

# Fiber optic communication and computing



## Overview

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- Hardware Networking hardware; Emerging optical and photonic technologies;
- Networks Physical links; In-network processing; Wide area networks;

→ Photonic computing is a powerful technology to perform fast and energy-efficient computation in the analog domain. This paper argues for a paradigm shift wherein the network performs photonic computing while the data is on fiber. Our proposal leverages the fact that today's networks already convert digital data to photons using commodity transponders.



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Fiber optic computing using distributed feedback

Here, we introduce a fiber-optic computing architecture based on temporal multiplexing and distributed feedback that performs multiple convolutions on the input data in a single layer.

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