

Calculation of wave forces due to extreme events in the coastal region using REEF3D

Beregning av bølgebeklastninger fra ekstrem vær i kyst områder med
REEF3D

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MAIN REASONS

1. Coastal regions are important economic areas
2. High vulnerable zones to natural disasters due to extreme weather or seismic events



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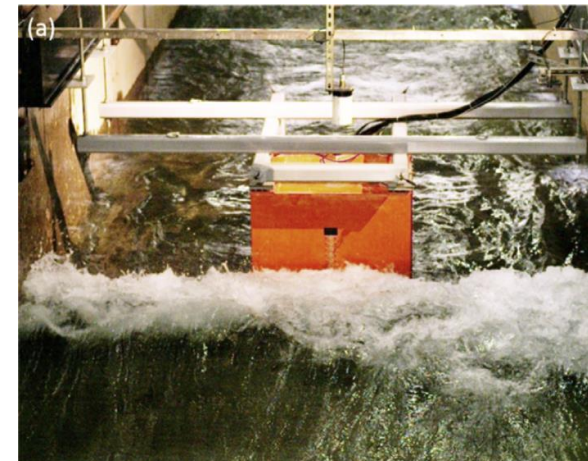
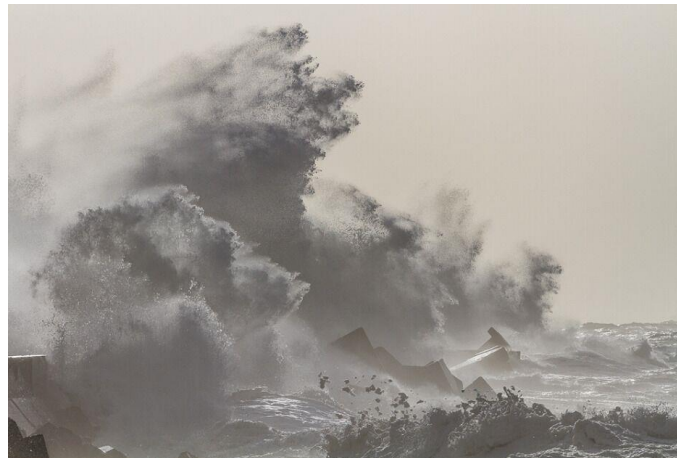
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3. Climate change

- Increase SWL
- Increase the probability of occurrence of an extreme event

4 . Check if **CFD model REEF3D** can capture **structure-wave interaction**

- Short time
- Large magnitude



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Reynolds-Averaged Navier-Stokes Equations (RANS)

$$\frac{\partial u_i}{\partial t} + u_j \frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_j} = -\frac{1}{\rho} \frac{\partial p}{\partial x_i} + \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j} \left[\nu \left(\frac{\partial u_i}{\partial x_j} + \frac{\partial u_j}{\partial x_i} \right) \right] + g_i$$

Turbulence model → k- ω model

$$\frac{\partial k}{\partial t} + u_j \frac{\partial k}{\partial x_j} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j} \left[\left(\nu + \frac{\nu_t}{\sigma_k} \right) \frac{\partial k}{\partial x_j} \right] + P_k - \beta_k k \omega$$

$$\frac{\partial \omega}{\partial t} + u_j \frac{\partial \omega}{\partial x_j} = \frac{\partial}{\partial x_j} \left[\left(\nu + \frac{\nu_t}{\sigma_\omega} \right) \frac{\partial \omega}{\partial x_j} \right] + \frac{\omega}{k} \alpha P_k - \beta \omega^2$$

PROJECT

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OBJECTIVES

1. Investigation of slamming loads on deck structures.
2. Evaluation of horizontal and vertical loads on an elevated structure due to extreme waves.

TASKS

- Literature review to obtain the state-of-the-art on extreme wave impact in the coastal region.
- The simulations of extreme wave interaction with structures using the open-source hydrodynamic model REEF3D evaluating the horizontal and vertical forces on coastal structures.
- The influence of the incident wave characteristics on the slamming loads will be studied.

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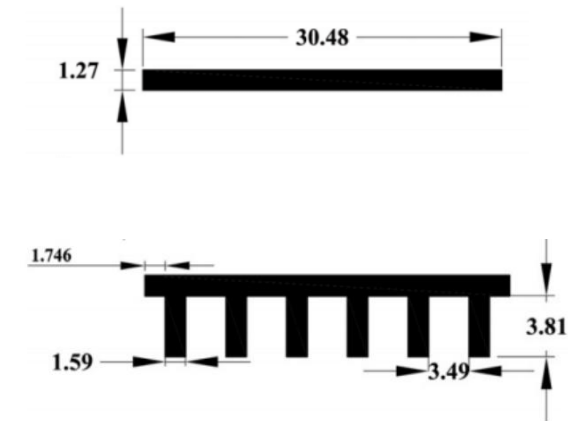
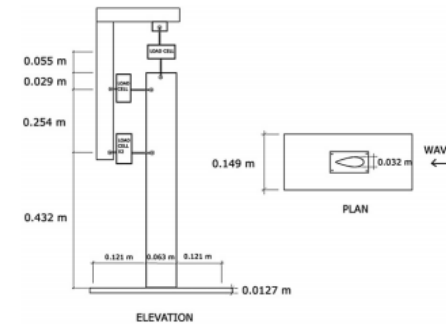
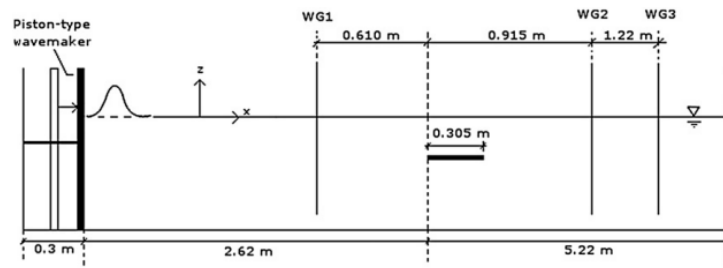
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“Experiments and computations of solitary-wave forces on a coastal-bridge deck. Part I: Flat Plate” – B. Seiffert et al. 2014

“Experiments and computations of solitary-wave forces on a coastal-bridge deck. Part II: Deck with girders” – M. Hayatdavoodi et al. 2014



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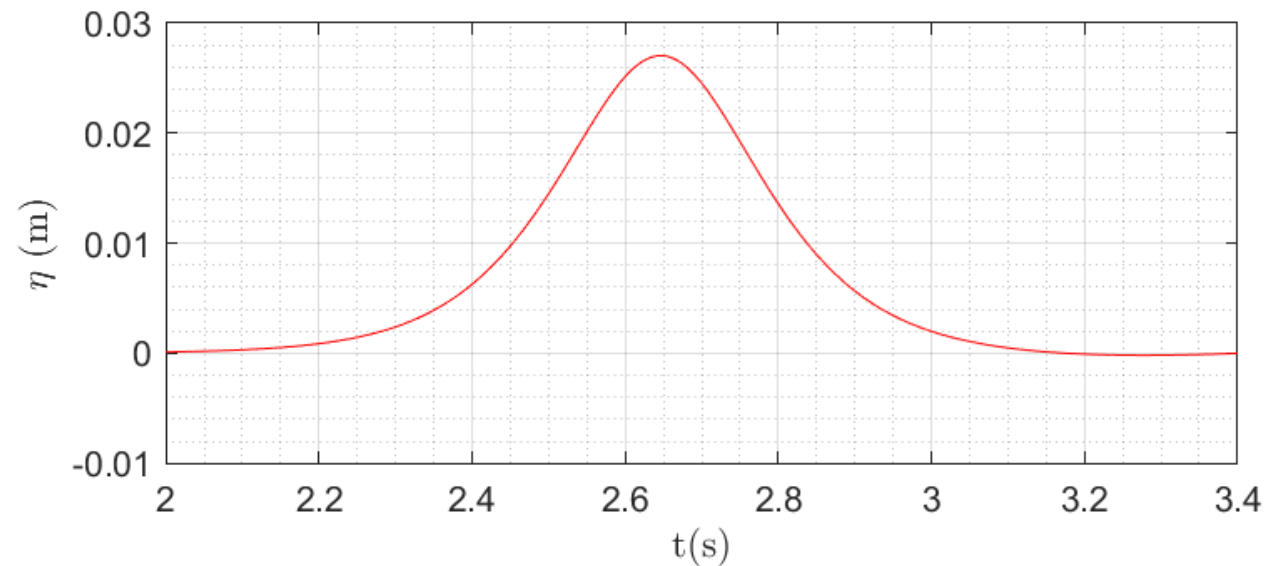
WAVE THEORY - SOLITARY WAVE.

$$\eta = a \operatorname{sech}^2 \sqrt{\frac{3}{4} \frac{a}{d^3}} x$$

$$c = \sqrt{g(\eta + d)}$$

$$L = \frac{2.12d}{\sqrt{\frac{a}{d}}}$$

*Length over which 95% of the volumen under the crest is contained

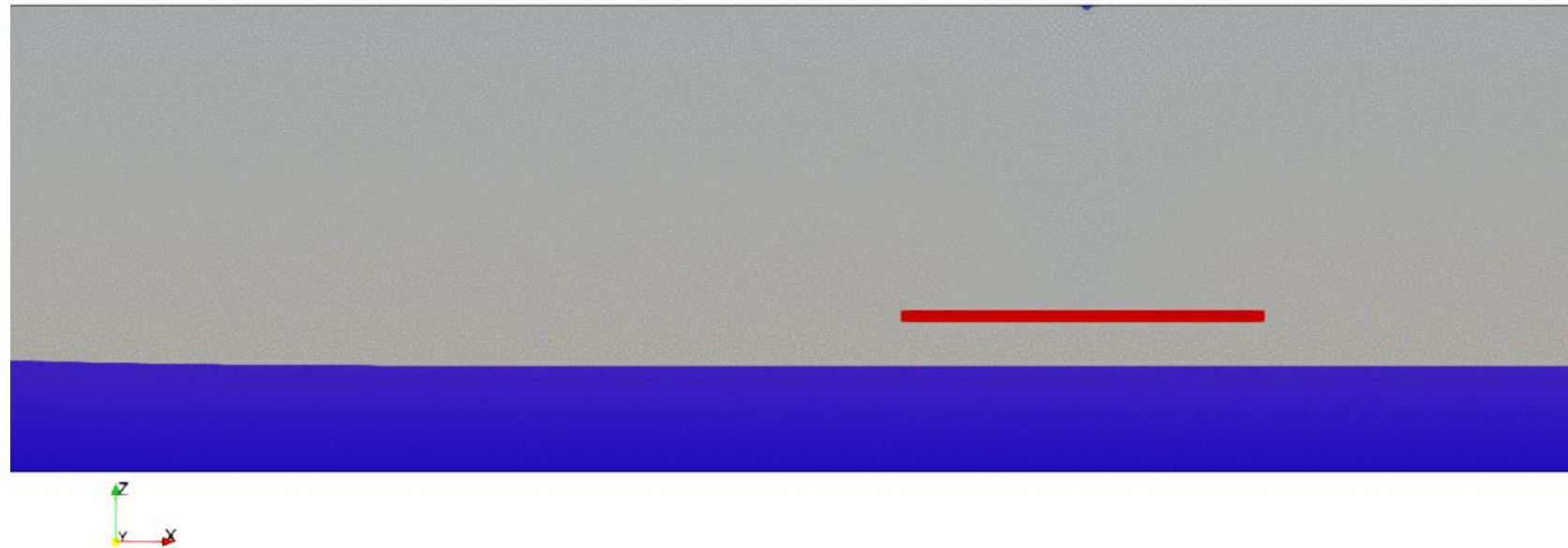


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ELEVATED FLAT PLATE

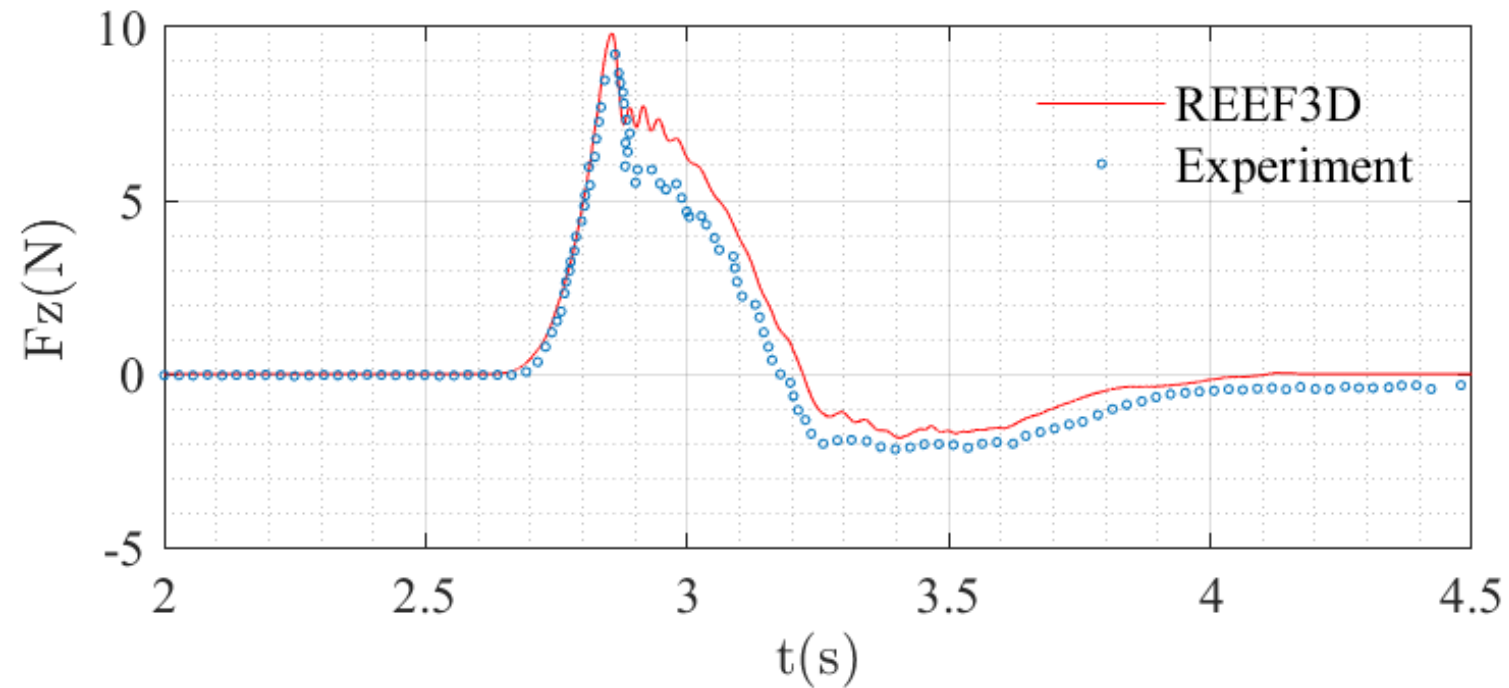


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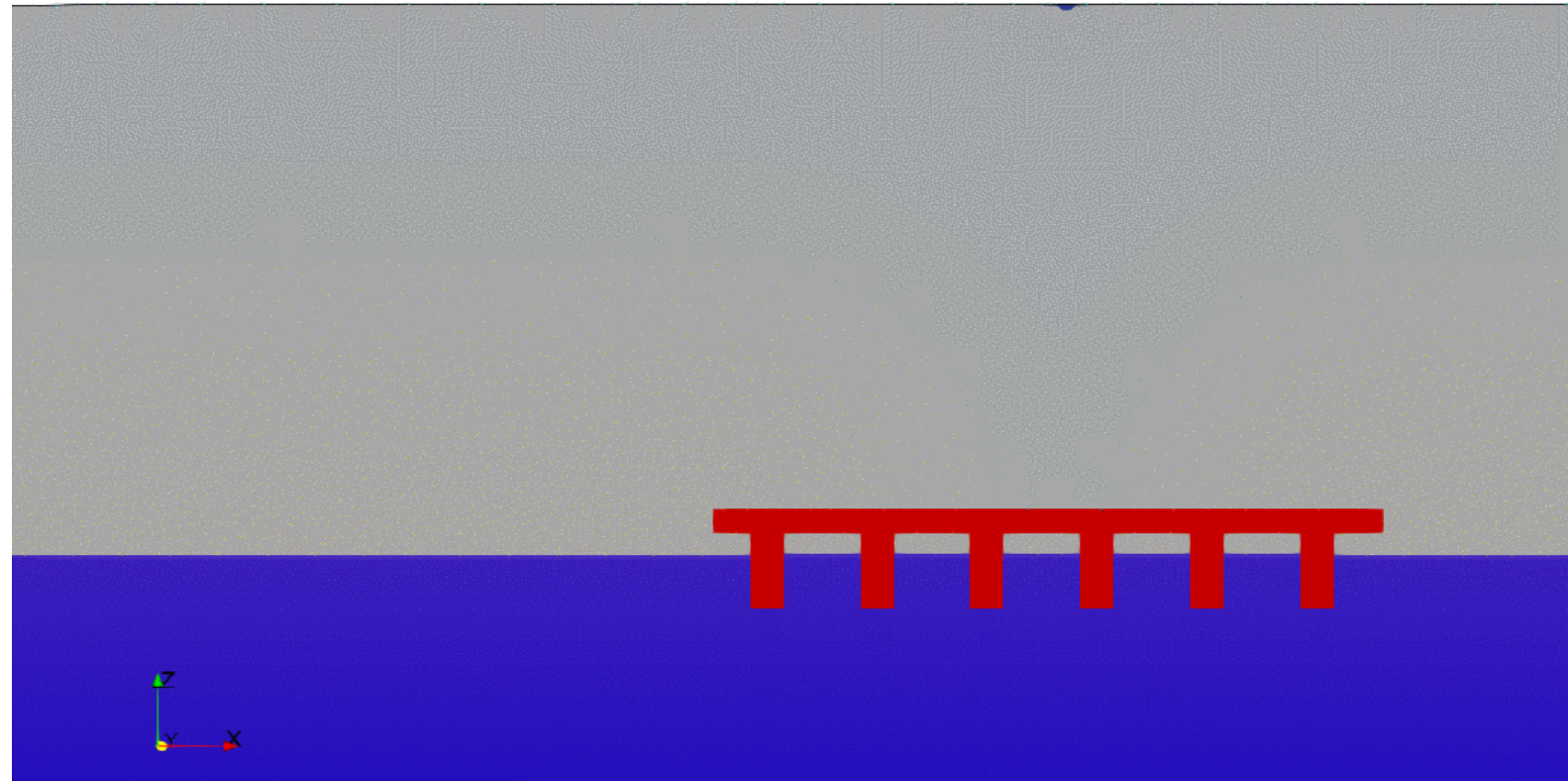


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ELEVATED DECK WITH GIRDERS

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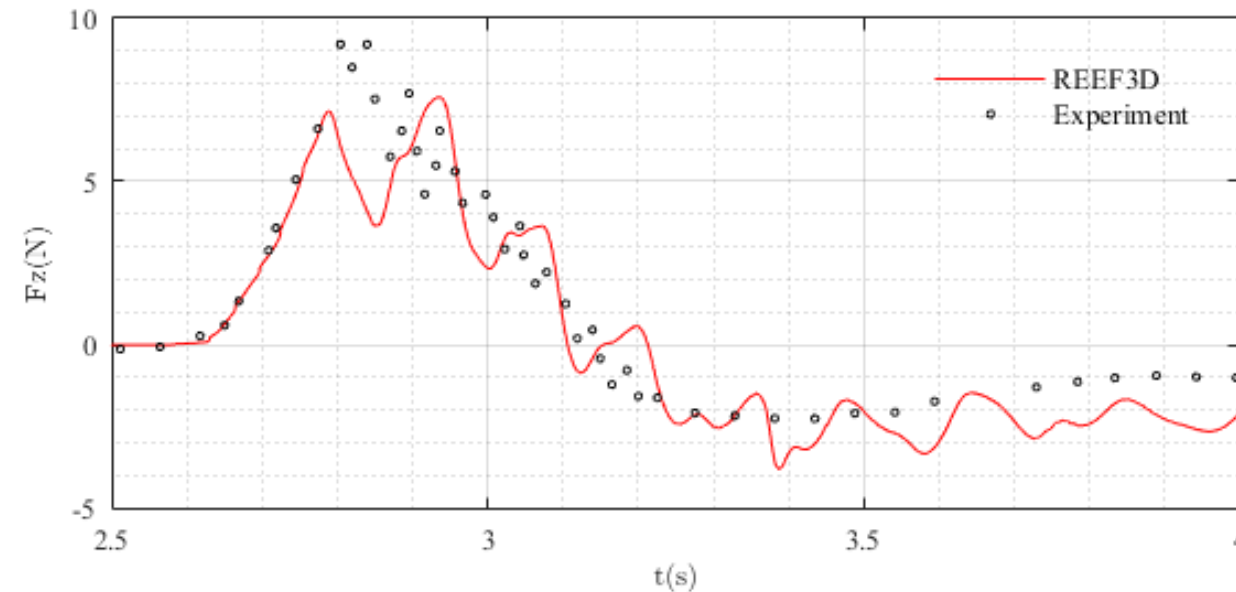


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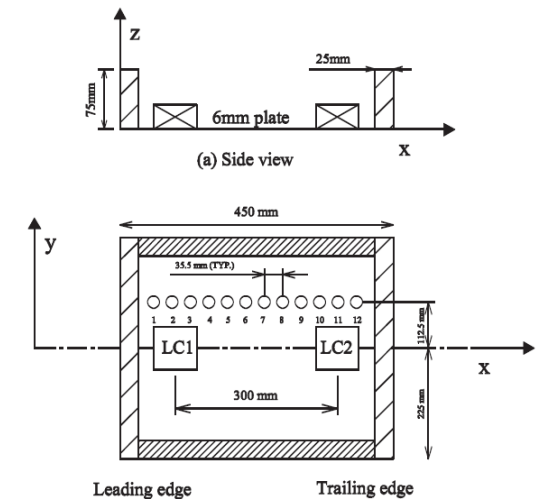
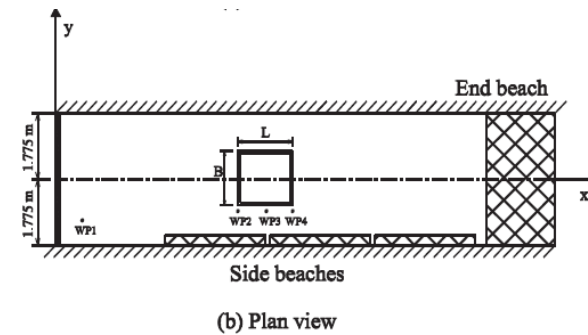
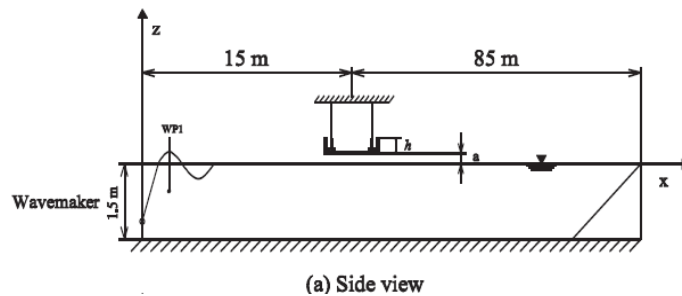
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“Vertical Wave-in-Deck Loading and Pressure Distribution on Fixed Horizontal Decks of Offshore Platforms” – N. Abdussamie et al. 2014



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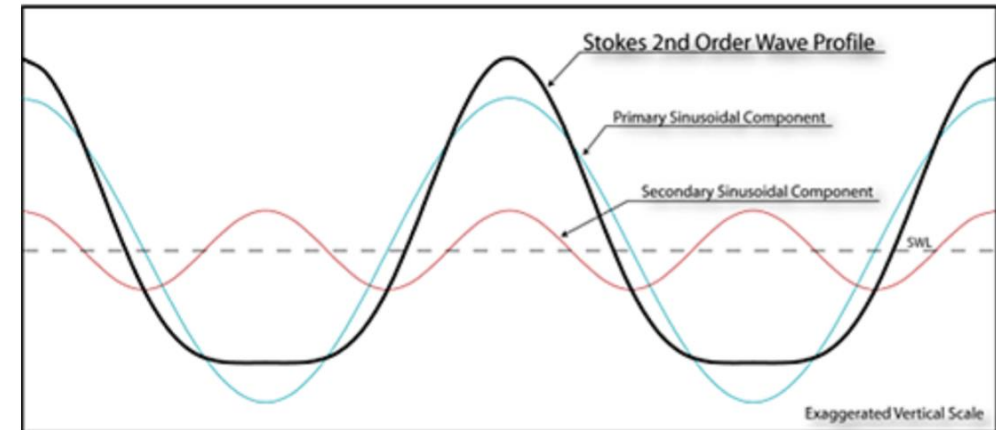
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WAVE THEORY -2ND ORDER STOKES.

$$\eta(x, t) = a \cos(\omega t - kx) + ka^2 \frac{\cosh(kd)}{4 \sinh^3(kd)} [2 + \cosh(2kd)] \cos[2(\omega t - kx)]$$

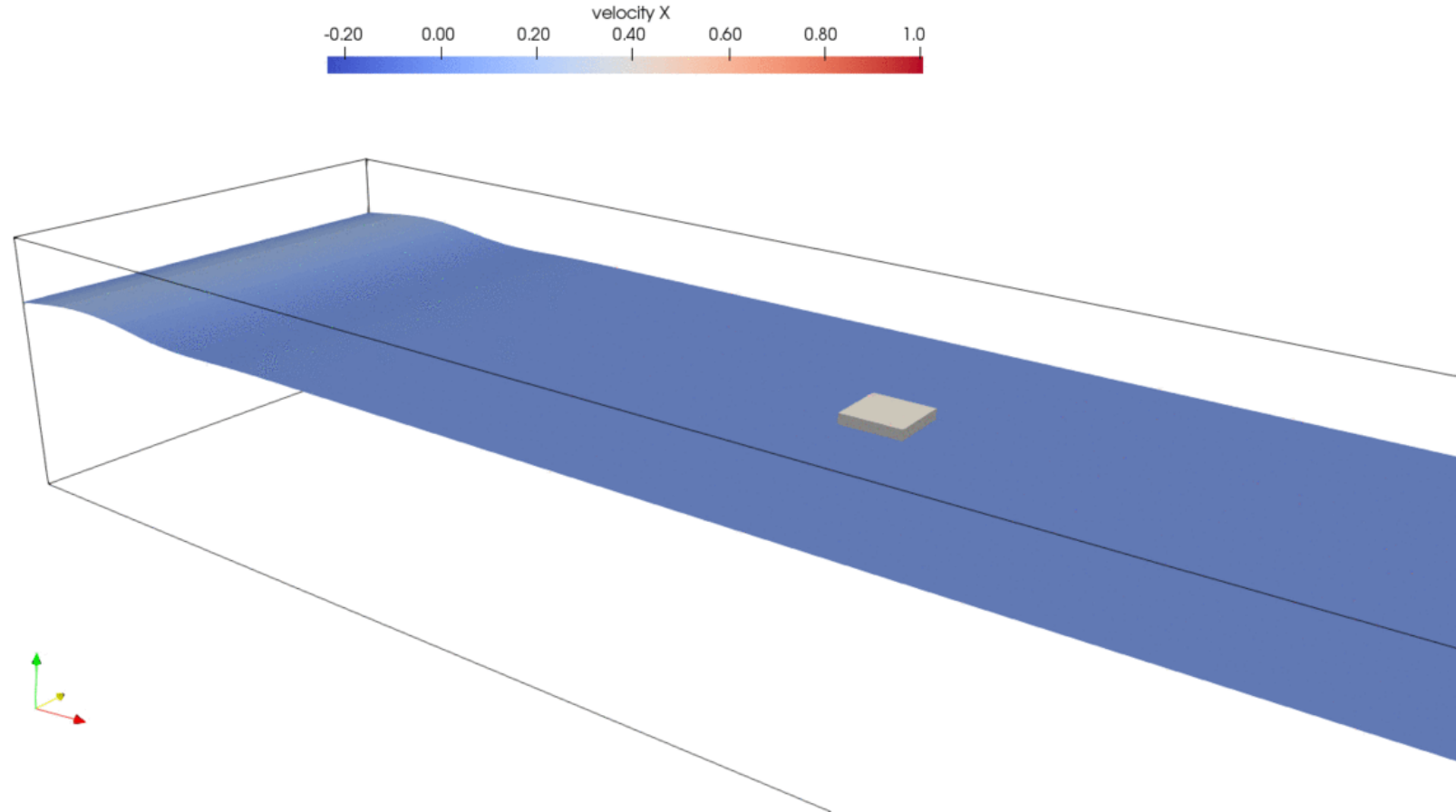
1. Bound second harmonic; dispersion relationship remains the same
2. Horizontally symmetric; vertically asymmetric; flatter trough; sharper crest



PRELIMINARY RESULTS (IX / X)

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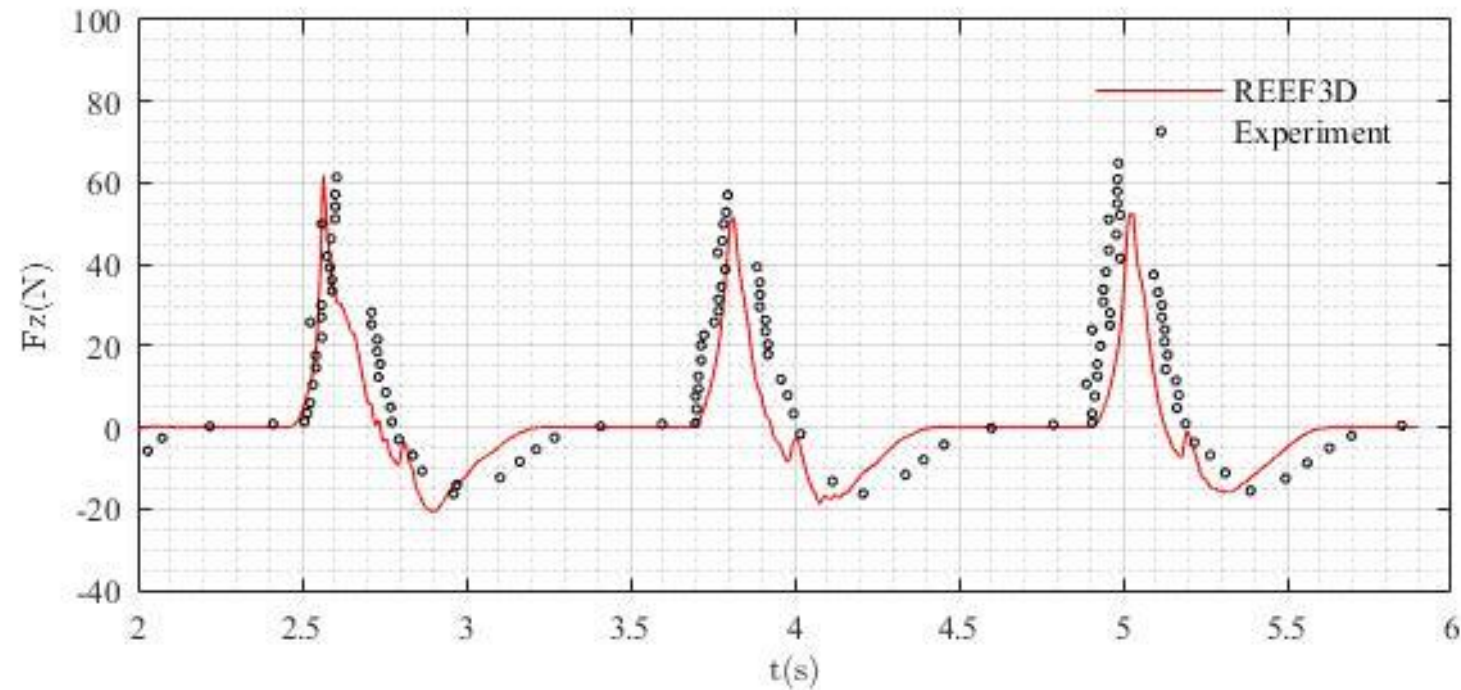
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SUMMARY

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WHY?

- Important economic areas
- Vulnerable zones
- Climate change

WHAT WILL I DO?

- State-of-the-art on extreme wave impact in the coastal region.
- The simulations of extreme wave interaction with structures using the open-source hydrodynamic model REEF3D
- The inundation of the coastal region under an extreme wave event.