
Improving data-driven model predictions using physics in the CERN accelerator complex

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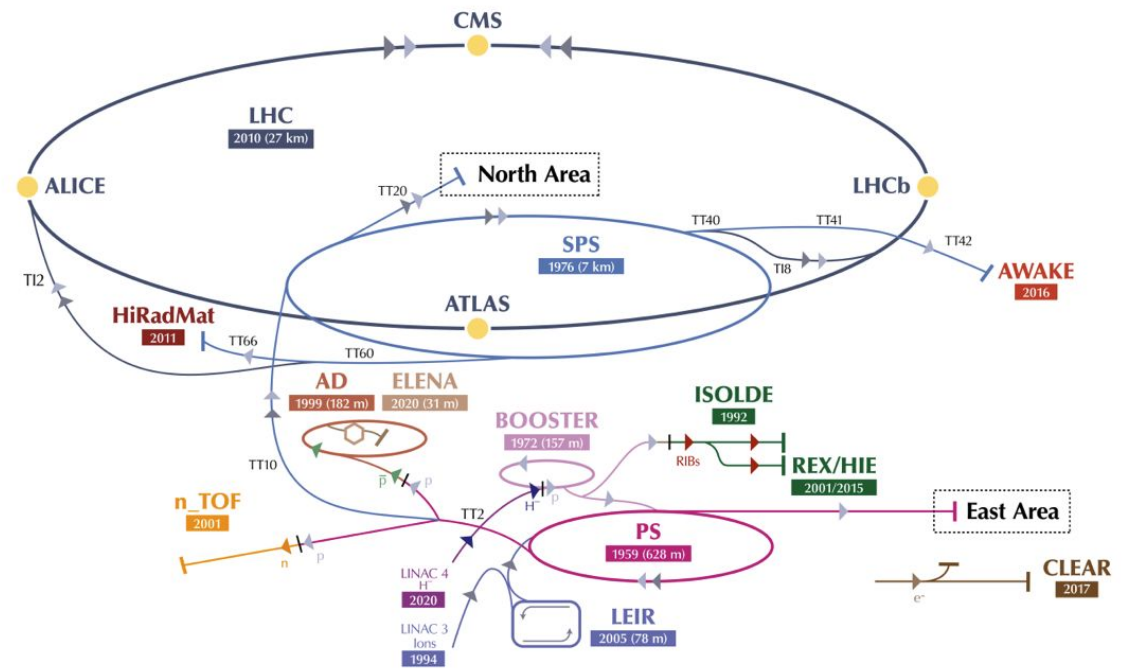
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- Physics-informed data driven model being explored
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- Models in operation
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Introduction

The CERN accelerator chain

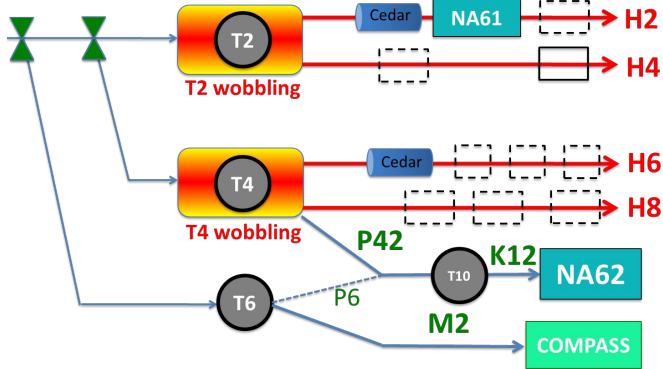
The CERN accelerator complex
Complexe des accélérateurs du CERN



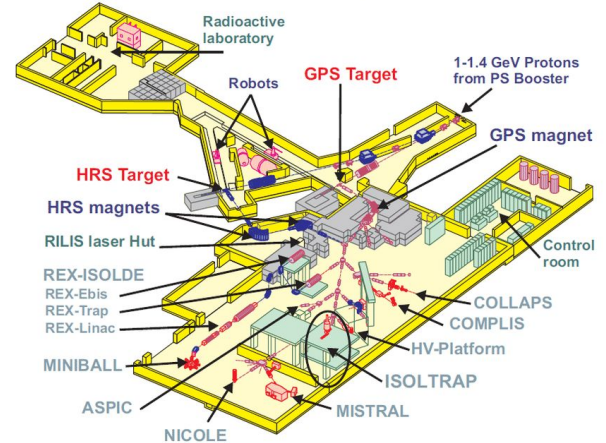
- ▶ H^- (hydrogen anions)
- ▶ p (protons)
- ▶ ions
- ▶ RIBs (Radioactive Ion Beams)
- ▶ n (neutrons)
- ▶ \bar{p} (antiprotons)
- ▶ e^- (electrons)

LHC and other experiments

- The SPS North experimental Area hosts very interesting and demanding fixed target experiments: COMPASS, NA62...
 - ◆ **Slow extraction is used to deliver constant proton and heavy ion flux ⇒ 3rd integer slow extraction**
- ISOLDE takes the largest number of protons accelerated at CERN
- The PS serves directly several experimental facilities, like EAST area and nToF, but also indirectly via AD/ELENA: ASACUSA, ATRAP, GBAR...
- **LHC towards HL-LHC ⇒ high integrated Lumi!**

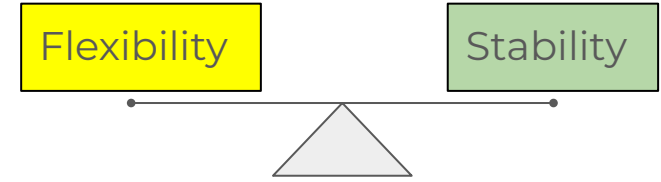


ISOLDE / CERN experimental hall

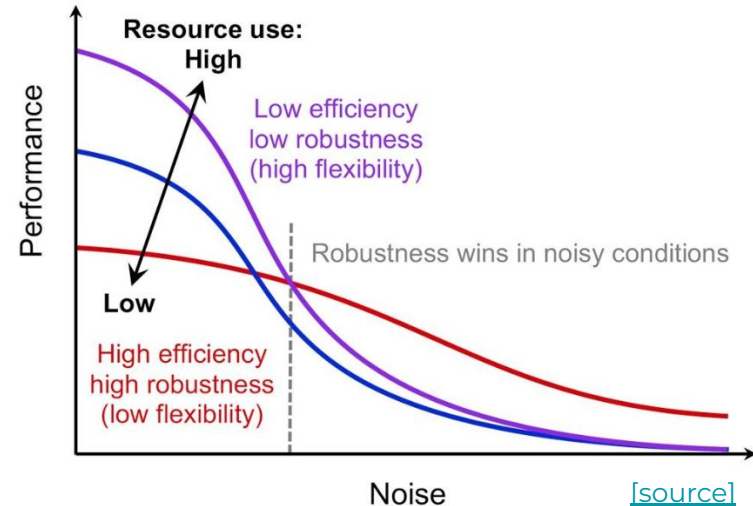


Motivation

- Multi-purpose machines need to efficiently share the time among users (experiments) and guarantee stable and reproducible conditions
 - ◆ Classically this is a trade-off to decide upon
- A possible way to break the balance is to **“predict” the effect of changes** in a very entangled and complicated system as an accelerator chain



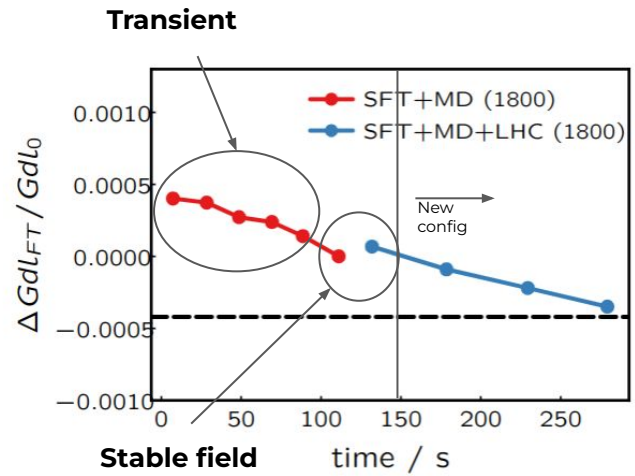
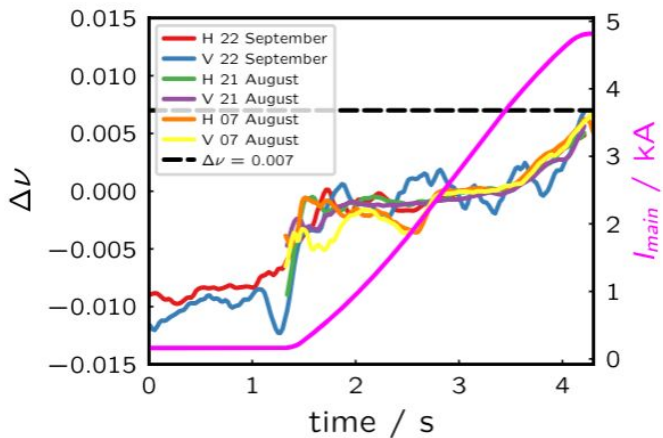
“Less-is-more” effects



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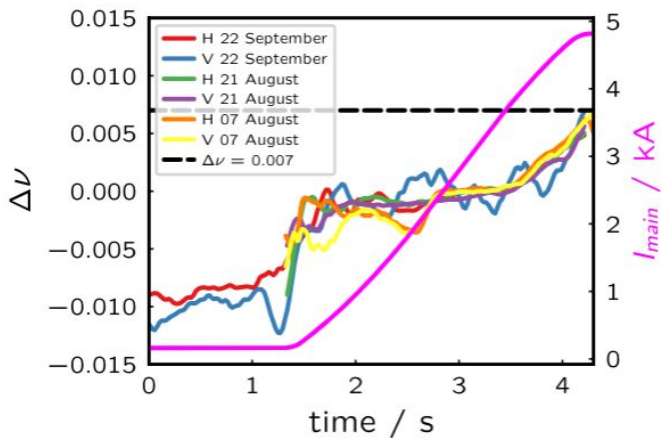
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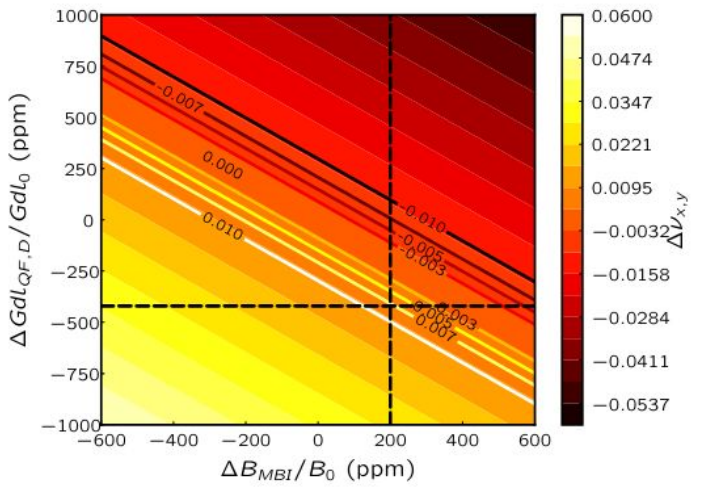
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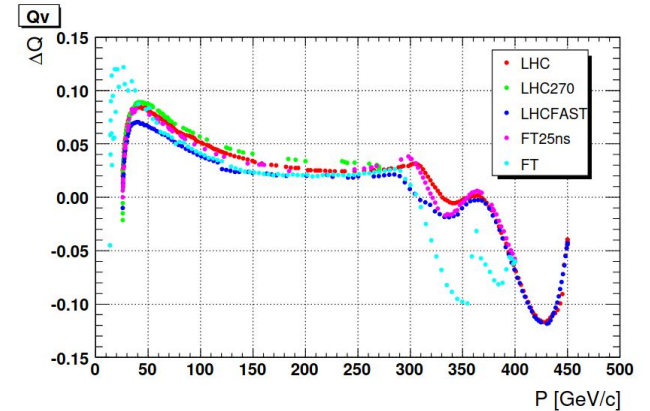
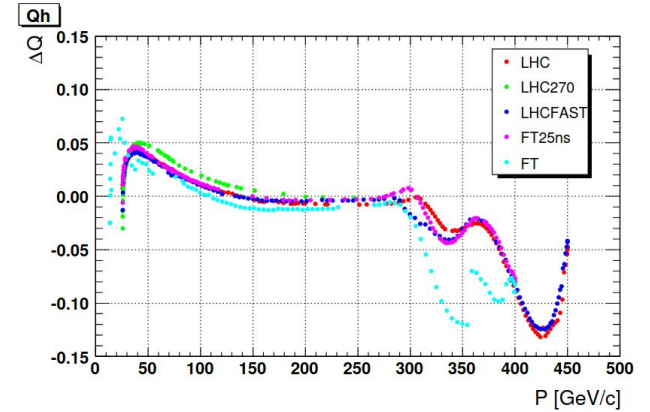


MADX simulations from quad and dipole measurements



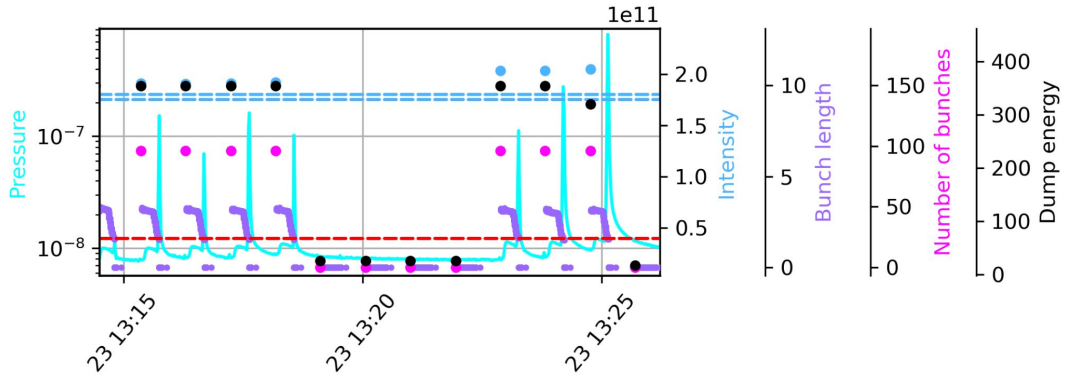
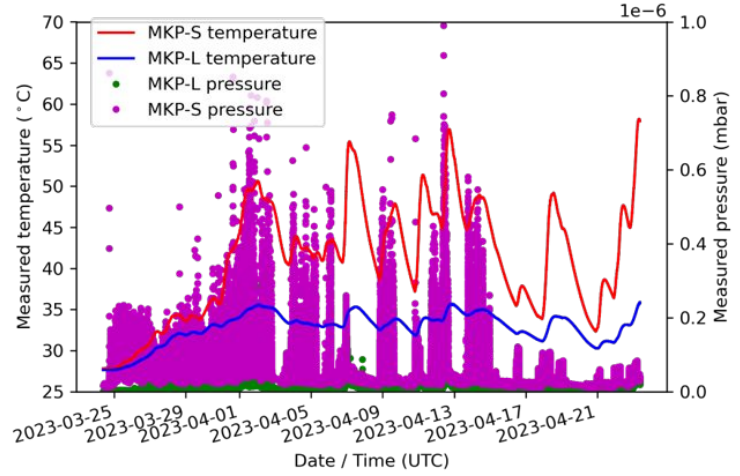
Chromaticity and tune settings

- Multi-cycled machines need to adapt to different beam requirements hence different parameters
- This translate into the need to be able to quickly change from one set of settings to others
 - ◆ Like tune, chromaticity
- On paper, this could be very simple but in reality we have eddy-currents, non-linearity and non-ideality of magnets and power supplies
- How can we produce a model that given some target beam parameters returns settings needed for the accelerator magnets?



High intensity limitations in the SPS

- High intensity particle beams heat up accelerator components
- Other effects, still linked to HI, lead to vacuum pressure rise
- Kickers are usually the most sensitive:
 - ◆ Hold high voltage
 - ◆ Yoke directly in vacuum and exposed to beam usually with no shielding
- In the SPS, the MKP (injection) and the MKDH (dump) are the most reactive to high intensity beams



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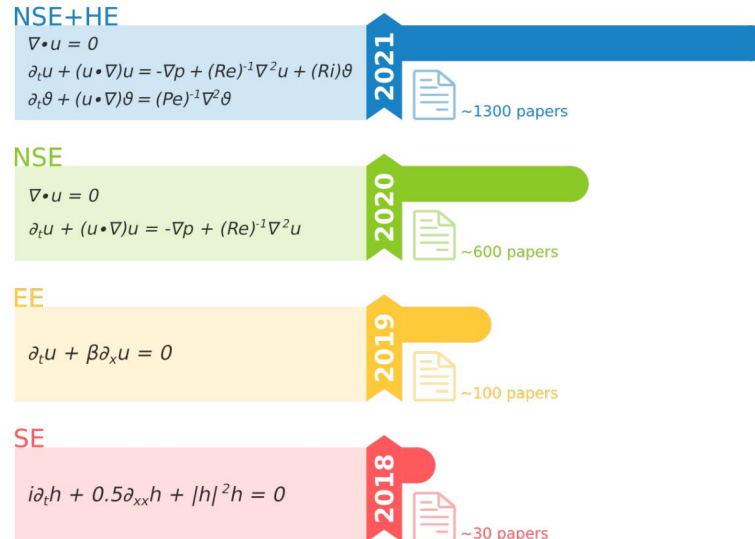
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- The available dataset we have are not enormous
 - ◆ Complicated NN easy to overfit
 - ◆ Physics models available (in many cases) but too slow or not very accurate
- Working towards exploiting physics knowledge to regularise, build features, improve NN performance and be able to “extrapolate” to future or unknown quantities

Physics informed data-driven
models being explored

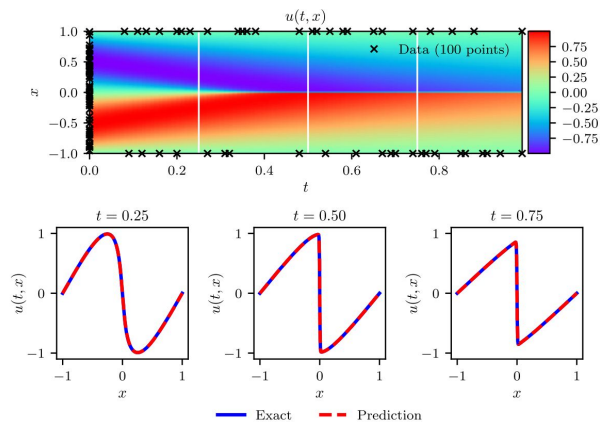
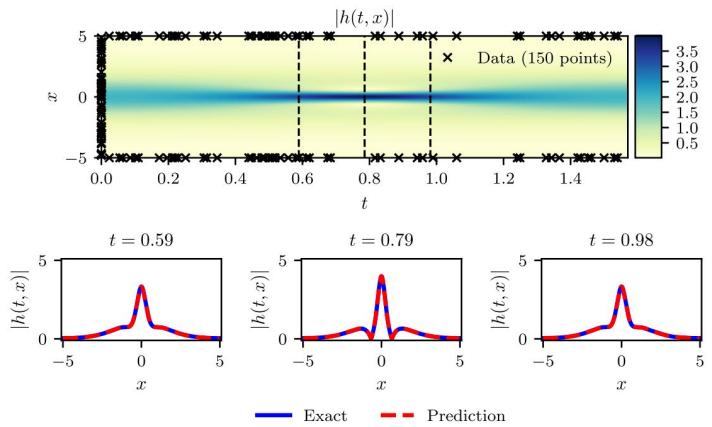
Physics Informed Neural Networks

- Embedding physics knowledge in NN is becoming very common
- Very complete summary of applications [\[2\]](#) (figure taken from [\[2\]](#)) and the general field of physics informed ML [\[2.1\]](#)
- We were looking for a way to extend temperature prediction to very long time periods and to predict ferrite temperature...



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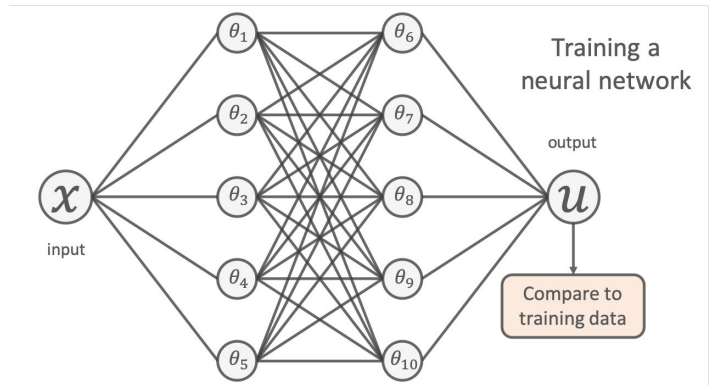
- First proposed to solve nonlinear PDE [3] (all plots from [3])
- Basically using boundary and initial conditions values, NN can interpolate the whole system dynamics “knowing” the PDE that describe the system
 - ◆ At the same time though, one can just use a physics loss term...it doesn't have to be a PDE system



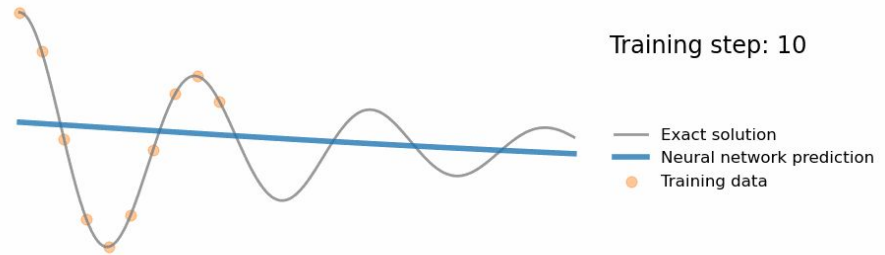
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$$\min(\text{Loss}) \Rightarrow \text{Loss} = \text{Mean}(\text{data} - \text{prediction})^2$$



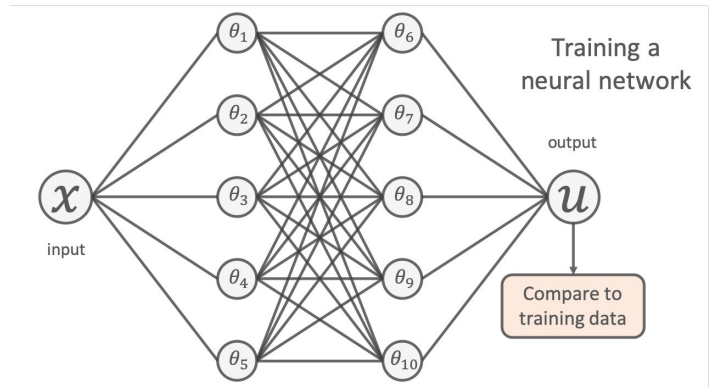
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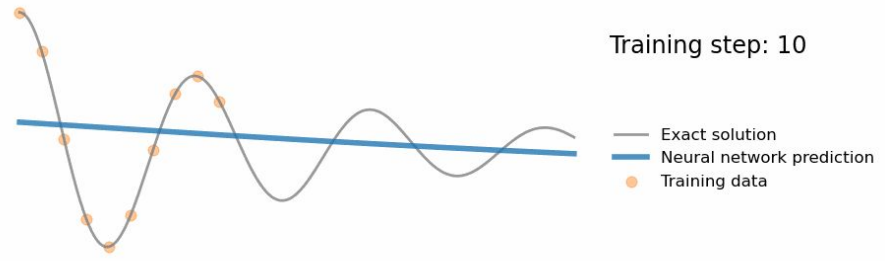
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→ Go beyond data domain => more information needed:

min(Loss) => Loss = Mean(data - prediction)² + Additional_info(prediction)

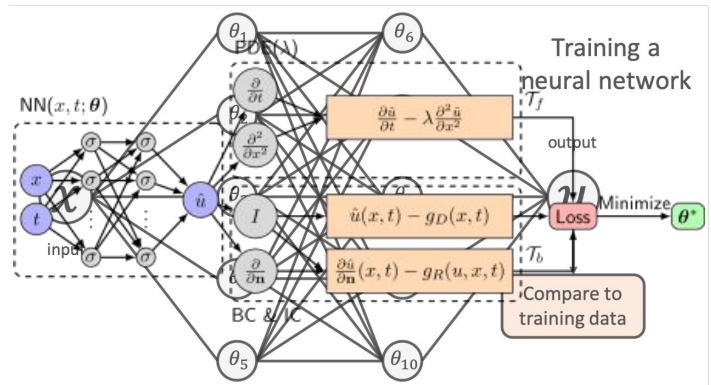
$$\mathcal{L}_1 = 1/N \sum_i^N (u(x_i) - \hat{u}(x_i, \theta))^2$$

$$\mathcal{L}_2 = 1/M \sum_j^M \left(\frac{\partial^2 \hat{u}}{\partial x^2} - \frac{\partial \hat{u}}{\partial t} \right)^2$$

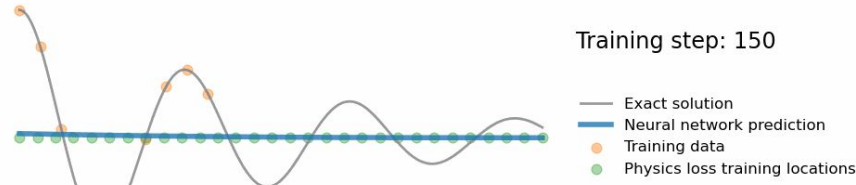
$$\mathcal{L}_3 = \hat{u}(x, t=0) - f(x)$$

$$\mathcal{L}_4 = \hat{u}(x=0, t) - u_0$$

$$\mathcal{L}_{tot} = \alpha \mathcal{L}_1 + \beta \mathcal{L}_2 + \gamma \mathcal{L}_3 + \eta \mathcal{L}_4$$



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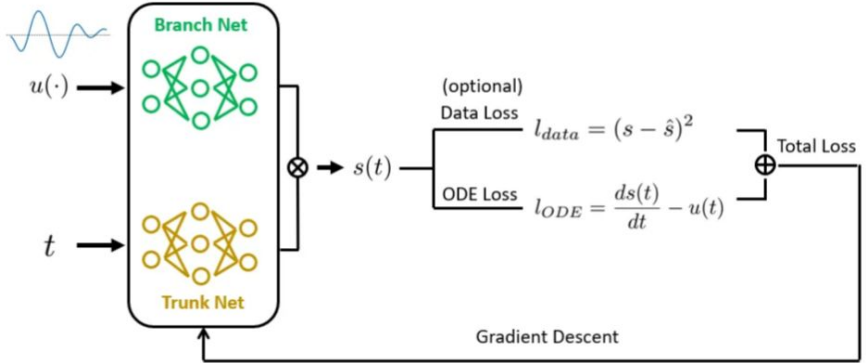
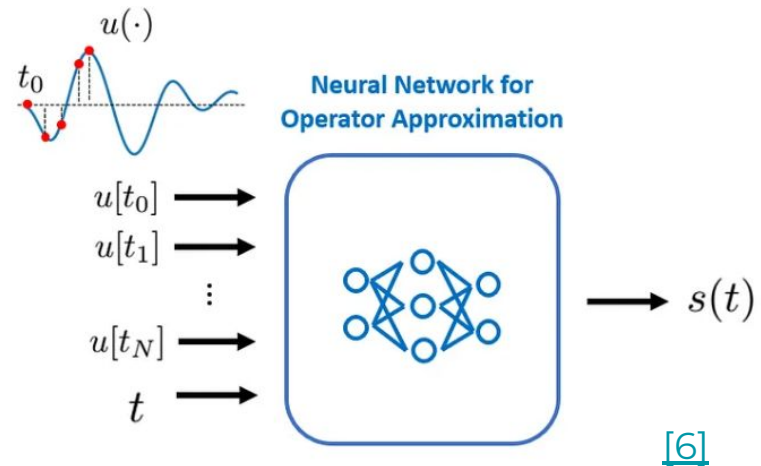


Physics Informed DeepONets [5]

- Usually we have to deal with forced/controlled systems
- We are not learning a simple function anymore but an operator:

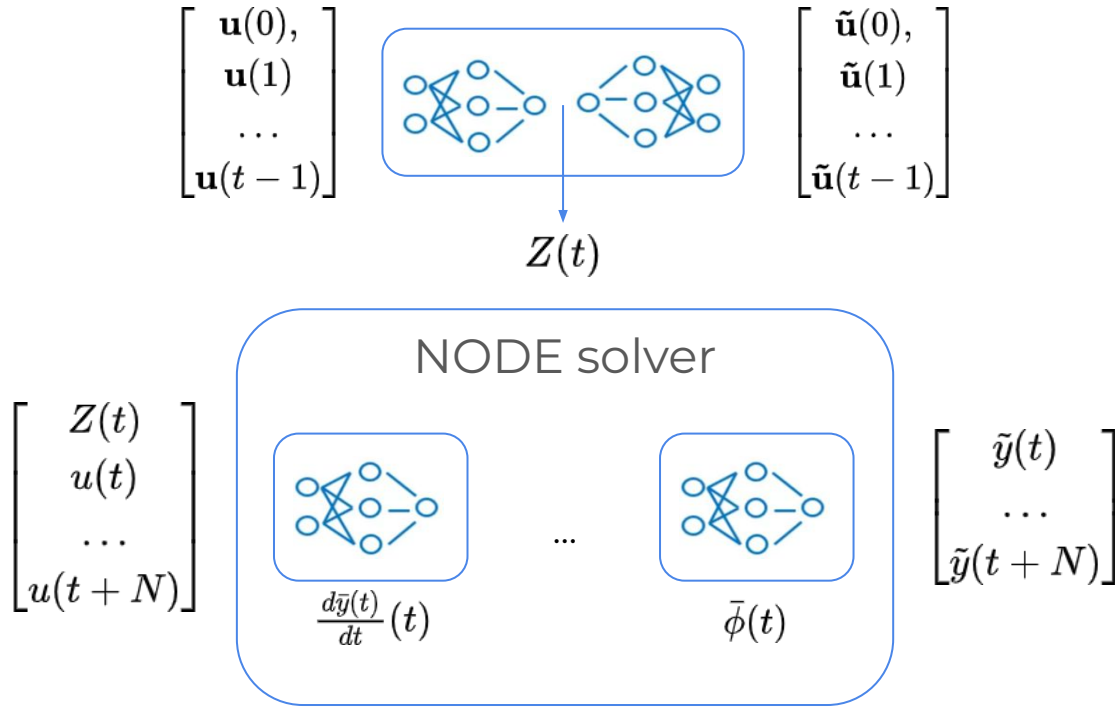
$$G(u(t), t) = s(u(t))$$

- In many cases, long memory/inertia
- Need to include “all” past history



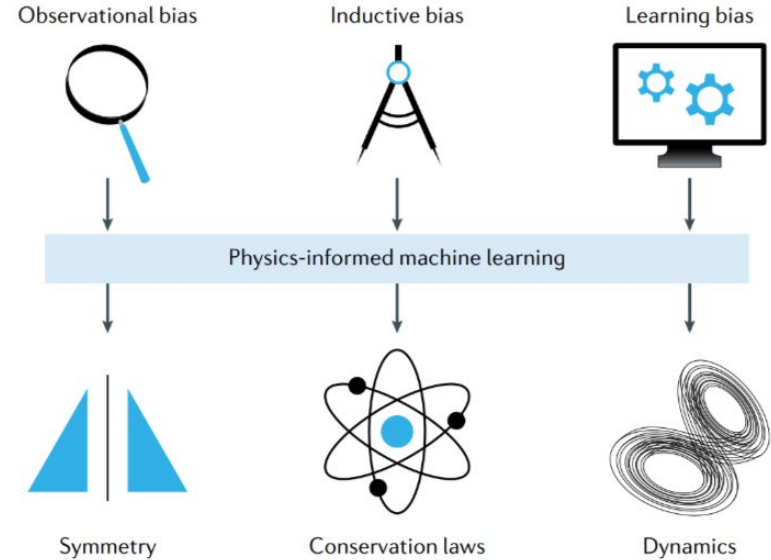
Neural ODE [7]

- Another possible way is to use the known problem statement as PDE and use a Neural solver (classic ODE solvers but using NN as functions)
 - ◆ Applications already in industry [8]
- Similar principle of Deep ONet but more suitable for real applications



Physics in ML models

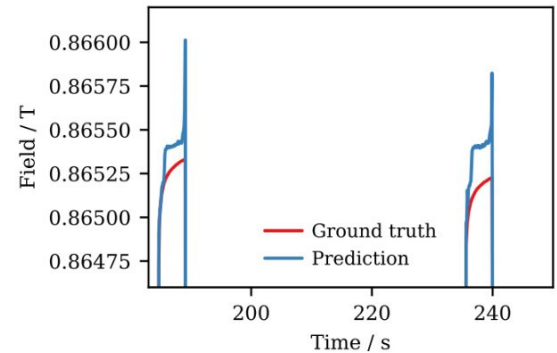
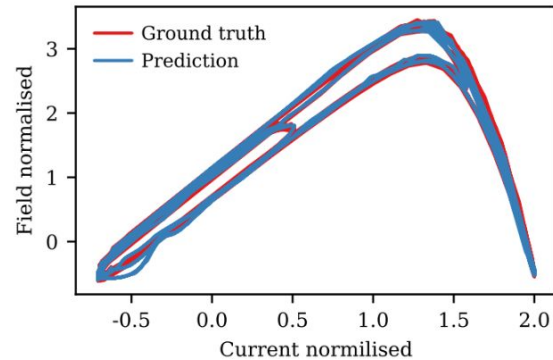
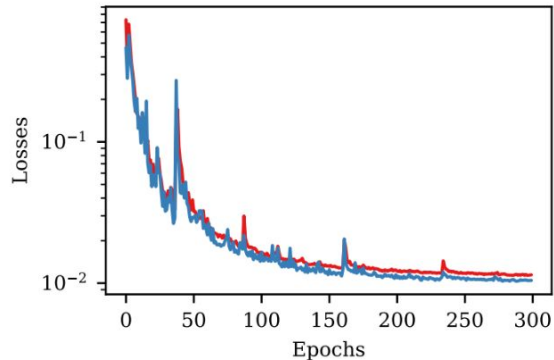
- The pattern is always the same:
 - ◆ Make the model conceptually similar to the underlying physics
 - ◆ Add a term to the loss function to satisfy physics constraints
- We are basically adding additional information via physics laws and not directly data



Some applications

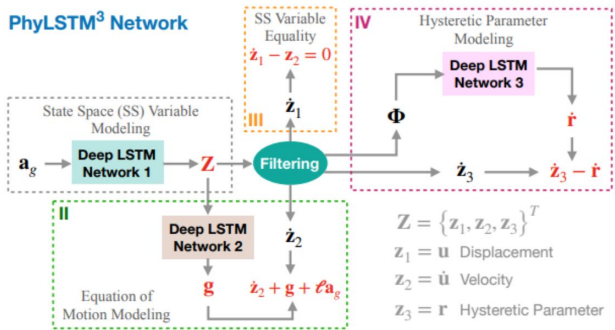
Quadrupoles hysteresis prediction

- First attempt using simple LSTM (as done for kicker temperature prediction)
- Very poor results! Dataset available not large enough and complicated dynamics



Hysteresis modelling

- Hysteresis is rather common in physics and many other fields (chemistry, biology, economics...)
- Modelling is rather challenging: main models Preisach and Bouc-Wen
- In [9], PINN applied to hysteresis modelling of behaviour of structures under seismic excitation
 - ◆ This was our inspiration => very similar problem but different system
- Here is the model used in [9]:



PhyLSTM for SPS quadrupole hysteresis

→ A generic hysteretic model can be written as [\[10\]](#):

$$a\ddot{y}(t) + b(y, \dot{y}) + r(y, \dot{y}, y(\tau)) = \Gamma x(t) \quad \ddot{y} + g = \Gamma x$$

→ Using input $x = \{I, dI/dt\}$ and output $y = \{B, dB/dt\}$, we wrote our model and loss:

$$\mathcal{L}_1 = MSE(z_1(\theta_1) - y_1) + MSE(z_2(\theta_1) - y_2)$$

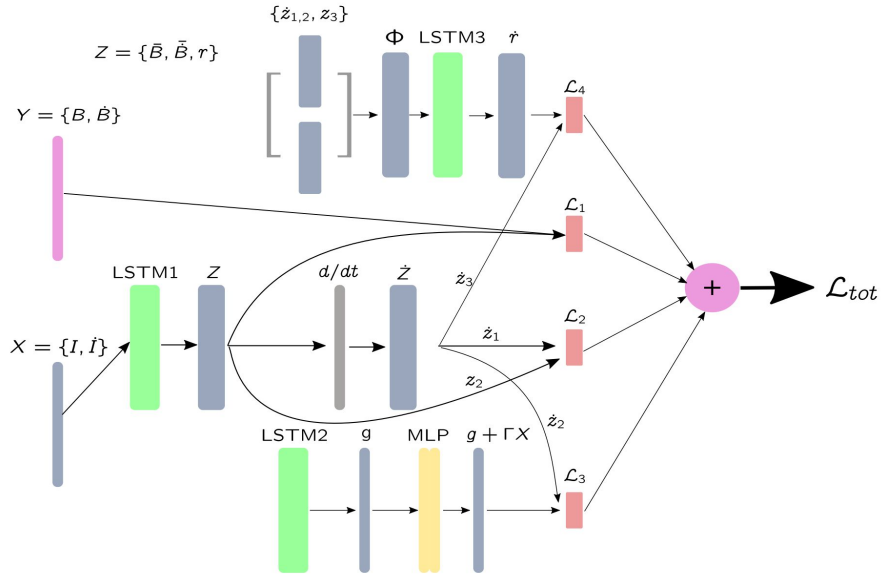
$$\mathcal{L}_2 = MSE(\dot{z}_1(\theta_1) - z_2(\theta_1))$$

$$\mathcal{L}_3 = MSE(\dot{z}_2(\theta_1) + MLP(g(\theta_1, \theta_2), x_1))$$

$$\mathcal{L}_4 = MSE(\dot{r}(\theta_1, \theta_3) - \dot{z}_3(\theta_1)); \dot{r} = f(\Phi); \Phi = \{\Delta z_2, r\}$$

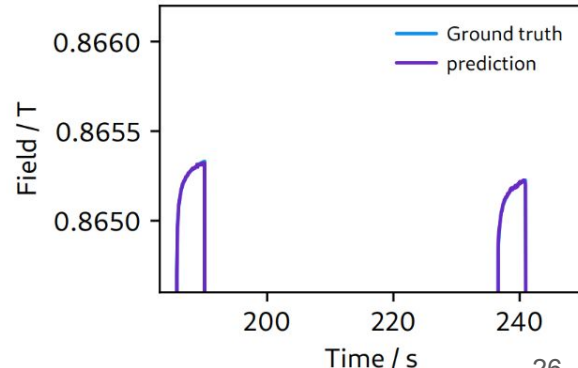
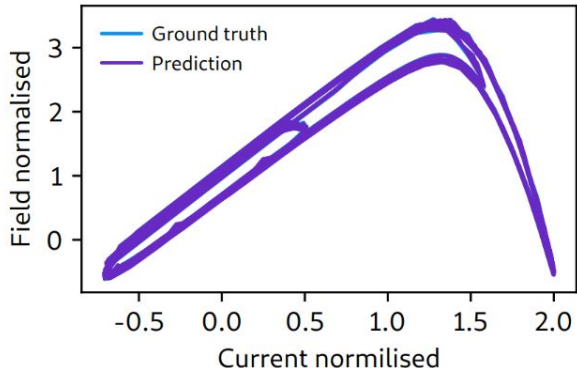
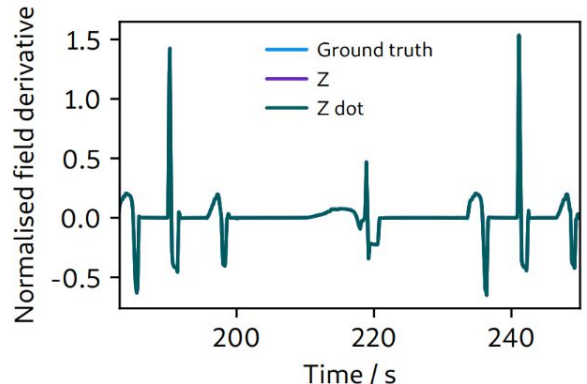
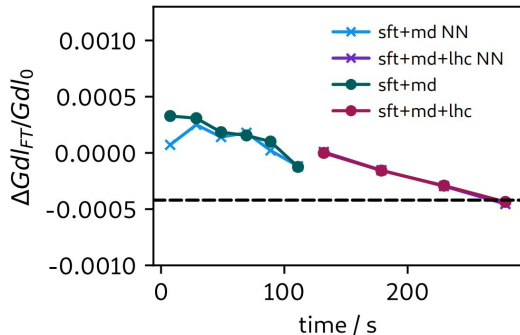


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PINN for SPS quadrupole hysteresis

- ➔ Encouraging results, but very hard to train
- ➔ Evaluating pure data-driven models
- ➔ Just proof of concept: we now have Anton (PhD in CSS/DSB) actively working on this



NNs for SPS main dipole hysteresis prediction



→ PhyLSTM architecture trialed

- ◆ Sub-gauss prediction accuracy very difficult to reach ($\sim 1e-5$ T) for flat bottom
- ◆ Hysteresis not perfectly captured even with additional data (1h varied operational cycles)
- ◆ Bouc-Wen model used for physics loss does technically not account for rate-dependent effects (eddy currents)

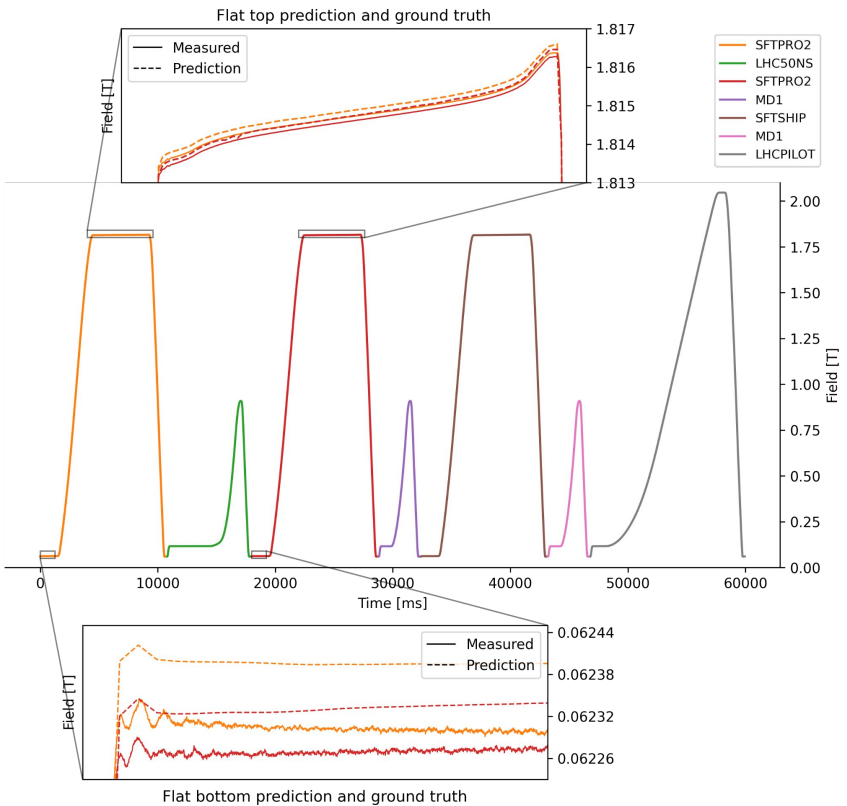
→ SOTA generic time series models like Temporal Fusion Transformer

- ◆ Work better, but are
 - Very expensive to train
 - Requires vast amounts of data
 - Not guaranteed to generalize

→ Future plans: PINNs

- ◆ Augment existing architectures like TSMixer with physics loss
- ◆ Choice of physics model highly important; Bouc-Wen model might not be sufficient

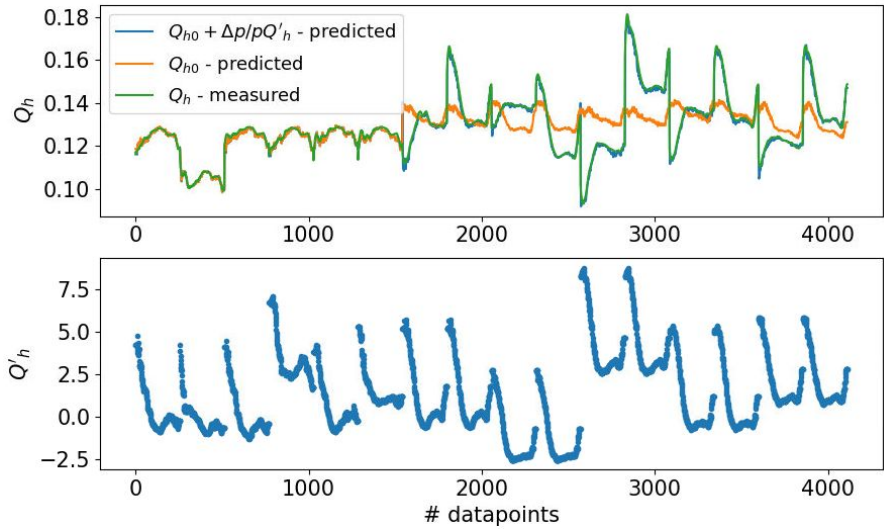
SPS main dipole field prediction vs measured, for fixed target cycles



Tune and chromaticity settings

- We can measure tune and record all machine settings
 - ◆ Also save momentum offset
- Forcing (via loss function) the relationship between tune and chroma for given momentum offset => get chroma along the cycle
- We could then invert this model to be able to control tune and chroma on demand => normalizing flows?

$$F \begin{pmatrix} k_{QF} \\ k_{QD} \\ k_{SF1} \\ k_{SD1} \\ k_{SF2} \\ k_{SD2} \\ k_{S3} \\ B \\ \dot{B} \end{pmatrix} = \begin{matrix} \text{Measured} \\ \begin{pmatrix} Q_{\beta h} \\ Q_{\beta v} \end{pmatrix} \\ \text{Estimated} \\ \begin{pmatrix} Q'_h \\ Q'_v \end{pmatrix} \end{matrix}$$

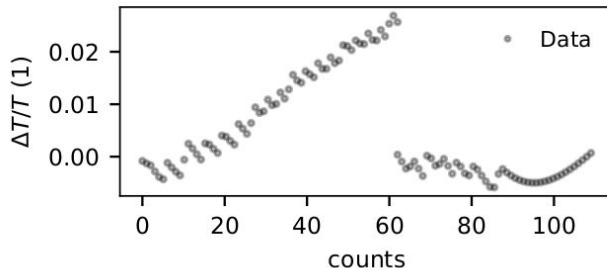
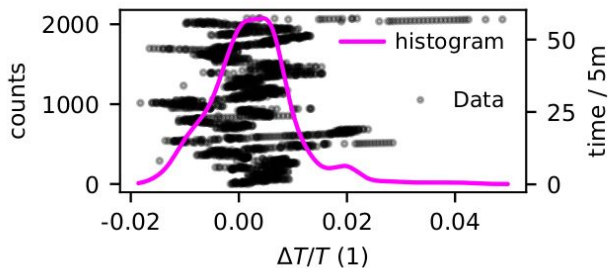
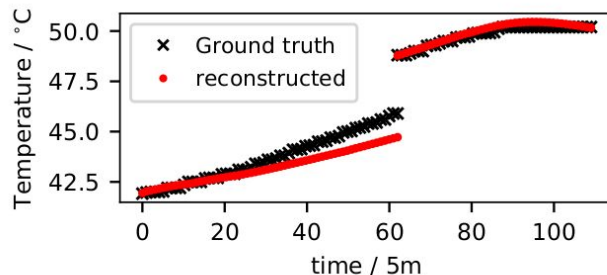
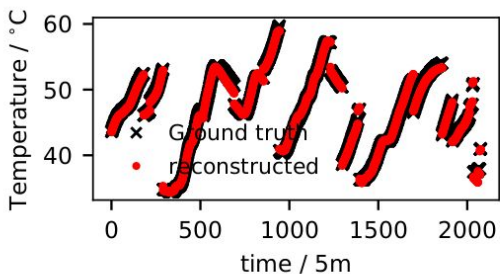


$$\mathcal{L} = \sqrt{\left[Q_{h,true} - \left(Q_{\beta h} + \frac{\Delta p}{p} Q'_h \right) \right]^2 + \left[Q_{v,true} - \left(Q_{\beta v} + \frac{\Delta p}{p} Q'_v \right) \right]^2}$$

LSTM for temperature prediction

- Two LSTM layers with 170 units with dropout layer with 50% probability, linear layer for the output prediction
 - ◆ The loss function is calculated comparing the whole output sequence.

$$\hat{Y} = NN(X); \quad X \in t(-40, 0]; \quad \hat{Y} \in t[1, 30].$$



Adding physics information

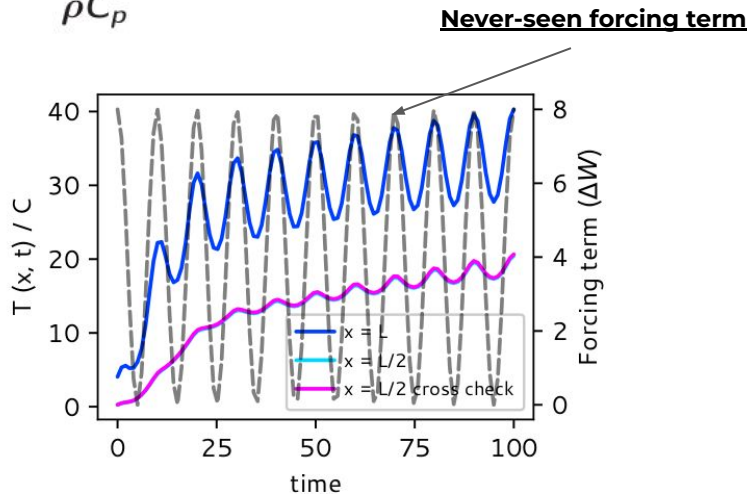
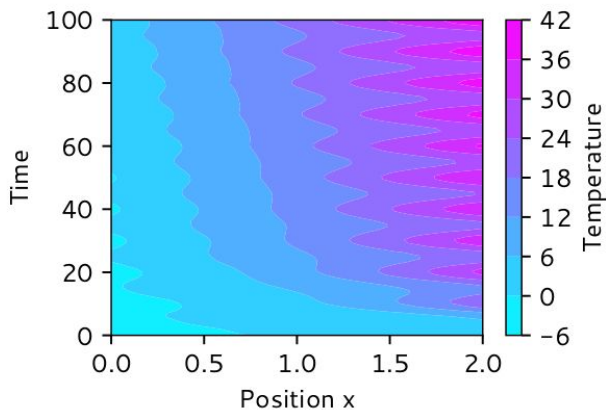
- Bridge from pure data-driven model and pure physics model to PINN
- Solve heat equation with forcing term from beam-based measurements:

- ◆ Power loss from beam induced heating

$$\Delta W = (f_0 e I_b N_b)^2 \sum_{k=-\infty}^{\infty} (|\Lambda(k\omega_0)|^2 \Re [Z_{||}(k\omega_0)]) \quad \frac{dT}{dt} = \frac{\Delta W}{F_{cool} C_{th}}$$

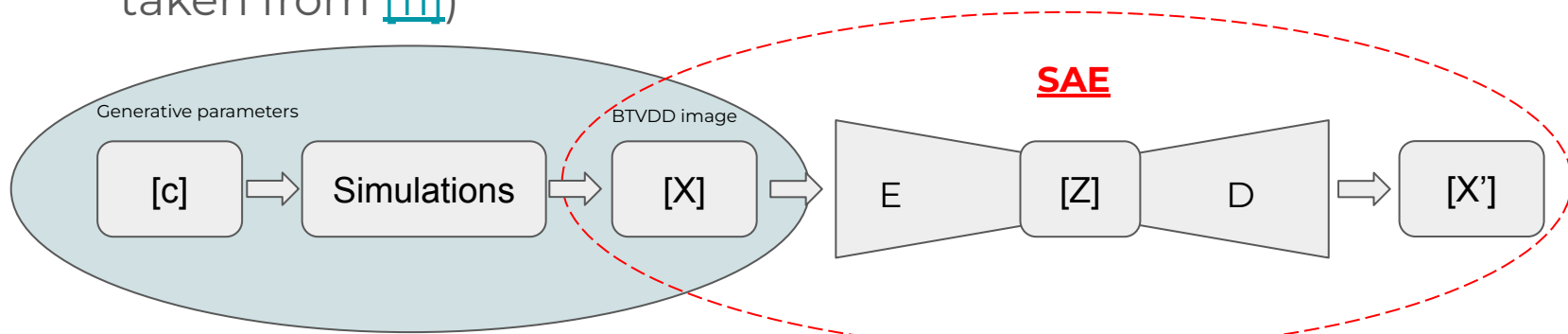
- ◆ Heat propagation inside the kicker and to temperature sensor:

$$\frac{\partial T}{\partial t} = \frac{k}{\rho C_p} \frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\Delta W(x, t)}{\rho C_p}$$



VAE for BTVD image reconstruction

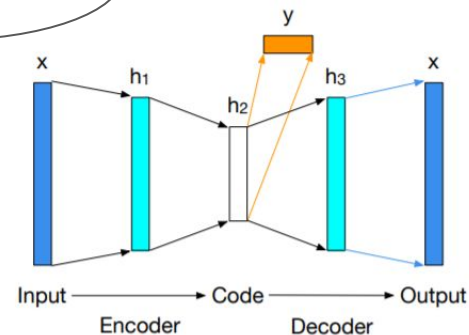
→ Special case of VAE => Supervised [Variational] Auto Encoder (idea taken from [11])



$$L_i(\theta, \phi) = -\mathbb{E}_{z \sim q_\theta(z|x_i)}[\log \phi(x_i|z)] + w_{KL} \text{KL}(q_\theta(z|x_i), p(z)) + w_g \text{MSE}(c, Z)$$

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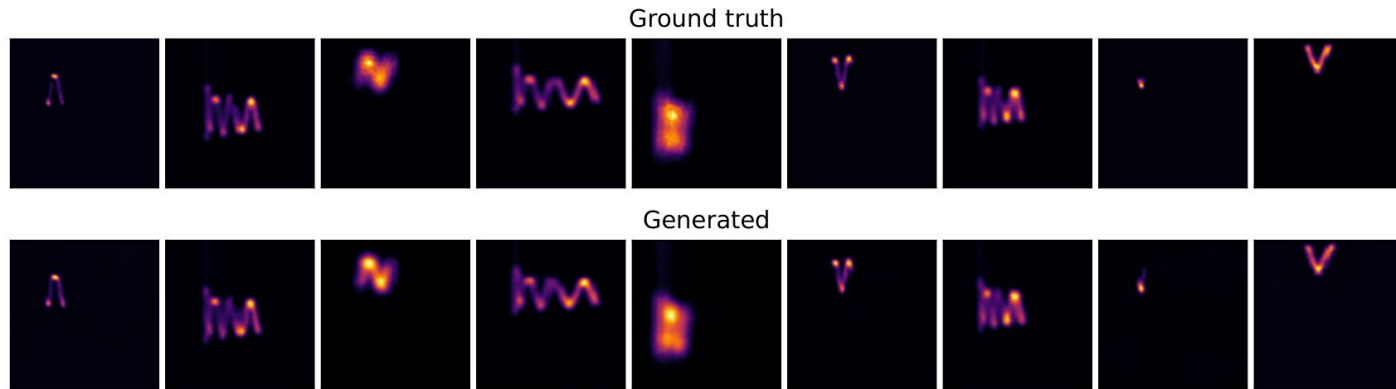
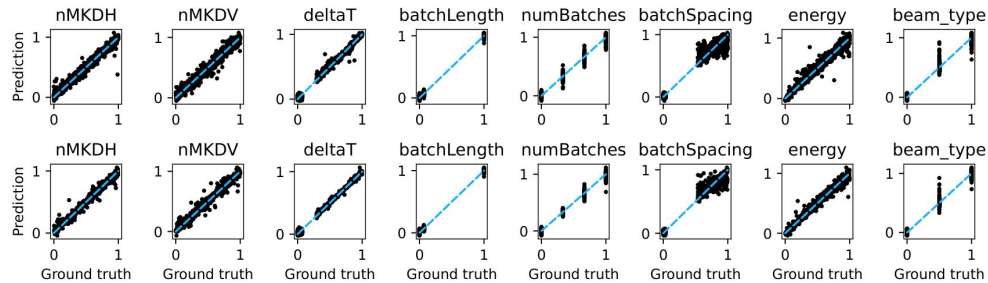
“Physics” loss



BTVDD image reconstruction in SPS

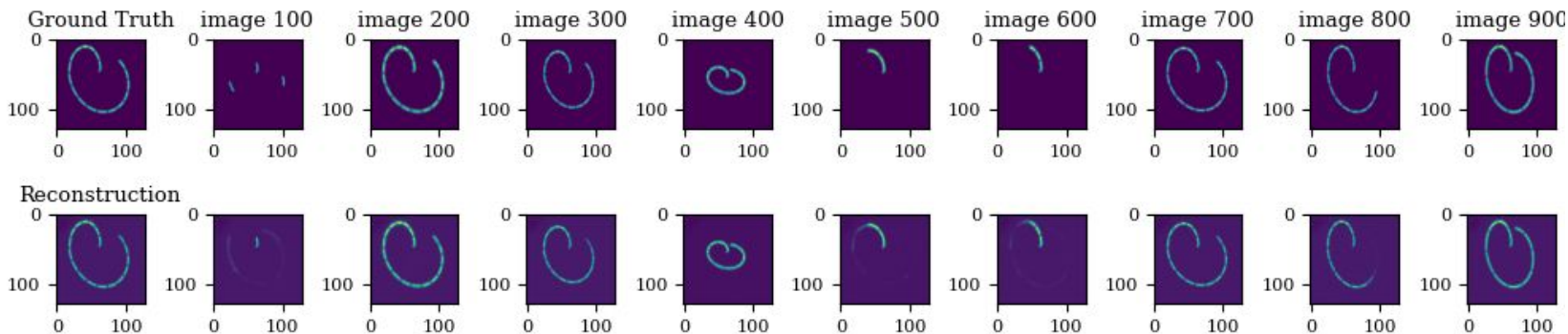
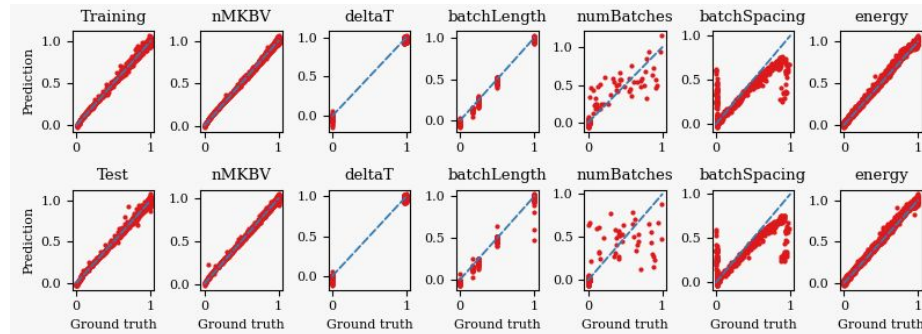
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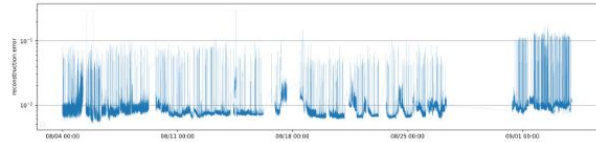
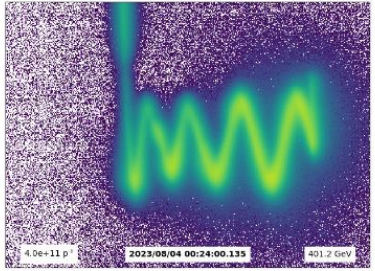


Models in operation

SBDS anomaly detection

Problem:

- Classify BTV images as good/anomaly
- Unlabeled dataset
- Most beam dumps are ok, i.e. dataset is biased towards good images.



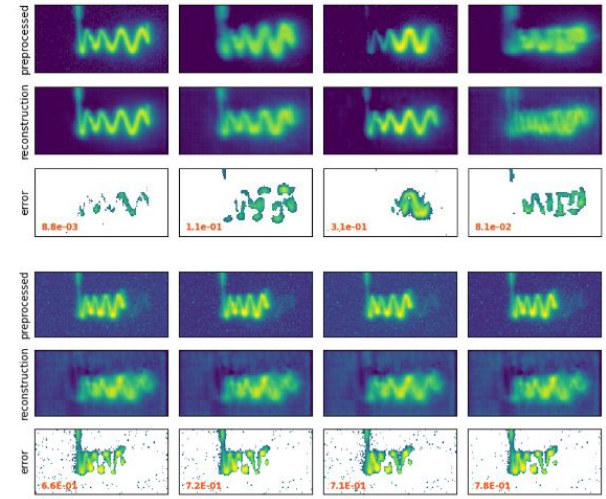
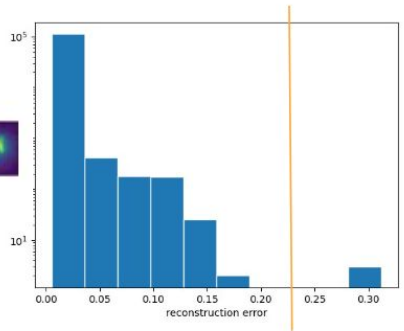
Solution: Autoencoder:



→ Reconstruction error:

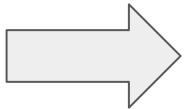
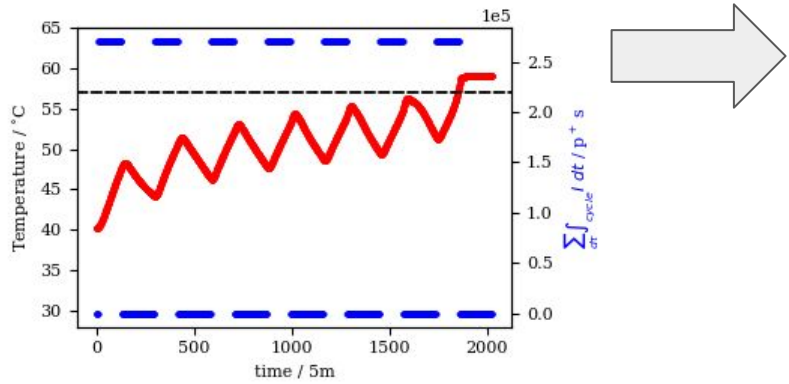
$$E = (1 - \epsilon)e_w(x_{\text{good}}) + \epsilon e_w(x_{\text{bad}})$$

- High reconstruction error likely means an anomalous dump



Summary and prediction

- Testing prediction on different scenarios
 - Summary:
 - ◆ Model results very promising
 - ◆ Model ready and used in CCC to make estimation of time left for HI beams
 - ◆ Model not capable to extrapolate
- Need to include physics in the model...



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General

Temperature [C]	40.00
Scrubbing time [h]	10.00
Cool-down time [h]	14.00
Availability [percent]	80
Pressure [1e-8 mbar]	1.00
Bunch length	5.00

Beam properties scrubbing

Number of batches	3
Bunches per batch	72
Bunch intensity [1e10 ppb]	12.00
Beam in time	17.00
Supercycle length	40.80

Beam properties cool-down

Number of batches	0
Bunches per batch	0
Bunch intensity	0.00
Beam in time	17.00
Supercycle length	40.80

Pynet control

Start acquisition History (seconds) 3600

Predict

MKP Temperatures MKD Pressures

Acquisition

Prediction

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Logging window

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Summary and outlook

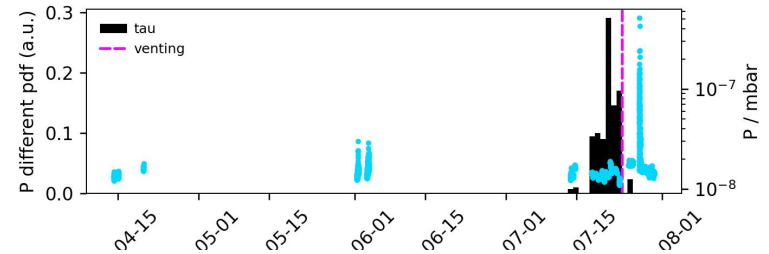
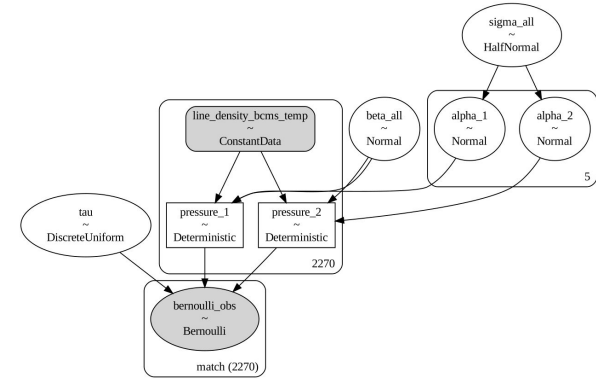
- We are working towards more automated and even more predictable machine operation
- Dealing with relatively small dataset and physics process partially known ⇒ Physics Informed machine learning
 - ◆ Rather simple to introduce physics awareness
 - ◆ Difficult to train
- First results look encouraging
 - ◆ In many cases still at PoC stage
- Model deployed only data driven so far
- Looking at other possible applications for PINN:
 - ◆ Optimisation of septa design via PINN-surrogate
 - ◆ Replacement for PDE solvers for mechanical design or design optimisation

Thanks!

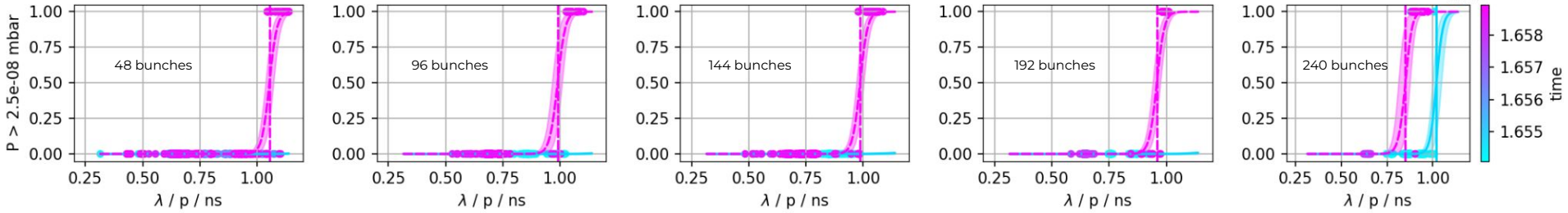
MKDH pressure prediction



- We can transform the problem to predict the probability of a vacuum spike given beam parameters
- Pure Bayesian probabilistic model: used pyMC to build a model that respects physics behind vacuum response
- Such a model can also show us if the element is showing conditioning with time

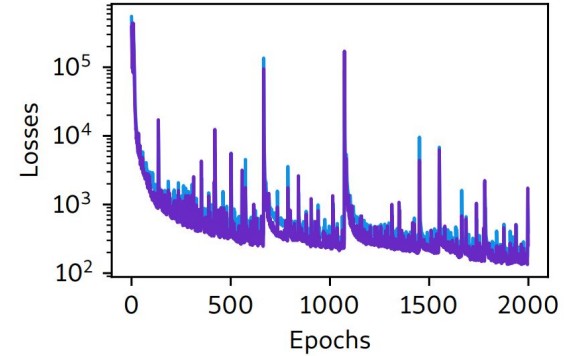


Number of batches →



PhyLSTM for SPS quadrupole hysteresis

- After many attempts, we managed to train successfully one PhyLSTM for hysteresis prediction
- ◆ Not fully optimised yet
 - ◆ Not enough data to make a proper general model for SPS quadrupoles
 - ◆ Hyperparameters not tuned yet

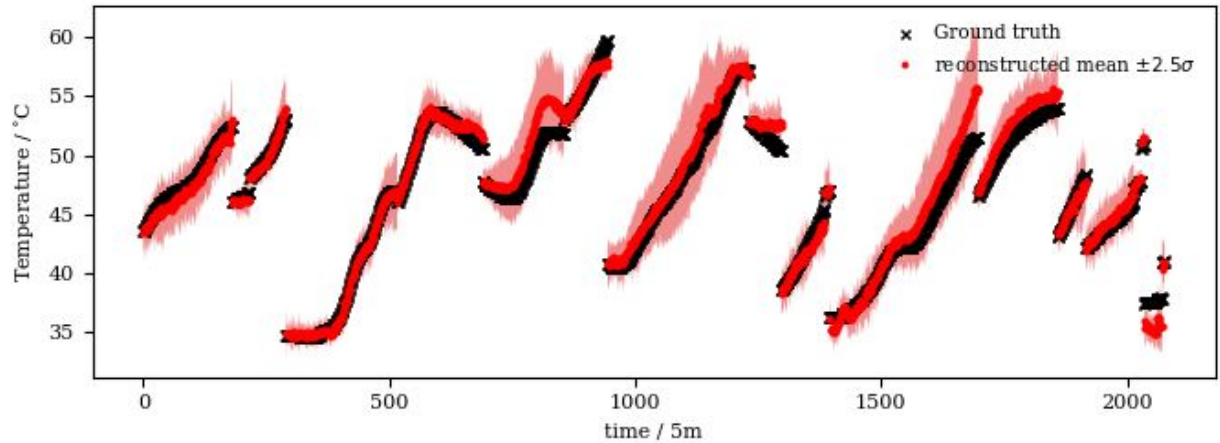
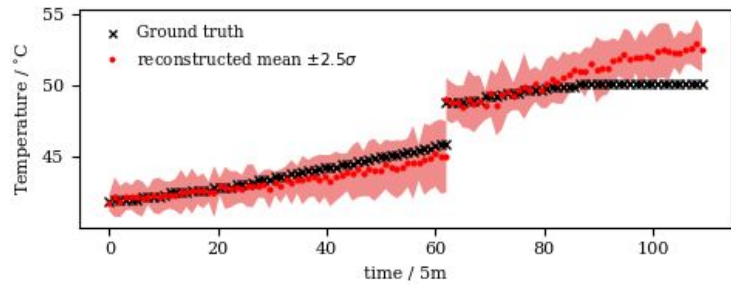


PhyLSTM³

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(relu): LeakyReLU(negative-slope=0.01)
(lstm0): LSTM(1, 350, num-layers=3, batch-first=True, dropout=0.2)
(fc0): Linear(in-features=350, out-features=175, bias=True)
(fc01): Linear(in-features=175, out-features=3, bias=True)
(gradient): GradientTorch()
(lstm): LSTM(3, 350, num-layers=3, batch-first=True, dropout=0.2)
(fc1): Linear(in-features=350, out-features=175, bias=True)
(fc11): Linear(in-features=175, out-features=1, bias=True)
(lstm3): LSTM(2, 350, num-layers=3, batch-first=True, dropout=0.2)
(fc2): Linear(in-features=350, out-features=175, bias=True)
(fc21): Linear(in-features=175, out-features=1, bias=True)
(g-plus-x): Sequential(
  (0): Linear(in-features=2, out-features=350, bias=True)
  (1): ReLU()
  (2): Linear(in-features=350, out-features=1, bias=True))
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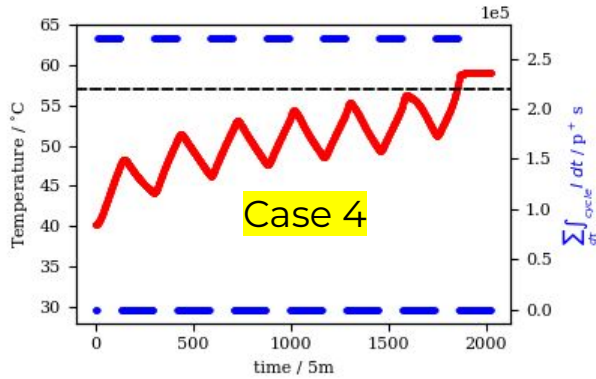

LSTM model for MKP: results

- Trained model reproduced training and validation data set almost perfectly
 - ◆ Trained on max sequence of 30 steps and capable to extend to ~100 with reasonable errors
 - ◆ Error in the order of a couple of degrees on test dataset
- Bayesian version looking also promising



Prediction for 2021 scrubbing

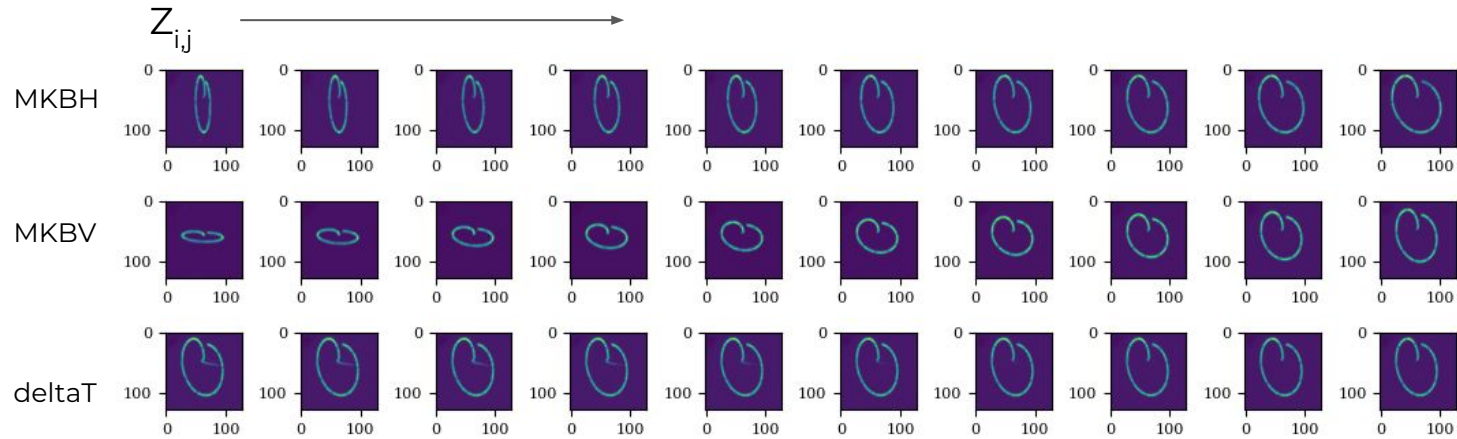
- Testing the prediction on 10/14h scrubbing, with 288x1.5e11 p at 100% availability...we should reach the **60°C in the first 2 runs of 10h!!**
- Here we really see this as the model is not capable to extrapolate...
- Both models saturates at 60°C (since no data beyond this in our training set) and cannot predict correctly cooldown after 57°C as data on that either...



Inputs	c1	c2	c3	c4
$I_{b, ns}(e11)$	1.5	1.5	1.5	1.5
$N_b(\#)$	288	288	216	144
Av	1.0	1.0	1.0	1.0
$b_{\downarrow}(s: BQM)$	5e-9	5e-9	5e-9	5e-9
$I_{off}(e11/cycle)$	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
$T_0(^{\circ}C)$	40	40	40	40
$T_{bin}(min)$	5	5	5	5
$T_{cycle}(s)$	17	17	17	17
$T_{SC}(s)$	40.8	40.8	40.8	40.8
$T_{on} \rightarrow [h]$	[10] * 8	[6] * 8	[8] * 7	[10] * 7
$T_{off} \rightarrow [h]$	[14] * 8	[18] * 8	[16] * 7	[14] * 7

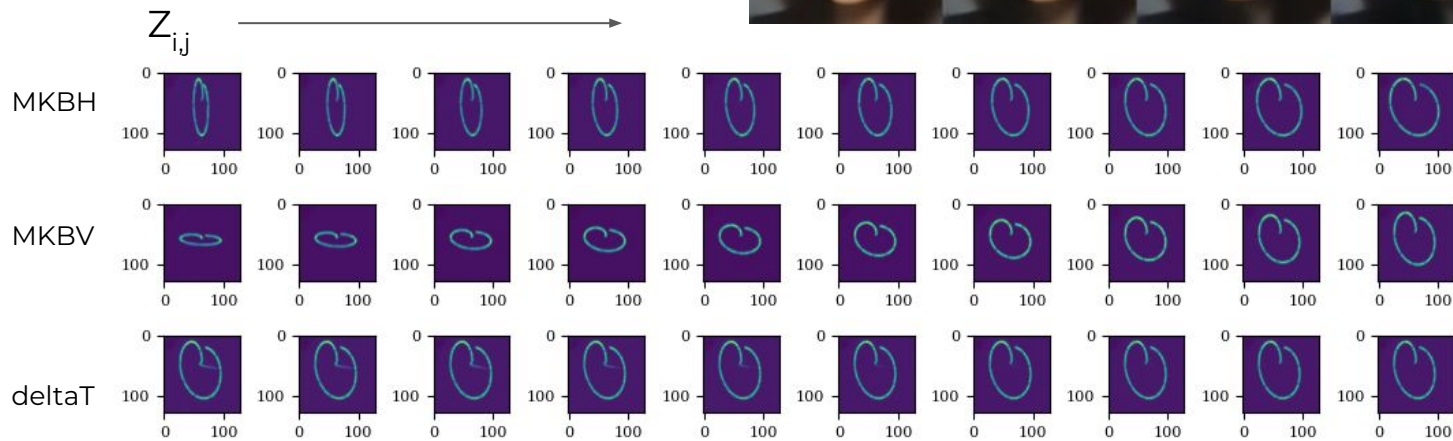
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Deploy on real data

- Of course the final goal is to predict real images...
- Using both generative parameters and image reconstruction score, anomalous case found!

