HyperNetwork Approximating Future Parameters for Time Series Forecasting under Temporal Drifts

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Abstract

Models for time series forecasting require the ability to extrapolate from previous observations. Yet, extrapolation is challenging, especially when the data spanning several periods is under *temporal drifts* where each period has a different distribution. To address this problem, we propose HyperGPA, a hypernetwork that generates a target model's parameters that are expected to work well (i.e., be an optimal model) for each period. HyperGPA discovers an underlying hidden dynamics which causes temporal drifts over time, and generates the model parameters for a target period, aided by the structures of computational graphs. In comprehensive evaluations, we show that target models whose parameters are generated by HyperGPA are up to 64.1% more accurate than baselines.

1 Introduction

Time series forecasting is one of the most fundamental problems in deep learning, ranging from classical climate modeling [Brouwer et al., 2019, REN, 2021] and stock price forecasting [Ariyo et al., 2014, Vijh et al., 2020] to pandemic forecasting [Wu et al., 2020, Wang et al., 2021a]. Owing to recent novel methods, the forecasting accuracy has been significantly enhanced over the past several years [Kidger et al., 2020, Zhou et al., 2021]. However, this forecasting is challenging, especially when *temporal drifts*, i.e., a data distribution changes over time by an underlying latent dynamics, exist in time series data [Zhang et al., 2013, Oh et al., 2019, Li et al., 2021, Kuznetsov and Mohri, 2014, Kuznetsov et al., 2015]. For example, the number of COVID-19 patients fluctuates severely over time, and a dynamics behind the daily patient numbers is governed by complicated factors.

To defend against the latent dynamics, we present a **Hyper**network **G**enerating **P**arameters in **A**dvance (**HyperGPA**). In usual settings, to forecast the future, one can train the parameters of time series models with data from all historical periods. In contrast, *HyperGPA* reads some recent periods and forecasts the parameters of other neural networks (called *target models*) that are expected to work well in the future (cf. Fig. 1).



Figure 1: Comparison between vanilla and our approaches. D_j means the *j*-th period.

Our hypernetwork has two parts (L1 and L2). Firstly, L1 is responsible for discovering a hidden underlying dynamics and forecasting a future period's characteristic from recent periods. By integrating recent graph neural networks (GNNs) and neural controlled differential equations (NCDEs) [Kidger et al., 2020] into a single framework in L1, we construct a more general method which can process regular and irregular time series, and M coupled time series simultaneously. As for L2, it generates

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the future parameters of target models from the hidden representation of the future period forecast by L1. The parameters are generated based on GNNs since target neural network models are typically represented by computation graphs.

In our experiments, we test *HyperGPA* on 24 experimental settings constructed with 4 real-world datasets and 6 target models. *HyperGPA* achieves the best forecasting performance against 6 baselines. Futhermore, it can be successfully applied to various target models for time series forecasting, ranging from RNNs and NODEs to NCDEs. To sum up, we make the following contributions:

- 1. We propose *HyperGPA* which forecasts the future parameters of target models from previous periods. Aided by GNNs and NCDEs, *HyperGPA* can be extended to more general cases.
- 2. When generating the parameters, additional GNNs are employed for the computational graph of the parameters in target models.
- 3. HyperGPA improves target models' errors up to 64.1% against several baseline methods.

2 Related works

When source and target distributions are different, domain adaptation or generalization [Ben-David et al., 2007, Wang et al., 2021b] can be a solution. However, these methods cannot be used for time series under temporal drifts, because the distribution (domain) of this data continuously changes. Therefore, different strategies are needed to handle temporal drifts. *AdaRNN* focuses on commonalities across all periods [Du et al., 2021] for addressing temporal drifts. Also, *RevIN* is an normalization layer which removes varying statistical properties from input [Kim et al., 2022]. In spite of their success under temporal drifts, their common limitation is that they learn a general time series model applicable to all periods. Our *HyperGPA* has fundamentally different approaches in that it aims to generate the optimal parameters of target models per period. Although Bai et al. [2023] is similar to our method, we have advantages in that *HyperGPA* predicts future parameters based on past data whereas Bai et al. [2023] utilized past parameters which might contain a larger variance than data.

3 Methods

3.1 Problem definition & notations

Let $\mathcal{D}_{i,j} = \{\mathbf{x}_{i,j}^k\}_{k=1}^{|\mathcal{D}_{i,j}|}$ be the *i*-th time series at the *j*-th (disjoint) period, where $\mathbf{x}_{i,j}^k \in \mathbb{R}^{\dim(\mathbf{x})}$ denotes the *k*-th observation. For example, in the U.S. flu dataset, $\mathcal{D}_{i,j}$ denotes time series of the *i*-th state at the *j*-th year. Then, our task is to train a hypernetwork to i) understand coupled underlying hidden dynamics causing the drifts, ii) predict the characteristics of $\{\mathcal{D}_{i,N}\}_{i=1}^M$ (as a form of latent vectors $\{\mathbf{h}_{i,N}\}_{i=1}^M$), and iii) generate the parameters of target models, which works well for $\mathcal{D}_{i,N}$. We represent the target model of the *i*-th time series as \mathcal{B}_i . $\hat{\theta}_{i,j}$ denotes the parameters of \mathcal{B}_i which are generated by *HyperGPA* and expected to work well in the *j*-th period. *K* is an input period size (cf. Fig. 2). The task of \mathcal{B}_i is to forecast the next s_{out} observations given past s_{in} observations. We represent the adjacency matrix of the computation graph of \mathcal{B}_i as **A**. We assume that all \mathcal{B}_i have the same structure **A**. v_l is the *l*-th vertex of **A**, which denotes the *l*-th parameter of \mathcal{B}_i (e.g., a weight or a bias). *L* is the number of vertices in **A**.

3.2 Architecture of HyperGPA

Let $\mathcal{D}_{input} = \{\{\mathcal{D}_{i,j}\}_{j=N-K}^{N-1}\}_{i=1}^{M}$ be the collected time series data for K recent periods Then, L1 reads the previous periods \mathcal{D}_{input} and forecasts $\{\mathbf{h}_{i,N}\}_{i=1}^{M}$, the hidden representation of the next period $\{\mathcal{D}_{i,N}\}_{i=1}^{M}$. At this step, we utilize the GNNs to discover relationships among those M different correlated time series. As for GNNs, we employ *adaptive graph convolutional* (AGC) function to discover *latent* relationships. Therefore, our method can be used even when the explicit relationships among M time series are unknown, which improves the



among M time series are unknown, which improves the applicability. We use the following method to combine NCDEs and AGC into a single framework:

$$\mathbf{h}'_{i}(1) = \Gamma_{i}(\mathbf{x}_{i}(1); \boldsymbol{\theta}_{\Gamma_{i}}), \tag{1}$$

$$\mathbf{h}'_{i}(T) = \mathbf{h}'_{i}(1) + \int_{1}^{T} G(\{\mathbf{h}'_{i}(t)\}_{i=1}^{M}; \boldsymbol{\theta}_{G}) \mathrm{d}\mathbf{X}_{i}(t),$$
(2)

where $\mathbf{h}_{i,N} = \mathbf{h}'_i(T)$ and $\mathbf{h}'_i(t)$ is an NCDE hidden vector of the *i*-th time series at integral time *t*. Also, the final integral time *T* is the total time length of input for recent periods, $T = \sum_{j=N-K}^{N-1} |\mathcal{D}_{i,j}|$. *T* should be the same for all *i*-th time series because they should evolve together with a graph function in NCDEs. $\{\mathbf{x}_i(1)\}_{i=1}^M$ are feature vectors at initial time in \mathcal{D}_{input} , and $\{\mathbf{X}_i(t)\}_{i=1}^M$ are interpolated lines of \mathcal{D}_{input} . Each Γ_i maps the initial feature vector $\mathbf{x}_i(1)$ into the initial NCDE hidden vector $\mathbf{h}'_i(1)$. Along the interpolated path, NCDEs generate the final NCDE hidden vector, $\mathbf{h}'_i(T)$. Because *G* incorporates the AGC function, all *i*-th time series are processed simultaneously through NCDEs and help each other to forecast the next hidden representation.

Given $\mathbf{h}_{i,N}$, we use an attention-based parameter generation method and GCNs to generate $\hat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}_{i,N}$:

$$\{\mathbf{z}_{i,N}^{l}\}_{l=1}^{L} = \Phi(\mathbf{h}_{i,N};\boldsymbol{\theta}_{\Phi}),\tag{3}$$

$$\{\mathbf{q}_{i,N}^{l}\}_{l=1}^{L} = \mathsf{GNN}(\{\mathbf{z}_{i,N}\}_{l=1}^{L}; \mathbf{A}, \boldsymbol{\theta}_{\mathsf{GNN}}), \tag{4}$$

$$\hat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}_{i,N}^{l} = \operatorname{Attn}(\mathbf{q}_{i,N}^{l}, \{\boldsymbol{\theta}_{\operatorname{key},c}^{l}\}_{c=1}^{C}, \{\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}_{c}^{l}\}_{c=1}^{C}),$$
(5)

where $\operatorname{Attn}(\mathbf{Q}, \mathbf{K}, \mathbf{V}) = \operatorname{softmax}(\frac{\mathbf{Q}\mathbf{K}^T}{\sqrt{d_k}})\mathbf{V}$, where d_k is the size of key vectors. For parameter generation, we use an attention-based method [Vaswani et al., 2017]. Query vectors $\{\mathbf{q}_{i,N}^l\}_{l=1}^L$ for a parameter vertex v_l are mapped from $\mathbf{h}_{i,N}$ by Φ and GNNs with \mathbf{A} . Values are candidate parameters $\{\tilde{\boldsymbol{\theta}}_c^l\}_{c=1}^C$ and each candidate has a key $\{\boldsymbol{\theta}_{key,c}^l\}_{c=1}^C \in \mathbb{R}^{dim(\mathbf{q})}$, where C is the number of candidate parameters. After generating $\hat{\boldsymbol{\theta}}_{i,N}$, \mathcal{B}_i equipped with it performs a seq-to-seq forecasting task in $\mathcal{D}_{i,N} = \{\mathbf{x}_{i,b}^k\}_{k=1}^{|\mathcal{D}_{i,b}|}$, reading $\{\mathbf{x}_{i,b}^k\}_{k=n-s_{in}}^{n-1}$ and forecasting $\{\mathbf{x}_{i,b}^k\}_{k=n}^{n+s_{out}-1}$.

Training procedure. Let $\{\{\mathcal{D}_{i,j}\}_{j=1}^{N-1}\}_{i=1}^{M}$ be the entire training time series data. Then, we create several mini-batches $(\{\{\mathcal{D}_{i,j}\}_{j=b-K}^{b-1}\}_{i=1}^{M}, \{\mathcal{D}_{i,b}\}_{i=1}^{M})$, where $K + 1 \leq b \leq N - 1$. We train *HyperGPA* using mean squared error (MSE) between the forecasting results of the target model and ground truth. In a training stage, *HyperGPA* is trained by two types of MSE: one is from \mathcal{B}_i configured with $\hat{\theta}_{i,b}$ and the other is with $\tilde{\theta}_{c^*}^l$ where c^* denotes an index which has the maximum attention score. With the second MSE, each candidate becomes meaningful (i.e. forecasts well).

4 Experiments

4.1 Experimental setup

Datasets. We evaluate our approach on four time series forecasting benchmarks ranging from pandemic and stock to climate datasets: Flu, Stock-US, Stock-China, and USHCN. In our evaluations, we use the last and the second to the last window as a test and a validation set, respectively.

Target models & baselines. The target model is a time series model which performs a seq-to-seq forecasting task, whereas the baseline is a way to generate or train the target model's parameters. For target models, we use six time series models: i) LSTM [Hochreiter and Schmidhuber, 1997], ii) GRU [Cho et al., 2014], iii-iv) SeqToSeq equipped with LSTM and GRU [Sutskever et al., 2014], v) ODERNN [Rubanova et al., 2019], vi) NCDE [Kidger et al., 2020]. For baselines, there are four categories: i) In a vanilla method, one can directly train the parameters of a target model without hypernetworks or approaches addressing temporal drifts, denoted by *Vanilla*. ii) There are two hypernetwork-based methods. *HyperLSTM* or *HyperGRU* [Ha et al., 2016] are for LSTM, GRU, SeqToSeq(LSTM), and SeqToSeq(GRU), and ANODEV2 [Zhang et al., 2019] is for ODERNN and NCDE. iii) The third type is approaches to address the temporal drifts. *RevIN* [Kim et al., 2022] can be used for various target models, whereas AdaLSTM and AdaGRU [Du et al., 2021] are for LSTM and GRU only, respectively. iv) Lastly, there is a statistical model, ARIMA [Hillmer and Tiao, 1982].

Others. For validation and test metric, we use MSE. We run 5 times and report their mean and standard deviation values. Refer to an appendix for additional information for experimental settings.



(a) Forecasting results (b) Sensitvity to the hidden size of target models (c) Ablation study to GNN

Figure 3: (a) Forecasting results when data is Flu and a target model is SeqToSeq (LSTM). (b) Sensitivity to the hidden size of the two target models, GRU with Flu, and LSTM with Stock-China. (c) Ablation with or without GNNs. To address different scale, min-max normalizations are applied to MSE scores where the min and max value is 0.1, 1, respectively.

Table 1: Test MSE in forecasting tasks. The best result for each target model is in **boldface** and for all target models with asterisk*. For *ARMIA*, we remove it to due to the worst performance.

Target Model	Method	Flu	Stock-US	Stock-China	USHCN	Target Model	Method	Flu	Stock-US	Stock-China	USHCN
	Vanilla	0.367	0.213	0.050	0.239		Vanilla	0.275	0.102	0.037	0.232
	HyperLSTM	0.582	0.751	0.103	0.249		HyperGRU	0.520	0.462	0.075	0.244
LSTM	RevIN	0.506	0.063	0.049	0.589	GRU	RevIN	0.379	0.060	0.040	0.465
	AdaLSTM	0.740	0.379	0.321	0.595		AdaGRU	0.616	0.233	0.170	0.472
	HyperGPA	0.118	0.050	0.026	0.221		HyperGPA	0.116*	0.052	0.026	0.229
	Vanilla	0.353	0.167	0.045	0.236		Vanilla	0.250	0.112	0.035	0.232
SeqToSeq	HyperLSTM	0.559	0.643	0.097	0.243	SeqToSeq	HyperGRU	0.502	0.464	0.073	0.236
(LSTM)	RevIN	0.345	0.061	0.044	0.585	(GRU)	RevIN	0.291	0.060	0.039	0.519
	HyperGPA	0.128	0.048*	0.026	0.220^{*}		HyperGPA	0.130	0.049	0.025*	0.222
	Vanilla	0.361	0.200	0.056	0.235		Vanilla	0.387	0.130	0.040	0.234
ODEDNN	ANODEV2	0.298	0.120	0.037	0.233	NODE	ANODEV2	0.821	0.244	0.141	0.483
ODERNIN	RevIN	0.549	0.068	0.048	0.855	INCDE	RevIN	0.439	0.060	0.040	0.713
	HyperGPA	0.134	0.050	0.026	0.226		HyperGPA	0.167	0.049	0.027	0.227

4.2 Experimental results

Forecasting results. In Table 1, *HyperGPA* consistently outperforms all baselines for all target models. Also, in Fig. 3(a), *HyperGPA* captures temporal dynamics better than others. This shows that the superiority of our methods in forecasting under temporal drifts.

Sensitivity to target model size. We compare *Vanilla* and *HyperGPA*, varying the hidden size of target models — a larger hidden size leads to a larger target model size. As in Fig. 3(b), *HyperGPA* shows stable errors regardless of the hidden size whereas *Vanilla* does not show reliable forecasting accuracy when the target model size is small. This result shows that we can use small target models with *HyperGPA*, which drastically reduces the overheads for maintaining target models in practice.

Ablating GNNs. We use AGC in L1 (Eq. (2)) and GAT [Veličković et al., 2018] in L2 (Eq. (4)) for GNNs. In this paragraph, we remove AGC from L1 GAT from L2. Fig. 3(c) shows MSE for each case where the target model is LSTM. *HyperGPA* denotes our full model; *neither* means our model without AGC or GAT. In almost all cases, *HyperGPA* shows the lowest errors. Higher errors of *no* AGC show that considering different correlated time series simultaneously helps *HyperGPA* to better discover underlying dynamics. Also, *no* GAT has worse results, which means that the information of a computation graph is needed for generating reliable parameters.

Other experiments. Additional experimental results and visualization is available in an appendix.

5 Conclusion

We presented *HyperGPA* to address the temporal drifts by generating the future parameters of a target model. *HyperGPA* can be applied to various target models, showing the best performance in most cases. Also, we showed that *HyperGPA* allows target models to be small in real-world applications, which drastically reduces the maintenance overhead of target models. We leave testing *HyperGPA* on irregular cases and more complicated target models, such as transformers, as future works.

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Supplementary Material

HyperGRU

We define *HyperGRU* since only *HyperLSTM* is defined in Ha et al. [2016]. Let \mathbf{x}_t be a time series observation at time t. GRU [Cho et al., 2014] is defined as follows:

$$\mathbf{r}_{t} = \sigma(W_{\mathbf{x}}^{\mathbf{r}}\mathbf{x}_{t} + W_{\mathbf{h}}^{\mathbf{r}}\mathbf{h}_{t-1} + b^{\mathbf{r}}), \tag{6}$$

$$\mathbf{z}_t = \sigma(W_{\mathbf{x}}^{\mathbf{z}} \mathbf{x}_t + W_{\mathbf{h}}^{\mathbf{z}} \mathbf{h}_{t-1} + b^{\mathbf{z}}),\tag{7}$$

$$\mathbf{g}_t = \delta(W_{\mathbf{x}}^{\mathbf{g}} \mathbf{x}_t + \mathbf{r}_t \odot W_{\mathbf{h}}^{\mathbf{g}} \mathbf{h}_{t-1} + b^{\mathbf{g}}), \tag{8}$$

$$\mathbf{h}_t = (1 - \mathbf{z}_t) \odot \mathbf{g}_t + \mathbf{z}_t \odot \mathbf{h}_{t-1},\tag{9}$$

where σ is a sigmoid function, δ is a hyperbolic tangent function, and \odot is an element-wise multiplication. Likewise, *HyperGRU* is defined as follows:

$$\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t = \mathbf{x}_t \oplus \mathbf{h}_{t-1},\tag{10}$$

$$\hat{\mathbf{r}}_{t} = \sigma(LN(W_{\hat{\mathbf{x}}}^{\hat{\mathbf{r}}}\hat{\mathbf{x}}_{t} + W_{\hat{\mathbf{h}}}^{\hat{\mathbf{r}}}\hat{\mathbf{h}}_{t-1} + b^{\hat{\mathbf{r}}})), \tag{11}$$

$$\hat{\mathbf{z}}_t = \sigma(LN(W_{\hat{\mathbf{x}}}^{\hat{\mathbf{z}}}\hat{\mathbf{x}}_t + W_{\hat{\mathbf{h}}}^{\hat{\mathbf{z}}}\hat{\mathbf{h}}_{t-1} + b^{\hat{\mathbf{z}}})), \tag{12}$$

$$\hat{\mathbf{g}}_{t} = \delta(LN(W_{\hat{\mathbf{x}}}^{\hat{\mathbf{g}}}\hat{\mathbf{x}}_{t} + \hat{\mathbf{r}}_{t} \odot W_{\hat{\mathbf{h}}}^{\hat{\mathbf{g}}}\hat{\mathbf{h}}_{t-1} + b^{\hat{\mathbf{g}}})), \tag{13}$$

$$\hat{\mathbf{h}}_t = (1 - \hat{\mathbf{z}}_t) \odot \hat{\mathbf{g}}_t + \hat{\mathbf{z}}_t \odot \hat{\mathbf{h}}_{t-1}, \tag{14}$$

where \oplus means a concatenation. From $\hat{\mathbf{h}}_t$, the embeddings of each gate $\mathbf{a}_t^{\mathbf{h},y}, \mathbf{a}_t^{\mathbf{x},y}, \mathbf{a}_t^{\mathbf{b},y}$ are generated, where $y \in {\mathbf{r}, \mathbf{z}, \mathbf{g}}$. In addition, those embeddings are transformed into $\mathbf{d}_t^{\mathbf{h},y}, \mathbf{d}_t^{\mathbf{x},y}, \mathbf{d}_t^{\mathbf{b},y}$:

$$\mathbf{a}_{t}^{\mathbf{h},y} = W_{\hat{\mathbf{h}}}^{\mathbf{h},y} \hat{\mathbf{h}}_{t-1} + b_{\hat{\mathbf{h}}}^{\mathbf{h},y},\tag{15}$$

$$\mathbf{a}_{t}^{\mathbf{x},y} = W_{\hat{\mathbf{h}}}^{\mathbf{x},y} \hat{\mathbf{h}}_{t-1} + b_{\hat{\mathbf{h}}}^{\mathbf{x},y},\tag{16}$$

$$\mathbf{a}_{t}^{\mathbf{b},y} = W_{\hat{\mathbf{h}}}^{\mathbf{b},y} \hat{\mathbf{h}}_{t-1} + b_{\hat{\mathbf{h}}}^{\mathbf{b},y},\tag{17}$$

$$\mathbf{d}_t^{\mathbf{h},y} = W_{\mathbf{a}}^{\mathbf{h},y} \mathbf{a}_t^{\mathbf{h},y} + b_{\mathbf{a}}^{\mathbf{h},y},\tag{18}$$

$$\mathbf{d}_t^{\mathbf{x},y} = W_{\mathbf{a}}^{\mathbf{x},y} \mathbf{a}_t^{\mathbf{x},y} + b_{\mathbf{a}}^{\mathbf{x},y},\tag{19}$$

$$\mathbf{d}_t^{\mathbf{b},y} = W_{\mathbf{a}}^{\mathbf{b},y} \mathbf{a}_t^{\mathbf{b},y} + b_{\mathbf{a}}^{\mathbf{b},y}.$$
(20)

Finally, $\mathbf{d}_t^{\mathbf{h},y}, \mathbf{d}_t^{\mathbf{x},y}, \mathbf{d}_t^{\mathbf{b},y}$ adjust the parameters of the main GRU and h_t is generated:

$$\mathbf{r}_{t} = \sigma(LN(\mathbf{d}_{t}^{\mathbf{x},\mathbf{r}} \odot W_{\mathbf{x}}^{\mathbf{r}} \mathbf{x}_{t} + \mathbf{d}_{t}^{\mathbf{h},\mathbf{r}} \odot W_{\mathbf{h}}^{\mathbf{r}} \mathbf{h}_{t-1} + \mathbf{d}_{t}^{\mathbf{b},\mathbf{r}})),$$
(21)

$$\mathbf{z}_{t} = \sigma(LN(\mathbf{d}_{t}^{\mathbf{x},\mathbf{z}} \odot W_{\mathbf{x}}^{\mathbf{z}} \mathbf{x}_{t} + \mathbf{d}_{t}^{\mathbf{h},\mathbf{z}} \odot W_{\mathbf{h}}^{\mathbf{z}} \mathbf{h}_{t-1} + \mathbf{d}_{t}^{\mathbf{b},\mathbf{z}})),$$
(22)

$$\mathbf{g}_{t} = \delta(LN(\mathbf{d}_{t}^{\mathbf{x},\mathbf{g}} \odot W_{\mathbf{x}}^{\mathbf{g}} \mathbf{x}_{t} + \mathbf{r}_{t} \odot \mathbf{d}_{t}^{\mathbf{h},\mathbf{g}} \odot W_{\mathbf{h}}^{\mathbf{g}} \mathbf{h}_{t-1} + \mathbf{d}_{t}^{\mathbf{b},\mathbf{g}})),$$
(23)

$$\mathbf{h}_t = (1 - \mathbf{z}_t) \odot \mathbf{g}_t + \mathbf{z}_t \odot \mathbf{h}_{t-1}.$$
(24)

Reproducibility

We implement *HyperGPA* with Python v3.7 and PyTorch v1.8 and run our experiments on a machine equipped with Nvidia RTX Titan or 3090. The code is available in https://github.com/ leejaehoon2016/HyperGPA/tree/main.

Datasets. Flu contains the number of flu patients, total patients, and providers who give information about patients, in each of the 51 U.S. states, collected weekly by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention [CDC, 1946], i.e., dim(\mathbf{x}) = 3. The data collection period is 2011–2020. In *HyperGPA*, we set the length of one window $\mathcal{D}_{i,j}$ to a year; the length is 52 (or 53) weeks. For Flu, each target time series model \mathcal{B}_i reads recent $s_{in} = 10$ observations and forecasts next $s_{out} = 2$ observations.

We also use the daily historical stock prices of the U.S. and China (Stock-US and Stock-China) collected by Investing.com [2007] over 20 months. Each dataset contains the opening, closing, highest, and lowest stock prices per day, i.e., $\dim(\mathbf{x}) = 4$. We choose the top-30 companies with the highest market capitalization. For those two datasets, we set the window length to two months. Note

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Data	Target Model	$ \dim(\mathbf{h}') $	$\dim(\mathbf{z})$	C	λ	Data	Target Model	$ \dim(\mathbf{h}_{\mathcal{B}}) $	1
	LSTM	128	2048	3	0.1		LSTM	64	
	GRU	128	1024	3	0.01		GRU	64	
F1	SeqToSeq(LSTM)	128	1024	10	0.1	F1	SeqToSeq (LSTM)	64	
FIU	SeqToSeq(GRU)	128	2048	3	0.01	r Iu	SeqToSeq (GRU)	64	
	ODERNN	128	2048	10	0.0		ODERNN	32	
	NCDE	128	512	3	0.1		NCDE	32	
	LSTM	128	512	3	0.0		LSTM	64	
	GRU	128	512	10	0.01		GRU	64	
Stock IIS	ck-US SeqToSeq(LSTM) 128 512 3 0.1 SeqToSeq(GRU) 128 1024 5 0.0	Stool IIS	SeqToSeq (LSTM)	64					
SLOCK-05		SLOCK-05	SeqToSeq (GRU)	64					
	ODERNN	128	512	10	0.01		ODERNN	64	
	NCDE 128 512 10 0.0			NCDE	16				
	LSTM	128	512	3	0.1		LSTM	64	
	GRU	128	512	10	0.0		GRU	16	
Stock China	SeqToSeq(LSTM)	128	2048	5	0.1	Stock China	SeqToSeq (LSTM)	64	
Stock-chilla	SeqToSeq(GRU)	128	512	3	0.01	SCOCK-CHINE	SeqToSeq (GRU)	64	
	ODERNN	128	1024	3	0.0		ODERNN	32	
	NCDE	128	1024	5	0.0		NCDE	64	
	LSTM	128	512	48	0.01		LSTM	32	
	GRU	32	512	48	0.1		GRU	16	
Hallan	SeqToSeq(LSTM)	32	512	48	0.01	USHCN	SeqToSeq (LSTM)	16	
OBHCN	SeqToSeq(GRU)	128	512	48	0.1	USHCN	SeqToSeq (GRU)	32	
	ODERNN	64	512	48	0.1		ODERNN	64	
	NCDE	32	512	48	0.01		NCDE	32	

Table 2: Hyperparameters for HyperGPA

Table 3: Hyperparameters for Vanilla

that the stock prices for those companies are interconnected, i.e., they are loosely-coupled data. s_{in} and s_{out} for stock datasets are 10 and 4, respectively.

USHCN is a climate dataset that contains monthly average, minimum, and maximum temperature and precipitation in the U.S. states from the U.S. historical climatology network [USHCN, 1987], i.e., $\dim(\mathbf{x}) = 4$. The collection period is 1981–2012. The length of one window is a year, 12 months. We set s_{in} and s_{out} to 10 and 2.

After making the input and output pairs of target models like training procedure in Sec. 3.2, Flu has 20K training pairs, 3K validation pairs, and 3K test pairs. Both Stock-US and Stock-China have 10K training pairs, 1K validation pairs, and 1K test pairs. USHCN has 17K training pairs, 0.5K validation pairs, and 0.5K test pairs.

Hyperparameters in baselines. In this section, we show the best hyperparameters for our baselines for reproducibility in Tables 2 to 8. For our baselines, we have two hyperparameters for the target models, a hidden size and the number of layers. The hidden size is in {16, 32, 64} and the number of layers is in {1, 2, 3}. We set the learning rate to 10^{-3} and the coefficient of L_2 regularization term to 10^{-5} . The size of mini-batch is 256. For *Vanilla*, there is no additional hyperparameter. For *HyperLSTM/GRU*, there are 2 additional hyperparameters, dim($\hat{\mathbf{h}}$) and dim(\mathbf{a}), that are the dimensionality of $\hat{\mathbf{h}}$ and a, defined in Ha et al. [2016] or Appendix 5. As dim(\mathbf{a}) < dim($\hat{\mathbf{h}}$) < dim($\mathbf{h}_{\mathcal{B}}$) recommended in Ha et al. [2016], dim($\hat{\mathbf{h}}$) is in {32, 16, 8}, and dim(\mathbf{a}) is in {16, 8, 4}. For *ANODEV2*, we configure the baseline as in Zhang et al. [2019] and *RevIN* is just adding an adaptation layer, so additional hyperparameters are not needed. *AdaGRU/LSTM* has an additional hyperparameter, λ which is the coefficient of a drift-related loss. In an *ARIMA* case, there are 3 hyperparameters. *p*, *d*, and *q* denote the autoregressive, differences, and moving average components, respectively. *p* is in {1,2,3}, *d* in {0,1,2}, *q* in {1,2,3}.

Hyperparameters in HyperGPA. For *HyperGPA*, the learning rate is set to 10^{-2} , the coefficient of L_2 regularization term to 10^{-6} , and the size of mini-batch to 10^4 . The reason why the size of the mini-batch for *HyperGPA* is much larger than that for the baselines is that i) *HyperGPA* generates the parameters of all target models, and ii) all target models are trained simultaneously. Because there are about 30 to 50 target models, the size of mini-batch for one target model is about 256. Each of dim(h_B) and n_B in *HyperGPA* is set to 16 and 1, respectively.

The hidden size and the number of layers for Γ in Eq. 1 are set to 32 and 2, respectively. The hidden size of NCDEs, dim(h') in Eq. (2), is in {32, 64, 128}. In AGC function, the node embedding size and the output size are set to 32. Φ is a one-layer fully connected layer without bias. The size of initial query vectors in Eq. 3, dim(z), is in {512, 1024, 2048}. In Eq. (4), GAT has three hyperparameters: i) number of heads, ii) depth, and iii) hidden size. The number of heads is set to 4, the depth to

Table 5: Hyperparameters for *RevIN*

Data	Target Model	$\dim(\mathbf{h}_{\mathcal{B}})$	$n_{\mathcal{B}}$
	LSTM	16	3
	GRU	16	2
F 1	SeqToSeq (LSTM)	16	1
FIU	SeqToSeq (GRU)	32	1
	ODERNN	32	3
	NCDE	64	3
	LSTM	16	1
	GRU	16	1
Stock US	SeqToSeq (LSTM)	16	1
STOCK-02	SeqToSeq (GRU)	16	1
	ODERNN	32	2
	NCDE	16	3
	LSTM	32	1
	GRU	16	2
Stock China	SeqToSeq (LSTM)	16	1
DUOCK-OIIIId	SeqToSeq (GRU)	16	1
	ODERNN	64	3
	NCDE	32	3
	LSTM	32	1
	GRU	16	3
USHCN	SeqToSeq (LSTM)	64	1
ODIION	SeqToSeq (GRU)	32	3
	ODERNN	64	2
	NCDE	64	3

Table 4: Hyperparameters for HyperLSTM/GRU

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Data	Target Model	$\dim(\mathbf{h}_{\mathcal{B}})$	$n_{\mathcal{B}}$	$\dim(\mathbf{a})$	$\dim(\hat{\mathbf{h}})$
	LSTM	64	1	16	8
Elu	GRU	32	1	8	8
FIU	SeqToSeq (LSTM)	64	1	4	8
	SeqToSeq (GRU)	16	1	4	16
	LSTM	32	1	4	16
Stock IIS	GRU	16	1	16	8
SLOCK-US	SeqToSeq (LSTM)	32	1	8	8
	SeqToSeq (GRU)	64	1	4	8
	LSTM	16	1	4	8
Stool China	GRU	16	1	4	8
Stock-china	SeqToSeq (LSTM)	16	1	4	8
	SeqToSeq (GRU)	32	1	4	8
	LSTM	32	1	4	16
USHCN	GRU	64	1	4	8
UDITON	SeqToSeq (LSTM)	64	1	4	32
	SeqToSeq (GRU)	64	1	4	8

Table 6: Hyperparameters for ANODEV2

Data	Target Model	$\dim(\mathbf{h}_{\mathcal{B}})$	$n_{\mathcal{B}}$
F1	ODERNN	64	3
FIU	NCDE	16	3
Stock IIS	ODERNN	64	3
STOCK-05	NCDE	64	3
Stock China	ODERNN	64	2
Stock-chima	NCDE	16	2
USHCN	ODERNN	64	3
USHON	NCDE	32	3

Table 7: Hyperparameters for AdaLSTM/GRU

Data	Target Model	$\dim(\mathbf{h}_{\mathcal{B}})$	$n_{\mathcal{B}}$	λ
E1.,	LSTM	64	1	1.0
FIU	GRU	64	1	1.0
Stock IIS	LSTM	64	1	1.0
SCOCK-05	GRU	64	1	1.0
Stock China	LSTM	64	1	1.0
SLOCK-CHIHA	GRU	64	1	0.5
USHON	LSTM	64	1	1.0
USHCN	GRU	32	1	1.0

Table 8: Hyperparameters for ARIMA

Data	p	d	q
Flu	2	1	1
Stock-US	1	1	2
Stock-China	1	1	1
USHCN	1	1	2

3, and the hidden size to 128. In an attention-based generation method, the number of candidates model C is in $\{3, 5, 10, 20, 48\}$, and the regularization coefficient of MSE_2 , λ , is in $\{0, 0.1, 0.01\}$. For input window size K, we use K = 2 in Flu, Stock-China, and Stock-China, and K = 3 in USHCN. Note that all baselines are trained separately for each target model, whereas our method, which internally has a shared multi-task layer, is trained collectively and generates multiple target models' parameters simultaneously.

Additional Experiments about Design Choice

Attention-based method or simple mapping method. Fig. 4(a,b) show the advantages of our attention-based parameter generation method, compared to the simple mapping method where $h_{i,N}$ are directly mapped into the parameters of a target model through linear layers. According to Fig. 4(a), as the hidden size of target models increases, the required number of parameters of *HyperGPA* increases more rapidly in the simple mapping method than in the attention-based method. In addition, our attention-based method is more robust to overfitting as in Fig. 4(b).

Period size K. Fig. 5 shows sensitivity analyses w.r.t. the input period size K. As shown, $K \le 3$ produces the best outcomes. Feeding too much information leads to sub-optimal outcomes. For this reason, we use 2 or 3 as K.



Figure 4: (a) The required model size, and (b) Train and test MSE of the two possible parameter generation methods in Flu. 'Attention' means our full model.



Figure 5: Sensitivity to the input period size K

Figure 6: Changing the type of graph functions on the parameter generating layer (L2)

Type of graph function in L2. Fig. 6 shows the results by varying the graph function of the parameter generating layer (L2) in Eq. (4).We test with a graph attention neural network (GAT) [Veličković et al., 2018], a graph convolutional network (GCN) [Kipf and Welling, 2017] and an adaptive graph convolutional network (AGC) [Bai et al., 2020]. In most cases, GAT shows reasonable performance. Therefore, we use GAT as our GNNs in L2.

Regularization coefficient of MSE_2 , λ . As we mentioned before, we use the two types of MSE, one of which is measured with $\hat{\theta}_{i,N}$ and the other is with $\tilde{\theta}_{\hat{c}_{i,b}^l}^l$. When the first and second MSE are denoted as MSE_1 and MSE_2 , respectively, our final training loss is $MSE_1 + \lambda MSE_2$. In Fig. 7, we conduct sensitivity studies to λ with HyperGPA whose target



Figure 7: Sensitivity to the coefficient of the second MSE, λ

model is SeqToSeq(LSTM) or NCDE in Flu. The performance of *HyperGPA* improves as λ increases from 0 to some points. However, when λ gets too large, MSE scores deteriorate. Therefore, we use $\{0,0.1,0.01\}$ as the candidate hyperparameters of λ .

Additional Experimental Results

Full experimental results. Full experimental results are shown from Table. 9 to Table. 12. Val.MSE is the MSE value in validation data, which is the criterion for selecting the best models. We also add a simple linear model as baselines because Zeng et al. [2022] shows that the simple linear model outperform complex neural networks, such as transformers.

Forecasting performance in more complex scenarios. To examine the performance of *HyperGPA* more complex scenarios, we increase the dimensionality of input time series. Because it is hard to find time-series datasets with a large number of features which are appropriate for our task, we increase the number of input length for target models, s_{in} . s_{in} is set to twice the originally used s_{in} in each dataset. We examine the performance of *HyperGPA*, *Vanilla*, and *RevIN* for this task where a target model is GRU. Table. 13 shows that *HyperGPA* still performs best, compared to baselines.

Table 9:	Experimental	results	for Flu
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Target Model	Generation Way	Val.MSE	PCC	R^2	Exp.	MSE	MAE
Line	ear	0.126	0.944	0.870	0.873	0.221	0.231
ARI	MA	0.502±0.000	0.695 ± 0.000	0.152 ± 0.000	0.168 ± 0.000	1.091±0.000	0.579±0.000
	Vanilla	0.174±0.004	0.910±0.003	0.718±0.023	0.730±0.021	0.367±0.016	0.299±0.008
	HyperLSTM	0.236±0.008	0.852 ± 0.005	0.434 ± 0.038	0.471 ± 0.032	0.582 ± 0.019	0.388±0.010
LSTM	RevIN	0.230±0.022	0.917 ± 0.010	0.842 ± 0.017	0.844 ± 0.018	0.506 ± 0.097	0.256±0.007
	AdaLSTM	0.516±0.047	0.814 ± 0.019	0.367 ± 0.099	0.478 ± 0.075	0.740 ± 0.075	0.552±0.036
	HyperGPA	0.068±0.002	0.971 ± 0.001	0.933 ± 0.003	0.933 ± 0.004	0.118 ± 0.004	0.141±0.002
	Vanilla	0.130±0.003	0.933±0.002	0.807 ± 0.006	0.813±0.006	0.275 ± 0.006	0.250±0.003
	HyperGRU	0.207±0.016	0.863 ± 0.010	0.585 ± 0.035	0.601 ± 0.035	0.520 ± 0.033	0.361±0.011
GRU	RevIN	0.199±0.015	0.938 ± 0.004	0.880 ± 0.007	0.881 ± 0.008	0.379 ± 0.039	0.226±0.007
	AdaGRU	0.405±0.031	0.849 ± 0.009	0.542 ± 0.048	0.613 ± 0.056	0.616 ± 0.035	0.510±0.018
	HyperGPA	0.066±0.002	0.971 ± 0.001	0.938 ± 0.003	0.939 ± 0.003	0.116 ± 0.004	0.140±0.003
	Vanilla	0.151±0.003	0.914±0.002	0.733 ± 0.004	0.747 ± 0.004	0.353±0.005	0.290±0.004
CarTaCar(ICTM)	HyperLSTM	0.211±0.015	0.855 ± 0.007	0.502 ± 0.035	0.527 ± 0.032	0.559 ± 0.021	0.372±0.007
Seqloseq(LSIM)	RevIN	0.193±0.007	0.944 ± 0.004	0.888 ± 0.006	0.890 ± 0.006	0.345 ± 0.021	0.219±0.005
	HyperGPA	0.070±0.004	0.969 ± 0.001	0.932 ± 0.006	0.932 ± 0.006	0.128 ± 0.006	0.143±0.004
	Vanilla	0.114±0.004	0.939±0.001	0.828 ± 0.006	0.834 ± 0.005	0.250 ± 0.005	0.237±0.004
Contractor (CDII)	HyperGRU	0.191±0.008	0.872 ± 0.007	0.574 ± 0.028	0.592 ± 0.028	0.502 ± 0.023	0.347±0.009
Seq10Seq(GR0)	RevIN	0.189±0.010	0.954 ± 0.003	0.905 ± 0.006	0.908 ± 0.006	0.291 ± 0.032	0.204±0.005
	HyperGPA	0.066±0.002	0.968 ± 0.003	0.926 ± 0.012	0.926 ± 0.012	0.130 ± 0.014	0.142±0.004
	Vanilla	0.163±0.011	0.907±0.010	0.761±0.030	0.767±0.027	0.361±0.039	0.301±0.017
ODEDNN	ANODEV2	0.139±0.003	0.926 ± 0.004	0.790 ± 0.007	0.796 ± 0.007	0.298 ± 0.014	0.256±0.009
UDERNN	RevIN	0.272±0.004	0.905 ± 0.008	0.817 ± 0.011	0.820 ± 0.011	0.549 ± 0.226	0.266±0.014
	HyperGPA	0.075±0.003	0.967 ± 0.004	0.931 ± 0.007	0.932 ± 0.007	0.134 ± 0.016	0.145±0.004
	Vanilla	0.137±0.019	0.900 ± 0.011	0.775±0.015	0.781±0.016	0.387±0.042	0.296±0.011
NODE	ANODEV2	0.457±0.002	0.778 ± 0.004	0.041 ± 0.017	0.077 ± 0.018	0.821 ± 0.011	0.480±0.005
NCDE	RevIN	0.259±0.012	0.919 ± 0.003	0.843 ± 0.005	0.848 ± 0.005	0.439 ± 0.022	0.251±0.004
	HyperGPA	0.071±0.003	0.959 ± 0.004	0.913 ± 0.009	0.914 ± 0.009	0.167 ± 0.020	0.164±0.008

Visualization. Fig. 8 shows all train, test (ground-truth) and forecast lines by various baselines and *HyperGPA*, and Fig. 9 shows MSE values over time. In almost all cases, *HyperGPA* follows the ground truth line more accurately than others and achieves the lowest MSE across all times. In predicted and MSE lines, lines related to *HyperGPA* are solid, lines related to baseline are dashed, and lines related to ground truth are dotted. We do not include the case of *ARIMA* because *ARIMA* has the worst performance in *Flu, Stock-US*, and *Stock-China*.

Target Model	Generation Way	Val.MSE	PCC	R^2	Exp.	MSE	MAE
Linear		0.041	0.967	0.928	0.928	0.056	0.173
ARI	MA	0.205±0.000	0.548 ± 0.000	-0.781±0.000	-0.748 ± 0.000	0.620 ± 0.000	0.609 ± 0.000
	Vanilla	0.051±0.001	0.902 ± 0.005	0.569 ± 0.029	0.641±0.022	0.213±0.010	0.307±0.006
	HyperLSTM	0.089±0.005	0.605 ± 0.071	-1.045±0.340	-0.491±0.248	0.751 ± 0.103	0.586±0.038
LSTM	RevIN	0.045±0.000	0.966 ± 0.000	0.930 ± 0.000	0.933 ± 0.000	0.063 ± 0.001	0.183±0.001
	AdaLSTM	0.257±0.017	0.787 ± 0.068	0.400 ± 0.231	0.475 ± 0.209	0.379 ± 0.102	0.483±0.062
	HyperGPA	0.034±0.000	0.973 ± 0.000	0.930 ± 0.005	0.933 ± 0.004	0.050 ± 0.002	0.161±0.004
	Vanilla	0.043±0.001	0.952 ± 0.002	0.830 ± 0.007	0.848 ± 0.006	0.102 ± 0.003	0.226±0.004
	HyperGRU	0.073±0.007	0.772 ± 0.030	-0.167±0.113	0.103 ± 0.086	0.462 ± 0.046	0.453±0.015
GRU	RevIN	0.044±0.000	0.967 ± 0.000	0.933±0.001	0.935 ± 0.000	0.060 ± 0.001	0.178±0.000
	AdaGRU	0.176±0.021	0.875 ± 0.028	0.645 ± 0.073	0.693 ± 0.073	0.233 ± 0.043	0.377±0.045
	HyperGPA	0.034±0.000	0.972 ± 0.001	0.927 ± 0.005	0.930 ± 0.004	0.052 ± 0.002	0.164 ± 0.004
	Vanilla	0.042±0.001	0.926±0.003	0.688 ± 0.014	0.744±0.011	0.167 ± 0.005	0.274±0.004
CogToCog (LCTM)	HyperLSTM	0.077±0.004	0.674 ± 0.052	-0.604±0.181	-0.173 ± 0.120	0.643 ± 0.084	0.528 ± 0.030
Sediosed(rain)	RevIN	0.046±0.001	0.967 ± 0.000	0.932 ± 0.002	0.935 ± 0.001	0.061 ± 0.001	0.180±0.002
	HyperGPA	0.034±0.000	0.973 ± 0.001	0.936 ± 0.002	0.938 ± 0.002	0.048 ± 0.001	0.157±0.002
	Vanilla	0.039±0.000	0.948 ± 0.003	0.811±0.012	0.835±0.010	0.112±0.006	0.229±0.003
SeaTeSea (CDII)	HyperGRU	0.067±0.002	0.769 ± 0.057	-0.121±0.235	0.141±0.175	0.464 ± 0.092	0.444±0.036
Sediosed(Gro)	RevIN	0.044±0.001	0.967 ± 0.001	0.933 ± 0.002	0.935 ± 0.002	0.060 ± 0.002	0.177±0.002
	HyperGPA	0.034±0.000	0.973 ± 0.001	0.935 ± 0.007	0.938 ± 0.005	0.049 ± 0.003	0.159 ± 0.006
	Vanilla	0.053±0.002	0.894 ± 0.014	0.659 ± 0.028	0.697±0.023	0.200 ± 0.015	0.300 ± 0.008
ODEDNN	ANODEV2	0.043±0.001	0.940 ± 0.009	0.801 ± 0.024	0.822 ± 0.023	0.120 ± 0.013	0.236±0.008
ODERNN	RevIN	0.048±0.001	0.964 ± 0.000	0.926 ± 0.001	0.929 ± 0.001	0.068 ± 0.001	0.188 ± 0.001
	HyperGPA	0.034±0.000	0.972 ± 0.000	0.931 ± 0.001	0.933 ± 0.001	0.050 ± 0.001	0.162 ± 0.002
	Vanilla	0.045±0.001	0.929 ± 0.007	0.805 ± 0.029	0.822 ± 0.024	0.130 ± 0.015	0.247±0.010
NCDE	ANODEV2	0.152±0.000	0.850 ± 0.001	0.551 ± 0.003	0.555 ± 0.003	0.244 ± 0.002	0.376 ± 0.002
NODE	RevIN	0.044±0.001	0.967 ± 0.000	0.934 ± 0.001	0.935 ± 0.000	0.060 ± 0.001	0.177±0.001
	HyperGPA	0.034±0.000	0.973 ± 0.001	0.934 ± 0.004	0.936 ± 0.003	0.049 ± 0.002	0.159 ± 0.003

Table 10: Experimental results for Stock-US

Table 11: Experimental results for Stock-China

Target Model	Generation Way	Val.MSE	PCC	R^2	Exp.	MSE	MAE
Line	ear	0.068	0.984	0.966	0.967	0.032	0.130
ARI	MA	0.478±0.000	0.840 ± 0.000	0.570 ± 0.000	0.682 ± 0.000	0.439 ± 0.000	0.503±0.000
	Vanilla	0.084±0.002	0.975 ± 0.000	0.945 ± 0.001	0.946 ± 0.001	0.050 ± 0.001	0.160±0.002
	HyperLSTM	0.188±0.019	0.949 ± 0.003	0.879 ± 0.009	0.881 ± 0.008	0.103 ± 0.007	0.226±0.004
LSTM	RevIN	0.081±0.001	0.977 ± 0.001	0.954 ± 0.002	0.955 ± 0.002	0.049 ± 0.002	0.152±0.002
	AdaLSTM	0.359±0.068	0.834 ± 0.037	0.565 ± 0.183	0.571 ± 0.180	0.321 ± 0.064	0.460±0.039
	HyperGPA	0.059 ± 0.001	0.987 ± 0.000	0.972 ± 0.001	0.972 ± 0.001	0.026 ± 0.001	0.113±0.002
	Vanilla	0.089±0.003	0.982 ± 0.001	0.959 ± 0.002	0.960 ± 0.002	0.037 ± 0.002	0.138±0.003
	HyperGRU	0.156±0.021	0.963 ± 0.002	0.915 ± 0.003	0.917 ± 0.003	0.075 ± 0.002	0.194±0.004
GRU	RevIN	0.081±0.000	0.981 ± 0.000	0.962 ± 0.000	0.962 ± 0.000	0.040 ± 0.000	0.143±0.001
	AdaGRU	0.199±0.015	0.913 ± 0.009	0.783 ± 0.032	0.786 ± 0.032	0.170 ± 0.017	0.327±0.023
	HyperGPA	0.058±0.002	0.987 ± 0.000	0.972 ± 0.001	0.972 ± 0.001	0.026 ± 0.001	0.114±0.003
	Vanilla	0.084±0.002	0.978 ± 0.001	0.951 ± 0.002	0.952 ± 0.002	0.045 ± 0.001	0.151±0.002
SeateSea(ISTM)	HyperLSTM	0.163±0.017	0.952 ± 0.023	0.889 ± 0.054	0.892 ± 0.051	0.097 ± 0.045	0.205±0.022
seq10seq(LSIN)	RevIN	0.079±0.001	0.979 ± 0.001	0.958 ± 0.002	0.959 ± 0.002	0.044 ± 0.002	0.144±0.002
	HyperGPA	0.058 ± 0.001	0.987 ± 0.000	0.973 ± 0.001	0.973 ± 0.001	0.026 ± 0.001	0.112±0.001
	Vanilla	0.072±0.002	0.983±0.000	0.963±0.001	0.964 ± 0.001	0.035 ± 0.001	0.131±0.002
GeoTeGeo (ODU)	HyperGRU	0.150±0.018	0.964 ± 0.004	0.920 ± 0.009	0.922 ± 0.008	0.073 ± 0.008	0.187±0.007
Seq10Seq(GRU)	RevIN	0.078±0.001	0.981 ± 0.001	0.962 ± 0.002	0.963 ± 0.002	0.039 ± 0.003	0.138±0.003
	HyperGPA	0.058 ± 0.001	0.988 ± 0.000	0.973 ± 0.001	0.973 ± 0.001	0.025 ± 0.000	0.112±0.001
	Vanilla	0.092±0.013	0.972 ± 0.004	0.938±0.009	0.939 ± 0.009	0.056 ± 0.007	0.171±0.013
ODEDNN	ANODEV2	0.079±0.002	0.982 ± 0.001	0.961 ± 0.001	0.962 ± 0.001	0.037 ± 0.001	0.139±0.002
UDERNN	RevIN	0.086±0.001	0.978 ± 0.001	0.955 ± 0.002	0.956 ± 0.002	0.048 ± 0.002	0.154±0.002
	HyperGPA	0.058 ± 0.001	0.987 ± 0.000	0.972 ± 0.001	0.972 ± 0.001	0.026 ± 0.001	0.115±0.003
	Vanilla	0.081±0.004	0.980 ± 0.001	0.959 ± 0.002	0.960 ± 0.002	0.040 ± 0.001	0.142±0.001
NODE	ANODEV2	0.335±0.001	0.929 ± 0.001	0.832 ± 0.003	0.838 ± 0.003	0.141 ± 0.001	0.292±0.002
NCDE	RevIN	0.088±0.001	0.981 ± 0.000	0.962 ± 0.000	0.962 ± 0.000	0.040 ± 0.001	0.142±0.001
	HyperGPA	0.060±0.003	0.987±0.001	0.971 ± 0.001	0.971 ± 0.001	0.027 ± 0.001	0.116±0.003

Table 12: Experimental re	esults for USHCN
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Target Model	Generation Way	Val.MSE	PCC	R^2	Exp.	MSE	MAE
Linear		0.322	0.824	0.071	0.174	0.244	0.347
ARIMA		0.277±0.000	0.838 ± 0.000	0.284±0.001	0.394±0.001	0.232 ± 0.000	0.313 ± 0.000
LSTM	Vanilla	0.298±0.001	0.841 ± 0.001	0.152±0.026	0.270 ± 0.021	0.239 ± 0.003	0.345 ± 0.004
	HyperLSTM	0.320±0.003	0.824 ± 0.003	0.075 ± 0.009	0.191 ± 0.009	0.249 ± 0.004	0.350 ± 0.003
	RevIN	0.779±0.029	0.693 ± 0.009	-0.019 ± 0.054	0.225 ± 0.035	0.589 ± 0.015	0.610 ± 0.010
	AdaLSTM	0.679±0.013	0.594 ± 0.015	-0.533 ± 0.259	-0.327 ± 0.222	0.595 ± 0.026	0.613±0.012
	HyperGPA	0.299±0.003	0.844 ± 0.002	0.127 ± 0.040	0.245 ± 0.040	0.221 ± 0.003	0.313±0.009
GRU	Vanilla	0.298±0.001	0.840 ± 0.001	0.156±0.014	0.264±0.012	0.232 ± 0.001	0.334±0.001
	HyperGRU	0.313±0.002	0.832 ± 0.002	0.124 ± 0.028	0.239 ± 0.022	0.244 ± 0.004	0.346 ± 0.005
	RevIN	0.599±0.016	0.699 ± 0.008	0.057 ± 0.070	0.178 ± 0.050	0.465 ± 0.007	0.522 ± 0.006
	AdaGRU	0.545±0.017	0.676 ± 0.018	-0.171±0.310	-0.035 ± 0.269	0.472 ± 0.026	0.532±0.014
	HyperGPA	0.299±0.003	0.841 ± 0.003	0.142 ± 0.025	0.266 ± 0.009	0.229 ± 0.004	0.323±0.003
SeqToSeq(LSTM)	Vanilla	0.299±0.001	0.835 ± 0.002	0.157±0.015	0.261±0.011	0.236 ± 0.003	0.335±0.004
	HyperLSTM	0.316±0.002	0.826 ± 0.003	0.141±0.013	0.244 ± 0.014	0.243 ± 0.004	0.343±0.004
	RevIN	0.730±0.023	0.682 ± 0.016	-0.059 ± 0.075	0.143 ± 0.052	0.585 ± 0.014	0.600 ± 0.009
	HyperGPA	0.296±0.005	0.843 ± 0.002	0.242 ± 0.043	0.344 ± 0.043	0.220 ± 0.007	0.307 ± 0.006
SeqToSeq(GRU)	Vanilla	0.294±0.001	0.839 ± 0.001	0.149 ± 0.016	0.256±0.013	0.232 ± 0.001	0.335±0.002
	HyperGRU	0.308±0.003	0.831 ± 0.001	0.169 ± 0.013	0.265 ± 0.014	0.236 ± 0.003	0.336±0.003
	RevIN	0.650±0.007	0.678 ± 0.003	-0.087±0.056	0.090 ± 0.047	0.519 ± 0.006	0.563 ± 0.001
	HyperGPA	0.302±0.002	0.844 ± 0.005	0.182 ± 0.083	0.287 ± 0.083	0.222 ± 0.004	0.315±0.006
ODERNN	Vanilla	0.300±0.001	0.840 ± 0.001	0.192±0.023	0.297±0.018	0.235 ± 0.004	0.339 ± 0.008
	ANODEV2	0.296±0.001	0.842 ± 0.001	0.181±0.029	0.291±0.023	0.233 ± 0.004	0.337±0.006
	RevIN	1.162±0.066	0.529 ± 0.021	-0.784 ± 0.248	-0.327 ± 0.180	0.855 ± 0.046	0.757±0.019
	HyperGPA	0.291±0.001	0.840 ± 0.004	0.182 ± 0.077	0.286 ± 0.078	0.226 ± 0.007	0.319±0.011
NCDE	Vanilla	0.304±0.002	0.829±0.002	0.188±0.038	0.294±0.031	0.234±0.004	0.322±0.002
	ANODEV2	0.754±0.001	0.616 ± 0.001	-2.257 ± 0.065	-1.924 ± 0.056	0.483 ± 0.002	0.554 ± 0.001
	RevIN	1.052±0.014	0.467 ± 0.015	-0.920 ± 0.086	-0.724 ± 0.087	0.713 ± 0.008	0.687 ± 0.006
	HyperGPA	0.305±0.008	0.837 ± 0.003	0.134 ± 0.062	0.246 ± 0.073	0.227 ± 0.004	0.316 ± 0.006

Table 13: Experimental results in complex scenarios with large s_{in}

Dataset	Generation Way	Val.MSE	PCC	R^2	Exp.	MSE	MAE
Flu	Vanilla	0.126	0.933	0.803	0.811	0.277	0.253
	RevIN	0.389	0.863	0.733	0.746	0.759	0.358
	HyperGPA	0.066	0.971	0.934	0.934	0.118	0.141
Stock-US	Vanilla	0.045	0.952	0.822	0.841	0.104	0.231
	RevIN	0.066	0.952	0.900	0.905	0.092	0.227
	HyperGPA	0.035	0.972	0.921	0.926	0.054	0.170
Stock-China	Vanilla	0.091	0.981	0.956	0.957	0.040	0.142
	RevIN	0.140	0.968	0.934	0.937	0.070	0.182
	HyperGPA	0.060	0.987	0.971	0.972	0.026	0.115



Figure 8: Forecasting visualizations of the baselines and HyperGPA



Figure 9: MSE over time