


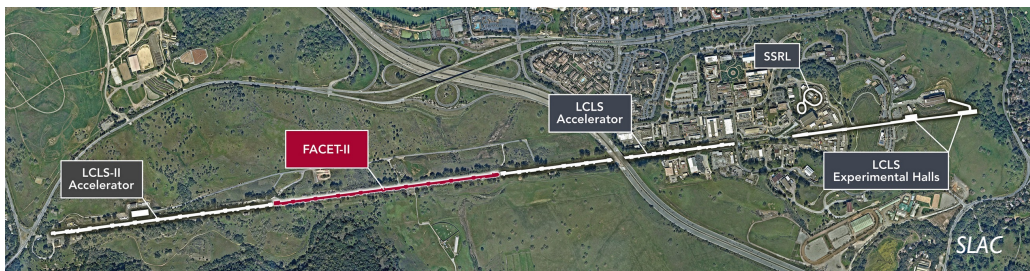
Machine Learning for Online Surrogate Modeling of Beam Dynamics

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with work/examples also from many colleagues, especially: R. Roussel, C. Mayes, C. Emma, S. Miskovich, J. Duris, A. Hanuka, D. Ratner, A. Scheinker, N. Neveu, L. Gupta, A. Adelman, Y. Huber, M. Frey, E. Cropp, P. Musumeci, A. Mishra

Large User Facilities



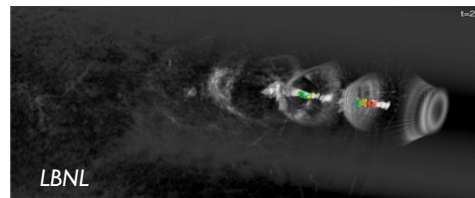
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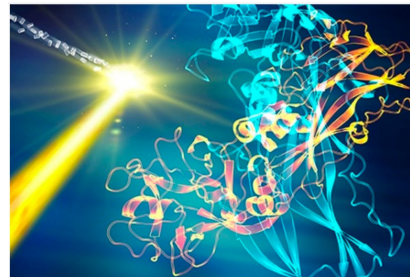
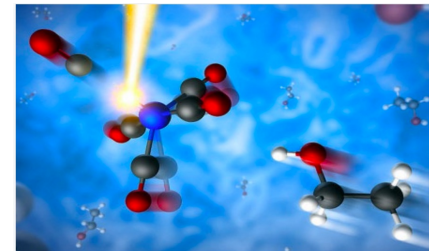
Small Test Facilities



Novel Acceleration Schemes



Lots of different specific needs, but many broadly similar challenges in online modeling, machine understanding, and control

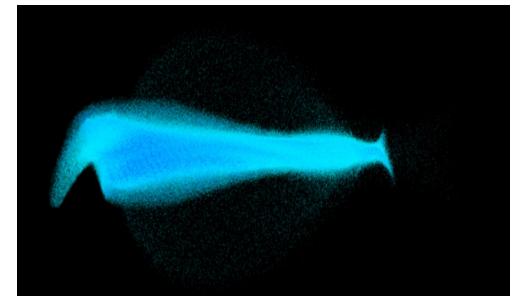
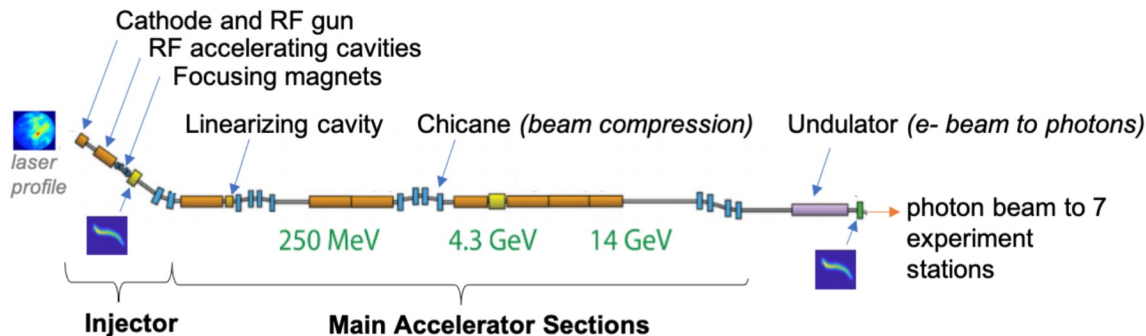


1,062 experiments in 2016

~1023 papers since 2009

Experimenters come for a few days – a week

**beam duration, x-ray wavelength etc.
adjusted for each experiment**

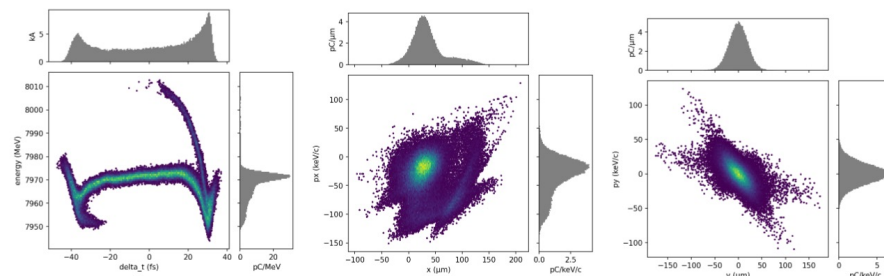


Beam exists in 6-D position-momentum phase space

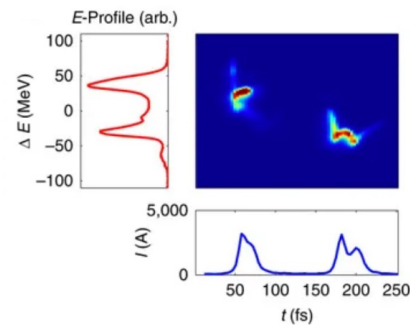
Have incomplete information: measure 2-D projections or reconstruct based on perturbations of upstream controls

Can have dozens-to-hundreds of controllable variables and hundreds-of-thousands to millions to monitor

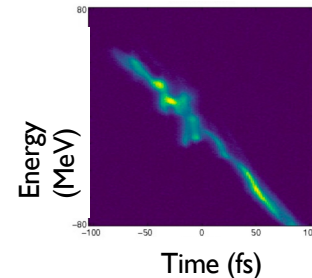
Nonlinear, high-dimensional optimization problem

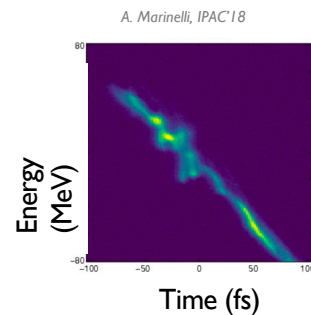
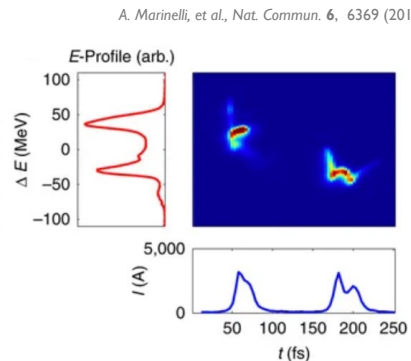
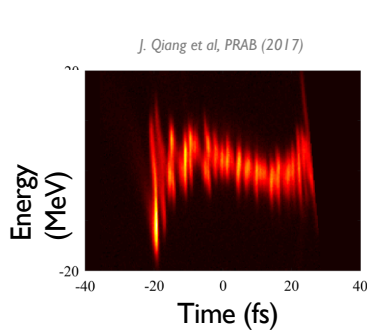
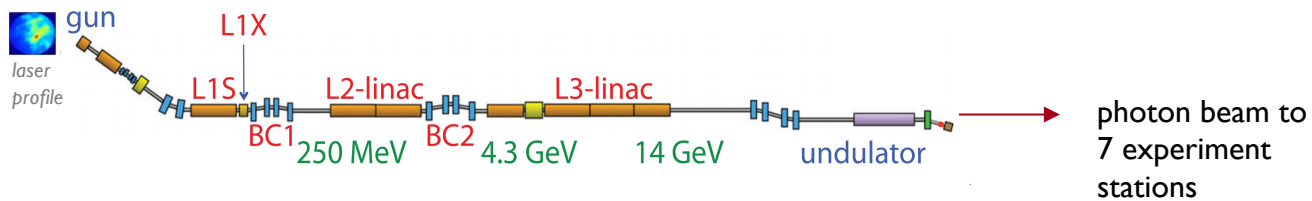


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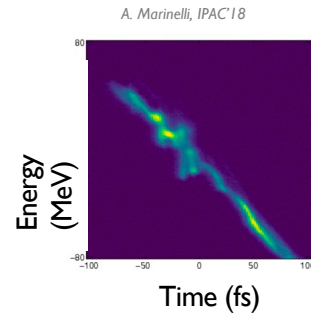
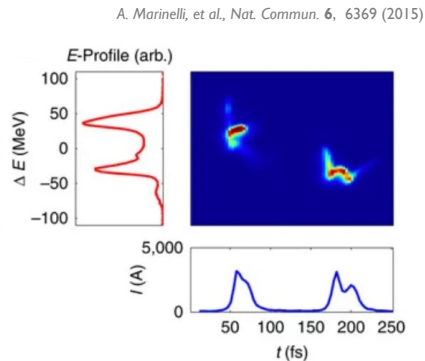
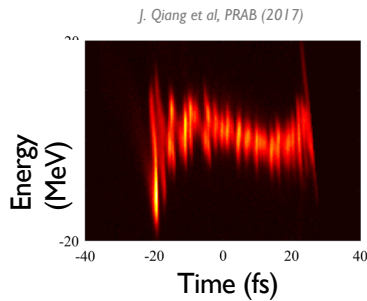
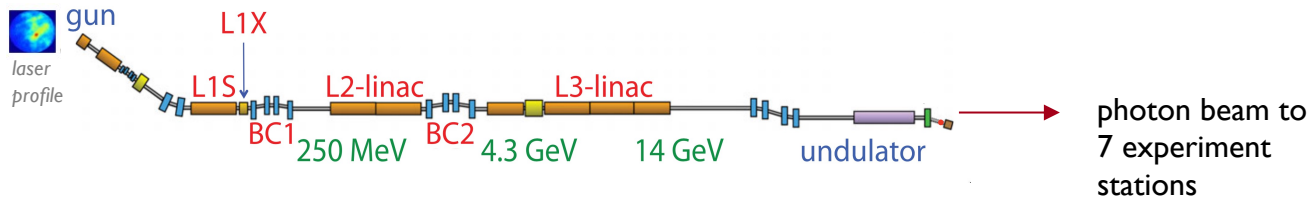
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Approximate Annual Budget: \$145 million
 Approximate hours of experiment delivery per year: 5000
 About \$30k per experiment hour to run

400 hours hand-tuning in a year → \$12 million value
 ~10 additional experiments



Rapid beam
customization

Achieve new
configurations +
unprecedented beam
parameters

Fine control to
maintain
stability within
tolerances

Tuning approaches can leverage different amounts of data/previous knowledge

less

assumed knowledge of machine

more

Model-Free Optimization

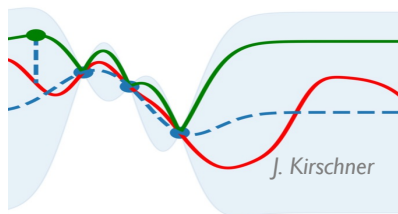


Observe performance change after a setting adjustment

→ estimate direction toward improvement

gradient descent
simplex

Model-guided Optimization

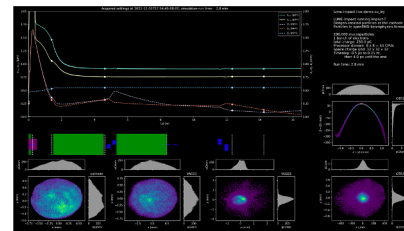


Update a model at each step

→ use model to help select the next point

Bayesian optimization
Reinforcement learning

Global Modeling

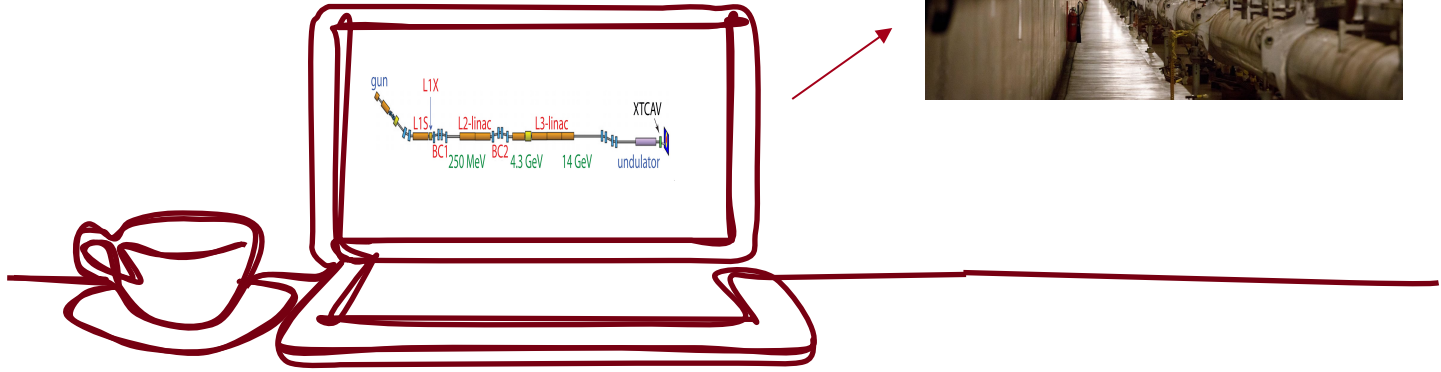


Make fast system model

→ provide guess for settings
→ machine insight from predictions

ML system models +
inverse models

In a perfect world...



Use a fast, accurate model ...

find some knobs that give us the beam we want and apply those to the machine

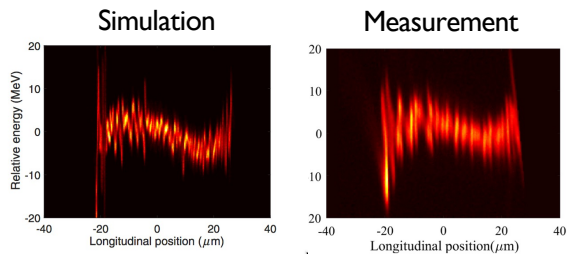
get info about unobserved parts of machine (online model / virtual diagnostic)

do offline planning and control algorithm prototyping

In reality things are much more difficult...

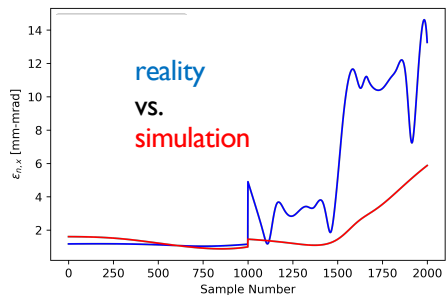


computationally expensive simulations

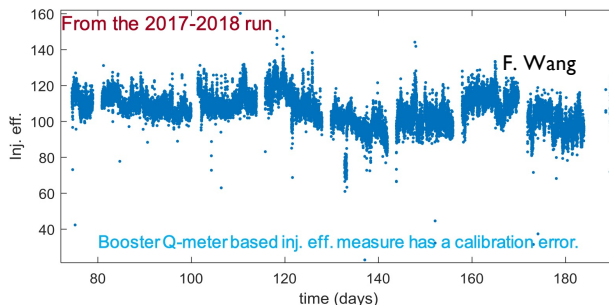


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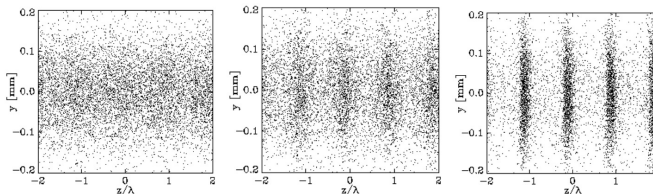
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many small, compounding sources of uncertainty

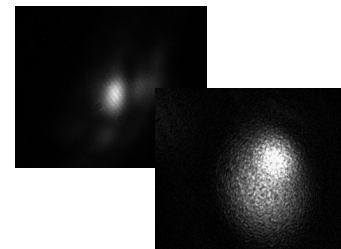
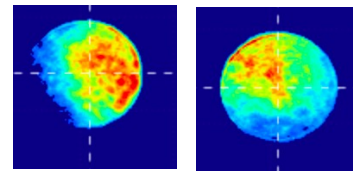


hidden variables / sensitivities



nonlinear effects / instabilities

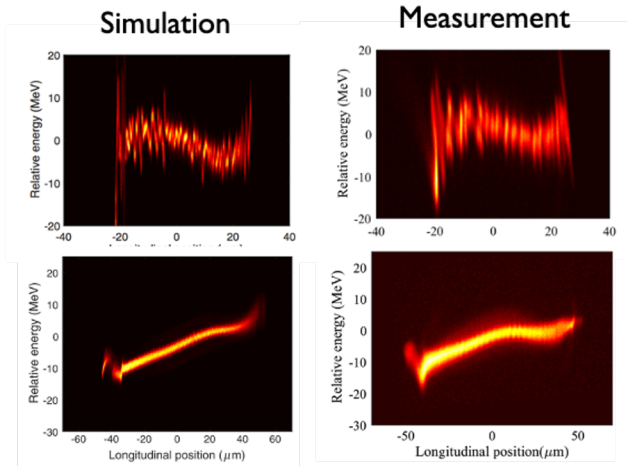
fluctuations/noise (e.g. laser spot)



drift over time

AI/ML is poised to help with speed, accuracy, and adaptability of models

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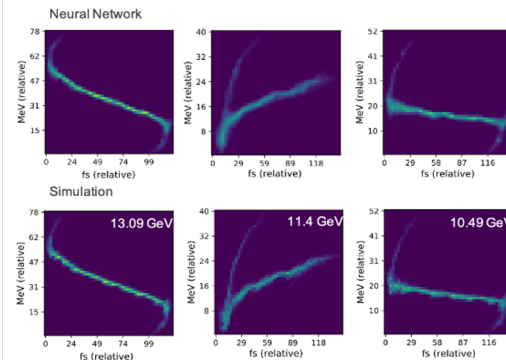
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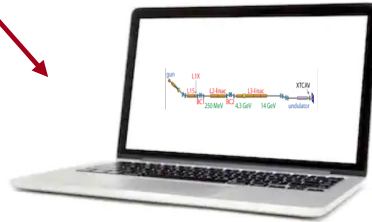
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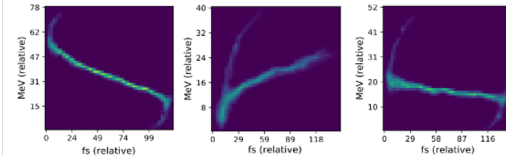


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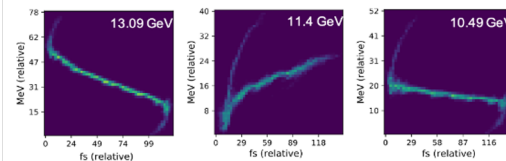
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Neural Network



Simulation

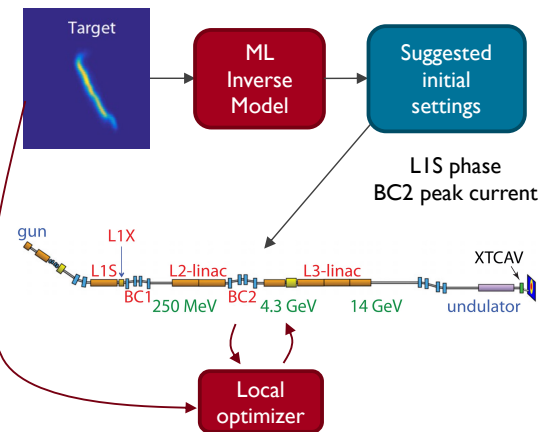


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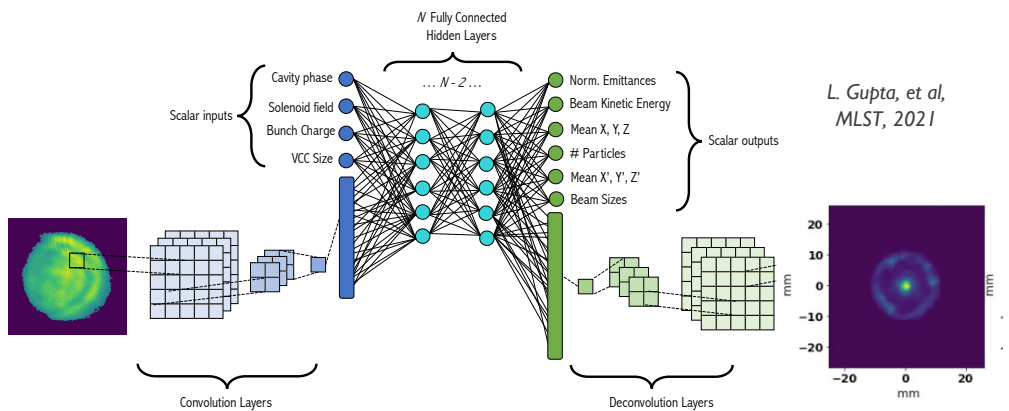
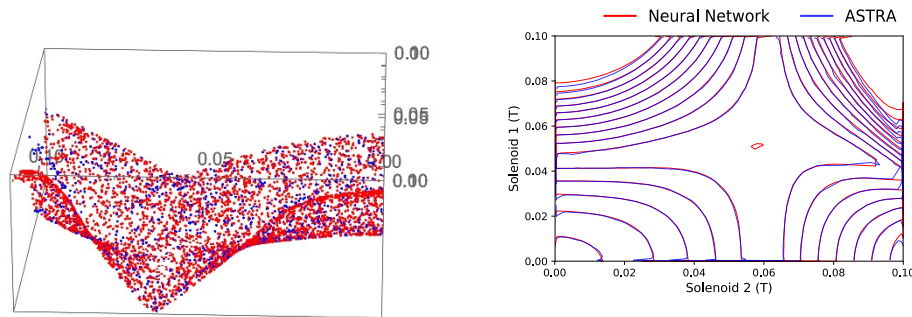
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Warm starts for optimization

A. Scheinker, A. Edelen, et al, PRL, 2018

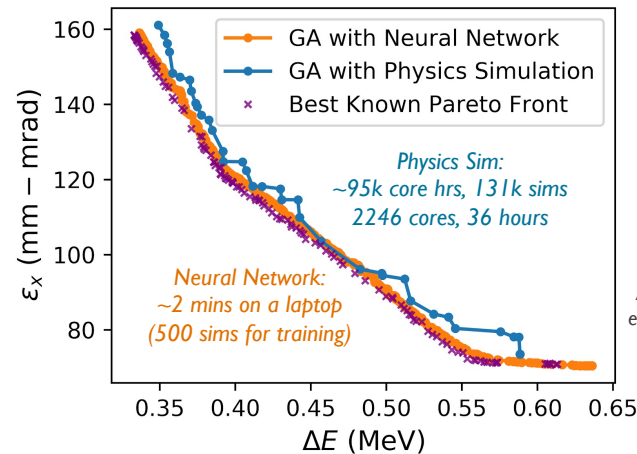


Smooth interpolation Example σ_x surface from 2D scan, LCLS-II Injector



L. Gupta, et al, MLST, 2021

Include high-dimensional input information → better output predictions



Surrogate-boosted design optimization
(example on AWA)

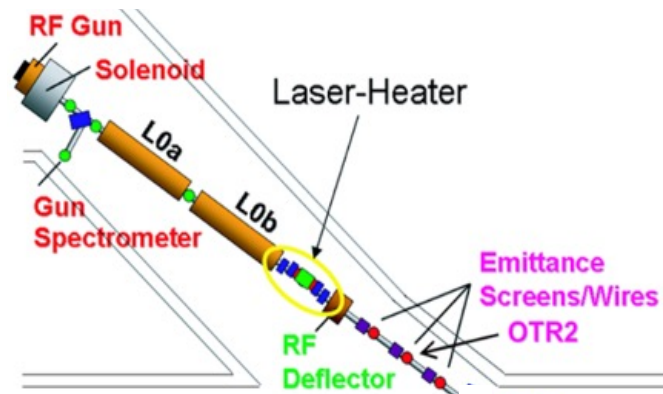
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Physics Sim:
~95k core hrs, 131k sims
2246 cores, 36 hours

Neural Network:
~2 mins on a laptop
(500 sims for training)

Example Use Case: LCLS Injector Surrogate Models

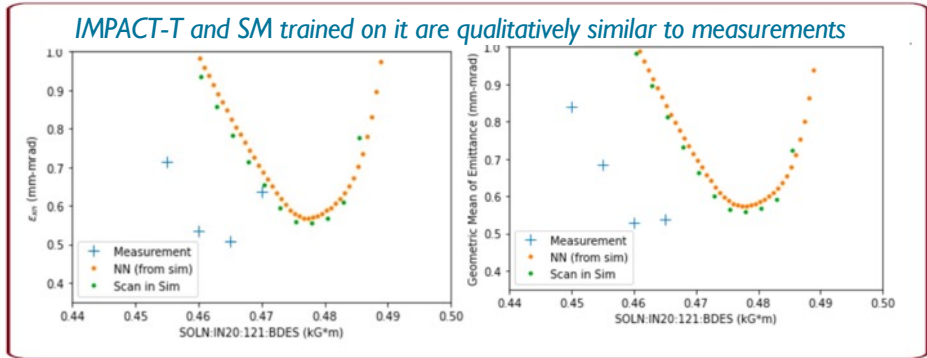
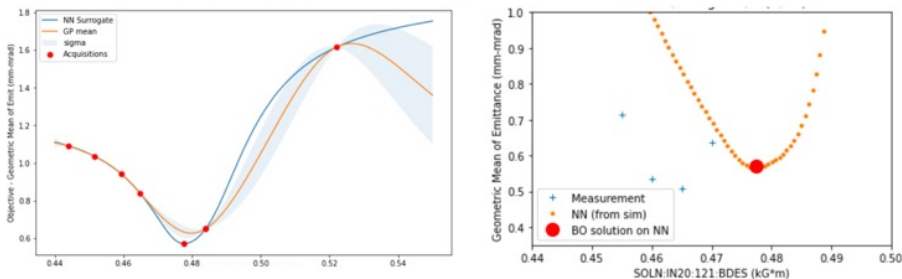
- Neural networks trained on IMPACT-T sims
- Several versions aimed at different outputs and goals (e.g. 6D phase space projections, scalars along z, interpolation vs. accuracy on known configurations)
- Inputs sampled widely across valid ranges
 - Inputs: laser length + spot size, LO phases, solenoid strength, SQ/CQ quads, 6 matching quads
 - Outputs: emittances, bunch length, spot sizes, covariances, energy



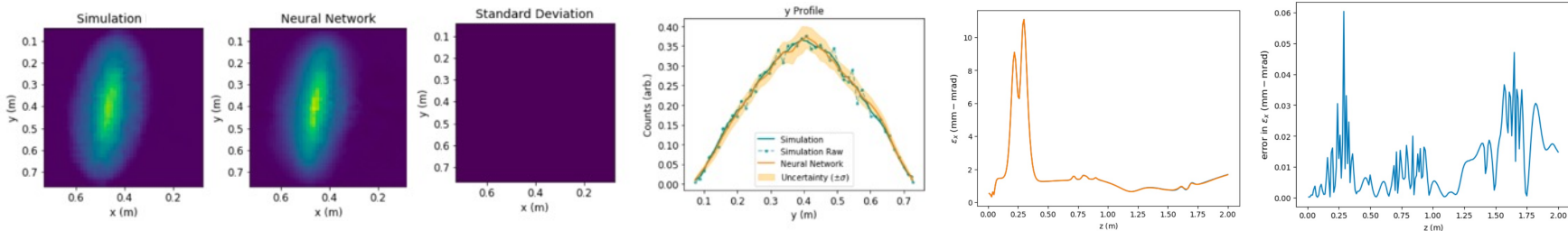
Have been using extensively for algorithm development

e.g. new Bayesian optimization methods, adaptive emittance measurement → TUPOST059

Example prototyping Bayesian optimization



Example outputs



Finding Sources of Error Between Simulations and Measurement

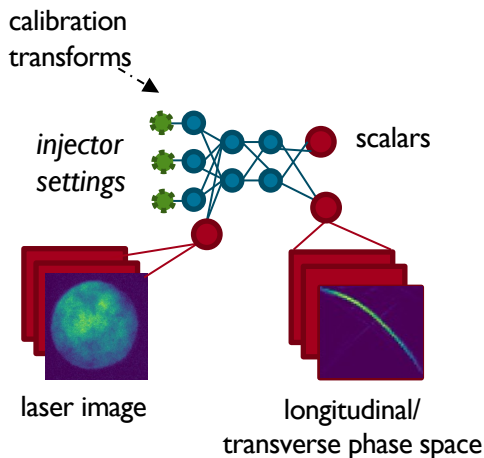
Many non-idealities not included in physics simulations:

static error sources (e.g. magnetic field nonlinearities, physical offsets)

time-varying changes (e.g. temperature-induced phase calibrations)

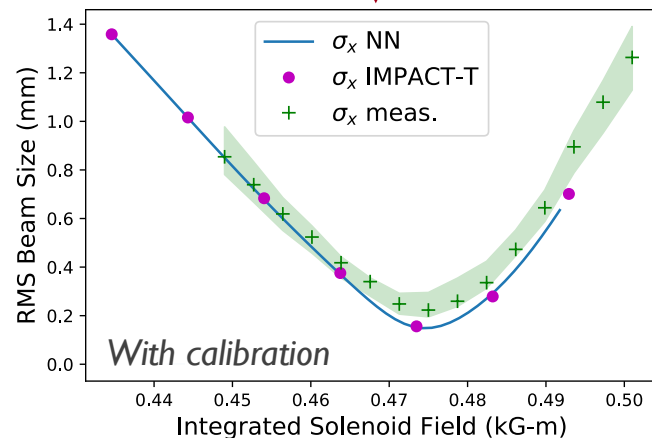
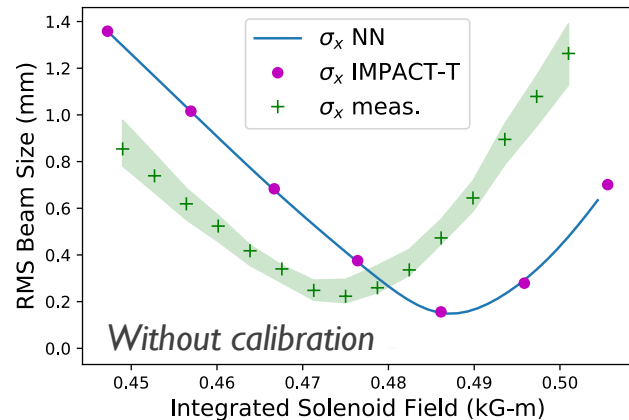
Want to identify these to get **better understanding of machine**

→ **fast-executing ML model allows fast / automatic exploration of possible error sources**



Inputs	
Laser radius	
Laser spot sizes	
Pulse length	
Charge	
Solenoid	
LOA phase	
LOB phase	
SQ quad	
CQ quad	
6 matching quads	

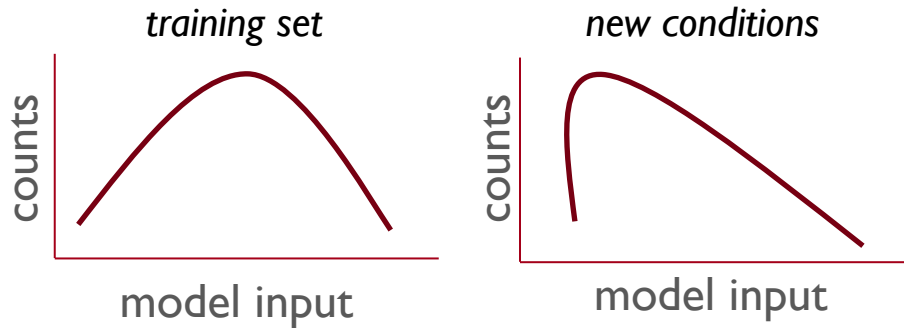
Outputs	
Beam size (x,y)	
Emittance (x,y)	
Bunch length	



Here: calibration offset in solenoid strength found automatically with neural network model (trained first in simulation, then calibrated to machine)

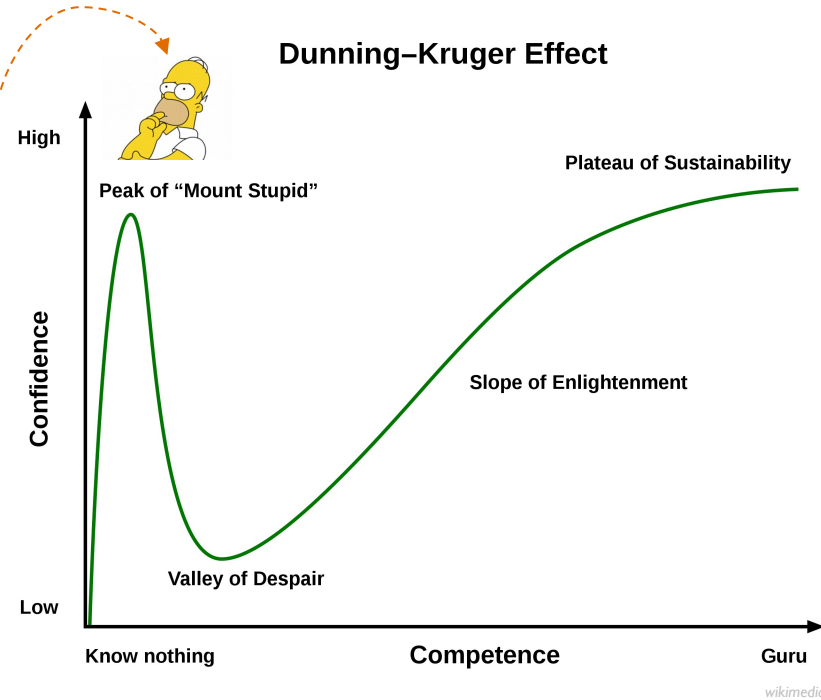
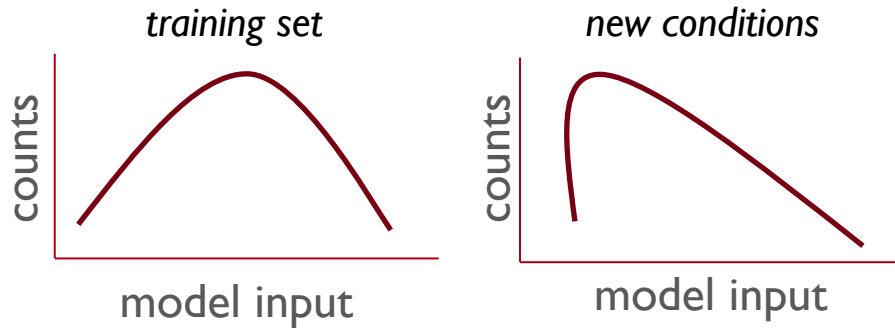
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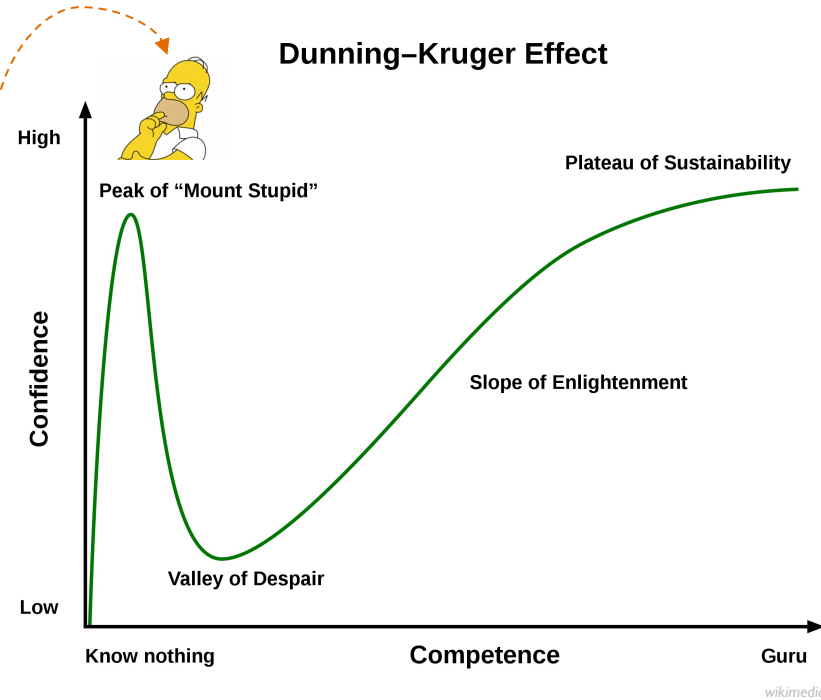
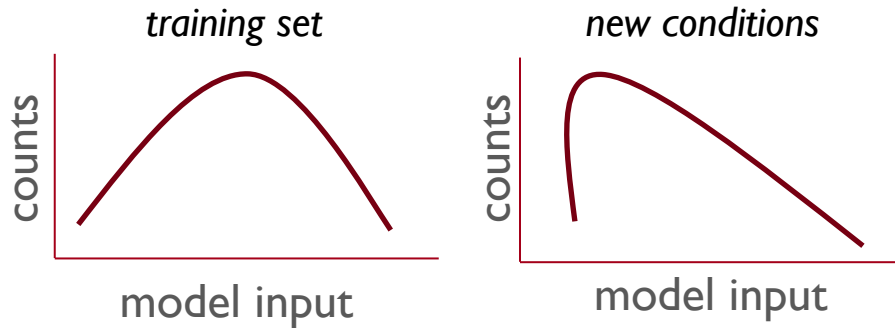
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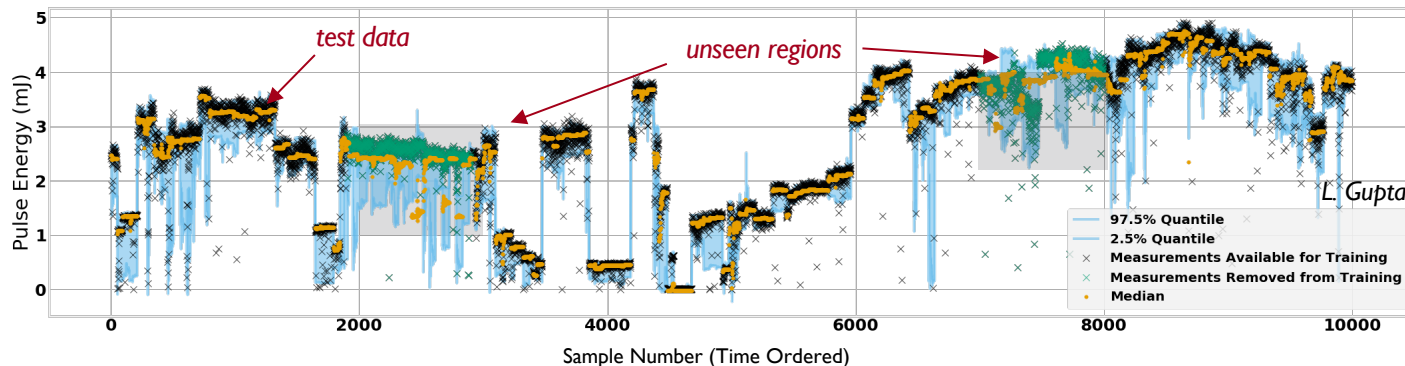
Want to have a reliable model confidence metric before using predictions in control/analysis; can also guide model updating

→ need uncertainty quantification / robust modeling

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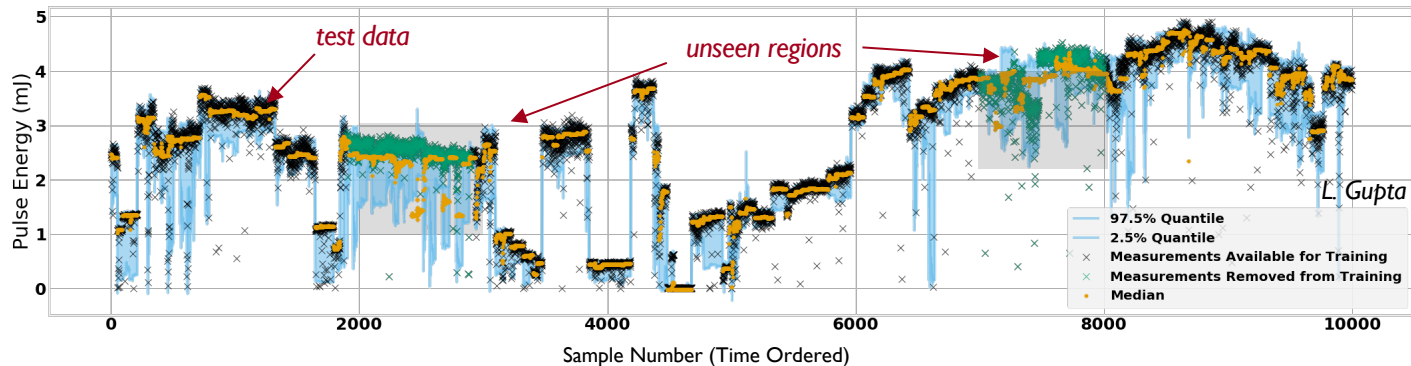
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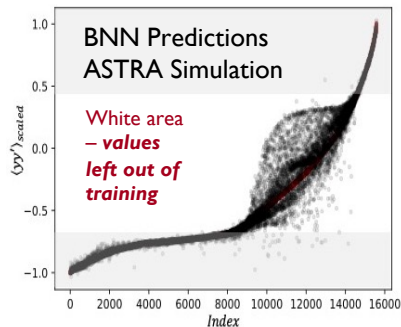


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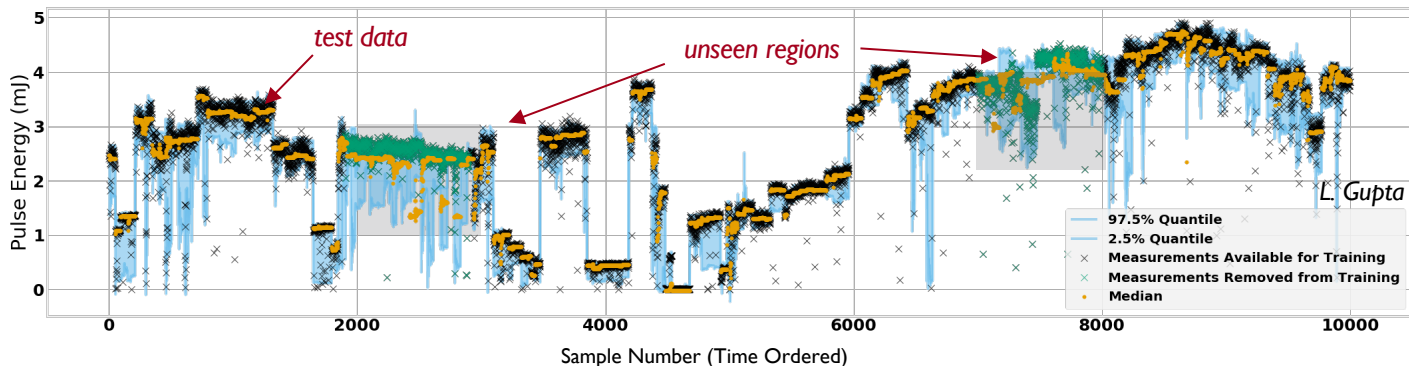


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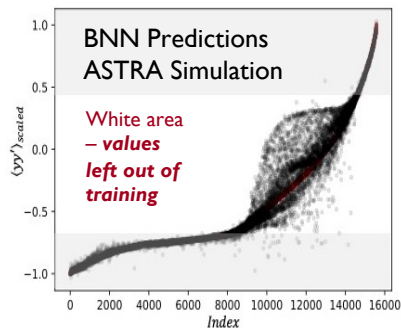


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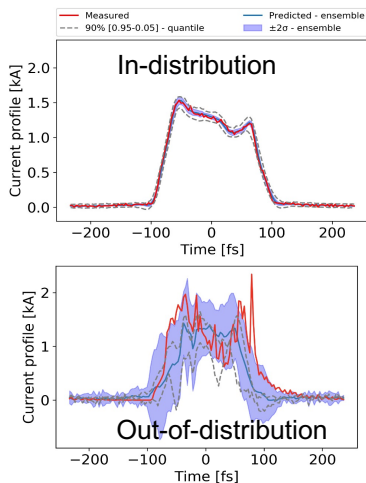
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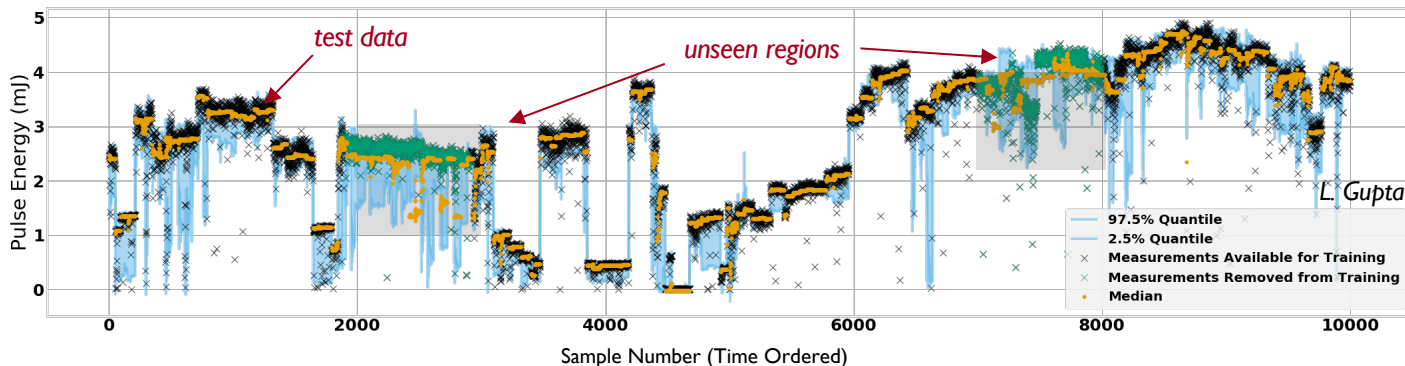
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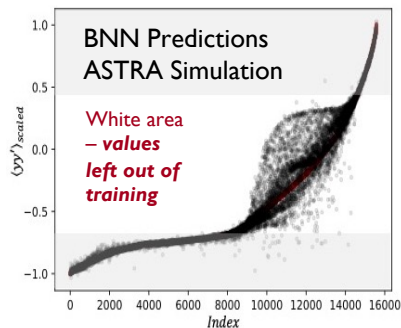
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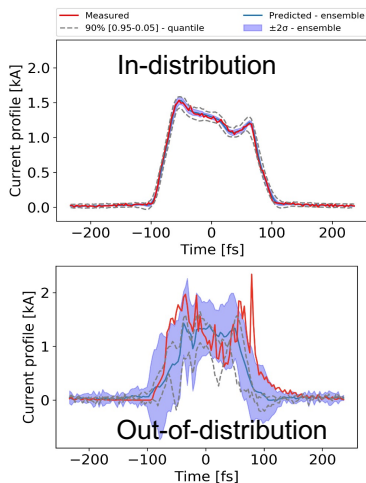
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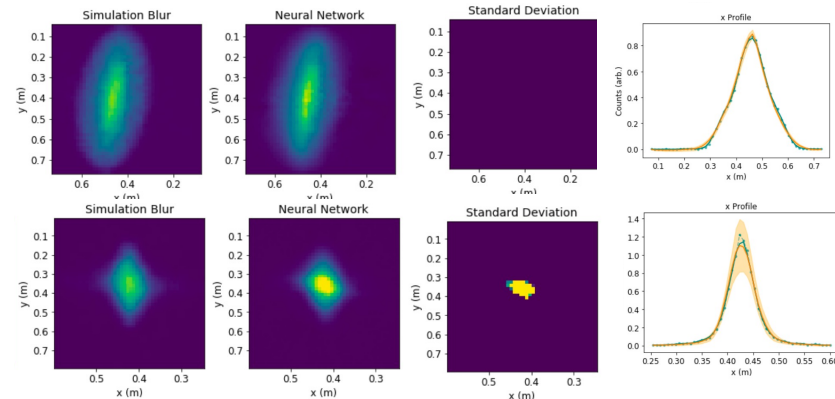
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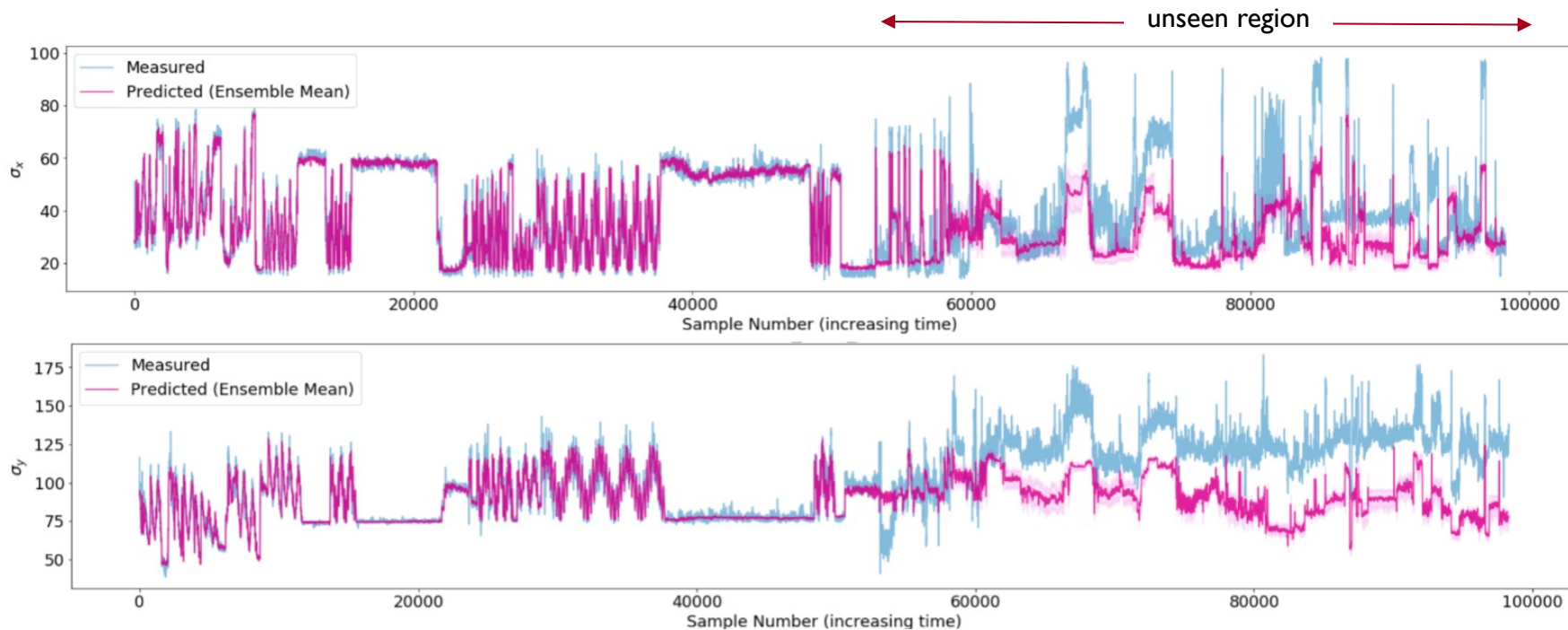
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LCLS injector transverse phase space (NN ensemble)

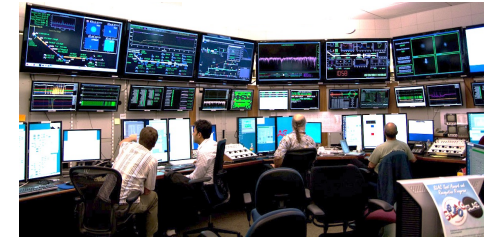
Example of beam size prediction and uncertainty estimates under drift from a neural network (@ UCLA Pegasus)



Uncertainty estimate from neural network ensemble **does not cover the OOD prediction error**, but it does give a qualitative metric for relative uncertainty

Data sets also present a challenge:

- Most examples above used thousands to tens-of-thousands of examples
- Not feasible to gather new data in every configuration (*from simulation or measurements*)
- Not everyone has access to large compute resources or ample beam time



→ how can we increase model generalization to new conditions and decrease data set sizes (i.e. improve sample-efficiency)?

→ inherent question: how to make ML models more readily adaptable?

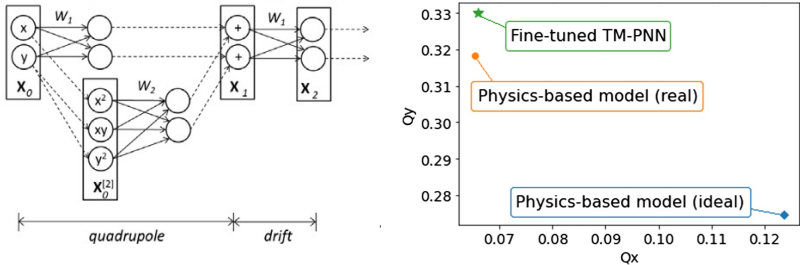
“Physics-informed” modeling → incorporate physics domain knowledge to reduce need for data, and aid interpretability + generalization

Many approaches:

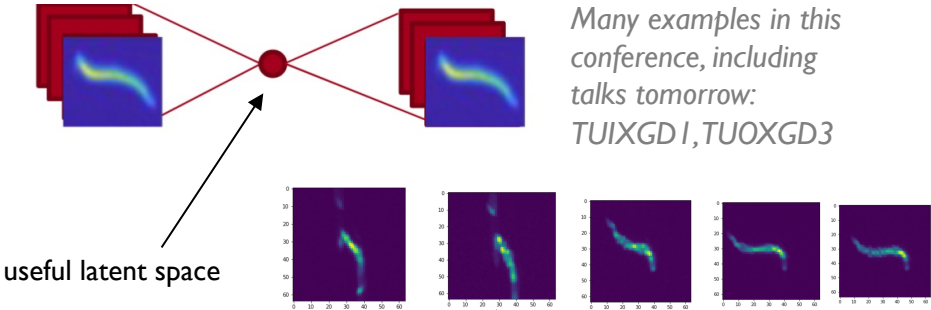
- Combine physics representations and machine learning models directly (e.g. differentiable simulations)
- Add physics constraints to output metrics
- Force to satisfy expected symmetries (e.g. inductive biases in ML model)
- Loose form: learn from many physics sims in a way that results in good representation of the physics (also related to representation learning)

Review paper: Karniadakis et al, *Nat Rev Phys* **3**, 422–440 (2021)
Snowmass accelerator modeling white paper: [arXiv:2203.08335](https://arxiv.org/abs/2203.08335)

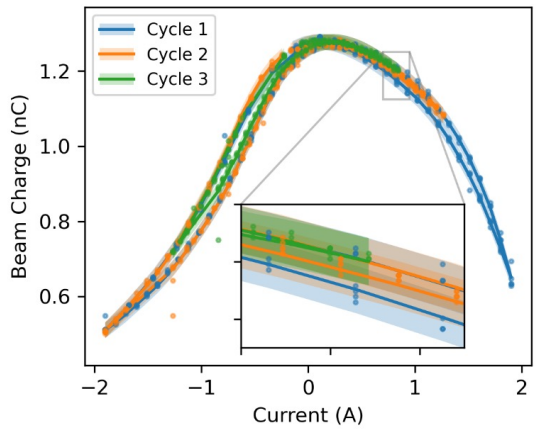
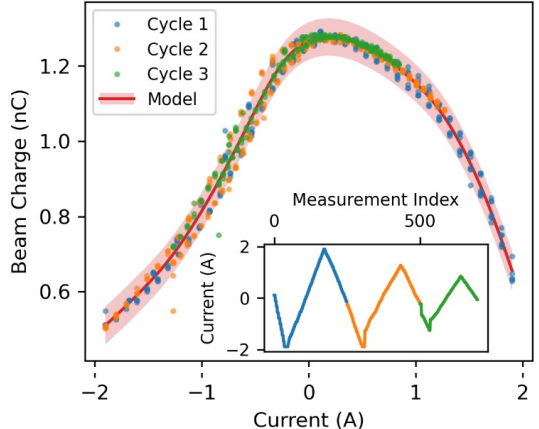
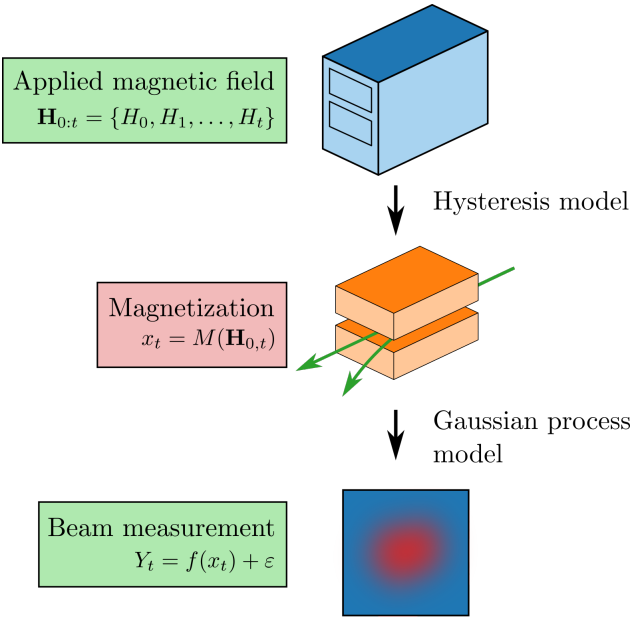
Differentiable Taylor map physics model + weights → train like ML model
needed very little data to calibrate PETRA IV model
Ivanov et al, PRAB, 2020



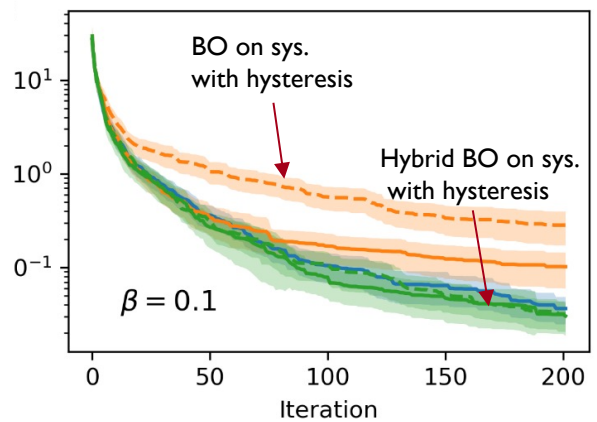
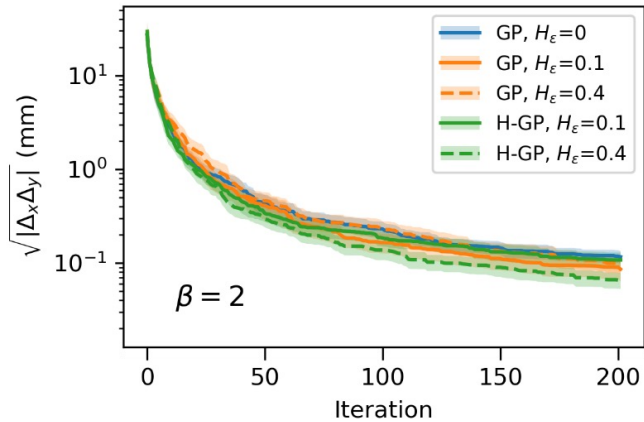
Physics-driven representation learning
(e.g. encoder-decoder neural network models)



Example: Differentiable Hysteresis Modeling + ML



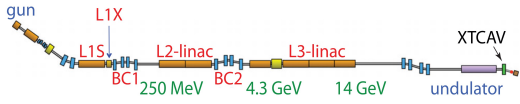
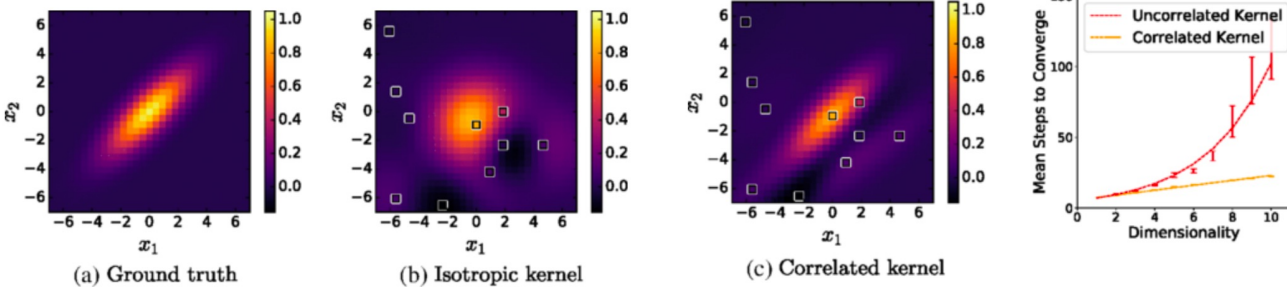
Joint modeling of hysteresis and beam propagation is more accurate and enables in-situ hysteresis characterization



Higher-precision optimization possible when including hysteresis

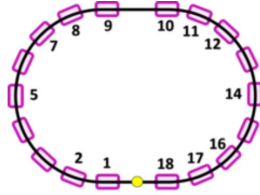
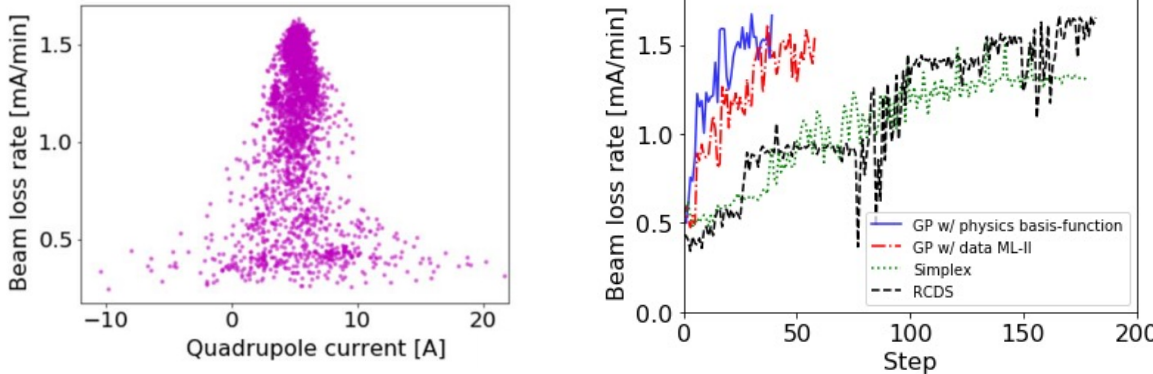
Example: Physics-informed Gaussian Processes

→ design GP kernel from expected correlations between inputs (e.g. quads)



FEL tuning @LCLS

→ take the Hessian of model at expected optimum to get the correlations



vertical emittance tuning @SPEAR3

No measured data needed ahead of time, just a physics model

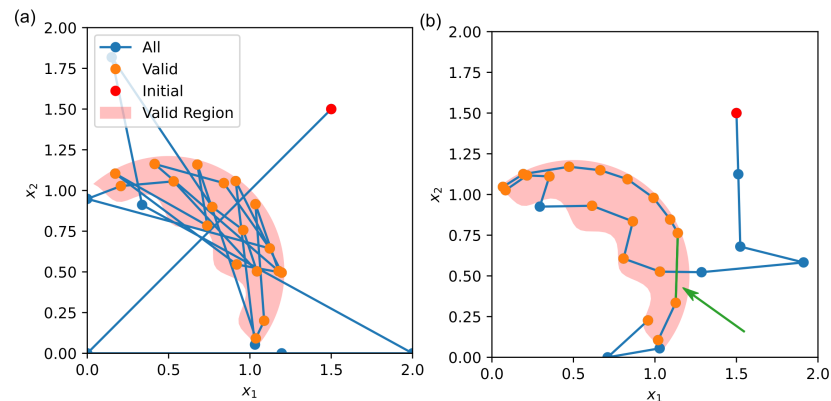
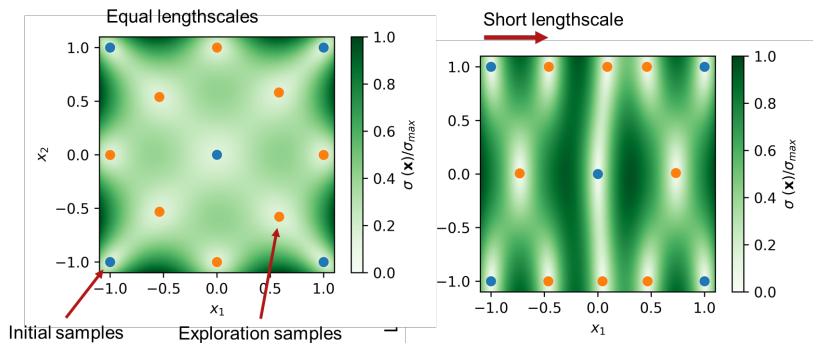
*Including correlation between inputs enables increases sample-efficiency → results in faster optimization
 Kernel-from-Hessian enables easy computation of correlations even in high dimension*

Better Data Sampling: Bayesian Exploration

$$\alpha(\mathbf{x}) = \sigma(\mathbf{x}) \prod_{i=1}^N p_i(g_i(\mathbf{x}) \geq h_i) \Psi(\mathbf{x}, \mathbf{x}_0)$$

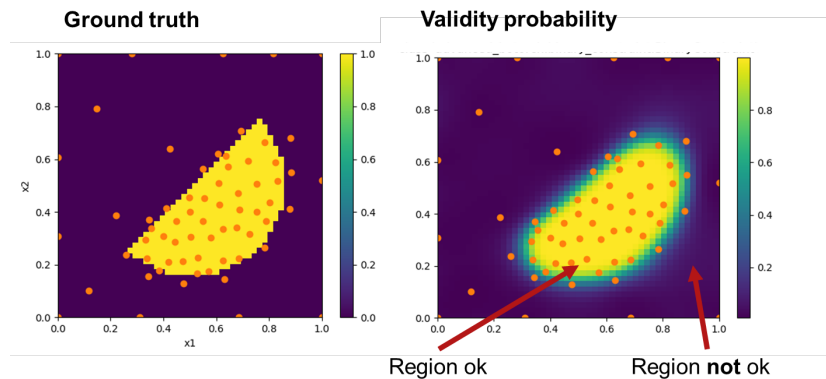
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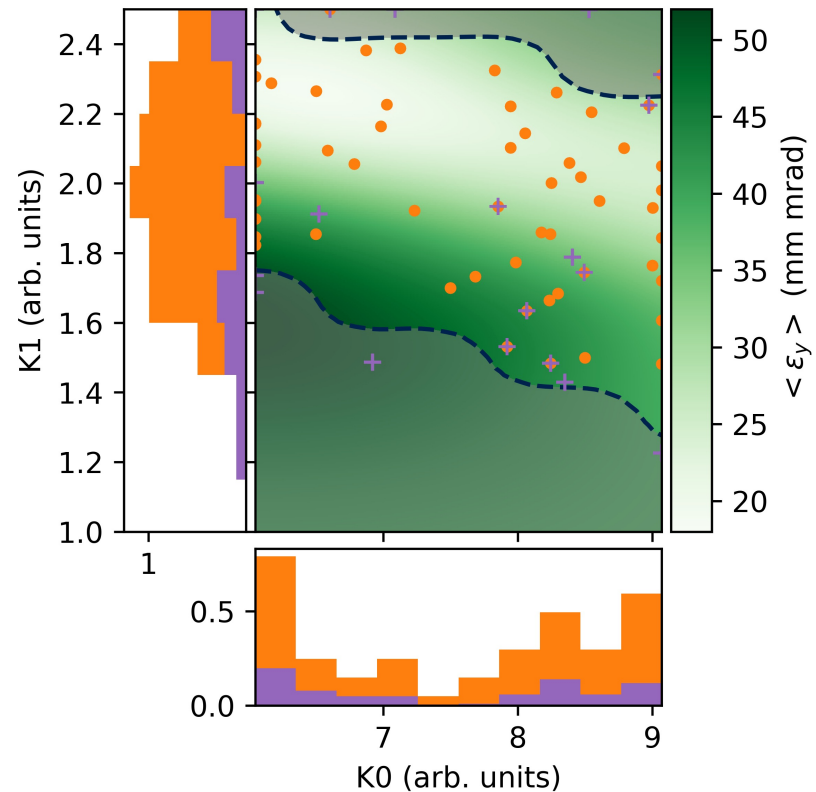
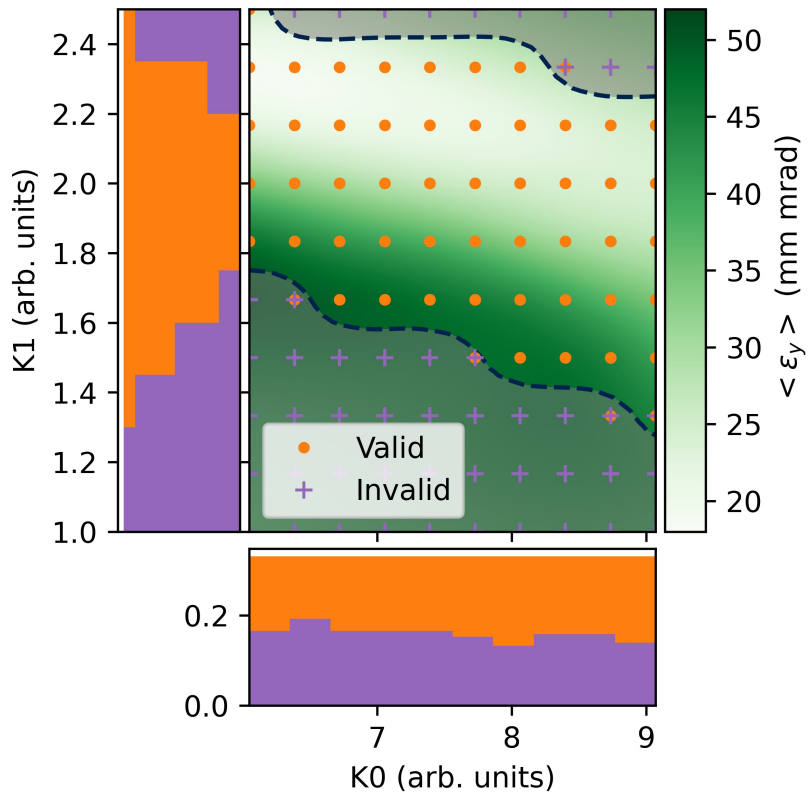
adaptive sampling



learning constraints

Enables sample-efficient characterization of high-dimensional spaces, while respecting both input and output constraints





Example for photoinjector emittance at AWA
 → much more efficient sampling than N-D scans

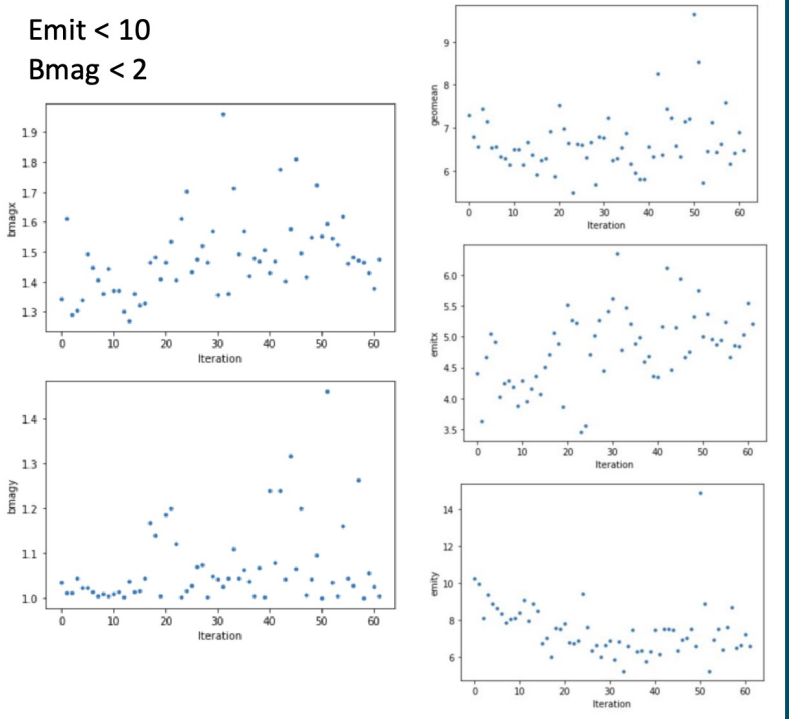
Explored 10-D input space on FACET-II injector at 700pC bunch charge

- Inputs: solenoid, bucking coil, corrector quads, matching quads
- Constrained on match and emittance
- Data sampling enabled easy model learning

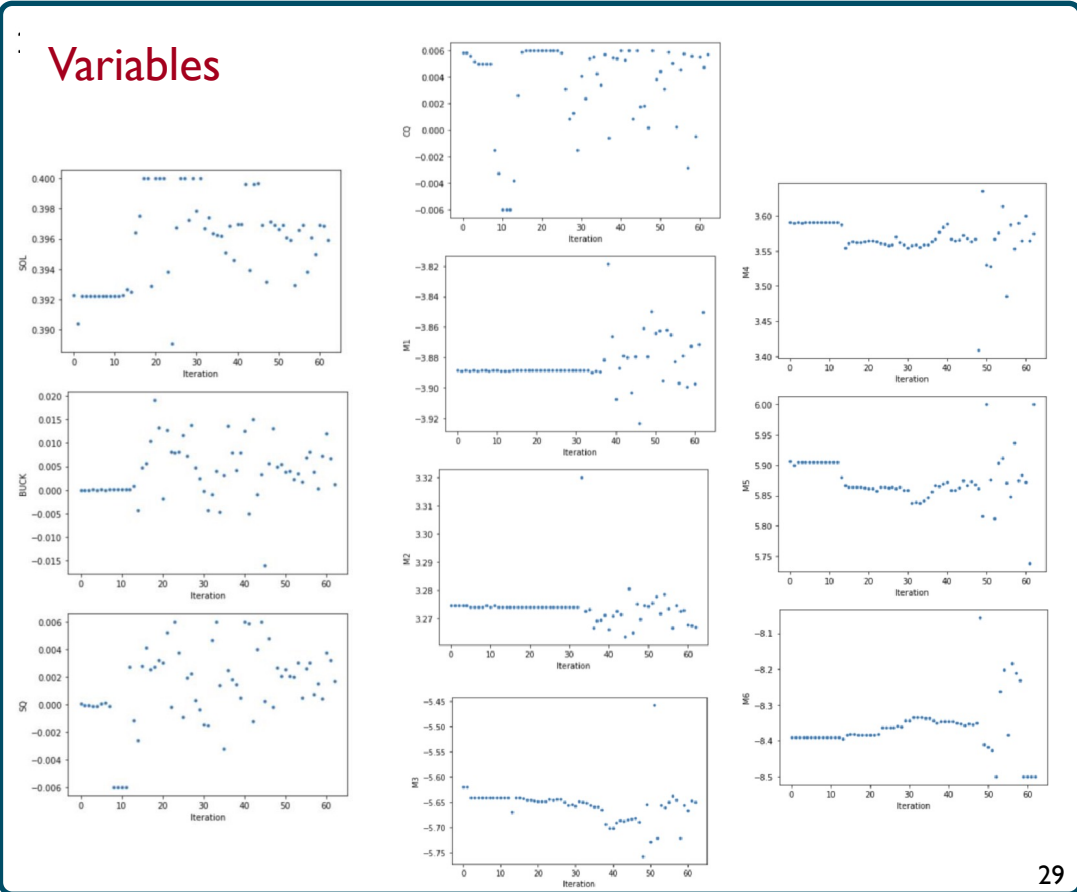
*~2 hours for thorough exploration in 10-D
contrast with 8-12 hours for 3-D scan*

Constrained Outputs

Emit < 10
Bmag < 2



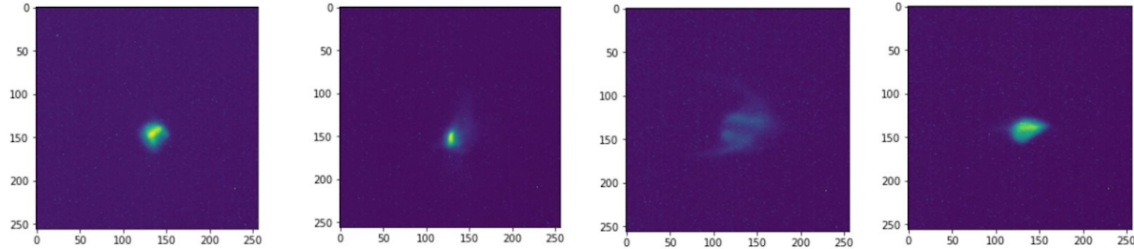
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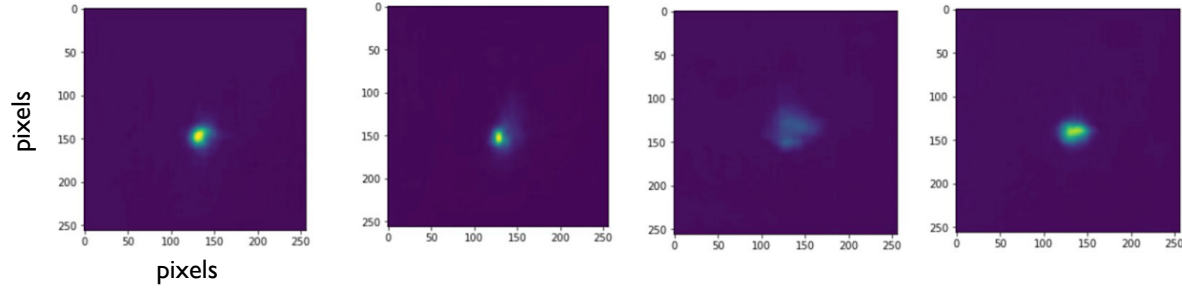
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Measured



Predicted



Examples from test set of held-out input ranges

Use of Bayesian exploration to generate training data was **sample-efficient**, reduces some of the burden of data cleaning, and results in a **well-balanced distribution for the training data** set over relevant space

→ Each area aids creation of generalizable, adaptable accelerator models

Better Model Representations

Physics-informed
Modeling

Generalizable
Learned
Representations

Model Uncertainty Assessment

Robust Modeling /
Uncertainty Quantification

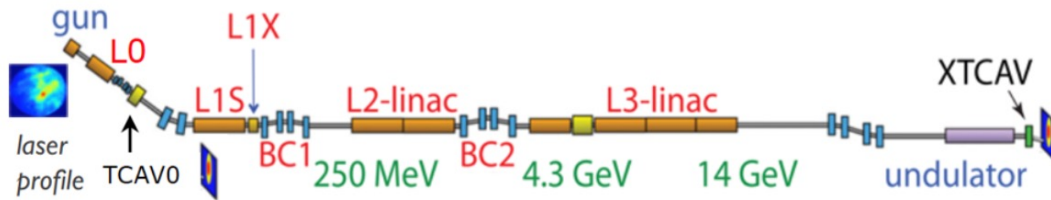
Online Model Updating

Efficient
Sampling Methods
(*active learning*)

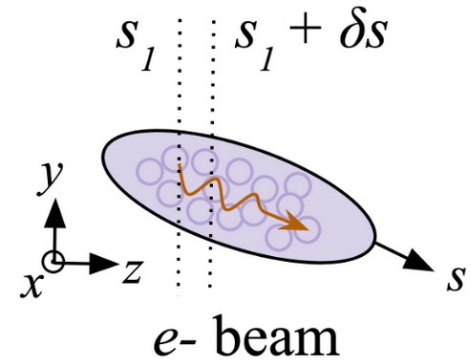
Continual Learning

Adaptive Feedback

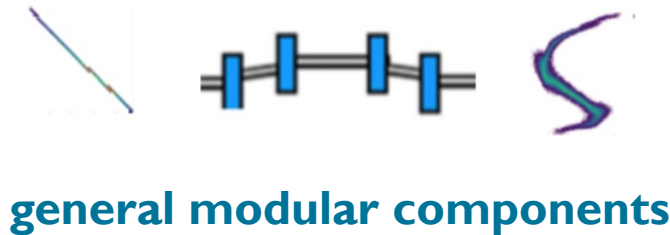
Surrogate Models of Different Granularities



sub-section models (e.g. injector)
machine-wide models



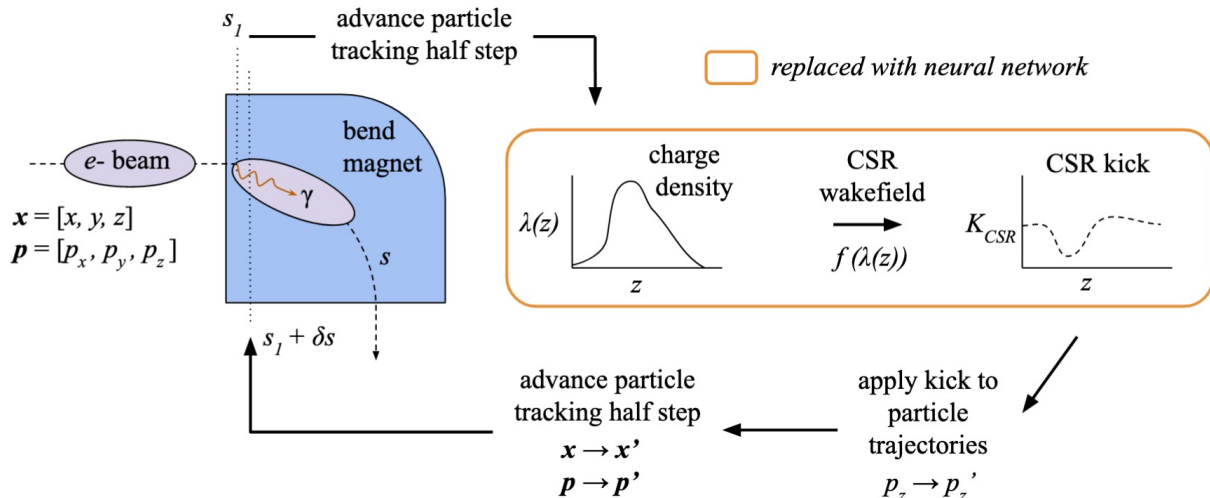
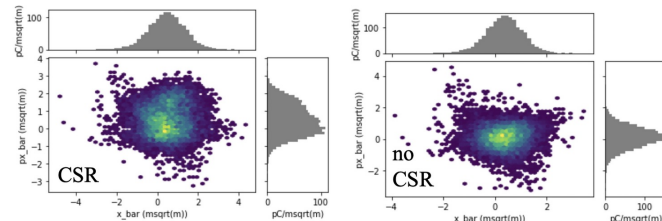
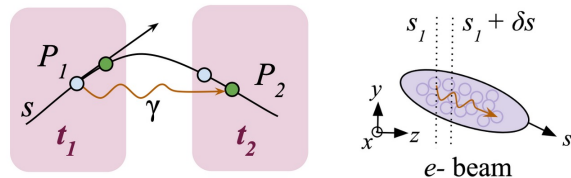
multi-particle
tracking steps



Embedding surrogates in tracking calculations

Impact of Coherent Synchrotron Radiation (CSR) is computationally intensive to simulate, even for 1D

Replace wakefield calculation in tracking step with a neural network



Trained fully-connected, feed-forward network

Trained on >1M samples from 10k different initial beam distributions (generated from start-to-end LCLS sims with random linac settings)

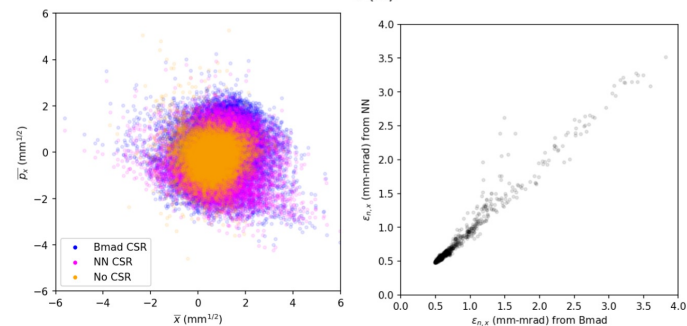
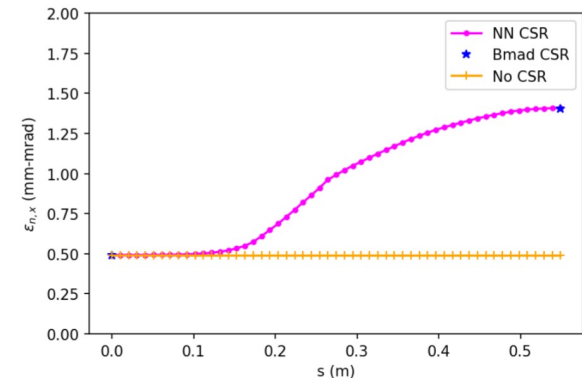
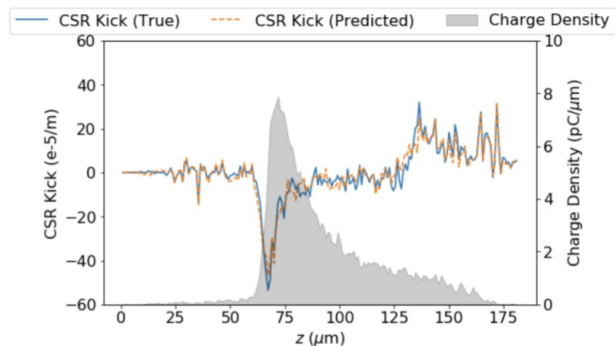
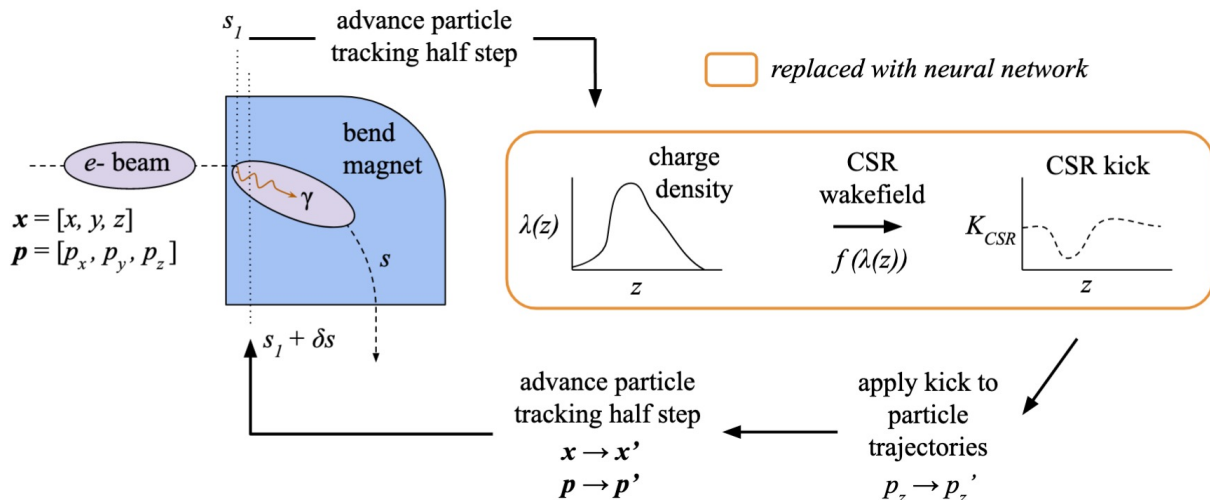
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→ *not perfect, but gets the bulk effect (better than excluding CSR)*

→ *is 10X faster than running with 1D CSR routine*

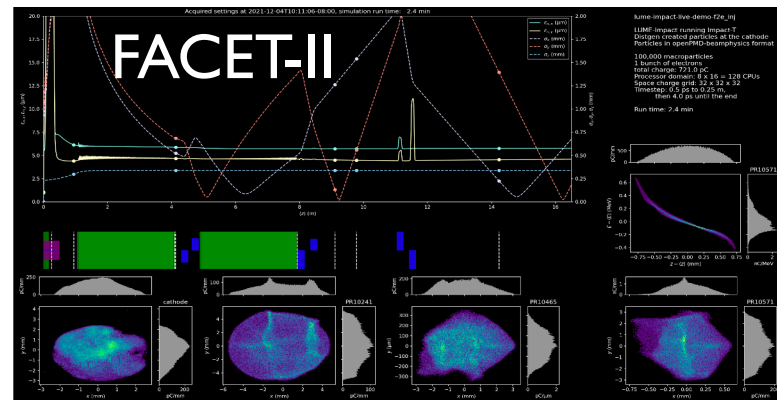
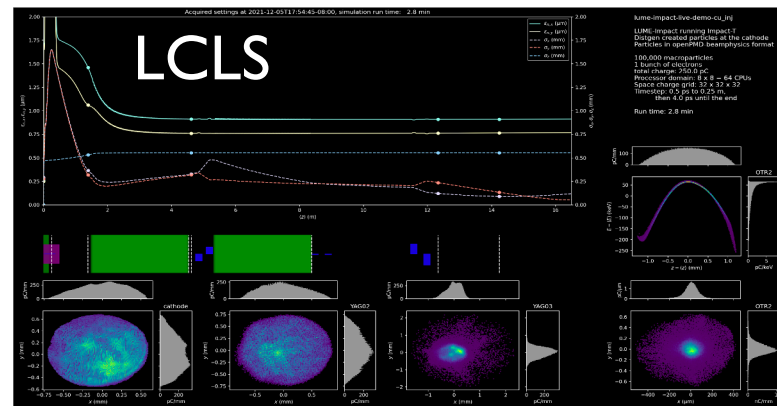


ML and Online Multi-Particle Physics Simulations

Getting easier to run physics sims that include nonlinear collective effects in online / semi-online execution when coupled with HPC

→ opens up new opportunities for physics-constrained learning

Standard interfaces and software (e.g. LUME, openPMD) make this more readily extensible to new systems



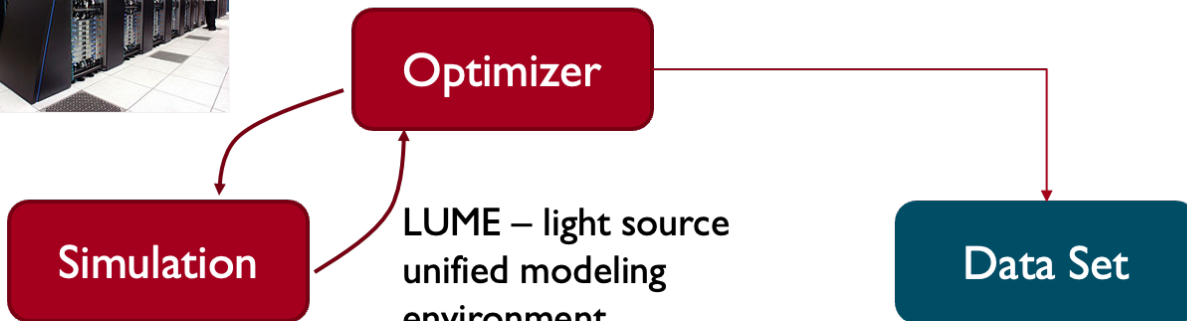
Impact-T simulations running online at SLAC

Standards for easy interfacing of simulations and optimizers



CNSGA, Bayesian algorithms, sampler

<https://christophermayes.github.io/Xopt/index.html>



LUME – light source unified modeling environment

<https://www.lume.science/>

Simulation

Impact
ASTRA
GPT
Bmad
Genesis
SRW
work in progress:
elegant

Data Set

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gen_1.json
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  variables:
    generation: 1
  vocs:
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gen_1.json

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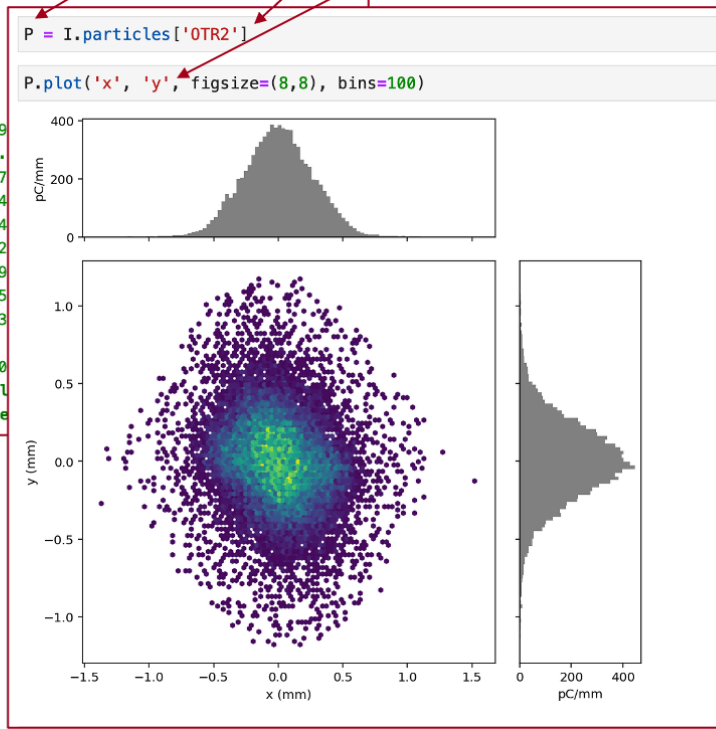
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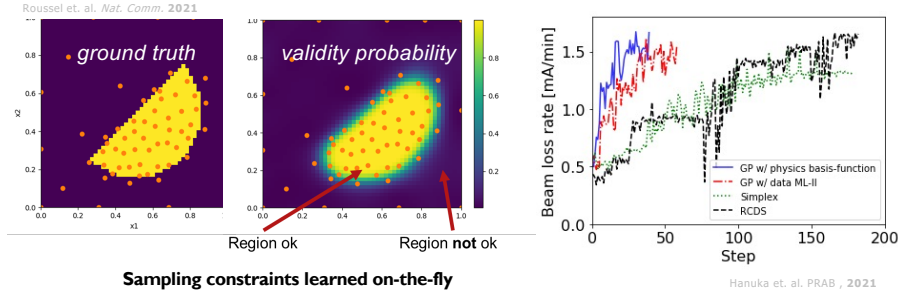
h5 files with beam distributions

→ easy to use with open-pmd-beamphysics

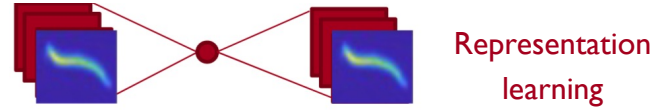
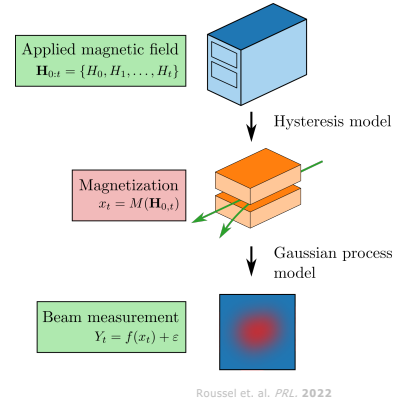
<https://github.com/ChristopherMayes/openPMD-beamphysics>

Future directions for ML-based modeling, physics modeling, and optimization/characterization are tightly-linked

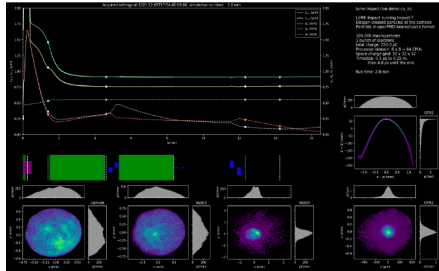
Algorithms for **efficient optimization and characterization** (useful for simulation exploration/design, data generation, machine characterization)



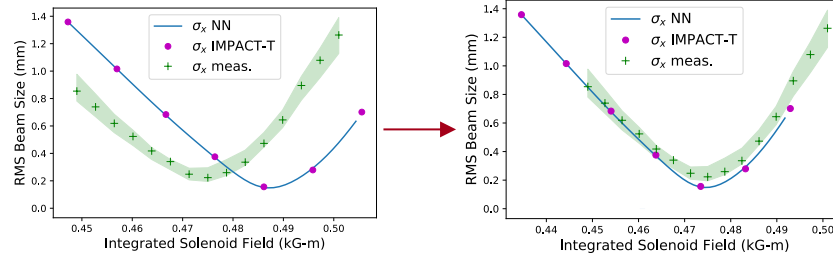
Techniques for combining **physics and ML modeling** (more reliable/transferrable, require less data, more interpretable), including **differentiable simulators**



Online physics simulations



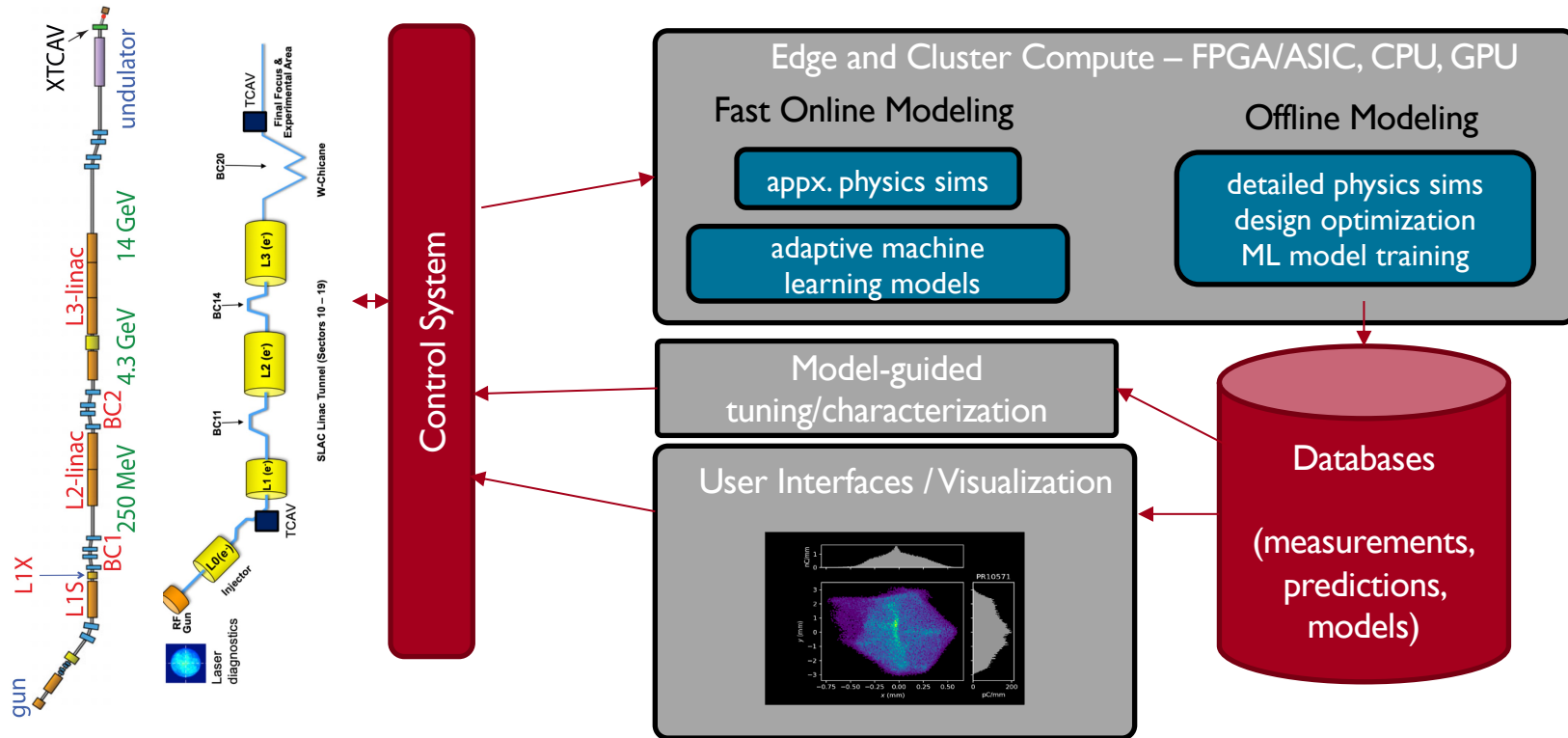
Adaptation on top of core models



Software packages and standards for data generation, online deployment of models, and optimization (LUME,



A common dream: fully-integrated virtual accelerator



Snowmass21 Accelerator Modeling Community White Paper

by the Beam and Accelerator Modeling Interest Group (BAMIG)*

Encourage checking out the Snowmass accelerator modeling whitepaper: [arXiv:2203.08335](https://arxiv.org/abs/2203.08335)

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