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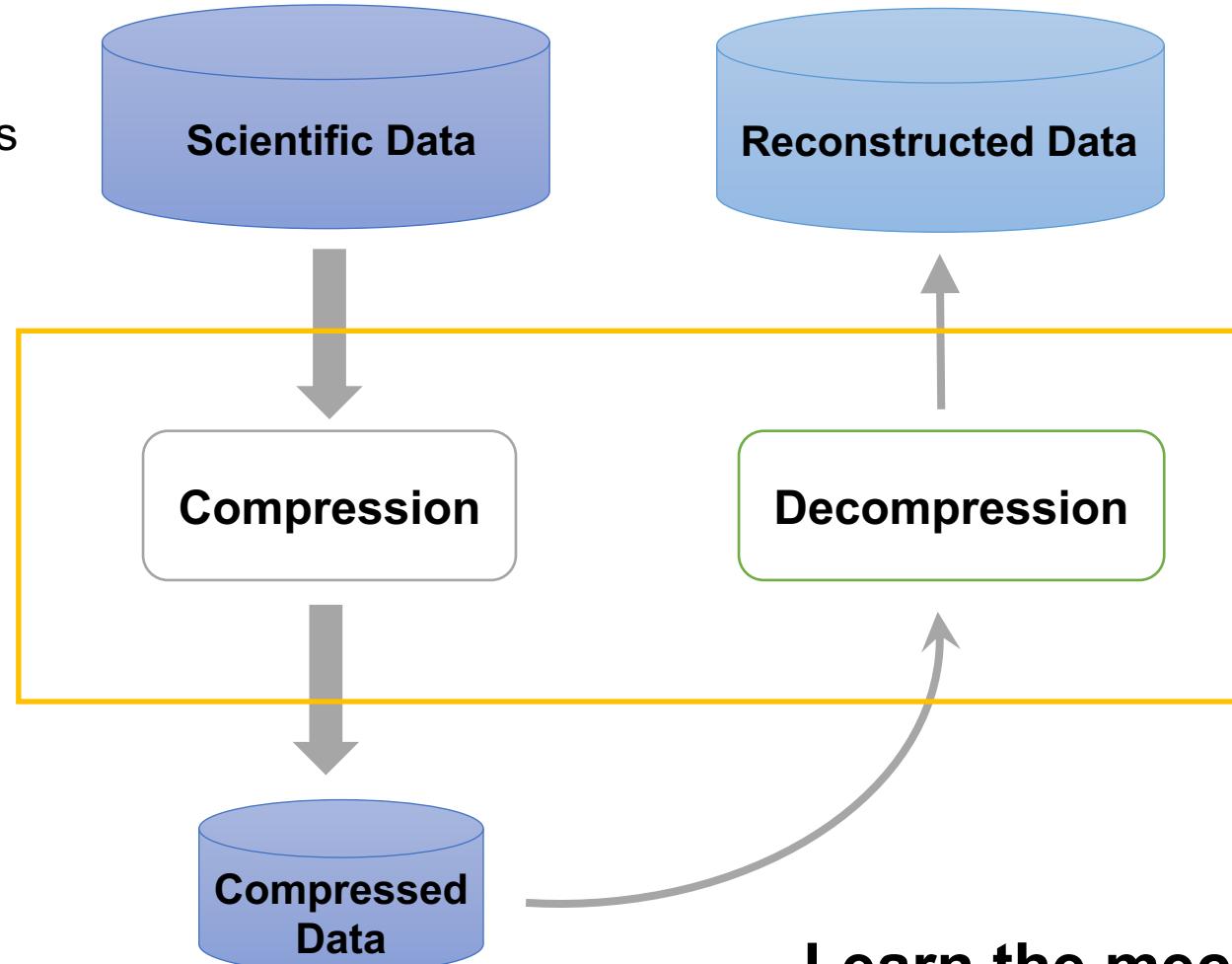
MeLLoC: Lossless Compression with High-order Mechanism Learning

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Motivation

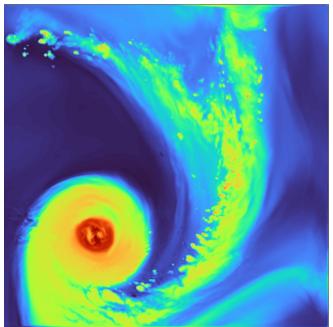
- massive
- scientific mechanisms (physical laws)
- tradeoff: accuracy vs storage efficiency



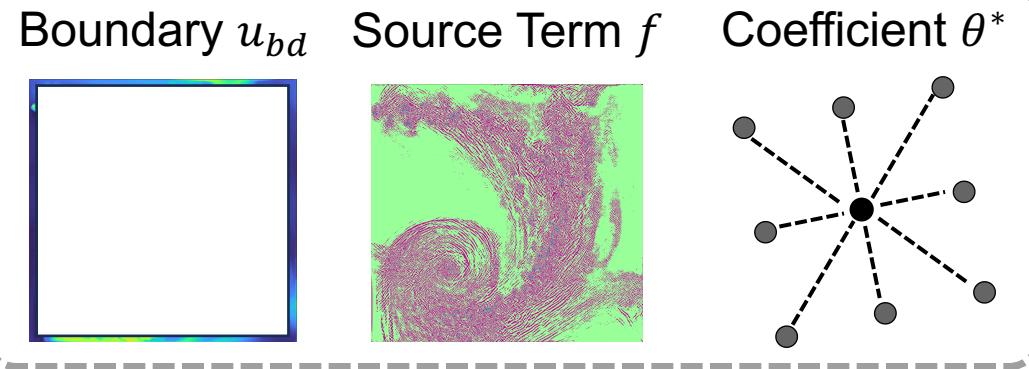
Learn the mechanism behind data!

Overview

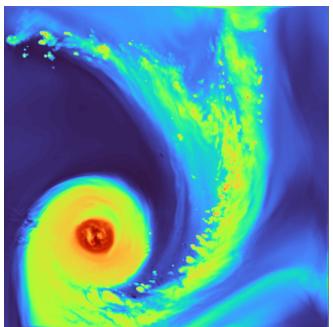
Original Data u



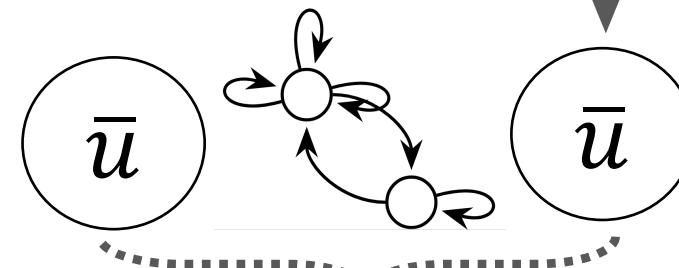
Mechanism
Learning



Reconstructed Data \hat{u}



Mechanism-informed
prediction



Precision
Control

Mechanism Learning

Mechanism assumption: cross-sectional 2nd order linear differential equations

$$\mathcal{L}u = f \text{ in } D.$$

Local representation:

$$c_1 u_{i-1,j-1} + \dots + c_9 u_{i+1,j+1} = f_{i,j},$$

In the following part, we denote $\theta = \{c_i\}_{i=1}^9$.

$$\operatorname{argmin}_{\theta} F(\theta; u_d^{bd}, u_d^{in})$$



$$\text{where } F = \|\mathcal{L}_\theta u_d\|_2^2 = \sum_{i,j} (c_1 u_{i-1,j-1} + \dots + c_9 u_{i+1,j+1} - u_{i,j})^2$$

$c_4 u_{i-1,j+1}$	$c_8 u_{i,j+1}$	$c_9 u_{i+1,j+1}$
$c_3 u_{i-1,j}$	$c_5 u_{i,j}$	$c_7 u_{i+1,j}$
$c_1 u_{i-1,j-1}$	$c_2 u_{i,j-1}$	$c_6 u_{i+1,j-1}$

Various mechanisms, unique minimizer, direct calculation due to linearity

Mechanism Learning

For $u \in C^4(\Omega)$, $\Omega \subset \mathbb{R}^2$,

$$\sum_{k,l=-1}^1 c_{k,l} u(x + kh, y + lh) = [2(c_1 + c_5 - c_6)h\partial_x + 2(c_2 + c_5 + c_6)h\partial_y + (c_3 + c_7 + c_8)h^2\partial_{xx}^2 + (c_4 + c_7 + c_8)h^2\partial_{yy}^2 + 2(c_7 - c_8)h^2\partial_{xy}^2 + c_9]u(x, y) + o(h^2)$$

The relationship between $c_{k,l}$ and c_n :

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{C} &= c_1 \mathbf{A}_1 + c_2 \mathbf{A}_2 + c_3 \mathbf{A}_3 + c_4 \mathbf{A}_4 + c_5 \mathbf{A}_5 + c_6 \mathbf{A}_6 + c_7 \mathbf{A}_7 + c_8 \mathbf{A}_8 + c_9 \mathbf{A}_9 \\ \mathbf{A}_1 &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \mathbf{A}_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \mathbf{A}_3 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & -2 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \mathbf{A}_4 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \\ \mathbf{A}_5 &= \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \mathbf{A}_6 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 \end{bmatrix}, \mathbf{A}_7 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}, \mathbf{A}_8 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & -2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix}, \mathbf{A}_9 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}. \end{aligned}$$

$$\{\mathbf{C}_{k,l}\}^* = \operatorname{argmin}_{\mathbf{C}_{k,l}} F(\mathbf{C}_{k,l}; \mathbf{u}) = \operatorname{argmin}_{\mathbf{C}_{k,t}} \sum_{i,j} \left(\sum_{k,l=-1}^1 \mathbf{C}_{k,l} u(i + kh, j + lh) \right)^2$$

$C_{-1,1}$	$C_{0,1}$	$C_{1,1}$
$C_{-1,0}$	$C_{0,0}$	$C_{1,0}$
$C_{-1,-1}$	$C_{0,-1}$	$C_{1,-1}$

Data Composition

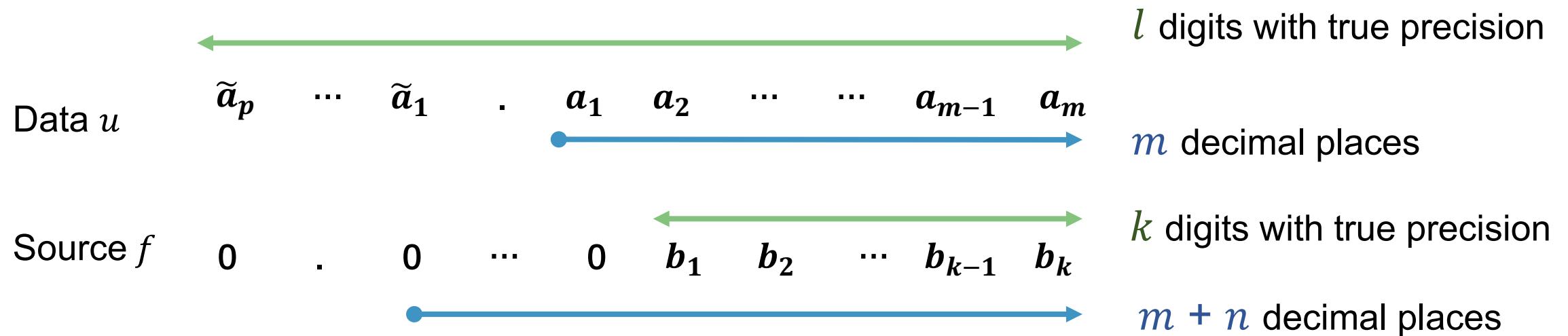
Let us consider the decomposition of data by linearity as u

$$u = \mathcal{L}^{-1}f + u_0 + u_{err}$$

where

- $\mathcal{L}^{-1}f (= G * f)$ with G being the Green's function for the domain. This part corresponds to solution to the non-homogeneous equation with homogeneous boundary conditions, determined by the source f (2D).
- $u_0 (= \frac{\partial G}{\partial \nu} * u^{bd})$ denotes the solution to the homogeneous equation is determined only by the boundary data (1D).
- u_{err} denotes the residual part (2D).

Precision Control



Trade-off between the absolute value and the precision digits of the source term .

Case I: High precision.

0	.	0	\cdots	0	0	0	b_1	b_2	\cdots	\cdots	b_{k_1}
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Case II: Large absolute value.

0	.	0	\cdots	b_1	b_2	\cdots	\cdots	b_{k_2}
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Case III: Optimal scenario.

0	.	0	\cdots	0	0	b_1	\cdots	\cdots	b_{k_3}
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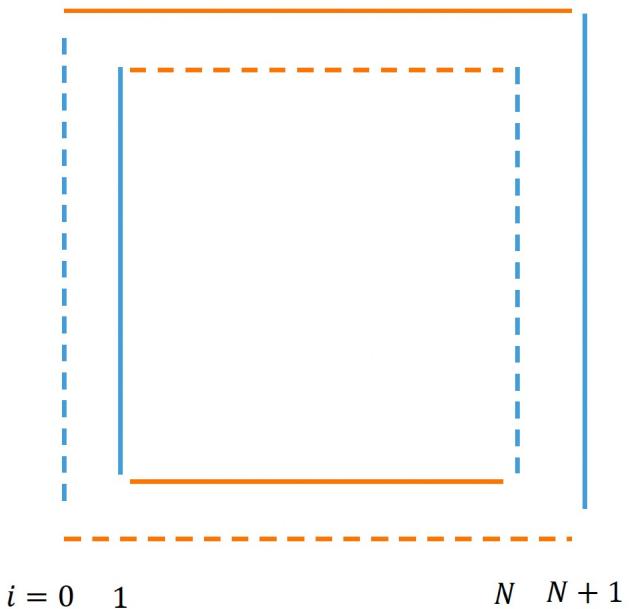
Fast Fourier-based Solver

- Main idea: Utilizes periodic extension FFT to accelerate computations
- Key steps:
 1. Periodically extend discrete field data
 2. Apply 2D Fourier series expansion

$$u(m, n) = \sum_{k=1}^{N_2} \sum_{j=1}^{N_1} \frac{1}{N_1 N_2} \hat{u}_{jk} e^{\frac{2\pi i}{N_1}(j-1)(m-1)} e^{\frac{2\pi i}{N_2}(k-1)(n-1)}$$

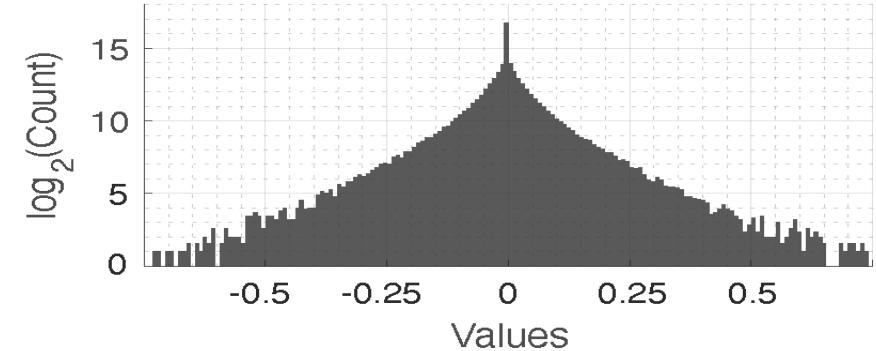
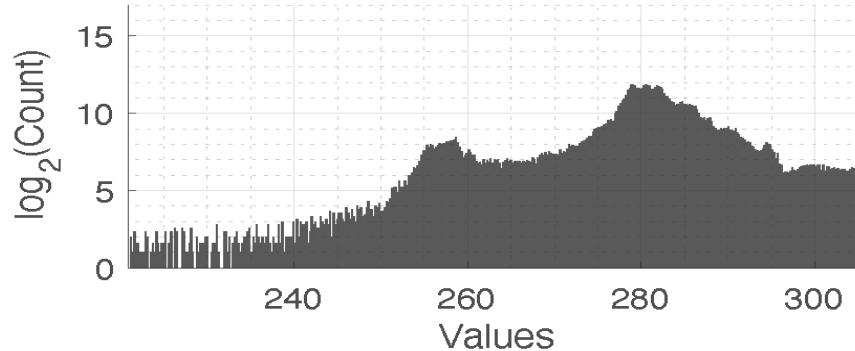
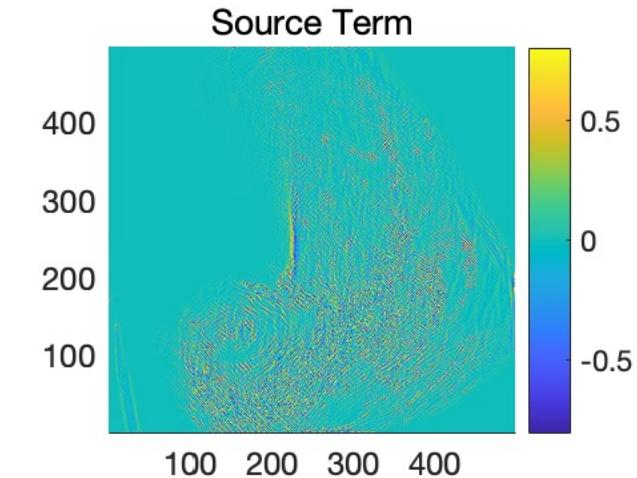
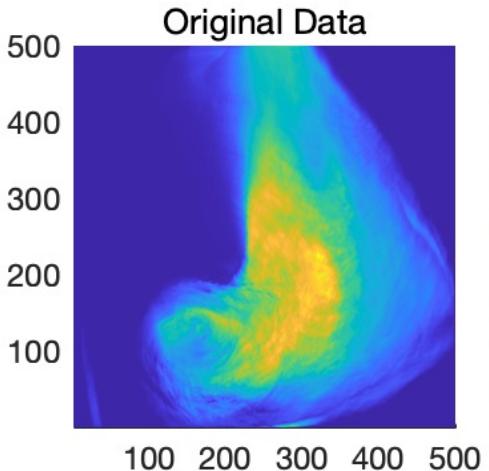
3. FFT and direct solving frequency equation: $\hat{u}_{j,k} = \frac{\hat{f}_{j,k}}{B_{j,k}}$
4. Process zero frequency terms and apply iFFT

- Computational complexity: $O(N^2 \log N)$



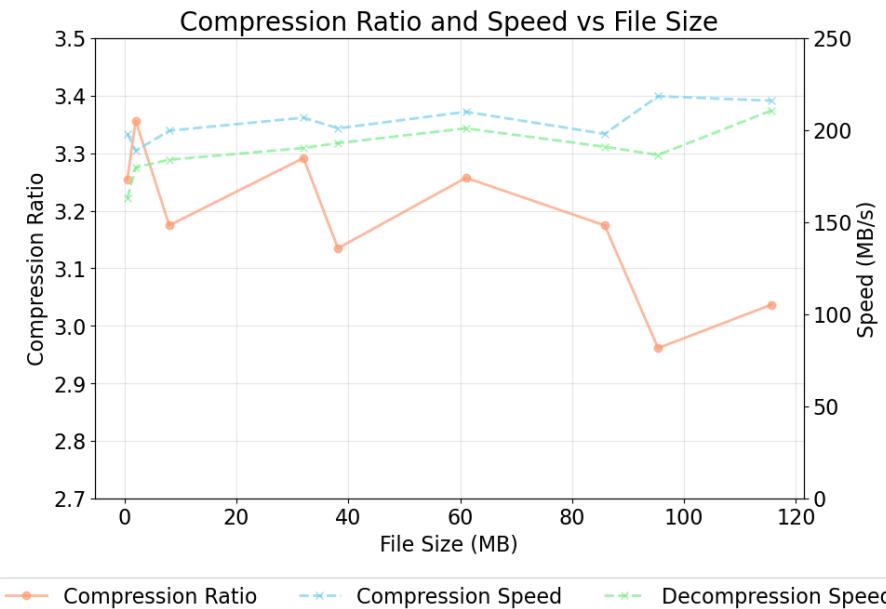
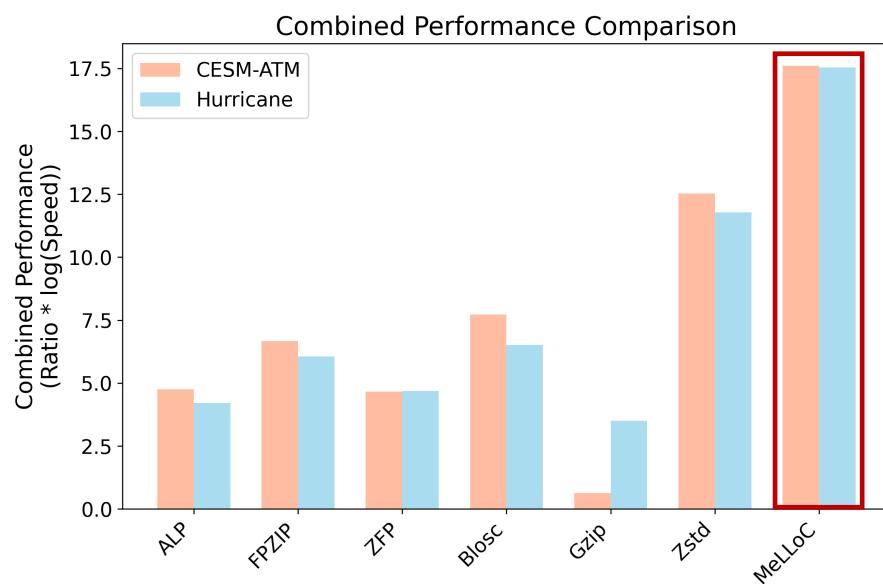
Experiments

CESM_ATM dataset



Experiments

CESM-ATM				Hurricane			
Method	Ratio	Compression	Decompression	Method	Ratio	Compression	Decompression
ALP	1.16 X	46.93 Mb/s	<u>1054.95 Mb/s</u>	ALP	1.11 X	45.74 Mb/s	973.63 Mb/s
FPZIP	1.63 X	59.68 Mb/s	70.94Mb/s	FPZIP	1.63 X	41.22Mb/s	53.95Mb/s
ZFP	1.02 X	96.17 Mb/s	81.97 Mb/s	ZFP	1.01 X	102.95 Mb/s	68.06 Mb/s
Blosc	1.30 X	<u>293.71 Mb/s</u>	632.76 Mb/s	Blosc	1.12 X	<u>888.65 Mb/s</u>	<u>6516.29 Mb/s</u>
Gzip	1.89 X	1.40 Mb/s	266.94 Mb/s	Gzip	1.00 X	33.25 Mb/s	212.35 Mb/s
Zstandard	2.69 X	105.51Mb/s	152.81Mb/s	Zstandard	2.78 X	69.51Mb/s	271.32Mb/s
MeLLOC	3.36 X	188.77 Mb/s	179.76Mb/s	MeLLOC	3.29 X	206.80Mb/s	190.35Mb/s



Summary

- **Innovative Compression:** MeLLoC combines high-order mechanism learning with classical encoding for accurate data reconstruction.
- **Performance:** MeLLoC consistently achieves high compression ratios and competitive throughput.
- **Stability and Uniqueness:** The approach ensures stable, unique reconstructions through periodic extension and fast Fourier-based solutions.
- **Broad Applicability:** Effective for compressing scientific datasets like CESM-ATM and Hurricane data, showcasing its potential across various scientific fields.

Thank you!