

# Numerical discretizations for shallow water equations with source terms on unstructured meshes

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## 2D shallow water equations

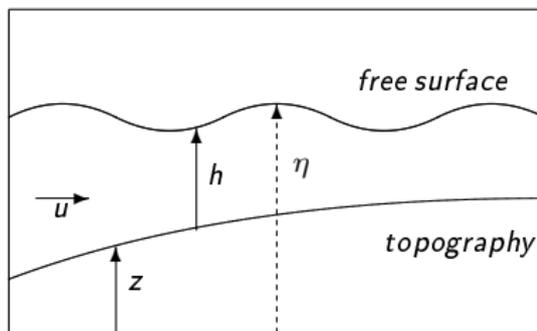
$$u_t + \nabla \cdot \mathcal{H}(u) = -\mathcal{B}(u, z) - \mathcal{F}(u), \quad \text{with}$$

$$u = \begin{pmatrix} h \\ q_x \\ q_y \end{pmatrix} \quad \mathcal{H}(u, z) = (F, G)(u, z) = \begin{pmatrix} q_x & q_y \\ \frac{q_x^2}{h} + \frac{1}{2}gh^2 & \frac{q_x q_y}{h} \\ \frac{q_x q_y}{h} & \frac{q_y^2}{h} + \frac{1}{2}gh^2 \end{pmatrix}$$

Source terms :

$$\mathcal{B}(u, z) = {}^t(0, gh\partial_x z, gh\partial_y z) \quad \mathcal{F}(u) = {}^t\left(0, \kappa \frac{\sqrt{q_x^2 + q_y^2}}{h^\gamma} q_x, \kappa \frac{\sqrt{q_x^2 + q_y^2}}{h^\gamma} q_y\right)$$

- $h$  : water height
- $\eta$  : free surface
- $z$  : topography
- $\mathbf{u} = (u, v)$  : velocity vector
- $\mathbf{q} = (q_x, q_y)$  : discharge vector



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# Pre-balanced formulation

Numerical requirements :

- Preservation of motionless steady states :  $\mathbf{u} = 0$  and  $\eta = cst.$
- h-positivity preservation.

⇒ "pre - balanced" set of equations [ Q. Liang and F. Marche. Numerical resolution of well-balanced shallow water equations with complex source terms. Advances in Water Resources, 2009.]

**Main idea :** Use  $\eta$  as a conservative variable (instead of  $h$ ).

## Derived formulation for the frictionless model

$$V_t + \nabla \cdot \tilde{H}(V, z) = \tilde{S}(V, z), \quad \text{with}$$

$$V = \begin{pmatrix} \eta \\ q_x \\ q_y \end{pmatrix} \quad \tilde{H}(V, z) = \begin{pmatrix} q_x & q_y \\ uq_x + \frac{1}{2}g(\eta^2 - 2\eta z) & vq_x \\ uq_y & vq_y + \frac{1}{2}g(\eta^2 - 2\eta z) \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\tilde{S}(V, z) = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -g\eta z_x \\ -g\eta z_y \end{pmatrix}.$$

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# Semi-discrete finite volume homogeneous scheme

$$|C_i| \frac{d}{dt} V_i + \sum_{k=1}^{\Lambda(i)} \int_{\Gamma_{ij(k)}} \tilde{H}(V, z) \cdot \vec{n}_{ij(k)} ds = 0.$$

Numerical flux function  $\mathcal{H} : (U, V, \vec{n}) \rightarrow \mathcal{H}(U, V, \vec{n})$  derived from 1D scheme (HLL, HLLC, VFroe ...).

- Lipschitz continuous.
- consistent with the exact flux :  $\mathcal{H}(U, U, \vec{n}) = \tilde{H}(U) \cdot \vec{n}$
- conservation property :  $\mathcal{H}(U, V, -\vec{n}) = -\mathcal{H}(V, U, -\vec{n})$

## Numerical flux through $\Gamma_{ij}$

$$\mathcal{H}_{ij} := \mathcal{H}(V_i^n, V_j^n, z, z, \vec{n}_{ij})$$

## Semi - discrete homogeneous scheme

$$|C_i| \frac{d}{dt} V_i + \sum_{k=1}^{\Lambda(i)} l_{ij(k)} \mathcal{H}_{ij(k)} = 0.$$

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## Modified Riemann states

Modification of the scheme to ensure positivity of  $h$  and account the source, even on wet/dry interfaces.

$i$  ("left") and  $j$  ("right") Riemann states at the edge  $\Gamma_{ij}$  :

- interface topography value :  $\tilde{z}_{ij} = \max(z_i, z_j)$
- wet/dry interface :  $\Delta_{ij} = \max(0, \tilde{z}_{ij} - \eta_i)$
- new interface topography value :

$$\bar{z}_{ij} = \tilde{z}_{ij} - \Delta_{ij}$$

→ *Modified hydrostatic reconstruction* (Audusse, 2004)

- non negative reconstruction of  $h$  :

$$h_{ij}^* = \max(0, \eta_i - \tilde{z}_{ij}), \quad h_{ji}^* = \max(0, \eta_j - \tilde{z}_{ij})$$

- reconstruction of the free surface :

$$\eta_{ij}^* = h_{ij}^* + \tilde{z}_{ij} - \Delta_{ij}, \quad \eta_{ji}^* = h_{ji}^* + \tilde{z}_{ij} - \Delta_{ij}$$

## New edges values

$$V_{ij}^* = (\eta_{ij}^*, h_{ij}^* \mathbf{u}_i), \quad V_{ji}^* = (\eta_{ji}^*, h_{ji}^* \mathbf{u}_j).$$

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# Formulation of the first order scheme

## Source term : a convenient discretization

$$S_{c,i} = \sum_{k=1}^{\Lambda(i)} \ell_{ij(k)} S_{c,ij(k)} = \sum_{k=1}^{\Lambda(i)} \ell_{ij(k)} \left( g \hat{\eta}_{ij(k)} (z_i - \bar{z}_{ij(k)}) \vec{n}_{ij(k)} \right),$$

where  $\hat{\eta}_{ij}$  is an approximation of  $\eta$  at the edge  $\Gamma_{ij}$  ; we take  $\hat{\eta}_{ij} = \frac{\eta_i + \eta_j}{2}$ .

## First order scheme

$$|C_i| \frac{V_i^{n+1} - V_i^n}{\Delta t} + \sum_{k=1}^{\Lambda(i)} l_{ij(k)} \mathcal{H}_s(V_{ij(k)}^*, V_{j(k)i}^*, z_i, z_j, \vec{n}_{ij(k)}) = 0, \quad \text{with}$$

$$\mathcal{H}_s(V_{ij}^*, V_{ji}^*, z_i, z_j, \vec{n}_{ij}) = \mathcal{H}(V_{ij}^*, V_{ji}^*, \bar{z}_{ij}, \bar{z}_{ij}, \vec{n}_{ij}) - S_{c,ij}.$$

## Main properties

- Well Balancing for motionless steady states.
- Robustness (preservation of the positivity of the water height) under an appropriate CFL.

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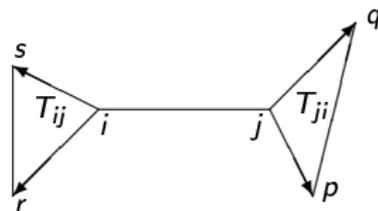
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# Numerical gradient approximations

⇒ substitute in the numerical flux function  $\mathcal{H}_{ij} = \mathcal{H}(V_i^n, V_j^n, \vec{n}_{ij})$ , the values  $V_i$  and  $V_j$  by "better" interpolations  $V_{ij}$  and  $V_{ji}$  at the interface  $\Gamma_{ij}$ .

Strategy : [ S. Camarri, M.V. Salvetti, B. Koobus, and A. Dervieux. A low-diffusion muscl scheme for les on unstructured grids. Computers and Fluids, 2004. ] :

- $\hat{V} = (\eta, q_x, q_y, h)$  : augmented vector.
- $T_{ij}$  and  $T_{ji}$  are, respectively, the upstream and downstream triangles, from the initial triangulation  $\mathcal{T}$ , with respect to the edge  $ij$ .



- $\nabla \hat{V}_{T_k}$  :  $P_1$  gradient from a continuous and linear interpolation of  $\hat{V}$  on the triangle  $T_k$ .
- $\nabla \hat{V}_{ij}^- = \nabla \hat{V}_{T_{ij}} \cdot \vec{ij}$ .
- $\nabla \hat{V}_{ij}^c = \hat{V}_j - \hat{V}_i$  : centered gradient.
- $\nabla \hat{V}_{ij}^{h^o} = \frac{1}{3} \nabla \hat{V}_{ij}^- + \frac{2}{3} \nabla \hat{V}_{ij}^c$  : more accurate way of evaluating the variation of  $\hat{V}$ .

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## New edge values

We set :  $\mathcal{L}_{ij}(\hat{V}) = \mathcal{L}(\nabla \hat{V}_{ij}^-, \nabla \hat{V}_{ij}^c, \nabla \hat{V}_{ij}^{h^o})$ , where  $\mathcal{L}$  is a three entries continuous limiter :

$$\mathcal{L}(a, b, c) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } \text{sgn}(a) \neq \text{sgn}(b), \\ \text{sgn}(a) \min(|2a|, |2b|, |c|) & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

### Interpolated values on $\Gamma_{ij}$

$$\hat{V}_{ij} = \hat{V}_i + \frac{1}{2} \mathcal{L}_{ij}(\hat{V}), \quad \hat{V}_{ji} = \hat{V}_j - \frac{1}{2} \mathcal{L}_{ji}(\hat{V}).$$

### Riemann states

- reconstructed values for topography :  $z_{ij} = \eta_{ij} - h_{ij}$  and  $z_{ji} = \eta_{ji} - h_{ji}$
- $\tilde{z}_{ij} = \max(z_{ij}, z_{ji})$ ,  $\Delta_{ij} = \max(0, \tilde{z}_{ij} - \eta_{ij})$
- new interface topography values :  $\bar{z}_{ij} = \tilde{z}_{ij} - \Delta_{ij}$
- water height and free surface reconstruction :

$$h_{ij}^* = \max(0, \eta_{ij} - \tilde{z}_{ij}), \quad h_{ji}^* = \max(0, \eta_{ji} - \tilde{z}_{ij})$$

$$\eta_{ij}^* = h_{ij}^* + \bar{z}_{ij} - \Delta_{ij}, \quad \eta_{ji}^* = h_{ji}^* + \bar{z}_{ij} - \Delta_{ij}$$

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# Semi-discrete second order finite volume scheme

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## Reconstructed variable vectors

$$V_{ij}^* = (\eta_{ij}^*, h_{ij}^* \mathbf{u}_{ij}), \quad V_{ji}^* = (\eta_{ji}^*, h_{ji}^* \mathbf{u}_{ji})$$

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## Source term

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$$\text{with } \hat{\eta}_{ij(k)} = (h_{ij}^* + h_{ji}^*)/2.$$

## Second-order finite volume scheme

$$|C_i| \frac{d}{dt} V_i + \sum_{k=1}^{\Lambda(i)} \ell_{ij(k)} \mathcal{H}_s(V_{ij(k)}^*, V_{j(k)i}^*, z_i, z_j, \vec{n}_{ij(k)}) = 0, \quad \text{with}$$

$$\mathcal{H}_s(V_{ij}^*, V_{ji}^*, z_i, z_j, \vec{n}_{ij}) = \mathcal{H}(V_{ij}^*, V_{ji}^*, \bar{z}_{ij}, \bar{z}_{ij}, \vec{n}_{ij}) - S_{c,ij}.$$

⇒ Same discretization as the first order for the source term !

# Accuracy validation

⇒ analysis of the scheme's accuracy and convergence rate.

- $\Omega = 20 \times 5$  channel. Splitted grid with  $h_n = \frac{20}{n}$ ,  $n = 20, 40, 80, 160$ .
- topography :  $z(x, y) = 0.8e^{-5(x-10.9)^2} - 50(y-0.5)^2$ .
- inflow boundary (left) : enforced discharge  $\mathbf{q} = (4.42, 0)$   
outflow boundary (right) :  $\eta = h = 2$ .

⇒ Stationary flow for which an exact solution is available.

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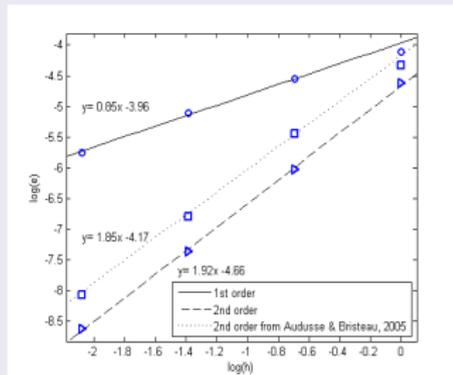
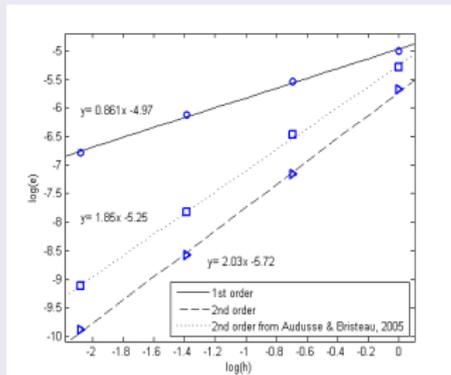
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## Convergence rate



Convergence curves in a logarithmic scale for  $\eta$  (left) and  $u$  (right).

# Carrier and Greenspan transient solution (1/2)

- ⇒ behavior of the scheme near wet/dry interfaces.
- ⇒ accuracy validation : comparison with exact solution and convergence toward a steady state.

- computational domain :  $\Omega = [-20, 6] \times [0, 10]$ .
- initial condition and time-evolving boundary condition on the left side provided by the exact solution.

## Shoreline evolution

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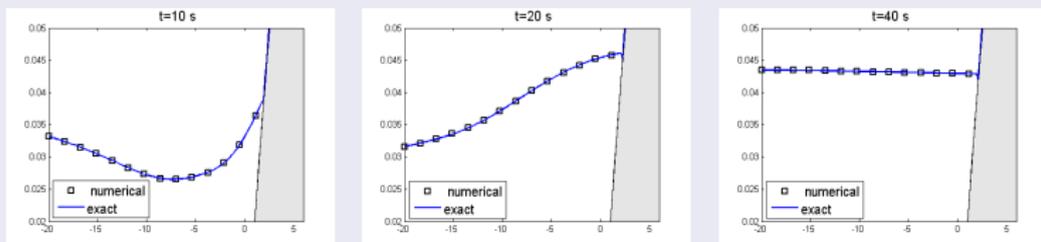
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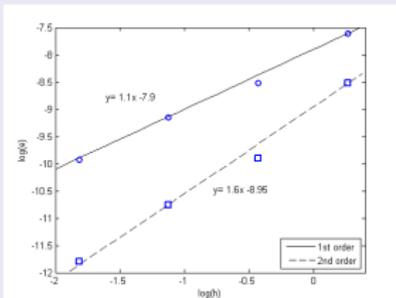
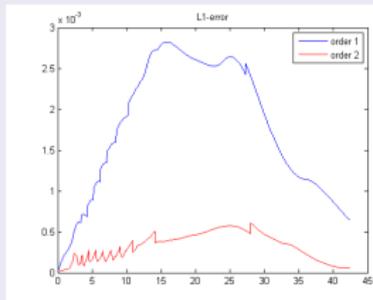
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## Carrier and Greenspan transient solution (2/2)

## shoreline evolution



→ Free surface profile at times  $t=10s$ ,  $20s$  and  $40s$ .

 $L^1$  error analysis

Time series of the  $L^1$  error for first and second order schemes ;  $\Delta x = 0.26$  (left).  
Convergence rate study for increasing refined regular meshes (right)

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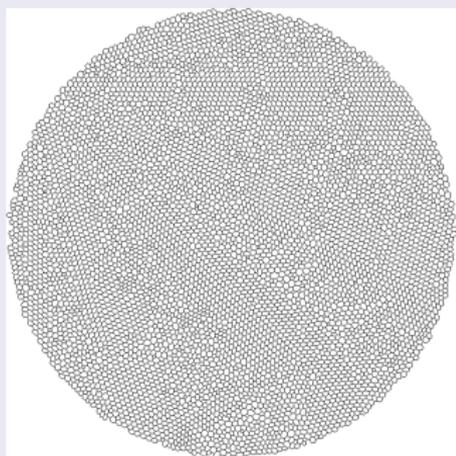
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# Oscillatory flow in a parabolic basin

- ⇒ 2D test case involving dry areas.
- ⇒ comparison with an exact solution.

## Free surface evolution



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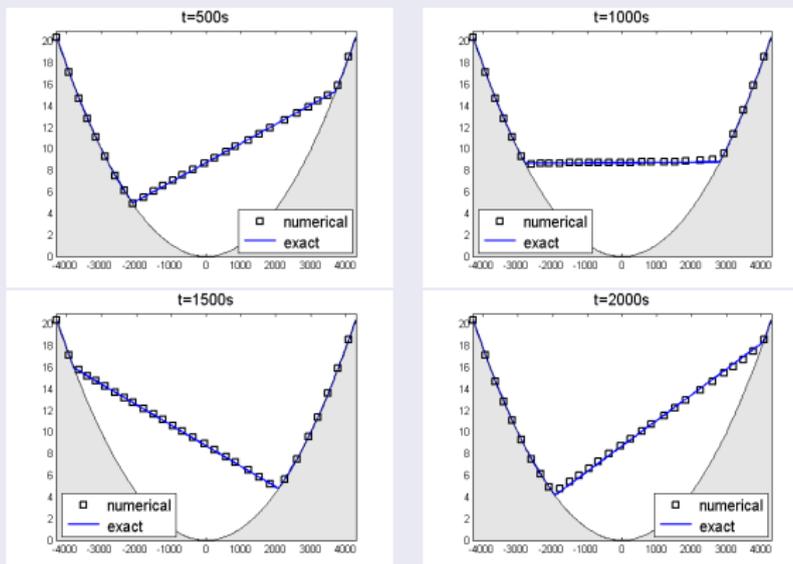
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# Comparison with the exact solution

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## Free surface profile along the x-direction middle section



Time history of the free surface at times  $t=500s$ ,  $1000s$ ,  $1500s$  and  $2000s$ .

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## Small perturbation of a lake at rest (1/3)

- ⇒ well - balancing property of the first and second order model.
- ⇒ efficiency of the low diffusion second order reconstruction.

- $\Omega = [0, 2] \times [0, 1]$  channel. Unstructured triangulation with 11476 nodes.
- topography :  $z(x, y) = 0.8e^{-5(x-10.9)^2 - 50(y-0.5)^2}$ .
- perturbation of the initial steady state :

$$\eta(x, y, 0) = \begin{cases} 1.01 & \text{if } 0.05 < x < 0.15, \\ 1 & \text{elsewhere.} \end{cases}$$

## 3D surface evolution

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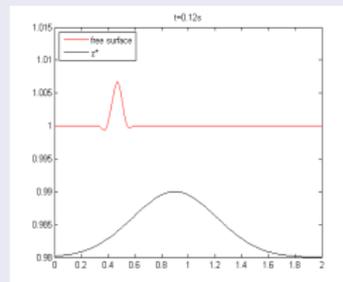
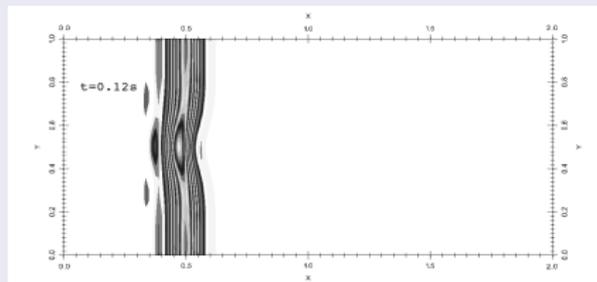
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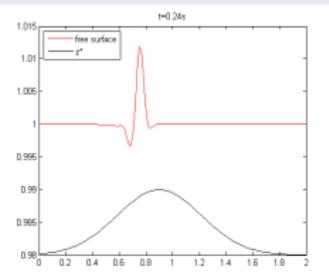
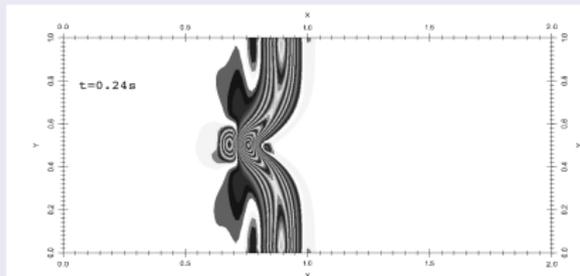
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# Small perturbation of a lake at rest (2/3)

## Free surface evolution



Free surface elevation at  $t=0.12\text{s}$  : contour and vertical section at  $y=0.5\text{m}$ .



Free surface elevation at  $t=0.24\text{s}$  : contour and vertical section at  $y=0.5\text{m}$ .

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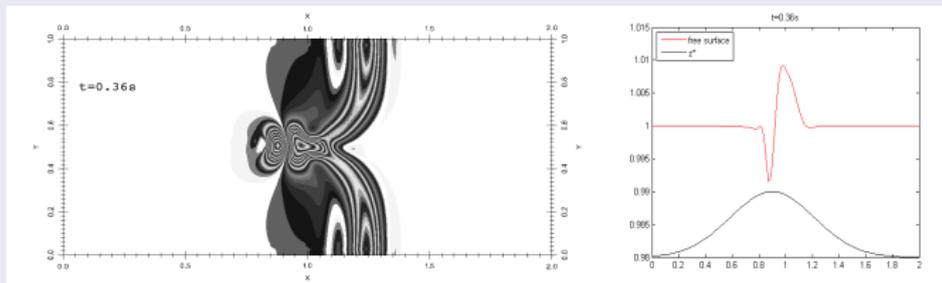
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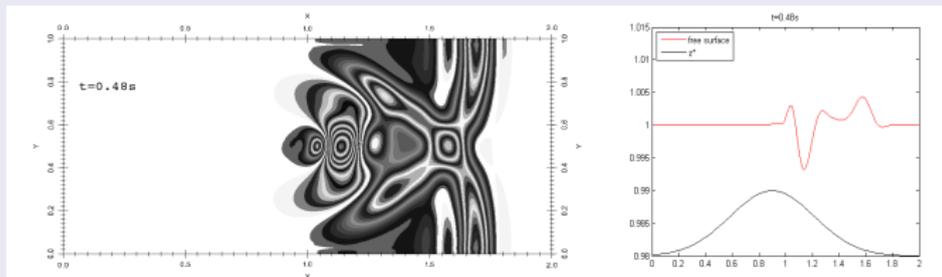
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# Small perturbation of a lake at rest (3/3)

## Free surface evolution



Free surface elevation at  $t=0.36s$  : contour and vertical section at  $y=0.5m$ .



Free surface elevation at  $t=0.48s$  : contour and vertical section at  $y=0.5m$ .

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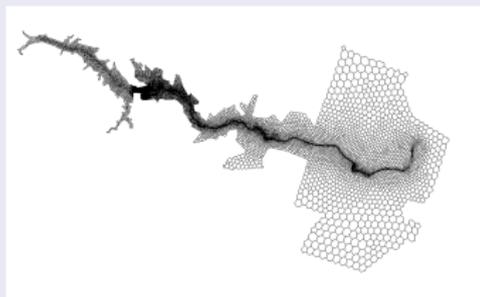
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# Malpasset dam break

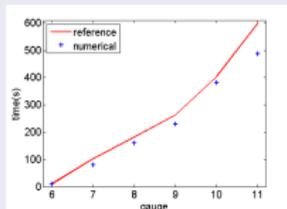
Reyran river valley (South of France), 1959. Varying topography and complex geometry : benchmark test for dam-break models.

## Topography and dual mesh



The Malpasset dam break: topography of the river (top) and vertex-centered dual mesh (bottom)

## Time series of the water level



→ Comparison with experimental data from gauge 6 to 11.

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# The 1D scheme

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**Main idea** : Modification of the intermediate states in the HLL Riemann solver  
: introduce the friction directly in the intermediate states.

[Berthon C., Marche F., Turpault R. : An efficient scheme on wet/dry transitions for shallow water equations with friction. Computers and Fluids, 2011]

## Modified approximated Riemann solver

$$\tilde{U}_R\left(\frac{x}{t}, U_L, U_R\right) = \begin{cases} U_L & \text{if } \frac{x}{t} \leq a^- \\ U^* + (1 - \alpha)(U_L^* - U^* - \frac{h^\eta}{\kappa} \mathcal{F}(U_L)) & \text{if } a^- \leq \frac{x}{t} \leq 0 \\ U^* + (1 - \alpha)(U_R^* - U^* - \frac{h^\eta}{\kappa} \mathcal{F}(U_R)) & \text{if } 0 \leq \frac{x}{t} \leq a^+ \\ U_R & \text{if } \frac{x}{t} \geq a^+ \end{cases},$$

with

$$U_L\left(\frac{x}{t}, U_L, U_R\right) = \begin{pmatrix} h^*\left(\frac{x}{t}, U_L, U_R\right) \\ h_L U_L \end{pmatrix}, \quad U_R\left(\frac{x}{t}, U_L, U_R\right) = \begin{pmatrix} h^*\left(\frac{x}{t}, U_L, U_R\right) \\ h_R U_R \end{pmatrix}$$

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## New updated values

$$\begin{aligned}
 h_i^{n+1} &= h_i^n - \frac{\Delta t}{\Delta x} (G_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^h - G_{i-\frac{1}{2}}^h) \\
 (hu)_i^{n+1} &= (hu)_i^n - \frac{\Delta t}{\Delta x} \left[ \alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}} G_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^{hu} - \alpha_{i-\frac{1}{2}} G_{i-\frac{1}{2}}^{hu} \right. \\
 &\quad \left. - ((1 - \alpha_{i-\frac{1}{2}}) s_{i-\frac{1}{2}}^{+,u} + (1 - \alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}}) s_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^{-,u}) \right]
 \end{aligned}$$

- $$\alpha_{i+\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{h_{i+\frac{1}{2}} (a_{i+\frac{1}{2}} - a_{i-\frac{1}{2}})}{h_{i+\frac{1}{2}} (a_{i+\frac{1}{2}} - a_{i-\frac{1}{2}}) + q_{i+\frac{1}{2}} \kappa / \Delta x}$$

with  $h_{i+\frac{1}{2}} = ((h_i^n)^n + (h_{i+1}^n)^n) / 2$ ,  $q_{i+\frac{1}{2}} = ((hu)_i^n + (hu)_{i+1}^n) / 2$

- $$\begin{aligned}
 s_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^{-,u} &= \min(0, a_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^-) (hu)_i^n - \min(0, a_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^+) (hu)_{i+1}^n + G^{hu}(U_i^n) \\
 s_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^{+,u} &= \max(0, a_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^-) (hu)_i^n - \max(0, a_{i+\frac{1}{2}}^+) (hu)_{i+1}^n + G^{hu}(U_i^n)
 \end{aligned}$$

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## Extension to the 2D unstructured case

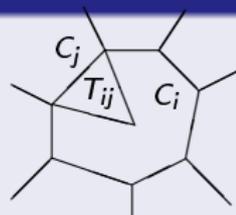
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## 2D model

$$u_i^{n+1} = \sum_{j \in K_i} \frac{|T_{ij}|}{C_i} \tilde{u}_{ij}^{n+1}, \quad \text{with}$$

$$\tilde{u}_{ij}^{n+1} = u_i^n - \frac{\Delta t}{|T_{ij}|} l_{ij} \left( \phi(U_i^n, U_j^n, \vec{n}_{ij}) - \phi(U_i^n, U_i^n, \vec{n}_{ij}) \right)$$



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⇒ **Natural extension :**

1D fluxes at  
the node i :  $G_{i-\frac{1}{2}}, G_{i+\frac{1}{2}}$  ↔ fluxes of the 3 point  
scheme on  $\Gamma_{ij}$  :  
 $\phi(u_i^n, u_j^n, \vec{n}_{ij}), \phi(u_i^n, u_i^n, \vec{n}_{ij})$

$$\frac{u_i \rightleftharpoons u_j}{\Delta x = l_{ij}/|T_{ij}|}$$

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## New updated interface contribution vector

$$\begin{aligned} \tilde{h}_{ij}^n &= h_i^n - \frac{l_{ij} \Delta t}{|T_{ij}|} \left( \phi_{ij}^h(u_i^n, u_j^n, \vec{n}_{ij}) - \phi_{ii}^h(u_i^n, u_i^n, \vec{n}_{ij}) \right) \\ (\tilde{hu})_{ij}^n &= (hu)_i^n - \frac{l_{ij} \Delta t}{|T_{ij}|} \left[ \alpha_{ij} \phi^{hu}(u_i^n, u_j^n, \vec{n}_{ij}) - \alpha_{ii} \phi^{hu}(u_i^n, u_i^n, \vec{n}_{ij}) \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \left( (1 - \alpha_{ii}) s_{ii}^{+,u} + (1 - \alpha_{ij}) s_{ij}^{-,u} \right) \right] \\ (\tilde{hv})_{ij}^n &= (hv)_i^n - \frac{l_{ij} \Delta t}{|T_{ij}|} \left[ \alpha_{ij} \phi^{hv}(u_i^n, u_j^n, \vec{n}_{ij}) - \alpha_{ii} \phi^{hv}(u_i^n, u_i^n, \vec{n}_{ij}) \right. \\ &\quad \left. - \left( (1 - \alpha_{ii}) s_{ii}^{+,v} + (1 - \alpha_{ij}) s_{ij}^{-,v} \right) \right] \end{aligned}$$

## Second order extension

⇒ Same numerical strategy as the previous scheme :

Augmented vector :  $\hat{v} = (\eta, q_x, q_y, h)$ .

New interfaces values :

$$\hat{v}_{ij} = \hat{v}_i + \frac{1}{2} \mathcal{L}_{ij}(\hat{v}), \quad \hat{v}_{ji} = \hat{v}_j - \frac{1}{2} \mathcal{L}_{ji}(\hat{v})$$

### New values for the flux computation

$$\mathbf{u}_{ij} = \mathbf{q}_{ij}/h_{ij} \quad , \quad u_{ij} = (h_{ij}, h_{ij} \mathbf{u}_{ij})$$

### Second order convex combination component

$$\tilde{u}_{ij}^{n+1} = u_i^n - \frac{\Delta t}{|T_{ij}|} h_{ij} \left( \phi(u_{ij}^n, u_{ji}^n, \bar{n}_{ij}) - \phi(u_i^n, u_i^n, \bar{n}_{ij}) \right)$$

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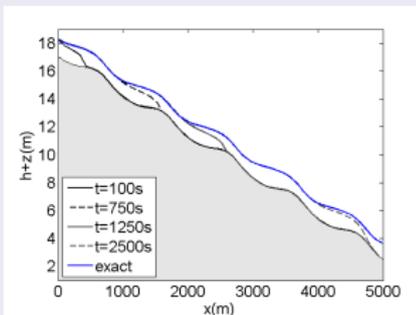
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## Periodic subcritical flow

- ⇒ convergence toward a steady state ; comparison with analytical solution.
- ⇒ efficiency of the model near wet/dry transitions.

- $\Omega = 5000 \times 500$  channel. Cartesian splitted grid with  $\Delta x = \Delta y = 0.33m$
- steady state for the water height :  $h_{ref}(x, y) = \frac{9}{8} + \frac{1}{4} \sin(\frac{\pi x}{500})$
- left boundary condition :  $h = h_{ref}(0), q_x = 2m.s^{-1}$ .
- iterative method for the topography profile computation (see [Delestre O., Marche F. : A numerical scheme for a viscous shallow water model with friction. Journal of Scientific Computing. 2010]).
- Manning-Chezy friction term :  $\eta = 10/3$  and  $\kappa = n^2$  with  $n = 2$ .

## Evolution of the free surface



→ Time history of the free surface elevation (t=100s, 750s, 1250s, 2500s).

⇒ Convergence toward the steady state.

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# Dam - break with friction

⇒ accuracy of the wave speed computation on a flat and wet bottom context.

- computational domain :  $\Omega = [-10, 10] \times [0, 4]$ . Splitted cartesian grid, with  $\Delta x = \Delta y = 0.1$  ; 8241 nodes.
- initial condition :  $h(x, y) = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } x < 0, \\ 0 & \text{elsewhere.} \end{cases}$
- approximated solution provided by [Chanson H. Analytical solution of dam break wave with flow resistance. Application to tsunami surges. XXXI IAHR Congress. 2005].
- Darcy formulation for bed friction :  $\mathcal{F} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \frac{f}{8gh} |\mathbf{u}| \mathbf{u} \end{pmatrix}$ , with  $f = 0.05$ .

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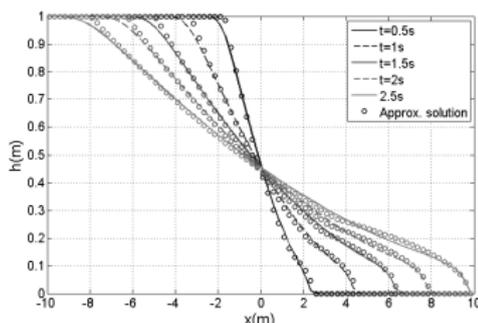
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## Time history of the wet/dry interface location



→ **Water depth profiles  
on the middle section at  
 $t=0, 1, 1.5, 2, 2.5$ s**

⇒ The evolution of the  
shoreline seems to be accu-  
rately computed.

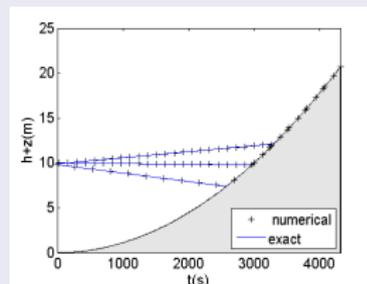
## Moving boundary over a quadratic bottom (1/2)

- ⇒ accuracy validation : comparison with the exact solution.
- ⇒ wet/dry interfaces : evolution of the shoreline.

- $\Omega = 4320 \times 500$  basin.
- topography :  $z(x, y) = h_0 \left( \left( \frac{x}{a} \right)^2 - 1 \right)$ , with  $h_0 = 10$  and  $a = 3000$ .
- analytical solution available.
- linear friction term :  $\mathcal{F} = \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ \kappa \mathbf{q} \end{pmatrix}$ , with  $\kappa = 0.001$ .

## Free surface profiles

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Evolution of the flow and free surface elevation along the x-direction centerline at times  $t=0s, 300s$  and  $650s$ .

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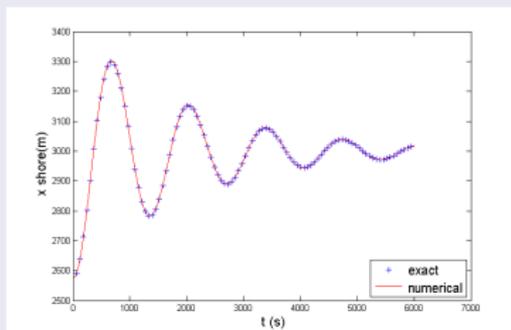
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# Moving boundary over a quadratic bottom (2/2)

## Location of the shoreline



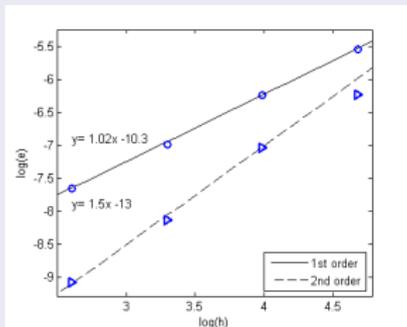
### Time series of the wet/dry interface.

shoreline evolution :

$$x = \frac{a^2 e^{-\kappa t/2}}{2gh_0} \left( -Bs \cos(st) - \frac{\kappa B}{2} \sin(st) \right) + a$$

⇒ Excellent agreement with the exact solution.

## Error quantification



$\Delta x$	order1	order2
108	3.92e-3	1.97e-3
54	1.95e-3	8.76e-4
27	9.33e-4	2.92e-4
13.5	4.77e-4	1.14e-4

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# Oscillatory flow in a parabolic bowl (1/2)

[Wang Y., Liang Q., Kesserwani G., Hall J.W. A 2d shallow flow model for practical dam break simulations. J. Hydraulic Research. 2011]

⇒ accuracy validation and behavior on wet/dry transitions in an unstructured context.

- $\Omega = \mathcal{C}(0, 4320)$ . Unstructured triangulation with 13674 nodes.
- topography :  $z(r) = r^2(h_0/a^2)$  , with  $h_0 = 10$  and  $a = 3000$ .
- analytical solution available.
- linear friction term, with  $\kappa = 0.002$ .

## Time history of the free surface

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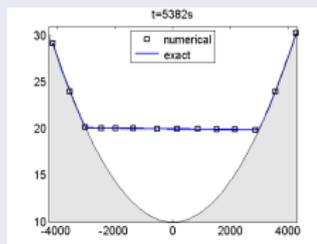
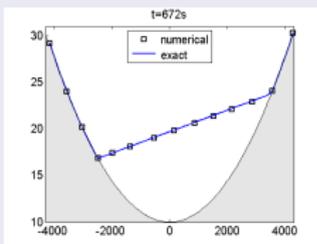
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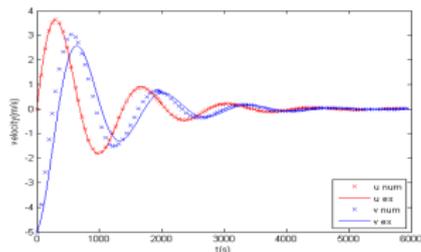
# Oscillatory flow in a parabolic bowl (2/2)

## Free surface profiles



Water surface level along the section  $x=0$  after a half period (left) and four periods (right).

## Velocity vector



→ Time series of the velocity components at  $(1000,0)$ .

⇒ Numerical prediction and exact solutions are very close. The friction model developed by Wang et al. gives similar results.

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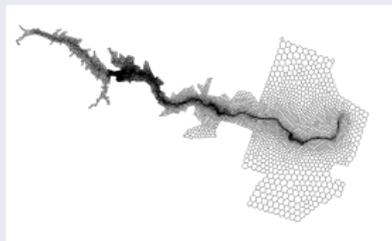
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# Malpasset dam break

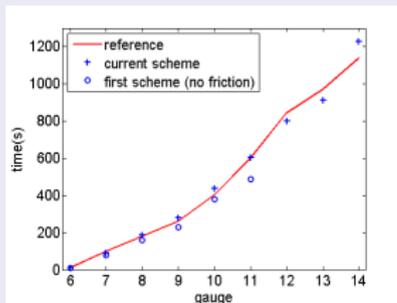
Reyran river valley (South of France), 1959. Varying topography and complex geometry : benchmark test for dam-break models.

## Topography and dual mesh



Topography of the river (left) and vertex-centered dual mesh (right).

## Time series of the water level



Comparison with experimental data from gauge 6 to 14.

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