#### **River Engineering**

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# **Objectives**

Brief overview of methods and case studies for river engineering and modeling:

- 1. Degradation, Scour and Gravel Mining;
- 2. Aggradation, Sedimentation and Flushing;
- 3. Dredging and Sediment Management;
- 4. Disaster Prevention.





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### **Sand and Gravel Mining**













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#### CUMULATIVE DIKE LENGTHS & DREDGING MISSISSIPPI RIVER













# **Bengal and Indus**









# **Sediment Flushing**









# 3. Dredging and Sediment Management



























Dustpan Dredge

























# **Hydropower Revenues**

#### Capacity: 1,500 kW \* 2 units

 $P = 9.81 \times \eta \times Q_a \times H_a$ 

#### Unit cost of sales = 0.13 USD/kWh



# **Excavation Costs**

- Nakdong River Estuary Barrage (1990 2010)
- V = 13,678,000 m<sup>3</sup> ( 43.2 million dollars)
- Unit cost =  $6.31 \text{ USD}/\text{m}^3$



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#### **Classification and Rheology**



### Landslides



Duksan Creek modeling with TREX from Dr. Jaehoon Kim, CSU and KFRI

- Yield strength
  - Steep hillslopes
  - High rainfall precipitation
  - High Infiltration
  - Saturated yield strength ~ 1kPa

#### Landslide Countermeasures



#### **Mudflows**



Viscous

High concentration of silts and clays

45% < Cv < 55%

Low velocity and Froude number

Large flow depth and pressure

No abrasion

#### **Mudflow Countermeasures**





# Mud Floods

- Turbulent
- Non-cohesive particles
- Sands and silts
- Cv as high as 40%
- High velocity and
  Froude Number
- Abrasive

#### **Mudflood Countermeasures**

#### **Effective Solution**

- Straight channel
- Lined canal
- Berm and levee
- Drop structure

#### Straight Channel



#### conveyance

Increased

Lined canal with drop structures



# Debris Flows – Los Corales, Venezuela



#### Los Corales



#### **Debris Flow**



- Dispersive
- Large rocks
- Non cohesive
- Low viscosity
- High velocity
- Destructive impact force

#### **Debris flow Countermeasures**

#### Effective Solution

- Concrete sabo dams
- Steel Frames
- Debris Racks

#### Sabo Dam Construction

#### Retain large rocks Drain water

Sabo Dam and Steel Frames

**Debris Rakes** 

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#### Mitigation structures for mudflows

- » Detention basins
- » Deflection walls

#### Mitigation structures for mud floods

- » Straight channels
- » Lined canals, berm and levee channels
- » Drop structures, energy dissipators

# Mitigation structures for debris flows

- » Concrete Sabo dams
- » Steel frames and debris rakes

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