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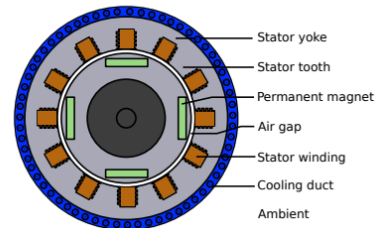
# Deep Learning–Based Reduced Order Models for Electric Motors

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# Motivation

- EV's rely on PMSM motors as their Main Traction Device
- Temperature Excursions in these Motors leads to loss of Torque efficiency and eventual failures
- Need test these devices over possible Thermal Regimes
- Dyno testing is costly and can lead to degraded devices
- Simulation is a must, but faster simulations are essential and Virtual Sensors are bonus



# Reduced Order Modeling

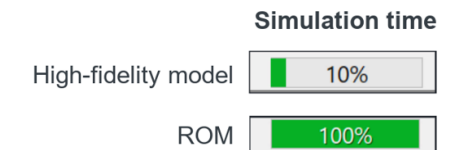
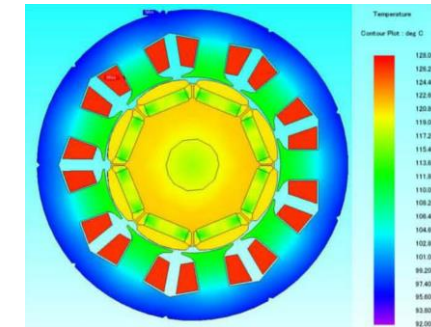
## What

- Techniques to **reduce the computational complexity** of a computer model
- Provide reduced, but acceptable fidelity**

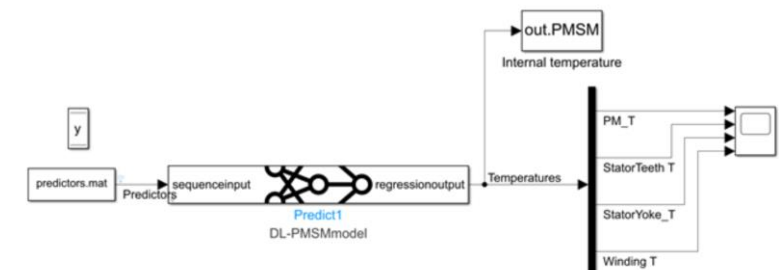
## Why

- Enable simulation of FEA models in Simulink
- Perform hardware-in-the-loop testing
- Develop virtual sensors, Digital twins
- Perform control design
- Enable desktop simulations for orders-of-magnitude longer timescales

## High-fidelity model



## Reduced-Order Model (ROM)



# Increase Simulation Speed With Reduced Order Modeling

We have a big .csv file with measurement data from different experiments.

```

clear
tt=readtable('./data/pmsm_temperature_data.csv');
head(tt)

```

ambient	coolant	u_d	u_q	motor_speed	torque	i_d	i_q	pm	stator_yoke	stator_tooth	stator_winding	profile_id
-0.75214	-1.1184	0.32794	-1.2979	-1.2224	-0.25018	1.0296	-0.24586	-2.5221	-1.8314	-2.0661	-2.018	4
-0.77126	-1.117	0.32966	-1.2977	-1.2224	-0.24913	1.0295	-0.24583	-2.5224	-1.831	-2.0649	-2.0176	4
-0.78289	-1.1167	0.33277	-1.3018	-1.2224	-0.24943	1.0294	-0.24582	-2.5227	-1.8304	-2.0641	-2.0173	4
-0.78094	-1.1168	0.3337	-1.3019	-1.2224	-0.24864	1.0328	-0.24695	-2.5216	-1.8303	-2.0631	-2.0176	4
-0.77484	-1.1168	0.33521	-1.3031	-1.2224	-0.2487	1.0318	-0.24661	-2.5219	-1.8305	-2.0628	-2.0181	4
-0.76294	-1.117	0.3349	-1.303	-1.2224	-0.2482	1.031	-0.24634	-2.5222	-1.8319	-2.0625	-2.0179	4
-0.74923	-1.1162	0.33501	-1.3021	-1.2224	-0.24791	1.0305	-0.24616	-2.5225	-1.833	-2.0621	-2.0172	4
-0.73845	-1.114	0.33626	-1.3052	-1.2224	-0.24832	1.0301	-0.24603	-2.5228	-1.8322	-2.062	-2.0172	4

The following measurements are our inputs:

- Ambient Temperature
- Coolant Temperature
- Motor Voltage (dq-Frame)
- Motor Current (dq-Frame)

```

profile_id=tt.profile_id;
tt_data=[tt(:,1:5) tt(:,7:8)];
tt_data.ambient=movavg(tt_data.ambient,'simple',100);
tt_data.ambient=tt_data.ambient;

```

We want to predict the following values:

- Permanent Magnet Temperature
- Stator Yoke Temperature
- Stator Tooth Temperature
- Stator Winding Temperature

The Simulink diagram illustrates the reduced-order modeling process. It starts with a 'predictor.mat' block that provides 'Predictor' outputs. These are fed into a 'DL-PMSMmodel' block. The model outputs 'Temperatures' for 'PM\_T', 'StatorTeeth\_T', 'StatorYoke\_T', and 'Winding\_T'. Each temperature signal is multiplied by a gain of 50 and then added to a constant value of 15. The final outputs are summed to produce the predicted temperatures.

Diagnostic Viewer

```

0 of 1 models built (1 models already up to date)
Build duration: 0h 0m 5.549s
Simulation
### Preparing to start SLL simulation ...
### Skipping manifest generation and compilation because C:\Shyam_S\PC\MATLAB\Projects\SurrogateML\Code\PRISin_gnt_rtw\sll\PRISin.exe is up to date
### Starting SLL simulation for component: PRISin
### Application stopped
### Stopping SLL simulation for component: PRISin

```

Task Profiling Summary

Section	Maximu...
initialize	3333.8008
stop_SLL	2181.1023
terminate	183.80952

Code Execution Profiling

To view execution-time metrics:

- For a profiled component, click a blue-shaded block.
- For top...

# Common Challenges in Operationalizing Models

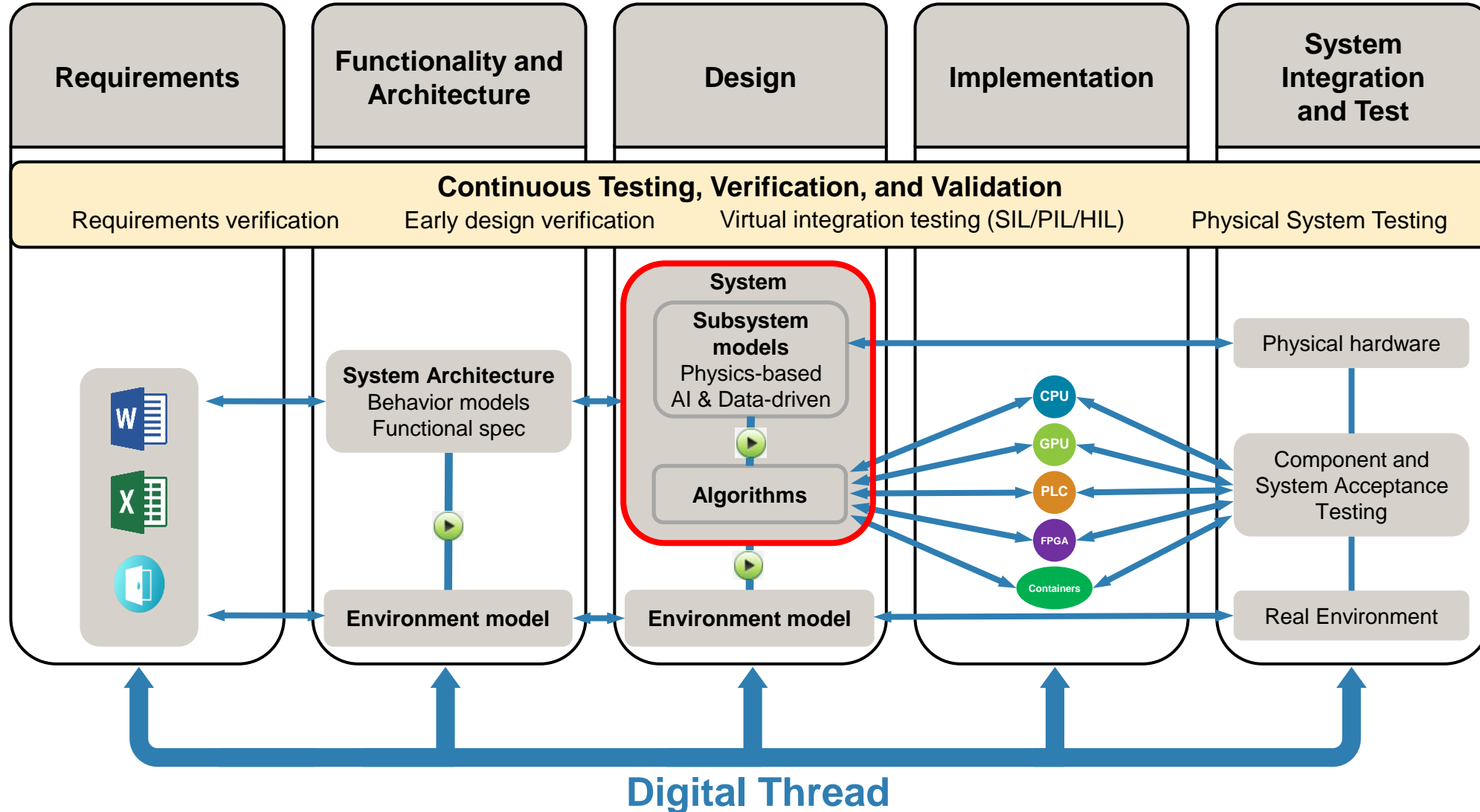


High fidelity models, such as ones from 3<sup>rd</sup> party FEA tools, are too slow for system level simulation and HIL testing.

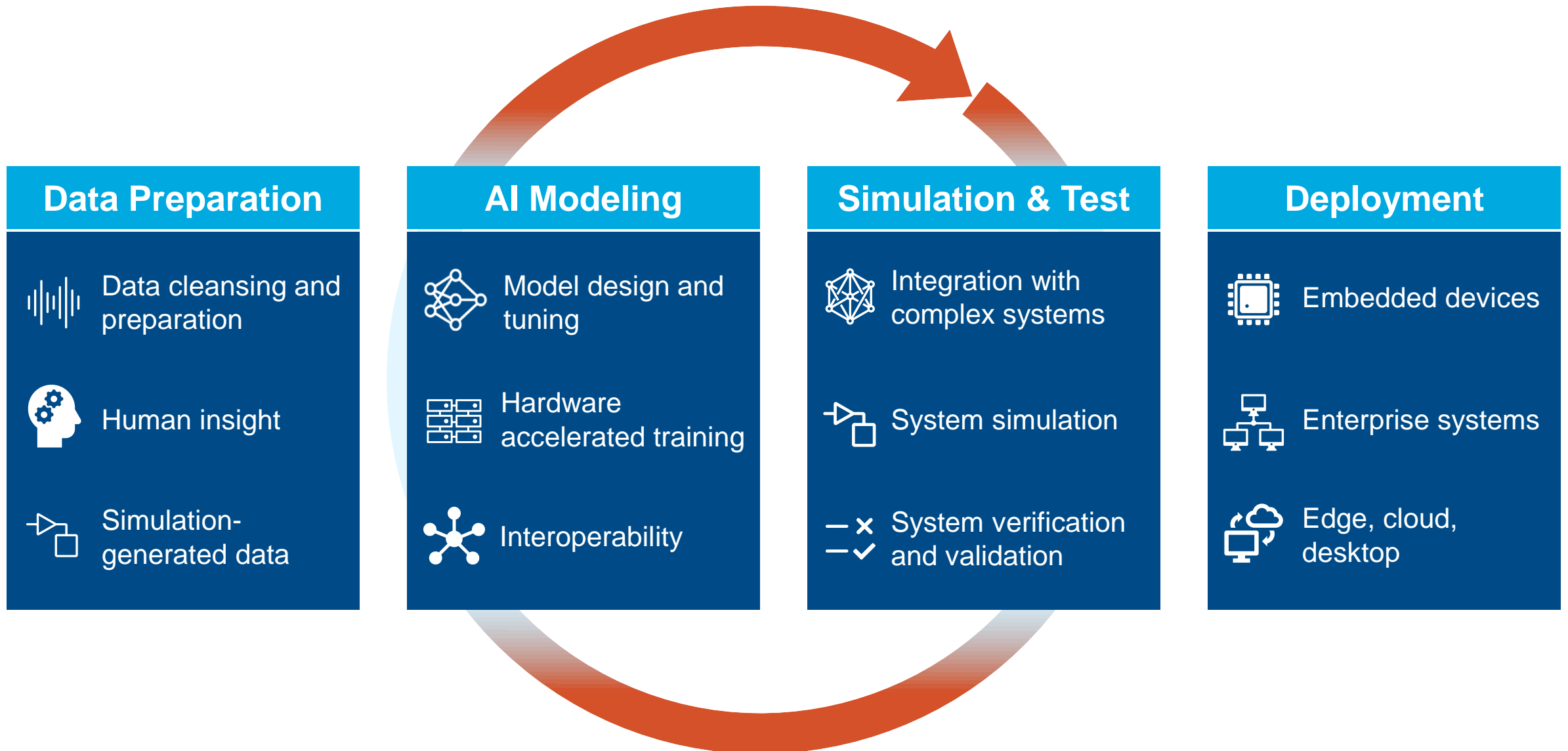


Creating a ROM that produces desired results in terms of speed, accuracy, interpretability, etc.

# Integrating AI into Model-Based Design (Focus on Subsystem Models)



# AI-driven system design



# AI-driven system design

## Data Preparation



Data cleansing and preparation



Human insight



Simulation-generated data



# Data Source

## Deep Residual Convolutional and Recurrent Neural Networks for Temperature Estimation in Permanent Magnet Synchronous Motors

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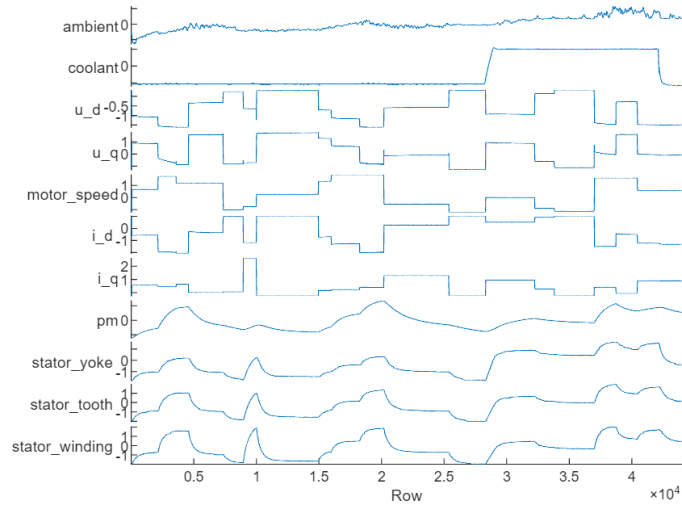
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**Abstract**—Most traction drive applications using permanent magnet synchronous motors (PMSMs) lack accurate temperature monitoring capabilities so that safe operation is ensured through expensive, oversized materials at the cost of its effective utilization. Classic thermal modeling is conducted with e.g. lumped-parameter thermal networks (LPTNs), which help to estimate internal component temperatures rather precisely but also require expertise in choosing model parameters and lack physical interpretability as soon as their degrees of freedom are curtailed in order to meet the real-time requirement. In this work, deep recurrent and convolutional neural networks with residual connections are empirically evaluated for their feasibility on the sequence learning task of predicting latent high-dynamic temperatures inside PMSMs, which, to the authors' best knowledge, has not been elaborated in previous literature. In a highly utilized PMSM for electric vehicle applications, the temperature profile in the stator teeth, winding, and yoke as well as the rotor's permanent magnets are modeled while their ground

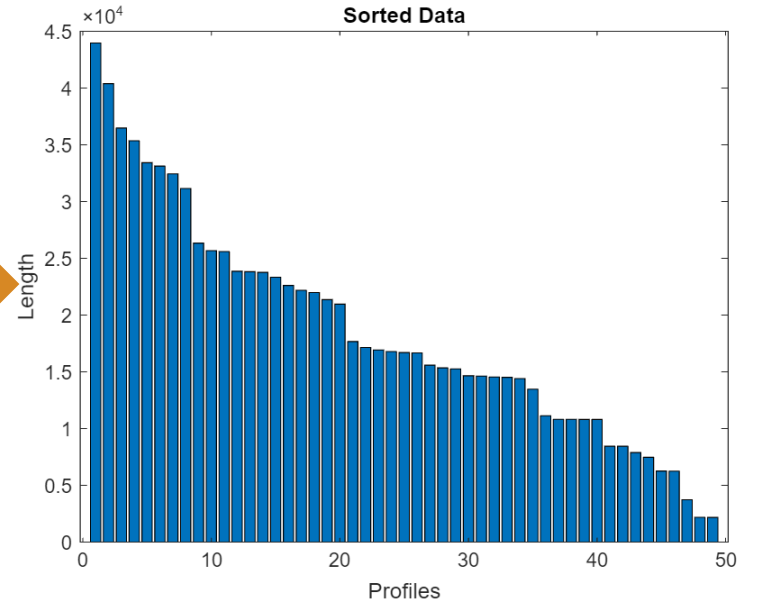
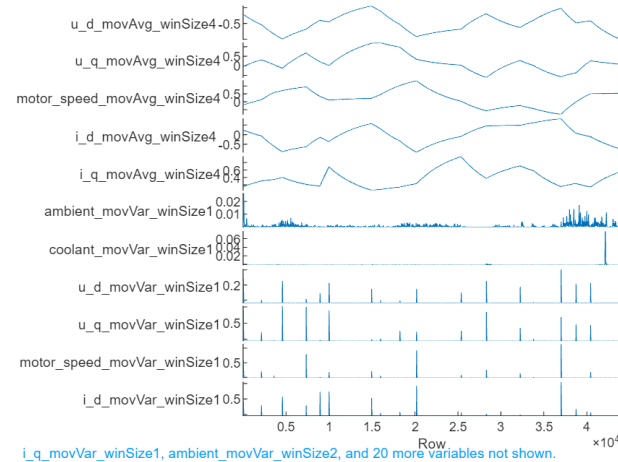
precise thermal state, yet for the rotor part, it is technically and economically infeasible due to an electric motor's sophisticated internal structure and the difficult accessibility of the rotor. Stator temperature monitoring is realized with thermal sensors, but these are usually firmly embedded in the stator so that replacement is not an option, although sensor functionality deteriorates steadily. Since competitive pressure demands perpetual reduction of production costs, there is a commercial interest driving the investigation of sufficiently accurate real-time temperature estimation. In the last decades, various research efforts led to approaches that approximate the heat transfer process e.g. with equivalent circuit diagrams [2] called lumped-parameter thermal networks (LPTNs). This kind of model must forfeit physical interpretability of its structure and parameter values by significantly curtailing degrees of

# Workflow –Data Preparation

## Raw CSV Data

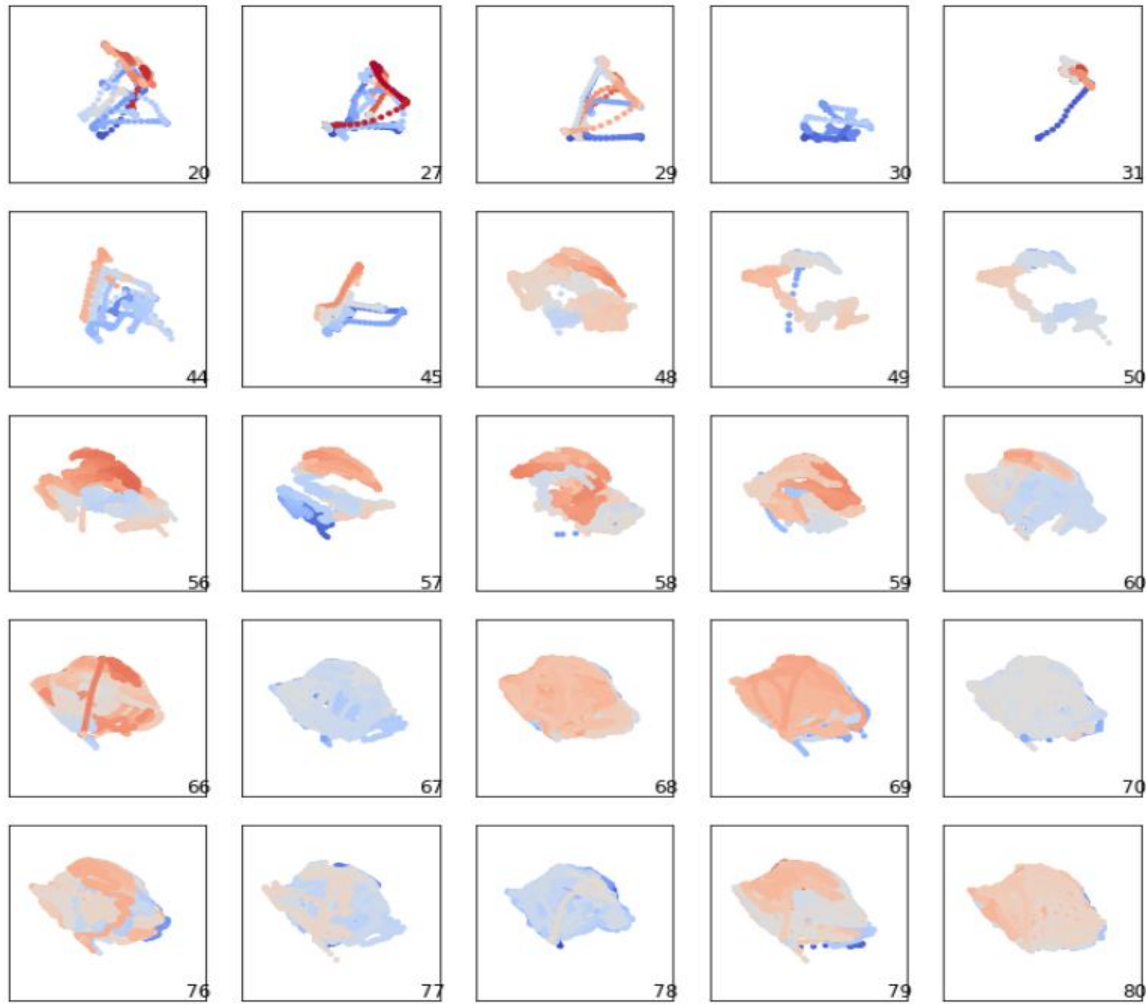


## Additional Features



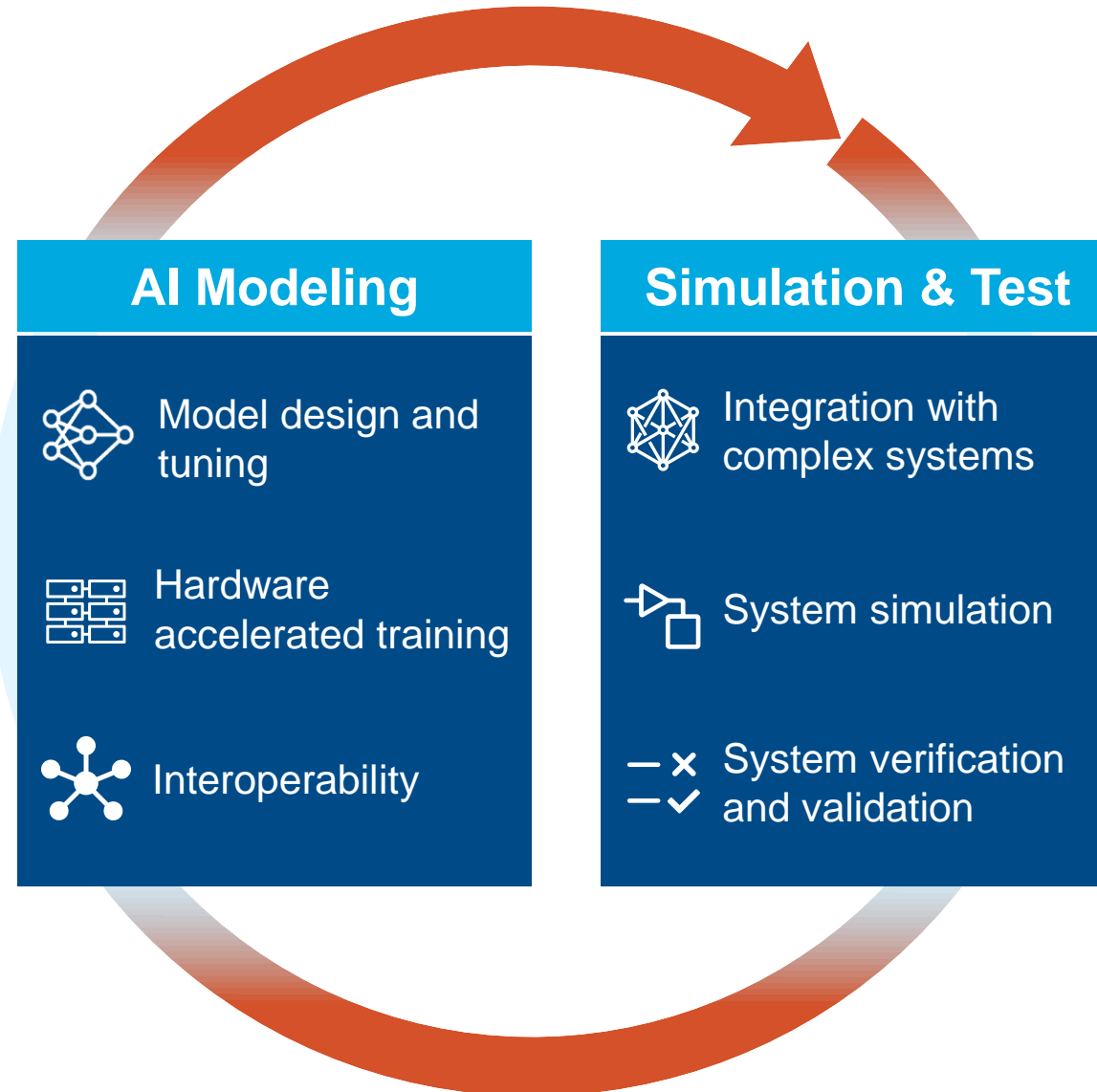
Sorted Data includes drive cycles of different lengths and Ambient Conditions,  
DOE of design space to cover edge cases  
Sorting helps to keep the mini-batch computation efficient with minimal padding

# Profile Characteristics

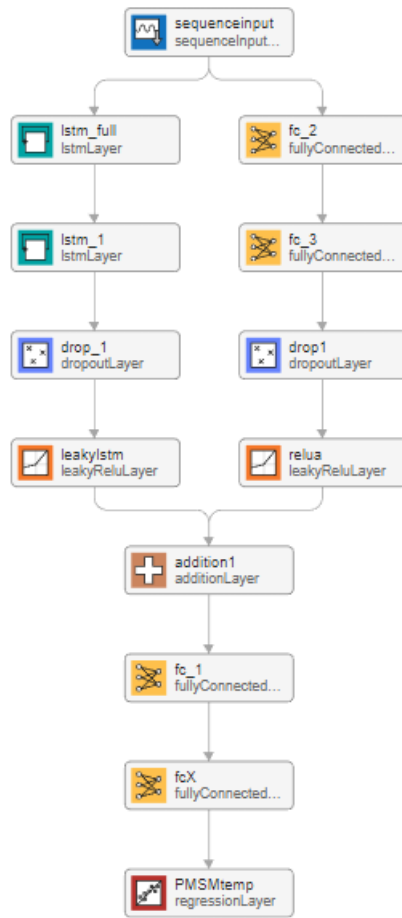


Drive cycles on **Torque-Speed** plane

# AI-driven system design



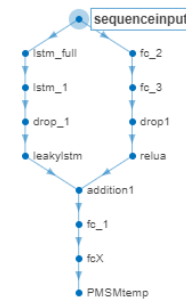
# AI-Model Development



## Analysis for training in Deep Network Designer

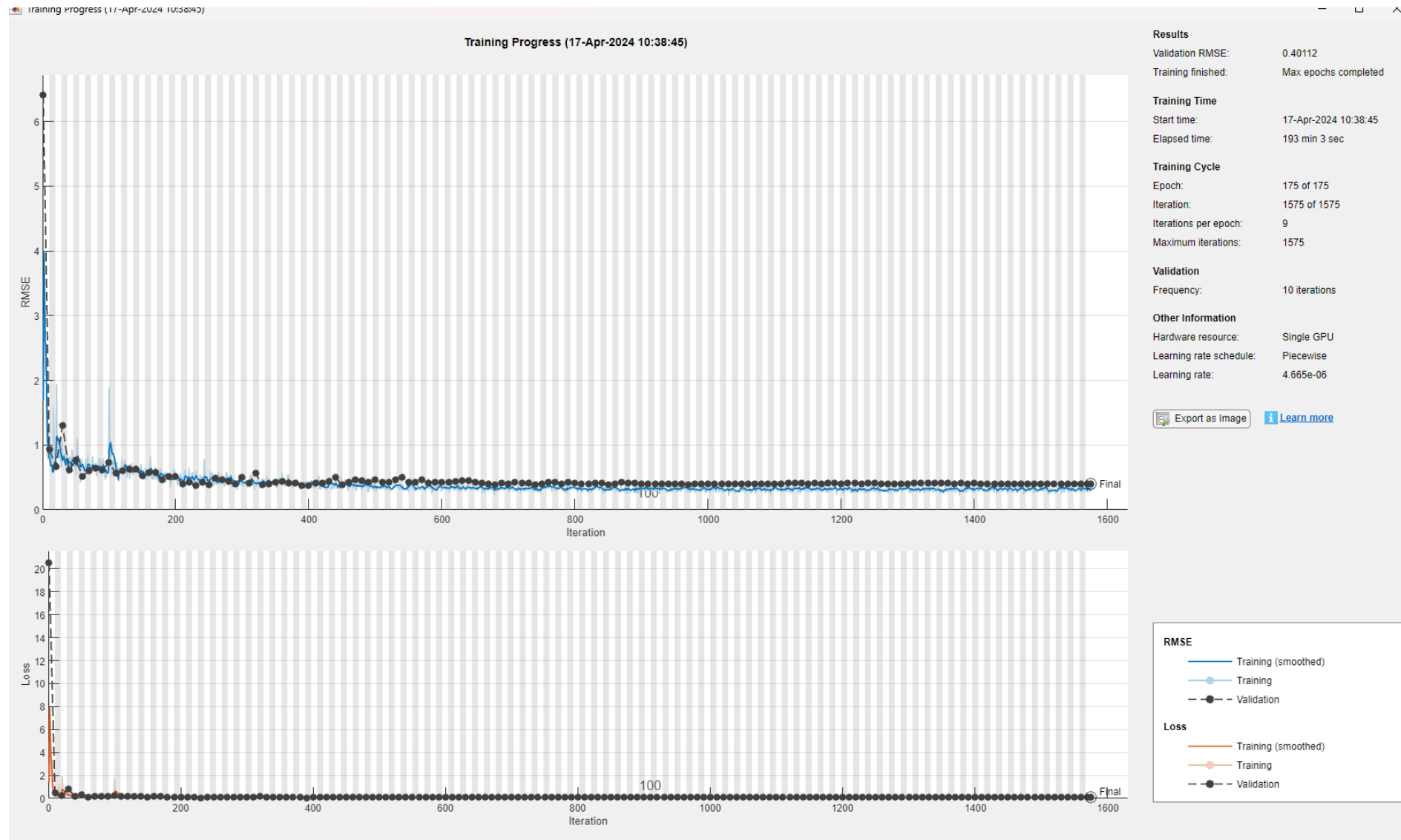
Name: Network from Deep Network Designer  
 Analysis date: 15-Apr-2024 11:47:04

**2M** total learnables    **13** layers    **0** warnings    **0** errors

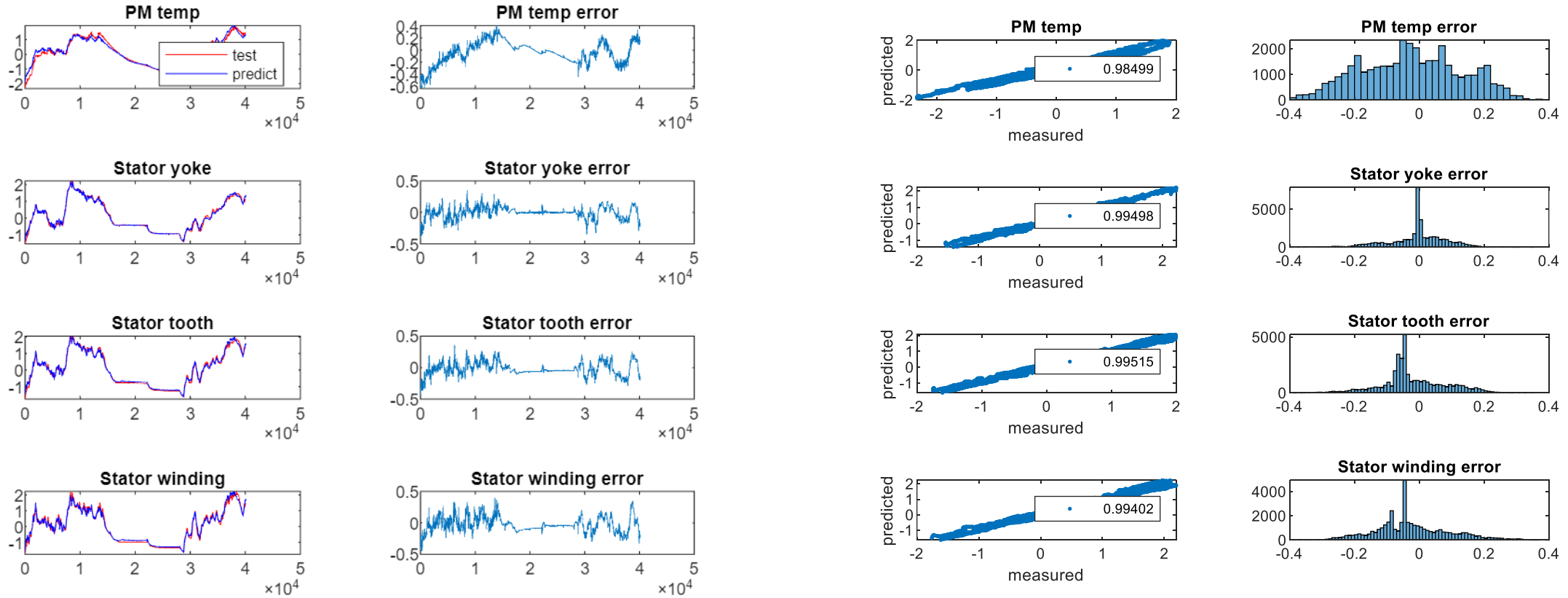


ANALYSIS RESULT					
	Name	Type	Activations	Learnable Proper...	Stati
1	sequenceinput Sequence input with 66 dimensions	Sequence Input	66(C) × 1(B) × 1(T)	-	-
2	lstm_full LSTM with 573 hidden units	LSTM	573(C) × 1(B) × 1(T)	InputWeig... 2292 ... Recurrent... 2292 ... Bias 2292 ...	Hidd Cell
3	lstm_1 LSTM with 191 hidden units	LSTM	191(C) × 1(B) × 1(T)	InputWeig... 764 ×... Recurrentw... 764 ×... Bias 764 ×...	Hidd Cell
4	drop_1 85% dropout	Dropout	191(C) × 1(B) × 1(T)	-	-
5	leakylstm Leaky ReLU with scale 0.02	Leaky ReLU	191(C) × 1(B) × 1(T)	-	-
6	fc_2 66 fully connected layer	Fully Connected	66(C) × 1(B) × 1(T)	Weights 66 × 66 Bias 66 × 1	-
7	fc_3 191 fully connected layer	Fully Connected	191(C) × 1(B) × 1(T)	Weights 191 × 66 Bias 191 × 1	-
8	drop1 75% dropout	Dropout	191(C) × 1(B) × 1(T)	-	-
9	relua Leaky ReLU with scale 0.25	Leaky ReLU	191(C) × 1(B) × 1(T)	-	-
10	addition1 Element-wise addition of 2 inputs	Addition	191(C) × 1(B) × 1(T)	-	-
11	fc_1 4 fully connected layer	Fully Connected	4(C) × 1(B) × 1(T)	Weights 4 × 191 Bias 4 × 1	-
12	fcX 4 fully connected layer	Fully Connected	4(C) × 1(B) × 1(T)	Weights 4 × 4 Bias 4 × 1	-
13	PMSMtemp mean-squared-error	Regression Output	4(C) × 1(B) × 1(T)	-	-

# What Do we look in Training?

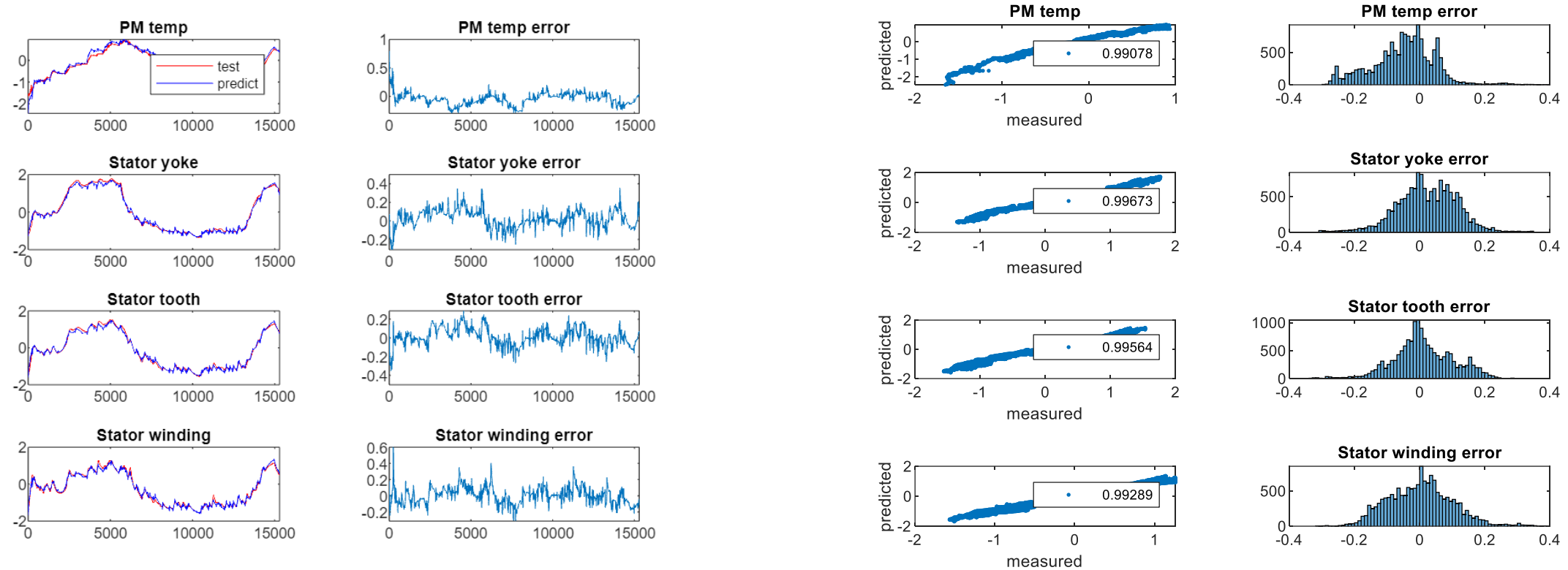


# Testing Results on a long profile



All correlation values are about 0.99 and error distribution is unbiased hence model captures trend and Magnitude

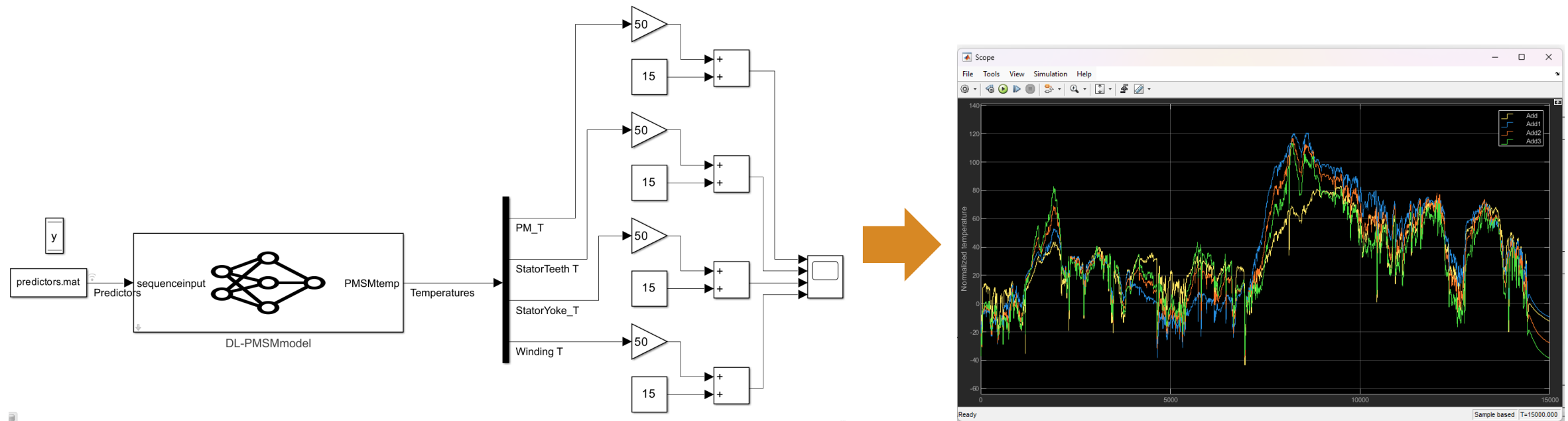
# Test Results for a short profile



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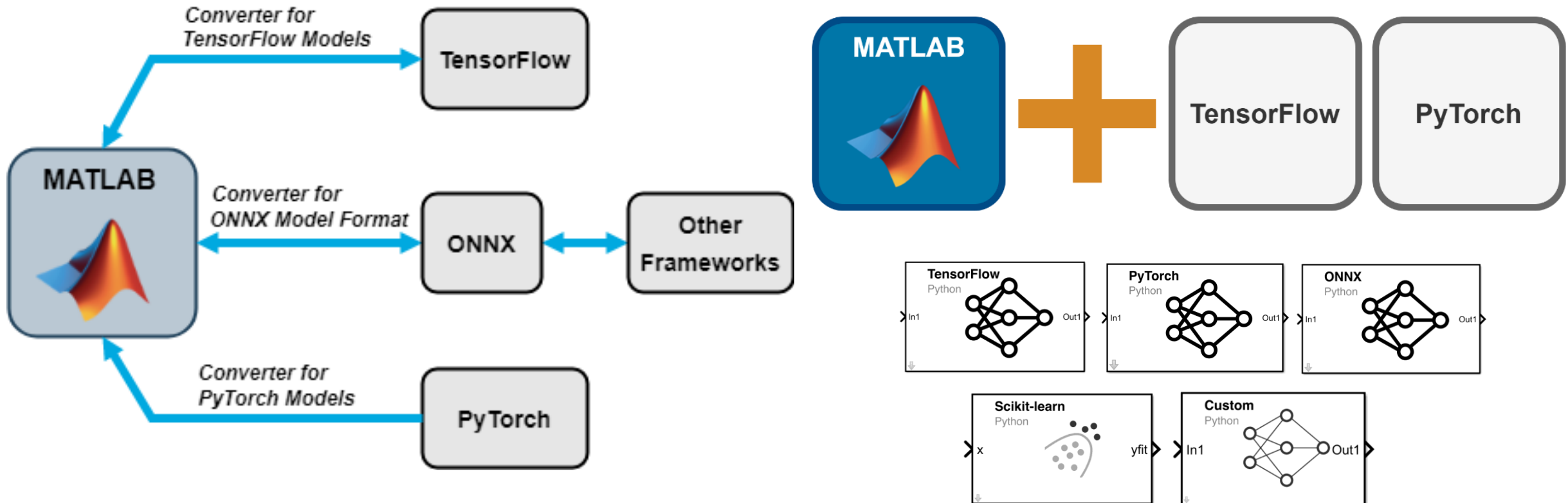


# Deployment to Simulink



# MATLAB works with Python-based frameworks

Framework Interoperability bridges the gap between data science, engineering and production



# AI-driven system design

## Deployment



Embedded devices



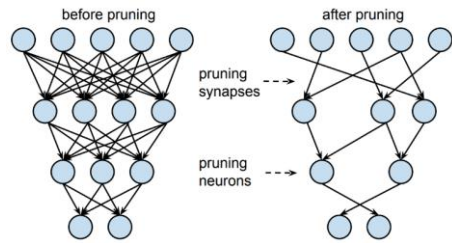
Enterprise systems



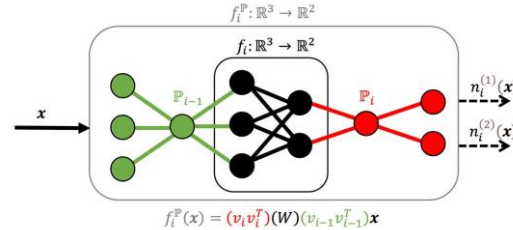
Edge, cloud,  
desktop

# Model compression reduces Model for Deployment (reduces learnable from 2M to 850 K)

## Structural Compression



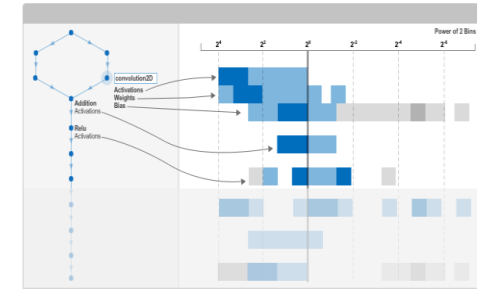
**Pruning**  
convolutional neural  
networks



**Projection** of deep  
neural networks

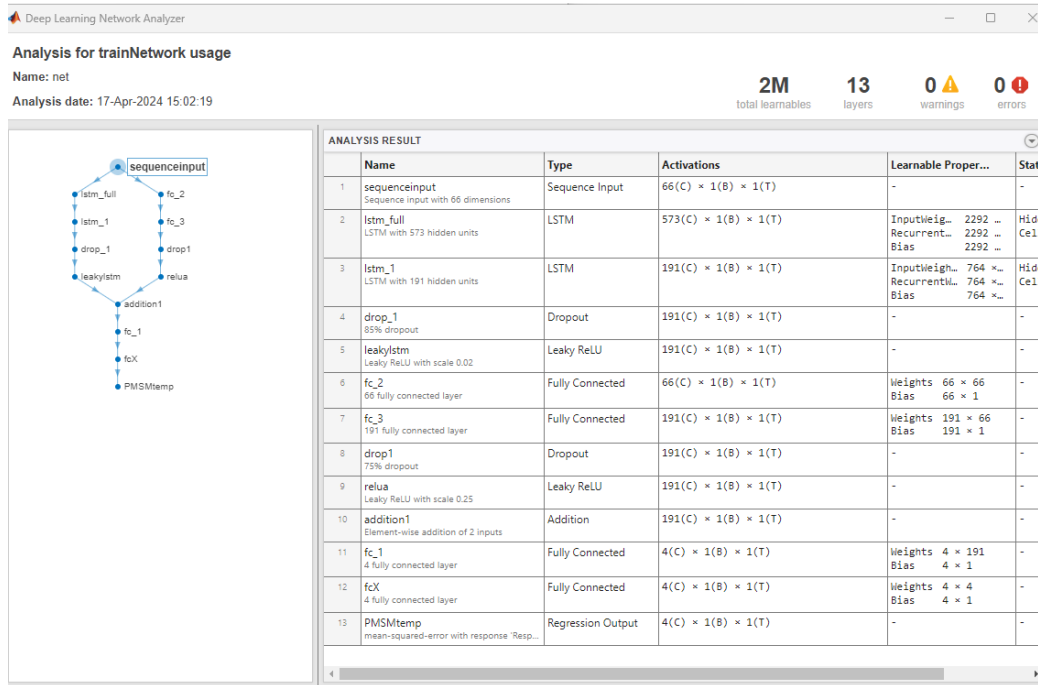
We'll take a closer  
look at the projection  
technique in today's  
workshop

## Datatype Compression

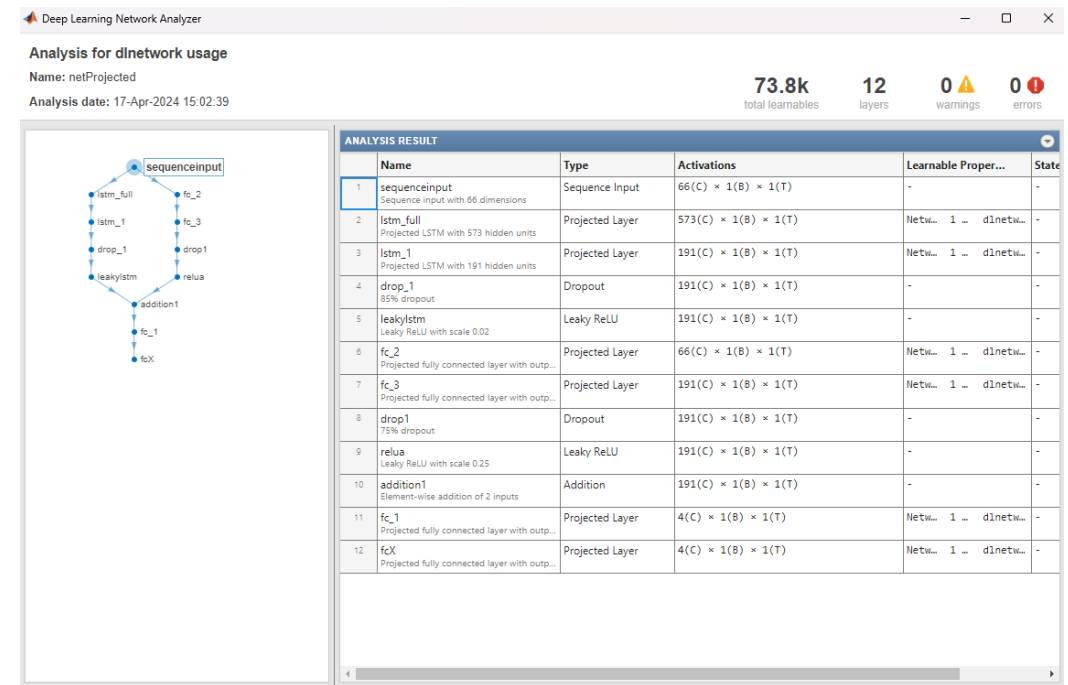


**Quantization** of network  
weights to lower precision  
datatypes (bfloat16, int8)

# Compressed Network



Original



Projected

Approximately 25X reduction in Size

# Code Generation For HIL/SIL test

Web Browser - Code Generation Report

Location: file:///C:/Shyams\_OldPC/MATLAB/Projects/SurrogateDL/PMSMSim\_grt\_rt/html/index.html

PMSMSim

## Code Interface Report for PMSMSim

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**Entry-Point Functions**

Function: [PMSMSim\\_initialize](#)

Prototype	<b>void PMSMSim_initialize(void)</b>
Description	Initialization entry point of generated code
Timing	Must be called exactly once
Arguments	None
Return value	None
Header file	<a href="#">PMSMSim.h</a>

Function: [PMSMSim\\_step](#)

Prototype	<b>void PMSMSim_step(void)</b>
Description	Output entry point of generated code
Timing	Must be called periodically, every 1 second
Arguments	None
Return value	None
Header file	<a href="#">PMSMSim.h</a>

Function: [PMSMSim\\_terminate](#)

Prototype	<b>void PMSMSim_terminate(void)</b>
Description	Termination entry point of generated code
Timing	Must be called exactly once
Arguments	None
Return value	None
Header file	<a href="#">PMSMSim.h</a>

**Inports**

No Inports in model.

**Outports**

No Outports in model.

**Interface Parameters**

No interface/tunable parameters in model.

**Data Stores**

No data stores in the model; note that this report lists only data stores with non-auto storage class and global data stores

**Content**

Summary

Subsystem Report

Code Interface Report

**Code**

- Model files
  - PMSMSim.cpp
  - PMSMSim.h
  - PMSMSim\_private.h
  - PMSMSim\_types.h
- Utility files
  - builtin\_typeid\_types.h
  - multiword\_types.h
  - rtGetInf.cpp
  - rtGetInf.h
  - rtGetNaN.cpp
  - rtGetNaN.h
  - rt\_nonfinite.cpp
  - rt\_nonfinite.h
  - rtwtypes.h
- Interface files
  - rtmodel.h
- Other files
  - rt\_logging.c

# Examine Generated Code

```

ams_OldPC..._rtw/ert_main.cpp -> X CA\Shyam_OldPC..._rtw\PMSMSim.cpp
28 // your application needs. This example simply sets an error status in the
29 // real-time model and returns from rt_OneStep.
30 //
31 void rt_OneStep(void);
32 void rt_OneStep(void)
33 {
34     static boolean_T OverrunFlag{ false };
35
36     // Disable interrupts here
37
38     // Check for overrun
39     if (OverrunFlag) {
40         rtmSetErrorStatus(PMSMSim_Obj.getRTM(), "Overrun");
41         return;
42     }
43
44     OverrunFlag = true;
45
46     // Save FPU context here (if necessary)
47     // Re-enable timer or interrupt here
48     // Set model inputs here
49
50     // Step the model
51     PMSMSim_Obj.step();
52
53     // Get model outputs here
54
55     // Indicate task complete
56     OverrunFlag = false;
57
58     // Disable interrupts here
59     // Restore FPU context here (if necessary)
60     // Enable interrupts here
61 }
62
63 //
64 // The example main function illustrates what is required by your
65 // application code to initialize, execute, and terminate the generated code.
66 // Attaching rt_OneStep to a real-time clock is target specific. This example
67 // illustrates how you do this relative to initializing the model.
68 //
69 int_T main(int_T argc, const char *argv[])
70 {
71     // Unused arguments
72     (void)(argc);
73     (void)(argv);
74
75     // Initialize model
76     PMSMSim_Obj.initialize();
77
78     // Attach rt_OneStep to a timer or interrupt service routine with
79     // period 1.0 seconds (base rate of the model) here.
80     // The call syntax for rt_OneStep is
81     //
82     //   rt_OneStep();
83
84     printf("Warning: The simulation will run forever. "
85           "Generated ERT main won't simulate model step behavior. "
86           "To change this behavior select the 'MAT-file logging' option.\n");
87     fflush((nullptr));
88     while (rtmGetErrorStatus(PMSMSim_Obj.getRTM()) == (nullptr)) {
89         // Perform application tasks here
90     }
91
92     // Terminate model
93     PMSMSim_Obj.terminate();

```

## Key takeaways

Enable

Hardware-in-the-Loop (HIL) testing and system-level simulation for high-fidelity models.

Explore

Various ROM techniques in MATLAB to find the best method.



## Conclusions

- MathWorks Tools Makes Data to Digital Twins(ROM) workflow easy
- An e-Motor ROM predicts e-Motor's all internal temperatures with similar trends and magnitudes as real data.
- ROM incorporation into Simulink with built-in infrastructure allows SIL/HIL testing faster and easier

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