CO₂ Inversion using Ensemble Kalman Filters and Reduced Order Models

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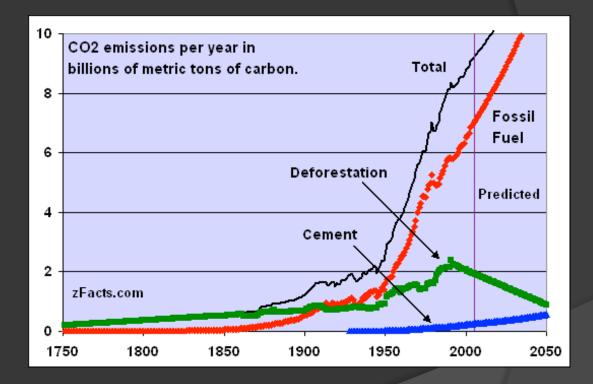


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CO₂ Emissions

- CO2 responsible for global temperature increase
- Fossil fuel is the largest contributor
- Crtitical need to characterize sources globally
- Motivates a classic large scale inversion problem





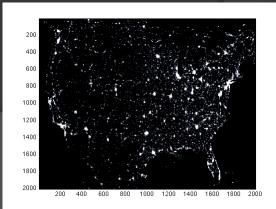
Research Challenges

- Different character associated with anthropogenic and biospheric sources
- Very large scale inversion problem
- Large scale simulation of dynamics (PCTM, GEOS, ECMWFC, etc)
- Different measurement type point (flask), lines (plane), column (satellite)
- Model and measurement errors



Our Strategy

- Ensemble Kalman Filters
- Prototype with 2D convection-diffusion
- Implement image (nightlights) based RHS
- An appropriate basis for sources (RHS)
- Reduced order modeling



Previous work on inference of Fossil Fuel (FF) emissions and CO/CO₂

- FF emissions predicted using population density, economic factors ("bottoms-up") :
 - Doll et al, 2000: nightlight imagery for socio-econ. params
 - Rayner et al, 2010 : All variables are easily observed in a spatially resolved manner
 - Oda & Maksyutov, 2011: Nightlights give spatial distribution

• CO deterministic source inversion ("top-down"):

- Palmer et al, 2006: Aircraft measurements
- Petron et al, 2002: In-situ sensors
- Wang et al, 2009; Kopacz et al, 2009; Kopacz et al, 2010: Satellites, different resolutions



Outline of talk

Insemble Kalman Filter based inversion

- Kalman filter \rightarrow Ensemble Kalman filter
- Gaussian Kernel transform
- Numerical results
- Inversion with Reduced Order Models
 - Least squares formulation
 - Karhunen and Loeve transform
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- Conclusions



Ensemble Kalman Filters

Deterministic

$$\min_{u,d} F(u,d) = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{j=1}^{N_r} \int_{\Omega} (u - u^*)^2 \delta(x - x_j) dx dt + \frac{\beta}{2} \int_{\Omega} d^2 dx$$

• Bayes Theory

$$\pi_{post} \propto exp(||d - d_{prior}||_{P_{prior}^{-1}} - ||u - u^* - e||_{P_{noise}^{-1}})$$

Kalman Filters

$$\hat{u}_k = \hat{u}_k^- + K(z_k - H\hat{u}_k^-)$$

$$K_k = P_k H^T (H P_k H^T + R)^{-1}$$

$$P_k^- = AP_{k-1}A^T + Q$$

• Ensemble Kalman Filters

$$P = \overline{(u - \overline{u})(u - \overline{u})^T}$$



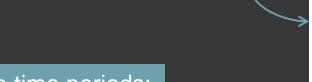
Numerical Process

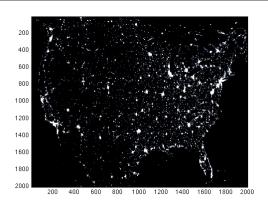
- 2D convection-diffusion with assume time varying velocity field
- Make use of satellite image of lights at night as a proxy for anthropogenic sources
- Simulate O(days) with reasonable Peclet numbers
- Continuous sources start at t=0
- Limit simulation to North America
- Parameterize source with Gaussian Kernels, Karhunen and Loeve



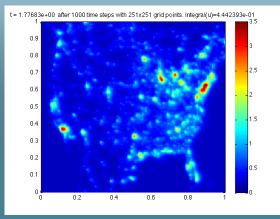
Convection-Diffusion with nightlights

 $\frac{\partial c}{\partial t} + v\nabla c - D\Delta c = f$



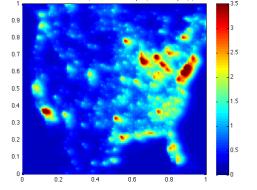


Simulation for two time periods:



Ts = 1000

t = 1.77683e+00 after 1000 time steps with 251x251 grid points. Integral(u)=6.879526e-01

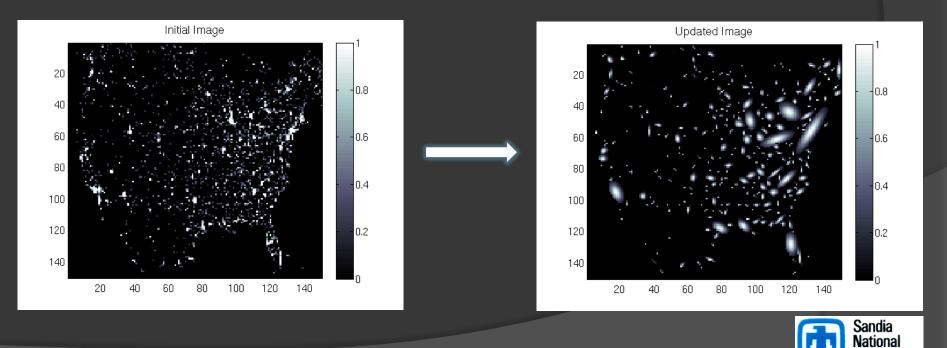


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Gaussian Kernel Transform

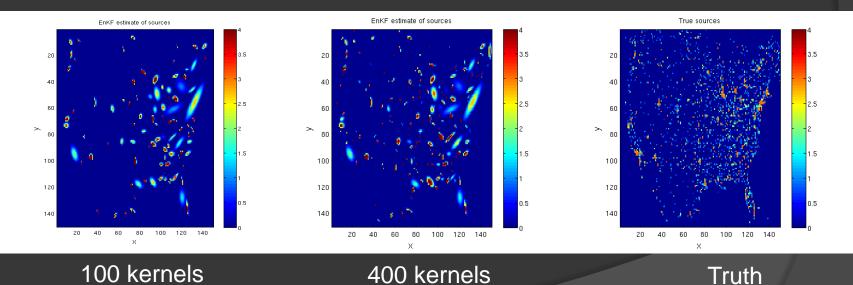
Capture pixels with a number of bilinear Gaussian kernels and set amplitudes to a constant value for an initial guess to the inversion process



Gaussian Kernel Inversion with 150x150 grid

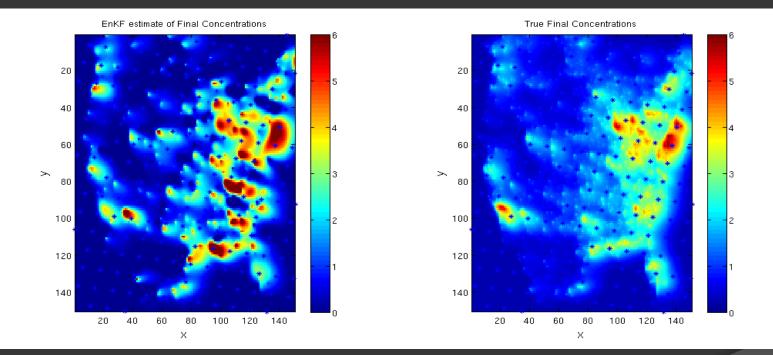
Inversion Process:

- Get concentration data at sparse locations (280) by running CD on truth model
- Set GK to a constant value of one
- At 4 time increments inject data in the EnKF routine
- Produce source and concentration predictions



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Gaussian Kernel Inversion 150x150 grid concentration prediction



280 observations, 1E-5 noise, 100 ensembles, 400 kernels, 4000 timesteps



EnKF Inversion Summary

- Implemented EnKF
- Used 2D conv-diff with imaged-based RHS
- Parameterized image with Gaussian Kernels
- EnKF able to reconstruct sources and concentration dynamics
- In parallel, cost of inversion is equivalent to approximately one forward simulation
- Can ROM be considered to further reduce computational cost?



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Overview of Least Squares Approach to Reduced Order Modeling

- Assume a linear dynamical system
- Similar to Proper Othogonal Decomposition, create a snapshot matrix for variable forcings (RHS)
- Solve a least-squares minimization problem where the residual consists of affine combinations of the state vector
- In the linear case, this results in a simple transformation which allows for simple matvec to predict the state for a given forcing.



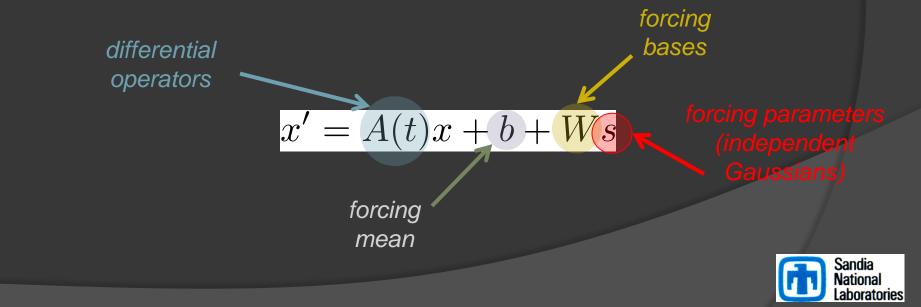
The convection-diffusion equation is used to model CO2 transport.

$$\frac{\partial c}{\partial t} = \kappa \Delta c - \mathbf{u} \cdot \nabla c + f(s)$$

The forcing term is modeled with a scaled Gaussian random field.

$f(s) = \gamma(1 + g(s))$

Semi-discretized in space, and approximating the forcing term with a truncated Karhunen-Loeve expansion...



Notice that *any* affine combination of solutions satisfies the convection diffusion equation for *some* forcing. The left hand side...

$$\sum_{j} a_{j} x_{j}' = \left(\sum_{j} a_{j} x_{j}\right)' \equiv \tilde{x}'$$

And the right hand side...

So...

$$\sum_{j} a_{j}(A(t)x_{j} + b + Ws_{j}) = A(t) \left(\sum_{j} a_{j}x_{j}\right) + b \left(\sum_{j} a_{j}\right) + W \left(\sum_{j} a_{j}s_{j}\right)$$
$$= A(t)\tilde{x} + b + W\tilde{s}$$

$$\tilde{x}' = A(t)\tilde{x} + b + W\tilde{s}$$



The relationship between the forcing parameters of \tilde{x} and the ROM coefficients is

$$\tilde{s} = \sum_{j} a_{j} s_{j} = S a$$

We have total freedom in choosing S_j , so we choose $S_j = e_j$, the *j*th column of the identity. We can construct an invertible transformation by computing one extra basis with S = 0 to enforce the affine constraint.

$$\left[\begin{array}{cc} 0 & I \\ 1 & e^T \end{array}\right] a = \left[\begin{array}{c} s \\ 1 \end{array}\right]$$

An invertible linear mapping between forcing parameters and ROM coefficients!!!



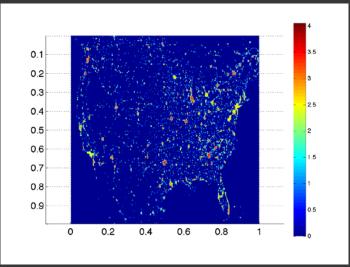
We state the inversion problem as: Given data d corresponding to CO_2 concentration at specified locations at the final time, solve

$$\underset{s}{\text{minimize } \|d - Px(s)\|}$$

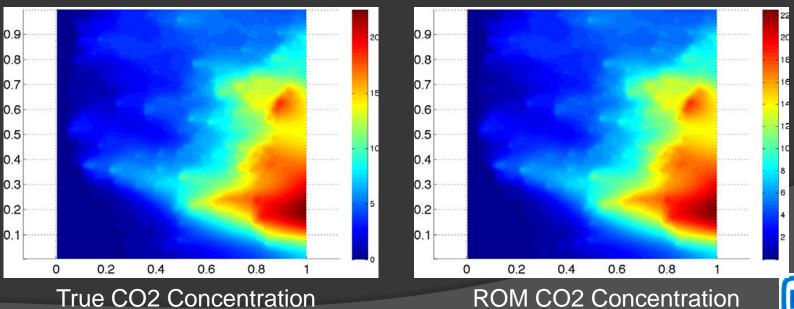
Using the invertible linear mapping,

$$\underset{a}{\text{minimize } \|d - PXa\| + \operatorname{reg}(a)}$$





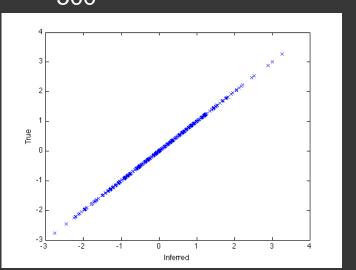
Nightlights representation with a KL perturbation



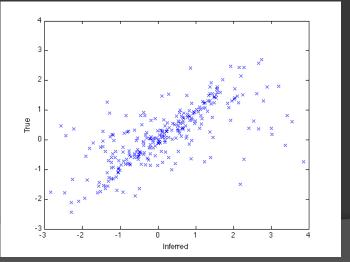


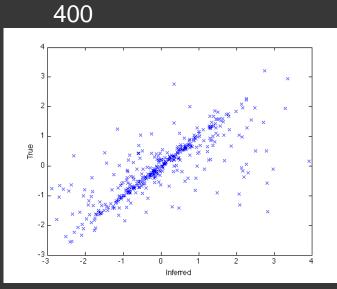
Inverted versus truth forcings Number of sensors

500

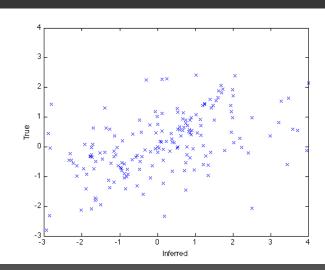


300





200





Conclusions

- Developed convection-diffusion prototype to test inversion scheme.
- Nightlight image provides reasonable proxy.
- Gaussian kernels and KL were considered as possible bases in the inversion.
- EnKF is able to invert for amplitudes of Gaussian Kernels.
- Developed an efficient ROM approach.
- Future work: consider other bases, extend ROM to 3D, extend to multiphysics



Gaussian Kernel Inversion with 700 kernels on 150x150 grid

20 40

60

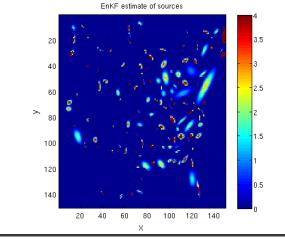
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100

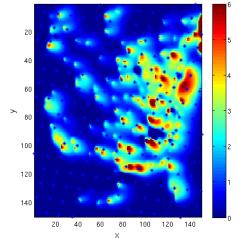
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EnKF estimate of Final Concentrations



X True Final Concentrations

60 80 100

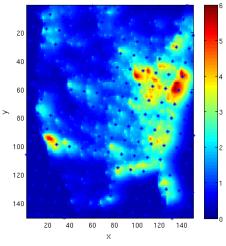
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True sources

3.5

0.5

120 140



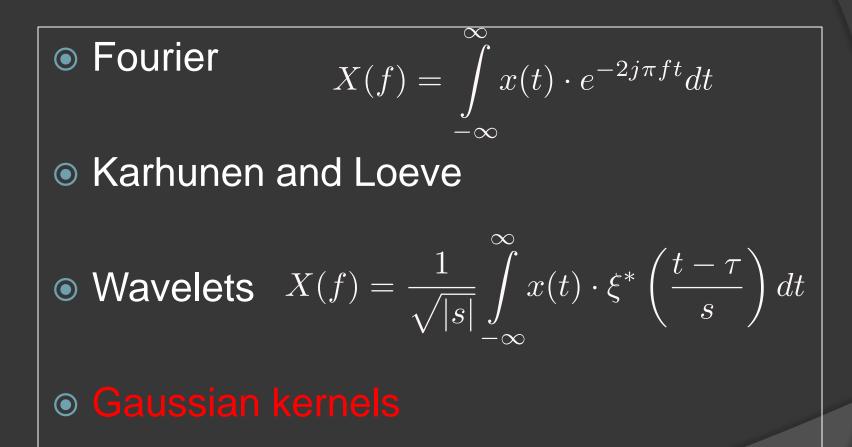


Possible Algorithmic strategies

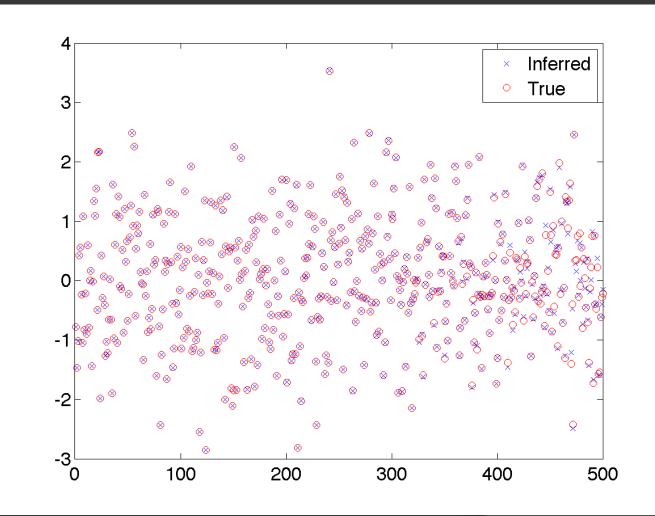
- Deterministic adjoint based
- MCMC algorithms
- EnKF
- Hybrid approaches
- Reduced order modeling



Transformations







Inferred Forcing Parameters



Gaussian Kernel Inversion 150x150 grid Sensitivities

Sensors vs rmse

