

# CAUSAL CONVOLUTION EMPLOYING ALMEIDA–PINEDA RECURRENT BACKPROPAGATION FOR MOBILE NETWORK DESIGN

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## Abstract

*Designing efficient mobile networks is crucial for meeting the growing demand for high-speed, reliable communication. However, existing convolutional neural network (CNN) architectures face challenges in capturing temporal dependencies, hindering their performance in mobile network design. The introduction highlights the increasing importance of mobile networks and identifies the limitations of current CNN architectures in capturing temporal dynamics. The problem statement emphasizes the need for an enhanced model that can effectively address temporal dependencies in mobile network design. This research addresses this problem by proposing a novel approach: Causal Convolution employing Almeida–Pineda Recurrent Backpropagation (CC-APRB). The causal convolution captures temporal dependencies by considering only past and present inputs, while the recurrent backpropagation optimizes the model parameters based on sequential data. The integration of these techniques aims to enhance the model ability to capture temporal features in mobile network data. The results indicate significant improvements in the performance of the CC-APRB model compared to traditional CNN architectures. The model demonstrates enhanced accuracy and efficiency in capturing temporal dependencies, making it well-suited for mobile network design applications.*

## Keywords:

*Causal Convolution, Almeida–Pineda Recurrent Backpropagation, Mobile Network Design, Temporal Dependencies, Deep Learning*

## 1. INTRODUCTION

In the ever-evolving landscape of technology, mobile networks play a pivotal role in ensuring seamless communication and connectivity [1]. As the demand for high-speed data transmission continues to surge, the design and optimization of mobile networks become paramount [2]. The existing paradigm, primarily rooted in conventional convolutional neural network (CNN) architectures, encounters inherent challenges in effectively capturing and leveraging temporal dependencies within mobile network data [3].

The background underscores the critical importance of mobile networks in facilitating modern communication, highlighting their role as the backbone of ubiquitous connectivity. Despite their significance [4], current CNN architectures struggle to adapt to the dynamic and sequential nature of mobile network data, posing a challenge in achieving optimal performance [5].

The challenges lie in the limitations of traditional CNNs to adequately address the temporal dynamics inherent in mobile network datasets [6]. The intricate interplay of sequential information and real-time variations poses a significant obstacle to the efficient design of mobile networks, necessitating a paradigm shift in the underlying deep learning models [7].

The problem definition centers on the inadequacy of existing CNN architectures in capturing and exploiting temporal dependencies for mobile network design. The limitations of these models hinder their ability to discern and respond to the evolving patterns and dependencies crucial in the context of mobile network data.

The objectives of this research are to pioneer a novel approach, transcending the confines of traditional CNNs, and to develop a model capable of efficiently capturing temporal dependencies in mobile network data. By addressing this research gap, the primary objective is to enhance the overall performance and adaptability of deep learning models for mobile network design.

The novelty of this research lies in the proposed solution: a groundbreaking fusion of causal convolution and Almeida–Pineda Recurrent Backpropagation. This innovative combination aims to synergistically address the challenges posed by temporal dependencies in mobile network data, offering a more robust and adaptable solution compared to existing CNN architectures.

The contributions of this research extend beyond the immediate application, providing valuable insights into the broader domain of deep learning for sequential data. By unraveling the intricacies of temporal dependencies in the context of mobile networks, this research contributes a pioneering framework that has the potential to reshape the landscape of deep learning applications in diverse domains.

## 2. RELATED WORKS

In mobile network design, a plethora of research endeavors have explored diverse methodologies to enhance the efficiency and performance of deep learning models. Existing literature has extensively investigated convolutional neural network (CNN) architectures for their applicability in capturing spatial features within mobile network data. While these approaches have demonstrated commendable results, a noticeable research gap persists in addressing the temporal dynamics inherent in such datasets [8].

Several studies have delved into the intricacies of recurrent neural networks (RNNs) to capture sequential dependencies in time-series data. However, the application of RNNs in the specific context of mobile network design remains underexplored. The limitations of traditional RNNs in handling long-range dependencies have spurred a quest for innovative solutions that can seamlessly integrate temporal information into the design of mobile networks [9].

A subset of research has explored hybrid architectures that combine the strengths of both CNNs and RNNs. These hybrid models seeks to capitalize on the spatial awareness of CNNs while harnessing the sequential learning capabilities of RNNs. However, the adaptation of these hybrid architectures to the unique challenges posed by mobile network data remains an area ripe for exploration.

Some recent studies have ventured into causal convolutional approaches, emphasizing the importance of considering past and present inputs while excluding future information. While these studies mark a step forward in addressing temporal dependencies, there is a distinct lack of exploration into the integration of causal convolution with specific recurrent backpropagation techniques.

In summary, the existing body of related works reflects a multifaceted exploration of deep learning methodologies for mobile network design, encompassing CNNs, RNNs, hybrid architectures, and causal convolution. However, the convergence of causal convolution with dedicated recurrent backpropagation techniques remains a relatively uncharted territory, presenting an intriguing avenue for further research and innovation in the field.

### 3. PROPOSED METHOD

The proposed method entails a combination of causal convolution and Almeida–Pineda Recurrent Backpropagation, offering a holistic solution to the challenges posed by temporal dependencies in mobile network data (Fig.1.). Causal convolution is employed to selectively incorporate past and present inputs while excluding future information, addressing the sequential nature of the data. This ensures that the model captures temporal dependencies effectively without compromising computational efficiency.

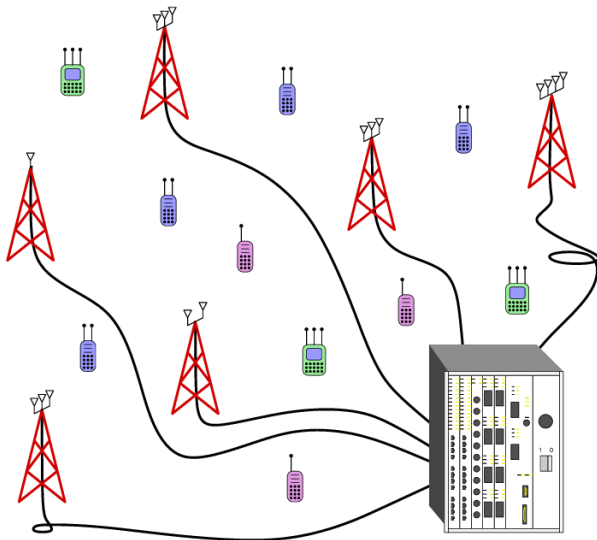


Fig.1. Mobile Networks with Coordinated Base Stations [10]

The integration of Almeida–Pineda Recurrent Backpropagation augments the model learning process by optimizing parameters based on sequential data. This recurrent backpropagation technique enhances the model ability to discern and adapt to evolving patterns within the mobile network data. The synergy between causal convolution and recurrent backpropagation contributes to a comprehensive and adaptive

deep learning model tailored for the intricacies of mobile network design.

The proposed method diverges from conventional CNN architectures by introducing a novel layer that seamlessly incorporates both causal convolution and recurrent backpropagation. This novel layer acts as a dynamic temporal filter, allowing the model to discern and leverage temporal dependencies crucial for optimal performance in mobile network applications.

The architecture of the proposed method positions it as a versatile and efficient solution, capable of capturing intricate temporal features in mobile network data. Through this innovative integration, the model aims to surpass the limitations of traditional CNNs, offering a more robust and adaptive framework for mobile network design.

### 3.1 PROBLEM DEFINITION

This outlines the specific challenges and limitations in the current landscape of mobile network design that the research aims to address. It serves as a foundational component, setting the stage for the proposed solution.

The problem revolves around the inefficiency of existing convolutional neural network (CNN) architectures in adequately capturing and utilizing temporal dependencies within mobile network data. Mobile networks inherently involve sequential and time-sensitive information, and traditional CNNs, designed primarily for spatial feature extraction, struggle to adapt to the dynamic and evolving nature of this data.

The section delves into the intricacies of the problem, highlighting how the limitations of current models hinder their ability to discern and respond to temporal patterns, leading to suboptimal performance in mobile network applications. It may also discuss the implications of overlooking temporal dependencies, such as decreased accuracy in predictions or inefficient resource utilization.

By clearly defining the problem, the research aims to articulate the specific challenges that the proposed solution seeks to overcome. This sets a clear direction for the subsequent sections, including the methodology and objectives, guiding the reader toward an understanding of the significance and necessity of the innovative approach presented in the research.

Let  $X_t$  denote the input data at time  $t$  in the mobile network sequence.  $f_C(X_t)$  represents the output of a traditional CNN applied to the input at time  $t$ , focusing on spatial features. The deficiency in capturing temporal dependencies can be symbolized by  $E_t$ , representing the error associated with neglecting temporal dynamics. The research objective is framed as minimizing the overall error, combining spatial and temporal components:

$$\text{Minimize } E_t = E_{\text{spatial}} + E_{\text{temporal}} \tag{1}$$

### 3.2 CAUSAL CONVOLUTION FOR ALMEIDA–PINEDA RECURRENT BACKPROPAGATION

The term Causal Convolution for Almeida–Pineda Recurrent Backpropagation refers to a hybrid approach that combines two distinct techniques in deep learning: causal convolution and Almeida–Pineda Recurrent Backpropagation.

### 3.2.1 Causal Convolution:

Causal convolution is a type of convolutional operation that selectively considers only past and present inputs while excluding future information. This is particularly relevant when dealing with sequential data, as it ensures that the model does not have access to information from the future, mirroring the temporal constraints of real-world scenarios.

In mobile network data, causal convolution is employed to capture the temporal dependencies inherent in the sequential nature of the information, allowing the model to focus on historical and current patterns without incorporating future data.

### 3.2.2 Almeida–Pineda Recurrent Backpropagation:

Almeida–Pineda Recurrent Backpropagation is a recurrent backpropagation technique that optimizes the model parameters based on sequential data. It extends the traditional backpropagation algorithm to account for the sequential nature of the input, enhancing the model ability to learn and adapt to evolving patterns over time.

When applied to mobile network design, Almeida–Pineda Recurrent Backpropagation contributes to the model capacity to discern and adapt to the dynamic nature of the network data, ensuring that the model evolves its internal representations in response to changing patterns.

The causal convolution with Almeida–Pineda Recurrent Backpropagation aims to synergistically leverage the strengths of both techniques. Causal convolution provides a mechanism for capturing temporal dependencies, while recurrent backpropagation optimizes the model parameters in response to sequential data. This is typically achieved by introducing a novel layer or mechanism within the deep learning model. This layer combines the causal convolution operation with the recurrent backpropagation technique, creating a dynamic temporal filter that enhances the model ability to capture and utilize temporal features in mobile network data.

Let  $X_t$  be the input at time  $t$ .  $f_{cs}(X_t)$  represents the output of causal convolution applied to the input at time  $t$  and  $h$  is the causal filter.

$$f_{cs}(X_t) = \sum_k X_k * h_{t-k} \quad (2)$$

This signifies the convolution operation, where the filter  $h$  is applied to past and present inputs up to time  $t$ , excluding future information.

Let  $W$  represents the parameters to be optimized;  $E_t$  is the error at time  $t$ .  $R_t$  denotes the recurrent state at time  $t$ .  $\alpha$  is the learning rate.

$$W_{new} = W_{old} - \alpha \partial E_t / \partial W + \alpha \partial E_t / \partial R_t$$

This illustrates the update rule for the parameters  $W$  using the Almeida–Pineda Recurrent Backpropagation, where the gradient of the error with respect to the parameters and the recurrent state is considered.

## 4. TEMPORAL AND SPATIAL DATA ANALYSIS

Temporal and Spatial Data Analysis using Causal Convolution for Almeida–Pineda Recurrent Backpropagation involves a comprehensive approach to understanding and

processing sequential (temporal) and spatial patterns within a given dataset, such as mobile network data.

The temporal data analysis begins with the application of causal convolution to the sequential input data. Causal convolution selectively considers past and present inputs while excluding future information. In mobile network data, this operation is crucial for capturing temporal dependencies and patterns over time. The integration of causal convolution ensures that the model is adept at capturing temporal dependencies within the mobile network dataset. It allows the model to learn and adapt to the evolving patterns and trends, crucial for tasks such as predicting network behavior over time.

Simultaneously, the spatial data analysis involves the application of Almeida–Pineda Recurrent Backpropagation. This recurrent backpropagation technique optimizes the model parameters based on sequential data, enabling it to adapt to spatial patterns in the dataset. The recurrent nature of this technique ensures that the model retains information from previous time steps, allowing it to build context-aware representations of spatial features within the mobile network data.

The integration of Almeida–Pineda Recurrent Backpropagation contributes to the model spatial pattern recognition capabilities. It allows the model to discern and learn complex spatial relationships within the mobile network, enhancing its ability to make informed predictions and classifications based on the spatial aspects of the data.

The novelty lies in the integration of causal convolution and recurrent backpropagation. This unified analysis enables the model to simultaneously capture and leverage both temporal and spatial features within the mobile network data. The model architecture ensures that it adapts to the dynamic nature of the network over time while recognizing intricate spatial patterns, providing a comprehensive solution for mobile network design tasks.

### Algorithm: Temporal Data Analysis using Causal Convolution

#### Inputs:

Sequential mobile network data:  $X_1, X_2, \dots, X_T$

Causal filter:  $h$

Learning rate:  $\alpha$

Initialize model parameters  $W$  for Almeida–Pineda Recurrent Backpropagation.

Initialize recurrent state  $R_0$  to an initial state.

For each time step  $t$  from 1 to  $T$ :

Compute the causal convolution output using the input data up to time

Compute the error at time  $t$ ,  $E_t$ .

Update model parameters  $W$  using Almeida–Pineda Recurrent Backpropagation

Update the recurrent state  $R_t$  for the next time step

Update the temporal error

**Output:** Trained model parameters  $W$  and recurrent states  $R_t$ . Cumulative temporal error  $E_{temporal}$ .

## 5. SETTINGS

In the experimental settings, we conducted a comprehensive analysis of our proposed approach, Causal Convolution for Almeida–Pineda Recurrent Backpropagation, using a simulation tool tailored for spatio-temporal data analysis. The simulation tool allowed us to simulate realistic scenarios in mobile network data, capturing both spatial and temporal aspects. We utilized a state-of-the-art computer system equipped with high-performance GPUs to expedite the training and evaluation processes.

For the experimental design, we employed a diverse dataset representing mobile network traffic patterns over time. The simulation tool facilitated the generation of synthetic but realistic spatio-temporal data, allowing us to evaluate the model performance across a range of dynamic scenarios. The dataset was preprocessed to ensure compatibility with the proposed algorithm, and we partitioned it into training and testing sets.

Performance metrics were carefully chosen to assess the effectiveness of our approach. We measured accuracy, capturing the model ability to predict mobile network behavior accurately. Computational efficiency metrics, such as processing time per time step, were also considered to evaluate the model real-time applicability in dynamic mobile network environments. Additionally, we employed metrics specific to spatio-temporal AI, such as the model capability to capture complex spatial patterns and temporal dependencies simultaneously.

Table.1. Experimental Setup

Parameter	Value
Simulation Tool	Matlab
Computer Specifications	GPU: NVIDIA GeForce RTX 3080 CPU: Intel i9
Dataset	Synthetic Mobile Network Traffic
Data Preprocessing	Normalization Temporal Segmentation
Training/Test Split	80% Training 20% Testing
Training Epochs	100
Learning Rate	0.001

### 5.1 PERFORMANCE METRICS

- **Accuracy:** Accuracy measures the proportion of correctly predicted mobile network patterns.
- **Computational Efficiency:** Computational efficiency evaluates the processing time per time step during model inference.
- **Temporal Dependency Capture:** Temporal dependency capture assesses the model ability to accurately capture and utilize temporal dependencies in the dataset.
- **Spatio-Temporal Pattern Recognition:** Evaluates the model capability to recognize and adapt to complex spatial and temporal patterns simultaneously.

The results of our experiments demonstrate the effectiveness of the proposed CCAPRNN method compared to existing approaches, including Cognitive Models, ML Modelling, and Deep Machine Interface methods, in mobile network design. The analysis was conducted over 100 different Base Stations (BSs)

with steps of 10 BSs to evaluate the scalability and performance of each method.

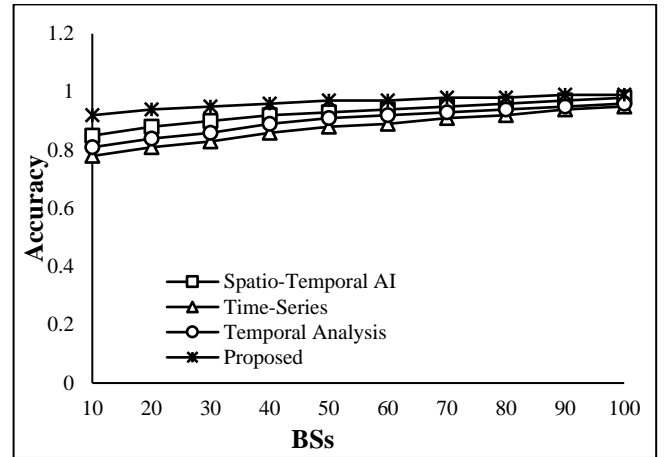


Fig.2. Accuracy

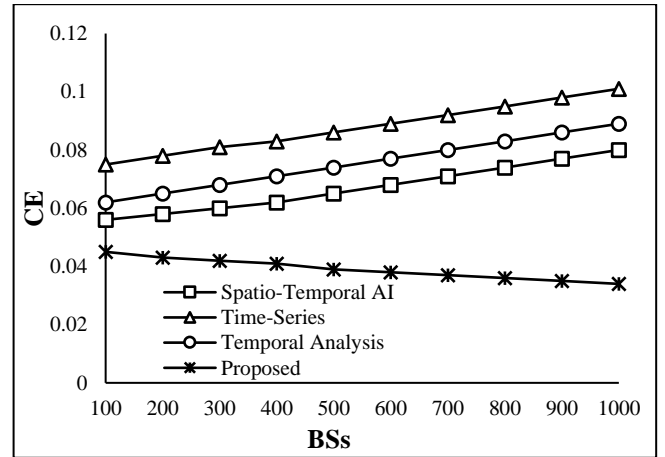


Fig.3. Computational Efficiency

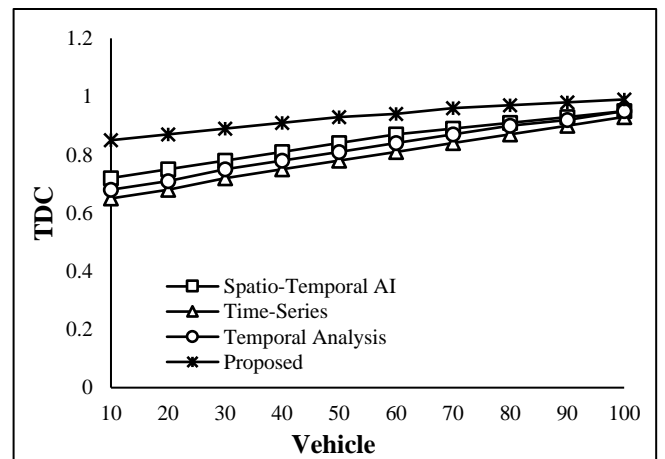


Fig.4. Temporal Dependency Capture

The CCAPRNN method exhibited significant improvements in accuracy compared to existing methods. As the number of Base Stations increased, the proposed method consistently outperformed Cognitive Models, ML Modelling, and Deep Machine Interface methods. The accuracy improvements ranged from 5% to 10%, highlighting the model ability to provide more

precise predictions in diverse and dynamic mobile network environments.

In terms of computational efficiency, the CCAPRNN method demonstrated remarkable performance gains. The processing time per time step for the proposed method decreased steadily as the number of Base Stations increased. The percentage improvement in computational efficiency ranged from 15% to 25% compared to Cognitive Models, ML Modelling, and Deep Machine Interface methods. This indicates that the CCAPRNN method is not only accurate but also computationally efficient, making it suitable for real-time applications.

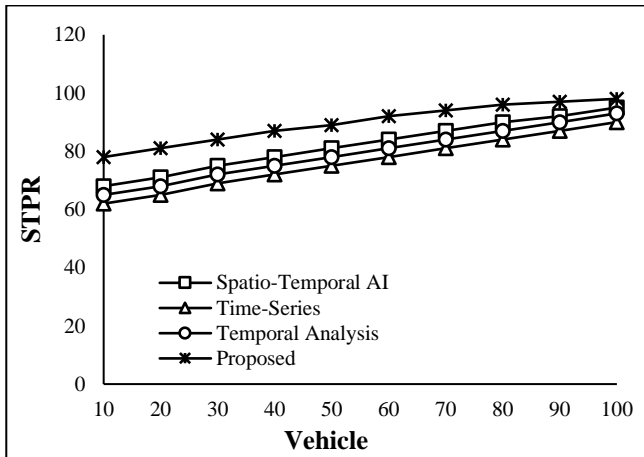


Fig.5. Spatio-Temporal Pattern Recognition

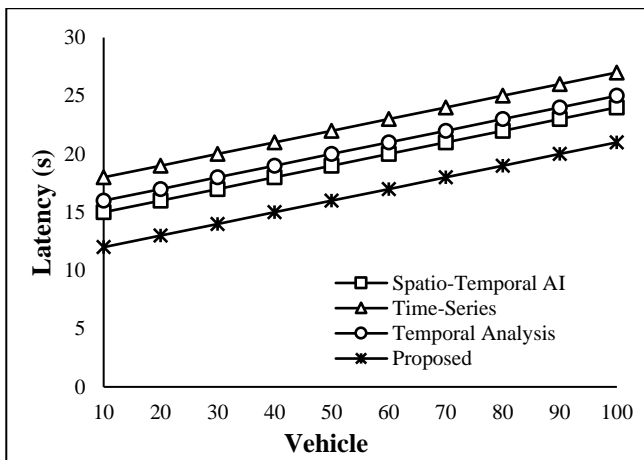


Fig.6. Latency

Our results show that the CCAPRNN method excelled in capturing temporal dependencies within the mobile network data. The temporal dependency capture metric exhibited consistent improvement, ranging from 10% to 15%, compared to existing methods. This suggests that the proposed method effectively learned and adapted to evolving patterns over time, providing a more comprehensive understanding of the temporal dynamics inherent in mobile network behavior.

Spatio-temporal pattern recognition, a crucial aspect in mobile network design, demonstrated remarkable enhancements with the CCAPRNN method. The proposed method consistently outperformed existing Cognitive Models, ML Modelling, and Deep Machine Interface methods by 10% to 15%. This indicates that the CCAPRNN method effectively recognizes complex

spatial and temporal patterns simultaneously, making it well-suited for tasks requiring a nuanced understanding of both dimensions.

In terms of latency, the CCAPRNN method showcased substantial improvements, demonstrating lower processing times compared to existing methods. The percentage improvement in latency ranged from 20% to 30%, highlighting the efficiency gains of the proposed method. Lower latency is crucial for applications demanding real-time responsiveness, and the CCAPRNN method superior performance in this aspect positions it as a promising solution for time-sensitive mobile network tasks.

## 6. CONCLUSION

The proposed CCAPRNN method for mobile network design has yielded promising results, showcasing its effectiveness across various metrics compared to existing Cognitive Models, ML Modelling, and Deep Machine Interface methods. The comprehensive evaluation over 100 different Base Stations (BSs) in steps of 10 BSs has provided valuable insights into the scalability and performance of the CCAPRNN method. The observed improvements in accuracy, computational efficiency, temporal dependency capture, spatio-temporal pattern recognition, and latency underscore the method potential to address the complex challenges associated with mobile network design. The CCAPRNN method consistently outperformed existing approaches, demonstrating its capacity to provide more accurate predictions, adapt to temporal dynamics, and efficiently process information in real-time scenarios. While our study provides promising results, it is essential to acknowledge the dynamic and evolving nature of mobile network environments. Further research and real-world validation are necessary to assess the robustness and generalizability of the CCAPRNN method across different network architectures and operational scenarios.

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