

AI and Scientific Computing

There is Plenty of Room in the Middle

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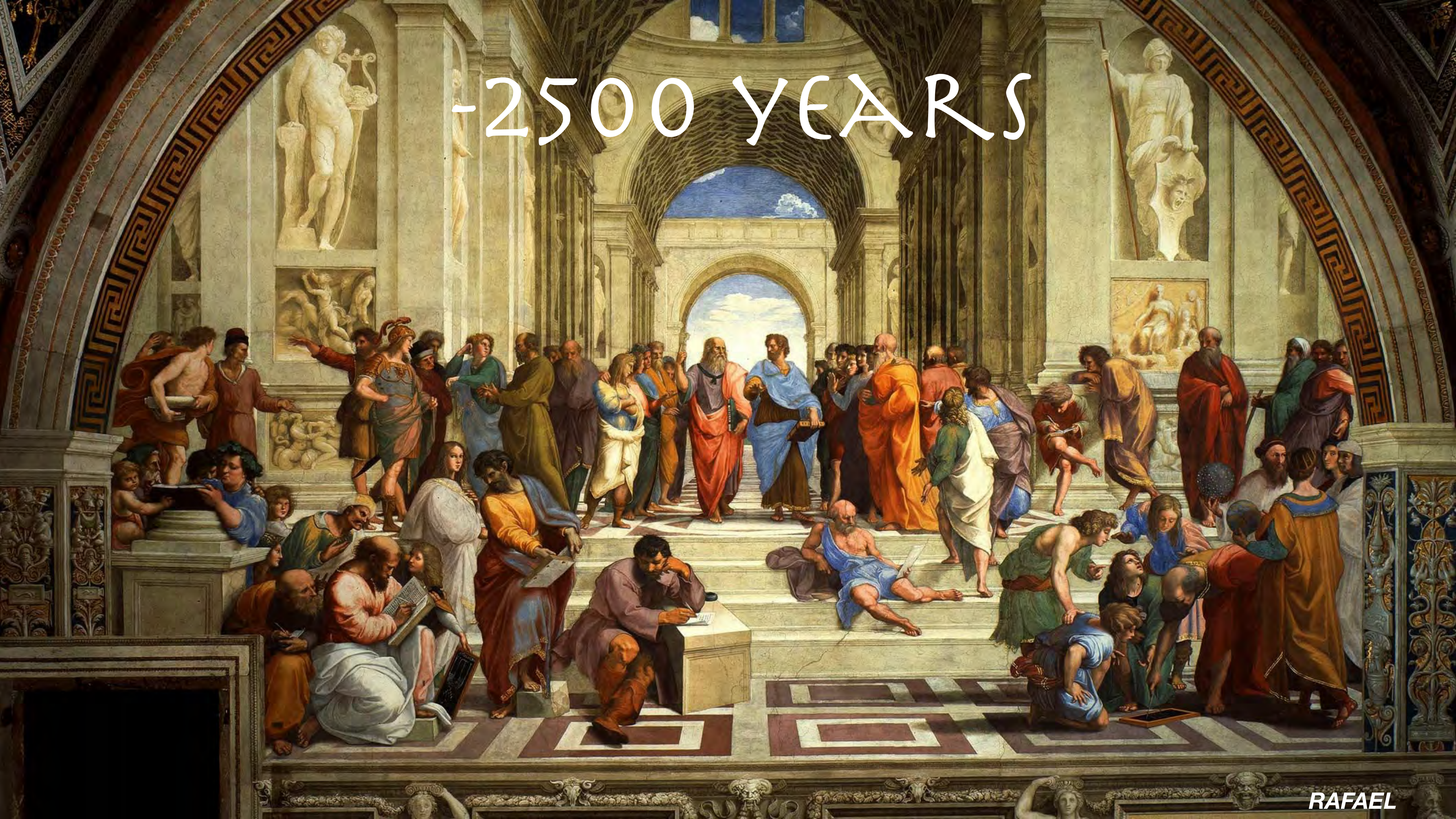
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Neural Network Modeling for Near Wall Turbulent Flow

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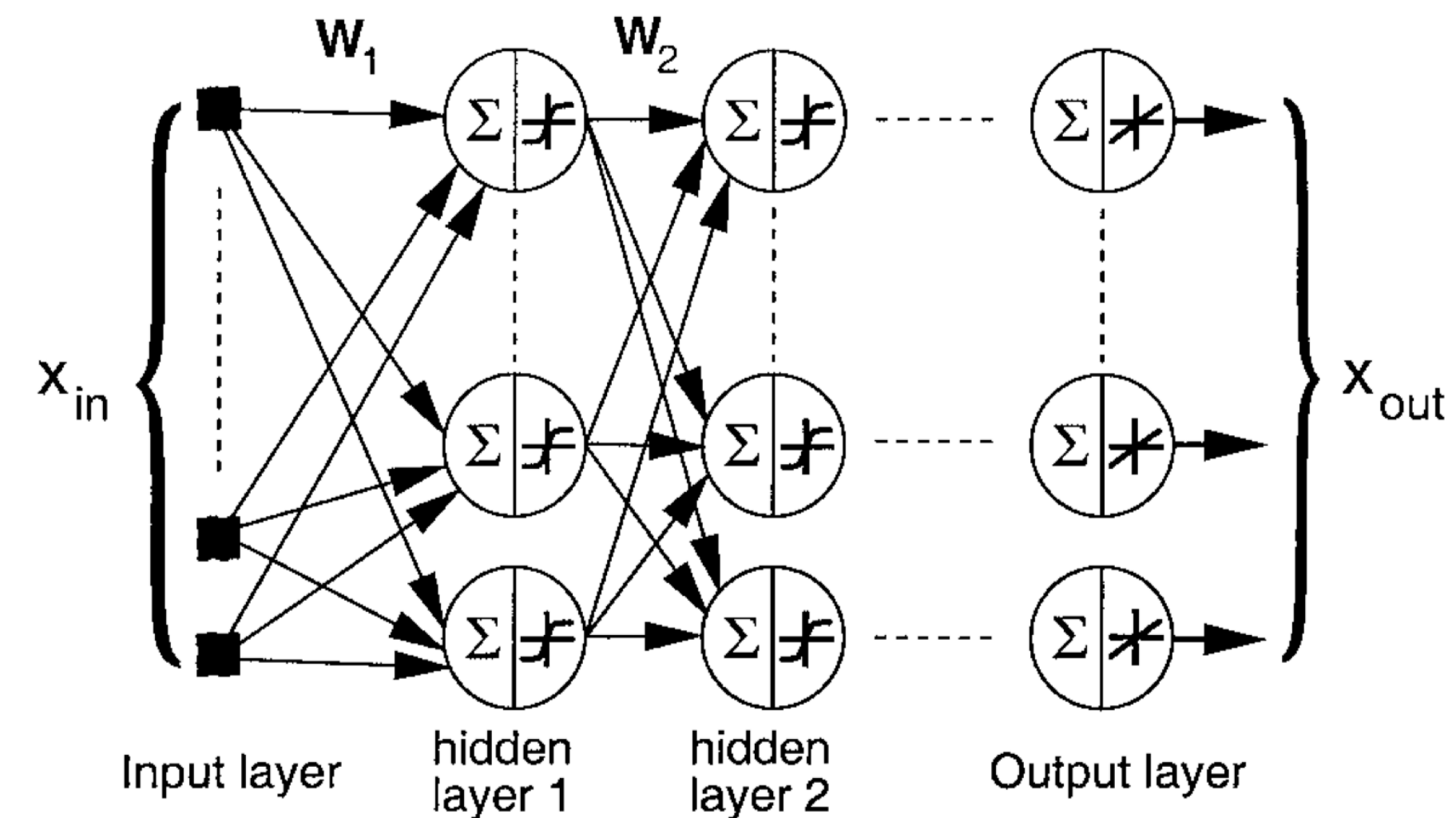
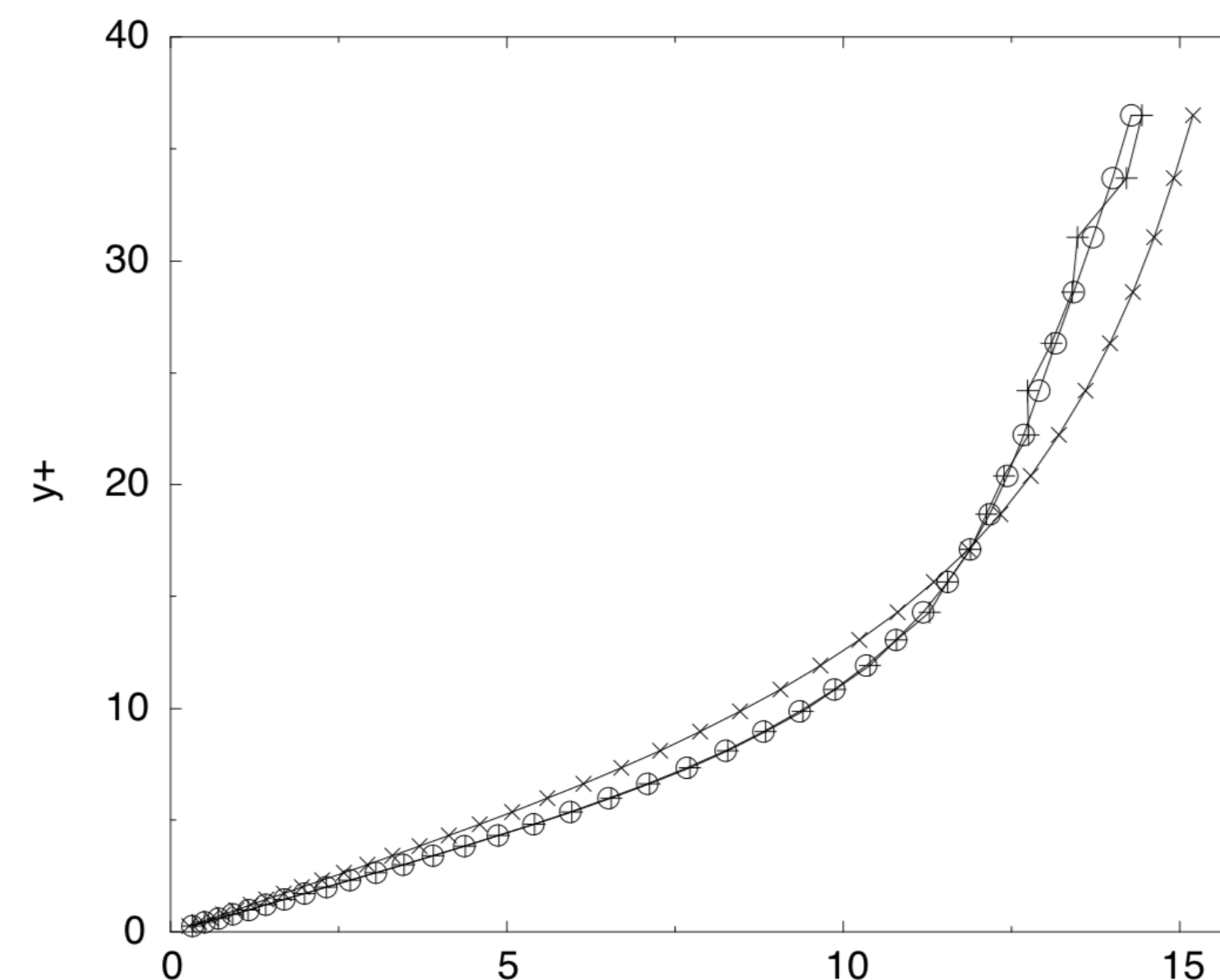
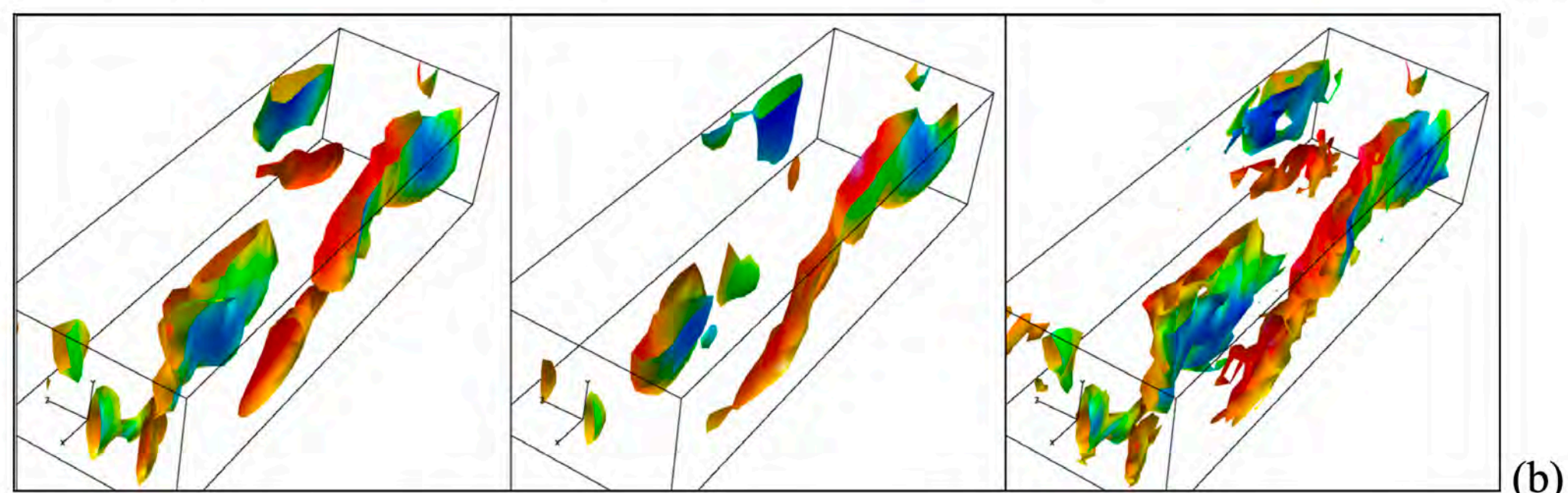
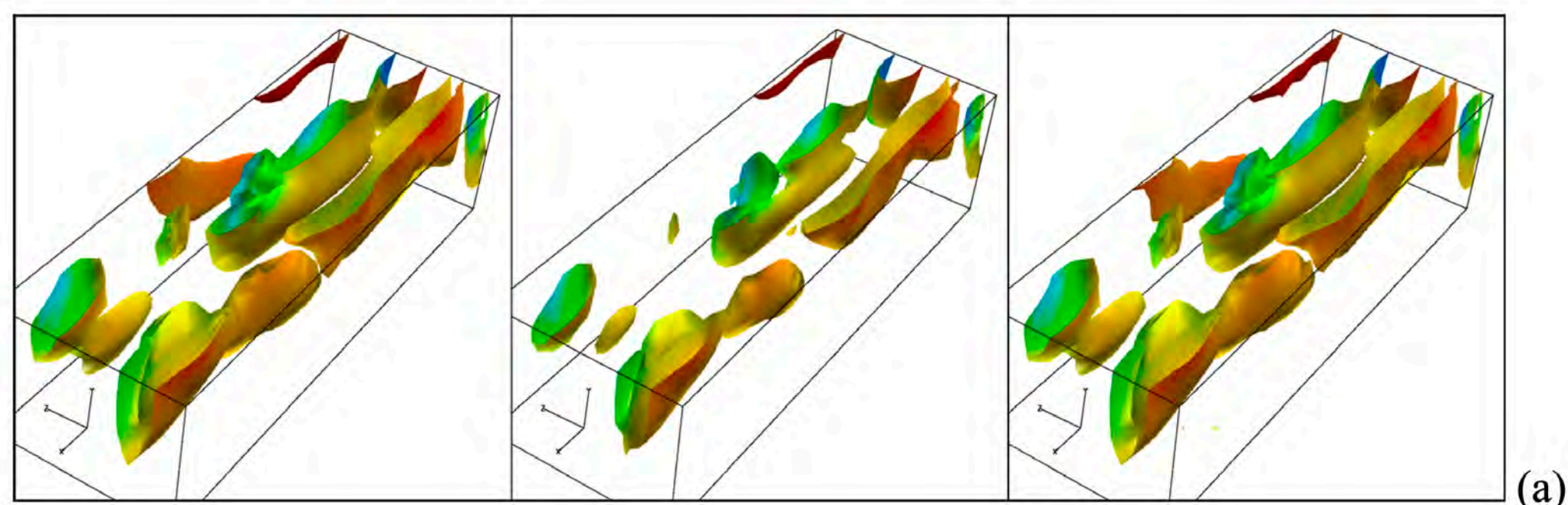


FIG. 1. Layer representation of a nonlinear neural network structure.

ORIGINAL

POD

NN



$$u(\mathbf{x}, t) = \omega_z^w y + \frac{Re}{2} \frac{\partial P^w}{\partial x} y^2 + \mathbf{M}(P^w, S^w)$$

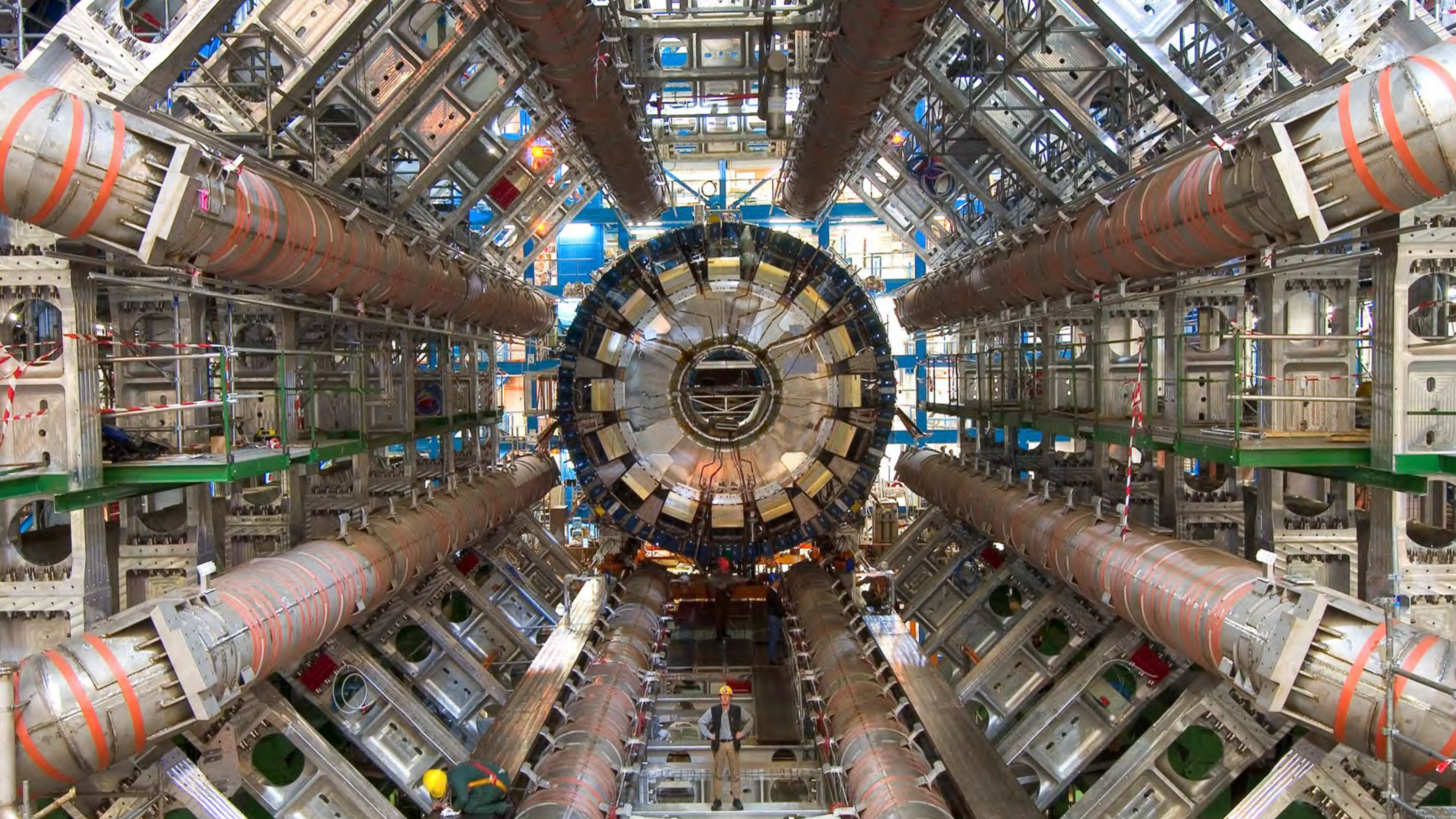
First ever Deep NNs for Science (?)

THE PURSUIT OF TRUTH



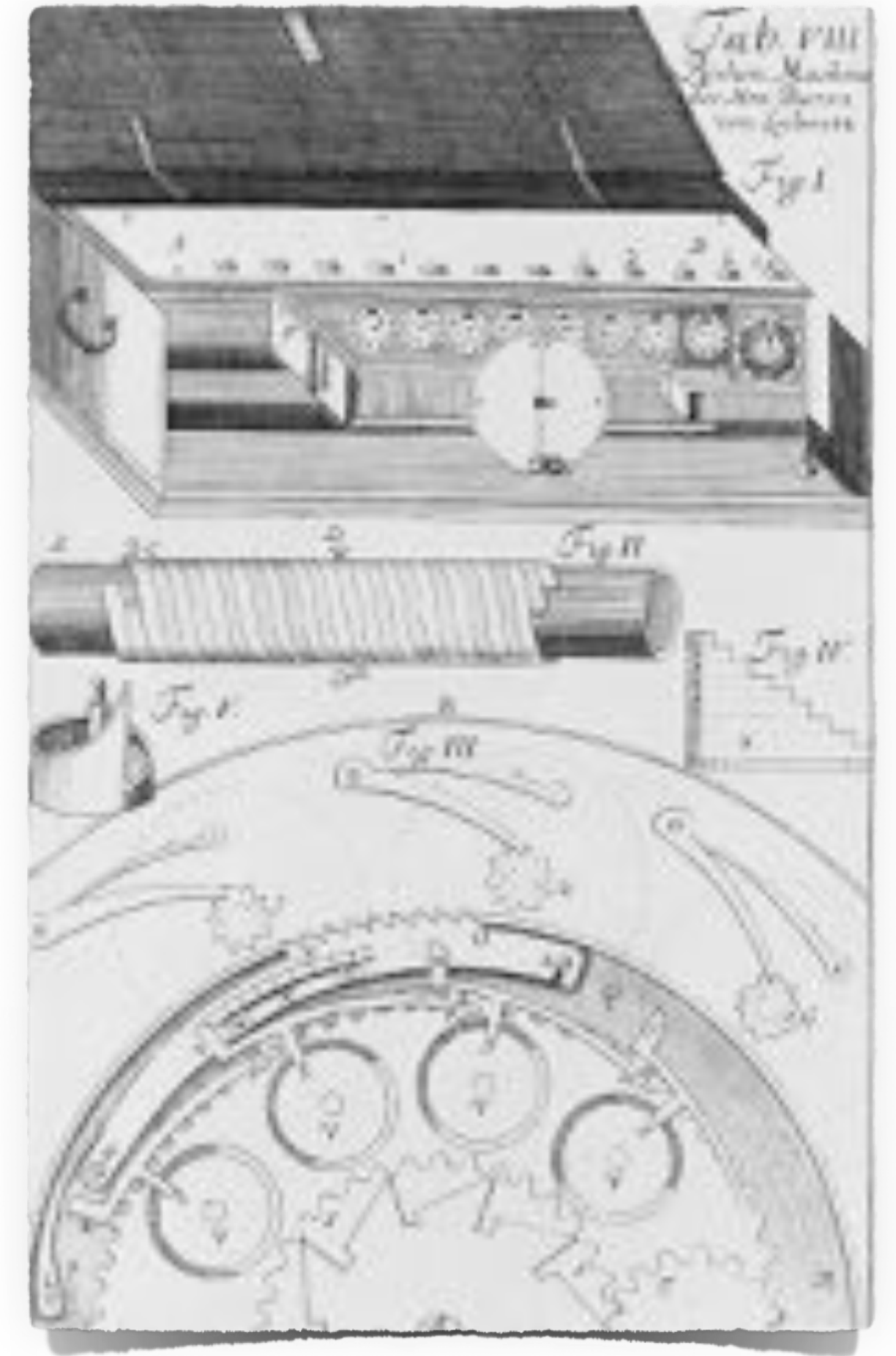
PLATO: *The Allegory of the Cave*

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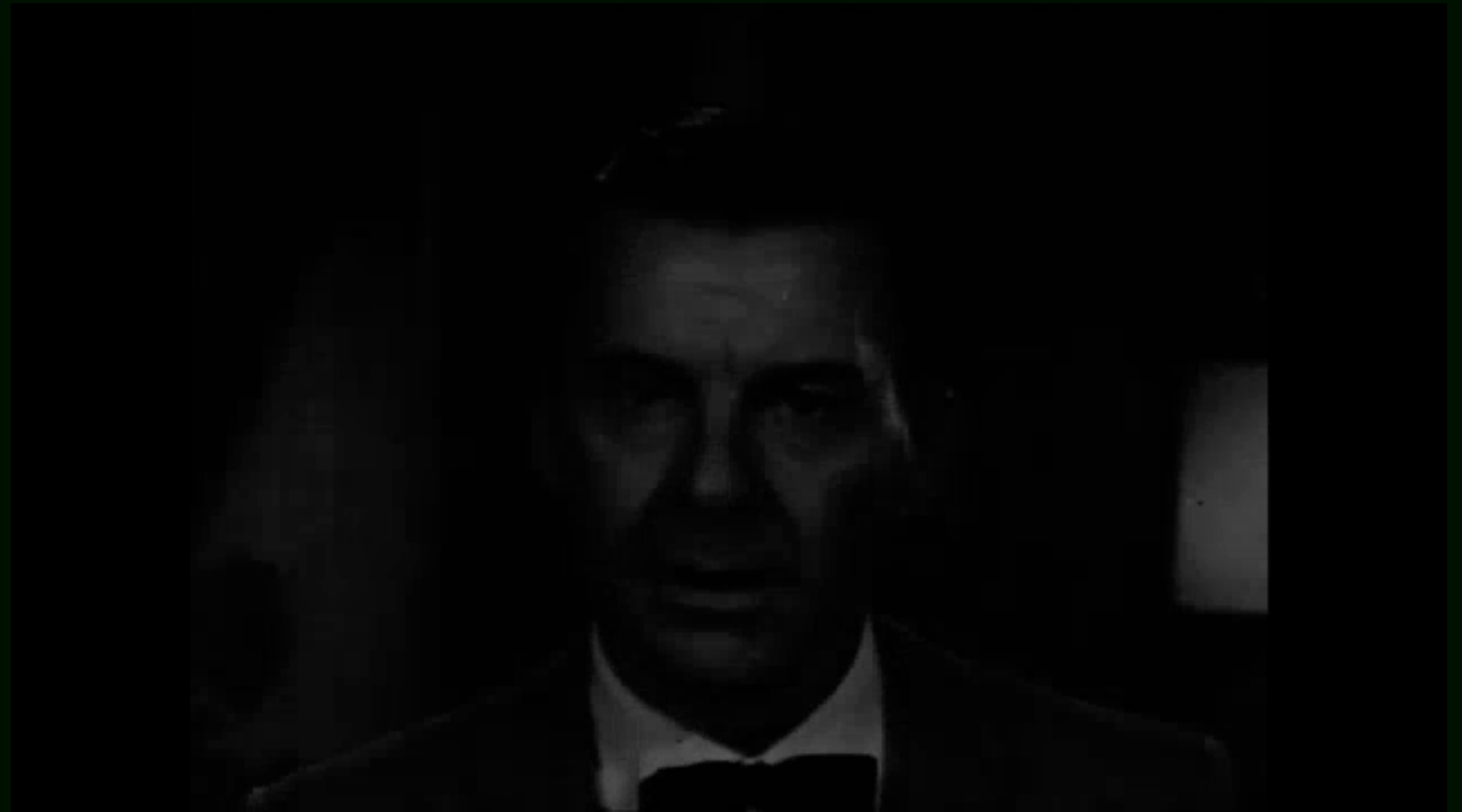
If **controversies** were to arise,
there would be no more need of disputation between
two philosophers than between **two accountants**.
For it would suffice to take their pencils in their hands,
and say to each other:

Calculemus—Let us calculate.



Euclid Descartes Russel Llull Hilbert Boole Leibniz Frege Newton Laplace Wittgenstein Turing Shannon

COMPUTING: The beginning..



1961

COMPUTERS

1981



1986



1988



1990



The Connection Machine

1992

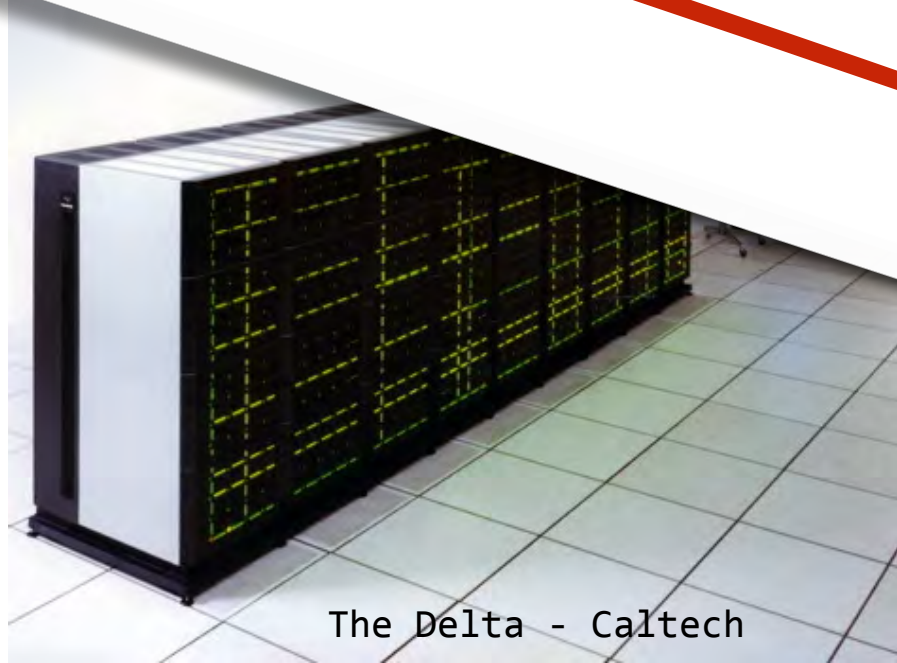


1992



CRAY X-MP - San Diego

1994



The Delta - Caltech

1996



Paragon - Caltech

1997



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COMPUTERS : A Disruptive Technology

Deep Blue beat Kasparov

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<http://www.testnewsonline.com/2012/10/02/deep-blue-beat-kasparov-because-of-bug/>

MindGoogle) winning Go against Lee Sedol, one of the world's top go players. March 11, 2016



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Mastering the game of Go with deep neural networks and tree search

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SCIENCE FILE - Los Angeles Times
9 March 2017

**No need for a poker face -
Software program DeepStack
beats the pros at Texas Hold 'Em**



AI and Fluid Mechanics - The Lighthill Report (1973)



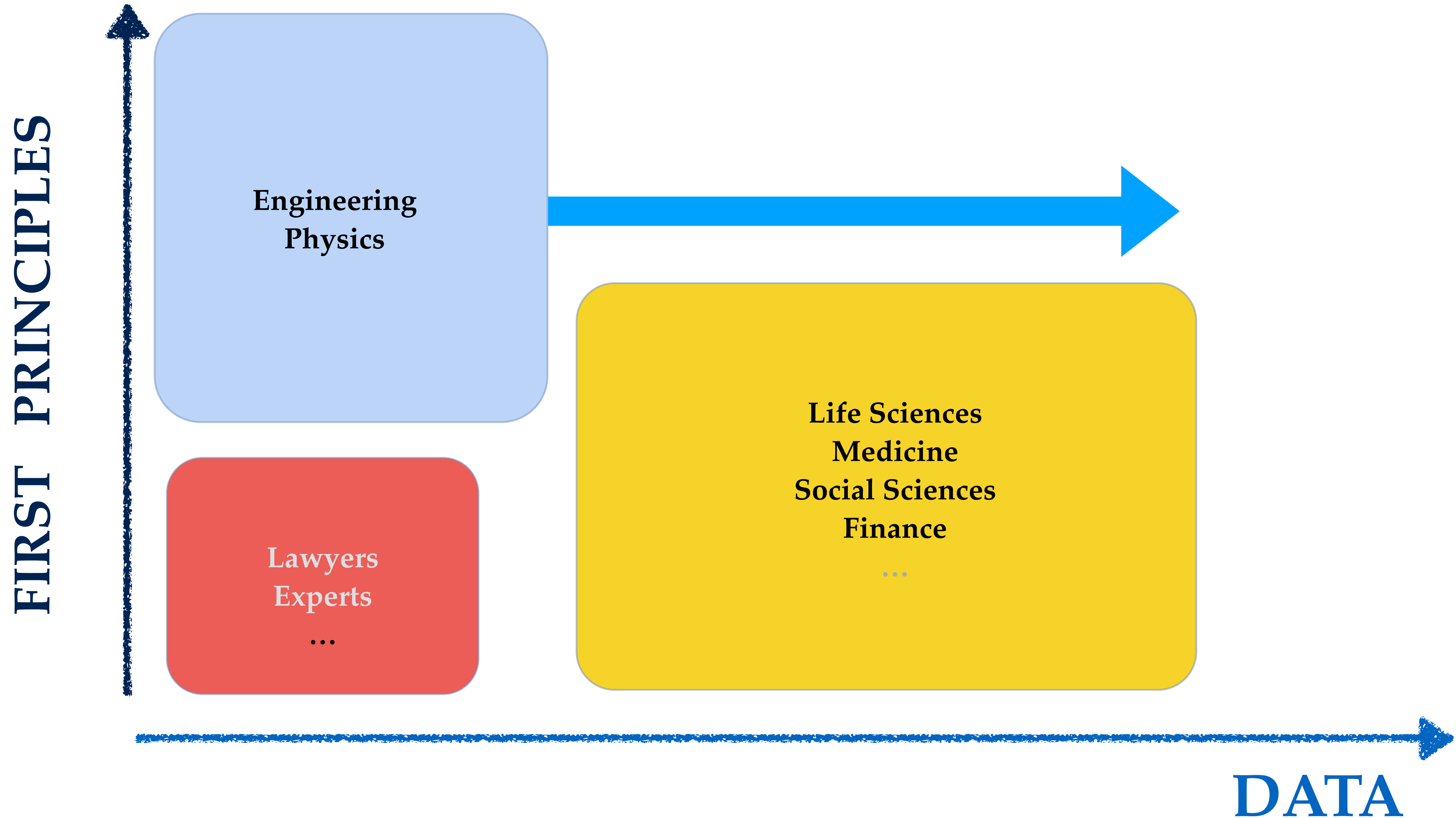
expectation of benefits which failed to materialize my

Lighthill's position does not come as a surprise. **He was, after all, a researcher in fluid dynamics and aeroacoustics, where it is easy to be misled by complicated differential equations involving 'continuous' variables and where nonexistent solutions arise so often.**

<http://www.mathrix.org>

Lighthill's main argument was that because one had to specify the rules in a computer to tell the robot how to behave in every possible scenario, every attempt to come up with a general purpose robot would quickly turn out to be an intractable problem, with a combinatorial explosion of possible solutions.

SOLVING PROBLEMS

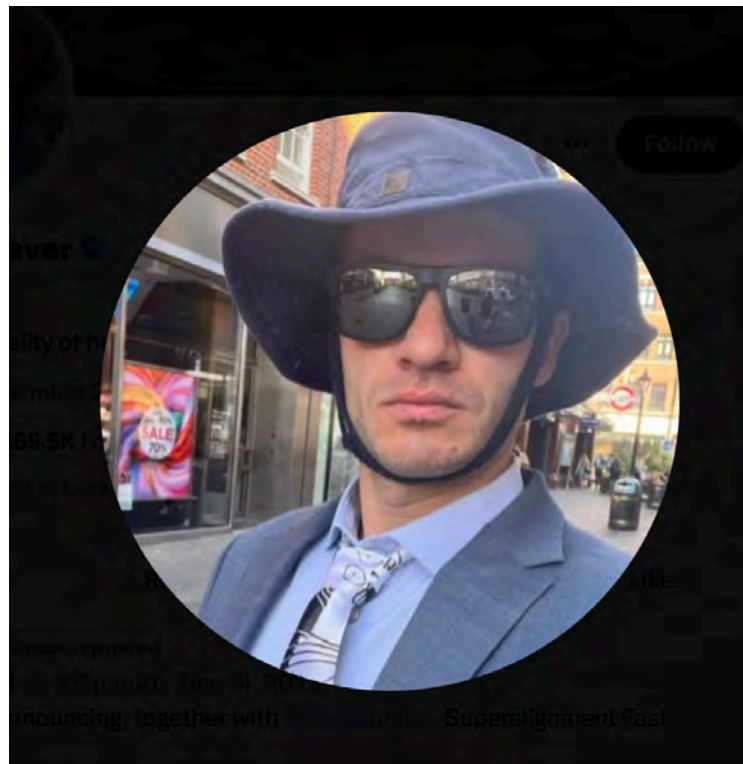


How to solve hard problems?

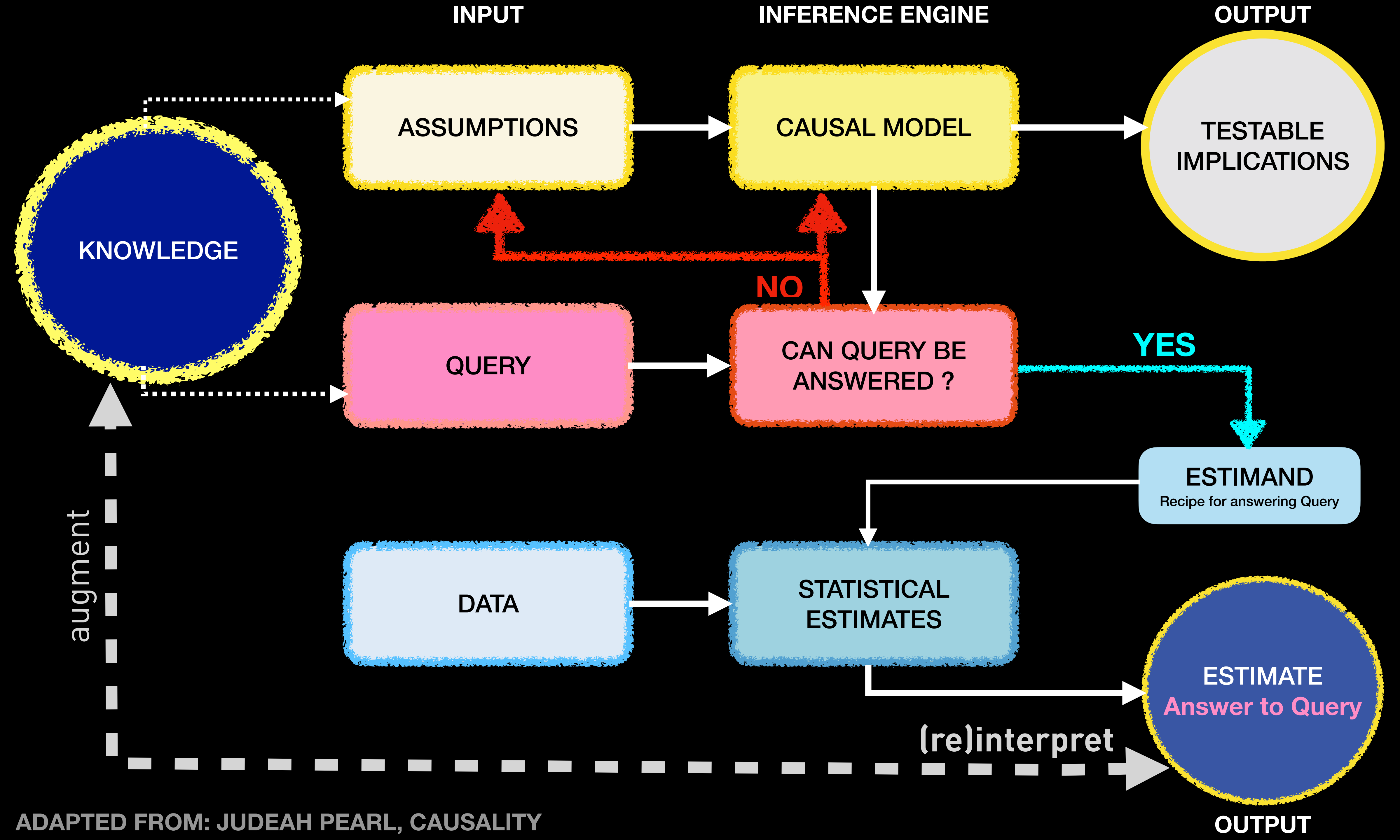
Use lots of training data.

And a big deep neural network.

And success is the only possible outcome.

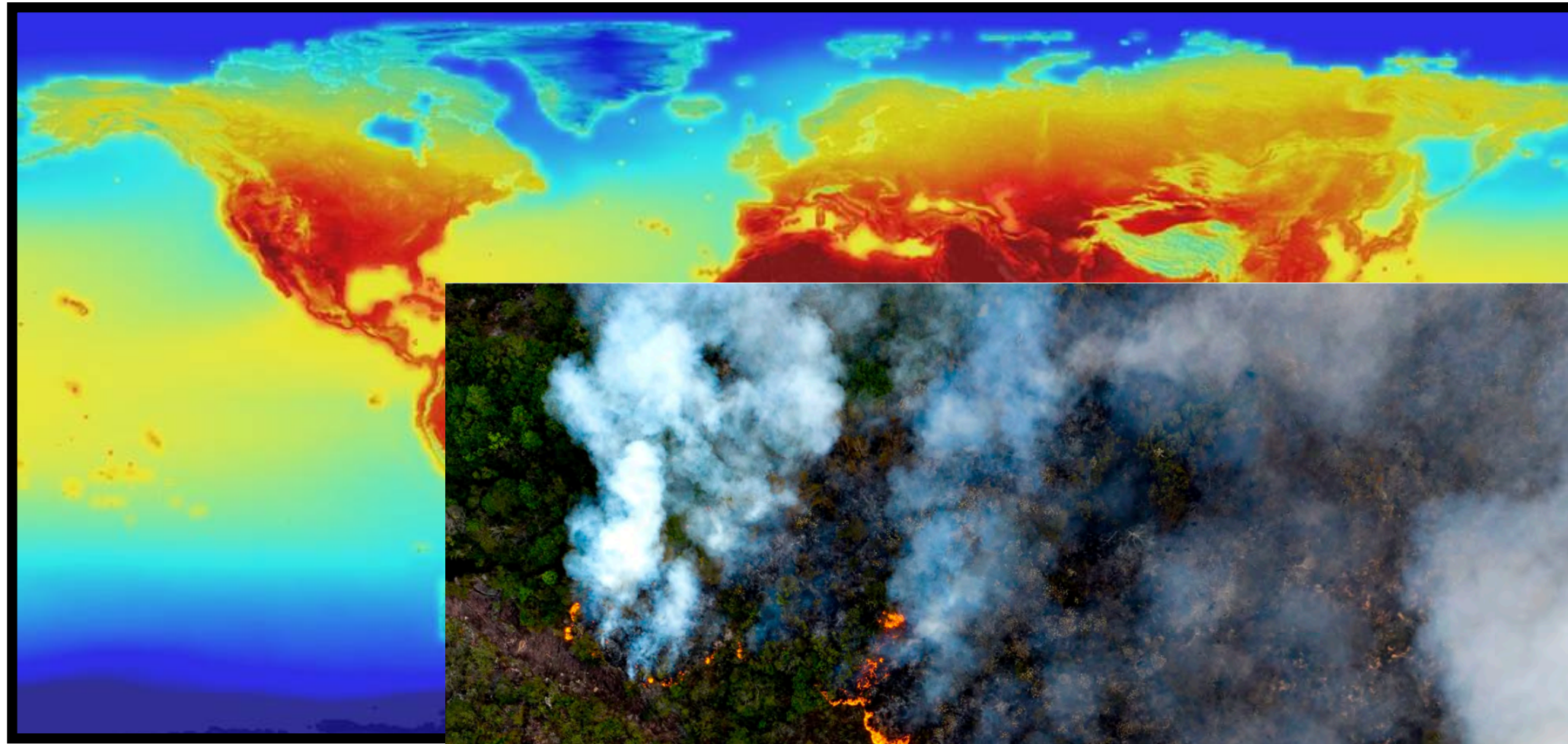


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Forecasting Complex Systems



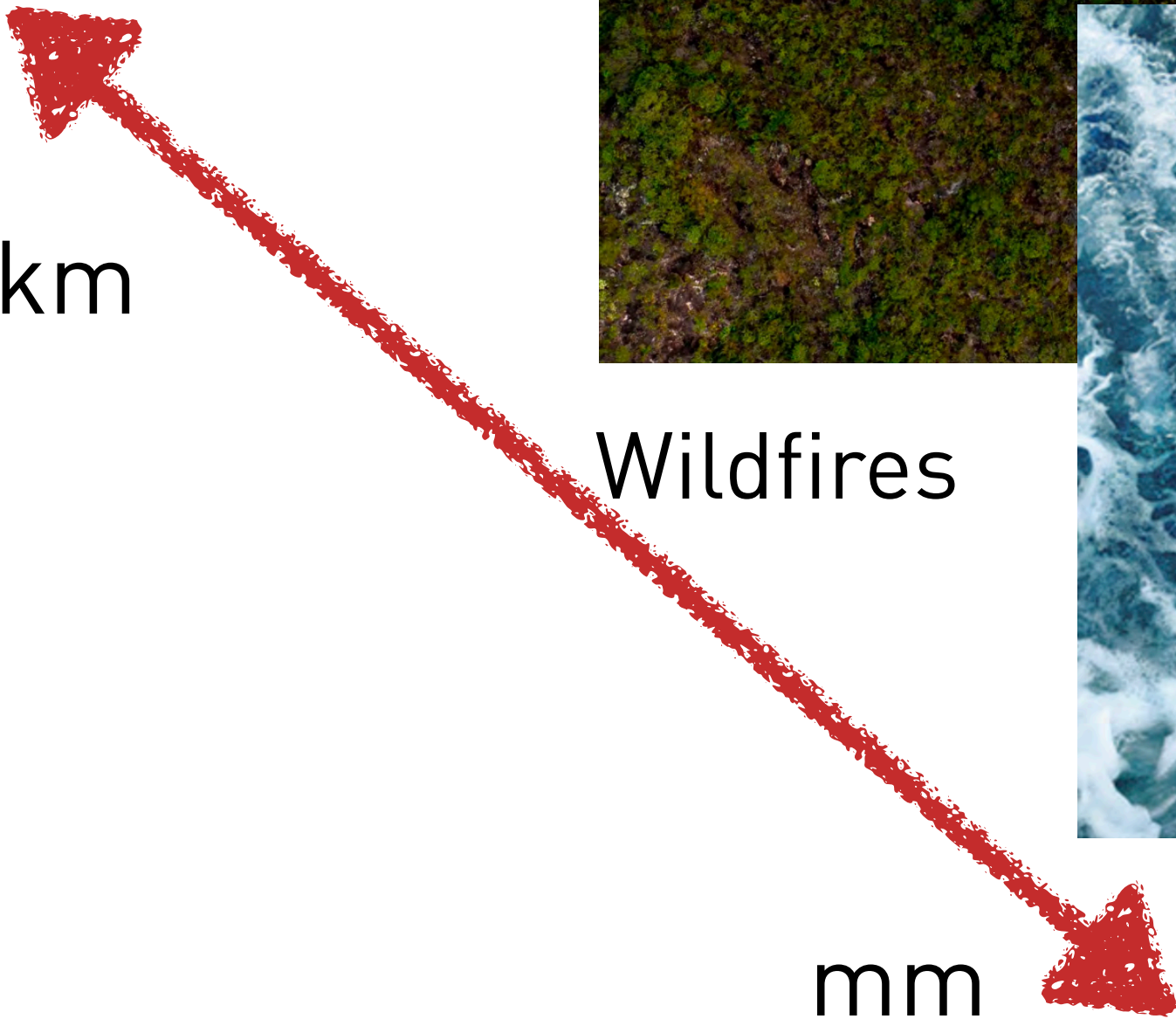
Climate



Wildfires



Turbulence



- ▶ **Chaotic** dynamics
- ▶ **Expensive** to simulate and/or challenging to **forecast**

How to design fast, methods that capture/predict system dynamics?

➔ **Existing methods:**

Surrogate models , ROMs
LES,RANS,DMD,



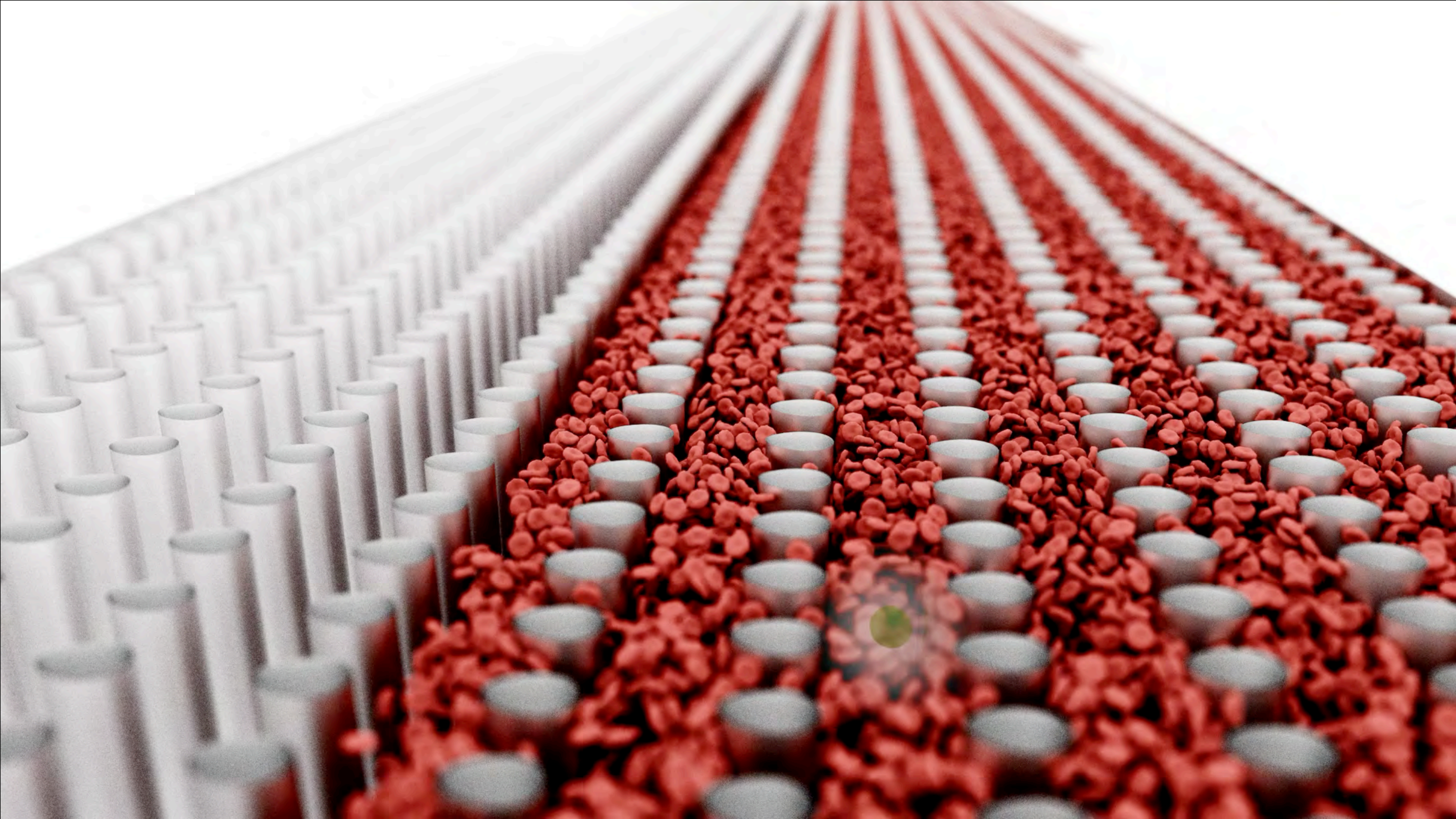
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PHYSICS

Computing foaming flows across scales: From breaking waves to microfluidics

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SCIENTIFIC COMPUTING

Expensive Models based on First Principles

MACHINE LEARNING

Capabilities for Pattern Recognition

Example: Dimensionality Reduction -> PCA as NN

$$\bar{\mathbf{x}} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^N \mathbf{x}_n$$

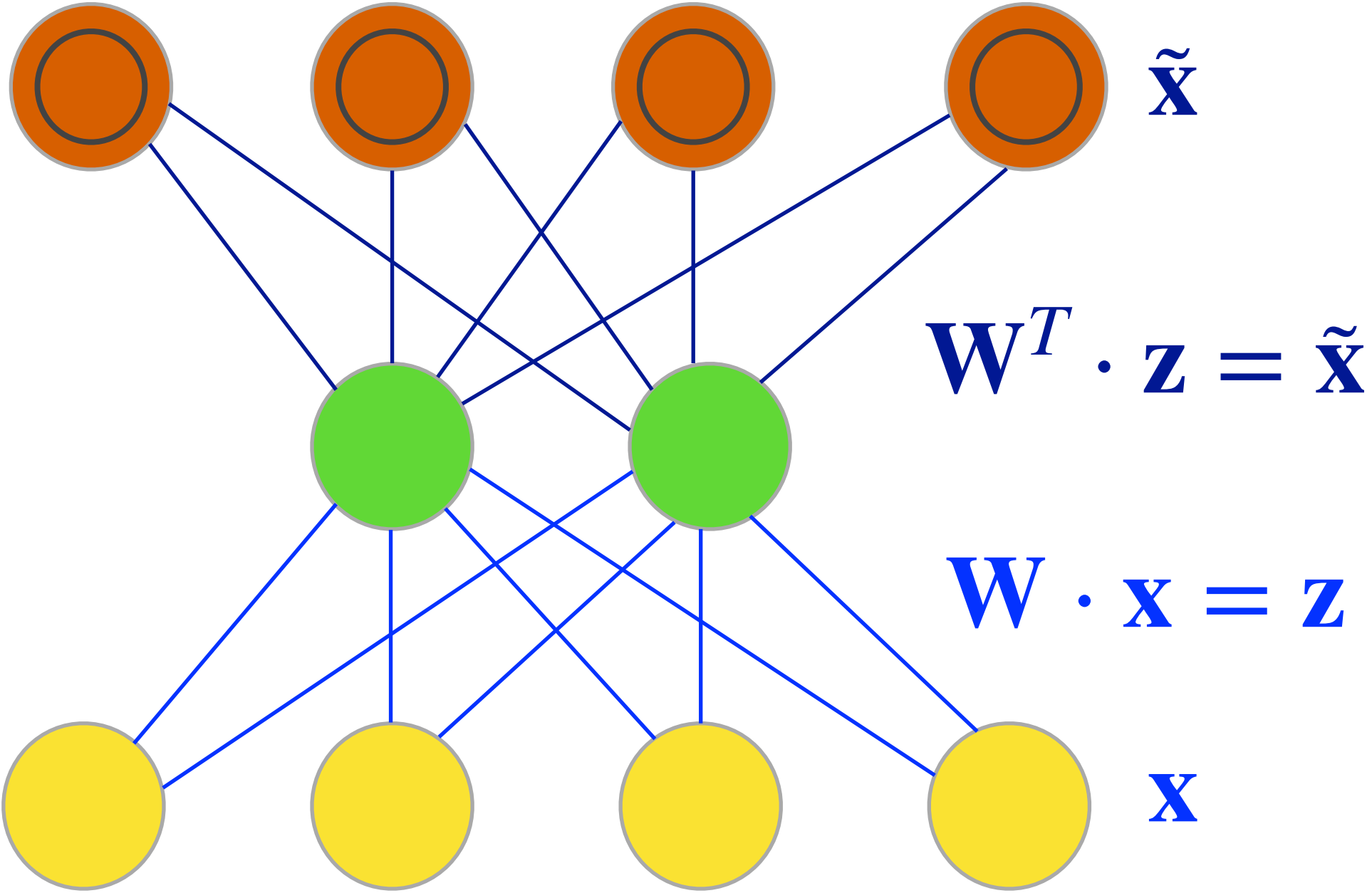
$$\mathbf{S} = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{n=1}^N (\mathbf{x}_n - \bar{\mathbf{x}})(\mathbf{x}_n - \bar{\mathbf{x}})^T$$

$$\mathbf{S}\mathbf{u}_i = \lambda_i \mathbf{u}_i$$

retain $M < D$ eigenvectors

$$E = ||\tilde{\mathbf{x}} - \mathbf{x}||^2$$

$$= ||\mathbf{W}^T \mathbf{W} \cdot \mathbf{x} - \mathbf{x}||^2$$



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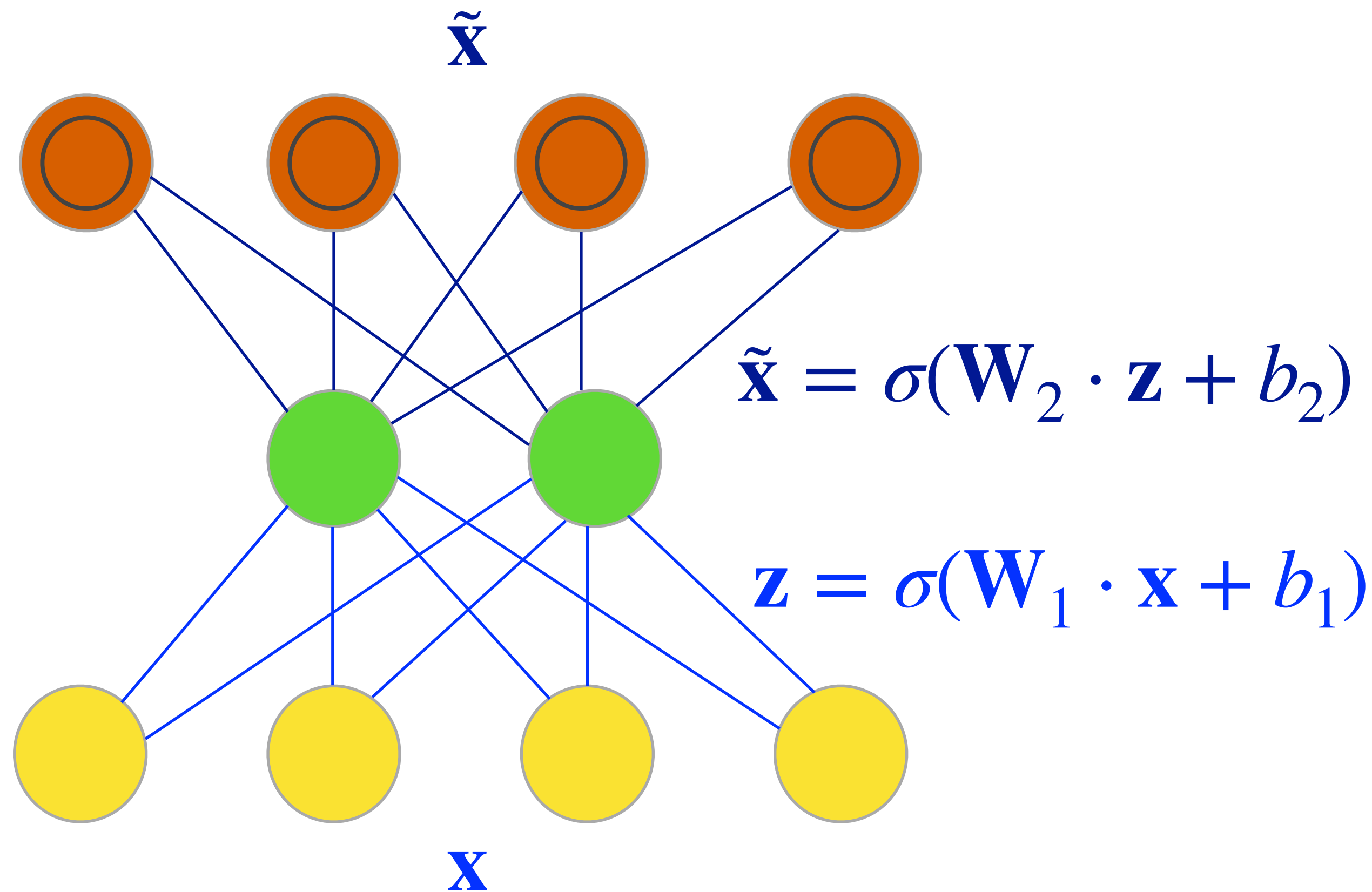
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Learning from Examples Without Local Minima**

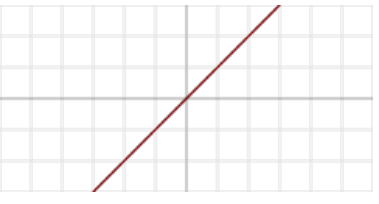
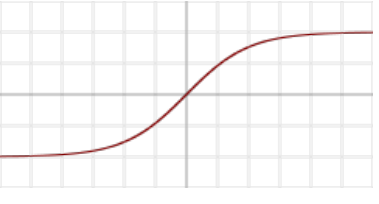
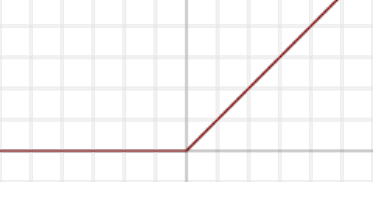
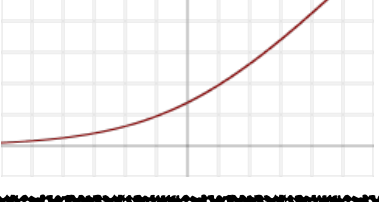
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(Received 18 May 1988; revised and accepted 16 August 1988)

Find \mathbf{W} by minimizing E

Non-Linear PCA - Autoencoders



activation function σ		derivative
$\sigma(x) = x$		$\sigma'(x) = 1$
$\sigma(x) = \frac{2}{1 + e^{-2x}} - 1$		$\sigma'(x) = 1 - f(x)^2$
$\sigma(x) = \max(0, x)$		$\sigma'(x) = \max(0, 1)$
$\sigma(x) = \ln(1 + e^x)$		$\sigma'(x) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-x}}$

- ▶ learns a function with target values equal to the input
- ▶ linear auto-encoder "equivalent" to PCA/POD

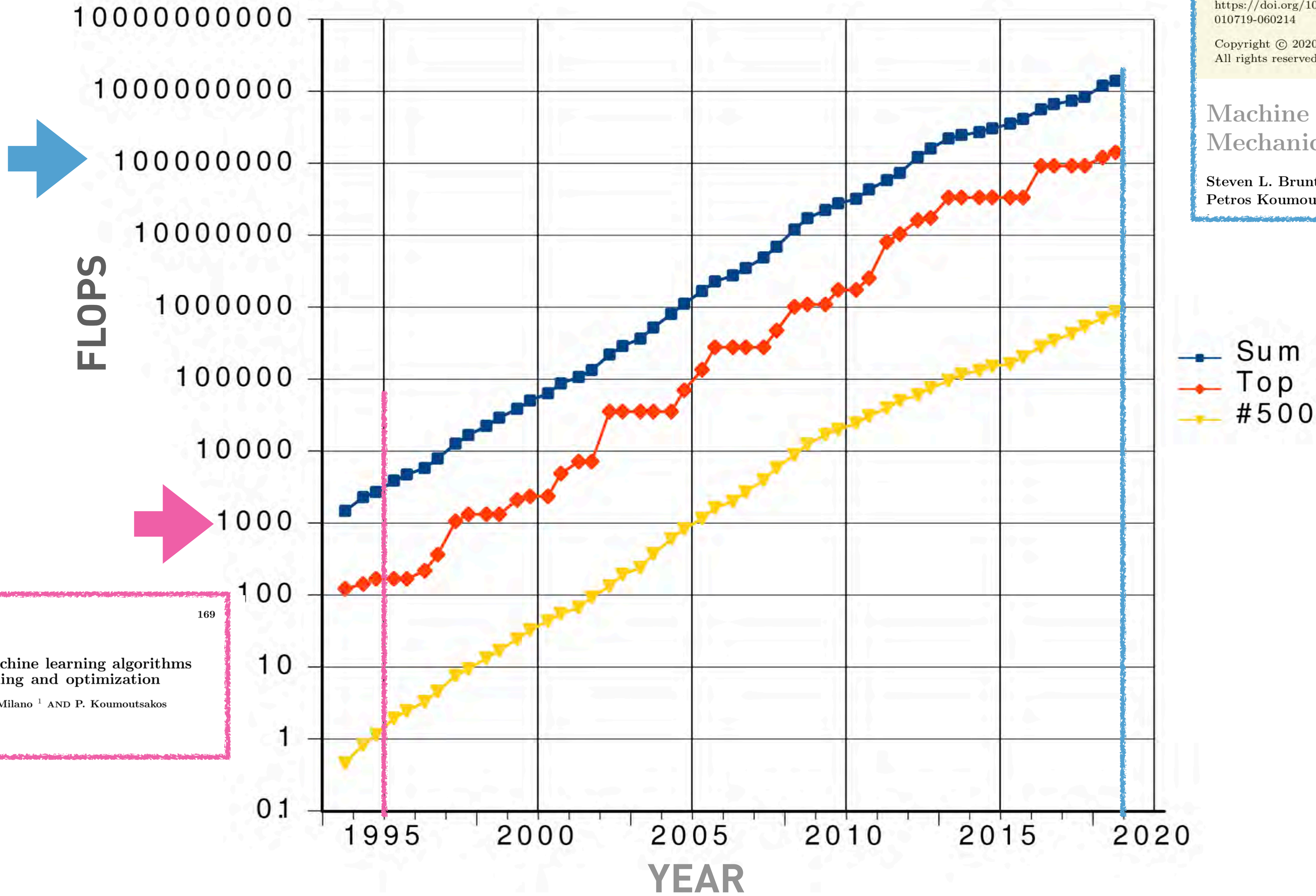
$$E = ||\tilde{\mathbf{x}} - \mathbf{x}||^2$$

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Machine Learning for Fluid Mechanics

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Application of machine learning algorithms to flow modeling and optimization

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Deep learning's Big Bang moment.

ImageNet Classification with Deep Convolutional Neural Networks

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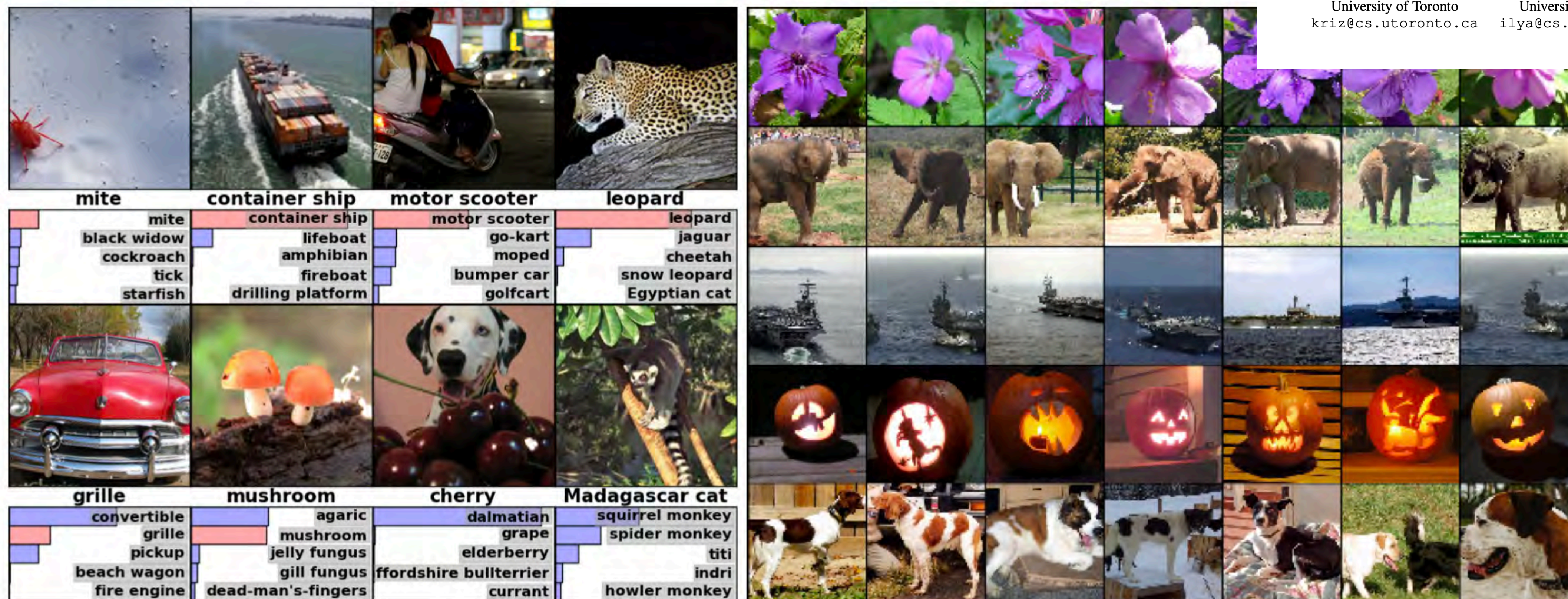
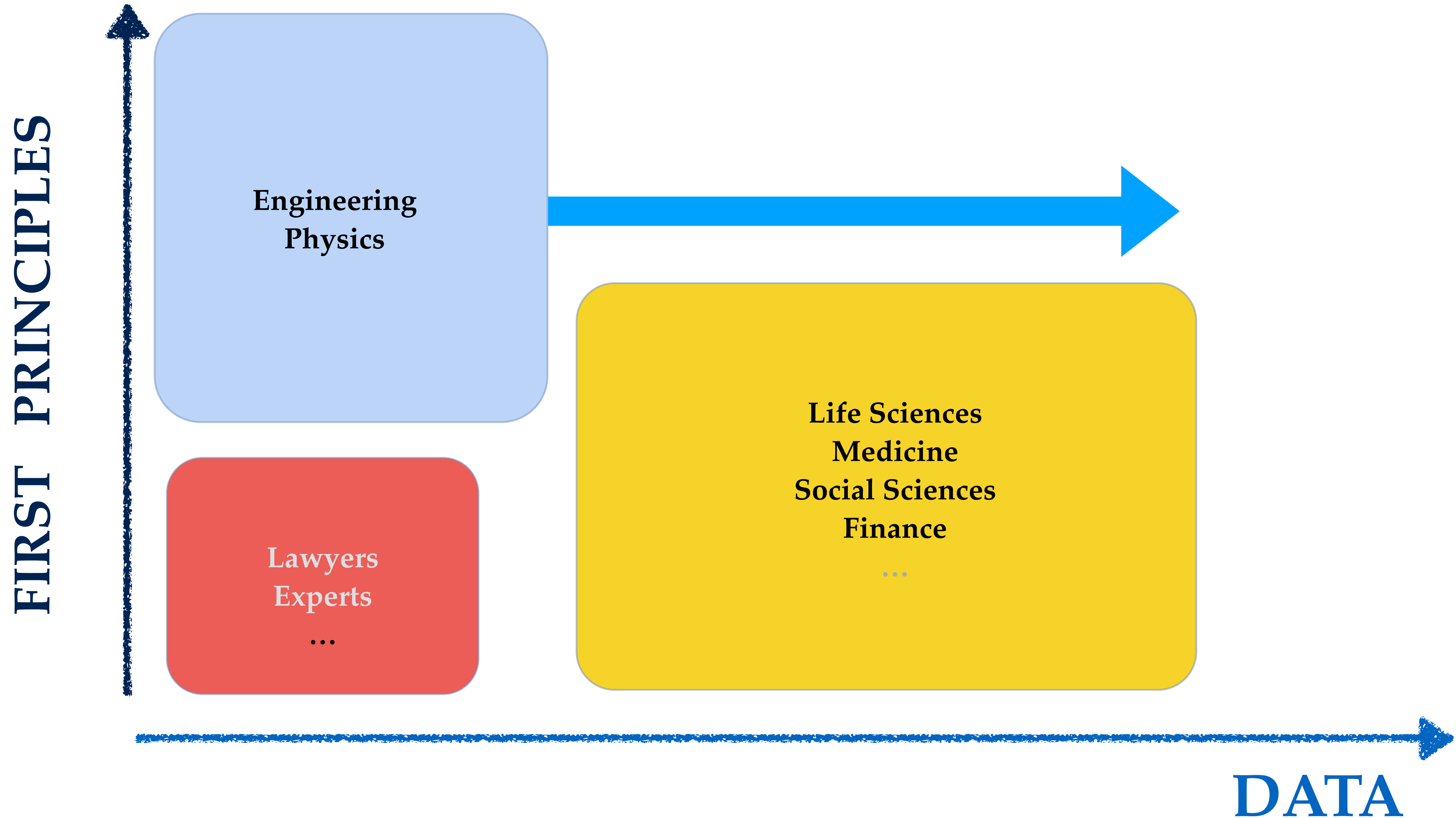


Figure 4: **(Left)** Eight ILSVRC-2010 test images and the five labels considered most probable by our model. The correct label is written under each image, and the probability assigned to the correct label is also shown with a red bar (if it happens to be in the top 5). **(Right)** Five ILSVRC-2010 test images in the first column. The remaining columns show the six training images that produce feature vectors in the last hidden layer with the smallest Euclidean distance from the feature vector for the test image.

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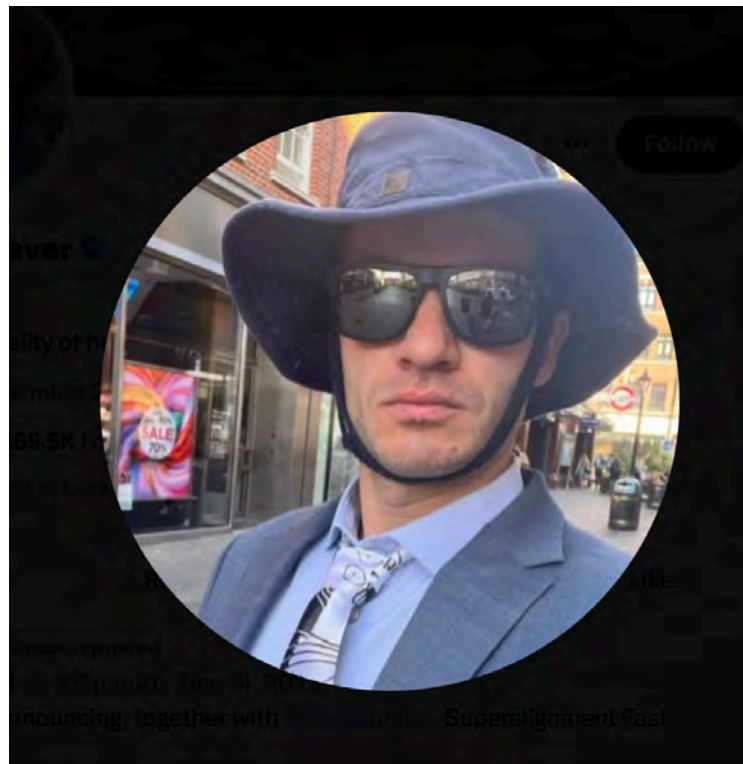


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SCIENTIFIC COMPUTING

Mathematics

Exactness

Understanding

ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE

Architectures

Statistics

Goals

ALLOYS

The Vexation of Patterns

✓ Machine Learning: Success for Pattern Recognition

➔ **Patterns** often present in Dynamical Systems

⊙ Are there **Latent** spaces of Dynamical Systems?

➔ Latent= Causal, Effective, Predictive,.....

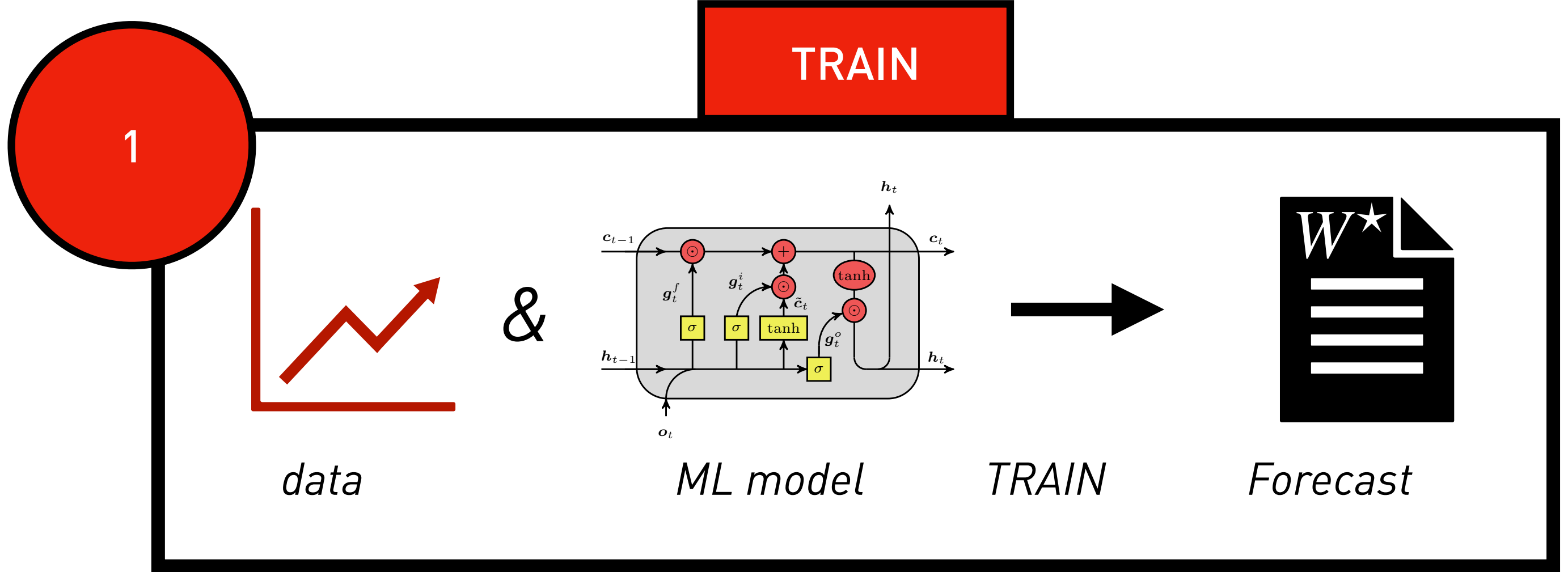
⊙ **Can Machine Learning help identify them?**

TIME

an ML Frontier



Spatiotemporal Forecasting with ML models



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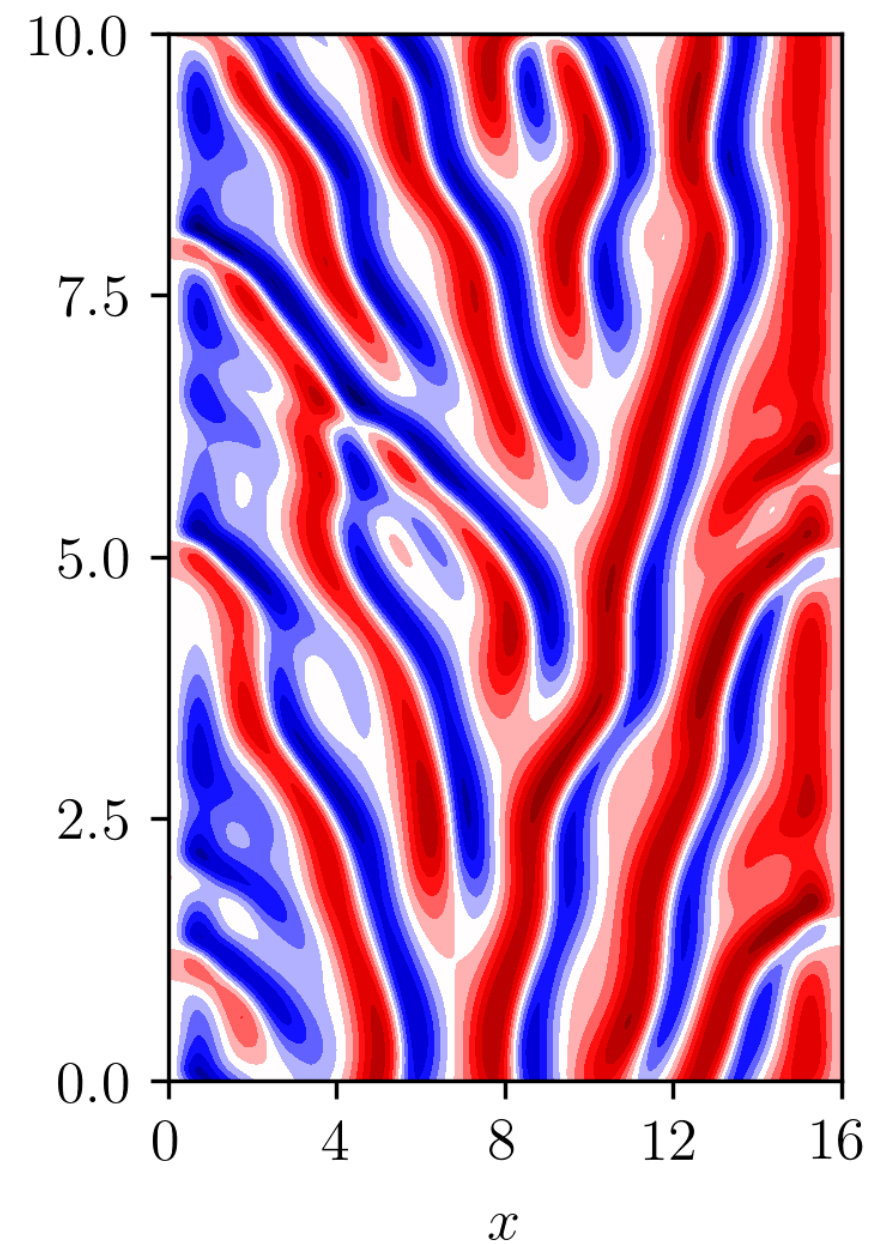
TEST

Can ML models forecast the dynamics of UNSEEN data?

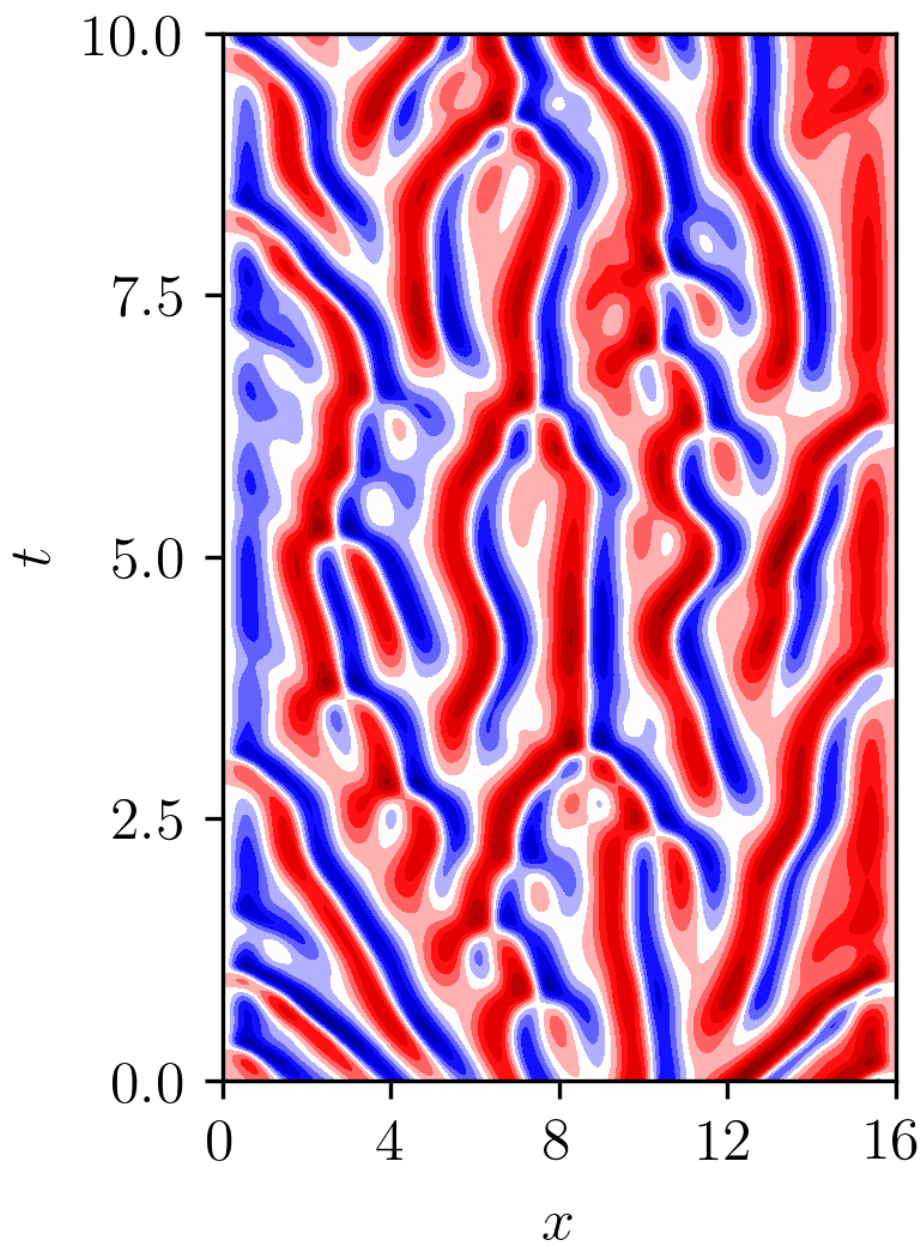
NNs for Dynamical Systems

Kuramoto - Sivashinsky

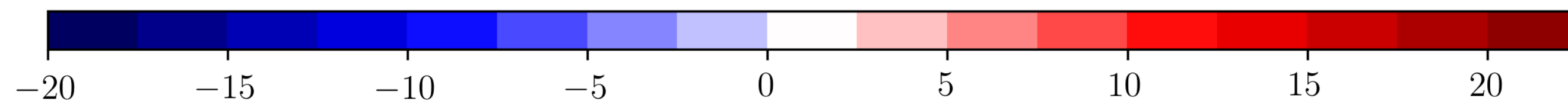
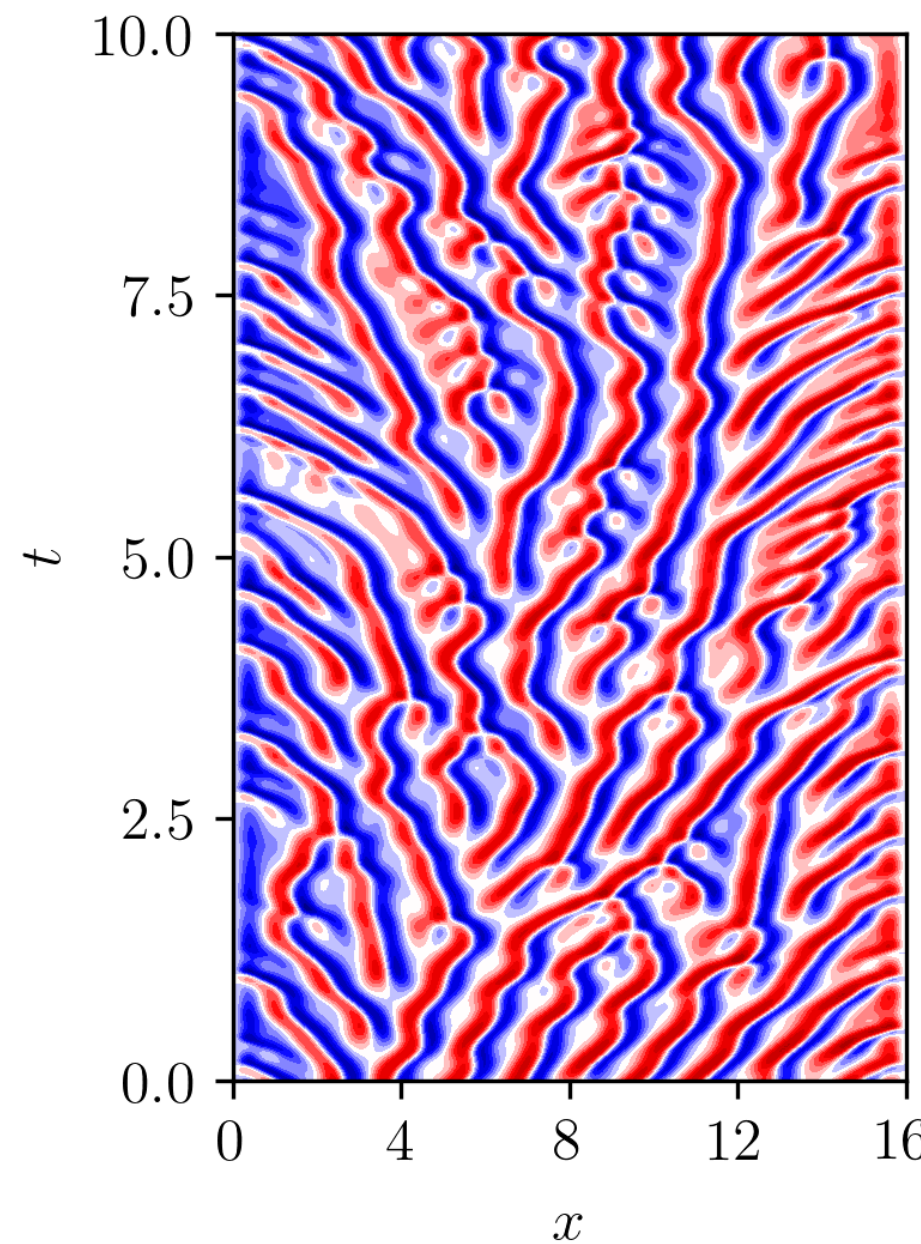
$\tilde{L} \approx 8$



$\tilde{L} \approx 10$



$\tilde{L} \approx 15$



$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = -\nu \frac{\partial^4 u}{\partial x^4} - \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} - u \frac{\partial u}{\partial x},$$

$$u(0, t) = u(L, t) = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \Big|_{x=0} = \frac{\partial u}{\partial x} \Big|_{x=L} = 0,$$

$$u(x, 0) = u_0(x),$$

$$x \in [0, L] \quad t \in [0, \infty]$$

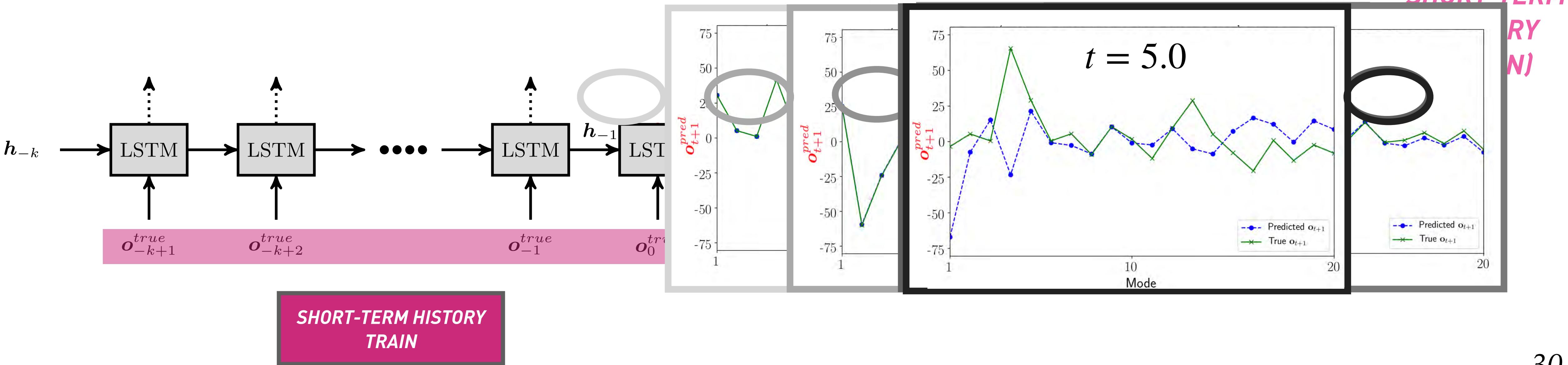
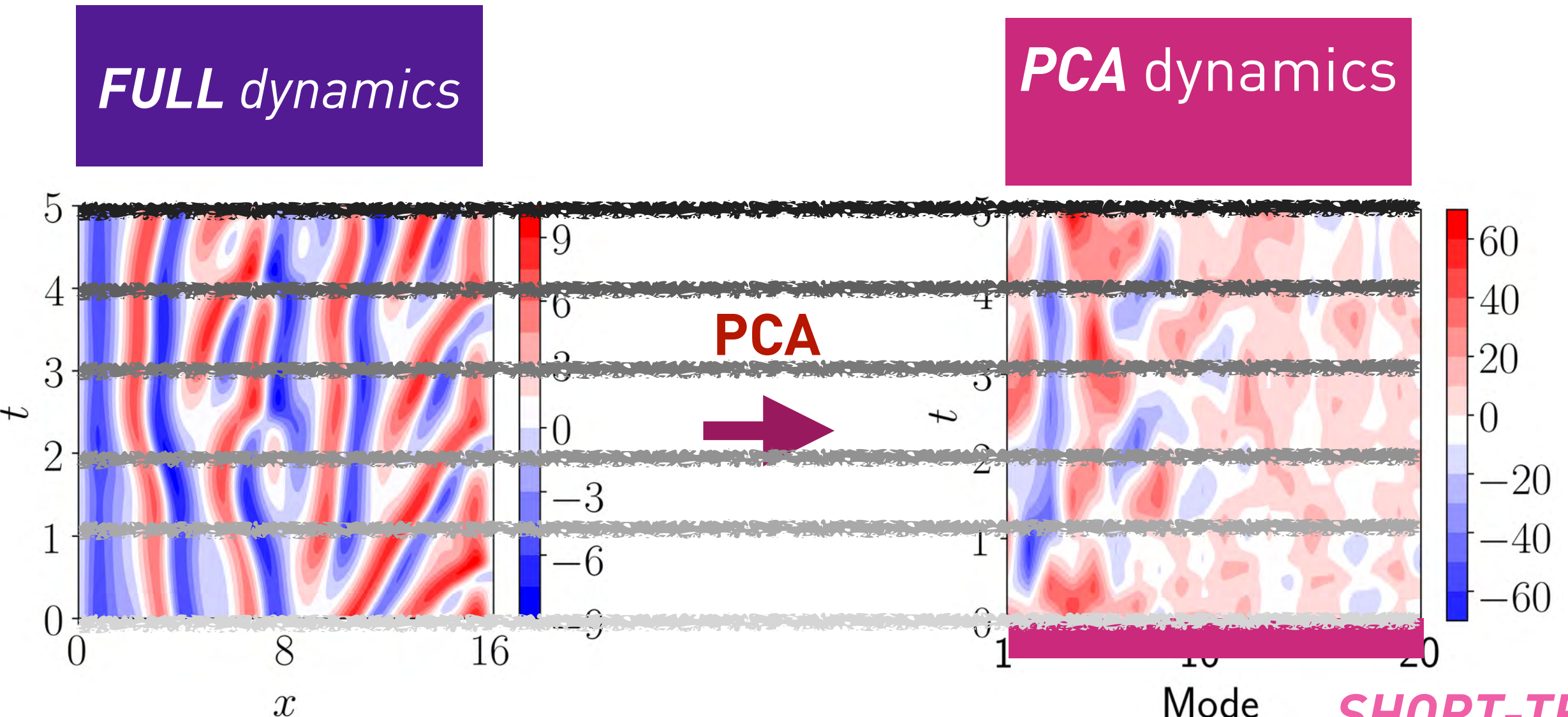
$$\frac{du_i}{dt} = -\nu \frac{u_{i-2} - 4u_{i-1} + 6u_i - 4u_{i+1} + u_{i+2}}{\Delta x^4} - \frac{u_{i+1} - 2u_i + u_{i-1}}{\Delta x^2} - \frac{u_{i+1}^2 - u_{i-1}^2}{4\Delta x}$$

Integration with $dt = 0.02$ up to $T = 10^4$
500.000 samples

Forecasting using **LATENT** Dynamics

LATENT DYNAMICS:
PCA, AUTO- ENCODERS,....

NEXT:
 LATENT DYNAMICS
 FOR DIFFUSION MODELS

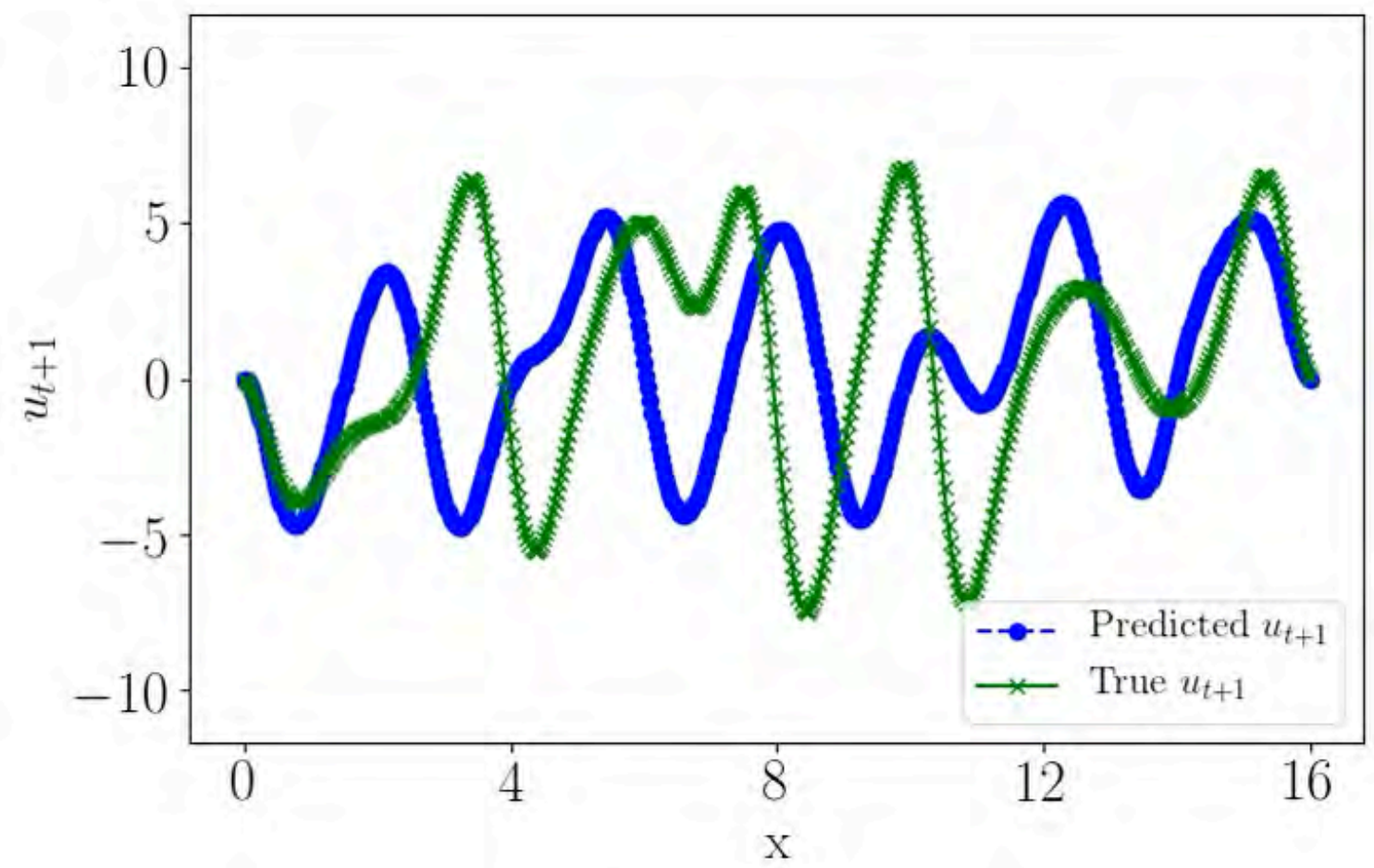
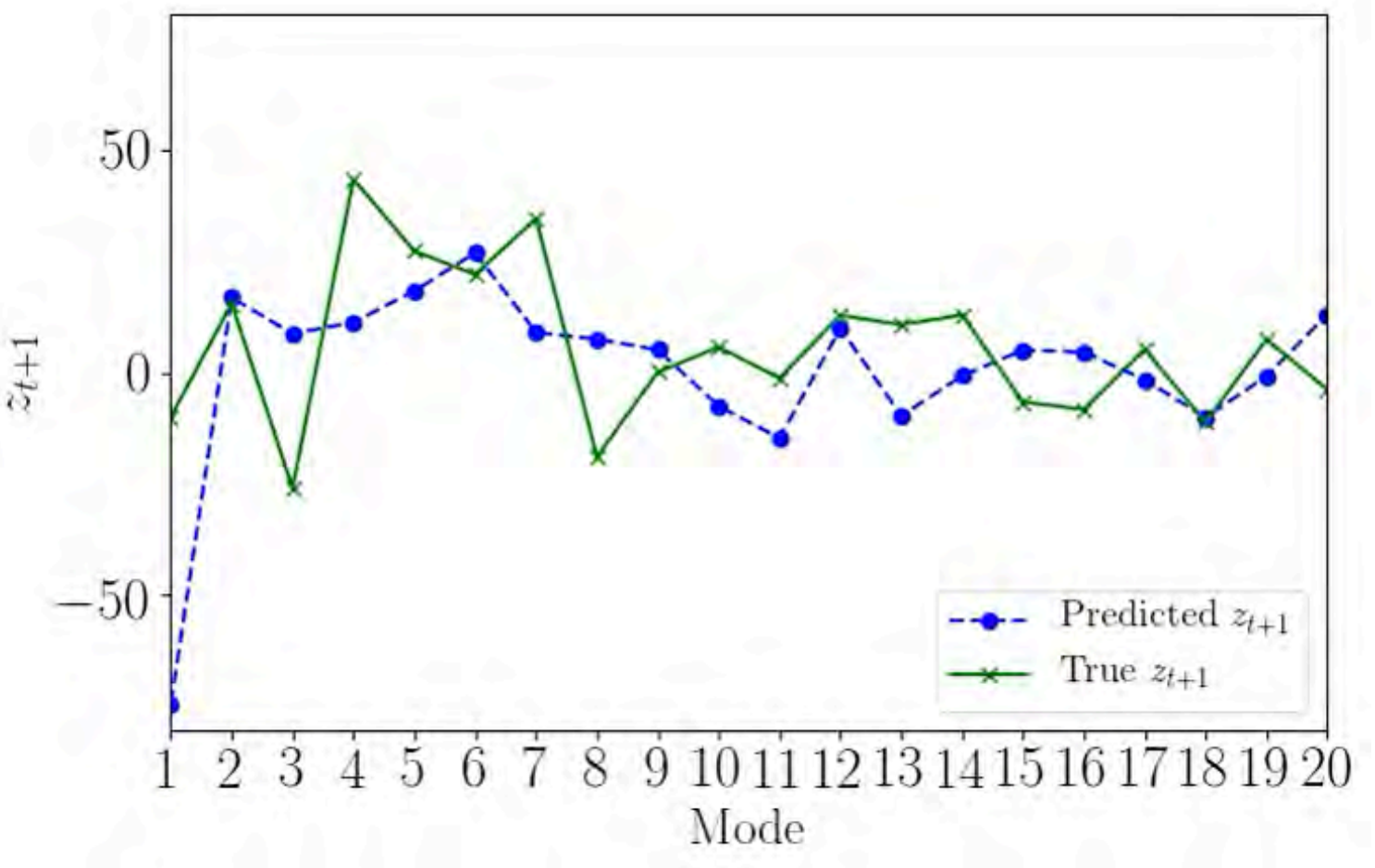


RNNs (and ML in general) **FAIL** to FORECAST (Sooner or Later) CHAOTIC SYSTEMS

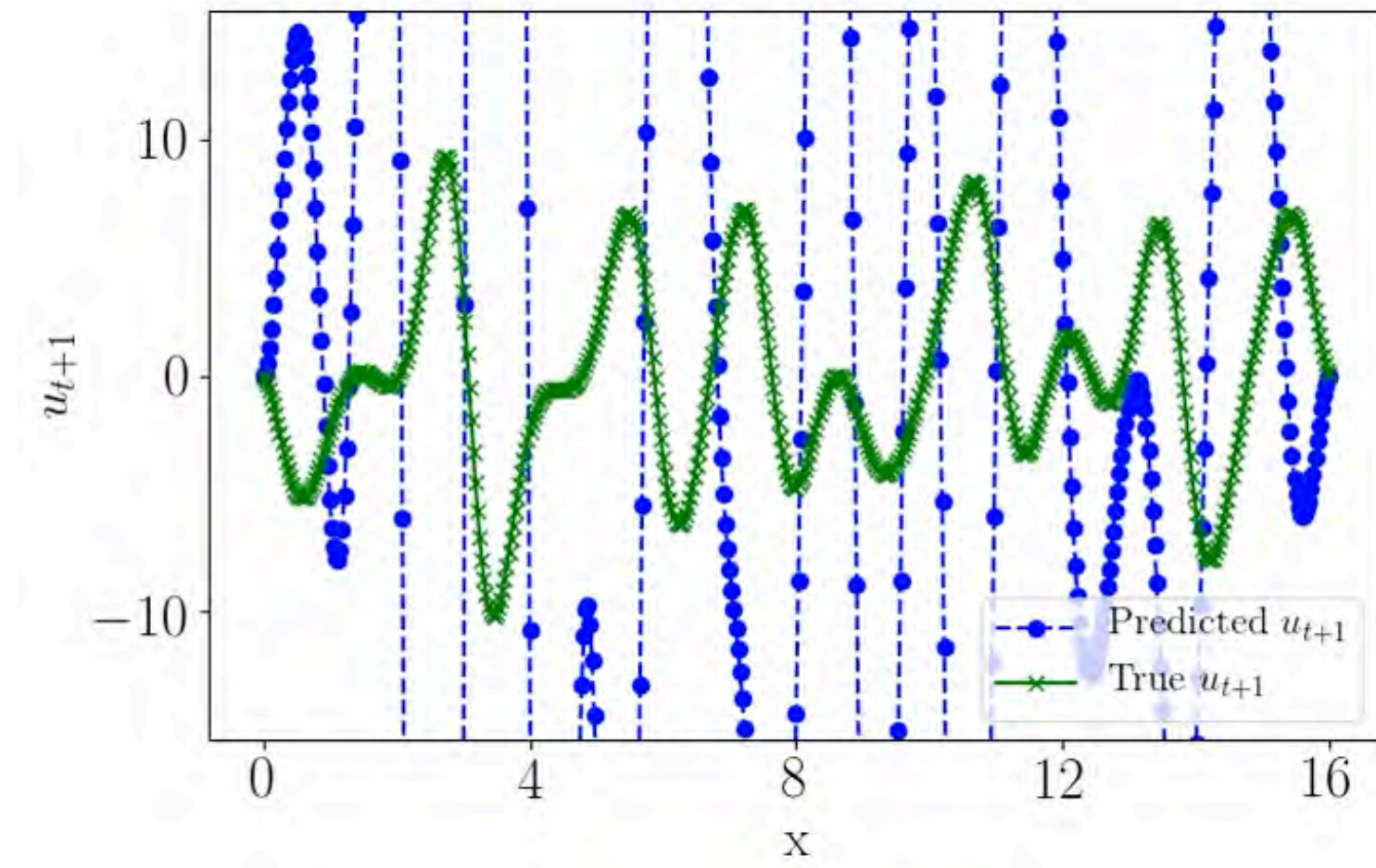
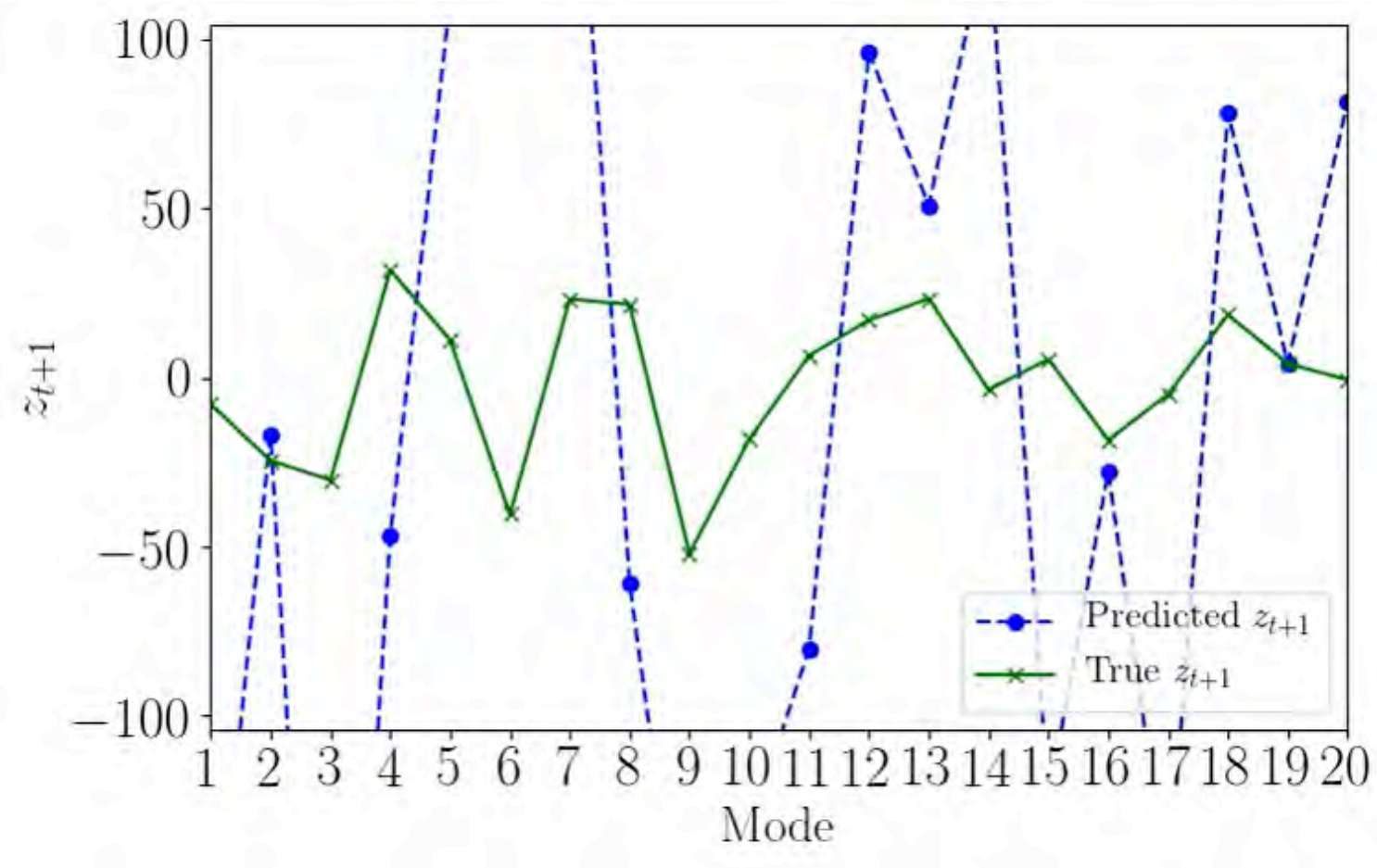
reduced space

high-dimensional space

$\tilde{L} \approx 8$



$\tilde{L} \approx 10$



Research



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Data-driven forecasting of high-dimensional chaotic systems with long short-term memory networks

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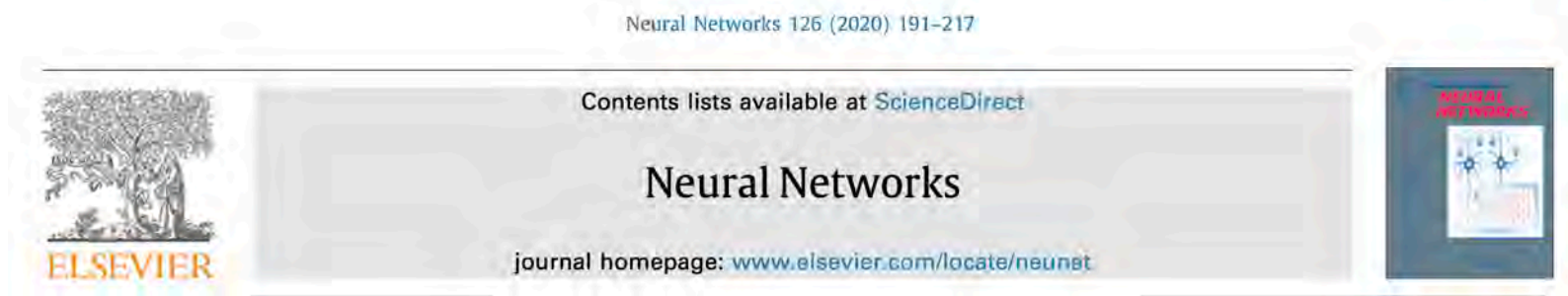
Data-assisted reduced-order modeling of extreme events in complex dynamical systems

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Backpropagation algorithms and Reservoir Computing in Recurrent Neural Networks for the forecasting of complex spatiotemporal dynamics

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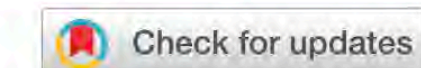
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Learning **E**ffective **D**ynamics




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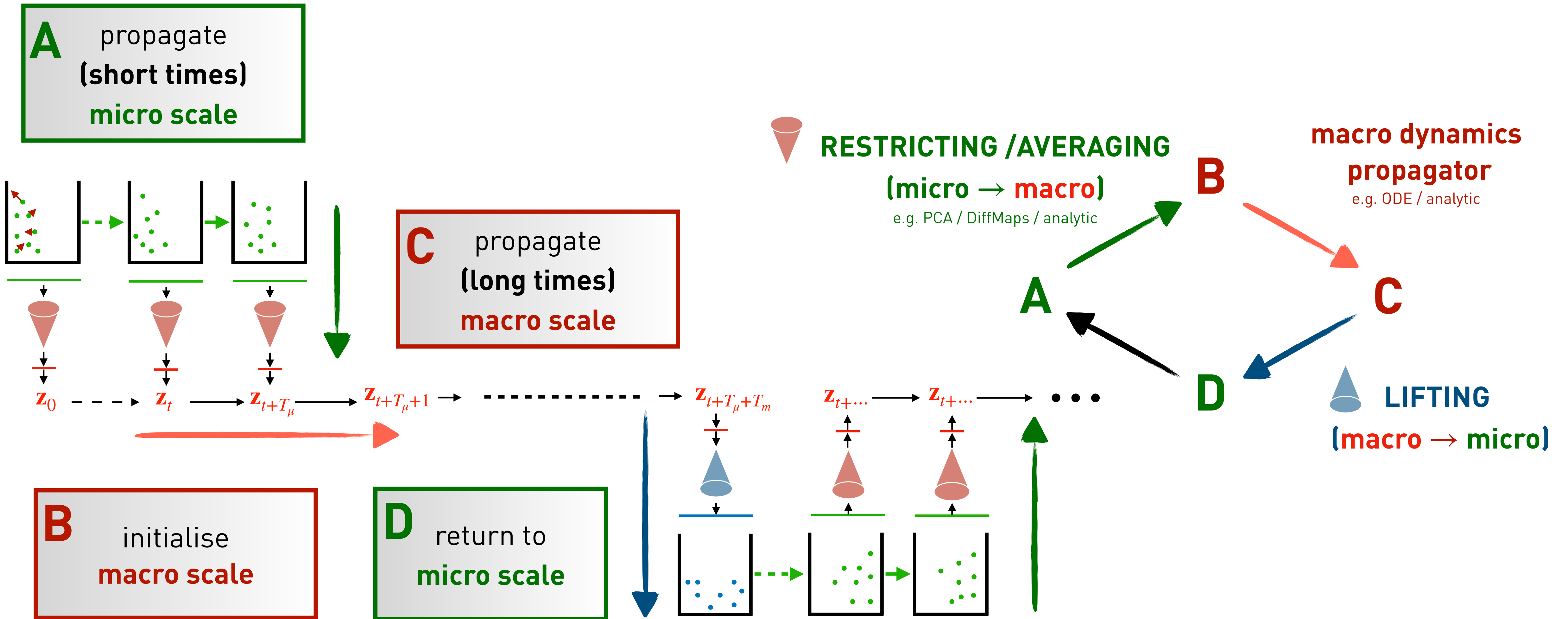
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Multiscale simulations of complex systems by learning their effective dynamics

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Equation-Free Framework - Yannis Kevrekidis



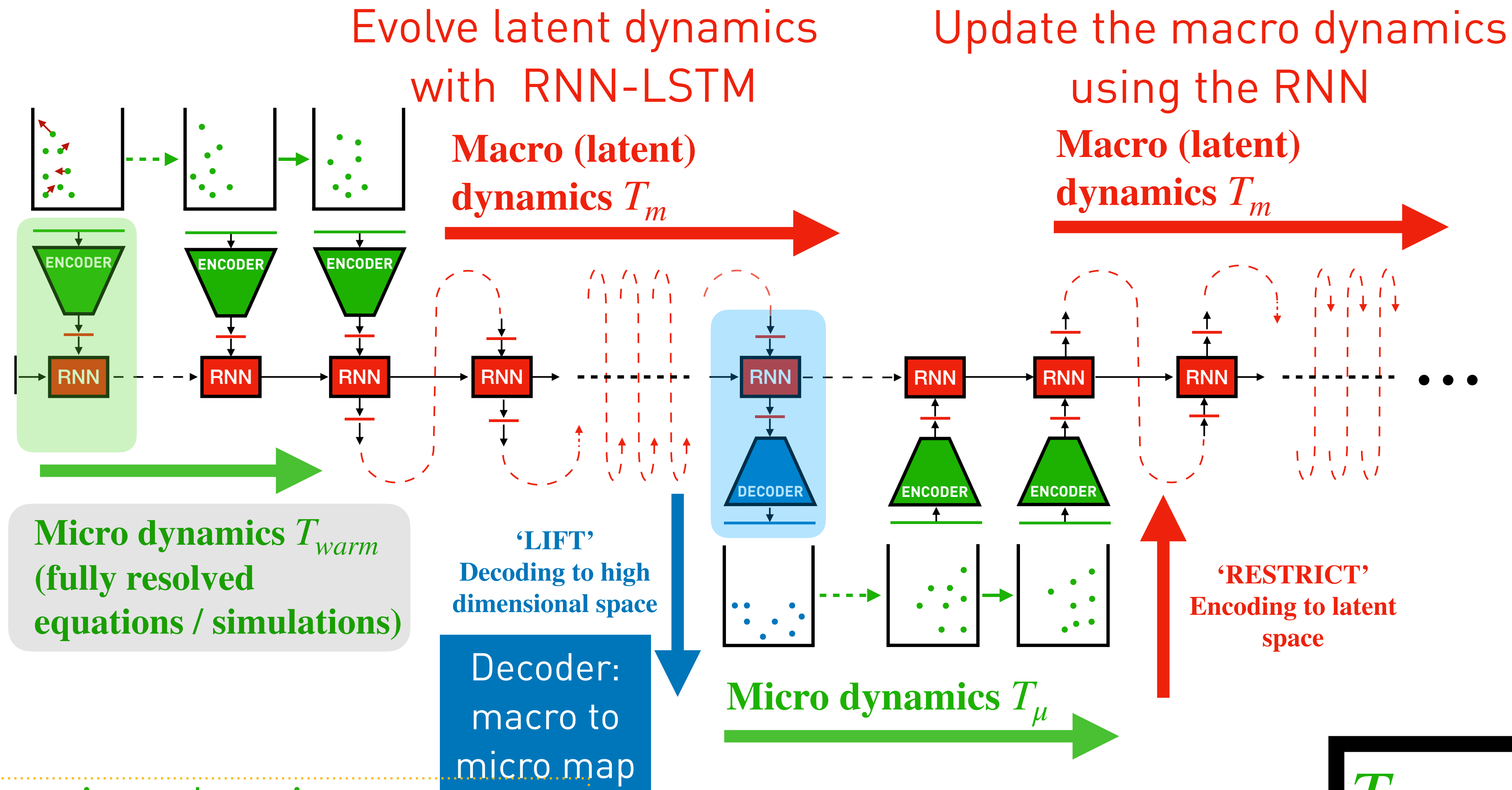
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Learning Effective Dynamics

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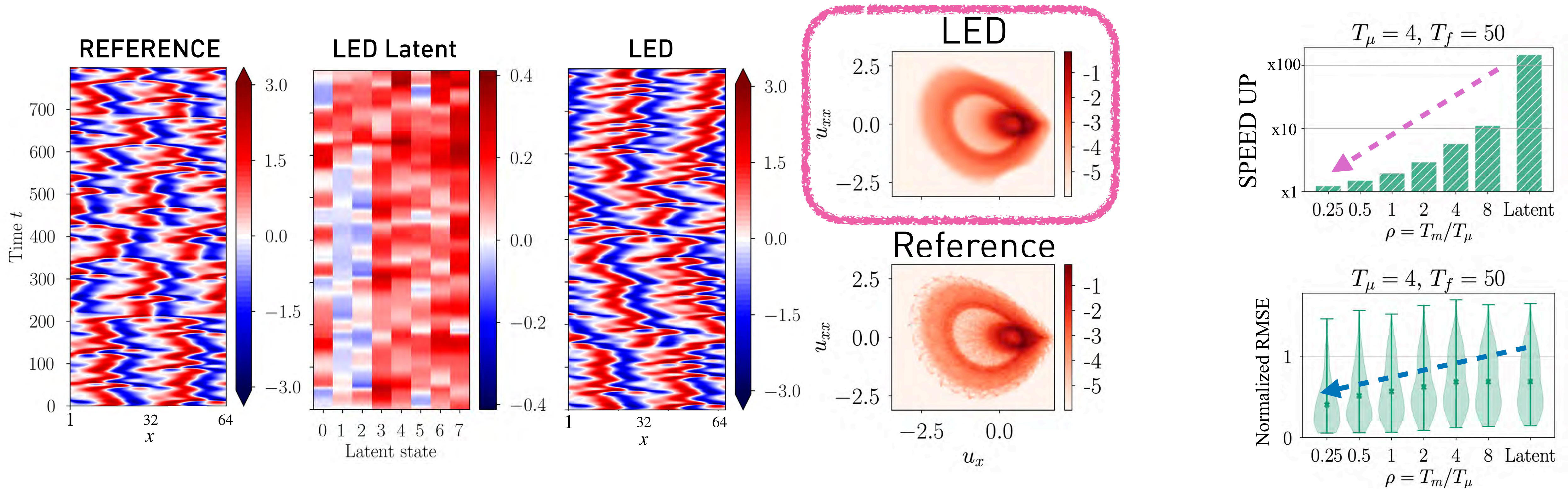
- I. Evolve micro dynamics
- II. Project to Latent Space with AEs
- III. Train RNN-LSTM

Update the micro dynamics
(and continue training of RNN)

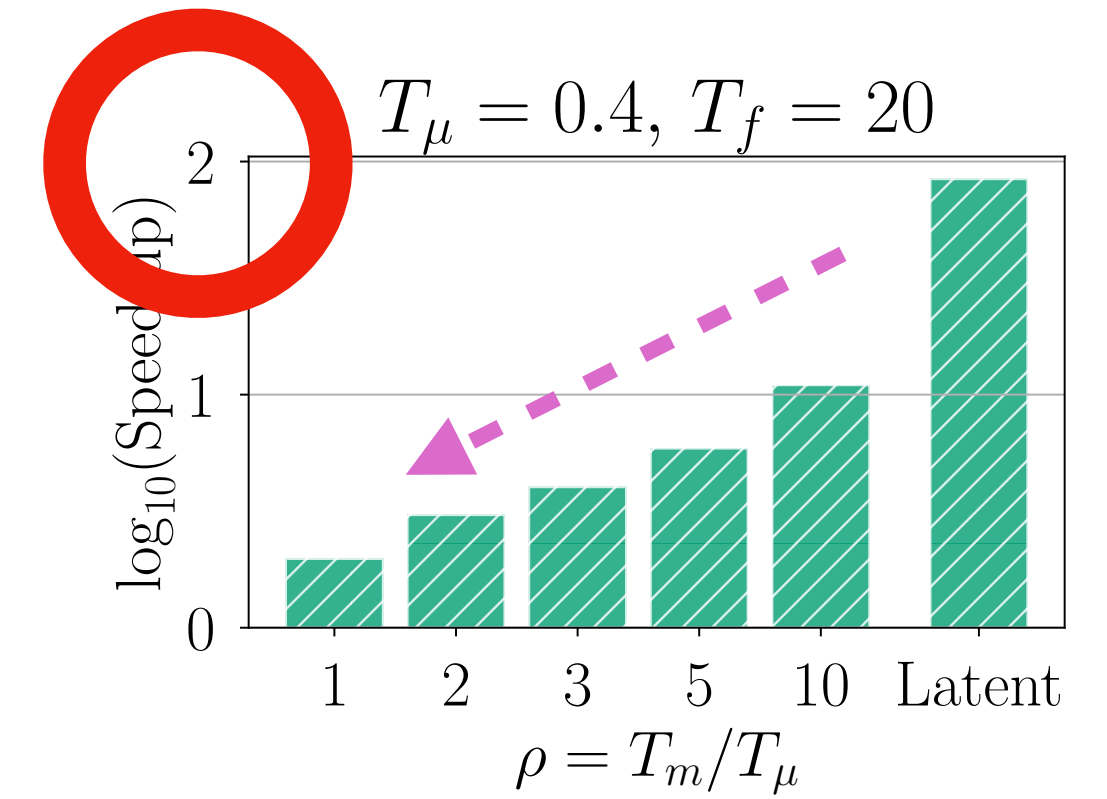
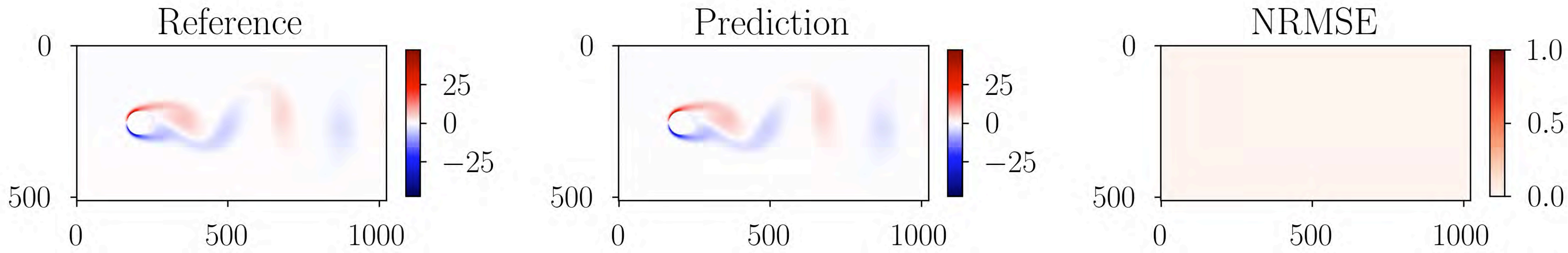
$$T_{warm}, T_{\mu} \ll T_m$$

Kuramoto-Sivashinsky $L = 22$

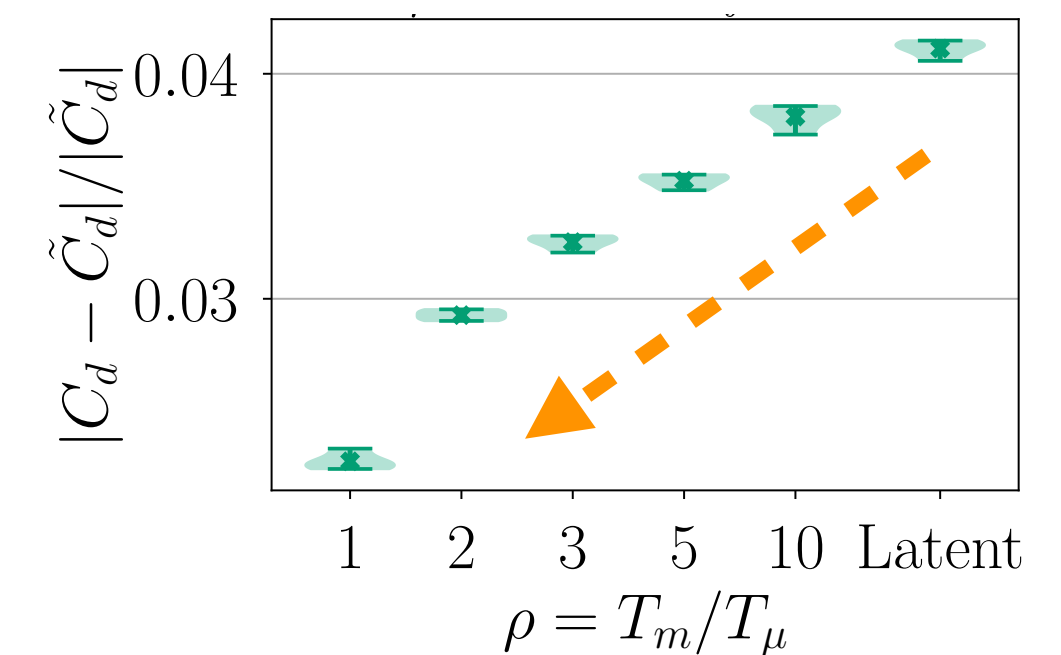
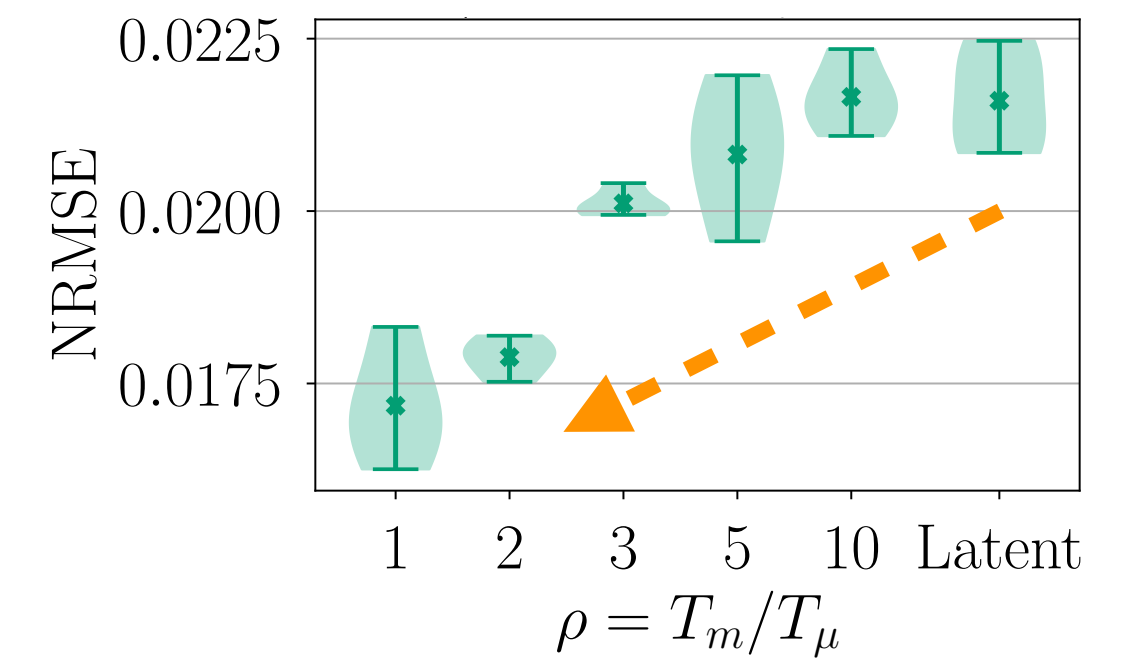
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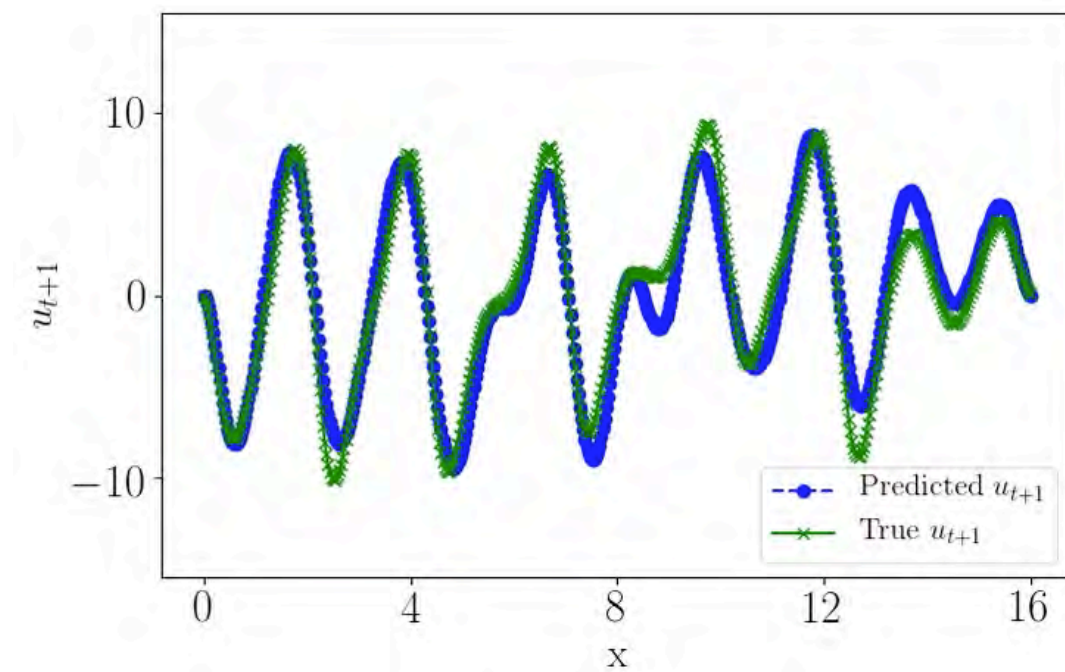


Cylinder at $Re = 100$ - (LED $d_z = 2$)



- Micro solver: Finite Differences solver (CubimUP2D) employing 12 cores
- State: velocity in x- and y- direction and pressure $\mathbf{s}_t \in \mathbb{R}^{3 \times 512 \times 1024}$
- LED with latent dimension of $d_z = 2, \Delta t = 0.2$
- LED captures **long-term evolution** of velocity and pressure fields (low NRMSE)
- LED is up to **two orders of magnitude** faster than CubismUP2D
- Recovers drag coefficient with $\approx 2 - 4\%$ error



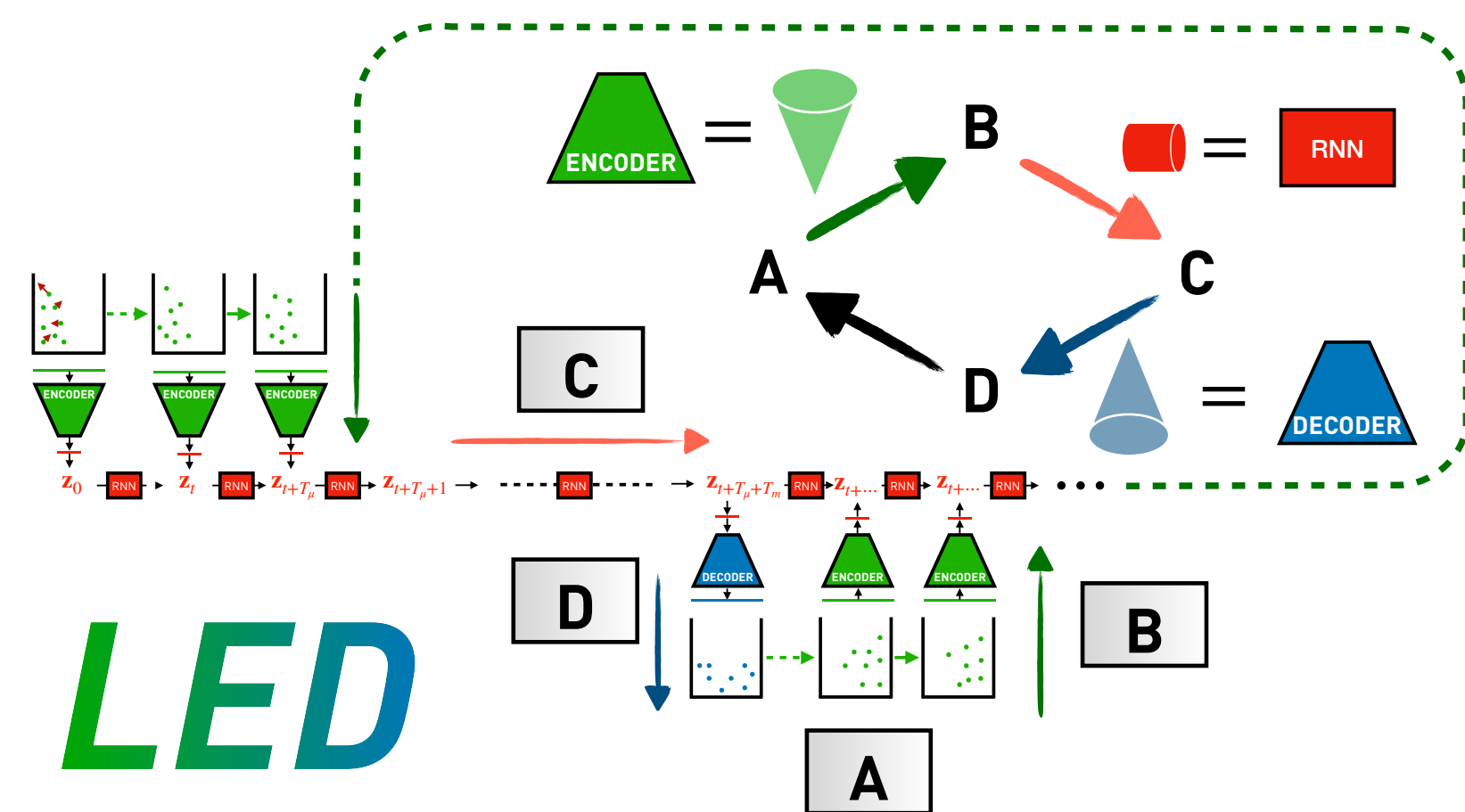
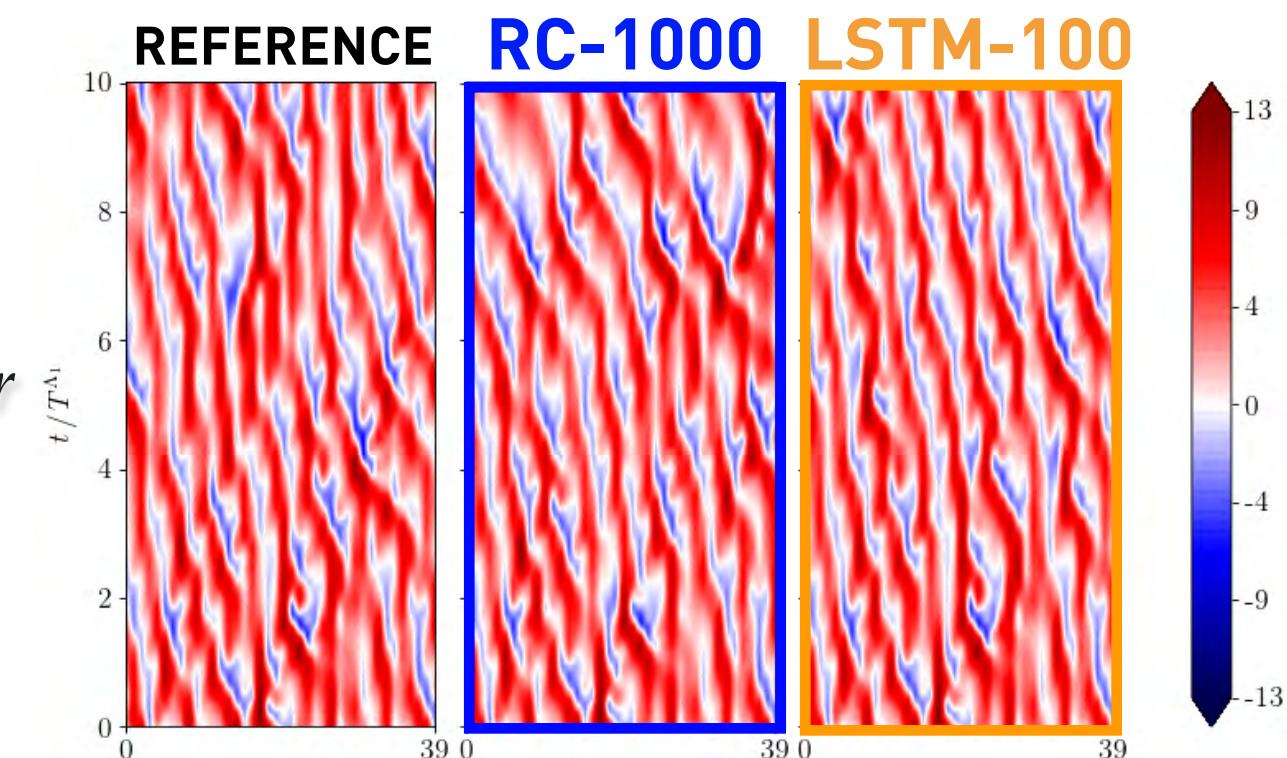


HYBRID LSTM - MSM

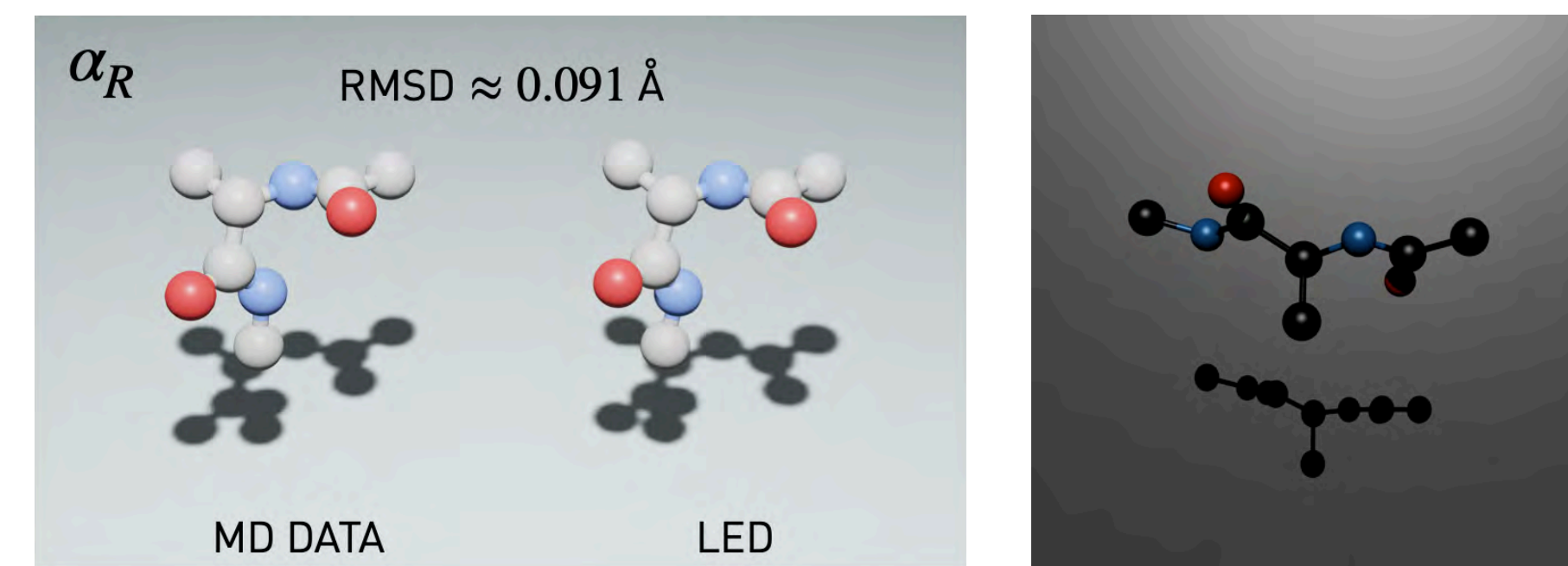
$$\dot{z}_t = \begin{cases} \text{LSTM}^W(z_t, z_{t-1}, z_{t-2}, \dots) & \text{if } p_{train}(z_t) \geq \theta \\ \text{MSM}^{\zeta, c}(z_t) & \text{if } p_{train}(z_t) < \theta \end{cases}$$

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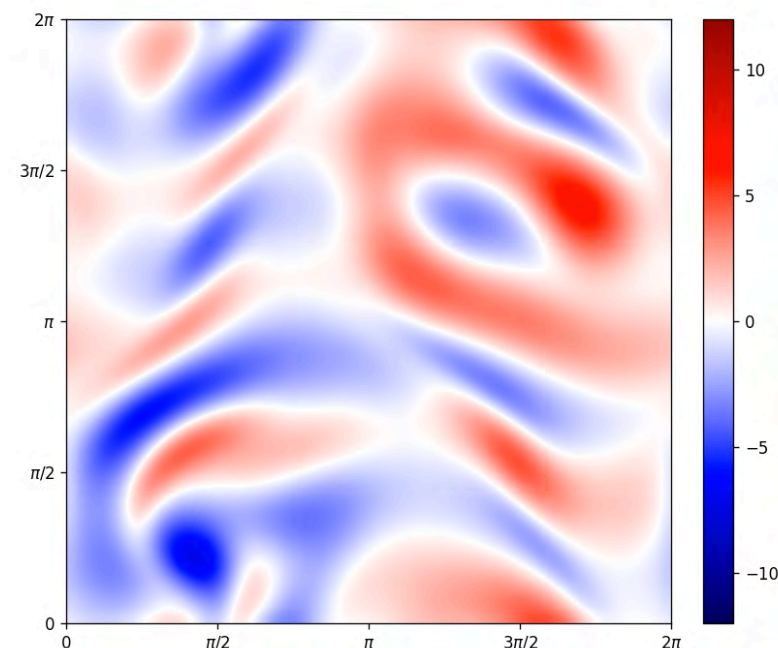
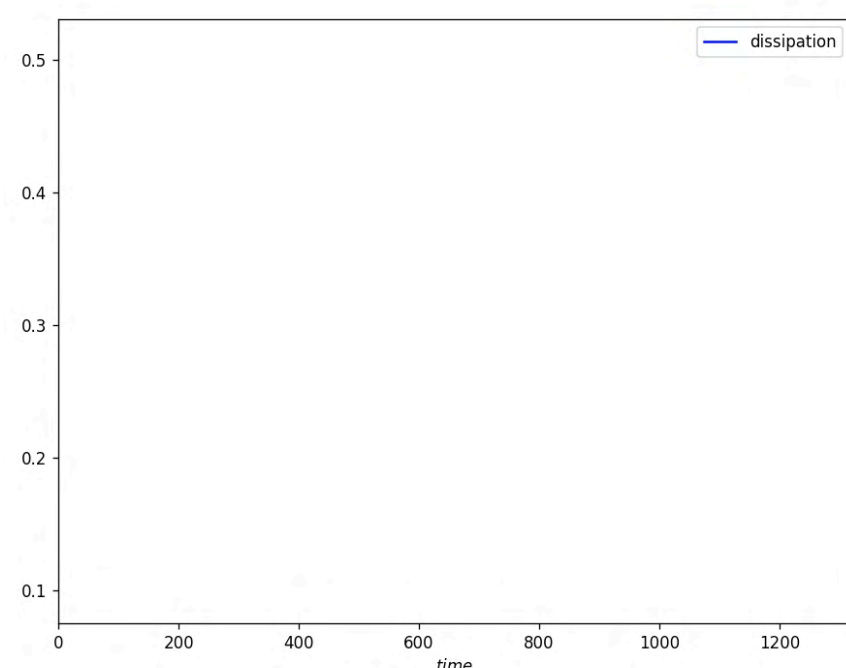
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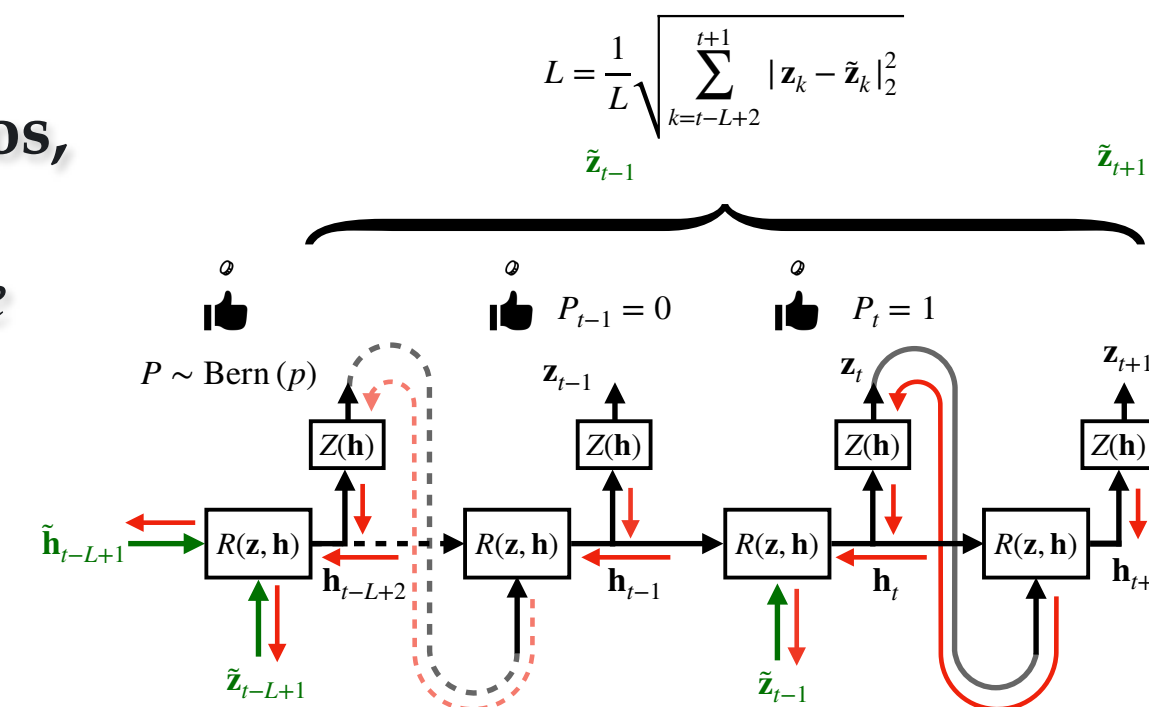
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Adaptive learning of effective dynamics for online modeling of complex systems

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Interpretable learning of effective dynamics for multiscale systems

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The modeling and simulation of high-dimensional multiscale systems is a critical challenge across all areas of science and engineering. It is broadly believed that even with today's computer advances resolving all spatiotemporal scales described by the governing equations remains a remote target. This realization has prompted intense efforts to develop model order reduction techniques. In recent years, techniques based on deep recurrent neural networks have produced promising results for the modeling and simulation of complex spatiotemporal systems and offer large flexibility in model development as they can incorporate experimental and computational data. However, neural networks lack interpretability, which limits their utility and generalizability across complex systems. Here we propose a novel framework of Interpretable Learning Effective Dynamics (ILED) that offers comparable accuracy to state-of-the-art recurrent neural network-based approaches while providing the added benefit of interpretability. The ILED framework is motivated by Mori-Zwanzig and Koopman operator theory, which justifies the choice of the specific architecture. We demonstrate the effectiveness of the proposed framework in simulations of three benchmark multiscale systems. Our results show that the ILED framework can generate accurate predictions and obtain interpretable dynamics, making it a promising approach for solving high-dimensional multiscale systems.

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Generative Learning for Forecasting the Dynamics of Complex Systems

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We introduce generative models for accelerating simulations of complex systems through learning and evolving their effective dynamics. In the proposed Generative Learning of Effective Dynamics (G-LED), instances of high dimensional data are down sampled to a lower dimensional manifold that is evolved through an auto-regressive attention mechanism. In turn, Bayesian diffusion models, that map this low-dimensional manifold onto its corresponding high-dimensional space, capture the statistics of the system dynamics. We demonstrate the capabilities and drawbacks of G-LED in simulations of several benchmark systems, including the Kuramoto-Sivashinsky (KS) equation, two-dimensional high Reynolds number flow over a backward-facing step, and simulations of three-dimensional turbulent channel flow. The results demonstrate that generative learning offers new frontiers for the accurate forecasting of the statistical properties of complex systems at a reduced computational cost.

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Generative AI : Probabilistic Approach to Unsupervised Learning

Enormous progress in *unsupervised learning* using *generative models*



Stable Diffusion



DALL-E (Open AI)

BREAKTHROUGH : pose learning as a problem of *density estimation*:

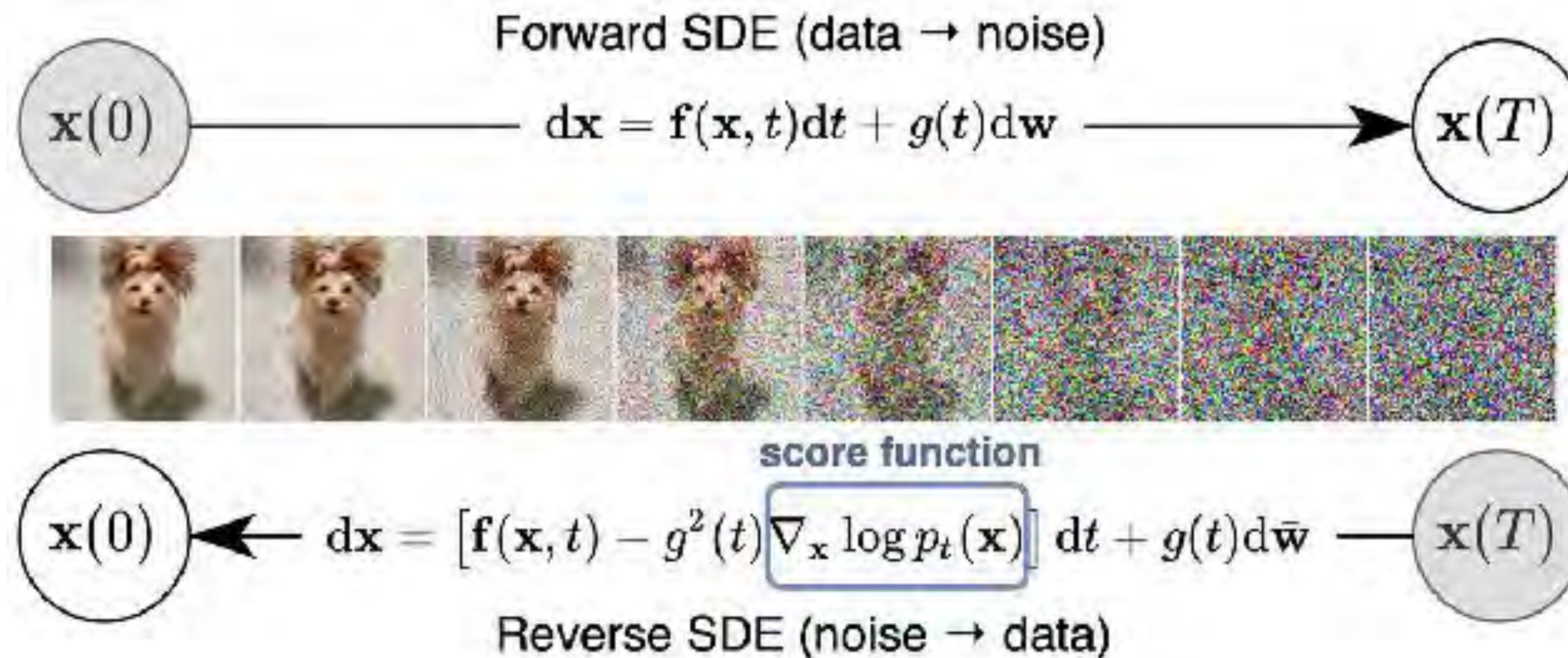
View the data $\{x_i\}_{i=1}^n$ as samples from the unknown probability distribution μ :

- calculate an estimate $\hat{\mu}$ of μ , and
- generate new data via sampling of $\hat{\mu}$.

Score-Based Diffusion Models

Given data from the target μ_1 :

- Devolve them into Gaussian noise using e.g. an Ornstein-Uhlenbeck process;
- Time-reverse the SDE to generate new samples from μ_1 from samples from $N(0, Id)$;

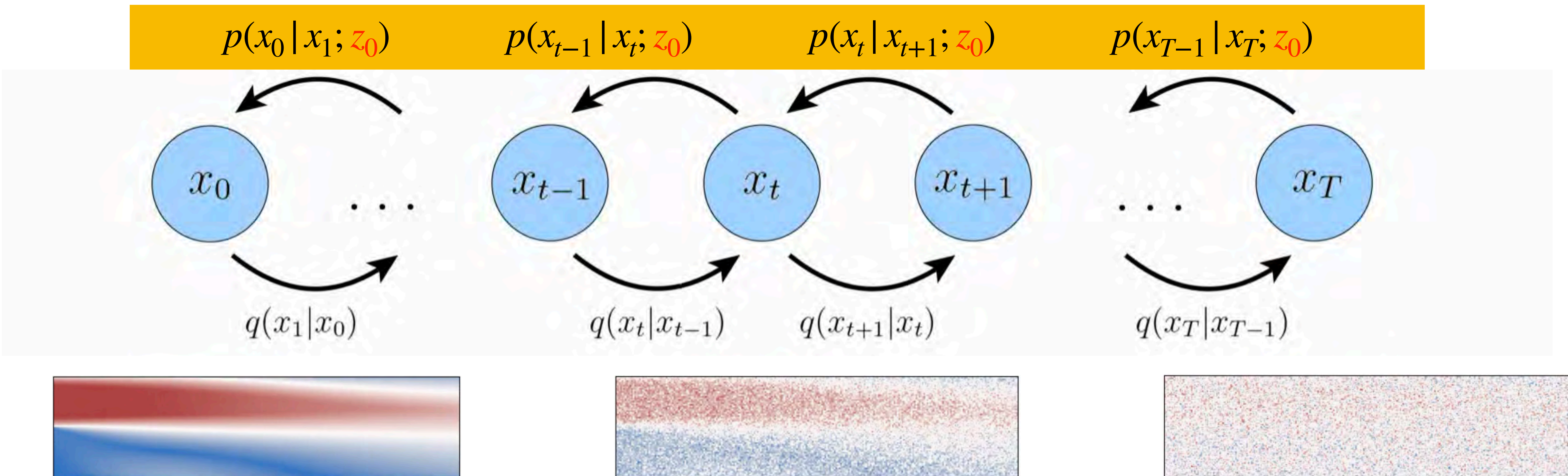


From Song's paper

*Builds a path in distribution space between μ_1 and $N(0, Id)$;
Reduces problem to the **simulation-free regression of the score.***

GUIDED Variational Diffusion Model

Diffusion model “learns” to reverse this process with **guidance** z_0



1. Input is steadily noised until it becomes identical to Gaussian noise

GUIDANCE THROUGH PHYSICS

Generate data from a conditional distribution $p(x | z)$ through **conditioning information** z .

Latent Dynamics as Guidance for Learning Effective Dynamics



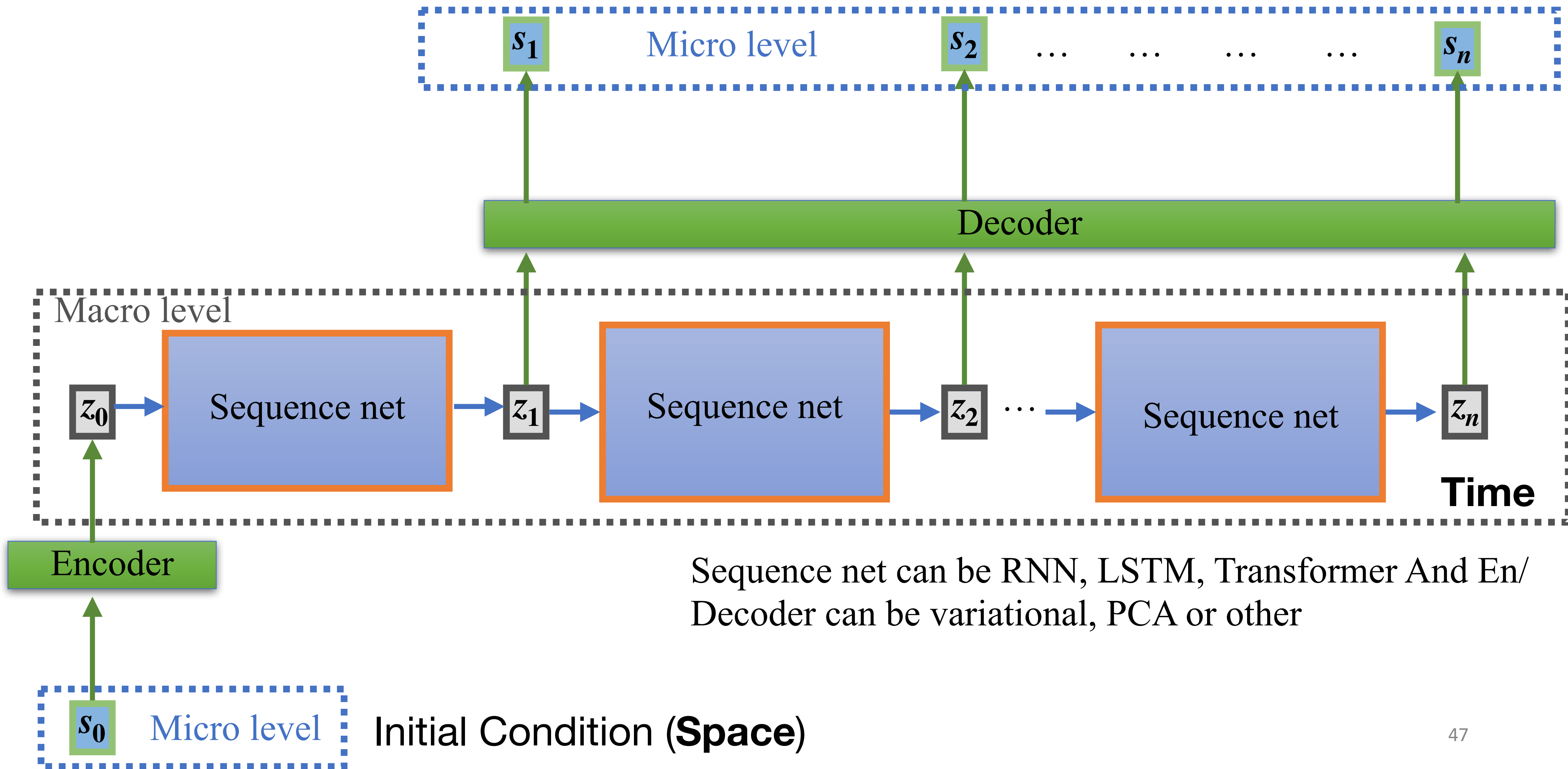
Diffusion models for time Sequences
How to incorporate them for forecasting
Complex Physical Systems ?

Generative Learning of Effective Dynamics (G-LED)

- ▶ Instances of high dimensional data are down sampled to a lower dimensional manifold that is evolved through an auto-regressive attention mechanism.
- ▶ In turn, Bayesian diffusion models, that map this low-dimensional manifold onto its corresponding high-dimensional space, capture the statistics of the system dynamics.

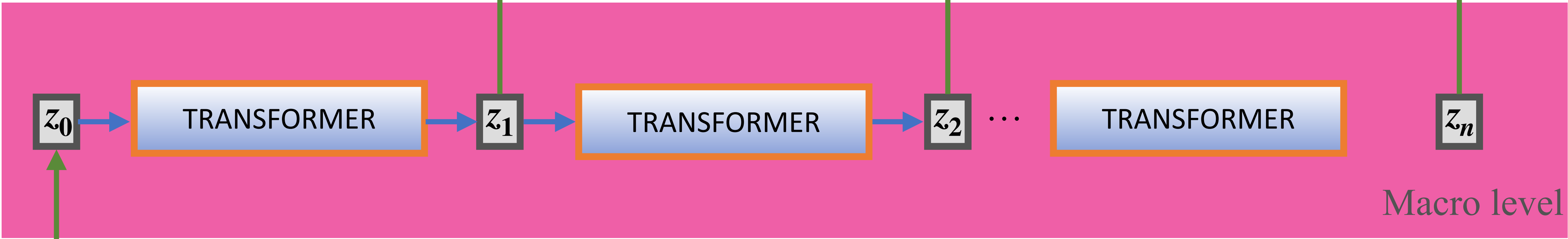
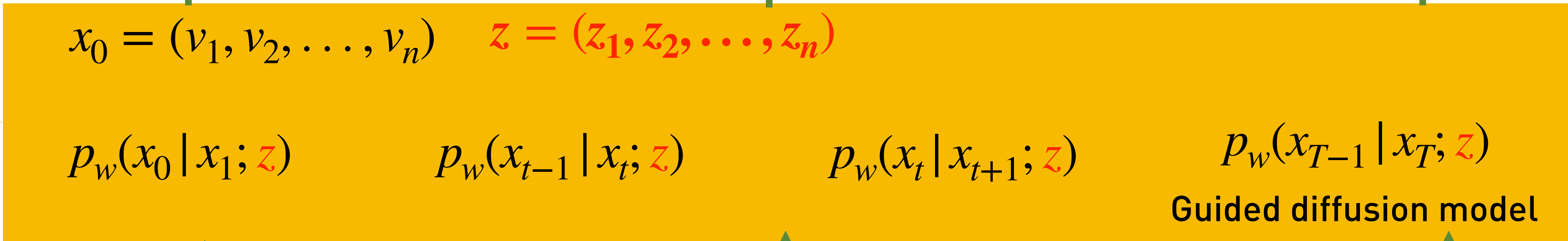
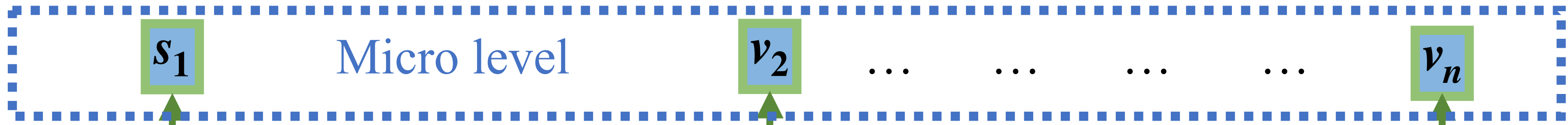
Forecasting

Spatiotemporal systems



FORECASTING Diffusion Models

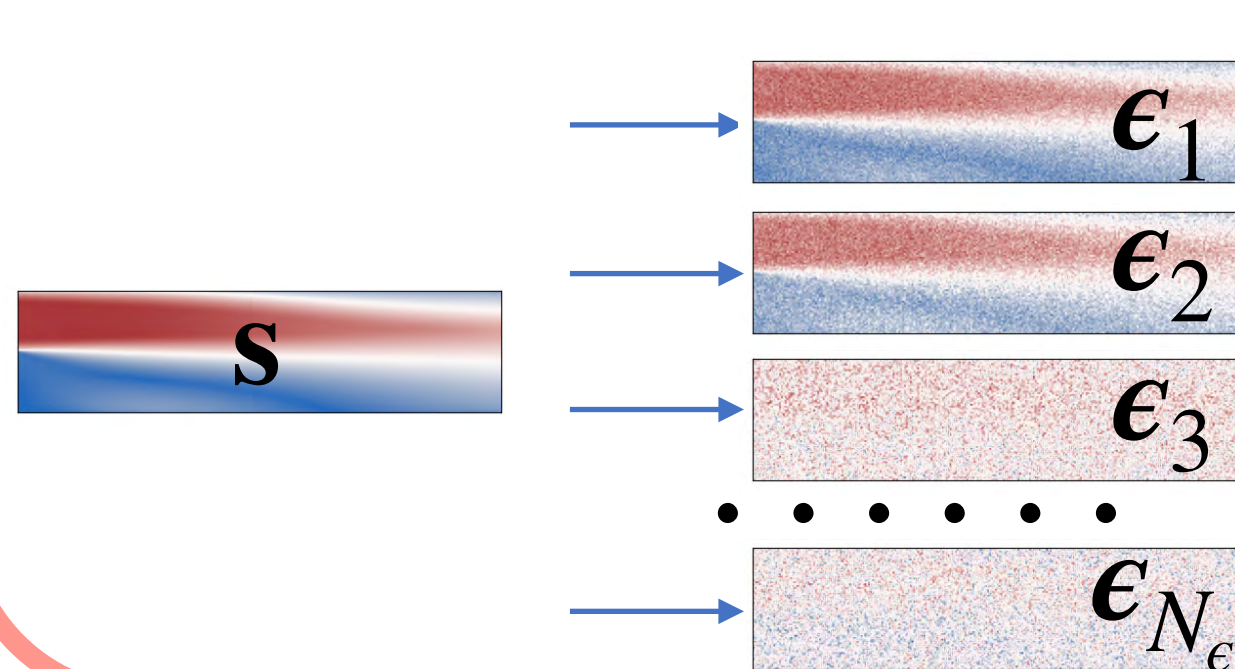
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Downsampler



(Forward process: adding noise to the training data)

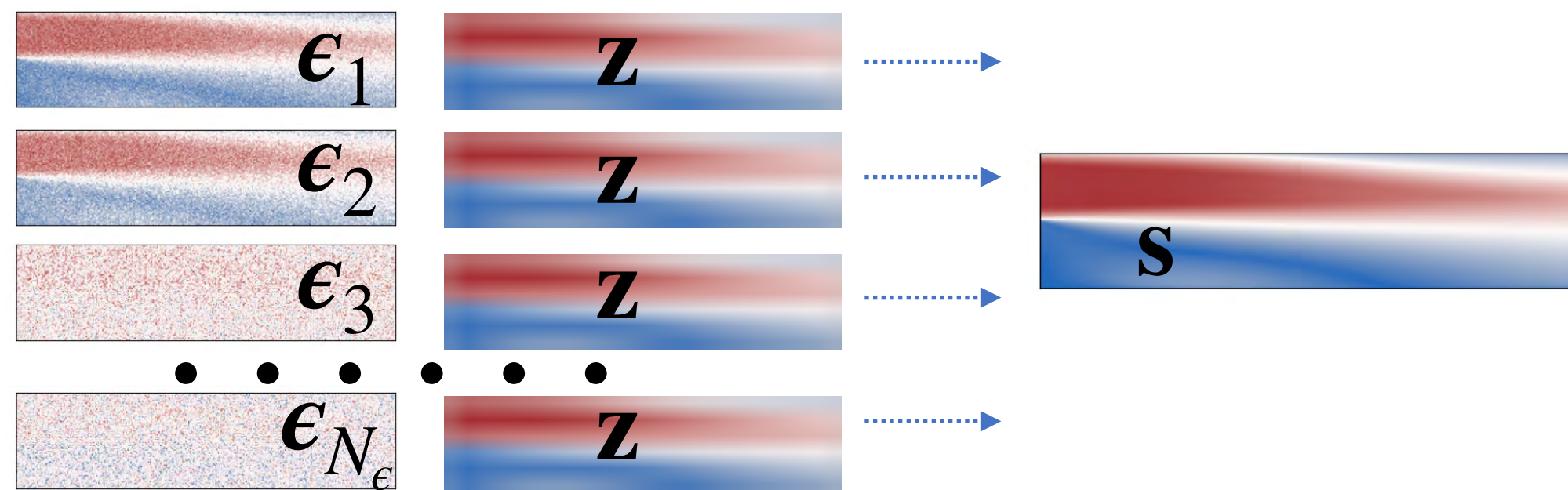


$$\epsilon_i \sim q_i(\epsilon_i | \mathbf{s}) := \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{s}, \sigma_i^2 \mathbf{I})$$

And σ_{N_ϵ} is large enough s.t. $\epsilon_{N_\epsilon} \sim \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{s}, \sigma_{N_\epsilon}^2 \mathbf{I}) \approx \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma_{N_\epsilon}^2 \mathbf{I})$

$$\rho_{\text{inv}} := \frac{1}{\rho}, \quad \sigma_i = \left(\sigma_{\text{max}}^{\rho_{\text{inv}}} + \frac{N_\epsilon - i}{N_\epsilon - 1} \left(\sigma_{\text{min}}^{\rho_{\text{inv}}} - \sigma_{\text{max}}^{\rho_{\text{inv}}} \right) \right)^{\rho} \quad \text{for } i = 1, 2, \dots, N_\epsilon,$$

(Train DNN to remove noise added to the training data)



The training is supervised, $\text{DNN}_\theta : (\epsilon_i, \mathbf{z}, i) \mapsto \mathbf{s}$,

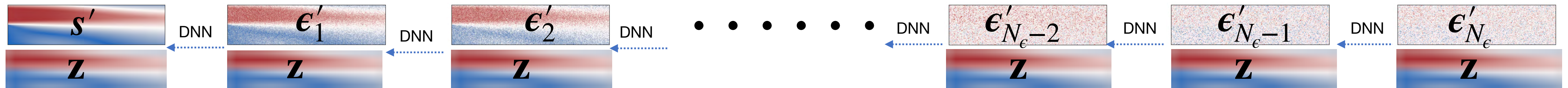
A DNN is trained to denoise $\mathbf{s} \approx \text{DNN}_\theta(\epsilon_i, \mathbf{z}, i)$,

DNN is a 3-D UNet, and \mathbf{z} the latent state

(Reverse process)

Firstly, sample a white noise as a starting point: $\epsilon'_{N_e} \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma_{N_e} \mathbf{I})$

Then, from N_e to 1, apply $\epsilon'_i \sim p(\epsilon'_i | \epsilon'_{i+1}, \mathbf{z}, i) := \mathcal{N}\left(\frac{\sigma_{i+1}^2 - \sigma_i^2}{\sigma_{i+1}^2} \underbrace{\text{DNN}(\epsilon'_{i+1}, \mathbf{z}, i)}_{\text{denoised } \mathbf{s}' \text{ given } \mathbf{z}} + \frac{\sigma_i^2}{\sigma_{i+1}^2} \epsilon'_{i+1}, \frac{(\sigma_{i+1}^2 - \sigma_i^2) \sigma_i^2}{\sigma_{i+1}^2} \mathbf{I}\right)$



During predictions, ϵ'_{N_e} is a new white noise and the sampling is stochastically achieved as

$$\epsilon'_i \sim p(\epsilon'_i | \epsilon'_{i+1}, \mathbf{z}, i) := \mathcal{N}\left(\frac{\sigma_{i+1}^2 - \sigma_i^2}{\sigma_{i+1}^2} \underbrace{\text{DNN}(\epsilon'_{i+1}, \mathbf{z}, i)}_{\text{denoised } \mathbf{s}' \text{ given } \mathbf{z}} + \frac{\sigma_i^2}{\sigma_{i+1}^2} \epsilon'_{i+1}, \frac{(\sigma_{i+1}^2 - \sigma_i^2) \sigma_i^2}{\sigma_{i+1}^2} \mathbf{I}\right)$$

Since the reverse diffusion process is trained on \mathbf{z} , the decoding process has a low variance compared to diffusion models in computer vision.

What about known physical constraints (or partial information) ?

Incorporate as (virtual) observables via Gradient Guidance !

* S.Kaltenbach and P.-S. Koutsourelakis: Incorporating physical constraints in a deep probabilistic machine learning framework for coarse-graining dynamical systems, J. Comp. Physics, 2020

1: Formulate physical information as a residual $\mathbf{R}(s_t)$.
In case we have some equation with governing dynamics $\hat{\mathbf{R}}(s_t) = 0$ then we can also formulate a residual such as virtually observed with $\hat{\mathbf{R}}(s_t) = 0$ *

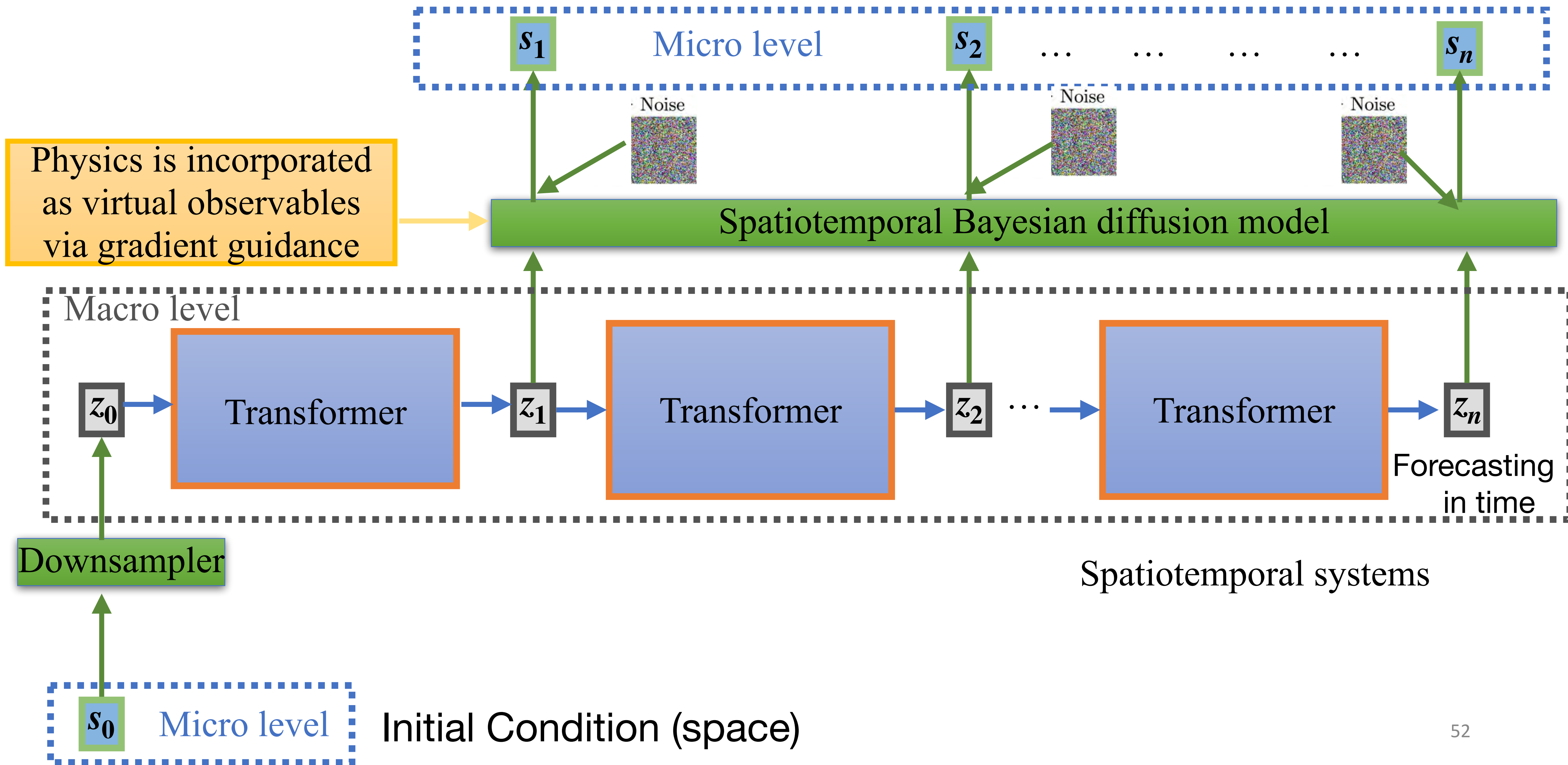
2: Use Bayes Law to condition the current state of the diffusion process on the residual. An estimate for s_t is obtained based on \mathbf{z}_t using the trained NN.

3: Use the modified gradient in the reverse diffusion process

$$p(\epsilon_i | \hat{\mathbf{R}} = 0, \mathbf{z}) = \frac{p(\hat{\mathbf{R}} = 0 | \mathbf{z}, \epsilon_i) p(\epsilon_i | \mathbf{z})}{C}$$

$$= \nabla_{\epsilon} \log p(\hat{\mathbf{R}} = 0 | \epsilon_i, \mathbf{z}) + \nabla_{\epsilon} \log p(\epsilon_i | \mathbf{z})$$

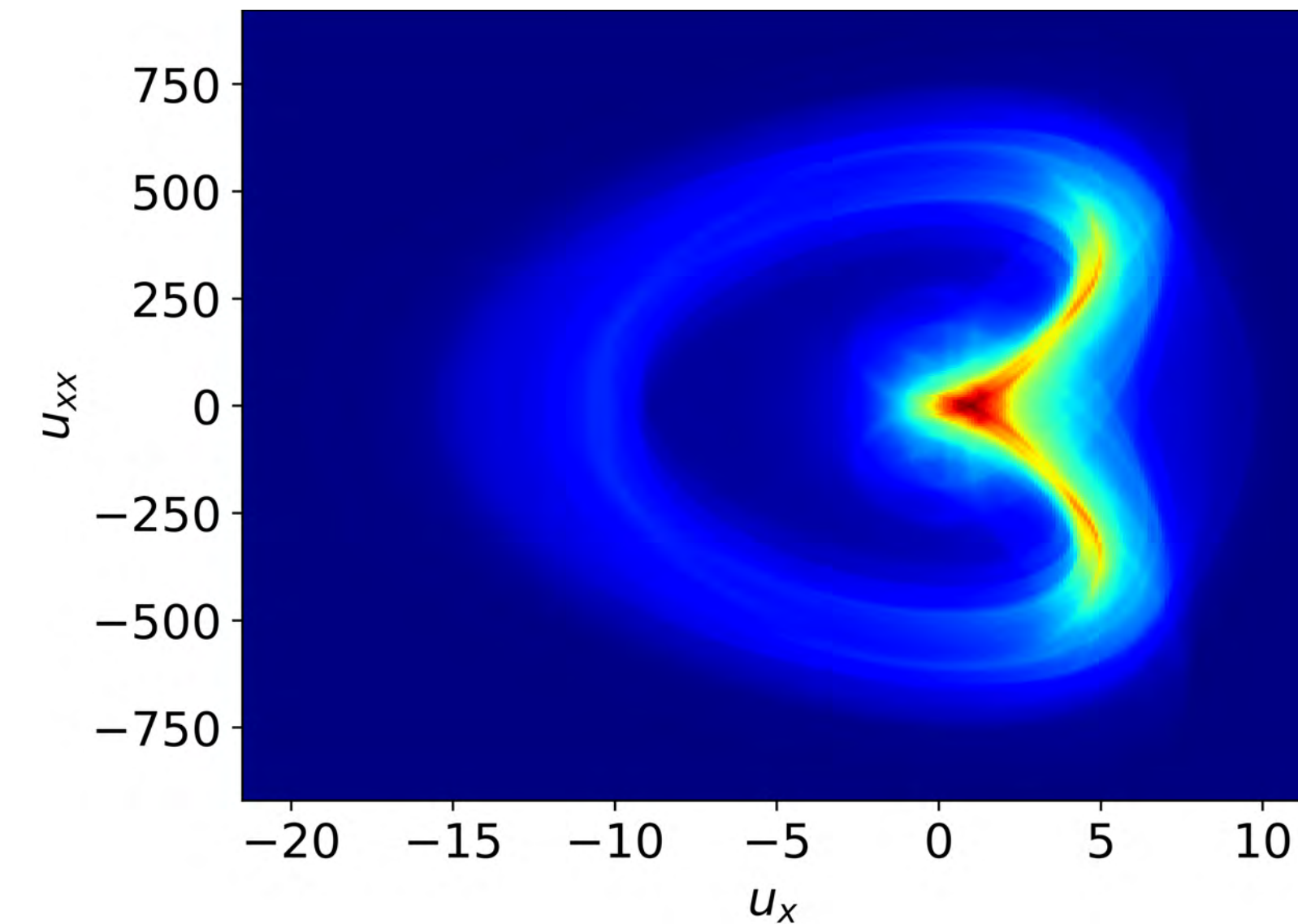
New term due to physical information



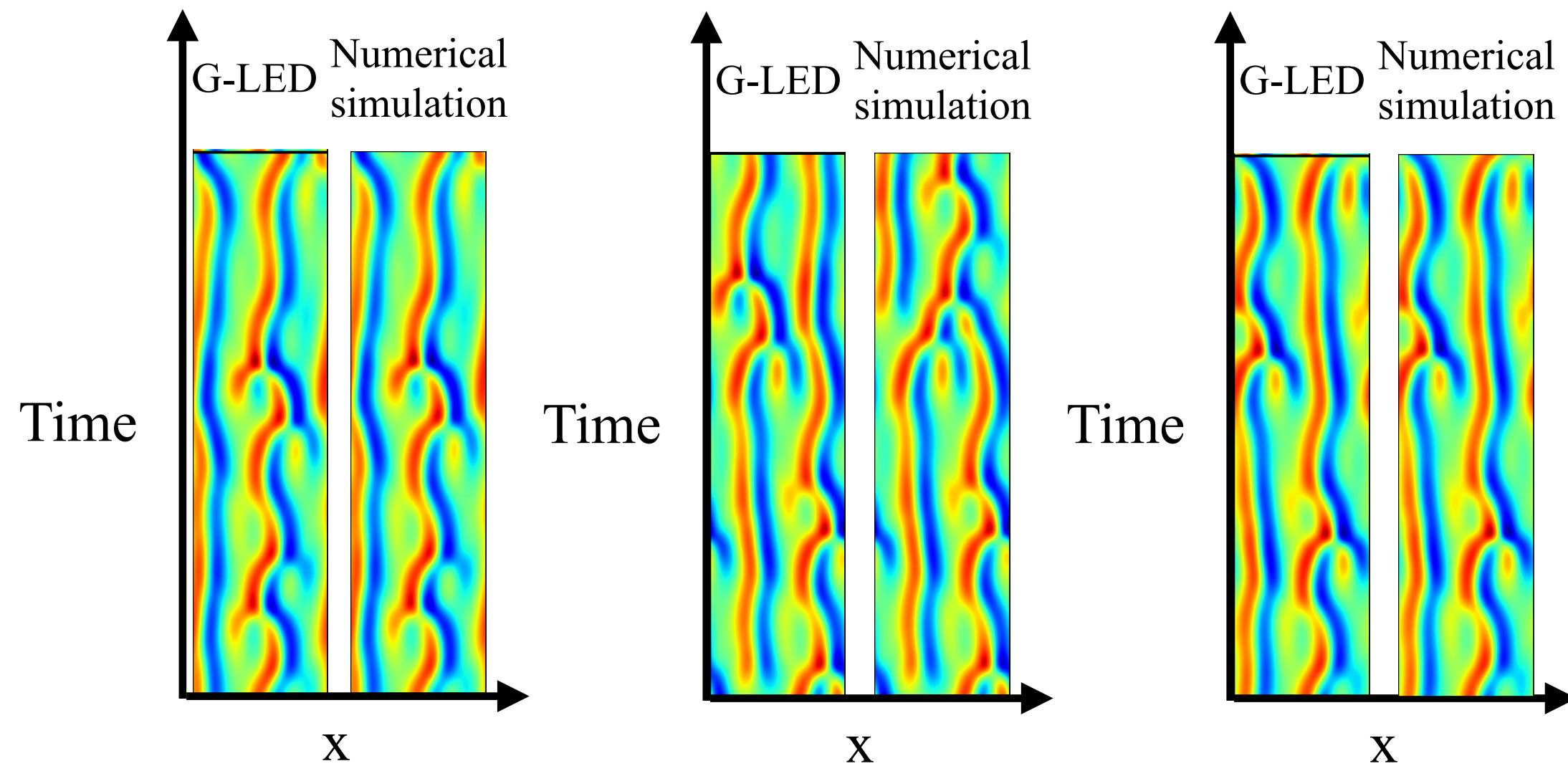
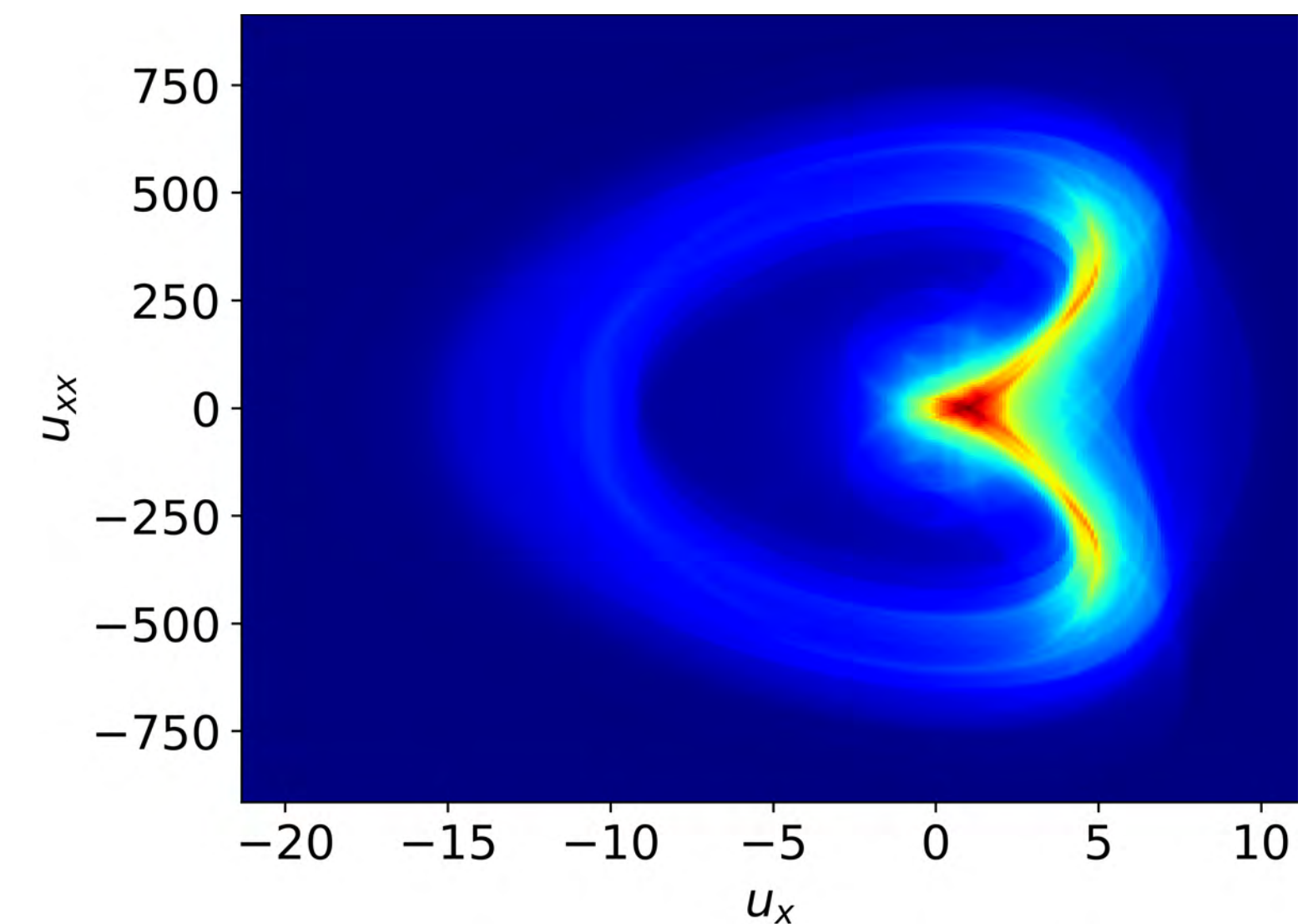
$$\frac{\partial u}{\partial t} = -\nu \frac{\partial^4 u}{\partial t^4} - \frac{\partial^2 u}{\partial x^2} - u \frac{\partial u}{\partial x},$$

$$\Omega = [0, 22] \text{ with } u(0, t) = u(L, t) \text{ and } \nu = 1$$

G-LED: Manifold



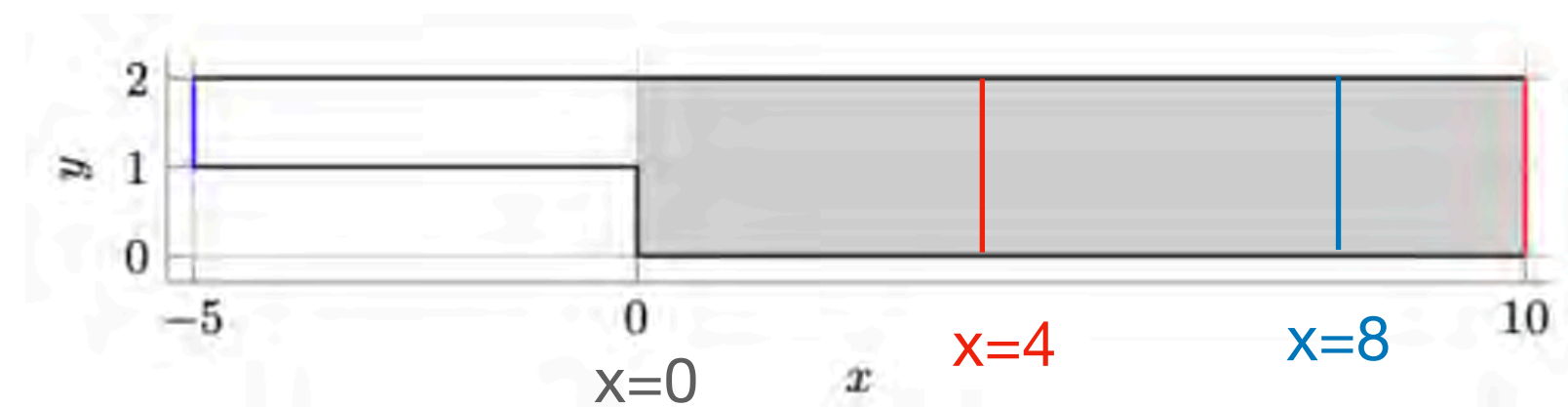
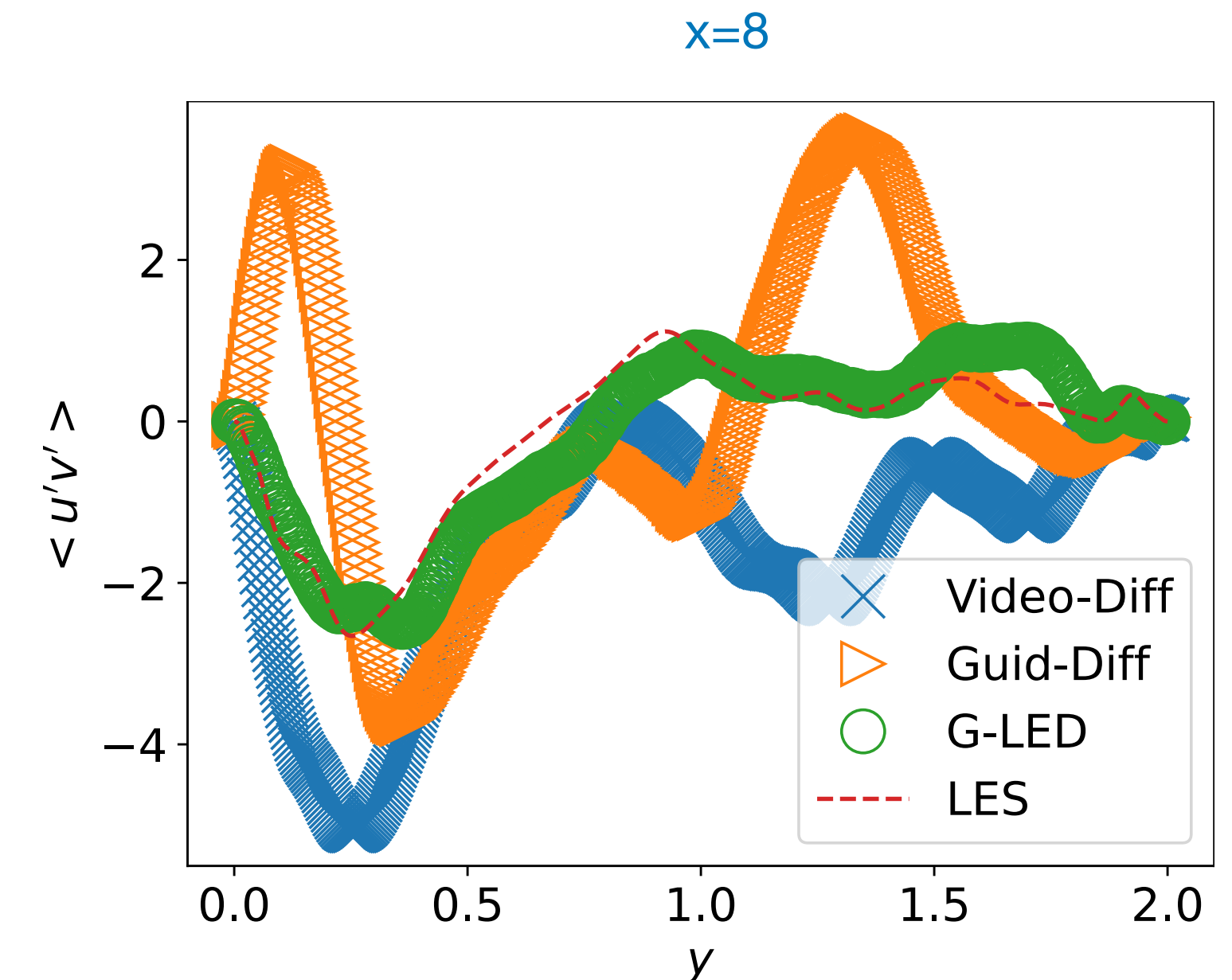
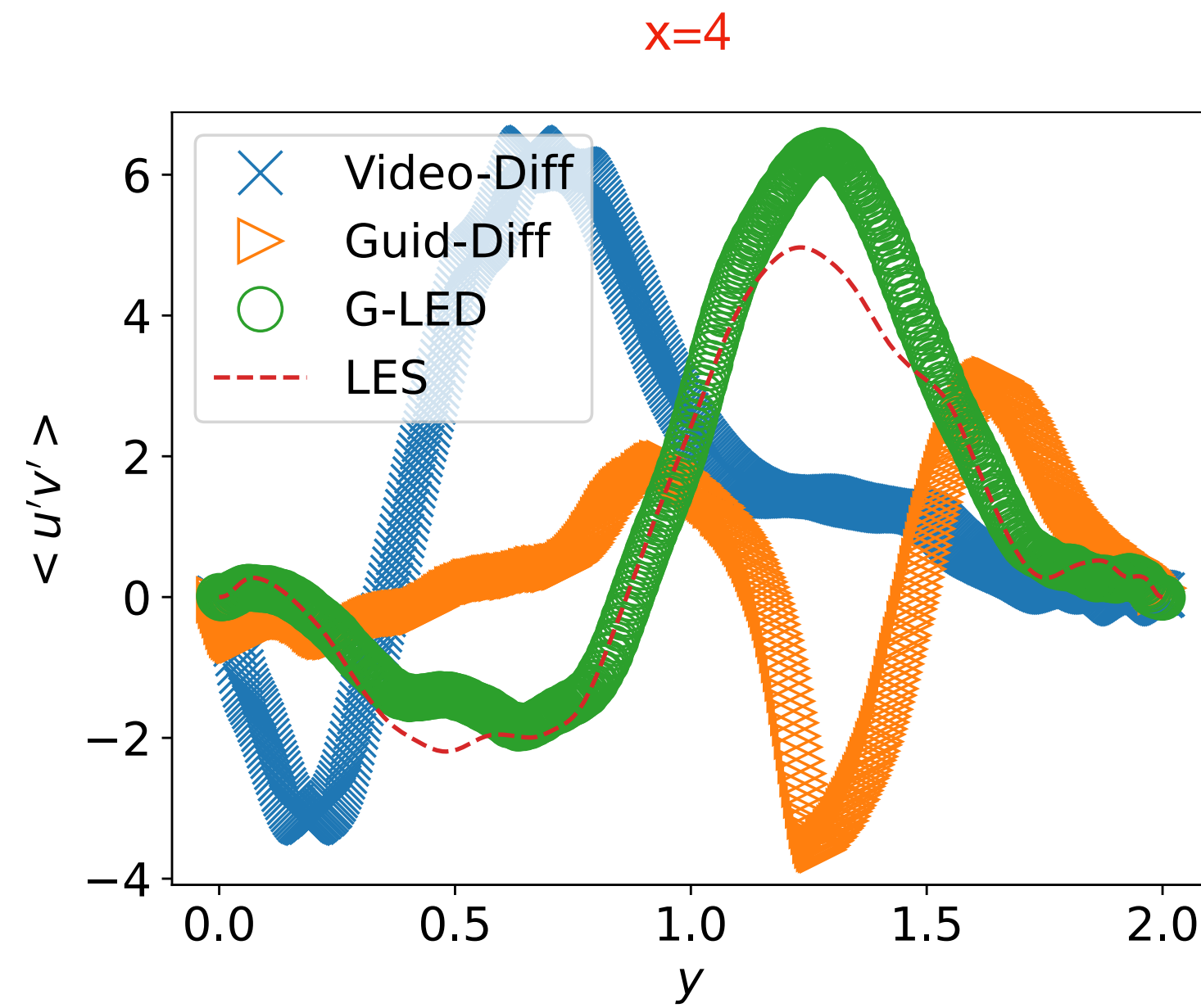
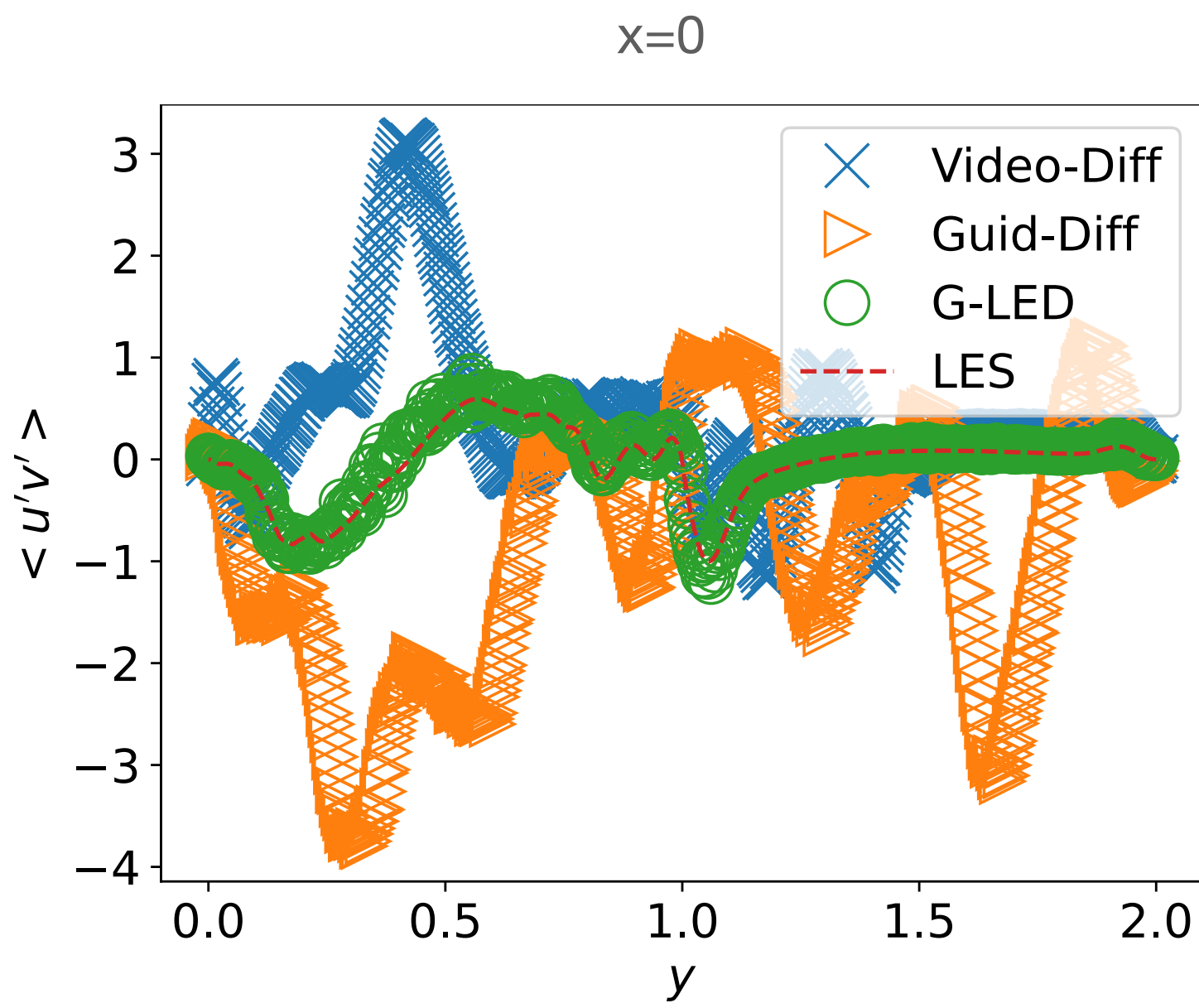
Numerical simulation: Manifold



test trajectories with new initial condition.

The vertical direction depicts the time t from 0 to 96s where the first 16s used an initial conditions for warm-up. 21K trajectories are used for training and 19K for testing.

Mean stress of streamwise-wallnormal velocity



Video-Diff: Video diffusion models. Advances in Neural Information Processing Systems, 35, 8633-8646.

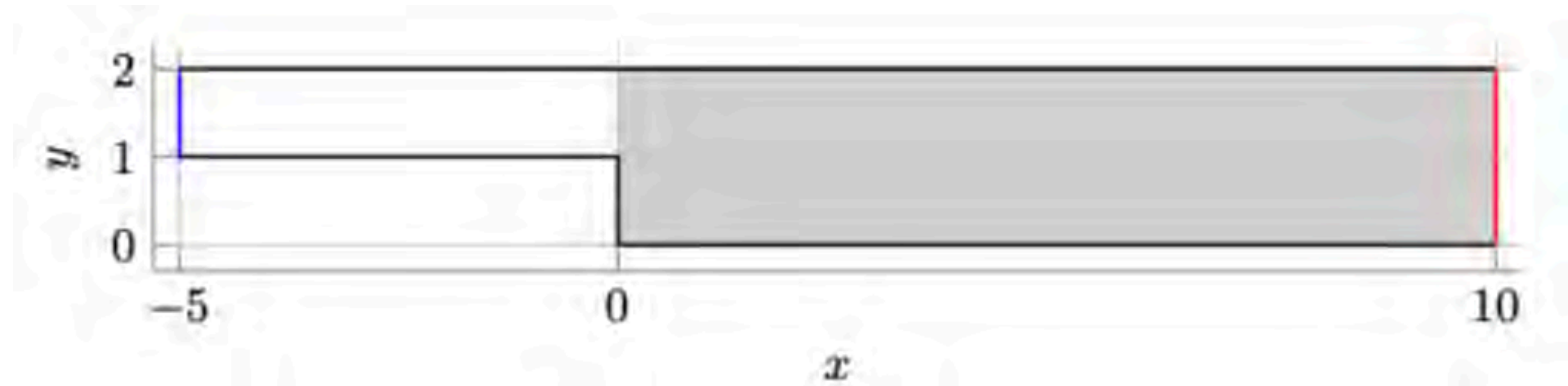
Guidance-Diff: Bayesian conditional diffusion models for versatile spatiotemporal turbulence generation. *Computer Methods in Applied Mechanics and Engineering*, 427, 117023.

Forward and reverse processes in G-LED: Summary

KEY ISSUES :

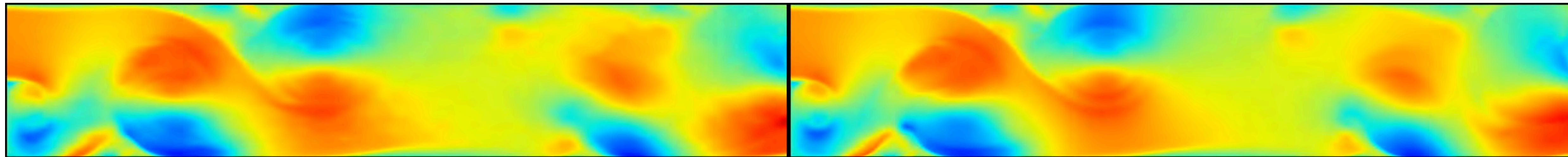
1. Diffusion models are associated with large variations in the generated samples.
 - In G-LED **sequence of snapshots are correlated by the underlying physical process** via macro sequences.
 - **Condition the denoising process on the latent states.**
2. G-LED decodes multiple consecutive macro states together as a **batch** (similar to Sora) to **enhance temporal coherence and increase temporal smoothness** in the results.





Geometry of flow domain (solid lines),
area of interest (shadowed zone)

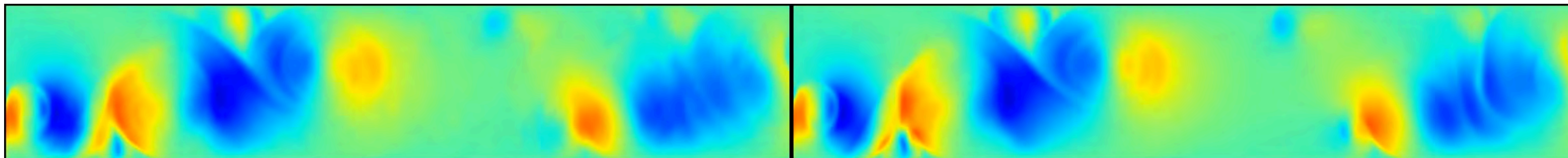
Streamwise velocity from $t=0s$ to $1.25s$



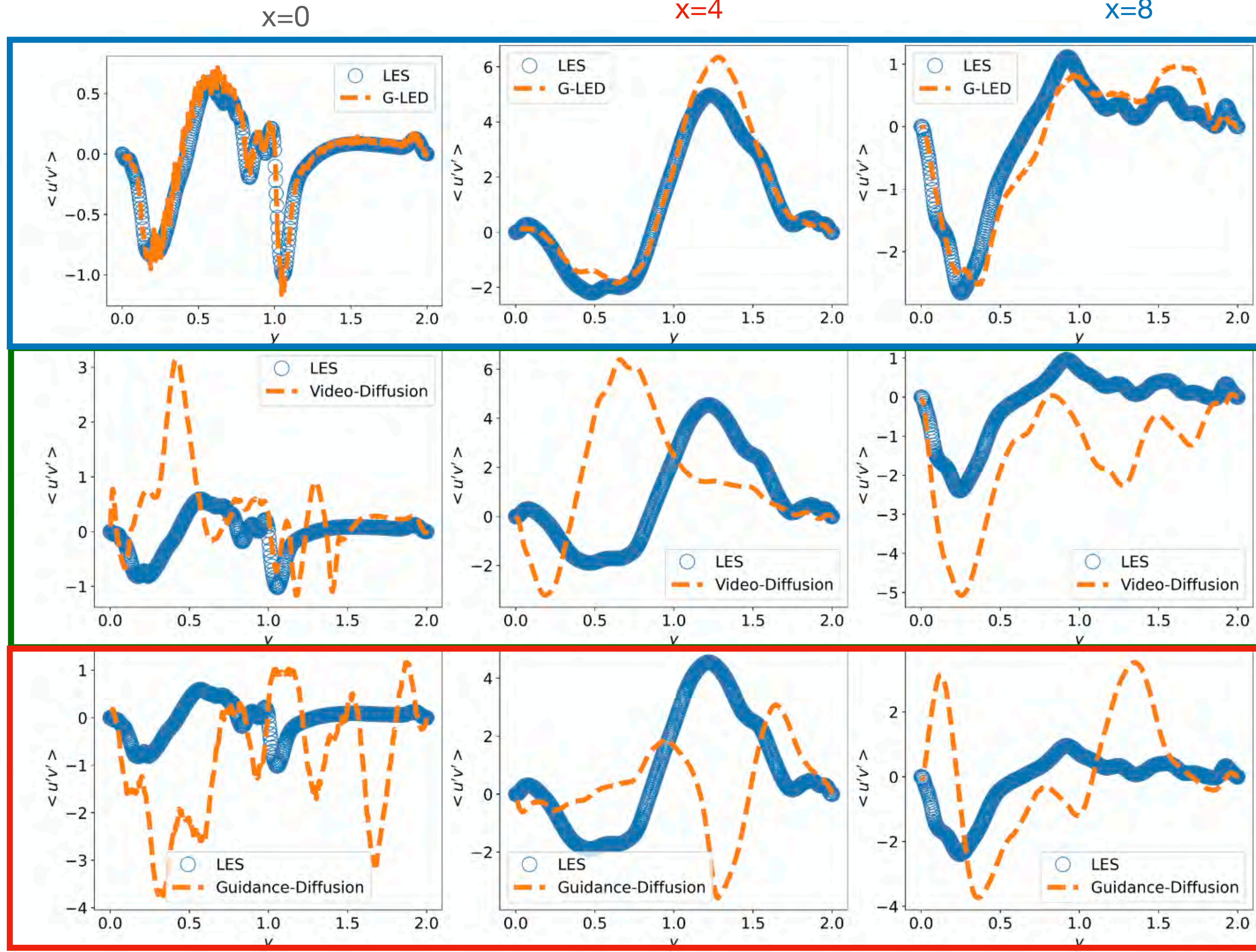
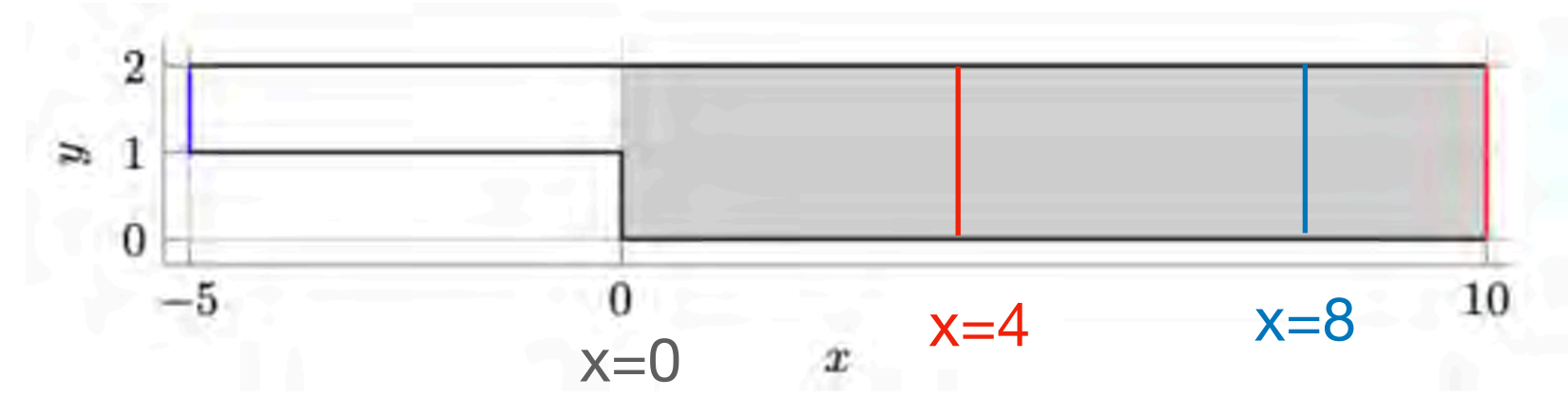
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Wallnormal velocity from $t=0s$ to $1.25s$



Mean stress of streamwise-wallnormal velocity



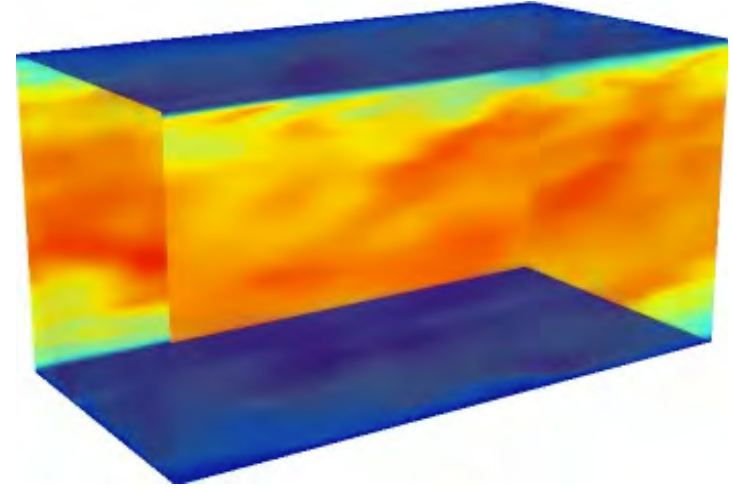
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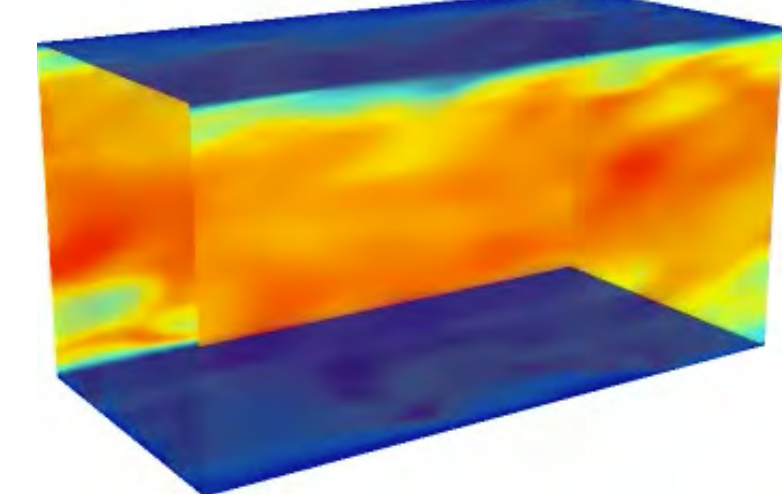
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Turbulent channel flow $Re_\tau = 395$

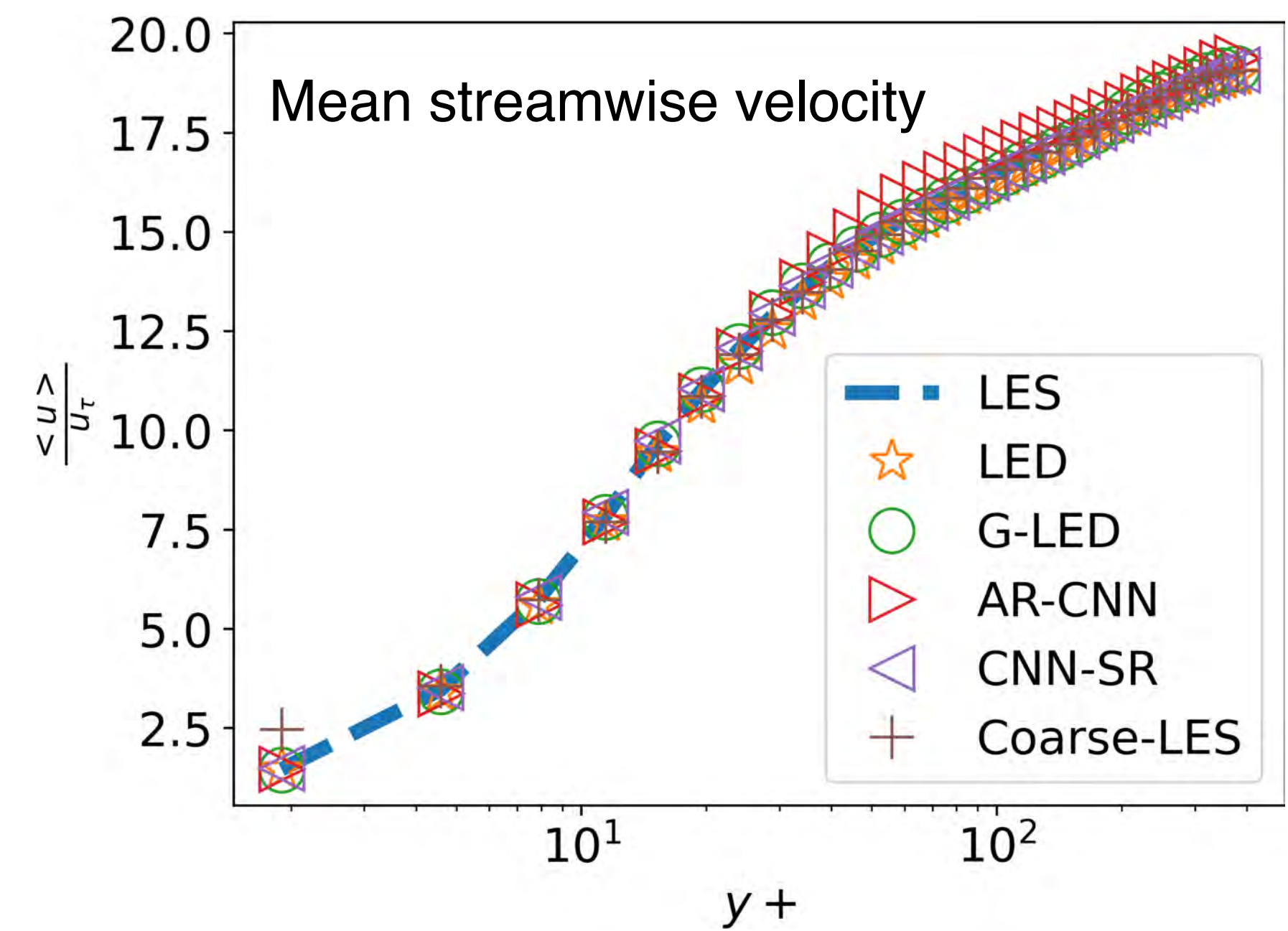
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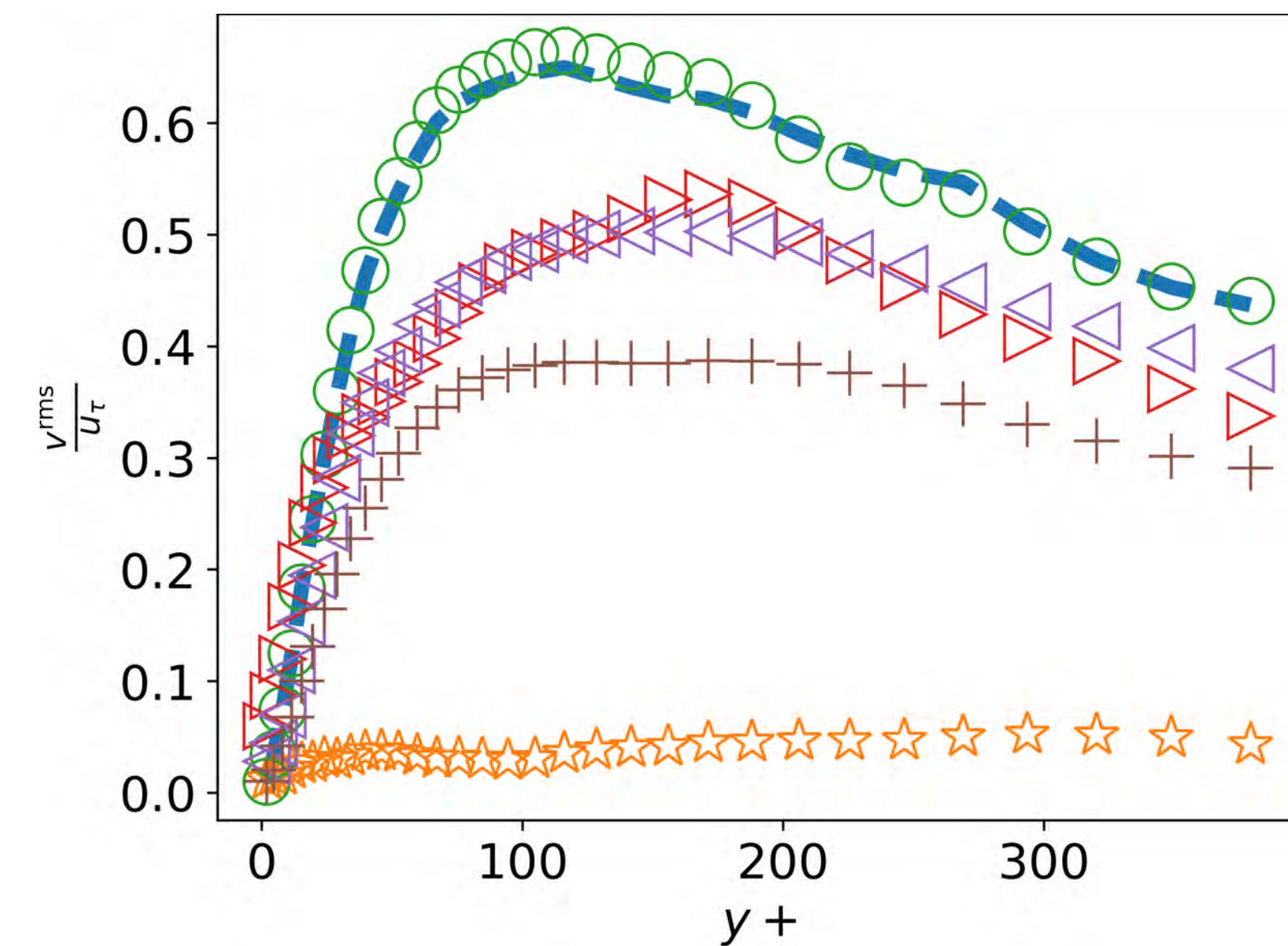
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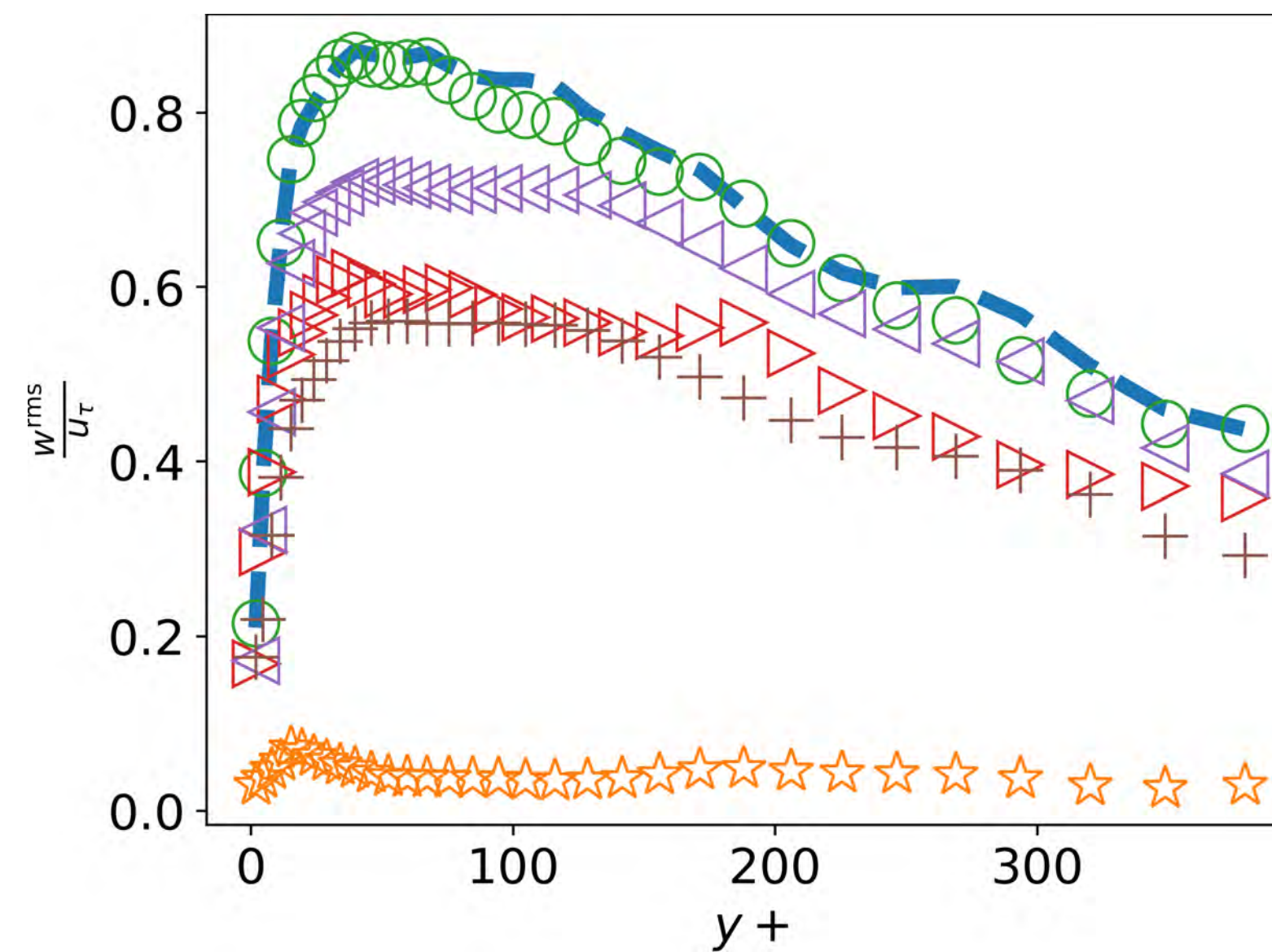
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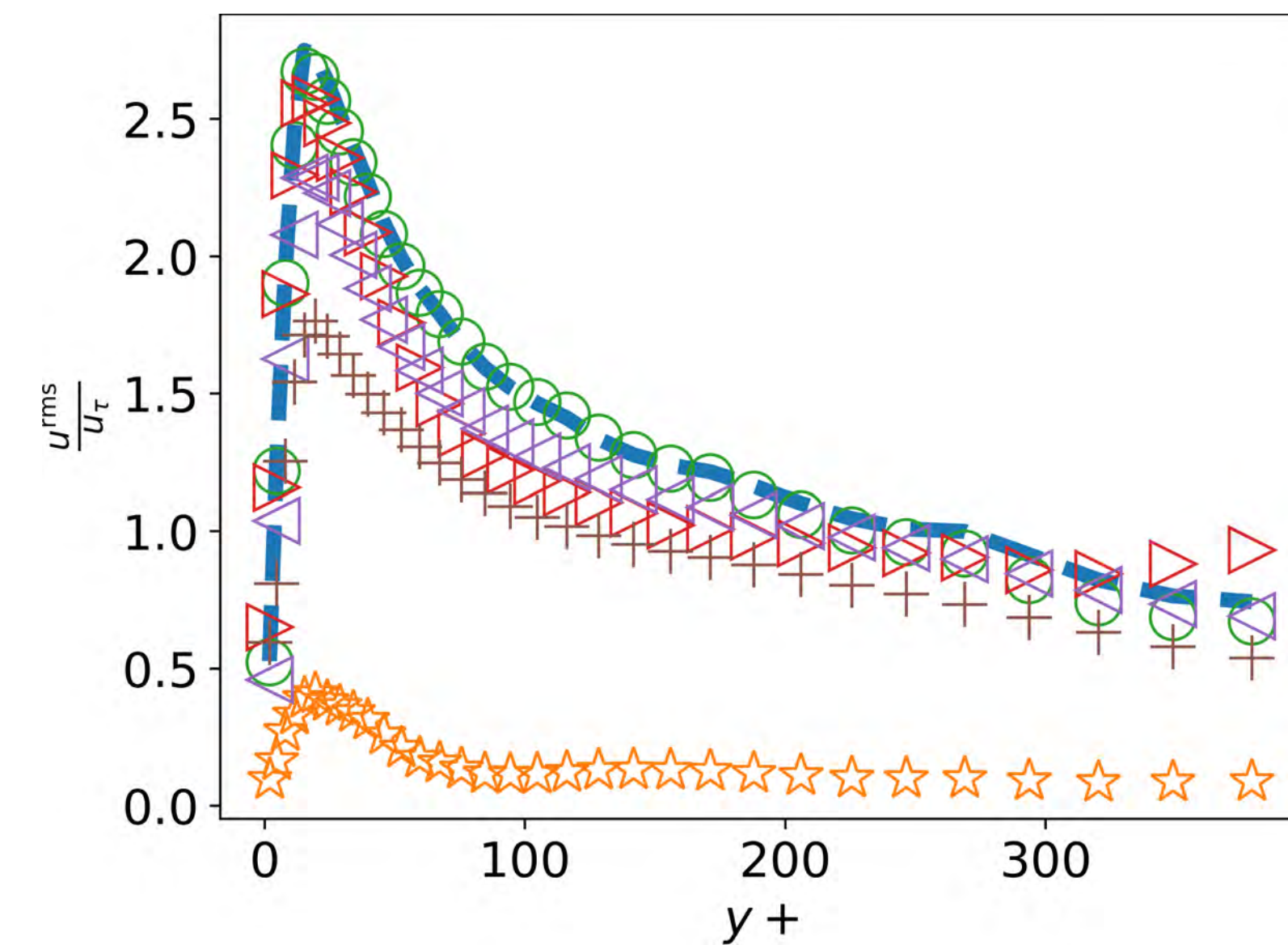
wall normal fluctuations,



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SUMMARY of G-LED

- **A (surprisingly powerful) generative framework for forecasting complex systems and forecast their statistics.**
- In G-LED:
 - Bayesian diffusion model is trained on high dimensional simulations and integrates physical information in its prior knowledge.
 - A flexible attention model that evolves the latent space dynamics.
 - The generative model projects the latent space dynamics to high dimensional spaces.

LEARNING TO SOLVE PROBLEMS
ALGORITHMS

What is Intelligence ?



Intelligence is the computational part of the ability to achieve goals in the world.

A system having a goal or not, is not a property of the system itself. It is in the **relationship between the system and an observer.**

The system is most usefully understood/predicted/controlled in terms of **its outcomes rather than its mechanisms.**

Reinforcement Learning

Learning: Behavioral changes due to Experiences (Action, Stimulus, Reward)

Reinforcement: stimulus-action pattern is rewarded -> actor is conditioned to a behavior.



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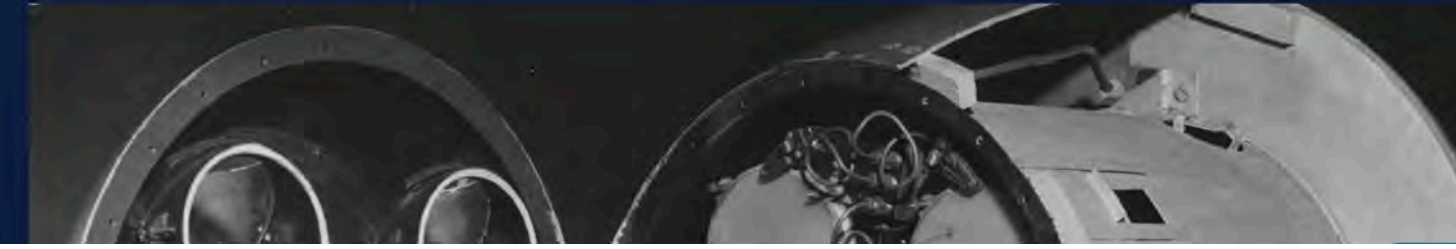
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Pigeon pilots

B.F. Skinner trained birds to steer bombs. But his prototype was scrapped in favor of a bat-inspired missile guidance system developed at the Rad Lab.

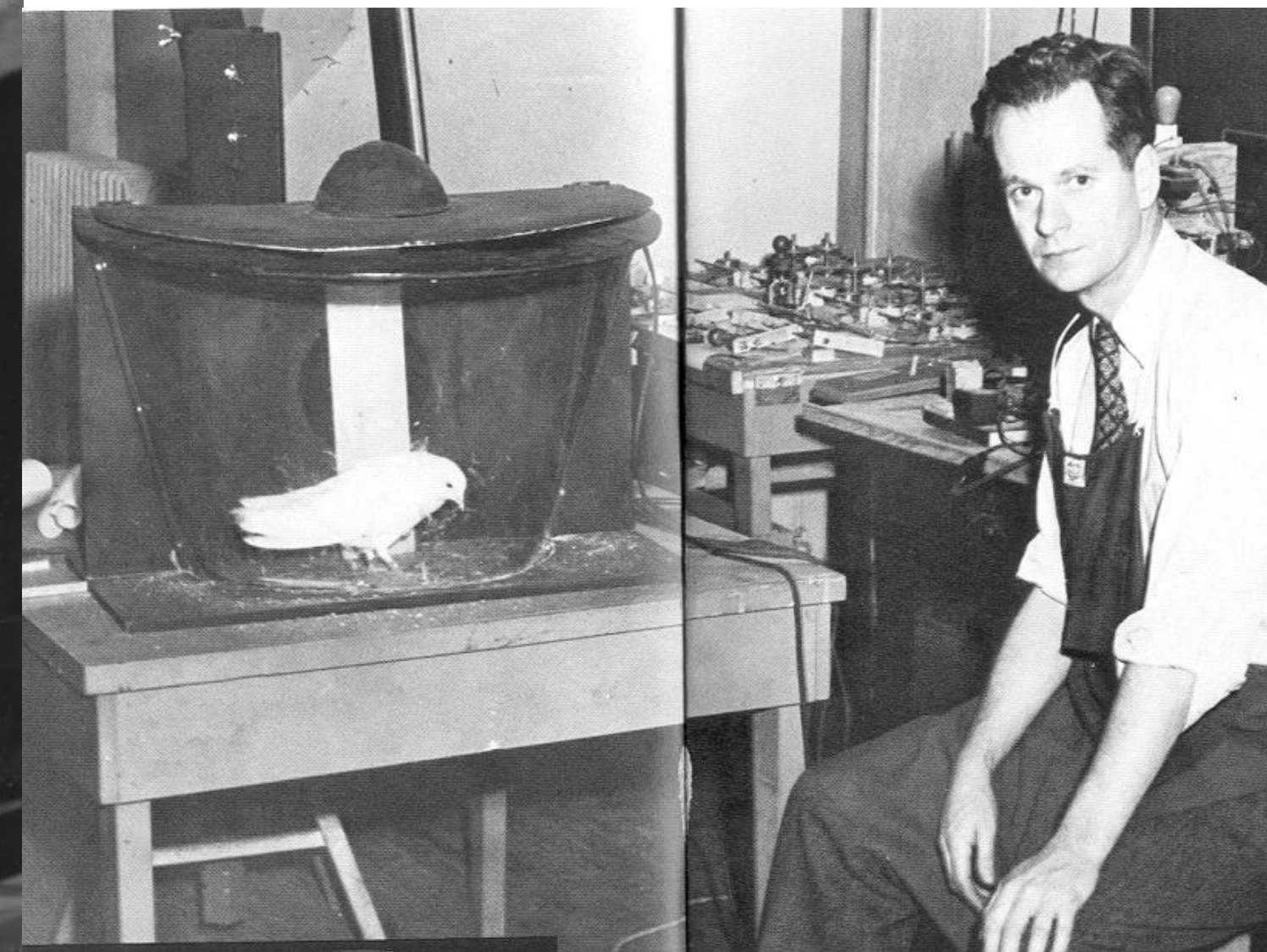
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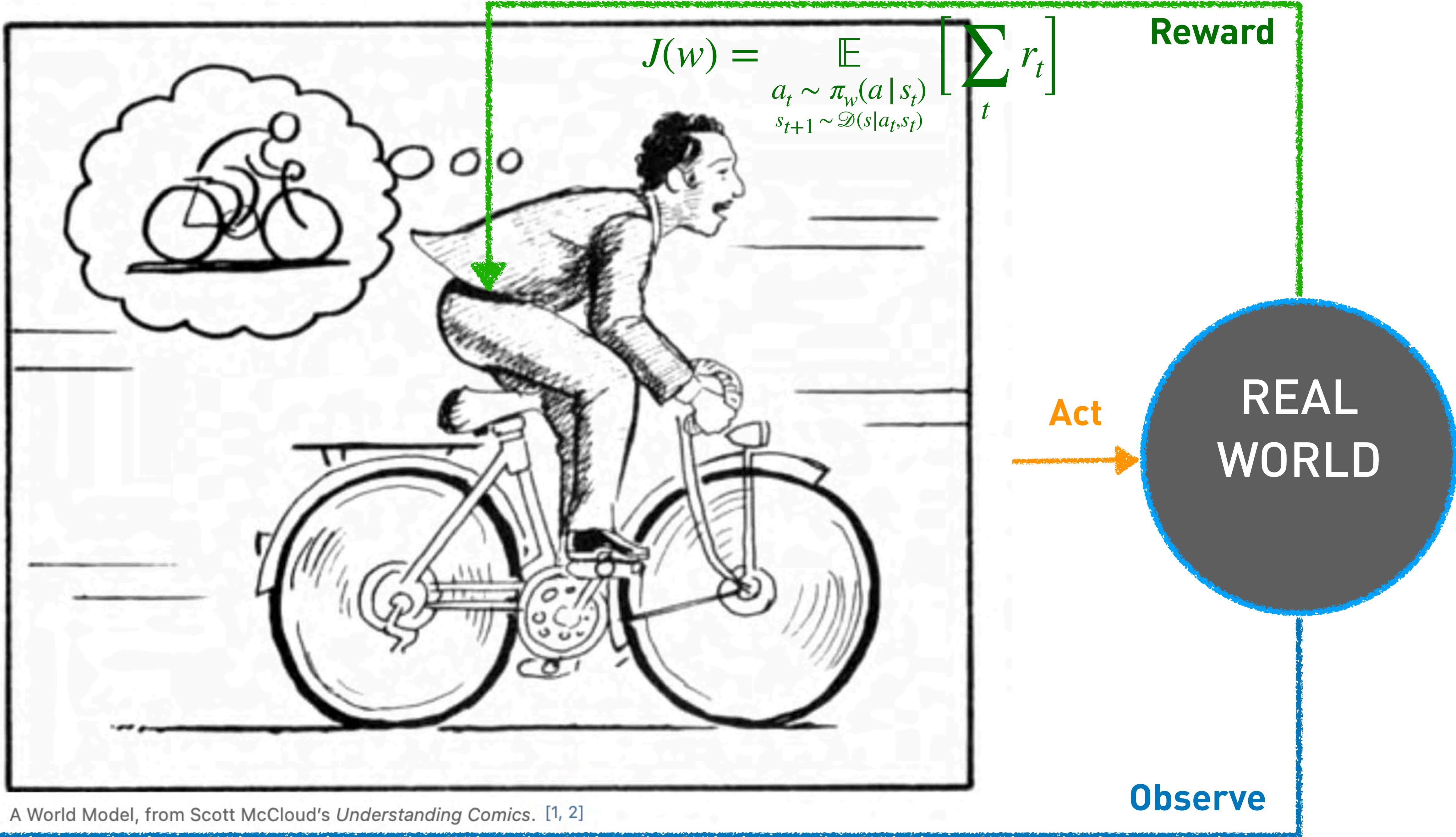


In the early 1940s, as part of the war effort, the Brelands assisted Skinner in his famous Project Pigeon, in which they taught pigeons how to guide bombs. They did this work atop a General Mills grain elevator in Minneapolis, pictured below. Both Keller and Marian left the University of Minnesota without doctorates, planning to apply the powerful procedures they had learned under Skinner to animal behavior. In 1961, when they published their most famous work, they playfully entitled it, *The Misbehavior of Organisms*.

https://www3.uca.edu/iqzoo/History/bf_skinner.htm



Hand inserting a pigeon into missile
B.F. SKINNER FOUNDATION



A World Model, from Scott McCloud's *Understanding Comics*. [1, 2]



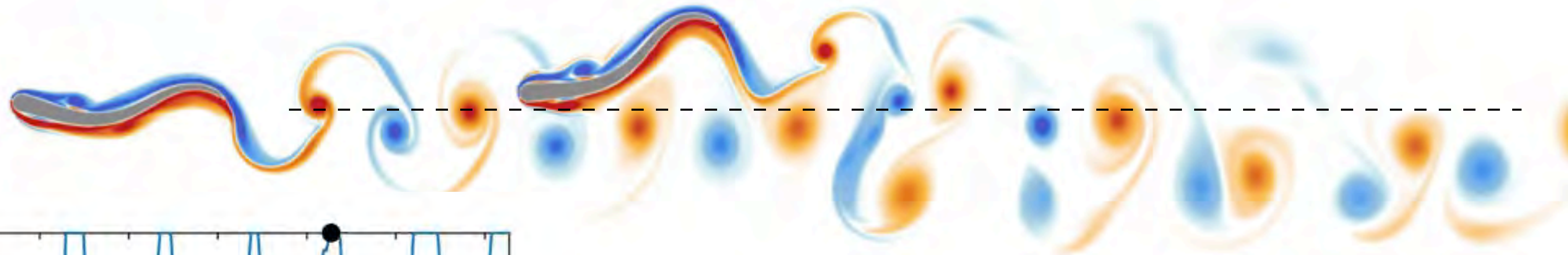
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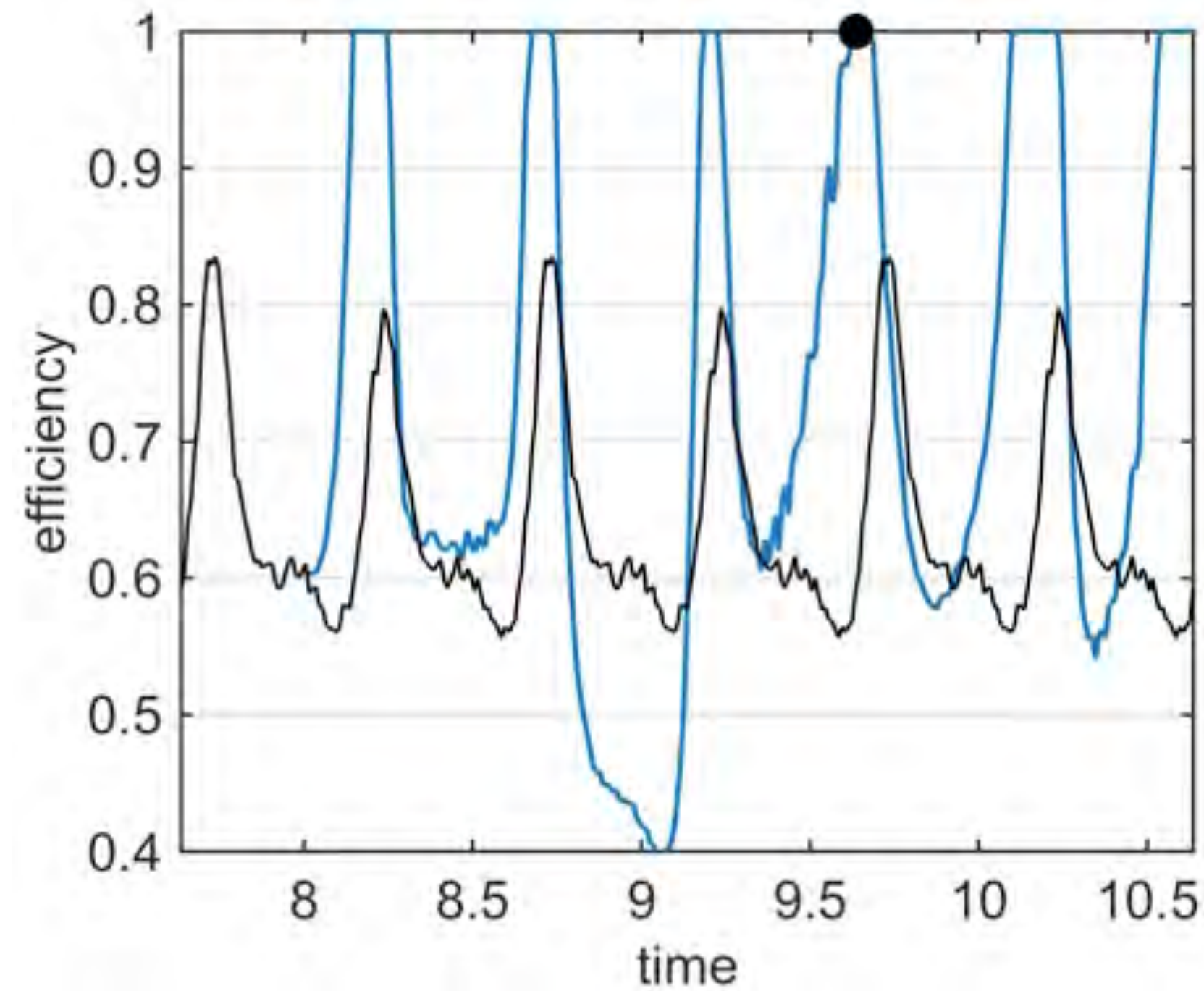
EARLY STAGES OF LEARNING



GOAL II : MAX EFFICIENCY



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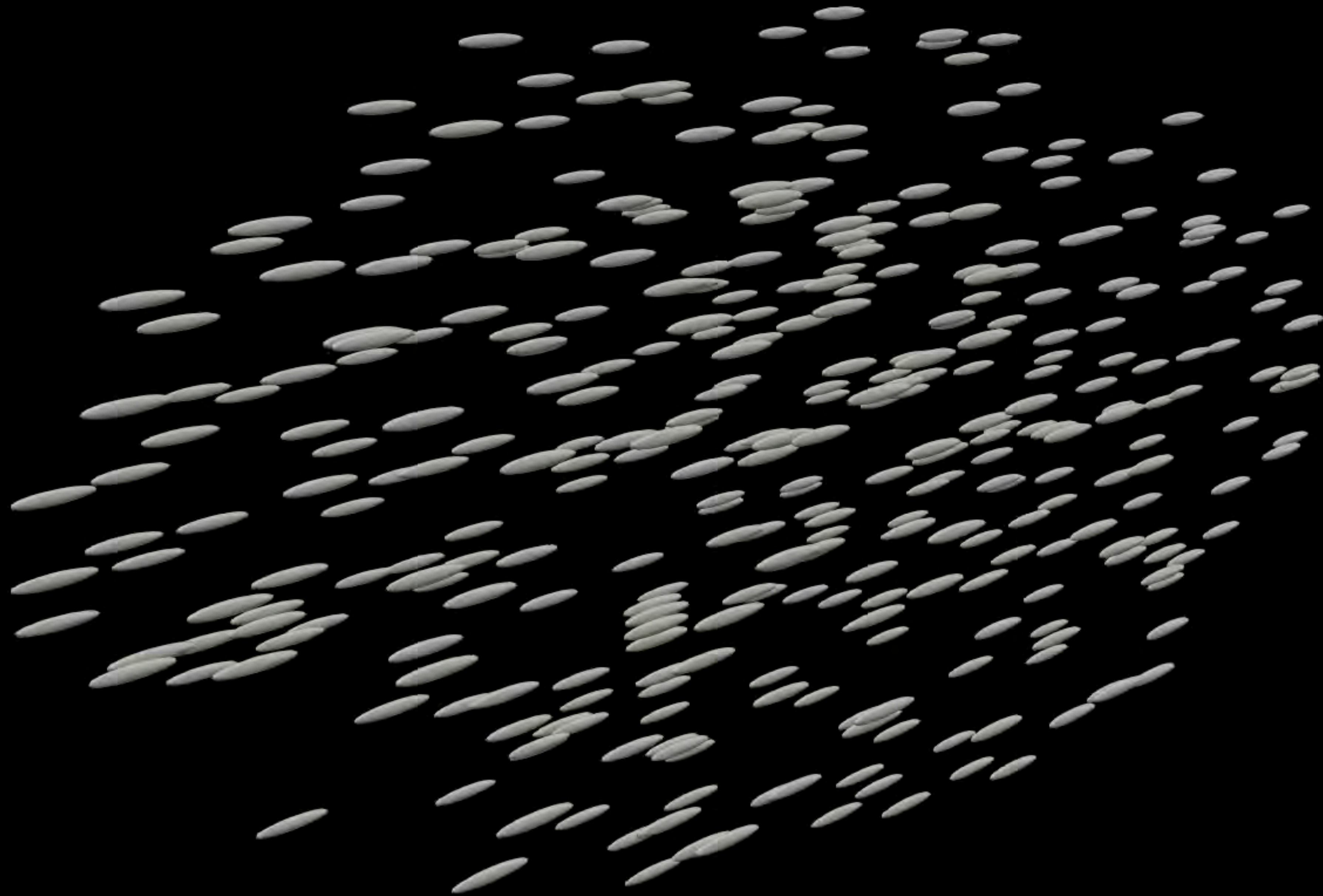


- Follower ***opts*** to interact with wake-vortices
- Overall, 28% gain in average efficiency

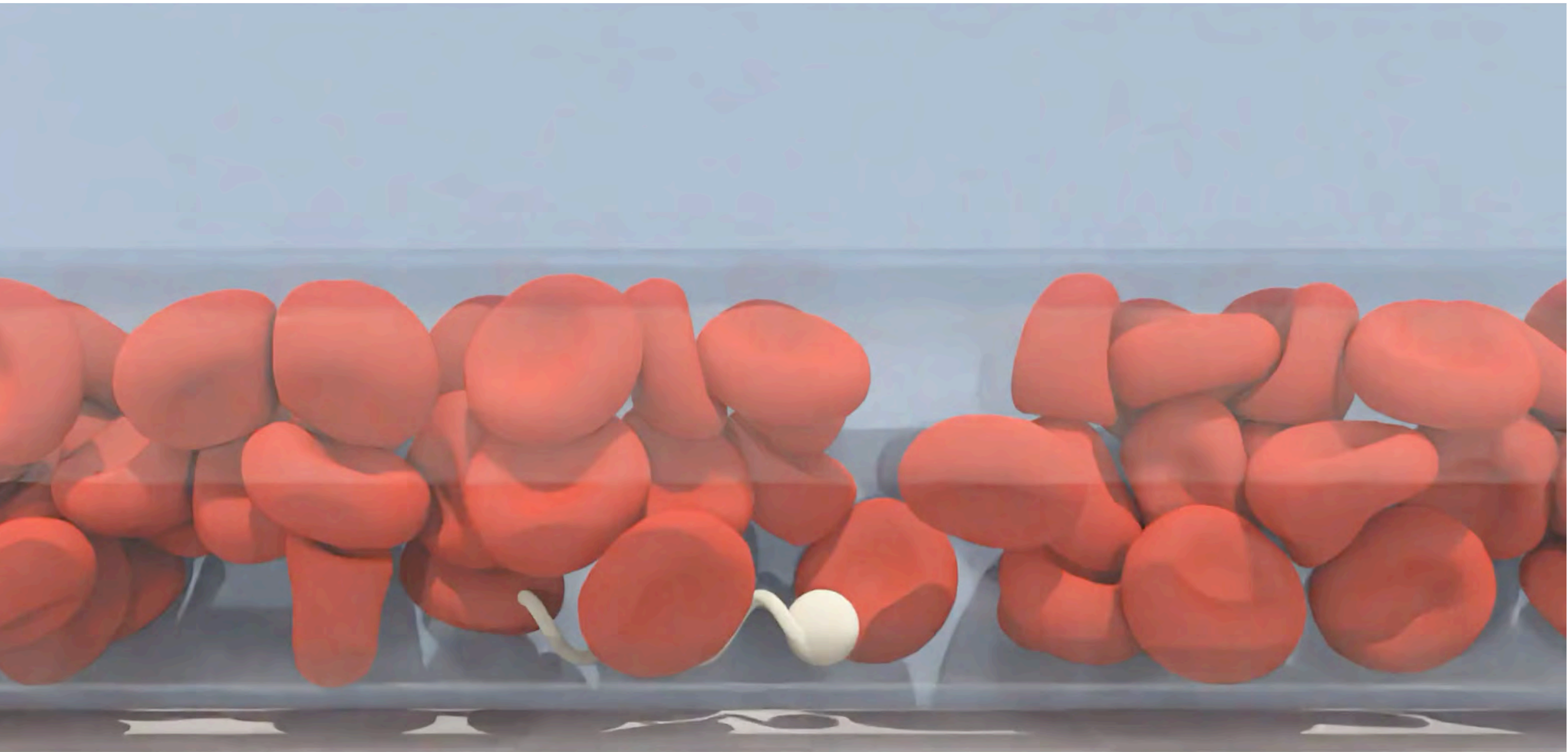
$$R_\eta = \frac{Tu}{Tu + \max(P_{def}, 0)}$$

CONTROL





ABF catching a circulating cancerous cell



Reinforcement Learning for Flow **Control/Modeling**

$$F(\mathbf{x}, t) = 0$$

Governing Equation

$$\hat{F}(\mathbf{x}, t) + \pi(\mathbf{s}(\mathbf{x}), \mathbf{a}(\mathbf{s})) = 0$$

Model
Control

RL: find a policy $\pi(\mathbf{s}, \mathbf{a})$ for the actions of an agent that learns to optimize their long-term consequences on the environment.

$$u_{ijk}^{n+1} = F(u_{ijk}^n)$$

F : from numerics


+

F : through RL

nature
machine intelligence

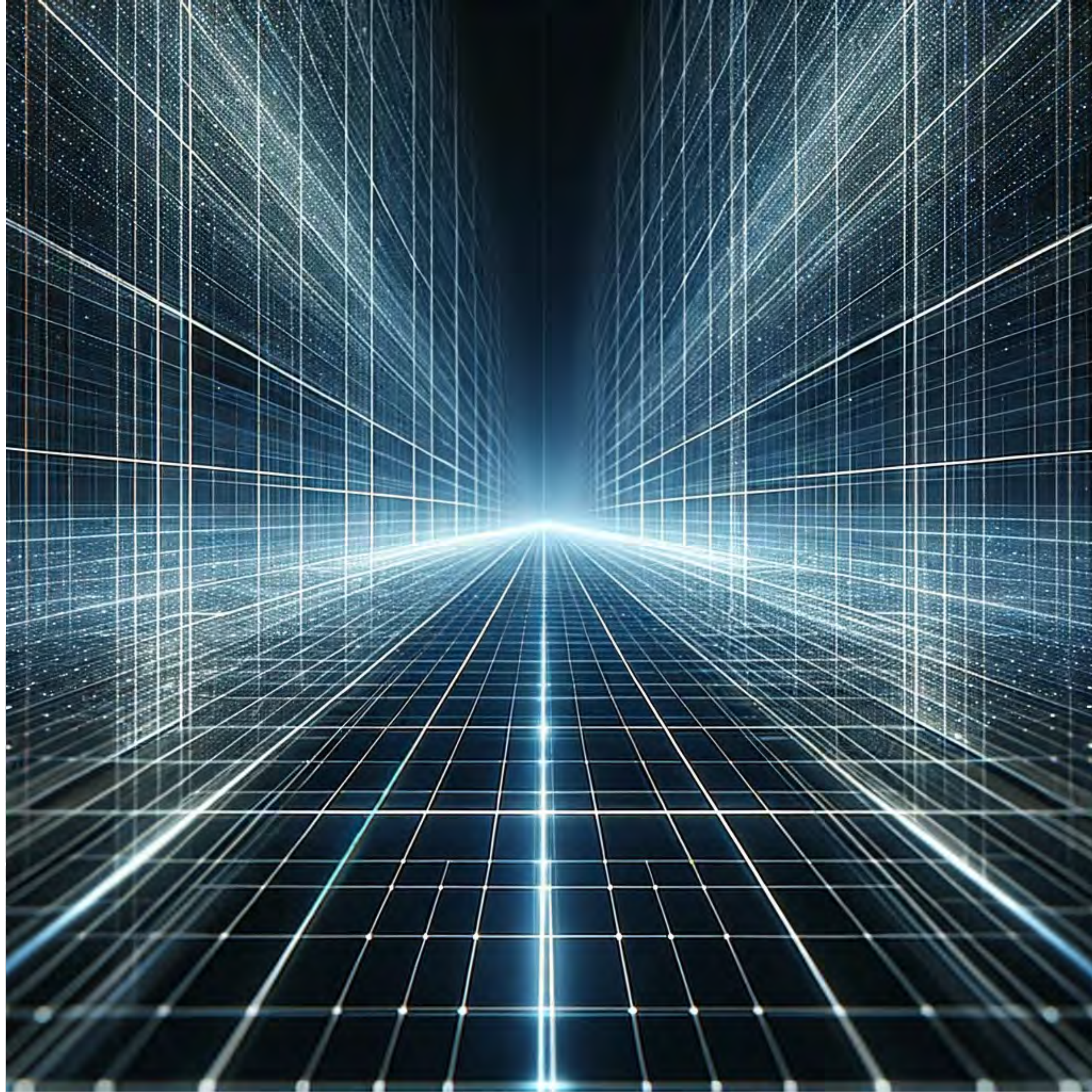
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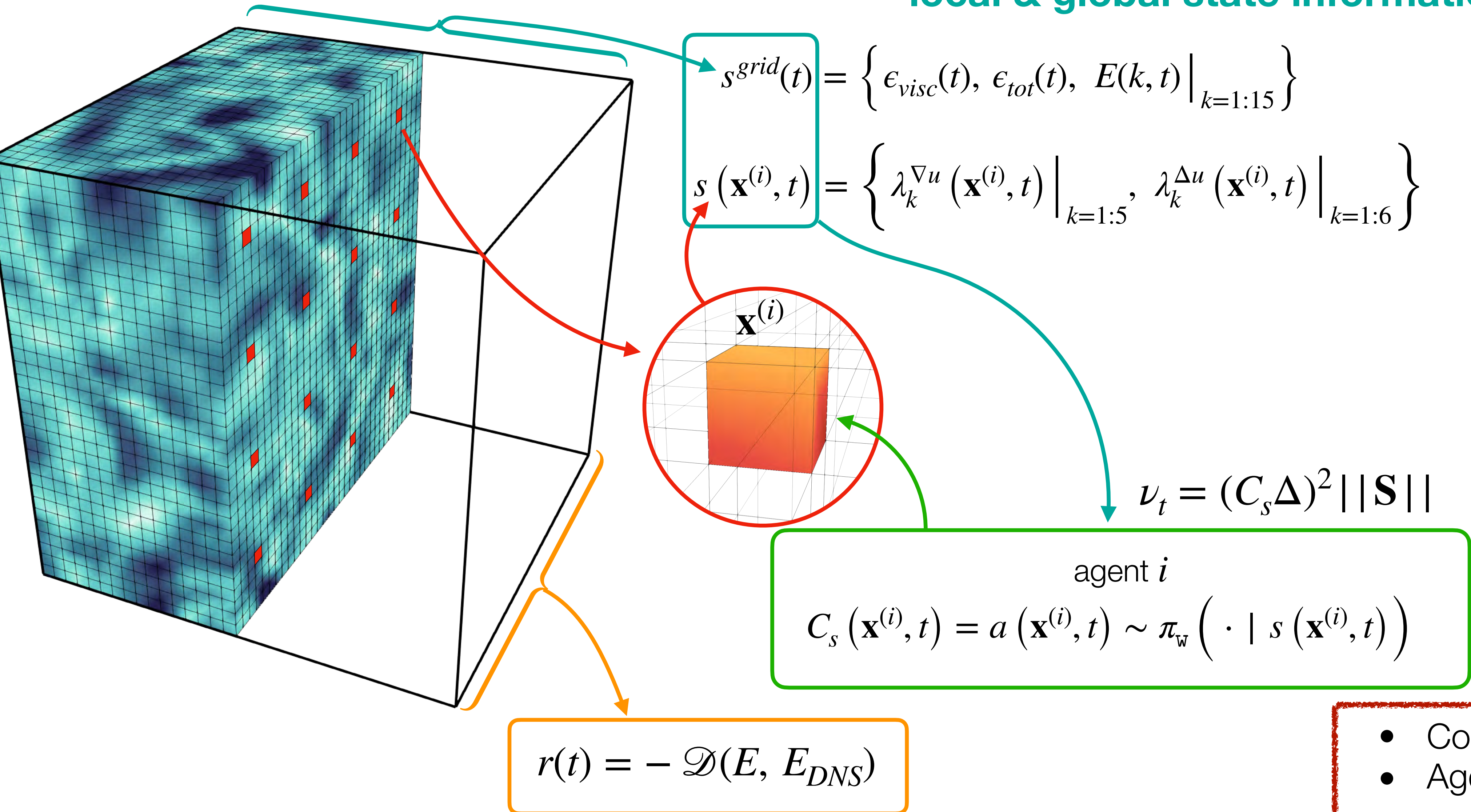
Automating turbulence modelling by multi-agent reinforcement learning

Guido Novati¹, Hugues Lascombes de Laroussilhe^{1,2} and Petros Koumoutsakos^{1,3}  



Multi-Agent Deep Reinforcement Learning

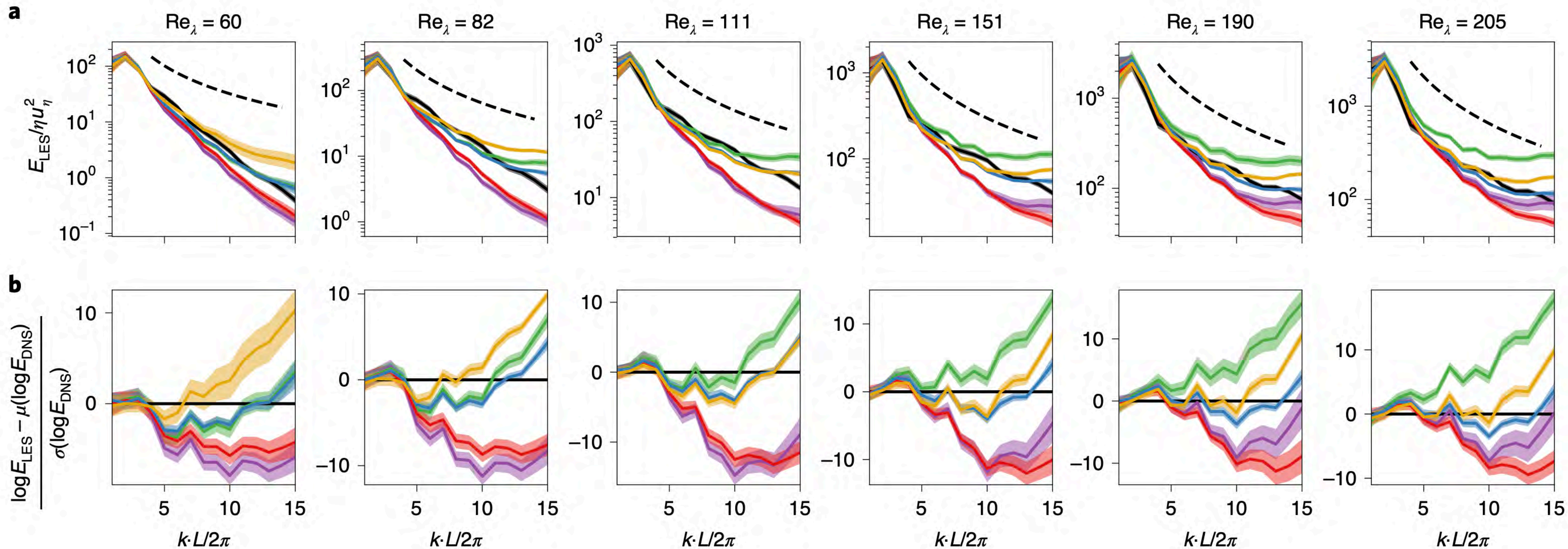
local & global state information



- Common policy
- Agents act locally on (C_s)
- Training on multiple Re_λ

Energy spectra for DNS (solid black line)

Standard Smagorinsky Model (purple), Dynamic Smagorinsky Model (green),



MARL policy π^{LL} , MARL policy π^G and MARL policy π^{LL} trained exclusively from data for $Re = 111$

Training set: $Re_\lambda \in \{65, 76, 88, 103, 120, 140, 163\}$

2D Turbulence: Prototype for atmospheric & oceanic flows (*with Pedram Hassanzadeh-Rice U.*)

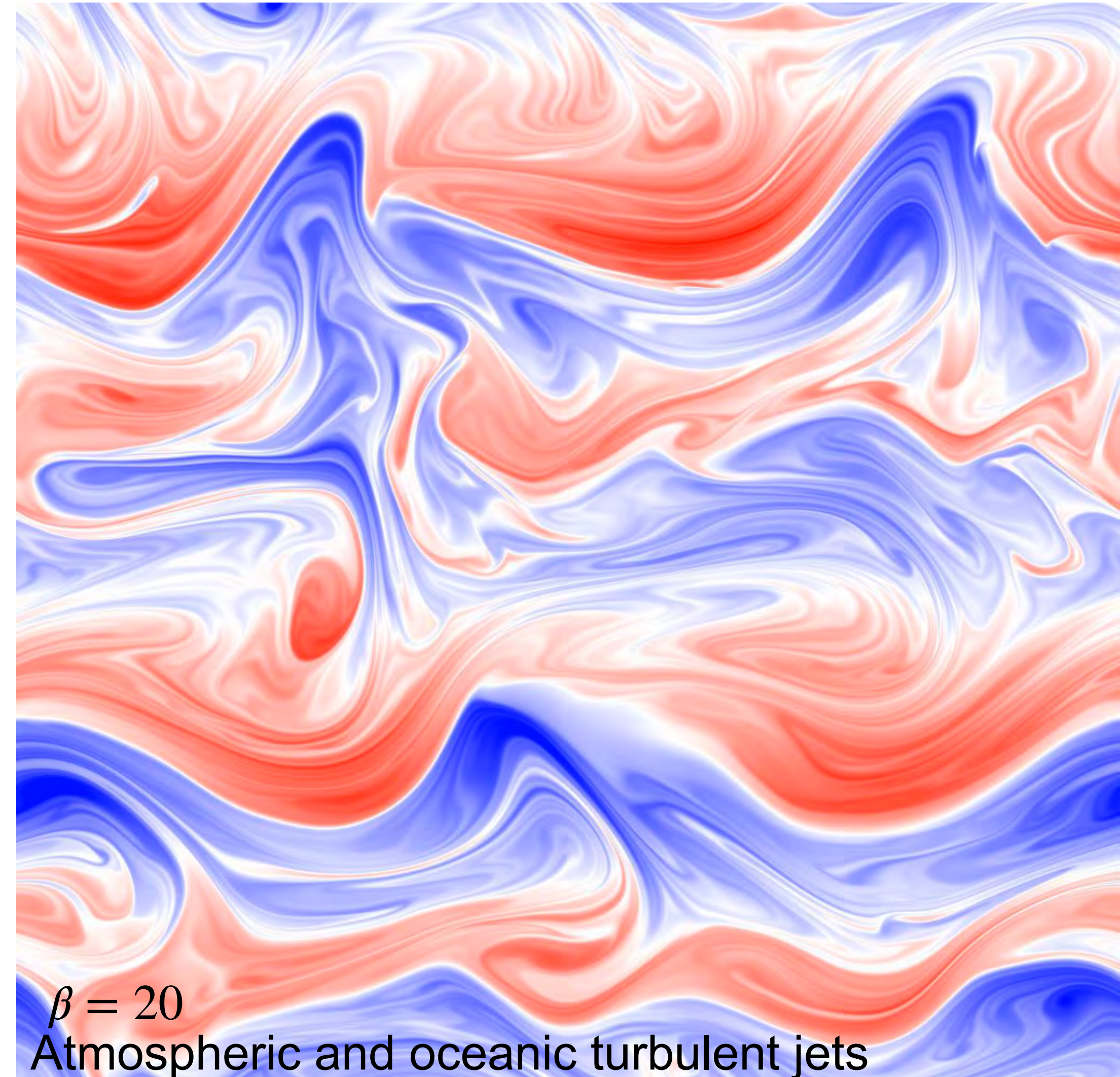
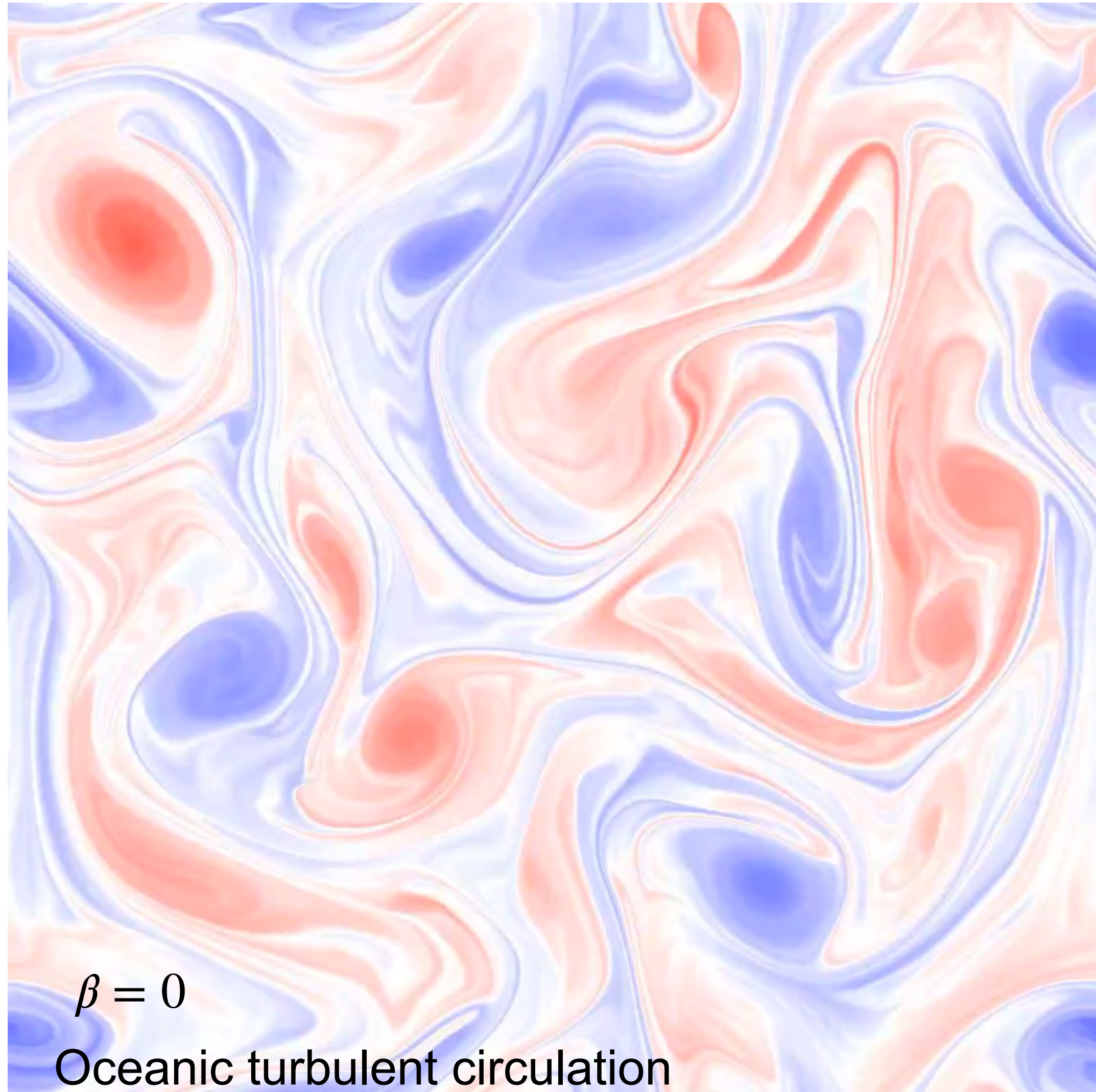
Governing equations

$$\nabla^2 \psi = \omega$$
$$\frac{\partial \omega}{\partial t} + N(\omega, \psi) - \beta \psi_x = \frac{1}{Re} \nabla^2 \omega + f - r\omega$$

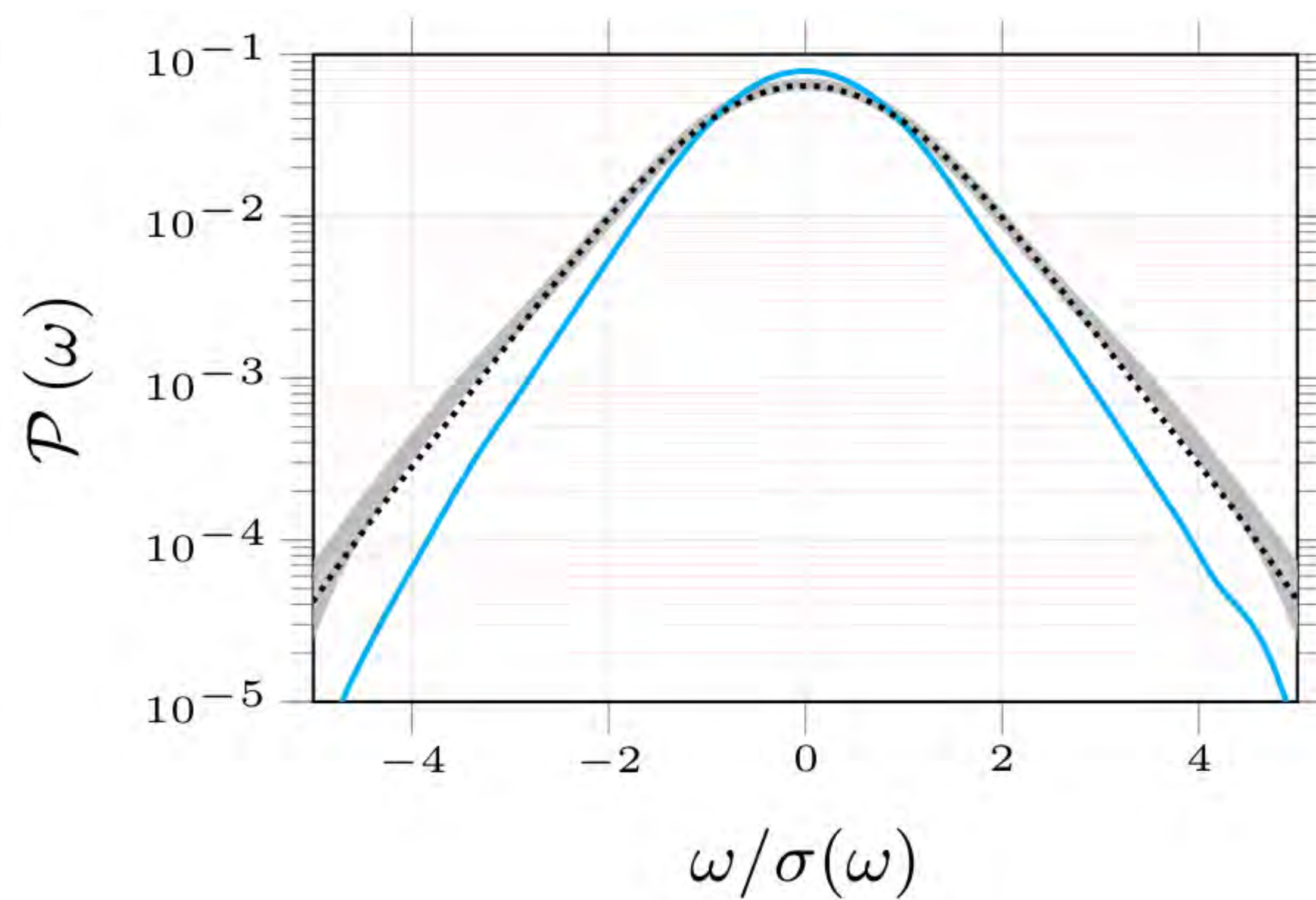
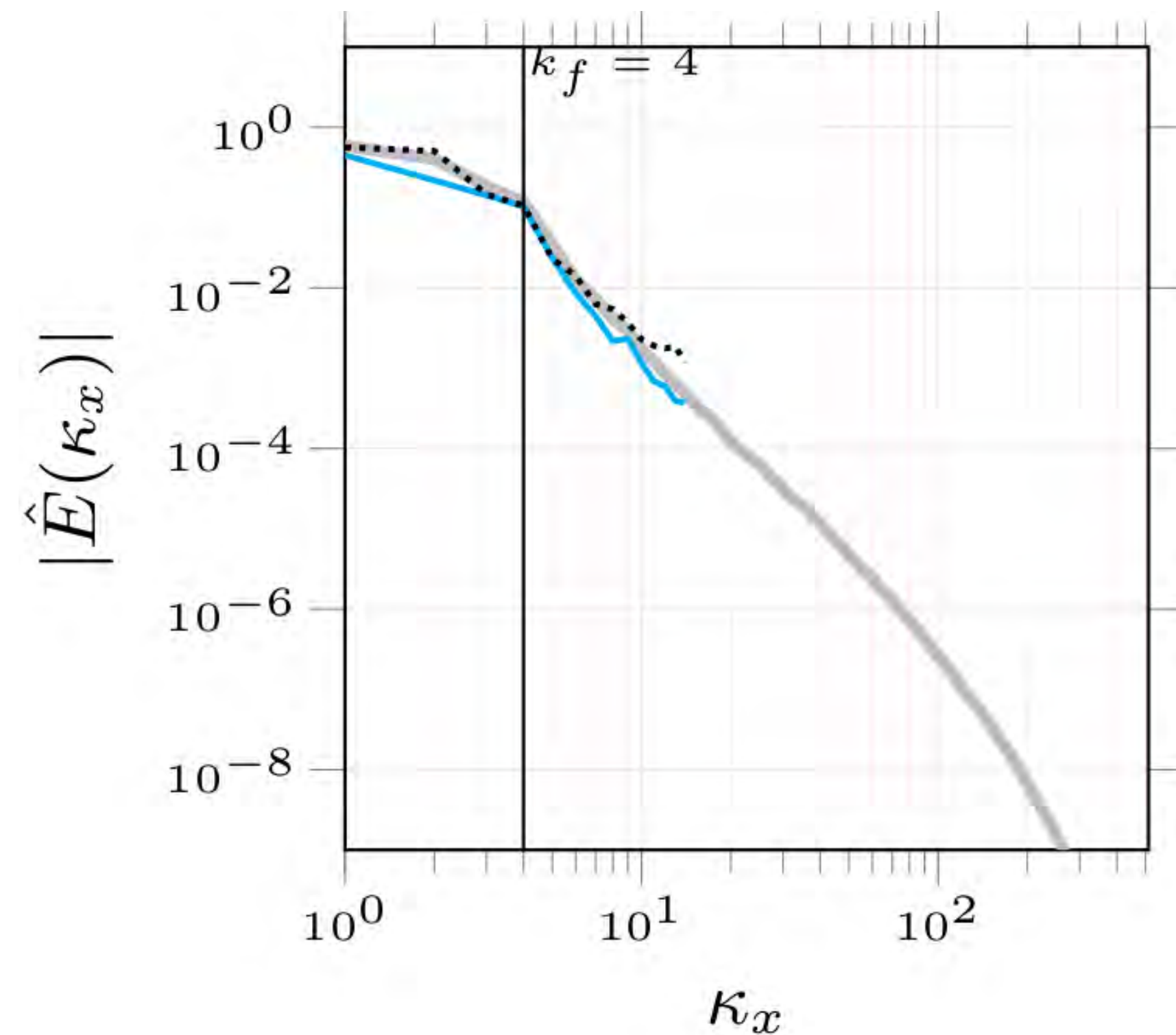
forcing

$$f(x, y) = \kappa_f [\cos(\kappa_f x) + \cos(\kappa_f y)]$$

$$N(\omega, \psi) = \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial x} \frac{\partial \omega}{\partial y} - \frac{\partial \psi}{\partial y} \frac{\partial \omega}{\partial x}$$



- Reynolds number: $Re=20'000$, $\beta = 0$
- **LES:** 32×32 , 10x coarser in time ($\sim 10000x$ fewer DOFs than)
- **Data:** spectrum from 20 DNS snapshots - **Reward:** enstrophy spectrum - **States;** Local Invariants
- RL: learn $C_s(x,y,t)$ of Smagorinsky closure as a function of resolved flow (16 agents)
- **Tests:** TKE spectrum, PDF of vorticity (weather), including tails (extreme weather)



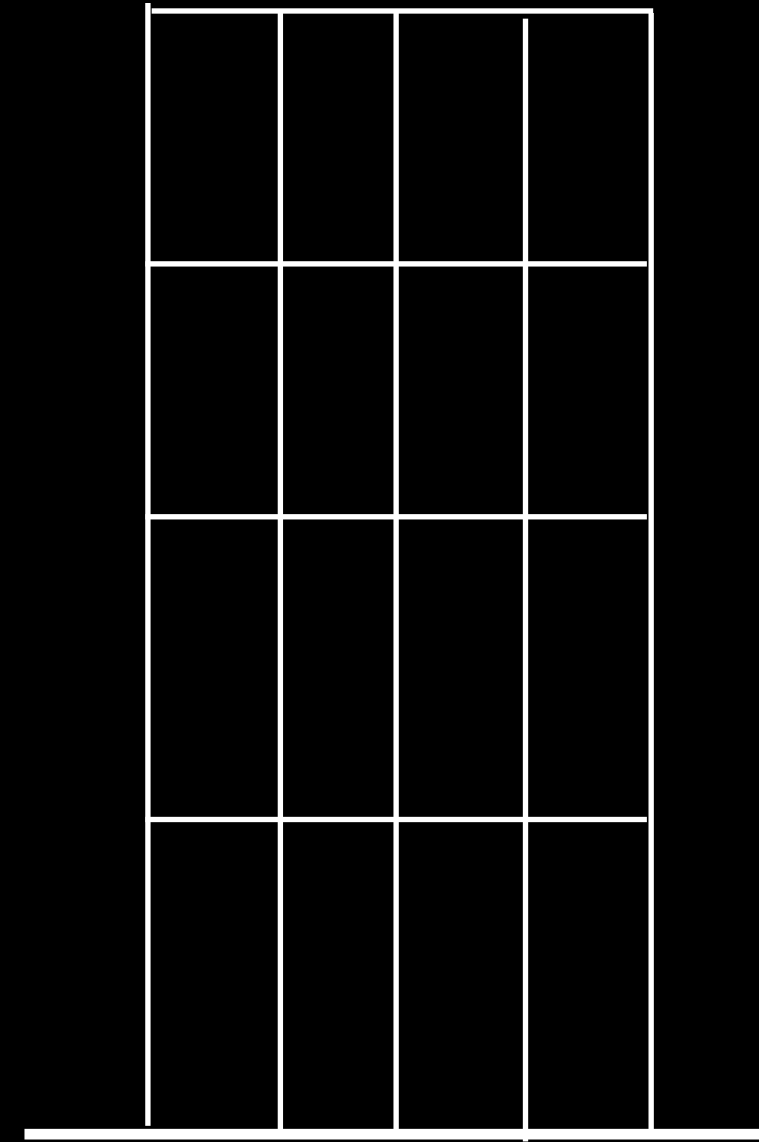
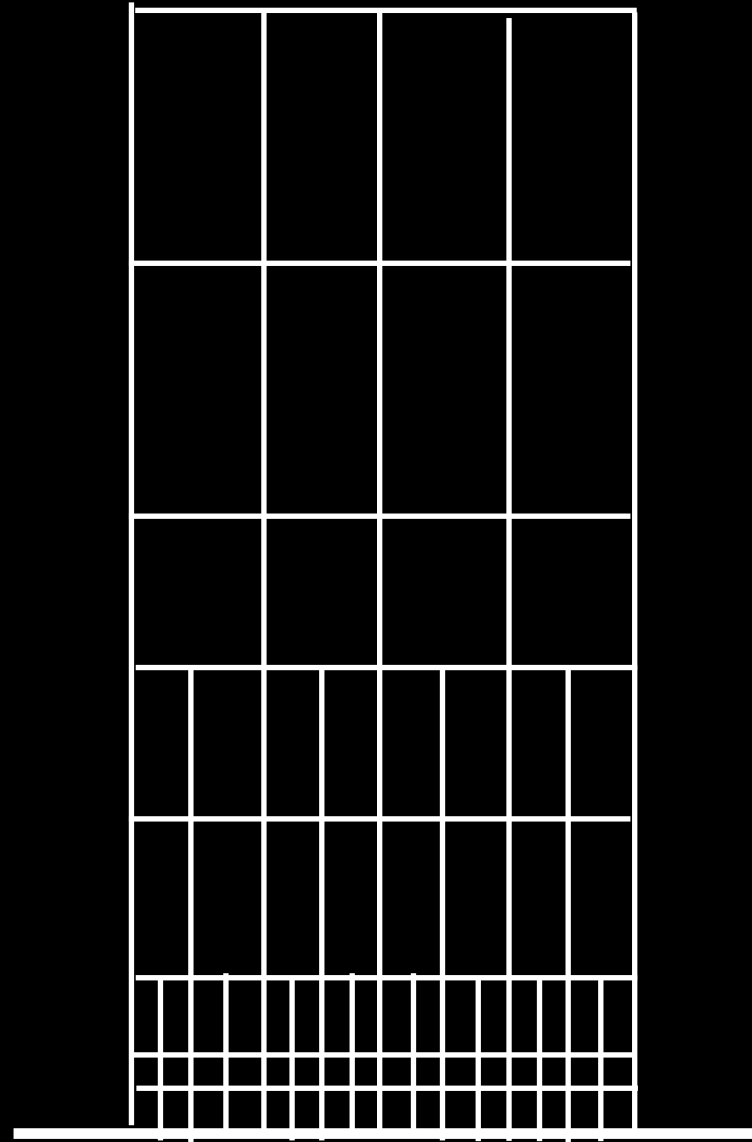
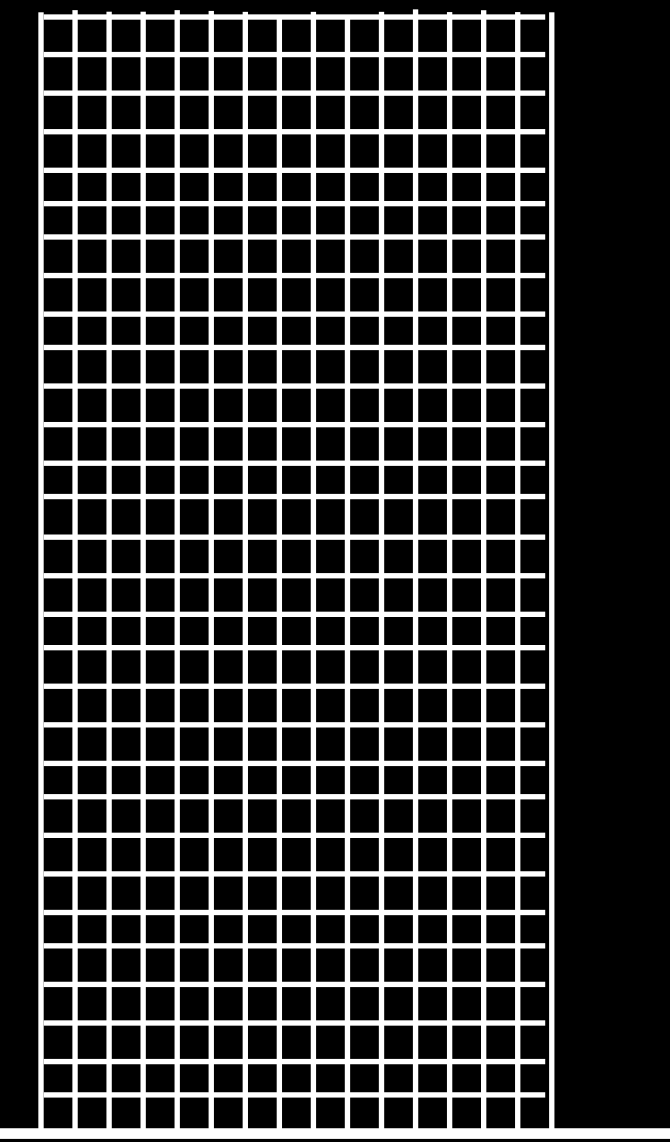
— DNS
 — Dynamic Smagorinsky
 RL- $C_s(\lambda)$, $n = 16$

LES RL-closure, can capture extreme events!

DNS

WRLES

WMLES



$O(Re^{2.6})$

$O(Re^{1.9})$

$O(Re^{0-1})$

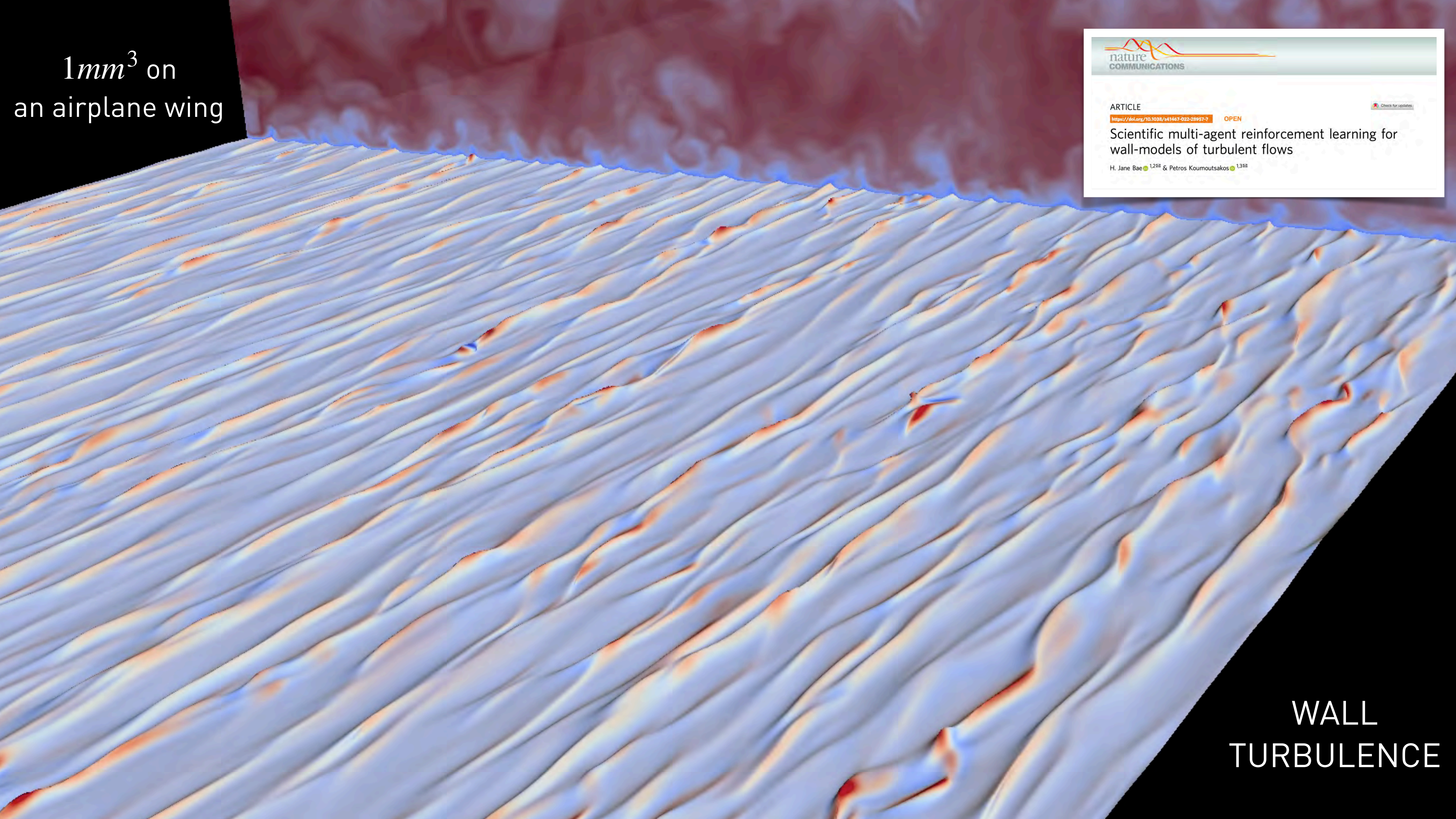
Chapman (1979), Choi & Moin (2011)

How many grid points ?

Turbulent Flows: $Re \geq 10^7$



1mm^3 on
an airplane wing



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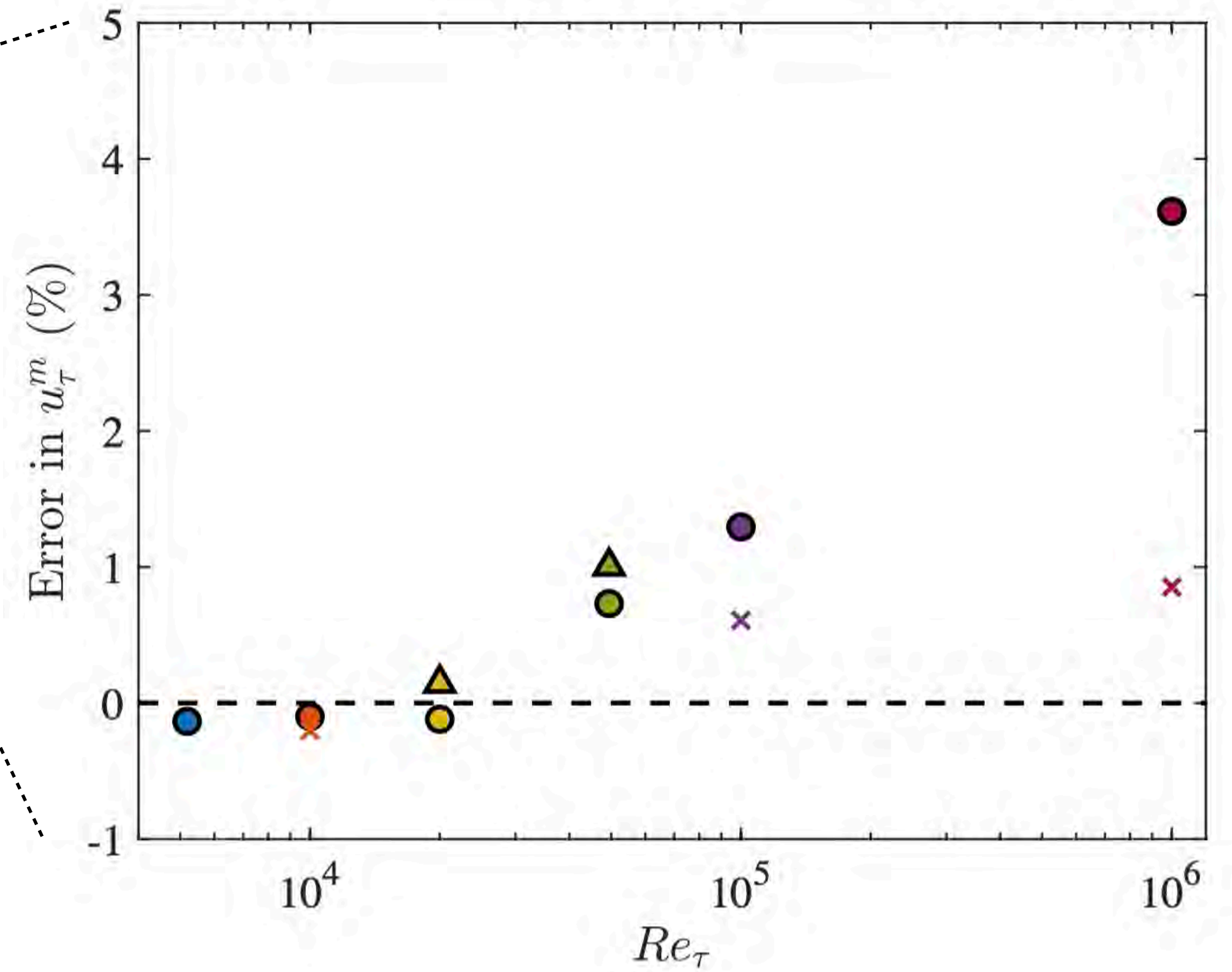
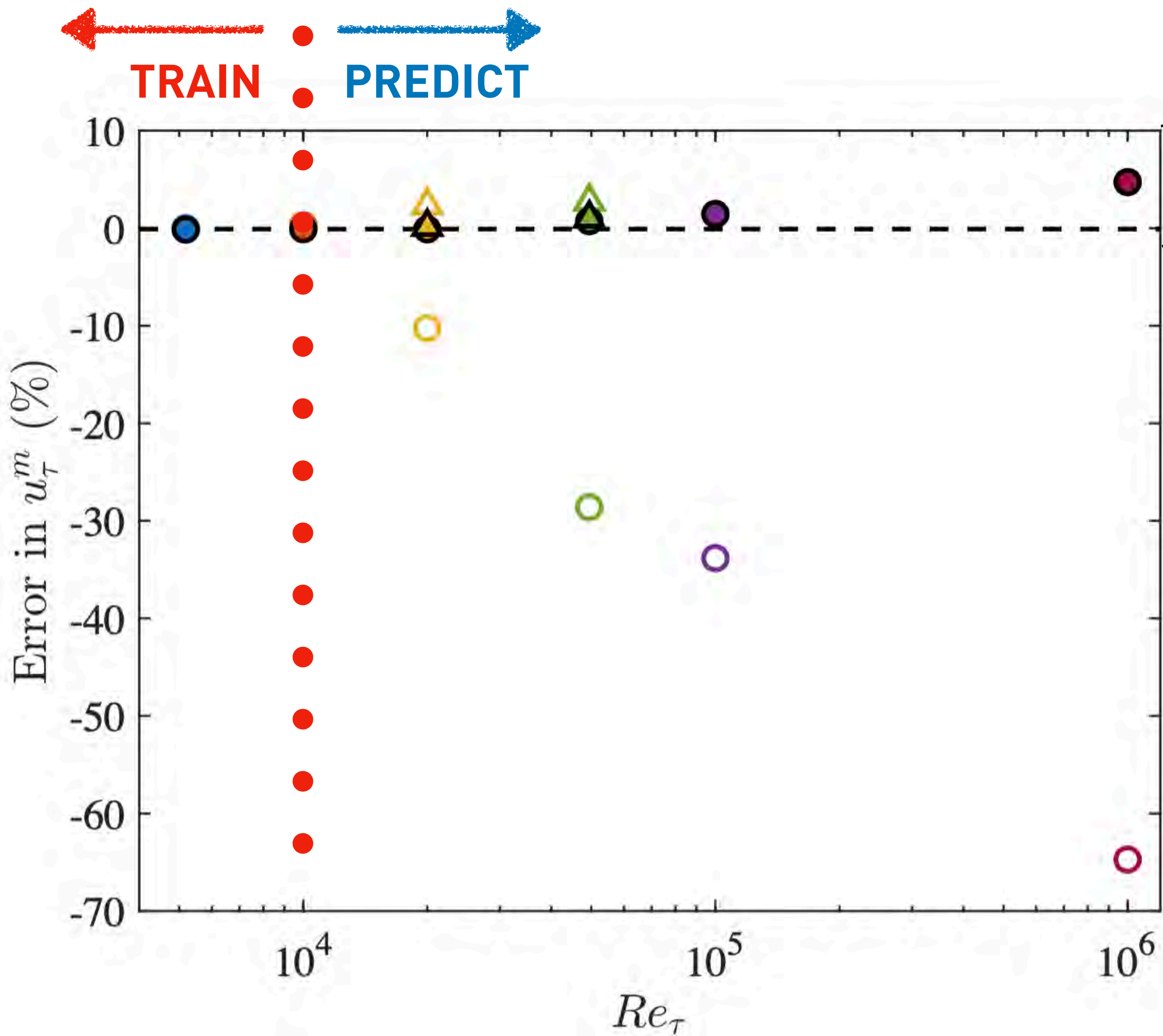
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Scientific multi-agent reinforcement learning for wall-models of turbulent flows

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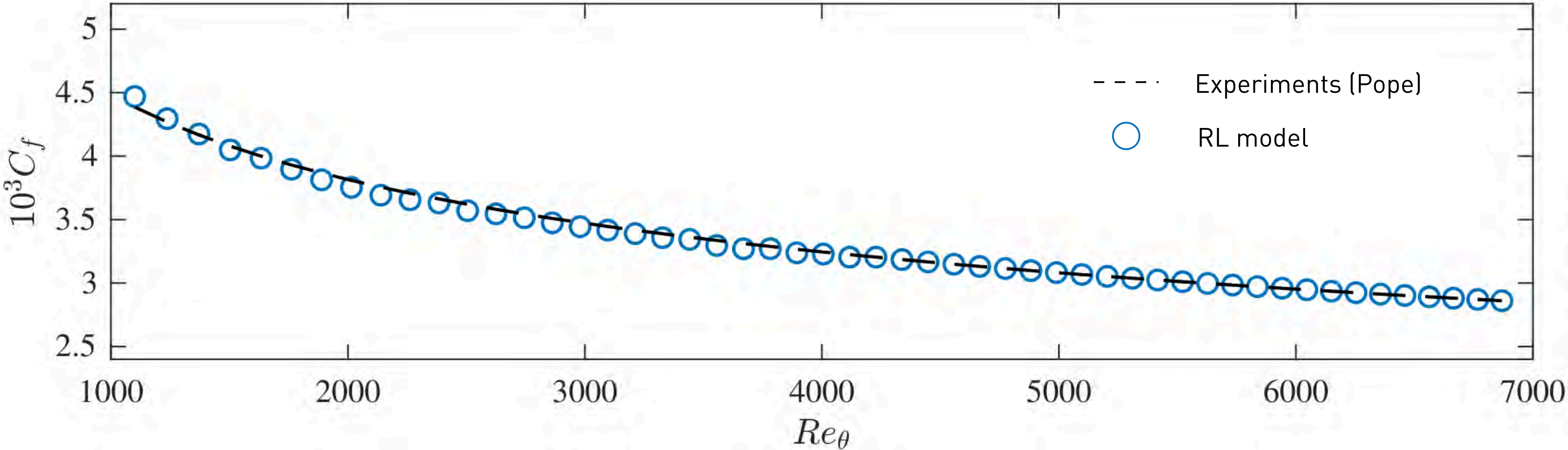
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(b) Zoomed in version of (a) for LLWM with error in EQMW (crosses) numbers.

Error in time-averaged wall-shear stress obtained from the VWM (empty) and LLWM (filled) for various Reynolds numbers. Circles indicate the standard grid with $\Delta y = 0.05$ and triangles indicate refined cases.

TESTING II: Evolving turbulent boundary layer



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On roads less travelled between AI and computational science

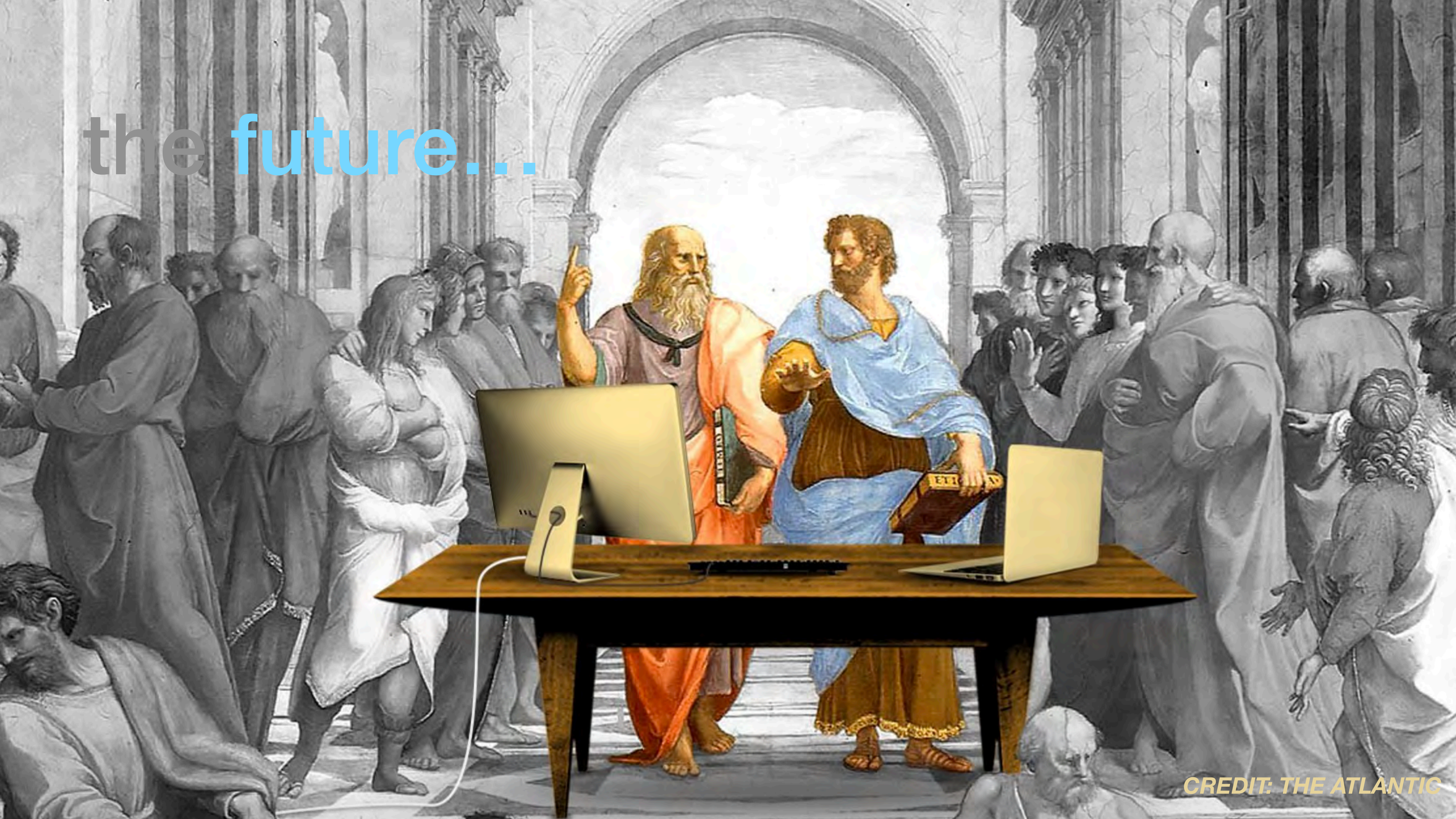
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Computational science and artificial intelligence have been drivers and benefactors of advances in algorithms and hardware, each in different ways, and originally with different targets. Petros Koumoutsakos argues that the intellectual space between these two fields is home to exciting opportunities for scientific discovery.

‘importance sampling’. There are plenty of opportunities for cross-fertilizing exchanges in algorithms and their applications. Similarly, stochastic and gradient optimization methods have been developed across both communities, but recent works on automatic differentiation indicate that the paths are intersecting again. The emergence and homogenization properties of foundational models that are gaining ground in AI also have counterparts in CoS where emergence is often the outcome of nonlinear differential equations, whereas the concept of homogenization can be recognized for example in particle simulations of phenomena ranging from atoms to galaxies³. At the same time the paths of scientific inquiry in AI and CoS may diverge, but I argue that repeated intersection can be exciting. There are many problems where

the future...



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