# CMS-Wave Background and Capabilities

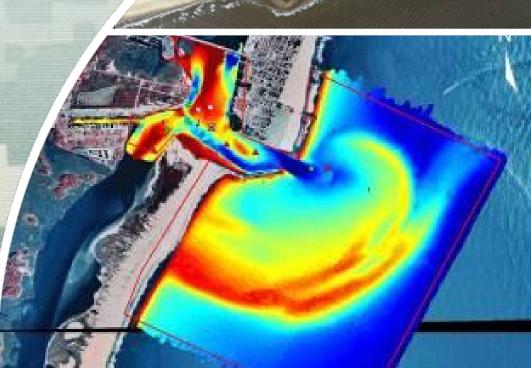
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# Outline



- Overview of CMS-Wave
- Capability
- Governing equations
- Incident wave spectrum
- Wave-current interaction
- Diffraction and reflection



- Wind input and wave dissipation
- Wave run-up, overtopping, & new features
- Coupled operation and future development
- Conclusions





- Steady-state (time-independent), half-plane, twodimensional spectral transformation solved by finite-difference, forward-marching implicit scheme
- PC-based efficient model, stand-alone or coupled to CMS-Flow, a circulation and sediment transport model, through the SMS interface
- Emphasis on wave-structure-land interactions for practical coastal engineering projects





- Wave diffraction, reflection (forward & backward), breaking, bottom friction dissipation
- Wind input, wave-current interaction
- Wave transmission at structures
- Wave run-up, overtopping, overland flow
- Variable grids with nesting
- Nonlinear wave-wave interaction & infra-gravity waves
- "Fast mode" for quick calculations & prelim runs



# **CMS-Wave capabilities**



Capability	CMS-Wave		
Spectrum transformation	Directional		
Refraction & shoaling	Represented		
Depth-limited wave breaking	Choice among four formulas		
Roller	Represented		
Diffraction	Theory		
Reflection	Represented		
Transmission	Formulas		
Run-up and setup	Theory		
Wave-current interaction	Theory		
Wave-wave interaction	Theory		
Wind input	Theory		
White capping	Theory		
Bottom friction	Theory		

Structures

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CMS-WAVE Model Control	×
Input Forcing Currents: None	Settings Bed Friction Spatially constant n
 Water level: None	0.025     Cf = Darcy-Weisbach friction coefficient     Backward reflection: None        n = Manning friction coefficient     None
Spectra Plane type: Half plane Interpolation type: IDW interpolation Spectral Grid	Matrix Solver       Muddy bed:       Spatially varying          Gauss-Seidel        Select       none selected         Number of threads:       1       Wave brealing formula:       Extended Goda
	✓ Allow wetting and drying       ✓ Non-linear wave effect         □ Infragravity wave effect       □ Run up         ✓ Diffraction intensity:       4.0       □ Fast-mode run
Date Format: 12 Digits	Output Input Datasets
Wind Source: None	Radiation stresses Format: ASCII      Format: ASCII      Sea/swell      Ways by applying
Define Cases	Wave breaking     O Indices     C Energy dissipation

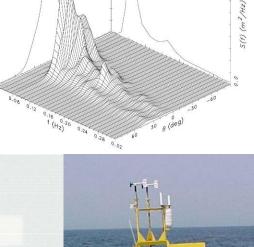


# 4. Incident Wave Spectrum



requency Spectrum

- NDBC/NOAA Ocean Buoys
- CDIP Coastal Buoys
- Project specific measurements (ADCP)
- Theoretical spectra (SMS)



(X1000 m2 /deg)

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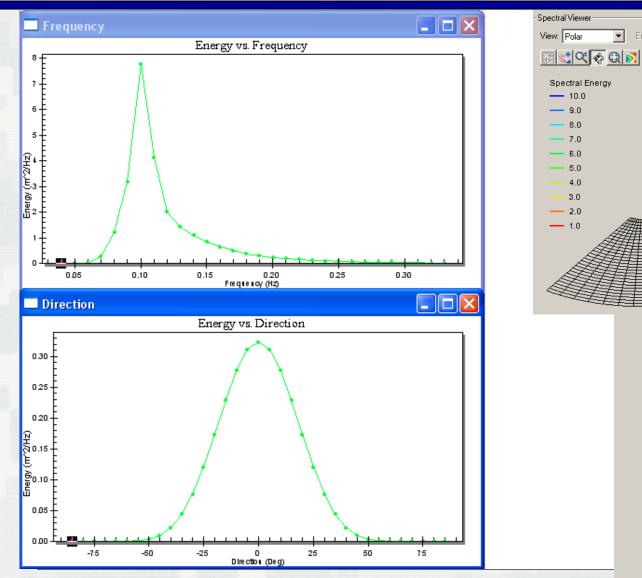


# SMS Wave Spectrum Display

Energy: 0.0

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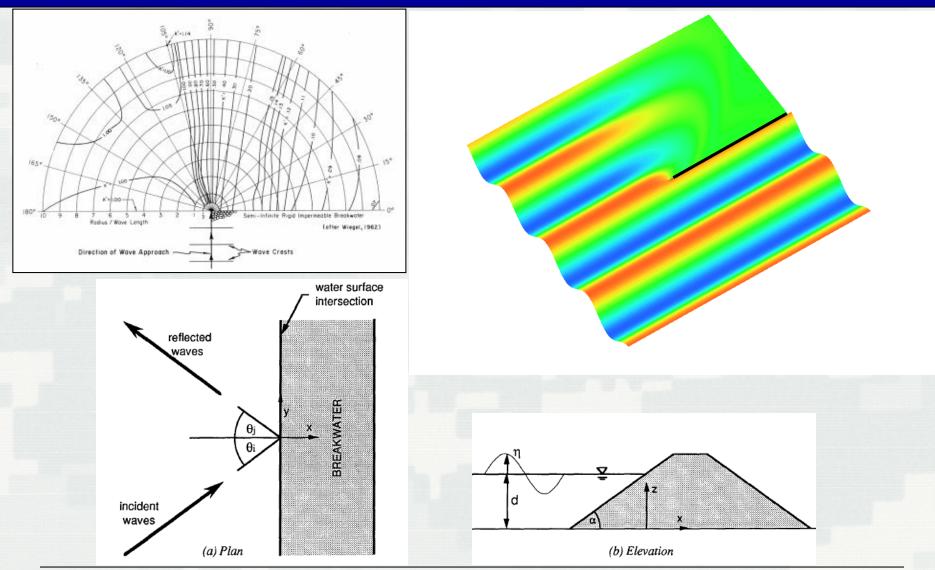






### 6. Jetty Breakwater Wave Diffraction and Reflection

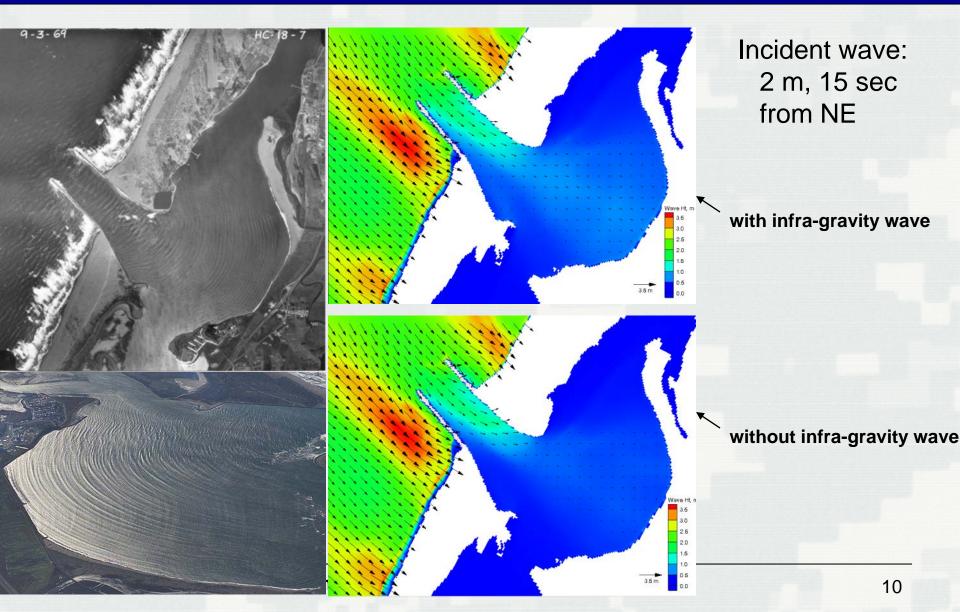






#### Infra-gravity Waves at Humboldt Bay, CA

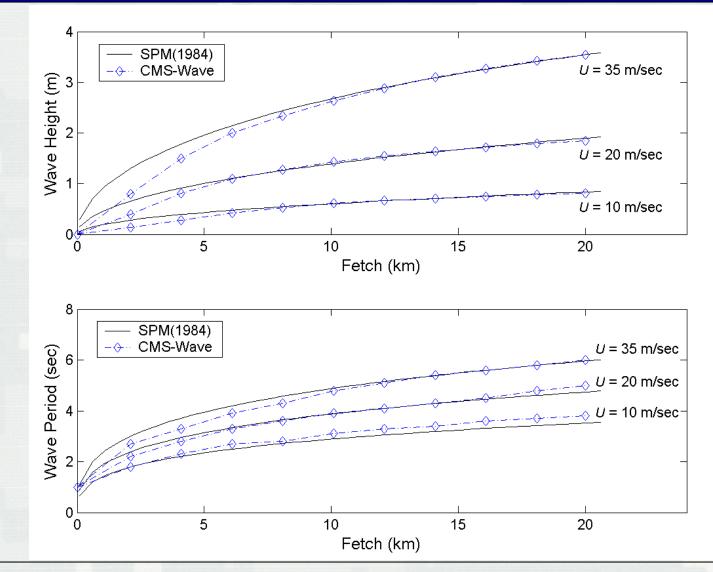






# 7. Wind-Wave Generation

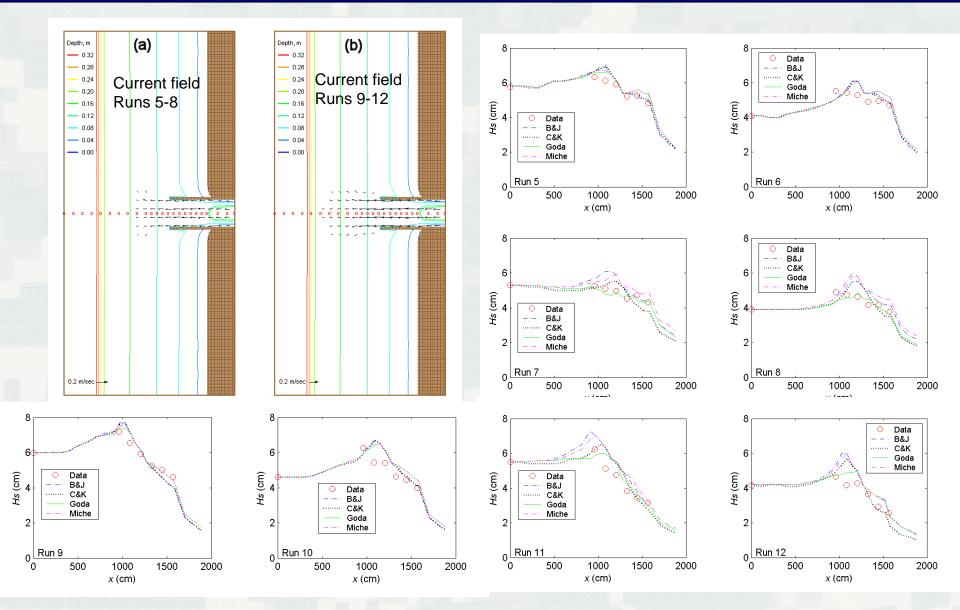






#### **Wave Breaking Formulas**

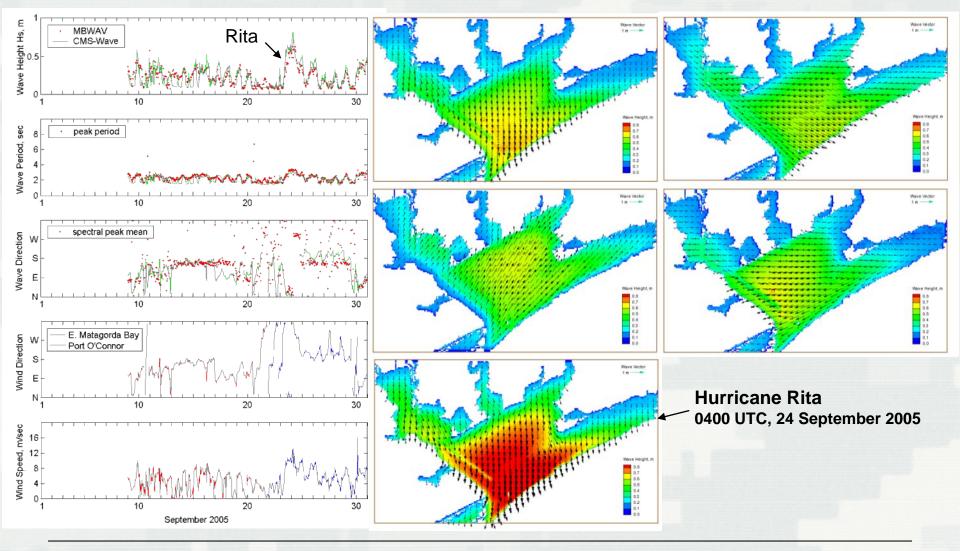






### Wave Generation in Matagorda Bay, TX

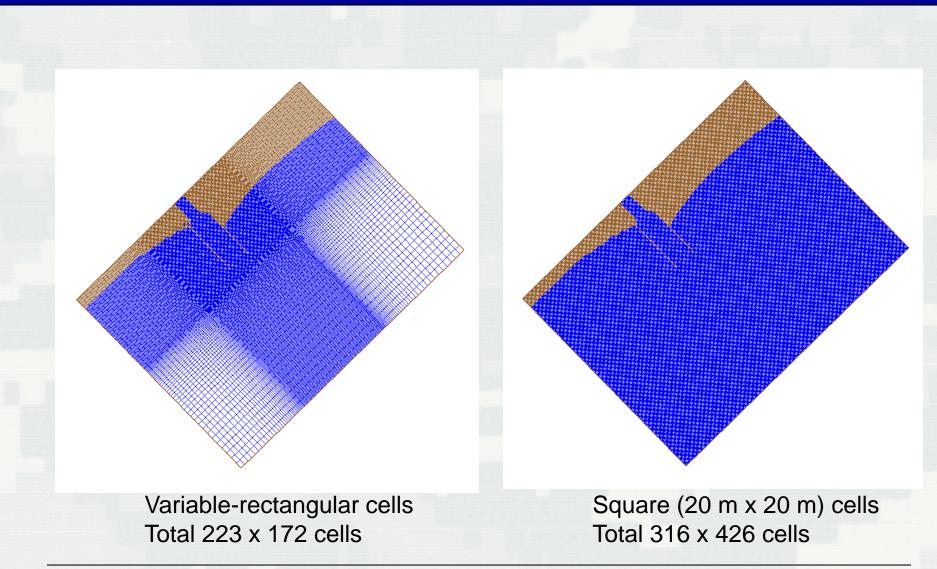






## Variable Rectangular-Cell Grids

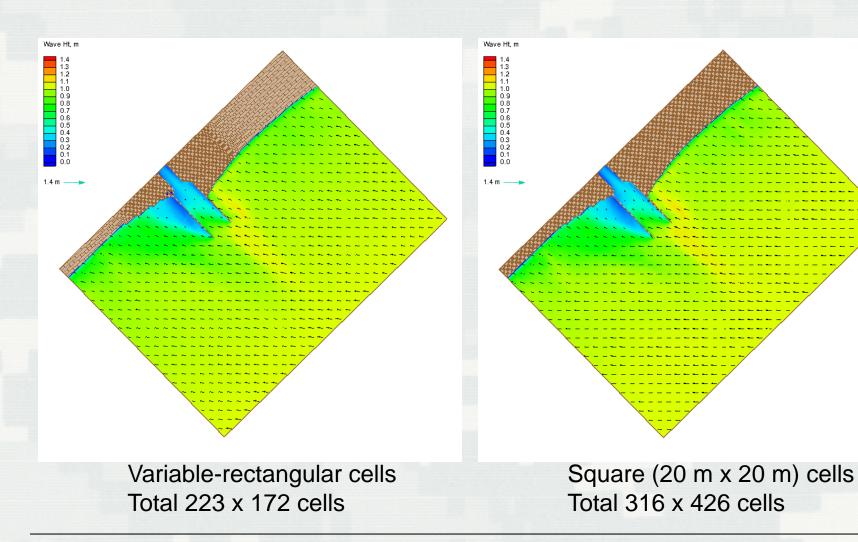




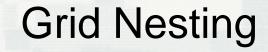


# **CMS-Wave on Variable Grids**

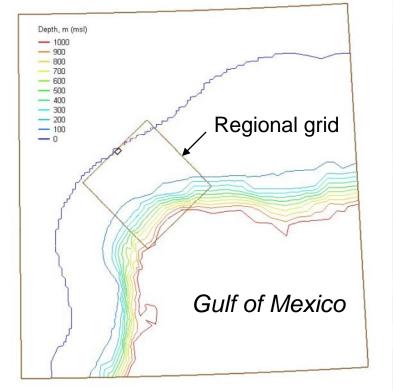


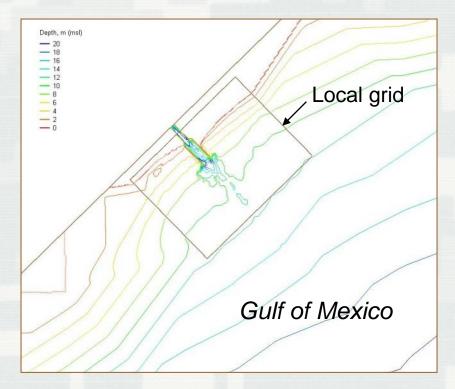










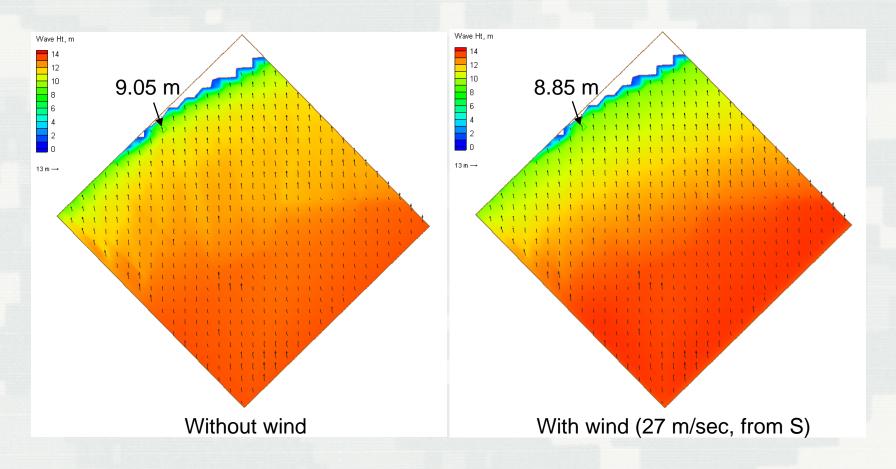




#### Regional Wave Generation Incident Waves: 12.9 m, 13.8 sec, from S



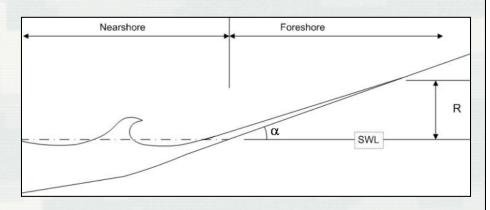
#### Max Surge: 3.5 m (Return Period = 50 yrs)





#### 8. Wave Run-up

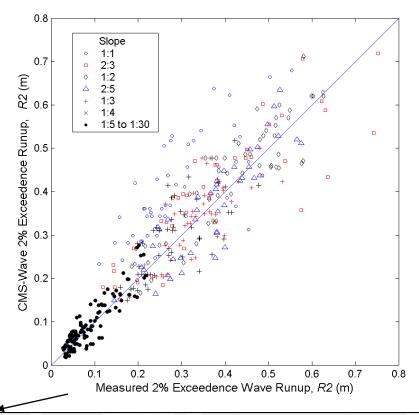




Wave run-up: rush of waves up a slope or structure

Two-percent run-up, *R2* : the vertical up-rush level exceeded by 2-percent of the larger run-up height

Ahrens & Titus (1981), Mase & Iwagaki (1984) ~ 400 laboratory experiments

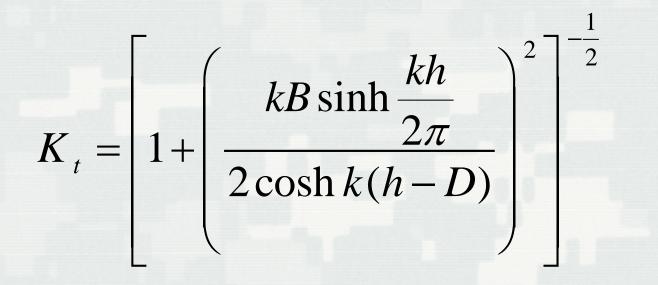




# **Floating Breakwater**



An analytical formula of the transmission coefficient for a rectangle floating breakwater of width *B* and Draft *D* (Macagno 1953):







Vertical wall breakwater (Kondo and Sato, 1985):

$$K_t = 0.3 \ (1.5 - \frac{h_c}{H_s}), \quad \text{for} \quad 0 \le \frac{h_c}{H_s} \le 1.25$$

Composite or rubble-mound breakwater:

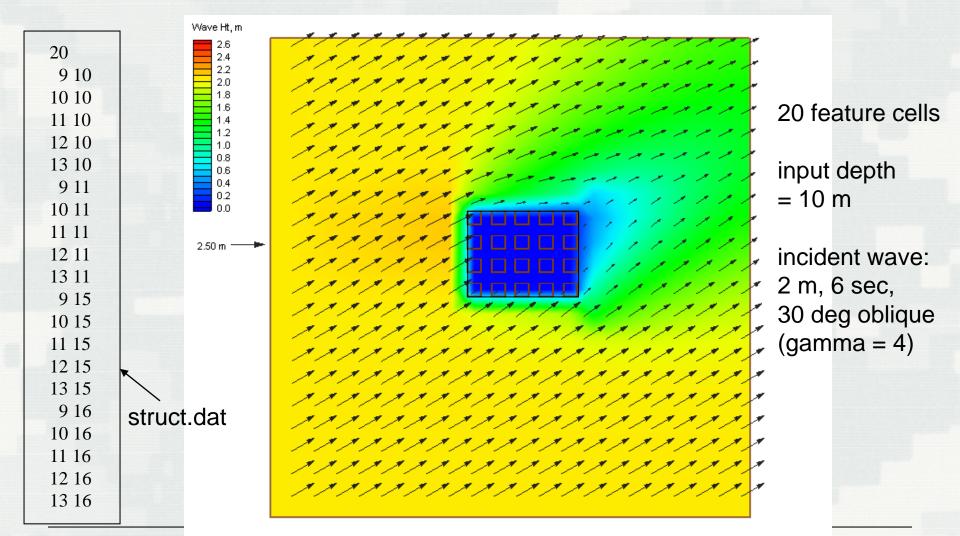
$$K_t = 0.3 \ (1.1 - \frac{h_c}{H_s}), \quad \text{for} \quad 0 \le \frac{h_c}{H_s} \le 0.75$$

where  $h_c$  is the crest height (above mean water level) and  $H_s$  is the incident wave height.



### Idealized Island Example

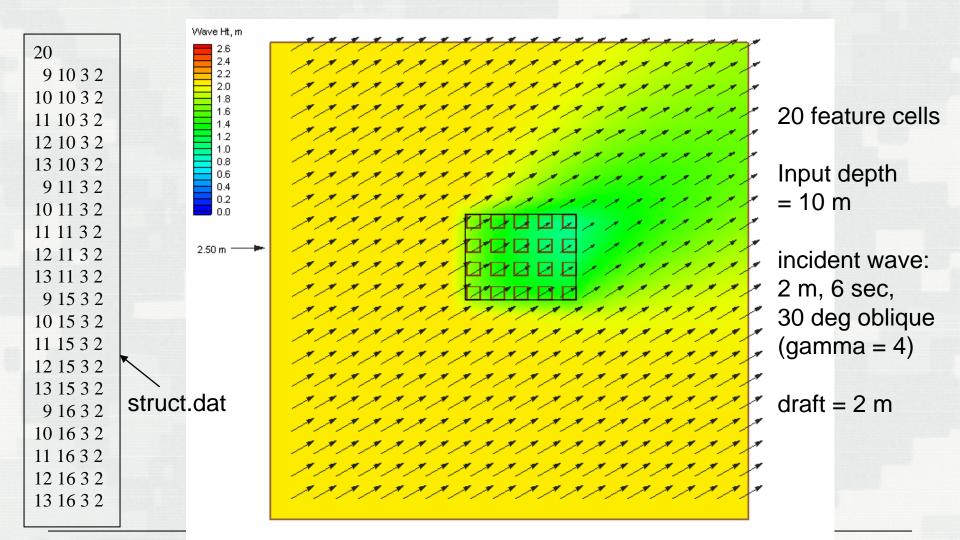






## **Idealized Floating Breakwater**

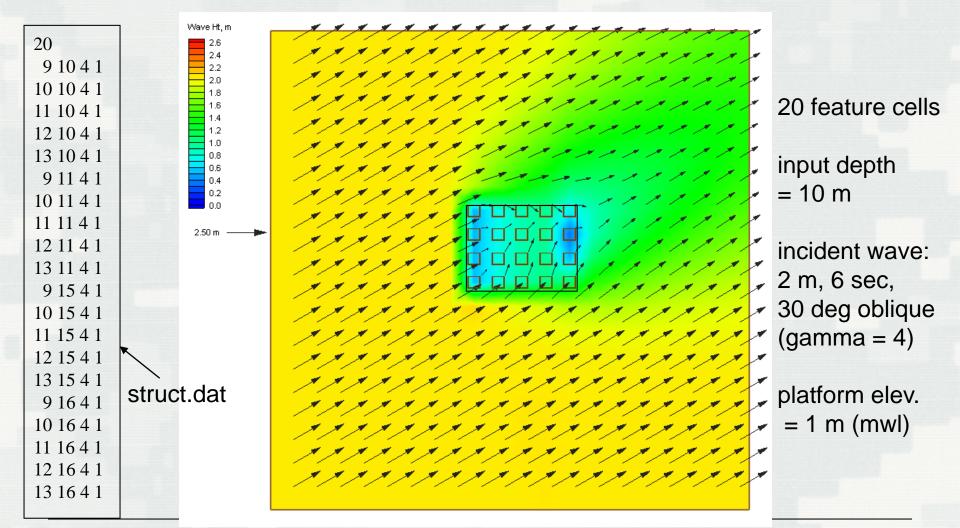






#### **Idealized Platform**

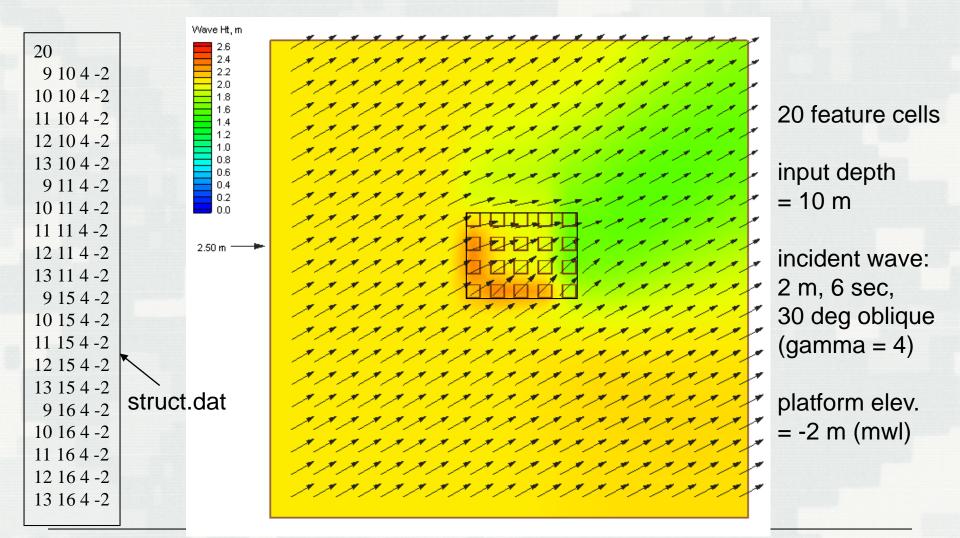






## Submerged Platform

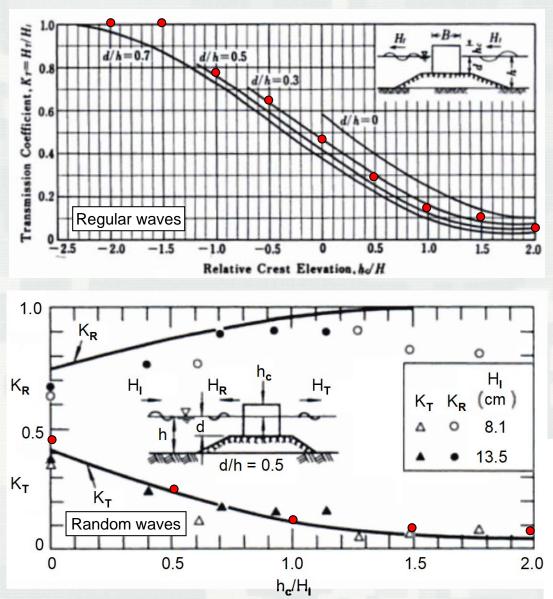






#### Wave Transmission Experiment (Goda, 2000)





#### Transmission coefficients $k_t$

 $H_i = 1 \text{ m}, Tp = 6 \text{ sec (monochromatic wave)}$ h = 10 m, d = 5 m, B = 80 m

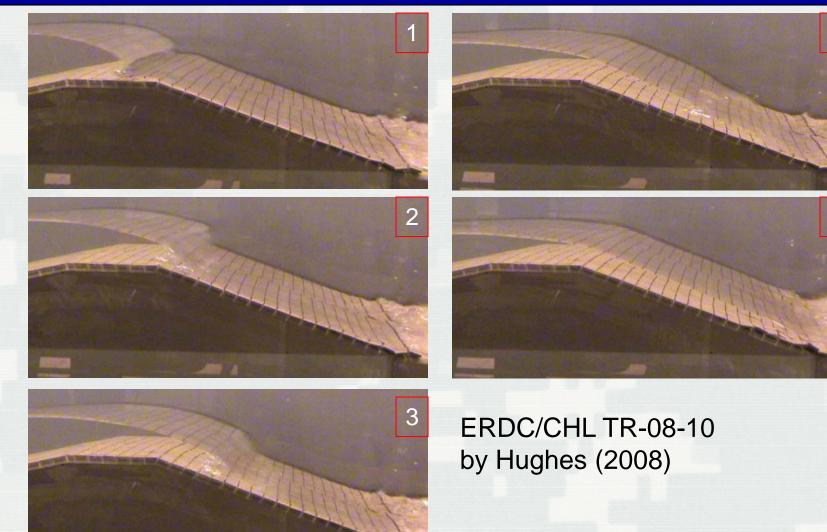
$h_{c}$ (m)	CMS-Wa	ave	Equations		
	Vertical wall	Rubble mound	Vertical wall	Rubble mound	
-2.0	1.02	1.02			
-1.5	1.03	1.03			
-1.0	0.78	0.78			
-0.5	0.63	0.63			
0.0	0.46	0.34	0.45	0.33	
0.5	0.27	0.18	0.30	0.18	
1.0	0.15	0.04	0.15	0.03	
1.5	0.10	0.024			
2.0	0.07	0.018			



#### Wave overtopping: Surge level = 0.81 m (3 ft)Hs = 0.88 m, Tp = 10.1 sec (Hughes, 2008)



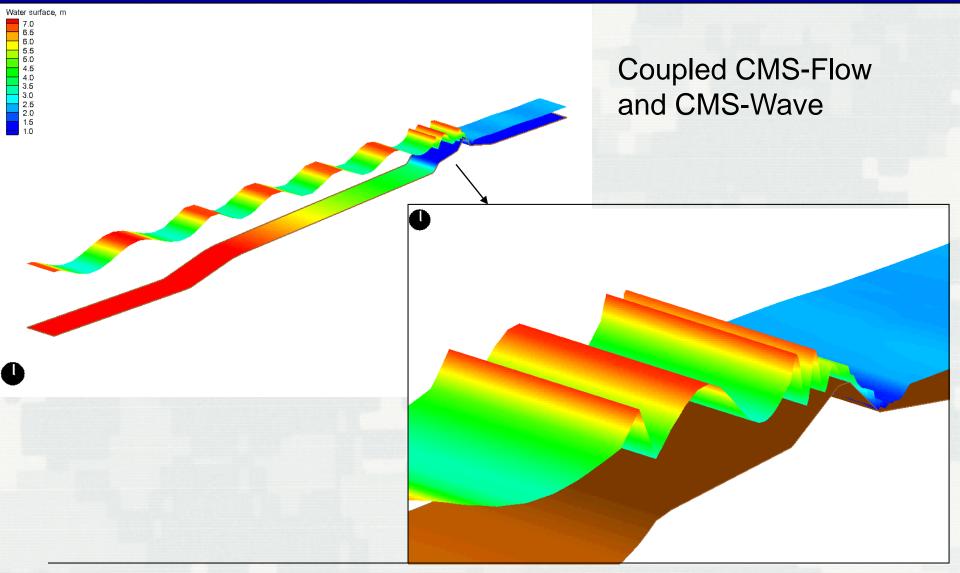
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#### Calculated Wave Overtopping R127 Surge level =1.3 m, Hs = 2.3 m, Tp = 14 sec









Case number	5	Wave height (m)	Wave peak period (sec)	Overtopping rate (m <sup>2</sup> /sec)		
				Measured	CMS-Flow	CMS-Wave
R128	0.29			0.27	0.28*	
	0.29	0.82	6.1	0.38	0.38	0.39
R109	0.29			0.26	0.28*	
	0.29	2.48	13.7	0.70	0.85	0.92
R121	1.3			2.55	2.57*	
	1.3	2.30	6.1	2.67	2.93	2.76
R127	1.3			2.54	2.57*	
	1.3	2.31	14.4	2.84	2.98	2.81

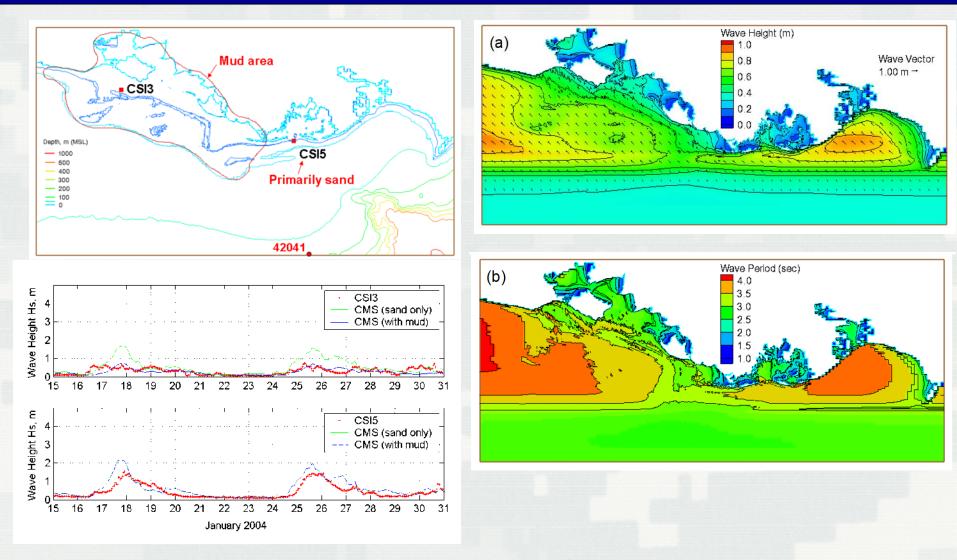
\* Calibration

With wave overtopping



# Louisiana Muddy Coast Simulation

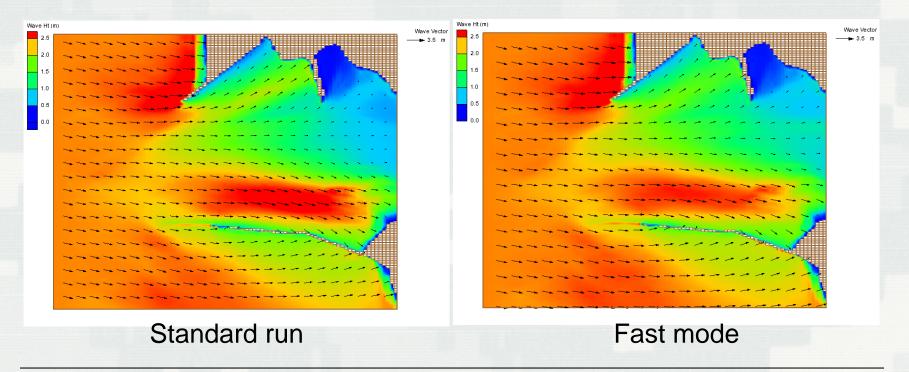








- Fast mode uses 5 to 7 directional bins with spectral calculations (Standard runs with 35 directional bins)
- Ideal for quick applications, prelim runs, time-pressing project

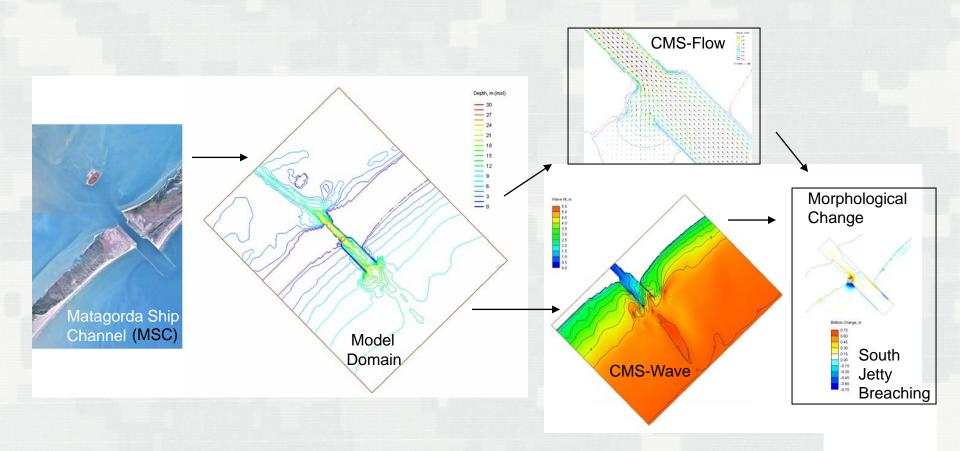




# 9. Coupling with CMS-Flow



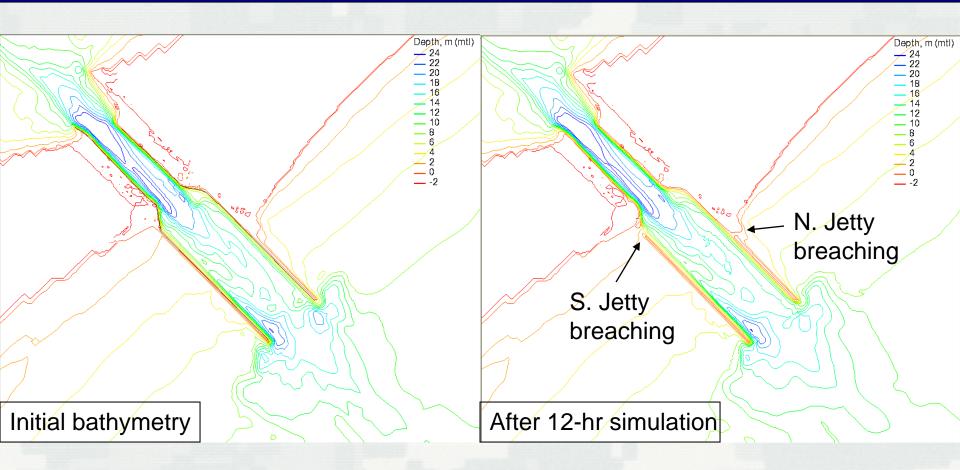
Breaching at Jetty, Simulation at Matagorda Ship Channel, TX





MSC Jetty Wave Run-up & Breaching Cat 3 Hurricane (50-Yr Life-Cycle)





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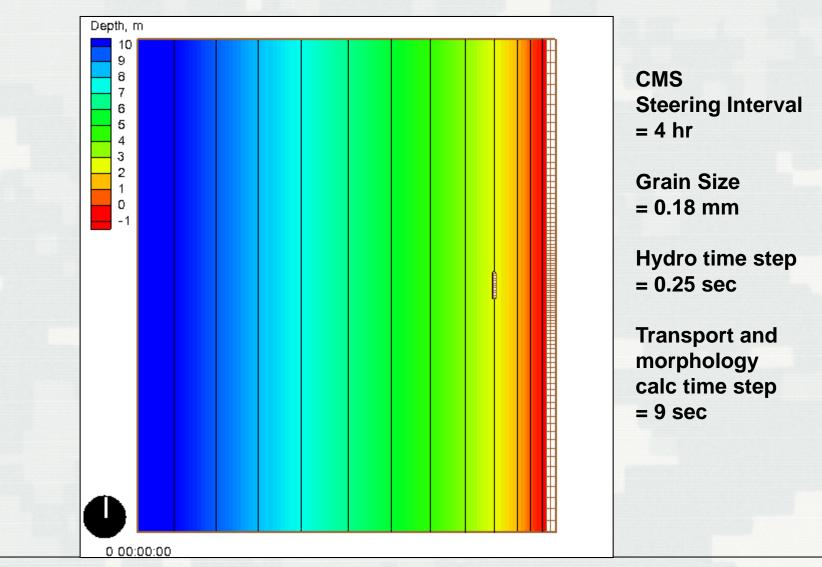


Storm surge over the initial bathymetry South Jetty breach in 12-hr simulation Velocity 2.0m/s -----180-m wide & 3.5-m deep breach Slope scour

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#### Calculated 30-day Morphology Change Tombolo Development



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