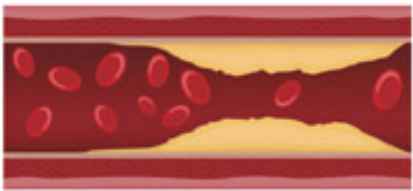


# Coronary Artery Disease (CAD) and its diagnosis

- CAD caused approximately 370,000 fatalities in the US every year.
- CAD is usually caused by the buildup of cholesterol and fatty deposits (called plaques) inside the arteries, which will limit or stop blood flow to the heart.



Partially blocked artery



Fully blocked artery

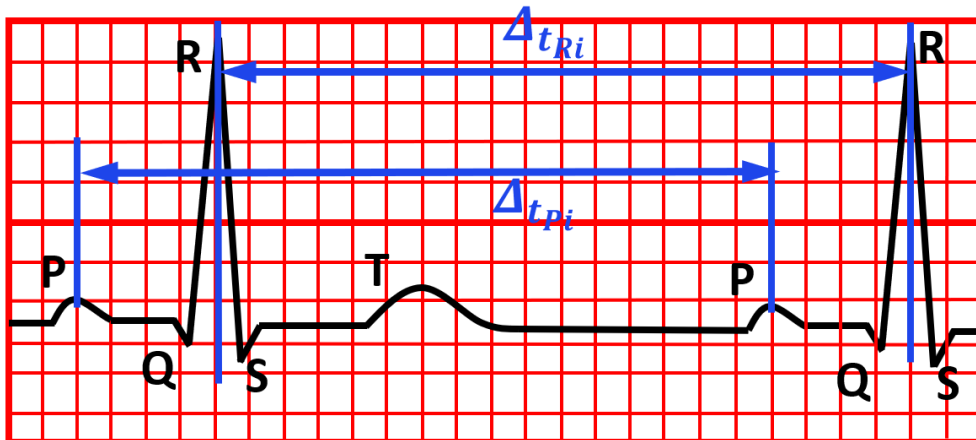
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[2] Coronary Artery Disease. (n.d.). Cleveland Clinic. <https://my.clevelandclinic.org/health/diseases/16898-coronary-artery-disease>

[3] <https://www.cvphysiology.com/Arrhythmias/A009>

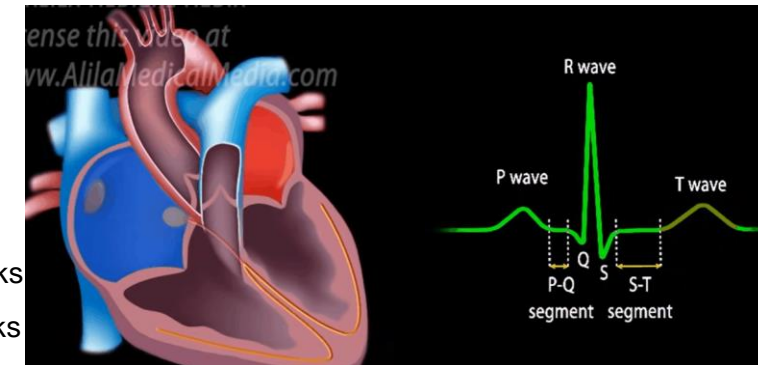
[4] <https://www.alilamedicalmedia.com/>

- CAD can be diagnosed using electrocardiogram (ECG), which checks the heart's electrical activity. But the accuracy of diagnosis is highly dependent on physician's training.

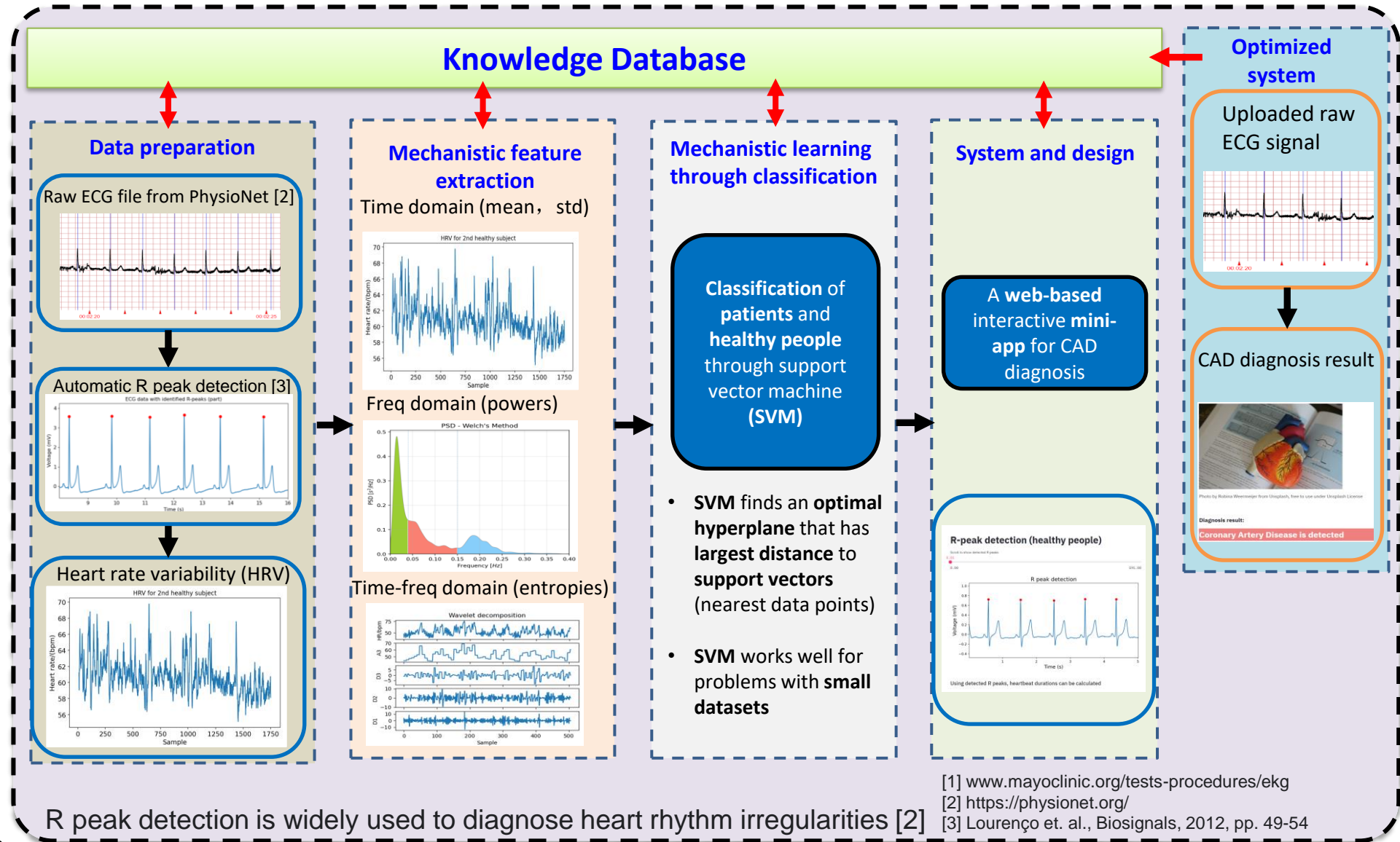


Common ECG waveform

- **Each cycle** of ECG contains **P, Q, R, S, T** waves
- **P wave**: atrial depolarization (atrial contraction)
- **QRS complex**: ventricle depolarization (ventricle contraction)
- **T wave**: ventricle polarization (ventricle relaxation)
- $\Delta t_{ri}$ :  $i$ -th time interval of 2 consecutive R wave peaks
- $\Delta t_{pi}$ :  $i$ -th time interval of 2 consecutive P wave peaks



# Coronary Artery Disease (CAD) diagnosis using ElectroCardioGram (ECG)



# Data Preparation

- Data balance

① Fantasia database

- 40 healthy subjects
- Duration: 120 min
- Frequency: 250 Hz
- 1 signal for each

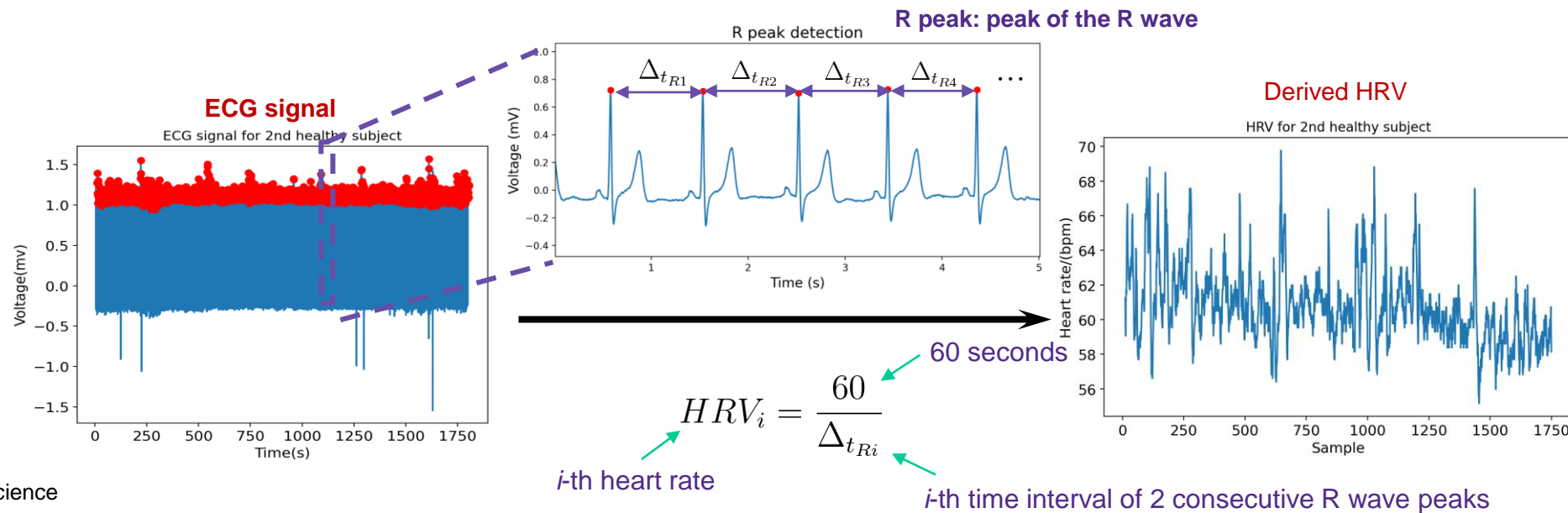
② St Petersburg database

- 7 CAD patients
- Duration: 30 min
- Frequency: 257 Hz
- 12 signals for each

- Segmentation
- Upsampling

<https://physionet.org/about/database/>

- ECG denoising: noises will affect the detection of R peaks. Low and high frequency noises are filtered using the Butterworth filter
- Automatic R peak detection and heart rate variability (HRV) derivation



# Feature Extraction

- Time domain (3)-linear statistical quantities

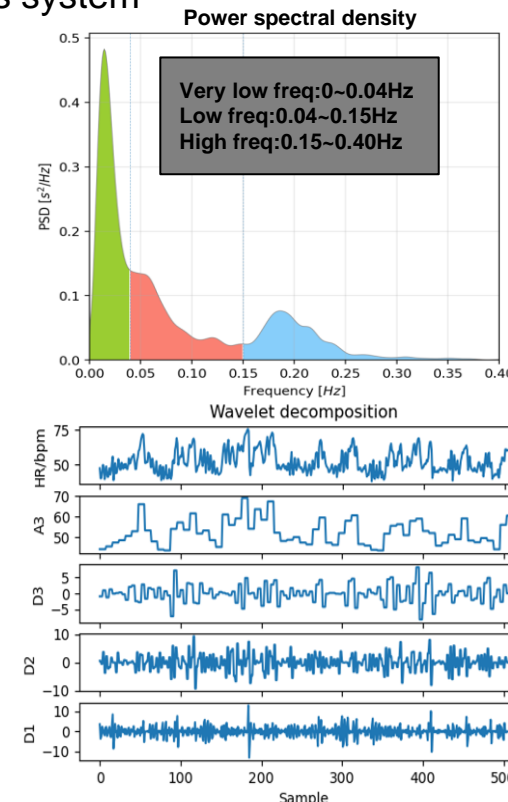
- Mean of heartbeat durations  $\bar{\Delta}_t = \sum_{j=1}^n \Delta_{t_j}$
- Standard deviation of heartbeat durations  $SD = \sqrt{\frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{j=1}^n (\Delta_{t_j} - \bar{\Delta}_t)^2}$
- Standard deviation of heartbeat duration differences  $SDSD = \sqrt{\frac{1}{n-1} \sum_{j=1}^n (\Delta(\Delta_{t_j}) - \overline{\Delta(\Delta_t)})^2}$

- Frequency domain (4)-reveals how heart rate is controlled by the nervous system

- Total power: detecting abnormal autonomic activity
- Low frequency power: sympathetic modulation
- High frequency power: parasympathetic modulation
- LF/HF ratio: sympathetic/parasympathetic balance

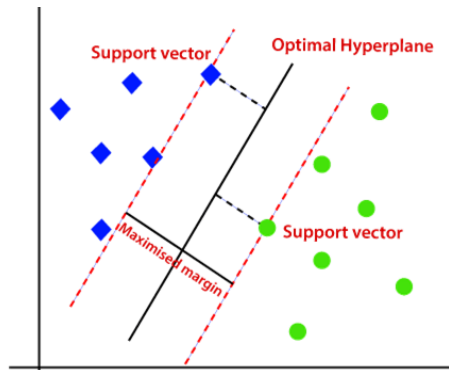
- Time-frequency domain (12)-nonlinear analysis of the signal complexity

- Shannon entropy: measure of data uncertainty and variability
- Approximation entropy: quantify the amount of regularity and unpredictability of fluctuations
- Sampling entropy: assess complexities of physiological signals



# Classification using Support Vector Machine (SVM)

- **Scale input features** before classification
- Label the outputs for **healthy** subjects as **1**; **CAD** patients as **0**
- **SVM** intends to find an **optimal hyperplane** that has **largest distance** to **support vectors**
- **SVM** is good for **small dataset**; **linear kernel** is used in the project



```
from sklearn import svm
scaler = preprocessing.StandardScaler().fit(X)
joblib.dump(scaler, 'data_scaler.pkl')
X = scaler.transform(X)
clf = svm.SVC(kernel='linear', C=1000, random_state=0)
```

Linear SVM model

<https://www.analyticsvidhya.com/blog/2021/05/5-classification-algorithms-you-should-know-introductory-guide/>

- **5-fold cross validation** is used to assess the performance of the ML model

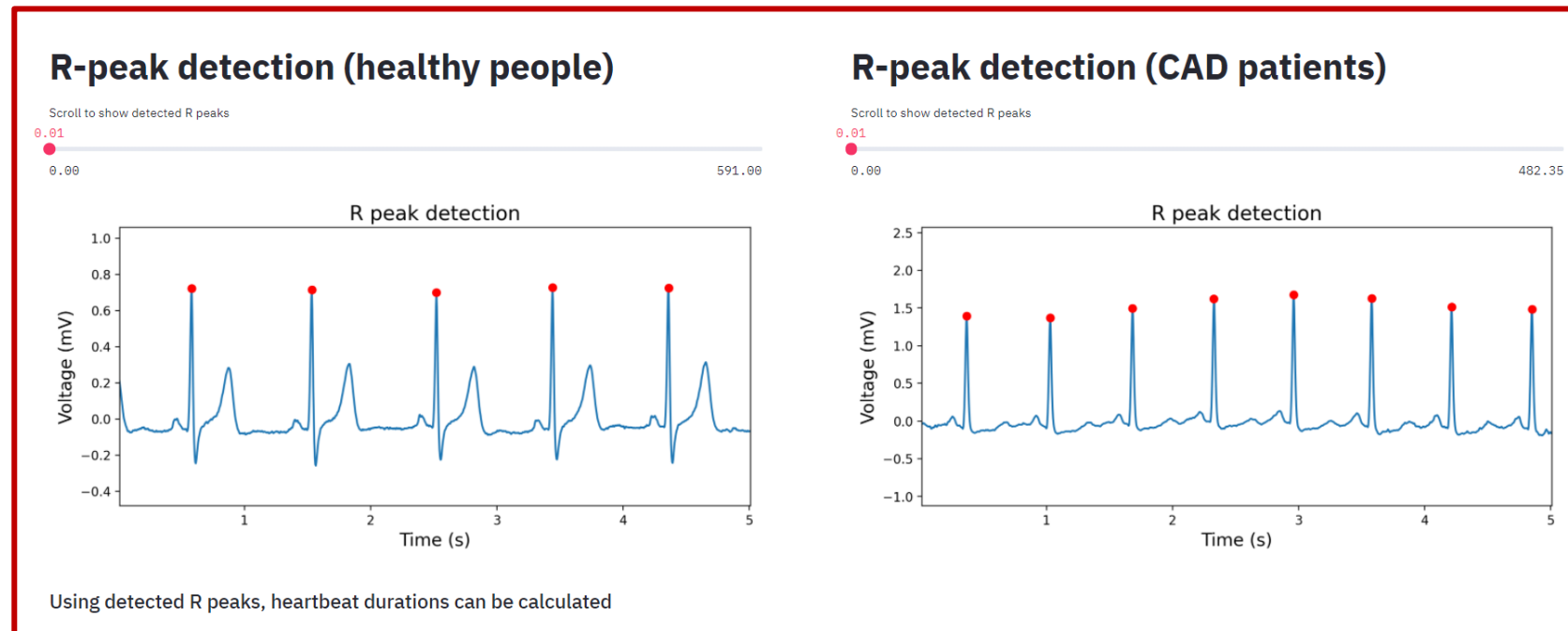
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Fold: 1, Accuracy: 0.962, F1 score 0.961
Fold: 2, Accuracy: 0.949, F1 score 0.947
Fold: 3, Accuracy: 0.975, F1 score 0.974
Fold: 4, Accuracy: 0.987, F1 score 0.987
Fold: 5, Accuracy: 0.910, F1 score 0.914

Cross-Validation accuracy: 0.957 +/- 0.026
Cross-Validation F1 score: 0.957 +/- 0.025
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Training results

# System and Design (facilitating CAD diagnosis)

- **Inputs:** raw ECG signals (csv file) from a standard ECG recording
- **Outputs:** diagnosis result (healthy or CAD)
- A web-based interactive mini-app which facilitate the physicians with the CAD diagnosis process is developed



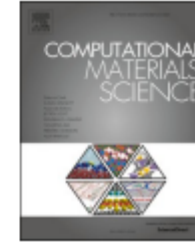
Mini-app interface





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## Knowledge database creation for design of polymer matrix composite



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## ABSTRACT

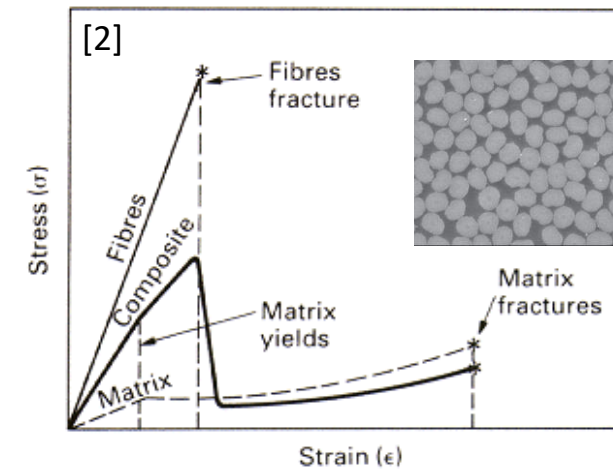
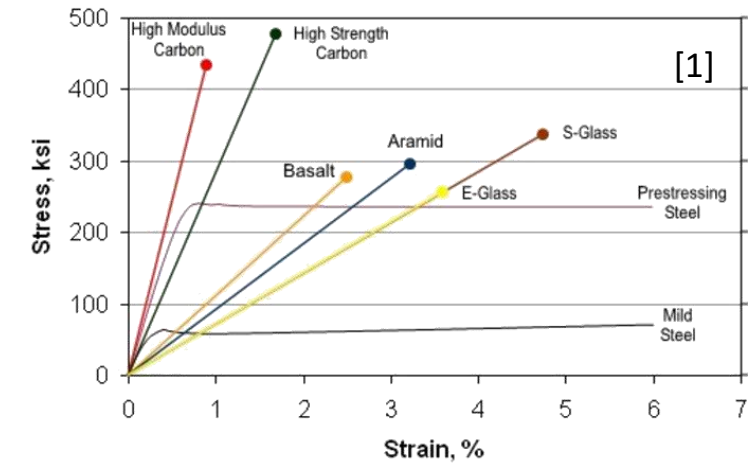
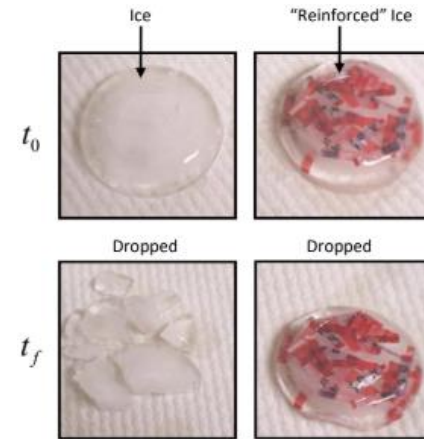
We present a mechanistic data science (MDS) framework capable of building a composite knowledge database for composite materials design. The MDS framework systematically leverages data science to extract mechanistic knowledge from composite materials system. The composite response database is first generated for three matrix and four fiber combinations using a physics-based mechanistic reduced-order model. Next, the mechanistic features of the composites are identified by mechanistically analyzing the composites stress-strain responses. A relationship between the composite properties and the constituents' material features are established through a mechanics constrained data science-based learning process after representing materials in latent space, following a dimension reduction technique. We demonstrate the capability of predicting a composite materials system for target properties (material elastic properties, yield strength, resilience, toughness, and density) from the MDS created knowledge database. The MDS model is predictive with reasonable accuracy, and capable of identifying the materials system along with the tuning required to achieve desired composite properties. Development of such MDS framework can be exploited for fast materials system design, creating new opportunity for performance guided materials design.

# What is a Composite Material?

Let's make a simple composite material.  
Reinforcing ice (the **matrix**) with newspaper (the **reinforcement**) improved the material's resistance to fracture (**toughness**).

One type of composite, **fiber-reinforced** composites, combines the high **modulus** of fibers (such as carbon and glass) with other materials.

- In general, fibers are quite brittle compared to matrix
- In **fiber-reinforced polymer** composites, the polymer matrix acts as a binder for the fiber
- The **matrix** imparts toughness into the material
- We can achieve **lightweight** and **high strength** materials with **lower densities** than metals



[1] <https://www.abbottaerospace.com/aa-sb-001/4-materials/4-1-composite-materials/4-1-3-fundamental-behavior-of-carbon-fiber-epoxy-resin-composite-laminates/>

[2] <https://slideplayer.com/slide/4235571/>

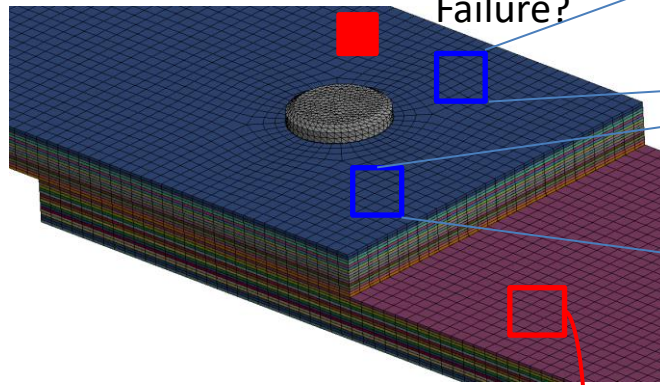


# Design of polymer matrix composites at multiple scales

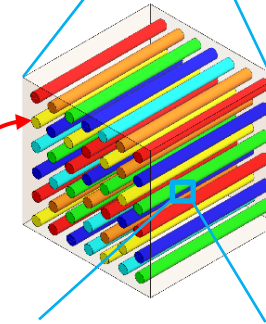
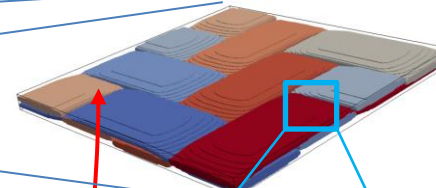
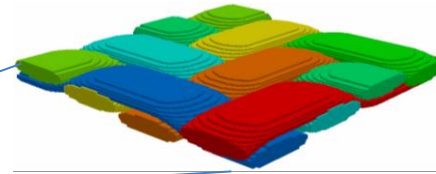
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Singe lap woven composite bolt joint

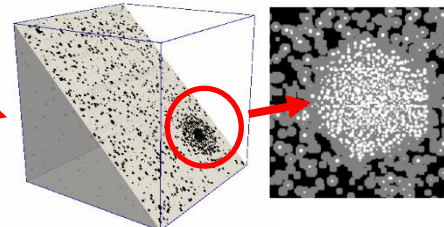
Failure?



Location dependent  
microstructure design



Mechanistic  
data science  
framework



Design of interphase and agglomeration

Design variables

## *Mesoscale: woven structure*

- Fiber volume fraction
- Yarn angle
- Yarn geometry
- Matrix and fiber choice

## *Microscale: Unidirectional structure*

- Fiber volume fraction
- Matrix and fiber choice
- Fiber geometry

## *Nanoscale: reinforced matrix*

- Filler volume fraction
- No of agglomerations
- Interphase size and properties
- Filler and matrix choice

- High dimensional design space
- Building a system knowledge database using mechanistic data science to bypass the simulations and predict directly

# Design of a material system for composite football helmet



## Design parameters:

- Polymer and fiber choice
- Fiber volume fraction , etc..

## Design criteria:

- Lightweight (low density)
- High strength
- High toughness (absorb impact energy)



Helmets are drop-tested at specific velocities, locations and temperatures.

Testers use a twin-wire drop tower or helmet-to-helmet impact simulations.

Helmets are tested for front, side, rear and top impacts.

## Why do we need a better helmet?

**SAFETY!**

Helmets are crucial to prevent brain injuries.

From 2012-2019, an average of 242 NFL players per year sustained concussions. At the high school level, football is responsible for 60% of all sports related concussions. [11]

[11] [https://www.thespeedycheetah.com/products/northwestern-wildcats-xp-replica?dfw\\_tracker=2623-922099945&gclid=Cj0KCQjw6575BRCQARIsAMp-ksMqCLCOLb20NX3yi8f6ecTFEc9DGoA4qvgE3icNgOWkeoTzupedq6EaAo6KEALw\\_wcB](https://www.thespeedycheetah.com/products/northwestern-wildcats-xp-replica?dfw_tracker=2623-922099945&gclid=Cj0KCQjw6575BRCQARIsAMp-ksMqCLCOLb20NX3yi8f6ecTFEc9DGoA4qvgE3icNgOWkeoTzupedq6EaAo6KEALw_wcB)

[12] <https://www.cognitivefxusa.com/blog/football-concussion-prevention-and-recovery>

# System and Design Problem

## *System Description:*

Composite materials are needed for an array of applications (football helmet for example). Here we consider unidirectional fiber polymer composites, where the main features include volume fraction, **fiber radius**, and matrix and fiber material properties.

## *Modeling Objectives:*

Develop a mechanistic data science model that predicts a quantifiable output (such as the stress response, toughness, damage, etc.) based on input features.

## *Design Objective:*

Design of new composite materials system for desired performance in application. (Ex. Higher toughness of Helmet materials)



<https://www.sciencemag.org/news/2017/07/ninety-nine-percent-ailing-nfl-player-brains-show-hallmarks-neurodegenerative-disease>

# Six steps of mechanistic data science in composite materials



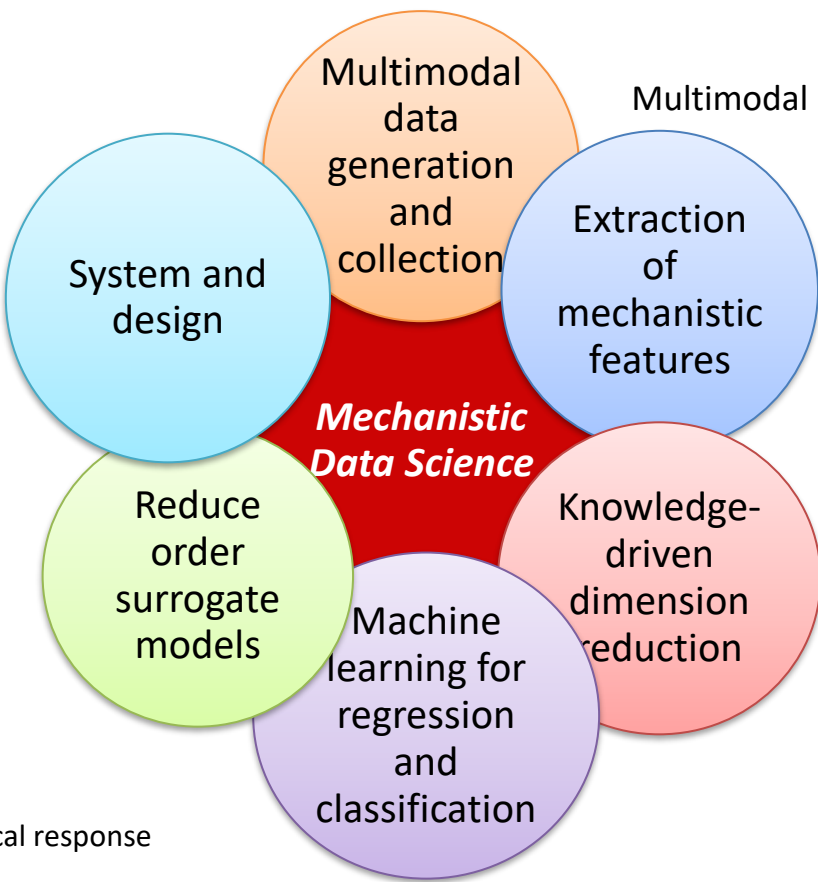
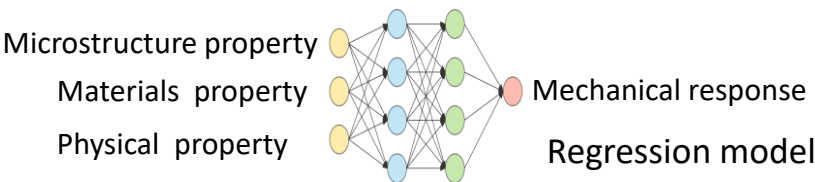
Design for absorbing impact energy

## Surrogate models

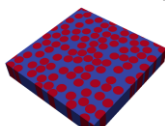
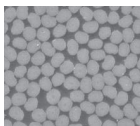
Neural network model

PCA model

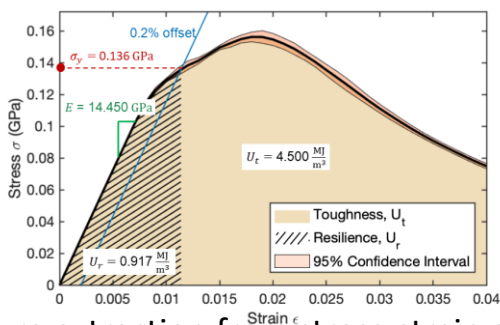
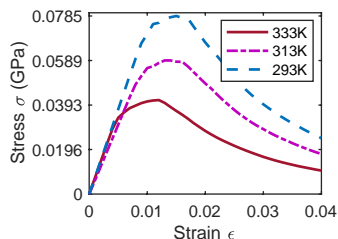
Prediction of materials system



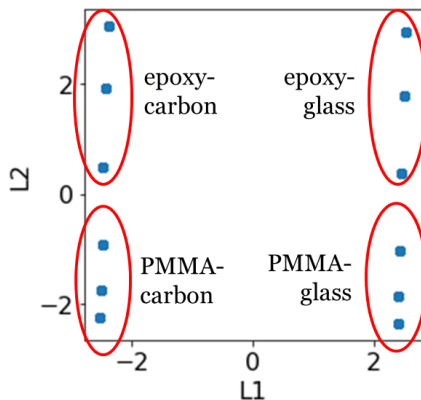
Possible materials: short fiber, UD, foam



Multimodal data from simulation and experiment



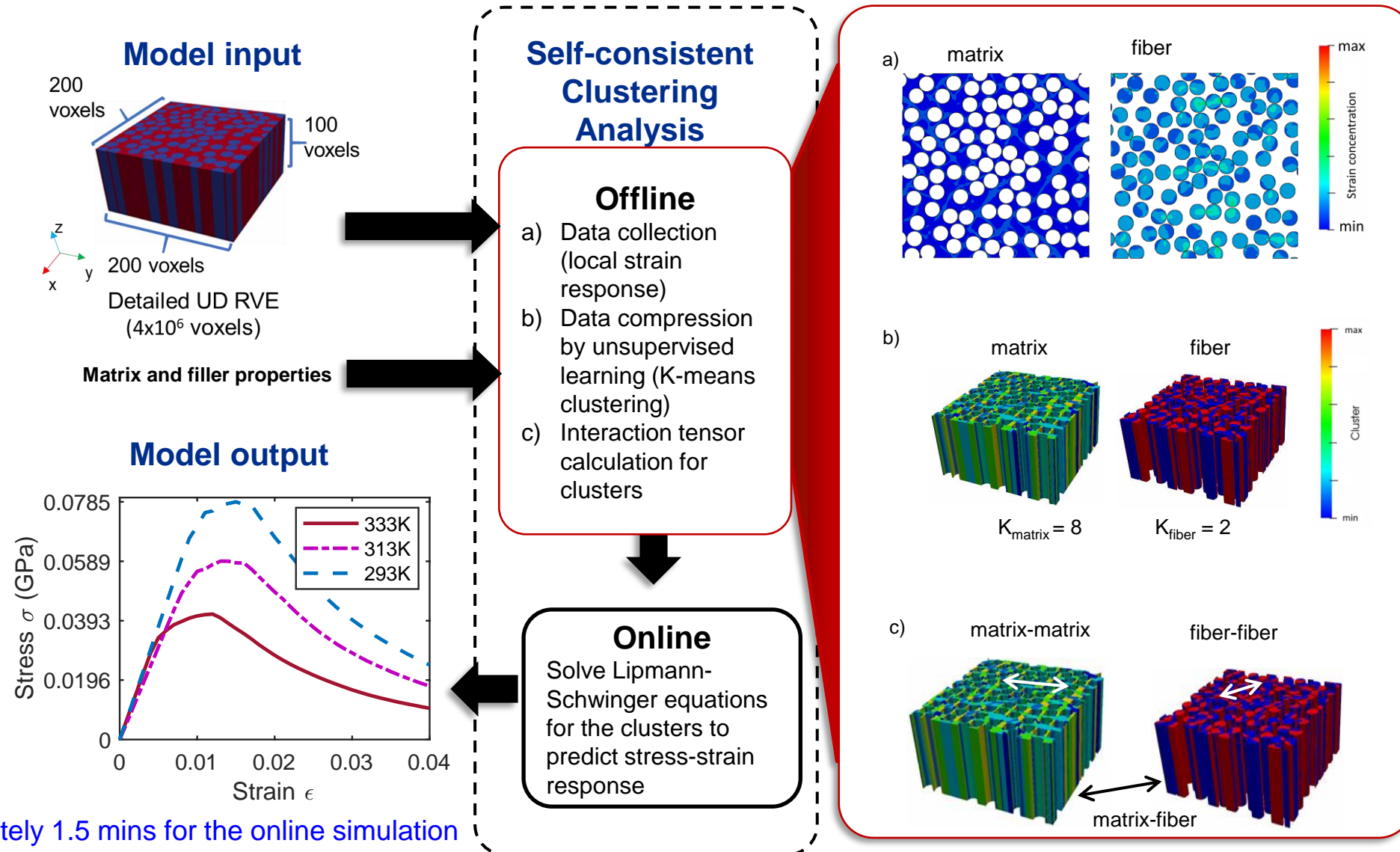
Feature extraction from stress-strain curve



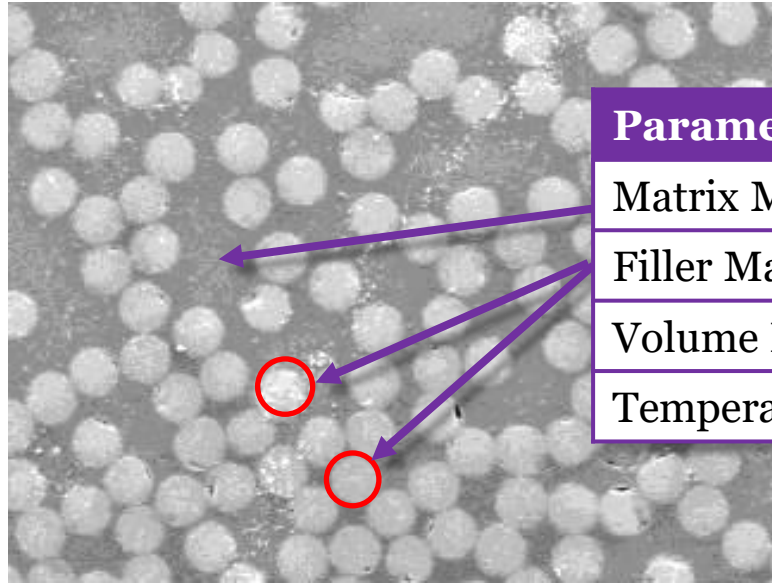
Clustering in latent variable space



# Data generation through tensile simulations



# Design of experiment and database generation



## Design of Experiment Summary

Parameter	Range
Matrix Material	Epoxy, PMMA,PET
Filler Material	Carbon , Glass, Kevlar fiber
Volume Fraction	[0.01, 0.50] (50 samples)
Temperature	[213, 333] (K) (3 samples)

**\*5 realizations for each microstructure descriptors**

$$volume\ fraction = \frac{filler\ volume}{total\ volume}$$

## Input material properties for simulations

### Matrix Material

- density
- elastic modulus
- Poisson's ratio
- yield strength
- hardening parameter

### Filler Material

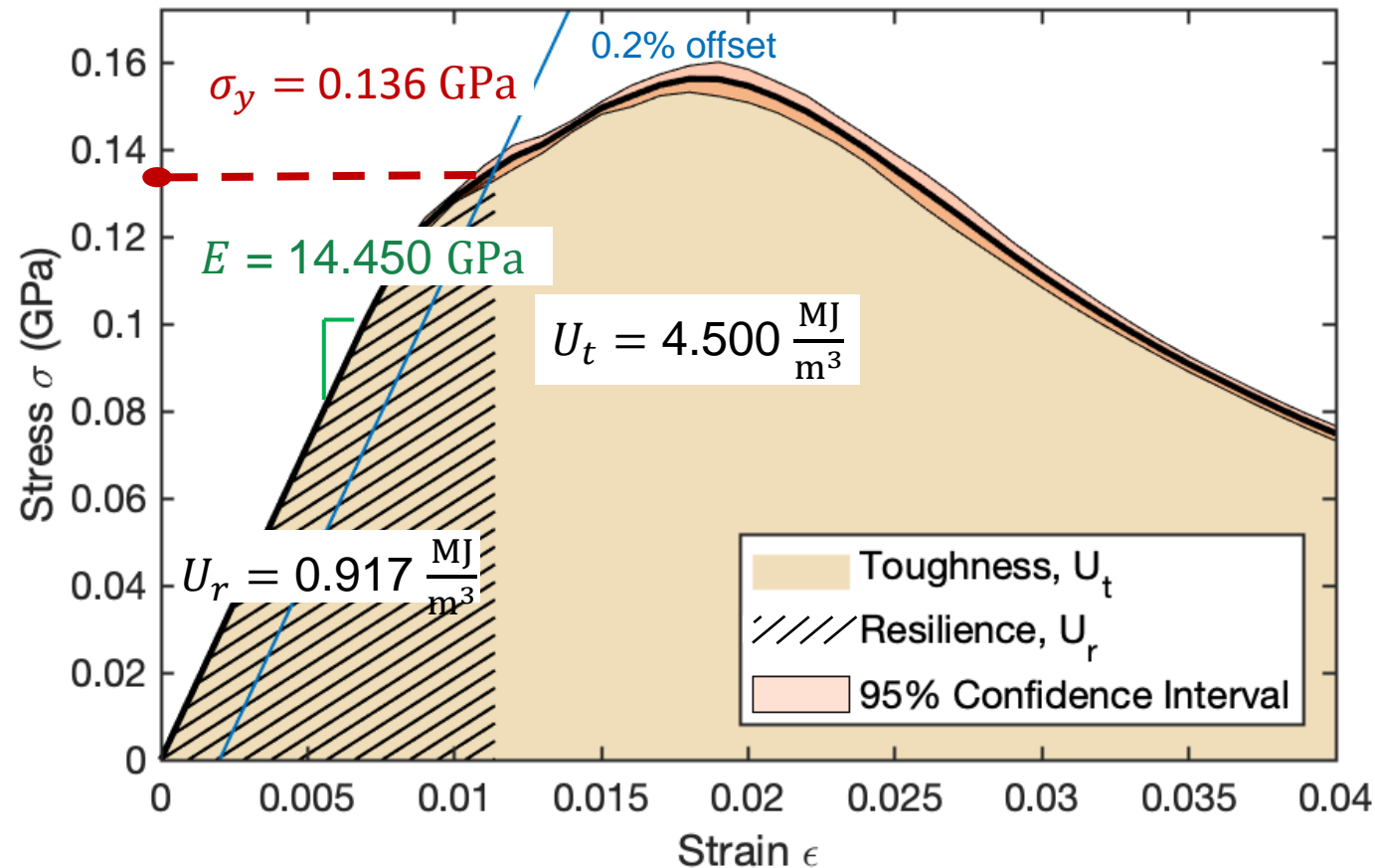
- density
- x-elastic modulus
- y-elastic modulus
- z-elastic modulus
- x-Poisson's ratio
- y-Poisson's ratio
- z-Poisson's ratio
- x-shear modulus
- y-shear modulus
- z-shear modulus

**Total 6500  
simulations are  
performed to build  
the database**



# Mechanistic feature extractions from stress-strain curves

Simulated stress-strain curve of 0.25 volume fraction of Carbon in Epoxy at 213K

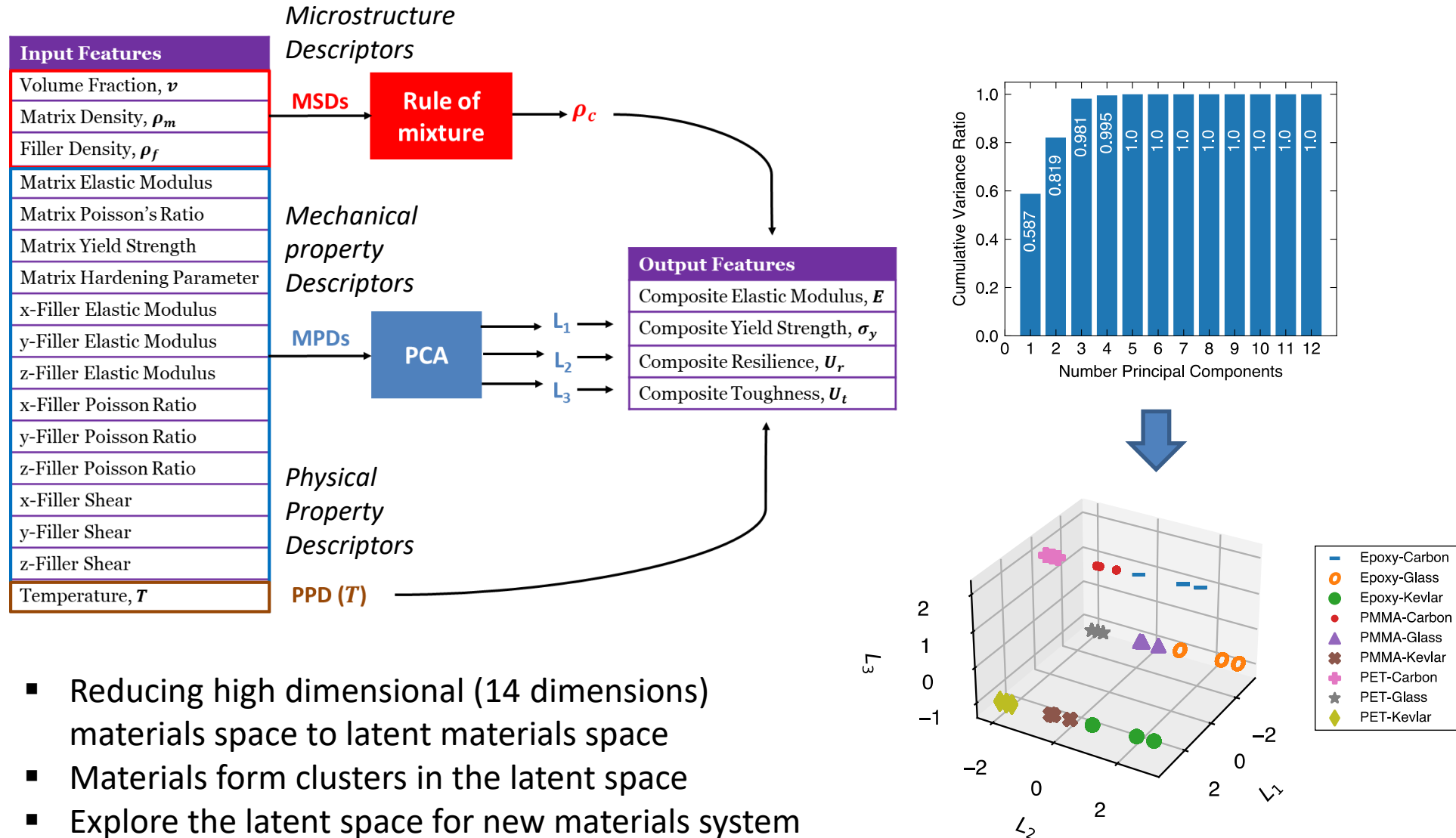


## Mechanistic features:

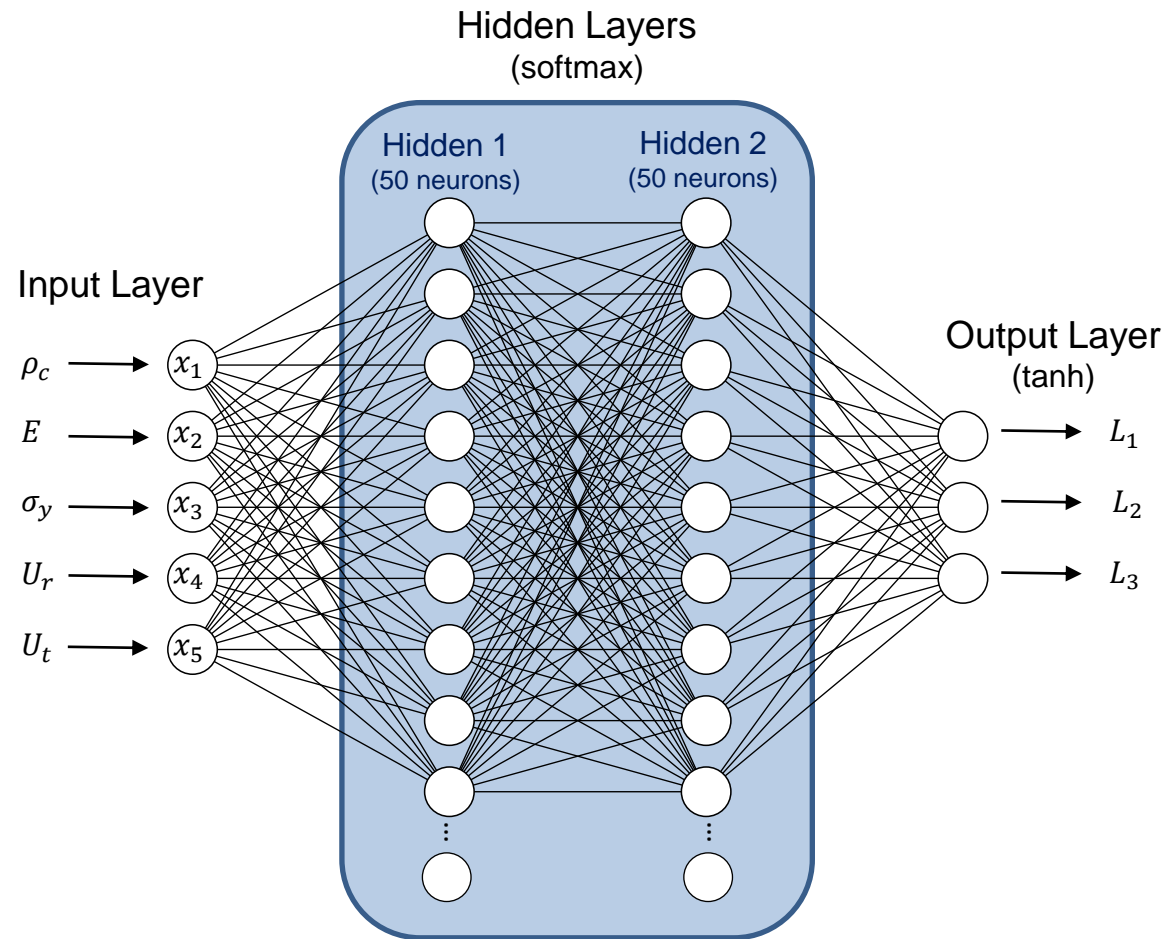
- Elastic modulus
- Yield strength
- Toughness
- Resilience

*These mechanistic features are a function of the composite microstructures and materials properties.*

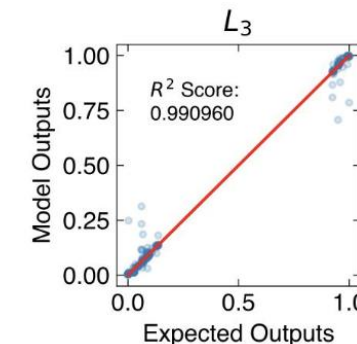
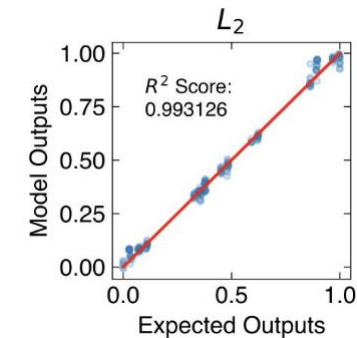
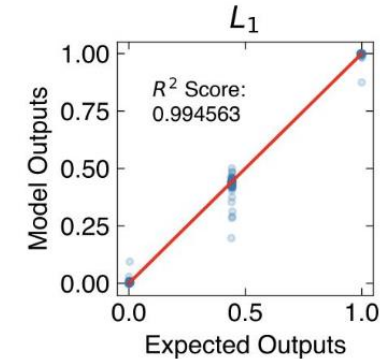
# Reducing problem dimension through mechanistic relation and PCA



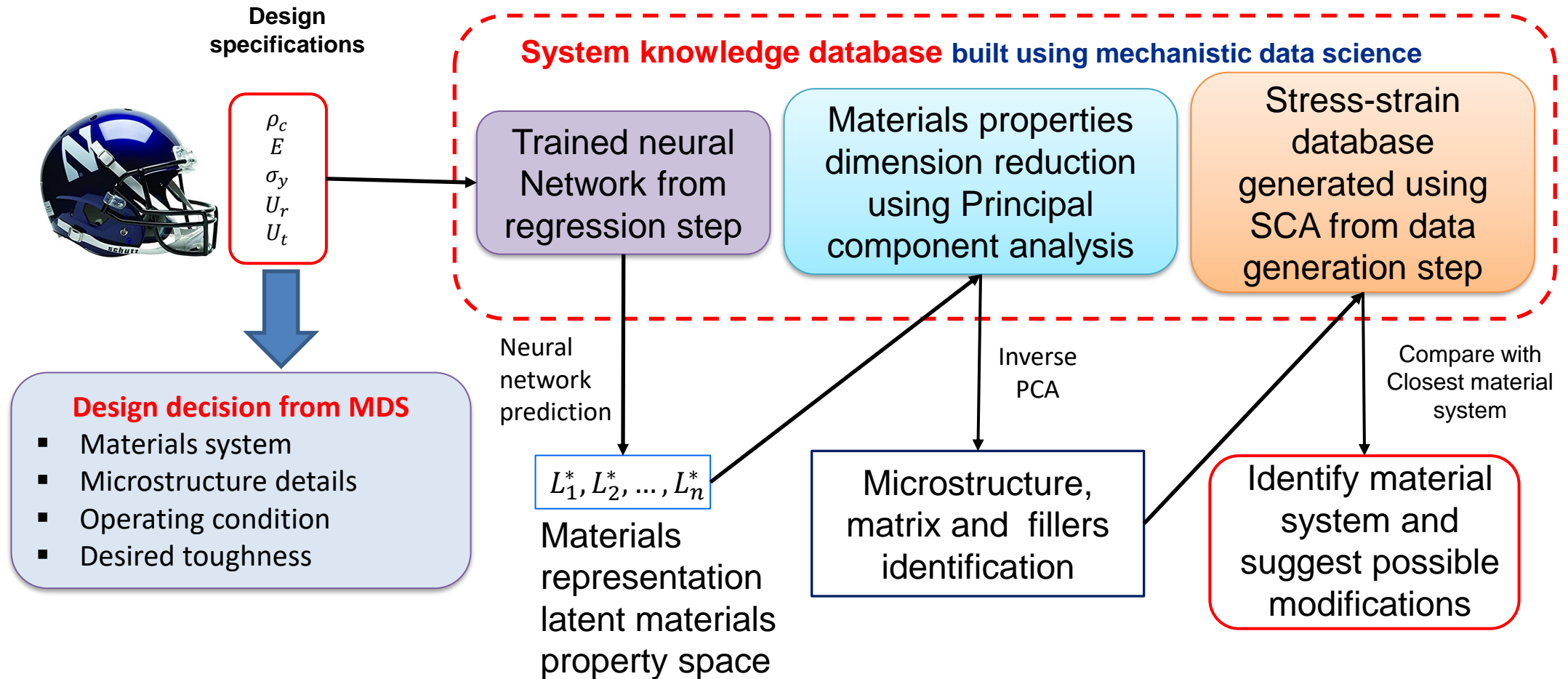
# Neural network-based regression model identifies mechanistic features relation with latent property space



- Very high accuracy in the trained model



# Using MDS model for the prediction of new materials system of desired performance



# MDS guides the materials design process for user defined properties

Properties	Expected	Predicted (MDS)	Difference (Percentage)
Matrix Elastic Modulus (MPa)	2250	2070.435	7.9806
Matrix Poisson's Ratio	0.34	0.343256	0.9576
Matrix Yield Strength (MPa)	21.64725	20.03131	7.4649
Filler Elastic Modulus 1 (MPa)	118000	116153.9	1.5645
Filler Elastic Modulus 2 (MPa)	7200	7289.216	1.2391
Filler Elastic Modulus 3 (MPa)	7200	7289.216	1.2391
Filler Poisson 1	0.27	0.268592	0.5213
Filler Poisson 2	0.27	0.268592	0.5213
Filler Poisson 3	0.34	0.339824	0.0517
Filler Shear 1 (MPa)	2800	2802.993	0.1069
Filler Shear 2 (MPa)	2800	2802.993	0.1069
Filler Shear 3 (MPa)	2700	2733.786	1.2513
Total Mean Relative Difference:			1.9171

Features	Value
$\rho_c$	1477.5 Kg/m <sup>3</sup>
$E$	14644.76 MPa
$\sigma_y$	140.84 MPa
$U_r$	0.8972 MJ/m <sup>3</sup>
$U_t$	4.3084 MJ/m <sup>3</sup>



Desired properties

**Material system 1:** Epoxy/Carbon  
 Temperature: 230K  
 Volume fraction of filler: 0.35  
**Material system 2:** PMMA/Carbon  
 Temperature: 293K  
 Volume fraction of filler: 0.01  
**Material system 3:** PET/Carbon  
 Temperature: 300K  
 Volume fraction of filler: 0.35

**Design recommendation:** *Add nanofiller in the matrix materials to augment stiffness*