

Workshop on Scalable Physics-Informed Neural Networks

Session 2 – Introduction to JAX

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Scalability challenges of PINNs

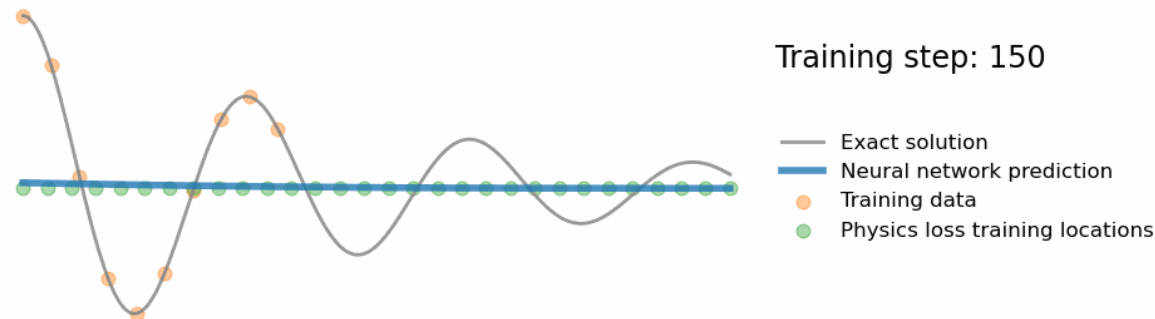
Advantages of PINNs

- **Mesh-free**
- Can solve forward and inverse problems, and seamlessly incorporate **observational data**
- Mostly **unsupervised**
- Can perform well for high-dimensional PDEs

Limitations of PINNs

- **Computational cost** often high (especially for forward-only problems)
- Can be hard to **optimise**
- Challenging to **scale** to high-frequency, multi-scale problems

(although many PINN improvements exist!)



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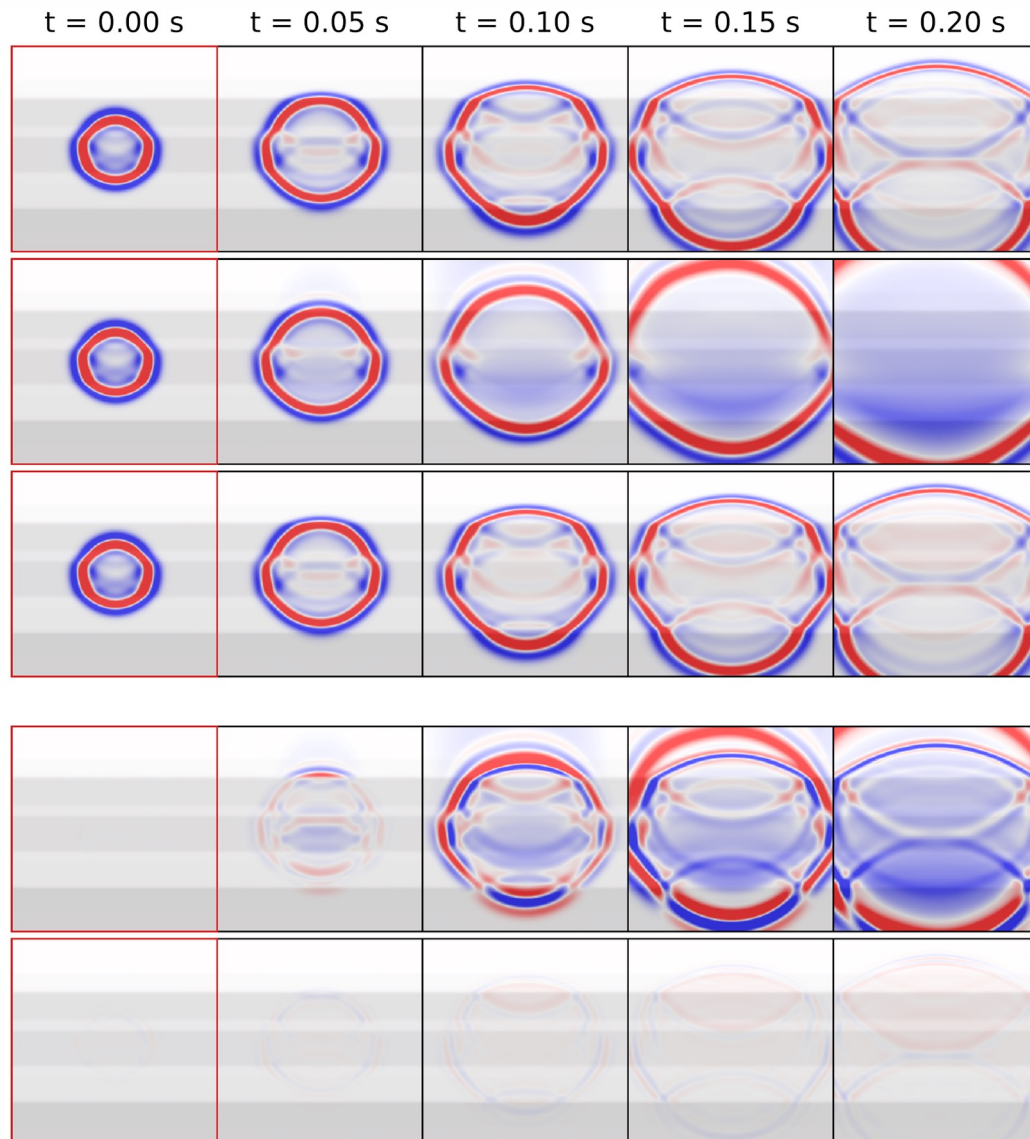
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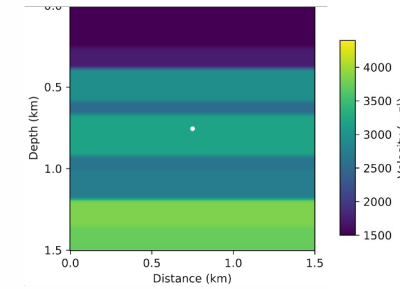
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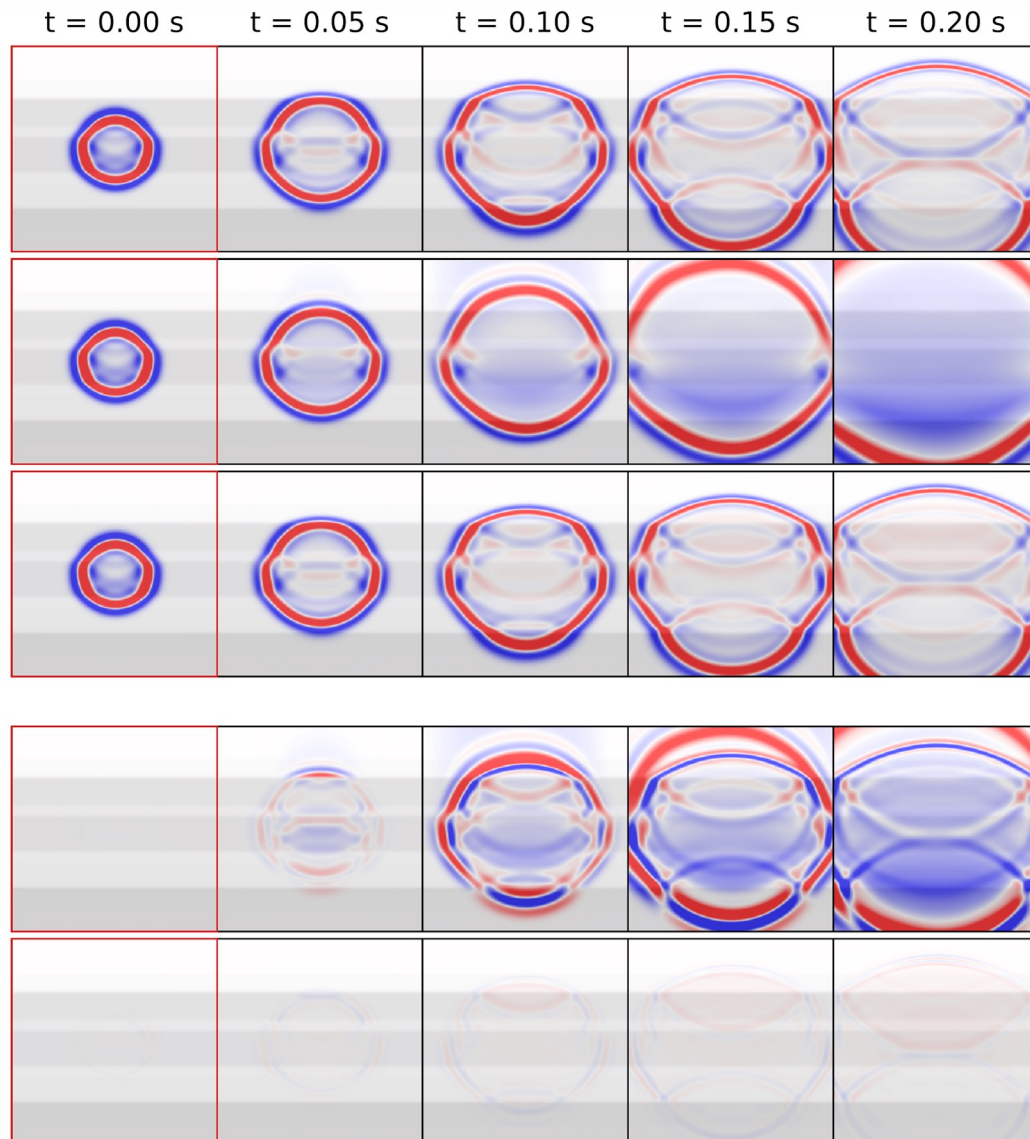
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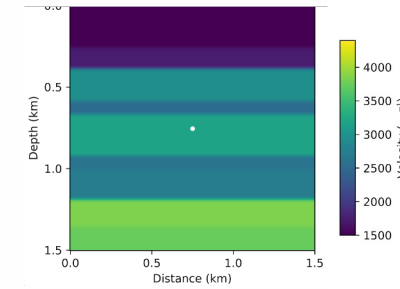
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Can physics-informed neural networks (PINNs) beat finite difference / finite element methods?

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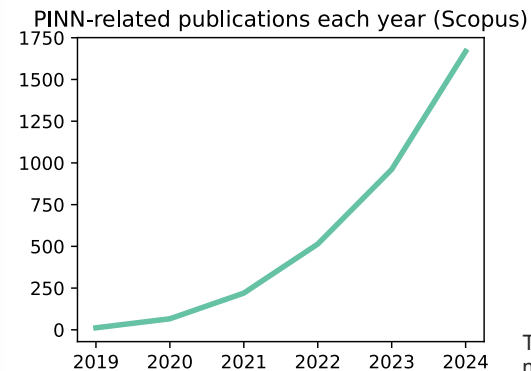
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7. Discussion and conclusions

After having investigated each of the PDEs on its own, let us now discuss and draw conclusions from the results as a whole. Considering the solution time and accuracy, PINNs are not able to beat FEM in our study. In all the examples that we have studied, the FEM solutions were faster at the same or at a higher accuracy.



Conclusion

We introduce the ODIL framework for solving inverse problems for PDEs by casting their discretization as an optimization problem and applying optimization techniques that are widely available in machine-learning software. The concept of casting the PDE as is closely related to the neural network formulations proposed by (15–17) and recently revived as PINNs. However, the fact that we use the discrete approximation of the equations allows for ODIL to be orders of magnitude more efficient in terms of computational cost and accuracy compared to the PINN for which complex flow problems “remain elusive” (71).

TITLE-ABS-KEY ("physics-informed neural network" OR "physics informed neural network")

Workshop overview

Session 1: **Intro to PINNs**

- *Lecture* (1 hr): Introduction to SciML and PINNs
- *Code-along* (30 min): Training a PINN in PyTorch

Session 2: **Accelerating PINNs with JAX**

- *Lecture* (30 min): Introduction to JAX
- *Practical* (1 hr): Introduction to JAX and coding a PINN from scratch in JAX

Session 3: **Accelerating PINNs with domain decomposition and NLA**

- *Lecture* (30 min): Challenges with PINNs and improving their performance with domain decomposition and numerical linear algebra
- *Practical* (1 hr): Coding finite basis PINNs and extreme learning machine FBPINNs in JAX

Introduction to JAX

What is JAX?



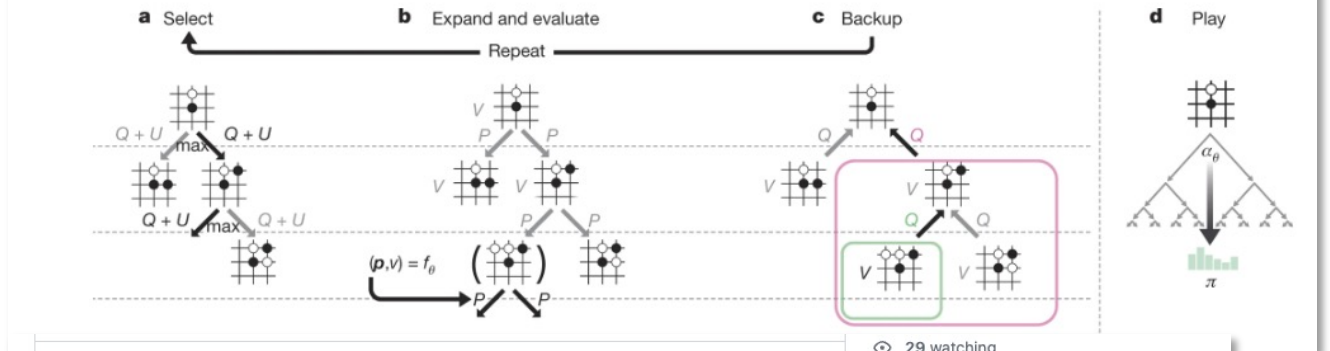
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.. Which is incredibly useful for high-performance numerical computing and large-scale (Sci)ML

JAX in ML

Figure 2: MCTS in AlphaGo Zero.

From: [Mastering the game of Go without human knowledge](#)



File	Description	Time
.pylintrc	Update .pylintrc.	last year
CONTRIBUTING.md	Initial commit.	2 years ago
LICENSE	Initial commit.	2 years ago
MANIFEST.in	Initial commit.	2 years ago
README.md	Add a link to mctx-az.	4 months ago
setup.py	Drop support for python<3.9.	6 months ago
test.sh	Drop support for python<3.9.	6 months ago

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Report repository

Releases 4

mctx 0.0.5 Latest
on Nov 24, 2023

+ 3 releases

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Languages

Python 97.8% Shell 2.2%

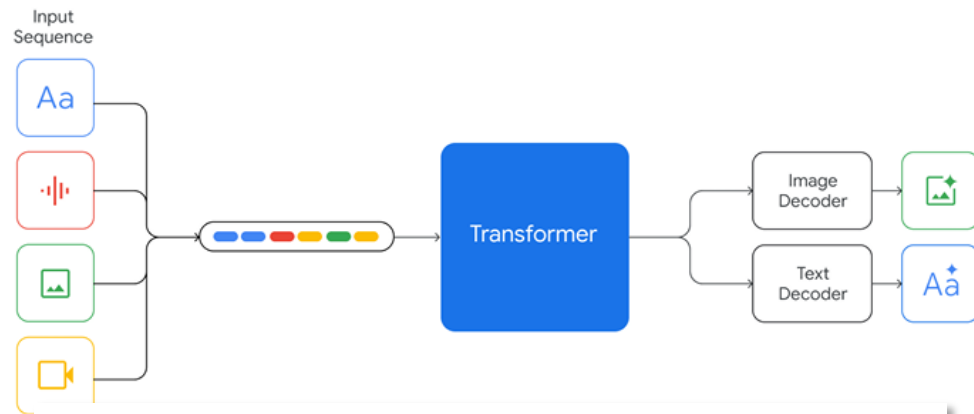
Mctx: MCTS-in-JAX

Mctx is a library with a [JAX](#)-native implementation of Monte Carlo tree search (MCTS) algorithms such as [AlphaZero](#), [MuZero](#), and [Gumbel MuZero](#). For computation speed up, the implementation fully supports JIT-compilation. Search algorithms in Mctx are defined for and operate on batches of inputs, in parallel. This allows to make the most of the accelerators and enables the algorithms to work with large learned environment models parameterized by deep neural networks.

Google DeepMind

Gemini: A Family of Highly Capable Multimodal Models

Gemini Team, Google¹



Implementation Frameworks

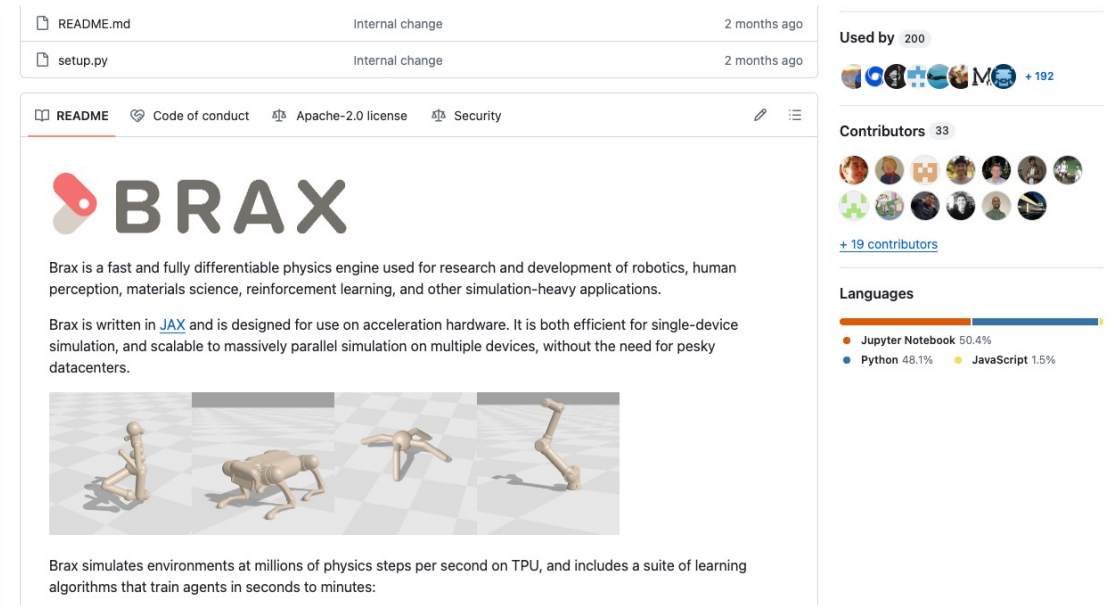
Hardware & Software

Hardware: Training was conducted on TPUv4 and TPUv5e (Jouppi et al., 2020, 2023).

Software: JAX (Bradbury et al., 2018), ML Pathways (Dean, 2021).

JAX allows researchers to leverage the latest generation of hardware, including TPUs, for faster and more efficient training of large models.

JAX in scientific computing



BRAX

Brax is a fast and fully differentiable physics engine used for research and development of robotics, human perception, materials science, reinforcement learning, and other simulation-heavy applications.

Brax is written in **JAX** and is designed for use on acceleration hardware. It is both efficient for single-device simulation, and scalable to massively parallel simulation on multiple devices, without the need for pesky datacenters.

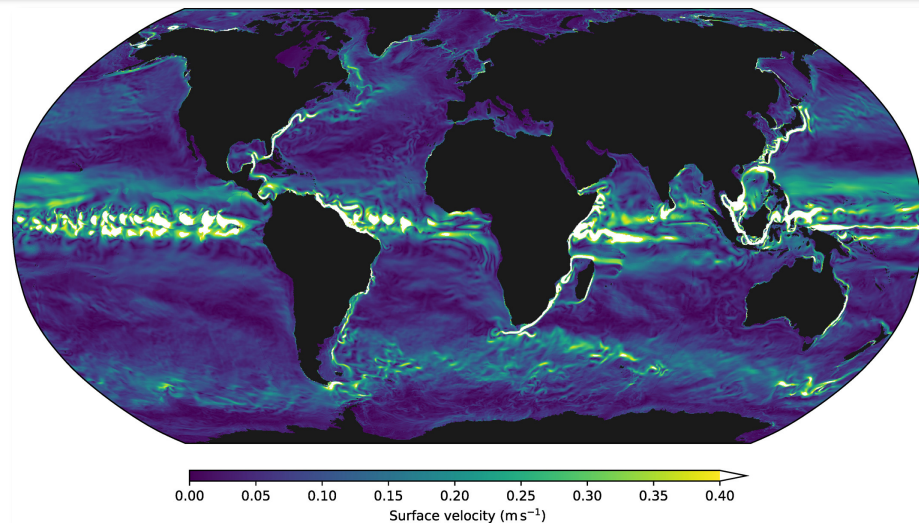
Brax simulates environments at millions of physics steps per second on TPU, and includes a suite of learning algorithms that train agents in seconds to minutes:

Used by 200

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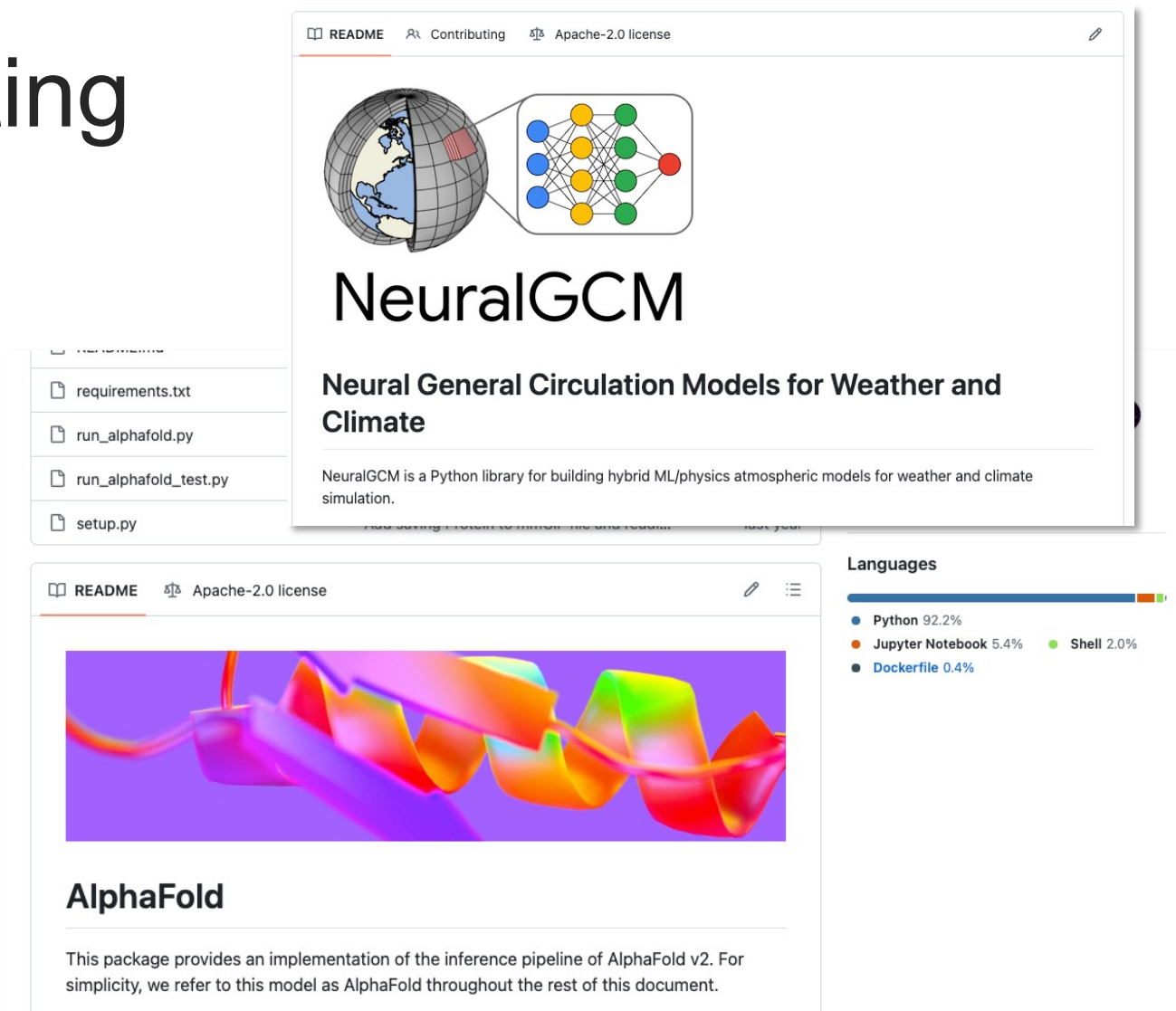
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- Python 48.1%
- JavaScript 1.5%



← Ocean surface velocity, simulated in 24 hr using 16 NVIDIA A100 GPUs

Hafner et al, Fast, Cheap, and Turbulent - Global Ocean Modeling With GPU Acceleration in Python, Journal of Advances in Modeling Earth Systems (2021)



NeuralGCM

Neural General Circulation Models for Weather and Climate

NeuralGCM is a Python library for building hybrid ML/physics atmospheric models for weather and climate simulation.

AlphaFold

This package provides an implementation of the inference pipeline of AlphaFold v2. For simplicity, we refer to this model as AlphaFold throughout the rest of this document.

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- Shell 2.0%
- Dockerfile 0.4%

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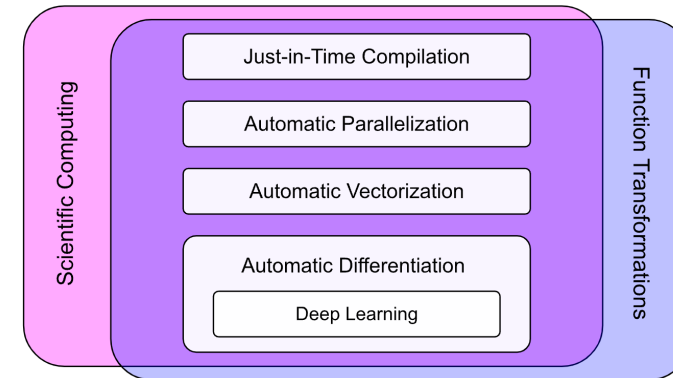


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- JAX can automatically *differentiate* and *parallelise* native Python and NumPy code

JAX = accelerated array computation

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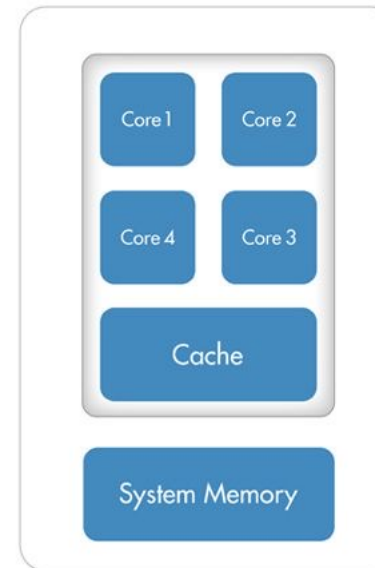
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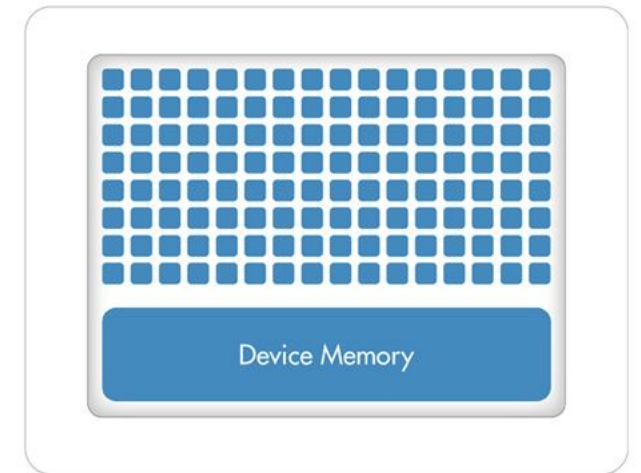
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CPU (Multiple Cores)



Low latency
Ideal for serial processing

GPU (Hundreds of Cores)



High throughput
Ideal for parallel processing

Image credit: MathWorks

Wave simulation



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Wave simulation



Lots of (element-wise)
matrix operations!

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        source_term = factor * (1 - 2*a*(t-t0)**2)*np.exp(-a*(t-t0)**2)

        pressure_future = - pressure_past \
            + 2 * pressure_present \
            + DELTAT*DELTAT*(dpressurexx_dx+dpressureyy_dy)*kappa

        pressure_future += DELTAT*DELTAT*(4*np.pi*(velocity**2)*source_term*kronecker_source)# latest seismicCPML

    wavefield = pressure_future

    # move new values to old values (the present becomes the past, the future becomes the present)
    pressure_past = pressure_present
    pressure_present = pressure_future

    carry = pressure_past, pressure_present
    return carry, wavefield

wavefields = np.zeros((NSTEPS, NX, NY), dtype=float)
for it in range(NSTEPS):
    carry, w = single_step(carry, it)
    wavefields[it] = w.copy()

return wavefields

```

Wave simulation



NumPy on **CPU** (Apple M1 Max): 8.06 s $\pm$ 54.7 ms

JAX (jit compiled) on **CPU** (Apple M1 Max): 1.58 s $\pm$ 11.6 ms
(**5x** faster)

JAX (jit compiled) on **GPU** (NVIDIA RTX 3090): 65.5 ms $\pm$ 30.2 μ s
(**123x** faster)

Code along – Introduction to JAX

Follow along here:

[github.com/benmoseley/
scalable-pinns-
workshop](https://github.com/benmoseley/scalable-pinns-workshop)



What is JAX?



JAX = accelerated array computation + program transformation



```
import jax.numpy as jnp
```

- JAX is NumPy on the CPU and GPU!
- JAX uses XLA (Accelerated Linear Algebra) to compile and run NumPy code, *lightning fast*

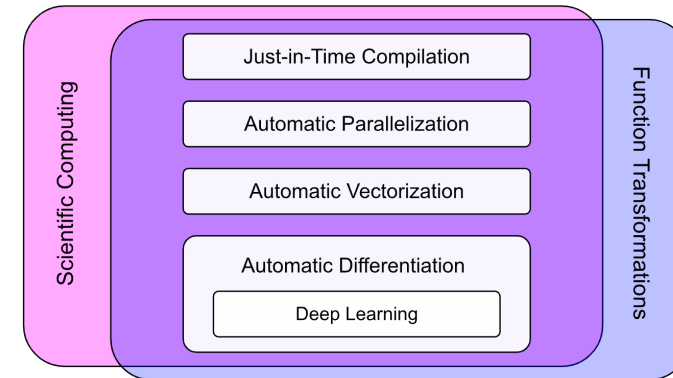


Image credit: AssemblyAI

- JAX can automatically *differentiate* and *parallelise* native Python and NumPy code

JAX = program transformation

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Step 2: apply transformation (e.g. return the corresponding gradient function)

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Program transformation =



Transform one **program** to another **program**

- Treats programs as **data**
- Aka **meta-programming**

Program transformations are composable

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d2fdx2 = jax.grad(dfdx) # transformations are composable!

x = jnp.array(10.)

print(x)
print(d2fdx2(x))

---
```

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2.0



- We can **arbitrarily compose** program transformations in JAX!
- This allows highly **sophisticated** workflows to be developed

Autodifferentiation in JAX

```
import jax
import jax.numpy as jnp

def f(x):
    return jnp.sum(x**2)

x = jnp.arange(5.)

g = jax.grad(f) # returns function which computes gradient
j = jax.jacfwd(f) # returns function which computes Jacobian
j = jax.jacrev(f) # returns function which computes Jacobian
h = jax.hessian(f) # returns function which computes Hessian

print(g(x))
print(h(x))

# vector-Jacobian product
fval, vjp = jax.vjp(f, x) # returns function output and function which computes vjp at x
vjp_val = vjp(1.)

# Jacobian-vector product
v = jnp.ones_like(x)
fval, jvp_val = jax.jvp(f, (x,), (v,)) # returns function output and jvp at x

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[0.  2.  4.  6.  8.]

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```

- JAX has many autodifferentiation capabilities
- **all** are based on compositions of **vjp** and **jvp** (i.e. reverse- and forward- mode autodiff)

Other function transformations

$f(x) \rightarrow \text{dfdx}(x)$ is not the only function transformation we could make!

- What **other** function transformations can you imagine?

Automatic vectorisation

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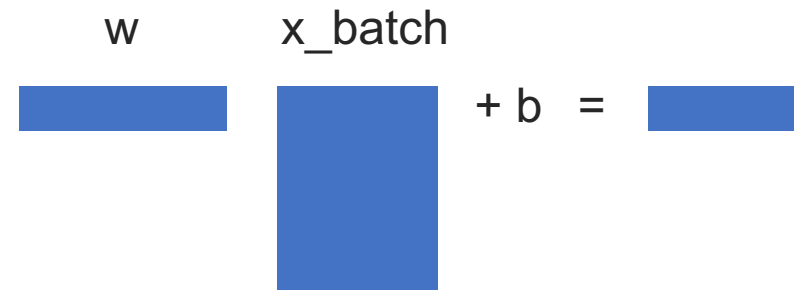
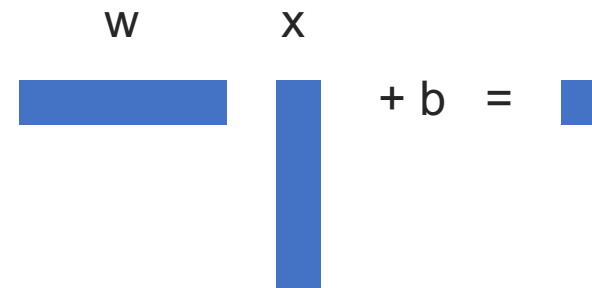
def f(w, b, x):
    y = jnp.dot(w, x) + b
    return y

x = jnp.array([1., 2.])
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print(f(w, b, x))
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- **Vectorisation** is another type of function transformation

= parallelise the function across many inputs (on a single CPU or GPU)



Automatic vectorisation

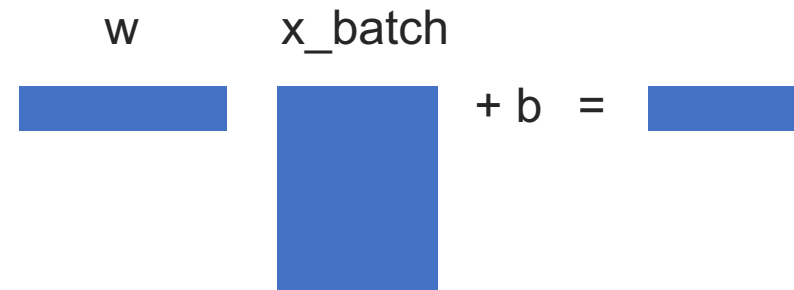
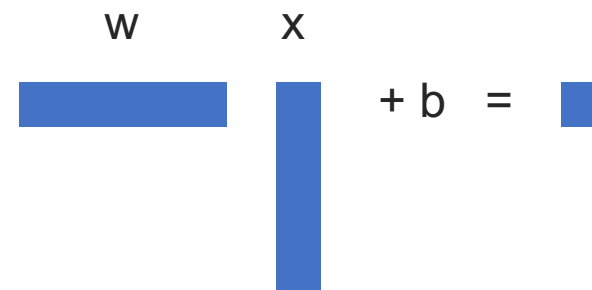
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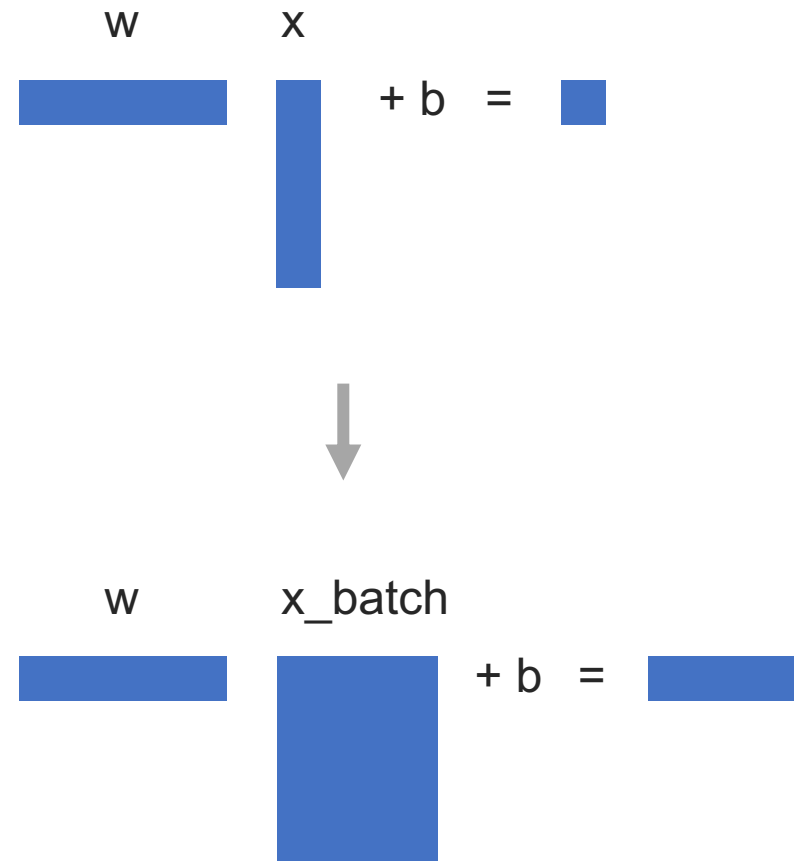
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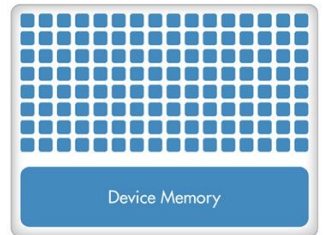
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GPU (Hundreds of Cores)



Much faster
than a Python
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= rewrite your code to be faster

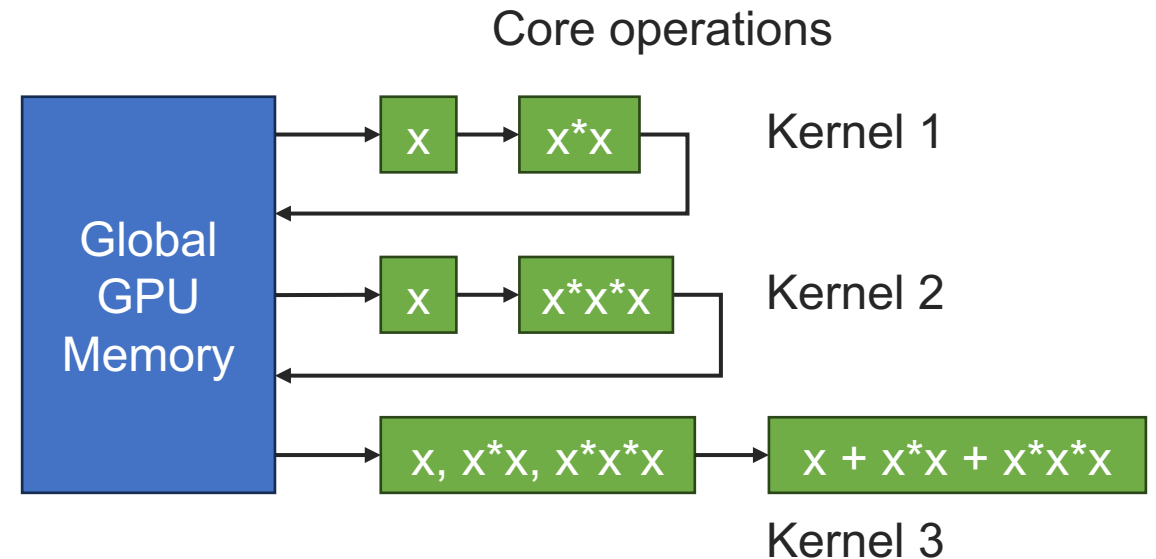
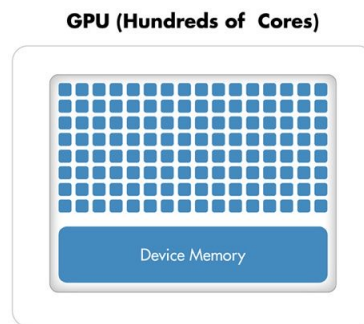
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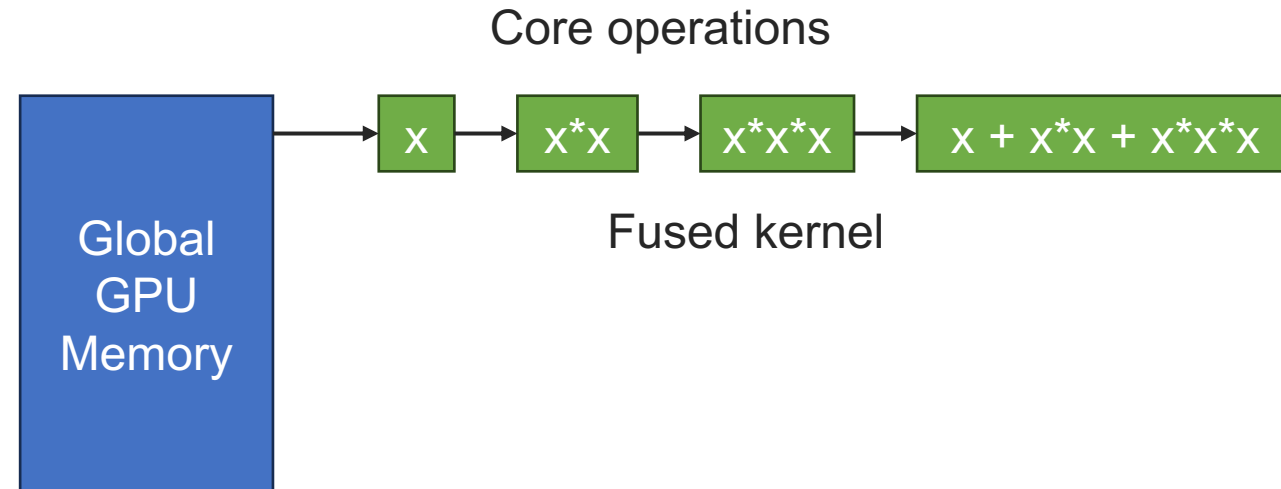
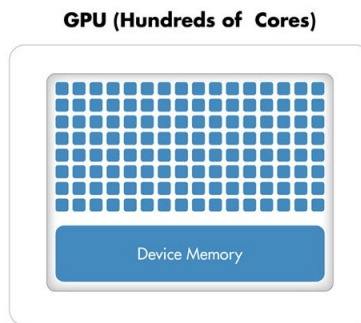
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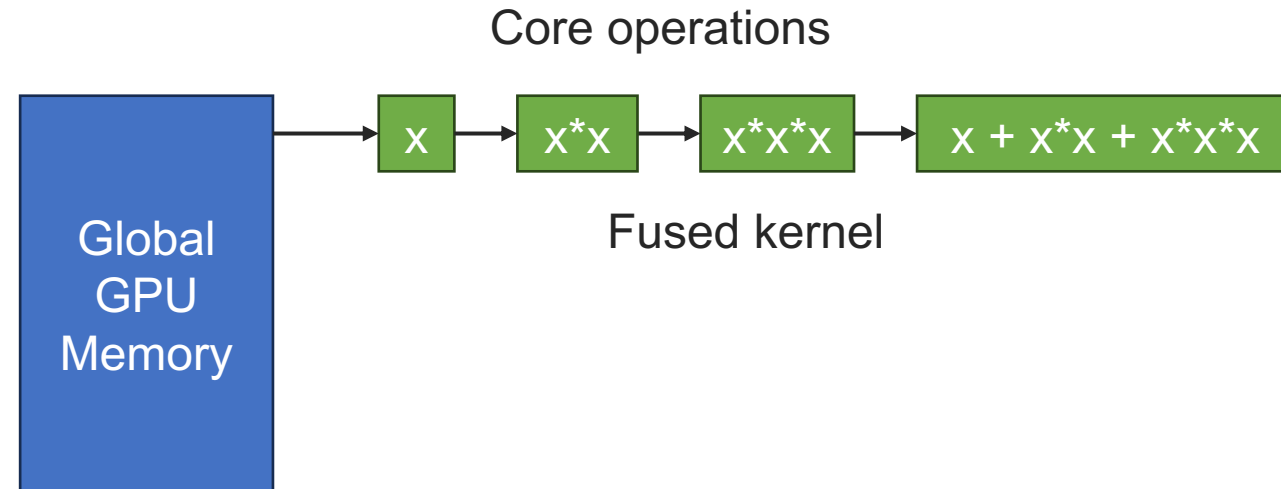
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x = jax.random.normal(key, (1000,1000))
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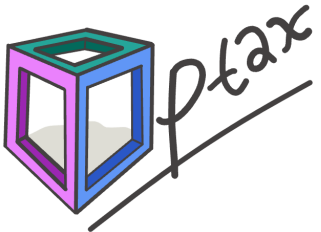
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- XLA (accelerated linear algebra) is used for CPU / GPU compilation
- Function is compiled **first time it is called** (i.e. “just-in-time”)
= upfront cost!

JAX ecosystem

Optimisation



Optax

JAXopt

Optimistix

Neural networks



Flax

Trax

Equinox

Jraph

ML

MaxText (LLMs)

EasyLM

Scenic

RLax

NumPyro

Scientific computing + ML



JAX-MD

DiffraX

Lineax

jax.scipy

JAX-CFD

DeepXDE

For more: github.com/n2cholas/awesome-jax

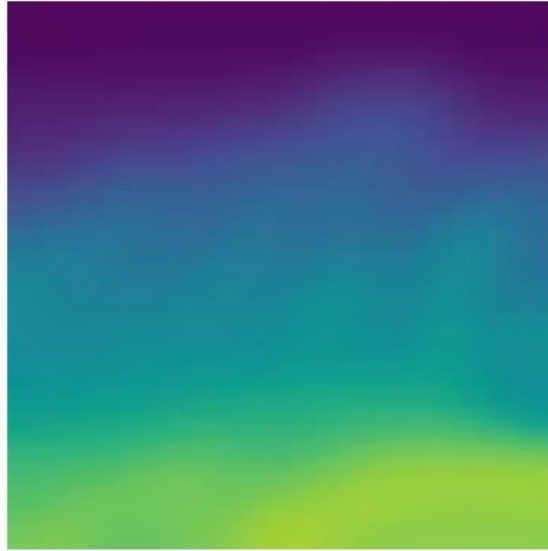
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Optimisation with Optax

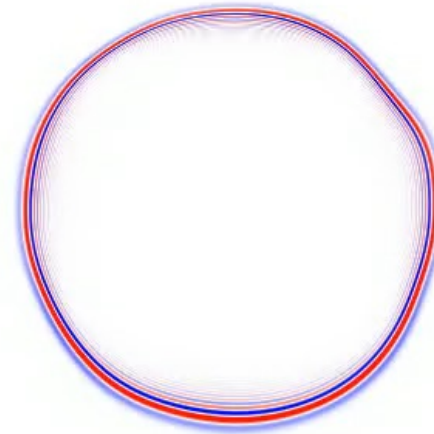
True velocity



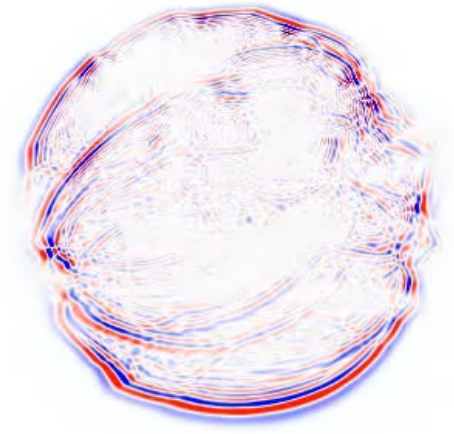
Estimated velocity



Estimated wavefield



True wavefield



```
def loss(velocity, true_wavefield):
    estimated_wavefield = forward(velocity)
    return jnp.mean((estimated_wavefield-true_wavefield)**2)

# Initialize optimizer.
optimizer = optax.adam(learning_rate=1e-1)
opt_state = optimizer.init(velocity)

# A simple gradient descent loop.
for _ in range(10000):
    grads = jax.grad(loss)(velocity, true_wavefield)
    updates, opt_state = optimizer.update(grads, opt_state)
    velocity = optax.apply_updates(velocity, updates)
```

JAX - the sharp bits

-  **Pure functions:** JAX transforms are designed to work on pure functions
-   **Static shapes:** JAX transforms require all shapes to be known **in advance**
-  **Out-of-place updates:** JAX only allows out-of-place array updates
-  **Random numbers:** JAX requires us to handle RNG explicitly

https://docs.jax.dev/en/latest/notebooks/Common_Gotchas_in_JAX.html

Workshop overview

Session 1: **Intro to PINNs**

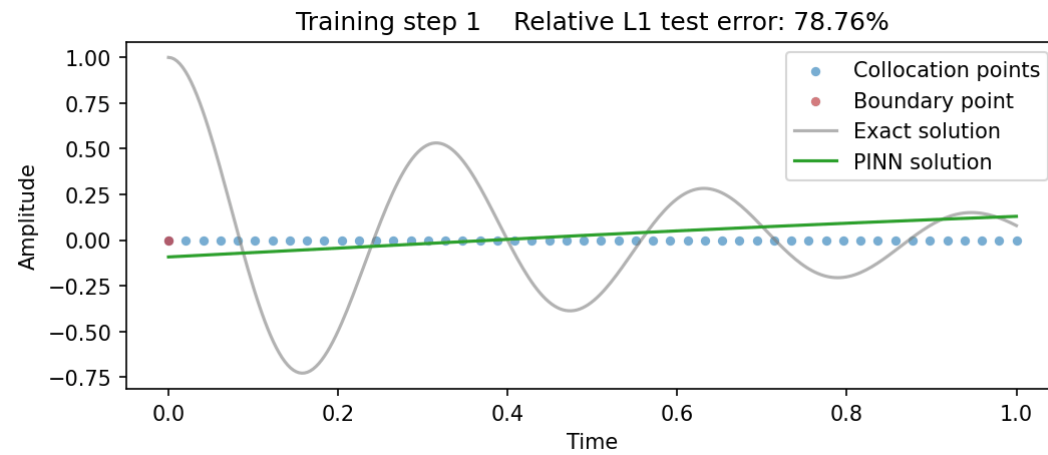
- *Lecture* (1 hr): Introduction to SciML and PINNs
- *Code-along* (30 min): Training a PINN in PyTorch

Session 2: **Accelerating PINNs with JAX**

- *Lecture* (30 min): Introduction to JAX
- *Practical* (1 hr): Introduction to JAX and coding a PINN from scratch in JAX

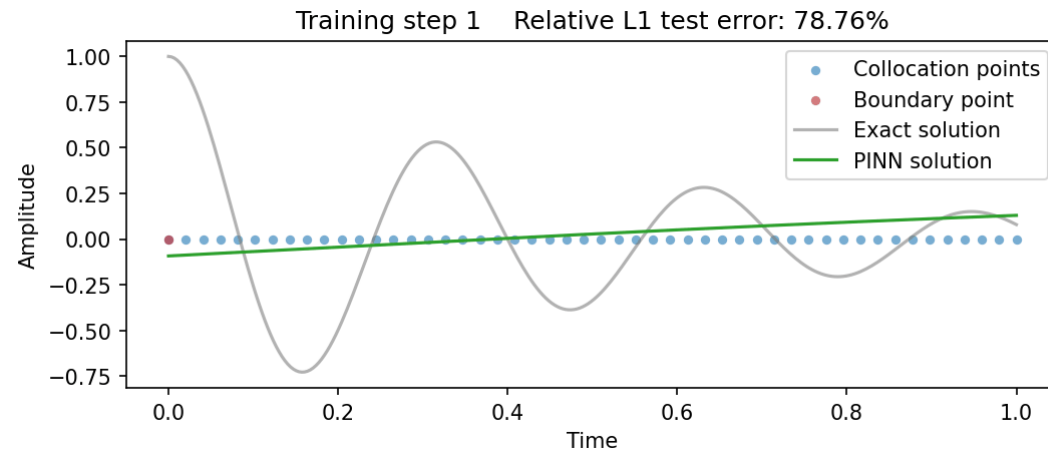
Session 3: **Accelerating PINNs with domain decomposition and NLA**

- *Lecture* (30 min): Challenges with PINNs and improving their performance with domain decomposition and numerical linear algebra
- *Practical* (1 hr): Coding finite basis PINNs and extreme learning machine FBPINNs in JAX



PINN (PyTorch) baseline

82 seconds



PINN (JAX)

11 seconds