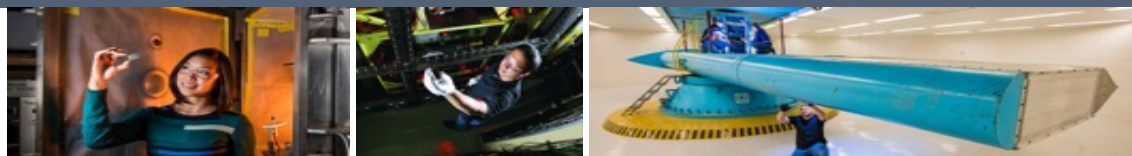




SNAP and Beyond: Machine Learning Interatomic Potentials in LAMMPS



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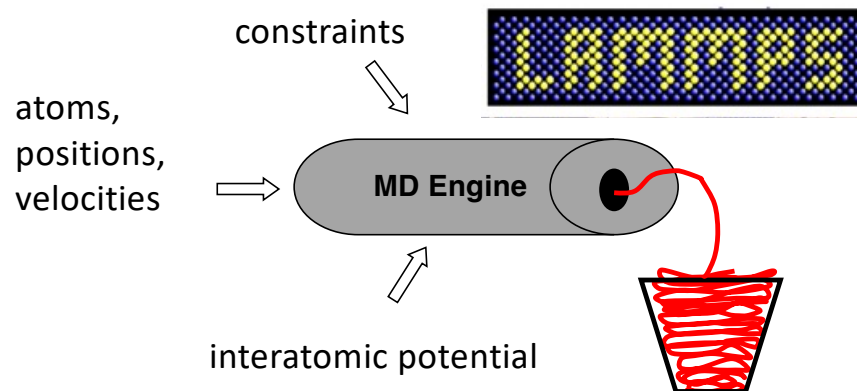
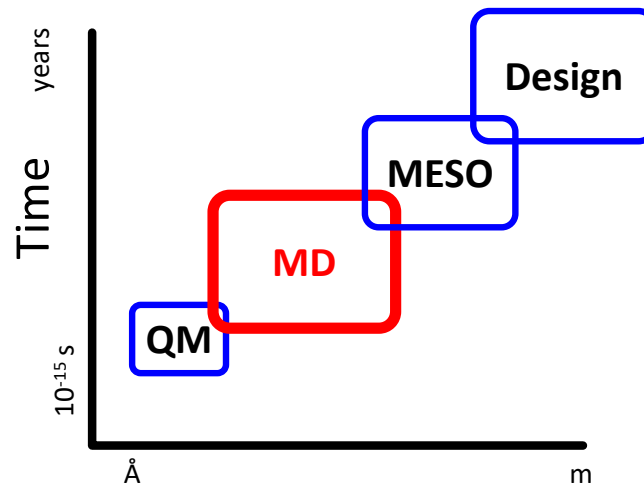
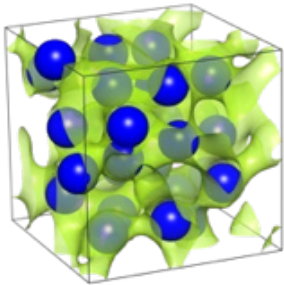


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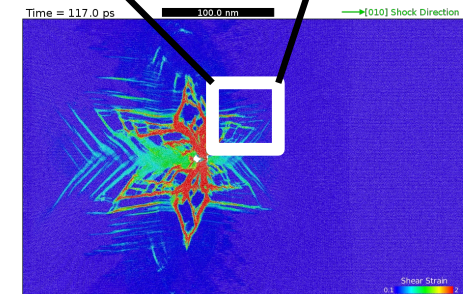
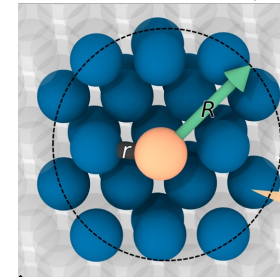
Quantum Molecular Dynamics

- Input: ion positions
- Output: Electronic structure
- Energy, forces, stress
- Sample simple bulk properties
- Expensive
- $O(N^3)$ scaling
- $N \sim$ hundreds



Classical Molecular Dynamics

- No electrons
- Interatomic potential
- Energy, forces, stress
- Describes complex properties and processes
- $O(N)$ scaling
- $N \sim$ millions, billions



What is LAMMPS?

Large-scale Atomic/Molecular Massively Parallel Simulator

<https://www.lammps.org>

- Focus on materials modeling: soft matter or solids
- Particle simulator at varying length and time scales
electrons \Rightarrow atoms \Rightarrow CG \Rightarrow mesoscale \Rightarrow continuum
- Spatial-decomposition of domain for MPI parallelism
- Support for GPUs & OpenMP via Kokkos (portability)
- Can be coupled to other scales: QM, kMC, FE, CFD, ...
- Open source, available on GitHub, GPL or LGPL
- Ecosystem with hundreds of developers



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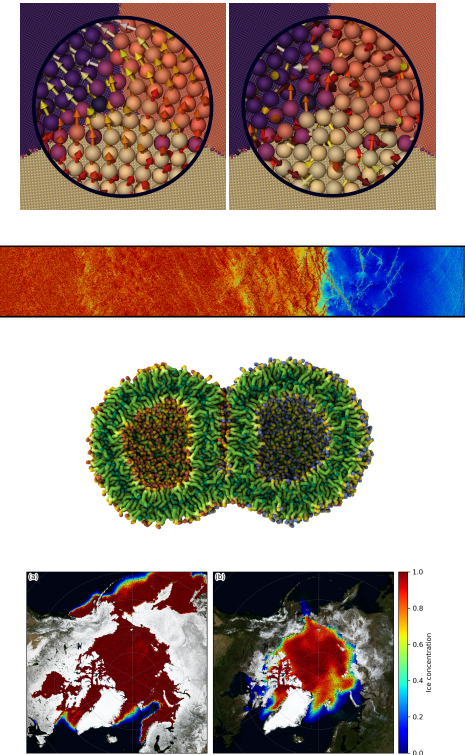
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Feature article

LAMMPS - A flexible simulation tool for particle-based materials modeling at the atomic, meso, and continuum scales

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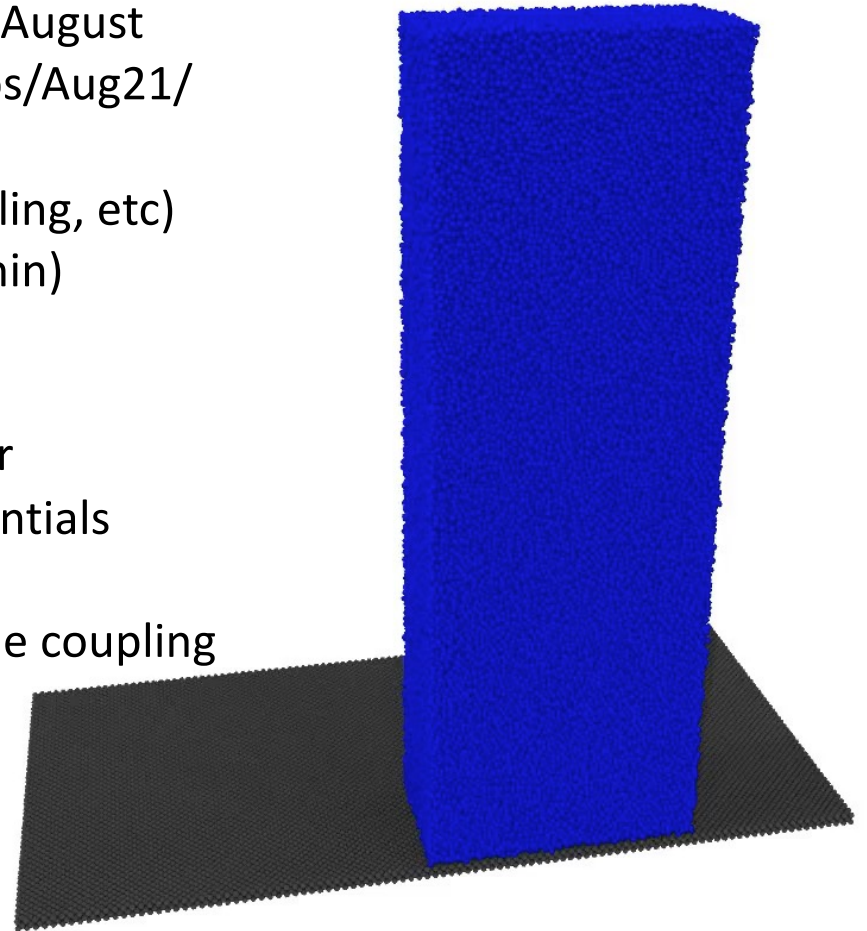


Four images for the journal cover visualizing representative LAMMPS simulations of particle-based material models on a range of length and time scales. a) atomic magnetic spin configurations b) 2B atom simulation with SNAP carbon ML potential c) coarse-grained molecular simulation of biological vesicles fusing d) DEMSI simulation of arctic sea ice

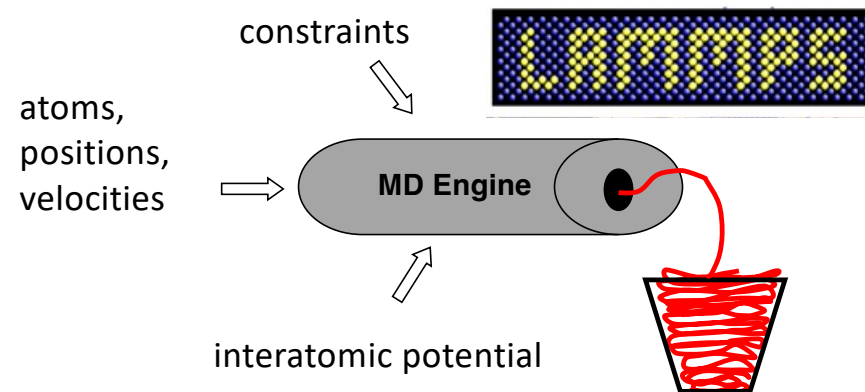
New in LAMMPS

RHEO package, Joel Clemmer, Dan Bolintineanu, Thomas O'Connor (Sandia)
<https://download.lammps.org/workshops/Aug21/day3/joel-clemmer.pdf>

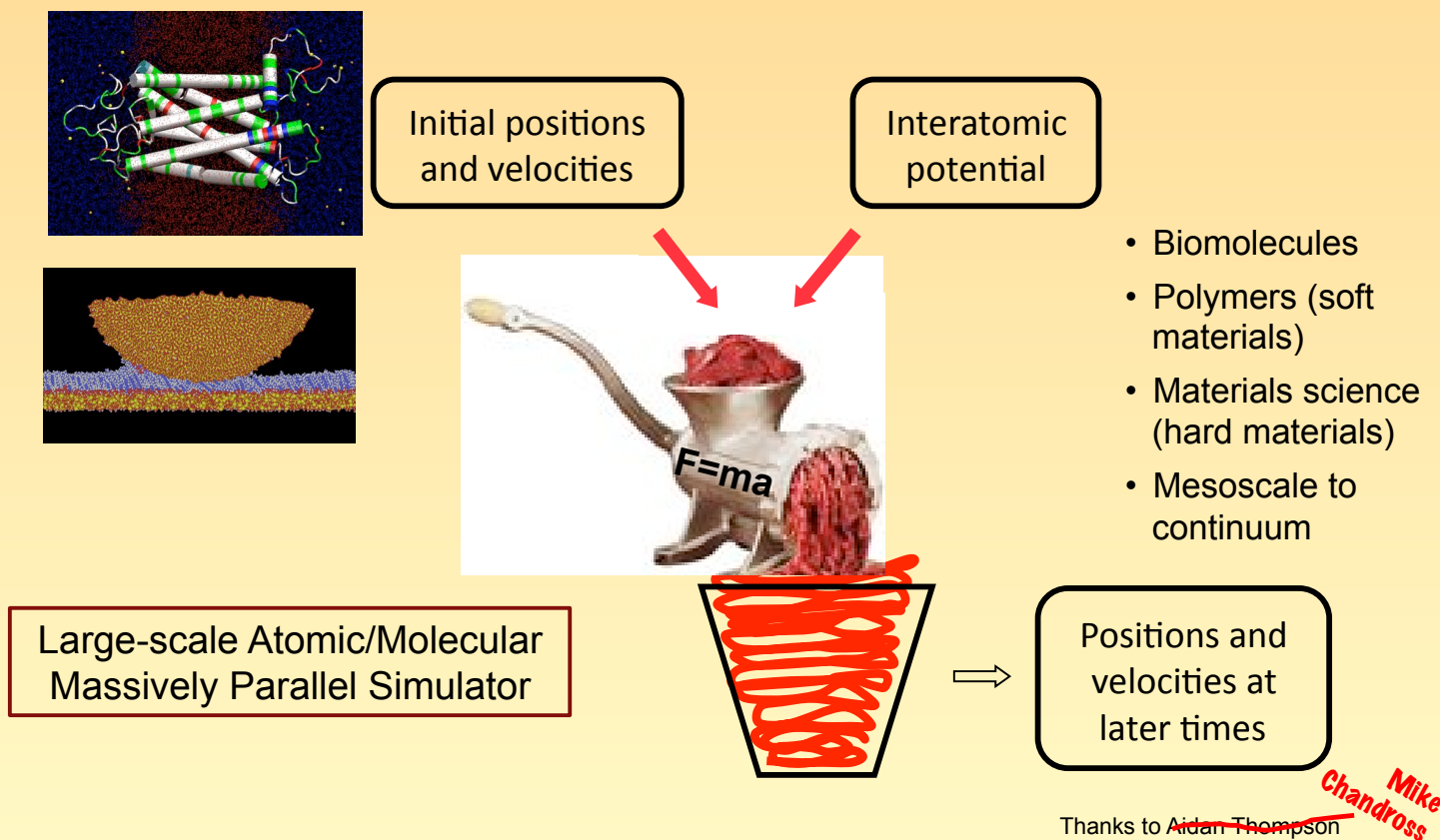
- New features from virtual LAMMPS workshop in August
 - website: <https://www.lammps.org/workshops/Aug21/>
 - 4-hour hands-on tutorial, 6 1-hour breakouts
 - 4 invited talks on fun topics (ML, Covid modeling, etc)
 - 20 short talks (15 min), 20 lightning talks (3 min)
 - recordings of all talks available on website
- Python + LAMMPS: call either one from the other
- Inter-operability with OpenKIM database of potentials
- Machine-learning interatomic potentials
- Support for MDI (MolSSI Driver Interface) for code coupling



What is LAMMPS?



What is LAMMPS?



SNAP Training Workflow

<https://github.com/FitSNAP/FitSNAP>

Fit **SNAP**

Model Form

- Energy of atom i expressed as a basis expansion over K components of the bispectrum (B_k^i)

$$E_{SNAP}^i = \beta \cdot B^i + \frac{1}{2} (B^i)^T \cdot \alpha \cdot B^i$$

Regression Method

- β vector fully describes a SNAP potential
- Decouples MD speed from training set size

$$\min(\|\mathbf{w} \cdot D\beta - T\|^2 - \gamma_n \|\beta\|^n)$$

Weights Set of Descriptors DFT Training Regularization Penalty

Hyperparameter Optimization (SOGA Genetic Algorithm)

DAKOTA

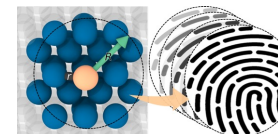
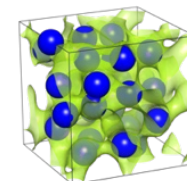
optimize hyper-parameters

FitSNAP.py

energy and force errors
material property objective functions

DFT Training Data

energies
forces
stress tensors

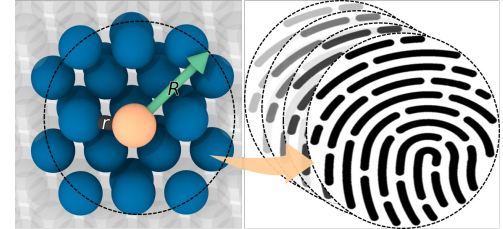


LAMMPS

summit

Bispectrum Components as Descriptor

- Neighbors of each atom are mapped onto unit sphere in 4D
 $3D \text{ Ball: } (r, \theta, \phi), r < R_{cut} \Rightarrow 4D \text{ Sphere: } (\theta_0, \theta, \phi), \theta_0 = \frac{r}{R_{cut}}\pi$
- Expand density around each atom in a basis of **4D hyperspherical harmonics**,
- Bispectrum components of the 4D hyperspherical harmonic expansion are used as the geometric descriptors of the local environment
 - Preserves universal physical symmetries
 - Rotation, translation, permutation
 - Size-consistent (extensible)



$$u_{m,m'}^j = U_{m,m'}^j(0,0,0) + \sum_{r_{ii'} < R_{cut}} f_c(r_{ii'}) w_i U_{m,m'}^j(\theta_0, \theta, \phi)$$

$$B_{j_1, j_2, j} = \sum_{m_1, m'_1 = -j_1}^{j_1} \sum_{m_2, m'_2 = -j_2}^{j_2} \sum_{m, m' = -j}^j (u_{m,m'}^j)^* H_{j_1 m_1 m'_1}^{j m m'} H_{j_2 m_2 m'_2}^{j m m'} u_{m_1, m'_1}^{j_1} u_{m_2, m'_2}^{j_2}$$

Symmetry relation:

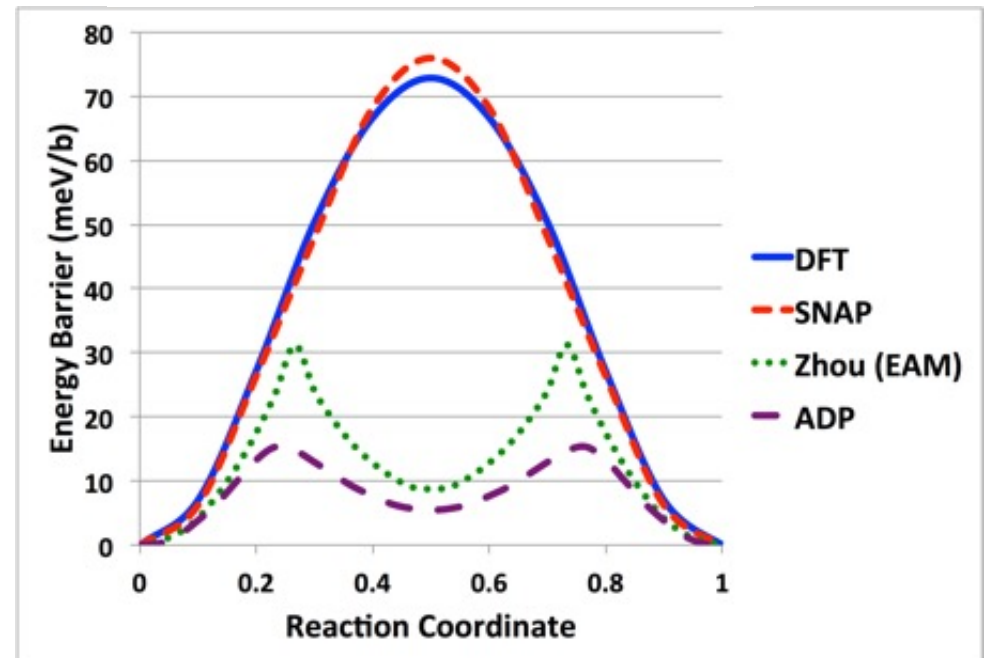
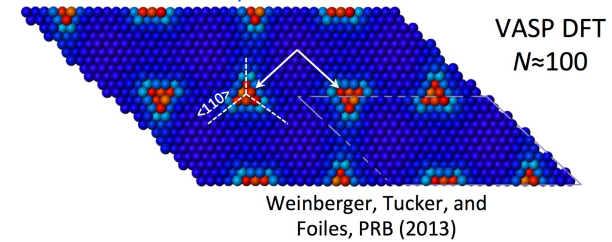
$$\frac{B_{j_1, j_2, j}}{2j+1} = \frac{B_{j, j_2, j_1}}{2j_1+1} = \frac{B_{j_1, j, j_2}}{2j_2+1}$$

SNAP, SOAP, Steinhardt, Behler, and many other descriptors are all related to the atomic cluster expansion (Ralf Drautz *Phys.Rev.B* 2019)

SNAP Tantalum

- Training data:
 - Energy, force, stress
 - 363 configurations
 - Deformed crystals phases
 - Generalized stacking faults
 - Surfaces
 - Liquid
- Peierls barrier is the activation energy to move a screw dislocation
- Not included in training data
- SNAP **post-diction** agrees well with DFT calculations

Screw Dislocation Dipole in Tantalum



A. P. Thompson , L.P. Swiler, C.R. Trott, S.M. Foiles, and G.J. Tucker, *J. Comp. Phys.*, **285** 316 (2015) .

SNAP Applications

SNL Involved, Independent



System	Year	Usage	Origin	N _{DoF}	N _{Training}	Descriptors
Ta	2014	Dislocation motion	SNL, Thompson	31	363	Linear
InP	2015	Radiation damage, defects	SNL, Thompson	31	665	Linear
WBeHe	2017	Plasma facing materials	SNL, Wood	56	25,052	Linear
Mo	2017	Phase diagram prediction	UCSD, Ong	31	1000	Linear
Actinides	2018	Shock, phase transitions	SNL/LLNL	56	20,000	Quadratic
NiMo	2018	Phase diagram prediction	UCSD, Ong	31	2,000	Linear
LiN	2019	Super-Ionic Conductor	UCSD, Ong	31	3,000	Lin+Charge
★ Various	2020	Accuracy/Cost comparison	UCSD/SNL	10-130	1,000	Lin, Quad
InP	2020	Radiation damage, defects	SNL, Cusentino	241	1,000	EME
AlNbTi	2020	High entropy alloy design	SNL, Tranchida	1596	7,250	Quadratic
Si	2020	Neural network SNAP	UNLV, Zhu	1596	>5,000	NN
Al	2021	Predicting electron density	SNL, Ellis	91	30	NN
Fe	2021	Magnetic phase transition	SNL, Nikolov	1596	683	Quad+Spin

SNAP Applications

SNL Involved, *Independent*



(more in the literature, not an exhaustive list)

System	Year	Usage	Origin	N _{DoF}	N _{Training}	Descriptors
WBeHN	-	Plasma facing materials	SNL, Cusentino	56*	>40,000	Linear
C	-	Planetary impacts, shock	USF, Willman	1596	30,000	Quadratic
C, V	2021	Metal plasmas	SNL, Wood	1596	10,000	Quadratic
MoNbTaTi	-	HEA alloy design	SNL, McCarthy	-	>5,000	EME
GeSe	-	Vitrification	UCD, Sievers	-	>5,000	EME
LiMoS	-	Li-ion batteries	UConn, Dongarre	-	>5,000	-
SiGeSnPb	-	Thermoelectric materials	GWU, Li	-	>5,000	-
W	-	Model form selection	LANL/SNL	-	330,000	NN

So what should you train a ML-IAP on?

How do you recognize failures (poor extrapolations)?

- Growing evidence that SNAP is a *general use* material model form, unlike any interatomic potential used in MD to date
- SNAP model training software now incorporated in [Materials Design Inc.](#) products

Materials for Fusion Energy

Cusentino, Wood

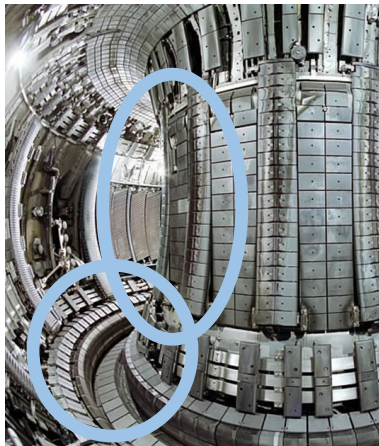


- Difficult to develop materials to handle extreme conditions within tokamak
- Large heat loads of 10-20 MW/m³
- High particles fluxes of $\sim 10^{24}$ m⁻²s⁻¹ of mixed ion species (H/He/Be/N etc.)
- Complex chemical/physical processes

- Molecular dynamics is well suited to study initial implantation, diffusion, material deformation, and surface response of plasma facing materials
- Need accurate interatomic potentials
- We have published potentials for:
 - Helium/Tungsten
 - Beryllium/Tungsten
- In progress:
 - Hydrogen/Tungsten
 - Nitrogen/Tungsten
 - ZrC/Tungsten
- Eventually: H/He/N/ZrC/W

Beryllium
First Wall

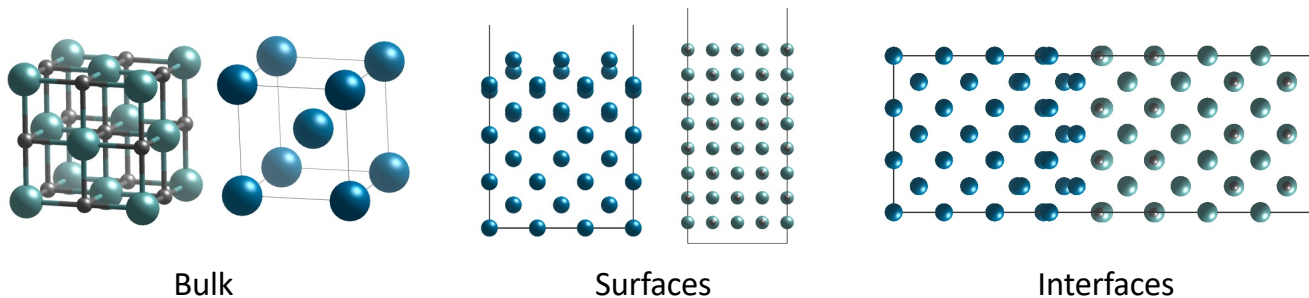
Tungsten
Divertor



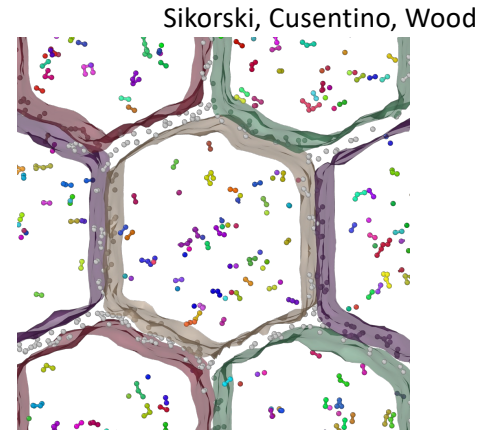
Joint European Torus (JET)

Dispersoid-strengthened Tungsten

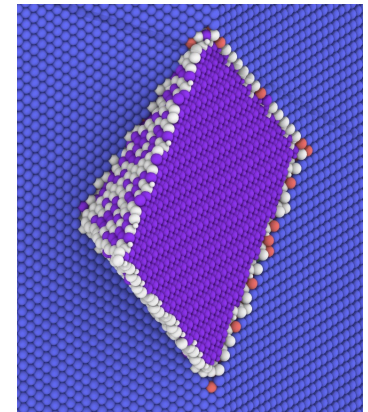
- The W-ZrC SNAP potential is trained on ~8,000 structures including bulk, surfaces, interfaces, as well as ab initio molecular dynamics.



- A genetic algorithm is used to optimize hyper-parameters for low force, energy, and material property errors.
- Potentials are narrowed down based on material properties like bulk modulus (GPa) and surface energy ($\text{eV}/\text{\AA}^2$) and stability in NVT simulations.



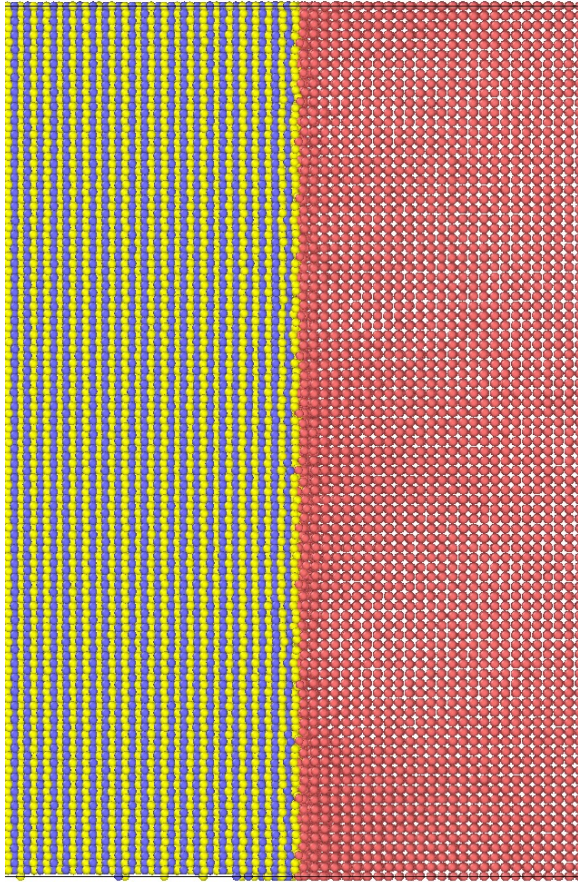
Hydrogen uptake in polycrystalline tungsten



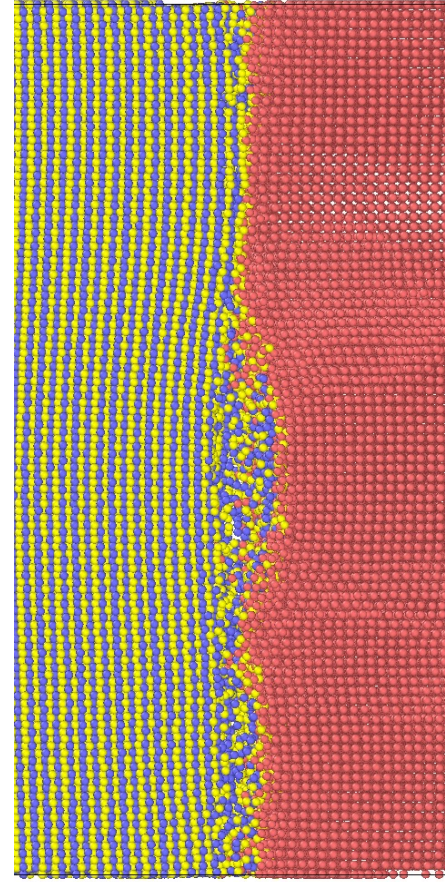
Zirconium carbide dispersoid nanoparticle in tungsten

Saikat C-terminated interface during tensile test @ 300K

Just before fracture

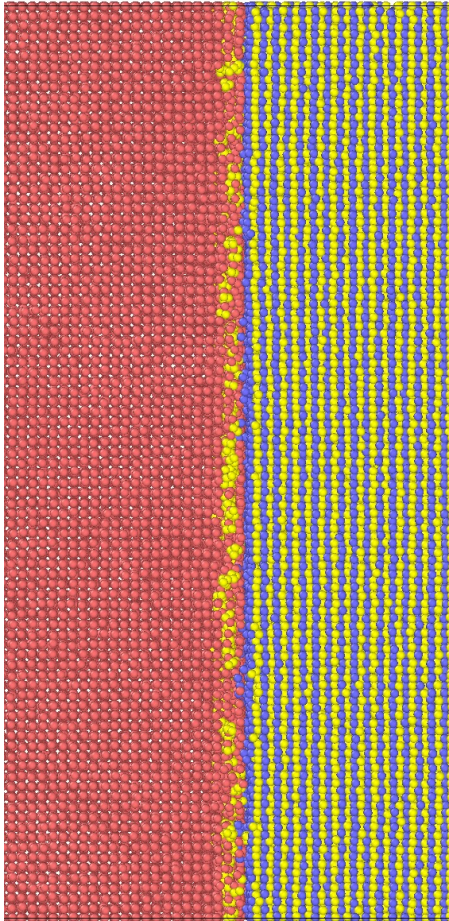


At fracture

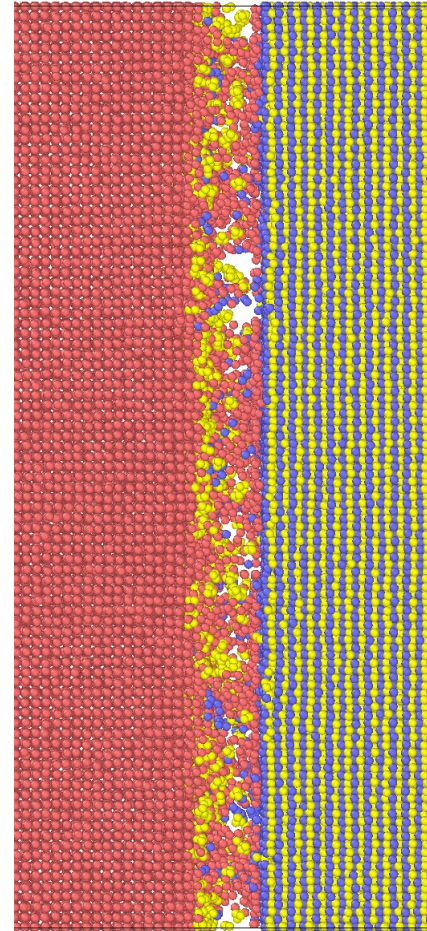


Saikat C-terminated interface during tensile test @ 2500K

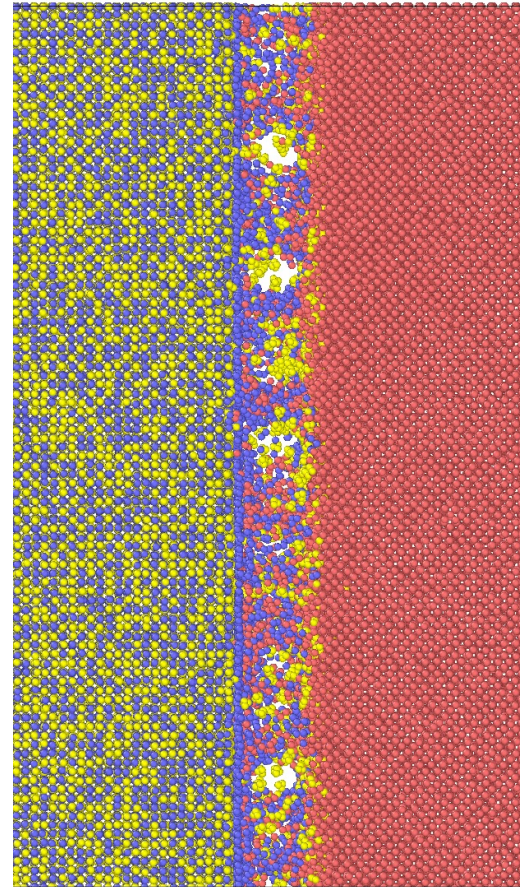
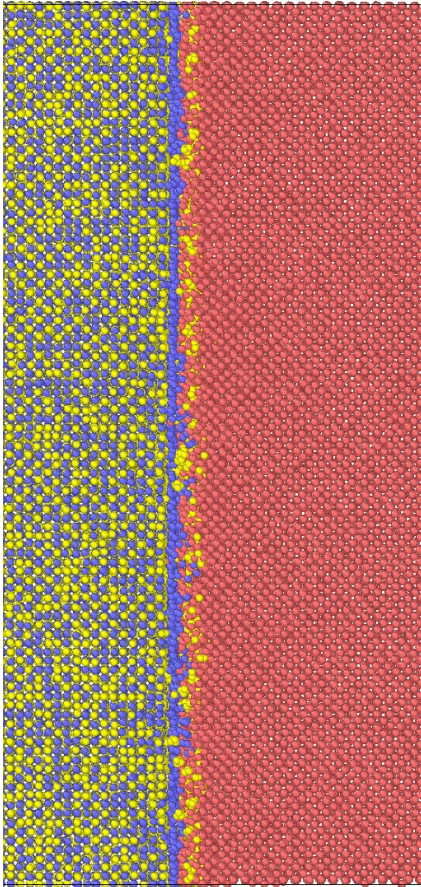
Just before fracture



At fracture



Zhang interface during tensile testing @ 2500 K



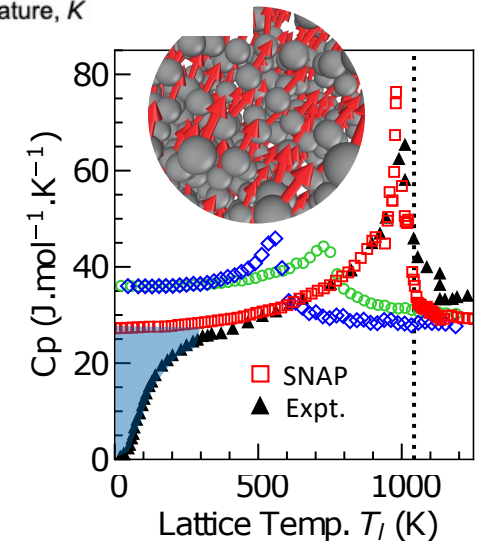
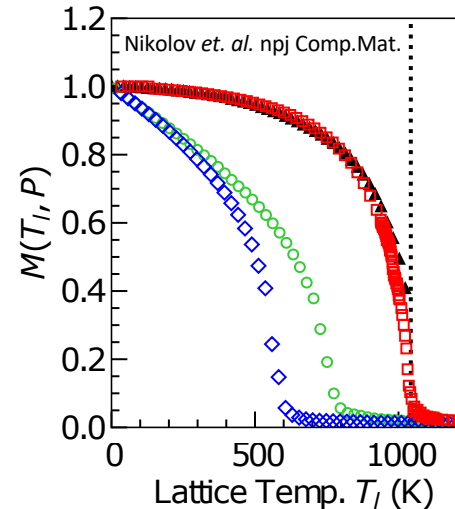
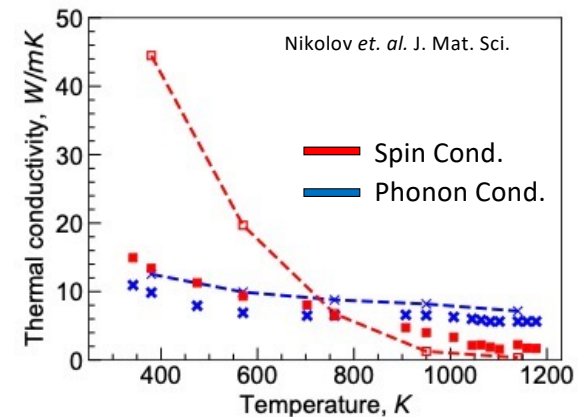
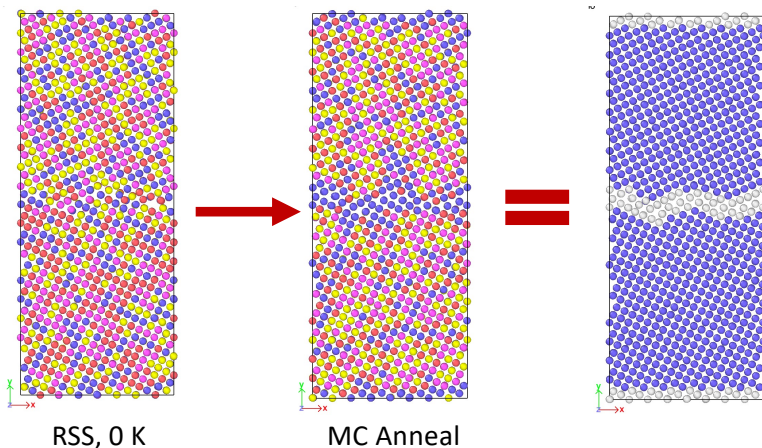
Other Advanced Materials

McCarthy, Nikolov, Wood



Chemical, Functional Complexity

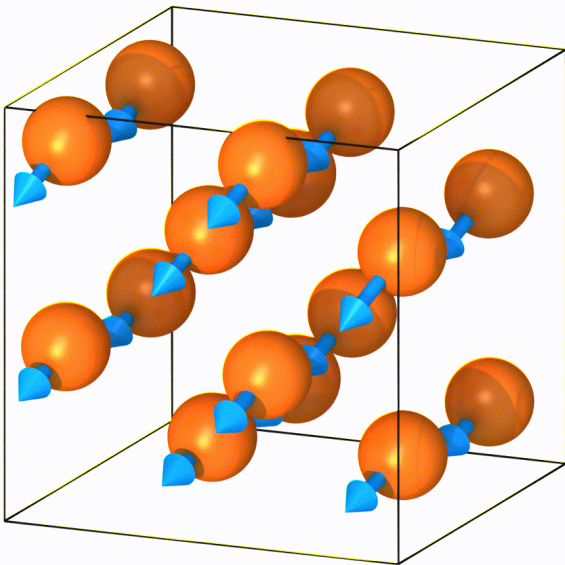
- Many materials are absent from MD literature due to viability/availability of IAP
- (Right) SNAP ML-IAP with explicit treatment of magnetic spin dynamics
- (Below) MoNbTaTi HEA displaying short range chemical order near grain boundaries





Chemical, Functional Complexity

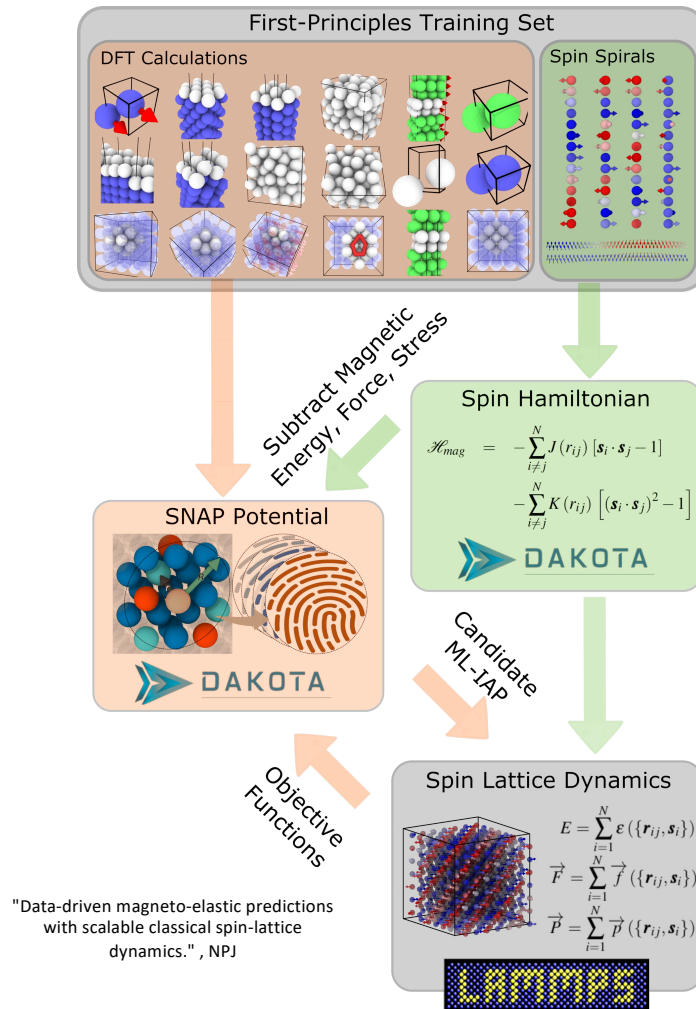
- Electronic structure or Spin-Lattice simulations have been the only options for many decades.
- Former lacks scalability, latter lacks any real dynamic or finite temperature effects



- **Molecular Dynamics**
 - Atoms interact via nonmagnetic interatomic potential, $U(\mathbf{R})$
 - $\mathcal{H}_{MD} = \sum_i \frac{\mathbf{p}_i^2}{2m} + U(\mathbf{R})$
- **Spin Dynamics**
 - Atoms interact via exchange Hamiltonian
 - $\mathcal{H}_s = -\sum_{i,j}^N J_{ij}(\mathbf{R}) [\vec{s}_i \cdot \vec{s}_j - 1] - \sum_{i,j}^N K_{ij}(\mathbf{R}) [(\vec{s}_i \cdot \vec{s}_j)^2 - 1]$
 - **Momentumless** damped dynamics (Landau–Lifshitz–Gilbert)
- **Molecular-Spin Dynamics**
 - $\mathcal{H}_{MSD} = \mathcal{H}_l + \mathcal{H}_s = \sum_i \frac{\mathbf{p}_i^2}{2m} + U(\mathbf{R}) - \sum_{i,j}^N J_{ij}(\mathbf{R}) [\vec{s}_i \cdot \vec{s}_j - 1] - \sum_{i,j}^N K_{ij}(\mathbf{R}) [(\vec{s}_i \cdot \vec{s}_j)^2 - 1]$
 - Parallel symplectic time integration implemented in LAMMPS
 - Energy and magnetization conservation $\sim O(dt^2)$ for NVE
 - Tranchida et al., J. Comp. Phys. (2018)

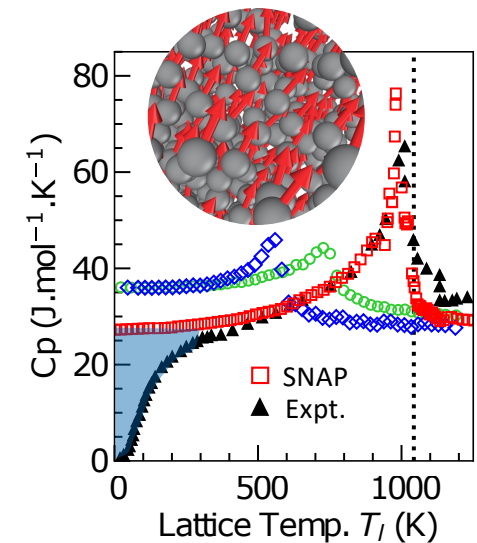
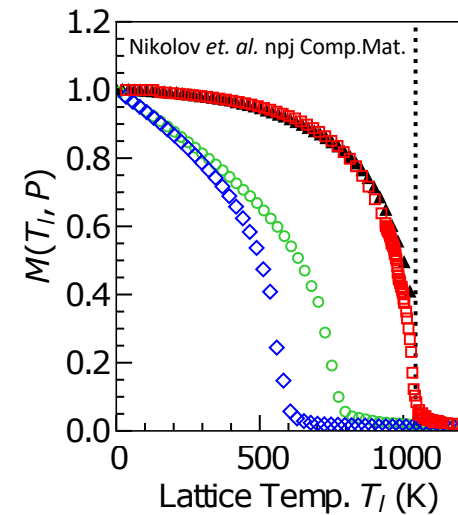
Magnetic Materials Simulations

Tranchida, Nikolov, Wood



Iron

- Transformational capability to study magnetic materials at the grain scale
- Explicit treatment of spin dynamics captures the second order phase transition at Curie temperature



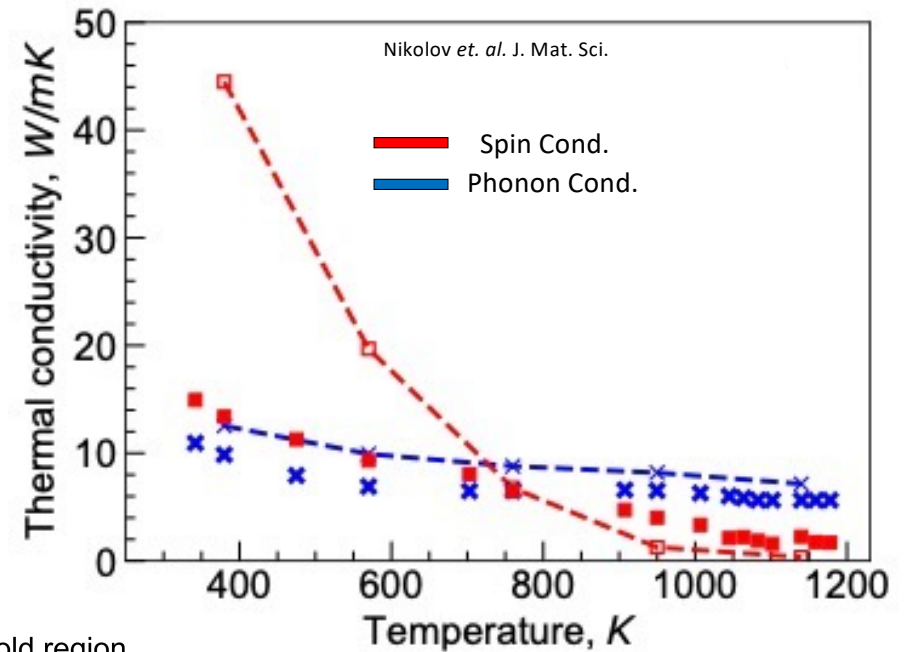
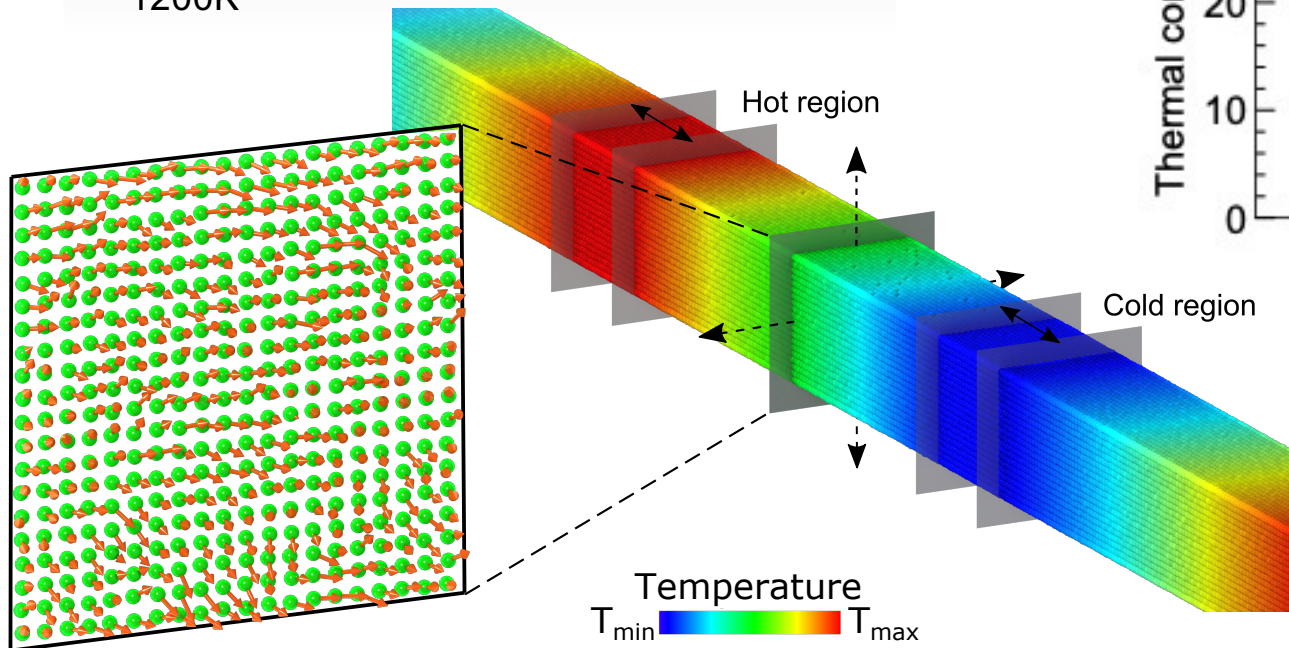
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Finite Temperature Magnetism

- Hot/cold regions are spaced 28.8 nm apart
- Thermal gradient established by setting hot region to $T_{\max} = 1.08T_{\min}$, T_{\min} : 300 - 1200K



- Magnon-phonon scattering significantly reduces conductivity
- Magnons more conductive than phonons where $T < 0.5T_{\text{Curie}}$

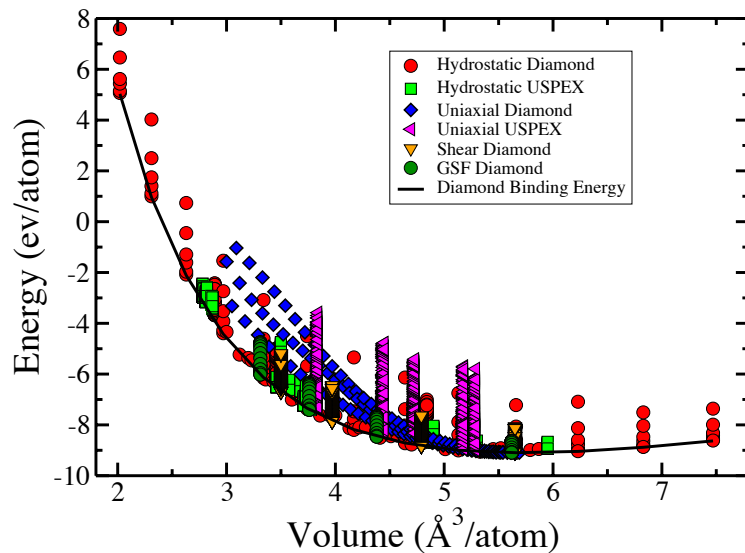
High Pressure Carbon

Wood, **Oley**nik, Willman, Nguyen, U. of South Florida

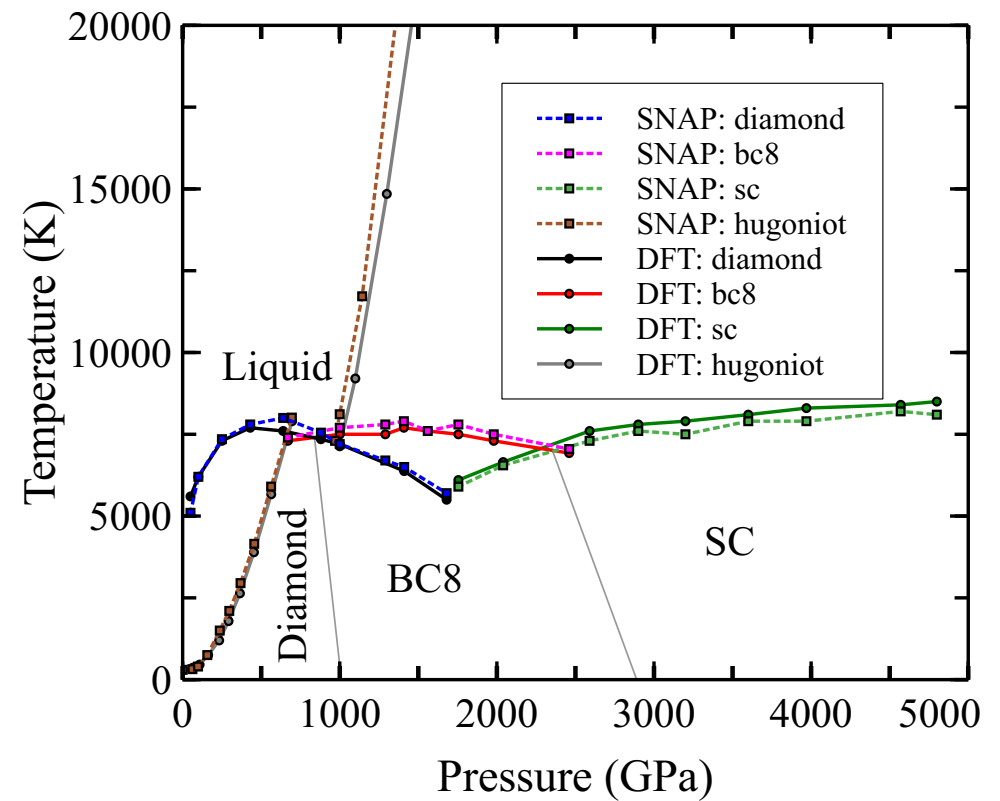


Training Data

Multiple phases of Carbon from 0-4TPa, 0-15,000K



Matches DFT melt curves (two-phase method) for cubic diamond, BC8, and simple cubic phases up to 5 TPa



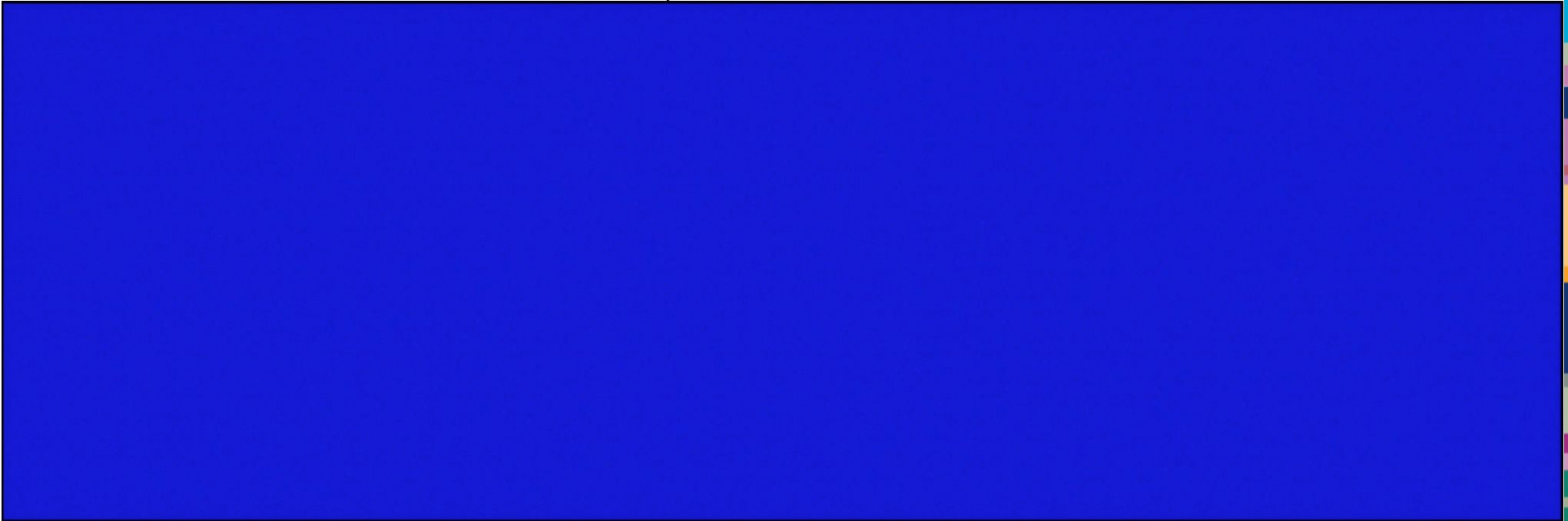
Accuracy and Scale

doi.org/10.1145/3458817.3487400



Oleynik group, U. of South Florida

- 2.6 billion atom diamond sample, $0.5 \times 1.5 \mu\text{m}$
- Shock wave in $\langle 110 \rangle$ direction initiated by piston, $v_p = 7 \text{ km/s}$.

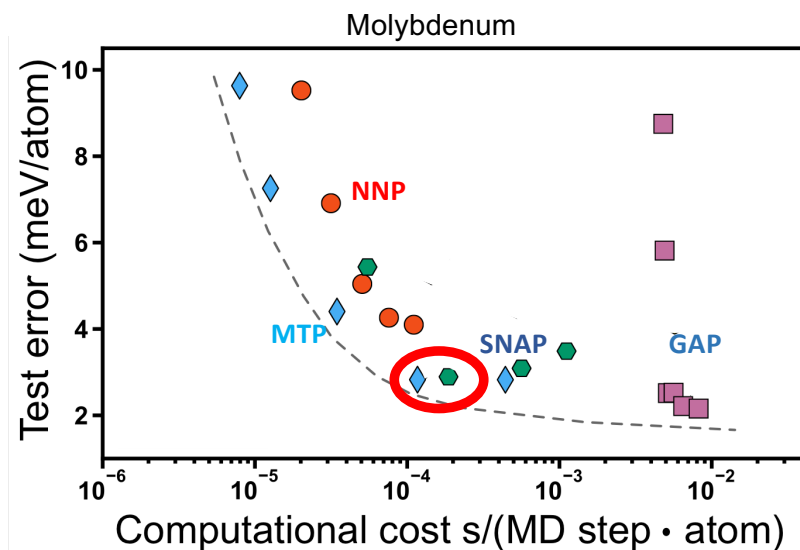


- Novel mechanism of inelastic deformations observed for the 1st time – multiple cracks create multiple sound waves which interfere while propagating towards the elastic front

How Does SNAP Compare?

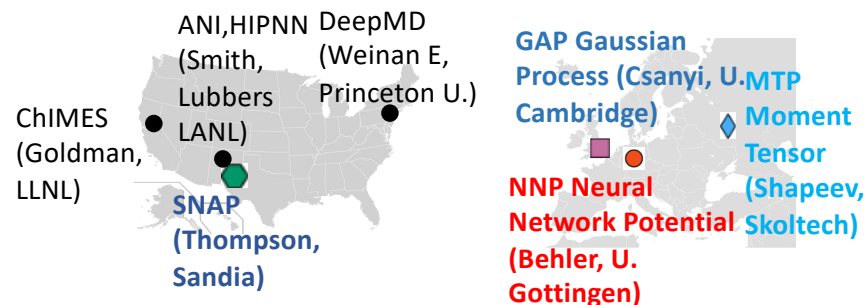
“Performance and Cost Assessment of Machine Learning Interatomic Potentials” Zuo, Chen, Li, Deng, Chen, Behler, Csányi, Shapeev, Thompson, Wood, and Ong. J.Phys.Chem A. 2020.

SNAP provides a good tradeoff between accuracy and performance



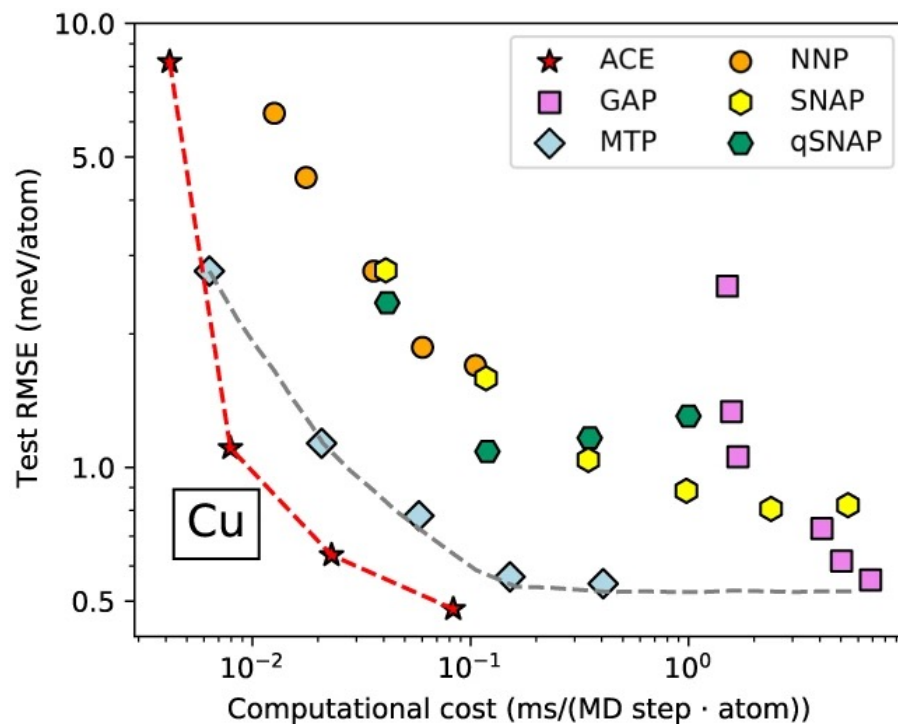
- SNAP is competitive with the best approaches world wide
- In a 2020 independent study of 4 leading approaches (left), quadratic SNAP achieved good cost/accuracy balance on all 6 elements
- **Also showed best stability in extrapolation**
- We continue to evolve the training algorithms for more robust prediction
- Algorithmic improvements have greatly boosted performance on pre-exascale hardware

World Map of Leading ML Potentials

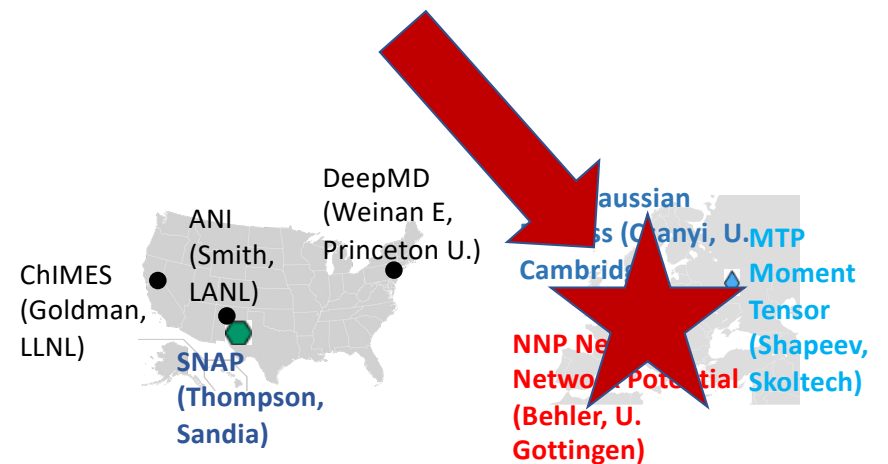


Maybe ACE is Better?

“Performant implementation of the atomic cluster expansion (PACE),” Lysogorskiy et al., *npj Comput. Mater.* 7 (2021) 97



Atomic Cluster Expansion (Ralf Drautz, ICAMS, Germany)



New Descriptor: Atomic Cluster Expansion (ACE)

Atomic Cluster Expansion (ACE) 2,3,...,N-body **irreducible** scalar invariants


Drautz, Phys.Rev.B, 2019

Willatt, Musil, Ceriotti, J.Chem.Phys. 2019

Seko, Togo, Tanaka, Phys.Rev.B 99, 2019

- Local environment expanded in atomic basis
- Generates very general set of 2, 3, ...N-body irreducible scalar invariants
- Superset of many previous descriptors (SNAP, GAP, MTP, BP)
- For example, SNAP bispectrum components can be expressed in the ACE form
- Available in LAMMPS as the ML-PACE package
- Ported to KOKKOS package for GPUs (Stan Moore, Sandia)
- Prototype training in FitSNAP (James Goff, Sandia)

$$A_{i\mu nlm} = \sum_j R_{nl}^{\mu_j \mu_i}(r_{ji}) Y_{lm}(\hat{\mathbf{r}}_{ji})$$


Radial basis Angular basis

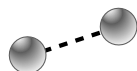
$$B_{\mu_i \boldsymbol{\mu} n l L_R}^{(N)} = \begin{pmatrix} l & L_R \\ L & \end{pmatrix}_N \prod_{k=1}^N A_{i\mu_k n_k l_k}$$

ACE models: powerful but challenging to define analytically

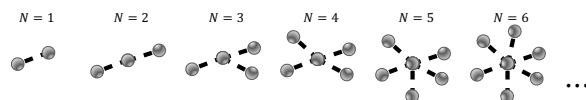
Current basis of ACE descriptors is overcomplete

Powerful descriptors, but with linear dependence

Single bond basis



Form a complete, orthogonal N-bond tensor product basis



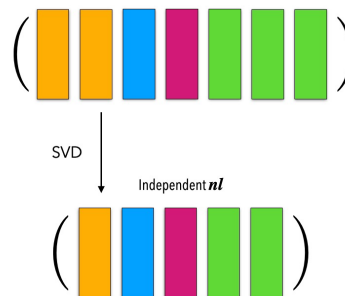
Impose invariance w.r.t. rotations and permutations



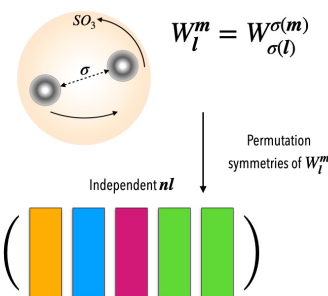
Use symmetry arguments to select unique descriptors *a priori*

Imposing invariance w.r.t. rotations and permutations introduces linear dependencies

Semi-numerical methods

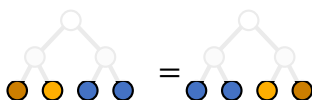


Permutation-adapted method



Unique descriptor labels, nl

Using symmetries of binary trees



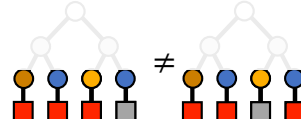
Find equivalent \mathbf{l} trees

$G_N = syl_2(S_N) + \dots$
Grow group of automorphisms
(equivalent tree permutations)



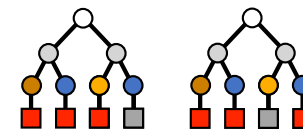
Find unique \mathbf{l} trees

Symmetric orbits of
unique \mathbf{l} tree - encoded
into a Young Tableau



Find unique \mathbf{nl} trees

Sort n_i, l_i tuples in
the same symmetric
orbits



Apply valid internal nodes

Iterated triangle conditions
 $\Delta(l_i, l_j, L_k)$
Parity conditions

Results and demonstration

Descriptor labels for a single element system

Descriptor counts

N	$deg./N$	# All S_N	lexico.	# PA-RPI	lex/PA-RPI
4	2	3	3	1	3.0
	3	270	76	42	1.8
	4	2330	786	605	1.3
	8	19712	7088	4308	1.6
5	2	6	6	2	3.0
	3	1111	338	152	2.2
	4	28960	7907	3665	2.2
	8	505856	120172	35768	3.4
6	2	15	15	1	15.0
	3	19882	2241	330	6.8
	4	577578	85692	14512	5.9
	8	15704064	1993592	175800	11.3

- Exhaustive descriptor counts for $n_{max} = 4$, $l_{max} = 4$
- Significant reduction in the number of basis functions to evaluate compared to numerical methods
- Symmetry reduction becomes more significant at larger ranks (scales with the size of G_N)

For many practical ACE applications, this provides a significant reduction in computational cost

MLIAPs Available in LAMMPS

Native LAMMPS

- **ML-SNAP**

LAMMPS Interfaces

- **ML-HDNNP**: Singraber, N2P2, Behler-Parrinello Descriptors, ANN Potentials
- **ML-QUIP**: Bartok, Csanyi, GAP Potentials, SOAP Descriptors
- **ML-PACE**: Lysogorskiy, Drautz, Atomic Cluster Expansion
- **ML-RANN**: Dickel, NN potential with fast fingerprints
- **KIM**: Tadmor, many ML potentials: DUNN, hNN, PANNA
- **USER-DEEPMD**: Zhang, E, Car, Deep Network Potentials
- **USER-MLIP**: Shapeev, Moment Tensor Potentials
- **USER-MLIP**: Seko, Machine Learning Potential Repository
- **USER-PINN**: Mishin, Physically informed neural network potential
- **USER-ANI**: Barros, Smith, Lubbers, ANI ANN Potentials
- **USER-AENET**: Artrith, Behler-Parrinello Descriptors, ANN Potentials
- **FLARE++**: Sparse Gaussian process, ACE

LAMMPS MLIAP Interface: Overview

MLIAP Approach

- Provide a common API for many methods
- Decompose ML potential into three independent objects:
Descriptor Model Data
- Descriptor generates local fingerprint for each atom
- Model computes energy as function of descriptors
- Data handles LAMMPS interface
- Data also handles intermediate quantities e.g. gradients
- Descriptor and Model insulated from LAMMPS and each other
- **Allows mix-and-matching of Models and Descriptors**



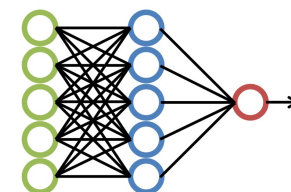
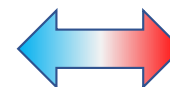
Descriptor



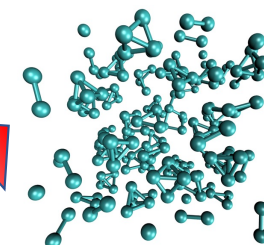
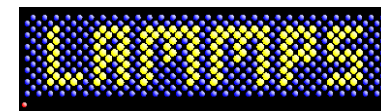
Pair MLIAP

<i>Inputs</i>	<i>Outputs</i>
Atoms	Energy
Elements	Force
Neighbors	Stress

Data



Model



LAMMPS MLIAP Interface:

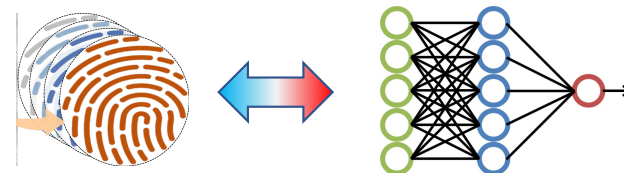
Completed

- All SNAP variants
- Python and PyTorch models now enabled
- SO(3) Descriptors (Qiang Zhu, UNLV)
- Native NN Energy Model (Qiang Zhu, UNLV)
- PyTorch models
- Python models
- Entropy maximization (Danny Perez, LANL)

Force (Running MLIAP Simulation)

```
descs = Desc.getDescs(atoms)
modelGrads = Model.getGrads(descs)
forces = Desc.getForces(modelGrads)
```

https://lammps.sandia.gov/doc/pair_mliap.html



Coming Soon!! (LAMMPS + FitSNAP)

- ACE Descriptors
- Non-linear models (PyTorch)
- HIPPYNN (Lubbers, LANL)

Force Gradient (Training MLIAP)

$$\sum_j^{N_{atoms}} \sum_k^{K_{components}} \frac{\partial D_{j,k}}{\partial \mathbf{r}_i} \frac{\partial^2 f(D_{j,k})}{\partial D_{j,k} \partial \theta} = \frac{\partial F_i}{\partial \theta}$$

Algorithm 1: $N_{PARAMS} \times N_{DESCRIPTORS}$

```
descs = Desc.getDescs(atoms)
gradGrads = Model.getGradGrads(descs)
forceGrads = Desc.getForceGrads(gradGrads)
```

$$\frac{\partial^2 f(D_{j,k})}{\partial D_{j,k} \partial \theta}$$

Algorithm 2: $N_{NEIGHS} \times N_{DESCRIPTORS}$

```
descGrads = Desc.getDescGrads()
forceGrads = Model.getForceGrads(descGrads)
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$$\frac{\partial D_{j,k}}{\partial \mathbf{r}_i}$$

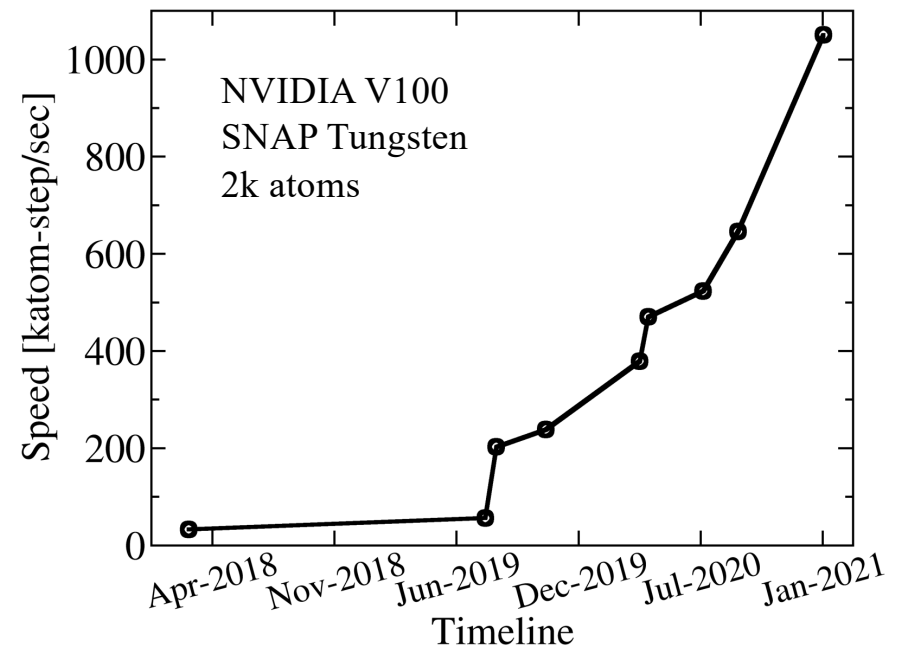
Algorithm 3: Autodiff on Loss Function

SNAP GPU Performance

GPU Performance Optimization

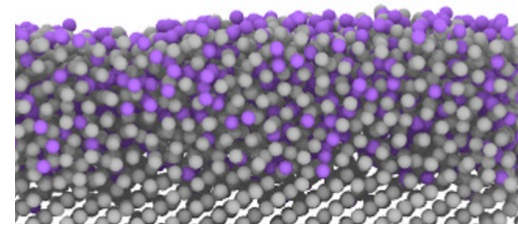
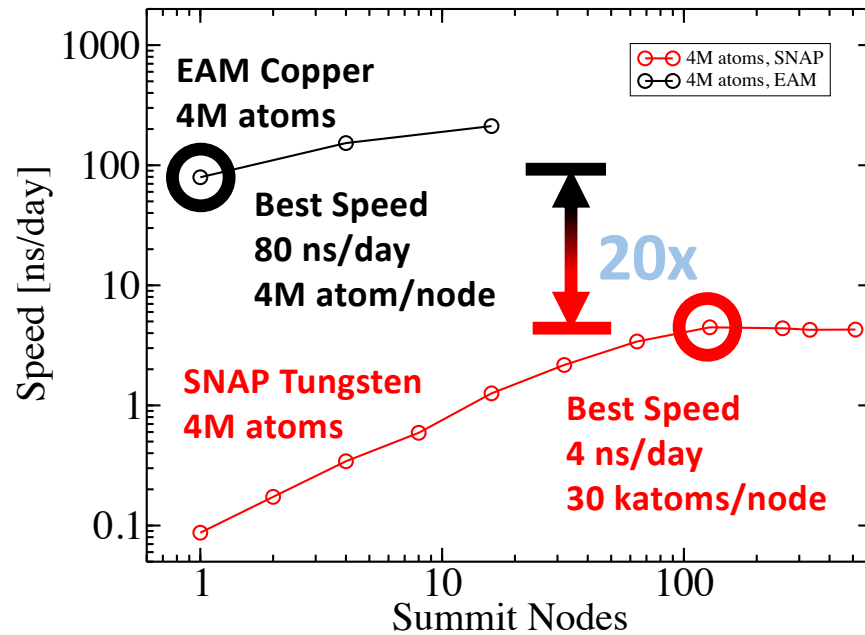
- Highly collaborative effort involving: Sandia, LANL, NERSC, NVIDIA, several hackathons and a lot of experimentation
- Created stripped-down proxy code (TestSNAP)
- Completely rewrote TestSNAP to reduce flops and memory
- Explored many different GPU strategies, using OpenACC, CUDA, and Kokkos
- break up the force kernel into sub-kernels and pushing atom/neighbor parallelism into the sub-kernels
- Ported best implementation back to production code with Kokkos
- Further improvements in memory access

- GPU Performance Timeline
Gayatri, Moore, Weinberg et al. (2020)
<https://arxiv.org/abs/2011.12875>
- ~50x improvement over baseline

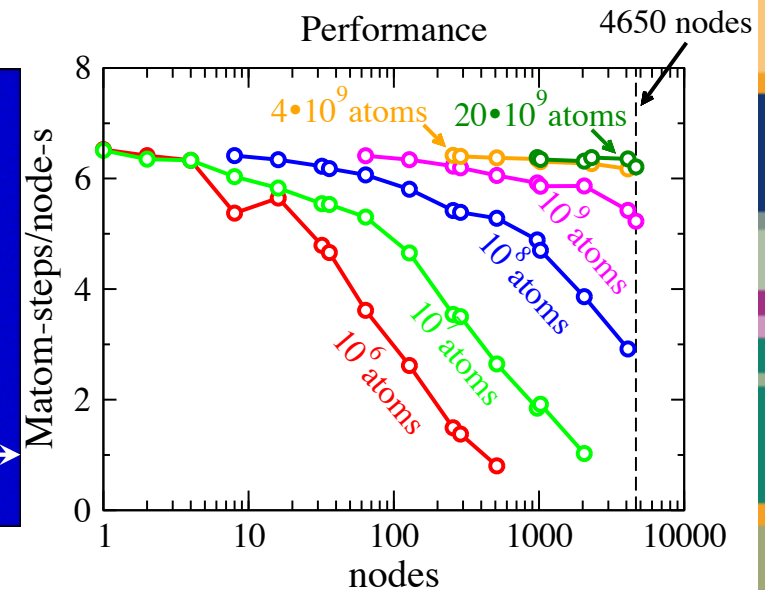
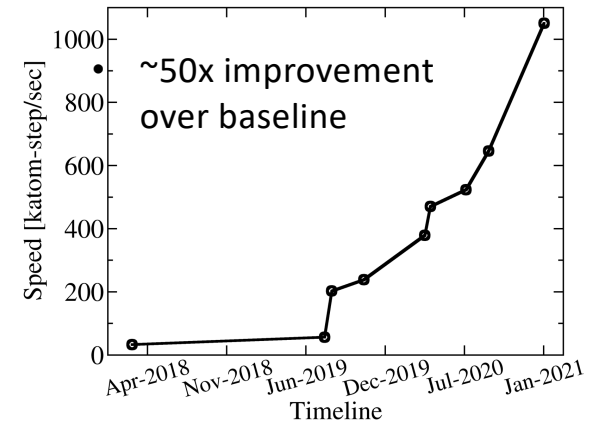
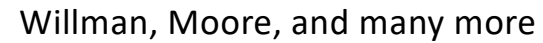


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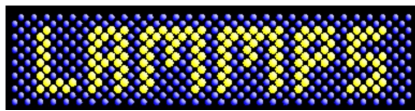
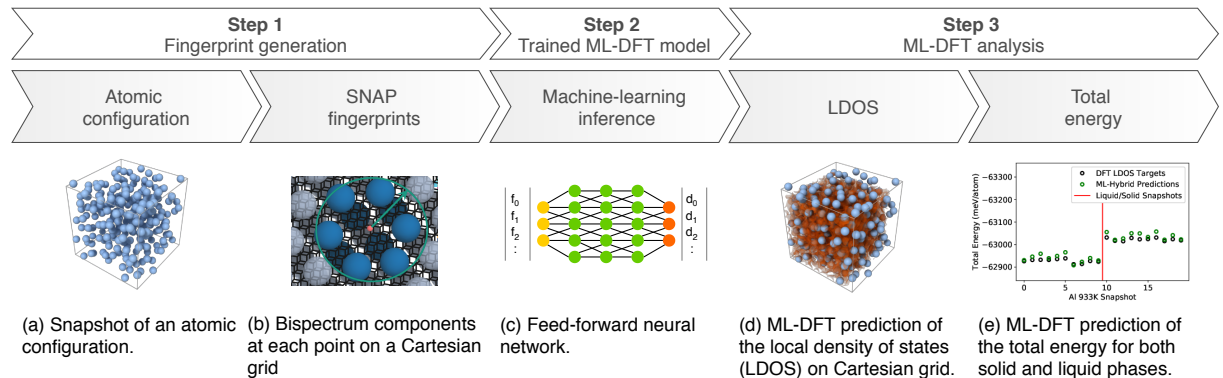
- Excellent strong scaling on Summit
- Leadership DOE Computing Platform (ORNL)
- 4608 nodes, 6 NVIDIA v100s/node, 200 petaFlops
- Comparison of EAM and SNAP Simulation Speed vs. Summit Node Count



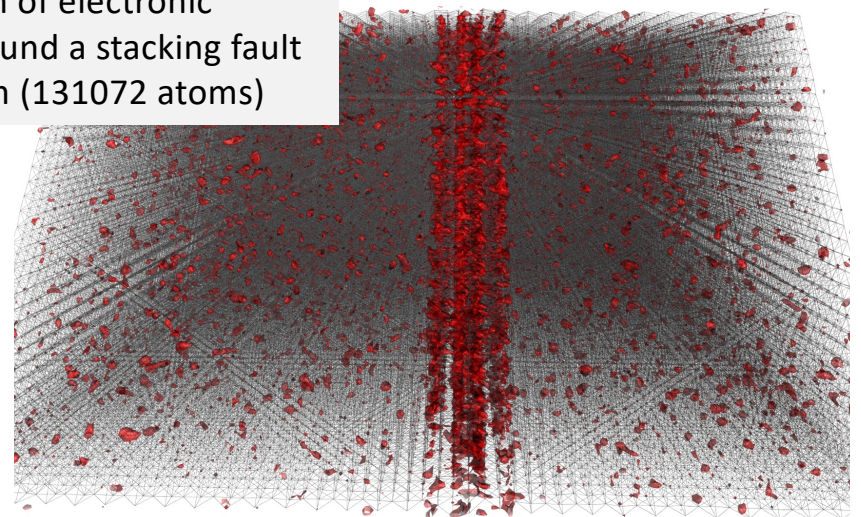
- Production simulations on entire Summit machine
- Simulation rate 25x greater than DeepMD
- Team from USF, Sandia, NERSC, NVIDIA, KTH :
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SNAP ML for LDOS, Electron Density, and Energy



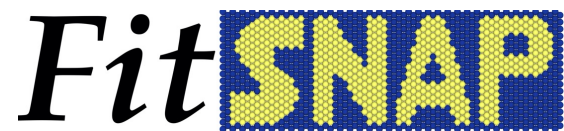
Localization of electronic density around a stacking fault in beryllium (131072 atoms)



- <https://github.com/mala-project/mala>
- Ellis et al. "Accelerating finite-temperature kohn-sham density functional theory with deep neural networks." Phys. Rev. B (2021)
- Highly parallelizable
- Coming soon! Force inference in LAMMPS

Summary

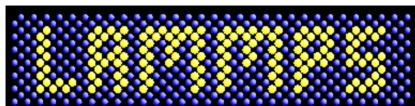
- Machine-learning is revolutionizing atomistic simulation
- It has enabled the best of both worlds: quantum accuracy and classical scale
- Many challenges remain:
 - Robustness:** 1-in-a-billion bad force predictions can ruin an entire simulation
 - On-the-fly accuracy estimate:** hard, because no QM query on large-scale
 - Active learning:** smart training data generation



<https://github.com/FitSNAP/FitSNAP>

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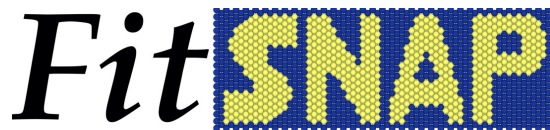
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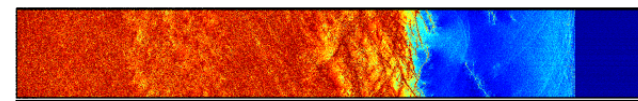


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