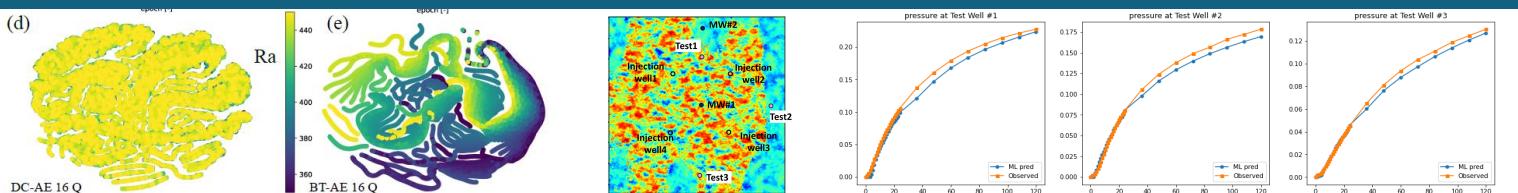


# Physics-based Deep Learning Driven CO<sub>2</sub> Flow Modeling and Data Assimilation for Real-Time Forecasting

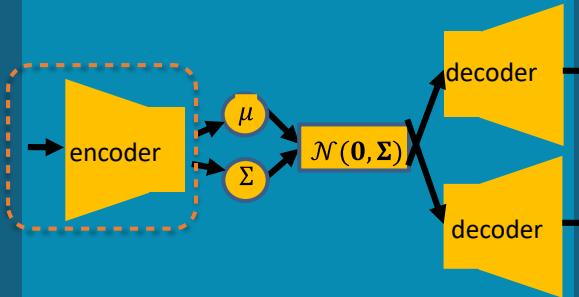


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# Motivation for Deep Learning Based Approach



**Two major challenges** for high-dimensional forward and inverse problems for real-time forecasting

## 1. Computational burdens with matrix calculations (e.g., Jacobian)

=> Effective dimension reduction

## 2. # of forward model simulations for inverse modeling

=> ML-driven fast, reduced order predictive modeling

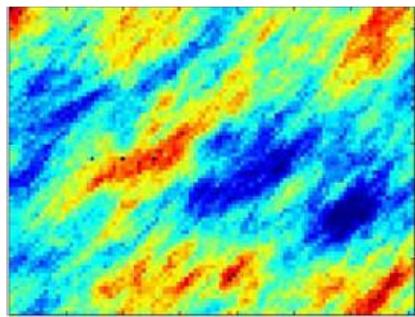
Specific Goals: Machine learning-driven  $\text{CO}_2$  modeling by combining **fast ML-based forward modeling** with (ensemble-based) **data assimilation** (EnDA), resulting in real-time history matching of  $\text{CO}_2$  operations and **forecasting  $\text{CO}_2$  and pressure plume development**

# Parameter estimation and uncertainty quantification

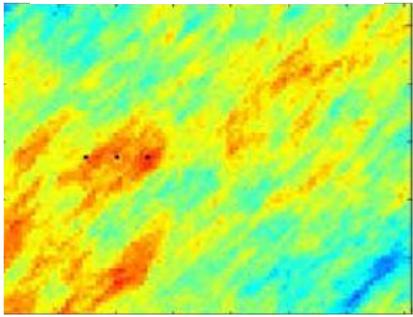


## History matching (CO<sub>2</sub> Injection at Cranfield, MS)

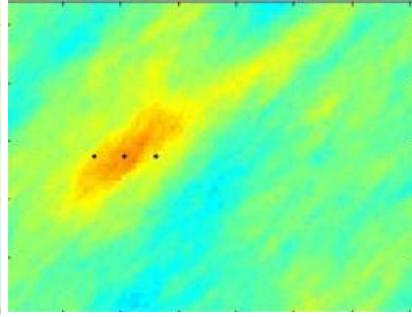
Synthetic Truth



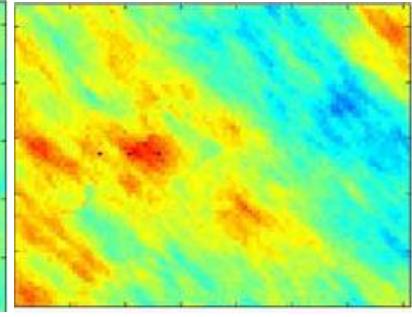
Calibration-constrained NSMC



Ensemble-based filtering method



With incorrect prior data

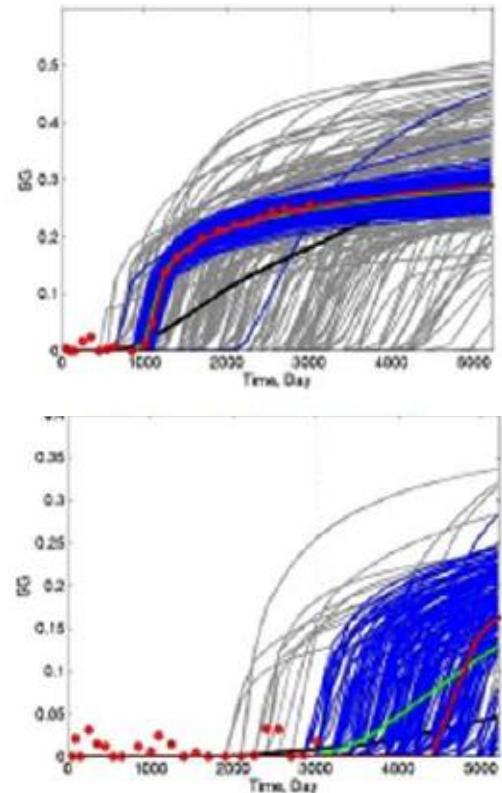


### Algorithm

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Ensemble Kalman filter  
Ensemble smoother  
Ensemble smoother with multiple data assimilation  
Ensemble Kalman filter with pilot point  
ES4 with pilot point  
Null-space Monte Carlo<sup>b</sup>  
Multiple calibration-constrained NSMC

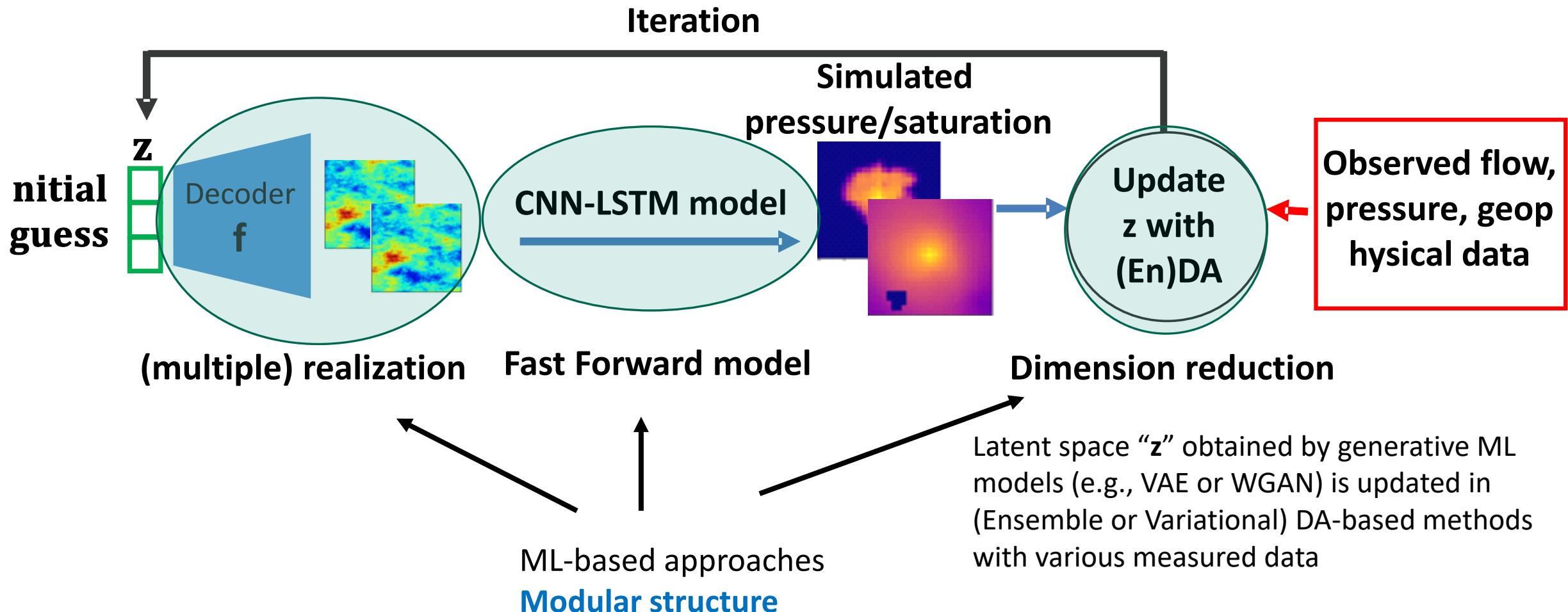
- With limited observation data, solutions with incorrect prior data can match the observed data well → more spatially representative data (e.g., geophysical sensing data, tracer test)
- Another possible solution => more robust ensemble member generation using machine learning



# ML-based Data Assimilation Framework

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- Data assimilation in **small nonlinear latent space of unknown parameters with  $\dim(z)$**
- Forward model executions can be significantly reduced



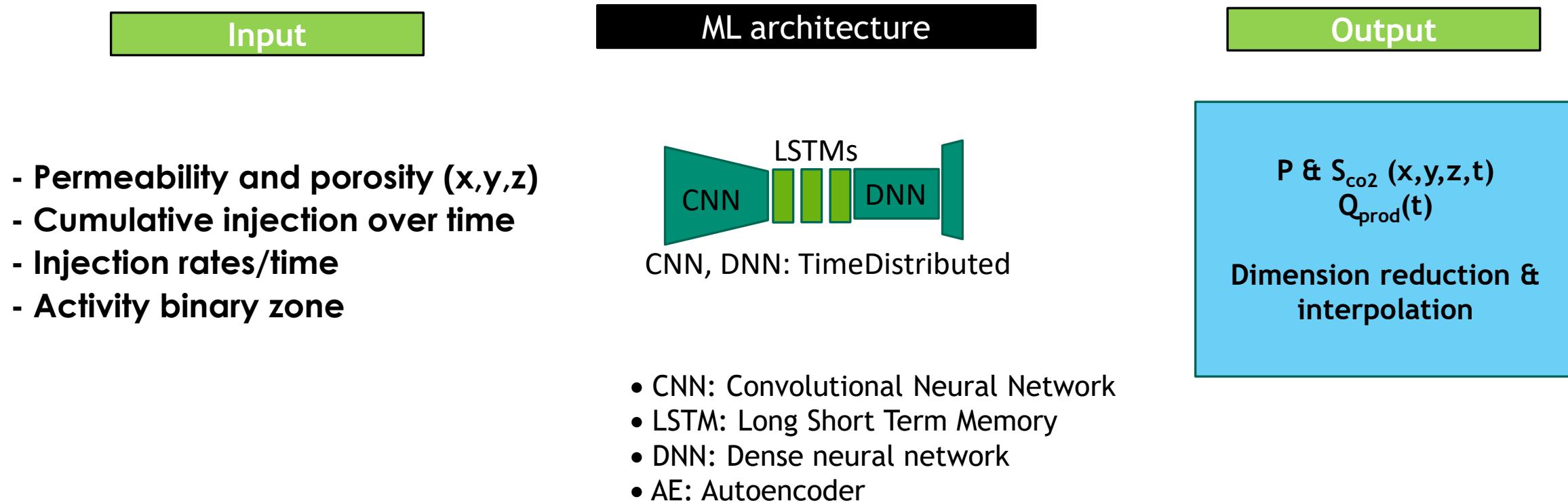
- **ML-based Forward Model**
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# ML for Forward Reduced Order Models



Models for pressure,  $\text{CO}_2$  saturation, and water production rate

CNN-LSTM-DNN



# Physics-Based Loss Functions



- **Loss functions can be constructed through governing equations & physical constraints**

- We incorporated different terms from governing equations into the loss functions
- Flux, mass conservation, known quantities are used

Governing equations for two phase flow

$$\frac{\partial(\phi \rho_w S_w)}{\partial t} = \nabla \left( \rho_w \frac{k_{rw} k}{\mu_w} (\nabla P_w - \rho_w g z) \right) + \mathbf{q}_w$$

$$\frac{\partial(\phi \rho_{nw} S_{nw})}{\partial t} = \nabla \left( \rho_{nw} \frac{k_{rnw} k}{\mu_{nw}} (\nabla P_{nw} - \rho_{nw} g z) \right) + \mathbf{q}_{nw}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Loss} = & \text{MSE}(\hat{P}, P) + \text{MSE}(\hat{S}_{nw}, S_{nw}) + \text{MSE}(\hat{q}_{pr}, q_{pr}) \\ & + \lambda_{flux} * \text{MSE}(\widehat{\text{Flux}}, \text{Flux}) \\ & + \lambda_{mass} * \text{MSE} \left( \widehat{\frac{\partial(M_{nw})}{\partial t}}, \frac{\partial(M_{nw})}{\partial t} \right) \\ & + \lambda_{binary} * \text{Binary Crossentropy}(\hat{S}_{nw}, S_{nw}) \\ & + \lambda_{bhp} * \text{MSE}(\hat{P}_{bhp}, P_{bhp}) + \lambda_{pr} * \text{MSE}(\hat{P}_{bhp}, P_{bhp}) \end{aligned}$$

MSE: Mean Square Error

# Results – Pressure, CO<sub>2</sub> Saturation & Production Rate



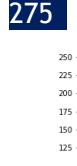
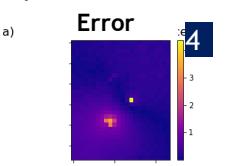
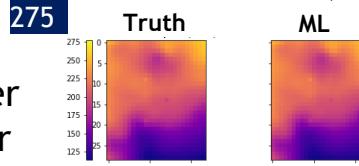
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Middle layer

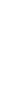
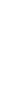
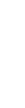
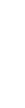
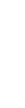
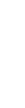
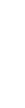
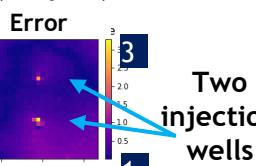
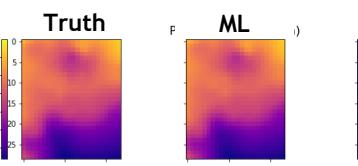
Bottom layer

## Pressure

End of Injection (30yrs)



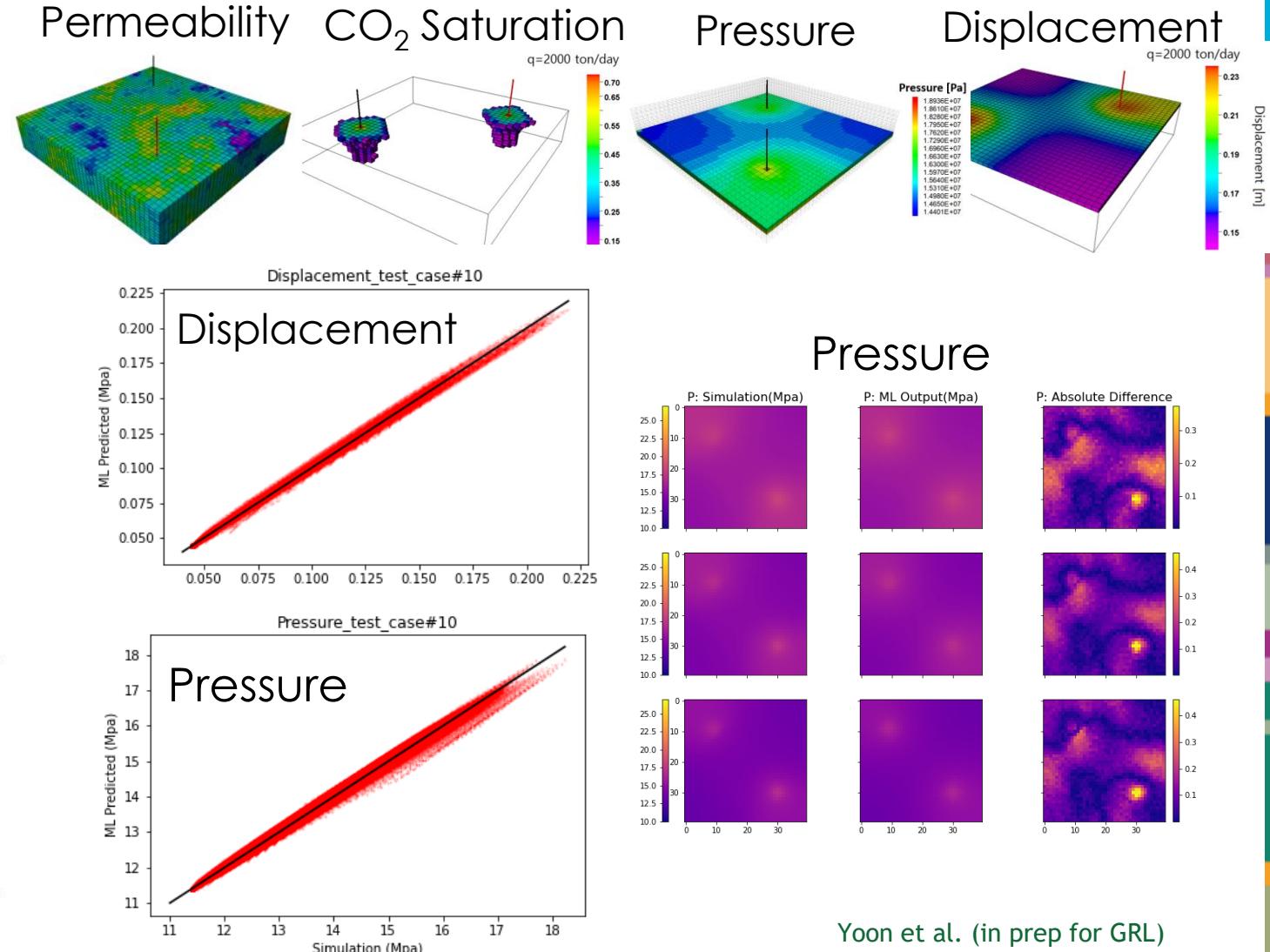
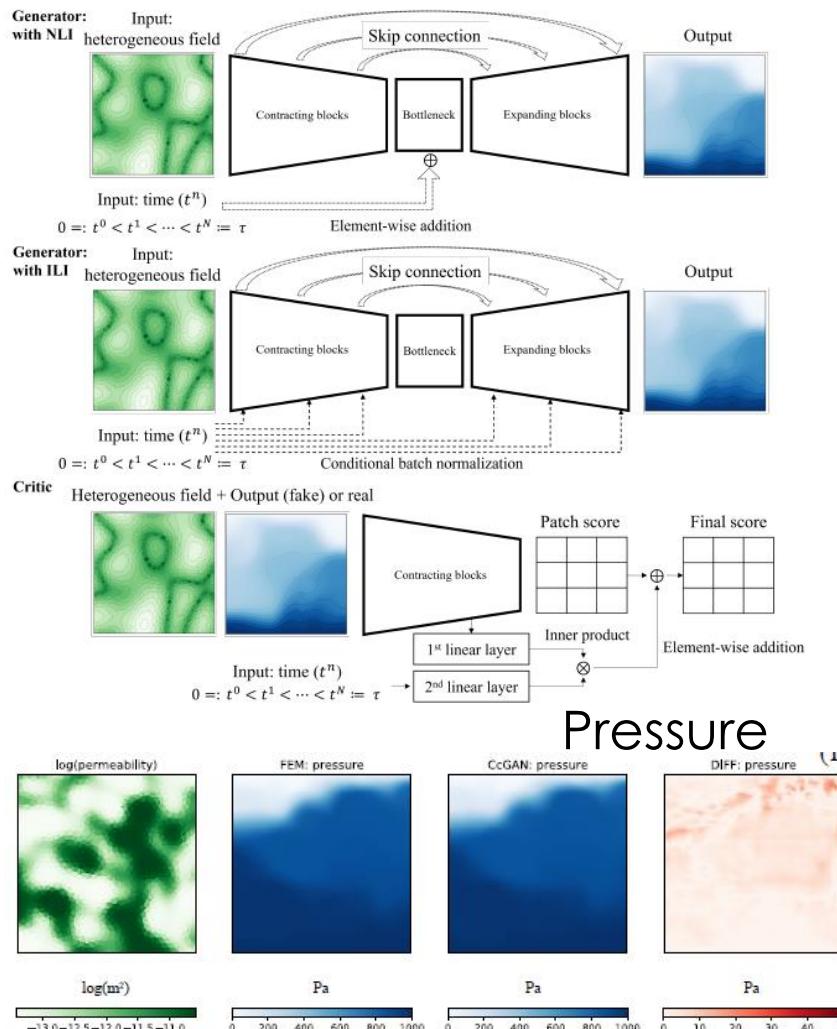
End of Simulation (99yrs)



# ML approaches for coupled poro-elasticity processes

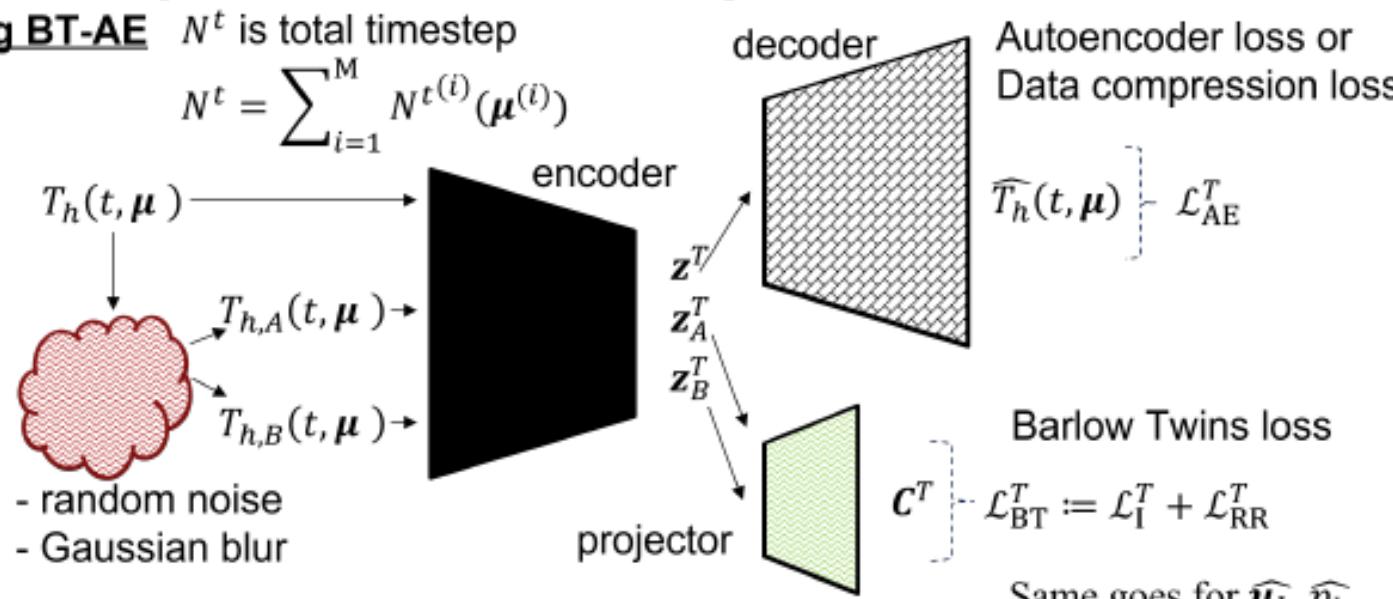


- Continuous conditional generative adversarial networks (CcGAN) for time-dependent PDEs
- CNN-LSTM-DNN reduced order modeling for coupled processes

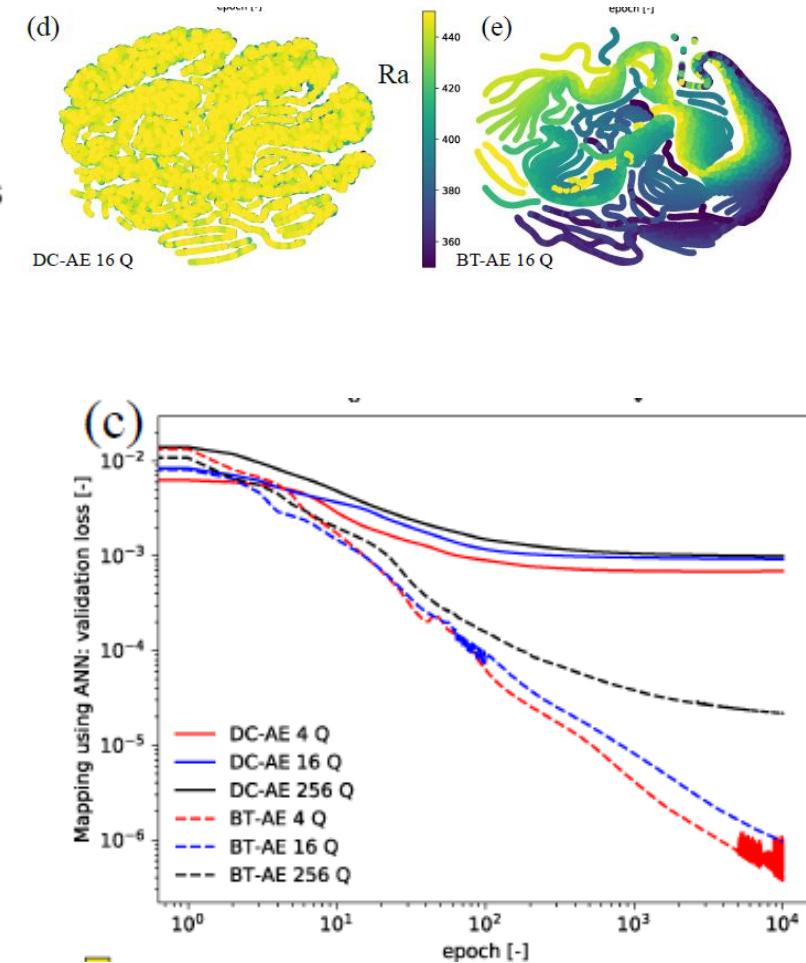


## Self supervised ML (Barlow Twins)

### 3. Training BT-AE $N^t$ is total timestep



## DC-AutoEncoder BT-AE



# Physics-Informed Neural Networks (PINNs) for PDEs

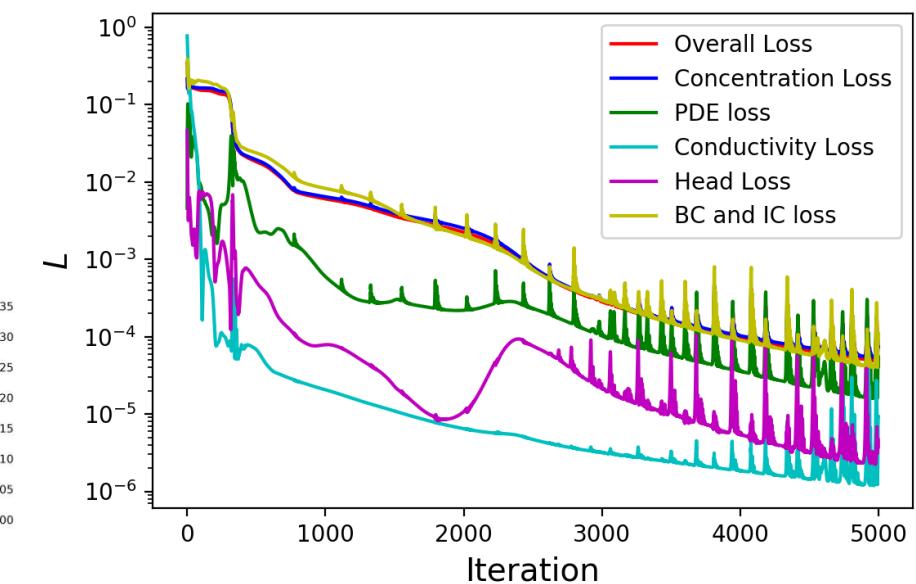
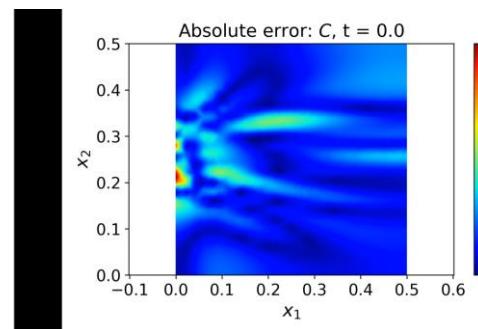
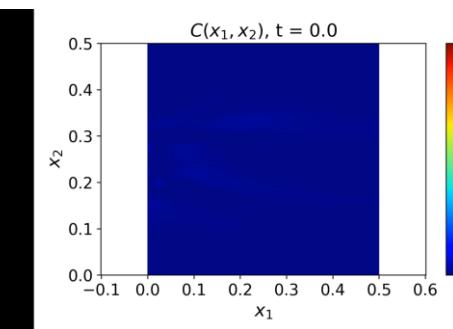
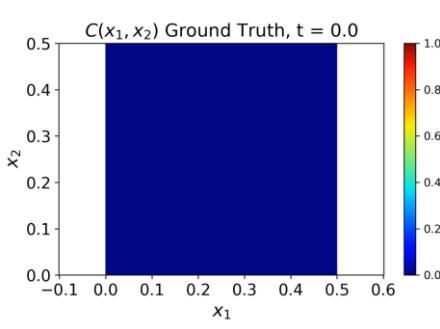
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- A form of neural networks known as **Physics-Informed neural networks (PINN)** to solve **partial differential equations (PDEs)** involved in fluid flow and reactive transport.
- A main idea of PINNs is to **incorporate governing equations of physics** in the form of **partial differential equations (PDEs) into the loss** via automatic differentiation (AD)

Input: Concentration data + head loss and conductivity +  
Advection-Diffusion-Reaction equation + Darcy Equation

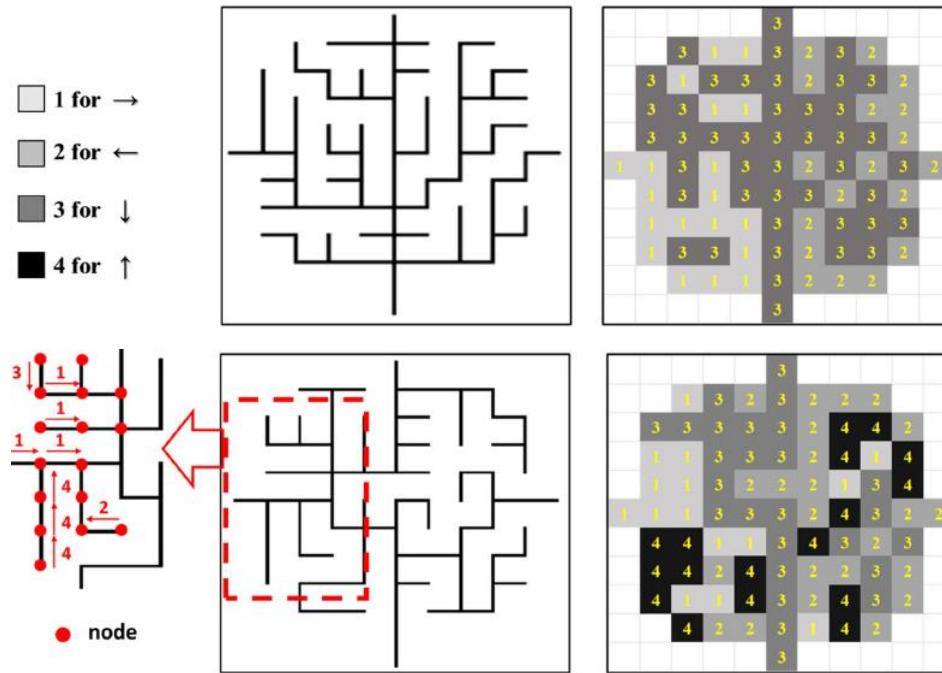
Prediction: Permeability field is estimated inversely



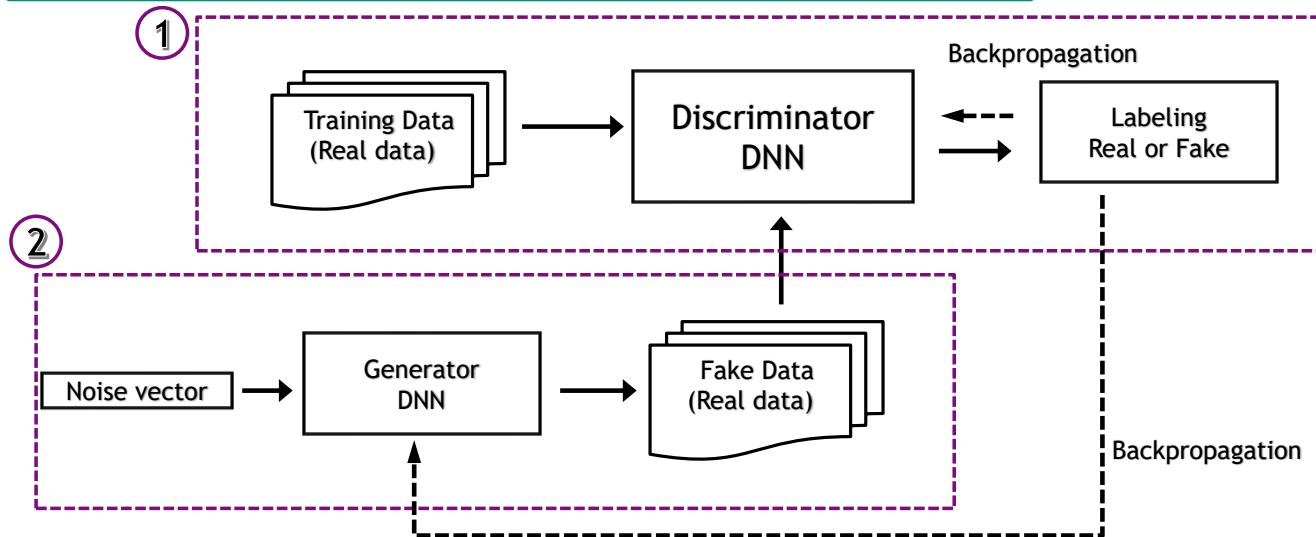
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# Connectivity-Informed Drainage Network Generation

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## Generative Adversarial Networks (GANs)

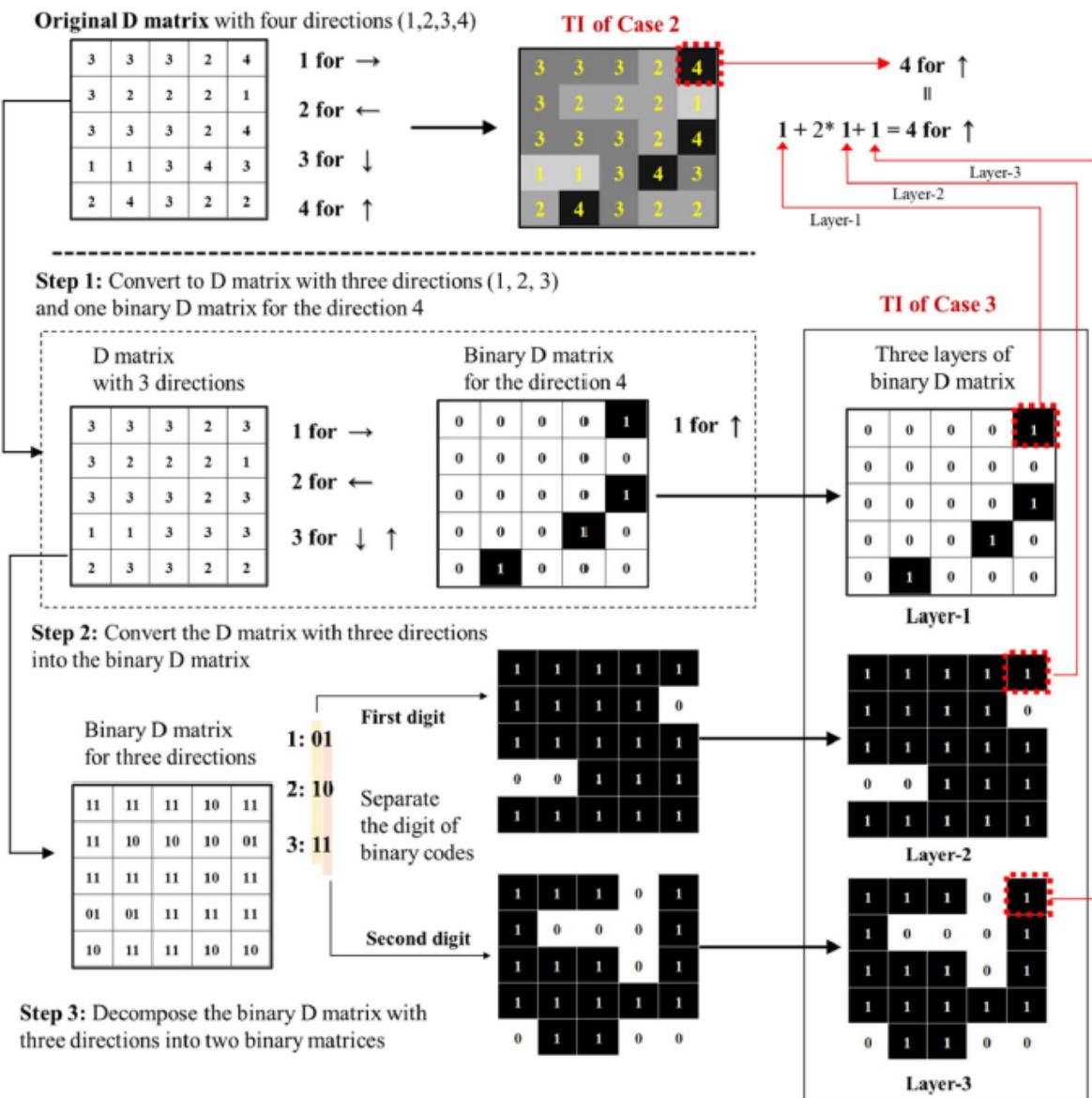


- **Generator ( $G$ ):** try to fool the discriminator by generating real-looking images from a noise sample
- **Discriminator ( $D$ ):** try to distinguish between real and fake images

- Training GANs: two player's game (Goodfellow et al., NIPS, 2014)
- Standard GAN is prone to mode collapse & unstable training
- Very active research topics
  - Better loss functions, more stable training (Wasserstein GAN, LSGAN, DCGAN, etc)

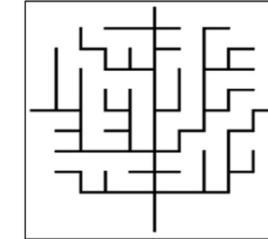
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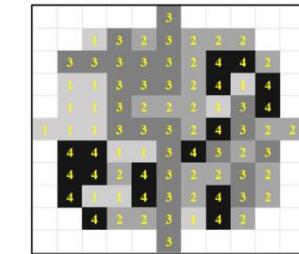


## ■ Three cases as training images

### Case 1 – drainage network image



### Case 2 – Directional drainage network index image



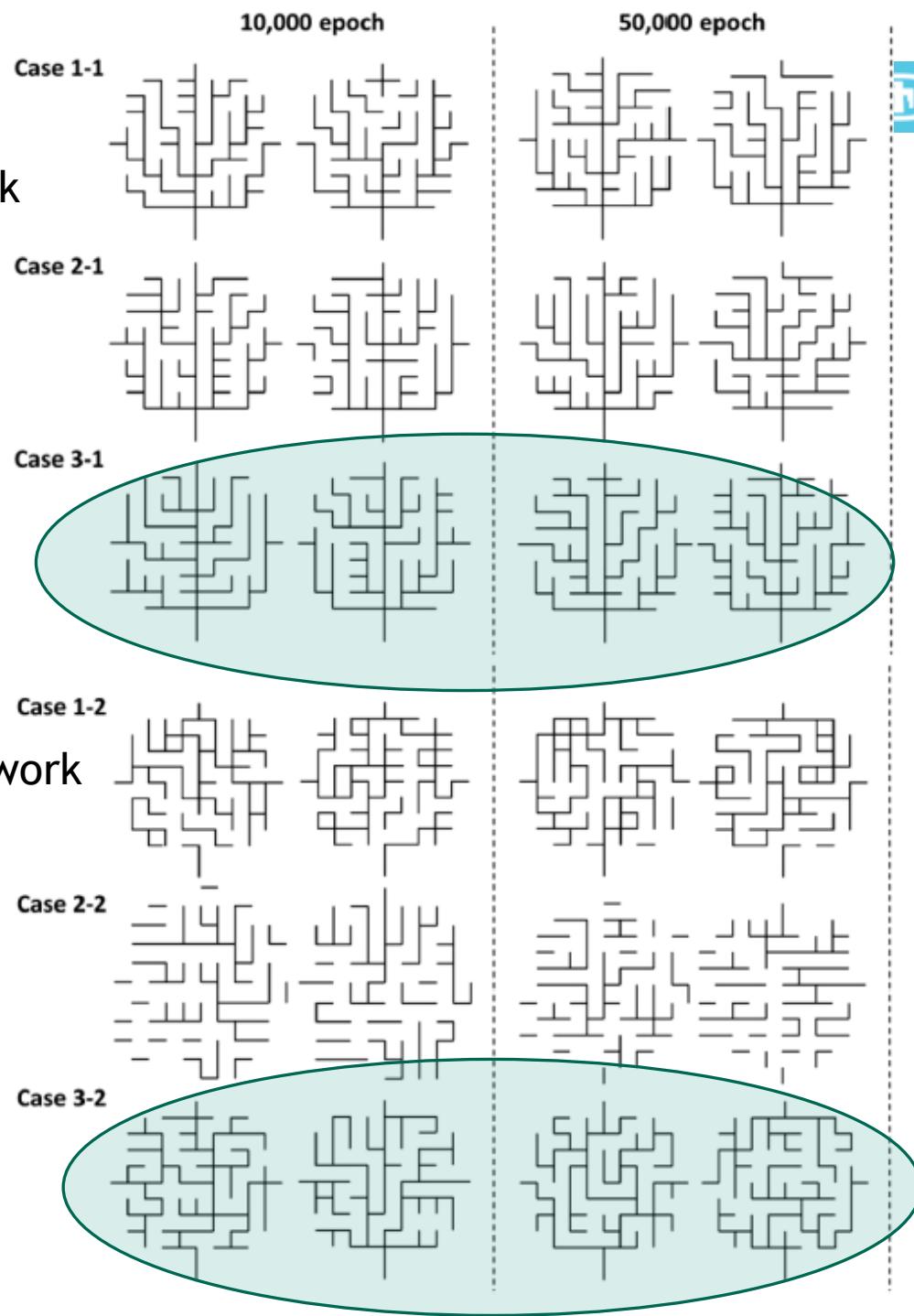
### Case 3 – Three layers of binary D matrix

- transform the physical information of the images (i.e., high-frequency features & connectivity between the neighboring nodes) into the efficient binary matrix layers

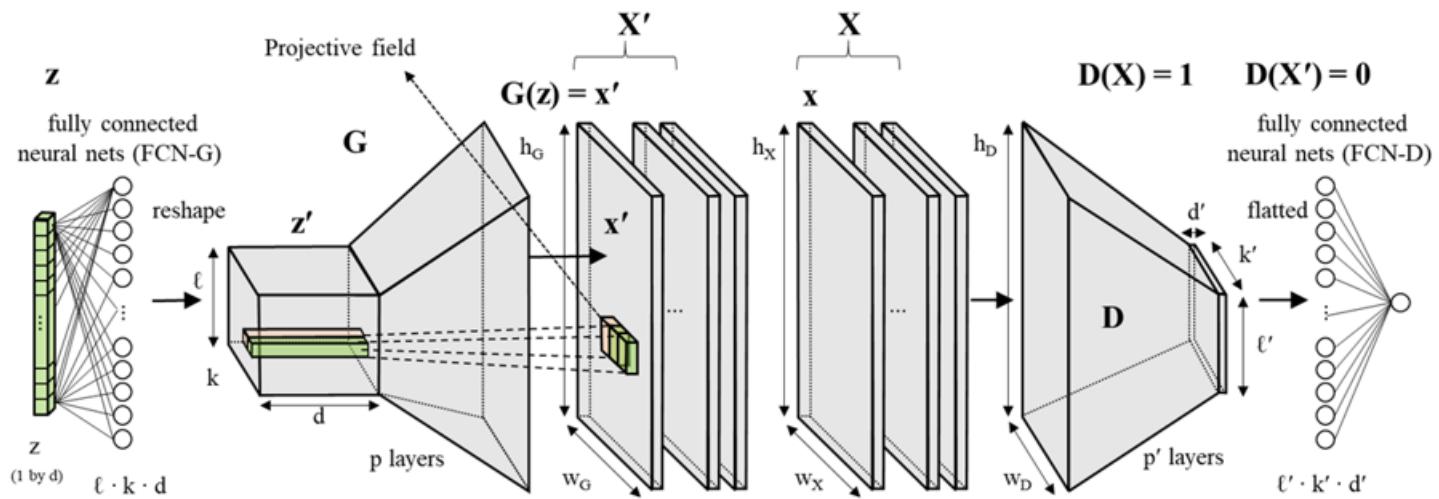
# Generated Drainage Networks

- Connectivity-informed binary layers (case 3-1&3-2) outperform other cases
  - Better generation accuracy & computational cost
  - Complex network case demonstrates this more dramatically
  - a type of physics-informed prior knowledge for ML

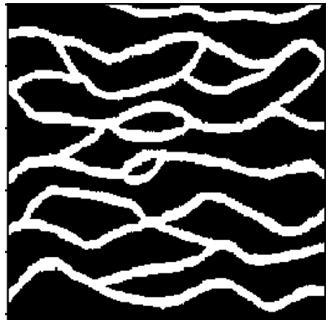
Simple network



# Spatially Assembled GANs (SAGANs)

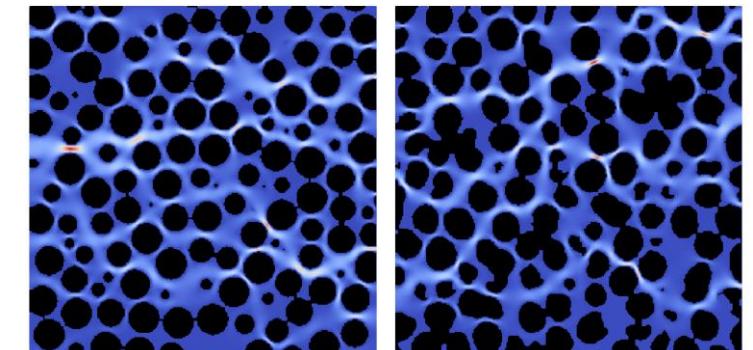
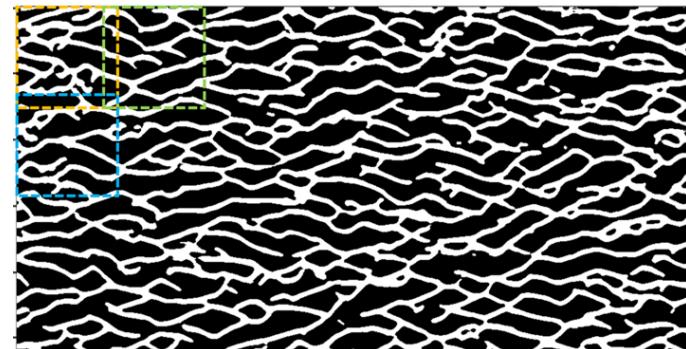


Training image



Training/Generation

Generated image



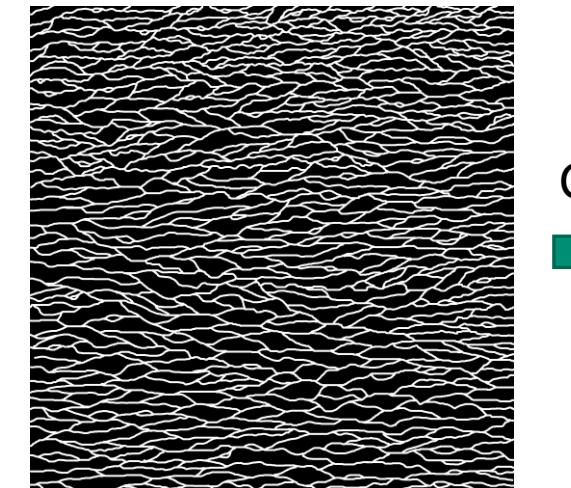
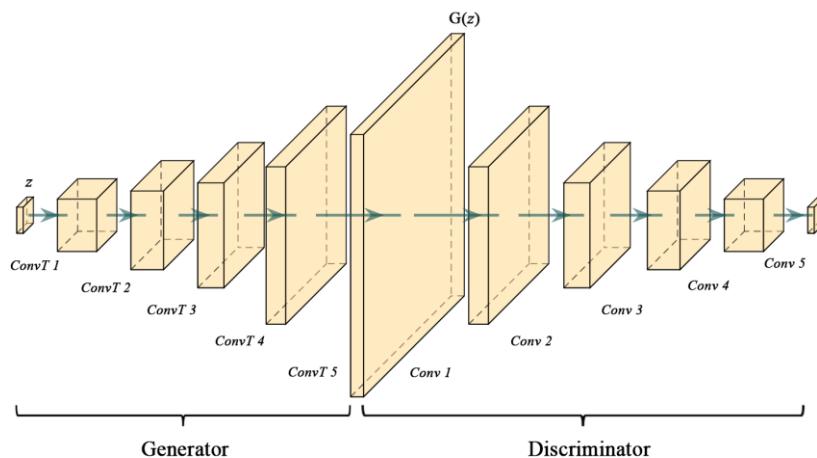
Velocity field: Pore-scale simulations with training image (TI) and realization

# Wasserstein GANs (WGANs)

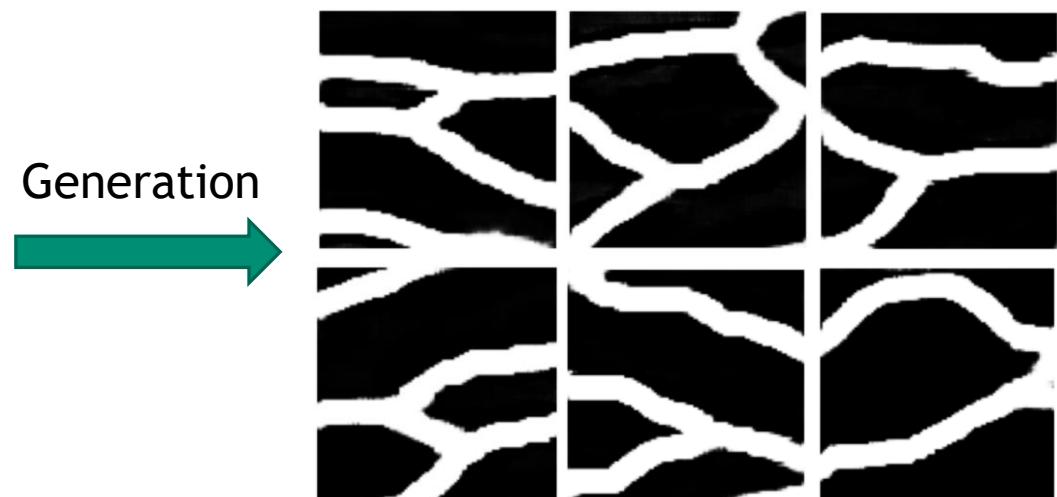


- As mentioned, “Better loss functions, more stable training”
- Here we use 1) Wasserstein-1 (so-called Earth-Mover) distance and 2) gradient penalty to ensure Lipschitz (i.e., continuous and differentiable loss function) conditions

$$W(P_r, P_g) = \inf_{\gamma \in \Pi(P_r, P_g)} E_{(x,y) \sim \gamma} [\|x - y\|] \quad L_D = \underbrace{E_{\mathbf{z} \sim P_z} [D(G(\mathbf{z}))] - E_{\mathbf{x} \sim P_r} [D(\mathbf{x})]}_{\text{original discriminator loss}} + \underbrace{\lambda E_{\hat{\mathbf{x}} \sim P_{\hat{\mathbf{x}}}} [(\|\nabla_{\hat{\mathbf{x}}} D(\hat{\mathbf{x}})\|_2 - 1)^2]}_{\text{gradient penalty}}$$



Reference training image



# Variational AutoEncoders (VAEs)

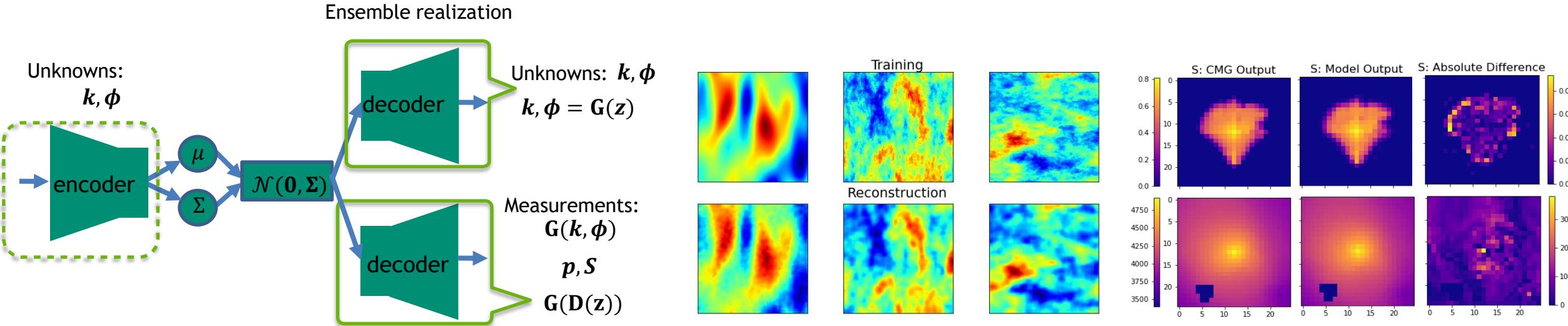


- **Nonlinear dimension reduction model:**

- We have also used VAEs (naïve VAE,  $\beta$ -VAE, VQ-VAE and so on) for data generation.
- VAE can explicitly project data to a smaller space with a simpler (i.e., Gaussian) distribution
- “likelihood” model-based VAEs may be advantageous in some case: relatively easy to 1) train and 2) check the model quality

- **Connection to DA**

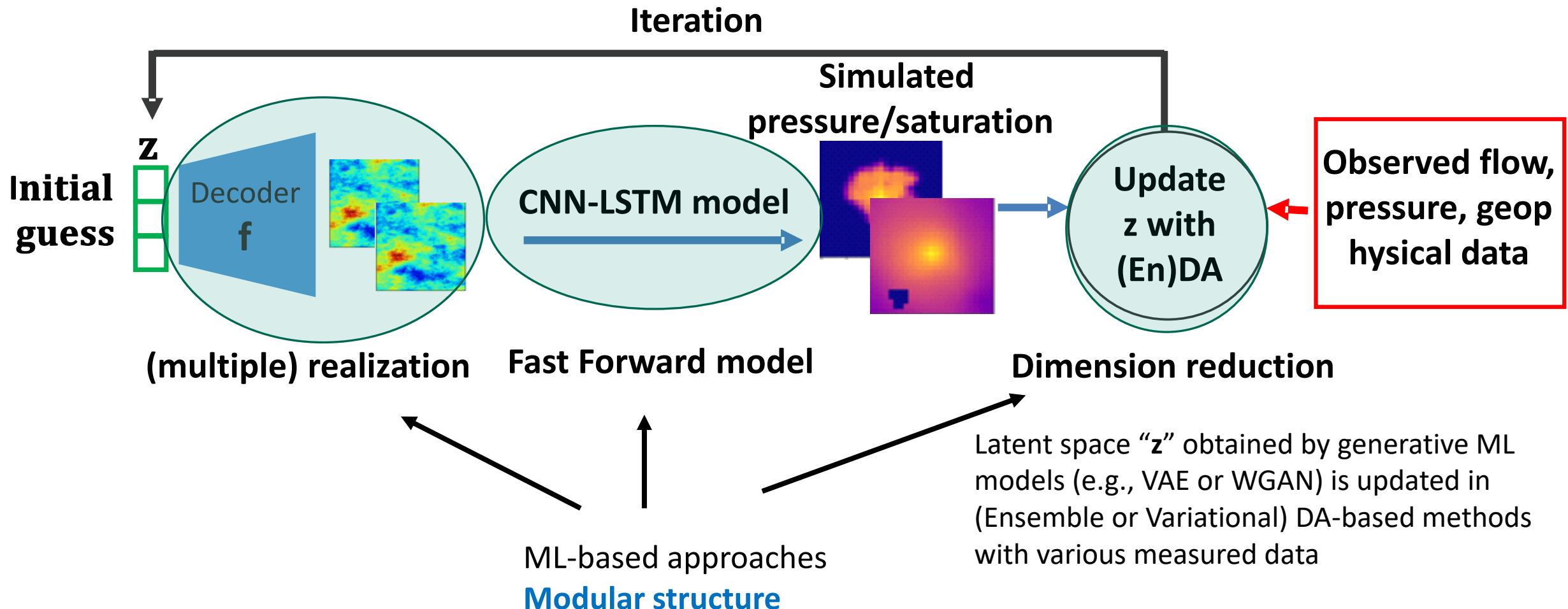
- Data assimilation in **small nonlinear latent space of unknown parameters with  $\text{dim}(z)$**
- Only require “ **$\text{dim}(z)$** ” forward model executions at each iterations instead of  $\text{dim}(m)$  or  $\text{dim}(\text{obs})$



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# ML-based Data Assimilation Framework

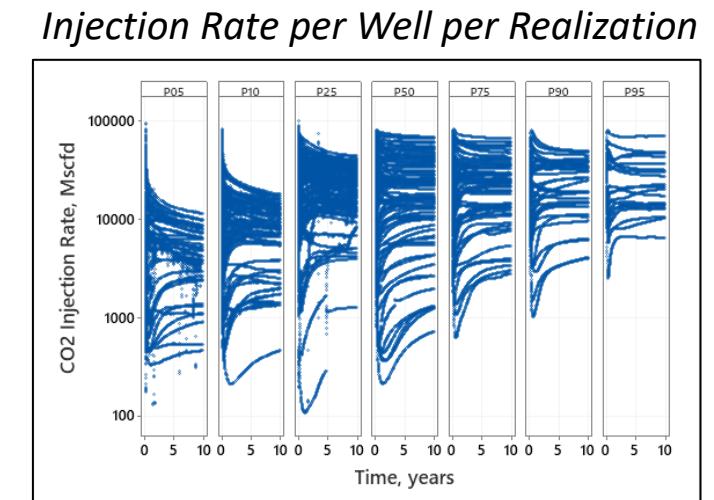
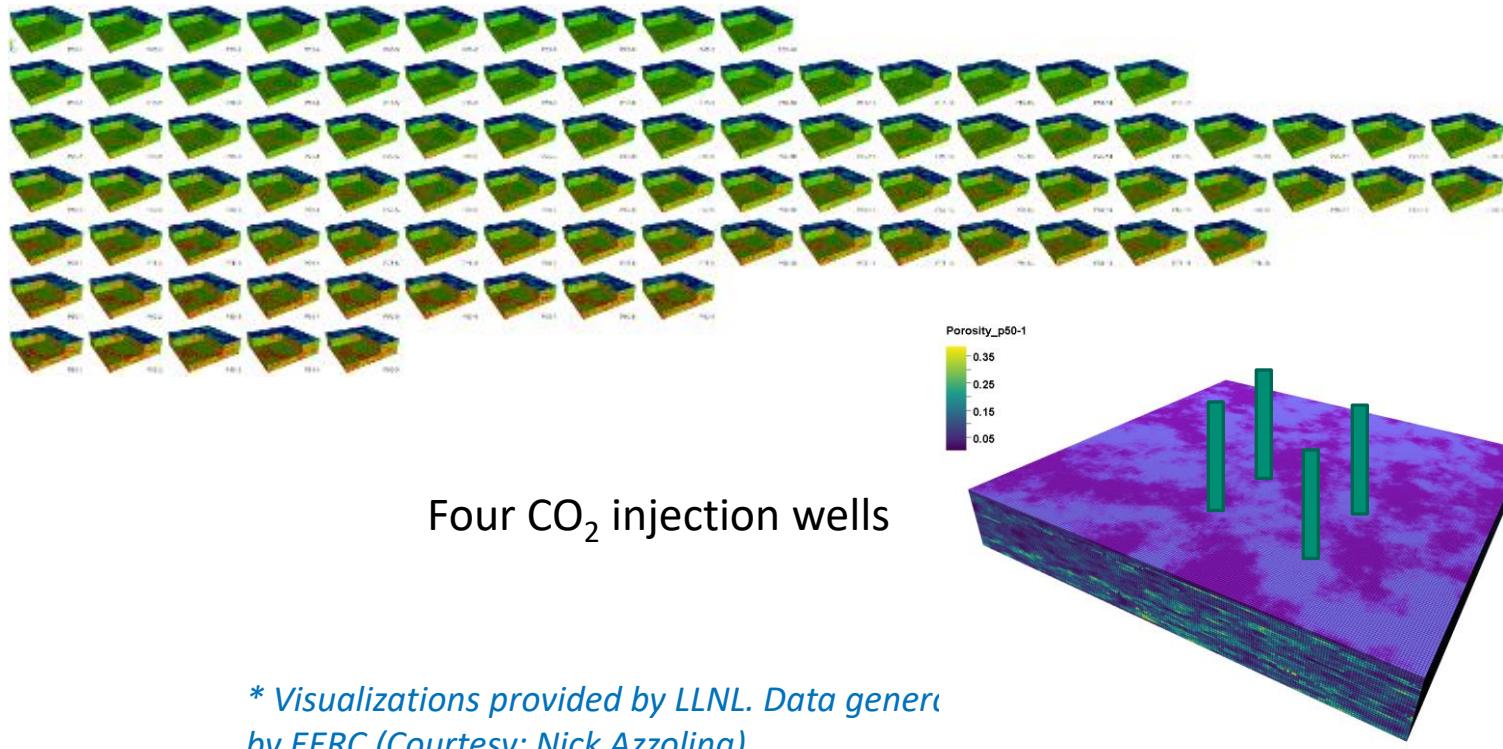
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# Description of the data used



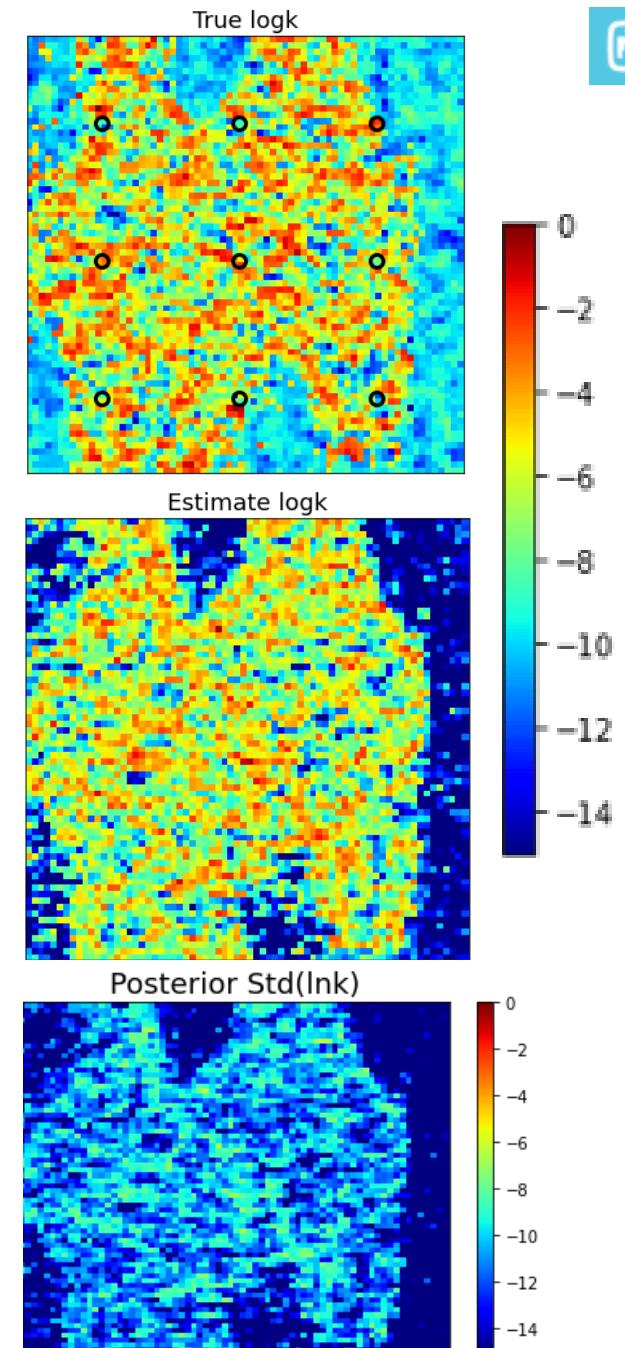
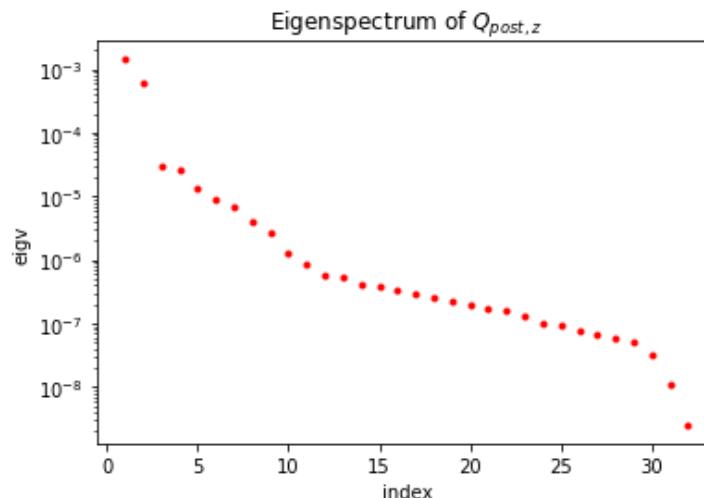
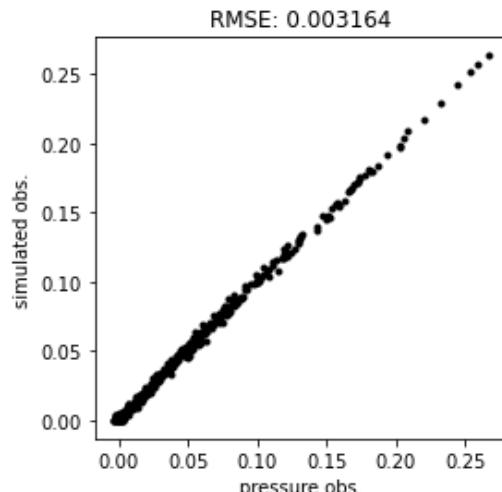
- **High fidelity numerical simulator (CMG) to generate multiphase CO<sub>2</sub> flow in 3D heterogeneous field (DOE SMART-CS project)**
  - Field scale-based permeability & porosity distribution
  - Injection & extraction well operations
  - CO<sub>2</sub> saturation, pressure, and production



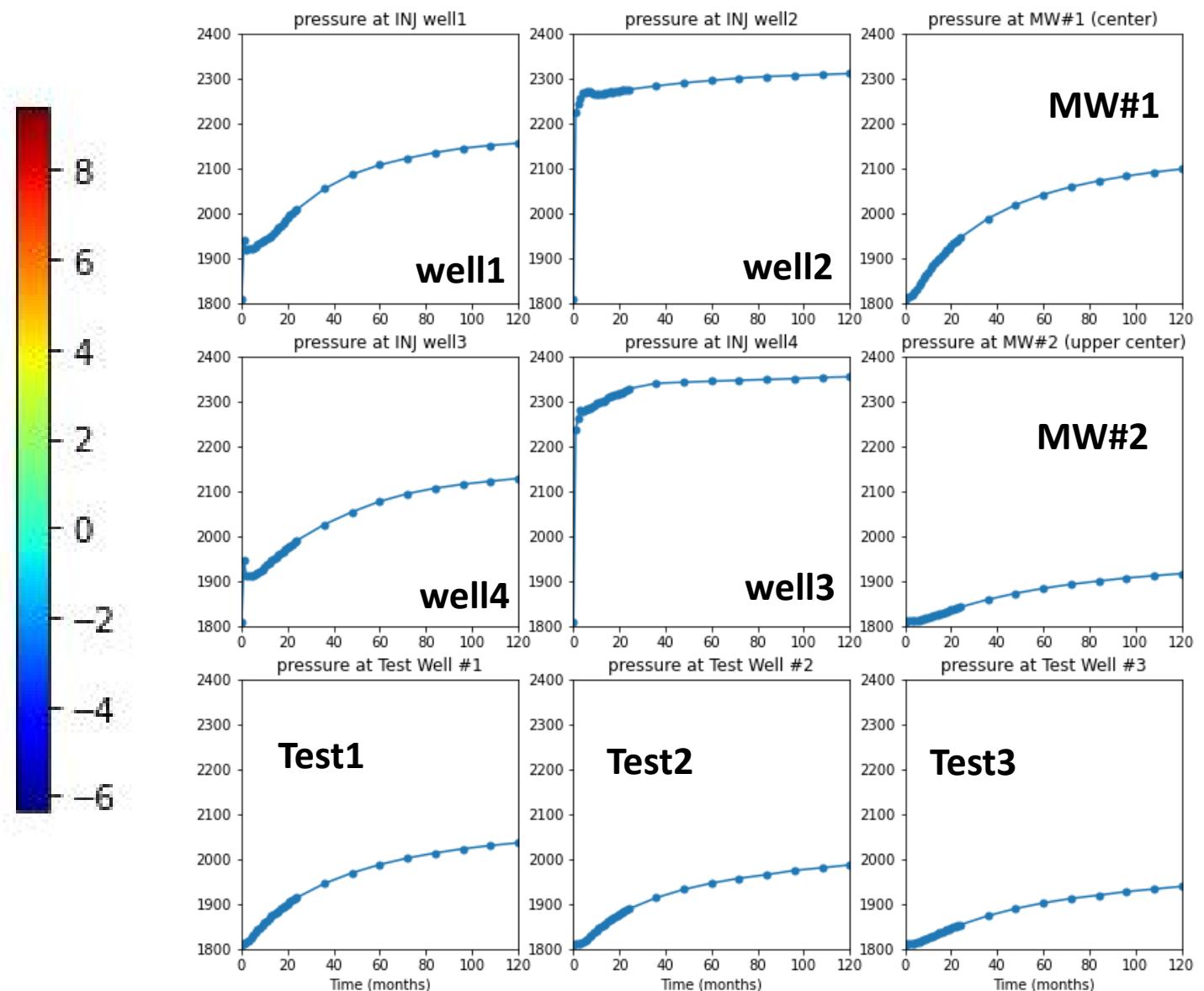
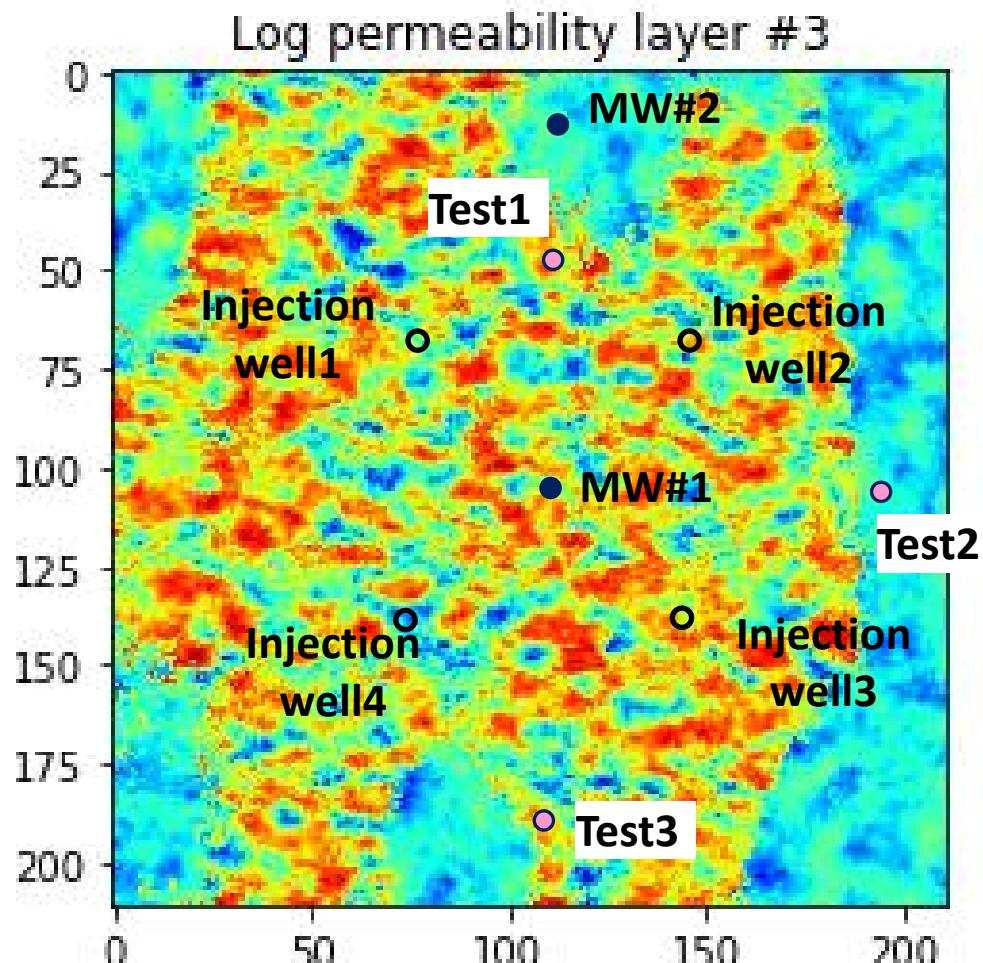
# VAE-Inversion



- Use a 2D problem to demonstrate VAE-based inversion
  - the latent space is constructed based on  $k$  and Pressure
  - the cost of the trained reduced order model (CNN-LSTM-DNN)  $\sim 0(1 \text{ sec})$
- Inversion example :
  - 2D 71x71 unknown  $k \Rightarrow \mathbf{z}$  with 32 latent dimension
  - 9 observation wells for time series pressure & permeability (hard data)
  - Latent space was constructed from training data
  - **Initial guess: Zero mean & STD**
  - Only **~5 min inversion time** on a single core laptop
  - Inversion in the latent space identifies the  $k$  structures well!



# Well locations & pressure profile over time for DA

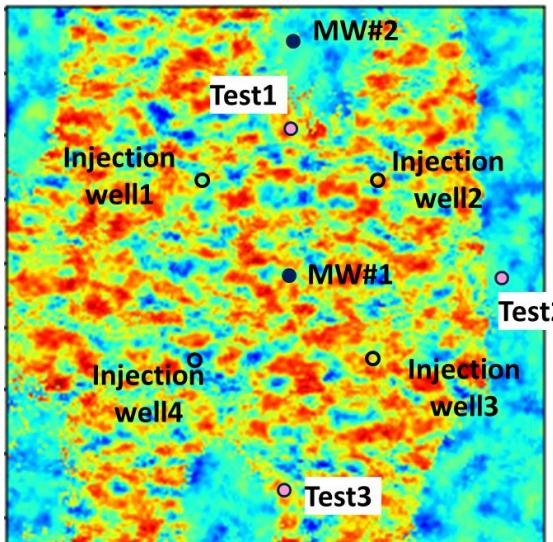


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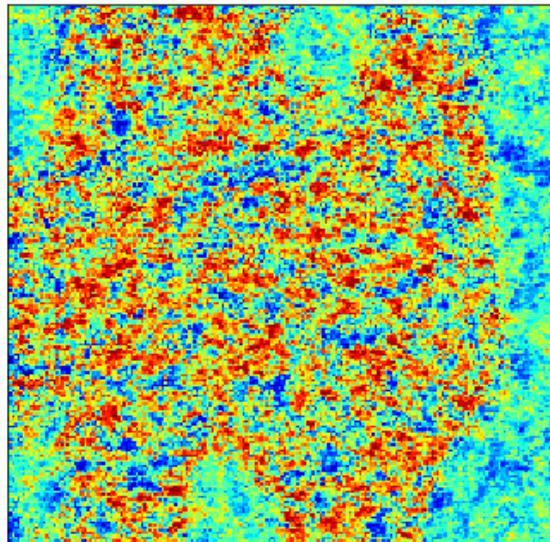
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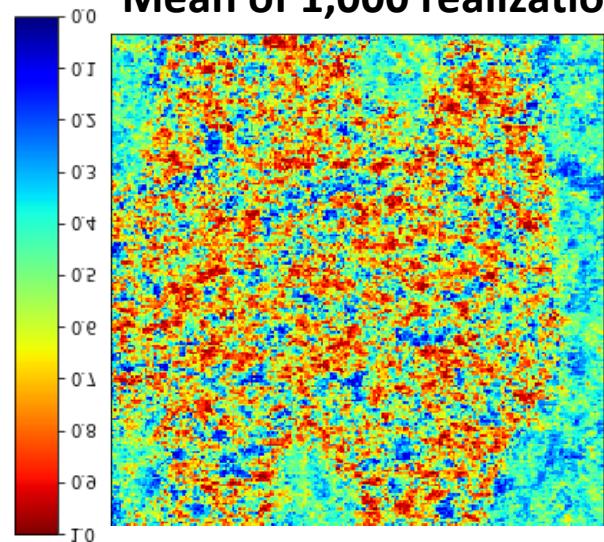


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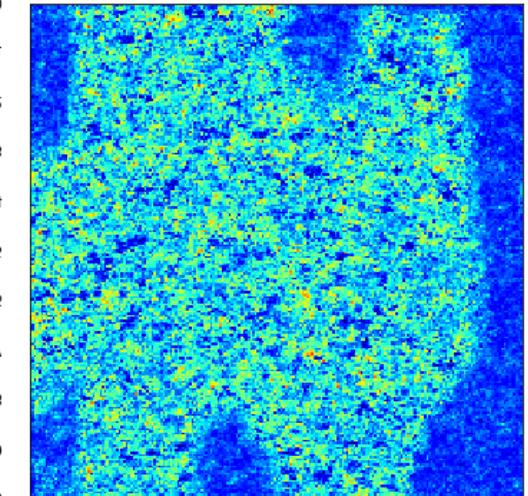


Posterior Analysis (normalized)

Mean of 1,000 realizations

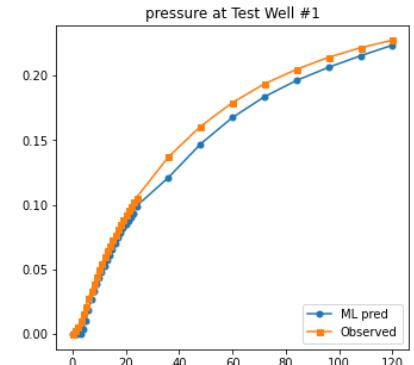


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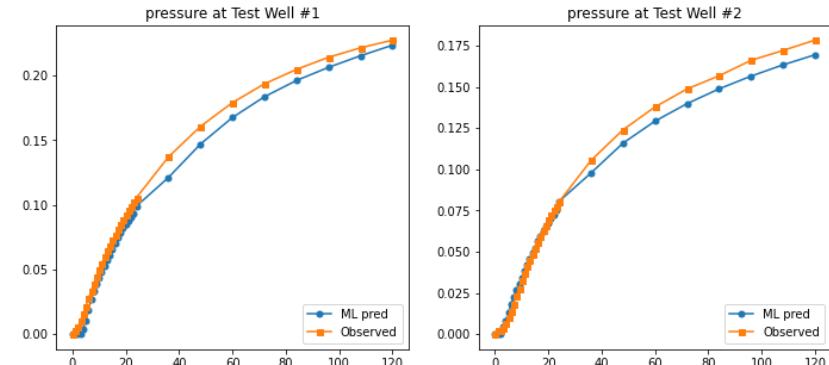


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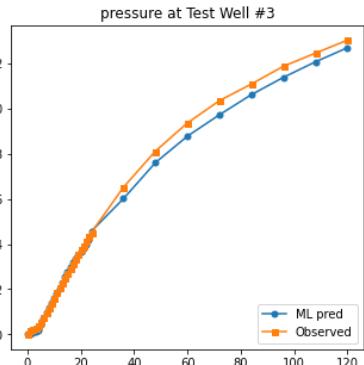
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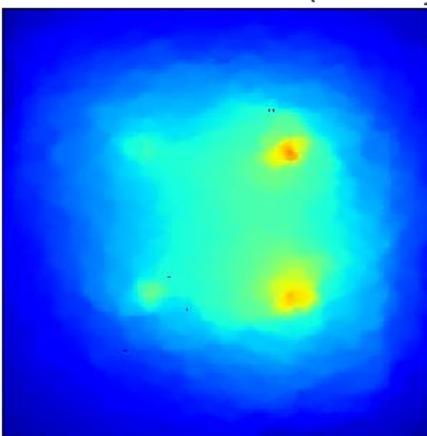
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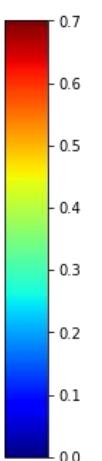
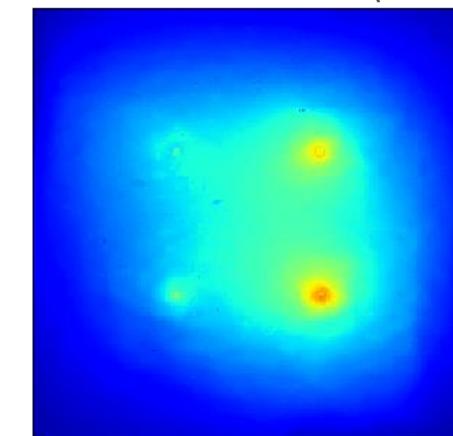
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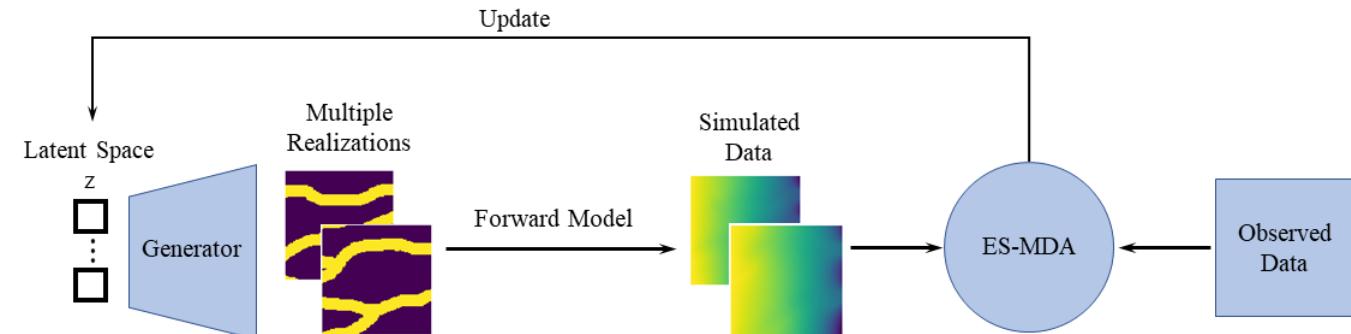
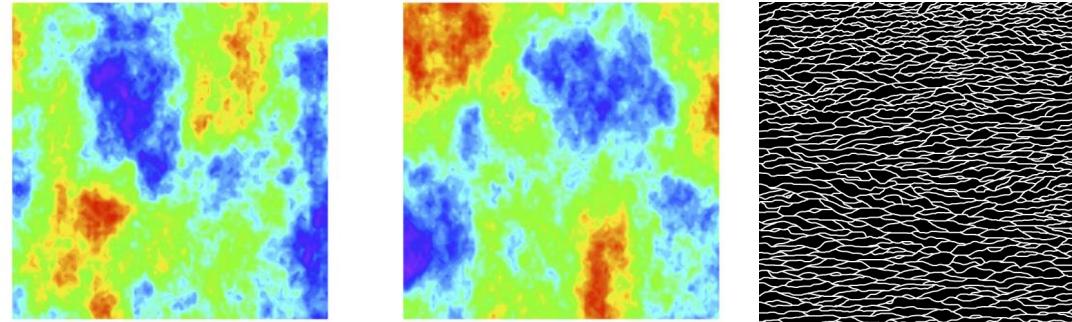
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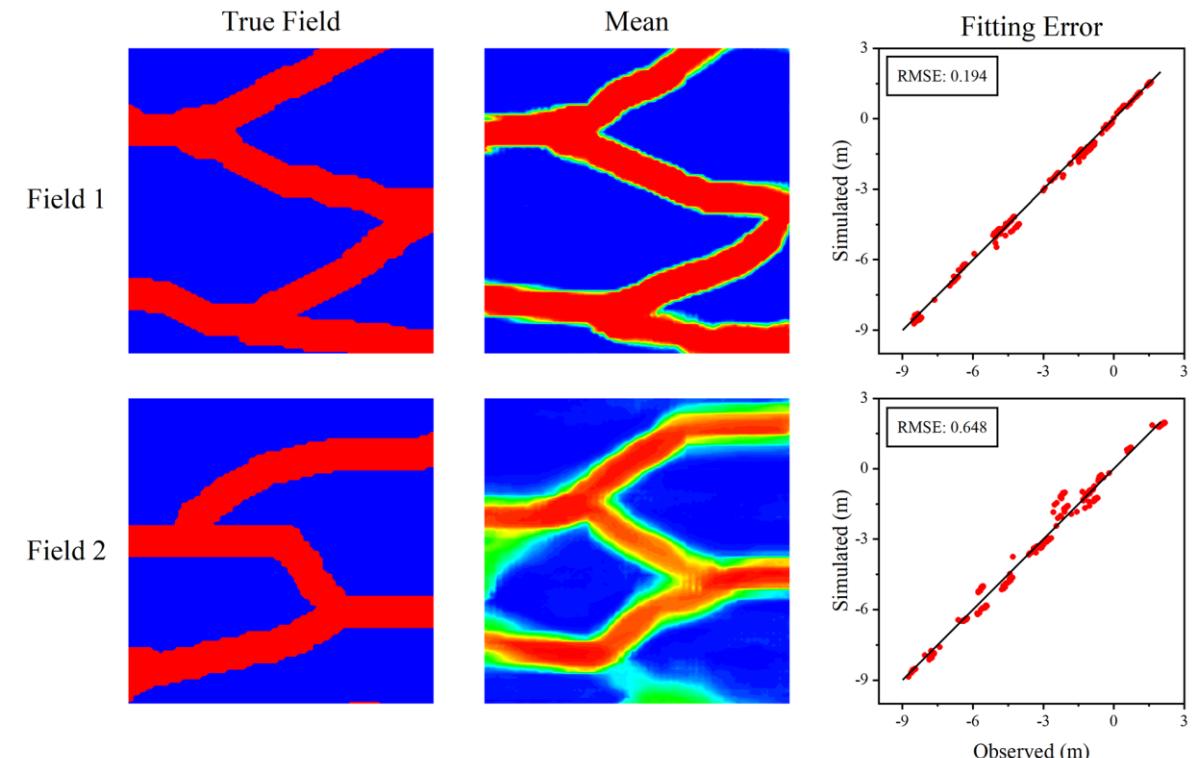
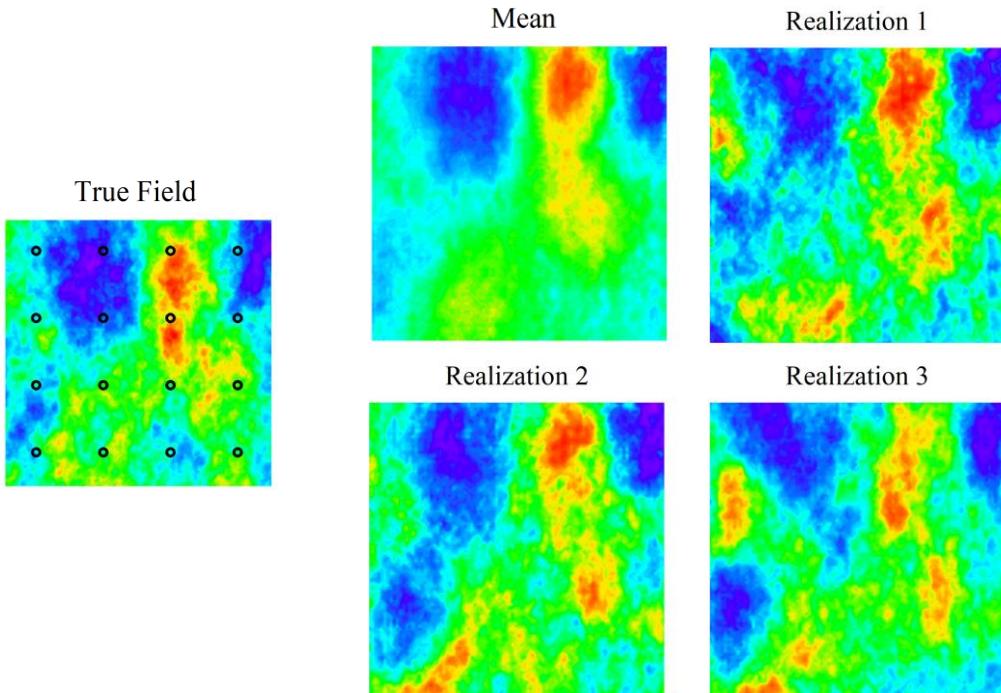
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# WGAN-based Data Assimilation (ES-MDA)



Training Images for 1) Gaussian and 2) channelized aquifer



# Summary



- Data assimilation in the latent space with deep learning methods (VAE, WGAN) and fast deep learning-based forward modeling can achieve real-time history matching of CO<sub>2</sub> operations and forecasting pressure plume development.
- Latent space optimization including optimal choice of the nonlinear dimension reduction requires further study with more realistic and various types of observed data.
- ML/DL with domain knowledge can lead to dramatic improvement in spatio-temporal data analytics and decision making for optimal monitoring system development.



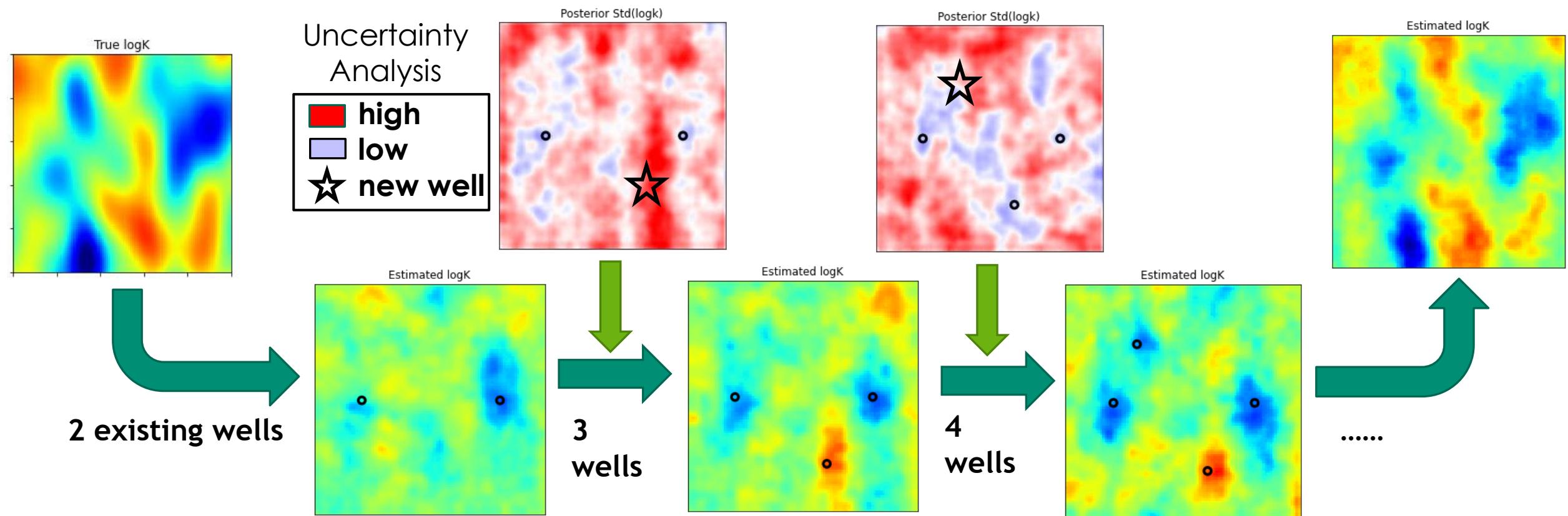
# Thank you!

Any questions?

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# Preliminary Result: Optimal Monitoring Well Placement



- By computing posterior covariance and maximize the information gain (e.g, D optimality) in the small latent space, our data assimilation method can accelerate Optimal Experiment Design (OED) problems and identify next “best” well locations