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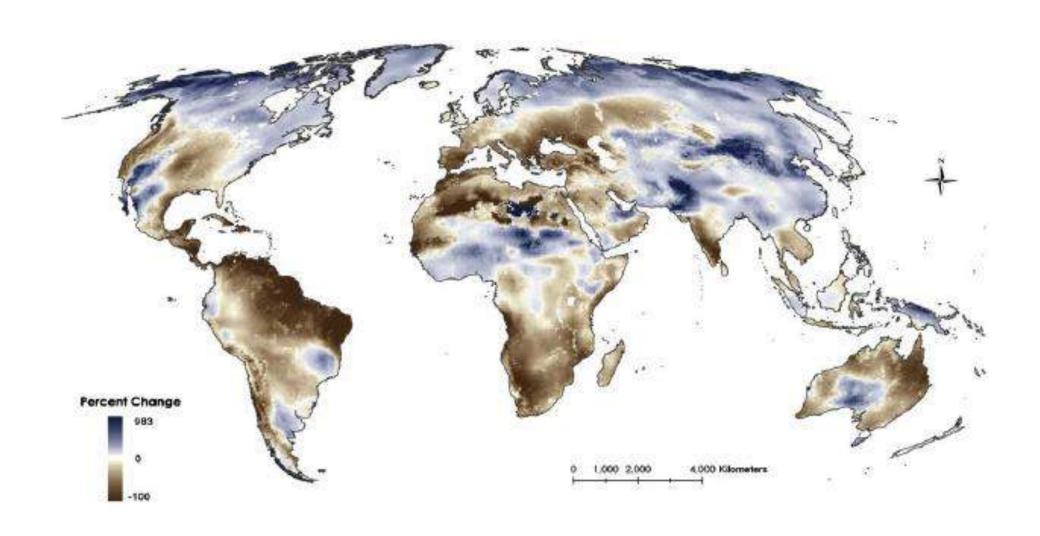
Using Satellite Imagery and DEM to Optimise Water Harvesting and Storage under Climate Change Uncertainties







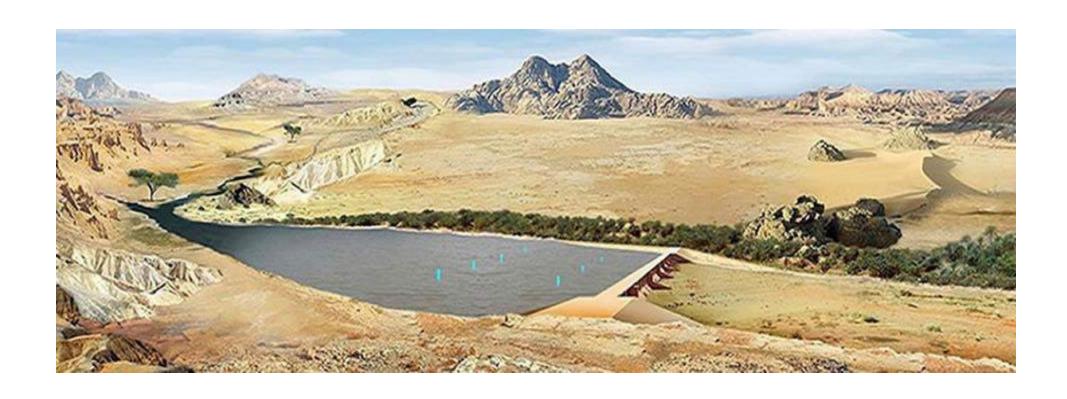
#### Water Yield Change Between 1990-2060 Using HadCM3



## Urban Flooding in Jeddah, Saudi Arabia



### King Fahad Water Harvesting and Storage Project



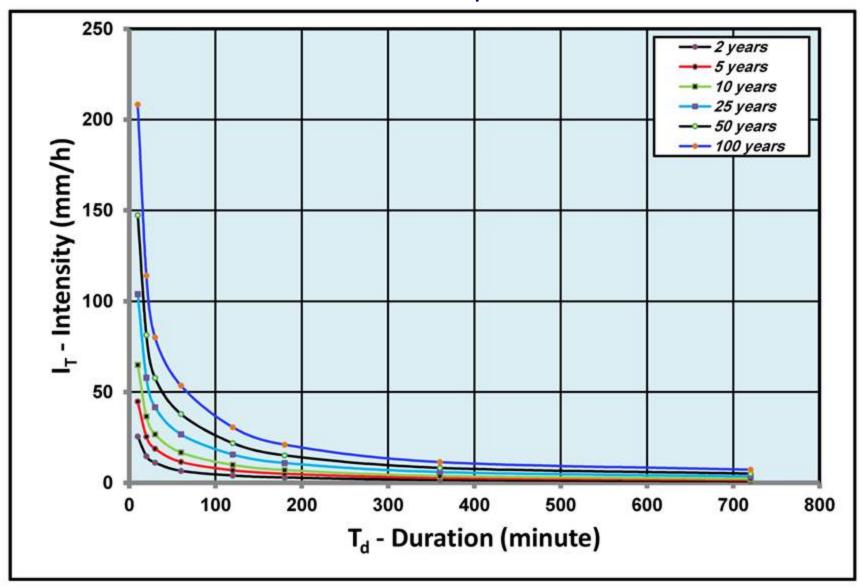
# Prince Sultan Project for the Rehabilitation of Villages & Hamlets



#### Riyadh Flood Control Project



#### Prediction of 100-Year Trend in Sporadic Intense Precipitation



## Topography & Infrastructure





#### **Three Strategies:**

- [1] Rainwater harvesting behind existing dams
- [2] Rainwater harvesting behind purpose-built dams
- [3] Artificial ponds for community use

#### Using Satellite Data to Assess the Dam Basin



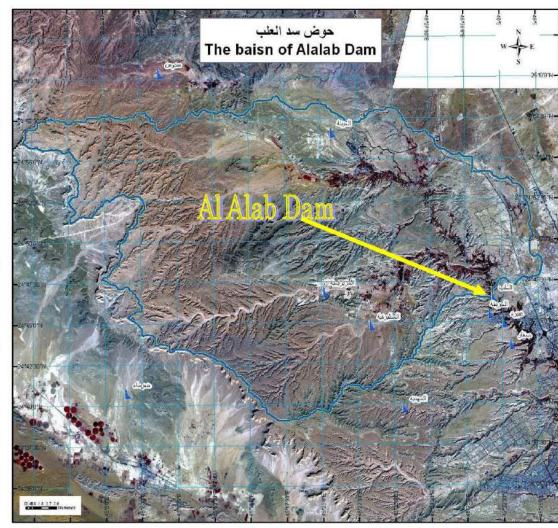
اسم السد: الطب Dam Name: Alalab نوع السد : خرساني Dam Type : Concrete

الموقع Location

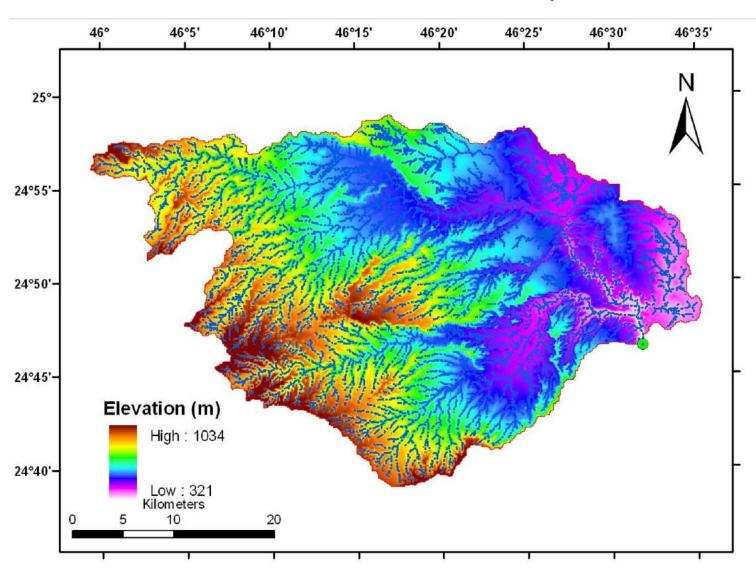
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Dam Location

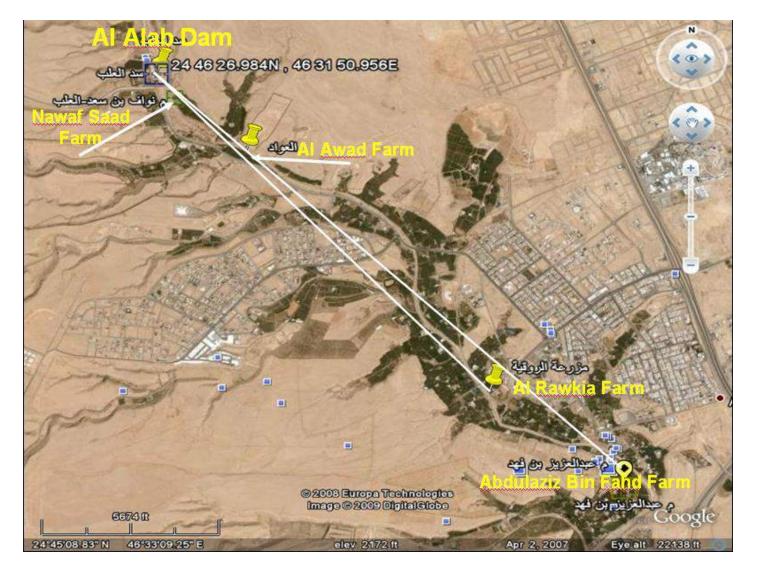




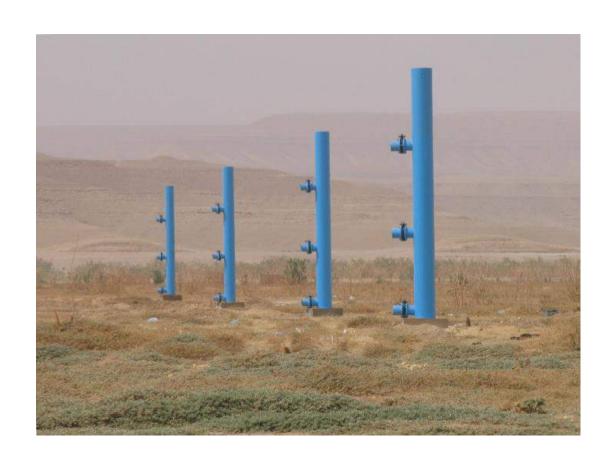
#### Applying DEM to Satellite Data for Morphometric Parmeters



#### Assessing Downstream Impact on Beneficiaries

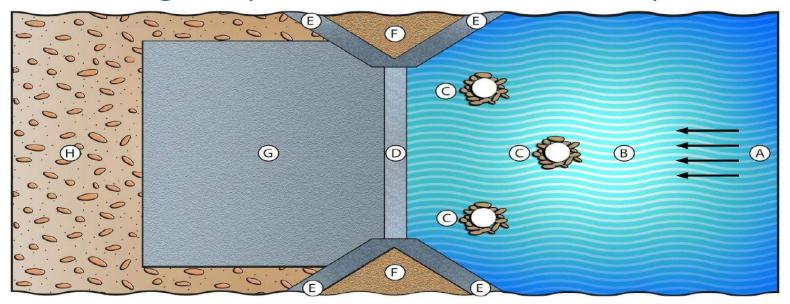


## Recharge Pipes at Al-Hareeq Dam



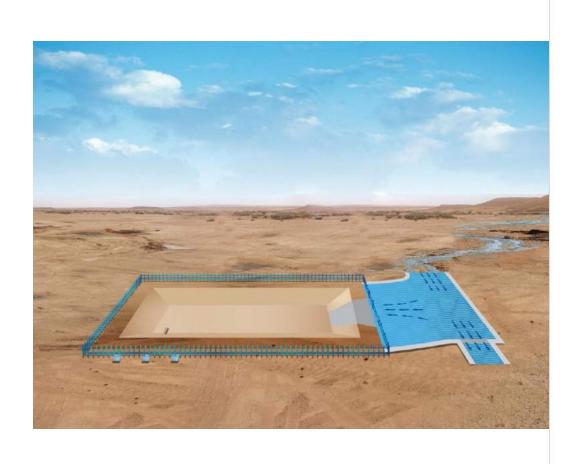


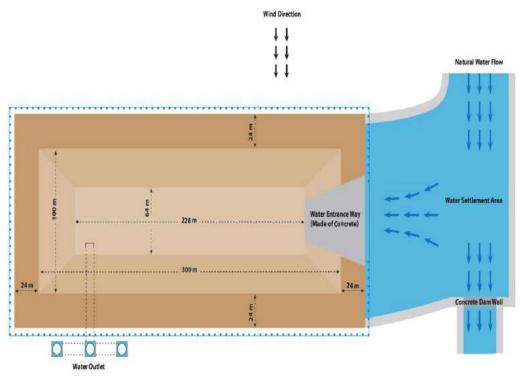
#### Artificial Recharge Pipes behind Small Purpose-Built Dam



- A. Water flow channel between 10 & 50m wide
- B. Excavated & leveled area for water storage at a proposed length of double the width of (A). For example, if (A) is 12m, then B will be 24m.
- C. Recharge well with double-valve pipe built over it, not to exceed the dam in height. The number of wells in (B) will range from 2-4, depending on the width of (A).
- D. Concrete dam 1 m in height, 1/2m thick, whose length = 2/3 the width of (A).
- E. Support walls of equal thickness to the dam and with a height 1m higher than the dam.
- F. Excavated soil from Area (B).
- G. Primary overflow area covered by 15cm-thick layer of concrete extending away from the dam to half its length with a width exceeding the length of the dam by 2m.
- H. Secondary overflow area covered with gravel.

## Artificial Ponds for Rainwater Harvesting





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#### Dhruma Artificial Pond Diversion Dam



#### Locals Retrieving Water from Dhruma Artificial Pond



## THANK YOU!







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