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Hypernetwork-based Meta-Learning for Low-Rank Physics-Informed Neural Networks

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Preliminaries: Physics-informed Neural Networks

Solving PDE with coordinate-based MLP (PINN)



How to train?

- $L \stackrel{\text{def}}{=}} \alpha L_u + \beta L_f$ (**Total loss**)

$$\left[\begin{array}{l} \bullet L_f = \frac{1}{N_f} \sum_{i=1}^{N_f} |F(x_f^i, t_f^i, \tilde{u}; \theta)|^2 \text{ (PDE residual loss)} \\ \bullet L_u = \frac{1}{N_u} \sum_{i=1}^{N_u} |u(x_u^i, t_u^i) - \tilde{u}(x_u^i, t_u^i; \theta)|^2 \text{ (Boundary loss)} \end{array} \right]$$

F : PDE operator

(x_f, t_f) : collocation points

(x_u, t_u) : initial & boundary points

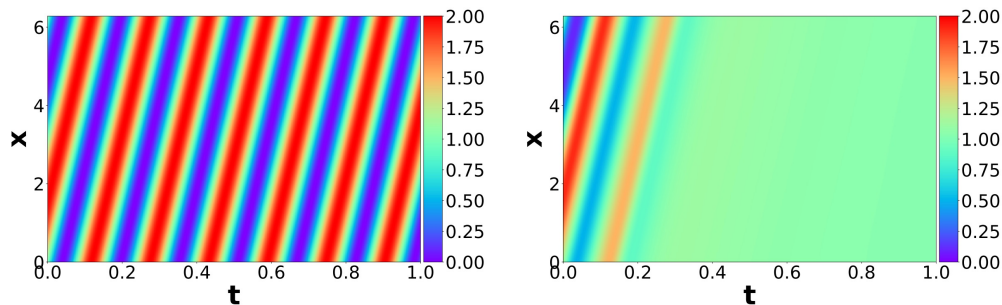
N_f : # collocation points

N_u : # initial & boundary points

Motivation

Limitation of PINNs

- For a new data instance, training a new neural network is required.
 - Not suitable for **many-query** scenarios (especially, parameterized PDEs)
- **“Failure mode”** of PINNs



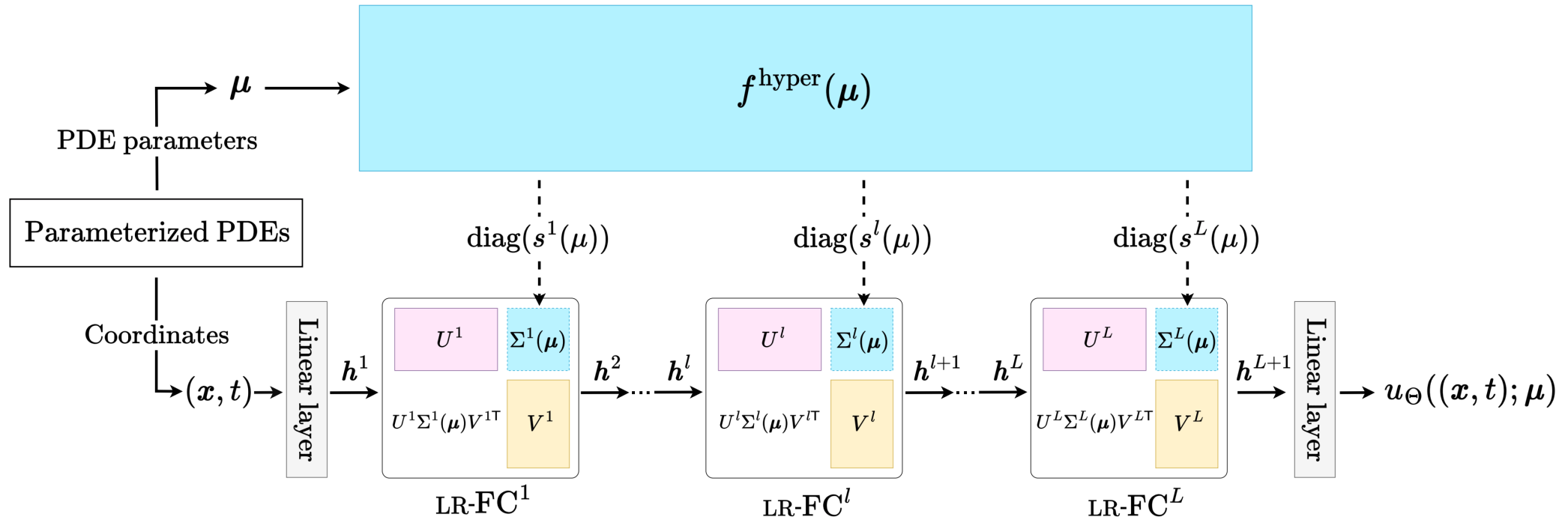
(a) Exact solution

(b) PINN

Our proposed method includes:

- i) a low-rank structured neural network architecture for PINNs, i.e., LR-PINNs
- ii) an efficient rank-revealing training algorithm, which adaptively adjust ranks of LR-PINNs for varying PDE inputs
- iii) a two-phase procedure (offline training / online testing) for handling many-query scenarios

Proposed Method



Low-rank PINN (LR-PINN)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathbf{h}^1 &= \sigma(W^0 \mathbf{h}^0 + \mathbf{b}^0), \\
 \mathbf{h}^{l+1} &= \sigma(U^l (\Sigma^l(\mu) (V^{lT} \mathbf{h}^l)) + \mathbf{b}^l), \\
 u_{\Theta}((x, t); \mu) &= \sigma(W^{L+1} \mathbf{h}^{L+1} + \mathbf{b}^{L+1}), \\
 \text{where } \Sigma^l(\mu) &= \text{diag}(\mathbf{s}^l(\mu))
 \end{aligned}$$

**+ Meta
learning**



Hypernetwork based Low-rank PINN (Hyper-LR-PINN)

$$\begin{aligned}
 \mathbf{e}^m &= \sigma(W^{\text{emb},m} \mathbf{e}^{m-1} + \mathbf{b}^{\text{emb},m}), \quad m = 1, \dots, M, \\
 \mathbf{s}^l(\mu) &= \text{ReLU}(W^{\text{hyper},l} \mathbf{e}^M + \mathbf{b}^{\text{hyper},l}), \quad l = 1, \dots, L,
 \end{aligned}$$

Model architecture

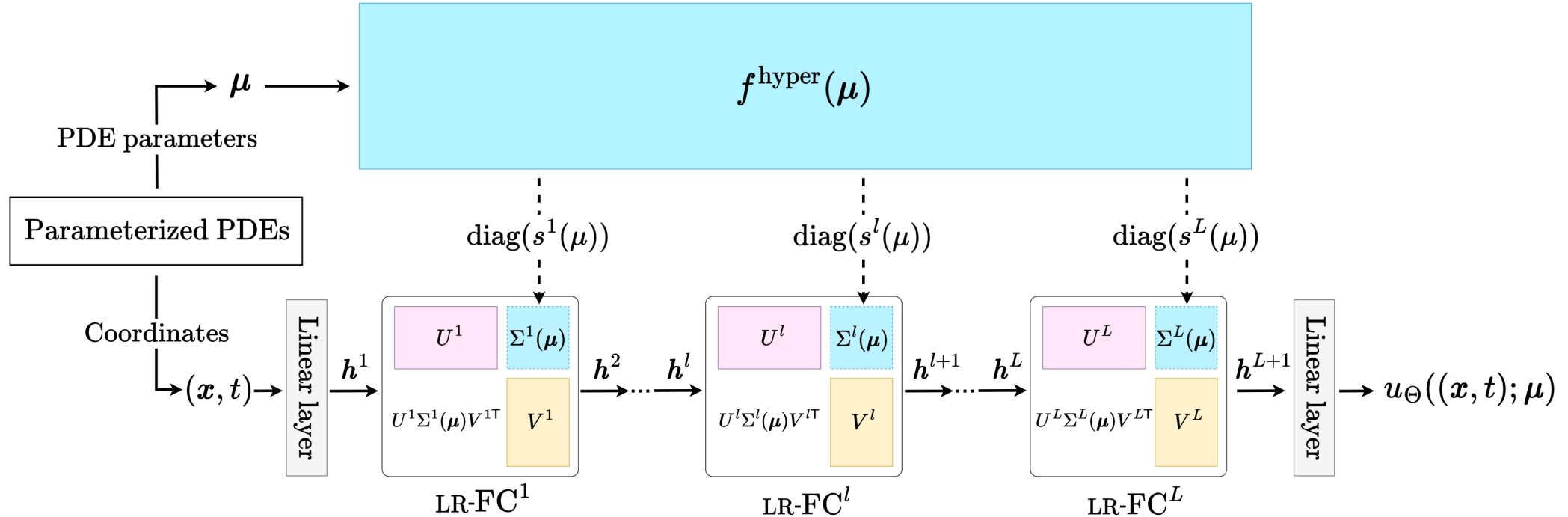


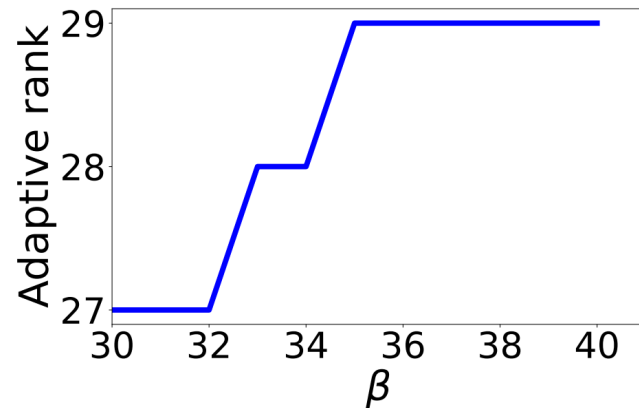
Table 1: Learnable parameters in each phase

Phase 1	$\{(U^l, V^l, \mathbf{b}^l)\}_{l=1}^L, W^0, W^{L+1}, \mathbf{b}^0, \mathbf{b}^{L+1}$ (LR-PINN), $\{(W^{\text{emb},m}, \mathbf{b}^{\text{emb},m})\}_{m=1}^M, \{(W^{\text{hyper},l}, \mathbf{b}^{\text{hyper},l})\}_{l=1}^L$ (hypernetwork),
Phase 2	$\{\mathbf{s}^l\}_{l=1}^L, W^0, W^{L+1}, \mathbf{b}^0, \mathbf{b}^{L+1}$ (LR-PINN)

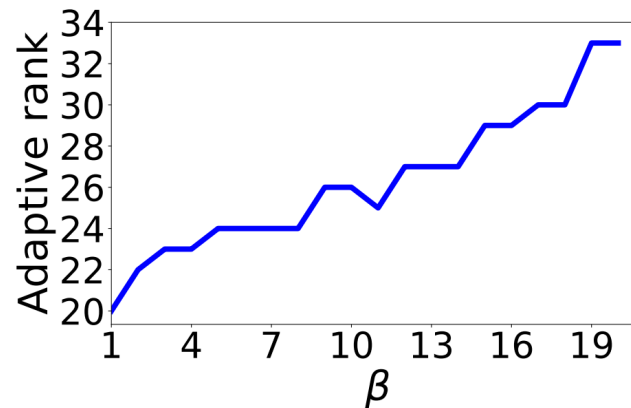
Experiments

Table 3: Comparisons of model size

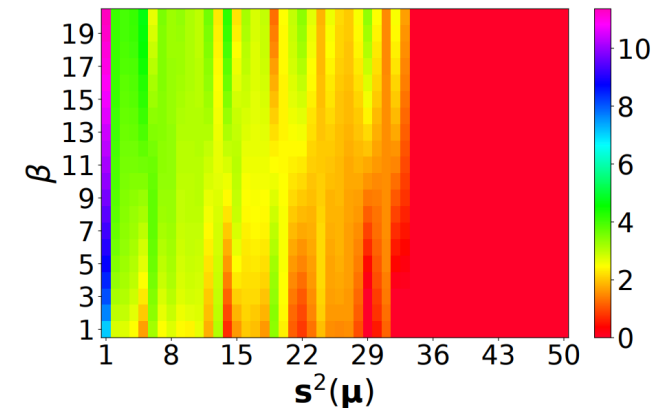
Model	Naïve-LR-PINN					Ours	PINN
Rank	10	20	30	40	50	Adaptive	-
# Parameters	381	411	441	471	501	~ 351	10,401



(a) $\beta \in [30, 40]$



(b) $\beta \in [1, 20]$



(c) $\beta \in [1, 20]$

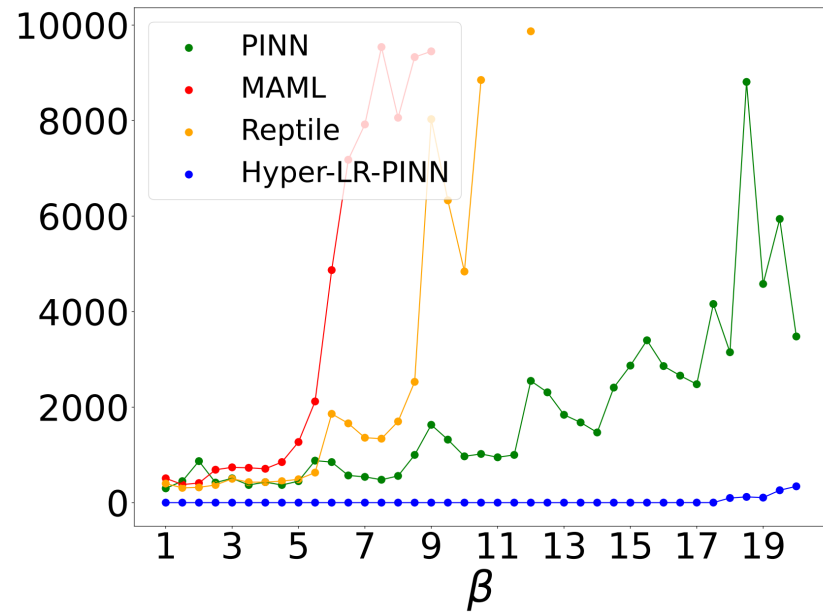
Adaptive rank on convection equation (the left and the middle panels). The magnitude of the learned diagonal elements of the second hidden layer (the right panel).

Experiments

β	Rank	[w/o] Pre-training				[w] Pre-training				Hyper-LR-PINN (Full rank)		Hyper-LR-PINN (Adaptive rank)	
		Naïve-LR-PINN		Curriculum learning		MAML		Reptile		Abs. err.	Rel. err.	Abs. err.	Rel. err.
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30	10	0.5617	0.5344	0.4117	0.4098	0.6757	0.6294	0.5893	0.5551	0.0360	0.0379	0.0375	0.0389
	20	0.5501	0.5253	0.4023	0.4005	0.6836	0.6452	0.6144	0.5779				
	30	0.5327	0.5126	0.4233	0.4204	0.5781	0.5451	0.6048	0.5704				
	40	0.5257	0.5076	0.3746	0.3744	0.5848	0.5515	0.5757	0.5442				
	50	0.5327	0.5126	0.4152	0.4127	0.5898	0.5562	0.5817	0.5496				
35	10	0.5663	0.5357	0.5825	0.5465	0.6663	0.6213	0.5786	0.5446	0.0428	0.0443	0.0448	0.0461
	20	0.5675	0.5369	0.6120	0.5673	0.6814	0.6433	0.5971	0.5606				
	30	0.6081	0.5670	0.5864	0.5503	0.5819	0.5466	0.5866	0.5506				
	40	0.5477	0.5227	0.5954	0.5548	0.5809	0.5462	0.5773	0.5435				
	50	0.5449	0.5208	0.6010	0.5619	0.5870	0.5514	0.5731	0.5404				
40	10	0.5974	0.5632	0.5978	0.5611	0.6789	0.6446	0.5992	0.5632	0.0603	0.0655	0.0656	0.0722
	20	0.5890	0.5563	0.6274	0.5820	0.7008	0.6801	0.6189	0.5853				
	30	0.6142	0.5724	0.6011	0.5652	0.6072	0.5700	0.6126	0.5810				
	40	0.5560	0.5293	0.6126	0.5715	0.6149	0.5832	0.6004	0.5638				
	50	0.6161	0.5855	0.6130	0.5757	0.6146	0.5799	0.6007	0.5645				

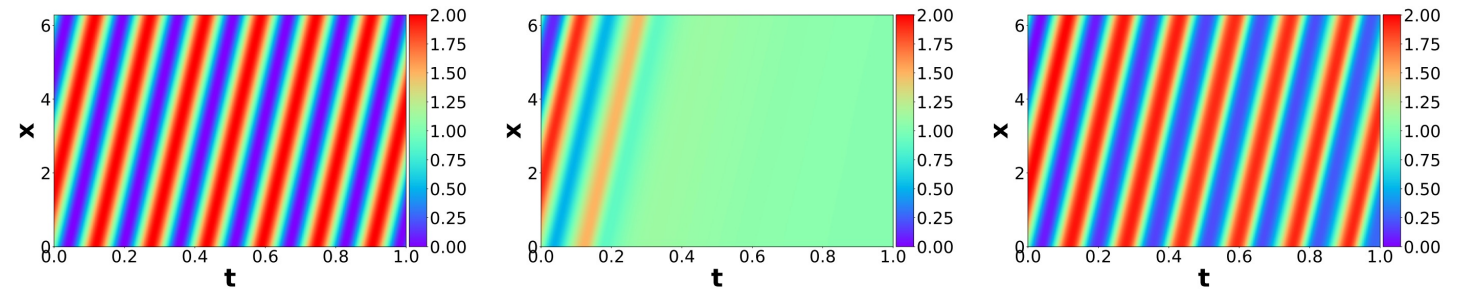
Conclusion

Lower computational cost in many-query scenario



Resolving failure modes of PINNs

[Convection equation] Solution snapshots for $\beta = 40$

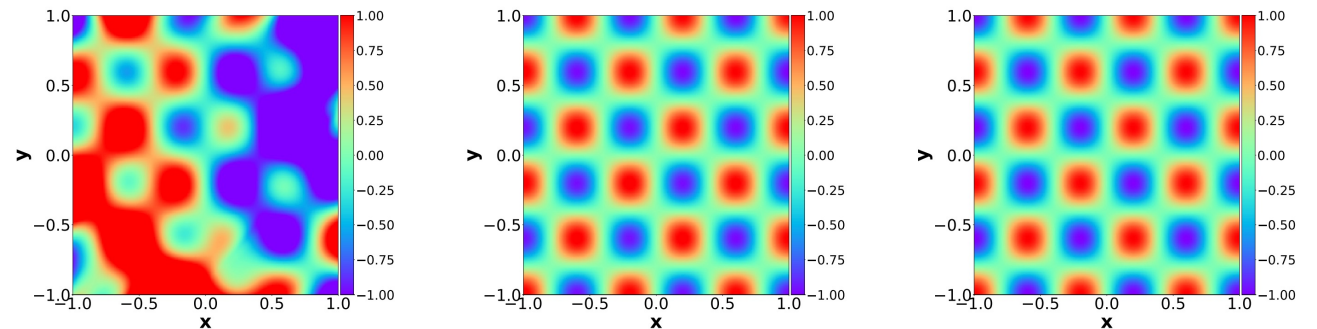


(a) Exact solution

(b) PINN

(c) Ours

[Helmholtz equation] Solution snapshots for $a = 2.5$



(a) PINN (Abs.err.=0.7403)

(b) Ours (Abs.err.=0.0285)

(c) Exact solution