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Modelling of the velocity profile in a channel partly covered by sub-merged vegetation

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Why?



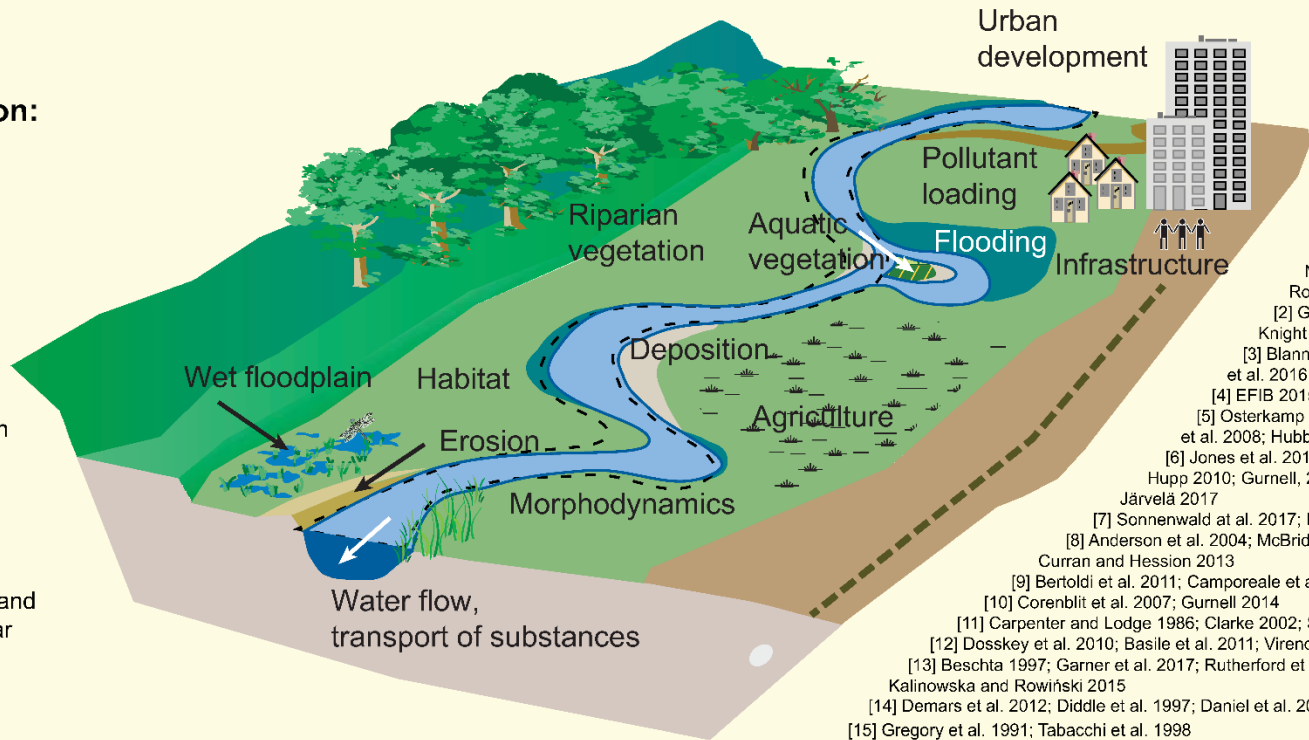
□ Narew River, photos by A. Bielonko



Why?

Implications of riverine vegetation on:

- **Water flow:** e.g. hydraulic resistance^[1], flood conveyance^[2], agricultural drainage^[3], erosion control^[4]
- **Transport and mixing processes:** e.g. erosion^[5], deposition^[6], mixing^[7]
- **Morphodynamics:** cross-sectional geometry^[8], channel planform^[9], landform development^[10]
- **Water quality:** e.g. nutrients^[11], pollutants^[12], temperature^[13]
- **Ecology:** e.g. physical habitat^[14], source of energy and matter^[15], moderation of solar energy fluxes^[16]



Literature sources:

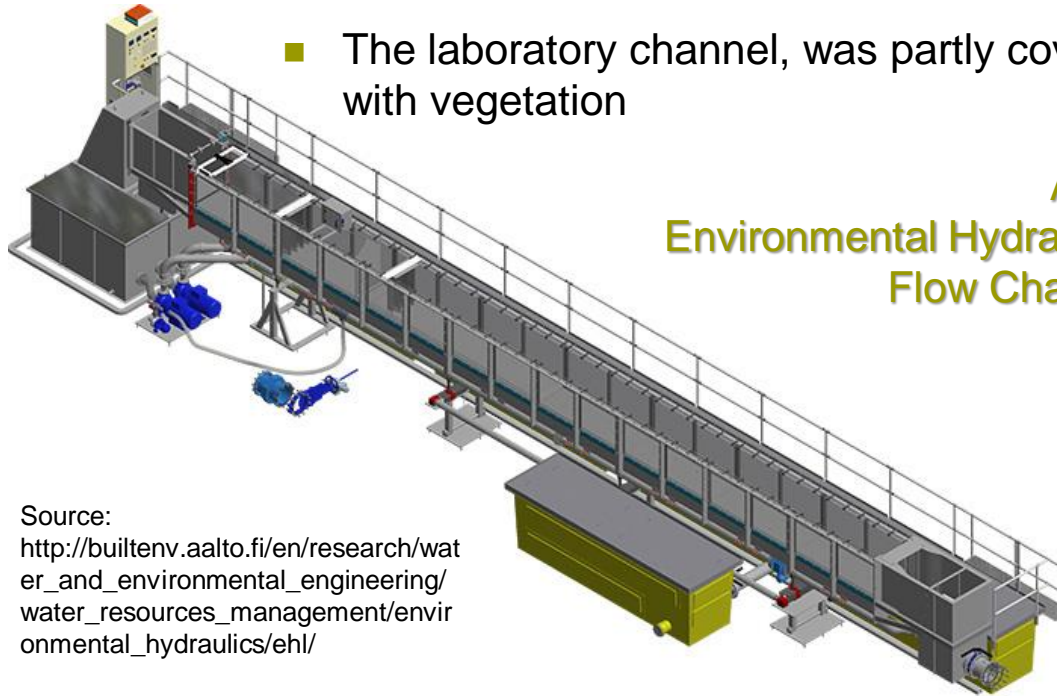
- [1] Järvelä 2002; Knight et al. 2010; Nikora et al. 2008; Rowiński et al. 2005
- [2] Geerling et al. 2008; Knight et al. 2010
- [3] Blann et al. 2009; Västilä et al. 2016
- [4] EFIB 2015; Evette et al. 2009
- [5] Osterkamp et al. 2012; Florsheim et al. 2008; Hubble et al. 2010
- [6] Jones et al. 2012; Osterkamp and Hupp 2010; Gurnell, 2014; Västilä and Järvelä 2017
- [7] Sonnenwald et al. 2017; Nepf 2012
- [8] Anderson et al. 2004; McBride et al. 2010; Curran and Hession 2013
- [9] Bertoldi et al. 2011; Camporeale et al. 2013
- [10] Corenblit et al. 2007; Gurnell 2014
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- [13] Beschta 1997; Garner et al. 2017; Rutherford et al. 2004; Kalinowska and Rowiński 2015
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- [16] Dugdale et al. 2018

- All scientific research related to flow and transport processes become very complicated in the channels with vegetation.

Rowiński PM, Västilä K, Aberle J, Järvelä J, Kalinowska MB (2018). How vegetation can aid in coping with river management challenges: A brief review, *Ecohydrology and Hydrobiology*, 18(4): 345-354

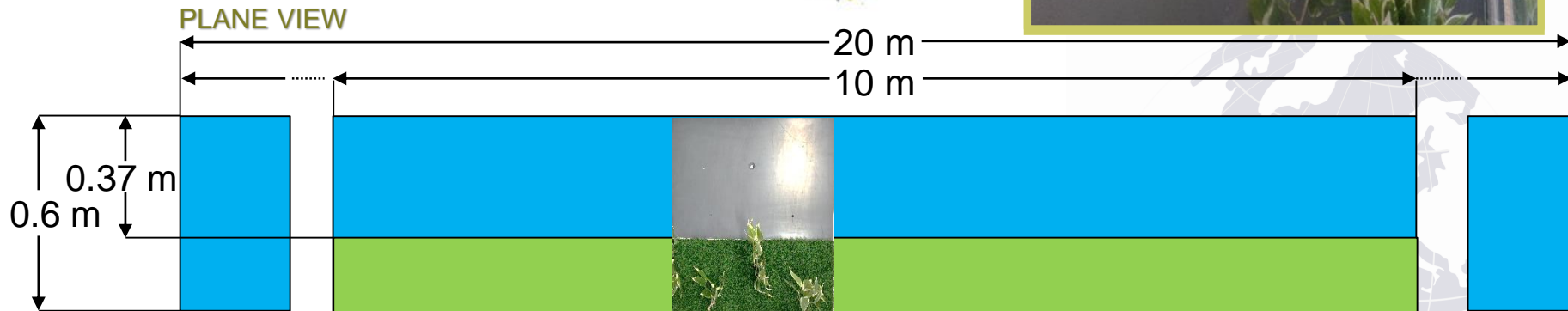
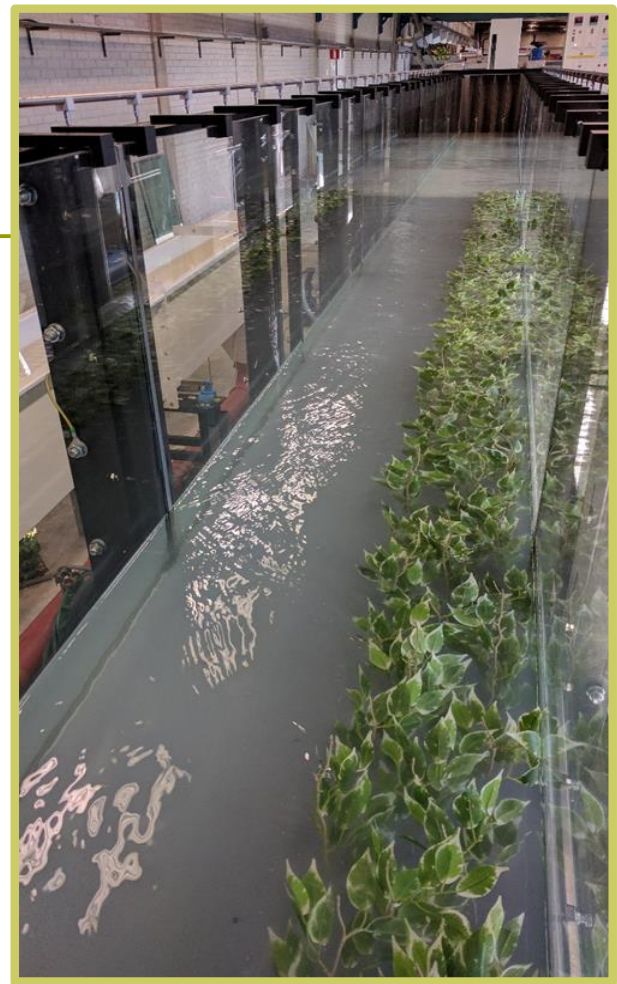
Laboratory experiment

- The laboratory channel, was partly covered with vegetation



Aalto
Environmental Hydraulics
Flow Channel

Source:
http://builtenv.aalto.fi/en/research/water_and_environmental_engineering/water_resources_management/environmental_hydraulics/ehl/



Measurements and calculations variants



	Variant	Discharge Q [m ³ /h]	Slope I [-]
Bare-grass	B1	80	0.0005
	B2	180	0.0015
	B3	300	0.0029
Leafless	L1	80	0.0007
	L2	180	0.0017
	L3	300	0.0041
Foliated	F1	80	0.00017
	F2	180	0.0034
	F3	300	0.007

MODELLING OF THE VELOCITY PROFILE IN A CHANNEL PARTLY COVERED BY SUBMERGED VEGETATION

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OBJECTIVE

THE VEGETATION IS COMMONLY PRESENT IN RIVERS AND CHANNELS
✓ ALL SCIENTIFIC INVESTIGATIONS RELATED TO THE FLOW AND TRANSPORT PROCESSES BECOME MUCH MORE COMPLICATED IN THE CHANNELS WITH VEGETATION

Implications of riverine vegetation on:

Rowiński et al. (2018), Ecohydrology & Hydrobiology

LABORATORY EXPERIMENT

✓ THE LABORATORY CHANNEL WAS PARTLY COVERED WITH VEGETATION

Aalto Environmental Hydraulics Flow Channel

PLANE VIEW

✓ VELOCITY MEASUREMENTS IN THE LABORATORY CHANNEL HAVE BEEN CARRIED OUT FOR VARIOUS VEGETATION VARIANTS (CAROPPI ET AL., 2019)

	B	L	F
	Bare-grass	Leafless	Foliated

MEASUREMENTS AND CALCULATIONS VARIANTS

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✓ FOR EACH LABORATORY MEASUREMENTS VARIANT, MANY NUMERICAL SIMULATIONS WERE PERFORMED TO OBTAIN THE RIGHT MODEL PARAMETERS TO REPLICATE THE RESULTS OF LABORATORY TESTS BEST

MODELS

TWO DIFFERENT MODELS HAVE BEEN USED

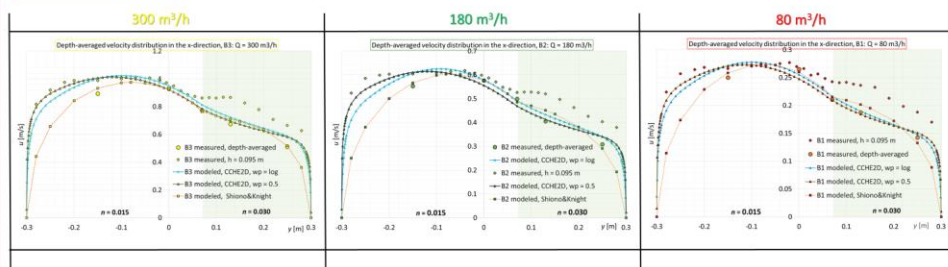
THE CCHEZD MODEL

A TWO-DIMENSIONAL DEPTH-AVERAGED HYDRODYNAMIC MODEL FOR UNSTEADY TURBULENT FREE SURFACE FLOWS (JIA & WANG, 2001; YE & MCCORQUODALE, 1997)

SHiono AND KNIGHT MODEL

A QUASI-TWO-DIMENSIONAL MATHEMATICAL MODEL TO CALCULATE THE LATERAL DISTRIBUTION OF THE DEPTH-AVERAGED VELOCITIES, WATER FLOW AND BOUNDARY SHEAR STRESS IN LABORATORY CHANNELS AND NATURAL RIVERS (SHiono & KNIGHT, 1990 & 1991).

SELECTED RESULTS



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