

Machine Learning for Fluid Mechanics

Features and Autoencoders



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..... *From da Vinci to LLE ...*

2. Proximity map

..... *Cartographing high-dimensional data ...*

3. Locally Linear Embedding

..... *Autoencoding on manifolds / The future of ROR*

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.... *Autoencoding on subspace with minimum residuum*

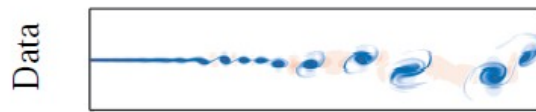
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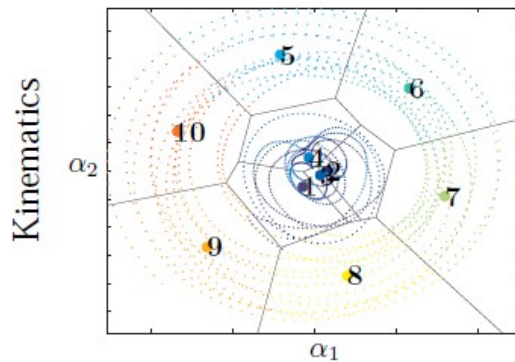
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..... *Alternative to Galerkin approximations*

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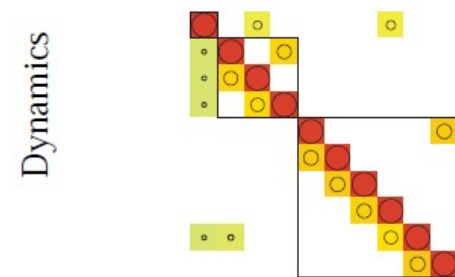


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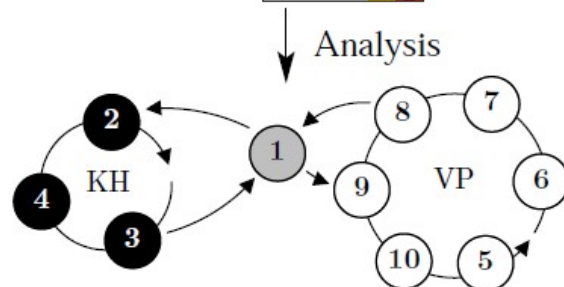
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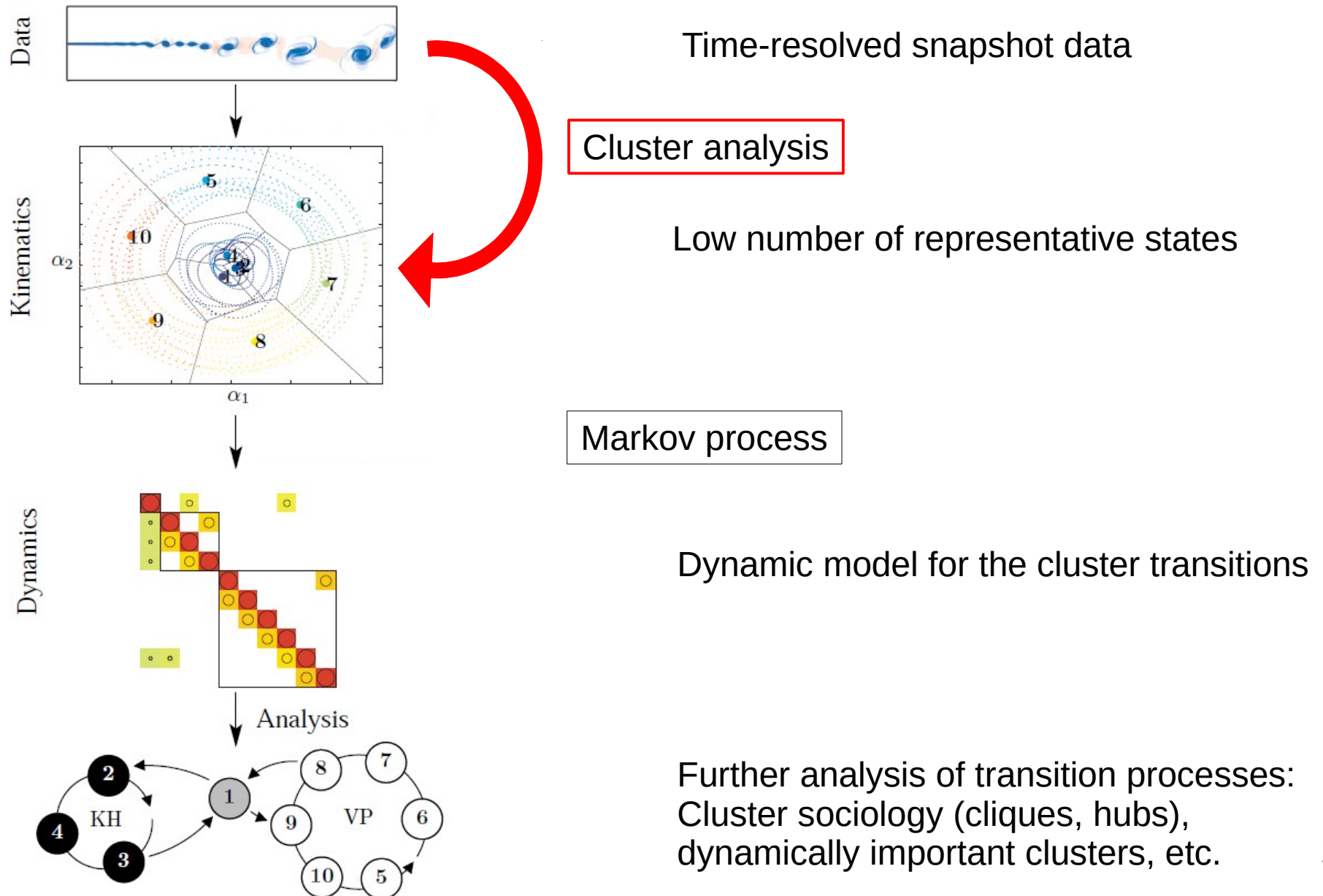
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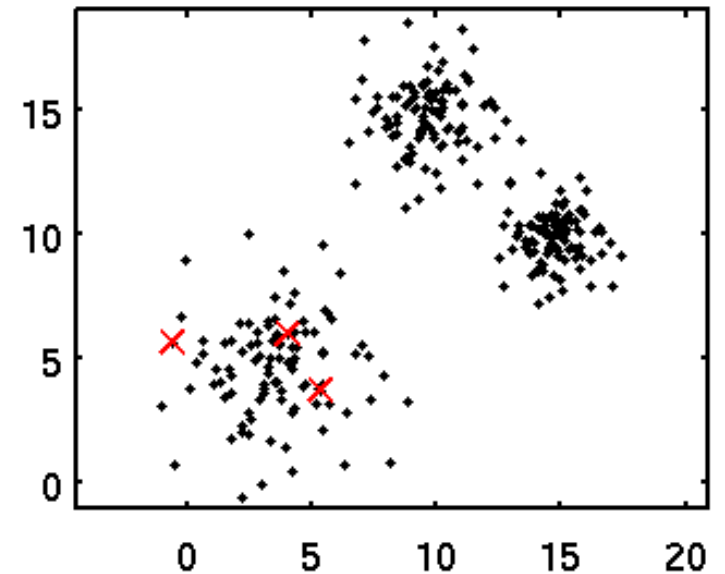
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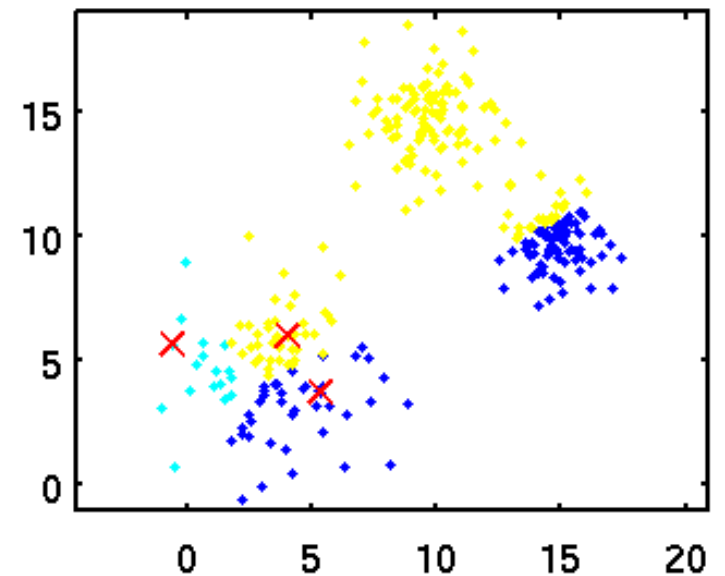
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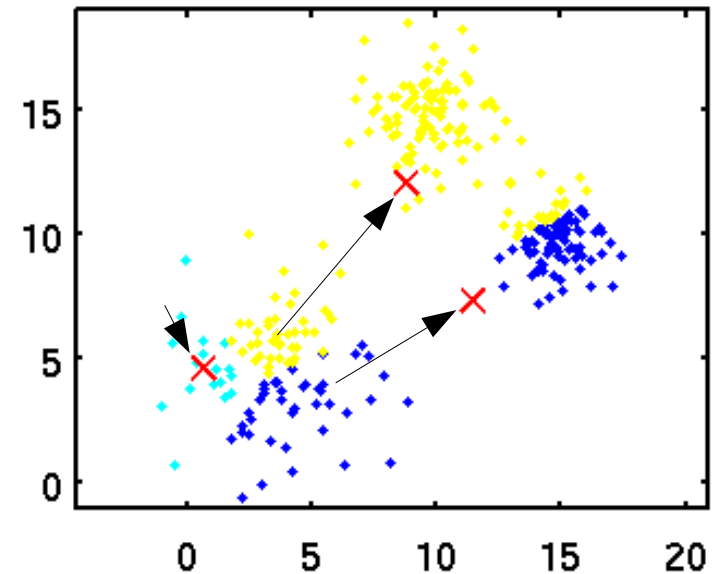
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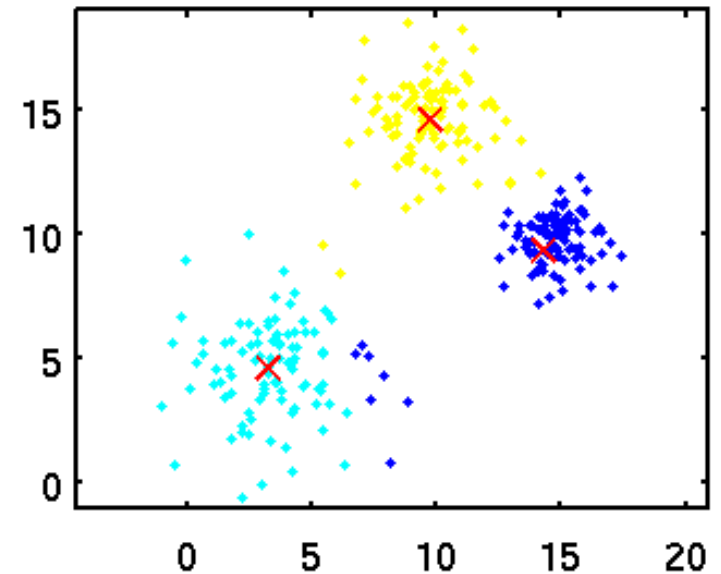
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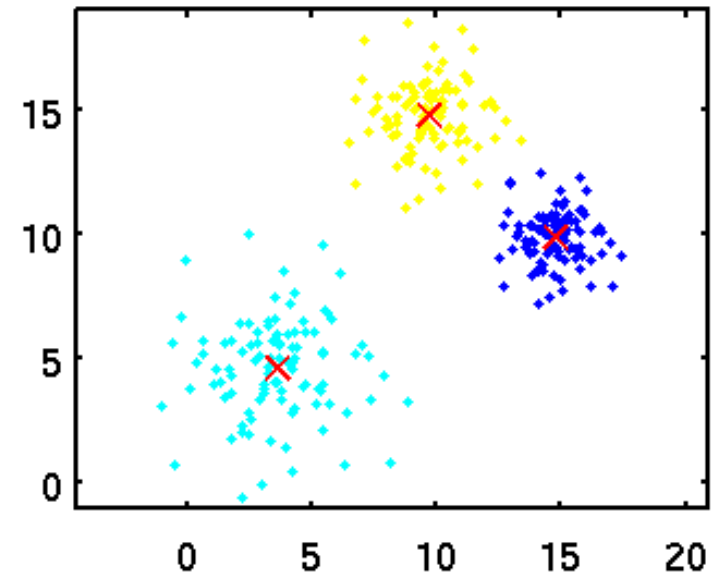
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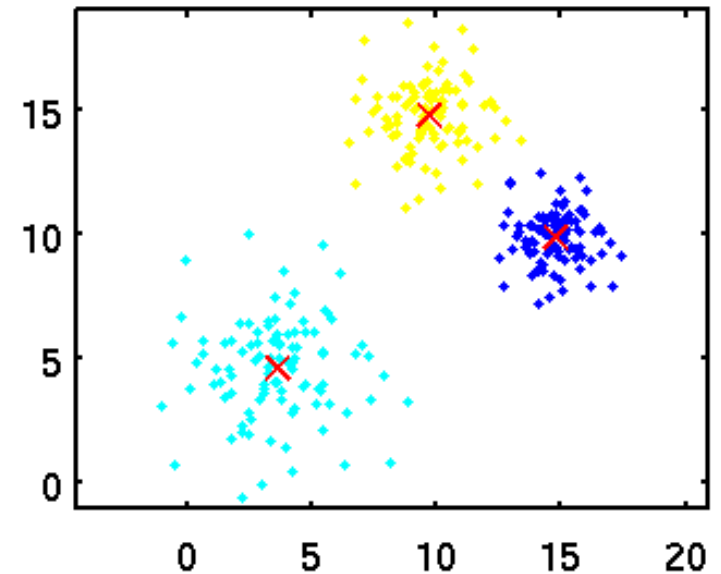
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Optimization problem:

$$J(\mathbf{c}_1, \dots, \mathbf{c}_K) = \sum_{k=1}^K \sum_{\mathbf{v}^m \in \mathcal{C}_k} \|\mathbf{v}^m - \mathbf{c}_k\|_{\Omega}^2$$

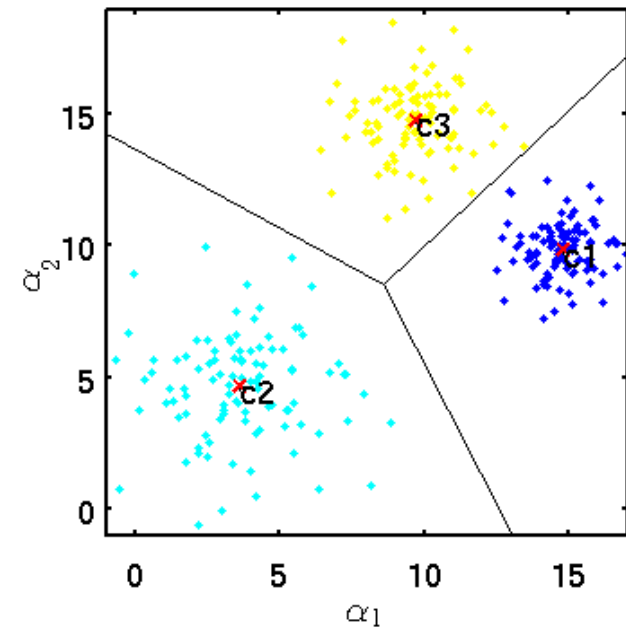
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Issues:

- Cluster number needs to be defined in advance (tests for good choice)
- Converges to local optimum
- Clustering effected by initial choice of centroids
- Definition of distance

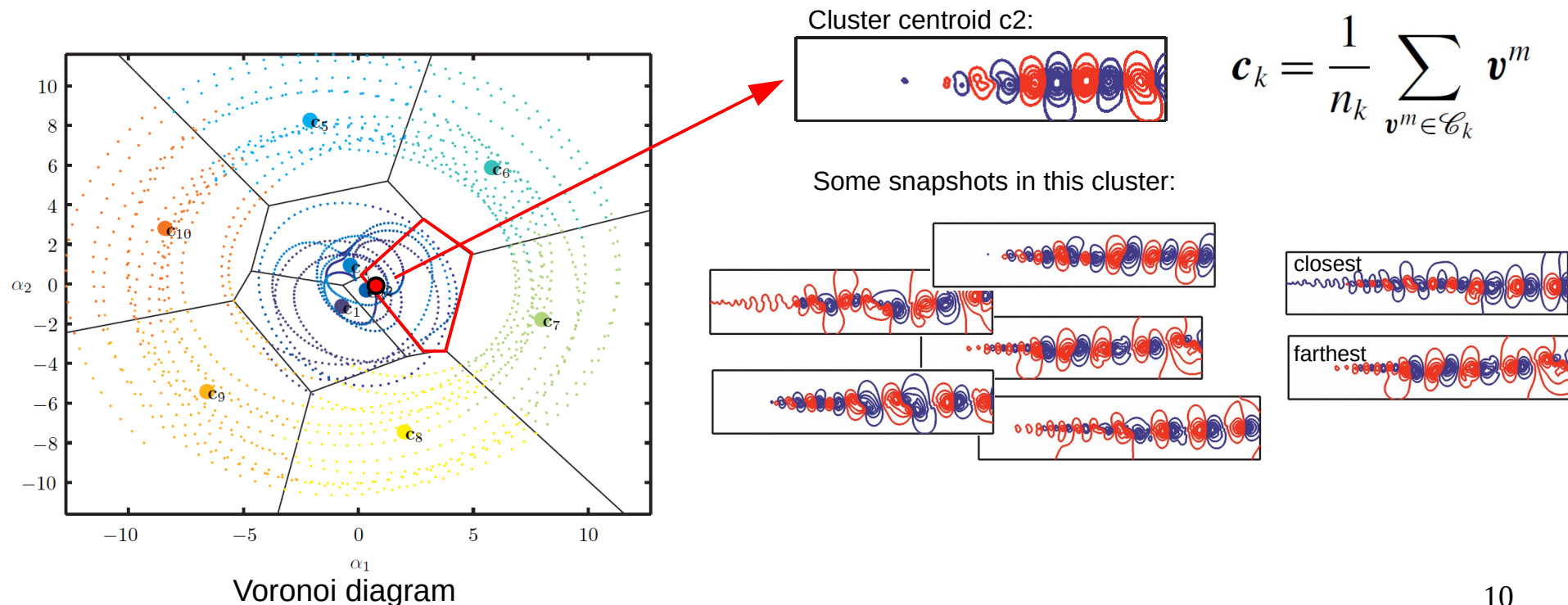
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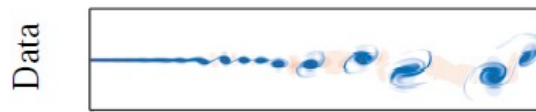
Clustering of mixing layer data

K-means applied to POD coefficient vectors for K=10, M=2000 snapshots

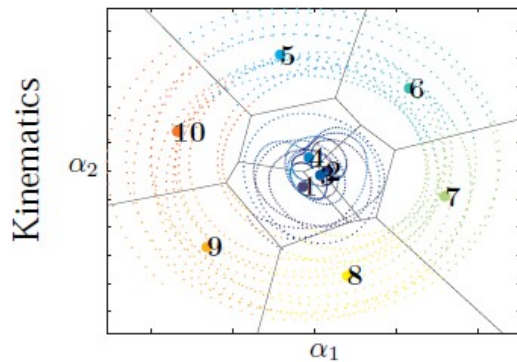
- Compression of all snapshots into a few modes
- Uncertainty due to cluster size



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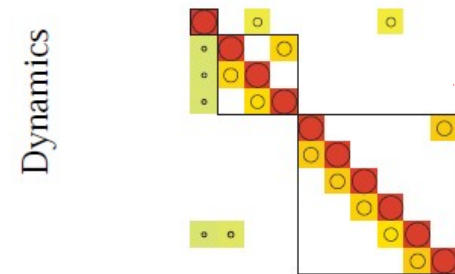


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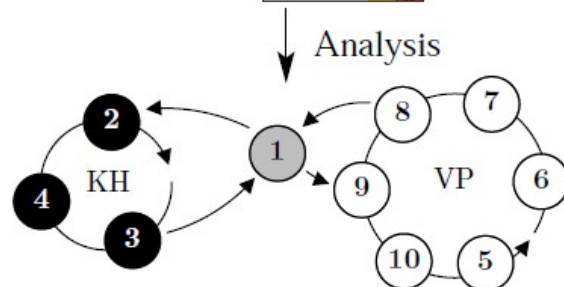
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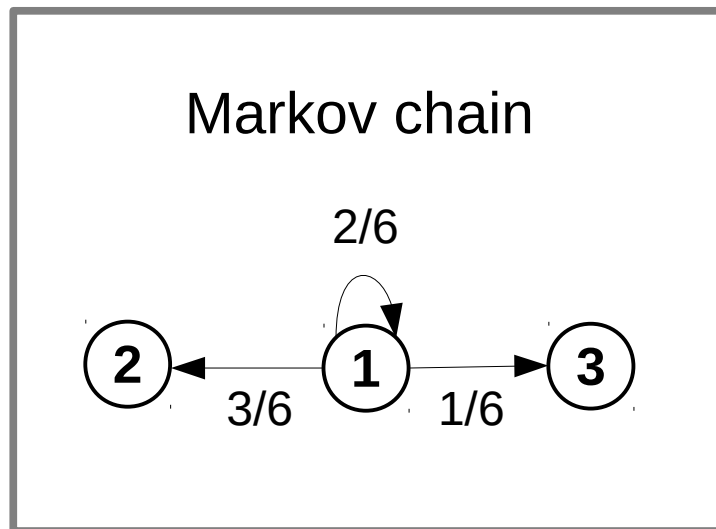


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Transition matrix model

- Discrete states with probabilities $\mathbf{p}^l = [p_1^l, \dots, p_K^l]^T$ $\sum_{k=1}^K p_k^l = 1$
- Transition probabilities to move from one state to another depends on current state

$$\mathbf{p}^{l+1} = P \mathbf{p}^l$$

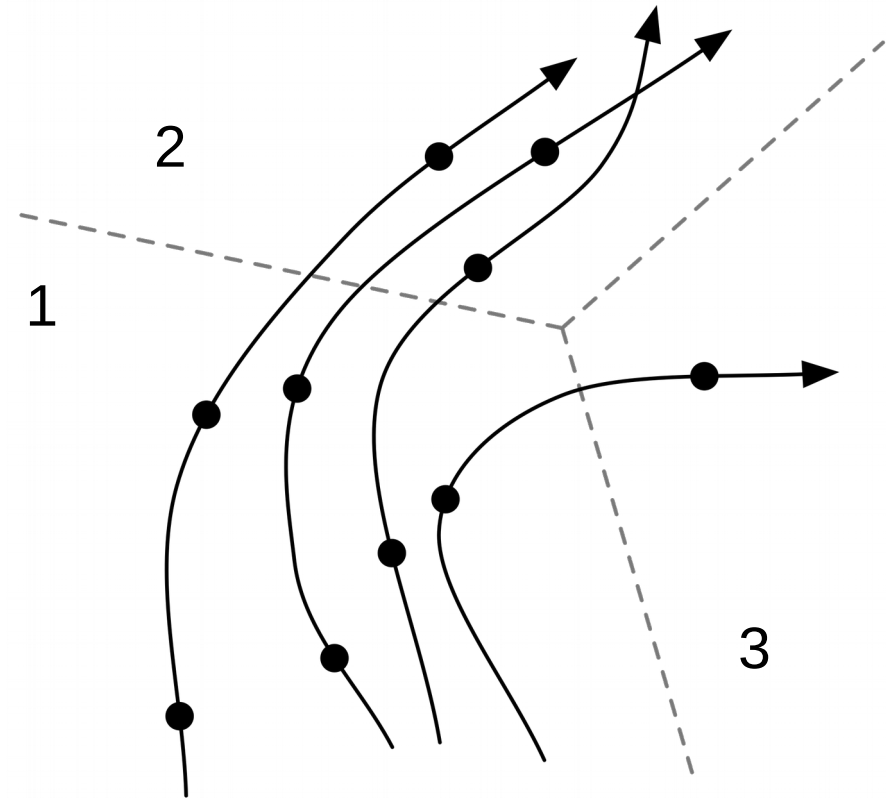


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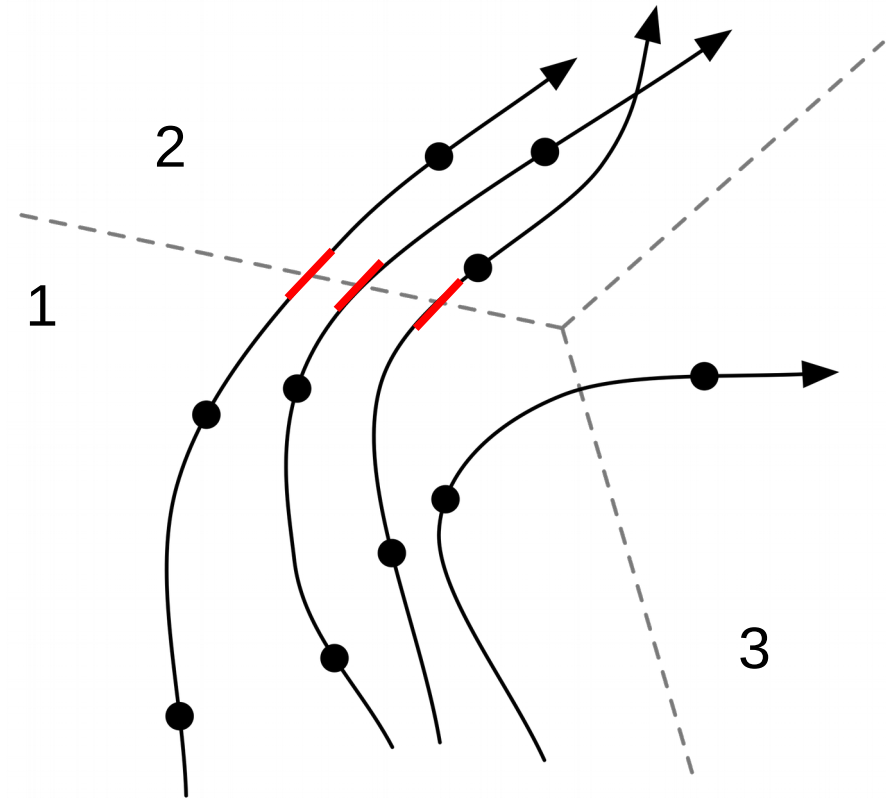


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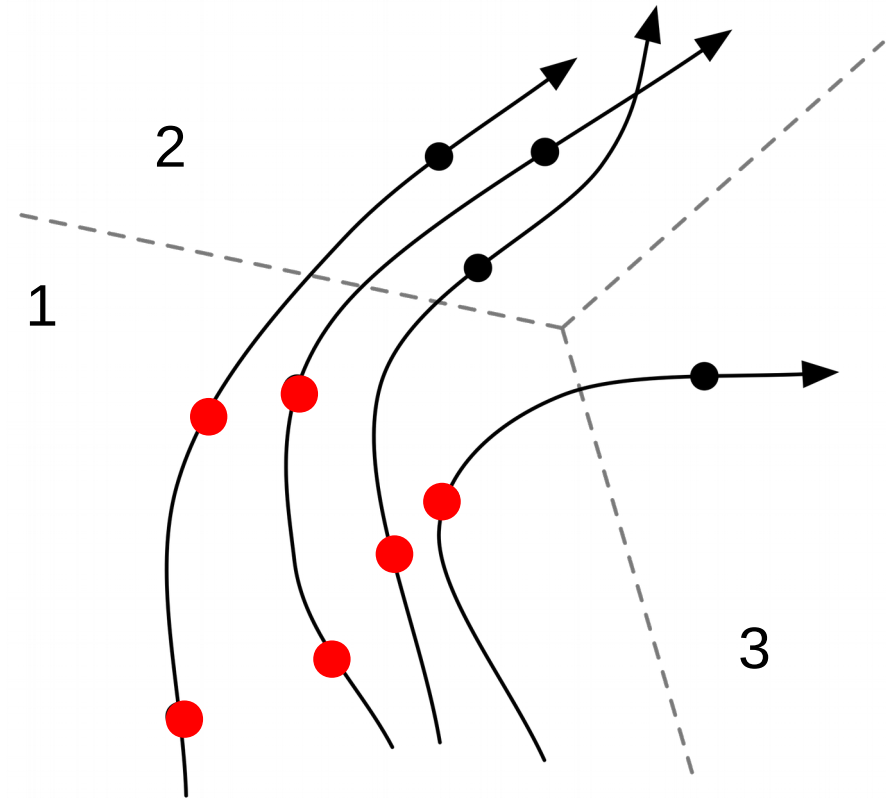


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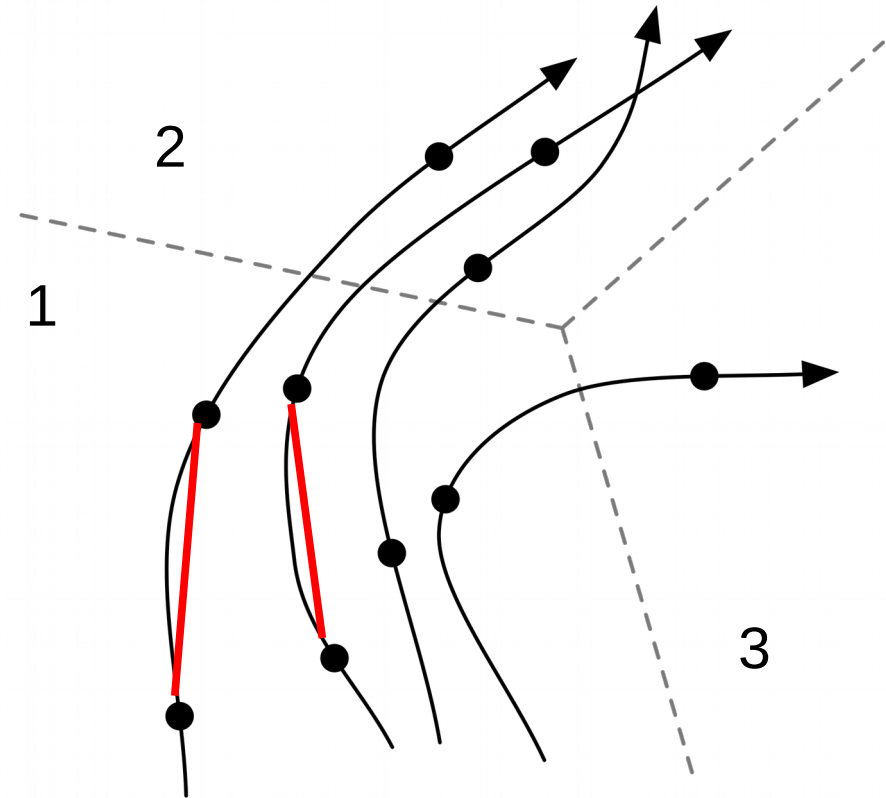
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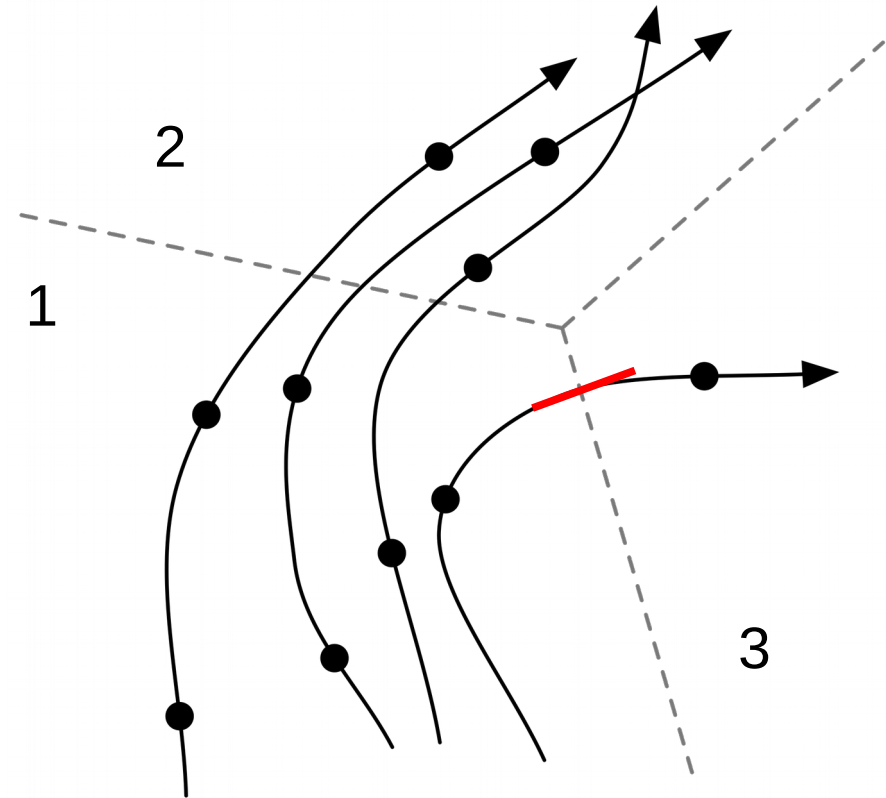
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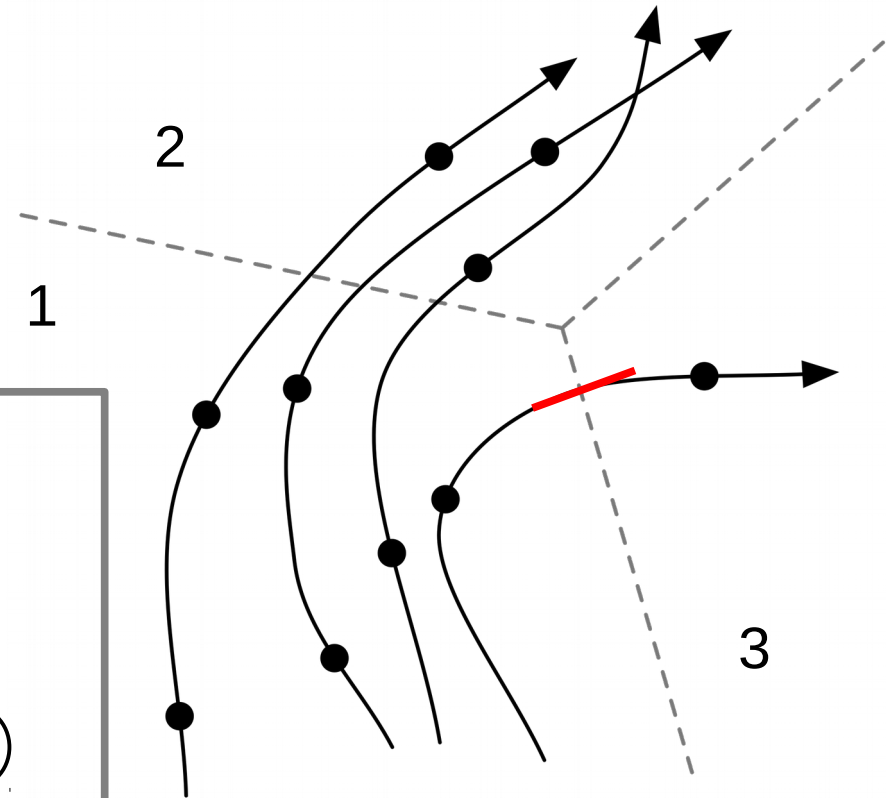
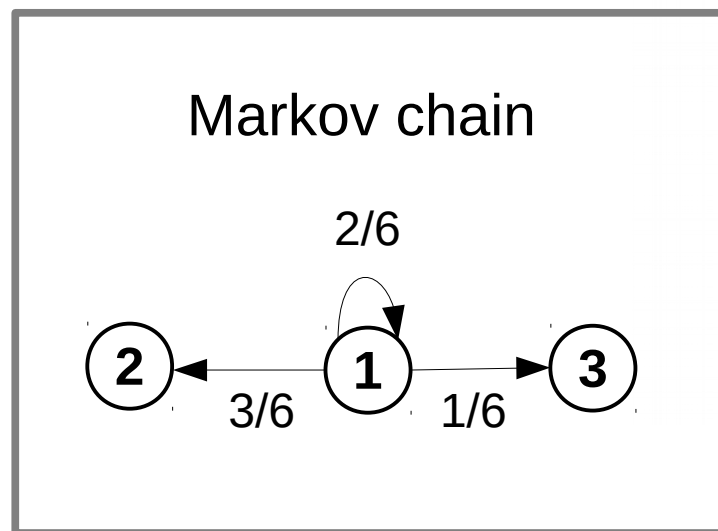
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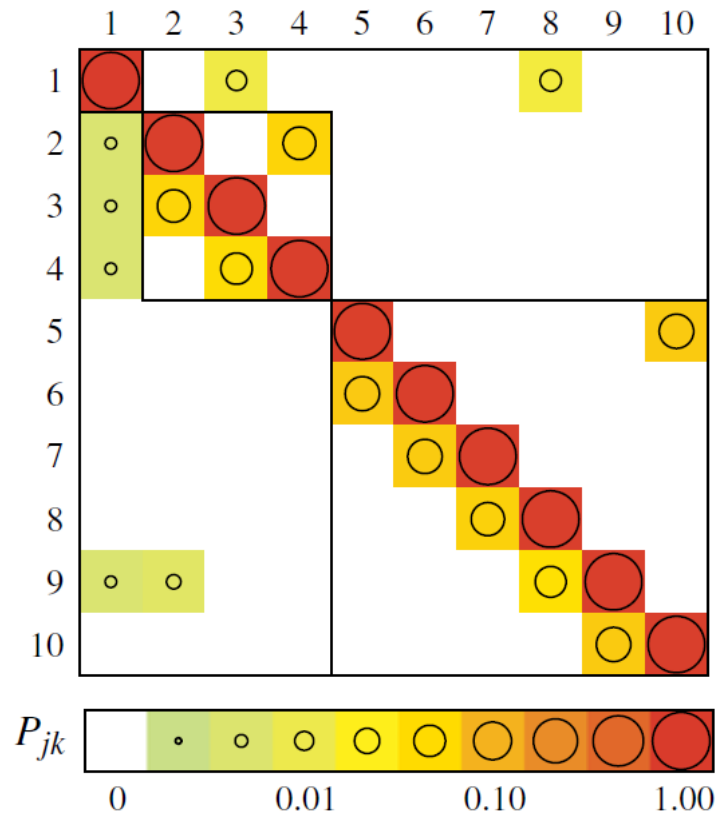
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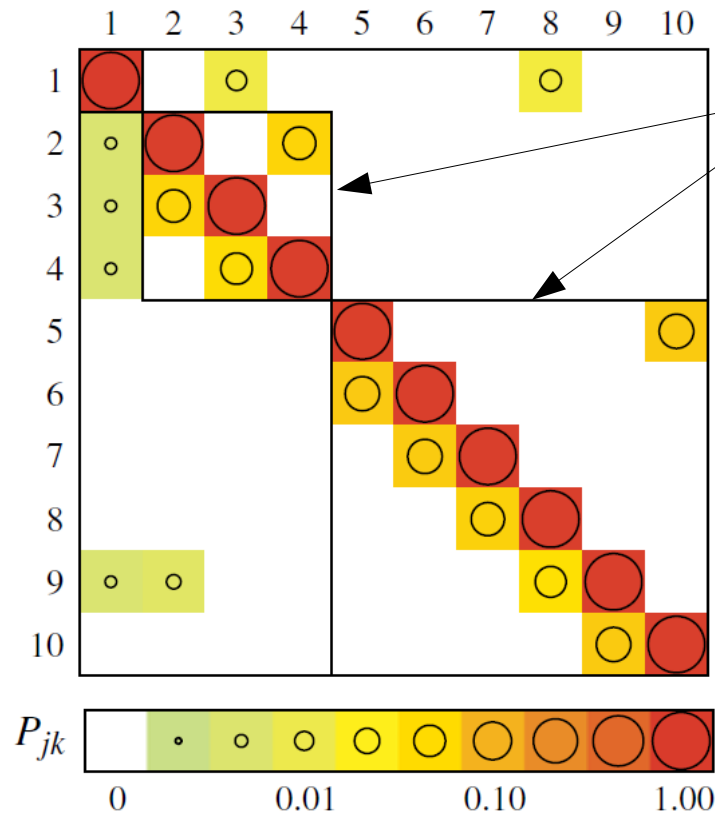
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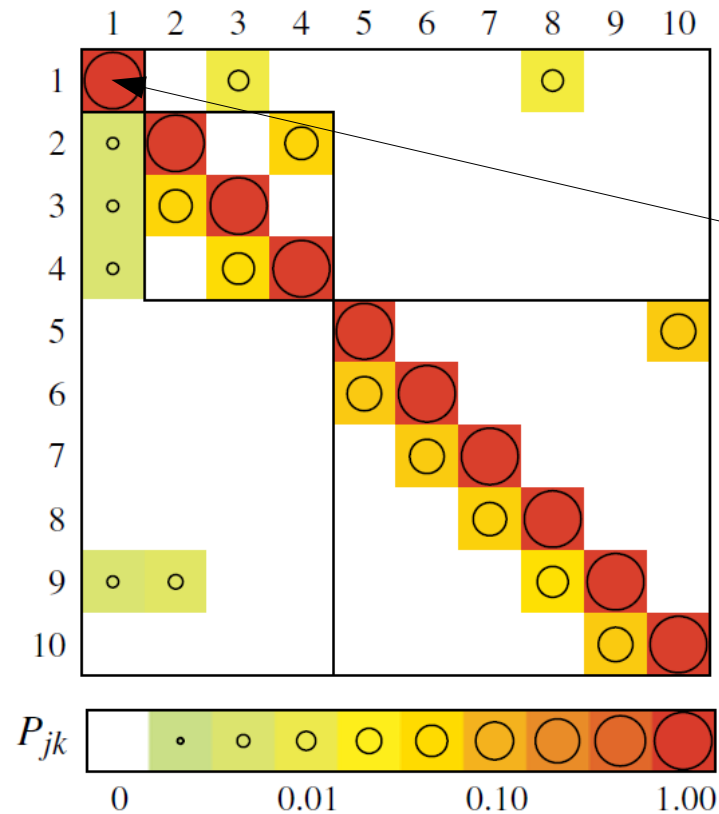
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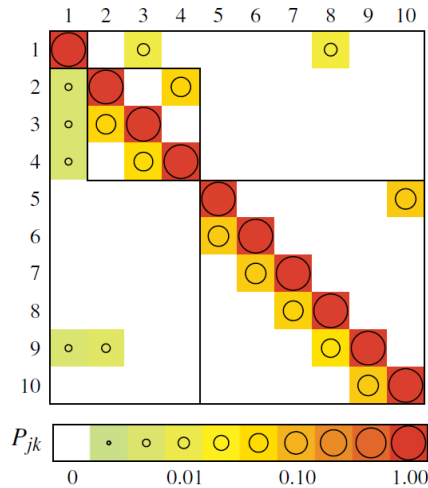
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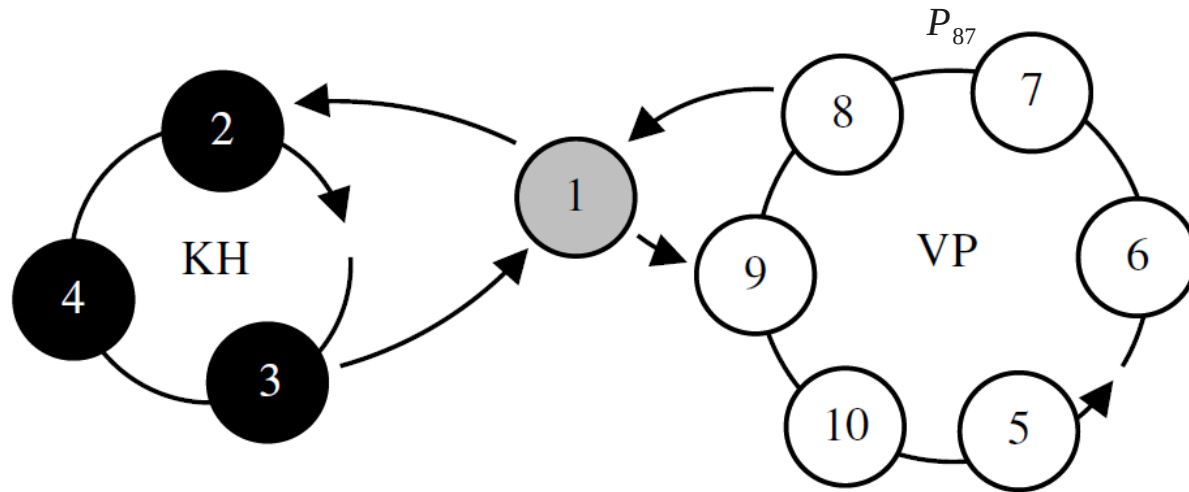
Flipper cluster c1 connects
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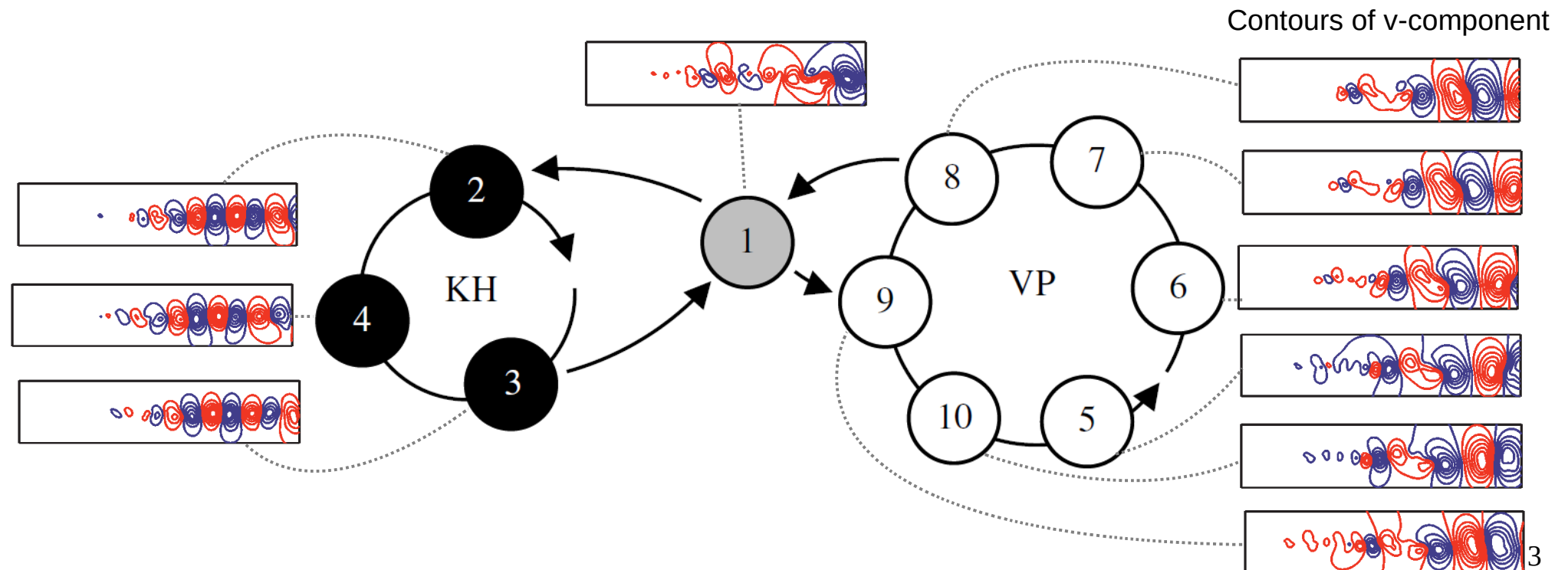
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Simplified cluster transitions

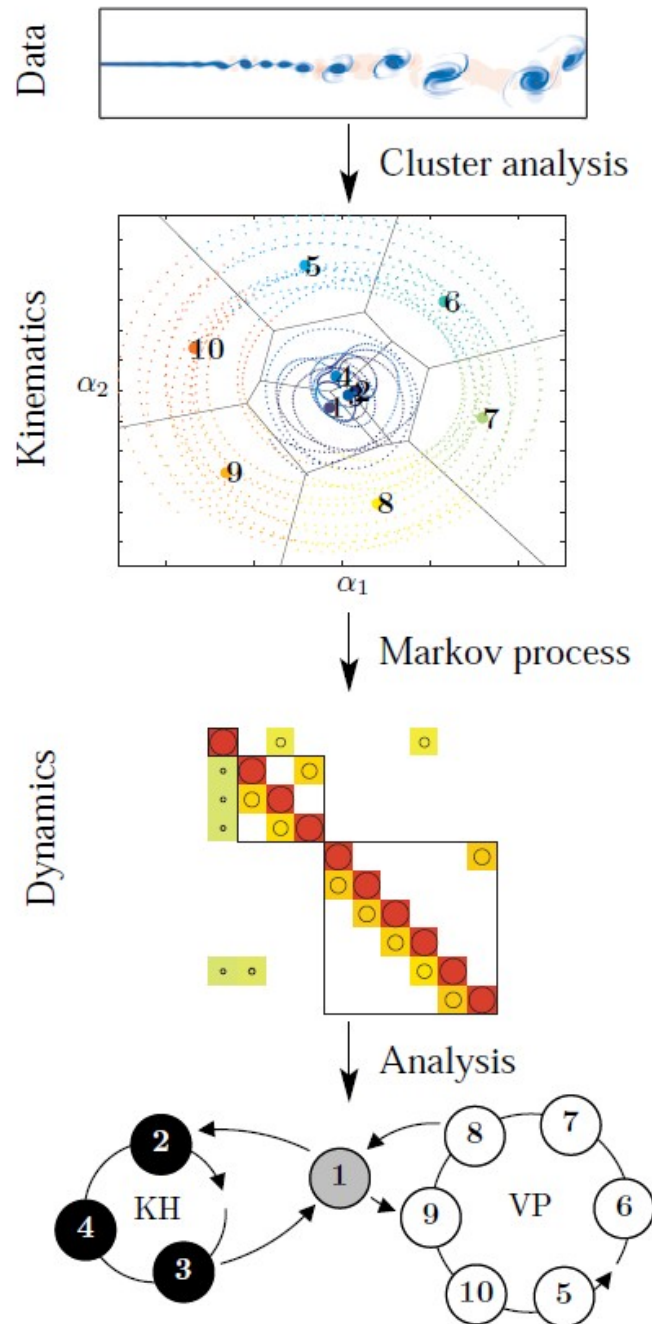


CROM of a mixing layer

- Most clusters are 'phase bins'
- Centroids are aligned with the dynamical evolution of the flow
- Identification of two shedding regimes
- Flipper cluster acts as a switch between both shedding regimes

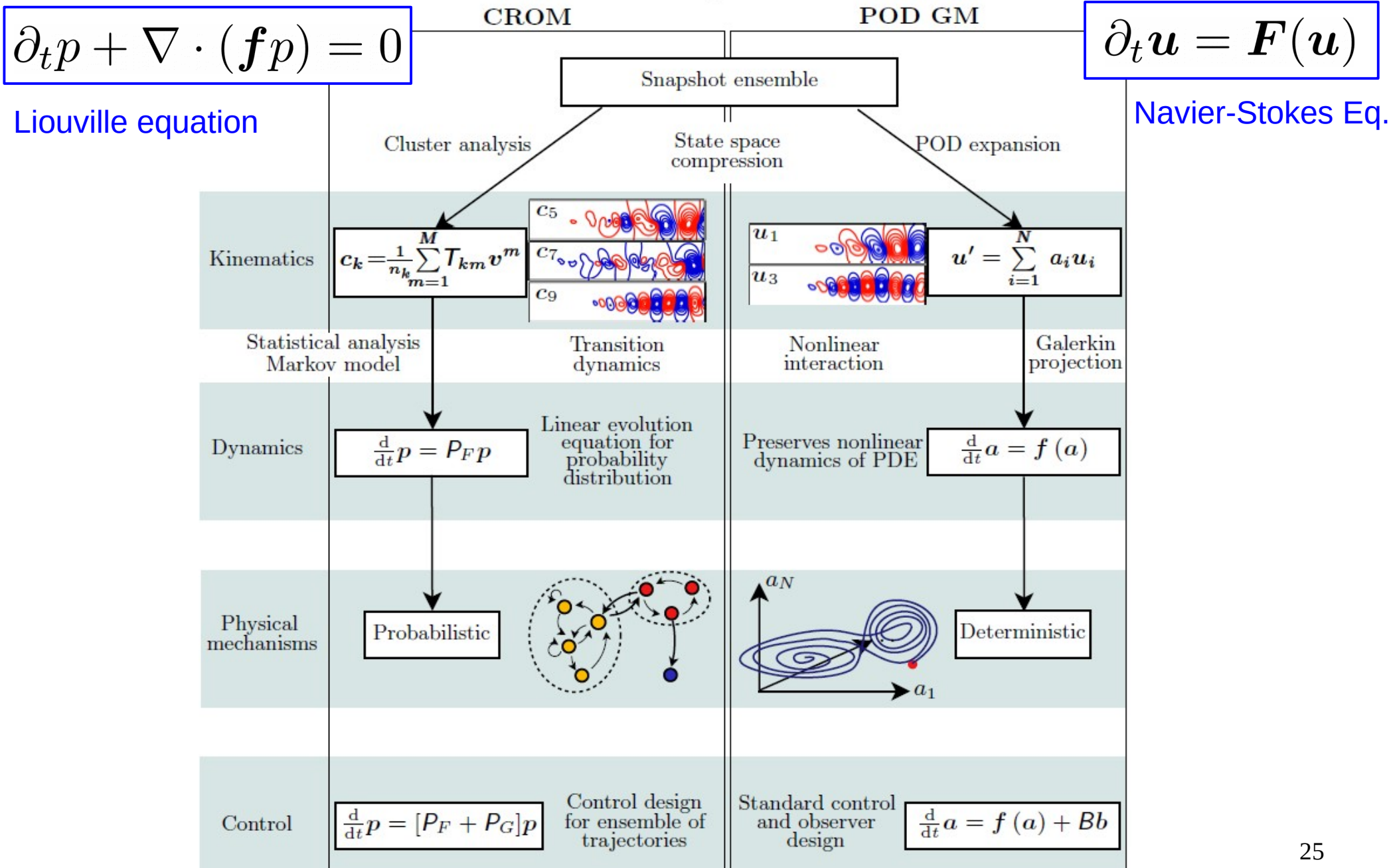


Conclusions



- Data-driven approach to extract physical mechanisms in an unsupervised manner
- Some tuning parameters:
 - cluster number
 - time step of data
 - distance metric
- Cluster sociology
- Linear model taking into account nonlinear actuation dynamics

CROM vs. POD Galerkin models



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Alternatives to POD

(1) **Dynamic Mode Decomposition (DMD)**

☐ Rowley+ 2009 JFM, Schmid 2010 JFM

ID of stability modes near steady solution;
Fourier modes on attractor

(2) **Recursive DMD (rDMD)** ☐ Noack+ 2016 JFM

Fourier-like modes with low residual

(3) **Extended POD (EPOD)** ☐ Hoarau 2006 PF

Linearly links flow to sensor data

(4) **Spectral POD (SPOD)** ☐ Sieber 2016 JFM

Interpolation between POD and Fourier modes

(5) **Spectral POD (SPOD) II** ☐ Towne+ 2018 JFM

Space and time-dependent modes

(6) **Convective POD (CPOD)** ☐ 2018 AFCC Schulze

POD-like modes for convection

... **Many more for many more purposes**

POD—Recursive algorithm

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Step 2 **Compute fluctuation**

$$\boldsymbol{v}^m(\boldsymbol{x}) := \boldsymbol{u}^m(\boldsymbol{x}) - \boldsymbol{u}_0(\boldsymbol{x})$$

Step 3 **Compute POD mode** $\boldsymbol{u}_1(\boldsymbol{x})$

—most energetic direction

$$\left\langle |(\boldsymbol{v}^m(\boldsymbol{x}), \boldsymbol{u}_1(\boldsymbol{x}))_{\Omega}|^2 \right\rangle_M \stackrel{!}{=} \max$$

Step 4 **Remove orthogonal component** w.r.t $\boldsymbol{u}_1(\boldsymbol{x})$

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Step 5 **Repeat Step 3 & 4** for the i th POD mode

$$\boldsymbol{u}_i(\boldsymbol{x})$$

$$i = 1, \dots, N$$

DMD—Basic idea

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Step 0 **Snapshot data**—Now time-resolved, i.e. with small Δt

$$\mathbf{u}^m(\mathbf{x}) := \mathbf{u}(\mathbf{x}, t^m), \quad t^m = m\Delta t, \quad m = 1, \dots, M$$

Step 1 **Identify linear map A**

$$\mathbf{u}^{m+1} = A\mathbf{u}^m, \quad m = 1, \dots, M-1$$

Step 2 **Compute eigenmodes of A**

—These are the DMD modes!

$$\lambda_i \mathbf{u}_i = A\mathbf{u}_i, \quad i = 1, \dots, M-1$$

Comment 1 **Near steady solution/linear growth (CFD)**

\Rightarrow **Some DMD modes are stability modes**

Comment 2 **On attractor / in experiment**

—statistically representative data

\Rightarrow **All DMD modes become Fourier modes**

Recursive DMD (rDMD)—Algorithm

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From all DMD modes, take the one which resolves the largest fluctuation level.

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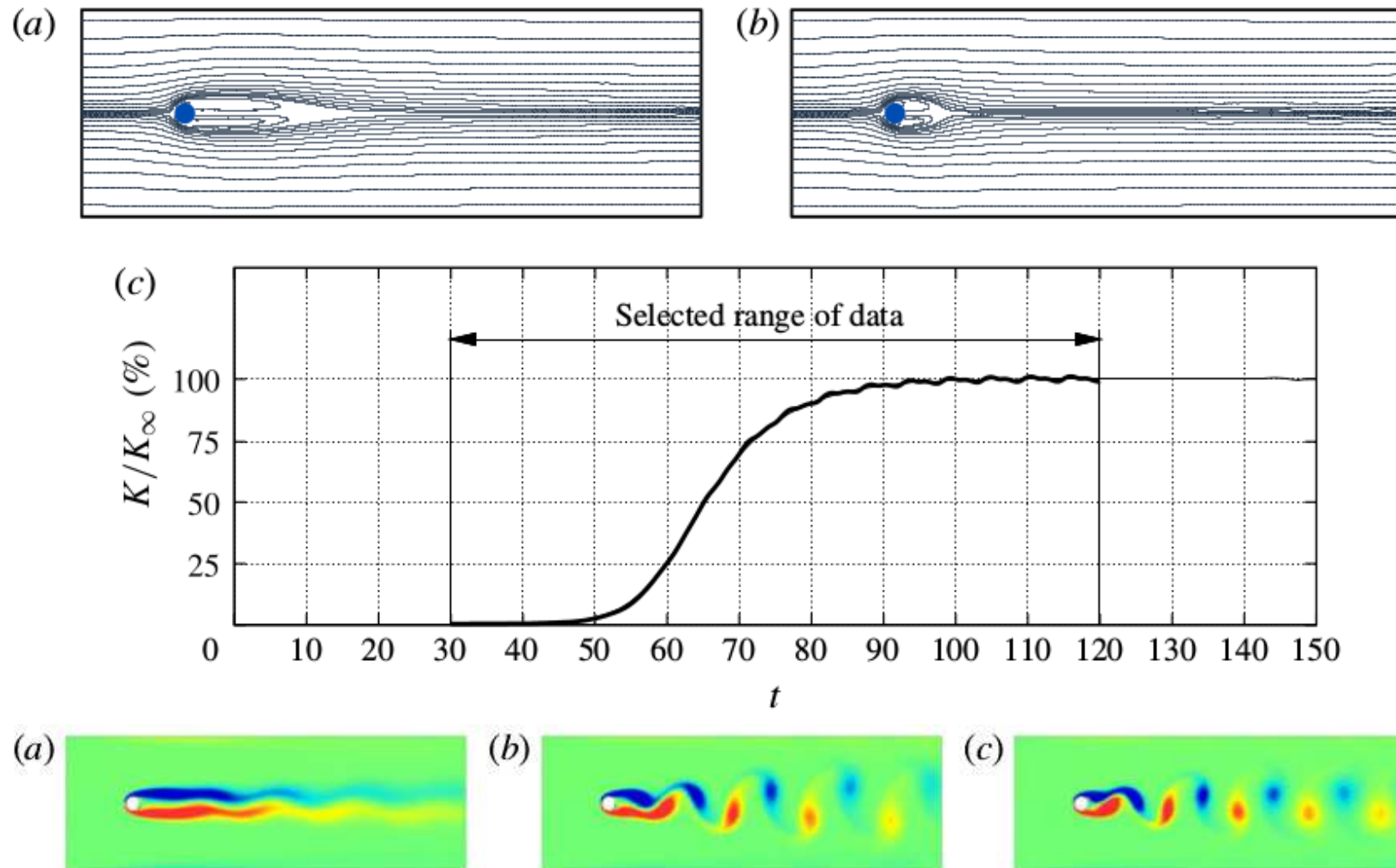
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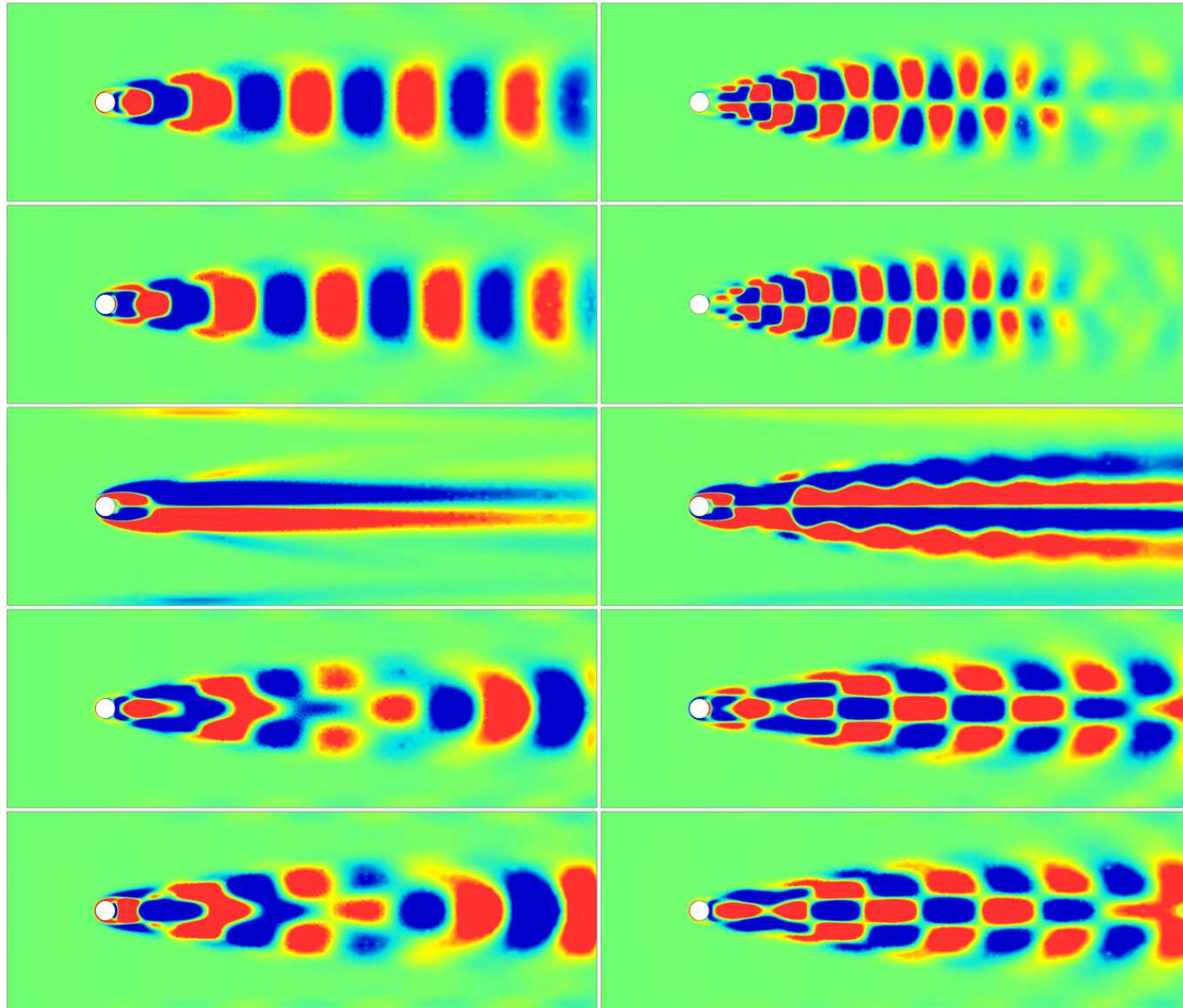
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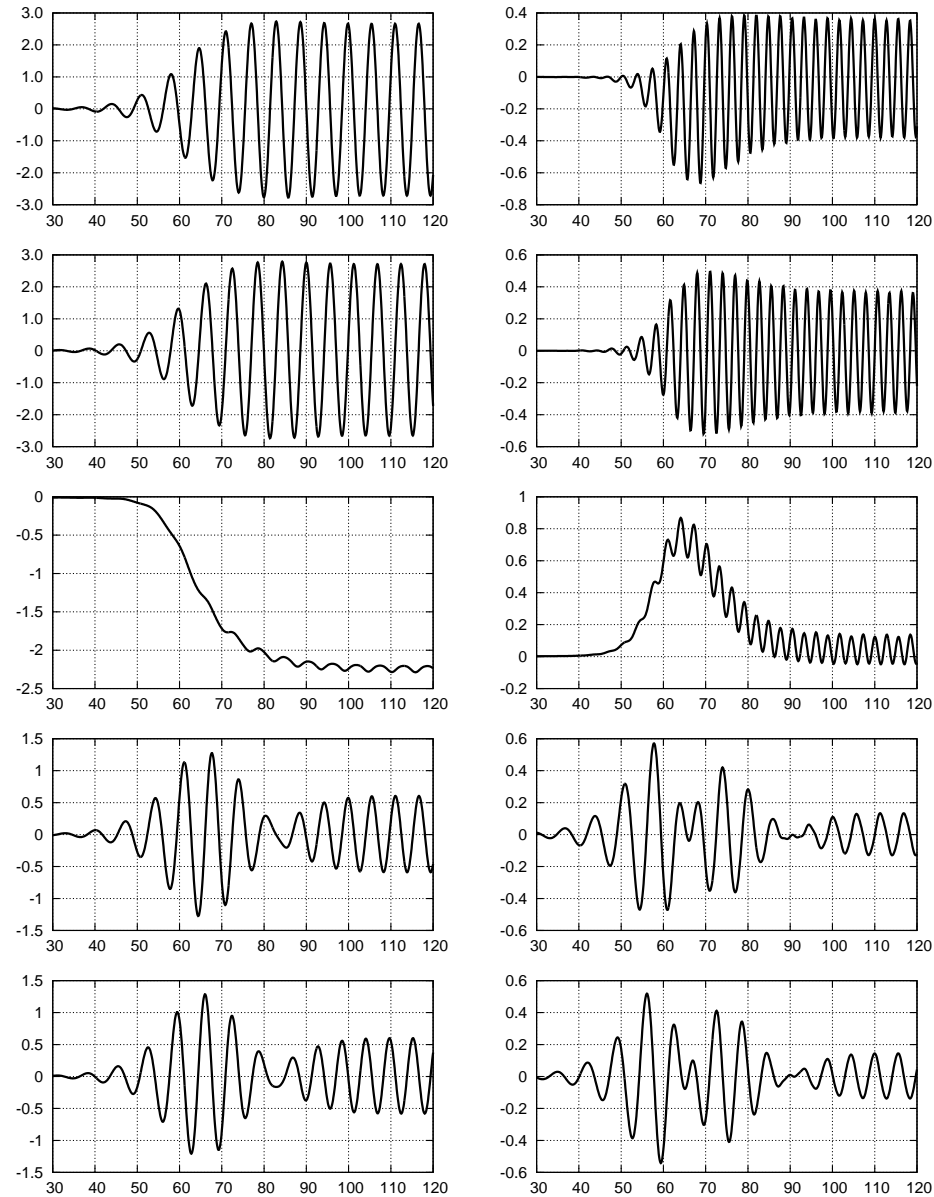
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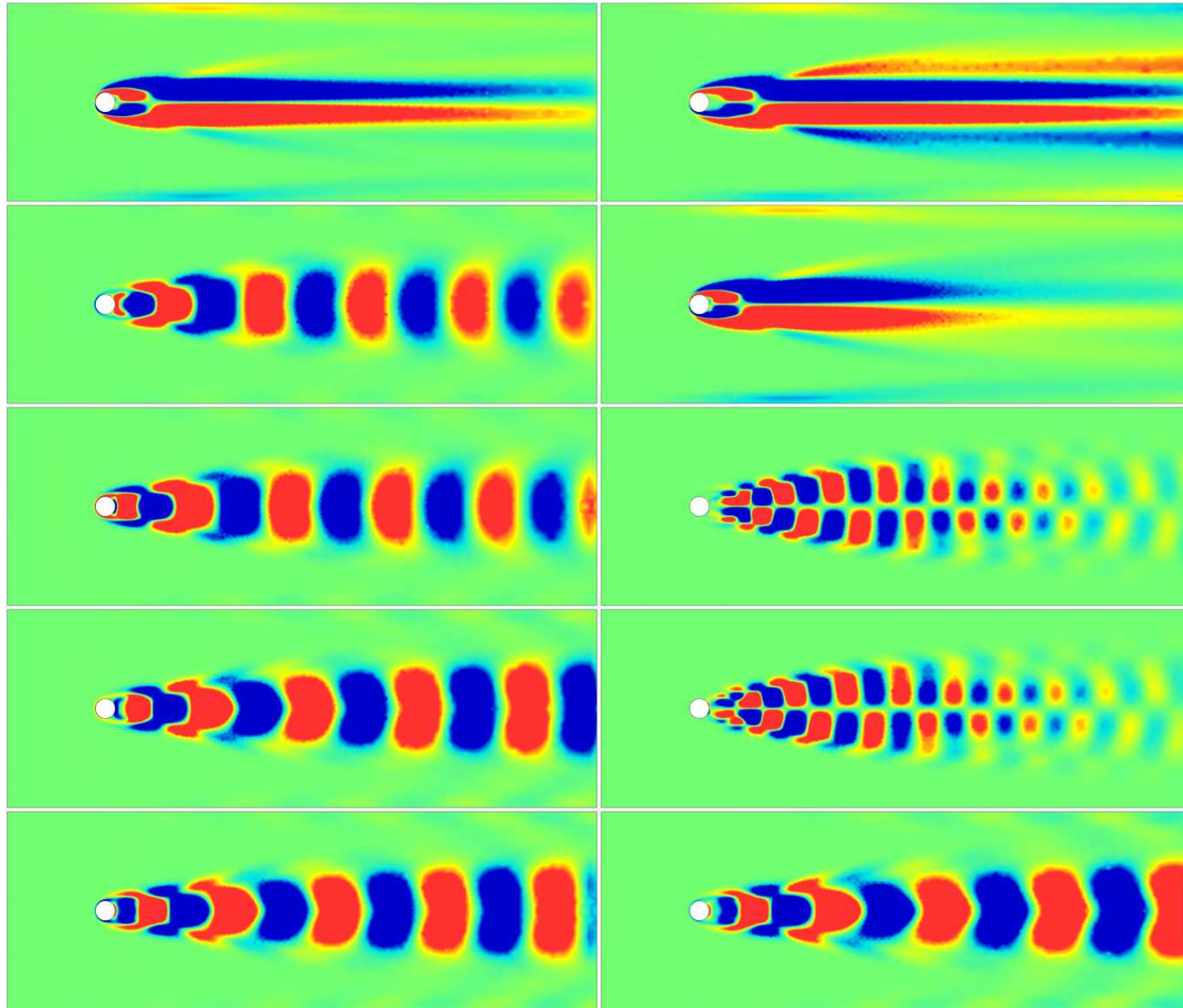
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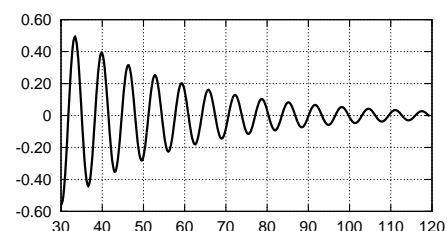
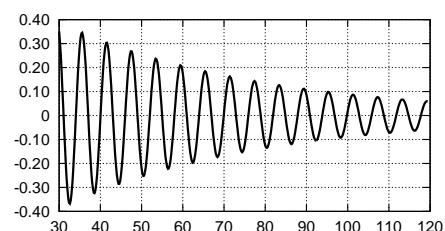
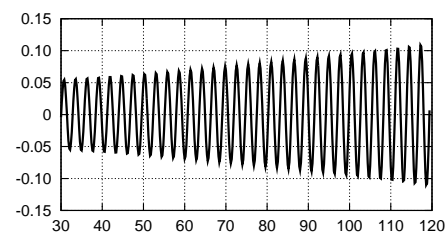
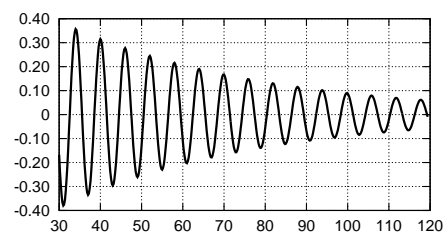
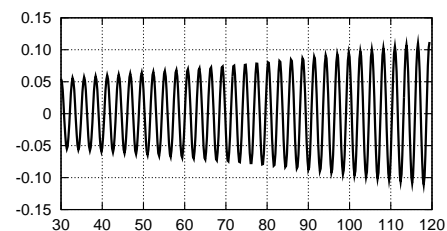
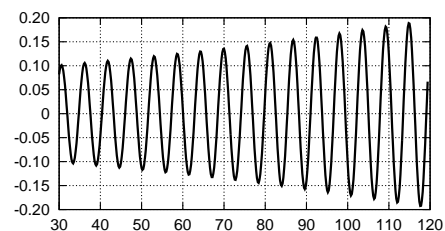
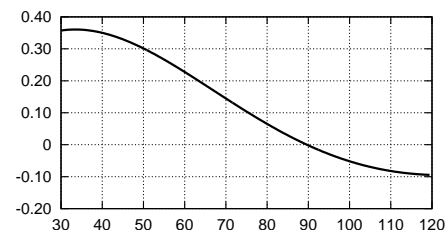
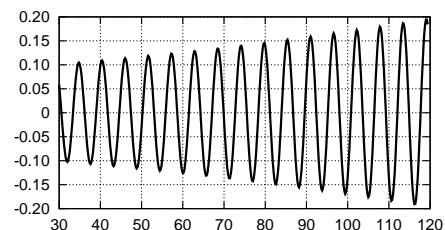
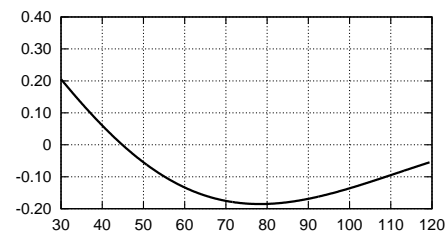
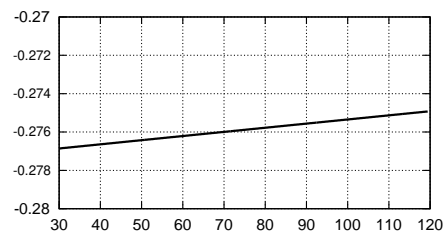
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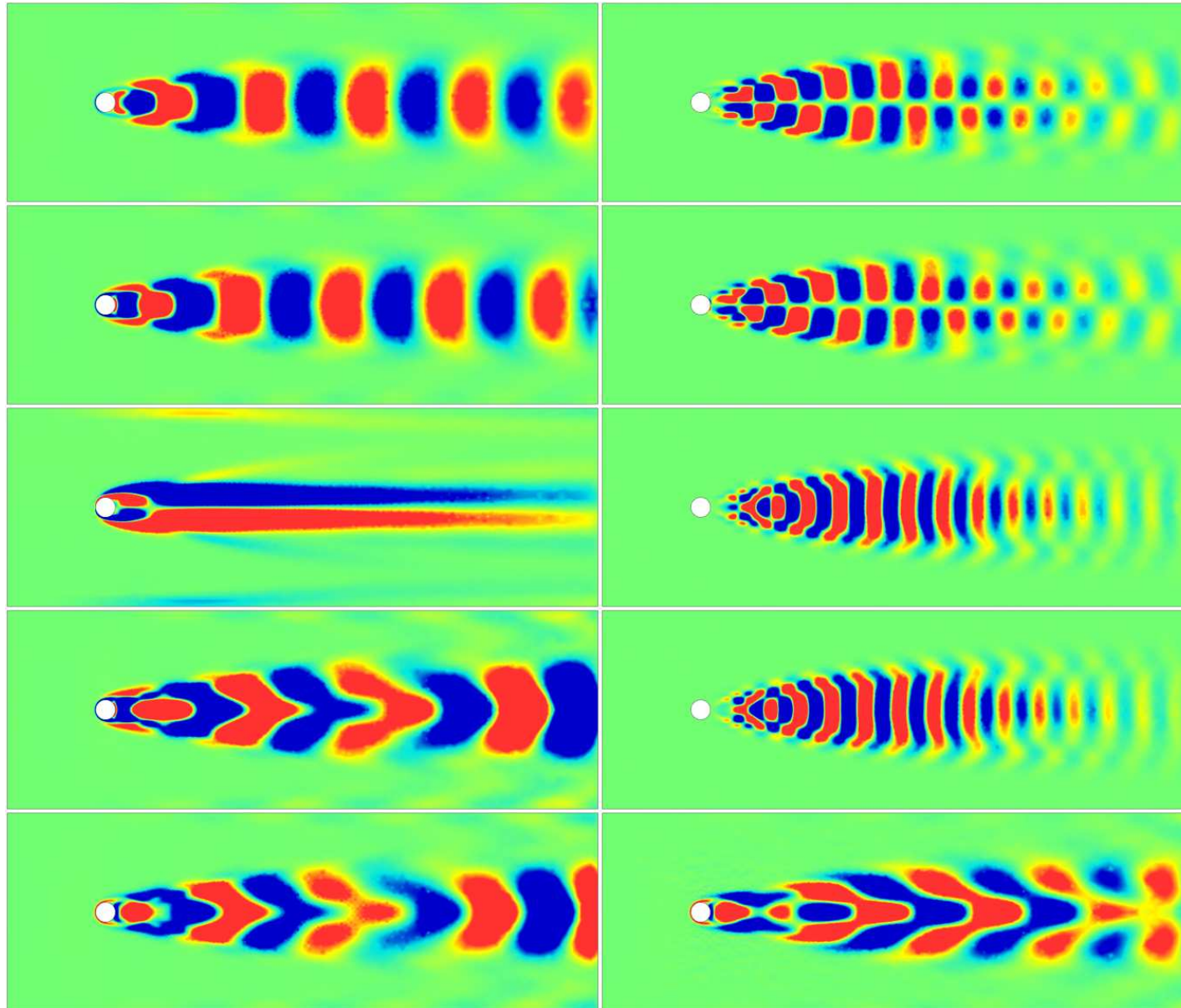
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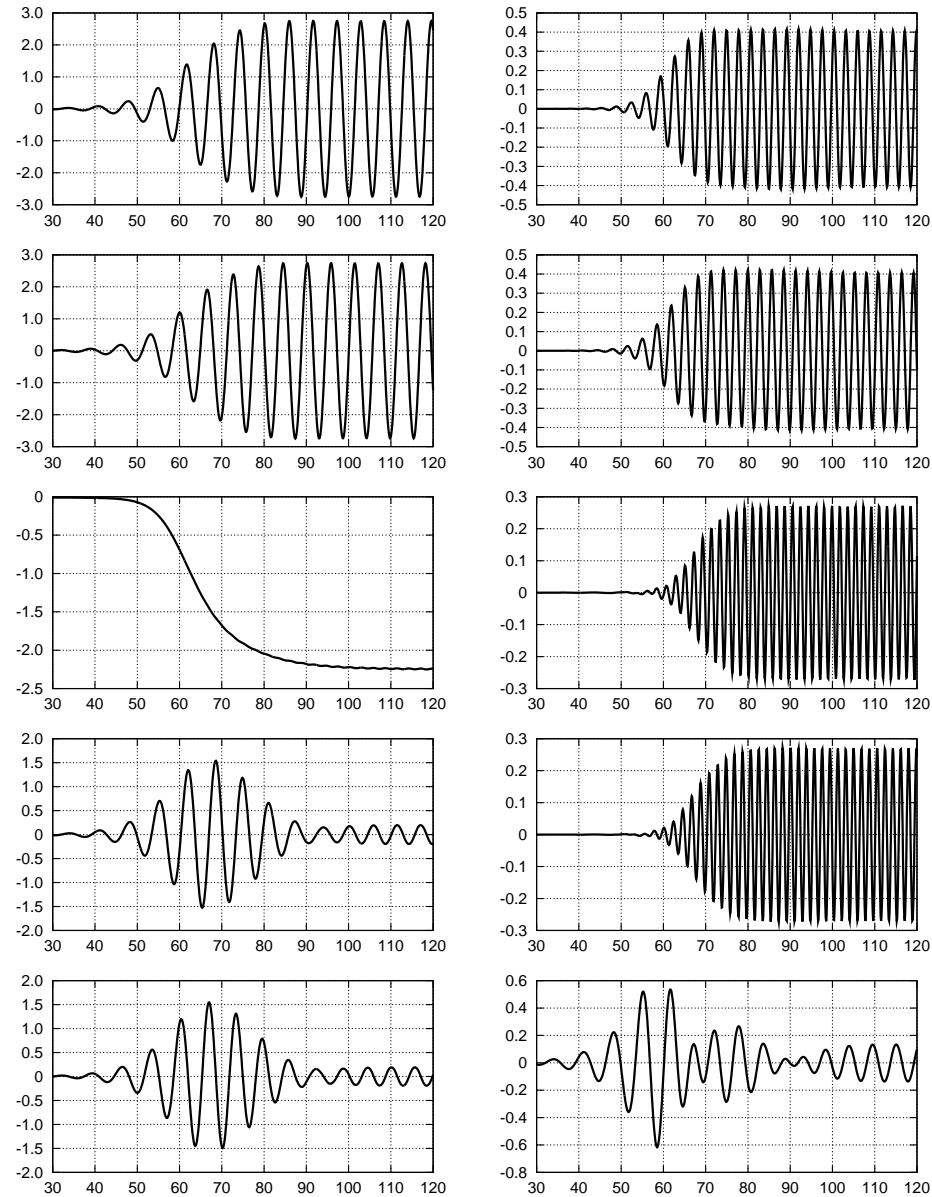
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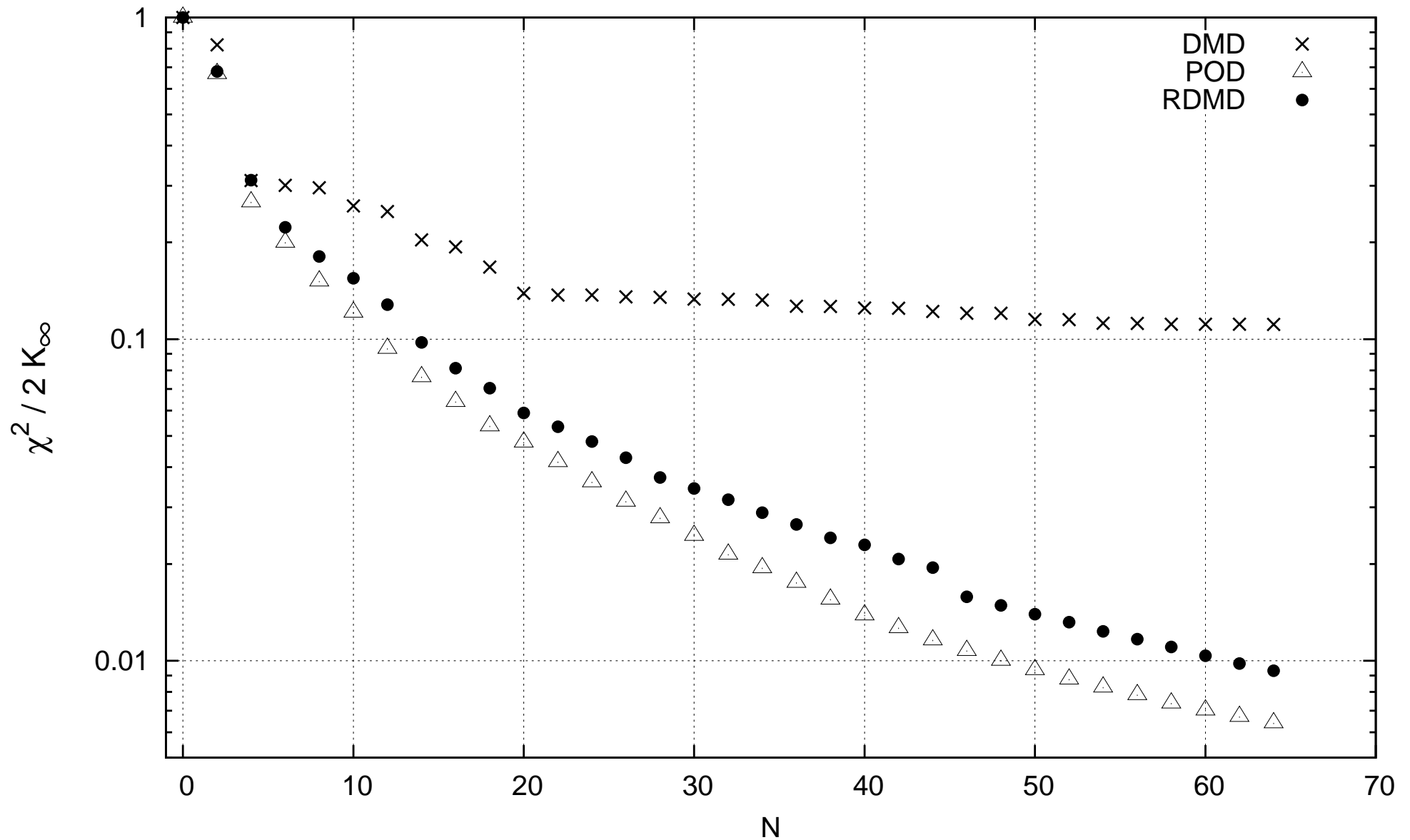
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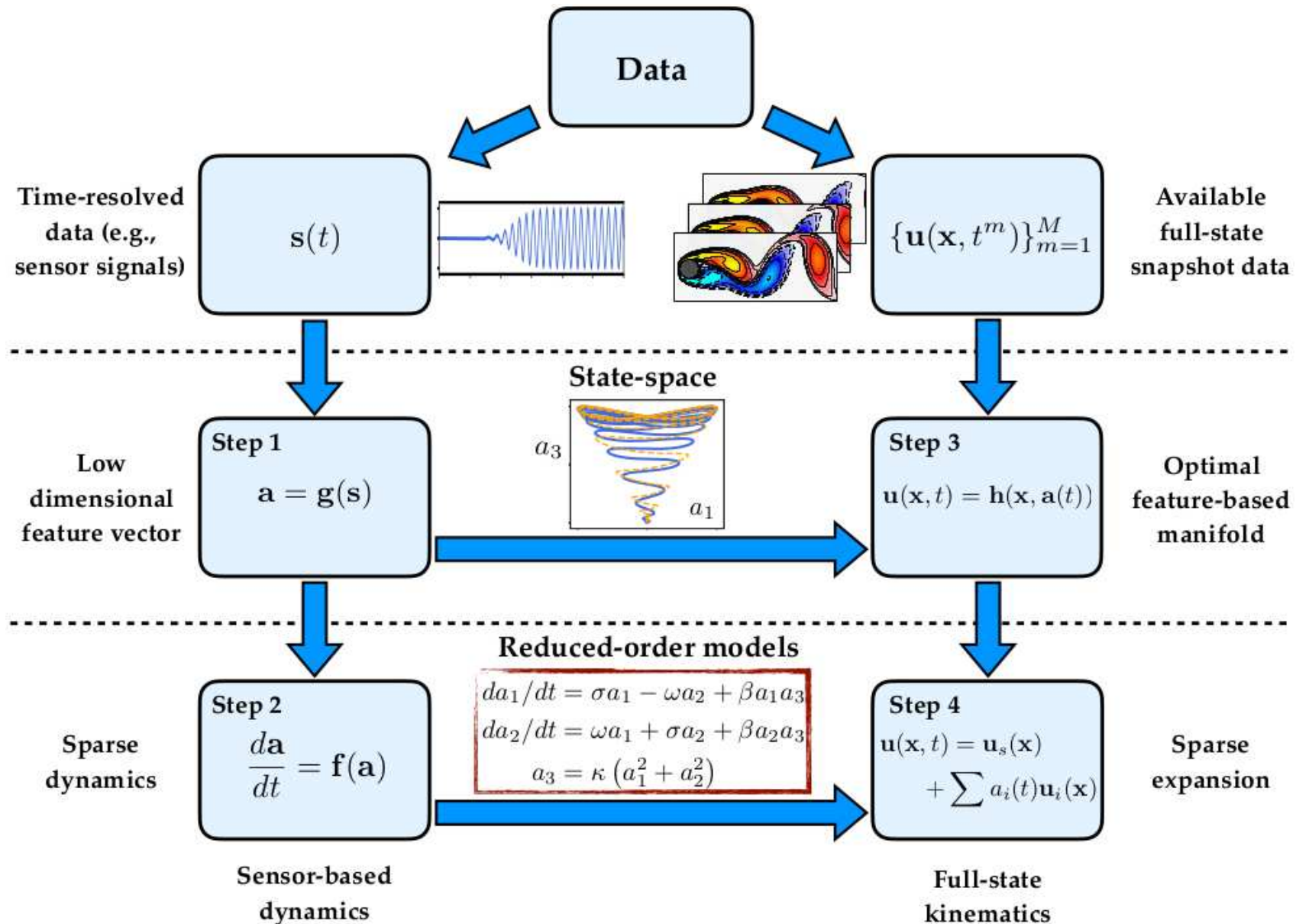
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Feature-based Manifold Model (FeMM)

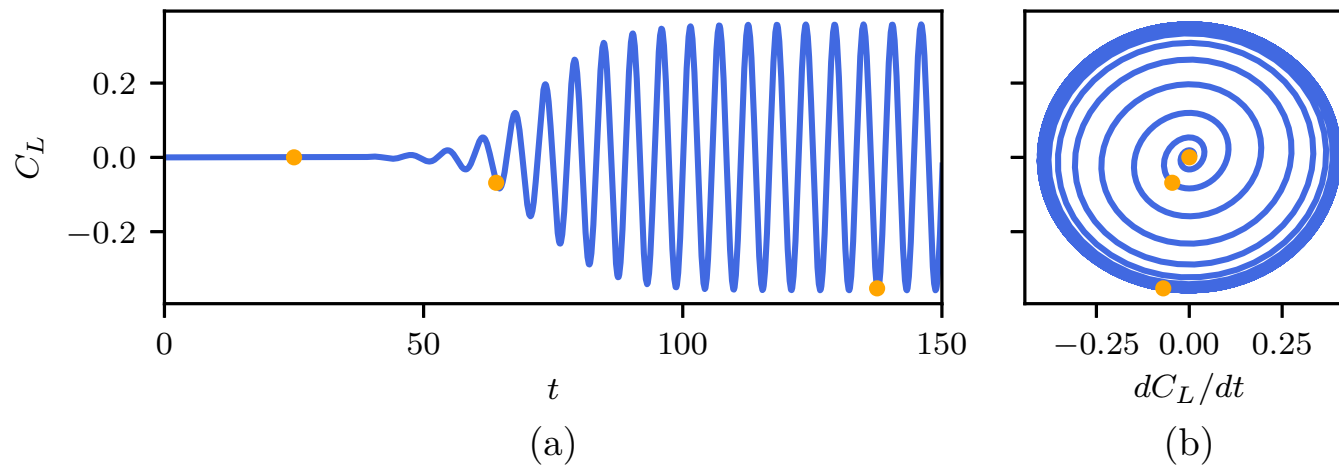
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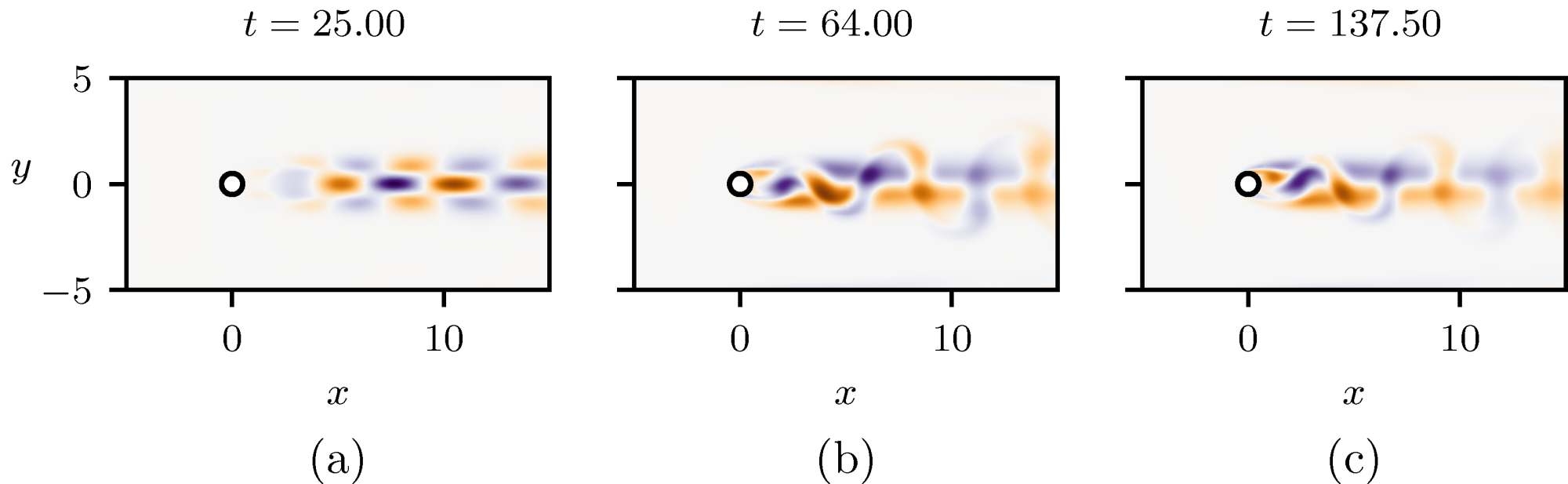
2D Cylinder wake transient ($Re = 100$)

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(1) Sensor signal $s = c_L$



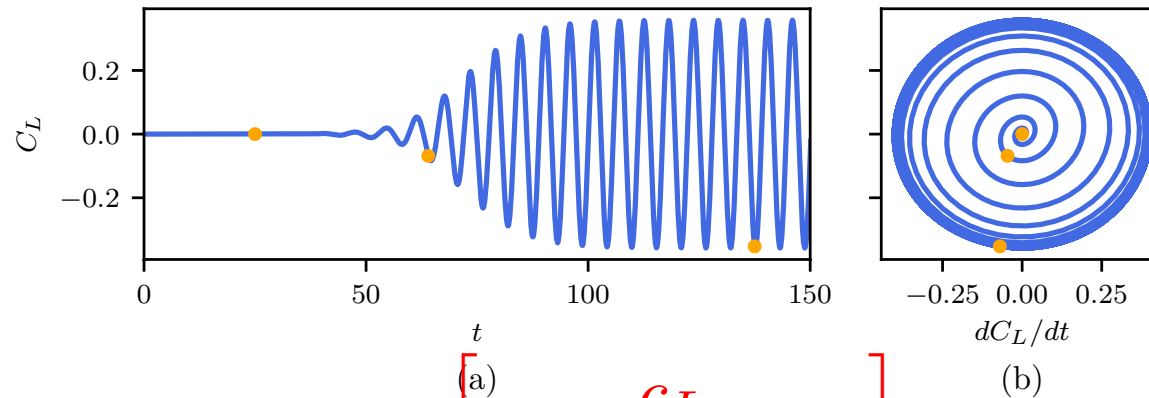
(2) Velocity field $u(x, t)$ (Visualization of vorticity fluctuation)



Feature-based Manifold Model (FeMM)

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2D Cylinder wake transient steady \mapsto periodic



(1) Feature vector $a = \begin{bmatrix} c_L \\ (dc_L/dt)/\omega_\infty \end{bmatrix}$

(2) SINDy ≡ Brunton et al. 2016 PNAS Black-box model

$$\frac{da_1}{dt} = 1.12a_2$$

$$\frac{da_2}{dt} = -1.12a_1 + 0.2(1 - a_1^2 - a_2^2)a_2.$$

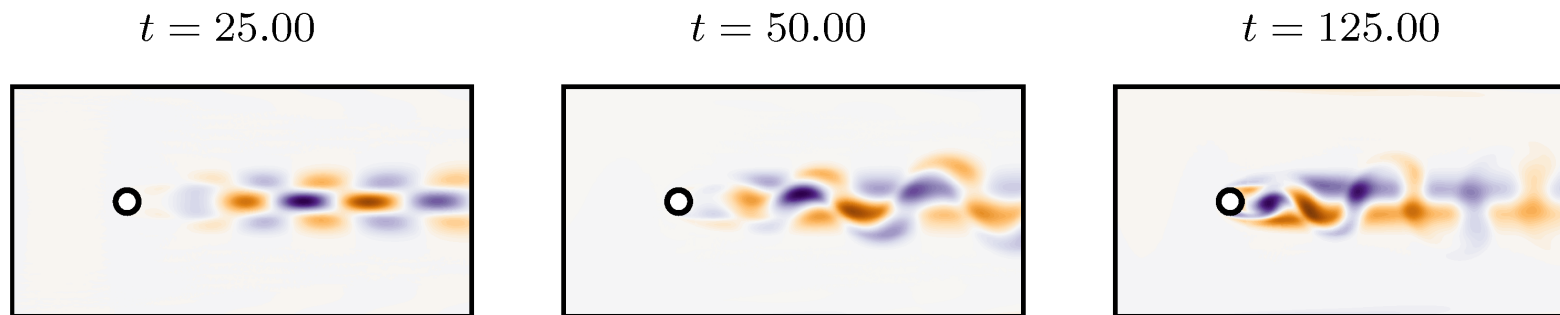
(3) Local mapping $a \mapsto u(x)$ Gray-box model with (2)

(4) EXTRA $u(x, t) = u_s(x) + \sum_i a_i(t)u_i(x)$ Galerkin model

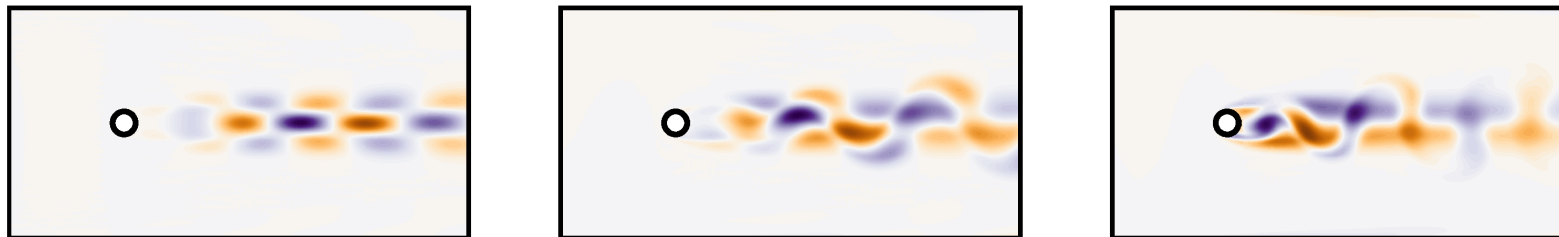
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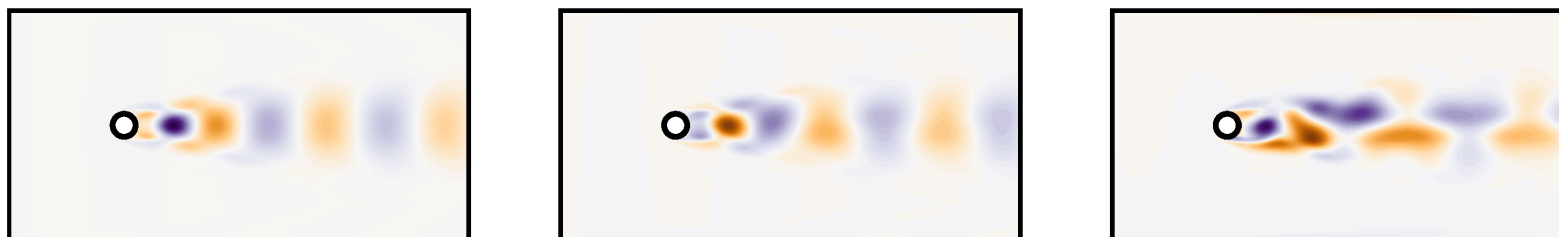
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(a) Direct numerical simulation



(b) Local linear mapping

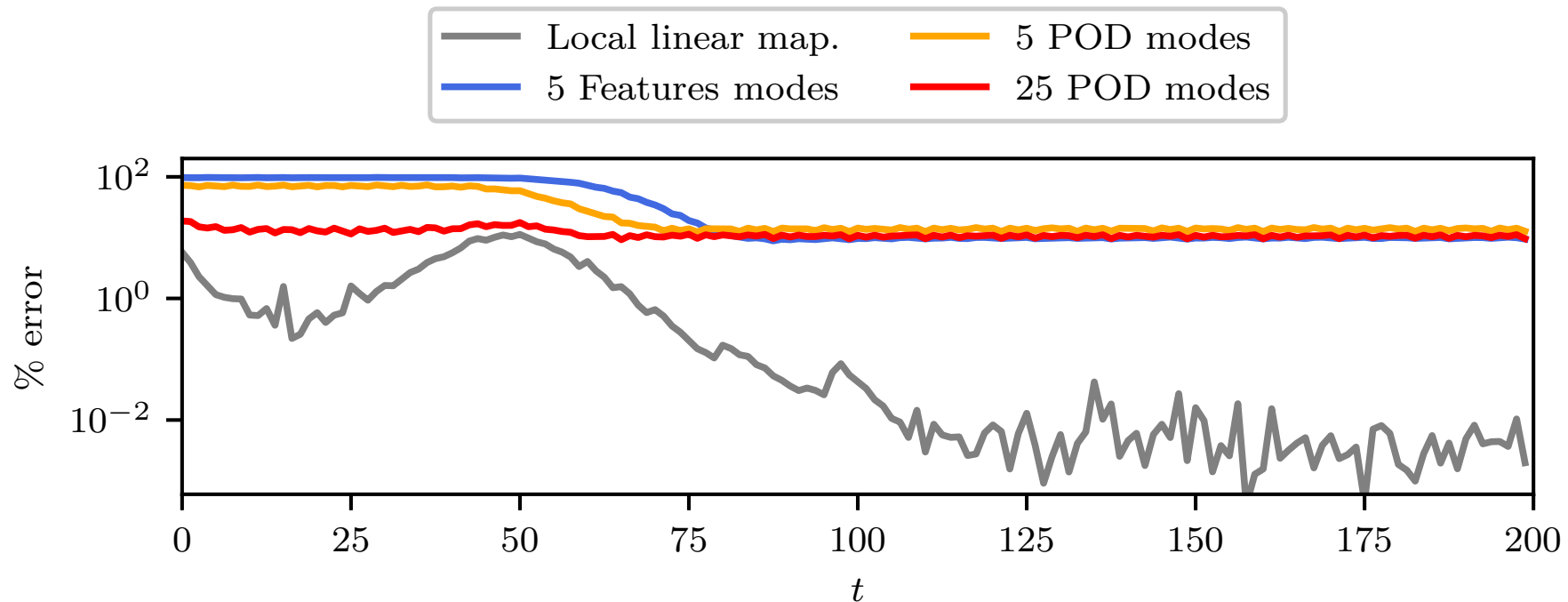


(c) Galerkin expansion

Feature-based Manifold Model vs POD

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The 25 POD mode expansion is orders of magnitude worse than the 2-dimensional feature-based manifold!

Overview

A. Recursive DMD

..... *Combining the advantages of POD+DMD*

B. Feature-based manifold modeling

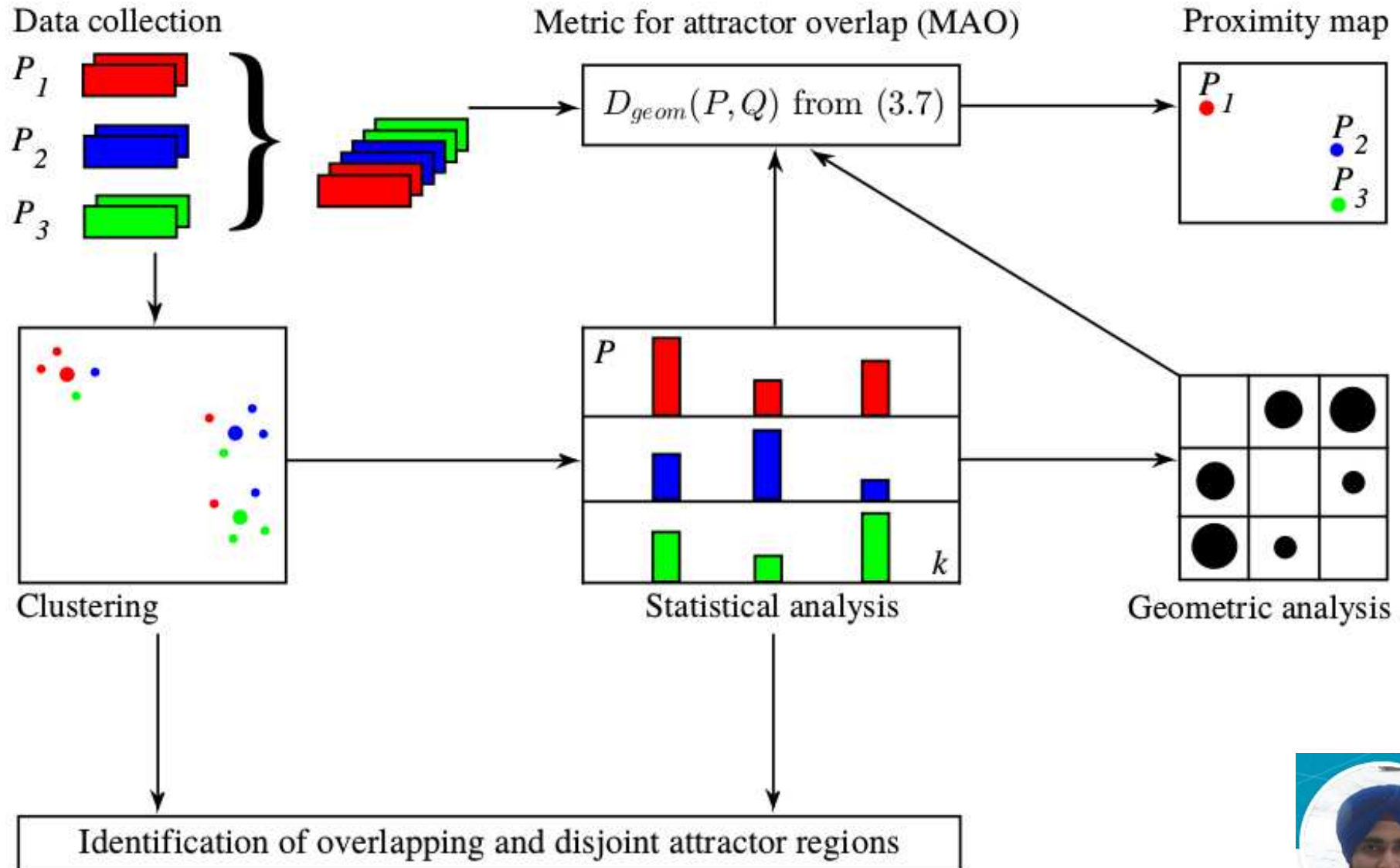
..... *The case for manifolds as opposed to POD*

C. Metric of attractor overlap

..... *Comparing attractor data*

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(0) Snapshots of attractor \mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B} : $\mathbf{u}^m, m = 1, \dots, M$



$$\chi_A^m = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{for } \mathbf{u}^m \in \mathcal{A} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases} \quad M_A := \sum_{m=1}^M \chi_A^m \quad \text{analog var. for } \mathcal{B}$$

(1) Snapshot-based metric:

$$D(\mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B}) = \frac{1}{M_A} \sum \chi_A^m D(\mathbf{u}^m, \mathcal{B}) + \frac{1}{M_B} \sum \chi_B^m D(\mathbf{u}^m, \mathcal{A})$$

(2) Clustering: M snapshots \mathbf{u}^m in K centroids \mathbf{c}_k ;

$\xi_k^m = 1 \leftrightarrow \mathbf{u}^m$ belongs to \mathbf{c}_k ; otherwise $\xi_k^m = 0$.

(3) Overlap clusters $\mathcal{A} \cap \mathcal{B}$: $\xi_k^m = \chi_A^m = \chi_B^m = 1$

(4) Disjoint clusters \mathcal{A}, \mathcal{B} : $\xi_k^m = 1$ and $\chi_A^m + \chi_B^m = 1$

(5) Proximity map for many attractors: $\mathcal{A}^l \mapsto \gamma^l \in \mathbb{R}^2$.

Drag reduction LES data—Made in Aachen

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$$Re_\theta = 1000$$

$$Ma = 0.2$$

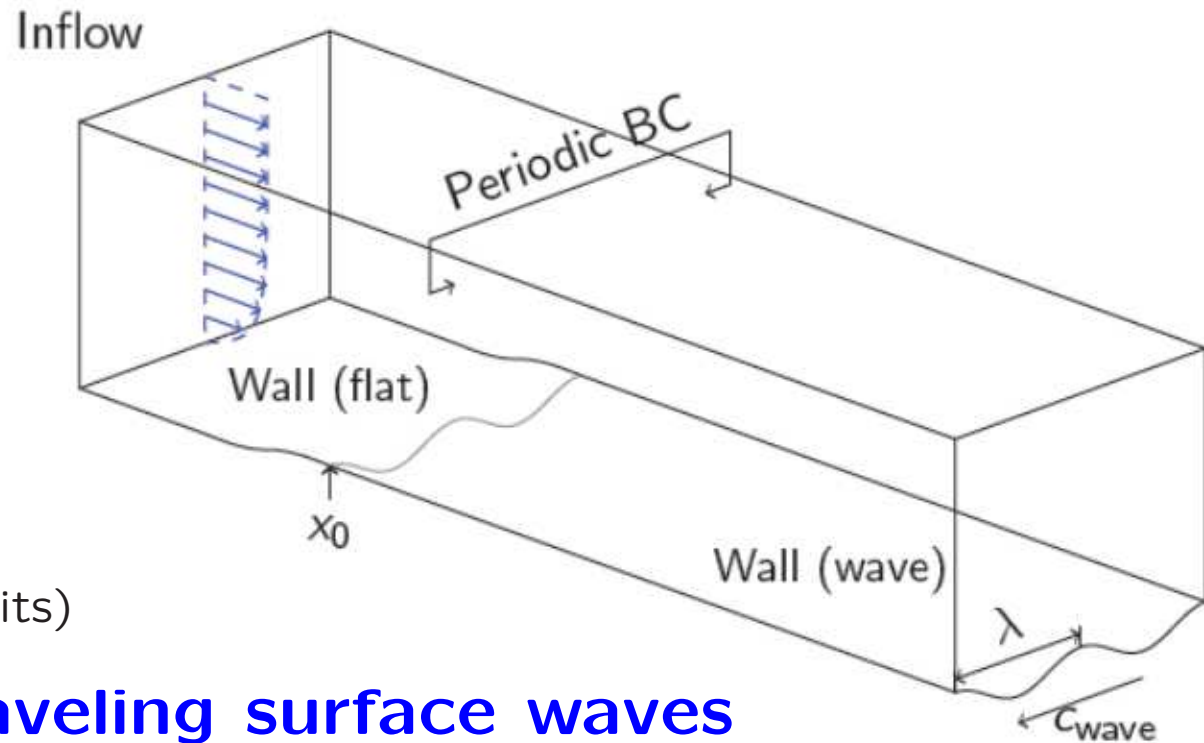
Analysis domain

- $x/\delta_\theta \in [50, 100]$,
- $y/\delta_\theta \in [0, 15]$
- $z/\delta_\theta \in [0, 21]$ (1000+ units)

80 data sets with traveling surface waves

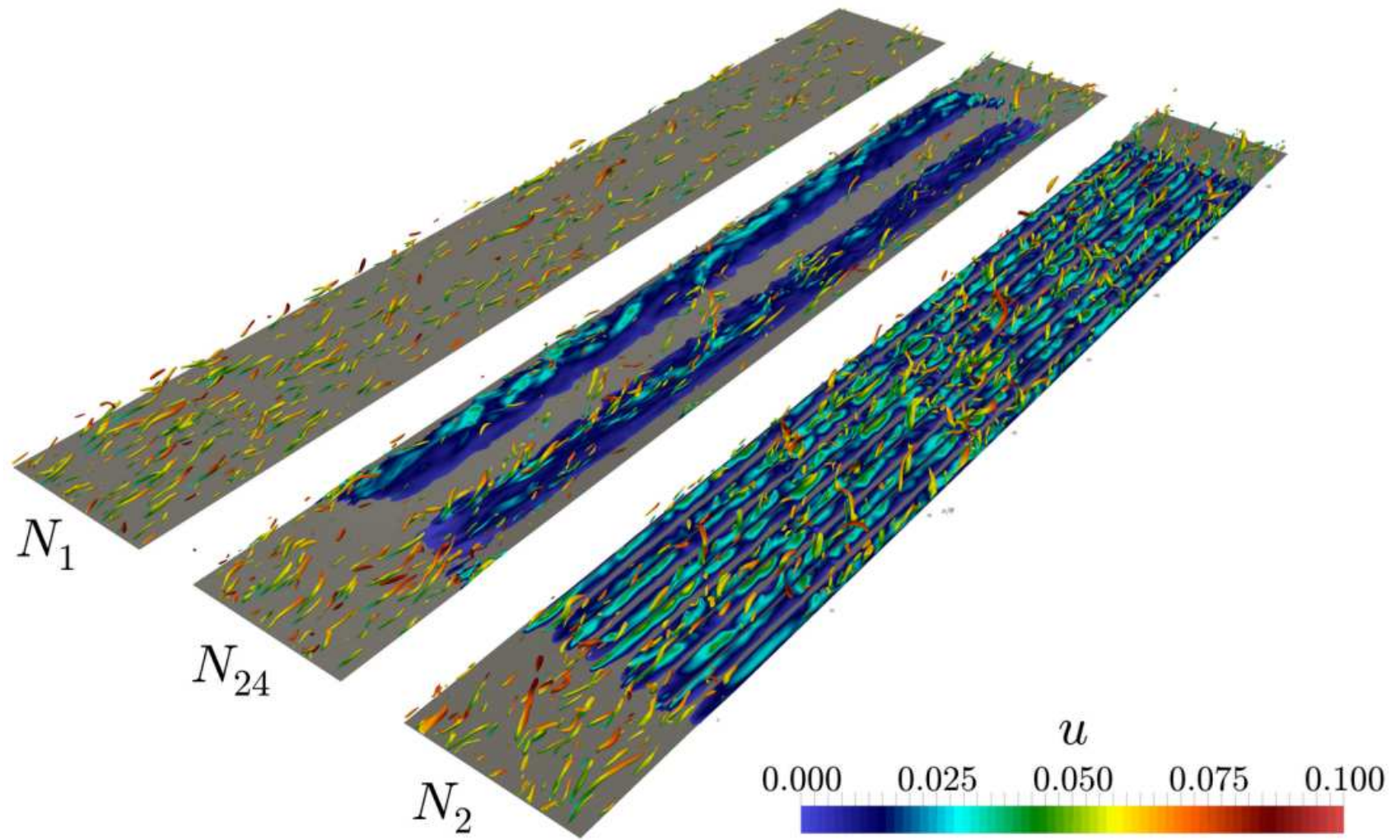
$$y = A \cos 2\pi \left[\frac{t}{T} - \frac{z}{\lambda_z} \right]$$

- $A^+ \in [0, 78]$
- $T^+ \in [20, 120]$
- $\lambda^+ \in [200, 3000]$



LES drag reduction study

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Contour plot of the λ_2 -criterion (Jeong & Hussain 1995), coloured by the instantaneous streamwise velocity, for three turbulent boundary layer flows; non-actuated reference case N_1 , actuated highest drag reduction case N_{24} , actuated lowest drag reduction case N_2 .

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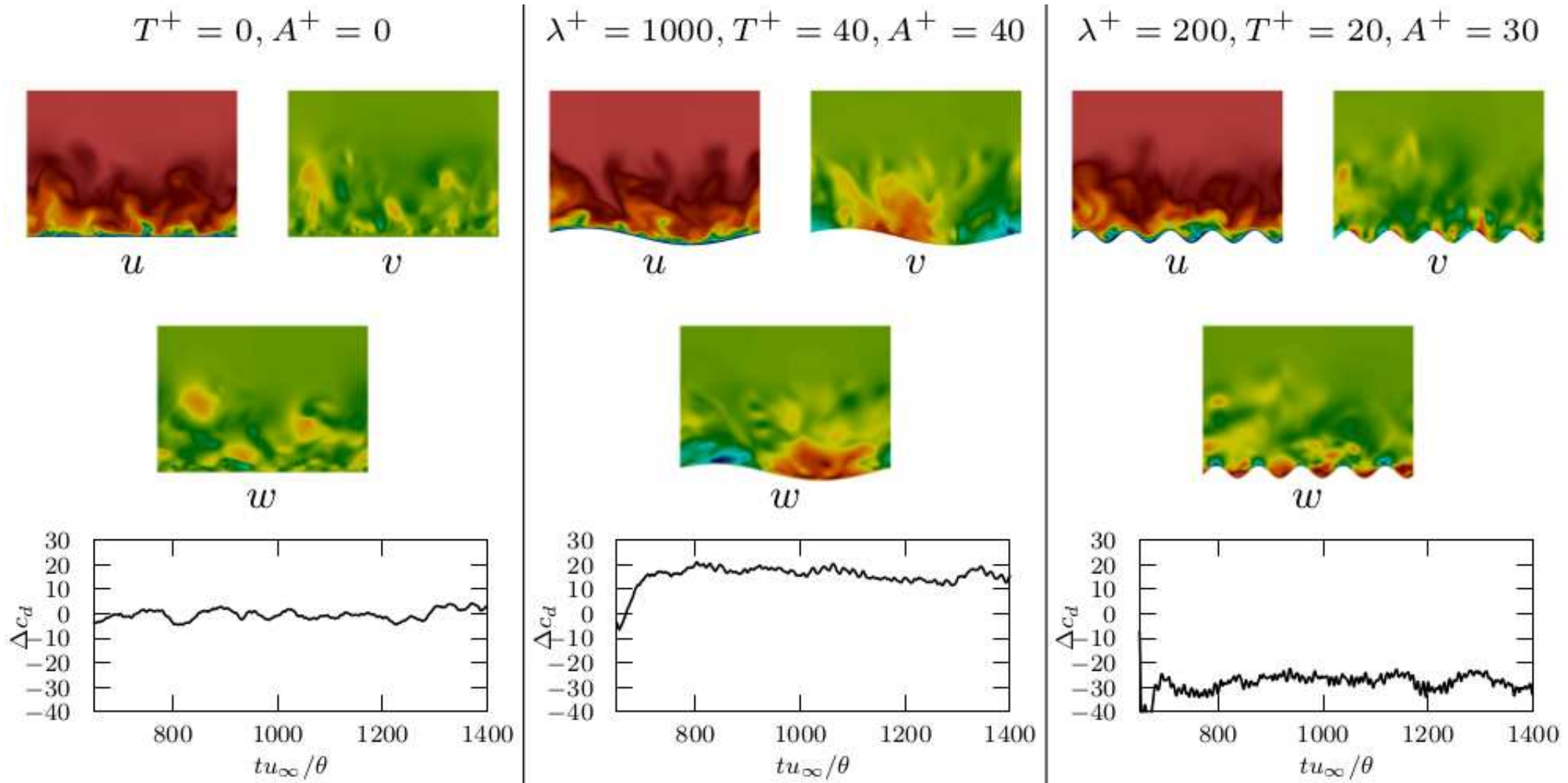
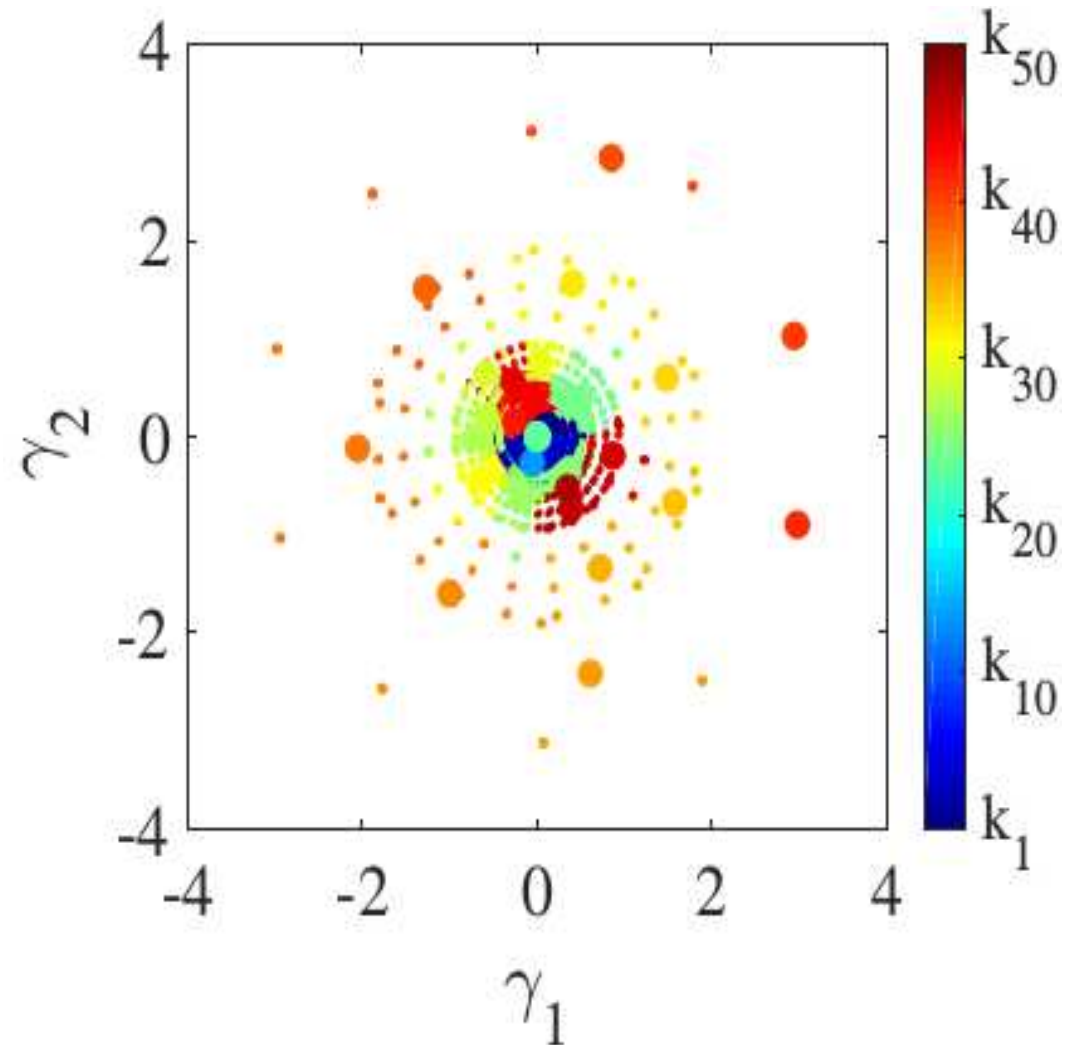
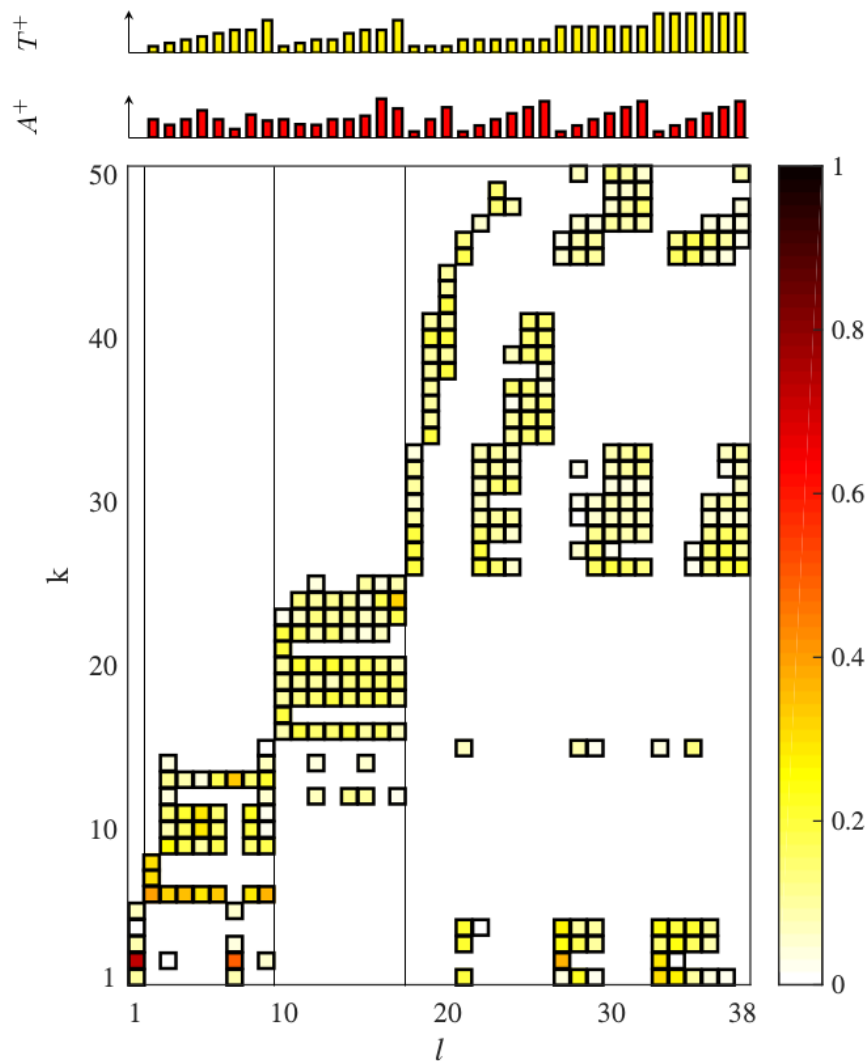


Illustration of the turbulent boundary layer flow: (left) non-actuated reference case N_1 , (center) actuated case with highest drag reduction N_{24} , and (right) actuated case with lowest drag reduction N_2 ; (top) contour plots of the instantaneous Cartesian velocity components u, v , and w in a $y-z$ plane at $x/\theta \approx 65$; (bottom) time evolution of the instantaneous drag reduction rate Δc_d .

TBL Drag reduction — Clustering

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50 clusters from 38 actuation cases



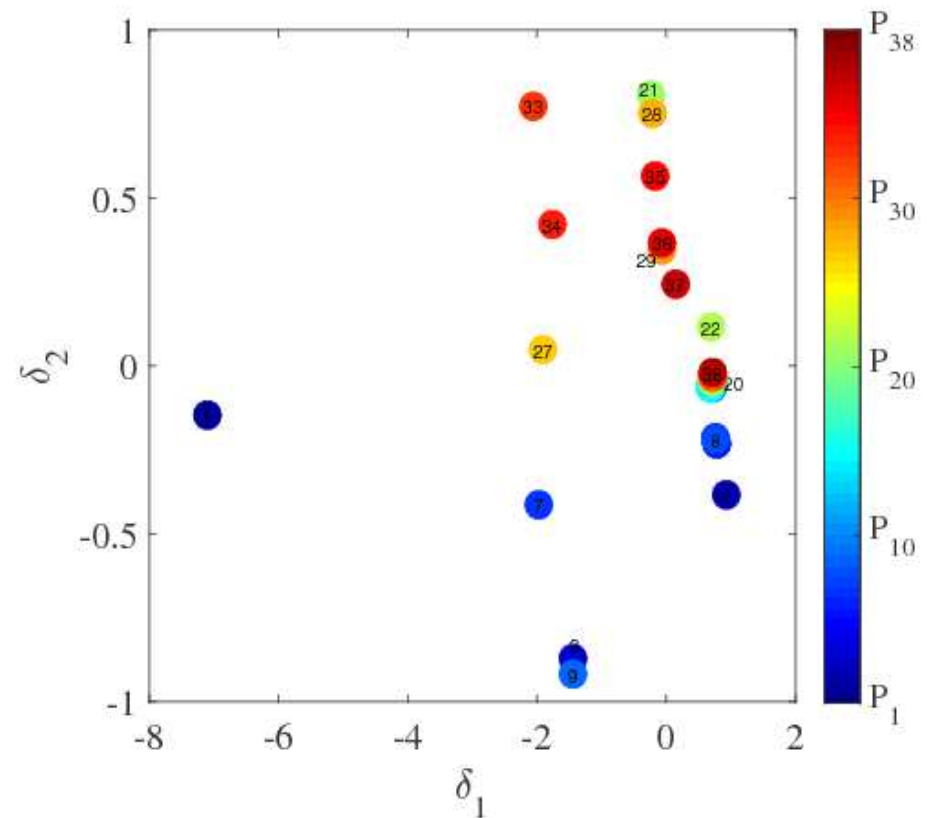
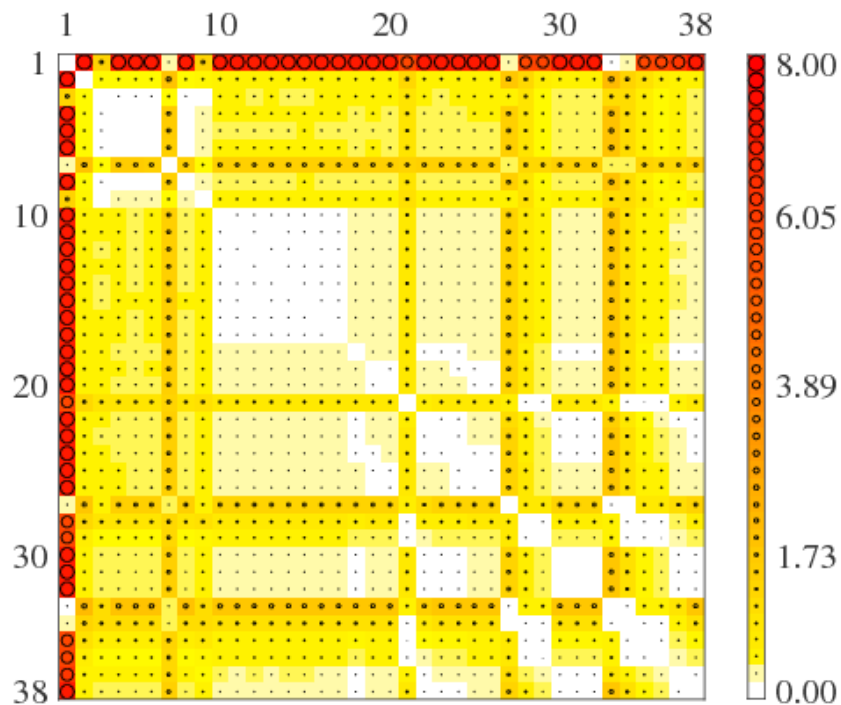
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Metric of attractor overlap $D(A, B)$

\sim average distance between attractors A and B

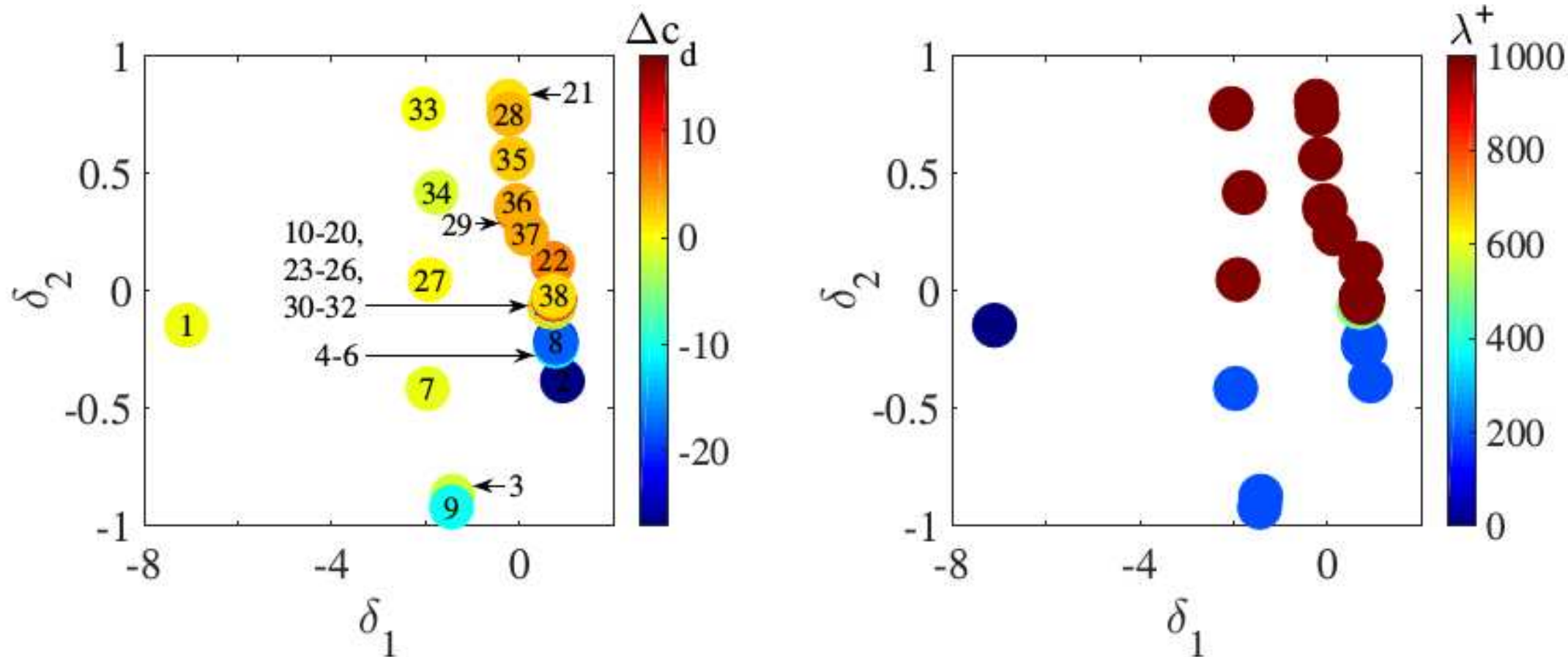


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Interpretation of attractor proximity map



Attractor proximity map of the turbulent boundary layer simulations: (a) color-coded with drag reduction Δc_D ; (b) color-coded with wavelength λ^+ .