



HNeRV: A Hybrid Neural Representation for Videos

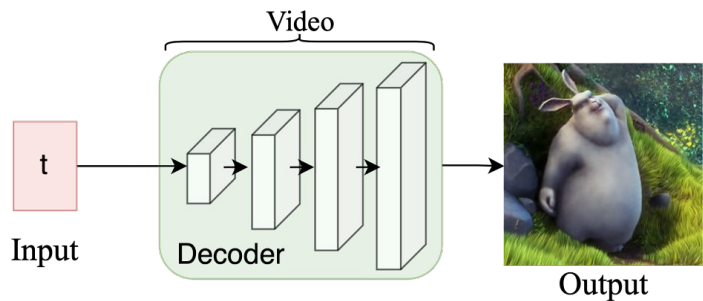
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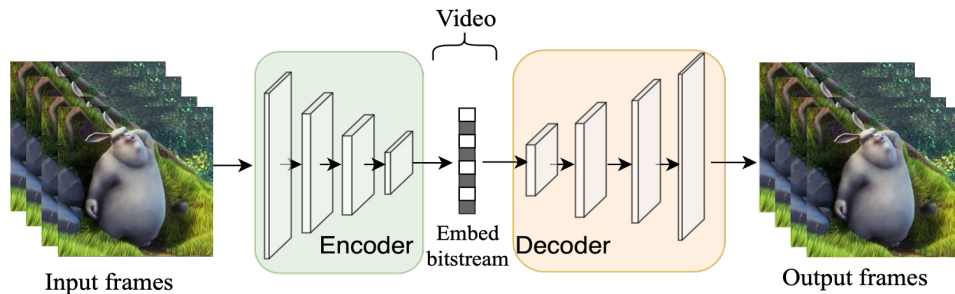
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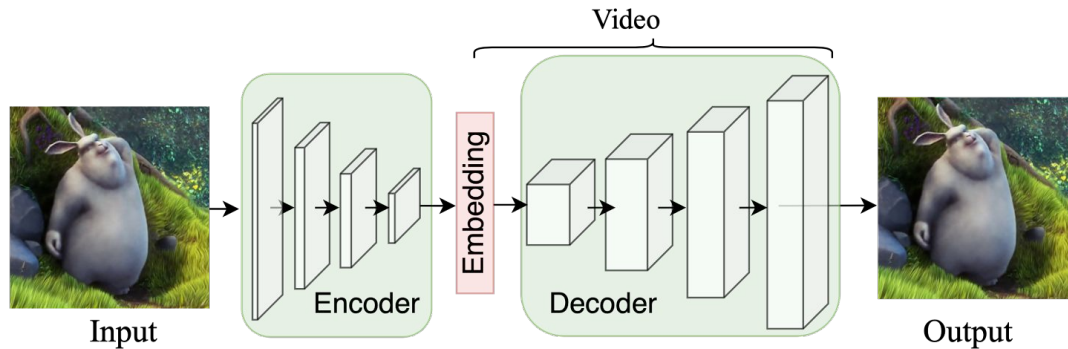
HNeRV: Architecture Preview



Implicit neural representation

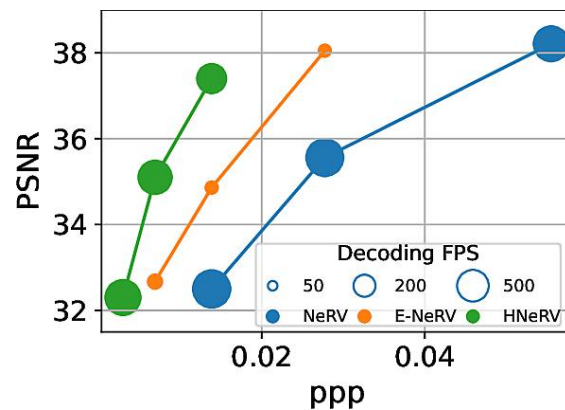
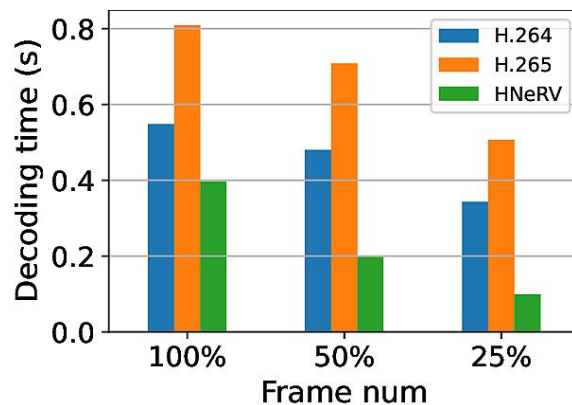
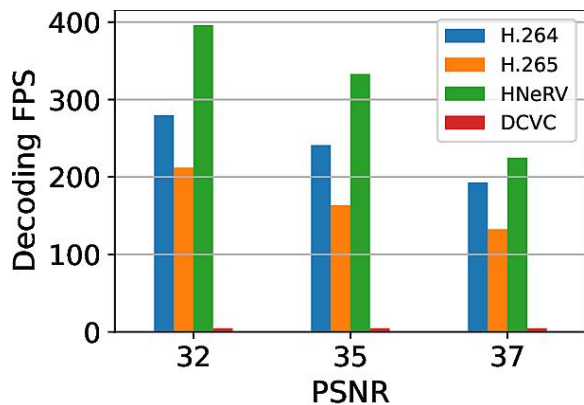


Explicit video representation



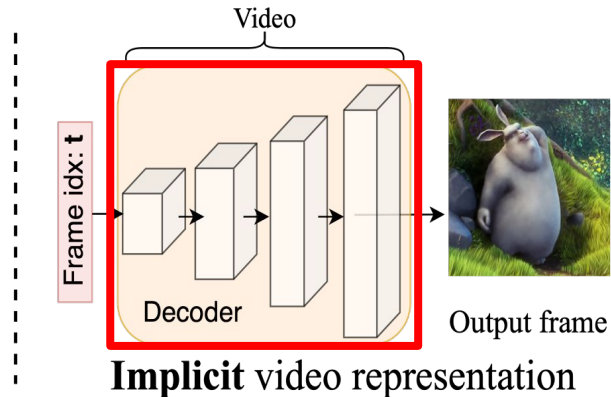
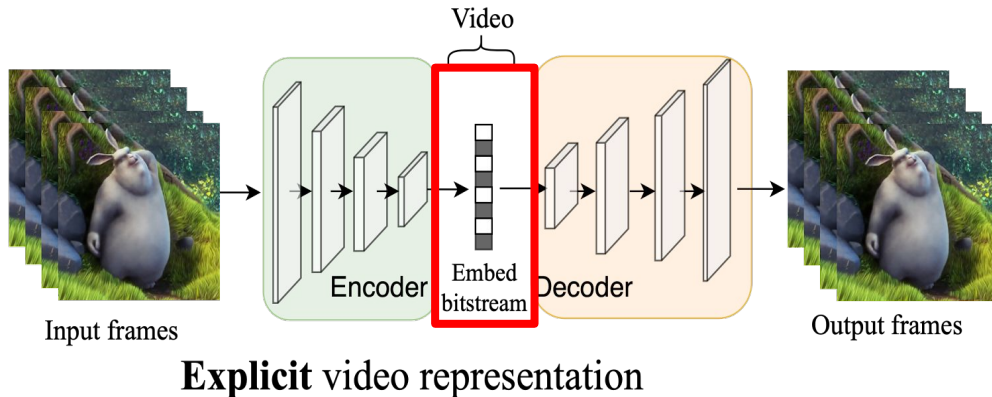
Hybrid neural representation

HNeRV: Results Preview



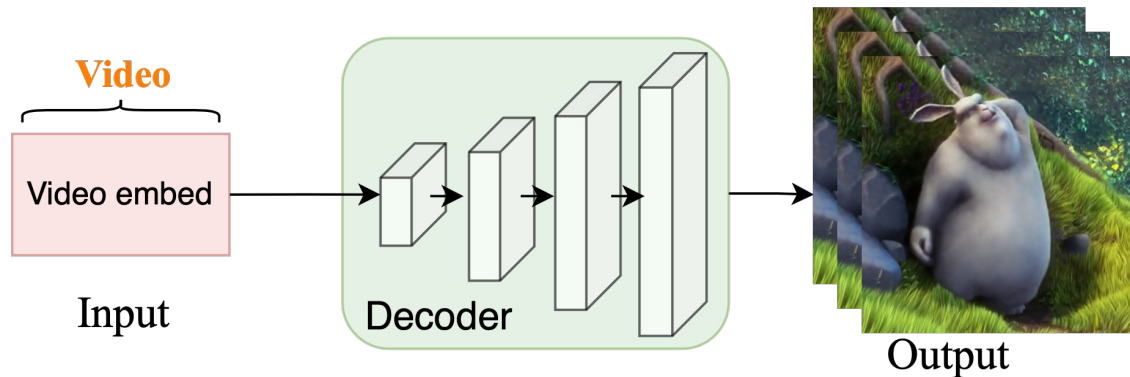
Background: Explicit vs Implicit Video Representation

- Video = embed + decoder
- **Explicit** representation: video content = **embed**
- **Implicit** representation: video content = **decoder**



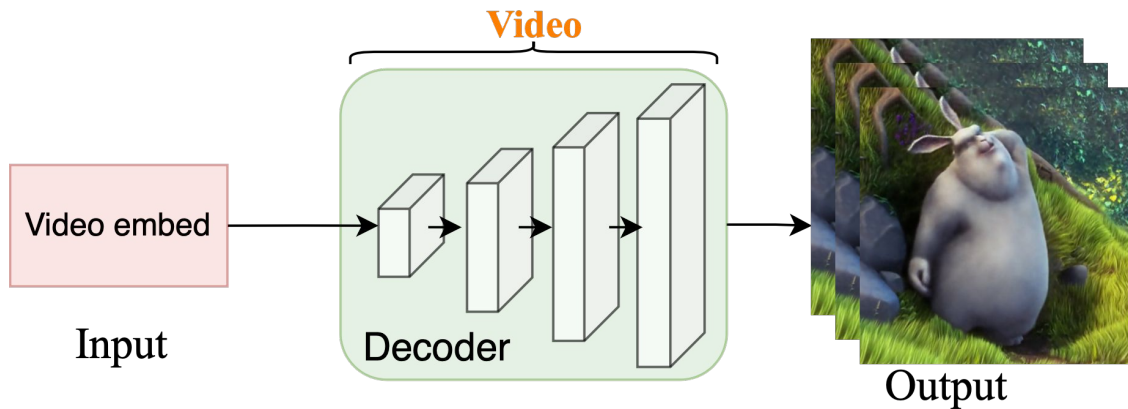
Background: **Explicit** Video Representation

- Video = **embed** + decoder
- Video content = embed
 - Video content stored *explicitly* in video embed
 - Decoder *shared* by all videos (video-agnostic)



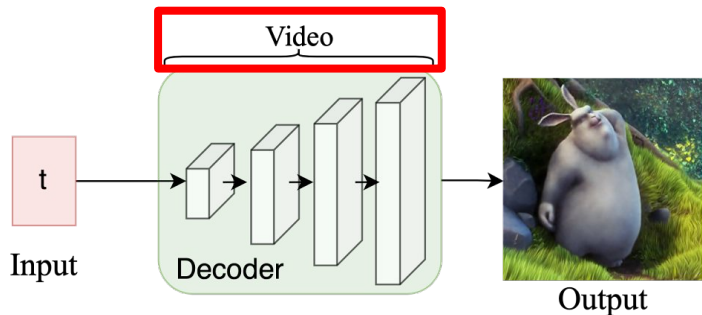
Background: **Implicit** Video Representation

- Video = embed + **decoder**
- Video content = decoder
 - Video content stored *implicitly* in the decoder
 - Input: frame index t
 - Video-specific decoder
 - One video = one decoder



NeRV Limitation: Efficiency

- **Implicit** neural representation for videos (NeRV)
 - *Content-agnostic* input: frame index t
 - A video = the decoder neural network
- How to make a more efficient representation?
 - Better reconstruction
 - Faster convergence



Implicit neural representation

NeRV Limitation: Video Interpolation



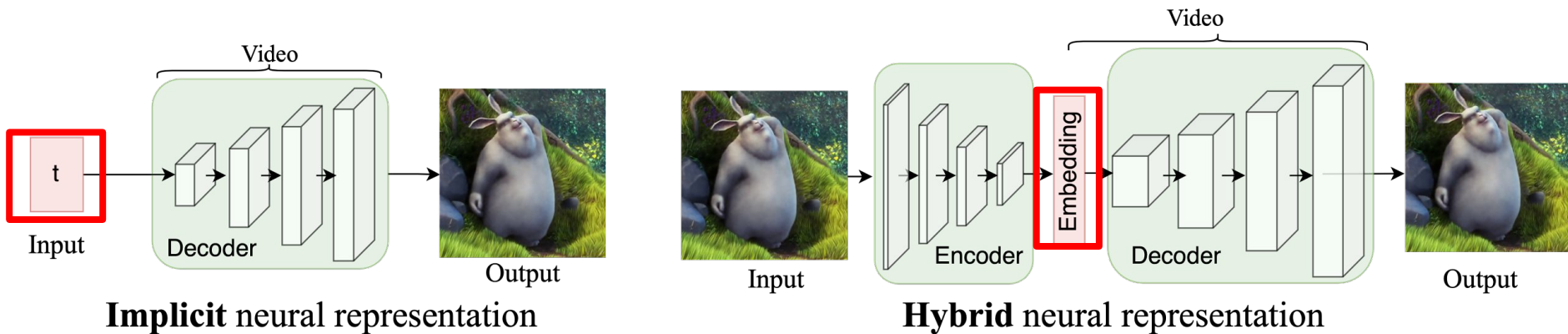
Frame T

Frame T+0.5
(NeRV)

Frame T+1

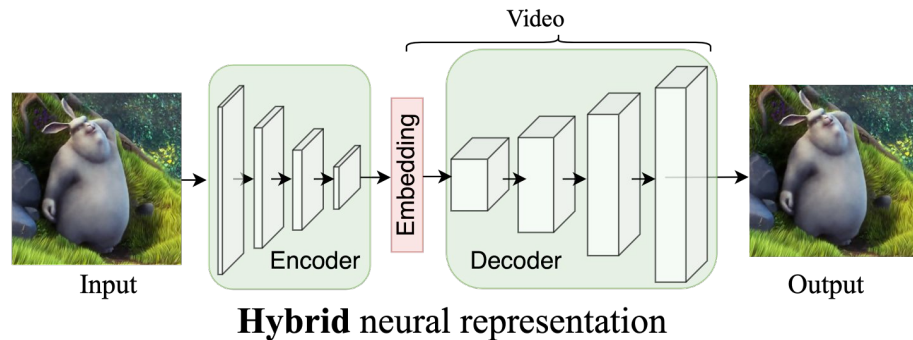
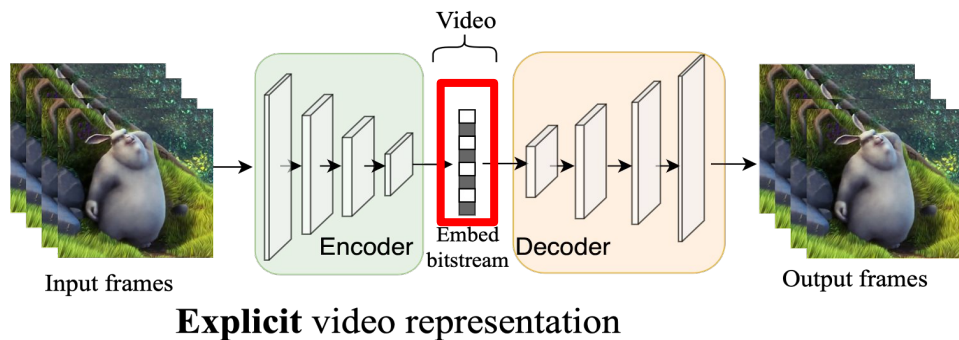
HNeRV: Hybrid Neural Representation

- **Hybrid** neural representation for videos (HNeRV)
 - Learnable, content-adaptive embedding
 - A video = *tiny* frame embed + a decoder

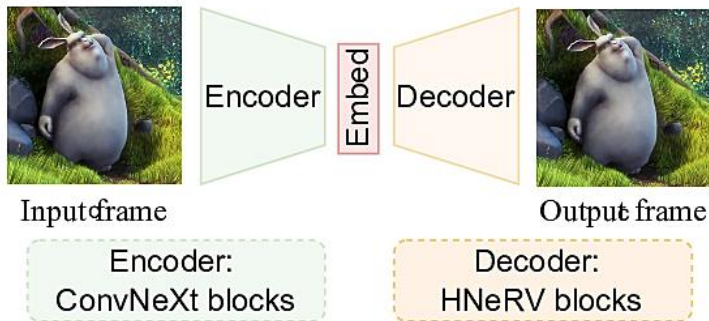


Explicit Representations vs. HNeRV

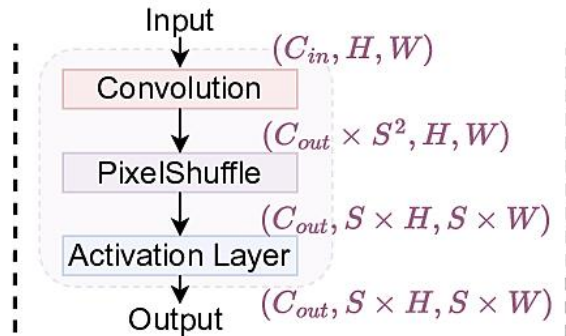
- Auto-encoder
 - universal vs **video-specific**
- Frame embed
 - huge vs **tiny**



HNeRV Architecture



a) HNeRV architecture

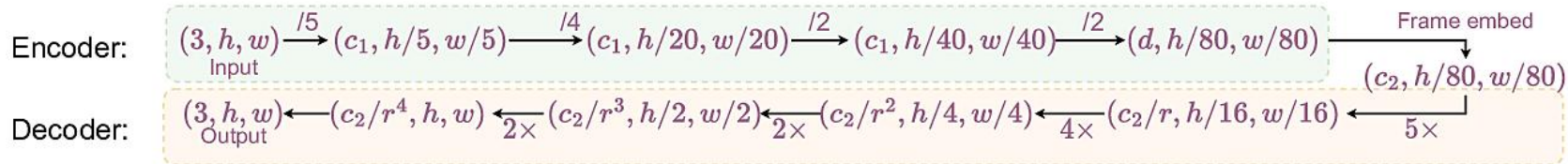


b) HNeRV block

Block parameters = $K^2 \times C_{in} \times C_{out} \times S^2$

K : Conv kernel size
 C_{in} : Input channel
 C_{out} : Output channel
 S : Upscale size
 H, W : Spatial size

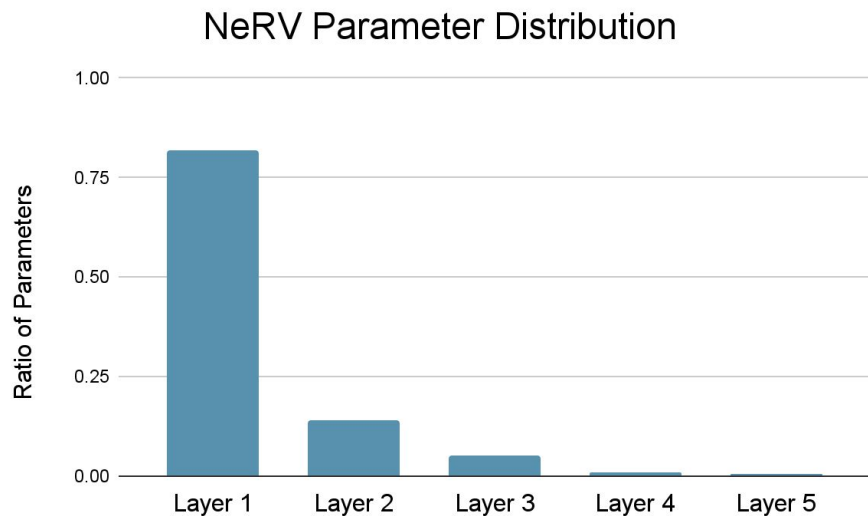
c) block parameters



d) output size of HNeRV stages

HNeRV: Hybrid Neural Representation

- NeRV: Uneven-distributed model parameters
 - Parameters decrease dramatically for higher layers



NeRV blocks

$k = 3, C_{\text{out}} = C_{\text{in}}/2$

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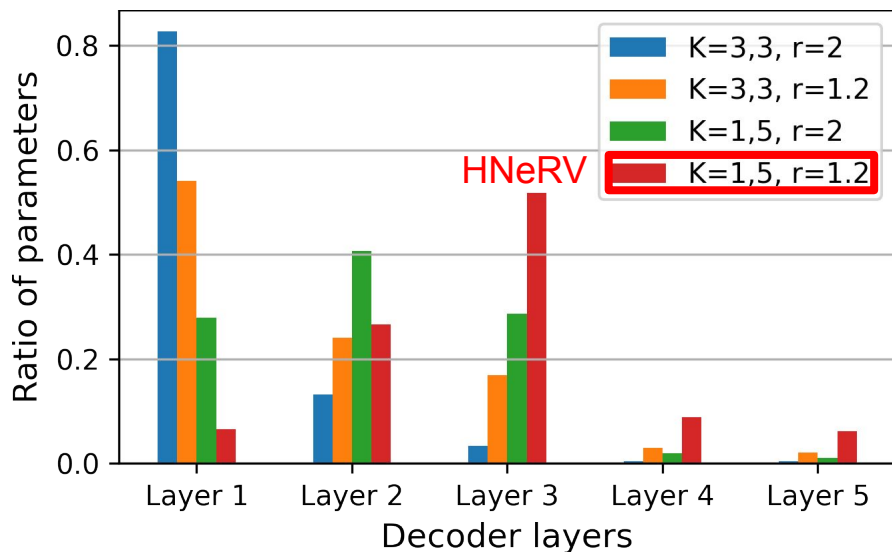
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HNeRV blocks | $k = 1, 3, \dots, K_{\text{max}}, C_{\text{out}} = C_{\text{in}}/r$

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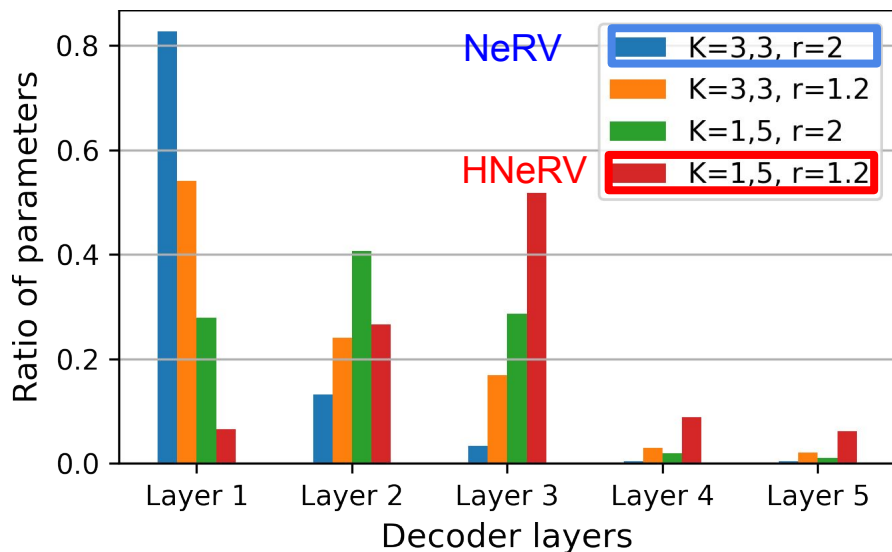
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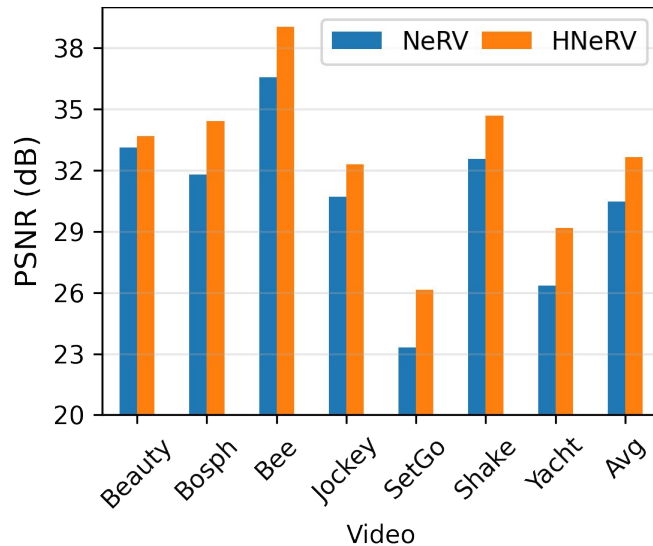
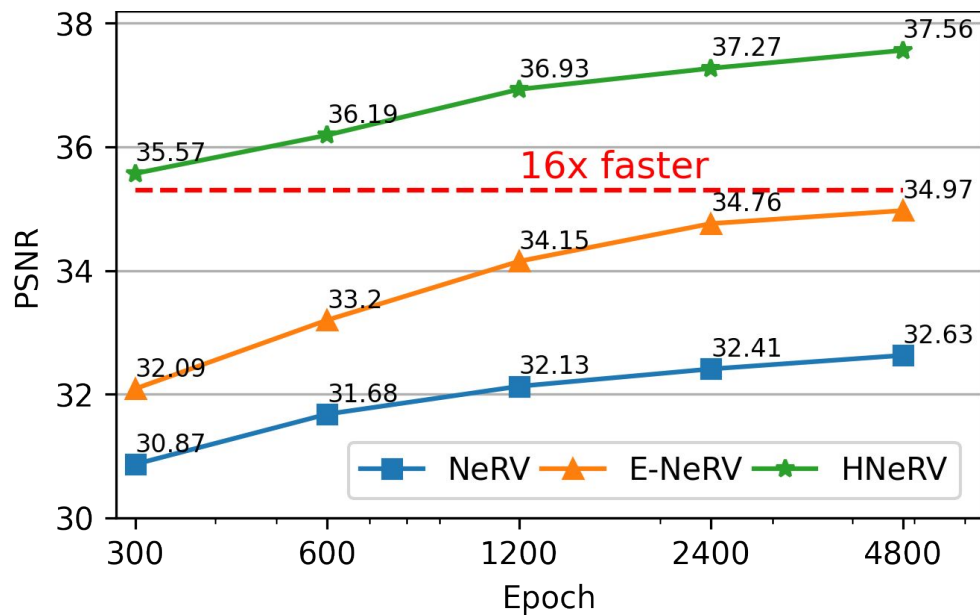


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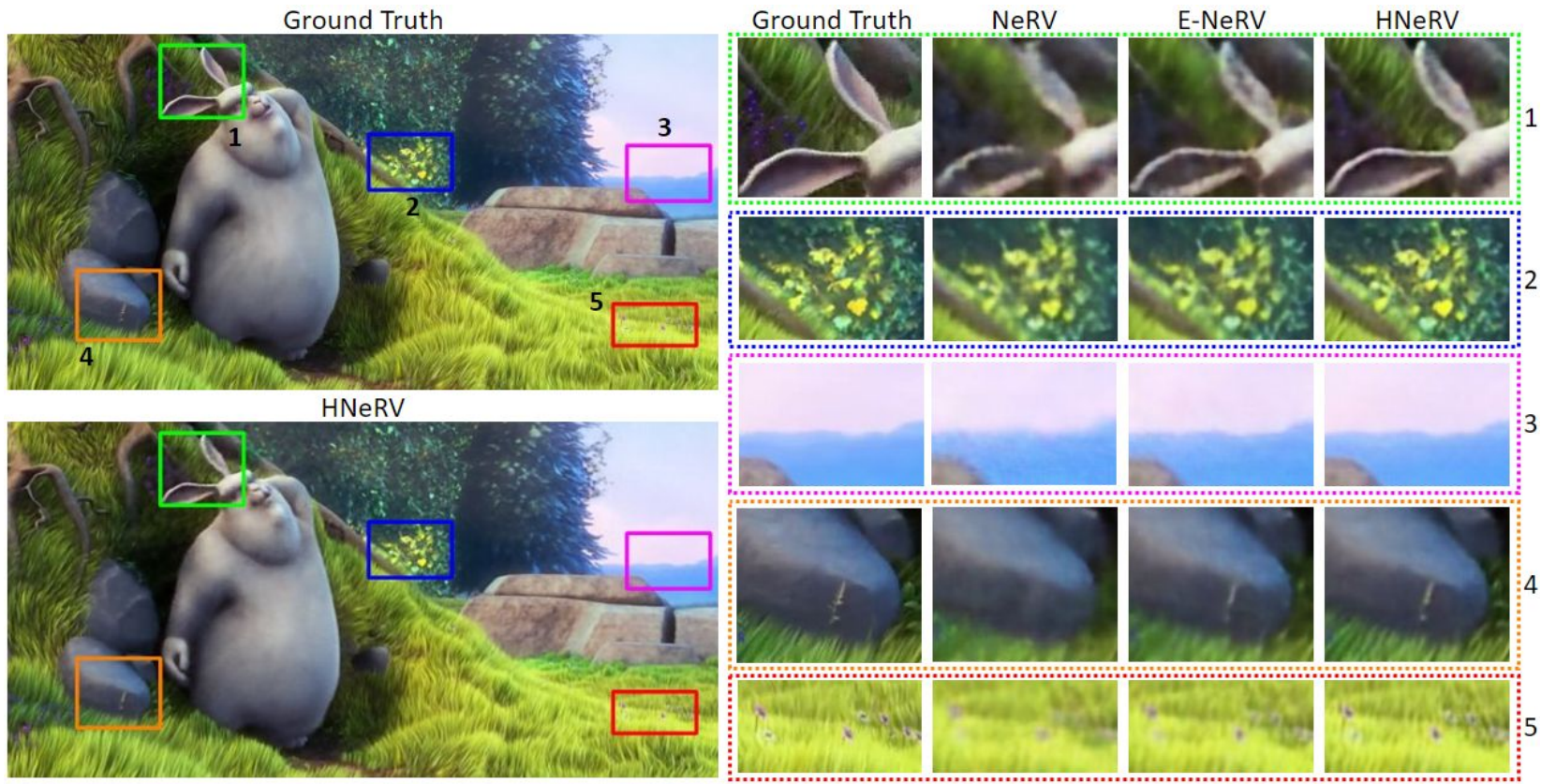
K	r	NeRV		HNeRV	
		PSNR	MS-SSIM	PSNR	MS-SSIM
3,3	2	30.87	0.9341	29.91	0.9203
3,3	1.2	32.27	0.9496	33.09	0.9587
1,5	2	31.34	0.9399	34.32	0.9715
1,5	1.2	33.03	0.9573	35.57	0.9773

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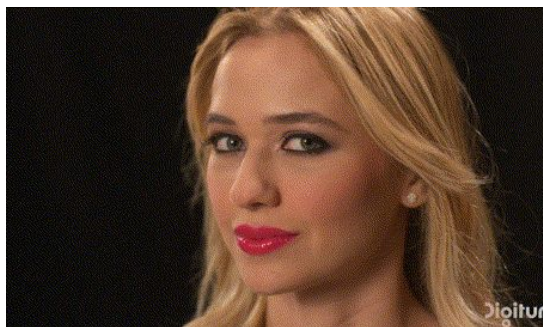
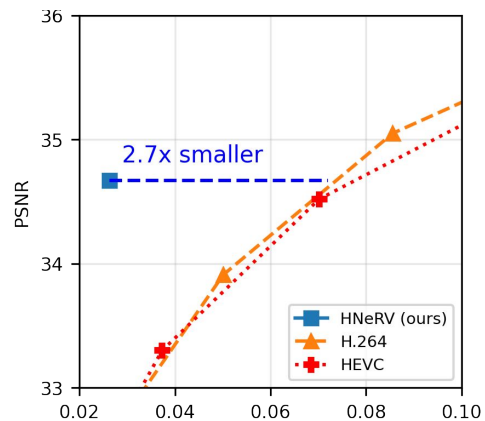
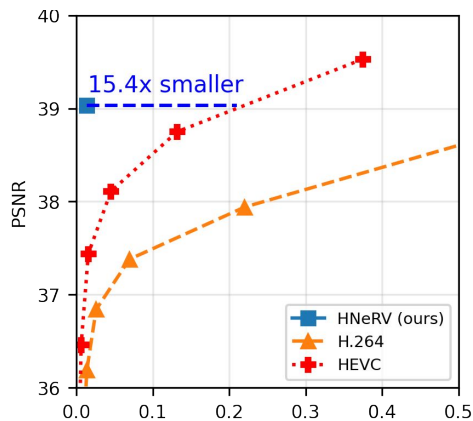
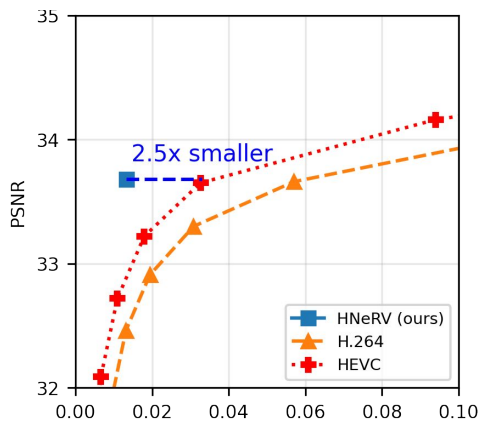
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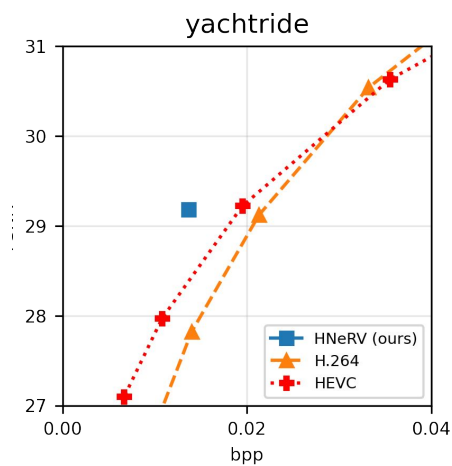
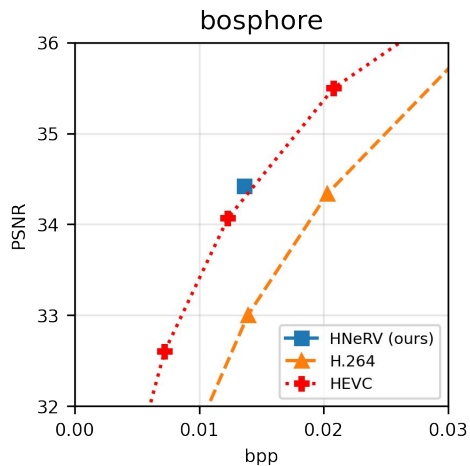
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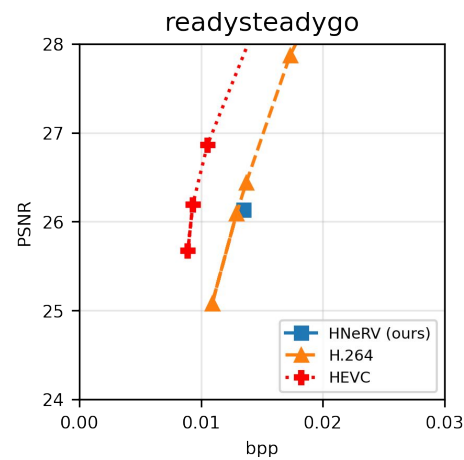
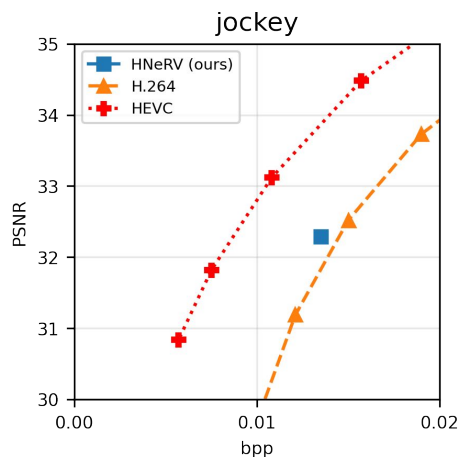
HNeRV: Videos with **Still** Background



HNeRV: Videos of **Slow-moving** Background

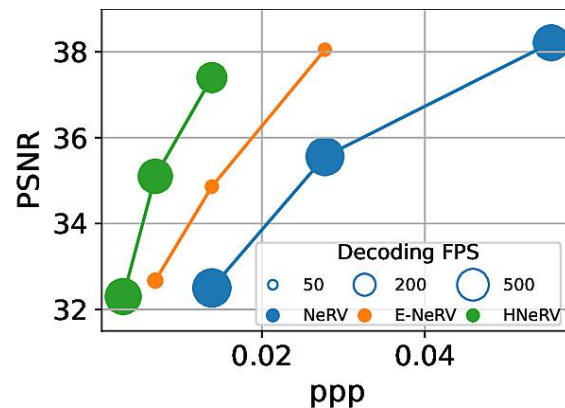
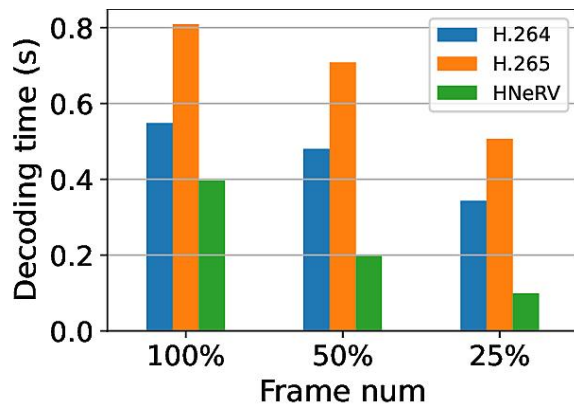
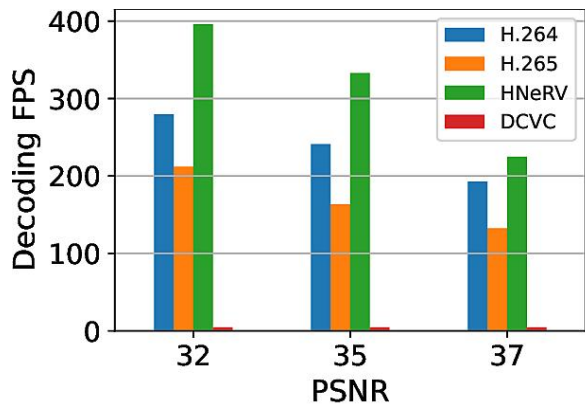


HNeRV: Videos of **Fast-moving** Backgrounds



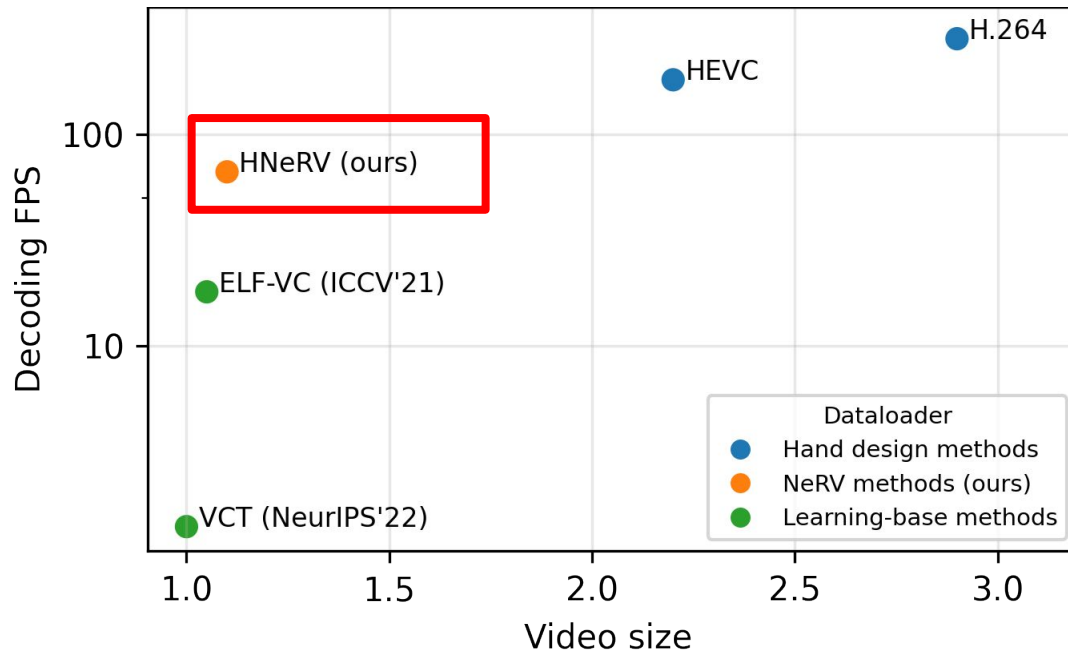
HNeRV: Efficient Decoding

- Smaller decoder since video-specific
- Faster than learning-based methods
- Easily deployed



HNeRV: Efficient Video Representation

- Compression 😊
- Decoding speed 😊



HNeRV: Video Interpolation by Embedding Interpolation



Frame T

Frame T+0.5
(NeRV)

Frame T+0.5
(HNeRV)

Frame T+1

HNeRV: Video Inpainting



HNeRV input

HNeRV output

HNeRV: Video Restoration



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