

Recovery phenomena with symmetric autoencoders

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Data

Black box predictor

How deep nets help CSE

- Model reduction
- Solve PDE with NN
- Regress the PDE
- Physics-informed NN
- Subgrid closure models, etc.

Simulations

Black box model replicator

Data

Black box predictor

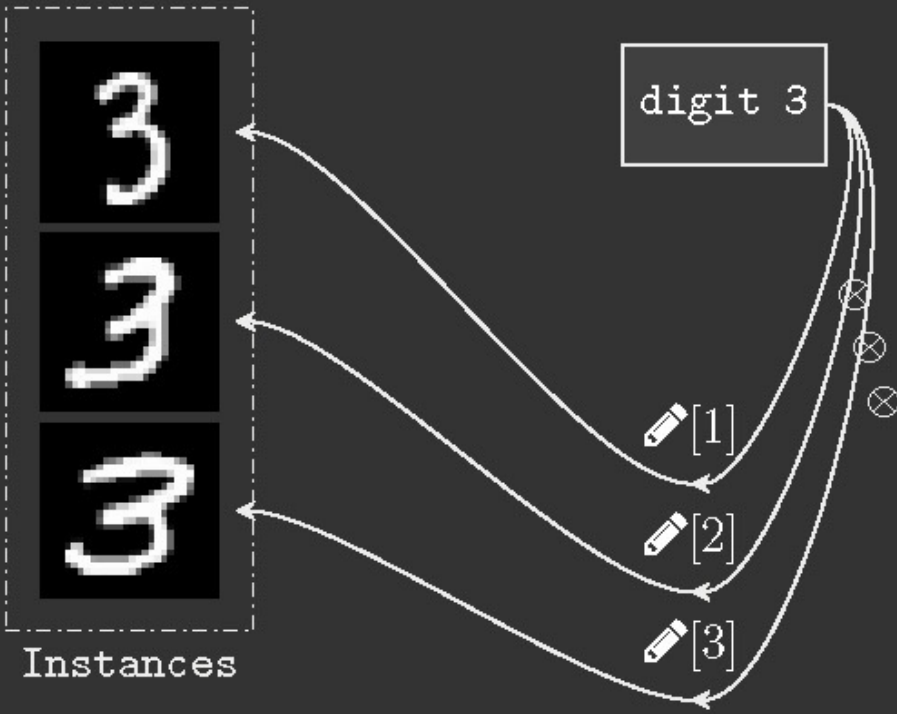
What can a deep net really know?

- Disentangle explanatory components
- Generate unseen data (redatum)

Simulations

Black box model replicator

>>> WHAT: Estimate *Similarity* or *Coherency* Among Instances



→ Coherent (G)

3; digit information is similar in all images

→ Unknown Operation \otimes

→ Dissimilar (Nuisance; W)

; writing style and orientation are dissimilar among instances

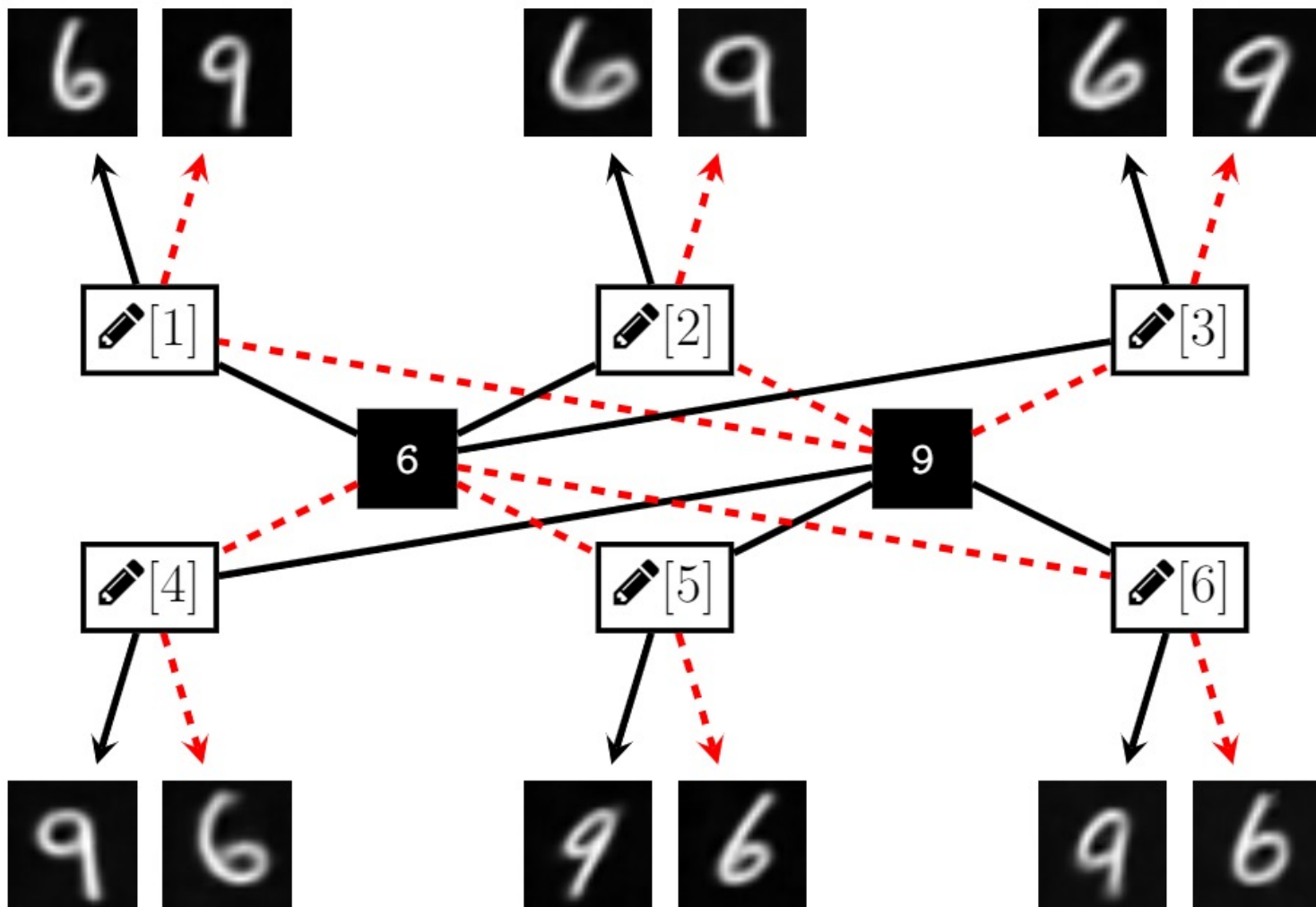
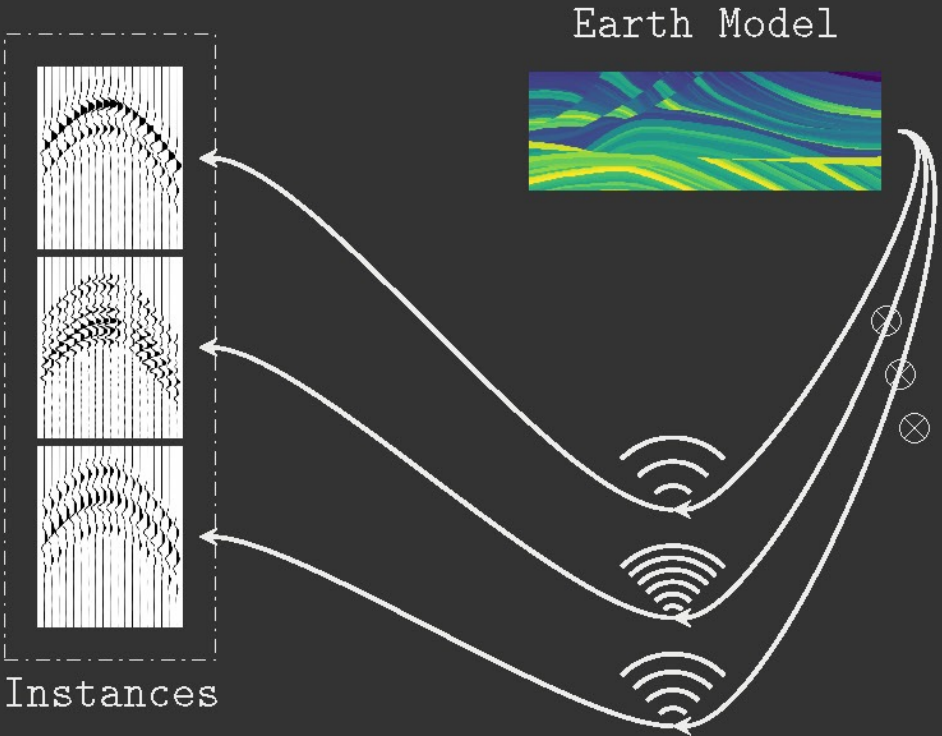


Fig. 1: In the MNIST experiment, the SIMO system responds to the input digit information (here, 6 and 9) by producing multiple dissimilar hand-written images as channel outputs. Here, six channel outputs are plotted. The first three channels didn't respond to 9, however SymAE produces their virtual outputs (dashed lines) that have identical writing style as in the true outputs. Similarly, virtual channel outputs of the last three channels are also plotted.

>>> WHAT: Estimate *Similarity* or *Coherency* Among Instances

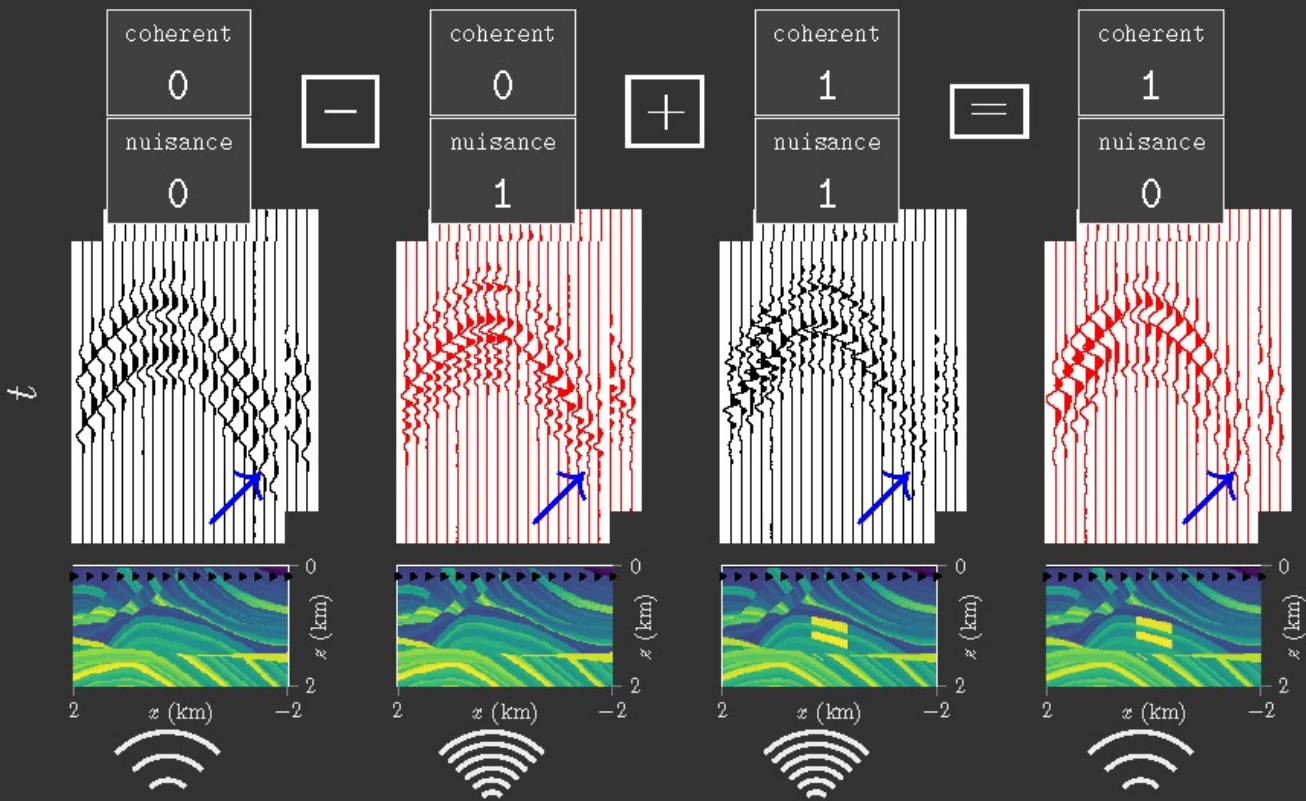


→ Coherent (G)
medium effects are similar in all passive shot gathers

→ Unknown Operation \otimes

→ Dissimilar (Nuisance; W)
source mechanism, signature and position are dissimilar among instances

>>> WHY: Redatum To Produce Virtual Gathers!



Solution: SymAE produces **virtual** baseline sources during monitoring



Why does this work?

There is an underlying model of the form

$$X_{ij} = \mathcal{F}(a_i, b_j)$$

Symmetry under permutations
“Latent rank-1”

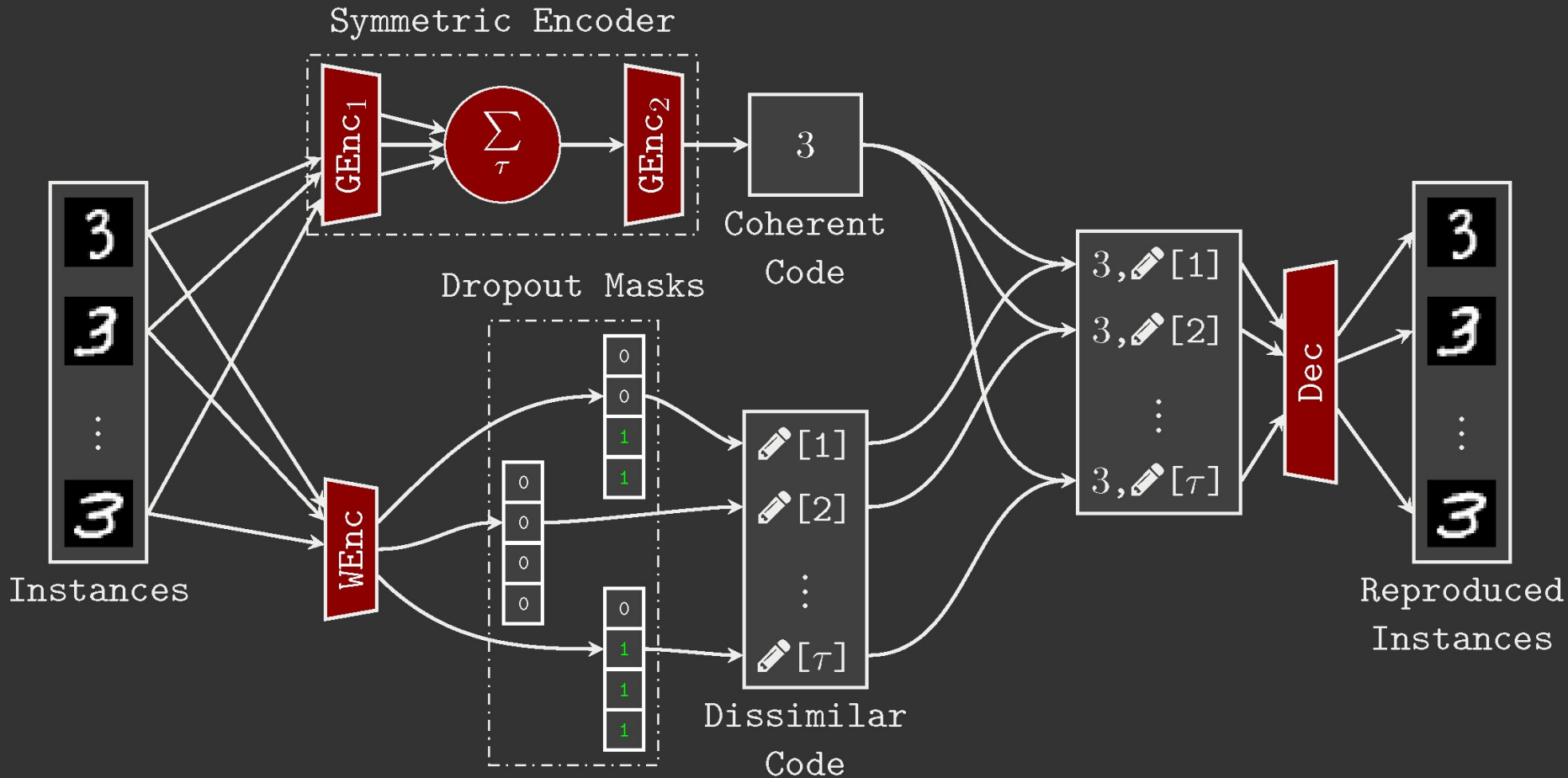
The network’s explanation is

$$X_{ij} = \mathcal{G}(z_i^{(a)}, z_j^{(b)})$$

-> Matrix recovery question

How does this work?

>>> HOW: SymAE's Network Architecture



Regularization with \mathcal{G}

Inverse problem

$$y = \mathcal{A}(X)$$

Require $x \in \text{Ran}(\mathcal{G})$ for some deep generator \mathcal{G} . Then

$$\hat{X} = \hat{\mathcal{G}}(\hat{z})$$

where

$$(\hat{z}, \hat{\mathcal{G}}) = \operatorname{argmin}_{z, \mathcal{G}} \|y - \mathcal{A}(\mathcal{G}(z))\|_2$$

Measure of complexity:

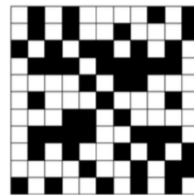
1. $z = (z^{(a)}, z^{(b)}) \in \mathbb{R}^{O(n_1+n_2)}$; and
2. \mathcal{G} dense ReLU width w and depth d .

Regularization and recovery in $\text{Ran}(\mathcal{G})$

Matrix to complete/recover:

$$X_0 := \begin{bmatrix} I(1, 1) & \dots & I(1, n_2) \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ I(n_1, 1) & \dots & I(n_1, n_2) \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^{n_1 d_x \times n_2 d_y}$$

- * Measurements: $I(i, j)$ for $(i, j) \in \Omega$, so $y = \mathcal{A}(X_0)$, where \mathcal{A} is binary mask onto m blocks of size $d_x \times d_y$ indexed by Ω



- * Idealized measurements: $y = \mathcal{A}(X_0)$, where \mathcal{A} is Gaussian iid with m rows.

Regularization with \mathcal{G}

Recovery: Among all $X \in \text{Ran}(\mathcal{G})$ for some \mathcal{G} , with zero training error ($\mathcal{A}(X) = \mathcal{A}(X_0)$), do we have $X = X_0$?

Complexity of \mathcal{G} : let $\Sigma =$ product of all squared spectral norms of weights of decoder

Theorem [D., Geshkovski '23]

If

$$m \gtrsim (n_1 + n_2)\Sigma^2 \quad \text{and logarithmic terms}$$

and $\mathcal{A}(X_0) = \mathcal{A}(X)$, then we have perfect recovery w.h.p.: $X = X_0$.

See also Bora et al, 2017 (fixed \mathcal{G})

Proof ingredients

- * Niceness of neural nets: $X \in \mathcal{G}$ and $X_0 \in \mathcal{G} \implies X - X_0 \in \mathcal{G}'$ (larger)
- * Lower bound of “smallest singular value on a subset”:

$$\inf_{Z \in \text{Ran}(\mathcal{G}) \cap \mathbb{S}^{n-1}} \|\mathcal{A}(Z)\| > 0$$

\implies Gordon’s escape through the mesh lemma

- * True, as long as $m \geq$ “complexity” of $\mathcal{G} \cap \mathbb{S}^{n-1}$
- * “Complexity” = average diameter of $\mathcal{G} \cap \mathbb{S}^{n-1}$ (Gaussian width). Can be computed by finding the covering number of $\text{Ran}(\mathcal{G}) \cap \mathbb{S}^{n-1}$



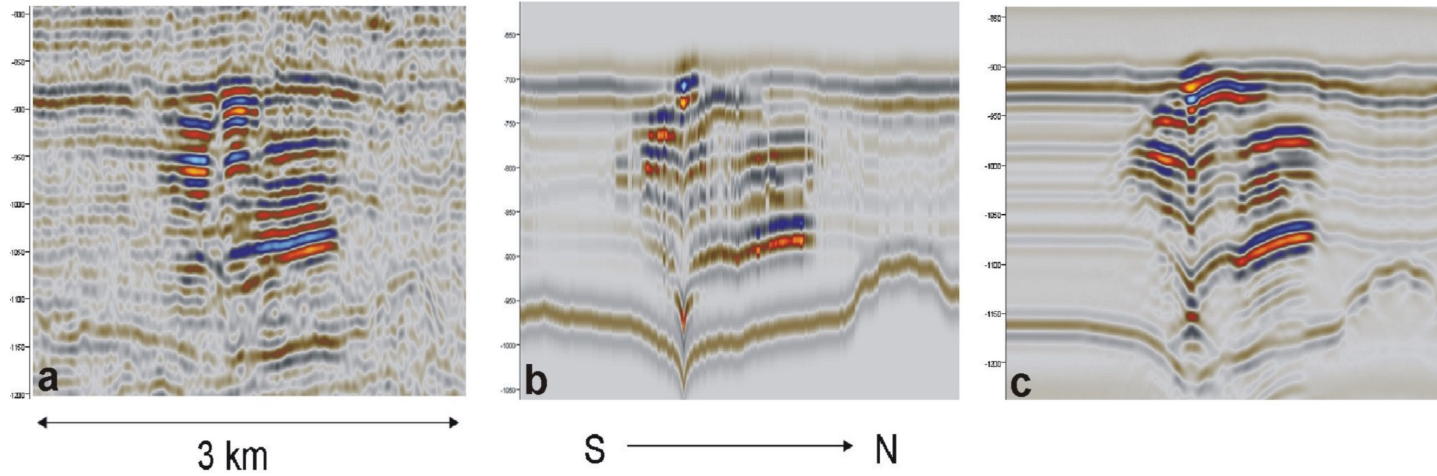
Why deep nets... and why not

Radically new inference tools

“Intelligence” = low-dimensional
latency + low-complexity decoder

What are we giving up?

- interpretability
- guarantees
(generalizability)
- Science!
- ... still not automated

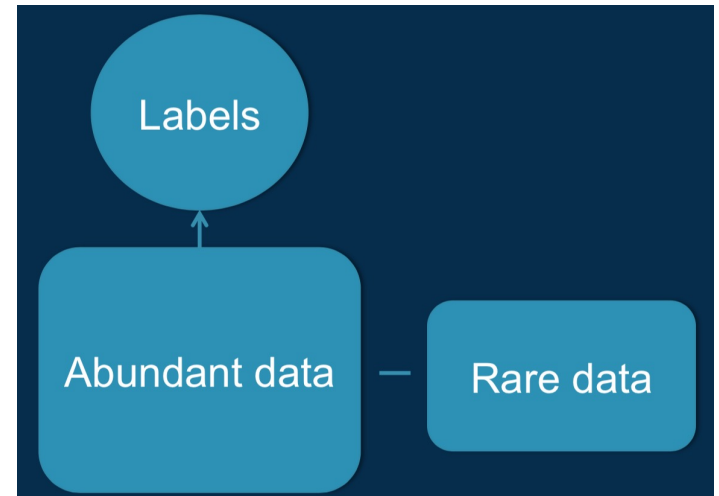


Outlook

Example of data misfit: Arts et al, 2007 (Sleipner CO2 injection field)

Co-train from simulations and data

Explaining beyond modeling



Deep generative compressed sensing

Linear inverse problem

$$y = Ax_0 + \eta$$

with $A \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$, Gaussian iid with $m < n$.

Classical regularization:

$$\min_x \|y - Ax\|_2^2 + \lambda \|x\|_*$$

New: require $x \in \text{Ran}(\mathcal{G})$ for some deep generator \mathcal{G} . Then

$$\hat{x} = \mathcal{G}(\hat{z})$$

where

$$\hat{z} = \operatorname{argmin}\{\|y - A\mathcal{G}(z)\|_2 : z \in \mathbb{R}^k, \|z\|_2 \leq r\}$$

Complexity of \mathcal{G} : $z \in \mathbb{R}^k$ and \mathcal{G} is L -Lipschitz.

Deep generative compressed sensing

Theorem [Bora, Jalal, Price, Dimakis, 2017]

For every $\delta \in (0, 1)$, if

$$m \gtrsim k \log \frac{Lr}{\delta}$$

then it holds with probability $1 - e^{-O(m)}$ that

$$\|\hat{x} - x_0\|_2 \leq 6 \min_{\|z\|_2 \leq r} \|G(z) - x_0\|_2 + 3\|\eta\|_2 + 2\delta$$

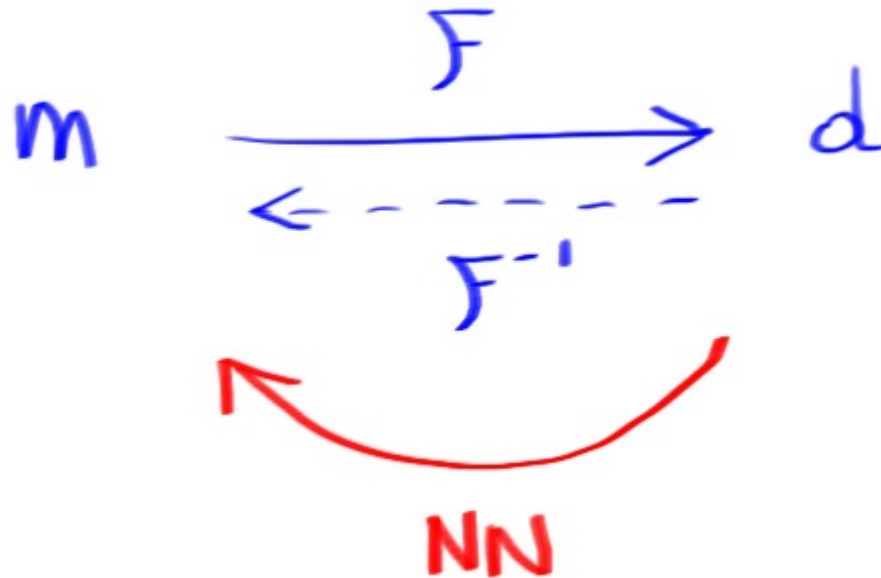
If \mathcal{G} is a deep generator with width w and depth d (dense ReLU), then

$$L \lesssim w^{O(d)}$$

and r is a non-issue.

A version of the theorem deals with $\|y - AG(\hat{z})\|$ within ε of optimum.

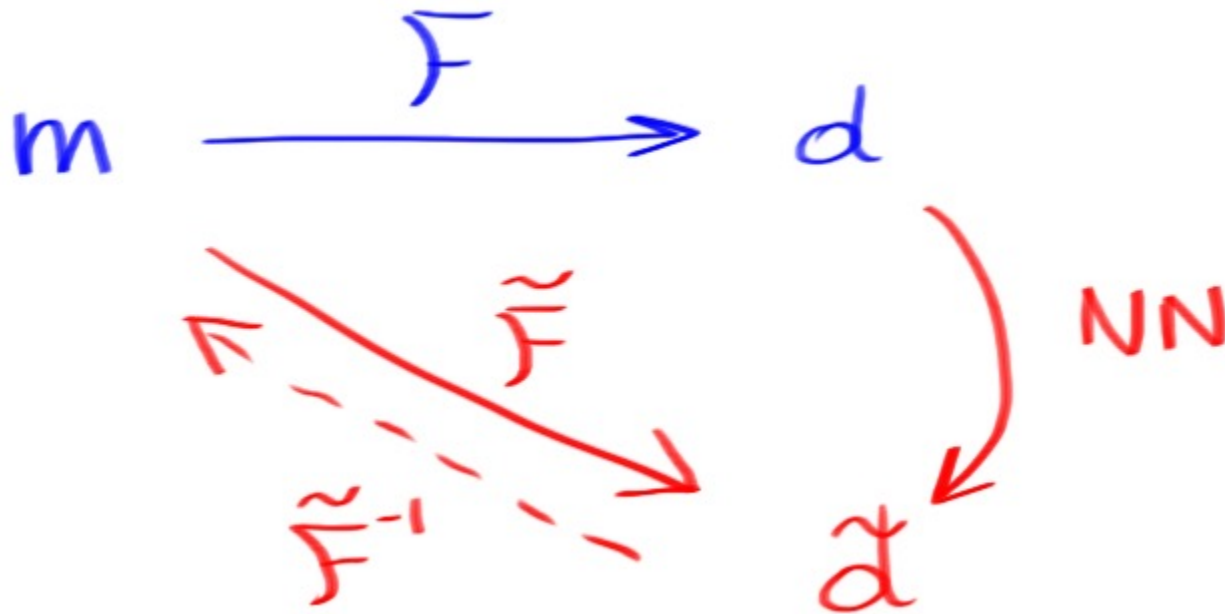
Neural networks for inverse problems



OK for **small scale** problems

Invert \mathcal{F} (train on simulations) -- or bypass \mathcal{F} (train on real data)

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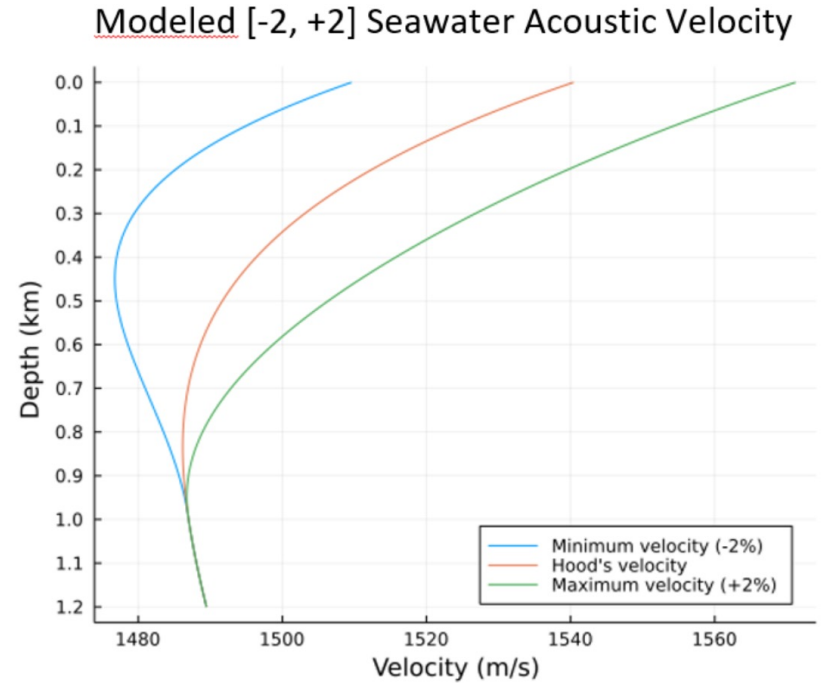
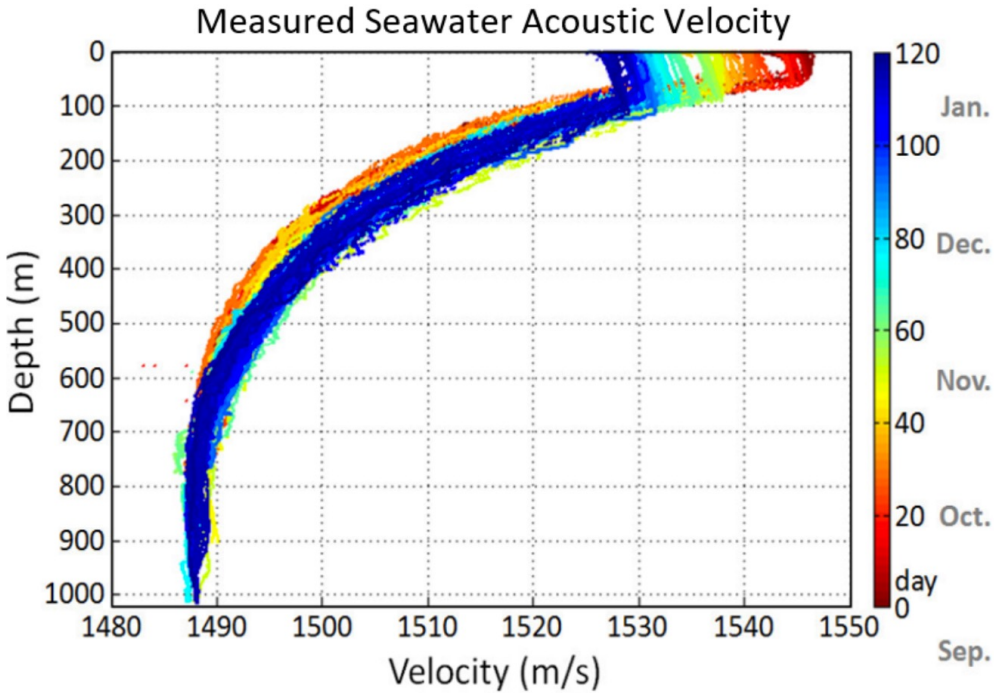


Auxiliary **data extension** task

More robust or favorable inversion

Bridge real vs synthetic divide

Example: Deepwater statics



Redatumming

