Combined 1D River and 2D Floodplain/Levee Areas

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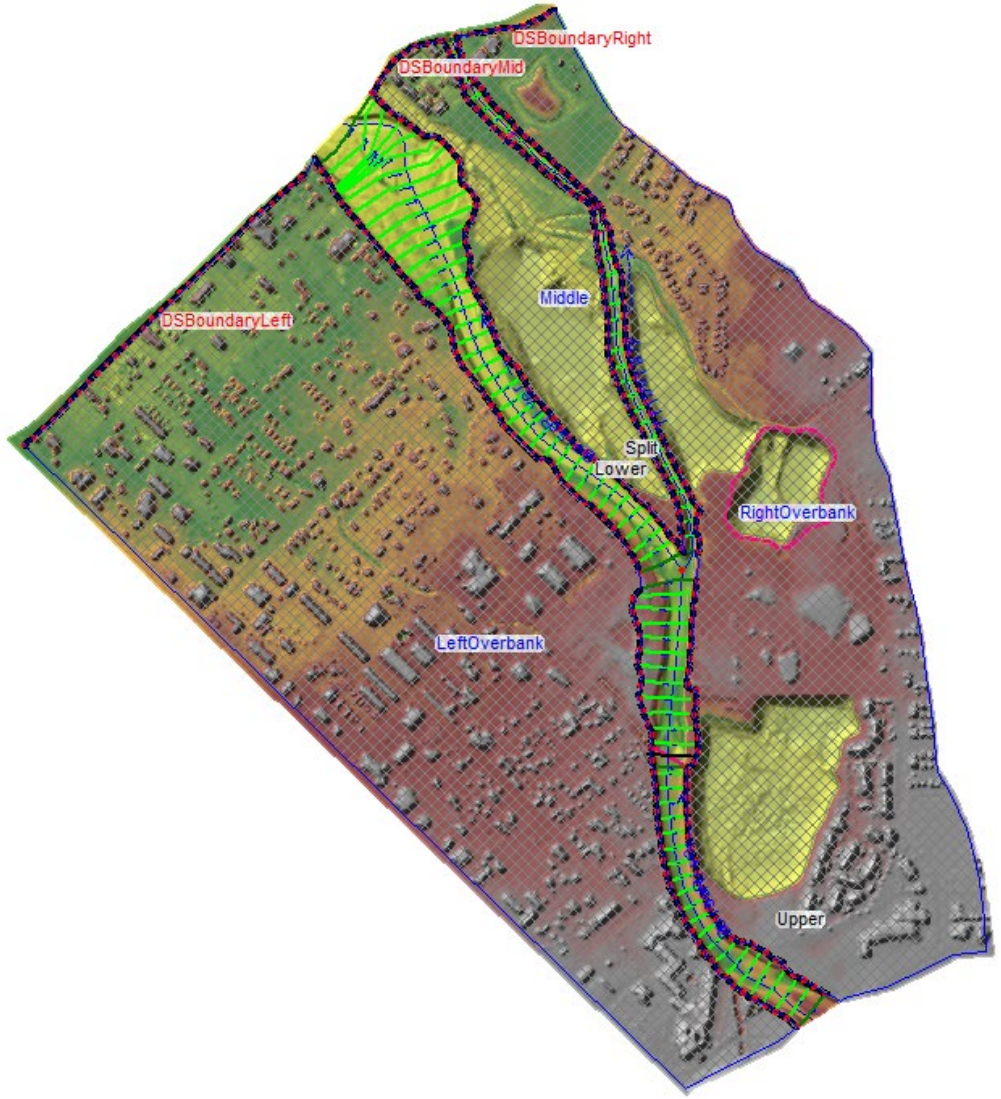
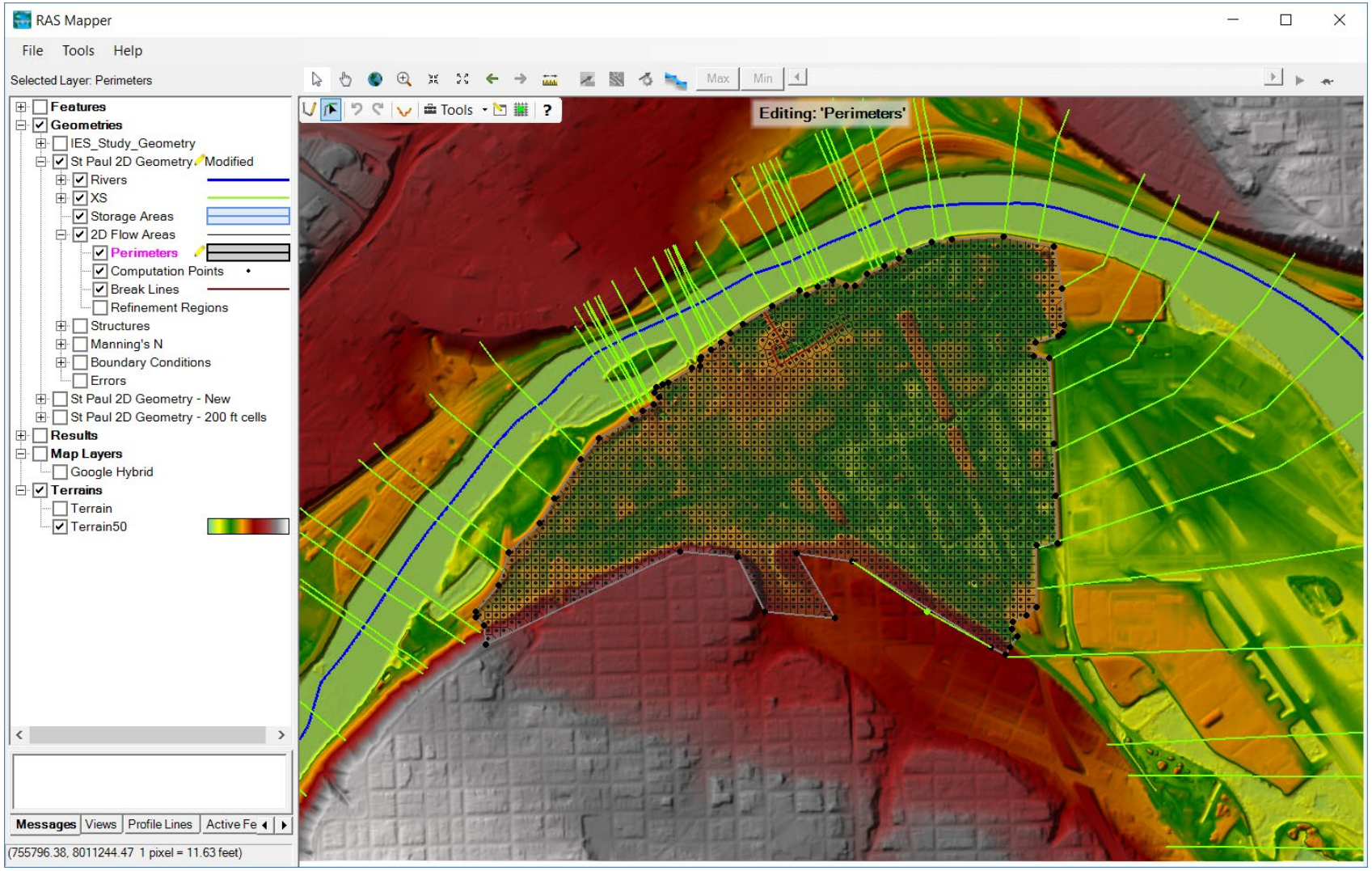
1D/ 2D Unsteady Flow



Overview

- Connecting 2D overbanks to 1D channels with lateral structures
- Selecting appropriate parameters
- Selecting appropriate computation options

Modeling a Leveed Area in 2D



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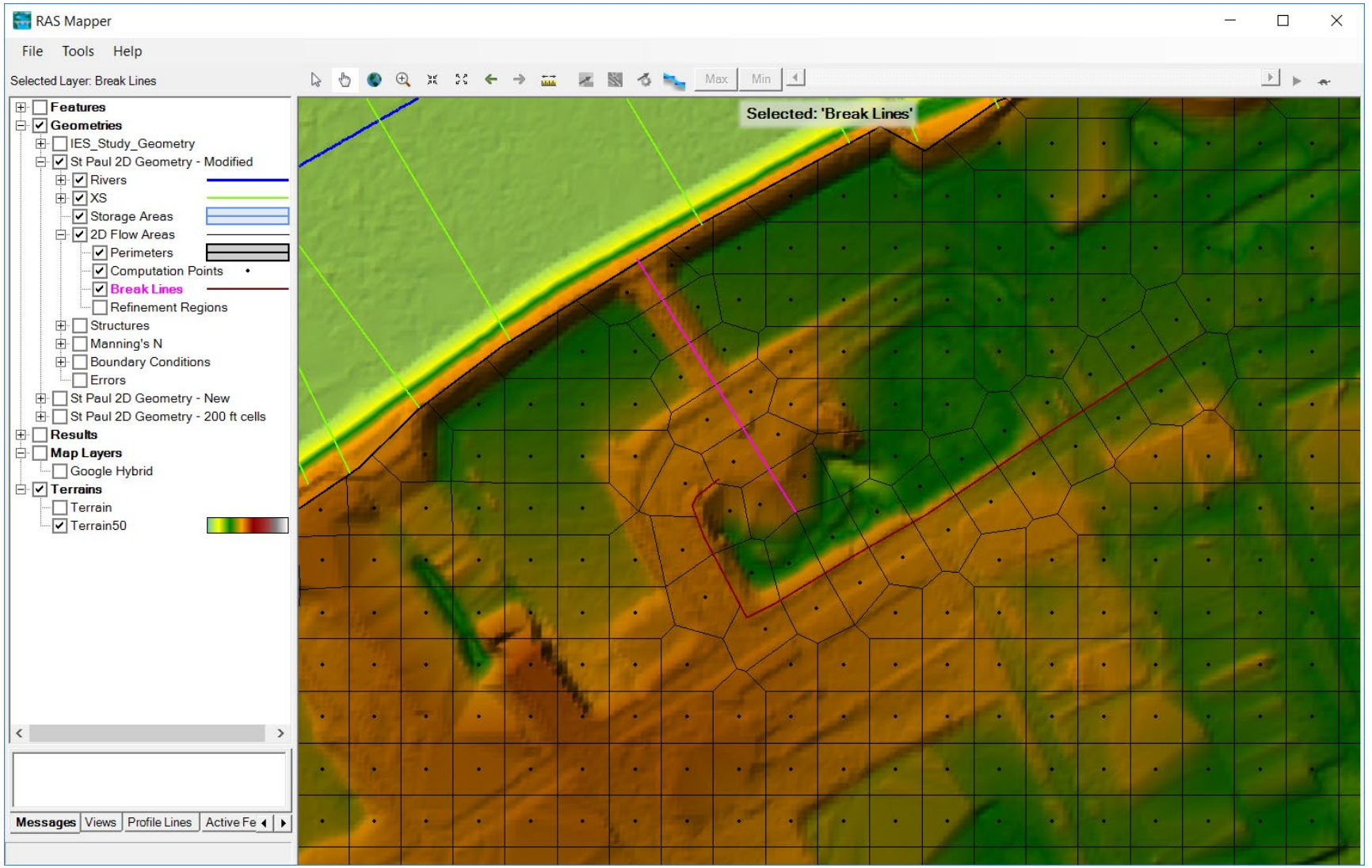
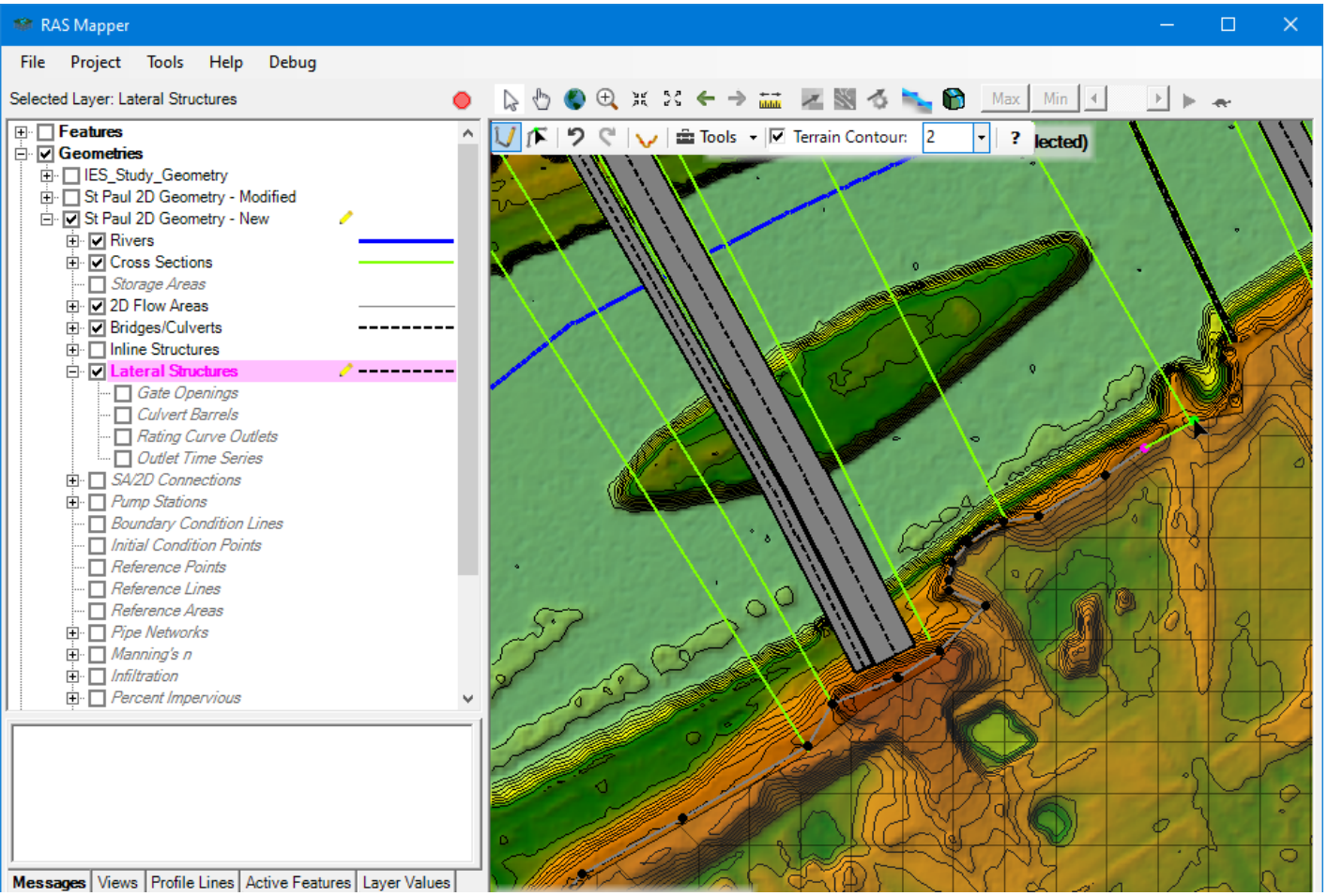
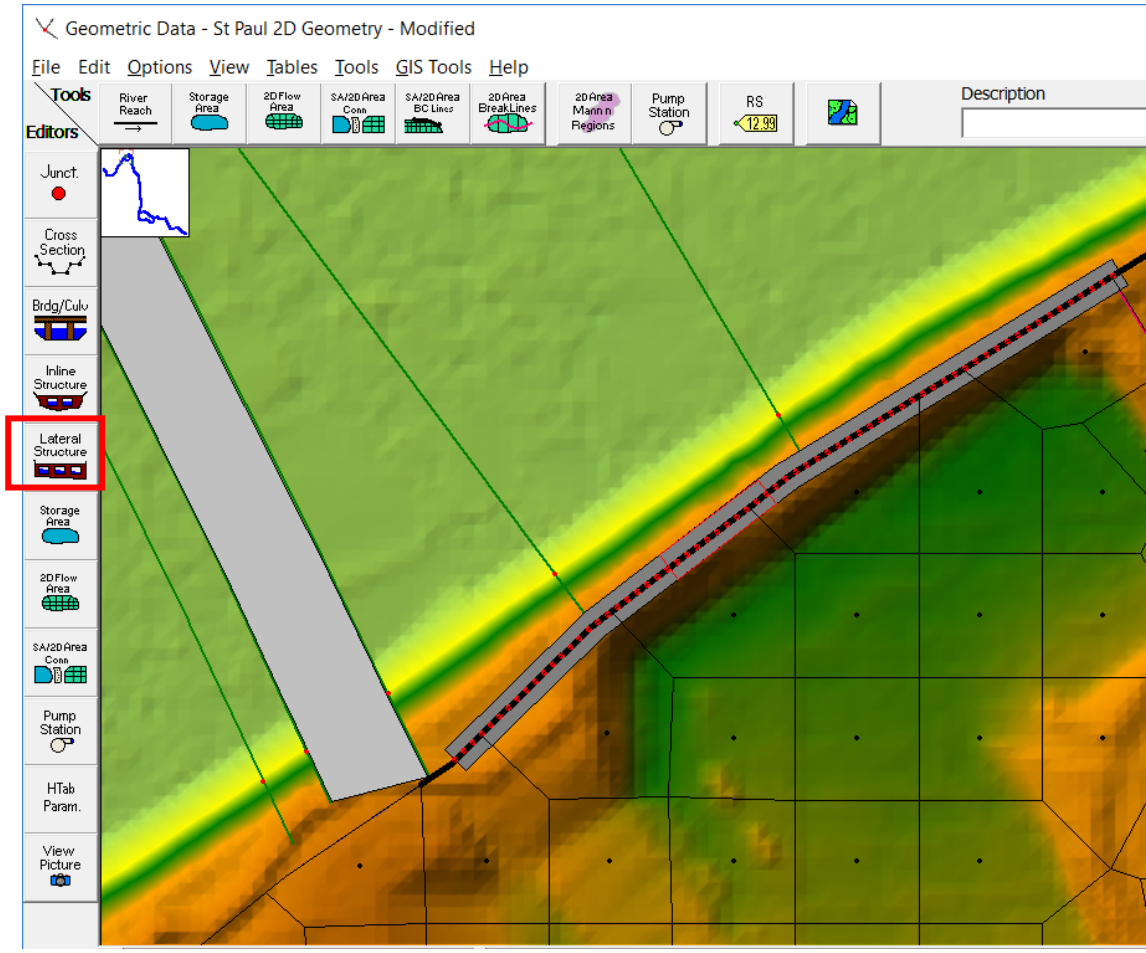
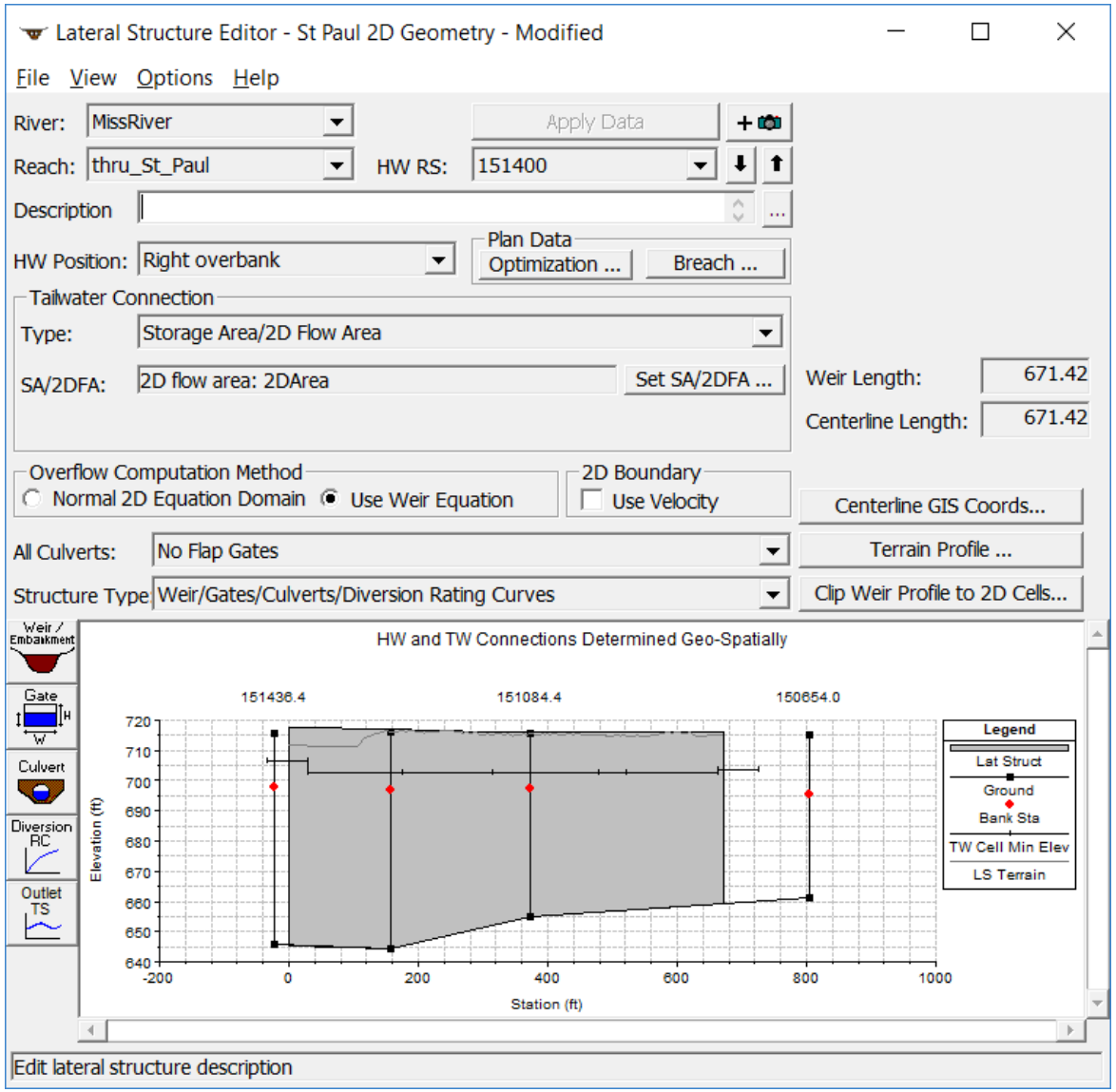


Connecting a 2D Flow Area to a 1D River Reach with Lateral Structures

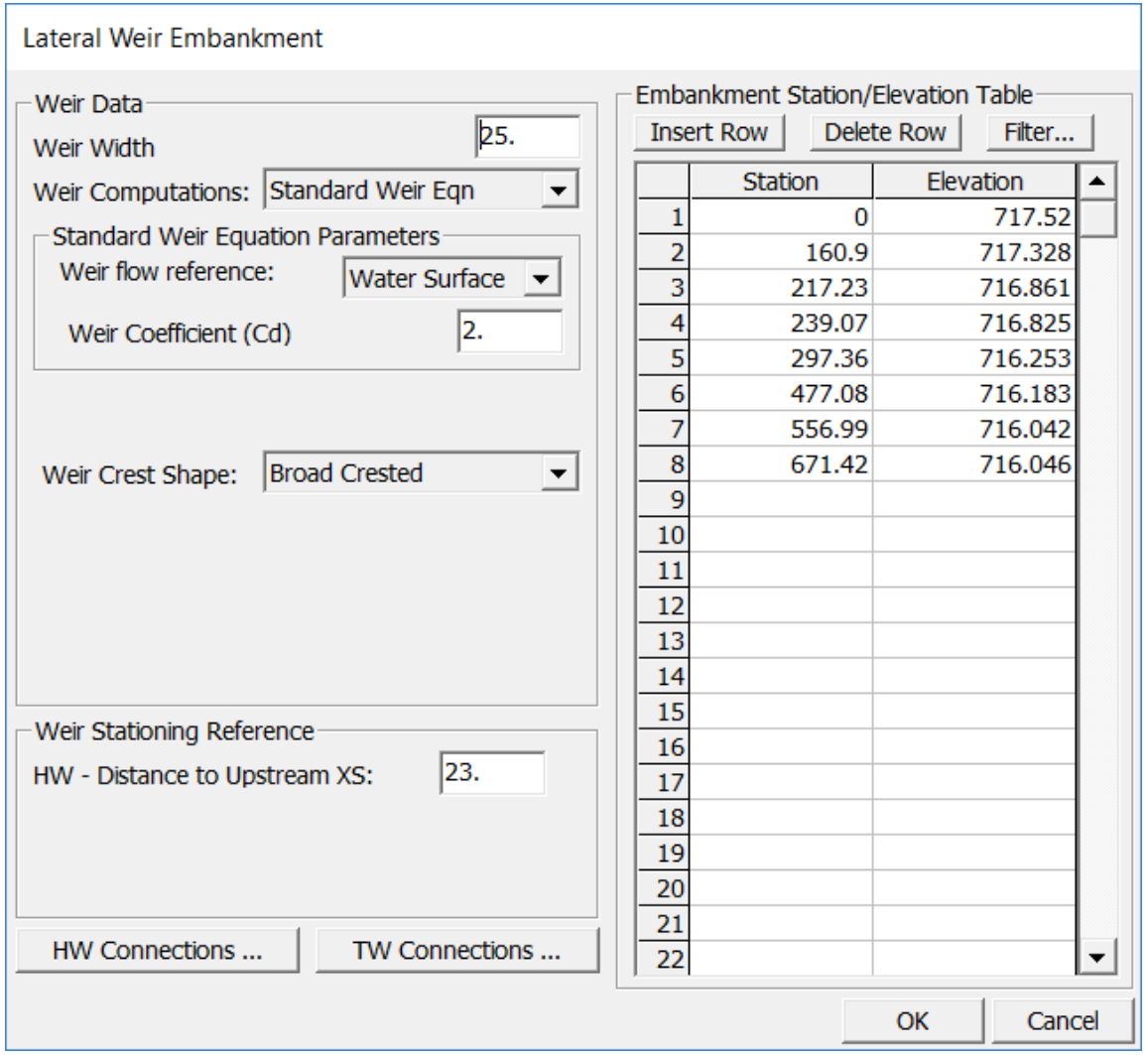


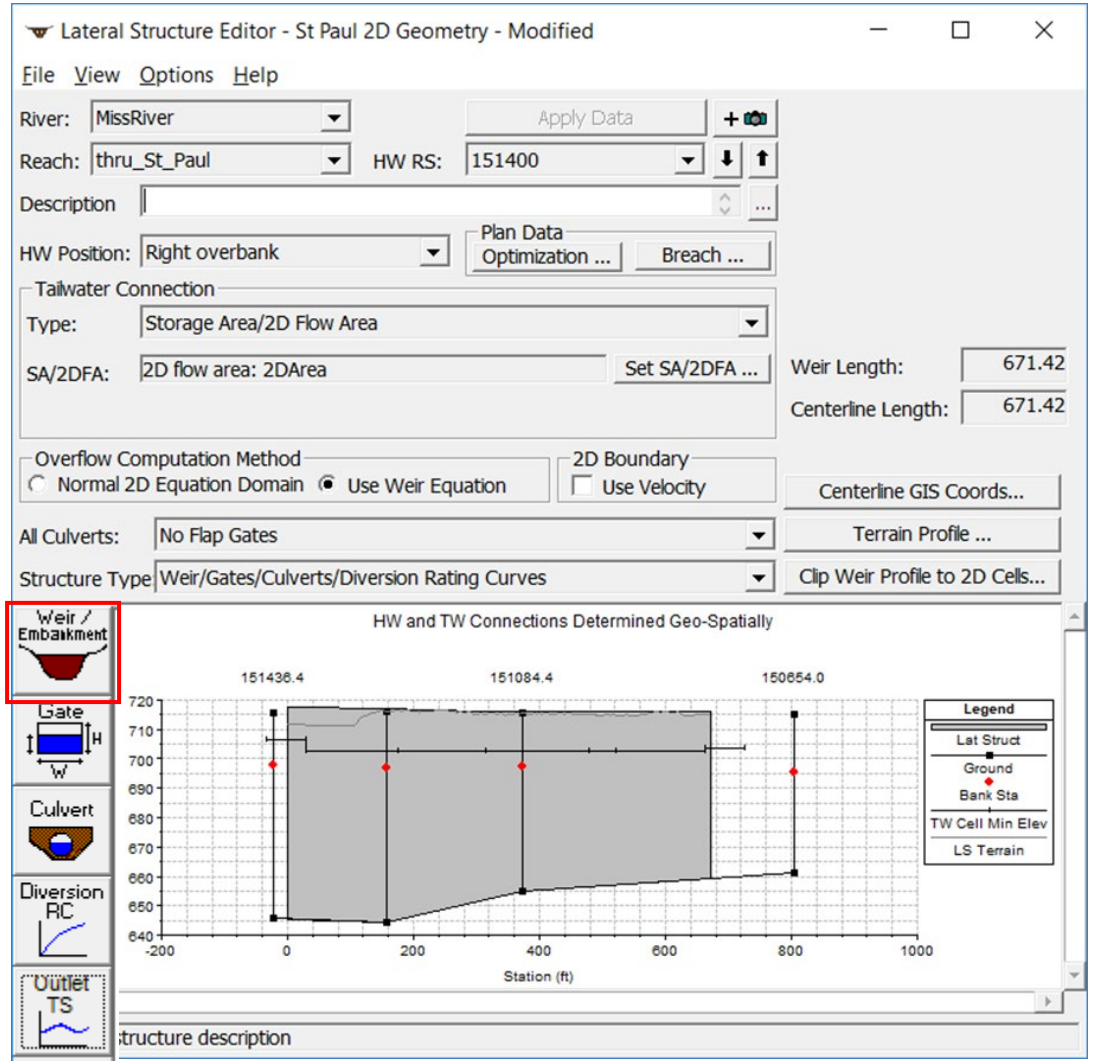


Lateral Structure Editor

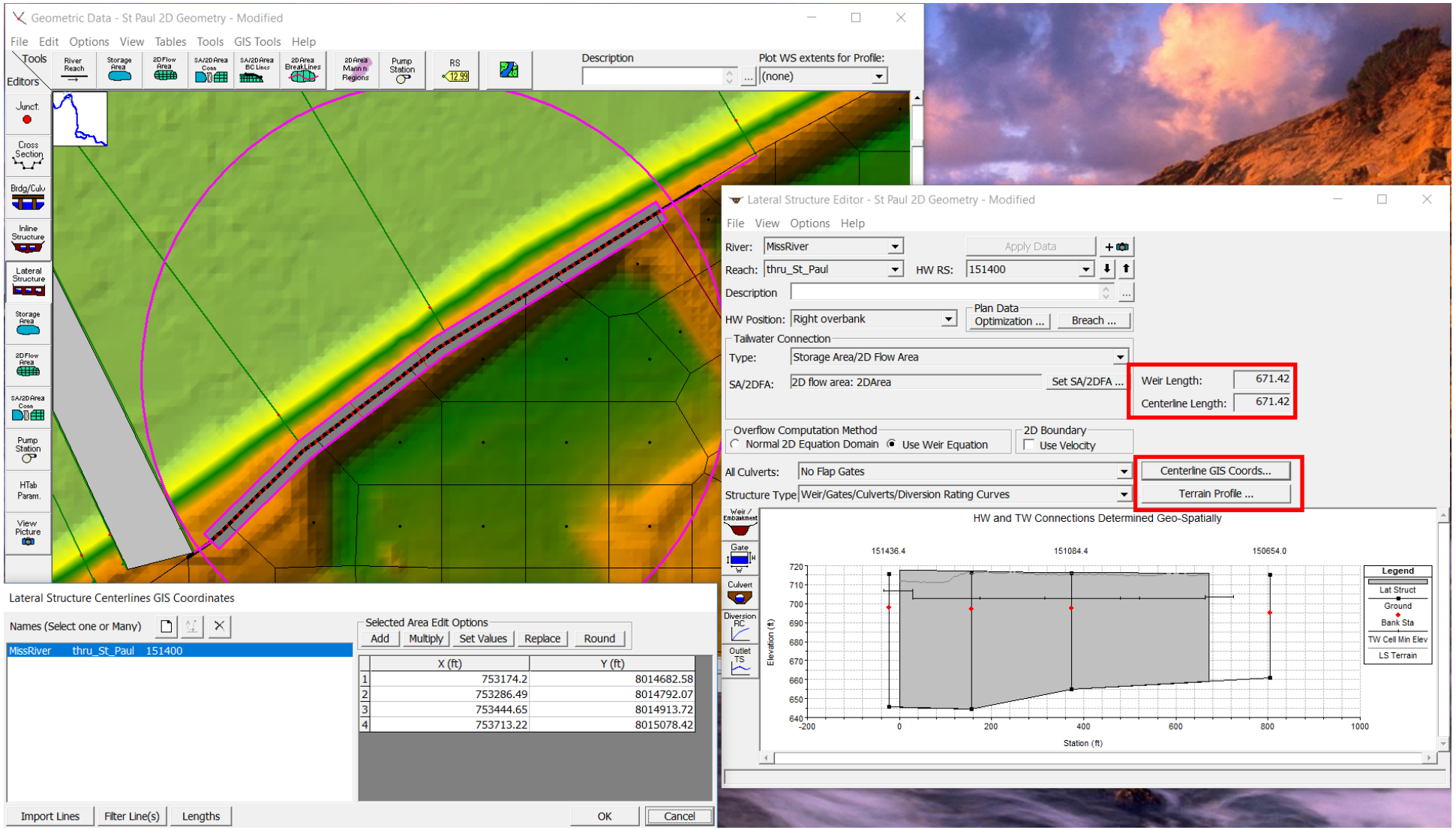


Weir/Embankment





Weir Length vs GIS Length



Lateral Weir Headwater Connections (HW)

HW Lateral Structure Connections

Computed Default Weir Stationing

User Defined Weir Stationing

Default Computed Weir Stationing

	XS RSs	Weir Station
1	151436.4	-22.92
2	151354.9	156.84
3	151084.4	373.92
4	150654.0	803.62

User Defined Weir Stationing

	XS RSs	Weir Station
1	151354.9	5692
2	151084.4	5909
3	150654.0	6435

User Specified Connections Option will not be used because the lateral structure has a geo-referenced centerline.

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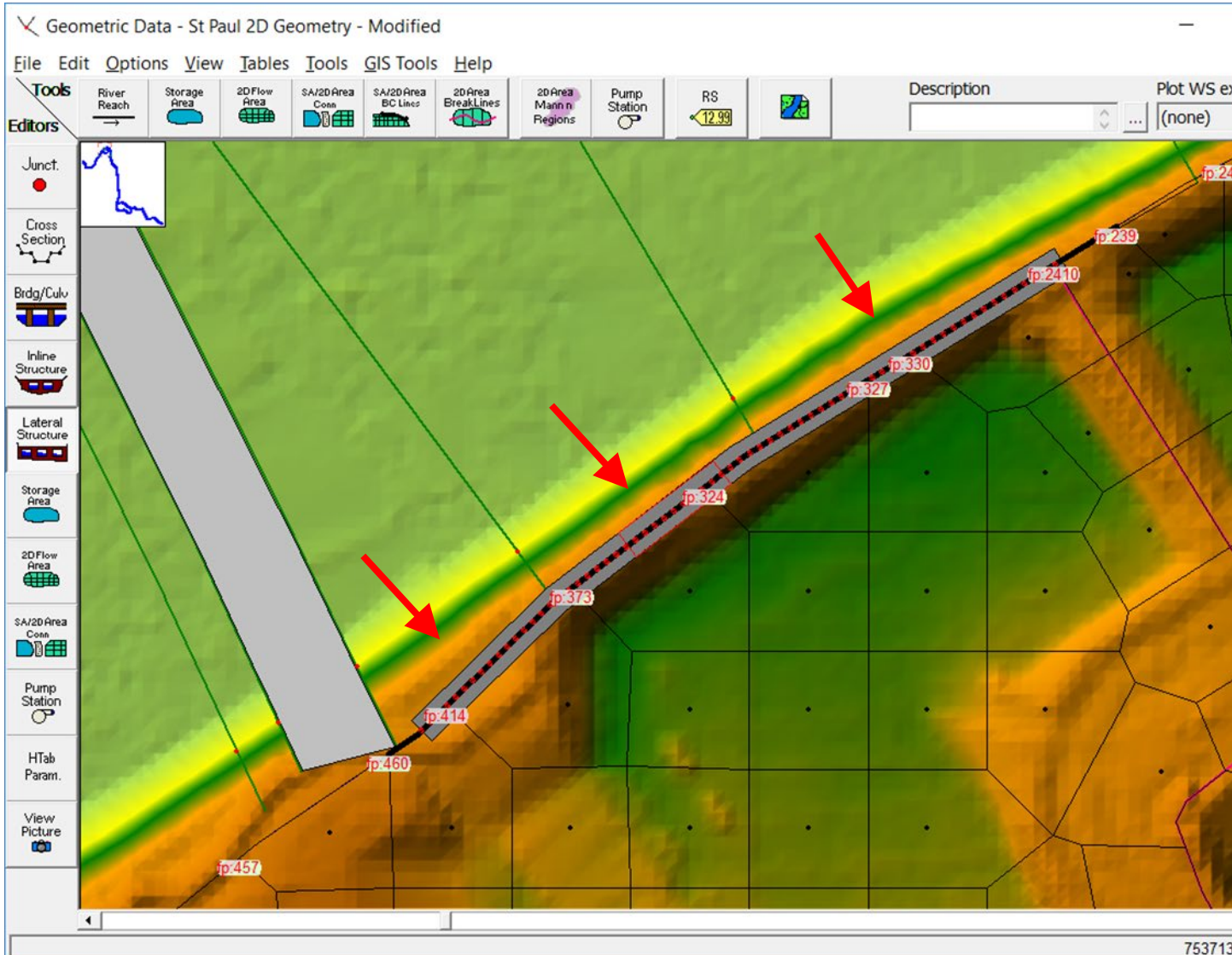

Lateral Weir Tailwater Connections (TW)

TW Lateral Structure Connections

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User Defined Weir Stationing

Default Computed Weir Stationing

	2D Face Points	Weir Station
1	456	-34.3083
2	412	28.59606
3	368	174.9681
4	319	314.8326
5	322	479.7218
6	325	521.3957
7	2408	663.5559
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User Defined Weir Stationing

	2D Face Points	Weir Station
1	454	5470.98
2	411	5537.3
3	368	5703.08
4	319	5861.57
5	322	6048.15
6	325	6095.38
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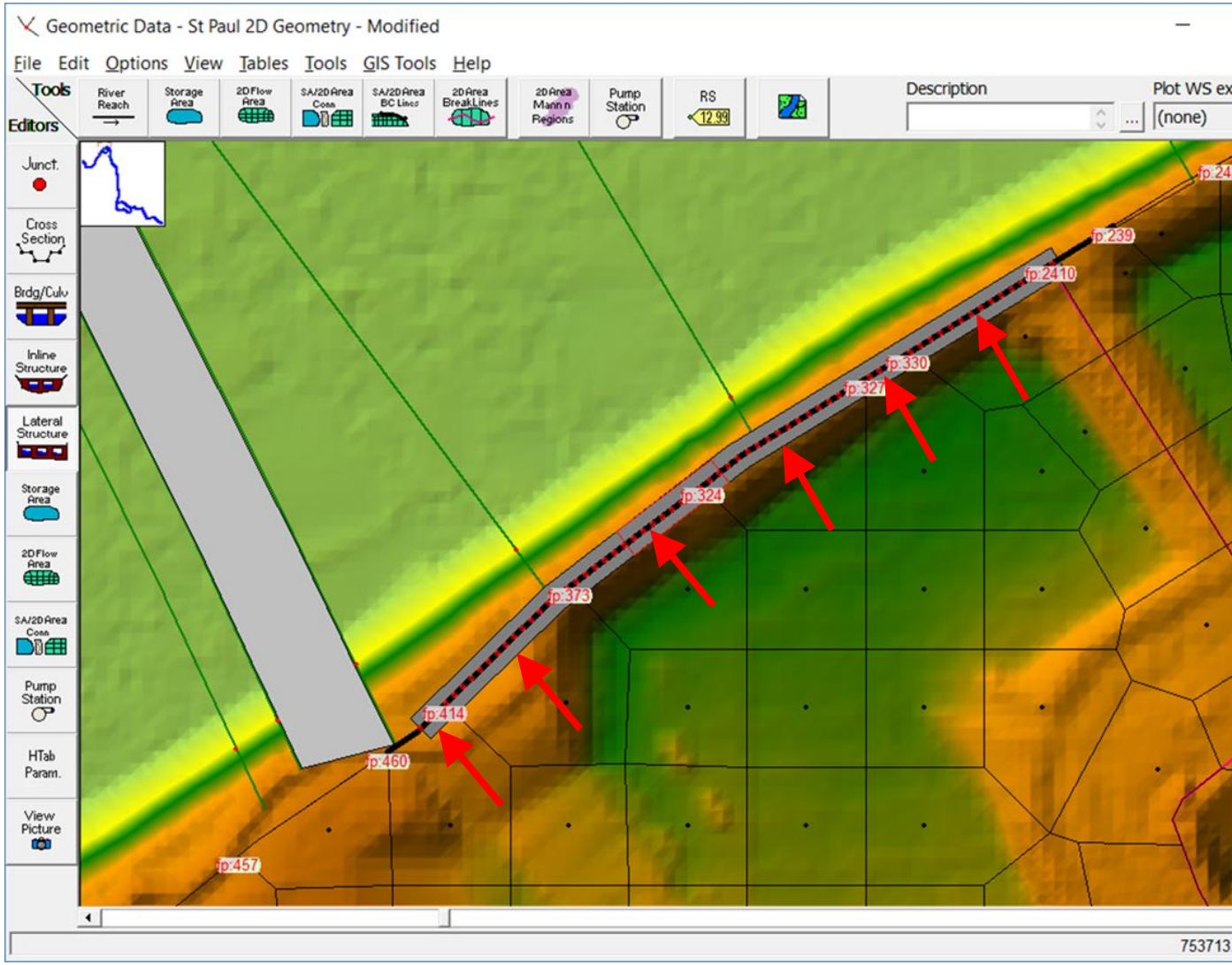
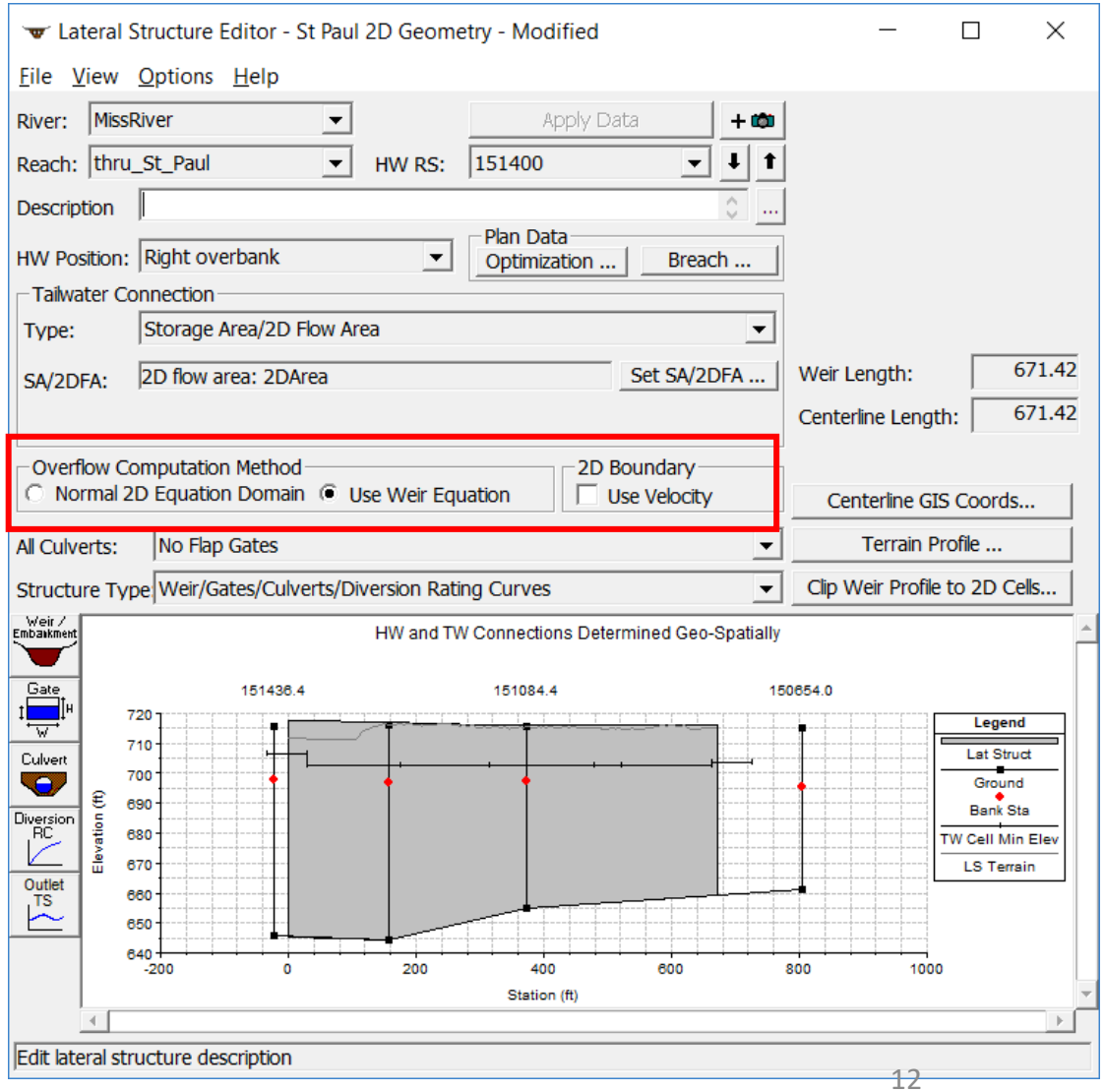


Overflow Computations

- Weir Equation
  - $Q = CLH^{3/2}$
  - Good for free fall conditions
  - Not great for submerged weir
- 2D Equation
  - Simply modifies cell face properties
  - Good for highly submerged conditions



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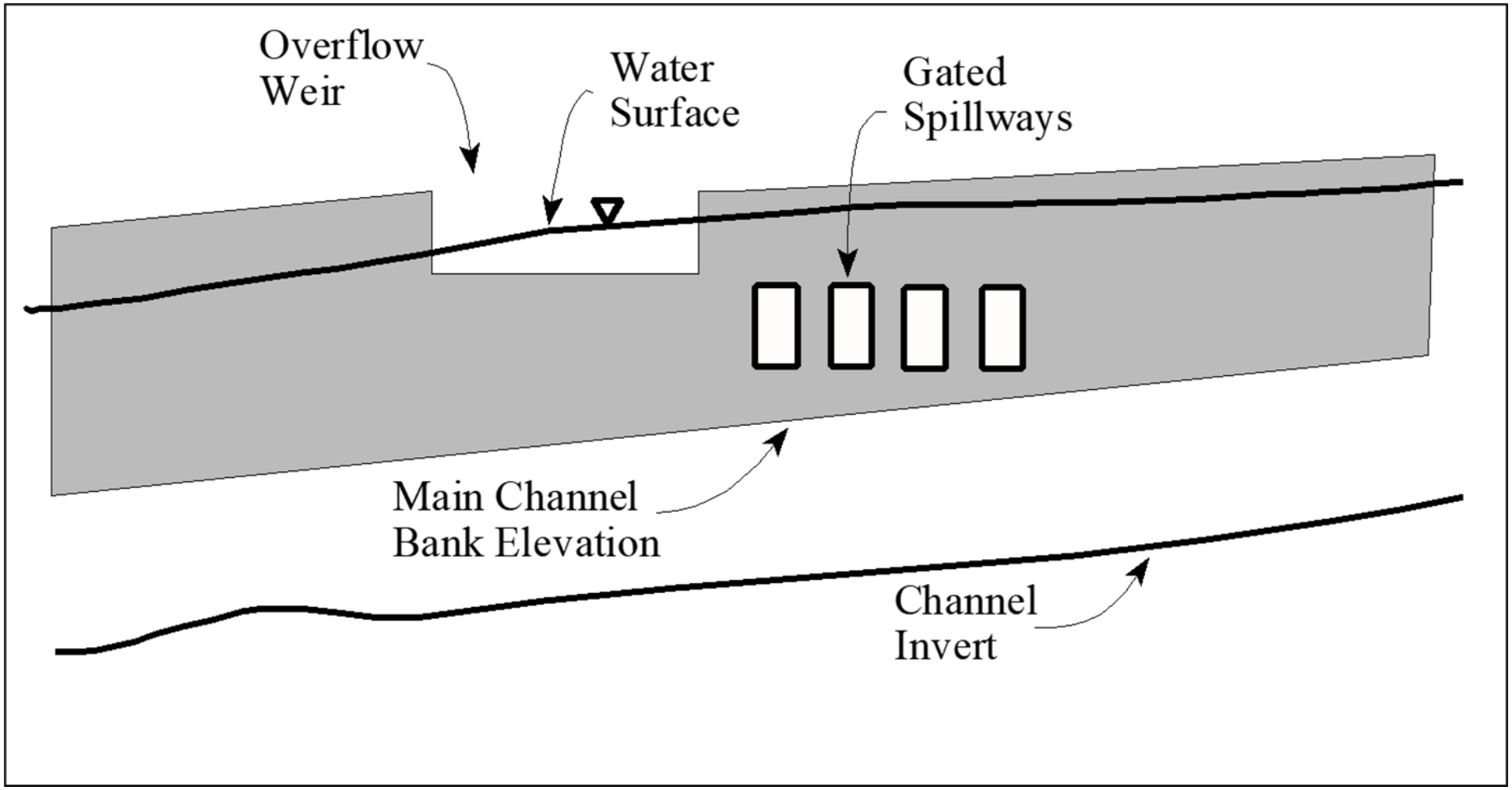
Weir Computation

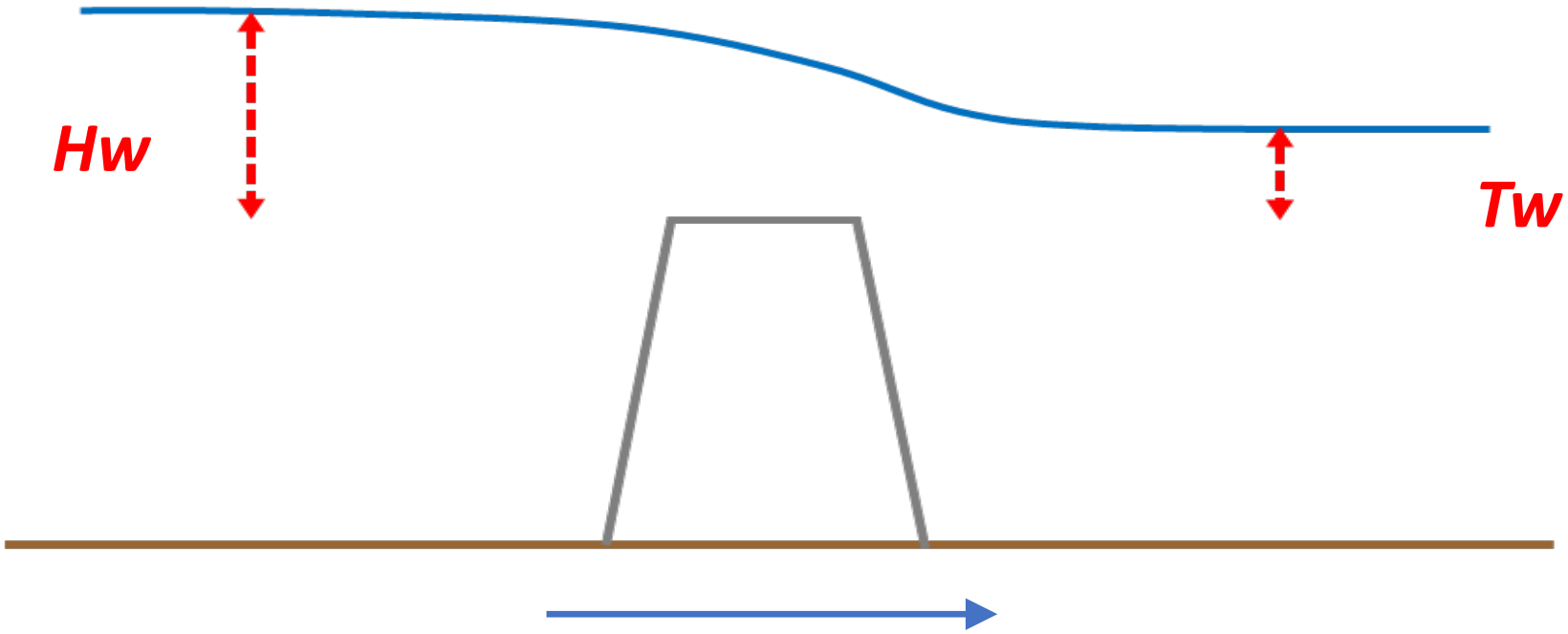


Computation Considerations

- Flow is assumed constant over the timestep
  - Long timesteps can transfer too much volume and oscillate
- Order of computations
  - 1D computes first then 2D
  - Weir flow is computed with current HW (1D) and previous TW (2D)
- Tailwater elevations
  - TW elevations of each connected cell is used
- Weir submergence

Weir Submergence

- Tailwater begins to impact weir flow
- A weir submergence curve is used to compute the reduction in flow
- This can be a dramatic reduction



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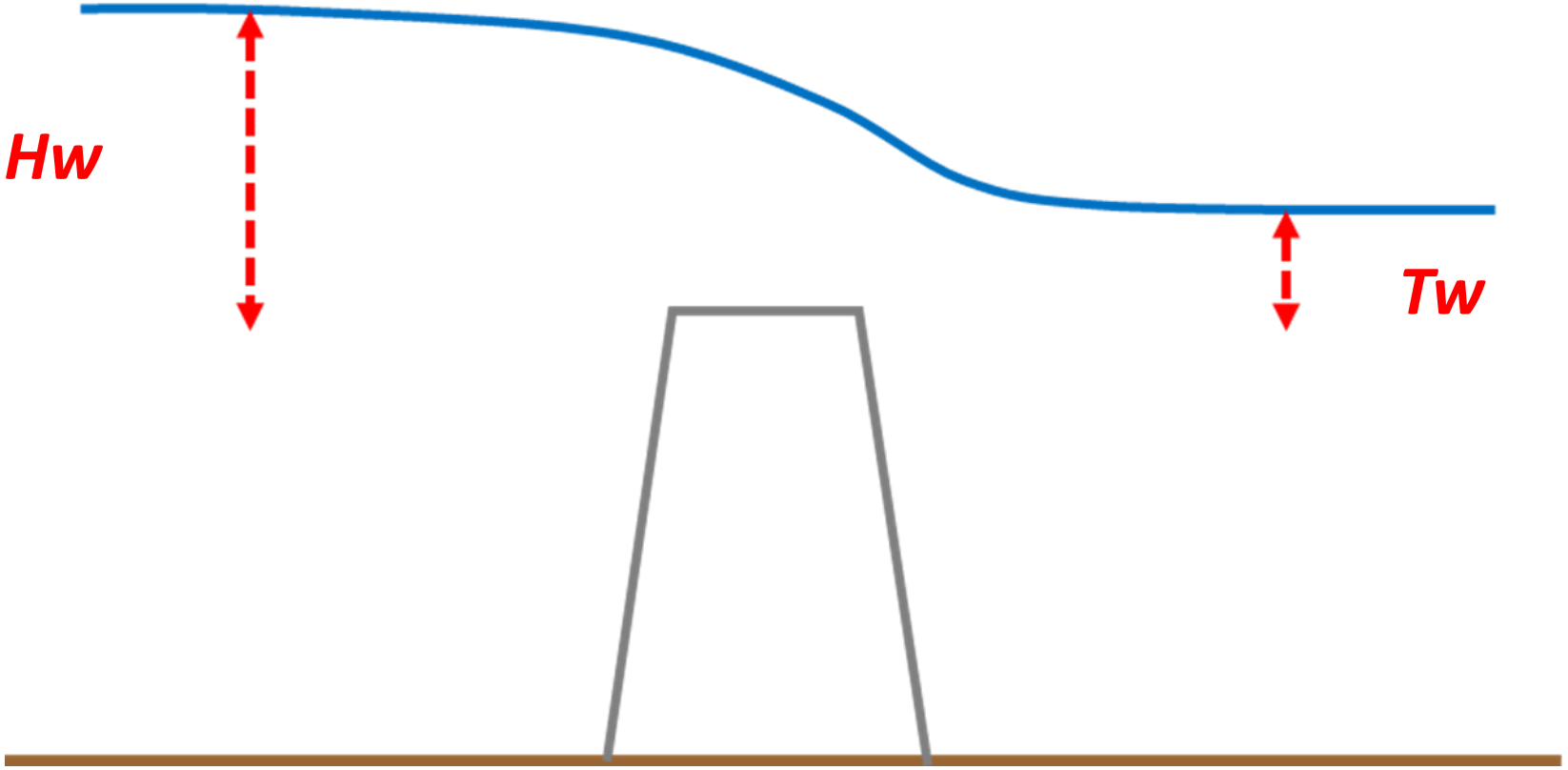

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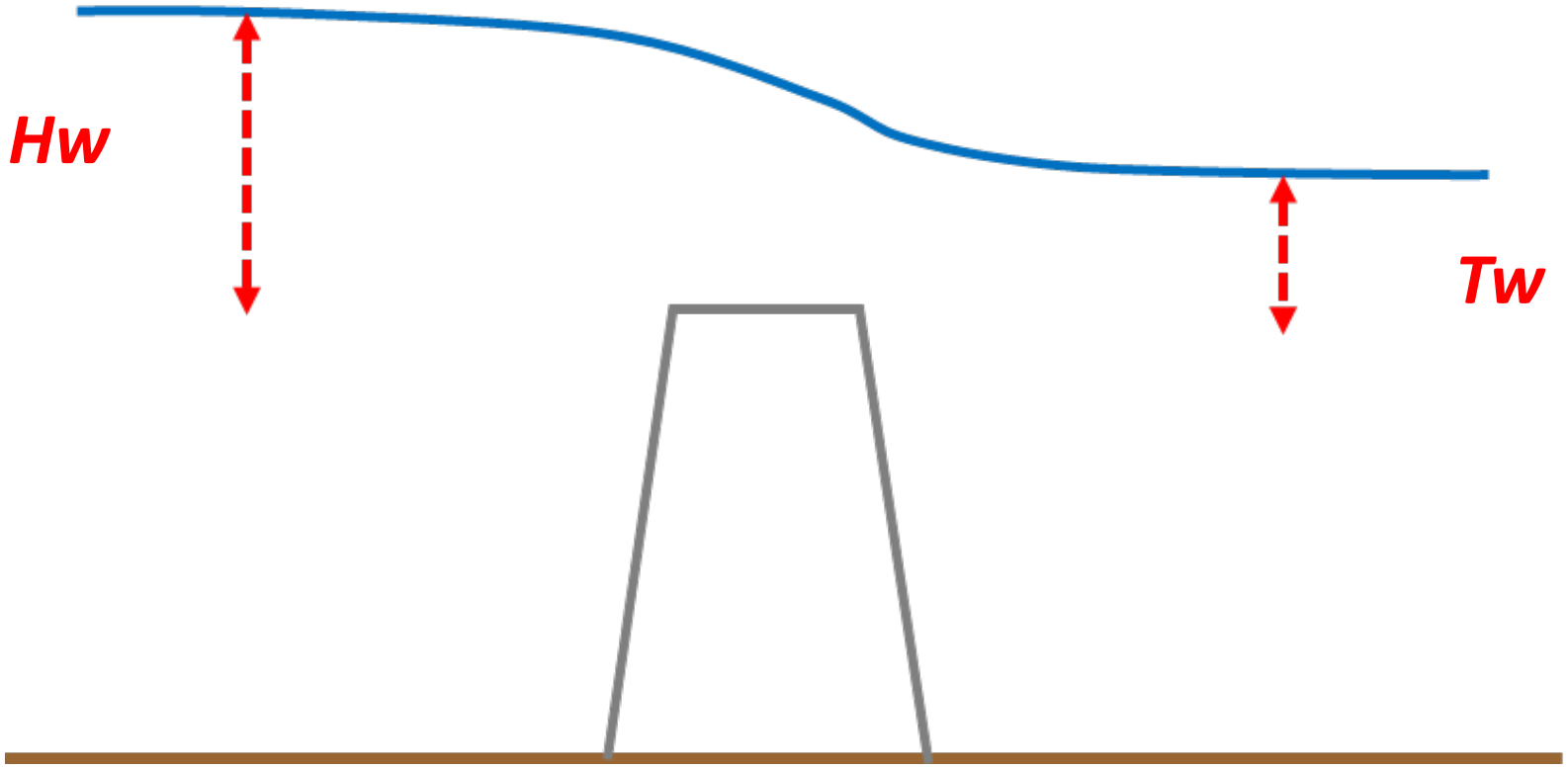

Tw / Hw = 0.5

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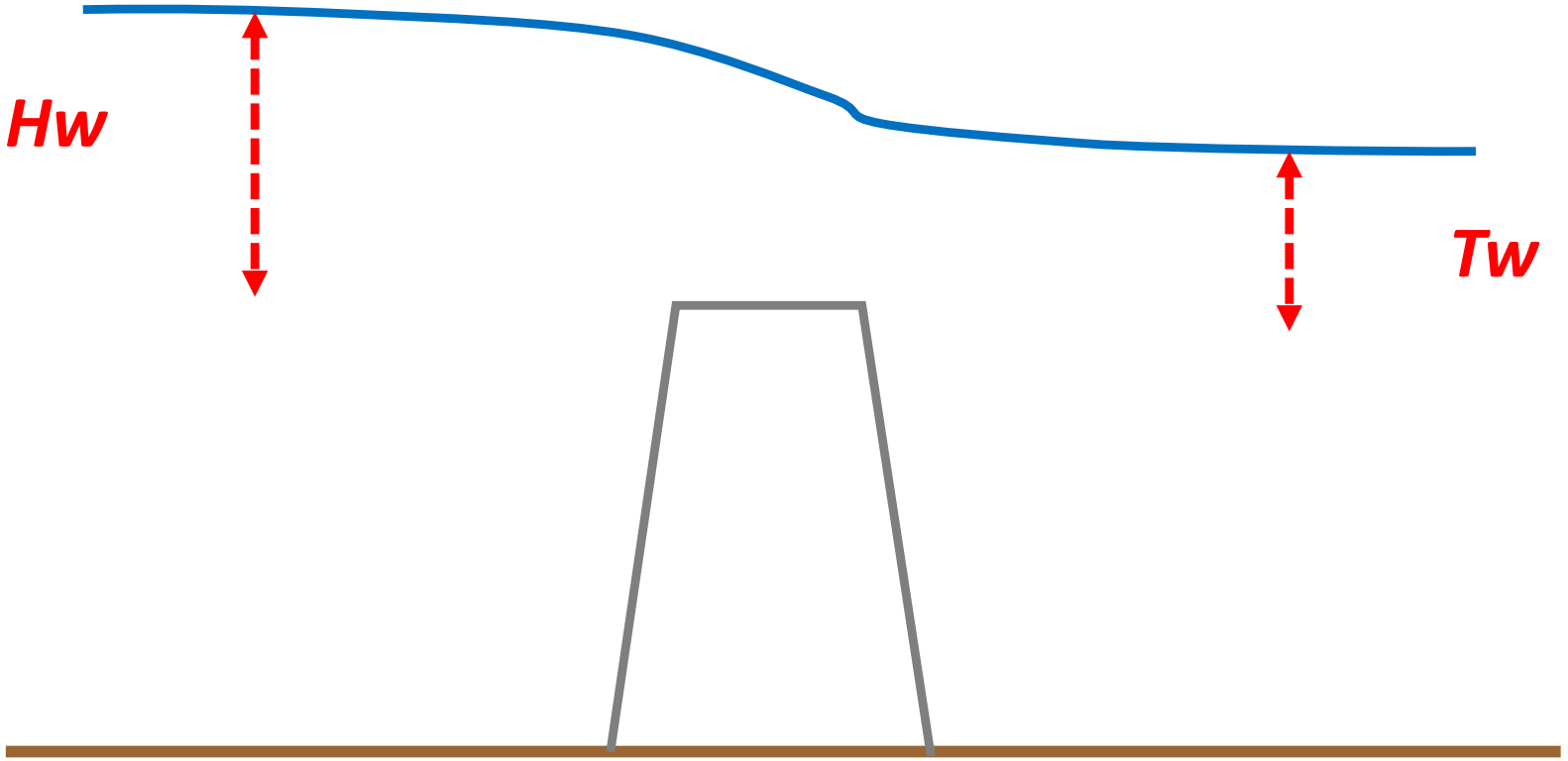

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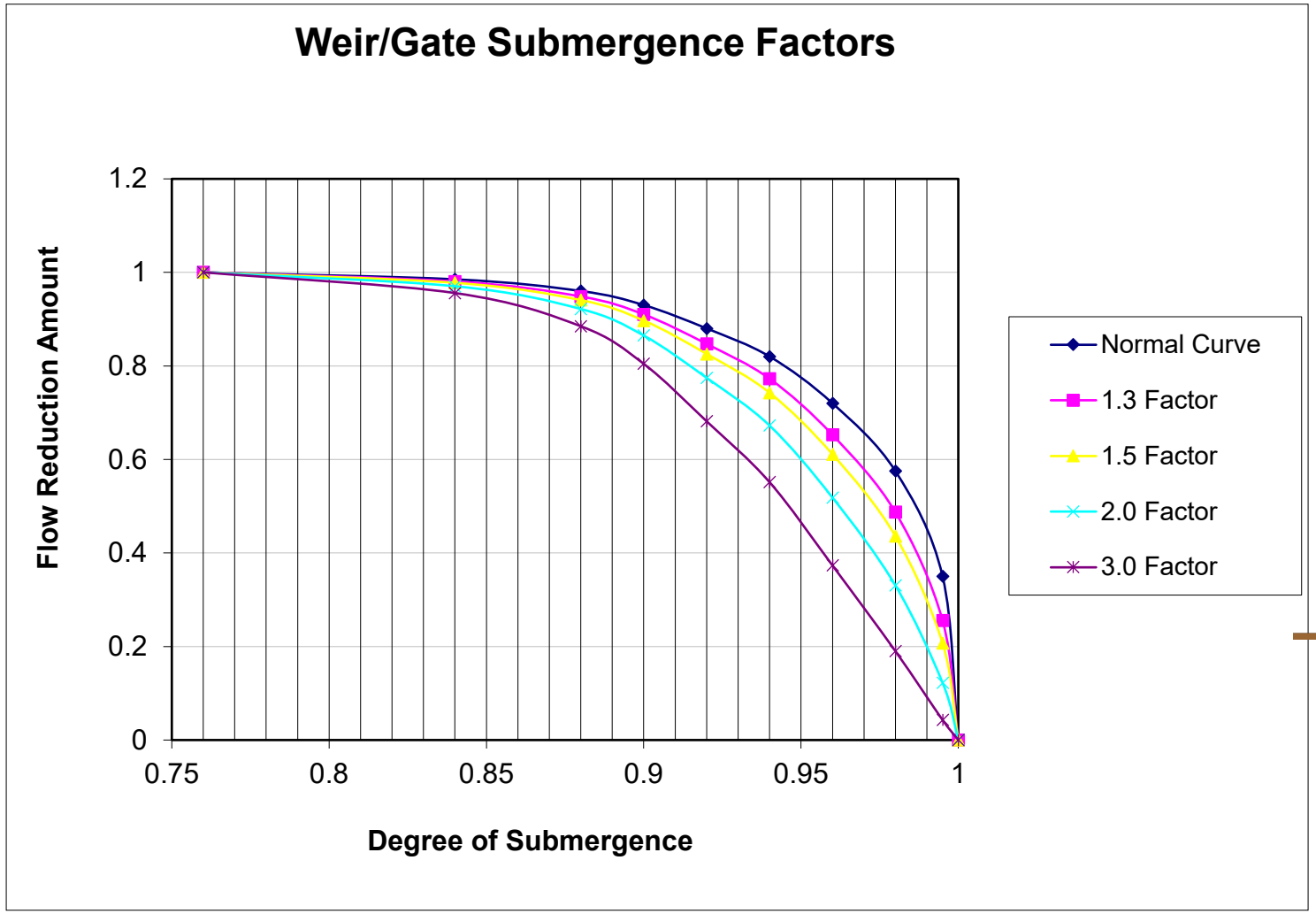
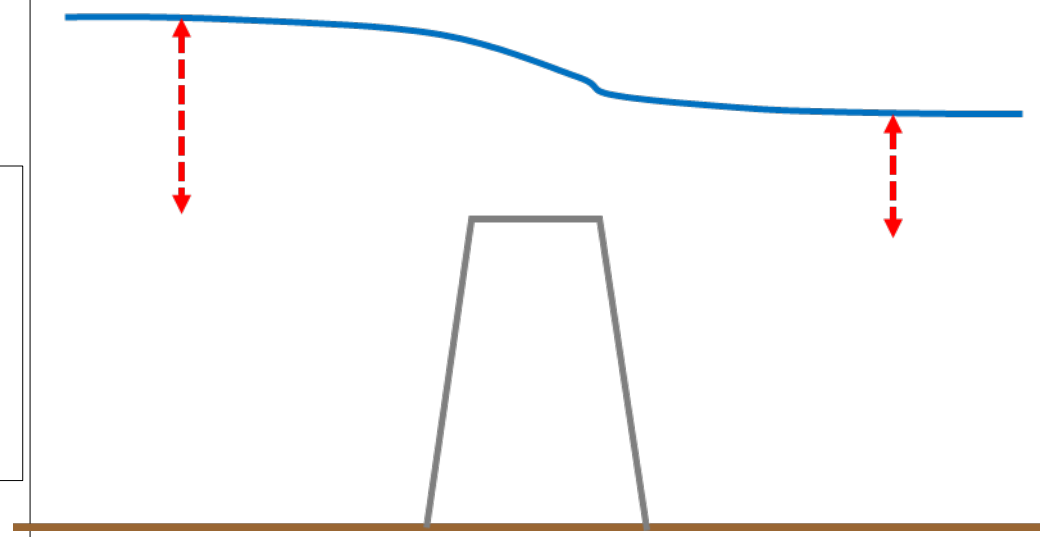
Weir Submergence Curves





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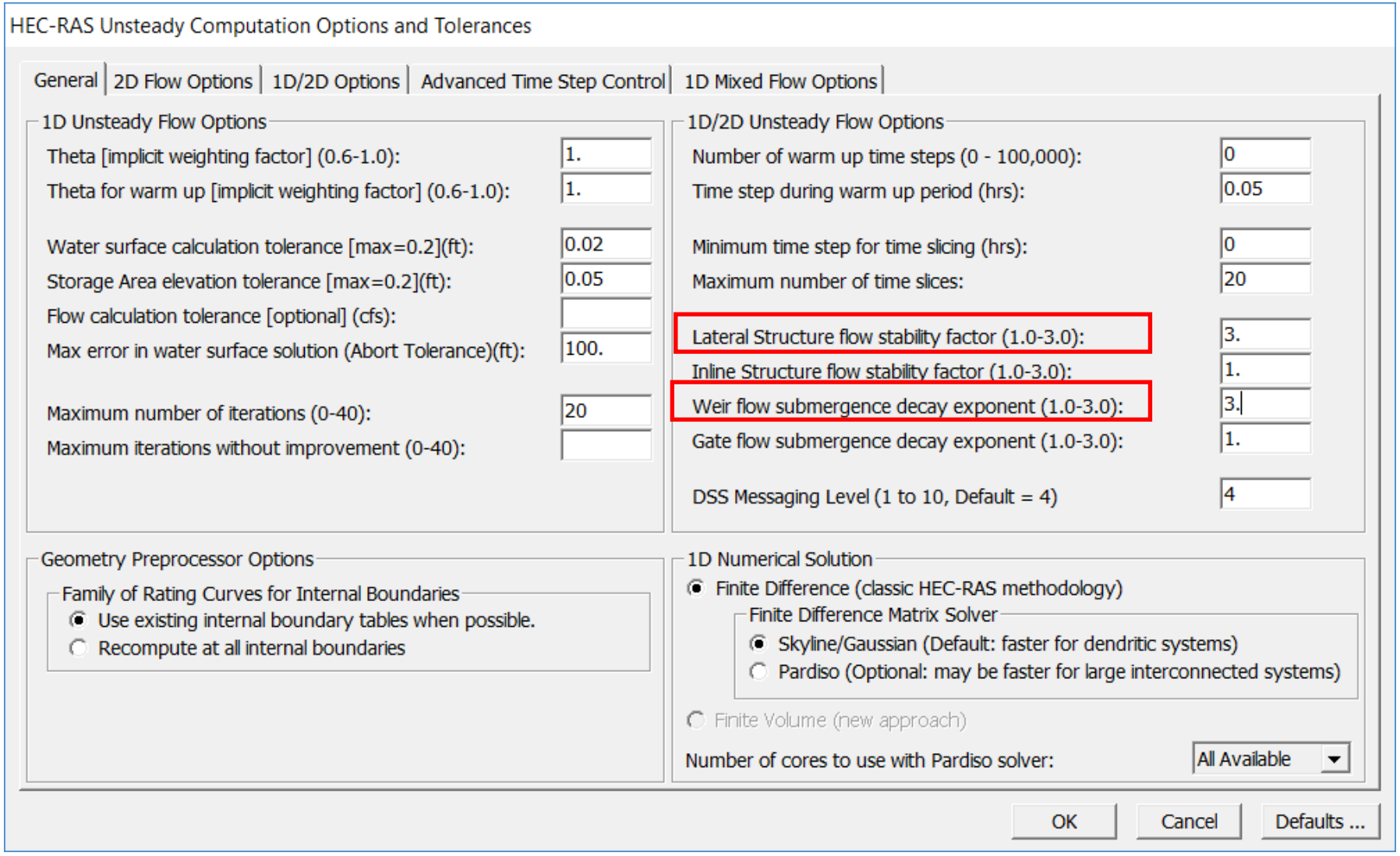
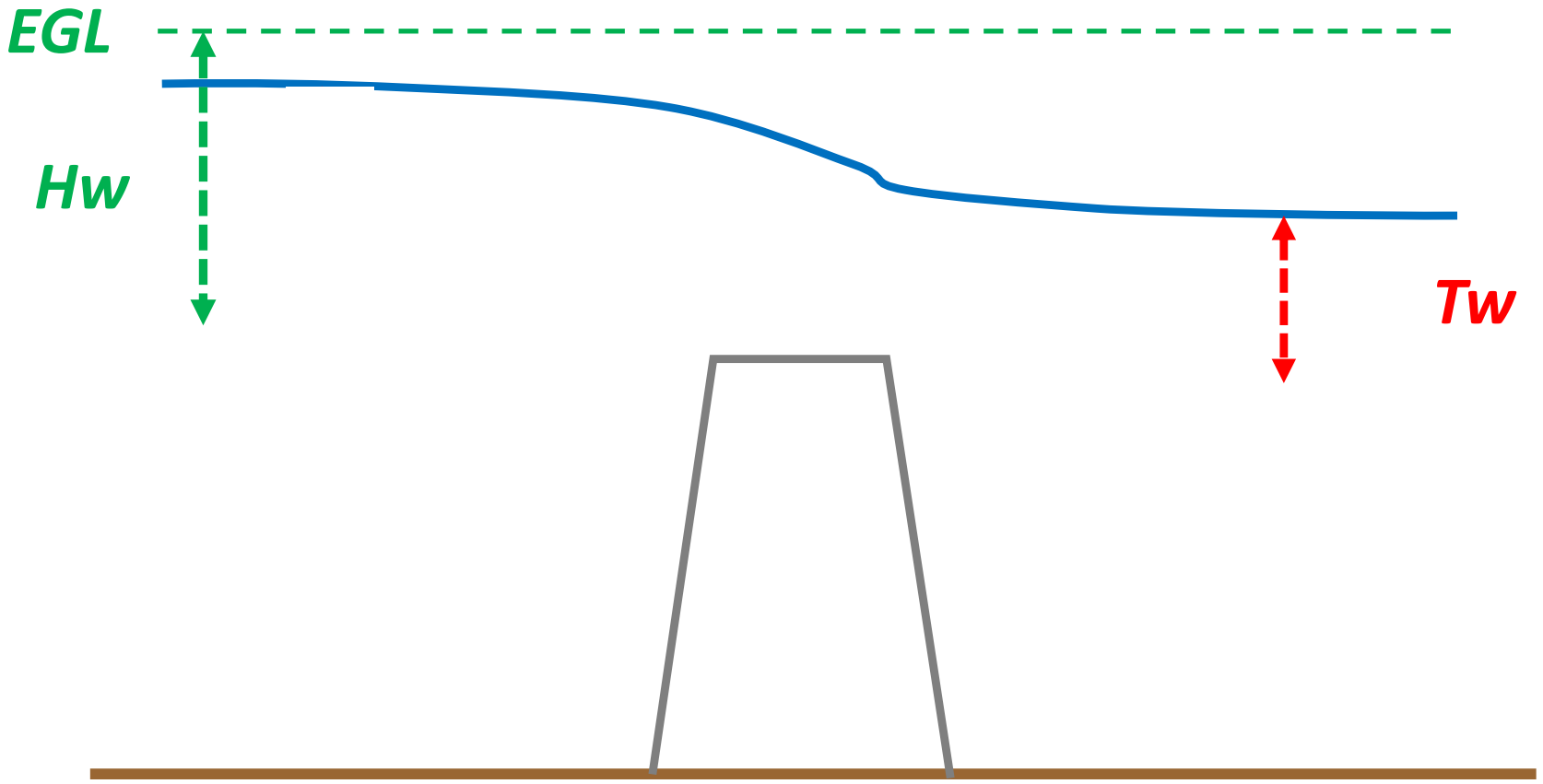
Lateral Structure Computational Options

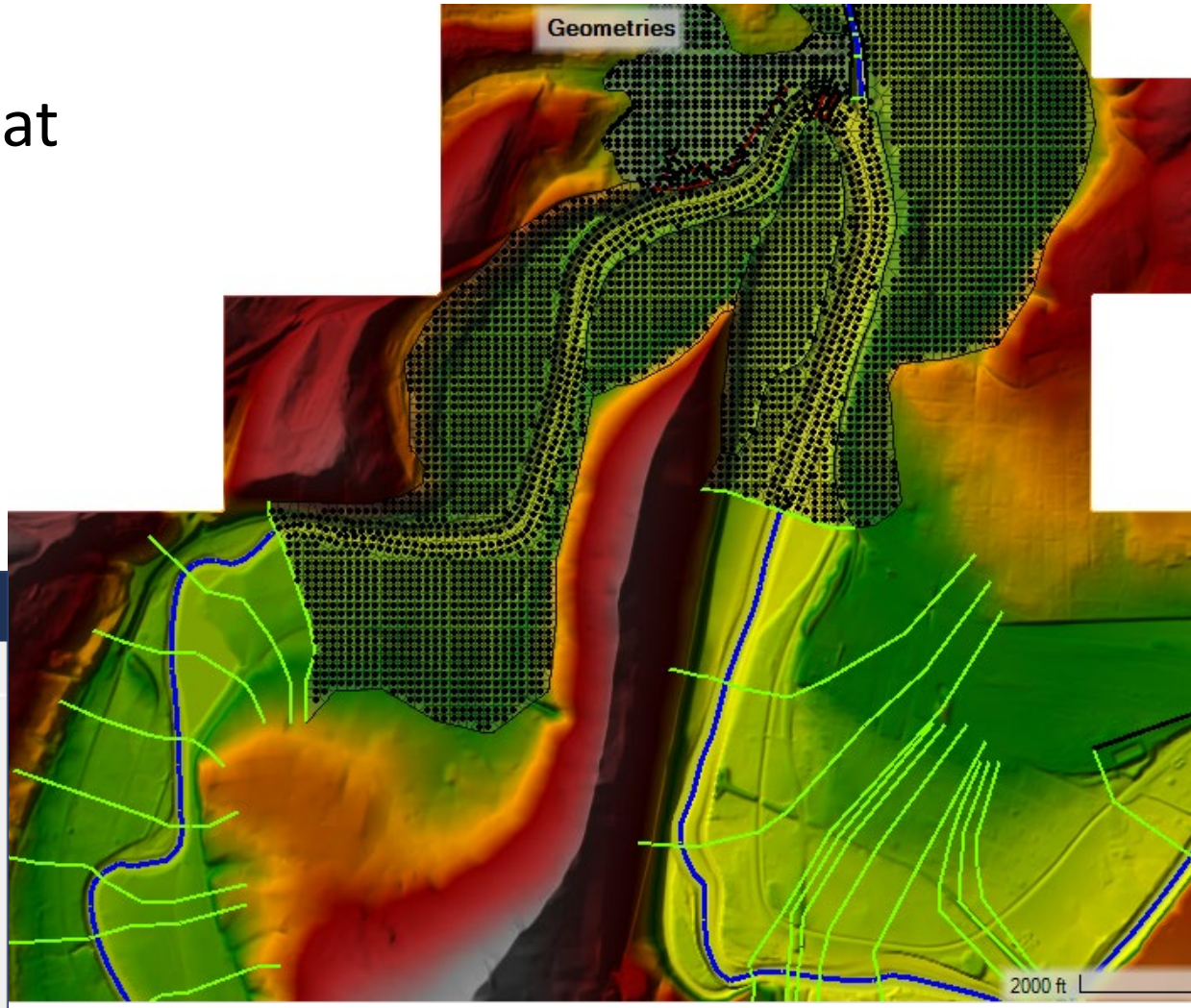


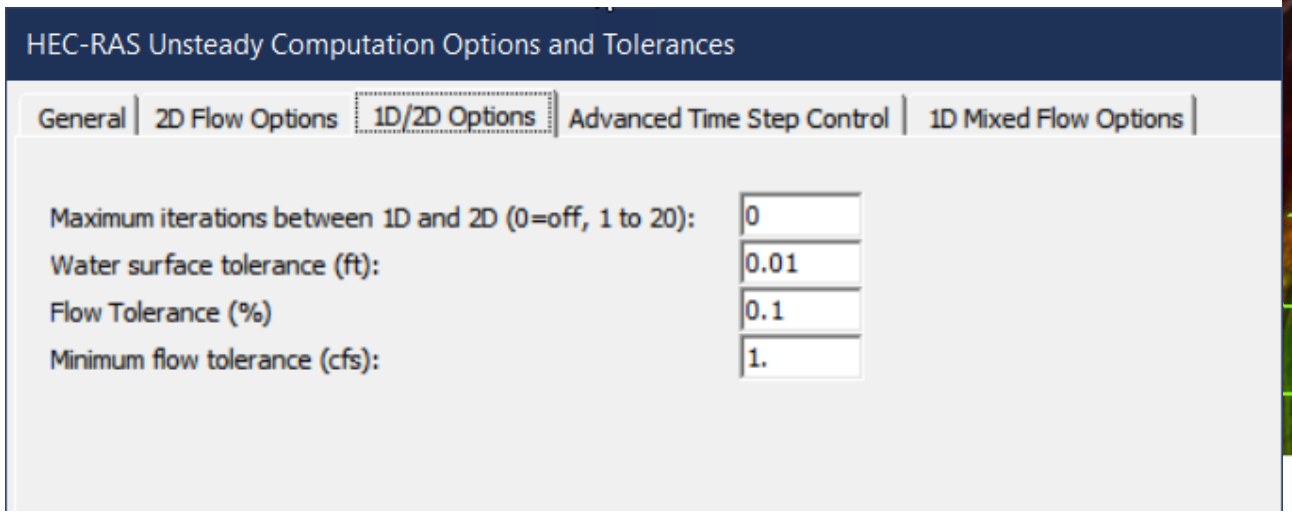
Hw : EGL or WSEL?



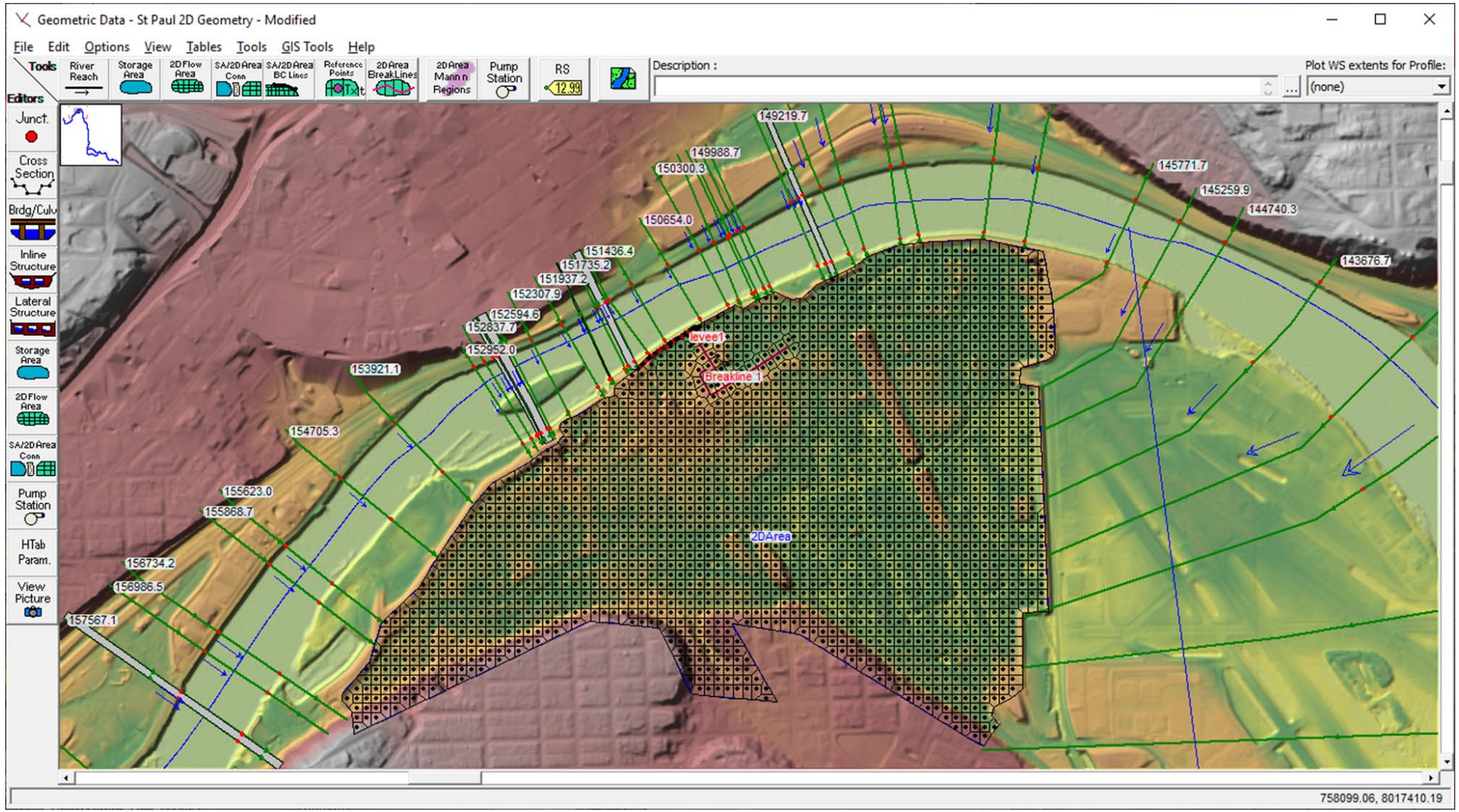
1D/2D Iterations Option

- Monitors WSEL and Flow Tolerance at boundaries
- Iterates the 1D and 2D domain until tolerances are met
- Off by default (0 iterations)



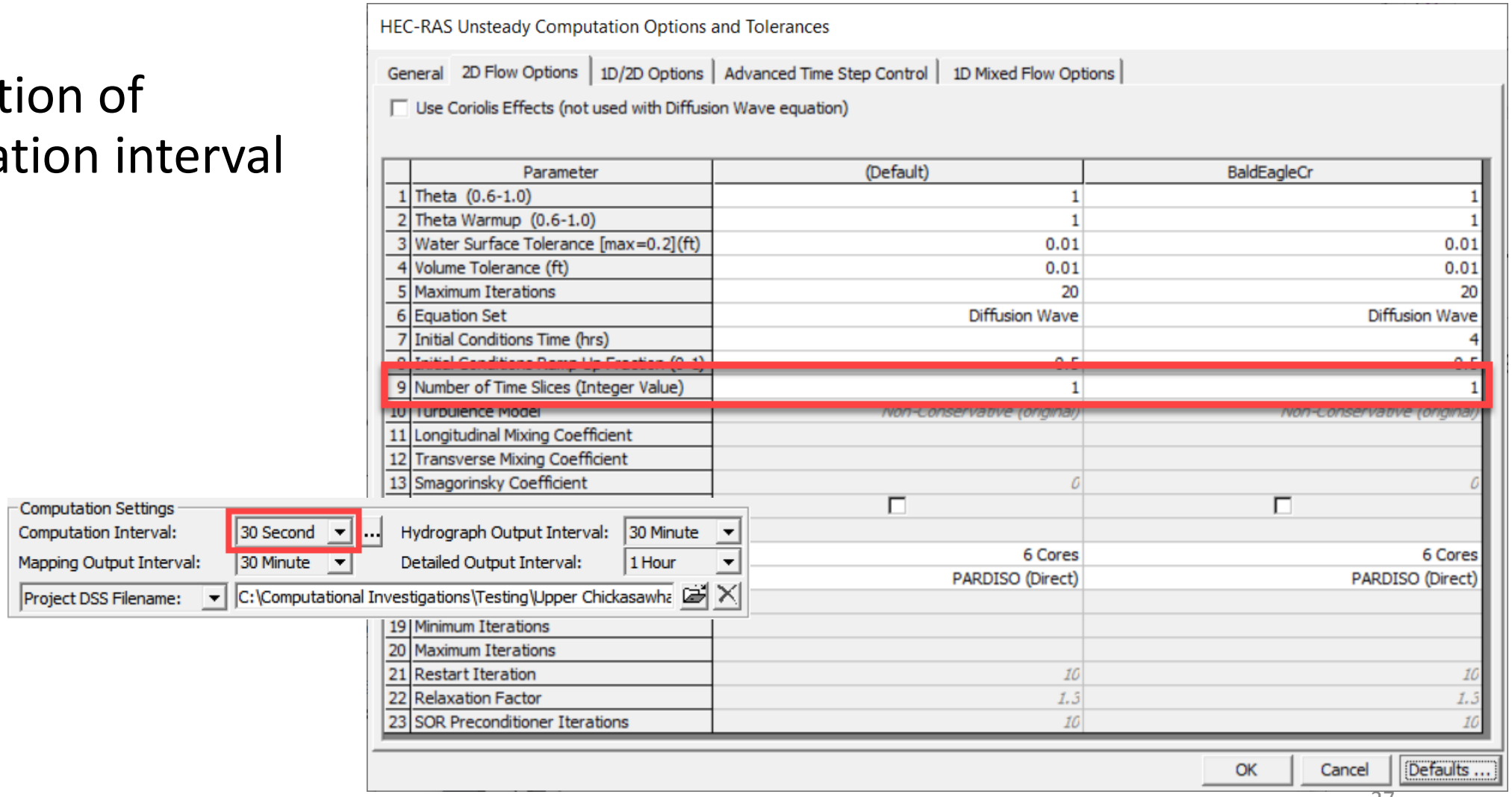


1D/2D Modeling Computational Time Step

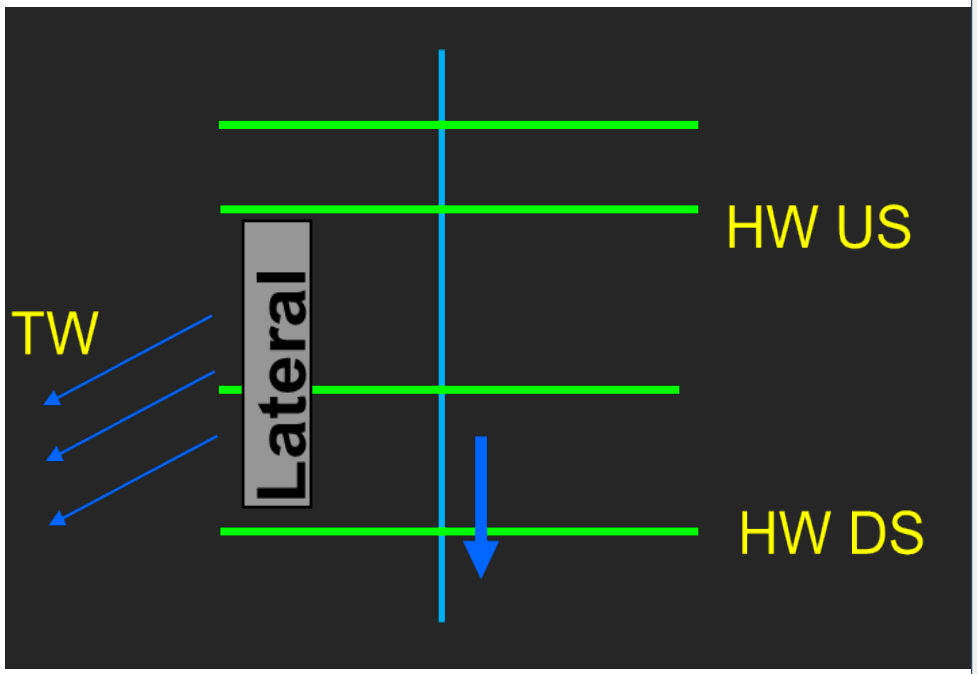


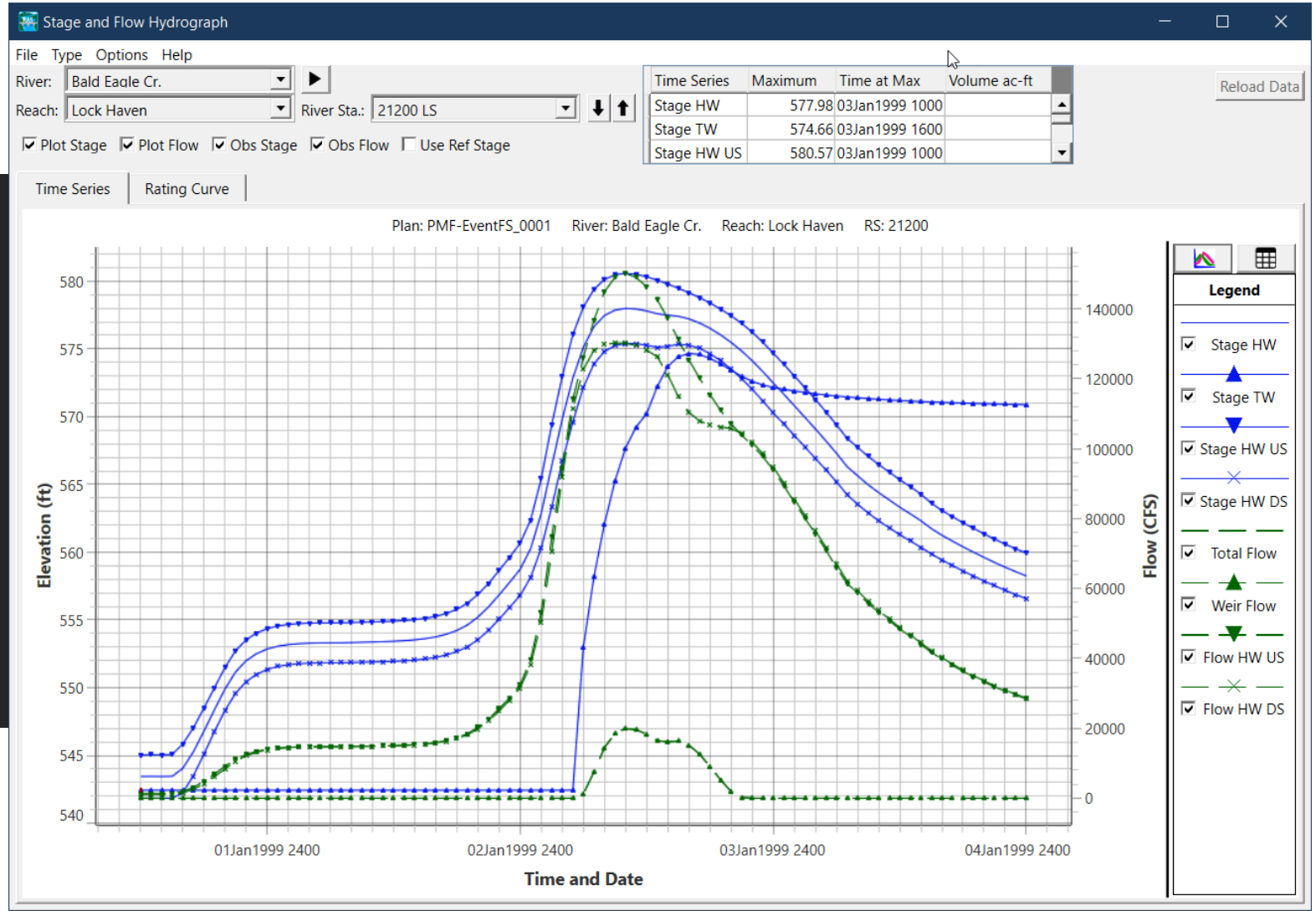
2D Time Slicing

- Use fraction of computation interval



Hydrograph – Lateral Structure





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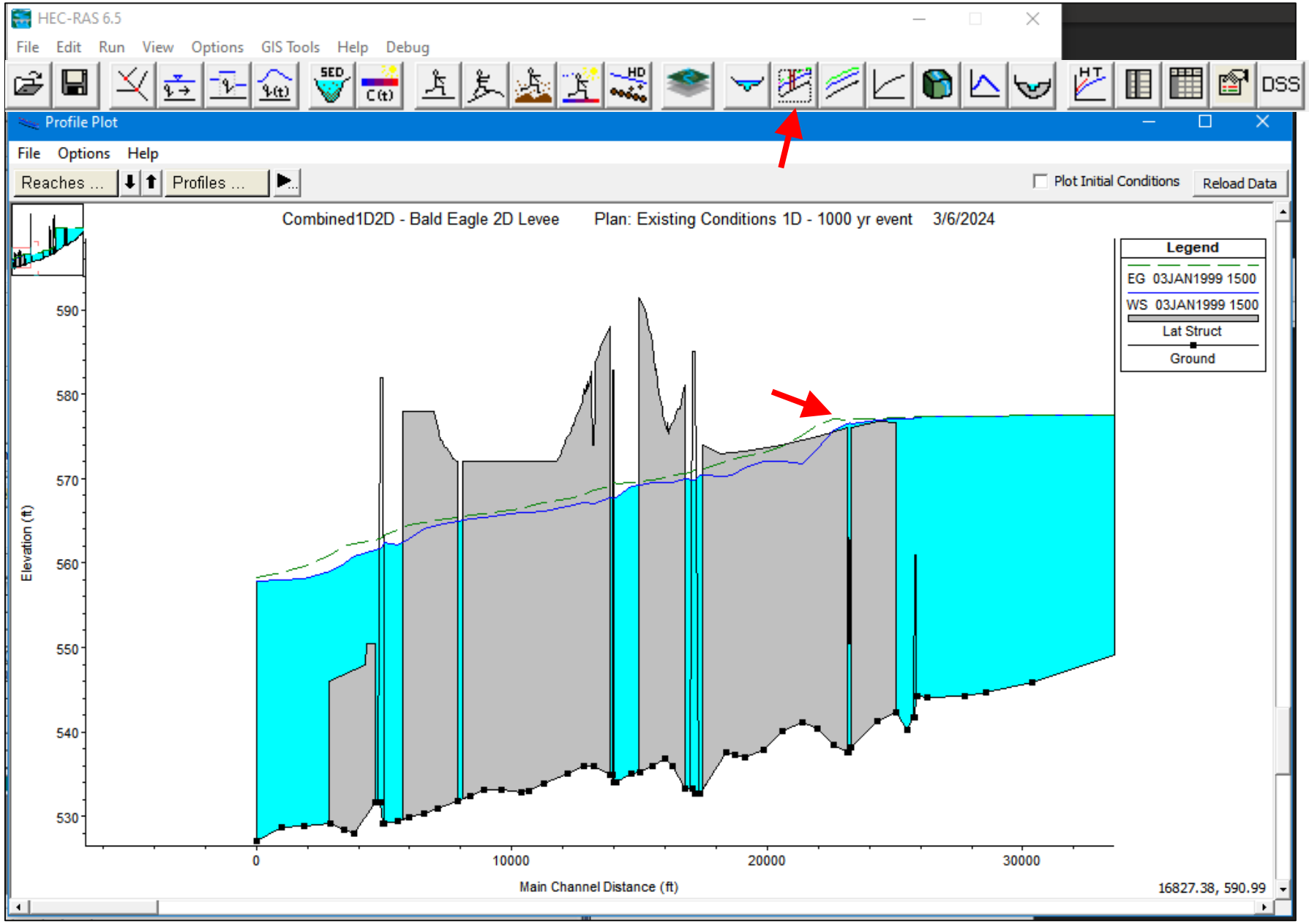
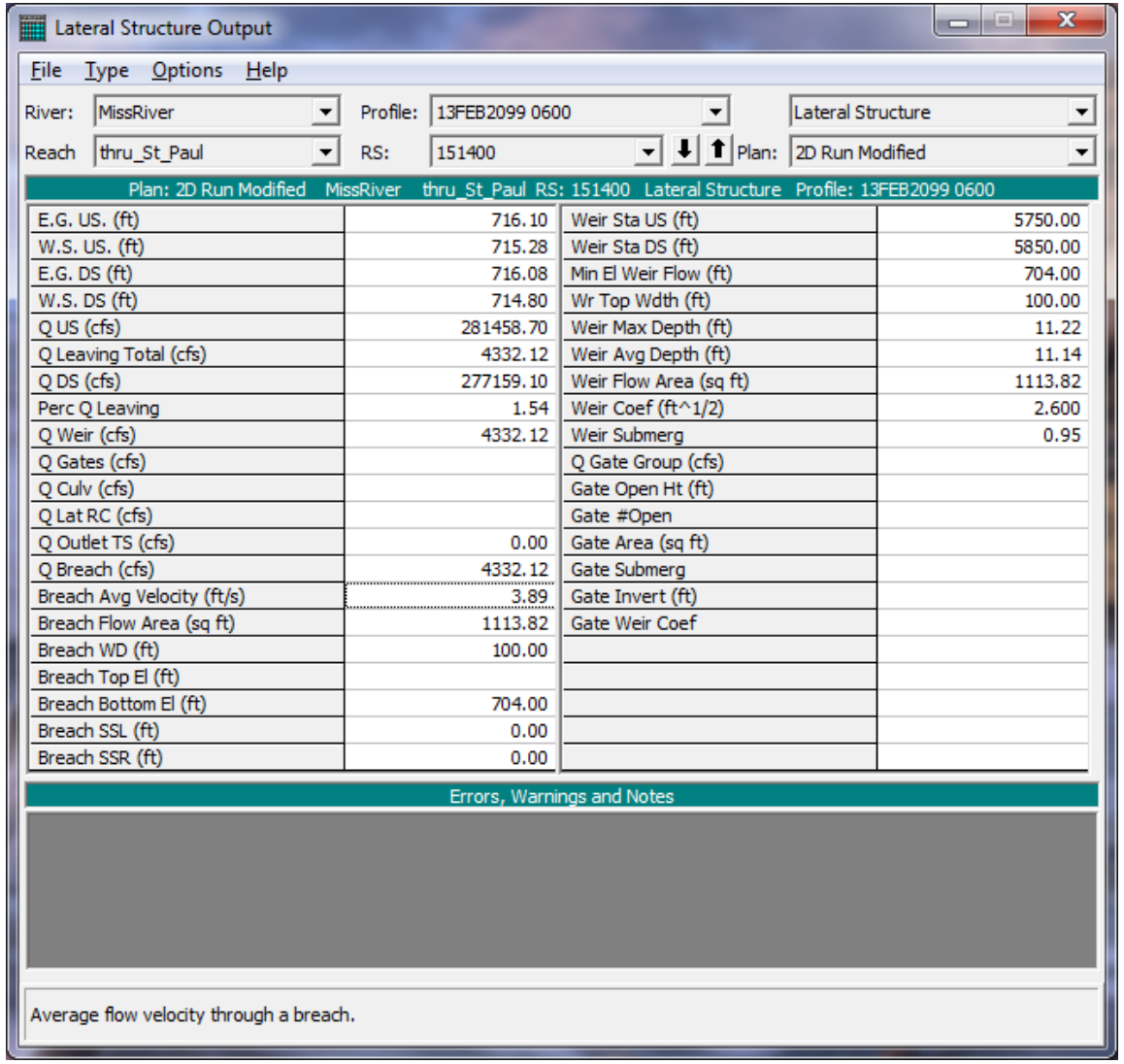
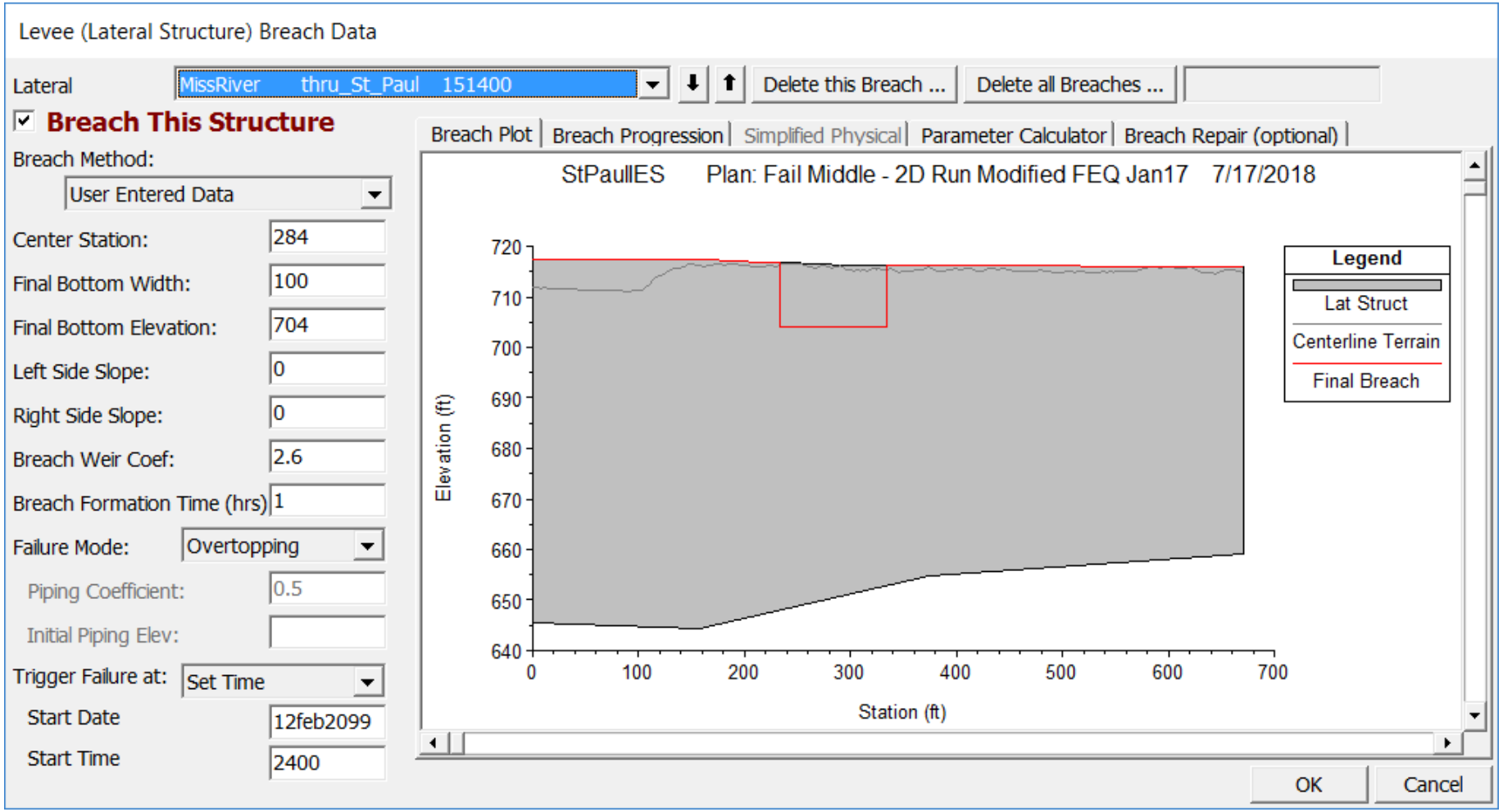


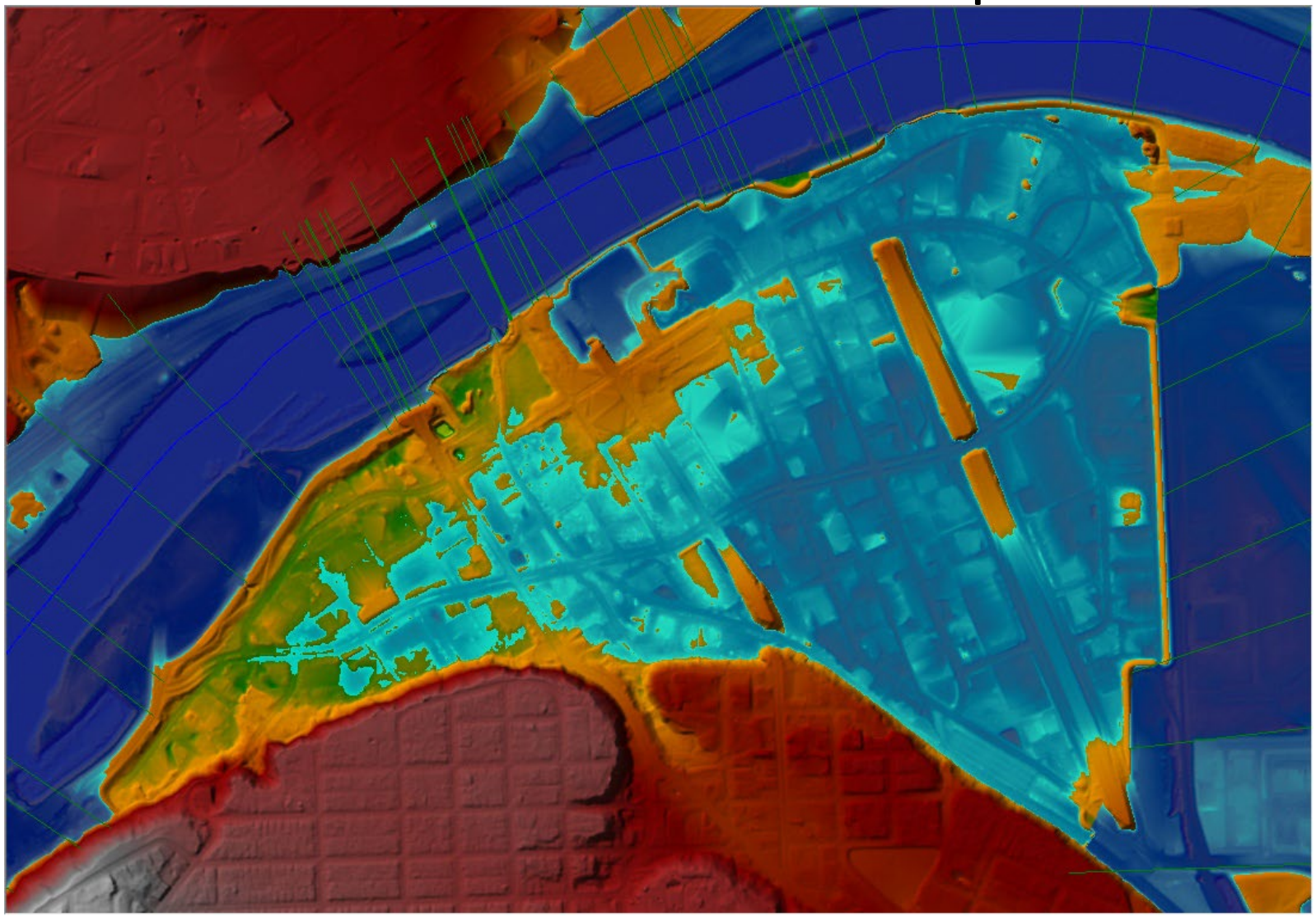
Lateral Structure Detailed Output



Levee Breaching



Saint Paul Levee Breach Example



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