2022 ERAU REU:
Ensemble Deep Learning

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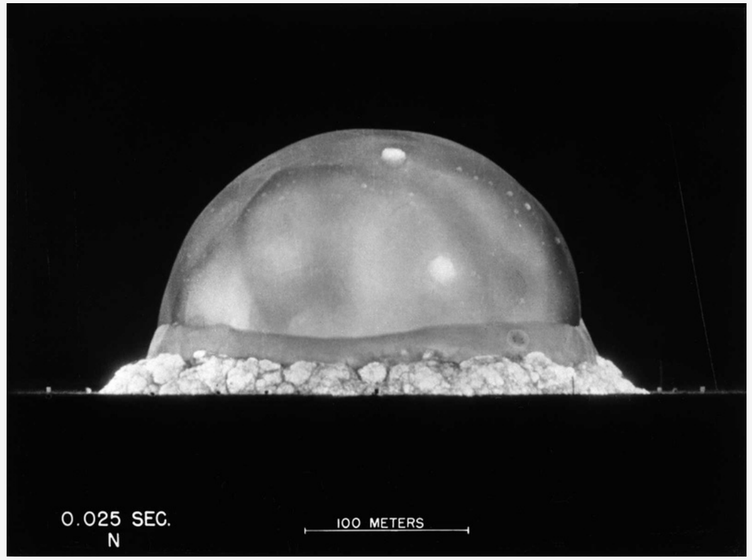
Nevada National Security Site (NNSS)

- Nuclear weapons science
- Environmental protection
- National security programs

Problem Introduction

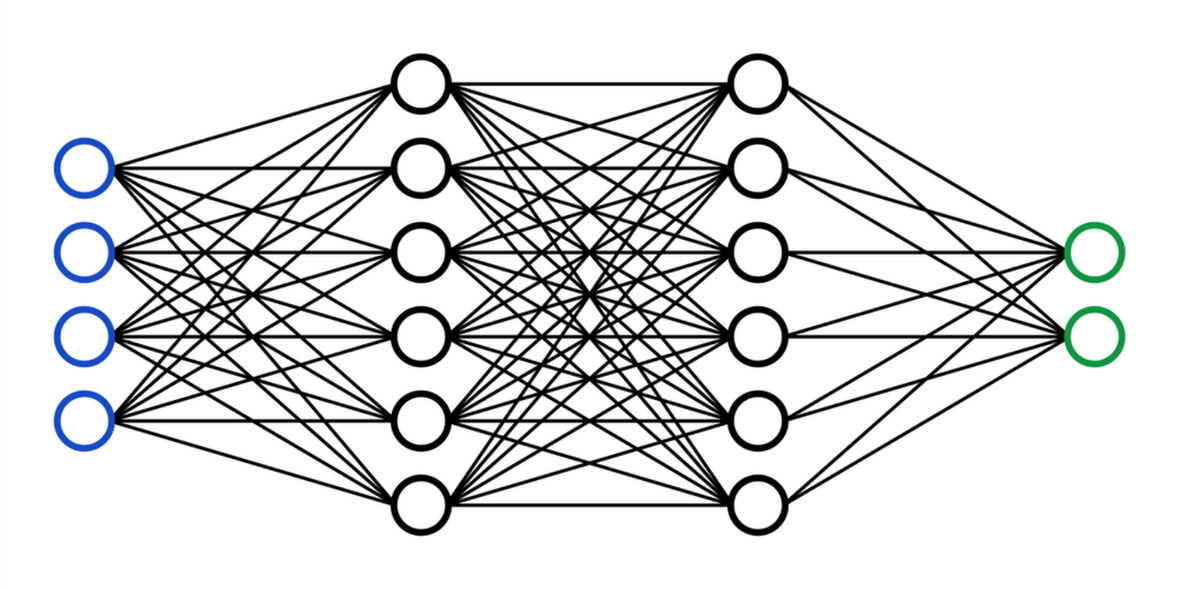
- Radiographic image analysis using convolutional neural networks

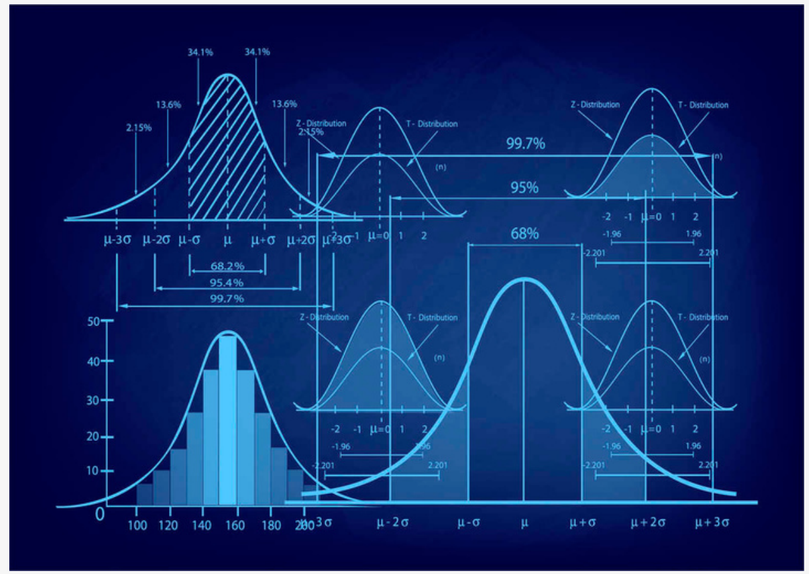


- Aids in NNSS tests analysis
  - National security
  - Nuclear stockpile safety

Project Scope

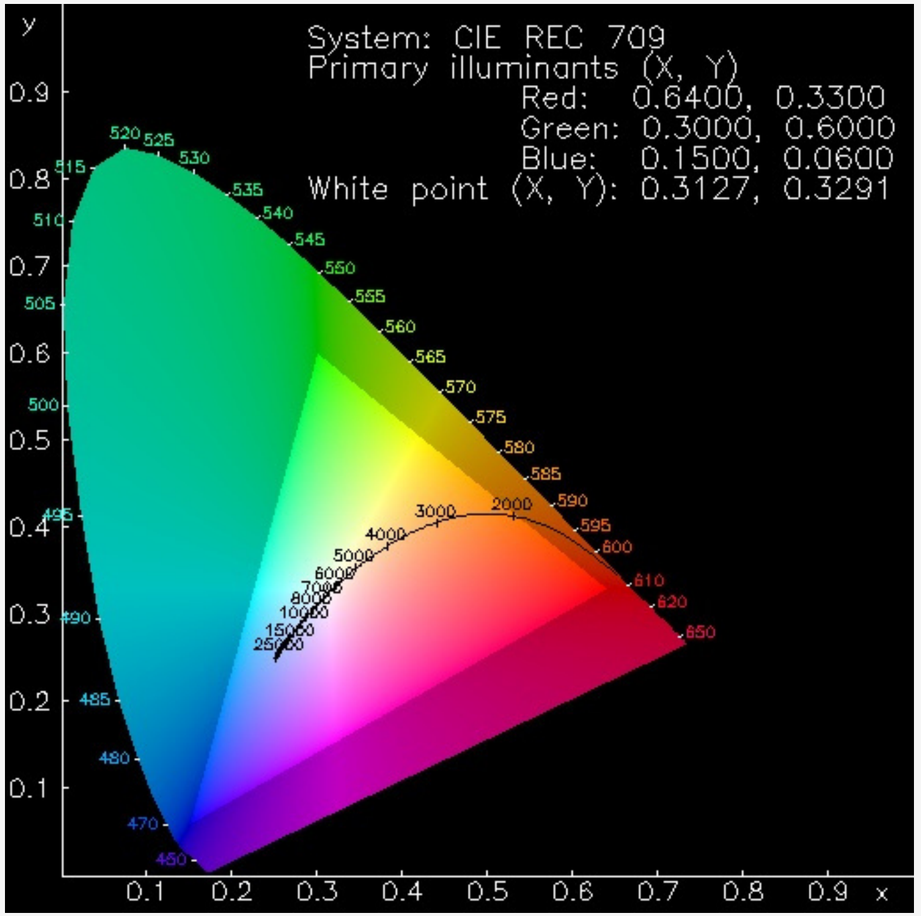
- Develop a network using Python and train it using image data
- Probability model and uncertainty quantification





Initial Strategy

- Develop neural networks and decide on an architecture
- Create an ensemble and train the architecture *n* times
- Develop uncertainty quantification approach

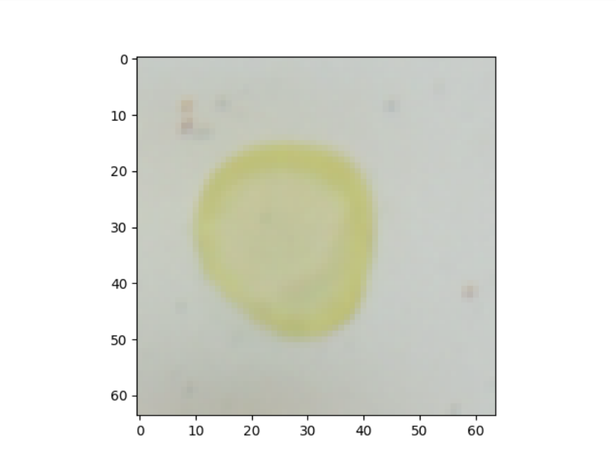


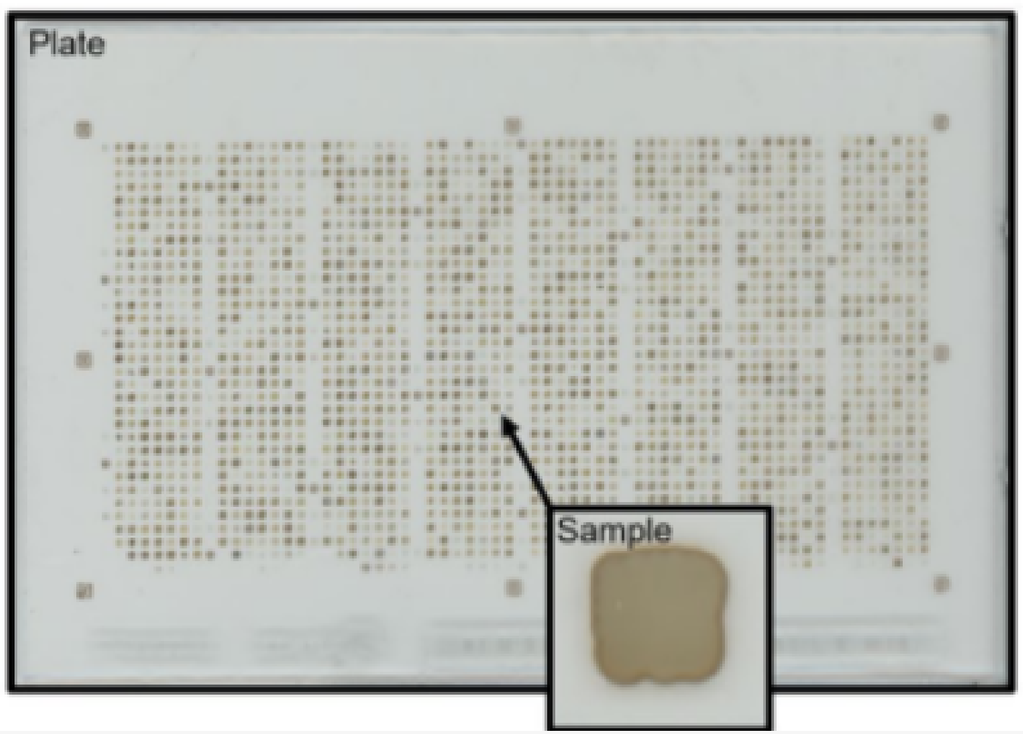
Dataset: Absorption spectroscopy data for 179072 metal oxides

Image size: (64, 64, 3, 180902)

Channel values: RGB

Normalized: 0-1 for every channel





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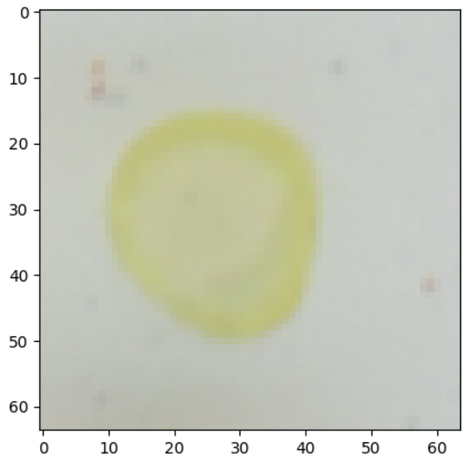
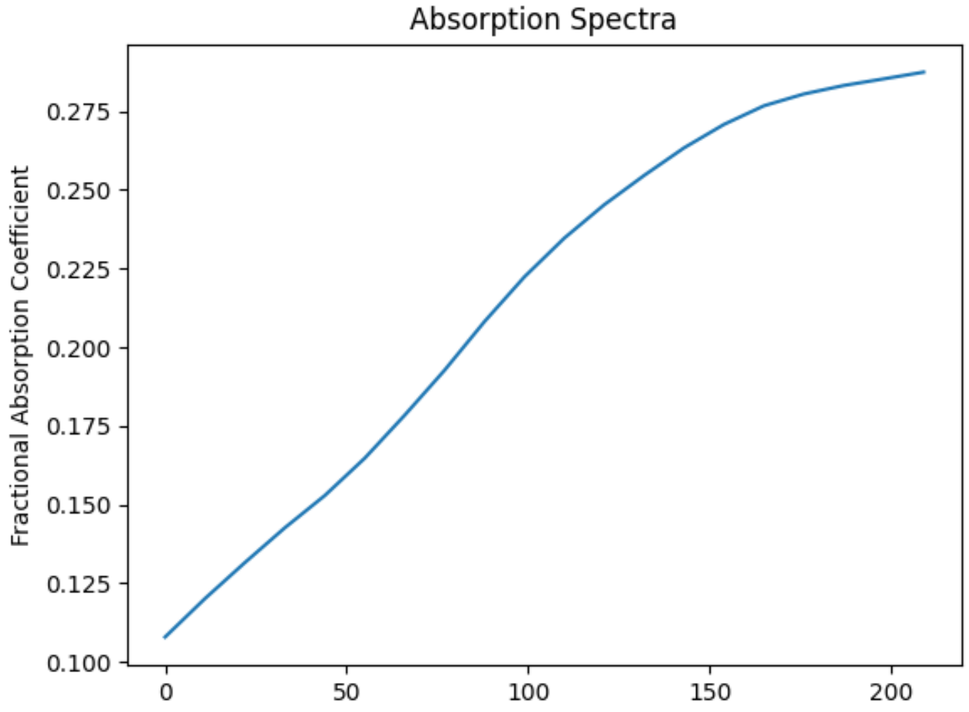
Output

- Spectra
- 220 values

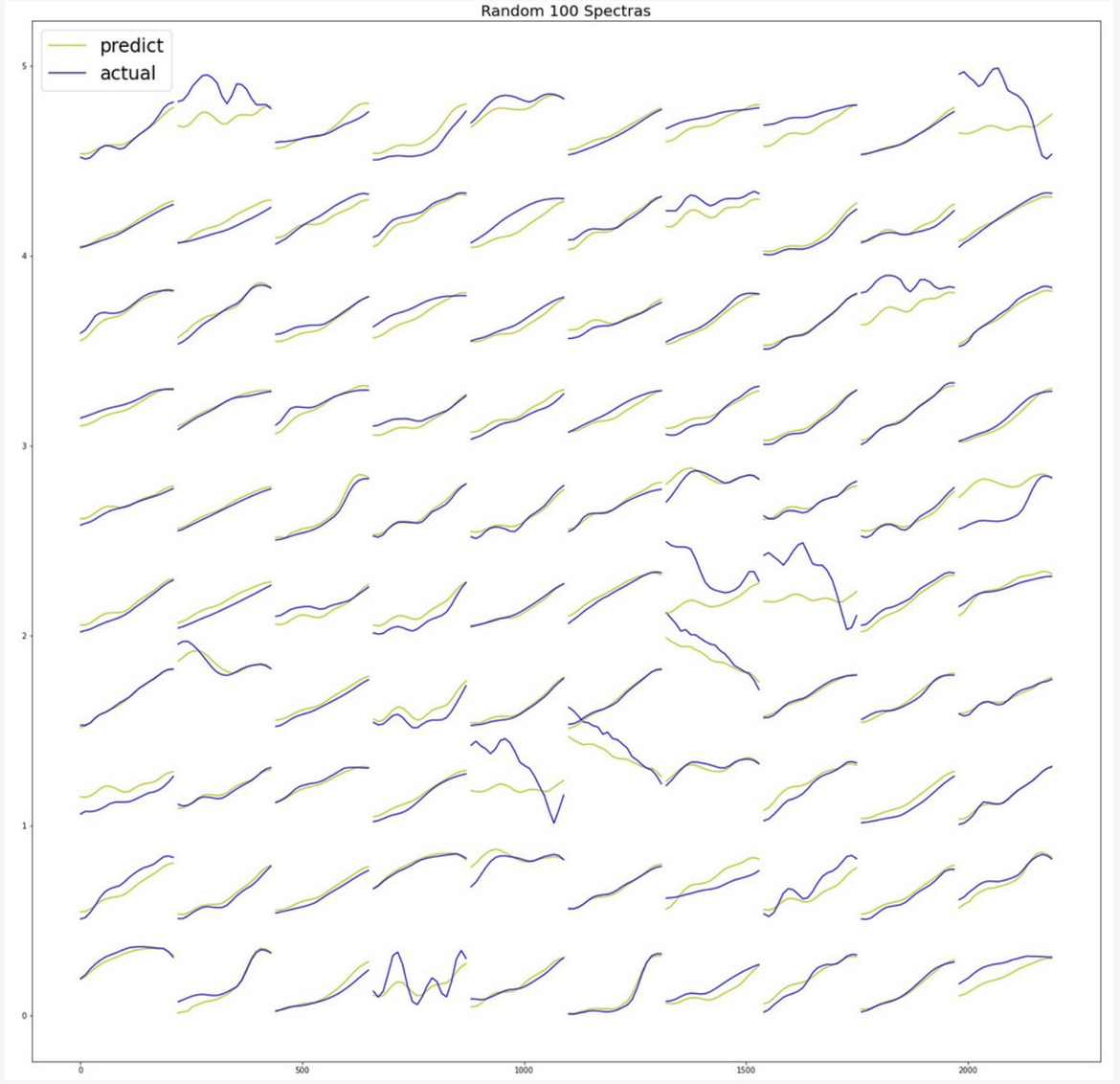




Results

Architecture:

1. Convolutional
2. Dense
3. Max Pooling
4. Dropout
5. Flatten
6. Dense
7. Dense
8. Dense

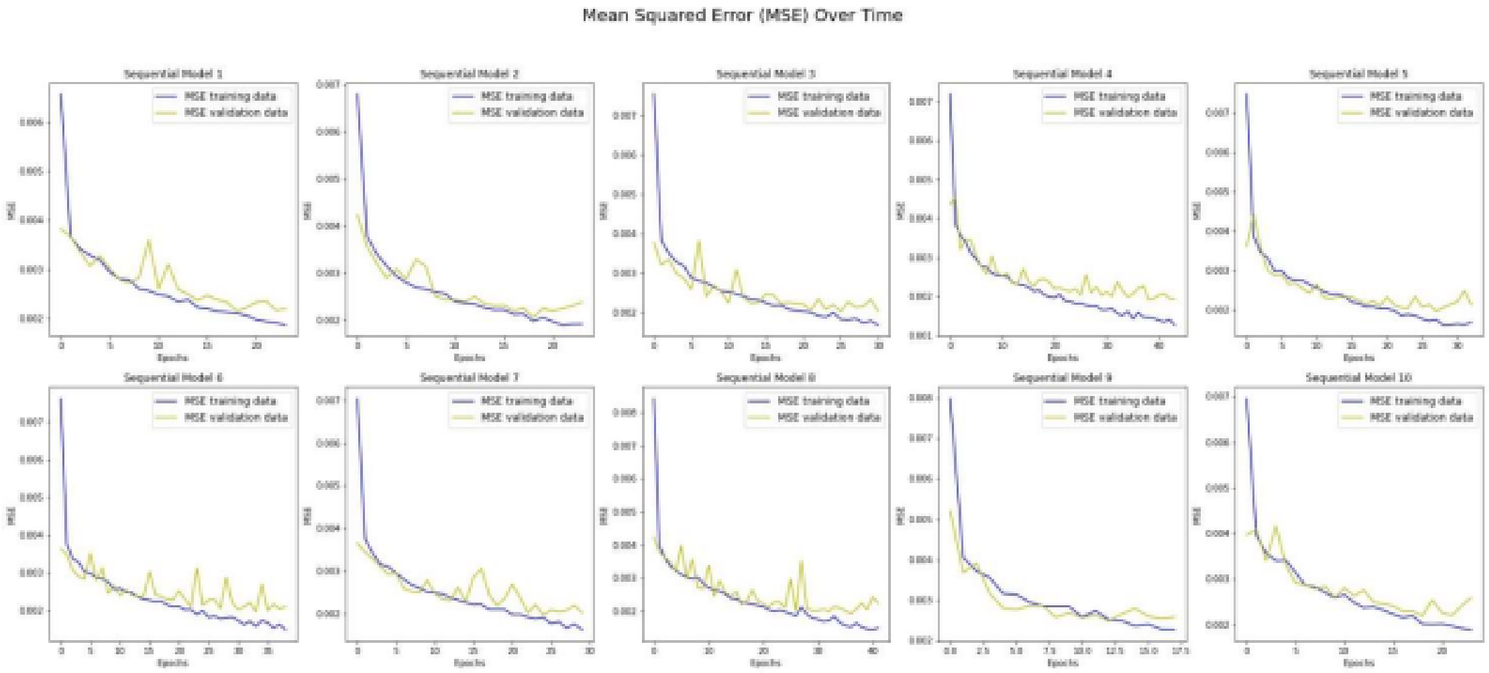


Training:

- 40,000 images
- 10 networks
- Batch size: 32
- Epochs: early stop
- Loss function: MSE

Mean Squared Error

$$\mathrm{MSE} = \frac{1}{n}\sum_{i=1}^{n}(Y_i - \hat{Y}_i)^2$$



UQ: Ensemble vs. Single NN