

Applications of Neural Networks to Modeling and Control of Particle Accelerators

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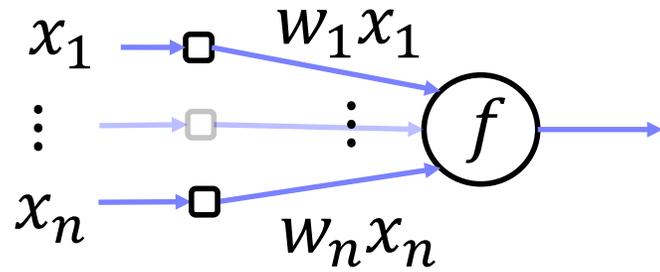
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Overview

- Background on Neural Networks
- Control Challenges in Particle Accelerators
- Overview of Applications (*with some examples*)
 - Online Modeling
 - Model Predictive Control
 - Virtual Diagnostics
 - Failure Prediction, Anomaly Detection, and Machine Protection
 - Reinforcement Learning / Neural Network Control Policies
 - Incorporating Image-based Diagnostics into Control Policies
- Final Notes
 - Practical Challenges
 - Funding Climate
 - Conclusions

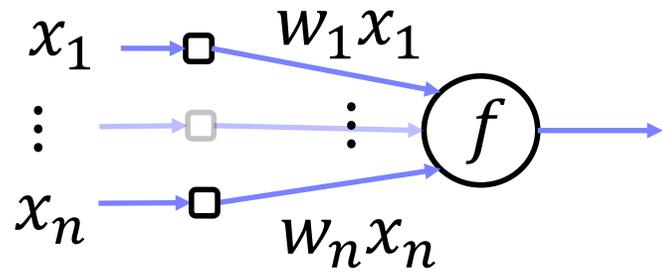
What are neural networks?

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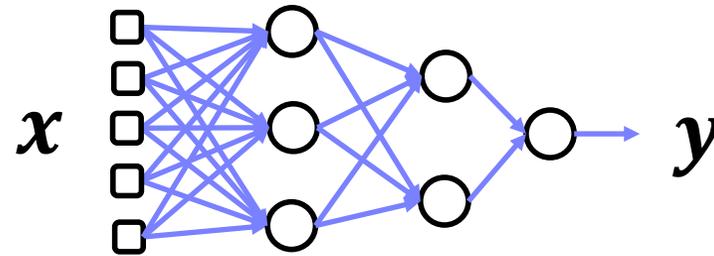


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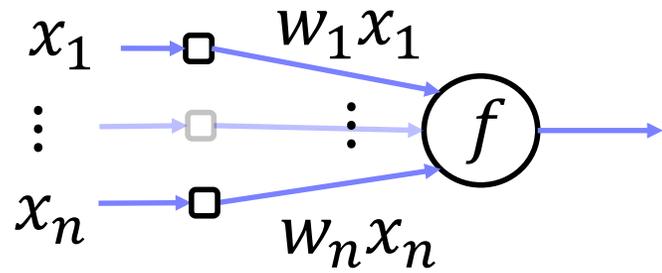


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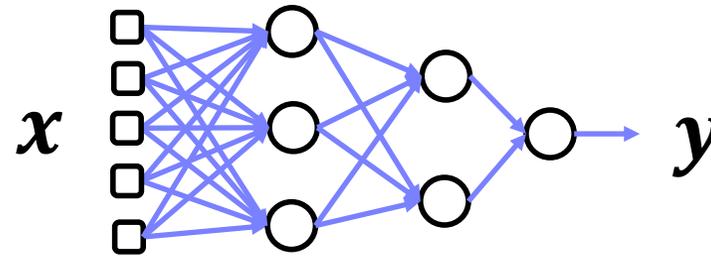


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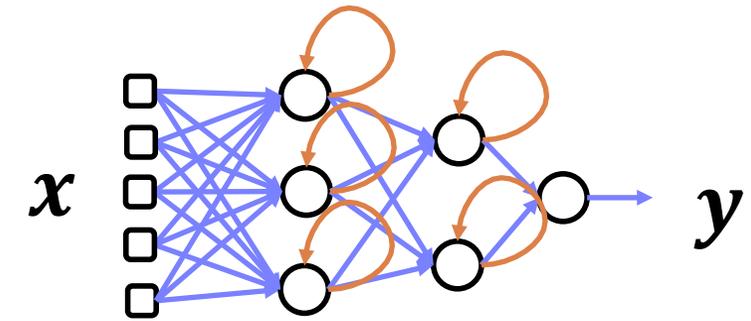
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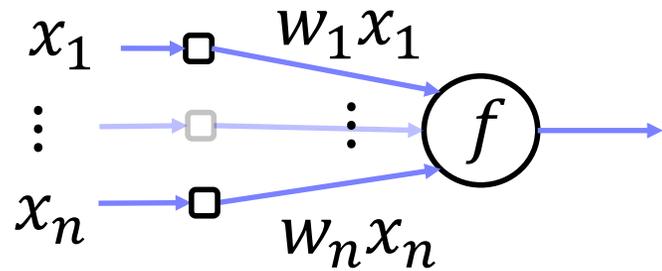


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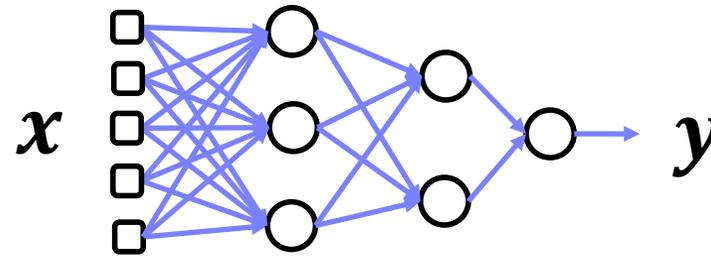


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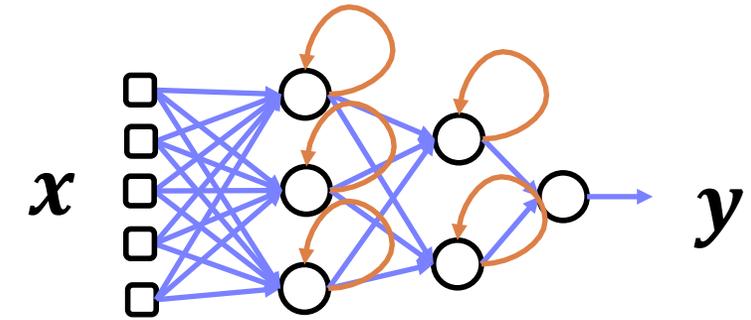
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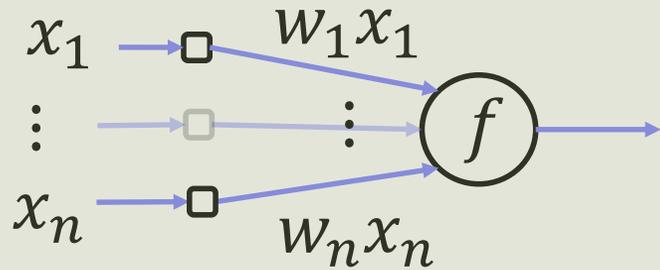
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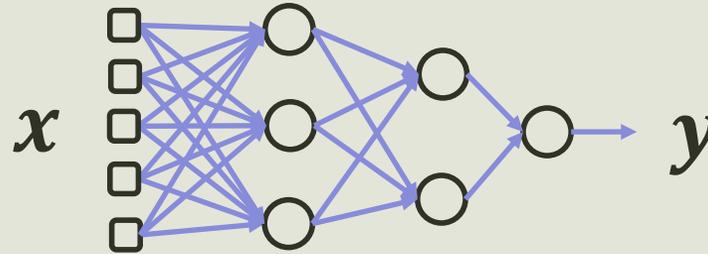
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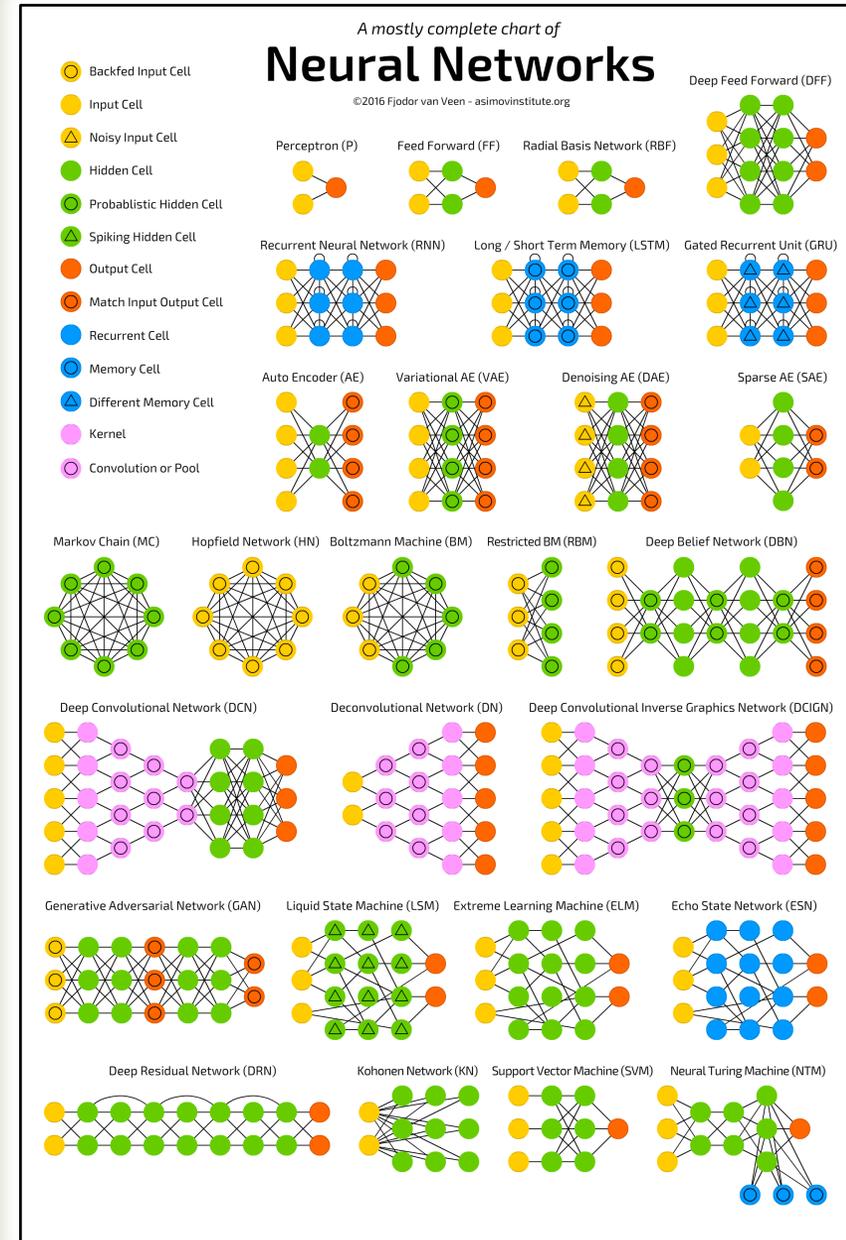
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See, for example, the [Neural Network Zoo](#) website.



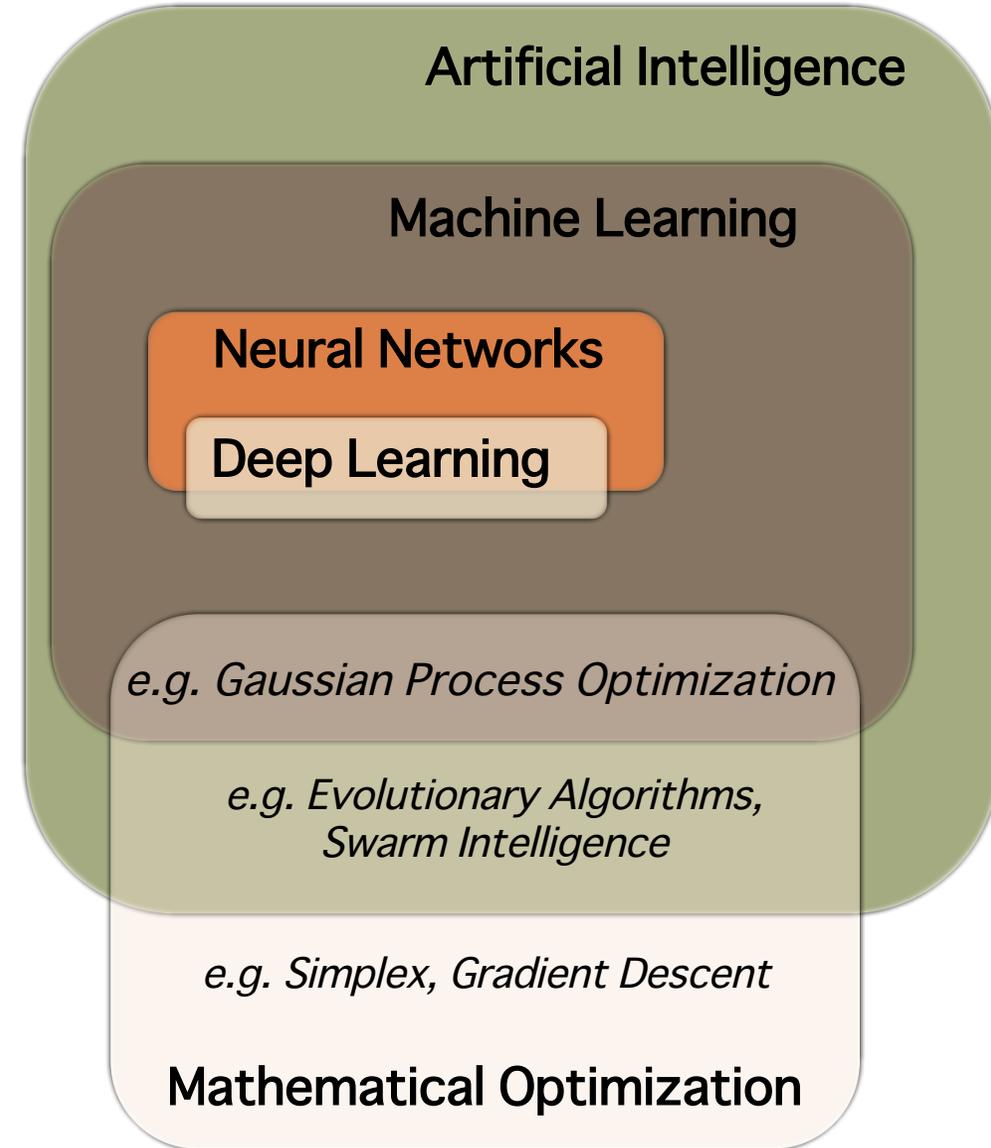
How does this relate to “machine learning,” “artificial intelligence,” and “deep learning”?

...what do these terms mean anyway?

Field Taxonomy (as of now...)

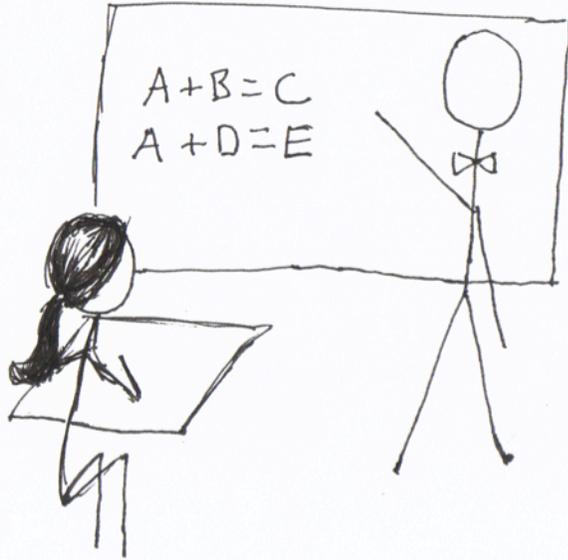
- Artificial Intelligence (AI)
 - *Concerned with enabling machines to exhibit aspects of human intelligence: knowledge, learning, planning, reasoning, perception*
 - Narrow AI: focused on a task or similar set of tasks
 - General AI: human-equivalent or greater performance on any task
- Machine Learning (ML)
 - *Enabling machines to complete tasks without being explicitly programmed*
 - Common tasks: Regression, Classification, Clustering, Dimensionality Reduction
- Neural Networks (NNs)
 - *An approach within ML that uses many connected processing units*
 - Many different architectures and training techniques
- Deep Learning (DL)
 - *Learning hierarchical representations*
 - Right now, largely synonymous with deep (many-layered) NN approaches

Note that these definitions are not rigid: there is a lot of fluidity in the field



How do neural networks “learn”?

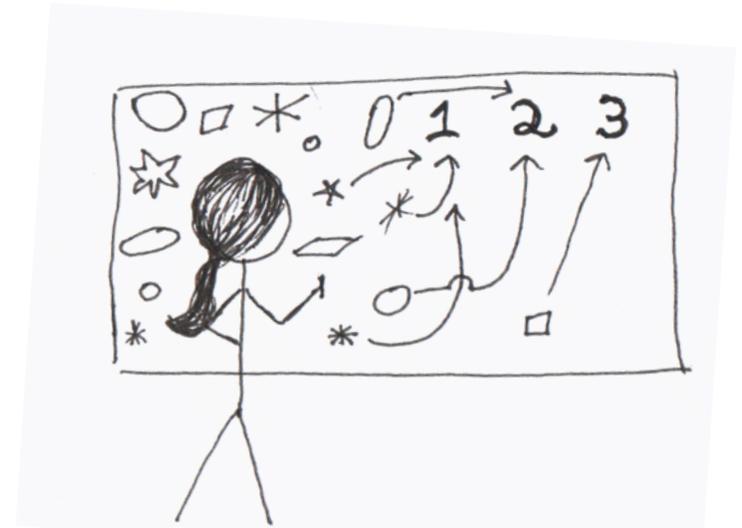
Basic Learning Paradigms



Supervised Learning
learn known input/output pairs



Reinforcement Learning
interact with the environment → adjust behavior based on reaction

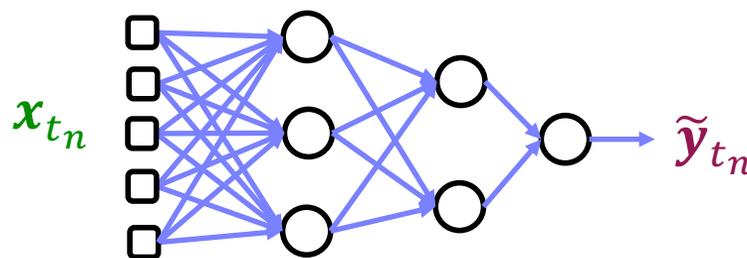


Unsupervised Learning
no labeled data → infer structure

Example: multiple-input, single-output process model

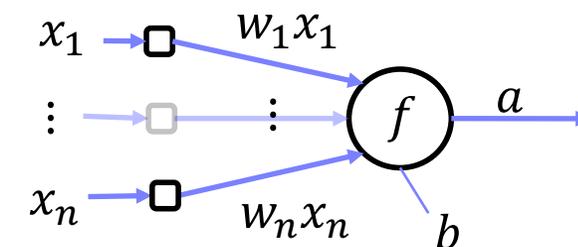
Data set of **input** and **output** pairings:

$$\left. \begin{matrix} x_1 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{matrix} \right\} \begin{matrix} \mathbf{x}_{t_1} \\ \vdots \\ \mathbf{x}_{t_n} \end{matrix} \quad \begin{matrix} \mathbf{y}_{t_1} \\ \vdots \\ \mathbf{y}_{t_n} \end{matrix}$$



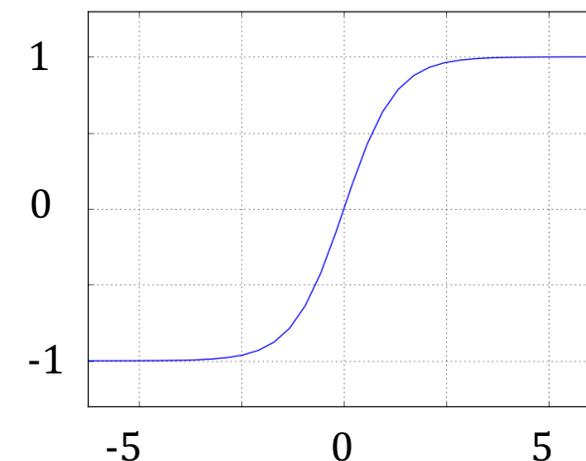
Want to find approximate map: $g(\mathbf{x}) = \mathbf{y}$

Basic Structures

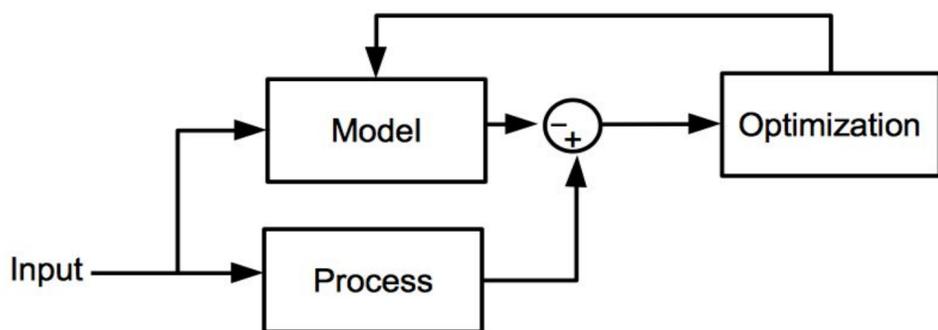


$$f\left(\sum_n w_n x_n + b\right) = a$$

e.g. $f(z) = \frac{2}{(1+e^{-2z})} - 1$



Model Learning



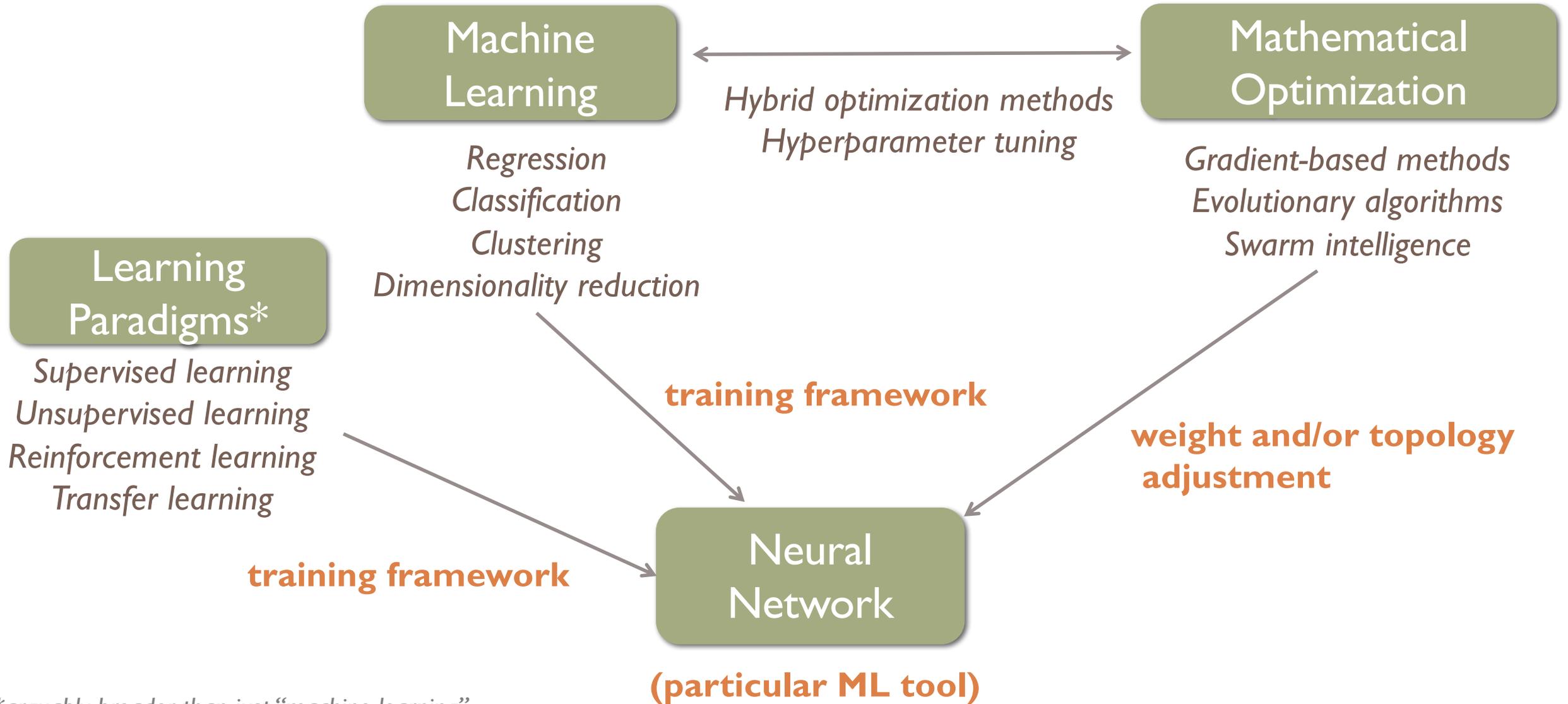
Basic Update Example

$$C(w, b) = \frac{1}{2t_n} \left[\sum_{t_n} (y_{t_n} - \tilde{y}_{t_n})^2 \right]$$

$$w_k \rightarrow w'_k = w_k - \alpha \frac{\partial C}{\partial w_k}$$

$$b_k \rightarrow b'_k = b_k - \alpha \frac{\partial C}{\partial b_k}$$

How this all fits together for NNs



*arguably broader than just “machine learning”

okay, but for many years we have tried using neural networks and have had very little success...

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May 1991
(A/I)

ACCELERATOR AND FEEDBACK CONTROL SIMULATION USING NEURAL NETWORKS*

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Title: A Neural Network Based Approach for Tuning of SNS Feedback and Feedforward Controllers

Author(s): Sung-II Kwon
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An Architecture for Intelligent Control of Particle Accelerators

William B. Klein, Robert T. Westervelt
Vista Control Systems Inc., Los Alamos, New Mexico 87544

Nuclear Instruments and Methods in Physics Research
Section B: Beam Interactions with Materials and Atoms

Volume 72, Issue 2, November 1992, Pages 271-289

Optimization and control of a small-angle negative ion source using an on-line adaptive controller based on the online optimized local spline neural network

Mead,^{2,a, b}, P.S. Bowling³, S.K. Brown³, J. D. Jorgensen³, James¹, H.E. Gibson³, J.R. Goulding^{a, b}, Y.C.

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ELECTRON BEAM ENERGY STABILIZATION USING NEURAL NETWORK HYBRID CONTROLLER AT THE AUSTRALIAN SYNCHROTRON LINAC*

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A Beam Diagnostic System for Accelerator Using Neural Networks

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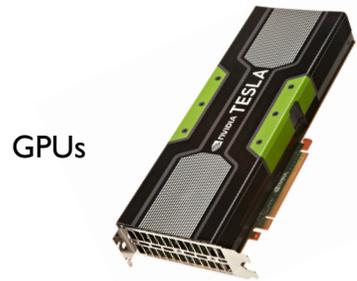
ORBIT CORRECTION STUDIES USING NEURAL NETWORKS

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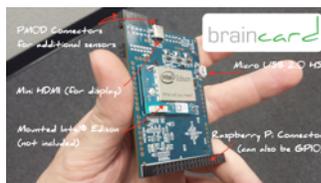


Accessibility of HPC clusters

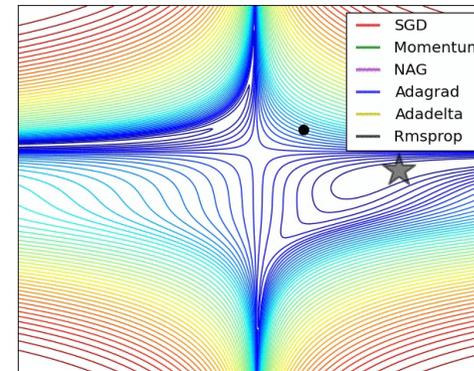
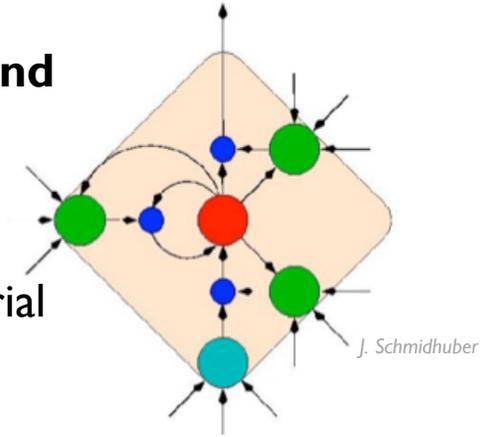


Can **easily share** large data sets, code, and computing setups (e.g. via cloud computing services)

Up-and-coming advancements: neuromorphic hardware



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Better theoretical understanding of NNs and improved optimization methods

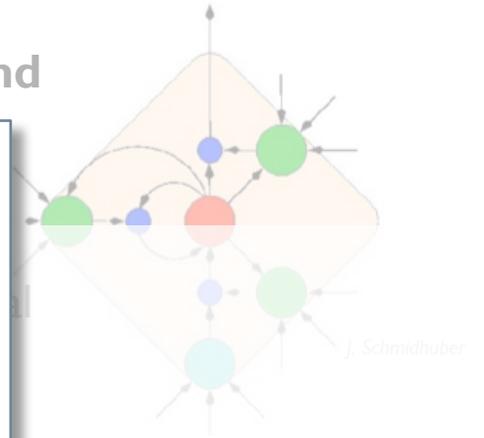
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GPUs



Learning to Pivot with Adversarial Networks

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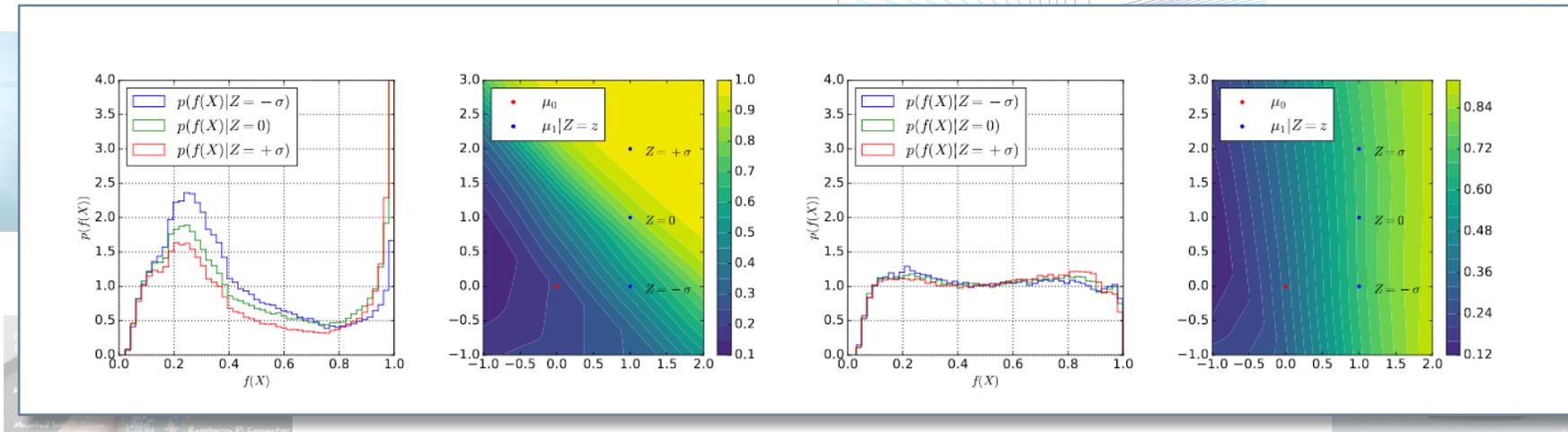
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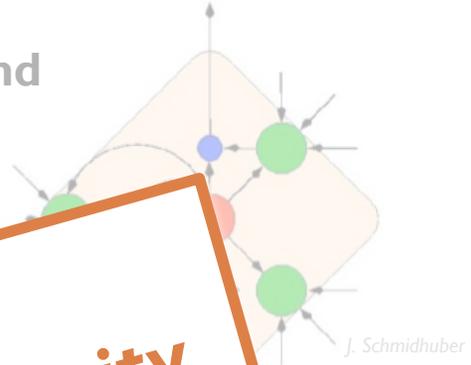
e.g. physics application (HEP) → algorithmic development

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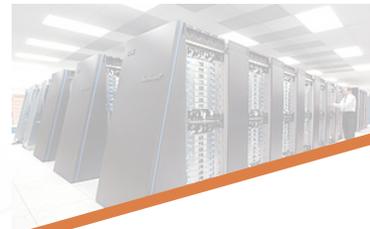
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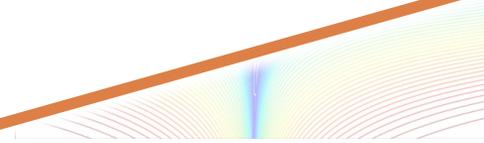
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→ much greater overall technological maturity
→ many advances in the last 3-5 years

Advances and improved optimization methods



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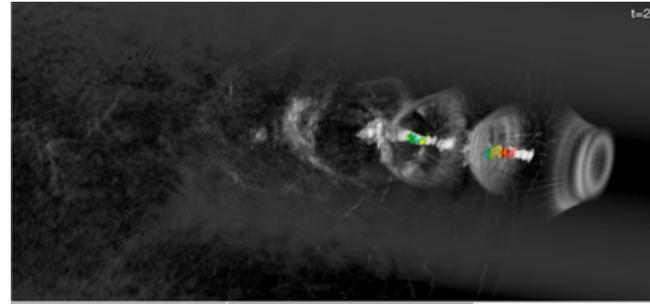
Let's talk about accelerators...



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Interesting Technical Challenges

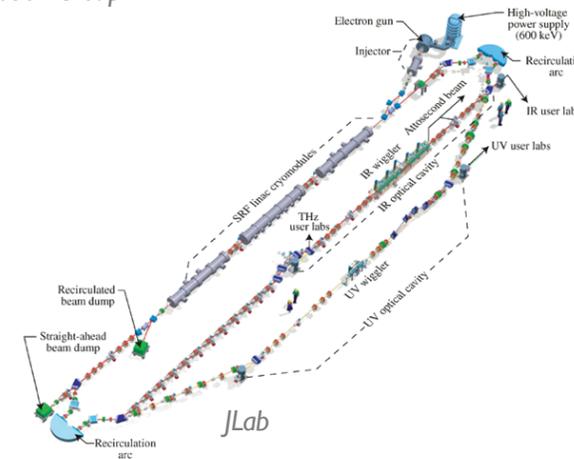
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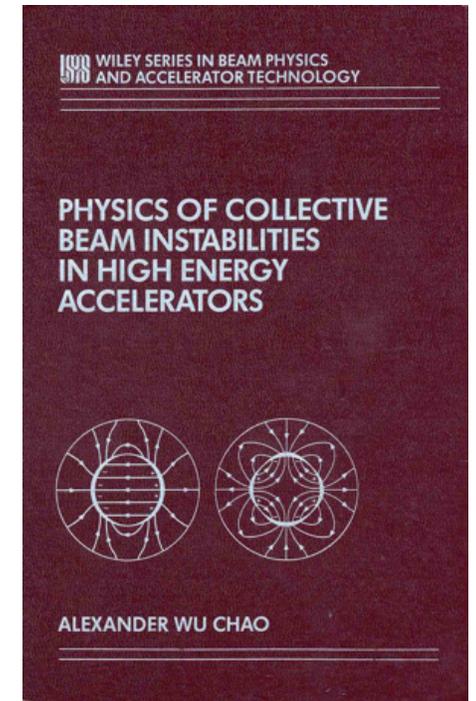


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- Achieving performance needed for science goals and other applications
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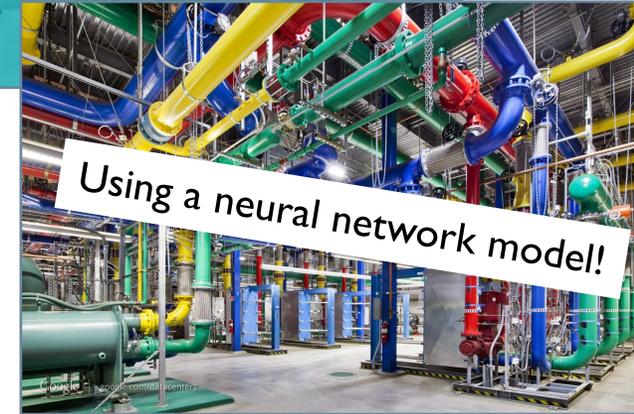
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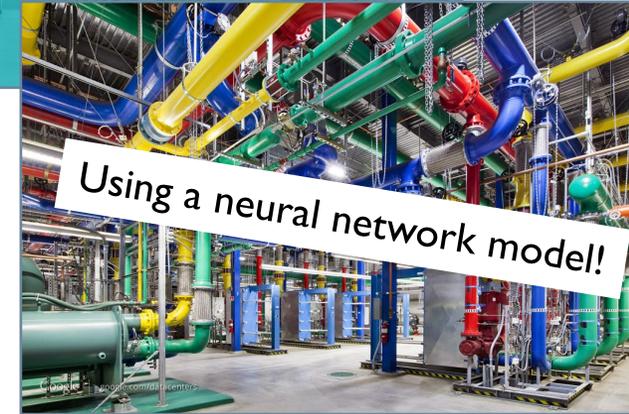
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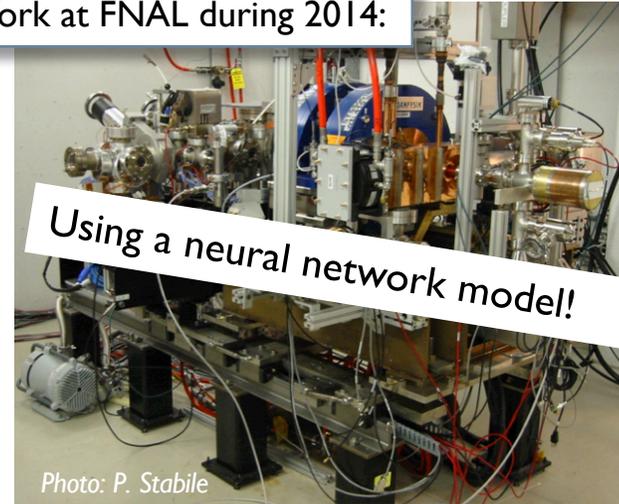


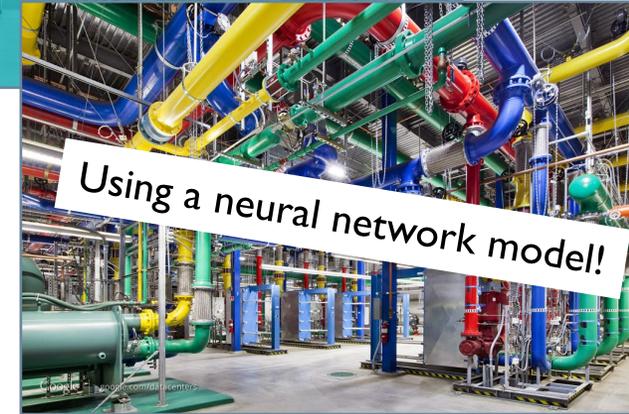
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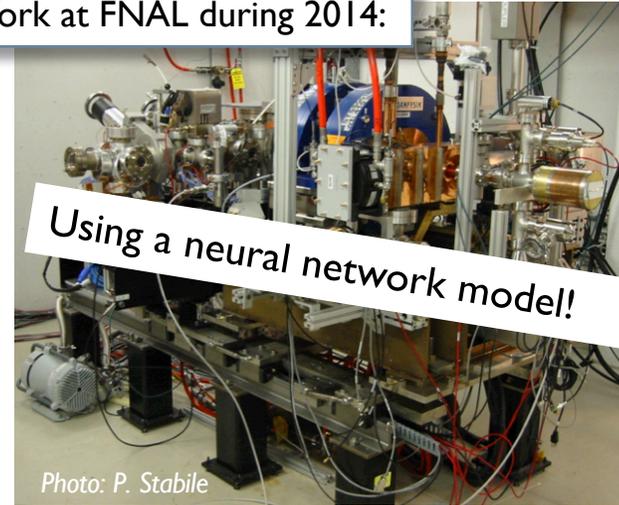


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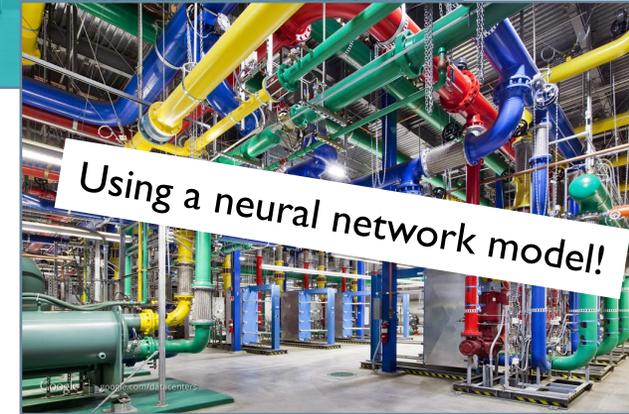
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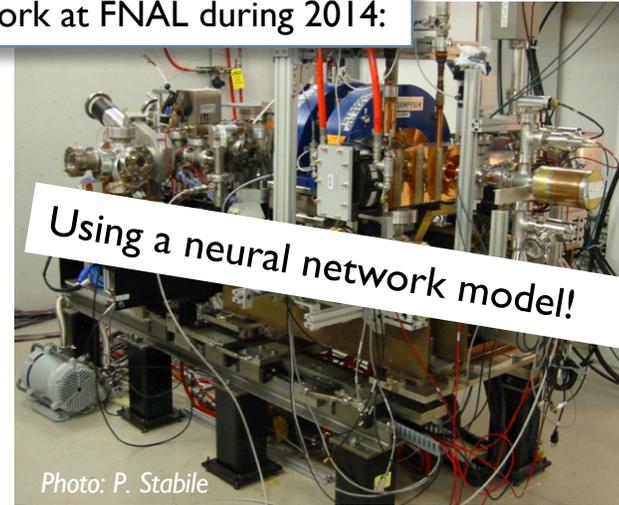
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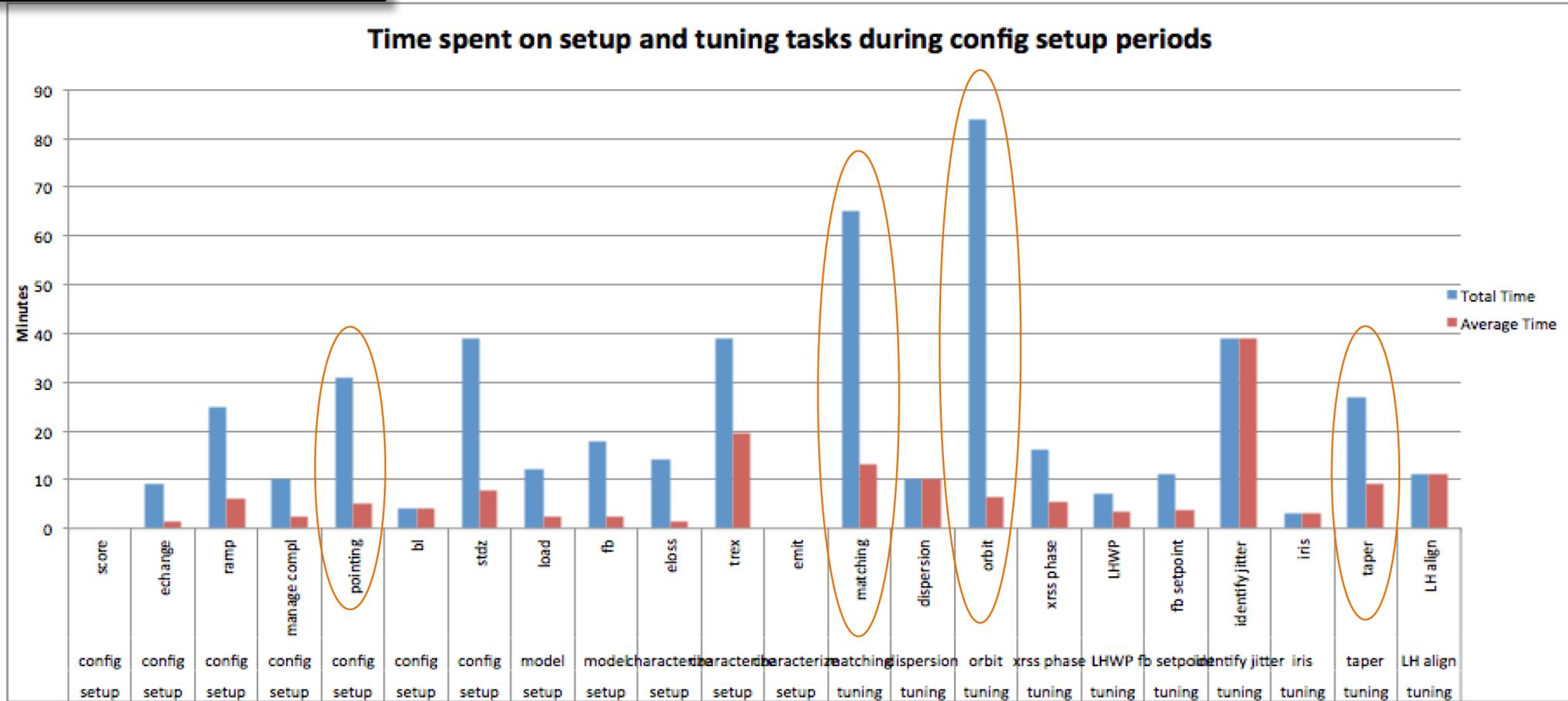
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Cryo plant photo: A. Grassellino talk at IPAC '17, (THPPA2)

Example from LCLS



2015: 450 hand tuning hours, 250 dedicated!

⇒ Lots of opportunity to speed operations and relieve operator load

We rely heavily on operators for day-to-day control tasks ...



*Fermilab Control Room Photo:
Reidar Hahn, FNAL*

*... so what can we learn from them,
and what analogous techniques can we use?*

Inspiration from Operators



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Application Areas for Accelerators

- Online modeling → *NN model*
- Time delays → *model predictive control + NN models*
- Image-based diagnostics → *convolutional or locally-connected NNs*
- Frequent switching between operating conditions → *NN policy*
- Virtual diagnostics → *NN model trained from intercepting diagnostics or simulation*
- Encode an existing policy and/or adapt upon it → *NN policy*
- High-level assessment of machine or device states → *NN process model, classifier*
- Failure prediction / Anomaly detection → *NN process model, classifier*

Online Modeling

- Operators maintain a learned mental machine model: *let's supplement it*

This can be very hard!

- Ideally:
 - Fast-executing, but accurate enough to be useful
 - Use measured inputs directly from machine
 - Combine *a priori* knowledge + learned parameters

Applications

- A tool for operators + virtual diagnostics
- Predictive control
- Help flag aberrant behavior

Yields a fast-executing model that can be used operationally, but approximates behavior from high-fidelity simulations (e.g. PIC codes, LPA)

One approach: faster modeling codes

- Simpler models (tradeoff with accuracy)
- Parallelization and GPU-acceleration of existing codes

PARMILA

X. Pang, PAC13, MOPMA13

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- Improvements in underlying modeling algorithms

(fractions of a second)

Another approach: machine learning model

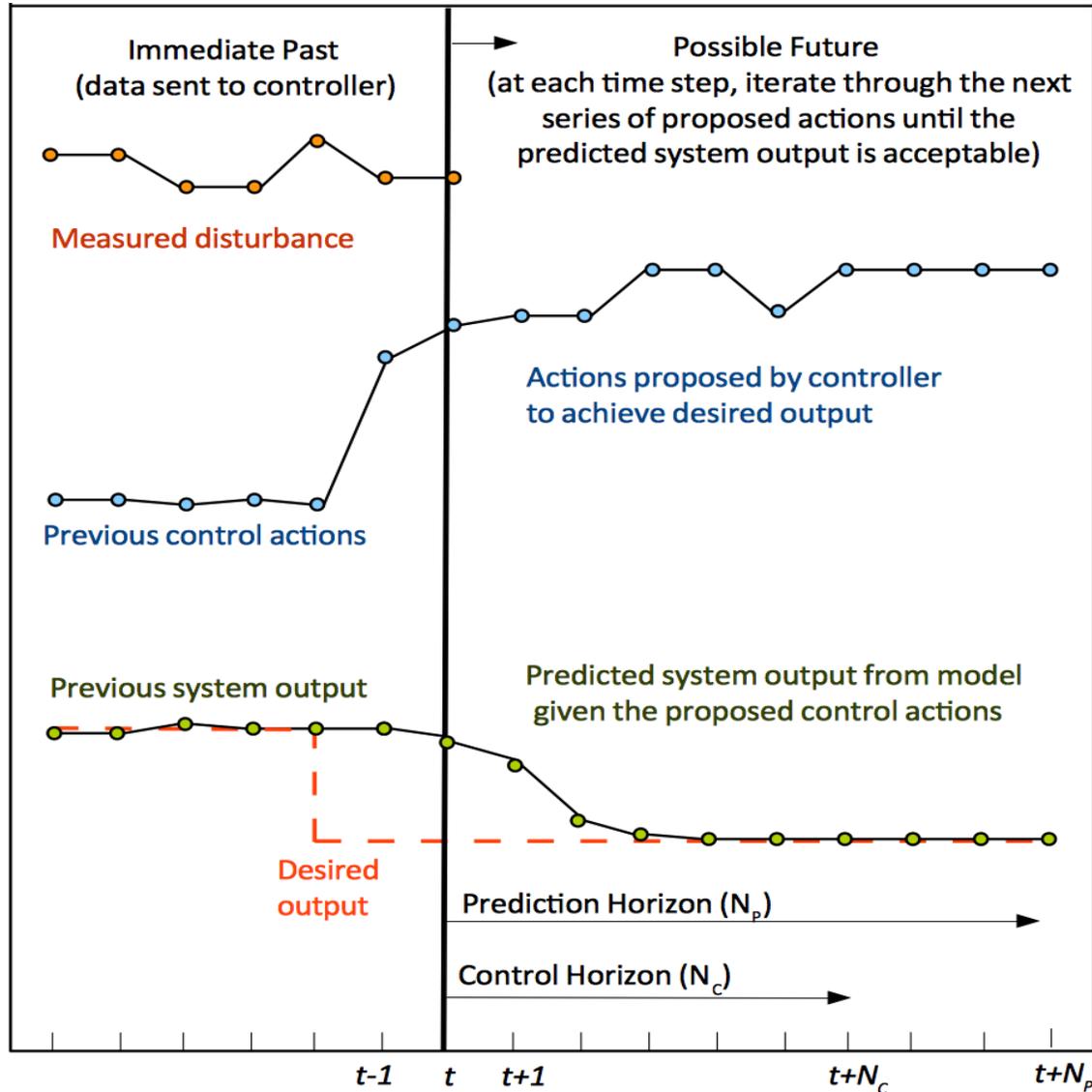
- Once trained, neural networks can execute quickly
- Train on slow, high-fidelity simulation results
- Also train on measured results

An initial study involving this at FAST:

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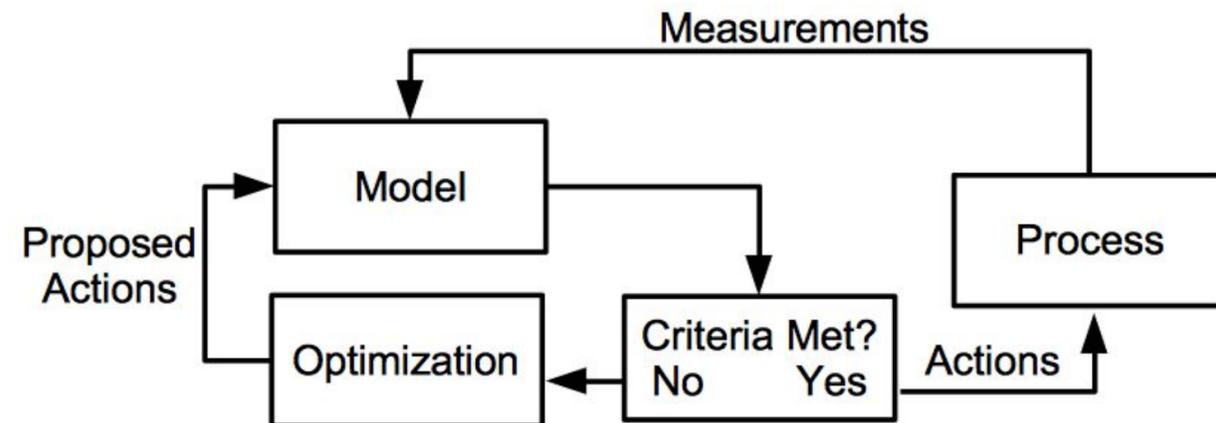
one PARMELA run: ~20 min

Model Predictive Control (Prediction + Planning)

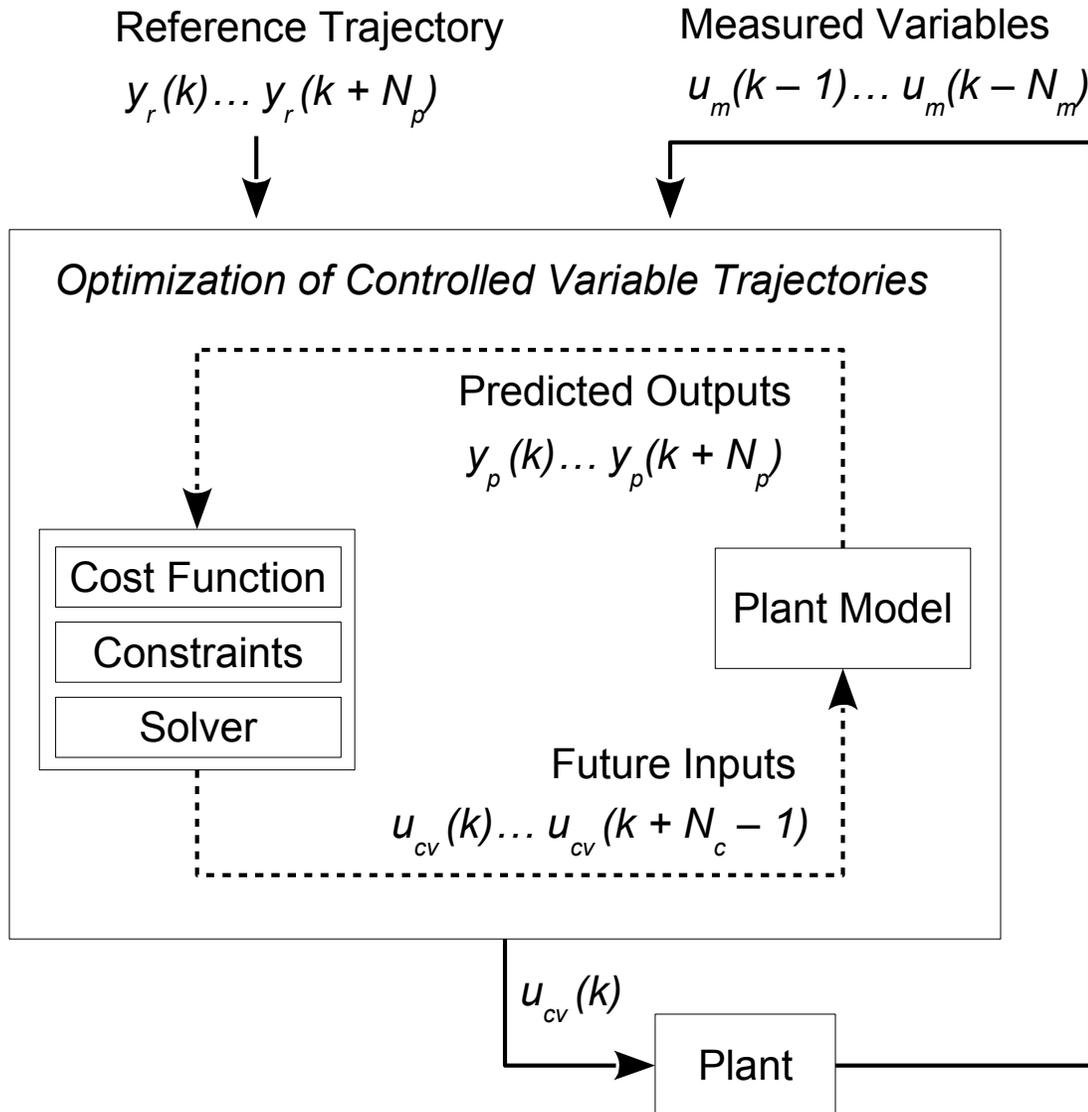


Basic concept:

1. Use a predictive model to assess the outcome of possible future actions
2. Choose the best series of actions
3. Execute the first action
4. Gather next time step of data
5. Repeat



Model Predictive Control (Prediction + Planning)



N_m previous measurements

N_p future time steps predicted

N_c future time steps controlled

$$\sum_{i=1}^{N_p} \{w_y [y_r(k+i) - y_p(k+i)]\}^2$$

(output variable targets)

$$\sum_{j=1}^{n_{cv}} \sum_{i=0}^{N_p-1} \{w_{u,j} [u_j(k+i) - u_{j,ref}(k+i)]\}^2$$

(controllable variable targets)

$$\sum_{j=1}^{n_{cv}} \sum_{i=0}^{N_p-1} \{w_{\Delta u,j} [u_j(k+i) - u_j(k+i-1)]\}^2$$

(movement size)

Temperature Control for the RF Photoinjector at FAST

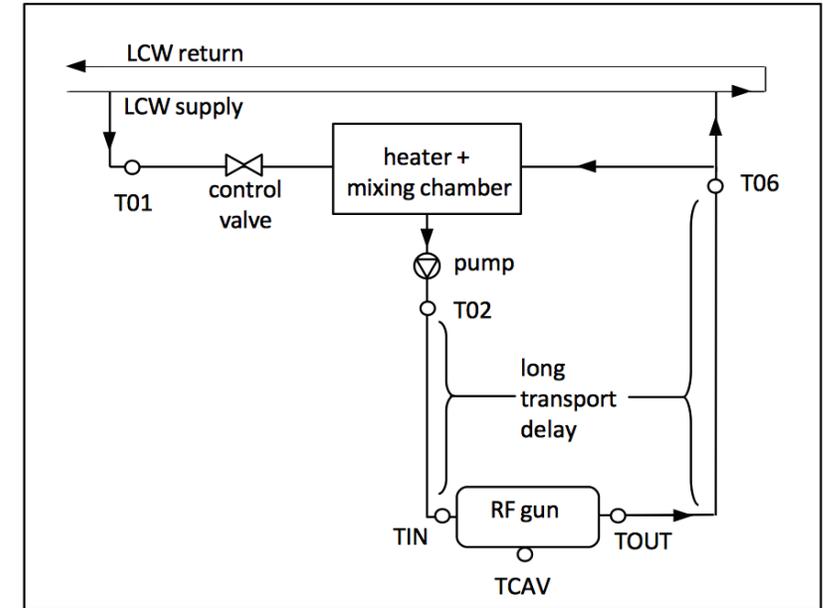
Resonant frequency controlled via temperature

PID control is undesirable in this case:

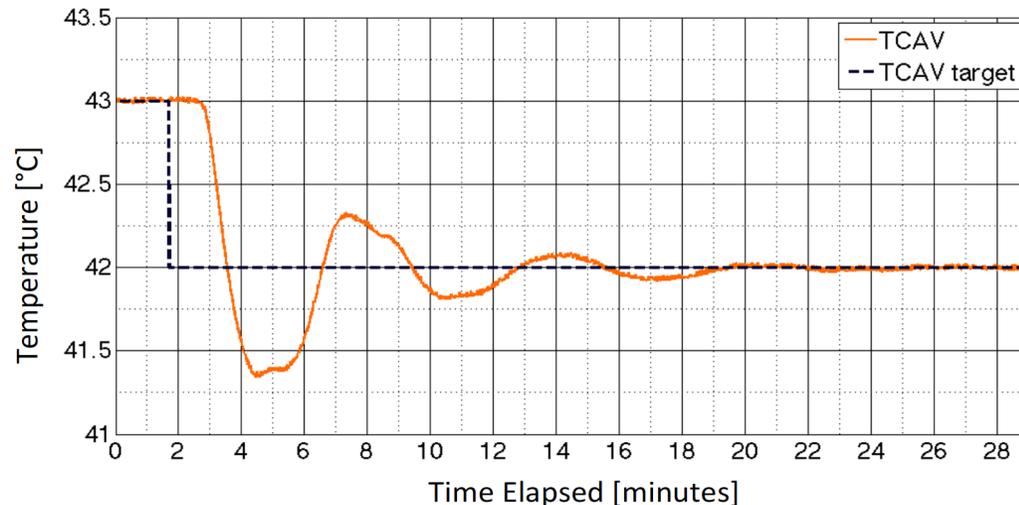
- Long transport delays and thermal responses
- Recirculation leads to secondary impact of disturbances
- Two controllable variables: heater power + valve aperture

Applied **model predictive control (MPC)** with a **neural network model** trained on measured data: **~ 5x faster settling time + no large overshoot**

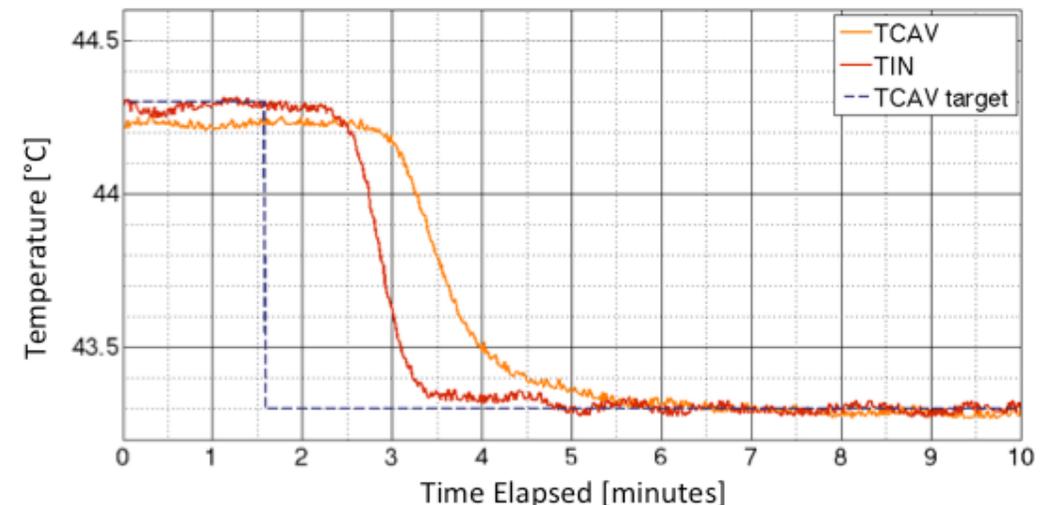
Gun Water System Layout



Existing Feedforward/PID Controller

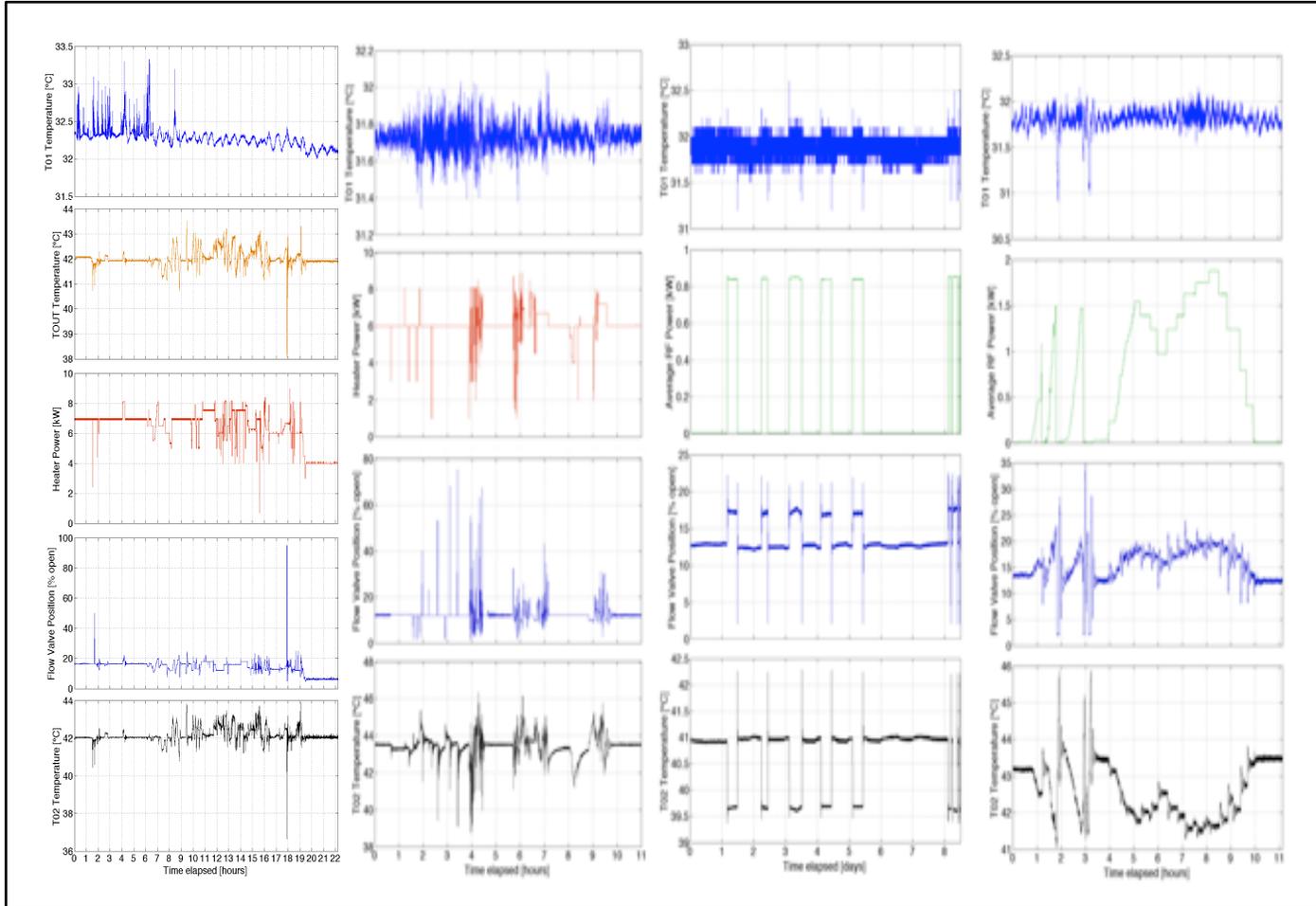


Model Predictive Controller

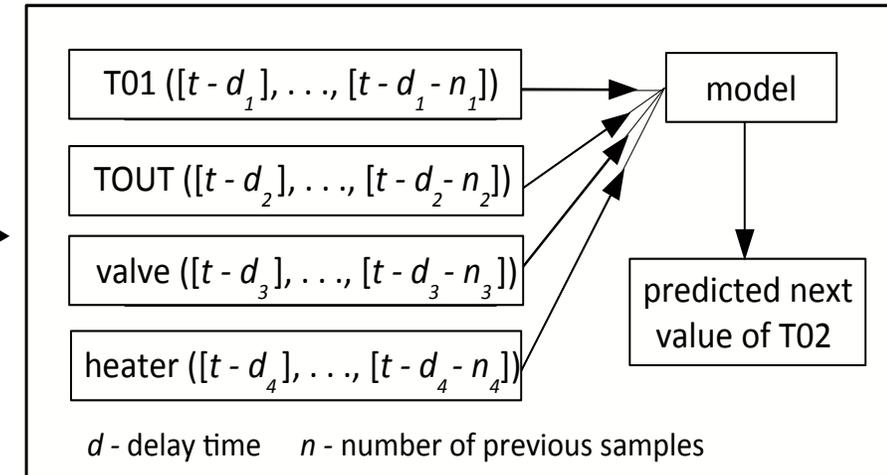


Note that the oscillations are largely due to the transport delays and water recirculation, rather than PID gains

Neural Network Model



Training data from machine



NN model

Why does this matter (for resonant frequency control in general)?

LLRF system will compensate for detuning by increasing forward power

But...

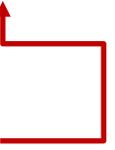
- Ability to do this bounded by the amplifier specs
- RF overhead adds to initial machine cost and footprint
- Using additional RF power → *increasing operational cost*
- Increased waste heat into cooling system → *increasing operational cost*
- If detuned beyond overhead → *interrupt normal operations (beam not properly accelerated or LLRF in frequency-tracking mode)*

PIP-II Injector Test RFQ

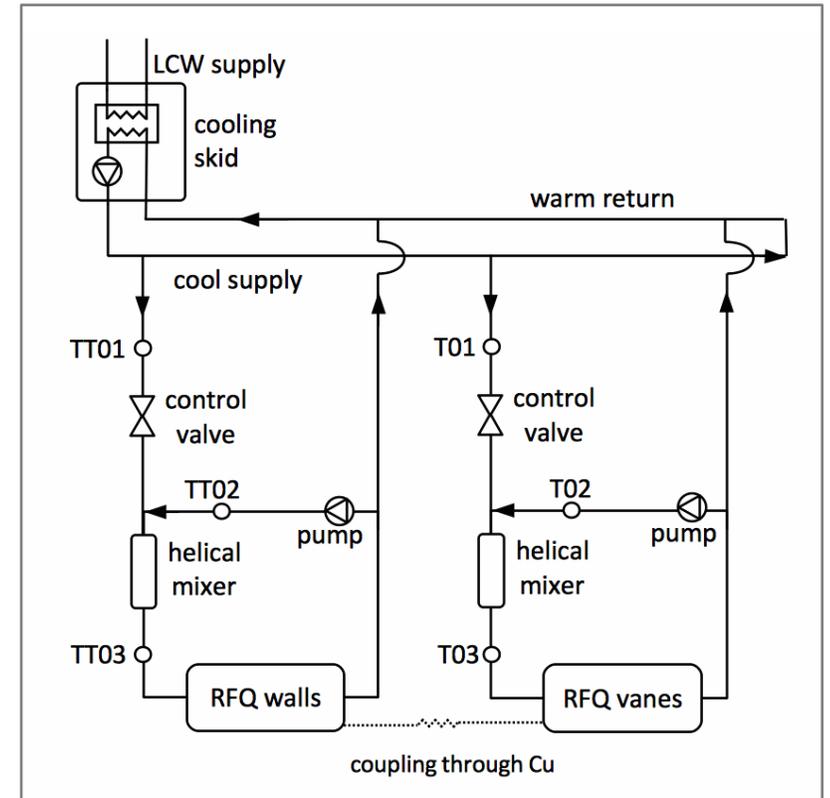
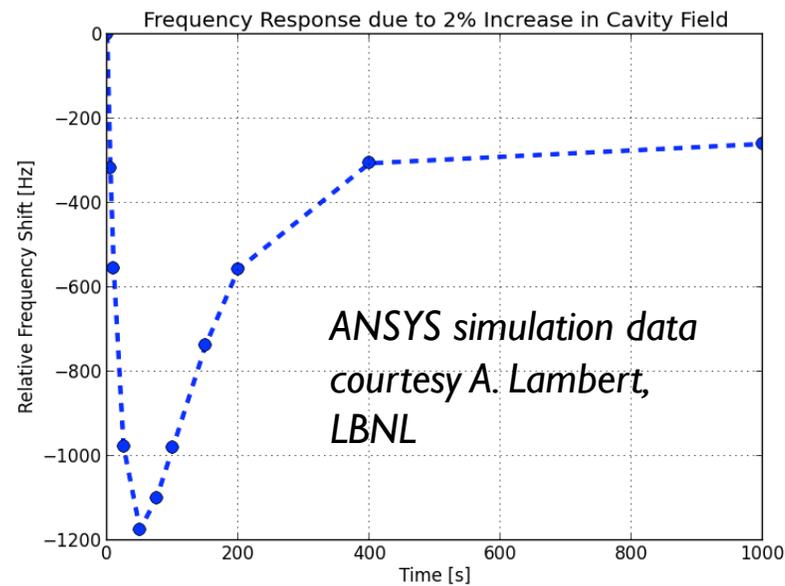
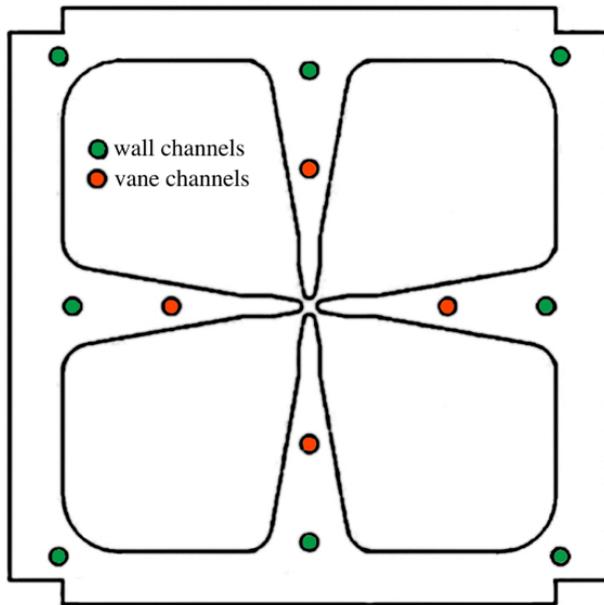


Specification for GDR: 3-kHz maximum frequency shift
 Range of RF duty factors and pulse patterns (including up to CW)
 -16.7 kHz/°C in the vanes and 13.9 kHz/°C in the walls*

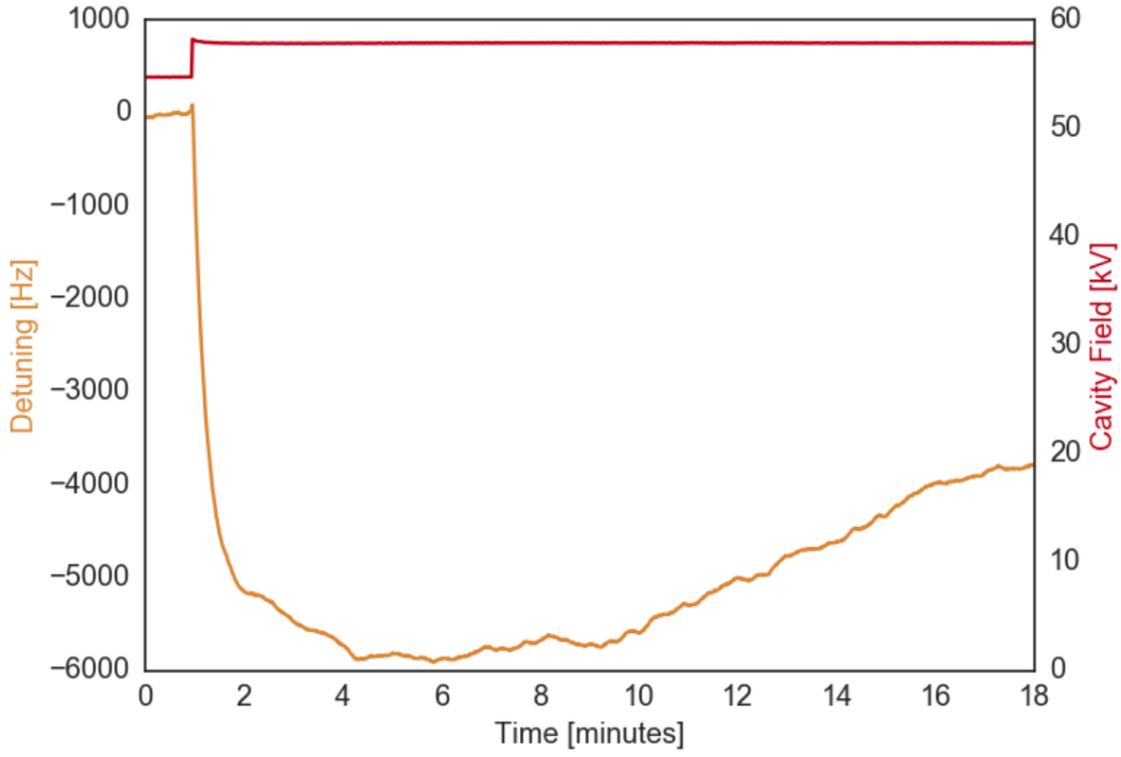
Variable heating



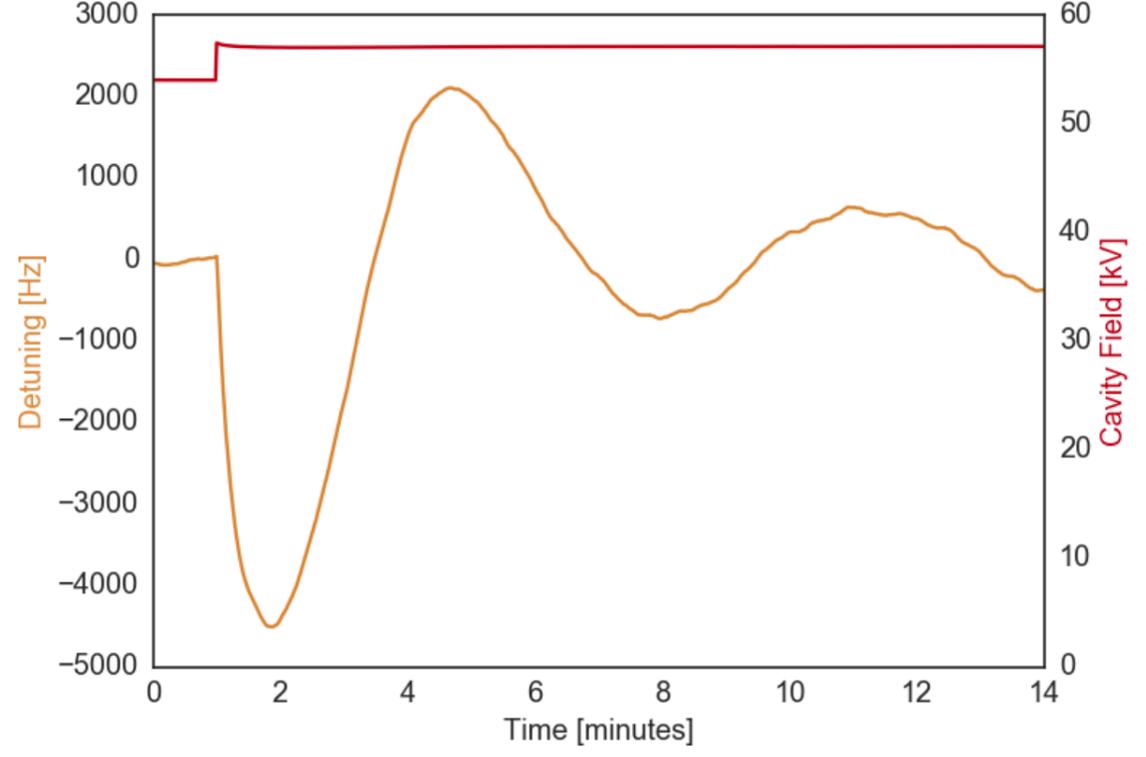
* A. R. Lambert et al., IPAC'15, WEPTY045



RFQ Detuning in CW Mode



Example of uncontrolled detuning in CW mode under a small change in cavity field (55 kV to 58 kV)



PI frequency control in CW operation under a small change in cavity field (55 kV to 58 kV)

What about a simple first-principles model, or a learned linear model?

measured input data → first-principles model

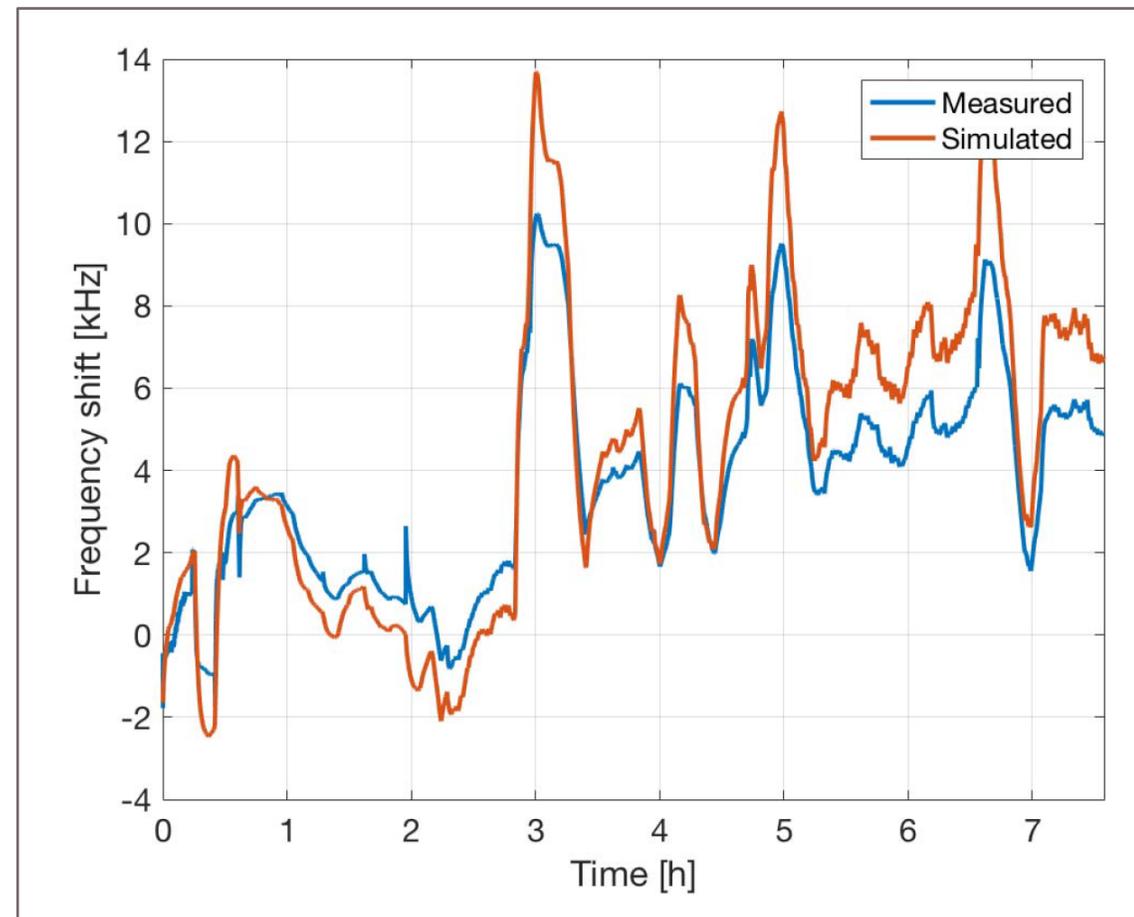
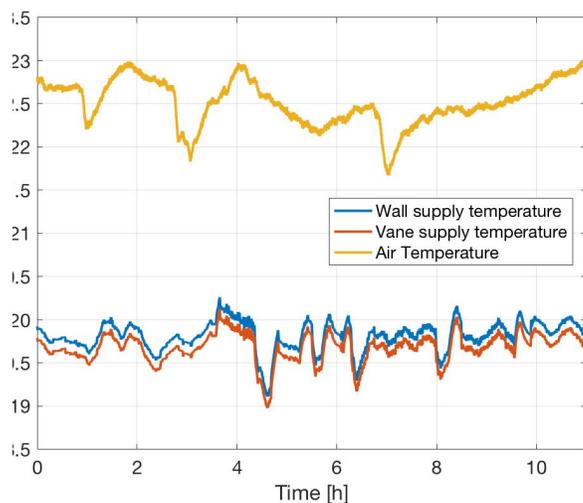
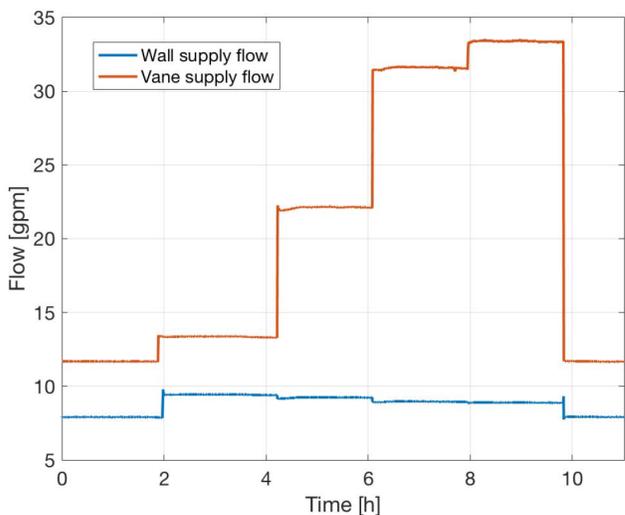
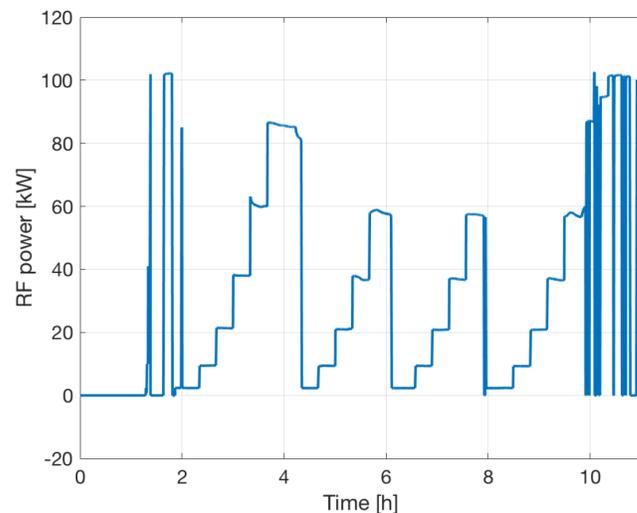
4 ms pulse duration, 10 Hz rep rate

variety of valve and power settings

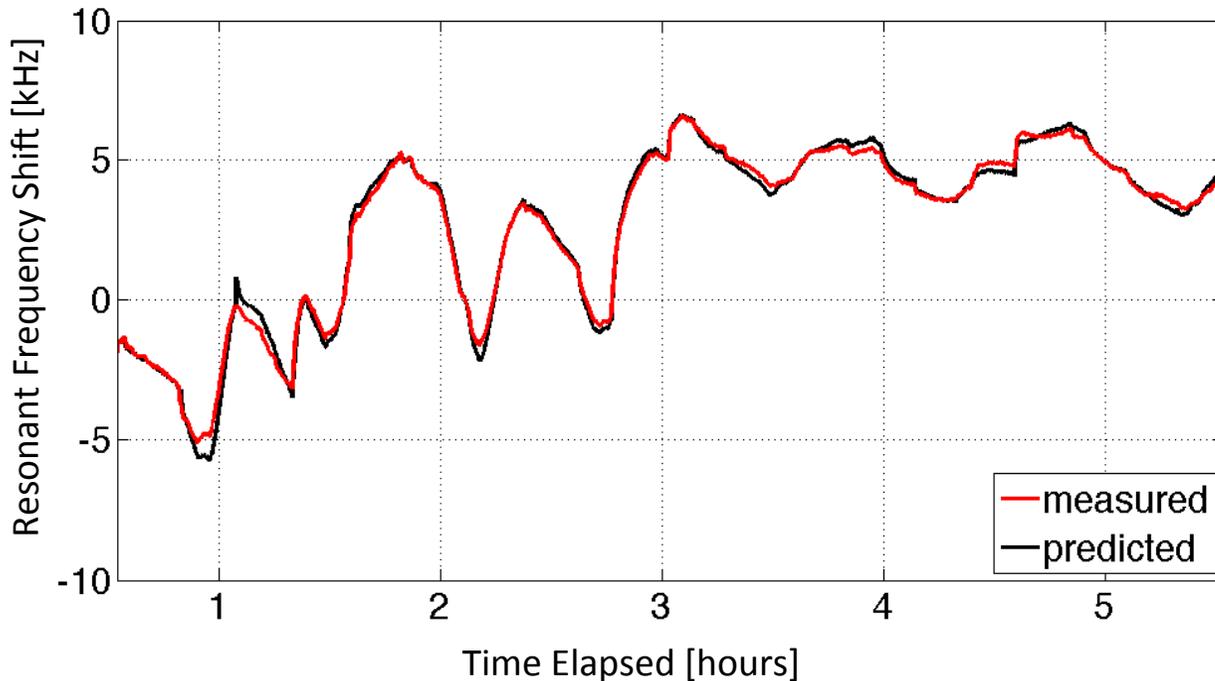
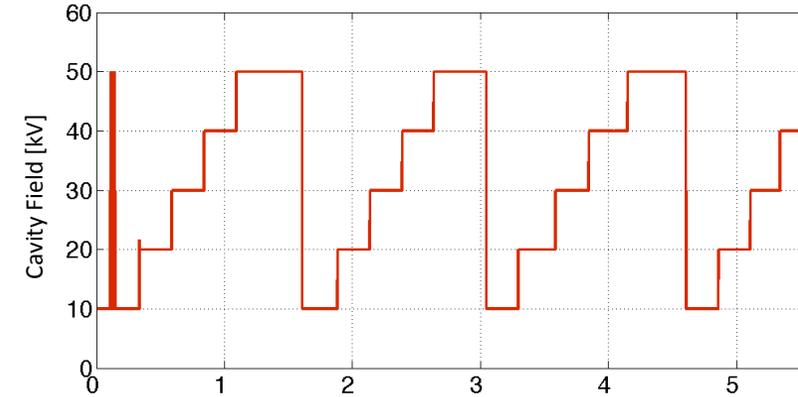
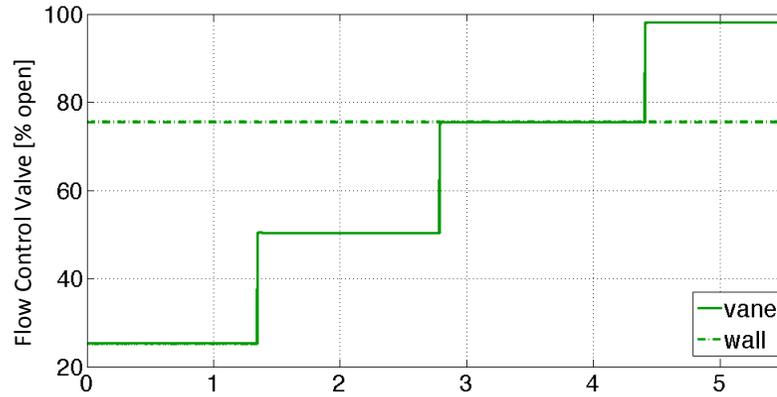
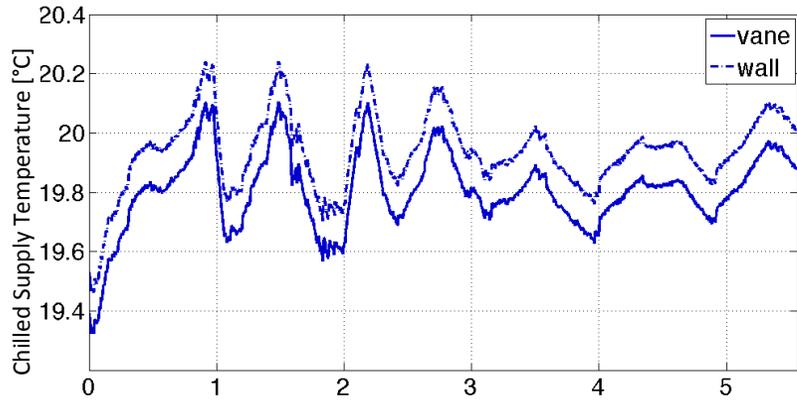
1.67 kHz RMS error
4.01 kHz max error



not good enough!



Neural Network Model

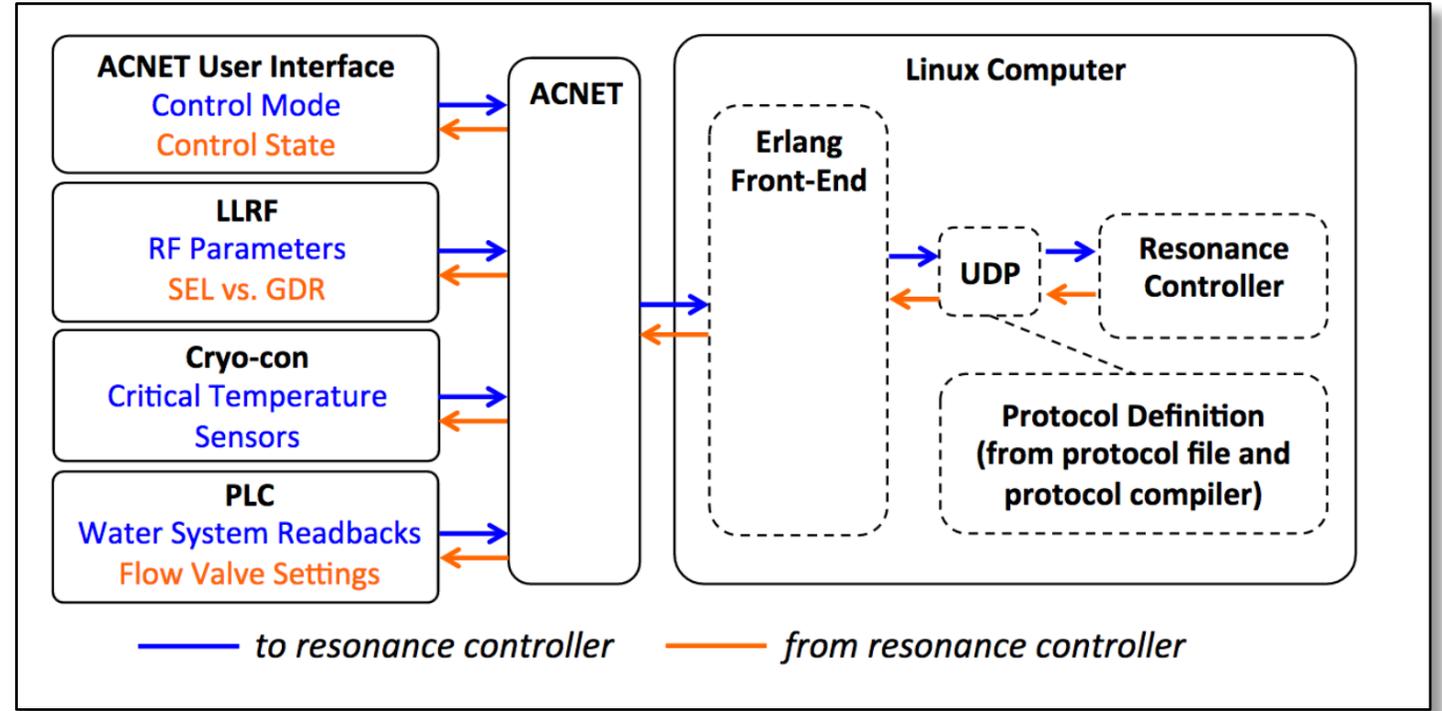
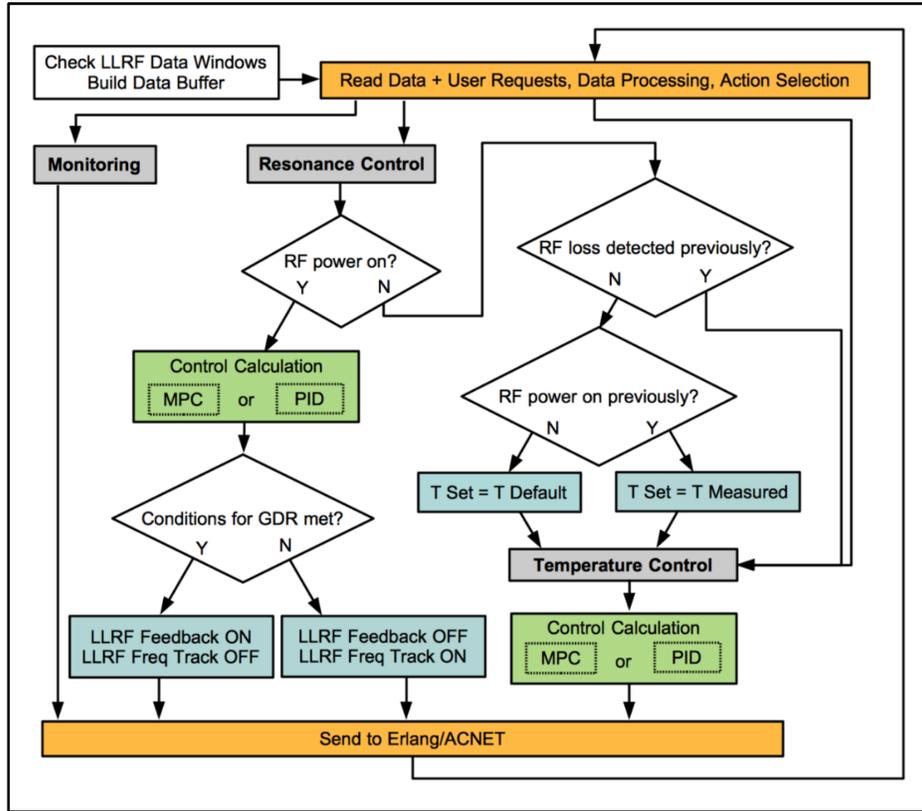


Inputs

- Vane and wall valve settings
- Average RF power
- Water temperatures
- Ambient temperature and humidity

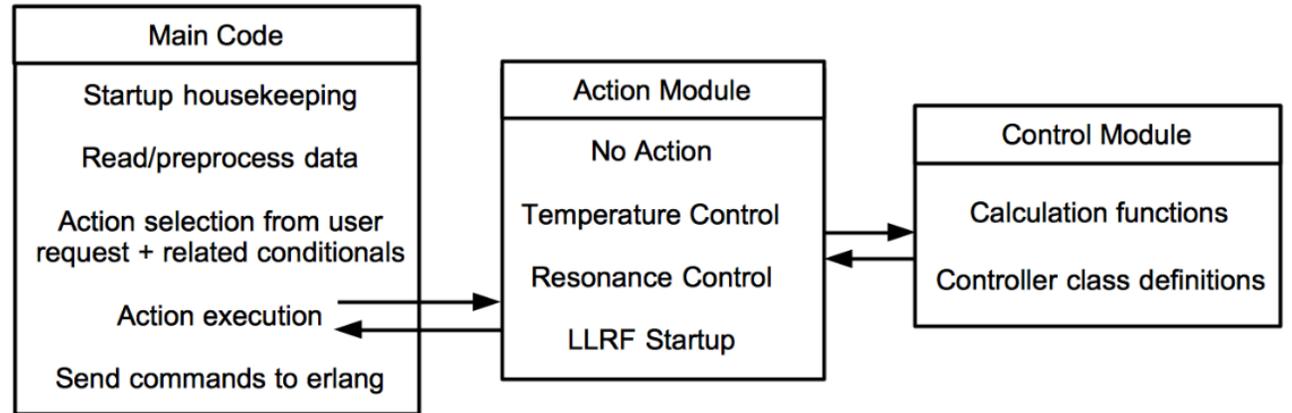
Mean Absolute Prediction Error

- 346 Hz on the test set
- 98 Hz on the validation set
- 115 Hz across all sets



Built a *python-based control framework*

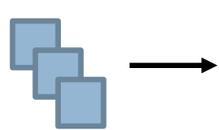
- Executes on controls network linux computer
- PI control in regular operational use
- Preparing for test of MPC
- Designed to be portable + modular



Virtual Diagnostics

Predict what diagnostics might look like when they are unavailable or don't exist

Real
values
from
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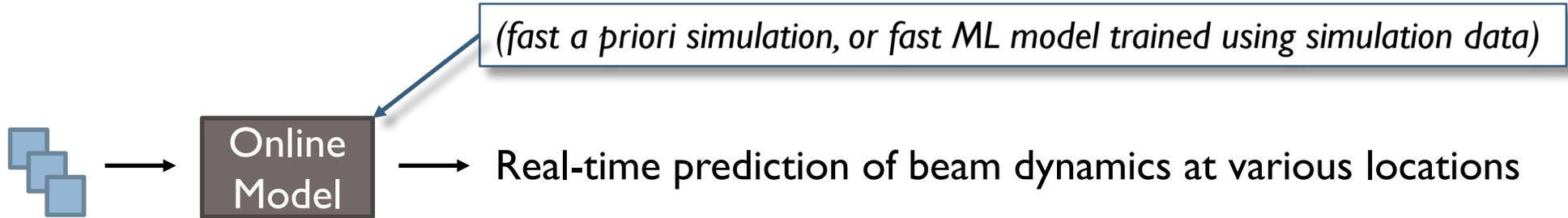


Real-time prediction of beam dynamics at various locations

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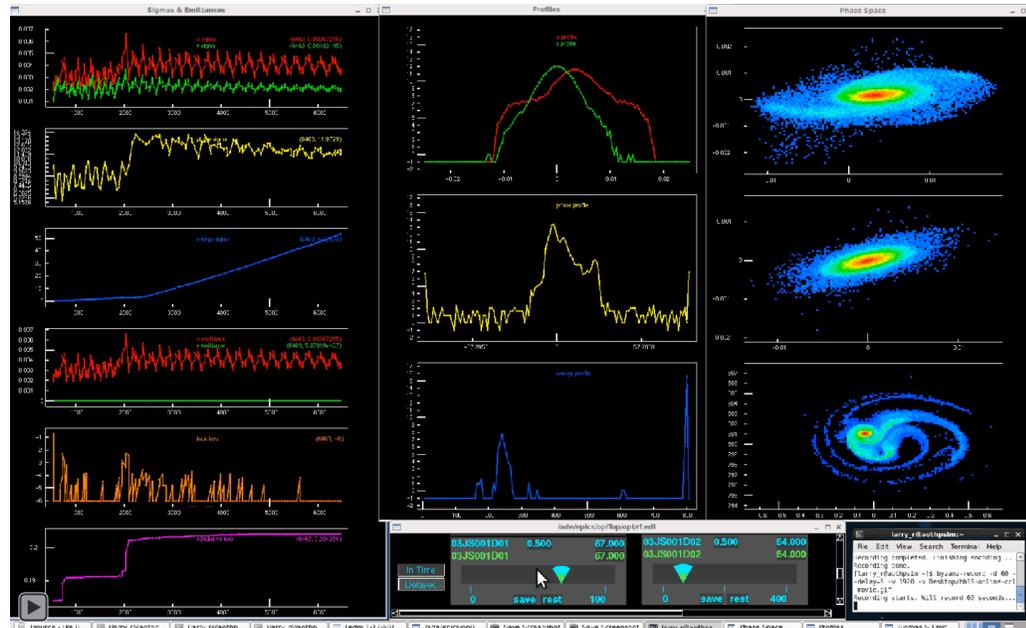
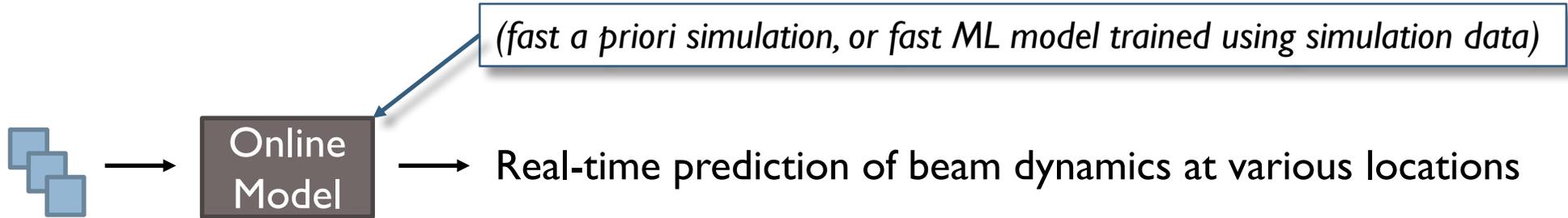
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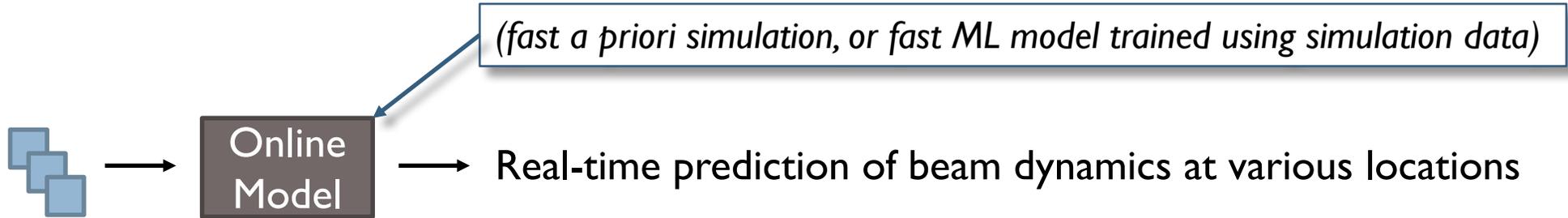
e.g. GPU-accelerated PARMILA at LANSCE

X. Pang, et al., PAC13, MOPMA13
X. Pang, IPAC15, WEXC2
X. Pang and L. Rybarcyk, CPC185, is. 3 (2014)
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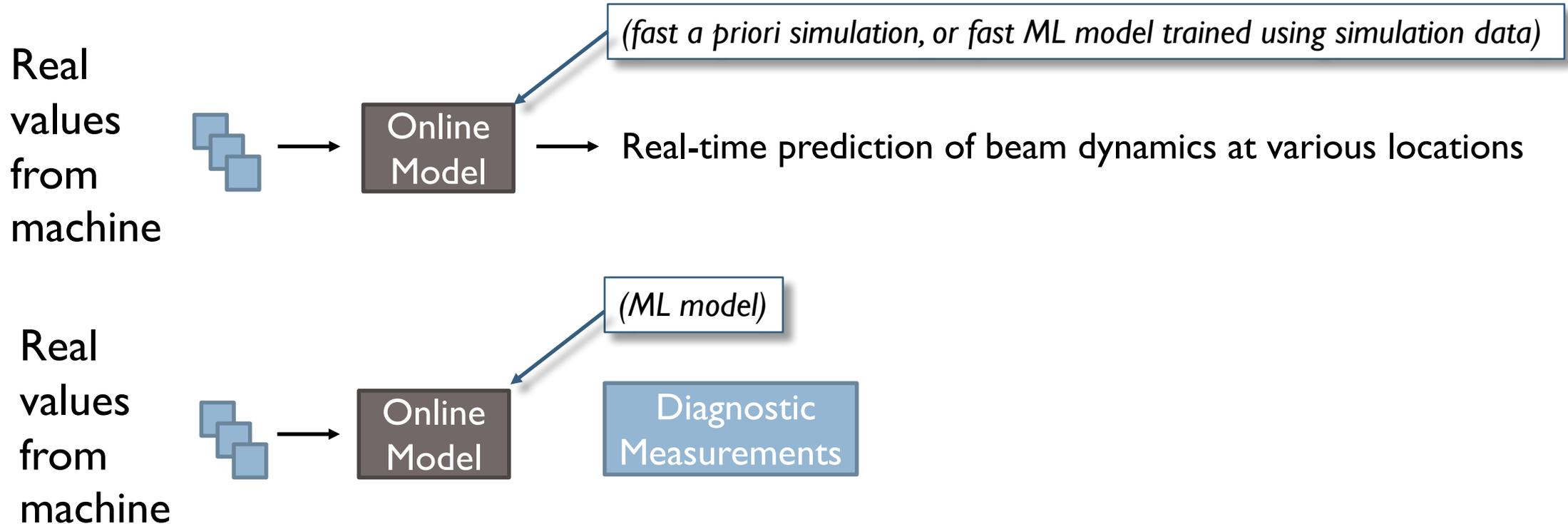
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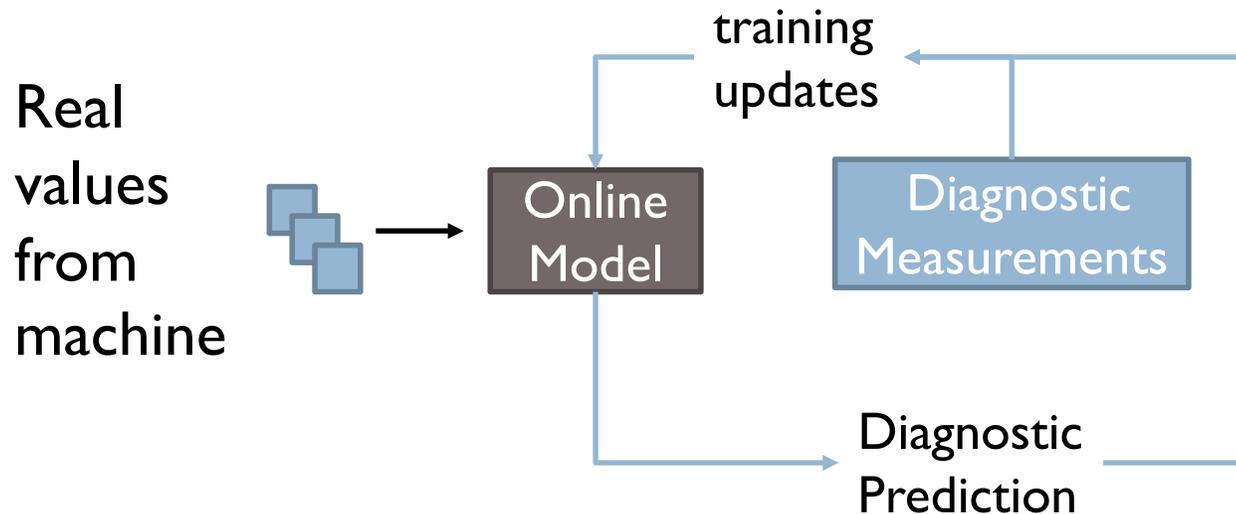
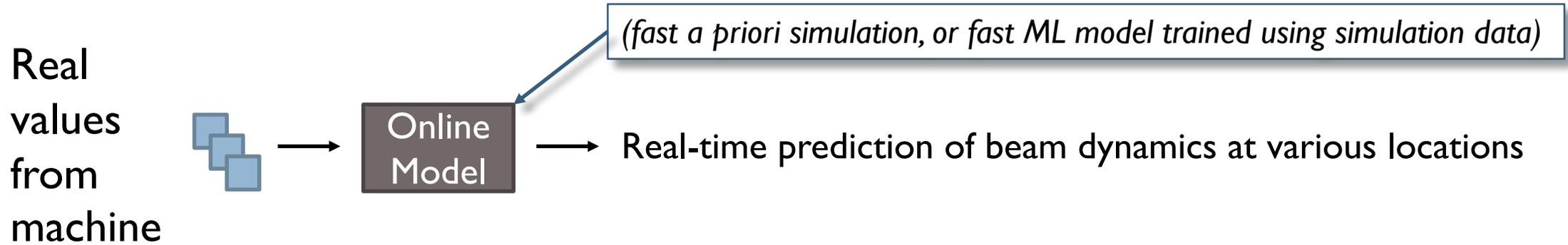
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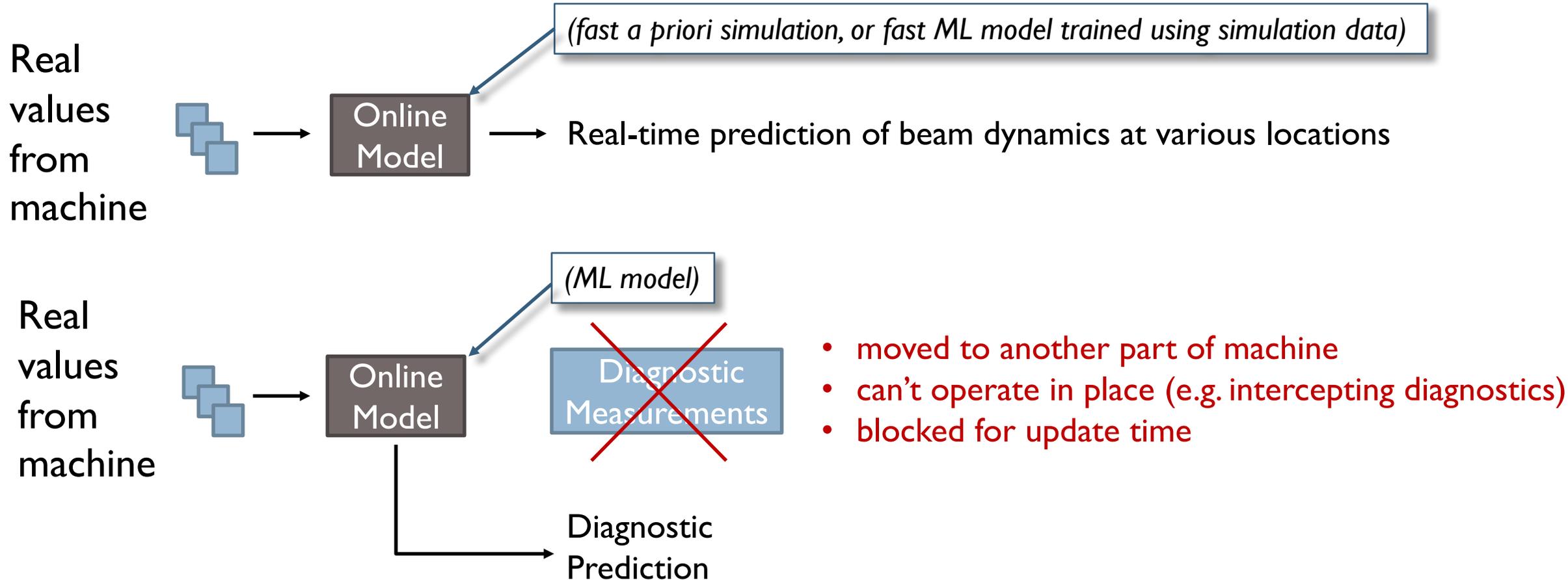
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Machine learning applied to single-shot x-ray diagnostics in an XFEL

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A. Sanchez-Gonzalez, et al. <https://arxiv.org/pdf/1610.03378.pdf>

- Used archived data to learn correlation between fast and slow diagnostics
- Looked at a variety of ML methods and different diagnostics

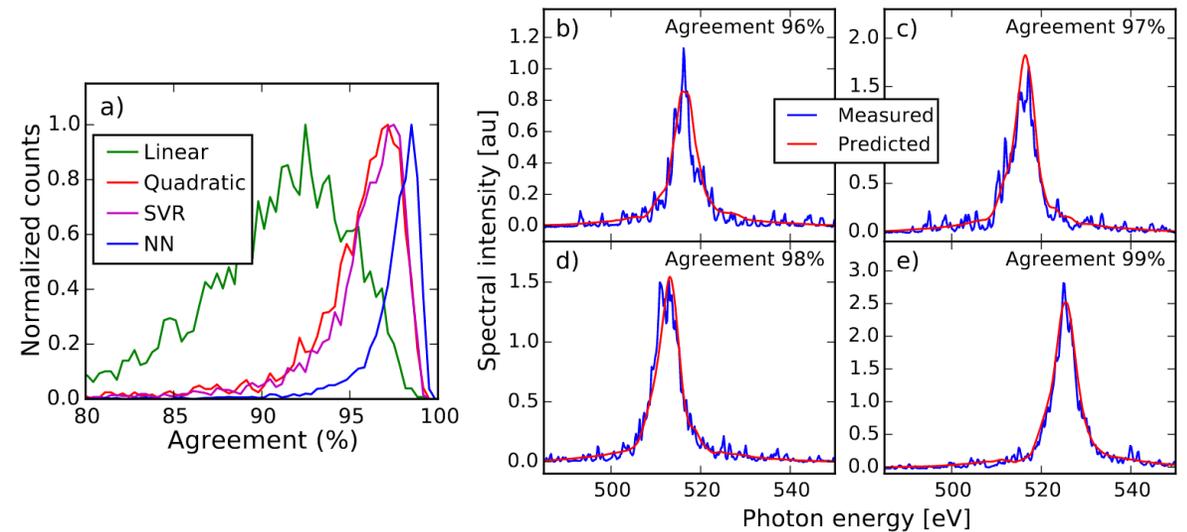
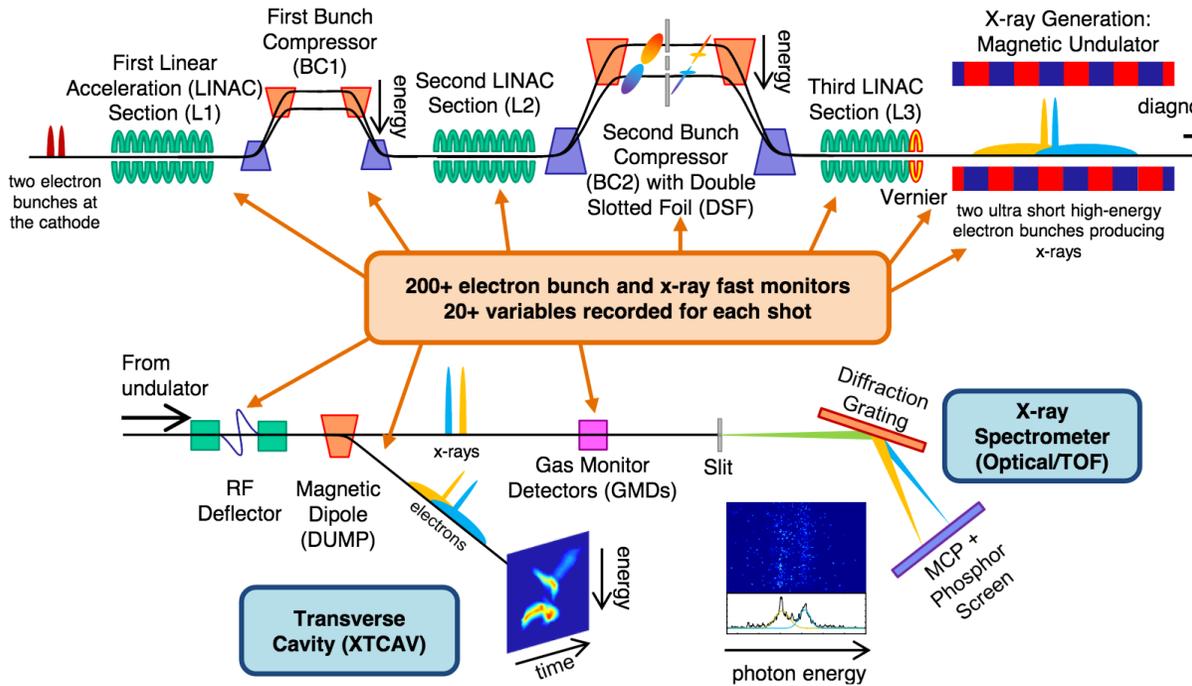
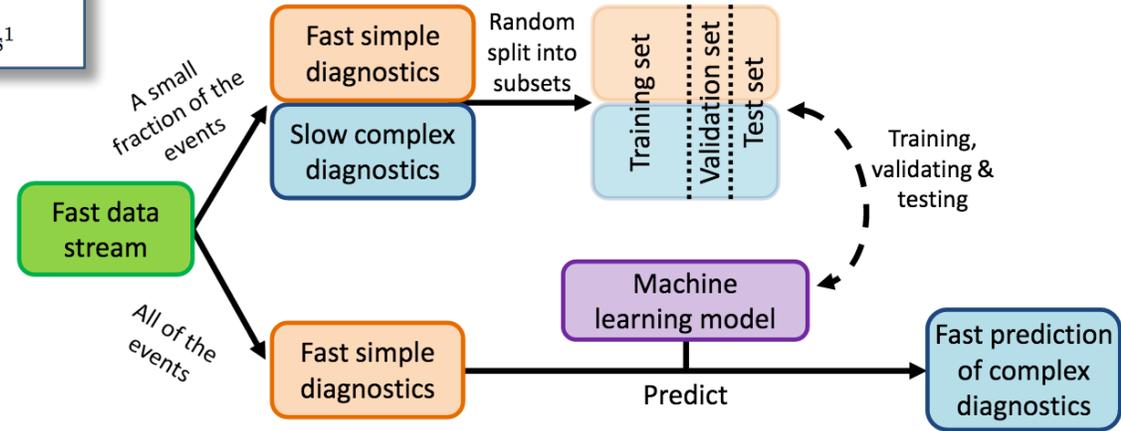


FIG. 4. Spectral shape prediction for a single pulse. (a) Histogram of agreements between the predicted and the measured spectra for the test set using the 4 different models. (b-e) Examples of the measured and the predicted spectra using a neural network to illustrate the accuracy for different agreement values.

Fault Prediction (Prognostics) + Anomaly Detection

Operations:

- Identify aberrant behavior that is correlated with faults, failures, or poor machine states
- Detect deviations from normal operating conditions that may otherwise go noticed

Machine Protection:

catastrophic failures and faults sometimes preceded by tell-tale signs

Replacement Cycles:

predict time-to-failure based on real-time and archived data

Using LSTM recurrent neural networks for detecting anomalous behavior of LHC superconducting magnets

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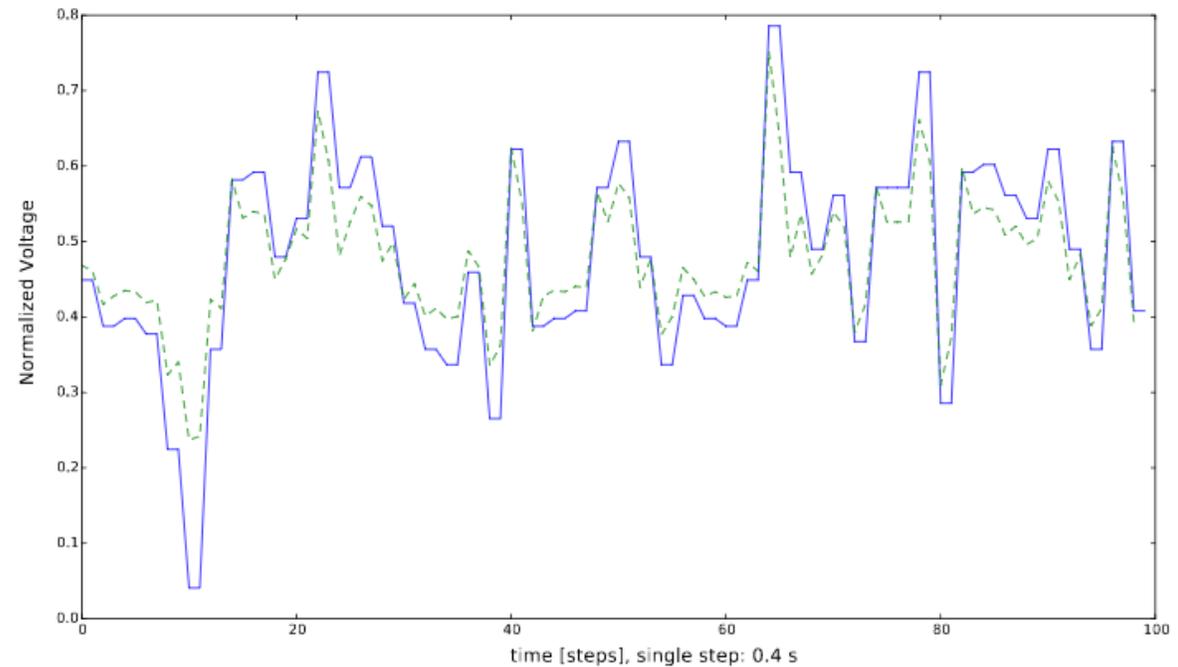
Aim: use a recurrent NN to identify quench precursors in voltage time series.

→ **Predict future behavior, then classify it**

Initial study with small data set:

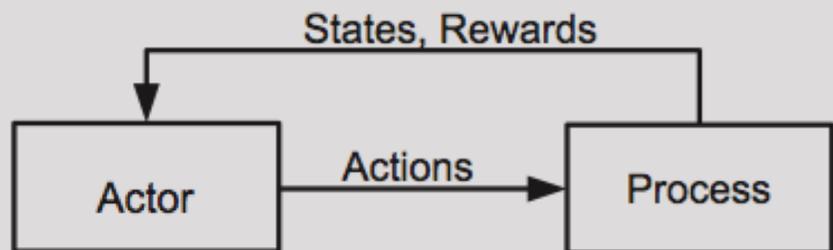
- 425 quenches for 600 A magnets
- Used archived data from 2008 to 2016
- 16-32 previous values → predict a few time steps ahead

“Some of the most dangerous malfunctions of the magnets are quenches which occur when a part of the superconducting cable becomes normally-conducting.”

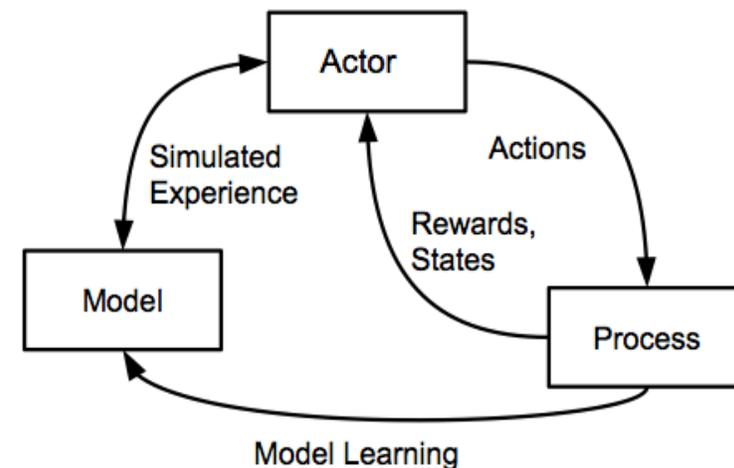


Neural Network Policies and Reinforcement Learning

Actor-only Methods



- Actor is a control policy
- Maps states to actions
- Reward provides training signal

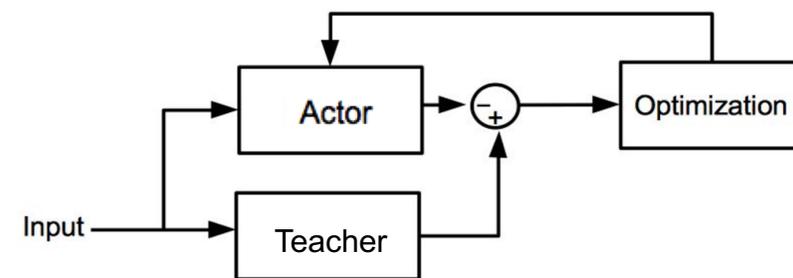
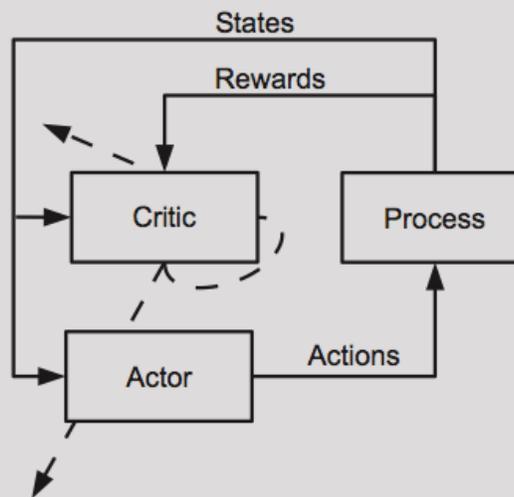


Can train on models first to get a good initial solution before deployment

Actor-Critic Methods

- Critic maps states or state/action pairs to an estimate of long-term reward
- Could be a NN, tabular, etc.
- Critic provides training signal to actor

Without actor: use an optimization algorithm with the critic

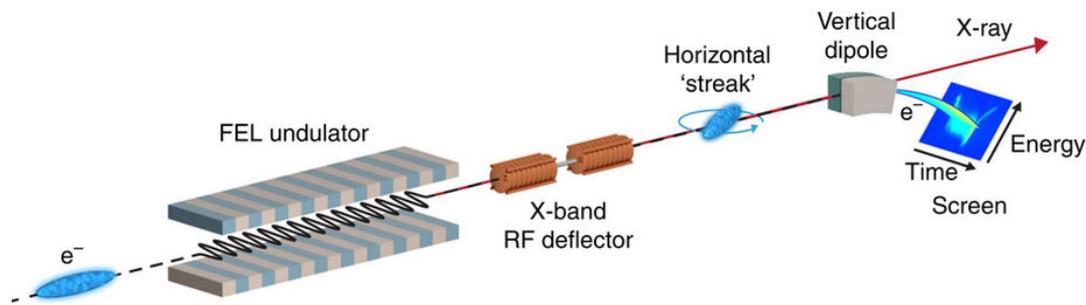


Can use supervised learning to first approximate the behavior of a different control policy

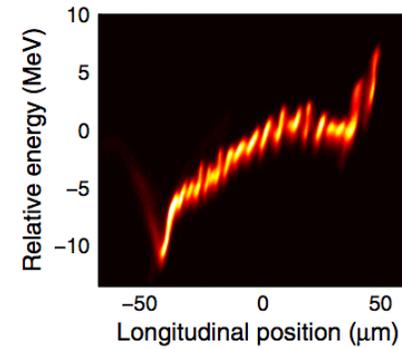
Computer Vision + Neural Network-based RL

- **Image diagnostics** → would be nice to use directly, and some yield relatively complicated information

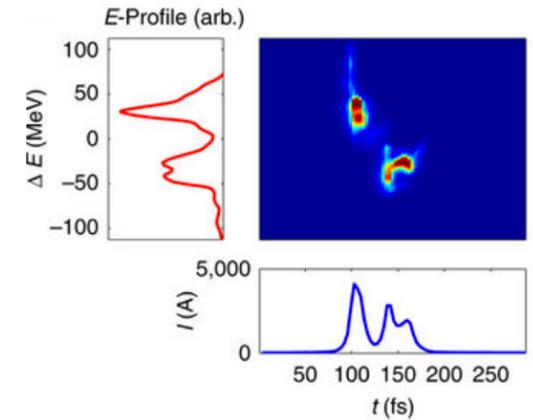
e.g. XTCAV at SLAC



C. Behrens, et al., *Nat. Commun.* **5**, 3762 (2014)



D. Ratner, et al., *PRSTAB* **18**, 030704 (2015)



A. Marinelli, et al., *Nat. Commun.* **6**, 6369 (2015)

- **Convolutional Neural Networks (CNNs)** → very good at image processing
- **Reinforcement Learning (RL)** → can learn control policies from data

***Why not try using image based diagnostics directly in learned control policies?
What's a relatively simple test case to start with?***

Initial Study at FAST/IOTA

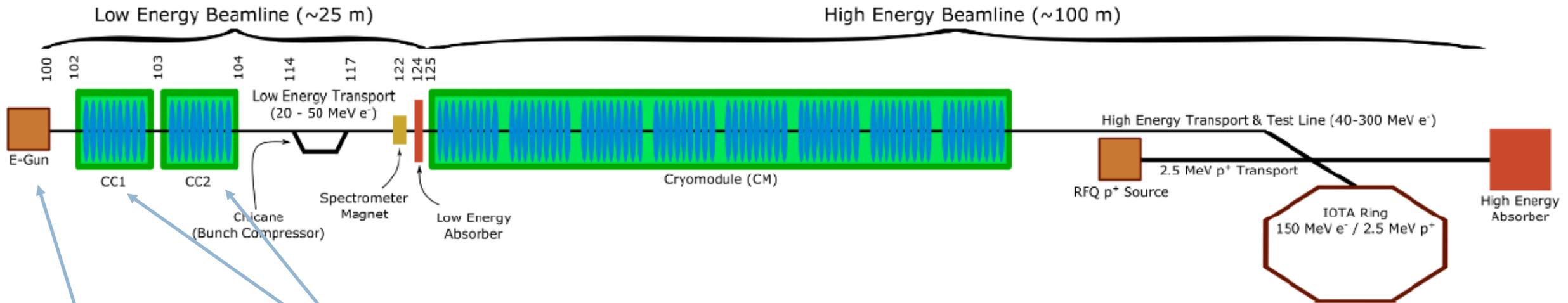


figure from various FAST reports

Photocathode RF Gun

Superconducting Capture Cavities

Initial work with J. Edelen and D. Edstrom, FNAL

Initial Study: Choose Gun Parameters Based on Laser Spot

Motivation:

- Gun phase and solenoid strength tuned daily
- Asymmetries in initial laser distribution result in emittance asymmetries downstream
- Would be nice to obtain optimal gun phase and solenoid strength for a given initial laser distribution automatically (and perhaps prioritize x or y emittance to minimize)



*Example virtual cathode image
(10 Aug. 2016)*

Other perks:

- PARMELA simulation based on survey data already in existence (J. Edelen)
- Try out creating a fast NN modeling tool from slower-executing simulations

Initial Study: Choose Gun Parameters Based on Laser Spot

Motivation:

- Gun phase and selection

◦ Aperture

- Velocity
- Spot diameter
- X-axis

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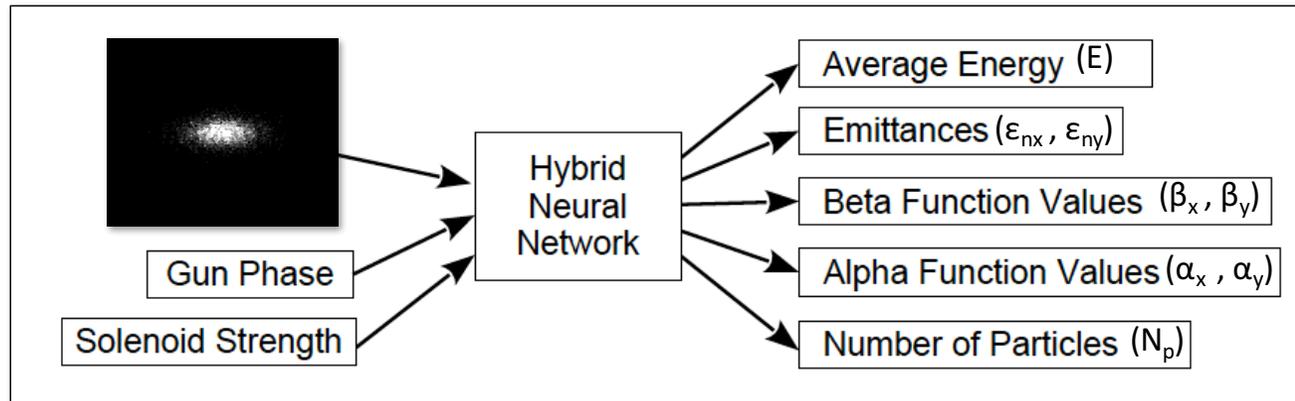
Why not just use online optimization?

Why not just fit a Gaussian to the laser spot to get the information instead of using images directly?

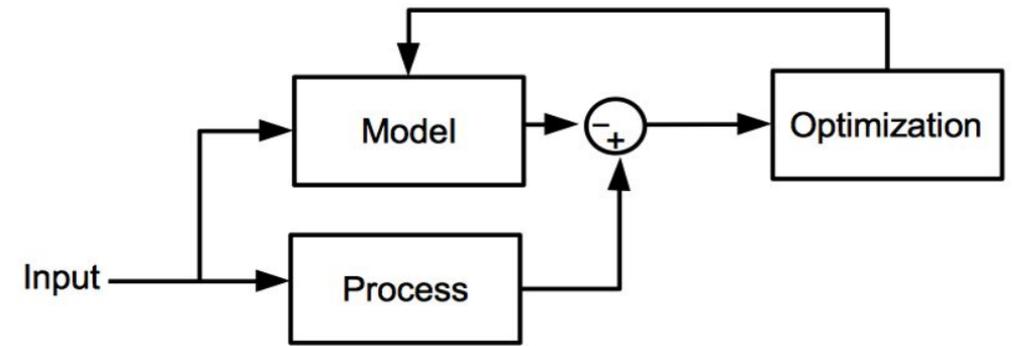
The point of this study: explore this approach on a simple system (it's a stepping stone)

Initial Study: Steps

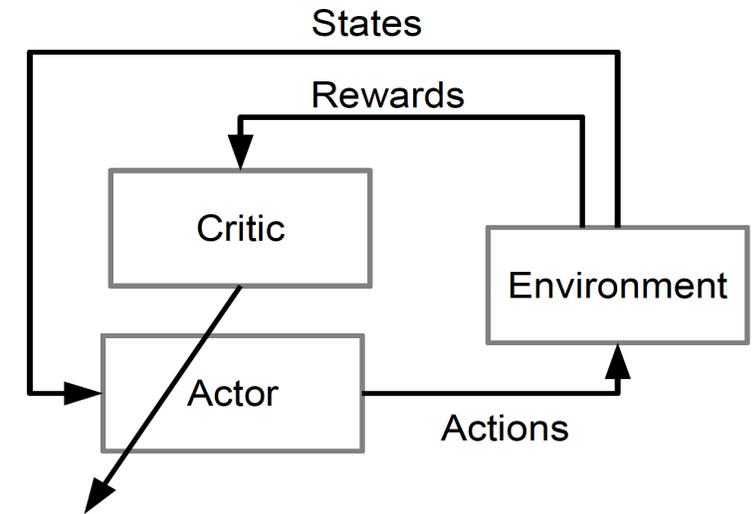
- Gather simulation data from PARMELA scans
- Create a NN model
 - Be certain that the necessary information can be extracted from the image, gun phase, and solenoid strength
- Train a RL controller using that model
- Extension beyond simulation (tentative):
 - Incorporate measured data into model and update controller
 - Carefully test on machine



model inputs and outputs



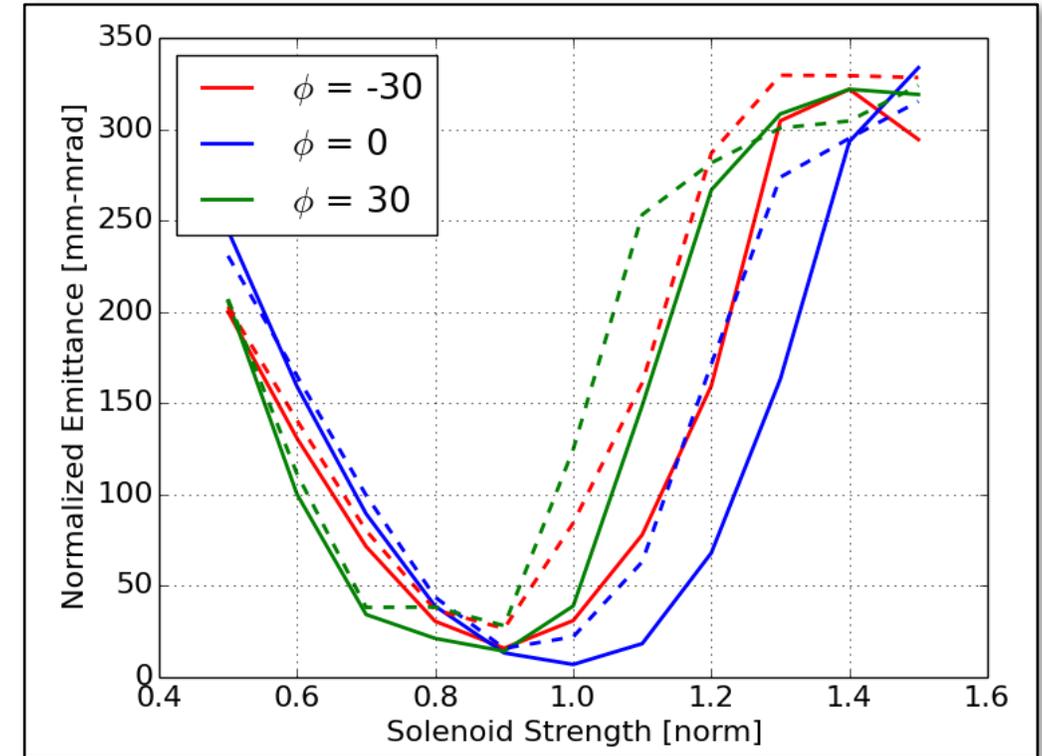
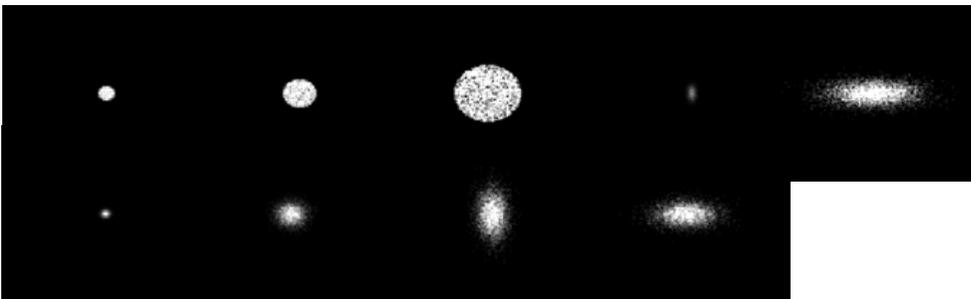
Model Learning



Policy Learning

CNN Model: Simulation Data

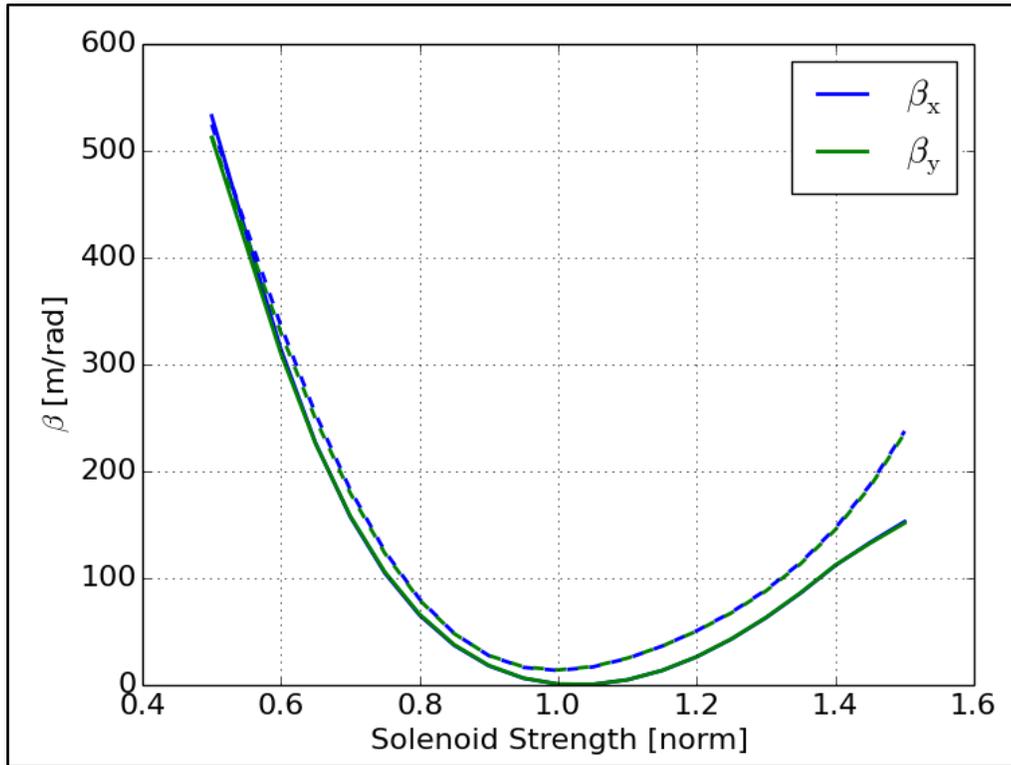
- PARMELA simulations from the gun up to the exit of CC2
 - 2-D space charge routine
 - Scanned gun phase, solenoid strength, initial beam distribution
- Two sets of data:
 - Fine scans (steps of 5° phase, 5% sol. str.) for sims just past the gun
 - Coarse scans (steps of 10° phase, 10% sol. str.) for sims up through CC2
- Simulated “virtual cathode images”
 - Going from VCI \rightarrow initial beam distribution ok from prior work
 - Initial beam distribution \rightarrow simulated VCI probably ok
 - Obviously very “well-behaved” examples



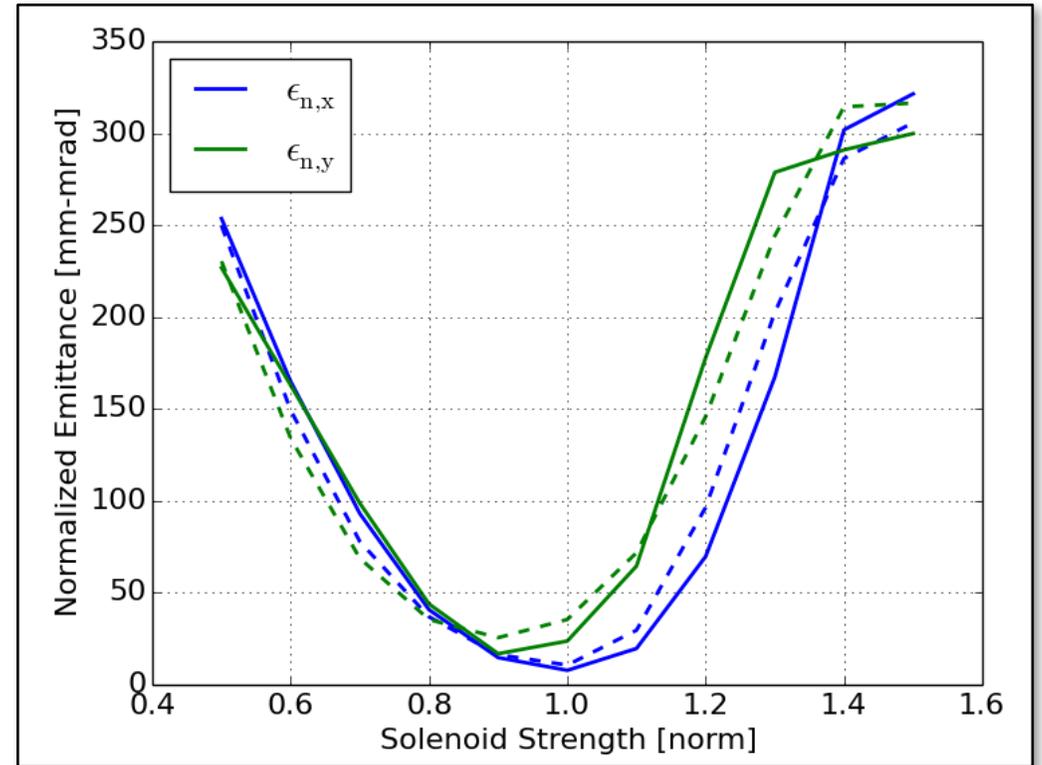
Simulation predictions after CC2. Dashed lines are x-emittance, solid lines are y-emittance.
Caveat: doesn't take into account coupling...later changed NN setup to predict sigma matrix, and also used a 3D space charge routine.

CNN Model: Two Representative Plots

Dashed lines are NN predictions and solid lines are simulation results



Top-hat initial beam, 0° RF phase, after gun



Asymmetric Gaussian initial beam, 0° RF phase, after CC2

For the gun data, all MAEs are between 0.4% and 1.8% of the parameter ranges.
For the CC2 data, all MAEs are between 0.9% and 3.1% of the parameter ranges.

→ *Not bad for such a small training set*

Fast Switching Between Trajectories

Work with C. Tennant and D. Douglas, JLab

- 76 BPMs, 57 dipoles, 53 quadrupoles
- Traditional approach has never worked (linear response matrix)
- Rely on one expert for steering tune-up
- Want to specify small offsets in trajectory at some locations
- Didn't initially have an up-to-date machine model available

Learn responses (NN model) from tune-up data and dedicated study time:

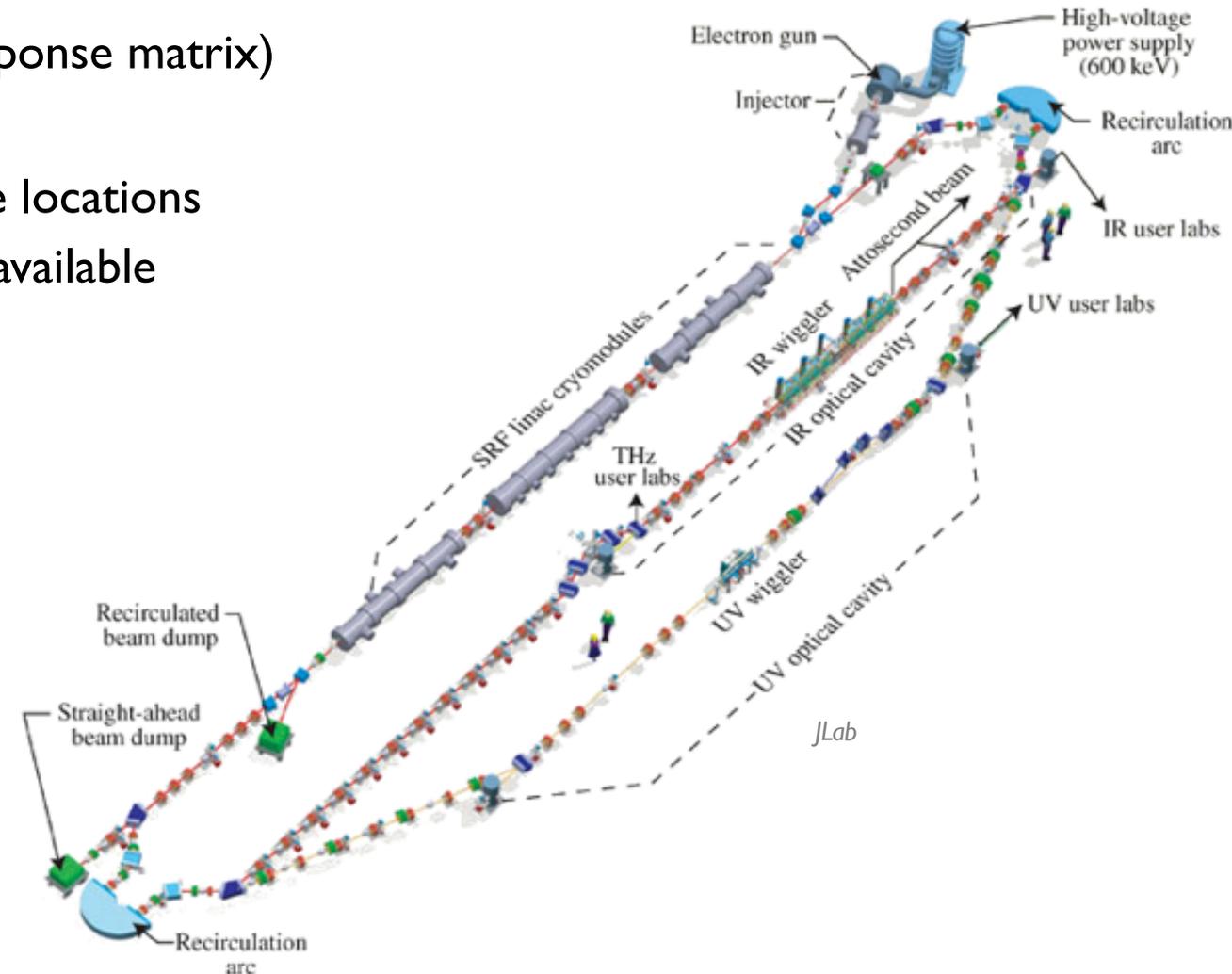
dipole + quadrupole settings \rightarrow predict BPMs

Train controller (NN policy) offline using NN model:

desired trajectory \rightarrow dipole settings

(and penalize losses + large magnet settings)

Test on machine: check to make sure model prediction still accurate and try static controller (non-adaptive)



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- Want
- Didn't

(Very) Preliminary Results:

Model Errors for BPMs:

| | | |
|-----------------|-------------|-------------|
| Training Set: | 0.07 mm MAE | 0.09 mm STD |
| Validation Set: | 0.08 mm MAE | 0.07 mm STD |
| Test Set: | 0.08 mm MAE | 0.03 mm STD |

Controller: random initial states → on average

Similar Kind of Task: switching between FEL frequencies (in progress)

→ simulation study with CSU FEL (3 – 6 MeV e- beam → space charge)

→ use optimization iteration output from simulation to train NN model

→ train controller via interaction with NN model, then with simulation

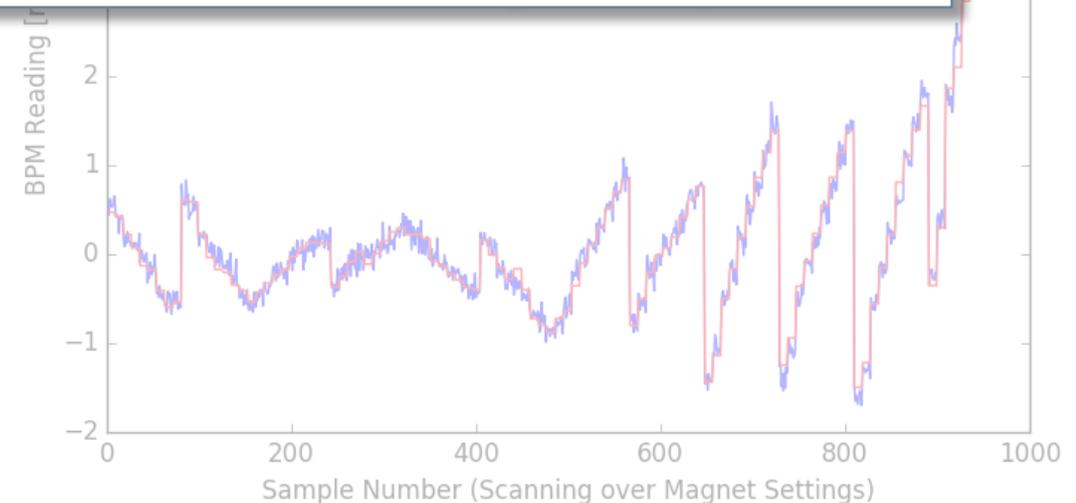
→ given target wavelength: set quads, gun phase, solenoid strength, RF power

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Final Notes: Some Practical Challenges

*large enough parameter range and set of examples to generalize well and complete the task

*you can trust it

Need a *sufficient** amount of *reliable** data
(but not as much as is sometimes claimed in DL)

Training on Measured Data

Undocumented manual changes
(e.g. rotating a BPM)

Relevant-but-unlogged parameters

Availability of diagnostics

Observed parameter range in archived data

Time on machine for characterization studies
(schedule + expense)

Ideal case:

- comprehensive, high-resolution data archive
- excellent log of manual changes

Training on Simulation Data

How representative of the real machine behavior?

High-fidelity (e.g. PIC)
→ time-consuming to run

Input/output parameters need to translate directly to what's on the machine (quantitatively)

Retention + availability of prior results:
(*optimize and throw the iterations away!*)

Deployment

- Initial training is on HPC systems → deployment is typically not*
- Execution on front-end: necessary speed + memory?
 - Subsequent training: on front-end or transfer to HPC?

Software compatibility for older systems:
interface with machine + make use of modern ML software libraries

I/O for large amounts of data

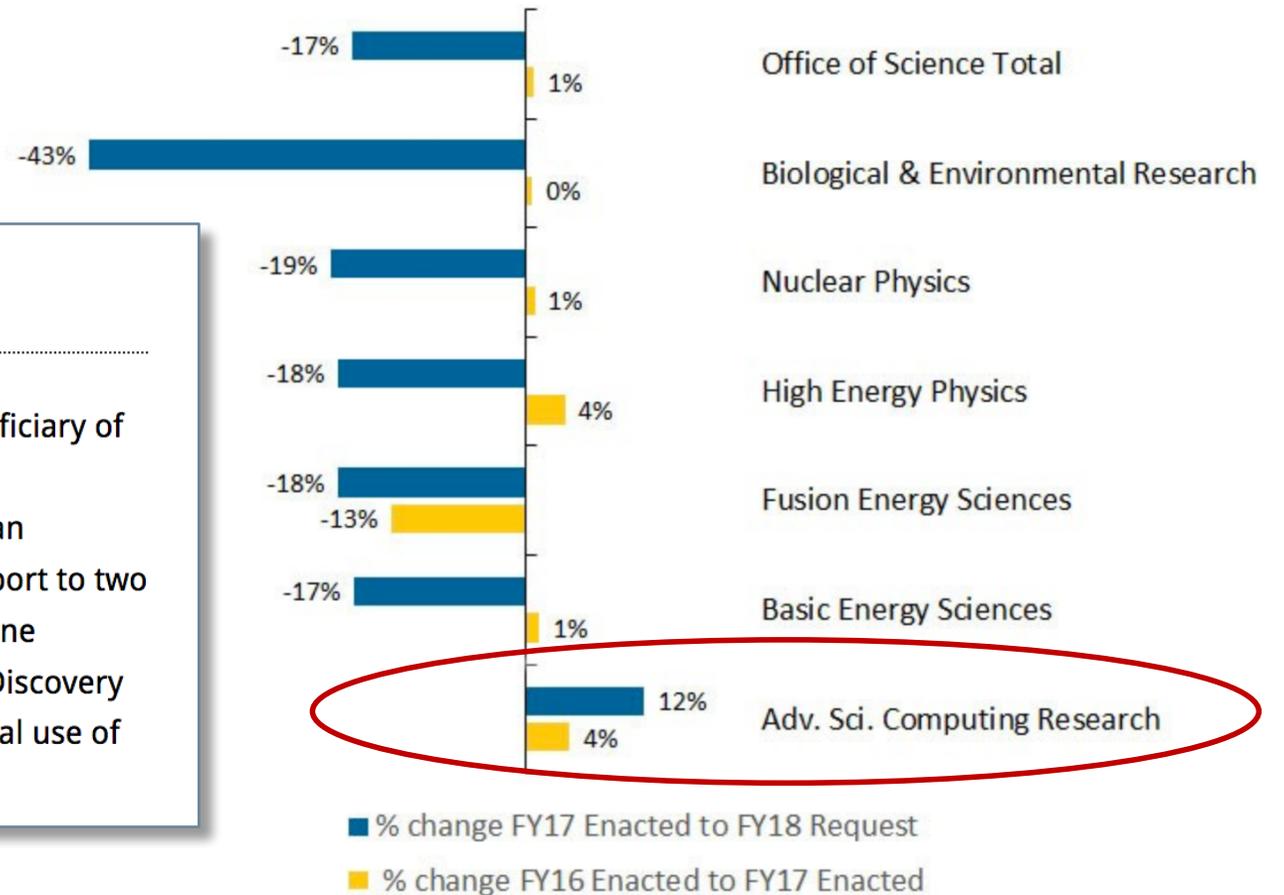
* for now...

Final Notes: Funding Climate

Advanced Scientific Computing Research

Advanced Scientific Computing Research stands out as the primary beneficiary of the Office of Science budget. Its budget includes \$347 million for DOE's contribution to the interagency Exascale Computing Initiative to deliver an exascale-capable computing system by 2021. It would also increase support to two of DOE's three Leadership Computing Facilities – at Oak Ridge and Argonne National Laboratories. An additional increase would grow the Scientific Discovery through Advanced Computing (SciDAC) program, which facilitates external use of DOE supercomputers.

DOE Office of Science FY18 Budget Request



Final Notes

- Neural networks are **very flexible tools** → far more powerful in recent years
- Mostly preliminary results so far, but making progress (+ more infrastructure in place)
- **Lots of opportunities** to use neural networks (and ML more broadly) to improve accelerator performance on both existing and future machines

Fermilab has a **strong presence in machine learning** (especially for neural networks/HEP)

Lots of **potential for fruitful collaborations** on the accelerator side

→ *LBNL, SLAC, LANL, CERN all interested in applying ML to accelerator modeling/controls*

Some possible experiments at Fermilab:

- Ion sources (MPC/RL)
- Cryogenic system control (MPC/RL)
- Fermi Test Beam Facility (fast switching)
- Muon Campus (virtual diagnostics, online modeling)
- Phase space manipulations at FAST (fast switching)

Thanks for your attention!



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- See Fernanda Psihas New Perspectives 2017 talk
- Ramping up HPC resources
- Slack channel: <https://hepmachinelearning.slack.com>
- Journal Club meetings
- Monthly Intro meetings
- Website: <http://machinelearning.fnal.gov/>

CNN Applications for HEP
June 9th
10:30 AM, One West

CONVOLUTIONAL VISUAL NETWORK

NOvA has the **first implementation** of Convolutional Neural Networks on a HEP result.

- ★ Advantage from extracting features to learn from, rather than learn from traditional reconstruction
- ★ CVN PID represented an equivalent **increase of 30% exposure**

Ongoing program to incorporate deep learning for end-to-end reconstruction.

A Convolutional Neural Network Neutrino Event Classifier
A. Aurisano, A. Radovic, D. Rocco, A. Himmel, M. D. Messier, E. Niner, G. Pawloski, F. Psihas, A. Sousa, P. Vahle
(Submitted on 5 Apr 2016 (v1), last revised 12 Aug 2016 (this version, v3))

CONVOLUTION

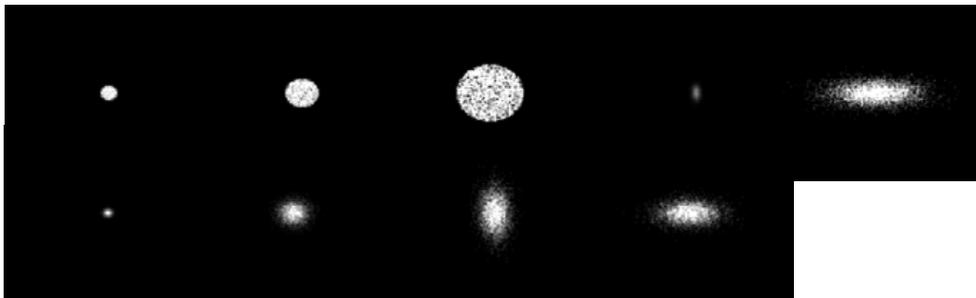
INCEPTION OUTPUT

CONVOLUTIONS
LRN
POOLING
INCEPTION OUTPUT

Fernanda Psihas
1M1 Workshop - March 2017

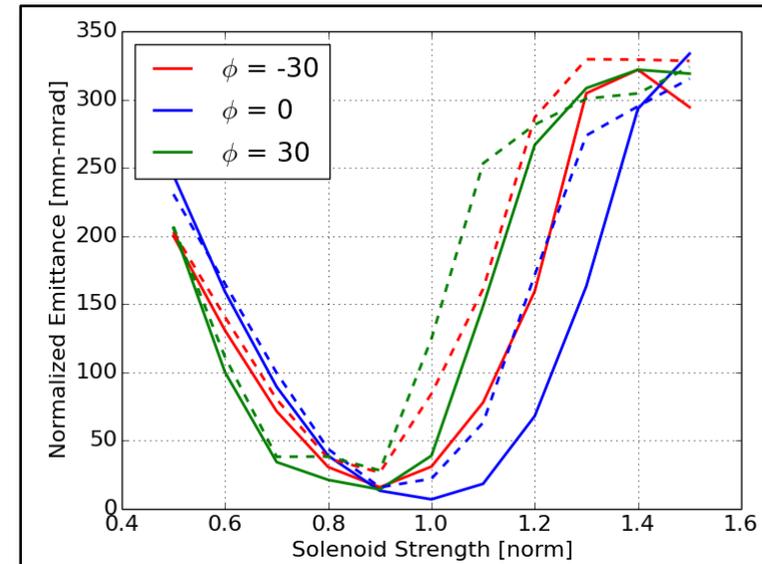
CNN Model: Simulation Data

- PARMELA simulations from the gun up to the exit of CC2
 - 2-D space charge routine
 - Scanned gun phase, solenoid strength, initial beam distribution
- Two sets of data:
 - Fine scans (steps of 5° phase, 5% sol. str.) for sims just past the gun
 - Coarse scans (steps of 10° phase, 10% sol. str.) for sims up through CC2
- Simulated “virtual cathode images”
 - Going from VCI \rightarrow initial beam distribution ok from prior work
 - Initial beam distribution \rightarrow simulated VCI probably ok
 - Obviously very “well-behaved” examples



Parameter Ranges used for Model Training

| Parameter | Gun Data | | CC2 Data | |
|-------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| | Max Value | Min Value | Max Value | Min Value |
| N_p | 5001 | 1015 | 5001 | 1004 |
| ϵ_{nx} [m-rad] | 2.50E-04 | 1.60E-06 | 4.00E-04 | 9.10E-07 |
| ϵ_{ny} [m-rad] | 2.40E-04 | 1.60E-06 | 4.00E-04 | 8.50E-07 |
| α_x [rad] | 14.1 | -775.1 | 0.8 | -149.8 |
| α_y [rad] | 14.5 | -797 | 0.7 | -154.5 |
| β_x [m/rad] | 950.4 | 7.90E-02 | 820.2 | 0.7 |
| β_y [m/rad] | 896.8 | 8.40E-02 | 845.7 | 0.81 |
| E [MeV] | 4.6 | 3.2 | 47.2 | 42.8 |



Simulation predictions after CC2. Dashed lines are x-emittance, solid lines are y-emittance. Caveat: doesn't take into account coupling...later changed NN setup to predict sigma matrix, and also used a 3D space charge routine.

For normalized sol strength, 1 is the setting that produces a peak axial field of 1.8 kG file:///C:/Users/.../May 2017

CNN Model: Performance

| Parameter | Train. MAE | Train. STD | Val. MAE | Val. STD |
|-----------------|------------|------------|----------|----------|
| N_p | 69.5 | 79.8 | 70.7 | 75.7 |
| ϵ_{nx} | 2.30E-06 | 3.50E-06 | 2.40E-06 | 3.20E-06 |
| ϵ_{ny} | 2.30E-06 | 3.40E-06 | 2.40E-06 | 3.20E-06 |
| α_x | 9 | 14.9 | 10.9 | 16 |
| α_y | 8.8 | 15.3 | 10.8 | 16.1 |
| β_x | 12.1 | 17.6 | 14.8 | 18.9 |
| β_y | 11.7 | 16.7 | 14.3 | 17.9 |
| E | 4.90E-03 | 4.90E-03 | 5.50E-03 | 6.00E-03 |

Performance for the predictions after the gun

| Parameter | Train. MAE | Train. STD | Val. MAE | Val. STD |
|-----------------|------------|------------|----------|----------|
| N_p | 103.7 | 141.2 | 123.3 | 176.8 |
| ϵ_{nx} | 1.00E-05 | 1.20E-05 | 1.20E-05 | 1.60E-05 |
| ϵ_{ny} | 1.00E-05 | 1.30E-05 | 1.20E-05 | 1.50E-05 |
| α_x | 3.4 | 6.6 | 3.1 | 5.9 |
| α_y | 3.4 | 6.6 | 3.1 | 5.9 |
| β_x | 16.3 | 33.5 | 14.7 | 27.8 |
| β_y | 16.4 | 33.6 | 14.8 | 27.5 |
| E | 4.00E-02 | 3.90E-02 | 4.60E-02 | 6.20E-02 |

Performance for the predictions after CC2

For the gun data, all MAEs are between 0.4% and 1.8% of the parameter ranges.
 For the CC2 data, all MAEs are between 0.9% and 3.1% of the parameter ranges.

→ *Not bad for such a small training set*

Present Status and Next Steps

- **Improving the quality of the setup:**

- Predicting the full sigma matrix
- More realistic initial distributions
- Using 3D space charge routine
- Using locally-connected layers
- Switching to ASTRA

(greater execution speed → more training data)

- **Next steps (in tandem):**

- Finish simulation study with present setup
- Extend to phase space manipulation simulation study
- Solidify plans for incorporating measured data and testing controller
 - Need to align available inputs/controllable variables (e.g. sigma matrix vs. info from emittance monitors, rotation of quads, etc.)
 - Also depends on run schedule, status of new emittance monitors, solid time with consistent setup, etc.

- **Expanding scope to phase space manipulations:**

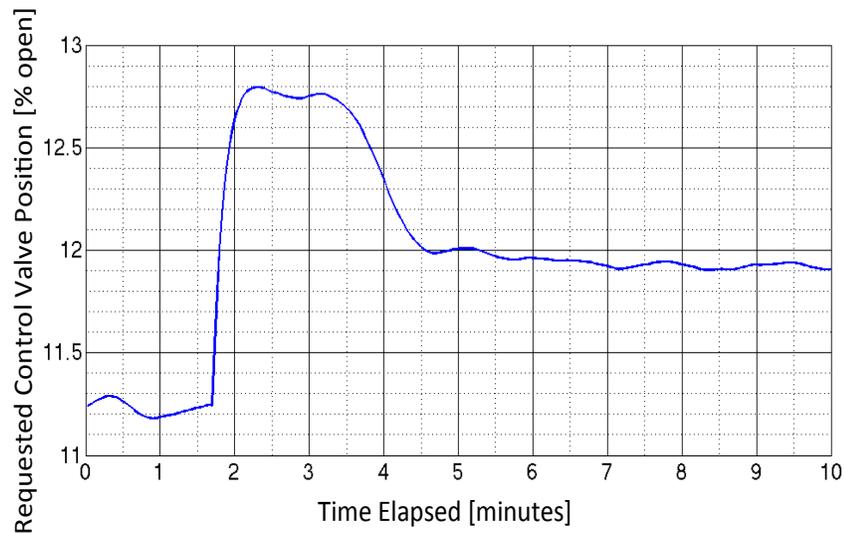
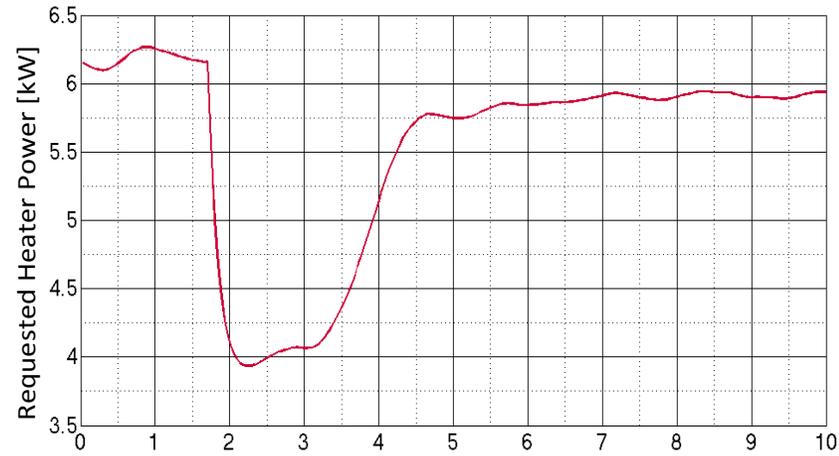
- Specify a target sigma matrix
- Include quads after CC2, capture cavity phases, etc.
- Collaborating with NIU:
 - RTFB transform is a possible application
 - Alex Halavanau running simulation scans with NIU's newer model → more training data

Also, if you have some other possible application and have or can easily obtain training data: don't hesitate to get in touch!

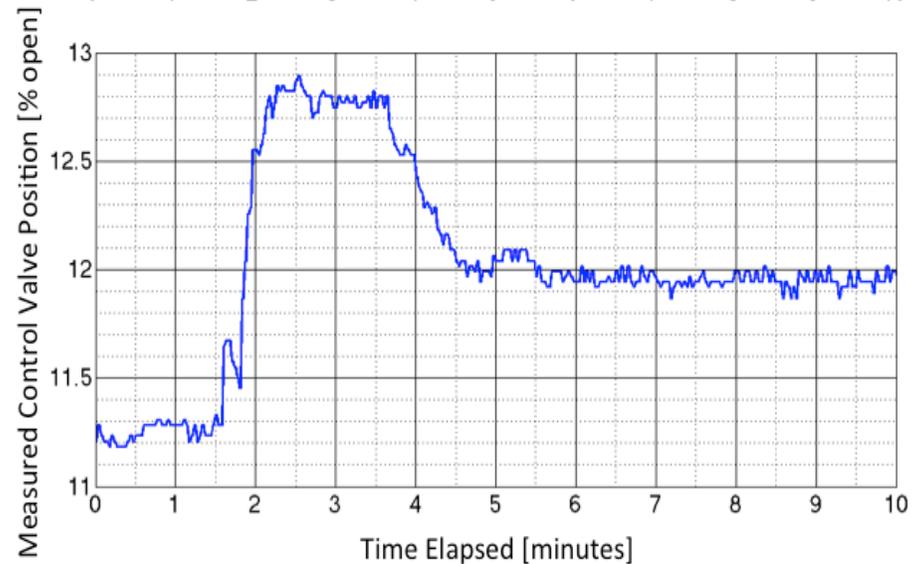
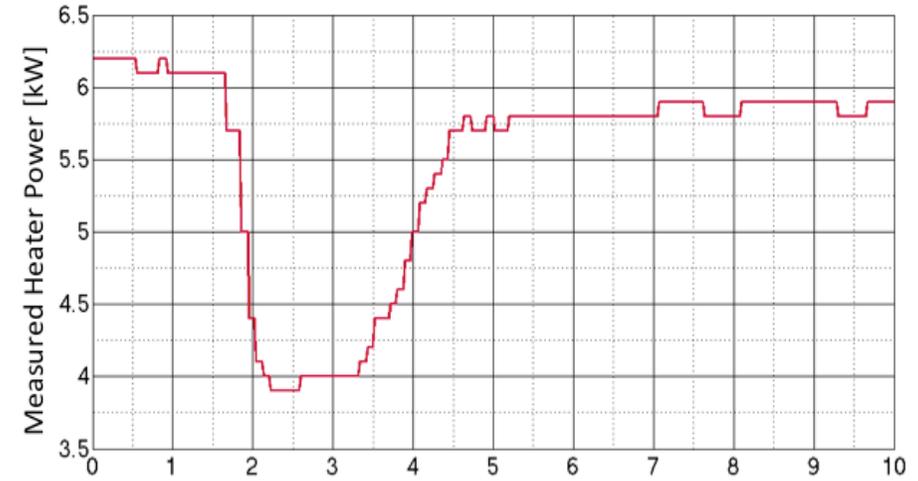
MPC Benchmark Controller: Actions

Could optimize for lower heater power

Requested by Controller



Actual Read-backs



Backpropagation

Vectorized notation: $a_j = f(\sum_k w_{jk} x_k + b_j) \rightarrow f(wx + b)$

Layer-by-layer: $a^l = f(w^l a^{l-1} + b^l) = f(z^l)$

a_j j^{th} node activation

f applied element-wise

b_j j^{th} node bias

$$\delta_j^l \equiv \frac{\partial C}{\partial z_j^l}$$

w_{jk} j^{th} node in layer l , k^{th} node in $l - 1$

$$\delta_j^{N_l} = \frac{\partial C}{\partial a_j^{N_l}} f'(z_j^{N_l}) \rightarrow \delta^{N_l} = \nabla_a C \odot f'(z^{N_l})$$

$$\delta_j^l = \sum_k \frac{\partial C}{\partial z_k^{l+1}} \frac{\partial z_k^{l+1}}{\partial z_j^l} = \sum_k \delta_k^{l+1} \frac{\partial z_k^{l+1}}{\partial z_j^l}$$

$$= \sum_k w_{kj}^{l+1} \delta_k^{l+1} f'(z_j^l)$$

$$\begin{aligned} z_k^{l+1} &= \sum_j w_{kj}^{l+1} a_j^l + b_k^{l+1} \\ &= \sum_j w_{kj}^{l+1} f(z_j^l) + b_k^{l+1} \end{aligned}$$

$$\frac{\partial z_k^{l+1}}{\partial z_j^l} = w_{kj}^{l+1} f'(z_j^l)$$

For each training instance:

1. Forward Pass:

For $l = 1, 2, 3 \dots N_l$

$$z^l = w^l a^{l-1} + b$$

$$a^l = f(z^l)$$

2. 'Error':

$$\delta^{N_l} = \nabla_a C \odot f'(z^{N_l})$$

3. Backward Pass:

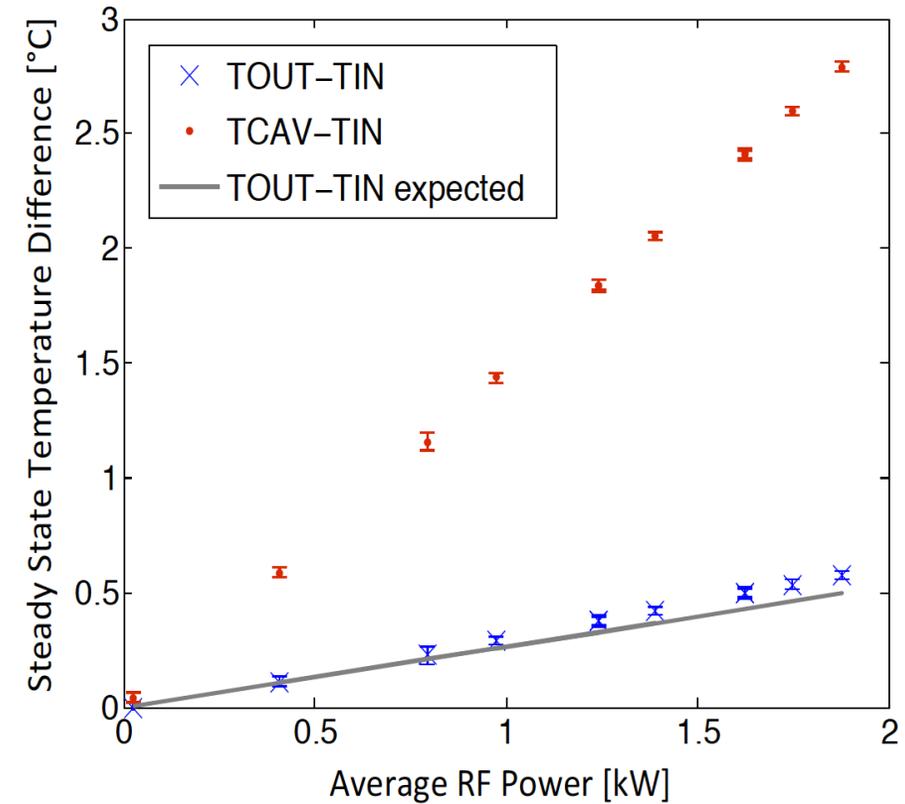
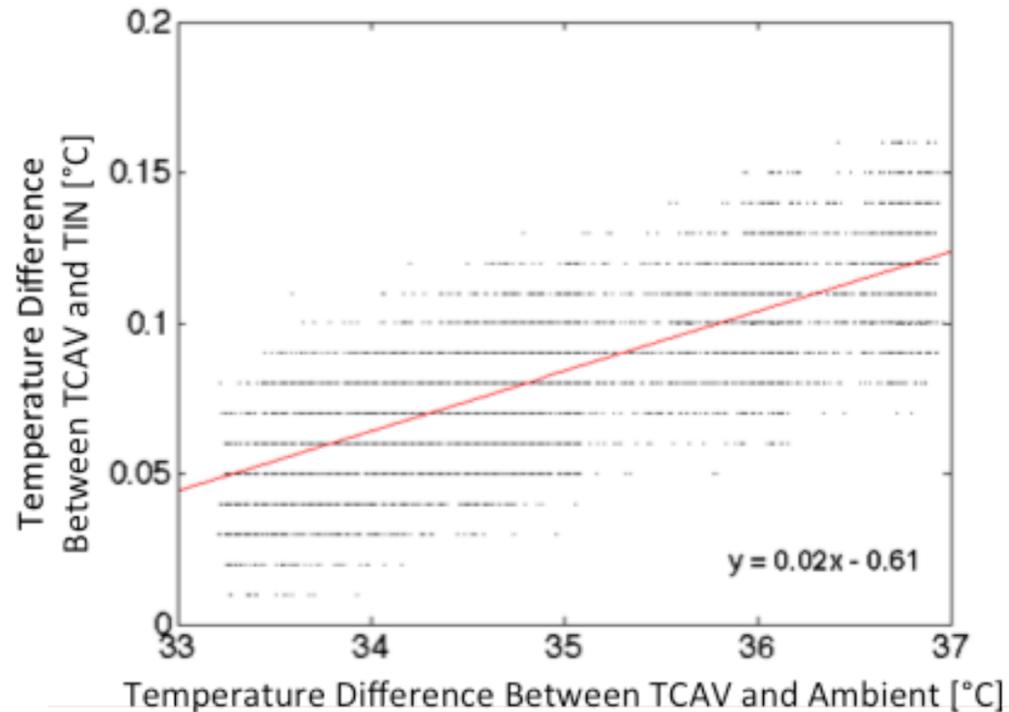
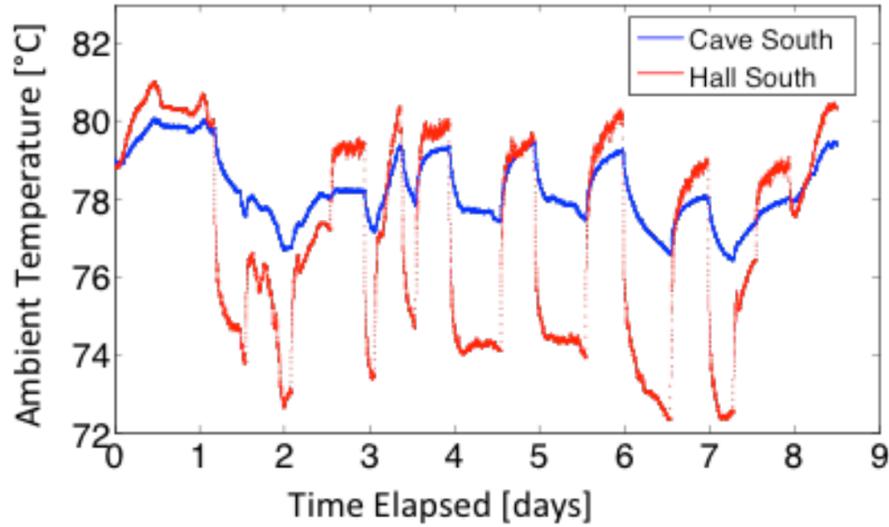
For $l = N_l - 1, N_l - 2, \dots 1$

$$\delta^l = w^{l+1} \delta^{l+1} \odot f'(z^l)$$

4. Final Derivatives:

$$\frac{\partial C}{\partial w_{jk}^l} = a_k^{l-1} \delta_j^l \quad \frac{\partial C}{\partial b_j^l} = \delta_j^l$$

FAST Gun Temperature Considerations

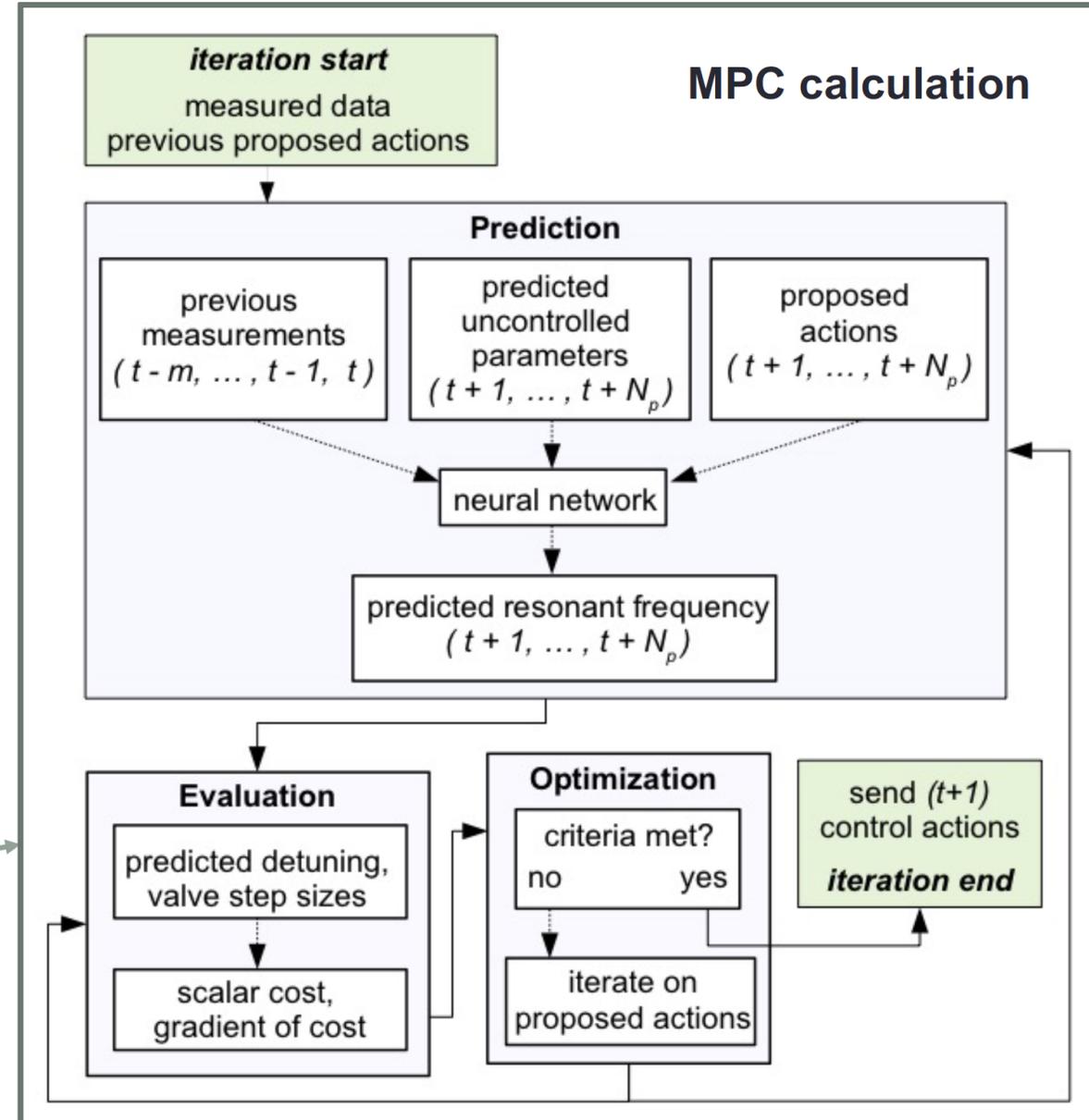
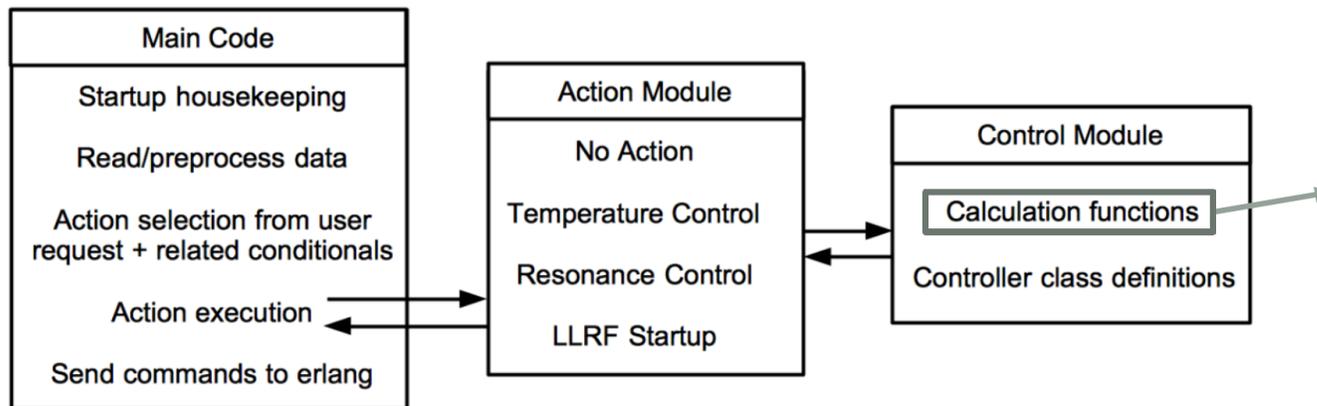


$$P_{cool} = \frac{(T_{OUT}[^{\circ}C] - T_{IN}[^{\circ}C]) \times (Flow [GPM])}{Water\ Cooling\ Capacity \left[\frac{GPM \cdot ^{\circ}C}{kW} \right]}$$

$$P_{cool} = P_{IN} \approx P_{RF_{avg}}$$

In the resonance control framework

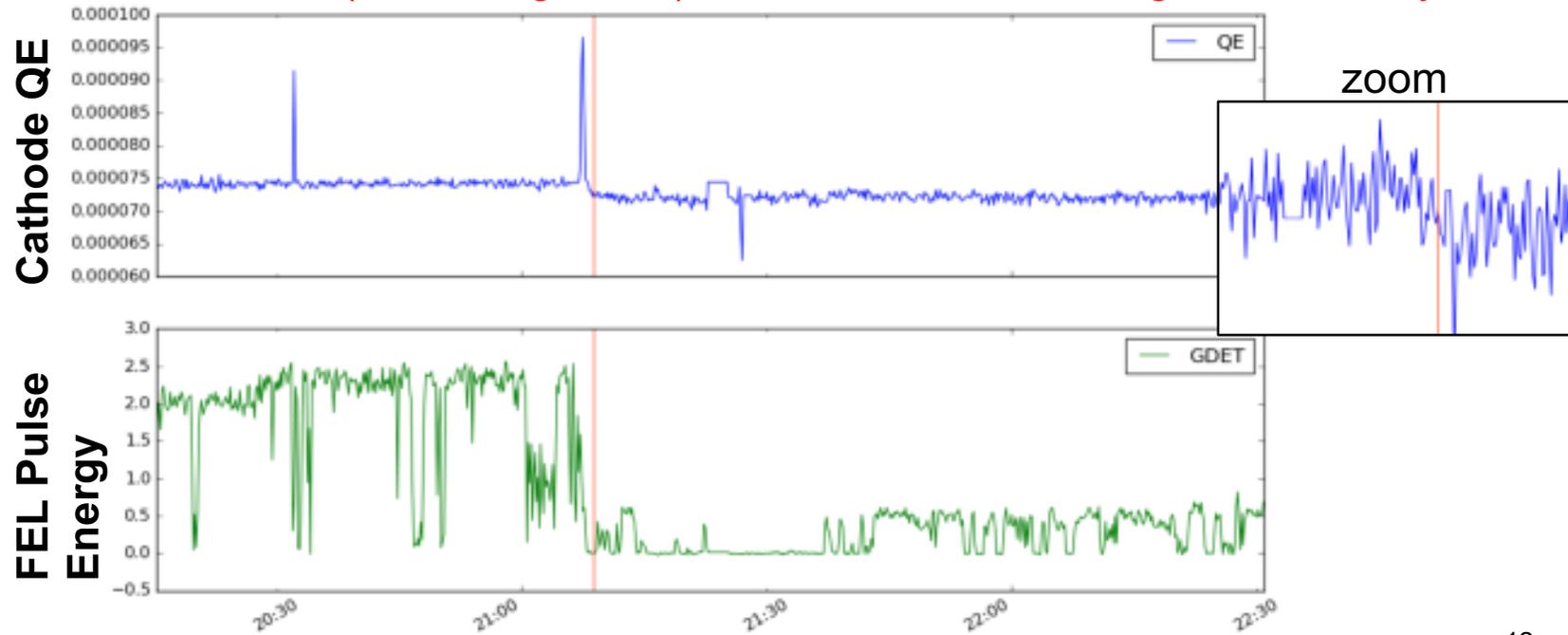
- N_p future time steps
- m previous measurements for each input variable
- “actions” are vane and wall flow valve settings



Example from D. Ratner presentation at 2017 DS@HEP:

Cathode QE drop caused hours of downtime.

Breakout detection (Twitter algorithm) would have found change immediately!



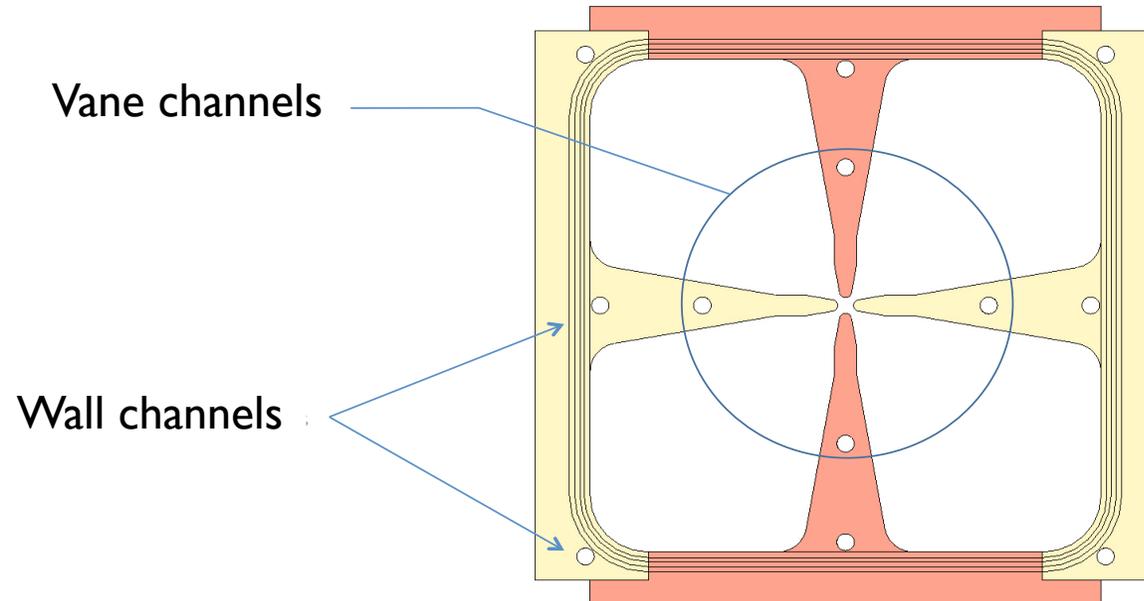
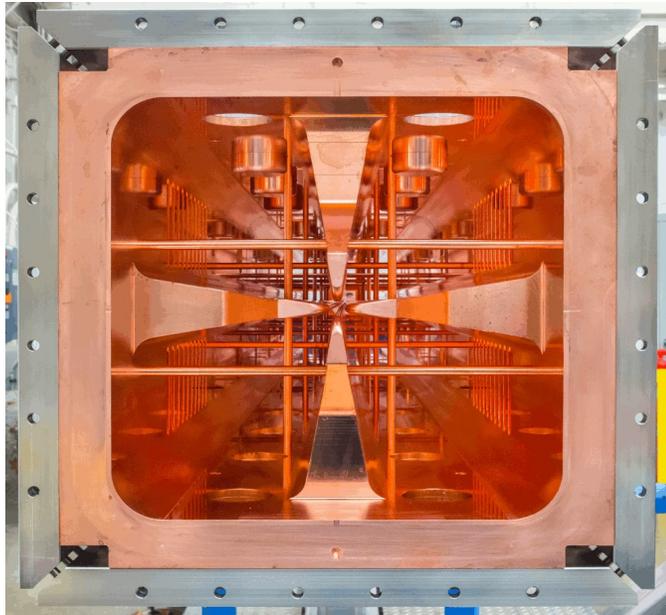
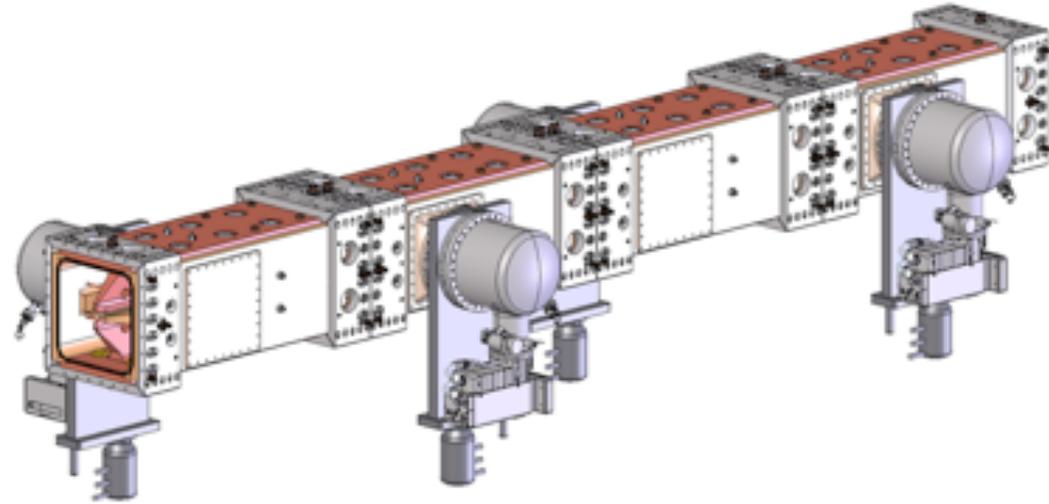
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PXIE RFQ

3-kHz max. freq. shift

0.1-°C water stabilization



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FAST Photoinjector

RF electron gun at the Fermilab Accelerator Science and Technology (FAST) facility

- Long, variable time delays
- Tight tolerances
- Recursive behavior
- Two controllable parameters

FAST RF Gun Parameters

Gun Parameters

| | |
|-----------------|---------------------|
| Type | Photoinjector |
| Number of cells | 1½ |
| RF Mode | TM _{010,π} |
| Loaded Q | ~11,700 |
| RF Frequency | 1.3 GHz |
| Frequency Shift | 23 kHz/°C |

Nominal Operating Parameters

| | |
|---------------------|---------------|
| Macropulse Duration | 1 ms |
| Repetition Rate | 1–5 Hz |
| Bunch Frequency | 3 MHz |
| Design Gradient | 40–45 MV/m |
| Power Source | 5 MW Klystron |

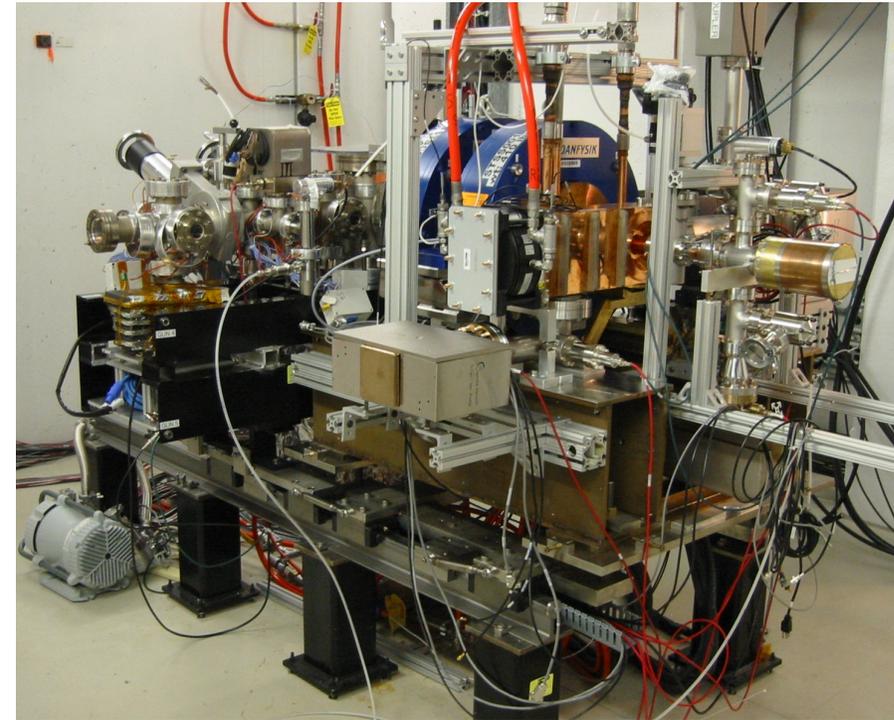


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PIP-II RFQ

Right now: 100s to 5ms pulse at 10 Hz
~100 kW forward RF power

| PXIE RFQ Parameters | |
|-----------------------------|----------------------------|
| RFQ Design Parameters | |
| RF frequency | 162.5 MHz |
| Q-factor | ~13,900 |
| Loaded Q | ~7,000 |
| Physical Length | 4.45 m (2.4 wavelengths) |
| Vane-to-Vane Voltage | 60 kV |
| Estimated Power Dissipation | < 100 kW |
| RF Repetition Rate | pulsed – CW |
| Beam Parameters | |
| Current | 0.5 – 10 mA (nominal 5 mA) |
| Input Energy | 30 keV |
| Output Energy | 2.1 MeV |

Constructed by LBNL

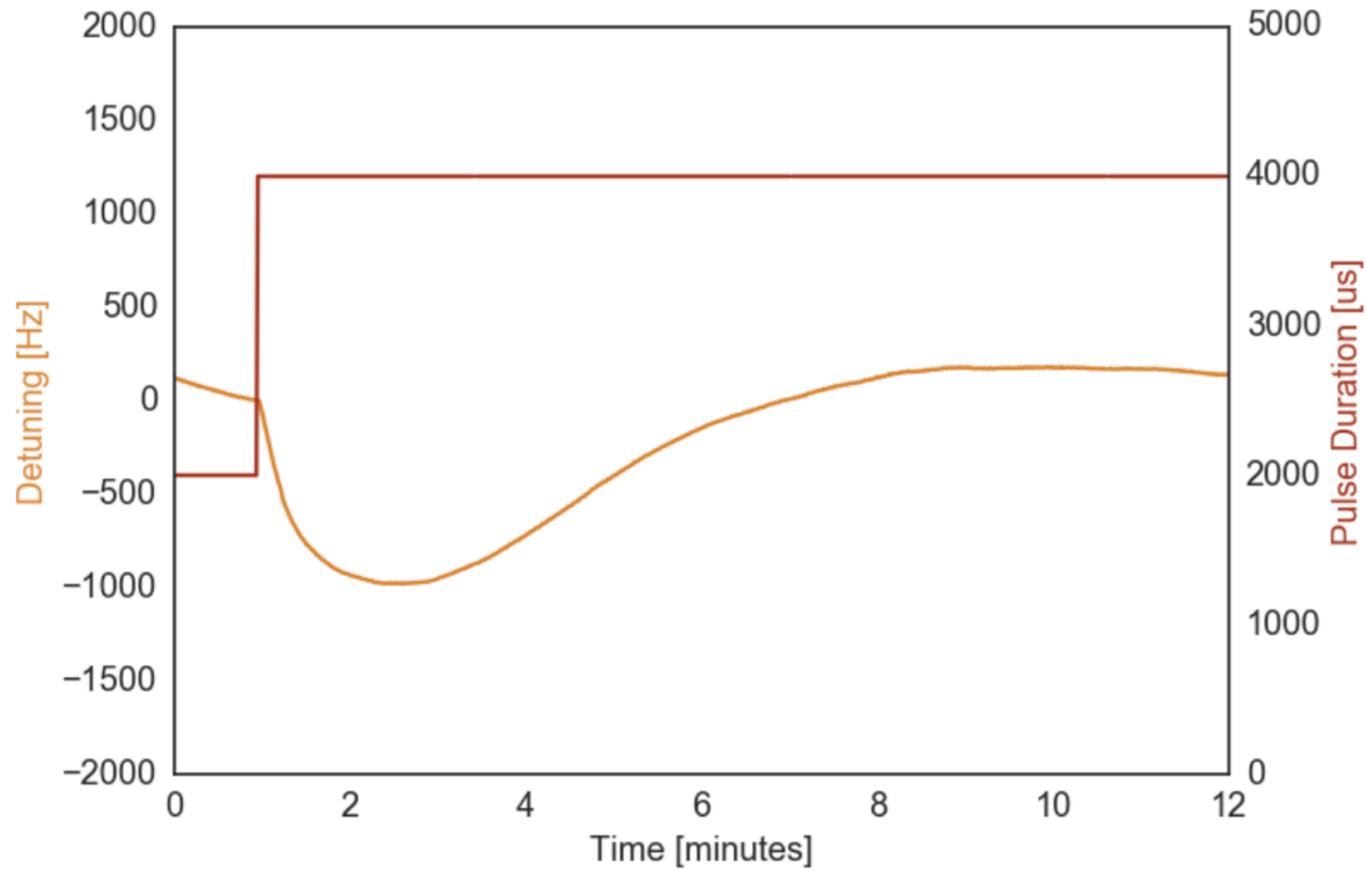


*High-intensity RFQ for the PIP-II
Injector Experiment (PXIE)*

- Time delays
- Large, dynamic frequency response
- Tight tolerances
- Coupling
- Recursive behavior
- Three controllable parameters



Photo: J. Steimel



PI frequency control during pulsed RF operation for a 2-ms increase in pulse duration and a cavity field of 65 kV