FLOOD RISK IN CASE OF YESA'S DAM BREAK



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Motivation



Tous (1982) and Vajont (1963)

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Incompressible Navier Stokes 3D for Isotropic Newtonian fluids

$$\partial_t \mathbf{u} + (\mathbf{u} \cdot \nabla)\mathbf{u} - \nu \Delta \mathbf{u} + \nabla p = \mathbf{f}$$

$$\nabla \cdot \mathbf{u} = 0$$

- Kolmogorov Theory (1941)
 - It allows to obtain estimations of the scales necessary for the discretization of the problem

Example of Kolmogorov Theory (1941)

$$u = \frac{I_0}{Re^{3/4}}$$
 $\tau = \frac{\tau_0}{Re^{1/2}}$

where l_0 is the characteristhic length, ν is the smallest space scale, Re is the Reynolds Number, τ_0 is the charactheristic time and, τ is the smallest time scale

• Using $l_0=1$ m and $\tau_0=1$ seg, finally we obtain;

$$N = Re^{11/4}$$

For a hydraulic problem, an usual value for the Reynolds number can be of order to 10^6 then the needed number of nodes would be 10^{16}

- Simplifications of Navier Stokes Equations
 - Study of turbulent flux ⇒ Application of Reynold's Theory

$$u = \overline{u} + u'$$

where \overline{u} is the average variable and u' is the turbulent fluctuation.

$$\overline{u} = \frac{1}{t_2 - t_1} \int_{t_1}^{t_2} u dt$$

Depth integration

$$u = \frac{1}{h} \int_{z_0}^{z_0 + h} \overline{u} dz$$

- Saint Venant 2D
 - Neglecting Coriolis effect (not important in rivers)
 - o Applying Leibnitz rule derivation under the integral sign
 - Finally we obtain

$$\begin{split} \frac{\partial h}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial (hu)}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial (hv)}{\partial y} &= 0\\ \frac{\partial (hu)}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial}{\partial x} (hu^2 + g\frac{h^2}{2}) + \frac{\partial (huv)}{\partial y} &= gh(S_{0x} - S_{fx})\\ \frac{\partial (hv)}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial (huv)}{\partial y} + \frac{\partial}{\partial y} (hv^2 + g\frac{h^2}{2}) &= gh(S_{0y} - S_{fy}) \end{split}$$

2. Software IBER

- 2D Dimensinal Analysis through Saint Venant 2D
- Finite Volumes in 2D
- GID Interface
- $\bullet \ \, \mathsf{Non\text{-}linear} \ \, \mathsf{Hyperbolic} \ \, \mathsf{System} \, \Rightarrow \, \mathsf{Roe} \, \, \mathsf{Scheme} \, \,$





Yesa's Dam

Source: Jose Miguel Marco (Heraldo de Aragón)

Yesa's Dam and Reservoir

• Gravity dam (480.000 m^3 of concrete)

Crest length: 398 m
 Capacity: 446.90 hm³

o Area: 2098 ha

• Area of basin: 2170 Km²



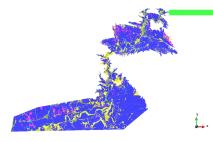
Ubication of Yesa's Dam

- Input Data
 - o MDT 25x25 (ASCII format)
 - A file of land use (SIOSE 2005)
 - Characteristhic curve of the reservoir



Topographic map of study area

- Mesh and Roughness
 - o A structured triangular mesh
 - Size element: 200
 - Number of elements: about 1.000.000



Manning map

Break according ICOLD

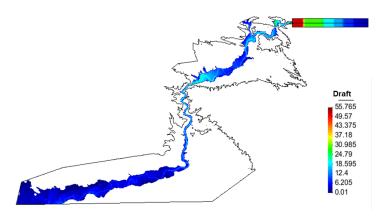
Duration: 24 hours

 \circ Partially breach, 1/3 of the whole body

o Time of breakage: 900 seg

4. Results

Maximum drafts



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• Sangüesa's drafts

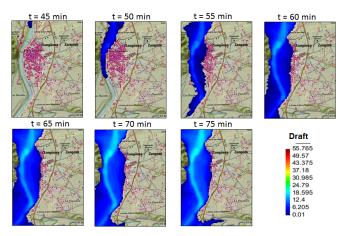




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4. Results

• Evolution in time of Sangüesa's drafts



5. Conclusions

- Critical situation for Sangüesa's village in case of break, necessity of an evacuation plan for the population
- Some phenomena are not taken into account since we are using Saint Venant 2D, but in the case of this study, for instance, turbulence can be neglected
- Related with the simulation, this software provides accurate results but the computational cost for large areas of study are extremly high
- The obtained results are in consonance with the developed studies some years ago by Dr. Antonio Casas (*University of Zaragoza*)

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