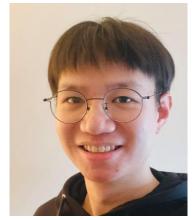
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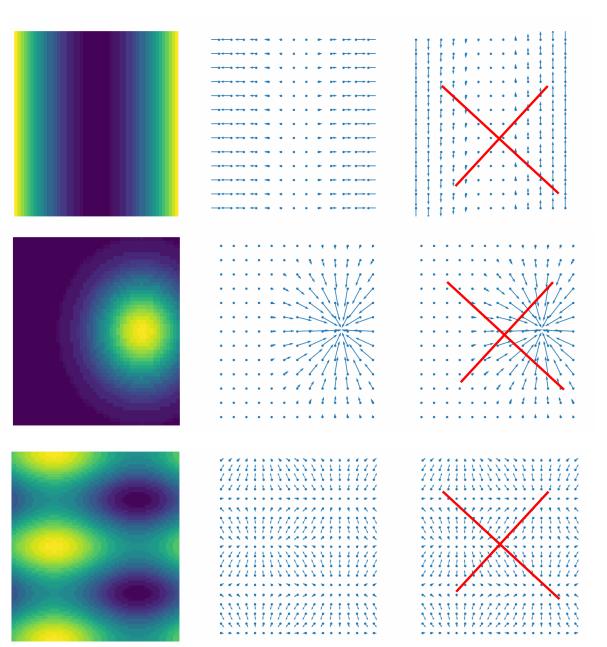








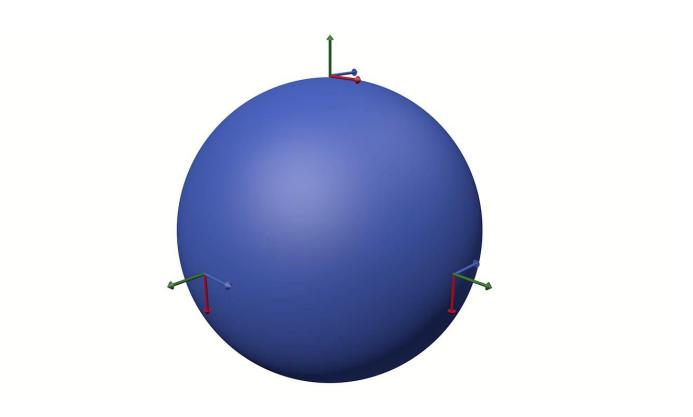
#### Motivation



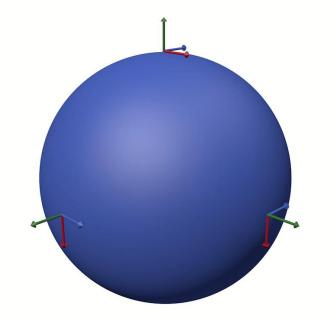
Unified way to design kernel

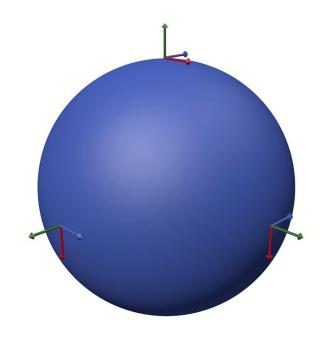
From Fourier perspective

**Expressive nonlinearity** 



$$gs(x) = s(gx) \mathsf{h}(g,x) \quad s : G/H \to G$$





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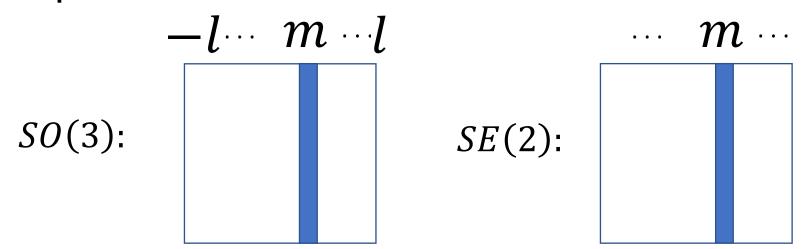
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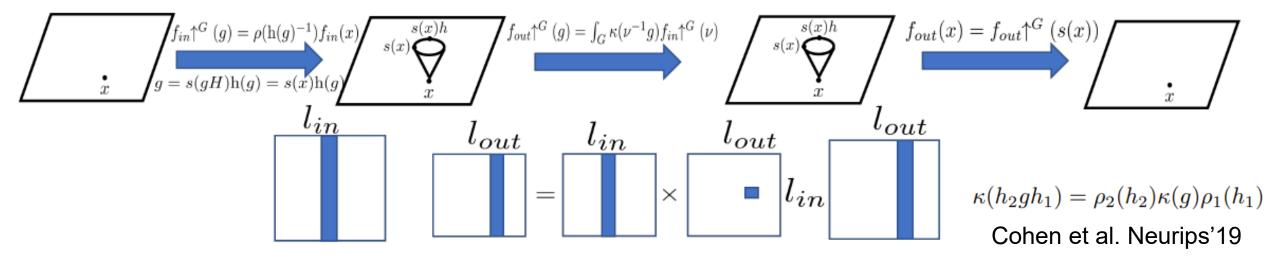
Assume G is a unimodular group and its stabilizer subgroup is a compact Lie group. A Mackey function  $f \uparrow^G : G \to V$  lifted via  $f \uparrow^G (g) = \rho(\mathsf{h}(g)^{-1}) f(gH)$  from a field  $f : G/H \to V$  has the following sparsity pattern in the Fourier domain:  $\left[\widehat{f \uparrow^G}\right](p)_{\star,j}$  could be nonzero only if the block at column j in the decomposition of  $U(\cdot,p)|_H$  is equivalent to the dual representation of  $\rho$ .

#### **Examples:**

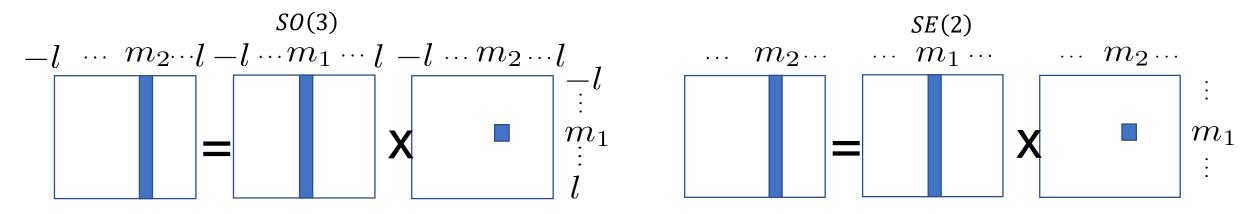


## Sparsity in Spectrum

$$f_{out}(x) = (\Lambda_2^{-1}(\kappa * (\Lambda_1 f_{in})))(x) = \int_G \kappa(g^{-1}s(x))(\Lambda_1 f_{in})(g)dg$$



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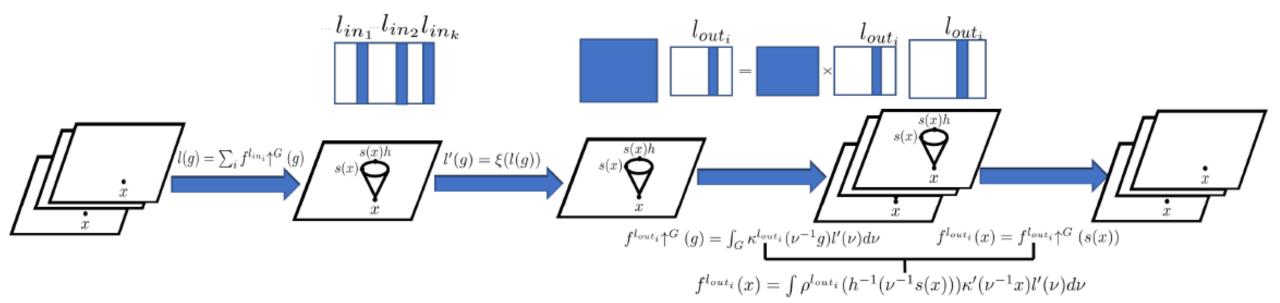


## Nonlinearity

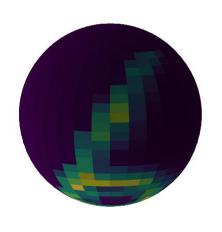
$$\bigoplus_{j} \operatorname{Ind}_{H}^{G} \rho^{l_{out_{j}}} \circ \sigma = \sigma \circ \bigoplus_{i} \operatorname{Ind}_{H}^{G} \rho^{l_{in_{i}}}$$

$$\begin{split} &l(g) = \left[\overline{\Lambda}(\bigoplus f^{l_i})\right](g) = \sum_i \left[\Lambda_i(f^{l_i})\right](g) \\ &= \sum_i f^{l_i} {\uparrow}^G(g) = \sum_i \rho^{l_i}(\mathbf{h}(g)^{-1}) f^{l_i}(gH), \end{split}$$

$$f(x) = \int \kappa(g^{-1}s(x))l(g)dg.$$



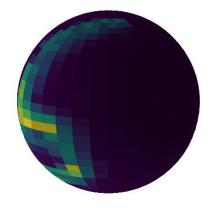
Vector field prediction on the sphere

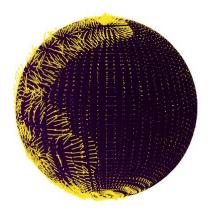








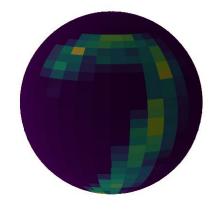




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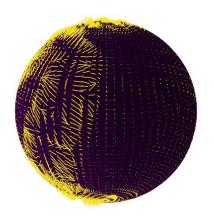




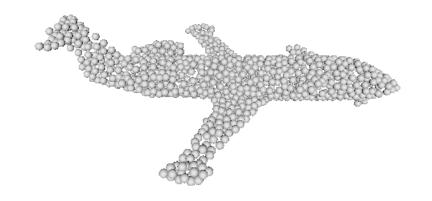


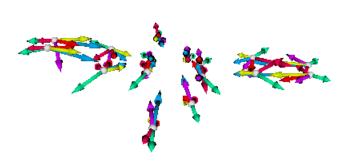


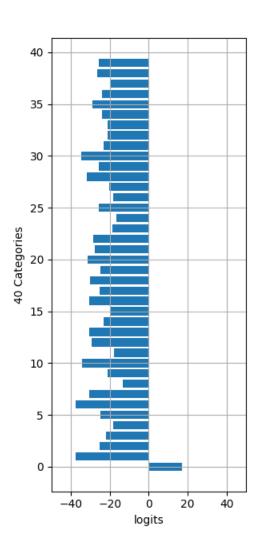




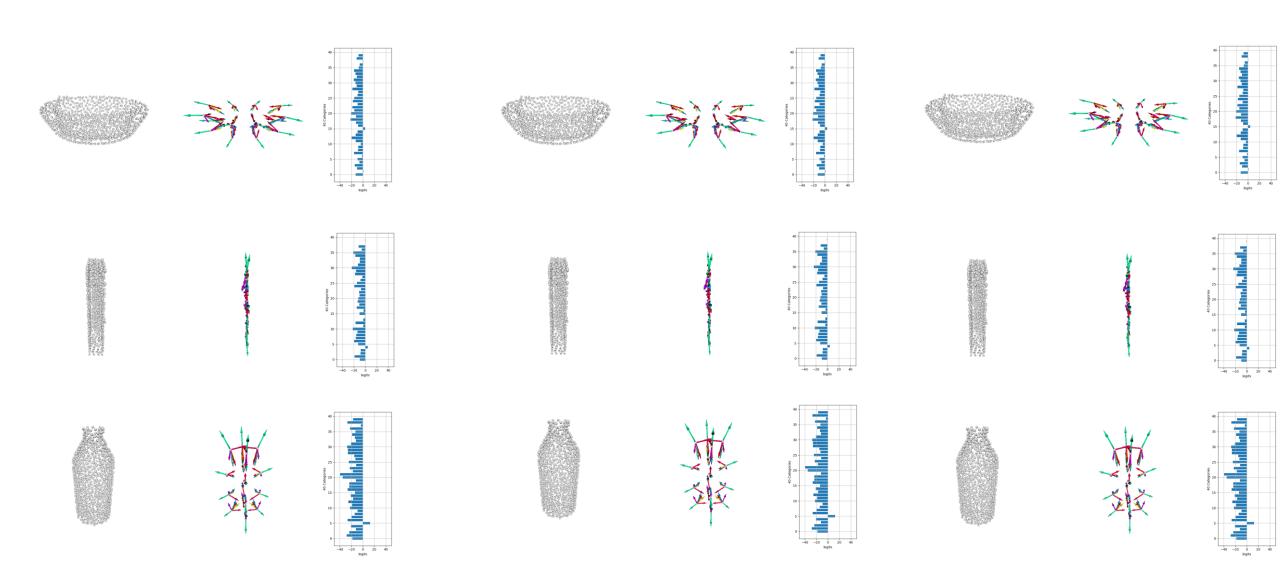
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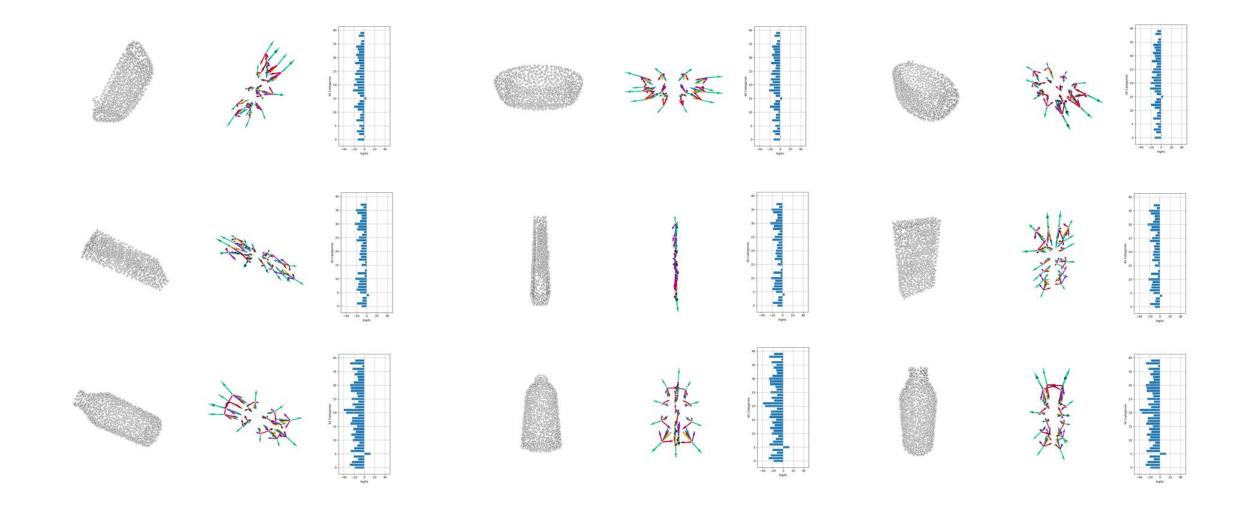




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