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### THE SEDIMENT YIELD OF SOUTH KOREAN RIVERS

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#### ABSTRACT

#### THE SEDIMENT YIELD OF SOUTH KOREAN RIVERS

South Korea is experiencing increasing river sedimentation problems, which requires a reliable method to predict the sediment yield. With the recent field measurements at 35 gaging stations in South Korea provided by K-water, we quantified the sediment yield by using the flow duration curve and sediment rating curve. The current sediment yield models have large discrepancies between the predictions and measurements. The goal of this dissertation is to provide better understanding to the following questions: (1) How much of the total sediment load can be measured by the depth-integrated samplers? (2) Can we predict the sediment yield based only on watershed area? (3) Is there a parametric approach to estimate the mean annual sediment yield based on the flow duration curve and sediment rating curve?

With 1,962 sediment discharge measurements from the US D-74 sampler, the total sediment discharge is calculated by both the Modified Einstein Procedure (MEP) and the Series Expansion of the Modified Einstein Procedure (SEMEP). It is concluded that the SEMEP is more accurate because MEP occasionally computes suspended loads larger than total loads. In addition, SEMEP was able to calculate all samples while MEP could only compute 1,808 samples.

According to SEMEP, the ratio  $Q_m/Q_t$  of measured sediment discharge  $Q_m$  to total sediment discharge  $Q_t$  is a function of the Rouse number Ro, flow depth h, and the median grain size of the bed material  $d_{50}$ . In Korean sand and gravel bed rivers, the materials in suspension are fine (silt or clay) and Ro  $\approx 0$ . The ratio  $Q_m/Q_t$  reduces to a function of flow depth h, and at least 90% of the total sediment load is measured when h > 1 m. More than 80% of the sediment load is measured when the discharge Q is larger than four times mean annual discharge  $\overline{Q}$  ( $Q/\overline{Q} > 4$ ).

The ratio  $Q_s/Q_t$  of suspended sediment discharge  $Q_s$  to total sediment discharge can be also analyzed with SEMEP and the result shows that  $Q_s/Q_t$  is a function of  $h/d_{50}$  and Ro. When Ro  $\approx 0$ , the ratio  $Q_s/Q_t$  increases with  $h/d_{50}$ . The suspended load is more than 80% of the total sediment load when  $h/d_{50} > 18$ .

The relationship between specific sediment yield, SSY, and watershed area, A, is  $SSY = 300A^{-0.24}$  with an average error of 75%. Besides the specific sediment yield, the mean annual discharge, the normalized flow duration curve, the sediment rating curve, the normalized cumulative distribution curve, and the half yield discharge vary with watershed area. From the normalized flow duration curve at an exceedance probability of 0.1%, small watersheds ( $A < 500 \text{ km}^2$ ) have  $42 < Q/\bar{Q} < 63$ , compared to large watersheds ( $A > 5000 \text{ km}^2$ ) which have  $14 < Q/\bar{Q} < 33$ . In terms of sediment rating curves, at a given discharge, the sediment load of small watersheds is one order of magnitude higher than for large watersheds. From the normalized cumulative distribution curves, the half yield (50% of the sediment transported) occurs when the discharge is at least 15 times the mean discharge. In comparison, the half yield for large watersheds corresponds to  $Q/\bar{Q} < 15$ .

The flow duration curve can be parameterized with  $\hat{a}$  and  $\hat{b}$  by using a double logarithmic fit to the flow duration curve. This parametric approach is tested with 35 Korean watersheds and 716 US watersheds. The value of  $\hat{a}$  generally increases with watershed area. The values of  $\hat{b}$  are consistently between 0.5 and 2.5 east of the Mississippi River and the Pacific Northwest. Large variability in  $\hat{b}$  is found in the High Plains and in Southern California, which is attributed to the high flashiness index in these regions. A four-parameter model is defined when combining with the sediment rating curve. The four parameters are:  $\hat{a}$  and  $\hat{b}$  for the flow duration curve, and  $\bar{a}$  and  $\bar{b}$  for the sediment rating curve. The mean annual discharge  $\bar{Q}_s$  is calculated by  $\bar{Q}_s = \bar{a}\hat{a}^{\bar{b}}\Gamma(1+\hat{b}\bar{b})$ . The model results are compared to the flow-duration/sediment-rating curve method. The average error of this four-parameter model is only 8.6%. The parameters can also be used to calculate the cumulative distribution curves for discharge and sediment load.

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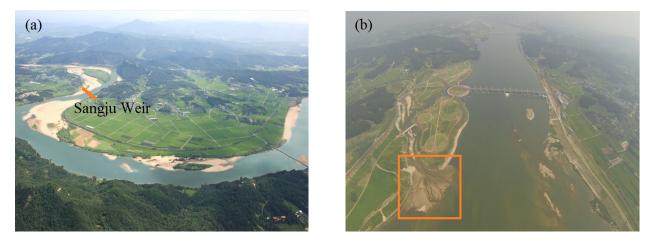
# **Chapter 1**

# Introduction

## **1.1 Problem Statement**

Sediment yield is the amount of sediment passing a watershed outlet in a certain time period. Estimates of sediment yield are essential in the design of hydraulic engineering and the management of water resources. Sediment yield is measured by continuous measurements of stream discharge and sediment concentration. With the flow and sediment records, sediment yield can be estimated by combining flow duration curve and sediment rating curve (Piest 1964; Strand and Pemberton 1982; Julien 2010). The factors influencing sediment yield can be categorized into seven groups: topography, climate, soil and lithology, hydrology, vegetation cover or land use, drainage network, and catchment morphology (de Vente et al. 2011). Based on the river data from 280 watersheds, Milliman and Syvitski (1992) found that those small mountainous watersheds in Asia tend to have largest sediment yield because of flashy floods and active tectonic activities.

The recent river measurements in South Korea provide us an unique opportunity to study the sediment yield in this region. South Korea located in the northeastern Asia margin and has frequent earthquake activities (Jin and Park 2007). In addition, more than three typhoons affect Korea every year on average (Jeong et al. 2007). The typhoons bring in heavy rainfall. The soil erosion in South Korea is mainly associated with the intense rainfall during typhoons (Kim et al. 2006; Lee and Heo 2011). Large scale erosion such as landslide can cause critical flood damage. The sedimentation followed by the erosion often have negative consequences too. For example, sedimentation in the reservoirs can impair their performance on flood control and water storage (Figure 1.1). The need for estimating sediment yield is becoming more important due to climate change and the recent change by the Four River Restoration Project (FRRP). The fluvial sediment monitoring in South Korea started in the 1990s. The monitoring program provides information on river stage and the concentration of suspended sediment.



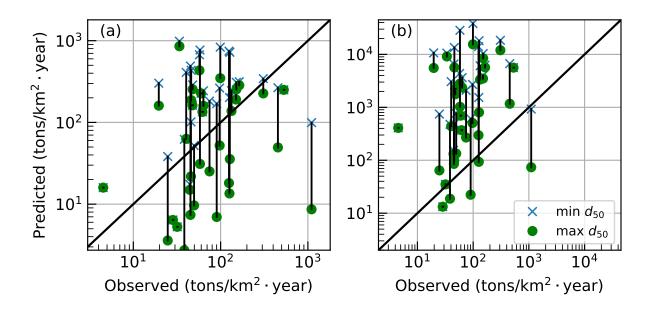
**Figure 1.1:** Examples of reservoir sedimentation; (a) sedimentation at Sangju Weir in Nakdong River; (b) sedimentation at Yeoju Weir in Han River (photos from Kim (2016))

To provide a comprehensive study the sediment yield in South Korea based on the river measurements, firstly, we need to figure out how much sediment is transported as bedload. The measurement of bedload is still facing numerous challenges (Morris and Fan 2009; Wohl et al. 2015). Bedload is generally estimated to be 10% to 20% of the total sediment load (Turowski et al. 2010). The ratio may be higher in small, mountainous streams (Laronne et al. 1993; Turowski et al. 2010; Ziegler et al. 2014). For example, Hayward (1980) found that up to 90% of sediment is transported in bedload in Torlesse stream. In South Korea, suspended sediment load is measured by the depth-integrating sampler US DH-48, US DH-74, or the point-integrating sampler US P-63. Methods to estimate the total sediment load have been developed (Colby et al. 1955; Toffaleti 1969; Holmquist-Johnson et al. 2009; Shah-Fairbank 2009). The case of Torlesse watershed shows the ratio of bedload can vary a lot in different watersheds. The bedload in South Korea is typically computed by the Modified Einstein Procedure. However, Julien et al. (2017) found that the calculation of sediment varies up to 80% by using different approaches to calculate the total sediment load from measured load. Therefore, a reliable method to estimate the total sediment load from the measurement would be necessary. In addition, the quantification of the ratio of measured to total sediment load, as well as the ratio of suspended to total sediment load would be helpful for the long term sediment management.

Secondly, a dependable equation with easily available parameters to evaluate the sediment yield can be helpful. Julien et al. (2017) tested the existing regression equations for the prediction of sediment yield in South Korea and found existing methods to be highly variable. The existing models includes the Korean Institute of Construction Technology (KICT) model and Yoon (2011). KICT (2005) proposed the sediment yield for watersheds range from 200 to 2,000 km<sup>2</sup> to be estimated as

$$SSY = 972D^{1.039}d_s^{-0.825} \tag{1.1}$$

where SSY is the specific sediment yield in tons/km<sup>2</sup>·year, D is the watershed density in km/km<sup>2</sup>, and  $d_s$  is the bed material size in millimeter. The results show that changes in  $d_{50}$  might change the prediction of sediment yield by more than one order of magnitude (Figure 1.2a).



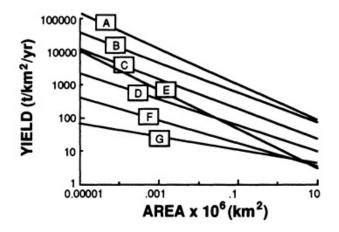
**Figure 1.2:** Testing of KICT model. Observed sediment yield is calculated from the total sediment load by the Modified Einstein Procedure

Yoon (2011) analyzed the measurements from reservoir surveys and suggested that the sediment yield be estimated by:

$$SSY = 4395A^{0.464}S^{-2.0}d_s^{-0.855}$$
(1.2)

where SSY is the specific sediment yield in m<sup>3</sup>/km<sup>2</sup>·year, A is the watershed area in km<sup>2</sup>, S is the river bed slope (%), and  $d_s$  is the bed material size  $d_{50}$  in mm. The results also show large variability due to inputted grain size. Furthermore, the Yoon's model tends to overpredict SSY(Figure 1.2b). The root mean squared error (RMSE) is 320 tons/km<sup>2</sup>·year and 7500 tons/km<sup>2</sup>·year for the KICT model and the Yoon's model, respectively. The mean absolute percentage error (MAPE) is 300% and 6500% for the KICT model and the Yoon's model. Since the current models produce huge prediction errors, I would like to develop a method with better accuracy.

Many studies have showed that the specific sediment yield (sediment yield per unit area) decreases as the drainage area increases (Gurnell et al. 1996; Higgitt and Lu 1996; Milliman and Syvitski 1992; Kane and Julien 2007; Vanmaercke et al. 2014). Milliman and Syvitski (1992) demonstrated the inverse relationship between specific sediment yield and drainage area with 280 watersheds around the world (Figure 1.3). On the other hand, the watershed area has been shown can be used as a predictor of flow or sediment variables such as annual discharge, mean annual sediment yield (e.g. Goodrich et al. 1997; Verstraeten and Poesen 2001; Syvitski et al. 2003; Galster 2007). Therefore, I would like to investigate the water discharge and sediment variables and relate them to watershed area.



**Figure 1.3:** Regression models of specific sediment yield and basin area for seven topographic categories: A: high mountain (headwaters at elevations > 3000 m), B: south Asia/Oceania (1000-3000 m), C: N/S America, Africa, and Alpine Europe (1000-3000 m), D: non-alpine Europe and high Arctic (1000-3000 m), E: upland (500-1000 m), F: lowland (100-500 m), and G: coastal plain (< 100 m) from Milliman and Syvitski (1992)

Thirdly, the traditional method to calculate the sediment yield is to use the flow-duration, sediment rating curve method. The method uses a table to divide the flow duration curve into several slices. The median discharge of each slice is identified and the corresponding sediment discharge is calculated by the sediment rating curve. The method requires long-term flow discharge and sediment records. Is it possible to develop a method based on a few parameters describing the flow discharge and sediment rating curve to circumvent this empirical table approach?

## **1.2 Research Objectives**

The overall research purpose is to quantify the magnitude and frequency of total sediment discharge in Korean Rivers. The specific research objectives are:

- to estimate the total sediment load from the measured sediment load. In addition, the ratio
  of the measured to total sediment load and the ratio of the suspended to total sediment load
  will be examined.
- 2. to investigate the cumulative distribution functions of water and sediment yield, and define the water and sediment relationships with watershed area.
- 3. to develop and test a procedure to determine sediment load based on the parametric description of flow duration and sediment rating curves.

The dissertation consists of seven chapters. An introduction is provided in Chapter 1. Chapter 2 presents the literature review for methods of sediment measurement, estimate of total sediment load from measured load, and prediction for sediment yield. The background of the study site and available data are presented in Chapter 3. Chapter 4 details the calculation examples for total sediment load from measured load. Chapter 5 presents the flow duration curves, sediment rating curves, cumulative distribution curve of sediment discharge in South Korea. In Chapter 6, a new procedure to parameterize flow duration curve is proposed. Extensive application with examples in the USA is present in Chapter 7. Chapter 8 closes the dissertation with a summary, conclusions from the analysis.

# **Chapter 2**

## **Literature Review**

The determination of sediment yield relies on the continuous flow and sediment discharge measurements. This chapter provides a review of the techniques to determine sediment yield from the river measurements. The specific topics include: 1) the whole picture of how the sediment yield is computed based on river measurement; 2) the potential development of new technique for sediment yield calculation; and 3) summary of the existing sediment yield studies in South Korea. Section 2.1 provides information of total sediment load and Section 2.2 provides the techniques of computing total sediment discharge from measurement. Section 2.3 presents sediment rating curves to link sediment discharge with flow discharge. The methods to calculate long-term sediment yield are described in Section 2.4. Section 2.5 reviews the theory of transform method that can be used to develop a new method for sediment yield calculation. Section 2.6 summarizes existing sediment yield studies of South Korea.

## 2.1 Total Sediment Load

Julien (2010) showed that the total sediment load  $L_t$  in a river can be classified in three ways as shown in Figure 2.1:

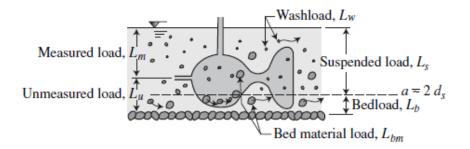


Figure 2.1: Sketch of ways to determine the total load (Julien 2010)

1. By the type of movement. The total sediment load consists of the bedload  $L_b$  and suspended load  $L_s$ . Bedload refers to the quantity of sediment that is moving in the bed layer, and suspended load refers to the sediment particles held in suspension.

$$L_t = L_b + L_s \tag{2.1}$$

Considering an experiment in a flume with sediment particles on the bed, as the flow discharge increases, the movement of sediment proceeds through the following stages. At the beginning, the velocity is small and all particles are static. As the flow increases, some of the particles on the bed surface slide, roll, or move in saltation. Following a further increase in discharge, some particles may be held in suspension by turbulent eddies. Figure 2.2 illustrates the patterns of sediment movement as discharge increases.

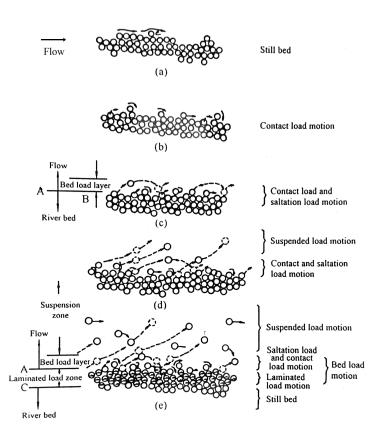


Figure 2.2: Patterns of sediment motion (Chien and Wan 1999)

By studying the data from European rivers, Kresser (1964) proposed a criterion,  $\bar{u}^2/gD = 360$ , to distinguish bed load and suspended load, where  $\bar{u}$  is the mean flow velocity and D is the cutoff grain diameter between suspended load and bed load. However, the applications by Komar (1980) on Mississippi River and other regions showed that this equation tends to overpredict D.

2. By the method of measurement. The total sediment load is comprised of the measured load  $L_m$  and unmeasured load  $L_u$ . The point sampler or depth integrating sampler can only measure from the water surface to approximately 10 centimeters (4.1 inches) above the bed, so the measured sediment load is only part of the suspended load. The unmeasured sediment load consists of the entire bedload plus the fraction of the suspended load transported below the lowest sampling elevation.

$$L_t = L_m + L_u \tag{2.2}$$

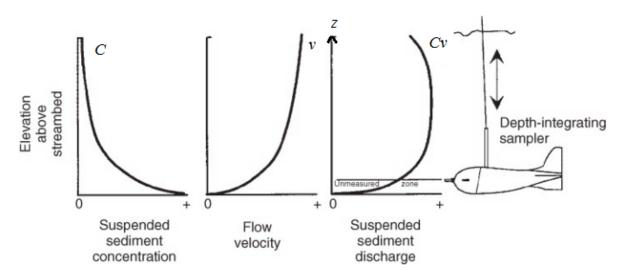
3. By the source of sediment. In this case, total sediment load is made up of the washload load  $L_w$  and bed material load  $L_{bm}$ . Washload is the fine sediment fraction coming from upland watershed, and the coarser grain sizes from the channel bed of the upstream reach is the bed material load (Chien and Wan 1999). The  $10^{th}$  percentile of the bed material ( $d_{10}$ ) is commonly used to distinguish washload and bed material load.

$$L_t = L_w + L_{bm} \tag{2.3}$$

### 2.1.1 Measurement of Suspended Load

Theoretically, the unit suspended sediment discharge  $q_s$  past a river cross-section is

$$q_s = \int_0^h C(z) v_s(z) \mathrm{d}z \tag{2.4}$$



**Figure 2.3:** Vertical profiles of suspended sediment concentration C, flow velocity v and sediment discharge  $C \cdot v$ . If a depth-integrating sampler traverses at a constant rate, the samples collected are velocity-depth integrated. Only the zone lower than the nozzle is not sampled (Hicks and Gomez 2016).

where C and  $v_s$  are the concentration and downstream velocity of the suspended sediment, respectively, and C and  $v_s$  vary with the distance to bed z. Practically,  $v_s$  is assumed to be equal to the streamwise flow velocity v, i.e.,  $v_s = v$  (Hicks and Gomez 2016). With this assumption, equation (2.5) can be rewritten as follows:

$$q_s = \int_0^h C(z)v(z)\mathrm{d}z \tag{2.5}$$

In practice, the integral can be determined by two types of samplers, known as integrating samplers. The first is a depth-integrating sampler. It continuously collects water and sediment when the sampler traverses from the surface to the bed and back again (Figure 2.3). If the sampler traverses at a constant rate, the concentration measured is the averaged concentration of the vertical depth.

The second type is a point sampler. It is used to determine the mean sediment concentration at any given depth. It can also be used to collect samples over an increment of depth. This is useful when a stream is too deep for a depth-integrating sampler (Simons and Sentürk 1992). A list of depth-integrating samplers and point samplers can be found on USGS website (https://water.usgs.gov/fisp/catalog\_index.html). Figure 2.4 provides a flowchart for the selection of a suspended sediment sampler.

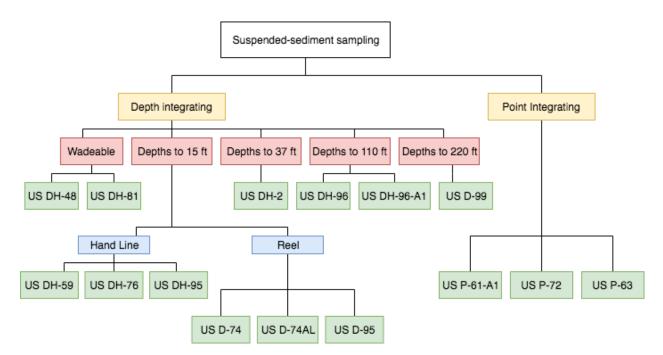


Figure 2.4: Selection of a suspended sediment sampler (from Davis 2005)

For both samplers, the zones that are lower than the nozzle of sampler can not be measured. The measured suspended sediment discharge  $q_m$  is calculated as

$$q_m = \int_{d_n}^h Cv \mathrm{d}z \tag{2.6}$$

where  $d_n$  is the height of the nozzle or the unmeasured depth.

### 2.1.2 Measurement of Bedload

In sand-bed rivers, direct measurement of bedload with bedload samplers can be problematic because the flow and bedload transport are disturbed when a sampler is placed on the bed. The flow disturbance in sand-bed rivers can cause further worsening of entrainment of sediment (Holmes Jr 2010). Indirect measurements of bedload such as bedform velocimetry are commonly used because bedload transport corresponds largely to the movement of bedform. But in general, bedload is small compared to suspended load (Julien 2010).

In gravel- and cobble-bed streams, common approaches for bedload sampling include various traps, tracers, and samplers. An example of bedload sampler is Helley-Smith (Figure 2.5) (Helley

and Smith ; Emmett 1979). It is a type of pressure-difference sampler. There are various sizes of the sampler in terms of its opening, body, and mesh size of sampler bag. The choice of the size depends upon the bed material being sampled.

Another type of bed sampler is the bedload trap (Bunte et al. 2004; Bunte et al. 2007). A bedload trap consists of an aluminum frame and a nylon net (Figure 2.6). A bedload trap collects all the sediment that enter into it until it is full. The advantage of bedload traps is that they collect a wider range of particle sizes or transport rate compared to the Helley-Smith samplers.

There are still several technical difficulties with bedload measurements that need to be overcome, such as samplers that can be used under a variability of flow conditions and bed topography, and reduces the interference to flow due to the sampler (Garcia et al. 2000). Examples of recent development of bedload techniques can be found in Møen et al. 2010, Rickenmann et al. 2014, Kociuba 2016, Rickenmann 2017, and etc.

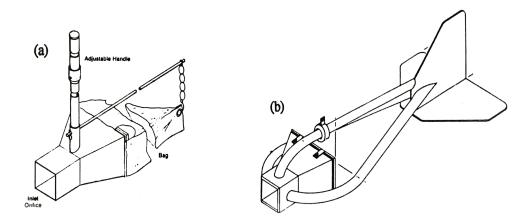


Figure 2.5: Helley-Smith samplers, (a) hand held and (b) cable suspended (from Simons and Sentürk 1992)

## 2.2 Estimating Total Load from Measurements

The methods to estimate the total sediment load from measured sediment load including empirical approaches, Toffaleti (1969) Method, Einstein method, Modified Einstein Procedure (MEP), Bureau of Reclamation Automated Modified Einstein Procedure (BORAMEP), Series Expansion

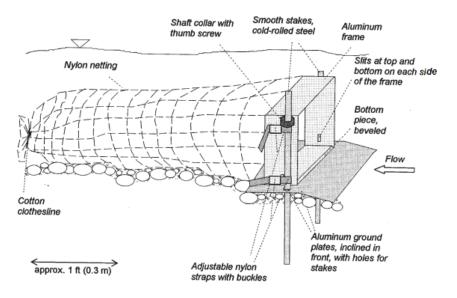
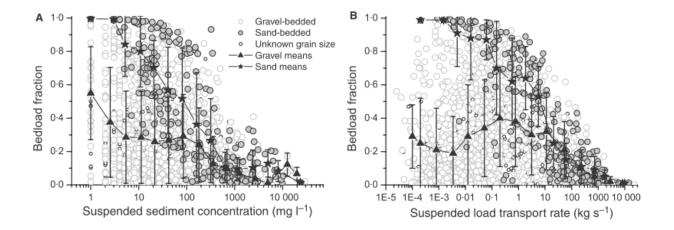


Figure 2.6: A bedload trap and its parts (from Bunte et al. 2007)

of the Modified Einstein Procedure (SEMEP), and Series Expansion of the Modified Einstein Point Procedure (SEMEPP). The Toffaleti (1969) Method and the SEMEPP are not the focus of this research and are not present in this section, but their descriptions and procedures can be found in the Appendix A.

### 2.2.1 Empirical Approaches

Based on reservoir survey data, U. S. Bureau of Reclamation devised a table for evaluating the unmeasured load (Lane and Borland 1951; Strand and Pemberton 1982). Turowski et al. (2010) compiled the sediment load measured by Williams and Rosgen (1989) and compared the result to Maddock and Borland (1950) and Lane and Borland (1951). The classification of suspended sediment concentration is based on Maddock and Borland (1950) and Lane and Borland (1951). The field measurement compares well with the sand-bed streams except for the high concentration, but large scatter is found in gravel-bed streams. Figure 2.7 shows the fraction of bedload versus suspended sediment concentration and suspended sediment discharge. Although there is a huge scatter, the bedload fraction generally decreases as the suspended sediment concentration/discharge increases. The fraction of bedload becomes less than 20% when the concentration is higher than 1,000 mg/l (suspended load 1,000 kg/s). Turowski et al. (2010) highlighted that the average bedload fraction for sand-bed and gravel-bed streams are alike when the suspended discharge is above 10 kg/s. A possible explanation may be that "around transport rates of 10 kg/s, all grain sizes are mobilized and the particle size distribution of the transported load approaches the size distribution on the bed".



**Figure 2.7:** (A) Bedload fraction vs suspended sediment concentration; and (B) bedload fraction vs suspended load (Turowski et al. 2010)

| Suspended                          | Gravel bed                          |  |                        |                        | Sand bed                          |  |                      |                        |
|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--|------------------------|------------------------|-----------------------------------|--|----------------------|------------------------|
| sediment<br>concentration<br>(ppm) | Maddock and<br>Borland<br>(1950)    | Lane and<br>Borland<br>(1951)                | Data mean              | Data SD                | Maddock and<br>Borland<br>(1950)  | Lane and<br>Borland<br>(1951)              | Data mean            | Data SD                |
| <1000<br>1000 to 7500<br>>7500     | 0.05<br>0.05 to 0.1<br>0.02 to 0.08 | 0.05 to 0.11<br>0.05 to 0.11<br>0.02 to 0.07 | 0.26<br>0.055<br>0.088 | 0.27<br>0.085<br>0.054 | < 0.5<br>0.1 to 0.2<br>0.1 to 0.2 | 0.2 to 0.6<br>0.09 to 0.26<br>0.05 to 0.13 | 0.51<br>0.1<br>0.035 | 0.33<br>0.089<br>0.032 |

 Table 2.1: Bedload fraction based on suspended sediment concentration (Turowski et al. 2010)

#### 2.2.2 Einstein's Approach

Einstein (1950) combined the theory of bed load motion and the diffusion theory of suspended load, and proposed a method to calculate the total sediment load. The total sediment discharge per unit width  $q_t$  can be calculated from the sum of the unit bed sediment discharge  $q_b$  and the unit suspended sediment discharge  $q_s$ :

$$q_t = q_b + q_s = q_b + \int_a^h Cvdz \tag{2.7}$$

where a is the bed layer of thickness  $a = 2d_s$  and h is the water depth. As sketched in Figure 2.8, this approach estimates the suspended load from bedload.

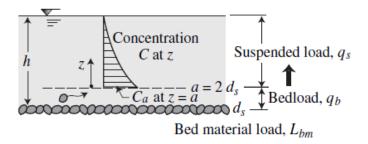


Figure 2.8: Sketch of the Einstein approach (Julien 2010)

The velocity profile for a hydraulically rough boundary, according to Keulegan (1938), can be calculated by following equations

$$\frac{v}{u_*} = \frac{1}{\kappa} \ln\left(\frac{z}{z_o}\right) \tag{2.8}$$

$$v = \frac{u_*}{\kappa} \ln\left(\frac{30z}{k'_s}\right) \tag{2.9}$$

where v is the velocity at a distance z above the river bed,  $u_*$  is the shear velocity,  $\kappa$  is the von Karman constant assumed equal to 0.4, and  $z_o$  is the vertical elevation where the velocity equals to zero. By the pipe experiment on rough boundaries, the corresponding value of  $z_o = k'_s/30$ , and the grain roughness height  $k'_s$  can be considered as  $d_s$ .

The sediment concentration profile is described by Rouse (1937). The relative concentration  $C/C_a$ 

$$\frac{C}{C_a} = \left(\frac{h-z}{z}\frac{a}{h-a}\right)^{\frac{\omega}{\beta_s\kappa u_*}}$$
(2.10)

Figure 2.9 demonstrates suspended sediment concentration when a/h = 0.05.

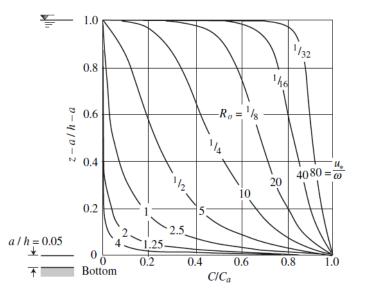


Figure 2.9: Relative concentration of suspended sediment with relative depth above the bed z = 0.05h [from Julien (2010)]

By substituting C and v in Equation 2.7, it becomes

$$q_t = q_b + \int_a^h C_a \frac{u_*}{\kappa} \left(\frac{h-z}{z} \frac{a}{h-a}\right)^{\frac{\omega}{\beta_s \kappa u_*}} \ln\left(\frac{30z}{d_s}\right) dz$$
(2.11)

The reference concentration  $C_a = q_b/av_a$  is calculated from the unit bed sediment discharge  $q_b$  transported in the bed layer of thickness  $a = 2d_s$ , given the velocity  $v_a$  at the top of the bed layer,  $v_a = (u_*/\kappa) \ln(30a/d_s) = 4.09u_*/\kappa$ , Einstein used  $v_a = 11.6u_*$ . Rewriting Equation 2.11 in dimensionless form with  $z^* = z/h$ ,  $E = 2d_s/h$  and  $Ro = \omega/\beta_s \kappa u_*$  gives:

$$q_t = q_b \left[ 1 + I_1 \ln \frac{30h}{d_s} + I_2 \right]$$
(2.12)

where

$$I_1 = 0.216 \frac{E^{\text{Ro}-1}}{(1-E)^{\text{Ro}}} \underbrace{\int_E^1 \left[\frac{1-z^*}{z^*}\right]^{\text{Ro}} dz^*}_{J_1(\text{Ro})}$$
(2.13)

$$I_{2} = 0.216 \frac{E^{\text{Ro}-1}}{(1-E)^{\text{Ro}}} \underbrace{\int_{E}^{1} \left[\frac{1-z^{*}}{z^{*}}\right]^{\text{Ro}} \ln z^{*} dz^{*}}_{J_{2}(\text{Ro})}$$
(2.14)

In his paper, Einstein prepared nomographs to solve the two integrals  $I_1$  and  $I_2$ .

### **2.2.3** Modified Einstein Procedure (MEP)

The Modified Einstein Procedure provides a tool to estimate the unmeasured load from measured load. It can be used for depth-integrated samples or point samples. Colby et al. (1955) reviewed several total load formulas including Einstein (1950), but none of the methods were consistent with the measurement from the sand-bed Niobrara River in Nebraska. Therefore, they developed a procedure based on the measured suspended load from depth-integrated samples. A particle size distribution was also collected for the bed from sieve analysis. The Rouse number (Ro) is determined by matching the total load determined based on the measured suspended sediment and the measured bed material. Ro is known for the given bin (particle size classes) when the total load matches and then Ro for the remaining bins can be determined by a power equation. With the Ro of each bin, the load for each bin can be determined too. The total load is the sum of them.

Several suggestions have been proposed over the years. Lara (1966) noticed that the approach for calculating Ro by Colby and Hembree was subjective and could lead to different answers based on the bin used. Lara proposed to use a least squares regression to determine Ro. An exponential relationship between Ro and settling velocity ( $\omega$ ) is determined by a minimum of two overlapping bins. Lara also found that the exponent is not always 0.7. Equation 2.15 is an example of the power

function.

$$\mathbf{Ro} = C_1(\omega)^{C_2} \tag{2.15}$$

where  $C_1$  and  $C_2$  are constants determined from the regression analysis.

Burkham and Dawdy (1980) conducted a general study of the MEP in an attempt to develop a reliable method for measuring and computing sediment discharge. Their study led to three deviations from Colby et al. (1955). First, they determined a direct relationship between bed load transport and bed load intensity. Second, they used the roughness coefficient ( $k_s$ ) as 5.5 $d_{65}$ . Lastly, they showed that the calculated  $u_*$  tends to be higher and the Einstein correction factor tends to be lower than the values determined by Colby et al. (1955). Their approach is known as the Revised Modified Einstein Method.

Shen and Hung (1983) proposed two modifications of the MEP. First, Ro should be determined by the field data instead of the 0.7 power of the fall velocity. Second, they introduced an optimization procedure to minimize the difference between the measured loads and calculated suspended rates. Shen and Hung called their method Remodified Einstein Procedure.

# 2.2.4 Bureau of Reclamation Automated Modified Einstein Procedure (BO-RAMEP)

The BORAMEP was developed by Holmquist-Johnson at the Bureau of Reclamation. The development of BORAMEP provides a standardized procedure to compute the total sediment discharge based on MEP. The software and user manual are available at the website (https://www.usbr.gov/tsc/techreferences/computer%20software/models/boramep/index.html). The program is developed in Visual Basic. The software supports data input from a formatted spreadsheet to process several samplers at one time. It also allows manual data input.

The main features of the BORAMEP includes: (1) it provides numerical solutions for the parameters that were obtained from nomograms; and (2) the Rouse number (Ro) is determined by fitting a regression equation to relate Ro to fall velocity  $\omega$ . The Ro value can be decided for all size

classes based on the regression equation. To enable this process, the program requires a minimum of two size classes in suspension and bed materials.

A step by step procedure for the BORAMEP is taken from the report *Bureau of Reclamation Automated Modified Einstein Procedure (BORAMEP) Program for Computing Total Sediment Dis charge* (Holmquist-Johnson et al. 2009) and present as follows:

1. Compute the measured suspended load:

$$Q_m = 0.0027 Q C_m \text{ (tons/day)} \tag{2.16}$$

where  $Q = \text{discharge (ft}^3/\text{s})$  and  $C_m = \text{suspended sediment concentration (mg/l)}$ .

- 2. Compute the product of the hydraulic radius and friction slope assuming x = 1:
  - (a) First, compute the value of  $\sqrt{RS_f}$  using the equation given by Colby et al. (1955)

$$\sqrt{RS_f} = \frac{V}{5.75\sqrt{g}\log\left[12.27\frac{h}{k_s}x\right]}$$
(2.17)

where V is the average stream velocity (ft/s), h is the flow depth (ft), x is a dimensionless parameter needed to be determined, g is the acceleration due to gravity (ft/s<sup>2</sup>), and  $k_s$  is the effective roughness  $k_s = d_{65}$  (ft).

(b) Compute the shear velocity  $u_*$ :

$$u_* = \sqrt{gRS_f} \tag{2.18}$$

(c) Compute the laminar sublayer thickness  $\delta$ :

$$\delta = \frac{11.66\nu}{u_*} \tag{2.19}$$

where  $\nu$  is the kinematic viscosity of water (ft<sup>2</sup>/s)

(d) Recheck x to make sure that the initial guess is valid by the following equation with Figure 2.10 (Einstein's Plate #3). An equation is developed to relate the parameter s to  $\frac{k_s}{\delta}$ .

$$x = \frac{-9.95 + 75.30\sqrt{\frac{k_s}{\delta}} - 201.73\frac{k_s}{\delta} + 288.37\left(\frac{k_s}{\delta}\right)^{1.5} - 195.25\left(\frac{k_s}{\delta}\right)^2 + 57.6\left(\frac{k_s}{\delta}\right)^{2.5}}{1 + 33.96\sqrt{\frac{k_s}{\delta}} - 139.12\frac{k_s}{\delta} + 237.35\left(\frac{k_s}{\delta}\right)^{1.5} - 181\left(\frac{k_s}{\delta}\right)^2 + 56.7\left(\frac{k_s}{\delta}\right)^{2.5}}$$
(2.20)

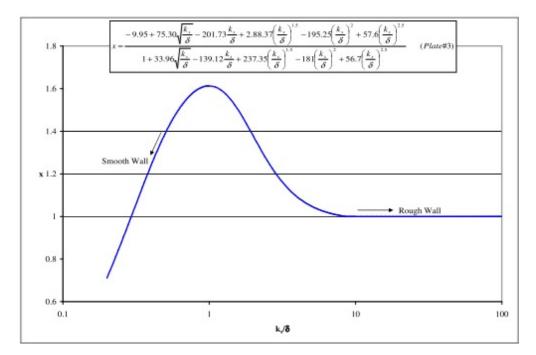


Figure 2.10: Einstein's multiplication factor x (from Shah-Fairbank 2006)

3. Compute the value of *P*:

$$P = 2.303 \log \left[ 30.2 \frac{hx}{k_s} \right] \tag{2.21}$$

4. Compute the fraction of the flow depth not sampled *A*:

$$A = \frac{d_n}{h}$$

where  $d_n$  is the vertical distance not sampled = nozzle height (ft)

5. Compute the sediment discharge  $Q_s'$  for each fraction:

$$Q_s' = i_s Q_m \times \mathcal{N}_{sampled}$$

where  $\mathscr{N}_{sampled}$  is computed by choosing the equations below based on a P value closest to the computed P value from above.

For P = 4,

$$\%_{sampled} = \frac{100 - 2941.79A^2 + 265357.48A^4 + 64219.08A^6 - 325482.24A^8}{1 - 29.38A^2 + 2621.48A^4 + 5407.23A^6 + 157.44A^8 + 1272.32A^{10}} \quad (2.22)$$

For P = 8,

$$\mathscr{H}_{sampled} = \frac{100 + 30991.16A^2 + 21184.18A^4 + 211800.14A^6 - 263775.36A^8}{1 + 336.12A^2 + 444.29A^4 + 15662.05A^6 + 5759.38A^8 - 2976.45A^{10}} \quad (2.23)$$

For P = 11,

$$\%_{sampled} = \frac{100.19 + 31425.83A^2 - 54359.86A^4 + 1566703.2A^6 - 1543898.1A^8}{1 + 336.12A^2 + 444.29A^4 + 15662.05A^6 + 18936.5A^8 - 5820.32A^{10}}$$
(2.24)

For P = 14,

$$\%_{sampled} = \frac{100.31 + 45744.98A^2 103307.39A^4 + 635604.51A^6 - 784215.44A^8}{1 + 485A^2 + 2934.57A^4 + 7640.27A^6 + 11737.99A^8 - 3015.81A^{10}} \quad (2.25)$$

### 6. Compute the bedload for each size fraction:

(a) Calculate the shear intensity  $\psi$  for all particle sizes in the analysis.  $\psi$  is calculated using the greater of the following two equations.

$$\psi = 1.65 \left(\frac{d_{35}}{RS_f}\right) \text{ or } 0.66 \left(\frac{d_i}{RS_f}\right)$$
 (2.26)

where  $d_{35}$  is the particle size at which 35% of the bed material by weight is finer (ft) and  $d_i$  is the geometric mean for each size class (ft).

(b) Compute the intensity of bedload transport  $\phi_*$ .

$$\phi_* = \frac{0.023p}{(1-p)} \tag{2.27}$$

where p is the probability that a sediment particle is entrained in the flow and is calculated using the following version of Error Function (Yang 1996):

$$p = 1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_{a}^{b} e^{-t^{2}} dt$$
 (2.28)

where  $a = -B_*\psi - \frac{1}{\eta_0}$ ,  $b = B_*\psi - \frac{1}{\eta_0}$ ,  $B_*$  is equal to 0.143 and  $\eta_0$  is equal to 0.5.

(c) Compute the unit bed-load for each size fraction:

$$i_B q_B = 1200 d_i^{3/2} i_B \frac{\phi_*}{2}$$

where  $i_B$  is the fraction of bed material in a given size range.

(d) Compute the bedload for each size fraction in tons/day.

$$i_B Q_B = i_B q_B(43.2W) \tag{2.29}$$

where W is the channel width (ft).

- 7. Compute the theoretical exponent for vertical distribution of sediment (Ro).
  - (a) Compute the ratio  $\frac{Q_s'}{i_B Q_B}$  for all size classes with suspended transport.
  - (b) Size classes of calculated values for the ratio of the suspended load to the bedload are used as the reference ranges for computation for values of Ro. The ratio of suspended load to bedload is set equal to a function with the parameters I<sub>1</sub>, J<sub>1</sub>, J'<sub>1</sub>, and J'<sub>2</sub> as the

following:

$$\frac{Q_s'}{i_B Q_B} = \frac{I_1}{J_1} \left( P J_1' + J_2' \right) \tag{2.30}$$

For each size class an initial value of Ro is assumed by using the following equation:

$$Ro = -0.1465 \ln\left(\frac{Qs'}{i_B Q_B}\right) + 1.0844$$
 (2.31)

(c) Once the Ro is determined for the overlapping suspended and bed material size classes, a log-log plot is made of the relationship between Ro and the fall velocity  $\omega$  for each size class. A power function equation is then developed such that Ro =  $a\omega^b$ . The remaining values of Ro for the bedload are computed using this relationship. The fall velocity is computed using the following equation (Rubey 1933):

$$\omega = \left(\sqrt{\frac{2}{3} + \frac{36\nu^2}{(G-1)gd_i^3}} - \sqrt{\frac{36\nu^2}{(G-1)gd_i^3}}\right)\sqrt{(G-1)gd_i}$$
(2.32)

where G is the specific gravity of sediment.

8. Compute the total sediment load. The total sediment for a size fraction is calculated as

$$i_T Q_T = Q_{si'} \frac{(PJ_1 + J_2)}{(PJ_1' + J_2')}$$
 for fine sediment; (2.33)

$$i_T Q_T = i_B Q_B (PI_1 + I_2 + 1)$$
 for coarse sediment (2.34)

Eq. (2.33) is most accurate and applicable for the ranges of fine particle sizes or when Ro is small; Eq. (2.34) is accurate for the ranges of coarse particle sizes or when Ro is large (Simons and Sentürk 1992).

Figure 2.11 provides a schematic flow diagram to show how the BORAMEP works. Shah-Fairbank (2006) tested the BORAMEP with the data collected on the Low Flow Conveyance Channel (LFCC) in Rio Grande. She analyzed the error messages generated by the BORAMEP when it terminated the total sediment load computation. The main errors and limitations of BORAMEP are: (1) Ro could not be calculated because there is a minimum of two overlapping bins required. However, particles in the measured zone not found in the bed have been seen in practice; (2) Negative values of Ro can be generated when fitting regression equations to Ro and  $\omega$ . However, negative Ro is physically impossible because it implies that the sediment concentration is higher at the free surface than the bed; (3) Total sediment load calculated by BORAMEP is sometimes lower than the measured load, which is also physically impossible. It happens when the BO-RAMEP could not determine the total load when the program is stopped due to an error message. In this case, the total load is calculated using a suspended sediment load equation. Sometimes it is unclear why an error message occurred, according to Shah-Fairbank (2006).

#### 2.2.5 Series Expansion of the Modified Einstein Procedure (SEMEP)

To remove most of the empiricism found in the existing MEP, Shah-Fairbank (2009) calculated the Rouse number, Ro, from the median particle size measured in suspension  $d_{50ss}$ . The measured unit sediment discharge  $q_m$  is evaluated by integrating the product of flow velocity and sediment concentration from the nozzle height  $d_n$  to the free surface at z = h. Recall the equation of measured load Eq. (2.6):

$$q_m = \int_{d_n}^h Cv dz$$

Replacing the C and v by Eq. (2.9) and Eq. (2.10) with  $C_a = \frac{q_b}{11.6u_*a}$ , the equation becomes

$$q_m = 0.216q_b \frac{E^{\text{Ro}-1}}{(1-E)^{\text{Ro}}} \left\{ \ln\left(\frac{60}{E}\right) J_1' + J_2' \right\}$$
(2.35)

$$J_{1}' = \int_{A}^{\tilde{}} \left(\frac{1-z^{*}}{z^{*}}\right)^{\text{Ro}} dz^{*}$$
(2.36)

$$J_{2}' = \int_{A}^{1} \ln z^{*} \left(\frac{1-z^{*}}{z^{*}}\right)^{\text{Ro}} dz^{*}$$
(2.37)

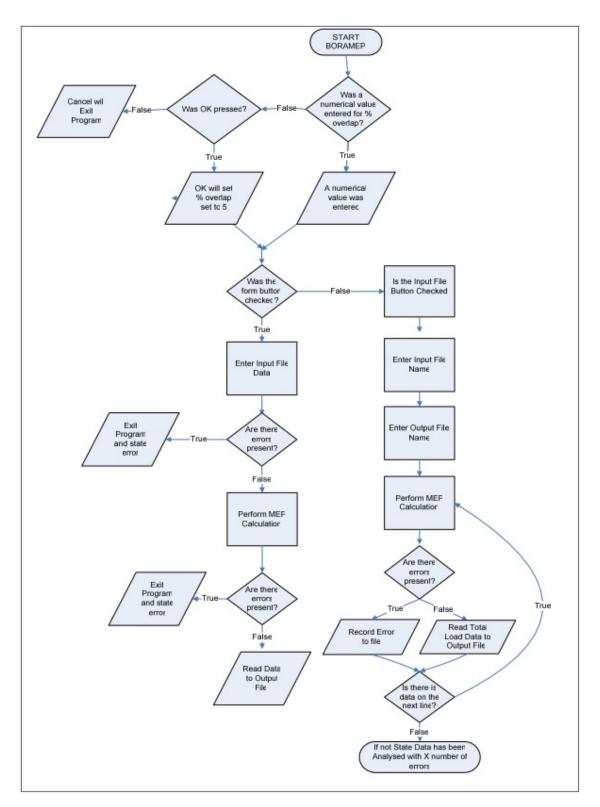


Figure 2.11: Flowchart of BORAMEP (from Shah-Fairbank 2006)

where  $A = d_n/h$ ,  $\omega$  = settling velocity of the median suspended particle  $d_{50ss}$ ,

$$\omega = \frac{8\nu}{d_{50ss}} \left[ \left( 1 + 0.0139 d_*^3 \right)^{0.5} - 1 \right]$$
(2.38)

$$d_* = d_{50ss} \left[ \frac{(G-1)g}{\nu^2} \right]^{\frac{1}{3}}$$
(2.39)

, where  $d_* =$  dimensionless grain size, G = specific weight of sediment,  $\nu =$  kinematic viscosity of water, g = gravitational acceleration, and  $d_{50ss} =$  the median size of suspended material.

In SEMEP, the Rouse number, Ro, is directly evaluated from the suspended material by using the following equation

$$\mathbf{Ro} = \frac{\omega}{\beta_s \kappa u_*} \tag{2.40}$$

where  $\beta_s$  = the ratio of the turbulent mixing coefficient of sediment to the momentum exchange coefficient and  $\beta_s$  has been found equal to 1 for most practical applications;  $\kappa$  = von Karman constant usually close to 0.4, and  $u_*$  = shear velocity  $\approx \sqrt{ghS}$  (h = flow depth, and S = river bed slope).

 $J'_1$  and  $J'_2$  are the modified Einstein integrals. Shah-Fairbank adopted the numerical solution developed by Guo and Julien (2004) to solve the modified Einstein integrals. The unit bedload  $q_b$  can be solved from the above equation when the measured sediment discharge is known

$$q_b = \frac{q_m}{0.216} \frac{(1-E)^{\text{Ro}}}{E^{\text{Ro}-1}} \frac{1}{\ln(60/E)J_1' + J_2'}$$
(2.41)

The unit suspended sediment discharge  $q_s$  can be calculated when  $q_b$  is solved,

$$q_s = \int_a^h C v \mathrm{d}z \tag{2.42}$$

$$= 0.216q_b \frac{E^{\text{Ro}-1}}{(1-E)^{\text{Ro}}} \left\{ \ln\left(\frac{60}{E}\right) J_1 + J_2 \right\}$$
(2.43)

$$J_1 = \int_E^1 \left(\frac{1 - z_*}{z_*}\right)^{\text{Ro}} dz_*$$
(2.44)

$$J_2 = \int_E^1 \ln z_* \left(\frac{1 - z_*}{z_*}\right)^{\text{Ro}} dz_*$$
 (2.45)

The total sediment load can be calculated by the following equation:

$$q_t = q_b + q_s = q_b + 0.216q_b \frac{E^{\text{Ro}-1}}{(1-E)^{\text{Ro}}} \left\{ \ln\left(\frac{60}{E}\right) J_1 + J_2 \right\}$$
(2.46)

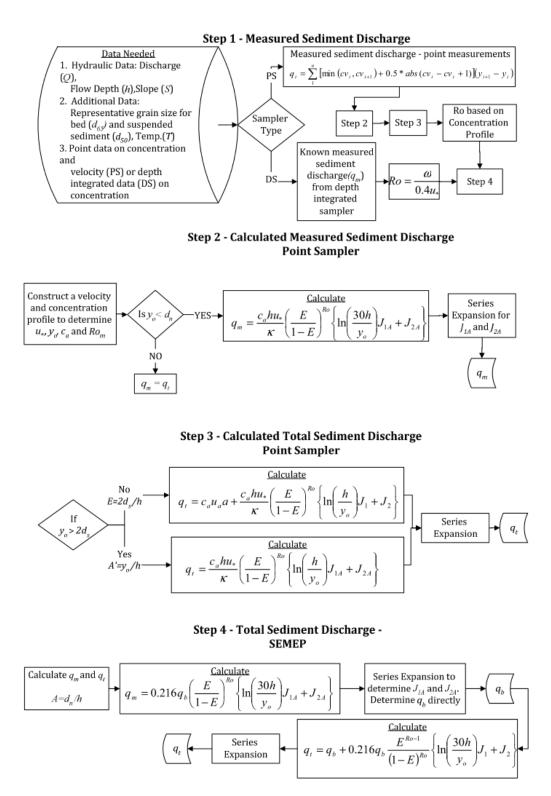
Figure 2.12 summarized the procedures of total sediment discharge calculation by SEMEP. SE-MEP was tested on several laboratory and sand-bed river data from the Niobrara to the Mississippi River. Julien (2010) summarized the main advantages of SEMEP as:

- 1. based on median grain diameter  $(d_{50})$  in suspension no bins are required;
- 2. bedload calculated based on measured load, no need to arbitrarily divide the Einstein bedload equation by 2;
- 3. calculate Ro directly from settling equation, no need to fit based on power function;
- 4. calculate total load even when there are not enough overlapping bins between suspended and bed material; and
- 5. calculated total load cannot be less than measured load.

The relationship between  $u_*/\omega$  and mode of transport and recommended sediment transport procedure is presented in Shah-Fairbank et al. (2011), where  $u_*/\omega = 2.5/\text{Ro}$ ,.

Baird and Varyu (2011) used the sediment measurements from Rio Grande Low Flow Conveyance Channel (LFCC), Niobrara River, and San Acacia Floodway Gage to evaluate the performance of SEMEP. The results of SEMEP are compared to the measured total sediment load and the calculated total load by BORAMEP. They found that both methods yield comparable results to the measurements, while SEMEP is able to calculate all the data because it does not require overlapping bins between suspended and bed materials.

Dehghani et al. (2014) performed a case study in the Chelichay watershed in northeastern Iran using MEP and SEMEP. The Chelichay watershed consists of one sand bed river and four gravel bed rivers. Their result showed that in sand bed river, SEMEP fitted the measurements well, but MEP had a tendency to overestimate the total load. For the gravel bed rivers, three rivers got the



**Figure 2.12:** Flowchart of total sediment discharge calculation by SEMEP and SEMEPP (from Shah-Fairbank et al. 2011)

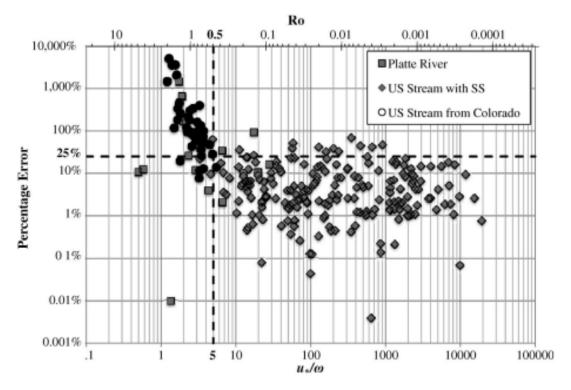
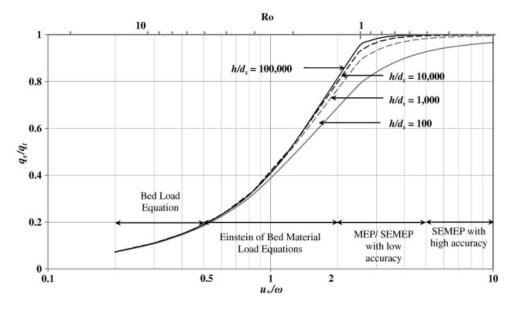


Figure 2.13: SEMEP performance as a function of  $u_*/\omega$  (Shah-Fairbank et al. 2011)



**Figure 2.14:** Mode of sediment transport and recommended calculated procedure (Shah-Fairbank et al. 2011)

better result with SEMEP. Overall, they suggested SEMEP to be a more comprehensive method in calculating the total sediment load.

## 2.3 Sediment Rating Curves

Sediment concentration and discharge, for both suspended load and bedload, are usually displayed as a flow discharge on log-log graphs (e.g., Batalla et al. 2005; Bunte et al. 2014; Sholtes 2015; Warrick 2015). Such relationship between flow and sediment is known as a sediment rating curve. Although exhibiting scatter, rating curves demonstrate that the sediment concentration, or sediment discharge, appears to be independent of discharge. This allows the mean sediment yield to be determined based on the discharge history. Sediment rating curves are typically constructed on the basis of instantaneous concentration-discharge data pairs, but can also be concentrationdischarge data that are averaged over daily, monthly, or other time periods (Morris and Fan 2009).

The log-log relationship between sediment concentration (or discharge) and flow discharge can be presented mathematically in a linear form:

$$\log C = \bar{a} + \bar{b}\log Q \tag{2.47}$$

or

$$C = \bar{a}Q^{\bar{b}} \tag{2.48}$$

where  $\bar{a}$  and  $\bar{b}$  are empirical coefficients and they can be determined either by visual curve fitting or by regression. The linear relationship is generally true for the streams with capacity-limited sediment transport. For the streams with supply-limited sediment transport, the sediment load can vary a lot for a given discharge because it does not depend solely on discharge. In this case, concentration-discharge data pairs may be split by season or month and fit the sediment rating curve for an individual subset (e.g.Kao and Milliman 2008; Julien 2010, p. 335). Sediment discharge displays higher correlation to flow discharge compared to sediment concentration because sediment discharge is the product of flow discharge and sediment concentration.

## 2.4 Computing the Sediment Load

#### 2.4.1 Time-Series Summation Method

The daily sediment load can be computed if a reliable rating relationship between the sediment concentration and discharge is available. The daily sediment discharge  $Q_s$  is computed as one of the following equations:

Metric units:

$$Q_s = 0.0864CQ$$
 (2.49)

where  $Q_s$  is in metric tons/day, suspended sediment concentration C is in mg/l, and Q is in m<sup>3</sup>/s.

U.S. customary units:

$$Q_s = 0.002446CQ \tag{2.50}$$

where  $Q_s$  is in metric tons/day, C is in mg/l, and Q is in ft<sup>3</sup>/s.

Sediment yield is obtained by summing daily sediment discharge over a long period of time. Notice that the time unit should be consistent for discharge data and rating curves (Morris and Fan 2009). For example, to compute the sediment load from a daily flow series, one should use a sediment rating curve that is constructed based on mean daily discharge and daily sediment load. Only if the concentration does not change rapidly in a day, a rating curve based on instantaneous C-Q relationship can be applied to mean daily discharge, else the concentration and discharge should be divided into hourly increments.

The summation can also be used to construct mass curves and double mass curves. Mass curves plot the cumulative sediment load as a function of time in years. Double mass curves present the cumulative sediment load as a function of the cumulative water discharge. Both curves are particularly useful to detect changes in flow regimes. Figure 2.15 provides an example of double mass curve to illustrate how the sediment yield change before and after highway construction. Following extensive highway construction in 1963, the sediment yield during 1960 to 1963 is nearly 10 times higher compared to the sediment yield before the construction.

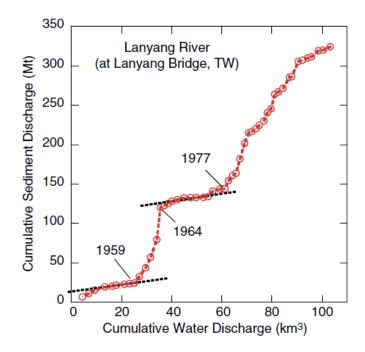


Figure 2.15: Double mass curve for Lanyang River, Taiwan, 1950-2000 (Milliman and Farnsworth 2013)

#### 2.4.2 The Flow-Duration/Sediment-Rating Curve Approach

The flow-duration/sediment-rating curve (FDSRC) method combines a flow duration curve and sediment rating curve. Flow duration curve is an output of frequency analysis of flow discharge. Flow duration curve plots discharge as a function of the percentage of time a given flow discharge is equalled or exceeded (Bui 2014). The flow duration curve is divided into intervals and the average discharge for each class is calculated as the mean discharge at the midpoint of the interval. The sediment load is then calculated by the sediment rating curve. The mean annual sediment yield is the sum of all the production of sediment discharge and the interval width of each class. Julien (2010) states that the method is most reliable under three conditions: (1) long period of recording; (2) sufficient sediment concentration measurement at high flows is available; and (3) widely scattered sediment rating curve.

## 2.5 Parametric Analysis of Runoff and Sediment Transport

Julien (1996) developed a method to transform the flow and sediment duration curves. The transform is useful for determination of the mean annual discharge and mean annual sediment

yield. Moreover, the method can be used to estimate the expected values and exceedance probability at a given value. For a random variable X and its possible value x, the cumulative distribution function (cdf) F(x) is the probability that X will take a value less than or equal to x:

$$F(x) = P(X \le x) \tag{2.51}$$

The probability density function (pdf) f(x) is derived from the cdf

$$f(x) = \frac{\mathrm{d}F(x)}{\mathrm{d}x} \tag{2.52}$$

The probability of exceedance E(x):

$$E(x) = 1 - F(x)$$
(2.53)

Julien (1996) showed that rainfall intensity is exponentially distributed, and we define  $\Psi = i/\bar{i}$ , where *i* is the rainfall intensity, and  $\bar{i}$  is the mean rainfall intensity as shown in Figure 2.16. The pdf of  $\Psi$  is

$$f(\Psi) = e^{-\Psi} \tag{2.54}$$

An interesting property of an exponential distribution is that the exceedance probability and pdf are identical,

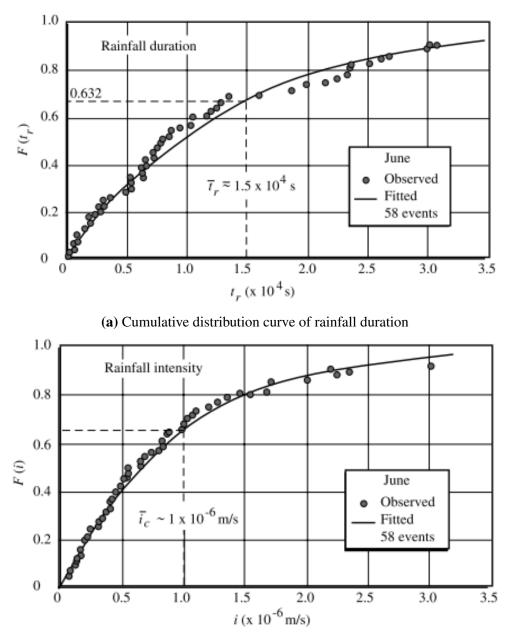
$$E(\Psi) = f(\Psi) = e^{-\Psi} \tag{2.55}$$

We assume that a variable x can be expressed as a power function of an exponential distribution of  $\Psi$ :

$$x = \hat{a}\Psi^b \tag{2.56a}$$

or inversely, 
$$\Psi = ax^b$$
 (2.56b)

where



(b) Cumulative distribution curve of rainfall intensity

**Figure 2.16:** Observed rainfall intensity and duration compared to exponential distribution (from Julien 2018)

$$\hat{a} = (1/a)^{1/b}$$
 (2.57a)

$$\hat{b} = 1/b \tag{2.57b}$$

The pdf of x, f(x), is calculated from Eqs. (2.52) and (2.56a):

$$f(x) = abx^{b-1}e^{-ax^{b}} = ab\left(\frac{\Psi}{a}\right)^{\frac{b-1}{b}}e^{-\Psi}$$
(2.58)

From the definition  $\Psi = ax^b$  we obtain

$$\mathrm{d}\Psi = abx^{b-1}\mathrm{d}x\tag{2.59}$$

From Eqs. (2.55) and (2.56b), we obtain:

$$f(\Psi)d\Psi = e^{-\Psi}(abx^{b-1}dx) = abx^{b-1}e^{-ax^{b}}dx = f(x)dx$$
(2.60)

There are two methods to evaluate the values of  $\hat{a}$ ,  $\hat{b}$ : (1) a graphical method, and (2) the method of moments.

#### 2.5.1 Graphical Method

By taking natural logarithm on both sides of Eq. (2.55) twice, one gets

$$-\ln E(\Psi) = \Psi = ax^b \tag{2.61}$$

$$\Pi = \ln \left[ -\ln E(\bar{\Psi}) \right] = \ln \bar{\Psi} = \ln a + b \ln x \tag{2.62}$$

As shown in Figure 2.17, the transform parameters a and b are evaluated by plotting the values of  $\Pi$  and  $\ln x$ . The points on the graph often form a straight line, and the slope of the line gives the exponent b. In practice, the linearity is usually found for higher values of  $\ln x$  and  $\Pi$ . A linear regression line is fitted to the higher values of  $\ln x$  and  $\Pi$ , and the regression coefficient and exponent are  $\ln a$  and b, respectively.

#### 2.5.2 Method of Moments

The transform parameters  $\hat{a}$  and  $\hat{b}$  can also be evaluated from the first and second moment. The first moment  $M_1$  is the mean, and it is defined as

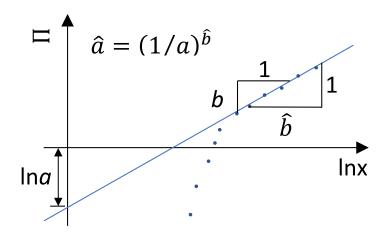


Figure 2.17: Graphical illustration of the values of a and b

$$M_{1} = \bar{x}$$

$$= \int_{0}^{\infty} x f(x) dx$$

$$= \hat{a} \int_{0}^{\infty} \Psi^{\hat{b}} e^{-\Psi} d\Psi$$

$$= \hat{a} \Gamma(1 + \hat{b})$$
(2.63)

where  $\Gamma$  is the gamma function and  $\Gamma(\hat{b}) = \int_0^\infty \Psi^{\hat{b}-1} e^{-\Psi} d\Psi$ . The second moment  $M_2$  is the mean of  $x^2$ ,

$$M_{2} = \overline{x^{2}} = \int_{0}^{\infty} x^{2} f(x) dx$$
  
$$= \int_{0}^{\infty} (\hat{a}\Psi^{\hat{b}})^{2} f(\Psi) d\Psi$$
  
$$= \hat{a}^{2} \int_{0}^{\infty} \Psi^{2\hat{b}} e^{-\Psi} d\Psi$$
  
$$= \hat{a}^{2} \Gamma (1 + 2\hat{b})$$
  
(2.64)

By dividing Eq. (2.64) by the square of Eq. (2.63), one gets

$$\frac{\Gamma(1+2\hat{b})}{\left[\Gamma\left(1+\hat{b}\right)\right]^2} = \frac{\overline{x^2}}{\overline{x}^2}$$
(2.65)

The values of  $\overline{x^2}$  and  $\overline{x}^2$  are calculated from the sample, and the value of  $\hat{b}$  can be evaluated from the above equation. The value of  $\hat{a}$  can then be solved from Eq. (2.63) as

$$\hat{a} = \frac{\bar{x}}{\Gamma(1+\hat{b})} \tag{2.66}$$

#### **2.5.3** Interpretation of the Exponent Parameter $\hat{b}$

Julien (1996) tested this procedure for runoff and sediment transport. Two examples are shown for the flow discharge and sediment discharge of the Rio Grande, as shown in Figure 2.18.

## 2.6 Statistical Analysis

The degree of accuracy of a proposed method is evaluated through a statistical analysis. Four parameters are examined: (1) the root mean squared error (RMSE) (2) the Mean Absolute Percentage Error (MAPE); (3) the coefficient of determination  $R^2$ ; (4) the concordance correlation coefficient; (5) Kolmogorov-Smirnov ; and (6) 1-Wasserstein distance.

The RMSE represents the standard deviation of the differences between predicted and observed values:

$$\text{RMSE} = \sqrt{\frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n} (X_i - Y_i)^2}$$
(2.67)

where  $X_i$  = observed value, in this case is measured sediment yield,  $Y_i$  = predicted value, and n = number of samples.

The MAPE measures the size of the error relative the size of observation:

$$MAPE = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{i=1}^{n} \frac{|X_i - Y_i|}{X_i}$$
(2.68)

the MAPE shows the deviation of the prediction from the actual measurement.

The coefficient of determination, denoted  $R^2$ , is a measurement of the variation between the predicted values and observed values.

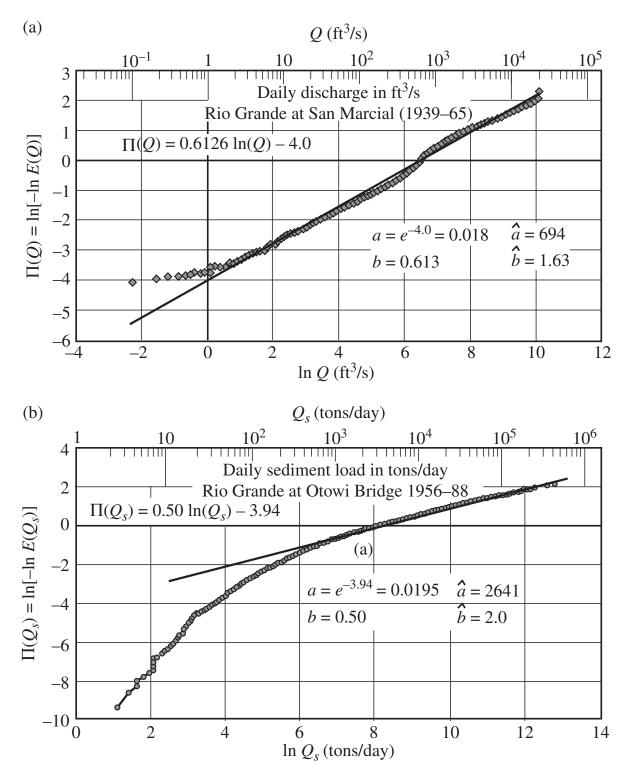


Figure 2.18: Examples of (a) flow and (b) sediment discharge duration curves from Julien (2018)

$$R^{2} = \left(\frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} (X_{i} - \bar{X})(Y_{i} - \bar{Y})}{\sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^{n} (X_{i} - \bar{X})^{2} \sum_{i=1}^{n} (Y_{i} - \bar{Y})^{2}}}\right)^{2}$$
(2.69)

where  $\bar{X}$  = the mean of observed value and  $\bar{Y}$  = the mean of predicted value. The variation between observation and prediction reduces as the value of  $R^2$  approaches 1.

The concordance correlation coefficient, denoted  $\rho_c$ , measures how closely the predicted and the observed values fall on the 45 degree line from the origin (Lin 1989):

$$\rho_c = \frac{2s_{xy}}{s_x^2 + s_y^2 + (\bar{X} - \bar{Y})^2} \tag{2.70}$$

$$s_{xy} = \frac{\sum_{1}^{n} (X_i - \bar{X})(Y_i - \bar{Y})}{n - 1}$$
(2.71)

$$s_x^2 = \frac{\sum_{1}^{n} (X_i - \bar{X})^2}{n - 1}$$
(2.72)

$$s_y^2 = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} (Y_i - \bar{Y})^2}{n-1}$$
(2.73)

The best possible value of  $\rho_c$  is 1, meaning the observation and prediction have perfect agreement.

The performance of the analytical solution of cumulative distribution functions is evaluated by the Kolmogorov-Smirnov statistic and the 1-Wasserstein distance.

Kolmogorov-Smirnov statistic quantifies the maximum distance between two curves (Figure 2.19a):

$$D = \max |F(x) - G(x)|$$
 (2.74)

where F(x) is the cumulative curve of discharge or sediment and G(x) is the theoretical cumulative distribution curve.

The 1-Wasserstein distance measures the area between two curves (Figure 2.19b) and is defined as:

$$W = \int_{x = -\infty}^{\infty} |F(x) - G(x)| \, \mathrm{d}x$$
 (2.75)

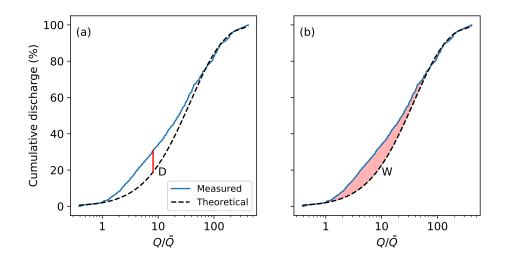


Figure 2.19: Graphical illustrations of (a) the Kolmogorov-Smirnow distance, and (b) the 1-Wassertein distance

# **Chapter 3**

# Sediment Yield in South Korea

We performed the research project "Multivariate Regression Analysis and Model Development for the Estimation of Sediment Yield from Ungauged Watershed in the Republic of Korea", sponsored by K-water, during May, 2016 to February, 2017 (Julien et al. 2017). Flow and sediment measurements along with watershed attributes were provided to study the mean annual sediment yield. This gave us the opportunity to further the studies on the sediment regimes in South Korea. The following sections detail the study site and the given data.

## 3.1 Study Site

South Korea is located in East Asia, on the southern half of the Korean Peninsula. The population is 57.5 millions (The World Bank 2017). The topography of Korea Peninsula features on ridge hill masses and wide flat valley plains (Yoon and Woo 2000). The studied watersheds includes the five Korean rivers, Han River, Nakdong River, Geum River, Yeongsan River, and Seomjin River. The location of the stations are presented in Figure 3.1. The five river basins occupy 85% of the total South Korea land area of 99,828 km<sup>2</sup>. Studied watersheds range from 128 to 20,381 km<sup>2</sup>. The attributes of the stations are present in Table 3.1. The climate is classified as humid continental and humid subtropical. The mean annual precipitation ranges from 1000 mm to 1400 mm (Figure 3.2). The rainfall is associated with the monsoons and typhoons, and about two-thirds of the rainfall occurs between June and September. A geologic map of the Korean Peninsula is provided in Figure 3.3. The geology of South Korea is relatively old and the erosion rate is low (Yoon and Woo 2000; Song et al. 2010). The land cover is classified into seven types: urban, agriculture, forest, wetland, pasture, water, and bare land. The land use percentage of each watershed is shown in Figure 3.4. The study watersheds are not highly urbanized (1.9% to 15.0%). For most of the watersheds, the land use are mainly forest (23.0% to 79.8%) or agriculture (10.3% to 48.0%). Julien et al. (2017) provides more detailed information on the watershed attributes, including drainage density, soil type, etc.

## **3.2** Previous Sediment Yield Studies in South Korea

Walling and Webb (1983) is one of the earliest studies of the sediment yield in Korean Peninsula. They analyzed the river monitoring stations and estimated the sediment yield to be 500 to 750 tons/year·km<sup>2</sup>. But Lvovich et al. (1991) suggested the range to be 1,000 - 5,000 tons/year·km<sup>2</sup>. A more recent dataset (Milliman and Farnsworth 2013) on the major rivers in Korea shows the range is between about 75 to 400 tons/year·km<sup>2</sup> (Table 3.2). Several studies used the Universal Soil Loss Equation (USLE) or Revised Universal Soil Loss Equation (RUSLE) for regional studies. The soil loss of the entire country except the surrounding islands was quantified by Park et al. (2011) using RUSLE. The average amounts of soil lost in 1985, 1995, and 2005 were 1,710, 1,740, and 2,000 tons/year·km<sup>2</sup>, respectively. From their finding, Tamjin River watershed has the highest soil erosion, 3,830 tons/year·km<sup>2</sup>. However, the largest increase of soil erosion happened in Seomjin River, from 1,360 tons/year·km<sup>2</sup> in 1985 to 1990 tons/year·km<sup>2</sup> in 2005, 46.3% of increment in 20 years. Jang et al. (2015) also conducted a national scale assessment by USLE with a finer resolution, 10 m, of digital elevation model (DEM). The average soil loss is estimated to be 3,456 tons/year·km<sup>2</sup> and up to 1,500,000 tons/year·km<sup>2</sup>. Nonetheless, quantification of sediment yield was beyond the goals of the two studies, the required information to calculate sediment yield, such as sediment delivery ratio, was not available. Kim et al. (2012) evaluated the sediment loss of mine tailing dumps at the Samgwang mine in Chungcheongnam province. Kim (2006) applied RUSLE to predict the soil loss of Imha watershed which is located at the upstream of Nakdong River. The mean annual gross soil erosion is predicted to be 3,450 tons/year·km<sup>2</sup>. The erosion by a typhoon event, Maemi typhoon, is also computed. The soil loss by Maemi typhoon account for 39% of the annual erosion. Some calculated the soil erosion by USLE/RUSLE but estimated the sediment yield from field measurements. Lee and Choi (2010) compared the sediment deposit in Bosung reservoir and compared it to the results of USLE to study the scale effect of (DEM). Lee and Lee

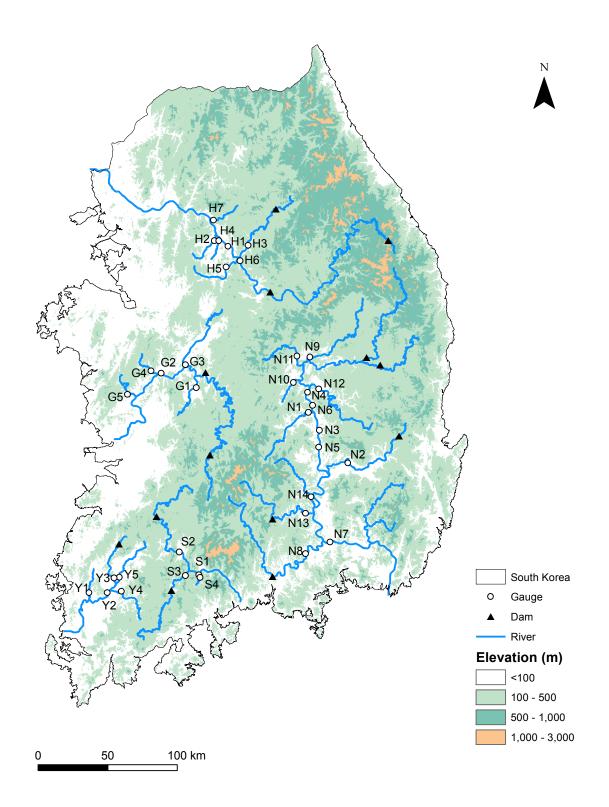


Figure 3.1: Study gages and watersheds (Elevation data: ASTER Global DEM)

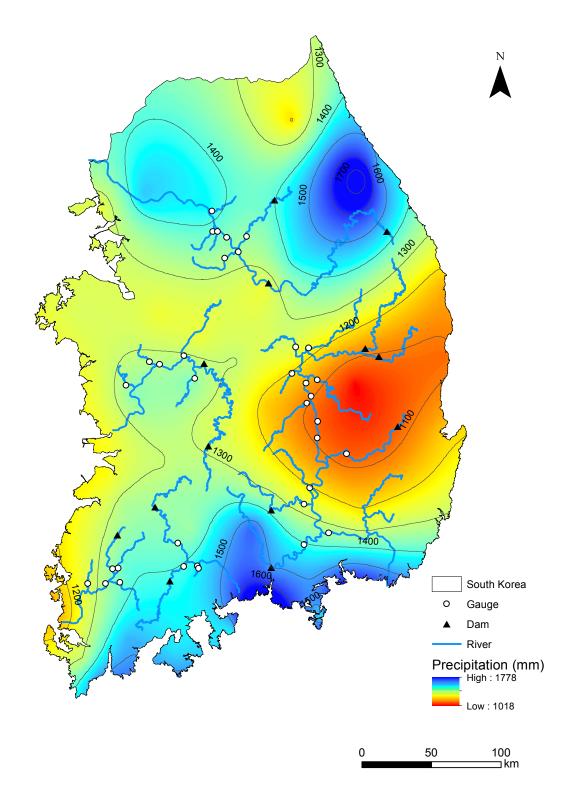


Figure 3.2: Annual precipitation of South Korea (data source: Korea Meteorological Administration)

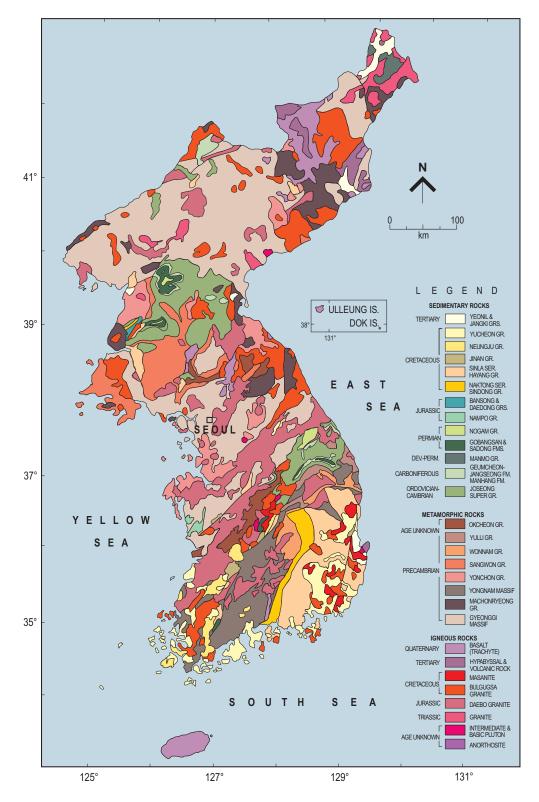


Figure 3.3: Geologic map of the Korean Peninsula (figure source: Chough (2013)

| Station    | Area<br>(km <sup>2</sup> ) | Avg.<br>Slope<br>(%) | Channel<br>Width<br>(m) | Outlet<br>Elevation<br>(m) | Mean<br>annual<br>precipita-<br>tion<br>(mm) | Relief<br>(m) | Main<br>Channel<br>Length<br>(km) | Relief<br>Ratio<br>(m/m) |
|------------|----------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------|--|---------------|-----------------------------------|--------------------------|
| H1         | 11,074                     | 44.4                 | 475                     | 35                         | 1,409  | 1,534         | 340                               | 0.013                    |
| H2         | 283                        | 16.6                 | 258                     | 42                         | 1,370  | 554           | 31                                | 0.023                    |
| H3         | 1,346                      | 43.0                 | 491                     | 53                         | 1,387  | 1,210         | 82                                | 0.022                    |
| H4         | 173                        | 10.0                 | 185                     | 42                         | 1,353  | 390           | 26                                | 0.016                    |
| H5         | 519                        | 20.0                 | 238                     | 57                         | 1,315  | 604           | 44                                | 0.019                    |
| H6         | 8,823                      | 46.8                 | 390                     | 42                         | 1,420  | 1,527         | 321                               | 0.013                    |
| H7         | 307                        | 42.8                 | 143                     | 23                         | 1,397  | 1,124         | 37                                | 0.037                    |
| N1         | 979                        | 36.7                 | 279                     | 36                         | 1,163  | 1,265         | 64                                | 0.024                    |
| N2         | 1,541                      | 34.1                 | 168                     | 28                         | 1,081  | 1,146         | 74                                | 0.018                    |
| N3         | 10,913                     | 37.7                 | 515                     | 30                         | 1,167  | 1,534         | 300                               | 0.011                    |
| N4         | 9,407                      | 38.6                 | 468                     | 40                         | 1,172  | 1,524         | 265                               | 0.013                    |
| N5         | 11,101                     | 37.5                 | 463                     | 17                         | 1,165  | 1,547         | 314                               | 0.011                    |
| N6         | 9,533                      | 40.3                 | 602                     | 34                         | 1,171  | 1,530         | 278                               | 0.013                    |
| N7         | 20,381                     | 35.3                 | 557                     | 3                          | 1,219  | 1,895         | 426                               | 0.009                    |
| N8         | 2,999                      | 39.4                 | 286                     | 7                          | 1,464  | 1,899         | 155                               | 0.025                    |
| N9         | 1,512                      | 34.4                 | 222                     | 62                         | 1,275  | 1,362         | 102                               | 0.022                    |
| N10        | 175                        | 28.0                 | 131                     | 52                         | 1,178  | 731           | 20                                | 0.032                    |
| N11        | 614                        | 47.1                 | 230                     | 66                         | 1,282  | 1,030         | 51                                | 0.033                    |
| N12        | 1,318                      | 36.3                 | 380                     | 43                         | 1,046  | 1,136         | 103                               | 0.022                    |
| N13        | 1,239                      | 41.3                 | 263                     | 9                          | 1,306  | 1,474         | 103                               | 0.025                    |
| N14        | 750                        | 43.0                 | 320                     | 17                         | 1,207  | 1,393         | 63                                | 0.034                    |
| G1         | 606                        | 33.3                 | 328                     | 32                         | 1,337  | 814           | 48                                | 0.026                    |
| G2         | 6,275                      | 34.4                 | 570                     | 8                          | 1,279  | 1,596         | 266                               | 0.017                    |
| G3         | 1,850                      | 24.0                 | 272                     | 15                         | 1,270  | 632           | 81                                | 0.010                    |
| G4         | 258                        | 41.6                 | 167                     | 22                         | 1,301  | 610           | 31                                | 0.027                    |
| G5         | 208                        | 34.3                 | 224                     | 11                         | 1,309  | 582           | 43                                | 0.028                    |
| Y1         | 190                        | 21.3                 | 180                     | 18                         | 1,275  | 561           | 30                                | 0.021                    |
| Y2         | 2,039                      | 27.9                 | 628                     | 9                          | 1,365  | 1,167         | 69                                | 0.021                    |
| Y3         | 668                        | 23.8                 | 330                     | 16                         | 1,372  | 1,160         | 40                                | 0.029                    |
| Y4         | 580                        | 36.7                 | 245                     | 15                         | 1,405  | 903           | 45                                | 0.030                    |
| Y5         | 552                        | 31.4                 | 356                     | 13                         | 1,321  | 789           | 55                                | 0.020                    |
| <b>S</b> 1 | 1,269                      | 37.8                 | 211                     | 41                         | 1,419  | 1,137         | 113                               | 0.018                    |
| S2         | 1,788                      | 34.9                 | 376                     | 51                         | 1,348  | 1,091         | 138                               | 0.019                    |
| <b>S</b> 3 | 3,818                      | 36.5                 | 242                     | 25                         | 1,376  | 1,329         | 165                               | 0.018                    |
| <b>S</b> 4 | 128                        | 43.7                 | 81                      | 31                         | 1,430  | 814           | 16                                | 0.057                    |

Table 3.1: Watershed attributes (data source: Ministry of Land, Infrastructure and Transport, Korea)

Relief: The different between the highest elevation in the watershed to the outlet; Relief ratio = Relief/Basin Length. Basin length = length in a straight line from the outlet of a stream to the farthest point on the drainage divide of its basin.

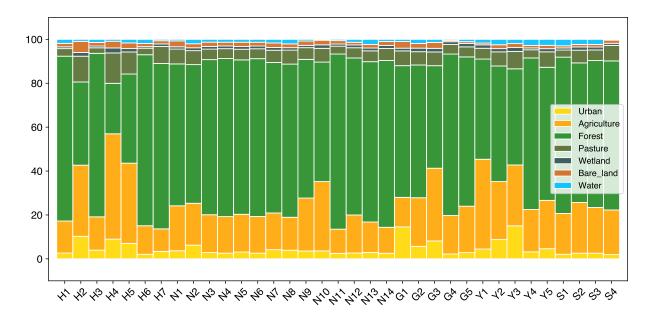


Figure 3.4: Land cover percentage of the 35 stations (source: Ministry of Land, Infrastructure and Transport, Korea)

(2010) and Lee and Kang (2013) used discharge records and sediment rating curves to calculate the sediment yields of Cheoncheon, Donghyang, Chungju, Yeaju, Whakwon, Sunsan, Kongju and Kurea watersheds. Kim (2016) simulated the daily discharge at Sangju Weir using the TANK rainfall runoff model. Based on the flow-duration/sediment rating curve method, the sediment yield of Sangju weir was estimated to be 57 tons/year·km<sup>2</sup>. Table 3.2 summarizes the sediment yield in South Korea.

| Site          | A (km <sup>2</sup> ) | Rainfall (mm) | Max Elev | Low Elev | Sediment yield<br>(tons/yr· km <sup>2</sup> ) | Method           | Refs |
|---------------|----------------------|---------------|----------|----------|---|------------------|------|
| Samgwang mine | 21                   | 1257          | 480      | 65       | 1.9 - 8.8                                     | USLE             | 1    |
| Imha          | 1361                 | 1037          | 1215     | 80       | 890   | RUSLE            | 2    |
| Donghyang     | 165                  |               | 1589     | 205      | 145   | Rating curve     | 3    |
| Cheoncheon    | 287                  |               |          |          | 71  | Rating curve     | 3    |
| Yeoju         | 11114                |               |          |          | 41  | Rating curve     | 4    |
| Waegwan       | 11104                |               |          |          | 39  | Rating curve     | 4    |
| Gongju        | 7213                 |               |          |          | 20  | Rating curve     | 4    |
| Chungju       | 6648                 |               |          |          | 208   | Rating curve     | 4    |
| Gurye 2       | 3980                 |               |          |          | 92  | Rating curve     | 4    |
| Seonsan       | 433                  |               |          |          | 171   | Rating curve     | 4    |
| Bosung        | 273                  | 1495          | 794      | 121      | 314   | Reservoir survey | 5    |
| Han           | 25000                |               |          |          | 400   |                  | 6    |
| Geum          | 9900                 |               |          |          | 222   |                  | 6    |
| Mankyong      | 1600                 |               |          |          | 400   |                  | 6    |
| Nakdong       | 24000                |               |          |          | 342   |                  | 6    |
| Sapgyo        | 1700                 |               |          |          | 76  |                  | 6    |
| Seomjin       | 4900                 |               |          |          | 408   |                  | 6    |
| Yeongsan      | 2800                 |               |          |          | 250   |                  | 6    |
| Sangju        | 7407                 |               |          |          | 57  | FDSRC            | 7    |
| Maeho         | 8.1                  |               |          |          | 293   | RUSLE            | 8    |

References: 1. Kim et al. (2012); 2. Kim (2006); 3. Lee and Lee (2010); 4. Lee and Kang (2013); 5. Lee and Choi (2010); 6. Milliman and Farnsworth (2013); 7. Kim (2016); 8. Lee and Kang (2018)

# 3.3 Available Data for this Study

#### 3.3.1 River Data in South Korea

The daily discharge includes daily average stage and daily average discharge from 2005/1/1 to 2014/12/31. Figure 3.5a presents an example of river gage at Hyangseok station in the Nakdong River. The sediment concentrations were measured by using the depth-integrating D-74, or in some cases by using the point sampling P-61A (Figure 3.5b). In addition, the grain size distribution of bed material and suspended material were provided. Bed materials were sampled by the US BM-54 bed material sampler, the 60L Van Veen Grab sampler or by grid sampling. Suspended material grain sizes were determined by laser diffraction. The depth-integrating samples were used in this study. The lengths of record are summarized in Figure 3.6.



(a) Hyangseok station (N9)



**(b)** Suspended load sample collection (P-61 sampler)

Figure 3.5: Example of gaging station and sediment sample collection (source: Kim (2016))

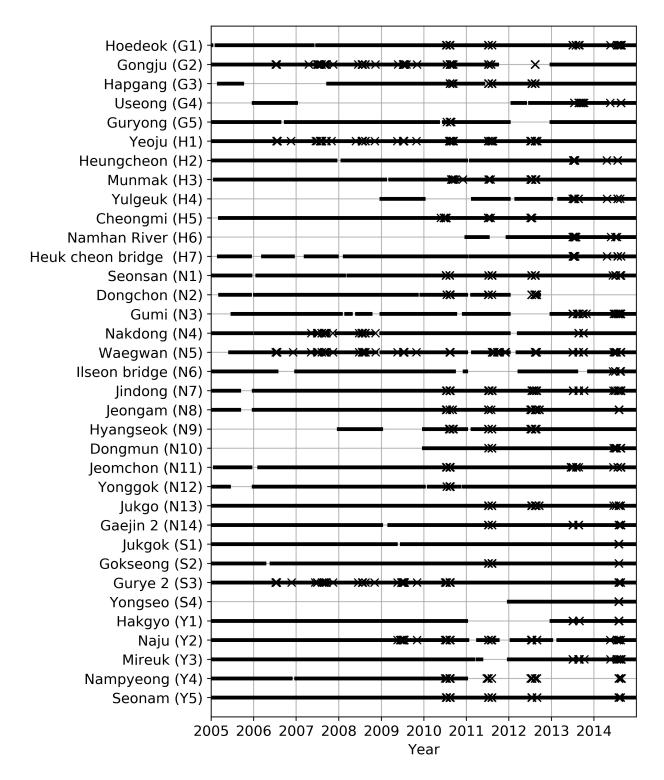


Figure 3.6: Available average daily discharges (line) and sediment surveys ( $\times$ ) (data source: K-water)

# **Chapter 4**

# The Ratio of Measured to Total Sediment Load

The Series Expansion of the Modified Einstein Procedure (SEMEP) the latest developments of the Modified Einstein Procedure. It is used to compare with the results of total sediment discharge calculations by the Modified Einstein Procedure with the measurements from South Korea. Addressed next is the question of how to determine the ratio of measured to total sediment discharge and the ratio of suspended to total sediment discharge. These ratios depend on flow conditions and sediment particle-size distribution. A calculation example and comprehensive comparison of SEMEP and MEP is provided in Section 4.1, followed by the theoretical approach to calculate the ratio of measured to total sediment discharge (Section 4.2) and the ratio of suspended to total sediment discharge (Section 4.3).

### 4.1 MEP vs SEMEP

Total sediment load is provided by K-water with the suspended load measurements. The provided total sediment load is calculated a version of MEP that is similar to the BORAMEP. I developed a SEMEP program in Python for this study by following the procedure detailed in Shah-Fairbank (2009) (Figure 2.12). The only difference is that the Einstein Integrals in the original SEMEP program by Shah-Fairbank (2009) are calculated by using the series-based scheme by Guo and Julien. In this study, I use the scipy.integrate.quad method in Python. A review for different algorithms for the Einstein Integrals is available (Zamani et al. 2017). The detailed procedures of BORMEP and SEMEP can be found in Section 2.2.4 and 2.2.5. A comparison of the total sediment loads by the MEP and the SEMEP is present in the following subsections.

The following demonstrates a single sample that is calculated using both the MEP and the SEMEP. Table 4.1 provides the flow condition and channel geometry, and Table 4.2 provides the grain size distributions for suspended and bed materials.

| Site: H1<br>Measurement date: 2012/07/06 |                               |                                 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|--|-------------------------------|---------------------------------|--|--|--|--|--|--|
| Discharge (Q)                            | $= 2337 \text{ m}^3/\text{s}$ | $= 82525 \text{ ft}^3/\text{s}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mean velocity $(V)$                      | $1.8 \mathrm{m/s}$            | 5.8 ft/s                        |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mean water depth $(h)$                   | 5.0 m                         | 16.2 ft                         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Channel width $(W)$                      | 265 m                         | 868 m                           |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Water temperature $(T)$                  | 20.6 °C                       | 69.1 °F                         |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Cross section area $(A)$                 | $1310 \mathrm{m}^2$           | $14099 \ {\rm ft}^2$            |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Nozzle height $(d_n)$                    | $10 \mathrm{cm}$              | 0.3 ft                          |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Water surface slope $(S_f)$              | 0.000538                      |                                 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Suspended sediment                       | 594.6 mg/l                    |                                 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| concentration $(C_m)$                    | C                             |                                 |  |  |  |  |  |  |

Table 4.1: Hydraulic data and properties for sample data

| Size fraction<br>(mm) | Geometric<br>(mm) | $\begin{array}{c} \text{mean } D_i \\ \text{(ft)} \end{array}$ | <i>i</i> s<br>(%) | <i>i</i> <sub>B</sub><br>(%) | Fall velocity<br>(ft/s) |
|-----------------------|-------------------|--|-------------------|------------------------------|-------------------------|
| 0.001 - 0.062         | 0.0079            | 0.000026   | 94.8              | 1.1                          | 0.00018                 |
| 0.062 - 0.125         | 0.0884            | 0.00029  | 4.7               | 0.5                          | 0.02180                 |
| 0.125 - 0.25          | 0.1768            | 0.00058  | 0.3               | 3.7                          | 0.0671                  |
| 0.25 - 0.5            | 0.3536            | 0.00116  | 0.2               | 4.5                          | 0.154                   |
| 0.5 - 1               | 0.7071            | 0.00232  | 0                 | 34.6                         | 0.259                   |
| 1.0 - 2.0             | 1.4142            | 0.00464  | 0                 | 19.1                         | 0.391                   |
| 2.0 - 4.0             | 2.8284            | 0.00928  | 0                 | 11.2                         | 0.565                   |
| 4 - 8                 | 5.6569            | 0.01855  | 0                 | 9.2                          | 0.805                   |
| 8 - 16                | 11.3137           | 0.03711  | 0                 | 16.0                         | 1.14                    |
| 16 - 32               | 22.6274           | 0.07422  | 0                 | 0                            | 1.62                    |

 $d_{65}$  = 2.24 mm;  $d_{50}$  = 1.24 mm

 $d_{35} = 0.87$  mm;  $d_{50ss} = 0.0222$  mm

# 4.1.1 MEP Computation Example

For the sample in Table 4.1 and Table 4.2, by following the steps in Section 2.2.4, the calculation of the total sediment load by MEP is summarized below:

1. 
$$Q_m = 2.446 \times 10^{-3} C_{mg/l} Q = 2.446 \times 10^{-3} \times 594.6 \times 82524.7 \frac{\text{ft}^3}{\text{s}} = 120,023 \text{ tons/day.}$$
  
2.  $x = 0.989$  is solved by trial and error.  $\sqrt{RS_f} = \frac{V}{5.75\sqrt{g} \log\left[12.27\frac{h}{k_s}x\right]} = 0.0404 \,(\text{ft})^{1/2}$ 

3. 
$$P = 2.303 \log \left[ 30.2 \frac{hx}{k_s} \right] = 2.303 \log \left[ 30.2 \frac{16.24 \text{ ft} \times 0.989}{2.24 \text{ mm} \times 0.00328 \frac{\text{ft}}{\text{mm}}} \right] = 11.1.$$

4. The fraction of the flow depth not sampled  $A = \frac{d_n}{h} = \frac{0.3 \text{ ft}}{16.24 \text{ ft}} = 0.018.$ 

- For A = 0.018 and P = 11.1, %<sub>sampled</sub> = 99.4% by using Eq. (2.24). The suspended load of each size fraction is shown in Table 4.4.
- 6. The bedload for each size fraction is calculated in Table 4.3.
- 7. Although Holmquist-Johnson et al. (2009) suggested that the size range less than 0.0625 mm should not be used, the suspended materials in South Korea are often silt and the size range less than 0.0625 mm are still used here. By trial and error, Ro are determined to be 0.863 for size class 0.125 mm to 0.25 mm, and 1.086 for size class 0.25 mm to 0.5 mm, respectively. Figure 4.1 is the plot of the two suspended load points indicating the power function regression  $Ro = a\omega^b$  and the resulting Ro that were calculated using the regression equation; where a = 1.874 and b = 0.291. The regressed Ro are shown in the fourth column in Table 4.4.

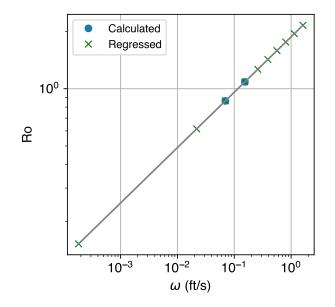


Figure 4.1: Ro regression analysis

8. Compute the total sediment load. The total sediment for a size fraction is calculated as

$$i_T Q_T = Q_{si}' \frac{(PJ_1 + J_2)}{(PJ'_1 + J'_2)}$$
 for fine sediment;  
 $i_T Q_T = i_B Q_B (PI_1 + I_2 + 1)$  for coarse sediment

The suspended load was calculated for size class smaller than 0.25 mm (the first three rows of Table 4.4). The suspended load was calculated to be 120,738 tons/day. The bedload was calculated for the larger size classes. The bedload was calculated to be 13,364 tons/day. The total load computed was 134,102 tons/day.

| $D_i$ (mm) | $i_B$ | $\psi$ | $\phi_*$ | $i_B q_B$ | $i_B Q_B$ |
|------------|-------|--------|----------|-----------|-----------|
| 0.0079     | 1.1   | 2.869  | 1.901    | 0.0000016 | 0.062     |
| 0.0884     | 0.5   | 2.869  | 1.901    | 0.000028  | 1.06      |
| 0.1768     | 3.7   | 2.869  | 1.901    | 0.000585  | 22.09     |
| 0.3536     | 4.5   | 2.869  | 1.901    | 0.00201   | 76.00     |
| 0.7071     | 34.6  | 2.869  | 1.901    | 0.0441    | 1,652.74  |
| 1.4142     | 19.1  | 2.869  | 1.901    | 0.0688    | 2,580.51  |
| 2.8284     | 11.2  | 3.731  | 1.901    | 0.0718    | 2,691.78  |
| 5.6569     | 9.2   | 7.463  | 0.223    | 0.0311    | 1,166.07  |
| 11.3137    | 16    | 14.926 | 0.017    | 0.0116    | 436.87    |
| 22.6274    | 0     | 0      | 0        | 0         | 0         |

Table 4.3: Unit bedload of each size fraction

| $i_s$ | $Q_s{}'$ | Е         | Ro   | $J_1'$ | $-J_2'$ | $J_1$ | $-J_2$ | $\tfrac{PJ_1+J_2}{PJ_1'+J_2'}$ | $I_1$ | $-I_2$ | $PI_1 + I_2 + 1$ | $i_T Q_T$ |
|-------|----------|-----------|------|--------|---------|-------|--------|--------------------------------|-------|--------|------------------|-----------|
| 94.8  | 113,145  | 0.0000032 | 0.01 | 0.98   | 0.915   | 1     | 1      | 1.01                           | 1436  |        |                  | 114462    |
| 4.7   | 5,610    | 0.0000357 | 0.27 | 1.05   | 1.356   | 1     | 2      | 1.04                           | 162   |        |                  | 5835      |
| 0.3   | 358      | 0.000071  | 0.67 | 1.64   | 3.097   | 2.325 | 7      | 1.23                           | 9     |        |                  | 441       |
| 0.2   | 239      | 0.000143  | 1.26 |        |         |       |        |                                | 1     | 4.40   | 4.45             | 338       |
| 0     | 0        | 0.000286  | 1.9  |        |         |       |        |                                | 0.23  | 1.83   | 1.94             | 3205      |
| 0     | 0        | 0.000571  | 2.7  |        |         |       |        |                                | 0.13  | 1.07   | 1.55             | 4000      |
| 0     | 0        | 0.001143  | 4    |        |         |       |        |                                | 0.08  | 0.71   | 1.40             | 3756      |
| 0     | 0        | 0.002285  | 5    |        |         |       |        |                                | 0.06  | 0.50   | 1.30             | 1521      |
| 0     | 0        | 0.004570  | 6    |        |         |       |        |                                | 0.04  | 0.36   | 1.24             | 542       |
| 0     | 0        | 0.009140  | 8    |        |         |       |        |                                | 0.03  | 0.26   | 0.00             | 0         |
| 100   |          |           |      |        |         |       |        |                                |       |        |                  | 134102    |

 Table 4.4: Total sediment discharge computation by MEP

#### 4.1.2 SEMEP Computation Example

The computation of SEMEP is summarized in Table 4.5. See the following for explanation of symbols in Table 4.5, row by row:

| Variable         | Value                  | Unit                           |
|------------------|------------------------|--------------------------------|
| $\overline{q_m}$ | 5.25                   | m <sup>2</sup> /s              |
| $\overline{T}$   | 20.6                   | $^{\circ}\mathrm{C}$           |
| ν                | $1.004 \times 10^{-6}$ | <sup>3</sup> m <sup>2</sup> /s |
| $d_*$            | 0.56                   | -                              |
| ω                | 0.000442               | m/s                            |
| $u_*$            | 0.1617                 | m/s                            |
| Ro               | 0.00683                | -                              |
| $u_*/\omega$     | 366                    | -                              |
| E                | 0.000501               | -                              |
| A                | 0.0202                 | -                              |
| $J'_1$           | 0.98                   | -                              |
| $J'_2$           | -0.91                  | -                              |
| $I_1$            | 409.15                 | -                              |
| $I_2$            | -412.12                | -                              |
| $q_b$            | 0.001288               | kg/ms                          |
| $q_t$            | 5.32                   | kg/ms                          |
| $Q_t$            | 121,624                | tons/day                       |

 Table 4.5: Total sediment discharge computation

1. Unit measured sediment discharge  $q_m \ (m^2/s)$  :

$$q_m = C_m \times Q/W$$
  
=  $\frac{594.6 \times 2336.84 \,\mathrm{m}^3/\mathrm{s}}{264.53m} = 5.25 \,\mathrm{m}^2/\mathrm{s}$ 

2. An empirical equation of kinematic viscosity of water  $\nu$  is used (García 2008):

$$\nu = \frac{1.79 \times 10^{-6}}{1 + 0.03368T + 0.00021T^2} \text{ (m}^2\text{/s)}$$

$$= \frac{1.79 \times 10^{-6}}{1 + 0.03368(20.6) + 0.00021(20.6)^2} = 1.004 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m}^2\text{/s}$$
(4.1)

where T = temperature of water in degrees centigrade ( °C)

3. Dimensionless particle diameter  $d_*$ 

$$d_* = d_{50} \left(\frac{(G-1)g}{\nu^2}\right)^{1/3}$$

$$= \frac{0.0222 \text{ mm}}{1000 \text{ m/mm}} \left(\frac{(2.65-1) \times 9.81}{(1.004 \times 10^{-6})^2}\right) = 0.56$$
(4.2)

4. Fall velocity  $\omega$  (m/s):

$$\omega = \frac{8\nu}{d_s} \left( (1 + 0.0139d_*^3)^{0.5} - 1 \right)$$

$$= \frac{8 \times 1.004 \times 10^{-6}}{0.0222 \times 10^{-3} \text{ m}} \left( (1 + 0.0139 \times 0.56^3)^{0.5} - 1 \right)$$

$$= 0.000441 \text{ m/s}$$
(4.3)

- 5. Shear velocity  $u_* = \sqrt{gRS} \approx \sqrt{ghS} = \sqrt{9.81 \times 4.95 \times 0.000538} = 0.1617$  m/s
- 6. Rouse number Ro:

$$Ro = \frac{\omega}{\beta_s \kappa u_*}$$
(4.4)  
=  $\frac{0.000442}{1 \times 0.4 \times 0.1617} = 0.00683$ 

where  $\kappa$  is the von Kármán constant = 0.4;  $\beta_s$  is the momentum correction factor for the sediment and is assumed as 1.

- 7.  $u_*/\omega = 2.5/\text{Ro} = 2.5/0.00683 = 366$
- 8.  $E = 2d_s/h = 2 \times 1.24/1000/4.95 = 0.000501$
- 9.  $A = d_n/h = 10/100/4.95 = 0.0202$
- 10.  $J'_1$ , given by Eq. (2.36).

- 11.  $J'_2$ , given by Eq. (2.37).
- 12.  $I_1$ , given by Eq. (2.13).
- 13.  $I_2$ , given by Eq. (2.14).
- 14. Unit bedload discharge  $q_b$  (kg/ms) using Eq. (2.35).
- 15. Unit total sediment discharge  $q_t$  (kg/ms):

$$q_t = q_b \left[ 1 + I_1 \ln \frac{30h}{d_s} + I_2 \right]$$
(4.5)

16. Total sediment discharge  $Q_t$  (tons/day):

$$Q_t = q_t W \times 86.4 = 121,624 \text{ tons/day}$$
(4.6)

The total sediment load computed in SEMEP was 121,624 tons/day which is comparable to the computation in MEP, 134,102 tons/day (Table 4.6).

| Unit (tons/day) | MEP     | SEMEP   |
|-----------------|---------|---------|
| Measured load   | 120,052 | 120,052 |
| Suspended load  | 120,738 | 121,595 |
| Bedload         | 13,364  | 29      |
| Total load      | 134,102 | 121,624 |

Table 4.6: Summary of MEP and SEMEP results

#### 4.1.3 All Korean Data

This study calculated the total sediment load from the suspended load measurements for a total of 2036 records for 35 stations. MEP and SEMEP are used and compared.

I first compared the total sediment discharge  $Q_t$  calculation by MEP and SEMEP. The total sediment load of 1,962 out of 2,036 suspended load samples was calculated by SEMEP. Using MEP, 1808 samples were calculated.

Figure 4.2 presents the ratio  $Q_m/Q_t$  for all samples computed by MEP and SEMEP. The measured sediment discharge  $Q_m$  is calculated as the product of discharge Q and measured concentration C in both cases. In Figure 4.2a, the predicted total sediment load is compared to the measured load. The predictions from SEMEP are close to measured, while the predictions from MEP tend to be slightly higher on average, with scatter larger than 2 orders of magnitude. Figure 4.2b shows that the values of  $u_*/\omega$  range from 15 to 1853. The  $Q_m/Q_t$  of MEP range from  $8 \times 10^{-8}$  to 26. The  $Q_m/Q_t$  of SEMEP range from 0.5 to 0.995. According to Julien (2010), the primary mode of transport should be suspended load when  $u_*/\omega > 5$ . Therefore,  $Q_m/Q_t$  is expected to be close to 1. This is true for sand-bed rivers, but deviations are noticeable for cobble and gravel-bed streams. Also  $Q_m/Q_t$  should always be lower than 1 because the total load cannot be less than measured load. The results of MEP do not always satisfy this requirement. A total of 29 samples out of 1,808 resulted in  $Q_m > Q_t$  when using the MEP. It is physically impossible for the total load to be smaller than the measured load. Additionally, in the case of  $Q_m/Q_t = 8 \times 10^{-8}$ , where  $Q_m = 400$ tons/day and  $Q_t = 9 \times 10^9$  tons/day, such high sediment load in the unmeasured zone is also very unlikely. Other known issues with MEP are reported by Shah-Fairbank (2009). For instance, MEP requires at least two overlapping bins between suspended material and bed material to determine Ro. In addition, Ro for the remaining bins are determined by regression analysis when overlapping bins exist, and sometimes a negative Ro exponent can be generated, which erroneously implies that the sediment concentration increases towards the free surface. Therefore, SEMEP is considered more accurate and is used for the rest of analysis.

# **4.2** Ratio of Measured to Total Load $Q_m/Q_t$

In Fig. 4.3, I investigated the relationships between the ratio of the measured to total sediment discharge  $Q_m/Q_t$  and (a)  $u_*/\omega$ , (b) concentration C, (c) discharge Q, and (d) normalized discharge

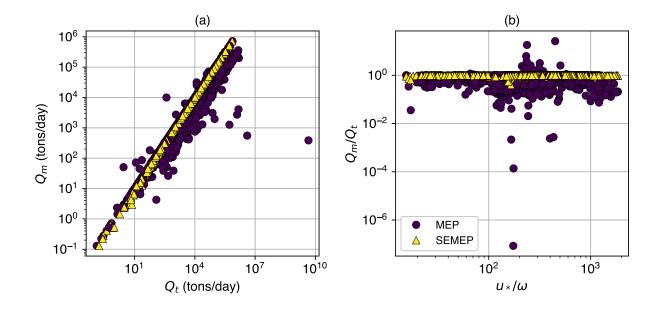


Figure 4.2: MEP and SEMEP comparison: (a) calculated total sediment discharge vs measured load, (b)  $Q_s/Q_t$  vs  $u_*/\omega$ 

 $Q/\bar{Q}$ . In Fig. 4.3a, b, c, and d, the difference among various bed materials are subtle. Overall, the measurement contains over 80% of the sediment load (1,936 out of 1,962 samples). In Fig. 4.3d, it can be seen that more than 80% of the sediment load is measured when  $Q/\bar{Q} > 10$ .

According to the SEMEP, the ratio of measured to total sediment discharge can be shown as:

$$\frac{q_m}{q_t} = \frac{0.216q_b \frac{E^{\text{Ro}-1}}{(1-E)^{\text{Ro}}} \left\{ \ln\left(\frac{30h}{d_s}\right) J_1' + J_2' \right\}}{q_b + 0.216q_b \frac{E^{\text{Ro}-1}}{(1-E)^{\text{Ro}}} \left\{ \ln\left(\frac{30h}{d_s}\right) J_1 + J_2 \right\}} = \frac{0.216 \frac{E^{\text{Ro}-1}}{(1-E)^{\text{Ro}}} \left\{ \ln\left(\frac{30h}{d_s}\right) J_1' + J_2' \right\}}{1 + 0.216 \frac{E^{\text{Ro}-1}}{(1-E)^{\text{Ro}}} \left\{ \ln\left(\frac{30h}{d_s}\right) J_1 + J_2 \right\}} \tag{4.7}$$

As can be seen from the above equation,  $q_m/q_t$  is a function of Ro,  $h/d_s$ , and  $A = d_n/h$ . But since  $d_n$  is fixed with the same sampler,  $q_m/q_t$  becomes a function of Ro, h, and  $d_s$ .

$$q_m/q_t = f'(\mathbf{Ro}, h, d_s) \tag{4.8}$$

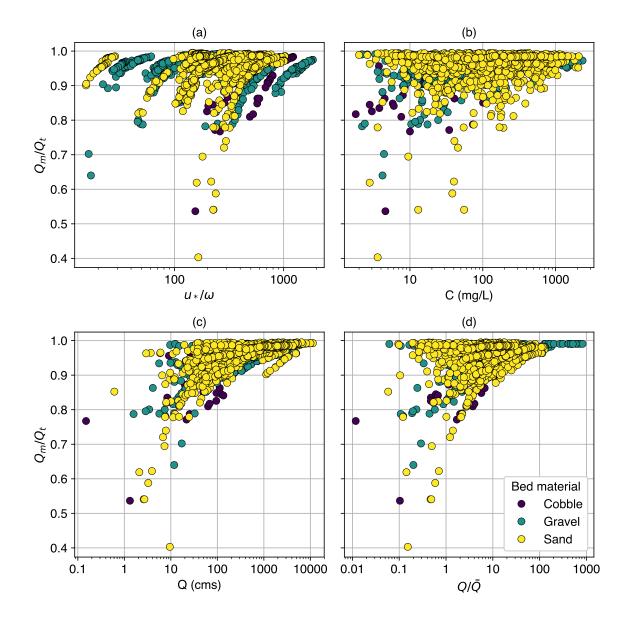
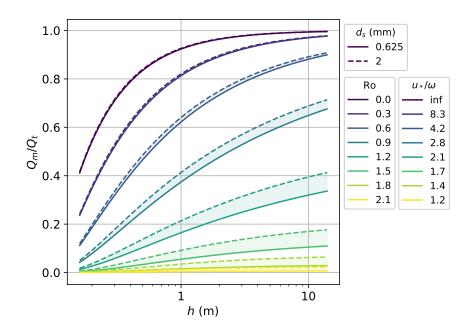


Figure 4.3: Relationships between  $Q_m/Q_t$  and (a)  $u_*/\omega$ , (b) concentration C, (c) discharge Q, and (d)  $Q/\bar{Q}$ 

Fig. 4.4 plots values of the ratio  $Q_m/Q_t$  by varying the value of water depth as a function of  $d_s$ . The flow depth h is varied from 0.15 to 15 m. The ratio  $Q_m/Q_t$  increases with flow depth h, but decreases when Ro increases (or when  $u_*/\omega$  decreases). When Ro is close to 0,  $d_s$ becomes insignificant to  $Q_m/Q_t$ , and the measured sediment discharge is more than 90% of the total sediment discharge when depth h > 1 meter. When Ro > 2 (or  $u_*/\omega < 1.2$ ), measured load is negligible. It indicates most of the sediment is transported below the nozzle.



**Figure 4.4:** Theoretical solution of  $Q_m/Q_t$  as a function of h, Ro for sands for SEMEP

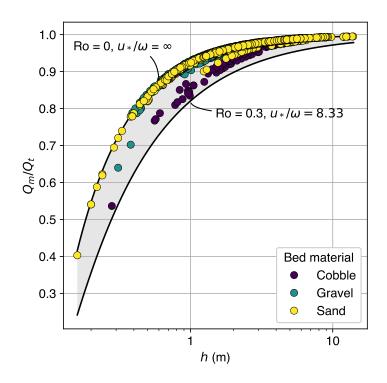


Figure 4.5: All Korean measurements (1,962 points) with the theoretical solution of  $Q_m/Q_t$  with Ro = 0 and Ro = 0.3 for  $d_s = 2$  mm

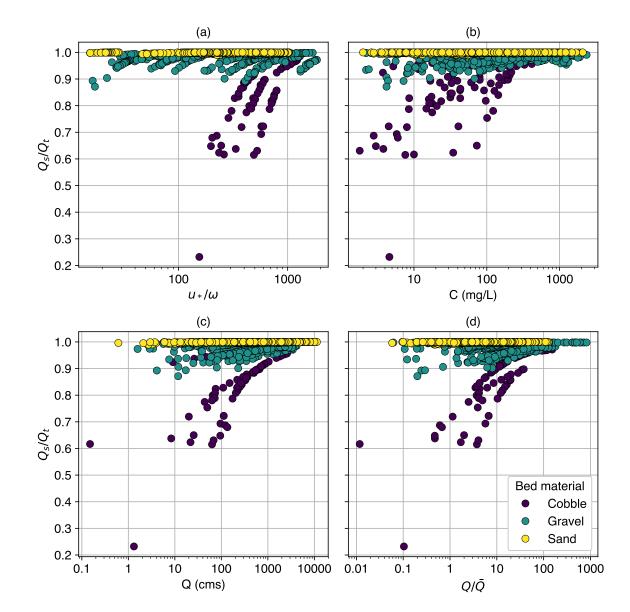
Figure 4.5 plots the ratio  $Q_m/Q_t$  for all the Korean samples with the theoretical solution as a function of flow depth. The values of Ro of the Korean samples range from 0.001 to 0.16 (  $15 < u_*/\omega < 1853$ ). The low Ro is because the median grain size of the sediment in suspension is silt at all 35 stations (average  $d_{50ss} = 0.023$  mm). When Ro and  $d_s$  are small and the nozzle height is fixed,  $Q_m/Q_t$  becomes only a function of water depth h, and the ratio  $Q_m/Q_t$  increases with the flow depth h. Figure 4.5 shows that 90% of the total sediment load is measured when h > 1 m in sand and gravel bed rivers.

# **4.3** Ratio of Suspended to Total Load $Q_s/Q_t$

Similar to Figure 4.3 I investigated the relation of ratio  $Q_s/Q_t$  to (a)  $u_*/\omega$ , (b) sediment concentration C, (c) flow discharge Q, and (d) the ratio of flow discharge to mean annual discharge  $Q/\bar{Q}$  (Figure 4.6). Because the median grain sizes of suspended material are silt at all the stations, the values  $u_*/\omega$  are generally high.  $Q_s/Q_t$  is close to 1 and averages 0.99 in sand bed rivers (Figure 4.6a). For gravel bed and cobble bed rivers,  $Q_s/Q_t$  increases as Q, C, or  $Q/\bar{Q}$  increases (Figure 4.6b, Figure 4.6c, and Figure 4.6d). The same trend was also observed in Turowski et al. (2010). Furthermore,  $Q_s/Q_t$  reduces when the grain size is greater for a given discharge,  $u_*/\omega$ , or concentration. For gravel bed rivers,  $Q_s/Q_t$  varies from 0.871 to 0.999; for cobble bed rivers,  $Q_s/Q_t$  ranges from 0.232 to 0.971. Figure 4.6d shows that during high flows ( $Q/\bar{Q} > 1$ ), over 90% of the sediment is transported in suspension for gravel bed and sand bed rivers. This analysis clearly indicates that the predominant mode of sediment transport in Korean rivers is in suspension.

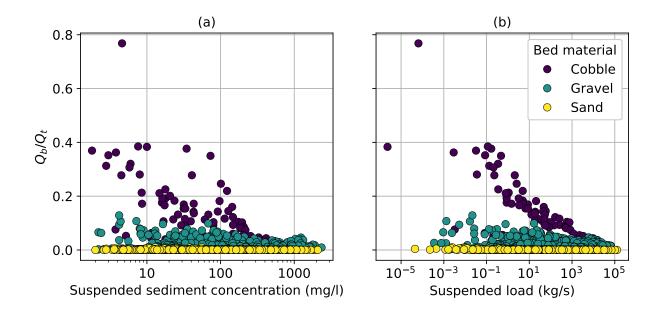
Figure 4.7 shows the ratio of  $Q_b/Q_t$  as functions of suspended sediment concentration and suspended load to provide a comparison to Figure 2.7. The commons is that the ratio transported as bedload decreases both with increasing sediment concentration and load. In addition, the ratio becomes similar when the sediment discharge is high ( $Q_s > 100$  kg/s).

The total sediment load  $Q_t$  is obtained by multiplying the unit sediment discharge  $q_t$  by the channel width W. The measured and suspended sediment discharge are obtained in similar fashion. Therefore, the ratio  $Q_s/Q_t = q_s/q_t$ . Since the unit total sediment discharge  $q_t = q_b + q_s$ , the ratio



of suspended to total sediment discharge can be derived as follows:

Figure 4.6: Relationships between  $Q_s/Q_t$  and (a)  $u_*/\omega$ , (b) concentration C, (c) discharge Q, and (d)  $Q/\bar{Q}$ 



**Figure 4.7:** The ratio of bedload to total sediment load plotted as a function of: (a) suspended sediment concentration; and (b) suspended sediment transport rate

$$\frac{q_s}{q_t} = \frac{q_s}{q_b + q_s} = \frac{0.216q_b \frac{E^{\text{Ro}-1}}{(1-E)^{\text{Ro}}} \left\{ \ln\left(\frac{30h}{d_s}\right) J_1 + J_2 \right\}}{q_b + 0.216q_b \frac{E^{\text{Ro}-1}}{(1-E)^{\text{Ro}}} \left\{ \ln\left(\frac{30h}{d_s}\right) J_1 + J_2 \right\}} = \frac{0.216 \frac{E^{\text{Ro}-1}}{(1-E)^{\text{Ro}}} \left\{ \ln\left(\frac{30h}{d_s}\right) J_1 + J_2 \right\}}{1 + 0.216 \frac{E^{\text{Ro}-1}}{(1-E)^{\text{Ro}}} \left\{ \ln\left(\frac{30h}{d_s}\right) J_1 + J_2 \right\}}$$
(4.9)

It is interesting to observe that the ratio of suspended to total load  $q_s/q_t$  only changes with two variables now, e.g.  $h/d_s$  and Ro:

$$q_s/q_t = f(h/d_s, \mathbf{Ro}) \tag{4.10}$$

As Eq. (4.9) shown that the ratio of suspended to total sediment discharge  $Q_s/Q_t$  is only a function of  $h/d_s$  and Ro. The analytical solution of Eq. (4.9) is plotted in Fig. 4.8. Fig. 4.8 shows the ratio  $Q_s/Q_t$  at constant values of Ro while varying the value of  $h/d_s$ . The ratio of  $Q_s/Q_t$  increases when the values of Ro decrease.

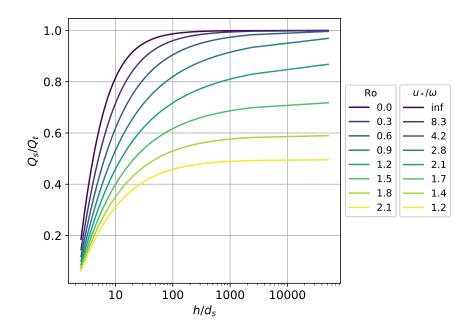


Figure 4.8: Theoretical solution of  $Q_s/Q_t$  as a function of  $h/d_s$  and Ro for SEMEP

Fig. 4.9 plots the analytical solution of  $Q_s/Q_t$  with the measurements. Due to the materials in suspension being fine, the values of Ro are small (Ro < 0.16) and therefore the change of Ro only results in little change in  $Q_s/Q_t$ . All of the measurements in South Korea are within the theoretical solution Ro = 0 and Ro = 0.3. The suspended load is more the 80% of the total sediment load when  $h/d_s > 18$ .

# 4.4 Discussion and Conclusion

1. SEMEP outperformed MEP in terms of stability, consistency, and accuracy. SEMEP managed to calculate bedloads from 1,962 measurements, while MEP calculated 1,808 of measurements. The original MEP method requires at least two overlapping bins between suspended materials and bed materials. Errors sometimes occurred when creating the power relationship between the Rouse number and fall velocity. Instead of overlapping bins, the Rouse number for the SEMEP is estimated by the median grain size of the bed material. With values of  $u_*/\omega$  in the range between 10 and 2,000, the results showed that the ratio between suspended load and total load calculated by MEP varied from  $10^{-7}$  to 20. In reality,

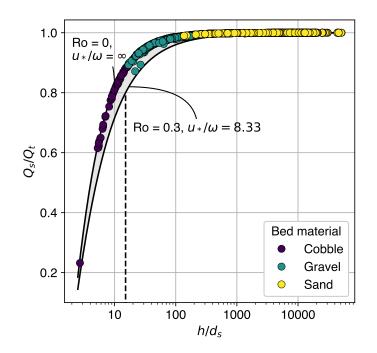


Figure 4.9: All Korean measurements (1,962 points) with the theoretical solution of  $Q_s/Q_t$  with Ro = 0 and Ro = 0.3

this ratio should never be greater than 1, which raises suspicion regarding the accuracy of the original MEP method. On the other hand, Figure 2.13 the error of the SEMEP is less than 25% when  $u_*/\omega > 5$  (Ro < 0.5). For this reason, the SEMEP calculations are considered more versatile and more accurate.

2. The ratio of measured sediment discharge is greater than 80% when  $Q/\bar{Q} > 4$ . Based on the theoretical analysis, the ratio of measured to total load is a function of flow depth, grain size and Rouse number. The ratio increases as the flow depth increases but decreases when the Rouse number increases. At the same Rouse number and same flow depth, larger bed material has a higher measured ratio. This relationship has practical applications: because of the fine suspended materials in South Korea and the corresponding low Rouse number (Ro < 0.16), the measured sediment load is more than 90% of the total sediment load when h > 1 m for sand and gravel bed rivers. 3. The results of SEMEP calculations showed the suspended load accounts for 99% of the total sediment load in sand bed rivers in South Korea. For gravel and sand bed rivers, over 90% of the sediment is in suspension when Q/Q

> 10. The theoretical analysis shows that Q<sub>s</sub>/Q<sub>t</sub> is a function of h/d<sub>s</sub> and Ro. The value of Q<sub>s</sub>/Q<sub>t</sub> increases when h/d<sub>s</sub> increases, but decreases when Ro increases. Because the values of Ro are low in the Korean rivers, the ratio Q<sub>s</sub>/Q<sub>t</sub> becomes a function of only h/d<sub>s</sub>. The suspended load is more the 80% of the total sediment load when h/d<sub>s</sub> > 18. For 2 mm sand, this corresponds to h > 3.6 cm.

# **Chapter 5**

# Sediment Yield and Watershed Area

To explore the patterns of river flow and sediment discharge, I use the river measurements in Section 3.3. Discharge and sediment measurements from 35 gaging stations are used to quantify the magnitude and frequency of the annual amounts of flow and sediment discharge across South Korea. Flow duration curves and sediment rating curves are used to define the flow-exceedance probability relationship and the flow-sediment load relationship. Using the product of flow duration curve and sediment rating curve, the mean annual sediment yield as well as the discharge-cumulative sediment yield can be calculated. The role of watershed area in river flow and sediment transport is also explored.

## 5.1 Flow-Duration/Sediment-Rating Curve Method

#### 5.1.1 Flow Duration Curve

The daily discharge from 2005 to 2014 are provided. To obtain the flow duration curve, the discharge values are sorted from the largest to the smallest. Next, I assigned each discharge value a rank (m), starting with 1 for the largest discharge value. The exceedance probability (P) can be calculated as follows:

$$P = 100[m/(N+1)]$$
(5.1)

in which P is the probability that a given flow will be equalled or exceeded (% of time), m is the ranked position on the listing, and N is the number of events for period of record.

## 5.1.2 Sediment-Rating Curve

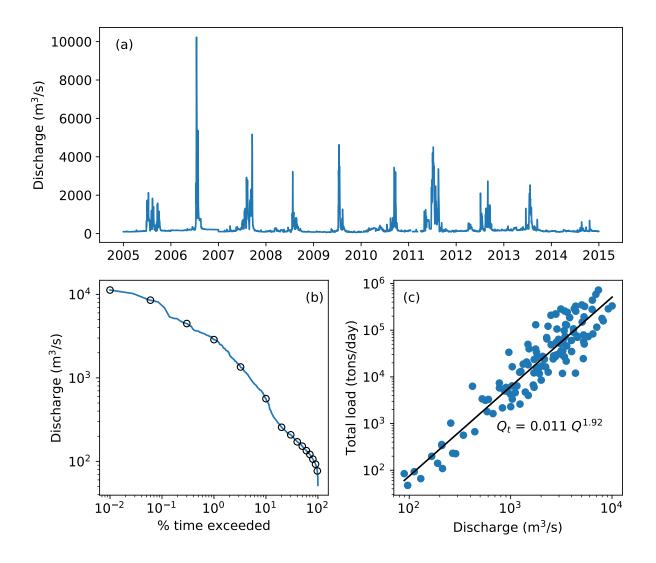
In last chapter, I calculated the total sediment discharges from the suspended load measurements by SEMEP for 1,962 records for 35 stations. The total sediment discharges are used to construct the discharge-total sediment discharge relationship for each station. There are more than 20 different methods for fitting sediment rating curves, the most commonly used sediment rating curve is a power function (Walling 1978; Asselman 2000; Lee and Lee 2010; Julien 2010):

$$Q_t = \bar{a}Q^b \tag{5.2}$$

where  $Q_t$  is the total sediment discharge in tons/day, Q is flow discharge in m<sup>3</sup>/s,  $\bar{a}$  and  $\bar{b}$  are the regression coefficients. The ordinary least squares regression is used to estimate the parameters  $\bar{a}$  and  $\bar{b}$ . As many authors have pointed out, the R<sup>2</sup> statistic overestimates the linear association between these variables because  $Q_t$  is a product of Q and suspended sediment concentration. Despite this difficulty, sediment rating curves are still commonly used in engineering and resource planning.

### 5.1.3 Flow-Duration/Sediment-Rating Curve Method

Integration of sediment rating curve and flow duration curve gives an average of sediment yield. Because the flow records are usually available over longer periods than sediment records, this method allows the expansion of a relatively small amount of sediment data to the longer period of discharge (Sheppard 1965). Table 5.1 provides an example of the use of the flow-duration-sediment-rating curve method. The flow duration curve is divided into bins as shown in column (1). Column (2) is the midpoint of each bin and column (3) is the interval of each bin. The discharge of each midpoint can be interpolated from the flow duration curve (column 4), and the sediment discharge is determined from the sediment rating curve (column 5). In this example, we have the sediment rating curve of H1 as  $Q_t = 0.011Q^{1.92}$ . Column (6) is the product of column (3) and column (3) and column (5) and the sum of it is the mean annual sediment yield in tons/day. The calculated mean discharge, sediment yield, and specific sediment yield for each station are presented in Table 5.2.



**Figure 5.1:** (a) Daily mean discharge from 2005/1/1 to 2014/12/31, (b) flow duration curve, and (c) sediment rating curve of Yeoju station (H1)

| Time intervals<br>(%)<br>(1) | Interval midpoint<br>(%)<br>(2) | Interval<br>$\Delta P$ (%)<br>(3) | Discharge<br>Q (m <sup>3</sup> /s)<br>(4) | $Q_t$<br>(tons/day)<br>(5) | $Q \times \Delta P$ (m <sup>3</sup> /s) (6) | $Q_t \times \Delta P$ (tons/day) (7) |
|------------------------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------------------|---|----------------------------|---|--------------------------------------|
| $0\sim 0.02$                 | 0.01                            | 0.02                              | 11,272                                    | 641,949                    | 2.3   | 128                                  |
| $0.02\sim 0.1$               | 0.06                            | 0.08                              | 8,529                                     | 376,168                    | 6.8   | 301                                  |
| $0.1\sim 0.5$                | 0.3                             | 0.4                               | 4,475                                     | 109,317                    | 17.9  | 437                                  |
| $0.5 \sim 1.5$               | 1                               | 1                                 | 2,871                                     | 46,705                     | 28.7  | 467                                  |
| $1.5\sim 5$                  | 3.25                            | 3.5                               | 1,352                                     | 11,020                     | 47.3  | 386                                  |
| $5 \sim 15$                  | 10                              | 10                                | 564                                       | 2,064                      | 56.4  | 206                                  |
| $15\sim 25$                  | 20                              | 10                                | 256                                       | 455                        | 25.6  | 45                                   |
| $25\sim35$                   | 30                              | 10                                | 208                                       | 305                        | 20.8  | 31                                   |
| $35 \sim 45$                 | 40                              | 10                                | 172                                       | 211                        | 17.2  | 21                                   |
| $45\sim55$                   | 50                              | 10                                | 152                                       | 168                        | 15.2  | 17                                   |
| $55\sim 65$                  | 60                              | 10                                | 134                                       | 132                        | 13.4  | 13                                   |
| $65\sim75$                   | 70                              | 10                                | 121                                       | 108                        | 12.1  | 11                                   |
| $75\sim 85$                  | 80                              | 10                                | 106                                       | 85                         | 10.6  | 8                                    |
| $85\sim95$                   | 90                              | 10                                | 92  | 65                         | 9.2   | 6                                    |
| $95\sim 100$                 | 97.5                            | 5                                 | 77  | 45                         | 3.8   | 2                                    |
| Total                        |                                 | 100                               |   |                            | 287   | 2,080                                |

Table 5.1: Total sediment load and specific sediment yield at station H1 based on SEMEP

| Watershed  | Area<br>(km <sup>)</sup> | Mean discharge (m <sup>3</sup> /s) | Sediment yield<br>(tons/year) | Specific sediment yield<br>(tons/km <sup>2</sup> ·year) |  |
|------------|--------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------------|---|--|
| H1         | 11,074                   | 287                                | 760,009                       | 69  |  |
| H2         | 283                      | 10                                 | 130,545                       | 461   |  |
| H3         | 1,346                    | 48                                 | 317,545                       | 236   |  |
| H4         | 173                      | 5.6                                | 47,970                        | 277   |  |
| Н5         | 519                      | 14                                 | 94,309                        | 182   |  |
| H6         | 8,823                    | 200                                | 191,949                       | 22  |  |
| H7         | 307                      | 13                                 | 29,825                        | 97  |  |
| N1         | 979                      | 15                                 | 44,775                        | 46  |  |
| N2         | 1,541                    | 26                                 | 45,866                        | 30  |  |
| N3         | 10,913                   | 196                                | 200,824                       | 18  |  |
| N4         | 9,407                    | 155                                | 388,567                       | 41  |  |
| N5         | 11,101                   | 201                                | 518,131                       | 47  |  |
| N6         | 9,533                    | 129                                | 45,044                        | 4.7   |  |
| N7         | 20,381                   | 369                                | 1,029,480                     | 51  |  |
| N8         | 2,999                    | 70                                 | 87,757                        | 29  |  |
| N9         | 1,512                    | 24                                 | 84,472                        | 56  |  |
| N10        | 175                      | 3.0                                | 7,033                         | 40  |  |
| N11        | 614                      | 17                                 | 19,923                        | 32  |  |
| N12        | 1,318                    | 17                                 | 34,998                        | 27  |  |
| N13        | 1,239                    | 31                                 | 64,178                        | 52  |  |
| N14        | 750                      | 15                                 | 31,459                        | 42  |  |
| G1         | 606                      | 15                                 | 59,891                        | 99  |  |
| G2         | 6,275                    | 141                                | 573,746                       | 91  |  |
| G3         | 1,850                    | 40                                 | 210,827                       | 114   |  |
| G4         | 258                      | 6.1                                | 12,598                        | 49  |  |
| G5         | 208                      | 4.6                                | 13,970                        | 67  |  |
| <b>S</b> 1 | 1,269                    | 18                                 | 42,222                        | 33  |  |
| S2         | 1,788                    | 29                                 | 84,320                        | 47  |  |
| <b>S</b> 3 | 3,818                    | 62                                 | 138,235                       | 36  |  |
| S4         | 128                      | 3.9                                | 3,727                         | 29  |  |
| Y1         | 190                      | 6.5                                | 15,905                        | 84  |  |
| Y2         | 2,039                    | 59                                 | 197,210                       | 97  |  |
| Y3         | 668                      | 22                                 | 99,040                        | 148   |  |
| Y4         | 580                      | 13                                 | 22,224                        | 38  |  |
| Y5         | 552                      | 12                                 | 16,885                        | 31  |  |

Table 5.2: Mean discharge, sediment yield, and specific sediment yield for the 35 watersheds

## 5.2 Water and Sediment Discharge

#### 5.2.1 Water Discharge

The mean annual discharge, or annual discharge  $(Q_a)$  is calculated as the sum of the product of column (3) and column (4) in Table 5.1. The annual Runoff (*R*) is defined as annual discharge normalized by watershed area:  $R = Q_a/A$ . The mean discharge  $(\bar{Q})$  is the mean value of the daily discharge. Runoff is found inversely related to watershed area (Figure 5.2a). The runoff of the stations in Han River are higher for a given area compared to other watersheds. The mean discharge equivalent to the annual discharge (correlation coefficient 0.99). The mean annual discharge generally increases with watershed area (Figure 5.2b). The annual discharge  $Q_a$  and mean discharge  $\bar{Q}$  can be, therefore, expressed as functions of watershed area:

$$Q_a = 3.75 \times 10^{-4} A^{0.9} \tag{5.3}$$

$$\bar{Q} = 0.045 A^{0.9} \tag{5.4}$$

$$R = 0.376A^{-0.1} \tag{5.5}$$

where  $Q_a$  is in km<sup>3</sup>/year,  $\overline{Q}$  is in m<sup>3</sup>/s, R is in mm/year, and A is watershed area in km<sup>2</sup>. The slope 0.9 is close to what is reported in Syvitski and Milliman (2007), who found the slope = 0.8 for the global database of 488 rivers.

By dividing the discharge by the mean discharge  $\bar{Q}$ , the dimensionless parameter  $Q^* = Q/\bar{Q}$ is used for the comparison of the flow duration curves between different watersheds. There were no significant differences in the five major river watersheds. Instead, difference between small watersheds and large watersheds is found. Figure 5.3 shows the normalized flow duration curves. The watersheds that are smaller than 500 km<sup>2</sup> or larger than 5,000 km<sup>2</sup> are highlighted. The small watersheds are G4, G5, H2, H4, H7, N10, and Y1, and large watersheds are G2, H1, H2, N4, N5, N6, and N7. The small watersheds have higher  $Q^*$  for the high flow , and have lower  $Q^*$ for low flow. The result demonstrates that watershed size is one of the key factors for the shape of flow duration curve, even though the topography and land use might be quite different among

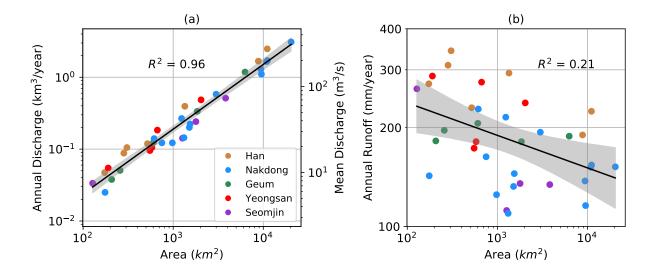
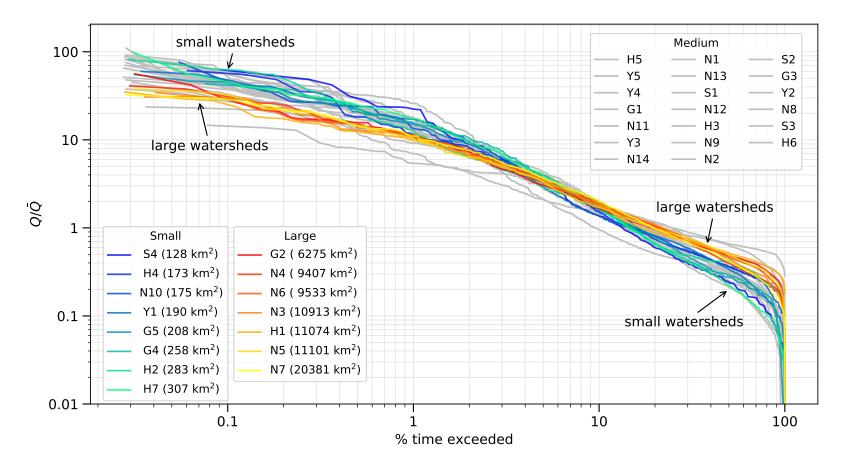
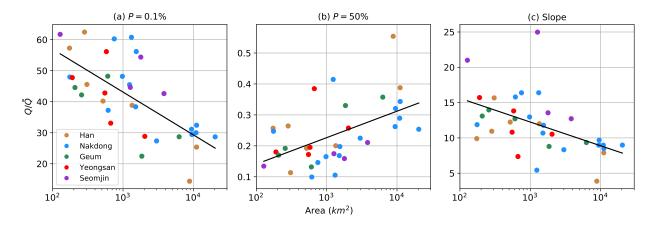


Figure 5.2: (a) Watershed area vs annual runoff (b) watershed area versus annual discharge and mean discharge

watersheds with similar sizes. H4 is a fairly mild small watershed (relief ratio 14.9 m/km) and the land use is mainly agriculture (48%). It has a flow duration curve shape resembling that of S4, which is a steep, relatively pristine watershed (67% forest). Figure 5.4 shows the relationships of watershed area with  $Q^*$  at P = 0.1% and 50% ( $Q_{0.1}^*$  and  $Q_{50}^*$ ).  $Q_{0.1}^*$  generally decreases when area increases (log-linear Pearson correlation r = -0.50). The values of  $Q_{0.1}^*$  for small watersheds range from 44 to 62, compared to the range of large watersheds, 14 to 32. On the other hand,  $Q_{50}^*$  show positive relationship with watershed area (log-linear Pearson r = 0.53). The slope, defined as the absolute difference of  $Q^*$  between P=1% and P=10%, flow duration curve also indicates the time of watershed responses to precipitation inputs. The steeper the slope implies storm runoff enters the channel more quickly (Yadav et al. 2007; Wohl 2014). This reflects that the hydrographs of small watersheds are sharper and have shorter lag time between hyetograph and hydrograph. As the river goes downstream, the floodwave attenuates. The hydrographs expect to have attenuated peak and longer lag time.



**Figure 5.3:** Normalized flow duration curves derived from daily discharges at the gauging stations in South Korea. The blue-ish lines are watersheds smaller than 500 km<sup>2</sup>, red-ish lines are watersheds larger than 5,000 km<sup>2</sup>, and gray lines are watershed sizes between 500 and 5,000 km<sup>2</sup>



**Figure 5.4:**  $Q_{0.1}^*$  and  $Q_{50}^*$  vs watershed area

## 5.2.2 Sediment Rating Curve for Total Load

Total sediment discharge is calculated by SEMEP. Total sediment discharge  $Q_t$  showed a positive and statistically significant relation with discharge Q (p < 0.01). Table 5.3 lists the coefficient of sediment rating curves for each station. The exponent  $\hat{b}$  ranges from 0.83 to 2.88, with an average of 1.73. The exponent of G5 is especially high. Although the coefficient of determination  $R^2$  is quite high, 95%, there are 7 samples of sediment measurement available. More samples are needed to justify that the sediment content of G5 is higher than other regions.  $R^2$  of N10 and G3 are relatively low. Large scatter between sediment concentration C and discharge Q before and after 2012 was found for N10, which is the year of Four Rivers Restoration Project was implemented. The sediment concentration of N4 and N6 also reduced after 2012.

Figure 5.6 shows the relationship between the coefficients and area.  $\bar{a}$  generally decreases with the increase of watershed area, though  $\bar{b}$  is fairly constant in the range of 1.5 to 2.0. The average is 1.72. It indicates that at a given discharge, the sediment discharge reduces when watershed area goes up, and the difference is up to 2 orders of magnitude for the smallest and largest watersheds. A similar trend can also be seen in Figure 5.5. The small watersheds are at the left side of the figure and large watersheds are at the right side. The coefficient  $\bar{a}$  is often interpreted as an index of erosive severity. A high value of  $\bar{a}$  indicates abundance of weathered materials. The exponent  $\bar{b}$  represents the erosive and transport power of the channel (Asselman 2000; Atieh et al. 2015). This may reflect that the small watersheds have more available sediment to be transported or higher sediment delivery ratio. The small watersheds S4, G5, G4, H2 are steep, mountainous watersheds, and H4 and Y1 are highly developed into agriculture, 48% of area are used by agriculture in H4 and 40% for Y1.

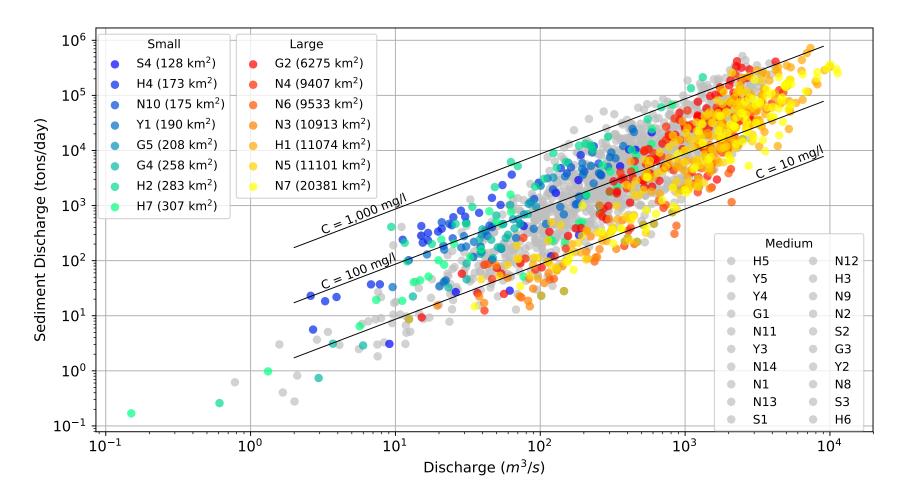
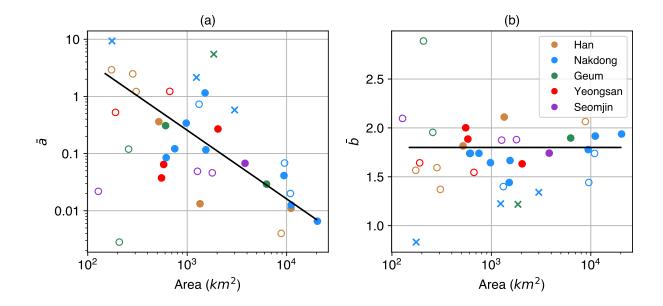


Figure 5.5: Sediment rating curves for small and large watershed areas

| Station    | Area (km <sup>2</sup> ) | $\bar{a}$ | $\overline{b}$ | $R^2$ | Sample # | Sampled<br>Year |
|------------|-------------------------|-----------|----------------|-------|----------|-----------------|
| S4         | 128                     | 0.022     | 2.097          | 0.89  | 15       | 1               |
| H4         | 173                     | 2.921     | 1.567          | 0.96  | 29       | 2               |
| N10        | 175                     | 9.317     | 0.832          | 0.49  | 41       | 2               |
| Y1         | 190                     | 0.525     | 1.643          | 0.90  | 40       | 2               |
| G5         | 208                     | 0.003     | 2.889          | 0.95  | 15       | ]               |
| G4         | 258                     | 0.120     | 1.954          | 0.93  | 22       |                 |
| H2         | 283                     | 2.479     | 1.593          | 0.95  | 26       |                 |
| H7         | 307                     | 1.217     | 1.371          | 0.88  | 37       |                 |
| H5         | 519                     | 0.362     | 1.815          | 0.86  | 51       | 2               |
| Y5         | 552                     | 0.038     | 2.001          | 0.93  | 75       | 2               |
| Y4         | 580                     | 0.065     | 1.886          | 0.93  | 89       | 4               |
| G1         | 606                     | 0.308     | 1.739          | 0.91  | 65       | 4               |
| N11        | 614                     | 0.085     | 1.740          | 0.87  | 57       |                 |
| Y3         | 668                     | 1.225     | 1.545          | 0.85  | 37       | /               |
| N14        | 750                     | 0.121     | 1.740          | 0.83  | 57       | ,<br>-          |
| N1         | 979                     | 0.341     | 1.644          | 0.87  | 68       | 2               |
| N13        | 1239                    | 2.147     | 1.225          | 0.63  | 70       | -               |
| <b>S</b> 1 | 1269                    | 0.049     | 1.875          | 0.99  | 15       |                 |
| N12        | 1318                    | 0.730     | 1.400          | 0.87  | 28       |                 |
| H3         | 1346                    | 0.013     | 2.111          | 0.85  | 54       | ,<br>-          |
| N9         | 1512                    | 1.151     | 1.441          | 0.77  | 66       | ,<br>-          |
| N2         | 1541                    | 0.116     | 1.666          | 0.87  | 57       | ,               |
| S2         | 1788                    | 0.046     | 1.880          | 0.94  | 29       |                 |
| G3         | 1850                    | 5.475     | 1.218          | 0.41  | 51       | ,<br>-          |
| Y2         | 2039                    | 0.269     | 1.632          | 0.83  | 119      | -               |
| N8         | 2999                    | 0.579     | 1.341          | 0.69  | 91       | 2               |
| <b>S</b> 3 | 3818                    | 0.068     | 1.742          | 0.91  | 124      | (               |
| G2         | 6275                    | 0.029     | 1.896          | 0.86  | 137      | ,               |
| H6         | 8823                    | 0.004     | 2.065          | 0.84  | 30       |                 |
| N4         | 9407                    | 0.041     | 1.778          | 0.80  | 58       |                 |
| N6         | 9533                    | 0.068     | 1.442          | 0.79  | 16       |                 |
| N3         | 10913                   | 0.020     | 1.739          | 0.93  | 33       |                 |
| H1         | 11074                   | 0.011     | 1.916          | 0.86  | 123      | ~               |
| N5         | 11101                   | 0.013     | 1.917          | 0.84  | 169      | (               |
| N7         | 20381                   | 0.007     | 1.937          | 0.91  | 88       | 4               |

Table 5.3: Coefficient and Exponent for sediment rating curve



**Figure 5.6:** (a)  $\bar{a}$  vs Area, (b)  $\bar{b}$  vs Area (Open circle: record of measurement is less than 3 years; Solid circle: record of measurement equal or more than 3 years;  $\times$ :  $R^2 < 0.7$ )

#### 5.2.3 Sediment Yield

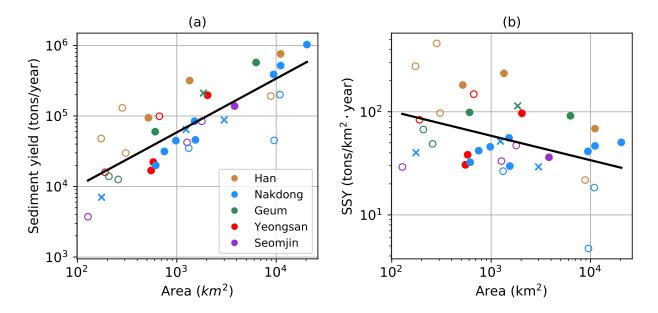
The annual sediment yield is estimated by flow-duration-sediment-rating curve method (Table 5.2). The sediment yield ranges from 3,727 (S4) to 1,029,480 (N7) tons/year, generally increasing with watershed area (Figure 5.7). The SSY varies from 5 tons/km<sup>2</sup>·year to 461 tons/km<sup>2</sup>·year. H2 watershed has the highest SSY. This might be due to the fact that H2 has the highest percentage of bare land (5%) among all watersheds. The sediment yield at N6 and N3 are significantly lower than the stations N4 and N5. Because N4 located at the upstream of N6 and N3, and N5 is at the downstream of N6 and N3, it is reasonable to believe the SSY at N6 and N3 are underestimated. Another reason is that N3 and N6 have few sediment samples. In addition, the samples of N3 and N6 are only available after 2012. In fact, the sediment concentrations are found decreasing after 2012 for some stations in Nakdong River (i.e., N4, N5, and N10).

Figure 5.7 shows the relationships between sediment yield, SSY and watershed area. Though highly scattered, a negative trend between SSY and drainage area is found. The sediment yield are functions of watershed area as shown below:

$$SY = 300A^{0.76}, R^2 = 0.66 \tag{5.6}$$

$$SSY = 300A^{-0.24}, R^2 = 0.16$$
(5.7)

The RMSE of the regression of SSY is 86 tons/km<sup>2</sup>·year. The MAPE is 75.2% We found significant improvement in the prediction of the SSY by using watershed area as the predictor variable.



**Figure 5.7:** Regression between specific sediment yield and watershed area (Open circle: record of measurement is less than 3 years; Solid circle: record of measurement equal or more than 3 years;  $\times$ :  $R^2 < 0.7$ )

## 5.2.4 Cumulative Distribution Curves for Flow and Sediment

Figure 5.8 plots the cumulative distribution functions of the sediment load at these stations. According to the analysis in Chapter 4, most of the sediment is measured when  $Q/\bar{Q} > 1$ , so the results here should be fairly accurate. The figure highlights most sediment is transported during short periods of time. Only 2% to 15% of sediment is transported with the flow smaller than the mean discharge. A noticeable trend is small watersheds have higher half yield discharge  $(Q_{s50}^* = Q_{s50}/\bar{Q})$ , i.e., discharge of 50% of the sediment yield transported. Half of the annual sediment yield is transported at discharges 4.4 times to 44 times the mean discharge. For the small watersheds, half of the sediment yield is generated during the flow larger than at least 15 times the mean discharge. In comparison, for large watersheds, the half yield discharges less than 15 times the mean discharge. Figure 5.10 plots the discharges that transport 25%, 50%, and 75% of annual sediment load (denoted by  $Q_{s25}^*$ ,  $Q_{s50}^*$ , and  $Q_{s75}^*$ , respectively) against watershed area. It emphasizes the role of flood in the transport sediment load, especially for the smaller watersheds. The flow at H6 is regulated by the reservoir, and the influence of dams on sediment transport can be observed in Figure 5.8 and Figure 5.9. For small watersheds, 80% of total load was carried in the time ranges between 0.5% to 4.5%, and for large watersheds, 80% of total load was carried in the time ranges between 2.6% to 15.1%.

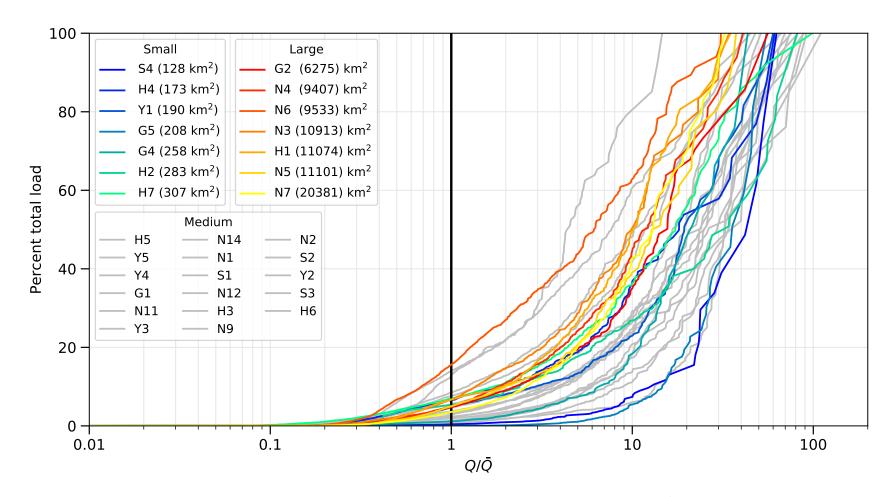


Figure 5.8: Cumulative distribution function of sediment load (only sediment rating curve  $R^2 > 0.7$  are shown)

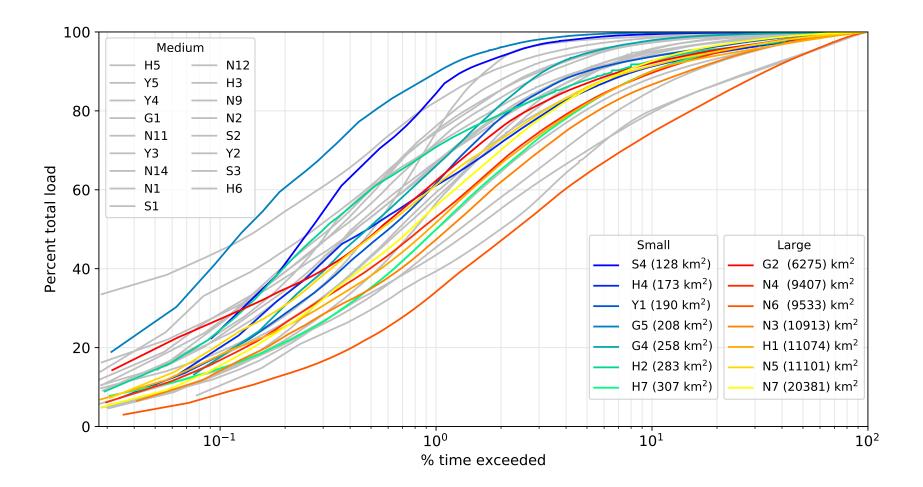


Figure 5.9: Cumulative distribution function of sediment load (only sediment rating curve  $R^2 > 0.7$  are shown)

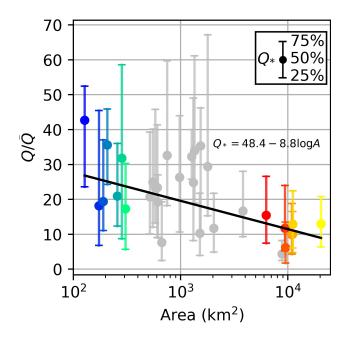


Figure 5.10: Relationships of  $Q_{s25}^*$ ,  $Q_{s50}^*$ , and  $Q_{s75}^*$  with watershed area.

## 5.3 Discussion and Conclusion

Several hydrological variables (i.e., mean annual flow, mean daily flow, sediment yield, and specific sediment yield) correlate with watershed area. The watershed areas of studied watersheds range from 128 to 20,381 km<sup>2</sup>. The differences between the watersheds less than 500 km<sup>2</sup> and larger than 5,000 km<sup>2</sup> are highlighted. For normalized flow duration curves,  $Q/\bar{Q}$  decreases from 60 to 25 when watershed area increases from 100 to 21,000 km<sup>2</sup> at exceedance probability equals 0.1%. The opposite trend is found for more frequent flows. At exceedance probability equals 50%,  $Q/\bar{Q}$  decreases from 15 to 8 as watershed area increases from 100 to 21,000 km<sup>2</sup>. This indicates that the discharges in small watersheds increase dramatically during events. The flood attenuates as it goes downstream.

At a given discharge, the sediment discharge of a small watershed is one order of magnitude larger than for a large watershed on average. The analysis of cumulative distribution curves for sediment shows that sediment is mostly transported during floods, especially for small watersheds. The value of  $Q/\bar{Q}$  for the half yield discharge (half of the sediment transported) decreases from 26 to 9 when the watershed area increases from 100 to 21,000 km<sup>2</sup>.

The specific sediment yield can be predicted as a function of watershed area:  $SSY = 300A^{-0.24}$ . The prediction errors are significant less than the KICT model and Yoon's model (RMSE = 86 tons/km<sup>2</sup>·year and MAPE = 75%). The inverse relationship between the specific sediment yield and drainage area agree with previous studies (Gurnell et al. 1996; Higgitt and Lu 1996; Milliman and Syvitski 1992; Kane and Julien 2007; Vanmaercke et al. 2014). The common explanation of this inverse relationship is because sediment is more likely to be deposited as it goes downstream into a milder slope and a wider floodplain (Walling and Webb 1983). Figure 5.11 compares the sediment yields of Korean rivers to the results of Milliman and Syvitski (1992). The studied watersheds are classified by the maximum elevation of the watershed followed the classification by Milliman and Syvitski (1992). The specific sediment yields of studied watersheds are lower than the headwater watersheds studied by Milliman and Syvitski (1992). This shows that Korea has lower sediment yield compared to the rest of the Asia and it may be because of dams.

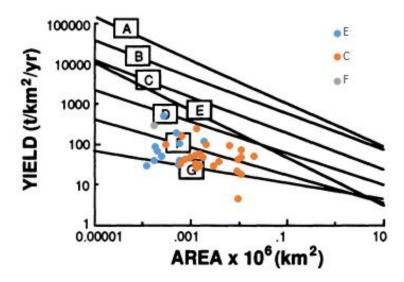


Figure 5.11: Korean sediment yields with the results of Milliman and Syvitski (1992)

# **Chapter 6**

# **Parametric Analysis of the Sediment Yield**

In Chapter 5, I show that half of the sediment is transported by the flow that is at least 4.4 times the mean discharge in South Korea. The parametric analysis of this chapter uses a logarithmic transform on the exceedance probability function to define two parameters describing the flow duration curve: a coefficient and an exponent. The new method works well when a straight line can be fitted to this double log plot at high discharges. When combined with the two parameters defining the sediment curve, I develop a procedure based on four parameters: two defining the flow duration curve and two defining the sediment rating curve.

This parametric approach allows the estimate of the long-term mean values of the runoff or sediment yield. The proposed four-parameter method is then applied to stations in South Korea. The calculation results of the proposed method are compared to the traditional method, i.e., flow-duration/sediment-rating curve method.

# 6.1 Parametric Analysis

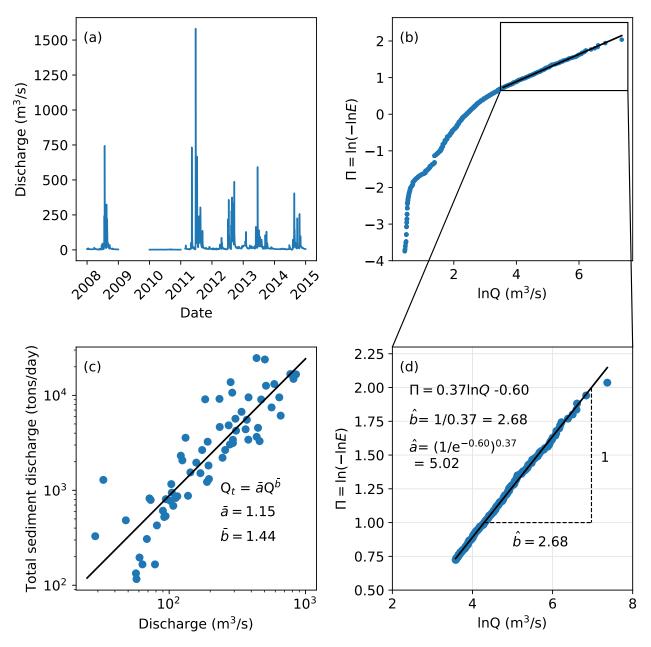
### 6.1.1 Definition of the Four Parameters

The discharge record of station N9 in South Korea is used as an example to illustrate the methods to parameterize the flow duration curve. Figure 6.1 provides the daily discharge from January 1, 2008 to December 31, 2014 and the sediment rating curve at N9. The graphical method and the method of moments are both used to evaluate the parameters  $\hat{a}$  and  $\hat{b}$  to define the flow duration curve. The parameters  $\bar{a}$  and  $\bar{b}$  are used to define the sediment rating curve.

#### Graphical method

The exceedance probability for a given discharge is calculated by Eq (5.1). Figure 6.1b and Figure 6.1d present an example of the transform on the flow duration curve at N9 station in South Korea. A linear relationship between the higher values of  $\ln Q$  and transformed exceedance proba-

bility  $\Pi = \ln (-\ln E)$  can be found. The transform parameters are determined by using a graphical approach. A straight line is fitted by ordinary least squares in the zone of interest, i.e., the higher values of  $\ln Q$ . The higher values of  $\ln Q$  is defined as a discharge larger than 1.5 times the mean daily discharge. The result of ordinary least squares gives  $\Pi(Q) = -0.60 + 0.37 \ln Q$ . The values  $\hat{b} = 1/0.37 = 2.68$  and  $\hat{a} = (1/e^{-0.60})^{0.37} = 5.02$ .



**Figure 6.1:** (a) Mean daily discharge from 2008 to 2014, (b) transformed flow duration curve, (c) sediment rating curve, and (d) close-up for the high discharges of Hyangseok station (N9). Graphically we can show that the value of  $\hat{b}$  is the inverse of the slope of the linear function

#### Method of moments

The average discharge  $\bar{Q} = 23.7 \text{ m}^3$ /s. The average value of  $\overline{Q^2} = 5111.6 \text{ m}^6$ /s<sup>2</sup>. When substituting discharge Q for x, the value of  $\hat{b}$  can be solved from Eq. (2.65):

$$(\overline{Q^2}/\bar{Q}^2) = \frac{\Gamma(1+2\hat{b})}{\left[\Gamma\left(1+\hat{b}\right)\right]^2} = 5111.6/23.7^2 = 10.91$$

The value of  $\hat{b} = 2.35$ .

From Eq. (2.66):

$$\hat{a} = \frac{\bar{x}}{\Gamma(1+\hat{b})} = 8.37\tag{6.1}$$

## 6.1.2 Mean Annual Flow and Sediment Yield

With reference to the analysis in Section 2.5, we now consider that variable x is the daily flow discharge Q. The main discharge is obtained from Eq. (2.63) as

$$\bar{Q} = \hat{a}\Gamma(1+\hat{b}) \tag{6.2}$$

Because sediment discharge and flow discharge generally follow power laws (for example, sediment rating curve relates the flow discharge to sediment discharge as  $Q_s = \bar{a}Q^{\bar{b}}$ ), the mean annual sediment discharge of a river can be estimated as follows:

$$\begin{split} \bar{Q}_s &= \int_0^\infty Q_s f(Q_s) \mathrm{d}Q_s \\ &= \int_0^\infty \bar{a} Q^{\bar{b}} f(Q) \mathrm{d}Q \\ &= \int_0^\infty \bar{a} \left( \hat{a} \Psi^{\hat{b}} \right)^{\bar{b}} f(\Psi) \mathrm{d}\Psi \\ &= \bar{a} \hat{a}^{\bar{b}} \int_0^\infty \Psi^{\bar{b}\hat{b}} e^{-\Psi} \mathrm{d}\Psi \\ \bar{Q}_s &= \bar{a} \hat{a}^{\bar{b}} \Gamma(1 + \bar{b}\hat{b}) \end{split}$$
(6.3)

### 6.1.3 Cumulative Distribution Curves

The cumulative distribution curve calculates the cumulative quantity of discharge/sediment discharge passing through a gage for a given discharge. Values of discharge are sorted from the smallest to the largest. The cumulative percent passing is computed as:

$$\%_{pass} = \frac{W_{passed}}{W_{total}} \times 100\%$$
(6.4)

where  $W_{passed}$  = the total mass of the discharge smaller than or equal the current discharge;  $W_{total}$  = the total mass of the discharge in the record.

Distribution of river flows usually follow a gamma distribution (Botter et al. 2013; Markovic 1965). By using the proposed method, we can also show the cumulative discharge function as an incomplete gamma function:

$$Q_{\Psi} = \int_{0}^{\Psi} Qf(Q) dQ$$
  
= 
$$\int_{0}^{\Psi} Qf(\Psi) d\Psi$$
  
= 
$$\hat{a} \int_{0}^{\Psi} \Psi^{\hat{b}} e^{-\Psi} d\Psi$$
  
= 
$$\hat{a}\gamma(1+\hat{b},\Psi)$$
  
(6.5)

, where  $\gamma$  is the incomplete gamma function  $\gamma(\hat{b},\Psi)=\int_0^\Psi x^{\hat{b}-1}e^{-\Psi}\mathrm{d}\Psi.$ 

By dividing the above function by the mean discharge, the function of normalized cumulative discharge can be shown as a cumulative distribution function P for gamma variables with a shape parameter  $1 + \hat{b}$ :

$$\frac{Q_{\Psi}}{\bar{Q}} = \frac{\gamma(1+\hat{b},\Psi)}{\Gamma(1+\hat{b})} = P(1+\hat{b},\Psi)$$
(6.6)

Similarly, the cumulative function of sediment discharge is

$$\frac{Q_{s\Psi}}{\bar{Q}_s} = \frac{\gamma(1+\bar{b}\hat{b},\Psi)}{\Gamma(1+\bar{b}\hat{b})} = P(1+\bar{b}\hat{b},\Psi)$$
(6.7)

Alternatively:

$$Q/\bar{Q} = \frac{\hat{a}\Psi^{\hat{b}}}{\hat{a}\Gamma(1+\hat{b})} = \frac{\Psi^{\hat{b}}}{\Gamma(1+\hat{b})}$$
(6.8)

$$Q_s/\bar{Q_s} = \frac{\bar{a}(\hat{a}\Psi^{\hat{b}})^{\bar{b}}}{\bar{a}\hat{a}^{\bar{b}}\Gamma(1+\bar{b}\hat{b})} = \frac{\Psi^{\hat{b}\bar{b}}}{\Gamma(1+\hat{b}\bar{b})}$$
(6.9)

# 6.2 Application of the Parametric Method

### 6.2.1 Mean Annual Sediment Yield

The mean annual sediment load can be calculated when the coefficient and exponent  $\bar{a}$  and  $\bar{b}$  of the sediment rating curve and the transformed parameters  $\hat{a}$  and  $\hat{b}$  are known. For instance,  $\bar{a}$  and  $\bar{b}$ of N9 can be found in Table 5.3. The mean annual sediment load can be estimated by equation Eq. (6.3). The sediment yield calculated by the graphical method and the moment method are 84,000 and 89,924 tons/year, respectively. The results show good agreement with the 84,472 tons/year calculated by the FDSRC method.

| Method  | â    | $\hat{b}$ | ā    | $ar{b}$ | $\bar{Q}_s$ (tons/year) |
|---------|------|-----------|------|---------|-------------------------|
| Graphic | 5.02 | 2.68      | 1.15 | 1.44    | 84,005                  |
| Moments | 8.37 | 2.35      | 1.15 | 1.44    | 89,924                  |
| FDSRC   | -    | -         | 1.15 | 1.44    | 84,472                  |

Table 6.1: Sediment yield calculated from different methods

## 6.2.2 Cumulative Distribution Curves

The theoretical solution of the cumulative distribution curve for discharge  $P(1 + \hat{b}, \Psi)$  and sediment load  $P(1 + \hat{b}\bar{b}, \Psi)$  from Eqs. (6.6) and (6.7) and plotted in Figure 6.2. The values of  $\Psi$ is calculated from Eq. (2.56a):  $\Psi = \sqrt[\hat{b}]{Q/\hat{a}}$ . Figure 6.3 provides an comparison of the measured and theoretical cumulative distribution curves of N9. The values of  $\hat{a}$  and  $\hat{b}$  are 8.37 and 2.35 by the method of moments.

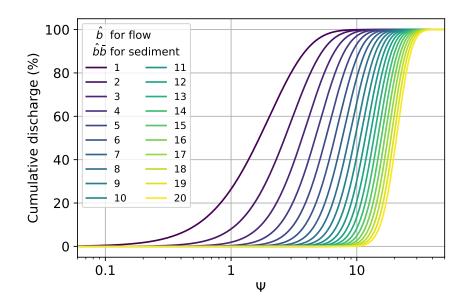
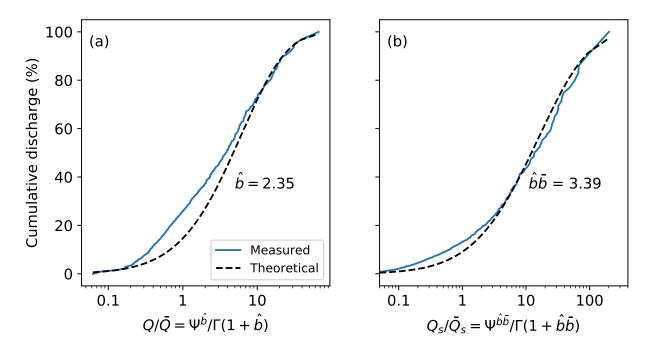


Figure 6.2: Analytical solution of cumulative distribution curves for flow and sediment



**Figure 6.3:** Comparison between theoretical solutions and observation. (a) Water, and (b) sediment of Hyangseok station (N9). The value of  $\hat{b}$  is 2.35, and  $\bar{b}$  is 1.44

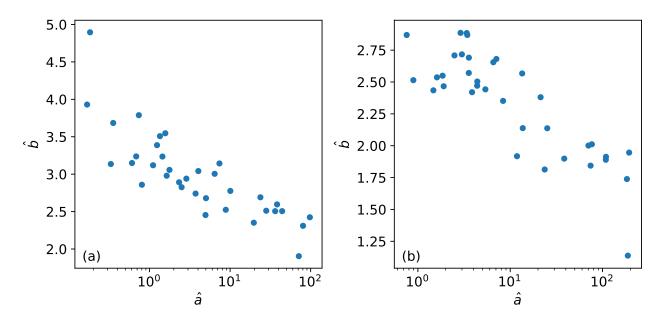
It is clear that the theoretical cumulative distribution curves are fairly close to the measurements. In this study, the incomplete gamma function and the complete gamma function are calculated by an extension of python, *scipy.stat.gamma*.

# 6.3 Testing of the Parametric Method in South Korea

## 6.3.1 Graphical Method vs Method of Moments

The flow and sediment records from 35 stations in South Korea are used here. The exceedance probability of a given discharge is calculated as described previously in Section 5.1.1. The sediment rating curve is also required to estimate the mean annual sediment load. The same sediment rating curves of Chapter 5 are used here. The values of  $\hat{a}$  and  $\hat{b}$  are evaluated by both the graphical method and the method of moments. The results are summarized in Table 6.2. The values of  $\hat{b}$  vary in the range of 1.14 and 2.89 by the method of moments. The graphical method gives the range of  $\hat{b}$  from 1.90 and 4.90. Figure 6.4 shows that the distribution of  $\hat{b}$  against  $\hat{a}$ . The value of  $\hat{b}$  decreases as  $\hat{a}$  increases for both methods.

Next, the sediment yield is calculated by Eq. (6.3) and compared to the sediment yield from the FDSRC (Figure 6.5a). Both methods have good agreement to the FDSRC method. The method of moments has the absolute percent difference between 1.2% and 22% (mean difference = 8%); the graphical method has the absolute percent difference between 0.5% and 846% (mean difference = 59%). The cumulative distributions of the absolute percent difference are plotted in Figure 6.5b.

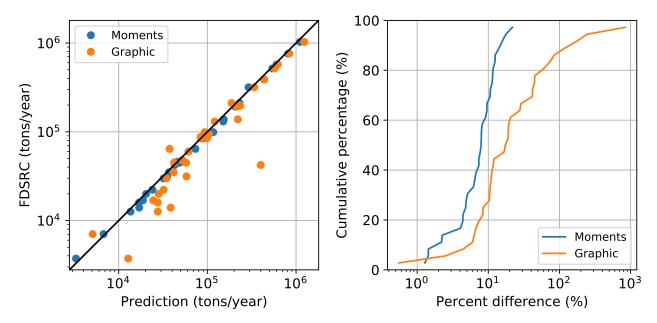


**Figure 6.4:**  $\hat{a}$  vs  $\hat{b}$ : (a) Graphical method, and (b) method of moments

| Site       | $\bar{a}$ | $\overline{b}$ | 1      | Moments   |                    |           | Graphic   |                    |
|------------|-----------|----------------|--------|-----------|--------------------|-----------|-----------|--------------------|
| Site       | u         | U              | â      | $\hat{b}$ | $ar{Q}_s$ (Mkg/yr) | $\hat{a}$ | $\hat{b}$ | $ar{Q_s}$ (Mkg/yr) |
| H1         | 0.011     | 1.92           | 183.64 | 1.74      | 811                | 80.40     | 2.31      | 840                |
| H2         | 2.479     | 1.59           | 2.49   | 2.71      | 151                | 1.11      | 3.12      | 121                |
| H3         | 0.013     | 2.11           | 13.47  | 2.57      | 291                | 6.43      | 3.00      | 339                |
| H4         | 2.921     | 1.57           | 1.61   | 2.54      | 52                 | 0.60      | 3.15      | 52                 |
| H5         | 0.362     | 1.82           | 4.38   | 2.47      | 99                 | 2.50      | 2.83      | 105                |
| H6         | 0.004     | 2.07           | 187.87 | 1.14      | 206                | 71.34     | 1.90      | 214                |
| H7         | 1.217     | 1.37           | 3.00   | 2.72      | 32                 | 1.45      | 3.24      | 35                 |
| N1         | 0.341     | 1.64           | 3.57   | 2.69      | 47                 | 1.24      | 3.39      | 58                 |
| N2         | 0.116     | 1.67           | 6.56   | 2.66      | 45                 | 1.57      | 3.55      | 55                 |
| N3         | 0.020     | 1.74           | 108.49 | 1.89      | 220                | 44.27     | 2.51      | 222                |
| N4         | 0.041     | 1.78           | 76.57  | 2.01      | 437                | 36.27     | 2.51      | 435                |
| N5         | 0.013     | 1.92           | 108.88 | 1.91      | 541                | 38.30     | 2.60      | 572                |
| N6         | 0.068     | 1.44           | 74.22  | 1.84      | 49                 | 28.10     | 2.51      | 42                 |
| N7         | 0.007     | 1.94           | 194.05 | 1.95      | 1109               | 97.74     | 2.42      | 1241               |
| N8         | 0.579     | 1.34           | 38.47  | 1.90      | 99                 | 19.69     | 2.35      | 84                 |
| N9         | 1.151     | 1.44           | 8.37   | 2.35      | 90                 | 5.02      | 2.68      | 84                 |
| N10        | 9.317     | 0.83           | 0.89   | 2.51      | 7                  | 0.33      | 3.14      | 5                  |
| N11        | 0.085     | 1.74           | 5.38   | 2.44      | 20                 | 2.86      | 2.94      | 28                 |
| N12        | 0.730     | 1.40           | 3.43   | 2.87      | 37                 | 1.35      | 3.51      | 42                 |
| N13        | 2.147     | 1.22           | 13.67  | 2.14      | 73                 | 3.73      | 2.74      | 38                 |
| N14        | 0.121     | 1.74           | 2.90   | 2.89      | 35                 | 0.74      | 3.79      | 58                 |
| G1         | 0.308     | 1.74           | 4.40   | 2.50      | 61                 | 2.32      | 2.89      | 61                 |
| G2         | 0.029     | 1.90           | 70.35  | 2.00      | 602                | 23.78     | 2.69      | 622                |
| G3         | 5.475     | 1.22           | 23.63  | 1.81      | 230                | 8.84      | 2.52      | 187                |
| G4         | 0.120     | 1.95           | 1.90   | 2.47      | 14                 | 0.68      | 3.24      | 28                 |
| G5         | 0.003     | 2.89           | 1.47   | 2.43      | 17                 | 0.80      | 2.86      | 39                 |
| Y1         | 0.525     | 1.64           | 1.85   | 2.55      | 17                 | 0.35      | 3.68      | 28                 |
| Y2         | 0.269     | 1.63           | 25.18  | 2.14      | 218                | 10.07     | 2.78      | 235                |
| Y3         | 1.225     | 1.54           | 11.84  | 1.92      | 117                | 4.95      | 2.45      | 93                 |
| Y4         | 0.065     | 1.89           | 3.56   | 2.57      | 24                 | 1.77      | 3.06      | 32                 |
| Y5         | 0.038     | 2.00           | 3.86   | 2.42      | 19                 | 1.63      | 2.98      | 24                 |
| <b>S</b> 1 | 0.049     | 1.87           | 3.38   | 2.88      | 43                 | 0.18      | 4.90      | 400                |
| <b>S</b> 2 | 0.046     | 1.88           | 7.08   | 2.68      | 86                 | 4.03      | 3.04      | 99                 |
| <b>S</b> 3 | 0.068     | 1.74           | 21.33  | 2.38      | 153                | 7.37      | 3.14      | 221                |
| <b>S</b> 4 | 0.022     | 2.10           | 0.76   | 2.87      | 3                  | 0.17      | 3.93      | 13                 |

**Table 6.2:** Values of  $\hat{a}$ ,  $\hat{b}$ , and  $\bar{Q}_s$  by graphical method and the method of moments

Eighty percent of the samples have difference less than 12% for the method of moments, while 57% for the graphical method. For the graphical method, the high error is associated with the high value of  $\hat{b}$ . If  $\hat{b} > 3.5$ , it is better to recheck the linearity at high discharges when using the graphical method.



**Figure 6.5:** (a) Predictions of sediment discharge by the graphical method and the method of moments compared to the FDSRC; and (b) cumulative distribution of the difference

The degree of accuracy is further evaluated by using the statistical parameter including RMSE,  $R^2$ , and  $\rho_c$ . The results are listed in Table 6.3. The RMSE of the moments method is 28% of the graphical method. The  $R^2$  and  $\rho_c$  of the moments method are close to 1, indicating that the calculations are very close to the FDSRC. All the statistical parameters shows the method of moments is better and more consistent.

 Table 6.3: Statistical comparison between the graphical method and the method of moments

| Method  | MAPE<br>(%) | RMSE<br>(tons/yr) | R <sup>2</sup><br>(%) | $egin{array}{c}  ho_c \ (\%) \end{array}$ |
|---------|-------------|-------------------|-----------------------|---|
| Moments | 8           | 21,285            | 99.9                  | 99.6                                      |
| Graphic | 59          | 75,536            | 97.1                  | 95.4                                      |

The cumulative distribution curves of flow and sediment are calculated by Eqs. (6.6) and (6.7) and compared to the measurements. The agreement between the theoretical solution and the stream measurement is measured by the Kolmogorov-Smirnov distance D and the 1-Wasserstein distance W. The average Kolmogorov-Smirnov distance of discharge is 16.6% for the method of moments and 19.0% for the graphical method. The distances of the sediment curves are generally higher. The average Kolmogorov-Smirnov distance of sediment discharge is 17.3% for the method of moments and 29.7% for the graphical method. Figure 6.6 plots the cumulative distribution of errors. For discharge, the Kolmogorov-Smirnov distance of the graphical method is 17% higher than the method of moments on average and the 1-Wasserstein distance is 149% higher; for sediment, the Kolmogorov-Smirnov distance of the graphical method is 72% higher than the method of moments and the 1-Wasserstein distance is 149% higher.

To sum up, parameter evaluation by the method of moments gives more accurate predictions of both the sediment yield and the cumulative distribution curves. The parameters can be evaluated by the method of moments directly with computers and the result is not subjective, therefore the method of moments is used for the rest of the study.

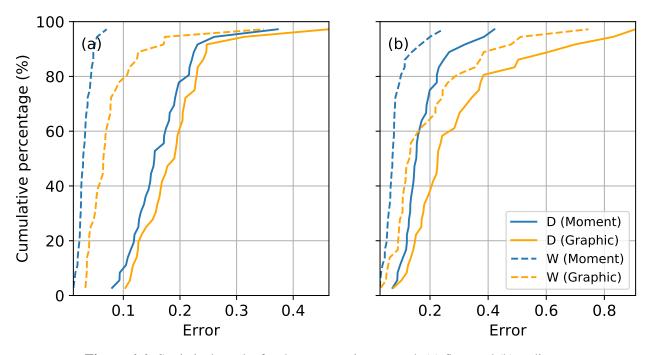


Figure 6.6: Statistical results for the parametric approach (a) flow and (b) sediment

|            | Moments |      |      |      | Graphic |      |      |      |
|------------|---------|------|------|------|---------|------|------|------|
| Site       | Fle     | ow   | Sedi | ment | Fle     | ow   | Sedi | ment |
|            | D       | W    | D    | W    | D       | W    | D    | W    |
| G1         | 0.13    | 0.03 | 0.13 | 0.07 | 0.14    | 0.03 | 0.17 | 0.11 |
| G2         | 0.22    | 0.02 | 0.19 | 0.07 | 0.23    | 0.05 | 0.18 | 0.12 |
| G3         | 0.19    | 0.04 | 0.14 | 0.05 | 0.20    | 0.09 | 0.17 | 0.11 |
| G4         | 0.12    | 0.03 | 0.23 | 0.08 | 0.16    | 0.13 | 0.61 | 0.38 |
| G5         | 0.10    | 0.02 | 0.42 | 0.25 | 0.11    | 0.05 | 0.70 | 0.48 |
| H1         | 0.23    | 0.03 | 0.19 | 0.08 | 0.23    | 0.05 | 0.13 | 0.09 |
| H2         | 0.20    | 0.05 | 0.19 | 0.11 | 0.19    | 0.04 | 0.15 | 0.09 |
| H3         | 0.16    | 0.01 | 0.11 | 0.07 | 0.16    | 0.04 | 0.21 | 0.20 |
| H4         | 0.19    | 0.04 | 0.17 | 0.10 | 0.20    | 0.07 | 0.24 | 0.10 |
| H5         | 0.13    | 0.01 | 0.09 | 0.04 | 0.13    | 0.03 | 0.12 | 0.11 |
| H6         | 0.26    | 0.04 | 0.25 | 0.14 | 0.25    | 0.07 | 0.20 | 0.11 |
| H7         | 0.09    | 0.02 | 0.09 | 0.04 | 0.11    | 0.07 | 0.19 | 0.13 |
| N1         | 0.15    | 0.03 | 0.16 | 0.06 | 0.18    | 0.09 | 0.30 | 0.22 |
| N2         | 0.22    | 0.04 | 0.22 | 0.10 | 0.25    | 0.11 | 0.37 | 0.24 |
| N3         | 0.18    | 0.03 | 0.13 | 0.08 | 0.20    | 0.06 | 0.18 | 0.12 |
| N4         | 0.15    | 0.03 | 0.12 | 0.06 | 0.17    | 0.05 | 0.15 | 0.09 |
| N5         | 0.22    | 0.04 | 0.20 | 0.11 | 0.23    | 0.06 | 0.22 | 0.12 |
| N6         | 0.19    | 0.03 | 0.13 | 0.06 | 0.21    | 0.07 | 0.14 | 0.09 |
| N7         | 0.15    | 0.03 | 0.14 | 0.07 | 0.15    | 0.05 | 0.23 | 0.13 |
| N8         | 0.15    | 0.02 | 0.10 | 0.03 | 0.16    | 0.04 | 0.12 | 0.05 |
| N9         | 0.12    | 0.02 | 0.07 | 0.03 | 0.12    | 0.04 | 0.07 | 0.06 |
| N10        | 0.18    | 0.02 | 0.22 | 0.03 | 0.20    | 0.07 | 0.23 | 0.06 |
| N11        | 0.08    | 0.03 | 0.14 | 0.09 | 0.10    | 0.08 | 0.34 | 0.26 |
| N12        | 0.09    | 0.05 | 0.13 | 0.08 | 0.13    | 0.08 | 0.29 | 0.15 |
| N13        | 0.37    | 0.05 | 0.32 | 0.06 | 0.31    | 0.04 | 0.28 | 0.05 |
| N14        | 0.14    | 0.03 | 0.15 | 0.08 | 0.19    | 0.12 | 0.49 | 0.35 |
| <b>S</b> 1 | 0.17    | 0.07 | 0.27 | 0.20 | 0.46    | 0.35 | 0.91 | 0.75 |
| <b>S</b> 2 | 0.11    | 0.02 | 0.12 | 0.07 | 0.12    | 0.04 | 0.24 | 0.13 |
| <b>S</b> 3 | 0.14    | 0.03 | 0.12 | 0.04 | 0.17    | 0.11 | 0.38 | 0.29 |
| <b>S</b> 4 | 0.13    | 0.05 | 0.39 | 0.17 | 0.23    | 0.17 | 0.83 | 0.51 |
| Y1         | 0.18    | 0.03 | 0.15 | 0.06 | 0.24    | 0.17 | 0.50 | 0.37 |
| Y2         | 0.17    | 0.03 | 0.15 | 0.05 | 0.19    | 0.08 | 0.23 | 0.17 |
| Y3         | 0.22    | 0.04 | 0.15 | 0.08 | 0.21    | 0.04 | 0.10 | 0.03 |
| Y4         | 0.11    | 0.02 | 0.16 | 0.05 | 0.13    | 0.06 | 0.37 | 0.22 |
| Y5         | 0.14    | 0.02 | 0.15 | 0.07 | 0.17    | 0.06 | 0.32 | 0.24 |

Table 6.4: The Kolmogorov-Smirnov distance, D, and the 1-Wasserstein distance, W, by the graphical method and the method of moments

### 6.3.2 One-Parameter Prediction of Sediment Yield in South Korea

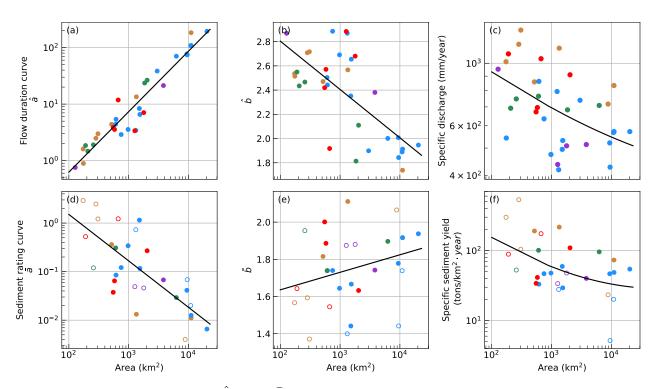
The values of  $\hat{a}$  and  $\hat{b}$  by using the method of moments are listed in Table 6.2. The correlations between the four parameters  $\hat{a}$ ,  $\hat{b}$ ,  $\bar{a}$ , and  $\bar{b}$  and watershed area are found. For  $\hat{a}$  and  $\hat{b}$ , stations H6 and N13 were removed from the regression analysis because the flow are regulated by dams. For  $\bar{a}$  and  $\bar{b}$ , stations G5, S4, N10, N13, G3, and N8 were removed because of low R-squared. The following are the functions of  $\hat{a}$ ,  $\hat{b}$ ,  $\bar{a}$ , and  $\bar{b}$  with watershed area:

$$\hat{a} = 0.0045 A^{1.07}, \ R^2 = 0.92$$
 (6.10)

$$\hat{b} = 3.60 - 0.17 \ln A, \ R^2 = 0.48$$
 (6.11)

$$\bar{a} = 123.2A^{-0.96}, \ R^2 = 0.56$$
 (6.12)

$$\bar{b} = 1.45 + 0.04 \ln A, \ R^2 = 0.08$$
 (6.13)



**Figure 6.7:** Four parameters  $\hat{a}$ ,  $\hat{b}$ ,  $\bar{a}$ , and  $\bar{b}$  vs watershed area. The black lines are the regression line

With these relations, the annual discharge and sediment discharge can be estimated as a sole function of watershed area. This approach is called the one-parameter model because all four parameters are defined as a function of drainage area. For a given area, the values of  $\hat{a}$ ,  $\hat{b}$ ,  $\bar{a}$ , and  $\bar{b}$  are evaluated from Eqs. (6.10), (6.11), (6.12), and (6.13) shown respectively in Figure 6.7a, b, d, and e. Therefore, the mean annual discharge and sediment discharge become functions of watershed area and can be next calculated using Eqs. (6.2) and (6.3), respectively. In Figure 6.7c and f, the annual runoff and specific sediment yield are plotted as functions of area. Figure 6.8 compares the one-parameter model with the four-parameter model, i.e.,  $\hat{a}$ ,  $\hat{b}$ ,  $\bar{a}$ , and  $\bar{b}$  evaluated directly from the measurements. The RMSE is 15 tons/km<sup>2</sup>·year and 85 tons/km<sup>2</sup>·year for the four-parameter and one-parameter models respectively. The MAPE is 8% and 83% for the four-parameter and one-parameter models respectively.

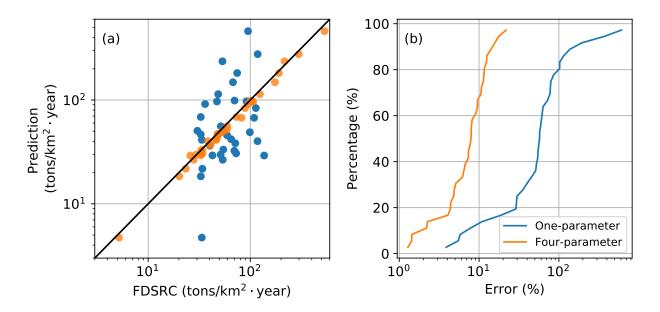


Figure 6.8: Comparison between the regression model, the four-parameter model, and the FDSRC

#### 6.3.3 Validation

Four additional stations with daily discharge and suspended sediment measurements in South Korea became available for validation: Socheon, Sancheong, Cheoncheon, and Cheongseong. Daily discharge is available from 2006 to 2015. Samples of sediment concentration were taken during 2009 to 2013. The watershed areas, flow duration curves, and sediment rating curves of the validation sites are listed in Table 6.5. Note that the sediment rating curves of the validation sites are only suspended discharge-flow relationships ( $Q_s - Q$ ). There is no information of bed material at these sites so SEMEP is not used. The prediction from the one-parameter and four-parameter models are shown in Table 6.5. Overall, the four-parameter model has the better performance (MAPE = 7% compared to 65% for the one-parameter model).

| Area        |          |           | _    | Specific sediment yield <sup>1</sup> |      |       |          |          |
|-------------|----------|-----------|------|--------------------------------------|------|-------|----------|----------|
| Site        | $(km^2)$ | $\hat{a}$ | b    | $\bar{a}$                            | b    | FDSRC | 4-param. | 1-param. |
| Socheon     | 697      | 5.92      | 2.25 | 0.17                                 | 1.74 | 39    | 40       | 67       |
| Sancheong   | 1130     | 7.95      | 2.51 | 0.16                                 | 1.68 | 50    | 56       | 56       |
| CheonCheon  | 291      | 1.92      | 2.37 | 0.56                                 | 1.67 | 42    | 47       | 94       |
| Cheongseong | 490      | 2.23      | 2.72 | 0.14                                 | 1.82 | 50    | 51       | 76       |

Table 6.5: Validation data and result

<sup>1</sup>tons/km<sup>2</sup>·year

**Table 6.6:** Statistical performance for the validation data

| Model          | MAPE<br>(%) | RMSE<br>(t/km <sup>2</sup> ·yr) | R <sup>2</sup><br>(%) | $ ho_c$ (%) |
|----------------|-------------|---------------------------------|-----------------------|-------------|
| One-parameter  | 65          | 32                              | -28                   | -5          |
| Four-Parameter | 7           | 3.9                             | 91                    | 81          |

### 6.4 Discussion and Conclusion

According to the new method, the mean annual discharge can be calculated as  $\bar{Q} = \hat{a}\Gamma(1+\hat{b})$ , and the mean annual sediment yield can be computed as  $\bar{Q}_s = \bar{a}\hat{a}^{\bar{b}}\Gamma(1+\bar{b}\hat{b})$ . The cumulative distribution curves for sediment can be estimated as  $Q_{sx}/\bar{Q}_s = P(1+\bar{b}\hat{b})$  where  $P(1+\bar{b}\hat{b})$  is the cumulative distribution function for gamma variables with a shape parameter  $1+\hat{b}$  (for flow  $\bar{b} = 1$ ). The method of moments is preferred as all the statistical parameters show it has better accuracy (MAPE = 8%, RMSE = 21,000 tons/year,  $R^2 = 99.9\%$ ,  $\rho_c = 99.6\%$ , the average D = 17.3%, and the average W = 3.1% for flow). Additionally, the method of moments is direct and not subjective and can be programmed easily. But the graphical method still provides visual information, which can be useful to detect abnormalities in the data, such as when the flow record is not stationary. The values of  $\hat{a}$ ,  $\hat{b}$ ,  $\bar{a}$ , and  $\bar{b}$  are found to be functions of watershed area. The following relations are proposed:  $\hat{a} = 0.0045A^{1.07}$ ,  $\hat{b} = 3.6 - 0.17 \ln A$ ,  $\bar{a} = 123.2A^{-0.96}$ ,  $\bar{b} = 1.45 + 0.04 \ln A$ , where A is watershed area in km<sup>2</sup>. Therefore, the sediment yield can also be predicted with only one parameter, watershed area.

These proposed models are compared to the multiple-regression model proposed by Julien et al. (2017) (Appendix B). Julien's model is defined as follows:

$$SSY = 1.34 \times 10^{-9} A^{-0.016} P^{2.587} \% U^{0.735} Sand^{1.810} S^{-0.380}$$
(6.14)

where A is the watershed area in km<sup>2</sup>, P is the mean annual precipitation in mm, %U is the percentage of urban, *Sand* is the percentage of sand at 0 - 50 cm, and S is the watershed average slope (%). Table 6.7 shows the statistical measurements of errors. The parametric approach can bring significant improvement to the prediction of sediment yield.

| Model                     | RMSE<br>(t/km <sup>2</sup> yr) | MAPE (%)<br>(%) | $egin{aligned} &  ho_c \ (\%) \end{aligned}$ | $R^2$ (%) |
|---------------------------|--------------------------------|-----------------|--|-----------|
| Four-parameter model      | 15                             | 8               | 99   | 100       |
| One-parameter model       | 85                             | 83              | 18   | 31        |
| Multiple-regression model | 72                             | 80              | 74   | 77        |

 Table 6.7: Statistical performances for the available models

## **Chapter 7**

# **Extensive Validation of the Parametric Sediment Yield Method**

The goal of this chapter is to illustrate the generality and versatility of the parametric method. The proposed method is applied to the gages in the U.S. The values of  $\hat{a}$  and  $\hat{b}$  are obtained by the method of moments. The theoretical solution cumulative distribution curve is also applied to many gages in the U.S. because of the availability of long-term records. A summary of the results from Korea and the U.S. is also presented at the end of the present study.

### 7.1 Additional Data

Daily flow and sediment discharge data of the United States are available on the USGS Sediment Data Portal (https://cida.usgs.gov/sediment/). The mean daily discharge, daily suspended discharge, and information on sediment-sampling site for the period to 2016 were retrieved from the website. The earliest daily flow record track dates back to 1861. I removed sites with less than 20 years of complete stream flow or less than 500 sediment measurements. A total of 716 sites remained for testing the proposed new method. The analyses at all gages were based on the years with fewer than 30 days missing from the flow discharge record. The number of discharge data points for the 718 gages varies between 7,558 and 57,235 mean daily values, and 506 and 21,914 mean daily sediment discharge. A detail description of how the sediment data were collected and processed are documented in Lee and Glysson (2013).

The sediment rating curves are obtained by dividing the discharges into small intervals and taking the average value of each interval because the sediment discharges of American gages are extensive and widely dispersed. The intervals are spaced so that they are equal on a log-log plot. The ranges are typically as follows: 1-10, 10-20, 20-40, 40-80, 80-160, 160-320, 320-640, 640-1280, and so on.

The selected sites cover a wide range of climatic condition in the United States and drainage areas ranging from approximately 2.5 to 1,800,000 km<sup>2</sup> (Figure 7.1). Watersheds were chosen such that a wide range of flow regimes would be analyzed, including flashy and non-flashy, and stationary and non-stationary systems. Summary information for sites used in the present study can be found in Appendix C.

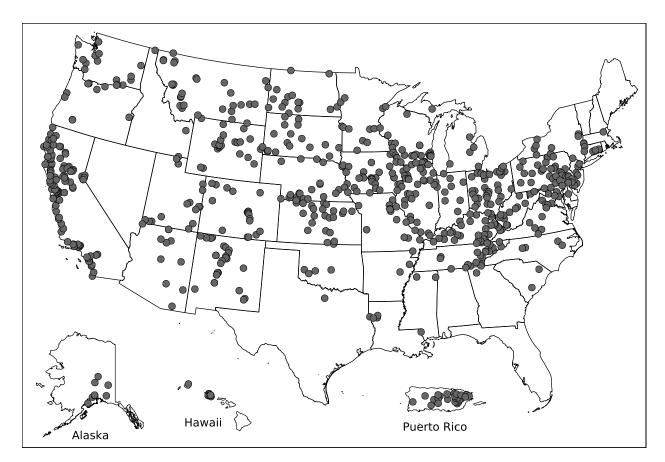
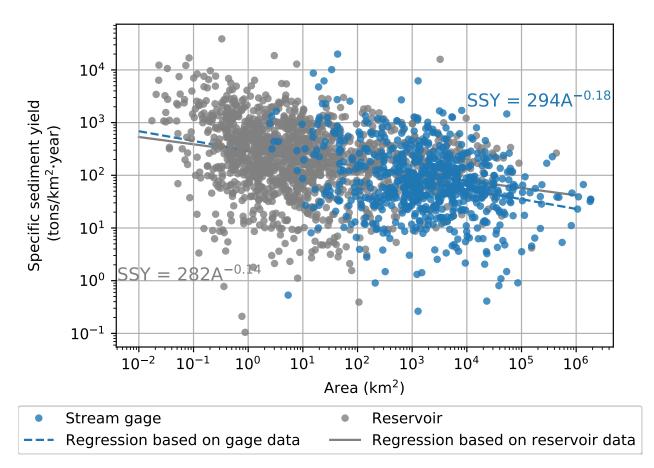


Figure 7.1: Map of US stations used in this study

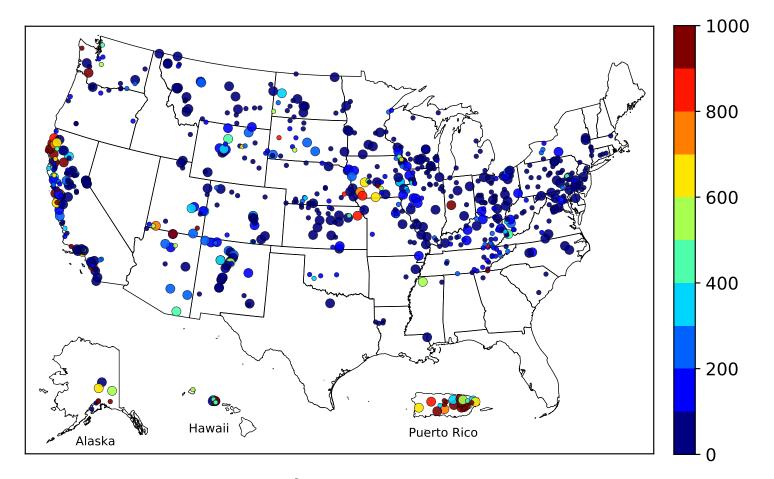
### 7.2 Results

### 7.2.1 Sediment Yield Parameters in the USA

The parametric method is applied to all the 716 stations across the US. The method of moments is used to obtain the values of  $\hat{a}$  and  $\hat{b}$ . The sediment rating curves are defined by the daily discharge and the daily sediment load for the values of  $\bar{a}$  and  $\bar{b}$ . The results of parametric analysis are listed in Appendix D. Estimated sediment yields range from 3 to 96,000,000 tons/year. The specific sediment yields vary six order of magnitudes (0.24 to 42,000 tons/km<sup>2</sup>·year), with higher yields tending to occur in smaller basins (Figure 7.2). The negative trend between basin area was also found by Kane (2003) Renwick (1996), Renwick et al. (2005b), and Renwick et al. (2005a). However, the causes of the variability are beyond the scope of this study. A map of the specific sediment yield is provided in Figure 7.3.

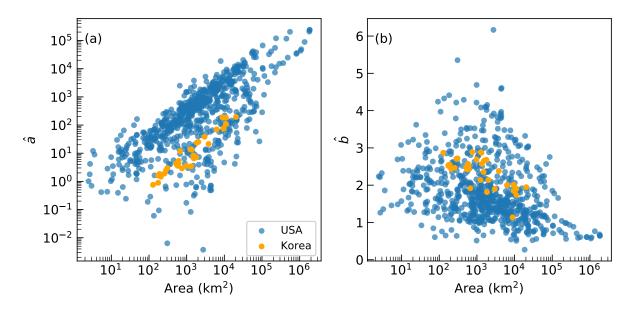


**Figure 7.2:** Relationship between specific sediment yield and watershed area. The specific sediment yields from river gages are compared to 1,374 reservoir sedimentation surveys (data source of the reservoir data: the Reservoir Sedimentation (RESSED) Database)

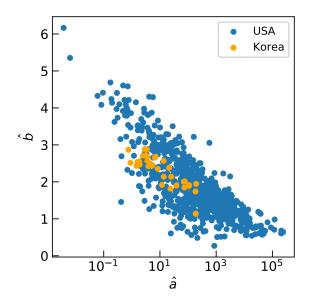


**Figure 7.3:** Map of specific sediment yields (unit: tons/km<sup>2</sup>·year). Large circles are for the gages with daily suspended sediment discharge with more than 10 years collected, and small circles are for gages with less than 10 years of measured daily suspended sediment discharge

The values of  $\hat{a}$  and  $\hat{b}$  are plotted against drainage area (Figure 7.4). The values of  $\hat{a}$  vary up to eight orders of magnitude. The parameter  $\hat{a}$  increases from 1 to 100,000 as the drainage area increases from 10 km<sup>2</sup> to 1,000,000 km<sup>2</sup>. Similar to South Korea, the value of  $\hat{a}$  increases with drainage area, while the value of  $\hat{b}$  is the opposite.

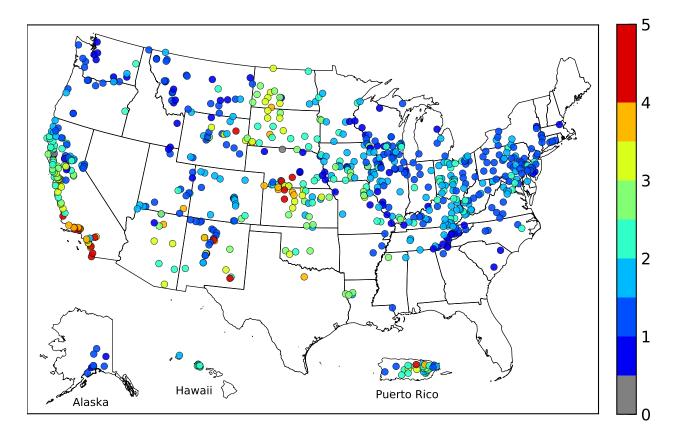


**Figure 7.4:** Watershed area vs (a)  $\hat{a}$  and (b)  $\hat{b}$ 



**Figure 7.5:** Values of  $\hat{a}$  vs  $\hat{b}$ 

The parameter  $\hat{b}$  is a measure of the nonlinearity in rain-runoff response. The values of  $\hat{b}$  of the US stations vary from 0.27 to 6.27. The US stations have greater variability because wide range of climatic conditions of the gages. Contrarily, because the climatic condition in South Korea is relatively homogeneous, the values of  $\hat{b}$  have a narrower range in between 1.13 and 2.89. Overall, the typical values of  $\hat{b}$  range between 1.2 and 3.5. Seventy-three percent of the watersheds are within the range.



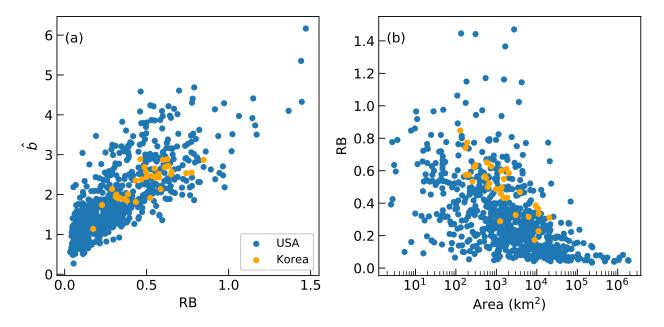
**Figure 7.6:** Map of  $\hat{b}$ 

The spatial distribution of  $\hat{b}$  is plotted in Figure 7.6. I found regionality in the value of  $\hat{b}$ . The values of  $\hat{b}$  are remarkably consistent east of Mississippi River and the Pacific Northwest. The values of  $\hat{b}$  in these regions are consistently in between 0.5 and 2.5. The variability of  $\hat{b}$  is greater in the High Plains and South California. The variability is likely to attributed to the arid and hydrologically flashy climate in these regions. Flashiness can be quantified by the Richards-Baker

flashiness index (Baker et al. 2004):

$$RB = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} |q_i - q_{i-1}|}{\sum_{i=1}^{n} q_i}$$
(7.1)

where RB is the Richards-Baker flashiness index,  $q_i$  is the daily mean discharge on day i, and n is the total number of days in the flow record. It is the ratio of daily fluctuations in discharge to the total discharge. The RB index is high for the watersheds which have high interdaily variation in discharge. A watershed is considered flashy when RB > 0.4 (Rosburg et al. 2016). The values of  $\hat{b}$  is found increasing with the value of flashiness index (Figure 7.7a). Small streams are commonly known to be more flashy than large streams and therefore decreasing  $\hat{b}$  value with increasing watershed size is expected (Baker et al. 2004) (Figure 7.7b). This helps explain why small watersheds tend to have high  $\hat{b}$  values.



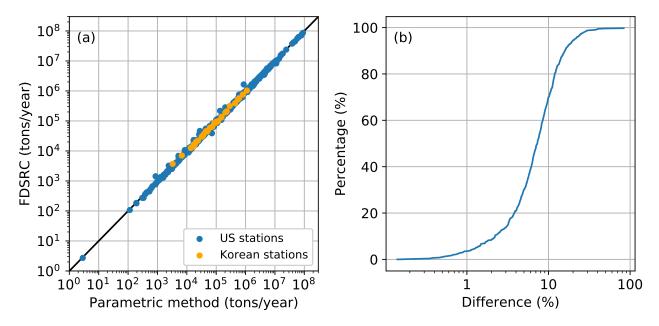
**Figure 7.7:** (a) The flashiness index, RB, vs  $\hat{b}$ ; and (b) Watershed area vs RB

Figure 7.8a compares the sediment discharge calculated by the parametric method to the FD-SRC. The difference of calculated sediment loads varies between 0.14% and 83.6%, and 95% of them are less than 20% (Figure 7.8b). As can be seen in Table 7.1, the MAPE = 8%,  $R^2 = 99.9$ ,

and  $\rho_c = 99.8$ . These statistical parameters show that we have excellent agreement between the proposed method to the traditional method. The cause of this difference is mainly due to extreme events and nonstationarity of the flow regime. Appendix E shows an example with the largest difference from Arikaree River at Haigler, Nebraska (USGS 06821500). The sediment load estimated by the FDSRC is 39,000 tons/year but by the parametric method gives 71,000 tons/year. The single extreme event in May 31, 1935 with the mean daily discharge 17,000 ft/s was the four times higher than the second largest event. The sediment load from the extreme event like this cannot be reflected in the FDSRC method.

 Table 7.1: Statistical performance for the US stations

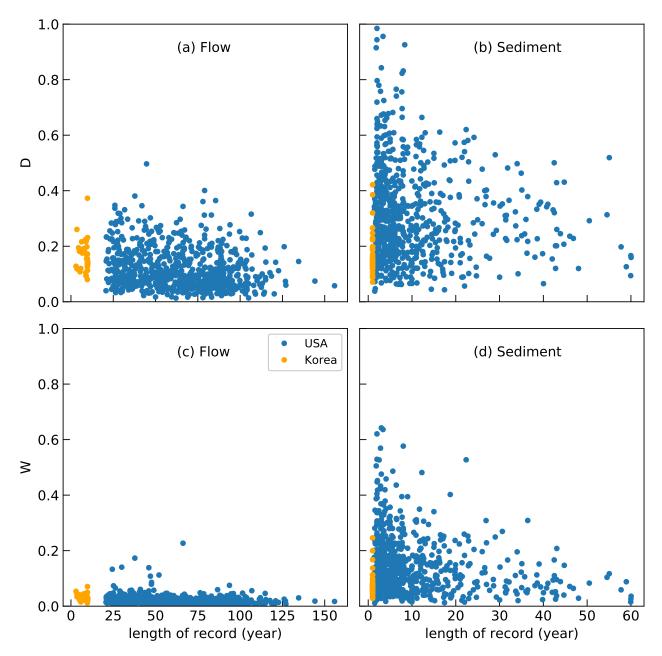
| MAPE<br>(%) | RMSE<br>(tons/yr) | $R^2$ (%) | $ ho_c$ (%) |  |
|-------------|-------------------|-----------|-------------|--|
| 8.6         | 457523            | 99.9      | 99.8        |  |



**Figure 7.8:** (a) Comparison of the computed annual sediment load. X-axis is flow-duration-sediment-rating curve method, and Y-axis is the double-log transform method. (b) Cumulative distribution of the difference between the sediment load estimated by the parametric method and the FDSRC method

### 7.2.2 Cumulative Distribution Curves for Flow and Sediment Discharge

The cumulative distribution curves of flow and sediment are also calculated and compared to the measurements. Figure 7.9 shows that the error generally decreases with longer record, especially for sediment load. In Figure 7.9d we can see that the 1-Wasserstein distance, W, is less than 20% when the record is longer than 40 years.



**Figure 7.9:** (a) Length record for flow vs D from CDF of Q, (b) length record for sediment vs D from CDF of  $Q_s$ , (c) length record for flow vs W from CDF of Q, and (d) length record for flow vs D from CDF of  $Q_s$ 

### 7.3 Conclusion

A proposed new method to parameterize the flow duration curve is developed and extensively tested on 35 gages in South Korea and 716 gages in the US. The prediction of sediment yield using the proposed method has excellent agreement to the flow-duration/sediment rating curve method with an average difference only 8.6%. The parameters can be used to estimate the cumulative distribution curves for flow and sediment discharge. The prediction of cumulative distribution curve for flow has an average Kolmogorov-Smirnov distance of 11%. While the prediction for sediment discharge has higher error, the error reduces with the length of record. The value of  $\hat{b}$  describes the nonlinearity between rainfall and runoff processes. The typical values of  $\hat{b}$  range between 1.2 and 3.5. The values of  $\hat{b}$  are consistently between 0.5 and 2.5 in the east of Mississippi River and the Pacific Northwest. Large variability in  $\hat{b}$  is found in the regions in High Plains and southern California. The variability is attributed to the high flashiness index in these regions.

## **Chapter 8**

## Conclusions

In this study, first, 1,962 sediment measurements at 35 stations in five South Korean rivers were used to estimate the total sediment load. The total sediment load is quantified by the Series Expansion of the Modified Einstein Procedure (SEMEP). The ratio of measured sediment load to total sediment load, as well as the ratio of suspended load to total sediment load are investigated.

Second, the streamflow data at these stations are used to generate flow duration curves. With the flow duration curves and sediment rating curves, the sediment yield is calculated as a function of drainage area. In order to compare the flow duration curves and sediment cumulative curves across different watersheds, these curves are normalized by dividing the discharge by mean discharge.

Last, I developed a parametric method to define the flow duration curve. The parameters  $\hat{a}$  and  $\hat{b}$  are obtained by the method of moments, and are combined with parameters  $\bar{a}$  and  $\bar{b}$  from the sediment rating curve to calculate the mean annual values and cumulative distribution curves of discharge and sediment load.

The conclusions are summarized as follows:

# Objective 1: (a) to estimate the total sediment load from the measured sediment load; (b) to examine the ratio of the measured to total sediment load; and (c) to examine the ratio of the suspended to total sediment load.

1a) SEMEP can calculate bedload from all 1,962 measurements, while MEP calculated only 1,808 of them. The ratio between the suspended and total load calculated by SEMEP correctly ranges from 0.2 to 1, and 97% of the ratios are greater than 0.9. For this reason, the SEMEP calculations are considered better and more accurate.

1b) The ratio of measured sediment discharge is greater than 80% when  $Q/\bar{Q} > 1$ . Because the fine suspended materials in South Korea, the Rouse number Ro < 0.16, and the measured sediment load is more than 90% of the total sediment load when h > 1 m for sand and gravel bed rivers.

1c) The results of SEMEP showed the suspended load consists over 99% of the total sediment load in sand bed rivers in South Korea. For gravel and sand bed rivers, over 90% of the sediment is in suspension when  $Q/\bar{Q}$ . Because the values of Ro is low in the Korean rivers, the ratio  $Q_s/Q_t$  becomes only a function of  $h/d_s$ . The suspended load is more the 80% of the total sediment load when  $h/d_s > 18$ .

# 2. Objective 2: to investigate the cumulative distribution functions of water and sediment yield, and define the water and sediment relationships with watershed area.

Several hydrological variables (i.e., mean annual discharge, sediment yield, specific sediment yield) correlate with watershed area. For normalized flow duration curves,  $Q/\bar{Q}$  decreases from 60 to 25 when watershed area increases from 128 to 20,381 km<sup>2</sup> at an exceedance probability equal to 0.1%. At a given discharge, the sediment load of a small watershed is one order of magnitude larger than for a large watershed. The cumulative distribution curves for sediment show that sediment is mostly transported during floods, especially for small watersheds. The value of  $Q/\bar{Q}$  for the half yield discharge (half of the sediment transported) decreases from 26 to 9 when the watershed area increases from 128 to 20,381 km<sup>2</sup>. The specific sediment yield can be predicted as a function of watershed area:  $SSY = 300A^{-0.24}$ . The RMSE = 86 tons/km<sup>2</sup>·year and MAPE = 75% are significant less than the KICT and Yoon's model (RMSE = 320 and 7500 tons/km<sup>2</sup>·year, respectively).

# 3. Objective 3: to develop and test a procedure to determine sediment load based on the parametric description of flow duration and sediment rating curves.

A proposed new method to parameterize the flow duration curve is developed and extensively tested on 35 gages in South Korea and 716 gages in the US. According to the new method, the mean annual discharge can be calculated as  $\bar{Q} = \hat{a}\Gamma(1+\hat{b})$ , and the mean annual sediment yield can be computed as  $\bar{Q}_s = \bar{a}\hat{a}^{\bar{b}}\Gamma(1+\bar{b}\hat{b})$ . The prediction of sediment yield using the proposed method has excellent agreement to the flow-duration/sediment rating curve method with an average difference only 8.6%. The cumulative distribution curves for sediment can be estimated as  $Q_{sx}/\bar{Q}_s = P(1+\bar{b}\hat{b})$  where  $P(1+\bar{b}\hat{b})$  is the cumulative distribution function for gamma variables (for flow  $\bar{b} = 1$ ). The values of  $\hat{a}$  and  $\hat{b}$  are found to be functions of watershed area. In South Korea,  $\hat{a} = 0.0045A^{1.07}$ ,  $\hat{b} = 3.6 - 0.17 \ln A$ ,  $\bar{a} = 123.2A^{-0.96}$ ,  $\bar{b} = 1.45 + 0.04 \ln A$ , where A is watershed area in km<sup>2</sup>. The values of  $\hat{b}$  are consistently between 0.5 and 2.5 east of Mississippi River and the Pacific Northwest. Large variability in  $\hat{b}$  is found in High Plains and Southern California, which is attributed to the high flashiness index in these regions.

The data and Python scripts for this study are available at https://github.com/chunyaoyang/ dissertation.

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# **Appendix A**

## **Total sediment discharge from measurements**

### A.1 The Toffaleti (1969) Method

Based on the concepts of Einstein (1950) and Einstein and Chien (1953), Toffaleti (1969) developed a procedure to calculate the total sediment load.

The flow depth is divided into four zones: "(1) the bed zone of the relative thickness  $2d_i/h$ where d is the size of sediment and h is the depth of water; (2) the lower zone extending from  $z/h = 2d_i/h$  to z/h = 1/11.24; (3) the middle zone extending from z/h = 1/11.24 to z/h =1/2.5; and (4) the upper zone extending from z/h = 1/2.5 to the stream surface" (Simons and Sentürk 1992). Each zone has its concentration function (Figure A.1). The complete procedures to calculate the total sediment discharge by Toffaleti's method can be found in Simons and Sentürk (1992).

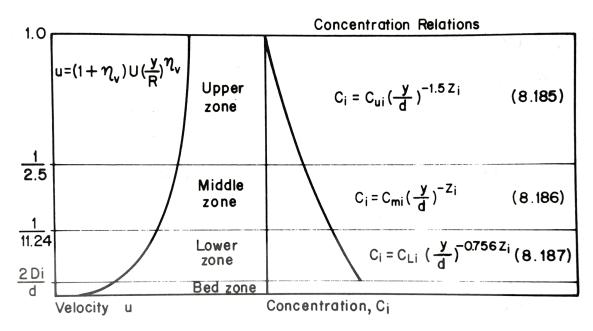


Figure A.1: Toffaleti's (1969) velocity and concentration profiles (from Simons and Sentürk 1992)

# A.2 Series Expansion of the Modified Einstein Point Procedure (SEMEPP)

Point measurements can also be used to measure the suspended load. Point measurements are more accurate than the depth-integrating method because of the larger sampling volume. It is especially greater for deep sand-bed channels (Shah-Fairbank and Julien 2015).

Shah-Fairbank and Julien (2015) developed a procedure to calculate the total sediment load based on point velocity and sediment concentration measurements. Equation A.1 is derived from the logarithmic fit to the measured velocity profile, and the Rouse number, Ro, is obtained by fitting the power function to the concentration measurements.

$$v = \frac{u_*}{\kappa} \ln\left(\frac{z}{z_o}\right) \tag{A.1}$$

$$C = C_a \left(\frac{h-z}{z} \frac{a}{h-a}\right)^{\text{Ro}}$$
(A.2)

, where v is the velocity,  $u_*$  is the shear velocity,  $\kappa$  is the von Kármán constant of 0.4, z is the flow depth,  $z_o$  is the depth of flow where v is zero, C is the concentration,  $C_a$  is the reference concentration, h is the flow depth, a is the reference depth and Ro is the Rouse number. The values of  $u_*$ ,  $z_o$  (depth of zero velocity),  $C_a$  and Ro are constants determined by the regression analysis.

The measured load and the total load can be calculated as follows:

$$q_m = \frac{C_a h u_*}{\kappa} \left(\frac{E}{1-E}\right)^{\text{Ro}} \left[\ln\left(\frac{h}{z_o}\right) J_{1A} + J_{2A}\right]$$
(A.3)

$$J_{1A} = \int_{A}^{1} \left(\frac{1-z_{*}}{z_{*}}\right)^{\text{Ro}} dz_{*}$$
(A.4)

$$J_{2A} = \int_{A}^{1} \ln z_* \left(\frac{1-z_*}{z_*}\right)^{\text{Ro}} dz_*$$
 (A.5)

$$q_t = C_a v_a a + \frac{C_a h u_*}{\kappa} \left(\frac{E}{1-E}\right)^{\mathsf{Ro}} \left[\ln\left(\frac{h}{z_o}\right) J_{1E} + J_{2E}\right]$$
(A.6)

$$J_{1E} = \int_{E}^{1} \left(\frac{1 - z_{*}}{z_{*}}\right)^{\text{Ro}} dz_{*}$$
(A.7)

$$J_{2E} = \int_{E}^{1} \ln z_* \left(\frac{1 - z_*}{z_*}\right)^{\text{Ro}} dz_*$$
(A.8)

# **Appendix B**

# Multivariate Regression Analysis and Model Development for the Estimation of Sediment Yield from Ungauged Watershed in the Republic of Korea

This appendix presents the summary of the result of Julien et al. (2017). The relationships between specific sediment yield and 34 watershed parameters are examined. These parameters are classified into 5 groups following the Universal Soil Loss Equation (USLE) as shown in Table B.1.

| Group                     | Factors   |
|---------------------------|---|
| Watershed characteristics | Watershed area, watershed perimeter, main stream  |
|                           | length, tributary length, total stream length, drainage density, channel width, elevation, minimum $d_{50}$ , maxi- |
| M                         | mum $d_{50}$ , mean $d_{50}$  |
| Mean annual precipitation | Mean annual precipitation (1986 to 2015)  |
| Land use                  | Percentage of urban, percentage of agriculture, percent-  |
|                           | age of forest, percentage of wetland, percentage of bare  |
|                           | land, percentage of water   |
| Soil type                 | Clay (0 10cm), clay (10 30cm), clay (30 50cm), clay   |
|                           | (0 50cm), silt (0 10cm), silt (10 30cm), silt (30 50cm),  |
|                           | silt (0 50cm), sand (0 10cm), sand (10 30cm), sand  |
|                           | (30 50cm), sand (0 50cm)  |
| Slope                     | Watershed average slope, slope at station, river slope  |

Table B.1: Parameter classification

Based on the analyses, a five-parameter model is proposed:

$$SSY = 1.34 \times 10^{-9} A^{-0.016} P^{2.587} \% U^{0.735} Sand^{1.810} S^{-0.380}$$
(B.1)

where A is the watershed area in km<sup>2</sup>, P is the mean annual precipitation in mm, %U is the percentage of urban, *Sand* is the percentage of sand at 0 - 50 cm, and S is the watershed average slope (%).

# Appendix C

## List of the US stations

| Station ID | Name  | Latitude | Longitude | Area  |
|------------|---|----------|-----------|-------|
| 1100000    | MERRIMACK RIVER BL CONCORD RIVER AT LOWELL, MA    | 42.646   | -71.298   | 12005 |
| 1127500    | YANTIC RIVER AT YANTIC, CT                        | 41.559   | -72.121   | 231   |
| 1192883    | COGINCHAUG RIVER AT MIDDLEFIELD, CT               | 41.520   | -72.707   | 77    |
| 1193500    | SALMON RIVER NEAR EAST HAMPTON, CT                | 41.552   | -72.449   | 259   |
| 1197500    | HOUSATONIC RIVER NEAR GREAT BARRINGTON, MA        | 42.232   | -73.355   | 730   |
| 1198000    | GREEN RIVER NEAR GREAT BARRINGTON, MA             | 42.193   | -73.391   | 132   |
| 1199000    | HOUSATONIC RIVER AT FALLS VILLAGE, CT             | 41.957   | -73.369   | 1642  |
| 1200500    | HOUSATONIC RIVER AT GAYLORDSVILLE, CT             | 41.653   | -73.490   | 2580  |
| 1331095    | HUDSON RIVER AT STILLWATER NY                     | 42.936   | -73.652   | 9772  |
| 1357500    | MOHAWK RIVER AT COHOES NY                         | 42.785   | -73.708   | 8936  |
| 1379500    | PASSAIC RIVER NEAR CHATHAM NJ                     | 40.726   | -74.390   | 259   |
| 1389500    | PASSAIC RIVER AT LITTLE FALLS NJ                  | 40.885   | -74.226   | 1974  |
| 1401000    | STONY BROOK AT PRINCETON NJ                       | 40.333   | -74.682   | 115   |
| 1411000    | GREAT EGG HARBOR RIVER AT FOLSOM NJ               | 39.595   | -74.852   | 148   |
| 1411500    | MAURICE RIVER AT NORMA NJ                         | 39.496   | -75.077   | 290   |
| 1434000    | DELAWARE RIVER AT PORT JERVIS, NY                 | 41.371   | -74.697   | 7967  |
| 1451000    | LEHIGH RIVER AT WALNUTPORT, PA                    | 40.757   | -75.603   | 2303  |
| 1464500    | CROSSWICKS CREEK AT EXTONVILLE NJ                 | 40.137   | -74.600   | 211   |
| 1467150    | COOPER RIVER AT HADDONFIELD NJ                    | 39.903   | -75.021   | 44    |
| 1468500    | SCHUYLKILL RIVER AT LANDINGVILLE, PA              | 40.629   | -76.125   | 344   |
| 1470500    | SCHUYLKILL RIVER AT BERNE, PA                     | 40.523   | -75.998   | 919   |
| 1470960    | TULPEHOCKEN CR AT BLUE MARSH DAMSITE NEAR READING | 40.371   | -76.025   | 453   |
| 1472000    | SCHUYLKILL RIVER AT POTTSTOWN, PA                 | 40.242   | -75.652   | 2971  |
| 1473000    | PERKIOMEN CREEK AT GRATERFORD, PA                 | 40.230   | -75.452   | 723   |
| 1473120    | SKIPPACK CREEK NEAR COLLEGEVILLE, PA              | 40.165   | -75.433   | 139   |
| 1474500    | SCHUYLKILL RIVER AT PHILADELPHIA, PA              | 39.968   | -75.189   | 4903  |
| 1477120    | RACCOON CREEK NEAR SWEDESBORO NJ                  | 39.741   | -75.259   | 70    |
| 1481000    | BRANDYWINE CREEK AT CHADDS FORD, PA               | 39.870   | -75.593   | 743   |
| 1481500    | BRANDYWINE CREEK AT WILMINGTON, DE                | 39.770   | -75.577   | 813   |
| 1491000    | CHOPTANK RIVER NEAR GREENSBORO, MD                | 38.997   | -75.786   | 293   |
| 1516500    | COREY CREEK NEAR MAINESBURG, PA                   | 41.791   | -77.015   | 32    |
| 1517000    | ELK RUN NEAR MAINESBURG, PA                       | 41.815   | -76.965   | 26    |
| 1531000    | CHEMUNG RIVER AT CHEMUNG, NY                      | 42.002   | -76.635   | 6491  |

Table C.1: The list of the US Stations used in this study

| Station ID | Name   | Latitude | Longitude | Area  |
|------------|--|----------|-----------|-------|
| 1531500    | SUSQUEHANNA RIVER AT TOWANDA, PA                   | 41.765   | -76.441   | 20194 |
| 1539000    | FISHING CREEK NEAR BLOOMSBURG, PA                  | 41.078   | -76.431   | 710   |
| 1540500    | SUSQUEHANNA RIVER AT DANVILLE, PA                  | 40.958   | -76.619   | 29060 |
| 1541000    | WEST BRANCH SUSQUEHANNA RIVER AT BOWER, PA         | 40.897   | -78.677   | 816   |
| 1544000    | FIRST FORK SINNEMAHONING CR NEAR SINNEMAHONING, PA | 41.402   | -78.024   | 635   |
| 1547200    | BALD EAGLE CREEK BL SPRING CREEK AT MILESBURG, PA  | 40.943   | -77.786   | 686   |
| 1547500    | BALD EAGLE CREEK AT BLANCHARD, PA                  | 41.052   | -77.604   | 878   |
| 1547700    | MARSH CREEK AT BLANCHARD, PA                       | 41.060   | -77.606   | 114   |
| 1549500    | BLOCKHOUSE CREEK NEAR ENGLISH CENTER, PA           | 41.474   | -77.231   | 98    |
| 1553500    | WEST BRANCH SUSQUEHANNA RIVER AT LEWISBURG, PA     | 40.968   | -76.876   | 17734 |
| 1567000    | JUNIATA RIVER AT NEWPORT, PA                       | 40.478   | -77.129   | 8687  |
| 1570500    | SUSQUEHANNA RIVER AT HARRISBURG, PA                | 40.255   | -76.886   | 62419 |
| 1573000    | SWATARA CREEK AT HARPER TAVERN, PA                 | 40.403   | -76.577   | 873   |
| 1575000    | SOUTH BRANCH CODORUS CREEK NEAR YORK, PA           | 39.921   | -76.749   | 303   |
| 1576500    | CONESTOGA RIVER AT LANCASTER, PA                   | 40.050   | -76.277   | 839   |
| 1578310    | SUSQUEHANNA RIVER AT CONOWINGO, MD                 | 39.658   | -76.174   | 70189 |
| 1589000    | PATAPSCO RIVER AT HOLLOFIELD, MD                   | 39.310   | -76.792   | 738   |
| 1594440    | PATUXENT RIVER NEAR BOWIE, MD                      | 38.956   | -76.694   | 901   |
| 1597000    | CRABTREE CREEK NEAR SWANTON, MD                    | 39.501   | -79.159   | 43    |
| 1603000    | NORTH BRANCH POTOMAC RIVER NEAR CUMBERLAND, MD     | 39.622   | -78.773   | 2271  |
| 1614500    | CONOCOCHEAGUE CREEK AT FAIRVIEW, MD                | 39.716   | -77.825   | 1279  |
| 1631000    | S F SHENANDOAH RIVER AT FRONT ROYAL, VA            | 38.914   | -78.211   | 4232  |
| 1638500    | POTOMAC RIVER AT U.S. HWY 15 AT POINT OF ROCKS, MD | 39.274   | -77.543   |       |
| 1639000    | MONOCACY RIVER AT BRIDGEPORT, MD                   | 39.679   | -77.235   | 448   |
| 1650500    | NORTHWEST BRANCH ANACOSTIA RIVER NR COLESVILLE, MD | 39.066   | -77.029   | 54    |
| 1658500    | S F QUANTICO CREEK NEAR INDEPENDENT HILL, VA       | 38.587   | -77.429   | 20    |
| 1663500    | HAZEL RIVER AT RIXEYVILLE, VA                      | 38.592   | -77.965   | 738   |
| 1664000    | RAPPAHANNOCK RIVER AT REMINGTON, VA                | 38.531   | -77.814   | 1603  |
| 1667500    | RAPIDAN RIVER NEAR CULPEPER, VA                    | 38.350   | -77.975   | 1212  |
| 2019500    | JAMES RIVER AT BUCHANAN, VA                        | 37.531   | -79.679   | 5369  |
| 2029000    | JAMES RIVER AT SCOTTSVILLE, VA                     | 37.797   | -78.491   | 11865 |
| 2060500    | ROANOKE RIVER AT ALTAVISTA, VA                     | 37.105   | -79.295   | 4615  |
| 2066000    | ROANOKE (STAUNTON) RIVER AT RANDOLPH, VA           | 36.915   | -78.741   | 7682  |
| 2075500    | DAN RIVER AT PACES, VA                             | 36.642   | -79.089   | 6700  |
| 2083500    | TAR RIVER AT TARBORO, NC                           | 35.894   | -77.533   | 5654  |
| 2084160    | CHICOD CR AT SR1760 NEAR SIMPSON, NC               | 35.562   | -77.231   | 117   |
| 2116500    | YADKIN RIVER AT YADKIN COLLEGE, NC                 | 35.857   | -80.387   | 5905  |
| 2118000    | SOUTH YADKIN RIVER NEAR MOCKSVILLE, NC             | 35.845   | -80.659   | 793   |

| Station ID | Name                                   | Latitude | Longitude | Area  |
|------------|--|----------|-----------|-------|
| 2131000    | PEE DEE RIVER AT PEEDEE, SC            | 34.204   | -79.548   | 22870 |
| 2175000    | EDISTO RIVER NR GIVHANS, SC            | 33.028   | -80.391   | 7071  |
| 2383500    | COOSAWATTEE RIVER NEAR PINE CHAPEL, GA | 34.564   | -84.833   | 2152  |
| 2430000    | MACKEYS CREEK NR DENNIS, MS            | 34.526   | -88.323   | 173   |
| 2489500    | PEARL R NR BOGALUSA, LA                | 30.793   | -89.821   | 17024 |
| 3015500    | BROKENSTRAW CREEK AT YOUNGSVILLE, PA   | 41.853   | -79.317   | 831   |
| 3020500    | OIL CREEK AT ROUSEVILLE, PA            | 41.482   | -79.695   | 733   |
| 3032500    | REDBANK CREEK AT ST. CHARLES, PA       | 40.995   | -79.394   | 1368  |
| 3040000    | STONYCREEK RIVER AT FERNDALE, PA       | 40.286   | -78.921   | 1168  |
| 3061500    | BUFFALO CREEK AT BARRACKVILLE, WV      | 39.504   | -80.172   | 300   |
| 3068800    | SHAVERS FORK BELOW BOWDEN, WV          | 38.913   | -79.770   | 391   |
| 3085000    | MONONGAHELA RIVER AT BRADDOCK, PA      | 40.391   | -79.858   | 19003 |
| 3111548    | WHEELING CREEK BELOW BLAINE OH         | 40.067   | -80.808   | 253   |
| 3139000    | KILLBUCK CREEK AT KILLBUCK OH          | 40.481   | -81.986   | 1202  |
| 3144500    | MUSKINGUM RIVER AT DRESDEN OH          | 40.120   | -82.000   | 15522 |
| 3150000    | MUSKINGUM RIVER AT MCCONNELSVILLE OH   | 39.645   | -81.850   | 19223 |
| 3151400    | LITTLE KANAWHA RIVER NR WILDCAT, WV    | 38.743   | -80.525   | 290   |
| 3159500    | HOCKING RIVER AT ATHENS OH             | 39.329   | -82.088   | 2442  |
| 3195500    | ELK RIVER AT SUTTON, WV                | 38.663   | -80.710   | 1404  |
| 3197000    | ELK RIVER AT QUEEN SHOALS, WV          | 38.471   | -81.284   | 2966  |
| 3199000    | LITTLE COAL RIVER AT DANVILLE, WV      | 38.080   | -81.836   | 697   |
| 3200500    | COAL RIVER AT TORNADO, WV              | 38.339   | -81.842   | 2233  |
| 3202400    | GUYANDOTTE RIVER NEAR BAILEYSVILLE, WV | 37.604   | -81.645   | 793   |
| 3202750    | CLEAR FORK AT CLEAR FORK, WV           | 37.623   | -81.707   | 326   |
| 3204000    | GUYANDOTTE RIVER AT BRANCHLAND, WV     | 38.221   | -82.203   | 3170  |
| 3204500    | MUD RIVER NEAR MILTON, WV              | 38.388   | -82.113   | 663   |
| 3207800    | LEVISA FORK AT BIG ROCK, VA            | 37.354   | -82.196   | 769   |
| 3207965    | GRAPEVINE CREEK NEAR PHYLLIS, KY       | 37.433   | -82.354   | 16    |
| 3209300    | RUSSELL FORK AT ELKHORN CITY, KY       | 37.304   | -82.343   | 1435  |
| 3210000    | JOHNS CREEK NEAR META KY               | 37.567   | -82.458   | 146   |
| 3211500    | JOHNS CREEK NEAR VAN LEAR, KY          | 37.744   | -82.724   | 534   |
| 3212500    | LEVISA FORK AT PAINTSVILLE, KY         | 37.815   | -82.792   | 5553  |
| 3216500    | LITTLE SANDY RIVER AT GRAYSON, KY      | 38.330   | -82.939   | 1036  |
| 3217000    | TYGARTS CREEK NEAR GREENUP, KY         | 38.564   | -82.952   | 627   |
| 3219500    | SCIOTO RIVER NEAR PROSPECT OH          | 40.420   | -83.197   | 1469  |
| 3226800    | OLENTANGY RIVER NEAR WORTHINGTON OH    | 40.110   | -83.032   | 1287  |
| 3228500    | BIG WALNUT CREEK AT CENTRAL COLLEGE OH | 40.104   | -82.884   | 492   |
| 3229000    | ALUM CREEK AT COLUMBUS OH              | 39.945   | -82.941   | 490   |

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| Station ID | Name   | Latitude | Longitude | Area   |
|------------|--|----------|-----------|--------|
| 3230450    | HELLBRANCH RUN NEAR HARRISBURG OH            | 39.848   | -83.157   | 93     |
| 3230500    | BIG DARBY CREEK AT DARBYVILLE OH             | 39.701   | -83.110   | 1383   |
| 3234000    | PAINT CREEK NEAR BOURNEVILLE OH              | 39.264   | -83.167   | 2090   |
| 3234500    | SCIOTO RIVER AT HIGBY OH                     | 39.212   | -82.864   | 13289  |
| 3237280    | UPPER TWIN CREEK AT MCGAW OH                 | 38.644   | -83.216   | 32     |
| 3240000    | LITTLE MIAMI RIVER NEAR OLDTOWN OH           | 39.748   | -83.931   | 334    |
| 3241500    | MASSIES CREEK AT WILBERFORCE OH              | 39.722   | -83.882   | 164    |
| 3244000    | TODD FORK NEAR ROACHESTER OH                 | 39.335   | -84.087   | 567    |
| 3245500    | LITTLE MIAMI RIVER AT MILFORD OH             | 39.171   | -84.298   | 3116   |
| 3248500    | LICKING RIVER NEAR SALYERSVILLE, KY          | 37.751   | -83.084   | 363    |
| 3249500    | LICKING RIVER AT FARMERS, KY                 | 38.115   | -83.543   | 2142   |
| 3251500    | LICKING RIVER AT MCKINNEYSBURG, KY           | 38.600   | -84.266   | 6024   |
| 3261500    | GREAT MIAMI RIVER AT SIDNEY OH               | 40.287   | -84.150   | 1401   |
| 3261950    | LORAMIE CREEK NEAR NEWPORT OH                | 40.307   | -84.384   | 394    |
| 3265000    | STILLWATER RIVER AT PLEASANT HILL OH         | 40.058   | -84.356   | 1303   |
| 3270500    | GREAT MIAMI RIVER AT DAYTON OH               | 39.765   | -84.197   | 6503   |
| 3280600    | MIDDLE FORK KENTUCKY RIVER NEAR HYDEN, KY    | 37.137   | -83.371   | 523    |
| 3281000    | MIDDLE FORK KENTUCKY RIVER AT TALLEGA, KY    | 37.555   | -83.594   | 1391   |
| 3281100    | GOOSE CREEK AT MANCHESTER, KY                | 37.152   | -83.760   | 422    |
| 3287500    | KENTUCKY RIVER AT LOCK 4 AT FRANKFORT, KY    | 38.202   | -84.882   | 14014  |
| 3291500    | EAGLE CREEK AT GLENCOE, KY                   | 38.705   | -84.824   | 1132   |
| 3294500    | OHIO RIVER AT LOUISVILLE, KY                 | 38.280   | -85.799   | 236130 |
| 3298500    | SALT RIVER AT SHEPHERDSVILLE, KY             | 37.985   | -85.717   | 3100   |
| 3308500    | GREEN RIVER AT MUNFORDVILLE, KY              | 37.269   | -85.888   | 4333   |
| 3310500    | NOLIN RIVER AT WAX, KY                       | 37.345   | -86.122   | 1554   |
| 3314500    | BARREN RIVER AT BOWLING GREEN, KY            | 37.003   | -86.433   | 4789   |
| 3318500    | ROUGH RIVER AT FALLS OF ROUGH, KY            | 37.589   | -86.551   | 1305   |
| 3319000    | ROUGH RIVER NEAR DUNDEE, KY                  | 37.548   | -86.722   | 1961   |
| 3320000    | GREEN RIVER AT LOCK 2 AT CALHOUN, KY         | 37.534   | -87.264   | 19596  |
| 3320500    | POND RIVER NEAR APEX, KY                     | 37.122   | -87.319   | 502    |
| 3328500    | EEL RIVER NEAR LOGANSPORT, IN                | 40.782   | -86.264   | 2044   |
| 3335500    | WABASH RIVER AT LAFAYETTE, IN                | 40.425   | -86.897   | 18822  |
| 3340800    | BIG RACCOON CREEK NEAR FINCASTLE, IN         | 39.813   | -86.954   | 360    |
| 3361000    | BIG BLUE RIVER AT CARTHAGE, IN               | 39.744   | -85.576   | 477    |
| 3365500    | EAST FORK WHITE RIVER AT SEYMOUR, IN         | 38.983   | -85.899   | 6063   |
| 3382100    | SOUTH FORK SALINE RIVER NR CARRIER MILLS, IL | 37.638   | -88.678   | 381    |
| 3383000    | TRADEWATER RIVER AT OLNEY, KY                | 37.224   | -87.781   | 660    |
| 3384450    | LUSK CREEK NEAR EDDYVILLE, IL                | 37.473   | -88.548   | 111    |

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| Station ID | Name   | Latitude | Longitude | Area   |
|------------|--|----------|-----------|--------|
| 3402000    | YELLOW CREEK NEAR MIDDLESBORO, KY                  | 36.668   | -83.689   | 157    |
| 3403000    | CUMBERLAND RIVER NEAR PINEVILLE, KY                | 36.813   | -83.766   | 2095   |
| 3403500    | CUMBERLAND RIVER AT BARBOURVILLE, KY               | 36.862   | -83.887   | 2486   |
| 3403910    | CLEAR FORK AT SAXTON, KY                           | 36.634   | -84.112   | 857    |
| 3404000    | CUMBERLAND RIVER AT WILLIAMSBURG, KY               | 36.743   | -84.156   | 4162   |
| 3404500    | CUMBERLAND RIVER AT CUMBERLAND FALLS, KY           | 36.837   | -84.343   | 5120   |
| 3406500    | ROCKCASTLE RIVER AT BILLOWS, KY                    | 37.171   | -84.296   | 1564   |
| 3410500    | SOUTH FORK CUMBERLAND RIVER NEAR STEARNS, KY       | 36.627   | -84.533   | 2471   |
| 3455000    | FRENCH BROAD RIVER NEAR NEWPORT, TN                | 35.982   | -83.161   | 4812   |
| 3465500    | NOLICHUCKY RIVER AT EMBREEVILLE, TN                | 36.176   | -82.457   | 2085   |
| 3467500    | NOLICHUCKY RIVER NEAR MORRISTOWN, TENN.            | 36.180   | -83.175   | 4349   |
| 3469000    | FRENCH BROAD RIVER BELOW DOUGLAS DAM, TN           | 35.952   | -83.551   | 11766  |
| 3487500    | SOUTH FORK HOLSTON RIVER AT KINGSPORT, TENN        | 36.523   | -82.546   | 5012   |
| 3495500    | HOLSTON RIVER NEAR KNOXVILLE, TN                   | 36.016   | -83.832   | 9705   |
| 3497000    | TENNESSEE RIVER AT KNOXVILLE, TENNESSEE            | 35.955   | -83.862   | 23139  |
| 3519500    | LITTLE TENNESSEE RIVER AT MCGHEE, TENN             | 35.604   | -84.212   | 6327   |
| 3520000    | TENNESSEE RIVER AT LOUDON, TENN.                   | 35.743   | -84.332   | 31650  |
| 3528000    | CLINCH RIVER NEAR TAZEWELL (LONE MOUNTAIN), TN     | 36.425   | -83.398   | 3820   |
| 3532000    | POWELL RIVER ABOVE U.S. HWY 25E NEAR ARTHUR, TN    | 36.542   | -83.630   | 1777   |
| 3540500    | EMORY RIVER AT OAKDALE, TN                         | 35.983   | -84.558   | 1979   |
| 3556000    | TURTLETOWN CREEK AT TURTLETOWN, TN                 | 35.133   | -84.343   | 70     |
| 3561000    | NORTH POTATO CREEK NEAR DUCKTOWN, TENN.            | 35.015   | -84.383   | 34     |
| 3566000    | HIWASSEE RIVER AT CHARLESTON, TN                   | 35.295   | -84.760   | 5952   |
| 3568000    | TENNESSEE RIVER AT CHATTANOOGA, TN                 | 35.087   | -85.278   | 55426  |
| 3571000    | SEQUATCHIE RIVER NEAR WHITWELL, TN                 | 35.207   | -85.497   | 1041   |
| 3571850    | TENNESSEE RIVER AT SOUTH PITTSBURG, TN             | 35.011   | -85.697   | 58638  |
| 3584500    | ELK RIVER NEAR PROSPECT, TN                        | 35.028   | -86.948   | 4621   |
| 3603000    | DUCK RIVER ABOVE HURRICANE MILLS, TN               | 35.930   | -87.743   | 6623   |
| 3604500    | BUFFALO RIVER NEAR LOBELVILLE, TN                  | 35.813   | -87.798   | 1831   |
| 3609500    | TENNESSEE RIVER NEAR PADUCAH, KY                   | 37.020   | -88.281   | 104118 |
| 4024098    | DEER CREEK NEAR HOLYOKE, MN                        | 46.525   | -92.389   | 20     |
| 4024430    | NEMADJI RIVER NEAR SOUTH SUPERIOR, WI              | 46.633   | -92.094   | 1088   |
| 4058500    | EAST BRANCH ESCANABA RIVER AT GWINN, MI            | 46.282   | -87.435   | 321    |
| 4073462    | WHITE CREEK AT SPRING GROVE ROAD NR GREEN LAKE, WI | 43.816   | -88.928   | 8      |
| 4073468    | GREEN LAKE INLET AT CT HIGHWAY A NR GREEN LAKE, WI | 43.824   | -88.927   | 139    |
| 4086600    | MILWAUKEE RIVER NEAR CEDARBURG, WI                 | 43.280   | -87.943   | 1572   |
| 4087000    | MILWAUKEE RIVER AT MILWAUKEE, WI                   | 43.100   | -87.909   | 1803   |
| 4087030    | MENOMONEE RIVER AT MENOMONEE FALLS, WI             | 43.173   | -88.104   | 90     |

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| 4087088    | UNDERWOOD CREEK AT WAUWATOSA, WI                   | 43.055   | -88.046   | 47    |
| 4087120    | MENOMONEE RIVER AT WAUWATOSA, WI                   | 43.046   | -88.000   | 319   |
| 4087159    | KINNICKINNIC RIVER @ S. 11TH STREET @ MILWAUKEE,WI | 42.998   | -87.926   | 49    |
| 4095300    | TRAIL CREEK AT MICHIGAN CITY, IN                   | 41.717   | -86.860   | 140   |
| 4102700    | SOUTH BRANCH BLACK RIVER NEAR BANGOR, MI           | 42.354   | -86.188   | 217   |
| 4142000    | RIFLE RIVER NEAR STERLING, MI                      | 44.073   | -84.020   | 829   |
| 4144500    | SHIAWASSEE RIVER AT OWOSSO, MI                     | 43.015   | -84.180   | 1393  |
| 4151500    | CASS RIVER AT FRANKENMUTH, MI                      | 43.328   | -83.748   | 2178  |
| 4176500    | RIVER RAISIN NEAR MONROE, MI                       | 41.961   | -83.531   | 2699  |
| 4182000    | ST. MARYS RIVER NEAR FORT WAYNE, IN                | 40.988   | -85.112   | 1974  |
| 4192500    | MAUMEE RIVER NEAR DEFIANCE OH                      | 41.292   | -84.281   | 14362 |
| 4193500    | MAUMEE RIVER AT WATERVILLE OH                      | 41.500   | -83.713   | 16395 |
| 4195500    | PORTAGE RIVER AT WOODVILLE OH                      | 41.449   | -83.361   | 1109  |
| 4197100    | HONEY CREEK AT MELMORE OH                          | 41.022   | -83.110   | 386   |
| 4198000    | SANDUSKY RIVER NEAR FREMONT OH                     | 41.308   | -83.159   | 3240  |
| 4199000    | HURON RIVER AT MILAN OH                            | 41.301   | -82.608   | 961   |
| 4201500    | ROCKY RIVER NEAR BEREA OH                          | 41.407   | -81.887   | 692   |
| 4202000    | CUYAHOGA RIVER AT HIRAM RAPIDS OH                  | 41.341   | -81.167   | 391   |
| 4206000    | CUYAHOGA RIVER AT OLD PORTAGE OH                   | 41.136   | -81.547   | 1046  |
| 4207200    | TINKERS CREEK AT BEDFORD OH                        | 41.384   | -81.527   | 217   |
| 4208000    | CUYAHOGA RIVER AT INDEPENDENCE OH                  | 41.395   | -81.630   | 1831  |
| 4209000    | CHAGRIN RIVER AT WILLOUGHBY OH                     | 41.631   | -81.403   | 637   |
| 4212100    | GRAND RIVER NEAR PAINESVILLE OH                    | 41.719   | -81.228   | 1774  |
| 4221000    | GENESEE RIVER AT WELLSVILLE, NY                    | 42.122   | -77.957   | 746   |
| 4223000    | GENESEE RIVER AT PORTAGEVILLE NY                   | 42.570   | -78.042   | 2549  |
| 4227500    | GENESEE RIVER NEAR MOUNT MORRIS NY                 | 42.767   | -77.839   | 3688  |
| 4232000    | GENESEE RIVER AT ROCHESTER NY                      | 43.181   | -77.628   | 6428  |
| 4233300    | SIXMILE CREEK AT BETHEL GROVE NY                   | 42.403   | -76.435   | 101   |
| 5058700    | SHEYENNE RIVER AT LISBON, ND                       | 46.447   | -97.679   | 21212 |
| 5059000    | SHEYENNE RIVER NEAR KINDRED, ND                    | 46.632   | -97.001   | 22792 |
| 5062000    | BUFFALO RIVER NR DILWORTH, MN                      | 46.961   | -96.661   |       |
| 5062500    | WILD RICE RIVER AT TWIN VALLEY, MN                 | 47.266   | -96.248   | 2419  |
| 5099600    | PEMBINA RIVER AT WALHALLA, ND                      | 48.913   | -97.917   | 8677  |
| 5114000    | SOURIS RIVER NR SHERWOOD, ND                       | 48.990   | -101.958  | 23155 |
| 5280000    | CROW RIVER AT ROCKFORD, MN                         | 45.087   | -93.734   | 6838  |
| 5288500    | MISSISSIPPI RIVER AT HWY 610 IN BROOKLYN PARK, MN  | 45.127   | -93.297   | 49469 |
| 5291000    | WHETSTONE RIVER NEAR BIG STONE CITY, SD            | 45.292   | -96.488   | 1052  |
| 5293000    | YELLOW BANK RIVER NEAR ODESSA, MN                  | 45.227   | -96.354   | 1189  |

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| 5304500    | CHIPPEWA RIVER NEAR MILAN, MN                      | 45.108   | -95.799   | 4869   |
| 5317000    | COTTONWOOD RIVER NEAR NEW ULM, MN                  | 44.289   | -94.440   | 3367   |
| 5325000    | MINNESOTA RIVER AT MANKATO, MN                     | 44.169   | -94.003   | 38591  |
| 5341500    | APPLE RIVER NEAR SOMERSET, WI                      | 45.158   | -92.716   | 1500   |
| 5357335    | BEAR RIVER NEAR MANITOWISH WATERS, WI              | 46.049   | -89.985   | 211    |
| 5369500    | CHIPPEWA RIVER AT DURAND, WI                       | 44.631   | -91.971   | 23336  |
| 5378500    | MISSISSIPPI RIVER AT WINONA, MN                    | 44.056   | -91.638   | 153328 |
| 5382000    | BLACK RIVER NEAR GALESVILLE, WI                    | 44.060   | -91.287   | 5387   |
| 5385000    | ROOT RIVER NEAR HOUSTON, MN                        | 43.769   | -91.570   | 3238   |
| 5387500    | UPPER IOWA RIVER AT DECORAH, IA                    | 43.305   | -91.796   | 1323   |
| 5388250    | UPPER IOWA RIVER NEAR DORCHESTER, IA               | 43.421   | -91.509   | 1994   |
| 5388500    | PAINT CREEK AT WATERVILLE, IA                      | 43.210   | -91.306   | 111    |
| 5389400    | BLOODY RUN CREEK NEAR MARQUETTE, IA                | 43.041   | -91.207   | 88     |
| 5389500    | MISSISSIPPI RIVER AT MCGREGOR, IA                  | 43.027   | -91.173   | 174825 |
| 5406500    | BLACK EARTH CREEK AT BLACK EARTH, WI               | 43.134   | -89.732   | 118    |
| 5407000    | WISCONSIN RIVER AT MUSCODA, WI                     | 43.198   | -90.441   |        |
| 5408000    | KICKAPOO RIVER AT LA FARGE, WI                     | 43.574   | -90.643   | 689    |
| 5412500    | TURKEY RIVER AT GARBER, IA                         | 42.740   | -91.262   | 4002   |
| 5413500    | GRANT RIVER AT BURTON, WI                          | 42.720   | -90.819   | 697    |
| 5418500    | MAQUOKETA RIVER NEAR MAQUOKETA, IA                 | 42.083   | -90.633   | 4022   |
| 5419000    | APPLE RIVER NEAR HANOVER, IL                       | 42.258   | -90.285   | 637    |
| 5420500    | MISSISSIPPI RIVER AT CLINTON, IA                   | 41.781   | -90.252   | 221704 |
| 5421000    | WAPSIPINICON RIVER AT INDEPENDENCE, IA             | 42.464   | -91.895   | 2714   |
| 5422000    | WAPSIPINICON RIVER NEAR DE WITT, IA                | 41.767   | -90.535   | 6050   |
| 5422470    | CROW CREEK AT BETTENDORF, IA                       | 41.551   | -90.455   | 46     |
| 5426000    | CRAWFISH RIVER AT MILFORD, WI                      | 43.100   | -88.849   | 1974   |
| 5427718    | YAHARA RIVER AT WINDSOR, WI                        | 43.209   | -89.353   | 191    |
| 5427948    | PHEASANT BRANCH AT MIDDLETON, WI                   | 43.103   | -89.512   | 47     |
| 5431017    | DELAVAN LAKE INLET AT STATE HWY 50 AT LAKE LAWN,WI | 42.621   | -88.583   | 56     |
| 5431022    | DELAVAN LAKE OUTLET AT BORG ROAD NEAR DELAVAN, WI  | 42.615   | -88.625   | 109    |
| 5431486    | TURTLE CREEK AT CARVERS ROCK ROAD NEAR CLINTON, WI | 42.597   | -88.829   | 515    |
| 5434500    | PECATONICA RIVER AT MARTINTOWN, WI                 | 42.510   | -89.801   | 2678   |
| 5436500    | SUGAR RIVER NEAR BRODHEAD, WI                      | 42.612   | -89.398   | 1355   |
| 5438500    | KISHWAUKEE RIVER AT BELVIDERE, IL                  | 42.256   | -88.863   | 1393   |
| 5439000    | SOUTH BRANCH KISHWAUKEE RIVER AT DEKALB, IL        | 41.931   | -88.760   | 201    |
| 5440000    | KISHWAUKEE RIVER NEAR PERRYVILLE, IL               | 42.194   | -88.999   | 2846   |
| 5446500    | ROCK RIVER NEAR JOSLIN, IL                         | 41.556   | -90.185   | 24732  |
| 5447500    | GREEN RIVER NEAR GENESEO, IL                       | 41.489   | -90.158   | 2598   |

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| 5449500    | IOWA RIVER NEAR ROWAN, IA                          | 42.760   | -93.622   | 1111  |
| 5451500    | IOWA RIVER AT MARSHALLTOWN, IA                     | 42.066   | -92.908   | 3968  |
| 5454500    | IOWA RIVER AT IOWA CITY, IA                        | 41.657   | -91.541   | 8472  |
| 5455000    | RALSTON CREEK AT IOWA CITY, IA                     | 41.664   | -91.514   | 8     |
| 5464500    | CEDAR RIVER AT CEDAR RAPIDS, IA                    | 41.972   | -91.667   | 16861 |
| 5465500    | IOWA RIVER AT WAPELLO, IA                          | 41.178   | -91.182   | 32375 |
| 5466500    | EDWARDS RIVER NEAR NEW BOSTON, IL                  | 41.187   | -90.967   | 1153  |
| 5469000    | HENDERSON CREEK NEAR OQUAWKA, IL                   | 41.001   | -90.854   | 1119  |
| 5471050    | SOUTH SKUNK RIVER AT COLFAX, IA                    | 41.681   | -93.247   | 2080  |
| 5474000    | SKUNK RIVER AT AUGUSTA, IA                         | 40.754   | -91.277   | 11168 |
| 5476000    | DES MOINES RIVER AT JACKSON, MN                    | 43.618   | -94.985   | 3238  |
| 5481650    | DES MOINES RIVER NEAR SAYLORVILLE, IA              | 41.681   | -93.668   | 15128 |
| 5482000    | DES MOINES RIVER AT 2ND AVENUE AT DES MOINES, IA   | 41.612   | -93.621   | 16175 |
| 5483000    | EAST FORK HARDIN CREEK NEAR CHURDAN, IA            | 42.107   | -94.370   | 62    |
| 5483450    | MIDDLE RACCOON RIVER NEAR BAYARD, IA               | 41.779   | -94.493   | 971   |
| 5483600    | MIDDLE RACCOON RIVER AT PANORA, IA                 | 41.687   | -94.371   | 1140  |
| 5485500    | DES MOINES RIVER BLW RACCOON RIV AT DES MOINES, IA | 41.578   | -93.605   | 25587 |
| 5486490    | MIDDLE RIVER NEAR INDIANOLA, IA                    | 41.424   | -93.587   | 1268  |
| 5487980    | WHITE BREAST CREEK NEAR DALLAS, IA                 | 41.247   | -93.290   | 862   |
| 5498000    | MIDDLE FABIUS RIVER NEAR MONTICELLO, MO            | 40.094   | -91.736   | 1018  |
| 5502500    | NORTH FORK SALT RIVER NEAR SHELBINA, MO            | 39.741   | -92.041   | 1246  |
| 5506000    | YOUNGS CREEK NEAR MEXICO, MO                       | 39.314   | -91.947   | 175   |
| 5506500    | MIDDLE FORK SALT RIVER AT PARIS, MO                | 39.484   | -92.014   | 922   |
| 5507000    | ELK FORK SALT RIVER NEAR PARIS, MO                 | 39.443   | -92.002   | 679   |
| 5508000    | SALT RIVER NEAR NEW LONDON, MO                     | 39.612   | -91.407   | 6423  |
| 5516500    | YELLOW RIVER AT PLYMOUTH, IND.                     | 41.340   | -86.304   | 761   |
| 5520500    | KANKAKEE RIVER AT MOMENCE, IL                      | 41.160   | -87.669   | 5941  |
| 5525000    | IROQUOIS RIVER AT IROQUOIS, IL                     | 40.823   | -87.581   | 1777  |
| 5526000    | IROQUOIS RIVER NEAR CHEBANSE, IL                   | 41.009   | -87.823   | 5416  |
| 5527500    | KANKAKEE RIVER NEAR WILMINGTON, IL                 | 41.347   | -88.186   | 13339 |
| 5532500    | DES PLAINES RIVER AT RIVERSIDE, IL                 | 41.822   | -87.822   | 1632  |
| 5543500    | ILLINOIS RIVER AT MARSEILLES, IL                   | 41.327   | -88.718   | 21391 |
| 5548280    | NIPPERSINK CREEK NEAR SPRING GROVE, IL             | 42.443   | -88.248   | 497   |
| 5552500    | FOX RIVER AT DAYTON, IL                            | 41.384   | -88.789   | 6843  |
| 5558300    | ILLINOIS RIVER AT HENRY, IL                        | 41.107   | -89.356   | 35079 |
| 5568000    | MACKINAW RIVER NEAR GREEN VALLEY, IL               | 40.454   | -89.606   | 2779  |
| 5570000    | SPOON RIVER AT SEVILLE, IL                         | 40.490   | -90.340   | 4237  |
| 5570370    | BIG CREEK NEAR BRYANT, IL                          | 40.459   | -90.133   | 107   |

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| 5583000    | SANGAMON RIVER NEAR OAKFORD, IL                   | 40.124   | -89.985   | 13191  |
| 5585000    | LA MOINE RIVER AT RIPLEY, IL                      | 40.025   | -90.632   | 3349   |
| 5586100    | ILLINOIS RIVER AT VALLEY CITY, IL                 | 39.703   | -90.645   | 69264  |
| 5587500    | MISSISSIPPI RIVER AT ALTON, IL                    | 38.885   | -90.181   | 444185 |
| 5591200    | KASKASKIA RIVER AT COOKS MILLS, IL                | 39.583   | -88.413   | 1225   |
| 5594100    | KASKASKIA RIVER NEAR VENEDY STATION, IL           | 38.451   | -89.628   | 11378  |
| 5599500    | BIG MUDDY RIVER AT MURPHYSBORO, IL                | 37.748   | -89.347   | 5618   |
| 6018500    | BEAVERHEAD RIVER NEAR TWIN BRIDGES MT             | 45.383   | -112.453  | 9371   |
| 6025500    | BIG HOLE RIVER NEAR MELROSE MT                    | 45.527   | -112.702  | 6402   |
| 6026500    | JEFFERSON RIVER NEAR TWIN BRIDGES MT              | 45.613   | -112.329  | 19725  |
| 6088300    | MUDDY CREEK NEAR VAUGHN MT                        | 47.625   | -111.635  | 580    |
| 6088500    | MUDDY CREEK AT VAUGHN MT                          | 47.561   | -111.542  | 663    |
| 6115200    | MISSOURI RIVER NEAR LANDUSKY MT                   | 47.631   | -108.688  | 105281 |
| 6130500    | MUSSELSHELL RIVER AT MOSBY MT                     | 46.995   | -107.889  | 20161  |
| 6185500    | MISSOURI RIVER NEAR CULBERTSON MT                 | 48.124   | -104.473  | 232732 |
| 6188000    | LAMAR RIVER NR TOWER FALLS RANGER STATION, YNP    | 44.928   | -110.394  | 1709   |
| 6191500    | YELLOWSTONE RIVER AT CORWIN SPRINGS, MT           | 45.112   | -110.794  | 6783   |
| 6214500    | YELLOWSTONE RIVER AT BILLINGS MT                  | 45.800   | -108.467  | 30575  |
| 6228000    | WIND RIVER AT RIVERTON, WY                        | 43.011   | -108.377  | 5980   |
| 6236100    | WIND RIVER AB BOYSEN RESERVOIR, NR SHOSHONI, WY   | 43.129   | -108.225  | 11370  |
| 6244500    | FIVEMILE CREEK AB WYOMING CANAL, NR PAVILLION, WY | 43.301   | -108.703  | 306    |
| 6253000    | FIVEMILE CREEK NEAR SHOSHONI, WY                  | 43.222   | -108.220  | 1083   |
| 6257000    | BADWATER CREEK AT BONNEVILLE, WYO.                | 43.269   | -108.080  | 2093   |
| 6258000    | MUDDY CREEK NEAR SHOSHONI, WY                     | 43.286   | -108.276  | 860    |
| 6259500    | BIGHORN RIVER AT THERMOPOLIS, WYO.                | 43.646   | -108.203  | 20772  |
| 6268500    | FIFTEEN MILE CREEK NEAR WORLAND, WY               | 44.021   | -108.014  | 1342   |
| 6279500    | BIGHORN RIVER AT KANE, WY                         | 44.759   | -108.181  | 40824  |
| 6290500    | LITTLE BIGHORN R BL PASS CREEK, NR WYOLA, MT      | 45.177   | -107.395  | 1109   |
| 6294000    | LITTLE BIGHORN RIVER NEAR HARDIN MT               | 45.736   | -107.557  | 3351   |
| 6294700    | BIGHORN RIVER AT BIGHORN MT                       | 46.147   | -107.467  | 59283  |
| 6295000    | YELLOWSTONE RIVER AT FORSYTH, MT.                 | 46.266   | -106.691  | 103978 |
| 6308500    | TONGUE RIVER AT MILES CITY, MT                    | 46.385   | -105.846  | 13996  |
| 6309500    | MIDDLE FORK POWDER RIVER ABOVE KAYCEE, WY         | 43.647   | -106.809  | 1166   |
| 6313000    | SOUTH FORK POWDER RIVER NEAR KAYCEE, WY           | 43.619   | -106.577  | 2979   |
| 6313500    | POWDER RIVER AT SUSSEX, WY                        | 43.697   | -106.306  | 8003   |
| 6317000    | POWDER RIVER AT ARVADA, WY                        | 44.650   | -106.128  | 15670  |
| 6324500    | POWDER RIVER AT MOORHEAD, MT                      | 45.058   | -105.878  | 20948  |
| 6326500    | POWDER RIVER NEAR LOCATE, MT.                     | 46.430   | -105.310  | 33846  |

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| 6329500    | YELLOWSTONE RIVER NEAR SIDNEY, MT.             | 47.678   | -104.157  | 178925 |
| 6335500    | LITTLE MISSOURI RIVER AT MARMARTH, ND          | 46.298   | -103.918  | 12018  |
| 6336000    | LITTLE MISSOURI RIVER AT MEDORA, ND            | 46.919   | -103.528  | 16032  |
| 6337000    | LITTLE MISSOURI RIVER NR WATFORD CITY, ND      | 47.590   | -103.252  | 21523  |
| 6339500    | KNIFE RIVER NR GOLDEN VALLEY, ND               | 47.154   | -102.060  | 3186   |
| 6340500    | KNIFE RIVER AT HAZEN, ND                       | 47.285   | -101.622  | 5802   |
| 6342500    | MISSOURI RIVER AT BISMARCK, ND                 | 46.814   | -100.821  | 482776 |
| 6345500    | HEART RIVER NR RICHARDTON, ND                  | 46.746   | -102.308  | 3212   |
| 6349000    | HEART RIVER NR MANDAN, ND                      | 46.834   | -100.975  | 8573   |
| 6350000    | CANNONBALL RIVER AT REGENT, ND                 | 46.427   | -102.552  | 1502   |
| 6352500    | CEDAR CREEK NR PRETTY ROCK, ND                 | 46.032   | -101.832  | 3471   |
| 6354000    | CANNONBALL RIVER AT BREIEN, ND                 | 46.376   | -100.934  | 10619  |
| 6357500    | GRAND R AT SHADEHILL SD                        | 45.756   | -102.196  | 7747   |
| 6357800    | GRAND R AT LITTLE EAGLE,SD                     | 45.658   | -100.818  | 13768  |
| 6359500    | MOREAU R NEAR FAITH,SD                         | 45.198   | -102.157  | 6713   |
| 6360500    | MOREAU R NEAR WHITEHORSE,SD                    | 45.256   | -100.843  | 12663  |
| 6386000    | LANCE CREEK NEAR RIVERVIEW, WY                 | 43.355   | -104.271  | 5361   |
| 6394000    | BEAVER CREEK NEAR NEWCASTLE, WYO.              | 43.535   | -104.118  | 3419   |
| 6400000    | HAT CR NEAR EDGEMONT,SD                        | 43.240   | -103.588  | 2484   |
| 6400500    | CHEYENNE R NEAR HOT SPRINGS SD                 | 43.305   | -103.562  | 22582  |
| 6425720    | BELLE FOURCHE R BL RATTLESNAKE C, NR PINEY, WY | 43.984   | -105.388  | 1282   |
| 6437000    | BELLE FOURCHE R NEAR STURGIS,SD                | 44.513   | -103.137  | 15017  |
| 6439300    | CHEYENNE RIVER AT CHERRY CREEK,SD              | 44.600   | -101.498  | 61041  |
| 6440200    | SOUTH FORK BAD R NEAR COTTONWOOD,SD            | 43.969   | -101.767  | 666    |
| 6441500    | BAD R NEAR FORT PIERRE,SD                      | 44.327   | -100.384  | 8151   |
| 6446000    | WHITE R NEAR OGLALA SD                         | 43.255   | -102.827  | 5584   |
| 6447000    | WHITE R NEAR KADOKA,SD                         | 43.752   | -101.525  | 12846  |
| 6452000    | WHITE R NEAR OACOMA,SD                         | 43.748   | -99.556   | 25680  |
| 6453500    | PONCA CREEK AT ANOKA, NEBR.                    | 42.943   | -98.841   | 1308   |
| 6457500    | NIOBRARA RIVER NEAR GORDON, NEBR.              | 42.640   | -102.211  | 11111  |
| 6461500    | NIOBRARA RIVER NEAR SPARKS, NEBR.              | 42.902   | -100.362  | 18519  |
| 6465500    | NIOBRARA RIVER NEAR VERDEL, NEBR.              | 42.740   | -98.223   | 29992  |
| 6477000    | JAMES R NEAR FORESTBURG,SD                     | 43.974   | -98.071   | 45618  |
| 6478500    | JAMES R NEAR SCOTLAND,SD                       | 43.186   | -97.636   | 53540  |
| 6481000    | BIG SIOUX R NEAR DELL RAPIDS,SD                | 43.790   | -96.746   | 10171  |
| 6486000    | MISSOURI RIVER AT SIOUX CITY, IA               | 42.486   | -96.414   | 814814 |
| 6600500    | FLOYD RIVER AT JAMES, IA                       | 42.577   | -96.311   | 2295   |
| 6606600    | LITTLE SIOUX RIVER AT CORRECTIONVILLE, IA      | 42.482   | -95.793   | 6475   |

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| 6606700    | LITTLE SIOUX RIVER NEAR KENNEBEC, IA            | 42.081   | -96.014   | 7091    |
| 6610000    | MISSOURI RIVER AT OMAHA, NE                     | 41.259   | -95.923   | 836052  |
| 6645000    | NORTH PLATTE RIVER BELOW CASPER, WY             | 42.859   | -106.211  | 32567   |
| 6650000    | NORTH PLATTE RIVER NEAR DOUGLAS, WY             | 42.683   | -105.391  | 47495   |
| 6656000    | NORTH PLATTE RIVER BELOW GUERNSEY RESERVOIR, WY | 42.281   | -104.755  | 42054   |
| 6758500    | SOUTH PLATTE RIVER NEAR WELDONA, CO             | 40.321   | -103.920  | 34201   |
| 6771000    | WOOD RIVER NEAR RIVERDALE, NEBR.                | 40.799   | -99.197   | 982     |
| 6785000    | MIDDLE LOUP RIVER AT SAINT PAUL, NEBR.          | 41.204   | -98.446   | 20914   |
| 6790500    | NORTH LOUP RIVER NEAR SAINT PAUL, NEBR.         | 41.263   | -98.449   | 11142   |
| 6803500    | SALT CREEK AT LINCOLN, NEBR.                    | 40.847   | -96.682   | 1774    |
| 6805500    | PLATTE RIVER AT LOUISVILLE, NEBR.               | 41.015   | -96.158   | 221108  |
| 6807000    | MISSOURI RIVER AT NEBRASKA CITY, NE             | 40.682   | -95.847   | 1061900 |
| 6809000    | DAVIDS CREEK NEAR HAMLIN, IA                    | 41.674   | -94.806   | 67      |
| 6809500    | EAST NISHNABOTNA RIVER AT RED OAK, IA           | 41.009   | -95.242   | 2315    |
| 6817000    | NODAWAY RIVER AT CLARINDA, IA                   | 40.743   | -95.014   | 1974    |
| 6818000    | MISSOURI RIVER AT ST. JOSEPH, MO                | 39.753   | -94.857   | 1104635 |
| 6821500    | ARIKAREE RIVER AT HAIGLER, NEBR.                | 40.029   | -101.968  | 4403    |
| 6828500    | REPUBLICAN RIVER AT STRATTON, NEBR.             | 40.141   | -101.230  | 21238   |
| 6829500    | REPUBLICAN RIVER AT TRENTON, NEBR.              | 40.167   | -101.048  | 21601   |
| 6834000    | FRENCHMAN CREEK AT PALISADE, NEBR.              | 40.352   | -101.124  | 3367    |
| 6838000    | RED WILLOW CREEK NEAR RED WILLOW, NEBR.         | 40.235   | -100.501  | 2124    |
| 6841000    | MEDICINE CREEK ABOVE HARRY STRUNK LAKE, NE      | 40.501   | -100.323  | 1994    |
| 6841500    | MITCHELL CREEK ABOVE HARRY STRUNK LAKE, NEBR.   | 40.472   | -100.258  | 135     |
| 6844500    | REPUBLICAN RIVER NEAR ORLEANS, NEBR.            | 40.132   | -99.503   | 40352   |
| 6845000    | SAPPA C NR OBERLIN, KS                          | 39.813   | -100.534  | 2813    |
| 6845200    | SAPPA CREEK NEAR BEAVER CITY, NEBR.             | 40.046   | -99.890   | 3885    |
| 6846500    | BEAVER C AT CEDAR BLUFFS, KS                    | 39.985   | -100.560  | 4191    |
| 6847000    | BEAVER CREEK NEAR BEAVER CITY, NEBR.            | 40.120   | -99.893   | 5387    |
| 6847500    | SAPPA CREEK NEAR STAMFORD, NEBR.                | 40.118   | -99.517   | 9946    |
| 6848000    | PRAIRIE DOG C AT NORTON, KS                     | 39.810   | -99.922   | 1772    |
| 6854000    | WHITE ROCK C AT LOVEWELL, KS                    | 39.884   | -98.023   | 894     |
| 6854500    | REPUBLICAN R AT SCANDIA, KS                     | 39.799   | -97.793   | 61020   |
| 6856600    | REPUBLICAN R AT CLAY CENTER, KS                 | 39.356   | -97.128   | 63564   |
| 6866900    | SALINE R NR WAKEENEY, KS                        | 39.106   | -99.870   | 1803    |
| 6867000    | SALINE R NR RUSSELL, KS                         | 38.966   | -98.855   | 3890    |
| 6869500    | SALINE R AT TESCOTT, KS                         | 39.004   | -97.874   | 7304    |
| 6870200    | SMOKY HILL R AT NEW CAMBRIA, KS                 | 38.864   | -97.483   | 30381   |
| 6871800    | NF SOLOMON R AT KIRWIN, KS                      | 39.660   | -99.116   | 3541    |

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| 6873500    | SF SOLOMON R AT ALTON, KS                          | 39.454   | -98.948   | 4455   |
| 6876000    | SOLOMON R AT BELOIT, KS                            | 39.455   | -98.110   | 14090  |
| 6877600    | SMOKY HILL R AT ENTERPRISE, KS                     | 38.906   | -97.118   | 49883  |
| 6881000    | BIG BLUE R NR CRETE, NE                            | 40.596   | -96.960   | 7034   |
| 6883000    | LITTLE BLUE R NR DEWEESE, NE                       | 40.333   | -98.073   | 2536   |
| 6887500    | KANSAS R AT WAMEGO, KS                             | 39.198   | -96.306   | 143175 |
| 6888000    | VERMILLION C NR WAMEGO, KS                         | 39.348   | -96.217   | 629    |
| 6890500    | DELAWARE R AT VALLEY FALLS, KS                     | 39.351   | -95.455   | 2388   |
| 6898000    | THOMPSON RIVER AT DAVIS CITY, IA                   | 40.640   | -93.808   | 1816   |
| 6903400    | CHARITON RIVER NEAR CHARITON, IA                   | 40.952   | -93.260   | 471    |
| 6903900    | CHARITON RIVER NEAR RATHBUN, IA                    | 40.822   | -92.891   | 1422   |
| 6918070    | OSAGE RIVER ABOVE SCHELL CITY, MO                  | 38.056   | -94.145   | 14012  |
| 6934500    | MISSOURI RIVER AT HERMANN, MO                      | 38.710   | -91.439   | 135327 |
| 7010000    | MISSISSIPPI RIVER AT ST. LOUIS, MO                 | 38.629   | -90.180   | 180523 |
| 7019000    | MERAMEC RIVER NEAR EUREKA, MO                      | 38.506   | -90.592   | 9811   |
| 7020500    | MISSISSIPPI RIVER AT CHESTER, IL                   | 37.904   | -89.836   | 183527 |
| 7022000    | MISSISSIPPI RIVER AT THEBES, IL                    | 37.216   | -89.468   | 184718 |
| 7036100    | ST. FRANCIS RIVER NEAR SACO, MO                    | 37.385   | -90.474   | 1720   |
| 7040100    | ST. FRANCIS RIVER AT ST. FRANCIS, AR               | 36.456   | -90.138   | 4584   |
| 7047810    | ST. FRANCIS RIVER FLOODWAY NEAR MARKED TREE, AR    | 35.538   | -90.485   | 12046  |
| 7061300    | EAST FORK BLACK RIVER AT LESTERVILLE, MO           | 37.450   | -90.827   | 243    |
| 7077555    | CACHE RIVER NEAR COTTON PLANT, AR                  | 35.036   | -91.323   | 3030   |
| 7103700    | FOUNTAIN CREEK NEAR COLORADO SPRINGS, CO.          | 38.855   | -104.878  | 264    |
| 7103970    | MONUMENT CR ABV WOODMEN RD AT COLORADO SPRINGS, CO | 38.934   | -104.817  | 466    |
| 7103990    | COTTONWOOD CREEK AT MOUTH AT PIKEVIEW, CO          | 38.927   | -104.814  | 49     |
| 7105500    | FOUNTAIN CREEK AT COLORADO SPRINGS, CO             | 38.816   | -104.823  | 1015   |
| 7105530    | FOUNTAIN CR BLW JANITELL RD BLW COLO. SPRINGS, CO  | 38.803   | -104.796  | 1070   |
| 7105800    | FOUNTAIN CREEK AT SECURITY, CO                     | 38.729   | -104.734  | 1295   |
| 7106300    | FOUNTAIN CREEK NEAR PINON, CO                      | 38.429   | -104.598  | 2240   |
| 7106500    | FOUNTAIN CREEK AT PUEBLO, CO.                      | 38.288   | -104.601  | 2396   |
| 7124200    | PURGATOIRE RIVER AT MADRID, CO.                    | 37.129   | -104.640  | 1308   |
| 7124410    | PURGATOIRE RIVER BELOW TRINIDAD LAKE, CO.          | 37.144   | -104.548  | 1743   |
| 7126300    | PURGATOIRE RIVER NEAR THATCHER, CO.                | 37.356   | -103.900  | 4957   |
| 7126485    | PURGATOIRE RIVER AT ROCK CROSSING NR TIMPAS, CO.   | 37.618   | -103.594  | 7143   |
| 7140000    | ARKANSAS R NR KINSLEY, KS                          | 37.928   | -99.374   | 85641  |
| 7141900    | WALNUT C AT ALBERT, KS                             | 38.462   | -99.015   | 3652   |
| 7143330    | ARKANSAS R NR HUTCHINSON, KS                       | 37.946   | -97.775   | 100777 |
| 7144200    | L ARKANSAS R AT VALLEY CENTER, KS                  | 37.832   | -97.389   | 3437   |

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| 7146500    | ARKANSAS R AT ARKANSAS CITY, KS                    | 37.038   | -97.039   | 113217 |
| 7147800    | WALNUT R AT WINFIELD, KS                           | 37.224   | -96.996   | 4869   |
| 7151500    | CHIKASKIA R NR CORBIN, KS                          | 37.129   | -97.602   | 2056   |
| 7230000    | LITTLE RIVER BLW LK THUNDERBIRD NR NORMAN, OK      | 35.222   | -97.214   | 666    |
| 7277700    | HICKAHALA CREEK NR SENATOBIA, MS                   | 34.632   | -89.924   | 313    |
| 7301500    | NORTH FORK RED RIVER NEAR CARTER, OK               | 35.168   | -99.507   | 6869   |
| 7304500    | ELK CREEK NEAR HOBART, OK                          | 34.914   | -99.114   | 1422   |
| 7325500    | WASHITA RIVER AT CARNEGIE, OK                      | 35.117   | -98.564   | 8070   |
| 7351750    | BAYOU PIERRE NEAR LAKE END, LA                     | 31.895   | -93.342   | 2227   |
| 7352800    | GRAND BYU NR COUSHATTA, LA                         | 32.048   | -93.302   | 243    |
| 8023080    | BAYOU GRAND CANE NEAR STANLEY, LA                  | 31.963   | -93.941   | 188    |
| 8023400    | BAYOU SAN PATRICIO NEAR BENSON, LA                 | 31.875   | -93.659   | 208    |
| 8044000    | BIG SANDY CK NR BRIDGEPORT, TX                     | 33.232   | -97.695   | 862    |
| 8286500    | RIO CHAMA ABOVE ABIQUIU RESERVOIR, NM              | 36.319   | -106.600  | 4144   |
| 8287000    | RIO CHAMA BELOW ABIQUIU DAM, NM                    | 36.237   | -106.417  | 5561   |
| 8290000    | RIO CHAMA NEAR CHAMITA, NM                         | 36.074   | -106.112  | 8143   |
| 8313000    | RIO GRANDE AT OTOWI BRIDGE, NM                     | 35.875   | -106.142  | 37037  |
| 8317400    | RIO GRANDE BELOW COCHITI DAM, NM                   | 35.618   | -106.324  | 38591  |
| 8317950    | GALISTEO CREEK BELOW GALISTEO DAM, NM              | 35.465   | -106.213  | 1544   |
| 8318000    | GALISTEO C AT DOMINGO, NM                          | 35.512   | -106.318  | 1658   |
| 8329500    | RIO GRANDE NEAR BERNALILLO, NM                     | 35.285   | -106.596  | 44807  |
| 8330000    | RIO GRANDE AT ALBUQUERQUE, NM                      | 35.089   | -106.681  | 45170  |
| 8331990    | RIO GRANDE CONVEYANCE CHANNEL NEAR BERNARDO, NM    | 34.415   | -106.804  |        |
| 8332010    | RIO GRANDE FLOODWAY NEAR BERNARDO, NM              | 34.417   | -106.801  | 49806  |
| 8332050    | BERNARDO INTERIOR DRAIN NR BERNARDO, NM            | 34.416   | -106.821  |        |
| 8334000    | RIO PUERCO ABV ARROYO CHICO NR GUADALUPE, NM       | 35.601   | -107.167  | 1088   |
| 8340500    | ARROYO CHICO NR GUADALUPE, NM                      | 35.592   | -107.189  | 3600   |
| 8353000    | RIO PUERCO NEAR BERNARDO, NM                       | 34.410   | -106.854  | 19037  |
| 8354800    | RIO GRANDE CONVEYANCE CHANNEL AT SAN ACACIA, NM    | 34.248   | -106.902  |        |
| 8354900    | RIO GRANDE FLOODWAY AT SAN ACACIA, NM              | 34.256   | -106.891  | 69334  |
| 8358300    | RIO GRANDE CONVEYANCE CHANNEL AT SAN MARCIAL, NM   | 33.688   | -106.993  |        |
| 8358400    | RIO GRANDE FLOODWAY AT SAN MARCIAL, NM             | 33.679   | -106.997  | 71743  |
| 8383000    | PECOS RIVER AT SANTA ROSA, NM                      | 34.943   | -104.699  | 6864   |
| 8390500    | RIO HONDO RV DIA A RH                              | 33.349   | -104.852  |        |
| 8396500    | PECOS RIVER NEAR ARTESIA, NM                       | 32.841   | -104.324  | 39627  |
| 8398500    | RIO PENASCO AT DAYTON, NM                          | 32.743   | -104.414  | 2745   |
| 9041090    | MUDDY CREEK ABOVE ANTELOPE CREEK NR. KREMMLING, CO | 40.202   | -106.423  | 376    |
| 9093700    | COLORADO RIVER NEAR DE BEQUE, CO.                  | 39.362   | -108.153  | 19088  |

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| 9180000    | DOLORES RIVER NEAR CISCO, UT                       | 38.797   | -109.195  | 11862  |
| 9180500    | COLORADO RIVER NEAR CISCO, UT                      | 38.811   | -109.293  | 62419  |
| 9184000    | MILL CREEK NEAR MOAB, UT                           | 38.562   | -109.514  | 194    |
| 9217000    | GREEN RIVER NEAR GREEN RIVER, WY                   | 41.516   | -109.449  | 36260  |
| 9224700    | BLACKS FORK NEAR LITTLE AMERICA, WY                | 41.546   | -109.693  | 8029   |
| 9243900    | FOIDEL CREEK AT MOUTH NEAR OAK CREEK, CO           | 40.390   | -106.995  | 45     |
| 9251000    | YAMPA RIVER NEAR MAYBELL, CO                       | 40.503   | -108.033  | 8762   |
| 9260000    | LITTLE SNAKE RIVER NEAR LILY, CO                   | 40.549   | -108.424  | 10448  |
| 9261000    | GREEN RIVER NEAR JENSEN, UT                        | 40.409   | -109.235  | 76819  |
| 9306500    | WHITE RIVER NEAR WATSON, UTAH                      | 39.979   | -109.179  | 10412  |
| 9315000    | GREEN RIVER AT GREEN RIVER, UT                     | 38.986   | -110.151  | 116162 |
| 9328500    | SAN RAFAEL RIVER NEAR GREEN RIVER, UT              | 38.858   | -110.370  | 4217   |
| 9341500    | WEST FORK SAN JUAN RIVER NEAR PAGOSA SPRINGS, CO   | 37.392   | -106.907  | 221    |
| 9355500    | SAN JUAN RIVER NEAR ARCHULETA, NM                  | 36.802   | -107.699  | 8443   |
| 9356500    | SAN JUAN R NR BLANCO, NM                           | 36.730   | -107.812  | 9220   |
| 9364500    | ANIMAS RIVER AT FARMINGTON, NM                     | 36.723   | -108.202  | 3522   |
| 9368000    | SAN JUAN RIVER AT SHIPROCK,NM                      | 36.792   | -108.732  | 33411  |
| 9378700    | COTTONWOOD WASH NR BLANDING UTAH                   | 37.561   | -109.579  | 531    |
| 9379500    | SAN JUAN RIVER NEAR BLUFF, UT                      | 37.147   | -109.865  | 59570  |
| 9380000    | COLORADO RIVER AT LEES FERRY, AZ                   | 36.865   | -111.588  | 289562 |
| 9382000    | PARIA RIVER AT LEES FERRY, AZ                      | 36.872   | -111.595  | 3652   |
| 9394500    | LITTLE COLORADO RIVER AT WOODRUFF, AZ              | 34.783   | -110.044  | 20906  |
| 9401260    | MOENKOPI WASH AT MOENKOPI, AZ                      | 36.105   | -111.202  | 4219   |
| 9402000    | LITTLE COLORADO RIVER NEAR CAMERON, AZ             | 35.926   | -111.567  | 68529  |
| 9402500    | COLORADO RIVER NEAR GRAND CANYON, AZ               | 36.101   | -112.086  | 366744 |
| 9406000    | VIRGIN RIVER AT VIRGIN, UT                         | 37.204   | -113.181  | 2476   |
| 9408150    | VIRGIN RIVER NEAR HURRICANE, UT                    | 37.163   | -113.395  | 3867   |
| 9410000    | SANTA CLARA RIVER AB WINSOR DAM NR SANTA CLARA, UT | 37.218   | -113.777  | 875    |
| 9415000    | VIRGIN RIVER AT LITTLEFIELD, ARIZ.                 | 36.892   | -113.924  | 13183  |
| 9430500    | GILA RIVER NR GILA, NEW MEXICO                     | 33.061   | -108.537  | 4828   |
| 9448500    | GILA RIVER AT HEAD OF SAFFORD VALLEY, NR SOLOMON,  | 32.868   | -109.511  | 20451  |
| 9471000    | SAN PEDRO RIVER AT CHARLESTON, AZ.                 | 31.626   | -110.175  | 3196   |
| 9474000    | GILA RIVER AT KELVIN, AZ.                          | 33.103   | -110.977  | 46648  |
| 9505350    | DRY BEAVER CREEK NEAR RIMROCK, AZ                  | 34.729   | -111.776  | 368    |
| 10092700   | BEAR RIVER AT IDAHO-UTAH STATE LINE                | 42.013   | -111.921  | 12650  |
| 10104700   | LITTLE BEAR R BL DAVENPORT C NR AVON UT            | 41.512   | -111.812  | 160    |
| 10118000   | BEAR RIVER NEAR COLLINSTON, UT                     | 41.834   | -112.055  | 16242  |
| 10174500   | SEVIER RIVER AT HATCH, UT                          | 37.651   | -112.430  | 881    |

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| 10336610   | UP TRUCKEE R A SOUTH LAKE TAHOE CA                | 38.922   | -119.992  | 142   |
| 10336645   | GENERAL C NR MEEKS BAY CA                         | 39.052   | -120.119  | 19    |
| 10336660   | BLACKWOOD C NR TAHOE CITY CA                      | 39.107   | -120.162  | 29    |
| 10336676   | WARD C AT HWY 89 NR TAHOE PINES CA                | 39.132   | -120.158  | 25    |
| 10336698   | THIRD CK NR CRYSTAL BAY, NV                       | 39.240   | -119.947  | 16    |
| 10336740   | LOGAN HOUSE C NR GLENBROOK NV CA                  | 39.067   | -119.935  | 5     |
| 10336780   | TROUT C NR TAHOE VALLEY CA                        | 38.920   | -119.972  | 95    |
| 11013500   | TIJUANA R NR NESTOR CA                            | 32.552   | -117.084  | 4390  |
| 11022500   | SAN DIEGO R NR SANTEE CA                          | 32.825   | -117.056  | 976   |
| 11042000   | SAN LUIS REY R A OCEANSIDE CA                     | 33.218   | -117.360  | 1443  |
| 11046000   | SANTA MARGARITA R A YSIDORA CA                    | 33.311   | -117.347  | 1873  |
| 11046500   | SAN JUAN C NR SAN JUAN CAPISTRANO CA              | 33.519   | -117.625  | 275   |
| 11046530   | SAN JUAN C AT LA NOVIA ST BR AT SAN JUAN CAPIS CA | 33.503   | -117.648  | 282   |
| 11047000   | ARROYO TRABUCO NR SAN JUAN CAPISTRANO CA          | 33.527   | -117.670  | 92    |
| 11047300   | ARROYO TRABUCO A SAN JUAN CAPISTRANO CA           | 33.498   | -117.666  | 140   |
| 11048500   | SAN DIEGO C AT CULVER DRIVE NR IRVINE CA          | 33.682   | -117.809  | 108   |
| 11051500   | SANTA ANA R NR MENTONE CA                         | 34.108   | -117.101  | 544   |
| 11057000   | SAN TIMOTEO C NR REDLANDS CA                      | 34.033   | -117.209  | 306   |
| 11074000   | SANTA ANA R BL PRADO DAM CA                       | 33.883   | -117.645  | 5848  |
| 11078000   | SANTA ANA R A SANTA ANA CA                        | 33.751   | -117.908  | 4403  |
| 11105850   | ARROYO SIMI NR SIMI CA                            | 34.273   | -118.788  | 183   |
| 11108500   | SANTA CLARA RIVER AT L.AVENTURA CO. LINE          | 34.400   | -118.705  |       |
| 11109000   | SANTA CLARA R NR PIRU CA                          | 34.404   | -118.739  | 1671  |
| 11110500   | HOPPER CREEK NEAR PIRU                            | 34.401   | -118.826  |       |
| 11113000   | SESPE CREEK NEAR FILLMORE                         | 34.451   | -118.926  |       |
| 11114000   | SANTA CLARA RIVER AT MONTALVO                     | 34.242   | -119.190  |       |
| 11117500   | SAN ANTONIO CREEK AT CASITAS SPRINGS              | 34.380   | -119.305  |       |
| 11118500   | VENTURA RIVER NEAR VENTURA                        | 34.351   | -119.307  |       |
| 11120510   | SAN JOSE C A GOLETA CA                            | 34.430   | -119.822  | 24    |
| 11141000   | SANTA MARIA R A GUADALUPE                         | 34.976   | -120.572  | 4509  |
| 11141280   | LOPEZ C NR ARROYO GRANDE CA                       | 35.236   | -120.472  | 54    |
| 11147070   | SANTA RITA C NR TEMPLETON CA                      | 35.524   | -120.766  | 47    |
| 11148900   | NACIMIENTO R BL SAPAQUE C NR BRYSON CA            | 35.789   | -121.094  | 420   |
| 11149900   | SAN ANTONIO R NR LOCKWOOD CA                      | 35.897   | -121.088  | 562   |
| 11151870   | ARROYO SECO NR GREENFIELD CA                      | 36.237   | -121.482  | 293   |
| 11152500   | SALINAS R NR SPRECKELS CA                         | 36.631   | -121.672  | 10764 |
| 11153900   | UVAS C AB UVAS RES NR MORGAN HILL CA              | 37.093   | -121.718  | 54    |
| 11160300   | ZAYANTE C A ZAYANTE CA                            | 37.086   | -122.047  | 29    |

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| 11160500   | SAN LORENZO R A BIG TREES CA                   | 37.044   | -122.072  | 275   |
| 11162720   | COLMA C A SOUTH SAN FRANCISCO CA               | 37.654   | -122.426  | 28    |
| 11169800   | COYOTE C NR GILROY CA                          | 37.078   | -121.494  | 282   |
| 11176400   | ARROYO VALLE BL LANG CYN NR LIVERMORE CA       | 37.561   | -121.684  | 337   |
| 11176500   | ARROYO VALLE NR LIVERMORE CA                   | 37.623   | -121.759  | 381   |
| 11176900   | ARROYO DE LA LAGUNA A VERONA CA                | 37.627   | -121.883  | 1044  |
| 11177000   | ARROYO DE LA LAGUNA NR PLEASANTON CA           | 37.615   | -121.882  | 1049  |
| 11179000   | ALAMEDA C NR NILES CA                          | 37.587   | -121.961  | 1639  |
| 11180825   | SAN LORENZO C AB DON CASTRO RES NR CASTRO V CA | 37.695   | -122.045  | 47    |
| 11180960   | CULL C AB CULL C RES NR CASTRO VALLEY CA       | 37.718   | -122.054  | 15    |
| 11181040   | SAN LORENZO C A SAN LORENZO CA                 | 37.684   | -122.140  | 116   |
| 11181390   | WILDCAT C A VALE RD AT RICHMOND CA             | 37.953   | -122.338  | 20    |
| 11303500   | SAN JOAQUIN R NR VERNALIS CA                   | 37.676   | -121.266  | 35066 |
| 11306000   | SF CALAVERAS R NR SAN ANDREAS CA               | 38.144   | -120.664  | 306   |
| 11308000   | NF CALAVERAS R NR SAN ANDREAS CA               | 38.221   | -120.699  | 221   |
| 11335000   | COSUMNES R A MICHIGAN BAR CA                   | 38.500   | -121.045  | 1388  |
| 11376000   | COTTONWOOD C NR COTTONWOOD CA                  | 40.387   | -122.239  | 2401  |
| 11377100   | SACRAMENTO R AB BEND BRIDGE NR RED BLUFF CA    | 40.288   | -122.187  | 23051 |
| 11382000   | THOMES C A PASKENTA CA                         | 39.888   | -122.529  | 526   |
| 11389000   | SACRAMENTO R A BUTTE CITY CA                   | 39.458   | -121.994  | 31274 |
| 11389470   | COLUSA WEIR SPILL TO BUTTE BASIN NR COLUSA CA  | 39.237   | -121.995  |       |
| 11389500   | SACRAMENTO R A COLUSA CA                       | 39.214   | -122.000  | 31313 |
| 11391000   | SACRAMENTO R A KNIGHTS LANDING CA              | 38.803   | -121.716  | 37646 |
| 11407000   | FEATHER R A OROVILLE CA                        | 39.522   | -121.548  | 9386  |
| 11407150   | FEATHER R NR GRIDLEY CA                        | 39.367   | -121.647  | 9521  |
| 11410000   | M YUBA R NR NORTH SAN JUAN CA                  | 39.394   | -121.085  | 513   |
| 11417500   | S YUBA R A JONES BAR NR GRASS VALLEY CA        | 39.292   | -121.105  | 798   |
| 11418000   | YUBA R BL ENGLEBRIGHT DAM NR SMARTSVILLE CA    | 39.235   | -121.274  | 2870  |
| 11418500   | DEER C NR SMARTSVILLE CA                       | 39.224   | -121.269  | 219   |
| 11447500   | SACRAMENTO R A SACRAMENTO CA                   | 38.587   | -121.506  | 60883 |
| 11447650   | SACRAMENTO R A FREEPORT CA                     | 38.456   | -121.501  |       |
| 11452500   | CACHE C A YOLO CA                              | 38.727   | -121.807  | 2950  |
| 11453000   | YOLO BYPASS NR WOODLAND CA                     | 38.678   | -121.644  |       |
| 11456000   | NAPA R NR ST HELENA CA                         | 38.511   | -122.456  | 204   |
| 11458000   | NAPA R NR NAPA CA                              | 38.368   | -122.303  | 565   |
| 11460000   | CORTE MADERA C A ROSS CA                       | 37.963   | -122.557  | 47    |
| 11460400   | LAGUNITAS C A SAMUEL P TAYLOR STATE PARK CA    | 38.027   | -122.736  | 89    |
| 11460750   | WALKER C NR MARSHALL CA                        | 38.176   | -122.818  | 81    |

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| Station ID | Name  | Latitude | Longitude | Area  |
|------------|---|----------|-----------|-------|
| 11461000   | RUSSIAN R NR UKIAH CA                             | 39.195   | -123.195  | 259   |
| 11461500   | EF RUSSIAN R NR CALPELLA CA                       | 39.247   | -123.130  | 239   |
| 11462000   | EF RUSSIAN R NR UKIAH CA                          | 39.197   | -123.188  | 272   |
| 11463000   | RUSSIAN R NR CLOVERDALE CA                        | 38.879   | -123.054  | 1303  |
| 11463200   | BIG SULPHUR C NR CLOVERDALE CA                    | 38.826   | -122.997  | 221   |
| 11465200   | DRY C NR GEYSERVILLE CA                           | 38.699   | -122.958  | 420   |
| 11467000   | RUSSIAN R NR GUERNEVILLE CA                       | 38.509   | -122.928  | 3465  |
| 11468000   | NAVARRO R NR NAVARRO CA                           | 39.170   | -123.668  | 785   |
| 11469000   | MATTOLE R NR PETROLIA CA                          | 40.313   | -124.283  | 635   |
| 11471000   | POTTER VALLEY PH INTAKE NR POTTER VALLEY CA       | 39.367   | -123.128  |       |
| 11472150   | EEL R NR DOS RIOS CA                              | 39.625   | -123.341  | 1368  |
| 11472200   | OUTLET C NR LONGVALE CA                           | 39.618   | -123.357  | 417   |
| 11473900   | MF EEL R NR DOS RIOS CA                           | 39.706   | -123.325  | 1930  |
| 11474500   | NF EEL R NR MINA CA                               | 39.937   | -123.347  | 642   |
| 11475000   | EEL R A FORT SEWARD CA                            | 40.218   | -123.633  | 5457  |
| 11475500   | SF EEL R NR BRANSCOMB CA                          | 39.719   | -123.653  | 114   |
| 11475560   | ELDER C NR BRANSCOMB CA                           | 39.730   | -123.644  | 17    |
| 11476600   | BULL C NR WEOTT CA                                | 40.352   | -124.005  | 73    |
| 11477000   | EEL R A SCOTIA CA                                 | 40.492   | -124.100  | 8063  |
| 11481000   | MAD R NR ARCATA CA                                | 40.910   | -124.061  | 1256  |
| 11481500   | REDWOOD C NR BLUE LAKE CA                         | 40.906   | -123.815  | 175   |
| 11482500   | REDWOOD C A ORICK CA                              | 41.299   | -124.051  | 717   |
| 11523000   | KLAMATH R A ORLEANS                               | 41.303   | -123.535  | 21950 |
| 11525600   | GRASS VALLEY C A FAWN LODGE NR LEWISTON CA        | 40.676   | -122.831  | 80    |
| 11525655   | TRINITY R BL LIMEKILN GULCH NR DOUGLAS CITY CA    | 40.673   | -122.921  | 2098  |
| 11528700   | SF TRINITY R BL HYAMPOM CA                        | 40.650   | -123.494  | 1979  |
| 11530000   | TRINITY R A HOOPA CA                              | 41.050   | -123.674  | 7389  |
| 11532500   | SMITH R NR CRESCENT CITY CA                       | 41.792   | -124.076  | 1590  |
| 12026400   | SKOOKUMCHUCK RIVER NEAR BUCODA, WA                | 46.772   | -122.924  | 290   |
| 12031000   | CHEHALIS RIVER AT PORTER, WA                      | 46.939   | -123.314  | 3351  |
| 12041200   | HOH RIVER AT US HIGHWAY 101 NEAR FORKS, WA        | 47.807   | -124.251  | 655   |
| 12097850   | WHITE RIVER BELOW CLEARWATER RIVER NR BUCKLEY, WA | 47.147   | -121.860  | 971   |
| 12113350   | GREEN RIVER AT TUKWILA, WA                        | 47.465   | -122.248  | 1140  |
| 12149000   | SNOQUALMIE RIVER NEAR CARNATION, WA               | 47.666   | -121.925  | 1562  |
| 12200500   | SKAGIT RIVER NEAR MOUNT VERNON, WA                | 48.445   | -122.335  | 8011  |
| 12301933   | KOOTENAI RIVER BL LIBBY DAM NR LIBBY MT           | 48.401   | -115.319  | 23307 |
| 12302055   | FISHER RIVER NEAR LIBBY MT                        | 48.356   | -115.315  | 2181  |
| 12318500   | KOOTENAI RIVER NR COPELAND ID                     | 48.905   | -116.402  | 34706 |

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| Station ID | Name   | Latitude | Longitude | Area   |
|------------|--|----------|-----------|--------|
| 12323600   | SILVER BOW CREEK AT OPPORTUNITY MT                 | 46.108   | -112.805  | 888    |
| 12323750   | SILVER BOW CREEK AT WARM SPRINGS MT                | 46.179   | -112.781  | 1225   |
| 12324200   | CLARK FORK AT DEER LODGE MT                        | 46.398   | -112.743  | 2593   |
| 12334550   | CLARK FORK AT TURAH BRIDGE NR BONNER MT            | 46.826   | -113.814  | 9472   |
| 12340000   | BLACKFOOT RIVER NEAR BONNER MT                     | 46.899   | -113.756  | 5923   |
| 12340500   | CLARK FORK ABOVE MISSOULA MT                       | 46.877   | -113.932  | 15594  |
| 12355000   | FLATHEAD RIVER AT FLATHEAD BRITISH COLUMBIA        | 49.001   | -114.476  | 1111   |
| 12355500   | NORTH FORK FLATHEAD RIVER NEAR COLUMBIA FALLS, MT  | 48.496   | -114.128  | 4009   |
| 12363000   | FLATHEAD RIVER AT COLUMBIA FALLS, MT               | 48.362   | -114.185  | 11551  |
| 12424000   | HANGMAN CREEK AT SPOKANE, WA                       | 47.653   | -117.450  | 1785   |
| 12510500   | YAKIMA RIVER AT KIONA, WA                          | 46.253   | -119.478  | 14543  |
| 13055198   | NORTH FORK TETON RIVER AT TETON ID                 | 43.898   | -111.678  |        |
| 13227000   | BULLY CREEK NEAR VALE, OREG.                       | 43.958   | -117.343  | 1476   |
| 13344500   | TUCANNON RIVER NEAR STARBUCK, WA                   | 46.505   | -118.066  | 1116   |
| 13351000   | PALOUSE RIVER AT HOOPER, WA                        | 46.758   | -118.149  | 6475   |
| 14018500   | WALLA WALLA RIVER NEAR TOUCHET, WA                 | 46.028   | -118.730  | 4292   |
| 14019200   | COLUMBIA RIVER AT MCNARY DAM,NEAR UMATILLA, OR     | 45.933   | -119.297  | 554260 |
| 14033500   | UMATILLA RIVER NEAR UMATILLA, OR                   | 45.903   | -119.327  | 5931   |
| 14048000   | JOHN DAY RIVER AT MCDONALD FERRY, OR               | 45.588   | -120.409  | 19632  |
| 14101500   | WHITE RIVER BELOW TYGH VALLEY, OREG.               | 45.242   | -121.095  | 1080   |
| 14138870   | FIR CREEK NEAR BRIGHTWOOD, OR                      | 45.480   | -122.026  | 14     |
| 14138900   | NORTH FORK BULL RUN RIVER NEAR MULTNOMAH FALLS, OR | 45.494   | -122.036  | 22     |
| 14139800   | SOUTH FORK BULL RUN RIVER NEAR BULL RUN, OR        | 45.445   | -122.110  | 40     |
| 14242580   | TOUTLE RIVER AT TOWER ROAD NEAR SILVER LAKE, WA    | 46.335   | -122.841  | 1285   |
| 14306500   | ALSEA RIVER NEAR TIDEWATER, OR                     | 44.386   | -123.832  | 865    |
| 14307620   | SIUSLAW RIVER NEAR MAPLETON, OR                    | 44.062   | -123.883  | 1523   |
| 14330000   | ROGUE RIVER BELOW PROSPECT, OR                     | 42.730   | -122.516  | 982    |
| 14334700   | S FK ROGUE R SOUTH OF PROSPECT, OREG.              | 42.712   | -122.507  | 637    |
| 15212000   | COPPER R NR CHITINA AK                             | 61.465   | -144.458  | 53794  |
| 15241600   | NINILCHIK R AT NINILCHIK AK                        | 60.048   | -151.665  | 350    |
| 15275100   | CHESTER C AT ARCTIC BOULEVARD AT ANCHORAGE AK      | 61.205   | -149.897  | 76     |
| 15281000   | KNIK R NR PALMER AK                                | 61.504   | -149.033  | 3160   |
| 15284000   | MATANUSKA R AT PALMER AK                           | 61.609   | -149.073  | 5335   |
| 15476000   | TANANA R NR TANACROSS AK                           | 63.388   | -143.749  | 21808  |
| 15514000   | CHENA R AT FAIRBANKS AK                            | 64.845   | -147.704  | 5154   |
| 15518000   | NENANA R NR HEALY AK                               | 63.845   | -148.946  | 4947   |
| 16103000   | HANALEI RIVER NR HANALEI, KAUAI, HI                | 22.180   | -159.466  | 48     |
| 16200000   | NF KAUKONAHUA STR ABV RB, NR WAHIAWA, OAHU, HI     | 21.516   | -157.945  | 4      |

| Station ID | Name   | Latitude | Longitude | Area |
|------------|--|----------|-----------|------|
| 16212800   | KIPAPA STR NR WAHIAWA, OAHU, HI                    | 21.467   | -157.959  | 11   |
| 16213000   | WAIKELE STR AT WAIPAHU, OAHU, HI                   | 21.383   | -158.011  | 117  |
| 16226200   | N. HALAWA STR NR HONOLULU, OAHU, HI                | 21.382   | -157.903  | 10   |
| 16240500   | WAIAKEAKUA STR AT HONOLULU, OAHU, HI               | 21.328   | -157.800  | 3    |
| 16244000   | PUKELE STREAM NEAR HONOLULU, OAHU, HI              | 21.307   | -157.788  | 3    |
| 16272200   | KAMOOALII STR BLW LULUKU STR NR KANEOHE, OAHU, HI  | 21.393   | -157.804  | 10   |
| 16275000   | HEEIA STREAM AT HAIKU VALLEY NR KANEOHE, OAHU, HI  | 21.409   | -157.823  | 2    |
| 16809600   | LA SA FUA RIVER NEAR UMATAC, GUAM                  | 13.307   | 144.664   | 3    |
| 16854500   | UGUM RIVER ABOVE TALOFOFO FALLS, NR TALOFOFO, GUAM | 13.322   | 144.736   | 15   |
| 50025155   | RIO SALIENTE AT COABEY NR JAYUYA, PR               | 18.211   | -66.563   | 24   |
| 50028000   | RIO TANAMA NR UTUADO, PR                           | 18.299   | -66.783   | 48   |
| 50031200   | RIO GRANDE DE MANATI NR MOROVIS, PR                | 18.294   | -66.413   | 143  |
| 50034000   | RIO BAUTA NR OROCOVIS, PR                          | 18.234   | -66.454   | 43   |
| 50035000   | RIO GRANDE DE MANATI AT CIALES, PR                 | 18.322   | -66.460   | 332  |
| 50043800   | RIO DE LA PLATA AT COMERIO, PR                     | 18.220   | -66.224   | 281  |
| 50045010   | RIO DE LA PLATA BLW LA PLATA DAMSITE, PR           | 18.344   | -66.238   | 448  |
| 50048770   | RIO PIEDRAS AT EL SENORIAL, PR                     | 18.361   | -66.065   | 19   |
| 50050900   | RIO GRANDE DE LOIZA AT QUEBRADA ARENAS, PR         | 18.118   | -65.988   | 16   |
| 50051180   | QUEBRADA SALVATIERRA NR SAN LORENZO, PR            | 18.171   | -65.977   | 10   |
| 50051310   | RIO CAYAGUAS AT CERRO GORDO, PR                    | 18.152   | -65.956   | 26   |
| 50051800   | RIO GRANDE DE LOIZA AT HWY 183 SAN LORENZO, PR     | 18.184   | -65.961   | 106  |
| 50053025   | RIO TURABO ABV BORINQUEN, PR                       | 18.160   | -66.040   | 19   |
| 50055000   | RIO GRANDE DE LOIZA AT CAGUAS, PR                  | 18.241   | -66.009   | 233  |
| 50055225   | RIO CAGUITAS AT VILLA BLANCA AT CAGUAS, PR         | 18.247   | -66.027   | 43   |
| 50055750   | RIO GURABO BLW EL MANGO, PR                        | 18.232   | -65.885   | 58   |
| 50056400   | RIO VALENCIANO NR JUNCOS, PR                       | 18.214   | -65.926   | 42   |
| 50057000   | RIO GURABO AT GURABO, PR                           | 18.256   | -65.968   | 156  |
| 50058350   | RIO CANAS AT RIO CANAS, PR                         | 18.293   | -66.045   | 20   |
| 50059050   | RIO GRANDE DE LOIZA BLW LOIZA DAMSITE, PR          | 18.340   | -66.006   | 541  |
| 50061800   | RIO CANOVANAS NR CAMPO RICO, PR                    | 18.316   | -65.889   | 25   |
| 50065500   | RIO MAMEYES NR SABANA, PR                          | 18.327   | -65.750   | 18   |
| 50071000   | RIO FAJARDO NR FAJARDO, PR                         | 18.297   | -65.693   | 39   |
| 50075000   | RIO ICACOS NR NAGUABO, PR                          | 18.275   | -65.785   | 3    |
| 50110900   | RIO TOA VACA ABV LAGO TOA VACA, PR                 | 18.125   | -66.457   | 37   |
| 50115000   | RIO PORTUGUES NR PONCE, PR                         | 18.077   | -66.633   | 23   |
| 50136400   | RIO ROSARIO NR HORMIGUEROS, PR                     | 18.158   | -67.085   | 47   |
| 54310157   | JACKSON CREEK TRIBUTARY NEAR ELKHORN, WI           | 42.651   | -88.551   | 11   |

# **Appendix D**

## Parametric results of the US watersheds

| Station ID | $ar{a}$  | $\overline{b}$ | $\hat{a}$ | $\hat{b}$ | RB   | Sedimen | t yield (tons/yr) |
|------------|----------|----------------|-----------|-----------|------|---------|-------------------|
| Station ID | u        | 0              | u         | 0         | TLD  | FDSRC   | Parametric        |
| 1100000    | 3.67E-04 | 1.57           | 7985.5    | 0.98      | 0.14 | 2.2E+05 | 2.2E+05           |
| 1127500    | 1.32E-03 | 1.56           | 125.8     | 1.50      | 0.36 | 2.0E+03 | 2.2E+03           |
| 1192883    | 9.79E-03 | 1.30           | 49.2      | 1.42      | 0.27 | 8.5E+02 | 9.1E+02           |
| 1193500    | 1.34E-04 | 2.08           | 153.1     | 1.38      | 0.34 | 7.4E+03 | 7.9E+03           |
| 1197500    | 1.22E-03 | 1.49           | 515.5     | 1.08      | 0.20 | 5.9E+03 | 6.3E+03           |
| 1198000    | 6.57E-04 | 1.81           | 68.2      | 1.41      | 0.25 | 1.5E+03 | 1.6E+03           |
| 1199000    | 4.44E-04 | 1.71           | 1092.6    | 1.04      | 0.16 | 3.5E+04 | 3.7E+04           |
| 1200500    | 2.64E-04 | 1.75           | 1708.0    | 1.04      | 0.16 | 6.3E+04 | 6.6E+04           |
| 1331095    | 5.56E-06 | 1.98           | 7571.2    | 0.67      | 0.11 | 1.0E+05 | 1.1E+05           |
| 1357500    | 5.34E-04 | 1.63           | 5370.0    | 1.19      | 0.27 | 3.7E+05 | 3.9E+05           |
| 1379500    | 3.13E-02 | 1.29           | 148.1     | 1.30      | 0.22 | 9.4E+03 | 9.7E+03           |
| 1389500    | 1.88E-02 | 1.18           | 1022.9    | 1.22      | 0.16 | 2.7E+04 | 2.8E+04           |
| 1401000    | 2.54E-03 | 1.81           | 28.9      | 2.18      | 0.76 | 7.4E+03 | 8.4E+03           |
| 1411000    | 8.07E-04 | 1.61           | 95.8      | 0.65      | 0.10 | 4.0E+02 | 4.1E+02           |
| 1411500    | 2.66E-03 | 1.38           | 184.2     | 0.64      | 0.09 | 1.1E+03 | 1.1E+03           |
| 1434000    | 2.20E-06 | 2.13           | 4727.0    | 1.22      | 0.23 | 1.7E+05 | 1.8E+05           |
| 1451000    | 9.24E-06 | 2.22           | 1848.2    | 1.05      | 0.19 | 1.5E+05 | 1.6E+05           |
| 1464500    | 3.23E-03 | 1.64           | 118.6     | 1.23      | 0.34 | 5.0E+03 | 5.6E+03           |
| 1467150    | 1.62E-02 | 1.56           | 24.8      | 1.47      | 0.58 | 1.9E+03 | 2.2E+03           |
| 1468500    | 1.02E+00 | 1.07           | 275.4     | 1.06      | 0.21 | 1.4E+05 | 1.5E+05           |
| 1470500    | 4.11E-04 | 1.87           | 624.0     | 1.29      | 0.25 | 6.2E+04 | 6.9E+04           |
| 1470960    | 3.60E-04 | 2.00           | 255.2     | 1.22      | 0.24 | 2.3E+04 | 2.4E+04           |
| 1472000    | 4.71E-05 | 2.14           | 1844.1    | 1.11      | 0.22 | 4.0E+05 | 4.3E+05           |
| 1473000    | 5.42E-04 | 1.83           | 227.2     | 1.90      | 0.62 | 3.6E+04 | 4.1E+04           |
| 1473120    | 2.37E-03 | 1.89           | 29.0      | 2.31      | 0.81 | 1.8E+04 | 2.0E+04           |
| 1474500    | 3.50E-03 | 1.48           | 2449.7    | 1.29      | 0.30 | 2.0E+05 | 2.1E+05           |
| 1477120    | 7.01E-03 | 1.65           | 34.7      | 1.30      | 0.38 | 1.6E+03 | 1.8E+03           |
| 1481000    | 1.74E-04 | 2.05           | 374.5     | 1.20      | 0.35 | 3.3E+04 | 3.6E+04           |
| 1481500    | 1.98E-04 | 2.02           | 435.6     | 1.23      | 0.34 | 4.2E+04 | 4.4E+04           |
| 1491000    | 6.74E-03 | 1.33           | 94.8      | 1.65      | 0.33 | 2.1E+03 | 2.3E+03           |
| 1516500    | 5.41E-03 | 1.94           | 5.1       | 2.22      | 0.51 | 1.3E+03 | 1.6E+03           |
| 1517000    | 4.23E-03 | 1.97           | 3.8       | 2.36      | 0.54 | 1.4E+03 | 1.3E+03           |

Table D.1: Sediment yield parameters for the US stations

| Station ID | $ar{a}$  | $\overline{b}$ | $\hat{a}$ | $\hat{b}$ | RB   | Sedimen | t yield (tons/yr) |
|------------|----------|----------------|-----------|-----------|------|---------|-------------------|
| Sution ID  | u        | Ū              | u         | 0         | 112  | FDSRC   | Parametric        |
| 1531000    | 7.72E-05 | 1.97           | 1708.0    | 1.69      | 0.35 | 4.7E+05 | 5.3E+05           |
| 1531500    | 2.95E-05 | 1.89           | 9140.5    | 1.32      | 0.22 | 9.5E+05 | 1.0E+06           |
| 1539000    | 9.52E-05 | 1.98           | 363.7     | 1.50      | 0.31 | 2.0E+04 | 2.2E+04           |
| 1540500    | 3.67E-05 | 1.86           | 13740.5   | 1.25      | 0.18 | 1.5E+06 | 1.6E+06           |
| 1541000    | 8.96E-04 | 1.73           | 429.2     | 1.46      | 0.34 | 3.4E+04 | 3.7E+04           |
| 1544000    | 5.41E-03 | 1.32           | 313.1     | 1.47      | 0.29 | 6.6E+03 | 6.9E+03           |
| 1547200    | 1.25E-04 | 2.05           | 377.8     | 1.16      | 0.23 | 2.2E+04 | 2.3E+04           |
| 1547500    | 9.31E-05 | 2.06           | 466.1     | 1.03      | 0.19 | 2.1E+04 | 2.2E+04           |
| 1547700    | 9.47E-03 | 1.56           | 36.6      | 1.76      | 0.33 | 3.5E+03 | 3.8E+03           |
| 1549500    | 2.22E-03 | 1.93           | 37.2      | 1.72      | 0.36 | 6.5E+03 | 7.2E+03           |
| 1553500    | 7.05E-06 | 1.96           | 9632.7    | 1.24      | 0.19 | 4.4E+05 | 4.6E+05           |
| 1567000    | 3.69E-05 | 1.91           | 3588.8    | 1.35      | 0.22 | 2.6E+05 | 2.8E+05           |
| 1570500    | 2.44E-06 | 2.01           | 31529.2   | 1.19      | 0.17 | 2.4E+06 | 2.6E+06           |
| 1573000    | 1.62E-03 | 1.69           | 403.5     | 1.61      | 0.36 | 5.1E+04 | 5.9E+04           |
| 1575000    | 1.16E-02 | 1.77           | 63.3      | 1.87      | 0.38 | 4.5E+04 | 5.5E+04           |
| 1576500    | 2.56E-03 | 1.72           | 323.0     | 1.45      | 0.33 | 5.1E+04 | 6.0E+04           |
| 1578310    | 7.47E-04 | 1.42           | 38095.3   | 1.14      | 0.22 | 1.1E+06 | 1.2E+06           |
| 1589000    | 1.84E-04 | 2.16           | 110.6     | 1.89      | 0.37 | 5.5E+04 | 4.4E+04           |
| 1594440    | 1.50E-02 | 1.42           | 325.7     | 1.34      | 0.38 | 3.1E+04 | 3.4E+04           |
| 1597000    | 1.50E-03 | 2.01           | 21.0      | 1.53      | 0.31 | 1.4E+03 | 1.5E+03           |
| 1603000    | 1.88E-03 | 1.64           | 1060.2    | 1.38      | 0.26 | 1.3E+05 | 1.5E+05           |
| 1614500    | 1.60E-04 | 1.95           | 484.1     | 1.41      | 0.28 | 3.7E+04 | 3.9E+04           |
| 1631000    | 5.88E-06 | 2.27           | 1139.8    | 1.56      | 0.24 | 2.3E+05 | 2.0E+05           |
| 1638500    | 1.94E-05 | 1.96           | 7709.3    | 1.39      | 0.23 | 1.0E+06 | 1.1E+06           |
| 1639000    | 1.85E-02 | 1.36           | 90.1      | 2.17      | 0.72 | 1.5E+04 | 1.6E+04           |
| 1650500    | 1.64E-02 | 1.88           | 10.8      | 2.07      | 0.65 | 8.7E+03 | 9.8E+03           |
| 1658500    | 1.79E-02 | 1.65           | 2.5       | 2.35      | 0.74 | 4.5E+02 | 5.3E+02           |
| 1663500    | 9.40E-04 | 1.80           | 237.3     | 1.60      | 0.33 | 2.6E+04 | 3.0E+04           |
| 1664000    | 3.65E-03 | 1.56           | 489.3     | 1.58      | 0.35 | 5.0E+04 | 5.8E+04           |
| 1667500    | 1.34E-03 | 1.72           | 353.3     | 1.69      | 0.36 | 5.0E+04 | 5.9E+04           |
| 2019500    | 4.61E-05 | 1.95           | 1862.7    | 1.49      | 0.30 | 1.8E+05 | 1.9E+05           |
| 2029000    | 5.46E-06 | 2.17           | 4394.5    | 1.32      | 0.24 | 6.7E+05 | 7.2E+05           |
| 2060500    | 9.68E-04 | 1.81           | 1480.4    | 1.36      | 0.33 | 4.7E+05 | 5.4E+05           |
| 2066000    | 9.03E-04 | 1.71           | 2547.9    | 1.29      | 0.28 | 4.4E+05 | 4.9E+05           |
| 2075500    | 2.24E-03 | 1.65           | 2482.1    | 1.18      | 0.28 | 5.1E+05 | 5.7E+05           |
| 2083500    | 4.77E-03 | 1.39           | 1846.1    | 1.33      | 0.16 | 9.1E+04 | 9.6E+04           |
| 2084160    | 1.94E-02 | 1.39           | 17.1      | 2.45      | 0.53 | 2.9E+03 | 3.3E+03           |

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| Station ID | $\bar{a}$ | $\overline{b}$ | $\hat{a}$ | $\hat{b}$ | RB   | Sedimen | t yield (tons/yr) |
|------------|-----------|----------------|-----------|-----------|------|---------|-------------------|
| Station ID | u         | Ŭ              | u         | 0         | 112  | FDSRC   | Parametric        |
| 2116500    | 5.25E-04  | 1.83           | 2922.2    | 1.02      | 0.25 | 6.0E+05 | 6.5E+05           |
| 2118000    | 9.60E-03  | 1.58           | 286.4     | 1.30      | 0.29 | 4.5E+04 | 5.1E+04           |
| 2131000    | 2.35E-02  | 1.19           | 9824.5    | 0.89      | 0.12 | 4.6E+05 | 4.7E+05           |
| 2175000    | 8.44E-03  | 1.16           | 2462.3    | 0.98      | 0.06 | 2.5E+04 | 2.6E+04           |
| 2383500    | 1.19E-02  | 1.43           | 1399.1    | 1.06      | 0.22 | 1.6E+05 | 1.7E+05           |
| 2430000    | 1.32E-01  | 1.13           | 65.6      | 1.77      | 0.43 | 9.3E+03 | 1.0E+04           |
| 2489500    | 6.34E-04  | 1.61           | 8992.1    | 1.22      | 0.09 | 9.0E+05 | 9.2E+05           |
| 3015500    | 1.91E-04  | 1.84           | 491.8     | 1.39      | 0.33 | 1.9E+04 | 2.1E+04           |
| 3020500    | 2.58E-03  | 1.52           | 434.5     | 1.41      | 0.39 | 1.9E+04 | 2.0E+04           |
| 3032500    | 1.97E-04  | 1.93           | 729.6     | 1.37      | 0.30 | 8.0E+04 | 8.6E+04           |
| 3040000    | 7.21E-04  | 1.83           | 536.7     | 1.45      | 0.32 | 8.3E+04 | 9.0E+04           |
| 3061500    | 3.19E-03  | 1.82           | 92.9      | 1.89      | 0.62 | 3.8E+04 | 4.2E+04           |
| 3068800    | 4.03E-04  | 1.83           | 358.1     | 1.39      | 0.45 | 2.1E+04 | 2.3E+04           |
| 3085000    | 7.58E-05  | 1.79           | 12194.5   | 1.08      | 0.24 | 9.5E+05 | 9.9E+05           |
| 3111548    | 1.54E-02  | 1.71           | 89.4      | 1.41      | 0.35 | 2.9E+04 | 3.2E+04           |
| 3139000    | 1.42E-02  | 1.49           | 345.7     | 1.44      | 0.21 | 6.1E+04 | 6.7E+04           |
| 3144500    | 4.64E-04  | 1.69           | 6128.5    | 1.11      | 0.14 | 6.4E+05 | 6.6E+05           |
| 3150000    | 1.06E-03  | 1.61           | 7544.0    | 1.09      | 0.14 | 9.4E+05 | 9.7E+05           |
| 3151400    | 2.30E-03  | 1.70           | 160.4     | 1.56      | 0.47 | 1.6E+04 | 1.7E+04           |
| 3159500    | 6.04E-04  | 1.80           | 718.2     | 1.60      | 0.36 | 1.3E+05 | 1.5E+05           |
| 3195500    | 4.37E-04  | 1.56           | 984.3     | 1.30      | 0.33 | 1.3E+04 | 1.4E+04           |
| 3197000    | 1.05E-04  | 1.85           | 1739.9    | 1.33      | 0.31 | 1.0E+05 | 1.1E+05           |
| 3199000    | 9.37E-04  | 1.96           | 207.0     | 1.83      | 0.44 | 1.3E+05 | 1.4E+05           |
| 3200500    | 6.78E-04  | 1.86           | 938.1     | 1.47      | 0.33 | 3.1E+05 | 3.4E+05           |
| 3202400    | 1.75E-03  | 1.79           | 314.9     | 1.51      | 0.33 | 6.4E+04 | 7.2E+04           |
| 3202750    | 2.57E-03  | 1.80           | 125.8     | 1.68      | 0.45 | 3.0E+04 | 3.3E+04           |
| 3204000    | 8.56E-04  | 1.88           | 1171.7    | 1.56      | 0.31 | 9.0E+05 | 9.5E+05           |
| 3204500    | 1.13E-02  | 1.54           | 135.8     | 2.07      | 0.56 | 5.1E+04 | 5.5E+04           |
| 3207800    | 9.33E-03  | 1.76           | 255.1     | 1.64      | 0.38 | 2.5E+05 | 2.9E+05           |
| 3207965    | 2.81E-01  | 1.46           | 3.9       | 2.03      | 0.53 | 3.4E+03 | 3.9E+03           |
| 3209300    | 3.33E-03  | 1.55           | 527.5     | 1.56      | 0.37 | 5.1E+04 | 5.6E+04           |
| 3210000    | 5.59E-02  | 1.62           | 33.9      | 2.02      | 0.51 | 4.1E+04 | 4.6E+04           |
| 3211500    | 1.22E-01  | 1.22           | 137.9     | 1.81      | 0.41 | 3.9E+04 | 4.1E+04           |
| 3212500    | 6.03E-03  | 1.53           | 1816.6    | 1.54      | 0.30 | 5.1E+05 | 5.5E+05           |
| 3216500    | 7.55E-03  | 1.52           | 288.6     | 1.80      | 0.40 | 5.4E+04 | 5.8E+04           |
| 3217000    | 6.00E-03  | 1.60           | 149.1     | 2.05      | 0.57 | 4.6E+04 | 5.1E+04           |
| 3219500    | 9.59E-03  | 1.49           | 305.2     | 1.79      | 0.31 | 6.0E+04 | 6.3E+04           |

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| Station ID | $\bar{a}$ | $\overline{b}$ | $\hat{a}$ | $\hat{b}$ | RB   | Sedimen | t yield (tons/yr) |
|------------|-----------|----------------|-----------|-----------|------|---------|-------------------|
| Station ID | u         | Ū              | u         | Ŭ         | 112  | FDSRC   | Parametric        |
| 3226800    | 8.53E-03  | 1.50           | 337.6     | 1.67      | 0.41 | 5.6E+04 | 5.8E+04           |
| 3228500    | 4.06E-02  | 1.30           | 120.1     | 1.83      | 0.42 | 1.8E+04 | 2.0E+04           |
| 3229000    | 3.90E-02  | 1.39           | 82.8      | 2.07      | 0.59 | 2.8E+04 | 3.1E+04           |
| 3230450    | 2.00E-02  | 1.51           | 18.3      | 2.07      | 0.57 | 3.4E+03 | 3.7E+03           |
| 3230500    | 7.17E-03  | 1.55           | 269.6     | 1.89      | 0.41 | 7.1E+04 | 7.8E+04           |
| 3234000    | 1.30E-02  | 1.51           | 510.7     | 1.77      | 0.36 | 2.0E+05 | 2.2E+05           |
| 3234500    | 3.21E-04  | 1.80           | 3910.9    | 1.42      | 0.23 | 1.1E+06 | 1.1E+06           |
| 3237280    | 1.08E-03  | 2.16           | 5.8       | 2.21      | 0.65 | 1.2E+03 | 1.3E+03           |
| 3240000    | 7.40E-03  | 1.66           | 82.0      | 1.71      | 0.35 | 1.6E+04 | 1.8E+04           |
| 3241500    | 5.86E-02  | 1.39           | 39.8      | 1.83      | 0.41 | 1.0E+04 | 1.2E+04           |
| 3244000    | 6.02E-02  | 1.37           | 76.6      | 2.37      | 0.67 | 5.7E+04 | 6.3E+04           |
| 3245500    | 1.87E-03  | 1.75           | 818.5     | 1.75      | 0.45 | 4.5E+05 | 5.0E+05           |
| 3248500    | 1.98E-02  | 1.53           | 88.7      | 1.98      | 0.48 | 3.7E+04 | 4.0E+04           |
| 3249500    | 2.69E-03  | 1.60           | 761.8     | 1.55      | 0.25 | 1.2E+05 | 1.2E+05           |
| 3251500    | 9.60E-03  | 1.48           | 2335.2    | 1.48      | 0.27 | 6.9E+05 | 7.1E+05           |
| 3261500    | 2.53E-02  | 1.38           | 331.7     | 1.71      | 0.33 | 7.0E+04 | 7.4E+04           |
| 3261950    | 1.22E-01  | 1.20           | 63.2      | 2.16      | 0.53 | 2.1E+04 | 2.2E+04           |
| 3265000    | 7.26E-03  | 1.56           | 235.8     | 2.00      | 0.50 | 7.6E+04 | 8.3E+04           |
| 3270500    | 9.51E-04  | 1.71           | 1761.1    | 1.53      | 0.29 | 4.0E+05 | 4.3E+05           |
| 3280600    | 4.04E-02  | 1.38           | 145.5     | 2.02      | 0.53 | 5.6E+04 | 6.2E+04           |
| 3281000    | 2.40E-04  | 2.08           | 571.8     | 1.51      | 0.31 | 2.8E+05 | 3.0E+05           |
| 3281100    | 1.65E-02  | 1.29           | 124.3     | 2.06      | 0.59 | 1.0E+04 | 1.1E+04           |
| 3287500    | 2.93E-03  | 1.48           | 5637.0    | 1.46      | 0.24 | 7.5E+05 | 7.8E+05           |
| 3291500    | 1.57E-02  | 1.54           | 223.7     | 2.31      | 0.82 | 2.4E+05 | 2.6E+05           |
| 3294500    | 1.39E-05  | 1.83           | 120099.4  | 0.98      | 0.13 | 1.5E+07 | 1.6E+07           |
| 3298500    | 1.68E-02  | 1.47           | 904.0     | 1.89      | 0.45 | 5.2E+05 | 5.5E+05           |
| 3308500    | 1.63E-03  | 1.64           | 2127.7    | 1.46      | 0.27 | 4.2E+05 | 4.4E+05           |
| 3310500    | 3.65E-03  | 1.65           | 518.2     | 1.69      | 0.28 | 1.5E+05 | 1.7E+05           |
| 3314500    | 3.08E-03  | 1.55           | 2158.9    | 1.33      | 0.23 | 3.0E+05 | 3.2E+05           |
| 3318500    | 2.23E-03  | 1.79           | 635.1     | 1.34      | 0.24 | 2.3E+05 | 2.4E+05           |
| 3319000    | 6.84E-03  | 1.49           | 881.4     | 1.42      | 0.26 | 1.2E+05 | 1.2E+05           |
| 3320000    | 1.40E-03  | 1.53           | 10245.0   | 1.18      | 0.12 | 1.1E+06 | 1.1E+06           |
| 3320500    | 1.02E-01  | 1.29           | 105.3     | 2.32      | 0.48 | 7.8E+04 | 8.4E+04           |
| 3328500    | 1.34E-03  | 1.79           | 643.5     | 1.38      | 0.26 | 1.4E+05 | 1.5E+05           |
| 3335500    | 2.88E-03  | 1.48           | 6233.2    | 1.22      | 0.18 | 6.5E+05 | 6.9E+05           |
| 3340800    | 1.20E-02  | 1.88           | 58.4      | 2.26      | 0.56 | 2.7E+05 | 3.0E+05           |
| 3361000    | 1.16E-02  | 1.54           | 154.6     | 1.49      | 0.34 | 2.1E+04 | 2.4E+04           |

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| Station ID | $\bar{a}$ | $\overline{b}$ | $\hat{a}$ | $\hat{b}$ | RB   | Sedimen | t yield (tons/yr) |
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| Suuton ID  | u         | U              | u         | 0         | 112  | FDSRC   | Parametric        |
| 3365500    | 2.68E-03  | 1.59           | 1904.9    | 1.59      | 0.25 | 4.6E+05 | 5.1E+05           |
| 3382100    | 4.82E-03  | 1.81           | 71.9      | 2.24      | 0.51 | 8.7E+04 | 9.3E+04           |
| 3383000    | 2.29E-02  | 1.23           | 194.7     | 1.86      | 0.27 | 1.2E+04 | 1.3E+04           |
| 3384450    | 4.52E-03  | 1.65           | 15.9      | 2.63      | 0.89 | 5.2E+03 | 5.7E+03           |
| 3402000    | 1.91E-02  | 1.63           | 55.5      | 2.07      | 0.56 | 3.9E+04 | 4.4E+04           |
| 3403000    | 7.10E-04  | 1.85           | 851.1     | 1.77      | 0.40 | 4.8E+05 | 5.3E+05           |
| 3403500    | 1.45E-03  | 1.73           | 1170.7    | 1.67      | 0.37 | 4.8E+05 | 5.2E+05           |
| 3403910    | 4.37E-03  | 1.65           | 334.9     | 1.80      | 0.46 | 1.1E+05 | 1.2E+05           |
| 3404000    | 3.40E-03  | 1.77           | 2015.2    | 1.51      | 0.28 | 3.1E+06 | 3.3E+06           |
| 3404500    | 2.20E-04  | 1.91           | 2411.7    | 1.51      | 0.28 | 1.0E+06 | 1.1E+06           |
| 3406500    | 5.71E-03  | 1.35           | 483.2     | 1.96      | 0.50 | 2.9E+04 | 3.1E+04           |
| 3410500    | 1.29E-03  | 1.66           | 977.3     | 1.89      | 0.49 | 2.5E+05 | 2.7E+05           |
| 3455000    | 8.27E-04  | 1.85           | 3020.0    | 0.94      | 0.20 | 1.2E+06 | 1.2E+06           |
| 3465500    | 1.57E-04  | 2.08           | 1310.1    | 1.11      | 0.26 | 4.1E+05 | 4.4E+05           |
| 3467500    | 3.94E-04  | 1.92           | 2112.5    | 1.06      | 0.26 | 6.4E+05 | 6.8E+05           |
| 3469000    | 4.85E-06  | 2.29           | 7180.7    | 0.78      | 0.21 | 1.8E+06 | 1.8E+06           |
| 3487500    | 1.42E-04  | 1.91           | 2745.3    | 0.87      | 0.30 | 2.5E+05 | 2.7E+05           |
| 3495500    | 6.33E-05  | 2.01           | 5017.2    | 0.82      | 0.25 | 8.3E+05 | 8.6E+05           |
| 3497000    | 5.57E-05  | 1.96           | 14017.0   | 0.81      | 0.19 | 3.4E+06 | 3.6E+06           |
| 3519500    | 8.49E-06  | 2.07           | 6108.8    | 0.78      | 0.21 | 2.6E+05 | 2.7E+05           |
| 3520000    | 7.53E-06  | 2.08           | 20460.6   | 0.75      | 0.14 | 3.0E+06 | 3.1E+06           |
| 3528000    | 1.22E-03  | 1.73           | 1589.8    | 1.45      | 0.28 | 4.5E+05 | 4.9E+05           |
| 3532000    | 1.72E-03  | 1.73           | 818.5     | 1.53      | 0.29 | 2.1E+05 | 2.4E+05           |
| 3540500    | 1.21E-02  | 1.35           | 742.9     | 1.99      | 0.49 | 1.2E+05 | 1.3E+05           |
| 3556000    | 1.36E-03  | 2.30           | 54.6      | 0.84      | 0.21 | 8.3E+03 | 8.3E+03           |
| 3561000    | 2.96E+00  | 1.62           | 31.4      | 0.92      | 0.33 | 3.1E+05 | 3.4E+05           |
| 3566000    | 1.68E-04  | 1.91           | 4907.9    | 0.80      | 0.17 | 7.8E+05 | 8.2E+05           |
| 3568000    | 7.37E-06  | 2.01           | 39055.8   | 0.82      | 0.13 | 6.1E+06 | 6.4E+06           |
| 3571000    | 1.16E-02  | 1.46           | 501.4     | 1.67      | 0.30 | 9.8E+04 | 1.1E+05           |
| 3571850    | 2.51E-06  | 2.09           | 41792.0   | 0.68      | 0.12 | 4.7E+06 | 4.8E+06           |
| 3584500    | 9.21E-03  | 1.51           | 2151.5    | 1.59      | 0.30 | 9.0E+05 | 9.8E+05           |
| 3603000    | 7.71E-04  | 1.75           | 2952.9    | 1.55      | 0.24 | 1.2E+06 | 1.3E+06           |
| 3604500    | 2.26E-03  | 1.61           | 825.6     | 1.61      | 0.25 | 1.2E+05 | 1.4E+05           |
| 3609500    | 5.88E-04  | 1.52           | 67057.3   | 0.90      | 0.08 | 4.8E+06 | 4.9E+06           |
| 4024098    | 5.69E-02  | 1.88           | 2.9       | 2.22      | 0.54 | 3.9E+03 | 4.5E+03           |
| 4024430    | 1.33E-03  | 1.86           | 236.8     | 1.76      | 0.28 | 9.3E+04 | 1.0E+05           |
| 4058500    | 1.75E-03  | 1.38           | 90.3      | 1.30      | 0.14 | 4.4E+02 | 4.8E+02           |

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| Station ID | $ar{a}$  | $\overline{b}$ | $\hat{a}$ | $\hat{b}$ | RB   | Sedimen | t yield (tons/yr) |
|------------|----------|----------------|-----------|-----------|------|---------|-------------------|
| Station ID | u        | U              | u         | U         |      | FDSRC   | Parametric        |
| 4073462    | 6.98E-02 | 1.96           | 2.8       | 1.49      | 0.16 | 9.5E+02 | 9.7E+02           |
| 4073468    | 1.27E-01 | 1.00           | 32.3      | 1.34      | 0.19 | 1.6E+03 | 1.6E+03           |
| 4086600    | 2.43E-02 | 1.18           | 441.0     | 1.15      | 0.13 | 1.2E+04 | 1.2E+04           |
| 4087000    | 9.73E-03 | 1.35           | 363.1     | 1.42      | 0.18 | 1.6E+04 | 1.7E+04           |
| 4087030    | 3.30E-02 | 1.27           | 22.1      | 1.63      | 0.27 | 1.1E+03 | 1.2E+03           |
| 4087088    | 3.28E-02 | 1.65           | 6.7       | 2.15      | 0.63 | 2.5E+03 | 3.1E+03           |
| 4087120    | 8.79E-03 | 1.61           | 63.3      | 1.84      | 0.48 | 1.2E+04 | 1.3E+04           |
| 4087159    | 5.19E-03 | 1.95           | 10.4      | 2.18      | 0.98 | 5.3E+03 | 5.8E+03           |
| 4095300    | 6.08E-03 | 1.68           | 72.4      | 1.18      | 0.29 | 4.6E+03 | 5.3E+03           |
| 4102700    | 5.88E-03 | 1.48           | 102.6     | 1.07      | 0.17 | 2.4E+03 | 2.6E+03           |
| 4142000    | 9.10E-05 | 2.19           | 336.3     | 0.88      | 0.15 | 1.8E+04 | 1.9E+04           |
| 4144500    | 3.09E-03 | 1.59           | 339.2     | 1.16      | 0.14 | 1.7E+04 | 1.8E+04           |
| 4151500    | 7.76E-03 | 1.43           | 331.4     | 1.79      | 0.26 | 3.3E+04 | 3.6E+04           |
| 4176500    | 3.10E-03 | 1.59           | 630.6     | 1.37      | 0.17 | 6.3E+04 | 6.7E+04           |
| 4182000    | 2.15E-02 | 1.47           | 399.2     | 1.77      | 0.29 | 1.6E+05 | 1.7E+05           |
| 4192500    | 2.23E-03 | 1.56           | 3189.2    | 1.62      | 0.27 | 7.4E+05 | 7.8E+05           |
| 4193500    | 6.99E-03 | 1.44           | 3593.6    | 1.62      | 0.26 | 8.1E+05 | 8.5E+05           |
| 4195500    | 2.27E-02 | 1.41           | 167.6     | 2.07      | 0.51 | 5.4E+04 | 5.7E+04           |
| 4197100    | 1.06E-01 | 1.20           | 70.8      | 2.02      | 0.50 | 1.7E+04 | 1.7E+04           |
| 4198000    | 5.35E-03 | 1.58           | 610.7     | 1.88      | 0.37 | 2.5E+05 | 2.7E+05           |
| 4199000    | 6.49E-03 | 1.64           | 146.7     | 2.16      | 0.61 | 8.5E+04 | 9.5E+04           |
| 4201500    | 5.05E-03 | 1.65           | 147.4     | 2.04      | 0.67 | 5.5E+04 | 6.1E+04           |
| 4202000    | 7.49E-02 | 0.87           | 199.5     | 1.17      | 0.16 | 2.5E+03 | 2.5E+03           |
| 4206000    | 3.89E-04 | 1.92           | 444.4     | 1.07      | 0.17 | 3.2E+04 | 3.3E+04           |
| 4207200    | 3.09E-03 | 1.87           | 109.3     | 1.43      | 0.45 | 2.5E+04 | 2.7E+04           |
| 4208000    | 4.93E-04 | 1.94           | 817.3     | 1.20      | 0.30 | 1.9E+05 | 2.0E+05           |
| 4209000    | 1.76E-03 | 1.91           | 231.7     | 1.71      | 0.56 | 1.5E+05 | 1.6E+05           |
| 4212100    | 7.13E-03 | 1.48           | 776.8     | 1.50      | 0.36 | 1.1E+05 | 1.1E+05           |
| 4221000    | 9.54E-04 | 1.80           | 297.1     | 1.49      | 0.34 | 3.2E+04 | 3.5E+04           |
| 4223000    | 1.58E-04 | 2.06           | 927.2     | 1.56      | 0.38 | 4.9E+05 | 5.4E+05           |
| 4227500    | 3.58E-04 | 1.99           | 1500.3    | 1.27      | 0.23 | 8.4E+05 | 8.8E+05           |
| 4232000    | 1.93E-04 | 1.93           | 2637.4    | 1.14      | 0.18 | 5.7E+05 | 6.0E+05           |
| 4233300    | 1.92E-02 | 1.70           | 45.0      | 1.54      | 0.39 | 1.4E+04 | 1.6E+04           |
| 5058700    | 2.39E-02 | 1.42           | 156.9     | 1.92      | 0.09 | 4.1E+04 | 4.4E+04           |
| 5059000    | 1.81E-02 | 1.52           | 211.6     | 1.73      | 0.07 | 7.5E+04 | 8.1E+04           |
| 5062000    | 2.34E-01 | 0.99           | 76.1      | 2.20      | 0.13 | 1.3E+04 | 1.4E+04           |
| 5062500    | 3.03E-02 | 1.39           | 139.9     | 1.72      | 0.10 | 2.6E+04 | 2.8E+04           |

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| Station ID | $ar{a}$  | $\overline{b}$ | $\hat{a}$ | $\hat{b}$ | RB   | Sedimen | t yield (tons/yr) |
|------------|----------|----------------|-----------|-----------|------|---------|-------------------|
| Station ID | u        | U              | u         | 0         |      | FDSRC   | Parametric        |
| 5099600    | 1.80E-01 | 1.33           | 101.2     | 2.34      | 0.12 | 1.8E+05 | 1.9E+05           |
| 5114000    | 4.17E-02 | 1.21           | 24.0      | 3.04      | 0.11 | 8.8E+03 | 9.5E+03           |
| 5280000    | 1.12E-01 | 1.03           | 676.9     | 1.52      | 0.06 | 4.1E+04 | 4.2E+04           |
| 5288500    | 2.40E-04 | 1.61           | 8855.8    | 0.90      | 0.05 | 2.3E+05 | 2.4E+05           |
| 5291000    | 9.33E-02 | 1.25           | 14.4      | 2.77      | 0.33 | 8.5E+03 | 9.5E+03           |
| 5293000    | 1.87E-01 | 1.16           | 21.7      | 2.55      | 0.24 | 1.1E+04 | 1.2E+04           |
| 5304500    | 1.94E-01 | 1.08           | 295.8     | 1.58      | 0.08 | 4.5E+04 | 4.6E+04           |
| 5317000    | 1.14E-01 | 1.31           | 194.2     | 2.09      | 0.16 | 1.5E+05 | 1.6E+05           |
| 5325000    | 4.04E-02 | 1.30           | 2756.7    | 1.59      | 0.07 | 8.0E+05 | 8.3E+05           |
| 5341500    | 1.03E-02 | 1.11           | 356.7     | 0.65      | 0.14 | 2.1E+03 | 2.1E+03           |
| 5357335    | 1.76E-03 | 1.36           | 67.3      | 0.80      | 0.05 | 1.8E+02 | 1.9E+02           |
| 5369500    | 9.09E-05 | 1.75           | 8001.0    | 0.92      | 0.13 | 2.8E+05 | 3.0E+05           |
| 5378500    | 1.26E-04 | 1.59           | 32556.4   | 0.80      | 0.05 | 6.8E+05 | 7.0E+05           |
| 5382000    | 6.17E-04 | 1.71           | 1363.5    | 1.48      | 0.19 | 1.4E+05 | 1.6E+05           |
| 5385000    | 3.63E-04 | 2.11           | 624.9     | 1.39      | 0.19 | 5.3E+05 | 5.3E+05           |
| 5387500    | 2.73E-03 | 1.89           | 223.2     | 1.82      | 0.24 | 2.3E+05 | 2.6E+05           |
| 5388250    | 2.32E-04 | 2.25           | 521.7     | 1.44      | 0.16 | 8.2E+05 | 8.3E+05           |
| 5388500    | 3.57E-02 | 2.08           | 3.3       | 2.77      | 0.60 | 5.9E+04 | 6.7E+04           |
| 5389400    | 1.15E-02 | 1.94           | 19.9      | 1.38      | 0.21 | 5.3E+03 | 5.3E+03           |
| 5389500    | 6.85E-03 | 1.24           | 41119.8   | 0.73      | 0.05 | 1.1E+06 | 1.1E+06           |
| 5406500    | 4.53E-03 | 1.95           | 41.6      | 0.76      | 0.14 | 2.7E+03 | 2.9E+03           |
| 5407000    | 2.03E-03 | 1.38           | 9597.4    | 0.71      | 0.09 | 1.9E+05 | 2.0E+05           |
| 5408000    | 2.51E-03 | 1.90           | 163.5     | 1.25      | 0.24 | 3.5E+04 | 4.0E+04           |
| 5412500    | 1.88E-03 | 1.90           | 768.3     | 1.57      | 0.24 | 9.8E+05 | 1.1E+06           |
| 5413500    | 1.54E-03 | 2.08           | 123.5     | 1.63      | 0.30 | 1.1E+05 | 1.1E+05           |
| 5418500    | 2.92E-03 | 1.78           | 909.4     | 1.40      | 0.23 | 5.1E+05 | 5.8E+05           |
| 5419000    | 7.26E-04 | 2.11           | 99.0      | 1.97      | 0.41 | 1.0E+05 | 1.1E+05           |
| 5420500    | 2.64E-04 | 1.56           | 54975.2   | 0.68      | 0.04 | 2.1E+06 | 2.2E+06           |
| 5421000    | 6.24E-03 | 1.46           | 477.4     | 1.70      | 0.20 | 5.3E+04 | 5.7E+04           |
| 5422000    | 4.97E-03 | 1.61           | 1545.3    | 1.29      | 0.12 | 4.6E+05 | 4.9E+05           |
| 5422470    | 1.53E-01 | 1.62           | 5.5       | 2.28      | 0.49 | 1.0E+04 | 1.3E+04           |
| 5426000    | 5.57E-01 | 0.80           | 391.8     | 1.31      | 0.08 | 2.2E+04 | 2.3E+04           |
| 5427718    | 2.49E-02 | 1.57           | 21.4      | 1.36      | 0.26 | 2.0E+03 | 2.3E+03           |
| 5427948    | 6.99E-02 | 1.65           | 1.9       | 2.44      | 0.69 | 1.3E+03 | 1.6E+03           |
| 5431017    | 5.06E-02 | 1.19           | 6.9       | 2.12      | 0.53 | 5.3E+02 | 5.8E+02           |
| 5431022    | 6.86E-02 | 0.96           | 15.4      | 1.61      | 0.24 | 4.1E+02 | 4.3E+02           |
| 5431486    | 1.60E-03 | 1.97           | 120.8     | 1.21      | 0.19 | 1.8E+04 | 1.9E+04           |

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| Station ID | $ar{a}$  | $\overline{b}$ | $\hat{a}$ | $\hat{b}$ | RB   | Sedimen | t yield (tons/yr) |
|------------|----------|----------------|-----------|-----------|------|---------|-------------------|
| Suuton ID  | u        | Ŭ              | u         | Ŭ         | 112  | FDSRC   | Parametric        |
| 5434500    | 1.73E-02 | 1.37           | 766.7     | 1.04      | 0.11 | 5.9E+04 | 6.4E+04           |
| 5436500    | 3.17E-03 | 1.58           | 363.8     | 1.08      | 0.16 | 1.7E+04 | 1.9E+04           |
| 5438500    | 1.30E-02 | 1.43           | 332.3     | 1.33      | 0.19 | 3.0E+04 | 3.2E+04           |
| 5439000    | 8.95E-02 | 1.27           | 40.1      | 1.77      | 0.32 | 7.6E+03 | 8.0E+03           |
| 5440000    | 3.93E-03 | 1.67           | 672.5     | 1.37      | 0.19 | 1.6E+05 | 1.8E+05           |
| 5446500    | 2.70E-04 | 1.81           | 7519.5    | 0.78      | 0.07 | 1.1E+06 | 1.2E+06           |
| 5447500    | 1.32E-03 | 1.95           | 599.4     | 1.27      | 0.19 | 3.6E+05 | 3.8E+05           |
| 5449500    | 4.23E-02 | 1.25           | 173.6     | 1.68      | 0.17 | 1.8E+04 | 1.9E+04           |
| 5451500    | 6.25E-03 | 1.66           | 697.3     | 1.54      | 0.17 | 3.6E+05 | 3.9E+05           |
| 5454500    | 1.84E-02 | 1.46           | 1741.7    | 1.28      | 0.11 | 5.7E+05 | 6.0E+05           |
| 5455000    | 8.67E-01 | 1.53           | 0.4       | 2.69      | 0.85 | 2.0E+03 | 2.3E+03           |
| 5464500    | 6.38E-04 | 1.75           | 3442.1    | 1.32      | 0.12 | 8.4E+05 | 9.1E+05           |
| 5465500    | 1.52E-03 | 1.60           | 7656.1    | 1.14      | 0.10 | 1.3E+06 | 1.4E+06           |
| 5466500    | 1.64E-02 | 1.75           | 206.1     | 1.71      | 0.28 | 3.3E+05 | 3.7E+05           |
| 5469000    | 2.50E-02 | 1.62           | 168.2     | 1.94      | 0.35 | 2.1E+05 | 2.4E+05           |
| 5471050    | 4.62E-03 | 1.71           | 456.6     | 1.61      | 0.19 | 2.2E+05 | 2.4E+05           |
| 5474000    | 1.80E-02 | 1.46           | 2046.9    | 1.52      | 0.19 | 9.8E+05 | 1.0E+06           |
| 5476000    | 1.38E-01 | 1.14           | 265.2     | 1.76      | 0.08 | 5.1E+04 | 5.2E+04           |
| 5481650    | 9.14E-02 | 1.17           | 2921.0    | 1.30      | 0.09 | 4.5E+05 | 4.5E+05           |
| 5482000    | 6.72E-03 | 1.60           | 2072.3    | 1.44      | 0.11 | 1.2E+06 | 1.2E+06           |
| 5483000    | 4.80E-01 | 0.86           | 4.9       | 2.08      | 0.32 | 9.8E+02 | 1.0E+03           |
| 5483450    | 2.77E-02 | 1.71           | 156.9     | 1.81      | 0.27 | 3.2E+05 | 3.6E+05           |
| 5483600    | 3.11E-02 | 1.30           | 145.7     | 1.87      | 0.31 | 1.9E+04 | 2.1E+04           |
| 5485500    | 1.92E-03 | 1.74           | 4481.9    | 1.35      | 0.11 | 3.7E+06 | 3.9E+06           |
| 5486490    | 1.68E-02 | 1.89           | 116.3     | 2.25      | 0.49 | 1.4E+06 | 1.6E+06           |
| 5487980    | 2.34E-01 | 1.42           | 61.0      | 2.63      | 0.67 | 3.8E+05 | 4.2E+05           |
| 5498000    | 5.95E-02 | 1.50           | 90.4      | 2.43      | 0.53 | 2.3E+05 | 2.4E+05           |
| 5502500    | 1.90E-01 | 1.22           | 96.6      | 2.54      | 0.61 | 1.0E+05 | 1.1E+05           |
| 5506000    | 1.50E-01 | 1.43           | 6.3       | 3.09      | 1.02 | 3.1E+04 | 3.2E+04           |
| 5506500    | 1.31E-01 | 1.28           | 79.9      | 2.49      | 0.55 | 8.7E+04 | 9.2E+04           |
| 5507000    | 1.48E-01 | 1.30           | 40.9      | 2.81      | 0.79 | 8.4E+04 | 8.7E+04           |
| 5508000    | 2.33E-02 | 1.40           | 931.4     | 1.98      | 0.40 | 4.6E+05 | 4.9E+05           |
| 5516500    | 9.24E-03 | 1.47           | 223.9     | 1.39      | 0.23 | 1.6E+04 | 1.8E+04           |
| 5520500    | 1.32E-03 | 1.65           | 2349.7    | 0.72      | 0.06 | 1.7E+05 | 1.8E+05           |
| 5525000    | 1.36E-01 | 1.07           | 502.8     | 1.40      | 0.15 | 4.4E+04 | 4.5E+04           |
| 5526000    | 2.41E-02 | 1.33           | 1386.0    | 1.48      | 0.17 | 2.2E+05 | 2.3E+05           |
| 5527500    | 3.25E-04 | 1.75           | 4511.5    | 1.07      | 0.11 | 4.6E+05 | 4.9E+05           |

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| Station ID | $\bar{a}$ | $\overline{b}$ | $\hat{a}$ | $\hat{b}$ | RB   | Sedimen | t yield (tons/yr) |
|------------|-----------|----------------|-----------|-----------|------|---------|-------------------|
| Suuton ID  | ŭ         | U              | ŭ         | Ŭ         | 102  | FDSRC   | Parametric        |
| 5532500    | 5.29E-03  | 1.50           | 542.8     | 1.22      | 0.21 | 3.6E+04 | 3.8E+04           |
| 5543500    | 5.18E-04  | 1.64           | 11810.9   | 0.72      | 0.12 | 8.9E+05 | 9.3E+05           |
| 5548280    | 4.29E-02  | 1.19           | 147.4     | 1.11      | 0.16 | 6.1E+03 | 6.4E+03           |
| 5552500    | 1.75E-03  | 1.71           | 1859.7    | 1.06      | 0.14 | 3.6E+05 | 3.8E+05           |
| 5558300    | 2.32E-03  | 1.47           | 16620.0   | 0.79      | 0.11 | 1.3E+06 | 1.3E+06           |
| 5568000    | 8.36E-03  | 1.61           | 513.5     | 1.67      | 0.23 | 2.5E+05 | 2.7E+05           |
| 5570000    | 1.73E-02  | 1.54           | 748.7     | 1.69      | 0.26 | 5.3E+05 | 5.8E+05           |
| 5570370    | 7.79E-02  | 1.59           | 25.1      | 1.59      | 0.37 | 1.3E+04 | 1.5E+04           |
| 5583000    | 1.57E-03  | 1.70           | 2862.1    | 1.43      | 0.12 | 1.2E+06 | 1.2E+06           |
| 5585000    | 2.05E-02  | 1.53           | 473.0     | 1.91      | 0.29 | 4.2E+05 | 4.5E+05           |
| 5586100    | 5.57E-03  | 1.42           | 25351.9   | 0.80      | 0.05 | 3.5E+06 | 3.6E+06           |
| 5587500    | 2.08E-03  | 1.46           | 116423.9  | 0.71      | 0.06 | 1.7E+07 | 1.7E+07           |
| 5591200    | 8.49E-02  | 1.16           | 299.0     | 1.69      | 0.22 | 4.0E+04 | 4.2E+04           |
| 5594100    | 8.38E-02  | 1.17           | 3500.3    | 1.23      | 0.11 | 4.9E+05 | 5.0E+05           |
| 5599500    | 3.12E-02  | 1.26           | 1346.3    | 1.60      | 0.14 | 1.8E+05 | 1.8E+05           |
| 6018500    | 1.22E-01  | 1.05           | 414.9     | 0.67      | 0.05 | 2.0E+04 | 2.0E+04           |
| 6025500    | 2.43E-04  | 1.72           | 895.3     | 1.38      | 0.08 | 2.6E+04 | 2.7E+04           |
| 6026500    | 4.49E-03  | 1.48           | 1776.5    | 0.99      | 0.06 | 1.2E+05 | 1.2E+05           |
| 6088300    | 1.10E-02  | 1.98           | 107.4     | 1.03      | 0.13 | 7.9E+04 | 8.1E+04           |
| 6088500    | 2.64E-02  | 1.91           | 124.4     | 1.00      | 0.12 | 1.6E+05 | 1.7E+05           |
| 6115200    | 2.28E-05  | 2.21           | 9780.7    | 0.71      | 0.05 | 6.8E+06 | 6.8E+06           |
| 6130500    | 3.42E-01  | 1.29           | 90.2      | 2.44      | 0.19 | 2.4E+05 | 2.7E+05           |
| 6185500    | 9.29E-04  | 1.81           | 11275.5   | 0.56      | 0.03 | 6.4E+06 | 6.6E+06           |
| 6188000    | 1.41E-04  | 2.05           | 546.1     | 1.74      | 0.11 | 2.3E+05 | 2.4E+05           |
| 6191500    | 4.89E-06  | 2.25           | 2804.0    | 1.21      | 0.06 | 3.8E+05 | 4.1E+05           |
| 6214500    | 2.90E-05  | 2.06           | 6358.9    | 1.18      | 0.07 | 1.8E+06 | 1.9E+06           |
| 6228000    | 1.02E-03  | 1.95           | 572.6     | 1.45      | 0.11 | 3.6E+05 | 3.9E+05           |
| 6236100    | 1.10E-02  | 1.63           | 752.8     | 1.60      | 0.10 | 5.9E+05 | 6.6E+05           |
| 6244500    | 3.51E+00  | 1.79           | 2.4       | 1.74      | 0.20 | 3.1E+04 | 3.7E+04           |
| 6253000    | 3.26E-01  | 1.79           | 174.6     | 0.77      | 0.05 | 1.4E+06 | 1.4E+06           |
| 6257000    | 1.04E+01  | 1.30           | 3.9       | 2.89      | 0.49 | 3.2E+05 | 3.4E+05           |
| 6258000    | 1.12E+00  | 1.92           | 19.3      | 1.19      | 0.18 | 2.6E+05 | 2.8E+05           |
| 6259500    | 9.43E-04  | 2.03           | 1584.4    | 1.27      | 0.09 | 3.4E+06 | 3.6E+06           |
| 6268500    | 2.21E+01  | 1.37           | 0.9       | 3.47      | 0.94 | 5.0E+05 | 5.0E+05           |
| 6279500    | 3.59E-02  | 1.65           | 2155.4    | 0.98      | 0.08 | 5.2E+06 | 5.6E+06           |
| 6290500    | 9.73E-03  | 1.72           | 188.8     | 1.13      | 0.09 | 4.6E+04 | 5.0E+04           |
| 6294000    | 9.82E-03  | 1.80           | 221.1     | 1.40      | 0.11 | 1.6E+05 | 1.8E+05           |

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| Station ID | $\bar{a}$ | $\overline{b}$ | $\hat{a}$ | $\hat{b}$ | RB   | Sedimen | t yield (tons/yr) |
|------------|-----------|----------------|-----------|-----------|------|---------|-------------------|
| Sumon 12   | ű         | Ŭ              | ű         | Ū         | 102  | FDSRC   | Parametric        |
| 6294700    | 1.72E-03  | 1.85           | 4352.2    | 0.69      | 0.07 | 3.3E+06 | 3.4E+06           |
| 6295000    | 4.04E-04  | 1.79           | 10747.0   | 0.92      | 0.05 | 3.2E+06 | 3.4E+06           |
| 6308500    | 2.93E-02  | 1.57           | 321.6     | 1.47      | 0.13 | 2.1E+05 | 2.2E+05           |
| 6309500    | 5.92E-03  | 2.19           | 63.3      | 1.16      | 0.11 | 5.8E+04 | 6.0E+04           |
| 6313000    | 7.67E-01  | 1.78           | 4.2       | 3.29      | 0.62 | 1.5E+06 | 1.8E+06           |
| 6313500    | 2.18E-01  | 1.73           | 108.4     | 1.88      | 0.25 | 1.7E+06 | 2.0E+06           |
| 6317000    | 4.44E+00  | 1.34           | 144.8     | 1.92      | 0.26 | 3.6E+06 | 4.1E+06           |
| 6324500    | 1.16E-01  | 1.67           | 292.2     | 1.67      | 0.19 | 2.0E+06 | 2.3E+06           |
| 6326500    | 1.03E-01  | 1.65           | 320.0     | 1.86      | 0.19 | 2.6E+06 | 2.9E+06           |
| 6329500    | 3.27E-04  | 1.88           | 12334.9   | 1.04      | 0.08 | 9.5E+06 | 1.0E+07           |
| 6335500    | 1.41E-01  | 1.73           | 69.6      | 2.78      | 0.31 | 5.6E+06 | 6.2E+06           |
| 6336000    | 1.87E-01  | 1.57           | 109.9     | 2.69      | 0.30 | 3.1E+06 | 3.4E+06           |
| 6337000    | 2.36E+02  | 0.74           | 150.4     | 2.59      | 0.27 | 5.9E+06 | 6.1E+06           |
| 6339500    | 1.13E-01  | 1.48           | 12.9      | 3.10      | 0.37 | 9.3E+04 | 1.0E+05           |
| 6340500    | 6.05E-02  | 1.48           | 29.0      | 2.99      | 0.30 | 1.2E+05 | 1.4E+05           |
| 6342500    | 3.63E-04  | 1.86           | 24836.9   | 0.59      | 0.04 | 1.8E+07 | 1.8E+07           |
| 6345500    | 8.12E-02  | 1.50           | 13.8      | 3.15      | 0.36 | 9.0E+04 | 1.0E+05           |
| 6349000    | 1.62E-02  | 1.68           | 60.8      | 2.76      | 0.22 | 3.2E+05 | 3.5E+05           |
| 6350000    | 7.83E-02  | 1.52           | 3.6       | 3.46      | 0.42 | 3.3E+04 | 3.5E+04           |
| 6352500    | 5.92E-02  | 1.44           | 4.0       | 3.83      | 0.35 | 4.0E+04 | 4.2E+04           |
| 6354000    | 2.51E-01  | 1.36           | 35.3      | 3.13      | 0.29 | 3.3E+05 | 3.9E+05           |
| 6357500    | 2.57E-01  | 1.37           | 10.1      | 3.47      | 0.19 | 1.4E+05 | 1.7E+05           |
| 6357800    | 6.72E-01  | 1.34           | 70.9      | 2.62      | 0.29 | 7.0E+05 | 7.7E+05           |
| 6359500    | 1.59E-01  | 1.58           | 16.8      | 3.29      | 0.41 | 7.0E+05 | 7.5E+05           |
| 6360500    | 8.81E-01  | 1.31           | 43.6      | 3.04      | 0.33 | 9.4E+05 | 9.9E+05           |
| 6386000    | 1.02E+00  | 1.70           | 2.3       | 3.48      | 0.77 | 8.3E+05 | 9.0E+05           |
| 6394000    | 1.74E-01  | 1.86           | 6.6       | 2.80      | 0.50 | 2.8E+05 | 3.2E+05           |
| 6400000    | 1.02E+00  | 1.38           | 0.9       | 3.86      | 0.55 | 5.8E+04 | 6.5E+04           |
| 6400500    | 2.89E-02  | 1.94           | 33.1      | 3.02      | 0.52 | 3.9E+06 | 4.6E+06           |
| 6425720    | 2.07E-01  | 1.19           | 0.1       | 4.08      | 0.46 | 2.7E+02 | 3.4E+02           |
| 6437000    | 5.17E-02  | 1.99           | 120.9     | 2.24      | 0.23 | 1.1E+07 | 1.2E+07           |
| 6439300    | 6.08E-02  | 1.71           | 316.4     | 2.25      | 0.27 | 6.7E+06 | 7.3E+06           |
| 6440200    | 3.93E+00  | 1.26           | 1.6       | 3.53      | 0.78 | 1.1E+05 | 1.2E+05           |
| 6441500    | 5.55E-01  | 1.50           | 19.6      | 3.28      | 0.48 | 1.6E+06 | 1.6E+06           |
| 6446000    | 1.65E+00  | 1.23           | 20.2      | 2.35      | 0.26 | 1.0E+05 | 1.2E+05           |
| 6447000    | 1.99E+00  | 1.47           | 100.8     | 2.33      | 0.48 | 5.7E+06 | 6.2E+06           |
| 6452000    | 1.05E+00  | 1.41           | 234.7     | 2.24      | 0.32 | 5.0E+06 | 5.6E+06           |

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| Suuton ID  | u         | U              | u         | 0         | 112  | FDSRC   | Parametric        |
| 6453500    | 5.07E-02  | 1.78           | 8.3       | 2.93      | 0.39 | 1.1E+05 | 1.2E+05           |
| 6457500    | 2.24E-02  | 1.88           | 131.7     | 0.56      | 0.11 | 6.8E+04 | 7.2E+04           |
| 6461500    | 8.78E-02  | 1.51           | 857.4     | 0.27      | 0.05 | 7.0E+05 | 7.1E+05           |
| 6465500    | 1.11E+00  | 1.16           | 1995.2    | 0.52      | 0.11 | 2.2E+06 | 2.2E+06           |
| 6477000    | 1.08E-02  | 1.57           | 285.5     | 2.18      | 0.05 | 2.5E+05 | 2.6E+05           |
| 6478500    | 3.61E-01  | 0.99           | 287.9     | 2.24      | 0.07 | 7.6E+04 | 8.0E+04           |
| 6481000    | 2.48E-01  | 1.08           | 220.4     | 2.06      | 0.11 | 6.7E+04 | 7.1E+04           |
| 6486000    | 2.85E-02  | 1.33           | 33693.9   | 0.61      | 0.04 | 8.8E+06 | 9.1E+06           |
| 6600500    | 6.73E-02  | 1.56           | 132.3     | 2.05      | 0.23 | 2.9E+05 | 3.4E+05           |
| 6606600    | 9.05E-02  | 1.42           | 711.0     | 1.58      | 0.12 | 8.2E+05 | 8.7E+05           |
| 6606700    | 6.39E-02  | 1.59           | 472.2     | 1.73      | 0.15 | 1.5E+06 | 1.6E+06           |
| 6610000    | 4.11E-02  | 1.42           | 36179.8   | 0.61      | 0.04 | 3.8E+07 | 3.9E+07           |
| 6645000    | 2.00E-03  | 1.87           | 1063.3    | 1.41      | 0.07 | 1.1E+06 | 1.1E+06           |
| 6650000    | 1.85E-03  | 1.85           | 1254.7    | 1.27      | 0.07 | 9.5E+05 | 9.4E+05           |
| 6656000    | 2.76E-02  | 1.12           | 1612.2    | 1.24      | 0.05 | 4.6E+04 | 4.6E+04           |
| 6758500    | 2.70E-02  | 1.48           | 445.0     | 1.73      | 0.13 | 2.3E+05 | 2.6E+05           |
| 6771000    | 3.63E-01  | 1.47           | 0.2       | 4.69      | 0.79 | 4.3E+04 | 3.7E+04           |
| 6785000    | 3.68E-02  | 1.69           | 1244.1    | 0.74      | 0.16 | 2.1E+06 | 2.3E+06           |
| 6790500    | 1.75E-03  | 2.04           | 1083.0    | 0.51      | 0.11 | 9.0E+05 | 9.4E+05           |
| 6803500    | 1.62E-02  | 1.91           | 81.9      | 2.37      | 0.48 | 1.2E+06 | 1.4E+06           |
| 6805500    | 6.35E-02  | 1.43           | 7335.5    | 0.99      | 0.14 | 8.2E+06 | 8.7E+06           |
| 6807000    | 5.32E-02  | 1.33           | 43517.1   | 0.57      | 0.05 | 2.4E+07 | 2.4E+07           |
| 6809000    | 3.43E-01  | 1.75           | 2.6       | 2.63      | 0.53 | 3.5E+04 | 3.7E+04           |
| 6809500    | 1.19E-02  | 1.85           | 253.8     | 1.97      | 0.35 | 1.4E+06 | 1.5E+06           |
| 6817000    | 6.44E-03  | 1.91           | 149.2     | 2.35      | 0.50 | 1.4E+06 | 1.6E+06           |
| 6818000    | 7.72E-04  | 1.75           | 49087.1   | 0.60      | 0.06 | 4.2E+07 | 4.3E+07           |
| 6821500    | 6.59E-01  | 1.48           | 0.7       | 3.97      | 0.60 | 3.9E+04 | 7.1E+04           |
| 6828500    | 1.96E+00  | 1.28           | 52.5      | 1.84      | 0.23 | 2.6E+05 | 2.9E+05           |
| 6829500    | 3.25E-01  | 1.58           | 24.2      | 2.37      | 0.23 | 2.4E+05 | 2.8E+05           |
| 6834000    | 5.28E-03  | 2.24           | 52.6      | 1.21      | 0.09 | 5.0E+04 | 5.3E+04           |
| 6838000    | 7.98E-02  | 2.22           | 7.3       | 2.38      | 0.33 | 4.3E+05 | 4.5E+05           |
| 6841000    | 3.28E-02  | 2.12           | 39.1      | 1.74      | 0.25 | 4.0E+05 | 3.8E+05           |
| 6841500    | 8.08E+00  | 1.41           | 0.1       | 4.33      | 1.45 | 4.9E+04 | 4.3E+04           |
| 6844500    | 3.18E-01  | 1.45           | 143.1     | 1.71      | 0.18 | 3.9E+05 | 4.6E+05           |
| 6845000    | 6.14E-01  | 1.45           | 0.6       | 3.92      | 0.65 | 4.0E+04 | 4.2E+04           |
| 6845200    | 7.29E+01  | 0.68           | 7.4       | 2.90      | 0.54 | 1.8E+05 | 1.8E+05           |
| 6846500    | 5.95E-01  | 1.35           | 0.6       | 3.79      | 0.48 | 1.3E+04 | 1.4E+04           |

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| Station iD | u         | U              | u         | Ū         | 112  | FDSRC   | Parametric        |
| 6847000    | 3.17E-01  | 1.45           | 3.0       | 3.07      | 0.39 | 2.2E+04 | 2.5E+04           |
| 6847500    | 2.11E-01  | 1.54           | 4.7       | 3.21      | 0.35 | 6.5E+04 | 8.5E+04           |
| 6848000    | 1.73E-01  | 1.64           | 0.6       | 4.09      | 0.59 | 7.8E+04 | 7.3E+04           |
| 6854000    | 2.34E+00  | 1.20           | 4.3       | 3.31      | 0.40 | 8.6E+04 | 1.0E+05           |
| 6854500    | 4.83E-03  | 1.90           | 302.9     | 2.10      | 0.28 | 1.8E+06 | 2.0E+06           |
| 6856600    | 1.99E-02  | 1.69           | 471.0     | 1.95      | 0.27 | 1.6E+06 | 1.9E+06           |
| 6866900    | 2.27E-01  | 1.54           | 0.6       | 4.02      | 0.69 | 3.8E+04 | 4.0E+04           |
| 6867000    | 5.45E-01  | 1.35           | 12.9      | 3.08      | 0.37 | 1.4E+05 | 1.7E+05           |
| 6869500    | 1.30E-01  | 1.50           | 56.8      | 2.59      | 0.29 | 3.1E+05 | 3.6E+05           |
| 6870200    | 1.89E-02  | 1.66           | 349.9     | 1.89      | 0.19 | 7.2E+05 | 7.8E+05           |
| 6871800    | 3.20E-01  | 1.46           | 2.2       | 3.70      | 0.50 | 6.8E+04 | 8.1E+04           |
| 6873500    | 2.71E-01  | 1.46           | 5.1       | 3.87      | 0.58 | 3.5E+05 | 3.7E+05           |
| 6876000    | 1.31E-01  | 1.44           | 61.0      | 3.07      | 0.45 | 6.6E+05 | 7.6E+05           |
| 6877600    | 1.50E-02  | 1.62           | 683.3     | 2.09      | 0.18 | 1.8E+06 | 2.0E+06           |
| 6881000    | 1.89E-01  | 1.39           | 165.1     | 2.17      | 0.26 | 4.1E+05 | 4.7E+05           |
| 6883000    | 1.08E-01  | 1.59           | 43.0      | 2.47      | 0.37 | 2.4E+05 | 3.0E+05           |
| 6887500    | 4.64E-03  | 1.69           | 3347.5    | 1.66      | 0.15 | 6.1E+06 | 6.7E+06           |
| 6888000    | 1.12E-01  | 1.60           | 13.9      | 3.02      | 0.79 | 2.1E+05 | 2.3E+05           |
| 6890500    | 1.11E-01  | 1.57           | 69.4      | 2.93      | 0.81 | 1.7E+06 | 1.8E+06           |
| 6898000    | 9.88E-02  | 1.55           | 143.5     | 2.37      | 0.49 | 9.2E+05 | 1.0E+06           |
| 6903400    | 3.08E-01  | 1.22           | 34.5      | 2.65      | 0.59 | 5.7E+04 | 6.1E+04           |
| 6903900    | 1.65E-01  | 1.20           | 281.8     | 1.55      | 0.16 | 8.1E+04 | 8.2E+04           |
| 6918070    | 7.04E-02  | 1.26           | 2761.6    | 1.80      | 0.22 | 1.3E+06 | 1.3E+06           |
| 6934500    | 1.07E-03  | 1.69           | 89039.9   | 0.76      | 0.08 | 8.7E+07 | 9.0E+07           |
| 7010000    | 1.68E-05  | 1.87           | 208005.4  | 0.68      | 0.05 | 5.6E+07 | 5.7E+07           |
| 7019000    | 2.47E-04  | 1.82           | 2014.5    | 1.77      | 0.27 | 6.2E+05 | 7.0E+05           |
| 7020500    | 9.72E-05  | 1.73           | 237020.6  | 0.64      | 0.05 | 6.2E+07 | 6.3E+07           |
| 7022000    | 6.28E-05  | 1.76           | 239638.7  | 0.65      | 0.05 | 6.4E+07 | 6.5E+07           |
| 7036100    | 6.69E-03  | 1.41           | 326.4     | 2.34      | 0.61 | 6.5E+04 | 7.1E+04           |
| 7040100    | 6.01E-02  | 1.34           | 1866.0    | 1.28      | 0.11 | 7.4E+05 | 7.5E+05           |
| 7047810    | 6.98E-02  | 1.22           | 3784.9    | 1.33      | 0.07 | 7.9E+05 | 8.0E+05           |
| 7061300    | 2.06E-02  | 1.39           | 39.2      | 2.45      | 0.66 | 1.0E+04 | 1.1E+04           |
| 7077555    | 1.30E-01  | 1.09           | 1367.0    | 1.10      | 0.07 | 1.2E+05 | 1.2E+05           |
| 7103700    | 1.93E-02  | 2.04           | 12.5      | 1.47      | 0.13 | 6.3E+03 | 6.7E+03           |
| 7103970    | 2.11E-02  | 1.93           | 16.6      | 1.88      | 0.22 | 2.0E+04 | 2.1E+04           |
| 7103990    | 3.83E-01  | 1.78           | 4.0       | 1.89      | 0.46 | 1.2E+04 | 1.5E+04           |
| 7105500    | 3.86E-02  | 1.81           | 40.7      | 1.88      | 0.28 | 8.9E+04 | 1.1E+05           |

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| Suuton ID  | u         | Ū              | u         | Ū         | 112  | FDSRC   | Parametric        |
| 7105530    | 4.74E-03  | 1.95           | 94.8      | 1.56      | 0.25 | 7.6E+04 | 7.3E+04           |
| 7105800    | 1.46E-02  | 1.87           | 85.0      | 1.59      | 0.26 | 9.4E+04 | 1.1E+05           |
| 7106300    | 1.15E-02  | 1.91           | 82.9      | 1.77      | 0.31 | 1.6E+05 | 1.8E+05           |
| 7106500    | 3.16E-02  | 1.84           | 56.1      | 1.94      | 0.32 | 1.9E+05 | 2.2E+05           |
| 7124200    | 9.37E-03  | 2.33           | 53.5      | 1.51      | 0.17 | 4.0E+05 | 3.8E+05           |
| 7124410    | 8.29E-02  | 1.51           | 54.2      | 1.47      | 0.14 | 2.9E+04 | 2.8E+04           |
| 7126300    | 3.97E-01  | 1.57           | 14.4      | 2.61      | 0.51 | 2.0E+05 | 2.4E+05           |
| 7126485    | 1.79E-01  | 1.71           | 27.5      | 2.08      | 0.42 | 1.8E+05 | 2.1E+05           |
| 7140000    | 2.06E-02  | 1.64           | 26.3      | 2.76      | 0.15 | 6.2E+04 | 7.8E+04           |
| 7141900    | 5.69E-01  | 1.31           | 5.3       | 3.25      | 0.46 | 5.5E+04 | 5.8E+04           |
| 7143330    | 7.28E-03  | 1.74           | 284.7     | 1.85      | 0.16 | 3.1E+05 | 3.6E+05           |
| 7144200    | 5.95E-02  | 1.46           | 77.2      | 2.68      | 0.45 | 2.2E+05 | 2.4E+05           |
| 7146500    | 1.22E-02  | 1.62           | 1188.2    | 1.78      | 0.24 | 1.7E+06 | 2.0E+06           |
| 7147800    | 2.22E-02  | 1.51           | 277.1     | 2.50      | 0.47 | 5.5E+05 | 6.0E+05           |
| 7151500    | 2.37E-02  | 1.65           | 70.4      | 2.58      | 0.55 | 2.7E+05 | 3.2E+05           |
| 7230000    | 2.73E-01  | 1.48           | 9.4       | 2.99      | 0.39 | 1.1E+05 | 1.2E+05           |
| 7277700    | 1.08E-02  | 1.75           | 50.4      | 2.54      | 0.94 | 1.4E+05 | 1.7E+05           |
| 7301500    | 6.08E-01  | 1.46           | 22.7      | 2.89      | 0.52 | 5.5E+05 | 6.6E+05           |
| 7304500    | 6.33E-02  | 1.73           | 11.3      | 3.21      | 0.69 | 3.9E+05 | 4.3E+05           |
| 7325500    | 2.14E-01  | 1.50           | 146.8     | 2.23      | 0.32 | 1.0E+06 | 1.1E+06           |
| 7351750    | 4.72E-01  | 0.94           | 634.6     | 1.68      | 0.19 | 9.5E+04 | 9.7E+04           |
| 7352800    | 1.40E-01  | 0.95           | 28.0      | 2.62      | 0.50 | 3.5E+03 | 3.7E+03           |
| 8023080    | 2.09E-01  | 1.02           | 14.2      | 2.91      | 0.74 | 5.7E+03 | 6.1E+03           |
| 8023400    | 2.65E-01  | 0.95           | 15.7      | 2.90      | 0.74 | 5.1E+03 | 5.5E+03           |
| 8044000    | 2.17E-01  | 1.26           | 6.5       | 3.52      | 0.69 | 3.5E+04 | 3.7E+04           |
| 8286500    | 2.22E-01  | 1.48           | 384.1     | 1.32      | 0.14 | 8.9E+05 | 9.4E+05           |
| 8287000    | 1.05E+00  | 1.09           | 461.7     | 1.08      | 0.10 | 2.9E+05 | 2.9E+05           |
| 8290000    | 6.30E-01  | 1.40           | 445.3     | 1.31      | 0.12 | 1.8E+06 | 1.9E+06           |
| 8313000    | 1.39E-01  | 1.42           | 1290.1    | 1.24      | 0.08 | 1.8E+06 | 1.9E+06           |
| 8317400    | 6.23E-02  | 1.02           | 1265.9    | 1.00      | 0.07 | 3.1E+04 | 3.1E+04           |
| 8317950    | 5.77E+00  | 1.58           | 0.3       | 3.73      | 1.16 | 1.8E+05 | 1.9E+05           |
| 8318000    | 1.86E+01  | 1.42           | 0.4       | 4.10      | 1.37 | 7.8E+05 | 7.6E+05           |
| 8329500    | 6.12E+00  | 1.08           | 798.5     | 1.48      | 0.13 | 3.7E+06 | 3.8E+06           |
| 8330000    | 4.19E-01  | 1.29           | 1019.2    | 1.19      | 0.10 | 1.4E+06 | 1.4E+06           |
| 8331990    | 2.57E+00  | 1.23           | 147.6     | 1.69      | 0.11 | 8.9E+05 | 8.6E+05           |
| 8332010    | 6.26E-01  | 1.22           | 616.3     | 1.48      | 0.10 | 9.0E+05 | 9.0E+05           |
| 8332050    | 1.71E-02  | 2.11           | 59.6      | 0.75      | 0.09 | 4.4E+04 | 4.5E+04           |

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| Sution iD  | u         | U              | u         | U         | 112  | FDSRC   | Parametric        |
| 8334000    | 4.10E+01  | 1.30           | 2.9       | 2.79      | 0.64 | 7.1E+05 | 7.5E+05           |
| 8340500    | 2.05E+01  | 1.38           | 1.6       | 3.51      | 1.02 | 1.2E+06 | 1.2E+06           |
| 8353000    | 3.96E+01  | 1.28           | 4.2       | 3.32      | 0.77 | 2.8E+06 | 2.9E+06           |
| 8354800    | 1.68E+00  | 1.50           | 243.9     | 1.50      | 0.11 | 5.7E+06 | 5.4E+06           |
| 8354900    | 4.84E+00  | 1.16           | 592.3     | 1.45      | 0.12 | 4.1E+06 | 4.2E+06           |
| 8358300    | 8.01E-01  | 1.48           | 303.8     | 1.17      | 0.09 | 2.0E+06 | 2.0E+06           |
| 8358400    | 9.70E+00  | 1.11           | 459.3     | 1.57      | 0.12 | 4.7E+06 | 4.8E+06           |
| 8383000    | 4.75E-02  | 1.84           | 27.8      | 2.73      | 0.48 | 8.2E+05 | 9.0E+05           |
| 8390500    | 2.67E+00  | 1.53           | 2.2       | 3.39      | 0.49 | 4.4E+05 | 5.1E+05           |
| 8396500    | 8.33E-02  | 1.62           | 78.4      | 2.48      | 0.28 | 6.2E+05 | 7.9E+05           |
| 8398500    | 1.71E+00  | 1.49           | 0.0       | 6.17      | 1.47 | 8.3E+04 | 7.7E+04           |
| 9041090    | 6.08E-02  | 1.44           | 31.1      | 1.99      | 0.11 | 1.4E+04 | 1.5E+04           |
| 9093700    | 1.03E-02  | 1.46           | 3659.1    | 1.09      | 0.05 | 7.2E+05 | 7.6E+05           |
| 9180000    | 9.78E-03  | 1.90           | 439.8     | 1.78      | 0.11 | 3.2E+06 | 3.4E+06           |
| 9180500    | 7.47E-03  | 1.64           | 6580.4    | 1.15      | 0.07 | 8.0E+06 | 8.5E+06           |
| 9184000    | 1.85E-03  | 2.73           | 12.4      | 1.20      | 0.16 | 6.9E+03 | 5.2E+03           |
| 9217000    | 2.73E-03  | 1.58           | 1511.2    | 1.10      | 0.05 | 1.4E+05 | 1.6E+05           |
| 9224700    | 1.58E-02  | 1.80           | 181.0     | 1.75      | 0.11 | 4.0E+05 | 4.3E+05           |
| 9243900    | 4.24E-01  | 1.42           | 2.0       | 1.88      | 0.15 | 1.4E+03 | 1.5E+03           |
| 9251000    | 9.76E-03  | 1.53           | 1121.8    | 1.56      | 0.09 | 4.3E+05 | 4.3E+05           |
| 9260000    | 8.59E-01  | 1.38           | 362.5     | 1.72      | 0.12 | 2.8E+06 | 2.8E+06           |
| 9261000    | 1.10E-02  | 1.64           | 4077.8    | 1.06      | 0.07 | 4.5E+06 | 4.7E+06           |
| 9306500    | 1.35E-03  | 2.08           | 694.7     | 0.96      | 0.08 | 6.9E+05 | 7.2E+05           |
| 9315000    | 4.42E-02  | 1.51           | 5536.2    | 1.16      | 0.06 | 1.0E+07 | 1.1E+07           |
| 9328500    | 2.12E-01  | 1.78           | 57.6      | 2.09      | 0.20 | 1.4E+06 | 1.5E+06           |
| 9341500    | 1.12E-04  | 2.27           | 116.2     | 1.58      | 0.10 | 2.1E+04 | 2.3E+04           |
| 9355500    | 1.59E-03  | 1.99           | 1038.9    | 1.06      | 0.04 | 1.1E+06 | 1.2E+06           |
| 9356500    | 1.09E-02  | 1.74           | 1058.6    | 1.47      | 0.12 | 2.3E+06 | 2.4E+06           |
| 9364500    | 3.45E-02  | 1.54           | 700.3     | 1.35      | 0.10 | 5.6E+05 | 5.9E+05           |
| 9368000    | 7.77E-02  | 1.59           | 1755.8    | 1.22      | 0.11 | 6.9E+06 | 7.3E+06           |
| 9378700    | 3.02E+00  | 1.74           | 0.7       | 3.54      | 0.50 | 5.9E+05 | 5.7E+05           |
| 9379500    | 2.70E-01  | 1.52           | 1950.5    | 1.19      | 0.12 | 1.5E+07 | 1.6E+07           |
| 9380000    | 2.98E-03  | 1.80           | 15099.2   | 0.93      | 0.08 | 4.5E+07 | 4.9E+07           |
| 9382000    | 2.12E+00  | 1.93           | 5.7       | 2.84      | 0.63 | 5.2E+06 | 5.6E+06           |
| 9394500    | 5.66E-01  | 1.70           | 7.7       | 3.01      | 0.66 | 7.8E+05 | 8.6E+05           |
| 9401260    | 4.33E+00  | 1.79           | 0.5       | 3.92      | 1.14 | 2.1E+06 | 2.1E+06           |
| 9402000    | 3.18E+01  | 1.18           | 57.9      | 2.57      | 0.41 | 7.8E+06 | 8.1E+06           |

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| Station ID | $\bar{a}$ | $\overline{b}$ | $\hat{a}$ | $\hat{b}$ | RB   | Sedimen | t yield (tons/yr) |
|------------|-----------|----------------|-----------|-----------|------|---------|-------------------|
| Station iD | u         | U              | u         | U         | 112  | FDSRC   | Parametric        |
| 9402500    | 2.04E-01  | 1.43           | 15855.2   | 0.89      | 0.08 | 7.8E+07 | 8.3E+07           |
| 9406000    | 1.72E-01  | 1.79           | 159.2     | 1.39      | 0.21 | 1.4E+06 | 1.6E+06           |
| 9408150    | 3.20E-01  | 1.68           | 133.2     | 1.68      | 0.21 | 1.6E+06 | 1.9E+06           |
| 9410000    | 6.37E-02  | 2.18           | 13.8      | 1.69      | 0.18 | 1.1E+05 | 1.0E+05           |
| 9415000    | 1.59E-02  | 1.96           | 133.4     | 1.87      | 0.24 | 9.4E+05 | 1.1E+06           |
| 9430500    | 1.20E-02  | 1.84           | 65.6      | 2.19      | 0.22 | 1.7E+05 | 2.1E+05           |
| 9448500    | 2.54E-02  | 1.84           | 135.6     | 2.50      | 0.26 | 3.5E+06 | 4.3E+06           |
| 9471000    | 6.74E-02  | 1.96           | 5.9       | 3.27      | 0.75 | 9.3E+05 | 1.2E+06           |
| 9474000    | 3.03E-01  | 1.66           | 161.1     | 2.41      | 0.21 | 8.3E+06 | 1.1E+07           |
| 9505350    | 2.36E+00  | 0.91           | 4.0       | 3.38      | 0.63 | 1.6E+04 | 1.8E+04           |
| 10092700   | 2.39E-02  | 1.45           | 1047.5    | 0.78      | 0.13 | 1.9E+05 | 2.0E+05           |
| 10104700   | 8.73E-03  | 1.74           | 56.5      | 1.08      | 0.10 | 5.5E+03 | 5.8E+03           |
| 10118000   | 2.24E-01  | 0.99           | 1527.3    | 0.96      | 0.14 | 1.0E+05 | 1.0E+05           |
| 10174500   | 1.70E-02  | 1.63           | 108.0     | 1.20      | 0.05 | 2.0E+04 | 2.2E+04           |
| 10336610   | 7.46E-03  | 1.41           | 69.1      | 1.54      | 0.14 | 2.2E+03 | 2.3E+03           |
| 10336645   | 5.89E-04  | 1.95           | 9.4       | 1.82      | 0.20 | 1.8E+02 | 1.9E+02           |
| 10336660   | 8.37E-04  | 2.02           | 22.0      | 1.75      | 0.16 | 1.7E+03 | 1.8E+03           |
| 10336676   | 1.51E-03  | 1.94           | 15.0      | 1.81      | 0.17 | 1.0E+03 | 1.1E+03           |
| 10336698   | 3.84E-03  | 2.20           | 6.0       | 1.35      | 0.09 | 3.6E+02 | 3.8E+02           |
| 10336740   | 1.28E-02  | 1.59           | 0.4       | 1.46      | 0.10 | 2.7E+00 | 2.9E+00           |
| 10336780   | 7.91E-03  | 1.46           | 32.8      | 1.14      | 0.06 | 5.9E+02 | 6.3E+02           |
| 11013500   | 3.37E+00  | 1.03           | 0.7       | 4.58      | 0.46 | 5.4E+04 | 5.8E+04           |
| 11022500   | 6.11E-02  | 1.44           | 0.8       | 4.21      | 0.54 | 8.9E+03 | 1.1E+04           |
| 11042000   | 6.18E-02  | 1.65           | 2.5       | 3.61      | 0.37 | 5.7E+04 | 6.5E+04           |
| 11046000   | 1.04E-01  | 1.53           | 1.4       | 4.15      | 0.67 | 7.1E+04 | 8.0E+04           |
| 11046500   | 4.71E-03  | 2.24           | 0.7       | 3.79      | 0.47 | 6.1E+04 | 7.5E+04           |
| 11046530   | 1.46E-01  | 1.78           | 0.5       | 4.22      | 0.63 | 2.3E+05 | 2.4E+05           |
| 11047000   | 1.10E-01  | 1.66           | 0.2       | 4.24      | 0.52 | 1.3E+04 | 1.2E+04           |
| 11047300   | 1.01E-01  | 1.94           | 1.6       | 3.39      | 0.80 | 1.9E+05 | 1.9E+05           |
| 11048500   | 3.37E+00  | 1.26           | 0.3       | 3.97      | 1.06 | 2.5E+04 | 2.8E+04           |
| 11051500   | 6.23E-03  | 2.04           | 4.6       | 3.25      | 0.29 | 8.5E+04 | 1.1E+05           |
| 11057000   | 2.53E+02  | 0.84           | 0.0       | 5.35      | 1.44 | 4.8E+04 | 6.2E+04           |
| 11074000   | 1.97E-01  | 1.10           | 127.3     | 1.84      | 0.15 | 2.6E+04 | 2.8E+04           |
| 11078000   | 4.93E-01  | 1.43           | 3.7       | 3.81      | 0.50 | 3.1E+05 | 2.9E+05           |
| 11105850   | 5.18E-01  | 1.83           | 0.1       | 4.41      | 1.15 | 1.1E+05 | 1.1E+05           |
| 11108500   | 1.42E-01  | 1.72           | 2.8       | 3.87      | 0.53 | 6.8E+05 | 6.8E+05           |
| 11109000   | 1.06E-02  | 2.06           | 8.9       | 3.20      | 0.39 | 7.7E+05 | 7.0E+05           |

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| Station ID | $ar{a}$  | $\overline{b}$ | $\hat{a}$ | $\hat{b}$ | RB   | Sedimen | t yield (tons/yr) |
|------------|----------|----------------|-----------|-----------|------|---------|-------------------|
| Station ID | u        | U              | u         | 0         |      | FDSRC   | Parametric        |
| 11110500   | 7.44E-02 | 2.14           | 0.2       | 4.14      | 0.92 | 1.9E+05 | 2.0E+05           |
| 11113000   | 1.61E-02 | 1.79           | 8.5       | 3.66      | 0.59 | 4.6E+05 | 5.0E+05           |
| 11114000   | 5.47E-01 | 1.40           | 4.1       | 4.31      | 0.78 | 9.5E+05 | 9.8E+05           |
| 11117500   | 2.09E-02 | 2.06           | 0.3       | 4.41      | 0.78 | 2.8E+05 | 2.3E+05           |
| 11118500   | 7.81E-02 | 1.60           | 2.7       | 3.98      | 0.64 | 1.7E+05 | 1.9E+05           |
| 11120510   | 7.74E-02 | 2.40           | 0.2       | 3.62      | 0.82 | 1.1E+05 | 1.5E+05           |
| 11141000   | 1.64E+01 | 1.18           | 0.5       | 4.61      | 0.70 | 6.4E+05 | 6.2E+05           |
| 11141280   | 9.62E-03 | 2.06           | 2.9       | 2.48      | 0.32 | 3.8E+03 | 4.3E+03           |
| 11147070   | 2.05E-02 | 1.89           | 1.8       | 3.16      | 0.64 | 1.4E+04 | 1.4E+04           |
| 11148900   | 1.40E-03 | 1.72           | 25.9      | 3.05      | 0.60 | 2.1E+04 | 2.2E+04           |
| 11149900   | 3.03E-02 | 1.54           | 19.3      | 2.87      | 0.38 | 4.2E+04 | 4.4E+04           |
| 11151870   | 1.80E-03 | 1.90           | 56.5      | 2.39      | 0.36 | 6.2E+04 | 6.9E+04           |
| 11152500   | 3.64E-02 | 1.65           | 48.5      | 3.22      | 0.31 | 1.5E+06 | 1.5E+06           |
| 11153900   | 1.14E-02 | 1.71           | 4.9       | 2.91      | 0.58 | 6.1E+03 | 6.7E+03           |
| 11160300   | 5.83E-02 | 1.90           | 1.7       | 3.07      | 0.60 | 2.6E+04 | 2.8E+04           |
| 11160500   | 6.28E-04 | 2.20           | 39.3      | 2.48      | 0.42 | 1.7E+05 | 1.7E+05           |
| 11162720   | 2.56E-01 | 1.91           | 2.4       | 2.48      | 0.97 | 3.4E+04 | 3.5E+04           |
| 11169800   | 7.26E-03 | 1.64           | 5.4       | 3.17      | 0.62 | 6.2E+03 | 6.3E+03           |
| 11176400   | 1.35E-02 | 1.66           | 4.2       | 3.21      | 0.57 | 9.3E+03 | 1.0E+04           |
| 11176500   | 5.77E-02 | 1.54           | 2.1       | 3.50      | 0.47 | 1.3E+04 | 1.4E+04           |
| 11176900   | 3.64E-02 | 1.59           | 10.9      | 2.92      | 0.58 | 3.1E+04 | 3.4E+04           |
| 11177000   | 7.18E-03 | 1.96           | 9.9       | 3.00      | 0.55 | 1.1E+05 | 1.2E+05           |
| 11179000   | 9.20E-03 | 1.82           | 20.5      | 3.00      | 0.49 | 1.8E+05 | 1.9E+05           |
| 11180825   | 1.61E-01 | 1.83           | 1.2       | 2.96      | 0.61 | 1.8E+04 | 1.8E+04           |
| 11180960   | 4.24E-01 | 1.79           | 0.4       | 3.16      | 0.66 | 9.3E+03 | 1.0E+04           |
| 11181040   | 2.92E-02 | 1.80           | 5.7       | 2.66      | 0.69 | 1.6E+04 | 1.8E+04           |
| 11181390   | 5.16E-02 | 2.14           | 0.6       | 3.22      | 0.73 | 2.2E+04 | 2.6E+04           |
| 11303500   | 1.27E-01 | 1.06           | 3507.8    | 1.40      | 0.05 | 3.1E+05 | 3.2E+05           |
| 11306000   | 1.69E-03 | 1.64           | 20.8      | 2.60      | 0.47 | 2.6E+03 | 2.9E+03           |
| 11308000   | 2.41E-03 | 1.68           | 12.8      | 2.54      | 0.47 | 2.0E+03 | 2.1E+03           |
| 11335000   | 3.64E-04 | 1.84           | 211.6     | 2.14      | 0.28 | 4.7E+04 | 5.3E+04           |
| 11376000   | 1.07E-04 | 2.15           | 394.7     | 2.09      | 0.31 | 6.1E+05 | 6.8E+05           |
| 11377100   | 2.03E-06 | 2.18           | 11543.8   | 1.06      | 0.12 | 1.2E+06 | 1.3E+06           |
| 11382000   | 4.34E-04 | 2.24           | 131.0     | 2.10      | 0.30 | 5.5E+05 | 5.7E+05           |
| 11389000   | 2.15E-06 | 2.22           | 11742.9   | 1.20      | 0.11 | 3.0E+06 | 3.1E+06           |
| 11389470   | 2.41E-01 | 1.18           | 159.9     | 3.22      | 0.39 | 6.2E+05 | 5.8E+05           |
| 11389500   | 1.17E-05 | 2.10           | 12308.9   | 0.76      | 0.06 | 2.0E+06 | 2.1E+06           |

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| Station ID | $\bar{a}$ | $\overline{b}$ | $\hat{a}$ | $\hat{b}$ | RB   | Sedimen | t yield (tons/yr) |
|------------|-----------|----------------|-----------|-----------|------|---------|-------------------|
| Suuton ID  | u         | Ū              | u         | 0         | 112  | FDSRC   | Parametric        |
| 11391000   | 7.33E-06  | 2.16           | 12138.0   | 0.56      | 0.04 | 1.8E+06 | 1.8E+06           |
| 11407000   | 5.03E-06  | 2.14           | 2386.8    | 1.75      | 0.15 | 4.1E+05 | 4.6E+05           |
| 11407150   | 3.72E-04  | 1.61           | 3700.0    | 1.49      | 0.09 | 1.8E+05 | 2.1E+05           |
| 11410000   | 2.82E-05  | 2.34           | 222.7     | 1.83      | 0.24 | 1.2E+05 | 1.1E+05           |
| 11417500   | 6.06E-05  | 2.05           | 225.7     | 1.98      | 0.27 | 3.4E+04 | 3.6E+04           |
| 11418000   | 6.70E-03  | 1.04           | 1694.7    | 1.57      | 0.15 | 7.0E+03 | 7.3E+03           |
| 11418500   | 4.67E-03  | 1.54           | 42.5      | 2.35      | 0.49 | 6.1E+03 | 6.6E+03           |
| 11447500   | 3.36E-05  | 1.87           | 25767.7   | 0.77      | 0.05 | 2.5E+06 | 2.5E+06           |
| 11447650   | 3.24E-05  | 1.85           | 24947.5   | 0.78      | 0.05 | 1.8E+06 | 1.9E+06           |
| 11452500   | 3.84E-02  | 1.56           | 153.2     | 2.50      | 0.28 | 6.6E+05 | 6.8E+05           |
| 11453000   | 6.13E-02  | 1.21           | 575.2     | 3.06      | 0.25 | 6.8E+05 | 6.8E+05           |
| 11456000   | 2.53E-03  | 1.90           | 18.7      | 2.83      | 0.56 | 4.5E+04 | 5.0E+04           |
| 11458000   | 3.99E-03  | 1.72           | 39.7      | 2.85      | 0.50 | 6.9E+04 | 7.5E+04           |
| 11460000   | 4.48E-03  | 1.89           | 4.9       | 2.89      | 0.66 | 7.3E+03 | 7.8E+03           |
| 11460400   | 3.82E-04  | 2.07           | 15.1      | 2.41      | 0.41 | 4.0E+03 | 4.2E+03           |
| 11460750   | 1.61E-03  | 2.05           | 5.4       | 2.99      | 0.50 | 1.4E+04 | 1.6E+04           |
| 11461000   | 2.01E-03  | 1.94           | 52.4      | 2.48      | 0.54 | 1.2E+05 | 1.3E+05           |
| 11461500   | 3.66E-04  | 2.07           | 248.9     | 1.38      | 0.27 | 5.0E+04 | 5.4E+04           |
| 11462000   | 1.00E-01  | 1.13           | 259.8     | 1.40      | 0.22 | 2.4E+04 | 2.5E+04           |
| 11463000   | 1.15E-04  | 2.12           | 453.1     | 2.00      | 0.32 | 5.3E+05 | 5.9E+05           |
| 11463200   | 8.16E-04  | 2.08           | 37.9      | 2.62      | 0.47 | 1.2E+05 | 1.4E+05           |
| 11465200   | 6.92E-03  | 1.69           | 119.4     | 2.24      | 0.31 | 1.2E+05 | 1.3E+05           |
| 11467000   | 1.29E-02  | 1.42           | 869.8     | 2.24      | 0.32 | 4.6E+05 | 5.0E+05           |
| 11468000   | 1.16E-03  | 1.84           | 144.5     | 2.52      | 0.45 | 2.0E+05 | 2.3E+05           |
| 11469000   | 5.33E-05  | 2.24           | 606.9     | 2.04      | 0.37 | 1.5E+06 | 1.7E+06           |
| 11471000   | 3.35E-01  | 0.74           | 214.2     | 0.48      | 0.05 | 5.2E+03 | 5.2E+03           |
| 11472150   | 7.87E-04  | 1.85           | 252.5     | 2.50      | 0.39 | 4.5E+05 | 4.8E+05           |
| 11472200   | 3.31E-03  | 1.58           | 117.8     | 2.51      | 0.49 | 4.7E+04 | 4.8E+04           |
| 11473900   | 1.97E-04  | 2.08           | 754.0     | 2.00      | 0.35 | 1.8E+06 | 2.0E+06           |
| 11474500   | 5.78E-04  | 1.92           | 206.3     | 2.45      | 0.49 | 4.3E+05 | 4.0E+05           |
| 11475000   | 8.14E-05  | 2.04           | 1790.4    | 2.23      | 0.35 | 6.3E+06 | 6.9E+06           |
| 11475500   | 1.74E-03  | 1.87           | 59.9      | 2.37      | 0.42 | 5.2E+04 | 5.6E+04           |
| 11475560   | 1.46E-03  | 1.87           | 11.9      | 2.05      | 0.29 | 8.5E+02 | 9.1E+02           |
| 11476600   | 3.34E-03  | 2.10           | 55.1      | 2.03      | 0.29 | 1.7E+05 | 1.9E+05           |
| 11477000   | 4.53E-05  | 2.08           | 3138.8    | 2.15      | 0.34 | 1.2E+07 | 1.4E+07           |
| 11481000   | 2.07E-03  | 1.83           | 773.8     | 1.87      | 0.32 | 1.3E+06 | 1.4E+06           |
| 11481500   | 2.88E-04  | 2.24           | 139.7     | 1.71      | 0.30 | 1.1E+05 | 1.2E+05           |

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| Station ID | $ar{a}$  | $\overline{b}$ | â        | $\hat{b}$ | RB   | Sediment yield (tons/yr) |            |
|------------|----------|----------------|----------|-----------|------|--------------------------|------------|
|            |          |                |          |           |      | FDSRC                    | Parametric |
| 11482500   | 3.83E-04 | 2.00           | 598.0    | 1.78      | 0.29 | 5.0E+05                  | 5.5E+05    |
| 11523000   | 6.64E-07 | 2.37           | 7182.2   | 1.22      | 0.13 | 1.7E+06                  | 1.6E+06    |
| 11525600   | 3.56E-04 | 2.48           | 32.4     | 1.64      | 0.15 | 2.1E+04                  | 1.7E+04    |
| 11525655   | 3.64E-06 | 2.35           | 738.0    | 1.33      | 0.07 | 4.5E+04                  | 4.6E+04    |
| 11528700   | 1.39E-04 | 2.07           | 747.1    | 1.86      | 0.22 | 6.8E+05                  | 7.6E+05    |
| 11530000   | 5.62E-06 | 2.33           | 3989.3   | 1.45      | 0.16 | 4.5E+06                  | 4.6E+06    |
| 11532500   | 2.31E-06 | 2.13           | 2413.0   | 1.70      | 0.32 | 1.6E+05                  | 1.8E+05    |
| 12026400   | 3.66E-04 | 1.79           | 294.9    | 1.37      | 0.21 | 9.2E+03                  | 1.0E+04    |
| 12031000   | 8.14E-05 | 1.76           | 3522.5   | 1.29      | 0.16 | 1.1E+05                  | 1.2E+05    |
| 12041200   | 4.01E-08 | 2.90           | 2494.4   | 1.06      | 0.27 | 7.6E+05                  | 6.0E+05    |
| 12097850   | 2.53E-05 | 2.35           | 1501.9   | 0.82      | 0.15 | 4.6E+05                  | 4.4E+05    |
| 12113350   | 2.99E-04 | 1.90           | 1519.0   | 0.98      | 0.14 | 1.9E+05                  | 2.0E+05    |
| 12149000   | 5.61E-07 | 2.42           | 3810.1   | 0.95      | 0.21 | 2.3E+05                  | 2.3E+05    |
| 12200500   | 6.51E-07 | 2.36           | 18734.6  | 0.54      | 0.12 | 3.0E+06                  | 3.1E+06    |
| 12301933   | 5.60E-03 | 1.14           | 12097.5  | 0.68      | 0.09 | 7.6E+04                  | 7.6E+04    |
| 12302055   | 2.81E-05 | 2.35           | 404.3    | 1.28      | 0.10 | 7.2E+04                  | 7.6E+04    |
| 12318500   | 1.79E-07 | 2.32           | 15481.7  | 1.01      | 0.07 | 7.9E+05                  | 8.4E+05    |
| 12323600   | 5.89E-03 | 1.71           | 52.3     | 1.03      | 0.08 | 2.5E+03                  | 2.7E+03    |
| 12323750   | 1.37E-03 | 1.68           | 98.1     | 1.06      | 0.07 | 1.5E+03                  | 1.6E+03    |
| 12324200   | 5.45E-03 | 1.52           | 278.0    | 0.75      | 0.06 | 9.5E+03                  | 1.0E+04    |
| 12334550   | 2.74E-05 | 2.08           | 1285.1   | 0.94      | 0.06 | 5.0E+04                  | 5.2E+04    |
| 12340000   | 7.86E-06 | 2.13           | 1388.1   | 1.24      | 0.06 | 4.7E+04                  | 5.0E+04    |
| 12340500   | 5.11E-05 | 1.92           | 2799.0   | 1.09      | 0.06 | 1.5E+05                  | 1.6E+05    |
| 12355000   | 1.48E-05 | 2.20           | 661.5    | 1.51      | 0.10 | 6.6E+04                  | 7.2E+04    |
| 12355500   | 2.54E-06 | 2.26           | 2531.5   | 1.31      | 0.08 | 2.1E+05                  | 2.3E+05    |
| 12363000   | 4.15E-08 | 2.58           | 9417.7   | 1.05      | 0.10 | 1.0E+06                  | 1.1E+06    |
| 12424000   | 9.37E-04 | 1.94           | 98.9     | 2.17      | 0.34 | 6.6E+04                  | 7.4E+04    |
| 12510500   | 1.71E-04 | 1.90           | 3754.2   | 0.85      | 0.08 | 5.0E+05                  | 5.2E+05    |
| 13055198   | 7.83E-04 | 1.77           | 327.4    | 0.98      | 0.07 | 1.1E+04                  | 1.2E+04    |
| 13227000   | 8.52E-03 | 2.22           | 17.0     | 2.22      | 0.22 | 1.5E+05                  | 1.6E+05    |
| 13344500   | 1.61E-04 | 2.68           | 170.0    | 1.00      | 0.09 | 2.8E+05                  | 2.0E+05    |
| 13351000   | 3.25E-02 | 1.55           | 357.0    | 1.79      | 0.19 | 3.9E+05                  | 4.2E+05    |
| 14018500   | 1.04E-02 | 1.83           | 467.1    | 1.40      | 0.17 | 8.7E+05                  | 9.1E+05    |
| 14019200   | 5.95E-07 | 1.91           | 204124.3 | 0.61      | 0.06 | 2.9E+06                  | 3.0E+06    |
| 14033500   | 1.24E-02 | 1.67           | 343.3    | 1.63      | 0.19 | 2.9E+05                  | 3.1E+05    |
| 14048000   | 2.59E-03 | 1.77           | 1716.4   | 1.33      | 0.11 | 1.3E+06                  | 1.3E+06    |
| 14101500   | 1.17E-03 | 1.97           | 417.9    | 1.03      | 0.11 | 1.1E+05                  | 1.2E+05    |

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| Station ID | ā        | $\overline{b}$ | â       | $\hat{b}$ | RB   | Sediment yield (tons/yr) |            |
|------------|----------|----------------|---------|-----------|------|--------------------------|------------|
|            |          |                |         |           |      | FDSRC                    | Parametric |
| 14138870   | 2.17E-04 | 1.85           | 29.6    | 1.31      | 0.32 | 1.1E+02                  | 1.1E+02    |
| 14138900   | 4.76E-05 | 2.19           | 64.5    | 1.28      | 0.32 | 6.7E+02                  | 6.8E+02    |
| 14139800   | 7.95E-04 | 1.60           | 98.8    | 1.27      | 0.30 | 7.7E+02                  | 8.3E+02    |
| 14242580   | 4.30E-04 | 2.21           | 2108.2  | 1.02      | 0.17 | 7.9E+06                  | 8.0E+06    |
| 14306500   | 6.67E-05 | 1.93           | 1104.5  | 1.50      | 0.24 | 7.8E+04                  | 8.5E+04    |
| 14307620   | 1.93E-04 | 1.78           | 1456.4  | 1.53      | 0.24 | 1.1E+05                  | 1.2E+05    |
| 14330000   | 2.87E-11 | 3.84           | 1472.3  | 0.51      | 0.07 | 3.6E+04                  | 2.6E+04    |
| 14334700   | 1.30E-05 | 2.36           | 361.4   | 1.09      | 0.13 | 1.8E+04                  | 1.7E+04    |
| 15212000   | 2.45E-07 | 2.48           | 35162.7 | 1.16      | 0.05 | 7.0E+07                  | 7.9E+07    |
| 15241600   | 1.50E-03 | 1.74           | 106.4   | 1.04      | 0.11 | 2.6E+03                  | 2.8E+03    |
| 15275100   | 8.13E-03 | 2.10           | 24.4    | 0.61      | 0.11 | 2.5E+03                  | 2.6E+03    |
| 15281000   | 2.92E-03 | 1.67           | 5246.5  | 1.49      | 0.09 | 5.0E+06                  | 5.3E+06    |
| 15284000   | 1.41E-04 | 2.14           | 3547.2  | 1.22      | 0.09 | 6.6E+06                  | 6.9E+06    |
| 15476000   | 9.25E-07 | 2.56           | 8226.3  | 0.96      | 0.04 | 9.3E+06                  | 9.9E+06    |
| 15514000   | 2.34E-04 | 1.82           | 1189.5  | 1.27      | 0.09 | 7.7E+04                  | 8.2E+04    |
| 15518000   | 1.18E-05 | 2.35           | 3250.1  | 1.17      | 0.08 | 2.8E+06                  | 3.0E+06    |
| 16103000   | 2.03E-05 | 2.39           | 163.3   | 1.56      | 0.54 | 2.3E+04                  | 2.2E+04    |
| 16200000   | 2.68E-03 | 2.07           | 9.0     | 1.86      | 0.79 | 1.5E+03                  | 1.6E+03    |
| 16212800   | 4.86E-03 | 2.15           | 3.5     | 2.39      | 0.92 | 3.1E+03                  | 3.5E+03    |
| 16213000   | 1.96E-02 | 1.81           | 18.8    | 2.05      | 0.53 | 1.7E+04                  | 2.1E+04    |
| 16226200   | 1.33E-01 | 1.57           | 1.2     | 2.71      | 0.96 | 1.9E+03                  | 2.0E+03    |
| 16240500   | 2.49E-03 | 2.94           | 4.2     | 1.26      | 0.42 | 1.4E+03                  | 8.6E+02    |
| 16244000   | 1.33E-02 | 2.59           | 0.7     | 2.32      | 0.64 | 1.3E+03                  | 1.3E+03    |
| 16272200   | 2.14E-02 | 1.71           | 7.3     | 1.57      | 0.34 | 7.6E+02                  | 8.6E+02    |
| 16275000   | 1.38E-02 | 2.60           | 1.0     | 2.24      | 0.39 | 3.2E+03                  | 2.4E+03    |
| 16809600   | 3.32E-02 | 2.18           | 1.8     | 2.22      | 0.78 | 3.3E+03                  | 3.5E+03    |
| 16854500   | 2.27E-03 | 2.28           | 16.5    | 1.67      | 0.47 | 8.3E+03                  | 8.1E+03    |
| 50025155   | 1.70E-03 | 2.12           | 12.7    | 2.20      | 0.45 | 1.1E+04                  | 8.5E+03    |
| 50028000   | 2.39E-03 | 2.36           | 45.3    | 1.26      | 0.36 | 3.8E+04                  | 3.6E+04    |
| 50031200   | 4.30E-03 | 2.05           | 39.1    | 2.22      | 0.45 | 1.4E+05                  | 1.5E+05    |
| 50034000   | 8.07E-04 | 2.51           | 4.1     | 3.35      | 0.55 | 1.6E+06                  | 8.6E+05    |
| 50035000   | 2.15E-04 | 2.27           | 97.2    | 2.26      | 0.48 | 3.4E+05                  | 3.4E+05    |
| 50043800   | 2.96E-03 | 1.90           | 30.5    | 3.06      | 0.77 | 2.8E+05                  | 3.3E+05    |
| 50045010   | 3.74E-02 | 1.44           | 5.6     | 4.29      | 0.97 | 1.4E+05                  | 1.5E+05    |
| 50048770   | 4.82E-02 | 2.15           | 10.7    | 1.98      | 0.77 | 8.8E+04                  | 9.2E+04    |
| 50050900   | 5.79E-04 | 2.63           | 11.1    | 2.39      | 0.72 | 2.2E+05                  | 1.3E+05    |
| 50051180   | 3.79E-02 | 1.94           | 1.0     | 3.08      | 0.86 | 9.4E+03                  | 9.0E+03    |

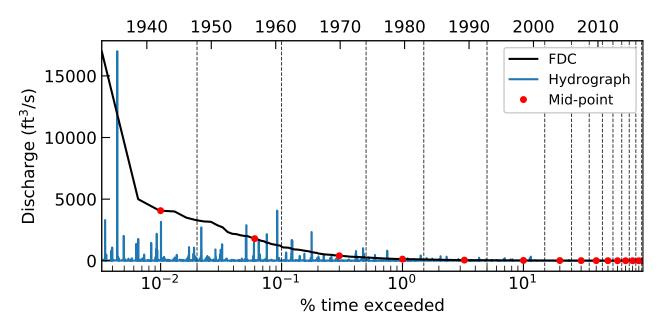
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|--|----------|-----------|------|-----------|------|--------------------------|------------|
| Station ID                               | ā        | $\bar{b}$ | â    | $\hat{b}$ | RB   | Sediment yield (tons/yr) |            |
|  |          |           |      |           |      | FDSRC                    | Parametric |
| 50051310                                 | 1.54E-03 | 2.31      | 18.4 | 2.21      | 0.57 | 6.8E+04                  | 6.0E+04    |
| 50051800                                 | 9.45E-03 | 1.86      | 62.7 | 1.84      | 0.49 | 6.5E+04                  | 7.1E+04    |
| 50053025                                 | 2.10E-03 | 2.40      | 13.7 | 1.84      | 0.54 | 2.3E+04                  | 1.7E+04    |
| 50055000                                 | 5.60E-03 | 1.88      | 91.1 | 2.22      | 0.59 | 2.4E+05                  | 2.8E+05    |
| 50055225                                 | 3.03E-02 | 1.76      | 8.4  | 2.74      | 0.72 | 3.5E+04                  | 3.7E+04    |
| 50055750                                 | 3.50E-02 | 1.69      | 13.5 | 2.43      | 0.78 | 2.2E+04                  | 2.6E+04    |
| 50056400                                 | 1.40E-02 | 1.94      | 9.8  | 2.85      | 0.82 | 1.1E+05                  | 1.2E+05    |
| 50057000                                 | 9.05E-03 | 1.79      | 26.6 | 2.85      | 0.76 | 1.2E+05                  | 1.5E+05    |
| 50058350                                 | 3.54E-02 | 2.04      | 7.0  | 2.09      | 0.65 | 2.2E+04                  | 2.2E+04    |
| 50059050                                 | 3.30E-02 | 1.48      | 28.3 | 3.50      | 1.17 | 2.3E+05                  | 2.5E+05    |
| 50061800                                 | 1.70E-02 | 1.78      | 9.3  | 2.41      | 0.63 | 9.7E+03                  | 1.1E+04    |
| 50065500                                 | 2.59E-04 | 2.31      | 43.0 | 1.49      | 0.58 | 5.9E+03                  | 5.3E+03    |
| 50071000                                 | 7.76E-03 | 1.84      | 33.7 | 1.99      | 0.72 | 2.0E+04                  | 2.4E+04    |
| 50075000                                 | 3.74E-03 | 2.46      | 12.1 | 1.36      | 0.60 | 6.3E+03                  | 5.3E+03    |
| 50110900                                 | 2.43E-02 | 2.01      | 5.3  | 2.45      | 0.53 | 2.5E+04                  | 2.5E+04    |
| 50115000                                 | 2.75E-02 | 2.13      | 7.5  | 2.22      | 0.53 | 5.6E+04                  | 5.2E+04    |
| 50136400                                 | 2.04E-03 | 2.31      | 43.8 | 1.33      | 0.33 | 4.7E+04                  | 2.8E+04    |
| 54310157                                 | 1.15E-01 | 1.36      | 1.8  | 1.89      | 0.64 | 2.7E+02                  | 3.0E+02    |

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### **Appendix E**

### Arikaree River at Haigler, Nebraska



**Figure E.1:** Hydrograph and the flow duration curve of the Arikaree River at Haigler in Nebraska (USGS 06821500)

Figure E.1 presents a example where the difference of sediment discharge by the flow-duration sediment-rating-curve (FDSRC) method and the parametric method is 82%. The FDSRC method gives the mean annual sediment discharge to be 39,000 tons/year but the parametric method computes to be 71,000 tons/year. The cause of difference is because the FDSRC takes the median value as the represented discharge of each bin (red dots). The extreme event is therefore not included in the calculation.