

# Outline

## **Block 1 (9:00 - 10:30)**

- Foundations of SPH
- Governing equations
- Time integration
- Example: Our first SPH solver
- Neighborhood Search

Coffee break (30min)

## **Block 2 (11:00 - 12:30)**

- Enforcing incompressibility
  - State equation solvers
  - Implicit pressure solvers
- Boundary Handling
  - Particle-based methods
  - Implicit approaches

Lunch break (60min)

## **Block 3 (13:30 - 15:00)**

- Multiphase fluids
- Highly-viscous fluids
- Vorticity and turbulent fluids
- Demo:

**SPlash**

Coffee break (30min)

## **Block 4 (15:30 - 17:00)**

- Deformable solids
- Rigid body simulation
  - Dynamics and coupling
- Data-driven/ML techniques
- Summary and conclusion

# Smoothed Particle Hydrodynamics

Techniques for the Physics Based Simulation of Fluids and Solids

Part 4

Data-driven / ML Techniques

Dan  
Koschier



Jan  
Bender



Barbara  
Solenthaler



Matthias  
Teschner



# Motivation

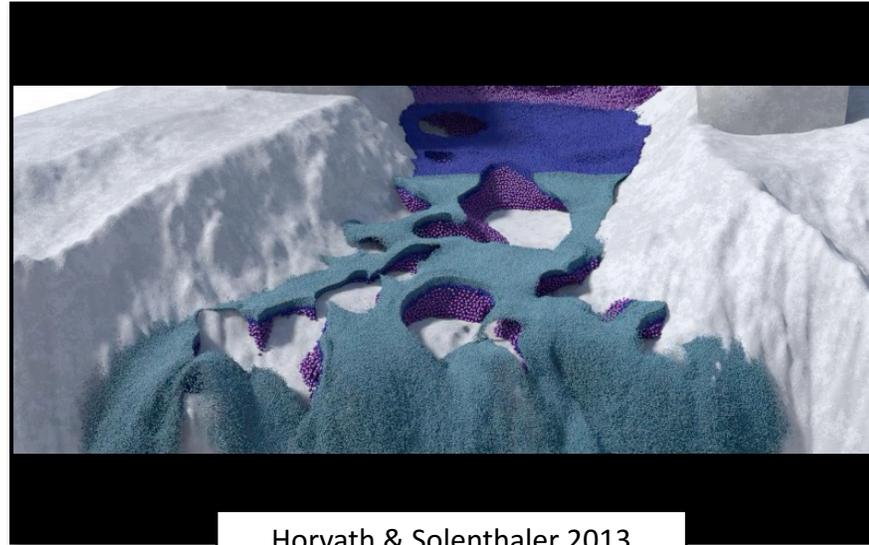
- Substantial improvements in speed, robustness, versatility...

## Incompressibility



Ihmsen et al. 2013

## Multi-scale simulations



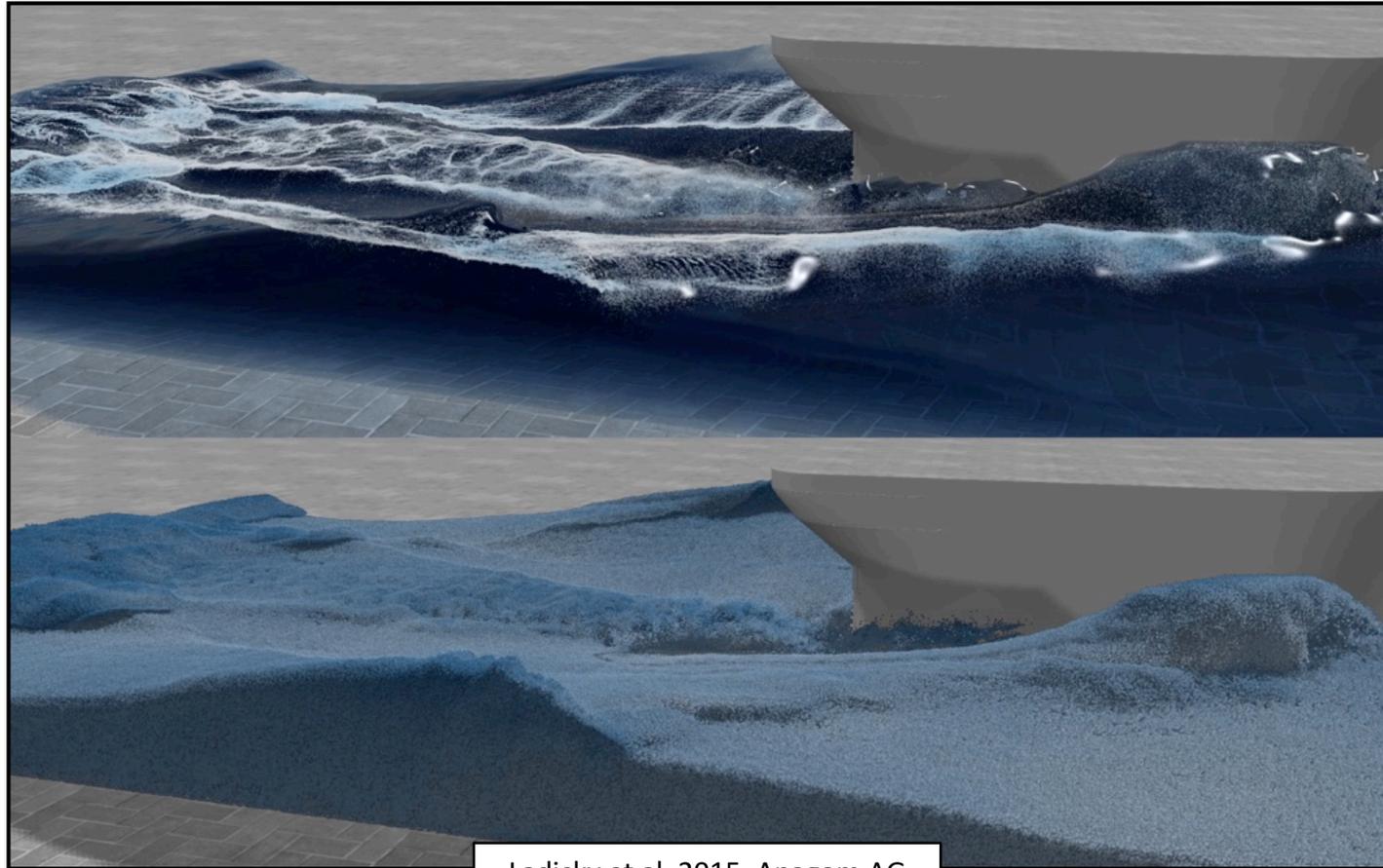
Horvath & Solenthaler 2013

- Potential of data-driven approaches?
  - PhysicsForest: Real-time SPH simulations
  - Deep Learning & Fluids: Related work and Outlook

- Computation time
- Trial & error, parameters
- Data reuse
- Edit & control simulations
- ...

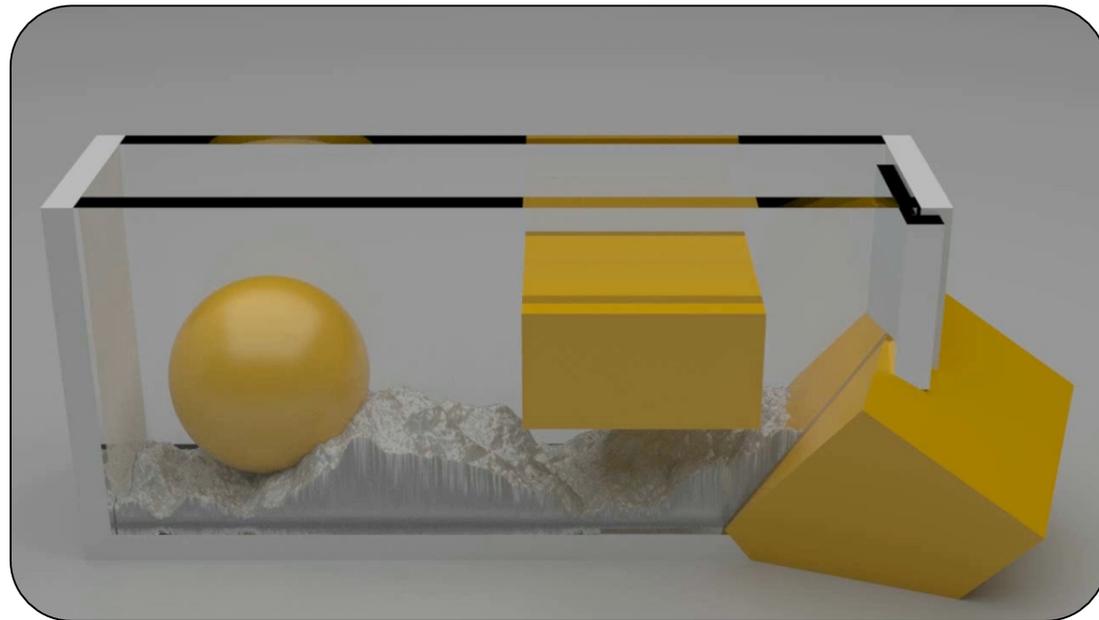
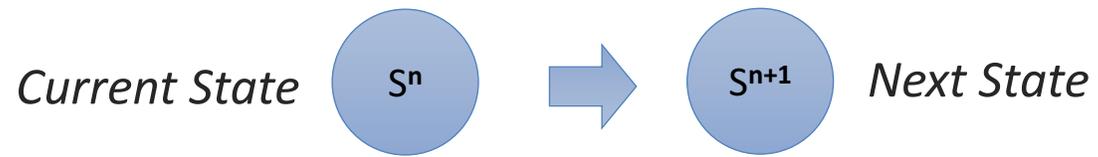
# Machine Learning based Simulations

Real-time prediction of fluids with Regression Forests



Ladicky et al. 2015, Apagom AG

# Physics Forest



Simulation training data

Regression  
Model

Data size:  
165 scenes x 6s x 30fps x 1-6M particles

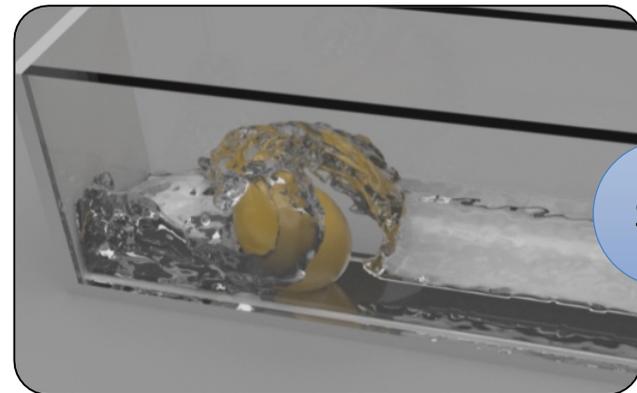
Training

# Physics Forest

- 1) Regression method?
- 2) Input and output of regression?
- 3) Feature vector?



*Current State*



*Next State*

$S^n$

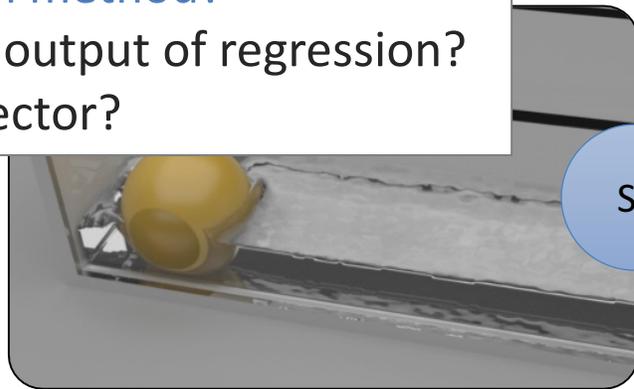
$S^{n+1}$

Regression  
Model

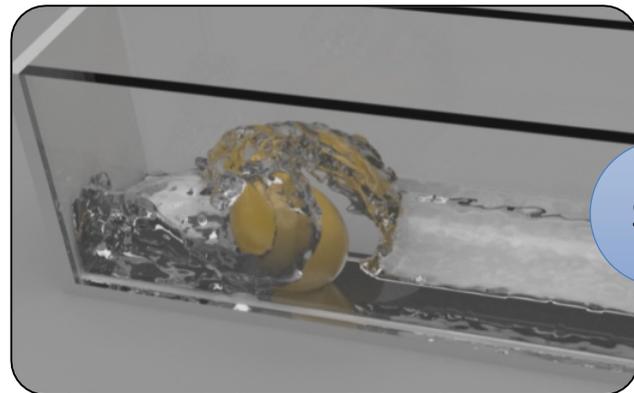
Test

# Physics Forest

- 1) Regression method?
- 2) Input and output of regression?
- 3) Feature vector?



*Current State*



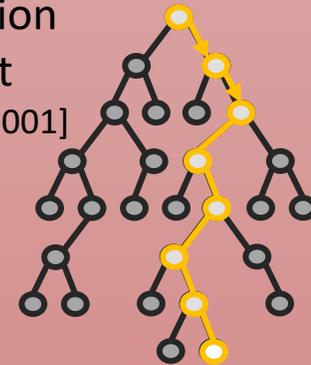
*Next State*

$S^n$

$S^{n+1}$

Regression  
Model

Regression  
Forest  
[Breiman 2001]



Test

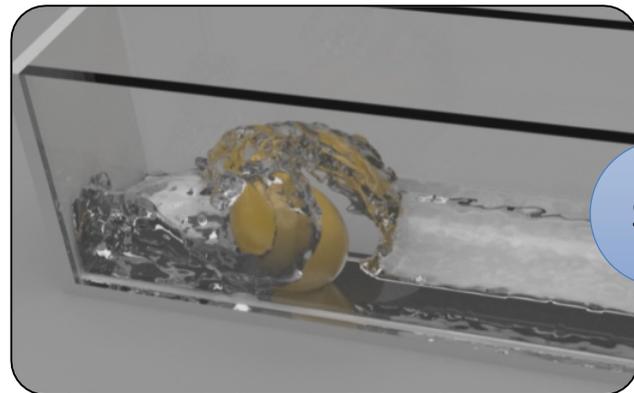
# Physics Forest

- 1) Regression method?
- 2) Input and output of regression?
- 3) Feature vector?



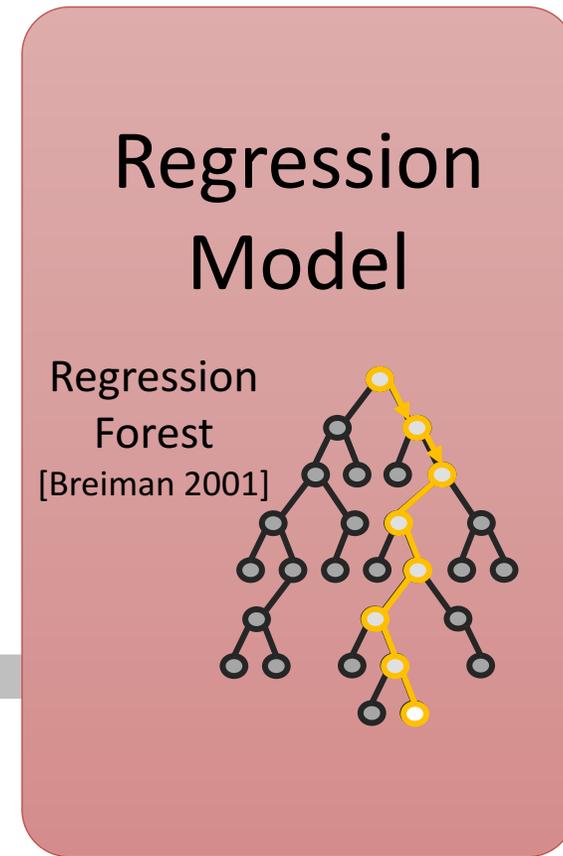
*Current State*

$S^n$



*Next State*

$S^{n+1}$

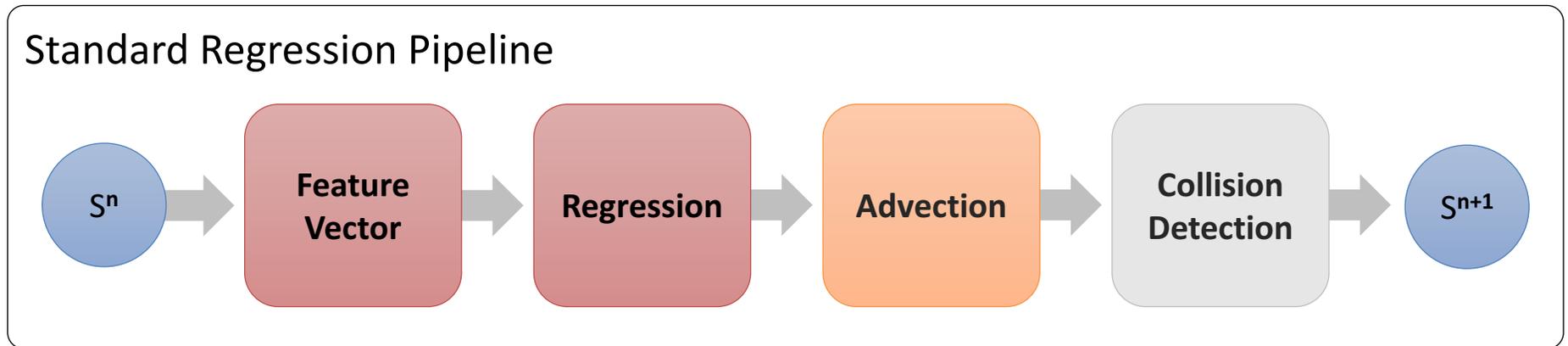


**Test**

# Learning Strategies

Learn velocity or acceleration?  
Problem: no self-correction possible

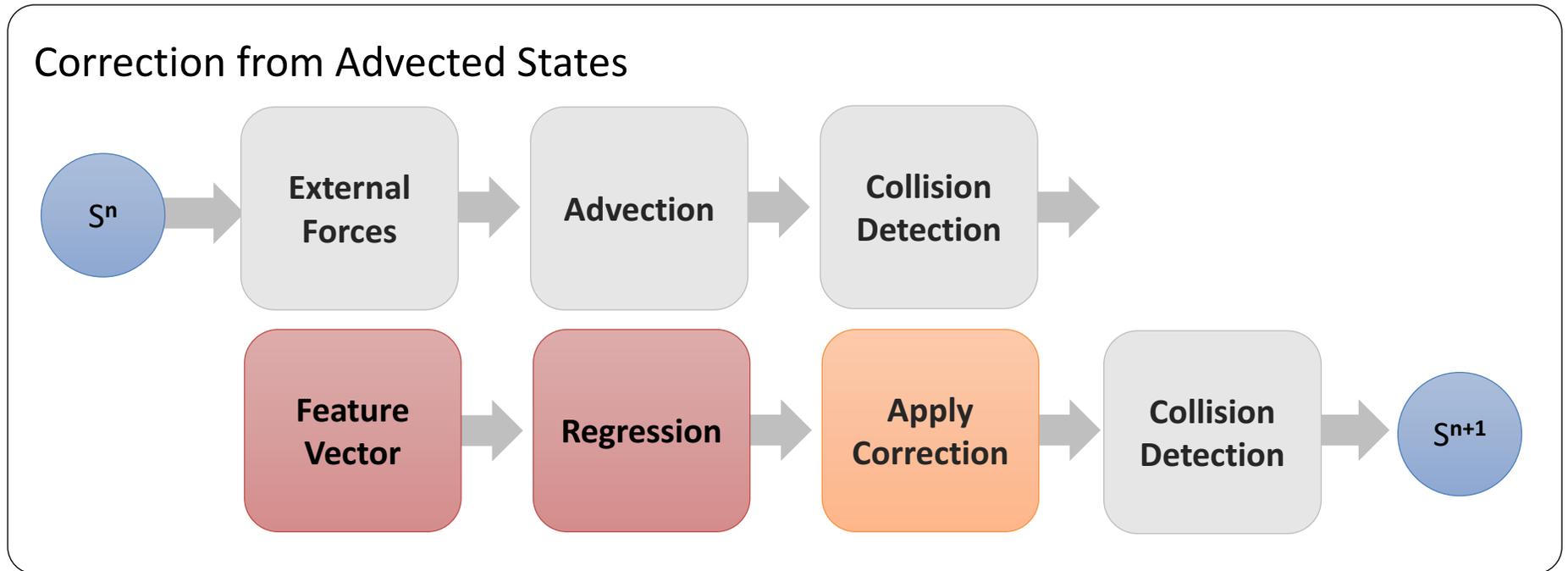
*Naïve approach*



Learn accelerations  
-> *mimics standard SPH (no incompressibility)*

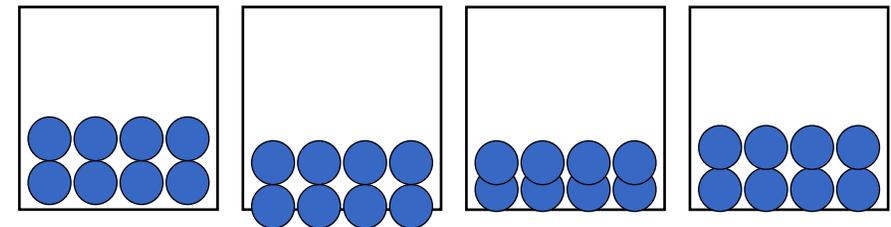
# Learning Strategies

**Correction approach**



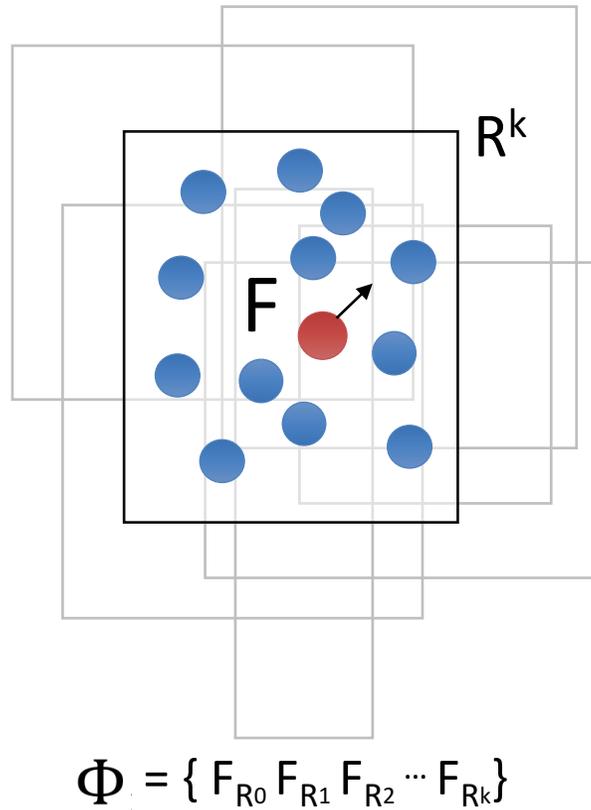
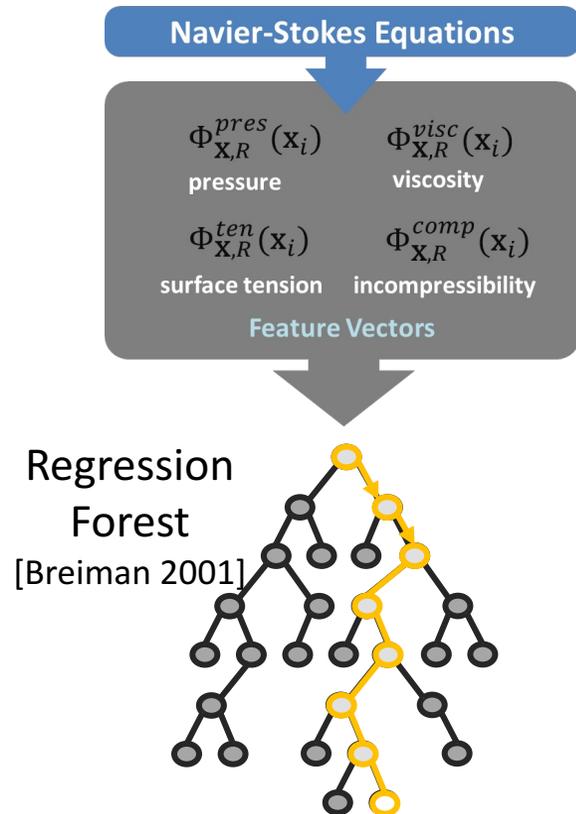
Learn acceleration corrections  
-> *mimics PCISPH (incompressibility)*

Learn **velocity** corrections  
-> *mimics PBD (incompressibility)*



# Feature Vector

- 1) Regression method?
- 2) Input and output of regression?
- 3) Feature vector?



*Integral features:*

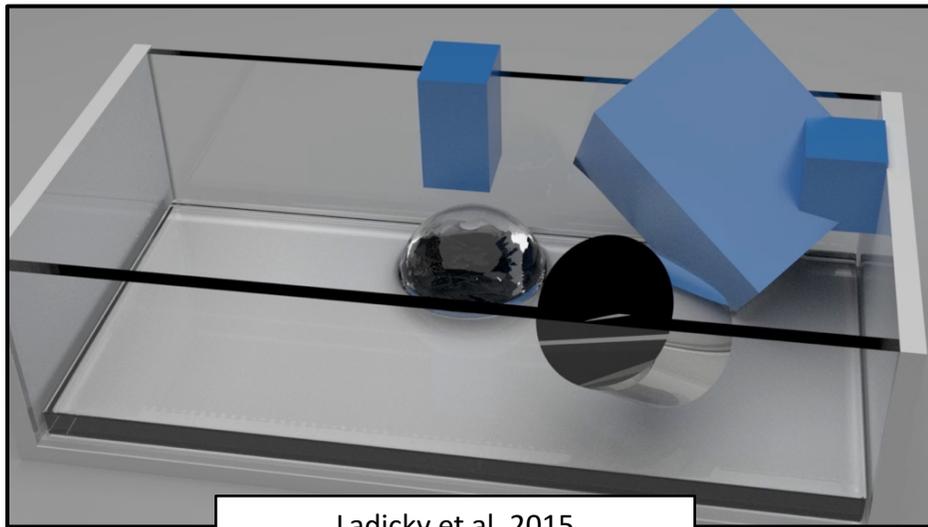
Flat-kernel sums of rectangular regions around particle

- Regional forces and constraints over the set of boxes
- Fast evaluation
- Robust to small input deviations
- Evaluation in constant time (linear in number of particles)

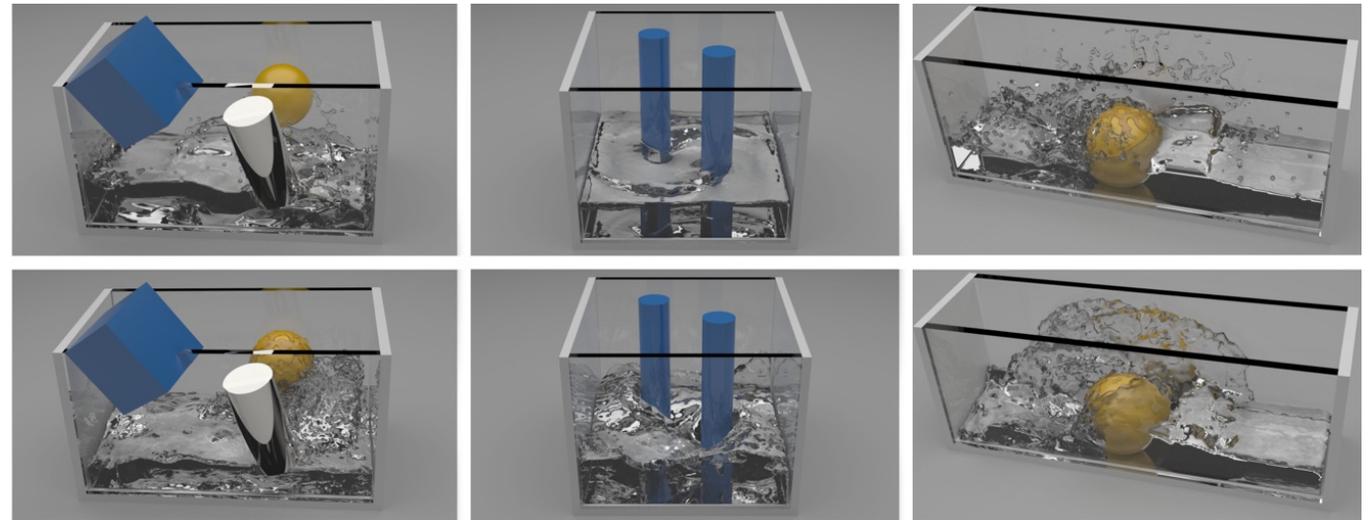
# Training Data and Performance

- Data size: 165 scenes x 6s x 30fps x 1-6M particles
- Training: 4 days on 12 CPUs
- Size of trained model: 40MB
- Only use most discriminative features (pressure, compressibility)

1-1.5M particles in real-time



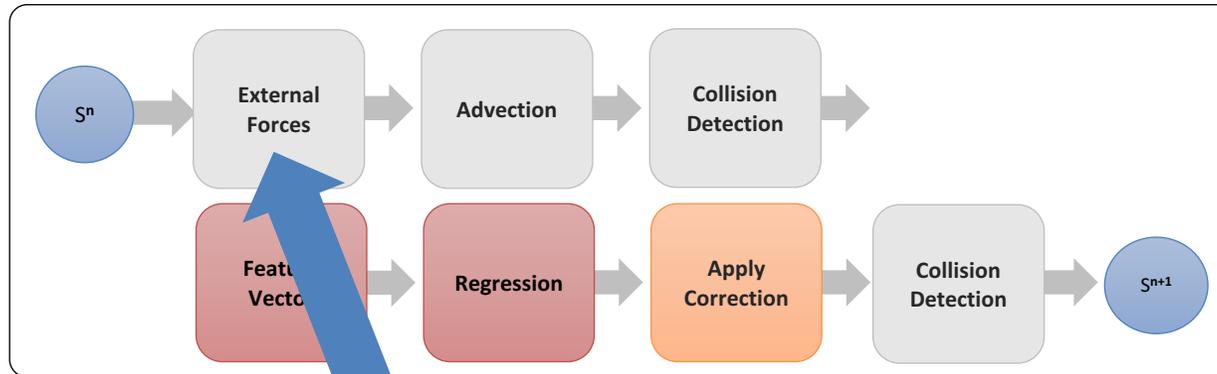
Ladicky et al. 2015



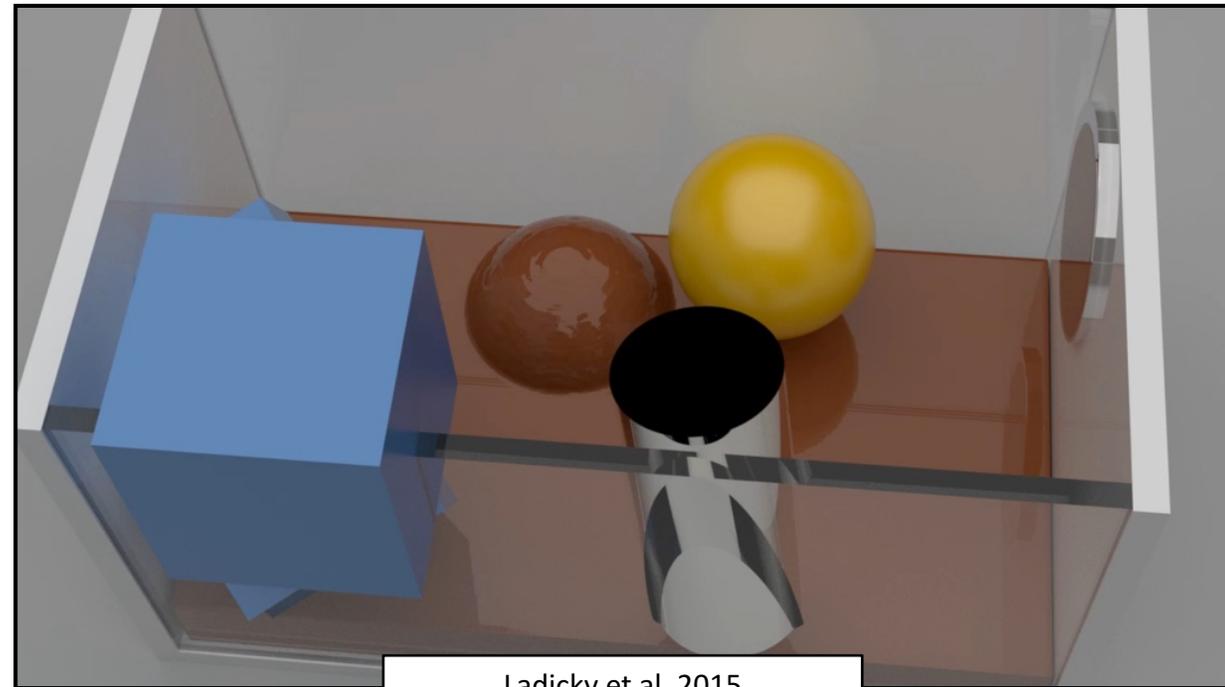
Ground Truth

RegFluid

# Varying Material Properties



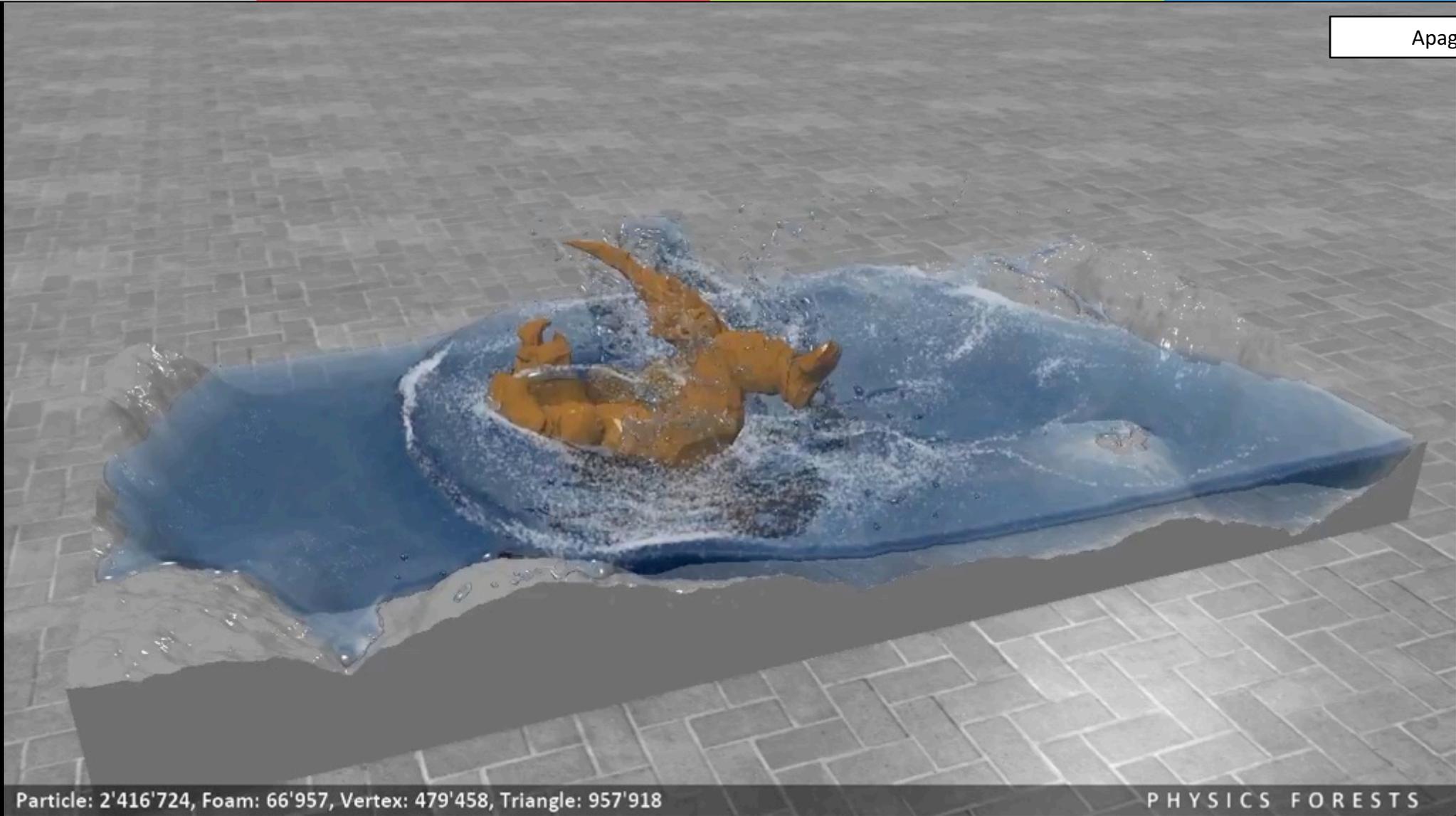
- Viscosity
- Surface Tension
- Static Friction
- Adhesion
- Drag
- Vorticity Confinement



Ladicky et al. 2015

# Real-time Simulations with PhysicsForests

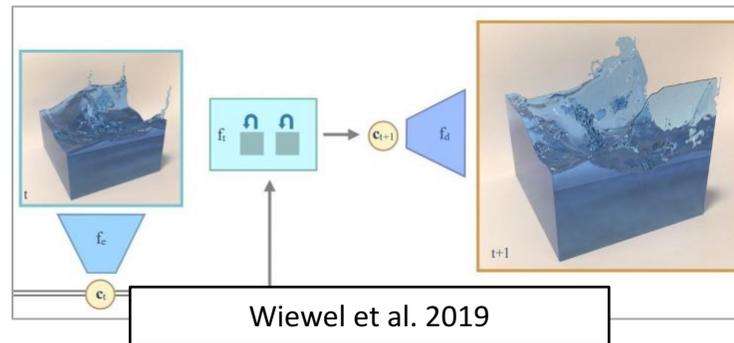
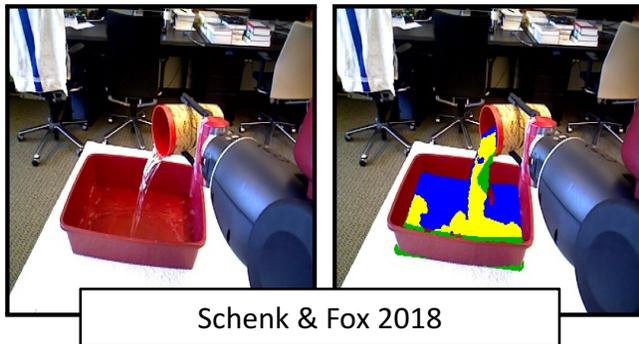
Apagom AG



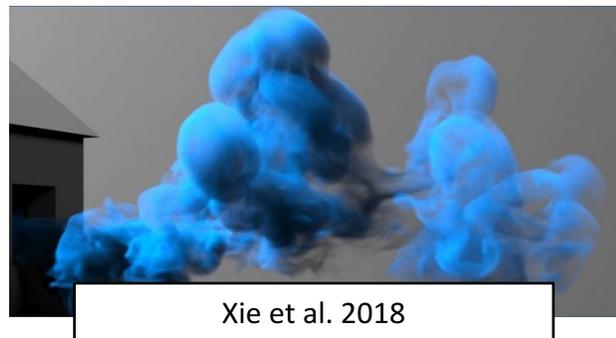
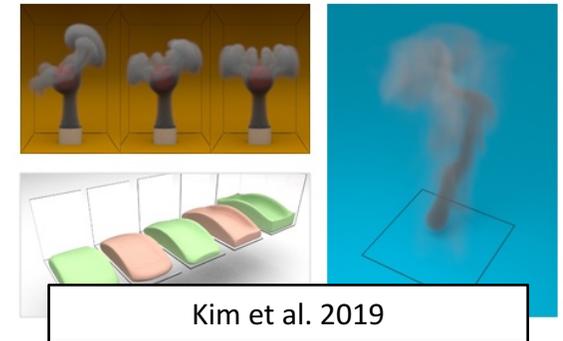
# Related Work

- RegressionFluid: fast, but hand-crafted features  
-> Deep Learning (DL)
- Using DL for fluids (physics) is largely unexplored!

*Talk tomorrow 10:00*



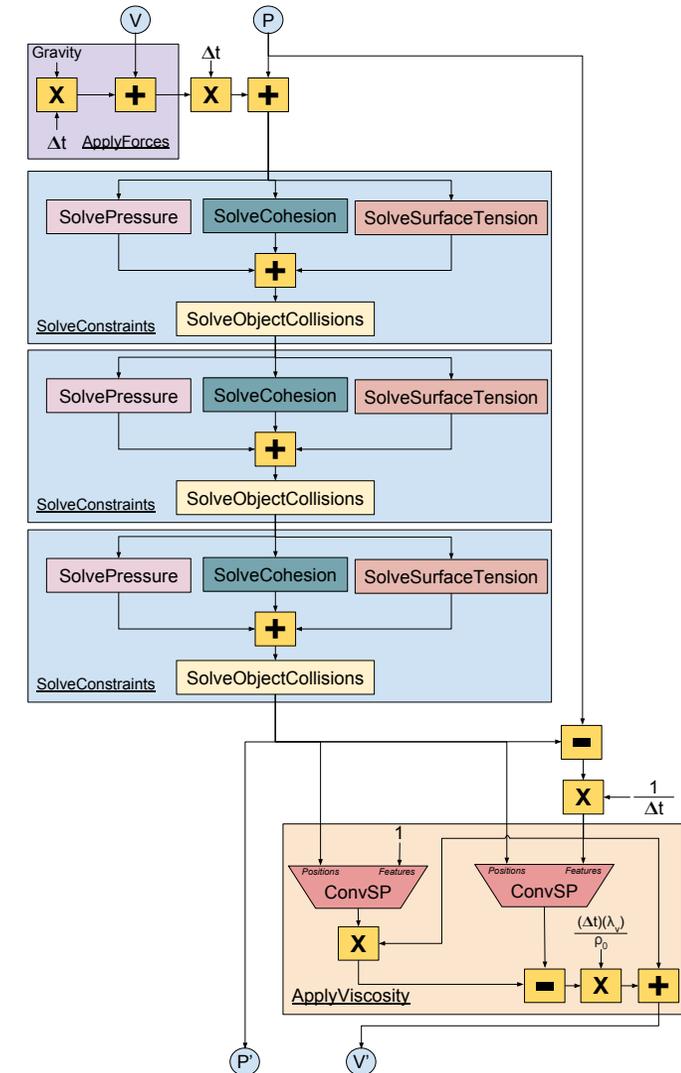
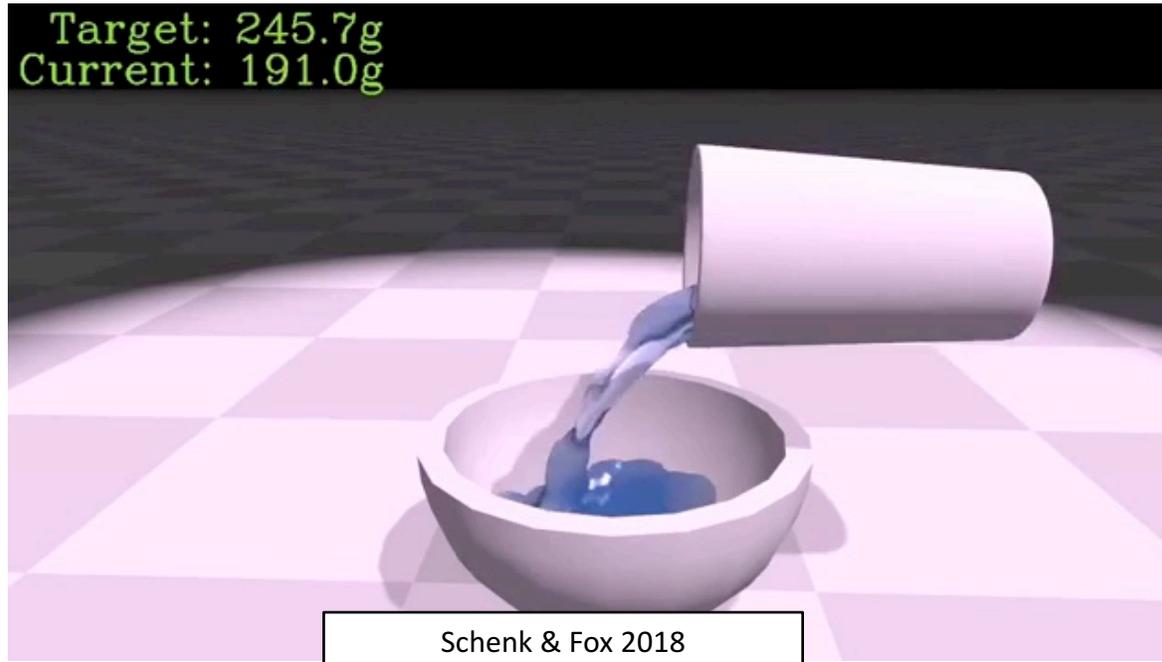
*Talk tomorrow 9:30*



*Panel discussion CreativeAI tomorrow 9:30*

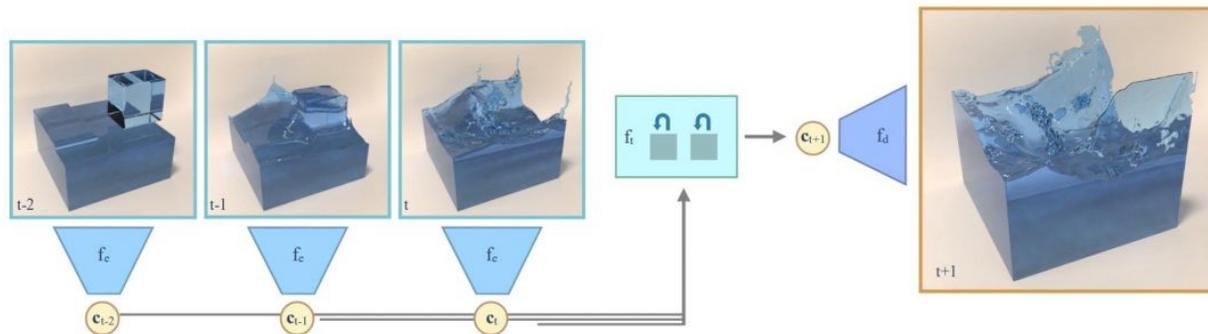
# SPNets - Smoothed Particle Network for PBF

- PBF with a deep neural network  
-> can compute full analytical gradients (differentiable solver)
- Two new layers: ConvSP for particle-particle interactions  
ConvSDF for particle-object interaction
- Robots interacting with liquids (learning parameters, control)



# Latent Space Physics – Learning Temporal Evolution

- LSTM network to predict changes of pressure field over time (3D + time) within the latent space
- Uses a history of 6 steps to infer next [1...x] steps, followed by a regular sim step
- 155x speed-up

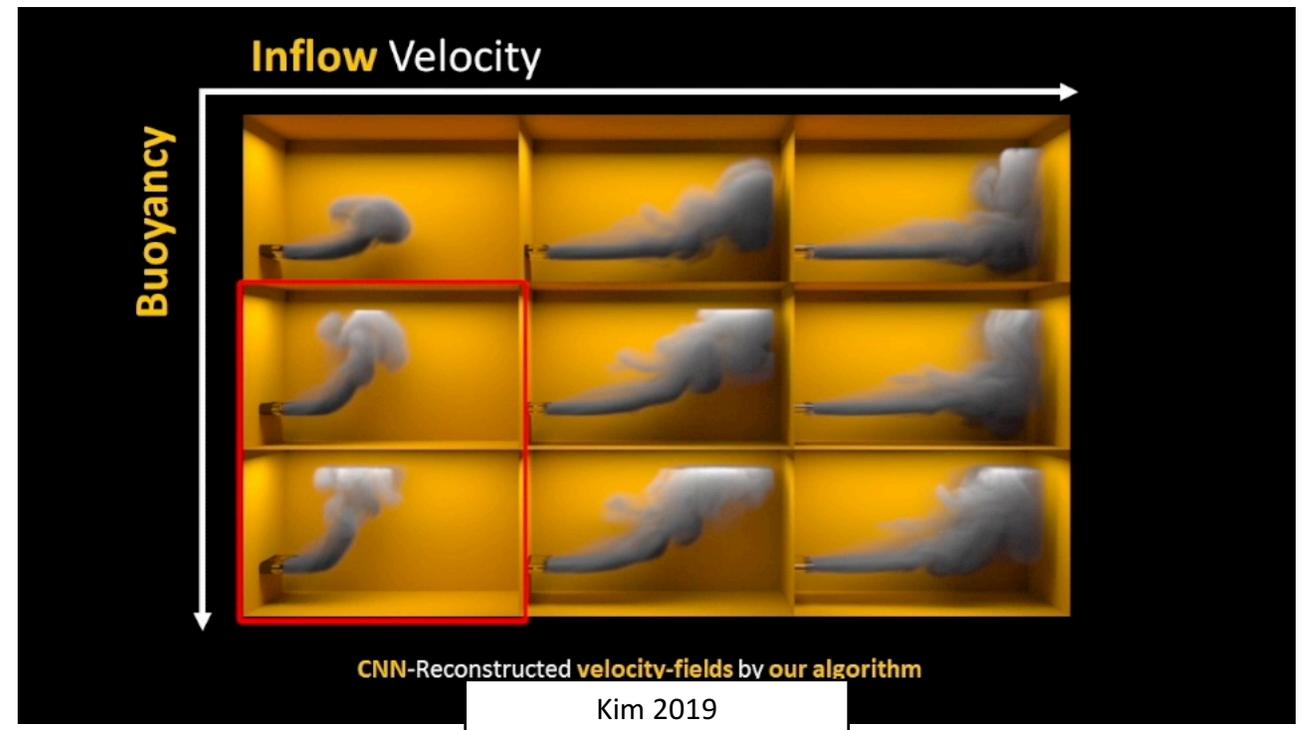
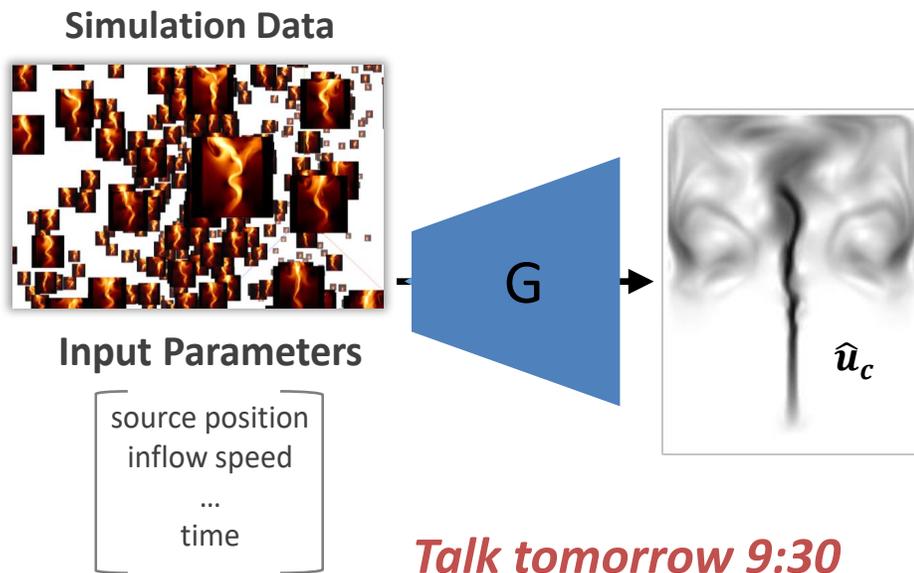


**Talk tomorrow 10:00**



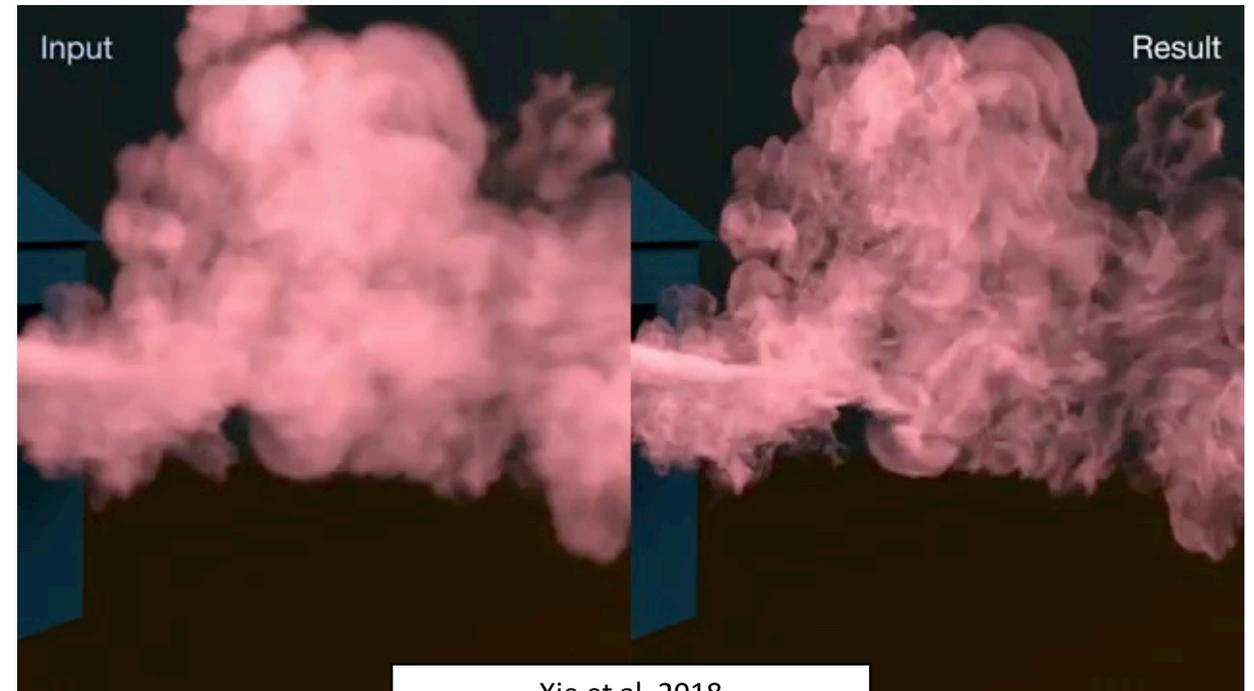
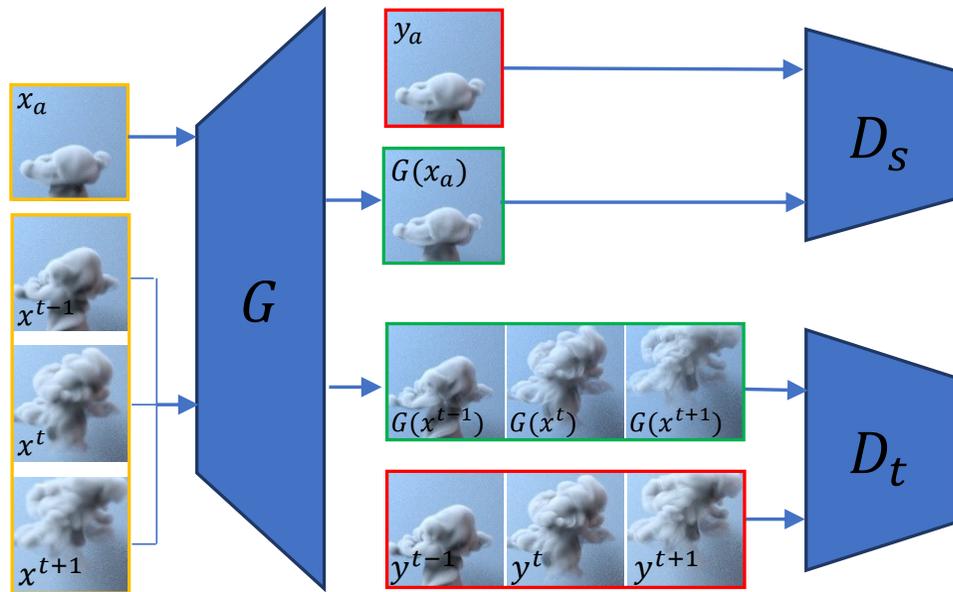
# DeepFluids: Generative Net for Parameterized Simulation

- Input parameterizable data set
- Generative network with supervised training
- Latent space time integration network
- >1300x compression, >700x speed-up, trained model 30MB



# TempoGAN - Superresolution Fluids

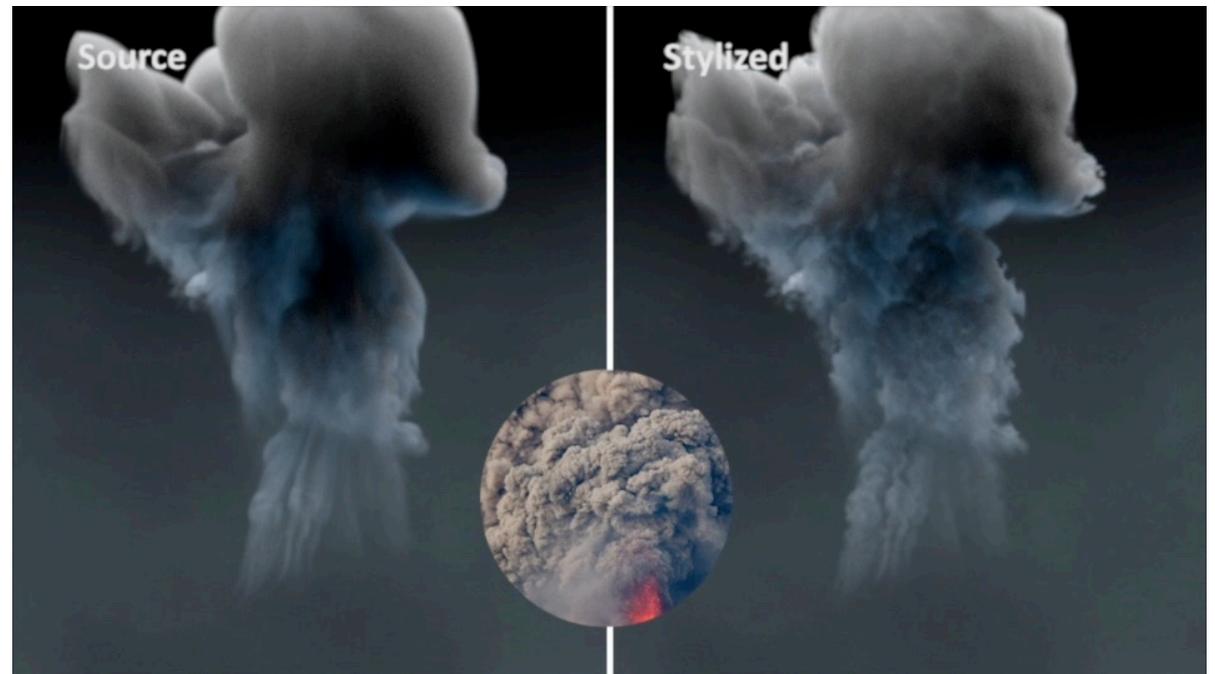
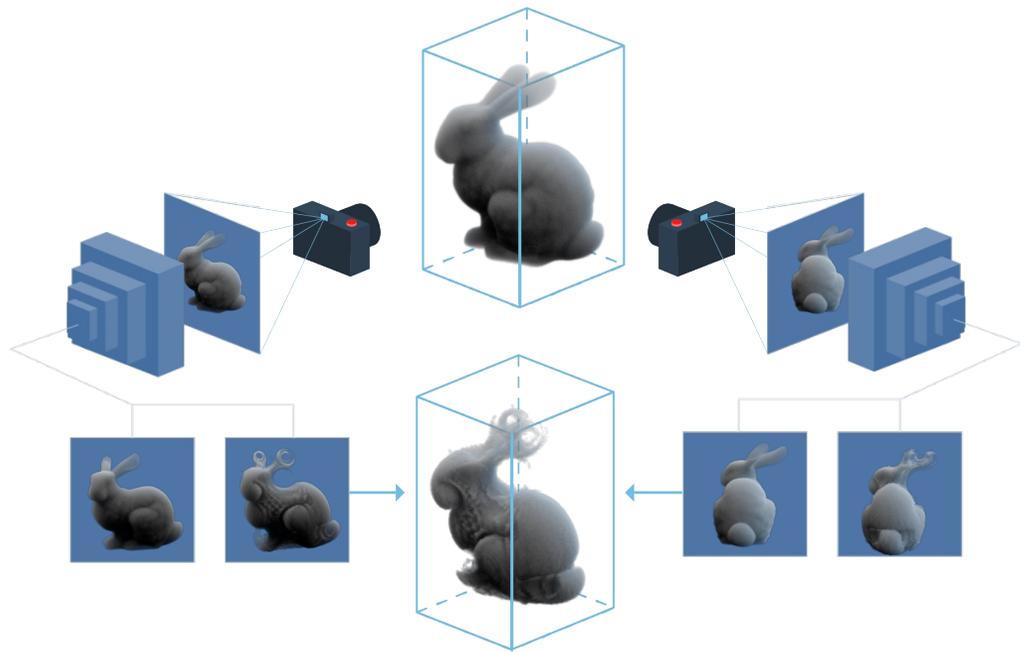
- Infer high-resolution details
- Generator, guided during training by two discriminator networks (space and time)
- Training data: low- and high-res density pairs (density, velocity, vorticity)



Xie et al. 2018

# FlowStyle – Neural Stylization of Flows

- Transfer low- and high-level style features from images to 4D fluid data
- Structurally and temporally coherent
- Pre-trained networks on images, 3d reconstruction



# Potential and Challenges of Data-driven Fluids

## *Unexplored area*

Exciting research, triggers research and collaborations across disciplines

## *What is the potential of data-driven simulations?*

Computational speed, data compression, novel applications: quick simulation previews, interpolation of simulations, image-based modeling and control...

## *Use DL as a black box?*

No; synergistic combination of mathematical models and data

## *What are the challenges?*

Loads of data (expensive, lack of data sets), training time / re-training, visual quality (memory limitations), 4D data, network architecture and parameters