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## Advanced Hydrology for Engineers

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3.00 credits	22.5 h + 15.0 h	Q1

Teacher(s)	Javaux Mathieu ;			
Language :	English > French-friendly			
Place of the course	Louvain-la-Neuve			
Prerequisites	General Hydrology (LBIR1348)			
Main themes	- Open-channel hydraulics - stochastic modeling fro hydrology - Model optimization and parameterization			
Learning outcomes	At the end of this learning unit, the student is able to:  a. Contribution to 'Learning Outcomes' program M2.2; M2.3; M6.5; M6.8  b. Specific formulation for this activity LO program (maximum 10) At the end of the course and of the practicals, the students will be able: - to characterize the type of flow in channels/rivers.  1 - to understand and be able to apply the theory on gradually varying flow and rapid varying flow; - to measure the river discharge with different techniques - to use modelling approaches to simulate river discharge and design methods to control flood risks to estimate hydrological model parameters by different methods - to understand stochastic hydrology concepts - to use stochastic models to calibrate and simulate river discharge			
Evaluation methods	• 50% on practical reports • 50% on oral evaluation of theory			
Teaching methods	- The lectures can be given in English, but illustrated by slights in French. A reference textbook in French supports the lectures.  - Field practical work for river discharge measurments  - Practical work in the computer room allow students to use advanced methods of hydrological modeling  - The practical work and the reports are a executed in teams			
Content	Theory:  Open channel hydraulics (8 hours)  Stochastic modeling in hydrology (8 hours)  Parameter estimation (4 hours)  Practicals:  Flow discharge measurements in situ (3 hours)  Modeling exercises in computer room:  HEC-RAS (6 hours)  Stochastic modeling (6 hours)			
Inline resources	Moodle			
Bibliography	Ouvrage de référence : 'manuel technique d'HEC-RAS. Syllabus d'hydraulique- livre Hydrologie fréquentielle - une science prédictive (Meylan et al)  Transparents des cours sur Moodle			
Other infos	This course can be given in English.			

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Programmes containing this learning unit (UE)						
Program title	Acronym	Credits	Prerequisite	Learning outcomes		
Master [120] in Civil Engineering	GCE2M	3		٩		
Master [120] in Environmental Bioengineering	BIRE2M	3		٩		