

Convolutional Neural Network for Identifying Effective Seismic Force at a Domain Reduction Method Layer for Rapid Reconstruction of Shear Waves

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AGENDA

- Existing Methods and Limitations
- Problem Description
- Synthetic Data Generation
- Convolutional Neural Network
- Numerical Results
- Discussion



RESEARCH QUESTION

Is it possible to develop a highly accurate method for reconstructing seismic ground forces from sparse ground motion data that is less computationally intensive and suitable for real-time predictions?



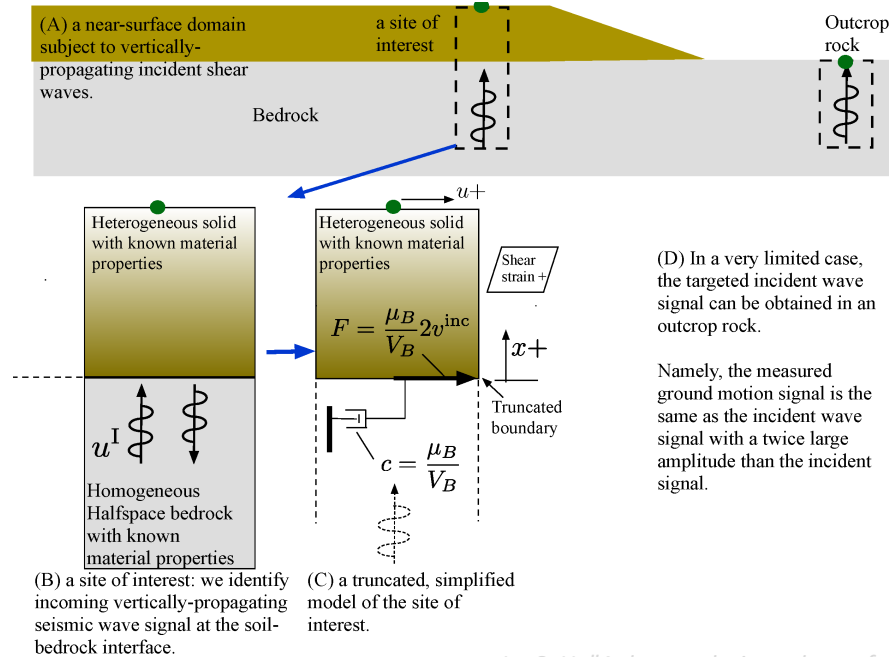
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EXISTING METHODS AND LIMITATIONS



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DECONVOLUTION

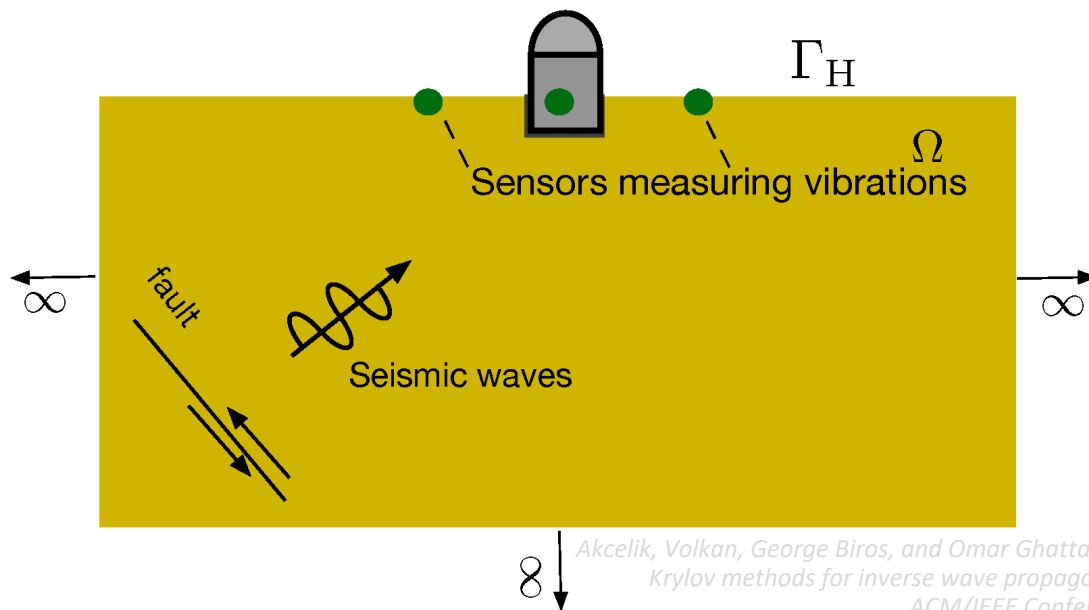


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SEISMIC SOURCE IDENTIFICATION IN A LARGE DOMAIN

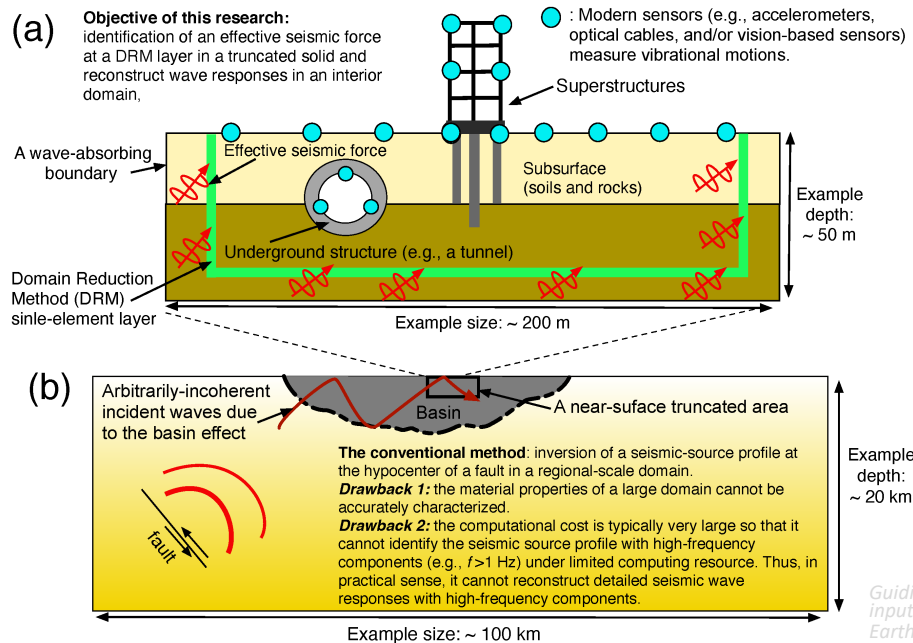


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PARTIAL DIFFERENTIAL EQUATION CONSTRAINED OPTIMIZATION



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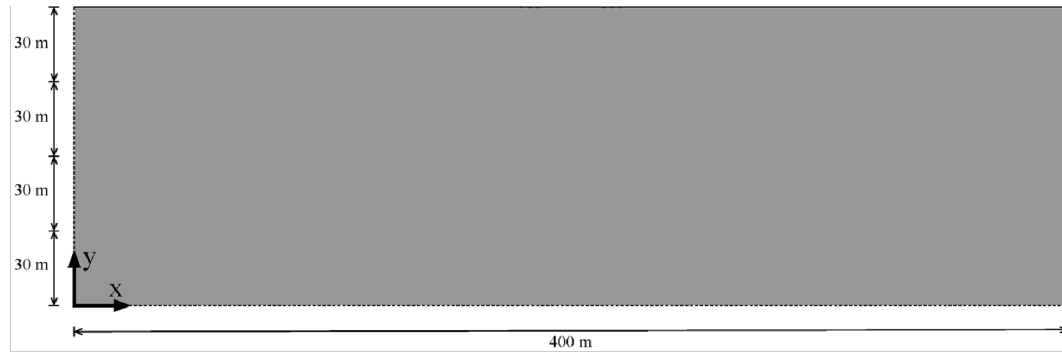
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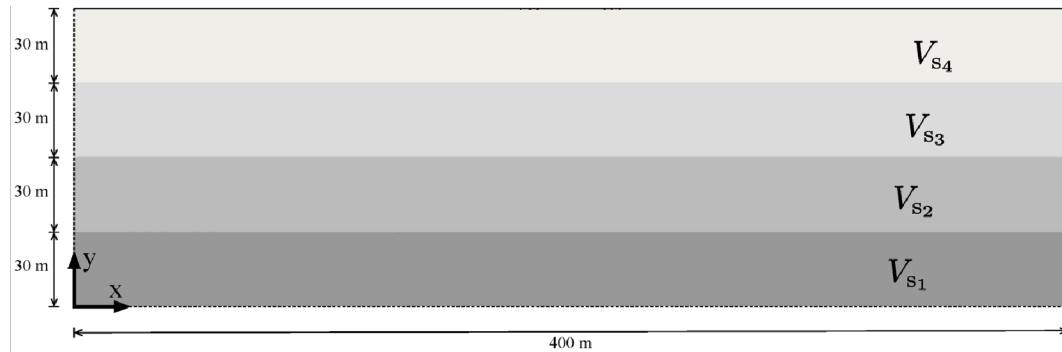


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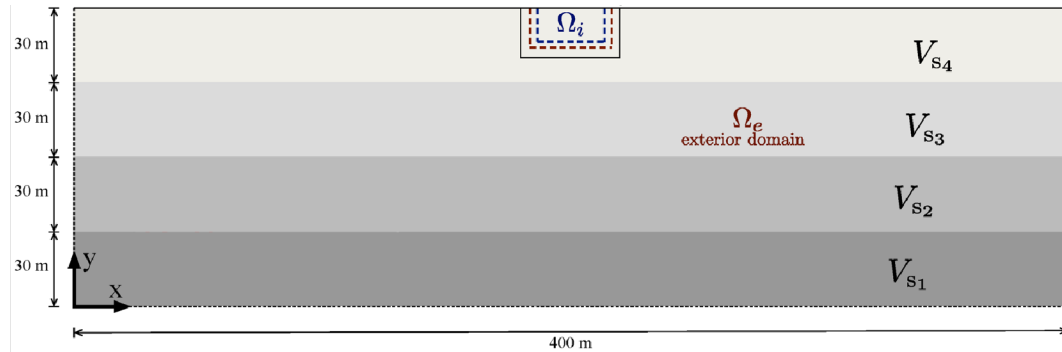
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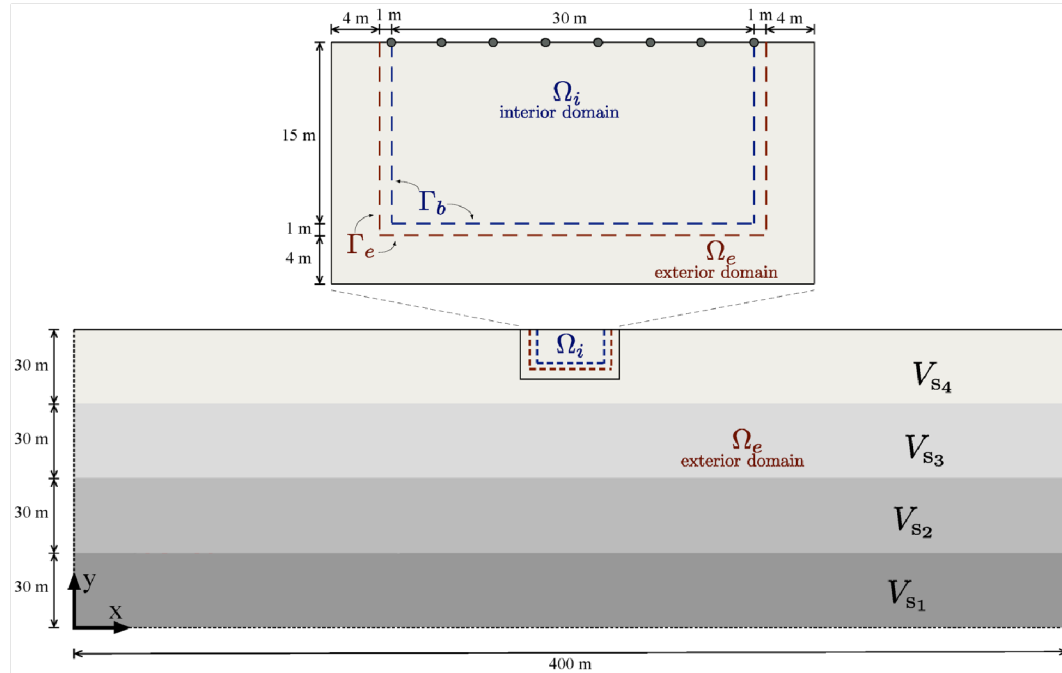
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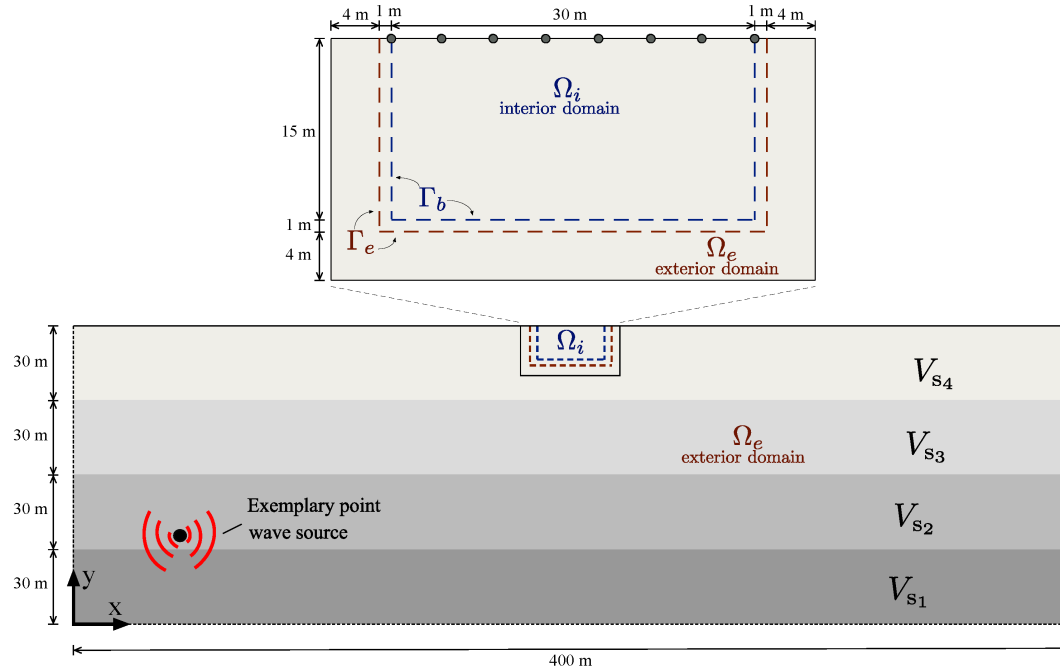


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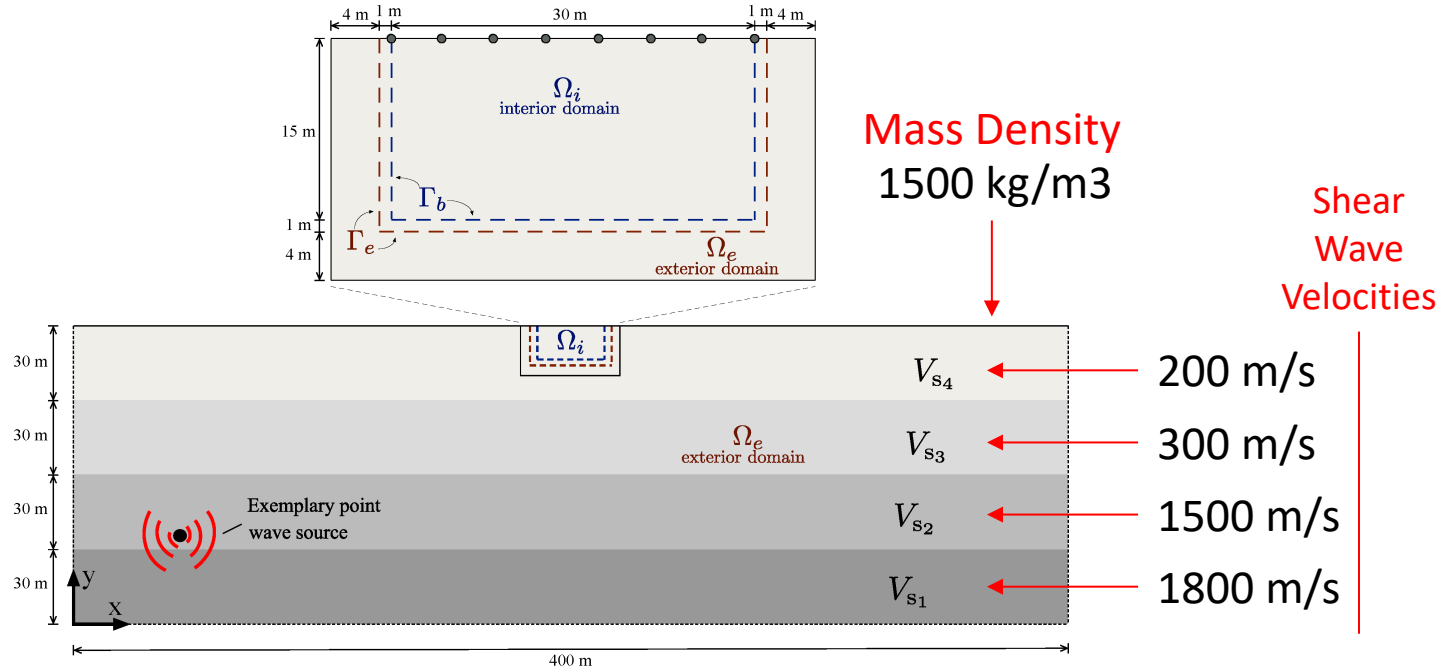
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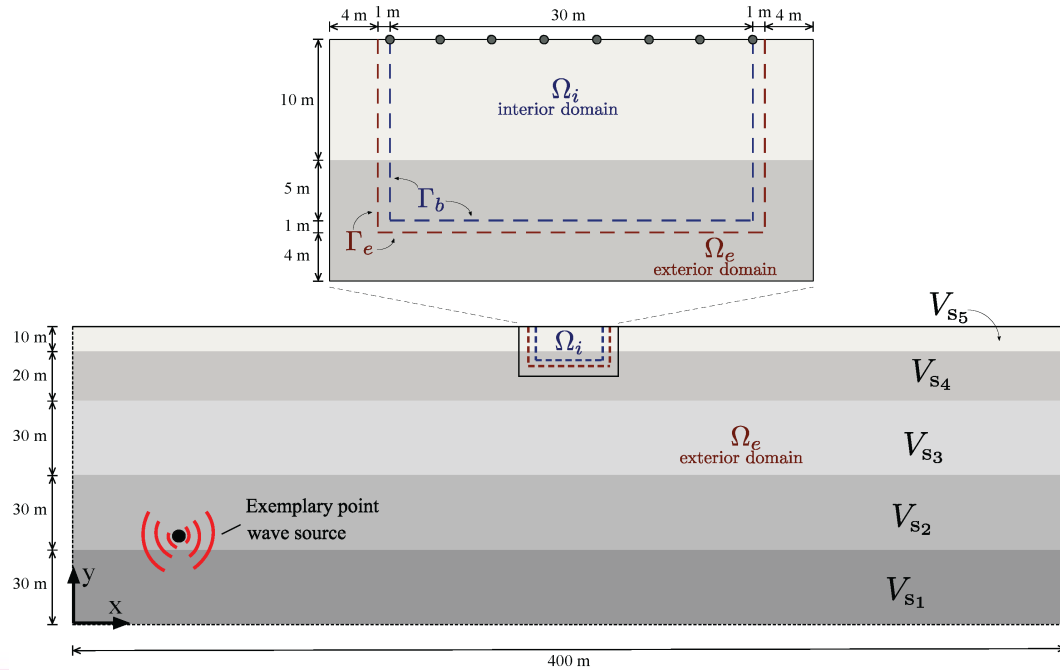
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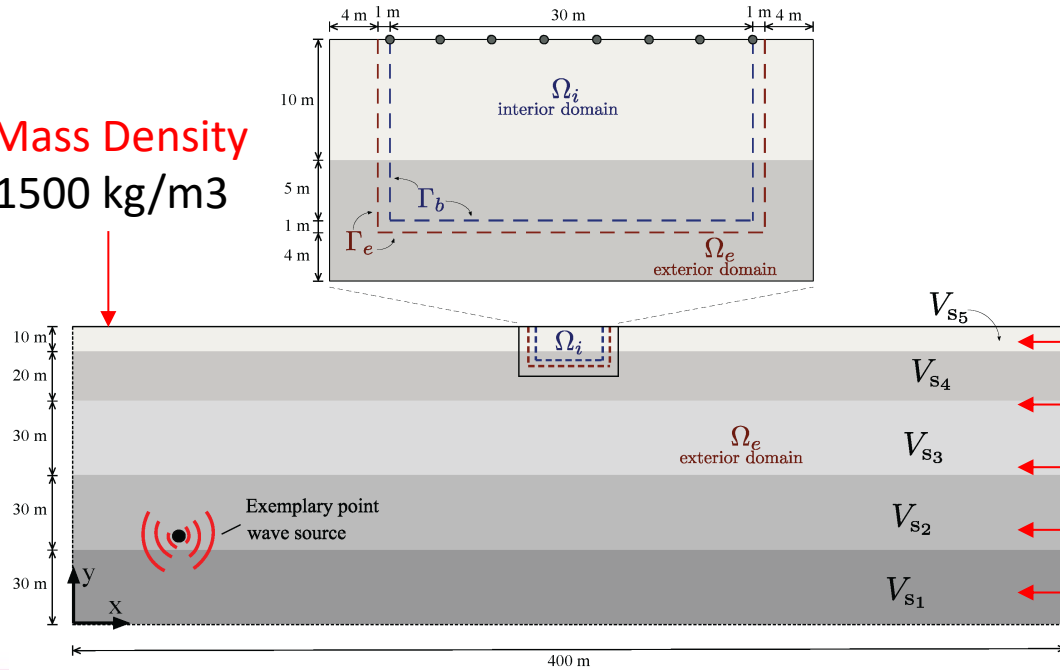
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Mass Density
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Shear
Wave
Velocities

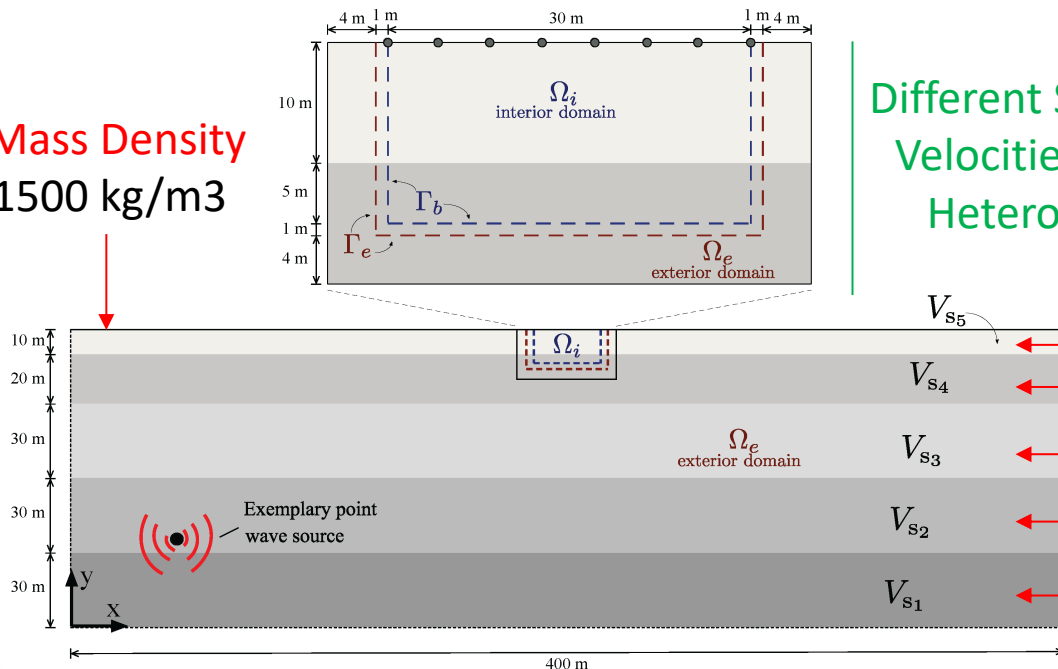


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Different Shear Wave
Velocities Makes It
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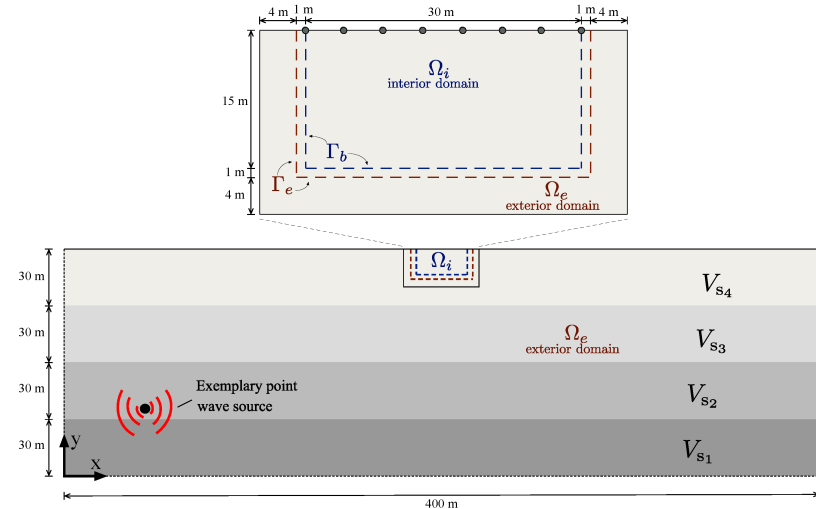
SYNTHETIC DATA GENERATION



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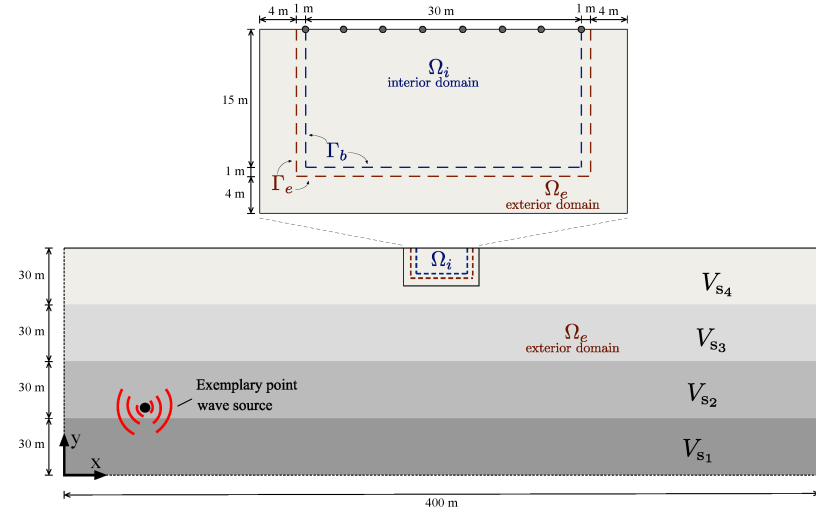
WAVE SOURCE

- Randomly chooses between 1- or 2-point wave sources (N_p)
- Randomly selects parameters for each source:
 - start time (t_p)
 - peak amplitude (A_{peak})
 - frequency (f)
 - location (x_s, y_s)



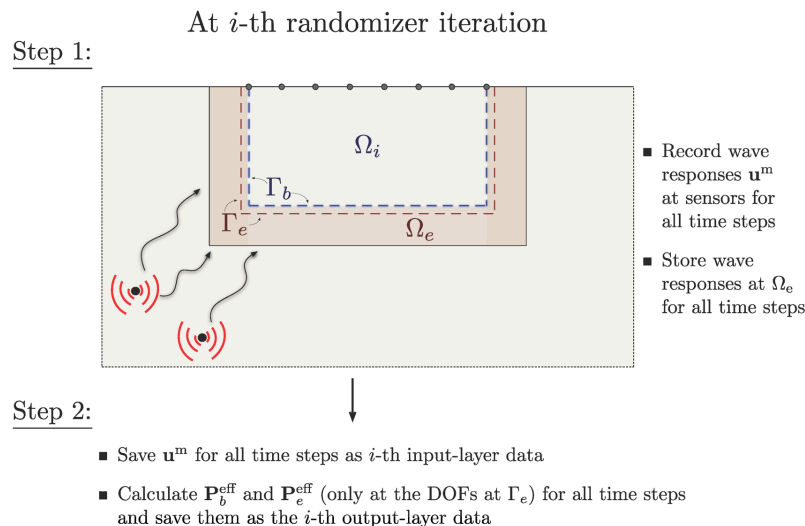
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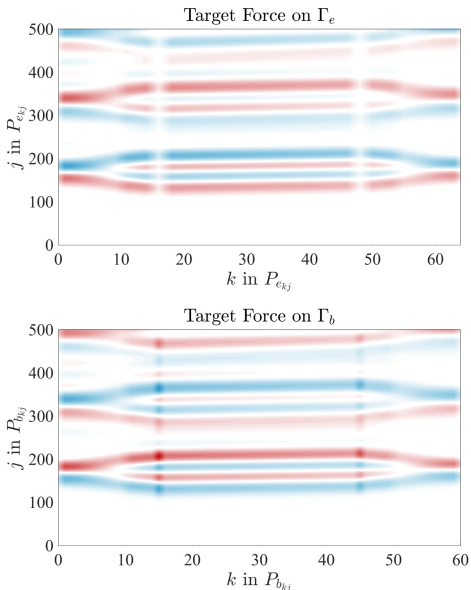


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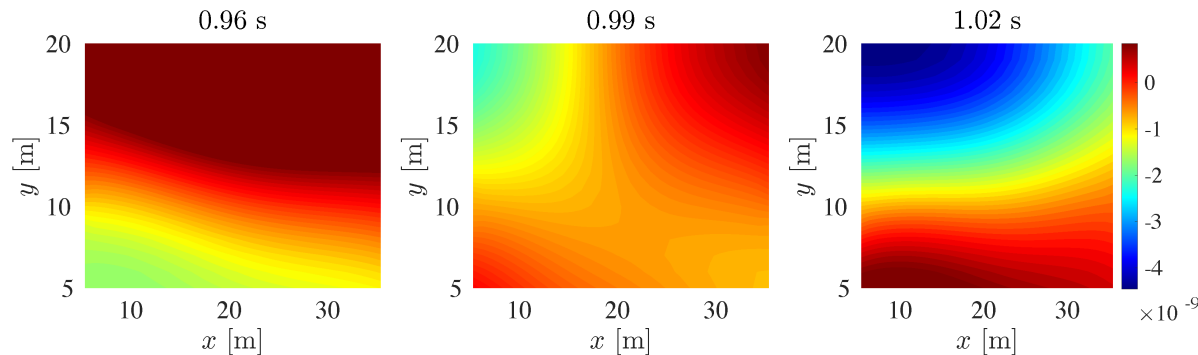
- Solves the 2D wave propagation problem in an enlarged domain using the randomly generated source parameters
- Saves displacement data at sensor locations on the surface as input-layer features
- Saves effective nodal forces on DRM layer boundaries (Γ_b and Γ_e) as output-layer features
- Repeats this process 20,000 times to generate a large dataset for training and evaluating the CNN model



FORWARD SOLVER...



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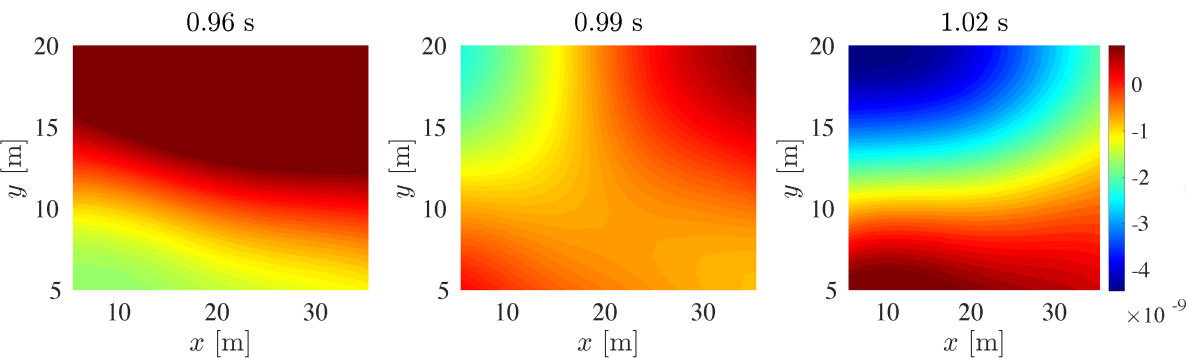


DISPLACEMENTS IN INTERIOR DOMAIN
AT THE SENSOR LOCATIONS
DUE TO THE Γ_e and Γ_b forces

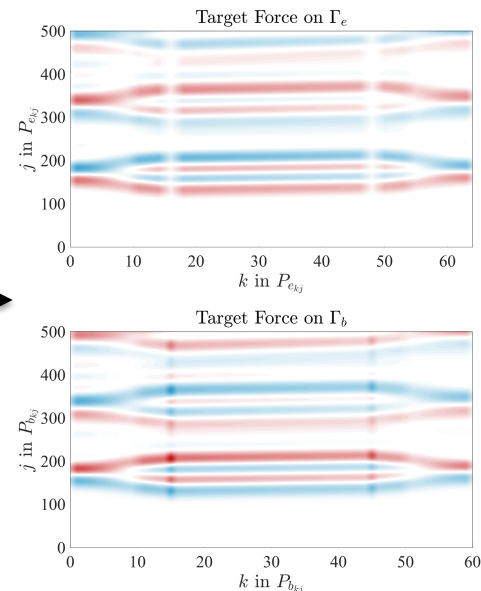


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USING MACHINE LEARNING...



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CONVOLUTIONAL NEURAL NETWORK



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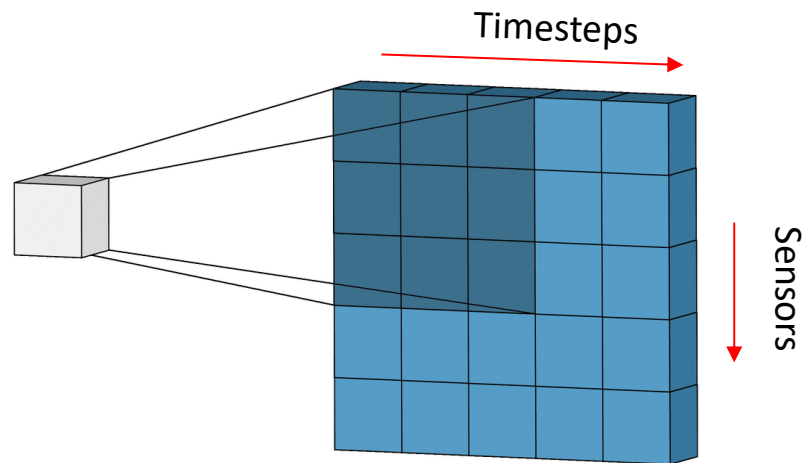
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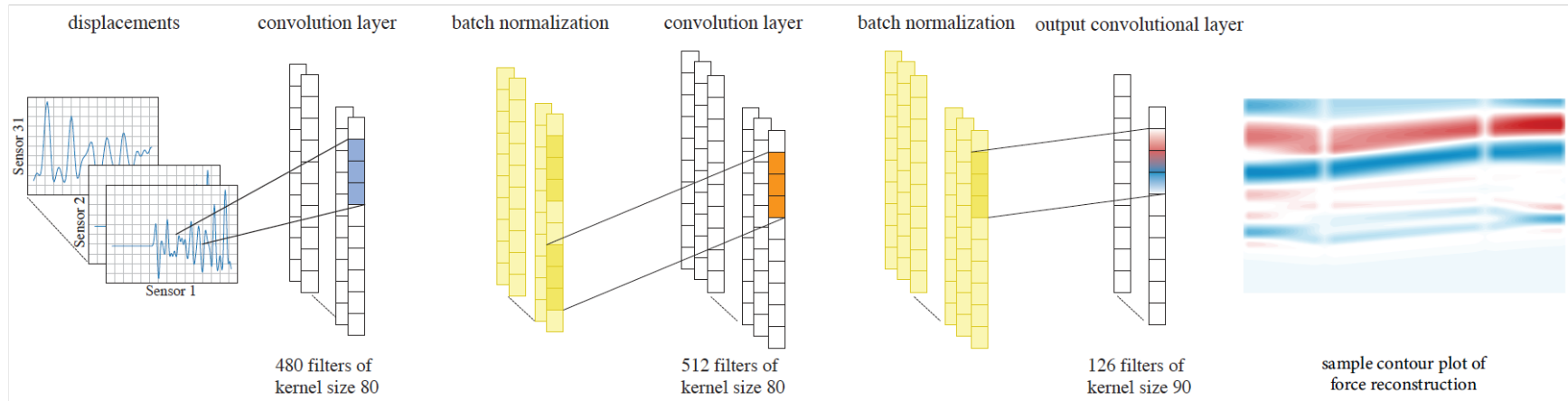


APPLICATION TO OUR DATA

- Convolution enhances spatial data capture by operating on timestep values.
- CNNs provide automatic feature extraction, strengthening their selection.
- CNNs enable superior and efficient processing with massive data sizes.



CNN ARCHITECTURE



NUMERICAL RESULTS



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ERROR METRICS

- Mean Absolute Error = $|Target - Predicted|$
- Mean Squared Error = $(Target - Predicted)^2$
- Sample Percent Error = $\left| \frac{Target - Predicted}{Target} \right| \times 100\%$



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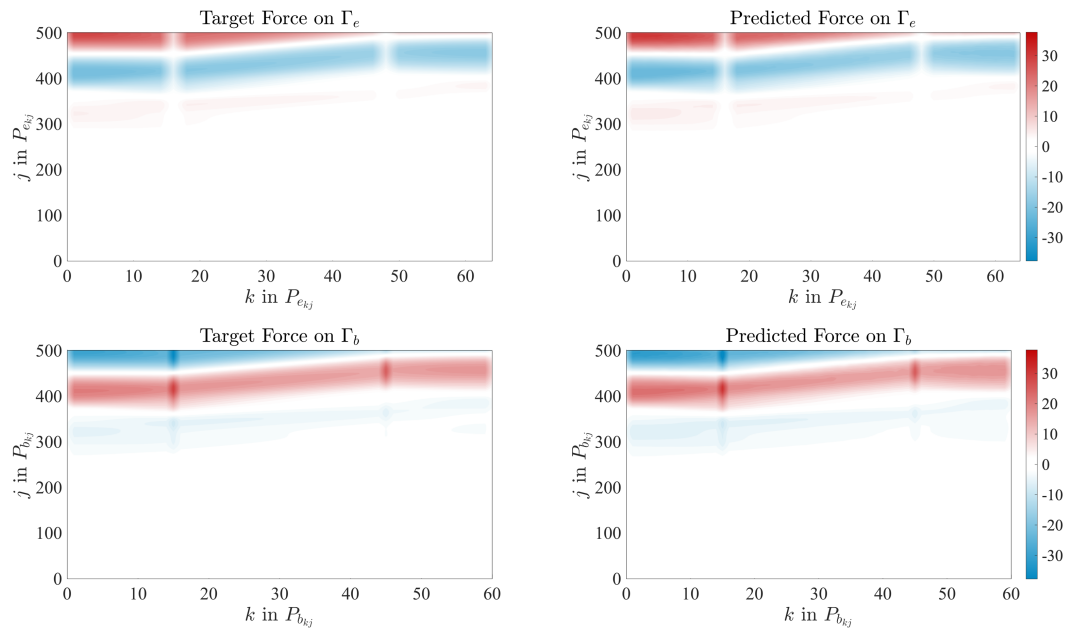


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BEST FORCE PREDICTION (0.73%)

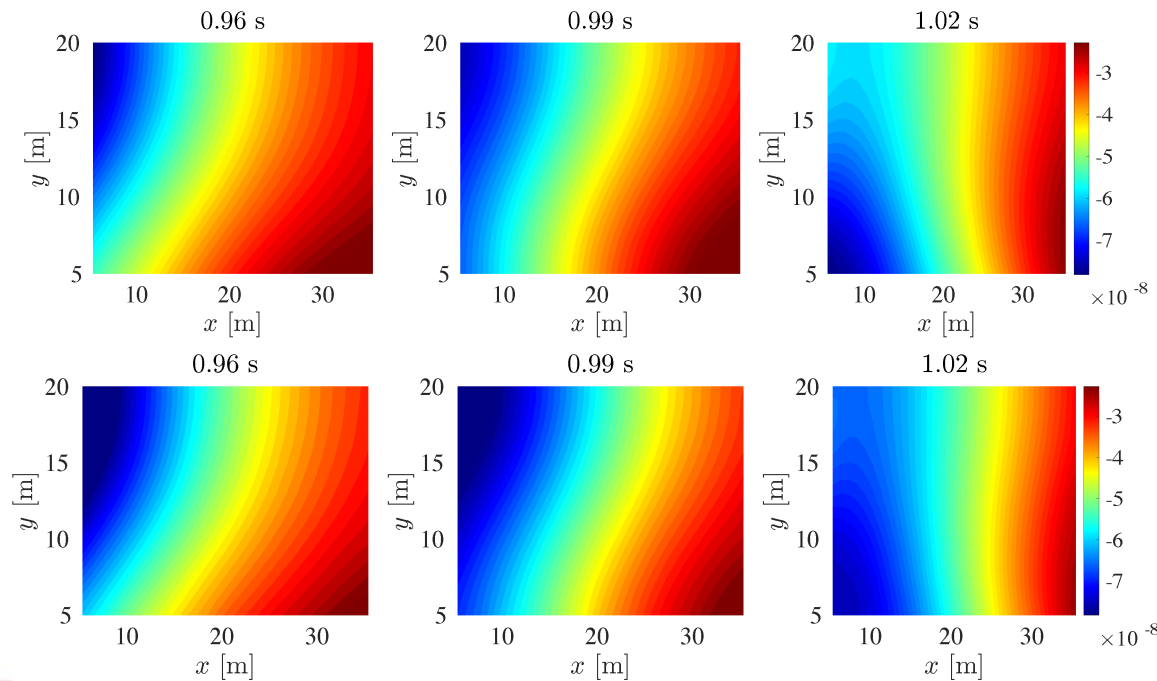


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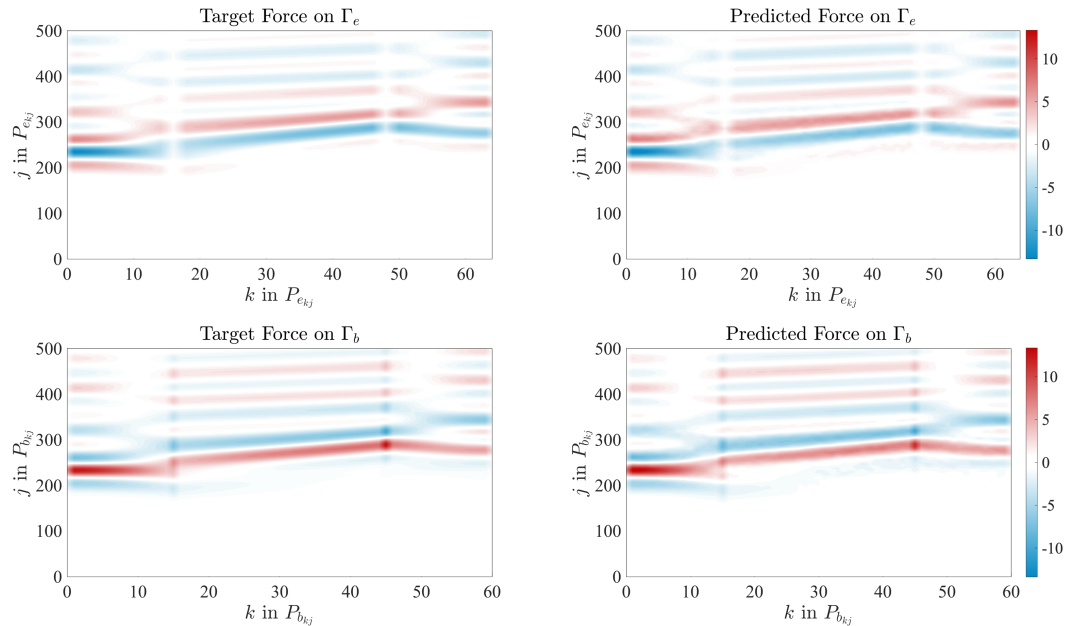
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CORRESPONDING RESPONSE PREDICTION (0.69%)



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50TH PERCENTILE FORCE PREDICTION (2.01%)

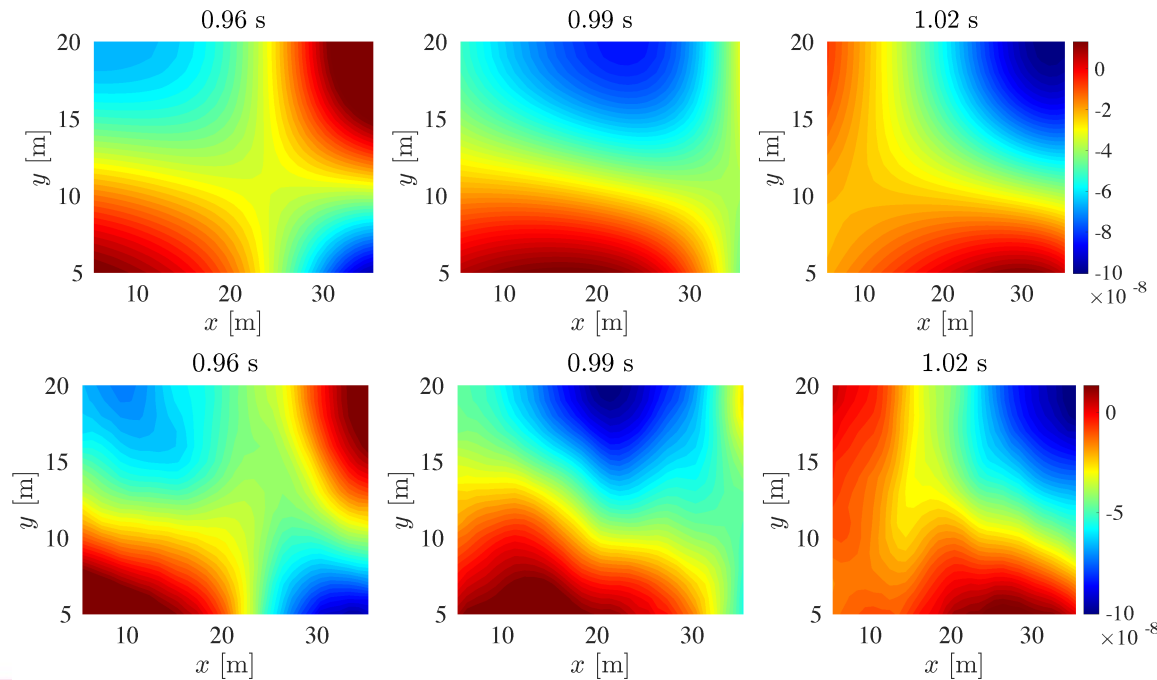


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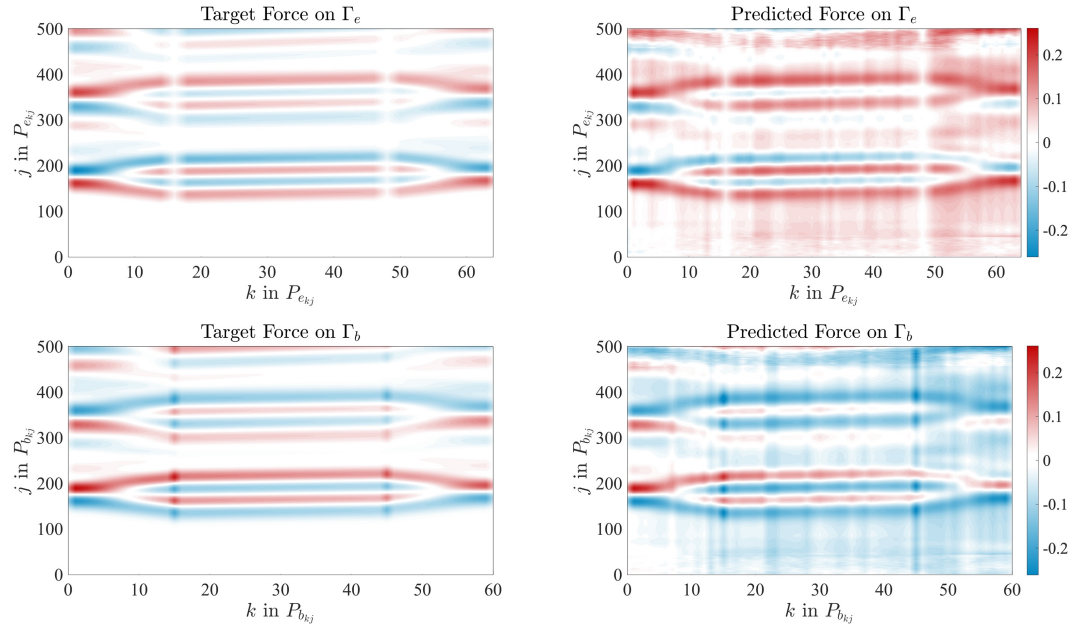
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CORRESPONDING RESPONSE PREDICTION (1.58%)



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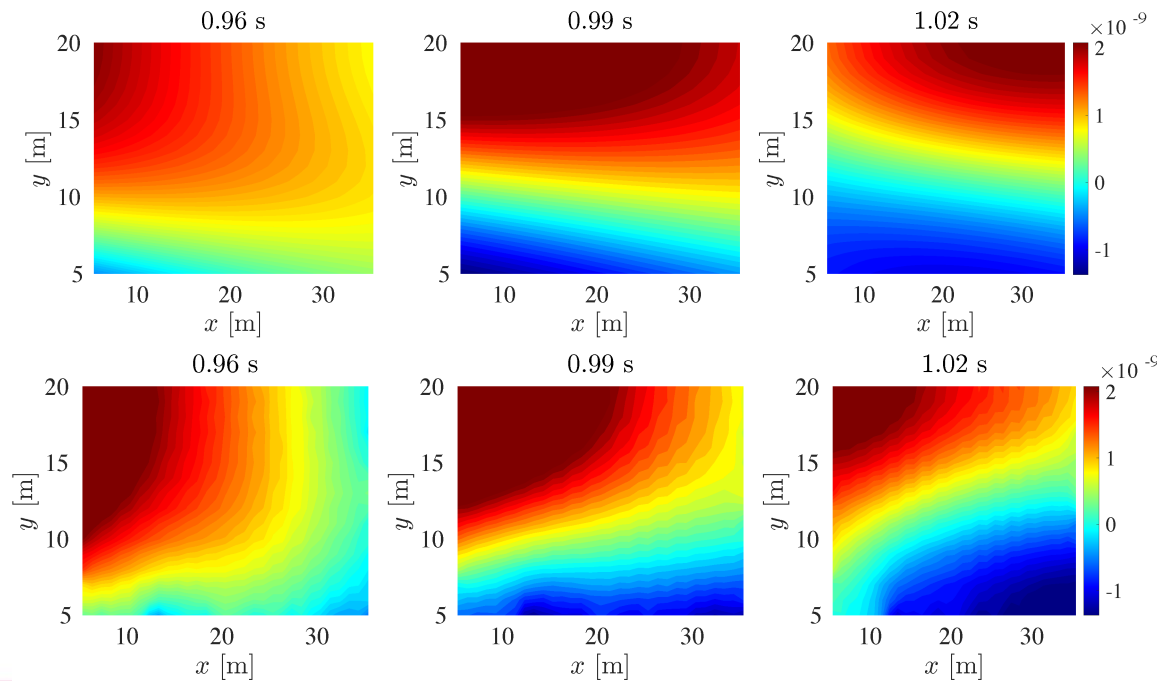
WORST FORCE PREDICTION (35.32%)



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CORRESPONDING RESPONSE PREDICTION (18.86%)



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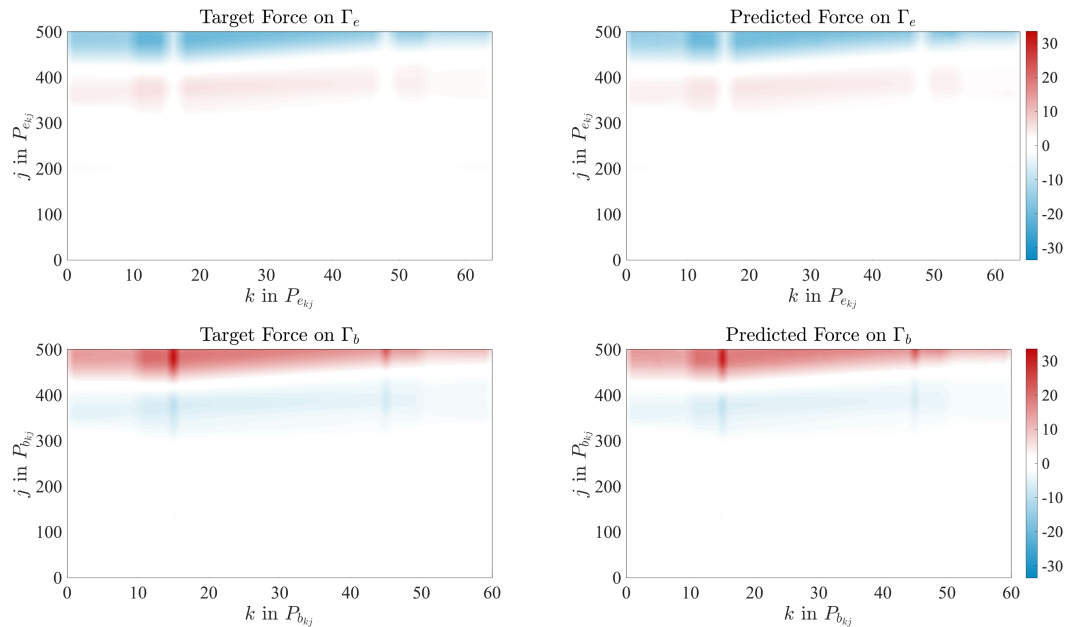


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BEST FORCE PREDICTION (0.22%)

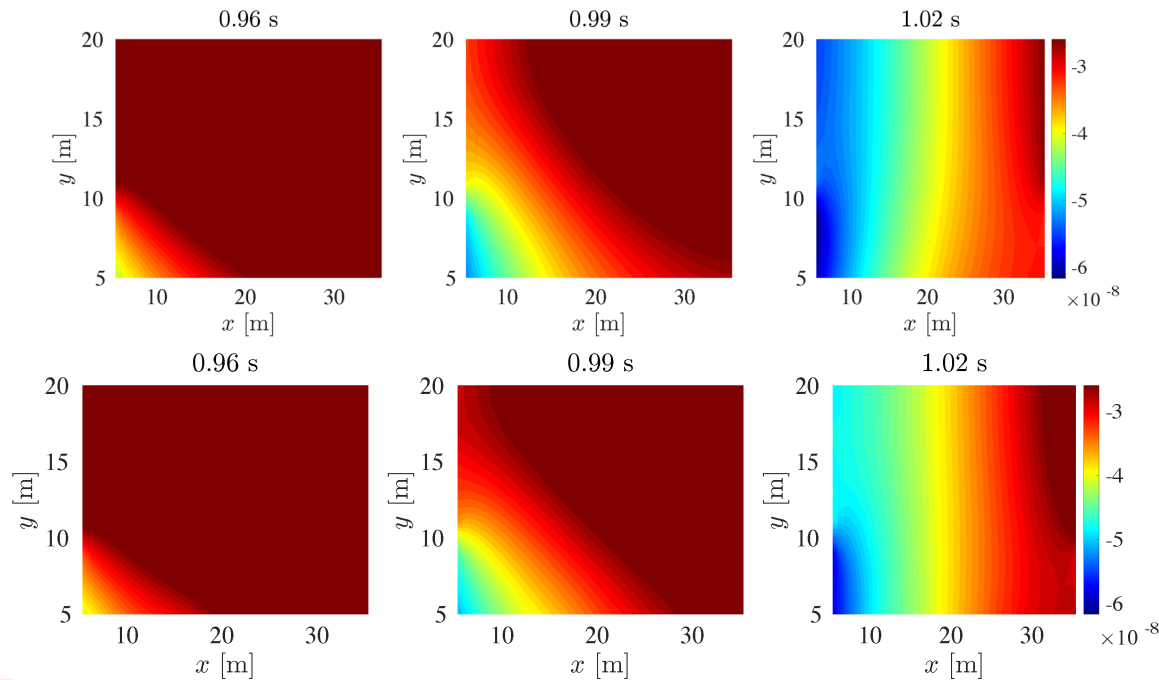


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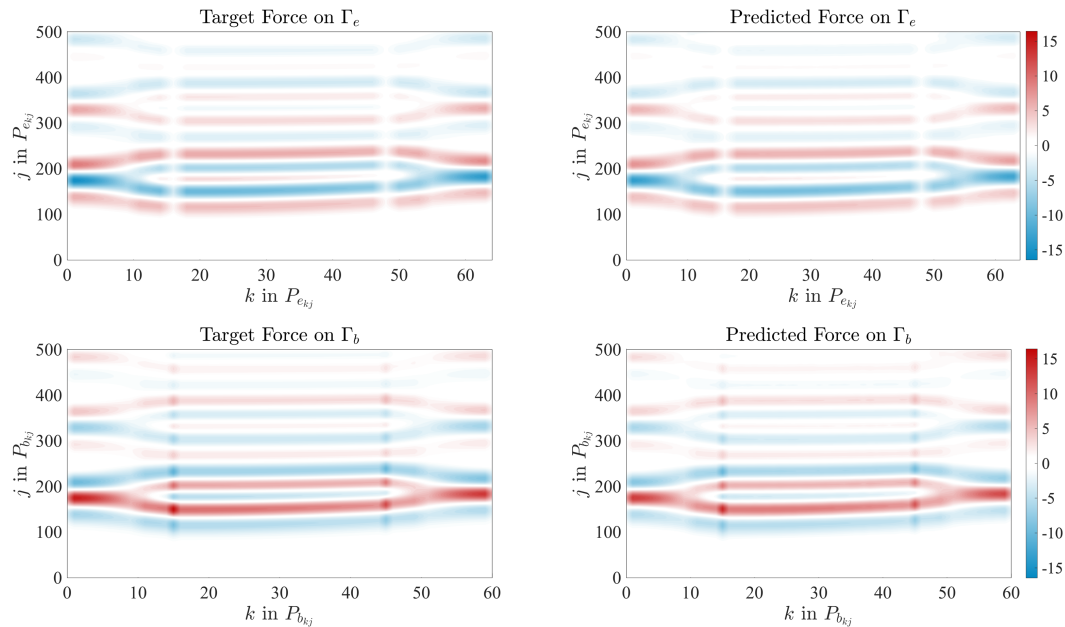
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CORRESPONDING RESPONSE PREDICTION (0.20%)



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50TH PERCENTILE FORCE PREDICTION (1.12%)



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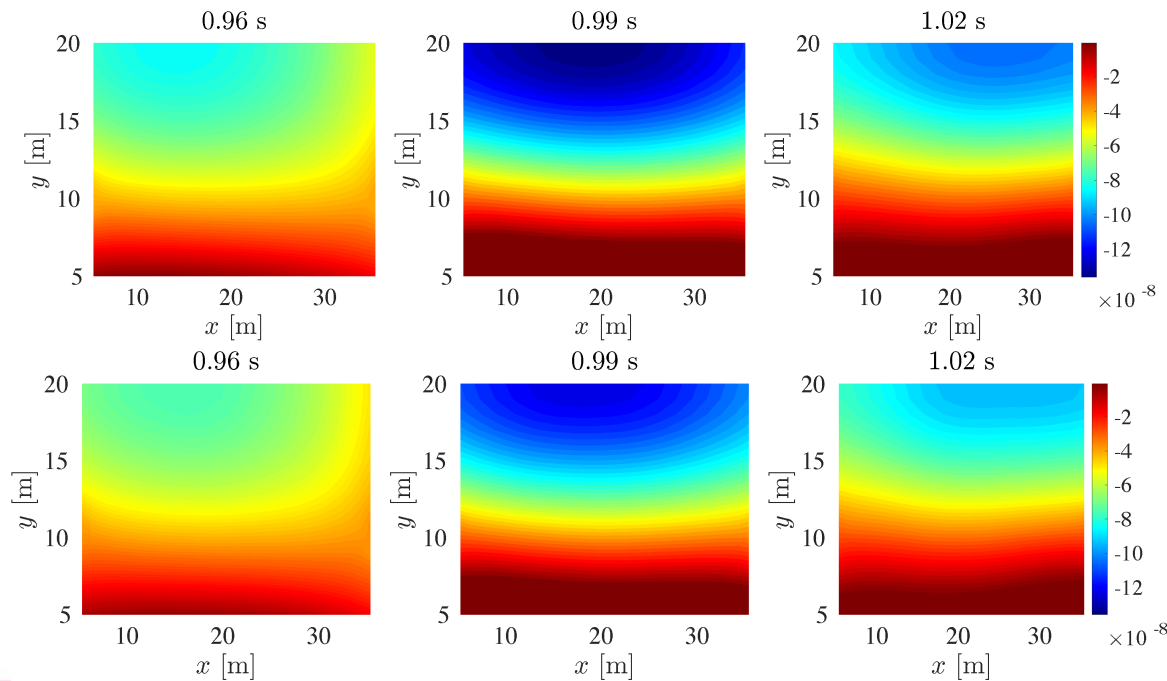


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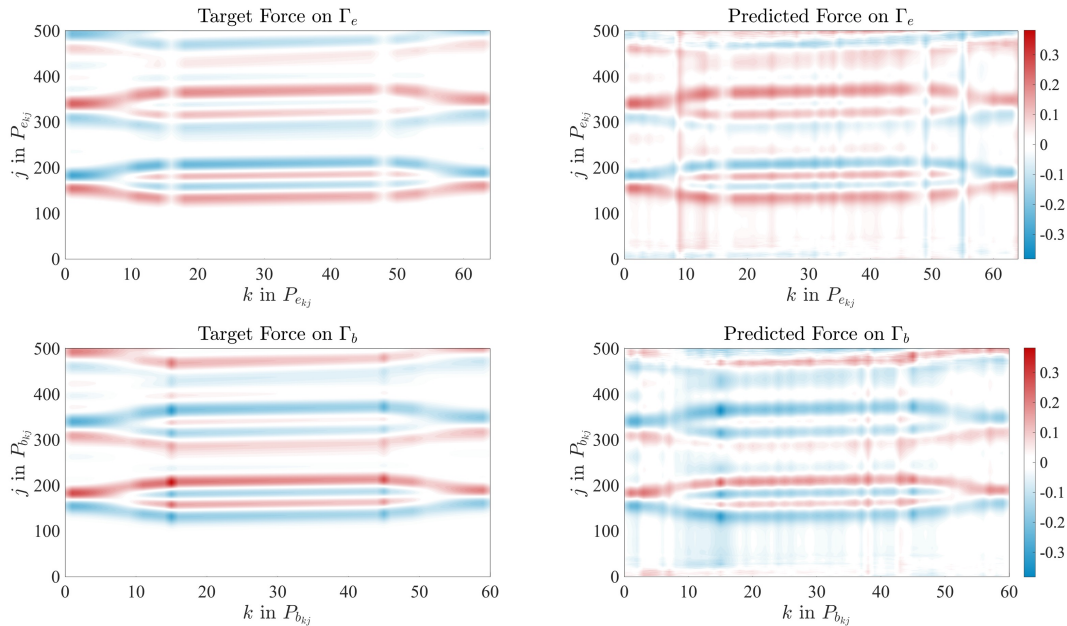
CORRESPONDING RESPONSE PREDICTION (0.82%)



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WORST FORCE PREDICTION (24.52%)

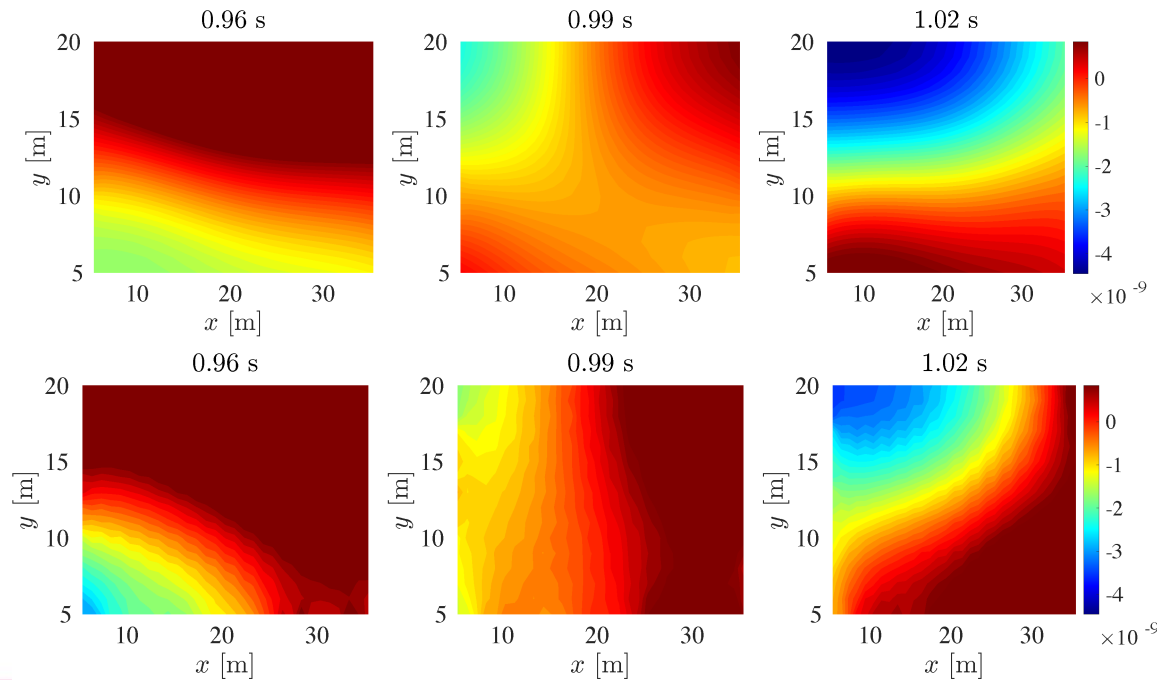


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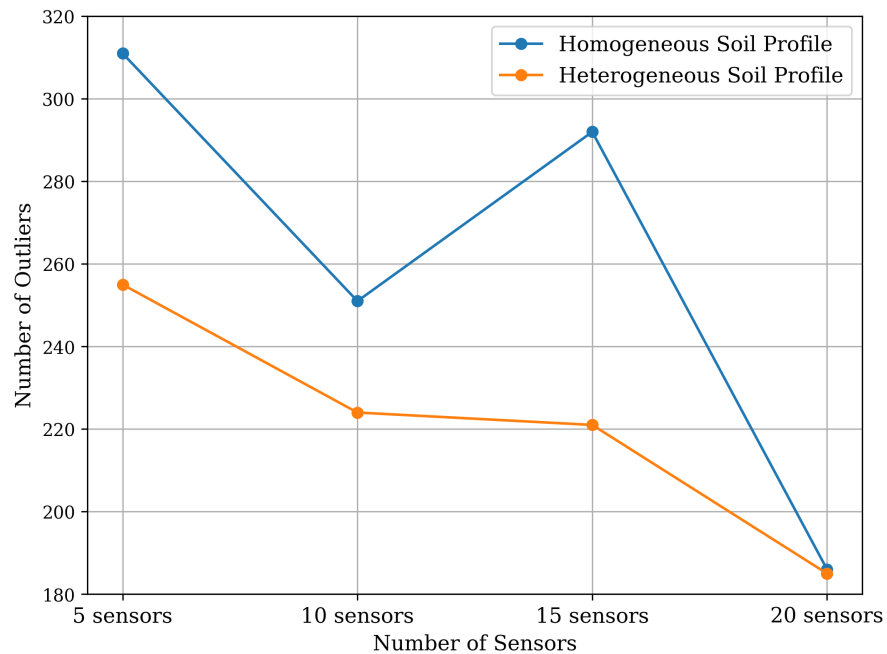
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CORRESPONDING RESPONSE PREDICTION (29.79%)



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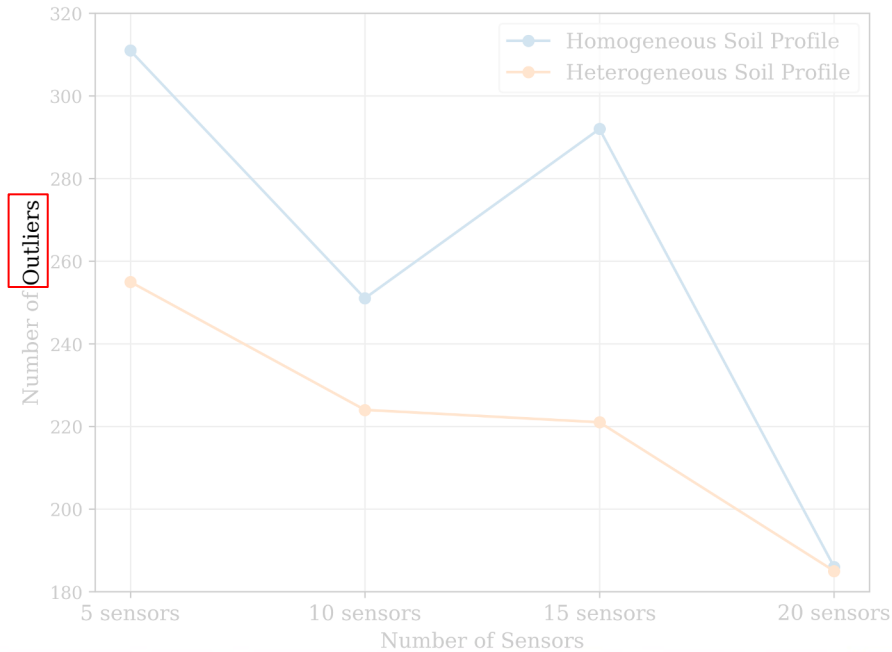


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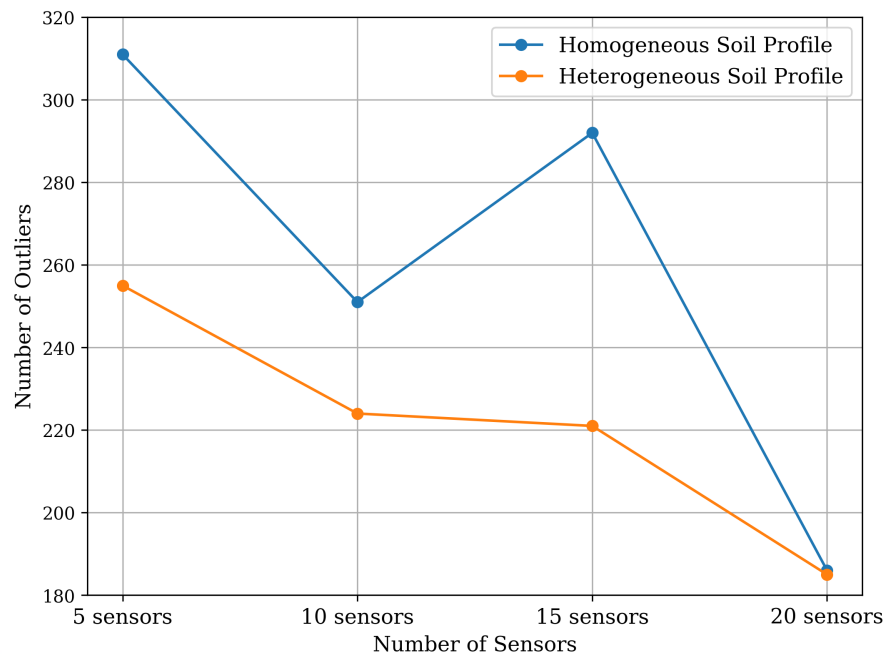
Outlier

In this case, it refers to a particular sample data that deviates significantly from the normal trend of data used to train the neural network.



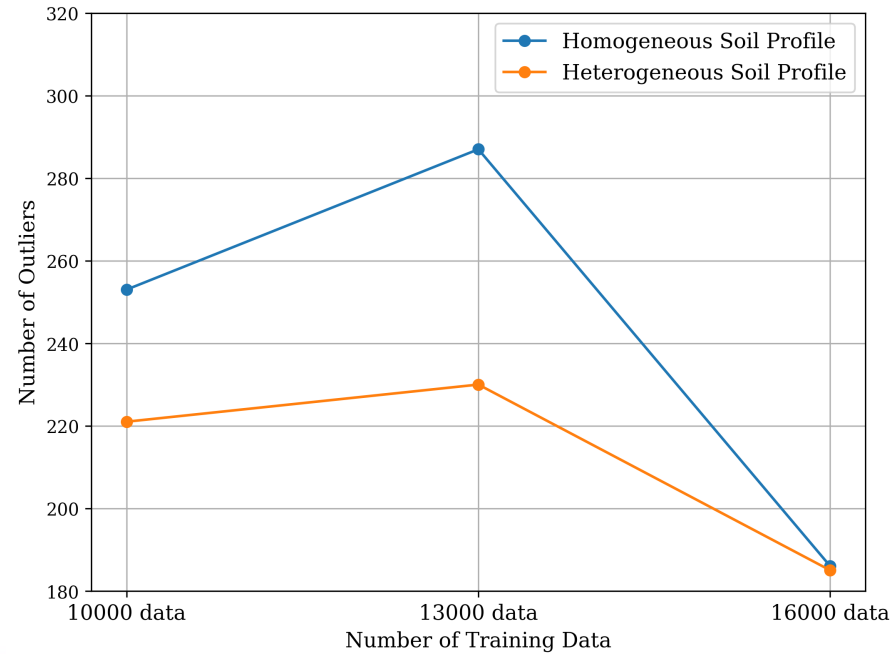
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PARAMETRIC STUDY

NUMBER OF TRAINING DATA



DISCUSSION



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SOURCES OF ERROR

- Effective in predicting active areas but struggles with near-zero displacement values.
- Heterogeneous soil profiles feature complex 5-layer structures, introducing uncertainty versus simpler homogeneous profiles.



DISCUSSION

- Our CNN-based approach accurately identifies seismic forces at DRM layer boundaries in diverse soil profiles, expediting ground motion reconstruction from measured signals at the sensors.
- The CNN model surpasses PDE-constrained optimization in processing time, requiring only 0.15 seconds per test sample versus approximately an hour for the optimization method.



FUTURE DIRECTIONS

- Expanding the approach to tackle complex three-dimensional soil profiles and wave propagation scenarios.
- Investigating uncertainty quantification of the CNN model.



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QUESTIONS?



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