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MNO	What the abbreviation represents
PQR	Note the use of case
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CHAPTER 1 INTRODUCTION

1.1 PROBLEM STATEMENT

1.1.1 Context of the problem

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CHAPTER 2 LITERATURE STUDY

2.1 CHAPTER OBJECTIVES

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2.2 FAULT DETECTION AND ANALYSIS

New data driven methods that apply concepts from other fields have started to show some promising results. One of these methods is the use of the PageRank algorithm [1] employed by google on the ranking of control loops based on the degree of interaction.[2] has developed a methodology called LoopRank with the aim of prioritizing control loop maintenance by highlighting loops that have a higher correlation with other loops. In this methodology a relative weight matrix is compiled using partial correlation between input and output variables. The importance scores of each variable is then determined by calculating the normalized eigenvector of the relative weight matrix.

[3] compared LoopRank with a more traditional data driven method that utilizes the integral of absolute or squared error to determine loop interaction. Canonical correlation was used to calculate the relative weight matrix in the LoopRank methodology. It was found that both methods delivered similar results.

The LoopRank methodology was further expanded on by [4] who tested the LoopRank using transfer entropy in an attempt to get a better estimation of causality when calculating the relative wight matrix. [5] used this methodology for incipient fault detection by calculating importance scores over multiple overlapping time regions.

2.3 VISUALIZATION FOR FAULT DETECTION

The methodologies involved in fault detection and diagnosis of industrial processes rely heavily on the visual analysis of time series data. Data is continuously generated by industrial processes, this data in its simplest form can be floating point or boolean values on a control system interface screen. This data is used by plant personnel as feedback on the current status of automated processes.

This study will focus on methods and approaches taken to visualize temporal or time series data.

2.3.1 VISUALIZATION IN GENERAL

Some of the first books to discuss information visualization date back to 1967 with the publication of Jacques Bertin's *Semiologie Graphique* [6]. A survey by [6] highlighted the number of visualization books have been published each year, displayed in 2.1.

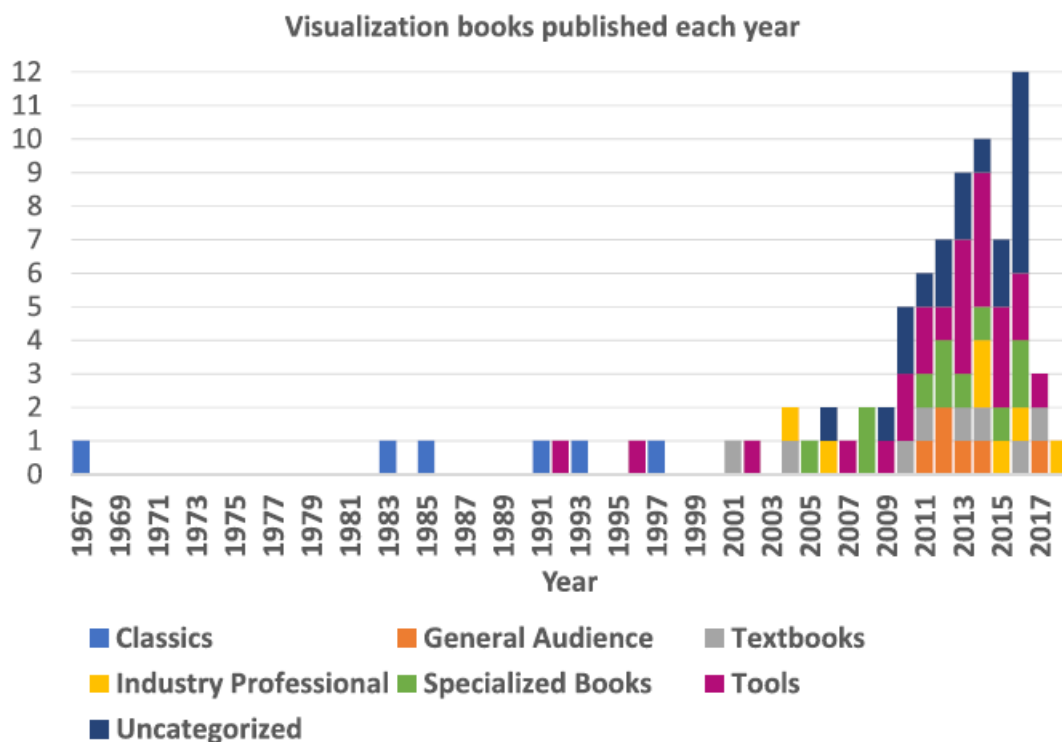


Figure 2.1. Visualization books published each year

The IEEE Visualization conference series aimed at sharing developments in this field started in 1990 and has contributed a large amount of data on how visualization assists other fields to better understand their data. [7] compiled a database of these publications to assist researchers in this field to understand the history of visualization in a field and make the researcher aware of new developments trends. The

papers presented through these conferences serve as valuable source to describe previous work related to visualization for the use of fault detection and diagnosis.

2.3.2 DATA ANALYTICS

Before designing it is important to understand the mental processes behind data analytics that are used by people to understand and gain insight into data.

One of the earliest models for that describe the process of 'sensemaking' was developed by [8]. In this model intelligence analysis or sensemaking consists of:

1. information gathering
2. representation of the information in the form of an outline or model that aids the analysis
3. development of insight through manipulation of the outline or model
4. Creation of a knowledge product or direct action based on the analysis

, The process is visually described by Figure2.2.

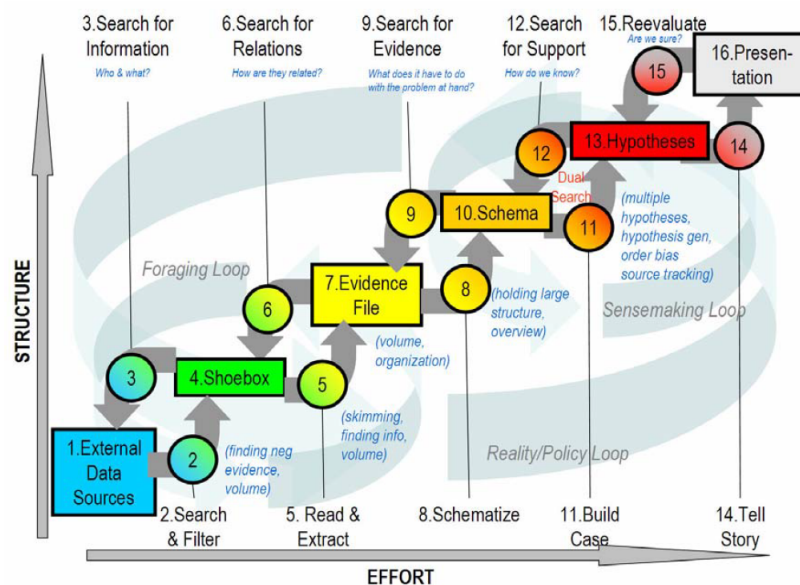


Figure 2.2. [8] sensemaking model

The rectangles represent the flow of data and the circles represent the process flow. What is very clear from this model is that there are a lot of back loops and sets of activities that cycle around finding

information and making sense of the information. The end result of the process is the generation of novel information by the analyst.

The External data sources are filtered into a smaller data set called a shoebox. Snippets are then extracted from the shoe box based on observed relationships and placed in the Evidence File. A Schema or model is then developed and verified using the Evidence file. A Hypotheses is then form based on this model with a feedback loop that search for additional support of this hypotheses. Finally there is a presentation that is first reevaluated before becoming the product of this work. This model can be used in a top-down (theory to data) or bottom-up (data to theory) approach.

Another approach that represents a more non-linear model that might be a closer representation to how humans actually process information. [9] present a model that starts of with the assumption that people always start making sense of something with some perspective, viewpoint or framework. The frame basically functions as hypothesis of how the data fits together.

These frameworks or frames actually define what counts as data and shape the data. Frames also change as we acquire data making it a two way path between a frame and data.

The first cycle that starts from the frame/ data idea is the elaboration cycle. In this cycle the frame is expanded and questioned - there could be doubt about the explanation it provides. If the doubt, possibly caused by troublesome data is explained away then the frame is preserved.

The second cycle involves a re framing process. If questioning the frame leads to its rejection, it might lead to its replacement with a better one. We could compare frames to see which one fits the data best.

This model is displayed in Figure2.3. confirmation and a search is done for confirmation of the frame. In this Making sense of the frame could involve elaborating the frame by adding more details and questioning the frame. The elaboration cycle of sensemaking is basically the process in which a frame is confirmed by the data and pres

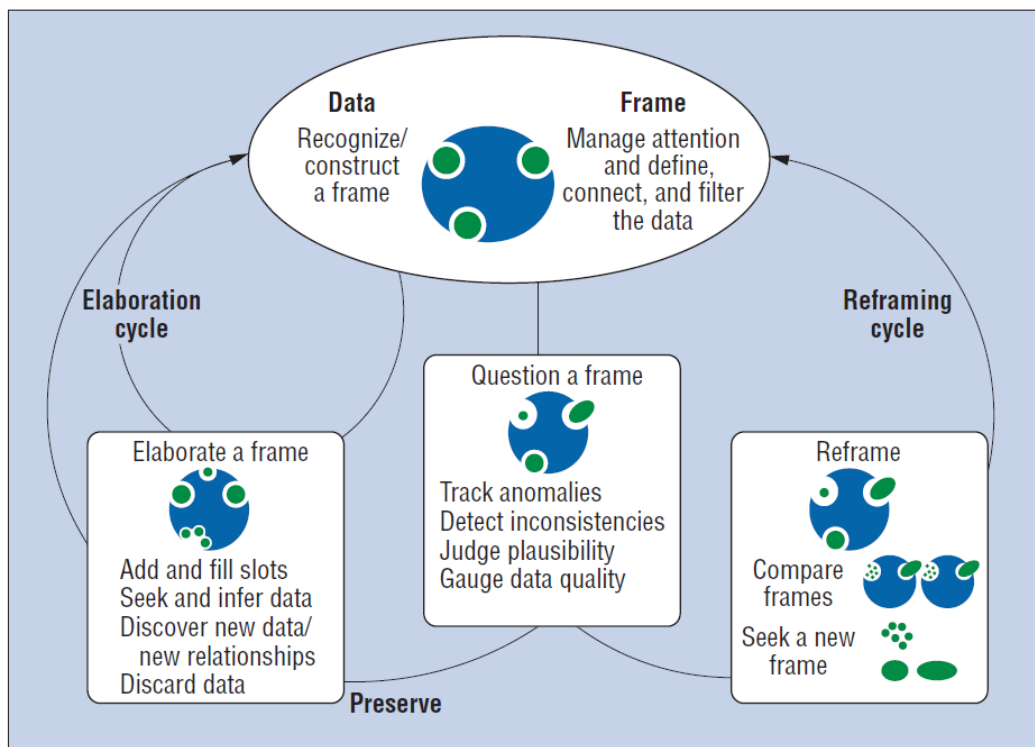


Figure 2.3. [9] frame-data sensemaking model

2.3.3 VISUAL ANALYTICS PROCESS

[10] conducted a experiment to study the visual analytics process and the role of record keeping in this process. This study also elaborated on key elements for the design of a collaborative visual analysis tool. The study required groups to complete tasks given a certain data set using computer aided visual analytics. Actions taken during visual analytics were grouped into four phases:

1. Problem definition - understanding what needs to be solved
2. Visualization - generating visual artifacts
3. Analysis - most complex phase that requires examining of charts and making sense of them combined with other data
4. Dissemination - compiling findings in a report

The findings from the study conducted by [10] confirmed observations by other researchers about the non-linear temporal order of activities. While completing the tasks users would move through the

phases in a variety of orders. The visualization and analysis phases were strongly interrelated, the users moved back and forth between these two phases much more than the other phases.

[10] generated a very visual model of these four phases with key elements noted in each phase:

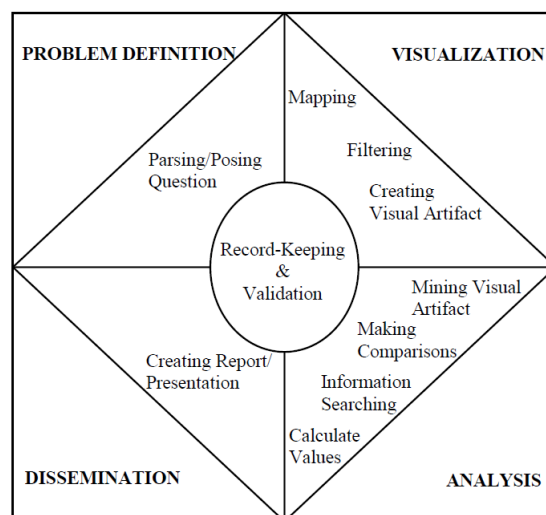


Figure 2.4. Visualization books published each year

Record keeping involves the saving of visual artifacts and notes. In most cases a visual artifact can convey a complex idea more effectively than notes. Visual artifacts were saved for two main reasons; using them in reporting and using them to enhance the analysis process.[10] recommends that visual analytic systems provide functionality to save visual artifacts like charts for later use and comparison. Note taking also plays a critical role in all phases of the process. The notes high level content could be divided into two categories; findings and cues. Findings are a results of mathematical calculations, statistical operations or decisions and outcomes of the analysis process, they could also take to form of saved charts. Cues can be anything that is not directly extracted from the visualizations that could assist the user to framing or understanding the task at hand. A larger proportion of findings were recorded in the analysis phase while the cues were largely taken during the visualization phase. The study concluded that record keeping is used intensively by data analysts.

[11] completed a longitudinal study of a bioinformatics data set analysis to gain understanding of the entire analysis process from raw data to insights. Visual analytics can be described as a process wherein user gain insight into complex data. The study highlighted how analysts gather and build insights over long periods of time and connecting the data to extensive domain knowledge and expertise. It is

Visualization plays a critical role in these data driven problem solving techniques. [12] has shown that traditional methods like directed-acyclic graphs and Hasse diagrams can display casual links in an intuitive way but becomes less suitable when the number of nodes and interactions in a system grow. The use of two novel visualization techniques called Growing Squares and Growing Polygons demonstrate the use of animations, colors and patterns to better visualize casual relations.

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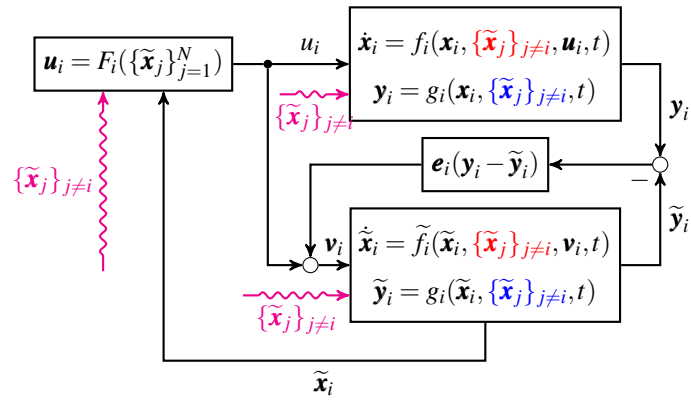


Figure 3.1. Another example of a figure

CHAPTER 4 RESULTS

4.1 CHAPTER OVERVIEW

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Table 4.1 shows a more complex example of a table.

Table 4.1. A comparison of the total thermal conductance of the VO_x devices at atmospheric pressure.

Device	Theoretical ^(a) [μWK ⁻¹]	Theoretical ^(b) [μWK ⁻¹]	Simulated [μWK ⁻¹]	Experimental [μWK ⁻¹]
VOX4	14.28	11.02	9.55	8.30
VOX6	22.55	18.03	15.71	11.91
VOX7	22.89	18.11	15.91	13.27
VOX8	23.45	18.54	17.69	11.77
VOX13	18.16	14.96	14.39	13.45
VOX15	22.55	18.03	15.65	12.74
VOX23	21.54	17.62	15.62	9.27
VOX24	22.21	17.95	15.44	10.88
VOX32	16.97	13.75	11.41	9.31
VOX33	16.97	13.72	11.67	12.26
VOX36	21.48	17.56	16.51	15.42
VOX39	12.39	10.20	9.55	10.49

^(a) Theoretical calculation using the standard approach.

^(b) Theoretical calculation using the compensated method by including the thermal constriction resistance.

CHAPTER 5 DISCUSSION

5.1 CHAPTER OVERVIEW

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CHAPTER 6 CONCLUSION

6.1 EXAMPLE HEADING

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ADDENDUM A DERIVATION OF HIGHER ORDER MODELS

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