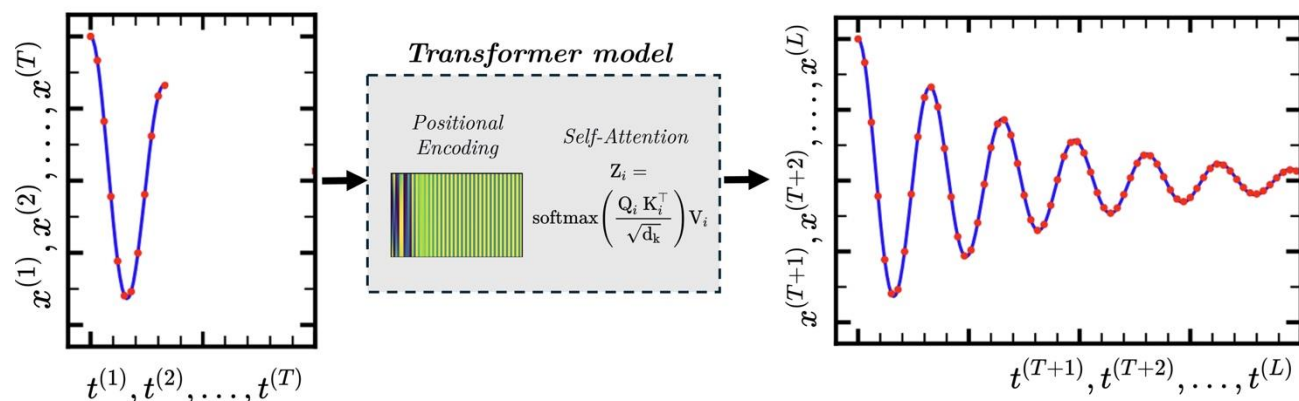


Accelerating quantum dynamics simulations with machine learning



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Machine learning for molecular dynamics

Most common:

Use ML to get PES (U)
faster than solving ESP

Use in classical or
AIMD

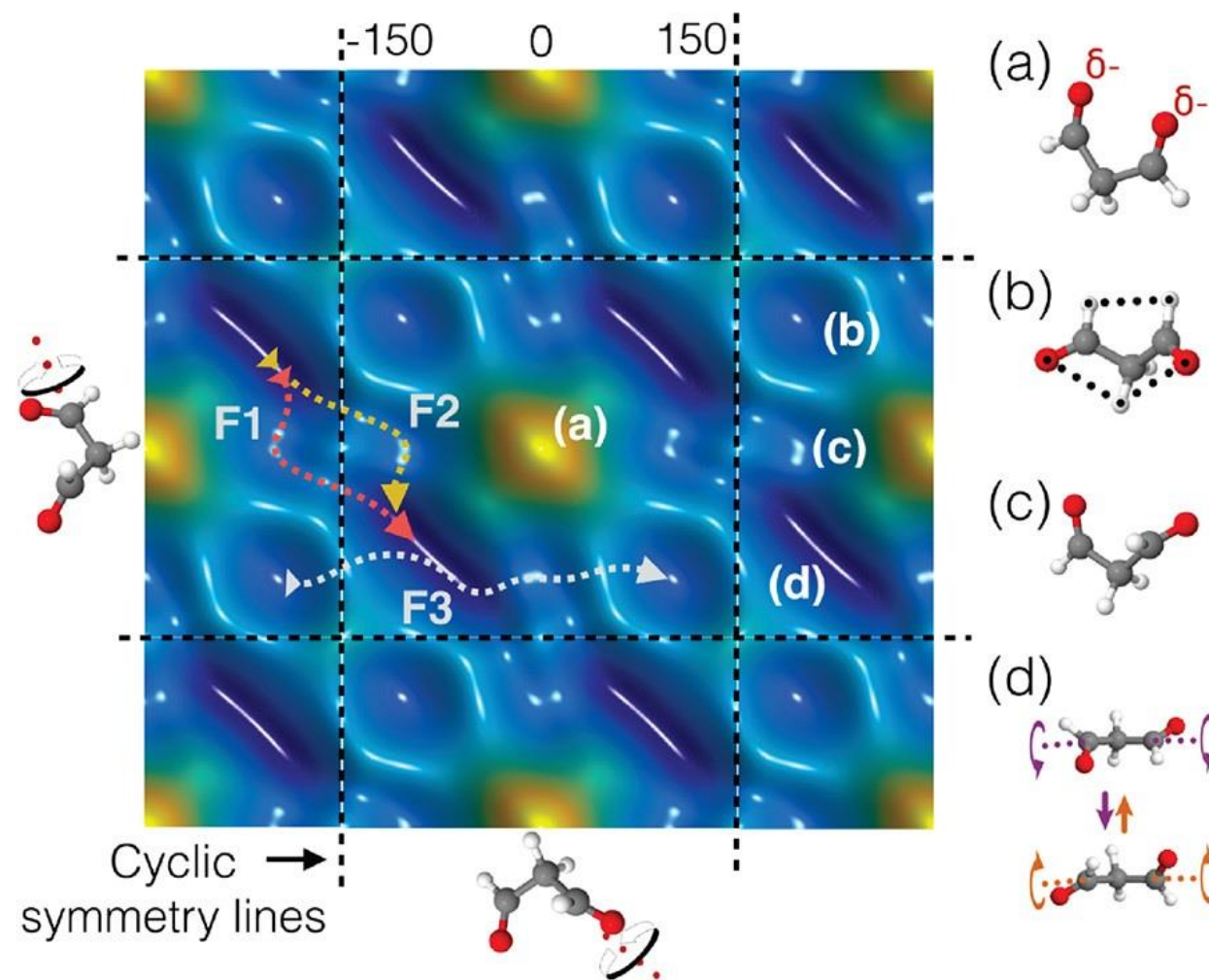
$$-\frac{dU}{dx} = F = ma$$

Our work:

**Assume U is known
solve QD problem**

$$i\hbar \frac{d}{dt} \Psi = (T + U)\Psi$$

PES

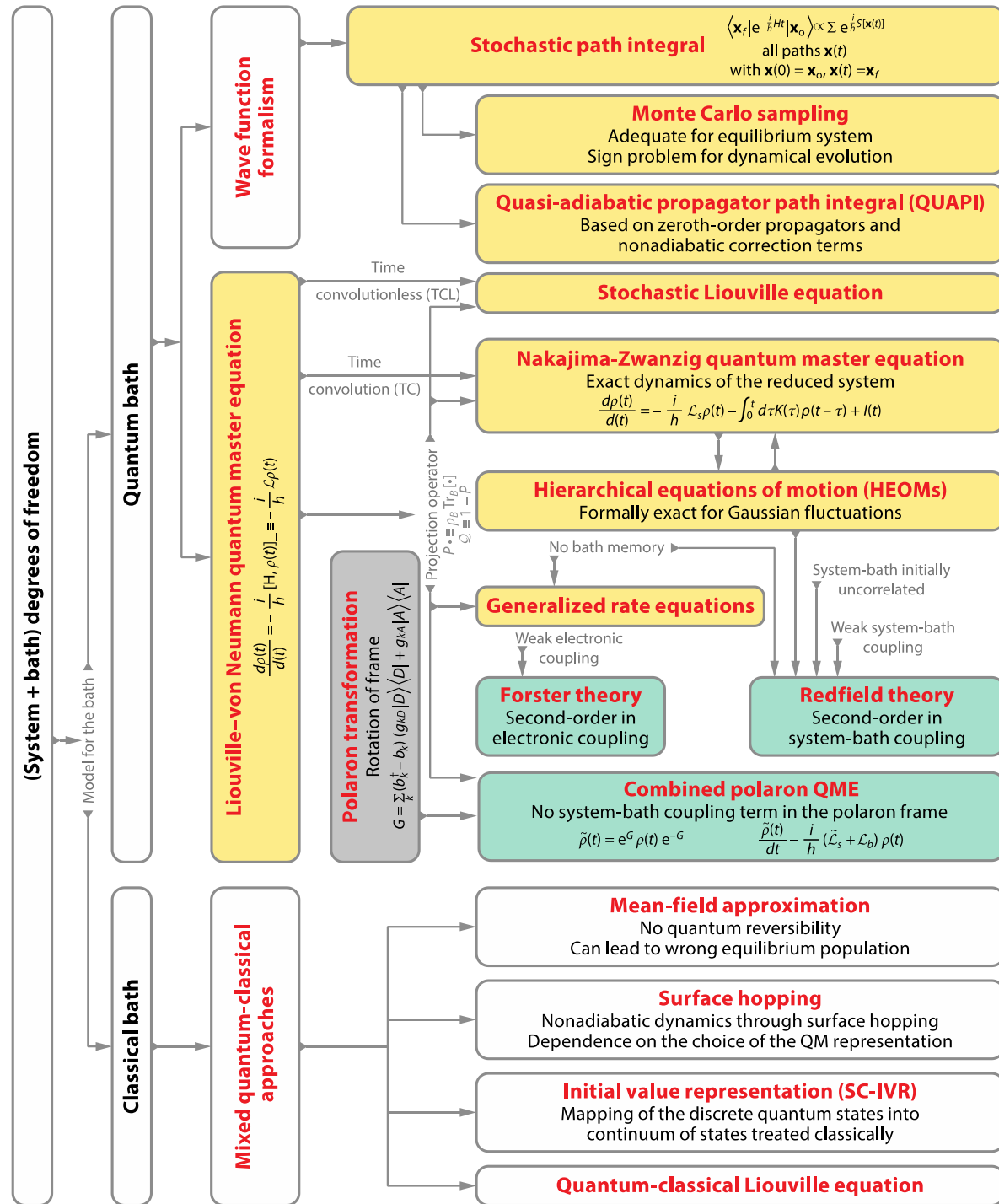


There is no shortage of methods for quantum dynamics simulations

Numerically exact methods are computationally expensive

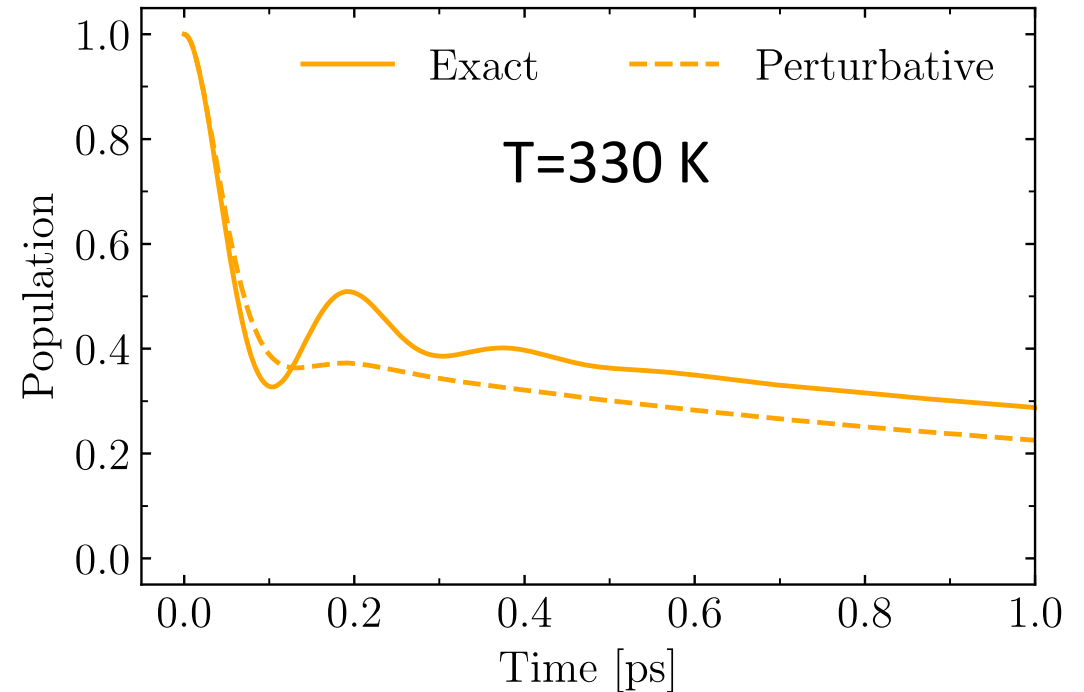
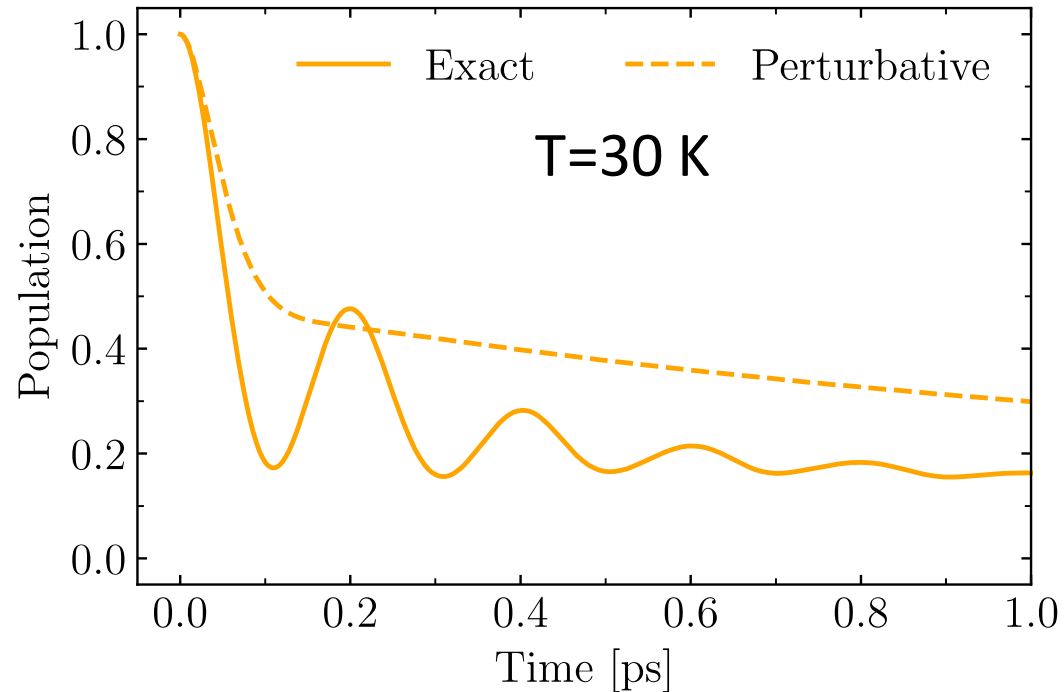
Perturbative methods limited to certain regimes

Quantum-classical often inaccurate *long-time*



Approximate methods are reasonably accurate for short-time dynamics

Fenna-Matthews-Olson population dynamics



- Exact: 5.5 h and 23 Gb of RAM
- Approx.: 30 sec and <0.1 Mb of RAM

- Exact: 2 min and 5 Mb of RAM
- Approx.: 30 sec and <0.1 Mb of RAM

Can we use accurate short-time information to “extrapolate” to longer times?

Physics-based methods: GQME

Time evolution of the reduced density operator

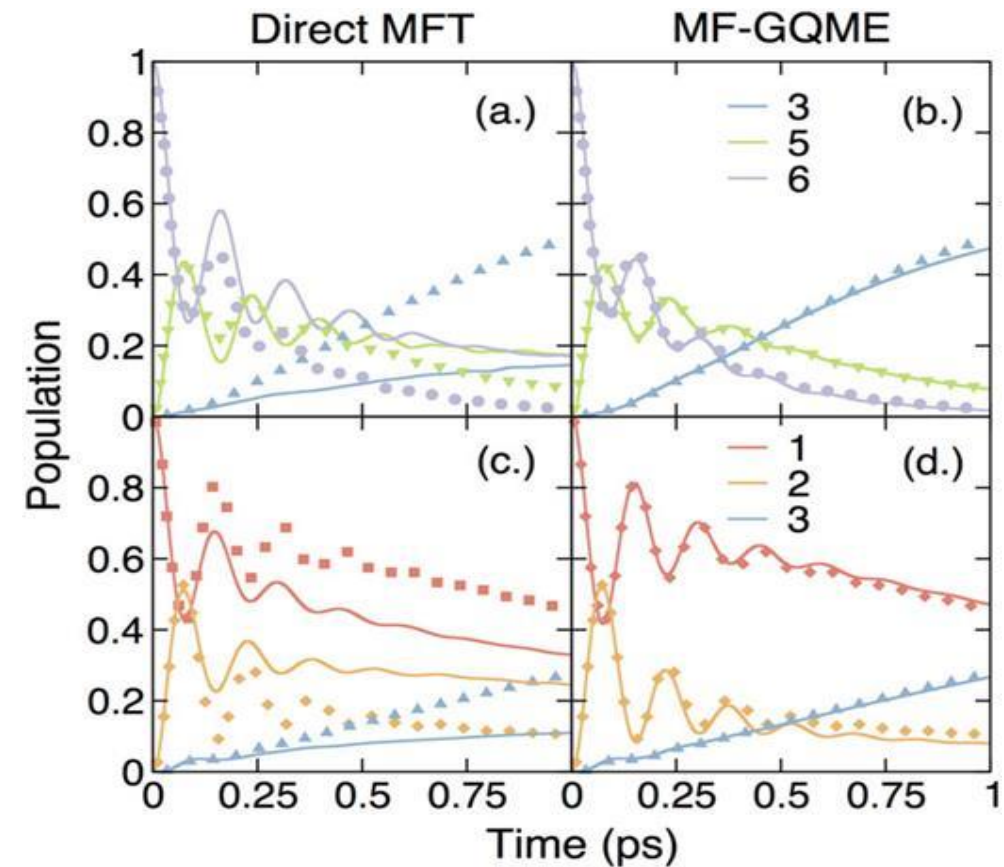
$$\frac{d\rho_s(t)}{dt} = \frac{i}{\hbar} L_s \rho_s(t) - \int_0^t K(\tau) \rho_s(t - \tau) d\tau$$

Memory kernel $K(t)$:

- Environmental effects
- $N^2 \cdot N^2$ dimension
- Very difficult (impossible) to obtain in the exact form for realistic (anharmonic) systems
- If known long-time dynamics can be obtained by solving the GQME

The spin-boson model

$$H = \epsilon \sigma_z + \Delta \sigma_x + \sigma_z \sum_{\alpha} g_{\alpha} (b_{\alpha}^{\dagger} + b_{\alpha}) + \sum_{\alpha} \omega_{\alpha} b_{\alpha}^{\dagger} b_{\alpha}$$

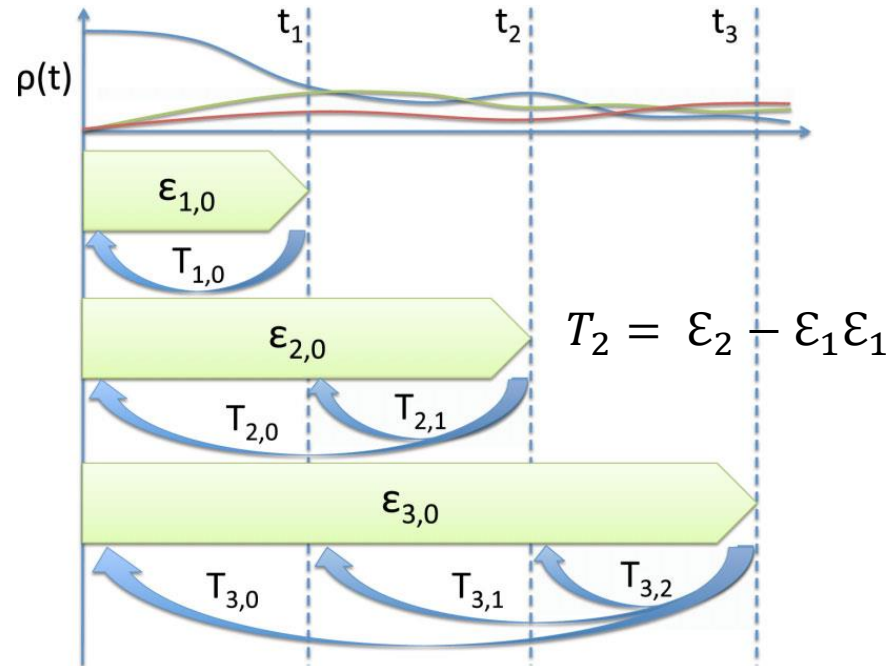


Physics-based methods: transfer tensor method

Dynamical map: $\rho(t_k) = \mathcal{E}_k \rho(0)$

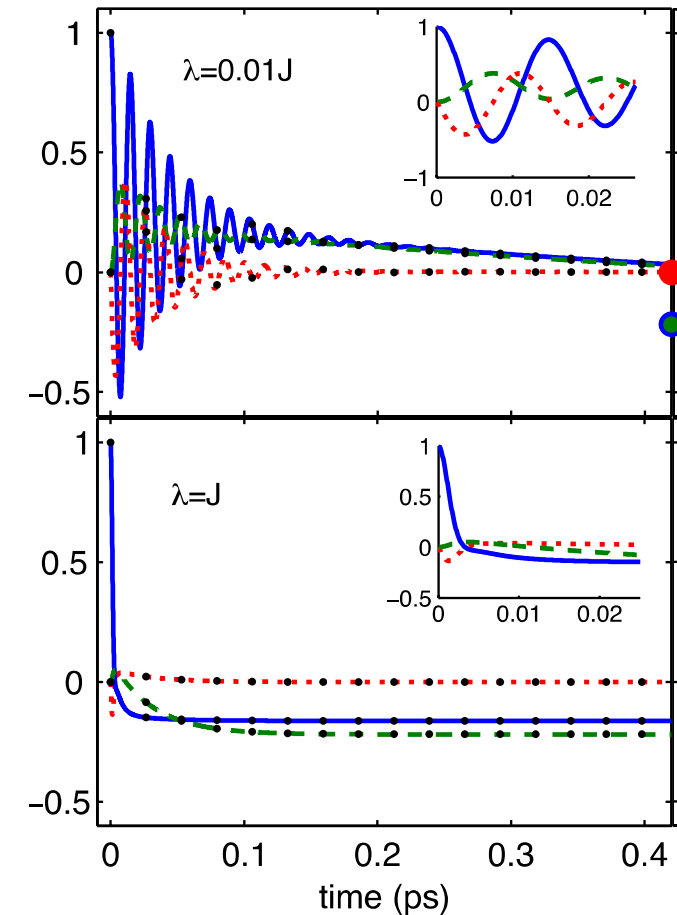
Transfer tensor: $T_k = \mathcal{E}_k - \sum_{m=1}^{k-1} T_{k-m} \mathcal{E}_m$

Propagation: $\rho(t_m) = \mathbf{T} \otimes [\rho(t_{m-1}) \dots \rho(t_{m-k})]$



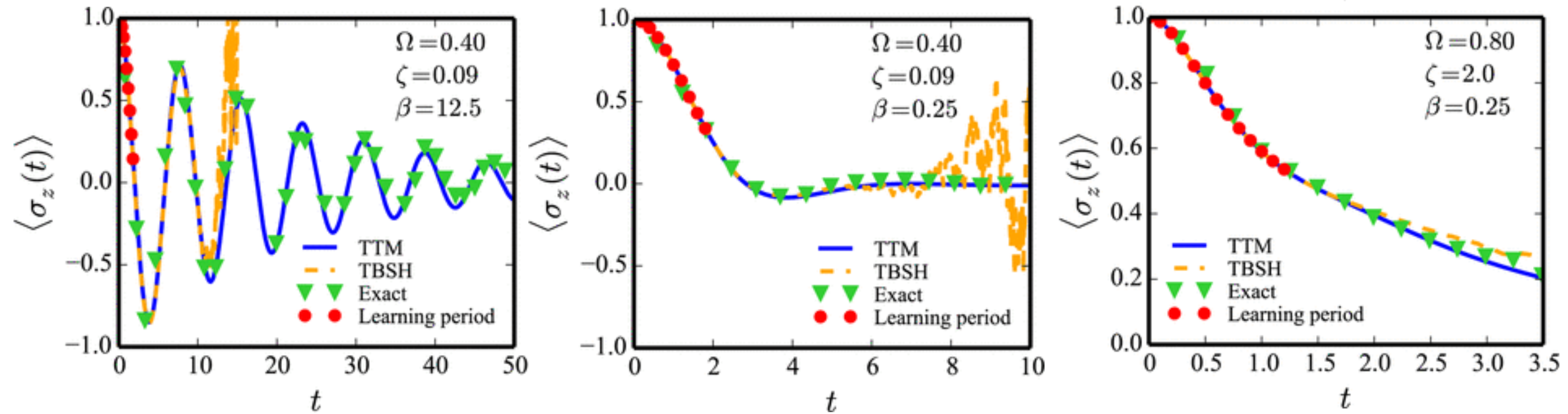
Requires N^4 calculations to produce dynamical maps

Spin-boson model



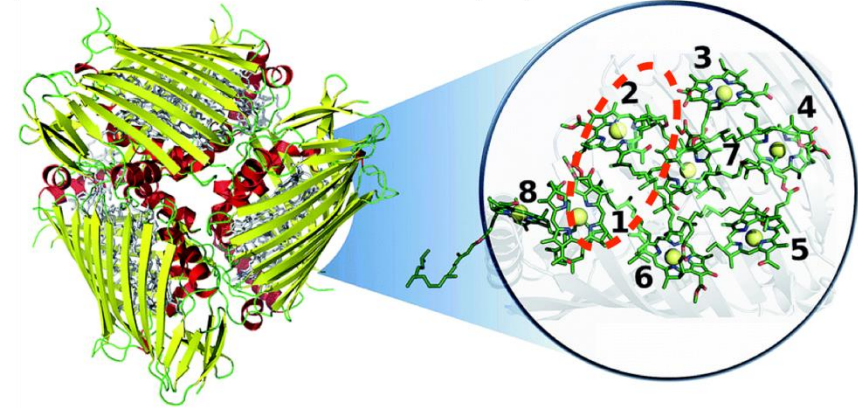
TTM with approximate quantum-classical input

Population difference for two-level system coupled to dissipative environment



TTM works well even when input is not from the exact method

Where is memory coming from?



Reduction to
relevant DOFs

Generalized Quantum Master Equation

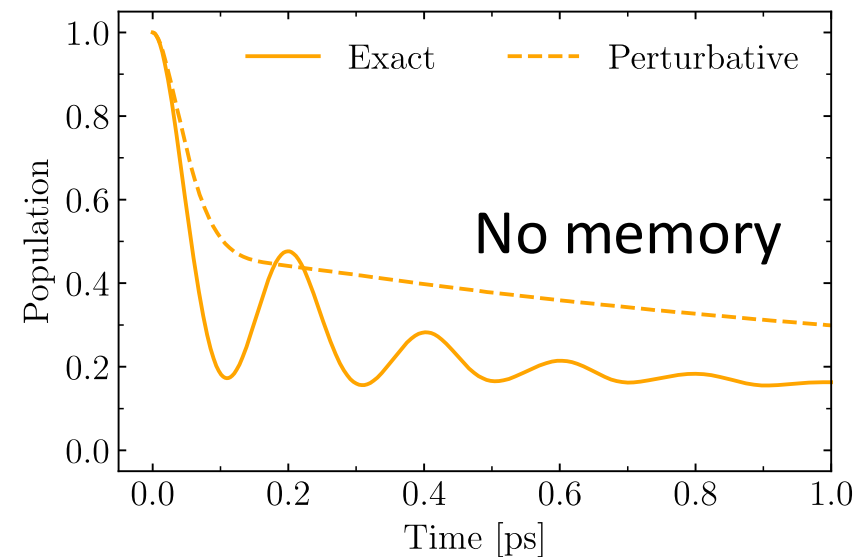
$$\frac{d\rho_s(t)}{dt} = \frac{i}{\hbar} L_s \rho_s(t) - \int_0^t K(\tau) \rho_s(t)(t - \tau) d\tau$$

non-Markovian dynamics is a result of reduction used to focus on “relevant” subsystem

Schrödinger equation

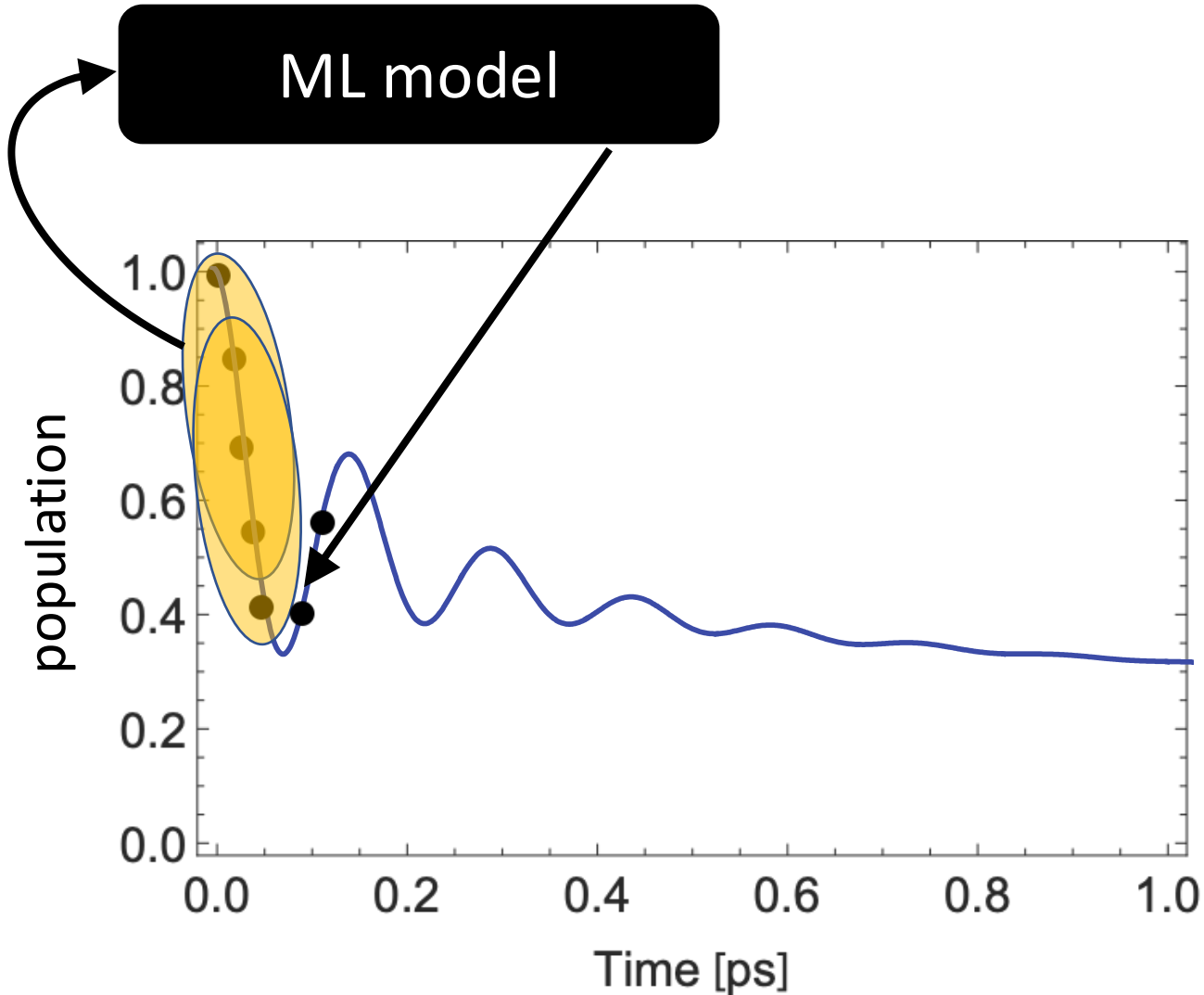
$$i\hbar \frac{d}{dt} \Psi = H_{total} \Psi$$

Markovian: future time-evolution is fully determined by the present state of the system



Memory is a property of environment which determines the physical behavior of the subsystem

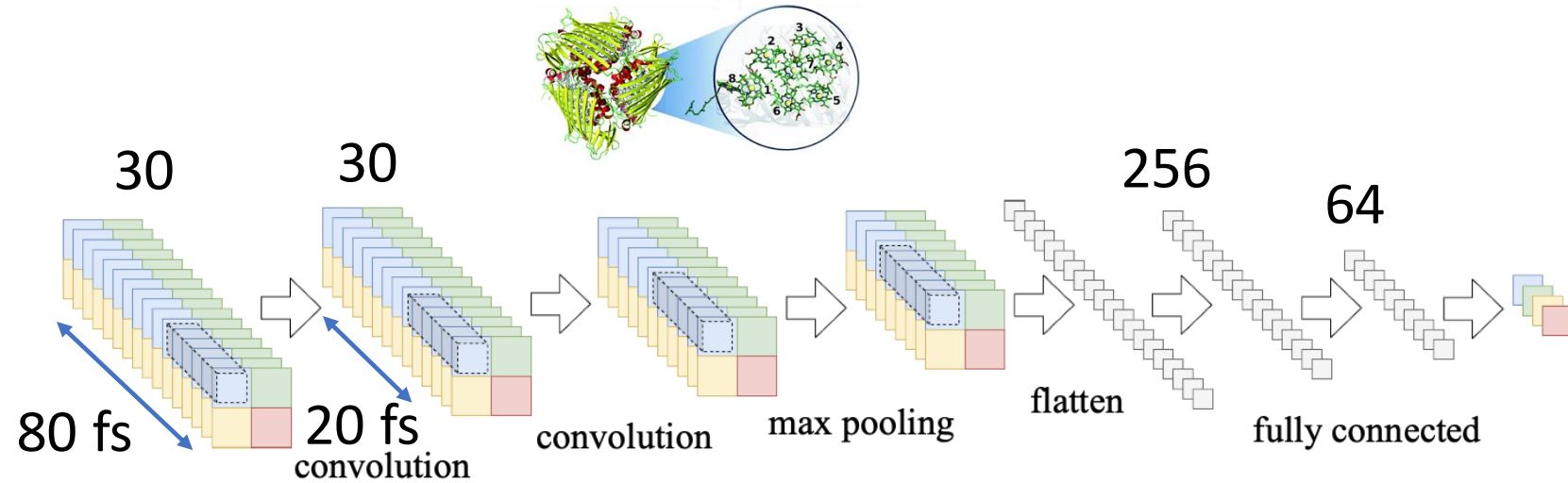
Our approach: time-series forecasting with data-driven models



What we want:

- Must be single-step accurate
- Must be faster than direct “exact” QD calculation (e.g., HEOM)
- “Short times” should be short
- Minimum work to get the input

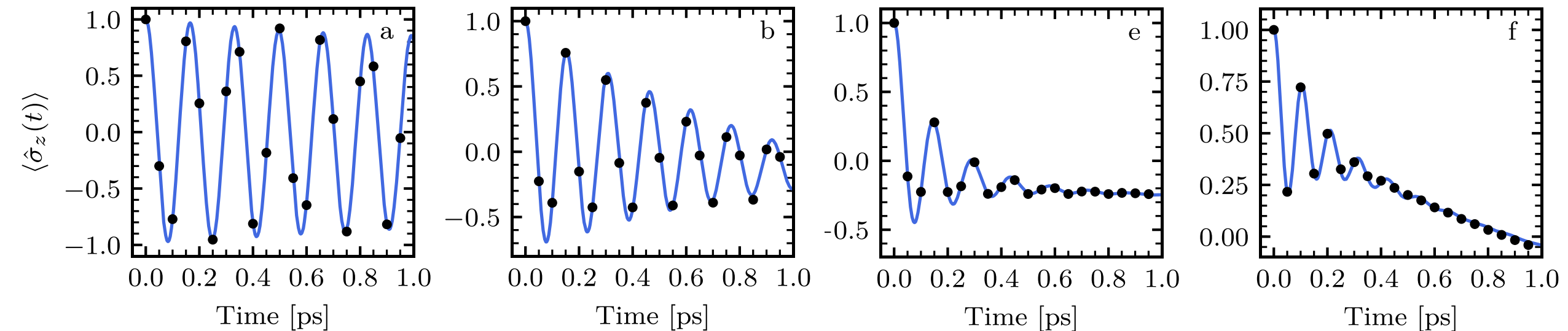
FMO dimer dynamics with convolutional neural network



2,500,000 trainable parameters

Trained on $\sim 5,000,000$ 0.2 ps trajectories

1- \rightarrow 2 population difference in molecular dimer (from FMO): input 2x2 density matrix



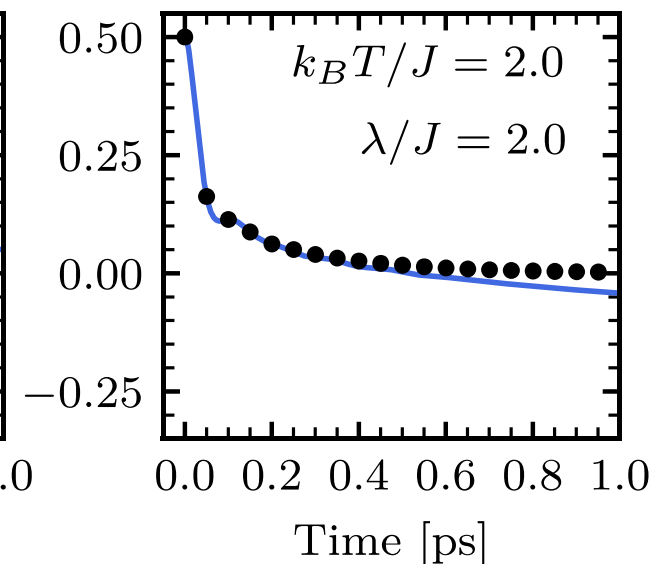
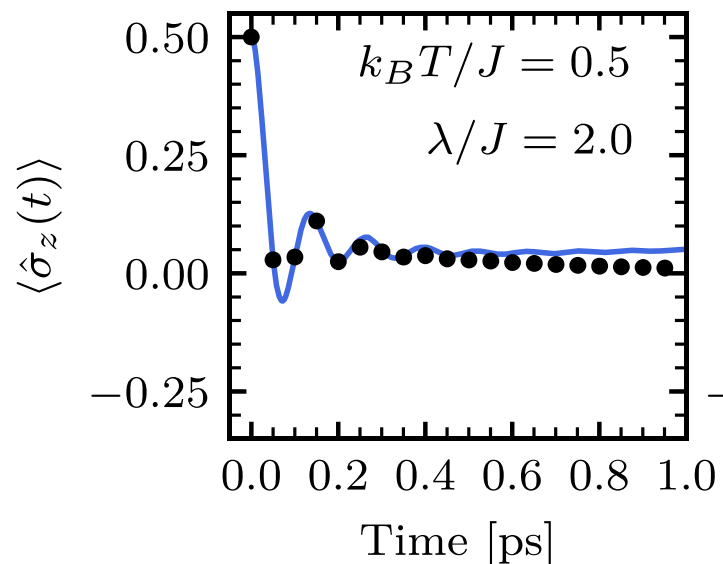
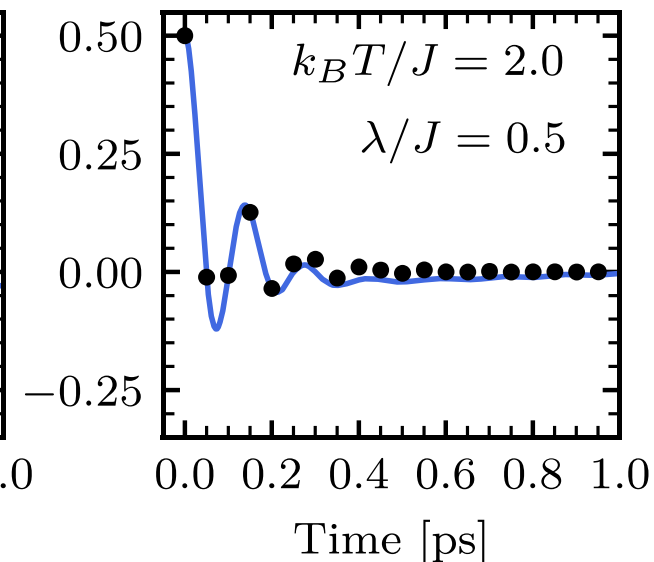
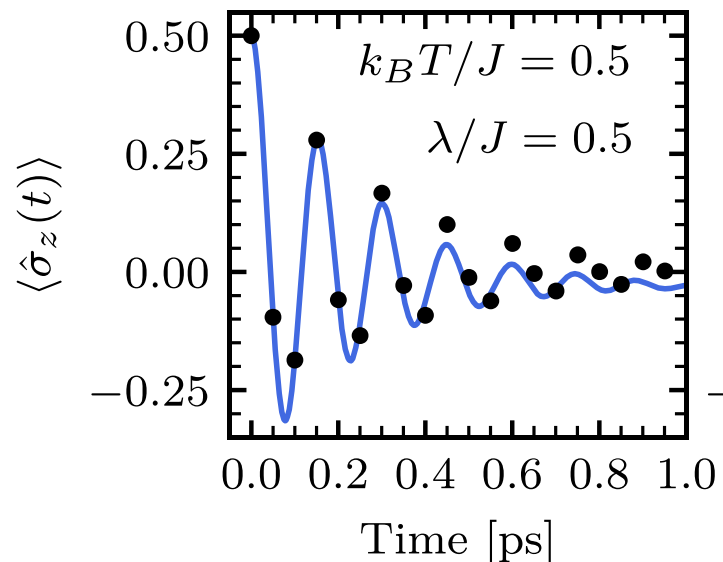
Transferability

Input data consisted of dynamics data starting from the excited state

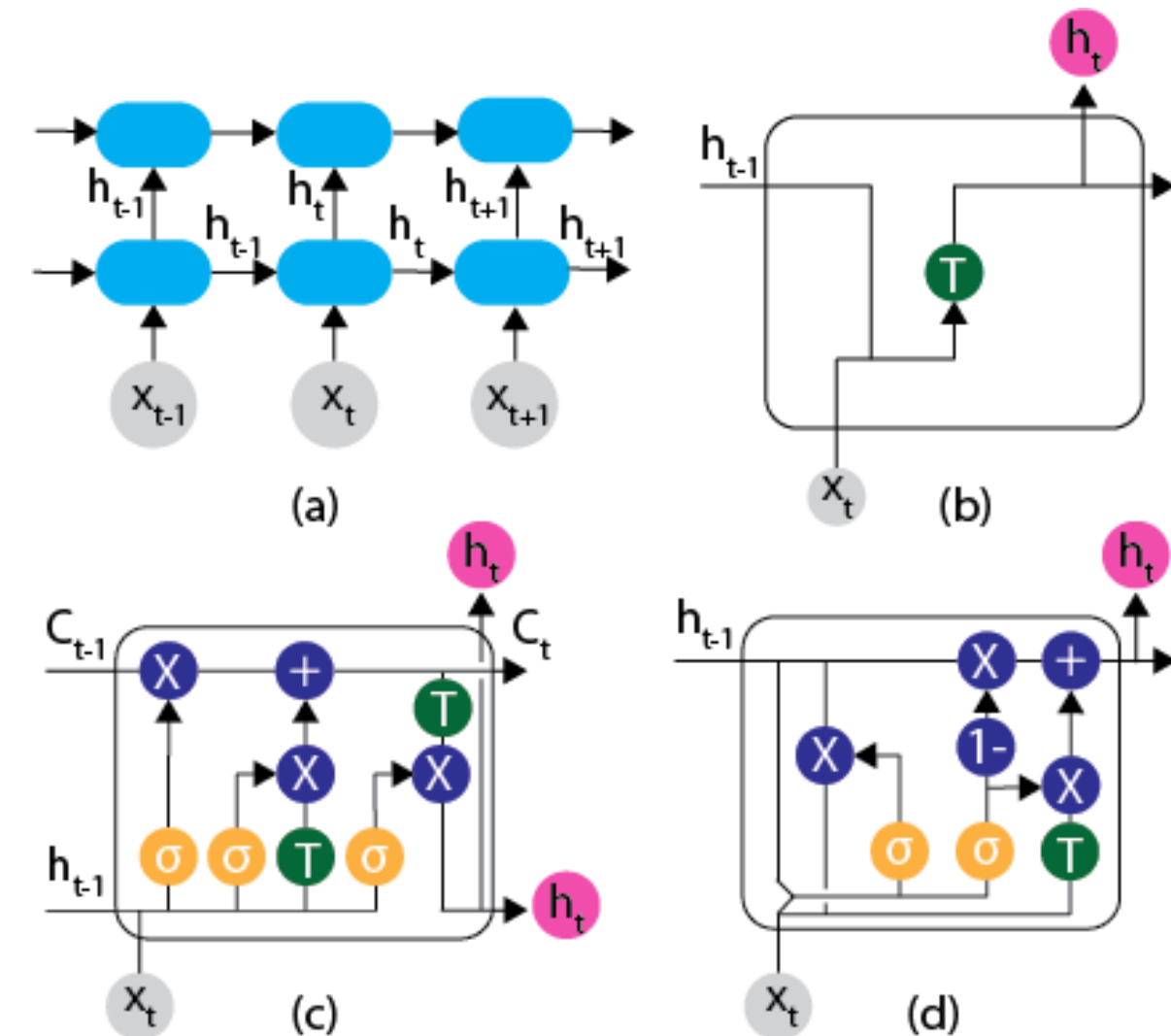
$$\rho_s = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

The trained CNN model also works for the initial mixed state

$$\rho_s = \begin{pmatrix} 0.5 & 0 \\ 0 & 0.5 \end{pmatrix}$$



More machine learning models



Benchmarking 22 most popular ML models:

- Feed-forward NNs
- Convolutional NNs
- Recurrent NNs (a): simple RNN (b), LSTM (b), GRU (c)
- Bidirectional RNNs
- Convolutional Recurrent NNs
- Kernel ridge regression models with kernels:
 - Gaussian
 - Matern ($n=1-4$)
 - Exponential
 - Periodic-decaying

Fixed number of trainable parameters (NN): 500,000-530,000

Kernel ridge regression

Prediction for input x'

$$f(x') = \sum_{i=1}^{N_{train}} \alpha_i K(x', x_i)$$

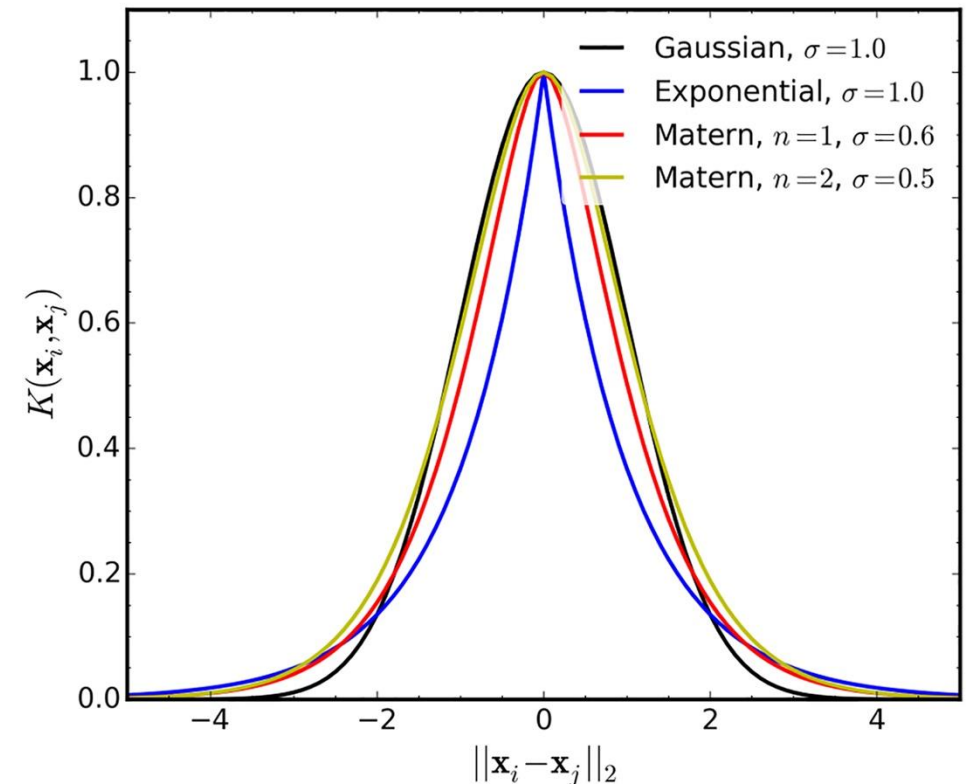
Regression coefficient α_i Kernel function (Kernel) $K(x', x_i)$

Regression coefficients are determined by “training”

$$\min_{\alpha} \sum_{i=1}^{N_{train}} (f(x_i) - y_i)^2 + \lambda \alpha^T K \alpha$$

- Training is expensive for large data sets, N^3
- Fixed size input (unlike RNNs)
- Few kernels exist for time-series data

Kernel functions



Spin-boson data set

$$H = \epsilon \sigma_z + \Delta \sigma_x + \sigma_z \sum_{\alpha} g_{\alpha} (b_{\alpha}^{\dagger} + b_{\alpha}) + \sum_{\alpha} \omega_{\alpha} b_{\alpha}^{\dagger} b_{\alpha}$$

Ohmic spectral density:

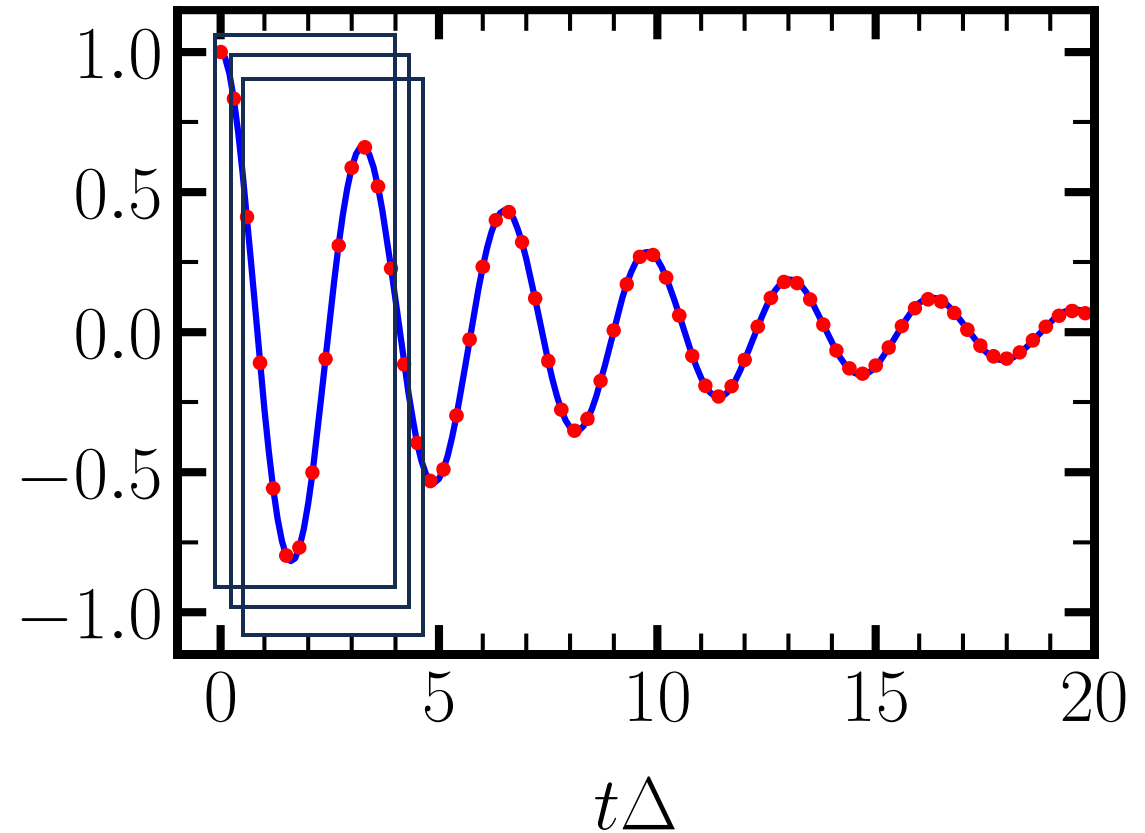
$$J(\omega) = 2\lambda \frac{\omega \omega_c}{\omega^2 + \omega_c^2}$$

Use HEOM to generate RDMs for:

$$\frac{\epsilon}{\Delta} = \{0, 1\} \quad \frac{\omega_c}{\Delta} = \{1, 2, 3, \dots, 10\}$$

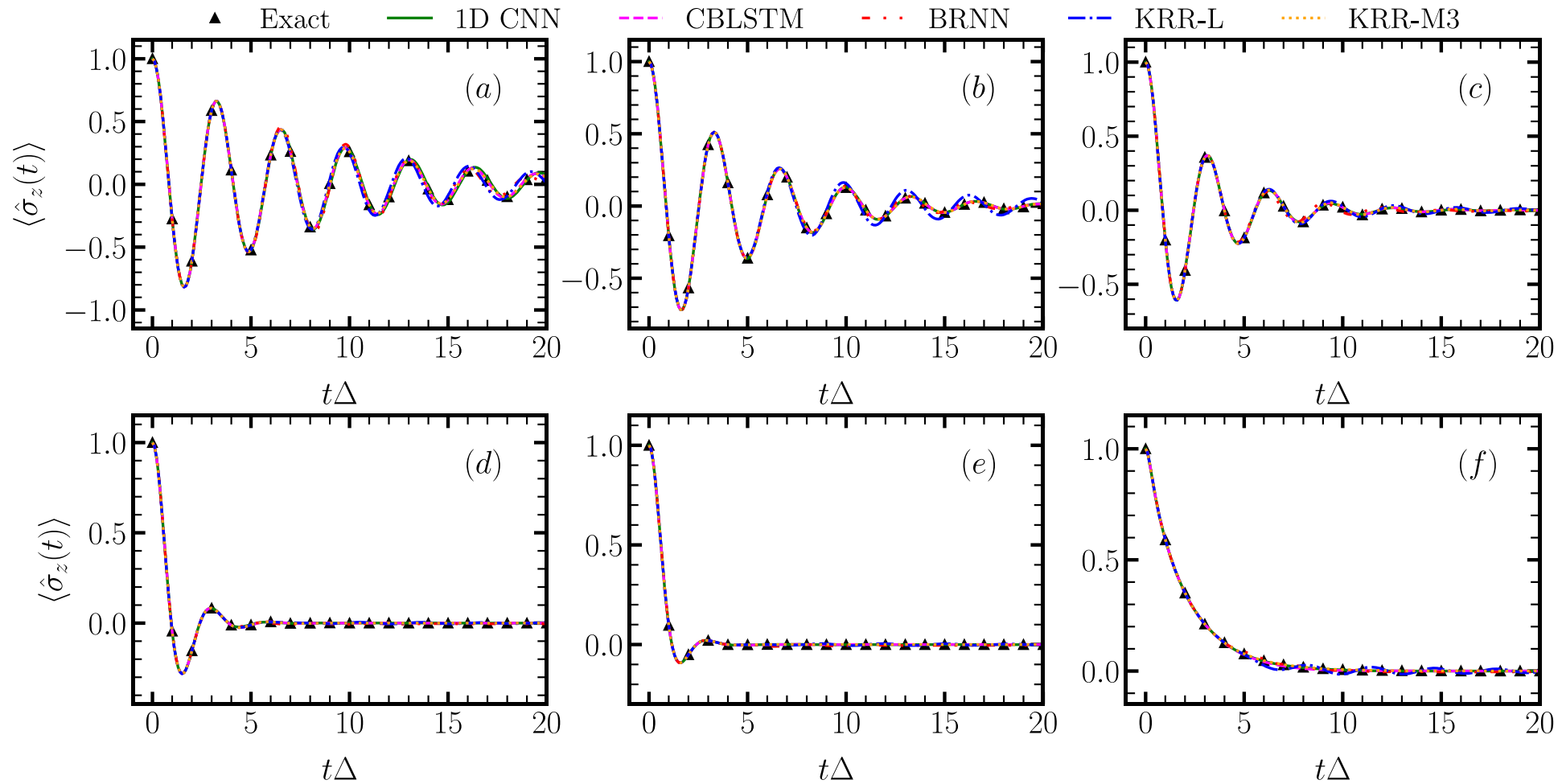
$$\beta \Delta = \{0.1, 0.25, 0.5, 0.75, 1.0\}$$

$\langle \hat{\sigma}_z(t) \rangle$



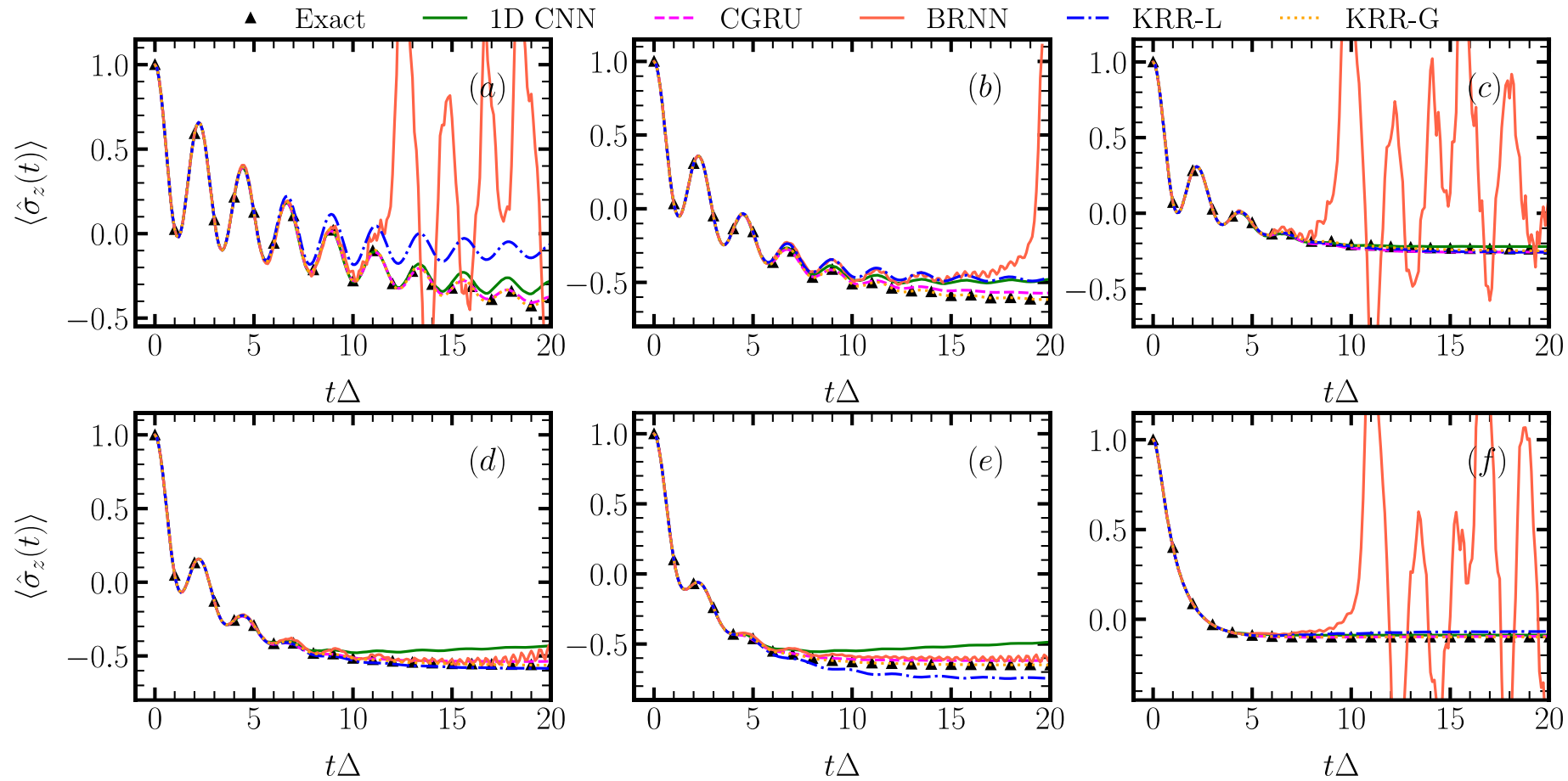
$$\frac{\lambda}{\Delta} = \{0.1, 0.2, 0.3, \dots, 1.0\}$$

Symmetric spin-boson system



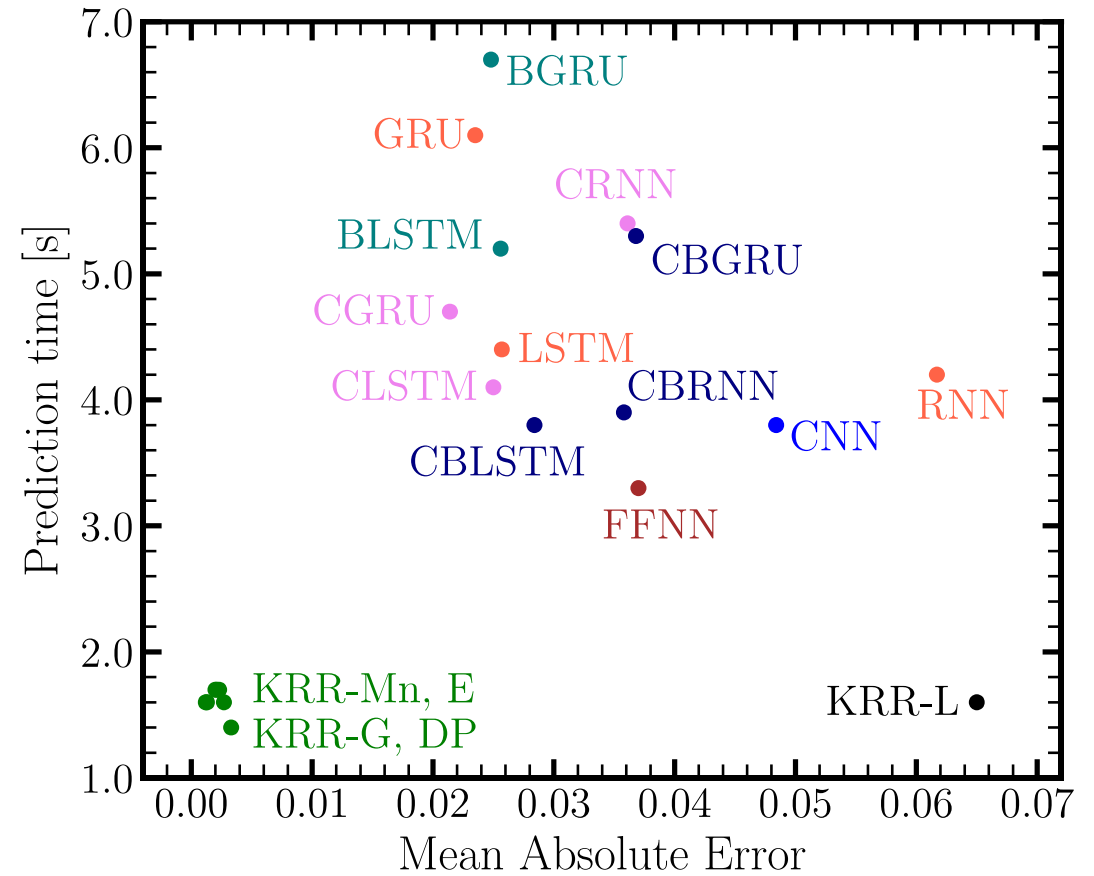
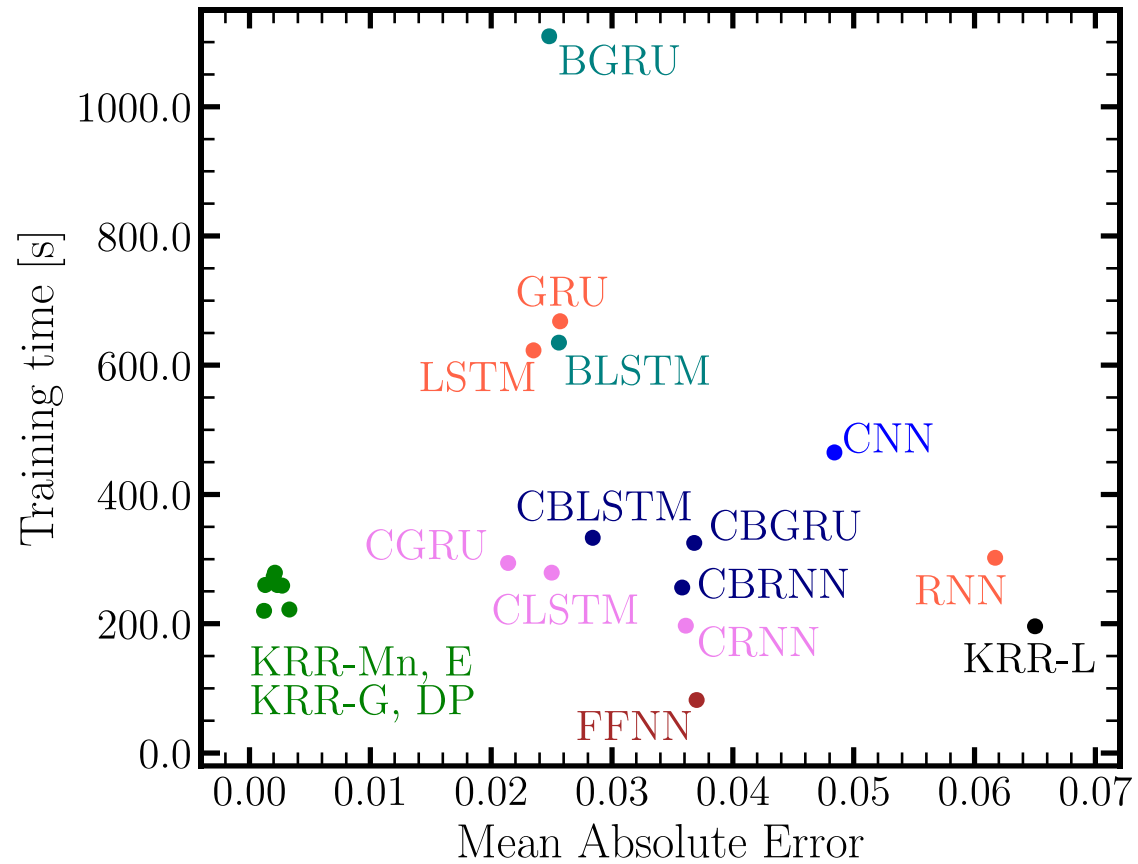
Lowest single-time step prediction error $2 \cdot 10^{-4}$ for KRR with Matern-4 kernel

Asymmetric spin-boson system



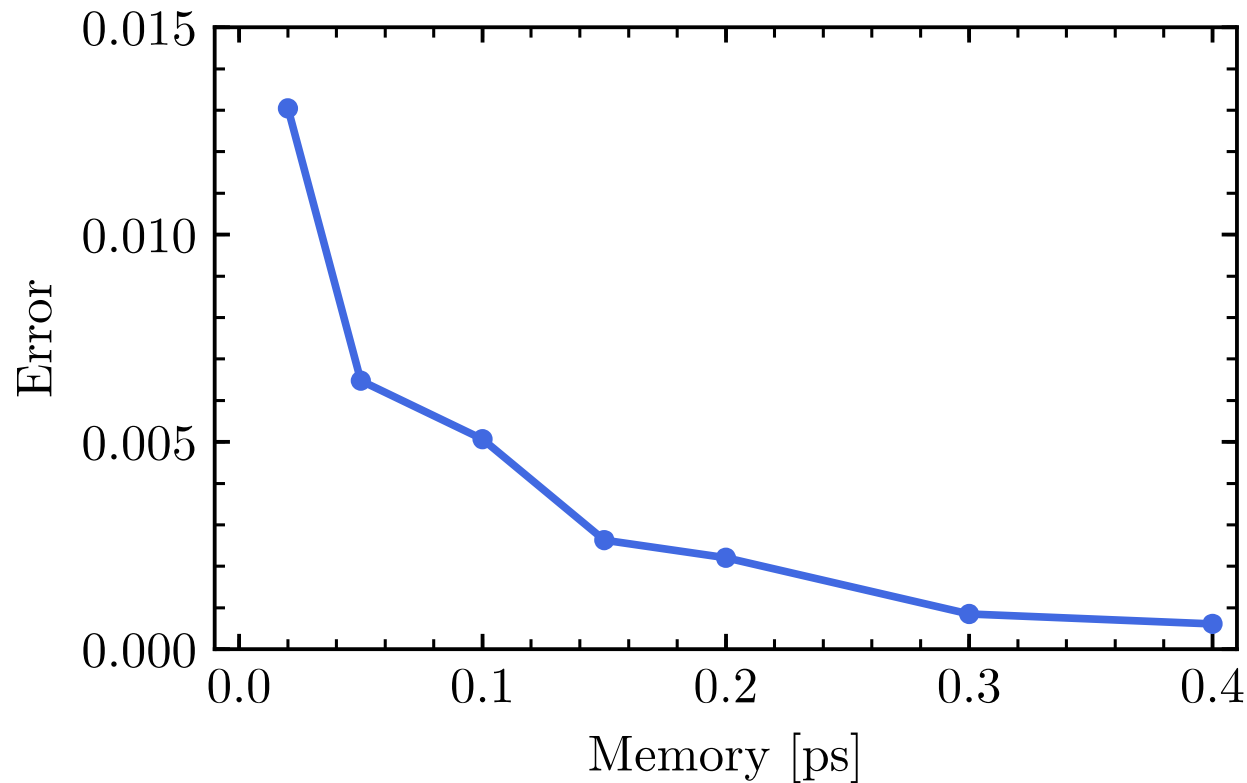
Lowest single-time step prediction error $1.2 \cdot 10^{-3}$ for KRR with the Gaussian kernel

Accuracy vs running time



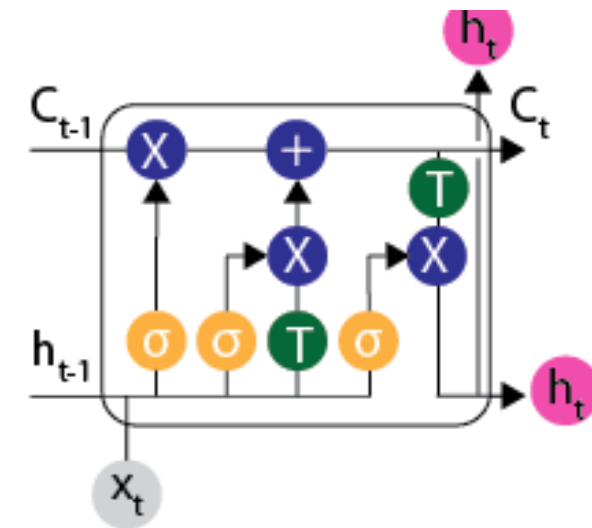
Choosing the memory: accuracy vs cost tradeoff

Convolutional neural network model



How to choose memory?

- Too short memory leads to sizable errors
- Too long memory requires more costly input generation
- Future work: Extract from RNNs



Transformers

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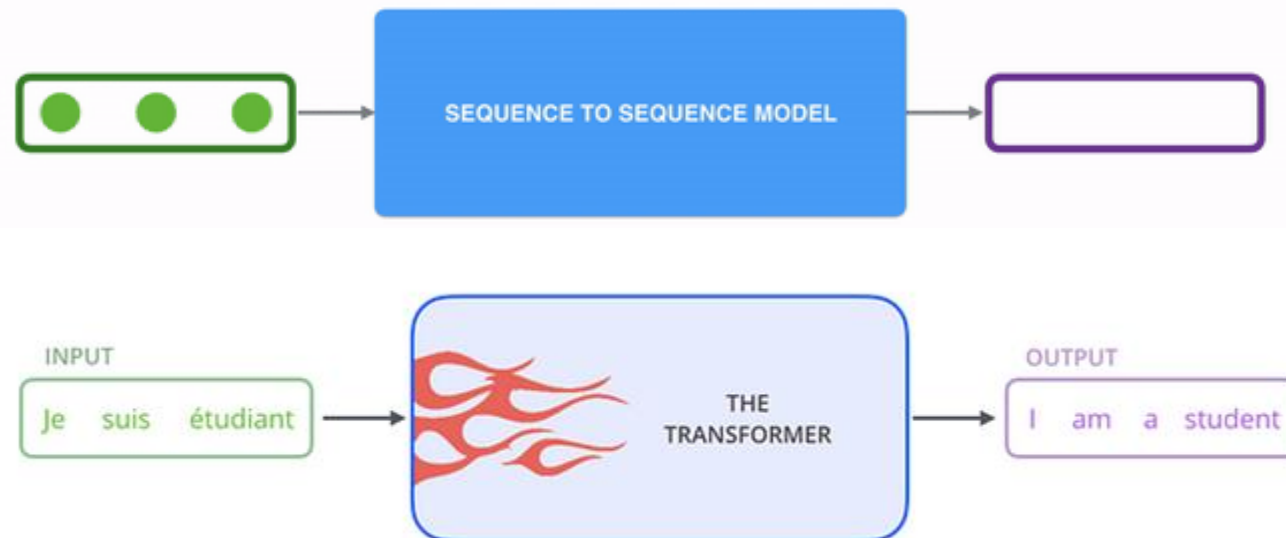
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A. Vaswani et al., NIPS 2017



Driving paradigm shift in AI

- RNNs are sequential (slow), short-term memory
- Introduced to improve/accelerate processing of long sequences (can do infinite in principle)
- 70% ArXiv papers on AI last 2 years
- conversational chat boxes, search engines
- Transformers use attention mechanism for context (parallel processing)

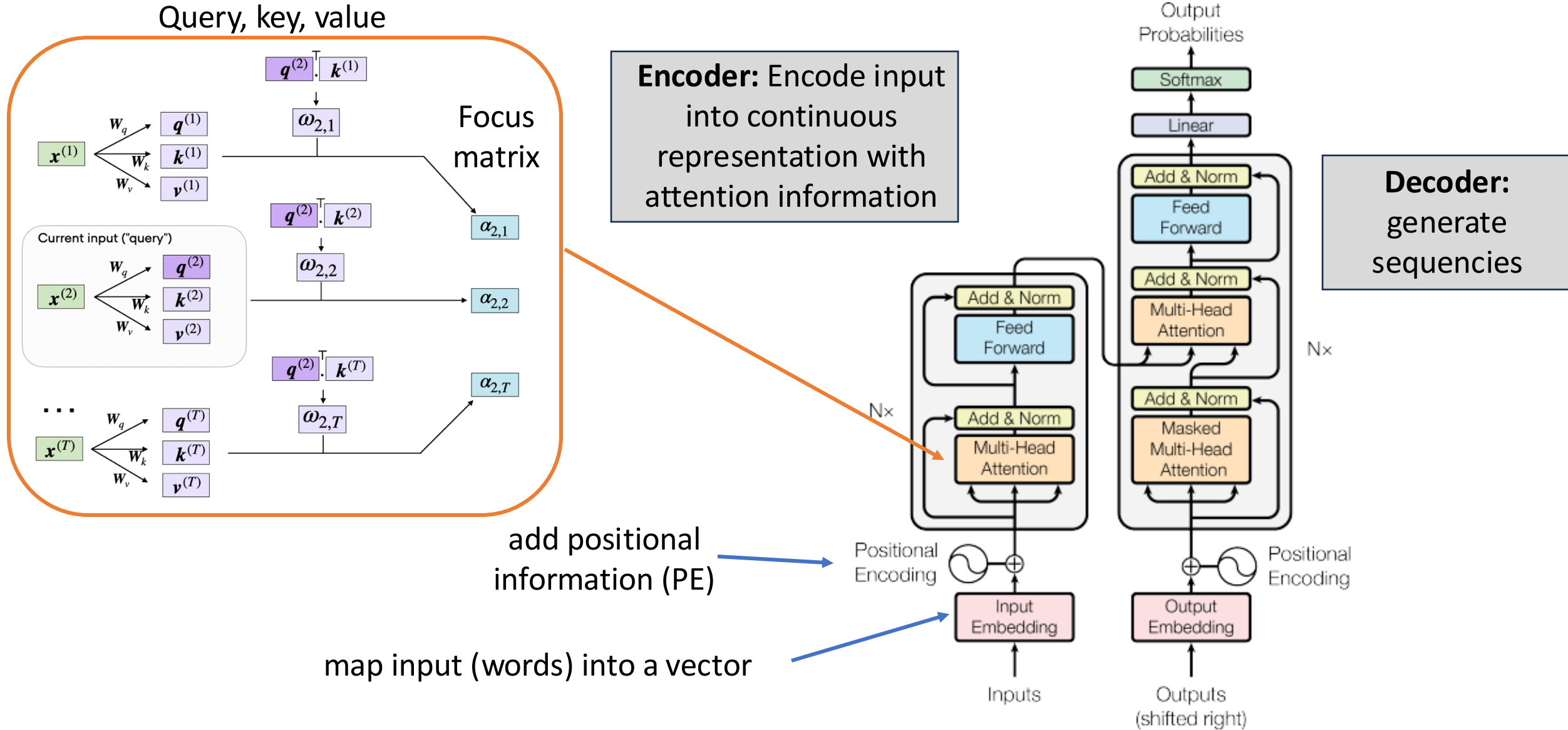


“General-purpose computer that is also trainable and efficient to run on our computer hardware...”

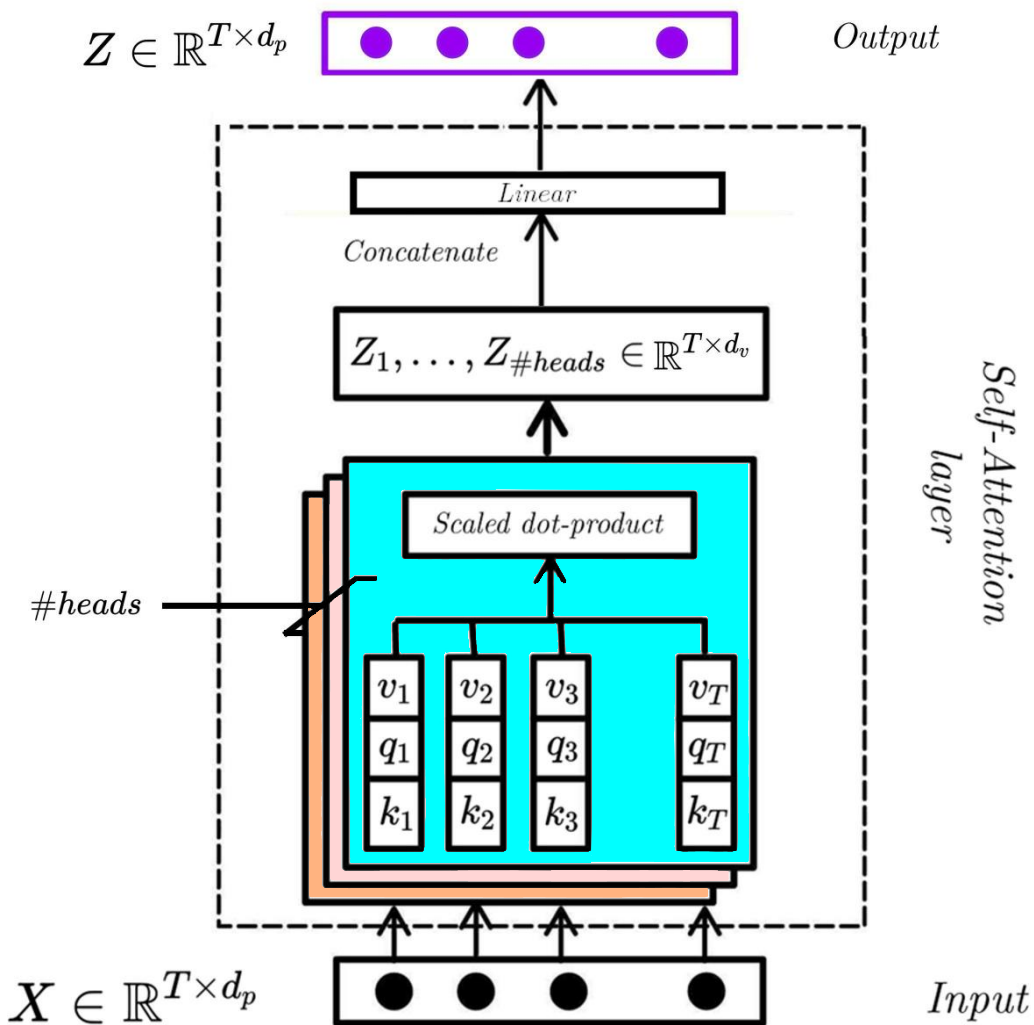
A. Karpathy

(<https://youtu.be/9uw3F6rndnA?si=3lctTgxKDzjFpKSV>)

How transformers work: attention mechanism



Self-attention layer



Concatenates output of each head

$$Z_1, Z_2, \dots, Z_{Nheads}$$

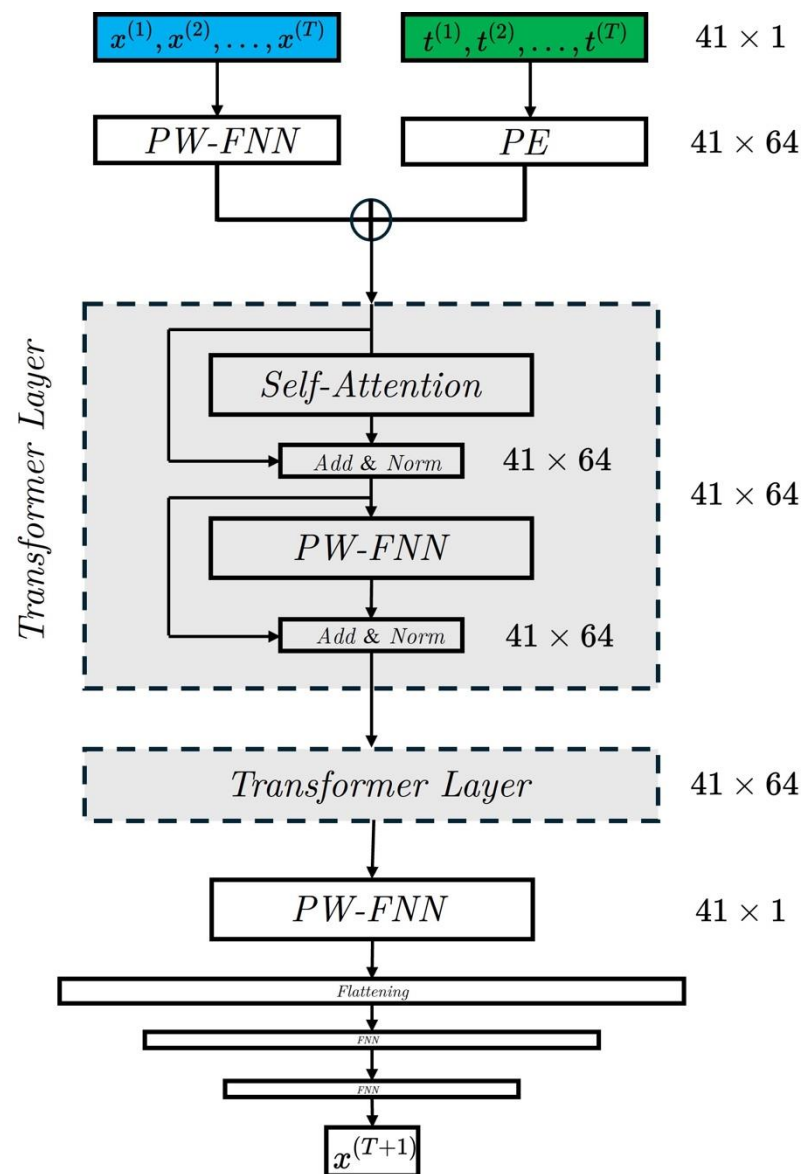
generate self-attention matrix as weighted sum over input values

$$Z_i = \text{softmax} \left(\frac{Q_i K_i^T}{\sqrt{d_k}} \right) V_i$$

Each self-attention head generates queries, keys, values

$$Q_i = XW_i^q, K_i = XW_i^k, V_i = XW_i^v$$

Transformer neural network for quantum dynamics



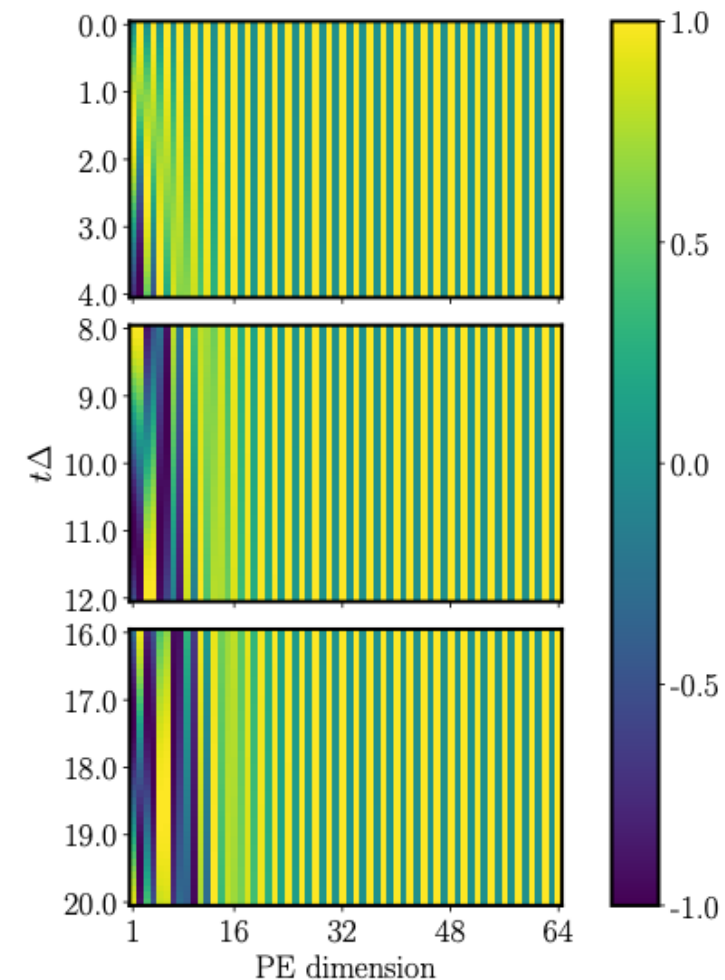
Positional encoding

- No explicit time information in the self-attention layer
- PE creates representation of time

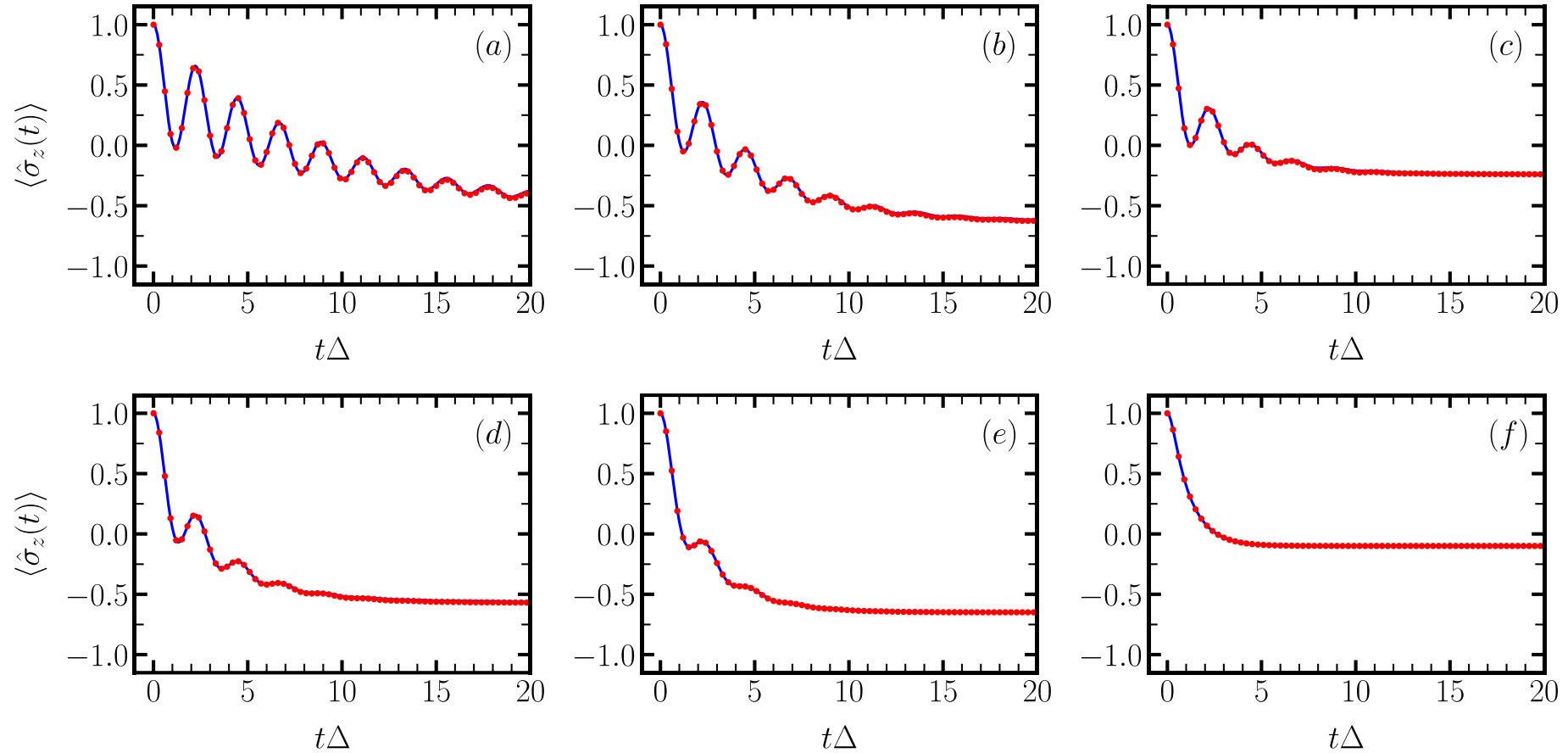
$$PE_{j,k} = \begin{cases} \sin(t_j \omega_k), & k \text{ is even} \\ \cos(t_j \omega_k), & k \text{ is odd} \end{cases}$$

$$\omega_k = \frac{1}{1000^{2k/d_p}}$$

Non-trainable PE
(extensions to trainable PE exist)



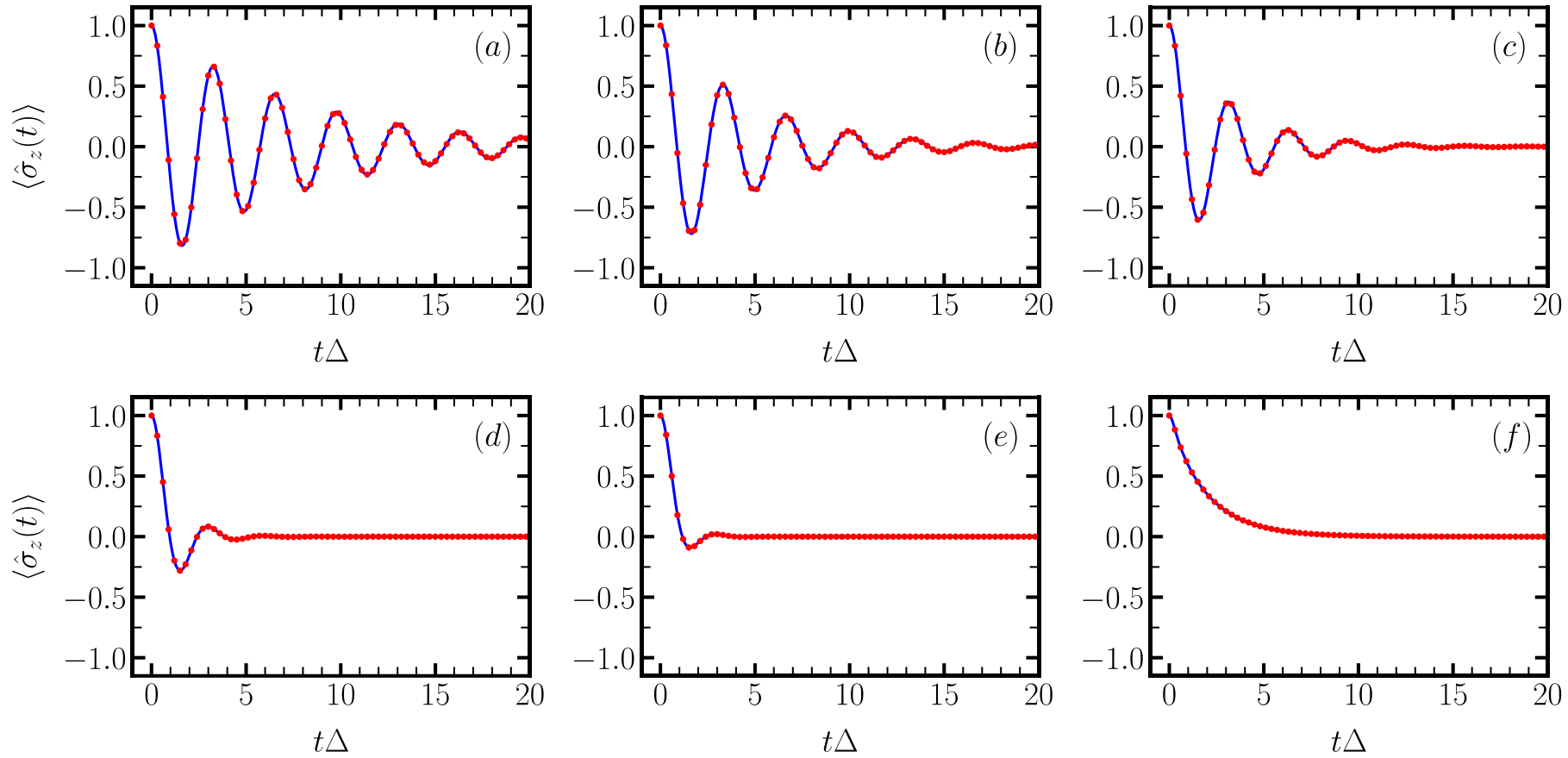
Asymmetric spin-boson system



Lowest single-time step prediction error $7.5 \cdot 10^{-3}$

Number of trainable parameters: 1,918,018

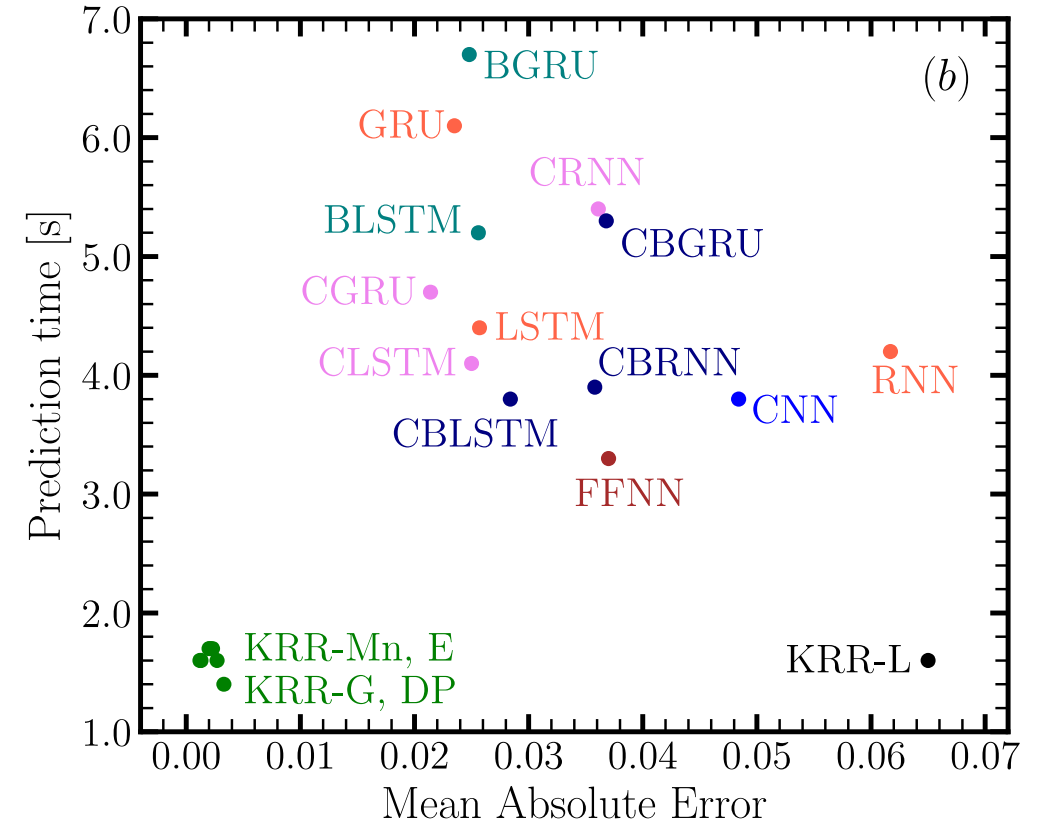
Symmetric spin-boson system



Lowest single-time step prediction error $4.3 \cdot 10^{-4}$

Conclusions

- ML can be an efficient way to simulate long-time quantum dynamics
- KRR is the fastest most accurate method for this, but they are restricted to fixed-size input (need to know the memory)
- RNNs work with input of different size: CGRU is the best of them
- Transformers can reach accuracy of best KRR models



Papers, codes, and data sets

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