# A Koopman operator approach for identifying 2D+1+1 transport stuctures in HYCOM North Atlantic

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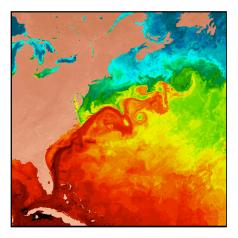
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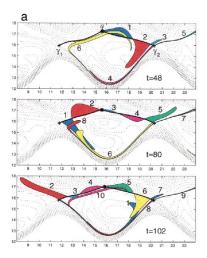
# Overview: Identify Transport Geometry in Model Ocean Velocity Fields

# 'Its deja-vu, all over again', L.P.B.

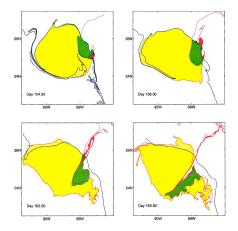
- LCS: Visualize time history of Lagrangian kinematics in Eulerian frame.
- Color/classify/delineate IC field based on common kinematics
- Define Langrangian Structures
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- use definition to calculate transport between structures.



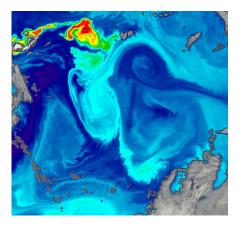
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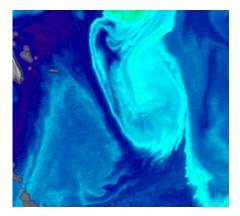
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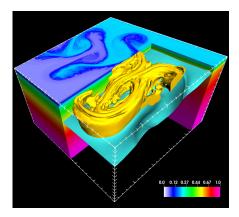
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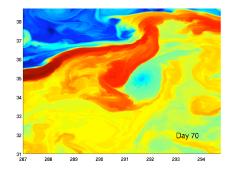
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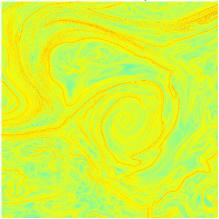


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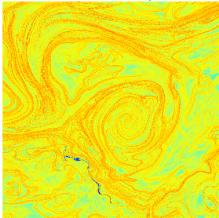
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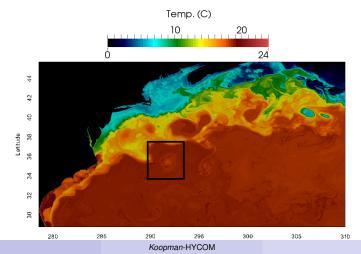
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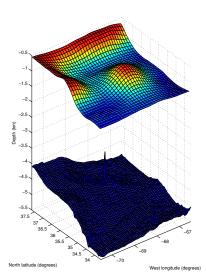
# Goal: Visualize transport in 1/50° HYCOM North Atlantic

- Specifically: Dipole with strong, persistant Cold-Core Cyclone
- Eddy-jet, eddy-eddy interaction Cross-Jet exchange
- 2D + 1 + 1: Advect on Isopycnals



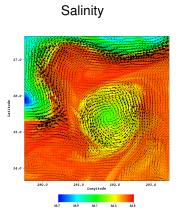
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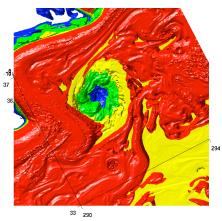
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# Temperature ( $\Delta T = 1^{\circ}$ )



Functional Approaches to Transport Geometry:

- Koopman Formalism: (Budišić, Mohr & Mezić)
  - Consider finite-time map (flow)  $T: M \rightarrow M$
  - Koopman Operator:  $U_T : \mathcal{F} \to \mathcal{F}$

$$[U_T f] = f(T(p))$$

- ▶ Nonlinear ODES in  $\mathbb{R}^n \rightarrow$  spectrum of *linear* operator  $U_T$ .
- Koopman modes from Lagrangian averages of specified basis set

$$f_k(x) = \mathrm{e}^{2\pi i k \cdot x}$$

Challenges in Ocean Context:

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- ★ Open flow: *M* essentially non-compact  $T : M \to M', M \subset M'$ .
- ★ Finite time: No well defined averaging time:  $\mu(M') = g(t)$
- ★ Open flow and/or Finite time → well defined partition? No strictly invarient sets.

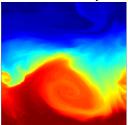
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- For finite-time, non-time-periodic flows, chose
  - Time-scale via τ.
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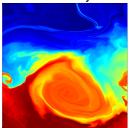
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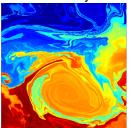
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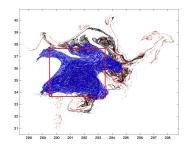
 $\tau$  = 32 days

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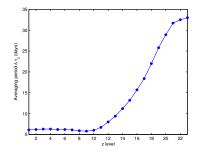
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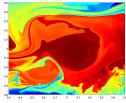
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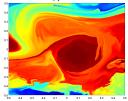
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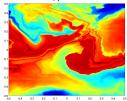
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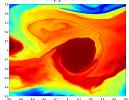


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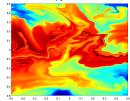
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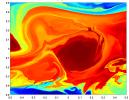
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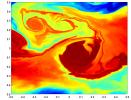
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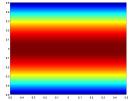
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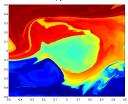
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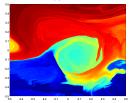
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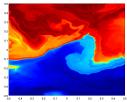
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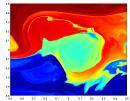
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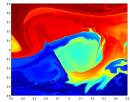


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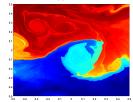


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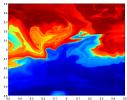




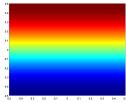
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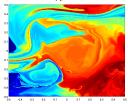
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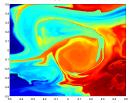




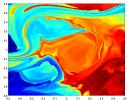
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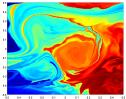


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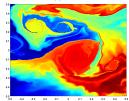


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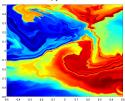




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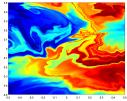
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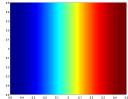
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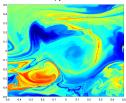




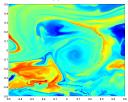




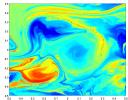
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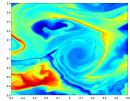
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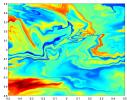
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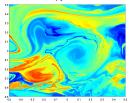
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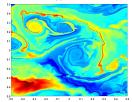
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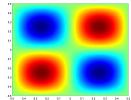
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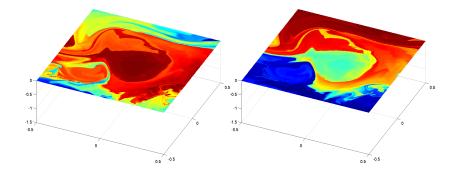
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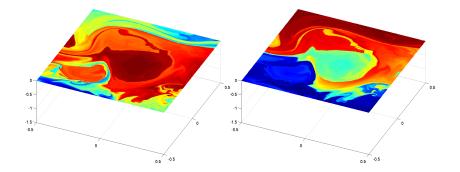


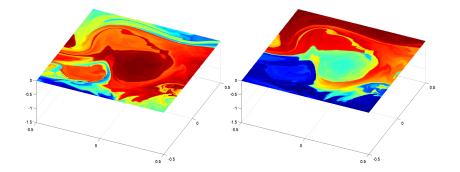
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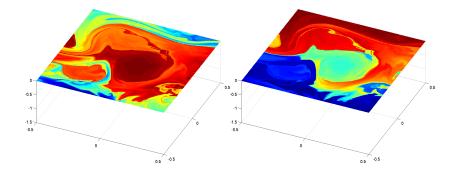
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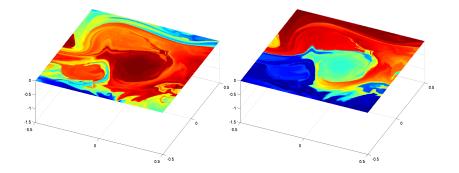


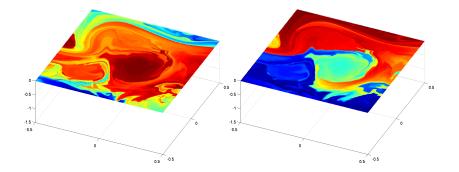


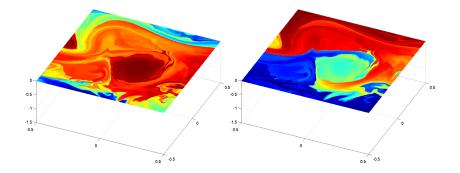


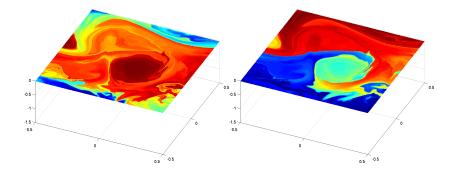


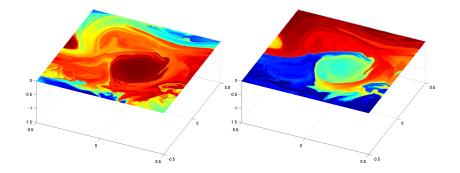


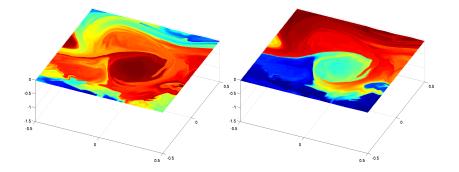


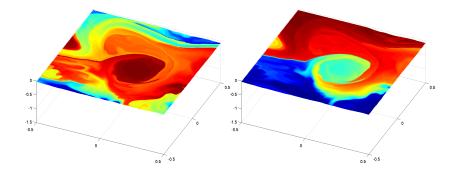


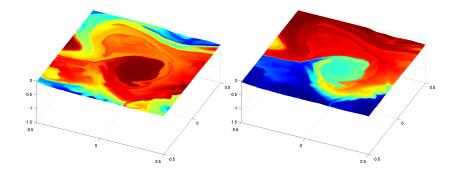


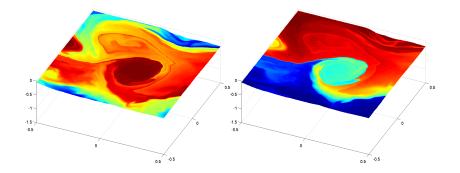


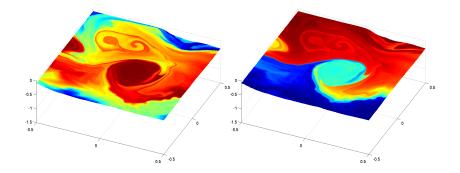


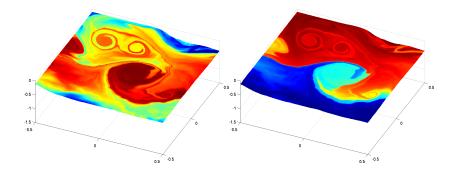


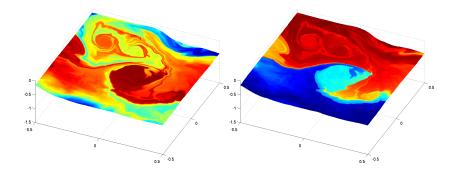


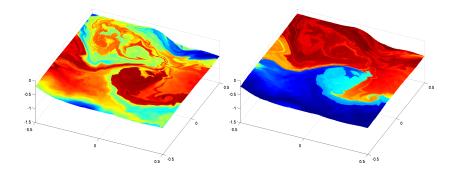


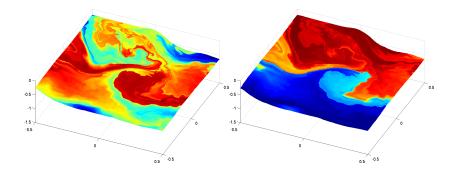


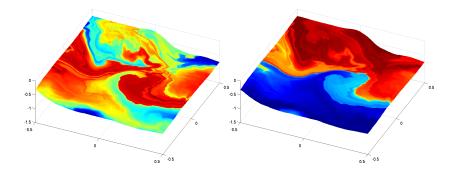


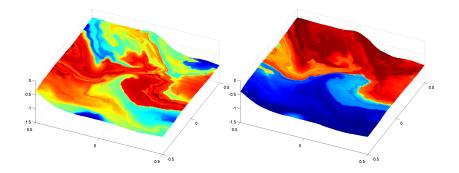


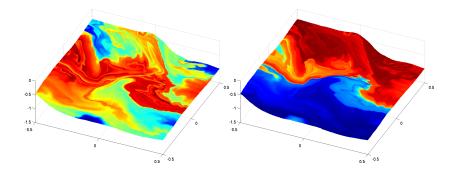


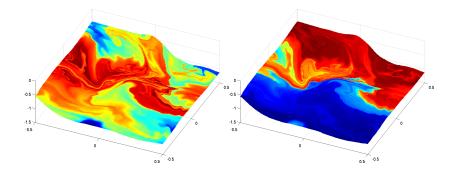


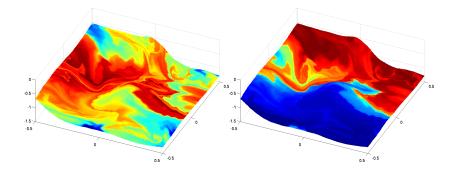


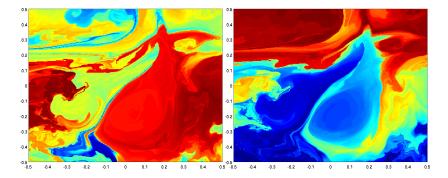


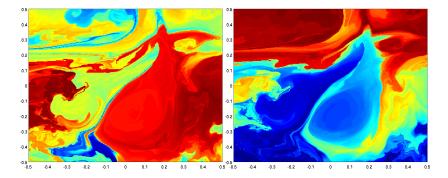


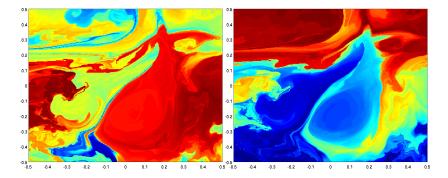


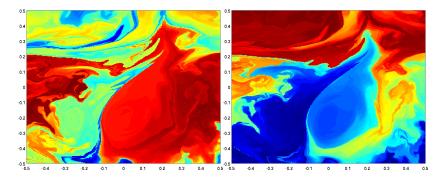


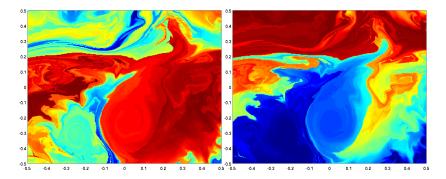


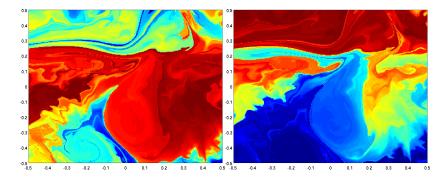


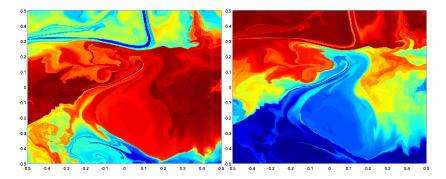


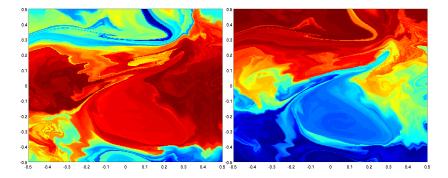


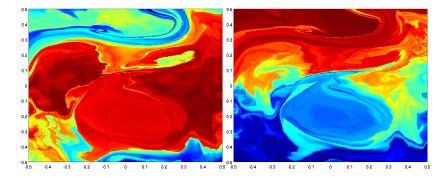


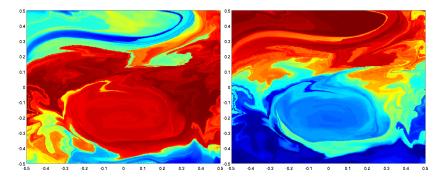


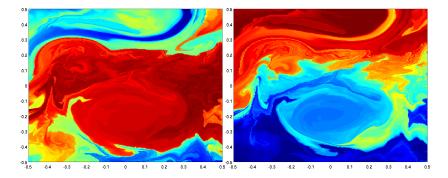


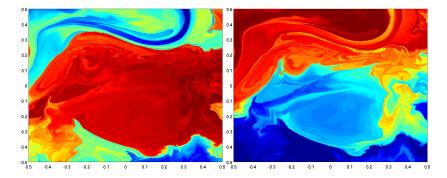


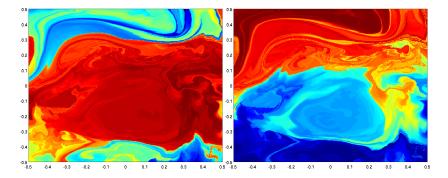


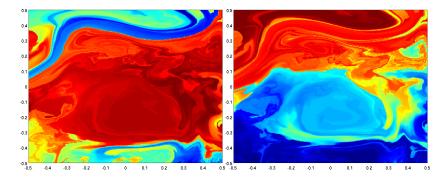


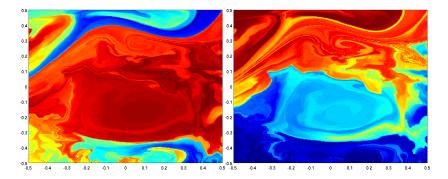


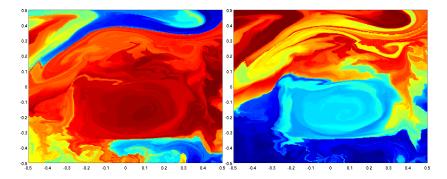


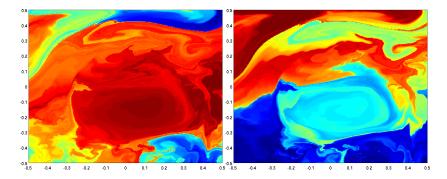


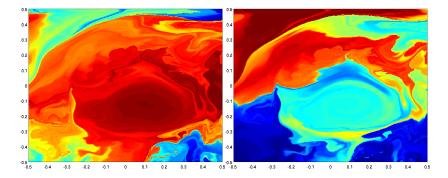


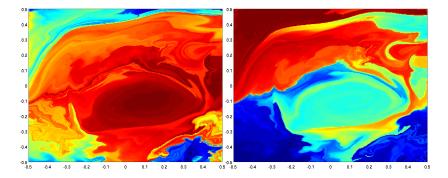


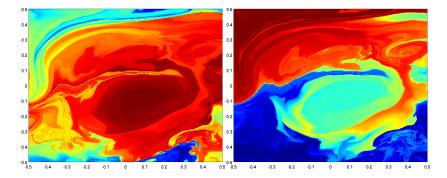


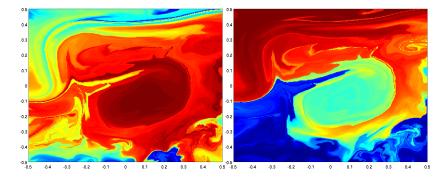


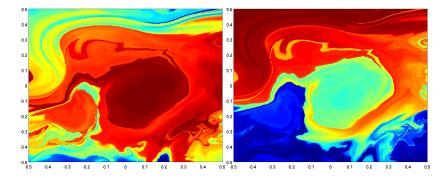


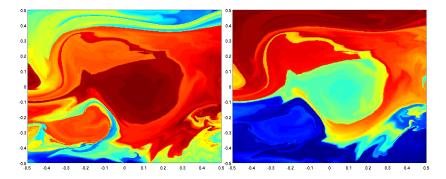




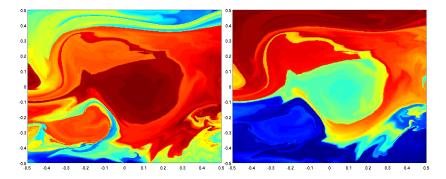




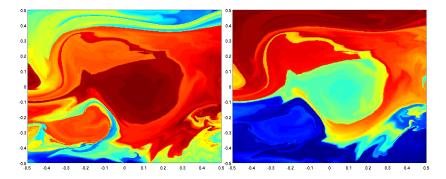


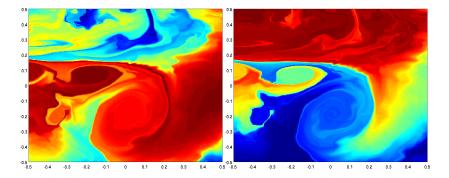


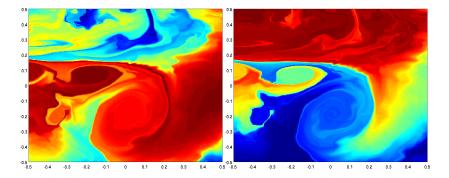
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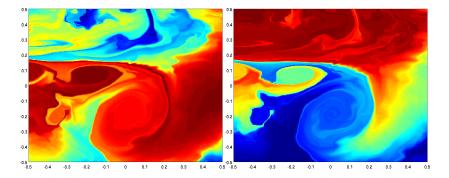


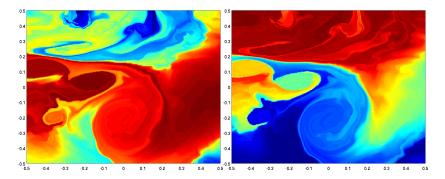
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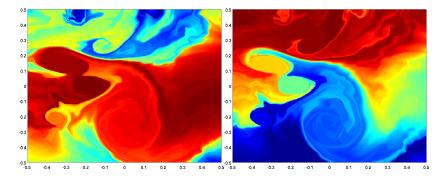


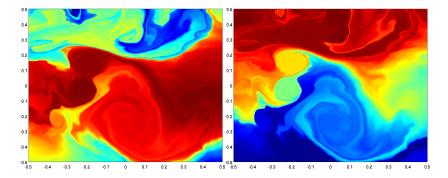


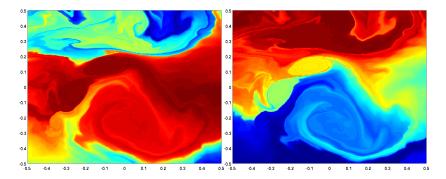


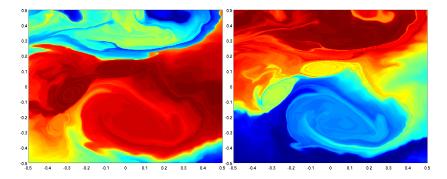


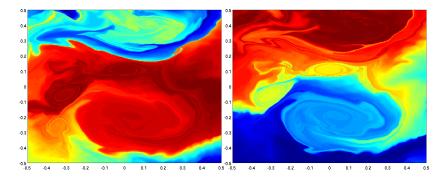


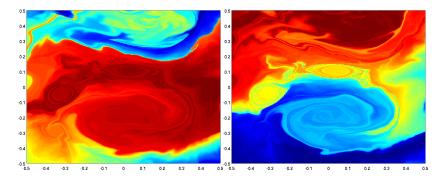


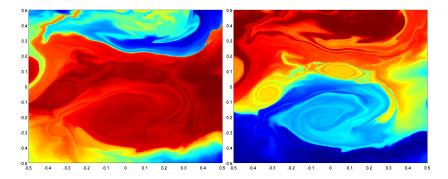


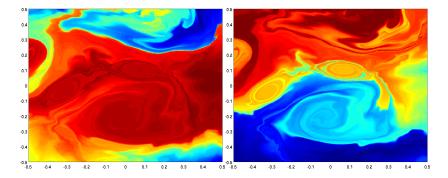


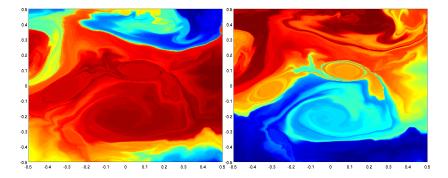


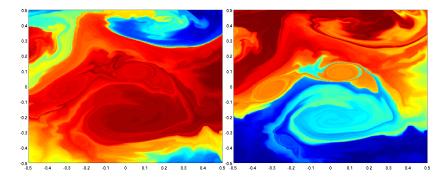


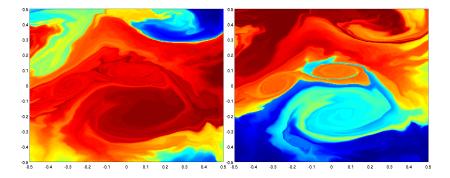


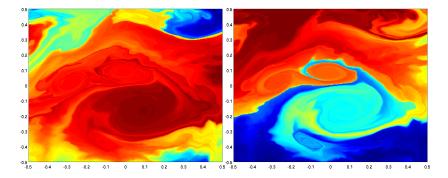


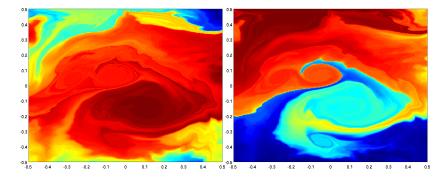


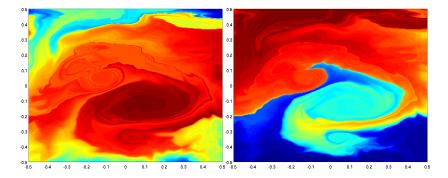


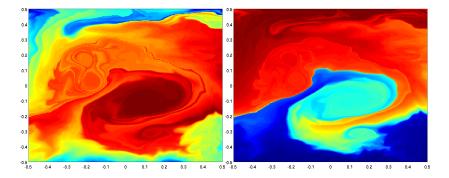


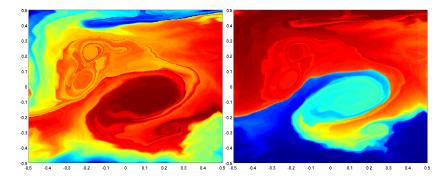


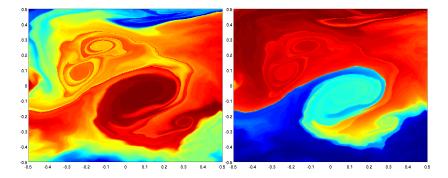


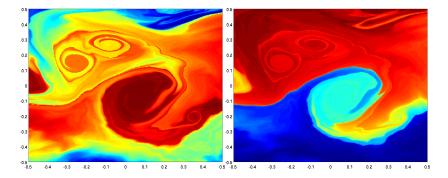


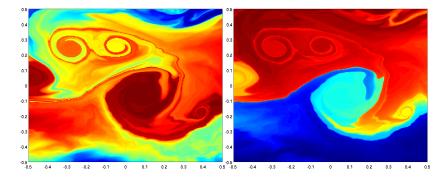


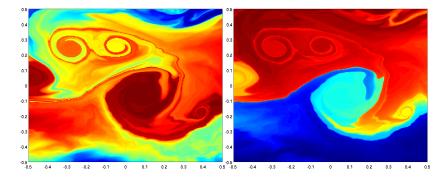


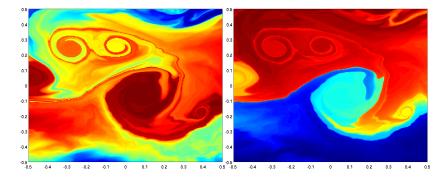










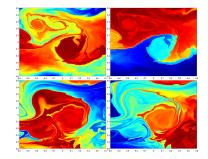


## Partition: By Isovalues in $\mathbb{R}^n$

- Group by iso-values of single observable,  $\overline{f_k(\mathbf{x}_0)}$
- Different kinematics similar isovalues.
- Consider simultanenous vector of observables:

$$\mathbf{f}(\mathbf{x}) = \{f_1(\mathbf{x}), f_2(\mathbf{x}), \dots, f_n(\mathbf{x})\}$$

- On averaging:  $\overline{\mathbf{f}} : \mathbf{x}_0 \to \mathbb{R}^n$
- Color x<sub>0</sub> by similarity in R<sup>n</sup> (cluster algorithm)

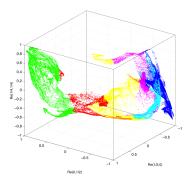


A Very Simple Example:

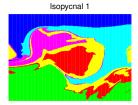
Basis Set:

- $k = \{0, 1/4, 1/2\}$
- $(9 \times 10^4) \times 23$  points in  $\mathbb{R}^{16}$
- Standard, quick, (dumb?) k-means clustering

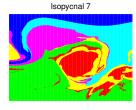
6 clusters



## 6 Cluster Partition: Day 90

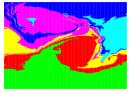


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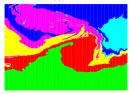


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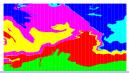
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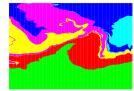


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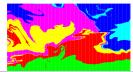


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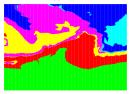




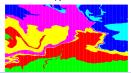
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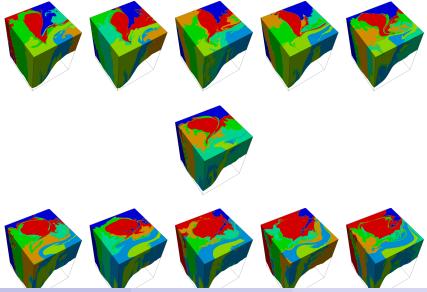
Koopman-HYCOM



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## Partition: 3D Time Dependence



## Summary:

- Koopman approach simple, readily implemented, efficient means of identifying advective transport geometry in Eulerian frame.
  - Select: τ and nominal scales of interest through f.
  - Arbitrary dimensions. (2D/3D + 1)
  - Complex flows (arbitrary time/space dependence)
- Open question: Partition in open flows
  - Optimal basis sets? (Wavelets, ...)
  - Convergence? Within basis, across bases, with τ?
  - Finite-Time: Harmonic (phase) averaging.