

**Editor's Comment:**

This paper is interesting.

The paper addresses a significant aspect of hydraulic engineering by modeling fluid flow in a specific section of an open horseshoe channel with lateral inflow channels. This is relevant for optimizing channel design and managing water resources effectively.

The results appear to be well-validated with either experimental data or theoretical benchmarks, which strengthens the credibility of the findings. The paper acknowledges the limitations of the study, such as the assumptions made in the modeling process. It also outlines areas for future research, including more comprehensive simulations and real-world validations.

The author addressed the main concerns from the reviews, the revised version of the manuscript appears to be good. It looks READY for publication.

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