



Figure 5.4.8 Influence on windspeed of clearcutting different distances upwind for hill slope $h_{hill}/L = 0.40$, $z_{o1} = 1.85$ m.

5.5 Summary

Numerical and analytic models now exist which can be used to predict wind behavior over complex terrain including roughness, elevation variation and stratification. These models have been validated against a number of isolated hills and ridges, most of which are covered with short homogeneous roughness. In the absence of flow separation and convective heating both the mass-consistent and linear-perturbation models predict wind speeds within 10-20%. The more versatile primitive models (but generally more expensive and cumbersome) reliably predict the same flowfields, but they also are believed to adjust for flow separation, convective heating, and non-linear interactions of flow variables and boundary conditions. Unfortunately, complete validation of all of these models in real complex terrain is not possible because of the varied limited extent of wind data taken over complex terrain combining variations in both elevation and roughness. In particular wind data downwind and over forest clearcuts are nonexistent.

Estimates have been prepared using linear-perturbation algorithm to predict probable effects of forest clearcuts for flow normal to ridges. The actual effect of such clearcut operations may vary significantly depending upon local variations in hill slope, the influence of terrain upwind of the ridge, the presence of atmospheric stratification, differences in upwind versus downwind hill slope, the presence of flow separation, and wind direction.

VI. CONCLUSIONS

This review set out to examine the effects of vegetation variation on wind fields over complex hilly or mountainous terrain. The character of wind over hills, wind over homogeneous vegetation, and wind over combinations of the two were considered. Both field and laboratory data on these topics were accumulated. Finally, numerical and analytic models were critiqued to determine if the state of mathematical calculations were adequate to predict such flows. Spreadsheet calculations based on linear-perturbation algorithms were then demonstrated.

Summary statements are appended at the end of each chapter. Succinct conclusions have been reduced to the following bulleted remarks:

- Qualitatively, the general behavior of flow over simple and complex terrain is well understood. Measurements in field and laboratory have been made over a wide range of conditions.
- Actual measurements in the field or laboratory of wind flow over vegetative cover which include edge transitions such as forest edges, clearings, or clearcuts are minimal.
- Wind profiles which develop under and above vegetative canopies can be predicted with fair accuracy. Measured profiles of wind speed follow analytic models closely. Wind profiles can be characterized by surface roughness, displacement height, and wind shear which correlate with canopy height and foliage distribution.
- Analytic linear-perturbation models exist which can predict the effect of roughness variation on wind profiles.
- The removal of vegetation upwind of the crests of hills has been shown to substantially increase hill-top winds and reduce the probability of separation and consequent gustiness.
- A variety of numerical programs exists which purport to predict wind flow over complex terrain even in the presence of roughness (vegetation) variation. These range from PC compatible mass-consistent and linear-perturbation programs which can be run in the order of minutes, to primitive equation models which require super or mini-super computers or large workstations to produce results in the order of hours.
- No numerical estimator is yet available which can forecast wind speeds over complex terrain in real time.

- Linear-perturbation algorithms predict that tree removal from ridge tops back to half-hill width will result in increases in ridge-top winds of the order of 929/421 %, 390/162 %, 150/54 %, 53/14 %, 37/8 %, and 11/0 % at heights of 10/20 m above 100 m hills as the hill slopes, h_{hill}/L , varies from 0.05, 0.10, 0.20, 0.40, 0.50 to 1.0, respectively.
- Linear-perturbation algorithms predict that tree removal from upwind distances of $2L$, L , $0.5L$, and $0.20L$ produce increases in ridge-top winds of the order of 179/75 %, 150/54 %, 116/32 %, and 66/0 % at heights of 10/20 m above a typical 100 m high hill of slope $h_{\text{hill}}/L = 0.2$.

APPENDIX: REVIEW AND CLASSIFICATION OF COMPLEX TERRAIN MODELS

REVIEW AND CLASSIFICATION OF COMPLEX TERRAIN MODELS

INTRODUCTION

A review of currently available complex terrain models is provided to select software which might provide wind energy siting in complex terrain information. The review does not propose to identify new computational research areas but to determine which models are ready for incorporation into a wind-energy management program. The review document contains:

- a) An examination of the relative merits of phenomenological models, objective analysis models, linearized models, shallow layer models, or primitive equation models,
- b) Examples of appropriate models in each category together with appropriate references and availability of source code, and
- c) A critique of the various models, together with recommendations concerning model development or revisions necessary.

BRIEF HISTORY OF PREDICTION OF DISPERSION IN COMPLEX TERRAIN

The need to estimate reliably the impact of perturbed boundary-layer winds in regions of complex terrain for decision-making purposes remains a "key challenge" to the meteorological community (Egan and Schiermeir, 1985). For example, no adjustments for terrain influence on pollutant concentrations were made until the 1970s, when it became necessary to use diffusion models as a requirement of the U.S./ Clean Air Act and its amendments. Increased concentrations in rugged terrain can result from plume impingement on high terrain, pooling in valleys, drainage towards population centers, or persistence due to channeling. AMS, EPA, DOE, and EPRI have all supported workshops and research programs dedicated to a better understanding of air movements in rugged terrain. Prominent among the coordinated analytic, field and numerical studies have been EPA's Complex Terrain Model Development (CTMD) Program, EPRI's Plume Model Validation and Development (PMV&D) study, and DOE's Atmospheric Studies in Complex Terrain (ASCOT). These field studies have added substantially to the understanding of drainage and slope flows, stratified flow over and around isolated hills or ridges, and narrow valley circulations.

An excellent review of meteorological processes over complex terrain and the state-of-the-art of analytical, physical and numerical modeling was provided during the AMS Workshop on Current Directions in Atmospheric Processes Over Complex Terrain, October 1988 in Utah. The results of this workshop now appear in an AMS Monograph of the same name, and frequent reference to chapters were made during this review.

MODEL CLASSIFICATION

Prediction codes or algorithms for flow over terrain can be grouped into four flow categories of increasing flow complexity. These are a) flows for steady-state, straight line winds over homogeneous flat terrain, b) flows where flow impact or contact with the face of hills or ridges occurs due to terrain rising to intercept the approaching streamlines, c) flows which are diverted, accelerated or decelerated due to variations in surface contours, temperature, and roughness in the absence of separation or recirculation, and d) flows where backflows and recirculation may occur as a result of obstacle separation, valley drainage circulations, sea/lake circulations, etc.. Parallel with these flow categories one can identify six categories of numerical modeling:

- i) Hill intercept models,
- ii) Phenomenological models,
- iii) Mass consistent or objective analysis models,
- iv) Depth integrated models,
- v) Linear perturbation models, and
- vi) Full primitive equation models.

MODEL DESCRIPTION AND CRITIQUE

It will not be possible to review all complex terrain models here. A comprehensive list of models by name, type and author will be provided in tables. Prominent members of each category will be described to identify the advantages and disadvantages of each approach. Copies of almost all model source codes are available by request or purchase.

A. Dividing Streamline Models

Field measurements by Start et al. (1975) in Huntington Canyon, Utah, revealed that dispersion in complex terrain exceeded that in flat terrain by as much as an order of magnitude. Thus plume impaction assumptions led to overly conservative predictions. Hanna et al. (1984) proposed a Gaussian model where plume path took into effect atmospheric stratification through a hill Froude number effects. More recently RTDM (Rough Terrain Dispersion Model) which uses an ad hoc approach was tentatively approved by EPA for a "third level" screening model, and most recently the CTDM (Complex Terrain Diffusion Model) has been proposed which corrects for atmospheric stratification effects on plume paths around isolated hills and ridges (Hanna and Strimaitis, 1990). Unfortunately, these models are intended for plume impact on features closest to the source. They are not intended for application with many hills and valleys, nor do they contain any wake algorithms for simulating the mixing and recirculation found in cavity zones in the lee of a hill.

B. Phenomenological Models

Phenomenological models are those which use simple and specific insight about a limited phenomena to predict flow motions. For example Harvey and Hamawi (1986) modified the Gaussian dispersion equation to accommodate restricted lateral dispersion in deep river valleys. Multiple eddy reflections are assumed to occur between valley walls, the ground and the inversion over the valley; this leads to a simple imaging approach to estimating valley dispersion. Unfortunately the model presumes no temporal variation in valley conditions.

The boundary layer evolution of narrow mountain valleys during the early morning has been studied extensively, and a detailed description of this phenomena is provided by Whiteman (1990). Whiteman and Allwine (1985) and Bader and Whiteman (1989) proposed a phenomenological model titled VALMET for well-defined deep mountain valley diffusion based on the principles that:

The nocturnal stable layer in a valley is destroyed by the growth of the convective boundary layer over the valley floor and sidewalls and the subsidence of the stable air mass in the valley center as the upslope motions transport mass out of the valley.

Asymmetric heating of the valley sidewalls by the sun can skew the development of the boundary layer, with a tendency towards upslope motions on the heated sidewall and residual stability on the shaded sidewall.

The (1985) version of the model presumes that the valley air is "loaded" with pollution during the night, and then the early-morning motions fumigate this pollution downwards to the valley floor and sidewalls. The assumption is made that the night-time plume is "frozen" within the stable core. To work effectively twenty-seven input parameters are necessary to drive the model which includes topographic, temperature inversion, downvalley wind speeds, atmospheric stability and sensible heat flux characteristics. The model is driven by thermodynamic equations for the convective boundary layer (cbl) ascent and inversion descent coupled with continuity relations to maintain mass conservation and calculate up-slope wind speeds.

The model has not been validated quantitatively against field measurements. It would require substantial revision to incorporate the segments of airplane delivered elevated aerosol clouds delivered over a range of valley locations. Finally, the model is limited to well-defined narrow valleys; thus, emission above or below the stable core, cross valley flows, tributary flows, etc. are not be accounted for in the VALMET model.

TABLE 1: PHENOMENALOGICAL MODELS

GAUS PLUME MODEL FOR VALLEYS U. OF UTAH	Yankee Atomic Electricity Massachusetts Meteorology Department, U. of Utah	Harvey and Hamawai (1986) Lee and Kau (1984)
VALMET	Battelle PNWL	Whiteman and Allwine (1985)

C. Mass Consistent or Objective Analysis Models

This class of models combines some objective (regression or maximizing or minimizing some variable) analysis of available wind data to form a wind field. The wind field analysis typically forces the resulting flow to satisfy air mass continuity by constraining the flow between the ground surface and some elevated inversion height. Such models may either produce a fully three-dimensional wind field, or they may solve the depth integrated continuity equation in a horizontal plane, and then recreate a vertical field assuming certain similarity profiles.

Table 2 lists objective analysis models which attempt to adjust wind fields rather than just interpolate between field data. Recognition of the need to include terrain effects in mass-consistent calculations led to the development of three-dimensional, time-independent, finite-difference, regional wind field models like MATHEW (Mass-Addjusted Three dimensional Wind field model) or FEMASS its finite element counterpart. In both models the Sasaki variational analysis technique is used in adjusting a discrete field of time-averaged interpolated winds for mass consistency. Basically, the procedure entails minimizing the squares of the differences of the observed (interpolate) and analyzed velocity components subject to the imposed constraint of incompressibility. MATHEW uses a traditional approach in simulating terrain by representing the boundary surface as a system of regular blocks whose impenetrable sides lie along coordinate lines. FEMASS produces the shape of the boundary surface by the lowest row of nodes in the grid which, when interconnected, form a system of curvilinear patches. Thus FEMASS produces a more precise representation of an irregular surface. NOABL is a modification of MATHEW to use a terrain-following coordinate system.

The atmosphere's thermal structure is not explicitly considered in the model equations of MATHEW or FEMASS, but the phenomenological effect of stability can be simulated to a certain extent by making a judicious choice of the Gauss precision moduli weights. The IMPACT model uses a series of "transparencies" which overlay the grid points and use a $1/r^4$ weighing of stability at the data points. IMPACT also treats thermal drainage winds by adding a component to the vertical velocity near the surface, but the inclusion of thermally generated winds appears to be done without regard to local ground slope.

Mass consistent models have been modeled against mathematical tests, wind-tunnel terrain flows, and field data (Lewellen and Sykes, 1985; Lewellen, Sykes and Oliver, 1982). The block terrain feature in MATHEW induces $O(1)$ errors near the surface, and yet with the exception of the layer immediately adjacent to terrain changes, the mass adjustment imposes relatively minor adjustments to the interpolated wind fields. Lewellen et al. (1982) question whether such minor

TABLE 2: MASS CONSISTENT AND OBJECTIVE ANALYSIS MODELS

<u>MODEL NAME</u>	<u>ORGANIZATION</u>	<u>REFERENCE</u>
ATMOS1	Los Alamos Ntl. Lab.	Davis and Bunker (1980)
BLM/TM	NOAA/NWS	Long, Schaffer and Kemler (1978)
CHAPEAU	Dupont/SRL	Pepper and Baker (1979)
COMPLX	SRI International	Englich and Lee (1983)
FEMASS	LLNL	Gresho, et al., (1978)
IMPACT	Form and Substance Inc.	Fabrick, et al., (1977)
(Now called SMOG)		Wacker and Londergan (1984)
MASCON	LLNL	Dickerson (1978)
MATHEW/ADPIC	LLNL	Sherman, Lange (1978)
MESOGRID	ER&T	Morris, Berkley and Bass (1979)
NOABL	Science Applications Inc.	Phillips (1979)
PATRIC	LLNL	Lange (1978)
PHOENIX	Oak Ridge Ntl. Lab.	Murphy (1979)
PIC	Systems, Science & Software	Sklarew, et al, (1971)
RADM	Dames and Moore	Runchel, et al., (1979)
PDM	Systems Applications Inc.	Liu, et al, (1976)
TAPAS	USDA-Forest Service	Fox, et al., (1987)
(NUWNDS)		Ross, et al., (1988)
(NUATMOS)		"
U. of Hawaii	Meteorology Department	Erasmus (1984)
BL Model	U. of Hawaii	

TABLE 3: PERTURBATION MODELS (LINEARIZED)

FLOWSTAR	Cambridge Environmental Services	Carruthers, et al., (1988)
MS3DJH/1,2,3,3R	Atmospheric Environment Service, Canada	Walmsley, et al., (1980 1982, 1986)
MS-MICRO	Atmospheric Environment Service, Canada	Walmsley, et al. (1987)
WAsP	Danish National Laboratory Denmark	Troen et al. (1987)

TABLE 4: DEPTH INTEGRATED MODELS

2D FLOW	--	Garrett and Smith (1984)
Integrated Drainage Model	NOAA/ATDL/ARL	Dobosy (1987)

changes justify the computer time spent on MATHEW. NOABL and FEMASS were found to produce substantial improvement in near surface wind predictions. NOABL seems unreliable when computing flows which go around obstacles, because the numerical scheme can diverge if the stability parameter is pushed too far in the direction of no vertical motion. IMPACT contains substantial numerical diffusion when flows move diagonally across the numerical grid. Many mass consistent models are not constructed to handle flow separation over ridges or valleys or temporal variations of wind data; however, modifications to include temporal effects should be possible. Finally objective models depend critically on the quality as well as quantity of the observed data and the empirically chosen constants involved in the models.

TAPAS (Topographic Air Pollution Analysis) is a computer modelling system being developed jointly by the Centre for Applied Mathematical Modeling at Chisholm Institute of Technology, Australia, and the Rocky Mountain Forest and Range Experiment Station, USDA-Forest Service. It contains simulation models of varying complexity, input data management routines, an on-line digital terrain data base, and graphical display procedures designed to assist non-computer oriented forest service personnel. The TAPAS system currently uses wind-generation sub-modules called NUWNDS for low-cost two-dimensional screening and NUATMOS for a three-dimensional characterization of wind flow in complex terrain.

NUATMOS (version 6) is a highly improved version of the ATMOS1 code, which is now claimed to be completely stable, efficient and optimized to the extent that it will run on a PC-386 personal computer. NUATMOS employs terrain-following coordinates and variable vertical grid spacing. NUATMOS incorporates atmospheric stability effects via a characteristic Froude number to set the horizontal/vertical adjustment parameter α ; hence, it is purported to account satisfactorily for terrain speed-up and even lee-wave behavior. The authors assert that it is the "most comprehensively tested and evaluated model of its type."

NUWNDS and NUATMOS have been compared against laboratory measurements of flow over isolated ridges and hills. They have also been compared against field data from the CTMD and ASCOT program. The model appears to correctly predict streamline splitting, plume impaction, and nocturnal drainage flows. The models have also been compared with data from four measurement sets from the Latrobe Valley, Australia. Surface winds were predicted with 50 to 70% reliability by the models.

Lee and Kau (1984) divided the flow over complex terrain into a drainage flow component, V_D , and a boundary layer component, V_B . The local drainage component was calculated from Prandtl's analytic solution which is a function of local slope, potential temperature surface to air differences, surface roughness, and height. The boundary layer component was derived from an analytic solution which includes geostrophic wind conditions, Monin-Obukhov stability length, surface roughness, and the Coriolis parameter. The resulting velocity field is then "adjusted" by an objective analysis until the flow is divergence free. Predictions of the model were compared observations from the 1979 ASCOT experiment over the California Geysers area. One might consider this approach a "phenomenological" objective analysis method.

Another mass-consistent model which incorporates phenomenological arguments to adjust for surface roughness variation, cross-valley separation, ridge amplification and wind direction shear was developed by Erasmus (1986). The model was solved for grid spacing of only 100 m x 75 m over Kahuku Point, Oahu. The model presumes flow is dominated by mechanical rather than thermal processes; hence, it may not be suitable for early-morning forest spray applications.

D. Depth-Integrated Models

Integrated models have been applied to the atmospheric boundary layer for a number of years. Equations in horizontal parameter result from direct integration of the full primitive equations through the vertical. The resulting two-dimensional expressions may be solved for depth-averaged winds, temperatures, humidities, concentrations, etc. once entrainment relations are specified at the boundaries. They have been particularly popular for calculating cold-air drainage and winds over complex terrain in a terrain-following layer. Such models employ a two-dimensional horizontal grid. They work well over reasonably smooth terrain having resolvable features, but they can not handle ridge separation or deep, narrow valleys. A 2D FLOW model was prepared by Garrett and Smith (1984) which includes a Lagrangian particle diffusion model. Dobosy (1987) constructed a depth-integrated model which predicts night-time drainage flow in a trapezoidal shape valley. Conceptually any number of features including a main valley, its tributaries, sidewalls, head region and pooling region may be combined to form a representation of an entire drainage. The Dobosy model has not been widely validated, does not predict local in-valley winds without presumptions about similarity, and is limited to night-time drainage situations.

E. Linear or Perturbation Models

The equations of motion can be written in terms of flow perturbations induced by roughness, stratification, and terrain shape and linearized by eliminating higher order terms. Solutions for the effect of each disturbance can then be individually calculated and superimposed to determine the total wind field. A linear three-dimensional theory has been developed by Hunt, Leibovich and Richards (1988) (HLR) which is the foundation for the FLOWSTAR complex terrain model. The method of calculation is to compute Fourier transforms of the velocity field following HLR; then the transform is inverted numerically to calculate the actual flow variables at a point. In contrast to numerical models which solve the equations of motion on a grid, there is no iteration involved. Also the solution is determined explicitly once the algorithms and their assumptions have been agreed.

This solution approach is very appropriate for use on small personal computers. FLOWSTAR is currently configured to operate on PC-AT or 386 systems. Post processing graphic programs can produce a wide variety of streamline, flow vector, or profile graphs. The wind field can then be input into a puff dispersion model. A major advantage of the approach is that turbulence information is also predicted. The major limitations of the linearized analytical models are that they exclude large positive or negative changes in the mean flow and they

exclude more complex models of turbulent shear stresses. Linear theories cannot describe large non-linear perturbations to the flow or non-linear synergism where two or more effects combines such as roughness change and separation.

There are a number of conditions which must be satisfied in order for the model to give useful results:

- i) the slopes of the terrain are small (typically less than 1/4),
- ii) the changes in the natural logarithm of the roughness length, z_0 , are small (less than 1.0),
- iii) the profile of potential temperature can be approximated by a simple form,
- iv) the upwind velocity profile increases from the ground upwards with no strong elevated shear layer,
- v) the upwind conditions are varying slowly on a time scale compared to times required for a parcel to cross the calculation domain, and
- vi) rapid hill-side heating or cooling does not occur.

The model will give results for flows where $Fr > 1$ and the terrain is gently rolling as opposed to deep narrow valleys.

The MS3DJH (Mason and Sykes 3-Dimensional version of the Jackson and Hunt's theory) series of models (MS3DJH/1, MS3DJH/2, MS3DJH/3, and MS3DJH/3R) are fully described in Walmsley et al. (1980, 1982, 1986). Again finite-area Fourier transform methods are used to obtain expressions for perturbation pressure, velocity and surface stress fields from the linearized equations of motion. These are evaluated numerically using discrete Fast Fourier Transforms. These models compare quite well when compared with more sophisticated models. Again the potential of the method is calculation of flow parameters over complex, three-dimensional terrain. Salmon et al. (1988) compare this method against field observations and laboratory simulations of flow over Kettle Hill, Alberta, Canada. Wind speeds and wind directions were closely predicted for neutral flow over this low hill. MS3DJH and FLOWSTAR can provide much higher resolution than other models currently available at a fraction of the computational cost.

F. Full Primitive Equation Models

Primitive equation models, meso-scale models, predictive models, meteorological models, or K-models compute all meteorological variables (wind, temperature, turbulence, mixed-layer height, etc.) given specification of initial conditions and domain boundary conditions. Boundary conditions of larger scale must always be specified, and small subgrid-scale processes must always be parameterized. Because of computational requirements, atmospheric models using fluid dynamics equations cannot span scales beyond a factor of 50. Listed in the table below are the grid size and min and max phenomena length scales proposed by Kreitzberg, 1975.²

² In Table 7 the scale L_{min} should incorporate four grid intervals rather than two; since a two delta feature cannot be realistically represented.

TABLE 5: Atmospheric scales: model scope, characteristic length, and time scales (Kreitzberg, 1975).

Atmospheric scale	<u>Model</u>			<u>Length</u>	<u>Time</u>
	Grid (km)	L_{\min} (km)	L_{\max} (km)	$L \approx \lambda/4$ (km)	$T \approx P/4$
Regional	20	40	2000	20	3 hr
Mesoscale	1	2	100	10	1 hr
Local	0.08	0.16	8	1	15 min
Turbulent	0.01	0.02	1	0.2	1 min

Although Table 6 lists a few of the major primitive equation models used there are many other named and unnamed meso-scale model calculations which have been used to predict atmospheric flows ranging from mountain airflows, heat island flows, sea breezes, sudden roughness changes, etc. as shown in Table 7 extracted from Dickerson (1980). These models are quite complicated and require substantial computational resources. They contain many differences associated with computational molecules, grid systems, stability criteria, thermodynamics, boundary conditions, initial conditions, and turbulence models (closure *assumptions). The closure assumptions lead to a hierarchy of turbulence models and often additional transport equations (K-models, $K\epsilon$ -models (2nd moment), sub-grid scale models (large eddy simulation or Deardorff models). Presently, atmospheric modelers utilize parameterizations of subgrid scale turbulence, cumulus cloud effects, radiative flux divergence, etc., based on an "average" parameterization. One might wonder how such an approach is compatible with the desire to produce "real time" local values.

Ross et al. (1988) state "Predictive models are, in general, time consuming and impractical for real-time applications." Most predictive modelers have a more optimistic belief that their models may eventually be useful for real time applications on small scales.³ There are also questions concerning model verification. Many models have been found to include rather

³ Pielke (1990) believes that current supercomputer workstation capabilities have sufficiently advanced and reduced in cost, that primitive equation models coupled via "nudging" with observations should be the modeling platform of choice for Forest Service spray drift predictions. He has documented over 50 studies which provide qualitative validation of primitive equation numerical model approach and more than 10 studies which provide quantitative agreement.

large numerical pseudo-viscosity (Havens and Schreurs, 1985). Concern about "inherent" flow variabilities has led to discussion like that of Praegle et al. (1990) which suggest that "chaos" does indeed limit many connectively dominated meso-scale flows. Alternatively recent results suggest that complex terrain flows may be dominated by linear forcing due to terrain boundary conditions, synoptic scale pressure fields, and local solar cycle. (This may explain why objective analysis models have worked quite well in complex terrain.)

Most experience with primitive equations exists for mesoscales where minimum grid size is 0.5 to 2 km or larger. These models have not been thoroughly compared with detailed meteorological data, but they can be said to produce results which are "not counter-intuitive." Many well known phenomena are reproduced such as sea and land breeze cycles, lee waves, downslope and upslope winds, channeling, and valley drainage flow behavior. Less experience exists for smaller scale regions.

Very few cases are available where a full primitive model calculation is compared to a well-documented terrain flow. In a draft paper prepared by Dawson, Stock and Lamb (1990) the TEMPEST code was used to solve for flow over Steptoe Butte, Washington. The code used a $k\epsilon$ -turbulence model, grid cell dimensions as small as 116 m by 175 m by 16 m, but a rather crude approximation to hill shape. Inaccuracy due to false diffusion was found to be quite significant (1 to 3 times as great as turbulent mass diffusivities in the recirculation and wake regions of the hill).

TABLE 6: MAJOR PRIMITIVE EQUATION MODELS

<u>MODEL NAME</u>	<u>ORGANIZATION</u>	<u>REFERENCE</u>
Argonne Model	Argonne Ntl. Lab. Los Alamos Ntl. Lab.	Yamada (1978)
ARAP	ARAP Inc.	Lewellen (1981)
CSU RAMS	Meteorology Department Colorado State University	Cotton, Pielke et al. (1982-90)
FEM-3	LLNL	Chan (1988)
HOTMAC	Yamada Science & Art Co.	Yamada (1989)
Penn State Model	Penn State and NCAR	Anthes and Warner (1978)
SIGMET	Science Applications Inc.	Davis and Freeman (1981)
TEMPEST	Battelle PNWL	Trent, et al., (1983)
UK Met Office Mesoscale Model	UK Meteorological Office	Tapp and White (1976)

TABLE 7: DICKERSON (1980)

Models that may be used to simulate airflow over a complex terrain area. Models are grouped according to main subject to which they have been applied: mountain airflow, heat island, sea breeze, or sudden roughness change.

* Includes topography

<u>K MODEL</u>	<u>CLOSURE MODEL</u>
<u>Mountain Airflow</u>	<u>Mountain Airflow</u>
Anthes & Warner 1974*	Benque & Dewagenaere 1977*
Fosberg 1967, 1969*	Rao et al. (1974)
Jacobs & Pandolfo 1974*	Yamada 1978*
Klemp & Liffy 1978*	
Mahrer & Pielke 1975*	
Mason & Sykes 1978*	
Nickerson & Magaziner 1976*	
Taylor 1977*	
<u>Heat Island</u>	<u>DEARDORFF'S MODEL</u>
Bornstein 1975	Deardorff 1974
Delage & Taylor 1970	
Estoque & Bhumralkar 1969	
Estoque & Bhumralkar 1970	
Gulman & Torrance 1975	
Mahrer & Pielke 1976	
Ochs 1975 (Ref. 87)	
Pielke & Mahrer 1975	
Yu & Wagner 1975	
<u>Sea breeze</u>	
Estoque 1961	
Estoque 1962	
Fisher 1961	
Magata 1965	
McPherson 1970	
Moroz 1967	
Neumann & Mahrer 1974	
Pielke 1974	
Tapp & White 1976	
<u>Sudden roughness change</u>	
Huang & Nickerson 1974	
Taylor 1969	