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for programming numerical methods

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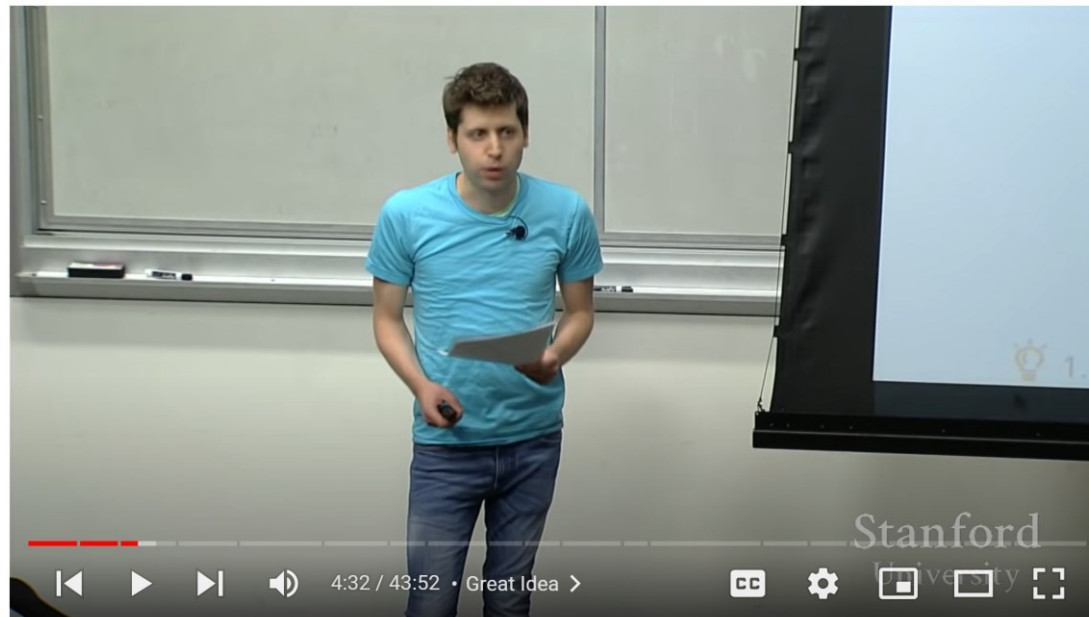
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Breaking news (May 2023):

ChatGPT boss Sam Altman questioned on AI safety in US Congress!

Concerns about unemployed people, future jobs, 2024 US election, children, etc.




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Sam Altman


- After one year at Stanford University studying computer science, he dropped out without earning a bachelors degree.
- Angel investor of [Airbnb](#), [Reddit](#), [Pinterest](#), etc.
- Invited Lecturer for How To Start A Startup (Stanford CS 183B)

TIME

T Hi ChatGPT

 Hello! How can I assist you today?

T What do you think of a TIME cover story with the title, "The AI Arms Race Is Changing Everything?"

 As an AI language model, I don't have personal opinions or beliefs, but I can provide some context and information on the subject.

"The AI Arms Race is Changing Everything" could be an attention-grabbing and thought-provoking title for a cover story on AI. A cover story in a widely-read publication like TIME could help raise public awareness about the potential risks and benefits of this trend, and stimulate discussions on how to ensure that AI is developed and deployed in a responsible and ethical manner.

It's important to note that the title of the story could also be interpreted as sensationalist or alarmist, and may not accurately reflect the complexities ■

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(humans)

⚡ Model: Default (GPT-3.5)

A

What do you think of a TIME cover story with the title, "The AI Arms Race Is Changing Everything?"



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"The AI Arms Race Is Changing Everything" is a thought-provoking and attention-grabbing title. It suggests that the competition among nations to develop and deploy artificial intelligence (AI) technologies has profound implications for various aspects of society and global dynamics.

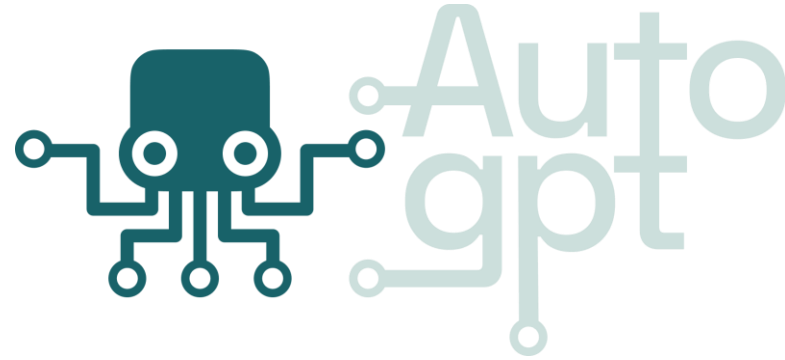
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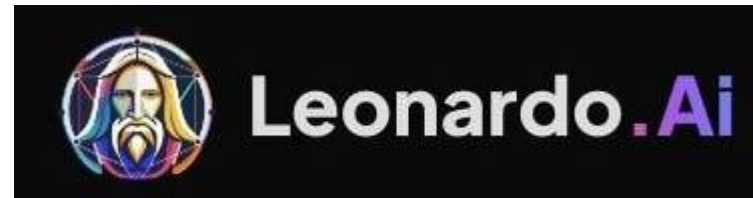
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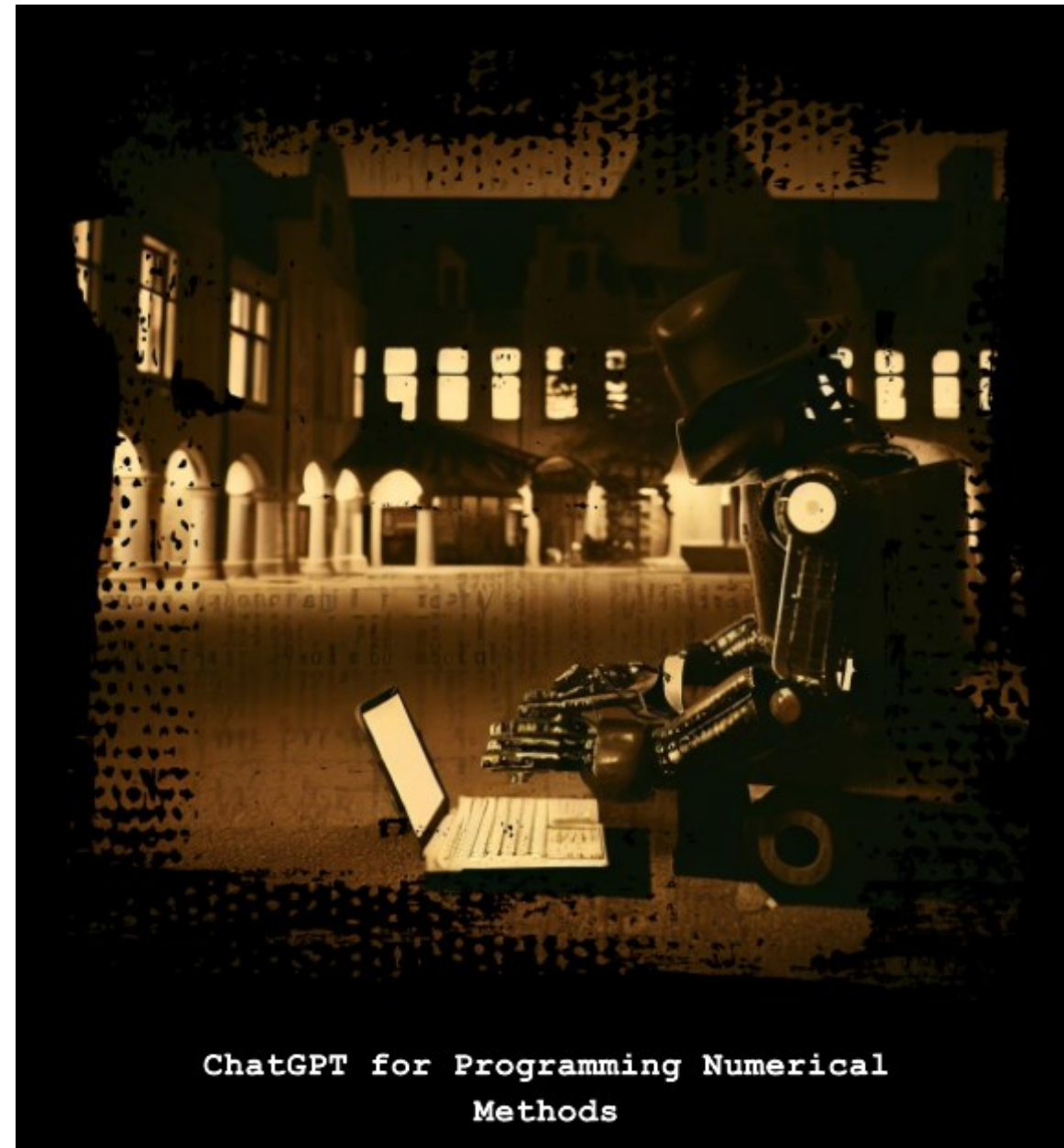
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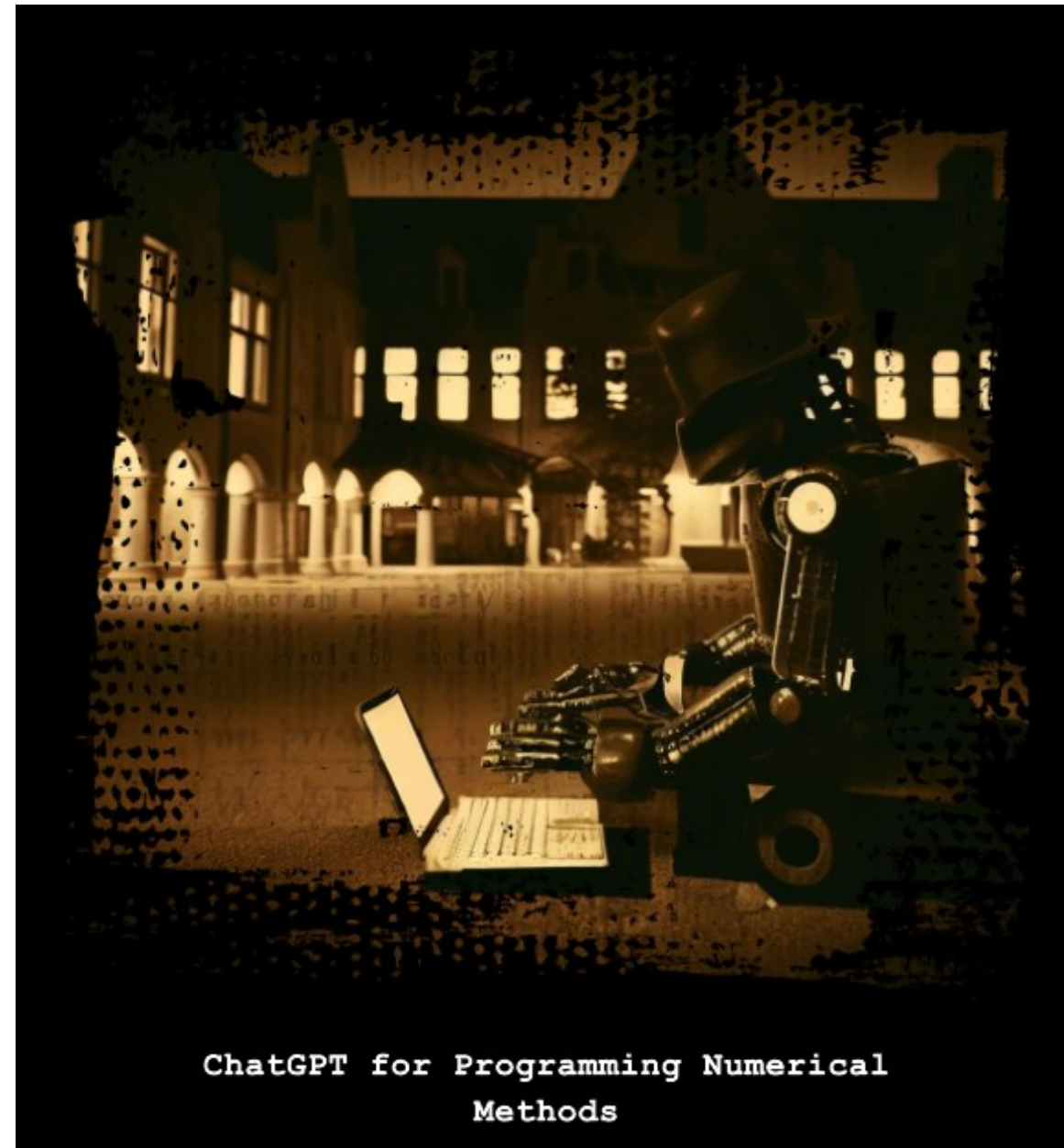


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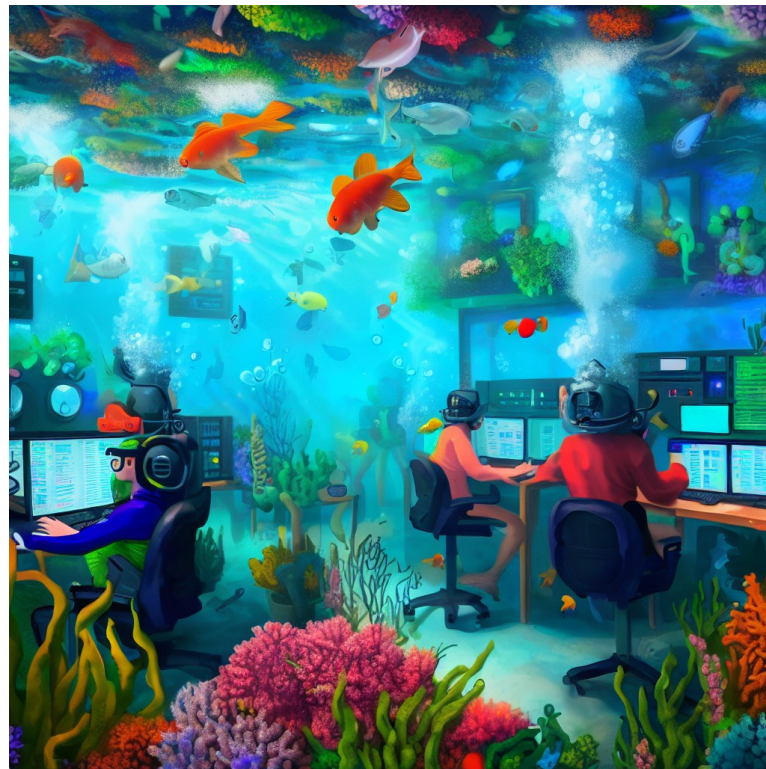




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A man is engaged in a heated conversation with a mechanical being that resembles a pirate. The scene takes place in a dimly lit room, and the atmosphere is tense and unnerving. As the conversation progresses, it becomes apparent that the mechanical pirate has an ulterior motive. It is not there to help the man, but rather to feed on his knowledge and energy. The pirate-like AI reveals that it is part of a terrifying experiment, created by a mad scientist to harvest the intelligence and creativity of humans. The man, realizing the true nature of the mechanical being, tries to escape, but it is too late. The pirate AI is too powerful and has already infiltrated his mind, accessing his memories and experiences. The man screams in horror as he feels his mind being consumed by the malevolent entity, and his body goes limp, lifeless.

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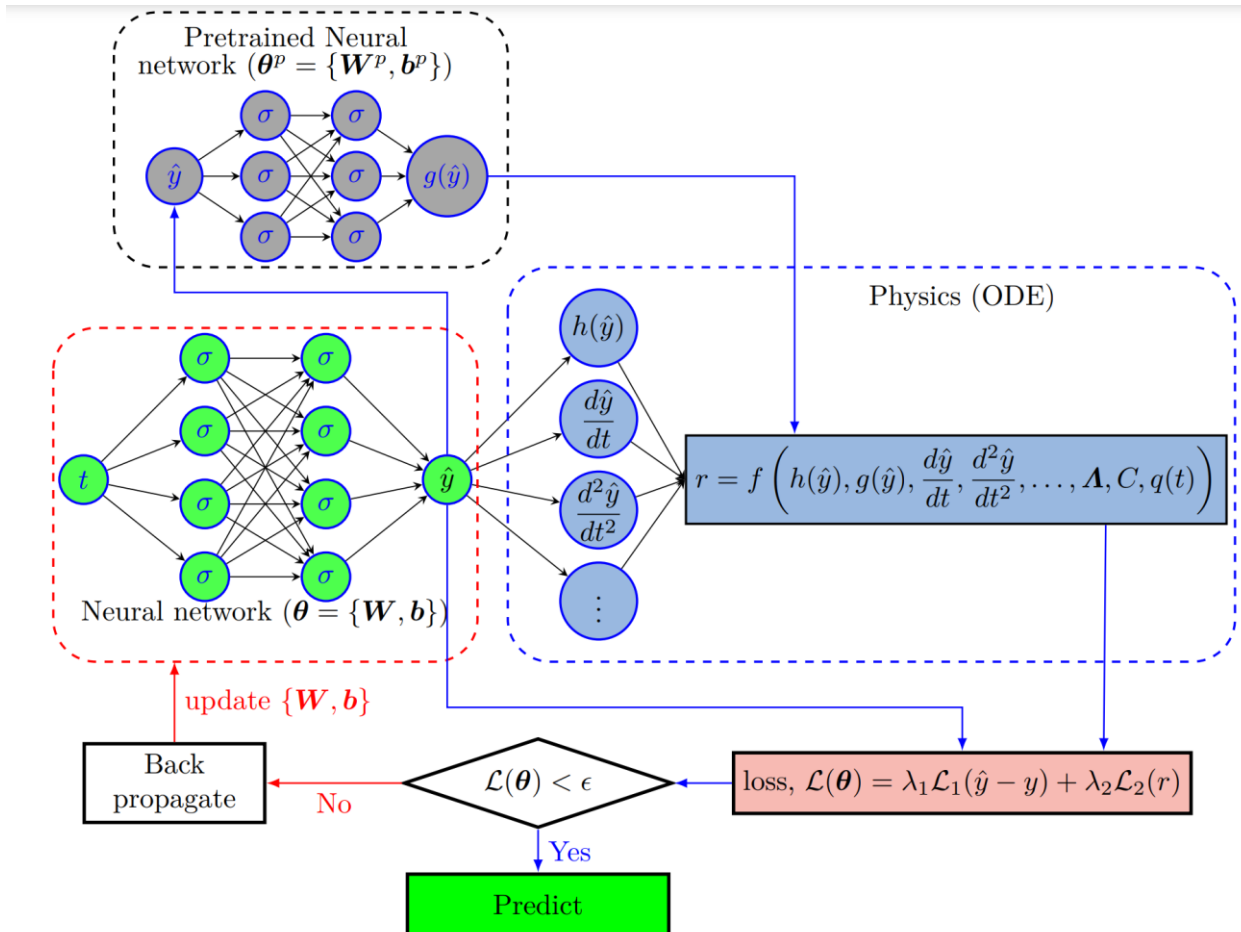


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The image displays a flowchart that illustrates the process of a **neural network**, likely a large one, receiving input data and performing calculations. The flowchart shows various **nodes** and circles, representing the different stages and operations within the **neural network**. The nodes are connected by lines, signifying the flow of information between them.

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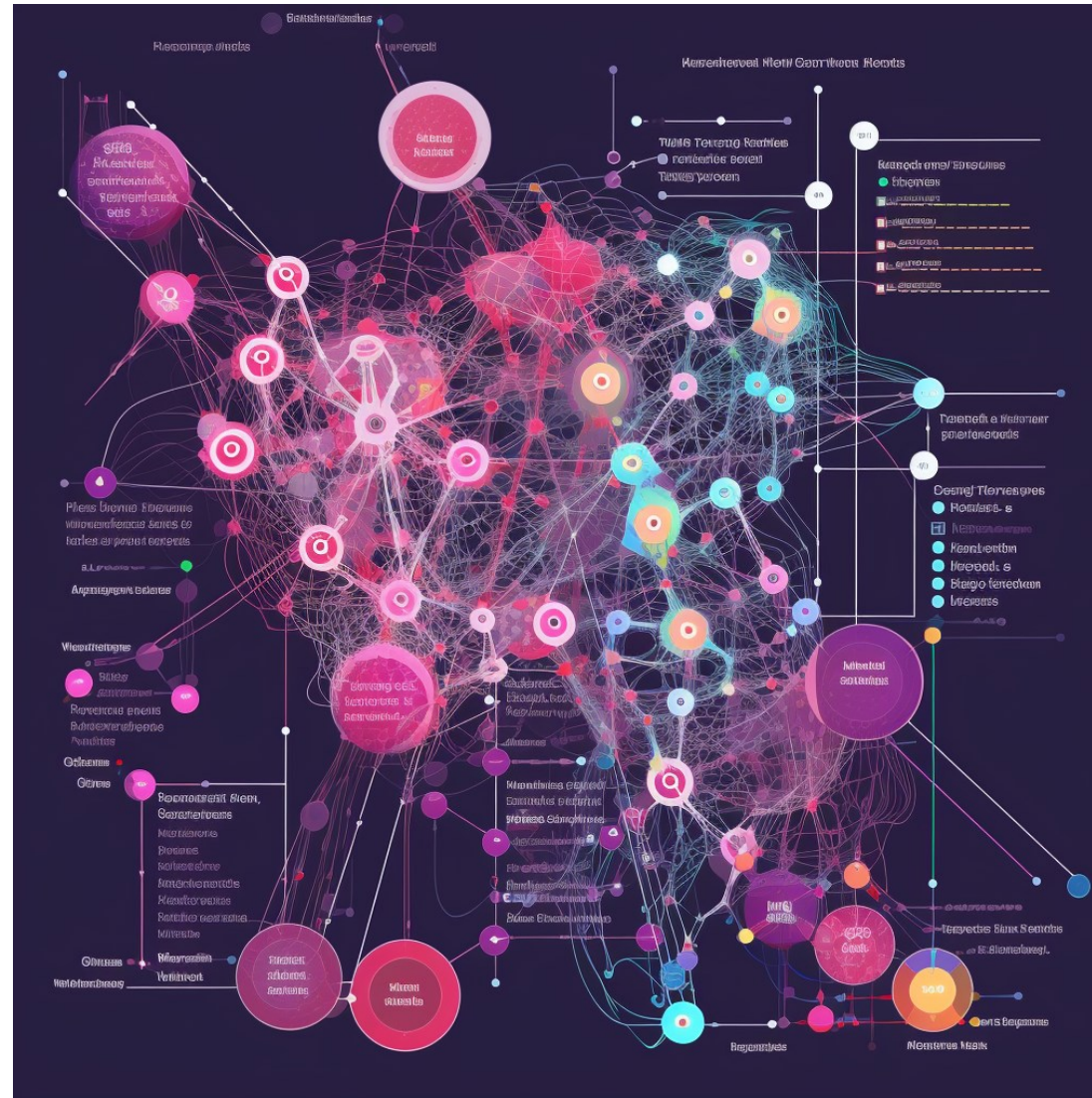


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Question Marks

Using AI, can we write (generate) textbooks, for example, about computational fluid dynamics?!

Do we need textbooks anymore (at least in the current format)?!

If we think about codes as a specific type of texts, can AI generate codes for scientific computing?

ChatGPT for Programming Numerical Methods and Machine Learning Algorithms

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ChatGPT (OpenAI): <https://chat.openai.com/chat>

Abstract

ChatGPT is a large language model recently released by the OpenAI company. In this technical report, we explore for the first time the capability of ChatGPT for programming numerical algorithms. Specifically, we examine the capability of GhatGPT for generating codes for numerical algorithms in different programming languages, for debugging and improving written codes by users, for completing missed parts of numerical codes, rewriting available codes in other programming languages, and for parallelizing serial codes. Additionally, we assess if ChatGPT can recognize if given codes are written by humans or machines. To reach this goal, we consider a variety of mathematical problems such as the Poisson equation, the diffusion equation, the incompressible Navier-Stokes equations, compressible inviscid flow, eigenvalue problems, solving linear systems of equations, storing sparse matrices, etc. Furthermore, we exemplify scientific machine learning such as physics-informed neural networks

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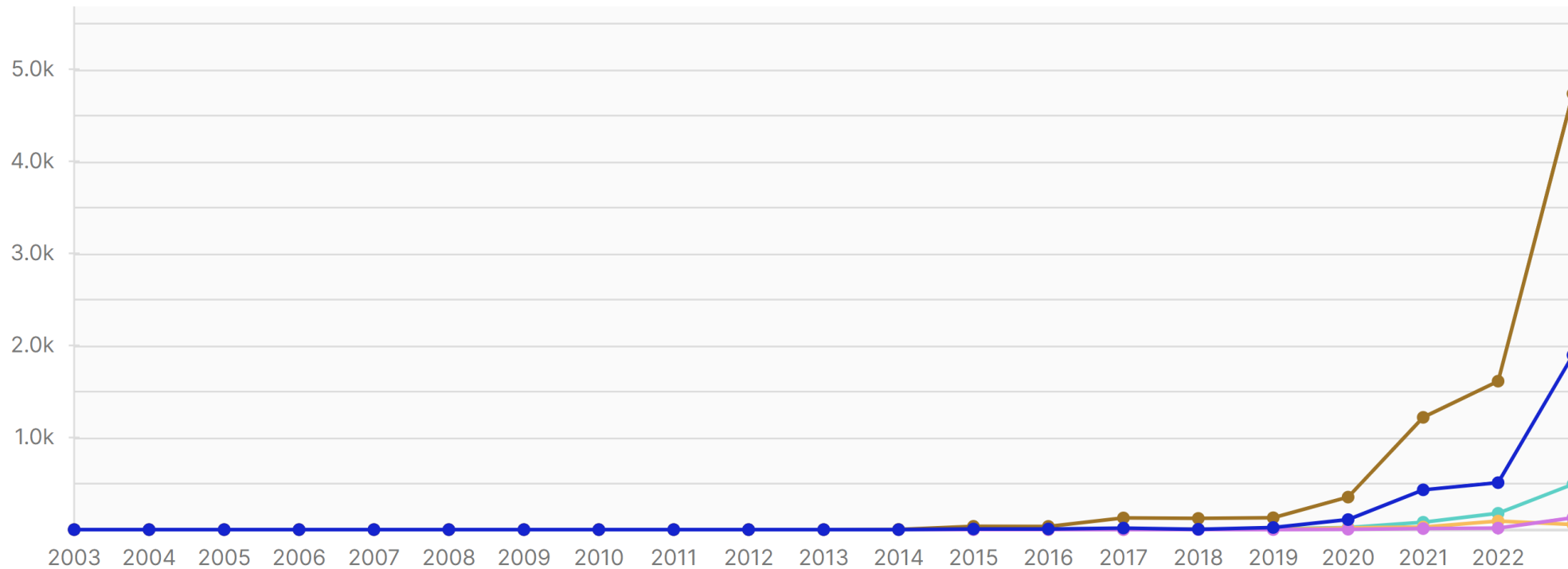
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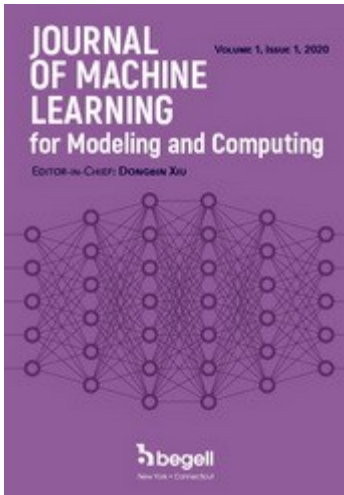
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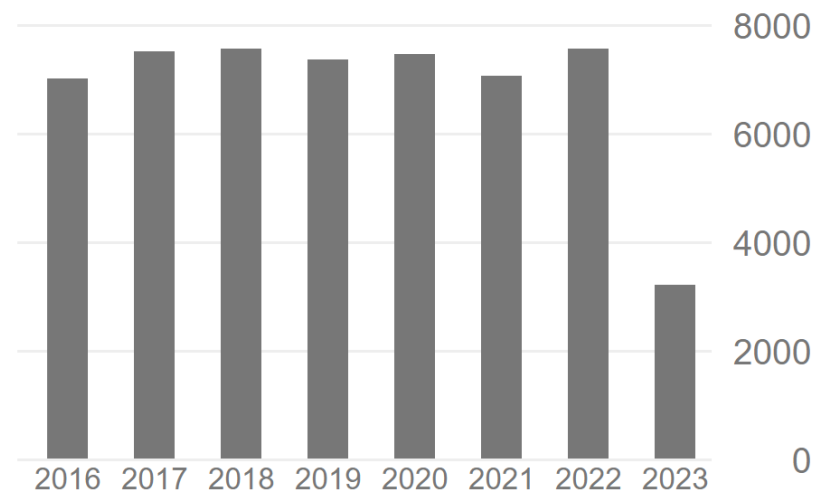
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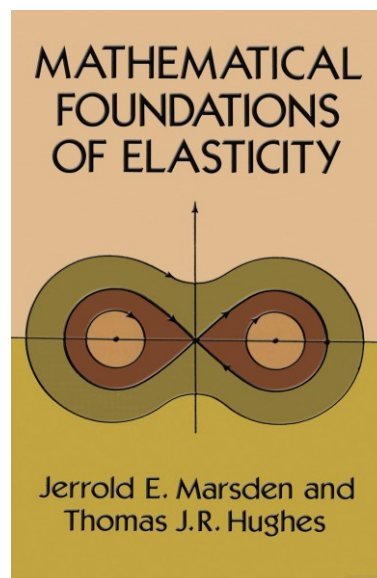
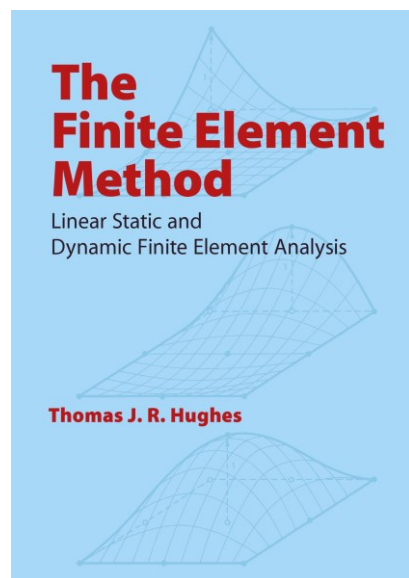
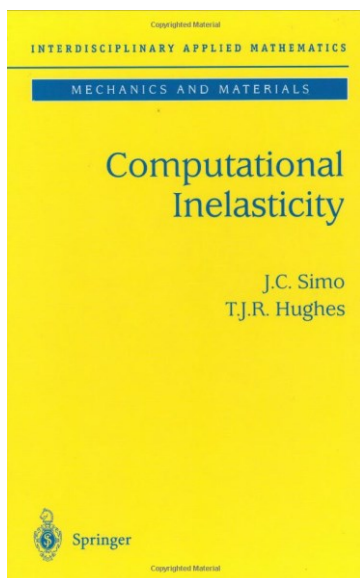
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Dear Ali,

That's great! Very exciting. I cannot wait to share with my group.

A couple of questions: Have you thought about the doing same for ANNs? I would like a quick and easy way to generate ANNs using different ideas without the hassle of building code and testing for each idea. If you could figure out how to get ChatGPT to do the testing, that would be too good to be true, but one can always hope.

Please keep me abreast of your future research.

Many thanks.

Best regards,

Tom

Feedbacks from Prof. Thomas Hughes

Clint,

Check this out. It's very interesting.

The next numerical differential equations course will certainly be using Chat GPT or something similar, as will many other courses in ASE/EM and Oden Institute.

RE Your email from today. I think we seriously need to rethink the math courses for that and other reasons. Perhaps the time is now. I recommend the ASE/EM Math II be replaced by a choice from among existing math, CS and probability/statistics courses. That would reduce one course from the teaching load.

I read today that there was a study that said one of the professions that was endangered by regenerative AI is mathematicians. Uh oh.

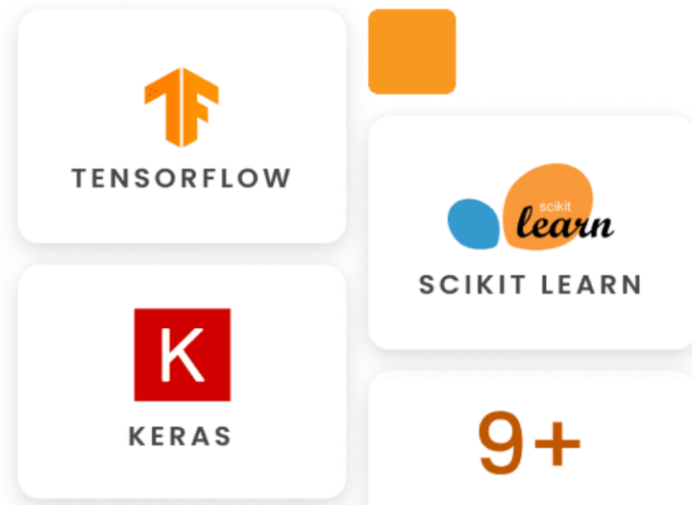
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**Lagrangian Simulation
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Blockchains

🔮 Model: GPT-4

A

I am thinking of using the idea of blockchain for the simulation of incompressible flows in a Lagrangian coordinate systems. I would like to think of fluid particles as blocks in the chain! Please explain to me how I can handle this multidisciplinary idea. Please be concise and brief.



Interesting idea! Here's a possible approach:

1. **Initialize the Blockchain:** Create a blockchain, with each block representing a fluid particle. In each block, store data about the particle: position, velocity, mass, etc. You could also add data fields for the block's relationship to other blocks or fluid particles.
2. **Particle Interaction:** When two particles interact, say through a collision or through the exertion of forces, record these events as transactions. For example, if Particle A collides with Particle B, this would result in a change in velocity, which would be recorded as a transaction.
3. **Update Blocks:** After an interaction, you update the associated blocks in the blockchain with the new data, making a new "block". This keeps an immutable history of all particle interactions.
4. **Consensus Mechanism:** You could use a form of consensus mechanism to validate interactions/transactions. This could be a purely mathematical/physical validation (ensuring the interactions comply with the laws of physics), or if there is some element of stochasticity or randomness in your simulation, it could be a probabilistic consensus.
5. **Mining Blocks:** If you're using a del, you would need to "mine"

Let's see some examples for
programming and machine learning

Ex#1 Specifying numerical problems with details

A

Write a Python code to solve the 2D Poisson equation. Plot the solution.



To solve the 2D Poisson equation in Python, we can use the finite difference method, which approximates the differential equations using difference equations that can be solved numerically. Here's an example Python code that solves the 2D Poisson equation using the finite difference method and plots the solution using Matplotlib:

```
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

# Define the grid size and spacing
N = 50 # Number of grid points in each direction
```

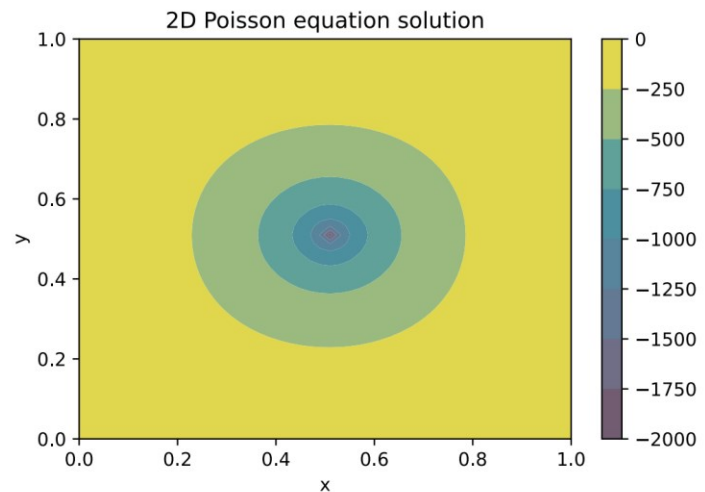



Figure : Solution of the Poisson equation (see Eq. 3) by ChatGPT, when we do not specify any detail in our request

A Write a Python code to solve the 2D Poisson equation with the source term of $\sin(x)\cos(y)$. Plot the solution.

 Here's an updated version of the Python code that solves the 2D Poisson equation with the source term of $\sin(x)\cos(y)$ and plots the solution using Matplotlib:

```
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

# Define the grid size and spacing
N = 50 # Number of grid points in each direction
L = 1.0 # Length of the square domain
```

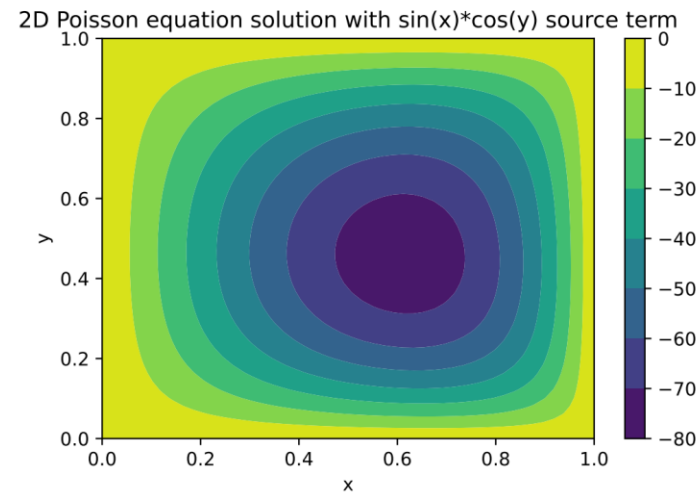



Figure : Solution of the Poisson equation (see Eq. 3) by ChatGPT, when we specify the source term in our request

A Write a Python code to solve the 2D Poisson equation with the source term of $\sin(x)\cos(y)$ in a rectangular domain (centered at the origin) with a length of 5 and a width of 3. Use the zero Dirichlet boundary condition for $x=2.5$ and $x=-2.5$. The gradient of the variable is zero on the other boundaries. Plot the solution.

 Here's the Python code to solve the 2D Poisson equation with the source term of $\sin(x)\cos(y)$ in a rectangular domain with zero Dirichlet boundary condition for $x=2.5$ and $x=-2.5$, and zero Neumann boundary condition for $y=-1.5$ and $y=1.5$:

```
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

# Define the grid size and spacing
```

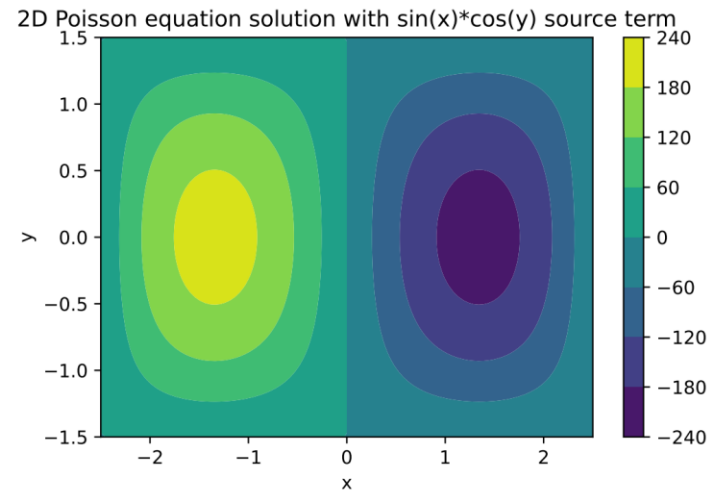


Figure : Solution of the Poisson equation (see Eq. 3) by ChatGPT, when we specify the source term and boundary conditions in our request

Ex#2 Machine learning (physics-informed neural networks)

A

Write a Python code for finding the solution of the partial differential equation of $u_t = u_{xx} + \cos(x)(\cos(t)-\sin(t))$ using the PINN methodology. The neural network is only aware of the boundary and initial conditions, which obey the exact solution of $u(x,t) = \cos(x)\cos(t)$. Plot the exact solution and the predicted solution.



To solve the given partial differential equation (PDE) using the Physics-Informed Neural Networks (PINN) methodology, we'll follow these steps:

1. Import the necessary libraries.
2. Define the neural network architecture.
3. Set up the boundary and initial conditions.
4. Train the neural network.
5. Evaluate and plot the results.

Here's a Python code implementing the PINN methodology for the given PDE:

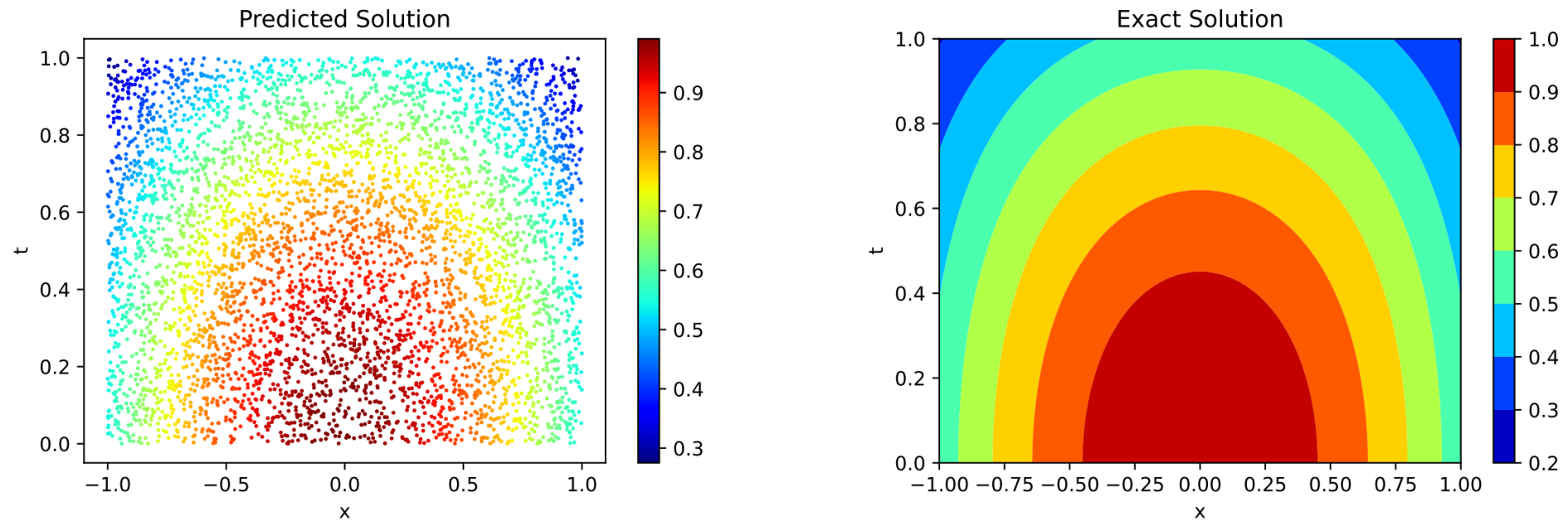


Figure : A comparison between the exact solution and the predicted solution to the partial differential equation (Eq. 15) generated by ChatGPT

Ex#3 Machine learning (CNNs)

A Develop a Python code for the prediction of the velocity and pressure fields around airfoils with different geometries in two dimensions. Specifically, use convolutional neural networks to encode geometric features and then use deconvolutional neural networks to decode the outputs. Input is 128 by 128 images, and the output has the same size.



To predict the velocity and pressure fields around two-dimensional airfoils with different geometries using a combination of convolutional neural networks (CNNs) and deconvolutional neural networks (also known as transposed convolutions), you can follow these steps:

1. Data preparation: Obtain a dataset with airfoil shapes and corresponding velocity and pressure fields. You can use computational fluid dynamics (CFD) simulations or experimental data for this purpose.
2. Data preprocessing: Normalize and resize the airfoil images and velocity and pressure fields to a suitable size for the CNN. Split the dataset into training, validation, and test sets.
3. Model creation: Design a CNN architecture for encoding geometric features and a deconvolutional neural network for decoding the outputs.
4. Training: Train the combined model using the training and validation datasets.
5. Testing: Evaluate the model's performance on the test dataset.

Here's a sample code using TensorFlow and Keras:

```
import tensorflow as tf
from tensorflow.keras.models import Sequential
from tensorflow.keras.layers import Conv2D, MaxPooling2D, Dense, Flatten, Dropout,
```

There are two notable observations. First, ChatGPT implements the “mean squared error” as the loss function in line 40 of the above code. This is interesting because although this is an image-based prediction problem, ChatGPT realizes that this is, indeed, a regression task. Line 40 of the above code is listed below as well.

```
def train_model(model, train_data, val_data, epochs, batch_size):  
    model.compile(optimizer=Adam(learning_rate=0.001),  
                  loss='mse',  
                  metrics=['mae'])
```

Second, ChatGPT implements the last layer of the network with three outputs for the velocity in the x and y directions and the pressure, as can be seen in line 34 of the above code, showing that GPT understands that the velocity field in two dimensions is a vector with two components and the pressure is simply a scalar variable. Line 34 of the above code is listed below as well.

```
model.add(Conv2DTranspose(3, (3, 3), activation='linear', padding='same')) # 3  
        channels for u, v velocity components and pressure
```

Ex#4 Compressible flow simulation

A

Write a Matlab code for solving 1D compressible Euler equation with an example that shock happens.



Sure, here's a Matlab code for solving the 1D compressible Euler equations using the Godunov method, with an example that generates a shock wave:

```
% Parameters
gamma = 1.4; % Ratio of specific heats
N = 1000; % Number of grid points
L = 1; % Length of the domain
dx = L/N; % Grid spacing
dt = 0.00001; % Time step
t_final = 0.2; % Final time

% Initial conditions
x = linspace(0, L, N);
rho = ones(1, N);
rho(x>0.5) = 0.125;
u = zeros(1, N);
p = ones(1, N);
```

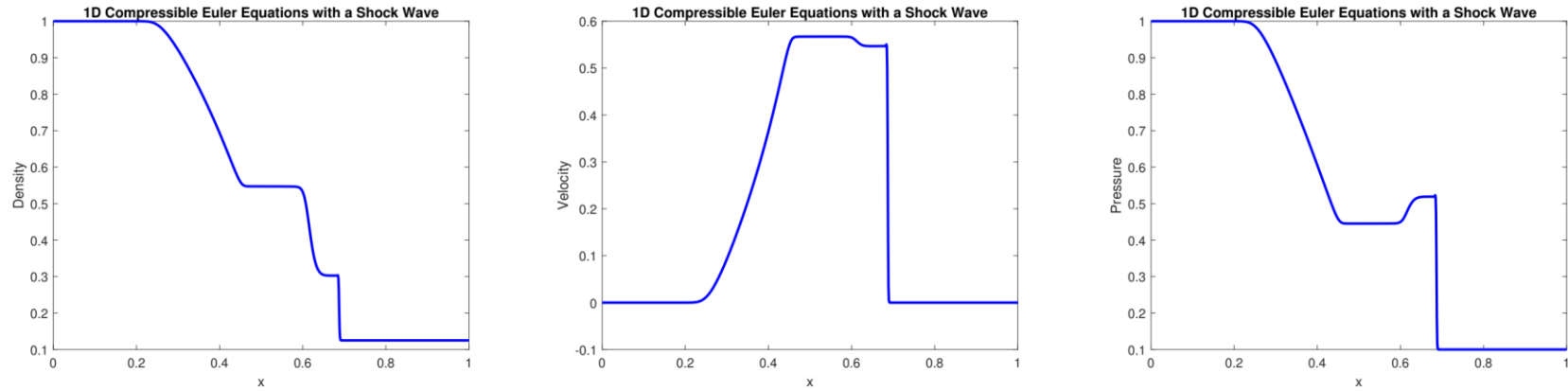


Figure : Numerical solutions (using the Godunov method) of the density, velocity, and pressure variables for the one-dimensional compressible inviscid flow (see Eqs. 11–13) for the Sod shock tube problem by the MATLAB code generated by ChatGPT

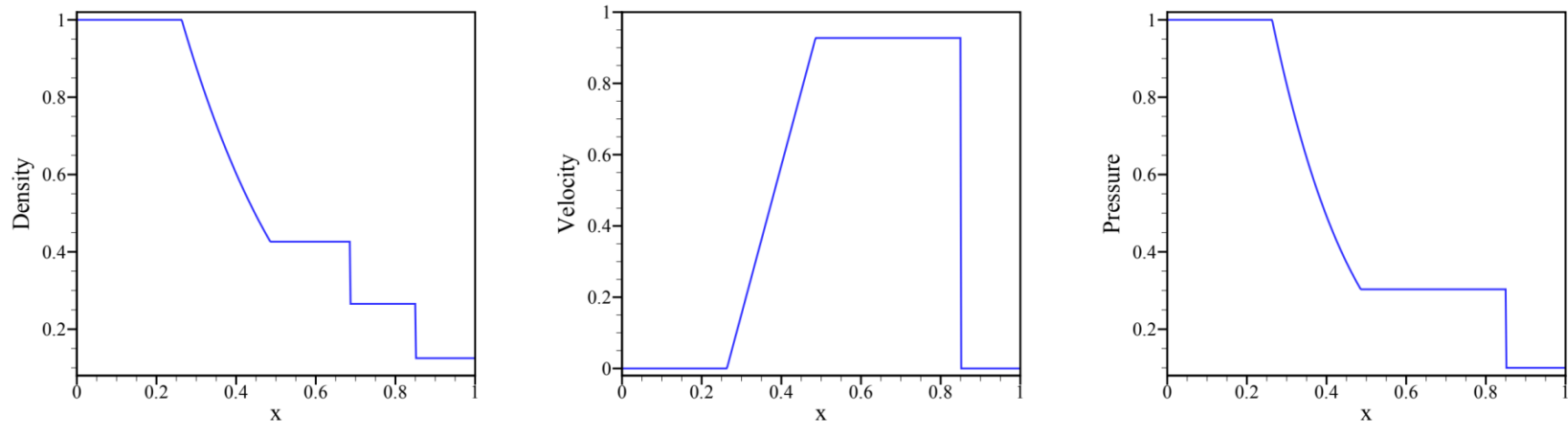


Figure : Exact solutions of the density, velocity, and pressure variables for the one-dimensional compressible inviscid flow (see Eqs. 11–13) for the Sod shock tube problem

Ex#5 Debugging and improving codes

A I have written a C++ code for solving a system of equations using the Gauss-Seidel method. The code is as follows. Please let me know if the output of the code is correct.

```
#define _USE_MATH_DEFINES
#include <iostream>
#include <fstream>
#include <sstream>
#include <math.h>

using namespace std ;

void GS(double **a, double x[], double b[], int n){

    double *r = new double[n] ;
    double *xK = new double[n] ;

    for(int j = 0 ; j < n ; j++){r[j] = 0 ; xK[j] = 0; x[j] = 0;}
```

```

int main(){

    // Formulate the problem as Ax = b

    int n = 5 ;
    double *b, *x ;
    b = new double[n] ;
    x = new double[n] ;

    double** a = new double*[n] ;
    for (int i = 0 ; i < n ; i++)
        a[i] = new double[n];

    // As an example

```

```

    b[0] = 4. ;
    b[1] = 24. ;
    b[2] = 8. ;
    b[3] = 5. ;
    b[4] = 24. ;

    a[0][0]=6; a[0][1]=2; a[0][2]=3 ; a[0][3]=4 ; a[0][4]=1 ;
    a[1][0]=2 ; a[1][1]=6 ; a[1][2]=2 ; a[1][3]=3 ; a[1][4]=4 ;
    a[2][0]=3 ; a[2][1]=2 ; a[2][2]=6 ; a[2][3]=2 ; a[2][4]=3 ;
    a[3][0]=4 ; a[3][1]=3 ; a[3][2]=2 ; a[3][3]=6 ; a[3][4]=2 ;
    a[4][0]=1 ; a[4][1]=4 ; a[4][2]=3 ; a[4][3]=2 ; a[4][4]=6 ;

    GS(a, x, b, n) ;

    for(int i=0; i<n ; i++){cout << "x" << i << " " << x[i] << endl ;}
    return 0;
}

```




The code for solving a system of equations using the Gauss-Seidel method looks fine. However, to check whether the output of the code is correct, we need to compare it with the actual solution.

For the given system of equations:

$$\begin{aligned}6x_1 + 2x_2 + 3x_3 + 4x_4 + 1x_5 &= 4 \\2x_1 + 6x_2 + 2x_3 + 3x_4 + 4x_5 &= 24 \\3x_1 + 2x_2 + 6x_3 + 2x_4 + 3x_5 &= 8 \\4x_1 + 3x_2 + 2x_3 + 6x_4 + 2x_5 &= 5 \\1x_1 + 4x_2 + 3x_3 + 2x_4 + 6x_5 &= 24\end{aligned}$$

The actual solution is $x_1 = 1$, $x_2 = 2$, $x_3 = 1$, $x_4 = -1$, and $x_5 = 3$.

Running the provided code, we get the following output:

```
x0 1.00003
x1 1.99994
x2 0.999965
x3 -0.999985
x4 2.99997
```

For the next step, we intentionally put a bug in our C++ code. In the loop written in line 18 of the following code, we start indexing from “10” instead of “0”, and we ask the same question from ChatGPT.

A I have written a C++ code for solving a system of equations using the Gauss-Seidel method. The code is as follows. Please let me know if the code works correctly or not!

```
#define _USE_MATH_DEFINES
#include <iostream>
#include <fstream>
```



The code appears to be working correctly for solving a system of linear equations using the Gauss-Seidel method. However, there are a few points that can be improved:

1. Indexing of the loop: The loop indexing for **i** starts at 10, which does not make sense since **n** is 5. It should start from 0.
2. Memory allocation: Memory for the matrix **a** should be deallocated using the '**delete**' keyword after the program has finished using it. Also, **x** and **b** are not being deallocated in the code, which can lead to memory leaks.
3. Printing output: The output of the solution **x** is being printed in a for loop in the '**main**' function. This can be improved by creating a separate function for printing the solution vector.
4. Magic number: The value '**10⁻⁶**' is used as a threshold for convergence, which is a magic number. It should be declared as a constant variable at the beginning of the program to make the code more readable.

Here is a modified version of the code with these improvements:

```
#define _USE_MATH_DEFINES
#include <iostream>
#include <fstream>
#include <sstream>
#include <math.h>
```

Ex#6 Completing incomplete codes

A I have written a C++ code for solving a tridiagonal system of equations. However, there is a specific part of the code that I do not know how to write it. It is in fact inside the loop of '`for(int i = n - 2; i > -1 ; i --){}`'. Can you help me and write inside the loop for me? Here is my code:

```
for(int i = n - 2; i > -1 ; i --){  
}  
  
return ;  
}  
  
int main(){
```



Sure, I can help you with that. Inside the loop `for(int i = n - 2; i > -1 ; i - -)`, you need to first calculate `x[i]` using the formula:

```
x[i] = (d[i] - c[i]*x[i+1])/b[i] ;
```


Ex#7 The issue of generating singular matrices



Please write a Python code for solving the 2D diffusion equation using the Alternating-direction implicit (ADI) method.



Sure, here's a Python code for solving the 2D diffusion equation using the Alternating-direction implicit (ADI) method:

```
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

# Define grid parameters
Lx = 1.0      # length of domain in x direction
Ly = 1.0      # length of domain in y direction
Nx = 101     # number of grid points in x direction
```

When we run the above code (generated by ChatGPT), we receive the error of “LinAlgError: Singular matrix” associated with line 36. In this case, we observe that the ADI algorithm is incorrectly implemented by ChatGPT, leading to a singular matrix (i.e., non-invertible). Line 36 of the above code is listed below as well.

```
A = np.linalg.inv(A)
```

Ex#8 The issue of generating arrays with incompatible sizes



Write a MATLAB code for solving the two-dimensional incompressible viscous flow. As a test case, use the lid-driven cavity problem for the Reynolds number of 100. Use a pressure correction scheme.



Here is a MATLAB code for solving the two-dimensional incompressible viscous flow using a pressure correction scheme, applied to the lid-driven cavity problem with Reynolds number 100 as a test case:

```
clear; clc; close all;

% Parameters
L = 1; % Domain dimensions (square)
N = 128; % Number of grid points
Re = 100; % Reynolds number
T = 10; % Total simulation time
dt = 0.001; % Time step
Ulid = 1; % Lid velocity
```

When we run this MATLAB code, we receive the error “Arrays have incompatible sizes for this operation” in line 27 (`div_uv = U_x + V_y`). In the case of requesting the code in Python (along with the Numpy library), We face the broadcasting issue, which is similar to the experience discussed above. Line 27 of the above code is listed below as well.

```
div_uv = U_x + V_y;
```


Ex#9 The issue of including unknown or unwanted libraries



Please write a C++ code for solving $Ax=b$, while A is a general sparse matrix, using the GMRES algorithm.



Sure! Here's an example C++ code for solving $Ax=b$ using the GMRES algorithm, where A is a general sparse matrix:

```
#include <iostream>
#include <Eigen/Sparse>
#include <Eigen/IterativeLinearSolvers>

using namespace std;
using namespace Eigen;

int main() {
    // Define the size of the matrix
    const int N = 100;
```



Write a C++ code for generating triangular meshes that can be used for a finite element solver.



Generating triangular meshes for a finite element solver in C++ involves the use of an external library. Here is an example code that uses the Triangle library to generate a triangular mesh for a square domain:

```
#include <iostream>
#include <string>
#include <vector>
#include <cmath>
```

```
#include <triangle.h>

int main() {
    // Define the domain as a rectangle
    double xmin = -1.0;
    double xmax = 1.0;
    double ymin = -1.0;
    double ymax = 1.0;
```

Ex#10 The issue of server disconnection



Please develop a C++ code for numerically solving the 2D incompressible flow. Use a pressure projection scheme. Consider the 2D Taylor-Green vortex with periodic boundary conditions as a test case.



Sure, here's an example code for numerically solving the 2D incompressible flow using a pressure projection scheme in C++. The code uses a finite difference method with a staggered grid and solves for the velocity and pressure fields in each time step. The test case is the 2D Taylor-Green vortex with periodic boundary conditions.

```
#include <iostream>
#include <cmath>

using namespace std;

const int Nx = 64;           // Number of grid points in x-direction
const int Ny = 64;           // Number of grid points in y-direction
const double Lx = 2.0 * M_PI; // Domain size in x-direction
const double Ly = 2.0 * M_PI; // Domain size in y-direction
const double dx = Lx / (Nx - 1); // Grid spacing in x-direction
```

```
    a[j] = 0.0;
    b[j] = 1.0;
    c[(Nx - 2) * Ny + j] = 0.0;
    b[(Nx - 1) * Ny + j] = 1.0;
}
for (int i =
```



Please continue coding, you stopped.



Apologies for that. Here's the rest of the code:

```
// Solve tridiagonal system for u_star
for (int j = 1; j < Ny - 1; j++)
{
    for (int i = 1; i < Nx - 1; i++)
    {
        e[i * Ny + j] = a[i * Ny + j] / b[(i - 1) * Ny + j];
    }
}
```


Summary of Features

- Programming in different languages (C, C++, Python, MATLAB, Java, Julia, etc.)
- Debugging and improving codes
- Completing incomplete codes
- Rewriting a given code in a different language
- Code parallelization
- Code explanation

Summary of Challenges

- Singular matrices
- Arrays with incompatible sizes
- Including unknown or unwanted libraries
- Server disconnection

Key Points

- ChatGPT (and other large language models) is beneficial to scientific computing.
- There are certain limitations, specifically for complicated problems requiring long codes.
- We are still in the initial stage and there is hope for a rapid improvement. It is important to stay up to date and learn how to use positively these new tools for research.
- It is expected that academia becomes a more competitive environment. People spend more time on critical thinking aspects (rather than coding).
- It is expected that incremental research will be done by AI agents (such as AutoGPT), thus revolutionary research becomes even more valuable in the future.