

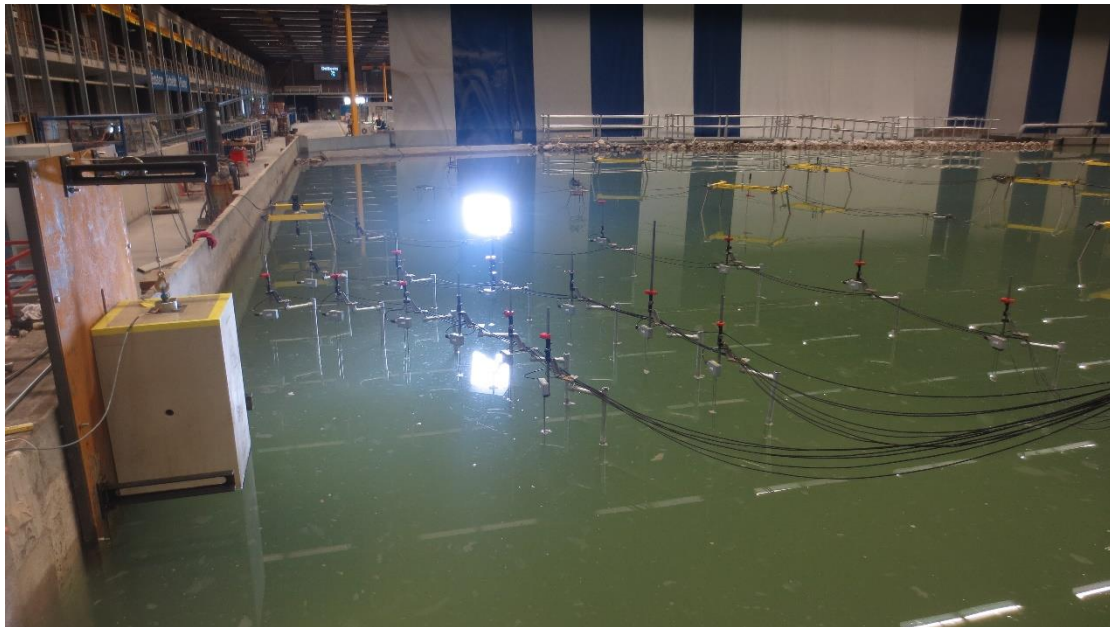


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Document objective

This data storage plan describes the experimental program and how tests should be performed. When all data has been obtained, the data storage plan is updated to a data storage report. In the data storage report, the data is described so that others can use them.

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1 Objectives

The background of this study can be found in Chen et al. (2019), Heller et al. (2019) and on the HYDRALAB+ website under *Experiments by Invited Researchers* under the main menu *Research & Resource* (search with the key phrase “Tsunami”). This research aims to enhance our physical understanding of tsunamis caused by ice calving and to support the associated “ice-tsunami” hazard assessment. This will be achieved with the following five objectives:

- I. Conduct large-scale ice-tsunami experiments in the 50 m × 50 m large Delta Basin under variation of the ice calving mechanisms (capsizing, fall, over-turning) as well as the mass volume and kinematics
- II. Quantify the tsunami features (height, length, velocity) and cross-compare the tsunamigenic potential from the five different ice calving mechanisms
- III. Relate the new findings to an established landslide-tsunami hazard assessment method to potentially transfer knowledge
- IV. Analysis of the new data using the highly promising new wave component decomposition method Korteweg-de Vries equations in combination with the nonlinear Fourier transform
- V. Provide benchmark test cases to the numerical modelling community and apply the test cases to calibrate and validate numerical simulations of members of the project team to investigate additional ice-tsunami scenarios

2 Experimental setup

2.1 General description

Several ice calving mechanisms have been proposed in the technical literature including (i) capsizing, (ii) fall and (iii) over-turning (Fig. 2.1a). In mechanism (i) the ice mass is neutrally floating offshore such that gravity and buoyancy forces are in equilibrium. The behaviour of an ice mass in mechanisms (ii) and (iii) depends on the vertical position of the mass relative to the still water level (SWL); If the mass is initially located above the SWL, then gravity force is most relevant for the mechanism (gravity dominated) and the mass moves downwards after release. This is illustrated in the two sketches on the left-hand side of Figs. 2.1a(ii) and 2.1a(iii). If the mass is initially located below the SWL, then the buoyancy force is most relevant for the mechanism (buoyancy dominated) and the mass moves towards the water surface (sketches on the right-hand side of Figs. 2.1a(ii) and 2.1a(iii)). In this study all five ice calving mechanisms have been investigated namely (i) capsizing, (ii) fall (gravity and buoyancy dominated) and (iii) over-turning (gravity and buoyancy dominated) and their tsunamigenic potential.

These five ice calving mechanisms were investigated in the 50 m × 50 m large Delta Basin (picture title page). Blocks consisting of Polypropylene Homopolymer (PPH) with a density similar to ice ($\approx 920 \text{ kg/m}^3$) were released offshore (capsizing, Figs. 2.1b and 5.1c) and at the vertical boundary of the basin (fall, over-turning, Figs. 2.1c,d, 5.1a,b and picture title page). The block sizes were 0.800 m × 0.500 m × 0.500 m (block 1, picture title page) and 0.800 m × 0.500 m × 0.250 m (block 2, picture on bottom of Appendix A). These blocks were unstable in the initial positions due to an imbalance between gravity and buoyancy forces. Their movement was controlled with a rod allowing for rotation and vertical translation (capsizing), an electromagnet (fall) and a fixed rod defining the axis of rotation (over-turning). Some additional tests have been conducted with a 0.215 diameter sphere simulated by a basketball filled with water. Details of the experimental set-up for the individual ice calving mechanisms are given in Section 4 and Appendix B shows detailed technical drawings.

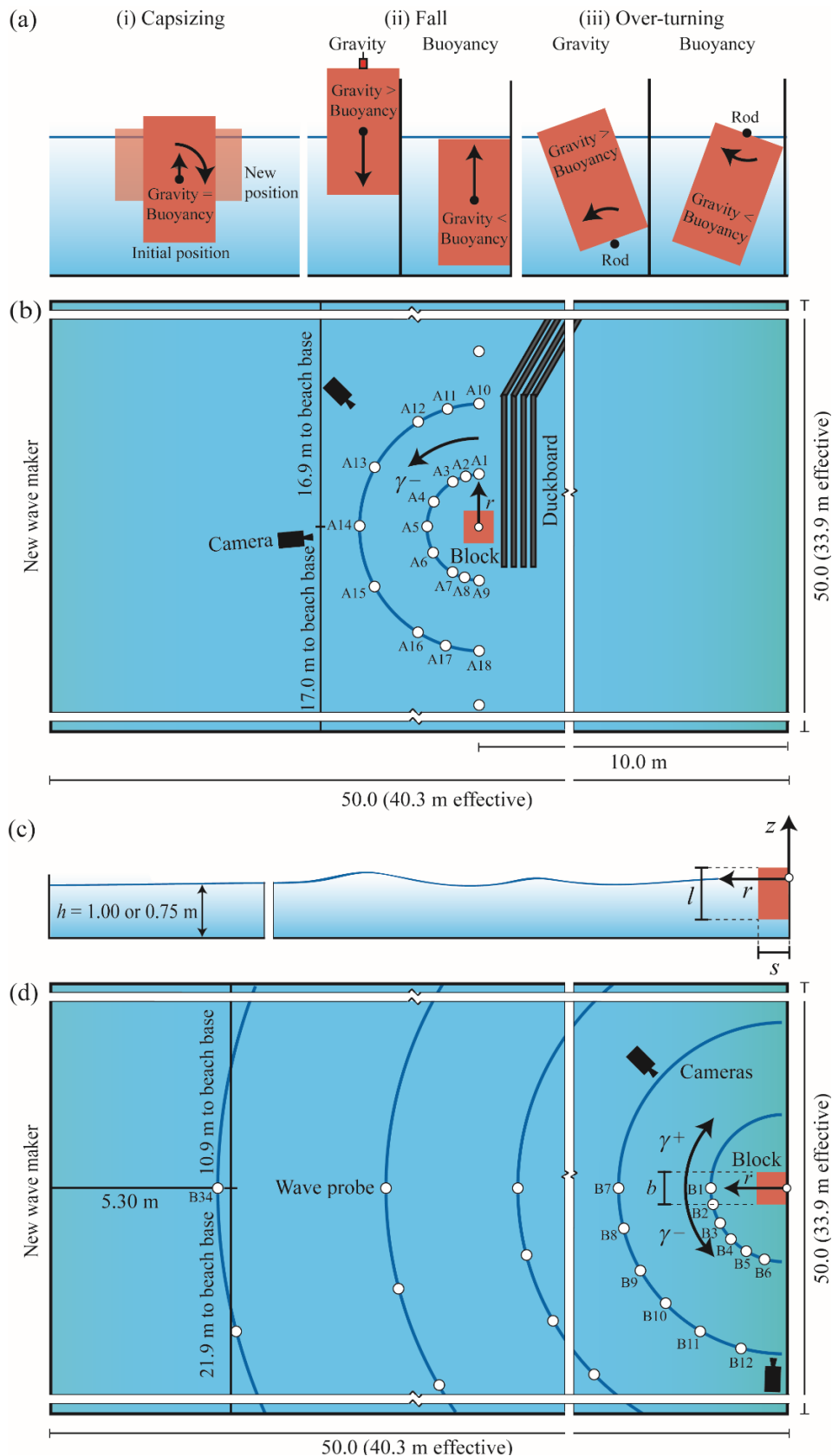


Figure 2.1: Experimental set-up: (a) different ice calving mechanisms including (i) capsizing, (ii) fall (gravity and buoyancy dominated) and (iii) over-turning (gravity and buoyancy dominated), (b) plane view of capsizing case and (c,d) side and plane view of fall experiments. A selection of the numbered wave probes is given, with full details being available from Table 3.1 (not to scale).

2.2 Definition of the coordinate system

The coordinate origins of the cylindrical coordinate systems (r, z, γ) are shown in Fig. 2.1b, c and d. The origins are located for all calving mechanisms in vertical direction z on the water surface. In the horizontal plane the origin is located at the block centre for the capsizing case (Fig. 2.1b) and at the front of the steel plate in the centre of the block in cross-shore direction for all other calving mechanisms (Fig. 2.1c and d). The wave propagation angle γ (angular angle) is defined positive in clockwise direction.

2.3 Relevant fixed parameters

Most dimensionless wave probe locations r/h were held constant for all calving mechanisms to allow for cross-comparison of the tsunamigenic potential between the different ice calving mechanisms. The distance between the rod centre and block surface is 0.048 m for all overturning cases (bottom right picture in Appendix A, Fig. 2.1aiii). The water temperature was $19.3^{\circ}\text{C} \pm 0.4^{\circ}\text{C}$.

3 Instrumentation and data acquisition

3.1 Instruments

The block kinematics was recorded with a 9 Degree of Freedom (DoF) motion sensor (Adafruit BNO055, Fig. 3.1), two cameras (5 MP PointGrey ZBR2-PGEHD-50S5C-CS (used at 15 Hz) and 2 MP IOIndustries Flare 2M280-CXP (used at 100 Hz)) are used for general observations (Fig. 2.1b and d, Table 3.1) and the wave features were recorded in different directions with resistance type wave probes as shown in Fig. 2.1b and d as well as in Table 3.1. The wave probes are numbered anti-clockwise starting at $\gamma = 0^{\circ}$ and from smaller to higher distance r (Fig. 2.1b, d).

The motion sensor was located in a black enclosure which was screwed on the surface of the blocks as shown in Fig. 3.1. For all tests, the centre of the motion sensor was located 0.151 m on the left-hand side of the block centres. For the sphere tests it was located in the centre on top (fall gravity dominated) and bottom (fall buoyancy dominated) of the sphere. Table 4.2 shows the x - and z -locations of the sensor for all experiments, which were required to transform the measurements of the motion sensor from local to global coordinates and to extract the global positions and velocities. The values in the z -direction are evaluated from the position of the bottom of block or sphere relative to the water surface (given in the file name), the block or sphere length and the 3 mm distance of the motion sensor from the outside bottom of the enclosure.

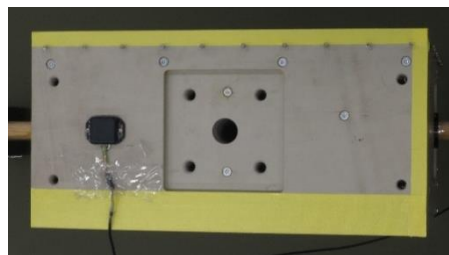


Figure 3.1 Picture showing the location of the motion sensor in the black enclosure during a capsizing test of block 2

Table 3.1 Name and locations of wave probes and cameras

Ice calving mechanism	Device	Water depth h (m)	Locations in function of the radial distance r (m) and the wave propagation angle γ ($^\circ$) (Fig. 2.1b and d)
Capsizing	Wave probes	1.000	A1 (2, 0); A10 (3, 0); A19 (5, 0); A28 (10, 0); A32 (15, 0); A2 (2, -15); A11 (3, -15); A20 (5, -15); A29 (10, -15); A3 (2, -30); A12 (3, -30); A21 (5, -30); A4 (2, -60); A13 (3, -60); A22 (5, -60); A5 (2, -90); A14 (3, -90); A23 (5, -90); A6 (2, -120); A15 (3, -120); A24 (5, -120); A7 (2, -150); A16 (3, -150); A25 (5, -150); A8 (2, -165); A17 (3, -165); A26 (5, -165); A30 (10, -165); A9 (2, -180); A18 (3, -180); A27 (5, -180); A31 (10, -180); A33 (15, -180)
Capsizing	Cameras	1.000	5 MP at 15 Hz: (6, -45); 2 MP at 100 Hz: (6, -95)
Fall/overturning	Wave probes	1.000	B1 (2, 0); B7 (3, 0); B13 (5, 0); B19 (10, 0); B25 (15, 0); B31 (22.5, 0); B34 (35, 0); B2 (2, -15); B8 (3, -15); B14 (5, -15); B20 (10, -15); B26 (15, -15); B32 (22.5, -15); B35 (35, -15); B3 (2, -30); B9 (3, -30); B15 (5, -30); B21 (10, -30); B27 (15, -30); B33 (22.5, -30); B4 (2, -45); B10 (3, -45); B16 (5, -45); B22 (10, -45); B28 (15, -45); B5 (2, -60); B11 (3, -60); B17 (5, -60); B23 (10, -60); B29 (15, -60); B6 (2, -75); B12 (3, -75); B18 (5, -75); B24 (10, -75); B30 (15, -75)
Fall/overturning	Wave probes	0.750	C1 (1.5, 0); C7 (2.25, 0); C13 (3.75, 0); C19 (7.5, 0); C25 (11.25, 0); C31 (16.875, 0); C34 (26.25, 0); C2 (1.5, -15); C8 (2.25, -15); C14 (3.75, -15); C20 (7.5, -15); C26 (11.25, -15); C32 (16.875, -15); C35 (26.25, -15); C3 (1.5, -30); C9 (2.25, -30); C15 (3.75, -30); C21 (7.5, -30); C27 (11.25, -30); C33 (16.875, -30); C4 (1.5, -45); C10 (2.25, -45); C16 (3.75, -45); C22 (7.5, -45); C28 (11.25, -45); C5 (1.5, -60); C11 (2.25, -60); C17 (3.75, -60); C23 (7.5, -60); C29 (11.25, -60); C6 (1.5, -75); C12 (2.25, -75); C18 (3.75, -75); C24 (7.5, -75); C30 (11.25, -75)
Fall/overturning	Cameras	1.000 and 0.750	2 MP at 100 Hz: (6, -85); 5 MP at 15 Hz: (6, 45)

3.2 Definition of time origin and instrument synchronisation

The experiments included two independently triggered systems: system (a) included the wave probes, both cameras and a synchronisation pulse and system (b) included the motion sensor and the electromagnet (for the tests where it was in use). The motion sensor and the electromagnet were both recorded via a NI9205 module from National Instruments and a purpose-built program in LabView. The synchronisation pulse of (a) was recorded via the LabView programme and used to synchronise (a) and (b). Both the motion sensor and the high-speed camera were used to evaluate when the blocks started to move ($t = 0$ s). Both methods agreed within 0.1 s for most tests, apart from some capsizing and overturning (buoyancy dominated) tests where the mass moved very slowly (resulting in up to 1.2 s deviations between the two methods). The values evaluated from the high-speed camera were finally used to specify $t = 0$ s, with exception of the tests where the block was initially submerged. The time in the wave probe and motion sensor “raw” files were shifted accordingly, before the main data analysis started. The motion sensor signals were sampled at full rate (at variable sampling rates with a mean of 74 Hz), the wave probes at 100 Hz and the cameras at 15 Hz (5 MP) and 100 Hz (2 MP), respectively. The wave gauge signals were filtered with a low-pass filter (Section 5).

3.3 Measured parameters

Prior to an experiment, when the block was put in place, the distance z of the block bottom from the still water surface was measured as well as the water temperature for some selected tests. During experiments the motion sensor attached to the blocks measured the block acceleration along the three local axes (x , y , z) (m), the three global angles ($^\circ$) and the gravity field in three directions. Note that the sensor was not calibrated relative to the gravity field such that these data cannot be used. The water surface (m) was measured with 33 (capsizing) and 35 wave probes (all other ice calving mechanisms) and videos were recorded with two cameras at the locations given in Table 3.1.

4 Experimental procedure and test programme

The test programme included 73 experiments (62 individual tests plus 11 repetitions) as shown in Table 4.1 and the individual tests are in addition listed in Table 4.2. The capsizing mechanism involved 16 experiments, the fall mechanism 30 (21 gravity and 9 buoyancy dominated), the over-turning mechanism 20 (14 gravity and 6 buoyancy dominated) experiments and 7 fall experiments were conducted with a sphere (4 gravity and 3 buoyancy dominated). Each of the three calving mechanism (Fig. 2.1a) involved a different experimental procedure:

Capsizing (case (i) in Fig. 2.1a and Fig. 5.1c): The blocks in the capsizing case were hold in position with a wooden rod guided through the centre of the blocks (Fig. 5.1c). This rod was hold in position on both sides with steel profiles rigidly connected to a steel plate lying flat on the basin bottom, with the rod able to translate in vertical direction (but not sideward or forward) and rotate. The rotation of the block was initiated in most cases by removing a fitting which stabilised the block. For block 1 the block had to be slightly pushed by hand (with a force in the order of 1 N) to initiate capsizing. In some tests the blocks were pushed harder to investigate the effect of an increased rotation speed on the wave features.

Fall (case (ii) in Fig. 2.1a, Fig. 5.1a,b and picture on title page): The blocks were hold in position with an electromagnet prior to release, which was connected to a rope as shown in Fig. 2.1a_{ii} and the picture on the title page. The supporting frame for this electromagnet and the block was fixed to a steel plate at the basin wall. The blocks were moved in vertical direction with a winch system which was fixed to a support structure outside the wave basin. For the fall buoyancy case (right-hand side in Fig. 2.1a_{ii}), the block was pulled under water with a rope attached to the centre of the block bottom (Fig. 5.1) to support the buoyancy force of up to 200 N. For some buoyancy dominated tests the block had to be stabilised in addition with a steel beam from above and both the steel beam and the rope were then released simultaneously (similarly as the steel beam used for the over-turning buoyancy case shown in the bottom right picture in Appendix A). Note that experiments ts1 - ts7 were conducted with a basketball of diameter 0.215 m filled with water to achieve a density similar to ice. The drag force and terminal velocity of a sphere moving in fluid are well known as well as the radiated wave field of an oscillating sphere on the water surface. A comparison with analytical results may therefore be possible.

Over-turning (case (iii) in Fig. 2.1a, Fig. 5.1a,b and bottom right picture in Appendix A): The blocks were rotated around a fixed axis defined with a steel rod of 30 mm diameter. This rod was fed through two ball bearings fixed to the block surface (Fig. 5.2). This ensured that the blocks underwent a pure rotation, without any translation. The rod was hold in position with a UPN 80 steel profile on either side. The rod was located either below (left-hand side of case (iii) in Fig. 2.1a) or above the block (right-hand side of case (iii) in Fig. 2.1a). For some buoyancy dominated tests the block had to be stabilised in addition with a steel beam from above and the blocks started to move as soon as the steel beam was removed (bottom right picture in Appendix A).

Table 4.1 Overview of all investigated test parameters of the 73 tests; Note that the block densities changed slightly depending on the attachments to the blocks (rod, clamp screws, plate to connect electromagnet, bearing); The number of runs indicated with + include test repetitions

Mass parameters	(i) Capsizing			(iii) Over-turning			
Mass release location	Offshore	Offshore	Offshore	At shore	At shore	At shore	At shore
Mass type	1	2	2	1	2	2	2
Mass length l (m)	0.800	0.800	0.500	0.800	0.800	0.500	0.500
Mass width b (m)	0.500	0.500	0.800	0.500	0.500	0.800	0.800
Mass thickness s (m)	0.500	0.250	0.250	0.500	0.250	0.250	0.250
Mass volume V_s (m ³)	0.200	0.100	0.100	0.200	0.100	0.100	0.100
Mass density ρ_s (kg/m ³)	929	924	924	936/923	912	912	936/912
Mass m_s (kg)	185.8	92.4	92.3	187.1/184.6	91.2	91.2	93.6/91.2
Water depth h (m)	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	1.000	0.750
Release position above SWL (cm) (0 cm corresponds to SWL)	Neut. buoyant	Neut. buoyant	Neut. buoyant	15, 0, -30, -60, -90	15, 0, -30, -60, -90	15, 0, -30, -60	15, 0, -30, -60
No. of runs (73 in total)	5 ⁺	6 ⁺	5 ⁺	5	5	4	6 ⁺

Mass parameters	(ii) Fall						
Mass release location	At shore	At shore	At shore	At shore	At shore	At shore	At shore
Mass type	1	2	1	1	2	2	sphere
Mass length l (m)	0.800	0.800	0.500	0.500	0.500	0.500	0.215
Mass width b (m)	0.500	0.500	0.800	0.800	0.800	0.800	0.215
Mass thickness s (m)	0.500	0.250	0.500	0.500	0.250	0.250	0.215
Mass volume V_s (m ³)	0.200	0.100	0.200	0.200	0.100	0.100	0.005
Mass density ρ_s (kg/m ³)	936/923	936/912	936/923	936/923	936/912	936/912	922
Mass m_s (kg)	187.1/184.6	93.6/91.2	187.1/184.6	187.1/184.6	93.6/91.2	93.6/91.2	4.8
Water depth h (m)	1.000	1.000	1.000	0.750	1.000	0.750	0.750
Release position above SWL (cm) (0 cm corresponds to SWL)	0, -30, -60, -84	0, -30, -60, -83	30, 0, -30, -60, -70, -83	30, 0, -30, -60	30, 0, -30, -60, -83	30, 0, -30, -60	54, 32, 11, 0, -11, -32, -43
No. of runs (73 in total)	6 ⁺	4	7 ⁺	4	5	4	7

Table 4.2 Experimental parameters and dimensions of blocks in different ice calving mechanisms; all tests were run with either a block or a sphere; The file names include: Test ID_type of data (waves/motion)_calving mechanism (capsizing/fall_gravity/fall_buoyancy/over-turning_gravity/over-turning_buoyancy)_block type (1/2/sphere)_water depth (100cm/75cm)_position of bottom of block or sphere relative to water surface (neutral/xcm); The position of the motion sensor is given in global coordinates with the origin on the water surface and x in r direction and z positive upwards; the y values for the motion sensor are 0.151 m for all tests except for the sphere where $y = 0$; *The total block masses changed slightly depending on the attachments to the blocks (rod, clamp screws, plate to connect electromagnet, bearing); **The motion sensor is located 3 mm above the outside bottom of the enclosure

Test ID	File name wave probes/motion sensor	Total mass * [kg]	Block length l [m]	Block width b [m]	Block thickness s [m]	x (m) position motion sensor	z (m) position motion sensor**	Comment
t1a	t1a_waves/motion_capsizing_block2_100cm_-73.9cm	92.43	0.800	0.500	0.250	0	0.061 + 0.003 = 0.064	Block naturally over-turning; Coordinate origin in centre of block for all capsizing cases (Fig. 2.1b)
t1b	t1b_waves/motion_capsizing_block2_100cm_-73.9cm	92.43	0.800	0.500	0.250	0	0.064	Repetition
t1c	t1c_waves/motion_capsizing_block2_100cm_-73.9cm	92.43	0.800	0.500	0.250	0	0.064	Repetition
t2	t2_waves/motion_capsizing_block2_100cm_-73.9cm	92.43	0.800	0.500	0.250	0	0.064	Block pushed
t3	t3_waves/motion_capsizing_block2_100cm_-73.9cm	92.43	0.800	0.500	0.250	0	0.064	Block pushed
t4	t4_waves/motion_capsizing_block2_100cm_-73.9cm	92.43	0.800	0.500	0.250	0	0.064	Block pushed

t5a	t5a_waves/motion_capsizing_block2_100cm_-46.2cm	92.26	0.500	0.800	0.250	0	0.038 + 0.003 = 0.041	Block naturally over-turning
t5b	t5b_waves/motion_capsizing_block2_100cm_-46.2cm	92.26	0.500	0.800	0.250	0	0.041	Repetition
t5c	t5c_waves/motion_capsizing_block2_100cm_-46.2cm	92.26	0.500	0.800	0.250	0	0.041	Repetition
t6	t6_waves/motion_capsizing_block2_100cm_-46.2cm	92.26	0.500	0.800	0.250	0	0.041	Block pushed
t7	t7_waves/motion_capsizing_block2_100cm_-46.2cm	92.26	0.500	0.800	0.250	0	0.041	Block pushed
t8a	t8a_waves/motion_capsizing_block1_100cm_-74.3cm	185.75	0.800	0.500	0.500	0	0.057 + 0.003 = 0.060	Block stable (slightly pushed)
t8b	t8b_waves/motion_capsizing_block1_100cm_-74.3cm	185.75	0.800	0.500	0.500	0	0.060	Repetition
t8c	t8c_waves/motion_capsizing_block1_100cm_-74.3cm	185.75	0.800	0.500	0.500	0	0.060	Repetition
t9	t9_waves/motion_capsizing_block1_100cm_-74.3cm	185.75	0.800	0.500	0.500	0	0.060	Block more pushed
t10	t10_waves/motion_capsizing_block1_100cm_-74.3cm	185.75	0.800	0.500	0.500	0	0.060	Block more pushed
t11	t11_waves/motion_fall_gravity_block2_100cm_-60cm	93.62	0.800	0.500	0.250	0.125	0.800 – 0.600 + 0.003 = 0.203	For the remaining tests the coordinate origin is at the wall (Fig. 2.1c,d)
t12	t12_waves/motion_fall_gravity_block2_100cm_-30cm	93.62	0.800	0.500	0.250	0.125	0.503	
t13	t13_waves/motion_fall_gravity_block2_100cm_0cm	93.62	0.800	0.500	0.250	0.125	0.803	
t14	t14_waves/motion_fall_gravity_block2_100cm_-30cm	93.62	0.500	0.800	0.250	0.125	0.203	
t15	t15_waves/motion_fall_gravity_block2_100cm_0cm	93.62	0.500	0.800	0.250	0.125	0.503	
t16	t16_waves/motion_fall_gravity_block2_100cm_30cm	93.62	0.500	0.800	0.250	0.125	0.803	
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t22a	t22a_waves/motion_fall_gravity_block1_100cm_30cm	187.11	0.500	0.800	0.500	0.250	0.803	
t22b	t22b_waves/motion_fall_gravity_block1_100cm_30cm	187.11	0.500	0.800	0.500	0.250	0.803	Repetition
t23	t23_waves/motion_overturning_gravity_block1_100cm_0cm	187.11	0.800	0.500	0.500	0.250	0.803	Distance sensor from axis of rotation in z-direction = 0.803 + 0.048 (distance axis to block surface) = 0.851 m
t24	t24_waves/motion_overturning_gravity_block1_100cm_-30cm	187.11	0.800	0.500	0.500	0.250	0.503	Distance sensor from axis of rotation in z-direction = 0.851 m
t25	t25_waves/motion_overturning_gravity_block1_100cm_15cm	187.11	0.800	0.500	0.500	0.250	0.953	Distance sensor from axis of rotation in z-direction = 0.851 m
t26	t26_waves/motion_overturning_gravity_block1_100cm_-60cm	187.11	0.800	0.500	0.500	0.250	0.203	Distance sensor from axis of rotation in z-direction = 0.851 m

t27	t27_waves/motion_overturning_gravity_block2_100cm_0cm	91.15	0.800	0.500	0.250	0.125	0.803	Distance sensor from axis of rotation in z-direction = 0.851 m
t28	t28_waves/motion_overturning_gravity_block2_100cm_-30cm	91.15	0.800	0.500	0.250	0.125	0.503	Distance sensor from axis of rotation in z-direction = 0.851 m
t29	t29_waves/motion_overturning_gravity_block2_100cm_-60cm	91.15	0.800	0.500	0.250	0.125	0.203	Distance sensor from axis of rotation in z-direction = 0.851 m
t30	t30_waves/motion_overturning_gravity_block2_100cm_15cm	91.15	0.800	0.500	0.250	0.125	0.953	Distance sensor from axis of rotation in z-direction = 0.851 m
t31	t31_waves/motion_overturning_gravity_block2_100cm_15cm	91.15	0.500	0.800	0.250	0.125	0.653	Distance sensor from axis of rotation in z-direction = 0.551 m
t32	t32_waves/motion_overturning_gravity_block2_100cm_0cm	91.15	0.500	0.800	0.250	0.125	0.503	Distance sensor from axis of rotation in z-direction = 0.551 m
t33	t33_waves/motion_overturning_gravity_block2_100cm_-30cm	91.15	0.500	0.800	0.250	0.125	0.203	Distance sensor from axis of rotation in z-direction = 0.551 m
t34	t34_waves/motion_overturning_buoyancy_block2_100cm_-60cm	91.15	0.500	0.800	0.250	0.125	-0.600 – 0.003 = -0.603	Distance sensor from axis of rotation in z-direction = 0.551 m
t35	t35_waves/motion_overturning_buoyancy_block2_100cm_-90cm	91.15	0.800	0.500	0.250	0.125	-0.903	Distance sensor from axis of rotation in z-direction = 0.851 m
t36	t36_waves/motion_overturning_buoyancy_block1_100cm_-90cm	184.64	0.800	0.500	0.500	0.250	-0.903	Distance sensor from axis of rotation in z-direction = 0.851 m
t37	t37_waves/motion_fall_buoyancy_block1_100cm_-83.5cm	184.64	0.800	0.500	0.500	0.250	-0.835 + 0.800 – 0.003 = -0.032	
t38	t38_waves/motion_fall_buoyancy_block1_100cm_-60cm	184.64	0.500	0.800	0.500	0.250	-0.097	
t39	t39_waves/motion_fall_buoyancy_block1_100cm_-83cm	184.64	0.500	0.800	0.500	0.250	-0.327	
t40	t40_waves/motion_fall_buoyancy_block1_100cm_-70cm	184.64	0.500	0.800	0.500	0.250	-0.197	
t41	t41_waves/motion_fall_buoyancy_block2_100cm_-83cm	91.15	0.800	0.500	0.250	0.125	-0.027	
t42	t42_waves/motion_fall_buoyancy_block2_100cm_-60cm	91.15	0.500	0.800	0.250	0.125	-0.097	
t43	t43_waves/motion_fall_buoyancy_block2_100cm_-83cm	91.15	0.500	0.800	0.250	0.125	-0.327	
t44	t44_waves/motion_fall_gravity_block2_75cm_-30cm	93.62	0.500	0.800	0.250	0.125	0.203	
t45	t45_waves/motion_fall_gravity_block2_75cm_0cm	93.62	0.500	0.800	0.250	0.125	0.503	
t46	t46_waves/motion_fall_gravity_block2_75cm_30cm	93.62	0.500	0.800	0.250	0.125	0.803	
t47	t47_waves/motion_fall_gravity_block1_75cm_30cm	187.11	0.500	0.800	0.500	0.250	0.803	
t48	t48_waves/motion_fall_gravity_block1_75cm_0cm	187.11	0.500	0.800	0.500	0.250	0.503	
t49	t49_waves/motion_fall_gravity_block1_75cm_-30cm	187.11	0.500	0.800	0.500	0.250	0.203	
t50	t50_waves/motion_overturning_gravity_block2_75cm_15cm	93.62	0.500	0.800	0.250	0.125	0.653	Distance sensor from axis of rotation in z-direction = 0.551 m
t51	t51_waves/motion_overturning_gravity_block2_75cm_0cm	93.62	0.500	0.800	0.250	0.125	0.503	Distance sensor from axis of ro-

									tation in z-direction = 0.551 m
t52	t52_waves/motion_overturning_gravity_block2_75cm_-30cm	93.62	0.500	0.800	0.250	0.125	0.203		Distance sensor from axis of rotation in z-direction = 0.551 m
t53a	t53a_waves/motion_overturning_buoyancy_block2_75cm_-60cm	91.15	0.500	0.800	0.250	0.125	-0.603		Distance sensor from axis of rotation in z-direction = 0.551 m
t53b	t53b_waves/motion_overturning_buoyancy_block2_75cm_-60cm	91.15	0.500	0.800	0.250	0.125	-0.603		Repetition; Distance sensor from axis of rotation in z-direction = 0.551 m
t53c	t53c_waves/motion_overturning_buoyancy_block2_75cm_-60cm	91.15	0.500	0.800	0.250	0.125	-0.603		Repetition; Distance sensor from axis of rotation in z-direction = 0.551 m
t54	t54_waves/motion_fall_buoyancy_block2_75cm_-60cm	91.15	0.500	0.800	0.250	0.125	-0.097		
t55	t55_waves/motion_fall_buoyancy_block1_75cm_-60cm	184.64	0.500	0.800	0.500	0.250	-0.097		
ts1	ts1_waves/motion_fall_gravity_sphere_75cm_10.8cm	4.80	0.215	0.215	0.215	0.108	0.108 + 0.215 + 0.003 = 0.326		Test with sphere with sensor on top
ts2	ts2_waves/motion_fall_gravity_sphere_75cm_32.2cm	4.80	0.215	0.215	0.215	0.108	0.540		Test with sphere with sensor on top
ts3	ts3_waves/motion_fall_gravity_sphere_75cm_53.8cm	4.80	0.215	0.215	0.215	0.108	0.756		Test with sphere with sensor on top
ts4	ts4_waves/motion_fall_gravity_sphere_75cm_0cm	4.80	0.215	0.215	0.215	0.108	0.111		Test with sphere with sensor on top
ts5	ts5_waves/motion_fall_buoyancy_sphere_75cm_-10.8cm	4.80	0.215	0.215	0.215	0.108	-0.108 - 0.215 - 0.003 = -0.326		Test with sphere with sensor on bottom
ts6	ts6_waves/motion_fall_buoyancy_sphere_75cm_-32.2cm	4.80	0.215	0.215	0.215	0.108	-0.540		Test with sphere with sensor on bottom
ts7	ts7_waves/motion_fall_buoyancy_sphere_75cm_-42.5cm	4.80	0.215	0.215	0.215	0.108	-0.643		Test with sphere with sensor on bottom

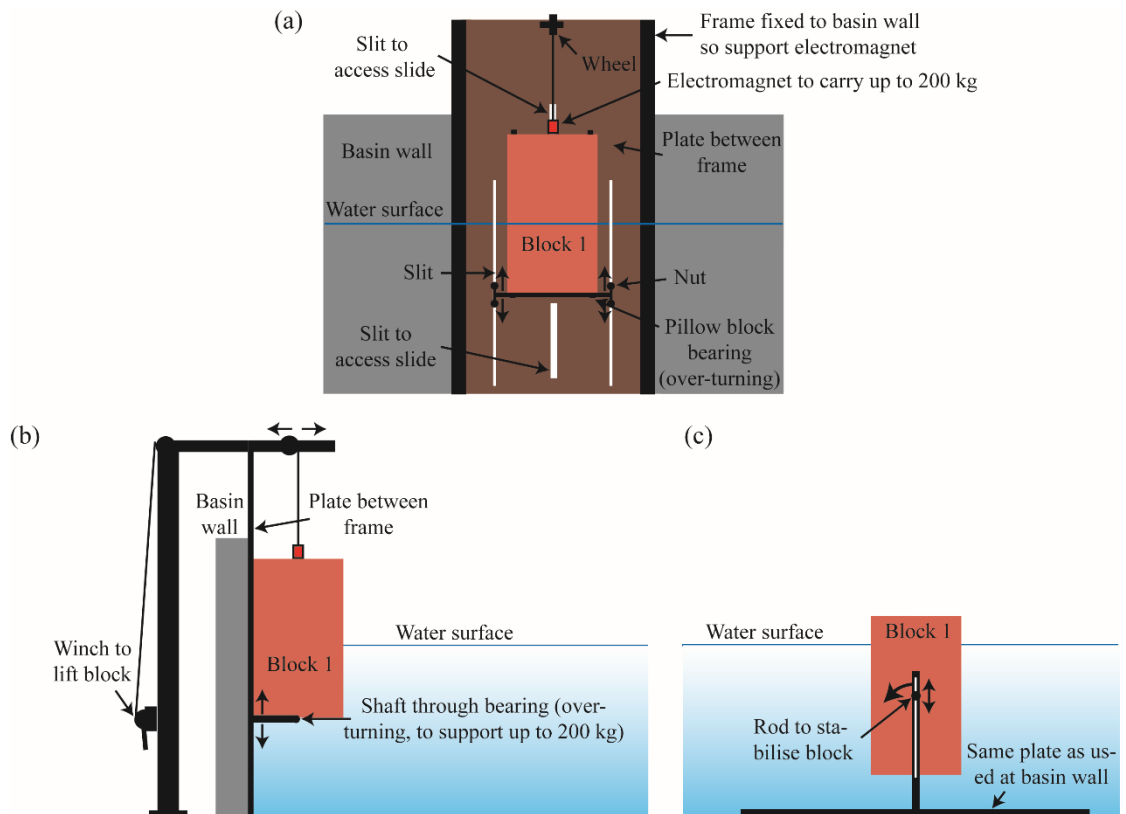


Figure 5.1 Design of experimental set-up: (a) front view and (b) side view of fall experiment (overlapped with some components for the over-turning case) and (c) side view of capsizing experiment (not to scale).

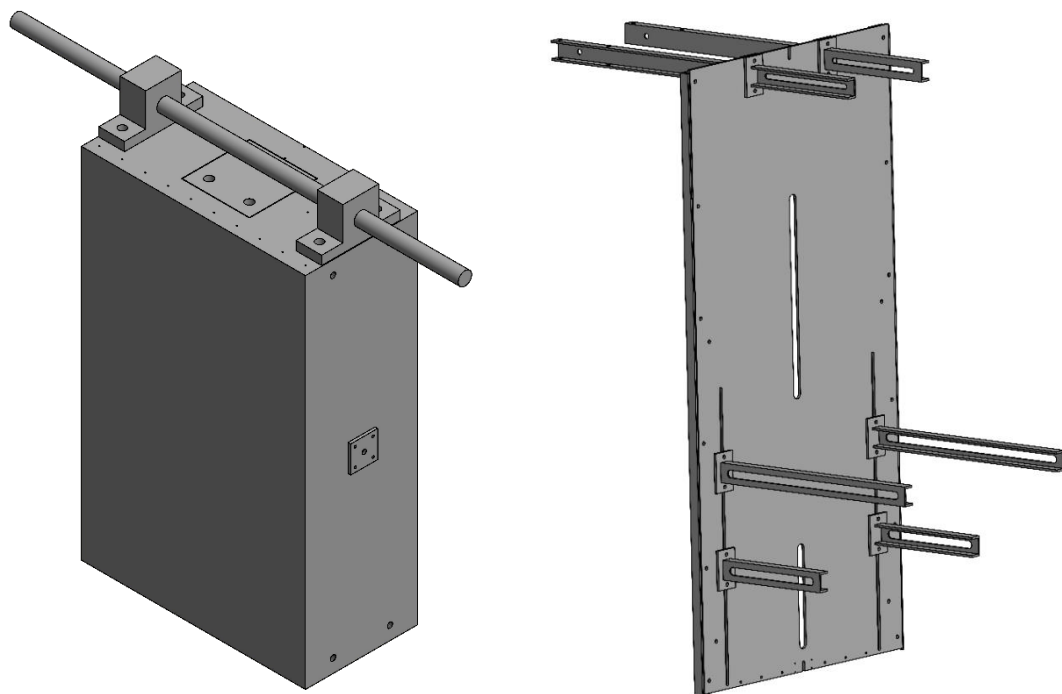


Figure 5.2 Technical drawings: (left) block 2 equipped with rod used for over-turning mechanism (Fig. 2.1aiii) and (right) steel plate including all steel profiles to hold the blocks in place; the plate was either lying flat on the basin bottom for the capsizing case (with all but the two long UPN profiles on the right-hand side removed) or fixed to the basin wall for all other cases (where the six remaining UPN profiles were used, for details see Appendix B).

5 Data post-processing

The time columns of the wave probes and motion sensor files were adjusted such that $t = 0$ s corresponds to the moment in time when the blocks or sphere started to move for experiments where they were initially in contact with the surrounding water, or at the moment in time when the blocks or sphere touched the water surface when they were initially not in contact with the water body. Unnecessary columns were removed (voltage signal from the electromagnet, uncalibrated data from motion sensor, etc.). The raw data of the motion sensor were further analysed in Matlab to transform the accelerations in global coordinates and to derive the block velocities and positions. The file name was then changed with the notation given in Table 4.2. These files are named “raw” ahead of the ending given in Table 4.2. The wave probe time series were shortened to remove reflections from the basin boundaries for all raw data. The wave probe data were then filtered with a low-pass filter with a cut off frequency at 9 to 11 Hz. For wave probes 9, 17 and 25 in the capsizing experiments and 21, 24 and 32 for all fall and overturning experiments a low-pass filter with a cut off frequency at 3.0 or 3.5 Hz was applied to remove large high-frequency noise. For wave probes C30 and C31 in the experiments t53b, s5, s6, for wave probe C30 in s7 and for wave probe B32 in t41, the wave probe signals remained noisy after filtering given that the waves were extremely small, such that they were excluded from further analysis. The post processed data were then saved under the new name “post_processed_...”. ahead of the ending given in Table 4.2 and used for further analysis.

6 Organization of data files

The sets of data are given in text format; one file for each experiment contains the wave probe data (raw and post-processed) and one the motion sensor data. These three files are organised as follows:

Motion sensor files (text file, no separator):

Column 1: time (s) with $t = 0$ s at the moment in time when the blocks started to move or touched the water surface
Column 2: global angle ($^{\circ}$) relative to x-axis (pitch)
Column 3: global angle ($^{\circ}$) relative to y-axis (roll)
Column 4: global angle ($^{\circ}$) relative to z-axis (yaw)
Column 5: local acceleration (m/s^2) in x-direction
Column 6: local acceleration (m/s^2) in y-direction
Column 7: local acceleration (m/s^2) in z-direction

Wave probe files (raw and post-processed, text data, no separator):

Column 1: time (s) with $t = 0$ s at the moment in time when the blocks started to move or touched the water surface
Column 2-34 (capsizing tests) and 2-36 (all other tests): water surface displacement (m)

Organisation of the files on Zenodo:

- DataStorageReport_Heller_Ice_Tsunamis.pdf
- Pictures_overview
- Videos
- Motion_sensor_data
- Wave_probe_data_raw
- Wave_probe_data_post_processed
- README

7 Publications

Chen, F., Heller, V. and Briganti, R. (2019). Numerical modelling of tsunamis generated by iceberg calving validated with large-scale laboratory experiments (in preparation).
Heller, V., Chen, F., Brühl, M., Gabl, R., Chen, X., Wolters, G. and Fuchs, H. (2019). Large-scale experiments into the tsunamigenic potential of different iceberg calving mechanisms. *Scientific Reports* 9:861 (www.nature.com/articles/s41598-018-36634-3).

A Appendix: Pictures

Some pictures are shown below including the set-up of the capsizing case with block 1 (top), the steel structure at the basin wall including block 2 hold with the electromagnet (bottom left) and block 2 in the initial position for the over-turning buoyancy dominated mechanism with the steel rod as the axis of rotation.

