# II-250 Exprimental Study on the Effect of Spot Roughness on Forced Jump

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### 1.Introduction

Forced hydraulic jump on a rough channel bed was investigated using spot roughness. The main purpose of this study is to shorten the length of jump, and thus, to reduce the size of the stilling basin.

### 2. Experiments

The experiments were conducted in the hydraulic laboratory, Faculty of Engineering, Ain Shams University, Cairo, Egypt; using a rectangular flume of 0.53 m width under the flow conditions illustrated in table(1). The definitions of symbols are shown in Fig.(1). The bed roughness was formed by brass cubes of 1.60x1.60x1.60cm. The procedure of the work is as follows:

- (1)For each experiment, the discharge Q and the gate opening  $h_0$  were adjusted, and the tail water depth was controlled until the forced jump was formed within the distance between the gate an the beginning of roughness as shown in Fig.(1).
- (2)The average water surface profile and the initial depth  $h_1$  were measured using a point gauge and sixty piezometers connected along the bottom of the flume. The pressure profile and the water surface profile were used to determine the length of jump  $L_j$ . The end of jump was taken to be the section at which the water depth became equal to the tail water depth which was considered as the sequent depth  $h_2$ .
- (3) For various relative length of roughness  $L_R/h_b$ , the relation between the relative length of jump  $L_i/h_1$  and  $F_1$  was obtained as shown in Fig.(2).
- (4)Using the obtained relations shown in Fig.(2) for  $F_1$  = 4,6,8 and 10 Figure (3) can be obtained It is resulted that at a certain value of  $L_R/h_b$  the value of  $L_j/h_1$  would be minimum for every  $F_1$  and it is shown in Fig.(3) that this value is almost constant at 28.

### 3.Discussions and Conclusions

Reffering to Figures (3) and (4) the following discussions and conclusions are obtained:

- (1)After Rajaratnam,Mc Corquodale & Khalifa and USBR, the relation between  $L_j/h_2$  and  $F_1$  in case of smooth bed is shown in the upper part of Fig.(4). It is shown that in case of smooth bed the value of  $L_j/h_2$  ranges between 5.5 and 6.5 for  $F_1$  ranges between 4 and 10. Using the results obtained from Fig.(3) for  $L_R/h_b=28$  and for  $F_1=4,6,8$  and 10 a relation between  $L_j/h_2$  and  $F_1$  in case of using spot roughness is obtained and graphed in Fig.(4) and shown by a rigid line.
- Figure(4) shows that the length of jump is clearly reduced by using spot roughness.
- (2)The decreasing of  $L_R/h_b$  would improve the efficiency of the stilling basin, namely, decreasing the relative length of jump  $L_J/h_1$ . At a certain value of  $L_R/h_b$ , the relative length of jump would be minimum (Fig.(2)).

(3)The effective length of roughness  $L_R/h_b = 28$ , regarding to this study, provides a remarkable reduction in  $L_1/h_2$  ranges between about 27.4% for  $F_1 = 10$  and about 67.4% for  $F_1 = 4$  (Fig.(4)).

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TABLE(1)-CONDITIONS

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Parameter	Range
Ls and h₀ [cm] LR [cm] Q [1/s] h₀ [cm] F1	10.00 and 1.60 28.50 - 200.66 23.00 - 47.43 2.50 - 4.50 4.47 - 9.53

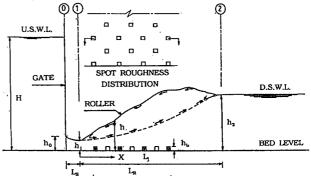


FIG. (2)-THE RELATION BETWEEN F1 &L $_{\rm J}/h_{\rm 1}$  FOR DIFFERENT L $_{\rm R}/h_{\rm b}$ 

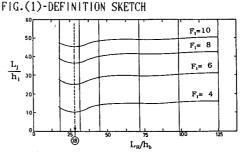
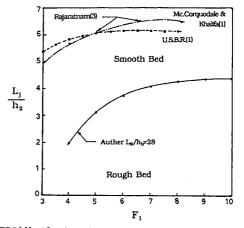


FIG. (3)-THE RELATION BETWEEN LR/hb &Lj/h1 FOR DIFFERENT FROUDE NUMBERS



FIG(4)-COMPARISON BETWEEN RELATIVE LENGTH OF JUMP ON SMOOTH AND ROUGH BEDS FOR VARIOUS  $F_1$