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# Transport processes in rock and soil

## Lecture 2

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# Reminder

- Porous medium
- Homogenization
- Representative elementary volume (REV)
- Porosity
- Darcy's Law
  - Hydraulic conductivity
  - Piezometric head
- Average pore velocity X Darcy velocity

# Plans

- Darcy's Law in 3D – differential form
- Full system of flow equations (+balance)
- Characterisation of the hydraulic conductivity K
- Boundary conditions (for diff. eq.)
  - Cases for groundwater flow configurations

# Water flow velocity – reminder

$$v = \frac{1}{V_{REV}^w} \int_{V_{REV}^w} v^{(mic)} dV^w$$

Water/pore volume

v ... Particle movement from point to point

$$q = \frac{1}{V_{REV}} \int_{V_{REV}} v^{(mic)} dV$$

Total volume

q ... Amount of water (across unit area)

$$\frac{Q}{S} = |\vec{v}|$$

$$q S = v S n$$

$$q = v n$$

$$v = \frac{q}{n}$$

$$v > q$$

q ... “Darcy velocity”  
(flow rate density)

v ... (average) pore velocity

# Differential form

- Experimental column ... infinitesimally small distance
- Spatial coordinates
- Generalized Darcy's Law

$$\begin{aligned} h(\vec{x}) \\ p(\vec{x}) \\ \vec{q}(\vec{x}) \\ K \end{aligned}$$

3D

$$\vec{q} = -K \nabla h$$

ZOBEZNĚNÝ DARCY Z.

$$\vec{q} = -K \left( \frac{\nabla p}{\rho g} + \nabla \eta \right)$$
$$q_x = -K \frac{\partial h}{\partial x} \dots$$

# Hydraulic conductivity

- Controlled by
  - Porous medium properties (microstructure geometry)
  - Fluid properties (viscosity)

$$\vec{q} = -K \left( \frac{\nabla h}{\rho g} + \nabla \pi \right)$$

$K \leftarrow$  VLASTNOST PROSTREDI

↗ - II - TEKUTINY ... VISKOSITA

$$K = \frac{k \cdot \rho \cdot g}{\mu} = \frac{k \cdot \alpha}{\tau}$$

$\left[ \text{m}^2/\text{s} \right]$

$$\vec{q} = -\frac{k}{\mu} (\nabla h + \rho g \nabla \pi)$$

$\tau \dots$  KINEMAT. VISK  $[\text{m}^2/\text{s}]$

$\mu \dots$  DYNAM. VISK  $[\text{Pa} \cdot \text{s}]$

$k \dots$  PERMEABILITA  
PROSTREDI'  $[\text{m}^2]$

DARCY  
 $1 \text{D} \approx 10^{-12} \text{ m}^2$

$K / k \dots$  factor about  $10^7$  for water

Kinematic viscosity

Dynamic viscosity

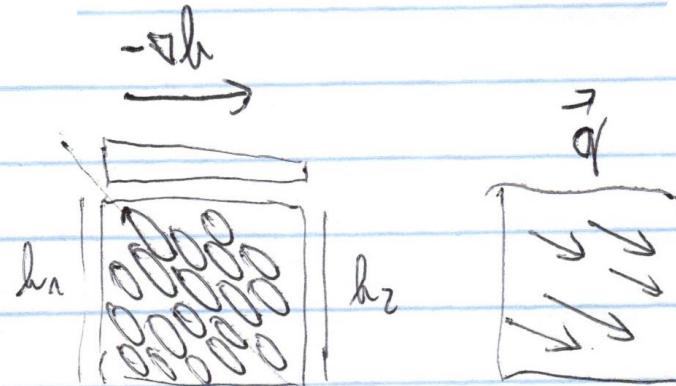
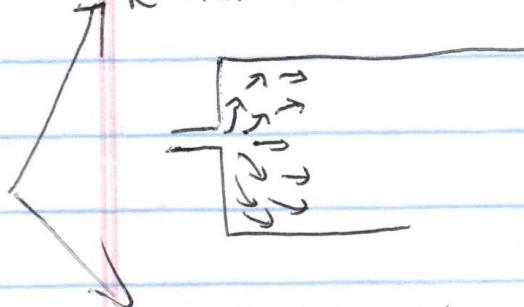
Permeability

Special unit 1 "Darcy"

# Pore geometry ... anisotropy ... K

Scalar for isotropic medium

$K$  SKALÁR PRO IZOTROPNÍ



ANIZOTROPIE

$K$  ... TENSOR

(SYMETR.)

6 SLOŽEK

$$\begin{pmatrix} K_{11} & K_{12} & K_{13} \\ K_{21} & K_{22} & K_{23} \\ K_{31} & K_{32} & K_{33} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} K_{xx} & K_{xy} & \dots \\ \dots & \dots & \dots \end{pmatrix}$$

Symmetric tensor  
for anisotropic  
... 6 components

TYPICKÝ: ORTOTROPNÍ

Common case is "orthotropic"

$$\begin{pmatrix} K_x & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & K_y & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & K_z \end{pmatrix}$$

(SOVĚ. SYSTÉM V HLAVNÍCH  
SMERECH)

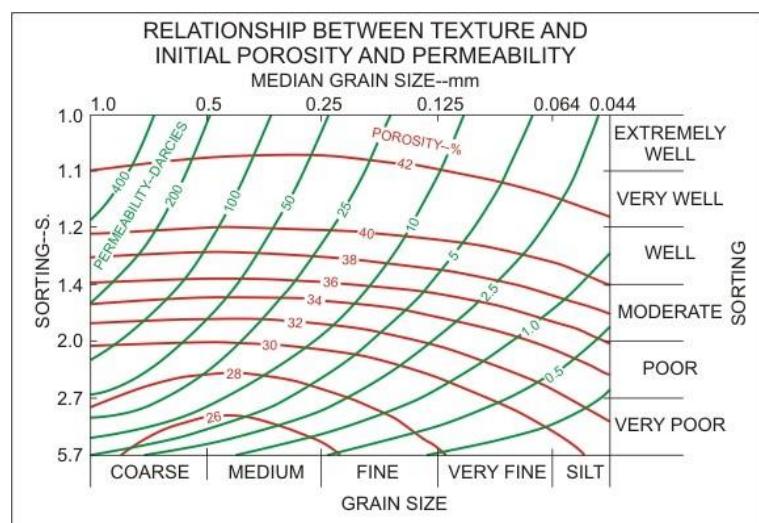
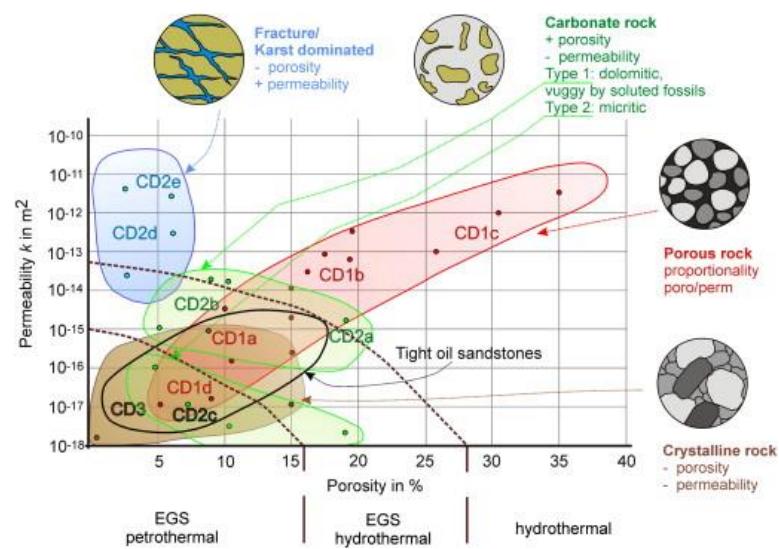
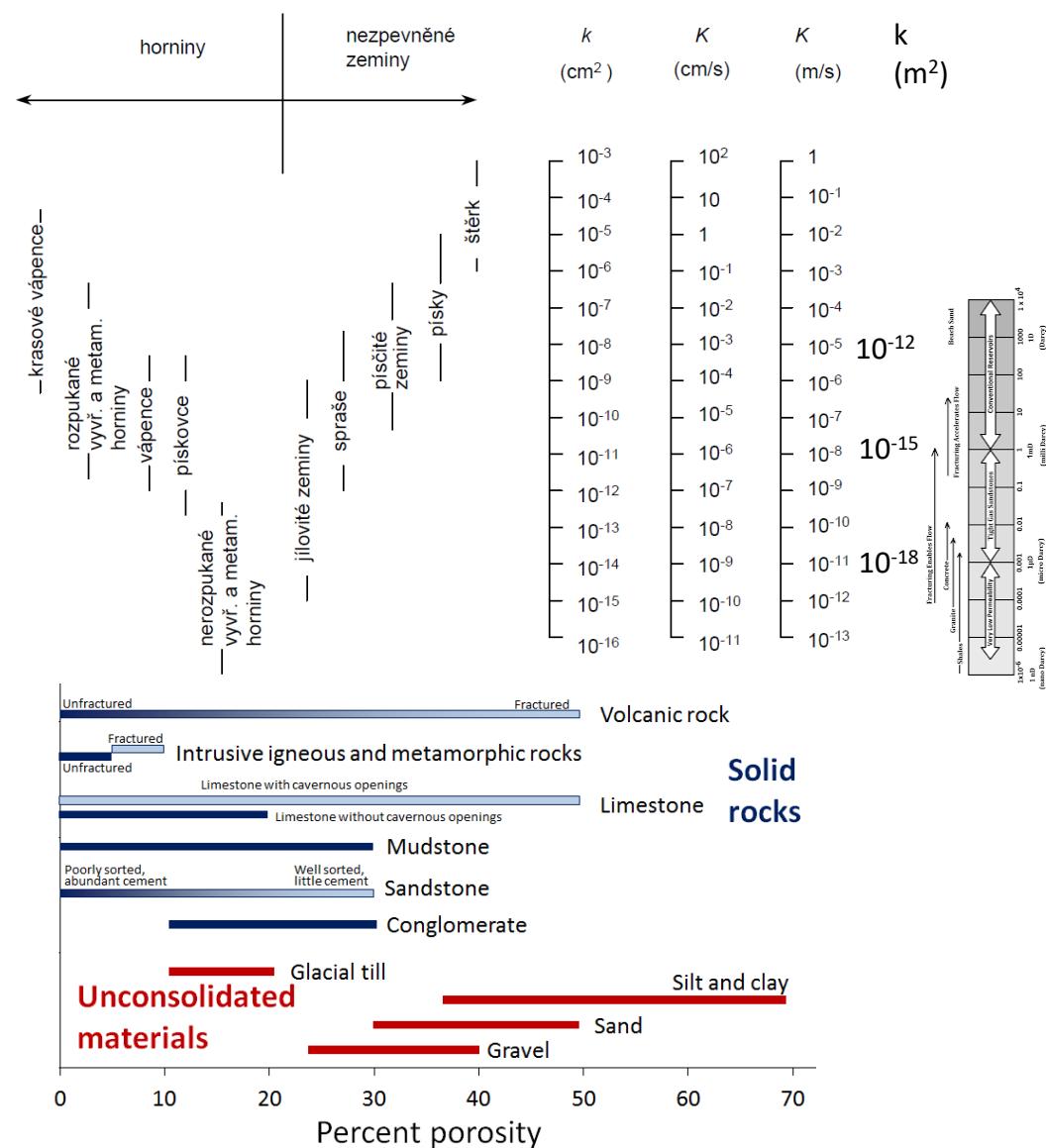
Coordinate system in principal directions

PODZEMNÍ VODA V SEDIMENTECH

Groundwater in sediments

$K_{HORZ} \gg K_{VERTEK}$

# Properties of rock/soil



# Full system of governing equation for porous media flow

Darcy's Law

Balance equation  
(mass conservation principle)

SYSTEM ROWNIC

- Darcy z. ✓

- ROWNICE BILANCE

(ZÁK. ZACH. HMOTY, ROWNICE KONTINUITA)

quantities

VELIČINY  $\vec{q}(\vec{x}, t)$

$\vec{q}(\vec{x}, t)$

Fully saturated pores

PLNE NASTYCENÉ (SATUROVAT)

ZÁSTŘEŽNĚ NASTYC.

(PÓRY: VODA + VZDUCH)

Partially saturated pores

BILANCE



ZMĚNA V OBJEVU ~ TOK PŘES STĚNU (HRAVICI)

Balance: change inside the volume vs  
flux across the boundary

$$\frac{d}{dt} \int_V \rho \cdot m \, dV = - \int_{\partial V} \rho \vec{q} \cdot d\vec{S} + \int_V P \rho \, dV$$

HMOTNOST

mass

Volumetric source  
P objemový zdroj  
[m³/m³/s]

ZDROJE / PROPADY

Sources/sinks

OBJEMOVÝ (GAUSS.V.)

Transform to volume integral

$$\frac{d}{dt} \int_V \rho \cdot n dV = - \int_{\partial V} \rho \vec{q} dS + \int_V P \rho dV$$

↓  
HOMOGENITÄT

↓  
OBSTETRICKÉ (GAUSS. V.)

↓  
ZDROJE / PROPPADY

P objemový zdroj  
[m³/m³/s]

$$\int_{\partial V} \rho \vec{q} dS = \int_V \nabla \cdot (\rho \vec{q}) dV$$

↓  
 $\nabla \cdot (\rho \vec{q})$

$$\int_V \left( \frac{d}{dt} (\rho n) dV + \int_V \nabla \cdot (\rho \vec{q}) dV - \int_V P \rho dV \right) = 0$$

↓  
Arbitrary dV

↓  
LIBOVOLNÝ V

↓  
INTEGRAND = 0

$$\frac{d}{dt} (\rho n) + \nabla \cdot (\rho \vec{q}) = P \rho$$

STLAČITELNOST compressibility

Both fluid and solid matrix are incompressible

A) NESTLAČITELNÁ TEKUTINA I MATRICE  $\rightarrow \frac{d}{dt}(\rho n) = 0$

ROVNICE  $\nabla \cdot \vec{q} = P$

DOSAŽENÍ

$$\nabla \cdot (-K \nabla h) = P$$

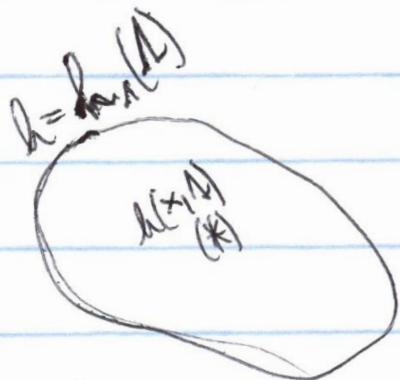
$$-\nabla \cdot (K \nabla h)$$

K konst. ...  $-K \nabla h = P$  (\*)

$$h(\vec{x})$$

Potential field

POTENCIÁLOVÉ POLE



PDR ELLIPTICKÁ

Elliptic partial differential equation (PDE)

Instant reaction to external condition change = "perfect inelastic"

IDEALIZACE ... OKAMŽITÁ REAKCE NA ZMĚNU VNEJSÍCH PODM.  
... "IDÁLNĚ NEPRUŽNÝ"

APROX: SERVENCE STACIONÁRNÍCH STAVŮ

Model approximation as a sequence of steady states

# Compressible case

B) STRÁŽITELNÉ  
MATRICE  $m$

TEKUT.  $p$

Changing fluid density

Changing porosity

$$\dot{m} \frac{dp}{dt} + p \frac{dm}{dt} + \nabla \cdot (p \vec{q}) = Pg$$

STRÁŽ.  $(p(n))$   
 $n(p)$

Constitutive relations

KONSTITUČNÍ  
VZTAHY

$$\alpha \frac{dh}{dt} + \beta \frac{dh}{dT}$$

$$\frac{dp}{dt} = \frac{dp}{dpn} \cdot \left( \frac{dpn}{dt} \right)$$

$$" \frac{dh}{dt}"$$

$$\boxed{S_0 \frac{dh}{dt} + \nabla (p \vec{q}) = Pg}$$

Specific storativity

$S_0$  ... SPECIFICKÁ STORATIVITA

VODA ... POMÍNĚNÉ STRÁŽITELNOST MATRICE

(POHYB ZRN VŮCÍ SOBĚ)

$$\boxed{S_0 \frac{dh}{dt} - \nabla \cdot (K \nabla h) = P}$$

PDR PARABOLICKÁ

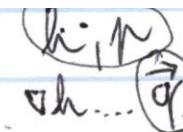
Parabolic PDE

Matrix compressibility dominates for water (movement of grains)

# Boundary conditions

PDR 2. ŘÁDU OBECNĚ  
Generic 2<sup>nd</sup> order PDE

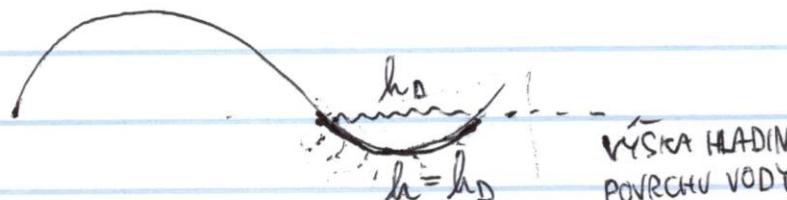
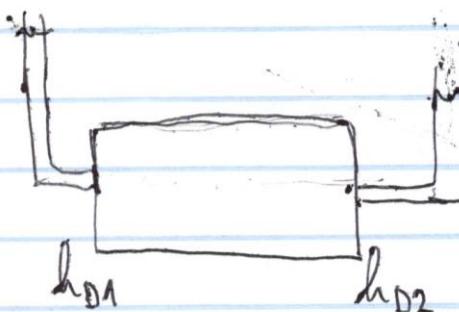
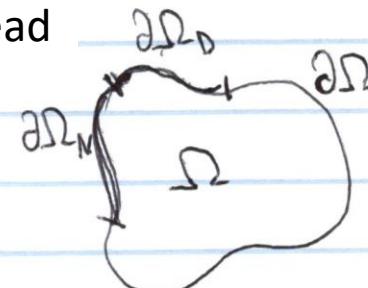
- DIRICHLET (1. DR.) NEZN. Primary unknown
- NEUMANN (2. DR.) DERIV. derivative
- 3. DR. NEZN. + DERIV.



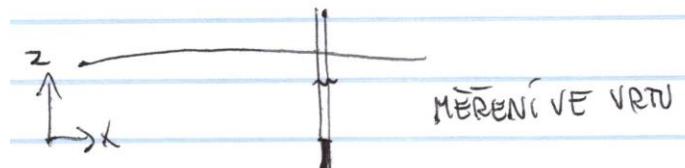
**DIRICHLET** Prescribed pressure or piezometric head

= PRESCRIBED TAK / HYDR. VÝŠKA

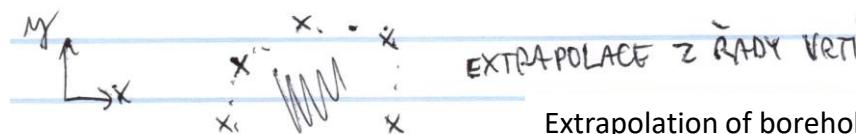
$$h(\vec{x}, t) = h_D(\vec{x}, t) \quad \vec{x} \in \partial\Omega_D$$



Water level



Borehole  
measurement

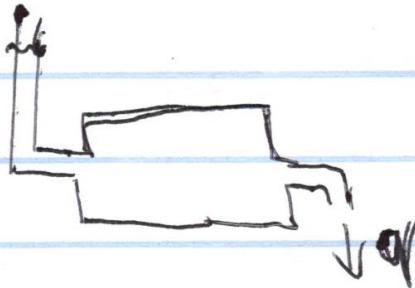


Extrapolation of borehole points

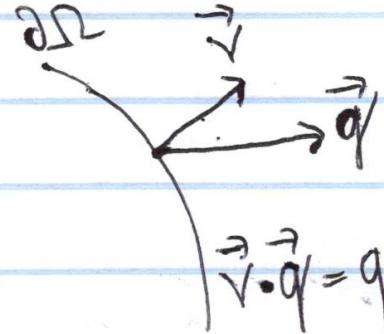
NEUMANN

DERNACE  $\rightarrow$  TOK Prescribed flux

$$-\nabla \cdot (k \nabla h) = q_N$$



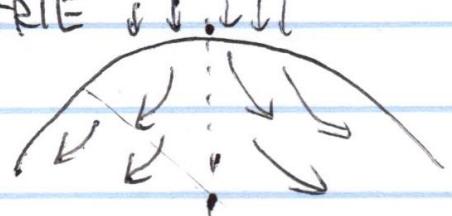
$x - z'$



NULOVÝ TOK  $\nabla \cdot (k \nabla h) = 0$

-IZOLOVANÁ HŘANICE

-SYMETRIE

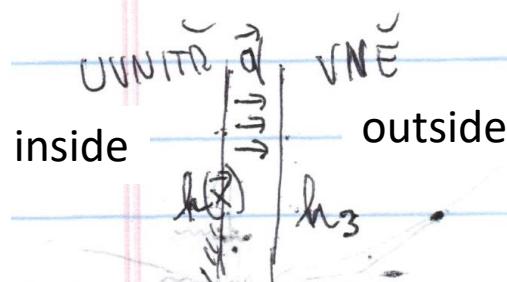


Zero flux for

- Isolated boundary
- symmetry

3<sup>rd</sup> kind b.c.

O.P. 3. DRUHU (CAUCHY, ~~NEU~~ NEWTON)



inside

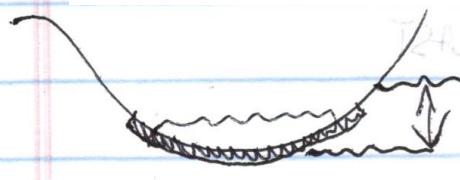
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HŘANICE = POLOPROPUSNÁ VRSTVA

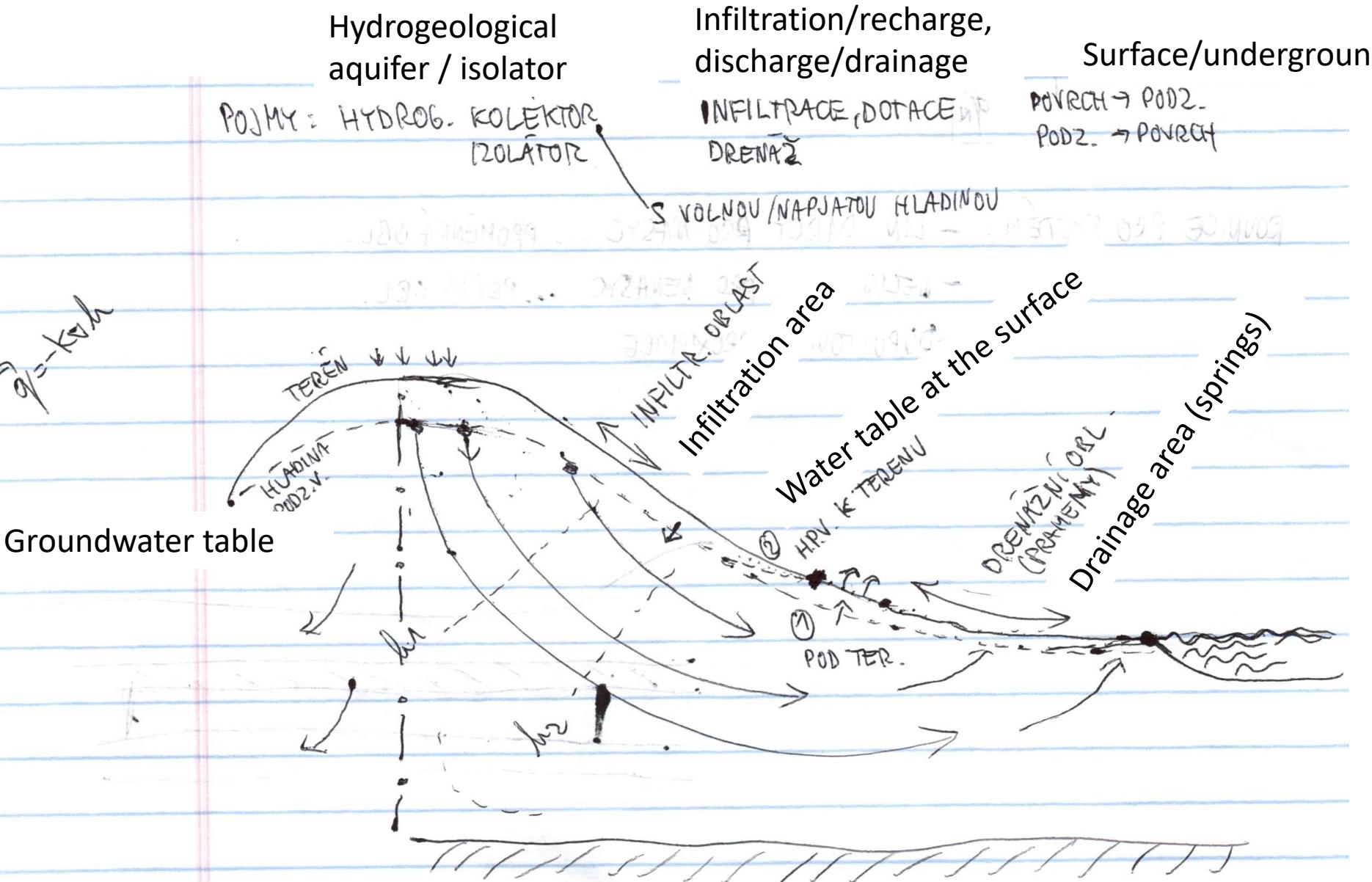
Boundary = semipermeable layer

$$-\nabla \cdot (k \nabla h) = G(h(x,A) - h_3)$$

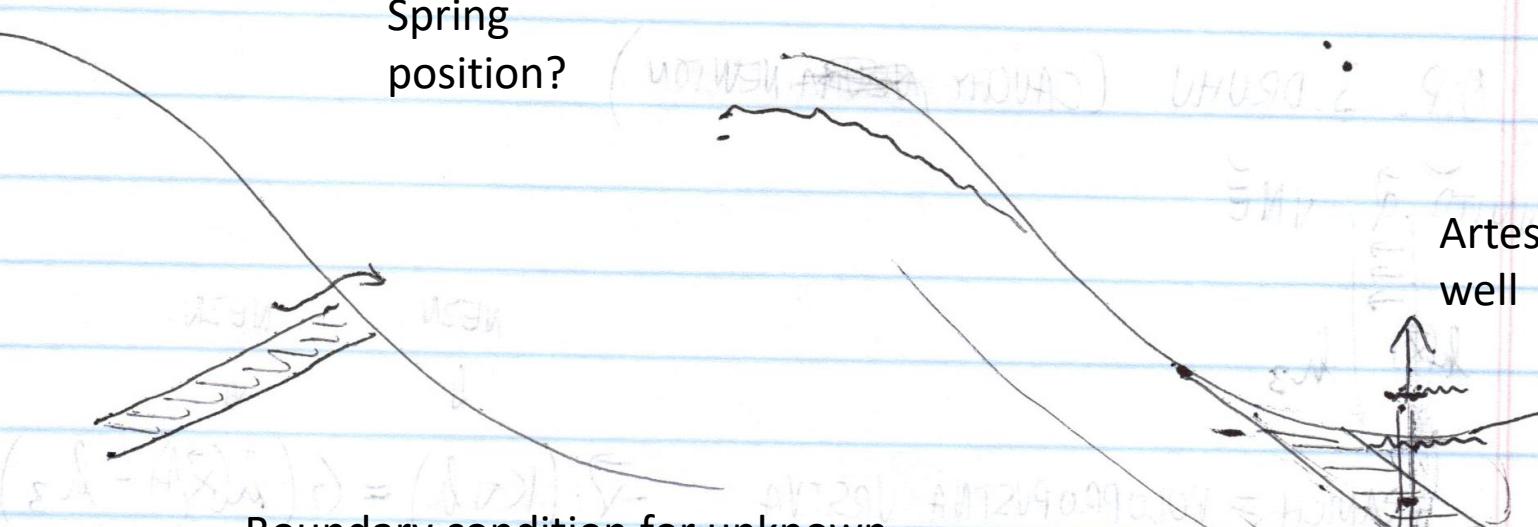
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KOEF.  
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KOEF.  
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ZADANÁ  
given



# Examples – natural groundwater systems



Spring  
position?



Boundary condition for unknown  
infiltration/drainage area

OKRAJOVÁ PODMINKA - NEZNÁMA INFILT. / DREN. OBLAST

"SEE PAGE FACE"

NELIN. - ZÁVISÍ NA HODNOTĚ ŘEŠENÍ  $h(\vec{x}) \vec{q}(\vec{x})$

Nonlinear – depends on unknown quantities

$$\text{INFILTR.: DÁNO } \vec{q} \cdot \vec{v} < 0 \quad \boxed{\vec{q}_N < 0}$$

$$\text{DREN. NEZN. } \vec{q} \cdot \vec{v} > 0 \quad \boxed{\vec{q}_N = 0}$$

variants:

Saturated ... linear ... variable domain

Unsaturated ... nonlinear ... fixed dom.

Dupuit approximation

ROVNICE PRO SYSTÉM: - LIN. DAROT PRO NÄSYC ... PROMĚNNÁ OBL.

- NELIN. PRO NENÄSYC ... PEVNÁ OBL.

- DUPUITOVA APROXIMACE