Implicit neural representation

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Figure 2: Our DeepSDF representation applied to the Stanford Bunny: (a) depiction of the underlying implicit surface SDF = 0 trained on sampled points inside SDF < 0 and outside SDF > 0 the surface, (b) 2D cross-section of the signed distance field, (c) rendered 3D surface recovered from SDF = 0. Note that (b) and (c) are recovered via DeepSDF.



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 $f_ heta(x): \mathbb{R}^N o \mathbb{R}^M$

"a field is a physical quantity, represented by a scalar, vector, or tensor, that has a value for each point in space and time." -Wikipedia, field (physics)





Training

$f_ heta(x): \mathbb{R}^3 o \mathbb{R}$



"Testing"

$f_ heta(x): \mathbb{R}^3 o \mathbb{R}$



Figure 5: **Qualitative comparison of learning continuous representation.** The input is a 48×48 patch from images in DIV2K validation set, a red box indicates the crop area for demonstration (×30). 1-SIREN refers to fitting an independent implicit function for the input image. MetaSR and LIIF are trained for continuous random scales in ×1-×4 and tested for ×30 for evaluating the generalization to arbitrary high precision of the continuous representation.

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In practice (see notebook)

Limited to a single function ..?

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SIREN



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What else ?

a) LR MRI Acquisition/Retrospective Cohort



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Fig. 1. Schematic representation of our INR, taking spatiotemporal coordinates (x, t) as an input, outputting SDF(x, t) of the AAA surface. Note that a single INR represents the complete evolving AAA of a patient.

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Fig. 1. Schematic illustration of neural implicit k-space (NIK). (a) The k-space lines (spokes) are sorted and mapped to one heartbeat. Instead of the traditional data binning (*), we train the MLP to learn the implicit representation of the k-space with the k-space coordinate-intensity pairs (b). t, k_x , k_y , and c refer to time point, k-space coordinates, and coil channel, respectively. (c) In the inference phase, we feed a set of coordinates from the Cartesian grid and obtain the corresponding k-space signal value. The final image can be easily reconstructed by applying the inverse fast Fourier transform and coil combination.

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Figure 2: Qualitative results on T1w-T2w registration. The proposed SINR with SIREN activations achieves more plausible results (0.51% folding ratio) compared to IDIR with SIREN (Wolterink et al., 2022) activation (0.87% folding ratio).

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Fig. 2: The workflow and the basic structure of the proposed compression approach.

Table 1: The performance of different compressors at a specific compression ratio, roughly $100 \times$. Methods marked in red and with the * suffix are the best performing methods, while those marked in blue and with the # suffix are the second best performing methods.

Method	ICAINR(ours)	H.264	H.265	JPEG	NeRF	HNeRV	SIREN	SSF	DVC
Compression Ratio↑	$127.83 \times *$	$97.49 \times$	$125.99 \times \#$	$102.95 \times$	$99.77 \times$	$102.71 \times$	$99.76 \times$	66.99×	$81.13 \times$
$PSNR(dB)\uparrow$	79.31*	65.37	61.49	56.14	67.63	70.49#	69.09	33.03	57.09
1 - SSIM \downarrow	5.54E-5*	1.96E-3	8.38E-4	2.74E-3	4.83E-4	2.62E-3	4.01E-4#	9.39E-2	4.39E-4
Mean of FLA Residual↓	0.32*	1.15	1.04	1.19	0.37#	0.86	1.10	1.21	1.32
Std of FLA Residual↓	0.24*	0.60	0.58	0.72	0.34#	0.57	0.50	0.61	0.55
Mean of FCA Residual	0.09*	0.32	0.37	0.33	0.18	0.29	0.12#	0.50	0.29
Std of FCA Residual↓	0.04^{*}	0.22	0.28	0.14	0.12	0.22	0.08#	0.35	0.24

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