
Improving Neural Networks Predictions using Physics - PINN for the CERN Accelerators

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→ Introduction

- ◆ Some of the problems we are facing
 - Hysteresis in quadrupoles for slow extraction
 - Tune and chromaticity settings
 - Beam induced heating and dynamic vacuum in kickers

→ Deep learning models and first results

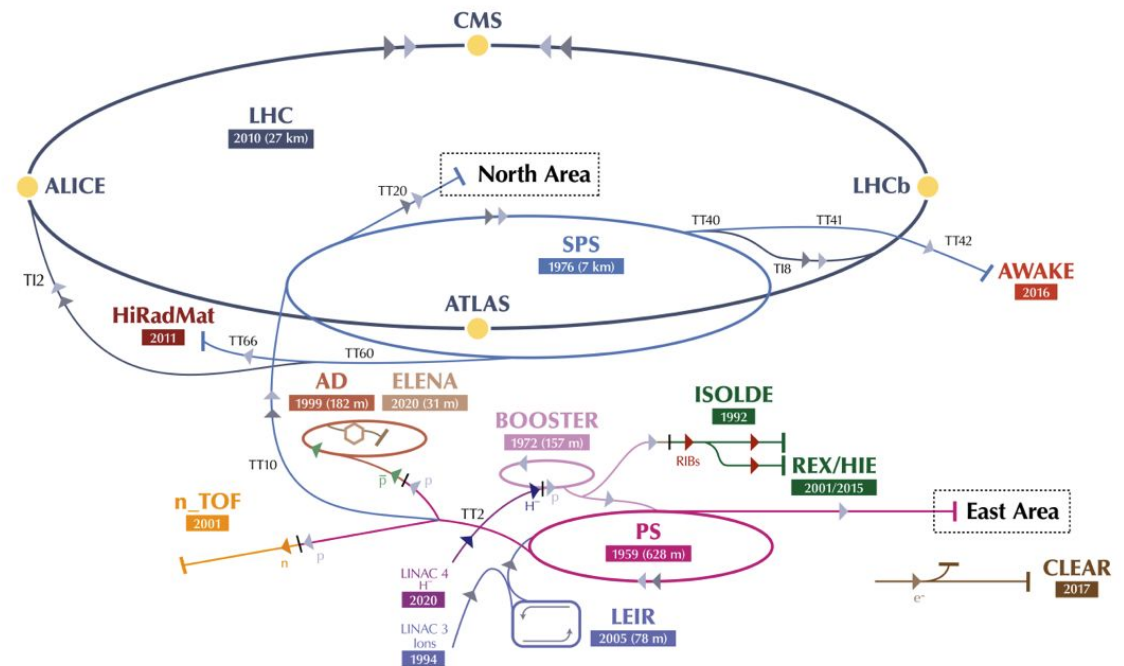
→ First use in operation

→ Summary and outlook

Introduction

The CERN accelerator chain

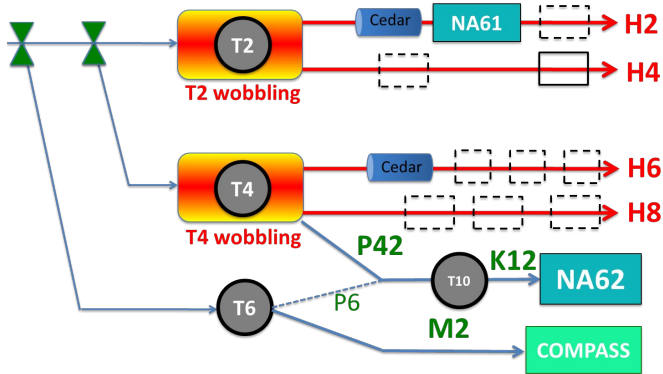
The CERN accelerator complex
Complexe des accélérateurs du CERN



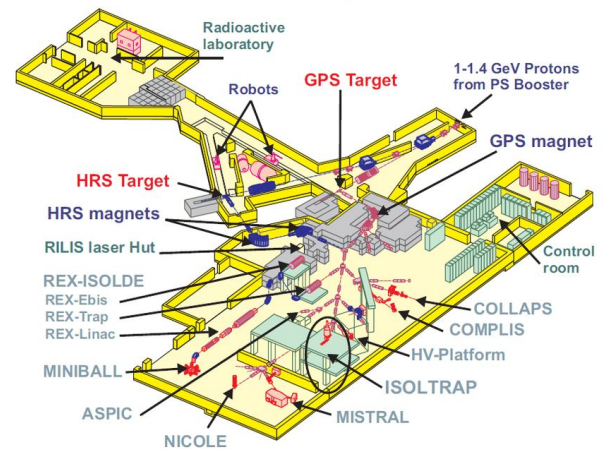
▶ H^- (hydrogen anions)
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 ▶ RIBs (Radioactive Ion Beams)
 ▶ n (neutrons)
 ▶ \bar{p} (antiprotons)
 ▶ e^- (electrons)

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
- In all cases, **stable conditions of the beam delivery and quality is key to data collection**



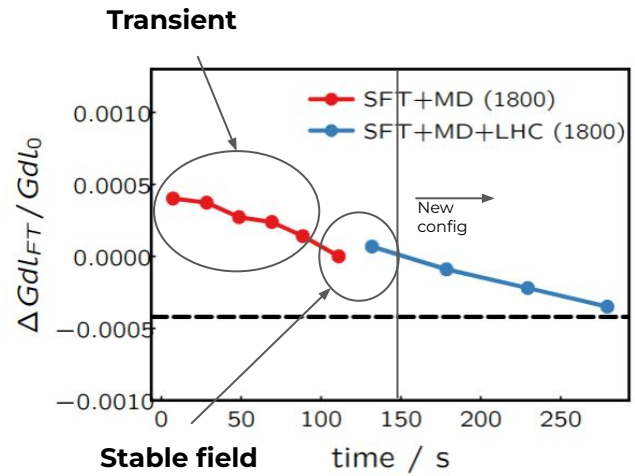
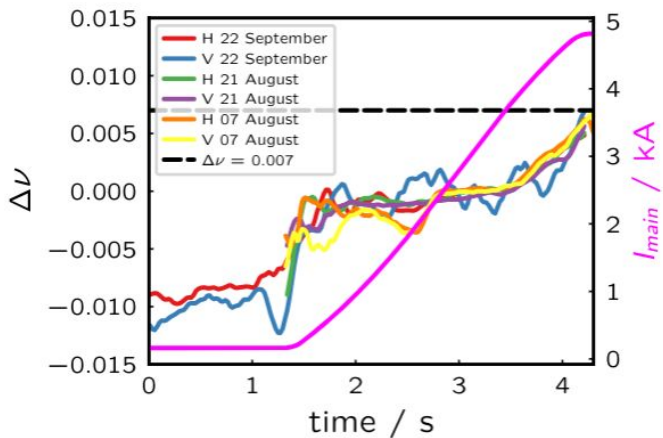
ISOLDE / CERN experimental hall



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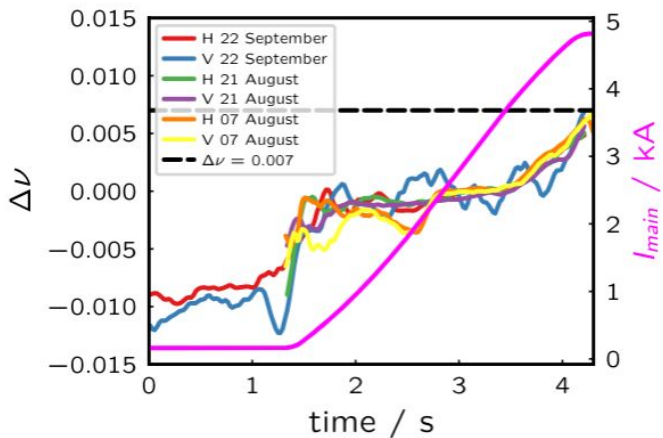
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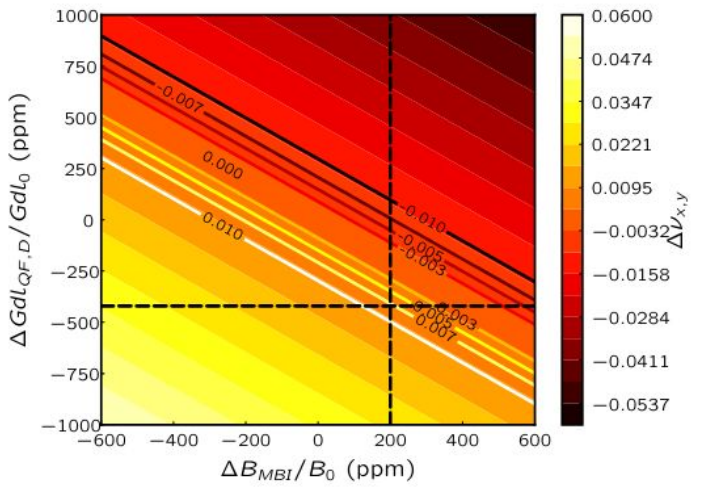
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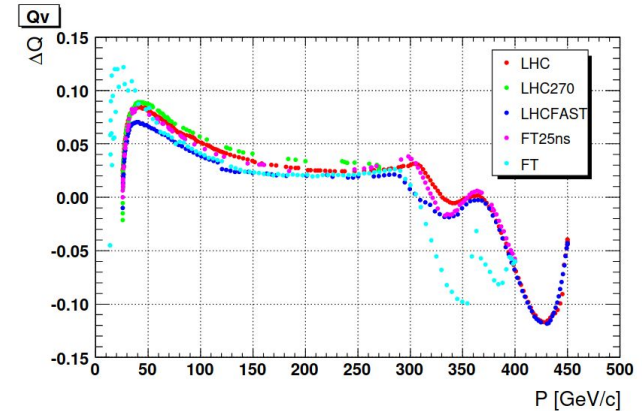
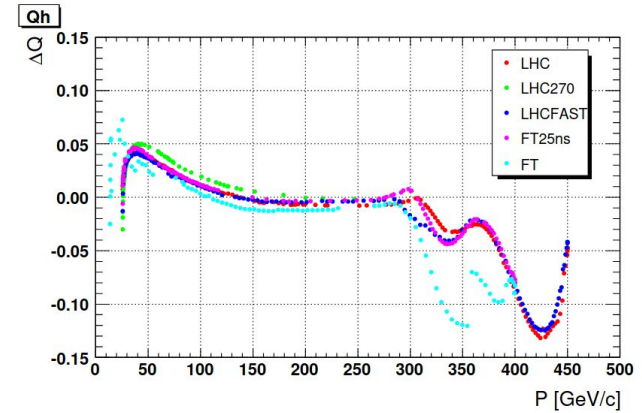


MADX simulations from quad and dipole measurements



Chromaticity and tune settings

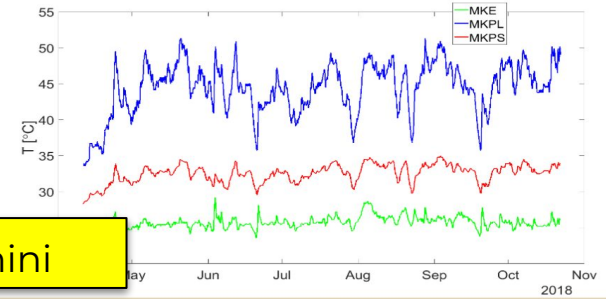
- Multi-cycled machines need to adapt to different beam requirements hence different parameters
- This translate into the need to be able to quickly change from one set of settings to others
 - ◆ Like tune, chromaticity
- On paper, this could be very simple but in reality we have eddy-currents, non-linearity 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

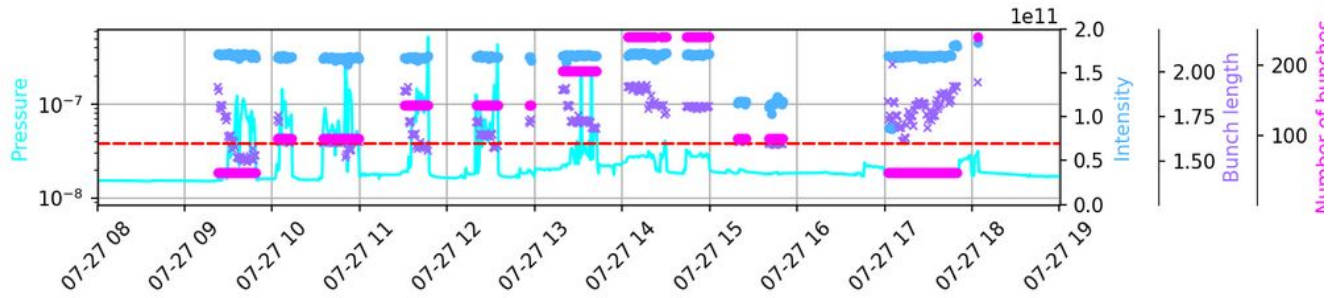
- Acceleration of high intensity beams in the SPS is limited by 2 kickers:
 - ◆ One of the injector kickers (MKP-L): static and dynamic vacuum, together with its temperature, are the most severe limitation for high intensity beams in the SPS
 - ◆ The horizontal beam dump kicker (MKDH) is following closely => spurious vacuum spikes make the vacuum interlock trip when attempting to accelerate high intensity/short bunches to flat top
- The MKP-L will be changed at the end of the year, but we had to find a way to work around its limitation during last 2 years operation
- The MKDH will stay in the machine, hence understanding and predicting its behaviour is crucial

2018 thermal behavior of MKPL, MKPS and MKE



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Reached high temperatures even without dedicated scrubbing, just from nominal operation and high intensity studies on Thursdays



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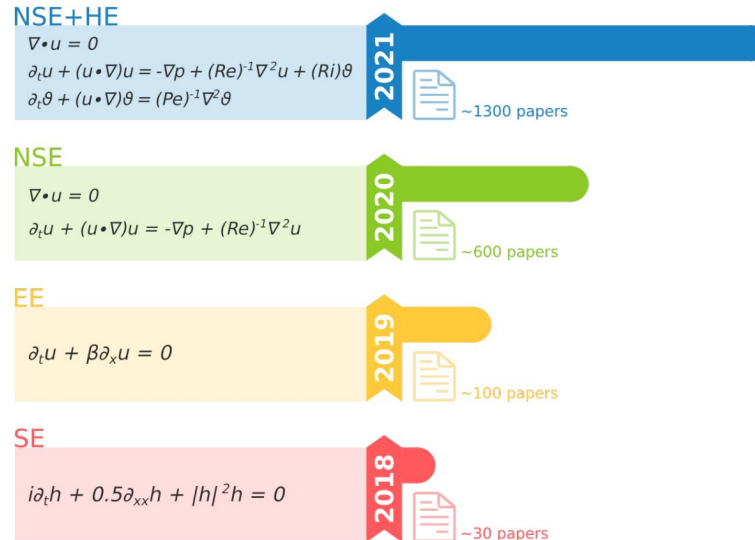
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- The available dataset we have are not enormous
 - ◆ Complicated NN easy to overfit
 - ◆ Physics models available (in many cases) but too slow or not very accurate
- Working towards exploiting physics knowledge to regularise, improve NN performance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

Deep learning models

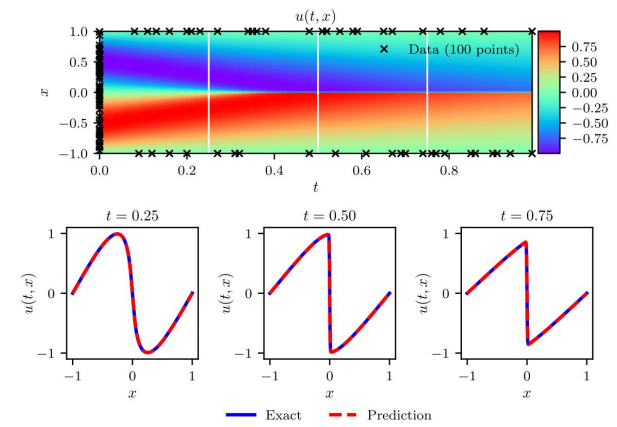
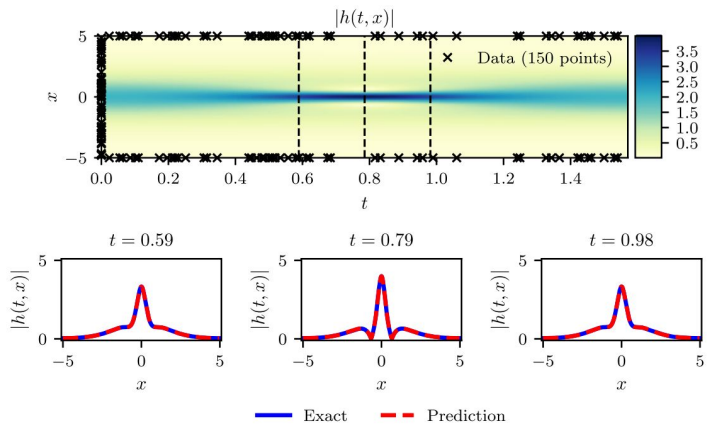
Physics Informed Neural Networks

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



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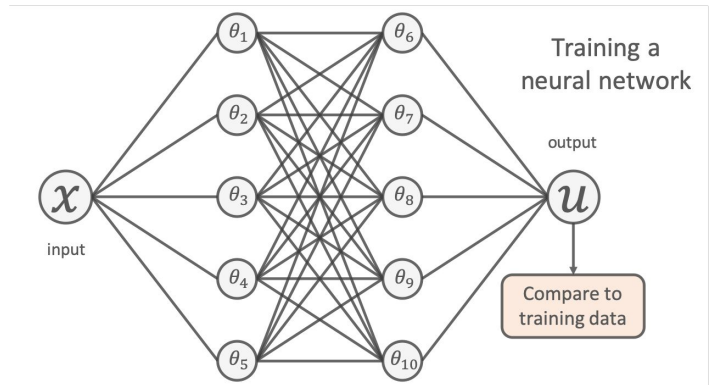
- First proposed to solve nonlinear PDE [\[3\]](#) (all plots from [\[3\]](#))
- Basically using boundary and initial conditions values, NN can interpolate the whole system dynamics “knowing” the PDE that describe the system
 - ◆ At the same time though, one can just use a physics loss term...it doesn't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



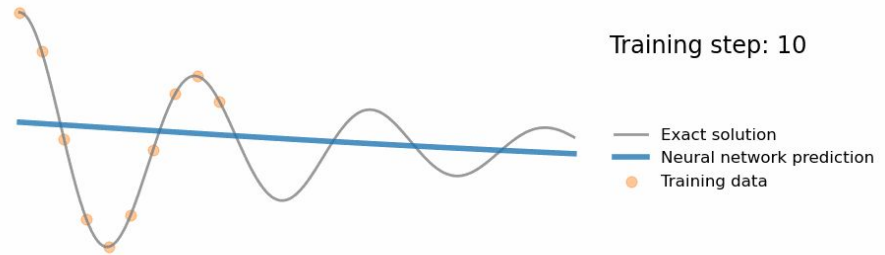
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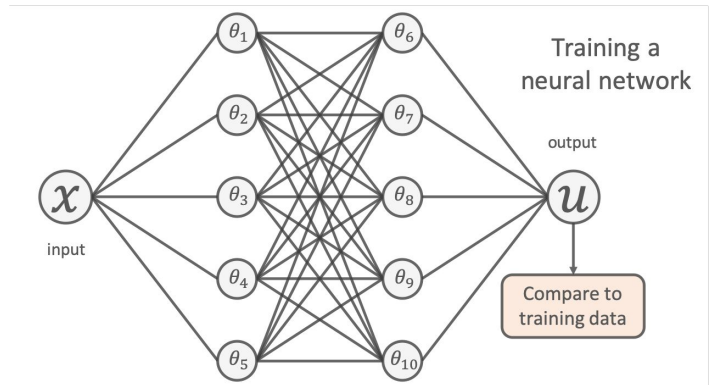
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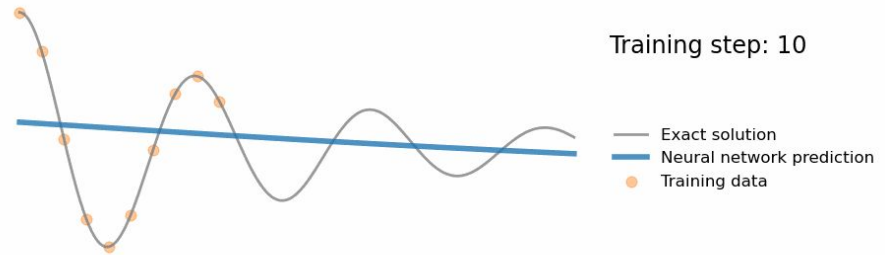
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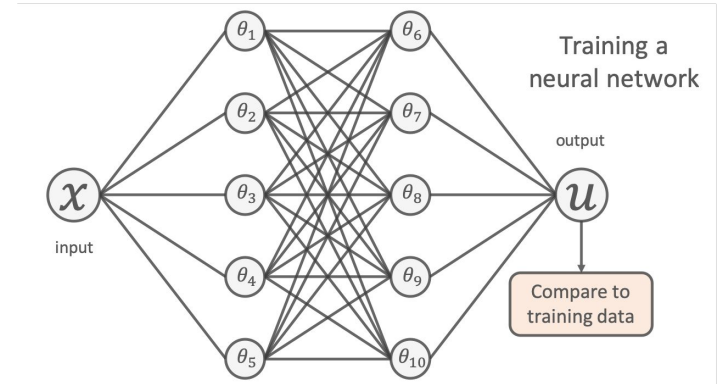
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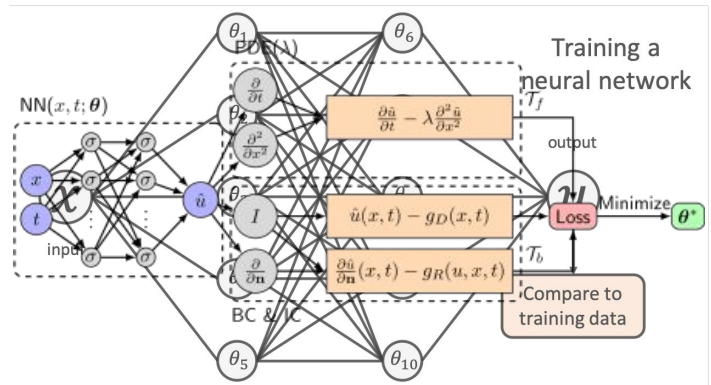
$$\mathcal{L}_1 = 1/N \sum_i^N (u(x_i) - \hat{u}(x_i, \theta))^2$$

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

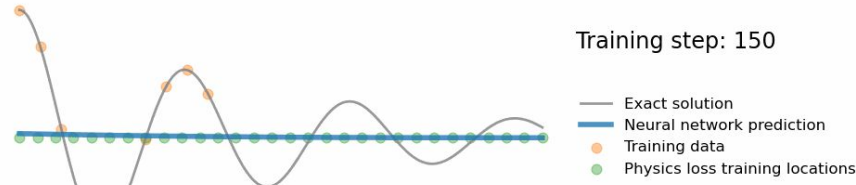
$$\mathcal{L}_3 = \hat{u}(x, t = 0) - f(x)$$

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

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



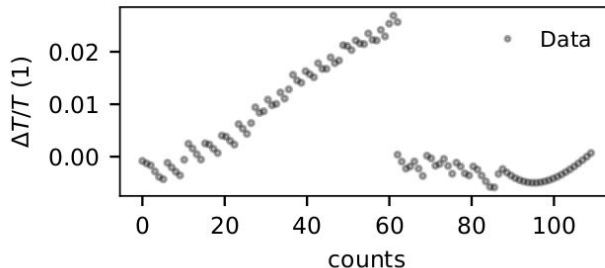
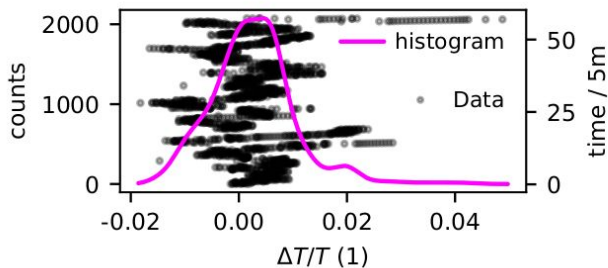
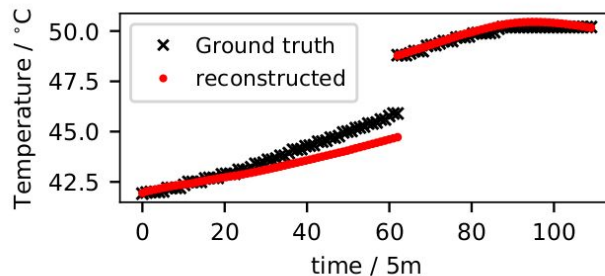
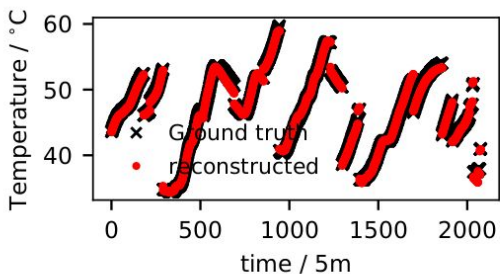
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LSTM for temperature prediction

- 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:

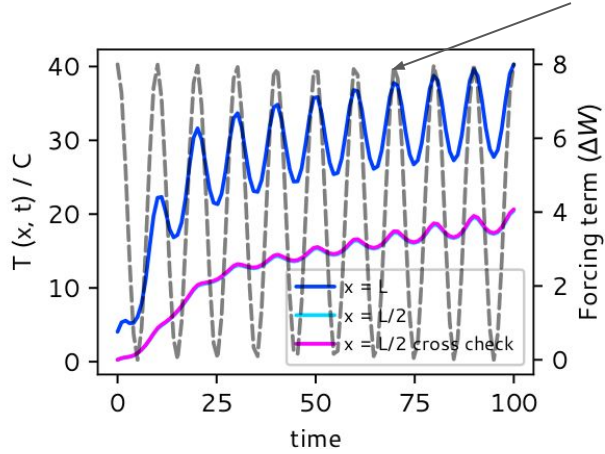
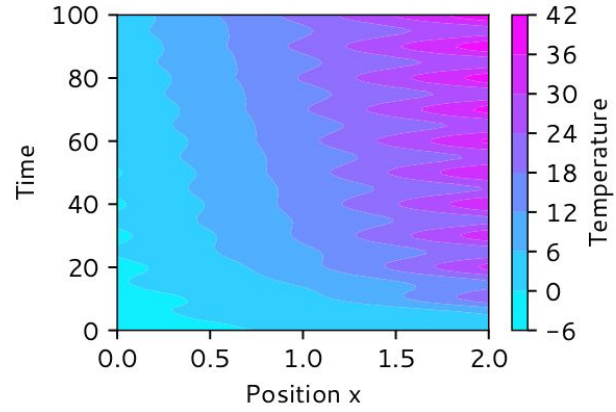
- ◆ Power loss from beam induced heating

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

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

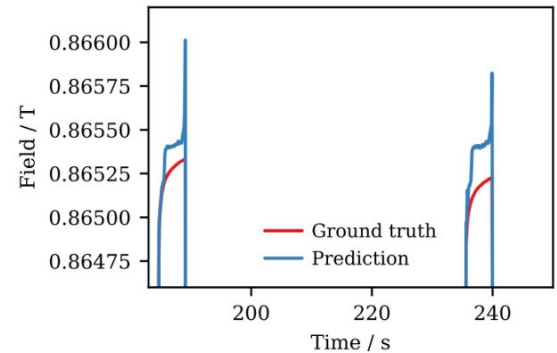
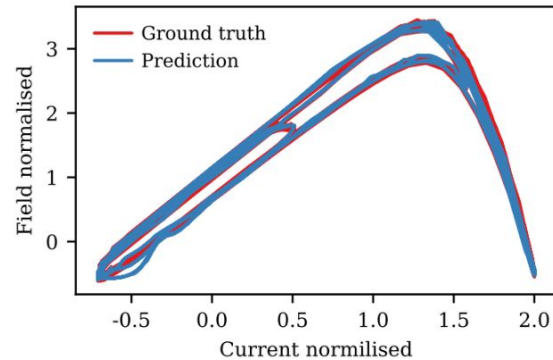
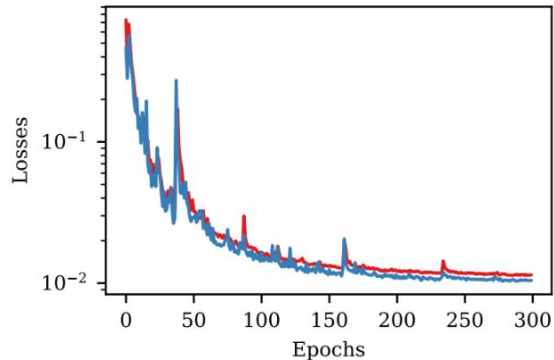
$$\frac{\partial T}{\partial t} = \frac{k}{\rho C_p} \frac{\partial^2 T}{\partial x^2} + \frac{\Delta W(x, t)}{\rho C_p}$$

Never-seen forcing term



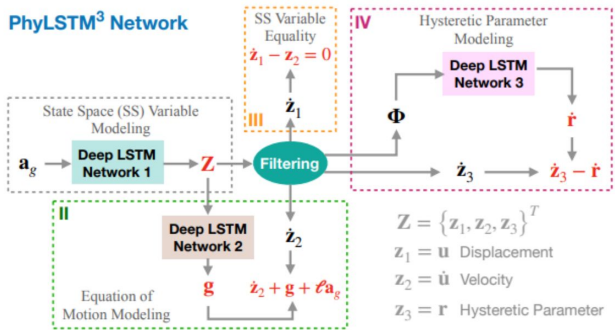
Quadrupoles hysteresis prediction

- 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 [2], 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 [2]:



PINN for SPS quadrupole hysteresis

→ A generic hysteretic model can be written as [5]:

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

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

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

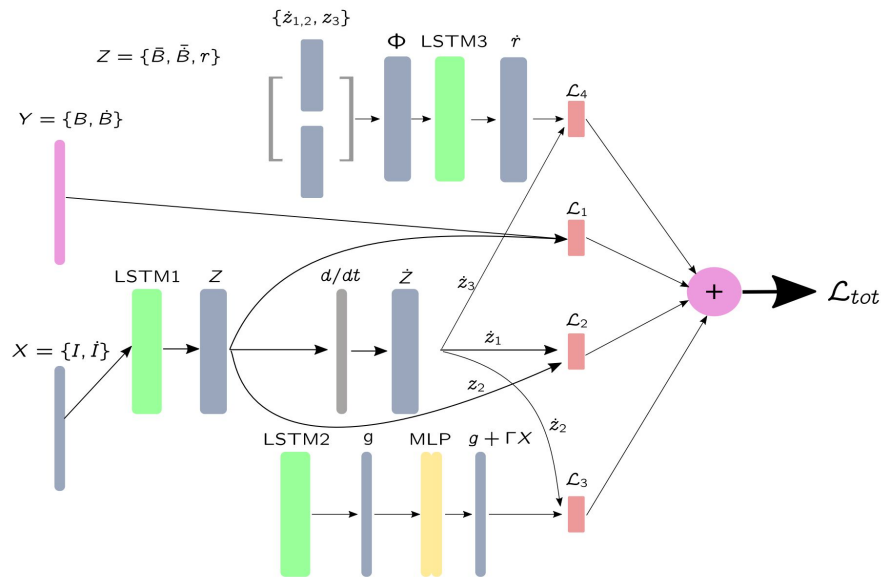
$$\mathcal{L}_2 = \text{MSE}(\dot{z}_1(\theta_1) - z_2(\theta_1))$$

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

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

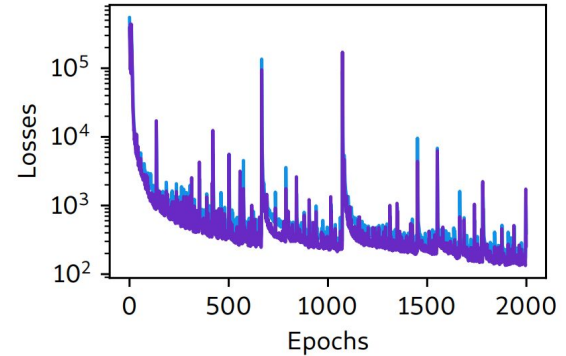


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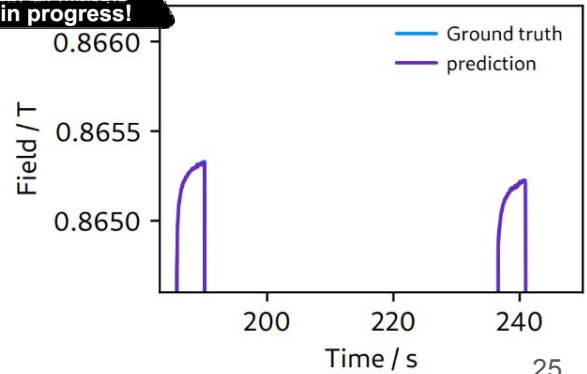
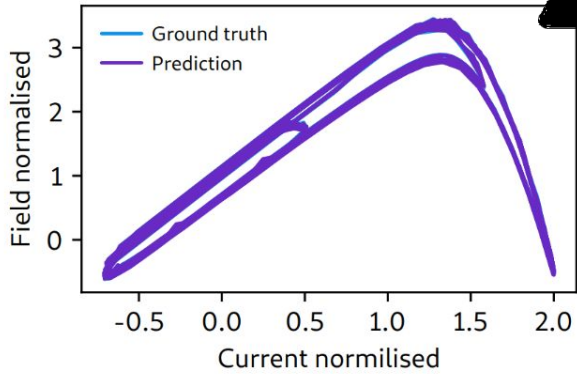
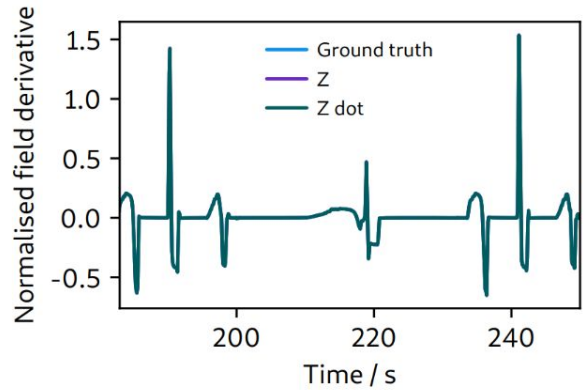
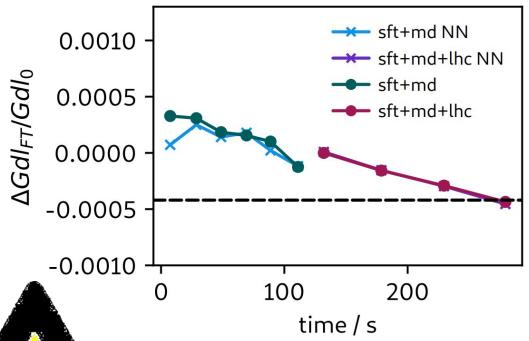


PhyLSTM³

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(fc0): Linear(in-features=350, out-features=175, bias=True)
(fc01): Linear(in-features=175, out-features=3, bias=True)
(gradient): GradientTorch()
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(fc11): Linear(in-features=175, out-features=1, bias=True)
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(fc2): Linear(in-features=350, out-features=175, bias=True)
(fc21): Linear(in-features=175, out-features=1, bias=True)
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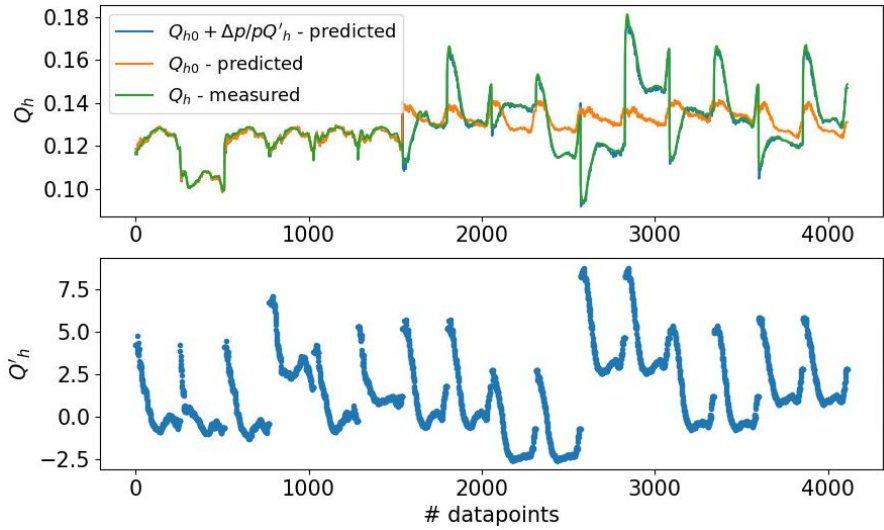
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- Just proof of concept - PhD student coming!



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?

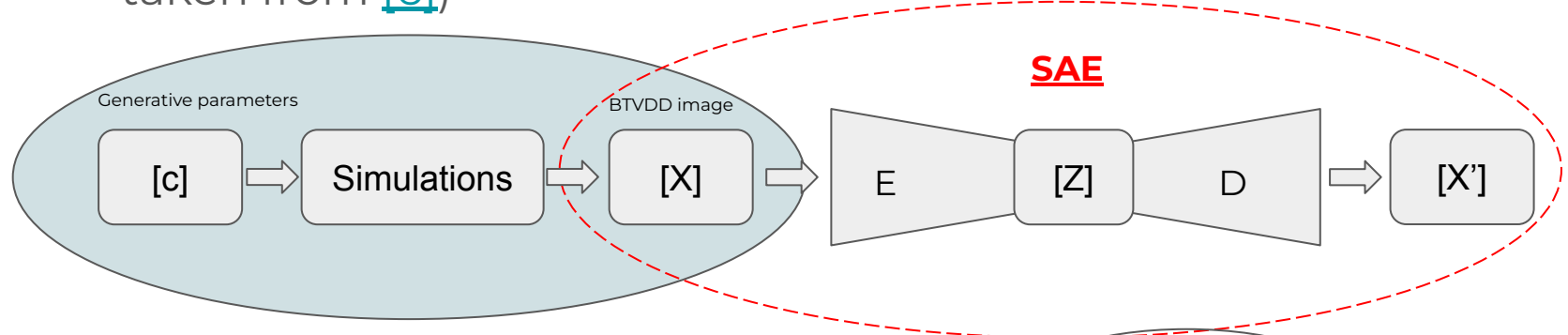
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$$\mathcal{L} = \sqrt{\left[Q_{h,true} - \left(Q_{\beta h} + \frac{\Delta p}{p} Q'_h \right) \right]^2 + \left[Q_{v,true} - \left(Q_{\beta v} + \frac{\Delta p}{p} Q'_v \right) \right]^2}$$

VAE for BTVD image reconstruction

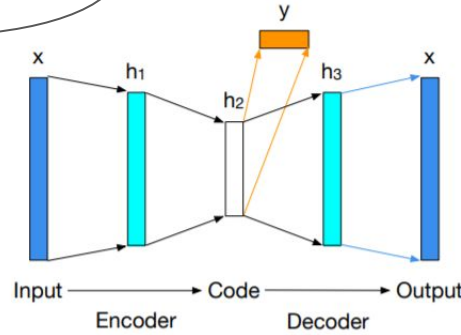
→ Special case of VAE => Supervised [Variational] Auto Encoder (idea taken from [6])



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

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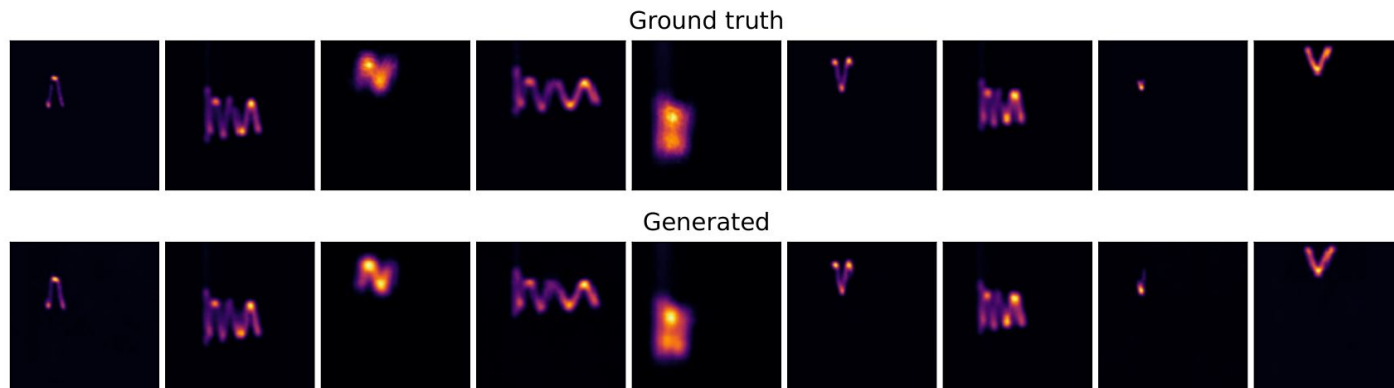
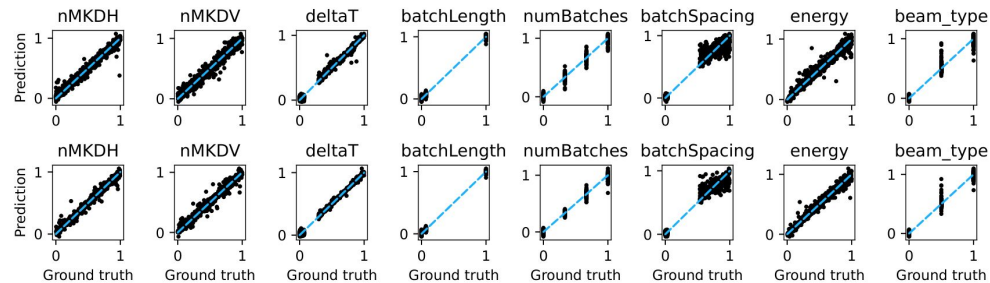
“Physics” loss



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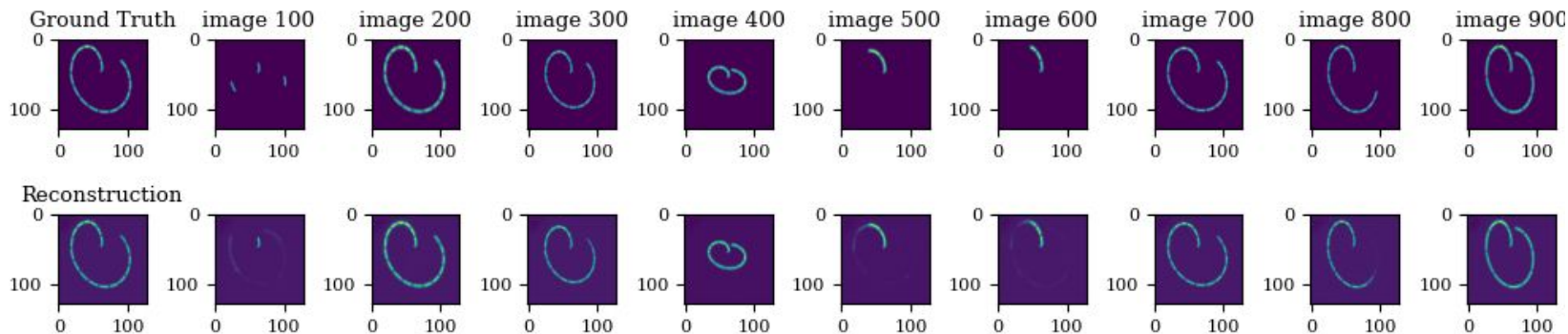
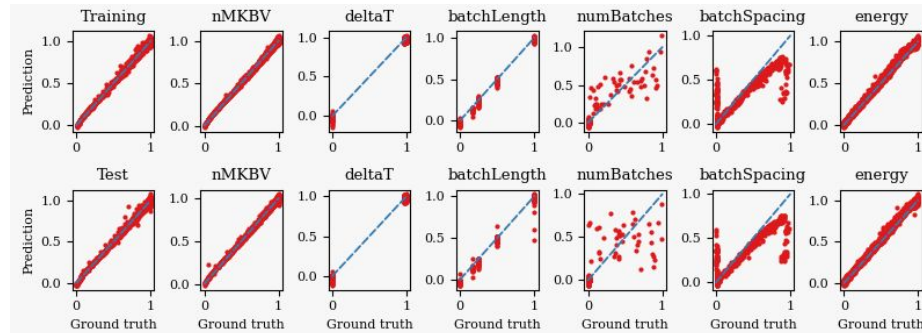
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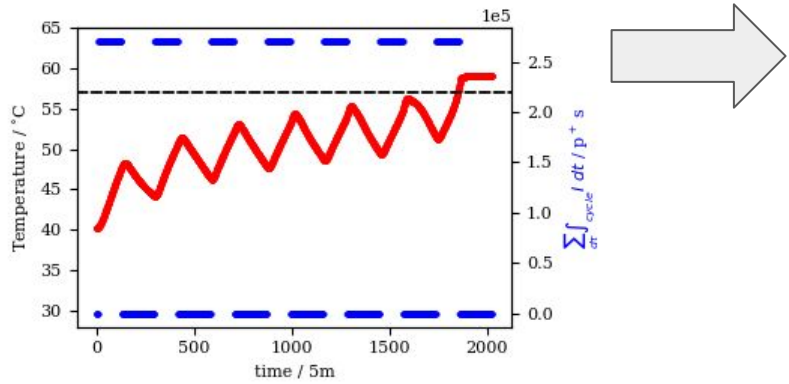
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First use in operation

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

Acquisition

Prediction

Temperature / °C

Time

Reconstructed Intensity

Temperature / °C

Time [minutes]

$\sum_{dt} \int_{cycle} I dt / p^+ s$

Logging window

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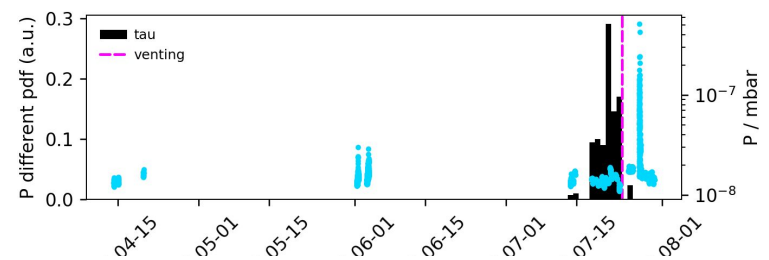
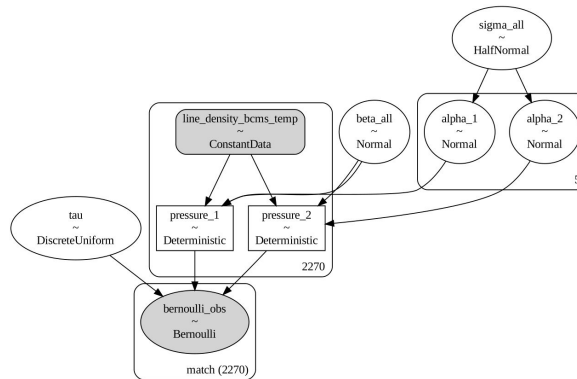
- We are working towards more automated and even more predictable machine operation
- We are leveraging NN - from very simple DNN to more exotic versions
- In order to cope with relative small dataset and to be able to “extrapolate”, PINN are showing to be a great asset
 - ◆ Rather simple to introduce physics awareness
 - ◆ Difficult to train though
- First results look pretty encouraging
 - ◆ In many cases still at PoC stage
- PINN still not fully finished for beam induced heating prediction
 - ◆ Hysteresis predictions is a very large topic - new PhD student starting soon
- Looking at other possible applications for PINN:
 - ◆ Residual radiation prediction in tunnels
 - ◆ Optimisation of septa design via PINN-surrogate...

Thanks!

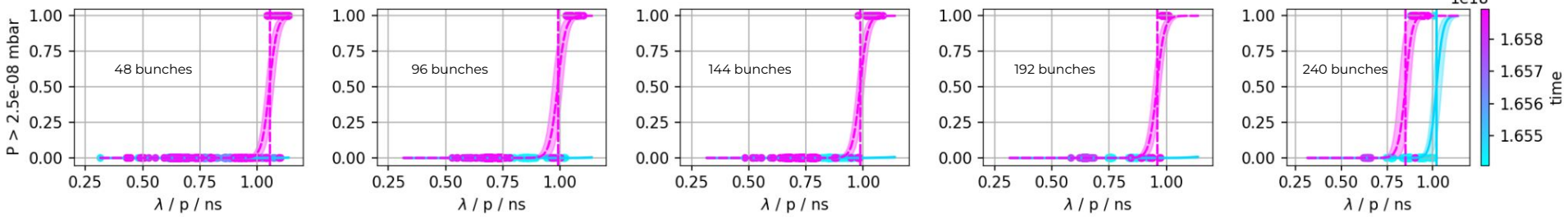
MKDH pressure prediction



- 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

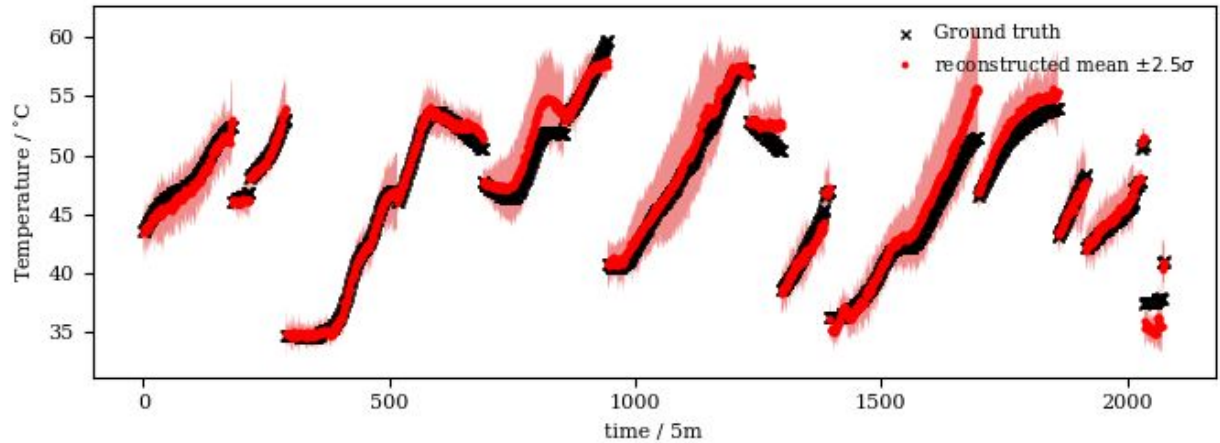
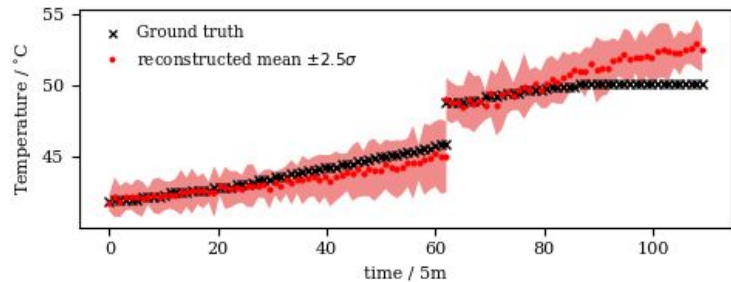


Number of batches →



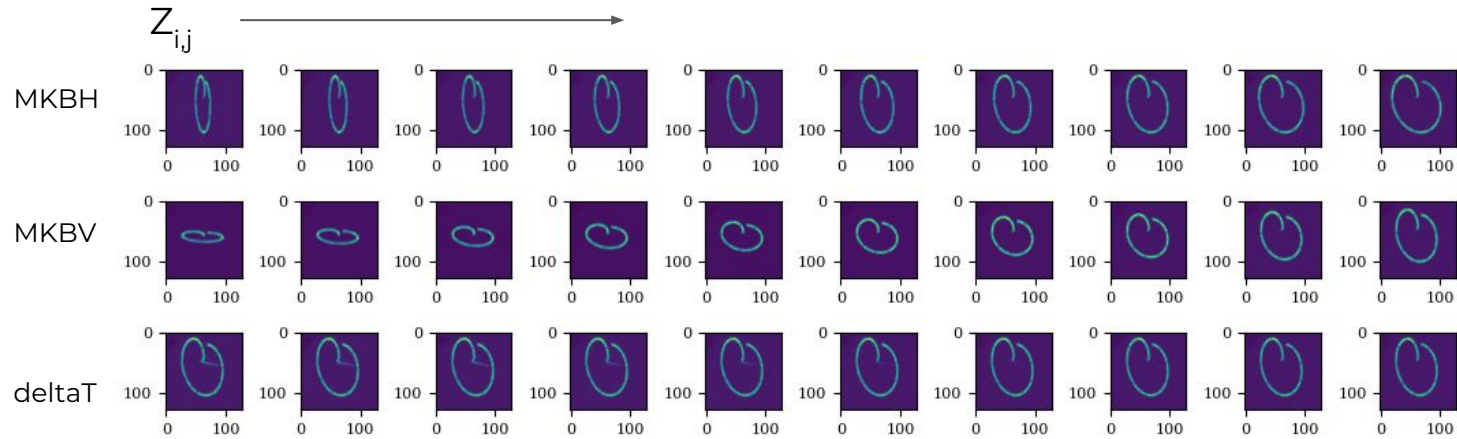
LSTM model for MKP: results

- 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



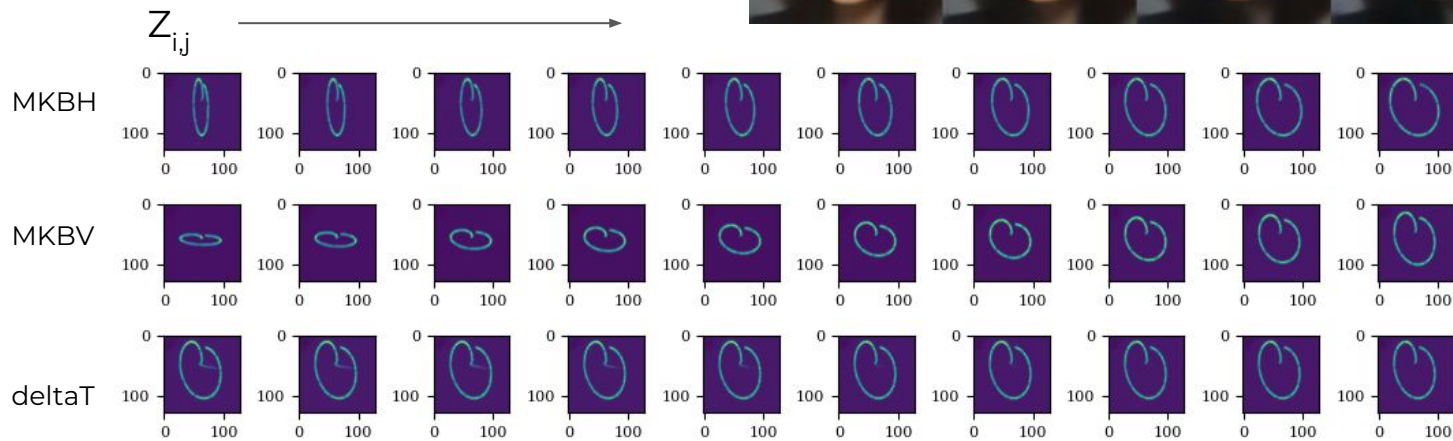
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Deploy on real data

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

