

Advanced Course on Deep Learning and Geophysical Dynamics.

November-December 2021

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First edition of the course in the framework of AI Chairs OceaniX, DL4CLIM, ANITI-DAML and AI4Child (Prof. R. Fablet, P. Gallinari, S. Gratton and F. Rousseau) and LEFE-MANU program.

General objectives:

- Theoretical aspects of deep learning and its application to geophysical dynamics, especially regarding the exploitation of physical priors.
- Practice-oriented training for the implementation of deep learning schemes for geophysical dynamics



Practical information

All information available on discord server DLGD2021. Invitation link: <https://discord.gg/KnjNFc2f>

Remote participation through the following zoom link: <https://imt-atlantique.zoom.us/j/98658614714?pwd=SGwrazVDWVNNeEc4dIZ3aFJpdW9UUT09>

On-site participation:

- PNBI, 2nd floor, conference room on Nov. 16, Nov. 23, Nov. 30 and Dec. 7
- IMT Atlantique, morning lecture (room B01-10), project session (room B01-14)

Organization of the course: Lectures

November 9. 9h30-12h30

Introduction to Deep Learning and Differentiable Physics



F. Rousseau

November 16. 9h30-12h30

Deep Learning and Optimisation



L. Drumetz



S. Gratton

November 23. 14h30-17h30

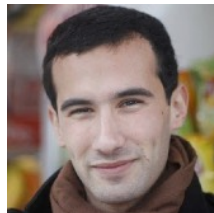
Deep Learning and Generative Models



P. Gallinari

November 30. 9h30-12h30

Deep Learning and Dynamical Systems



S. Ouala

December 7. 9h30-12h30

Deep Learning and Inverse Problems



R. Fablet

Project Sessions

All resources available at <https://github.com/CIA-Oceanix/DLGD2021>

Organization of the course: Project Sessions

Nov. 9. 14h00-17h00

**Introduction to Pytorch and
Pytorch Lightning + Session #1**



Q. Febvre

Nov. 16. 14h00-17h00 **Session #2**

Nov. 23. 9h30-17h30 **Session #3**

Nov. 30. 14h00-17h00 **Session #4**

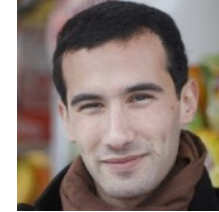
Dec. 7. 14h00-17h00 **Session #5**

Theme #1: Interpolation



M. Beauchamp

Theme #2: Forecasting



S. Ouala



S. Benaïchouche

Theme #3: Data Assimilation

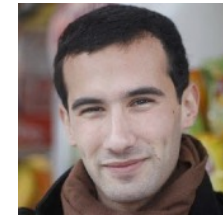


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Theme #4: Neural closures



S. Ouala

Theme #5: Segmentation



A. Colin

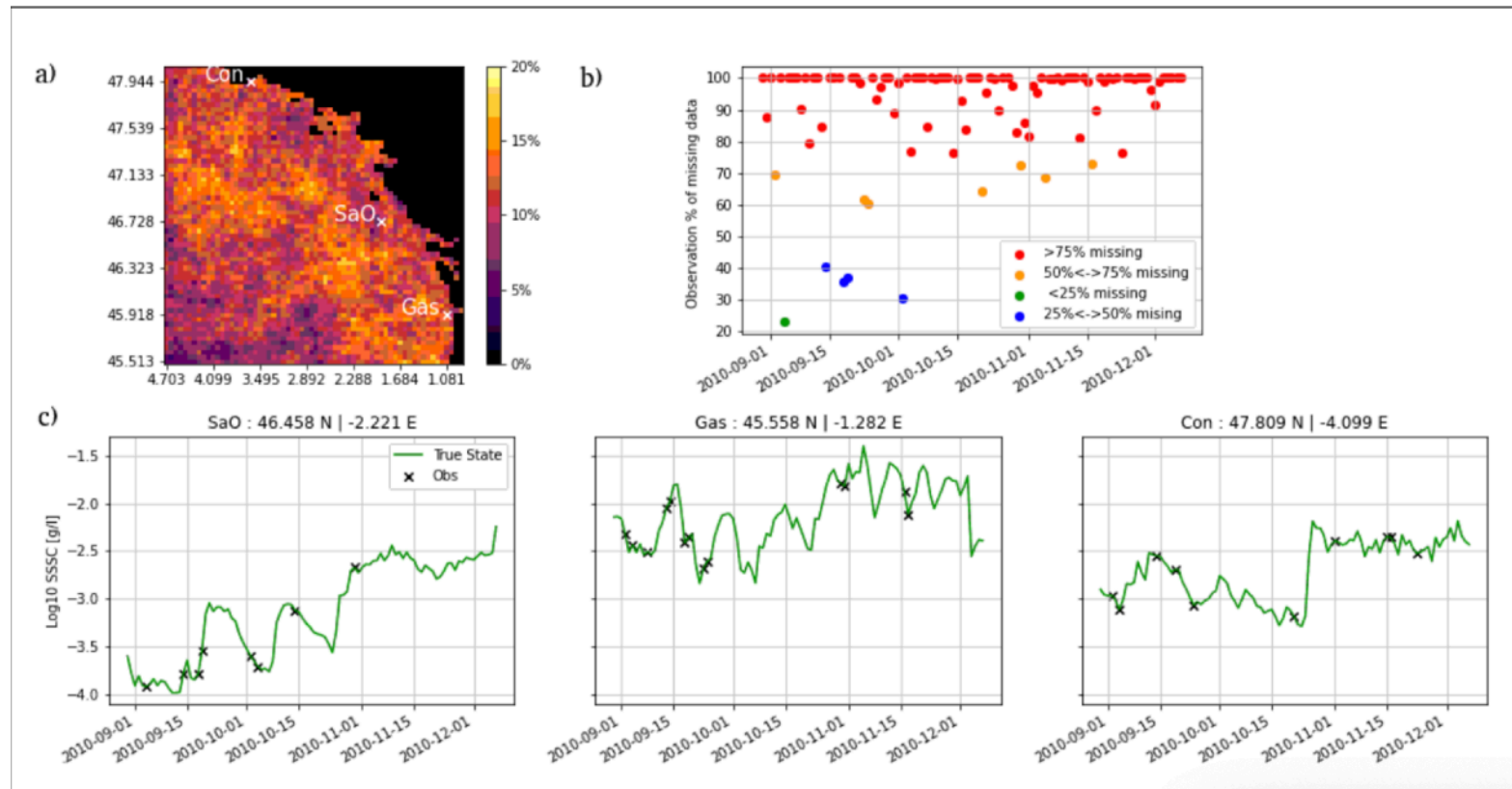
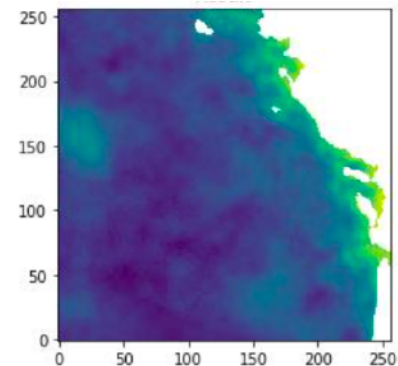
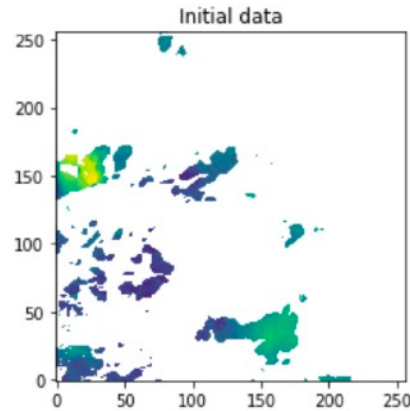
Theme #6: GAN & trajectories



A. Roy

Project theme #1: space-time interpolation

Proposed case-study on satellite-derived sea surface suspended sediments



Project theme #2: short-term forecasting

Proposed case-study on wind short-term forecasting (Meteonet challenge/dataset)

Time series forecasting :

- Using past data
- Using ground stations data
- 2D models, radar data

- Wind power production and O&M

Input

Reference
methods

Output

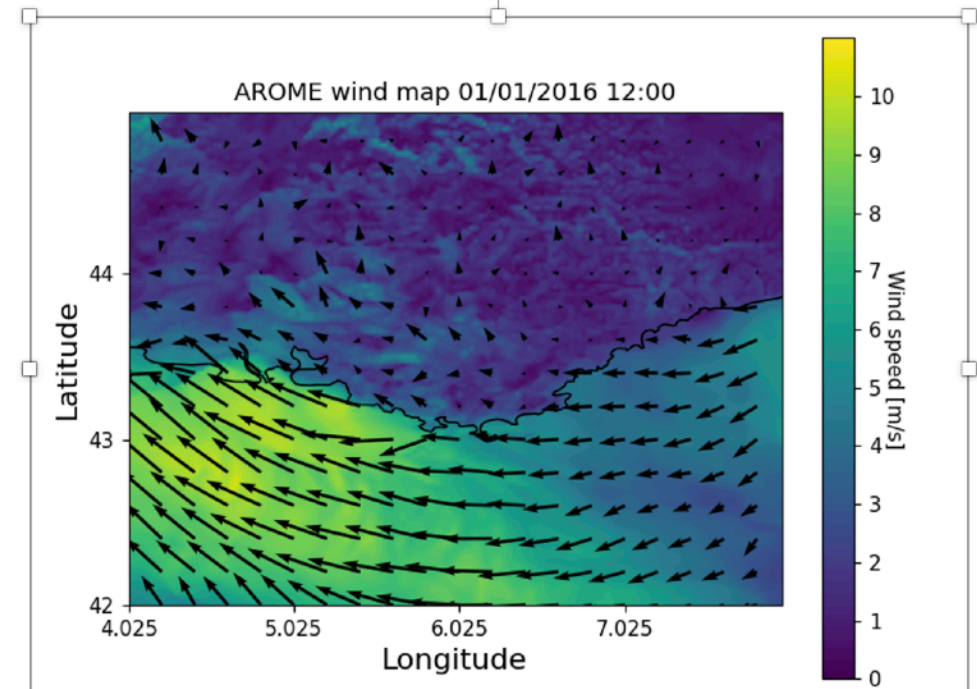
- Ground stations
- NWP data
- Radar / Satellite

LSTM
RNN
...

- Wind time series
 $t + 6\text{min} \rightarrow t + 6\text{h}$

A Review On The Hybrid Approaches For Wind Speed Forecasting – Vidya et. al. 2019

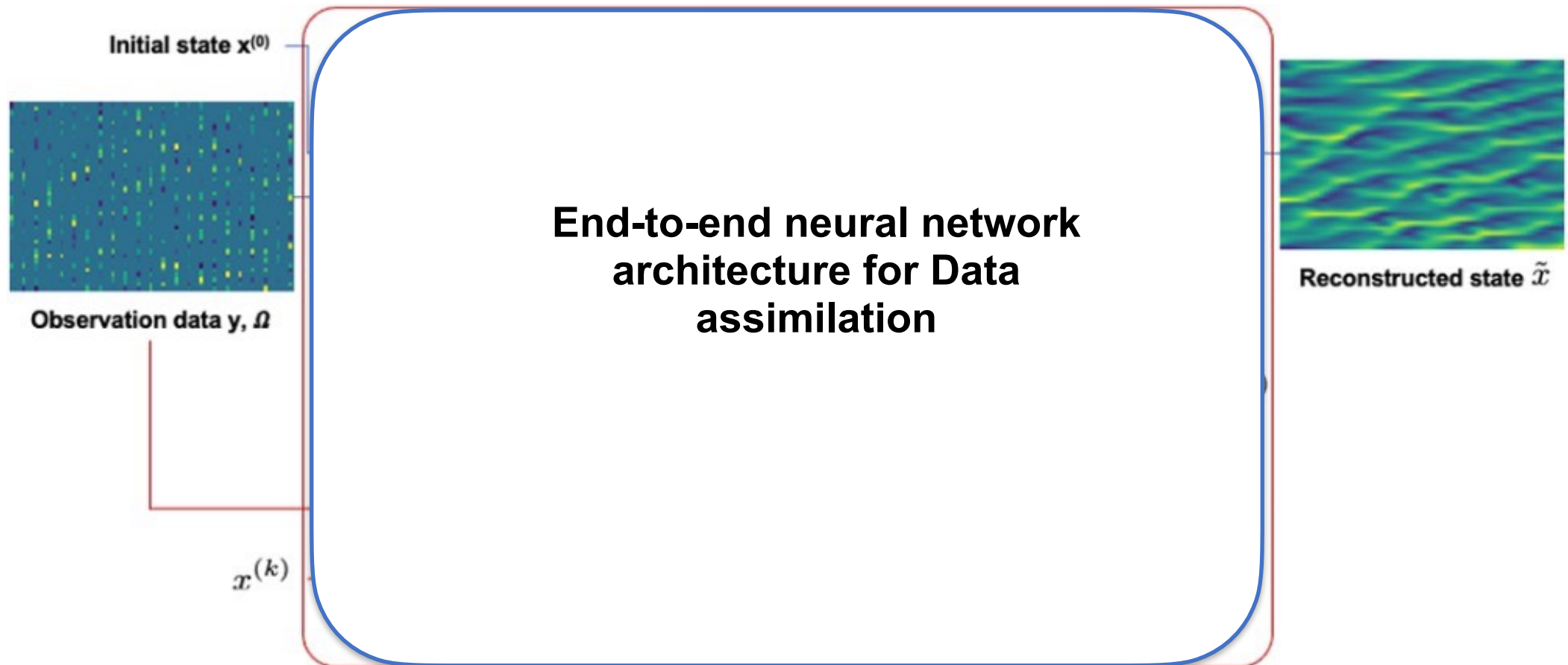
How to complement Numerical Weather Prediction models on short time scale using Deep Learning ?



Other possible “toy” case-studies using chaotic systems (eg, Lorenz systems)

Project theme #3: Data Assimilation

Proposed case-study on Lorenz-63/Lorenz-96 systems with partial observations



Project theme #4: Neural closures

Proposed case-study on 3D turbulence and Burger's equation

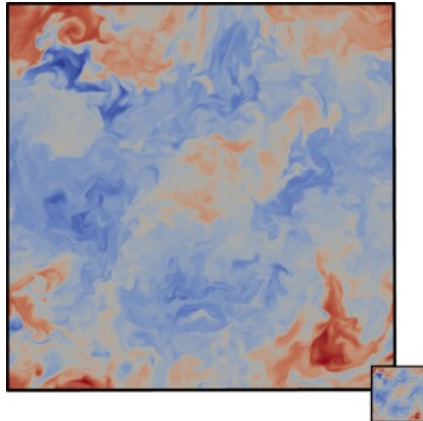
Take a high resolution state y and its approximated state x ,

$$\partial_t y = \mathcal{H}_{\mathcal{F}}[y], \quad y \in \Omega$$

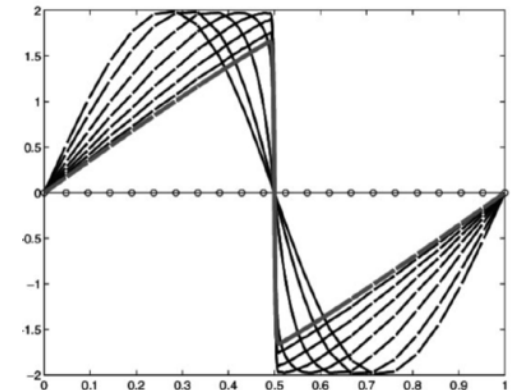
$$\partial_t x + R = \mathcal{H}_{\mathcal{R}}[x], \quad x \in \omega$$

where $\mathcal{H}_{\mathcal{R}}[x]$ and R are much faster to compute than $\mathcal{H}_{\mathcal{F}}[y]$.

3D turbulence
(Non-differentiable
forward model)



1D Burger equation
(Differentiable forward
model)



Project theme #5: segmentation

Proposed case-study on cloud cover nowcasting (Meteonet challenge/dataset)

Cloud cover nowcasting

- Satellite cloud index
- Radar data
- Infrared
- Water vapor
- Visible



- Satellites line of sight
- Solar power prouction

How to use satellite products for cloud nowcasting ? Can it beat NWP model ?

Input

- Satellite cloud index
- (Satellite water column)
- Satellite visible
- Satellite IR
- Radar)

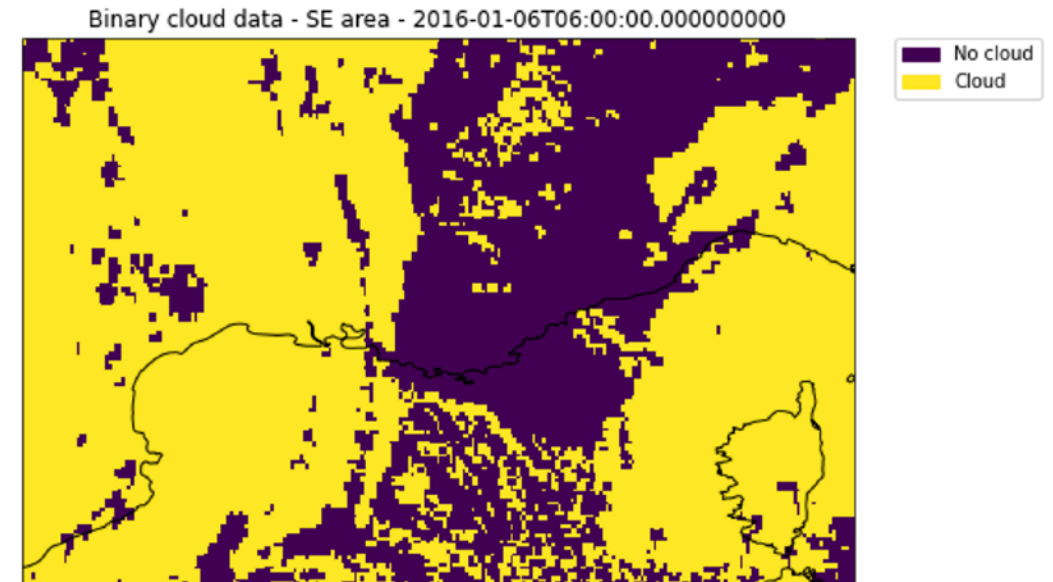
Reference methods

CNN
U-Net

Output

- Spatio-temporal cloud coverage

Cloud Cover Nowcasting with Deep Learning – Berthomier et. Al.
arXiv 2020



Project theme #5: Trajectory and GANs

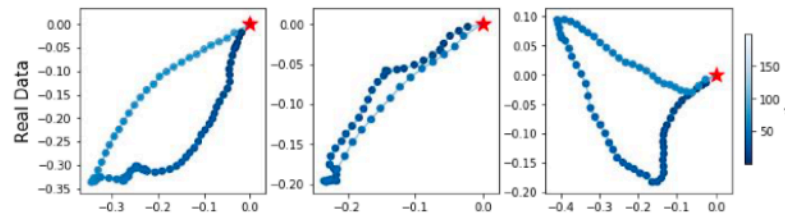
Proposed case-study on seabird trajectories

→ Dataset example :

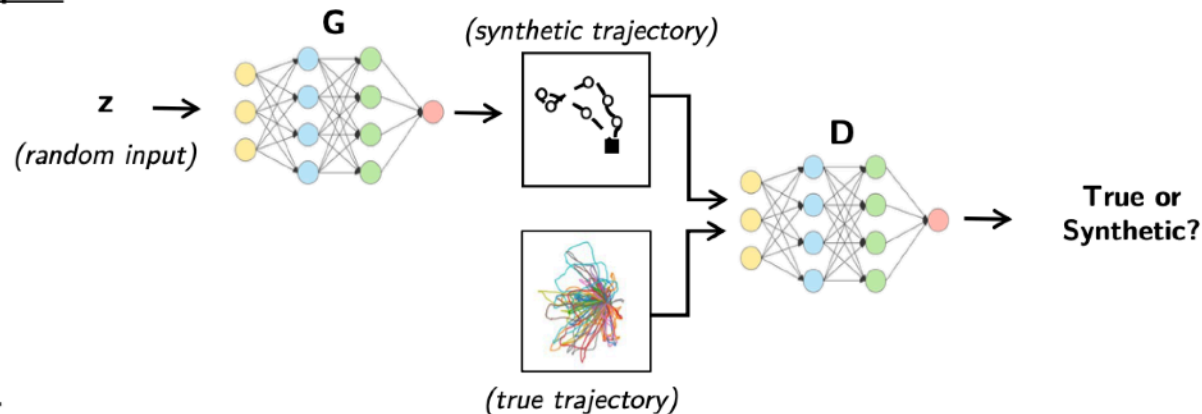
158 foraging trips of 3 seabird species

Species	Country	Nb of trips
<i>Sula sula</i>	Brazil	30
<i>Sula dactylatra</i>	Brazil	50
<i>Sula variegata</i>	Peru	78

Trajectory samples



→ GAN example:



→ References:



<https://github.com/AmedeeRoy/BirdGAN>



<https://www.biorxiv.org/content/10.1101/2021.09.27.461940v1.full.pdf>

Organization of the course: Project Sessions

Proposed workplan

Sessions #1-2

- **Selection of the project theme for each group**
- **Discovery of the dataset/case-studies**
- **Problem Statement:**
 - Which neural network ?
 - Which training / validation / test dataset ?
 - Which training criterion / scheme ?
 - Which performance metrics ?
 - Selection of three approaches / models for inter-comparison purposes
- **Deliverable:** 2-to-4-slide presentation (Nov. 17), to be posted on discord

Sessions #3-4

- **Implementation and evaluation of the considered approaches**
- **Tentative workplan:**
 - **First approach/baseline:** Nov. 23
 - **Refinement and other approaches:** Nov. 30
- **Deliverable:** updated presentation with baseline approach (Nov. 23)

Sessions #5

- **Synthesis**
- **Short presentation (~ 10', (virtual) poster session)**
- **Deliverable:** notebooks or a git repo (better)