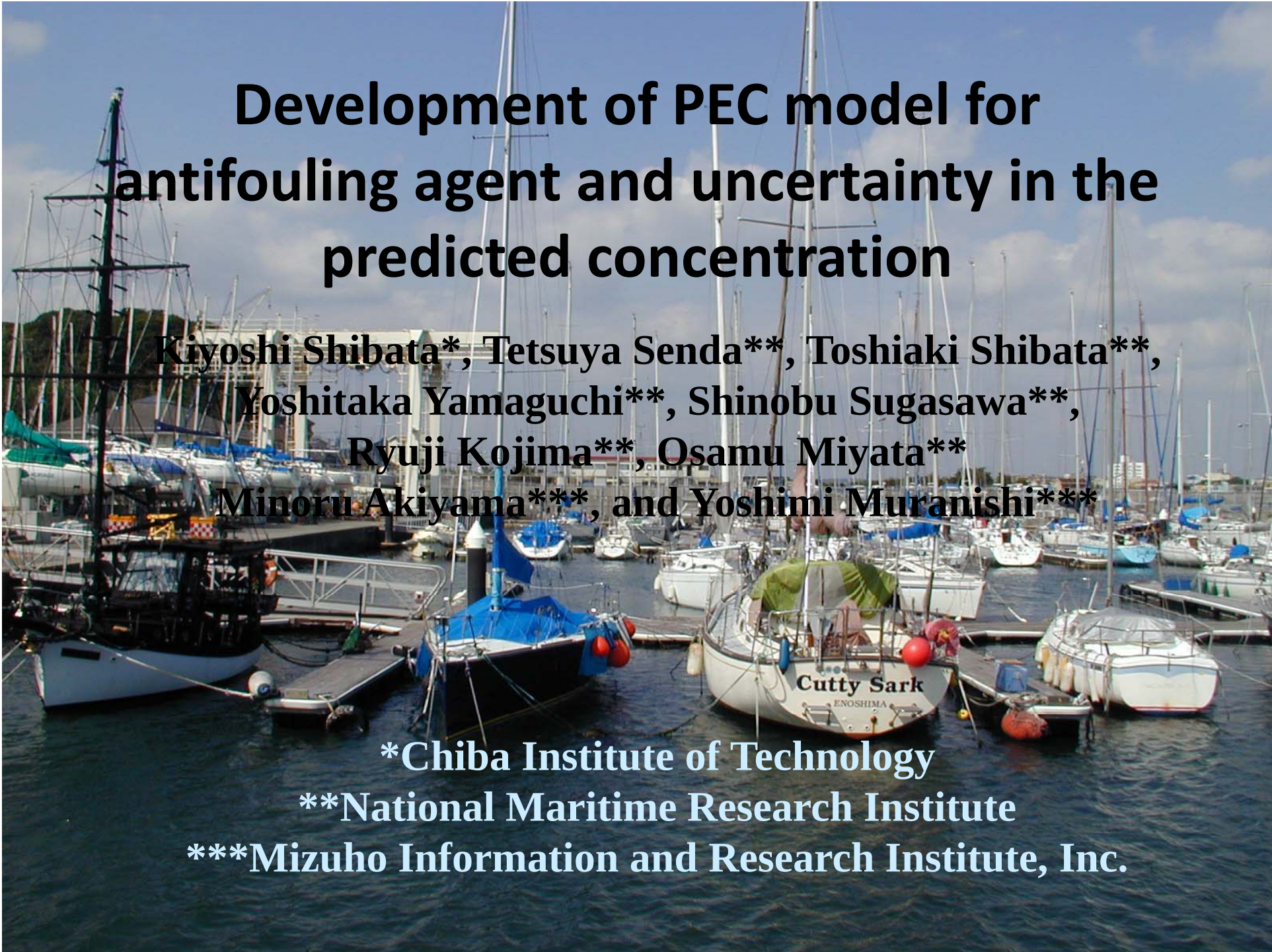




Development of PEC model for antifouling agent and uncertainty in the predicted concentration

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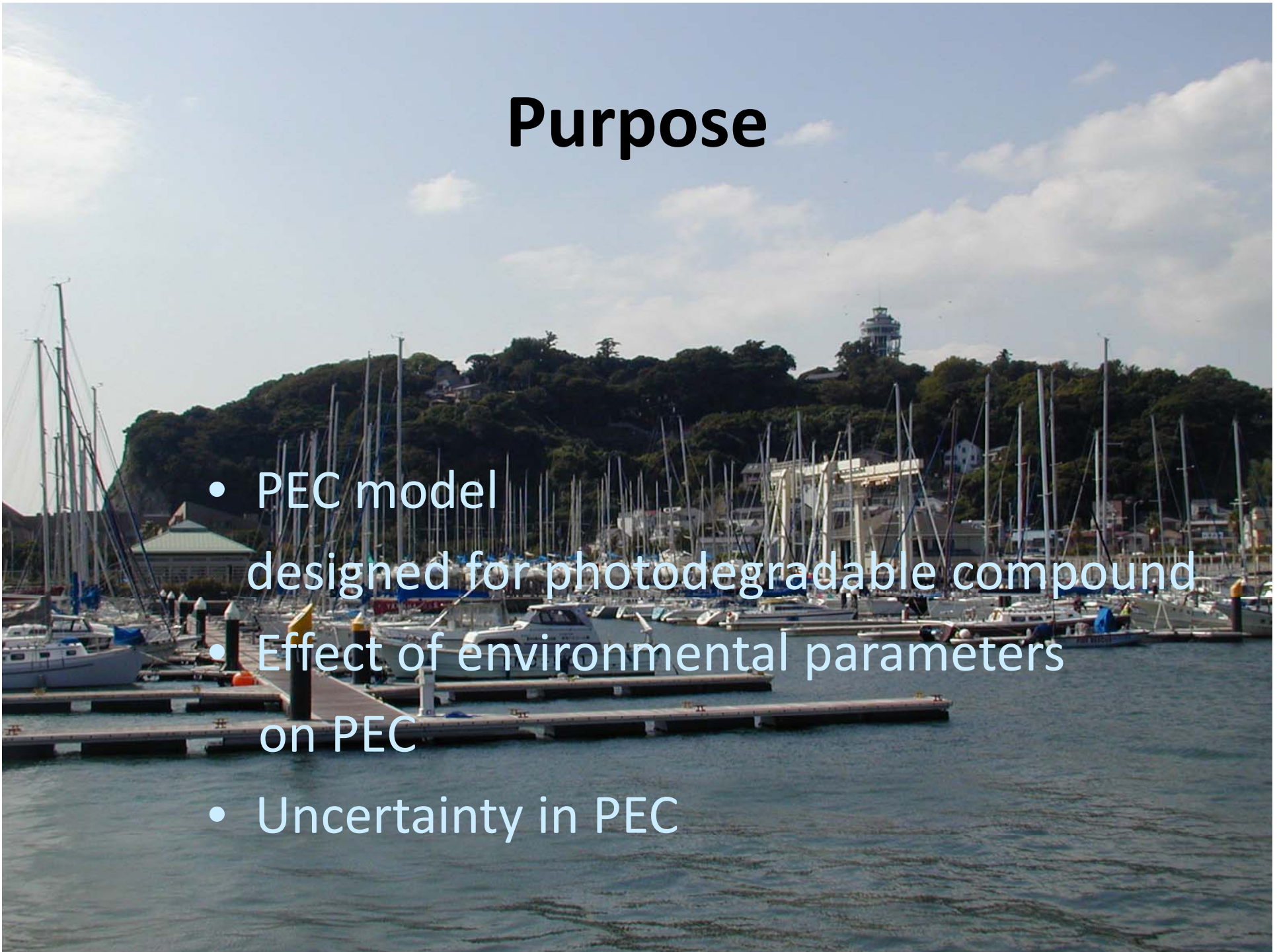
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Purpose

- PEC model designed for photodegradable compound
- Effect of environmental parameters on PEC
- Uncertainty in PEC



Fate Processes

- transportation with water flow,
- diffusion droved by the concentration gradient,
- leaching from the paint,
- photolysis by the sun light,
- hydrolysis,
- biolysis,
- adsorption onto the suspended matter

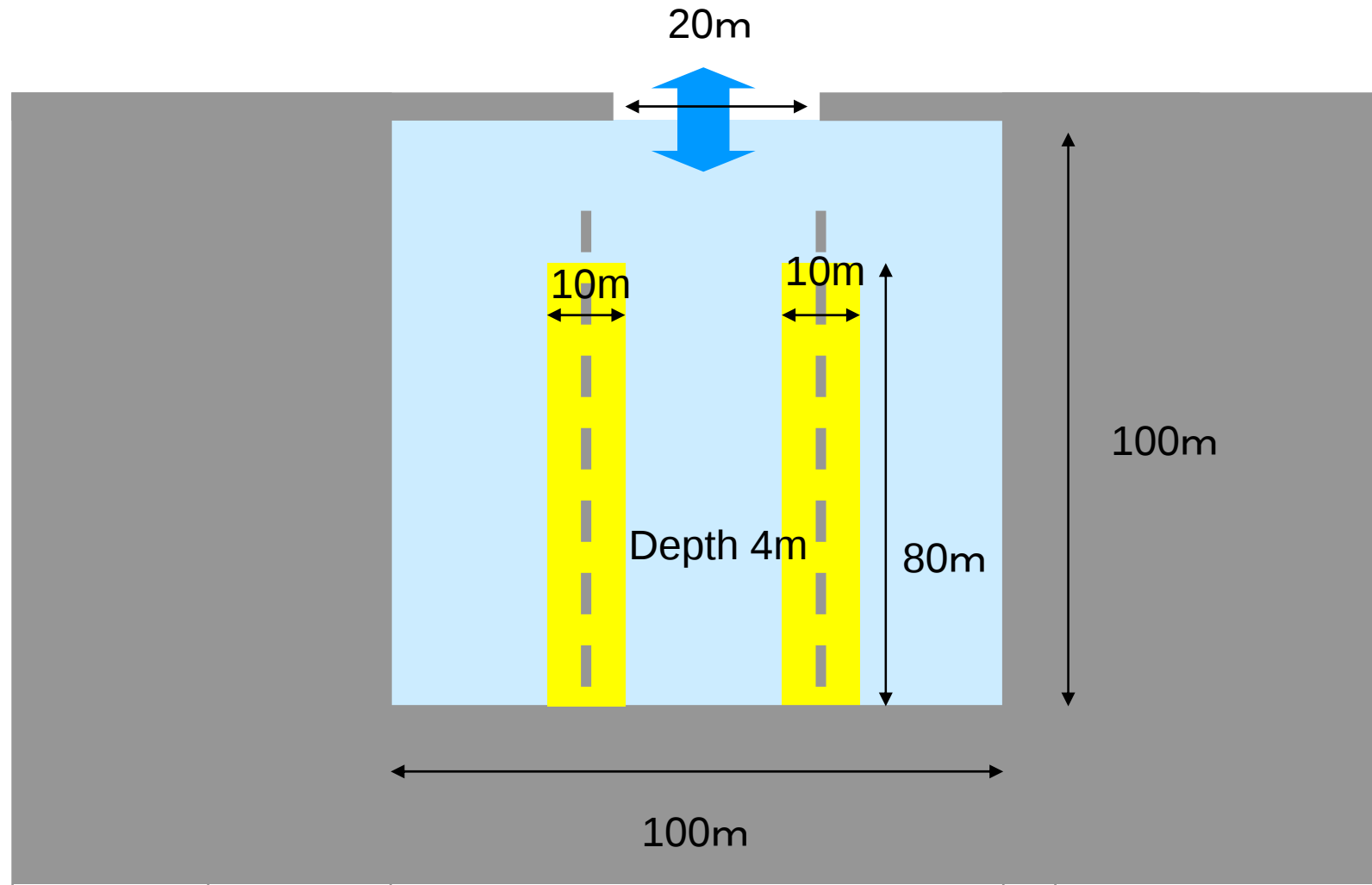
Special care on the photolysis

- a major decomposition process of modern antifouling agents in the aquatic environment.
- changes of the light intensity in the environment
- the model deals with the effect of sun light intensity change with time and penetration into the water column

Enoshima Marina



Marina Model



Photolysis Model

Photolysis:

Quasi-First Order Kinetics

$$dC/dt = -kC$$

Rate Constant for Photolysis:

Proportional to Light Irradiation Intensity

$$k = \alpha I$$

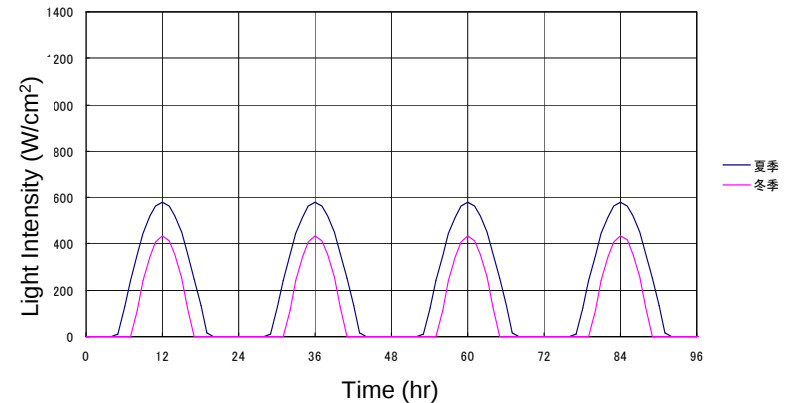
Sun Light Irradiation Intensity:

(Time, Day, Latitude, Weather)

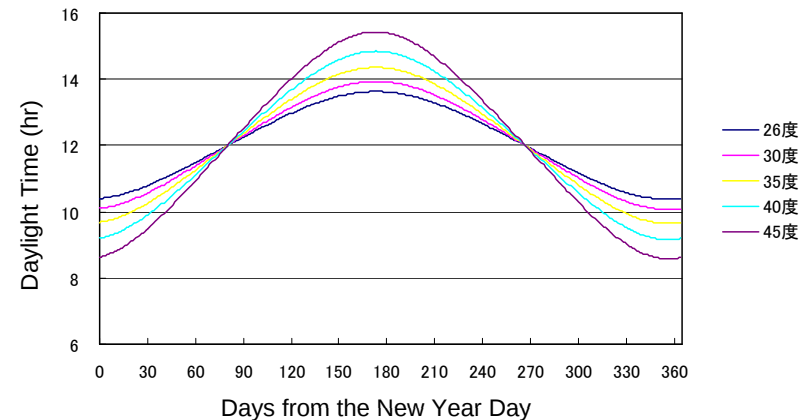
Light Penetration into water:

(Transparency, Wave Length, Suspended and dissolved matter)

$$I = I_0 \times 10^{-Kz}$$



Light Intensity Change by day



Daylight Time Change during a year

Leaching and Diffusion Models

Leaching Rate

$$R_L = k_L A_S (C^* - C)$$

R_L : Leaching Rate (g/m²)

k_L : Leaching Rate Constant (m/sec)

A_S : Leaching Surface Area (m²-ship hull/m²)

C^* : Saturation Concentration of AF(g/m³)

C : Concentration of AF(g/m³)

Diffusion

(Horizontal, Vertical)

$$D_{e,x} \partial C / \partial x,$$

$$D_{e,z} \partial C / \partial z$$

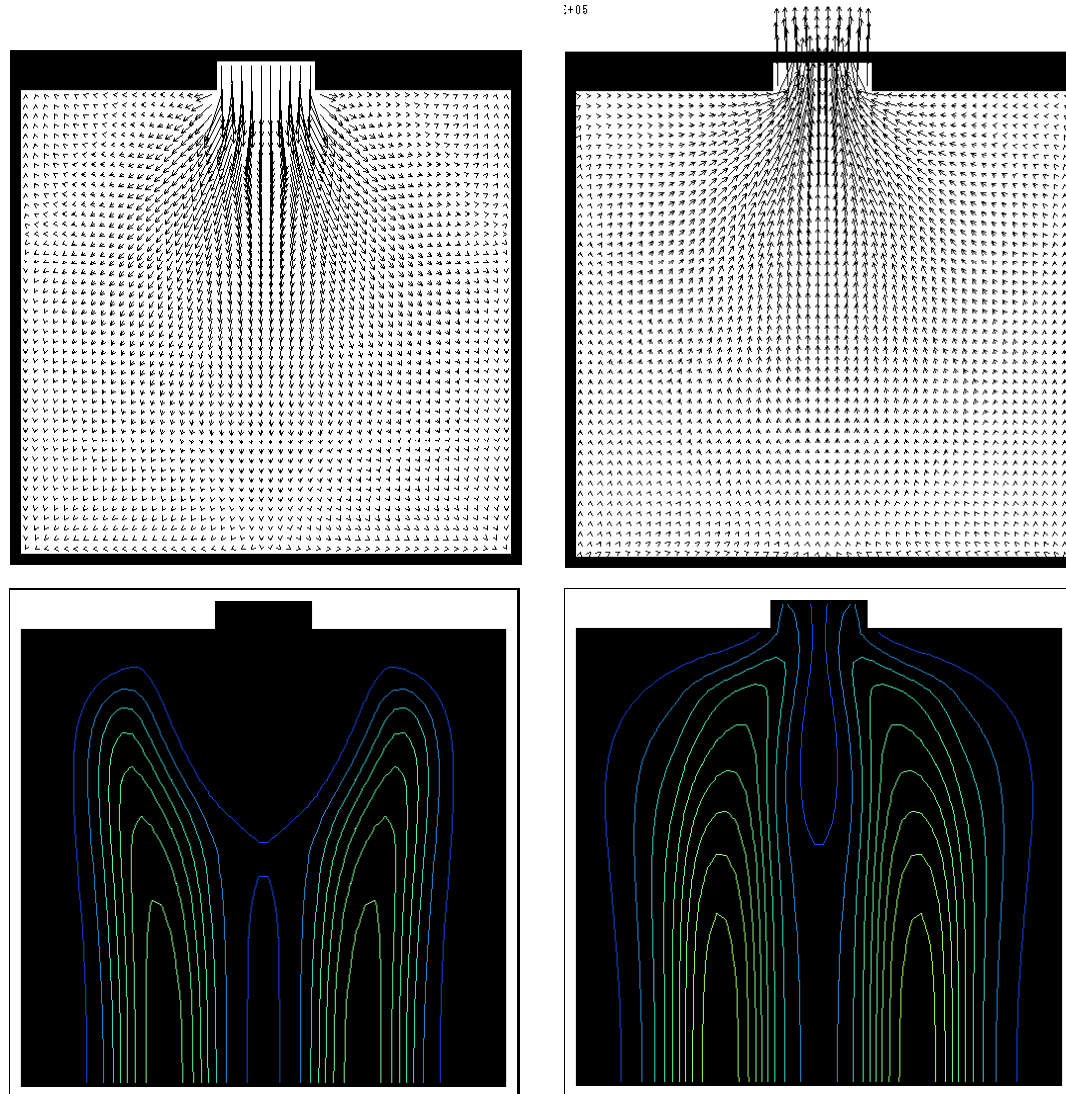
Water Flow

3D Numerical Analysis

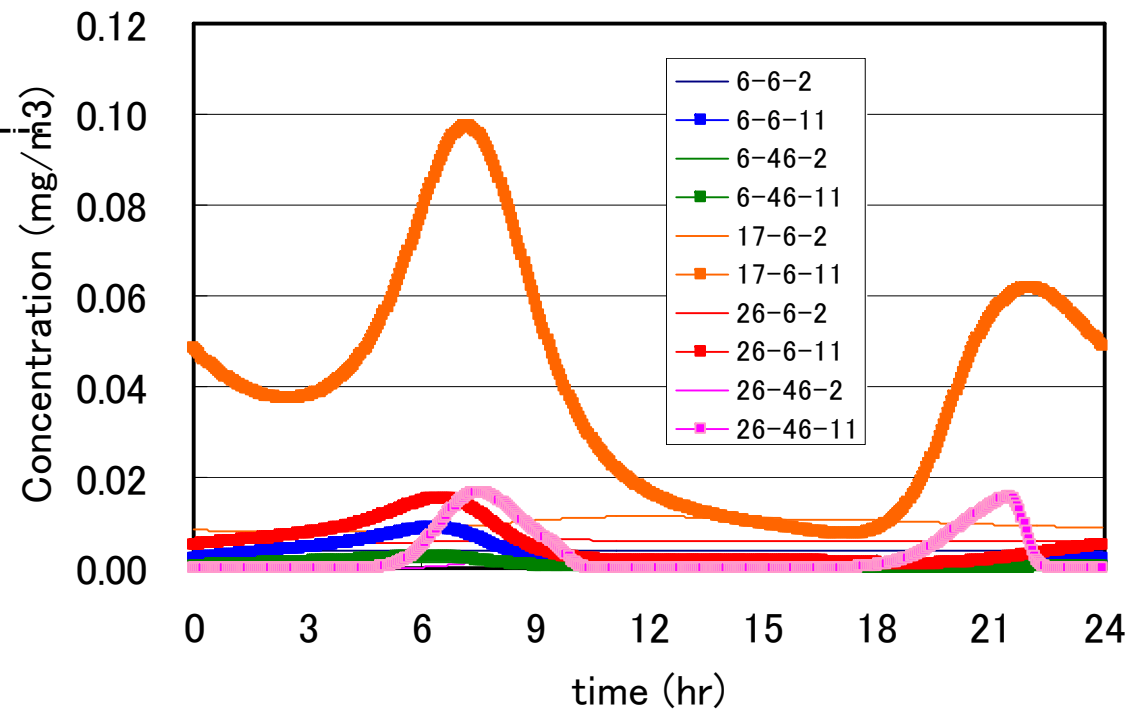
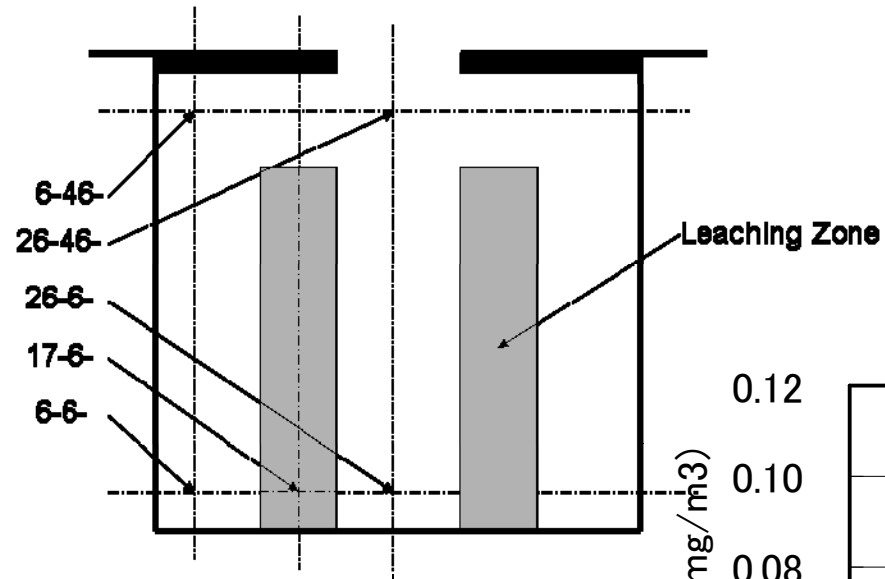
Reference condition

Tide difference	1m
Tide at 0 a.m.	Mid. Up tide
Horizontal effective diffusion constant	0.0001m ² /sec
Vertical effective diffusion constant	0.000001m ² /sec
Half life by photolysis	2220sec (37min)
At sunlight intensity	188W/m ²
Latitude	35N
Day	midsummer day
Weather	sunny
Transparency of the water	1m
Saturation concentration	4000mg/m ³
Leaching rate constant	6×10^{-9} m/sec

Water Flow and Concentration Profile

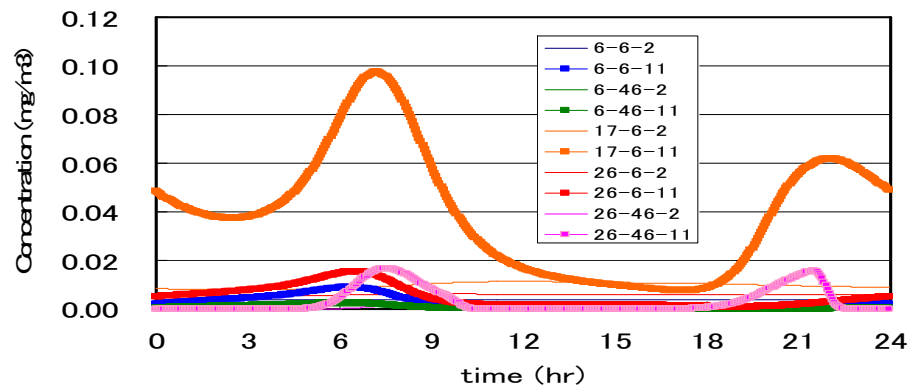


Calculation result

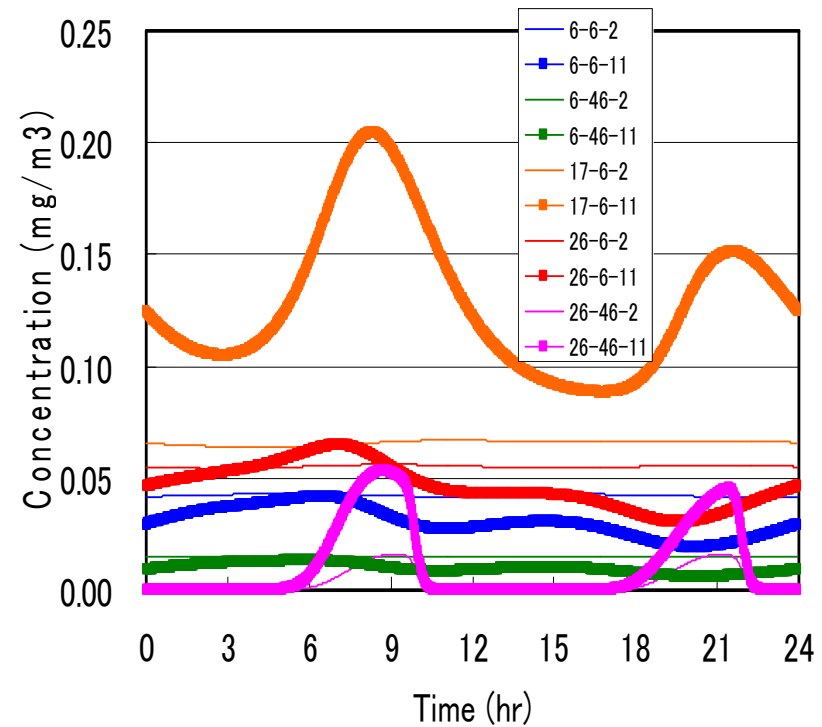


Case study

Half life period the photolysis



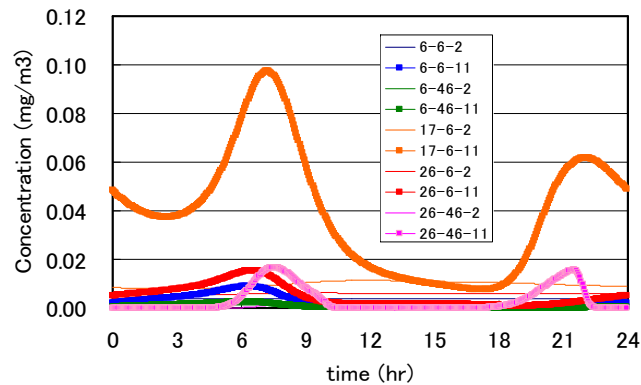
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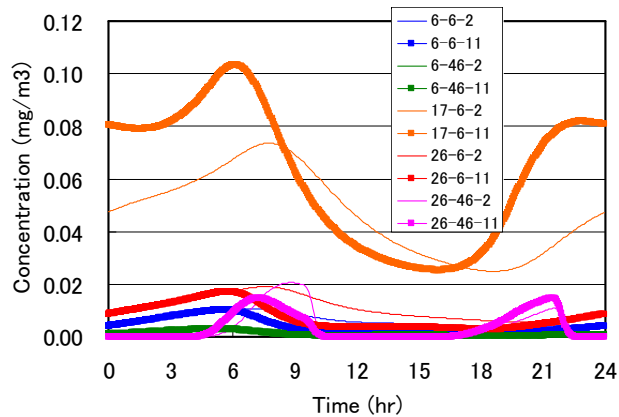
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Case study

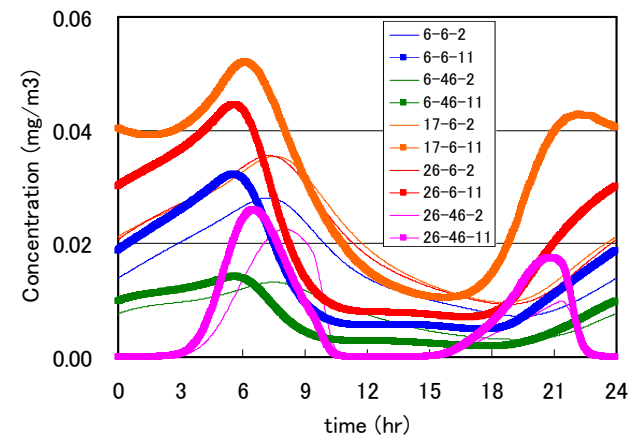
Effective Diffusion Coefficient



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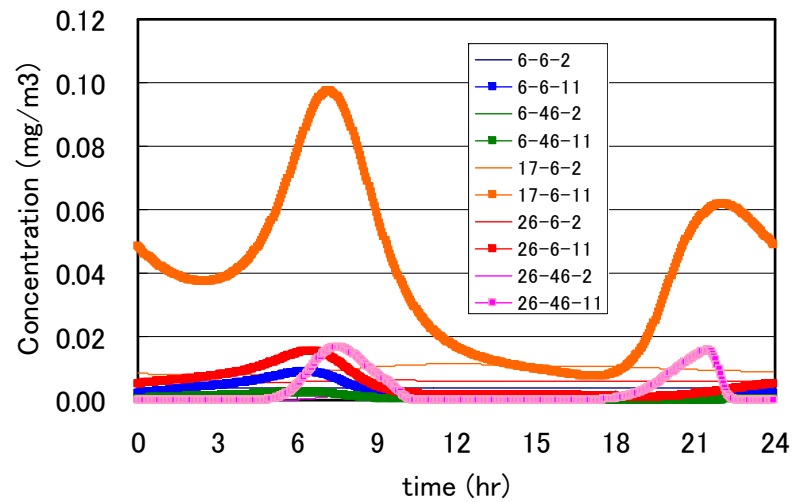


Vertical diffusion coefficient *10

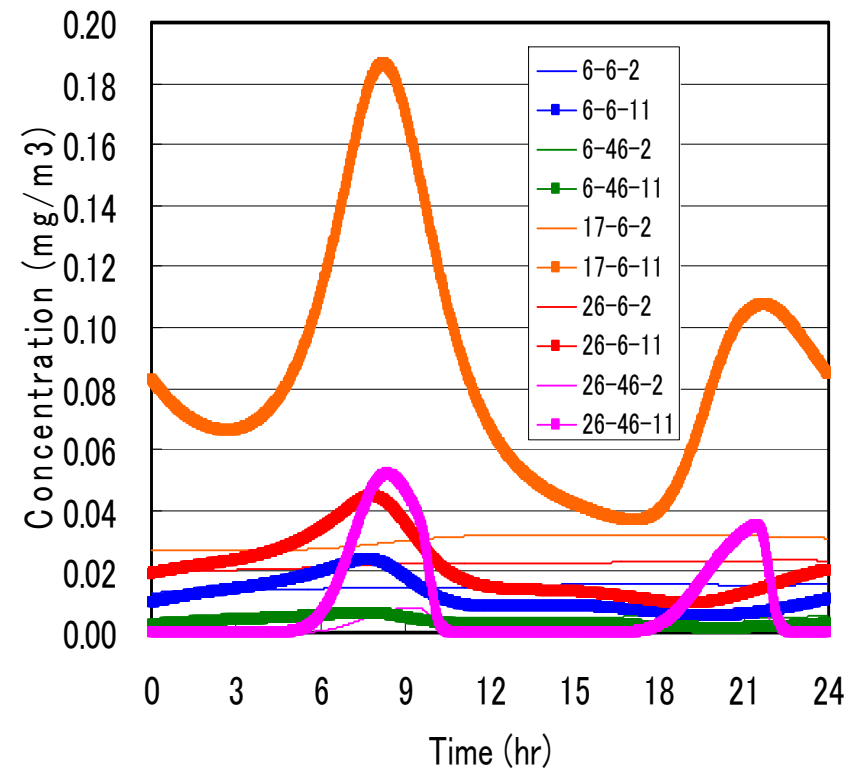


Vertical diffusion coefficient *10
Horizontal diffusion coefficient *10

Seasonal Change

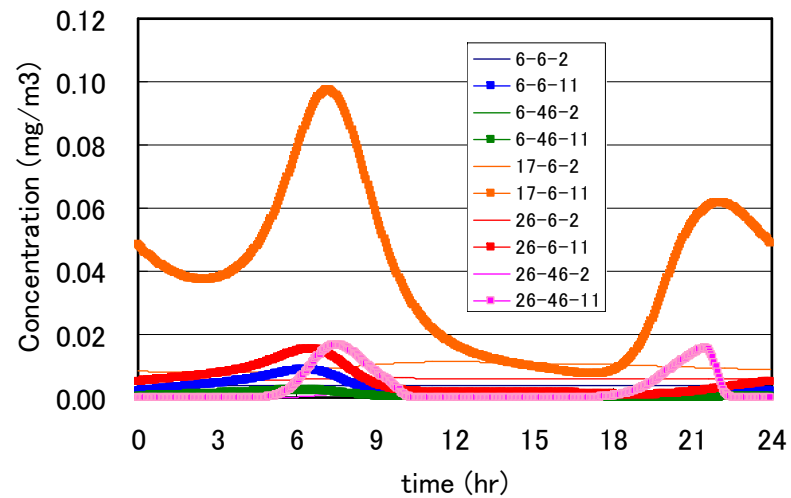


Summer

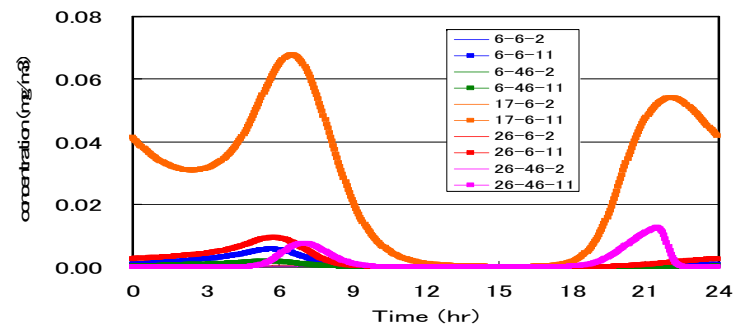


Winter

Transparency of Water

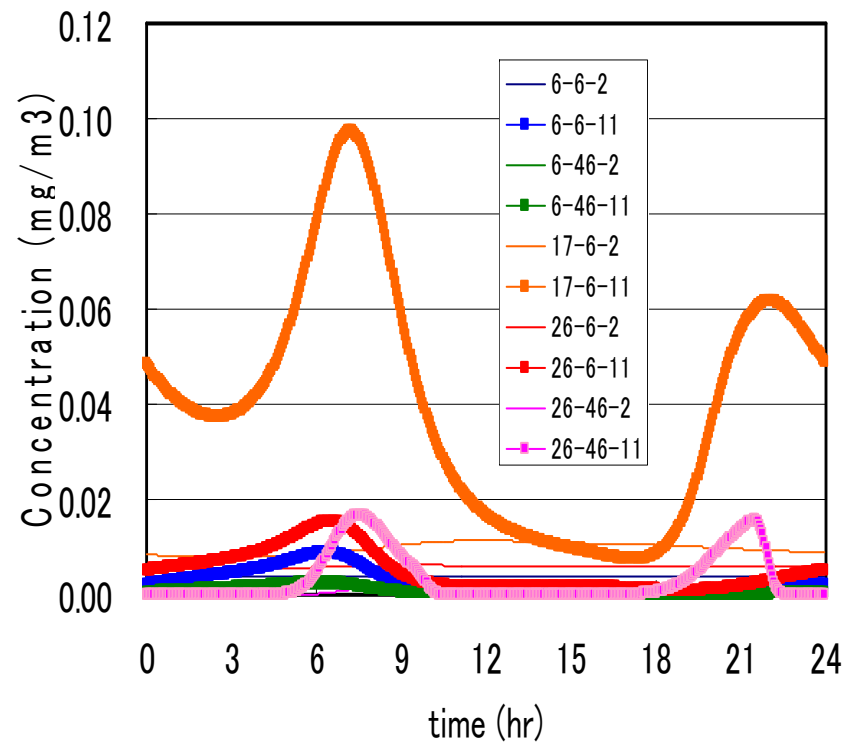


Transparency : 2m

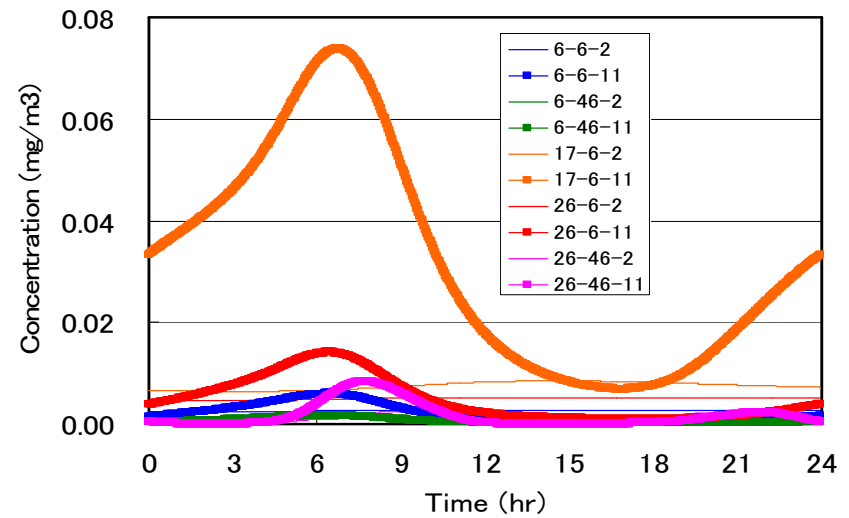


Transparency : 5m

Range of Tides

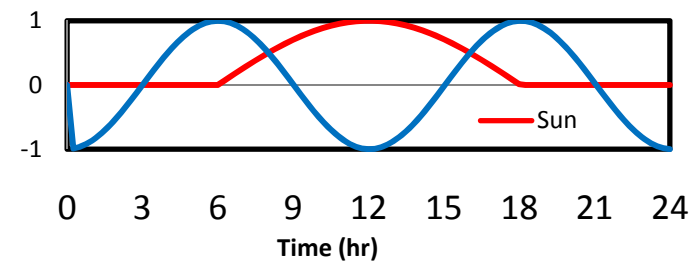
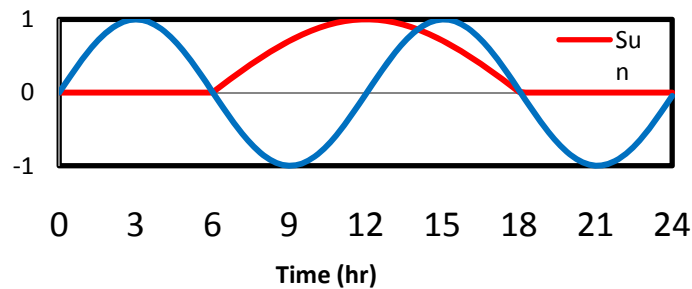
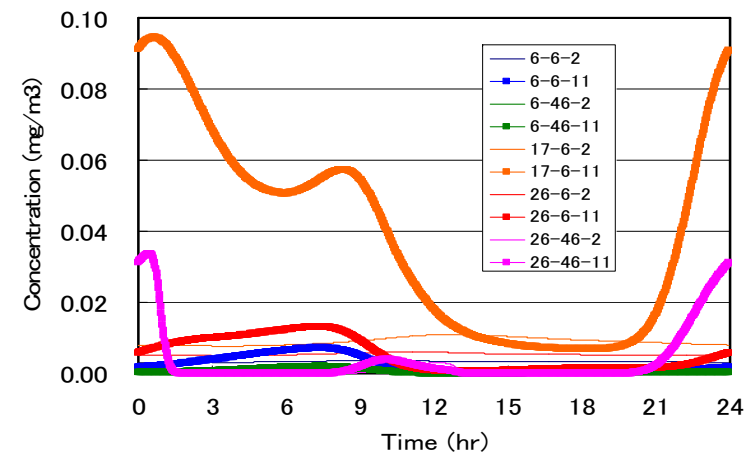
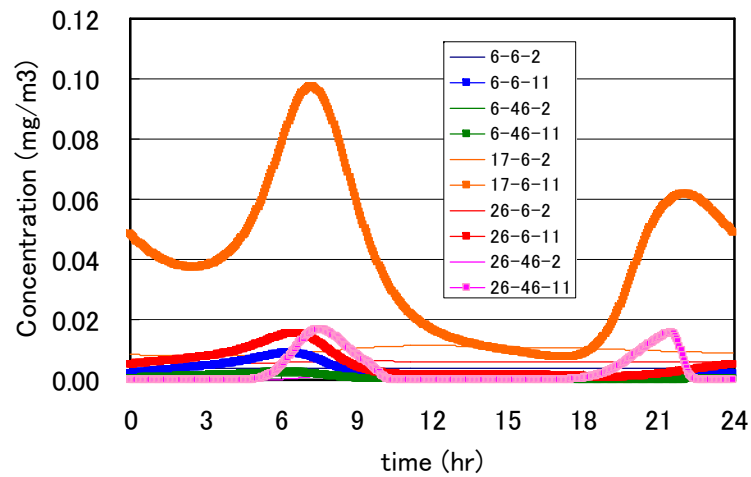


1.0m



0.2m

Phase Difference between Sun and Tide



Conclusion

- Model calculation results show concentration profile change with time and location.
- Some of the results were very sensitive to environmental parameters.
- The values for the parameters could be changed by time, season, weather and geographical conditions.
- It implies uncertainty in the environment concentration prediction and monitoring.

Conclusion

- It suggests that it is essential to evaluate adequately the environmental parameters, and to take proper sample representing the environment.
- What is the environmental Concentration to be predicted/evaluated?
- What is the realistic and meaningful worst case scenario?