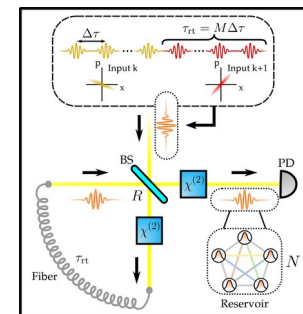


Unconventional Computing with Photonic Substrates

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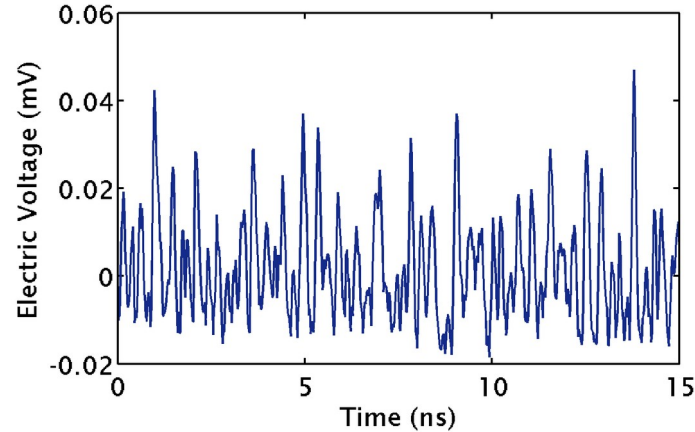
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**Workshop on Unconventional Computing
Erice, 6 – 12 July 2024**

- IFISC: Institute for Cross-Disciplinary Physics and Complex Systems in Mallorca
- Joint research Institute of the University of the Balearic Islands (UIB) and the Spanish National Research Council (CSIC) created in 2007



Nonlinear Photonics Laboratory at IFISC has been operational since 2009

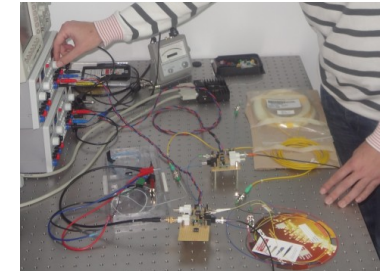


Experimental implementations + numerical simulations

Semiconductor lasers

$$\dot{E}(t) = \frac{1}{2}(1 + i\alpha)\xi n(t)E(t) + \kappa E(t - \tau)e^{-\omega_o\tau} + F_E(t),$$

$$\dot{n}(t) = (p - 1)\frac{I_{th}}{e} - \gamma_e n(t) - [\Gamma_o + \xi n(t)]|E(t)|^2 + F_N(t).$$



$$\frac{dx(t')}{dt'} = -x(t') + \beta \sin^2[x(t' - T) + \Phi]$$

M. C. Soriano, J. Garcia-Ojalvo, C. R. Mirasso, and I. Fischer, "Complex photonics: Dynamics and applications of delay-coupled semiconductor lasers", *Reviews of Modern Physics* 85, 421-470 (2013).

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Photonics for artificial intelligence and neuromorphic computing

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Photonic matrix multiplication lights up photonic accelerator and beyond

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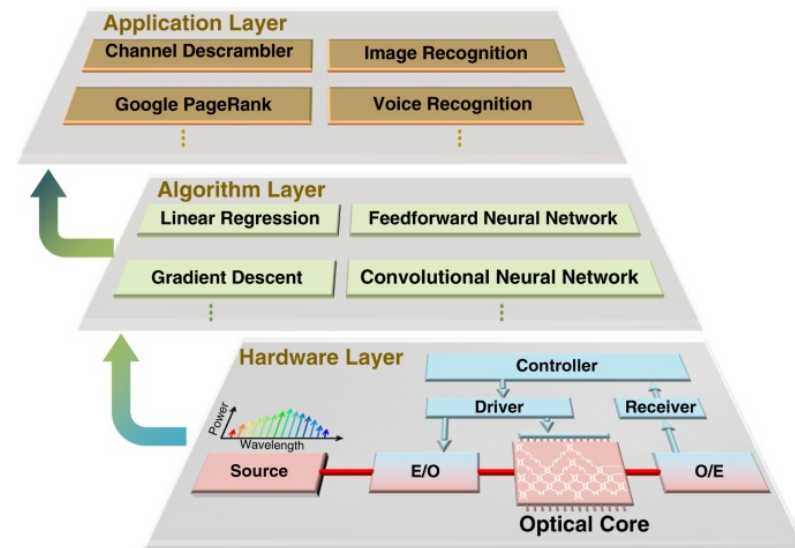
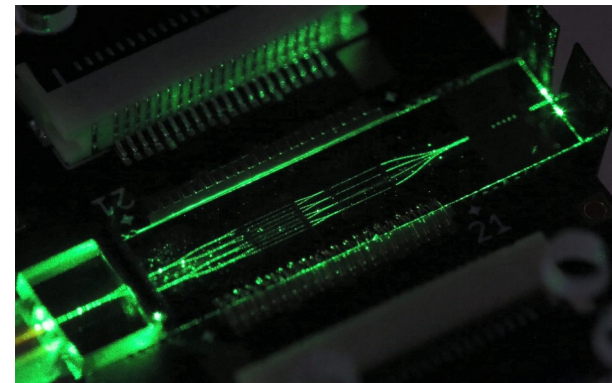
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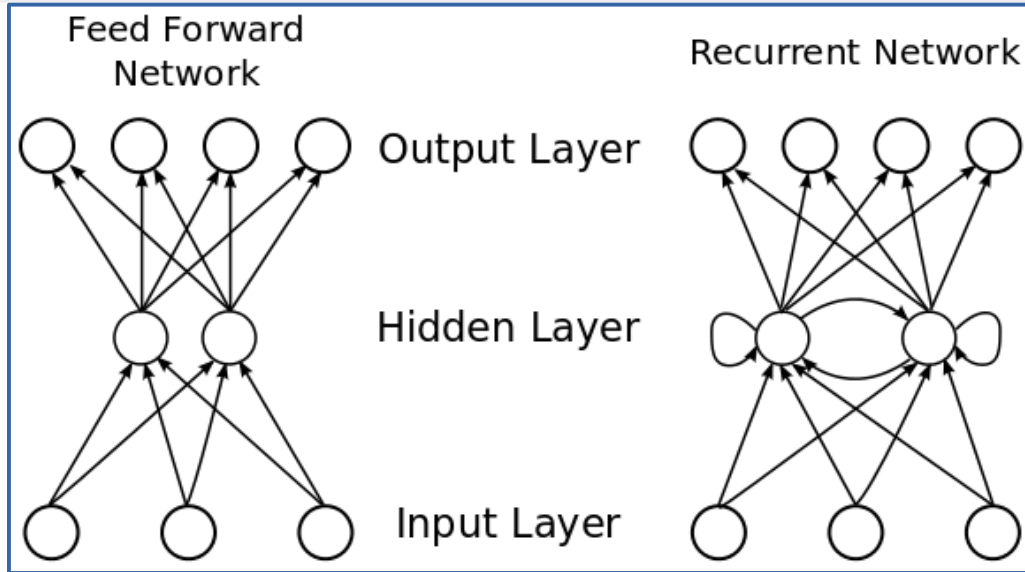
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Editorial

Daniel Brunner*, Miguel C. Soriano and Shanhui Fan

Neural network learning with photonics and for photonic circuit design





Optics and photonics:

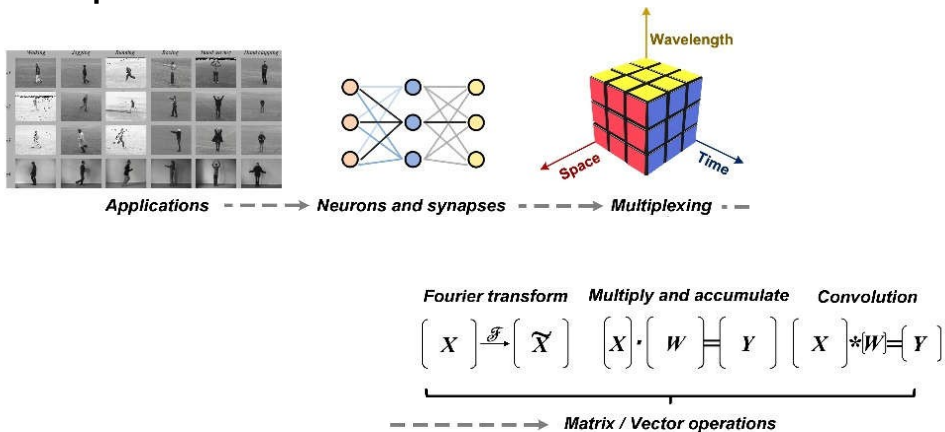
- Parallelism
- Speed & bandwidth
- Energy efficiency
- Lossless transmission
- Nonlinear effects

Feed Forward Neural Networks can approximate any continuous function (≥ 1 hidden layers + non-linear activations)

Recurrent Neural Networks can approximate a dynamical system

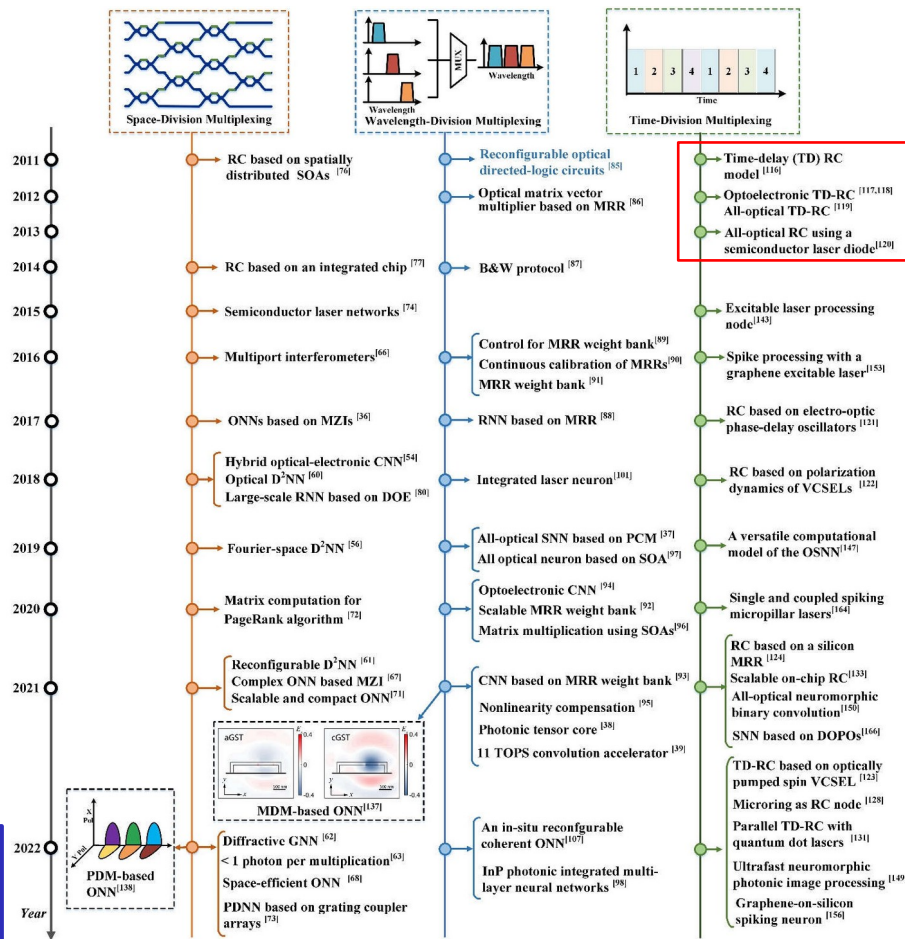


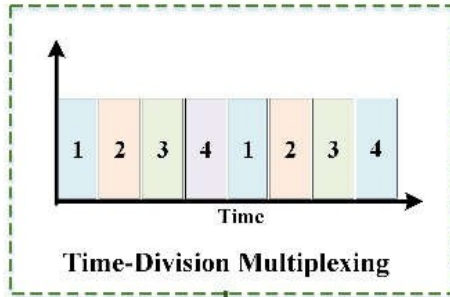
- Optical neural networks explored in the 1980s but interest in AI declines
- Renewed interest from 2010: Approaches to optical neural networks using different multiplexing techniques



Ideal solution: combination of techniques

Y. Bai, X. Xu, M. Tan, Y. Sun, Y. Li, J. Wu, R. Morandotti, A. Mitchell, K. Xu, and D. Moss, "Photonic multiplexing techniques for neuromorphic computing", *Nanophotonics* 12, 795-817 (2023)

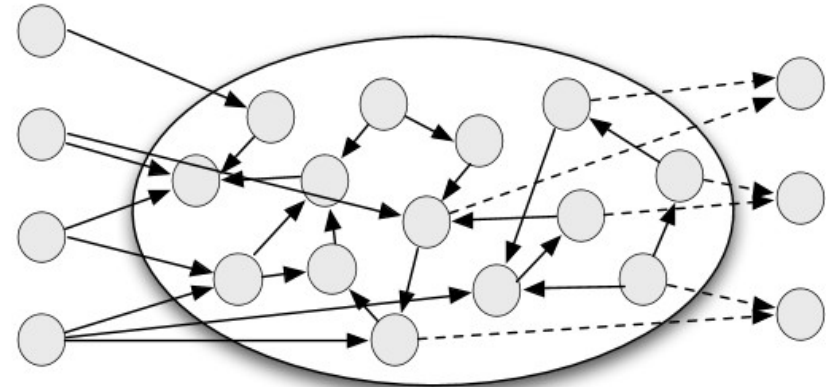




- Time-delay (TD) RC model^[116]
- Optoelectronic TD-RC^[117,118]
- All-optical TD-RC^[119]
- All-optical RC using a semiconductor laser diode^[120]

- Reservoir Computing: RNN with random input and hidden layer connections

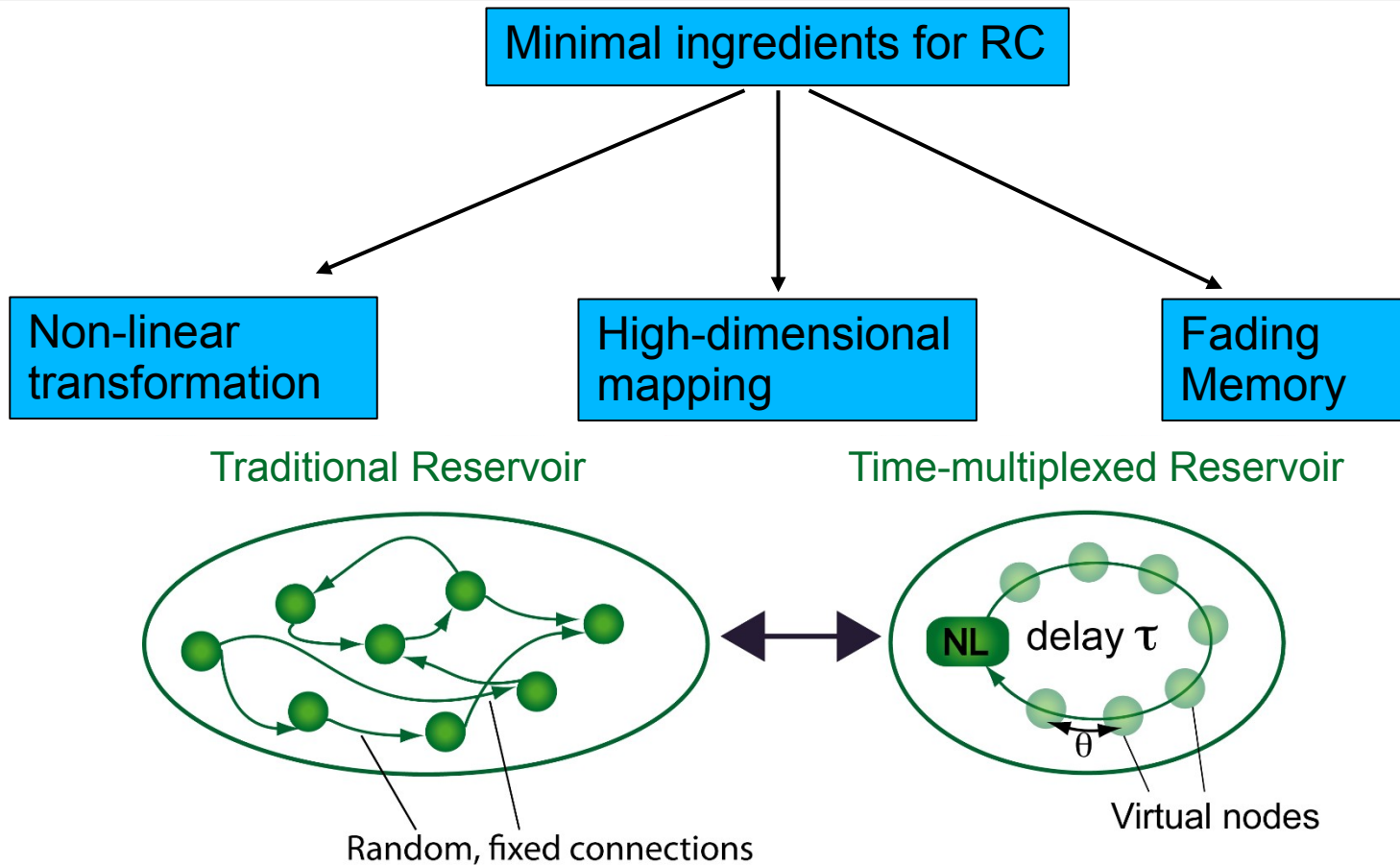
K input nodes Reservoir with N state nodes L output nodes



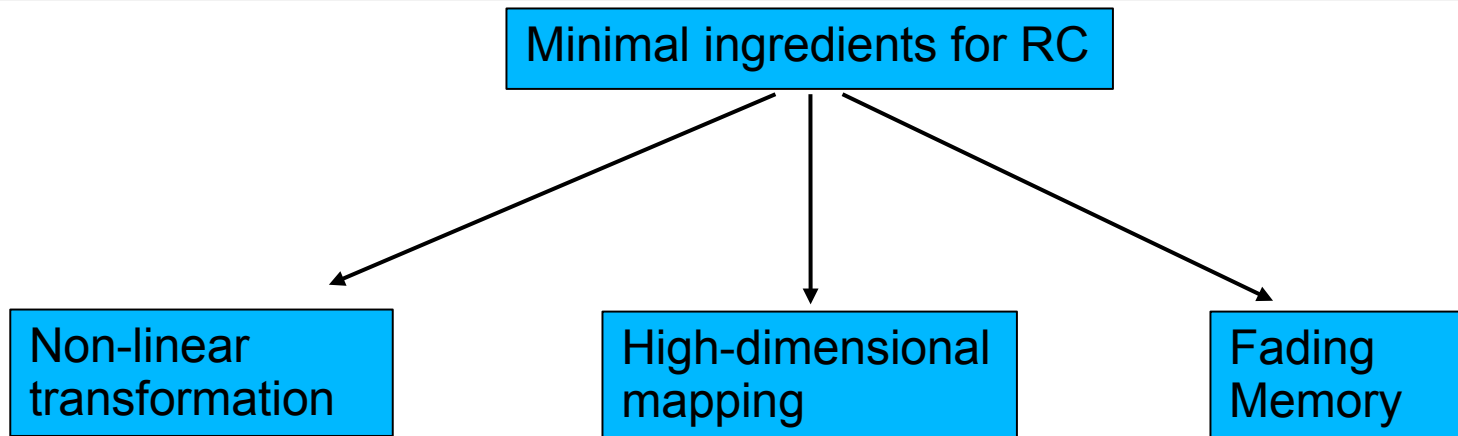
- dotted lines: trained interconnections
- solid lines: random but fixed interconnections

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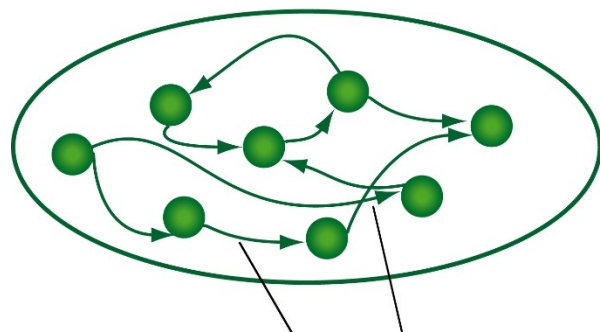


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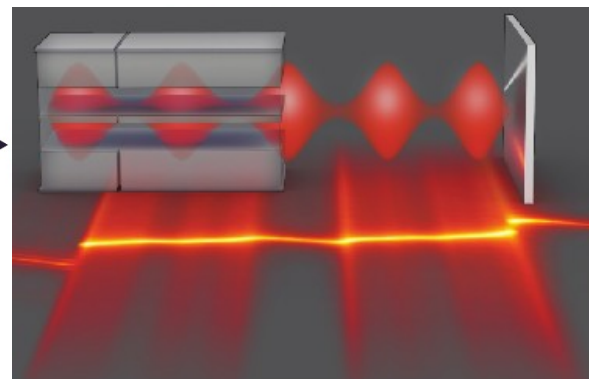


Traditional Reservoir

Time-multiplexed Reservoir

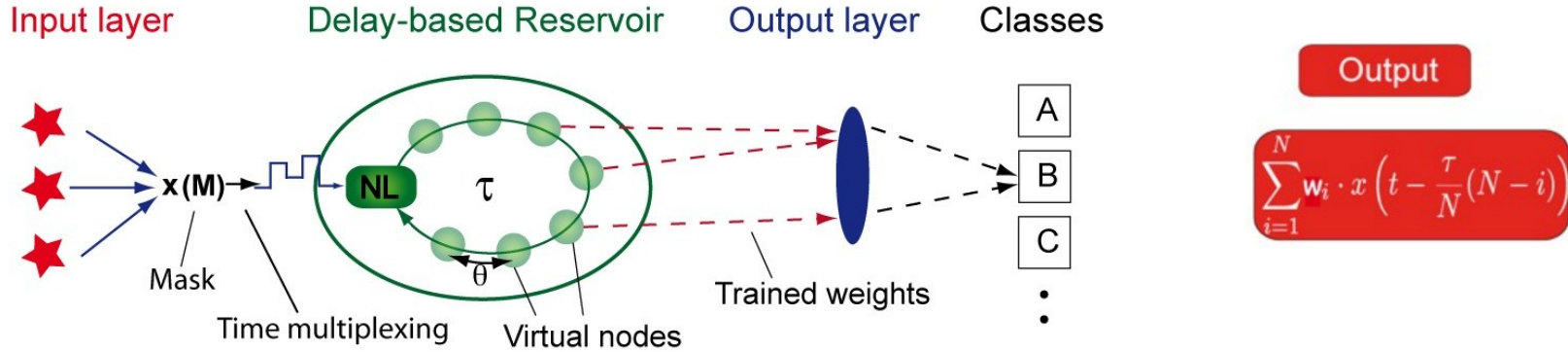


Random, fixed connections

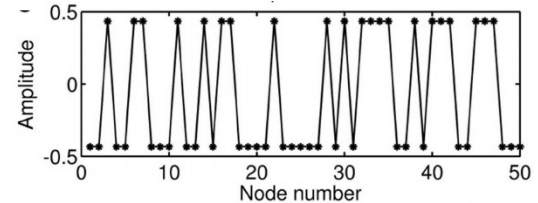
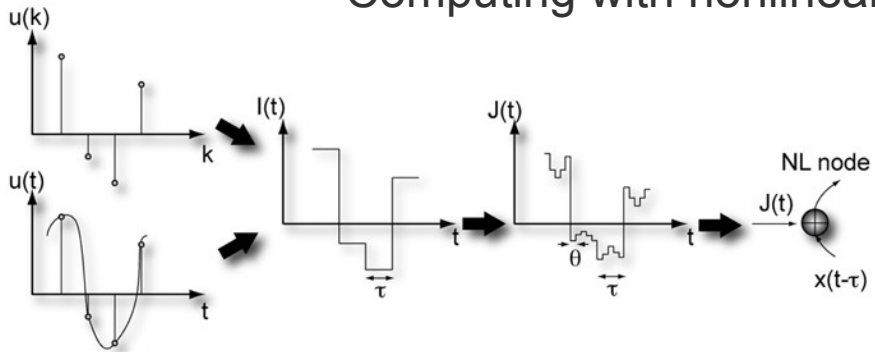


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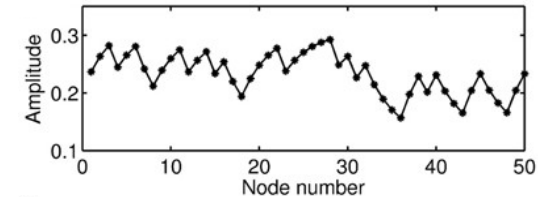
Single node with delayed feedback



Computing with nonlinear transient dynamics



Input



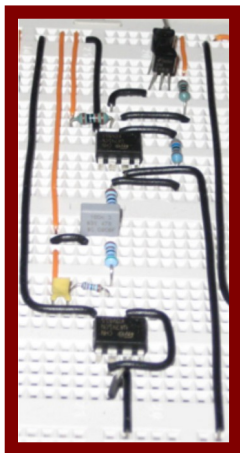
Response

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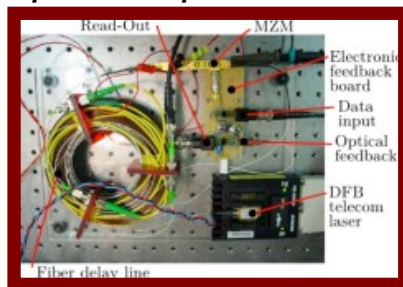
How it started:



Electronic approach
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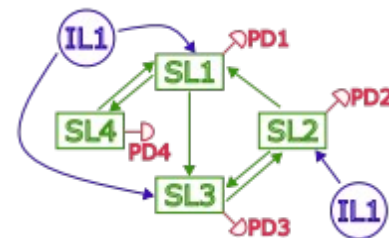
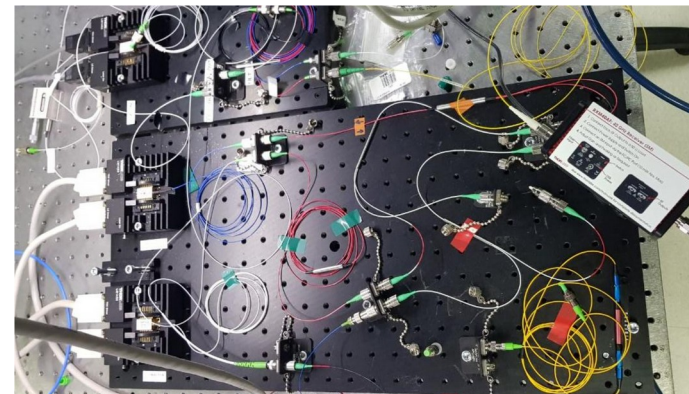
Optoelectronic approach
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Optical approach
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How it's going:

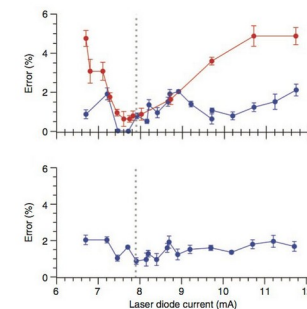
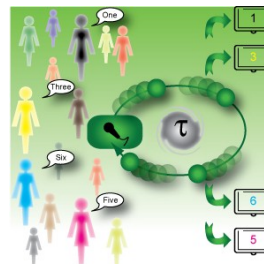
Telecom wavelengths / fiber based



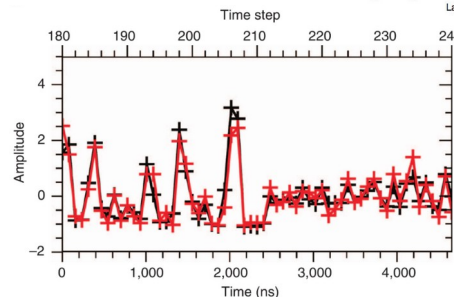
Laser networks



- Recognition of spoken digits
- Error-free classification
- ~ 0.1 Million words / sec



- Prediction of chaotic time series
- Prediction errors <6%
- ~ 13 Million points / sec



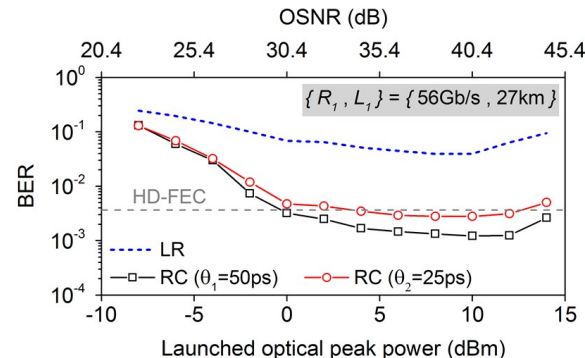
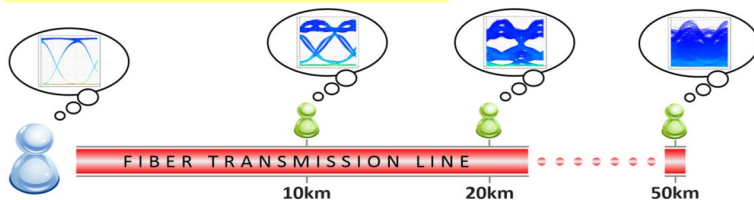
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- Approaching processing speeds of Gb/s for telecom tasks



SHORT-REACH COMMUNICATION SYSTEM



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- **Information processing with photonic systems and time-multiplexing**

- ~ **From Classical...**

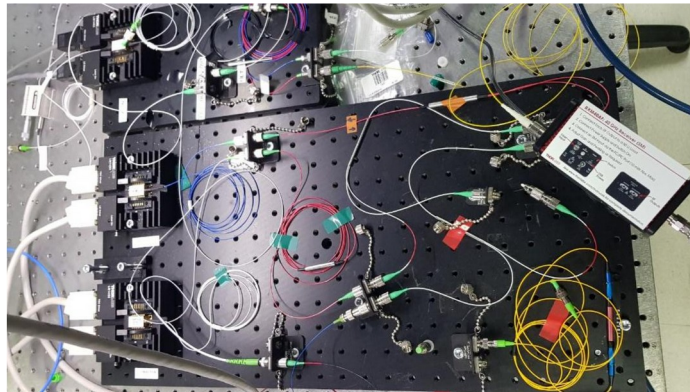
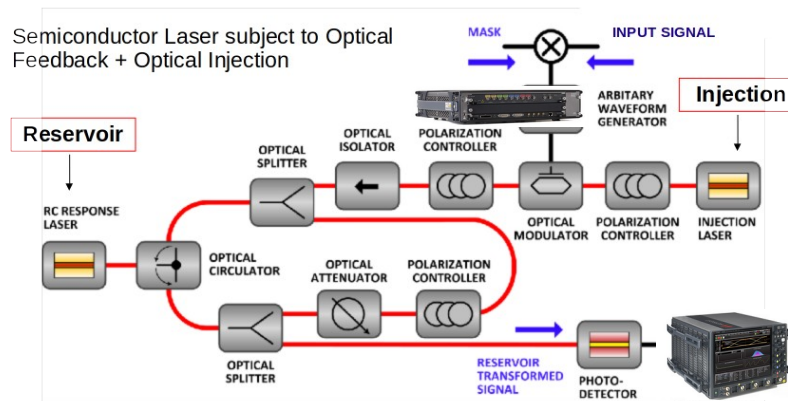
- Speeding up computation with semiconductor lasers
- Integrated photonics
- Training hardware systems

- ~ **To Quantum Reservoir Computing**

- Proposal in a photonic substrate



Experimental Setup



Reservoir: Response laser with feedback

- semiconductor laser @ 1545.5 nm
- biased around threshold 10.8mA
- single longitudinal mode
- delay loop with 24.5 ns (40MHz)

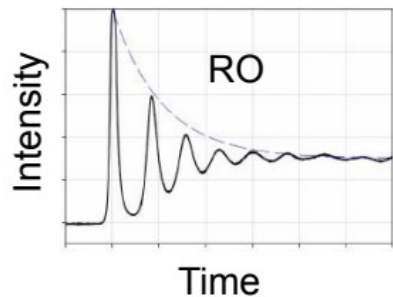
Input modulation

- Keysight AWG M8196A
 - intensity modulation @ max. **92 GSa/s**
 - analog bandwidth @ 32 GHz
- optical modulator (MZM) @ 40 GHz bandwidth

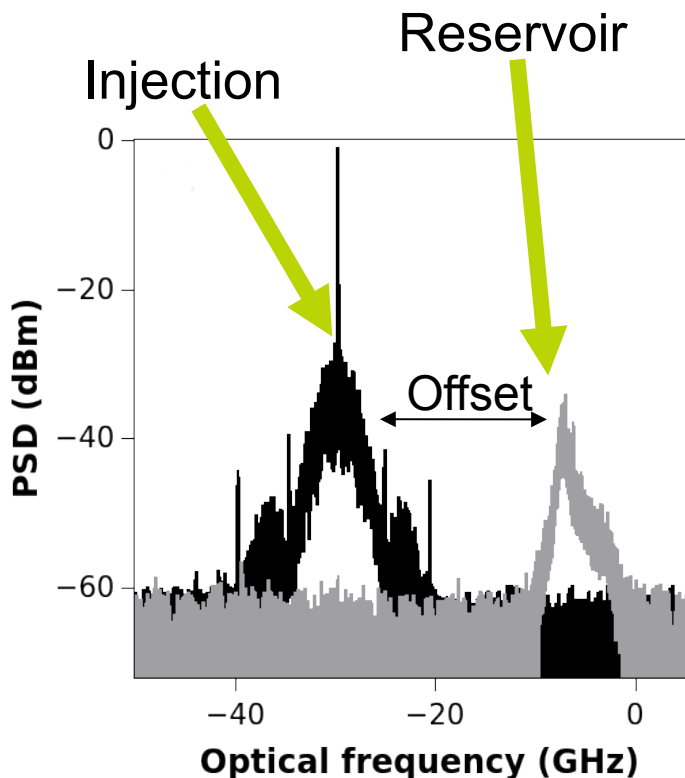
Output measurement

- photoreceiver @ 40 GHz bandwidth
- Keysight Oscilloscope UXR0404A
 - sampling intensity @ max. 256 GSa/s
 - 3 samples per input sample
 - analog bandwidth @ **40 GHz**

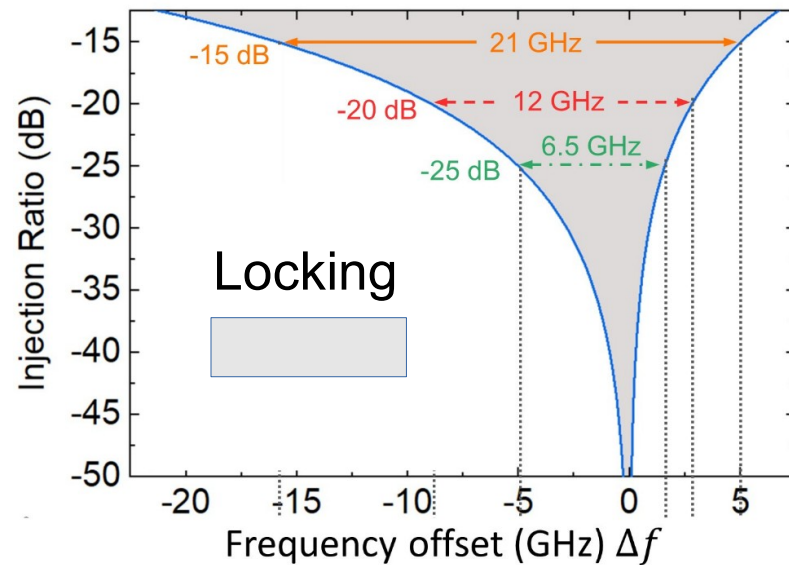
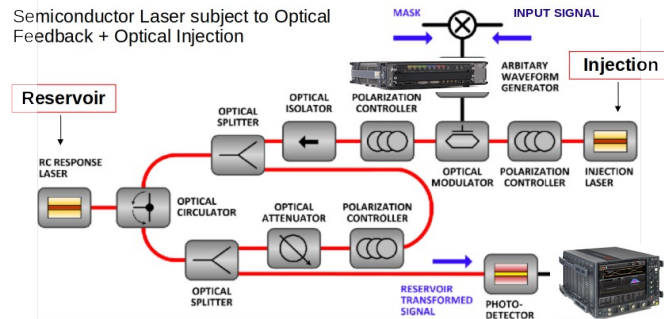
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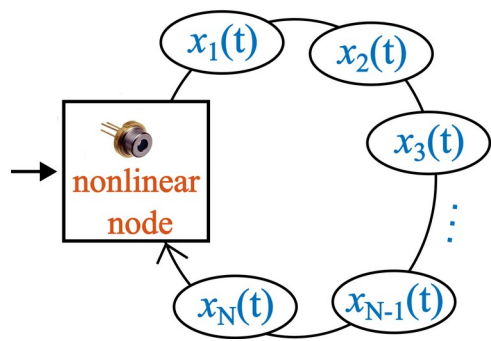
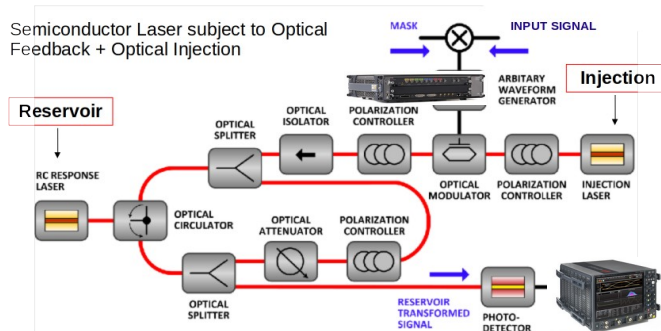
Relaxation
Oscillation
Frequency
 $f_{RO} = 1-10$ GHz



Semiconductor Laser subject to Optical Feedback + Optical Injection

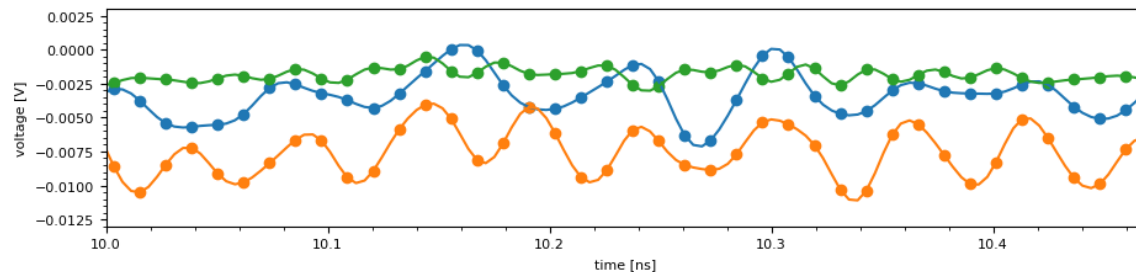
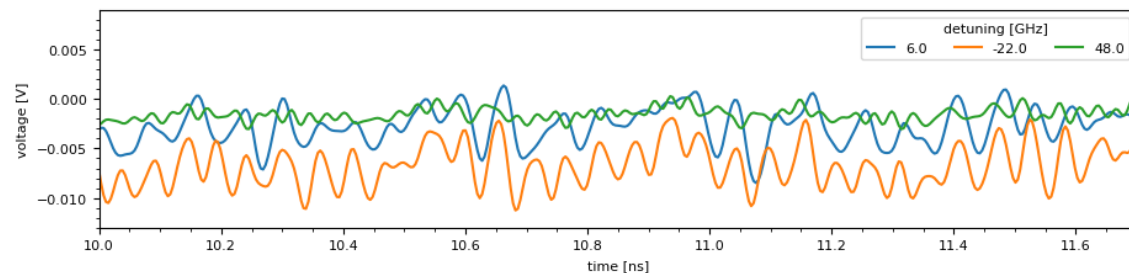


Optical injection as nonlinear mechanism to increase bandwidth → exploit fast dynamics



Possible to encode virtual neurons @ 11.7ps/85 GHz

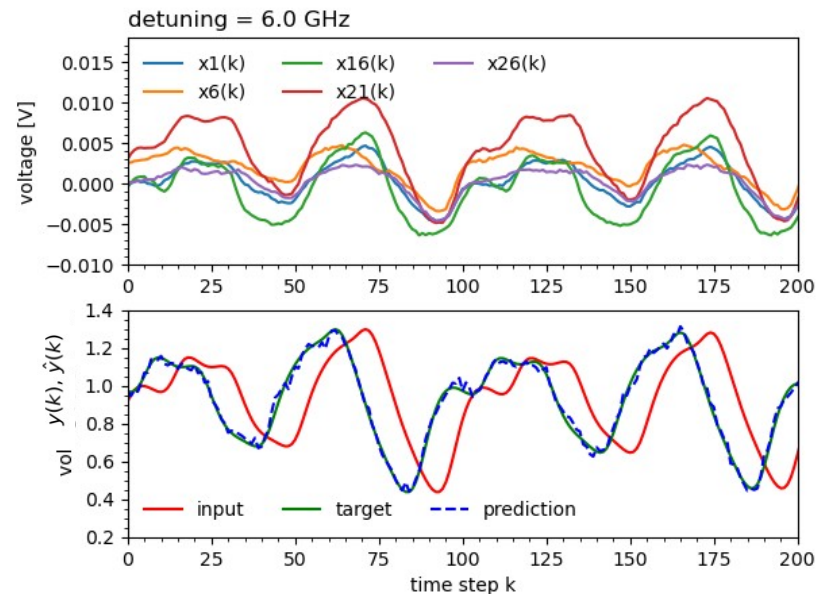
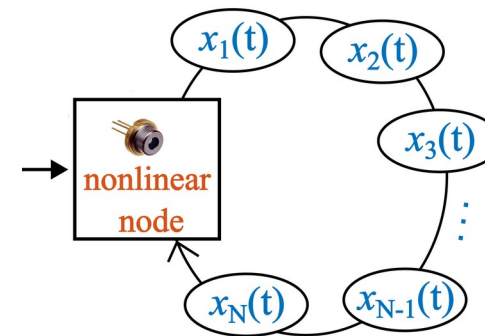
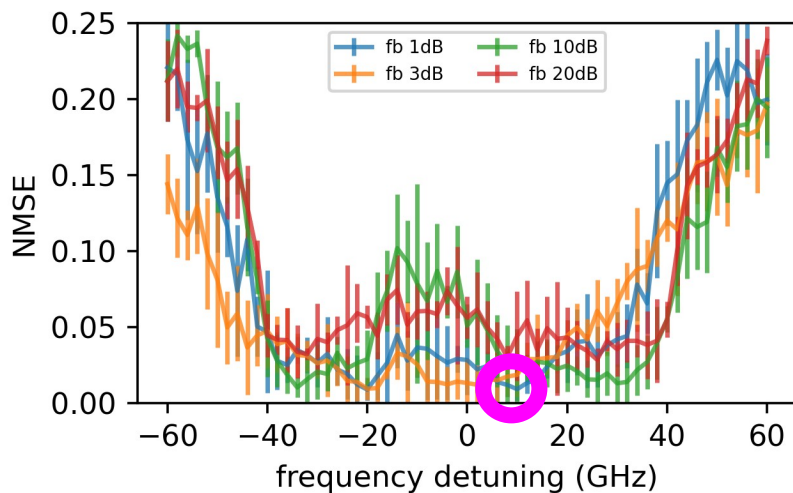
- strong injection gain to exploit bandwidth enhancement
- varying detuning between injection and reservoir laser



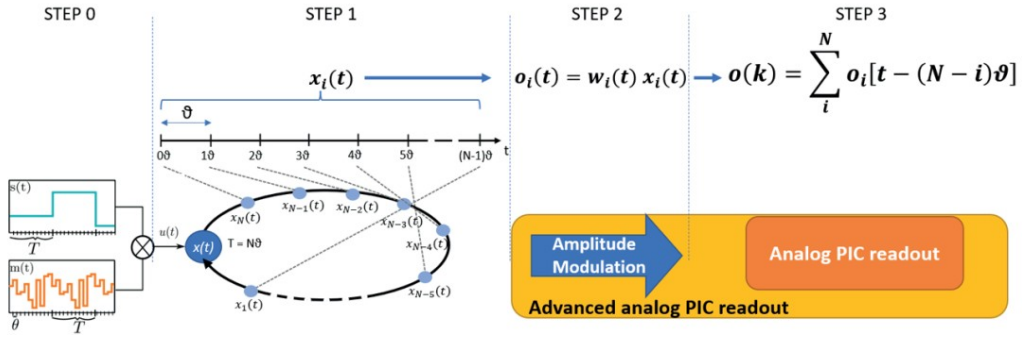
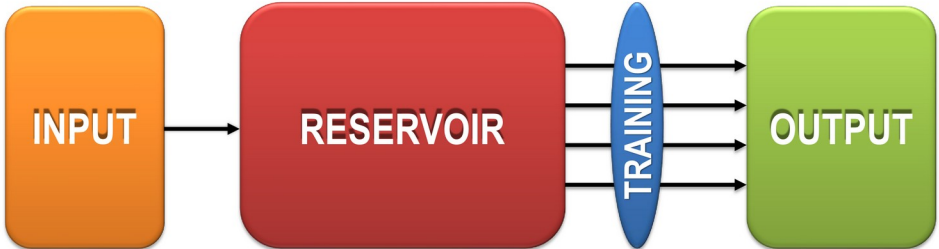
Time-series prediction

- 200 nodes @ 11.7ps \rightarrow T ~ 2.4ns (~ 0.4GHz)
- ultrafast RNN for time-series processing

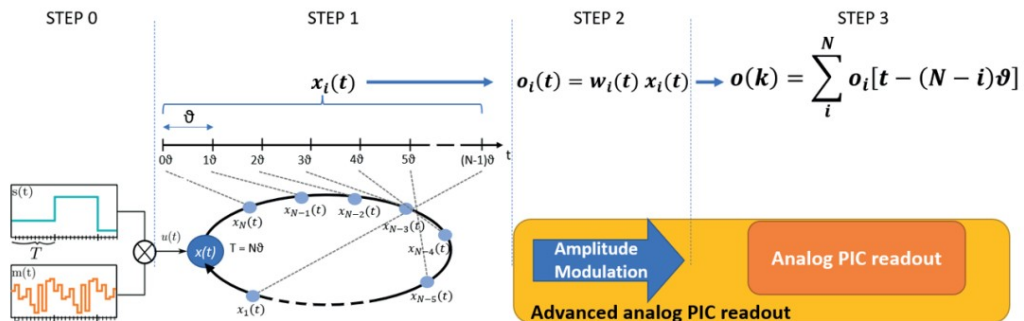
Gaining 10x effective speed up



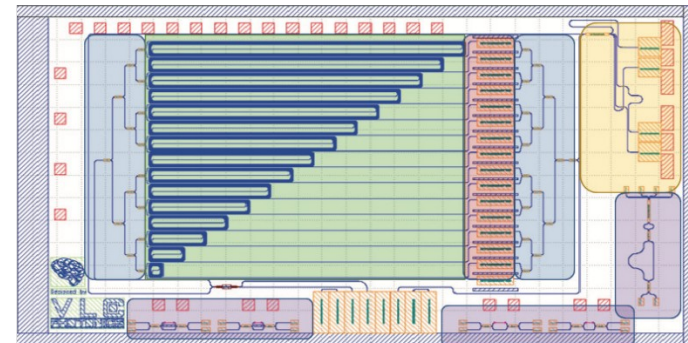
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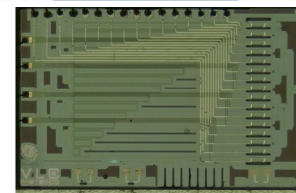
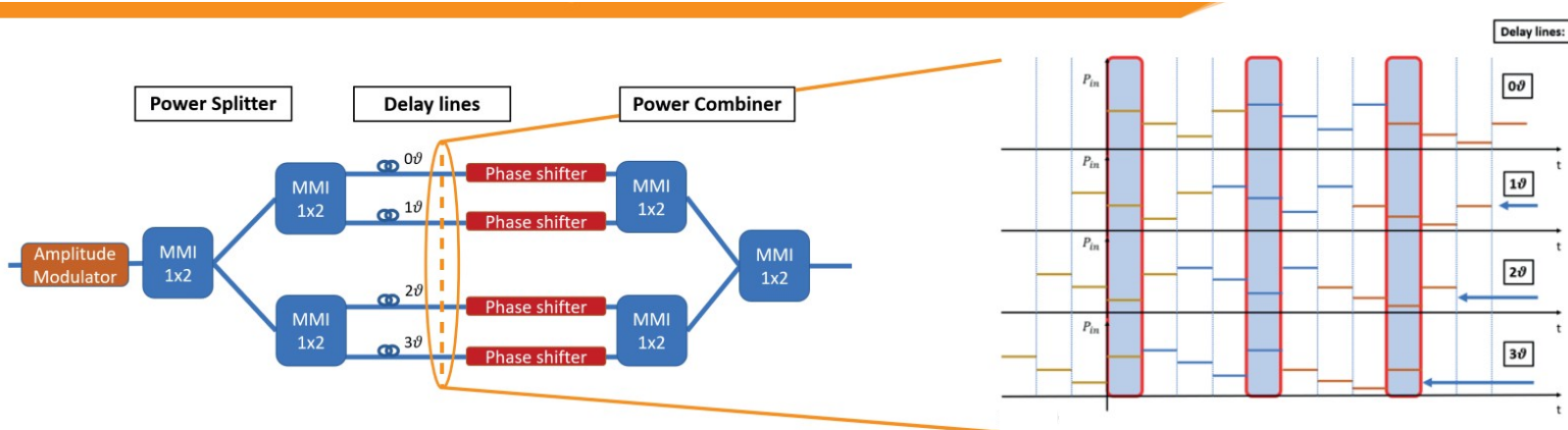
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Circuit proposal:



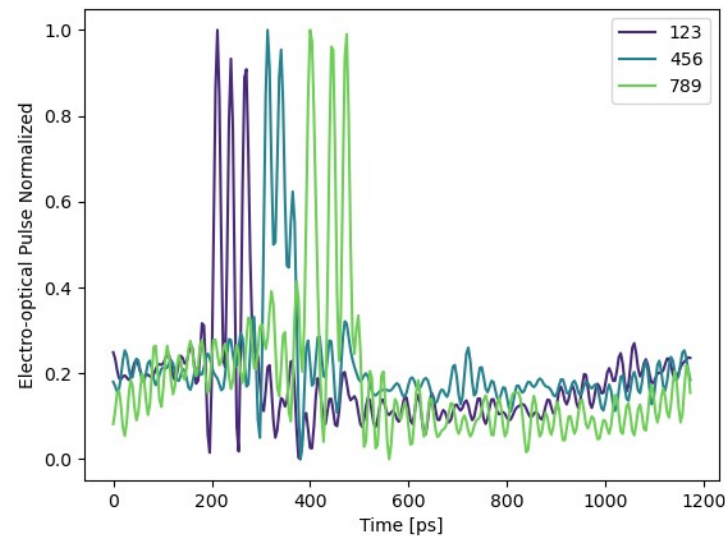
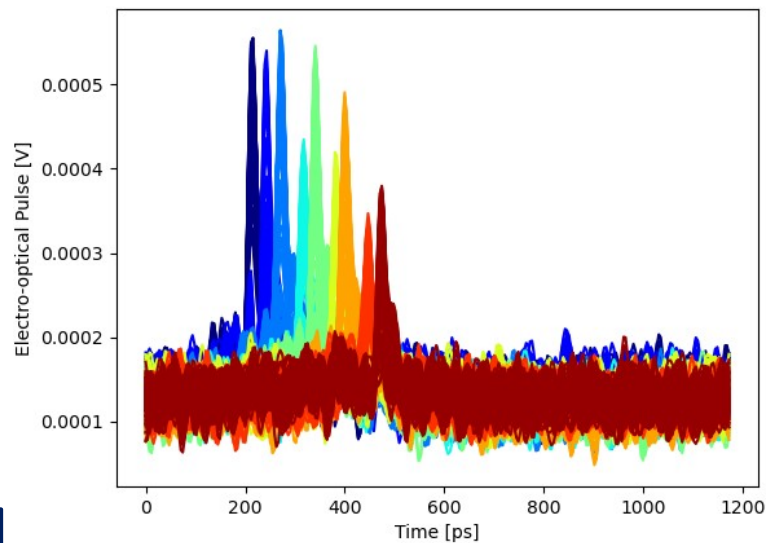
Integrated solution for output layer:



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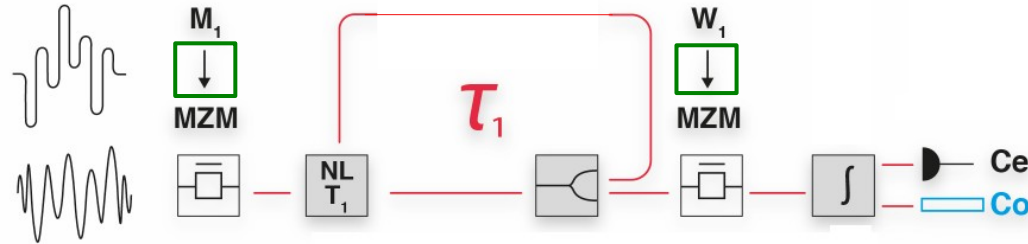
Preliminary results for a circuit with 9 paths of increasing delay ~ 33 ps spacing

- Tuning of amplitudes (weights) with tunable heaters
- Injection of a single pulse at the input of the PIC



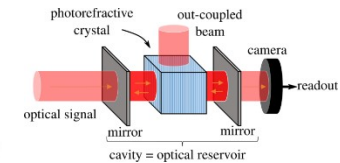
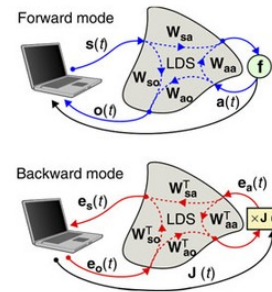
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Hardware-based learning / Hardware and software co-design → better adaptation means higher resource efficiency

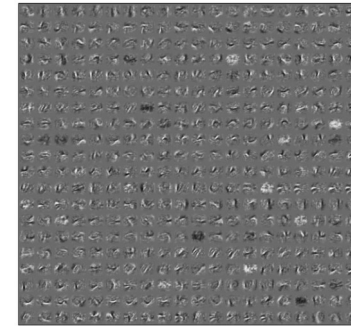
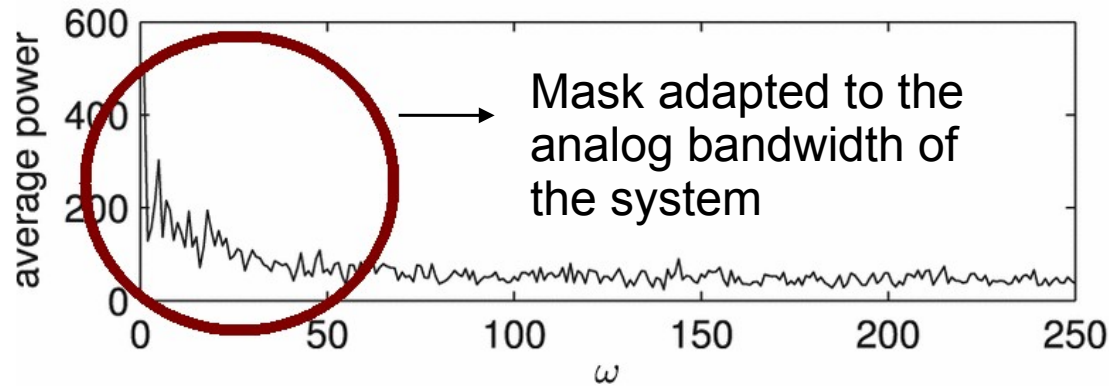
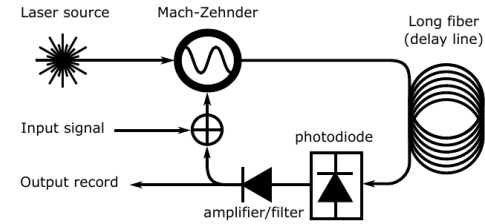


1) Training on model and transfer of parameters to experimental system
(include in the model the detailed characteristics of the experiment:
component tolerance, signal to noise ratio, bandwidth, ...)

2) Training directly on experimental system
(with external feedback or autonomous)



- From random mapping to full optimization
 - Back-propagation through time (BPTT)
 - Optimized mask for the system and the task

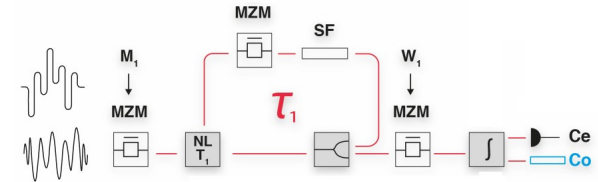


- Learning procedure improves results but increases complexity
 - For handwritten digit recognition task (MNIST) error for RC ~ 7% and BPTT ~ 1%
 - Training time for RC ~ minutes and BPTT ~ hours

M. Hermans, M. C. Soriano, J. Dambre, P. Bienstman, and I. Fischer, “Photonic delay systems as machine learning implementations”, Journal of Machine Learning Research 16, p. 2081-2097 , Oct 2015.

- Online learning strategies for optical neural networks

- No mathematical model needed
- Train input and output weights



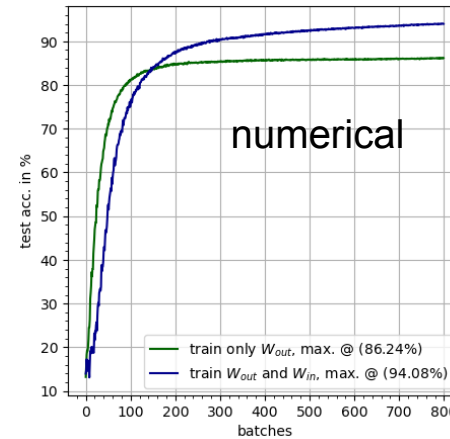
- Extract the system's gradient and use it for learning

- estimating the gradients via sampling (measuring) the error related to small changes in the weights

$$\hat{y} = F(u, W_k), e = y - \hat{y}$$

$$\hat{y}_\delta = F(u, W_k + \alpha\delta W), e_\delta = y - \hat{y}_\delta$$

$$W_{k+1} = W_k + \sum_i^N \eta(e - e_\delta) W_\Delta^i$$



PhD thesis
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- evolutionary strategies based on sampling adaptation: parameter exploring policy gradient (150 neurons with 10 bit weight resolution on MNIST)



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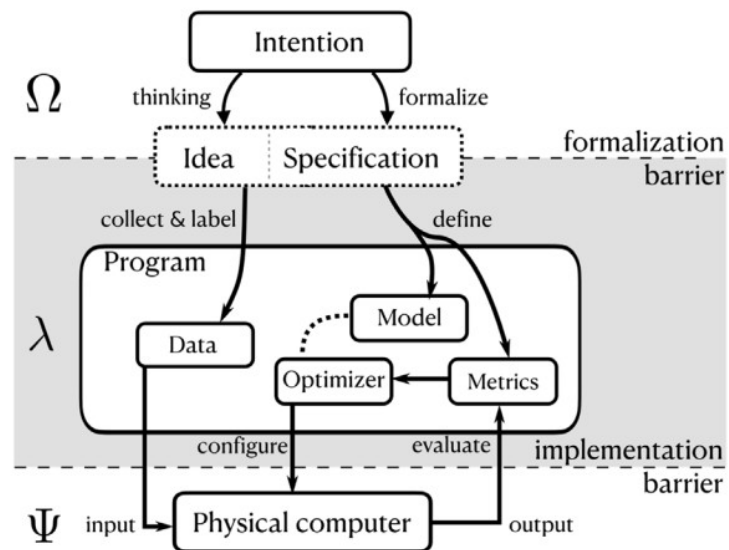
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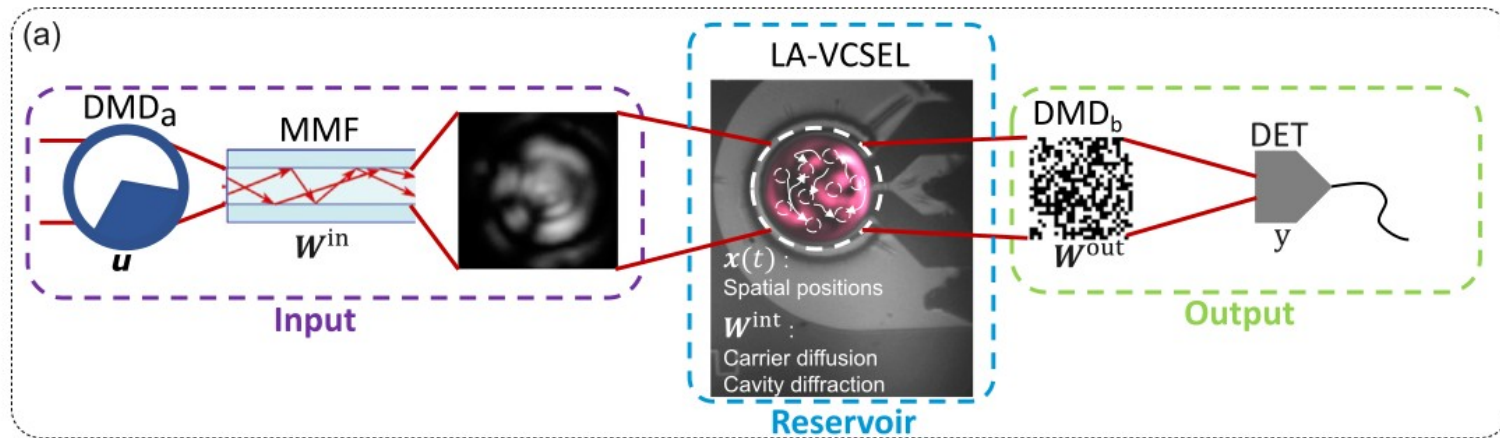
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A photonics perspective on computing with physical substrates

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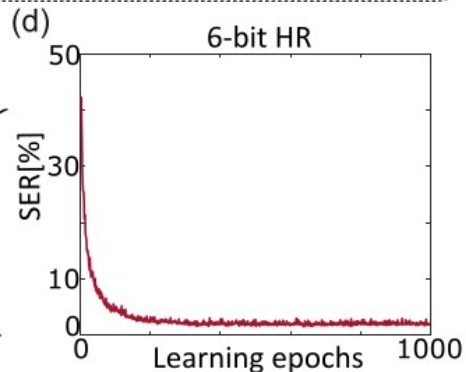
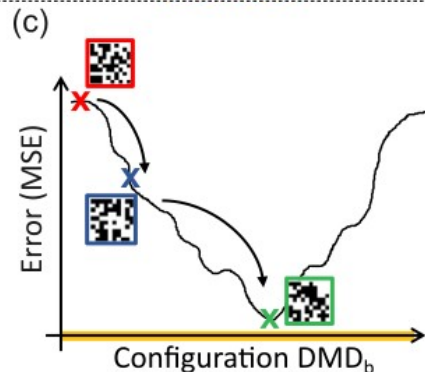
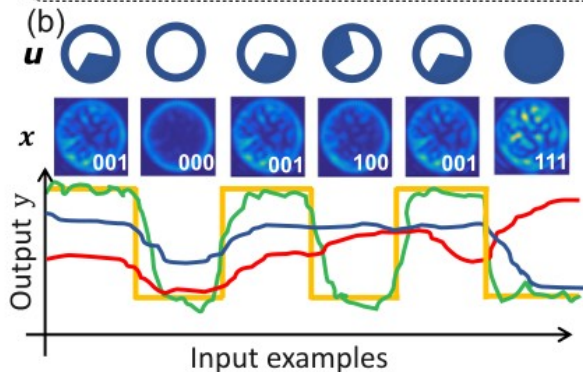




Reservoir: Large-area Vertical Cavity Surface Emitting Laser

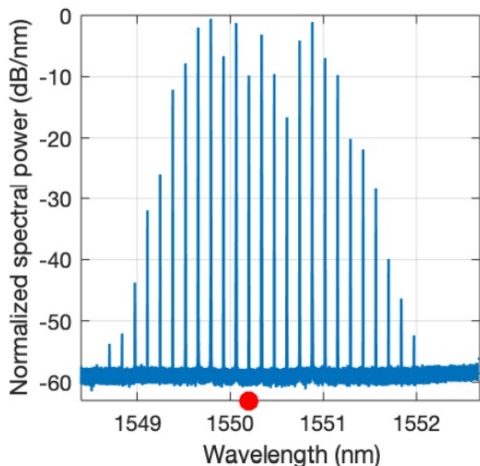
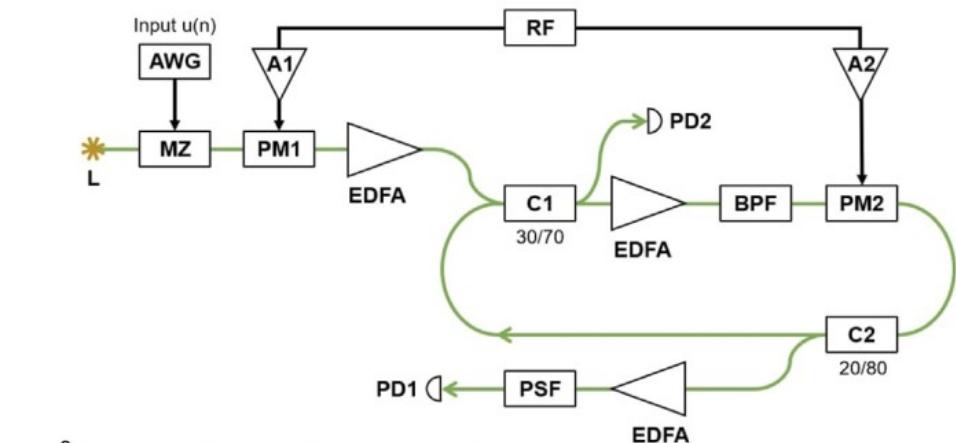
- Different spatial locations as reservoir nodes

- Input and output layer also in hardware!



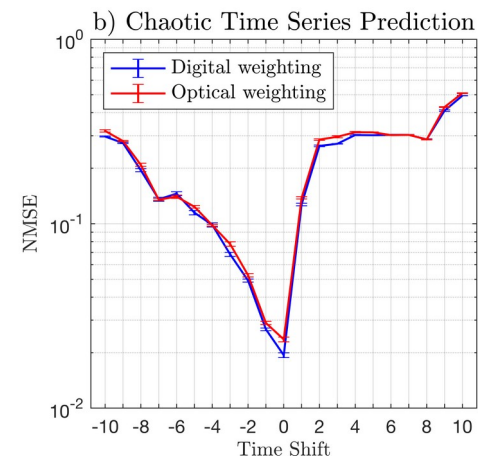
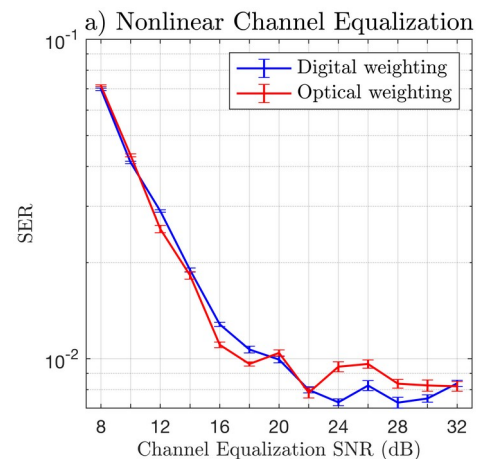
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Demonstrated in benchmark tasks:
 - Nonlinear channel equalization
 - Chaotic time series prediction



Reservoir:
 Optoelectronic
 system

- Frequency lines as reservoir modes



- Recent extension to deep reservoirs!

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- **Information processing with photonic systems and time-multiplexing**

- ~ **From Classical...**

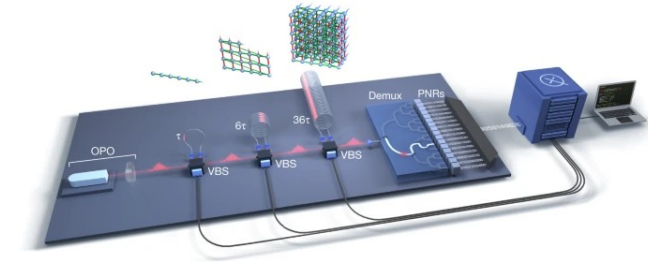
- Speeding up computation with semiconductor lasers
- Integrated photonics
- Training hardware systems

- ~ **To Quantum Reservoir Computing**

- Proposal in a photonic substrate

Advantages of quantum photonics

- High transmission speed
- Long time quantum coherence
- Scalability (time/frequency multiplexing...)



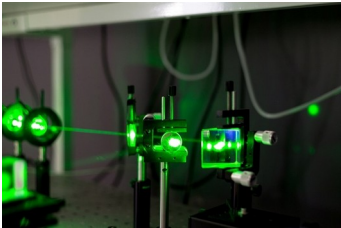
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Advantages of quantum photonics

- High transmission speed
- Long time quantum coherence
- Scalability (time/frequency)

- Fast-evolving field
- Relevant for a wide variety of applications (quantum computing, quantum simulation, quantum communications, etc)

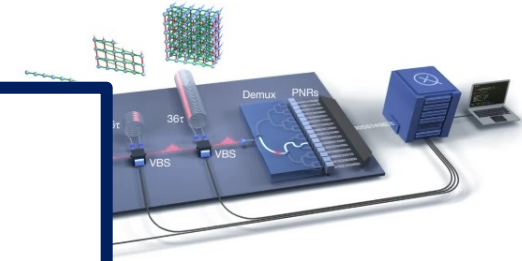
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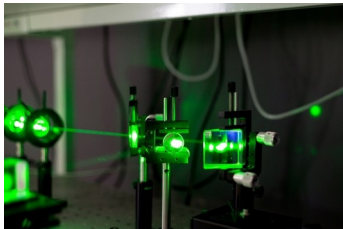
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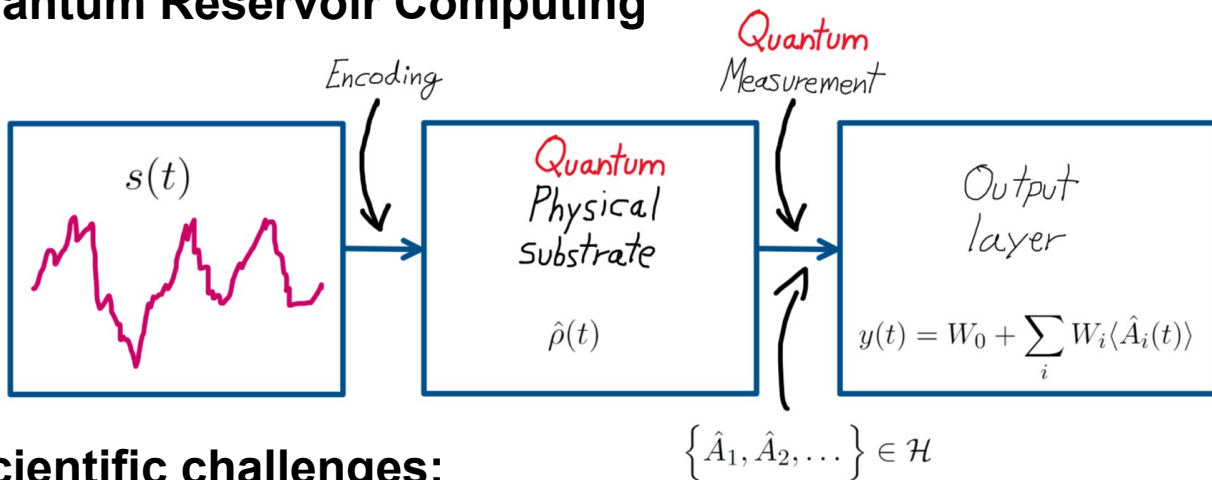
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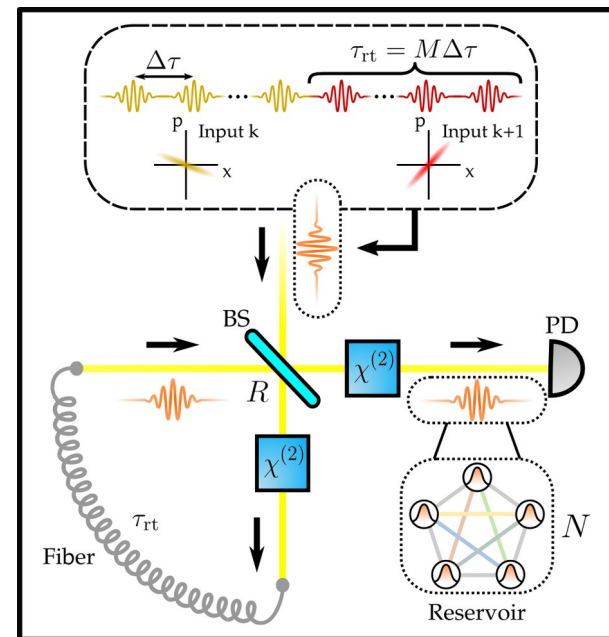
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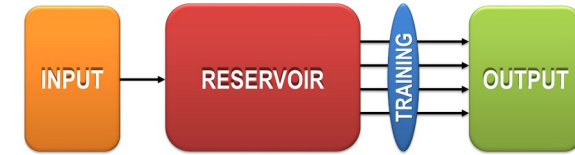
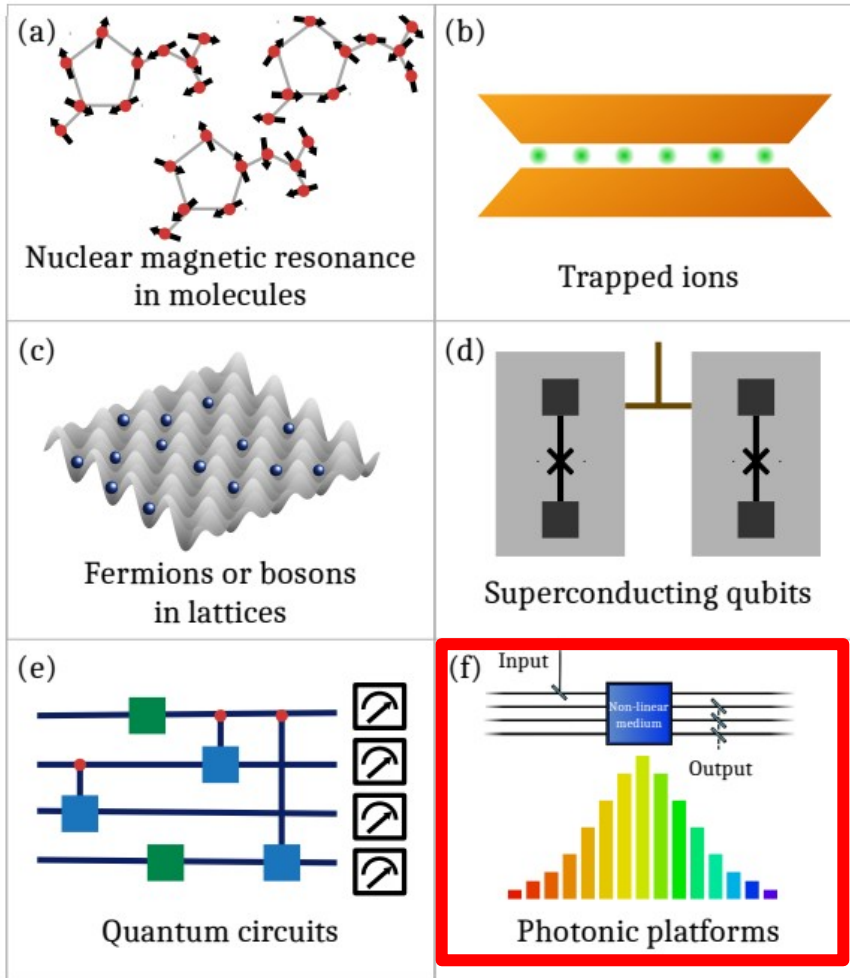
Scientific challenges:

- RC requires **memory**, **nonlinearity**, and **high dimensionality**
- Measurement alters quantum state → memory needs to be preserved
- Output layer over expected values → multiple measurements or multiple copies of the experiment are needed
- Strategies are needed for conducting experiments in **real time**

Proposal in photonics:



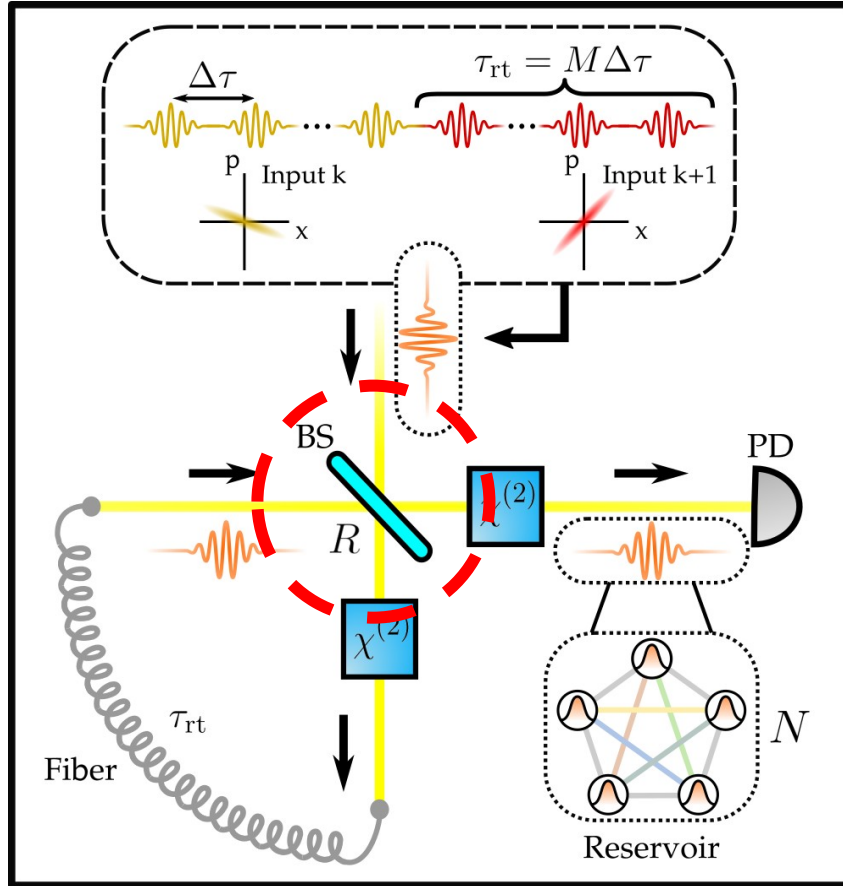
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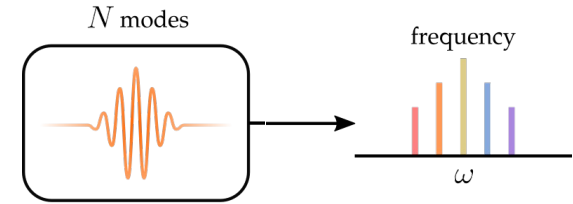
	Classical Substrate \mathbf{x}_k	Quantum Substrate ρ_S
Classical Input	CCC $\{s_k\}, \mathbf{x}_k^{\text{out}} \rightarrow T_C$ [21, 23, 54–60]	CQC $\{s_k\}, \{O_i^{\text{out}}\} \rightarrow T_C$ [33–41, 43, 44, 47, 52]
s_k	CCQ $\{s_k\}, \mathbf{x}_k^{\text{out}} \rightarrow T_Q$	CCQ $\{s_k\}, \{O_i^{\text{out}}\} \rightarrow T_Q$ [48, 49]
Quantum Input	QCC $\{\rho_k^{\text{in}}\}, \mathbf{x}_k^{\text{out}} \rightarrow T_C$	QQC $\{\rho_k^{\text{in}}\}, \{O_i^{\text{out}}\} \rightarrow T_C$
ρ_k^{in}	QCQ $\{\rho_k^{\text{in}}\}, \mathbf{x}_k^{\text{out}} \rightarrow T_Q$ [61]	QQQ $\{\rho_k^{\text{in}}\}, \{O_i^{\text{out}}\} \rightarrow T_Q$ [46, 50, 62, 63]

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Platform scheme:



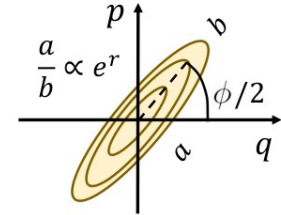
Information carrier: optical pulse



Input ancilla: squeezed vacuum state

Input encoding

$$\phi_k = f(s_k)$$



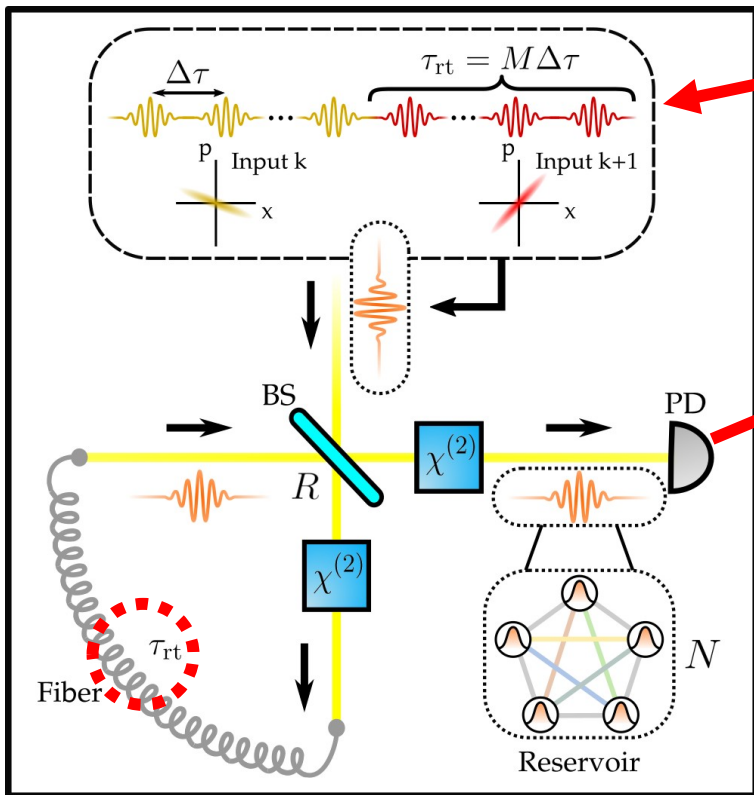
Non-linear crystals: mode coupling

$$\hat{H}_{\chi^{(2)}} = \sum_{i=1}^N \omega_i \hat{a}_i^\dagger \hat{a}_i + \sum_{j>i} \left(g_{ij} \hat{a}_i^\dagger \hat{a}_j + i h_{ij} \hat{a}_i^\dagger \hat{a}_j^\dagger + \text{h.c.} \right)$$

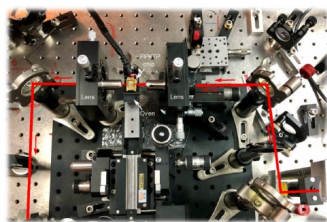
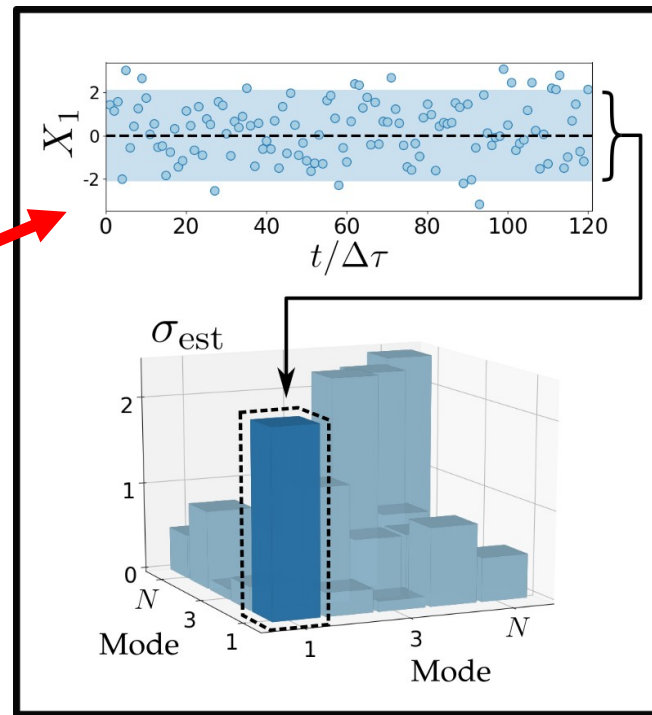
Quantum measurement: photodetection

Homodyne detection of quadratures $\hat{x}_i = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} (\hat{a}_i + \hat{a}_i^\dagger) \quad i = 1, \dots, N$

Platform scheme:



Physical ensemble:



V. Parigi, LKB

Readout observables:

$$\text{Input } s_k \longrightarrow [\sigma_{\text{est}}^{(k)}]_{ij} = \langle X_i^{(k)} X_j^{(k)} \rangle_M - \langle X_i^{(k)} \rangle_M \langle X_j^{(k)} \rangle_M$$

Size of the reservoir (covariance matrix): $N(N+1)/2$

➤ M denotes the number of pulses in the loop and the number of statistical samples for the ensemble

Benchmark tasks

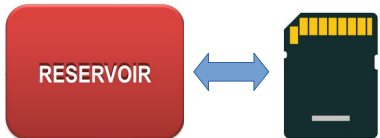


Readout layer $\rightarrow y_k = W_0 + \sum_{i=1}^{\# \text{ obs.}} W_i O_i^{(k)}$

Target function $\rightarrow \bar{y}_k \equiv \mathcal{F}(s_k, s_{k-1}, s_{k-2}, \dots)$

Short-term memory

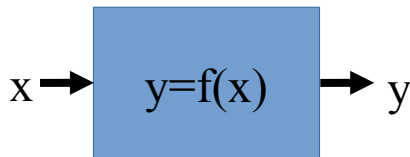
$x(k) = \{3, 4, 2, 9, 6, 1, 8, 5, 2, 3, \dots\}$



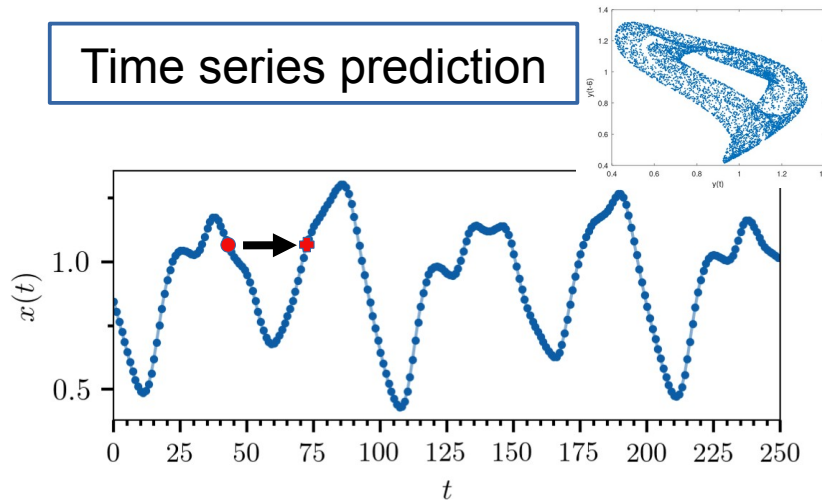
$y = x(k-1) = \{4, 2, 9, 6, 1, 8, \dots\}$

$y' = x(k-3) = \{9, 6, 1, 8, 5, 2, \dots\}$

System identification



Time series prediction

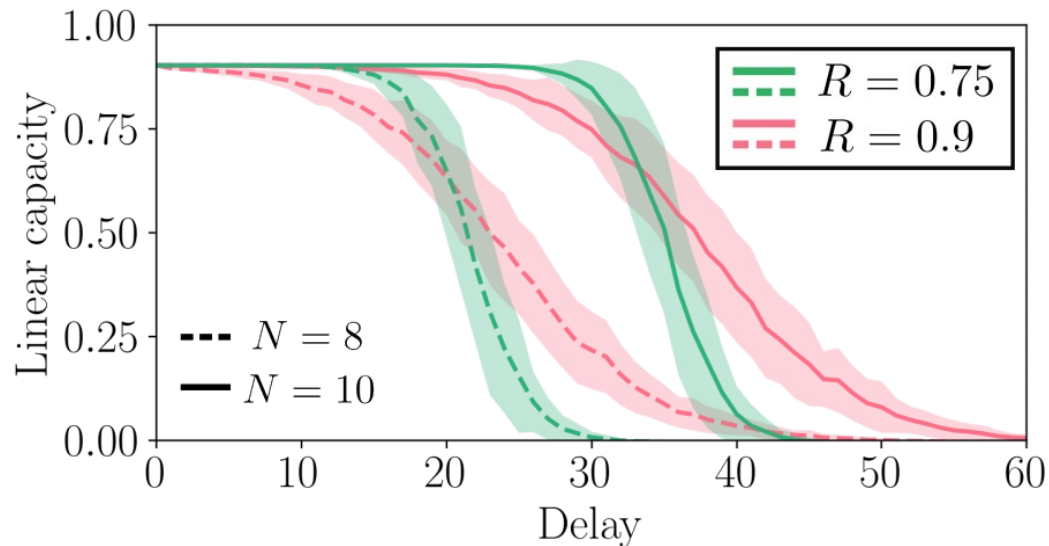


Performance metrics: $MSE_L(\mathbf{y}, \bar{\mathbf{y}}) = \sum_{k=1}^L (y_k - \bar{y}_k)^2$

Capacity

$C_L(\mathbf{y}, \bar{\mathbf{y}}) = 1 - MSE_L(\mathbf{y}, \bar{\mathbf{y}})$

Linear memory capacity



Simulation parameters

- **Input:** $\{s_k\} \in \mathcal{U}_{[-1,1]}$
 $r_k = 1$
 $\phi_k = 3\pi s_k/4$

Reconstruct linear functions of the inputs

$$\bar{y}_k(d) = s_{k-d}$$

Ideal case (infinite ensemble)

- Increasing N : more delay depth, same shape.
- Increasing R : more delay depth, different shape.

Photonic QRC platform has memory!

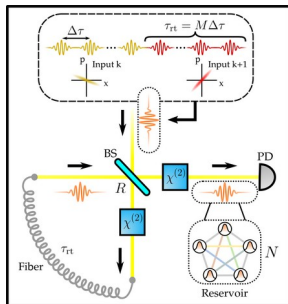
➤ Dynamics:

$$\omega_i = 1 \quad \forall i \quad \Delta t = 1$$

$$g_{ij} \in \mathcal{U}_{[\langle g \rangle - \Delta g, \langle g \rangle + \Delta g]} \quad \left\{ \begin{array}{l} \langle g \rangle = 0.2 ; \langle h \rangle = 0.3 \\ \Delta g = \Delta h = 0.1 \end{array} \right.$$

$$h_{ij} \in \mathcal{U}_{[\langle h \rangle - \Delta h, \langle h \rangle + \Delta h]}$$

From ideal case to finite ensemble



Statistical fluctuations:

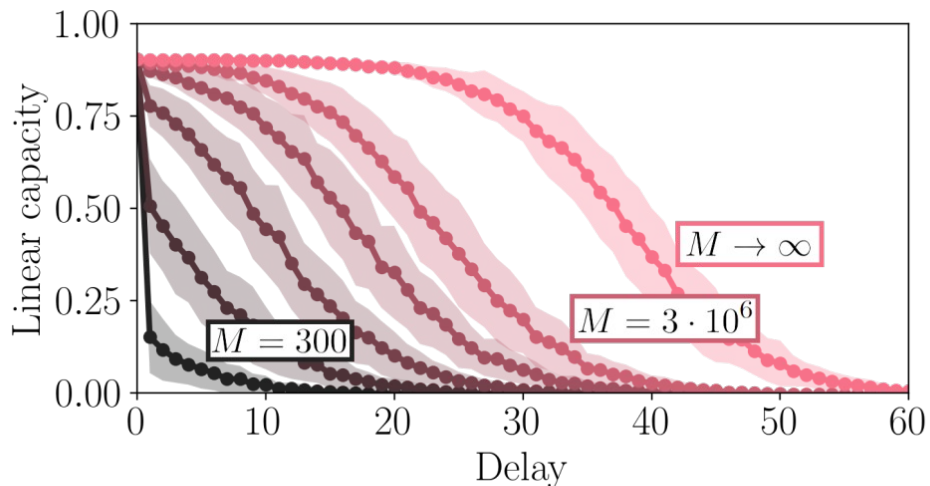
$$\sigma_{\text{est}}^{(k)} = \sigma_{\text{ideal}}^{(k)} + \xi_M^{(k)}$$

- Decomposition of ideal observables + statistical noise



$$\langle |\xi_M| \rangle_{\text{real.}} \propto M^{-1/2}$$

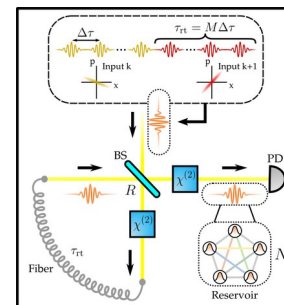
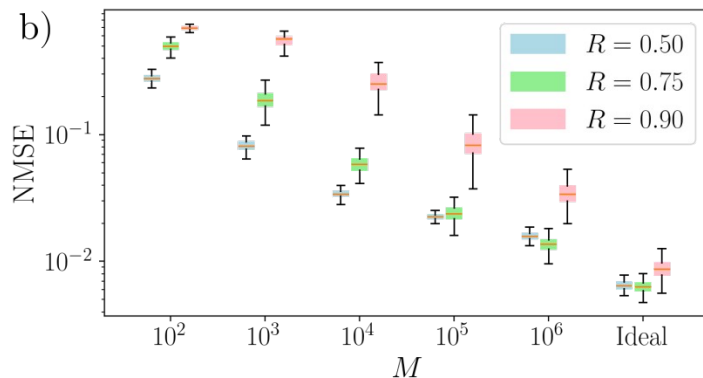
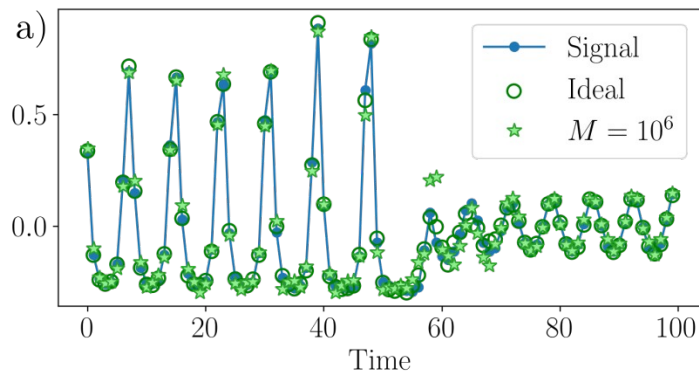
- Statistical noise related to the number of pulses (size of the ensemble M)



- **Finite ensemble:** reduced memory
- Exponential factor increase of M needed to maintain quadratic scaling with N

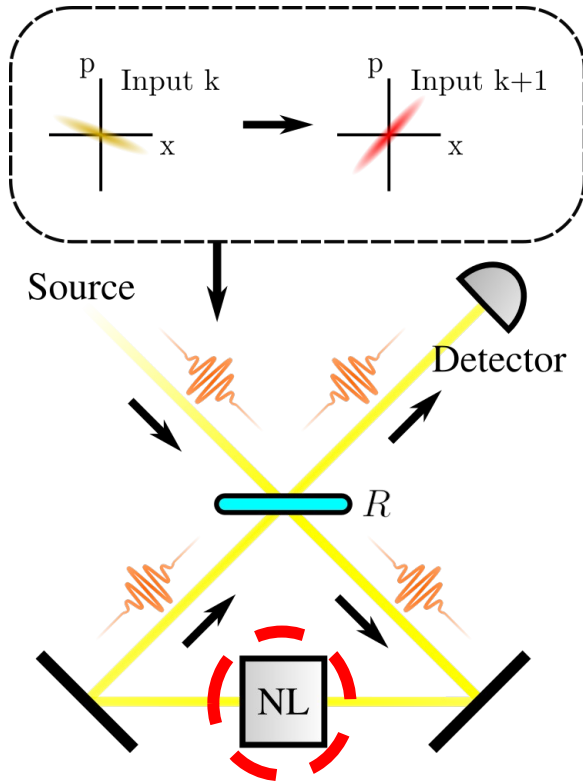
* $M = 300, 3000, 30000, \dots$

Time-series prediction



- With finite number of pulses, high performance for practical benchmarks is possible
- Strategy to improve size scalability and number of needed measurements $M \rightarrow$ balance between signal-to-noise ratio of observables and signal in the loop
- Photonic platform has nonlinearity and high-dimensionality

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Non-linear crystal:

Transformation applied to the quadrature vector:

$$\hat{\mathbf{R}}' = S_{NL} \hat{\mathbf{R}}$$

$$\downarrow \begin{array}{c} \text{Passive} \\ \swarrow \quad \searrow \end{array}$$

$$S_{NL} = U \underbrace{\Delta_r}_{\text{Active (squeezing)}} V$$

Active (squeezing)

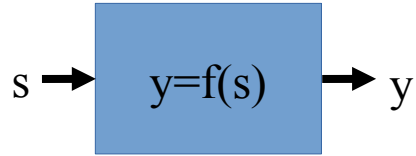


$$\leftarrow \Delta_r = \text{diag} \left(e^{r_1/2}, e^{-r_1/2}, \dots, e^{r_N/2}, e^{-r_N/2} \right)$$

- **Active** transformation: generates squeezing
- **Passive** part: constant number of photons

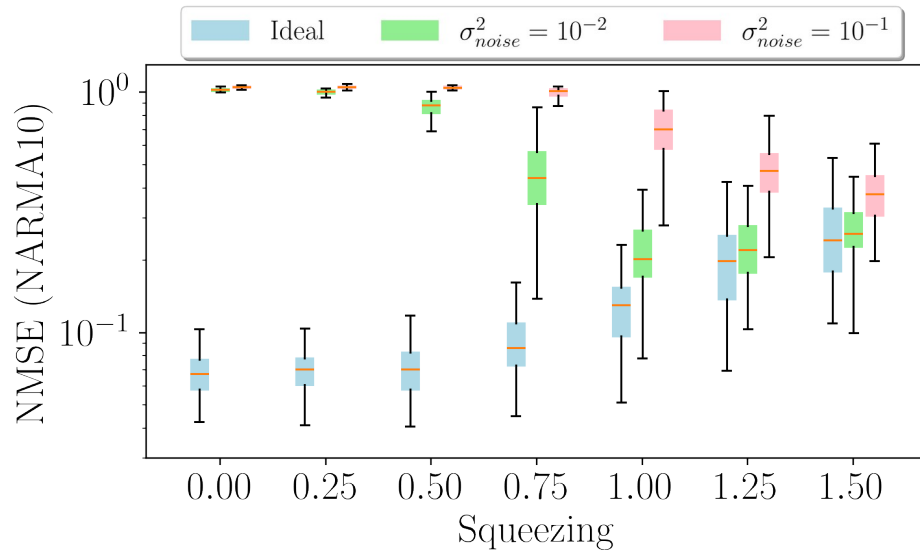
Parameter r determines the squeezing per mode generated by the crystal.

Non-linear system identification task (NARMA10)



Target f: $y_k = 0.3y_{k-1} + 0.05y_{k-1} \sum_{i=1}^{10} y_{k-i} + 0.06s_{k-1}s_{k-10} + 0.1$

- Requires high linear and quadratic memory
- Quite sensitive to readout noise



- Squeezing in active cavity improves the noise robustness of the quantum reservoir

Readout noise

$$\mathbf{O}_{\text{meas}}^{(k)} = \mathbf{O}_{\text{ideal}}^{(k)} + \mathcal{E}^{(k)}(0, \sigma_{\text{noise}}^2)$$

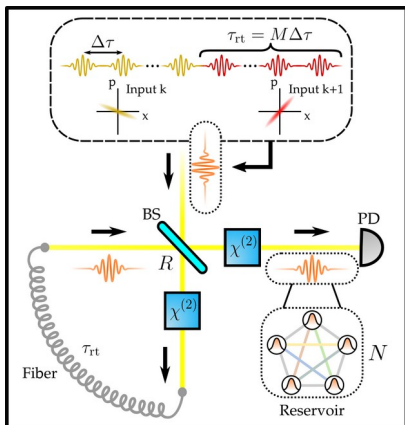
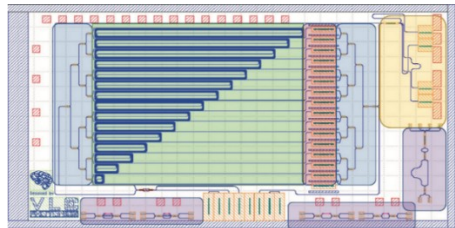
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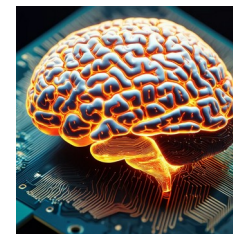
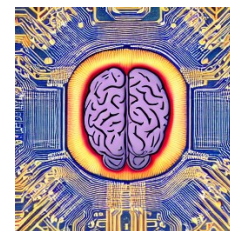


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A human brain on top of a photonic integrated circuit

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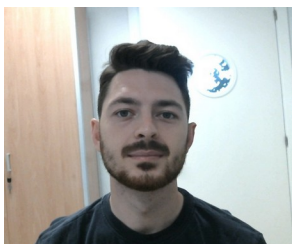
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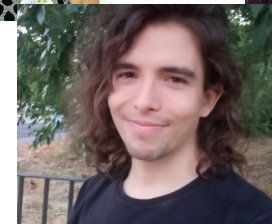
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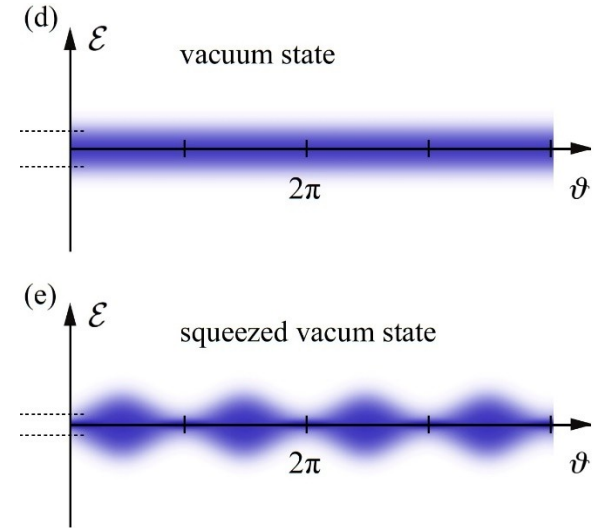
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- Resource for entanglement in CV quantum optics.
- Key to several quantum technologies.



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