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Multi-GPU Implementation of the Levy and Lindenbaum's Method for Streaming SVD with Application to Large Datasets of KHRTI Simulation

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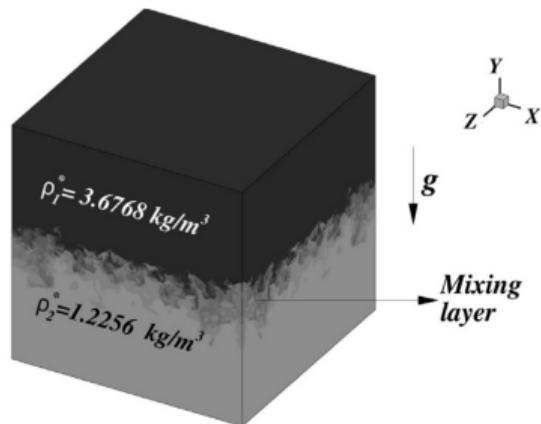
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- Introduction
- A multi-GPU implementation of HLL-SVD
- Application to KHRTI simulation data

Improving the understanding of fluid flows instability

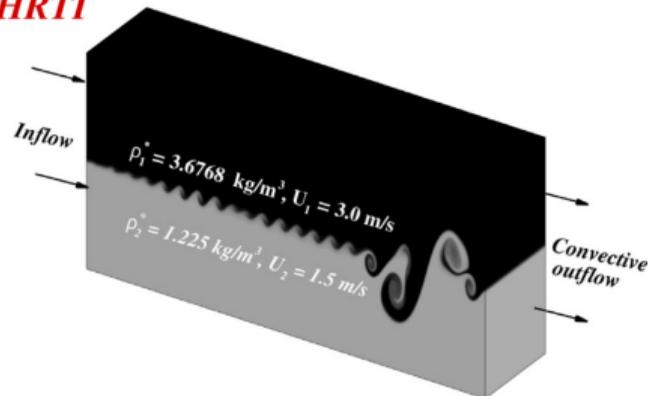
Extremely refined simulations help understanding the world albeit at the cost of skyrocketing compute time AND data size.

RTI



(a) 4.2 billion dofs, 1 snapshot \Rightarrow 157GB,
1E-7 timesteps

KHRTI

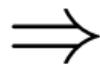
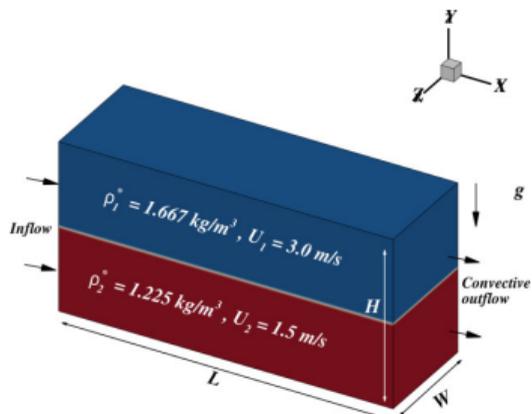


(b) 480 millions dofs, 1 snapshot \Rightarrow 15GB,
1E-6 timesteps

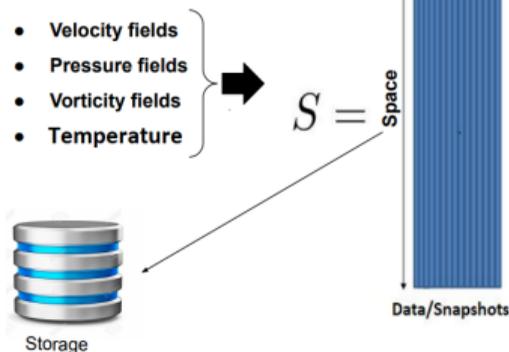
How to handle tens of terabytes of data in an international project?

The KHRTI case

- 1 Run simulation locally
- 2 Store only necessary data \rightarrow 2.4TB
- 3 Process it onsite \rightarrow Develop suitable SVD
- 4 Share / Analyse the reduced basis to improve knowledge

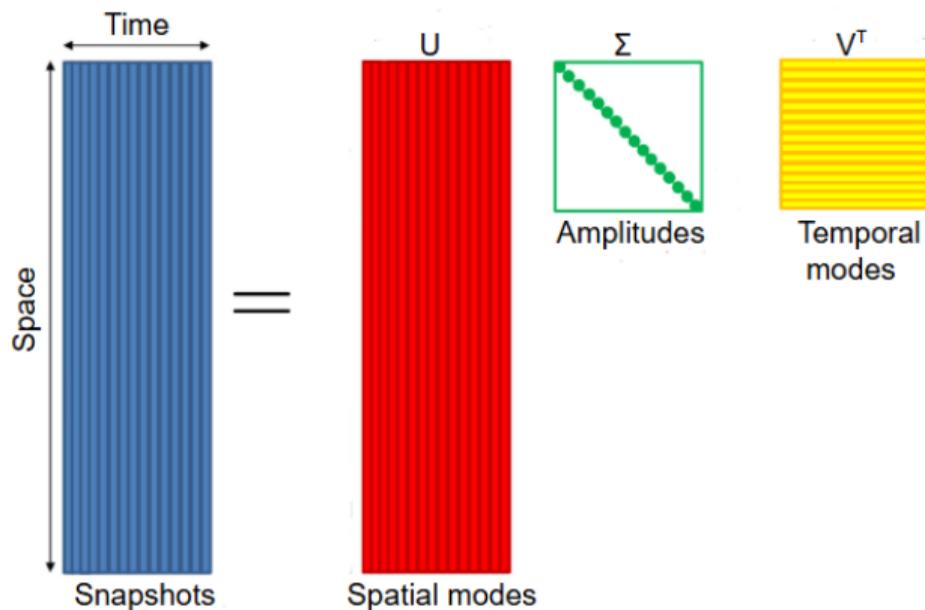


DNS



Singular Value Decomposition (SVD)

- Linked with physics (PCA, POD)
- Used as a preprocessor in ML
- Offers data compression
- Building block of ROM



Levy and Lindenbaum's Approach

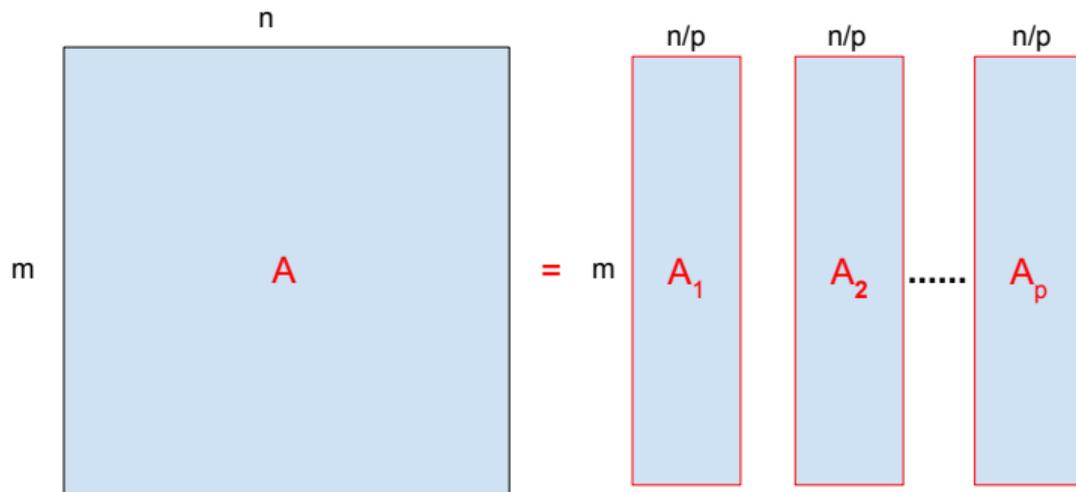
- Approach introduced by Avraham Levy and Michael Lindenbaum in 1997¹.
- Recently used by Maulik and Mengaldo in PyParSVD (2021), an MPI-based implementation²

¹A Levy & M Lindenbaum. Sequential Karhunen-Loeve basis extraction and its application to images. In Proceedings of ICIP98 (Cat. No. 98CB36269), volume 2, pages 456–460. IEEE, 1998.

²R Maulik & G Mengaldo, PyParSVD: A Streaming, Distributed and Randomized Singular-Value-Decomposition Library, 2021, <https://doi.org/10.48550/arXiv.2108.08845>

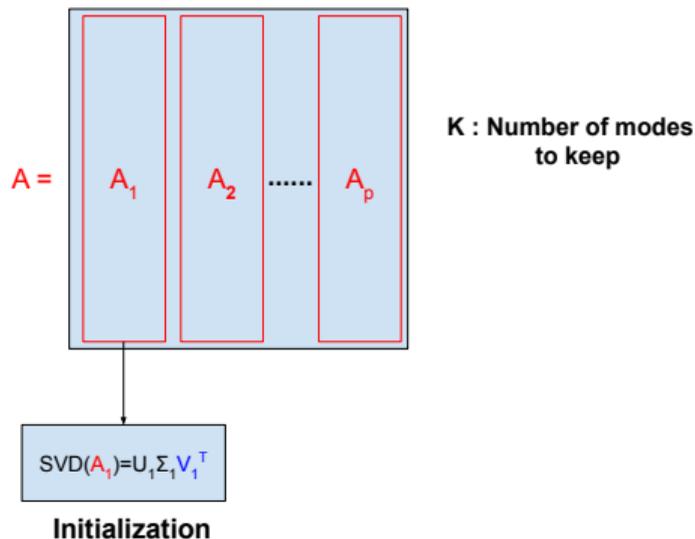
Levy and Lindenbaum's Approach

Step 1: *Creating batches*



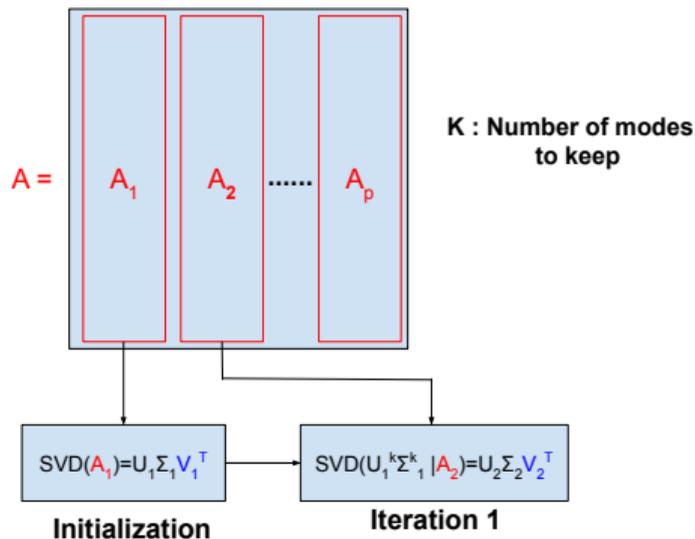
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Step 2: Computation of the SVD



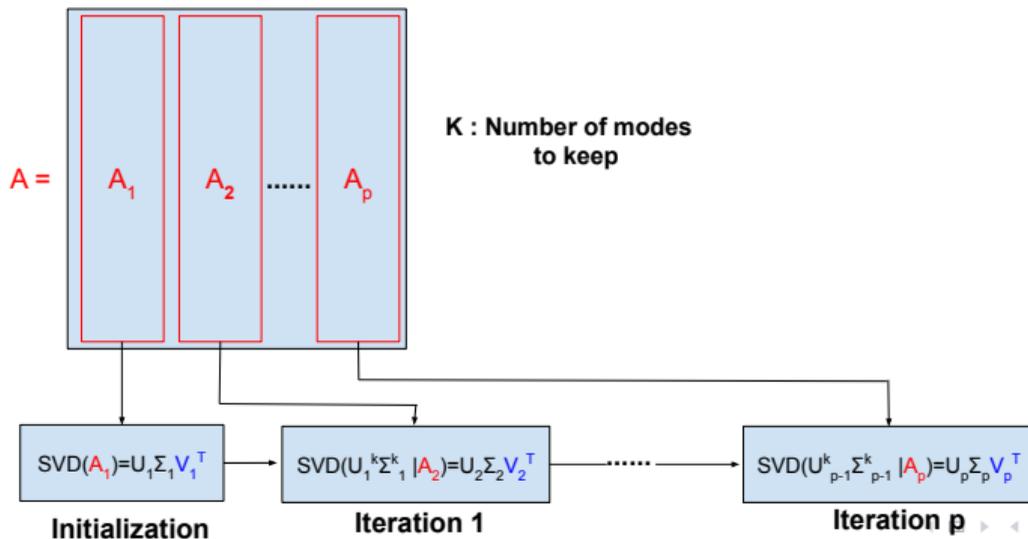
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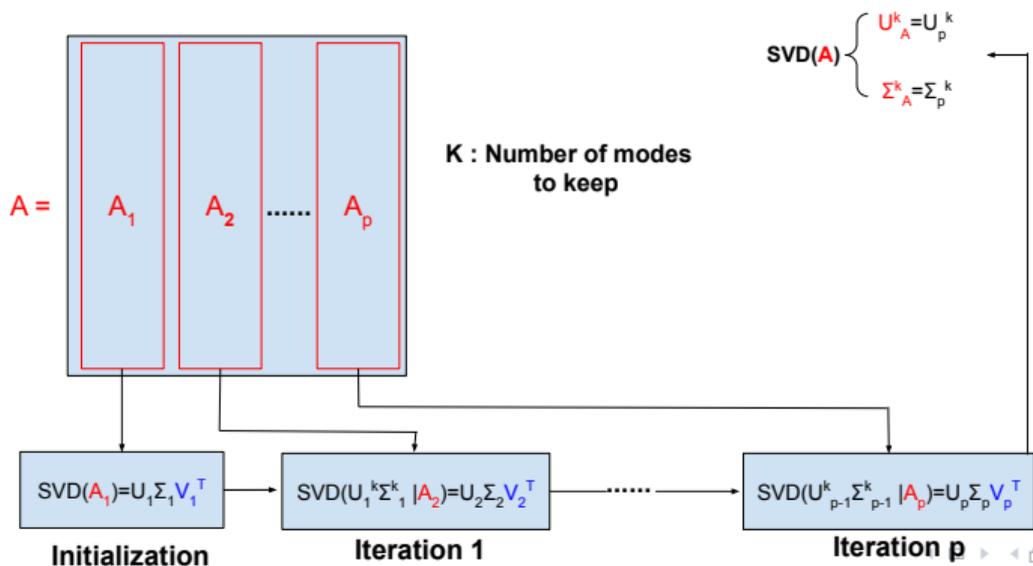
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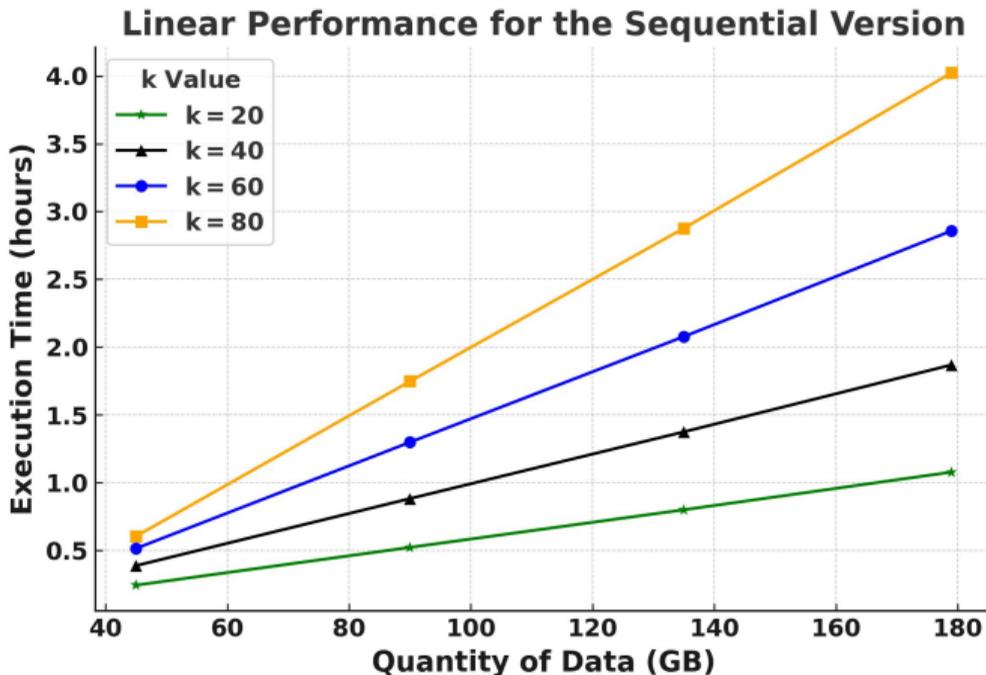


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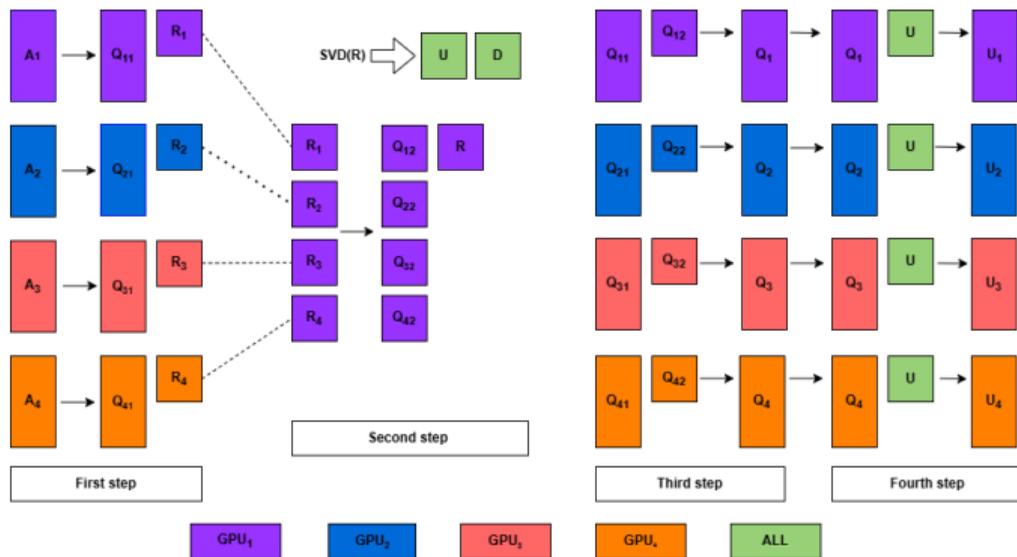
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The Sequential version scales linearly with time and k



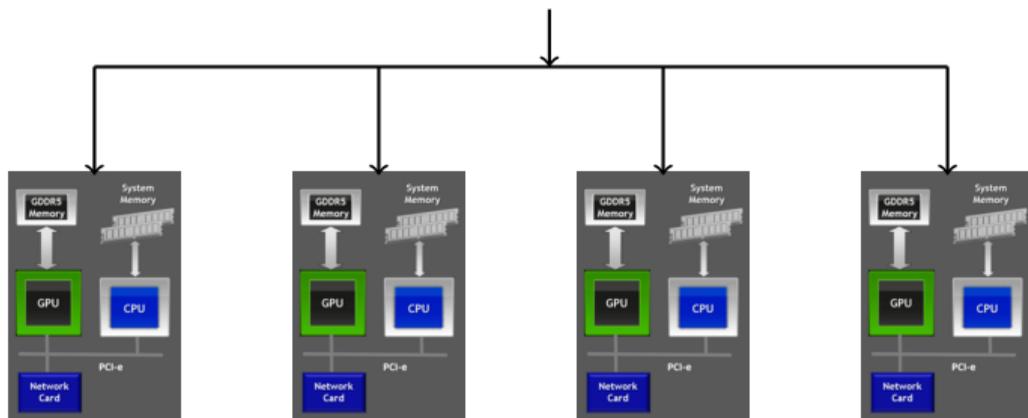
HLL-SVD : Parallelizing the batch SVD with Direct TSQR on Multiple GPUs



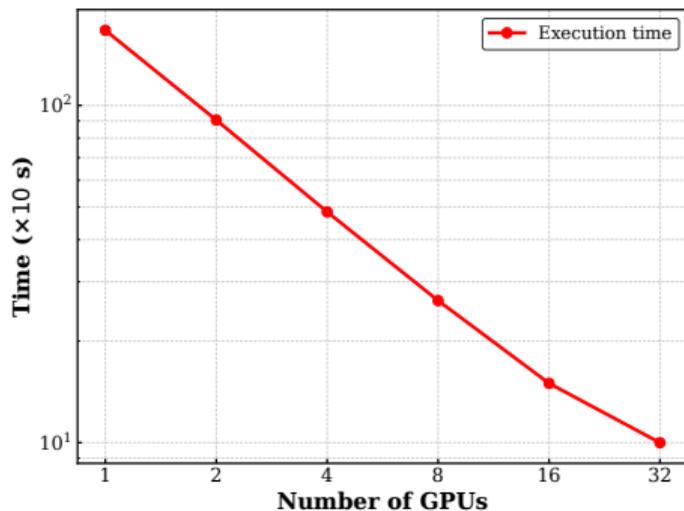
Hardware Used

We perform our simulations on the **Jean-Zay** supercomputer, equipped with **NVIDIA H100 GPUs** with 80 GB of memory, two Intel Xeon Platinum 846 sockets (48 cores per socket), and 512 GB of RAM.

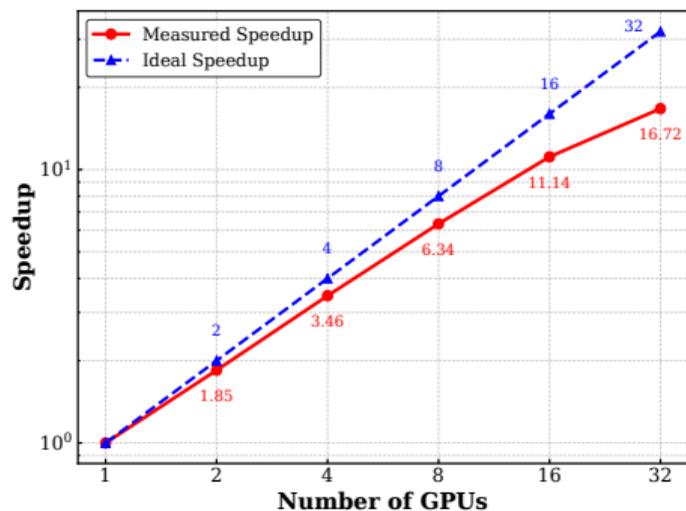
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Strong Scaling the HLL-SVD



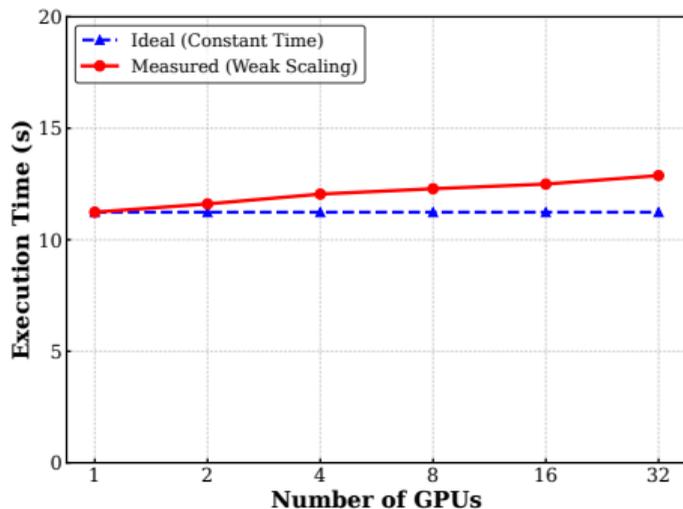
(a) Execution Time



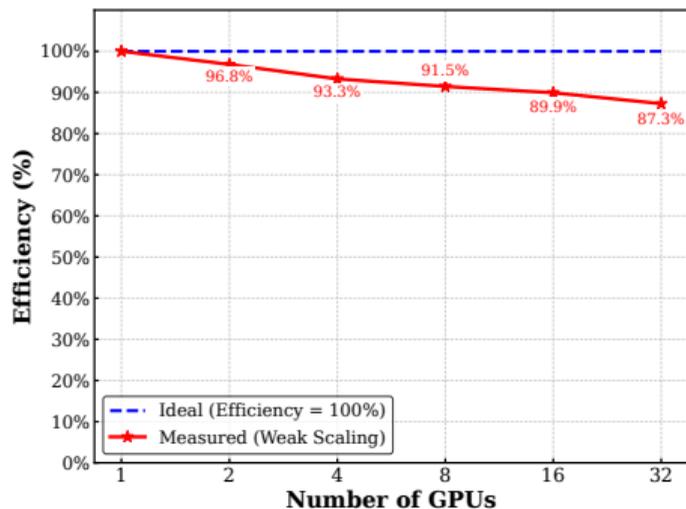
(b) Speedup

Figure 2: Strong scaling performed on a random matrix of size $6E7 \times 3E3$ stored in single precision (32-bit), 150 batches(20 columns), $k=10$.

Weak scaling of the HLL-SVD



(a) Execution Time



(b) Speedup

Figure 3: Weak scaling performed on a random matrix of initial size $1E6 \times 3E3$ stored in single precision (32-bit), 150 batches (20 columns), $k=10$. Number of row is increased with nGPU.

Comparing HLL-SVD and PyParSVD (MPI)

In this evaluation, we fix $k = 20$, while keeping the number of columns equal to 100. The number of rows is progressively increased in order to assess scalability.

Method	Cores/GPUs	10^5	10^6	10^7	10^8
PyParSVD	1 core	14.47	161.24	820.05	2651.38
PyParSVD	48 cores	0.37	10.01	57.58	113.66
PyParSVD	96 cores	0.24	4.47	28.44	57.10
HLL-SVD	1 GPU	1.38	7.83	29.06	47.45
HLL-SVD	2 GPUs	1.03	5.15	16.11	24.31

Table 1: Execution time (in seconds) as a function of the number of rows.

Code Repository on GitHub³

YassinAJANIF / HLL-SVD

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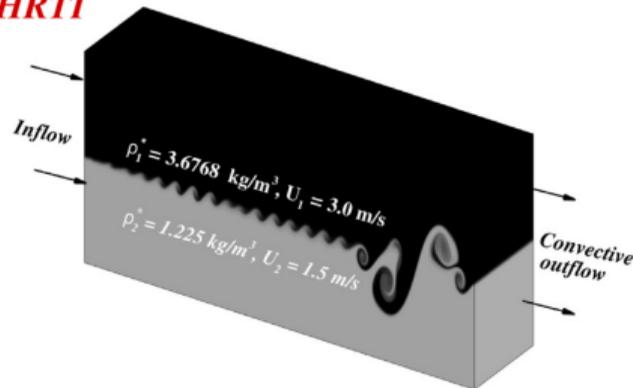


³<https://github.com/YassinAJANIF/HLL-SVD>

Application to KHRTI Data

- DNS data of the Kelvin–Helmholtz Rayleigh–Taylor instability (KHRTI) ^a.
- Study only the pressure perturbation field p' .
- SVD on **875** snapshots, each containing **480** million dofs.
- $k = 10$
- Single precision (32-bit).
- Run on 8 GPUs.

KHRTI



^aJoshi et al., Comparing the highly-resolved onset of Rayleigh–Taylor and Kelvin–Helmholtz Rayleigh–Taylor instabilities, European Journal of Mechanics - B/Fluids, 115, 2026, 204382, ISSN 0997-7546, <https://doi.org/10.1016/j.euromechflu.2025.204382>.

Evolution of the pressure disturbance

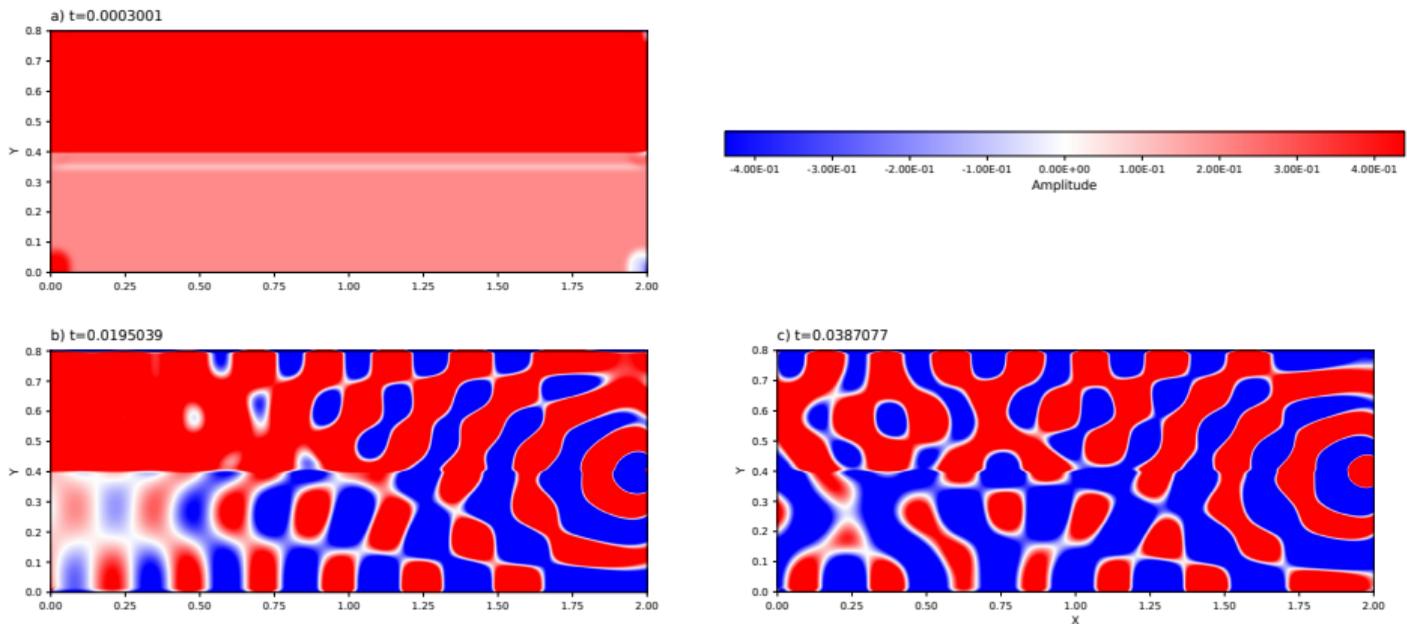
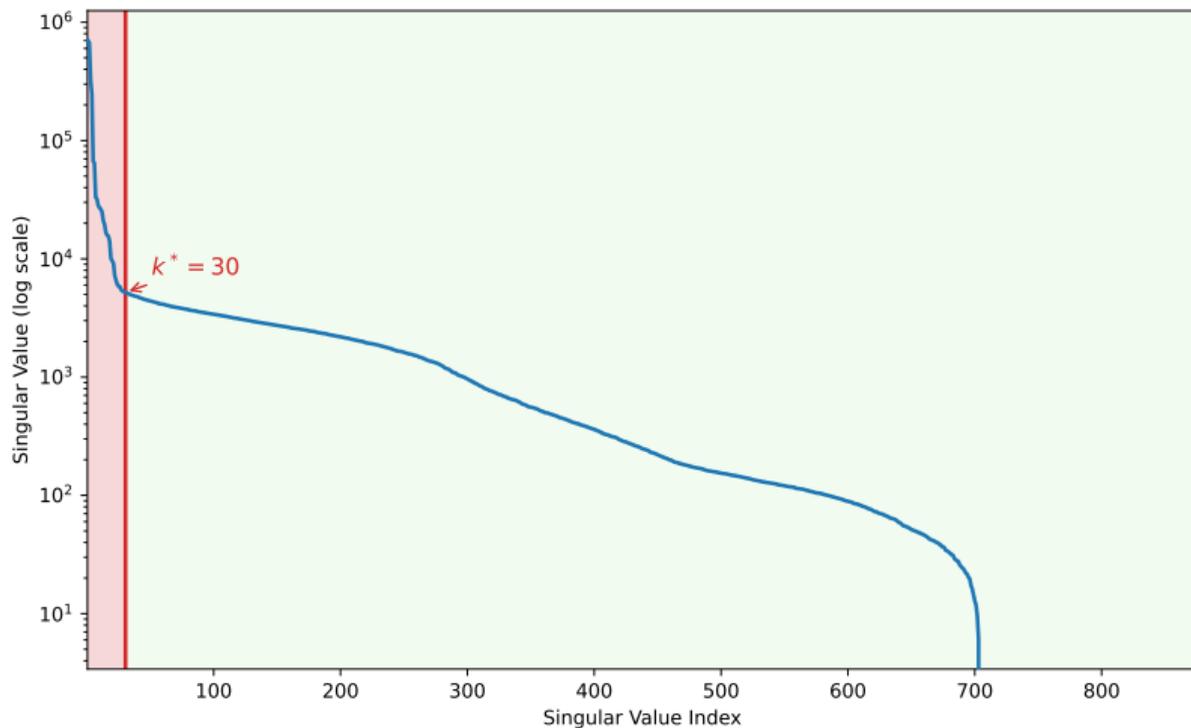
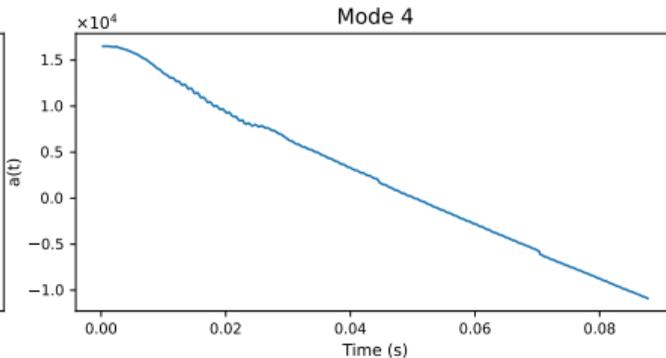
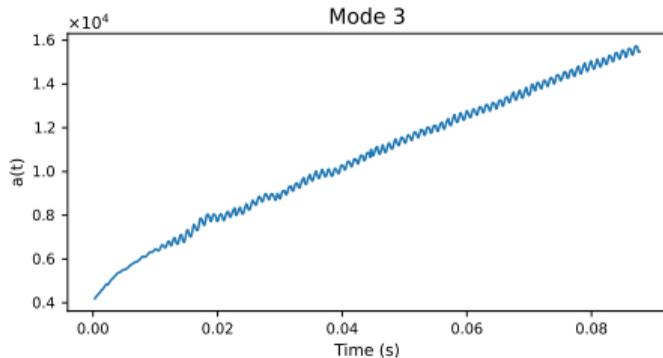
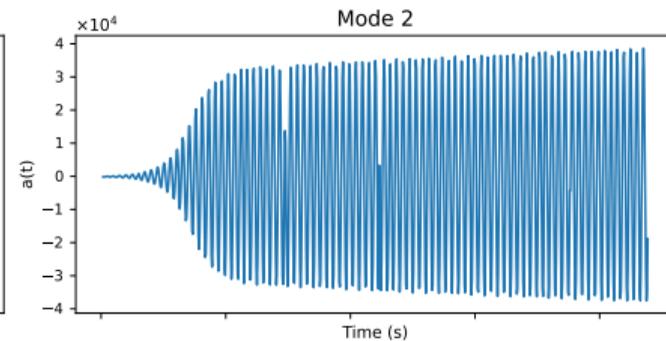
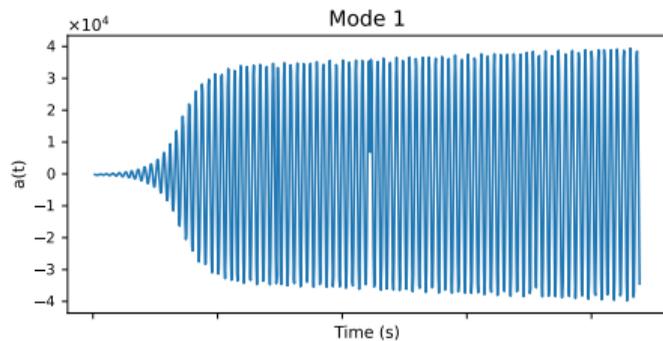


Figure 4: The evolution of pressure disturbances in $z = 10$ plane during early onset of the KHRTI.

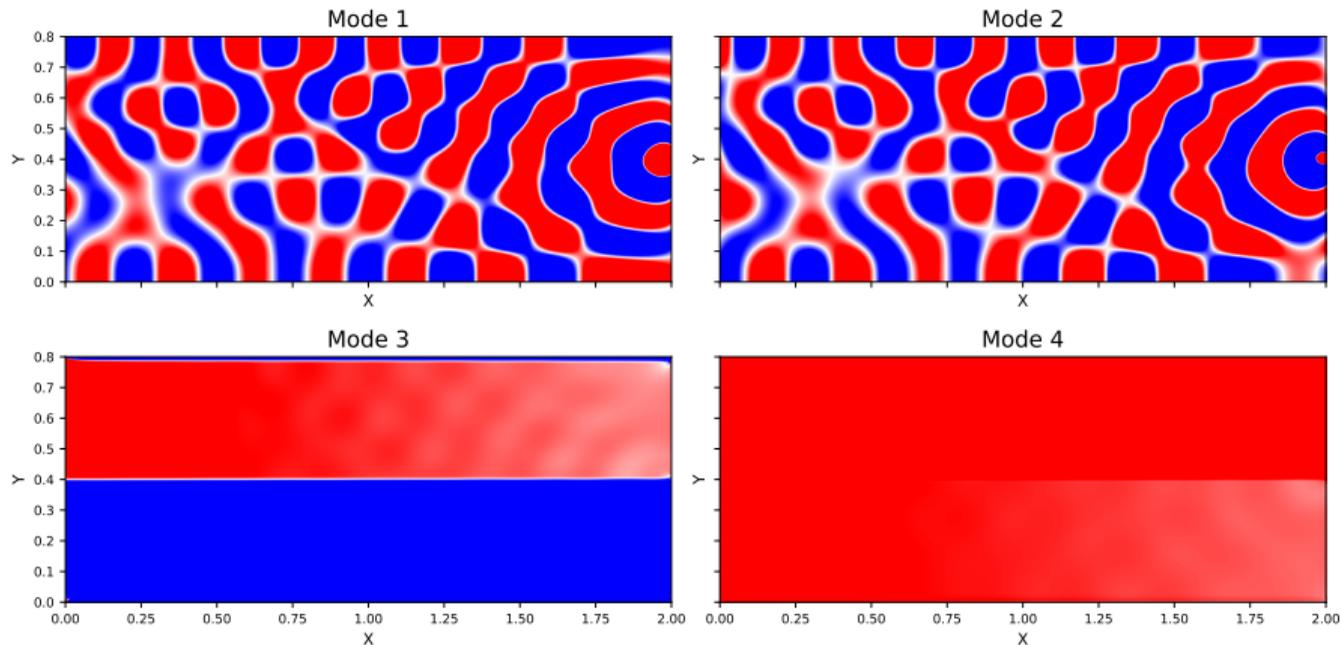
Singular values of the KHRTI data, computed using the snapshot method



Temporal Modes : $a_i = \sigma_i v_i^T$



Spatial Modes Φ_i



Reconstruction with 10 Modes — Snapshot at $t = 0.02050410$

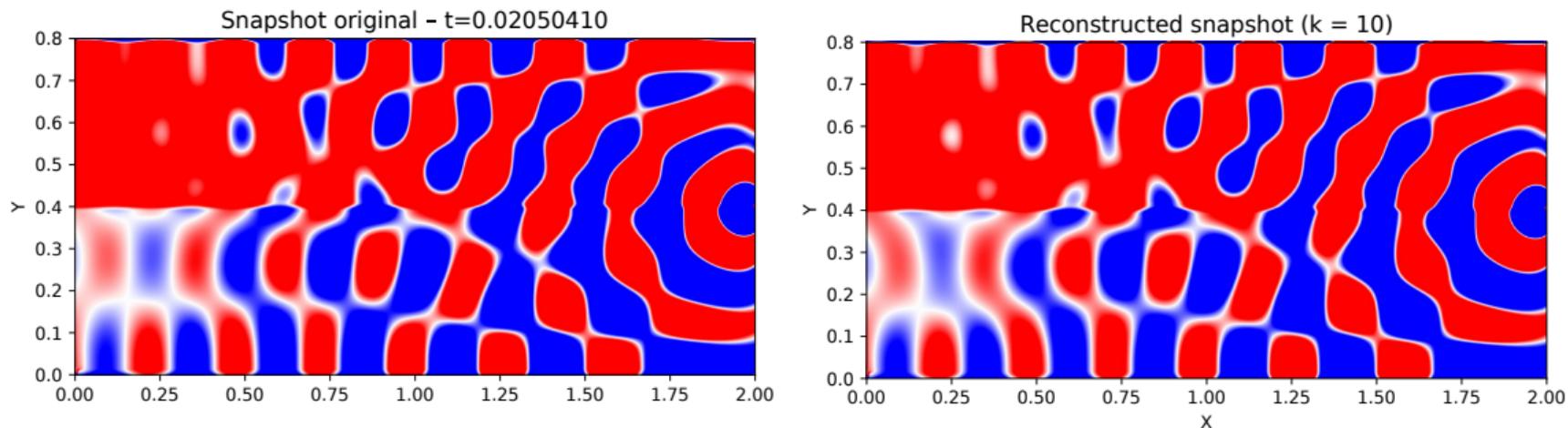


Figure 5: Reconstruction of a single snapshot at $z = 10$ with relative error $\varepsilon_{\text{rel}} = 7.5584\%$.

Conclusions and Perspectives

- HLL-SVD is a new SVD implementation capable of processing large-scale datasets from fluid mechanics, leveraging heterogeneous HPC architectures (CPU/GPU).
- Future work : develop a reduced-order model tailored to very large datasets using HLL-SVD.



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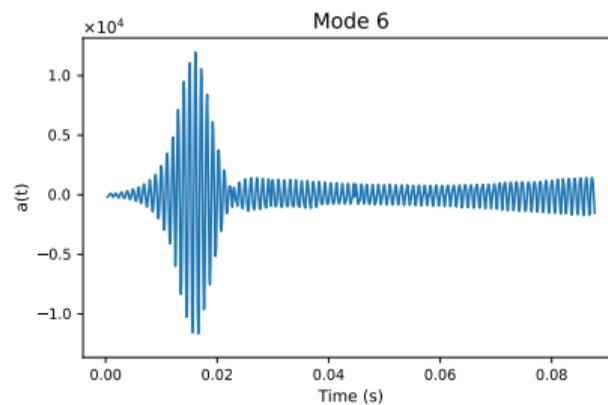
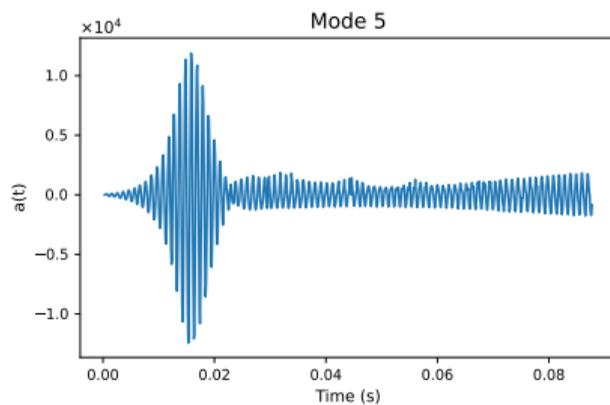
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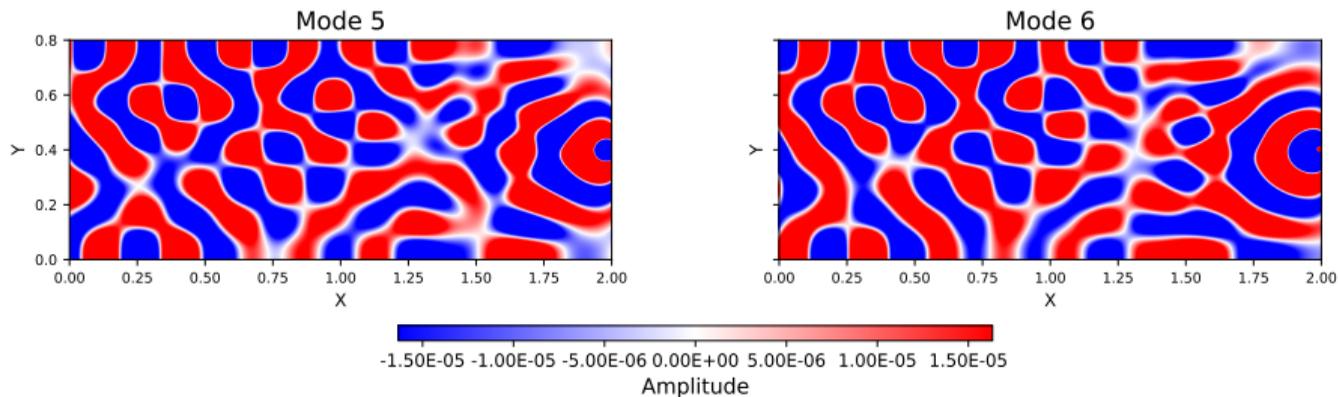


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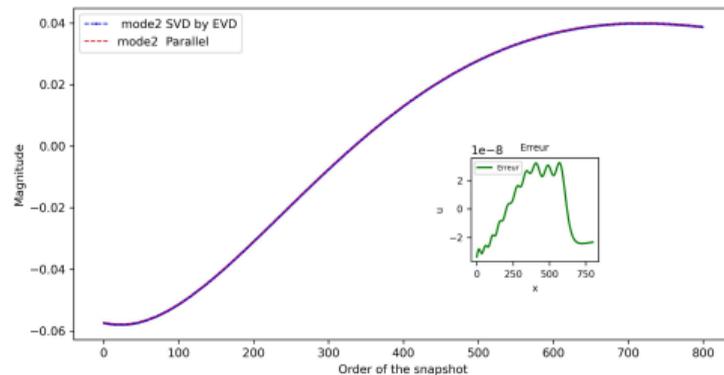
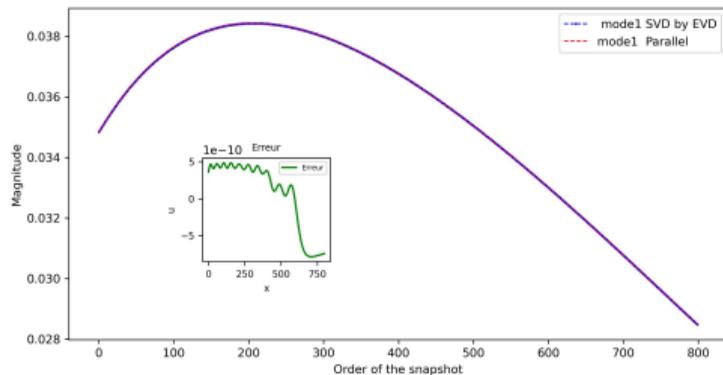
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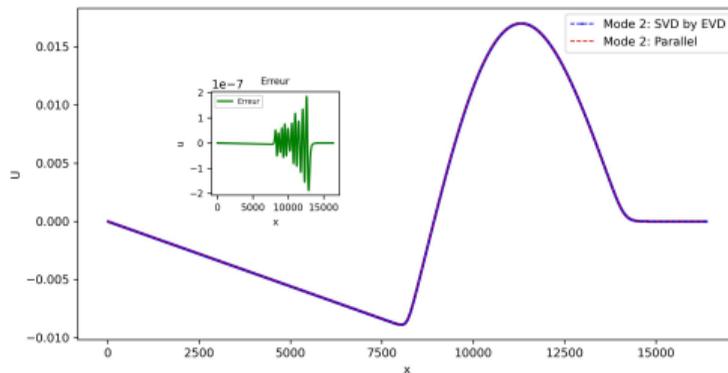
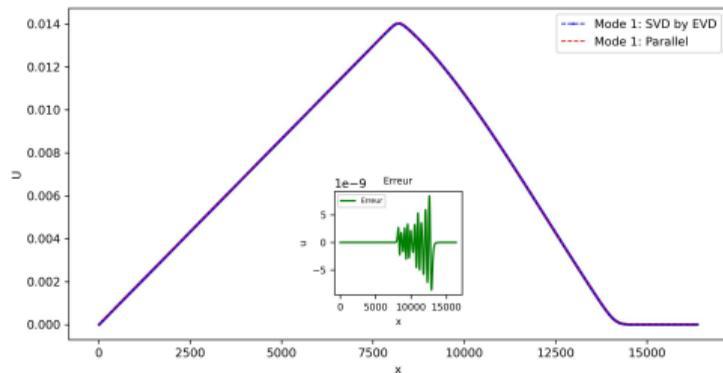
Spatial Modes Φ_i



Method precision - temporal modes



Method precision - Spatial modes



GPU H100 details

- Memory : 80 GB.
- Memory Type : HBM3