



COSMO-INR: Complex Sinusoidal Modulation for Implicit Neural Representations

Image Reconstruction

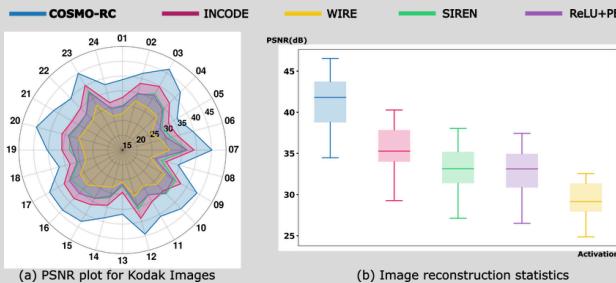
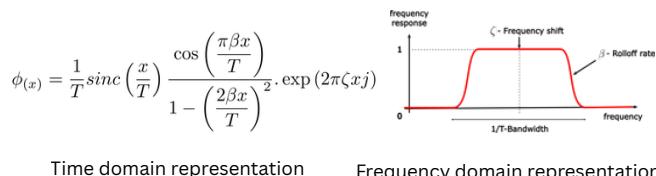


Image Inpainting



Proposed Raised Cosine activation



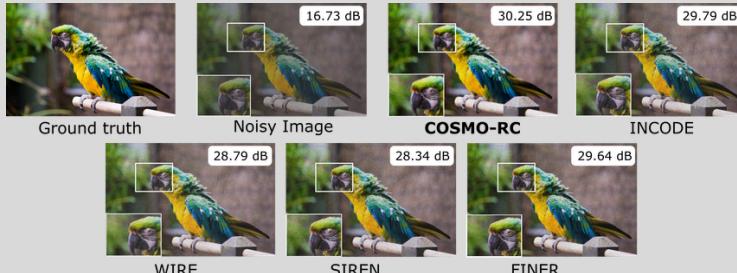
Abstract

Problem: Implicit Neural Representations (INRs) are powerful continuous models, but their performance depends strongly on the activation function. Key issues remain: limited theory for why activations work, spectral bias (weak high-frequency modeling), noise sensitivity, and training instability.

Solution: We analyze INRs using harmonic analysis and Chebyshev polynomials, and prove that complex sinusoidal modulation of activations yields more complete spectral support across the network. We then design a new activation and add a regularized deep prior to adapt activation parameters and stabilize training.

Results: We observe consistent gains across tasks, including +5.67 dB PSNR in image reconstruction (avg., Kodak dataset), +0.46 dB in denoising, and +0.64 dB over nearest SOTA for 6x super-resolution, with additional improvements on inpainting and 3D shape reconstruction.

Image Denoising



3D Object Representation



NeRF: Neural Radiance Fields

Method	PSNR
Gauss	24.42
ReLU + P.E.	24.71
WIRE	25.26
SIREN	25.89
INCODE	26.05
COSMO-RC (Ours)	29.50

Ground truth

Reconstructed

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