

Physical model testing of breakwater design

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Carrier Contraction (1)



Breakwater design using XBlocPlus – 1.2 m wave flume

#### Testing of existing vs improved geotextile groyne design



UNSW Water Research Laboratory Wave Period: 12 s Wave Height: 1.8 m Water Level: 1.55 m AHD

Existing Groyne



Wave deflector being used to reduce overtopping under bore wave condition

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## Testing wave pumping forces



Short crested waves - wave basin

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Real-time video monitoring of wave overtopping



Modelling wave overtopping risks to pedestrians

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Testing wave uplift pressures on a coastal walkway overhang



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Ocean pool research and design



### Physical modelling of a Pacific Island during a cyclone



### Tuvalu reef waves – 0.9 m wave flume



### Ohau Point, New Zealand – 3 m wave flume



Physical model construction using hanbar armour units



# Stepped seawall design testing – 1.2 m wave flume



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