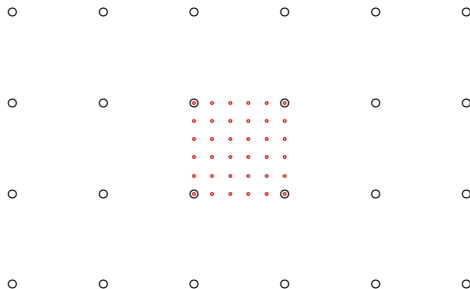


Subgrid Scales and Neuron Nets

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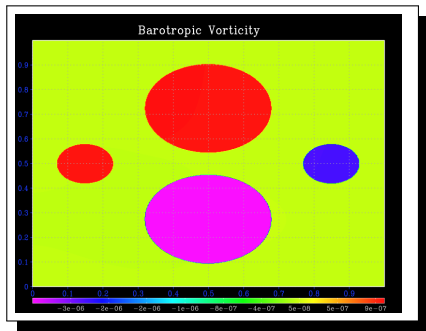
Barotropic equation

$$\frac{\partial \omega(x, y, t)}{\partial t} + J(\psi, \omega + \beta y) = \mu \Delta \omega, \quad \Delta \psi = \omega$$

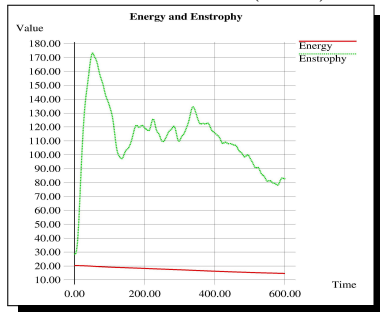
In a square box $L = 1000\text{km}$, with $\beta = 2 \times 10^{-11} \text{s}^{-1}$, $\mu = 10 \frac{\text{m}^2}{\text{s}}$.

Impermeability and slip boundary conditions ($\psi = \omega|_{\text{bnd}} = 0$)

200 days spin-up from 4 different vortices. Resolution 500×500 (2 km)

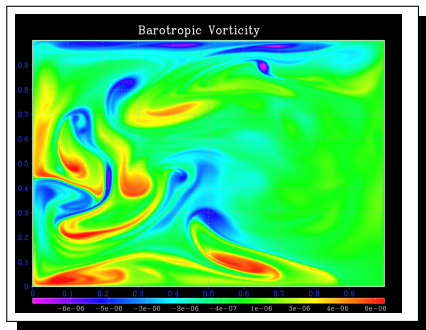


Initial relative vorticity ω

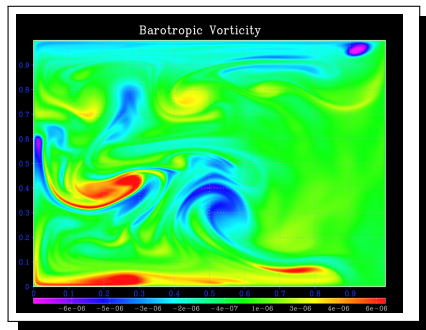


Energy and enstrophy evolution
during 600 days

Examples

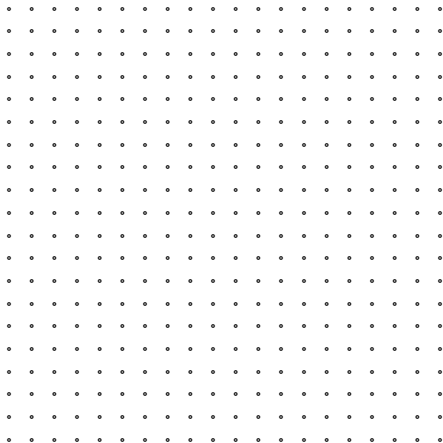


Relative vorticity ω on 403 day



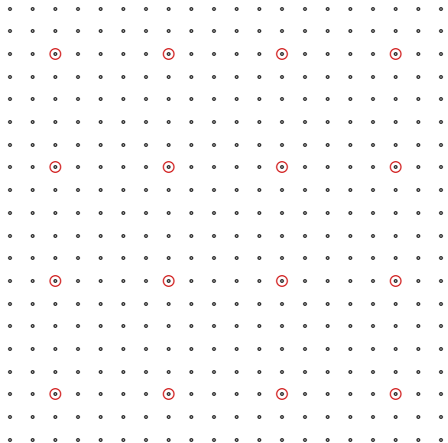
Relative vorticity ω on 428 day

- Consider a 2 km grid and a 10 km grid
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HR and LR Grids

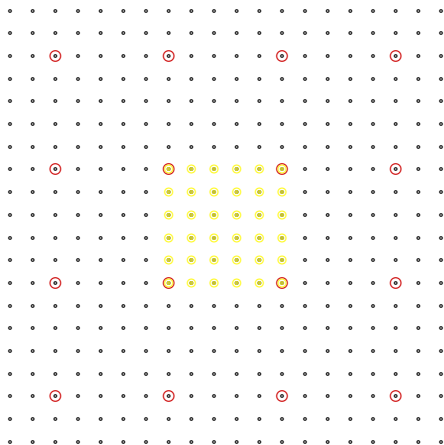
- Consider a 2 km grid and a 10 km grid
- take 16 values on the 10 km grid
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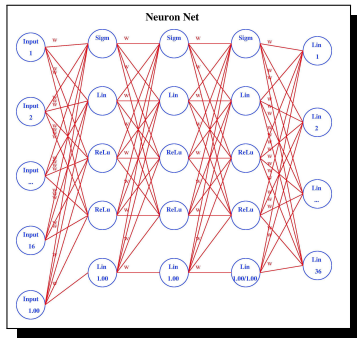
HR and LR Grids

- Consider a 2 km grid and a 10 km grid
- take 16 values on the 10 km grid
- and try to reconstruct 36 values in the central cell by learning model data.

$$Output_{36} = NN(Input_{16})$$



Neuron net



- Fully connected NN
- with 16 inputs + bias and 36 outputs
- Between 1 and 4 hidden layers
- Between 16 and 72 neurons in each hidden layer,
- Sigmoid, Linear, ReLu, Leaky ReLu activations in various combinations.

Data Sets

- for every x_i from 10 km to 990 km by 10 km (99)
- for every y_j from 10 km to 990 km by 10 km (99)
- for every t_k from 0 to 600 days by 3 hours (4800)

47 000 000 data sets

Procedure

- **Learn** all data sets:
- **Test** on 500 000 supplementary sets (t_k from 600 to 660)

$$Err_{NN} = |NN(Input_{16}) - Model_{36}|$$

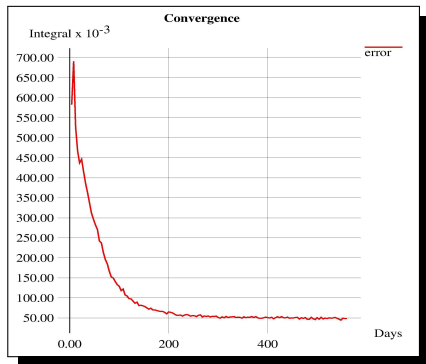
- **Compare** with Bicubic interpolation

$$Err_{Int} = |Int(Input_{16}) - Model_{36}|$$

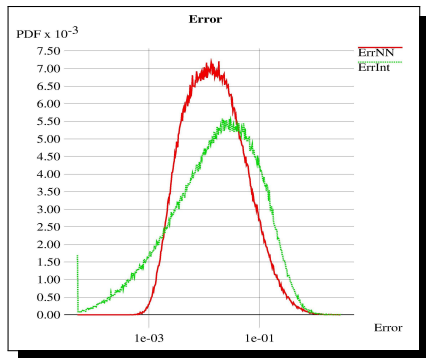
All $Input_{16}$ and $Model_{36}$ are scaled to be in $[-0.5, 0.5]$

$$Input_{16} = 0.5 \frac{Input_{16}}{\max_{16} |Input|}, \quad Model_{36} = 0.5 \frac{Model_{36}}{\max_{16} |Input|}$$

Typical convergence and error distribution.



Convergence of Err_{NN} during learning



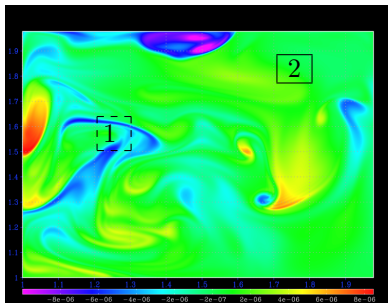
PDFs of NN error and Interpolation error

Average ErrNN: 0.0342

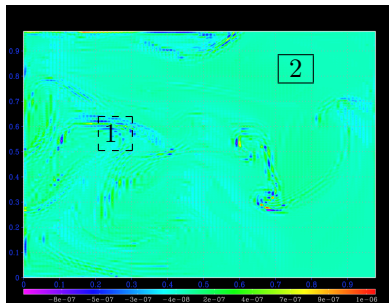
Average ErrInetrp: 0.0521

Example: errors in an instantaneous field

$$\text{Model}_{2km} \implies \text{Coarse grid}_{10km} \implies \text{NN}(\text{Model}_{10km})$$

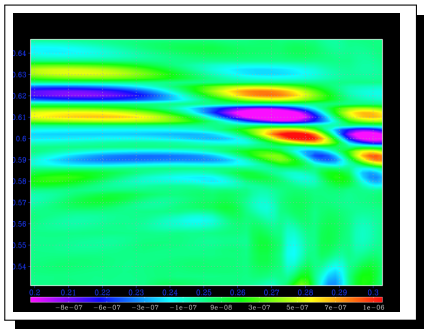


$\omega_{2km}(t = 200 \text{ days})$
From -8×10^{-6} to 8×10^{-6}

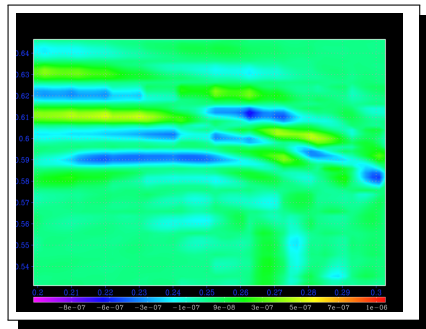


$\omega_{2km}(t = 200) - \text{NN}(\omega_{10km}(t = 200))$
From -8×10^{-7} to 1×10^{-6}

First Zoom



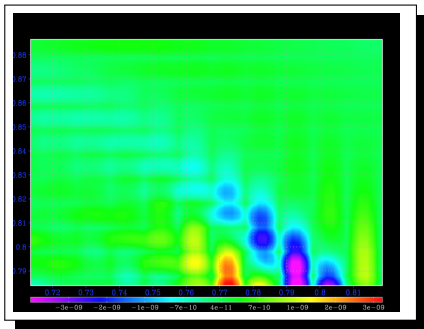
Difference Model—interpolation
From -8×10^{-7} to 8×10^{-7}



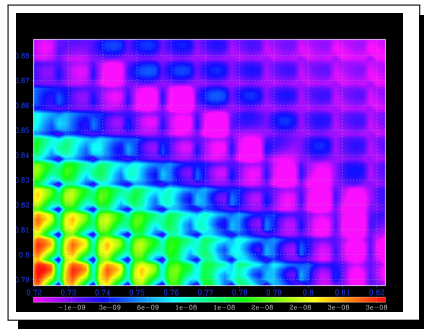
Difference Model—Neuron Net Approx.
From -8×10^{-7} to 8×10^{-7}

Big gradients, big errors, NN is more efficient.

Second Zoom



Difference Model—interpolation
From -3×10^{-9} to 3×10^{-9}



Difference Model—Neuron Net Approx.
From -1×10^{-9} to 3×10^{-8}

Small gradients, small errors, a lot of noise in NN.

We have a **Neuron Net** that gives a **slightly better approximation** of the model solution on a fine grid than bicubic interpolation.

- Is it sufficient?
- How to improve?
 - Use NN in high gradient regions and interpolation elsewhere.
 - Use more sophisticated scalar product during learning
 $\langle A(NN - Truth), NN - Truth \rangle$ to measure the error norm.
 - Something else?

Used Techniques

- Between 1 and 4 hidden layers,
- Between 16 and 72 neurons in hidden layers,
- With or without bias,
- Original 16 or Interpolated values used as input $Err_{NN} = |NN(Input_{16}) - Model_{36}|$
 $Err_{NN} = |NN(Int(Input_{16})) - Model_{36}|$
- Sigmoid, Linear, ReLu, Leaky ReLu activations in various combinations, ^a
- Simple gradient descent or using momentum impact, ^b

- Using Adam method, ^a
- Gradient vanishing compensation^b
- Enhanced learning for the most difficult cases (more iterations for big errors),
- Neuron dropout ^c
- Multiple use of data sets,
- Working with uniformly scaled data,
- Learning rate decrease. ^d

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