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## Climate Proof Fresh Groundwater Supply

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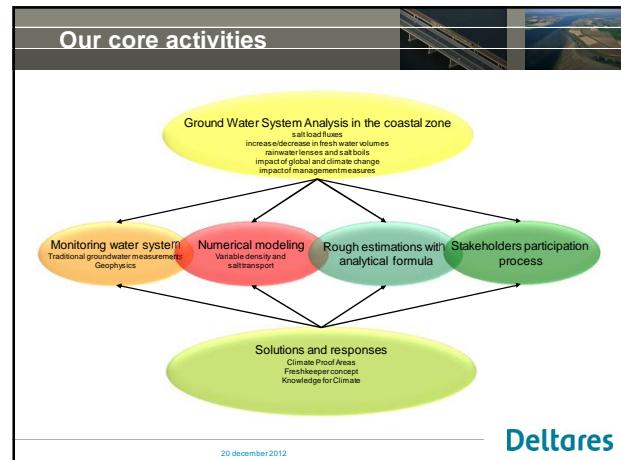
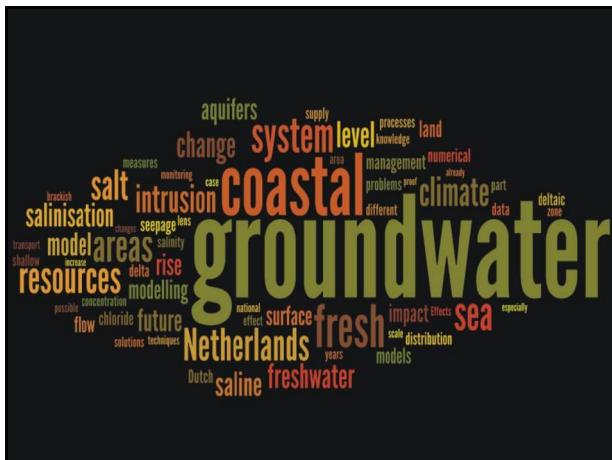
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Mission: *Enabling Delta Life*

To provide areas with fresh-salt issues  
enough and clean water  
in a sustainable way and at the right moment of time

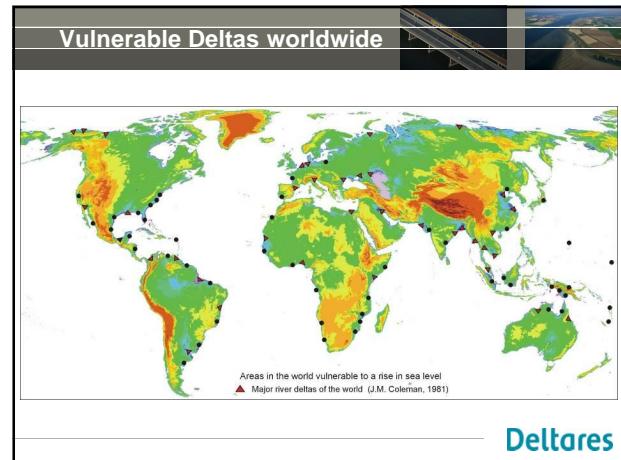
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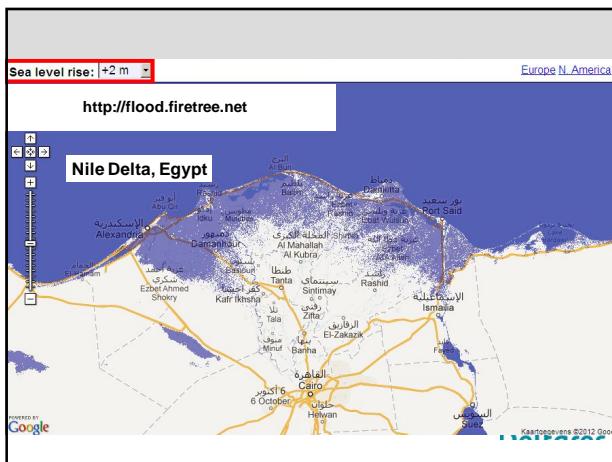
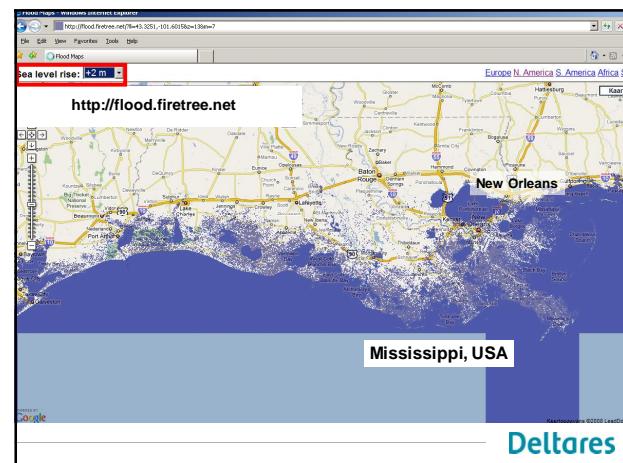
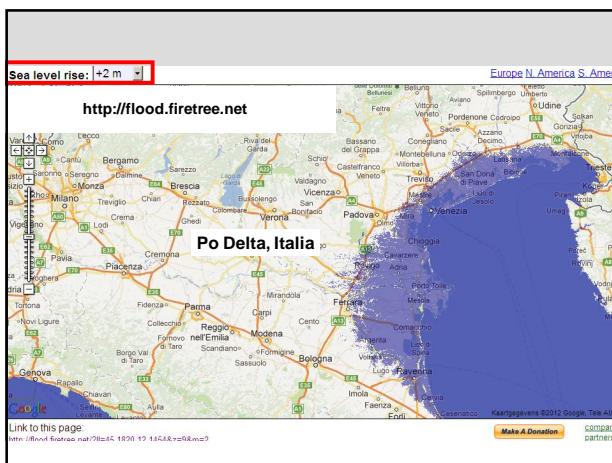
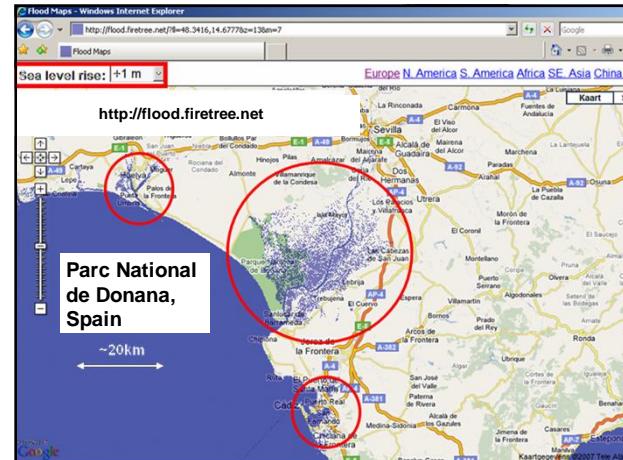
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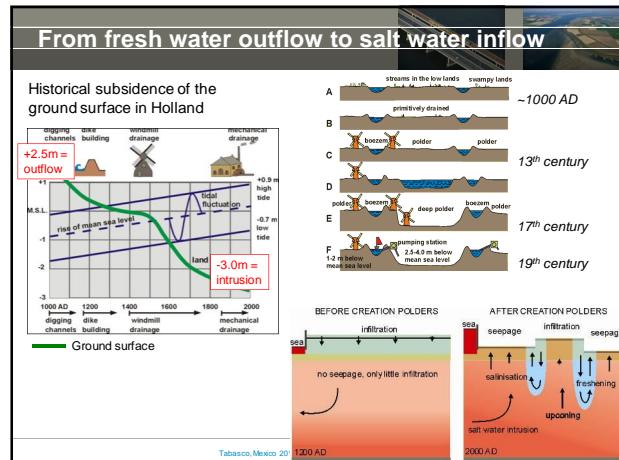
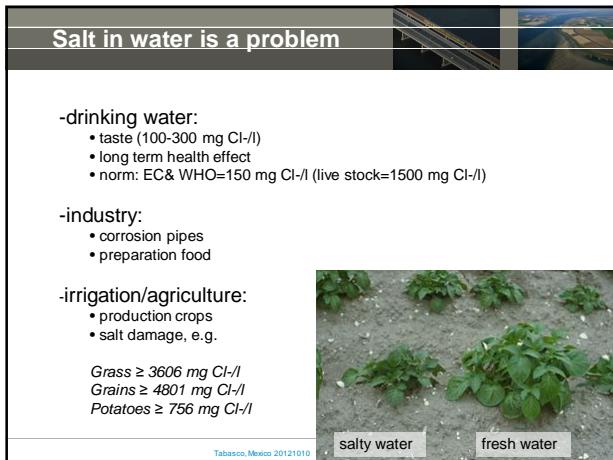
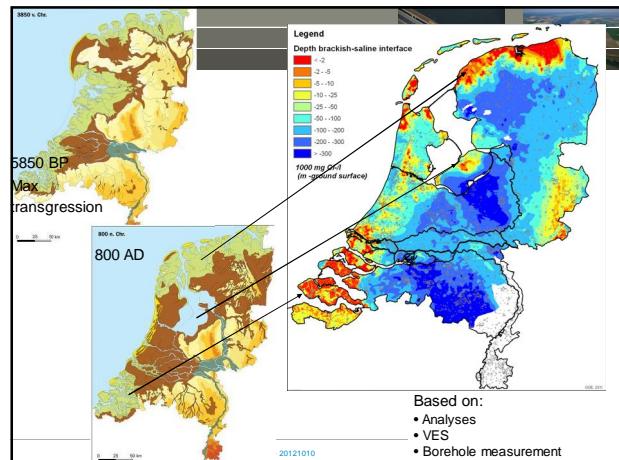
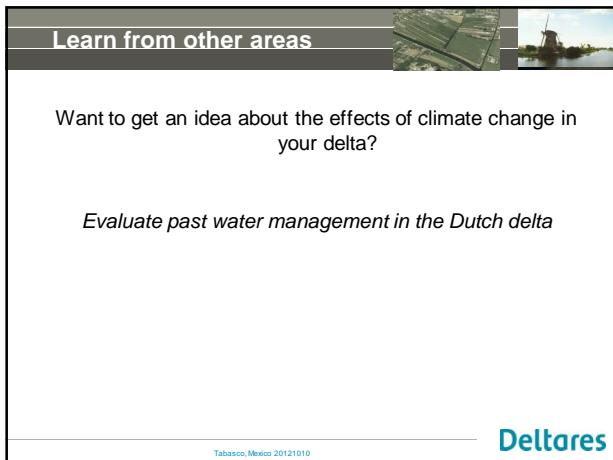


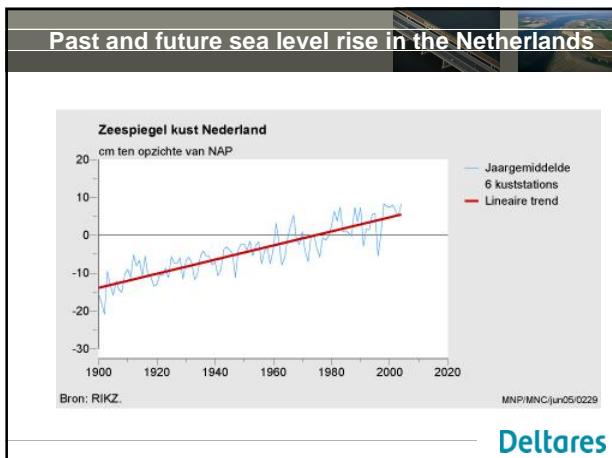
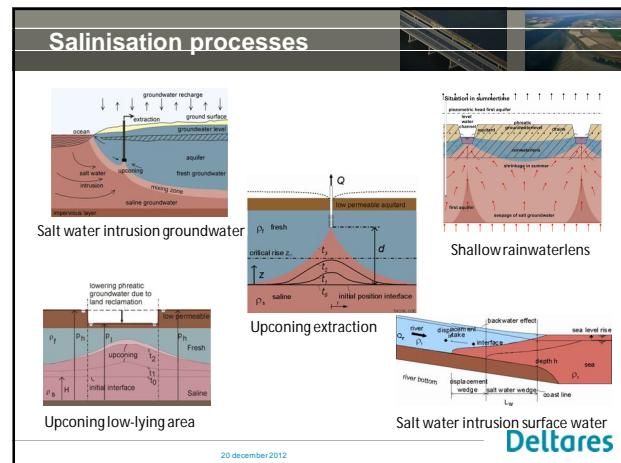
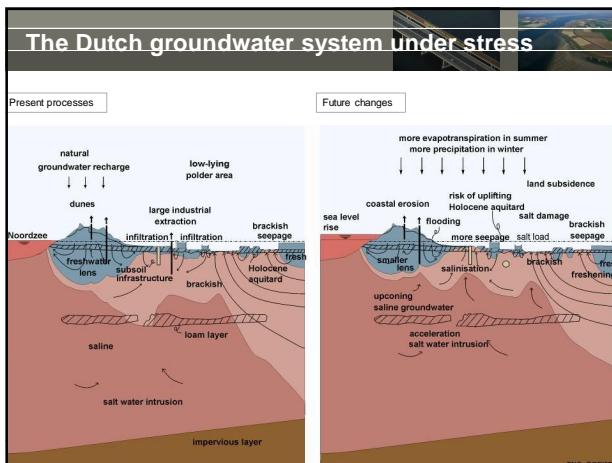

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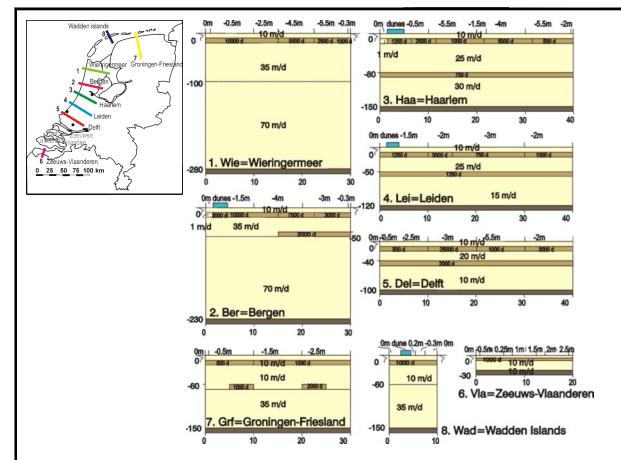
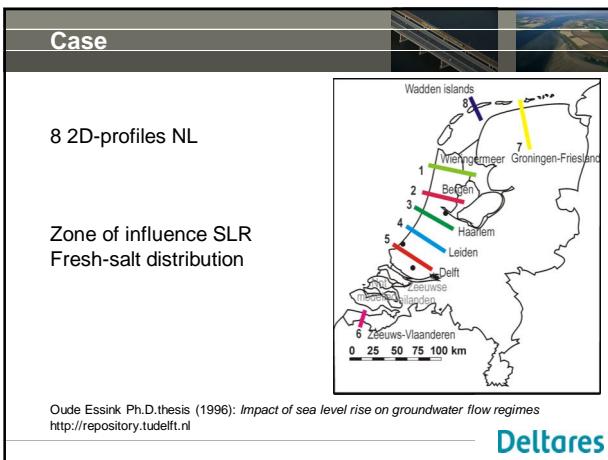
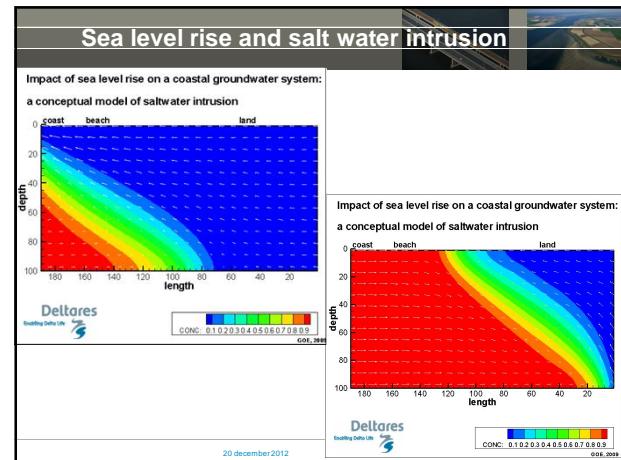
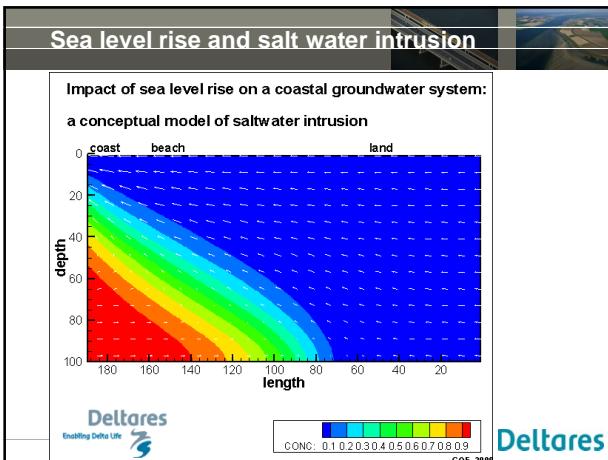
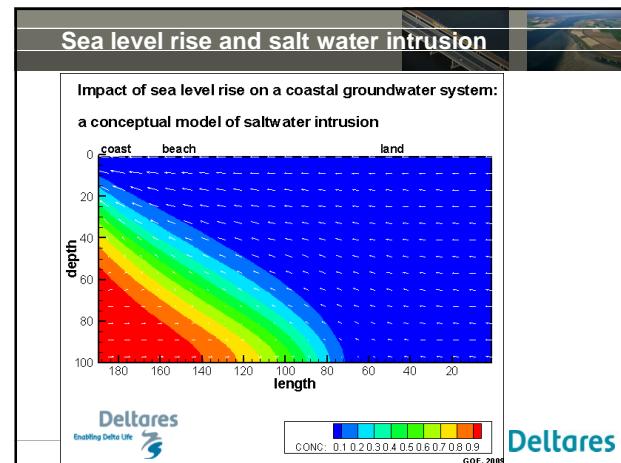
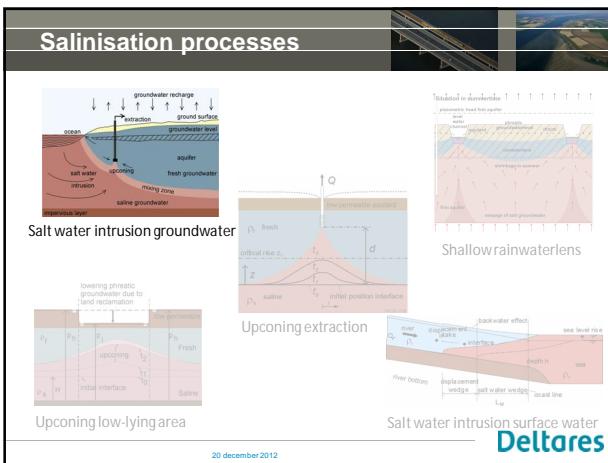


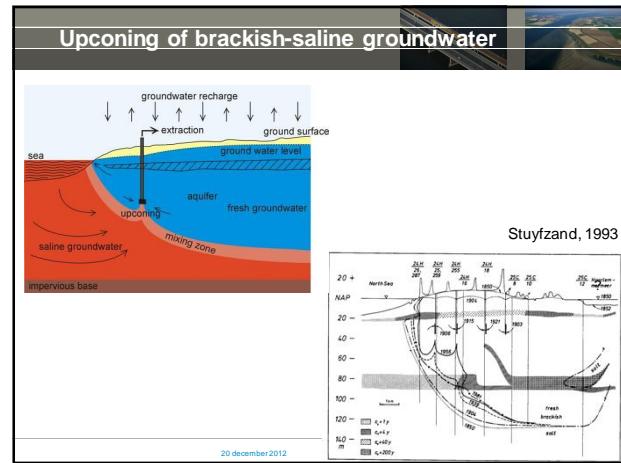
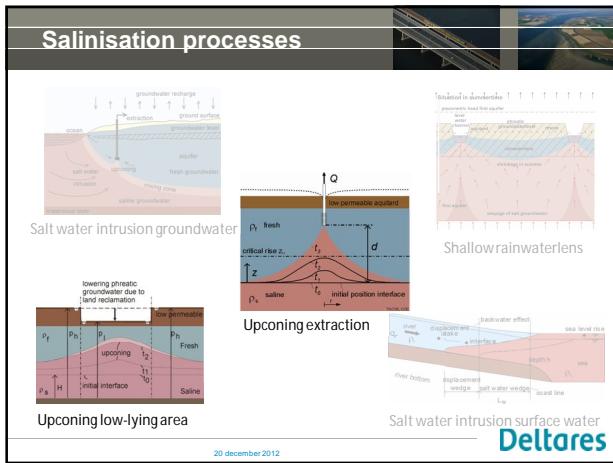
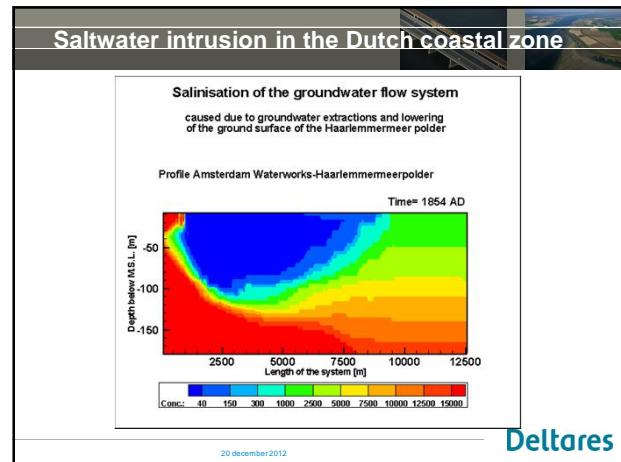
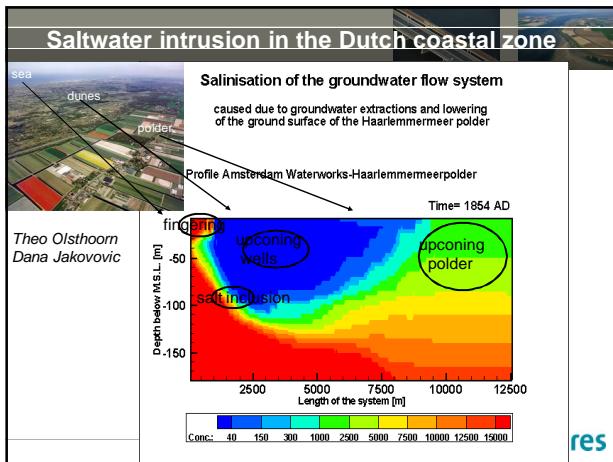
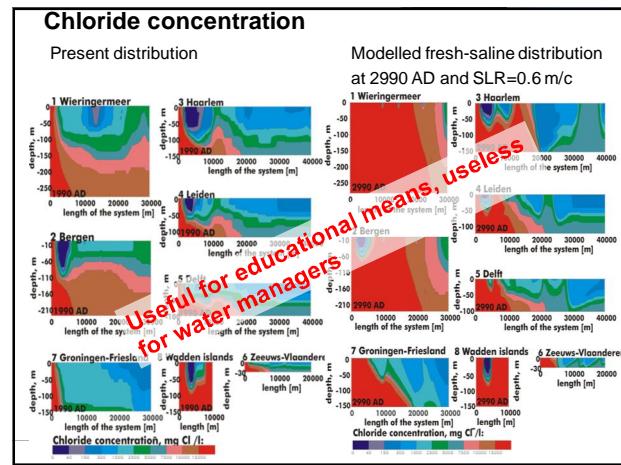
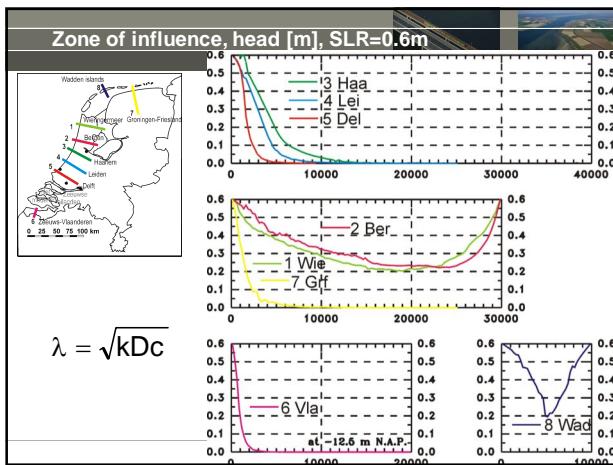


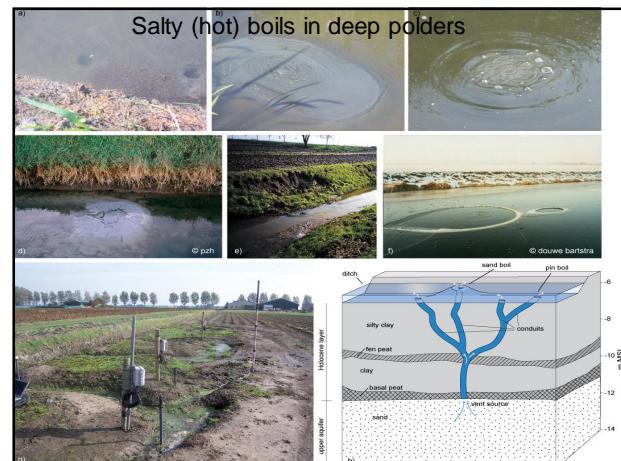
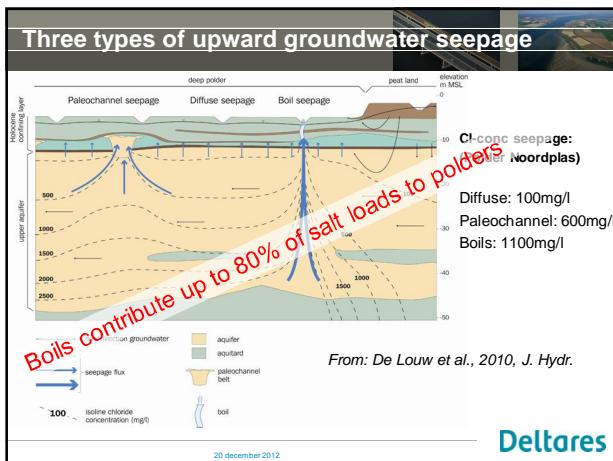
### Model input (5/5): climate scenarios (KNMI06)

2100	G	G+	W	W+	C	C+	
Worldwide temperature rise in 2050	+1°C	+1°C	+2°C	+2°C	+3°C	+3°C	
Worldwide temperature rise in 2100	+2°C	+2°C	+4°C	+4°C	+6°C	+6°C	
Change airstream pattern Western Europa	no	yes	no	yes	no	yes	
<b>Winter</b>	Average temperature	+1,8°C	+2,3°C	+3,6°C	+4,6°C	+5,4°C	+6,9°C
	Coldest winter day each year	+2,1°C	+2,9°C	+4,2°C	+5,8°C	+6,3°C	+7,8°C
	Average precipitation	7%	14%	14%	28%	21%	42%
<b>Summer</b>	Average temperature	+1,7°C	+2,8°C	+3,4°C	+5,6°C	+5,1°C	+8,4°C
	Hottest summer day each year	+2,1°C	+3,8°C	+4,2°C	+7,6°C	+6,3°C	+11,4°C
	Average precipitation	6%	-19%	12%	-38%	18%	-57%
<b>Sea level rise</b>	Absolute rise (cm)	35-60	35-60	40-85	40-85	45-110	45-110

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**PhD Research**

**Adapting to drought and salinisation in the coupled groundwater – surface water system**

- What adaptation strategies can we use, to cope with a drier and more saline future?
- Evaluate effects of possible measures to drought / salinisation
- Knowledge gaps in (extreme) summer hydrology

✓ How does the functioning of the hydrological system change in dry summers?  
 ✓ What causes the spatial and temporal variation in salt load?  
 ✓ How can we adequately describe this system quantitatively?  
 ✓ How will climate change affect the hydrological system?  
 ✓ What is future water demand?

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