

Implementing gauge symmetry in machine learning models

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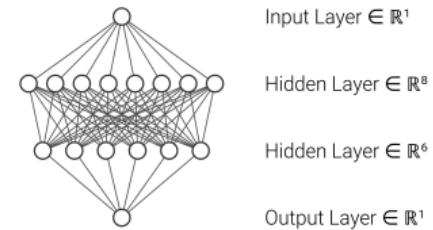
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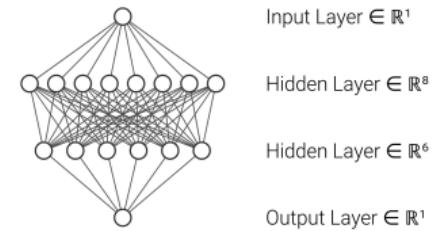
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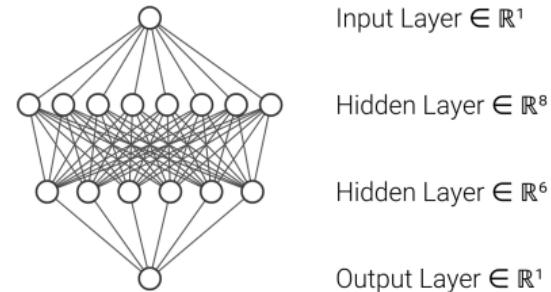
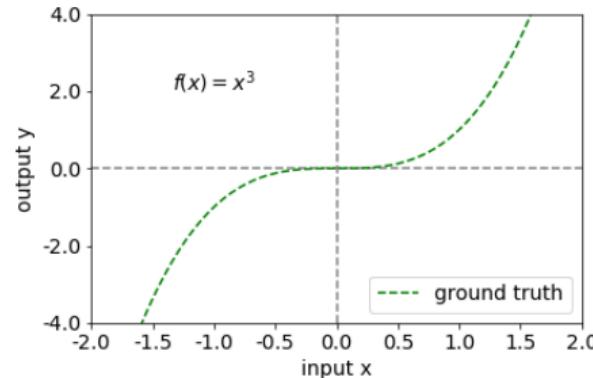
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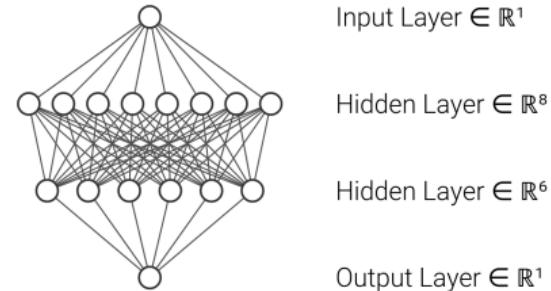
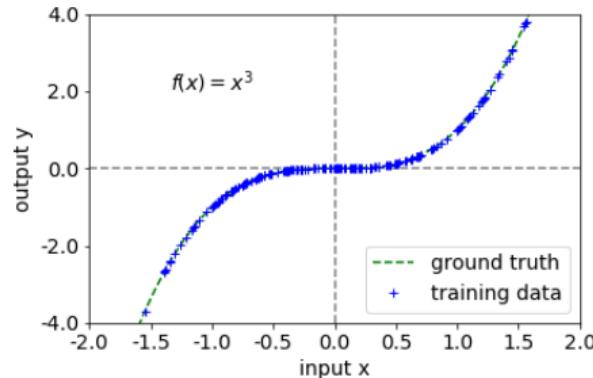
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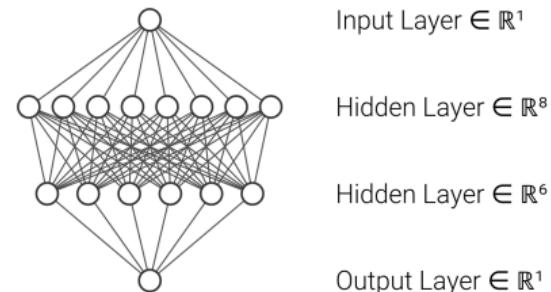
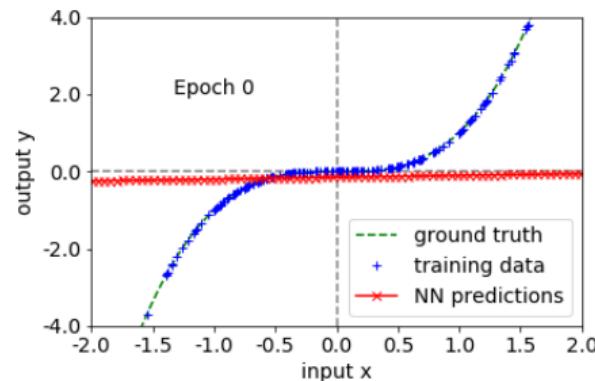
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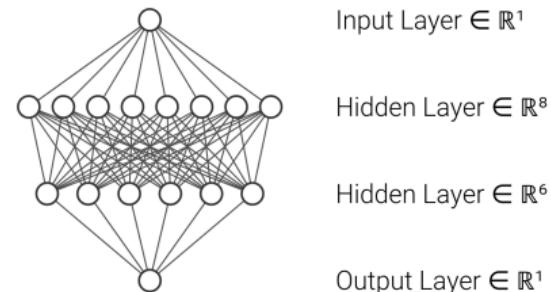
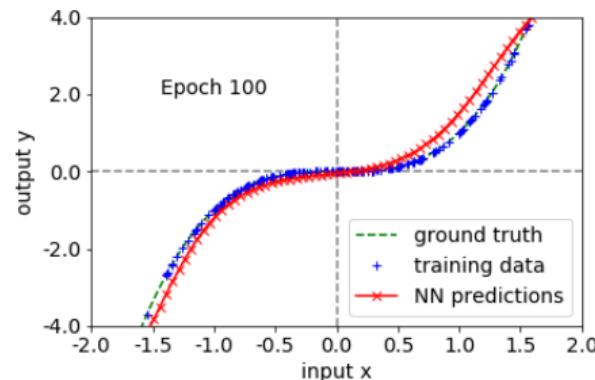
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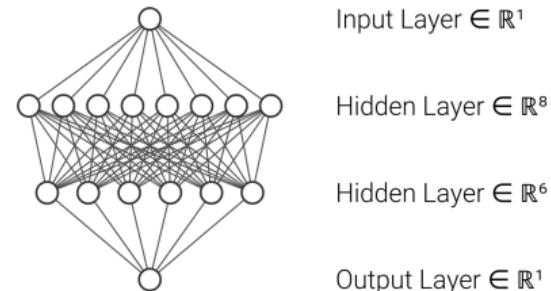
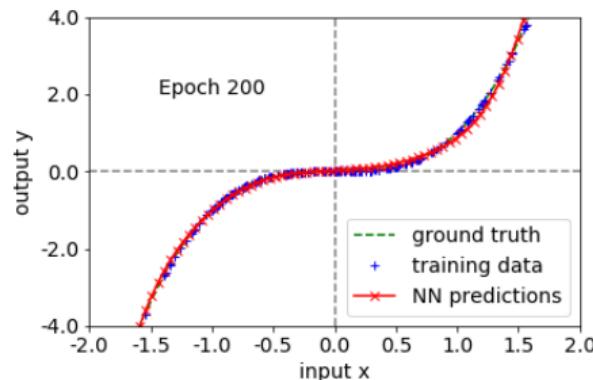
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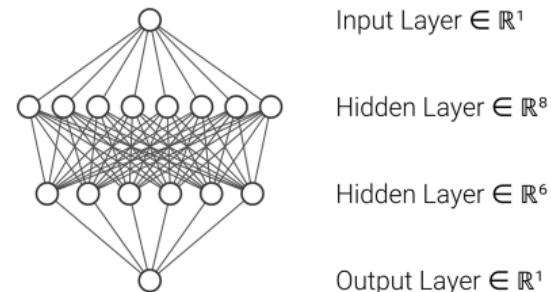
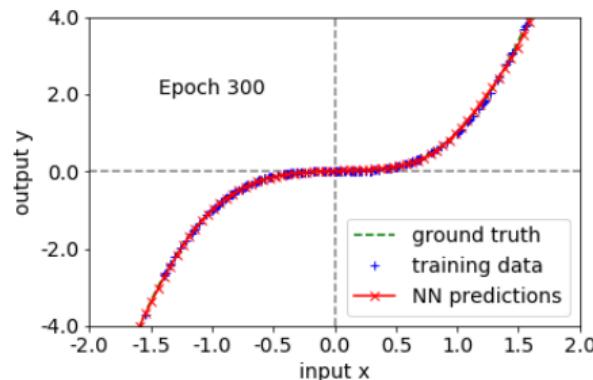
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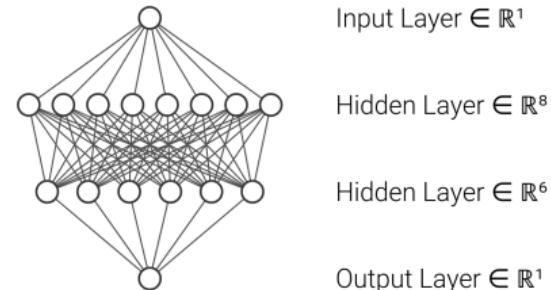
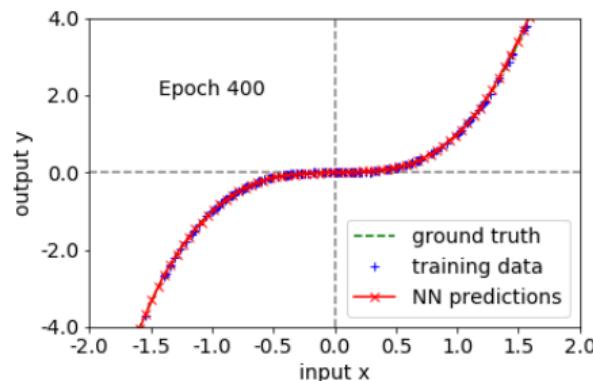
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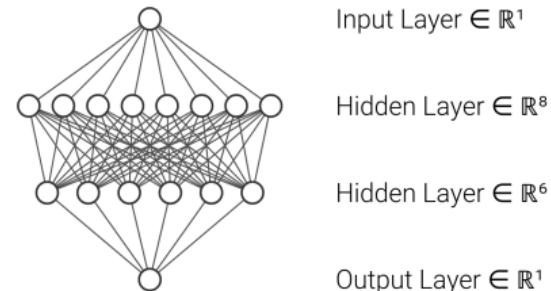
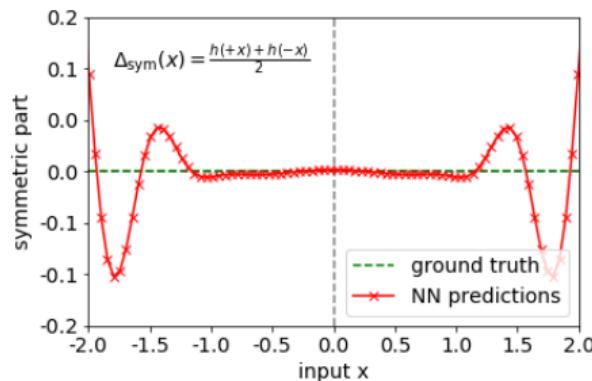
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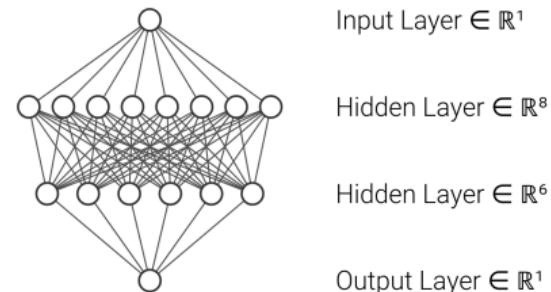
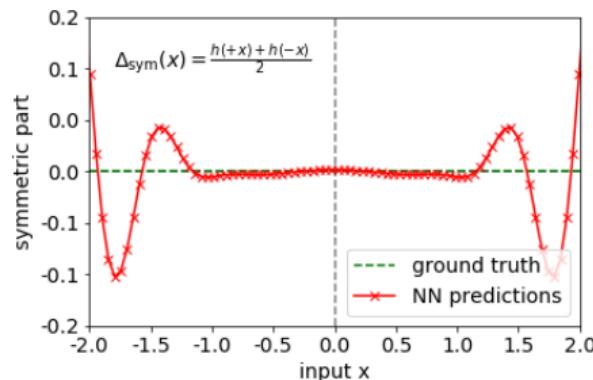
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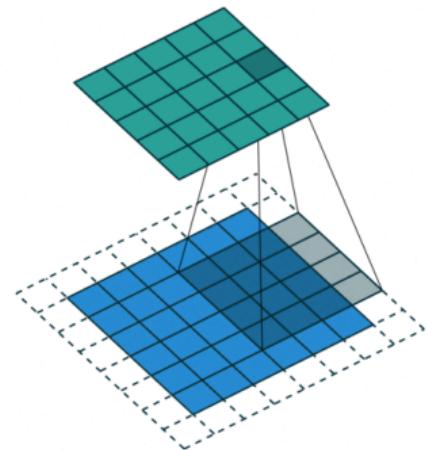
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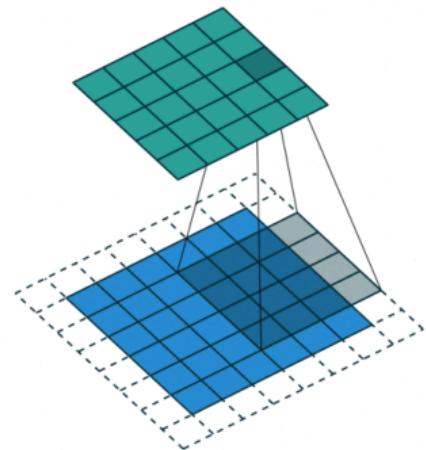


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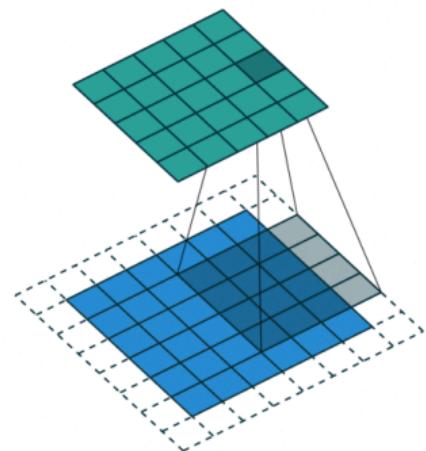


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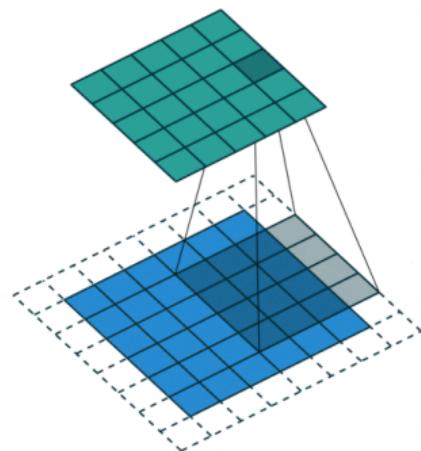


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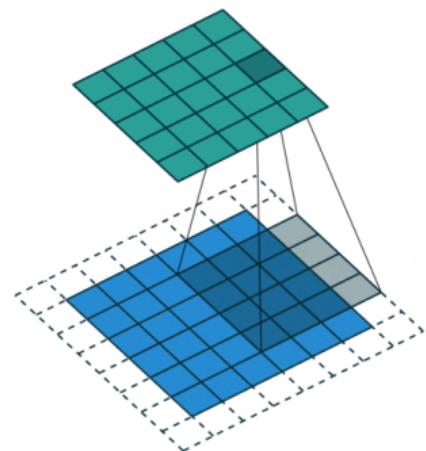


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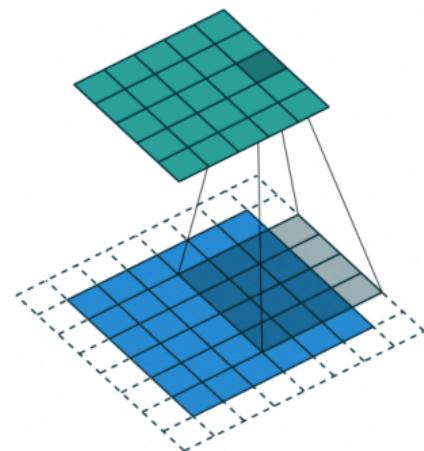


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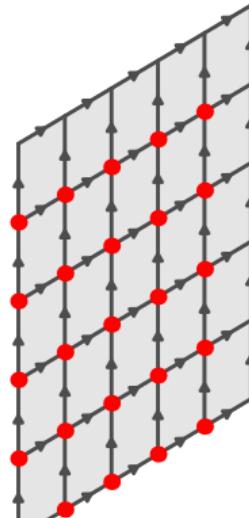
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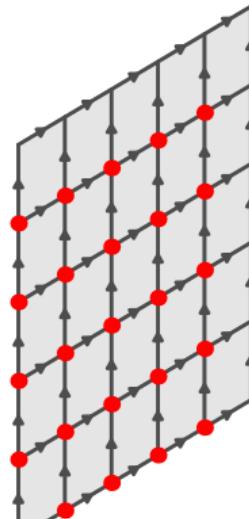
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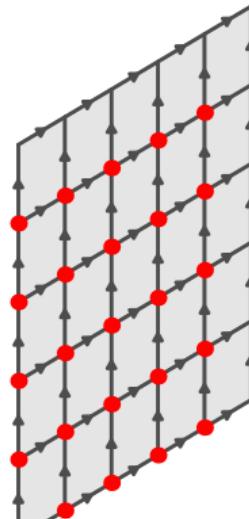
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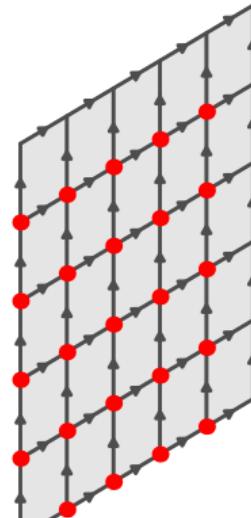
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Gauge equivariance and invariance

- ▶ Lattice gauge transformations for \mathcal{U} and \mathcal{W}

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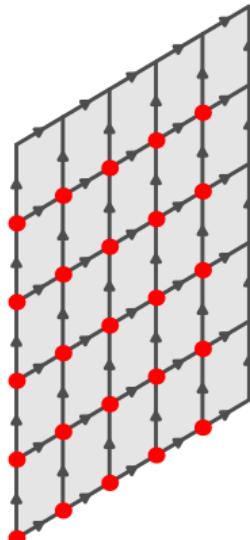
- ▶ Gauge equivariant function

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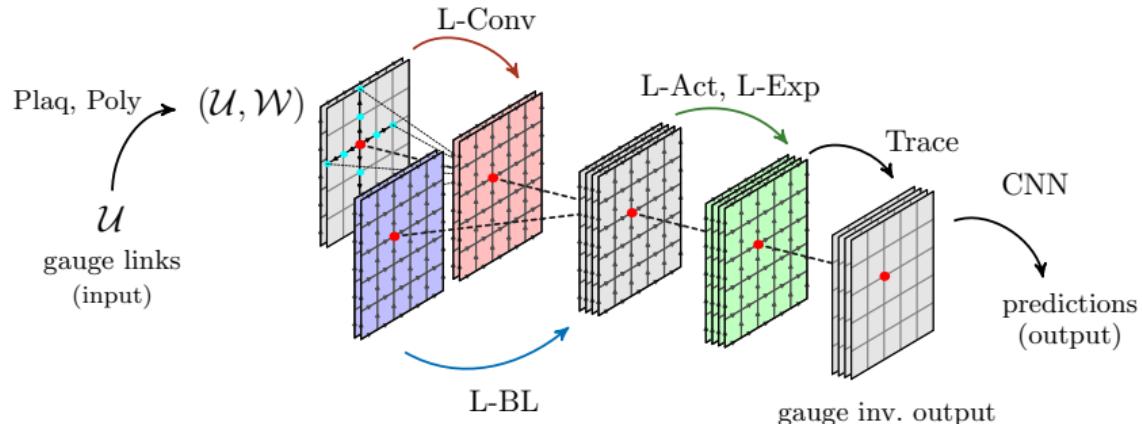


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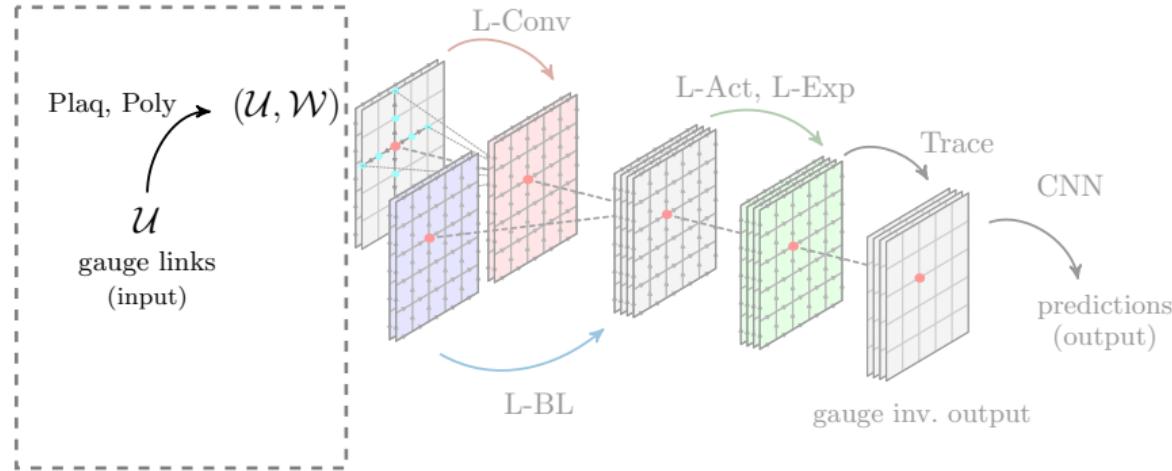
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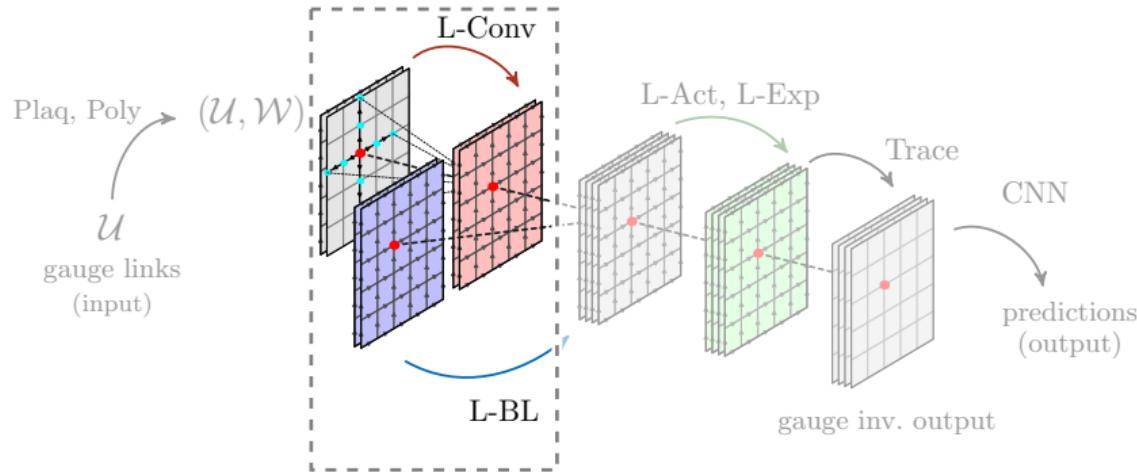
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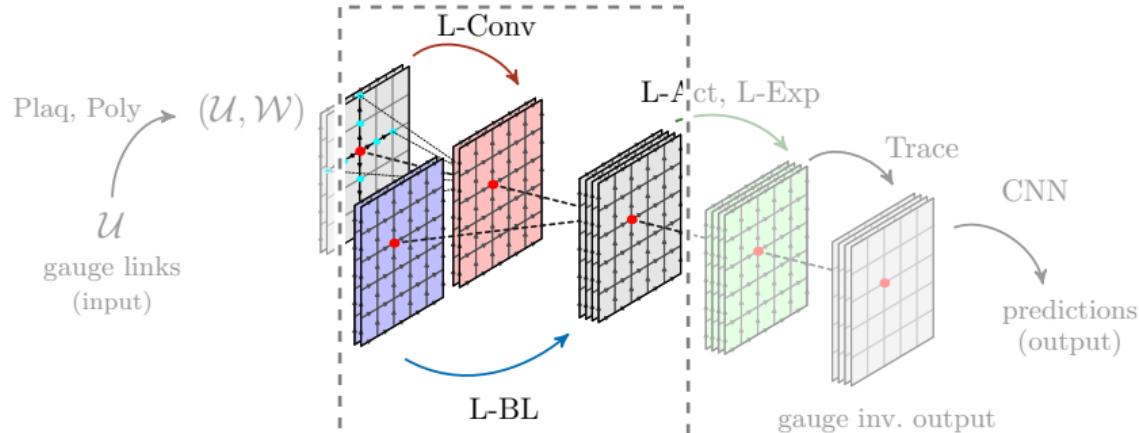
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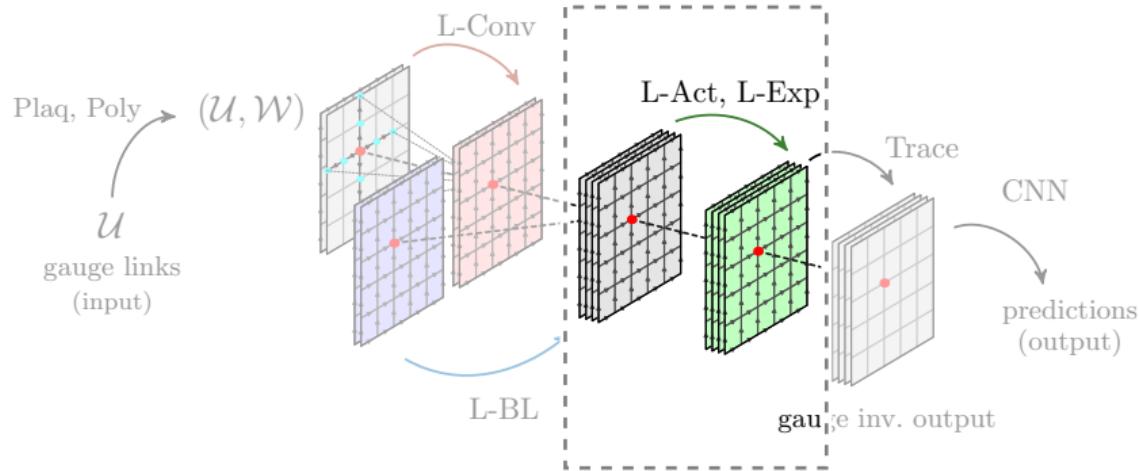
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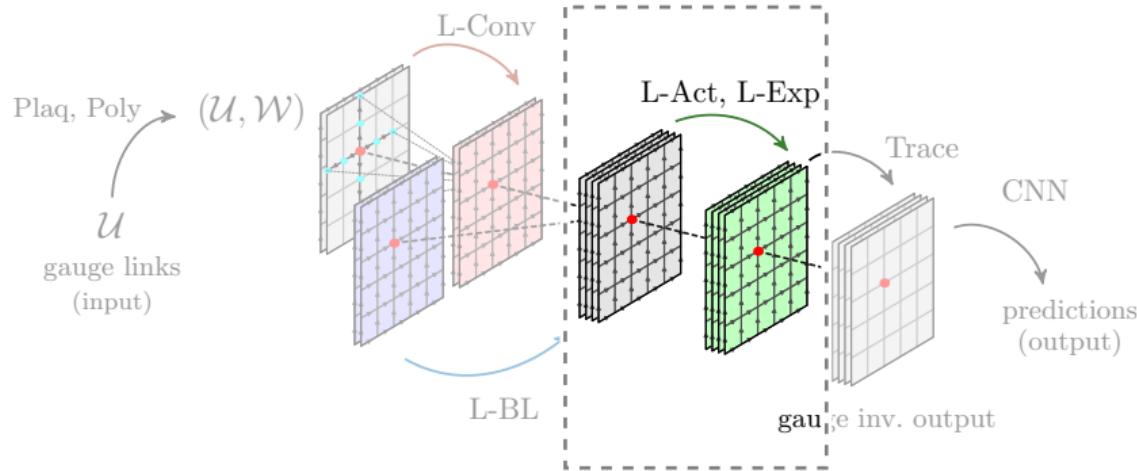
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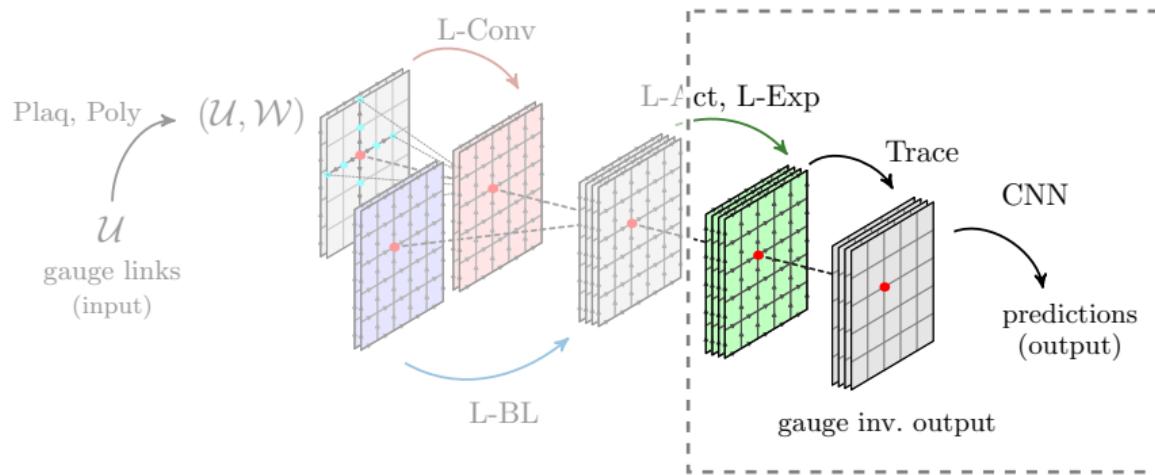
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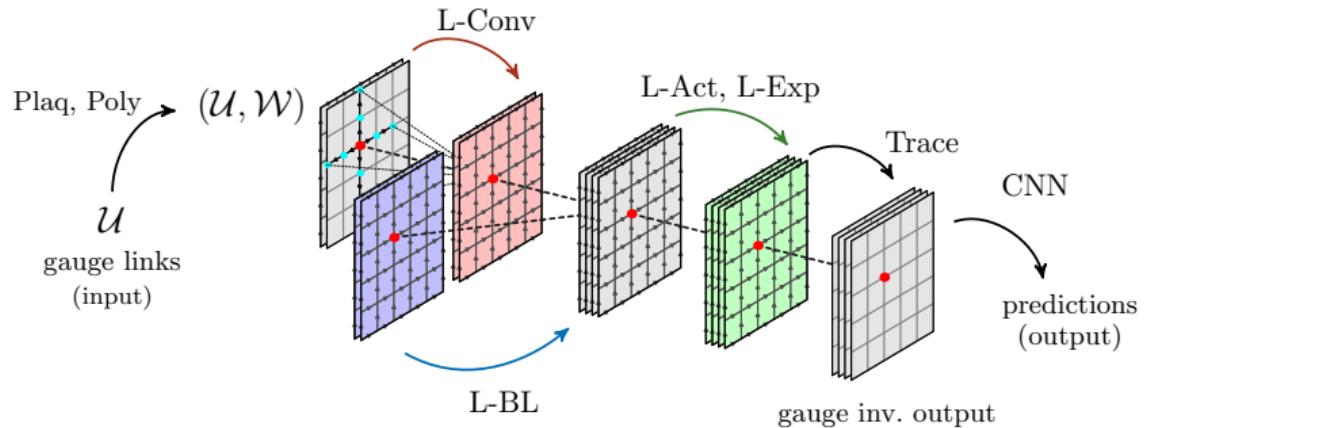
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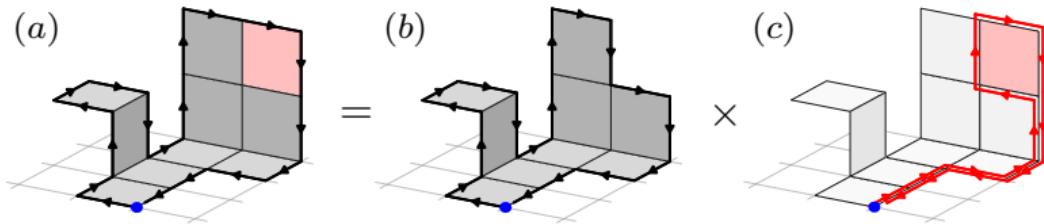
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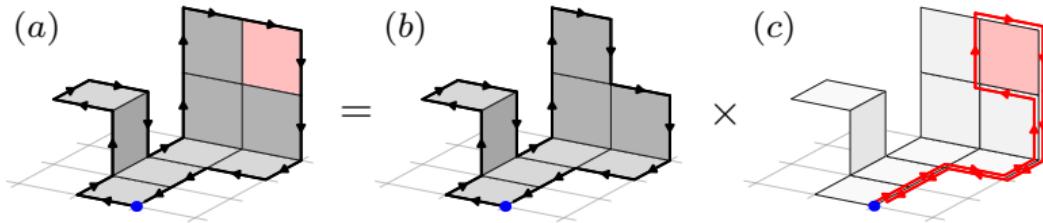
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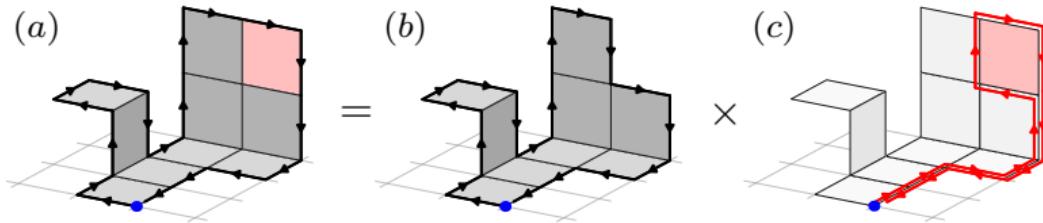
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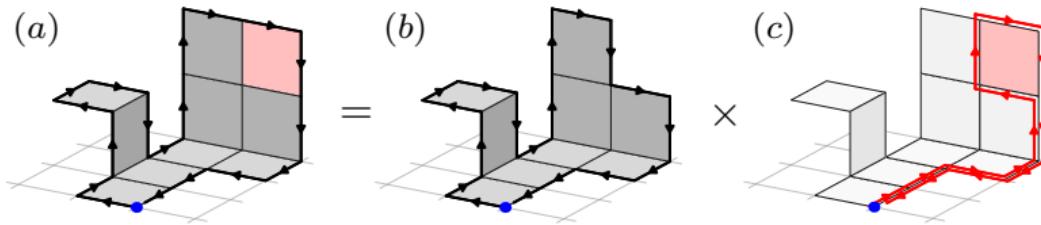
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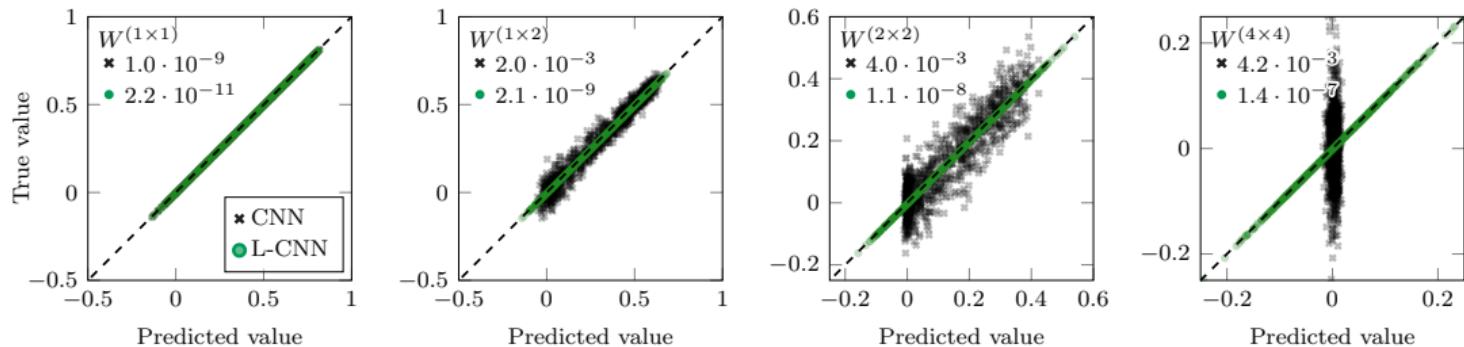
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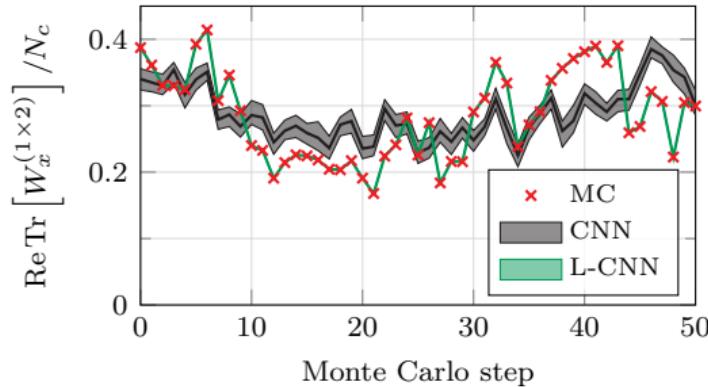


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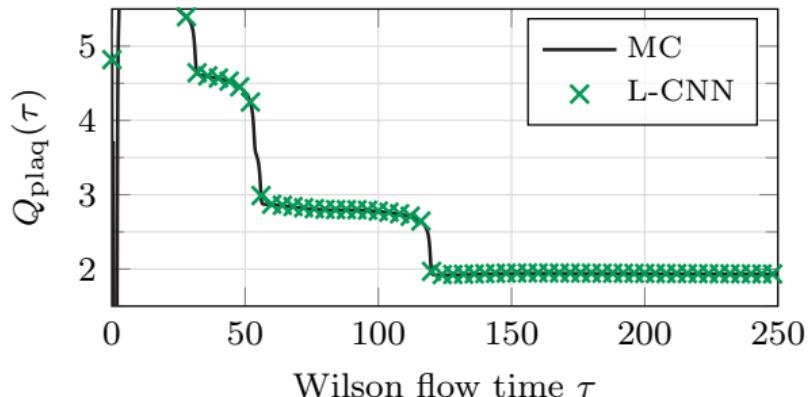
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- ▶ L-CNNs are **invariant by construction** (and more accurate)

Benchmarks and testing IV

L-CNNs also work in higher dimensions!



Plot: L-CNN predictions vs. true values (MC) for Q_{plaq} on a 8×24^3 configuration

- ▶ L-CNN model for topological charge prediction
- ▶ Trained on MC configurations
- ▶ Tested on “cooled” configurations (Wilson flow)

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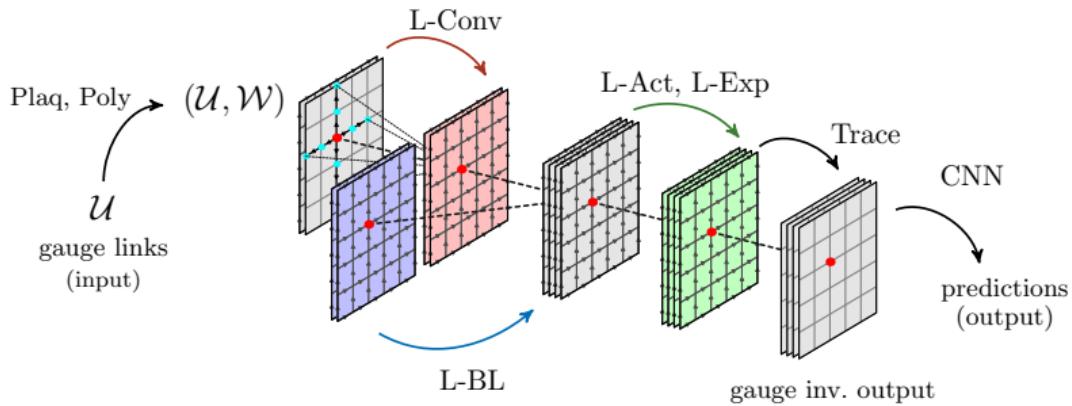
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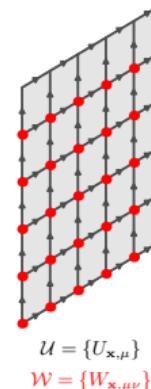
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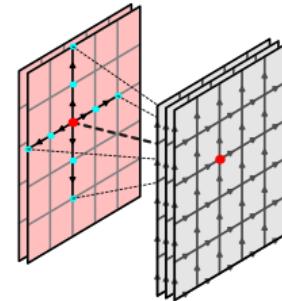


Lattice gauge equivariant convolutions (**L-Conv**)

- ▶ Similar to CNN layers: **compact kernels, weight sharing**
- ▶ **Parallel transport** of data \mathcal{W} to common point using \mathcal{U}
- ▶ Path (in)dependence, implementation for D dimensions

$$\textbf{L-Conv} : W'_{x,i} = \sum_{j,\mu,k} \omega_{i,j,\mu,k} U_{x,k\cdot\mu} W_{x+k\cdot\mu,j} U_{x,k\cdot\mu}^\dagger$$

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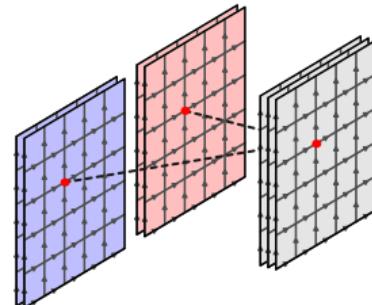
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Equivariant bilinear layers (**L-BL**):

- ▶ Multiplication of \mathcal{W} 's at same lattice point is equivariant

$$\mathbf{L\text{-}BL} : W''_{\mathbf{x},i} = \sum_{j,k} \alpha_{ijk} W_{\mathbf{x},j} W'_{\mathbf{x},k}$$

- ▶ Bilinear layers: $(\mathcal{U}, \mathcal{W}) \times (\mathcal{U}, \mathcal{W}') \rightarrow (\mathcal{U}, \mathcal{W}'')$

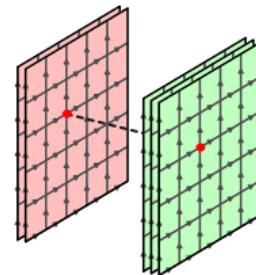


Gauge equivariant activation functions (**L-Act**):

- ▶ Multiplication of \mathcal{W} with gauge invariant scalar functions a

$$\mathbf{L\text{-}Act} : W'_{\mathbf{x}} = a(\text{Tr} W_{\mathbf{x}}) W_{\mathbf{x}}$$

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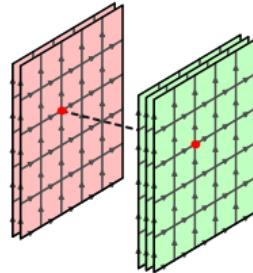
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- ▶ Multiplication of \mathcal{U} with locally transforming $SU(N_c)$

$$U'_{\mathbf{x},\mu} = \exp \left(i \sum_i \beta_{\mu,i} [W_{\mathbf{x},i}]_{\text{ah}} \right) U_{\mathbf{x},\mu}$$

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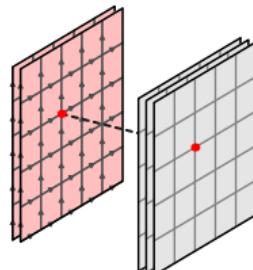


Generate gauge invariant output (**Trace**)

- ▶ Compute traces of \mathcal{W} 's: **gauge invariant complex numbers**

$$\mathbf{Trace} : w_{\mathbf{x},i} = \text{Tr } W_{\mathbf{x},i} \in \mathbb{C}$$

- ▶ No trainable parameters ("postprocessing")
- ▶ Gauge invariant output can be passed to traditional CNN



L-CNN and CNN architectures

Baseline CNNs for 1×1 and 1×2 loops

- ▶ Various input data: \mathcal{U} , $\mathcal{U}+\mathcal{W}$, $\mathcal{U}+\mathcal{W}+\mathcal{W}^\dagger$ (later just $\mathcal{U}+\mathcal{W}+\mathcal{W}^\dagger$)
- ▶ Activation functions: *ReLU*, *LeakyReLU*, *tanh*, *sigmoid*
- ▶ Architecture sizes: “small”, “medium”, “large”, “wide”

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$N_{\text{param}}^{(U)}$	341	353	273
$N_{\text{param}}^{(U,W)}$	469	481	337
$N_{\text{param}}^{(U,W,W^\dagger)}$	597	609	401

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	C2D(2, 8, 8)	-	-
	GAP	GAP	GAP
	<i>Linear</i> (8, 4)	<i>Linear</i> (8, 4)	<i>Linear</i> (8, 4)
	<i>Linear</i> (4, 1)	<i>Linear</i> (4, 1)	<i>Linear</i> (4, 1)
$N_{\text{param}}^{(U)}$	1089	825	757
$N_{\text{param}}^{(U,W)}$	1345	1081	1045
$N_{\text{param}}^{(U,W,W^\dagger)}$	1601	1337	1333

Large	Architecture 1	Architecture 2	Architecture 3
	C2D(2, N_{in} , 16)	C2D(3, N_{in} , 16)	C2D(3, N_{in} , 16)
	C2D(2, 16, 16)	C2D(3, 16, 8)	C2D(1, 16, 8)
	C2D(2, 16, 16)	-	C2D(3, 8, 16)
	GAP	GAP	GAP
	<i>Linear</i> (16, 8)	<i>Linear</i> (8, 8)	<i>Linear</i> (16, 8)
	<i>Linear</i> (8, 1)	<i>Linear</i> (8, 1)	<i>Linear</i> (8, 1)
$N_{\text{param}}^{(U)}$	3265	3561	3769
$N_{\text{param}}^{(U,W)}$	3777	4713	4921
$N_{\text{param}}^{(U,W,W^\dagger)}$	4289	5865	6073

Wide	Architecture 1	Architecture 2	Architecture 3
	C2D(2, N_{in} , 128)	C2D(2, N_{in} , 256)	C2D(2, N_{in} , 512)
	-	C2D(3, 256, 32)	-
	GAP	GAP	GAP
	<i>Linear</i> (128, 1)	<i>Linear</i> (32, 1)	<i>Linear</i> (512, 64)
	-	-	<i>Linear</i> (64, 1)
$N_{\text{param}}^{(U)}$	8449	90433	66177
$N_{\text{param}}^{(U,W)}$	12545	98625	82561
$N_{\text{param}}^{(U,W,W^\dagger)}$	16641	106817	98945

Figure: CNN architectures for 1×1 and 1×2 loops in 2D

Baseline CNNs for 2×2 and 4×4 loops

$W^{(2 \times 2)}$				
	Architecture 1	Architecture 2	Architecture 3	
Small	C2D(2, 32, 4) C2D(2, 4, 4) GAP <i>Linear</i> (4, 4) <i>Linear</i> (4, 1)	C2D(2, 32, 2) C2D(1, 2, 4) GAP <i>Linear</i> (4, 1)	C2D(2, 32, 4) C2D(2, 4, 2) GAP <i>Linear</i> (2, 1)	
N_{param}	609	275	553	
Medium	Architecture 1	Architecture 2	Architecture 3	
	C2D(2, 32, 4) C2D(2, 4, 8) C2D(2, 8, 8) C2D(2, 8, 8) GAP <i>Linear</i> (8, 16) <i>Linear</i> (16, 1)	C2D(2, 32, 8) C2D(2, 8, 8) C2D(2, 8, 8) C2D(2, 8, 8) GAP <i>Linear</i> (8, 8) <i>Linear</i> (8, 1)	C2D(3, 32, 4) C2D(2, 4, 8) C2D(3, 8, 8) C2D(2, 8, 8) GAP <i>Linear</i> (8, 4) <i>Linear</i> (4, 1)	
N_{param}	1341	1905	2181	
Large	Architecture 1	Architecture 2	Architecture 3	
	C2D(2, 32, 8) C2D(2, 8, 16) C2D(2, 16, 32) C2D(2, 32, 64) - GAP <i>Linear</i> (64, 16) <i>Linear</i> (16, 1)	C2D(2, 32, 8) C2D(2, 8, 16) C2D(2, 16, 32) C2D(2, 32, 64) C2D(2, 64, 32) GAP <i>Linear</i> (32, 8) <i>Linear</i> (8, 1)	C2D(3, 32, 8) C2D(3, 8, 16) C2D(3, 16, 32) C2D(3, 32, 16) - GAP <i>Linear</i> (16, 8) <i>Linear</i> (8, 1)	
N_{param}	12953	20393	12889	

$W^{(4 \times 4)}$				
	Architecture 1	Architecture 2	Architecture 3	
Small	C2D(2, 32, 4) C2D(2, 4, 4) GAP <i>Linear</i> (4, 4) <i>Linear</i> (4, 1)	C2D(2, 32, 4) C2D(1, 4, 8) GAP <i>Linear</i> (8, 4) <i>Linear</i> (4, 1)	C2D(2, 32, 4) C2D(2, 4, 2) GAP <i>Linear</i> (2, 1) -	
N_{param}	609	597	553	
Medium	Architecture 1	Architecture 2	Architecture 3	
	C2D(3, 32, 16) C2D(1, 16, 8) C2D(3, 8, 16) - - GAP <i>Linear</i> (16, 8) <i>Linear</i> (8, 1)	C2D(2, 32, 16) C2D(2, 16, 24) C2D(2, 24, 16) - - GAP <i>Linear</i> (16, 8) <i>Linear</i> (8, 1)	C2D(3, 32, 8) C2D(2, 8, 16) C2D(1, 16, 32) C2D(2, 32, 16) C2D(2, 16, 8) GAP <i>Linear</i> (8, 8) <i>Linear</i> (8, 1)	
N_{param}	6073	5321	6049	
Large	Architecture 1	Architecture 2	Architecture 3	
	C2D(3, 32, 16) C2D(3, 16, 32) C2D(3, 32, 64) C2D(3, 64, 32) - - GAP <i>Linear</i> (32, 16) <i>Linear</i> (16, 1)	C2D(2, 32, 16) C2D(2, 16, 32) C2D(2, 32, 64) C2D(2, 64, 64) C2D(2, 64, 32) C2D(2, 32, 16) GAP <i>Linear</i> (16, 16) <i>Linear</i> (16, 8)	C2D(4, 32, 16) C2D(4, 16, 32) C2D(4, 32, 32) C2D(4, 32, 16) - - GAP <i>Linear</i> (16, 8) <i>Linear</i> (8, 8)	
N_{param}	46769	39553	41273	

Figure: CNN architectures for 2×2 and 4×4 loops in 2D

L-CNNs for 1×2 , 2×2 and 4×4 in 2D

$W^{(1 \times 2)}$			
	Small	Medium	Large
	$L\text{-}CBL(2, 1, 2)$	$L\text{-}CBL(3, 1, 4)$	$L\text{-}CBL(4, 1, 8)$
	$Trace$	$Trace$	$Trace$
	$Linear(4, 1)$	$Linear(8, 1)$	$Linear(16, 1)$
N_{param}	35	117	329
$W^{(2 \times 2)}$			
	Small	Medium	Large
	$L\text{-}CBL(2, 1, 2)$	$L\text{-}CBL(3, 1, 4)$	$L\text{-}CBL(4, 1, 8)$
	$L\text{-}CBL(2, 2, 2)$	$L\text{-}CBL(3, 4, 4)$	$L\text{-}CBL(4, 8, 8)$
	$Trace$	$Trace$	$Trace$
	$Linear(4, 1)$	$Linear(8, 1)$	$Linear(16, 1)$
N_{param}	125	1305	13521
$W^{(4 \times 4)}$			
	Small	Medium	Large
	$L\text{-}CBL(2, 1, 2)$	$L\text{-}CBL(3, 1, 4)$	$L\text{-}CBL(4, 1, 8)$
	$L\text{-}CBL(2, 2, 2)$	$L\text{-}CBL(3, 4, 4)$	$L\text{-}CBL(4, 8, 8)$
	$L\text{-}CBL(3, 2, 2)$	$L\text{-}CBL(4, 4, 4)$	$L\text{-}CBL(4, 8, 8)$
	$L\text{-}CBL(3, 2, 2)$	$L\text{-}CBL(4, 4, 4)$	$L\text{-}CBL(4, 8, 8)$
	$Trace$	$Trace$	$Trace$
	$Linear(4, 1)$	$Linear(8, 1)$	$Linear(16, 1)$
N_{param}	465	4833	39905

Figure: L-CNN architectures for Wilson loops in 2D

L-CNNs for 2×2 , 4×4 and Q_{plaq} in 4D

$W^{(2 \times 2)}$		
	Small	Medium
	$L\text{-}CBL(2, 6, 2)$	$L\text{-}CBL(3, 6, 4)$
	$L\text{-}CBL(2, 2, 2)$	$L\text{-}CBL(3, 4, 4)$
	$Trace$	$Trace$
	$Linear(4, 1)$	$Linear(8, 1)$
N_{param}	1801	8305
$W^{(4 \times 4)}$		
	Small	Medium
	$L\text{-}CBL(2, 6, 2)$	$L\text{-}CBL(3, 6, 4)$
	$L\text{-}CBL(2, 2, 2)$	$L\text{-}CBL(3, 4, 4)$
	$L\text{-}CBL(3, 2, 2)$	$L\text{-}CBL(4, 4, 4)$
	$L\text{-}CBL(3, 2, 2)$	$L\text{-}CBL(4, 4, 4)$
	$Trace$	$Trace$
	$Linear(4, 1)$	$Linear(8, 1)$
N_{param}	2109	14377
q^{plaq}		
	Small	
	$L\text{-}CBL(2, 6, 4)$	
	$Trace$	
	$Linear(8, 1)$	
N_{param}	3181	

Figure: L-CNN architectures for Wilson loops in 4D