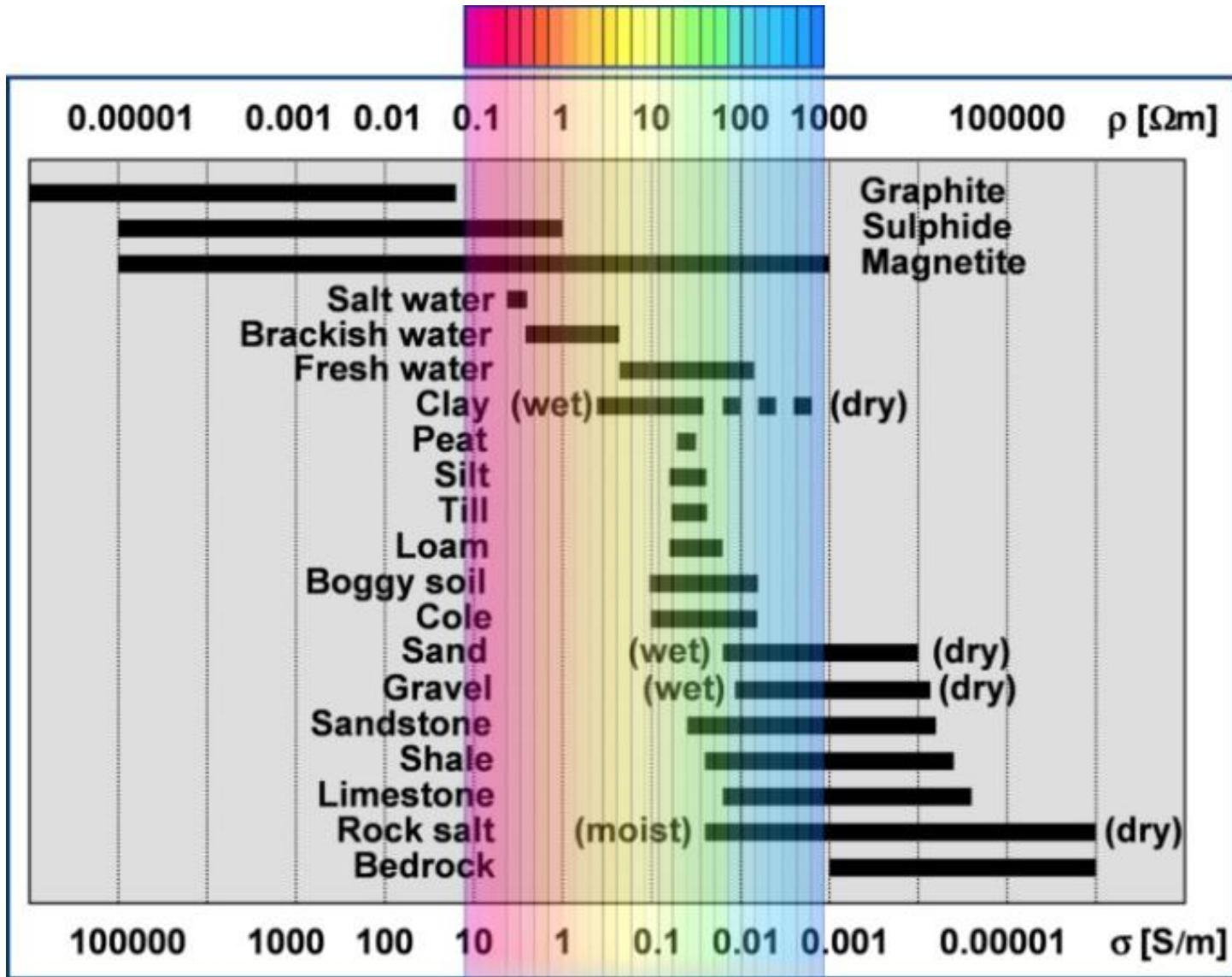


Footprint of lowest frequency

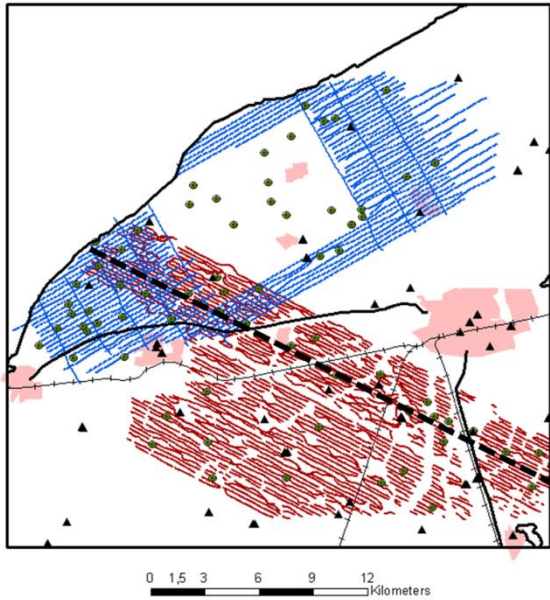
Footprint of highest frequency



Typical resistivities / conductivities

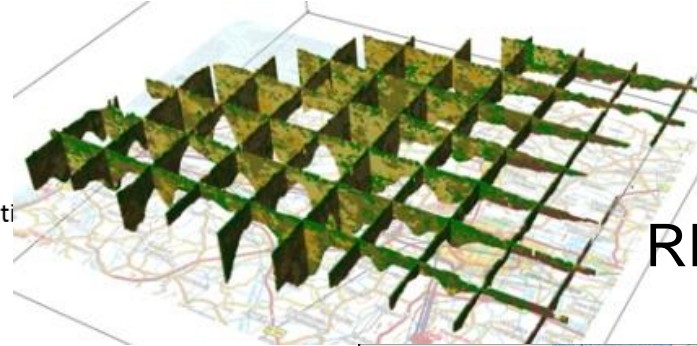


Case Wetterskip Fryslân

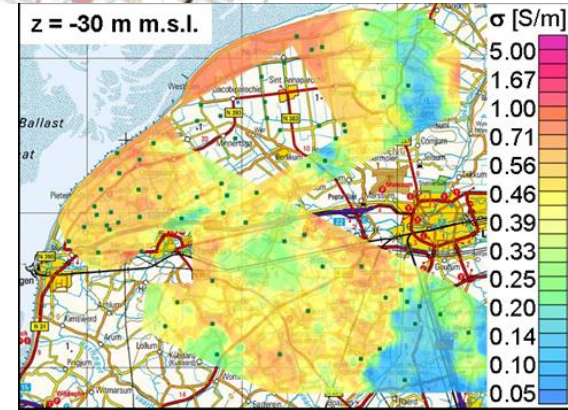


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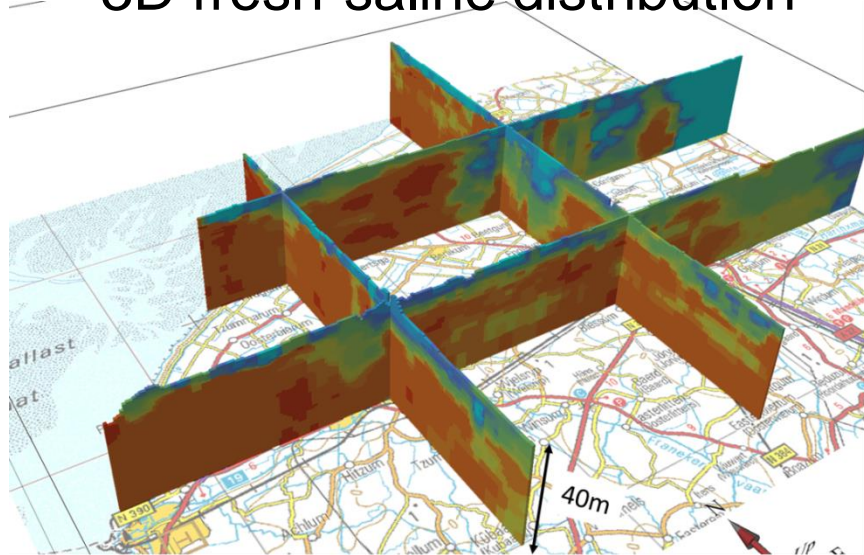
- ECPT
- ▲ CI measurements
- HEM
- skyTEM
- - - Geological cross-section



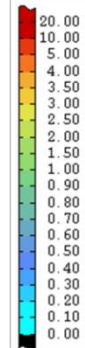
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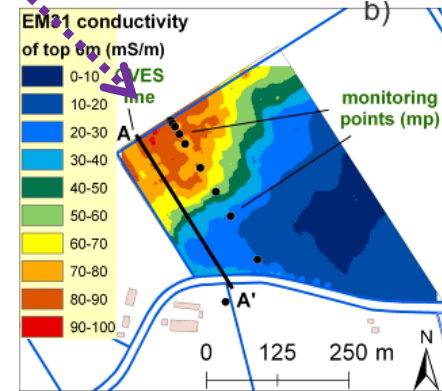
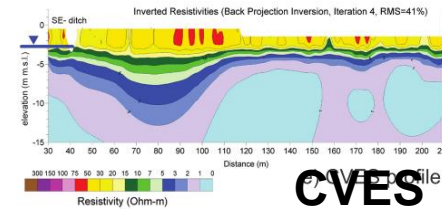
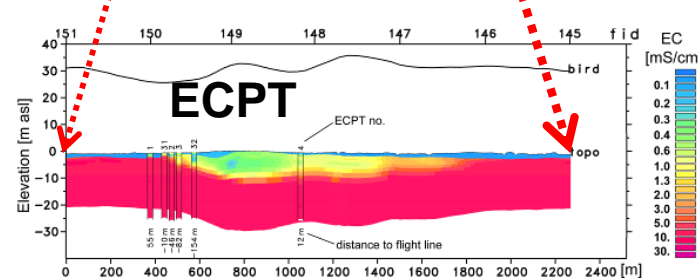
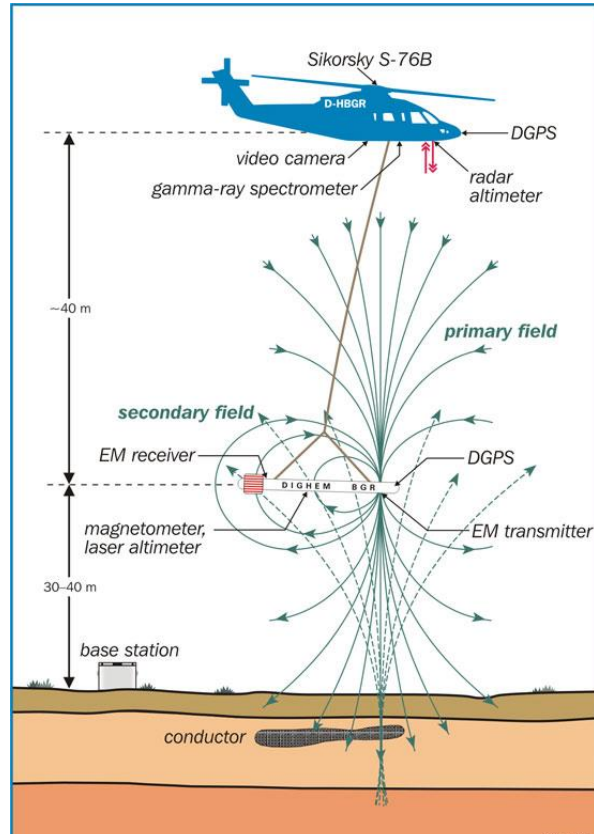
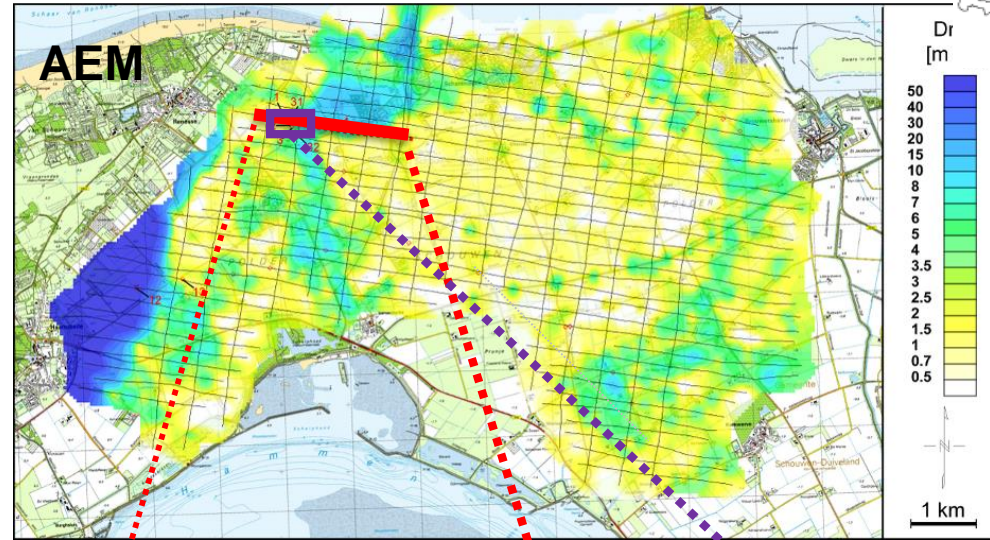
3D fresh-saline distribution



CI [g/L]

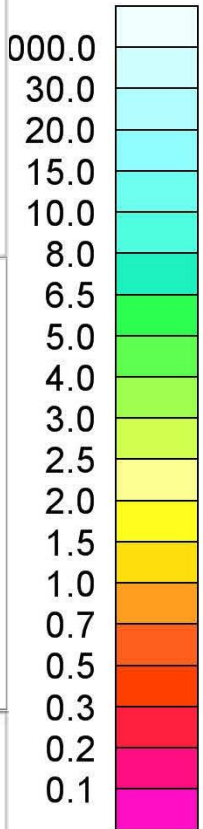
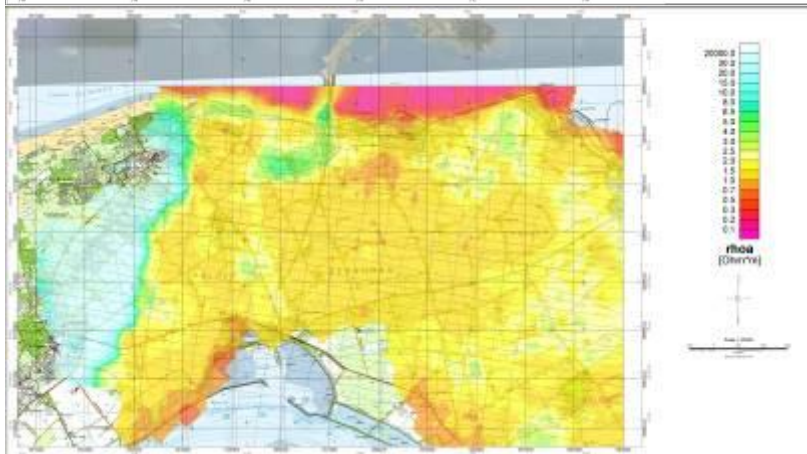
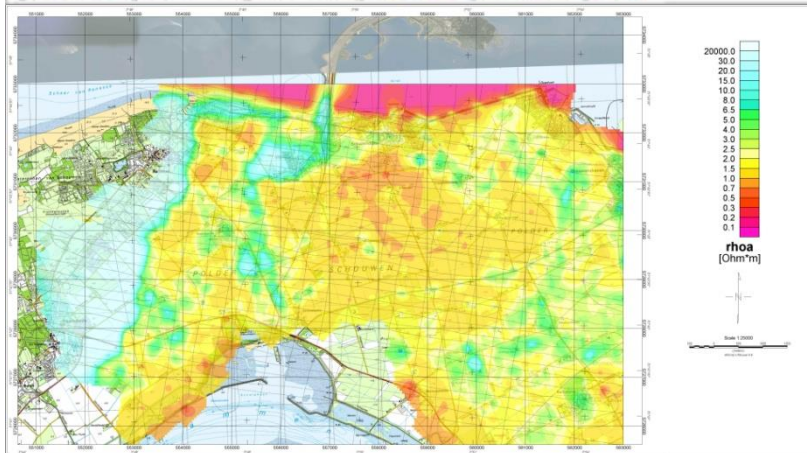
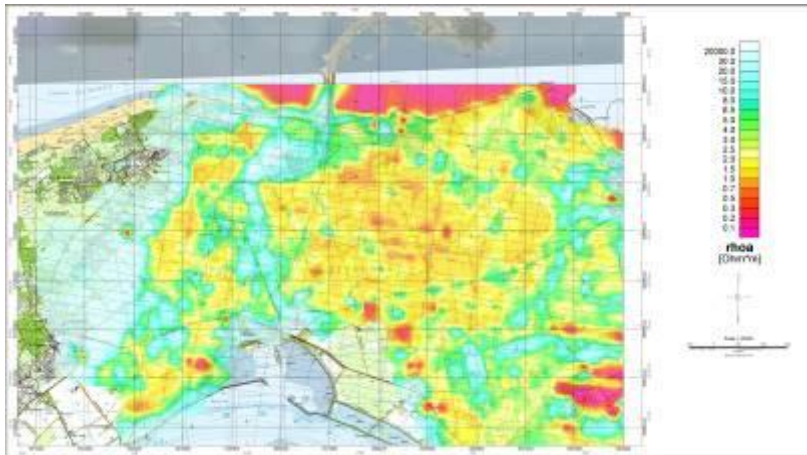


Case Schouwen-Duiveland

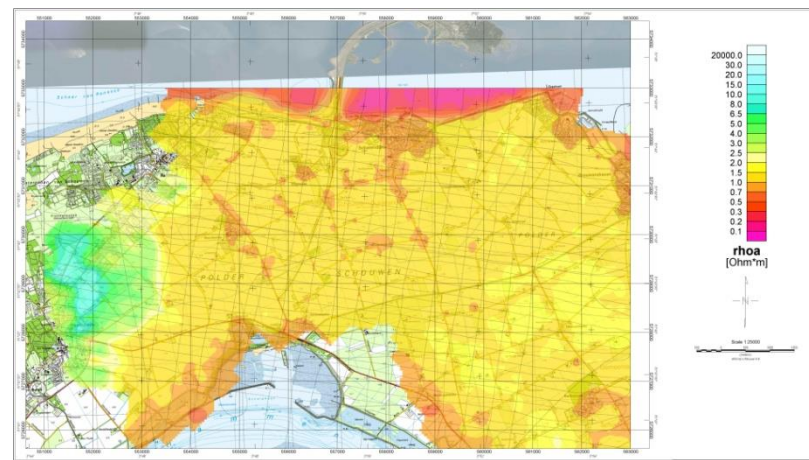
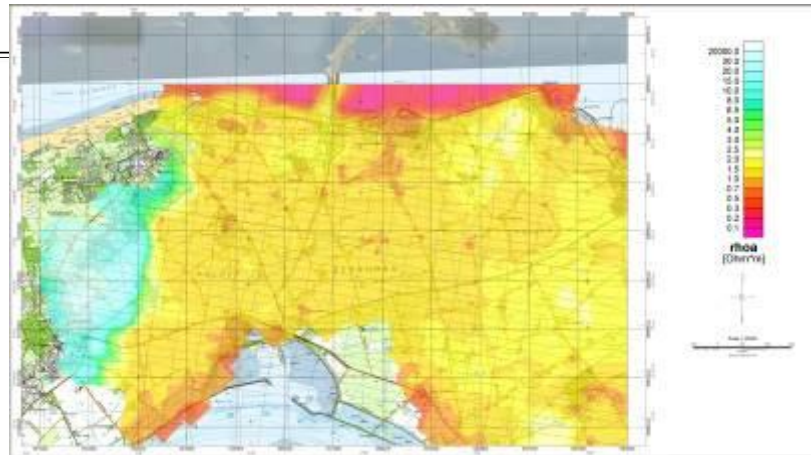


EM31

conventional monitoring techniques



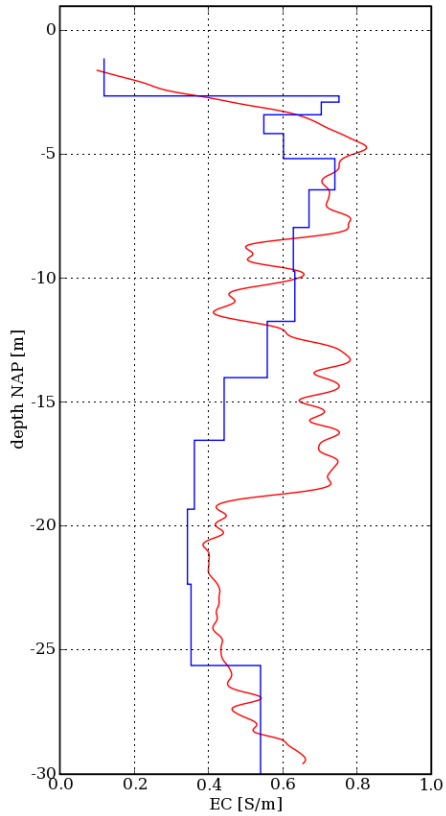
rho_a
[Ohm*m]



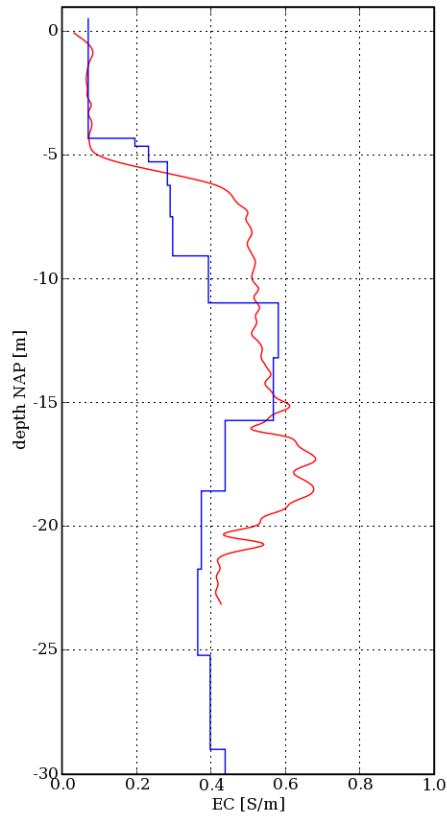
HEM results
with depth

Compare Airborne EM with ECPT Case Wetterskip Fryslân

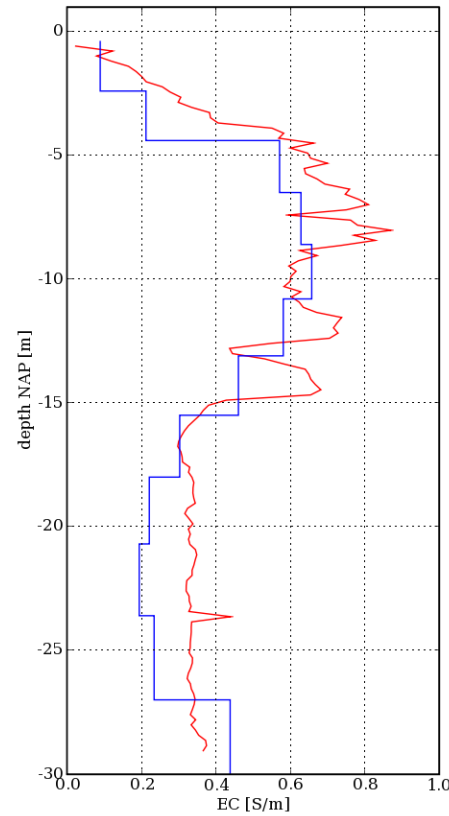
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HEM-id: 161304.021_579176.305
distance: 35.0 m



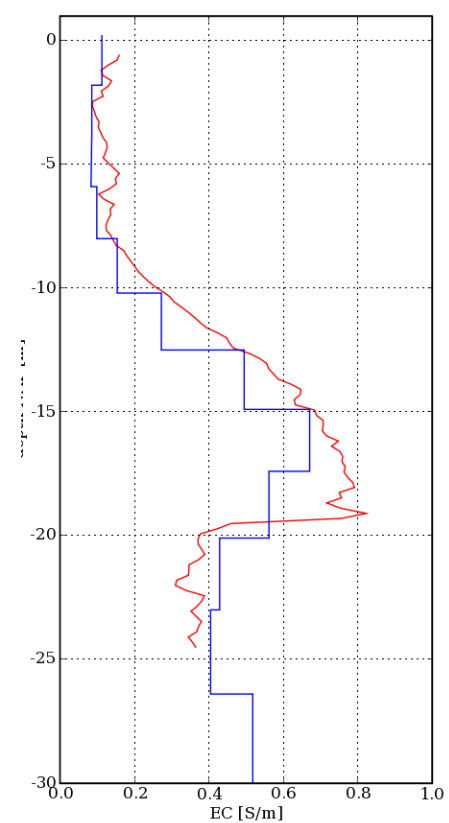
ECPT: S05G00610
HEM-id: 160478.403_580431.629
distance: 17.0 m



ECPT: S10F00073
skyTEM-id: 19392
distance: 23.0 m



ECPT: S10F00072
skyTEM-id: 10487
distance: 31.0 m



— EC from ECPT
— EC from inversion

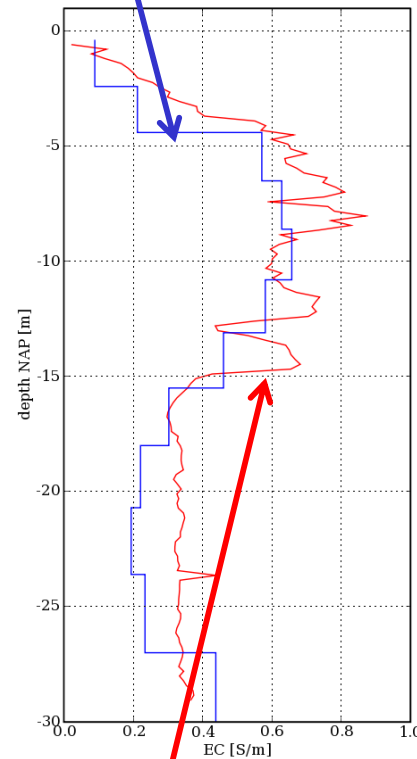
3D characterising fresh-saline groundwater



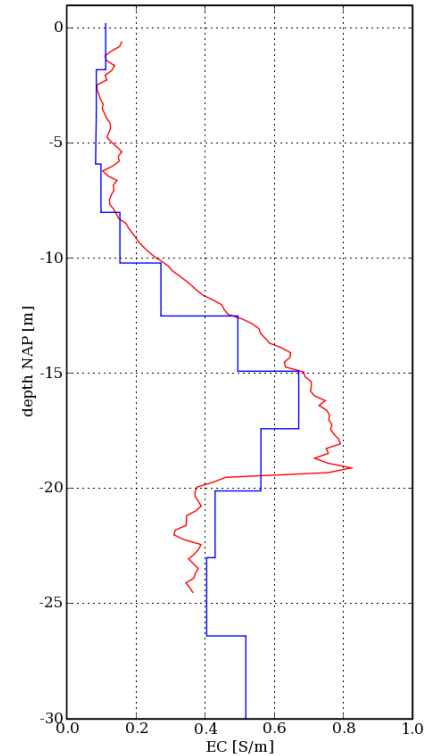
How much samples in 1 week on 900km²?

AEM: 80000 data points

ECPT: S10F00073
skyTEM-id: 19392
distance: 23.0 m



ECPT: S10F00072
skyTEM-id: 10487
distance: 31.0 m



In-situ: >100 data points



Analysis of the (ground)water system

FRESHEM Zeeland: fresh-salt mapping groundwater



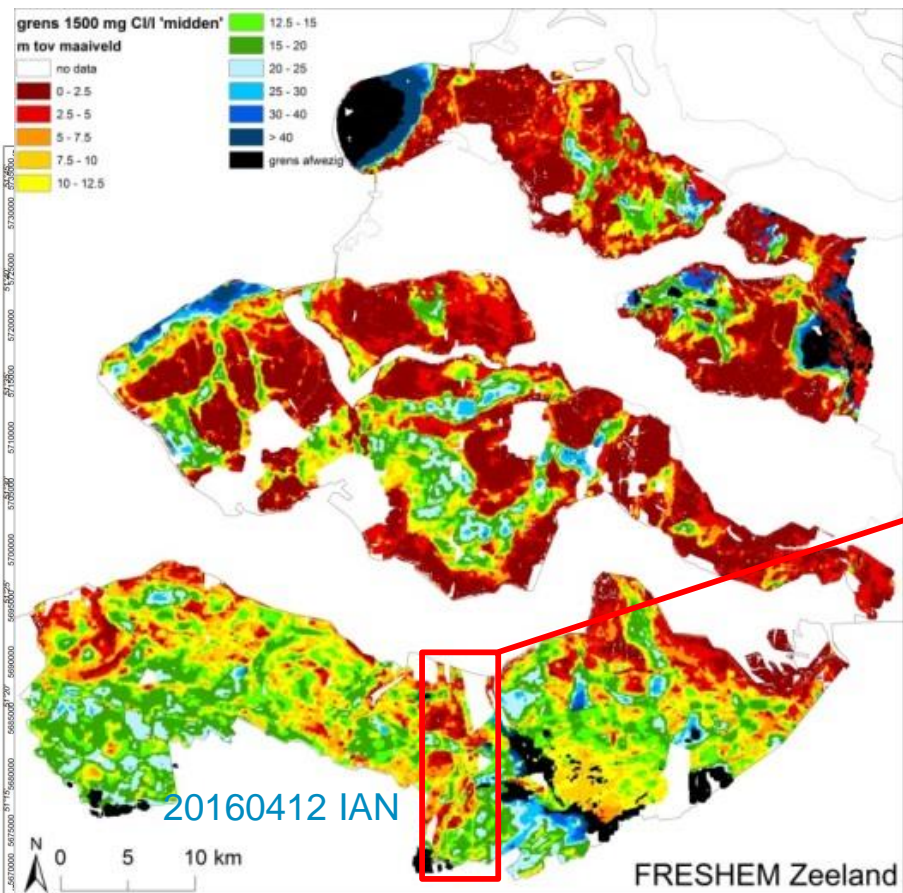
- lithological model and soil measurements
→ translation into chloride
- Validation with ground truth measurements
- 3D distribution chloride concentration

International:

- Project in Flanders, Belgium
- Pilot Mekong, Vietnam

3D Characterisation of the subsoil

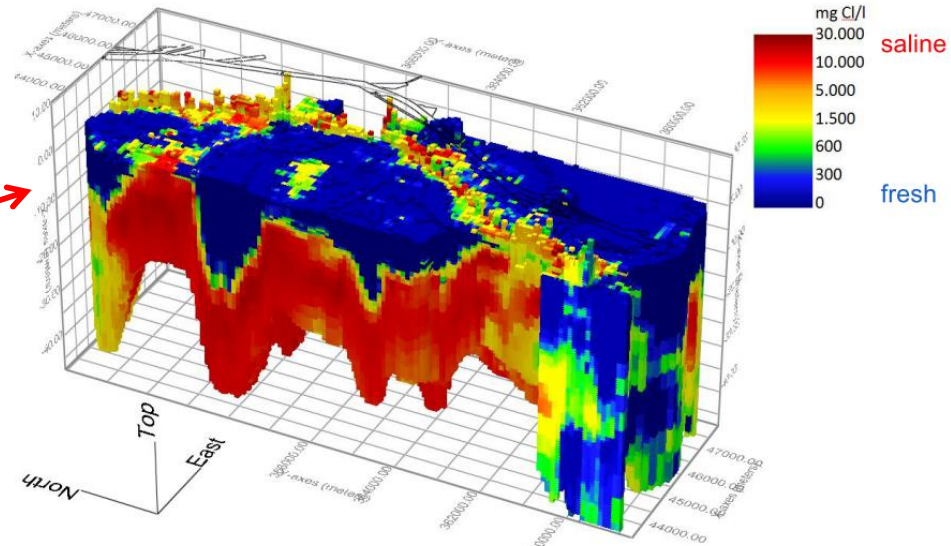
Airborne EM surveys:
much cheaper, faster, 3D,
and as equal accurate as
conventional geophysical methods



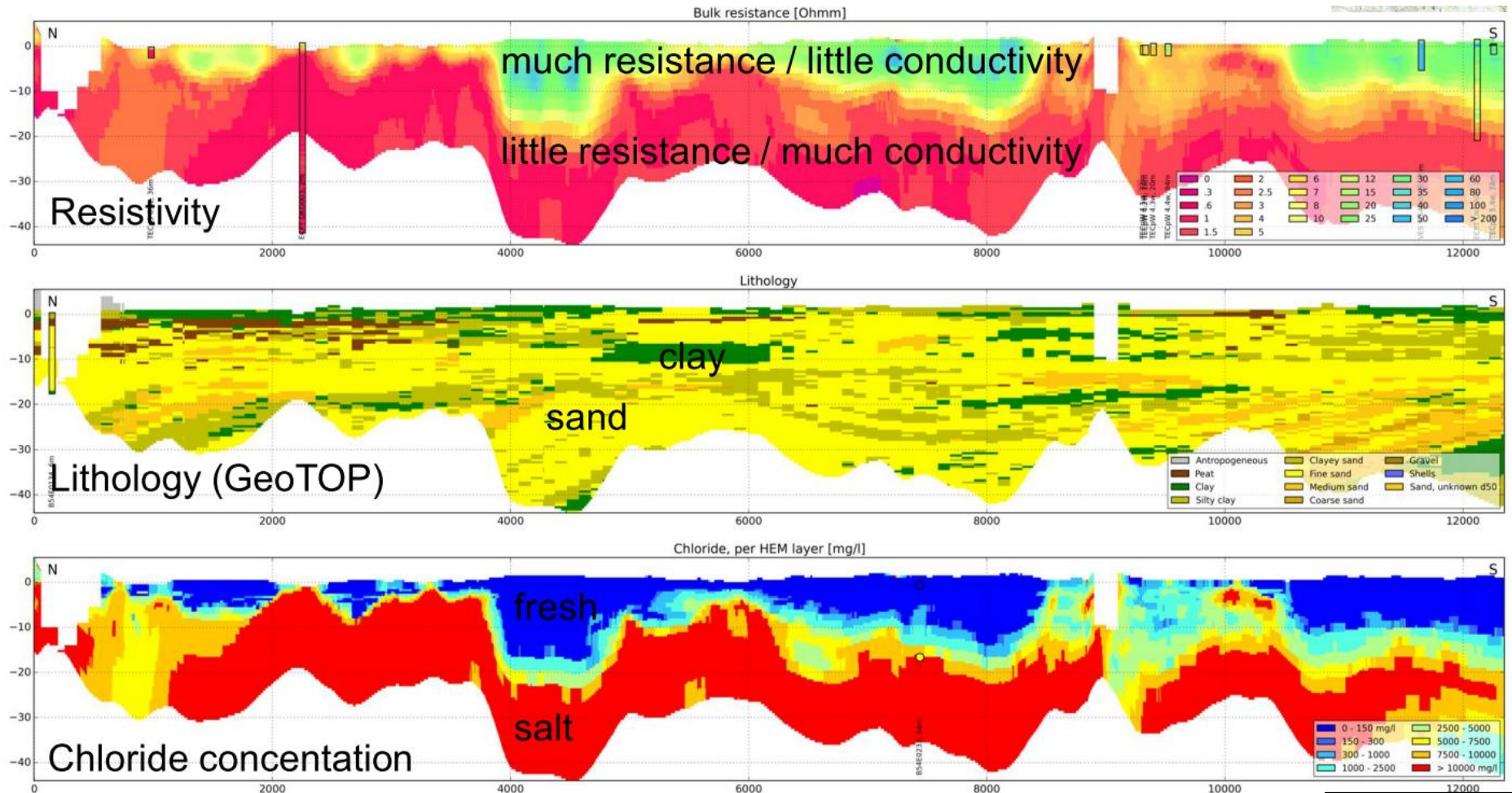
TNO innovation for life

BGR

Deltares
Enabling Delta Life



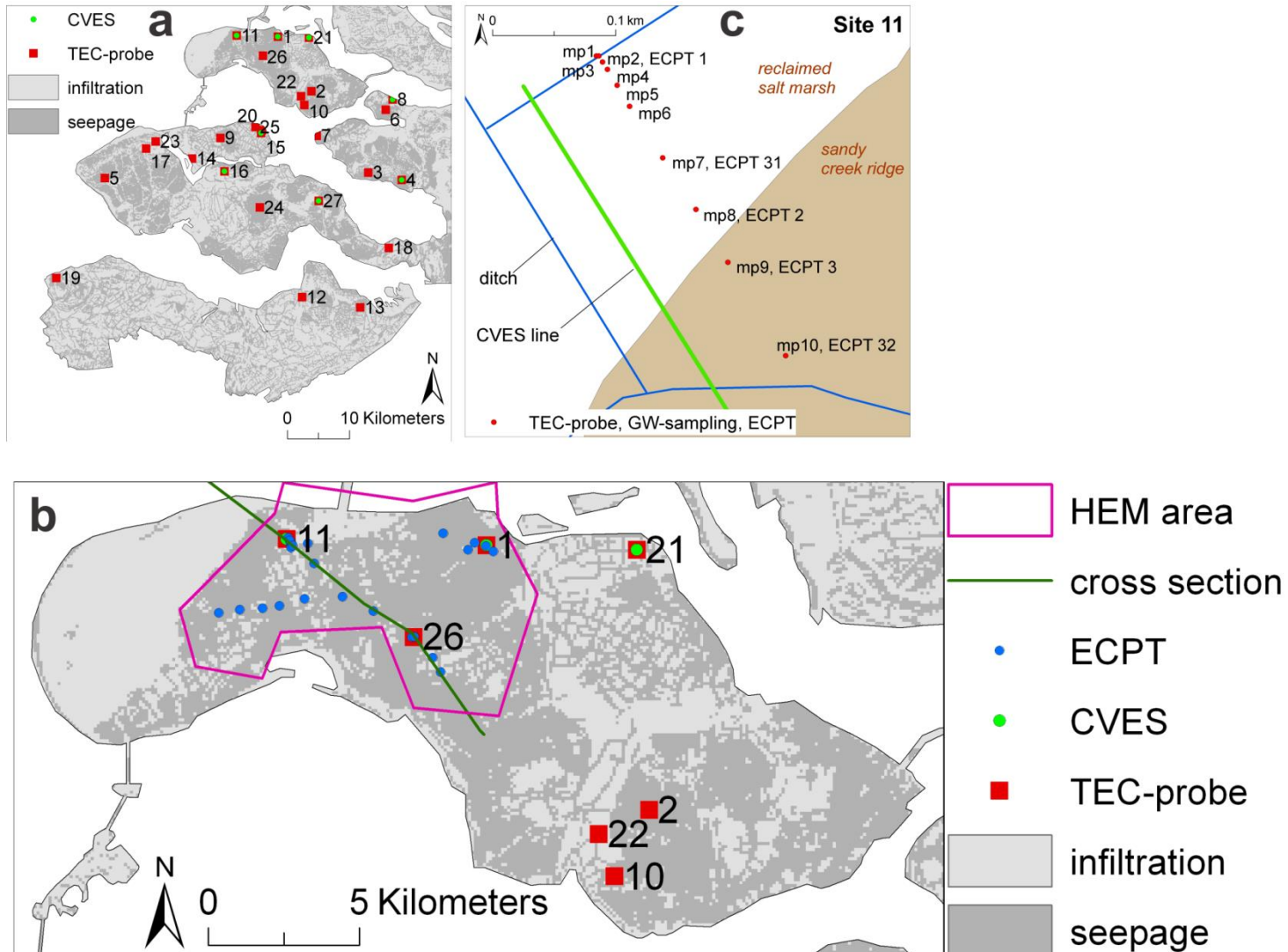
Example NL, Zeeland, project FRESHEM



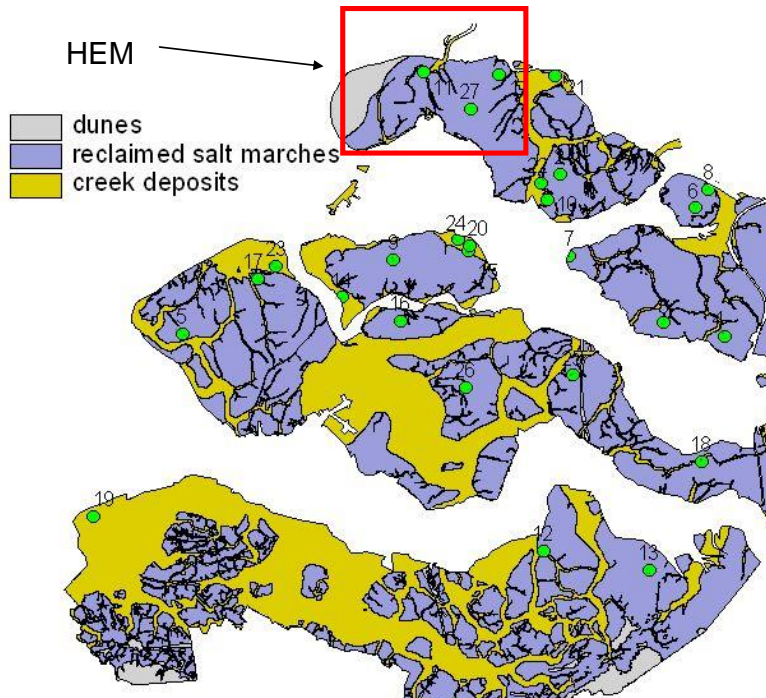
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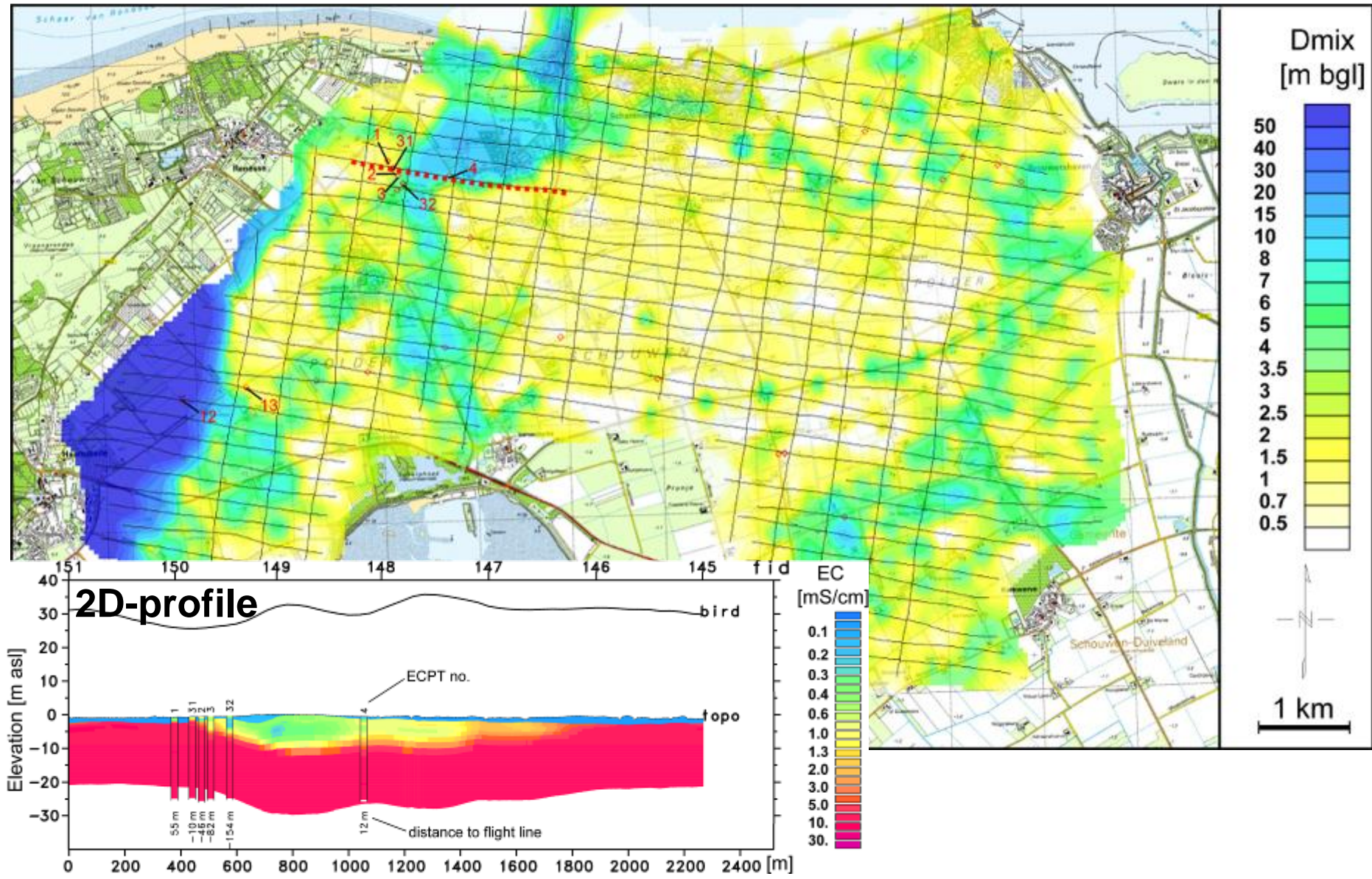
Combining monitoring techniques



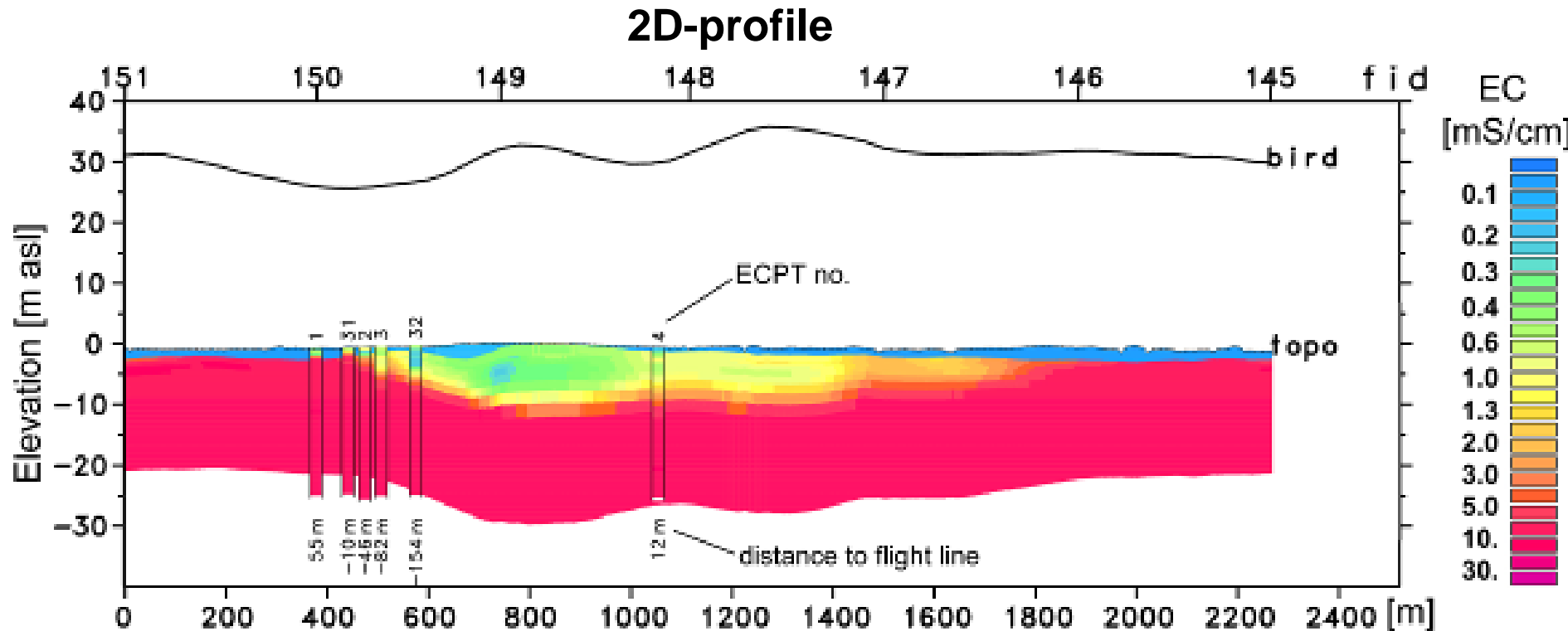
Helicopter-EM data for mapping fresh-saline groundwater



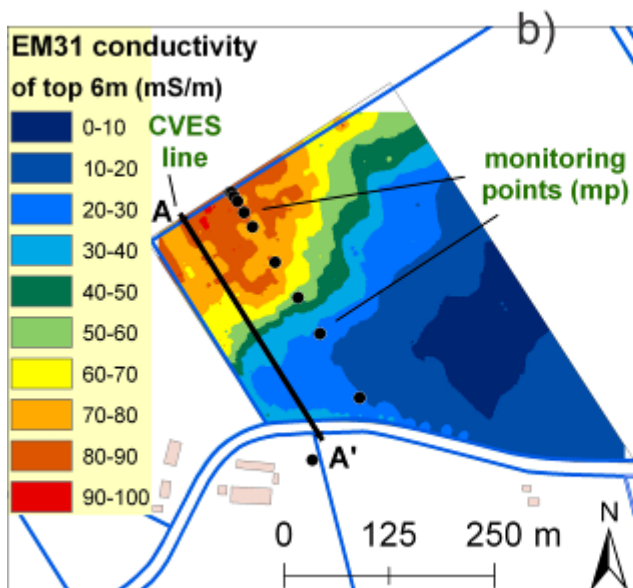
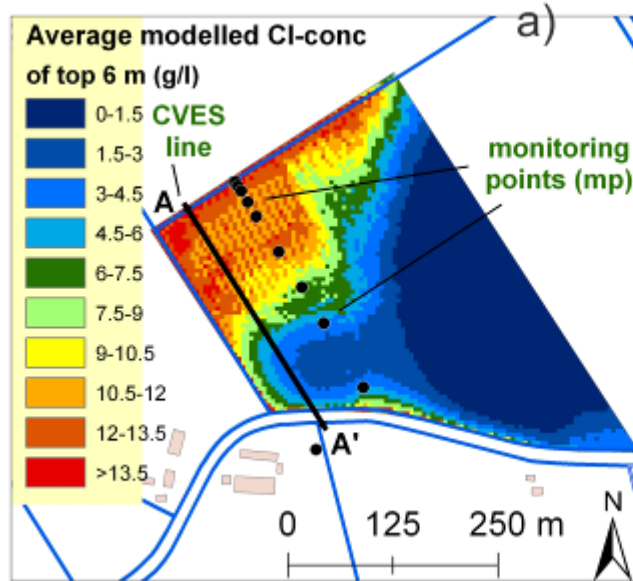
Thickness rainwater lens (D_{mix}) by HEM



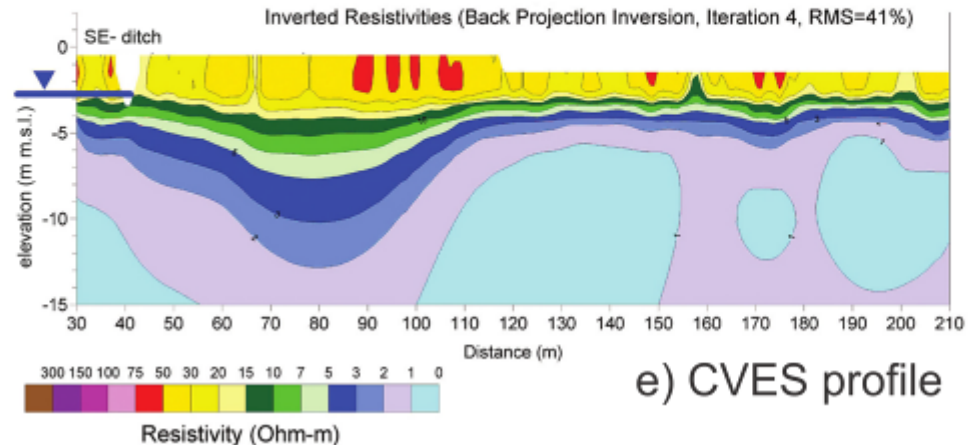
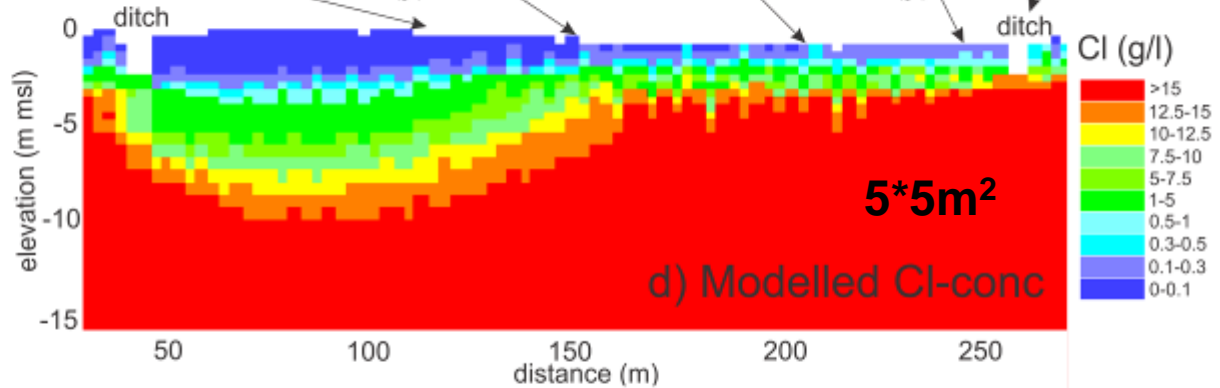
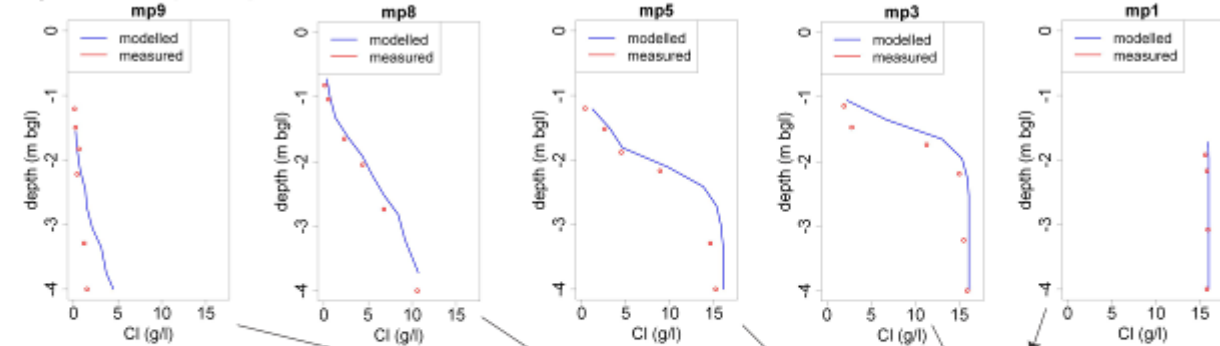
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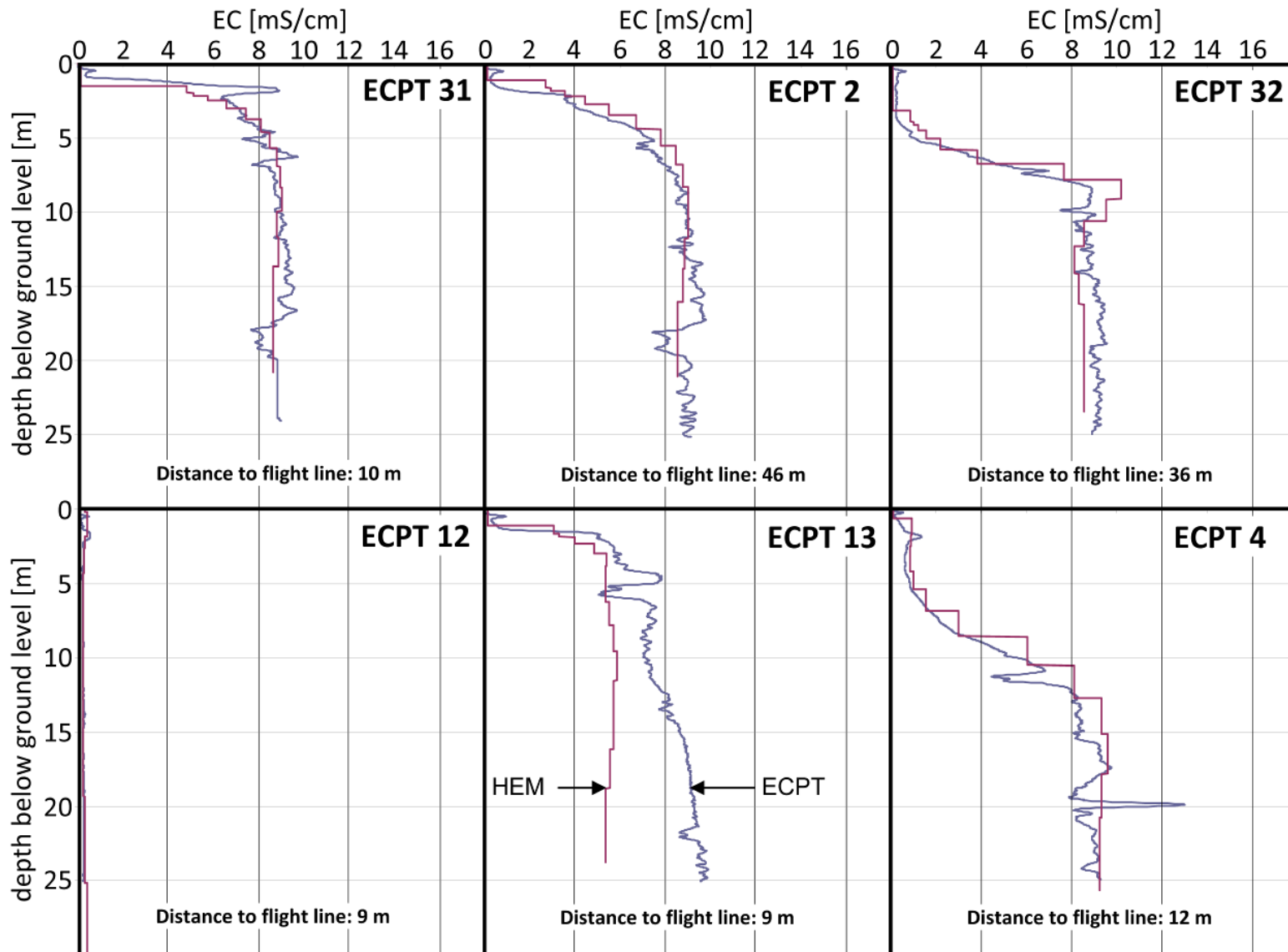
Comparison monitoring data with model results



c) Cl-depth profiles

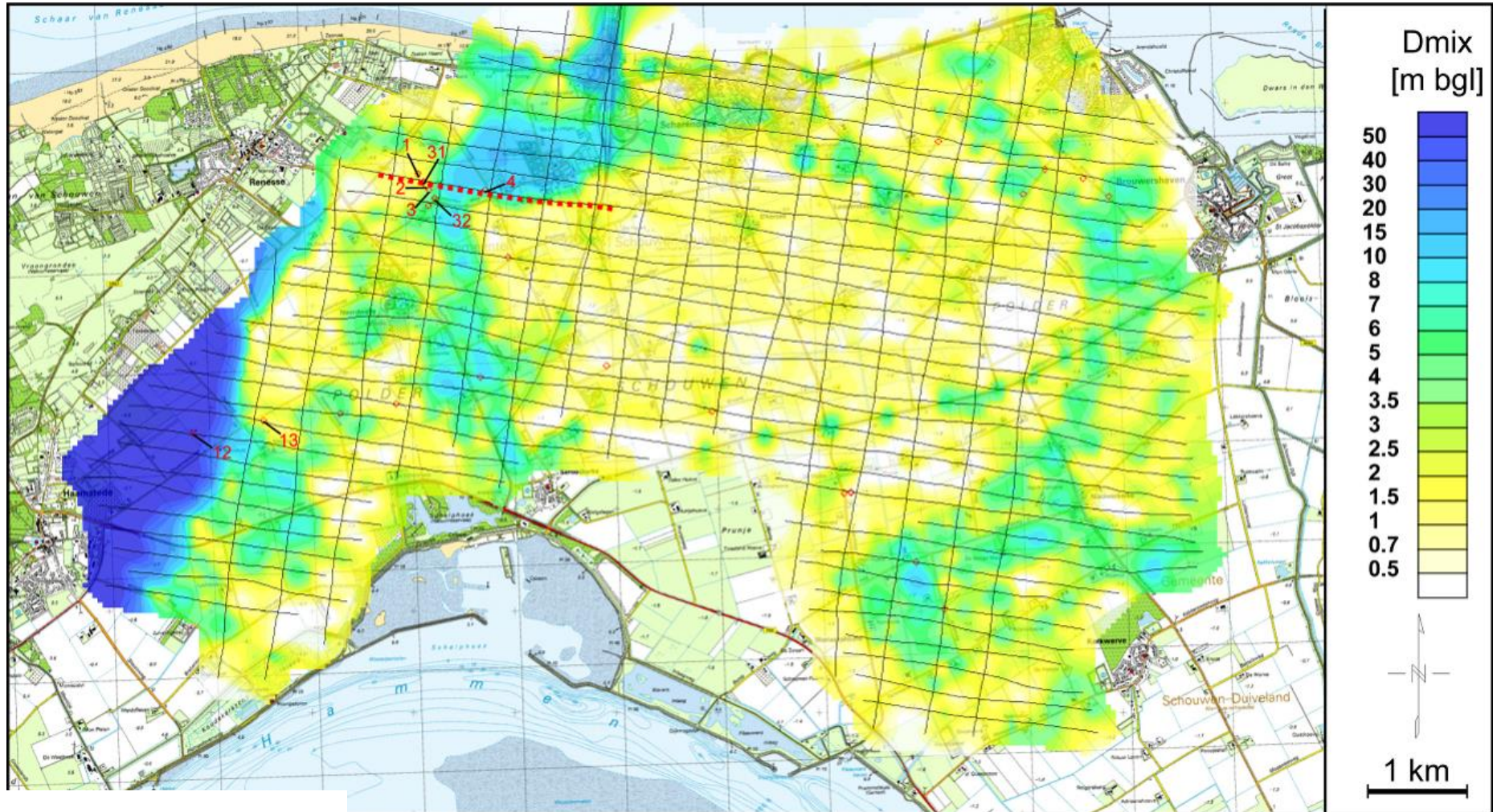


Comparison HEM - ECPT



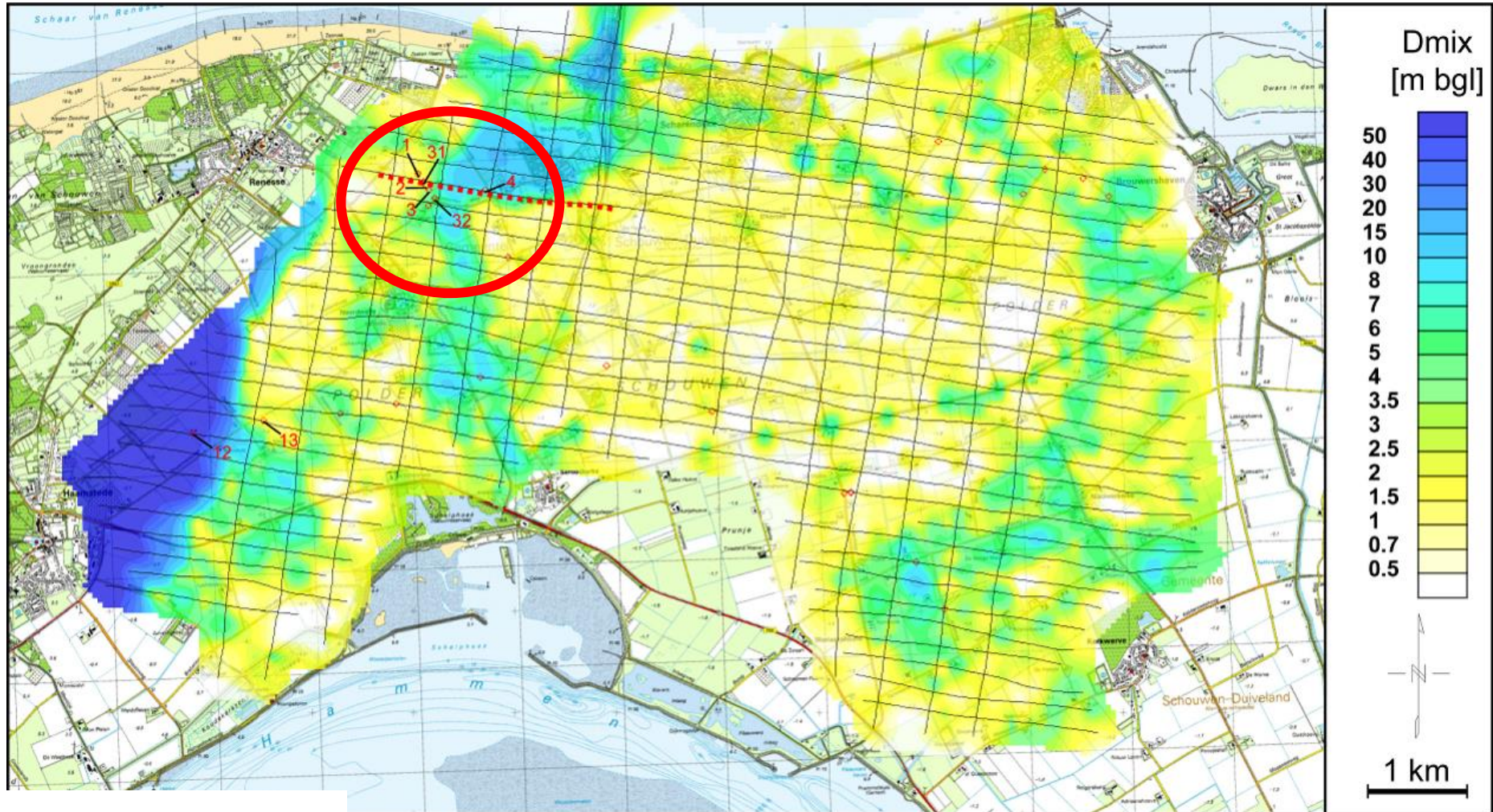
Rainwater lens thickness (D_{mix} = average position mixing zone)

mapped with HEM



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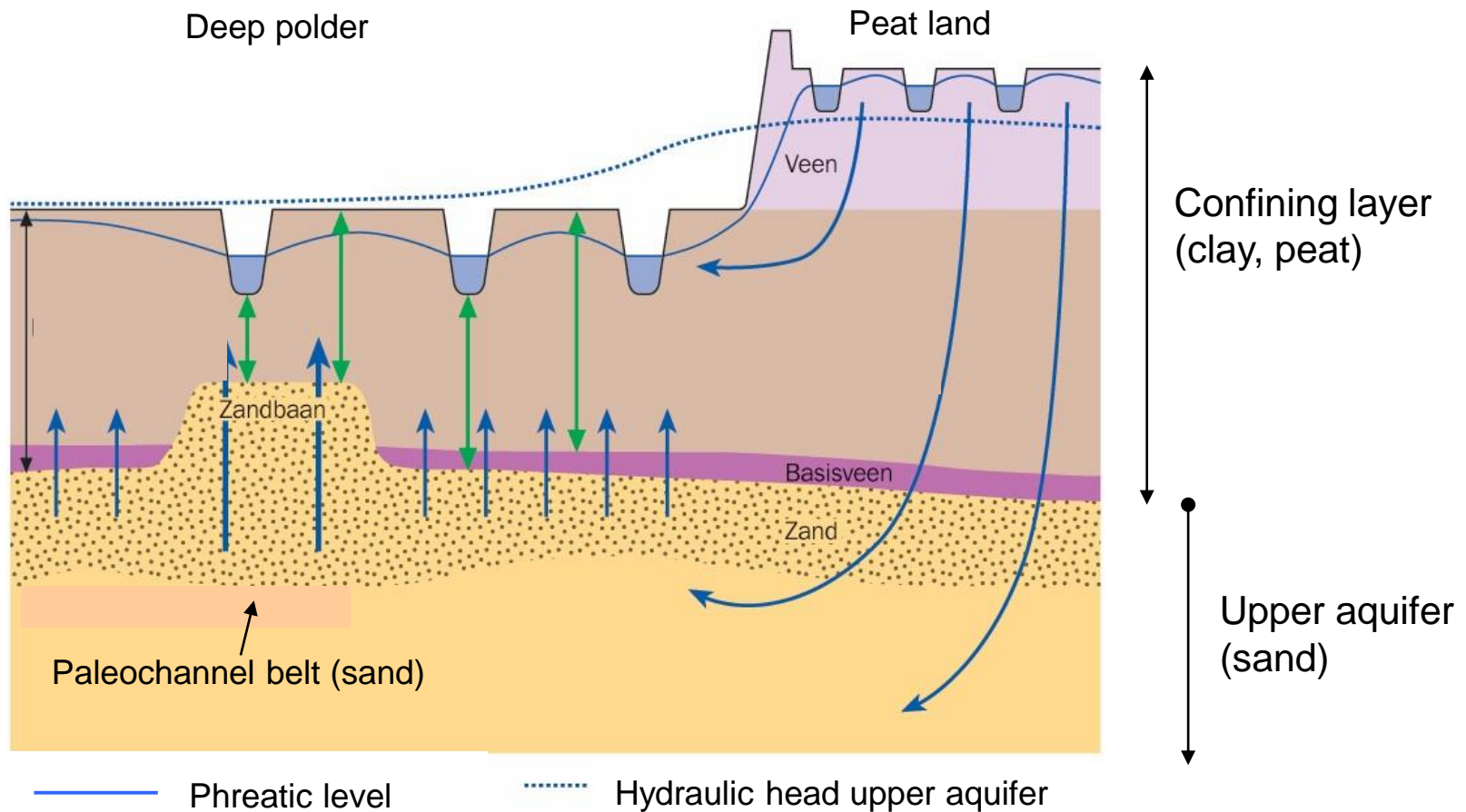
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Salty boils

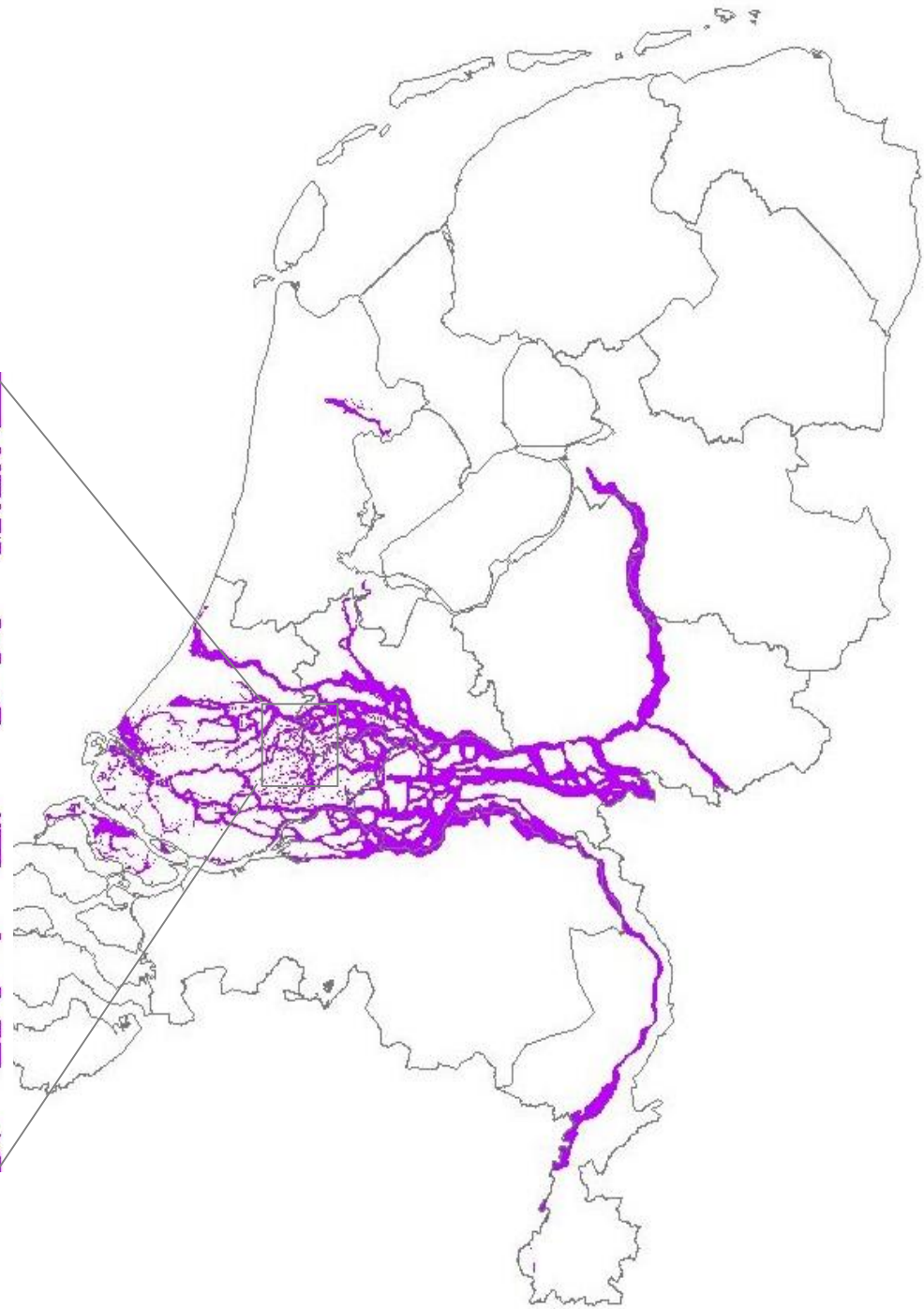
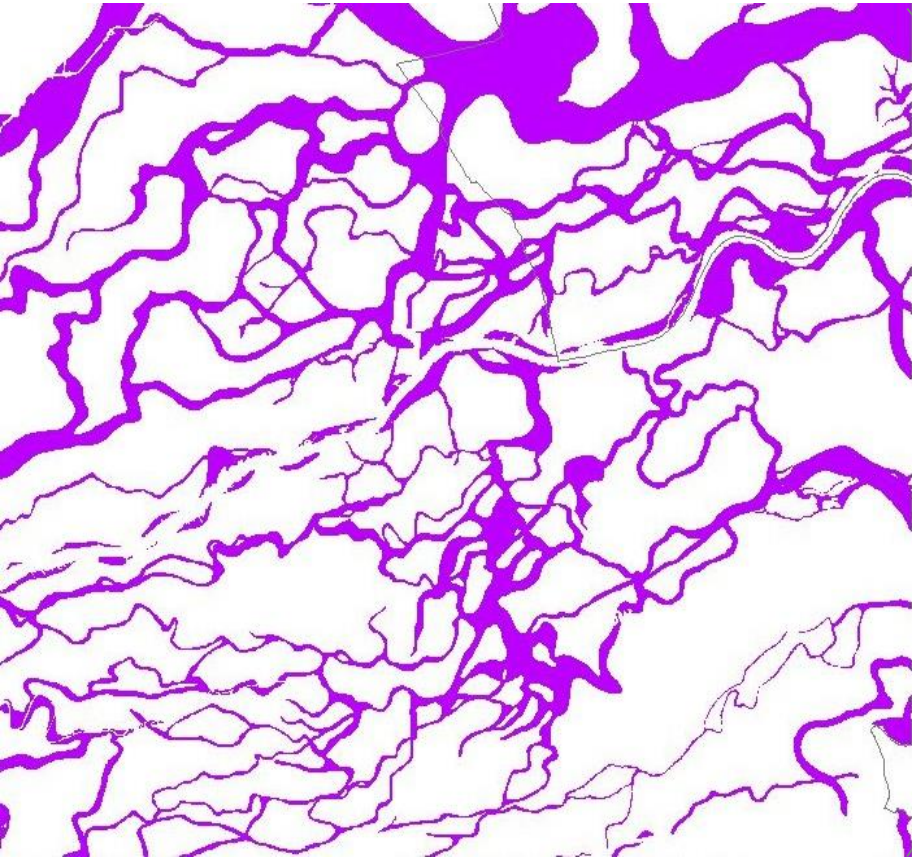
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Upward groundwater seepage in a deep polder and paleochannel belts as preferential flow paths

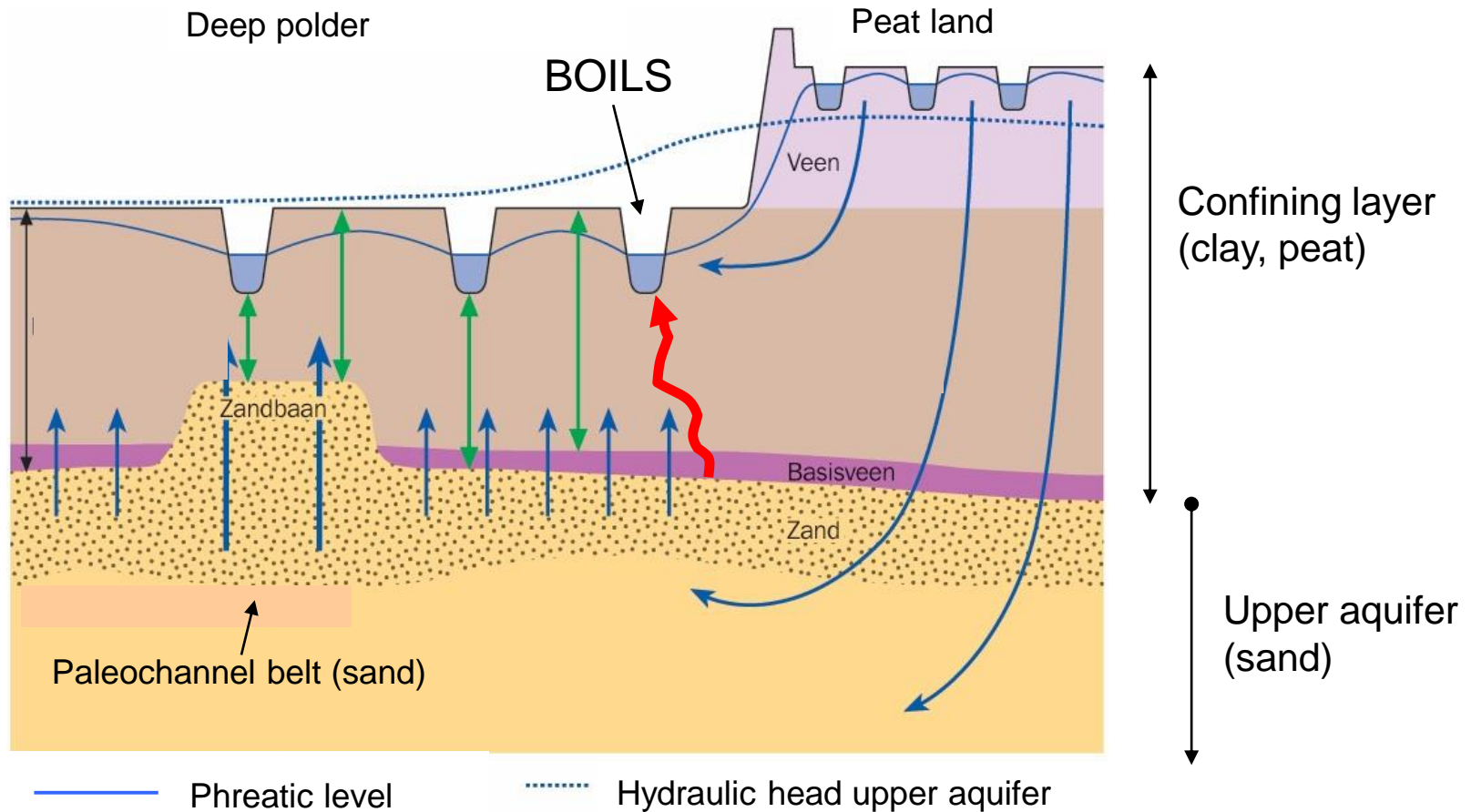


(Burried)

Paleochannel belts



Preferential seepage via boils



Preferential saline seepage via boils

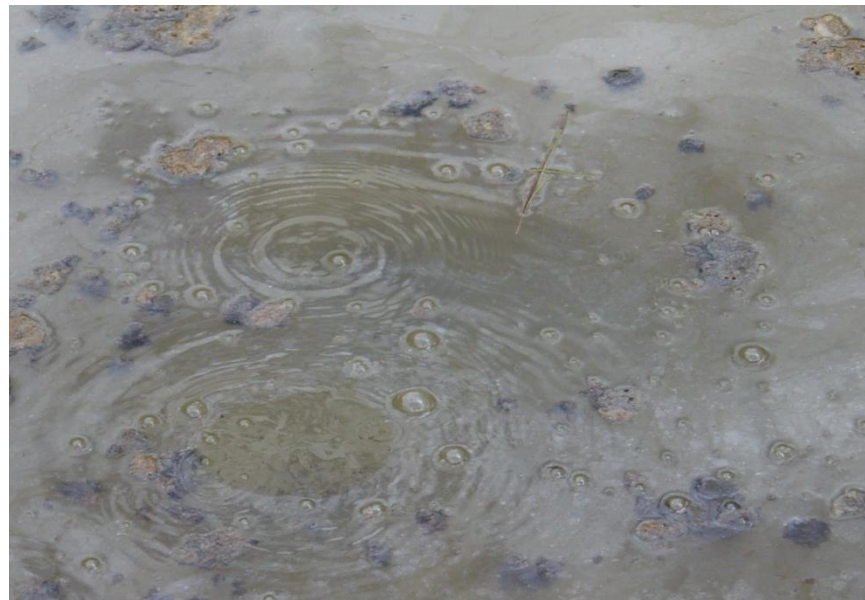




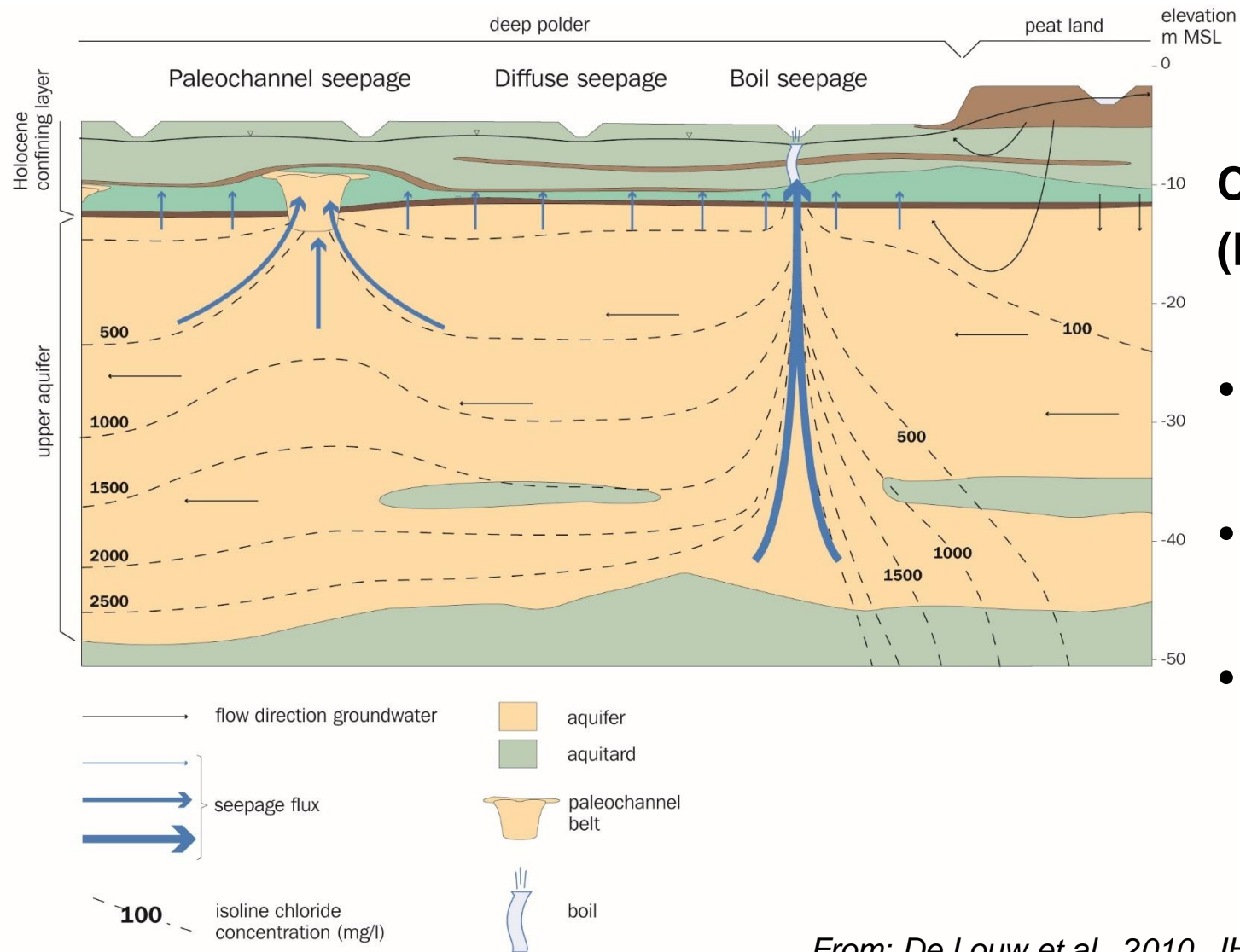
'Wells' (weak spots in Holocene layer)



Preferential saline seepage via boils



Three types of upward groundwater seepage



Cl-conc seepage: (Polder Noordplas)

- Diffuse :
100 mg/l
- Paleochannel :
600 mg/l
- Boils :
1100 mg/l

From: De Louw et al., 2010, JHydr.

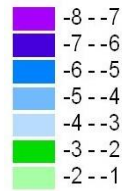




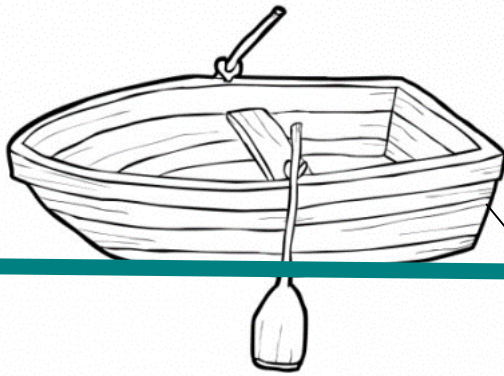
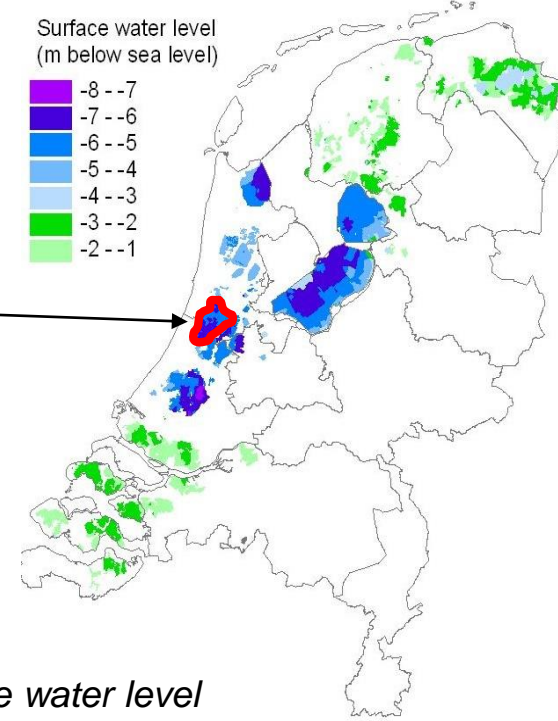


Continuous T and EC monitoring of surface water while sailing

Surface water level
(m below sea level)



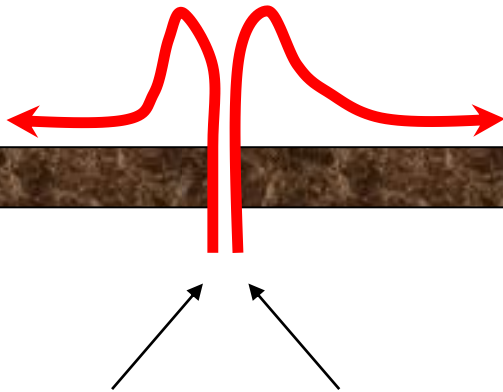
Haarlemmermeer
Polder



Surface water level

T, EC sensor, GPS

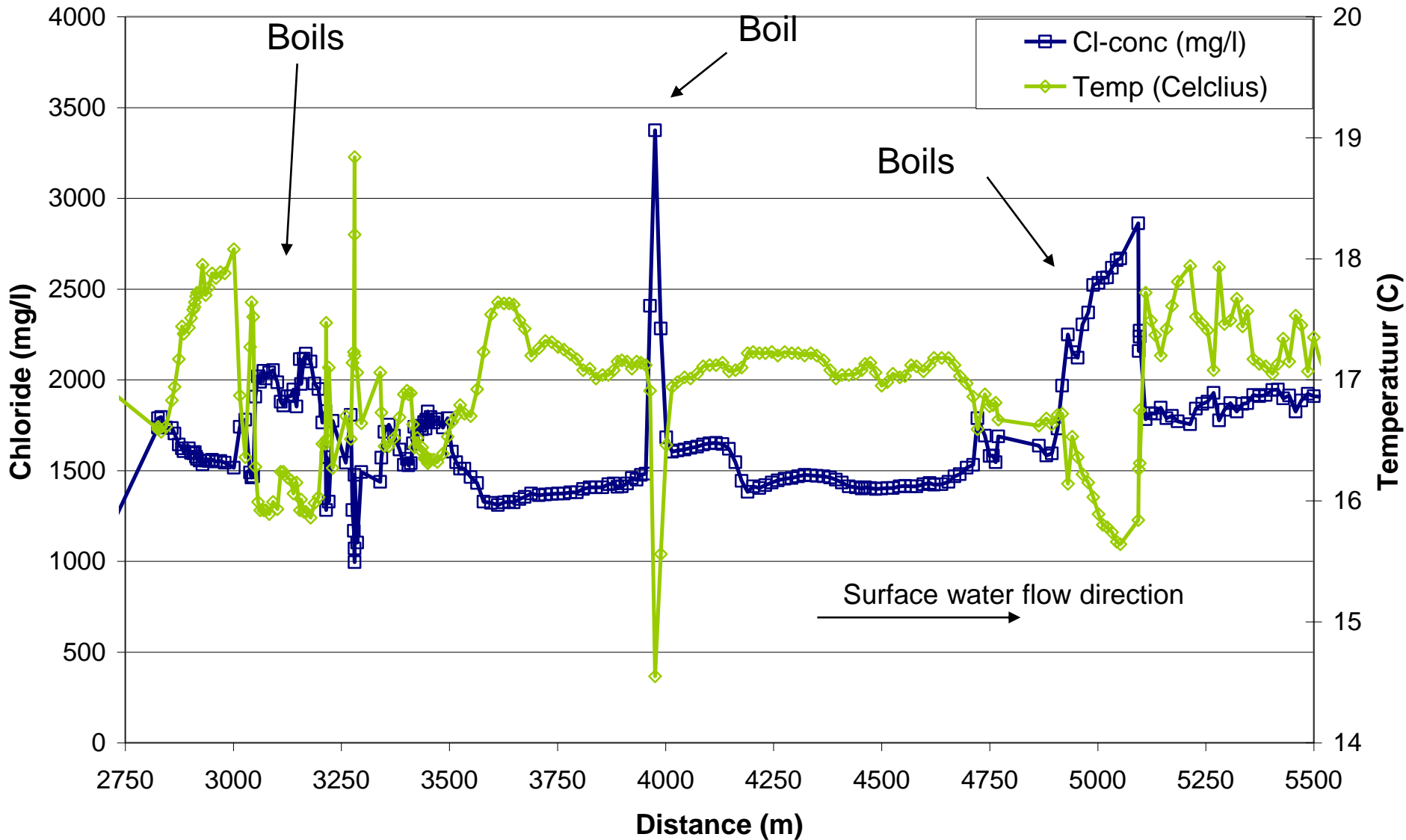
BOIL

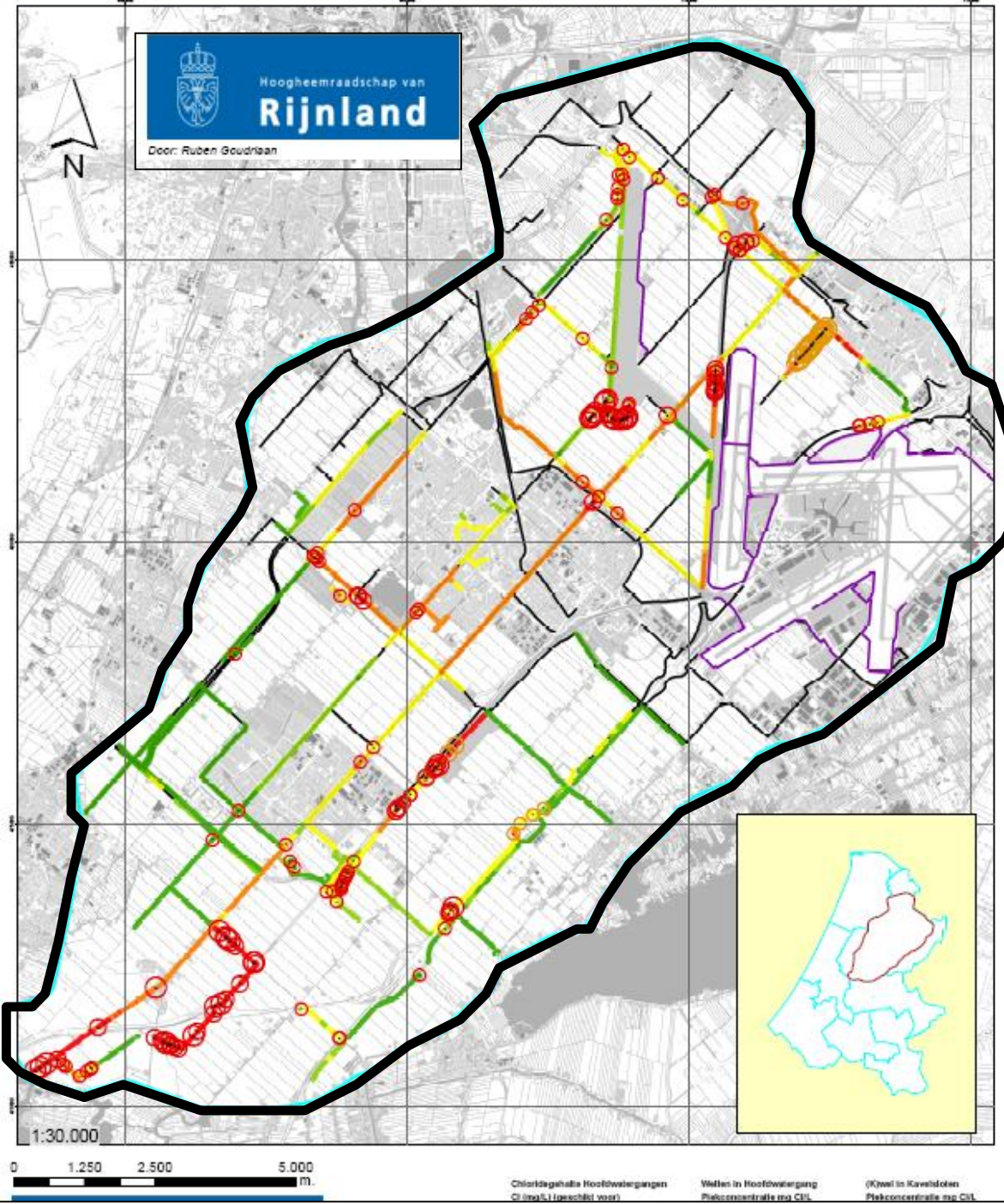


Ditch bottom



T and EC measurements in surface water (canal)





Mapped boils and Cl-conc. surface water

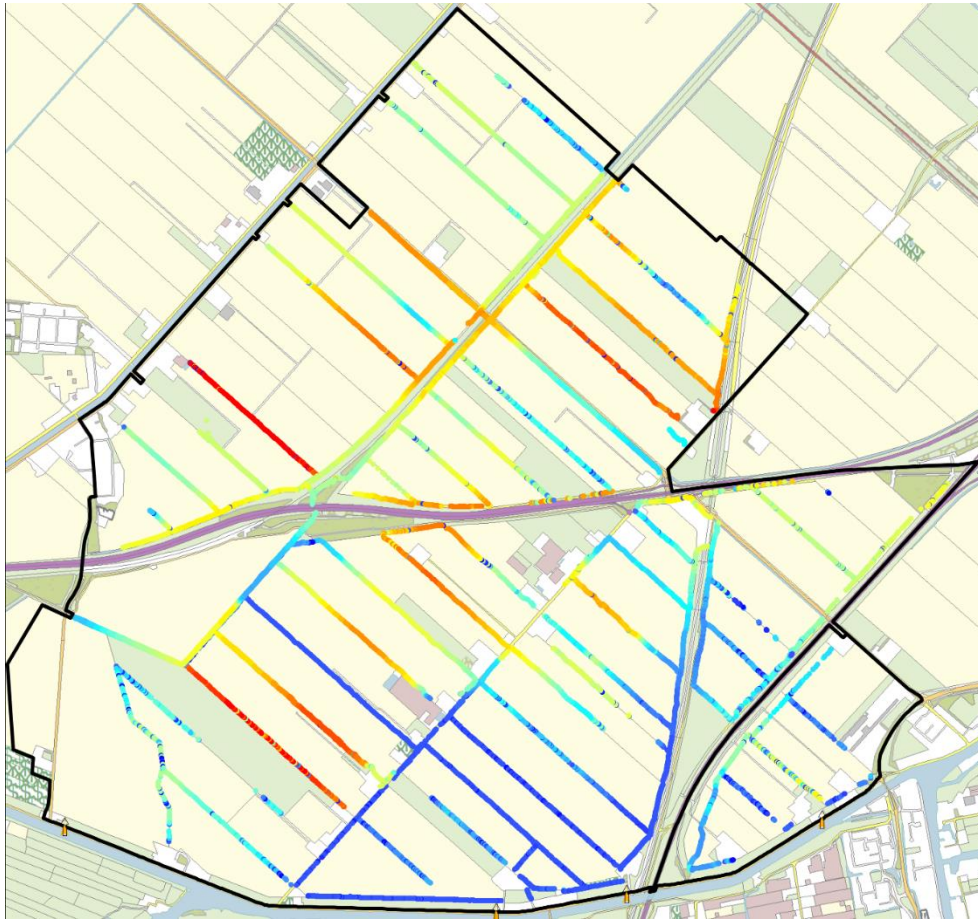
Boils

- Cl = 500 -2000 mg/l
- Cl > 2000 mg/l

Cl-conc surface water

- 0-300 mg/l
- 300-600 mg/l
- 600-1000 mg/l
- > 1000 mg/l

Monitoring salt in ditches: *simple can be smart too*

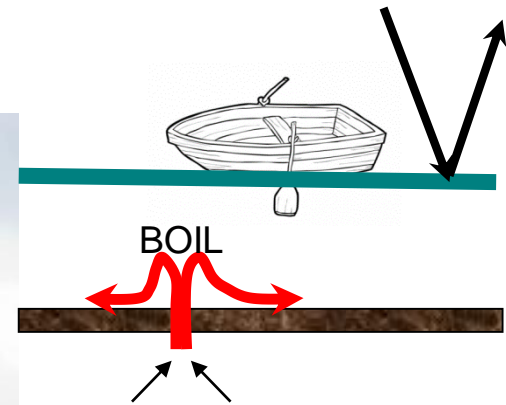


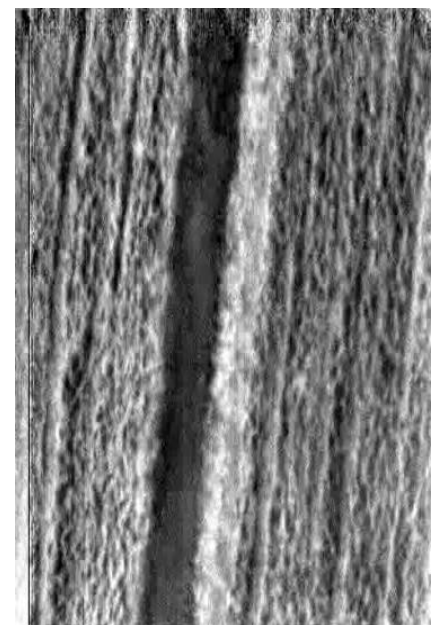
- 70 km ditches...
- **blauw**: ~150 mg/l
- **oranje**: ~1500 mg/l
- **rood**: > 3000 mg/l



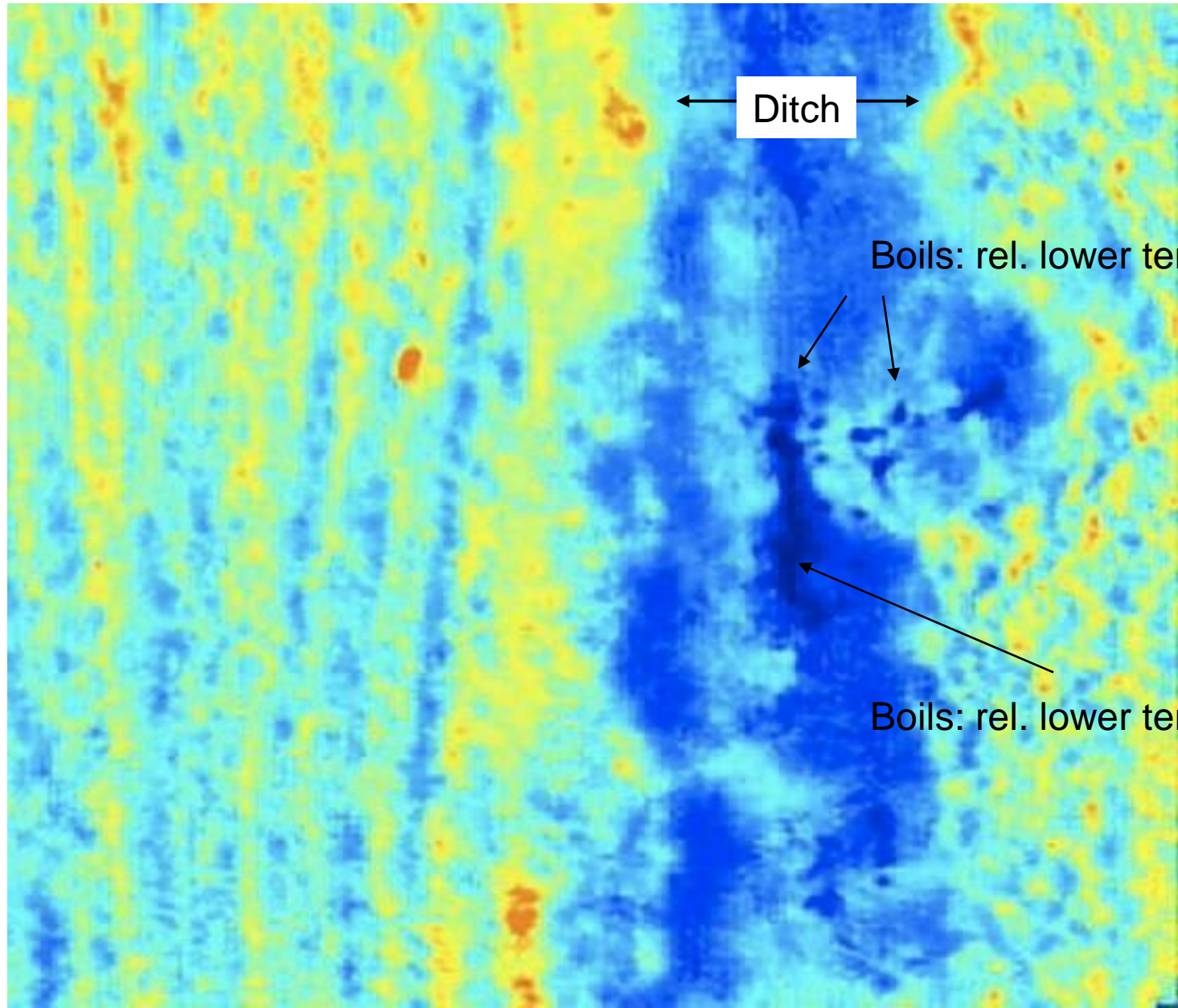
LARS technology (TNO Industry): Thermal Infra-red

- Altitude: 0-150 m
- Temp-detection using Thermal Infra Red sensors (only surface !)





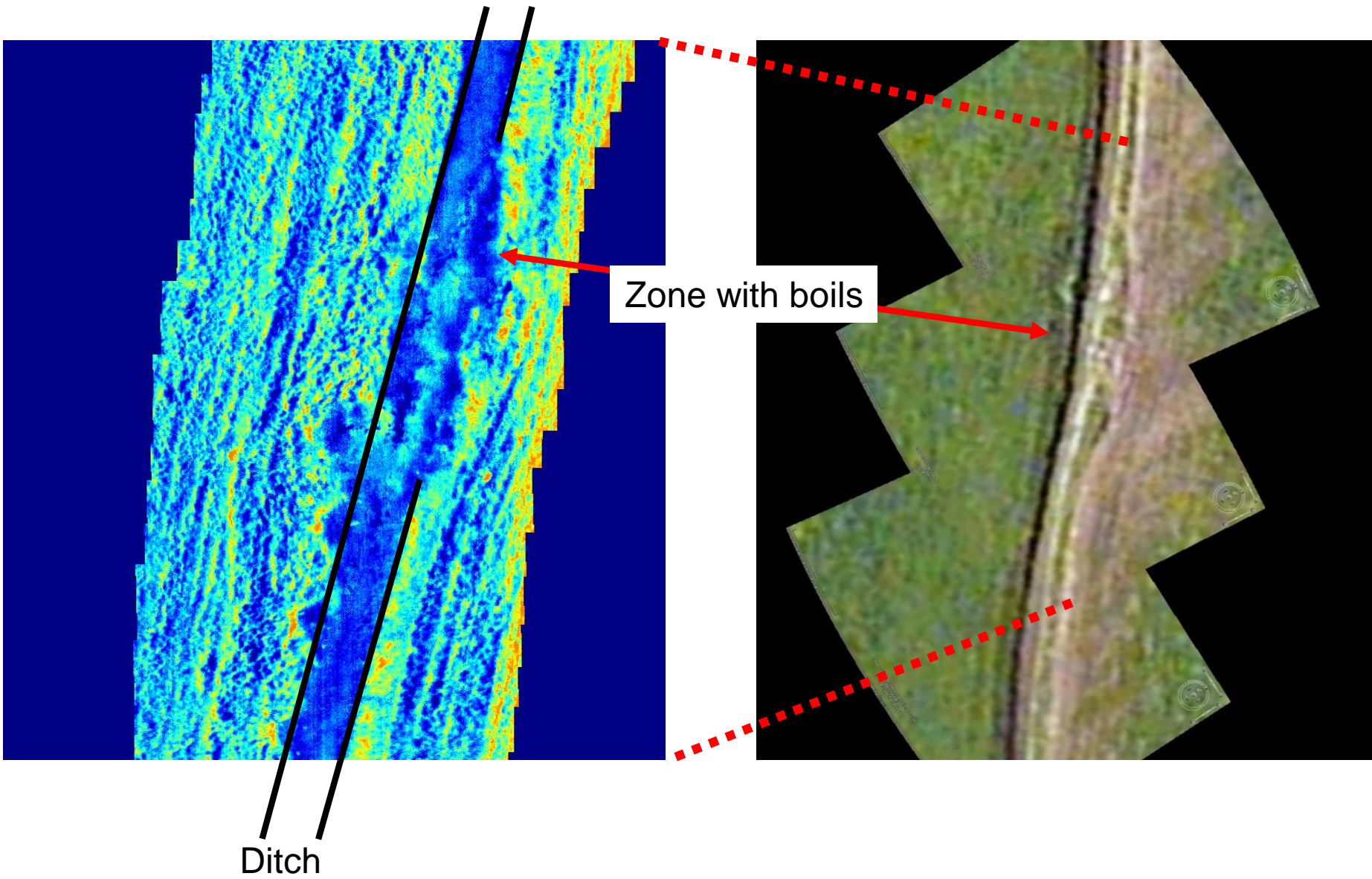
Thermal infra-red results (blue is cold, red is warm)



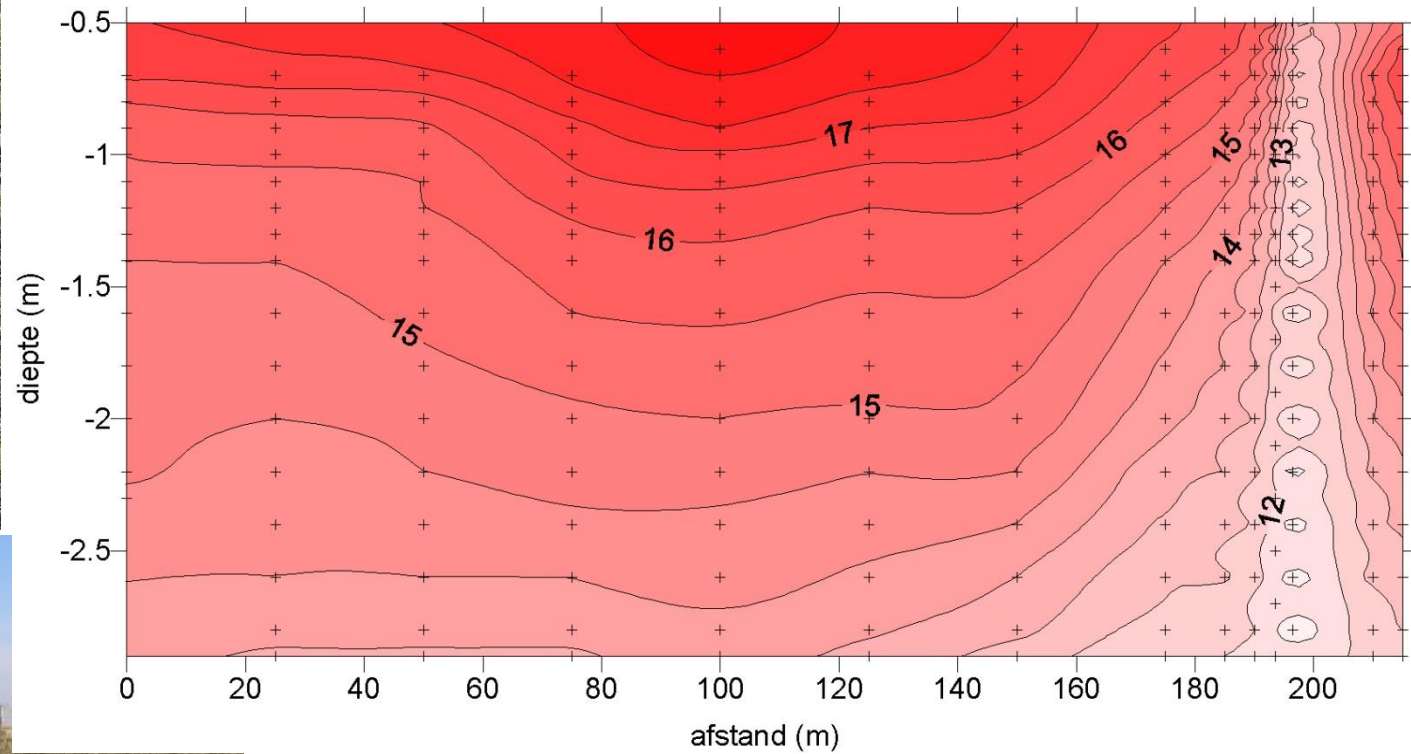
Ditch

Boils: rel. lower temp 1-2 C°

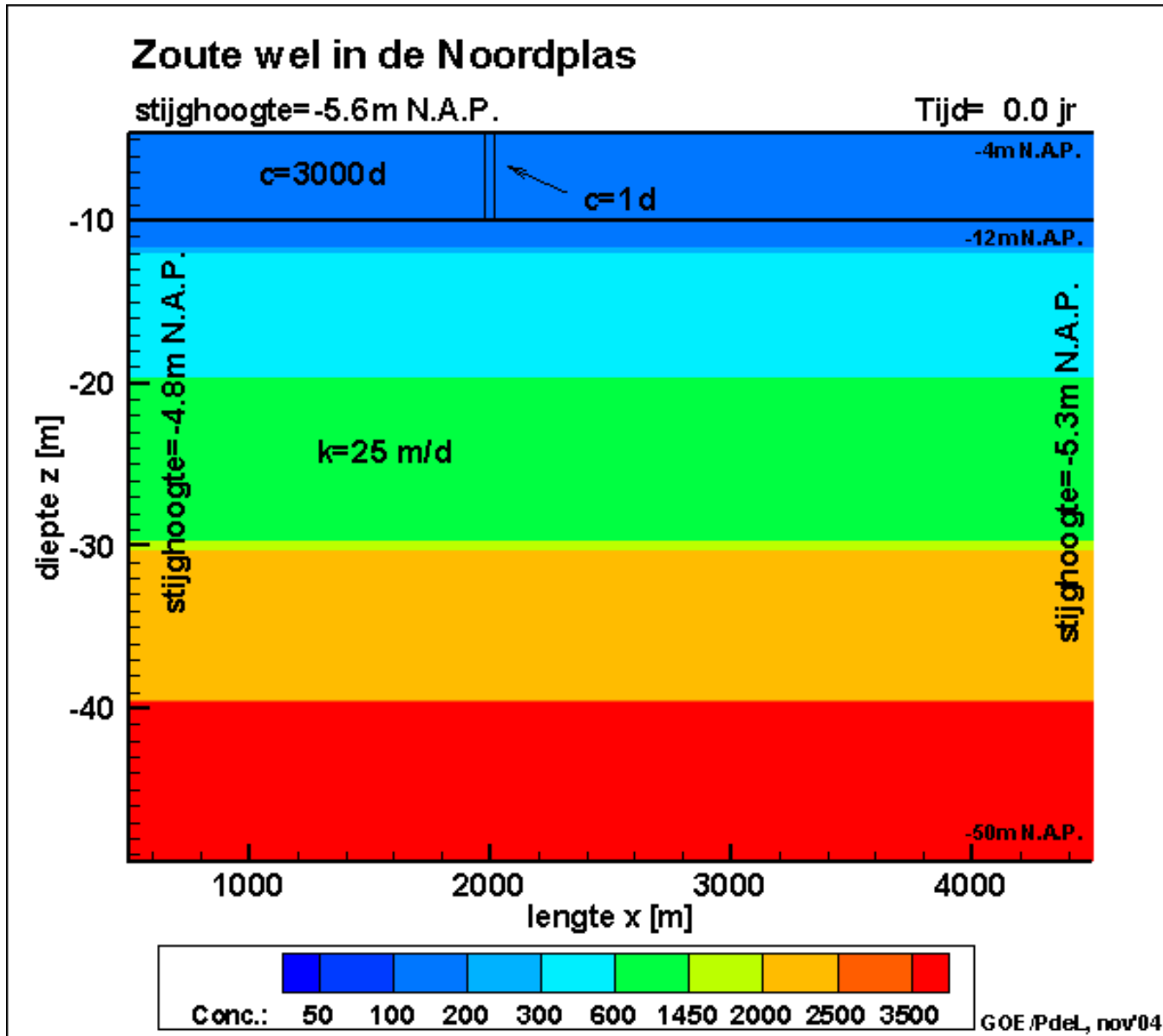
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Temperature measurements



Simulation of salt groundwater towards wells

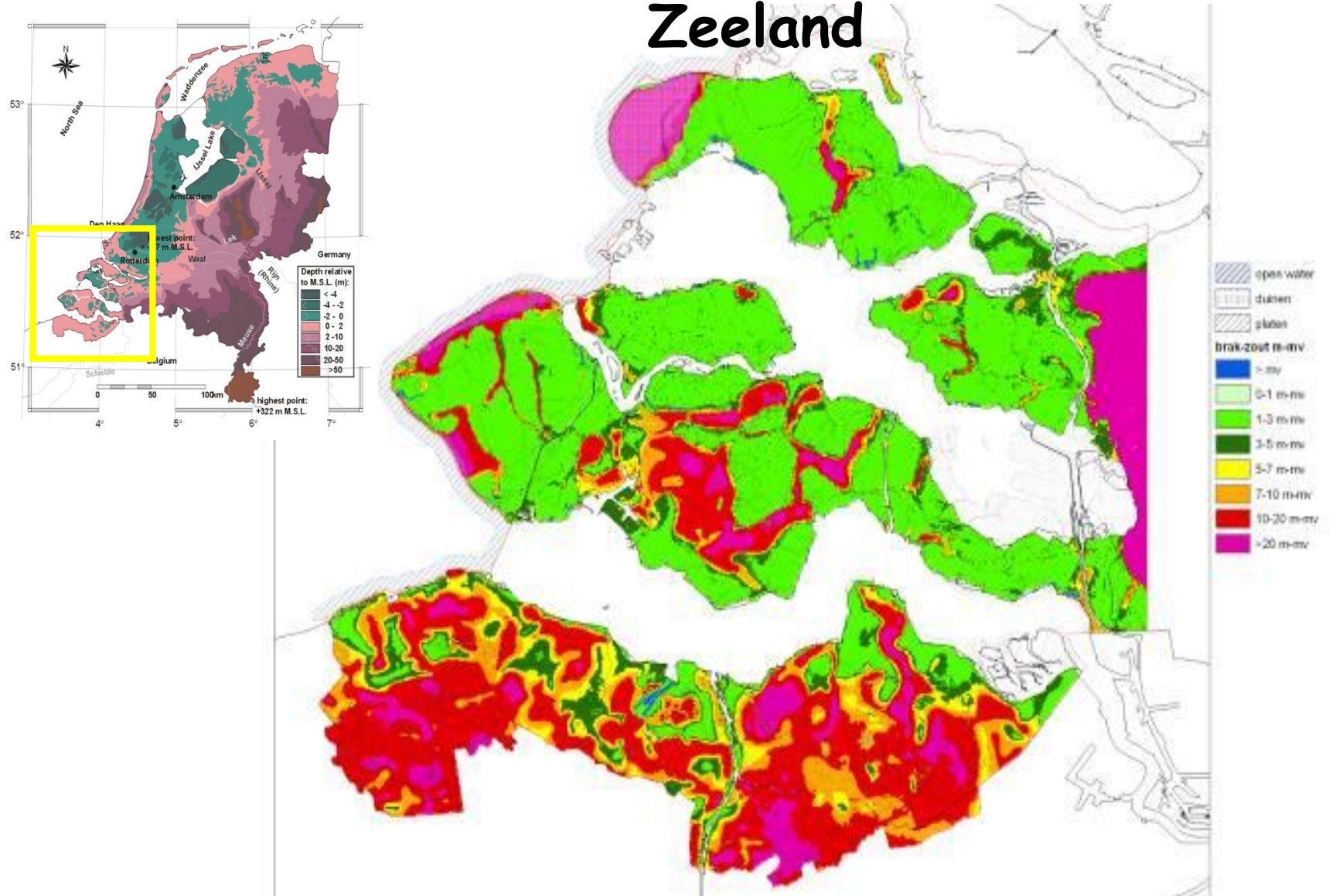


Rainwater lenses in an agricultural setting

Shallow dynamic freshwater bodies flowing upon brackish-saline groundwater

- density dependent
- dynamics: seasonal & long-year

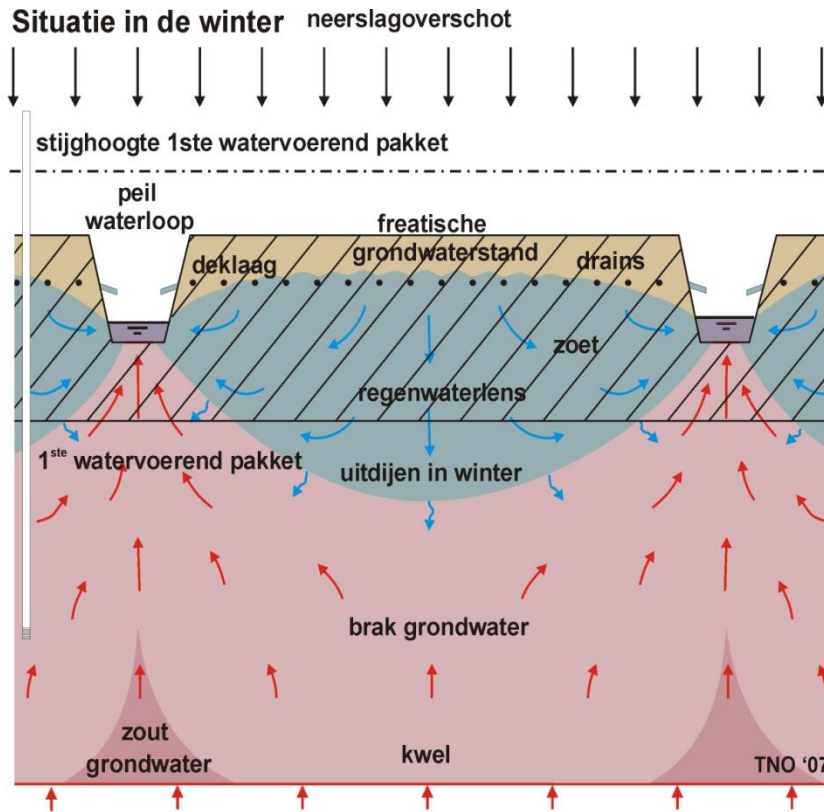
Salinisation of the phreatic groundwater in Zeeland



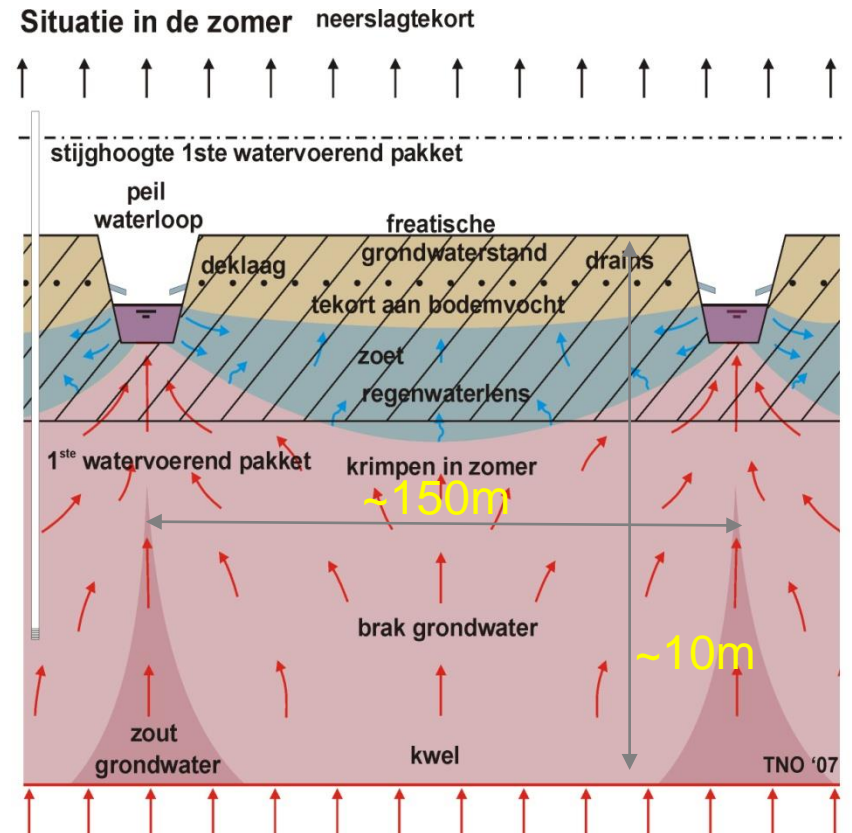
Position of brackish-saline interface

Salinisation of the phreatic groundwater in Zeeland

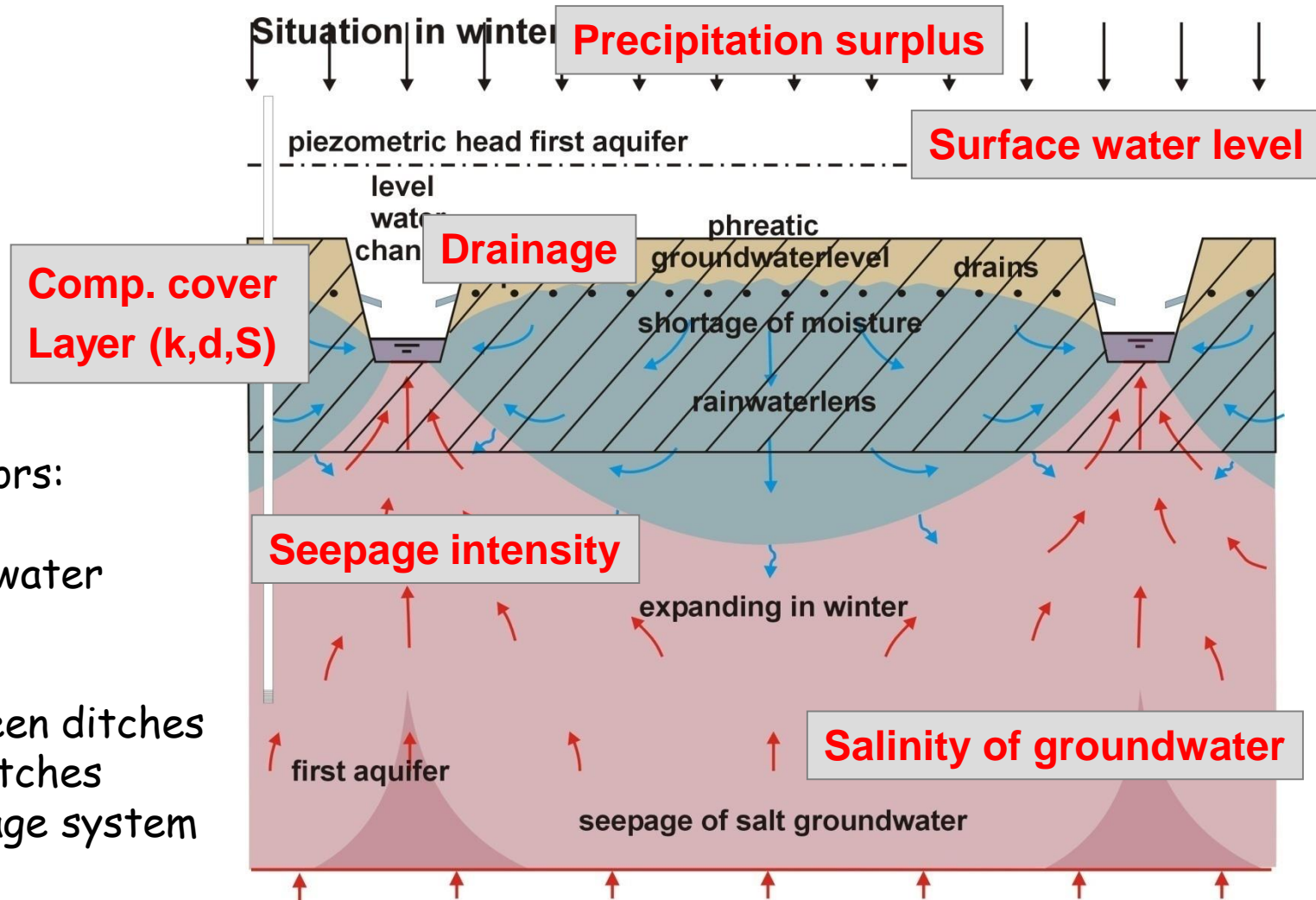
Dynamic rainwater lenses floating on saline groundwater



thickness rainwater lens varies due to the dynamics in seasonal and long-year natural groundwater recharge



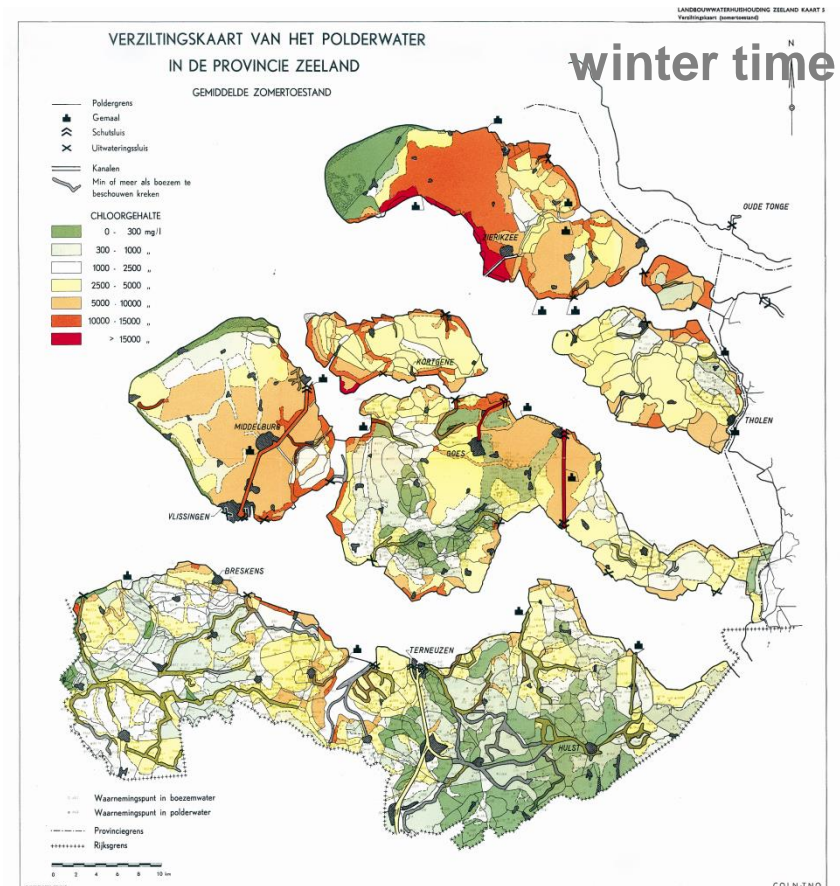
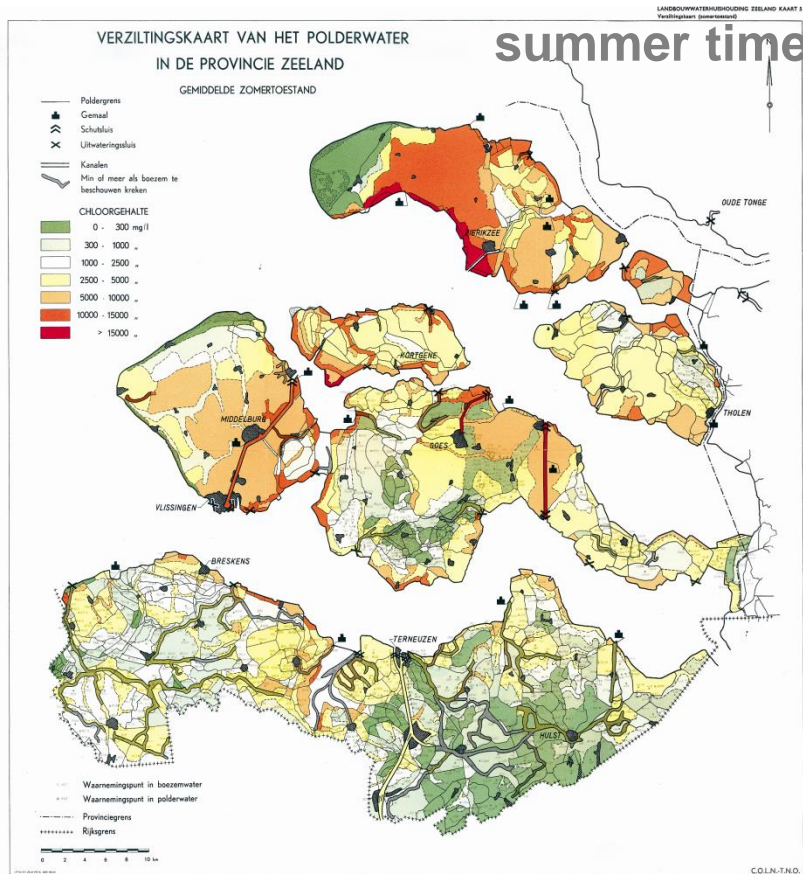
Factors controlling fresh-salt interface



Important factors:

- natural groundwater recharge
- geology
- distance between ditches
- water level ditches
- capacity drainage system

Salinisation surface water



Problem definition dynamic freshwater lenses



Salt in the agricultural plots originates from:

- surface water system (irrigation water)
- groundwater system (salt load to the root zone)

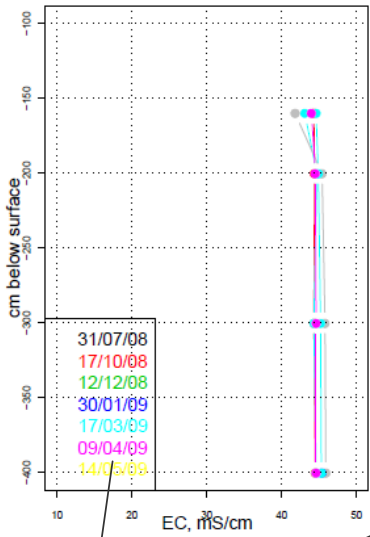
The salinisation will increase due to:

- sea level rise
- climate change
- water level management

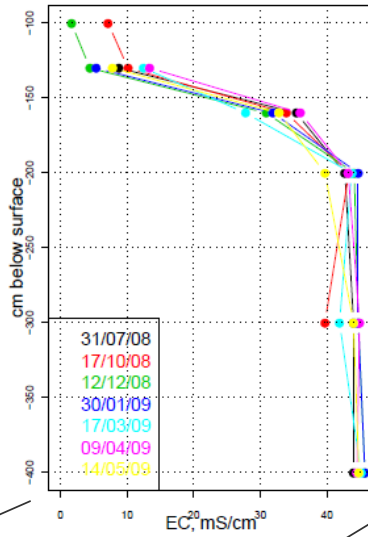




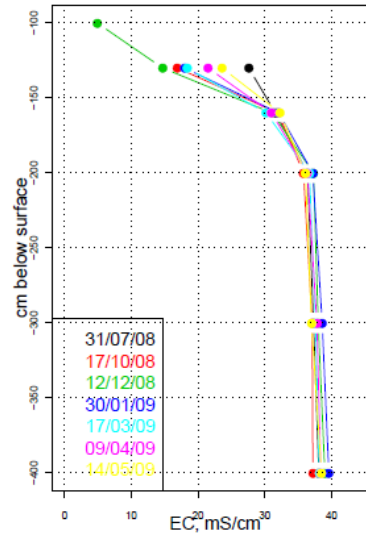
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EC locatie loc1

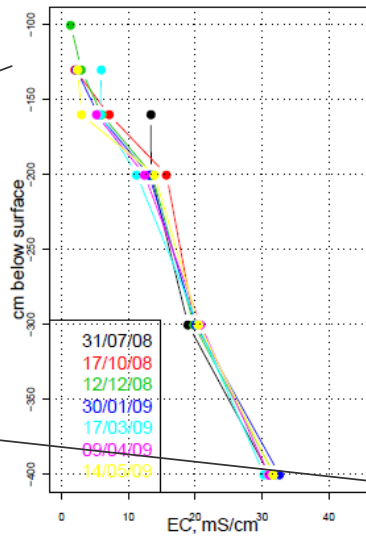


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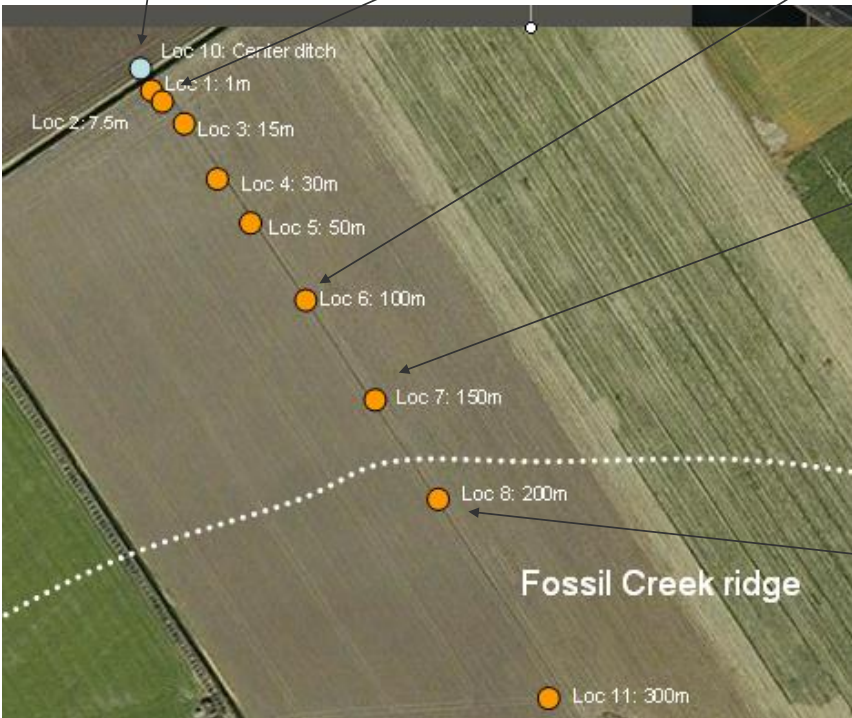
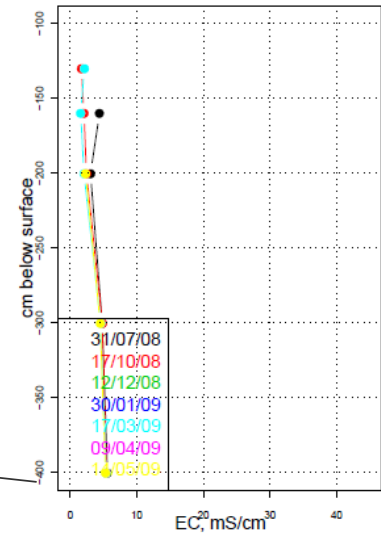


Salt distribution in time

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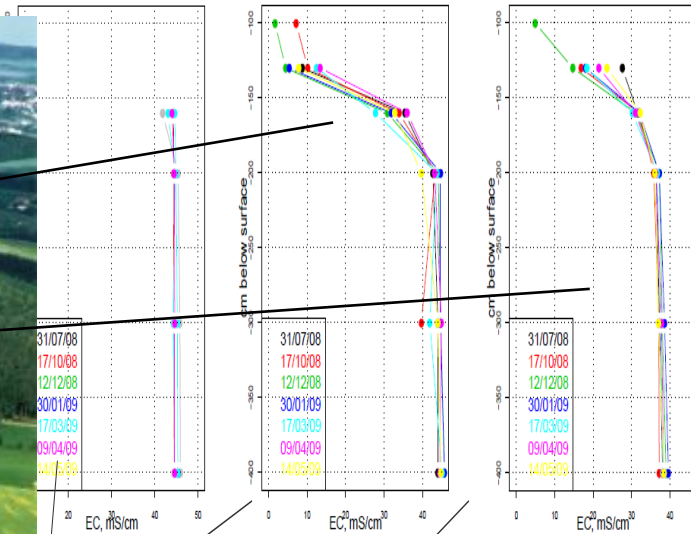
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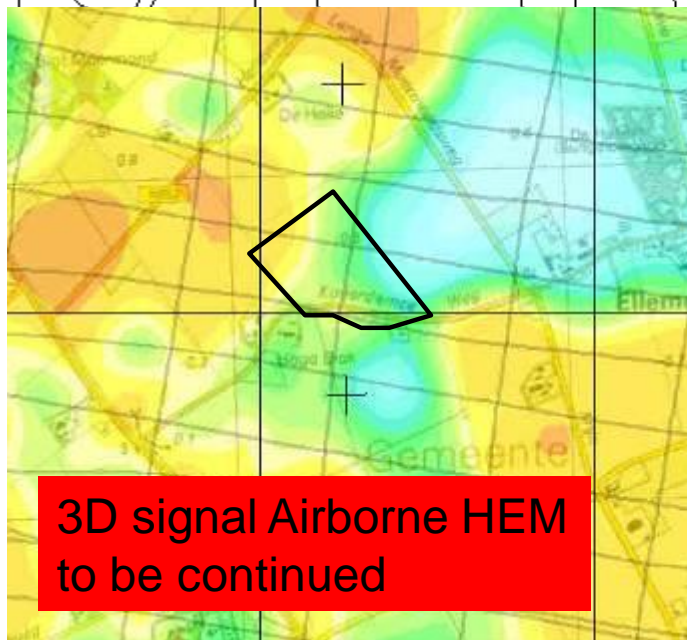
- TEC
- sampling
- EM31
- CVES
- HEM
- ECPT
- Numerical models (2D and 3D)

Comparison different monitoring techniques (1/5)

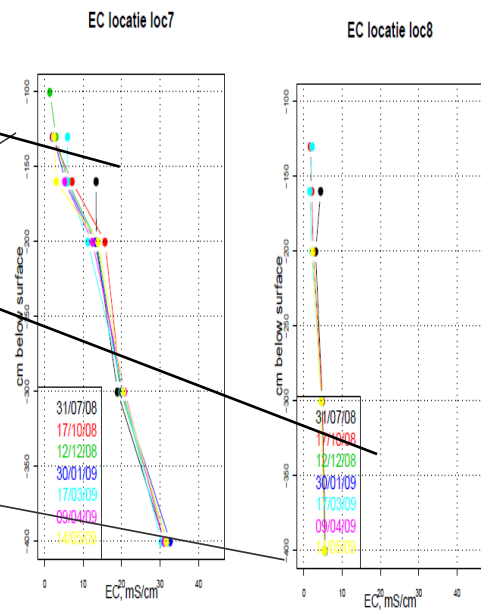
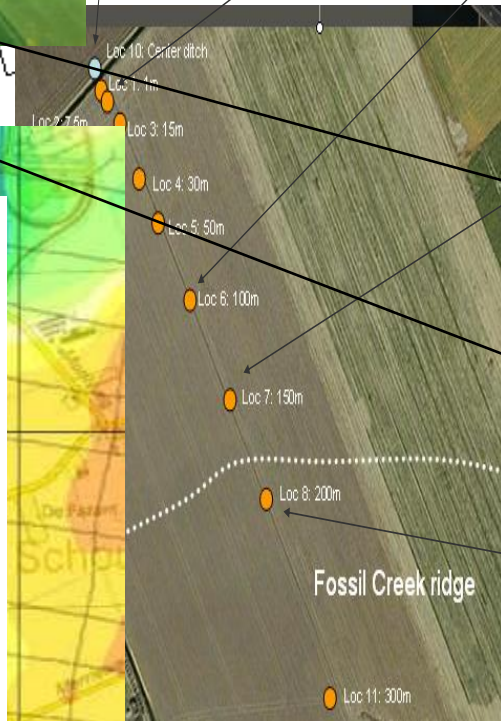
Geophysics
EM31



monitoring
Temperature
EC



3D signal Airborne HEM
to be continued



Local 3D model of the agricultural plot

Modelling:

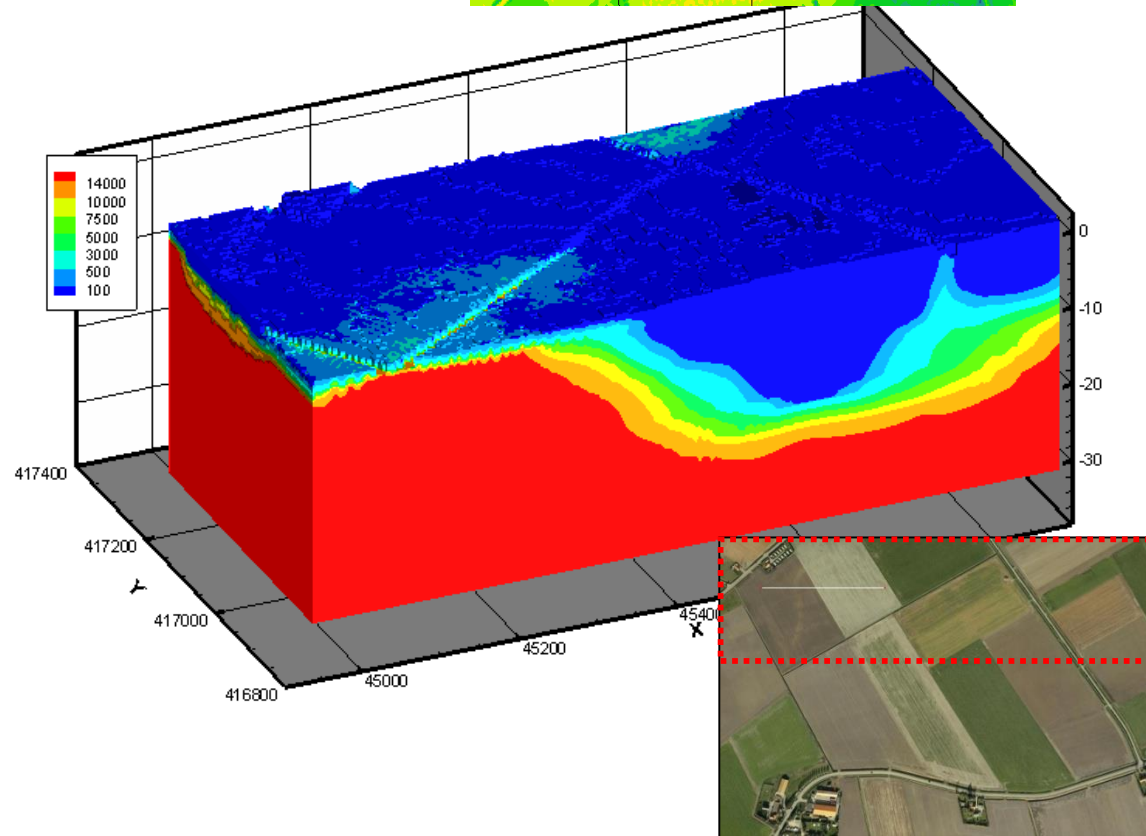
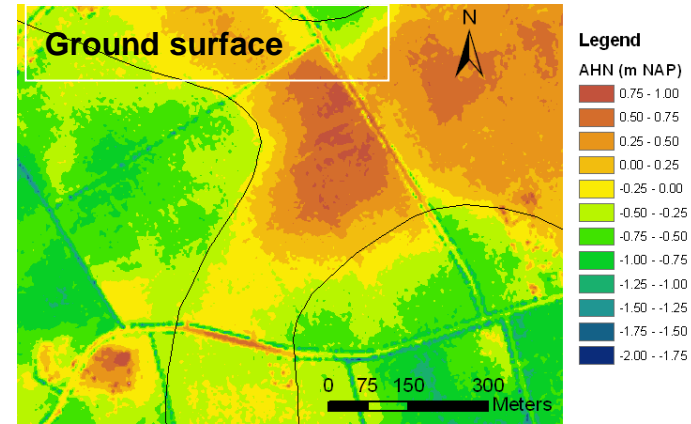
- variable-density
- 3D, non-steady
- groundwater flow & coupled solute transport
- model cell size: $5 \times 5 \text{m}^2$

Code:

MOCDENS3D

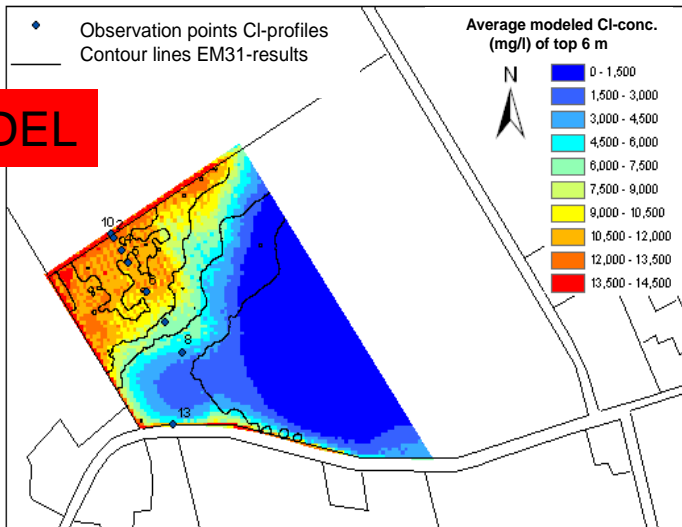
Assessing effects:

- autonomous salinisation
- sea level rise
- changing recharge pattern
- (adaption measures)

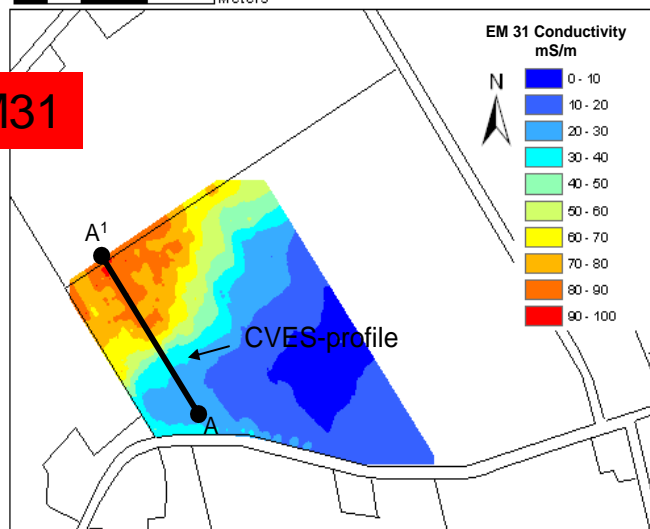


Comparison model with EM31, CVES, profiles

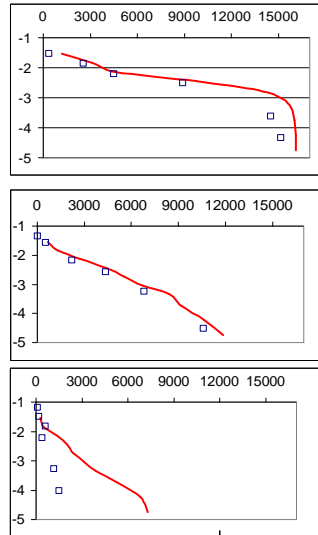
MODEL



EM31

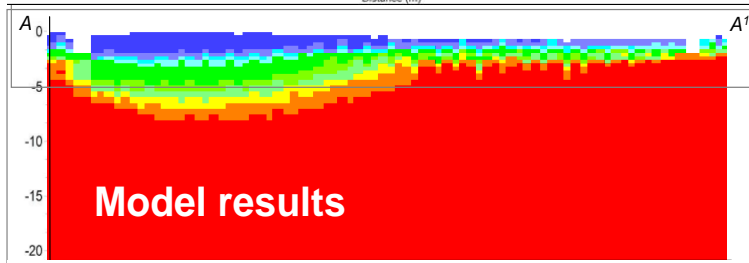
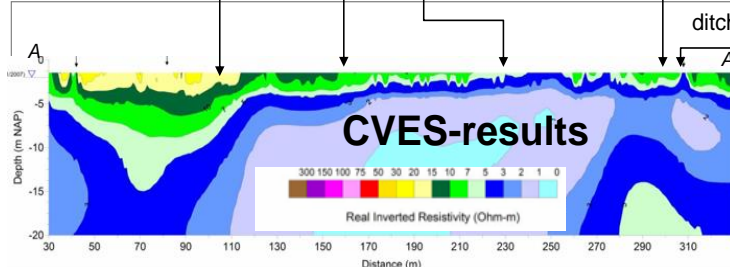


CI-profiles



CI-profiles

CVES

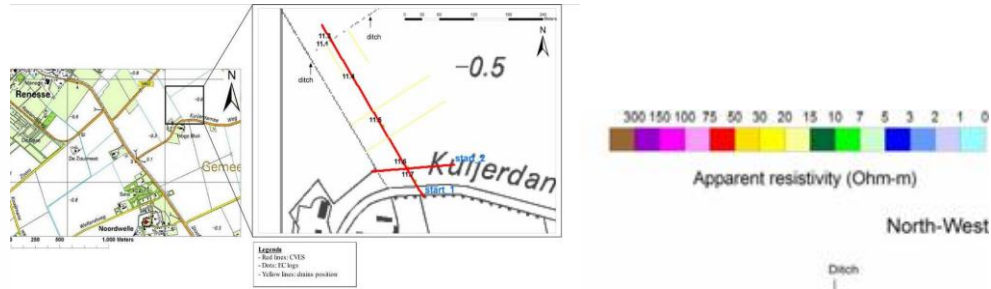


Comparison 3D model and CVES

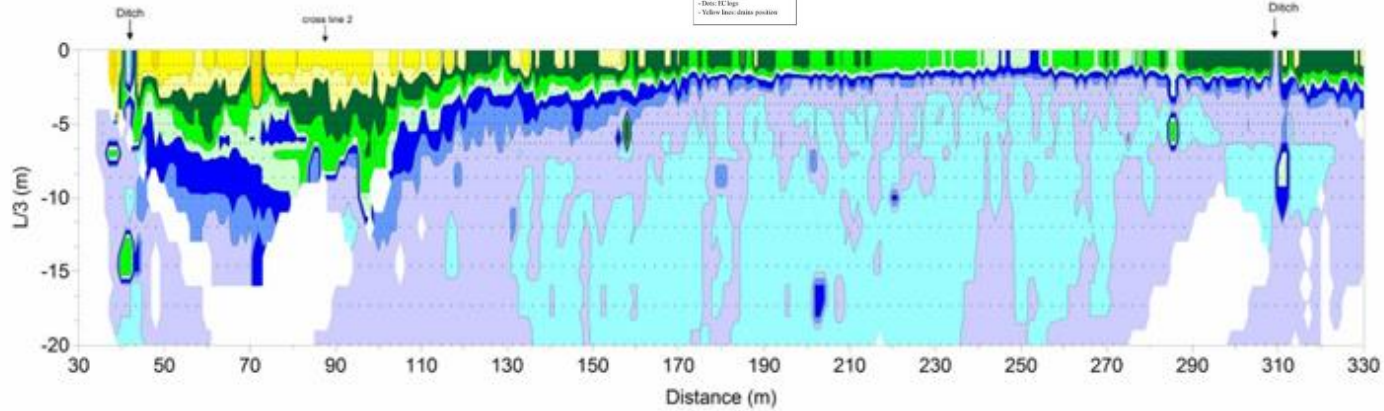
CVES

Site 11 - Renesse

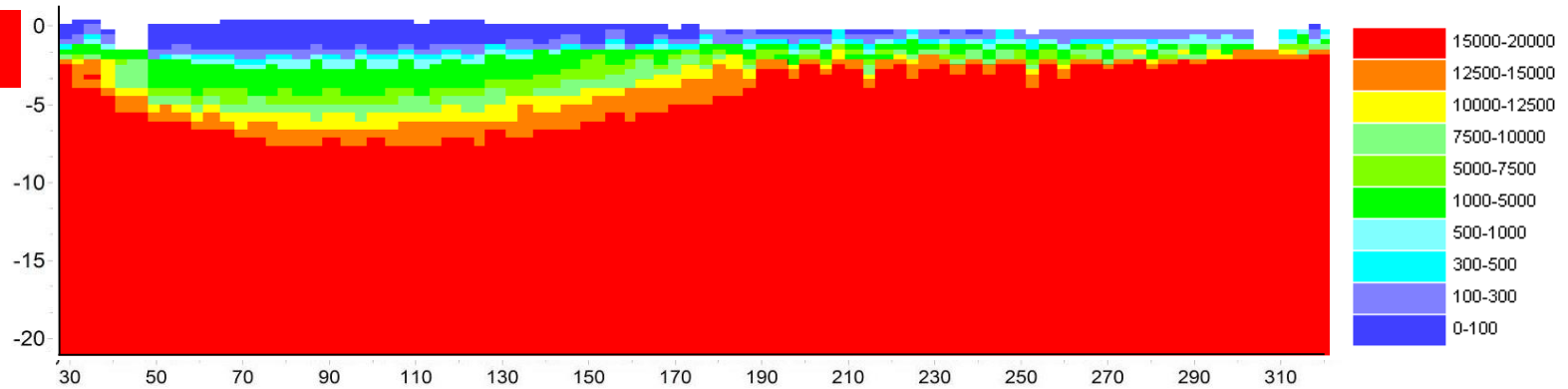
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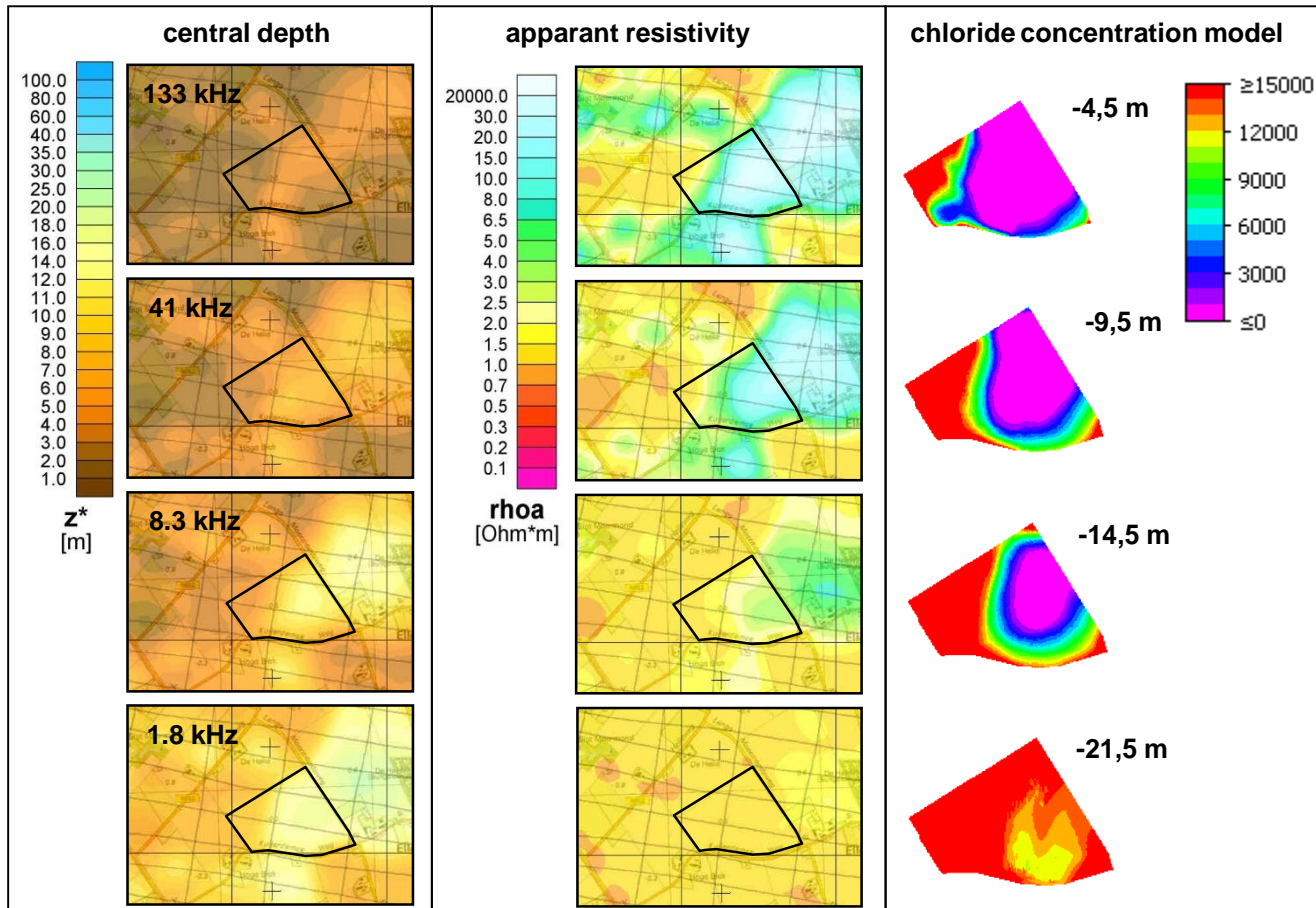
North-West



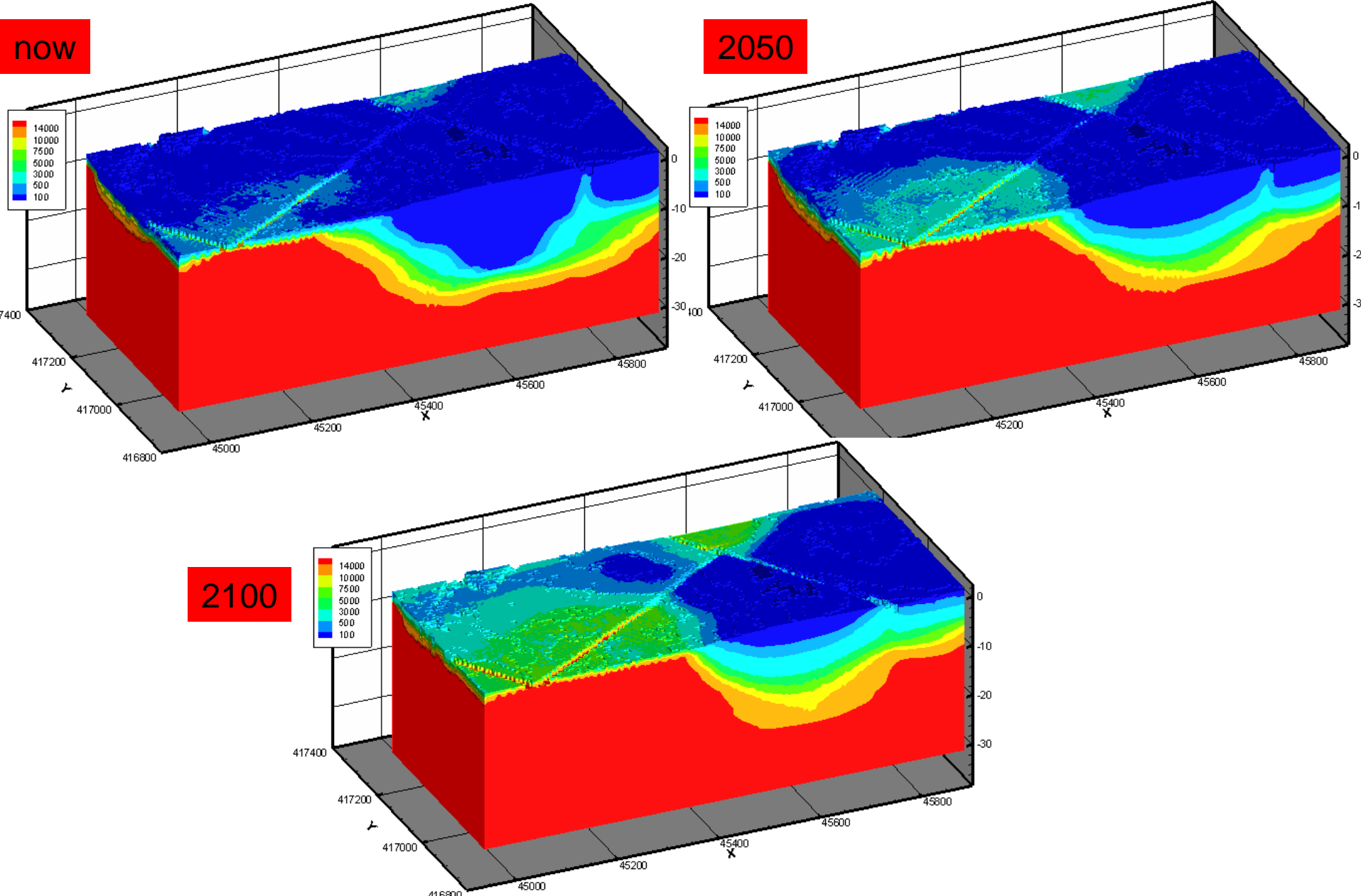
MODEL



HEM data



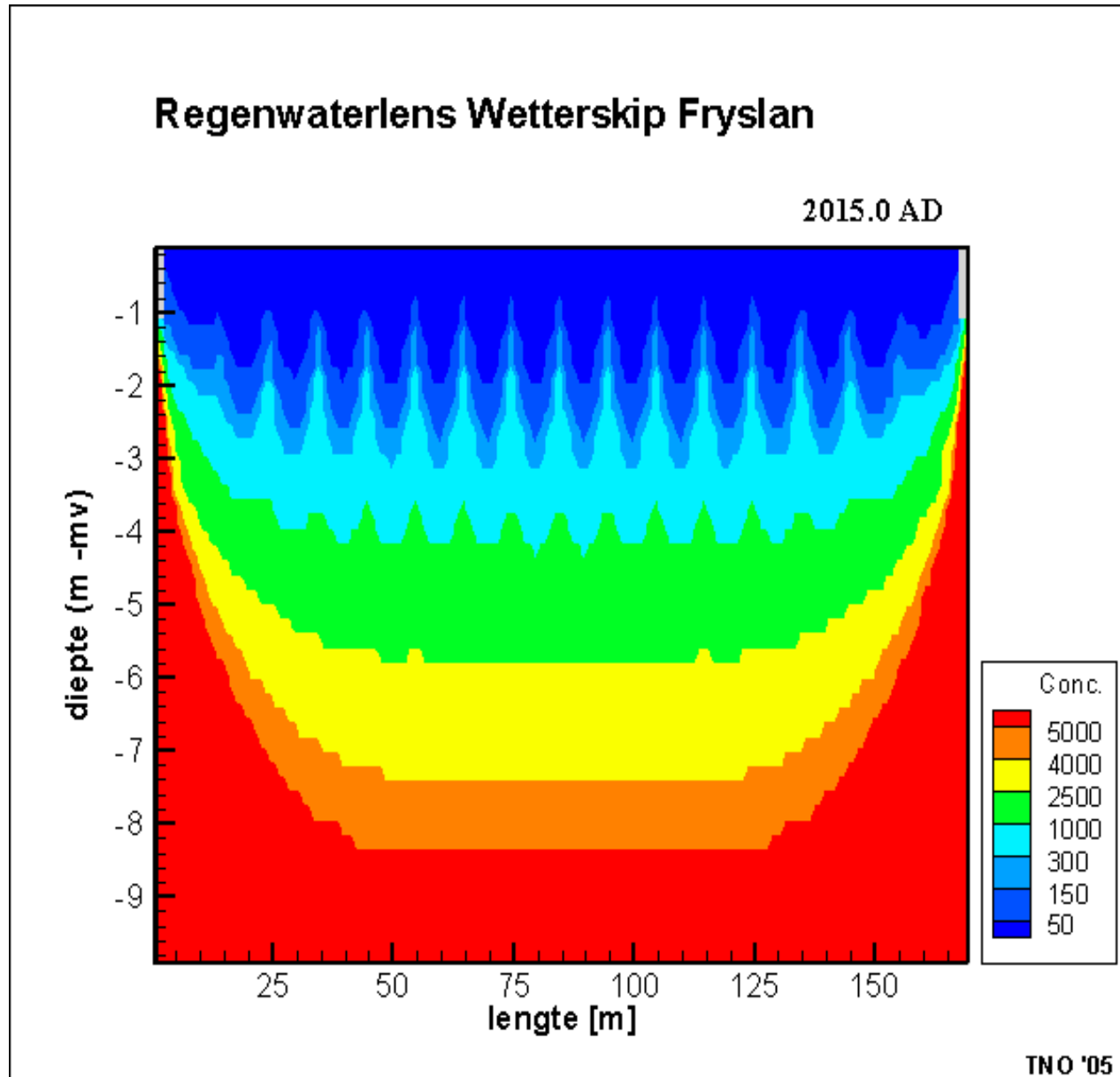
Climate change scenario (dry): model result



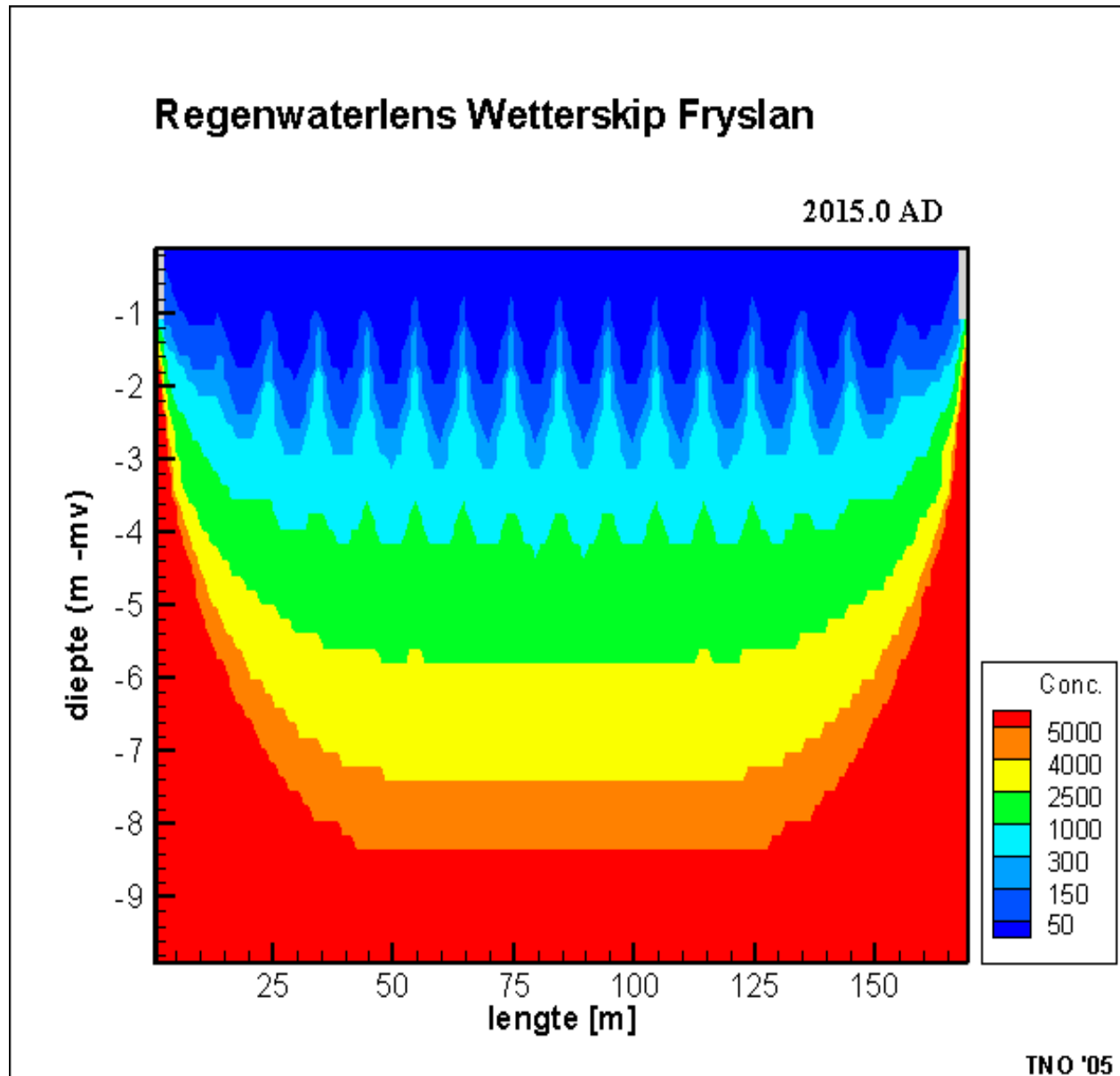
To be continued...

- Implementing more realisations of 3D geology and initial 3D fresh-saline
 - Analyse the differences
- Running climate change scenarios (on national and regional level)
 - Effect on surface water (salt load)
 - Effect on root zone (rainwater lenses)
 - Effect on freshwater volumes (drinking water)
- Compare model results of different scales and give recommendations

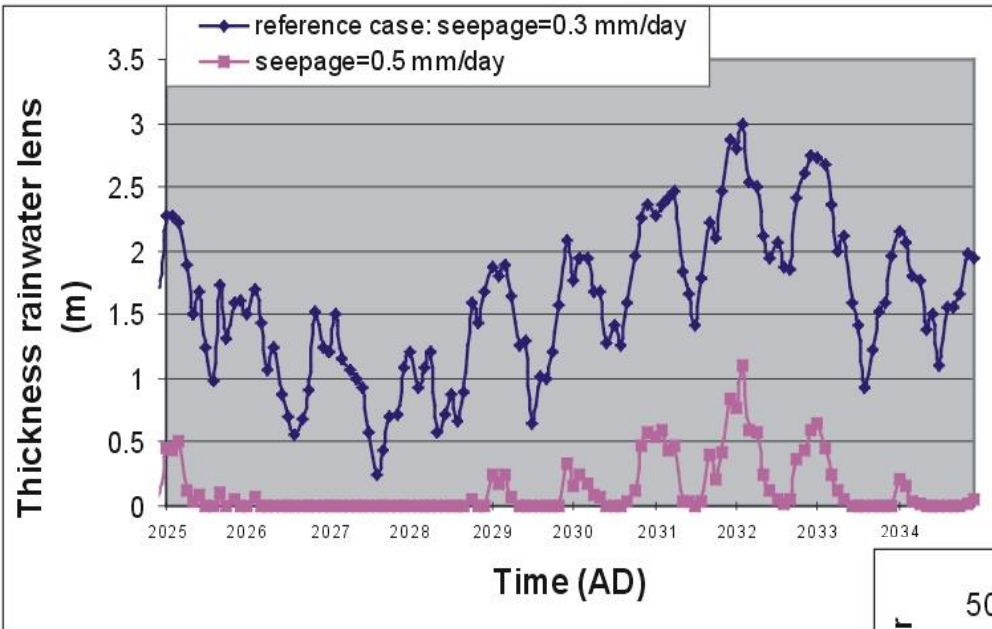
Model the dynamics of fresh-brackish-salt interface



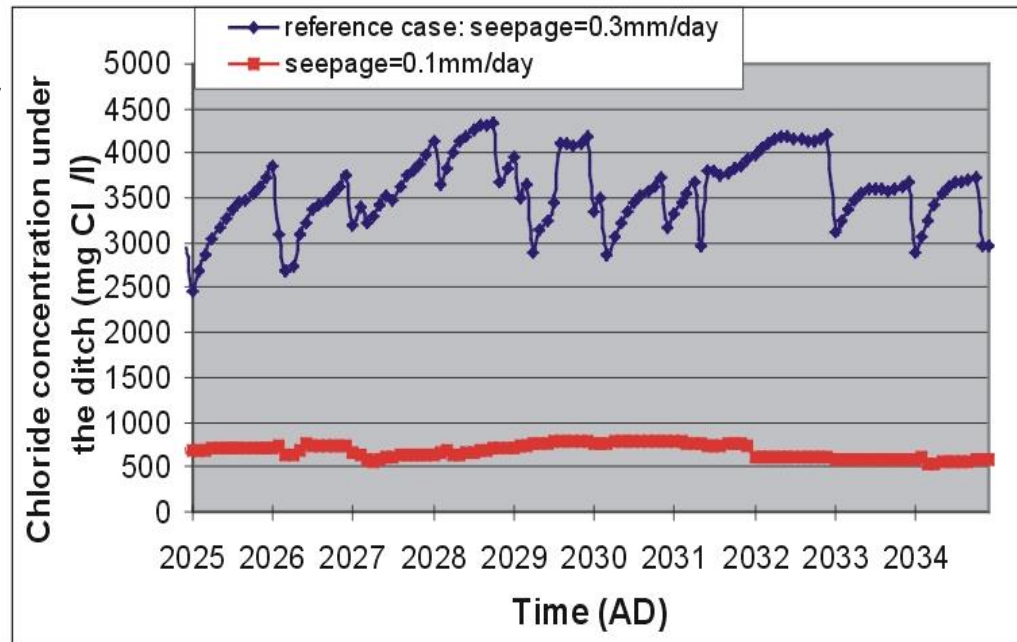
Model the dynamics of fresh-brackish-salt interface



Thickness of the lens and salt load to surface water varies



depends on seepage



Conclusions (modelling of variable-density flow)

- Don't use the Henry problem to test your variable-density code
- Use enough cells to model the Hydrocoin and Elder problem

For modelling 3D systems:

- Remember the Peclet discretisation limitation for cell sizes (unless you're using the method of characteristics!)
- Longitudinal dispersivity should not be too large (e.g. <10m)
- It's important to derive a very accurate density distribution (as that significantly effects the velocity field!)
- Watch out for numerical problems at the outflow face to the sea

Challenges for the future

- Improve the 3D density matrix, e.g. by more types of measurements
- Implement effect of climate change and sea level rise on coastal aquifers
- Optimisation of (ground)water management in coastal aquifers by using 3D variable-density flow models
- Improve calibration of 3D models by using transient data of solute concentrations
- Incorporate reactive multicomponent solute transport

Groundwater flow equation (MODFLOW, 1988)

Darcy

$$q_x = -\frac{\kappa_x \rho_f g}{\mu} \frac{\partial \phi_f}{\partial x}; \quad q_y = -\frac{\kappa_y \rho_f g}{\mu} \frac{\partial \phi_f}{\partial y}; \quad q_z = -\frac{\kappa_z \rho_f g}{\mu} \left(\frac{\partial \phi_f}{\partial z} + \frac{\rho - \rho_f}{\rho_f} \right)$$

Continuity

$$-\left[\frac{\partial \rho q_x}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial \rho q_y}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial \rho q_z}{\partial z} \right] = \frac{\partial n\rho}{\partial t} + W$$

Freshwater head

$$\phi_f = \frac{p}{\rho_f g} + z$$

↑
buoyancy
term

Advection-dispersion equation (MOC3D, 1996)

$$\frac{\partial C}{\partial t} = \frac{1}{nR_f} \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} \left(nD_{ij} \frac{\partial C}{\partial x_j} \right) - \frac{V_i}{R_f} \frac{\partial C}{\partial x_i} + \frac{\sum [W(C' - C)]}{nR_f} - \lambda C$$

Equation of state: relation density & concentration

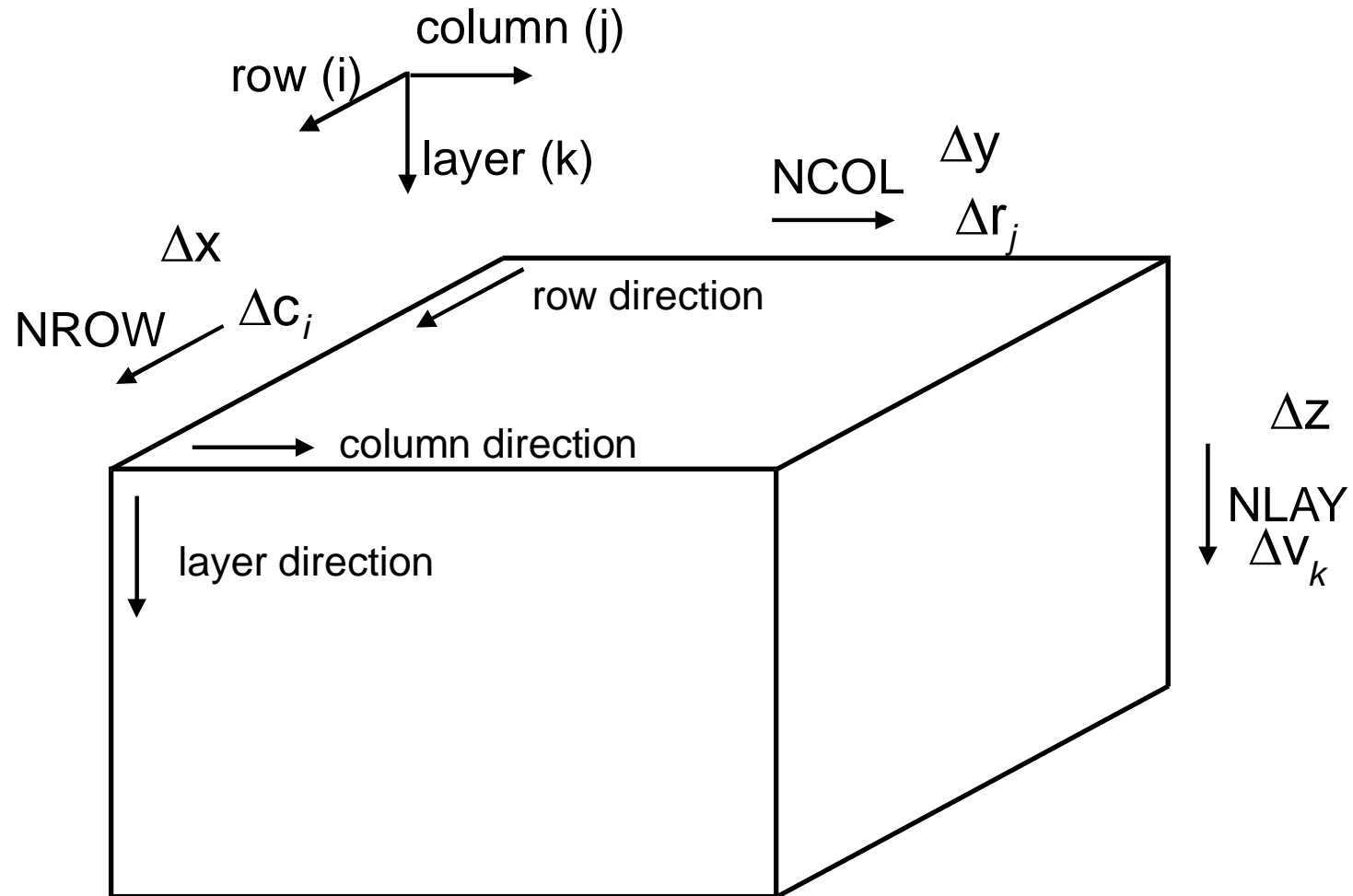
$$\rho_{i,j,k} = \rho_f (1 + \beta C_{i,j,k})$$

MOCDENS3D is based on MODFLOW

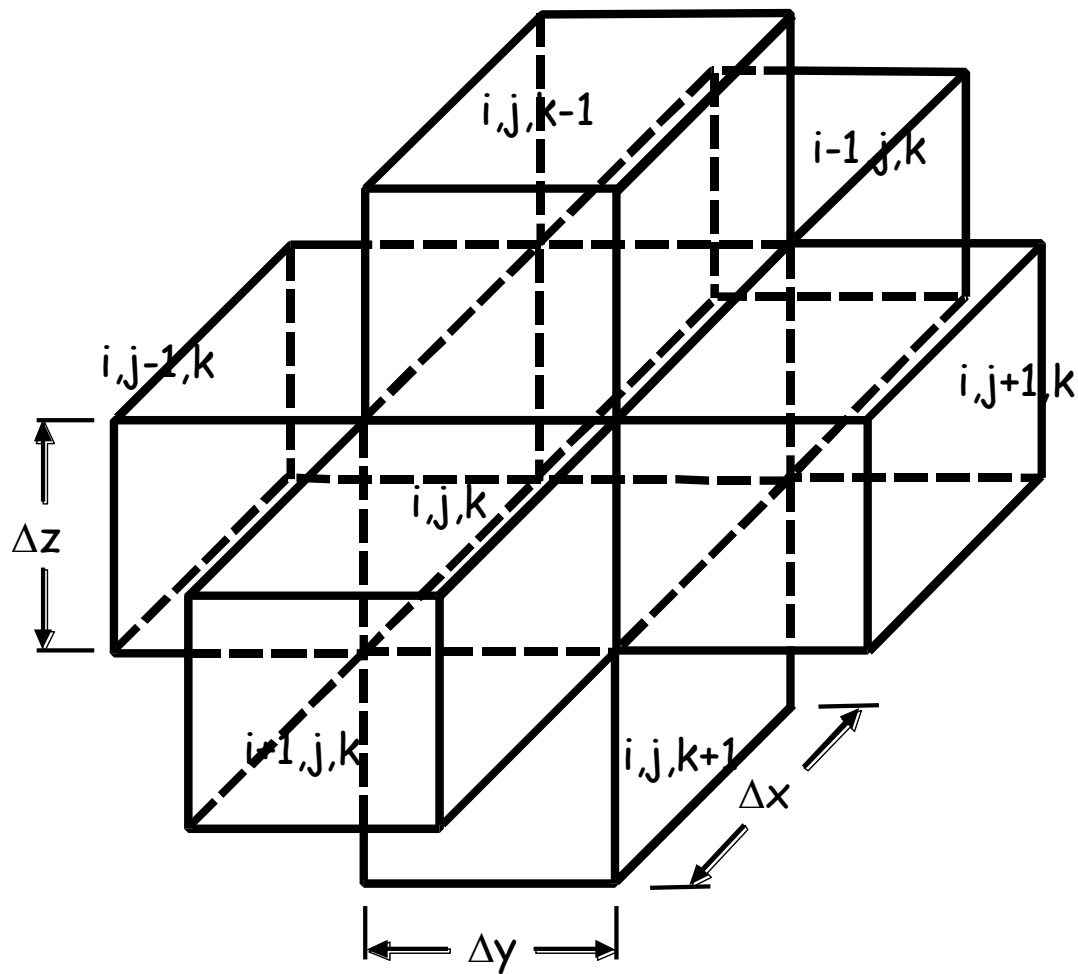
a modular 3D finite-difference ground-water flow model

(M.G. McDonald & A.W. Harbaugh, from 1983 on)

- USGS, 'public domain'
- non steady state
- heterogeneous porous medium
- anisotropy
- coupled to reactive solute transport
 - MOC3 (Konikow *et al*, 1996)
 - MT3D, MT3DMS (Zheng, 1990)
 - RT3D
 - PHT3D (Prommer, 2004)
- easy to use due to numerous Graphical User Interfaces (GUI's)
 - PMWIN, GMS, Visual Modflow, Argus One, Groundwater Vistas, etc.

Nomenclature MODFLOW element $[i,j,k]$ 

MODFLOW: start with water balance of one element $[i,j,k]$



Continuity equation (I)

In - Out = Storage

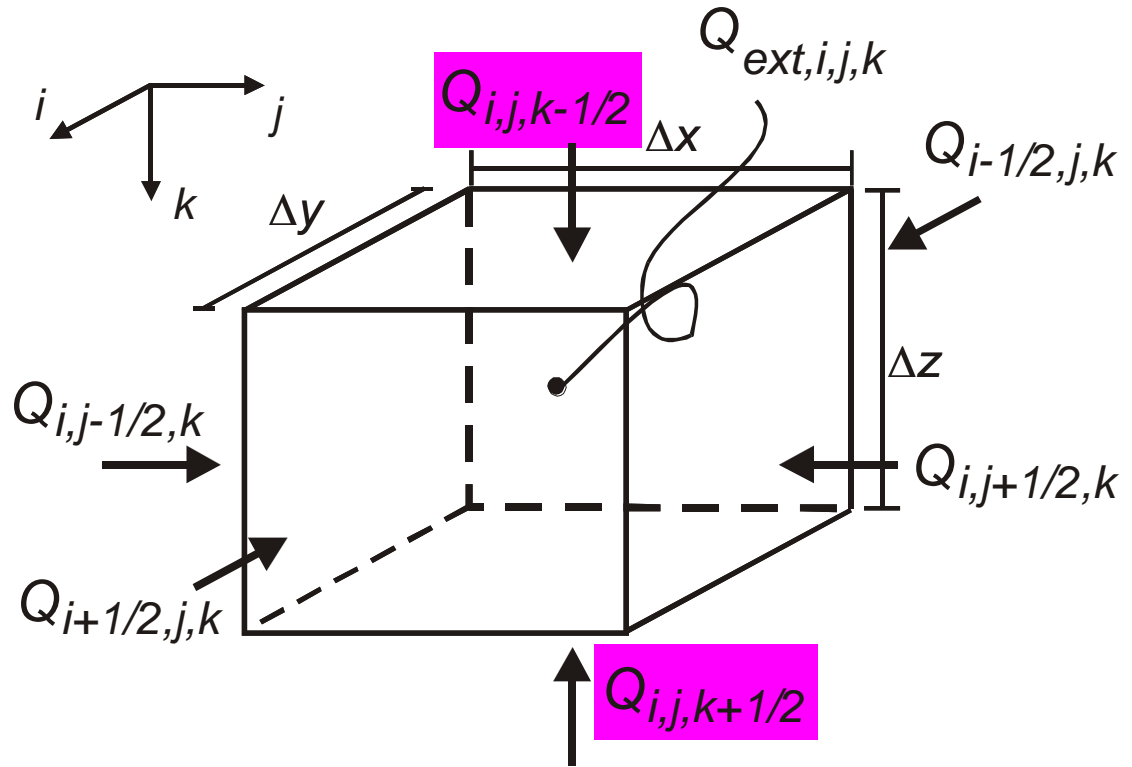
$$\frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left(k_{xx} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x} \right) + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} \left(k_{yy} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial y} \right) + \frac{\partial}{\partial z} \left(k_{zz} \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial z} \right) - W = S_s \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial t}$$

$$\sum Q_i = S_s \frac{\Delta \phi}{\Delta t} \Delta V$$

Continuity equation (II)

$$\sum Q_i = S_s \frac{\Delta\phi}{\Delta t} \Delta V$$

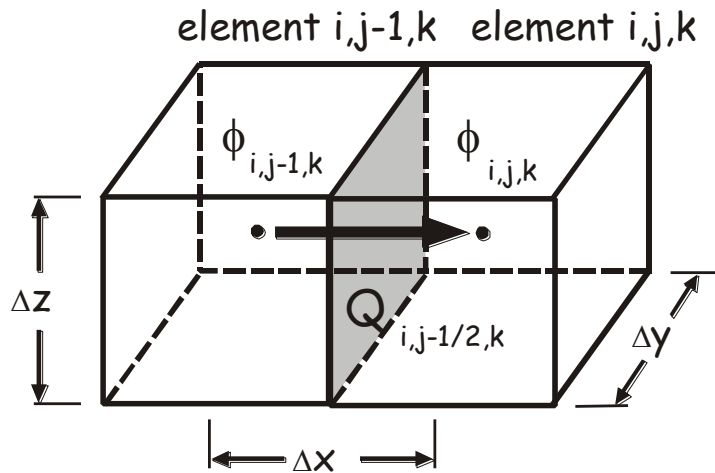
In = positive



$$Q_{i,j-1/2,k} + Q_{i,j+1/2,k} + Q_{i-1/2,j,k} + Q_{i+1/2,j,k} + Q_{i,j,k-1/2} + Q_{i,j,k+1/2} + Q_{ext,i,j,k}$$

$$= S S_{i,j,k} \frac{\phi_{i,j,k}^t - \phi_{i,j,k}^{t+\Delta t}}{\Delta t} \Delta V$$

Flow equation (Darcy's Law)



$$Q = \text{surface} * q = \text{surface} * k \frac{\partial \phi}{\partial x}$$

$$Q_{i,j-1/2,k} = k_{i,j-1/2,k} \Delta y \Delta z \frac{\phi_{i,j-1,k} - \phi_{i,j,k}}{\Delta x}$$

$$Q_{i,j-1/2,k} = CR_{i,j-1/2,k} (\phi_{i,j-1,k} - \phi_{i,j,k})$$

where $CR_{i,j-1/2,k} = \frac{k_{i,j-1/2,k} \Delta y \Delta z}{\Delta x}$ is the conductance [L^2/T]

Density dependent vertical flow equation

$$q_z = -\frac{\kappa_z \rho_f g}{\mu} \left(\frac{\partial \phi_f}{\partial z} + \frac{\rho - \rho_f}{\rho_f} \right)$$

$$q_z = -k_z \left(\frac{\partial \phi_f}{\partial z} + \frac{\rho - \rho_f}{\rho_f} \right)$$

$$Q_z = \text{surface}^* q_z$$

$$= \text{surface}^* k_z \left(\frac{\partial \phi_f}{\partial z} + \frac{\rho - \rho_f}{\rho_f} \right)$$

$$Q_{i,j,k-1/2} = k_{i,j,k-1/2} \Delta x \Delta y \left(\frac{\phi_{f,i,j,k-1} - \phi_{f,i,j,k}}{\Delta z} + BUOY_{i,j,k-1/2} \right)$$

$$Q_{i,j,k-1/2} = CV_{i,j,k-1/2} (\phi_{f,i,j,k-1} - \phi_{f,i,j,k} + BUOY_{i,j,k-1/2} \Delta z)$$

$$\text{where } BUOY_{i,j,k-1/2} = \left(\frac{(\rho_{i,j,k-1/2} + \rho_{i,j,k})/2 - \rho_f}{\rho_f} \right) = \text{buoyancy term [-]}$$

$$\text{where } CV_{i,j,k-1/2} = \frac{k_{i,j,k-1/2} \Delta x \Delta y}{\Delta z} = \text{conductance [L}^2\text{/T]}$$

The term $Q_{ext,i,j,k}$

Takes into account all external sources

Rewriting the term:

$$Q_{ext,i,j,k} = P_{i,j,k} \phi_{i,j,k}^{t+\Delta t} + Q'_{i,j,k}$$

The variable density groundwater flow equation

$$Q_{i,j-1/2,k} + Q_{i,j+1/2,k} + Q_{i-1/2,j,k} + Q_{i+1/2,j,k} + Q_{i,j,k-1/2} + Q_{i,j,k+1/2} + Q_{ext,i,j,k}$$

$$= SS_{i,j,k} \frac{\phi_{f,i,j,k}^t - \phi_{f,i,j,k}^{t+\Delta t}}{\Delta t} \Delta V$$

and:

$$Q_{ext,i,j,k} = P_{i,j,k} \phi_{f,i,j,k}^{t+\Delta t} + Q'_{i,j,k}$$

gives:

$$CV_{i,j,k-1/2} \phi_{f,i,j,k-1}^{t+\Delta t} + CC_{i-1/2,j,k} \phi_{f,i-1,j,k}^{t+\Delta t} + CR_{i,j-1/2,k} \phi_{f,i,j-1,k}^{t+\Delta t}$$

$$+ \left(-CV_{i,j,k-1/2} - CC_{i-1/2,j,k} - CR_{i,j-1/2,k} - CR_{i,j+1/2,k} - CC_{i+1/2,j,k} - CV_{i,j,k+1/2} + HCOF_{i,j,k} \right) \phi_{f,i,j,k}^{t+\Delta t}$$

$$+ CR_{i,j+1/2,k} \phi_{f,i,j+1,k}^{t+\Delta t} + CC_{i+1/2,j,k} \phi_{f,i+1,j,k}^{t+\Delta t} + CV_{i,j,k+1/2} \phi_{f,i,j,k+1}^{t+\Delta t} = RHS_{i,j,k}$$

with :

$$HCOF_{i,j,k} = P_{i,j,k} - SC1_{i,j,k} / (\Delta t)$$

$$RHS_{i,j,k} = -Q'_{i,j,k} - SC1_{i,j,k} \phi_{f,i,j,k}^t / (\Delta t)$$

$$-CV_{i,j,k-1/2} BUOY_{i,j,k-1/2} \Delta v_{k-1/2} + CV_{i,j,k+1/2} BUOY_{i,j,k+1/2} \Delta v_{k+1/2}$$

$$SC1_{i,j,k} = SS_{i,j,k} \Delta V$$

Equation of state

$$BUOY_{i,j,k-1/2} = \left(\frac{(\rho_{i,j,k-1/2} + \rho_{i,j,k})/2 - \rho_f}{\rho_f} \right)$$

$$\rho_{i,j,k} = \rho_f \left(1 + \frac{\rho_s - \rho_f}{\rho_f} \frac{C_{i,j,k}}{C_s} \right)$$

or

$$\rho_{i,j,k} = \rho_f (1 + \beta C_{i,j,k})$$

Method of Characteristics (MOC)

Solve the advection-dispersion equation (ADE)
with the Method of Characteristics

$$\frac{\partial C}{\partial t} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} \left(D_{ij} \frac{\partial C}{\partial x_j} \right) - \frac{\partial}{\partial x_i} (C V_i) + \frac{(C - C_e) W}{n_e}$$

Lagrangian approach:

Splitting up the advection part and the dispersion/source part:

- advection by means of a particle tracking technique
- dispersion/source by means of the finite difference method

Advantage of the MOC approach by splitting up the advection-dispersion equation

It is difficult to solve the whole advection-dispersion equation in one step, because the so-called Peclet-number is high in most groundwater flow/solute transport problems.

The Peclet number stands for the ratio between advection and dispersion

Procedure of MOC: advective transport by particle tracking

- Place a number of particles in each element
- Determine the effective velocity of each particle by (bi)linear interpolation of the velocity field which is derived from MODFLOW
- Move particles during one solute time step Δt_{solute}
- Average values of all particles in an element to one node value
- Calculate the change in concentration in all nodes due to advective transport
- Add this result to dispersive/source changes of solute transport

Steps in MOC-procedure

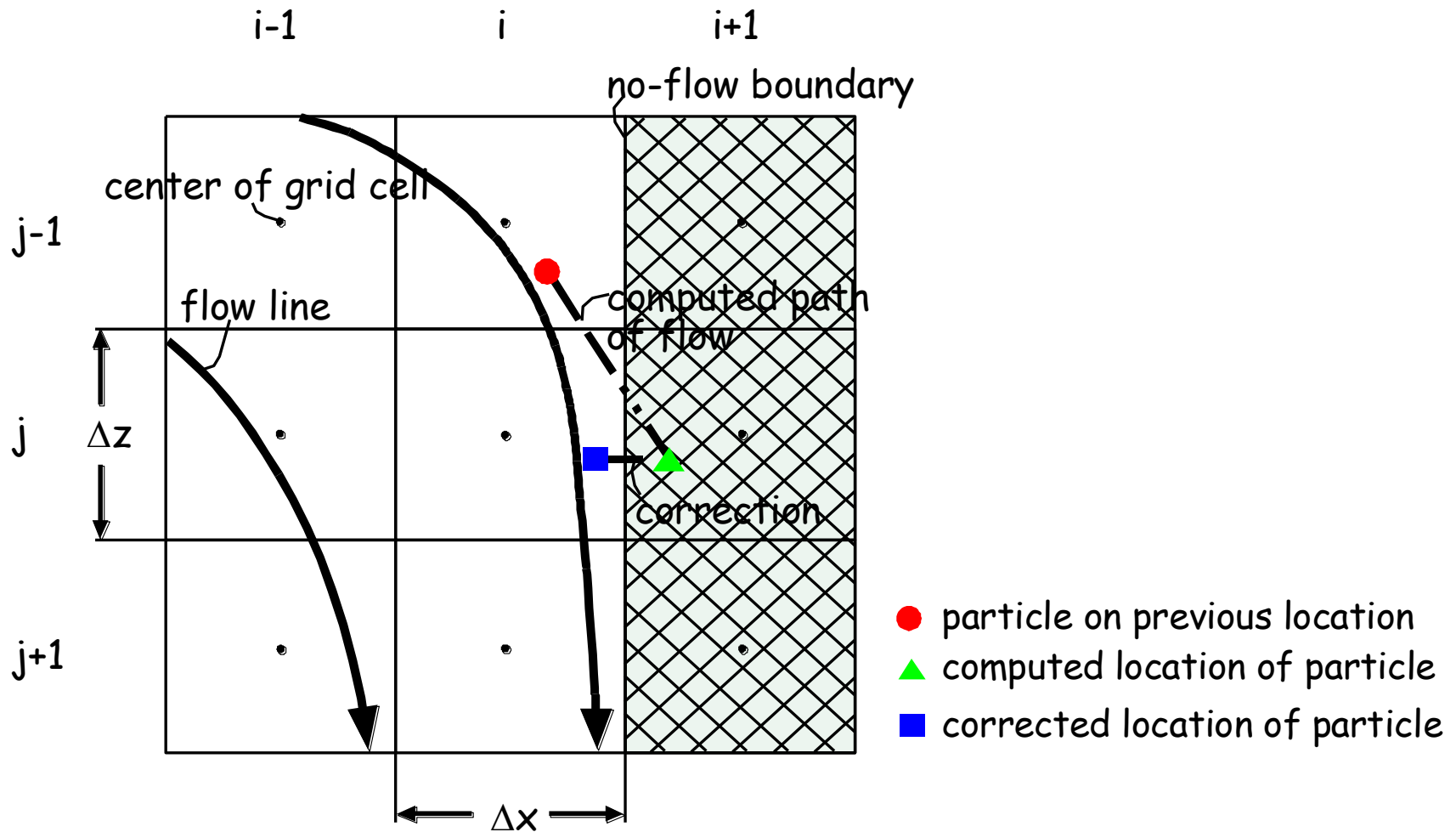
1. Determine concentration gradients at old timestep $k-1$
2. Move particles to model advective transport
3. Concentration of particles to concentration in element node
4. Determine concentration gradients on new timestep k^*
5. Determine concentration in element node after advective, dispersive/source transport on timestep k

Konikow and Bredehoeft, 1978

Causes of errors in MOC-procedure

1. Concentration gradients
2. Average from particles to node element, and visa versa
3. Concentration of sources/sinks to entire element
4. Empty elements
5. No-flow boundary: reflection in boundary

Reflection in boundary



Numerical dispersion problem (I)

To solve the advection-dispersion equation, standard finite difference and element techniques should consider the following spatial discretisation criterion:

$$\text{Peclet number } Pe \leq 2 \text{ to } 4$$

$$\text{where: } Pe = \left| \frac{V\Delta x}{D_h} \right|$$

V = effective velocity [L/T]

Δx = dimension grid cell [L]

D_h = hydrodynamic dispersion [L²/T]

Numerical dispersion problem (II)

For advection dominant groundwater flow, the Peclet number can be rewritten as:

$$\Delta x \leq 2\alpha_L \text{ to } 4\alpha_L$$

where α_L = longitudinal dispersivity [L]

What does that mean?

If α_L is small, then Δx should be small too!!

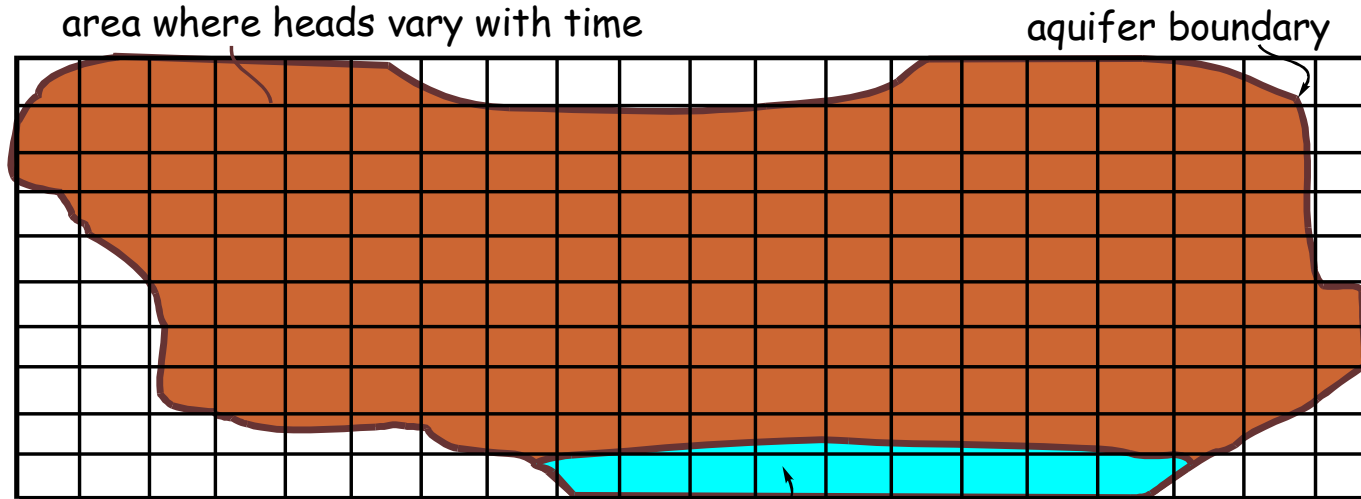
Numerical dispersion problem (III)

Now follows an transient salt water intrusion case to demonstrate why in many coastal aquifers the longitudinal dispersivity α_L [L] should be small

MODFLOW

Boundary conditions in MODFLOW (I)

Example of a system with three types of boundary conditions



Numeric model

area of constant head

0	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	0	0
1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0
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0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	-1	0	0	0

Boundary conditions in MODFLOW (II)

For a constant head condition: $IBOUND < 0$

For a no flow condition: $IBOUND = 0$

For a variable head: $IBOUND > 0$

Packages in MODFLOW

1. Well package
2. River package
3. Recharge package
4. Drain package
5. Evaporation package
6. General head package

1. Well package

$$Q_{well} = Q_{i,j,k}$$

Example: an extraction of 10 m³ per day should be inserted in an element as:

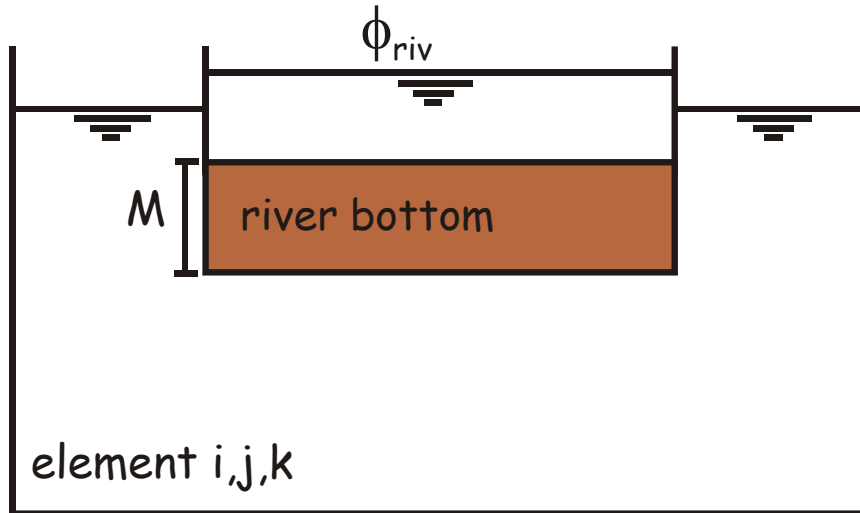
$$Q_{ext,i,j,k} = P_{i,j,k} \phi_{i,j,k}^{t+\Delta t} + Q'_{i,j,k}$$

$$Q_{ext,i,j,k} = -10 \quad (\text{in} = \text{positive})$$

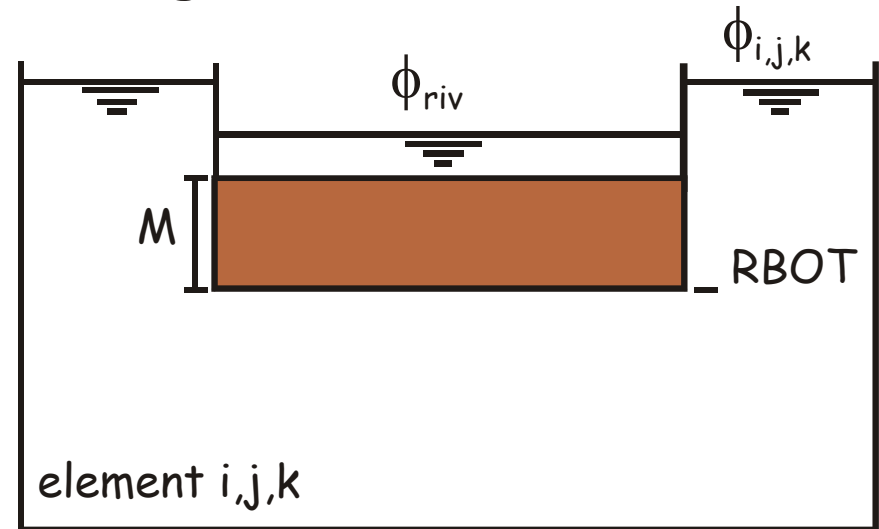
$$Q'_{i,j,k} = -10$$

2. River package (I)

river loses water



river gains water



$$Q_{riv} = KLW \left(\frac{\phi_{riv} - \phi_{i,j,k}}{M} \right)$$

$$Q_{riv} = \frac{KLW}{M} (\phi_{riv} - \phi_{i,j,k}) \Leftrightarrow Q_{riv} = C_{riv} (\phi_{riv} - \phi_{i,j,k})$$

2. River package (II)

$$Q_{riv} = C_{riv} (\phi_{riv} - \phi_{i,j,k})$$

Example: the river conductance C_{riv} is 20 m²/day and the river level=3 m, than this package should be inserted in an element as:

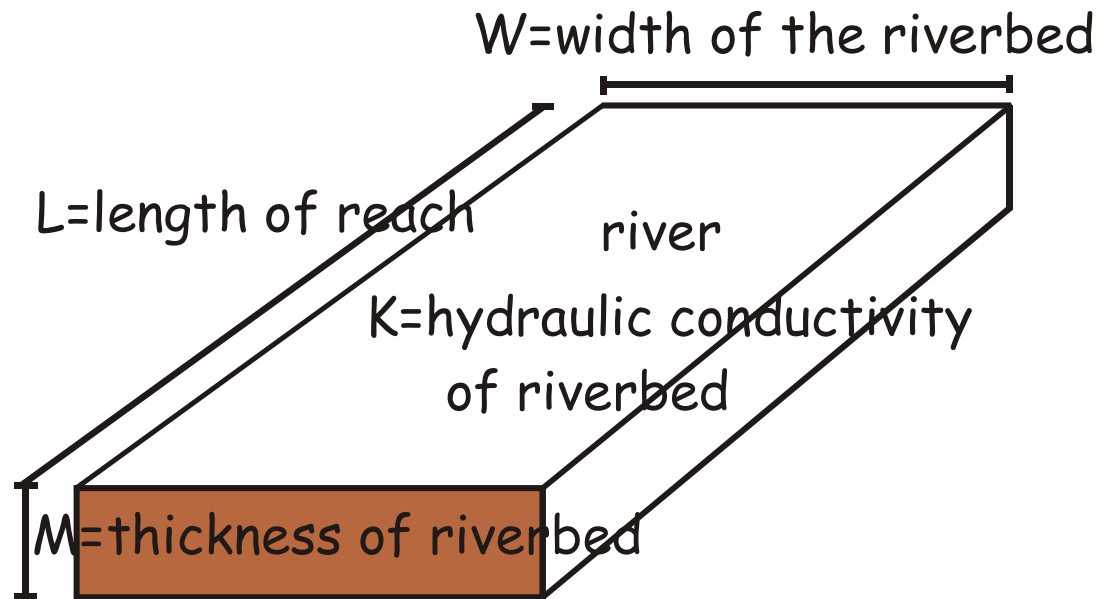
$$Q_{ext,i,j,k} = P_{i,j,k} \phi_{i,j,k}^{t+\Delta t} + Q'_{i,j,k}$$

$$Q_{ext,i,j,k} = 20(3 - \phi_{i,j,k})$$

$$Q'_{i,j,k} = 60 \quad \text{and} \quad P_{i,j,k} = -20$$

2. River package (III)

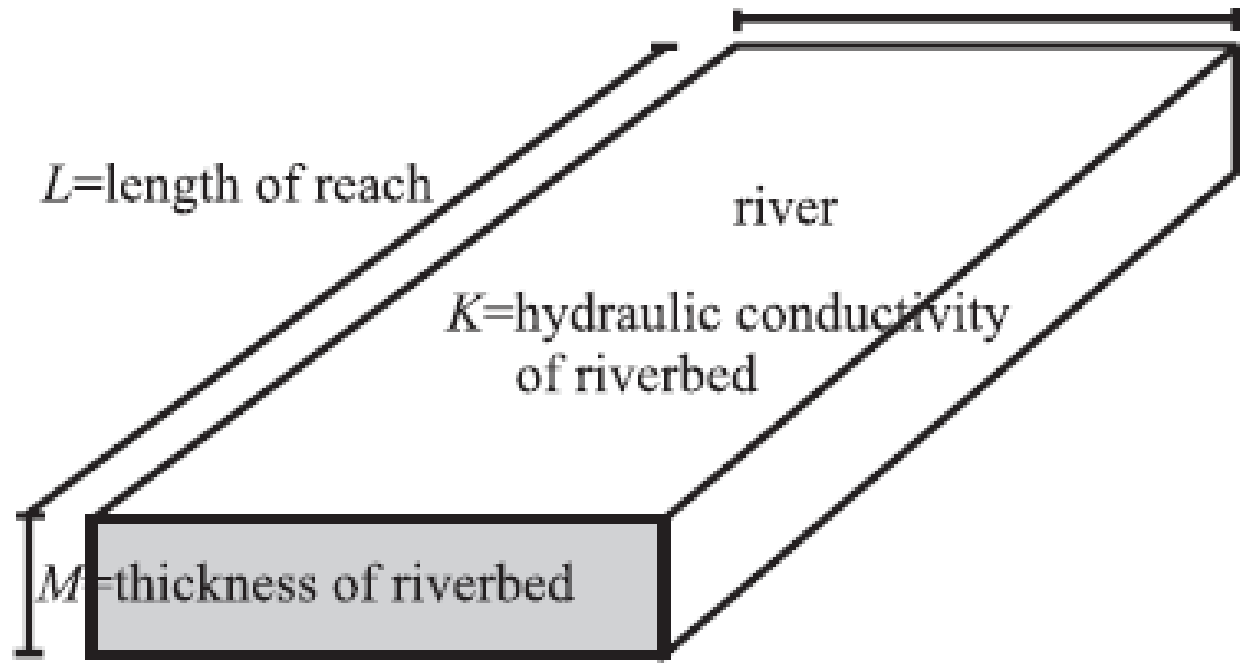
Determine the conductance of the river in one element:



where $C_{riv} = \frac{KLW}{M}$ is the
conductance [L^2/T] of the river

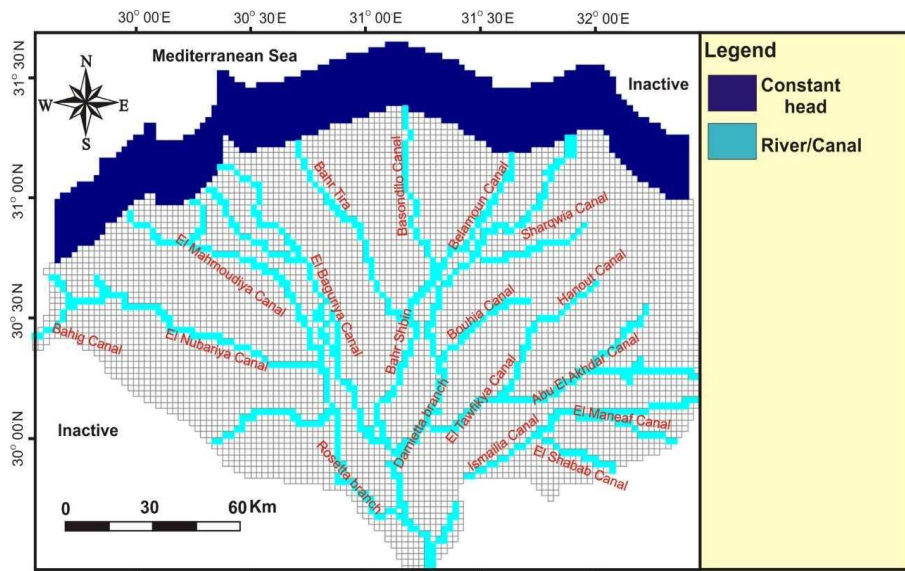
CONDUCTANCE

conductance of prism: $C=KLW/M$

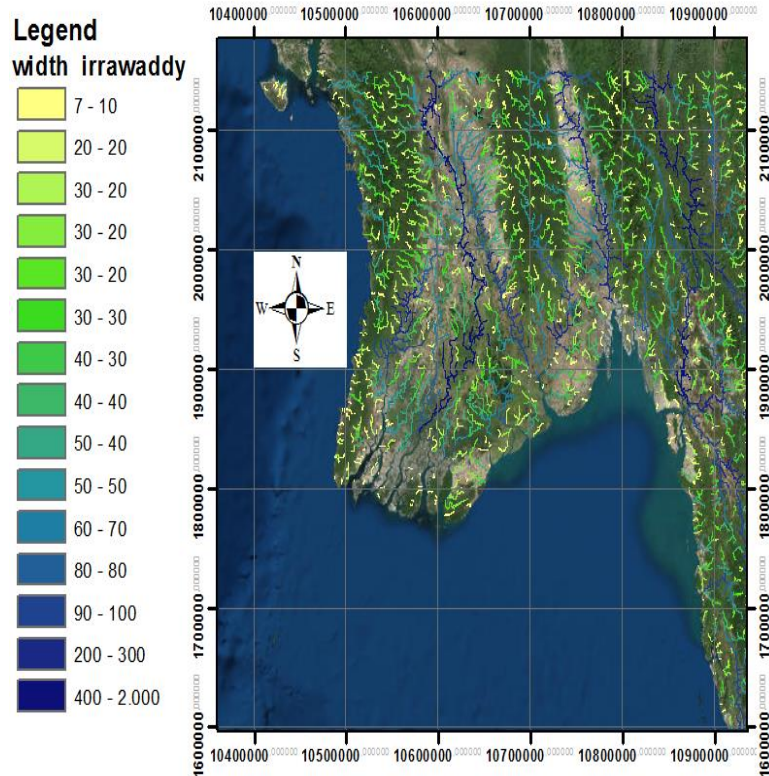
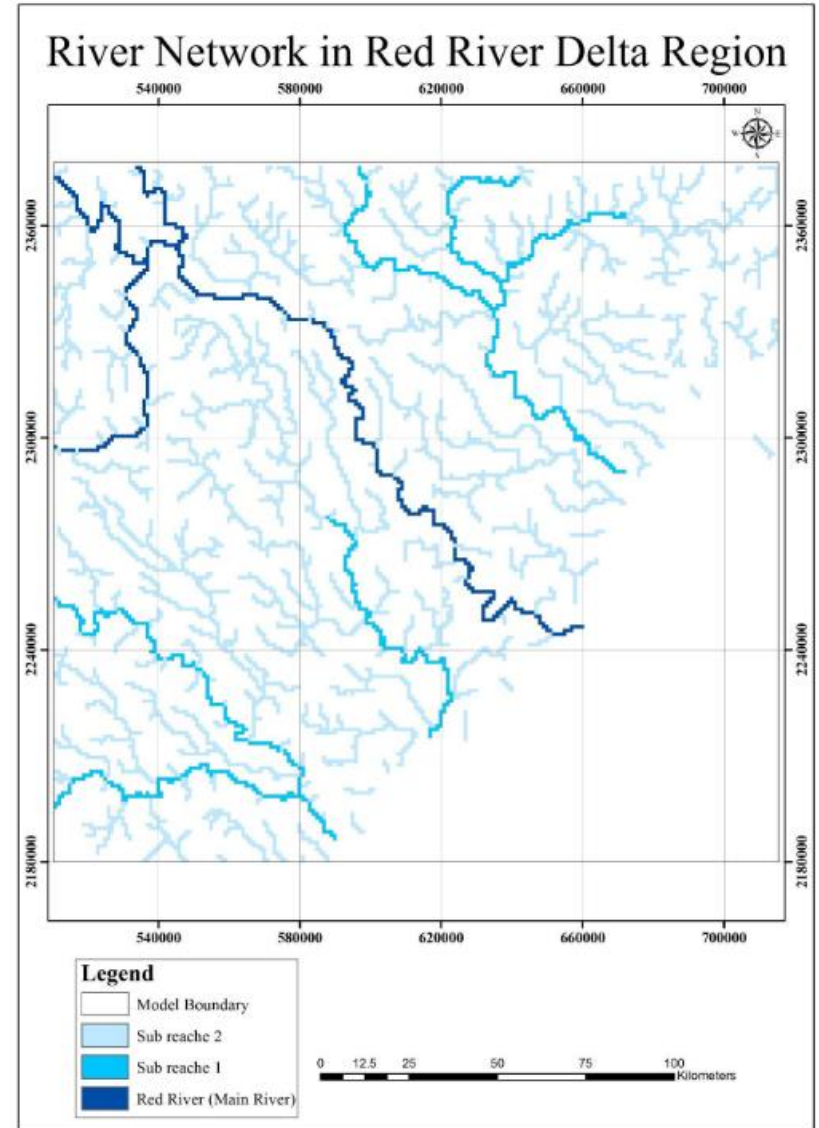


River Package: water courses

1. Location of watercourses
2. Water level; different approach per type of watercourse
3. Drainage resistance (conductance)
4. Chloride concentration surface water



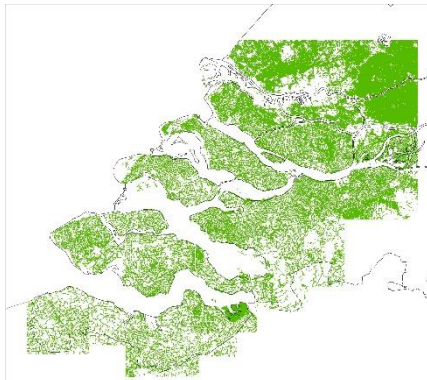
Hydrological data and maps based on Shuttle Elevation Derivatives at multiple Scales (HydroSHEDS)



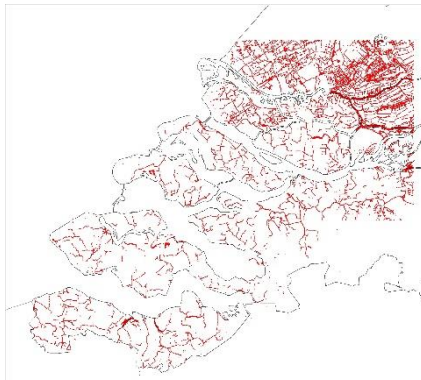
River types, model Zeeland

Watercourse type	Type	Indeling Waterboard
1	<i>Sloot</i> =ditch (top10)	Primaire waterloop / secundaire waterloop
2	<i>Rivier</i> =river (top10)	Primaire waterloop
3	<i>Meer</i> =lake (top10)	
4	<i>Kanaal</i> =canal (top10)	
5	<i>Greppel</i> =trench (top10)	Secundaire waterloop/ tertiare waterloop
6	<i>Zee</i> =sea or <i>binnenwater</i> =innersea	

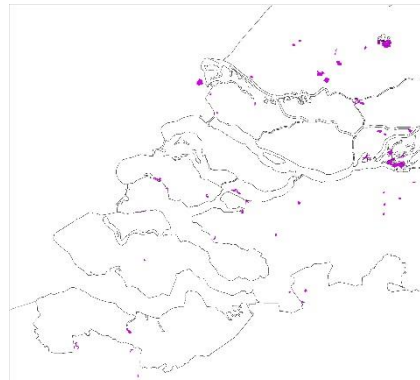
River types, model Zeeland



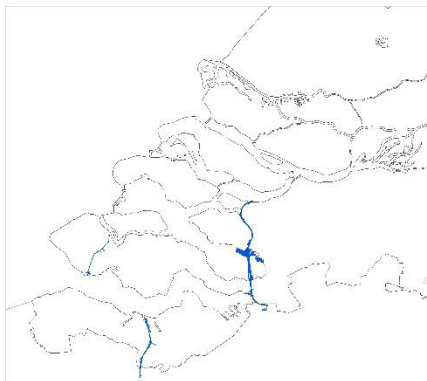
Waterloop type 1: sloot



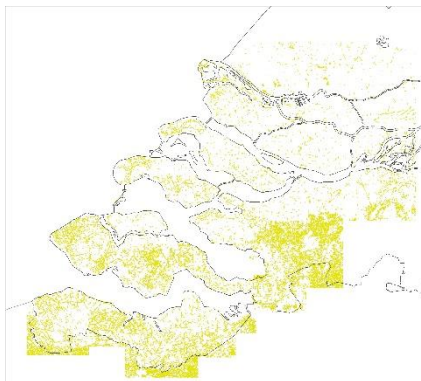
Waterloop type 2: rivier



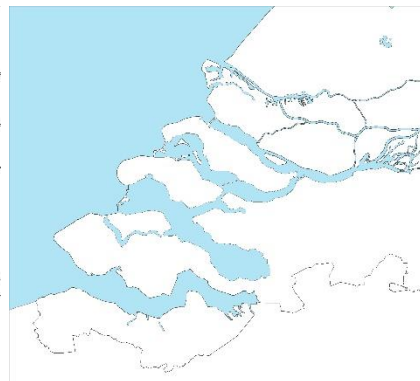
Waterloop type 3: meer



Waterloop type 4: kanaal



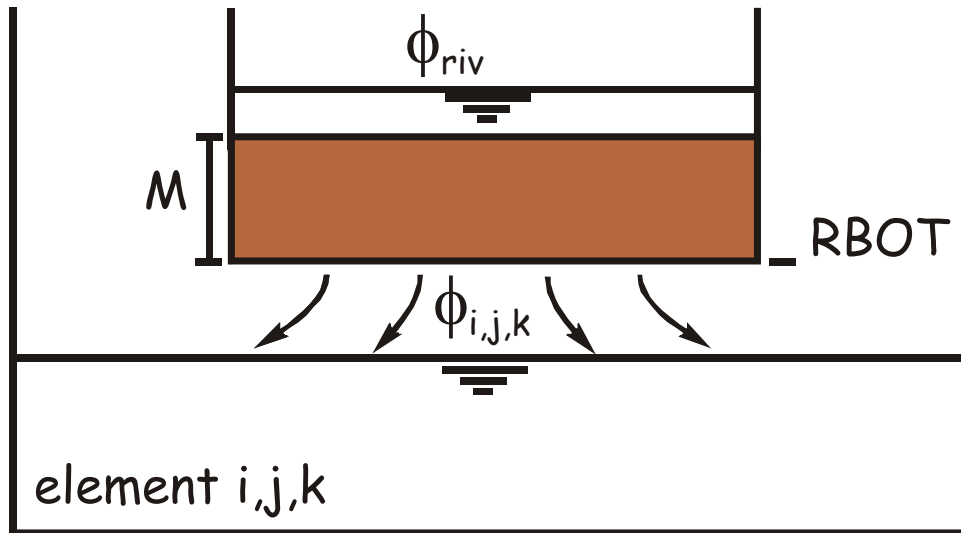
Waterloop type 5: greppel



Waterloop type 6:
binnenwater en zee

2. River package (IV)

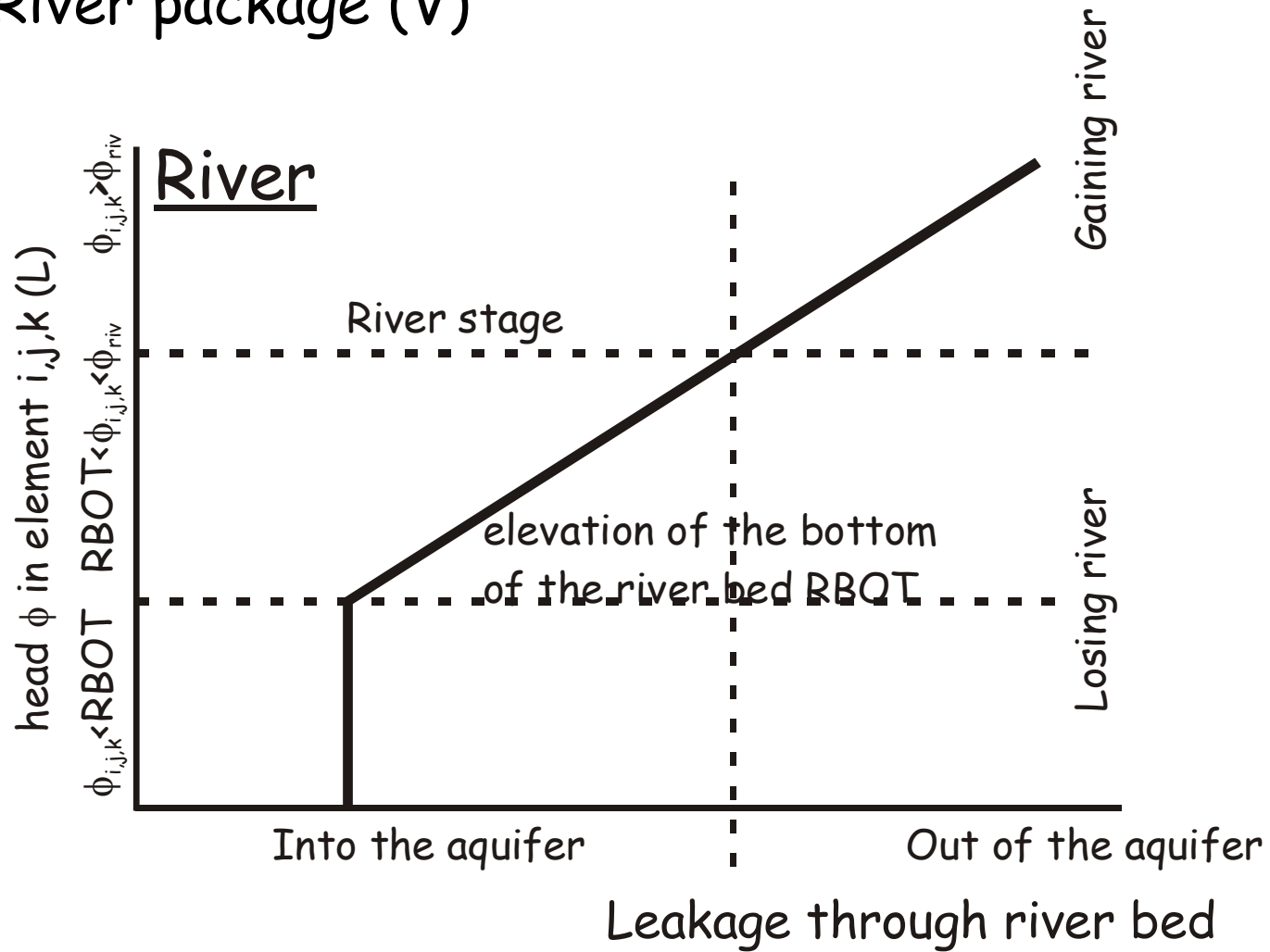
Leakage to the groundwater system



Special case:

if $\phi_{i,j,k} < RBOT$, then $Q_{riv} = C_{riv} (\phi_{riv} - RBOT)$

2. River package (V)



3. Recharge package

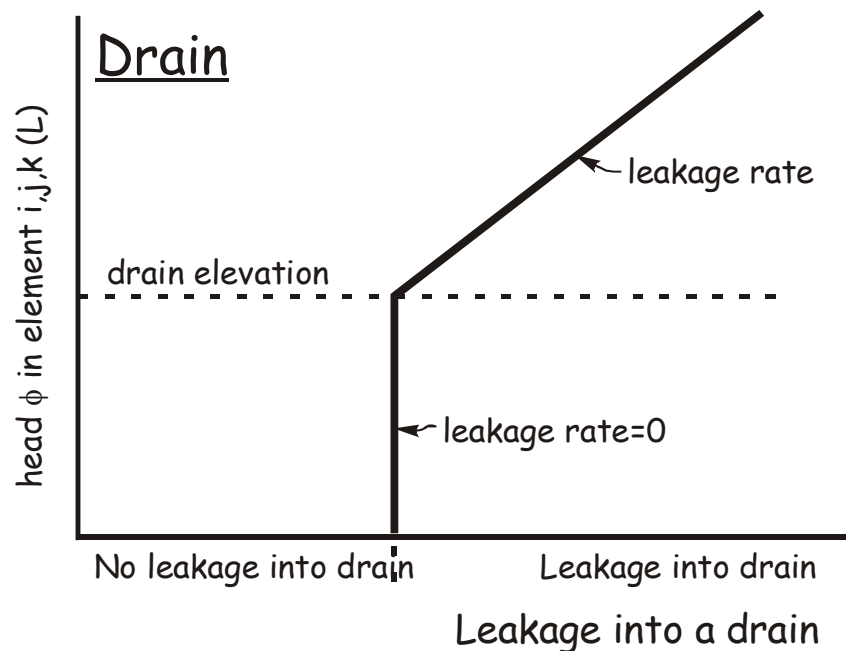
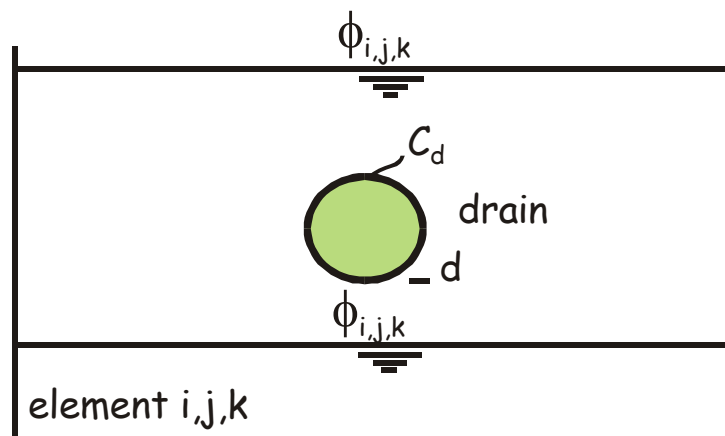
$$Q_{rec} = I\Delta x\Delta y$$

4. Drain package

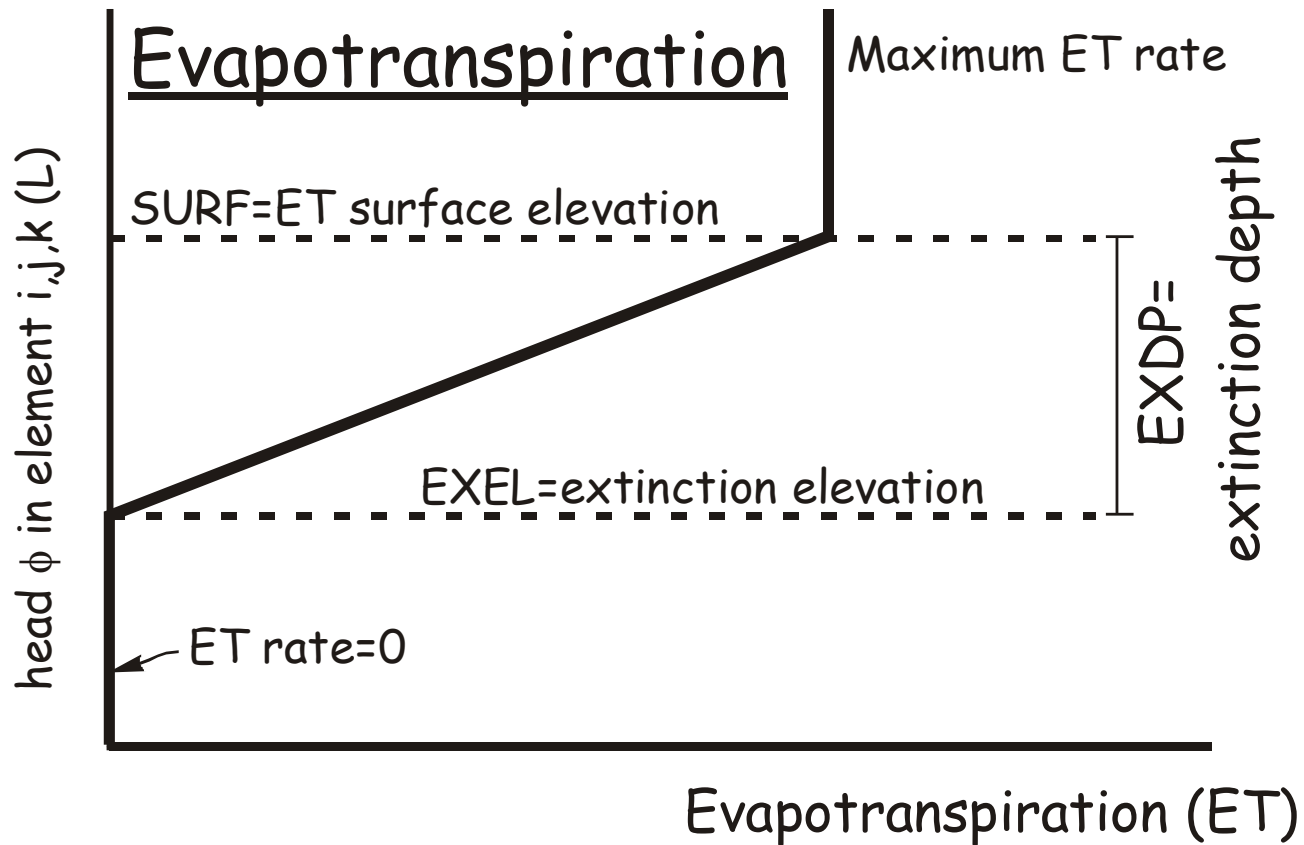
$$Q_{drn} = C_{drn} (\phi_{i,j,k} - d)$$

Special case: \longrightarrow

if $\phi_{i,j,k} < d$ than $Q_{drn} = 0$

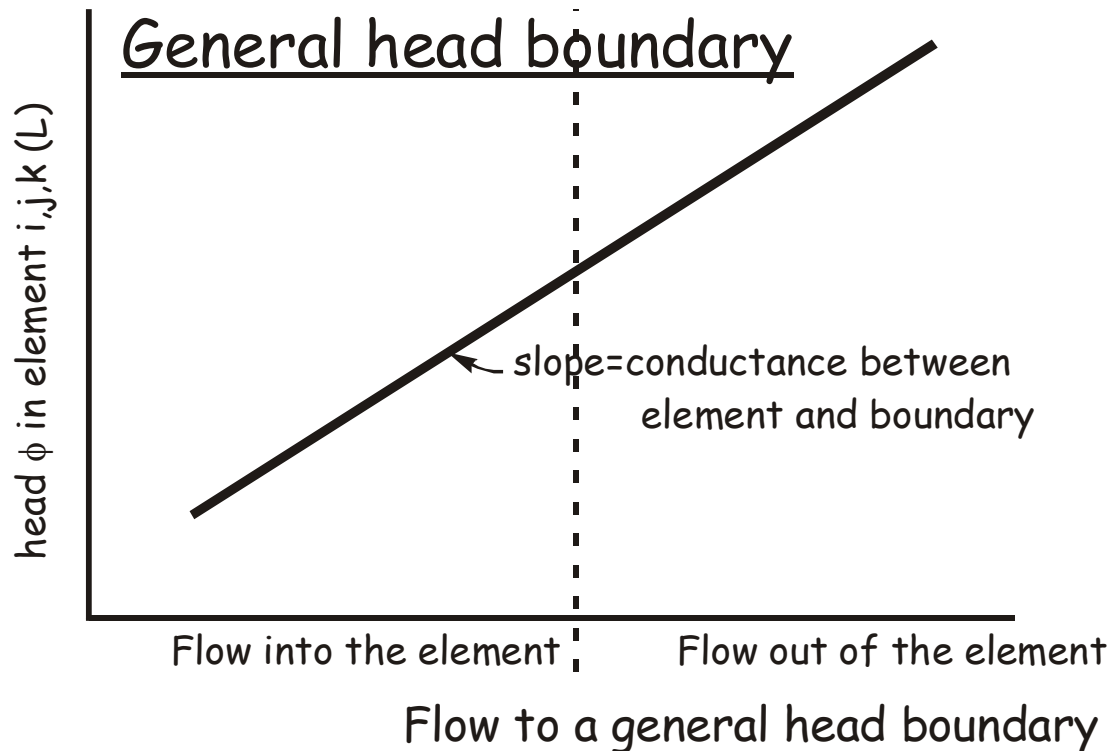
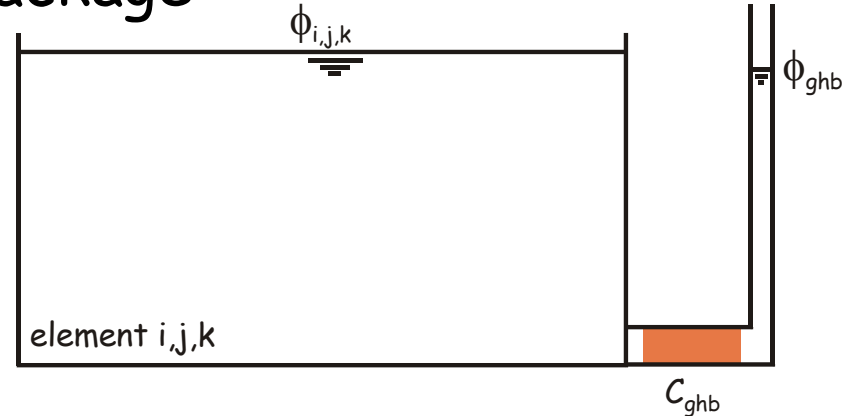


5. Evapotranspiration package



6. General head boundary package

$$Q_{ghb} = C_{ghb} (\phi_{ghb} - \phi_{i,j,k})$$



Time indication MODFLOW

ITMUNI=1: seconde

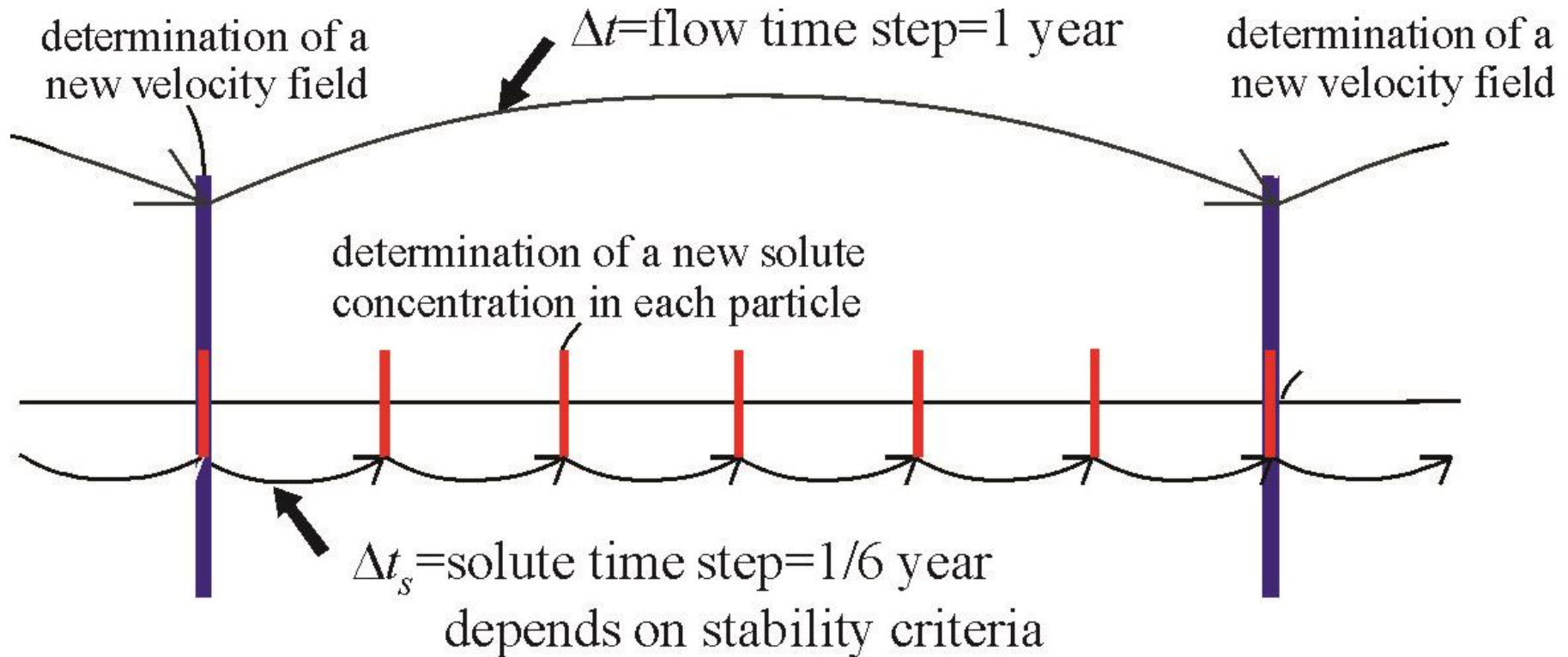
ITMUNI=2: minute

ITMUNI=3: hour

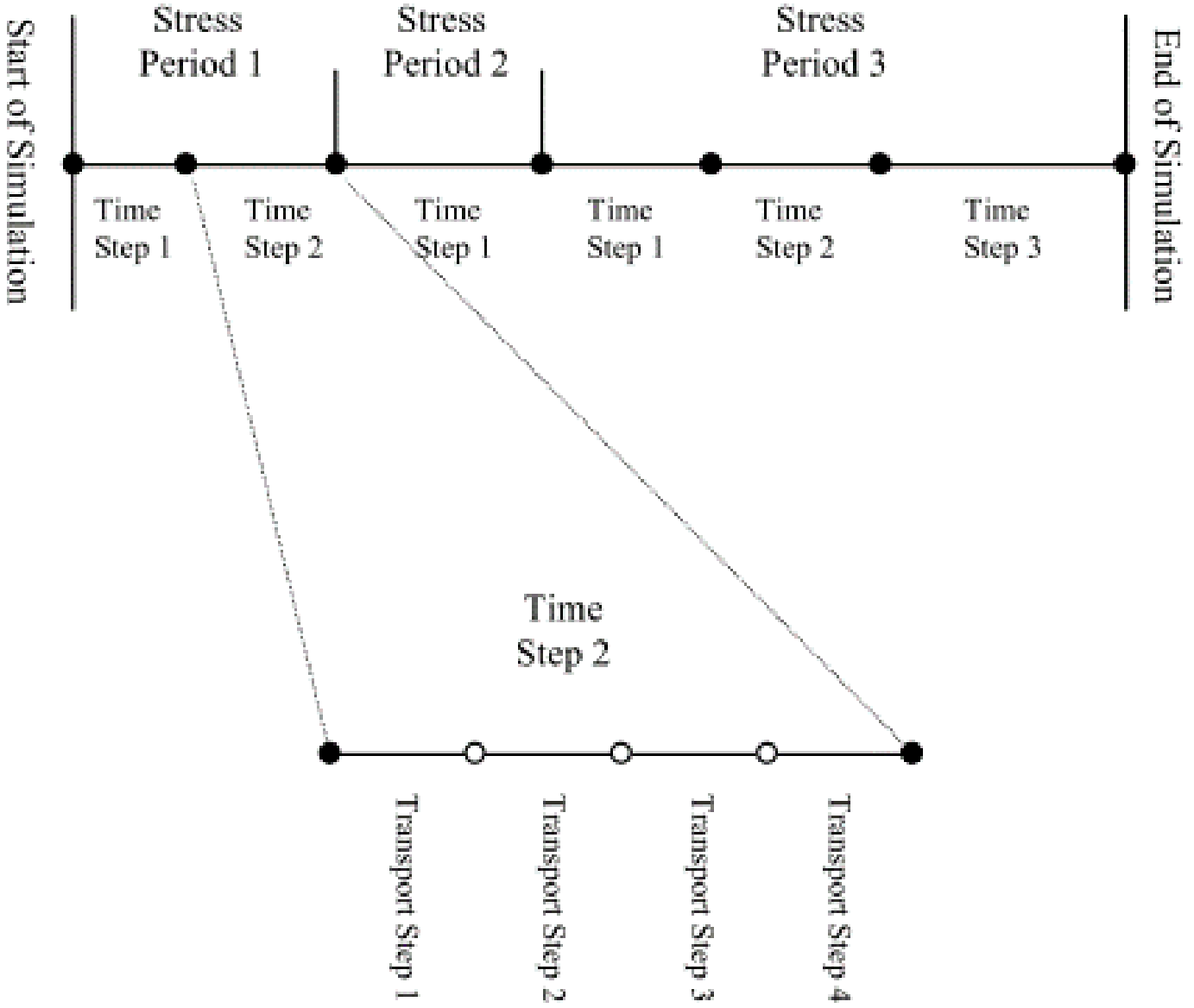
ITMUNI=4: day

ITMUNI=5: year

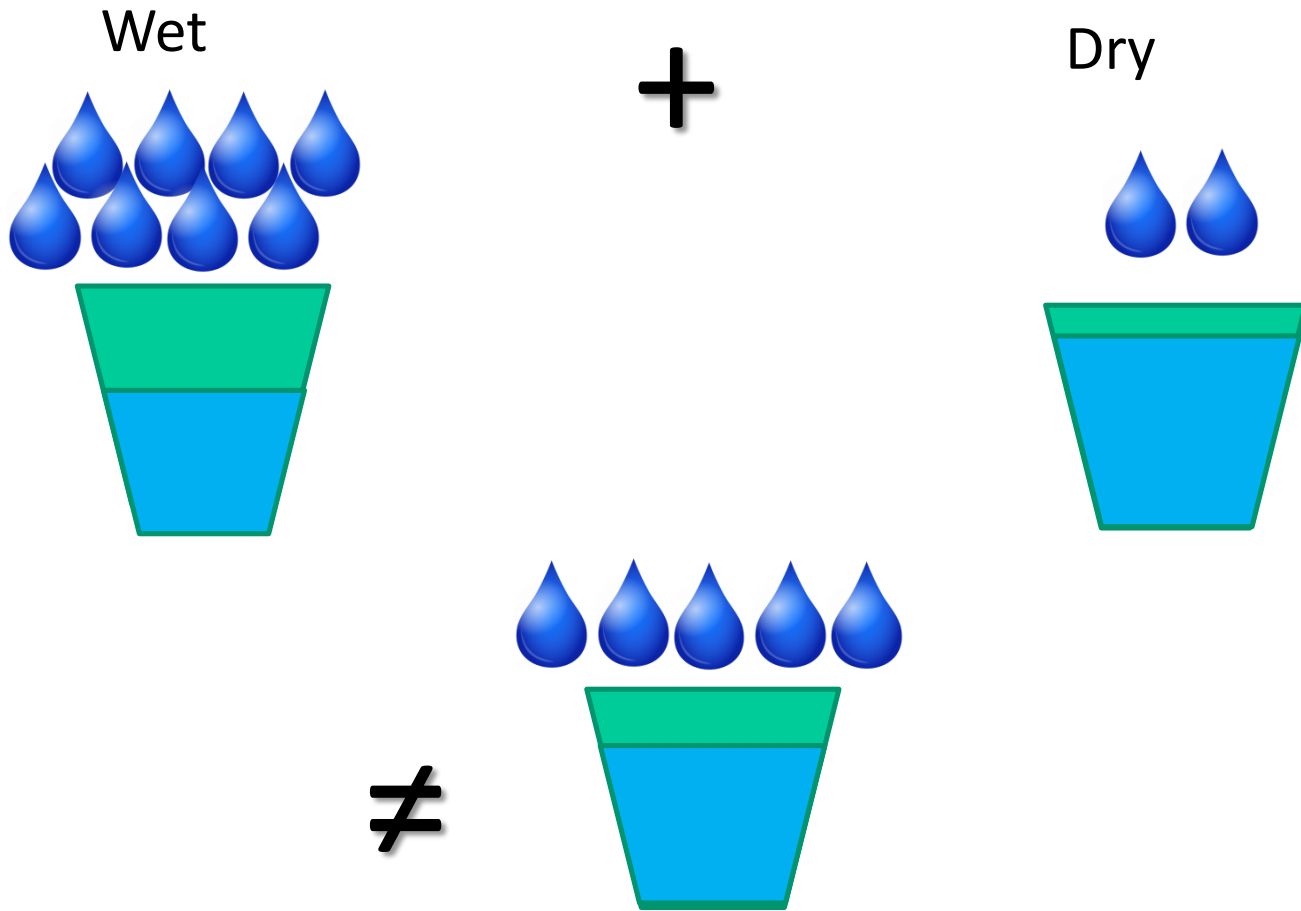
Flow time step and solute time step

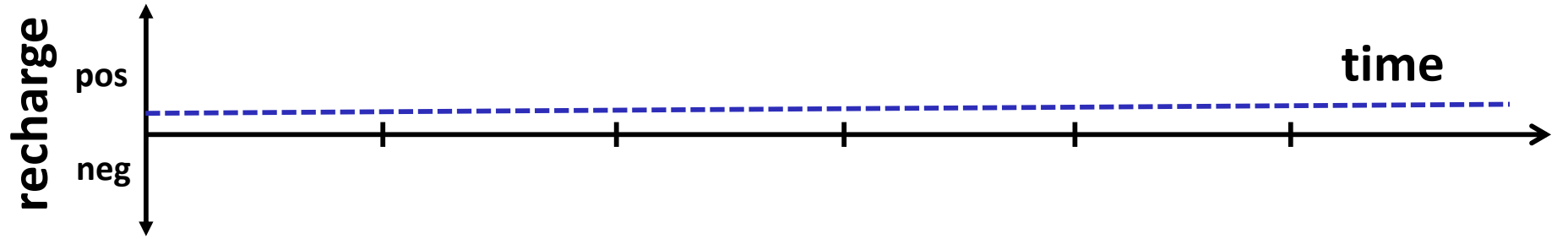


- * velocity field remains constant during 1 year
- * solute concentration changes during each solute time step

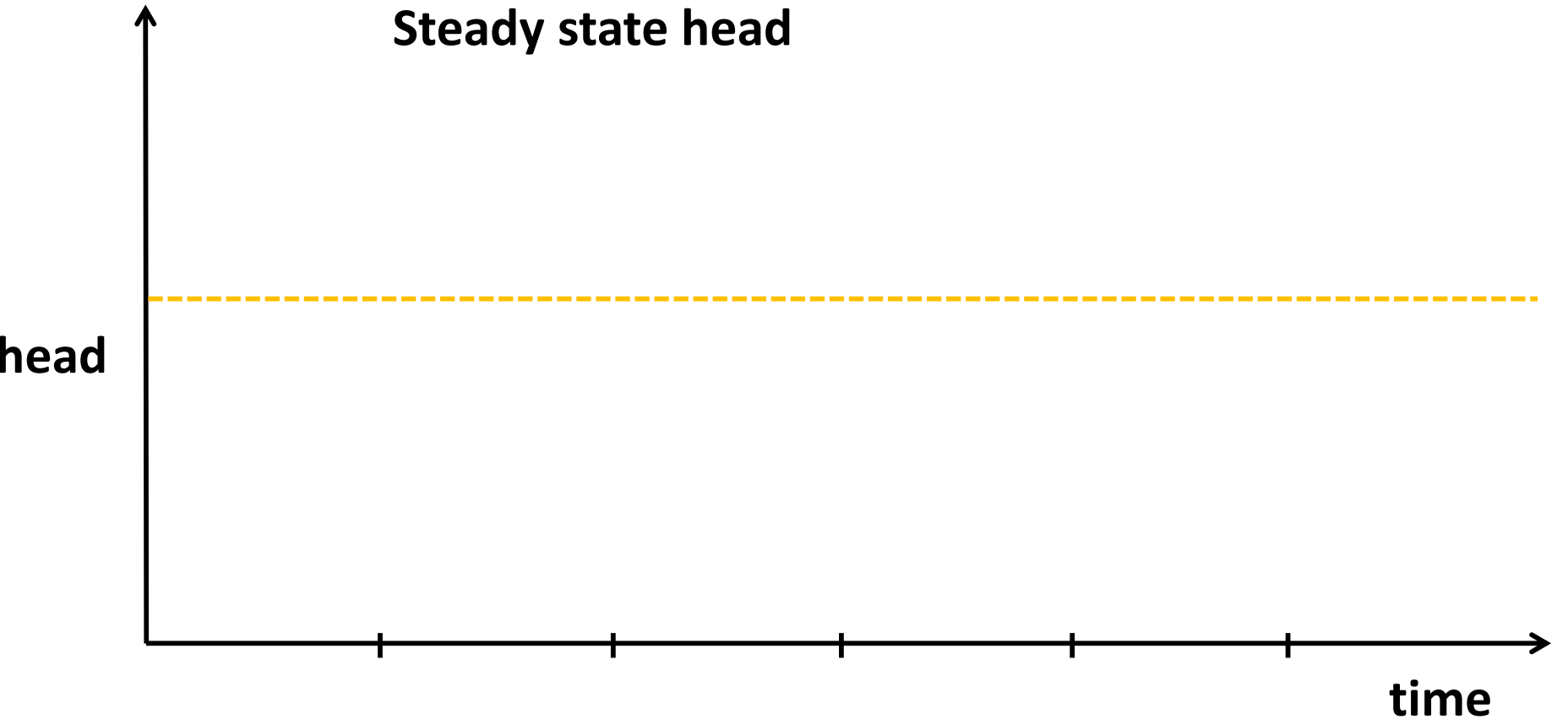


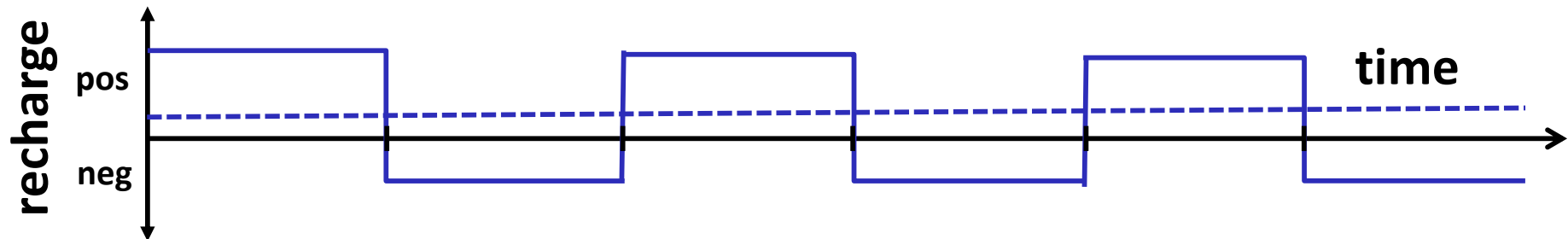
Acknowledge non-stationarity





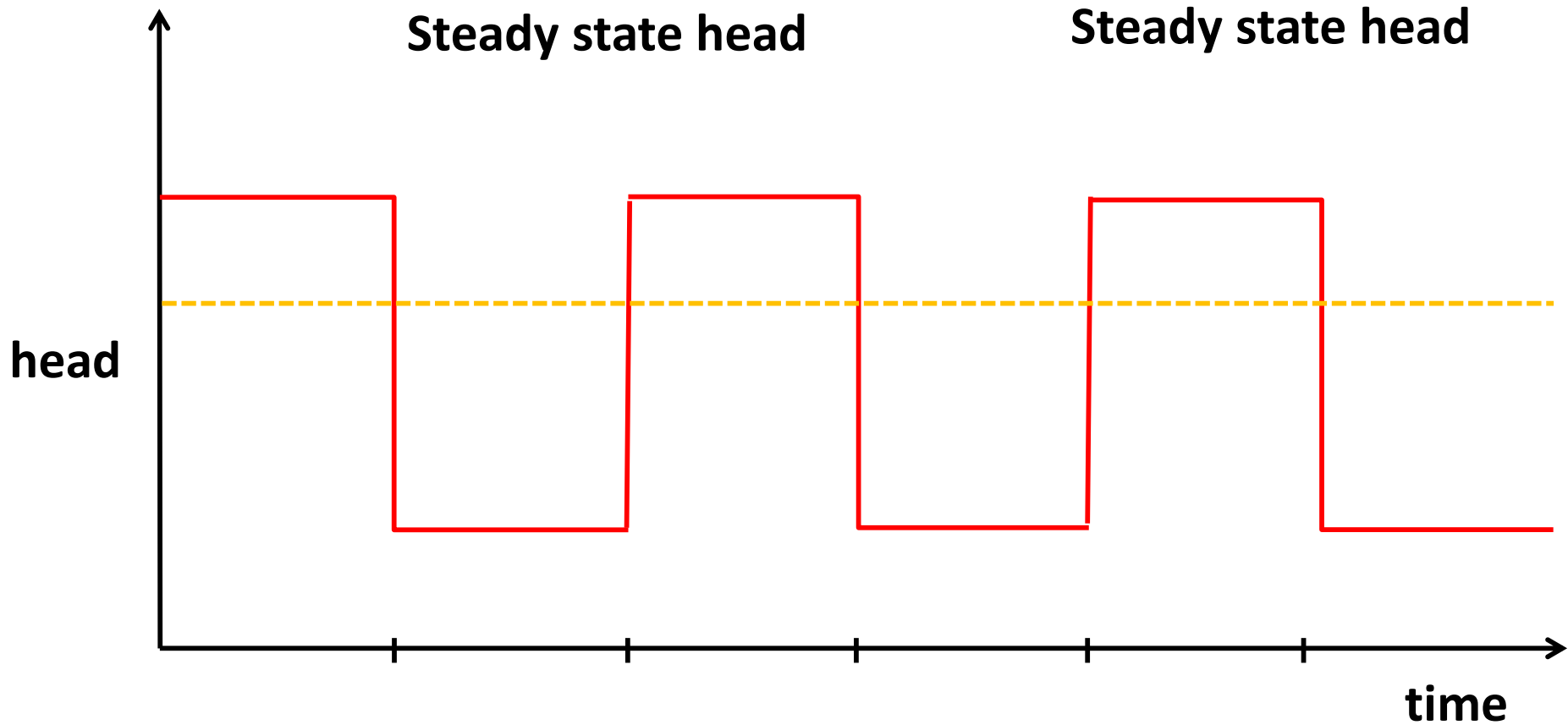
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Steady state head





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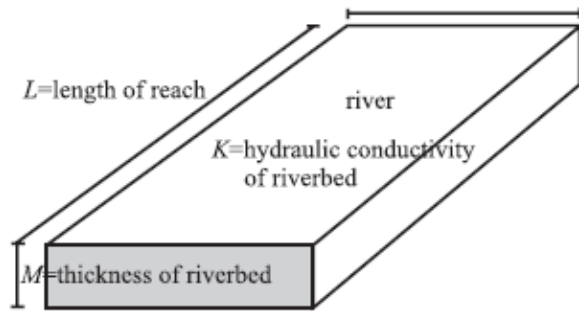
———— Seasonal
Steady state head



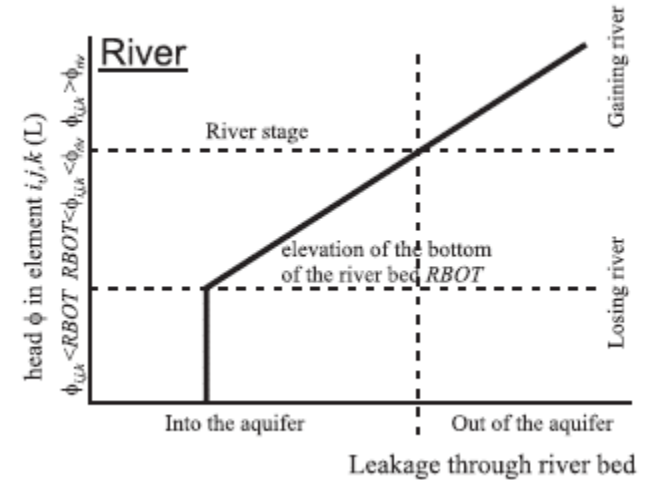
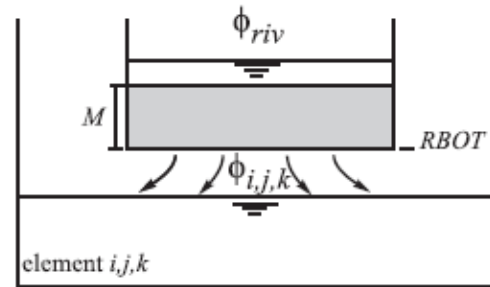
Non-linearity discharge systems, e.g. rivers

During high recharge fluxes, more water is discharged, and head is less high

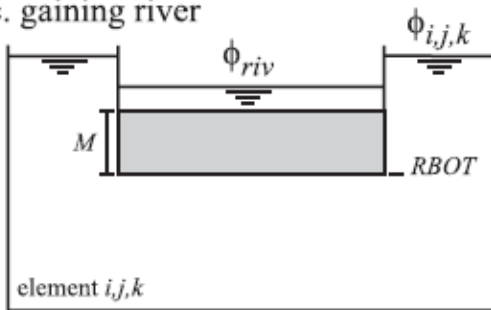
a. conductance of prism: $C=KLW/M$



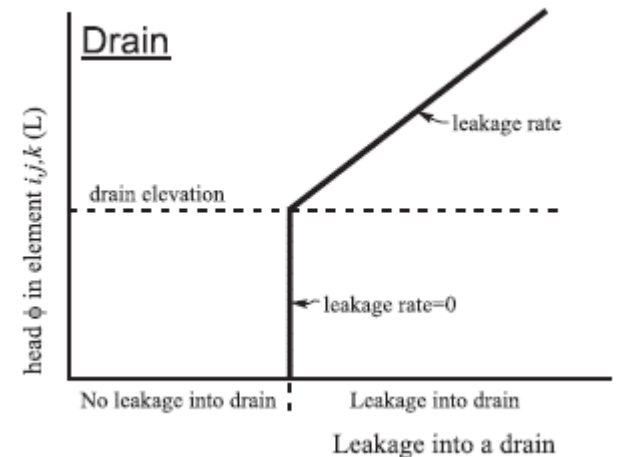
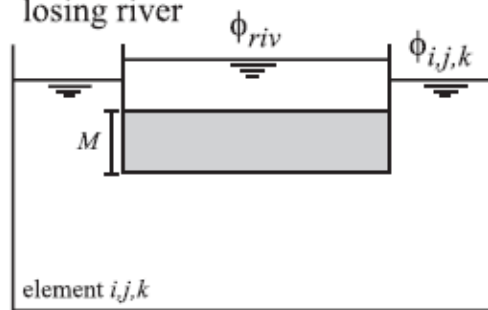
b. leakage in aquifer system

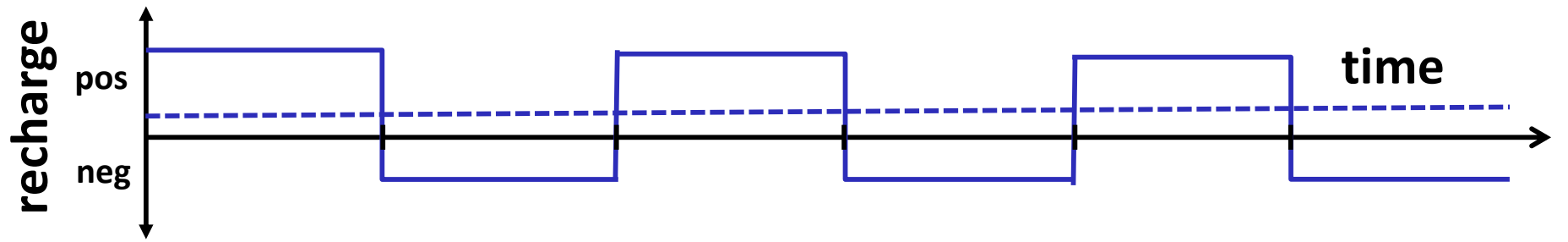


c. gaining river



losing river

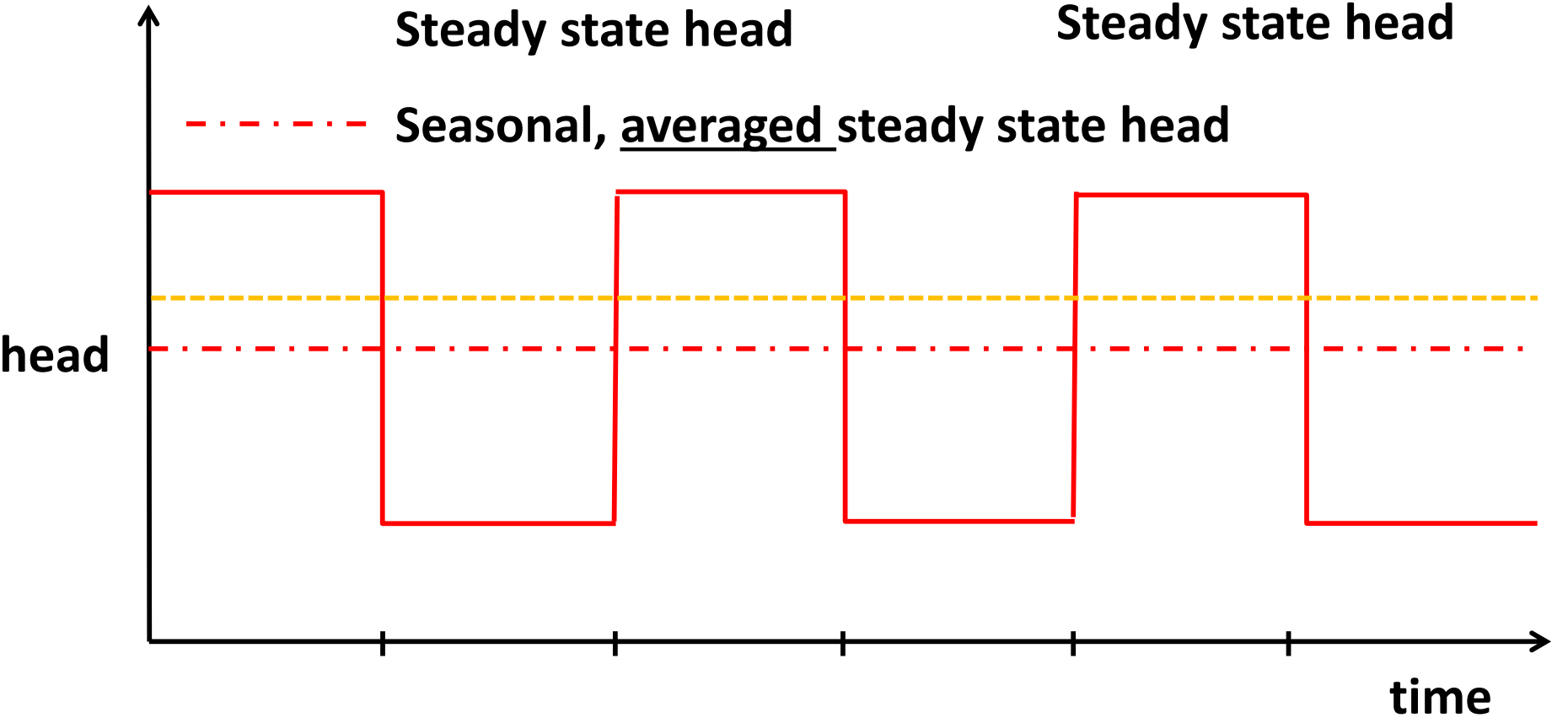


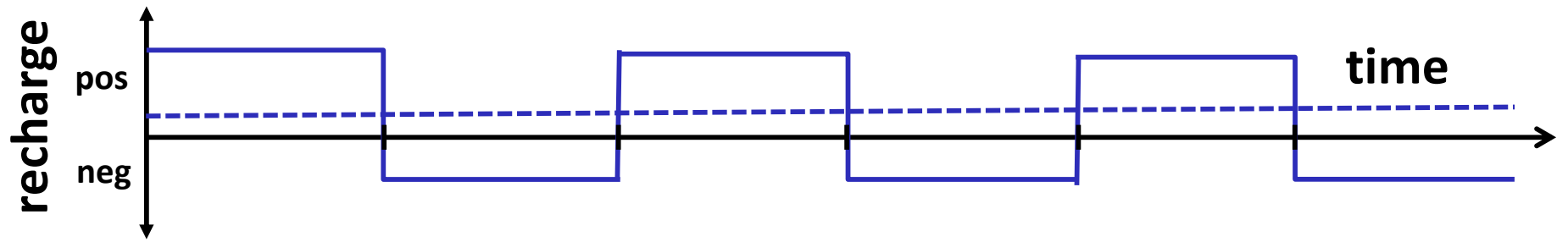


----- No season Steady state head

———— Seasonal Steady state head

- · - · - Seasonal, averaged steady state head





Extra issue: with smaller effective velocities, hydrodynamic disp. is smaller too

- - - - - No season
 ——— Steady state head
 ——— Transient head
 - · - · - Seasonal, averaged steady state head

