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Ways to Solve PDE

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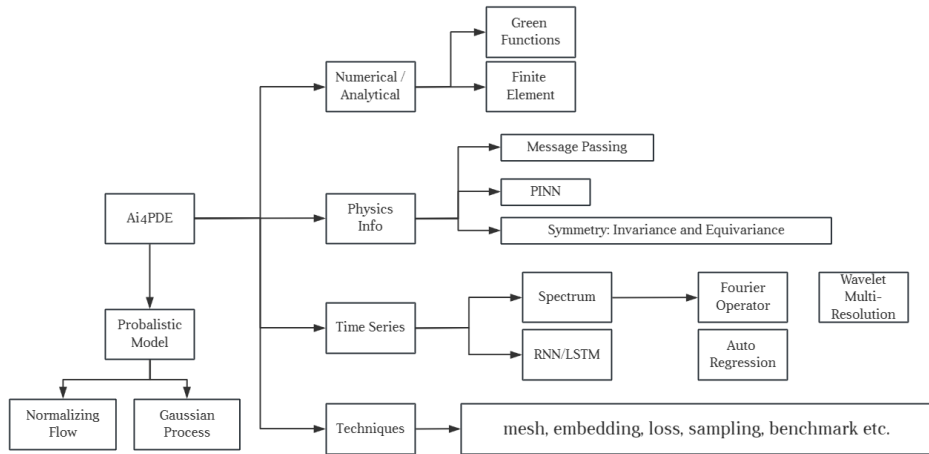


Fig. 1: Ways to Solve PDE with DL



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Why Bring in Probability

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In the aforementioned scenario, a PDE problem is assumed to have accurate expressions, BC's, IC's and prior observations.

However, it is not the case in the reality. One can yield different observations o_i in the same location x due to systematic uncertainty. For instance, Gaussian Process methods assume $o_i(x) \sim N(\mu, \sigma^2(x))$.



Normalizing Flow

The spirit of normalizing flow is to transform a simple given distribution many times to obtain a desired distribution.

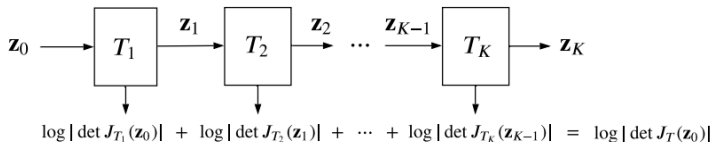


Fig. 2: Normalizing Flow

$$\mathbf{z}_{n+1} = T_{n+1}(\mathbf{z}_n), \mathbf{z}_0 \sim p_0(\mathbf{z}_0) \quad (1)$$

$$p_{n+1}(\mathbf{z}_{n+1}) = p_n(T_n^{-1}(\mathbf{z}_{n+1})) |\det J_{T_n^{-1}}(\mathbf{z}_{n+1})| \quad (2)$$

$$p_{n+1}(\mathbf{z}_{n+1}) = p_0(T_0^{-1} \dots T_n^{-1}(\mathbf{z}_{n+1})) |\det J_{T_n^{-1}}(\mathbf{z}_{n+1})| \dots |\det J_{T_0^{-1}}(\mathbf{z}_1)| \quad (3)$$



Normalizing Flow

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Let $\theta := \{\phi, \psi\}$ denote the learnable parameters of the transformations T_j and the original distribution $\mathbf{z}_0 \sim p_0$ respectively. It is common to use various divergences to measure the difference between two distributions and thus as a candidate of loss term.

The KL divergence is:

$$\mathcal{L}(\theta) := D_{KL}[p_{GT}(\mathbf{z}_N) || p_N(z_N; \theta)] \quad (4)$$

$$= -\mathbb{E}_{p_{GT}}[\ln p_N(z^N; \theta)] \quad (5)$$

$$= -\mathbb{E}_{p_{GT}}[\ln p_0(T_0^{-1} \dots T_n^{-1}(z_N); \psi, \phi)] + \sum_k \ln |\det J_{T_k^{-1}}(z_{k+1}; \phi)| \quad (6)$$

where p_{GT} is short for the ground truth distribution. One can sample from p_{GT} and thereby apply gradient descent to update ϕ, ψ . **Interchange** p_{GT} and p_N , and get the so-called **backward KL divergence**, which can be evaluated by sampling from p_0 .



Normalizing Flow

Some tricks can be used to ensure J_{T_n} is triangular so as to figure out $\det J_{T_n}$ more easily. A planar flow can be

$$\mathbf{z}' = \sigma(\mathbf{A}\mathbf{z} + \mathbf{b}) \quad (7)$$

where \mathbf{A} is triangular.

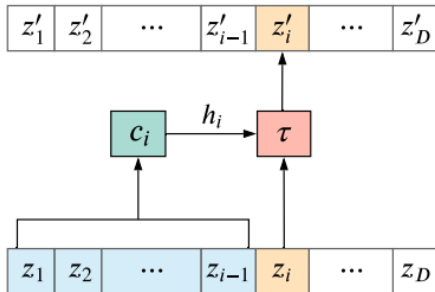


Fig. 3: Forward NF



NF in Solving ODE

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An ODE can be evaluated by Euler method:

$$\mathbf{z}(t+h) = \mathbf{z}(t) + \int_t^{t+h} f(\mathbf{z}, s, \theta) ds \quad (8)$$

Theorem

$\frac{d}{dt}\mathbf{z}(t) = f(\mathbf{z}(t), t)$ and f is L-continuous, then:

$$\frac{d}{dt} \ln p(\mathbf{z}(t)) = -\text{tr}\left(\frac{df}{d\mathbf{z}(t)}\right) \quad (9)$$

Thus we can define as below to evaluate $\mathbf{z}(t+h)$:

$$\frac{dz}{dt} = \text{NormalizingFlow}(\mathbf{z}(t)) \quad (10)$$



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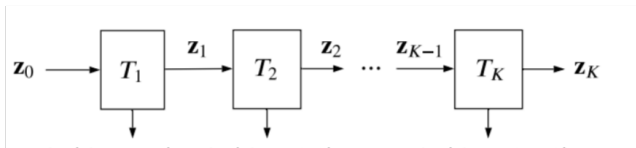
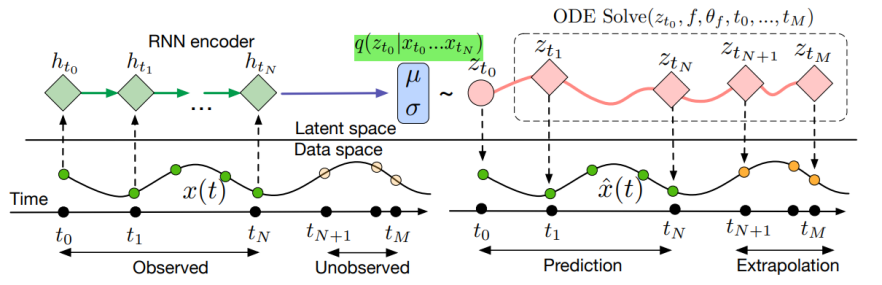


Fig. 4: NF solving



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Neural Operator

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Neural Operator \mathcal{F} is a map between two function spaces $\mathcal{F} : \mathcal{A} \rightarrow \mathcal{U}$ implemented by a neural network(NN) parametrized by Θ .

Example

$$\nabla \cdot (a(x) \nabla u(x)) = f(x), \forall x \in \Omega \quad (11)$$

$$u(x) = g(x), \forall x \in \partial\Omega \quad (12)$$

we wanna find a \mathcal{F} s.t.

$$\mathcal{F}[a(x)] = u(x) \quad (13)$$

In fact, it can also expected that:

$$\mathcal{F}[f(x)] = u(x) \quad (14)$$

$$\mathcal{F}[g(x)] = u(x) \quad (15)$$



Motivation[1]

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Motivation

$u(x)$ is more or less related to its neighbor $\{u(y) : d(x, y) < \delta\}$. Such relations often appear in the form of convolutions.

Example

Green functions $G(x, y)$. To solve $\Delta u(x) = f(x), x \in \Omega; u(x) = 0, x \in \partial\Omega$, $G(x, y)$ act as a kernel:

$$u(x) = \int_{\Omega} G(x, y) f(y) dy \quad (16)$$

Mean Value In Harmonic Fields If $\Delta u(x) = 0$, then:

$$u(\mathbf{x}_0) = \int_{\partial B(r)} u(\mathbf{x}_0 + \mathbf{n}r) dS \quad (17)$$



The point of view in GNN

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A hidden layer is defined as:

$$h_{t+1}(x) = \sigma(W h_t(x) + \int_{B(x,r)} \kappa_\phi(x, y, a(x), a(y)) h_t(y) dy) \quad (18)$$

In the perspective of GNN, one can take all points within $B(x, r)$ as the neighbors of x , denoted by $N(x)$, and thereby construct a graph after discretization, i.e.

$$h_{t+1}(x) = \sigma(W h_t(x) + \frac{1}{|N(x)|} \sum_{y \in N(x)} \kappa_\phi(e(x, y)) h_t(y) dy) \quad (19)$$

where the edge weight $e(x, y)$ is determined by $x, y, a(x), a(y)$ jointly.



Drawback

The scale of $N(x)$ is too large.

Nystrom approximation of the kernel. Use some randomly generalized sub-graphs instead.



Motivation

Kernels are needed to tell relations in different scales. Supposing K a discretized kernel, i.e., a matrix, it can be reached via low-rank factorization(via **SVD**):

$$K = K_1 + K_{12}K_2K_{21} + K_{12}K_{23}K_3K_{32}K_{21} + \dots, \text{rk}(K_1) > \text{rk}(K_2) > \text{rk}(K_3) > \dots \quad (20)$$

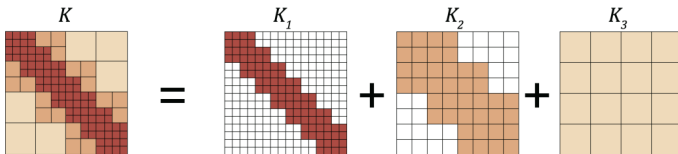


Figure 2: Hierarchical matrix decomposition

Fig. 5: Hierarchical matrix decomposition



Multi-scale Kernel

$v_l(x)$ denotes the feature field over different graphs. There 3 types of kernels
 $K_{l,l}, K_{l,l+1}, K_{l+1,l}$

$$K_{i,j} : v_i(x) \mapsto v_j(x) := \int \kappa_{\phi_{i,j}}(x, y, a(x), a(y)) v_i(y) dy \quad (21)$$

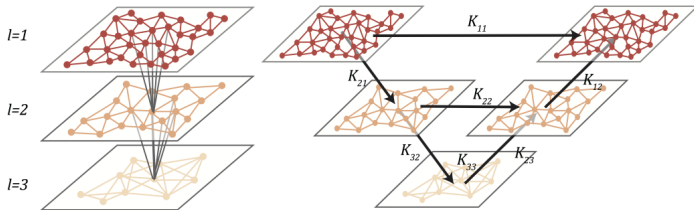


Figure 1: V-cycle

Fig. 6: V-Cycle



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The original is:

$$v^{t+1}(x) = \sigma(Wv^t + Kv^t) \quad (22)$$

The proposed **V-cycle algorithm** comes from the **low-rank decomposition**(20) and uses two feature fields v_D, v_U to **ensure updating chronologically**.

Downward Pass:

$$v_{D,l+1}^{t+1} = \sigma(v_{U,l+1}^t + K_{l+1,l}v_{D,l}^{t+1}) \quad (23)$$

Upward Pass:

$$v_{U,l+1}^{t+1} = \sigma((W_l + K_{l,l})v_{D,l}^{t+1} + K_{l,l-1}v_{U,l-1}^{t+1}) \quad (24)$$

The entire structure is:

- Encode. $v_0 = P_\theta(x, a(x))$
- V-cycle. Downward and upward pass.
- Decode. $u = Q_\phi(v_T(x))$



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Fourier Transform :Convolution in Frequency Domain[3]

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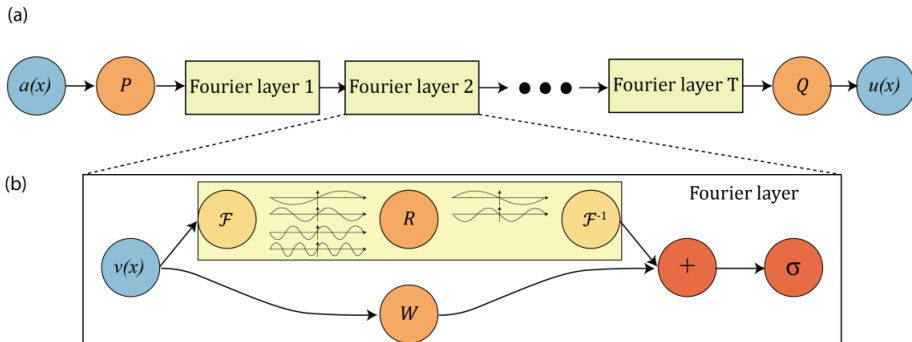


Fig. 7: Fourier Transform



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Definition

Given a function ψ , termed **mother wavelet**, one can yield a family of wavelets via dilation and translation.

$$\psi_{a,b}(x) := \frac{1}{|a|^{\frac{1}{2}}} \psi\left(\frac{x-b}{a}\right) \quad (25)$$

Example

Harr wavelet.

$$\psi(x) := \mathbb{1}_{[0, \frac{1}{2})} - \mathbb{1}_{[\frac{1}{2}, 1]} \quad (26)$$



Basics about Wavelets[4]

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Definition

$V_0 := \text{span}\{\phi_i\}$ s.t. $(\phi_i, \phi_j) = \delta_{ij}$. Let $\phi_i \equiv \phi_i^0$. We define V_k recursively:
 $V_{k+1} := \text{span}\{\phi_{j,l}^{k+1} := \sqrt{2}\phi_{j,2l}^k(\frac{x}{2})\}$. Therefore, $V_0 \subset V_1 \subset \dots \subset V_{k+1}$. A
 decomposition tells $V_{k+1} = V_k \oplus V_k^\perp := V_k \oplus W_k$. This wavelet family is called
Dyadic wavelets.

Now we focus on **orthogonal dyadic wavelets**. Denote the basis of V_k, W_k be $\phi_{j,l}^k, \psi_{j,l}^k$, we have: $(\phi_{j,l}^k, \psi_{m,n}^k) = \delta_{jm}\delta_{ln}\delta^{kp}$.

As what we do in Fourier series, a function $f \in L^2(R)$ can be decomposed as:

$$f(x) = \sum_{i,n,l} (f, \phi_{i,l}^n) \phi_{i,l}^n + (f, \psi_{i,l}^n) \psi_{i,l}^n \quad (27)$$



Two-Scale Relations: avoid computing piles of inner product

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$$\mathbf{s}_l^n = [(f, \phi_{i,l}^n)]_{i=0}^{k-1}, \mathbf{d}_l^n = [(f, \psi_{i,l}^n)]_{i=0}^{k-1} \quad (28)$$

$$H_{ij}^{(0)} = \sqrt{2} \int \phi_i(x) \phi_j(2x) dx; H_{ij}^{(1)} = \sqrt{2} \int \phi_i(x) \phi_j(2x-1) dx \quad (29)$$

$$G_{ij}^{(0)} = \sqrt{2} \int \psi_i(x) \phi_j(2x) dx; G_{ij}^{(1)} = \sqrt{2} \int \psi_i(x) \phi_j(2x-1) dx \quad (30)$$

$$\Sigma_{ij}^{(0)} = \sqrt{2} \int \phi_i(2x) \phi_j(2x) dx; \Sigma_{ij}^{(1)} = \sqrt{2} \int \phi_i(2x-1) \phi_j(2x-1) dx \quad (31)$$

Decompose:

$$\mathbf{s}_{2l}^{n+1} = \Sigma^{(0)} (H^{(0)T} \mathbf{s}_l^n + G^{(0)T} \mathbf{d}_l^n); \mathbf{s}_{2l+1}^{n+1} = \Sigma^{(1)} (H^{(1)T} \mathbf{s}_l^n + G^{(1)T} \mathbf{d}_l^n) \quad (32)$$

Reconstruct:

$$\mathbf{s}_l^n = H^{(0)} \mathbf{s}_{2l}^{n+1} + H^{(1)} \mathbf{s}_{2l+1}^{n+1}; \mathbf{d}_l^n = G^{(0)} \mathbf{s}_{2l}^{n+1} + G^{(1)} \mathbf{s}_{2l+1}^{n+1} \quad (33)$$



Wavelet Analysis in PDE

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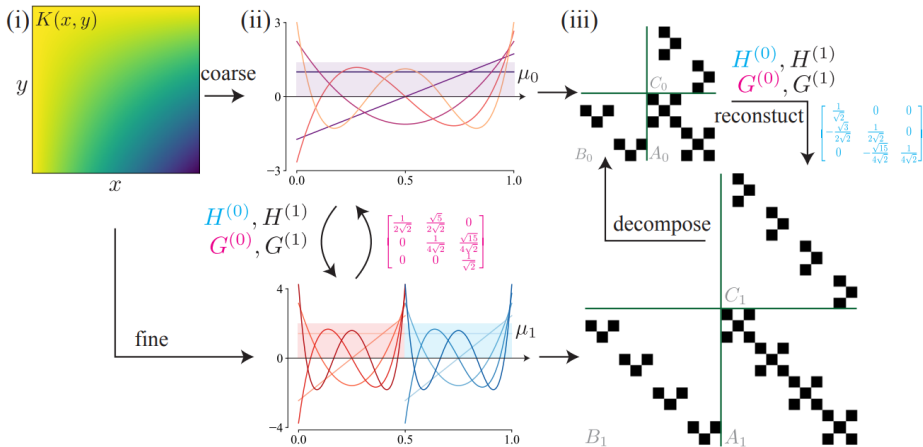


Fig. 8: Multiwavelet representation of the Kernel



Wavelet Neural Operator

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T denotes the desired neural operator s.t. $T[a(x)] = u(x)$ and $P_j : L^2(\mathbb{R}) \rightarrow V_j$ is the projection operator. We can define a neural operator from V_j to itself by $T_n := P_n T P_n$. Suppose the lowest and highest resolution is L, n , one can write:

$$T_n = \sum_{i=L+1}^n (Q_i T Q_i + Q_i T P_{i-1} + P_{i-1} T Q_i) + P_L T P_L := \sum_{i=L+1}^n (A_i + B_i + C_i) + \overline{T} \quad (34)$$

where $Q_i := P_i - P_{i-1}$ is the projection operator onto W_i .

If s_l^n, d_l^n are the coefficients of $a(x)$, then the coefficients of $u(x)$ consists of three parts by (34):

$$U_{d,l}^n = A_n d_l^n + B_n s_l^n; U_{s',l}^n = C_n d_l^n, U_{s,l}^L = \overline{T} s_l^L \quad (35)$$

Once we have these coefficients, we can use two-scale relation to reconstruct $u(x)$.



Wavelet Layer

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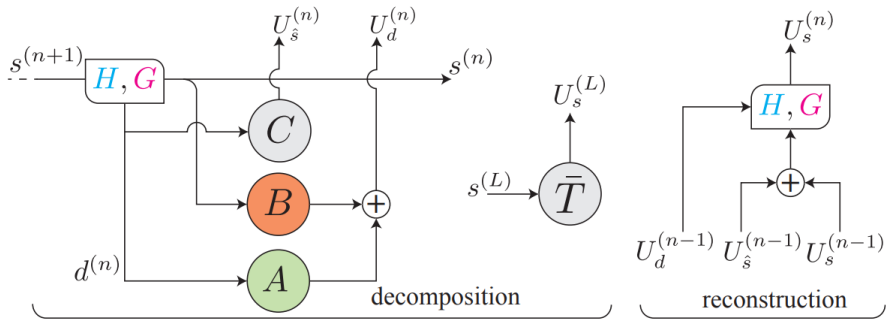


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Coupled Wavelet layers in PDE[5]

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Motivation

How to solve partial different equation **S**?

Example

$$\partial_t u = f(u, v) \quad (36)$$

$$\partial_t v = g(u, v) \quad (37)$$



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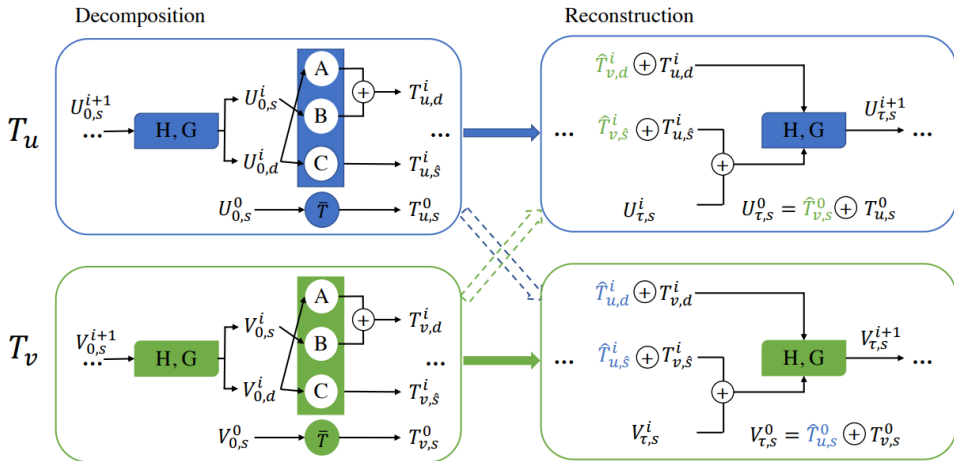


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