

Ensemble Modeling

RAVEN Workshop



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- Hands-on:
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 - Example using the Code Interface we previously created

RAVEN models: overview

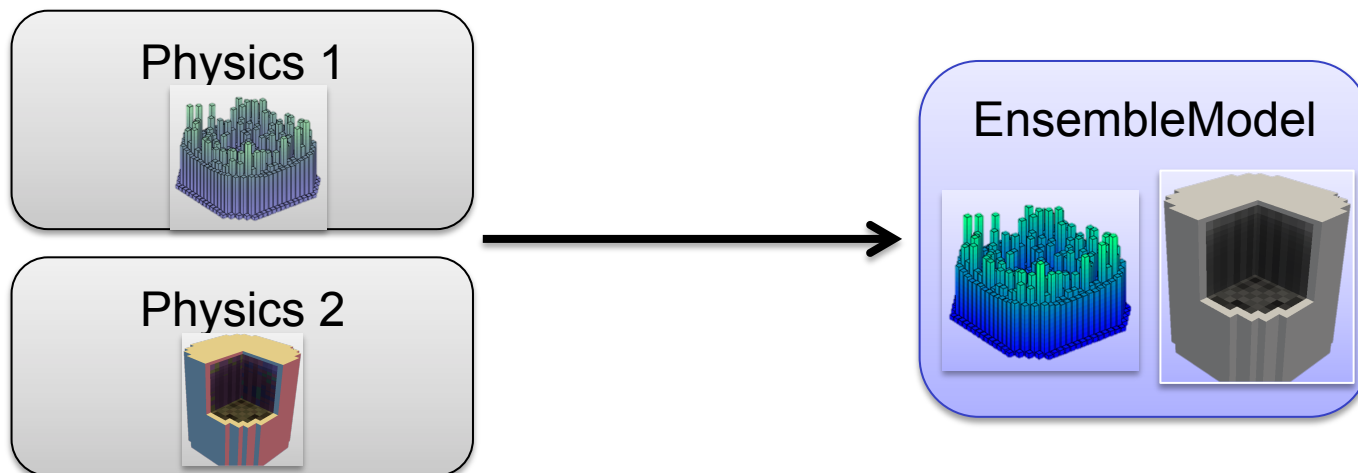
RAVEN models: a quick introduction

- RAVEN categorizes in its Models entity the following sub-entities:
 - Codes:
 - Aimed to interface with physical codes (e.g. RELAP5-3D, etc.)
 - ROMs:
 - Aimed to emulate the response of a system based on a simplified mathematical representation
 - External Models:
 - Aimed to provide to the user an easy way to implement sets of equations directly in RAVEN
 - Post-Processors:
 - Aimed to analyze the generated datasets (e.g. Statistical moments, Data Mining, etc.)
 -  — Ensemble Models:
 - Aimed to assemble multiple models

RAVEN ensemble modeling

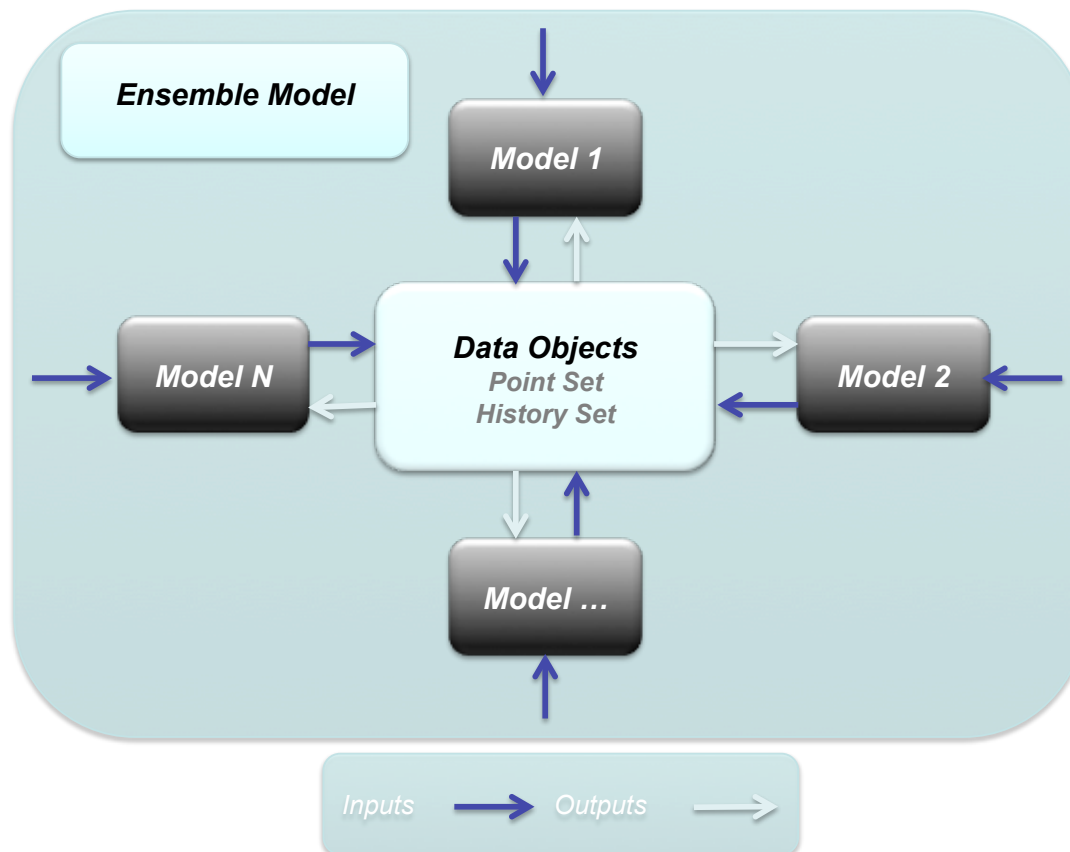
Ensemble Modeling Motivations

- In several cases multiple models need to interface with each other since the initial conditions of some are dependent on the outcomes of others
- In order to face this “problem” in the RAVEN framework, a new model category (e.g. class), named *EnsambleModel*, has been designed
- This class is able to assemble multiple models of other categories (i.e. Code, External Model, ROM), identifying:
 - the input/output connections
 - the order of execution
 - the parallel execution strategy for each sub-model



Ensemble Model

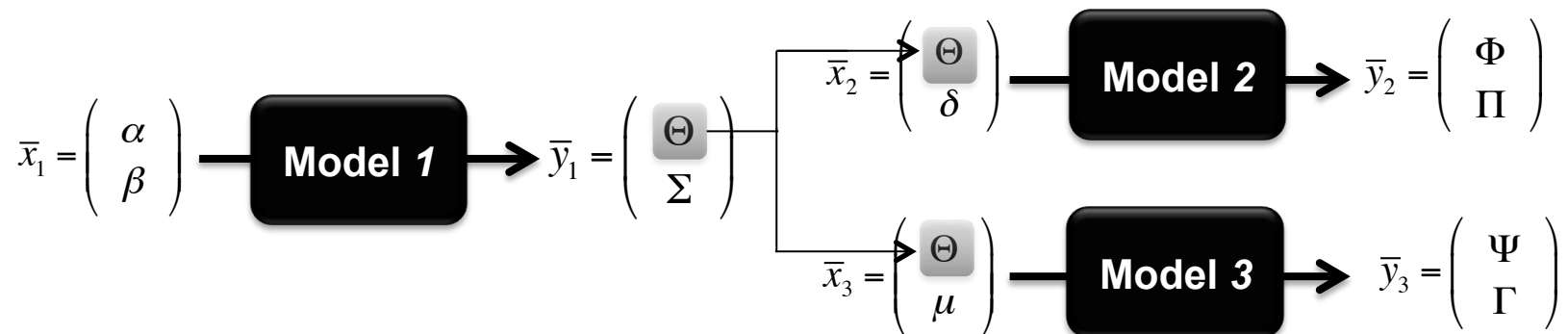
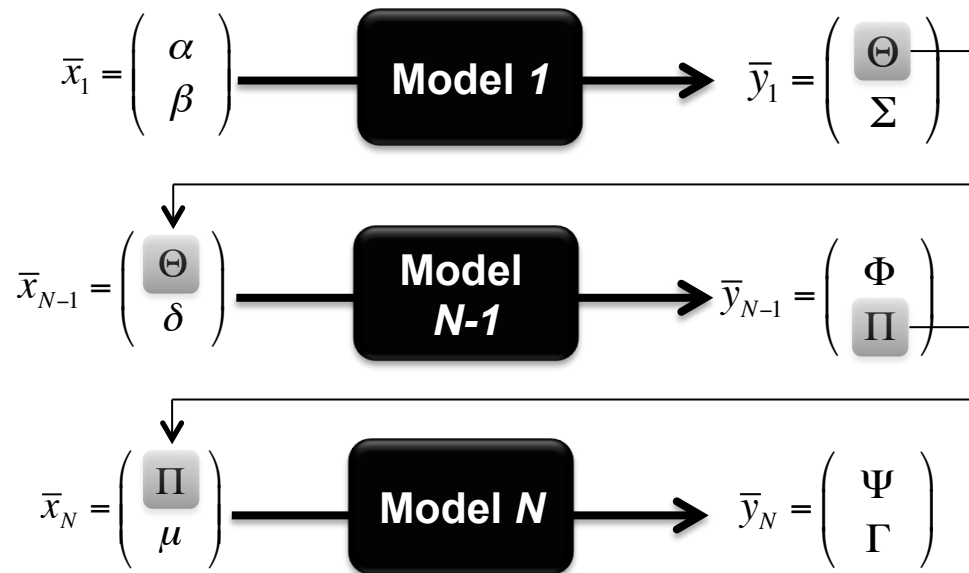
- A new model entity (e.g., class), named *EnsembleModel*, has been developed:
 - Assemble multiple models of other categories, identifying the input/output connections and the order of execution



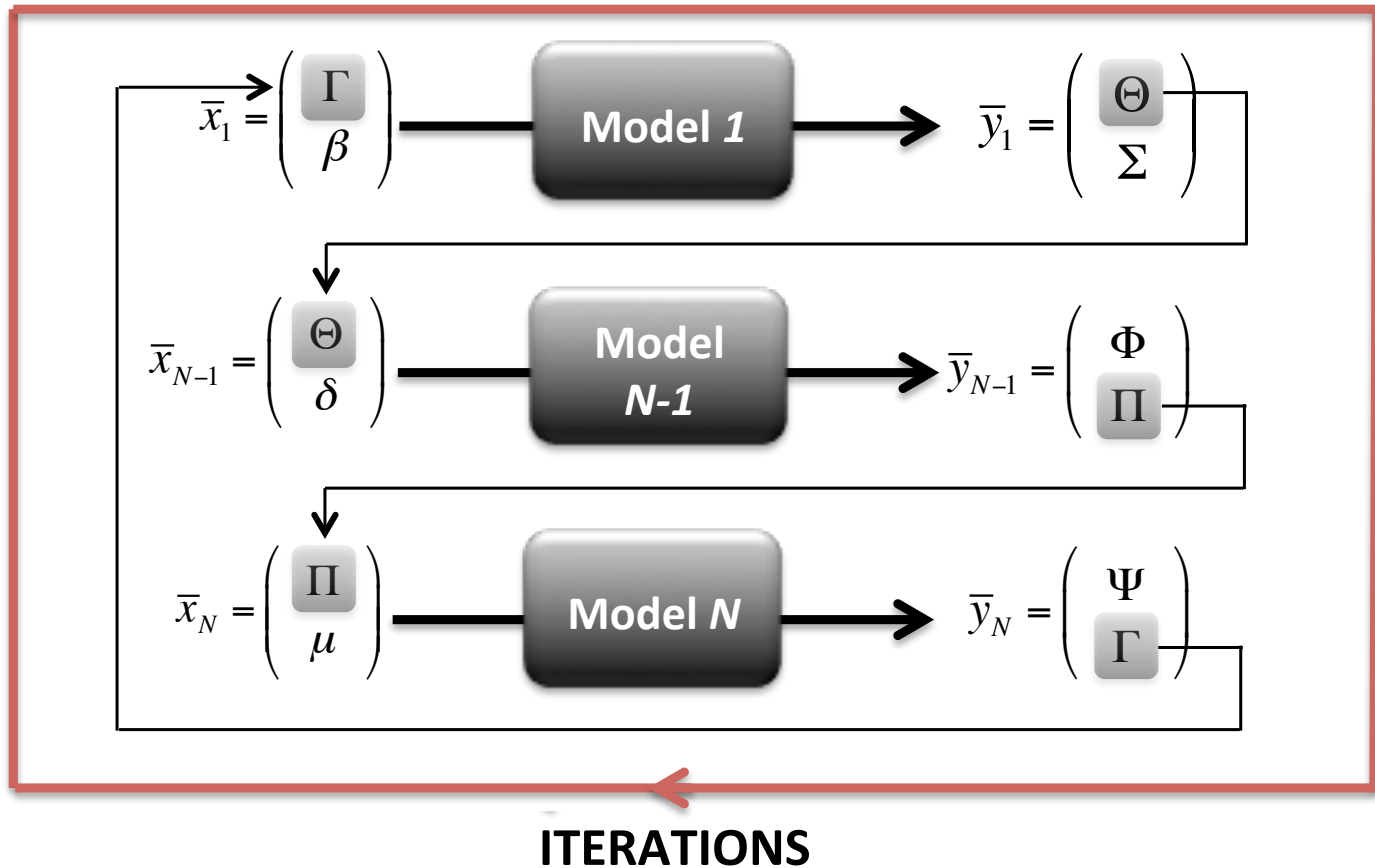
Ensemble Model: Main Characteristics

- The *EnsembleModel* entity has the following main characteristics:
 - Ability to link all the RAVEN Models:
 - Codes, ROMs, ExternalModels
 - Practical no limit on the number of Models in the Ensemble configuration
 - Capability to link the different Models through both scalar and vector variables (e.g. Max Cladding Temperature (scalar) or Power history (vector))
 - Capability to transfer meta-data from the different models (e.g. restart files, etc.)
- The current *EnsembleModel* entity is not indicated to handle high-density field data

Ensemble Model: Chain of Models



Ensemble Model: Non Linear

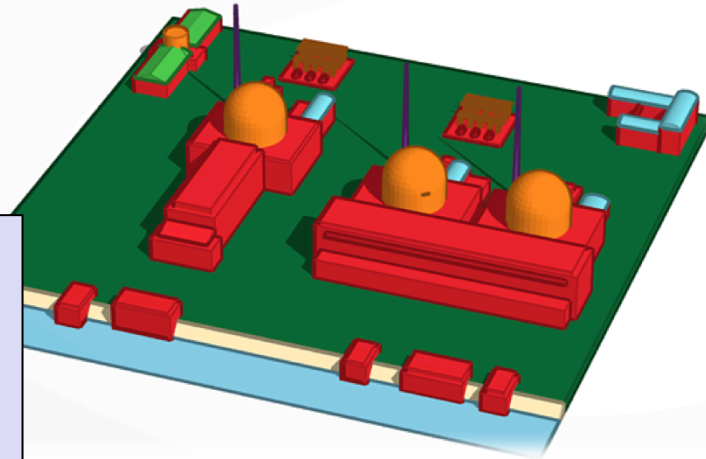
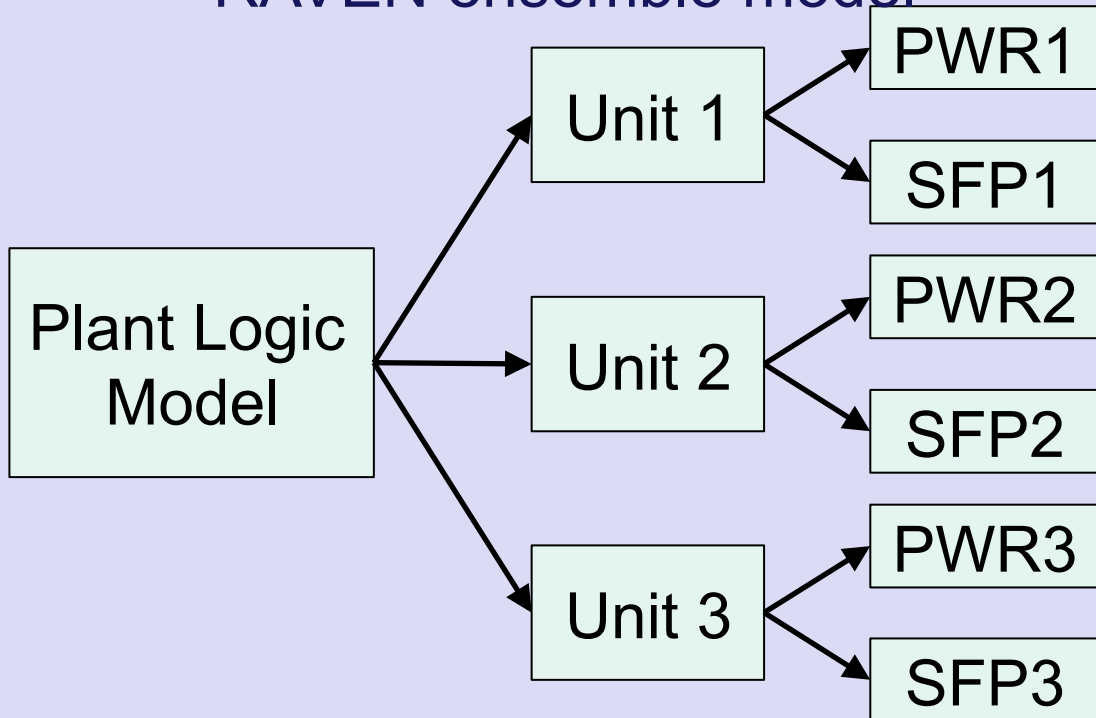


Employing Ensemble Modeling in real applications

Ensemble model for Multi-Unit Power Plant: 1st Configuration

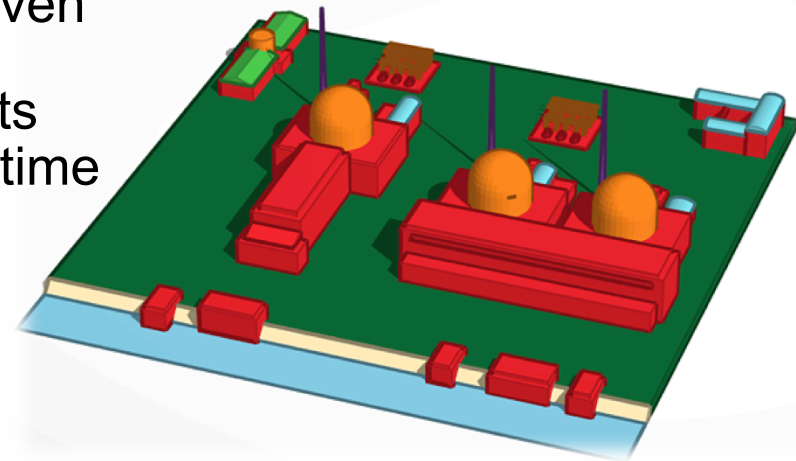
- Dynamic PRA for a Station Black Out Multi-Unit scenario

RAVEN ensemble model

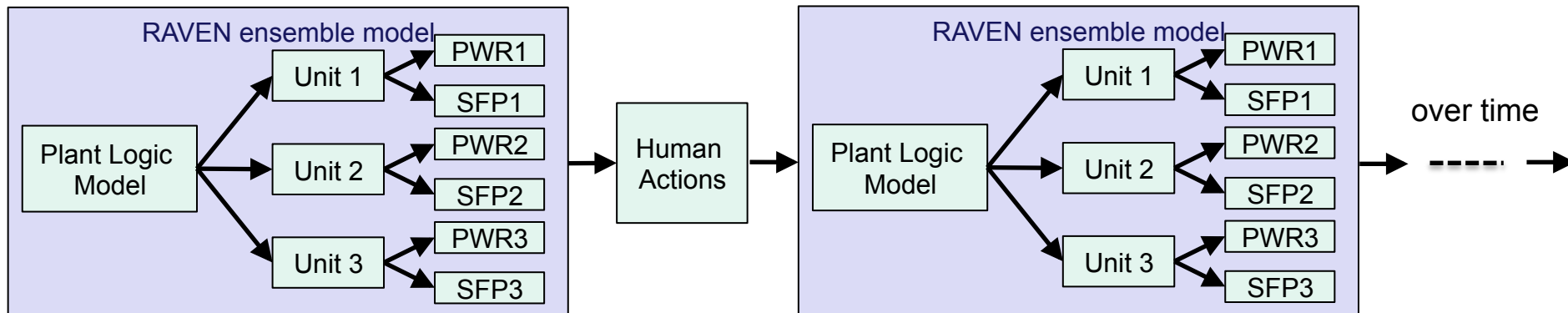


Ensemble model for Multi-Unit Power Plant: 2nd Configuration

- Exploiting the restart capability of the driven code, the *EnsembleModel* can be constructed through a chain of basic units that can be repeated, for example, over time

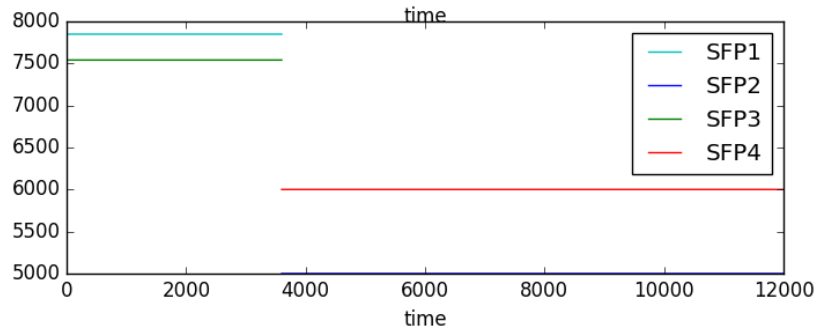
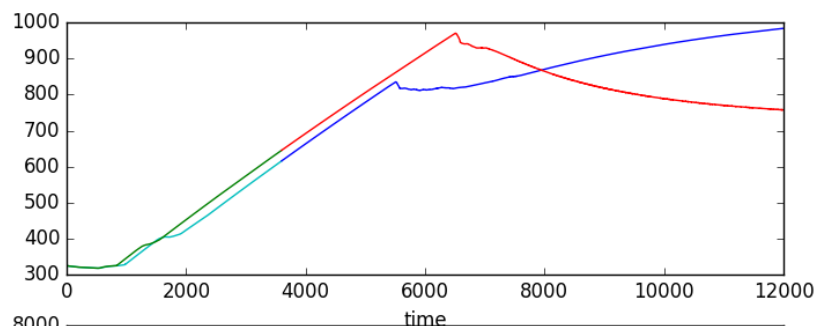


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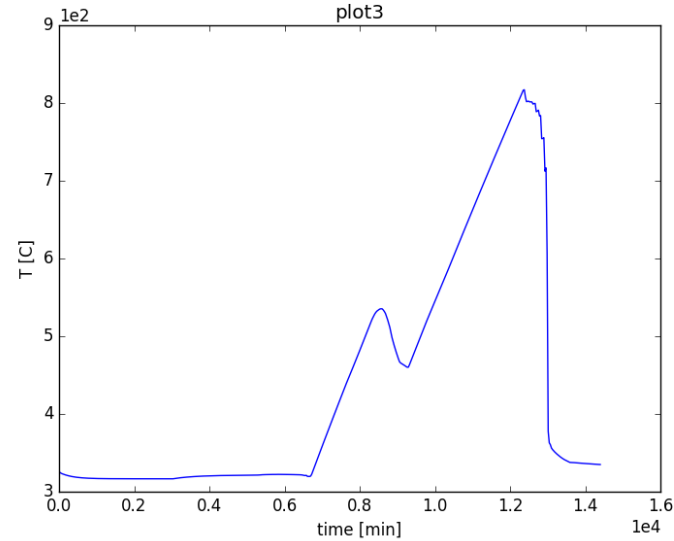
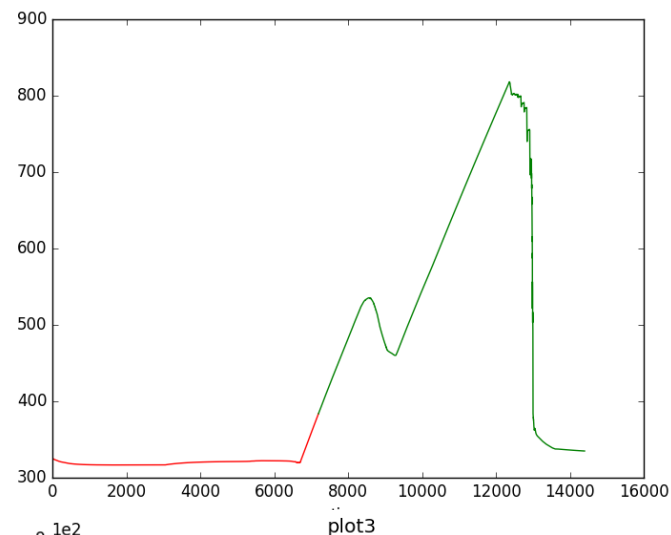


Ensemble model for Multi-Unit Power Plant: Preliminary results

4 Spent Fuel Pools



Transferring
Restarts

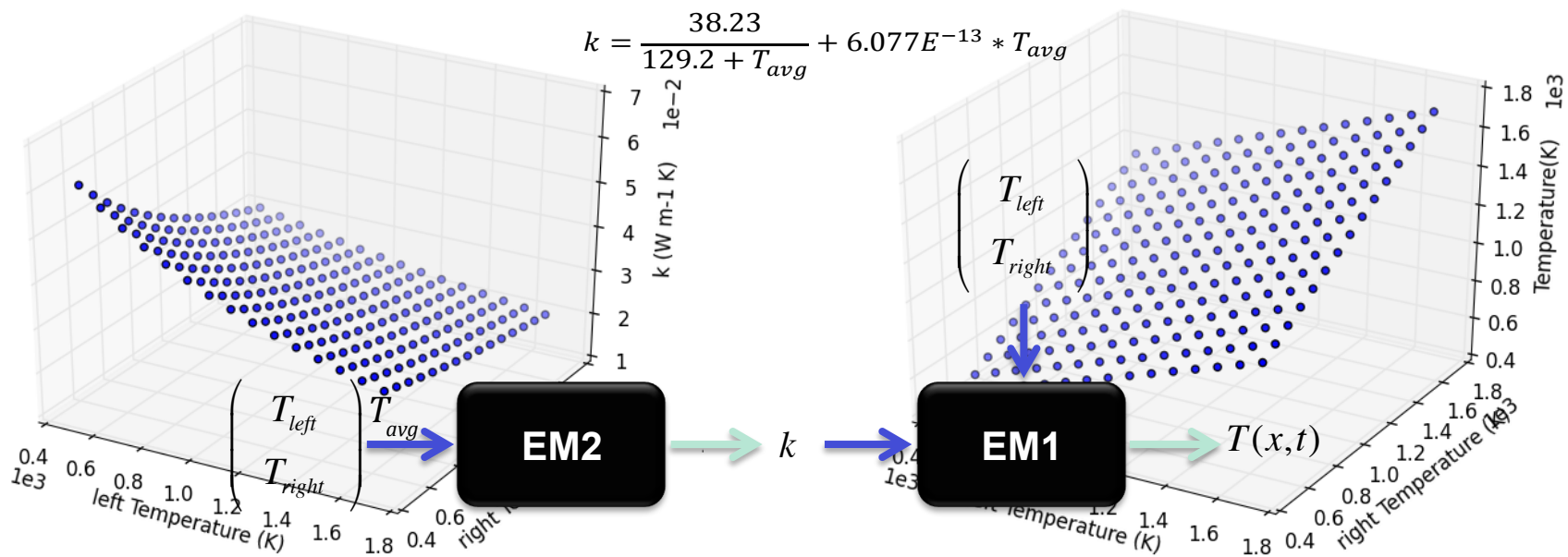


Employing Ensemble modeling in RAVEN: 2 Examples

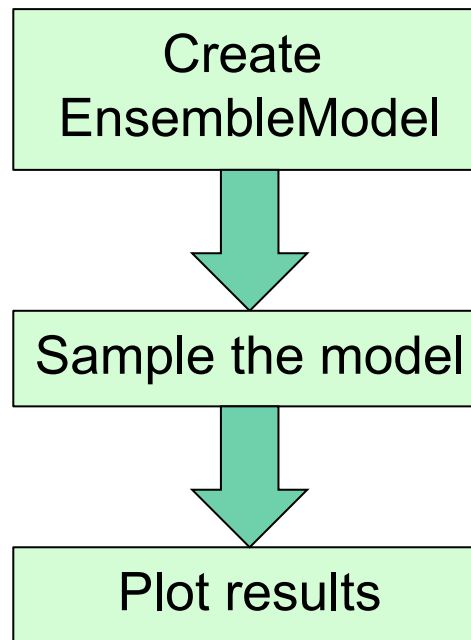
Ensemble Model: Example 1 specifications

- 1-Dimensional heat conduction transient (in a slab of thickness $L=1$ m):
 - EM1*, heat conduction partial differential equation:

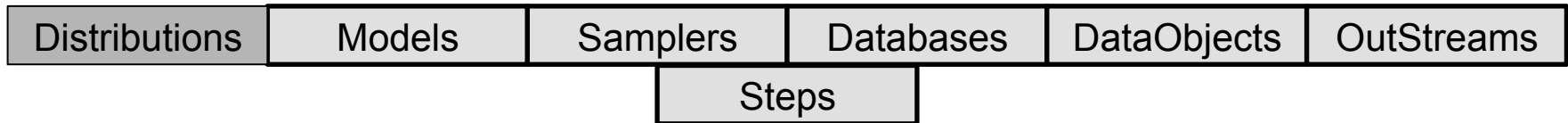
$$\begin{cases} \frac{dT(x, t)}{dt} = k \frac{d^2T(x, t)}{dx^2} \\ T(0, t) = T_{left} \\ T(L, t) = T_{right} \end{cases}$$
 - EM2*, thermal conductivity (input of *EM1*) as function of the average temperature in the slab boundary conditions:



Workflow



Create an Ensemble model of a code and an ExternalModel



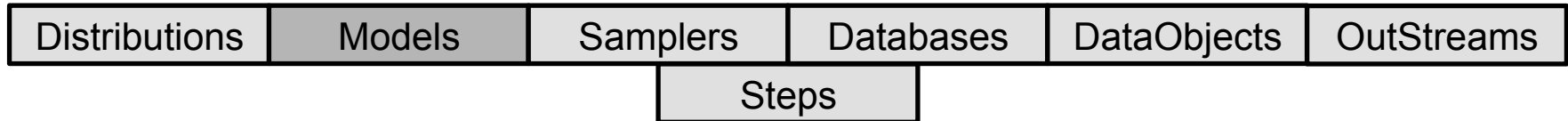
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Distribution
specifications

Create an Ensemble model of a code and an ExternalModel

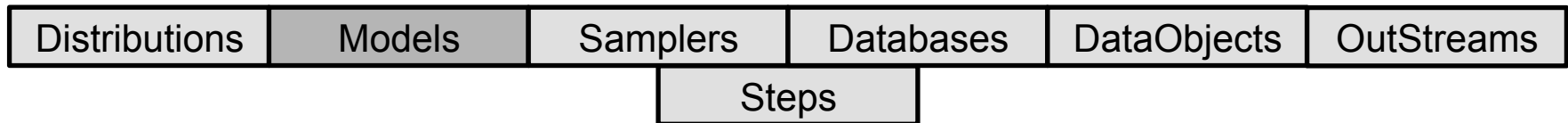


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<Models>
...
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  <variables>leftTemperature,rightTemperature,k,solution</variables>
</ExternalModel>
<ExternalModel name='thermalConductivityCompuation' subType='' ModuleToLoad='EM2linear'>
  <variables>leftTemperature,rightTemperature,k,averageTemperature</variables>
</ExternalModel>
...
</Models>
  
```


 List of Models
we are going
to use

Create an Ensemble model of a code and an ExternalModel



```

<Models>
...
<EnsembleModel name='codeAndExtModel' subType=''>
  <Model class='Models' type='ExternalModel'>
    thermalConductivityComputation
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    <TargetEvaluation class='DataObjects'
      type='PointSet'>thermalConductivityComputationContainer
    </TargetEvaluation>
  </Model>
  <Model class='Models' type='Code'>
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      heatTransferContainer</TargetEvaluation>
    </Model>
  </EnsembleModel>
...
</Models>

```

Inputs of this
model

Exclusive
output

Create an Ensemble model of a code and an ExternalModel



Link

```
<DataObjects>
  <PointSet name='heatTransferContainer'>
    <Input>leftTemperature,rightTemperature,k</Input>
    <Output>solution</Output>
  </PointSet>
  <PointSet
    name='thermalConductivityComputationContainer'>
    <Input>leftTemperature,rightTemperature</Input>
    <Output>k</Output>
  </PointSet>
  <PointSet name='metaModelOutputTest'>
    <Input>leftTemperature,rightTemperature</Input>
    <Output>k,solution</Output>
  </PointSet>
</DataObjects>
```

Create an Ensemble model of two model

Let's run the code...

*Exercise 2:
Create an EnsembleModel of a Code and an
ExternalModel*

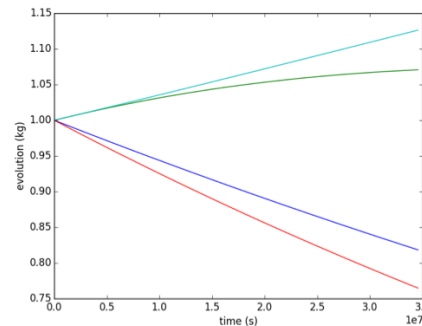
Ensemble Model: Example 2 specifications

- Also codes can be used in the Ensemble modeling.

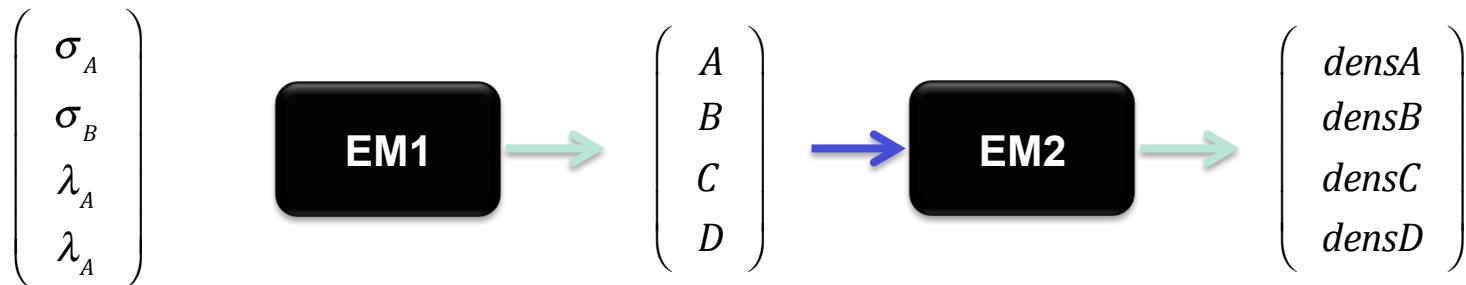
- EM1: Code, Analytical Bateman

- Transmutation

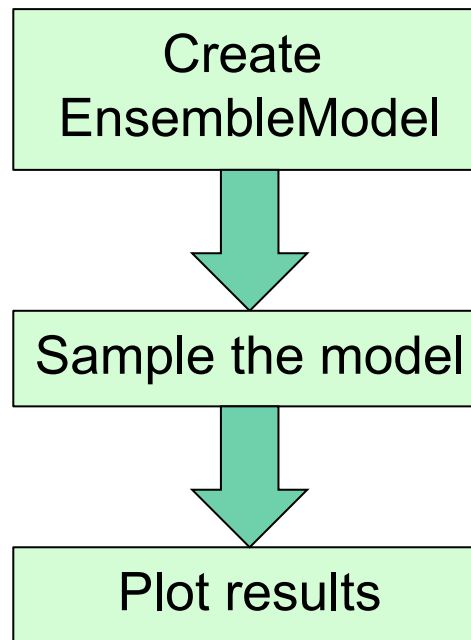
$$\begin{cases} \frac{d\mathbf{X}}{dt} = \mathbf{S} - \mathbf{L} \\ \mathbf{X}(t = 0) = \mathbf{X}_0 \end{cases}$$



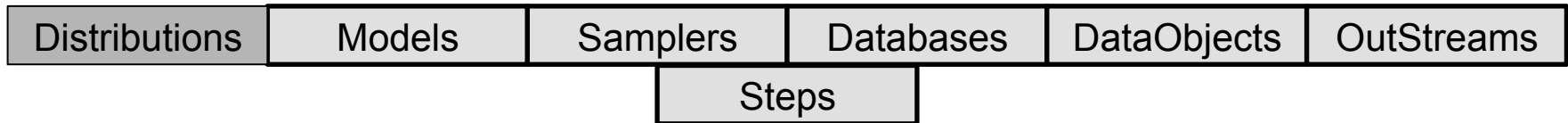
- EM2: External Model, convert final outcomes of EM1 into atom densities



Workflow



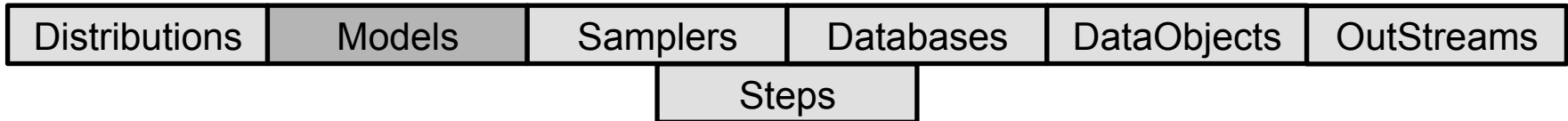
Create an Ensemble model of a code and an ExternalModel



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Distribution
specifications

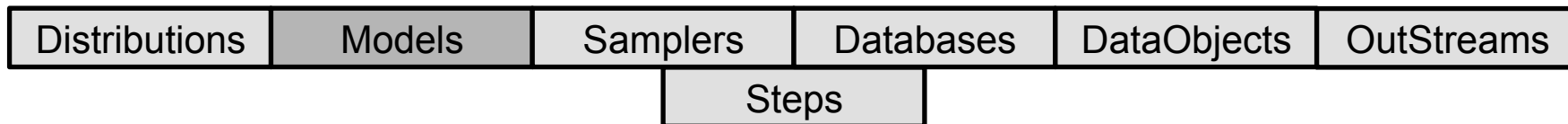
Create an Ensemble model of a code and an ExternalModel



```
<Models>
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<ExternalModel name='convertToAtomDensity' subType='' ModuleToLoad='toAtomDens'>
  <variables>A,B,C,D,densA,densB,densC,densD</variables>
</ExternalModel>
<Code name='testModel' subType='GenericCode'>
  <executables>ensembleModelWithCode/AnalyticalDplMain.py</executables>
  <clargs arg="" extension='.xml' type='input' />
  <clargs arg="" extension='.csv' type='output' />
  <prepend>python</prepend>
</Code>
...
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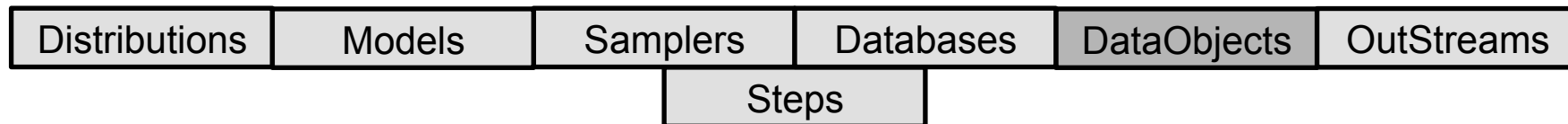
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...
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</Model>
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    testModel
    <Input class="Files" type="">inputHolder</Input >
    <TargetEvaluation class='DataObjects' type='PointSet'>sampleMC</TargetEvaluation>
  </Model>
</EnsembleModel>
...
</Models>
  
```

Inputs of this model

Exclusive output

Create an Ensemble model of a code and an ExternalModel



Link

```

<DataObjects>
  <PointSet name='convertData'>
    <Input>A,B,C,D</Input>
    <Output>densA,densB,densC,densD</Output>
  </PointSet>
  <PointSet name='sampleMC'>
    <Input>sigma-A,sigma-B,decay-A,decay-B</Input>
    <Output>A,B,C,D</Output>
  </PointSet>
  <PointSet name='finalResponses'>
    <Input>sigma-A,sigma-B,decay-A,decay-B</Input>
    <Output>A,B,C,D,densA,densB,densC,densD</Output>
  </PointSet>
</DataObjects>
  
```

Create an Ensemble model of two model

Let's run the code...

Thank you

Questions?