# Implications of Hydrologic connectivity

The only thing you need to know about ground water

# 水文連通性的意涵

關於地下水你必須知道的事

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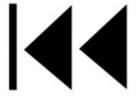
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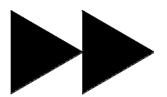
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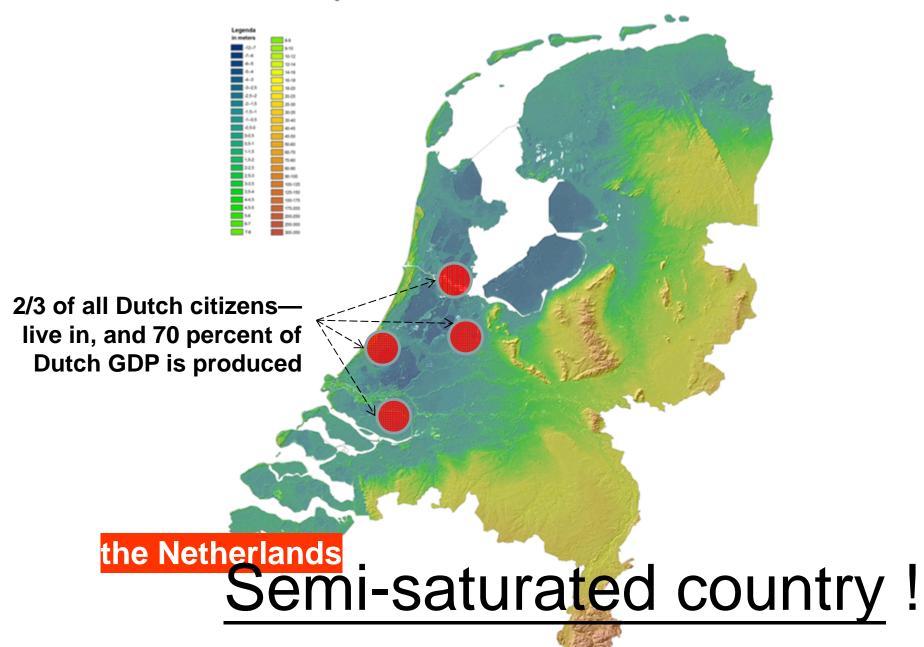
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未來研究課題

# What is hydrology?

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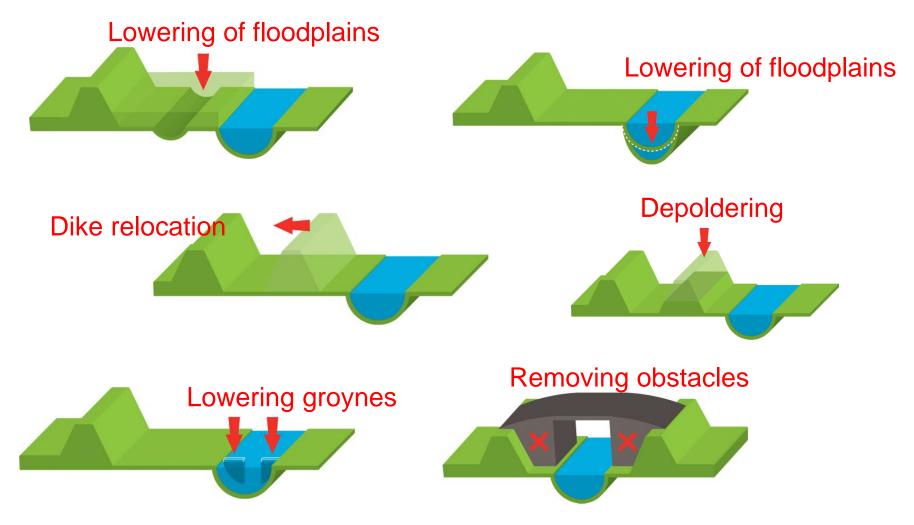


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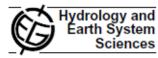
In Bravery We Face the Water

# Creating Room for the Rivers



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#### HESS Opinions "The art of hydrology"\*

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Abstract, Hydrological modelling is the san and encoding a hydrological theory. A hyd is not a tool but a hypothesis. The whole d the inadequacy of hydrological models we of late, is related to the wrong concept of w Good models don't exist. Instead of lookin model, we should aim at developing better m cess of modelling should be top-down, learning while at the same time connection should be underlying physical theory (bottom-up). As erogeneity occurring at all scales in hydrolog remains a need for calibration of models. T we need tailor-made and site-specific model models are fit for this modelling process, as ( of the established software or "one-size-fits-a process of modelling requires imagination, ativity, ingenuity, experience and skill. The that belong to the field of art. Hydrology is a it is science and engineering.

#### 1 What is hydrology?

What is hydrology? One would think that question. Hydrology has been long since defined. In my own words, it is the science that describes the occurrence and behaviour of water above, over and through the Earth. It is an earth science. However, depending on someone's background, the interpretation of this definition may vary. People



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H. H. G. Savenije: The art of hydrology

#### 5 The trinity: science, technology and art

We have seen that hydrology is essentially a multidisciplinary earth science. Only when we realise that water is the connection between geology, ecology, atmosphere and society, and that it involves basic sciences such as physics, chemistry and biology, are we likely to find breakthroughs in understanding how water behaves in the Earth system. In developing new theories and models of how the water behaves, we need to make use of skill, knowledge and experience that belong to the fields of science, technology and art.

One could argue that, defined in this way, art is implicit in both science and engineering and that emphasising the art in hydrology is trivial. That may be true, but in practice I see a lot of papers, both in review and in print, that do not include elements of art. There are many papers that deal with the application of an existing hydrological model, or that describe automated calibration, or that apply standard statistical methods, without much creativity, empiricism or innovation. It is clear that for finding engineering solutions to water related problems science and technology have to go hand in hand, but when it comes to developing new insights and new approaches, art is an essential element of hydrological research.

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The word "anomaly" is written between quotation marks because previous authors called this phenomenon an anomaly, whereas it was purely physical behaviour that happened to disagree with their perception. Until then, models consistently underestimated the outflows of the main delta branch during a seven-year period (1974–1981) while performing well during the remaining part of the time (1968–2003). The "anomaly" disappeared when he considered the appropriate surface water-groundwater interaction and the interplay



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# Un-consolidated country!



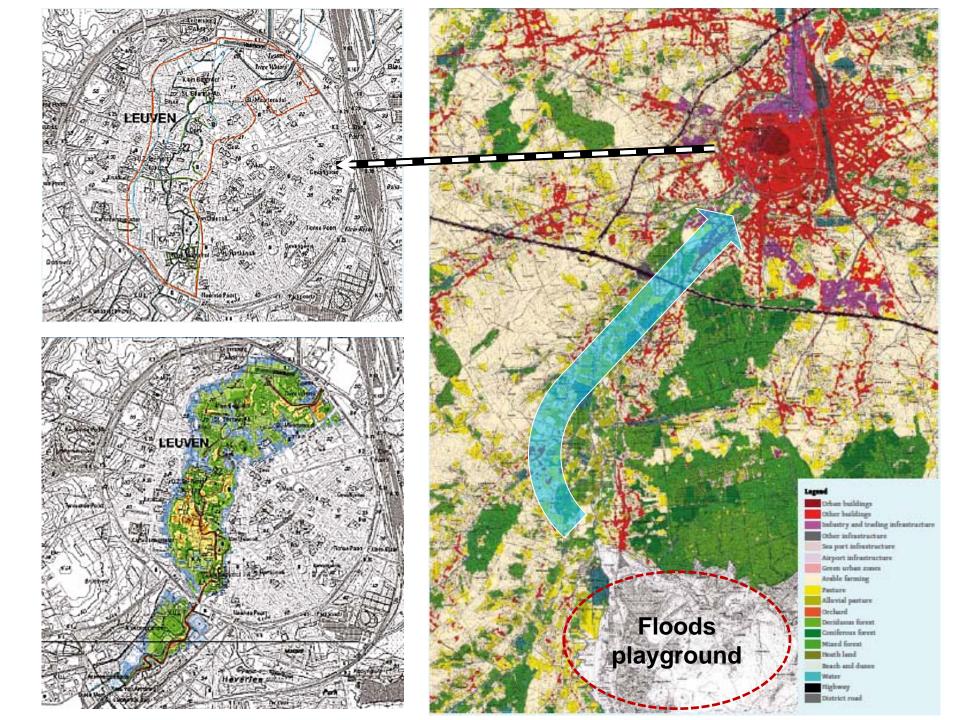
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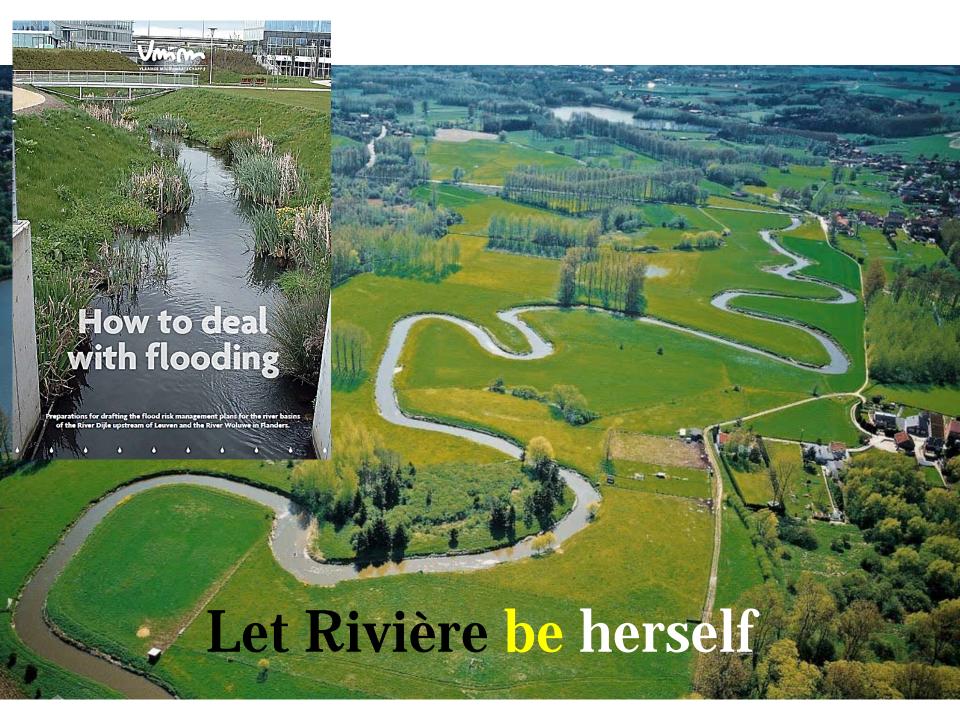
Furniture: 30% of the sales value

Industry: maximum damage of €1,367/m²
Roads and railroads: €710/m to €27,000/m²



The overall economic damage is at least 400 million euros







#### G. Wyseure

#### Hydrologic processes in and around soils

We study the physical processes governing the cycling of water where the soil acts as a major control. Therefore special attention is given to the water pathways and budgets in and around soils. This not only at the micro-scale but also at the scale of landscape elements such as hill-slopes, wetlands, shallow subsurface drainage and interaction between river and groundwater ecosystems. Special attention is given to the connectivity and interaction between different compartments as a control to the flow of water within the catchments. The water carries also dissolved elements like nitrates and dissolved organic matter.

One of the major objectives of a better insight into hydrological processes in and around soils is to create a better holistic understanding of the hydrological cycle. This should lead to a more sustainable management of water resources, land use impact, water quality and water-related natural hazards.

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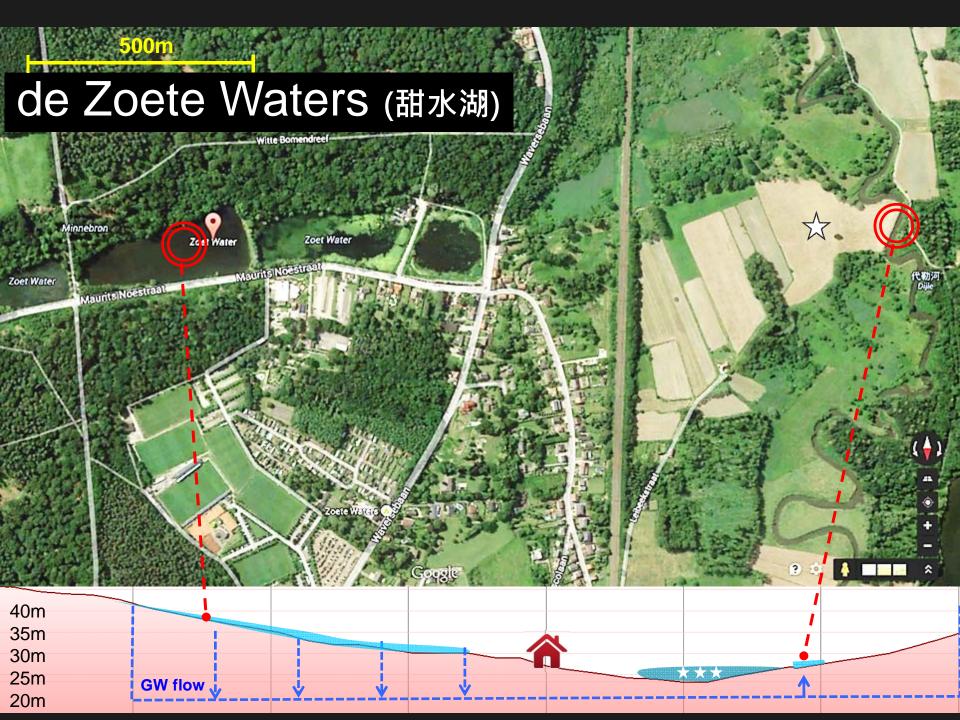


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#### 水文連通性是水文學最中心的概念

#### Hydrological connectivity: a central concept in hydrology

Special attention should be given to the connectivity and interaction between different compartments within the catchments as a control to the flow of water. 我們必須特別關注流域中不同環境區塊之間的串連和相互影響,才足以了解水體流動的機制

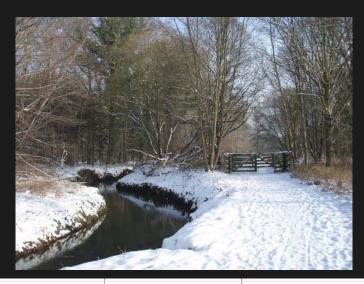


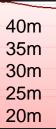
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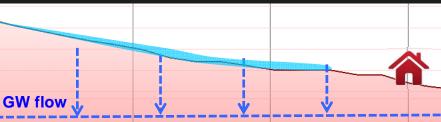


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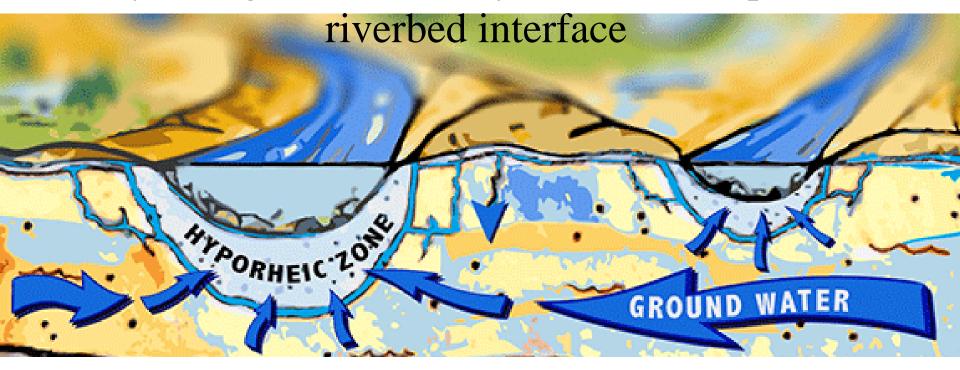








## Hydrologic connectivity: across the aquifer-

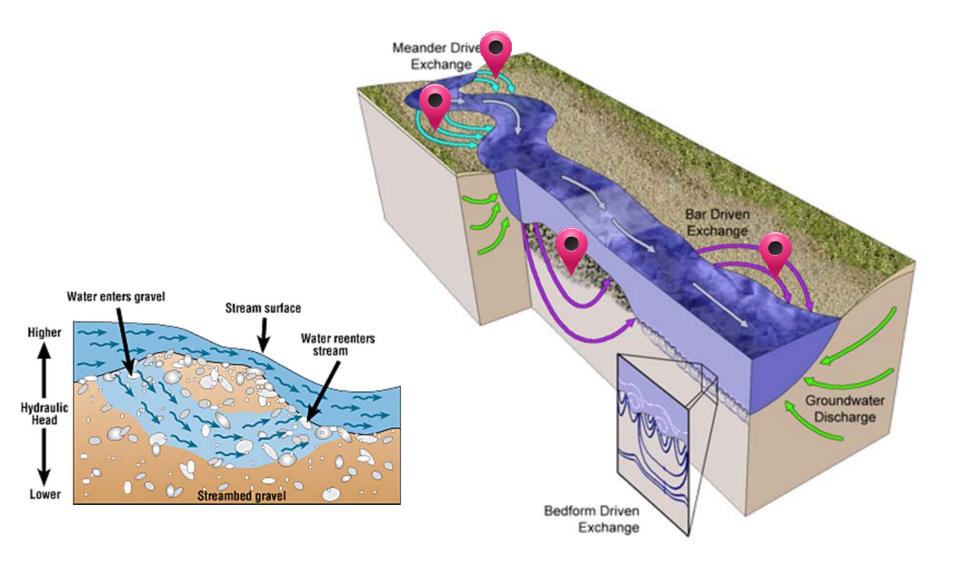


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## The hyporheic zone

伏流水帶(或潛流區),泛指河床底下與側邊,可提供河水與淺層地下水快速混和的區塊

# The Concept of Hyporheic Zone (伏流水帶)



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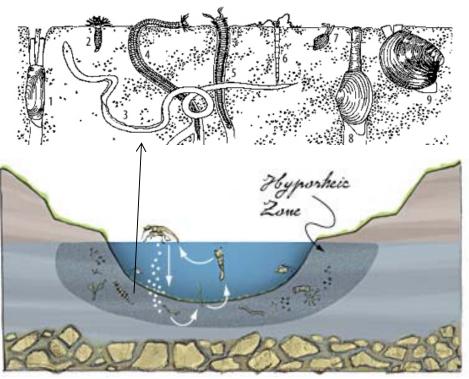


#### THE FUNCTIONAL SIGNIFICANCE OF THE HYPORHEIC ZONE IN STREAMS AND RIVERS

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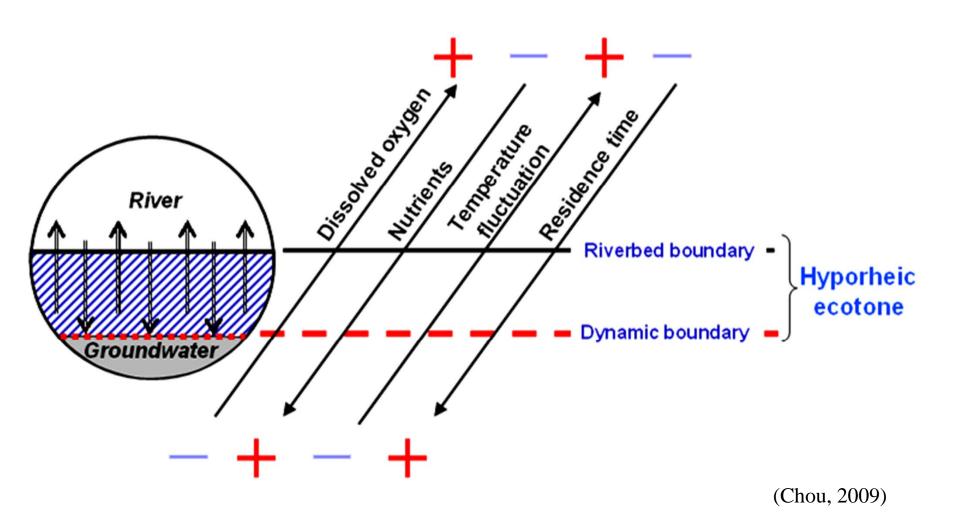
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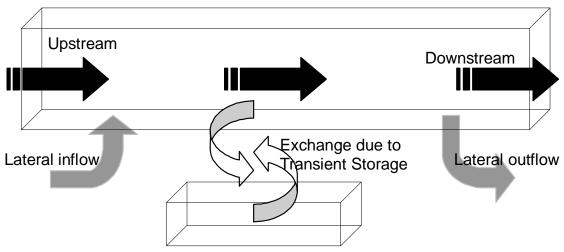
What hydrological, chemical and biological processes occur in HZ?

Boulton, Andrew J., et al. The functional significance of the hyporheic zone in streams and rivers. *Annual Review of Ecology and Systematics* 29.1 (1998): 59-81.



# modelling via a river-centric perspective old method: Transient Storage Model

#### Main river channel with cross-sectional area of A

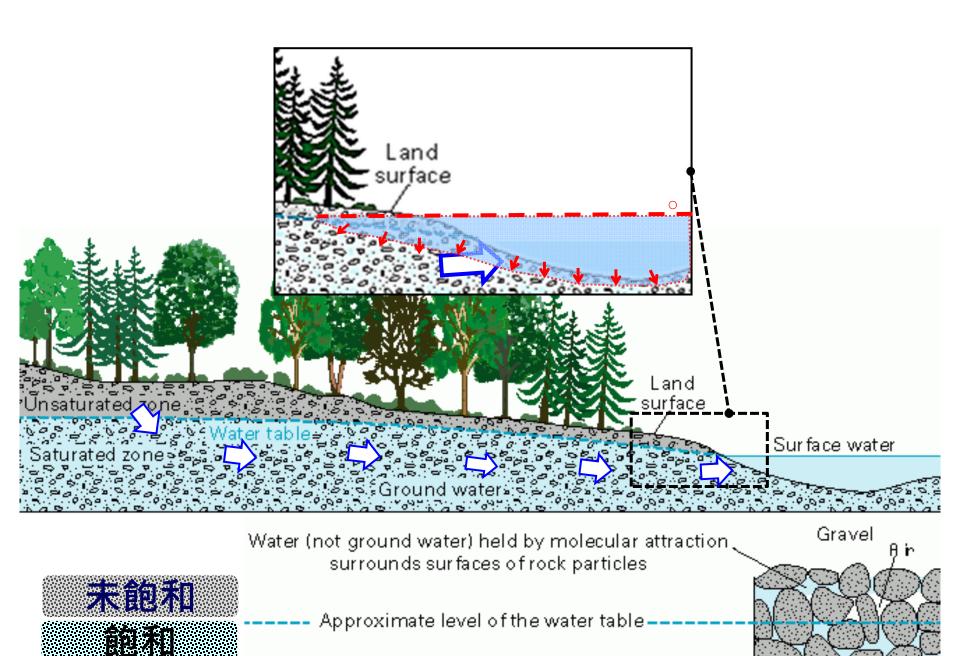


Immobile subsurface storage zone with cross-sectional area of  $A_S$ 

$$\frac{\partial C_R}{\partial t} = -\frac{Q}{A} \frac{\partial C_R}{\partial x} + \frac{1}{A} \frac{\partial}{\partial x} \left( AD \frac{\partial C_R}{\partial x} \right) + \frac{q_{Lin}}{A} \left( C_L - C_R \right) + \alpha * \left( C_S - C_R \right)$$

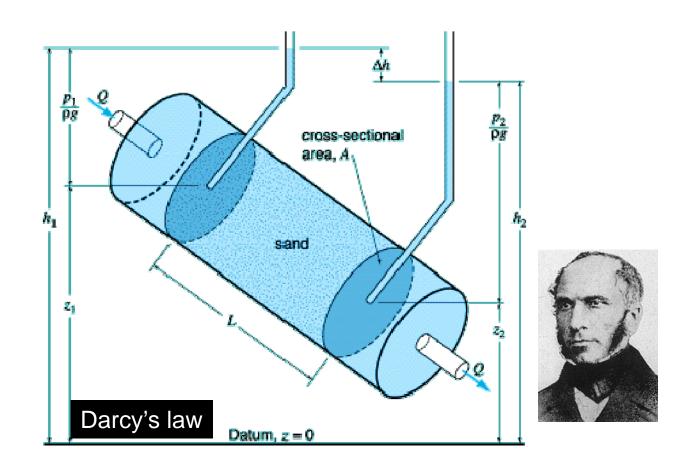
$$\frac{dC_S}{dt} = \alpha * \frac{A}{A_S} (C_R - C_S)$$

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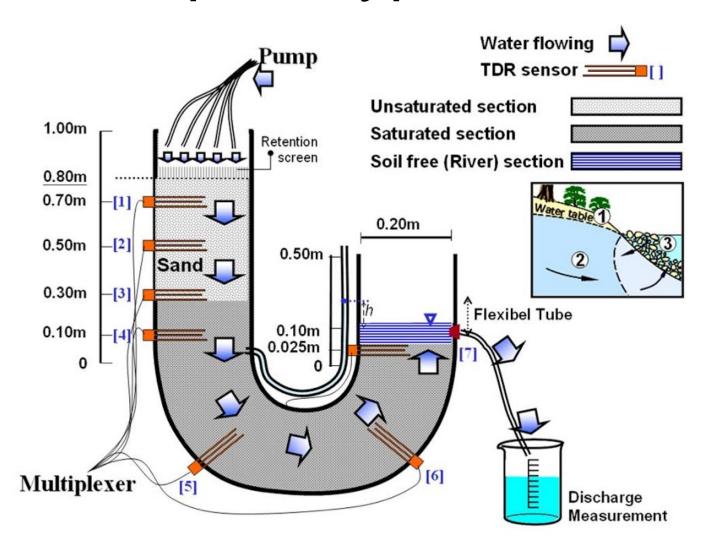


All openings below water table full of ground water

# The J-shaped Hyporheic model



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## Theory: convective-dispersion equation (CDE)

$$R_f \frac{\partial C}{\partial t} = D \frac{\partial^2 C}{\partial z^2} - V \frac{\partial C}{\partial z}$$

 $m{D}$  is the dispersion coefficient  $m{V}$  is the pore water velocity  $m{C}$  is the concentration of solute  $m{R_f}$  is the retardation factor

$$D = V^n \lambda + D_e$$

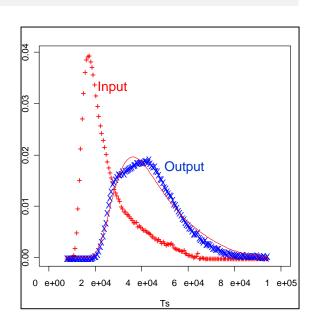
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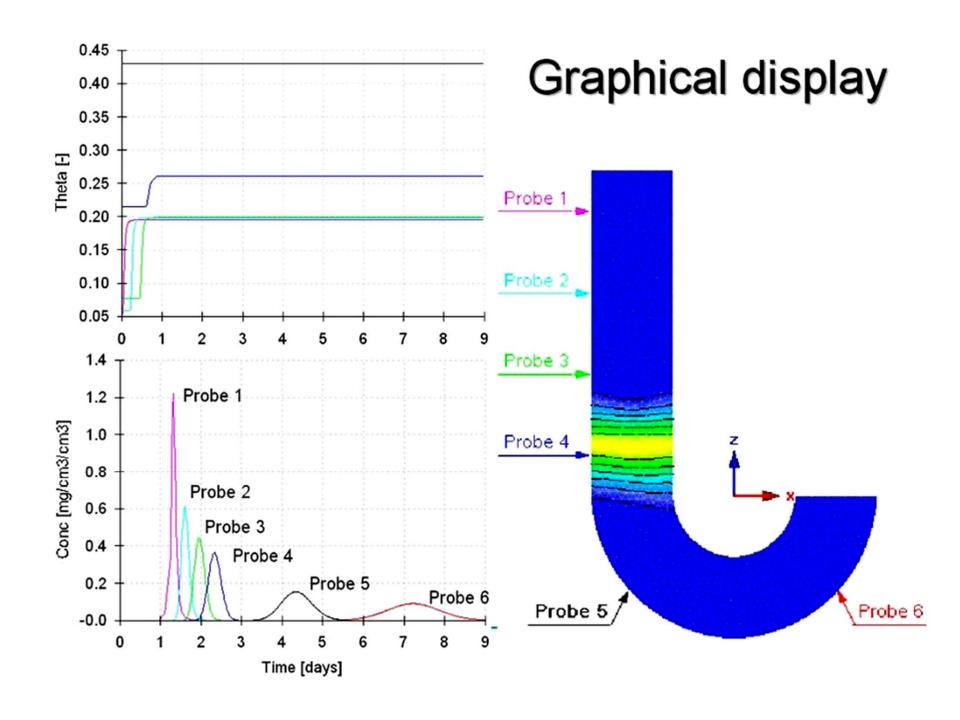
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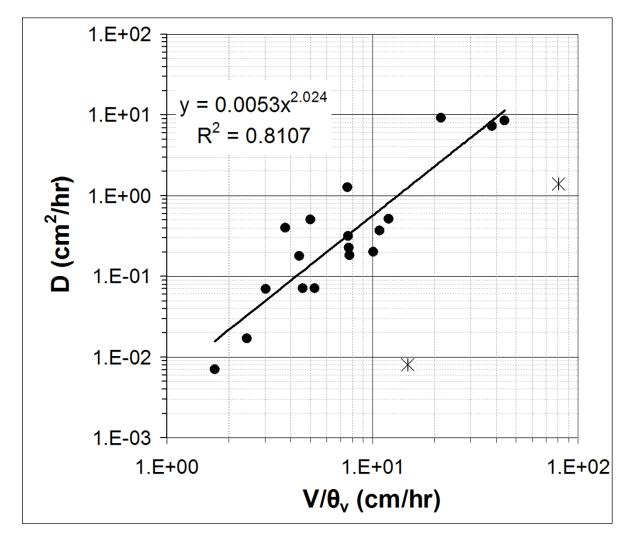
A transfer-function method for analysing breakthrough data in the time domain of the transport process

$$f(t) = \exp\left[-\left(1 - \frac{t}{\tau R_f}\right)^2 / 4N\left(\frac{t}{\tau R_f}\right)\right] / \left[2\tau R_f \left\{\pi N\left(\frac{t}{\tau R_f}\right)^3\right\}^{0.5}\right]$$

Mojid, M. A., D. A. Rose, and G. C. L. Wyseure. "A transfer-function method for analysing breakthrough data in the time domain of the transport process." European journal of soil science 55.4 (2004): 699-711.







Log-log relationships between solute dispersion coefficient (*D*) and ratio of pore water velocity to water content

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#### Hydrodynamic dispersion characteristics of lateral inflow into a river tested by a laboratory model

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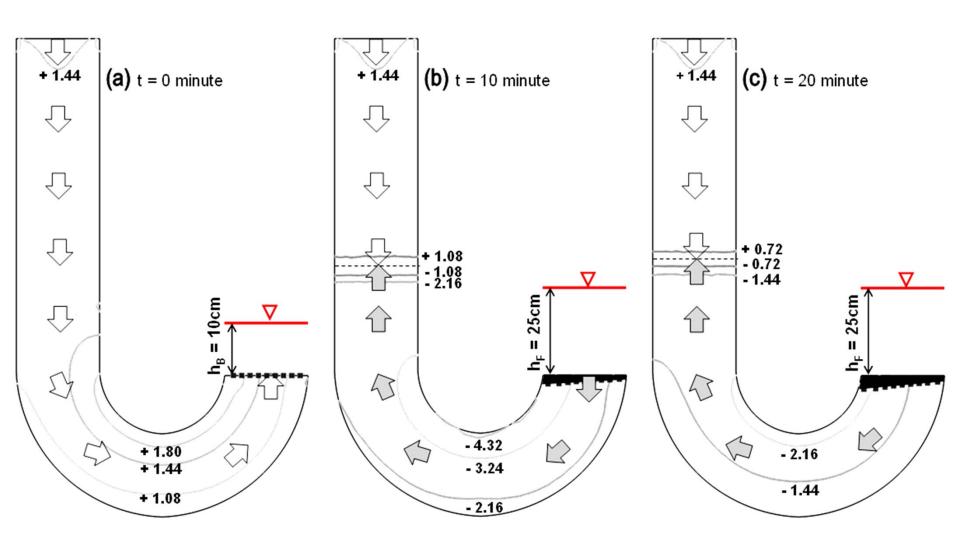
#### 1 Introduction

Knowledge of the aquifer and river water interaction is important for understanding the continuum of groundwater and surface water hydrology. The significance of groundwatersurface water interaction is however difficult to quantify (Valett et al., 1904) and is commonly ignored in watermanagement considerations or oplicies.

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# Creating Backflow from the river to the aquifer





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#### Heat as a Ground Water Tracer

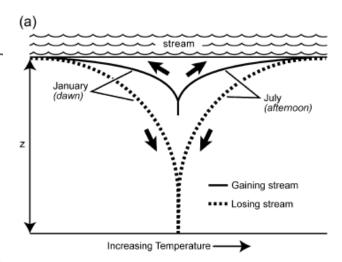
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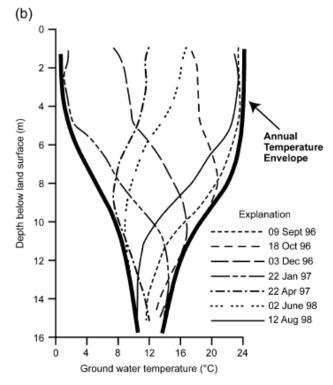
#### Abstract

Heat carried by ground water serves as a tracer to identify surface water infiltration, flow through fractures, and flow patterns in ground water basins. Temperature measurements can be analyzed for recharge and discharge rates, the effects of surface warming, interchange with surface water, hydraulic conductivity of streambed sediments, and basin-scale permeability. Temperature data are also used in formal solutions of the inverse problem to estimate ground water flow and hydraulic conductivity. The fundamentals of using heat as a ground water tracer were published in the 1960s, but recent work has significantly expanded the application to a variety of hydrogeological settings. In recent work, temperature is used to delineate flows in the hyporheic zone, estimate submarine ground water discharge and depth to the salt-water interface, and in parameter estimation with coupled ground water and heat-flow models. While short reviews of selected work on heat as a ground water tracer can be found in a number of research papers, there is no critical synthesis of the larger body of work found in the hydrogeological literature. The purpose of this review paper is to fill that void and to show that ground water temperature data and associated analytical tools are currently underused and have not yet realized their full potential.

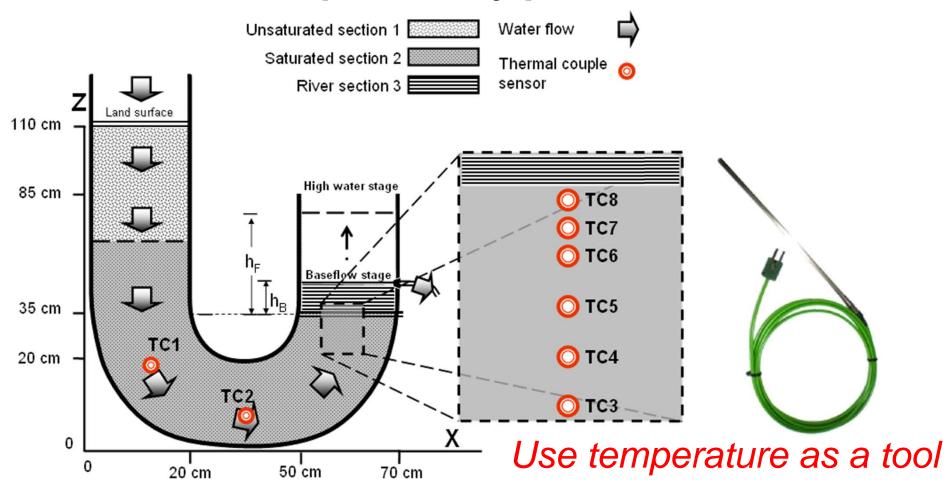


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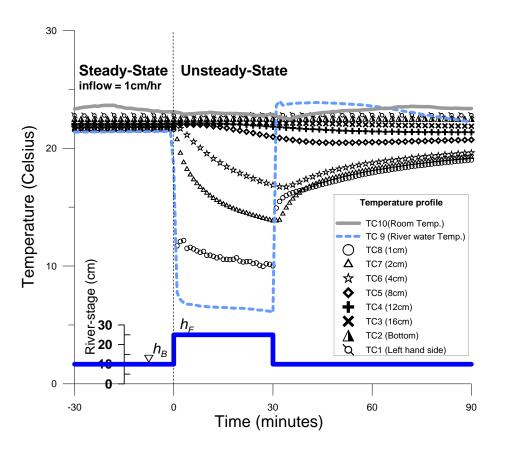
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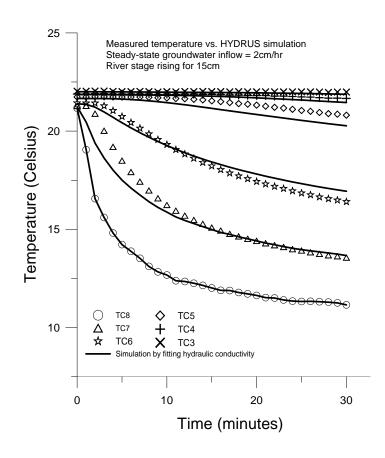


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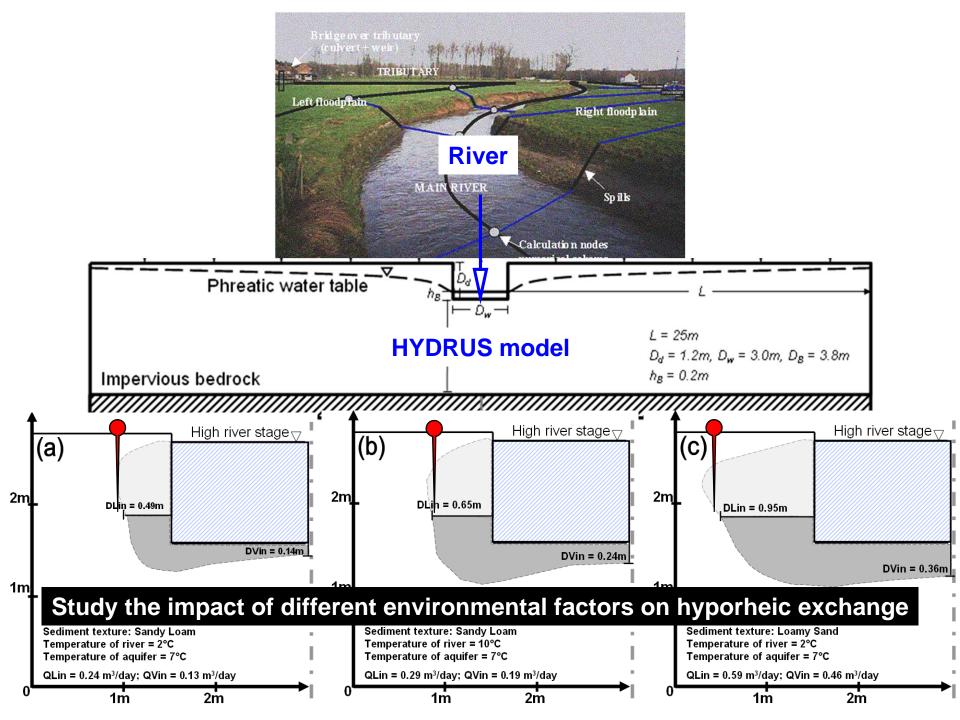


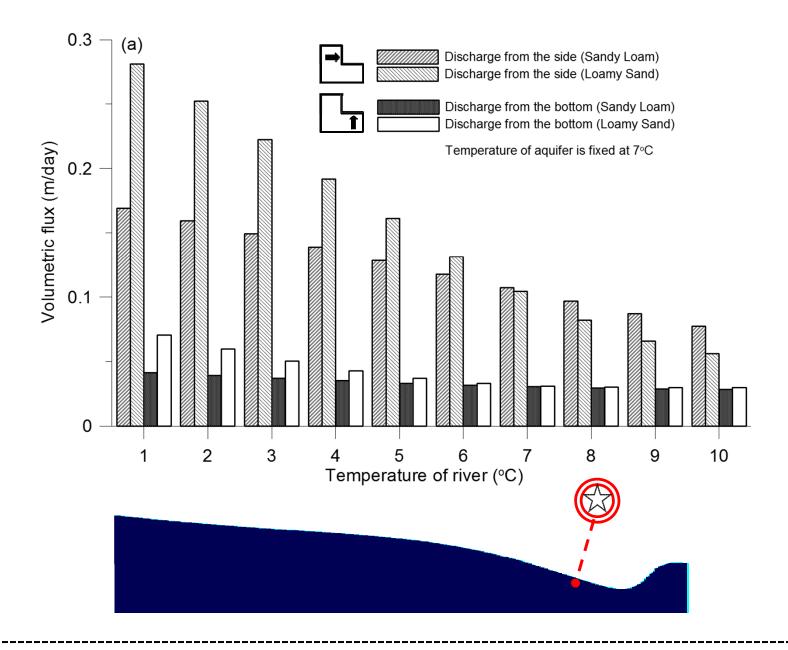


#### The finding

The rapid change in groundwater temperature has an important effect on K

After determination of the optimal K, the fluctuating water fluxes below the riverbed can be estimated by a numerical model.

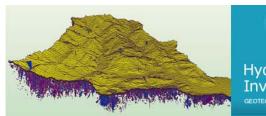




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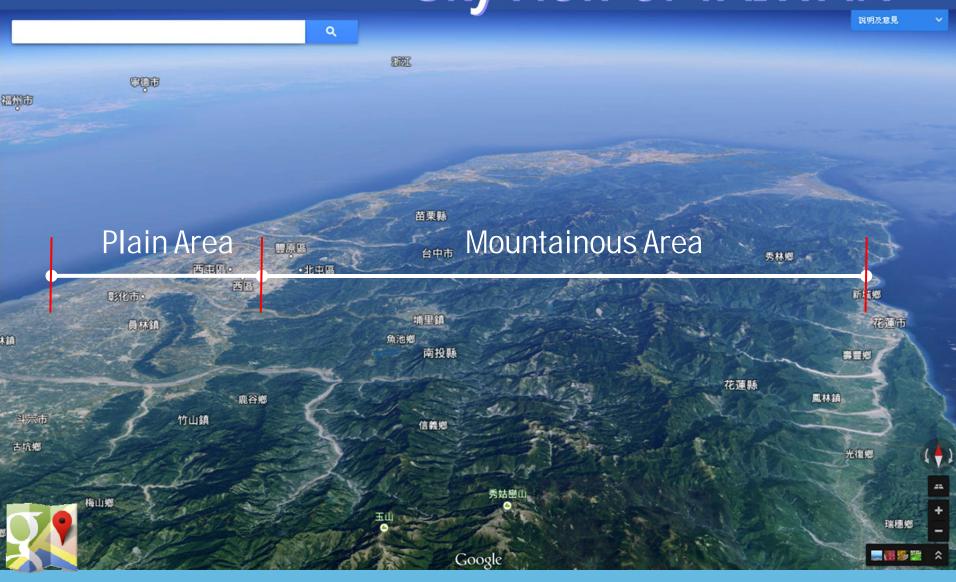






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- 坡地水文地質特性調査
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# SkyView of TAIWAN



#### Towards sustainable ground-water management



# Rock Aquifer Hydraulic Properties Investigation and Ground-water Monitoring Wells Construction in Mid-Taiwan Mountainous Region

台灣山區地下水資源調查研究整體計畫 2010



## 決策

(多元化水資源 經營管理策略)

#### 地下水分析模式

(潛勢評估、開發潛能及場址研究)

#### 水文地質特性調查

(孔內水文地質調查、地球物理及地球化學調查)

#### 地質架構建立

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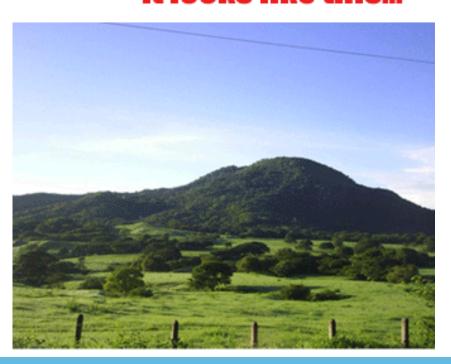
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#### 山區地下岩層水力特性調查

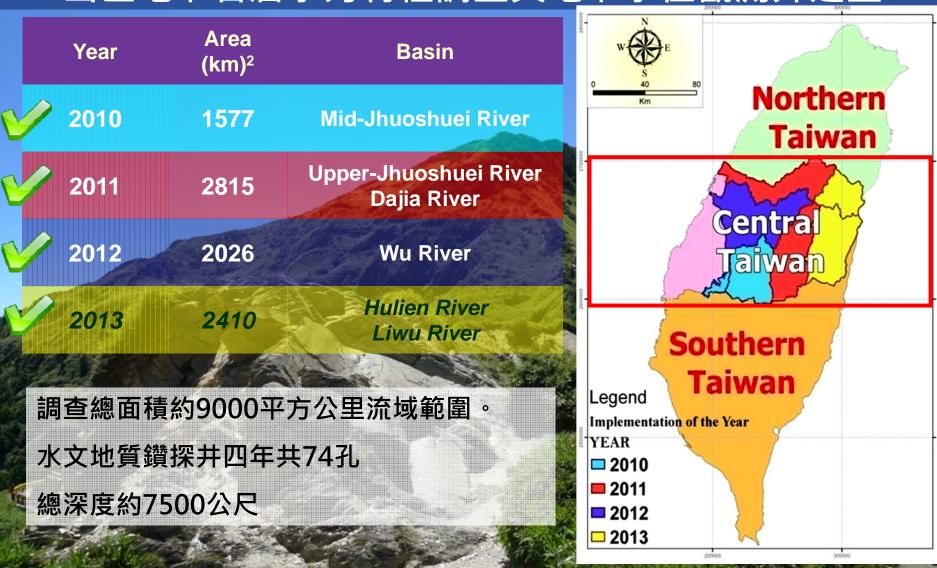
- 1) 山區涵養水源的黃金區位在哪?
- 2) 岩層蓄存水源的空間有多少?
- 3) 水脈的出現位置與分布概況?
- 4) 山區活水如何補注?
- 5) 岩層水流路徑的連通性?
- 6) 地下水位波動的原因?

#### 探討山區的水文連通潛能

# To the naked eye it looks like this...



#### 山區地下岩層水力特性調查與地下水位觀測井建置



Water Supply and Distribution is Difficult



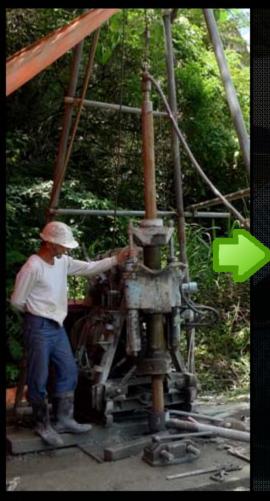
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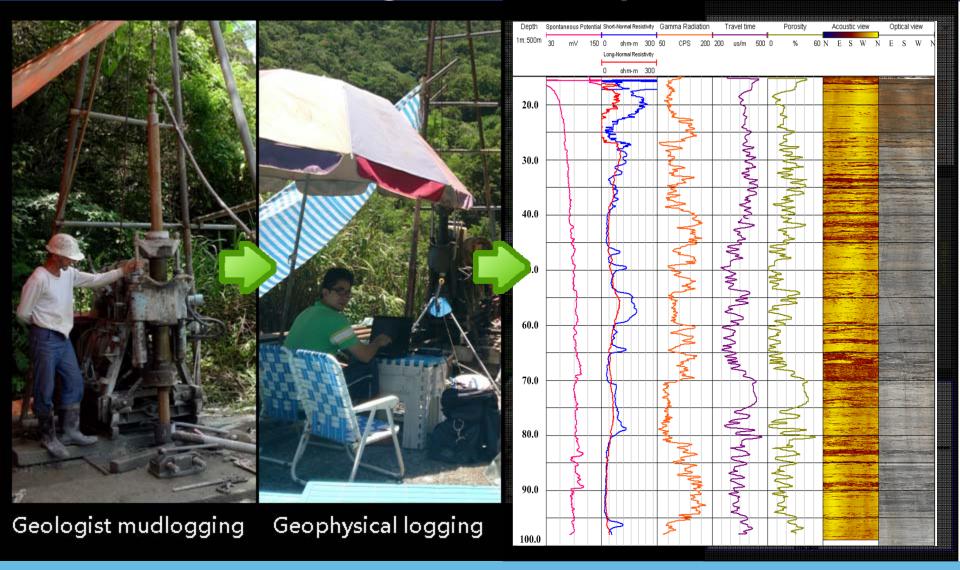
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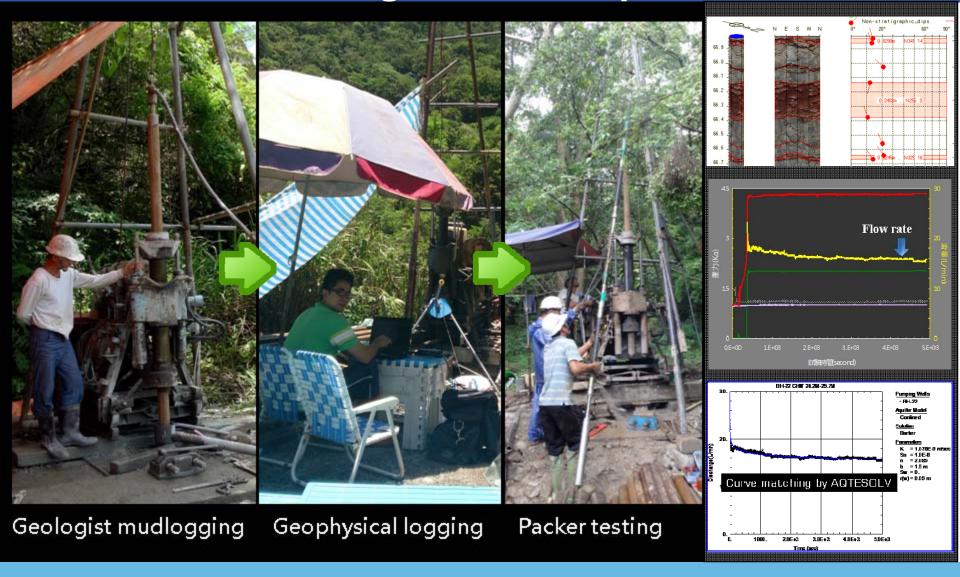
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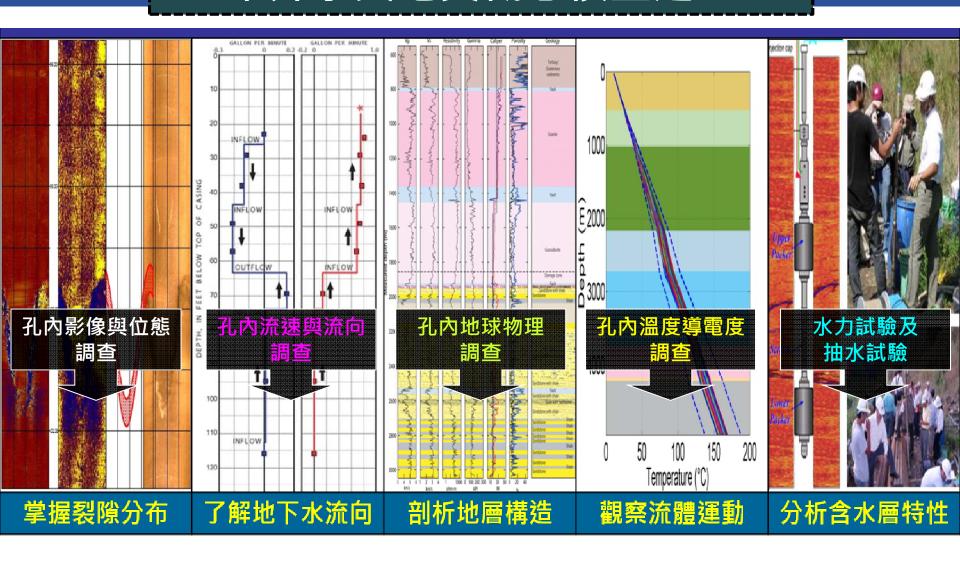
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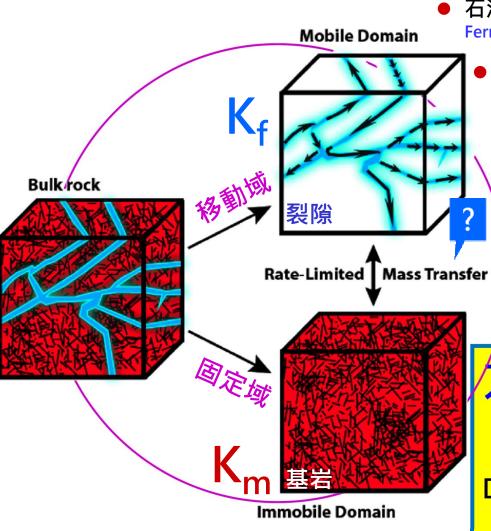
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## ★ 單井水文地質概念模型建立



# 山區裂隙與基岩的透水比例 Study of permeability ratio (K<sub>f</sub> / K<sub>m</sub>)



石油開採評估 (Hughes et al. 1997, Putra et al. 1999,
 Fernø et al. 2008, Salimi et al. 2008, Najafabadi 2009)

- ▶ 頁岩氣體儲存 (Kalantari-Dahaghi et al. 2011)
- 二氧化碳封存 (Odling and Bonnent 2000, Darvish 2007)
  - ●異向性的問題(anisotropy)

anisotropy effect increases only with increasing ratio of  $(K_m/K_f)$  (Paul et al. 2011)

●汙染物傳輸追蹤與控制

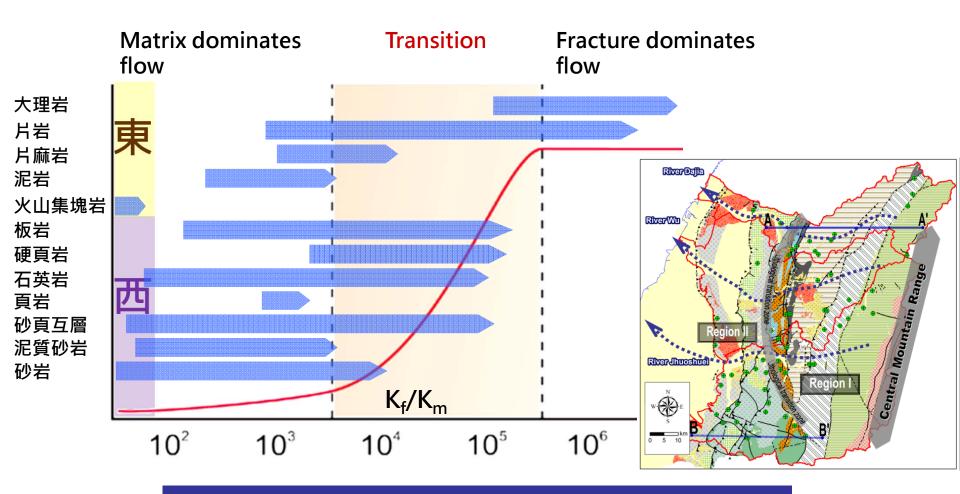
竄流係數 interporosity flow coefficient (λ) =  $\alpha \times r^2_w \times (K_m/K_f)$  (Chacon 2006)

# 方法→

雙封塞試驗 + 室內試驗

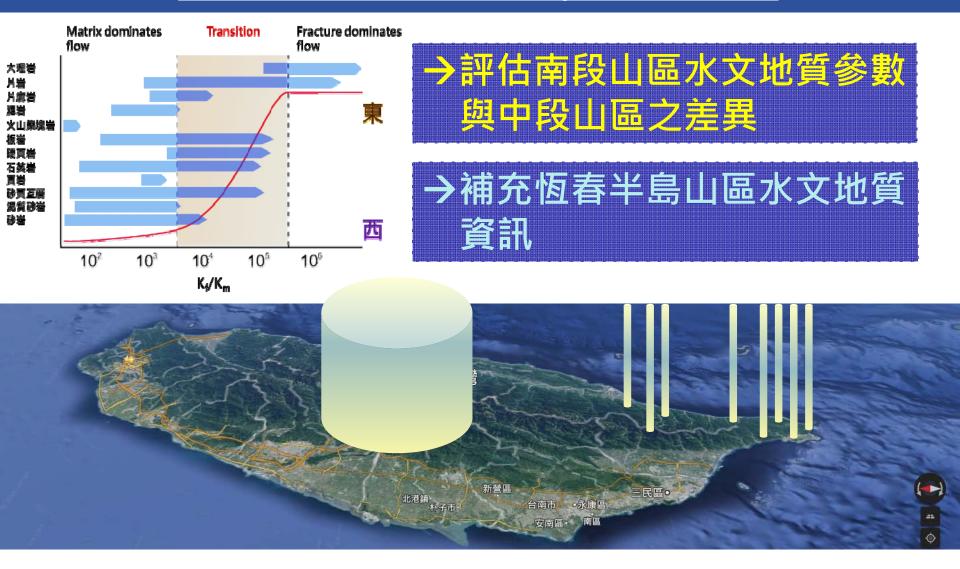
Double packer test + Indoor Gas permeameter testing

#### Results



Permeability ratio (K<sub>f</sub> / K<sub>m</sub>) by rock types

#### The central vs. the south part of Taiwan



#### "Hydrologic connectivity" is the think-link

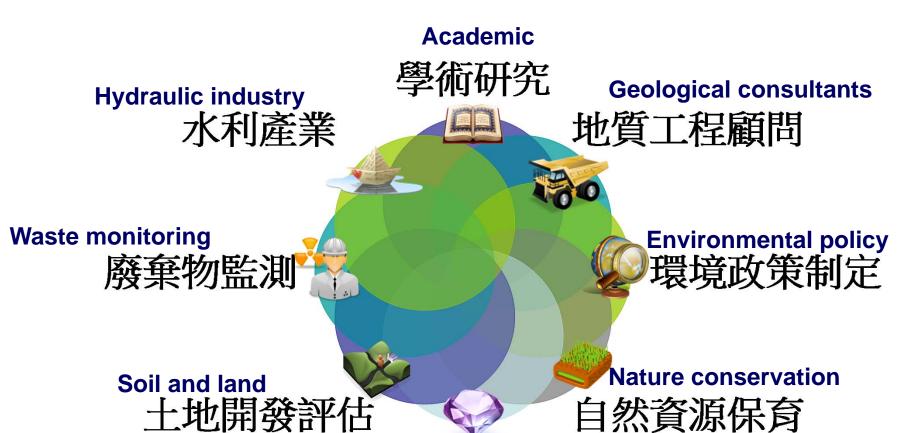
... of surface flow and groundwater pathway

... of our understanding of rainfall–runoff processes

... structuring the habitats of aquatic communities

... of mountains and floodplains

... of human beings and the environment

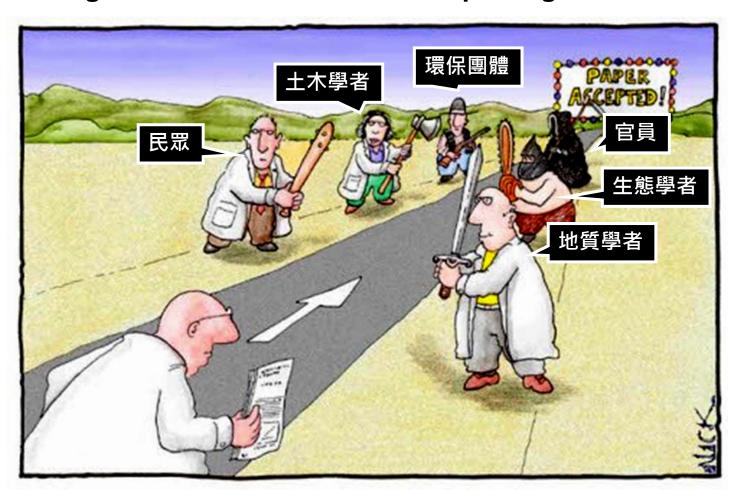


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#### **Seeking Common Ground While Respecting Differences**



# Thank you

