

Swiss "danger" maps for floods

Exercice Petite-Glâne

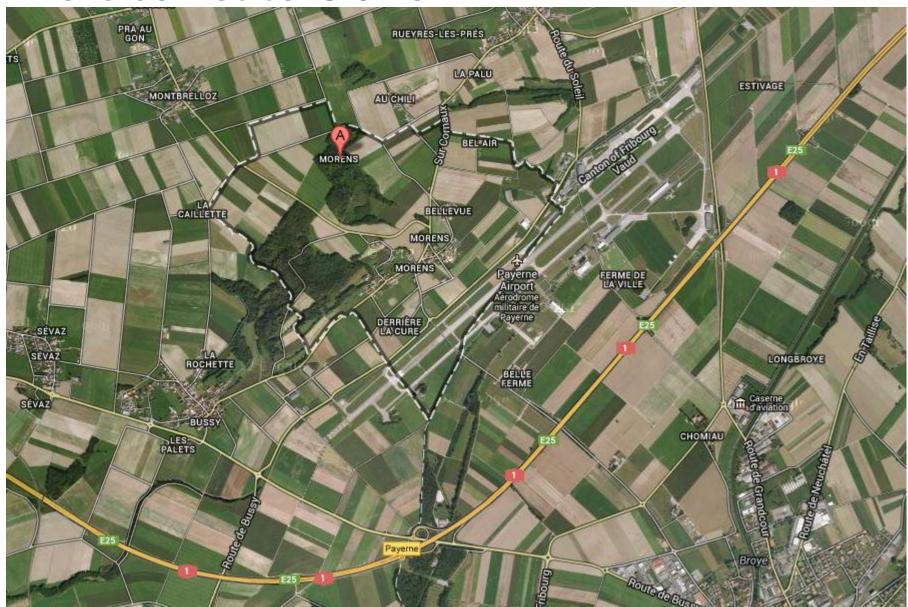
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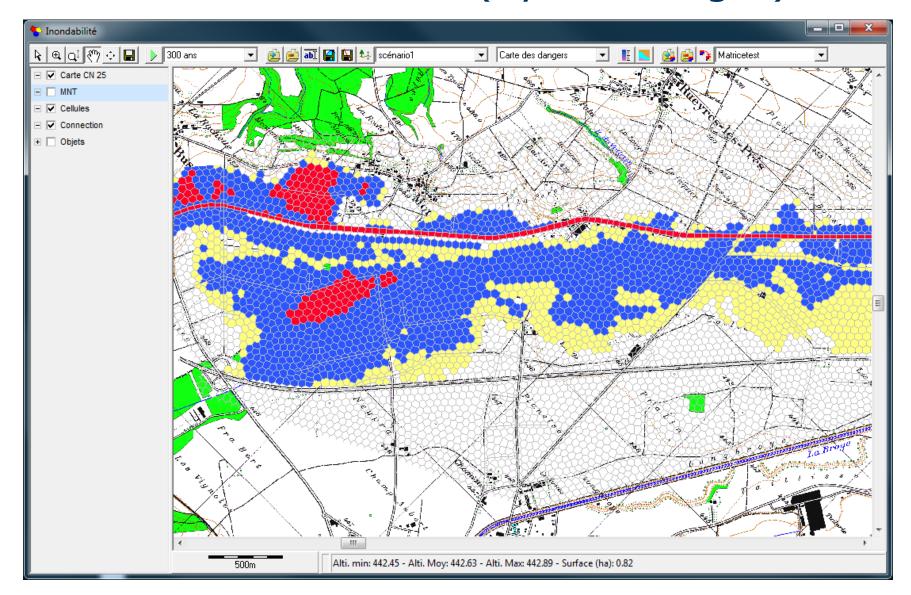
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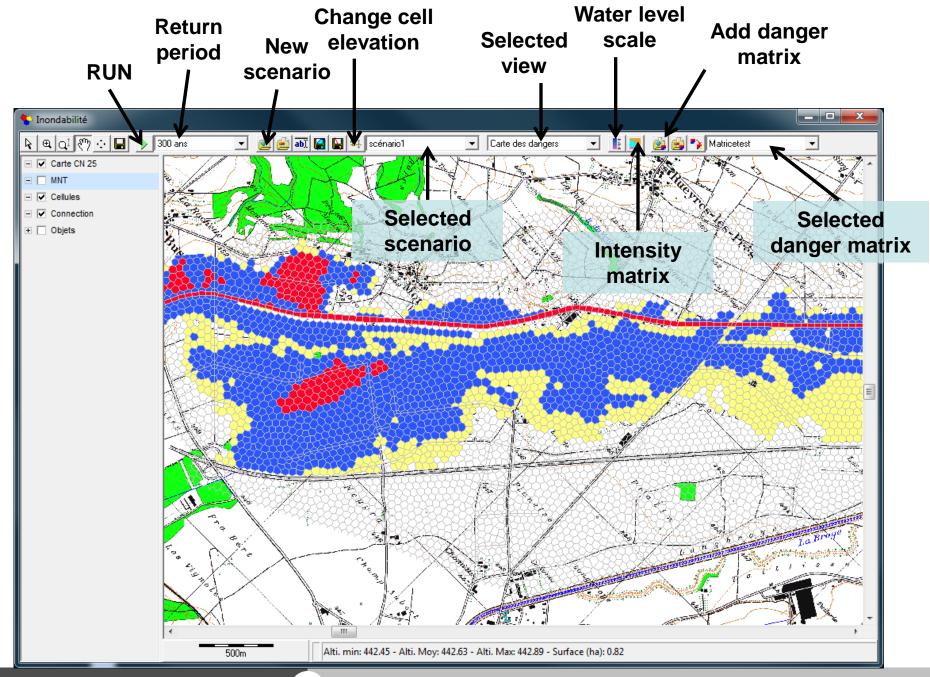
The *Petite Glâne* river regularly floods the plain of *Broye* on the Swiss plateau. Because of a new motorway, this region is growing fast (mostly new industries, but also houses and roads, etc. A military airport has plans to develop and become civilian).

Your job is to draw «danger» maps for floods according to the Swiss regulations and to propose mitigation measures.



Software: *Inondabilité* (by R. Metzger)





DATA (as shapefiles)

- Topographical map 1:25'000 (CN25) and DEM lidar (MNT)
- A mesh of cells with the hydraulic state (water level) and one with connections between cells (transfer)
- The discharge scenarios corresponding to return period of 30, 100 and 300 years (with profiles cross the river)
- Object at risk that should be protected in priority

MODEL

 The hydraulic model is VERTIGE and you start it by double-clicking on:

inondabilité.exe

- Initial configuration is in ..\projet\ProjetBase.ver (no need to modify it)
- Directories ..\projet\Q30ans, Q100ans, Q300ans contain the time series used for the hydraulic processing.

The model is able:

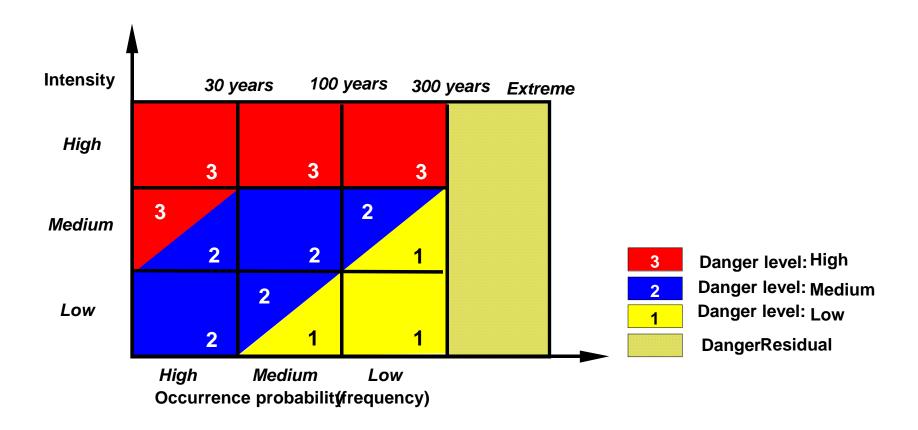
- to estimate the water level in each cell for different scenarios
- to calculate and draw flood intensity maps
- to calculate and draw flood danger maps
- to graphically change the elevation of some cells in order to simulate mitigation measures effects

All the user's data are saved in \UsrData.

TO DO

- 1. Draw a danger map for the present situation (scenario 1). In order to do it, you must define intensities, draw intensities maps for the 30, 100 and 300 y return periods. Combine then in a danger map.
- 2. Select the object you want to protect an justify your choices.
- Identify the weaknesses and lacks of protection measures of the present situation.
- 4. Propose at least 2 different scenarios to reduce the risk.
- 5. Draw the danger maps corresponding to these scenarios.
- 6. Analyse the effects on the objects you want to protect, and the rest of the area.
- 7. Make land planning recommendations for the future of the area

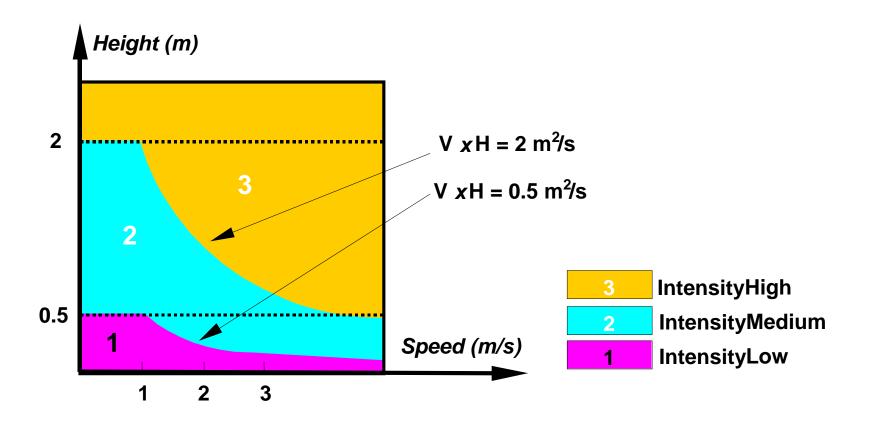
SWISS recommandations for Danger



Matrix Intensity-Fréquency (from a report of Lance 1997)



Swiss recommandations for flood intensities



Intensity levels (from Lance 1997, Bassin Versant de la Venoge)



Categories	Surface objects						Linear objects			Point Objects		Protection goals (*)		
	Natural surfaces			Built surface			Traffic		Distribution networks	Pylons	Isolated buildings	Return period (years)		
	Agriculture (in general)	Forest	Green areas	Dwelling	Socio- economic	Industrial	Roads	Railways				1 to 30	30 to 100	100 to 300
A	Fields Meadow	Un- exploited forest	Natural state terrain				Alpine path (pedestrian , ski)					3	3	3
В	Pasture Cultivation	Exploited forest					Trekking path, forest raod					2	3	3
С	Vineyards Rotation fields (for crops)	Protective forest					Municipali ty roads		Electric air cables, surface and undergound pipes, of municipal level	For electric cables of municipal importance	Barn	2	2	3
D			Parks	Dwellings settlement (low density)			County roads	Single lane	Electric air cables, surface and undergound pipes, of county level	For electric cables of county importance	Isolated dwelling place, Cowshed	1	1	2
E				Dwellings settlement (medium density)	Leisure area Sport activities		Nationa roads	Double lane	Téléskis Téléphériques Electric air cables, surface and undergound pipes, of national level	For electric cables of national importance		0	1	2
F				Town, Dwellings settlement (high density or high value)	Economic activity zones (offices,) Camping	Industrial zones			mational level		Isolated industrial or commercial building,	0	0	1

(*) Maximum accepted intensity: nil if 0, low if 1, medium if 2, high if 3