

CMS SIMULATION OF NEARSHORE NOURISHMENT NEARSHORE NOURISHMENT TEAM

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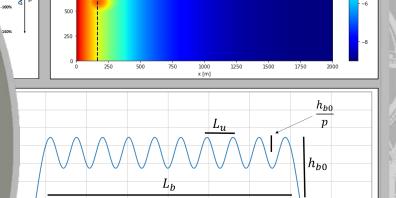
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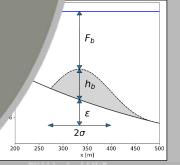
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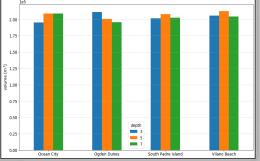
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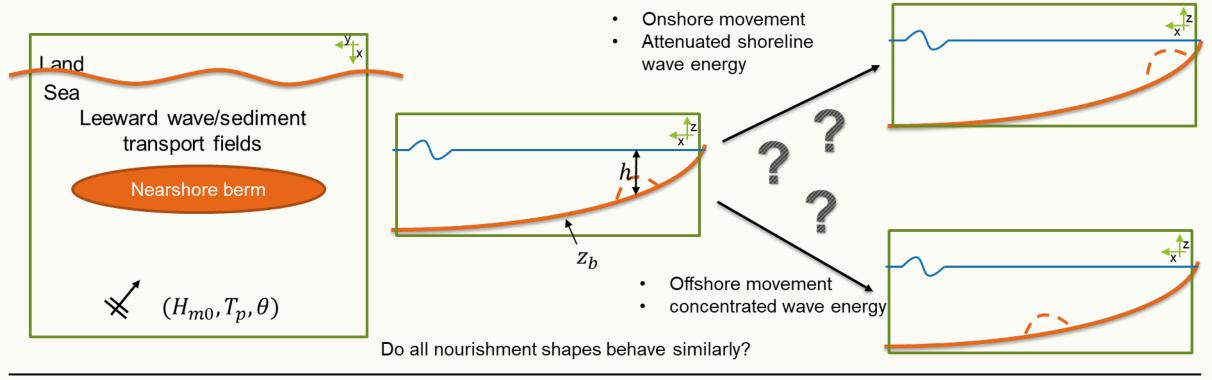






Nearshore nourishment numerical experimentation

- What are the main effects of nearshore berm placement depth and shape on sediment transport and wave climate?
- SoNs:
 - 2020-N-1564: Increasing Beach Nourishment Lifespan with Nearshore Nourishments
 - 2020-N-1481: Improving scoping level estimates of the lifespans and deflation rates of nearshore nourishments
 - 2019-N-1386 Strategic Nearshore Placement of Dredged Material to Sustain Coastal Beach & Dune Resilience



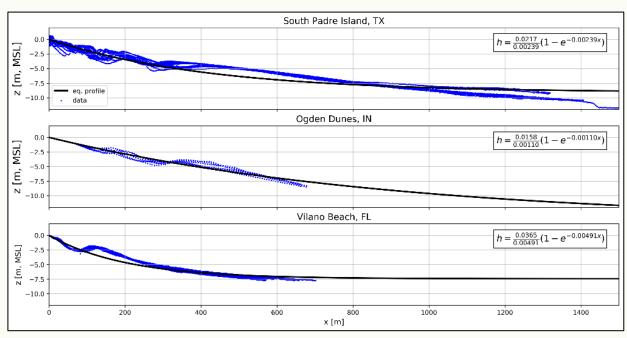
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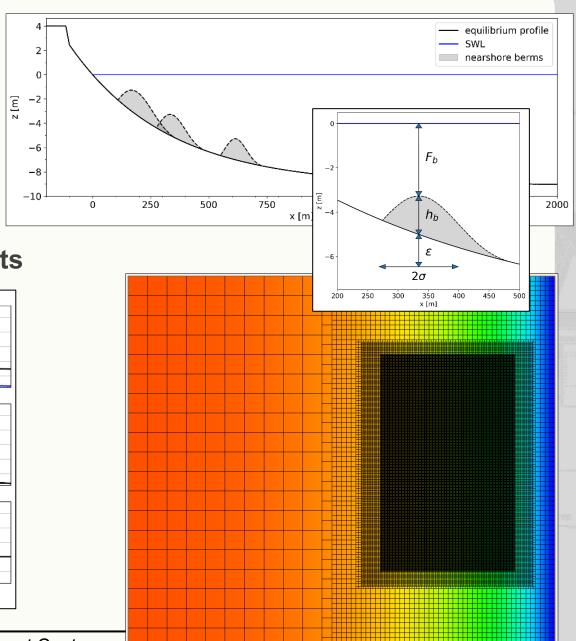
Capability and Strategic Impact Statement

- Quantitative evidence to support conceptual models of nearshore nourishment practice.
 - How effective are shallower berms at attenuating energy?
 - How much wave focusing can be introduced?
 - How much can nearshore berm longevity be increased?
 - How does the shape impact the energy attenuation and nourishment longevity?
 - How do nourishments behave in different wave climates?
- Re-usable Python scripts/Jupyter notebooks for nearshore berm modeling and analysis.

Numerical experiments

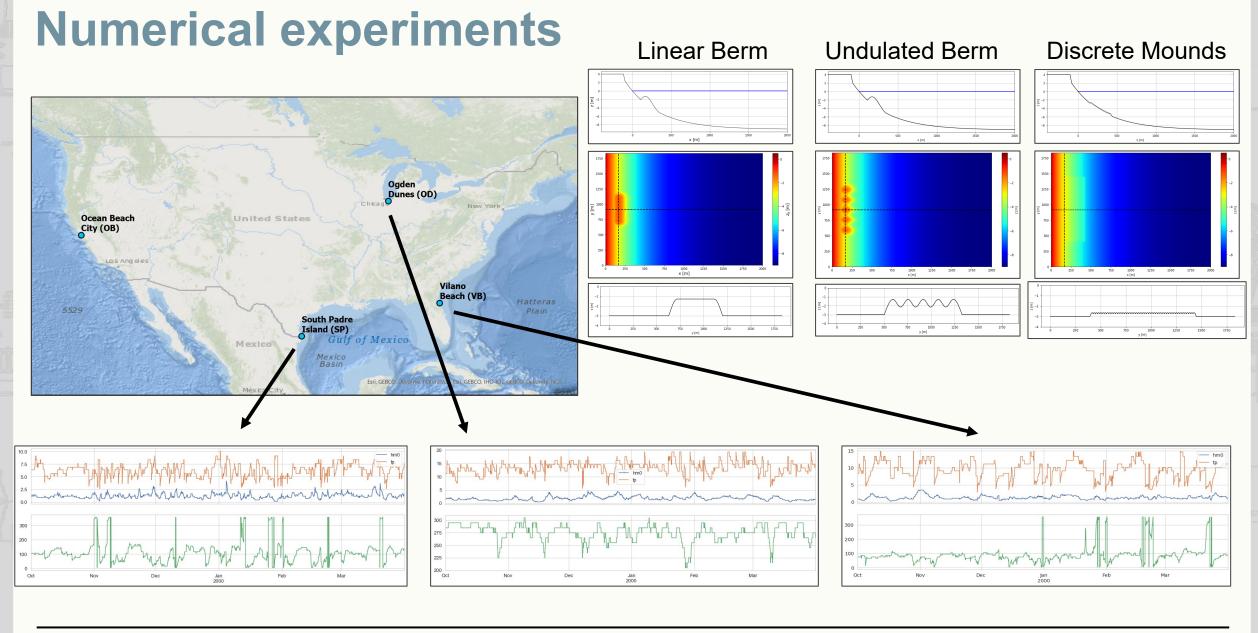
- Coastal Modeling System (CMS) Flow, Wave, and Sediment Transport/Morphology simulations
- Representative nearshore profiles and berms
- Markov-chain models of co-located WIS hindcast sea-states
- Jupyter notebooks for post-processing CMS results





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Summary

FY21 Major Advances in Capability

- All model scenarios completed
- Journal publication drafted

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FY21 Major Products & Collaborations

 Tentatively accepted in a Special Issue of Journal of Marine Science and Engineering: "Sediment Transport and Morphological Response to Nearshore Nourishment Projects"

