



Arc Hydro Tech Update

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Arc Hydro Tech Update

- **What IS Arc Hydro**
- **What's new with Arc Hydro**
- **Arc Hydro in ArcGIS Pro**
- **Arc Hydro-based services**
- **Stormwater capabilities**
- **Floodplain delineation and model integration**

Arc Hydro Whirlwind Tour

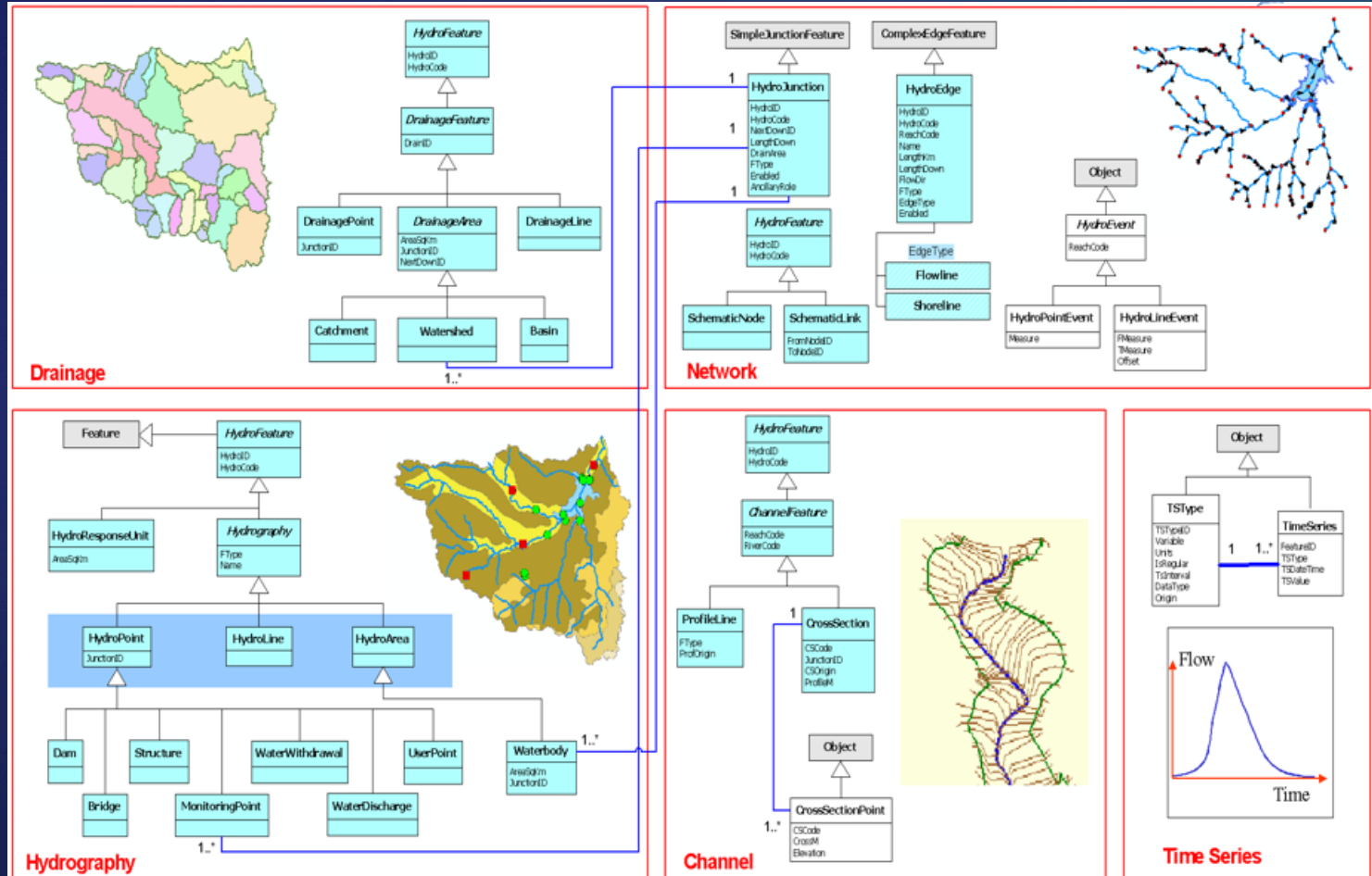
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What is Arc Hydro

- **Implementation of ArcGIS platform in water resources domain with focus on analytical capabilities**
- **Components:**
 - **Data model**
 - **Data**
 - **Tools**
 - **Services**
 - **Workflows**
 - **Best practices – building analytical systems**
- **Distribution – free (except premium services)**
- **Maintenance – 10.3.1, 10.4.1, 10.5.1, 10.6, ArcGIS Pro**
 - **Legacy – from 8.3 on**

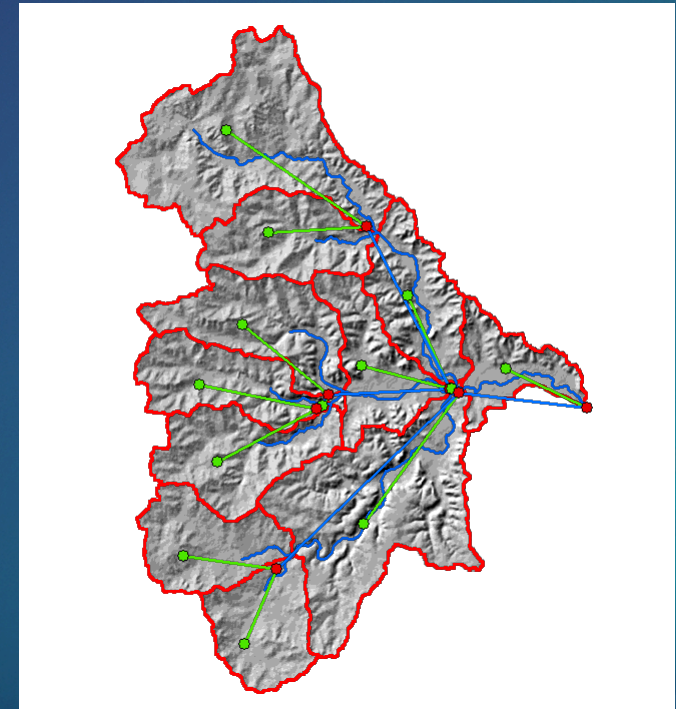
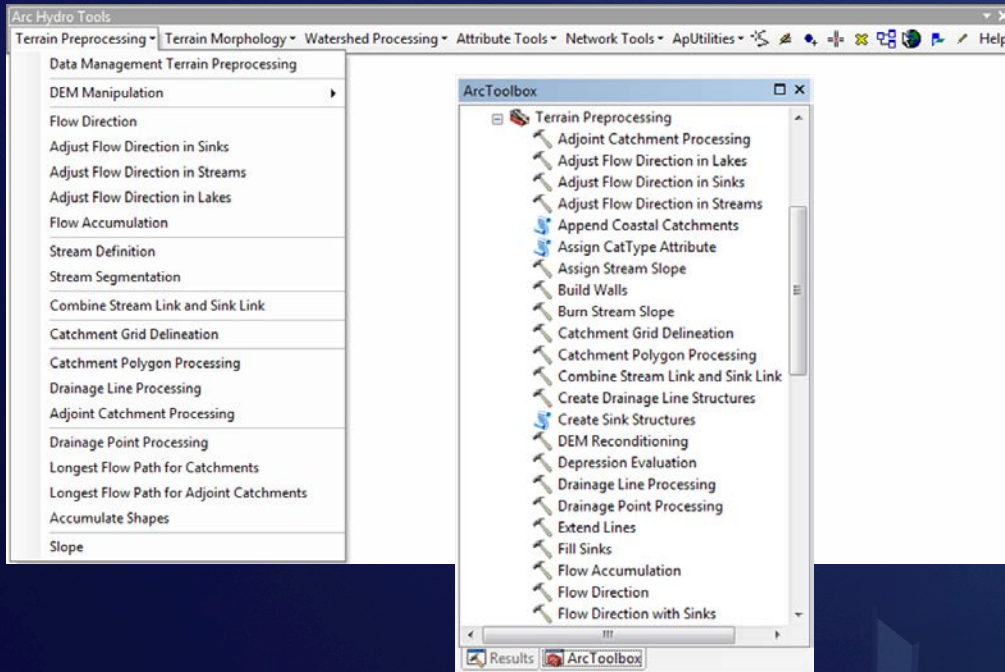
Data model

- **Simplicity**
 - Unique identifiers
 - Geometric network
 - Relationships
- **Stability**
- **Extensibility**
- **Needs driven**
 - Tools
 - User needs



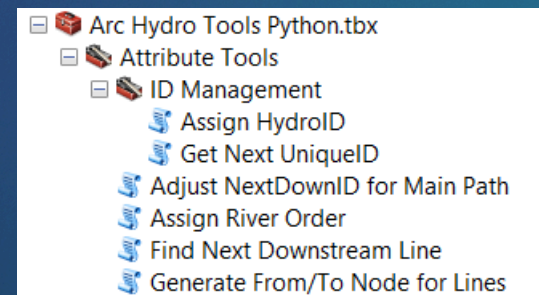
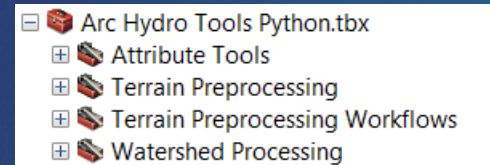
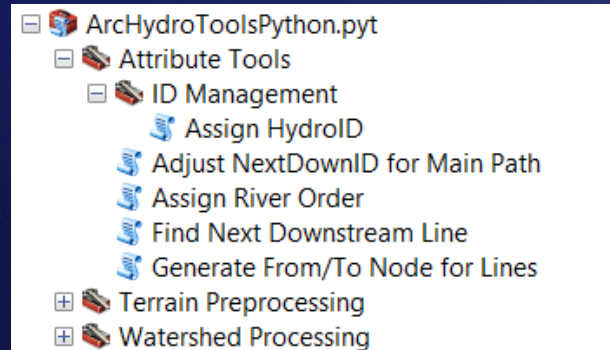
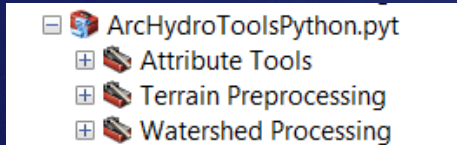
Tools

- 300+ tools developed over many years (>15)
 - Community driven development (projects)
 - Esri maintenance & support
- Build foundation for analytical capabilities
- New tools for flood modeling



Tools

- Move to Python (.pyt, py + tbx)
 - Openness
 - Move forward (Pro)
 - Ease of dissemination (*)



Tools

- **Modularization – blocks of functionality grouped into single collection**
 - Terrain preprocessing for watershed delineation and characterization
 - Flood analyses and visualization
- **Automated testing**
 - Functionality/upgrades
 - Scalability

No	Tool	Execution	Comparison	CPU (s)
1	FlowDirection 1	Pass	Pass	67.6
2	FlowAccumulation 1	Pass	Pass	86.3
3	Stream definition	Pass	Fail	128.3
4	Stream segmentation	Pass	Pass	63.9
5	CatchmentGridDelineation	Pass	Pass	48.0
6	DrainageLineProcessing	Pass	Pass	105.3
7	CatchmentPolygonProcessing	Pass	Pass	63.7
8	AdjointCatchmentProcessing	Pass	Fail	224.1
9	DrainageLineProcessing	Pass	Pass	90.1
10	AppendCoastalCatchments	Pass	Fail	120.0

Arc Hydro in ArcPro

- Taking it easy 😊
 - Key capabilities in Pro evolving (networks)
- Move of key functions from .net to Python as gp tools
 - A toolbox in Pro
 - 2.* vs. 3.* Python issues
- Arc Hydro Pro “ribbon”
 - Early discussions

- Open to suggestions !!!

Interacting with user community


- **User interaction – sharing experiences, techniques, best practices**
 - **GeoNet**
 - **User communication**
 - **Communication with users**
- **Tool/code/documentation dissemination**
 - **Transition from ftp to:**
 - **GitHUB**
 - **Scripts**

HEC-GeoRAS and GeoHMS status


- **HEC decided not to support ArcGIS apps in higher versions**
 - Difficulty in keeping up with ArcGIS release cycle (1/2 year)
 - Rolling some functionality into RAS directly
- **Esri is maintaining the code through ArcGIS version releases**
 - Providing latest versions of GeoRAS and GeoHMS (currently through 10.6)
 - Use standard Arc Hydro download sites for latest versions

Services


- Base maps
- Data



World Hydro Reference Overlay
The World Hydro Reference Overlay Map service is designed to be used as a base map by scientists researchers in the fields of Hydrology, Geography, Climate, Soils, and other natural sciences.
Map Image Layer by HydroTeamRC

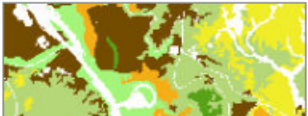


World Hydro Basemap
The World Hydro Basemap is comprised of the World Hydro Reference Overlay and the World Terr
Web Map by HydroTeamRC
Last Modified: April 5, 2016




US Hydro Blue Line for Ortho or Aerial Imagery - Sample
The blueline service is hydrography lines and labels to be overlaid on ortho- or aerial- imagery.
Map Image Layer by MappingCenterTeam
Last Modified: July 10, 2012
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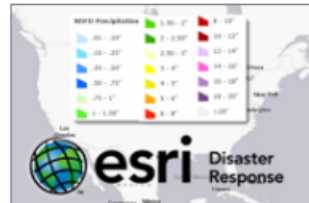
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USA Soil Survey
This map shows the Soil Survey Geographic (SSURGO) by the United States Department of Agric. Resources Conservation Service overlaid with a hydro reference layer.
Web Map by user_community
Last Modified: June 24, 2012



Total Annual Precipitation
Total Annual Precipitation, derived from WoldClim bioclimatic variable BIO12.

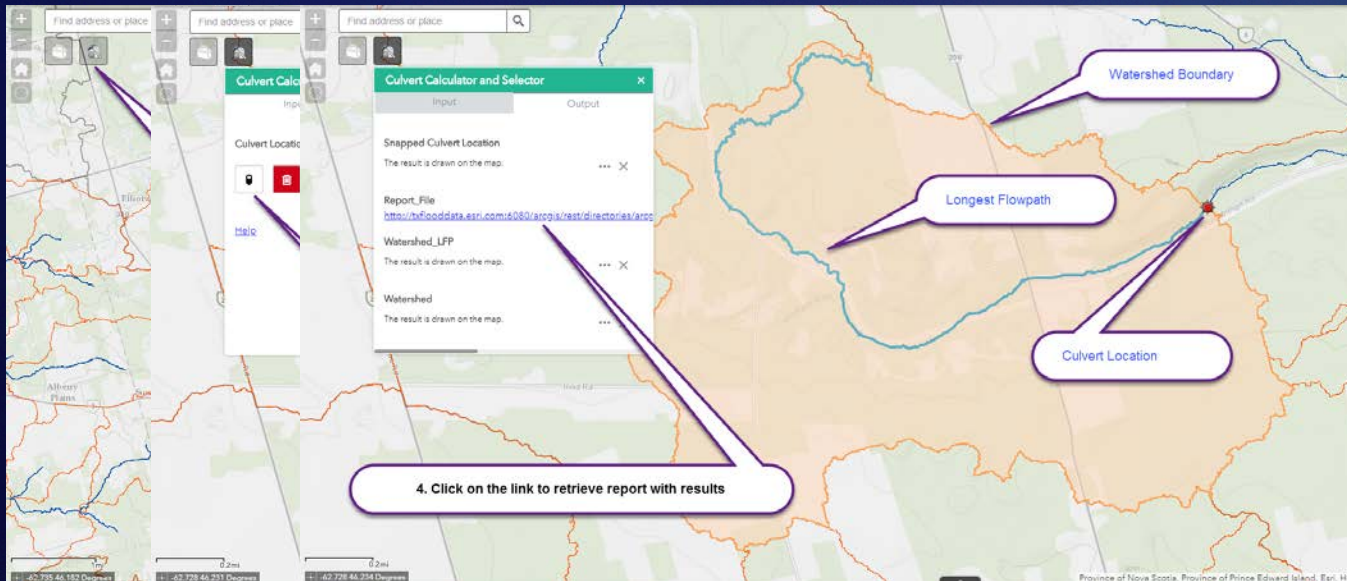


NDFD Precipitation
This feed displays forecast precipitation for the next 72 hours.
Feature Layer by Esri_DisasterResponse_DM
Last Modified: December 29, 2015
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Services/Apps

- Analytical services (global 90m, USA 30m):
 - Watershed delineation (<http://hydrology.esri.com/>)
 - Downstream tracing
 - BYO – leverage existing or develop yours
 - PEI Culvert Calculator (WAB)
 - (NHD LR)



Culvert Calculation Results

Date and Time Prepared: 6/7/2018 11:59:06 AM

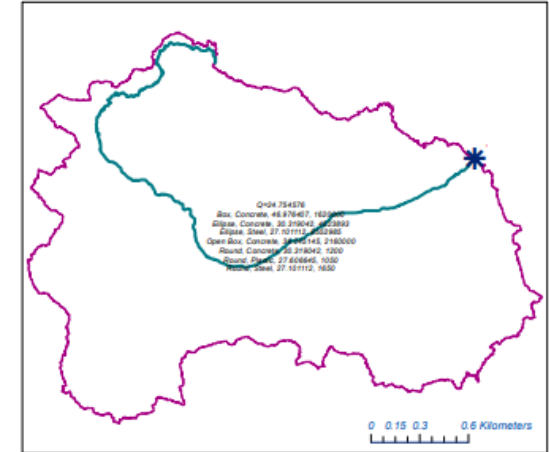
Provincial Property Number: 479642

Community: HEAD OF CARDIGAN

Location:

Latitude: 46.238545

Longitude: -62.672400



Catchment Data:

Land catchment area: $A = 4.752549$ sqkm

Distance from most remote point to structure: $Dist = 4781.26$ m

Elevation difference from most remote point to structure: $Dh = 19.13$ m

Time of concentration (Kirpich formula): $tc = 100.016929$ min

Runoff coefficient: $C = 0.5$

Intensity (from climate change adjusted IDF): $i(100) = 37.47$ mm/hr

Weather Station utilized: Charlottetown

Calculated Flow Rate (Rational formula): $Q = 24.755$ m³/s

Structure Options*:

Round Culvert

Corrugated metal: minimum 1650.0 mm diameter

Concrete: minimum 1200.0 mm diameter

Plastic: minimum 1050.0 mm diameter

Box Culvert (closed bottom)

Concrete: minimum 1620000 mm² cross-sectional area

Box Culvert (open bottom)

Concrete: minimum 2160000 mm² cross-sectional area

Ellipse

Corrugated Metal: minimum 8552985 mm² cross-sectional area

Concrete: minimum 4523893 mm² cross-sectional area

* Structure must be installed at a slope of 0.5% or less.

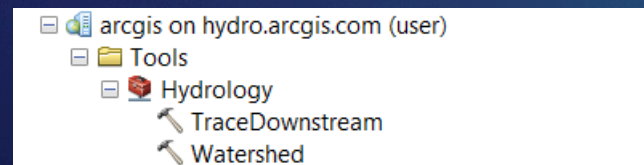
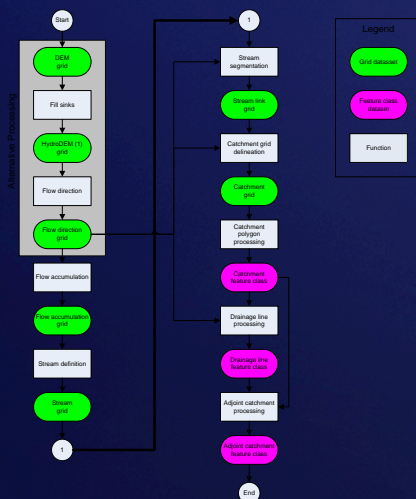
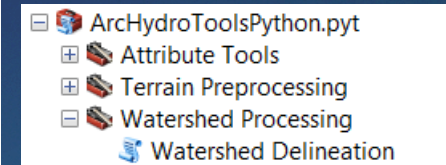
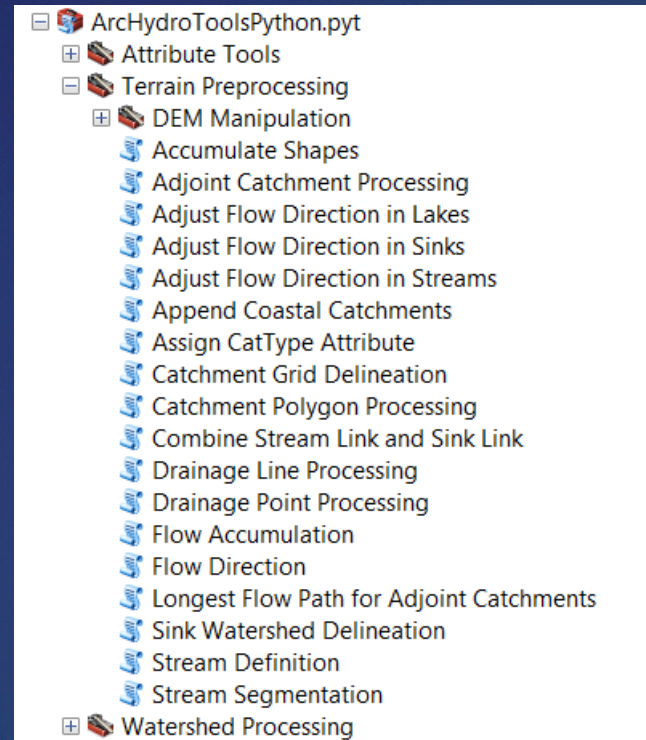
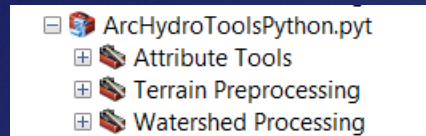
Culverts must be installed either by a licensed contractor or under a valid Watercourse and Wetland Activity Permit. Culverts installed as per permit conditions and licensed contractor standards is not a guarantee against failure due to weather events or any other cause.

Functional blocks

- **Focused:**
 - **Tools**
 - **Workflows**
 - **Services**
- **Areas:**
 - **Terrain processing for watershed delineation and characterization**
 - Support for global services
 - Use for local higher resolution terrains
 - **Stormwater**
 - **Data processing**
 - **Watershed delineation**
 - **Flood analyses and visualization**
 - **Planning**
 - **Forecasting**

Terrain processing for watershed delineation and characterization

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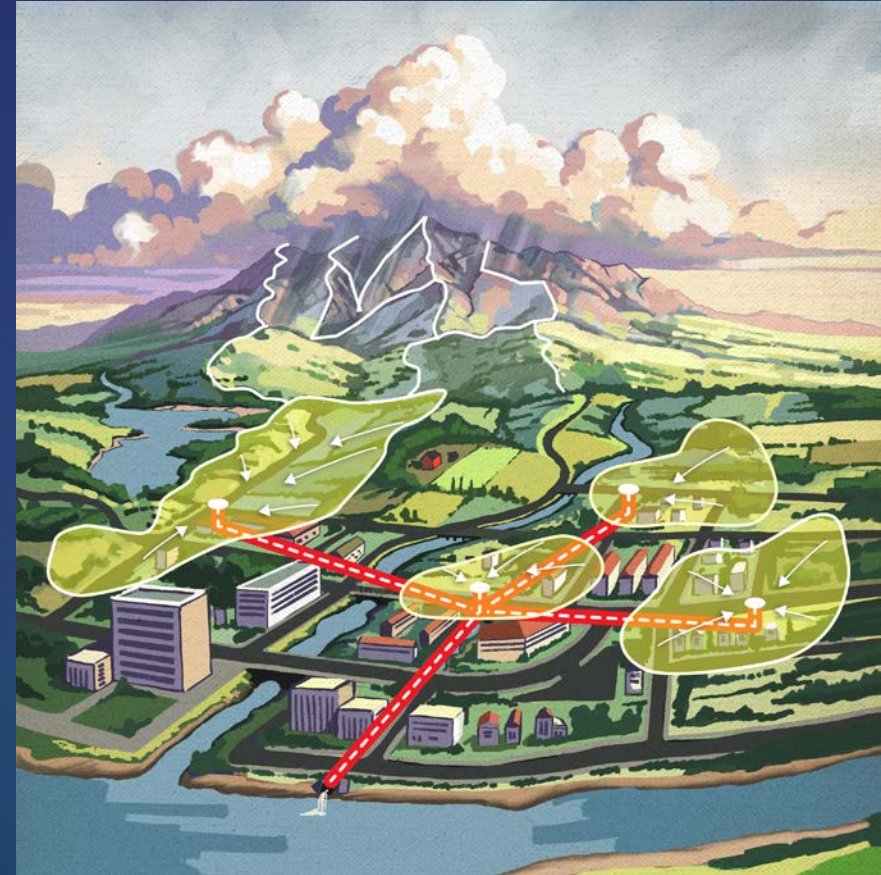


Stormwater

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Stormwater Concepts

- Two “systems” in play:
 - Collection system – takes overland flow and places it into the conveyance system.
 - Conveyance system – takes the collected water and moves it through
- These systems interact through open channels and inlets.
 - Overland flow does NOT interact with pipes directly



Stormwater Concepts

- Database design
- Data processing workflows
 - Data driven!
- Terrain preprocessing tools (standard Arc Hydro)

Data processing workflows

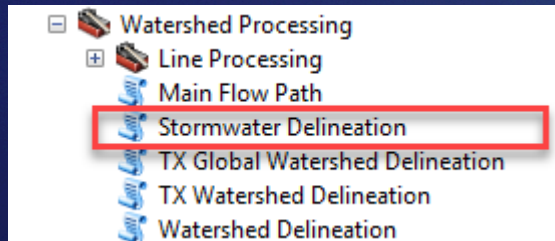
- Once data roles are defined, the data development process is (fairly) well defined:

Step	Tool	Objective
1	Create Drainage Line Structures	Create rasterized vector representation of the input streams as Drainage Line features.
2	DEM Reconditioning from Stream Grid	Burn the stream grid generated in step 1 in the DEM to enforce the location of the streams and force water near the streams to flow toward the closest stream.
3	Create Sink Structures	Create Sink Points and Polygons associated to draft sink poly (structure inlets and sinks created at end of DrainageLine).
4	Level DEM	Level DEM within terrain and structure sink polygons using the lowest elevation along the sink polygon boundary – 10000 offset.
5	Fill Sinks	Fill the DEM at all locations except within the sink polygons (both terrain and structure).
6	Flow Direction	Generate flow direction grid.
7	Adjust Flow Direction in Sinks	Modify flow direction within sink polygons so that water flows toward the sink point in the sink polygon.
8	Adjust Flow Direction in Stream	Modify flow direction in the streams so that the water flows in the digitized direction along the streams.

Step	Tool	Objective
9	Combine Stream Link and Sink Link	Combine link grids generated from the streams and from the sinks.
10	Catchment Grid Delineation	Delineate catchments for each link.
11	Catchment Polygon Processing	Convert catchment grid to vector.
12	Adjoint Catchment Processing	Generate Adjoint Catchment associated to each input Catchment and set the connectivity between Catchments.
13	Sink Watershed Delineation	Delineate watershed associated to terrain sinks.
14	Link Sink Watershed to HydroJunction	Create and populate JunctionID in SinkWatersheds with HydroID of associated HydroJunction. Create relationship.
15	Create Stormwater Network	Create geometric network from HydroJunction, Pipe and Stream layers and set flow direction in digitized direction.
16	Flow Accumulation	Create Flow Accumulation to support next step, Create Snap Data.
17	Create Snap Data	Create snap raster to support snapping when delineating.

Stormwater delineation

- New Arc Hydro gp tool to capture different options in contributing area determination
 - Single point
 - Multiple points



A screenshot of the 'Stormwater Delineation' tool dialog box. The dialog is titled 'Stormwater Delineation' and contains the following fields and options:

- Input Batch Point:** StormwaterDelineation::Input_Batch_Point (selected)
- Snap Distance (optional):** 2
- Input Flow Direction Grid:** fdr
- Input Stream Raster:** strInk
- Input Snap Stream Raster:** strInk
- Input Catchment:** Catchment
- Input Adjoint Catchment:** AdjointCatchment
- Input Pipe Layer:** Pipe
- Input Stream Layer:** Stream
- Input Sink Watershed:** SinkWatershed
- Input Hydro Junction:** HydroJunction
- Output Watershed:** e:\currwork\stormwater\run1\run1.gdb\Layers\Watershed1
- Output Watershed Point:** e:\currwork\stormwater\run1\run1.gdb\Layers\WatershedPoint1
- Use Direct Surface Contribution Only

Buttons at the bottom: OK, Cancel, Environments..., Show Help >>

Stormwater delineation

- **Tool functionality matrix:**

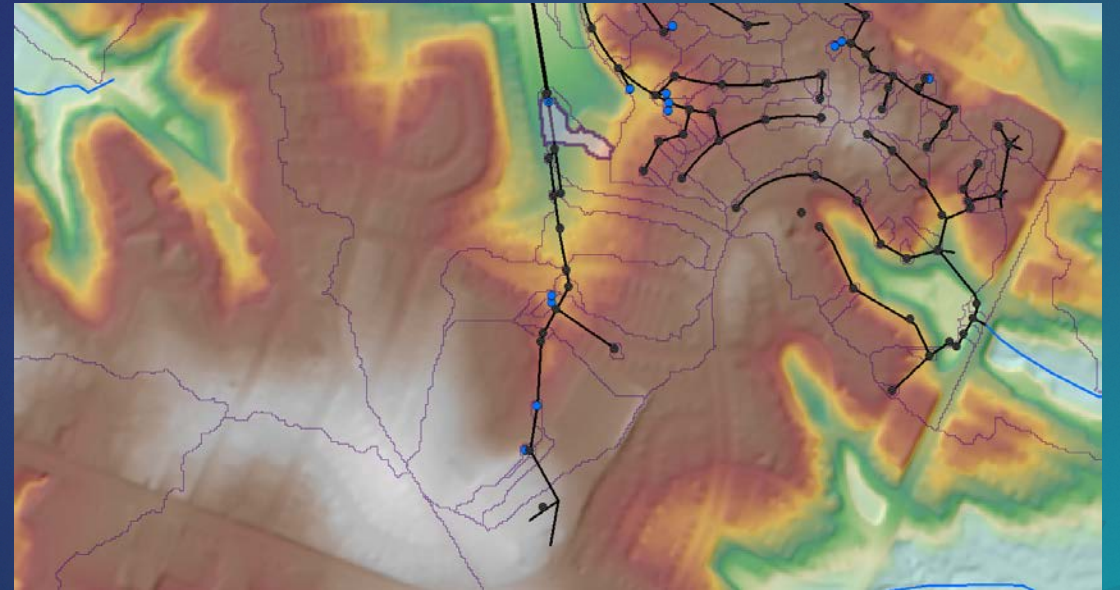
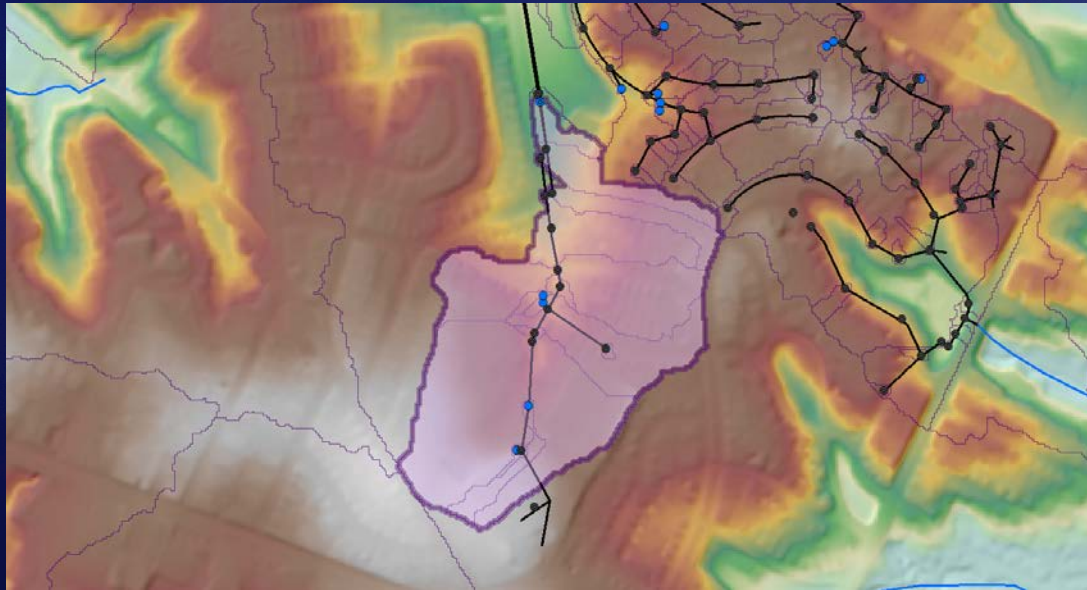
- Where the point is?
- Where the line is?
- Local or global contribution (surface or full conveyance)?

Clicking on	Use Direct Surface Contribution Only: False (Default)	Use Direct Surface Contribution Only: True
Inlet	SinkWatersheds linked to selected + traced upstream HydroJunctions	SinkWatershed related to selected HydroJunction only.
Pipe	SinkWatershed linked to traced upstream HydroJunctions only.	Watershed draining to the surface location.
Stream	Directly connected Surface Area Watershed + SinkWatersheds related to traced upstream HydroJunctions.	Directly connected Surface Area Watershed only.
Land	Directly connected Surface Area Watershed.	Directly connected Surface Area Watershed.

Stormwater delineation - inlet

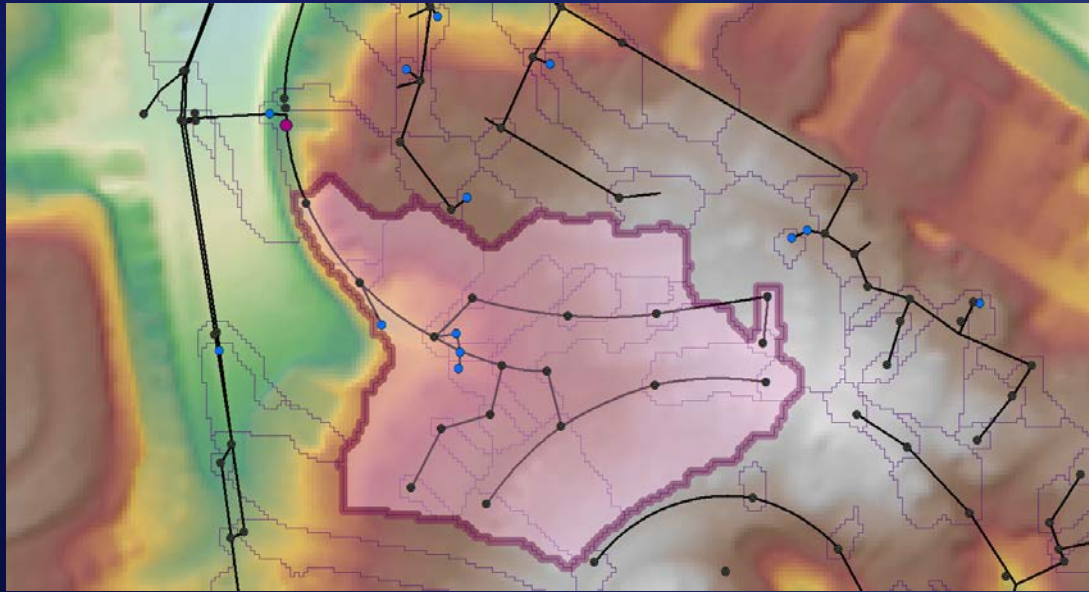
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Local

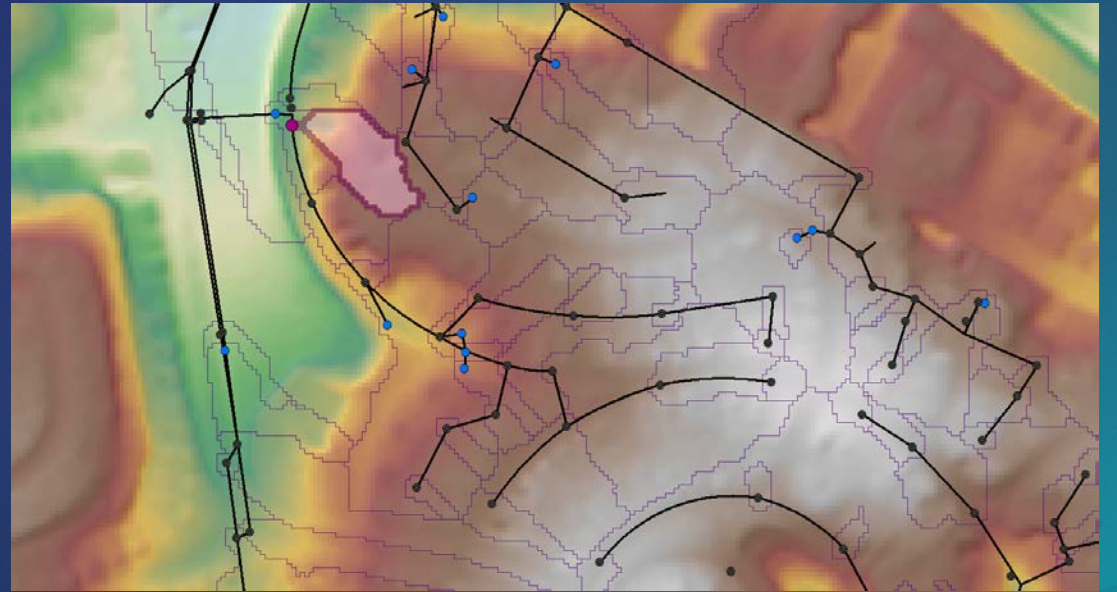


Stormwater delineation - pipe

Global (in the pipe)



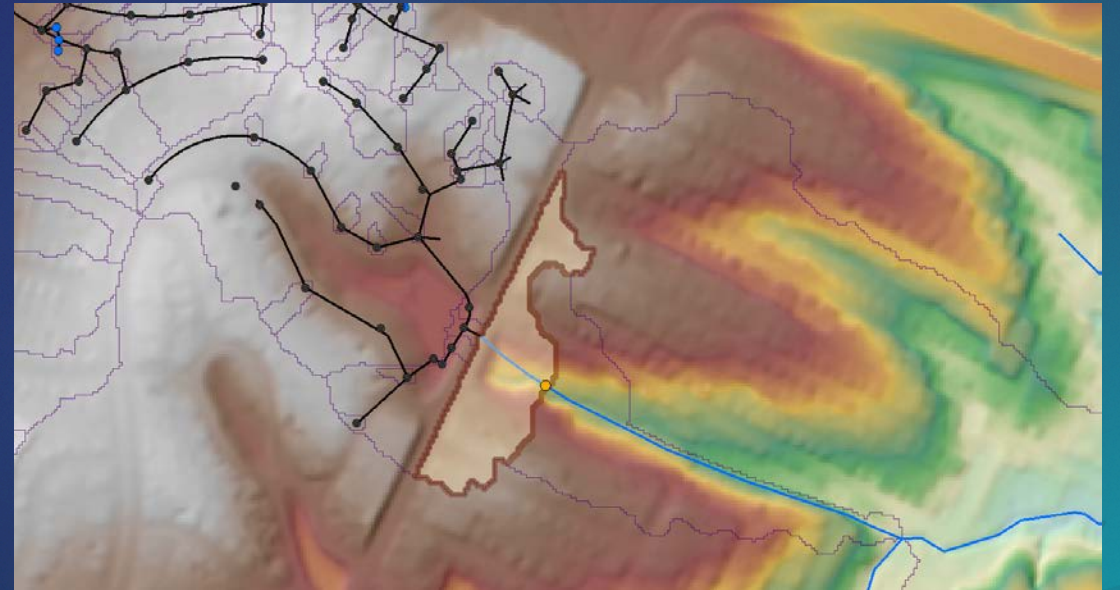
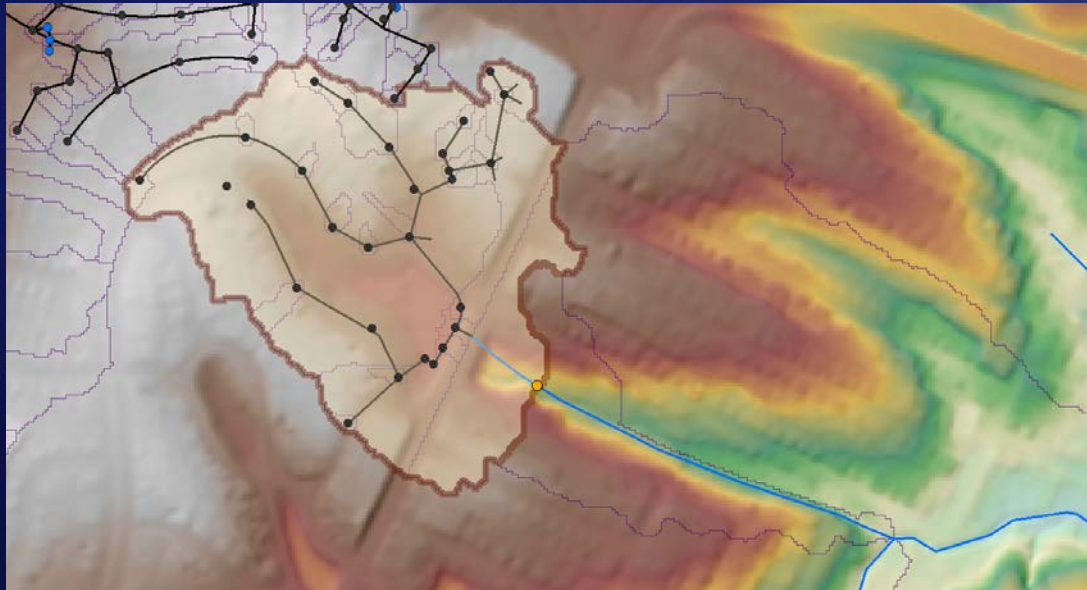
Local (same as land)



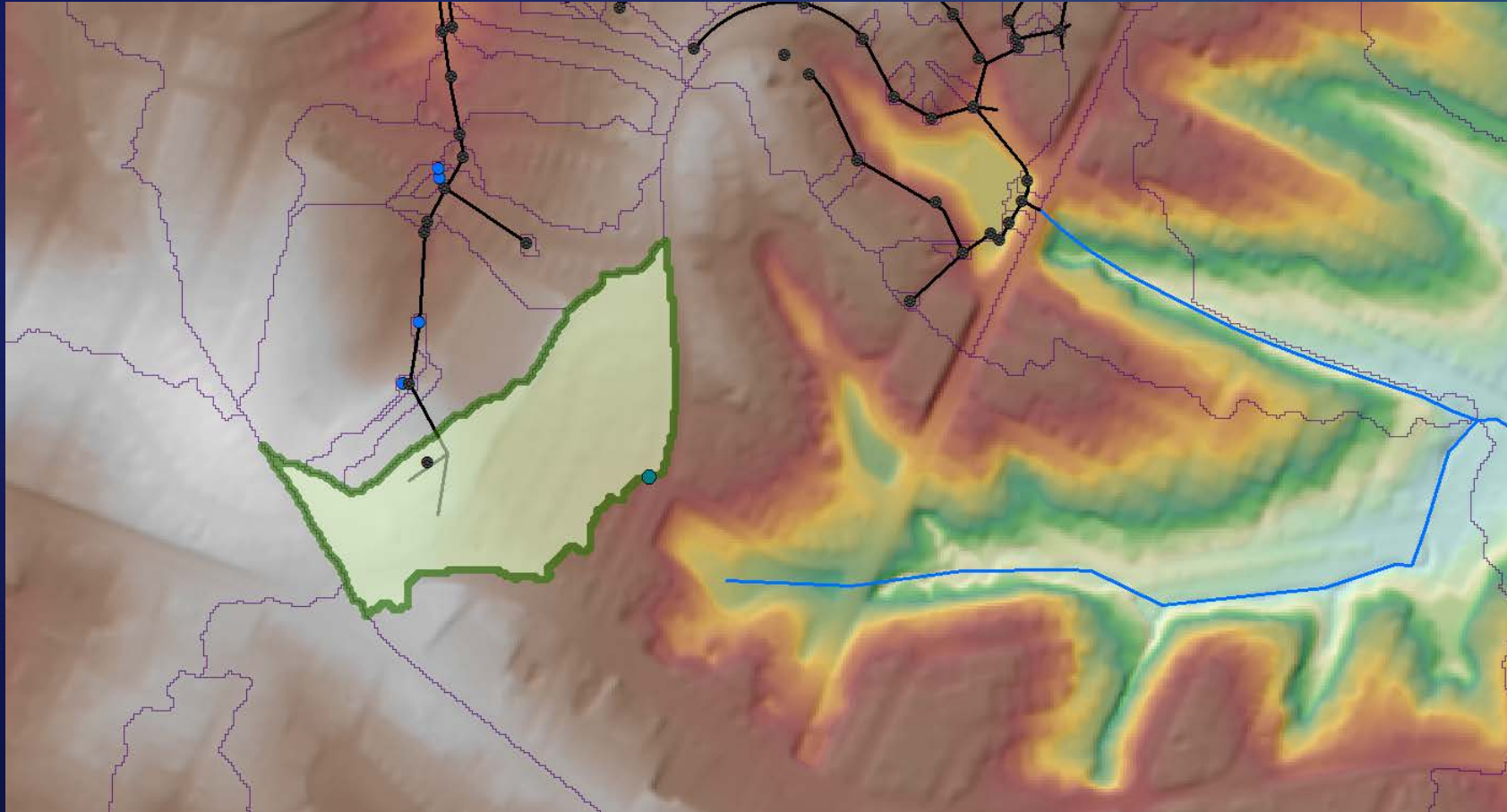
Stormwater delineation - stream

Global

Local

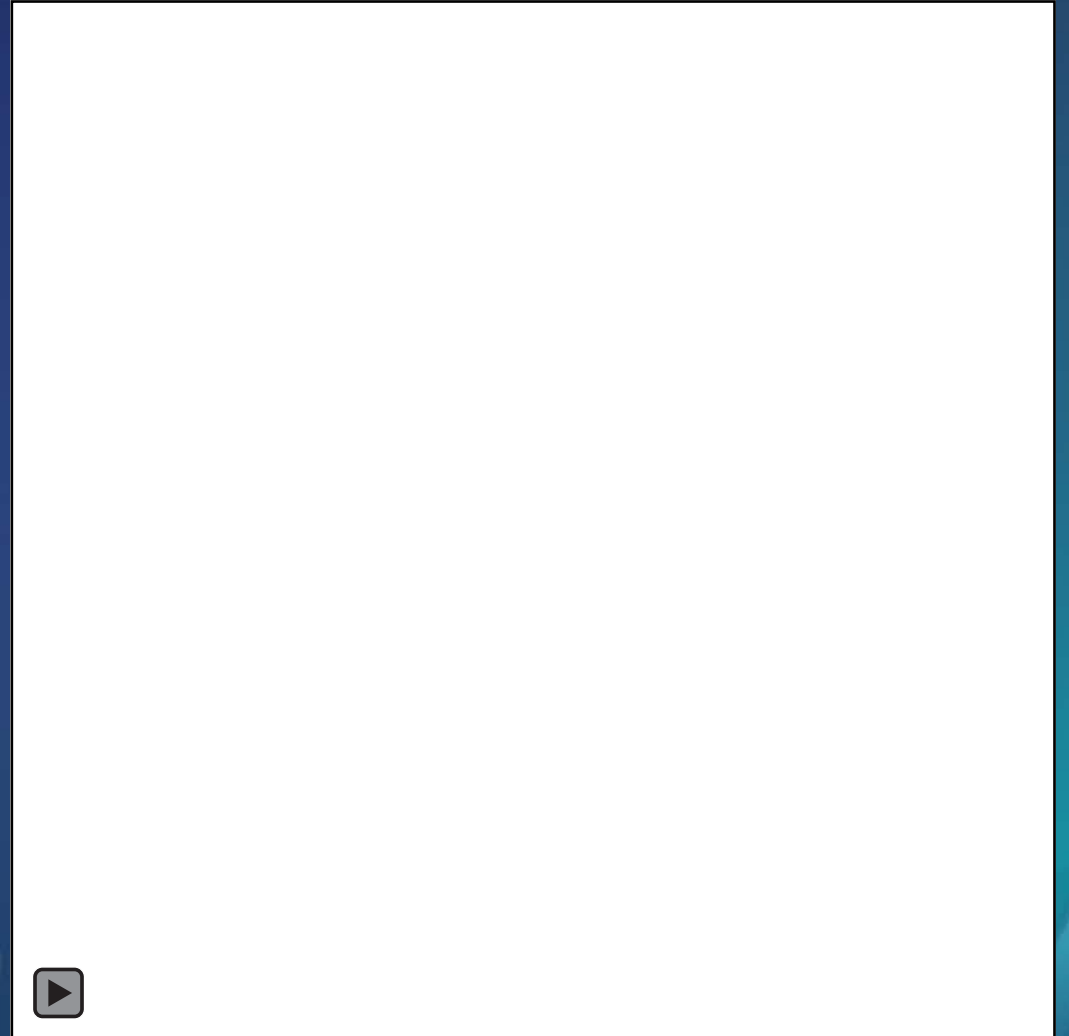


Stormwater delineation - land



But wait, there is more!

- If full solution of flow equations is required, GIS can be used to interface with detailed stormwater H&H models (e.g. ICPR 4).
 - GIS used as pre- and post-processor for the models.
- Design and operational scenarios.



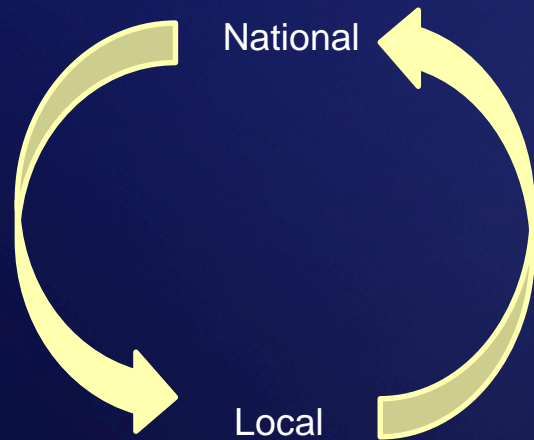
ICPR4 Model: Cross Bayou - Mariners Cove Area
Flood Depth Animation: T.S. Hermine (Aug 31 – Sept 1, 2016)

Floodplain Analyses

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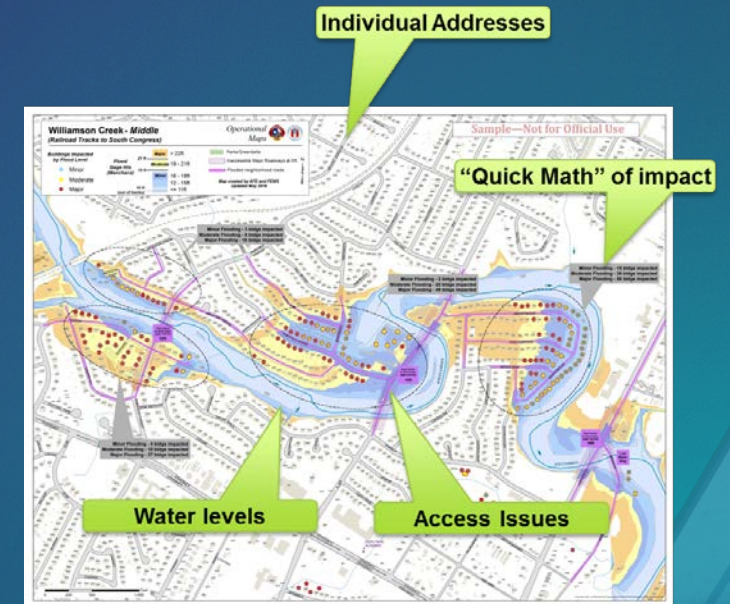
Close the gap between national flood forecasting and local flood emergency response

- Demonstrate forecasting of flood impacts at “stream and street level”
- Develop actionable information products useful for flood planning and response systems



Weather and Hydrology
National Weather Service and federal agencies
National Water Center

River Flooding and Emergency Response
Local, State and Regional Agencies,
Citizens



Flood Impact Forecasting

WHEN:

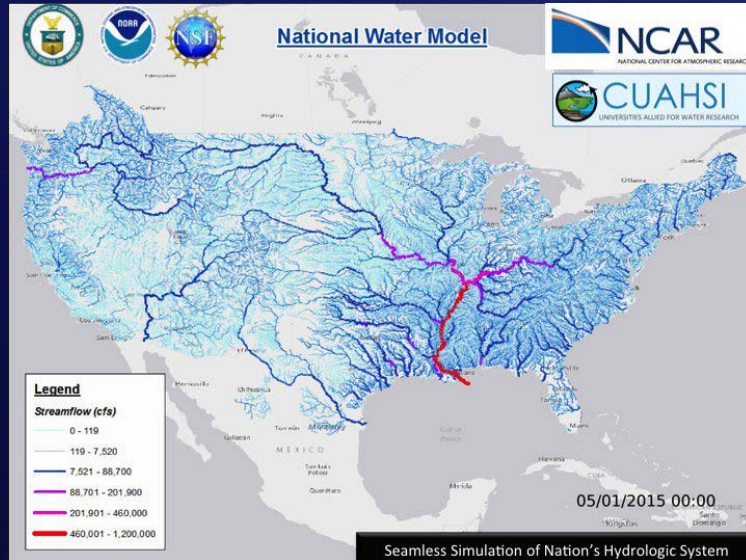
National Water Model

WHERE:

Arc Hydro Tools

WHO:

Local County GIS Data



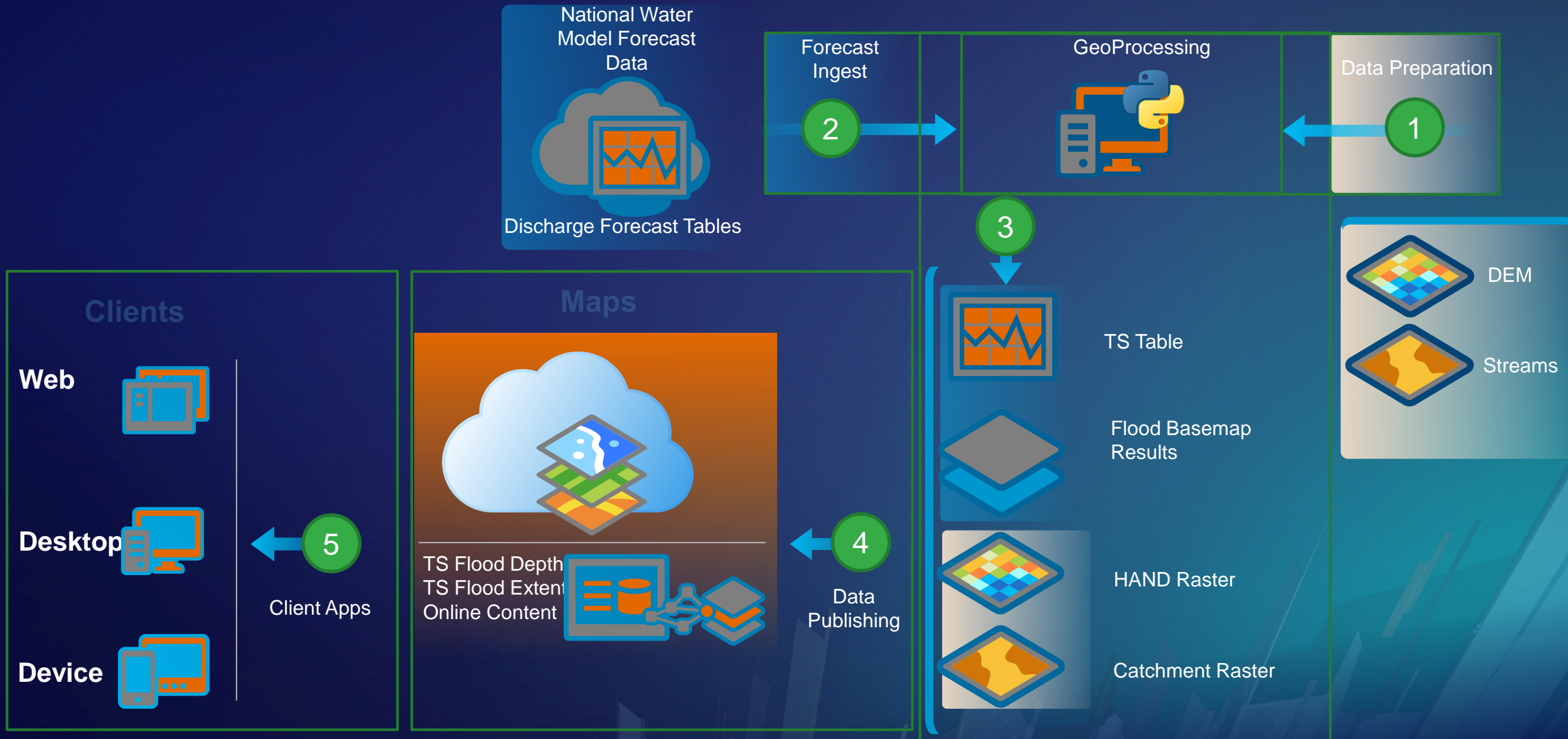
Arc Hydro Tools

- Arc Hydro Setup
- Attribute Tools
- GIS Data Exchange
- H & H Modeling
- Cross-Section Characterization
- Floodplain Delineation
- GeolCPR
- Green and Ampt
- Map to Map
- Streamstats
- Time of Concentration
- Utility

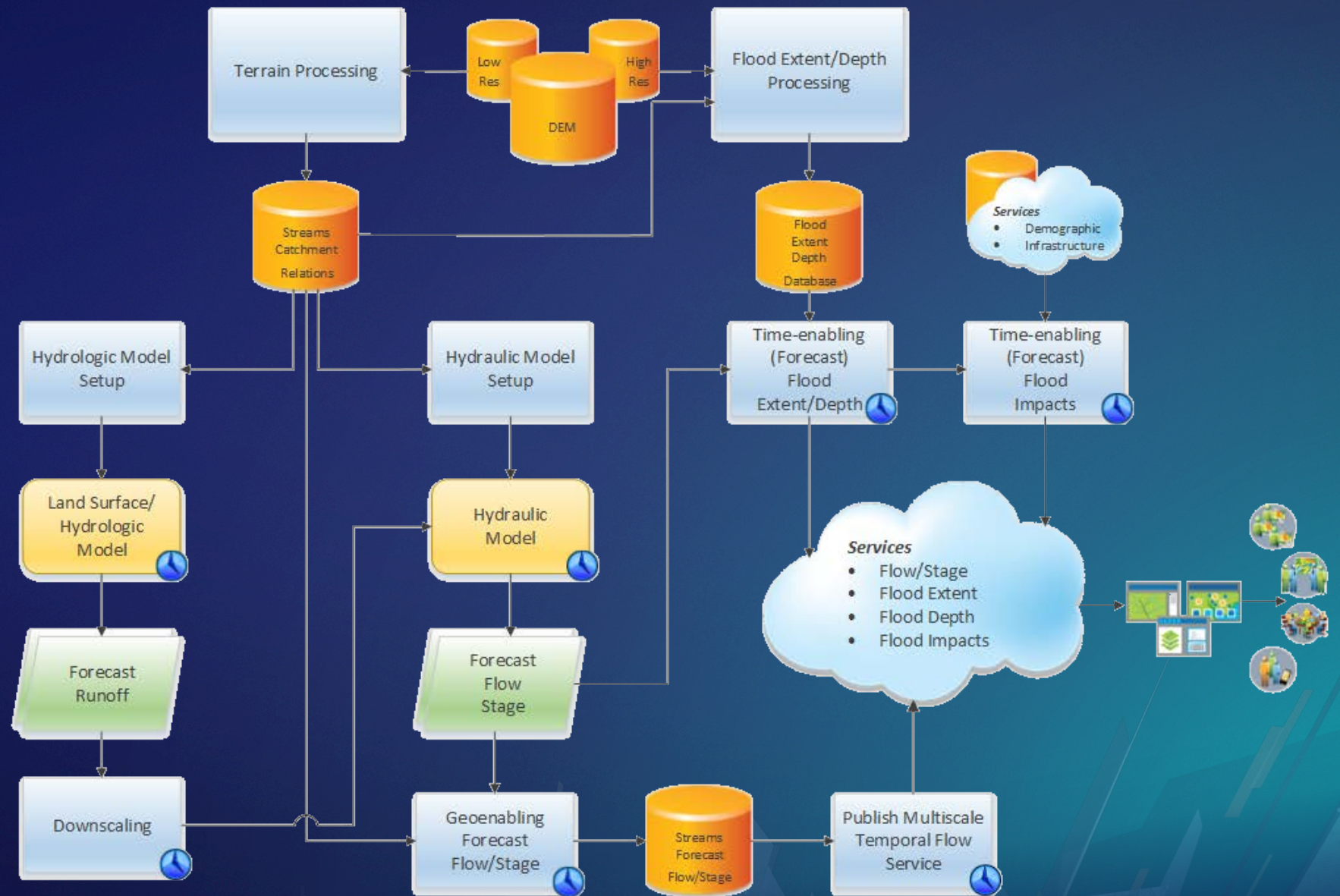
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6	Point	Neal Beach - Cooper Union 1	149 501st Rd	Dover	PA	19317	Upper Merion Township	12.3-34.4-W	44.02018	-75.746	Energy	Sector
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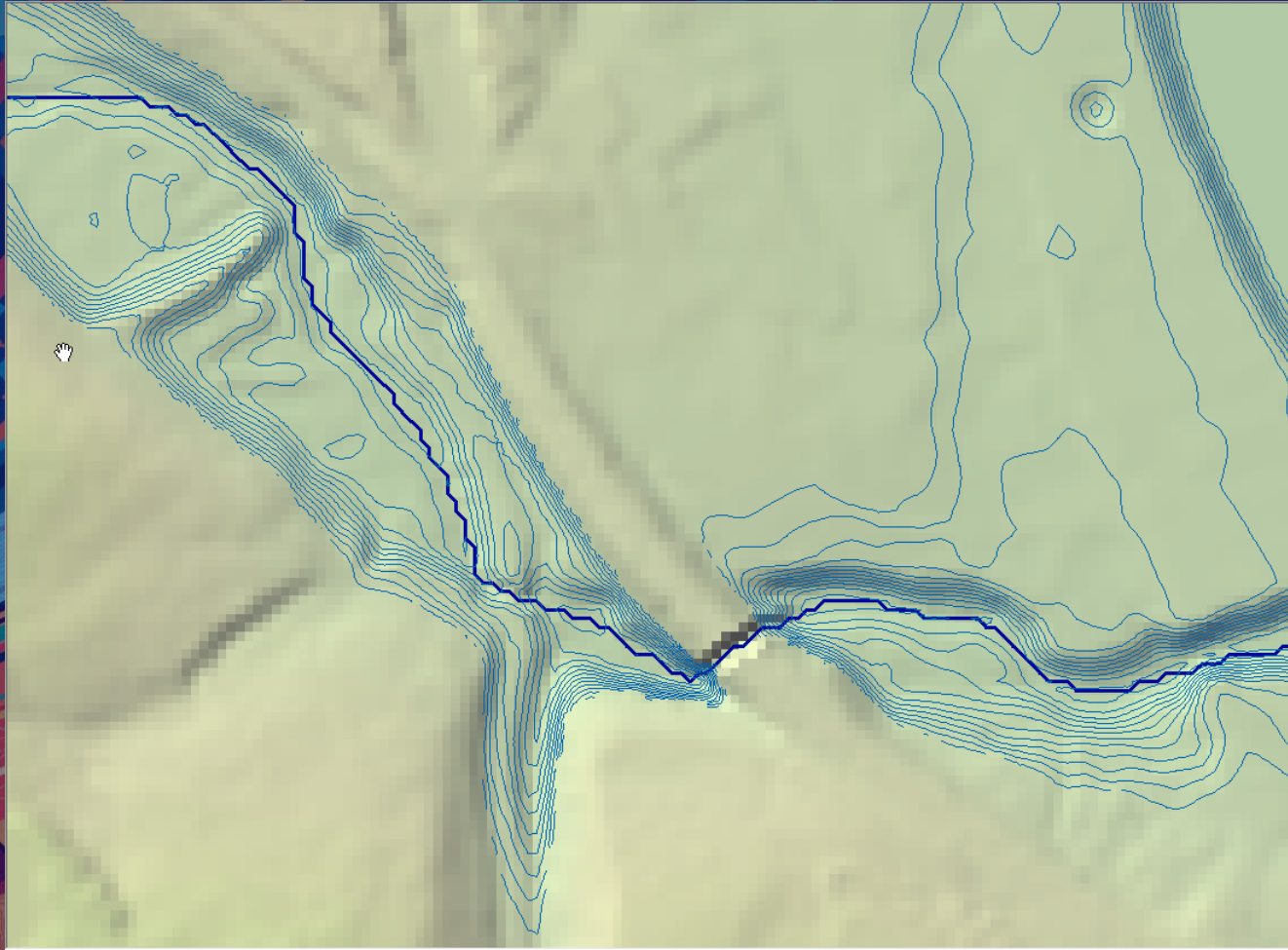
Dave Sekkes, Chester County EOC

NWM Integration Concept Diagram (HAND approach)



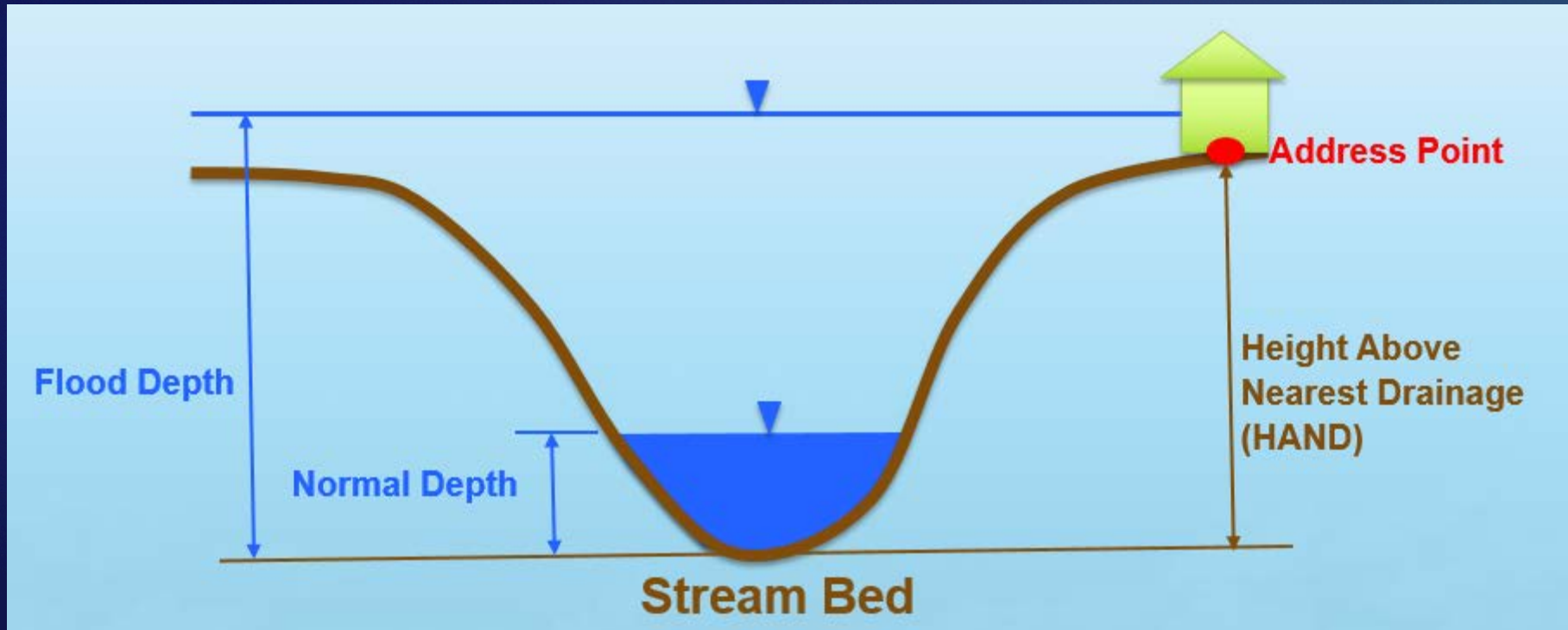
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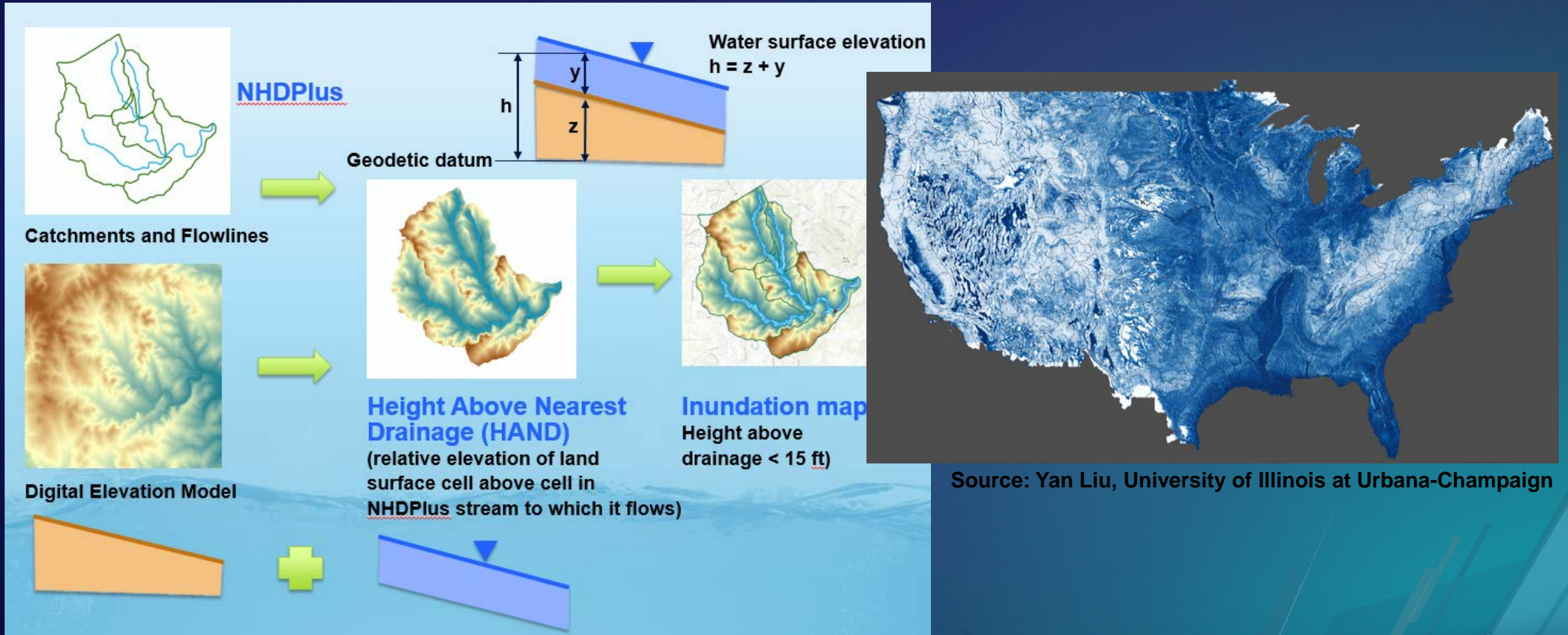


**Flood workflow
mind map
walk-through**

Height Above Nearest Drainage (HAND)



Flood Inundation Mapping – NHDPlus-HAND Method



Landscape characterization

- Streams

- DEM alignment and thalweg adjustment
- Longitudinal WSE interpolation based on point values

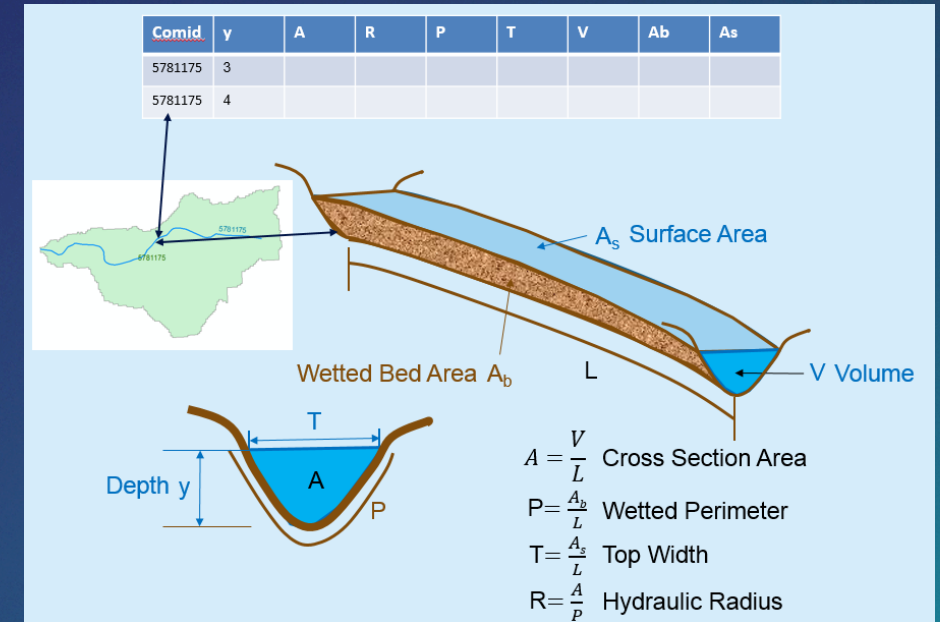
- Cross-sections/reach

- Characterization: h, A, B, P, R curve
- Synthetic rating curve (based on normal depth with n and S₀ assumption)
- WSE Interpolation

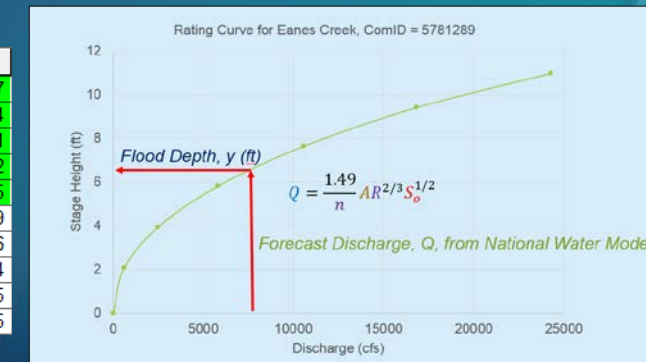
- Floodplain (for incremental or specific stages)

- Depth of flooding
- Water surface elevations
- Flood extent

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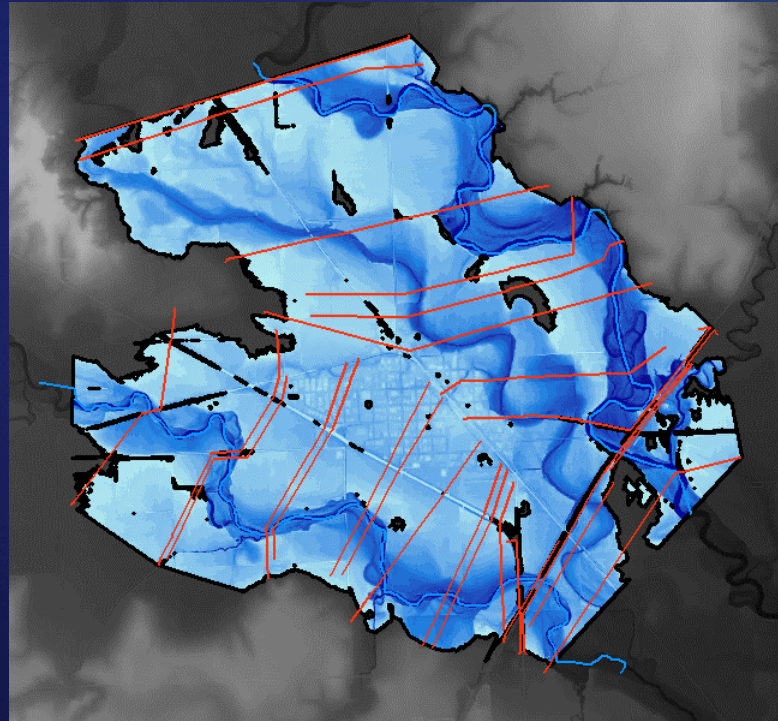


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Flood analyses and visualization

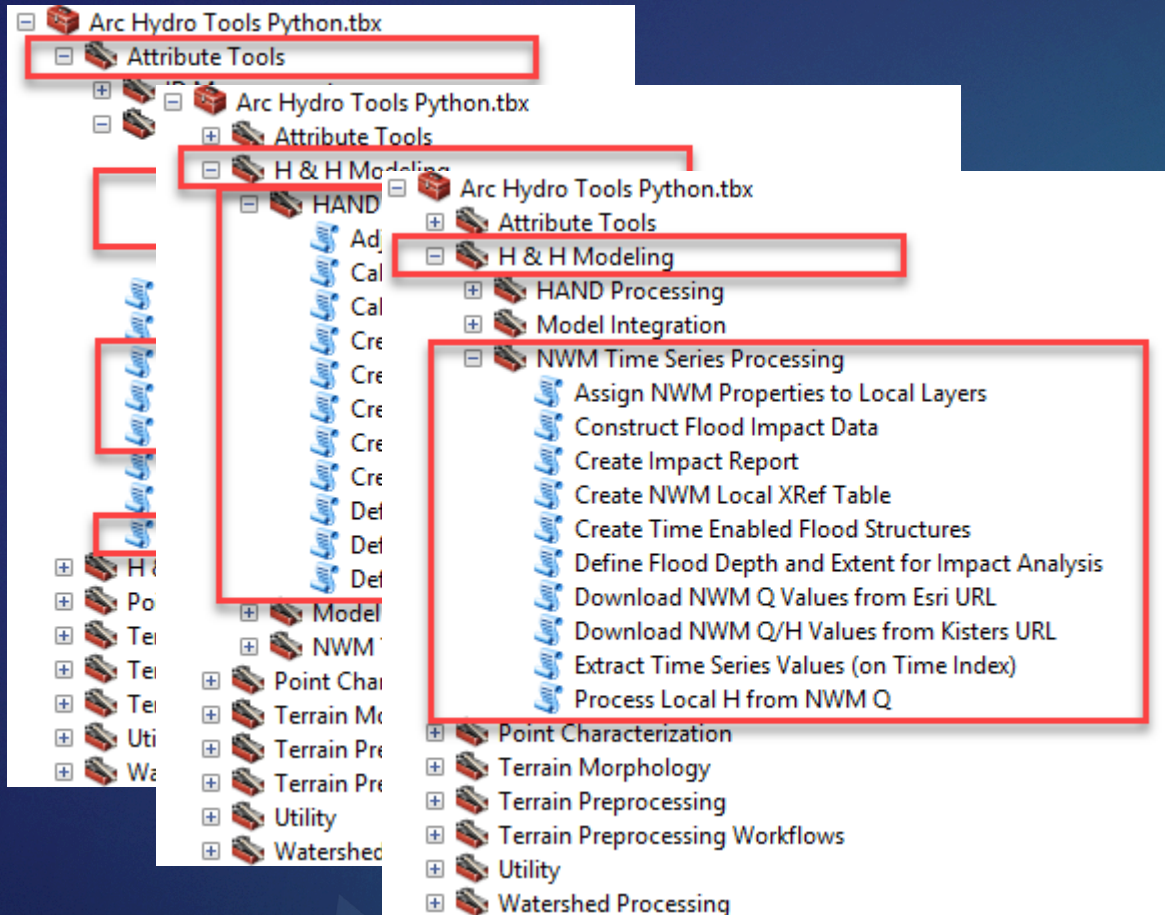
- Tools
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- Areas:
 - Planning
 - Forecasting



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 - [-] Assign River Slope to Cross-section
 - [-] Calculate 3D Cross-section Characteristics
 - [-] Calculate Manning's N for Cross-section
 - [-] Calculate Normal Depth
 - [-] Calculate Potential Q
 - [-] Define 3D Cross-section from 2D
- [-] Floodplain Delineation
 - [-] Calculate WSE for Selected Model
 - [-] Create 3D Stream WSE Line
 - [-] Create 3D WSE Stream Line Grid
 - [-] Derive BFE - no smoothing
 - [-] Derive BFE - with smoothing
 - [-] Derive Extended BFE - No Smoothing
 - [-] Find Intersect Points
 - [-] Flood from Cross-Section
 - [-] Flood from Stream WSE Py
 - [-] Interpolate WSE at Cross-Sections
 - [-] Merge Cross-Section Feature Classes
 - [-] Select WSE To Process
- [-] Map to Map
 - [-] Export to DSS
 - [-] Flood From Stream WSE
 - [-] GeoRAS to Flood
 - [-] HMS to GeoRAS
 - [-] Import from DSS
 - [-] Run HMS
 - [-] Run RAS
 - [-] SDF to XML
 - [-] Stream WSE From Point WSE Measurements
 - [-] Update RAS Flow

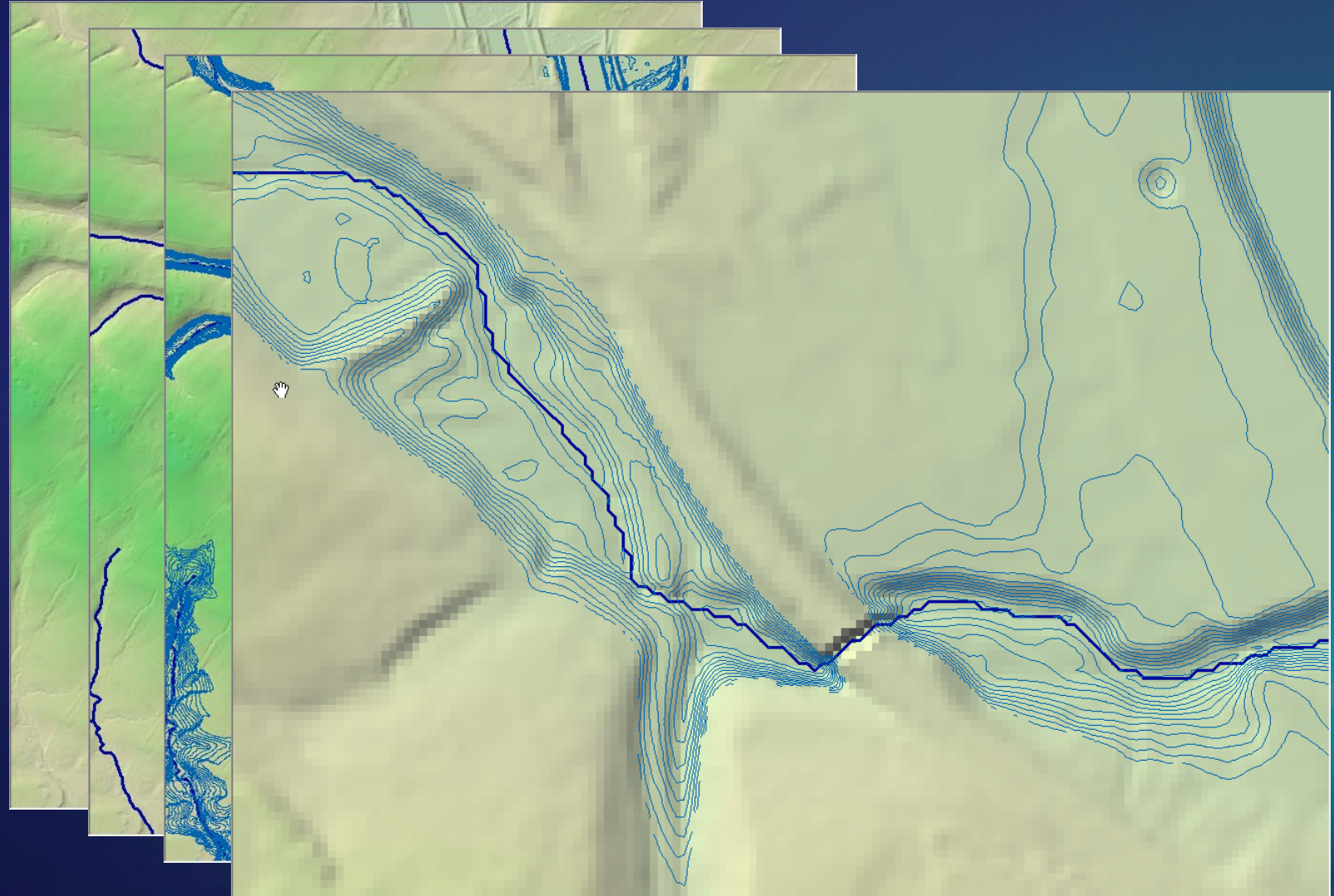
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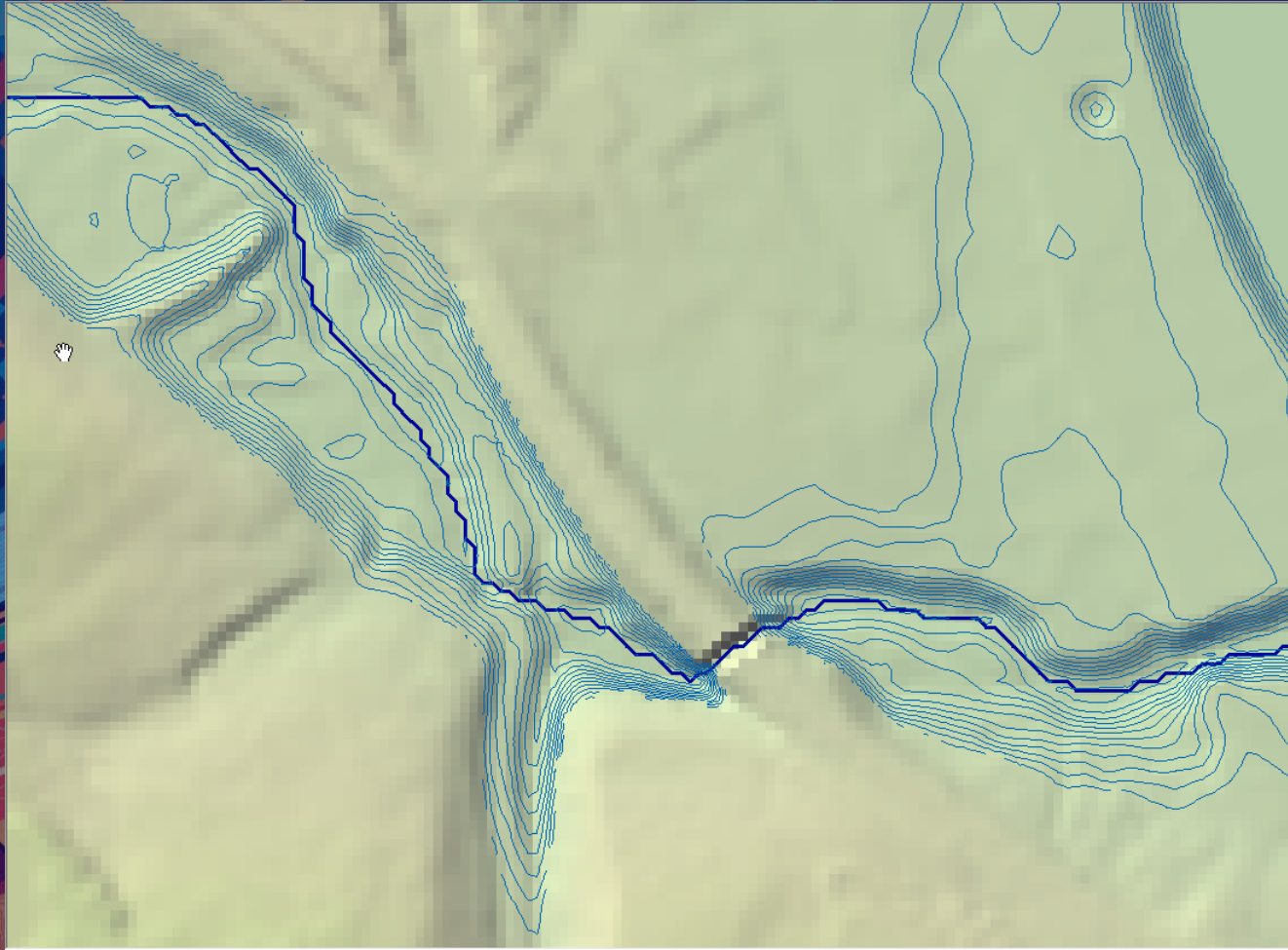
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Arc Hydro tools for flooding walk-through

Summary

- **Arc Hydro provides a database schema, tools, and processing workflows to make implementation of GIS in water resources easier.**

Thank you...

- Questions ?



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