Consistent section-averaged shallow water equations with bottom friction

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Motivation: 2D/1D coupling for estuary simulation



Gironde estuary: satellite picture

Gironde estuary: 2D mesh

Regarding the shape of the river bed, as of now,

- the derivation of 1D models is well-understood ^{1,2} in the ideal case of a ∐-shaped channel;
- for more complex shapes, the water surface of uniform stationary flows is recovered ^{3,4} using a empiric terms or data assimilation;
- fully 2D models are used but they are computationally costly.

¹see Bresch and Noble, 2007, in the context of laminar flows

²see Richard, Rambaud and Vila, 2017, in the context of turbulent flows

³see Decoene, Bonaventura, Miglio and Saleri, 2009

⁴see Marin and Monnier, 2009

The goal of this work is to develop a new model, based on the shallow water equations, that is:

- · generic enough to not require empiric friction coefficients;
- consistent with the 2D shallow water in the asymptotic regime corresponding to an estuary or a river;
- hyperbolic;
- easily implementable (collaboration with the SHOM for flood simulations, ocean model forcing, ...).

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The non-conservative 2D shallow water system



$$\begin{pmatrix} h_t + \nabla \cdot (h\mathbf{u}) = 0 \\ \mathbf{u}_t + \mathbf{u} \cdot \nabla \mathbf{u} + g \nabla h = g \left(-\nabla Z - \frac{\mathbf{u} \|\mathbf{u}\|}{C_h^2 h^p} \right)$$

- $\mathbf{u} = (u, v)$ is the water velocity
- g is the gravity constant
- C_h(x, y) is the (known)
 Chézy friction coefficient
- p = 4/3 is the friction exponent

Introduction of reference scales: the coordinates



	dimensional	reference	non-dimensional
	quantity	scale	quantity
longitudinal coordinates	$x \in (0m, 60000m)$	$\mathfrak{X} = 2000 \mathrm{m}$	$\bar{x} = \frac{x}{\chi} \in (0, 30)$
transverse coordinates	$y \in (-25m, 25m)$	y = 50m	$\bar{y} = \frac{y}{y} \in (-0.5, 0.5)$

Introduction of reference scales: the topography

Regarding the geometry, we assume that $Z(x,y) = b(x) + \phi(x,y)$, where:

- b(x) represents the main longitudinal topography, driving the flow from upstream to downstream;
- + $\phi(x, y)$ represents small longitudinal and transverse variations.

Thus, $h + \phi$ represents the altitude of the water surface.



Non-dimensional form of the 2D shallow water system

We introduce the following non-dimensional numbers to emphasize the different scales of the flow:

- F², the reference Froude number (ratio material/acoustic velocity),
- + δ , the shallow water parameter (ratio height/reference length),
- R_u, the quasi-1D parameter (ratio transverse/longitudinal velocity),
- I_0 and J_0 , the reference topography and friction slopes.

Finally, the non-dimensional form of the 2D shallow water system is:

$$\begin{split} &\left(\bar{h}_{\bar{t}} + (\bar{h}\bar{u})_{\bar{x}} + (\bar{h}\bar{v})_{\bar{y}} = 0, \\ &\bar{u}_{\bar{t}} + \bar{u}\bar{u}_{\bar{x}} + \bar{v}\bar{u}_{\bar{y}} + \frac{1}{F^2} \Big(\bar{h} + \bar{\varphi}\Big)_{\bar{x}} = \frac{1}{\delta F^2} \left(-J_0 \frac{\bar{u}\sqrt{\bar{u}^2 + R_u^2 \bar{v}^2}}{\bar{C}^2 \bar{h}^p} - I_0 \bar{b}_{\bar{x}}\right), \\ &\bar{v}_{\bar{t}} + \bar{u}\bar{v}_{\bar{x}} + \bar{v}\bar{v}_{\bar{y}} + \frac{1}{R_u^2 F^2} \Big(\bar{h} + \bar{\varphi}\Big)_{\bar{y}} = -\frac{J_0}{\delta F^2} \frac{\bar{v}\sqrt{\bar{u}^2 + R_u^2 \bar{v}^2}}{\bar{C}^2 \bar{h}^p}. \end{split}$$

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In the regime under consideration, we have

- $\varepsilon := \frac{\delta F^2}{J_0} \ll 1$ (in practice, $F^2 \ll 1$, $\delta \ll 1$, $J_0 \ll 1$ and $J_0 \sim \delta$), $R_u \ll 1$ (quasi-unidimensional setting), and $R_u = \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon)$.

Highlighting the dominant terms in the system, we get:

$$\begin{cases} h_t + (hu)_x + (hv)_y = 0, \\ u_t + uu_x + vu_y + \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \frac{\delta}{J_0} (h + \phi)_x = \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \left(-\frac{u\sqrt{u^2 + \varepsilon^2 v^2}}{C^2 h^p} - \frac{I_0}{J_0} b_x \right), \\ v_t + uv_x + vv_y + \frac{1}{\varepsilon^3} \frac{\delta}{J_0} (h + \phi)_y = -\frac{1}{\varepsilon} \frac{v\sqrt{u^2 + \varepsilon^2 v^2}}{C^2 h^p}. \end{cases}$$

Goal: Perform asymptotic expansions in this regime, to better understand the weak dependency of the solution in y.

Free surface expansion

We consider the third equation:

$$v_t + uv_x + vv_y + \frac{1}{\varepsilon^3} \frac{\delta}{J_0} (h + \phi)_y = -\frac{1}{\varepsilon} \frac{v\sqrt{u^2 + \varepsilon^2 v^2}}{C^2 h^p},$$

which we rewrite as follows to highlight the dominant term:

$$\frac{\delta}{J_0}(h+\phi)_y = \varepsilon^2 \frac{v\sqrt{u^2+\varepsilon^2 v^2}}{C^2 h^p} + \varepsilon^3 (v_t + uv_x + vv_y).$$

Neglecting the $O(\epsilon^2)$ terms, we get

$$\frac{\delta}{J_0}(h+\phi)_y=\mathcal{O}(\varepsilon^2),$$

and there exists H = H(x, t) such that

$$\mathbb{O}(\varepsilon^2) \Leftrightarrow \underbrace{\mathsf{h}(x,y)}_{\mathsf{h}(x,y)} \bigoplus \mathsf{h}(x,y) \bigoplus \mathsf{H}(x)$$

$$H(x,t) = h(x,y,t) + \phi(x,y) + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon^2).$$

 \rightsquigarrow the free surface is almost flat in the y-direction, up to $\mathcal{O}(\epsilon^2)$

Longitudinal velocity expansion

Highlighting the dominant terms, the second equation (times ε) reads:

$$u_t + uu_x + vu_y + \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \frac{\delta}{J_0} (h + \phi)_x = \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \left(-\frac{u\sqrt{u^2 + \varepsilon^2 v^2}}{C^2 h^p} - \frac{J_0}{J_0} b_x \right).$$

To perform the asymptotic expansion of u with respect to ε , we write

$$u(x,y,t) = u_{2D}^{(0)}(x,y,t) + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon).$$

Since $h + \phi = H + O(\varepsilon^2)$, straightforward computations yield:

$$u_{2D}^{(0)} = C \frac{\Lambda}{\sqrt{|\Lambda|}} (H - \Phi)^{p/2},$$

where we have defined the corrected slope $\Lambda(x, t) = -\frac{I_0}{J_0}b_x - \frac{\delta}{J_0}H_x$.

Next step: Build a 1D model consistent with these expansions.

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The river cross-section

To obtain a 1D model, we start by averaging the 2D equations: below, we display the cross-section of the river, with respect to *x*.



Averaging the 2D system over the river width

1. The original mass conservation equation reads:

$$h_t + (hu)_x + (hv)_y = 0.$$

Therefore, since $v(y_-) = v(y_+) = 0$, we get:

$$\int_{y_{-}}^{y_{+}} h_t \, dy + \int_{y_{-}}^{y_{+}} (hu)_x \, dy = 0 \implies S_t + Q_x = 0,$$

where the averaged discharge Q is given by $Q = \int_{y_{-}}^{y_{-}} hu \, dy$.

2. Arguing the mass conservation and integrating the second equation between y_{-} and y_{+} yields:

$$Q_t + \left(\int_{y_-}^{y_+} hu^2 \, dy\right)_x = \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \int_{y_-}^{y_+} h\left(-\frac{l_0}{J_0}b_x - \frac{\delta}{J_0}(h+\phi)_x\right) dy$$
$$- \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \int_{y_-}^{y_+} \frac{u\sqrt{u^2 + \varepsilon^2 v^2}}{C^2 h^{p-1}} \, dy.$$

Averaging the 2D system

Finally, the averaged system reads as follows, up to $O(\epsilon^2)$:

$$\begin{cases} S_t + Q_x = 0, \\ Q_t + \left(\int_{y_-}^{y_+} hu^2 \, dy\right)_x = \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \left(\Lambda S - \int_{y_-}^{y_+} \frac{u|u|}{C^2 h^{p-1}} \, dy\right) + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon). \end{cases}$$

Next step: From the averaged system, build a truly 1D model that is zeroth-order accurate (up to $O(\varepsilon)$).

That is to say, the new model needs to ensure $Q = Q_{2D}^{(0)} + O(\epsilon)$, where

$$Q_{2D}^{(0)} = \int_{y_{-}}^{y_{+}} h u_{2D}^{(0)} \, dy$$

= $\sqrt{|\Lambda|} \operatorname{sgn}(\Lambda) \int_{y_{-}}^{y_{+}} C \, (H - \Phi)^{1 + p/2} \, dy.$

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Setting up the model

The integrated discharge equation, highlighting the dominant terms and multiplying by ε , is

$$\Lambda S - \int_{y_-}^{y_+} \frac{u|u|}{C^2 h^{p-1}} \, dy = \varepsilon \left(Q_t + \left(\int_{y_-}^{y_+} h u^2 \, dy \right)_x \right) + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon^2).$$

At the zeroth order, i.e. up to $O(\varepsilon)$, the right-hand side of this equation is neglected, and we get:

$$\Lambda S - \int_{y_-}^{y_+} \frac{u|u|}{C^2 h^{p-1}} \, dy = \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon).$$

We cannot directly use this equation in a 1D model, since it contains the unknown *u*, which depends on *y*.

Instead, we approximate the integral, up to $\mathbb{O}(\epsilon)$, with a new 1D friction term.

First, we choose this 1D friction term as a usual hydraulic engineering model. Thus, we impose the following formula:

$$\frac{Q|Q|}{C_{1D}^2S} = \int_{y_-}^{y_+} \frac{u|u|}{C^2h^{p-1}} \, dy + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon).$$

It contains a 1D friction coefficient⁵ C_{1D} , to be determined.

According to the discharge equation, we get, up to $O(\epsilon)$:

$$\frac{Q|Q|}{C_{1D}^2S} = \Lambda S + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon) \implies C_{1D}^2 = \frac{Q|Q|}{\Lambda S^2} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon).$$

Second, we impose $Q = Q_{2D}^{(0)} + O(\varepsilon)$, to get the following expression of the friction coefficient:

$$C_{1D}^2 = rac{Q_{2D}^{(0)} |Q_{2D}^{(0)}|}{\Lambda S^2}.$$

⁵The coefficient C_{1D}^2 usually contains the hydraulic radius, the Chézy coefficient, ...

The final system

With the new friction model, the discharge equation reads

$$\Lambda S - \frac{Q|Q|}{C_{1D}^2 S} = \varepsilon \left(Q_t + \left(\int_{y_-}^{y_+} h u^2 \, dy \right)_x \right) + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon).$$

We choose to approximate the integral in the flux to describe the advection of the discharge:

$$\varepsilon \int_{y_{-}}^{y_{+}} hu^{2} dy = \varepsilon \frac{\left(\int_{y_{-}}^{y_{+}} hu dy\right)^{2}}{\int_{y_{-}}^{y_{+}} h dy} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon) = \varepsilon \frac{Q^{2}}{S} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon).$$

The resulting discharge equation is

$$\varepsilon \left(Q_t + \left(\frac{Q^2}{S} \right)_x \right) = S \left(\Lambda - \underbrace{\frac{Q|Q|}{C_{1D}^2 S^2}}_{\mathcal{J}} \right) + \mathfrak{O}(\varepsilon).$$

$$\left(\begin{array}{c} \mathsf{S}_t + \mathsf{Q}_x = \mathsf{0}, \\ \mathsf{Q}_t + \left(\frac{\mathsf{Q}^2}{\mathsf{S}} \right)_x = \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \mathsf{S}(\Lambda - \mathcal{J}). \end{array} \right)$$

Let us double check that this model is sufficient to recover the zeroth-order expansion of *Q*.

With
$$Q = Q_{\text{model}}^{(0)} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon)$$
, we get, at the zeroth order:

$$\Lambda = \mathcal{J} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon) \implies \Lambda = \overbrace{\Lambda \frac{Q|Q|}{Q_{2D}^{(0)}|Q_{2D}^{(0)}|}}^{\mathcal{J}} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon) = \Lambda \frac{Q_{\text{model}}^{(0)}|Q_{\text{model}}^{(0)}|}{Q_{2D}^{(0)}|Q_{2D}^{(0)}|} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon)$$

$$\implies Q_{\text{model}}^{(0)} = Q_{2D}^{(0)} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon).$$

$$\begin{cases} S_t + Q_x = 0, \\ Q_t + \left(\frac{Q^2}{S}\right)_x = \frac{1}{\varepsilon} S\left(-\frac{I_0}{J_0}b_x - \frac{\delta}{J_0}H_x - \vartheta\right). \end{cases}$$

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$$\left(\begin{array}{c} \mathsf{S}_t + \mathsf{Q}_x = \mathsf{0}, \\ \mathsf{Q}_t + \left(\frac{\mathsf{Q}^2}{\mathsf{S}} \right)_x + \frac{\mathsf{SH}_x}{F^2} = \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \mathsf{S}(\mathfrak{I} - \mathfrak{J}). \end{array} \right)$$

This form is quite similar to that of the the usual models. All the complexity lies within the friction model \mathcal{J} and in the expression of the friction coefficient C_{1D} .

→ We have derived a zeroth-order model governed by a hyperbolic system of balance laws.

→ We also enhance this approach to derive a first-order model, based on the energy equation.

Next step: Numerical validation of these models.

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To handle the stiff relaxation source term, we introduce an implicit splitting procedure.

The zeroth-order model is made of a non-stiff part and a stiff part:

$$\begin{cases} S_t + Q_x = 0, \\ Q_t + \left(\frac{Q^2}{S}\right)_x + \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \frac{\delta}{J_0} SH_x = \frac{1}{\varepsilon} S(\mathcal{I} - \mathcal{J}). \end{cases}$$

First, we consider the non-stiff part:

$$\begin{cases} S_t + Q_x = 0, \\ Q_t + \left(\frac{Q^2}{S}\right)_x = 0 \end{cases}$$

which we discretize using an upwind finite difference scheme.

Numerical schemes

Second, we consider the stiff part:

$$\begin{cases} \mathsf{S}_t = \mathsf{0}, \\ \mathsf{Q}_t + \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \frac{\delta}{J_0} \mathsf{S} \mathsf{H}_x = \frac{1}{\varepsilon} \mathsf{S}(\mathfrak{I} - \mathfrak{J}). \end{cases}$$

Since $S_t = 0$, we are left with the following ODE on Q:

$$Q_t = \frac{1}{\varepsilon} S \Lambda \left(1 - \frac{Q^2}{\left(Q_{2D}^{(0)} \right)^2} \right),$$

which we can solve exactly, to get

$$Q(t) = Q_{2D}^{(0)} \frac{\tanh\left(\frac{1}{\varepsilon} \frac{S|\Lambda|}{|Q_{2D}^{(0)}|}t\right) + \frac{Q(0)}{Q_{2D}^{(0)}}}{1 + \tanh\left(\frac{1}{\varepsilon} \frac{S|\Lambda|}{|Q_{2D}^{(0)}|}t\right) \frac{Q(0)}{Q_{2D}^{(0)}}} \xrightarrow{\varepsilon \to 0} Q_{2D}^{(0)}.$$













































































































































































































































































































































































































Unsteady flood flow (2D: ref. sol., A0: 0th-order, A1: 1st-order)









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We have developed a new 1D model, based on the 2D shallow water equations, that is:

- consistent, up to first-order, with the 2D model in the asymptotic regime corresponding to a river flow:
 - the zeroth-order is obtained with a new explicit friction term,
 - the first-order relies on new equations describing the evolution of the energy;
- hyperbolic;
- easily implementable and numerically validated.

The preprint related to these results is available on HAL:

V. Michel-Dansac, P. Noble et J.-P. Vila, **Consistent section-averaged shallow water equations with bottom friction**, 2018. https://hal.archives-ouvertes.fr/hal-01962186

Work related to the model:

- improve the treatment of the river meanders by going to the first-order instead of the zeroth-order
- adapt this methodology to treat confluences
- consider a time-dependent topography to model the effects of sedimentation

Work related to the implementation and scientific computation:

- compare the 1D results to the ones given by a fully 2D code, in real test cases (Garonne, Lèze, Gironde, Amazon, ...)
- couple the 1D and 2D equations in the context of the Gironde estuary (collaboration in progress with the SHOM)

Thank you for your attention!

First-order model

The first-order model is:

 $\begin{cases} \mathsf{S}_{t} + \mathsf{Q}_{x} = \mathsf{0}, \\ \mathsf{Q}_{t} + \left(\frac{\mathsf{Q}^{2}}{\mathsf{S}} + \Psi\right)_{x} + \left(1 - \frac{\mathsf{S}\Psi_{2D}^{(0)}}{\left(\mathsf{Q}_{2D}^{(0)}\right)^{2}}\right) \frac{\mathsf{S}\mathsf{H}_{x}}{\mathsf{F}^{2}} = \frac{1}{\varepsilon}\mathsf{S}\left(\mathfrak{I} - \mathfrak{J} - \frac{\mathsf{S}\Psi_{2D}^{(0)}}{\left(\mathsf{Q}_{2D}^{(0)}\right)^{2}}(\mathfrak{I} - \mathfrak{J}_{\Psi})\right), \\ \left(\frac{1}{2}\frac{\mathsf{Q}^{2}}{\mathsf{S}} + \frac{1}{2}\Psi\right)_{t} + \left(\frac{\mathsf{Q}}{\mathsf{S}}\left(\frac{1}{2}\frac{\mathsf{Q}^{2}}{\mathsf{S}} + \frac{1}{2}\Pi\right)\right)_{x} + \frac{\mathsf{Q}\mathsf{H}_{x}}{\mathsf{F}^{2}} = \frac{1}{\varepsilon}\mathsf{Q}(\mathfrak{I} - \mathfrak{J}), \\ \left(\frac{1}{2}(\Pi - 3\Psi)\right)_{t} = \frac{1}{\varepsilon}\mathsf{Q}\frac{\mathsf{S}\Pi_{2D}^{(0)}}{\left(\mathsf{Q}_{2D}^{(0)}\right)^{2}}(\mathfrak{J}_{\Psi} - \mathfrak{J}_{\Pi}). \end{cases}$

It ensures the correct asymptotic regime, that is to say

$$Q = Q_{2D}^{(0)} + \varepsilon Q_{2D}^{(1)} + \mathcal{O}(\varepsilon^2).$$

In addition, it is hyperbolic and linearly stable.

To emphasize the different scales of the flow, we perform a non-dimensionalization of the 2D system.

We introduce the following dimensionalization scales and related non-dimensional quantities (which are denoted with a bar, like \bar{x}):

$$h := \mathcal{H}\overline{h}, \quad u := \mathcal{U}\overline{u}, \quad v := \mathcal{V}\overline{v}, \quad x := \mathfrak{X}\overline{x}, \quad y := \mathcal{Y}\overline{y}, \quad t := \mathfrak{T}\overline{t}, \quad \mathfrak{T} := \frac{\mathfrak{X}}{\mathfrak{U}}.$$

The mass conservation equation

$$\frac{\partial h}{\partial t} + \frac{\partial h u}{\partial x} + \frac{\partial h v}{\partial y} = 0$$

then becomes

$$\frac{\mathcal{H}}{\mathcal{T}}\frac{\partial\bar{h}}{\partial\bar{t}} + \frac{\mathcal{H}\mathcal{U}}{\mathcal{X}}\frac{\partial\bar{h}\bar{u}}{\partial\bar{x}} + \frac{\mathcal{H}\mathcal{V}}{\mathcal{Y}}\frac{\partial\bar{h}\bar{v}}{\partial\bar{y}} = 0.$$

The non-dimensional conservation equation is

$$\frac{\mathcal{H}}{\mathcal{T}}\frac{\partial\bar{h}}{\partial\bar{t}} + \frac{\mathcal{H}\mathcal{U}}{\mathcal{X}}\frac{\partial\bar{h}\bar{u}}{\partial\bar{x}} + \frac{\mathcal{H}\mathcal{V}}{\mathcal{Y}}\frac{\partial\bar{h}\bar{v}}{\partial\bar{y}} = 0, \quad \text{i.e.} \quad \frac{\partial\bar{h}}{\partial\bar{t}} + \frac{\partial\bar{h}\bar{u}}{\partial\bar{x}} + \frac{\mathcal{V}}{\mathcal{U}}\frac{\mathcal{X}}{\mathcal{Y}}\frac{\partial\bar{h}\bar{v}}{\partial\bar{y}} = 0.$$

We set $R_u := \mathcal{V}/\mathcal{U}$ and $R_x := \mathcal{Y}/\mathcal{X}$, to get

$$\frac{\partial \bar{h}}{\partial \bar{t}} + \frac{\partial \bar{h} \bar{u}}{\partial \bar{x}} + \frac{R_u}{R_x} \frac{\partial \bar{h} \bar{v}}{\partial \bar{y}} = 0.$$

We have

- $\mathcal{V} \ll \mathcal{U}$ (quasi-unidimensional flow) $\implies R_u \ll 1$,
- $\mathcal{Y} \ll \mathcal{X}$ (quasi-unidimensional geometry) $\implies R_x \ll 1$.

We assume $R_u = R_x$ to keep the mass conservation equation unchanged from the dimensional case.

Regarding the geometry, we assume that $Z(x,y) = b(x) + \phi(x,y)$, where:

- b(x) represents the main longitudinal topography, driving the flow from upstream to downstream;
- $\phi(x, y)$ represents small longitudinal and transverse variations.

The related non-dimensional quantities are

$$b = \mathcal{B}\overline{b}\left(\frac{x}{\chi}\right)$$
 and $\phi = \mathcal{H}\overline{\phi}\left(\frac{x}{\chi}, \frac{y}{y}\right)$.

The non-dimensional topography gradient then reads:

$$\boldsymbol{\nabla} \boldsymbol{Z} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\mathcal{B}}{\mathcal{X}} \frac{\partial \bar{\boldsymbol{b}}}{\partial \bar{\boldsymbol{x}}}(\bar{\boldsymbol{x}}) + \frac{\mathcal{H}}{\mathcal{X}} \frac{\partial \bar{\boldsymbol{\phi}}}{\partial \bar{\boldsymbol{x}}}(\bar{\boldsymbol{x}}, \bar{\boldsymbol{y}}) \\ \frac{\mathcal{H}}{\mathcal{Y}} \frac{\partial \bar{\boldsymbol{\phi}}}{\partial \bar{\boldsymbol{y}}}(\bar{\boldsymbol{x}}, \bar{\boldsymbol{y}}) \end{pmatrix}$$

Regarding the friction, we take $C_h = \mathcal{C} \overline{C}(\overline{x}, \overline{y})$.

The non-dimensional friction source term then reads:

$$\frac{\mathbf{u}\|\mathbf{u}\|}{C_{h}^{2}h^{p}} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\mathcal{U}}{\mathcal{CH}^{p}} \cdot \frac{\bar{u}\sqrt{\mathcal{U}^{2}\bar{u}^{2} + \mathcal{V}^{2}\bar{v}^{2}}}{\bar{c}^{2}\bar{h}^{p}} \\ \frac{\mathcal{V}}{\mathcal{CH}^{p}} \cdot \frac{\bar{v}\sqrt{\mathcal{U}^{2}\bar{u}^{2} + \mathcal{V}^{2}\bar{v}^{2}}}{\bar{c}^{2}\bar{h}^{p}} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} \frac{\mathcal{U}|\mathcal{U}|}{\mathcal{CH}^{p}} \cdot \frac{\bar{u}\sqrt{\bar{u}^{2} + R_{u}^{2}\bar{v}^{2}}}{\bar{c}^{2}\bar{h}^{p}} \\ \frac{\mathcal{V}|\mathcal{U}|}{\mathcal{CH}^{p}} \cdot \frac{\bar{v}\sqrt{\bar{u}^{2} + R_{u}^{2}\bar{v}^{2}}}{\bar{c}^{2}\bar{h}^{p}} \end{pmatrix}$$

We are finally able to write the non-dimensional form of the 2D shallow water system: from the dimensional system

$$\begin{cases} h_t + \nabla \cdot (h\mathbf{u}) = \mathbf{0}, \\ \mathbf{u}_t + \mathbf{u} \cdot \nabla \mathbf{u} + g \nabla h = g \left(-\nabla Z - \frac{\mathbf{u} \|\mathbf{u}\|}{C_h^2 h^p} \right), \end{cases}$$

we get the following non-dimensional form:

$$\begin{split} & \Big(\bar{h}_{\bar{t}} + (\bar{h}\bar{u})_{\bar{x}} + (\bar{h}\bar{v})_{\bar{y}} = \mathbf{0}, \\ & \frac{\mathcal{U}^2}{\mathcal{X}}\bar{u}_{\bar{t}} + \frac{\mathcal{U}^2}{\mathcal{X}}\bar{u}\bar{u}_{\bar{x}} + \frac{\mathcal{U}\mathcal{V}}{\mathcal{Y}}\bar{v}\bar{u}_{\bar{y}} + \frac{g\mathcal{H}}{\mathcal{X}}\Big(\bar{h} + \bar{\phi}\Big)_{\bar{x}} = g\left(-\frac{\mathcal{U}|\mathcal{U}|}{\mathcal{C}\mathcal{H}^p}\frac{\bar{u}\sqrt{\bar{u}^2 + R_u^2\bar{v}^2}}{\bar{c}^2\bar{h}^p} - \frac{\mathcal{B}}{\mathcal{X}}\bar{b}_{\bar{x}}\right), \\ & \frac{\mathcal{V}\mathcal{U}}{\mathcal{X}}\bar{v}_{\bar{t}} + \frac{\mathcal{V}\mathcal{U}}{\mathcal{X}}\bar{u}\bar{v}_{\bar{x}} + \frac{\mathcal{V}^2}{\mathcal{Y}}\bar{v}\bar{v}_{\bar{y}} + \frac{g\mathcal{H}}{\mathcal{Y}}\Big(\bar{h} + \bar{\phi}\Big)_{\bar{y}} = g\left(-\frac{\mathcal{V}|\mathcal{U}|}{\mathcal{C}\mathcal{H}^p}\frac{\bar{v}\sqrt{\bar{u}^2 + R_u^2\bar{v}^2}}{\bar{c}^2\bar{h}^p}\right). \end{split}$$

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$$\begin{cases} h_t + \nabla \cdot (h\mathbf{u}) = \mathbf{0}, \\ \mathbf{u}_t + \mathbf{u} \cdot \nabla \mathbf{u} + g \nabla h = g \left(-\nabla Z - \frac{\mathbf{u} \|\mathbf{u}\|}{C_h^2 h^p} \right), \end{cases}$$

we get the following non-dimensional form:

$$\begin{cases} \bar{h}_{\bar{t}} + (\bar{h}\bar{u})_{\bar{x}} + (\bar{h}\bar{v})_{\bar{y}} = 0, \\ \bar{u}_{\bar{t}} + \bar{u}\bar{u}_{\bar{x}} + \bar{v}\bar{u}_{\bar{y}} + \frac{g\mathcal{H}}{\mathcal{U}^2} \Big(\bar{h} + \bar{\phi}\Big)_{\bar{x}} = \frac{g\mathcal{X}}{\mathcal{U}^2} \left(-\frac{\mathcal{U}|\mathcal{U}|}{\mathcal{C}\mathcal{H}^p} \frac{\bar{u}\sqrt{\bar{u}^2 + R_u^2 \bar{v}^2}}{\bar{c}^2 \bar{h}^p} - \frac{\mathcal{B}}{\mathcal{X}} \bar{b}_{\bar{x}} \right), \\ \bar{v}_{\bar{t}} + \bar{u}\bar{v}_{\bar{x}} + \bar{v}\bar{v}_{\bar{y}} + \frac{g\mathcal{H}\mathcal{X}}{\mathcal{V}\mathcal{U}\mathcal{Y}} \Big(\bar{h} + \bar{\phi}\Big)_{\bar{y}} = \frac{g\mathcal{X}}{\mathcal{U}^2} \left(-\frac{\mathcal{U}|\mathcal{U}|}{\mathcal{C}\mathcal{H}^p} \frac{\bar{v}\sqrt{\bar{u}^2 + R_u^2 \bar{v}^2}}{\bar{c}^2 \bar{h}^p} \right). \end{cases}$$

We introduce:

•
$$F^2=rac{\mathcal{U}^2}{g\mathcal{H}}$$
 the reference Froude number,

•
$$\delta = \frac{\pi}{\chi}$$
 the shallow water parameter,

•
$$I_0 = \frac{\mathcal{B}}{\chi}$$
 and $J_0 = \frac{\mathcal{U}|\mathcal{U}|}{\mathcal{CH}^p}$ the topography and friction slopes.

With
$$\frac{g\chi}{U^2} = \frac{g\mathcal{H}}{U^2}\frac{\chi}{\mathcal{H}} = \frac{1}{\delta F^2}$$
 and $\frac{g\mathcal{H}\chi}{\mathcal{V}U\mathcal{Y}} = \frac{g\mathcal{H}}{U^2}\frac{\chi}{\mathcal{V}}\frac{\chi}{\mathcal{Y}} = \frac{1}{R_u^2 F^2}$, we finally get:
 $(\bar{h}_{\bar{t}} + (\bar{h}\bar{u})_{\bar{x}} + (\bar{h}\bar{v})_{\bar{y}} = 0,$

$$\begin{aligned} & \left[\overline{u}_{\bar{t}} + \overline{u}\overline{u}_{\bar{x}} + \overline{v}\overline{u}_{\bar{y}} + \frac{1}{F^2} \Big(\overline{h} + \overline{\varphi} \Big)_{\bar{x}} = \frac{1}{\delta F^2} \left(-J_0 \frac{\overline{u}\sqrt{\overline{u}^2 + R_u^2 \overline{v}^2}}{\overline{C}^2 \overline{h}^p} - I_0 \overline{b}_{\bar{x}} \right), \\ & \left[\overline{v}_{\bar{t}} + \overline{u}\overline{v}_{\bar{x}} + \overline{v}\overline{v}_{\bar{y}} + \frac{1}{R_u^2 F^2} \Big(\overline{h} + \overline{\varphi} \Big)_{\bar{y}} = -\frac{J_0}{\delta F^2} \frac{\overline{v}\sqrt{\overline{u}^2 + R_u^2 \overline{v}^2}}{\overline{C}^2 \overline{h}^p}. \end{aligned}$$