




5.00 credits

30.0 h + 15.0 h

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Teacher(s)	Deleersnijder Eric ;
Language :	English > French-friendly
Place of the course	Louvain-la-Neuve
Learning outcomes	
Evaluation methods	Continuous assessment of knowledge through homework assignments, leading to a final grade that cannot be modified. There will be no exam.
Teaching methods	Combination of face-to-face teaching and flipped classroom.
Content	The following topics are dealt with: quick introduction to or refresher of continuum mechanics; reactive transport and continuity equations; equation of fluid mechanics in a non-inertial reference frame and their application to marine hydrodynamics; thin layer approximation, hydrostatic approximation, Boussinesq approximation, geostrophic equilibrium; impact of Earth's rotation; reduced-dimension models, with a focus on water column and depth-integrated models and their applications; impact of stratification; notions of turbulence closure schemes; notions of numerical methods to solve the abovementioned equations; model results diagnoses and skill assessment case studies (selected in agreement with the students' areas of interest).
Inline resources	Slides, list of problems and computer animations available on or through Moodle
Bibliography	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Slides and computer animations available on Moodle. Books of interest: Burchard H., 2002, <i>Applied Turbulence Modelling in Marine Waters</i> , Springer Cushman-Roisin B. and J.-M. Beckers, 2011 (2nd ed.), <i>Introduction to Geophysical Fluid Dynamics - Physical and Numerical Aspects</i> , Academic Press Dyer K.R., 1997 (2nd ed.), <i>Estuaries - A Physical Introduction</i> , Wiley Fisher H.B. et al., 1979, <i>Mixing in Inland and Coastal Waters</i> , Academic Press Zheng C. and G.D. Bennett, 2002 (2nd ed.), <i>Applied Contaminant Transport Modeling</i> , Wiley
Faculty or entity in charge	GC

Programmes containing this learning unit (UE)				
Program title	Acronym	Credits	Prerequisite	Learning outcomes
Master [120] in Civil Engineering	GCE2M	5		
Master [120] in Architecture and Engineering	ARCH2M	5		
Master [120] in Mathematical Engineering	MAP2M	5		
Master [120] in Physics	PHYS2M	5		