



# **FLD: Fourier Latent Dynamics for Structured Motion Representation and Learning**

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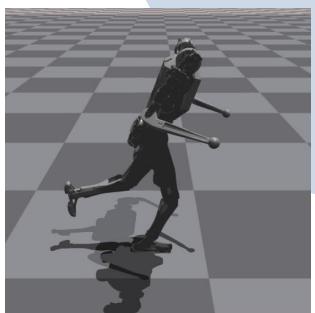
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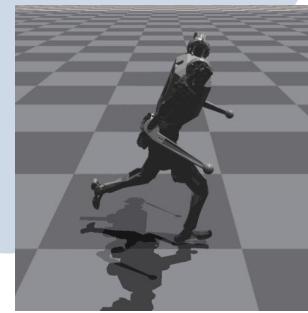
# Motivation



## Limited demonstrations



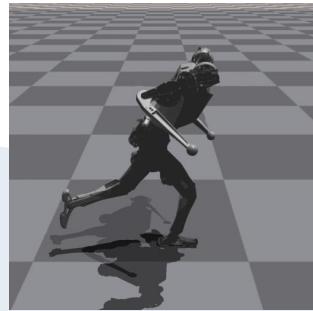
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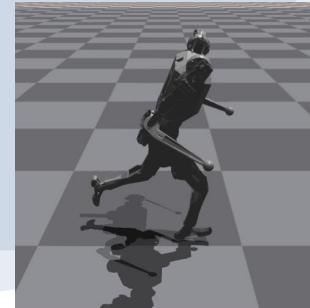
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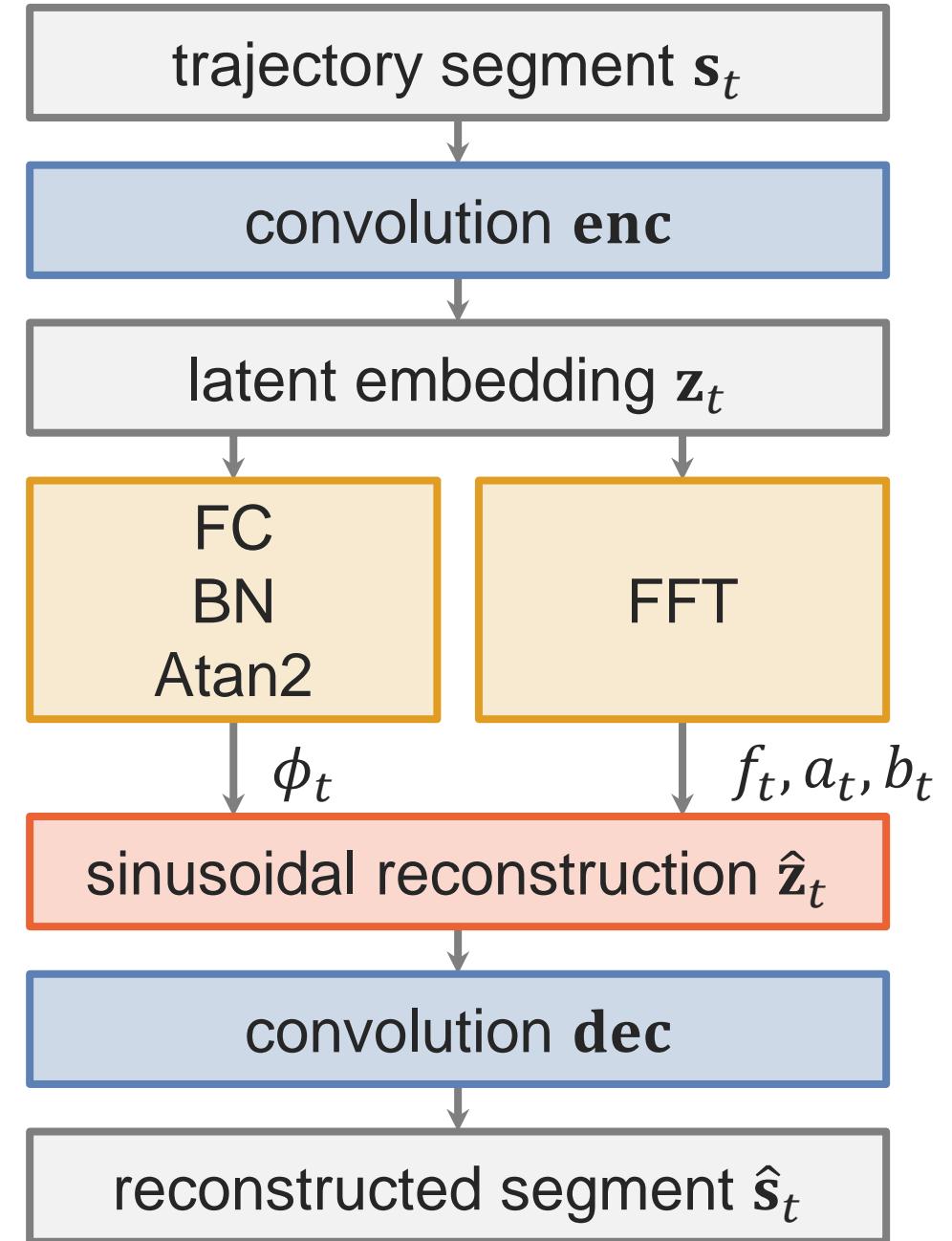
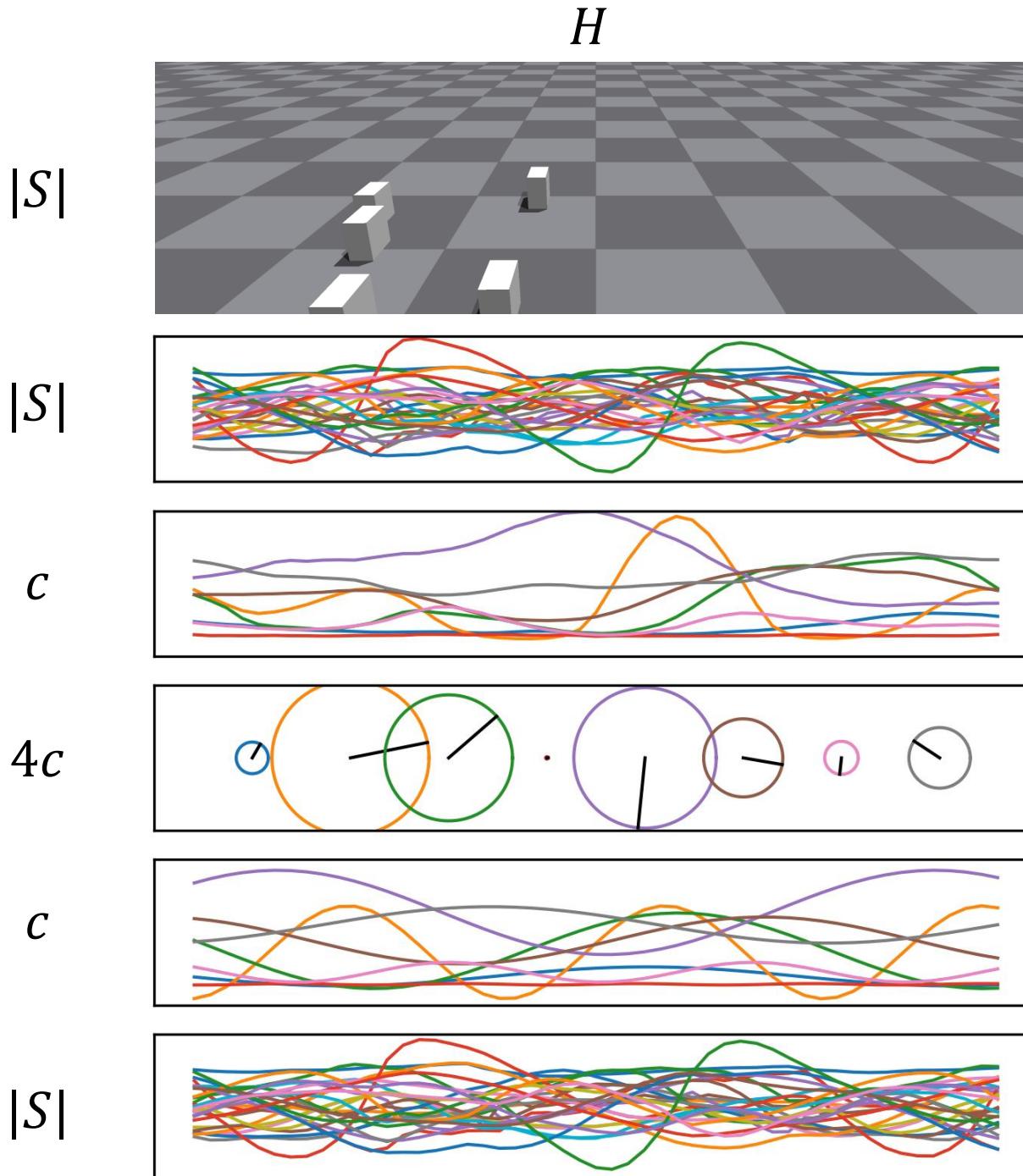


## Limited demonstrations



sparse reference

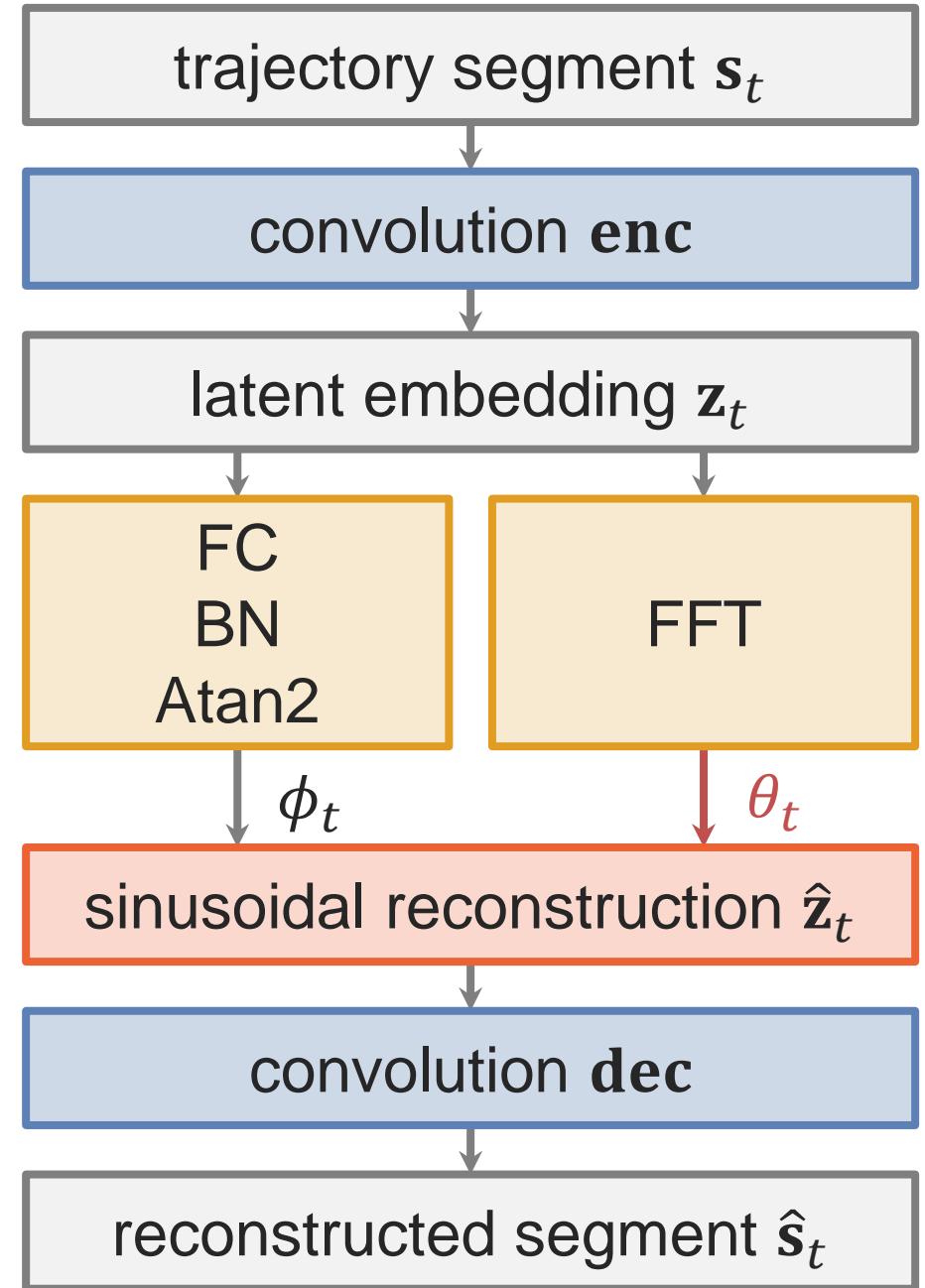
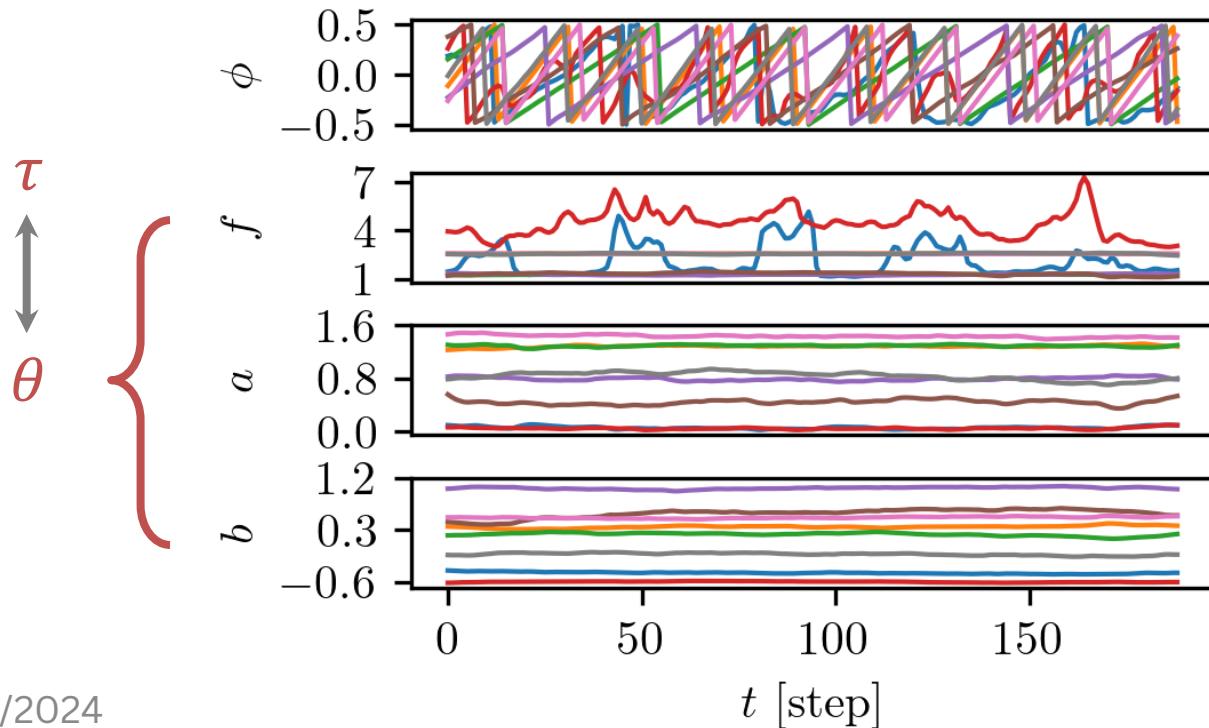




# Motion Representation

## Quasi-constant parameterization

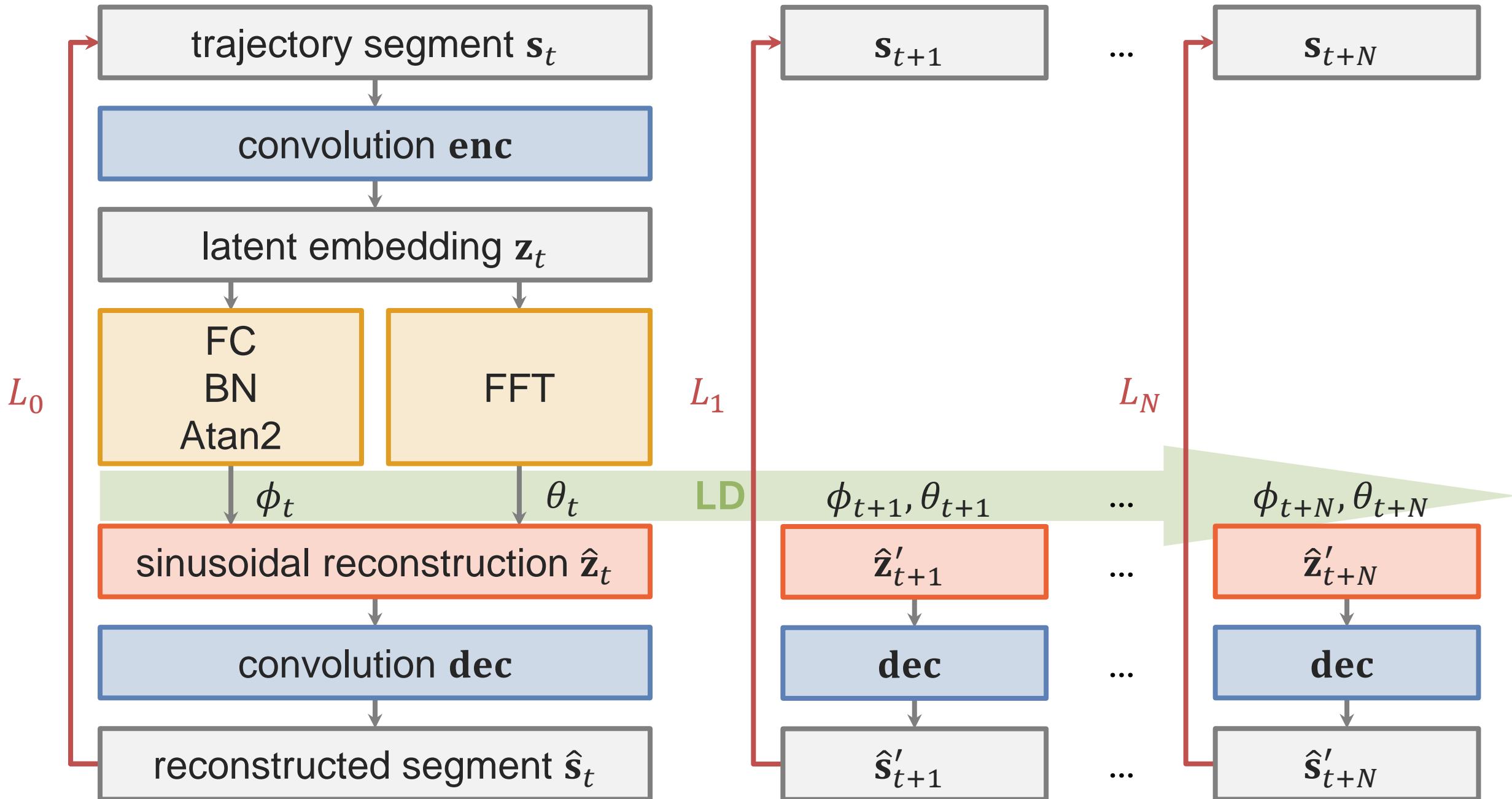
- motion similarity
- time invariance





# Fourier Latent Dynamics

## FLD

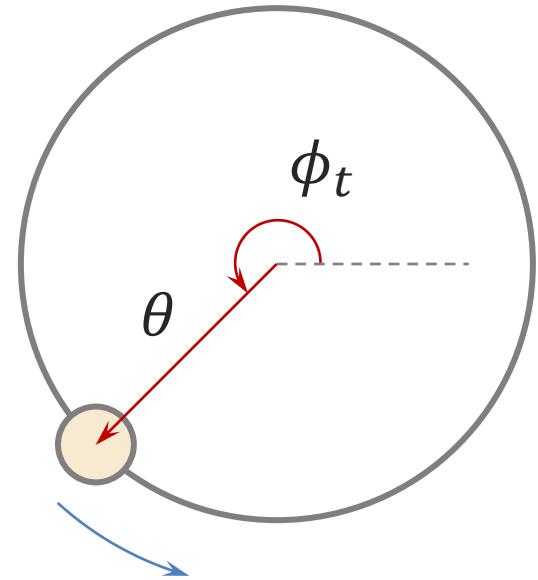


# Motion Representation



## Latent manifold

- quasi-constant parameterization

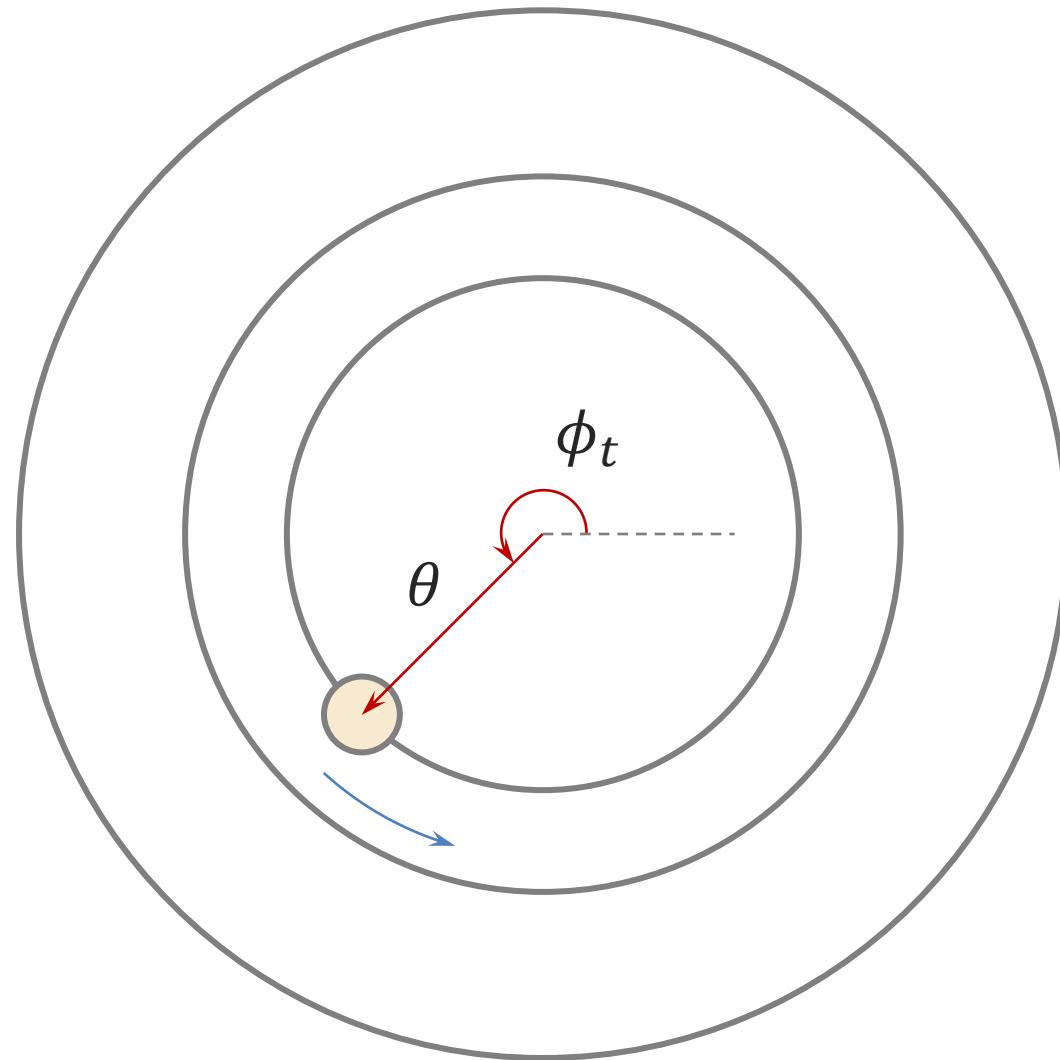


# Motion Representation



## Latent manifold

- quasi-constant parameterization

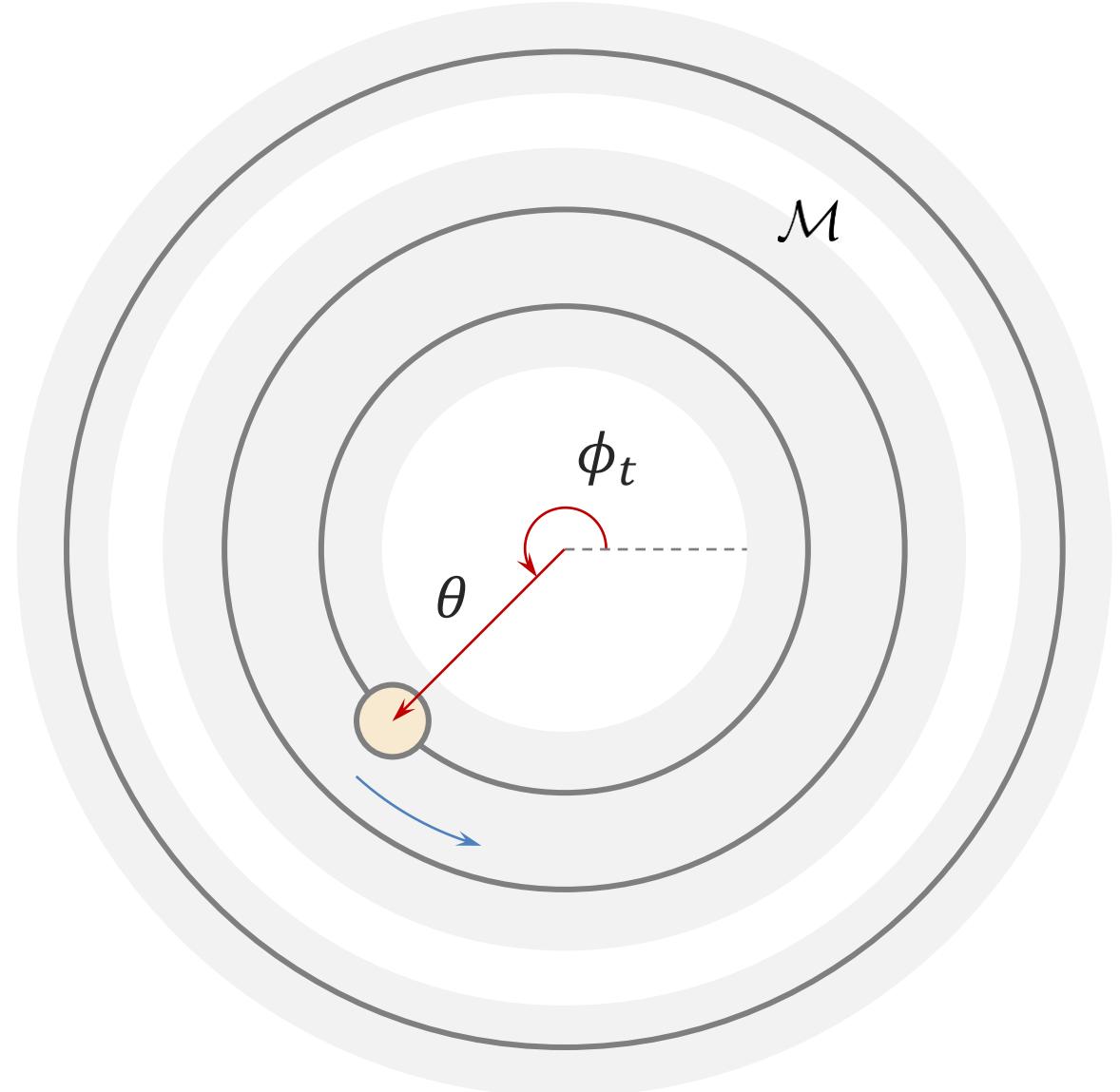


# Motion Representation



## Latent manifold

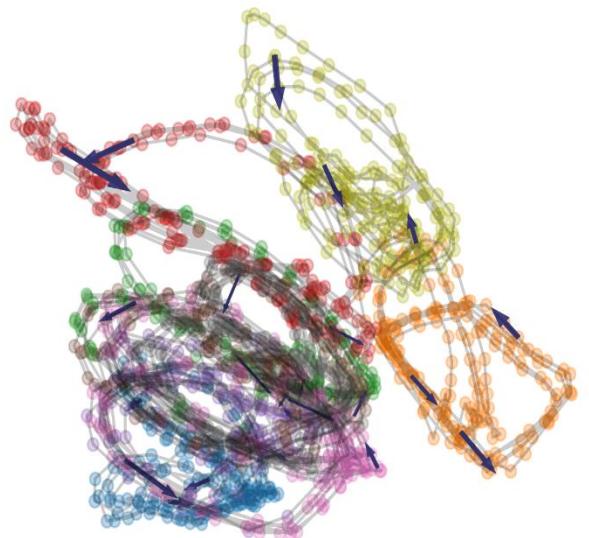
- quasi-constant parameterization



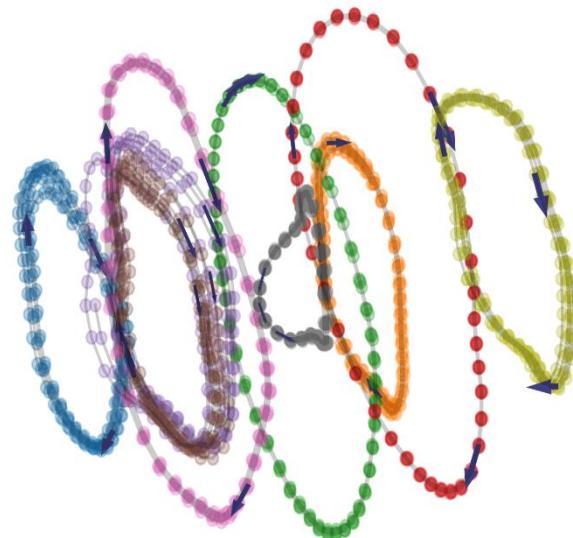
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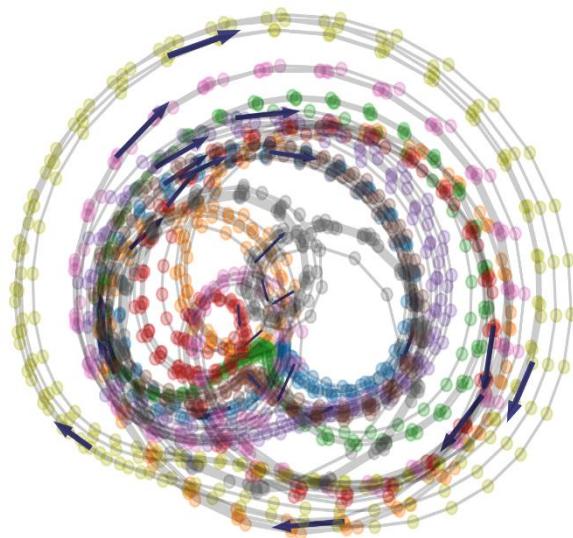
original



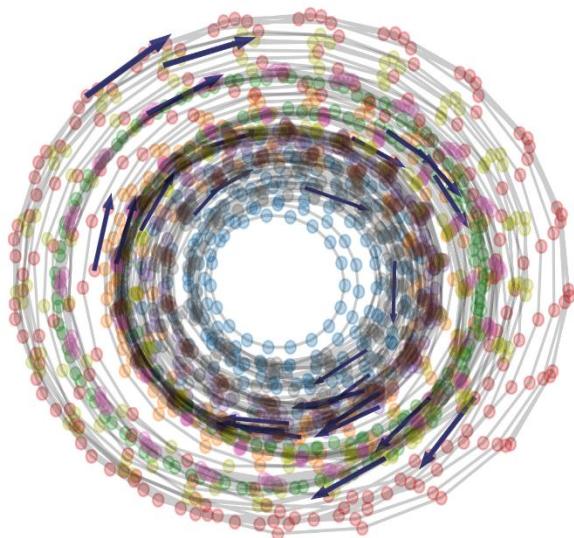
VAE



PAE



FLD



# parameters to represent a state trajectory  $\tau$  in space  $S$

$$|S| \times |\tau|$$

$$c \times (|\tau| - H + 1)$$

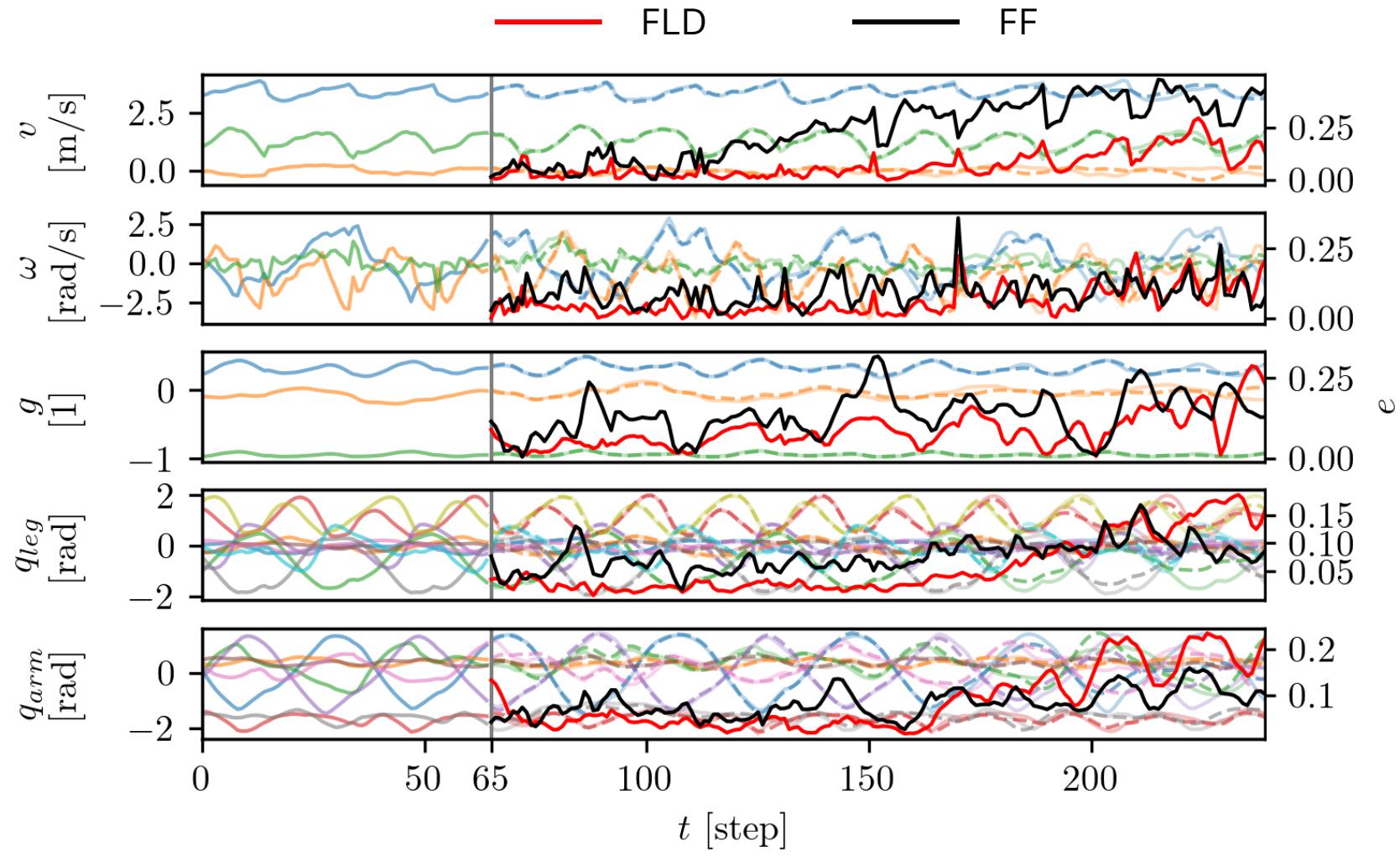
$$4c \times (|\tau| - H + 1)$$

$$4c$$

# Motion Representation



stride

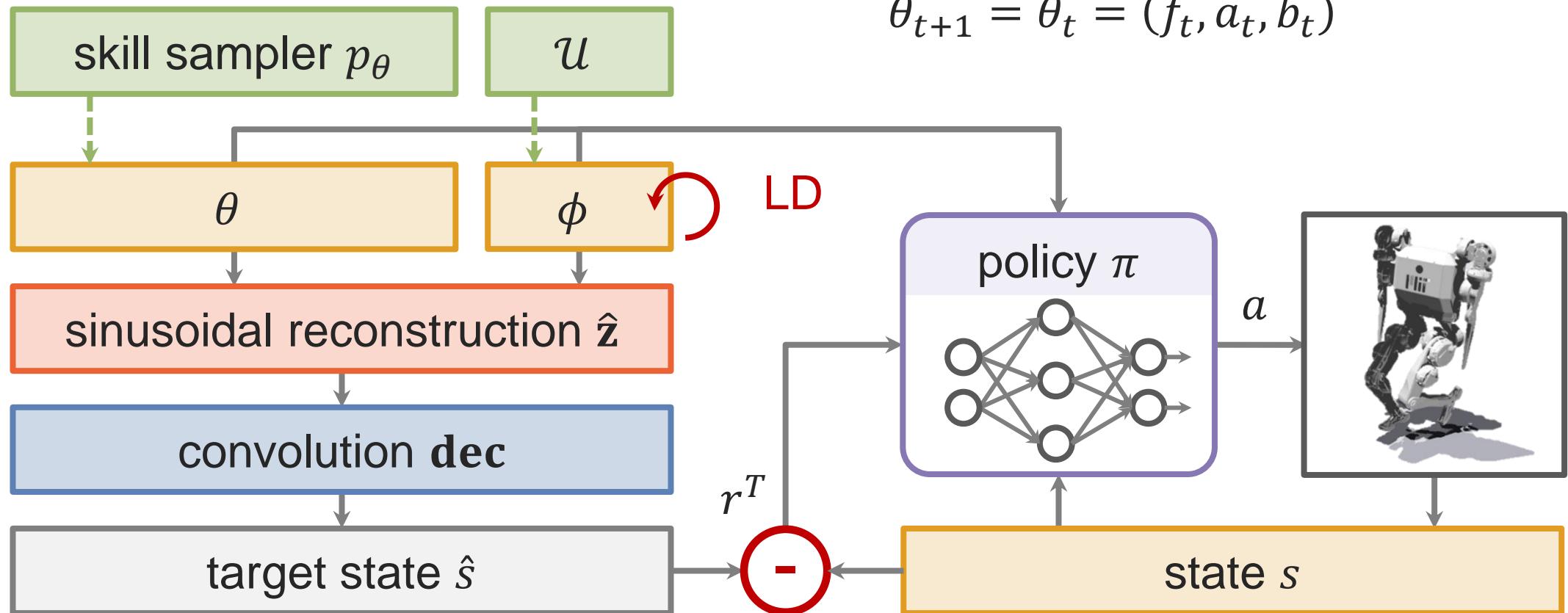


# Motion Learning



$$\phi_{t+1} = \phi_t + f_t \Delta t$$

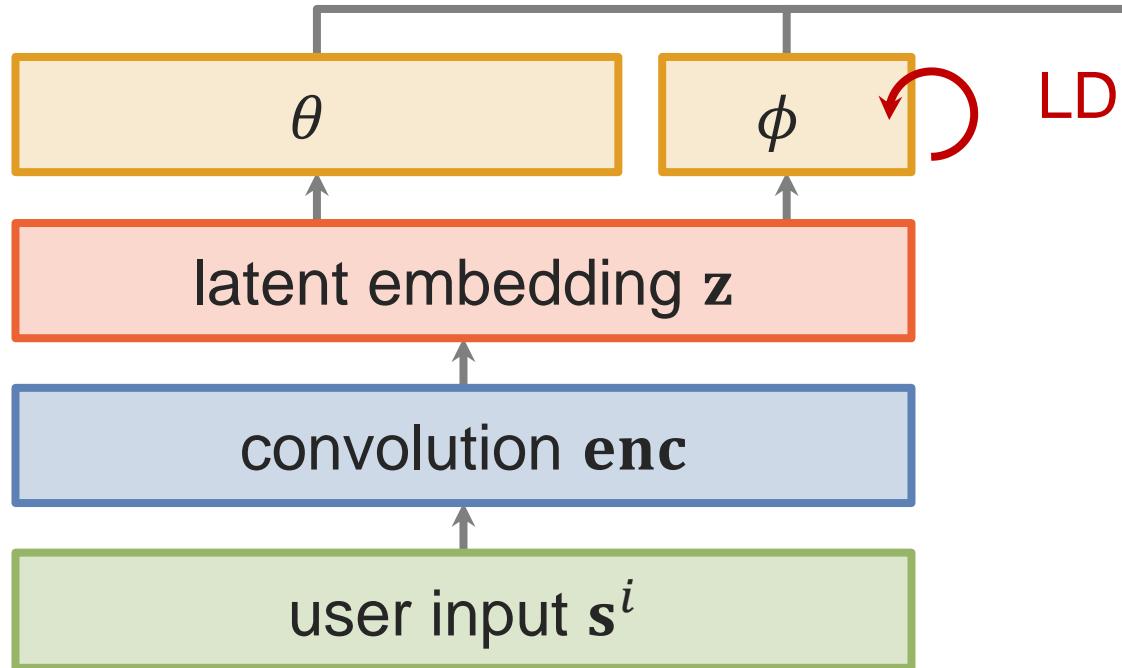
$$\theta_{t+1} = \theta_t = (f_t, a_t, b_t)$$



# Motion Learning

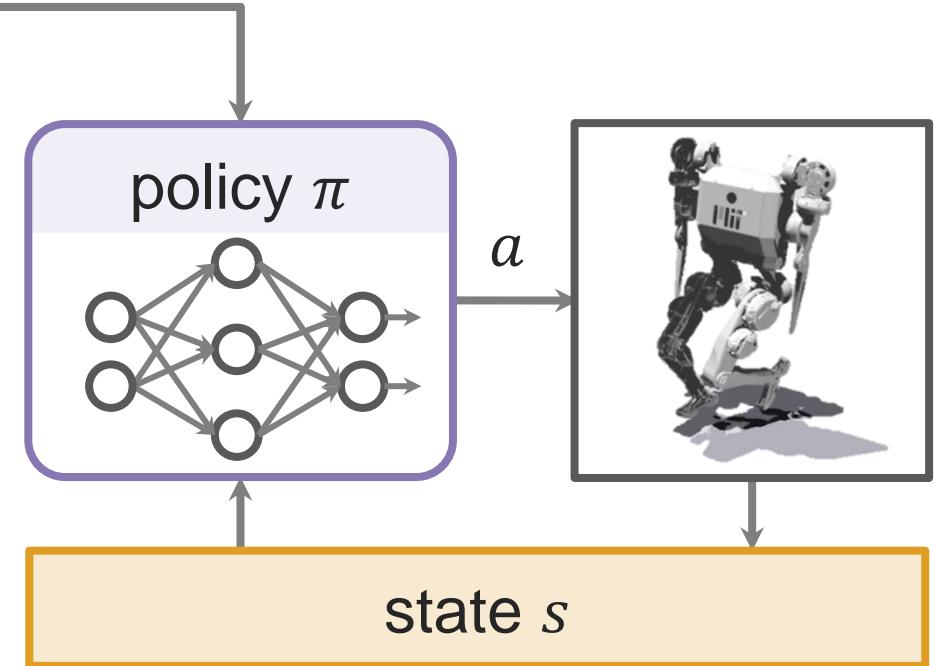


## Real-time tracking

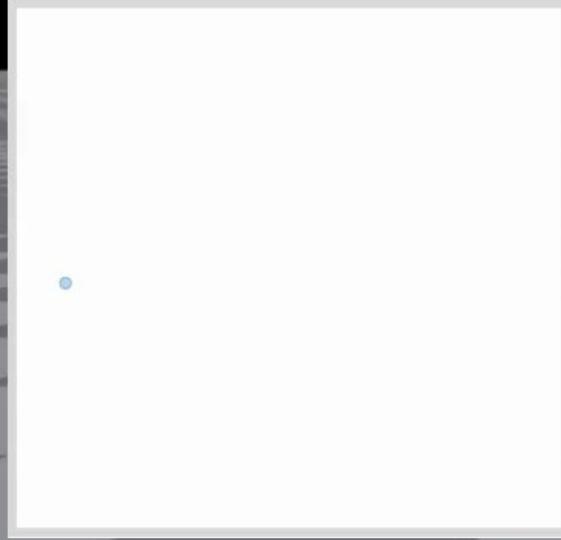


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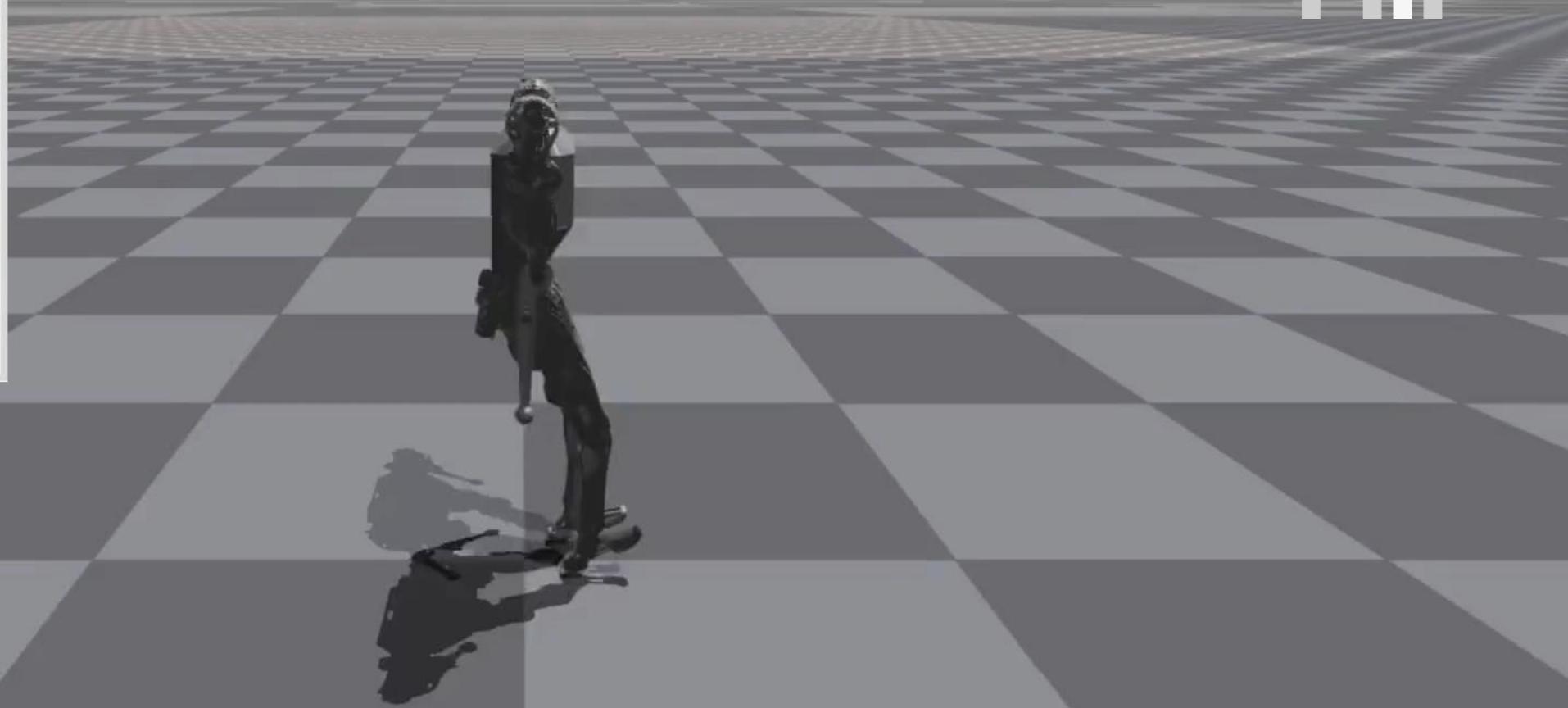
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# latent manifold



tracking target



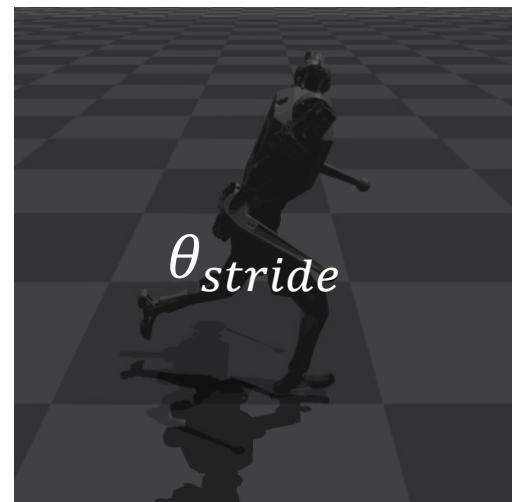
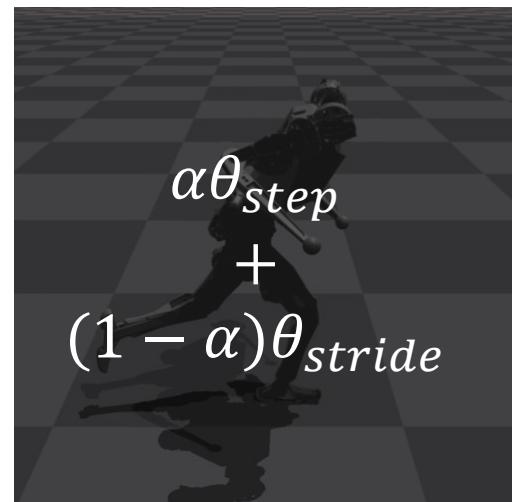
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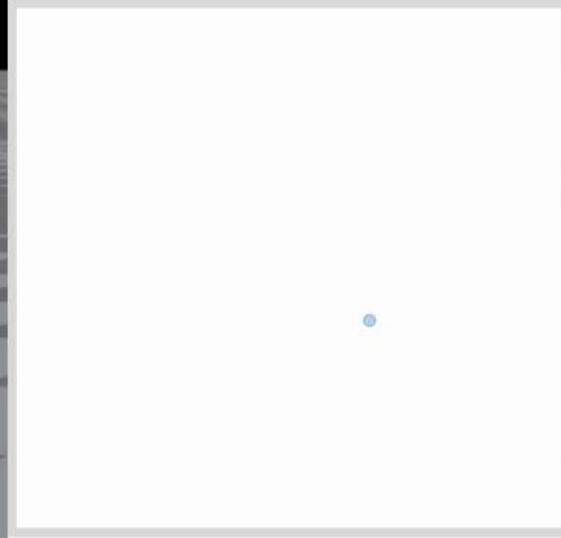
## Parameterization space $\theta$

- motion similarity
- time invariance

## Spatial-temporal relationships



# phase manifold



tracking target





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