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Machine Learning and its applications in nuclear physics

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The Era of Big Data

- the era of Big Data—a term that refers to the explosion of available information
- massive amounts of very high-dimensional or unstructured data is continuously produced
- big data has been essentially changing and transforming the way we live, work, and think: *national development, industrial upgrades, scientific research, emerging interdisciplinary research, helping people better perceive the present , better predict the future*
- Examples: social media analysis, biomedical imaging, high-frequency finance, analysis of surveillance videos and retail sales, covid-19 analysis, US elections
- scientific advances are becoming more and more data-driven
- In big data research and applications, industry is ahead of academia.
- Infrastructure is developing very fast: computing, storage, communication of data

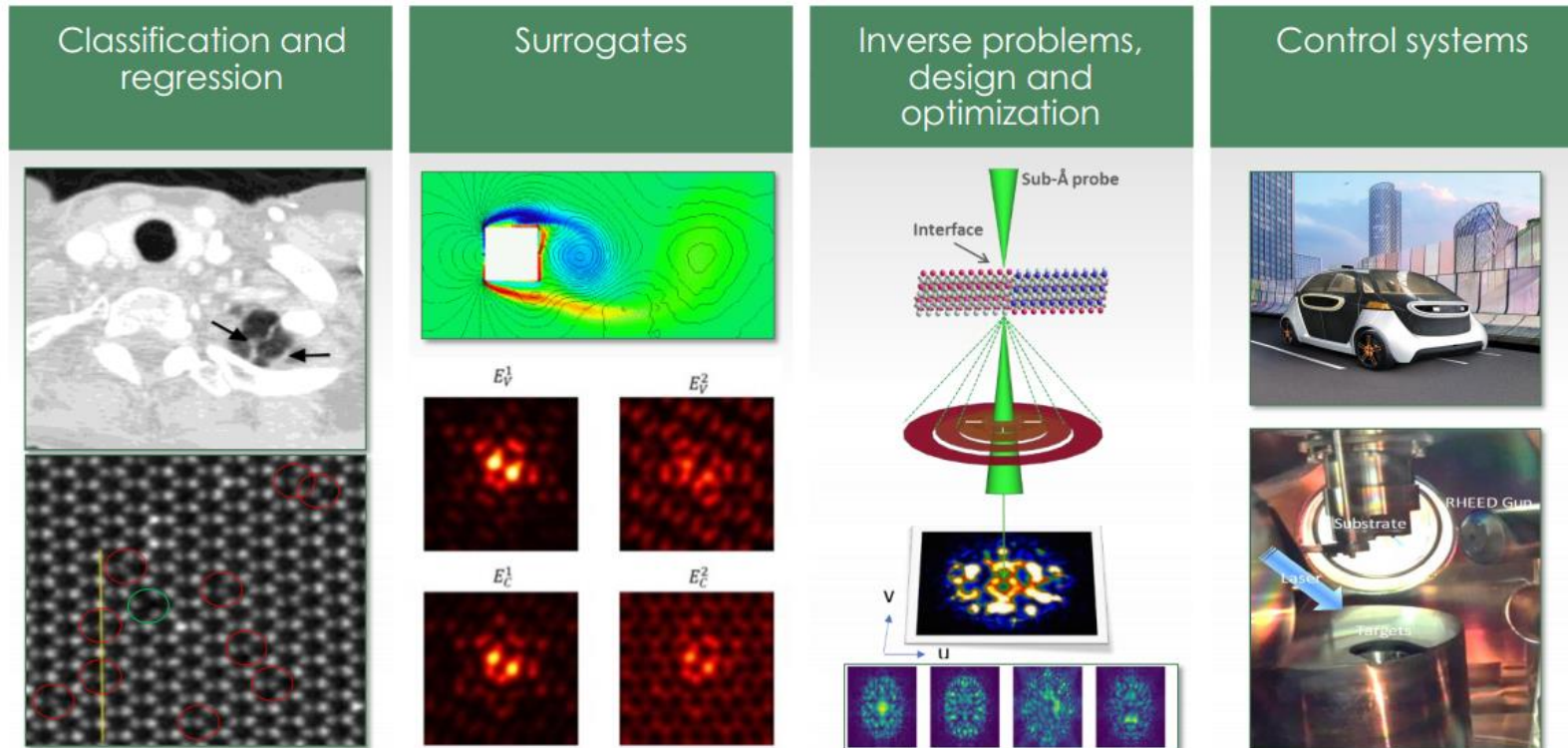


AI for science

- AI indeed is a game changer and will impact all aspects of our lives
AlphaGo as a milestone (2016) , Alphafold2 (2020)

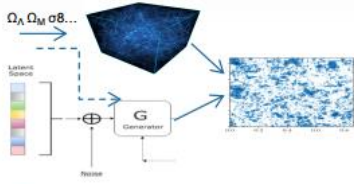
AI won't replace the scientist, but scientists who use AI will replace those who don't.

- Applications: from Big data to information



Surrogates

- ML-created models
- Faster and/or higher fidelity models
- Generative networks
- Using ML to replace complicated physics
- Cosmology



Control

- ML-controlled experiments
- Efficient exploration of complex space
- Reinforcement Learning
- Use RL agent to control light source experiments
- Temperature control for Block Co-Polymer (BCP) experiments

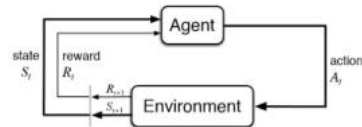
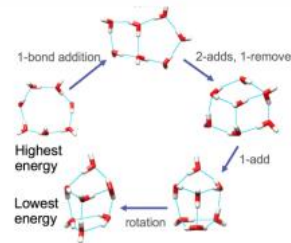


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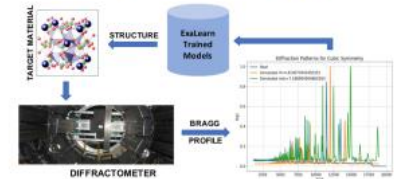
Design

- ML-created physical structures
- Optimized proposal for desired behavior of structure within complex design space
- Graph-Convnets
- Use Graph-CNN to propose new structures that respect chemistry
- Molecular Design



Inverse

- ML projection from observation to original form
- Back-out complex input structure from observed data
- Regression models
- Predicting crystal structure from light source imaging
- Material structure from neutron scattering

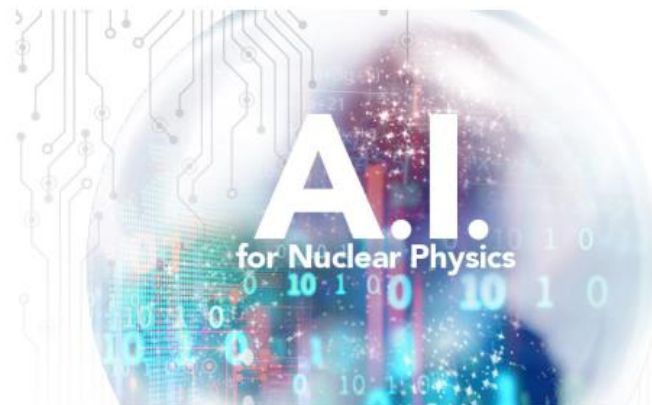
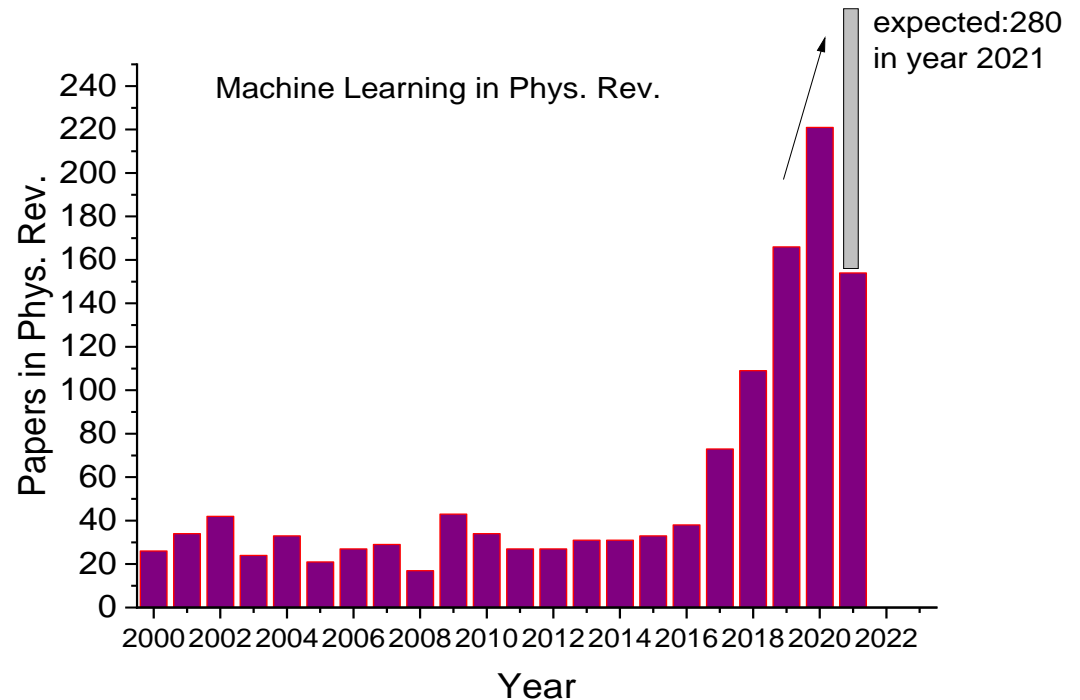




Machine Learning for Physics

Rapid developments in Physics:

ML papers in Phys. Rev.
Phys. Rev. Lett. (225)---2680
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AI for nuclear physics, arXiv:2006.05422, Jefferson Lab, March 4-6, 2020



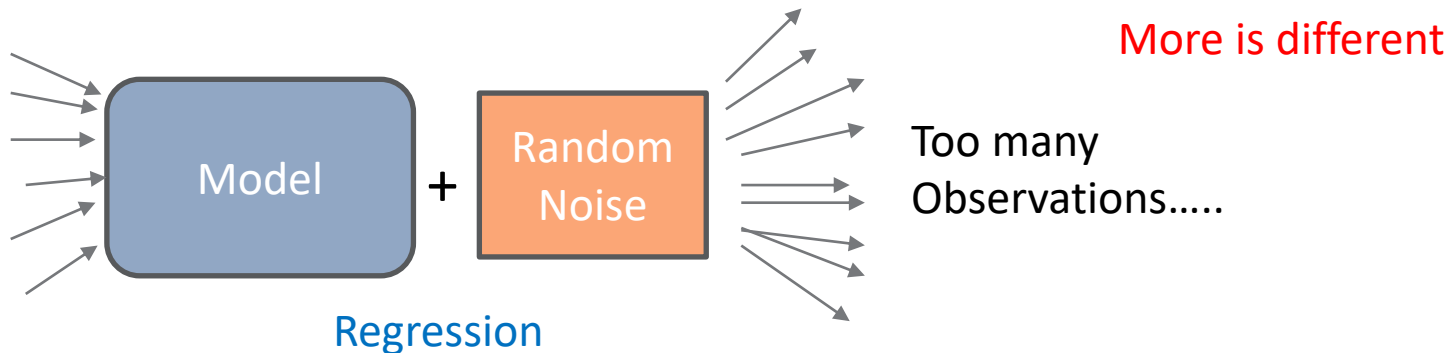
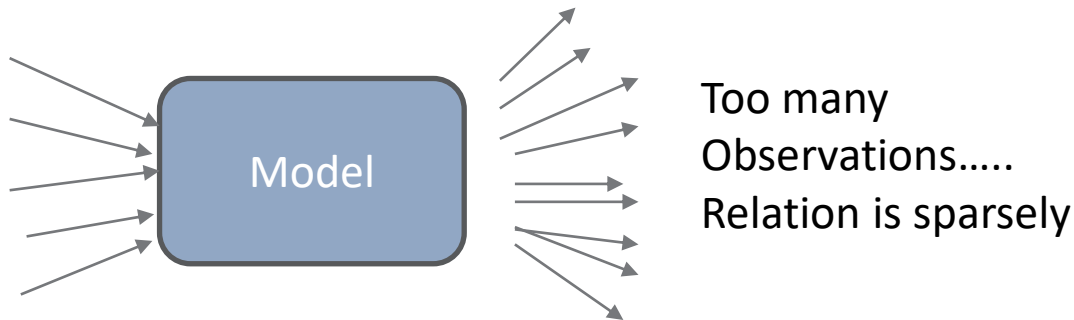
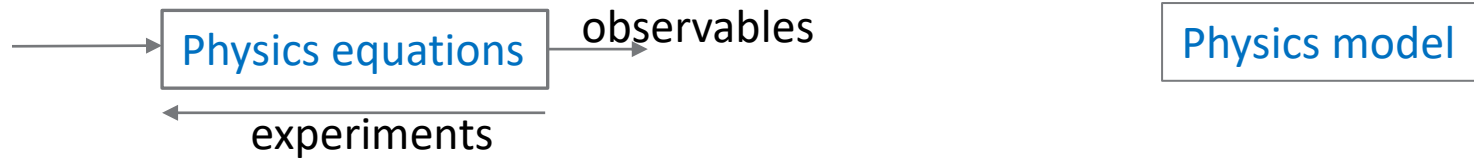
AI for nuclear physics

- **Accelerator design and operations**
 - **Holistic approach to experimentation**
 - **Experiment design**
 - **Improving simulation and analysis**
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- Sign problem in LQCD:
 - Extraction of physical observables:
 - Propagator inversion in LQCD:
 - Bayesian inference and global QCD analysis:
 - Identifying rare events:
 - Origin of elements:
 - Nuclear fission:
 - Quantified computations of heavy nuclei using realistic inter-nucleon forces:
 - Discovering correlations and emergent phenomena:
 - Development of a spectroscopic-quality nuclear energy density functional:
 - Neutron star and dense matter equation of state



Data science: regression

- 相同的目的: **prediction**



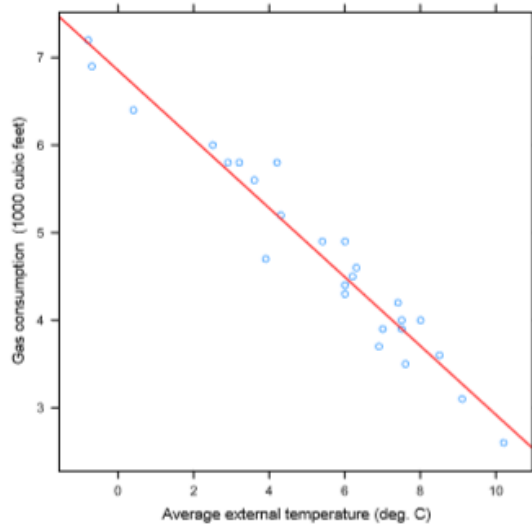
ill-Inverse, learn from data → **infer + Uncertainty quantification**

Future: hybrid physics + machine learning is expected



Linear regression

- Prediction is also referred to as regression.



$$\mathcal{D} = \{(x_1, y_1), (x_2, y_2), \dots, (x_n, y_n)\}$$

$$r(x) := E(Y | X = x) = \int y p(y|x) dx$$

$$Y = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x + \epsilon, \quad E(\epsilon|x) = 0, V(\epsilon|x) = \sigma^2$$

β_0 **intercept**

β_1 **slope**

σ^2 **variance**

$$\hat{\epsilon}_i := y_i - \hat{y}_i = y_i - (\hat{\beta}_0 + \hat{\beta}_1 x_i)$$

$$\sum_{i=1}^n \hat{\epsilon}_i^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \hat{y}_i)^2 = \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - (\hat{\beta}_0 + \hat{\beta}_1 x_i))^2$$

最小二乘法确定参数

$$\hat{\beta}_1 = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})(y_i - \bar{y})}{\sum_{i=1}^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2}$$

$$\hat{\beta}_0 = \bar{y} - \hat{\beta}_1 \bar{x}$$

$$\hat{\sigma}^2 = \frac{1}{n-2} \sum_{i=1}^n \epsilon_i^2$$

线性回归不仅仅是线性拟合，还有误差可信度分析，是机器学习中的一个重要概念



$$Y = \beta_0 + \beta_1 x + \epsilon, \quad E(\epsilon|x) = 0, V(\epsilon|x) = \sigma^2$$

$$\epsilon|x \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2) \quad \text{残差值分布-高斯形式}$$

$$Y \sim \mathcal{N}(\beta_0 + \beta_1 X, \sigma^2) \quad \text{预测值的分布}$$

θ 应是一切可能取值中使
 $P(D|\theta)$ 达到最大的那一个

$$L_{\mathcal{D}}(\theta) := \prod_{i=1}^n \hat{p}(x_i, y_i | \theta)$$

似然函数 $L_{\mathcal{D}}$

$p(X, Y | \theta)$ be a joint probability density
function for X and Y with parameters θ

maximum likelihood estimates (MLE): 最大似然法确定参数

$$\begin{aligned} L_{\mathcal{D}}(\hat{\beta}_0, \hat{\beta}_1, \hat{\sigma}^2) &:= \prod_{i=1}^n \hat{p}(x_i, y_i) = \prod_{i=1}^n \hat{p}(y_i | x_i) p(x_i) = \prod_{i=1}^n \hat{p}(y_i | x_i) \prod_{i=1}^n p(x_i) \\ &\prod_{i=1}^n \hat{p}(y_i | x_i) = \prod_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi\hat{\sigma}^2}} e^{-\frac{(y_i - \hat{y}_i)^2}{2\hat{\sigma}^2}} = \frac{1}{\sqrt{2\pi}^n \hat{\sigma}^n} e^{-\frac{1}{2\hat{\sigma}^2} \sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \hat{y}_i)^2} \end{aligned}$$

为正态分布时：最大似然法求一阶导数等同于最小二乘法



当有一系列变量时:

$$Y = \beta_0 + \sum_{i=1}^p \beta_i X_i + \epsilon$$
$$= \langle \beta, X \rangle + \epsilon$$

$$\beta := \begin{pmatrix} \beta_0 \\ \beta_1 \\ \vdots \\ \beta_p \end{pmatrix}, \quad X := \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ X_1 \\ \vdots \\ X_p \end{pmatrix}, \quad \begin{array}{l} \mathbf{x} \text{ 为长方矩阵} \\ \mathbf{N} \text{ 行 } (1+p) \text{ 列} \end{array}$$

$$\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X} \hat{\beta} = \mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{Y}. \quad \text{求解线性方程组} \rightarrow \beta$$

SVD也可以求解

$$\hat{\sigma}^2 = \frac{1}{n-p} \sum_{i=1}^n \hat{\epsilon}_i^2 = \frac{1}{n-p} \sum_{i=1}^n (y - \hat{y})^2 \quad \text{p个变量, n个数据的方差}$$

$$\hat{\beta} = (\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X})^{-1} \mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{Y}$$

$$\epsilon \sim \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma^2)$$

$$V(\hat{\beta}) = (X^T X)^{-1} \sigma^2$$

$$\hat{\beta} \sim \mathcal{N}(\beta, (X^T X)^{-1} \sigma^2)$$

Bayesian linear regression中参数也是分布项
多项式回归也可以依此类推,构建x矩阵



Gauss Process Regression

- Gauss process: 随机变量之间关系服从高斯分布，局域光滑 nonlinear regression, with error bars, “smoothing devices”

$$f(\mathbf{x}) \sim \mathcal{GP}(m(\mathbf{x}), k(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x}')).$$

$$m(\mathbf{x}) = \mathbb{E}[f(\mathbf{x})],$$

$$k(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x}') = \mathbb{E}[(f(\mathbf{x}) - m(\mathbf{x}))(f(\mathbf{x}') - m(\mathbf{x}'))],$$

$$p(f|\mathcal{D}) = \frac{p(f)p(\mathcal{D}|f)}{p(\mathcal{D})}$$

$$k(x, x') = \sigma_f^2 \exp\left[\frac{-(x - x')^2}{2l^2}\right], \quad \text{Kernel}$$

$$y = f(x) + \mathcal{N}(0, \sigma_n^2), \quad \text{不用明确} f(x) \text{的形式, very useful}$$

$$k(x, x') = \sigma_f^2 \exp\left[\frac{-(x - x')^2}{2l^2}\right] + \sigma_n^2 \delta(x, x'),$$

可以改进kernel函数

$$K = \begin{bmatrix} k(x_1, x_1) & k(x_1, x_2) & \cdots & k(x_1, x_n) \\ k(x_2, x_1) & k(x_2, x_2) & \cdots & k(x_2, x_n) \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ k(x_n, x_1) & k(x_n, x_2) & \cdots & k(x_n, x_n) \end{bmatrix}$$

协方差矩阵

$$K_* = [k(x_*, x_1) \quad k(x_*, x_2) \quad \cdots \quad k(x_*, x_n)] \quad K_{**} = k(x_*, x_*).$$



● 预测点 (\mathbf{x}_*, y_*)

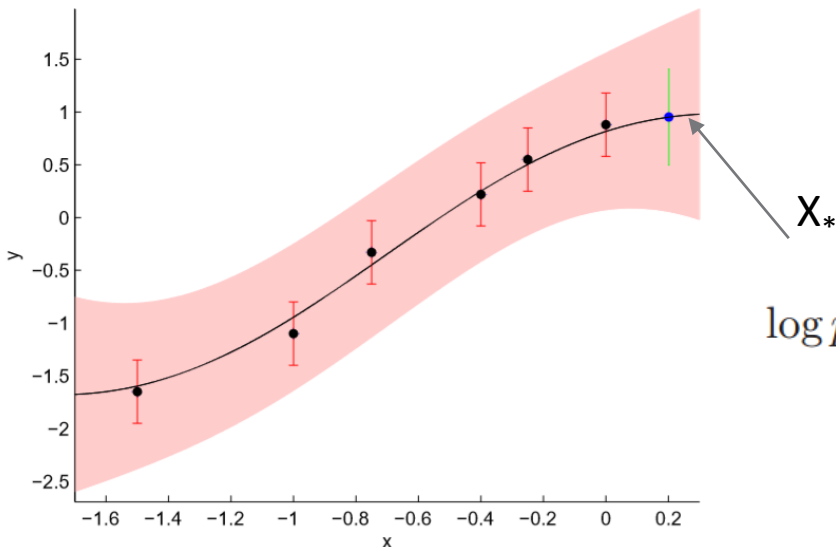
any finite subset of the range follows a multivariate Gaussian distribution

$$\begin{bmatrix} \mathbf{y} \\ y_* \end{bmatrix} \sim \mathcal{N}\left(\mathbf{0}, \begin{bmatrix} K & K_*^T \\ K_* & K_{**} \end{bmatrix}\right), \quad \text{y 的分布一致性}$$

预测点 \mathbf{x}_*

$$y_* | \mathbf{y} \sim \mathcal{N}(K_* K^{-1} \mathbf{y}, K_{**} - K_* K^{-1} K_*^T).$$

$$\bar{y}_* = K_* K^{-1} \mathbf{y}, \quad \text{var}(y_*) = K_{**} - K_* K^{-1} K_*^T.$$



maximum a posteriori $\log p(\mathbf{y} | \mathbf{x}, \boldsymbol{\theta})$

得到高斯参数 $\sigma_f l$

hyperparameters

$$\log p(\mathbf{y} | \mathbf{x}, \boldsymbol{\theta}) = -\frac{1}{2} \mathbf{y}^T K^{-1} \mathbf{y} - \frac{1}{2} \log |K| - \frac{n}{2} \log 2\pi.$$

$$\boldsymbol{\theta} = \{l, \sigma_f, \sigma_n\}$$

$$\rightarrow l = 1 \text{ and } \sigma_f = 1.27 \quad \sigma_n = 0.3$$



• 例:

$$\mathbf{x} = [-1.50 \quad -1.00 \quad -0.75 \quad -0.40 \quad -0.25 \quad 0.00]. \quad \text{预测点 } \mathbf{x}^* = 0.2$$

$$K = \begin{bmatrix} 1.70 & 1.42 & 1.21 & 0.87 & 0.72 & 0.51 \\ 1.42 & 1.70 & 1.56 & 1.34 & 1.21 & 0.97 \\ 1.21 & 1.56 & 1.70 & 1.51 & 1.42 & 1.21 \\ 0.87 & 1.34 & 1.51 & 1.70 & 1.59 & 1.48 \\ 0.72 & 1.21 & 1.42 & 1.59 & 1.70 & 1.56 \\ 0.51 & 0.97 & 1.21 & 1.48 & 1.56 & 1.70 \end{bmatrix}$$

对角项为 $\sigma_f^2 + \sigma_n^2$
 $\sigma_n = 0.3$

$$K_* = [0.31 \quad 0.68 \quad 0.92 \quad 1.25 \quad 1.38 \quad 1.54]. \quad K_{**} = 1.70$$

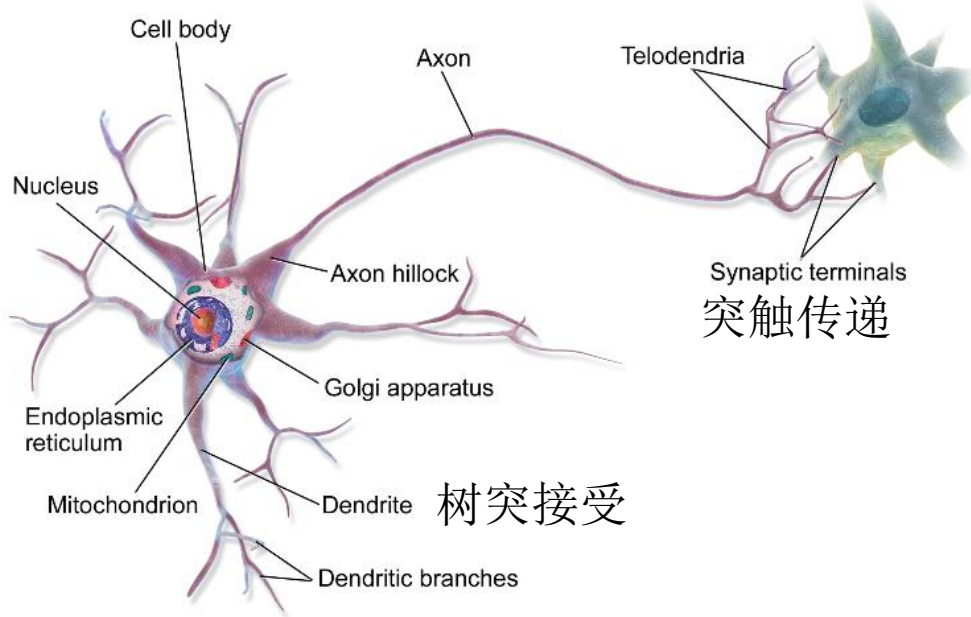
$$\bar{y}_* = 0.95 \quad \bar{y}_* = K_* K^{-1} \mathbf{y},$$

$$\text{var}(y_*) = 0.21. \quad \text{var}(y_*) = K_{**} - K_* K^{-1} K_*^T.$$



生物神经元

轴突长距离传输信息



感知、记忆和思考

处理化学信号

细胞本体 (soma)

树突 (dendrites)

轴突丘 (hillock)

轴突 (axon)

突触 (synapse)

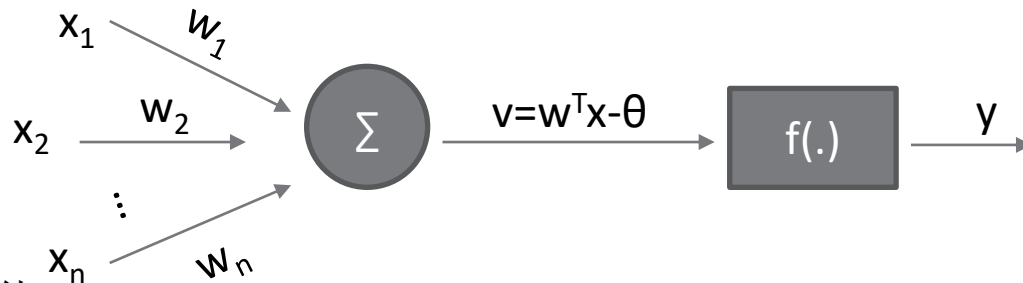
- our brain contains about 86 billion neurons and more than a 100 trillion (or according to some estimates 1000 trillion) synapses (connections).
- In biological networks, neurons can fire asynchronously in parallel, have small-world nature with a small portion of highly connected neurons (hubs) and a large amount of lesser connected ones (the degree distribution at least partly follows the power-law).



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- certain biological neurons can fire around 200 times a second on average. Signals travel at different speeds depending on the type of the nerve impulse, ranging from 0.61 m/s up to 119 m/s.
 - biological neuron networks due to their topology are also fault-tolerant. Information is stored redundantly so minor failures will not result in memory loss.
 - the brain consumes about 20% of all the human body's energy — despite it's large cut, an adult brain operates on about 20 watts (barely enough to dimly light a bulb) being extremely efficient. vs. 250w of GPU
 - accepting binary inputs, applying weights to them and generating binary outputs depending on whether the sum of these weighted inputs have reached a certain threshold (also called a step function)
 - Brain fibers grow and reach out to connect to other neurons, neuroplasticity allows new connections to be created or areas to move and change function



人工神经元



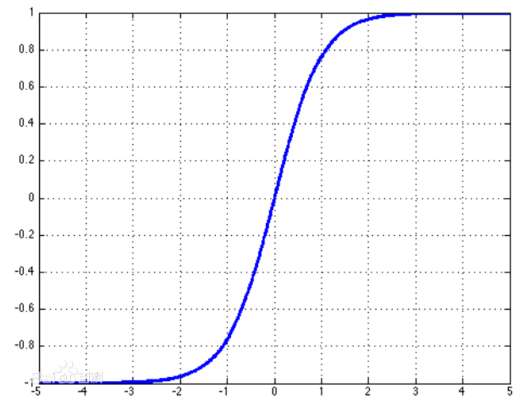
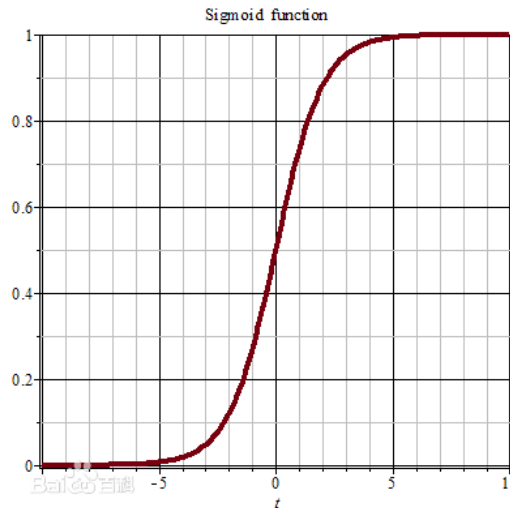
- 连接权值 w
- 求和单元 Σ , θ 为阈值
- 激活函数 f

一般为非线性映射，可以求导

Sigmoid 函数 $S(x) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-x}}$

Sigmoid函数收敛缓慢
Tanh函数实际效果可能会更好

$$\tanh x = \frac{\sinh x}{\cosh x} = \frac{e^x - e^{-x}}{e^x + e^{-x}}$$





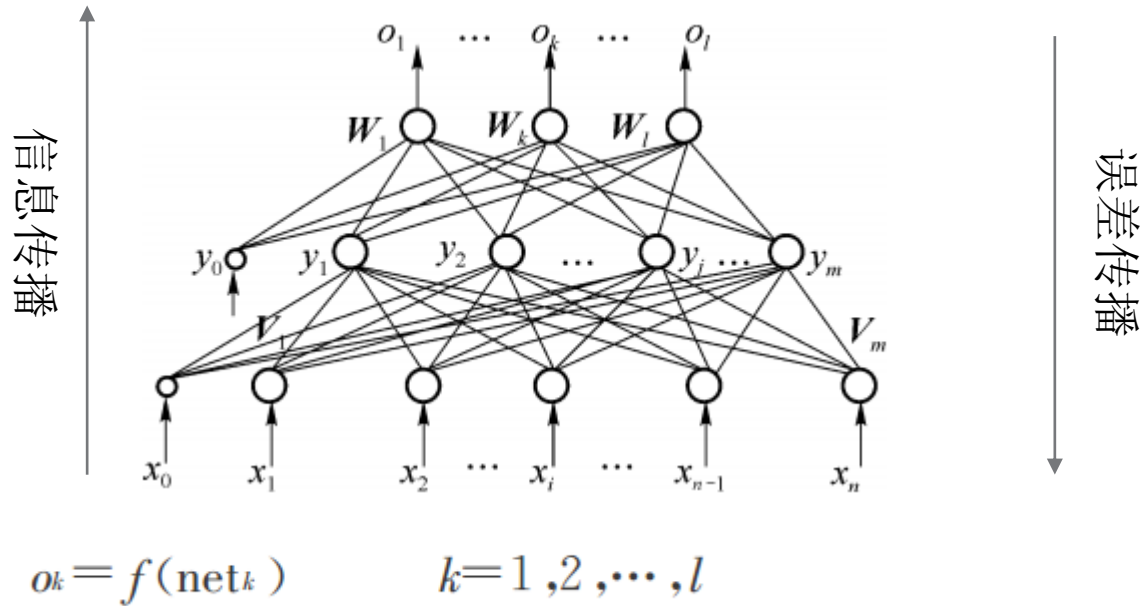
Machine Learning 机器学习

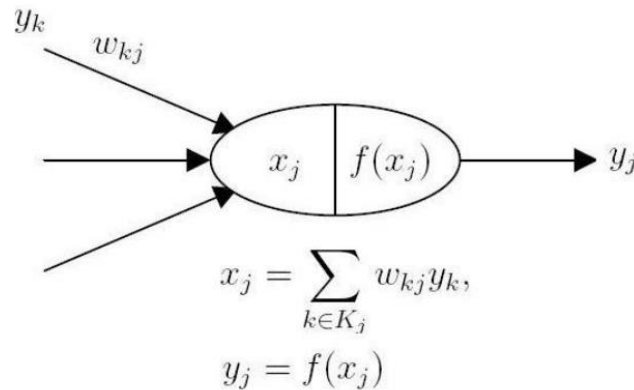
- 监督学习：主要分为regression 和 classification（人脸识别，语音识别等等），前者输出的是连续变量，后者是离散变量
- 非监督学习：对数据不标注，寻找隐藏的结构和特征
generative adversarial network 生成模型和判别模型的互相博弈学习（无监督）
- 强化学习：非监督学习，结果反馈
- 迁移学习Transfer Learning：训练的模型被重新应用
- 机器学习已广泛应用于数据挖掘、计算机视觉、自然语言处理、生物特征识别、搜索引擎、医学诊断、检测信用卡欺诈、证券市场分析、DNA序列测序、语音和手写识别、战略游戏和机器人等领域。
- 学习过程：过输出与期望值比较，调整权重因子
非线性优化问题，有众多参数
梯度下降法，quasi-Newton-BFGS，模拟退火法，随机学习方法



BP-backward propagation of errors

- 误差反传学习算法--BP神经网络





$$E := \frac{1}{2} \sum_{j=1}^J (t_j - y_j)^2. \quad \text{学习求极小值} \quad \text{cost function}$$

$$\Delta w_{kj} = -\alpha \frac{\partial E}{\partial w_{kj}}. \quad \text{梯度下降法求导数}$$

$$\frac{\partial E}{\partial w_{kj}} = \frac{\partial E}{\partial y_j} \frac{\partial y_j}{\partial x_j} \frac{\partial x_j}{\partial w_{kj}},$$

$$\text{误差 } \delta_j := -\frac{\partial E}{\partial y_j} \frac{\partial y_j}{\partial x_j}. \quad \frac{\partial x_j}{\partial w_{kj}} = y_k.$$

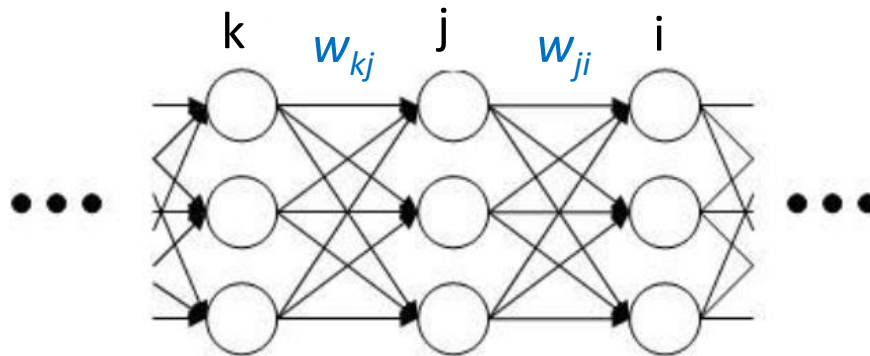


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$$\frac{\partial y_j}{\partial x_j} = y_j(1 - y_j). \quad f(z) = \frac{1}{1 + e^{-\gamma z}}; \quad \text{sigmoid function}$$

$$\frac{\partial E}{\partial y_j} = -(t_j - y_j). \quad j \text{ 为 output 时}$$

→ $\frac{\partial E}{\partial w_{kj}} = -(t_j - y_j)y_j(1 - y_j)y_k. \quad \text{单层 output 网络梯度}$



$$\frac{\partial E}{\partial y_j} = \sum_{i \in I_j} \frac{\partial E}{\partial y_i} \frac{\partial y_i}{\partial x_i} \frac{\partial x_i}{\partial y_j}. \quad \text{对于多层网络}$$

j is a hidden layer, $\partial E / \partial y_j$ is not so simple

前两项为上一层的误差 δ_i .



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$$\frac{\partial x_i}{\partial y_j} = w_{ji} \qquad \frac{\partial E}{\partial y_j} = - \sum_{i \in I_j} \delta_i w_{ji},$$

$$\longrightarrow \frac{\partial E}{\partial w_{kj}} = - \sum_{i \in I_j} (\delta_i w_{ji}) y_j (1 - y_j) y_k. \qquad \frac{\partial E}{\partial w_{kj}} = -\delta_j y_k.$$

error term

$$\left\{ \begin{array}{l} \delta_j := (t_j - y_j) y_j (1 - y_j); \quad \text{output layer,} \\ \delta_j := \left(\sum_{i \in I_j} \delta_i w_{ji} \right) y_j (1 - y_j). \quad \text{a hidden layer [先计算后一层的误差]} \\ \qquad \qquad \qquad \qquad \qquad \qquad \qquad \qquad \qquad \text{误差反向传播} \end{array} \right.$$

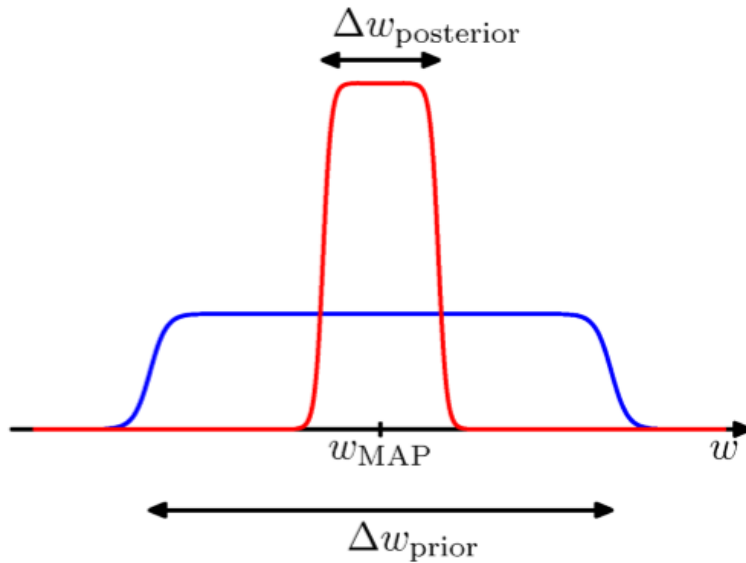
$$\Delta w_{kj}(n) = \alpha \delta_j y_k + \eta \Delta w_{kj}(n-1) \qquad \alpha \text{ is the learning rate, a real value on the interval } (0,1]; \eta \text{ is the momentum}$$

$$w_{ij} \leftarrow w_{ij} + \Delta w_{ij} \qquad \text{Update 权重系数, 直到收敛完成学习}$$

误差反向传播学习法可以应用于多种不同的神经网络，比如Bayesian BP, CNN. 标准的BP神经网络存在局部收敛，收敛慢，过度拟合等问题，有许多改进



Occam's Razor



$$\text{posterior} = \frac{\text{likelihood} * \text{prior}}{\text{evidence}}$$

marginal likelihood

$$p(\mathcal{D}) = \int p(\mathcal{D}|w)p(w) dw$$

$$\simeq p(\mathcal{D}|w_{\text{MAP}}) \frac{\Delta w_{\text{posterior}}}{\Delta w_{\text{prior}}}$$

最优参数附近

Evidence: the probability that randomly selected parameters from the prior would generate \mathcal{D}

$$\ln p(\mathcal{D}) \simeq \ln p(\mathcal{D}|w_{\text{MAP}}) + \underbrace{\ln \left(\frac{\Delta w_{\text{posterior}}}{\Delta w_{\text{prior}}} \right)}_{\text{Negative}}$$

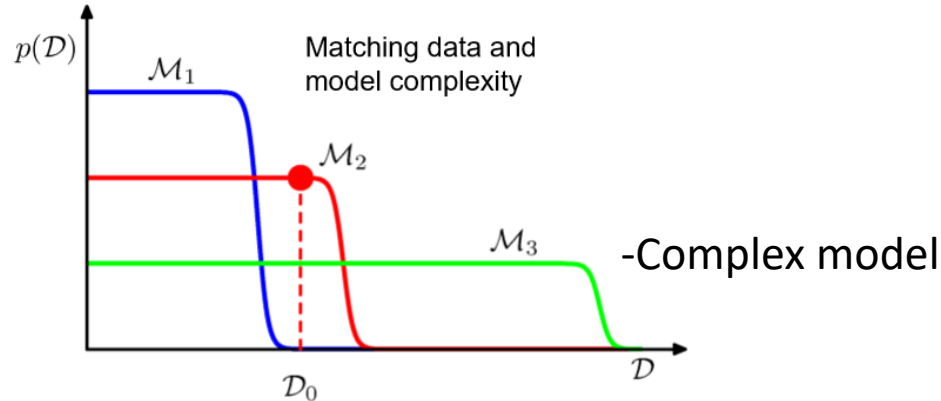
如果有 M 个参数

$$\ln p(\mathcal{D}) \simeq \ln p(\mathcal{D}|\mathbf{w}_{\text{MAP}}) + \underbrace{M \ln \left(\frac{\Delta w_{\text{posterior}}}{\Delta w_{\text{prior}}} \right)}_{\text{Negative and linear in } M}$$

模型的竞争-balance: the first term will increase, whereas the second term will decrease with increasing M .



Occam's Razor



For the particular observed dataset \mathcal{D}_0 , the model \mathcal{M}_2 with intermediate complexity has the largest *evidence*.

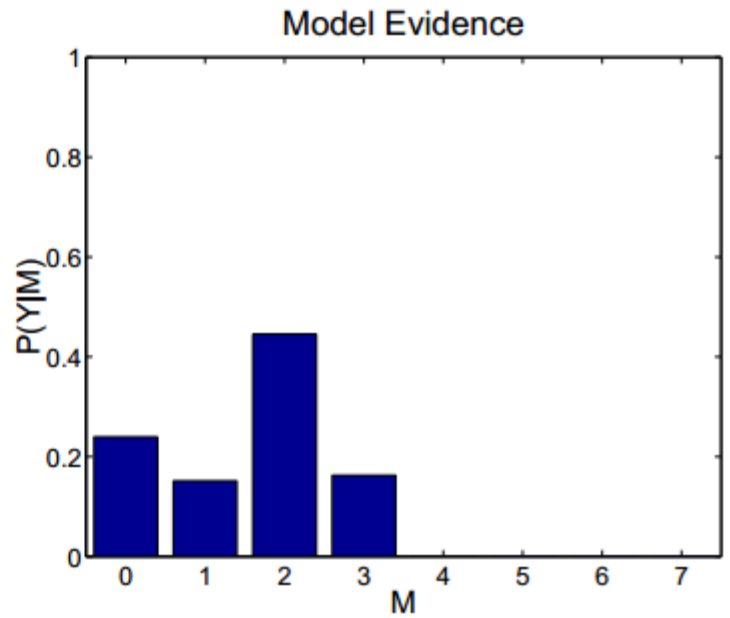
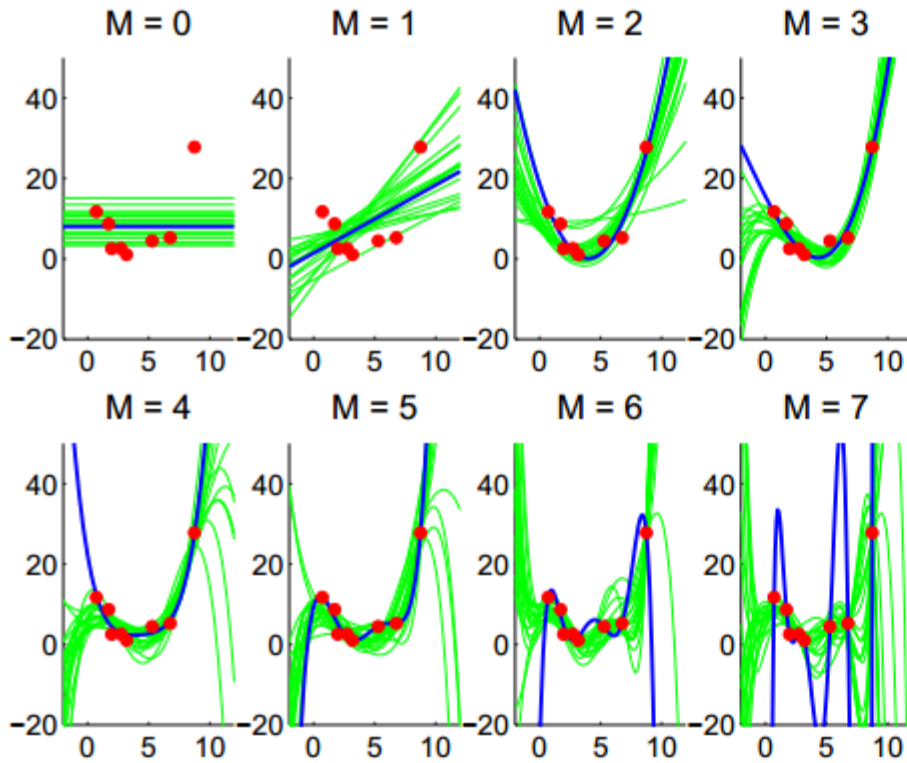
The simple model \mathcal{M}_1 cannot fit the data well, whereas the more complex model \mathcal{M}_3 spreads its predictive probability and so assigns relatively small probability to any one of them.

Be careful the choice of prior.

marginal Likelihood来看两个模型都能描述好，越简单的模型越好



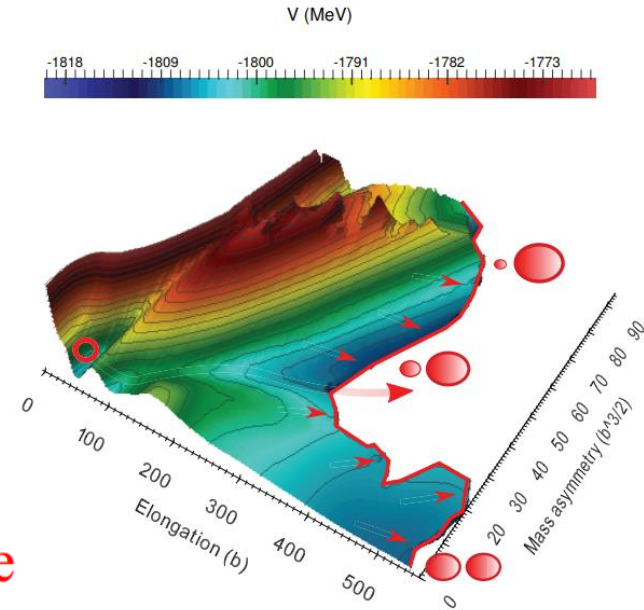
模型比较:





Bayesian evaluation of incomplete fission yields

- ❑ Fission data are key ingredients in many nuclear applications, need accurate and complete energy-dependent fission yields
- ❑ Fission is very complex:
 - Dynamics on Multi-dimensional PES;
 - Energy dependent fission;
 - Post-neutron fission fragments;
- ❑ **Problem:** Evaluations in major nuclear data libraries (ENDF, JENDL, JEFF, CENDL), energies only available at thermal, 0.5, 14 MeV
Limited neutron resources: 14 MeV $^3\text{H}(d,n)^4\text{He}$



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Bayesian Evaluation of Incomplete Fission Yields

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Evaluation methods of fission yields

- Measurements are difficult, incomplete, mostly thermal U235 and Pu239, evaluations are always needed
- Multiple Gaussian approach (5 Gaussians, 7 parameters, 1960's)

$$Y(A) = \frac{N_1}{\sigma_1 \sqrt{2\pi}} \left[e^{-\frac{(A-\bar{A}-D_1)^2}{2\sigma_1^2}} + e^{-\frac{(A-\bar{A}+D_1)^2}{2\sigma_1^2}} \right] \\ + \frac{N_2}{\sigma_2 \sqrt{2\pi}} \left[e^{-\frac{(A-\bar{A}-D_2)^2}{2\sigma_2^2}} + e^{-\frac{(A-\bar{A}+D_2)^2}{2\sigma_2^2}} \right] \\ + \frac{N_3}{\sigma_3 \sqrt{2\pi}} e^{-\frac{(A-\bar{A})^2}{2\sigma_3^2}}$$

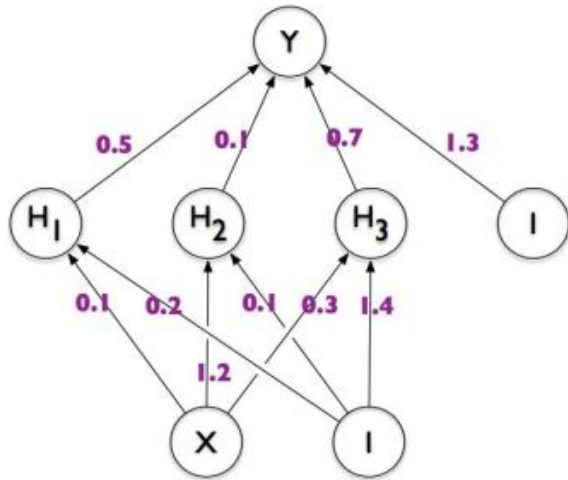
- Brosa model with random neck rupture(liquid-drop model+shell) ([Phys.Rep., 1990](#))
- GEF model (~50 parameters, including physics inputs: barriers, level densities, fragment shells.....) ([Rep.Prog.Phys., 2018](#))
- Machine learning for next-generation evaluations

Key issues: energy dependence, uncertainty propagation



Bayesian Neural Network

Standard Neural Network

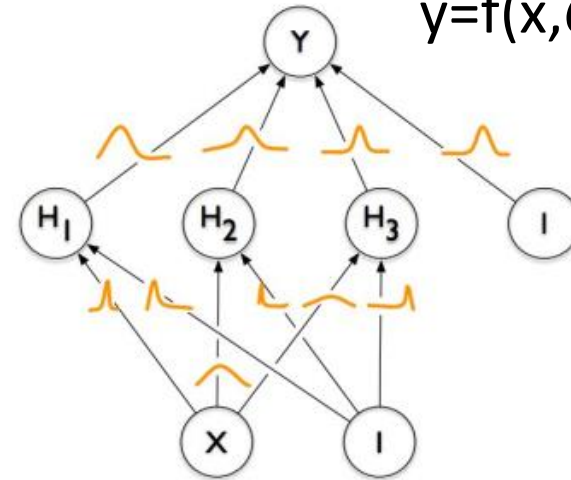


Learning: minimize the cost
By adjust the connection weights

Bayesian Neural Network

$$y = f(x, \omega) + \sigma \epsilon$$

Hidden layer



$$p(\omega|D) = \frac{p(D|\omega)p(\omega)}{p(D)} \propto p(D|\omega)p(\omega),$$

Connection weights are distribution function

Learning: maximize likelihood $P(\mathcal{D} | \mathbf{w})$

parameter uncertainty

structure uncertainty

Computing is very costly



Bayesian statistics

统计学意义

$$P(h|D) = P(D|h) P(h) / P(D)$$

posterior = likelihood x prior / evidence

- $P(D)$: prior probability of the data D , *evidence*, independent of hypothesis
- $P(h)$: prior probability of the hypothesis h before we know the data, *prior*, reflect some background knowledge
- $P(h|D)$: posterior probability of the hypothesis given the data D , *posterior*,
- $P(D|h)$: probability of observing data D given the hypothesis h , *likelihood*

- By observing the data D we can convert the prior probability $P(h)$ to the a posteriori probability (posterior) $P(h|D)$; Given data D , update $P(h)$ by $P(h|D)$.
- The posterior is probability that h holds after data D has been observed. reflects the influence of D on our confidence. Probability measures degree of belief. Inference is conditional on the observed data
- The evidence $P(D)$ can be viewed merely as a scale factor that guarantees that the posterior probabilities sum to one



- 模型, 参数评估优化 (模型, 参数, 数据三者关系)

$$P(\text{parameters} | \text{data}) = \frac{P(\text{parameters}) P(\text{data} | \text{parameters})}{P(\text{data})}$$

$$P(\theta | \mathcal{D}, m) = \frac{P(\mathcal{D} | \theta, m) P(\theta | m)}{P(\mathcal{D} | m)}$$

$P(\mathcal{D} | \theta, m)$ likelihood of parameters θ in model m
 $P(\theta | m)$ prior probability of θ
 $P(\theta | \mathcal{D}, m)$ posterior of θ given data \mathcal{D}
posterior distribution for the model parameters
given the observed data

Prediction:

$$P(x | \mathcal{D}, m) = \int P(x | \theta, \mathcal{D}, m) P(\theta | \mathcal{D}, m) d\theta$$

新数据

Model Comparison:

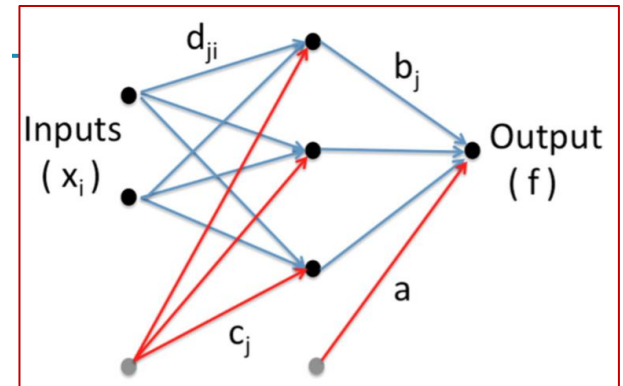
$$P(m | \mathcal{D}) = \frac{P(\mathcal{D} | m) P(m)}{P(\mathcal{D})}$$

$$P(\mathcal{D} | m) = \int P(\mathcal{D} | \theta, m) P(\theta | m) d\theta$$



Net function:

$$f(x, \omega) = a + \sum_{j=1}^H b_j \tanh(c_j + \sum_{i=1}^l d_{ij} x_i)$$



Likelihood:

$$p(D|\omega) = \exp(-\chi^2/2), \quad \chi^2 = (t_i - f(x_i, \omega))^2 / \Delta t_i^2$$

Posterior:

$$p(\omega|D) = \frac{p(D|\omega)p(\omega)}{\int p(D|\omega)p(\omega)d\omega}$$

Input: $Z, N, A_{\text{fragment}}, E^*$
Output: Yields

Average infer:

$$\langle f(x_n, \omega) \rangle = \int f(x_n, \omega) p(\omega|D) d\omega$$

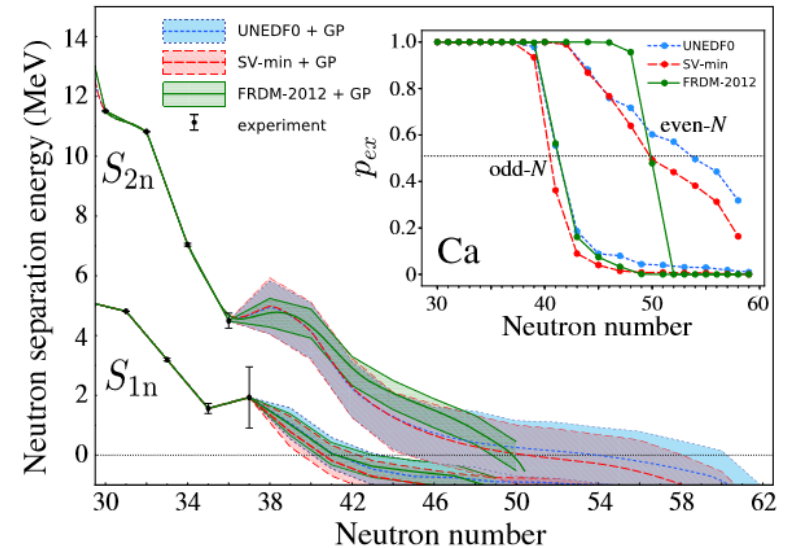
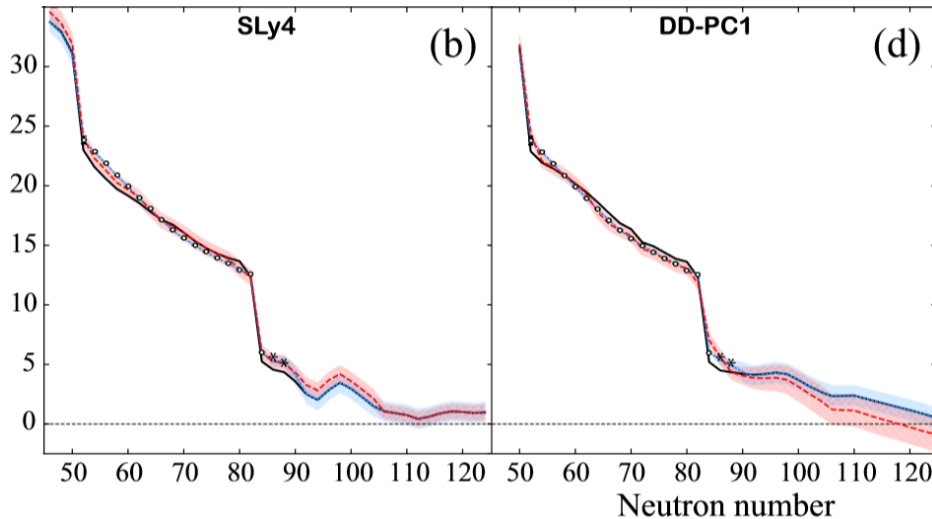
Markov-chain Monte Carlo integral

$$p(\omega|D, D_n) = \frac{p(D_n|\omega)p(\omega|D)}{\int p(D_n|\omega)p(\omega|D)d\omega}$$

Evaluation: infer after take into account new data



Bayesian NN applications in nuclear physics



GP regression (only 3 parameters) is excellent compared to BNN, BNN could be unstable due to many parameters

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$$w_k := p(\mathcal{M}_k | ^{52}\text{Cl}, ^{53}\text{Ar}, ^{49}\text{S exist})$$

^{68}Ca has an average posterior probability $\approx 76\%$ to be bound to 2n emission

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- High energy heavy-ion collisions, nuclear reactions and studies of EoS...



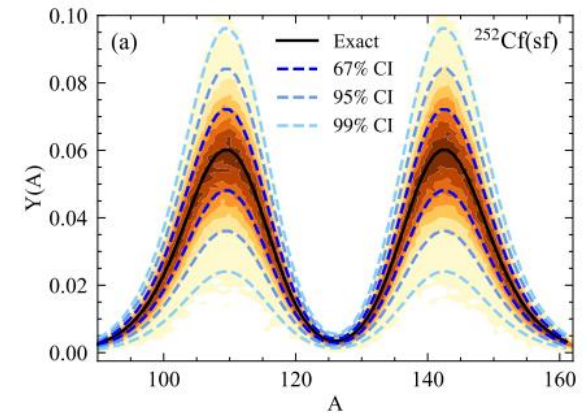
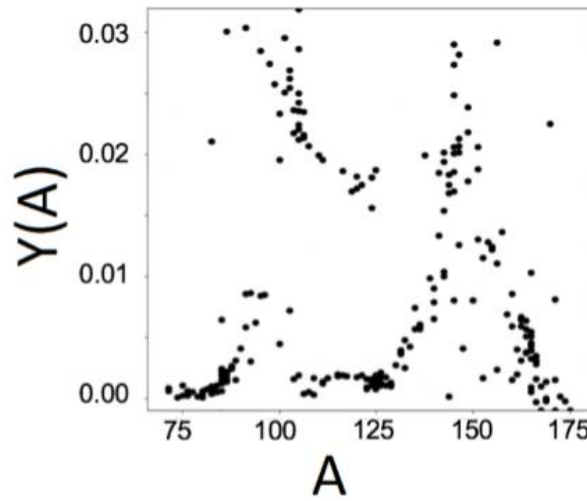
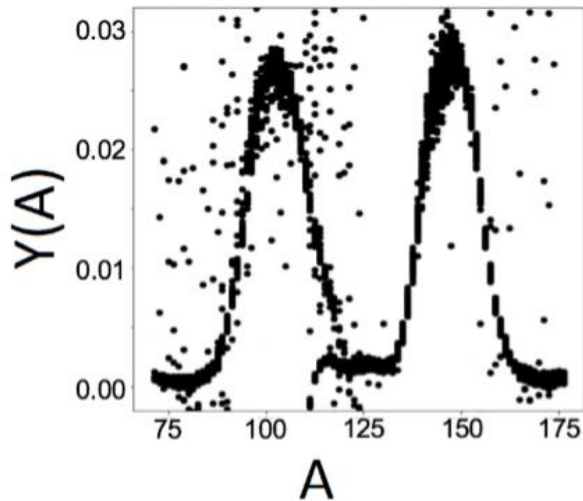
Other neural networks for fission yields

- A hot topic in nuclear data conference

the Mixture Density Network (MDN)

$$f(x) = \alpha_1 \mathcal{N}(\mu_1, \sigma_1) + \dots + \alpha_n \mathcal{N}(\mu_n, \sigma_n).$$

a mixture of Gaussians,



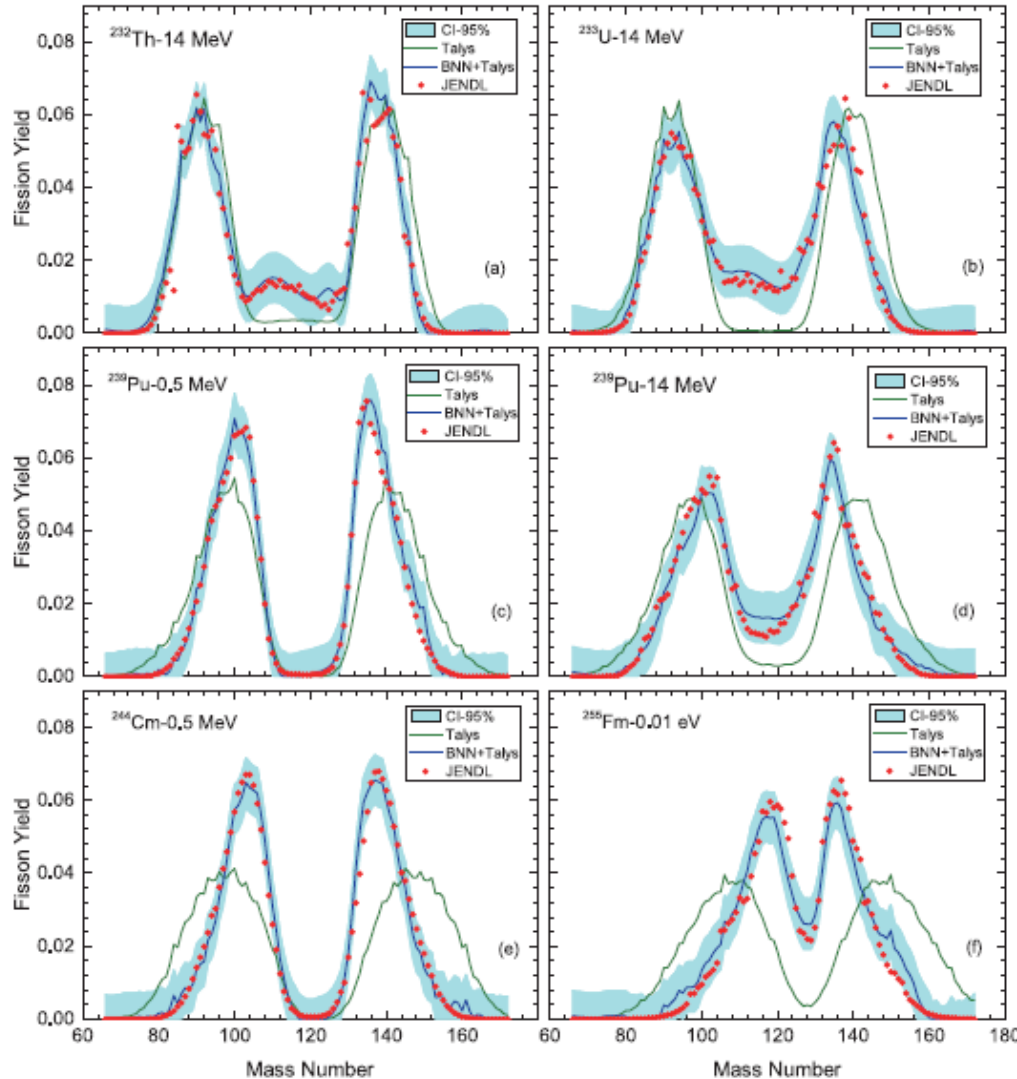
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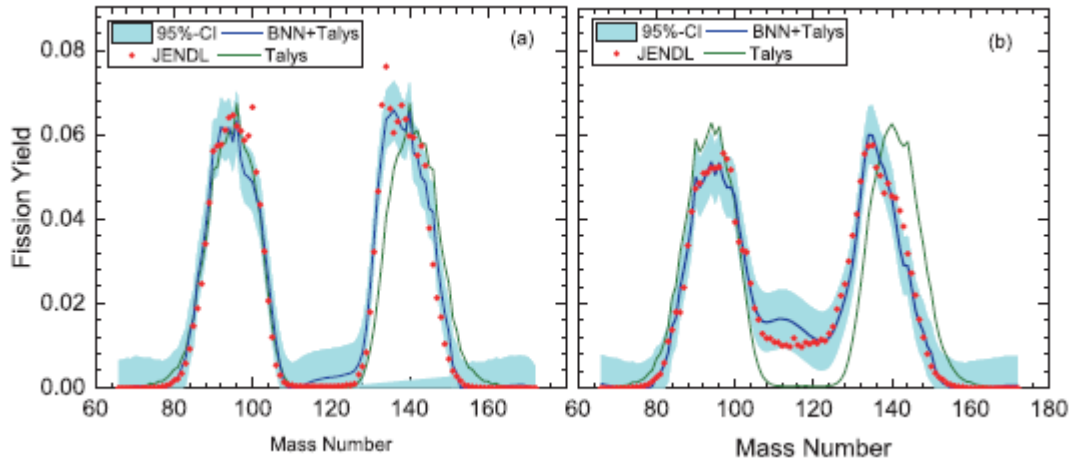


Learning of fission yields of 30 nuclei using BNN+Talys to learn residuals

Previously BNN+HFB for nuclear mass residual predictions



Validation of BNN



Validation of $n+^{235}\text{U}$

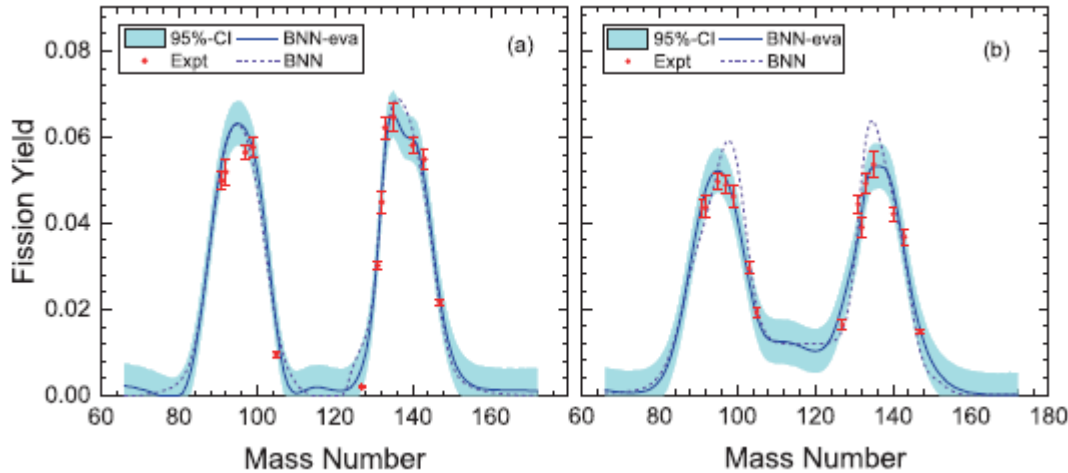
Normalization close to ~ 2.0 within 2%

Models with different network configurations

Models	learning χ_N^2	validation χ_N^2
BNN-32	1.574	1.317
BNN-40	1.616	1.640
BNN-32-resample	1.314	1.179
BNN-32+Talys	1.902	1.302
BNN-40+Talys	1.139	1.134
BNN-32-resample+Talys	1.547	1.419
Talys(pre-n)	17.56	8.964
Talys	16.79	8.334



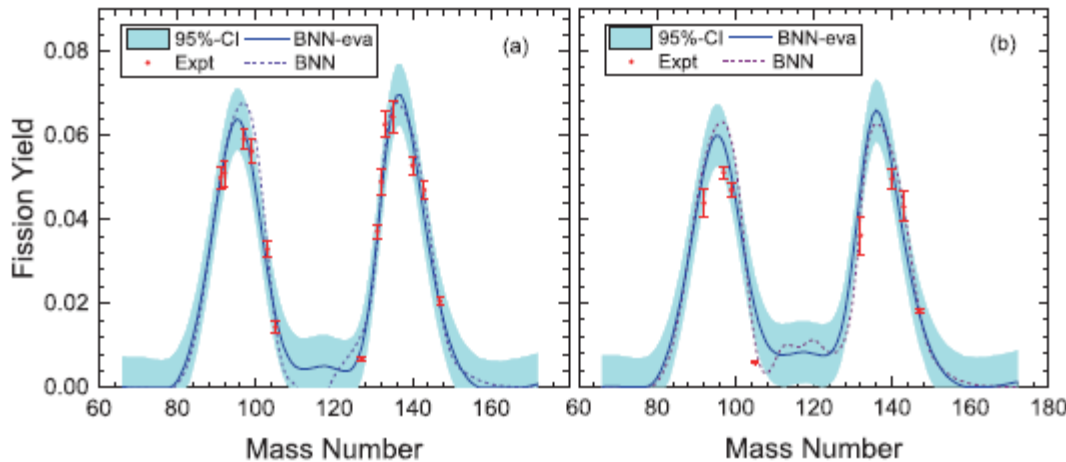
Key motivation: evaluation of incomplete FPY



Evaluation at 1.37 and 14.8 MeV

$$p(\theta|D, D_n) = \frac{p(D_n|\theta)p(\theta|D)}{\int p(D_n|\theta)p(\theta|D)d\theta}$$

M.E. Gooden, et al., Nucl. Data Sheets 131, 319(2016)

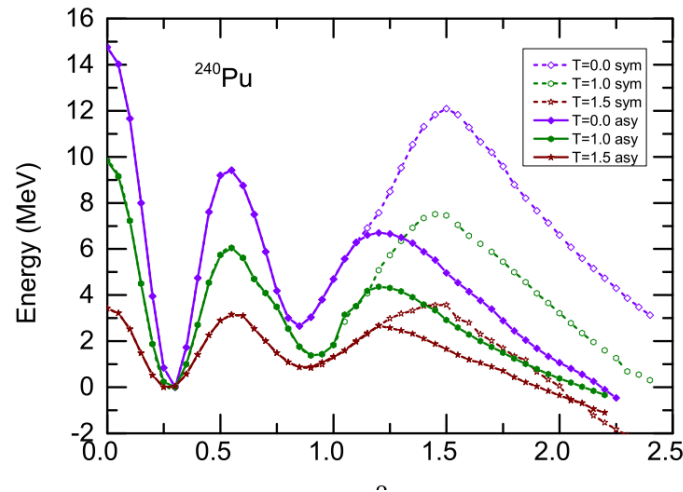


Evaluation at 4.49 and 8.9 MeV

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Energy dependence of fission yields

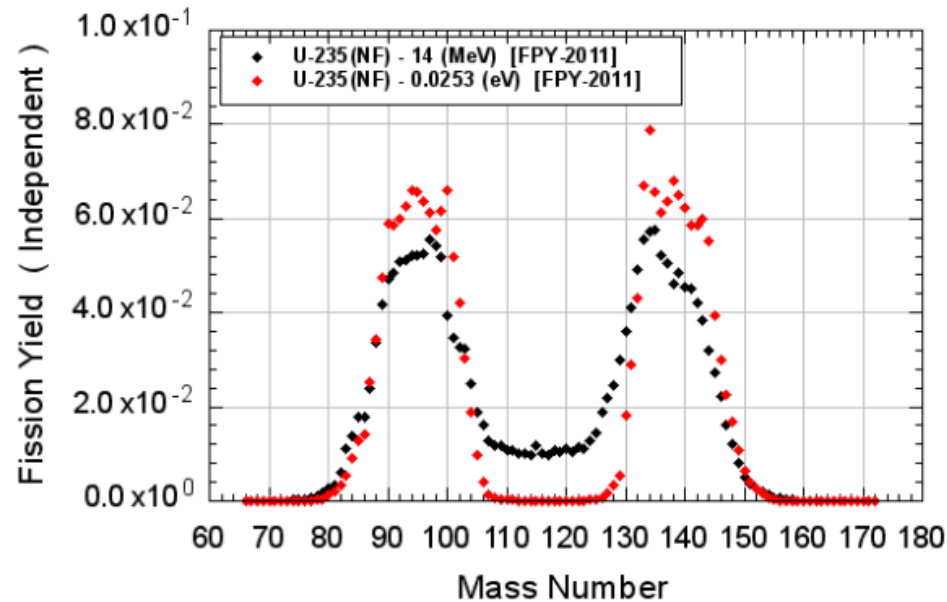


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Quantum effects fades away

$$B_f = B_{LD} - \delta W e^{-\gamma_D E^*}$$

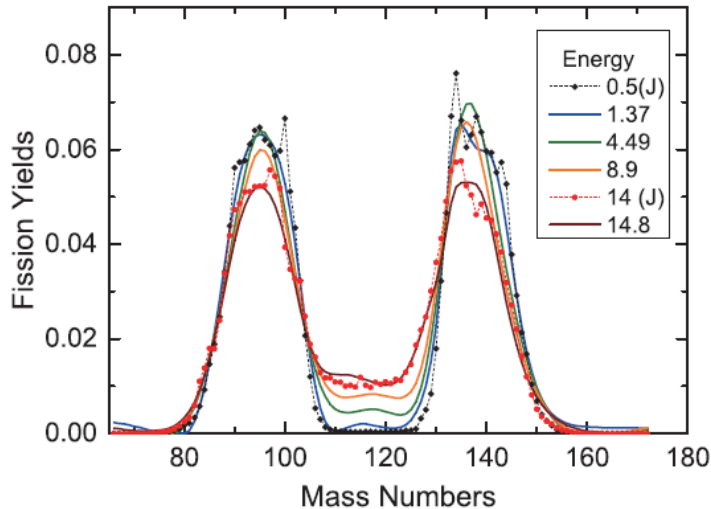
U-235 Neutron-induced Fission Yields



Symmetric fission becomes dominated



- **Energy dependence can be captured by BNN**

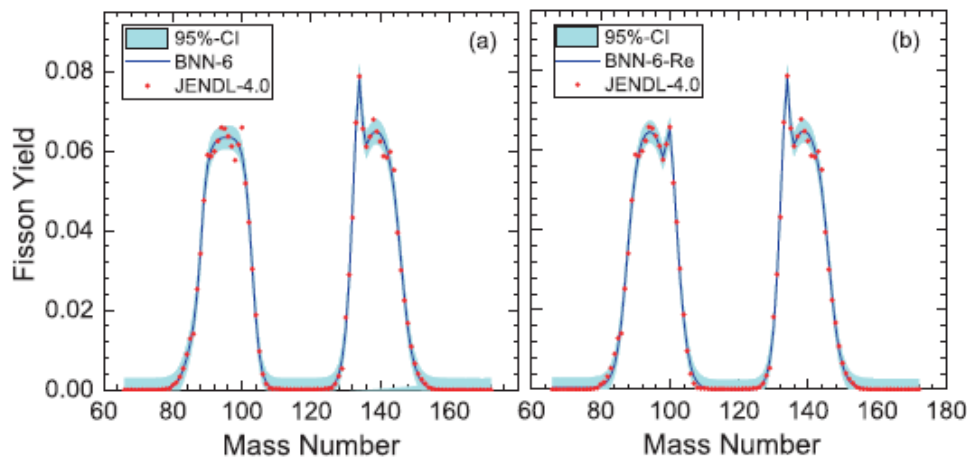


Symmetric fission will increase as excitation energy increase, as shell effects fades in compound nuclei

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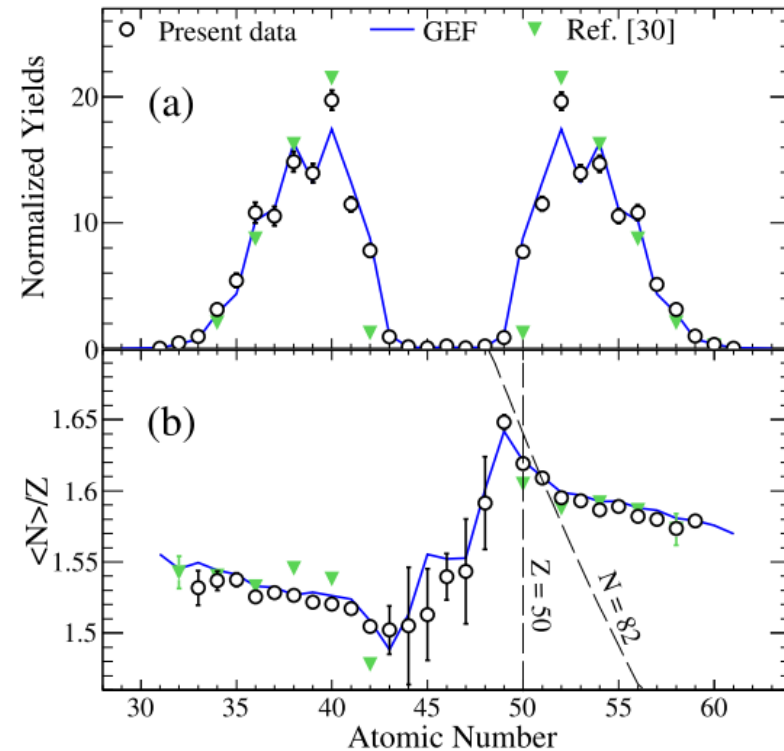
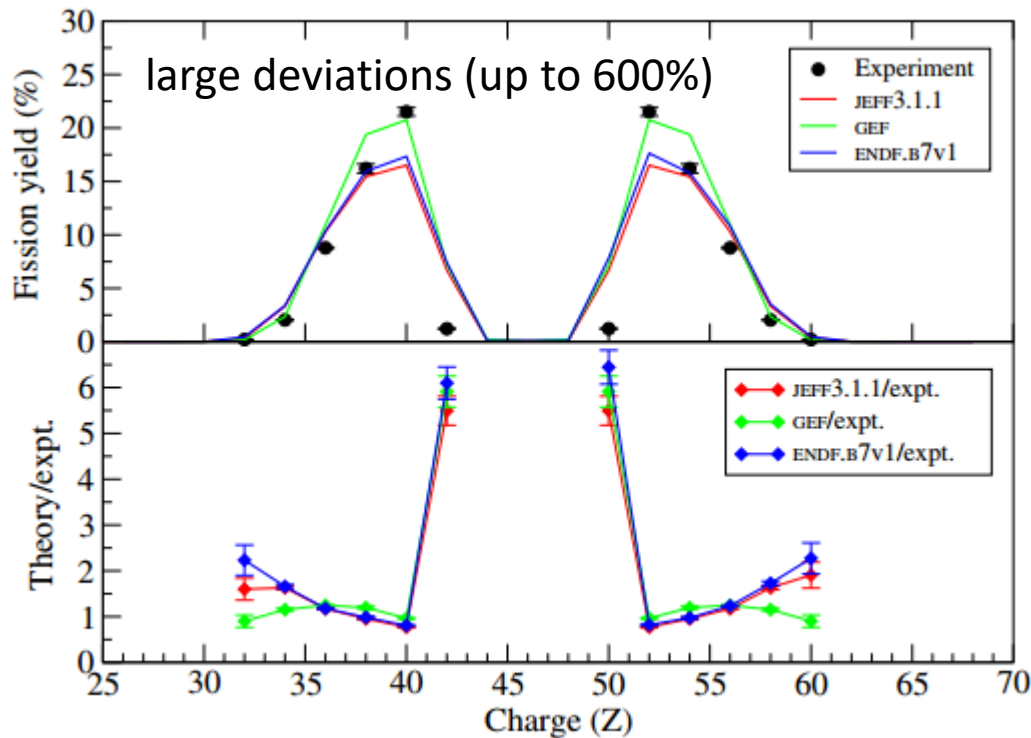
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- Reinforcement Learning is useful
- Still need to improve our approach to modeling quantitative fission data



Evaluations of charge yields



Two experiments on fission of ^{239}U

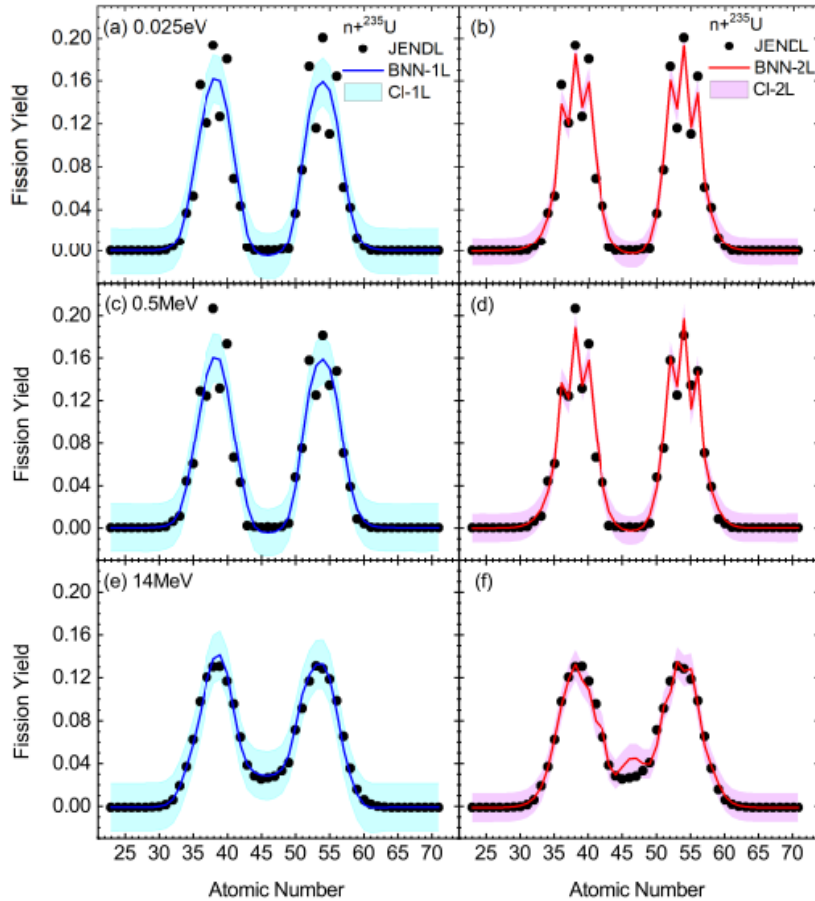
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Phys. Rev. Lett. 123, 092503(2019);

inverse kinematics + magnetic spectrometer
Recent great progress in fission experiments:
measurements of full fragment yields

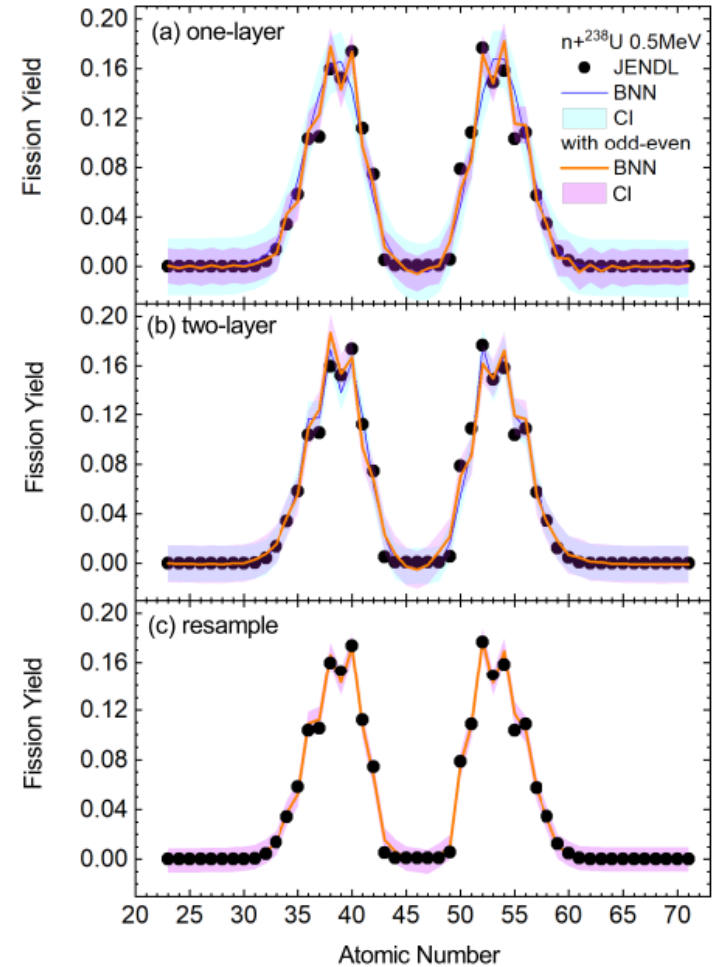


Evaluations of charge yields

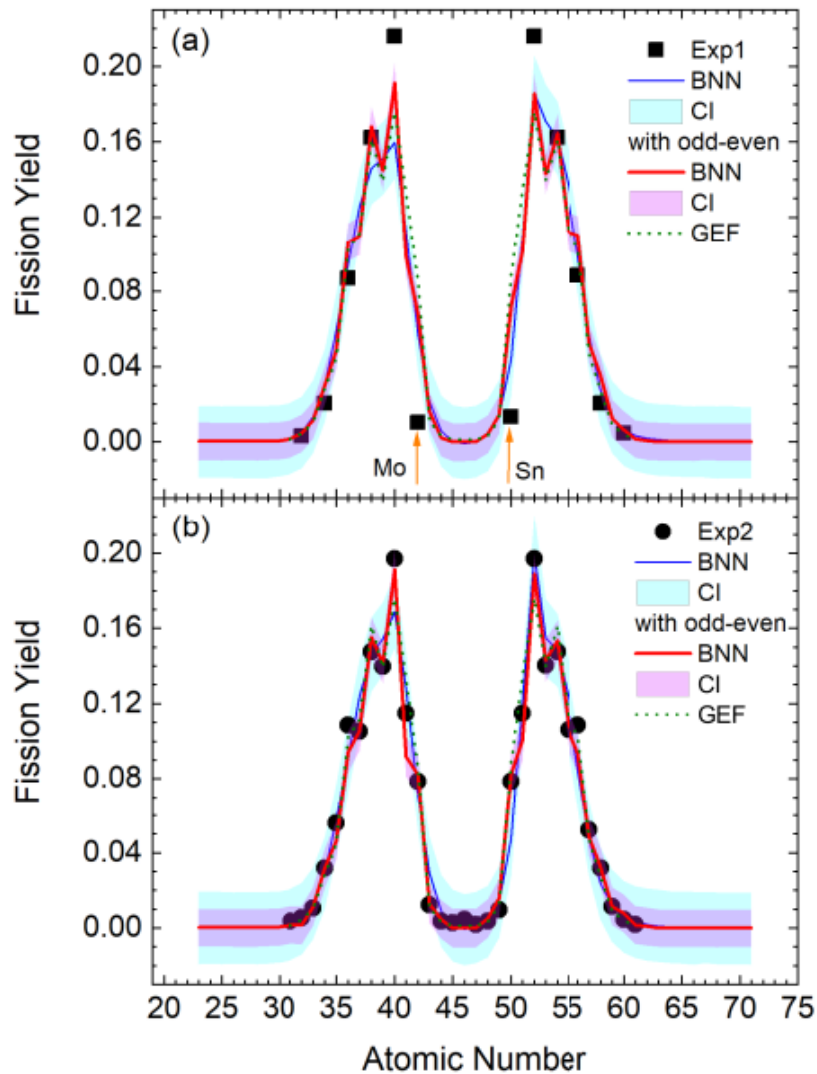


One layer-32

Double layer 16-16



Odd-even effects



实验在Sn, Mo的电荷产额有很大分歧

Expt1: PRL 118, 222501(2017)

Expt2: PRL 123, 092503(2019);

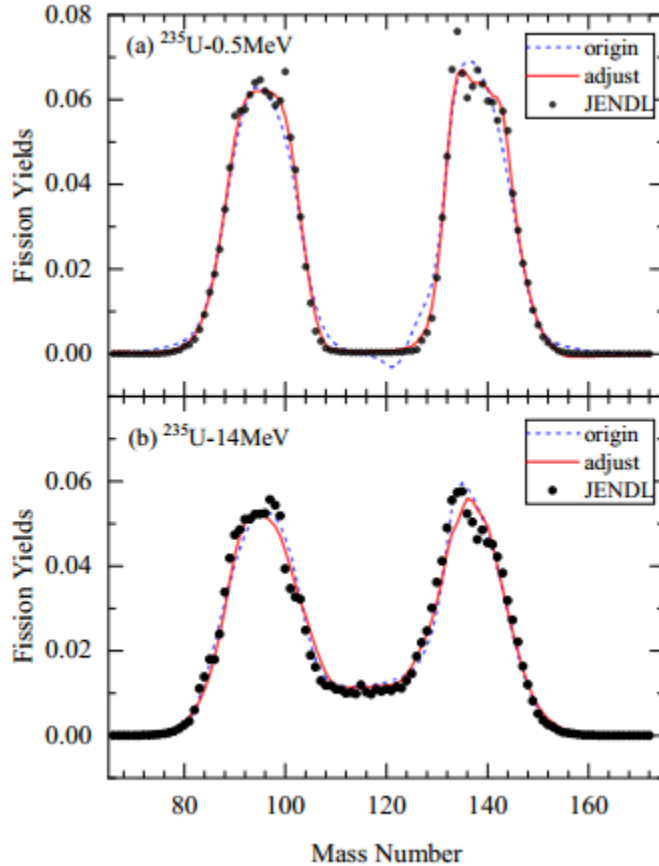
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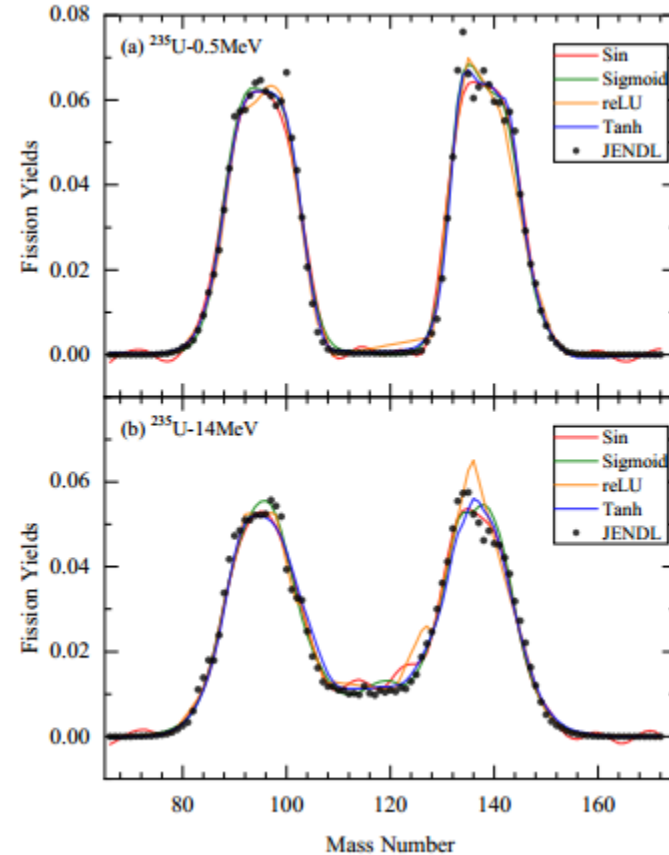


Optimization of BNN

- adjustment of data



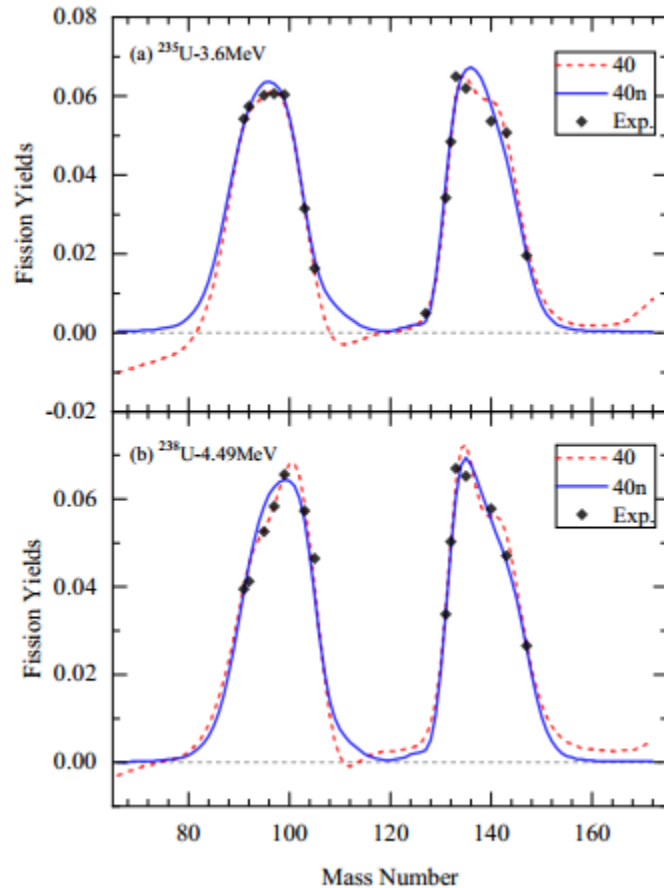
- adjustment of active function



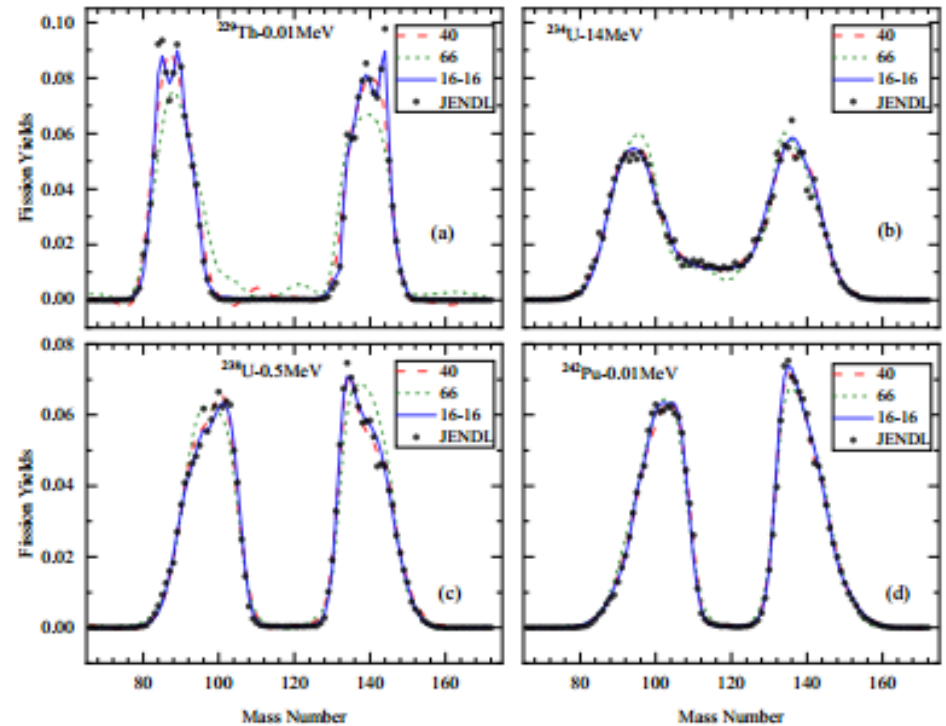
Bayesian machine learning is a promising tool for the evaluation of nuclear data but its potential capability has not been fully realized.



Penalty on negative values

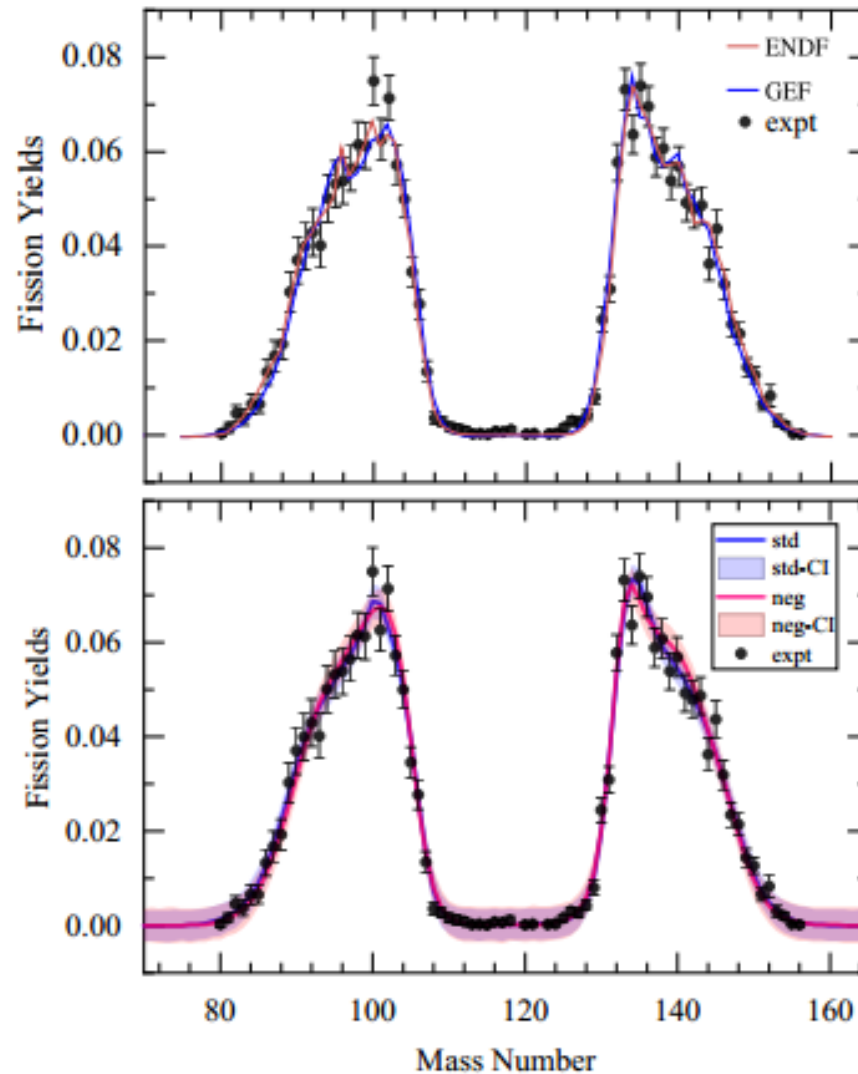


Structure of network



Shadow or deeper neural networks?

66	16-16	11-12-12	9-10-10-10	9-9-8-8-9	8-8-8-8-7-7	7-7-7-7-7-8
4.35×10^{-6}	3.43×10^{-6}	4.07×10^{-6}	4.99×10^{-6}	4.64×10^{-6}	5.05×10^{-6}	4.94×10^{-6}



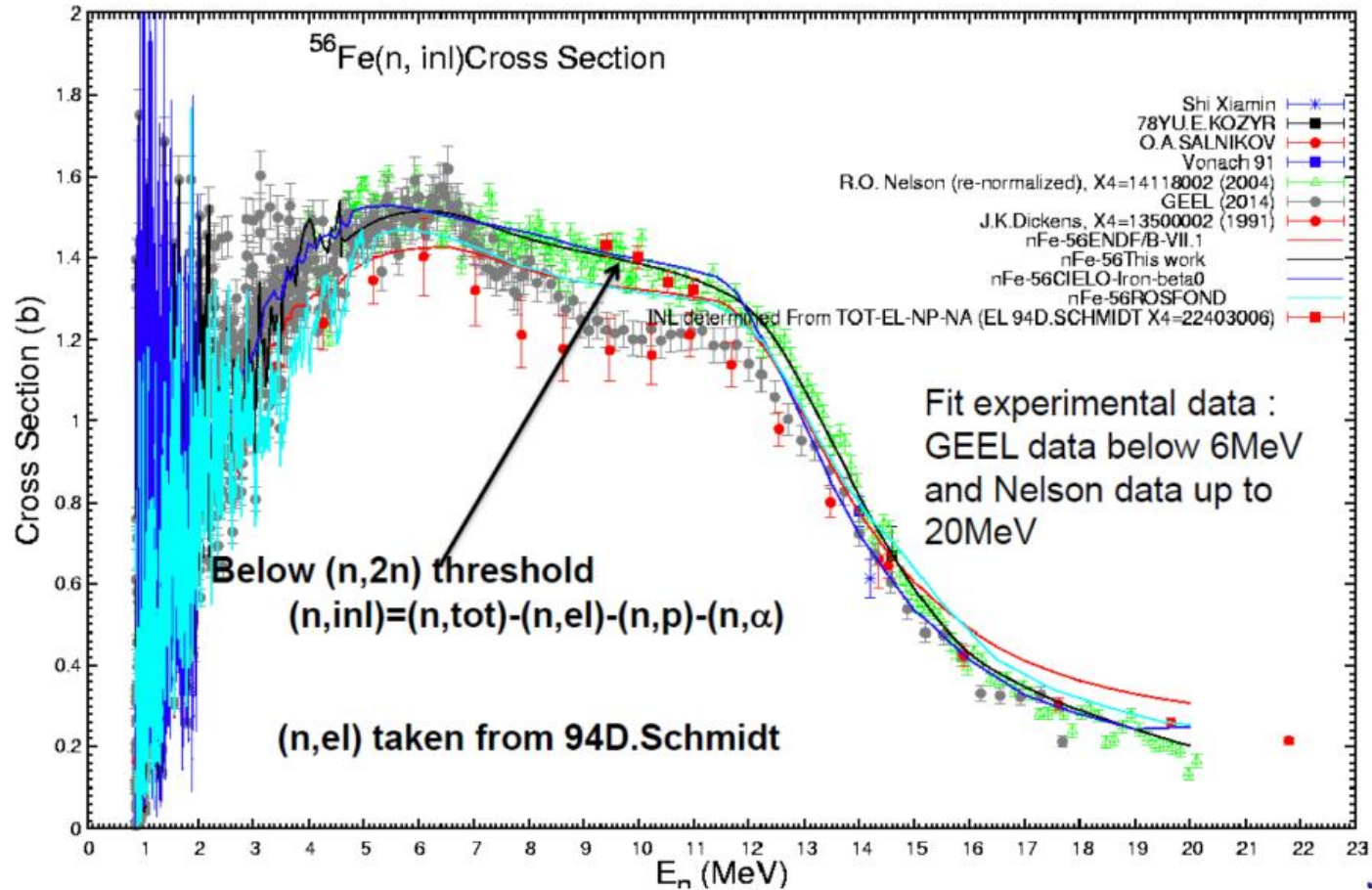
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Machine Learning for data fusion (Heterogeneous)

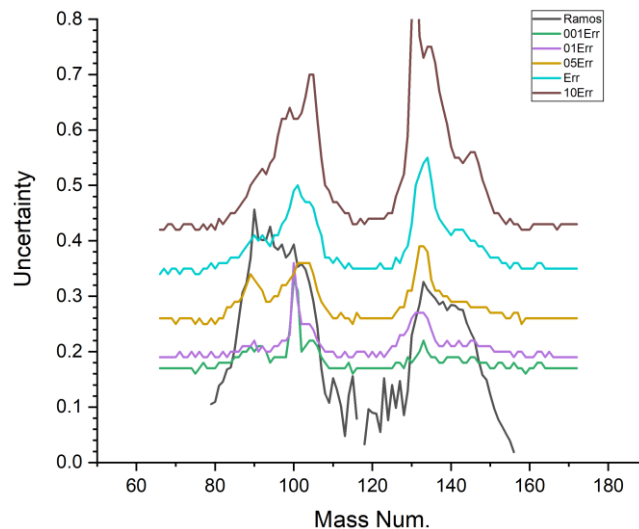
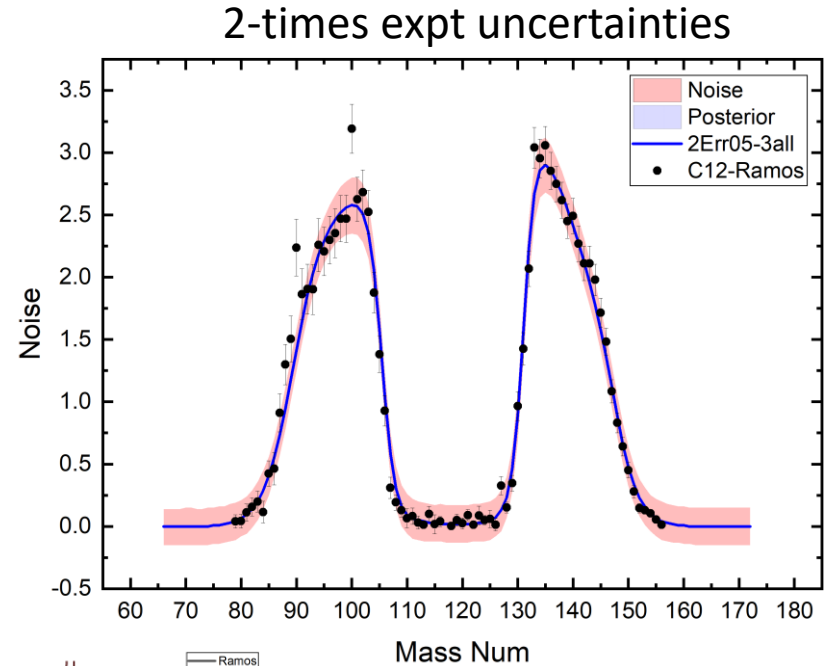
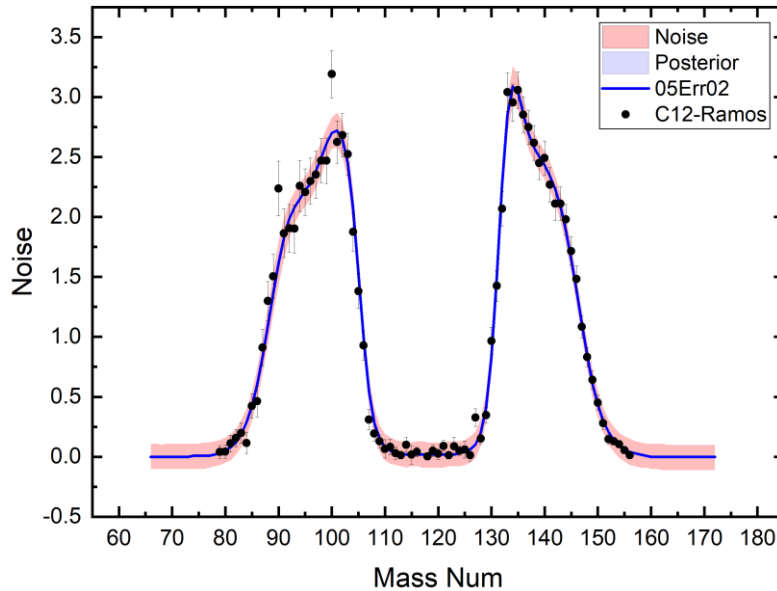
- Evaluations of incomplete, divergent data, Noisy data, or heterogeneous data





Machine Learning for data fusion (Heterogeneous)

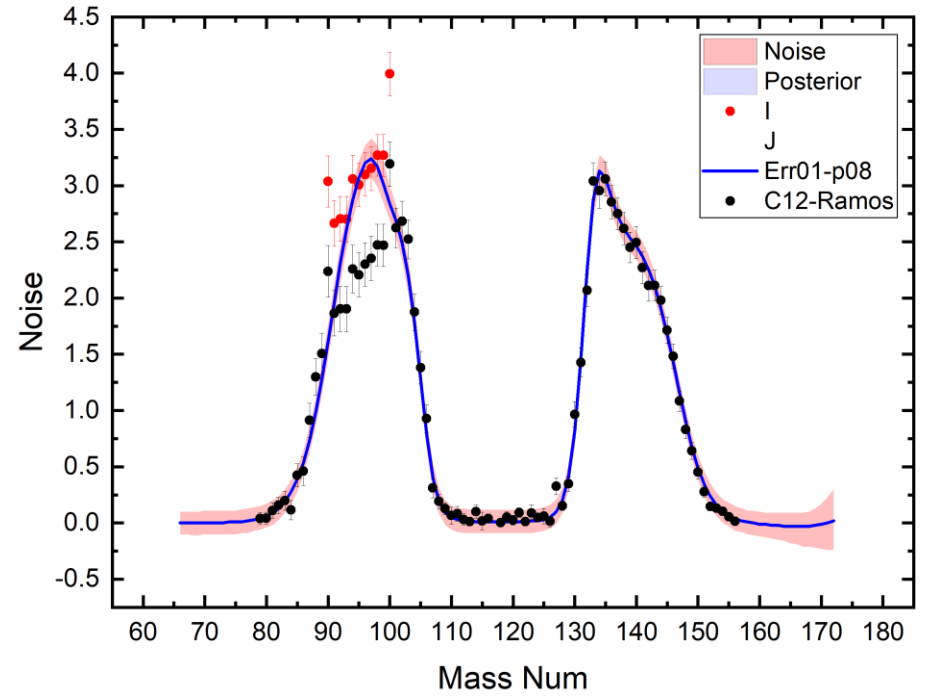
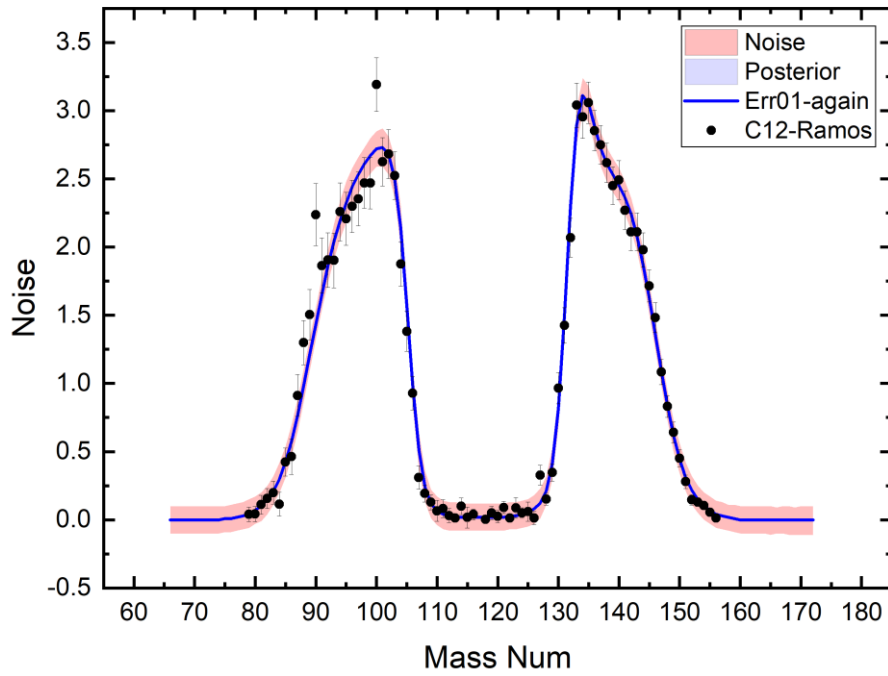
- Propagation of uncertainties



Z.A.Wang, in preparation



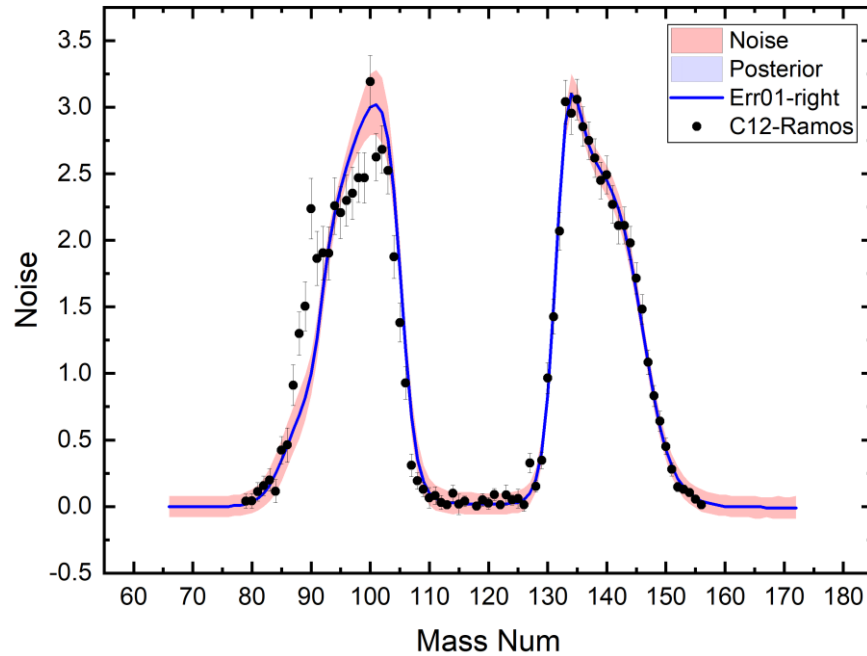
● evaluation with divergent data



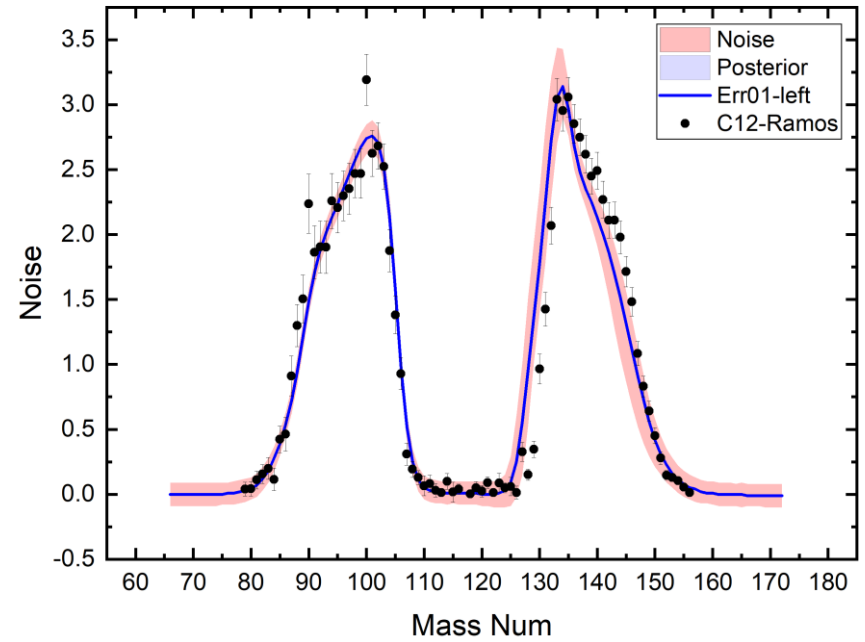


- Evaluation with incomplete data

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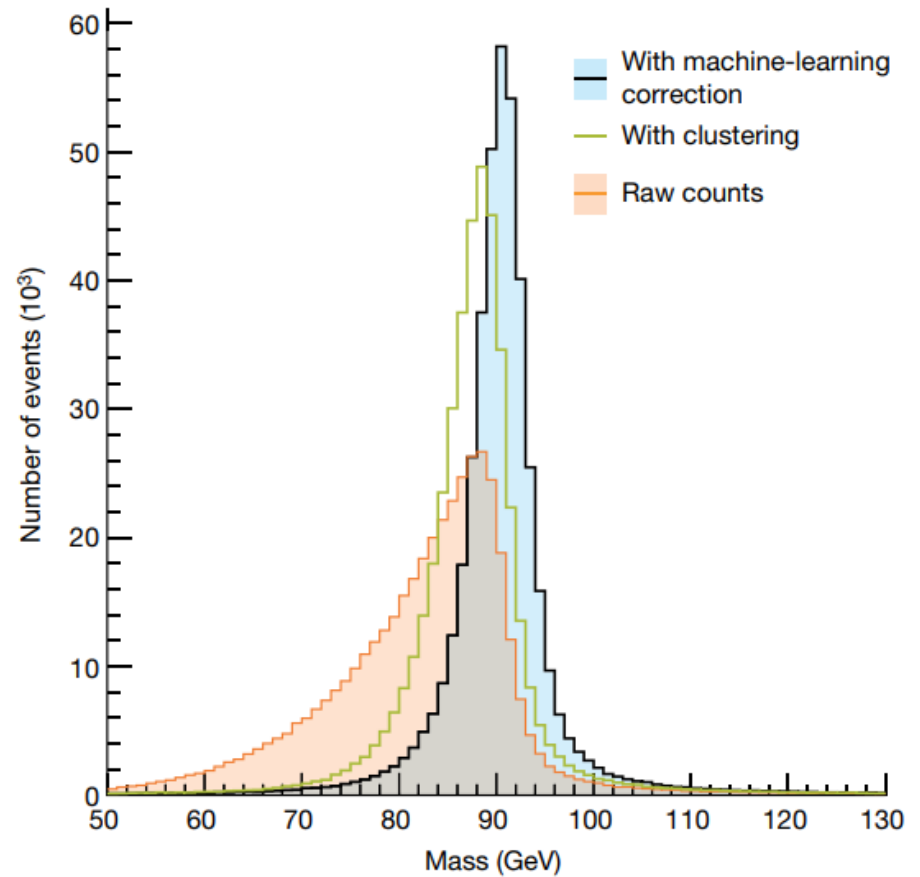
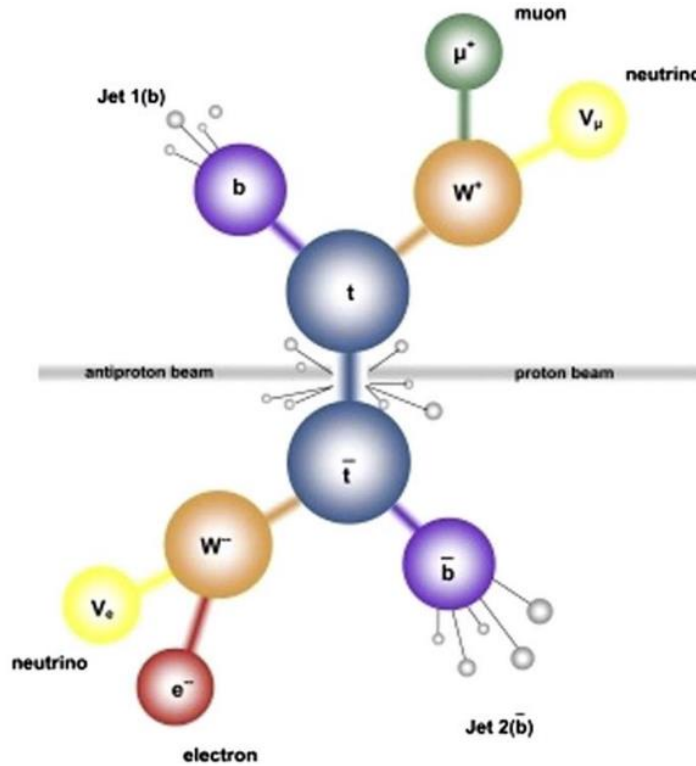
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Other applications

- train particle selection in high energy physics



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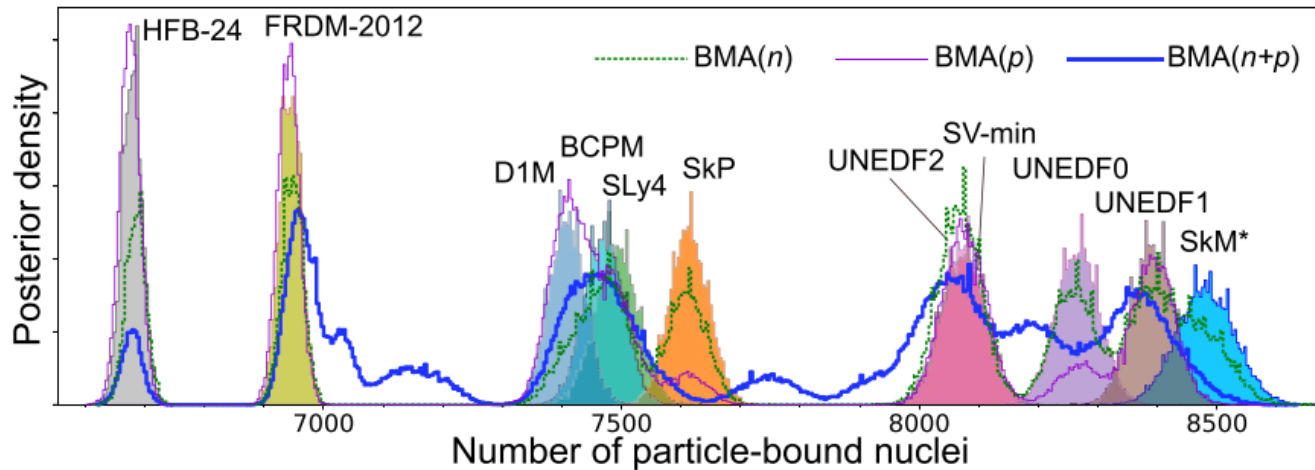
- Bayesian model mixing for nuclear mass

$$p(\mathcal{M}_k|y) = \frac{p(y|\mathcal{M}_k)\pi(\mathcal{M}_k)}{\sum_{\ell=1}^K p(y|\mathcal{M}_\ell)\pi(\mathcal{M}_\ell)}$$

Prediction:

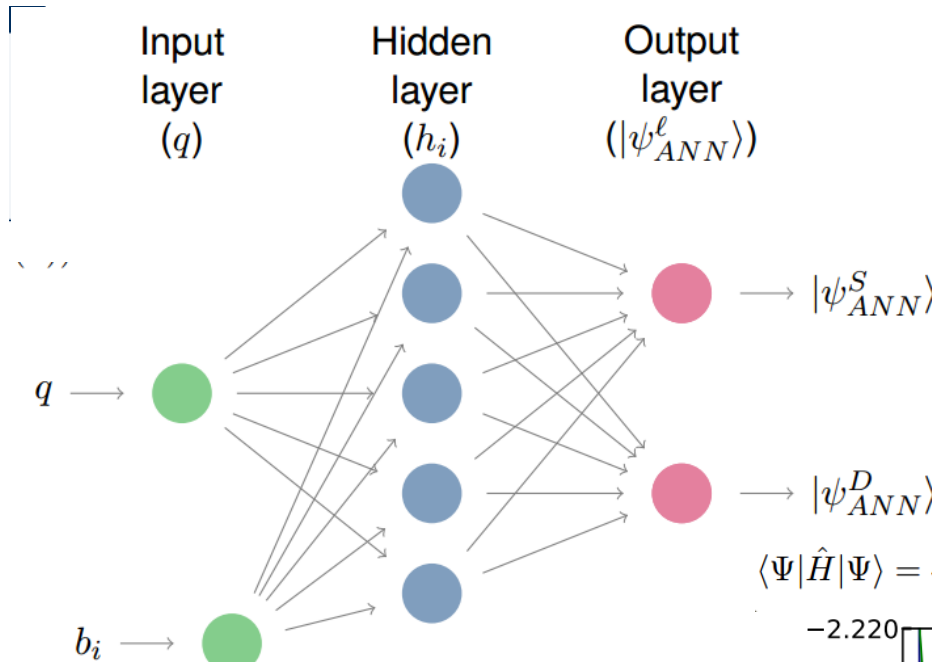
$$p(y^*|y) = \sum_{k=1}^K p(y^*|y, \mathcal{M}_k)p(\mathcal{M}_k|y)$$

unknown data





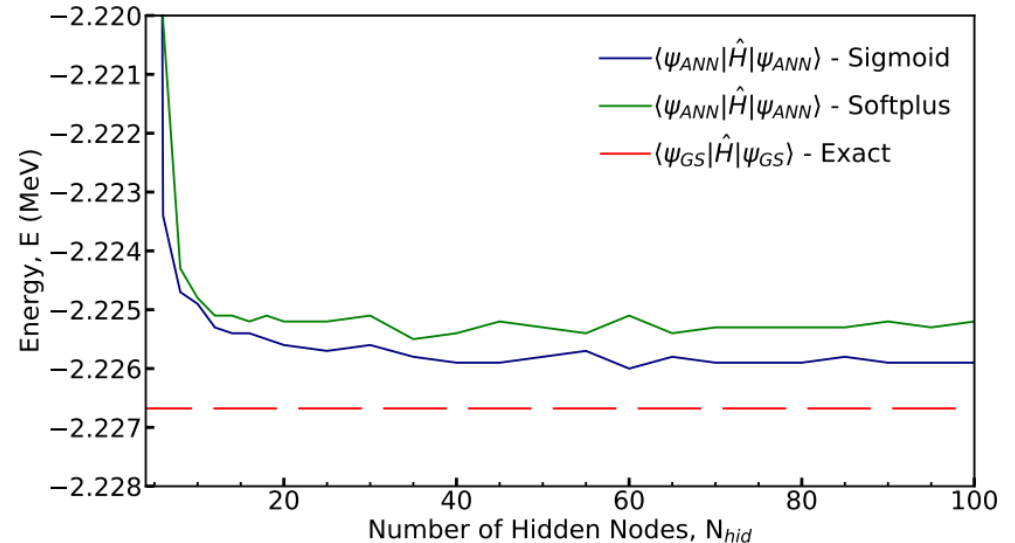
Machine learning of wavefunction of deuteron



Keeble, J. W. T., and A. Rios.
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$$\langle \Psi | \hat{H} | \Psi \rangle = 4\pi \int_0^\infty \int_0^\infty q^2 \Psi \hat{H} q'^2 \Psi \, dq \, dq' \approx 4\pi \sum_{i,j} w_i q_i^2 \Psi_i \hat{H}_{ij} w_j q_j^2 \Psi_j$$

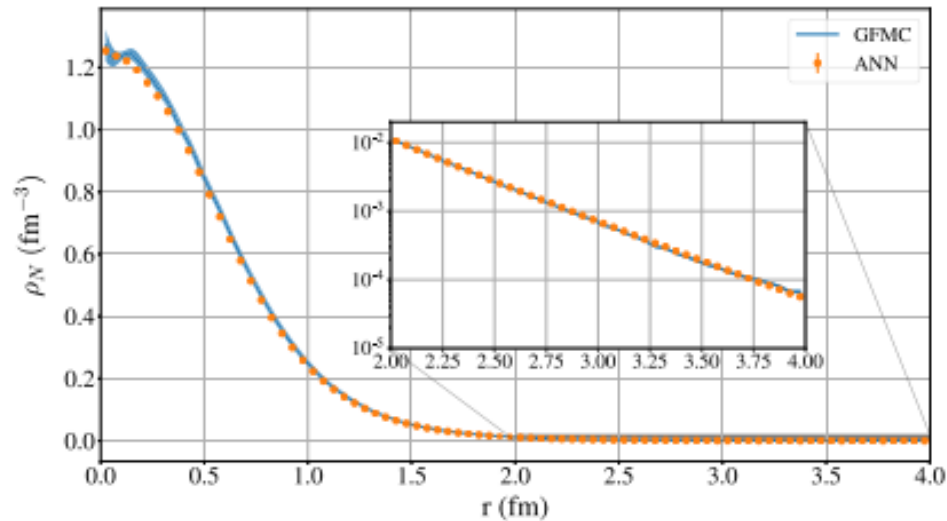
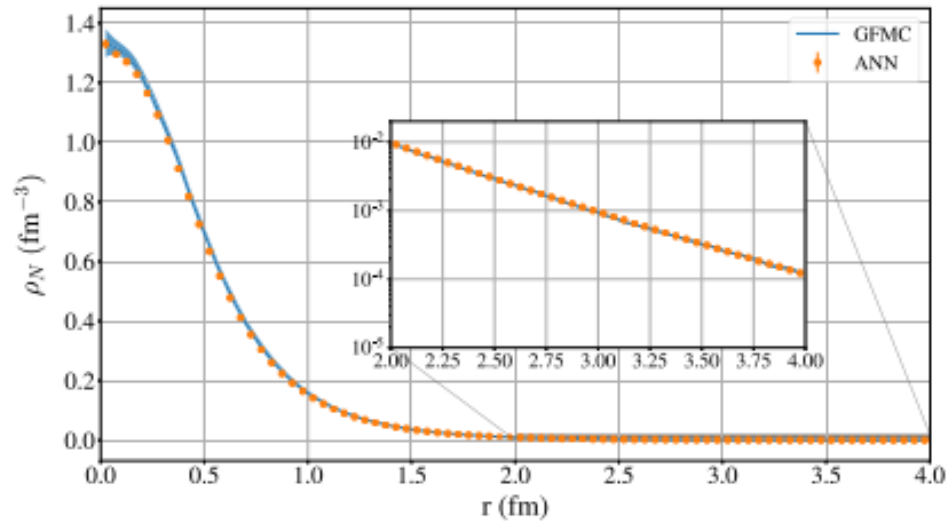
$$E^{\Psi} = \frac{\langle \Psi^{\Psi}_{ANN} | \hat{H} | \Psi^{\Psi}_{ANN} \rangle}{\langle \Psi^{\Psi}_{ANN} | \Psi^{\Psi}_{ANN} \rangle} .$$





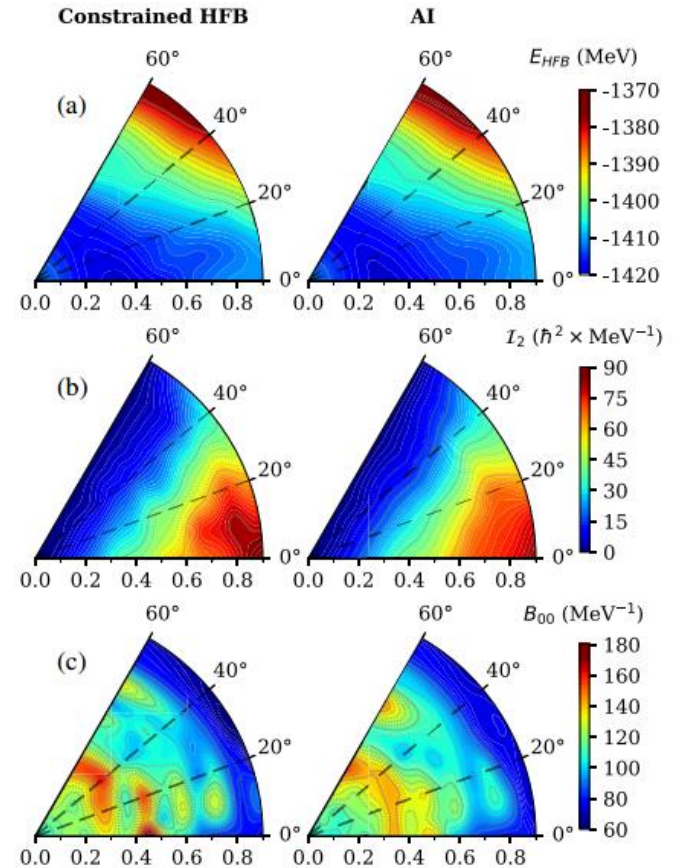
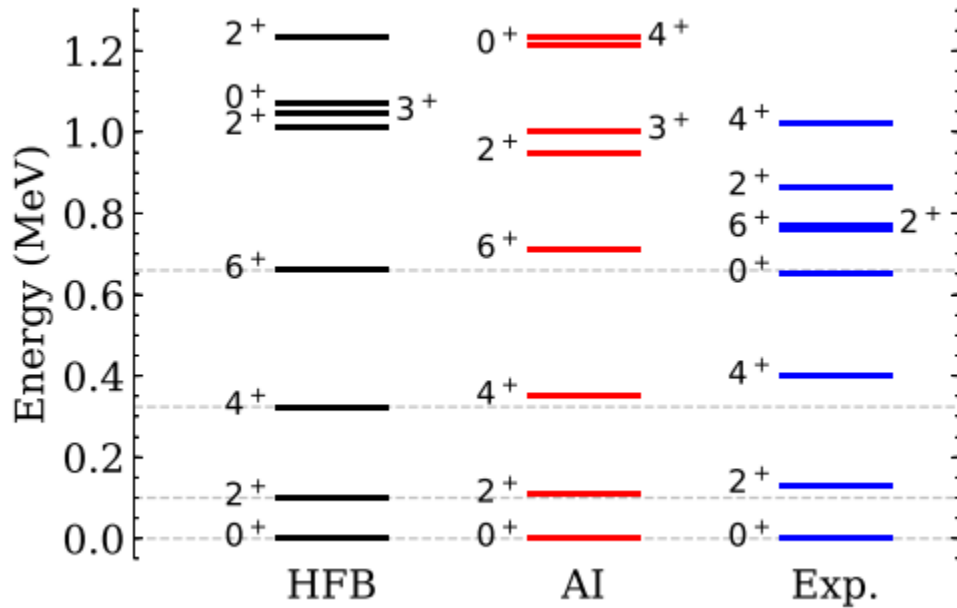
- Variational Monte Carlo Calculations of $A \leq 4$ Nuclei with an Artificial Neural-Network Correlator Ansatz

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- Learning different aspects of structures from DFT

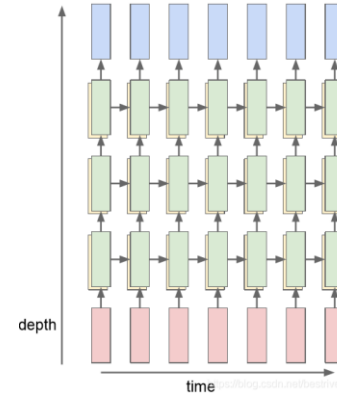
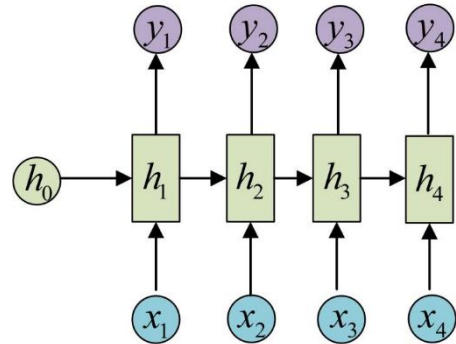




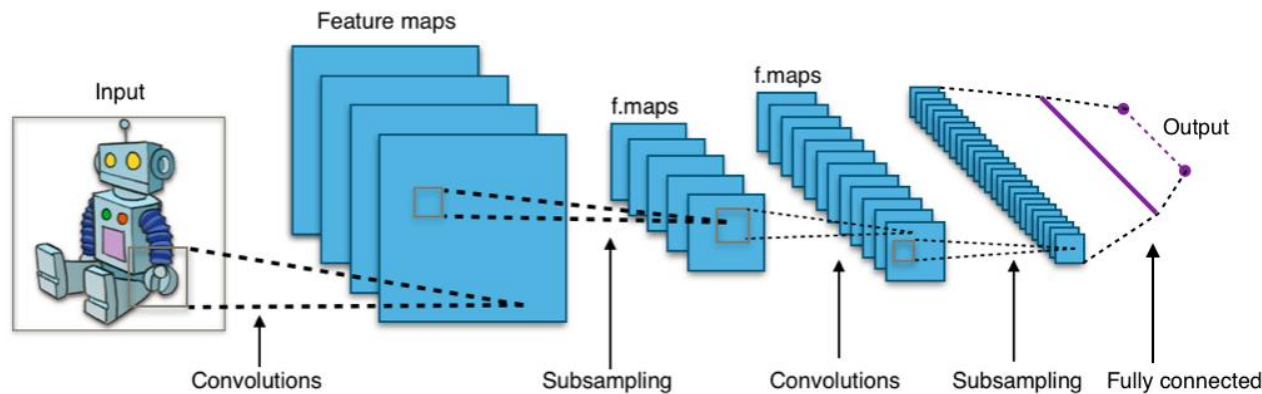
Other networks

- RNN: Recurrent Neural Network 循环神经网络

网络会对前面的信息进行记忆并应用于当前输出的计算中，即隐藏层之间的节点有连接的，序列相关数据



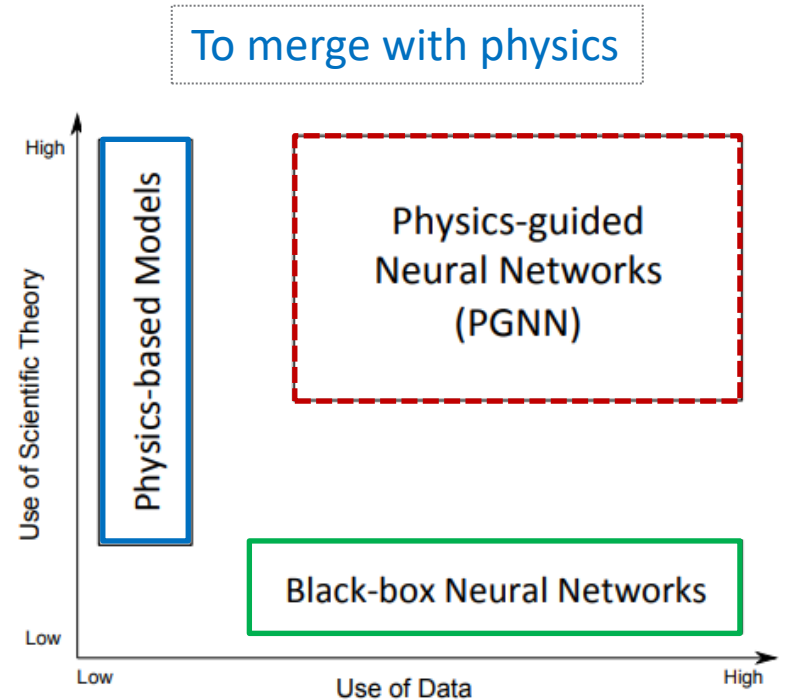
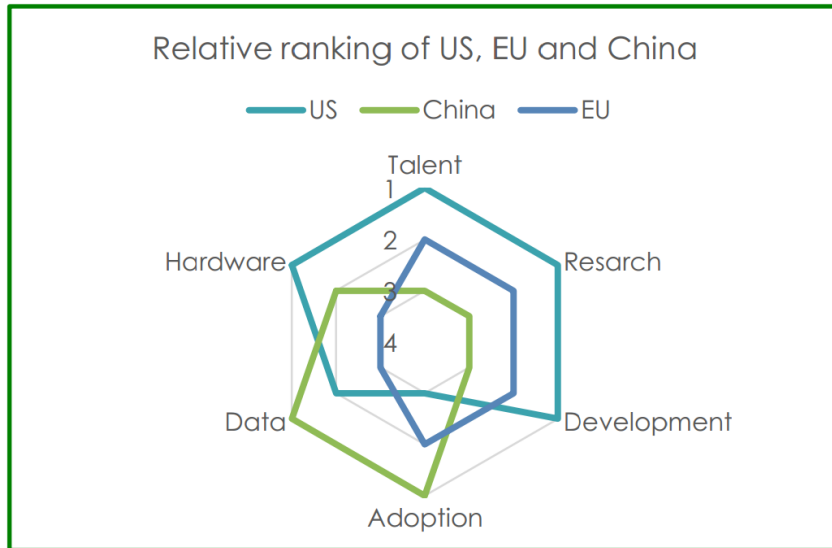
- CNN: 卷积神经网络Convolutional Neural Networks, 网格化数据图像的特征提取



$$\int_{-\infty}^{\infty} f(\tau)g(x-\tau)d\tau$$



Challenges



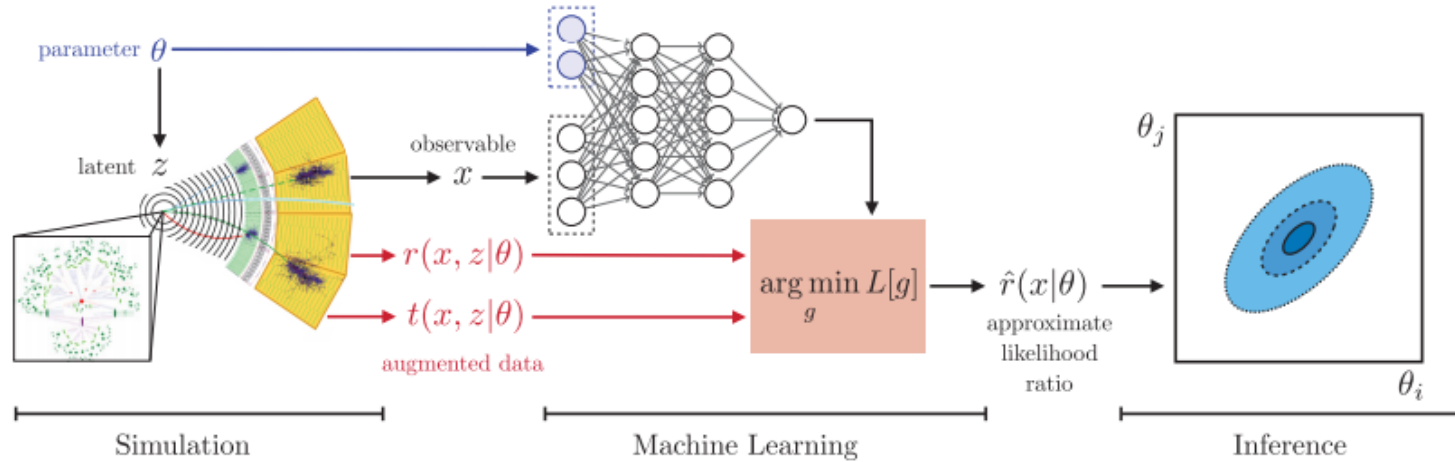
A. Karpatne, W. Watkins, J. Read, V. Kumar, arXiv:1710.11431

Build physics into priors

$$p(\mathbf{Q}|\mathbf{D}) \propto p(\mathbf{D}|\mathbf{Q}, \mathbf{I})p(\mathbf{Q}|\mathbf{I})p(\mathbf{I}) \propto p(\mathbf{D}|\mathbf{Q})p(\mathbf{Q}|\mathbf{I})p(\mathbf{I}).$$



- Machine learning assisted simulation, simulation coupled with machine learning



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Summary

- AI and machine learning impact all aspects of our lives
- Uncertainty evaluation, inference and interpolation
- Emulation for big simulations
- Bayesian model mixing
- Data fusion
- Inverse problems
- event selection and identification
- Identifying crucial experimental data , Providing meaningful input to measurements
- Experimental design: Efficient exploration of complex space

- Model reduction, model calibration, Parameter estimation
- Discovery with unsupervised learning

Outlook:

- Build physics-informed or physics-guide, physics-constrained machine learning
- Discover new physics from data
- Be careful of false correlation and Noise accumulation
- Chinese community for AI research in nuclear physics



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Thank you for your attention!