

1 **TITLE**

2 The effects of nondimensionalization in Physics-Informed Neural Networks
3 applied to the Kinetics of Biological Reactions: A case study with *Lactobacillus casei*

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19 **1 FIGURES**

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Figure 1: Schematic of the PINN model

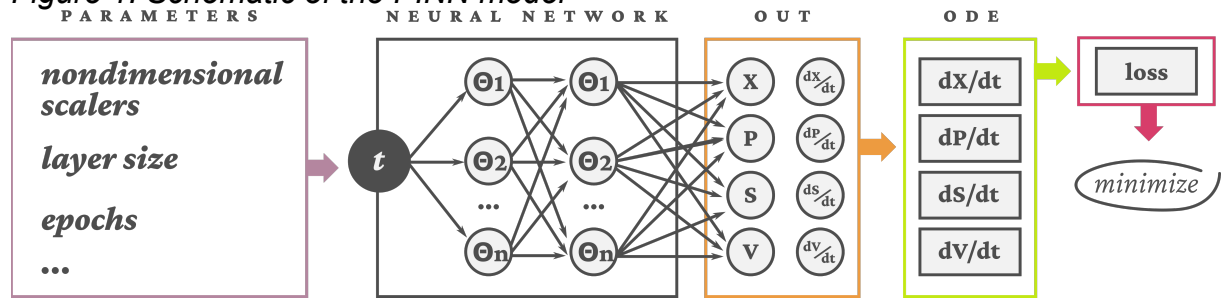


Figure 2: Nondimensional test, layer test and comparison between experimental data and PINN results

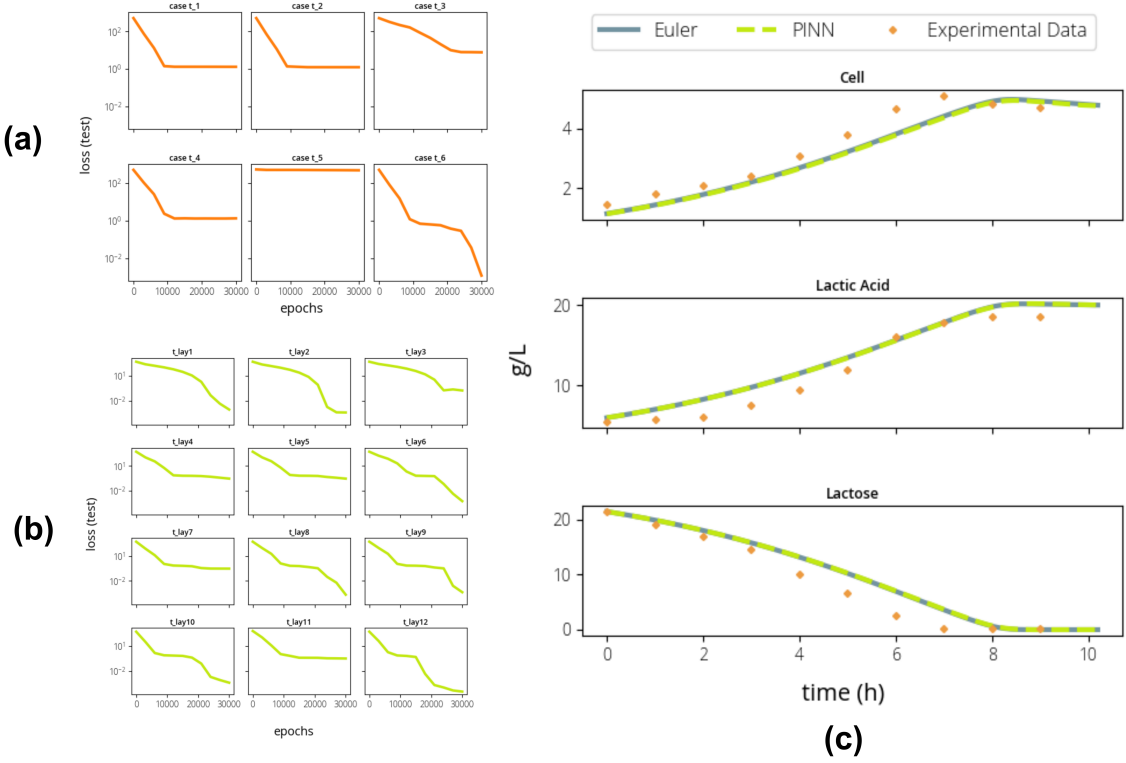
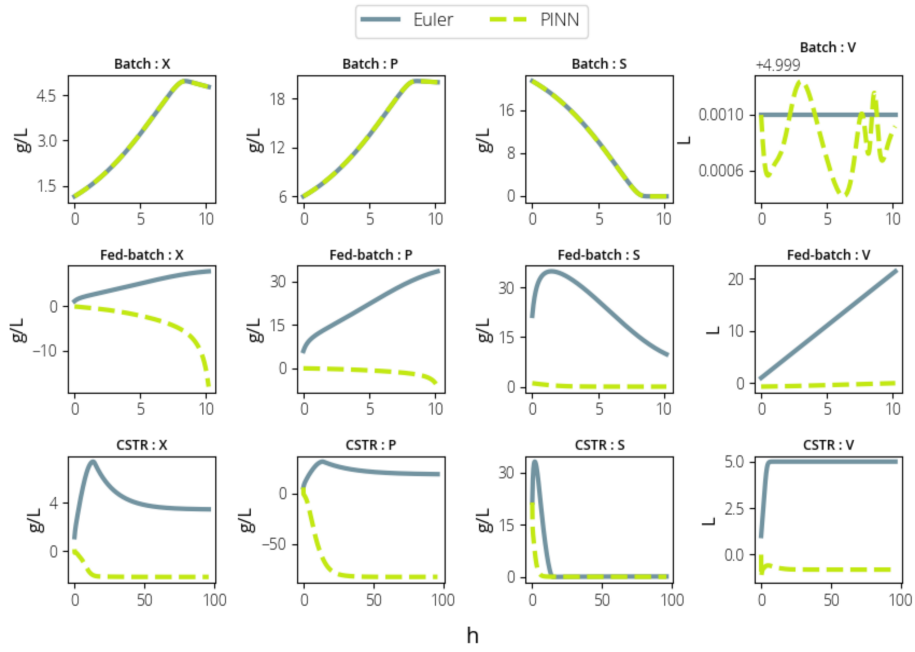
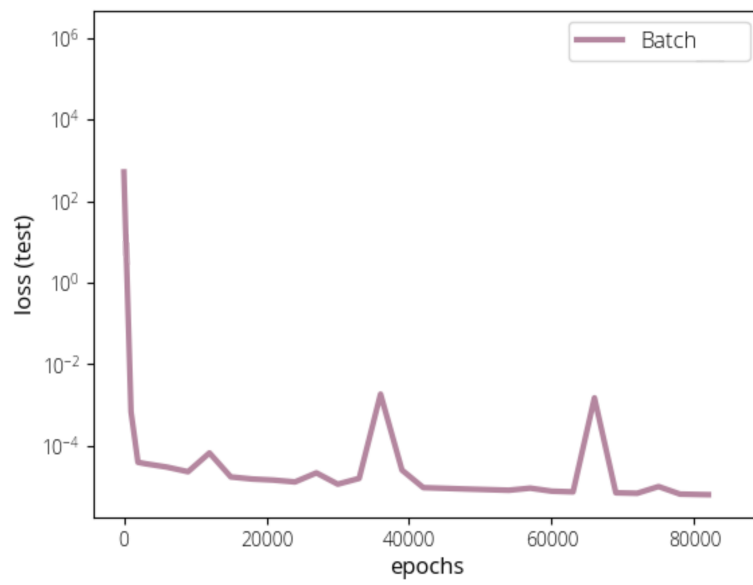


Figure 3: PINN results comparison for Batch, Fed-batch and CSTR reactors



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26 **2 DECLARATION OF INTEREST**

27 Declarations of interest: none

28 **3 HIGHLIGHTS**

- 29 1) Volume and biomass concentration are the more relevant variables for loss
30 minimization
- 31 2) The batch reactor was successfully simulated using PINN
- 32 3) PINNs were not capable of appropriately simulate reactors with volume
33 variation
- 34 4) Strategies for simulating reactors with volume in transient state are suggested