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Modeling of weir height drop on the slope of the open channel hydraulic jump

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Abstract

The model design was developed for the alignment and it was utilized to test for various geometrics and stream conditions searching for a low and incentive for RMSE and the response variable. Also, during the alignment half of the exploratory information was set to their coefficients, and the staying set of information was similarly be utilized for confirmation purposes. Utilizing around thirty out of the fifty informational collections created in the research facility dependent on relapse investigation was applied to the non-direct model to decide the constants. The staying twenty informational collections from research centre analyses were utilized for check of the model. The absence of the fittest was utilized likewise to check the request for the proposed relapse model utilizing the water profundity as the response variable. The Froude numbers from the post-pressure driven hop segment from 0.37 to 0.41 ($0.37 < Fr_3 < 0.41$), likewise showing that the streams are subcritical. The Froude numbers from the post-pressure driven hop area inside 0.37 to 0.41 ($0.37 < Fr_3 < 0.41$), this shows the streams are subcritical. The connection between sequent profundity proportion y_3/y_2 and speed proportion V_2/V_3 is around $-5024 + 1.485 Fr_2$ with $R^2 = 0.9957$ showing that as the sequent profundity proportion and speed proportion expands the inflow Froude number Fr_2 additionally increments, the hydraulic jump extended from - 0.001 to 0.001 which gives some vitality progression with an expansion in the pace of release through the flume. The upstream of the flume, the Froude numbers go from 0.038 to 0.052 ($0.038 < Fr_1 < 0.52$), demonstrating that the streams were subcritical and less harm to the channel.

Keywords: Alignment; Model design; Sequent Profundity; Hydraulic Jump.

1. Introduction

Hydraulic jump has several applications in water resources engineering, especially in the design of hydraulic structures. In erosion and flood control works, there is often the need to dissipate energy to protect the hydraulic structures downstream. In such cases, a hydraulic jump could be used to dissipate the energy. However, the jump characteristics need to be determined correctly to design the channel stretch where the jump occurs. If the location is adjudged incorrectly, the channel sidewall to contain the jump may be terminated too abruptly or more concretely wasted. The parameters include the length, the height, and location of the jump [1], [2]. As recently portrayed, the water driven bounce assumes a basic function in liquid channels. For instance, a substance sanitization point ought to be developed just before the toe of the water-powered bounce. Consequently, the area of the bounce ought to be resolved first. In planning a stilling basin, the sequent depth of the jump ought to be known. The hydraulic jump can protect the banks of channels by slowing down the velocity of the continual high-velocity flow to avoid scouring in a channel. The free surface is an interface between two fluids of different thicknesses and on account of the air, the density of air is a lot slower than the density of water, furthermore, the weight is steady. Common channels, similar to waterways and brooks, coming about because of the geophysical cycles acting at the world's surface, without the fundamental interest of the human movement. The most reliable examinations on the weight-driven bounce, made by Bidone, were done in a slanting

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channel, [3], [4], and [5]. Accordingly, [6], started an expansive investigation program with slopes of 1 out of 6, 1 out of 3, and 1 out of 1 had settled the issues related to D-jump and B-bounce [17]. More so, [8] had introduced new enunciations for B-jump with Froude amounts of 2.4 to 7.4. Further, [9] had chosen the assortments of the mean streamflow with the water driven skip in inclining channels. Previously, [10] had investigated undular ricochets for completely created inflow conditions. Recently, [11] uncovered the negative bed slope of the stream bed diminished the sequent significance extent, and the positive bed incline extended the sequent significance extent. According to work done by [12] they examined the effect of bed brutality on the sequent significance extent and the roller length. In the same vain, [13] had developed the progressing propels in furious water-driven jumps. Similarly, [14] had investigated the streamflow of a rough water-driven ricochet in a horrendous rectangular channel bed. Similarly, [17] had inspected the characteristics of customary skip and B-bounces on smooth beds. Nevertheless [15] carried out a preliminaries studies to think about the instability of Froude numbers ($3.8 < F1 < 8.5$) and Reynold's number ($2.1 \times 10^4 < R < 1.6 \times 10^5$). As indicated by [16], the characterized weirs as a water-driven structure that speaks to a crucial constituent of the framework expecting a pertinent function as a daily existence supporting component for the populace. Furthermore, Egbe and Agunwamba [18] discuss the proposed design and derivation of mathematical procedure for modeling of hydraulic jump in a broad crested weir in an open channel flows. These structures appropriate water, wastewater, or other fluid substances upstream to serve different capacities, for example, flood control, water gracefully, water system, water level control, and so forth. As indicated by the Bureau of Reclamation of the United States, dams can be sorted dependent on three principle angles: use, water-driven plan, and material of development.

2. Research Methodology

The design of experiments (DOE) is a well-known methodology according to [19] which can be applied to physical experiments without any difficulty. This methodology was applied to the horizontal open channel flow. Since the Bernoulli energy equation and the continuity equation are applied in this study, the following assumptions are necessary for upstream flow before the jumps:

- The flow is steady.
- The flow is incompressible.
- The flow is frictionless.
- The flow is irrotational.

Accordingly, the outlet, the subcritical water stature that powers the pressure-driven bounce to happen inside the space (h_2) must be forced. This variable must be gotten by iteratively testing different flow rates until the subsequent water is driven hop stays stable inside the channel. Ordinarily, subcritical water tallness and a hydrostatic profile ought to be forced at the outlet utilizing a Dirichlet water level limit condition. A barometrical limit condition is forced at the head of the channel to permit liquids to enter and leave the channel. This is accomplished by forcing an invalid Von Neumann condition to all factors aside from pressure, which is set to zero (environmental weight). Figure 1 sums up the model limit conditions and a portion of its most applicable factors to examine.

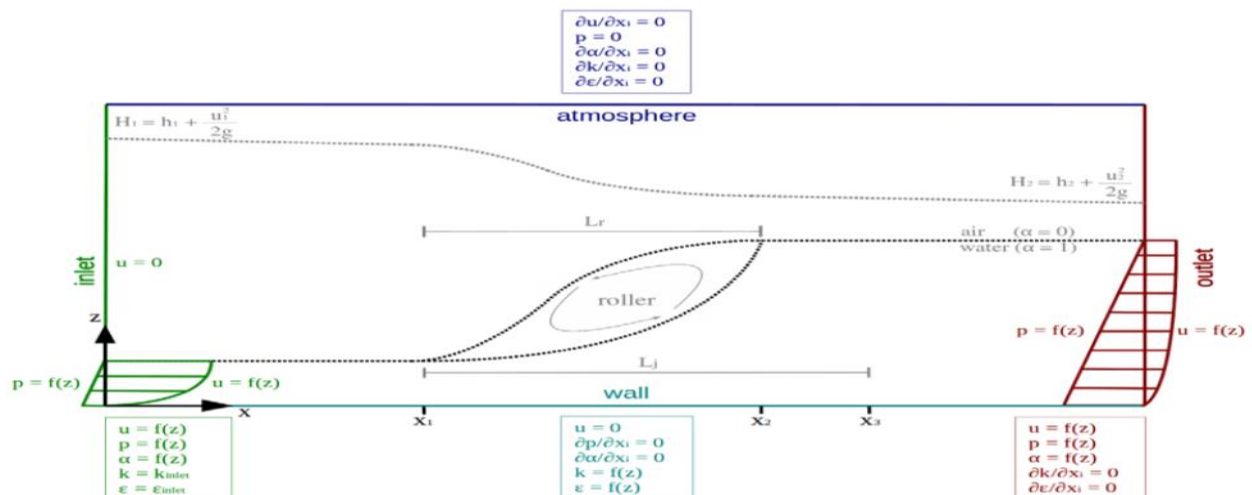


Figure 1 The boundary conditions used for the hydraulic jump model

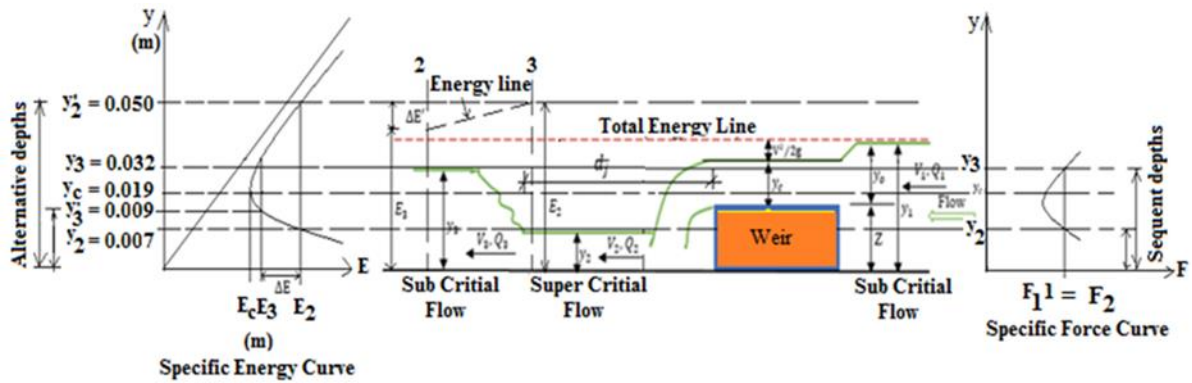


Figure 2 The Proposed design of specific energy and curves of the constricted flume [18]

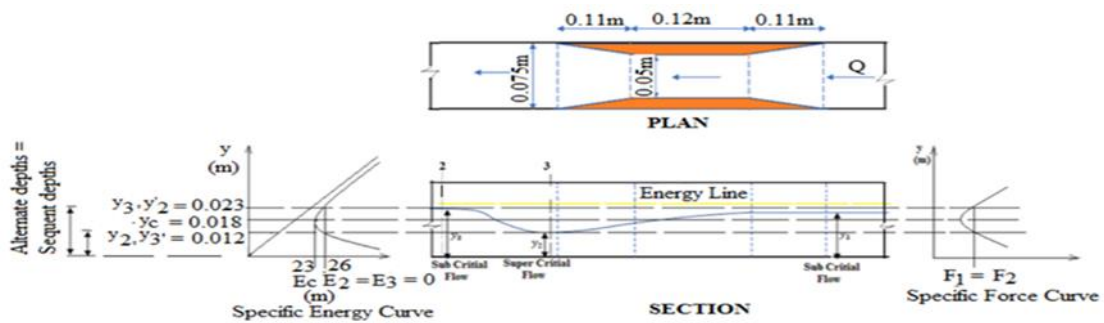


Figure 3 The Proposed Experimental Design of Test section of the channel

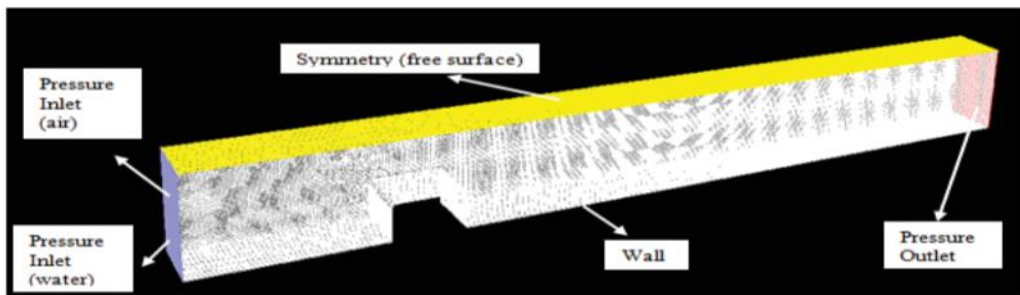


Figure 4 The photograph of a 3D view of the open channel

2.1. Experimental Procedure

The experimental examinations were carried out in a variable slant open channel pressure-driven (VSOCPD) which we remade and structured in the Civil Engineering Water Resources/Hydraulic Research Centre, of the Cross River University of Technology, Calabar. The materials that were utilized to revamp the VSOCPD is appeared in Figure 5, including the accompanying: cylindrical metal with a rectangular profile, 0.075 cm wide and 5 m long, to fabricate the base; pressure has driven jack to change the inclines of the VSOCPD; acrylic sheets to manufacture the dividers and the base of the channel; two tripods built with three bits of prepares of 3 inches (80 mm) width to help the heaviness of the channel; a volumetric tank that serves not just as "reference model" to approve Q and as a store "water consumption" for the dissemination of the stream rate (Q) into the VSOCPD; 3 HP fuel siphon with 2 inches (50.8 mm) measurement of yield to drive water from the reservoir "water admission" to VSOCPD and to circle the stream in a shut framework.

We input four different flow rates (Q) through it. Every Q had a discretionary increment and reduction of Q to maintain a strategic distance from factual propensities in the length of the hop count, while the gate opening "a" stayed moderate.

We assessed the stream rates (Q) with the volumetric strategy, utilizing the dissemination tank of the VSOC PD which was recently aligned. The Manning “ n ” used is 0.009 (acrylic), and different adjusted slopes. We measured the following variables directly in the experimental model: Length (L), major hydraulic depth (y_1) and minor hydraulic depth (y_2), which provided the data to calculate Froude’s numbers: F_{r1} and F_{r2} .

The detailed drawings of the experimental flume were drawn and the accessories were collected as depicted in Figure 5.

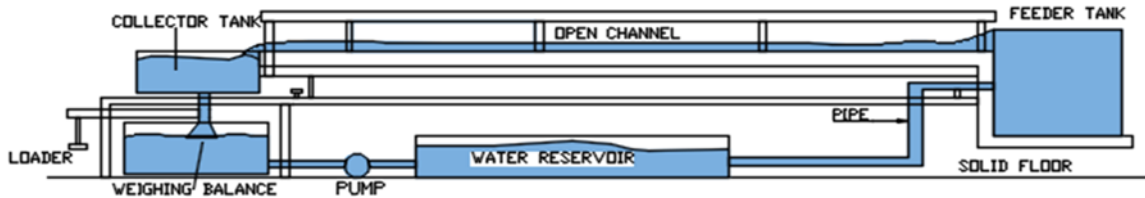


Figure 5 Experimental setup of the Flume

2.2. Testing specimens for flume

The weir specimens are 3 rectangular steel tablets 0.114 m (114 mm) long, 0.075 m (75 mm) wide, and 0.025 m (25 mm) in height, respectively. The flume specimens are 2 rectangular glass tablets, tapered at both ends, 0.34 m (340 mm) long, 0.0125 m (12.5 mm) thick, and 0.15m (150 mm) in height.

2.3. The mathematical formulation of the weir

Assuming no loss of head,

$$H_{\text{weir}} = U_{\text{pstream}}; \quad \text{where } = y_3 + \frac{v_3^2}{2g}$$

Notation

$q = (Q/b)$ = discharge per unit width

b = channel width

Z_{Weir} = Weir depth (Tablet thickness)

y_{cal} = Calculated critical depth for minimum energy obtained by = $2/3y_0$

$$y_{\text{theory}} = \text{Theoretical critical depth for minimum energy} = \sqrt[3]{\frac{(Qu/b)^2}{g}} = \sqrt[3]{\frac{(q)^2}{g}}$$

$$\text{Froude number at any position} = \frac{v}{\sqrt{gh}}$$

ΔE = The loss of energy head due to the occurrence of the hydraulic jump,

$$\Delta E = E_1 - E_2 = \left(y_1 + \frac{v_1^2}{2g} \right) - \left(y_2 + \frac{v_2^2}{2g} \right), \quad (1)$$

y_1 = Measured downstream jump depth

$$y_2 = y_{2,\text{theory}} = \text{Theoretical downstream depth of jump} = \frac{y_1}{2} + \sqrt{\left(\frac{y_1^2}{4} + \frac{2y_1v_1^2}{g} \right)},$$

Average measured flow time, $t_{av} = \frac{t_1+t_2}{2}$,

Where:

y_1, v_1 = Measured depth and velocity upstream of the jump,

y_2, v_2 = Measured depth and velocity upstream of the jump,

Q_d, Q_u = Measured discharge downstream and upstream of weir or flume, respectively = $A_i v_i$,

A_1, v_i = Sectional area perpendicular to flow direction and flow velocity,

y_3, v_3 = Measured depth and velocity upstream of weir or flume,

y_o = Measured water depth above the crest upstream of the weir (freeboard),

$Y_{c,exp}, Y_{c,theory}, Y_{c,cal}$ = Measured, theoretical, and calculated critical depth above the weir crest, respectively.

2.4. Dimensional Analysis

The dimensional investigation approach is utilized to recognize the valuable parameter combinations, which requires dimensional consistency in the condition governing the process of interest. Nonetheless, the necessity for the dimensional consistency applies to conditions that have measurements in each term, it is constantly applied in manners that convert all the terms to dimensionless gatherings. A fundamental physical quantity is the combination of length, mass, and time (meant L, M, and T, separately). The Buckingham pi hypothesis is applied to provide the combinations between N amounts with M measurements. This hypothesis orchestrates the amounts as N-M free dimensionless boundaries. Thusly, the useful connection must exist, [20].

Table 1 The Dimensional Analysis Approach

Dependable Variables	Free Variables								Other Variables	
	K ₁	K ₂	K ₃	K ₄	K ₅	K ₆	K ₇	K ₈	K ₉	K ₁₀
Variables	Q	V ₁	L _d	Y _c	Y ₁	Y ₂	L _j	H	Z	G
M	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
L	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
T	-1	-1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-2

$$\pi = \rho_1^{c1}, \rho_2^{c2}, \rho_1^{c3}, \dots, \rho_n^{cn} \tag{2}$$

These parameters contain three main variables such as M, L, and T. If P1 has dimension

$M^{\alpha1}, L^{\beta1}, T^{\gamma1}$, then the dimension of π is as follows:

$$\pi = (M^{\alpha1} L^{\beta1} T^{\gamma1})^{K1}, (M^{\alpha2} L^{\beta2} T^{\gamma2})^{K2}, (M^{\alpha n} L^{\beta n} T^{\gamma n})^{Kn}, \tag{3}$$

For non- dimensional π

$$\alpha_2 K_1 + \alpha_2 K_2 + \dots + \alpha_n K_2 = 0 \tag{4}$$

$$\beta_2 K + \beta_2 K_2 + \dots + \beta_n K_2 = 0 \tag{5}$$

$$\gamma_2 K_1 + \gamma_2 K_2 + \dots + \gamma_n K_2 = 0 \tag{6}$$

Using Buckingham ρi method to analyze the hydraulic parameters involved in a weir structure and hydraulic jump as follows.

q = the flow discharge per unit width

V_1 = the mean velocity of the upstream section

L_d = drop length

y_c = critical depth

y_1 = the initial depth of the jump upstream

y_2 = the sequent depth of the jump downstream

L_j = the length of the hydraulic jump

The formulation based on dimensional analysis

$$\alpha_1 = 0 \tag{7}$$

$$\beta_1 = 2K_1 + K_2 + K_3 + K_4 + K_5 + K_6 + K_7 + K_8 + K_9 + K_{10} \tag{8}$$

$$\gamma_1 = -K_1 - K_2 - K_{10} \tag{9}$$

By elimination of $K_{10} + K_9$

$$2 K_{10} = -K_1 - K$$

$$K_{10} = -0.5 K_1 - 0.5 K_2$$

$$K_9 = -2K_1 - K_2 - K_3 - K_4 - K_5 - K_6 - K_7 - K_8 - (-K_1 - K_2)$$

$$K_9 = -1.5K_1 - K_2 - K_3 - K_4 - K_5 - K_6 - K_7 - K_8 \tag{10}$$

2.5. Applying Langhaar matrix in the above equations

π_1 , Variable had a relationship with K_1, K_9 , and K_{10} , but it had no relationship with K_2, K_4, K_5, K_6, K_7 and K_8 respectively.

The π_2 variable had a relationship with $K_1, K_3, K_4, K_5, K_6, K_7$, and K_8 , respectively.

The π_3 Variable had a relationship with K_3, K_9, K_{10} , but it had no relationship with K_1, K_2, K_4, K_6, K_7 , and K_8 , respectively.

Similarly, variable $\pi_4, \pi_5, \pi_6, \pi_7$, and π_7 had a relationship with K_9 .

The final analyses will be based on Langhaar Matrix which can be summarised by eight-dimensional relationships as follows:

$$\pi_1 = \frac{q^2}{g z^2}, \pi_2 = \frac{V^2}{g z}, \pi_3 = \frac{L_d}{z}, \pi_4 = \frac{y_c}{z}, \pi_5 = \frac{y_1}{z}, \pi_6 = \frac{y_2}{z}, \pi_7 = \frac{L_j}{z}, \text{ and } \pi_8 = \frac{h}{z}$$

Table 2 Matrix formulation for the dimensional analysis

Variables	k_1	k_2	k_3	k_4	k_5	k_6	k_7	k_8	k_9	k_{10}
	q	v_1	L_d	y_c	y_1	y_2	L_j	h	z	g
π_1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	-1.5	-0.5
π_2	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	-0.5	-0.5
π_3	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	-1.0	0
π_4	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	-1.0	0
π_5	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	-1.0	0
π_6	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	-1.0	0
π_7	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	-1.0	0
π_8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	-1.0	0

3. Statistical methodology for calibration and validation of the derived models

During validation, the model configuration was obtained for the calibration and it was used to test for different geometrics and flow conditions looking for a low value for RMSE, the response variable. Similarly, during the calibration half of the experimental data were set to their coefficients, and the remaining set of data was equally be used for

verification purposes. Using about thirty out of the fifty data sets generated in the laboratory-based on regression analysis, regression analysis was applied to the non-linear model to determine the constants. The line of best fit was judged using the Spearman Pearson’s Coefficient of Correlation. The remaining twenty data sets from laboratory experiments were used for verification of the model. Additionally, the lack of the fittest was used also to verify the order of the suggested regression model using the water depth as the response variable. Several statistical indexes were used from the experimental work to evaluate the predictions obtained by numerical models the root mean square error (RMSE) being one of the most widely used for calibration and validation, for the case of water depths in horizontal channels. The RMSE error will be computed using this equation,

$$RMSE = \left[\frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N (Q_i - P_i)^2 \right]^{0.5} \tag{11}$$

Where N is the quantity of information, Q_i is the observed (measured) values of the response variable and P_i is the Predicted value of the answer variable.

3.1. Presentation of experimental data

Table 3 Experimental data for upstream and downstream weirs

1	Upstream of Weir					Upstream Hydraulic Jump		of Downstream Hydraulic Jump		of DDD		
	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13
Flow	Run No.	Z (m)	Y1 (m)	V1 (m/s)	$Q_1 \times 10^{-4}$ (m ³ /s)	Y2 (m)	V2 (m/s)	$Q_2 \times 10^{-4}$ (m ³ /s)	Y3 (m)	V3 (m/s)	$Q_3 \times 10^{-4}$ (m ³ /s)	Dj (mm)
F₁	A01X	0.025	0.047	0.13	4.64	0.007	0.88	4.60	0.030	0.20	4.61	0.50
	B02Y	0.050	0.073	0.08	4.38	0.008	0.73	4.38	0.026	0.23	4.31	0.70
	C03Z	0.075	0.099	0.064	4.76	0.007	0.90	4.67	0.031	0.21	4.73	0.90
F₂	A21X	0.025	0.047	0.13	4.62	0.009	0.69	4.64	0.025	0.25	4.63	0.55
	B22Y	0.050	0.073	0.08	4.73	0.008	0.76	4.60	0.027	0.23	4.65	0.70
	C23Z	0.075	0.099	0.06	4.55	0.009	0.68	4.65	0.024	0.25	4.41	0.90
F₃	A31X	0.025	0.054	0.17	6.89	0.013	0.69	6.72	0.029	0.30	6.52	0.70
	B32Y	0.050	0.081	0.11	6.68	0.013	0.69	6.72	0.029	0.30	6.52	1.35
	C33Z	0.075	0.106	0.09	6.72	0.013	0.69	6.73	0.031	0.30	6.74	1.35
F₄	A41X	0.025	0.053	0.17	6.76	0.013	0.75	7.32	0.033	0.30	7.22	0.70
	B42Y	0.050	0.081	0.11	6.68	0.012	0.81	7.29	0.034	0.28	7.14	1.30
	C43Z	0.075	0.106	0.09	7.16	0.012	0.82	7.38	0.035	0.28	7.35	1.56
F₅	A51X	0.025	0.053	0.17	6.63	0.013	0.89	8.63	0.040	0.29	8.64	0.75
	B52Y	0.050	0.082	0.11	6.76	0.012	0.90	8.10	0.038	0.28	8.20	1.33
	C53Z	0.075	0.105	0.10	8.62	0.012	0.96	8.64	0.041	0.28	8.61	1.55

Table 4 Alternate, conjugate, and critical flow depths measurement

Flow	No of Tablets	Conjugate Depths		Alternate Depths		Critical Depth			
		y_2 (m)	y_3 (m)	y'_2 (m)	y'_3 (m)	y_o (m)	$y_{c,cal}$ (m)	$y_{c,theory}$ (m)	y_c (m)
F_1	1A	0.007	0.030	0.045	0.010	0.022	0.015	0.015	0.016
	2B	0.008	0.026	0.034	0.010	0.023	0.015	0.015	0.016
	3C	0.007	0.031	0.046	0.008	0.024	0.016	0.016	0.016
F_2	1A1	0.009	0.025	0.031	0.011	0.022	0.015	0.018	0.018
	2B1	0.008	0.027	0.036	0.010	0.023	0.015	0.016	0.017
	3C1	0.009	0.024	0.031	0.009	0.024	0.016	0.016	0.016
F_3	1A2	0.013	0.029	0.034	0.015	0.029	0.019	0.020	0.020
	2B2	0.013	0.029	0.034	0.015	0.031	0.021	0.020	0.021
	3C3	0.013	0.031	0.034	0.015	0.031	0.021	0.021	0.021
F_4	1A3	0.013	0.033	0.038	0.015	0.028	0.018	0.020	0.020
	2B3	0.012	0.034	0.042	0.014	0.031	0.021	0.020	0.021
	3C3	0.012	0.035	0.044	0.014	0.051	0.034	0.021	0.021
F_5	1A4	0.013	0.040	0.057	0.014	0.028	0.018	0.019	0.020
	2B4	0.012	0.038	0.051	0.011	0.032	0.021	0.020	0.021
	3C4	0.012	0.041	0.057	0.015	0.030	0.020	0.021	0.021

Table 5 The Energy Head Loss due to the Hydraulic Jump.

Flow	No of Tablets	Experimental work			Predicted Results		
		E_2 (m)	E_3 (m)	ΔE (m)	E'_2 (m)	E'_3 (m)	$\Delta E'$ (m)
F_1	1A5	0.046	0.032	0.013	0.046	0.032	0.013
	2B5	0.035	0.028	0.006	0.035	0.028	0.006
	3C5	0.047	0.032	0.014	0.047	0.032	0.014
F_2	1A6	0.033	0.028	0.005	0.033	0.028	0.005
	2B6	0.038	0.030	0.008	0.038	0.030	0.008
	3C6	0.033	0.027	0.004	0.033	0.027	0.004
F_3	1A7	0.037	0.034	0.003	0.037	0.034	0.003
	2B7	0.037	0.034	0.003	0.037	0.034	0.003
	3C7	0.040	0.036	0.004	0.040	0.036	0.004
F_4	1A8	0.042	0.034	0.004	0.042	0.034	0.004
	2B8	0.045	0.038	0.007	0.045	0.038	0.007
	3C8	0.045	0.038	0.007	0.045	0.038	0.007
F_5	1A9	0.052	0.044	0.009	0.052	0.044	0.009
	2B9	0.053	0.042	0.010	0.053	0.042	0.010
	3B10	0.059	0.045	0.012	0.059	0.045	0.012

4. Results and discussion

4.1. The relationship between sequent depth ratio and velocity ratio

From the experimental work and theoretical analyses carried out, and the results presented from Table 3 to 6: There was continuity of flow in the open channel. Also, the distance between the weir and the jump (D_j) is directly proportional to the discharge rate of weir overflow and weir height (Z). Similarly, the upstream of the weir, the Froude numbers range from 0.09 to 0.24 ($0.09 < Fr_3 < 0.24$), showing that the flows are subcritical. At the pre-hydraulic jump section, the Froude numbers range from 1.90 to 4.10 ($1.90 < Fr_1 < 4.10$), which indicates that the flow conditions are supercritical and the jumps vary from weak to oscillating. The Froude numbers obtained from the post-hydraulic jump section of the range 0.33 to 0.56 ($0.3 < Fr_2 < 0.56$), also reveal that the flows are subcritical.

Table 6 The range of the Froude boundary conditions

Flow	No of Tablets	F_{r1}	F_{r2}	F_{r3}	$\frac{y_3}{y_2}$	$\frac{v_2}{v_3}$	Boundaries	
F_1	1	0.19	3.34	0.38	4.26	4.26	$F_r > 1$ Supercritical	$F_r = 1-1.7$ undular jump
	2	0.09	2.61	0.45	3.22	3.22		
	3	0.065	3.43	0.38	4.42	4.33	Flow	
F_2	1	0.23	2.31	0.49	2.81	2.81	$F_r = 1$	$F_r = 1.7-2.5$ weak jump
	2	0.09	2.75	0.45	3.40	3.40	Critical	
	3	0.07	2.29	0.52	2.66	2.66	Flow	
F_3	1	0.23	1.93	0.56	2.23	2.23	$F_r < 1$	$F_r = 2.5-4.5$ oscillating jump
	2	0.12	1.93	0.56	2.23	2.23	Subcritical	
	3	0.09	2.04	0.54	2.38	2.38	Flow	
F_4	1	0.23	2.10	0.53	2.56	2.56		$F_r = 4.5-9.0$ steady jump
	2	0.12	2.36	0.48	2.83	2.83		
	3	0.09	2.39	0.48	2.92	2.92		
F_5	1	0.23	2.48	0.48	3.04	3.04		$F_r > 9.0$ Strong jump
	2	0.12	2.62	0.46	3.16	3.16		
	3	0.09	2.80	0.44	3.41	3.41		

This clearly, demonstrates that for a hydraulic jump to occurs in an open channel only when a flowing liquid transit from unstable, supercritical, or rapid flow to stable, subcritical or tranquil flow. The inflow Froude number Fr of a hydraulic jump is proportional to the sequent depth ratio as well as post and pre-hydraulic jump sections of pre and post-hydraulic jump sections, irrespective of what causes the jump. Table 6 benchmarked the relationship between sequent depth ratio and velocity ratio as $\frac{y_3}{y_2} = \frac{v_2}{v_3} = -0.5024 + 1.485 F_{r2}$ with $R^2 = 0.9957$.

4.2. The Effect of Length of jump against Depth of flow

Table 6 compares the Froude numbers obtained, at the upstream of the weir, the Froude numbers range from 0.09 to 0.23 ($0.09 < Fr_1 < 0.23$), showing that the flows are subcritical. At the pre-hydraulic jump section, the Froude numbers range from 1.93 to 3.34 ($1.93 < Fr_2 < 3.34$), showing that the flows there are supercritical and the jumps vary from weak to oscillating. The Froude numbers obtained from the post-hydraulic jump section range from 0.38 to 0.56 ($0.38 < Fr_3 < 0.56$), also showing that the flows are subcritical. This proves that hydraulic jump occurs in an open channel when a flowing liquid transits from unstable, supercritical, or rapid flow to stable, subcritical, or tranquil one.

4.3. Influence of weir drop height on the slope of the channel

Similarly, for the predicted sequent depth ratio (D) values are plotted against the observed ones. These are shown in Figures 6 to 20. Similarly, from the graphs and tables, its performance of the prediction equation can be taken as quite satisfactory. From the plotted graphs, it demonstrates that for weir drop height, $\Delta z = 4.5$ cm, predicted sequent depth

(D) slightly differs from the observed D. for $\Delta z = 6$ cm, the equation slightly overestimates the sequent depth ratio. This may be the cause of a slight mismatch of results with the experimental data. More so, the weir drop height, $\Delta z = 2$ cm predicted value of D matches with the observed values in a satisfactory manner. However, for these cases plotted points lie above and below the line of perfect agreement acceptably. Similarly, for all weir drop heights with different channel slopes, the percentage deviation varies from the actual data varies from -30.00% to $+30.00\%$, as shown from Figures 6 to 20 respectively.

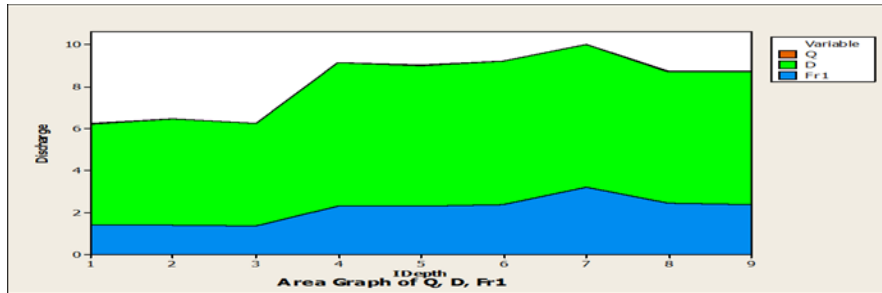


Figure 6 Comparison between predicted D and observed D with drop height, Δz 4.5 cm; (a) Slope = 0.000

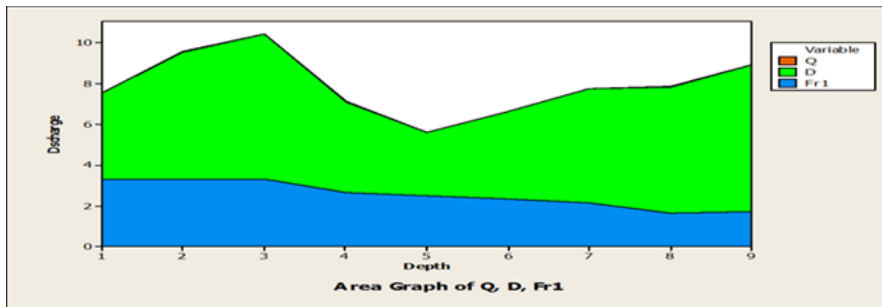


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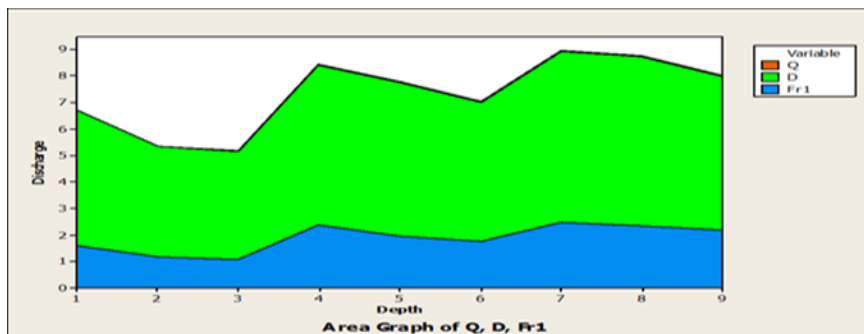


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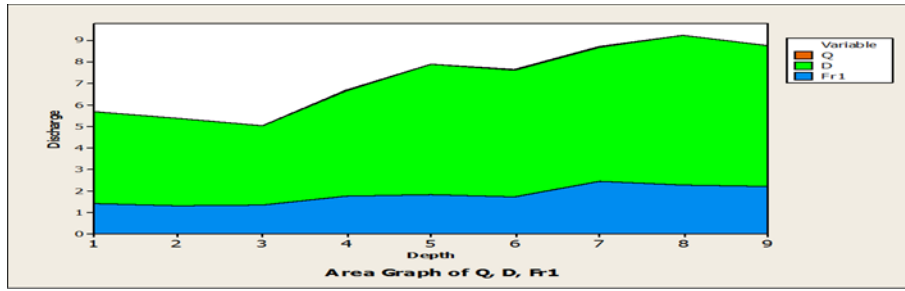


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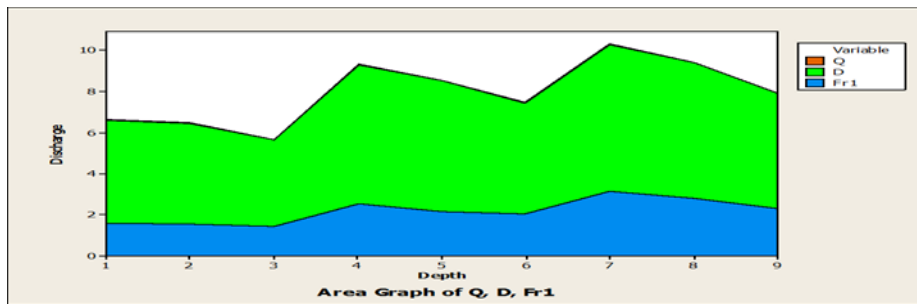


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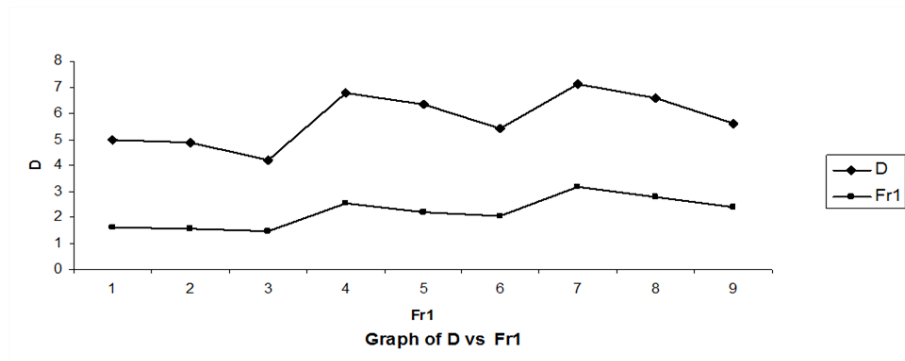


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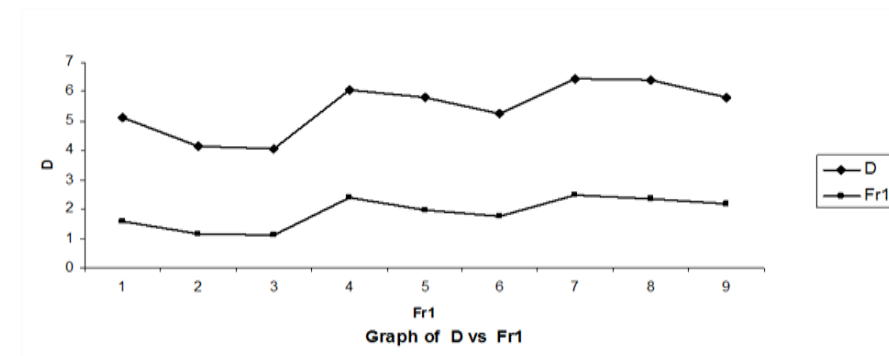


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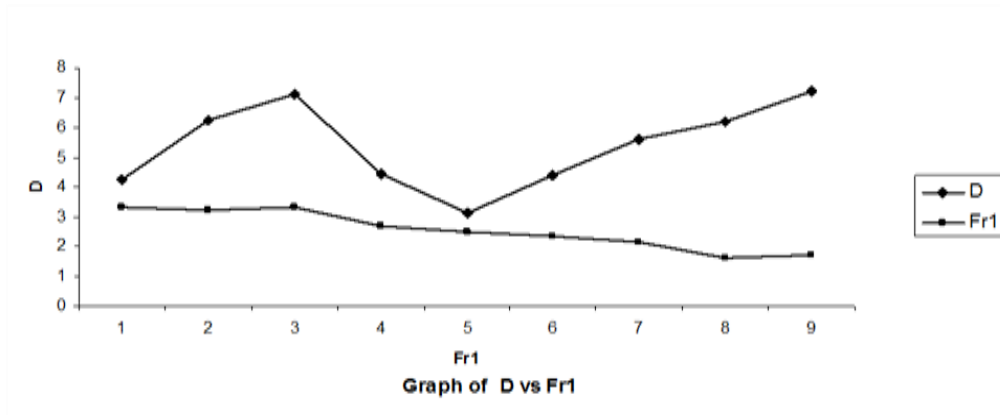


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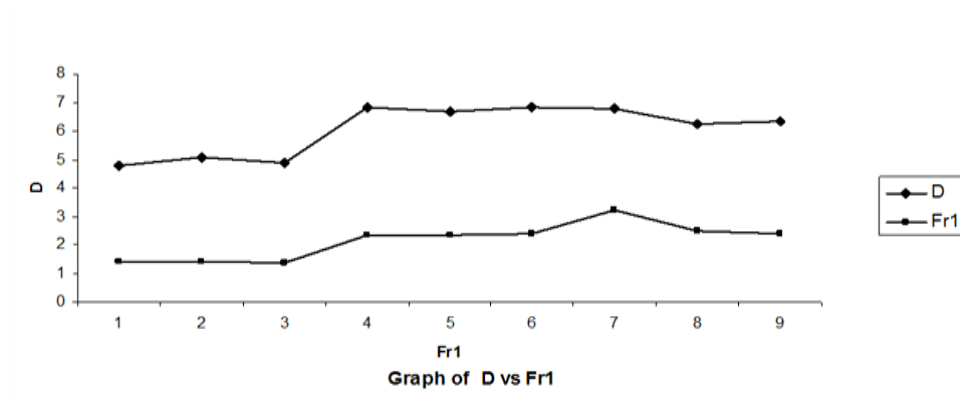


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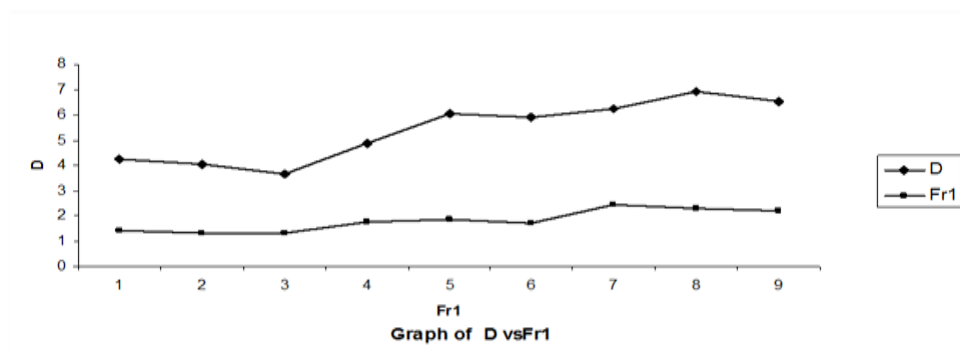


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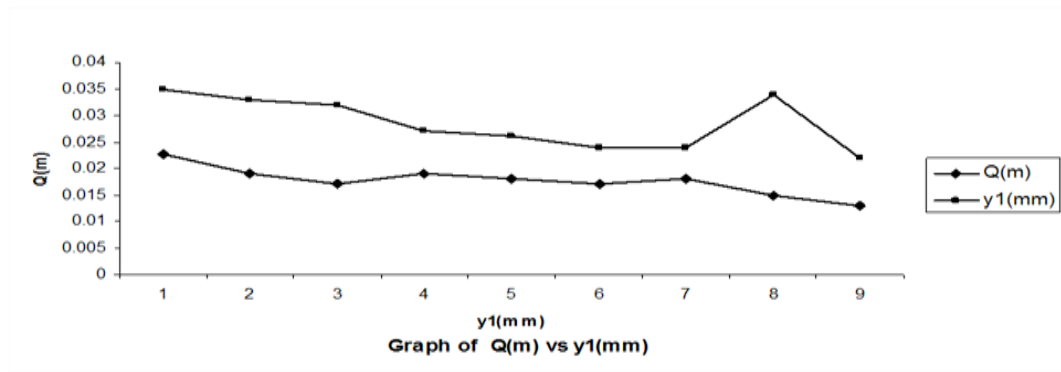


Figure 16 Comparison between predicted D and observed D with drop height, $\Delta z = 4.5$ cm; (a) Slope = 0.000

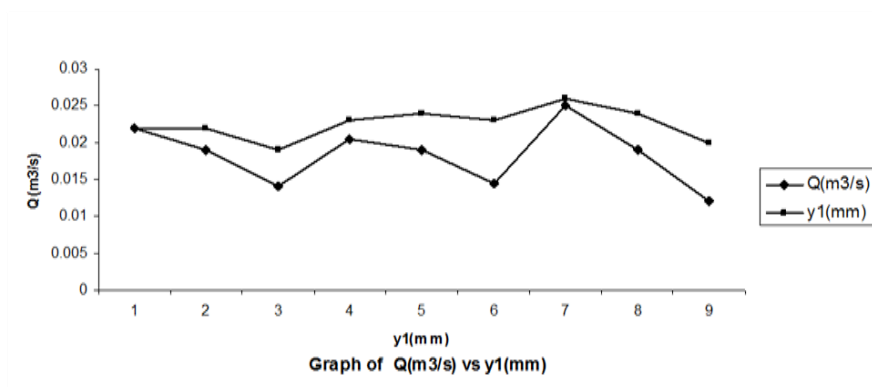


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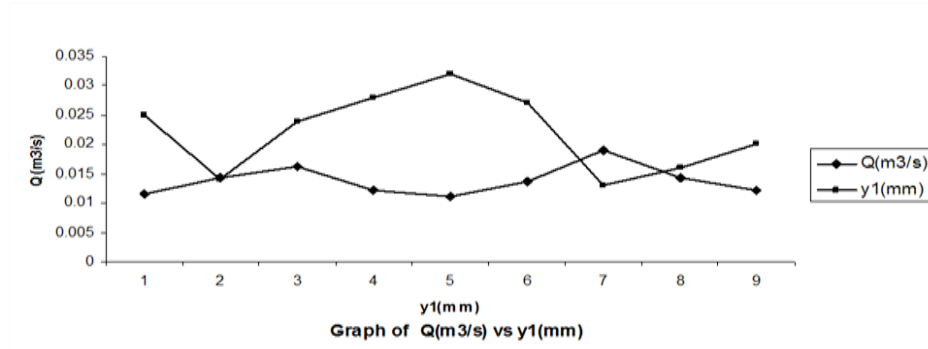


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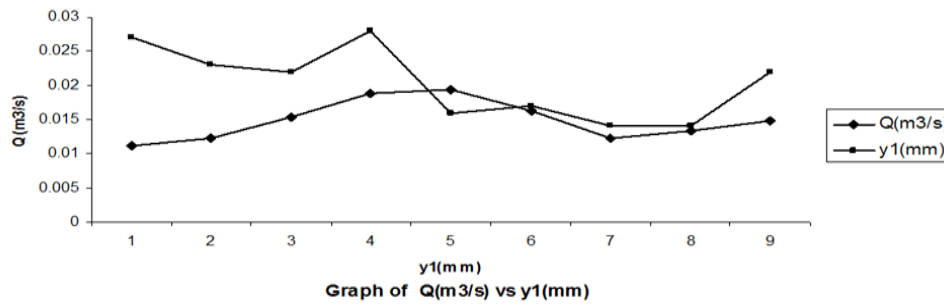


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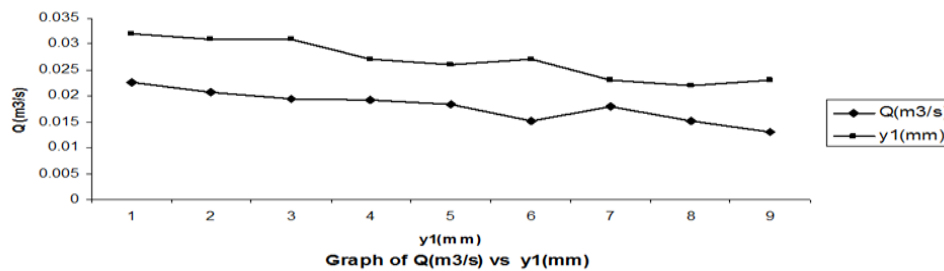


Figure 20 Comparison between observed D with weir drop height, Δz

5. Conclusion

We carried out a series of hydraulic experiments in a variable slope open channel hydraulic (VSOCH) from the Civil Engineering Department of Water and hydraulics laboratory of the Cross River University of Technology in Calabar, to propose an improved condition to decide the water-powered bounce length of various water streams with a discretionary increment and abatement, a movable entryway opening and slants. The current work additionally shows $R^2 = 0.9997$, The outcomes exhibit that the two conditions are energetically prescribed to assess L in rectangular open direct hydraulic jump as appeared in Figure 5 and the proposed design in Figure 2. Following the laboratory experimental work, theoretical framework and analyses carried out in the open flow channel modeling of the hydraulic jump the conclusions were drowned as follows: From the viewpoint of the weir, the energy loss due to the hydraulic jump range between 0.013 -0.020. Similarly, the upstream of the weir, the Froude numbers between the range of 0.068 to 0.090 ($0.068 < Fr_1 < 0.09$), indicating that the flows were subcritical. The Froude numbers from the post-hydraulic jump section between 0.37 - 0.41 ($0.37 < Fr_3 < 0.41$), also indicating that the flows are subcritical. The Froude numbers from the post-hydraulic jump section within 0.37 to 0.41 ($0.37 < Fr_3 < 0.41$), this shows that the flows are subcritical. The relationship between sequent depth ratio y_3/y_2 and velocity ratio v_2/v_3 is approximately $-5024 + 1.485 Fr_2$ with $R^2 = 0.9957$ indicating that as the sequent depth ratio and velocity ratio increases the inflow Froude number Fr_2 also increases. Accordingly, the level-bedded constricted flume, the energy loss due to hydraulic jump ranged from -0.001 to 0.001 which shows some energy gain with an increase in the rate of discharge through the flume. The upstream of the flume, the Froude numbers range from 0.038 to 0.052 ($0.038 < Fr_1 < 0.52$), showing that the flows were subcritical. From the experiment, theory, and analyses done, the following conclusions are obtained. There was continuity of flow in the open channel. Also, the distance between the weir and jump (d_j) is proportional to the discharge rate of weir overflow and weir height (Z). The energy loss range due to the hydraulic jump is 0.003-0.028. Upstream of the weir, the Froude numbers range from 0.09 to 0.24 ($0.09 < Fr_3 < 0.24$), showing that the flows are subcritical. At the pre-hydraulic jump section, the Froude numbers range from 1.90 to 4.10 ($1.90 < Fr_1 < 4.10$), showing that the flows there are supercritical and the jumps vary from weak to oscillating. The Froude numbers obtained from the post-hydraulic jump section range from 0.33 to 0.56 ($0.3 < Fr_2 < 0.56$), also showing that the flows are subcritical. This proves that hydraulic jump occurs in an open channel only when a flowing liquid transit from unstable, supercritical, or rapid flow to stable, subcritical or tranquil flow. The inflow Froude number F_r of a hydraulic jump is proportional to the sequent depth ratio of the post and pre-hydraulic jump sections or velocity of ratio pre and post-hydraulic jump sections, irrespective of what causes the jump.

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