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1. Situation

Poechos dam

- 4.5° S latitud - 80.5° W lenght.
- Built in 1972-1978.

1.0 VIDA UTIL	:50 AÑOS
2.0 ALTITUD	:108 m.s.n.m
3.0 TIPO	:PRESA DE TIERRA
4.0 LONG.DE LA CORONA	:11 Km.
5.0 ALTURA	:48 M
6.0 VOLUMEN DE DISEÑO	:1000 MMC
7.0 COTA MAX. DE OPERACIÓN	:103
8.0 VOL. OPER. EN LA COTA 103	:887 MMC
9.0 SUPERF. ESPEJO DE AGUA	:62 Km2
10.0 CAPAC. DE DESCARGA POR ALIVIADERO	:5.500 M3/SEG



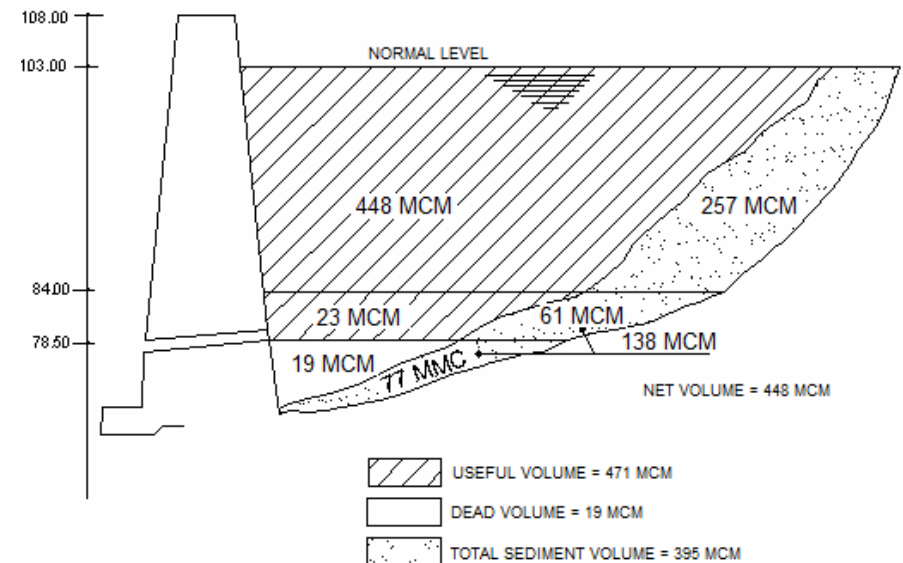
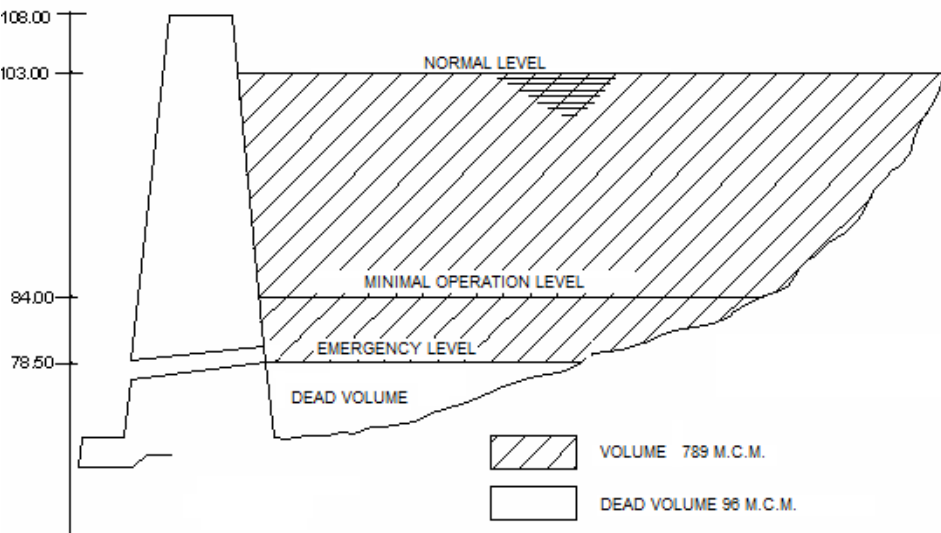
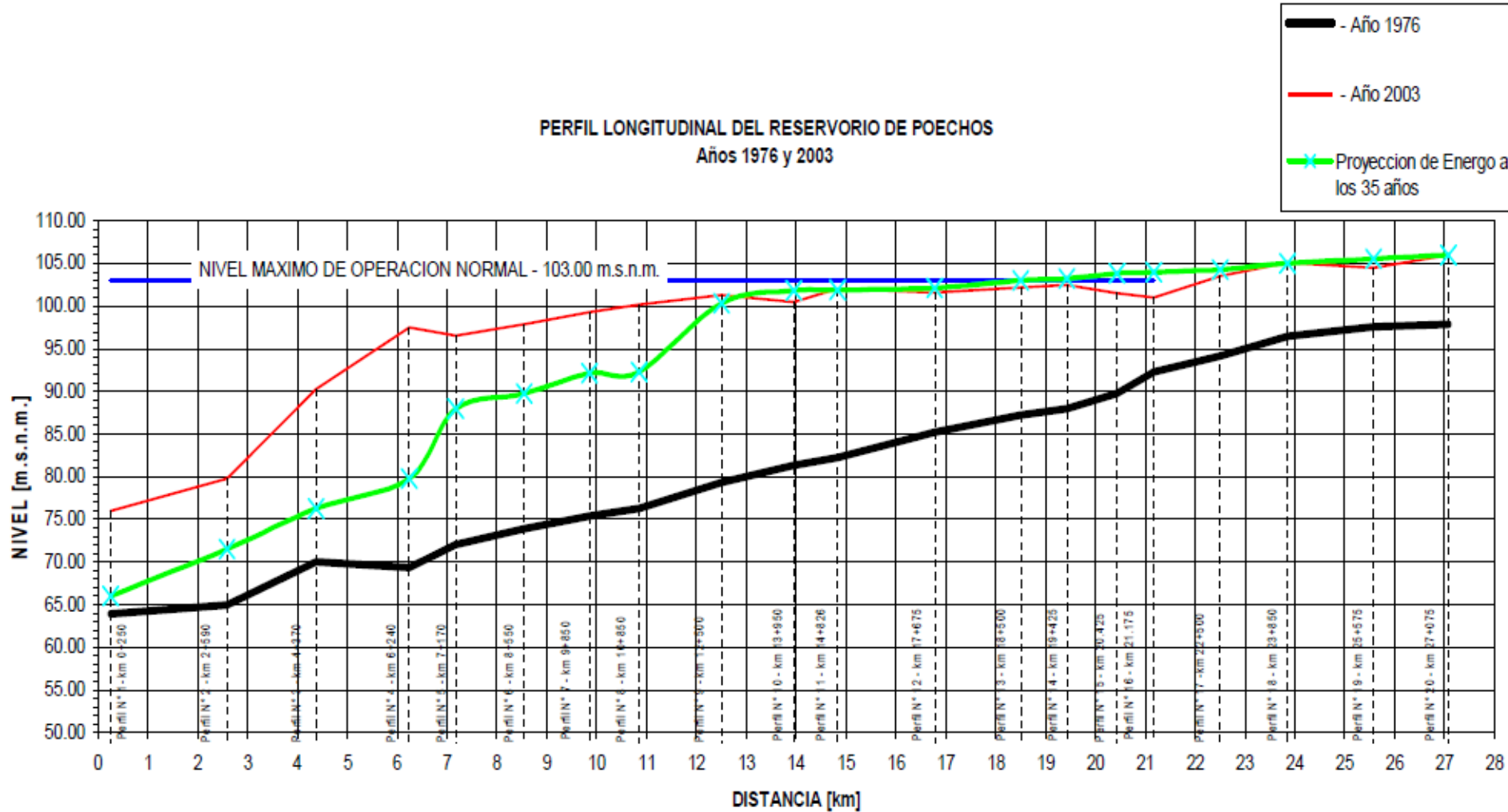


Figure 1 Volume of Poechos reservoir. Left, design volume in 1978. Right, useful volume in 2002. Down, useful volume in 2010.

Sedimentation

PERFIL LONGITUDINAL DEL RESERVORIO DE POECHOS
Años 1976 y 2003



2. Solid discharge- liquid discharge relationship

Qliq-Qsol

- Morocho (2005) found a relationship between these variables:

$$G_{mens} = 6.5765 Q_{mens}^{2.1891}$$

where:

G_{mens} = monthly suspended sediments in Poechos reservoir

Q_{mens} = Monthly contribution of water in Poechos reservoir

- This relationship was re-evaluated.

Qliq-Qsol

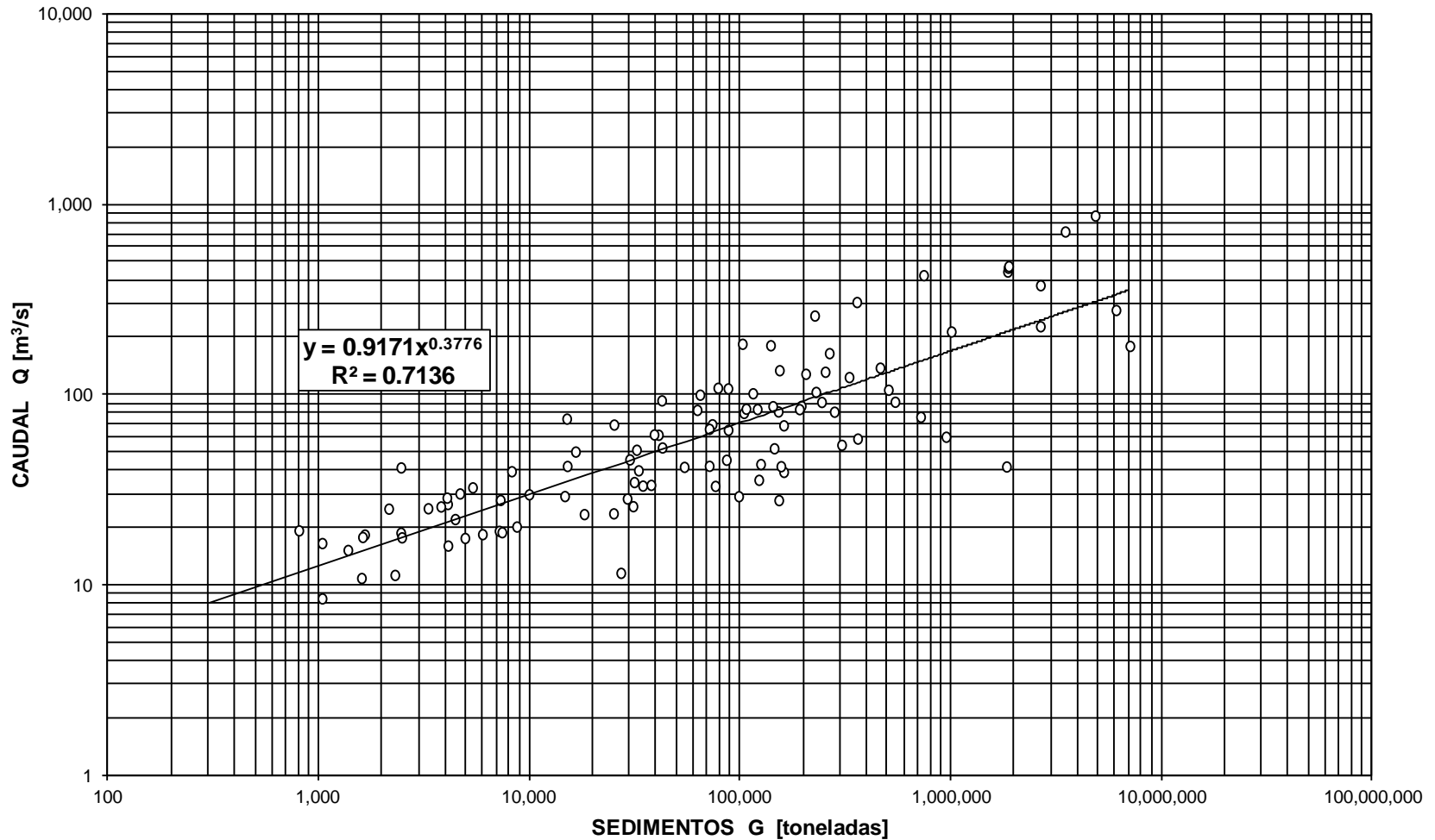


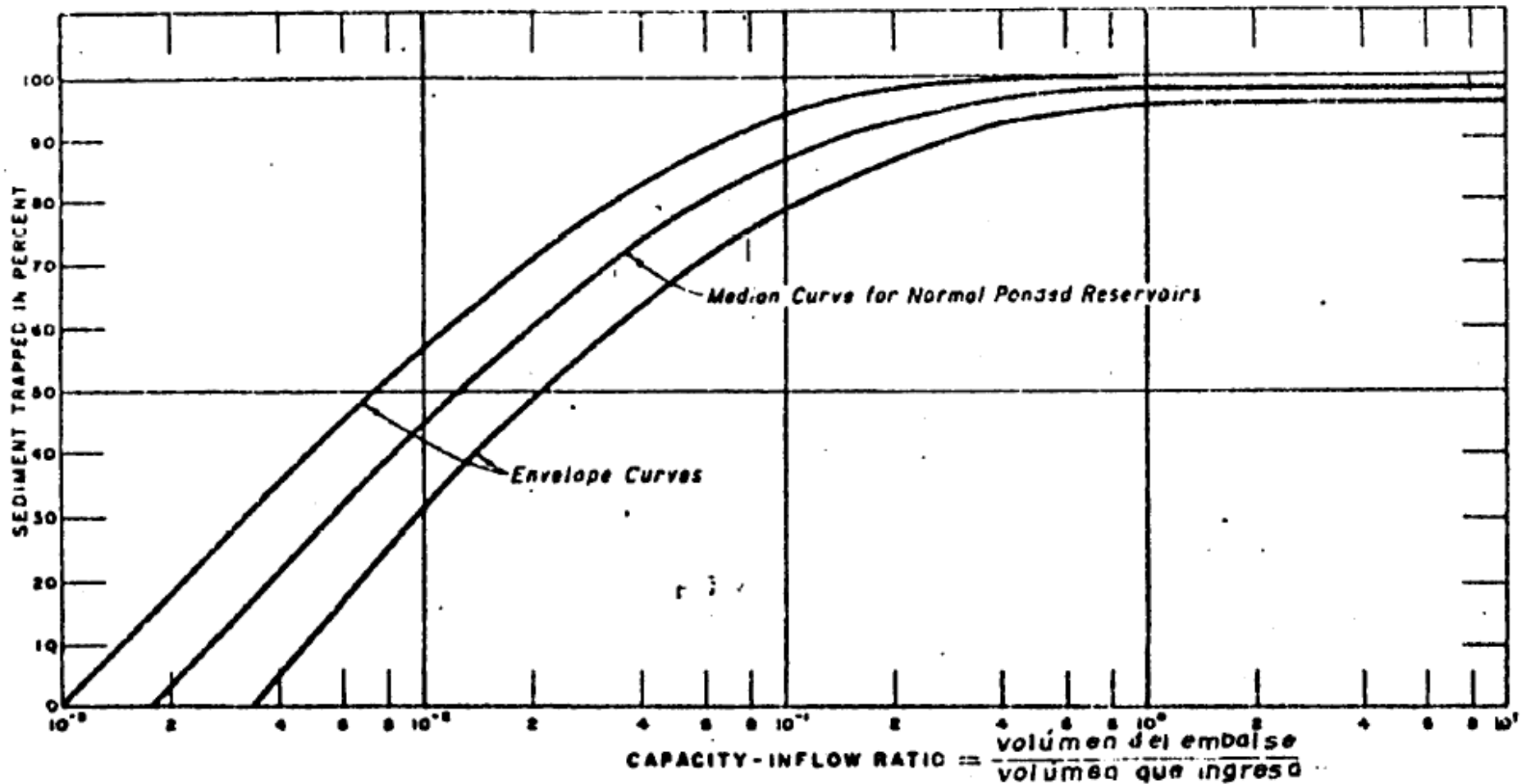
Figure 3. Suspended sediment vs. intake flow. Section 19. Chira River. Period 1976-2011.

Brune method

- Brune (1953) built a group of curves to evaluate efficiency of retention in reservoirs like lakes based in empirical measurements.
- Brune obtained a relationship between retention efficiency of a reservoir, the percentage of input sediment which is trapped by it, and the relationship between “the capacity of the reservoir and the average annual flow of water that entered”.

Brune method

Metodo de Brune



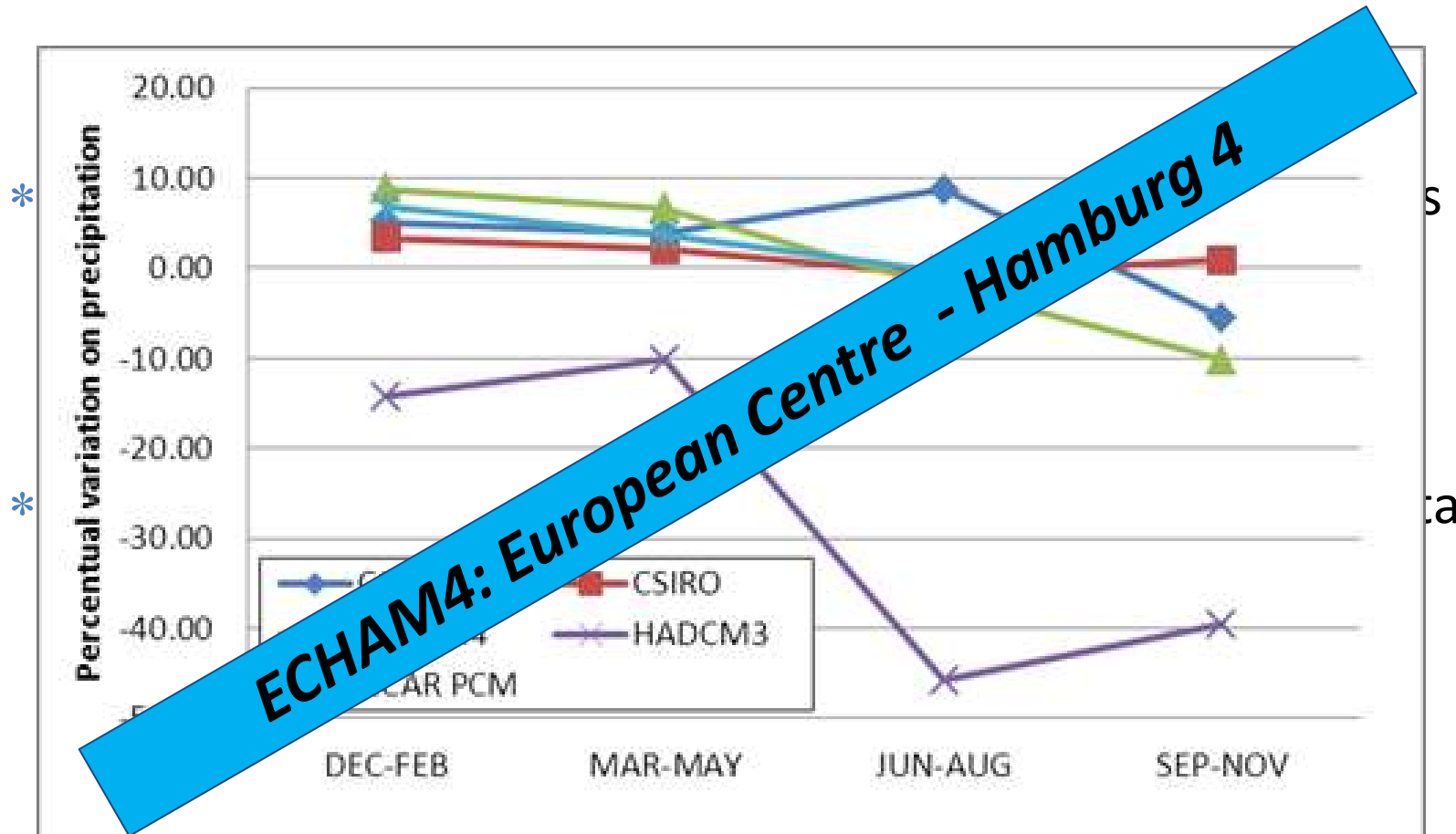
3. Projected time series

AOGCMs

MODEL	COUNTRY	GRID	N	L	DT _{glob} (°C)
CCSR/NIES	Japan	5.6x5.6°	2048	20	4.4
CGCM2	Canada	3.8x3.8°	4608	10	3.5
CSIRO Mk2	Australia	3.2x5.6°	3584	9	3.4
ECHAM4/OPYC3	Germany	2.8x2,8°	8192	19	3.3
GFDL R30	U.S.A.	2.2x3.8°	7680	14	3.1
HadCM3	United Kingdom	2.5x3.8°	7008	19	3.2
NCAR DOE PCM	U.S.A.	2.8x2.8°	8192	18	2.4

Ruostenoja et al. (2003)

AOGCMs



Projected time series

- * Deltas methodologies was applied to get projected time series from temperature and precipitation.

$$P'_i = (1 + \Delta P)P_i$$

$$T'_i = T_i + \Delta T$$

- * To get discharges projected time series, is necessary to use a rainfall-runoff model. The abc conceptual model was chosen and calibrated.

4. Abc model

Abc Model

$$SR_t = aP_t$$

$$I_t = (1-a)P_t$$

$$E_t = bI_t$$

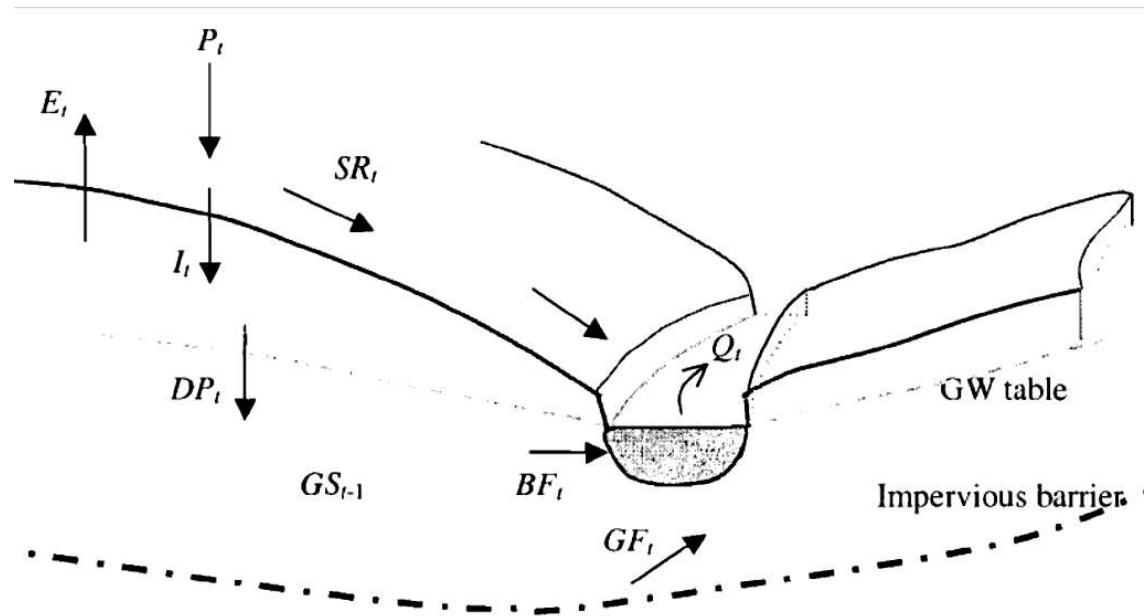
$$DP_t = (1-b)I_t$$

$$BF_t = cGS_{t-1}$$

$$GF_t = dGS_{t-1}$$

$$GS_t = (GS_{t-1} - BF_t - GF_t) + DP_t$$

$$Q_t = SR_t + BF_t$$

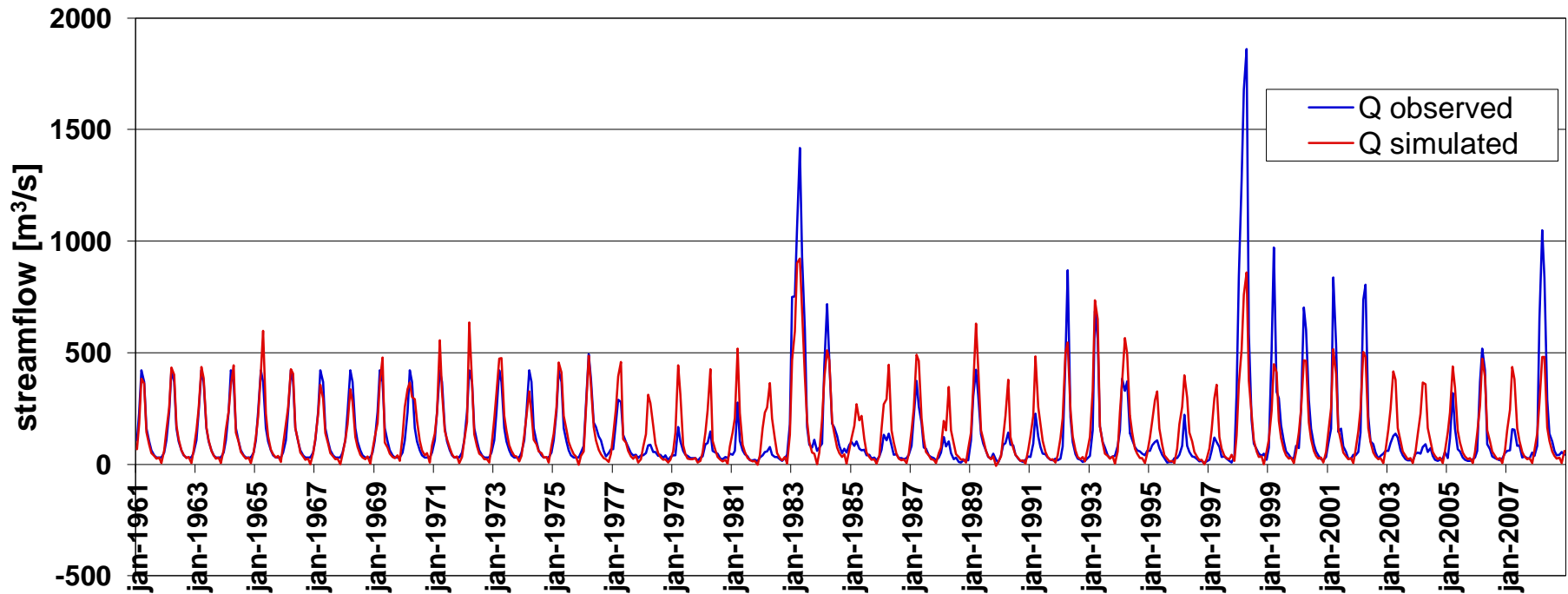


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5. Results and discussion

Results

Comparison between historical and simulated streamflow.
Chira River. Period 1961-2009.



Results

Table 1.- Reduction of useful volume in Poechos Reservoir. Period 2030-2039. Emission scenario: A1FI.

Año	Q_a m ³ /s	V_a ×10 ⁶ m ³	V_r ×10 ⁶ m ³	V_r/V_a	K_m %	G_a ×10 ⁶ tonel.	$G_a \times K_m$ ×10 ⁶ tonel.	K_{ar} %	$G_a \times K_m \times K_{ar}$ ×10 ⁶ tonel.	G_c ×10 ⁶ tonel.	Reduction (% de <u>Vuseful</u>)
2030	31.838	1004.029	259.944	0.259	0.934	11.288	10.548	1.011	10.662	9.596	70.628
2031	24.098	759.953	251.948	0.332	0.950	11.025	10.470	1.012	10.592	9.533	71.531
2032	10.099	318.479	244.004	0.766	0.787	8.345	6.568	1.016	6.673	6.006	72.429
2033	111.715	3523.037	238.999	0.068	0.814	3.497	2.848	1.128	3.212	2.891	72.994
2034	59.426	1874.066	236.590	0.126	0.894	38.686	34.580	1.051	36.340	32.706	73.267
2035	32.261	1017.395	209.334	0.206	0.919	20.579	18.920	1.044	19.753	17.778	76.346
2036	17.149	540.819	194.520	0.360	0.952	11.172	10.631	1.042	11.074	9.966	78.020
2037	5.124	161.598	186.214	1.152	0.992	5.939	5.891	1.045	6.155	5.540	78.959
2038	0.492	15.510	181.598	11.709	1.200	1.775	2.129	1.014	2.160	1.944	79.480
2039	48.788	1538.585	179.978	0.117	0.888	0.170	0.151	1.011	0.153	0.138	79.663

Source: Authors.

Results

- Results show that useful volume of Poechos will get only 20% of 885MCM at the end of 2039. These results include possible effects of climate change under A1FI emission scenario and ECHAM4 projected variations. This estimation doesn't include possible occurrence of El Niño Phenomenon.
- According with Rocha (2006) reduction of useful volume in Poechos is around 6MCM by year, that's mean 222MCM from 2002 to 2039 and a useful volume of 278 (32% of total volume) which means that climate change could produce an increment of sediment volume around 106MCM (12% of total volume) and the consequently reduction of life.

Conclusions and Recommendations

- Analysis shows that Poechos reservoir will be silted in 70% by 2039, under the A1FI emission scenario and considering ECHAM4 model projections. Furthermore, analysis by Brune method shows a reduction near of 80% in working volume.
- Every analysis in Northern Peru should include possible effects of El Niño Phenomenon because this region is affected for this periodically.
- It is recommended to apply downscaling processes to improve accuracy variations projected by AOGCM model. Also, it's recommended to develop a new analysis under the new emission scenarios included in the Fifth Report of the IPCC.
- Finally, it's recommended a new simulation replacing the rainfall runoff model by a semi-distributed or distributed model which has a better performance to represent El Niño Phenomenom and their effects on sedimentation processes.

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