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THE FINAL REPORT OF MASTER THESIS

REMAINING USEFUL LIFE PREDICTION OF LITHIUM BATTERY BASED ON DATA-DRIVEN METHOD

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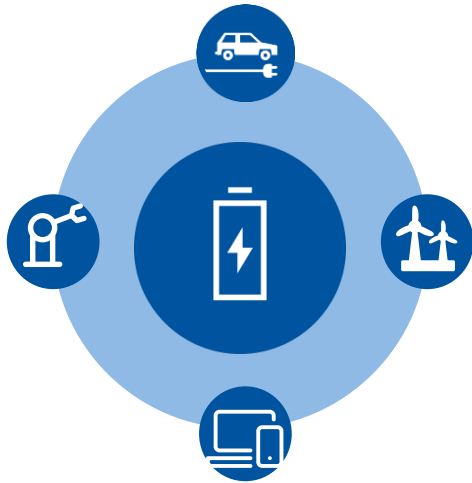
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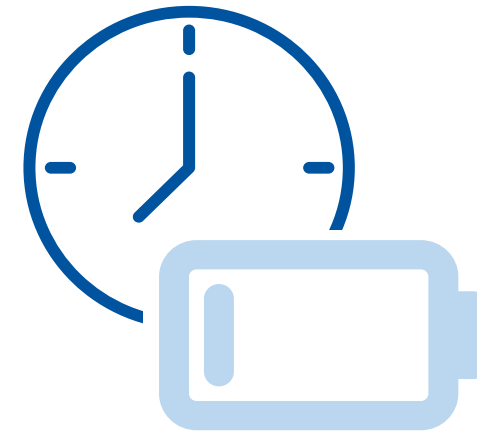
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1-1 BACKGROUND & MOTIVATION



"Battery– The Core Pillar of Industry"

Powering EVs, New Energy, Electronics, and Robotics



"RUL– Empowering Battery Health"

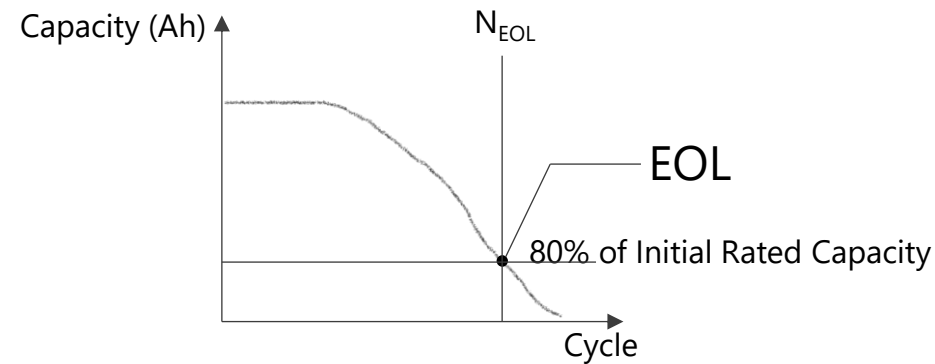
Enabling Early Maintenance and Risk Prevention

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1-2 BASIC CONCEPTS

EOL

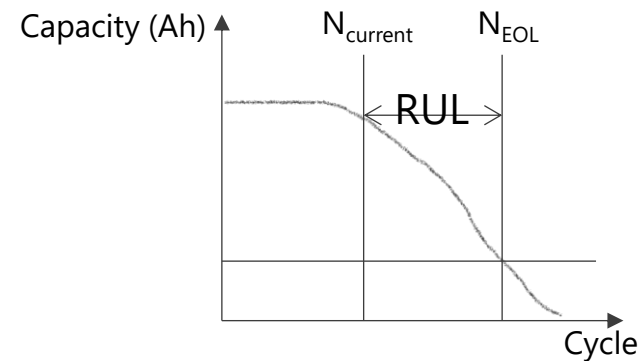
End of life¹⁾



$$EOL = 0.8 * Q_{\text{Initial rated capacity}}$$

RUL

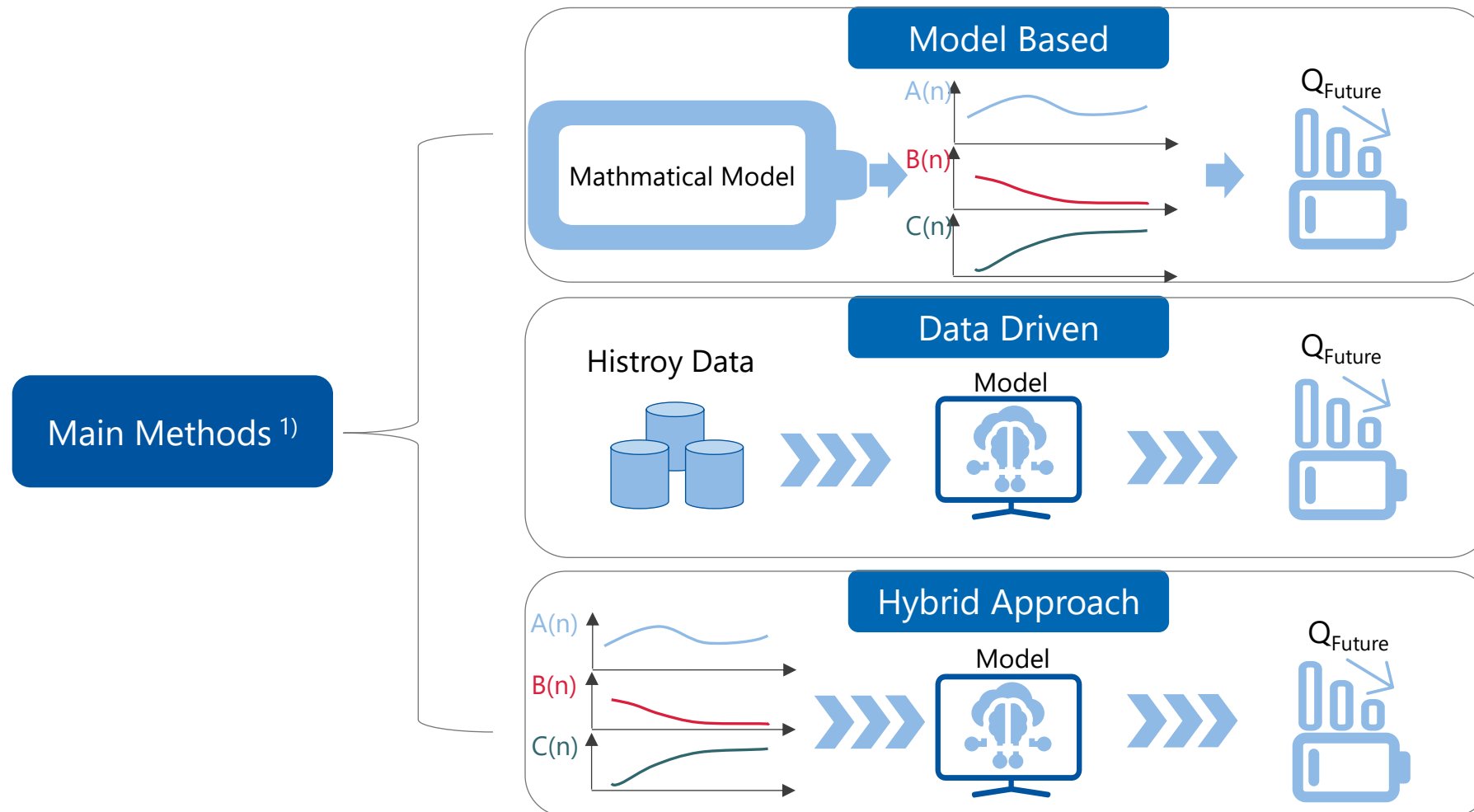
Remaining Useful Life¹⁾



$$RUL = N_{\text{Current}} - N_{EOL}$$

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1-3 THE MAIN METHODS OF RUL PREDICTION

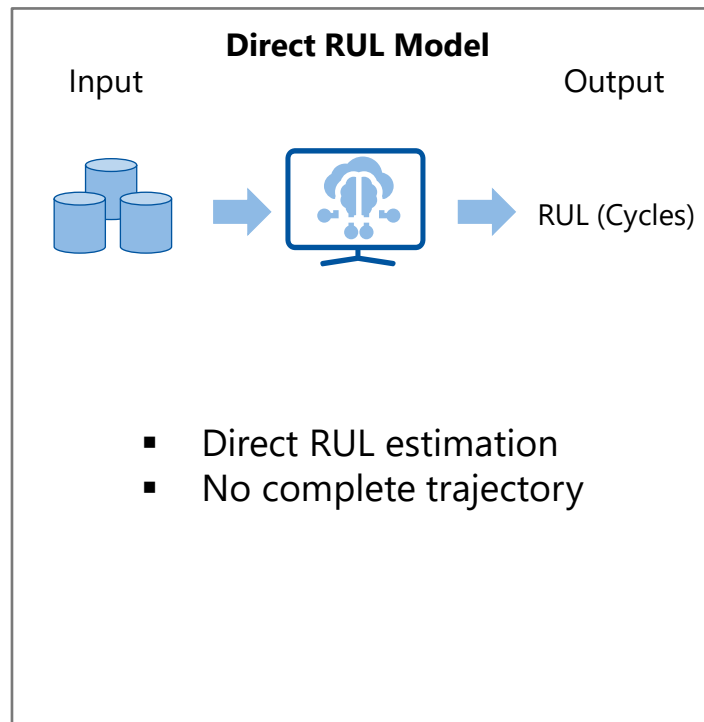


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1-4 OUR MAIN FOCUS: DATA DRIVEN

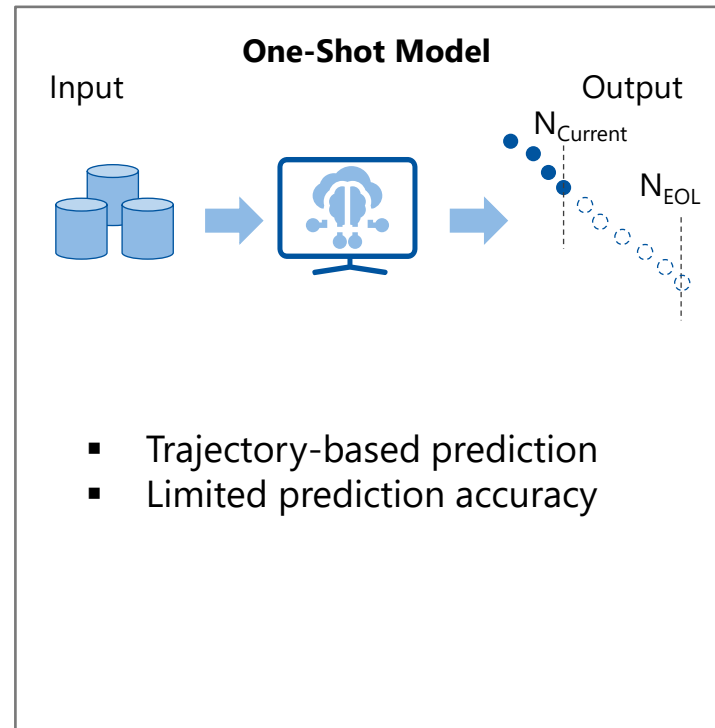
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DIRECT RUL PREDICTION¹⁾



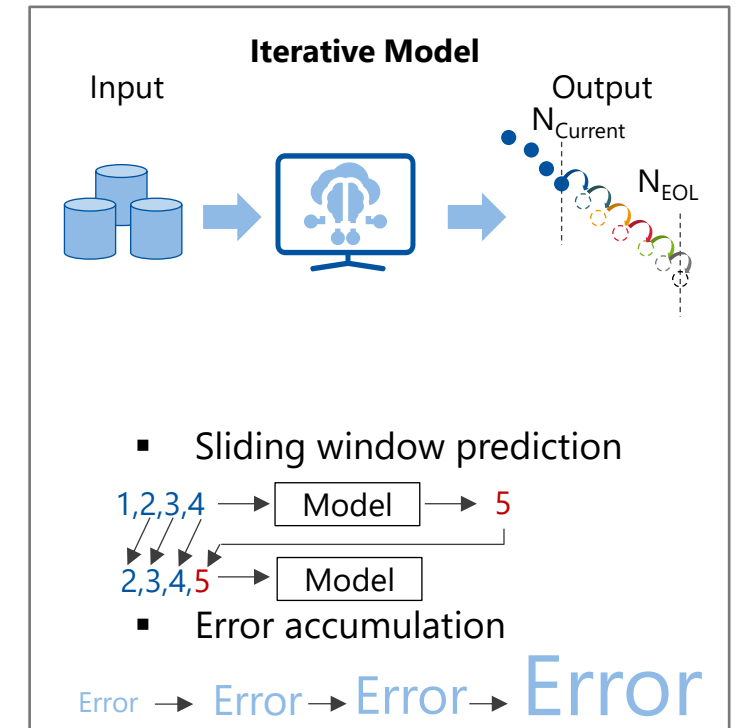
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ONE-SHOT PREDICTION²⁾



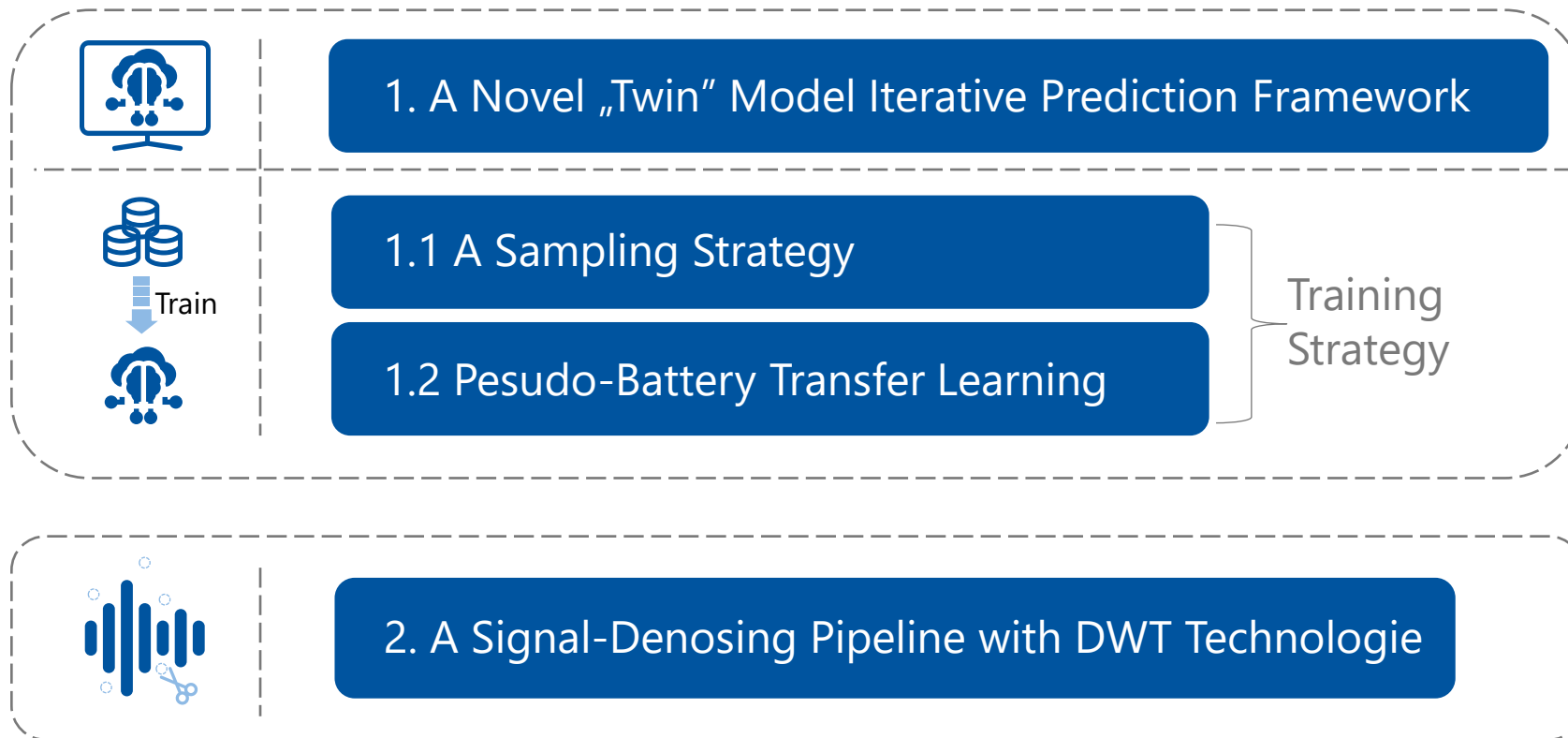
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ITERATIVE PREDICTION³⁾



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1-5 OUR CONTRIBUTIONS



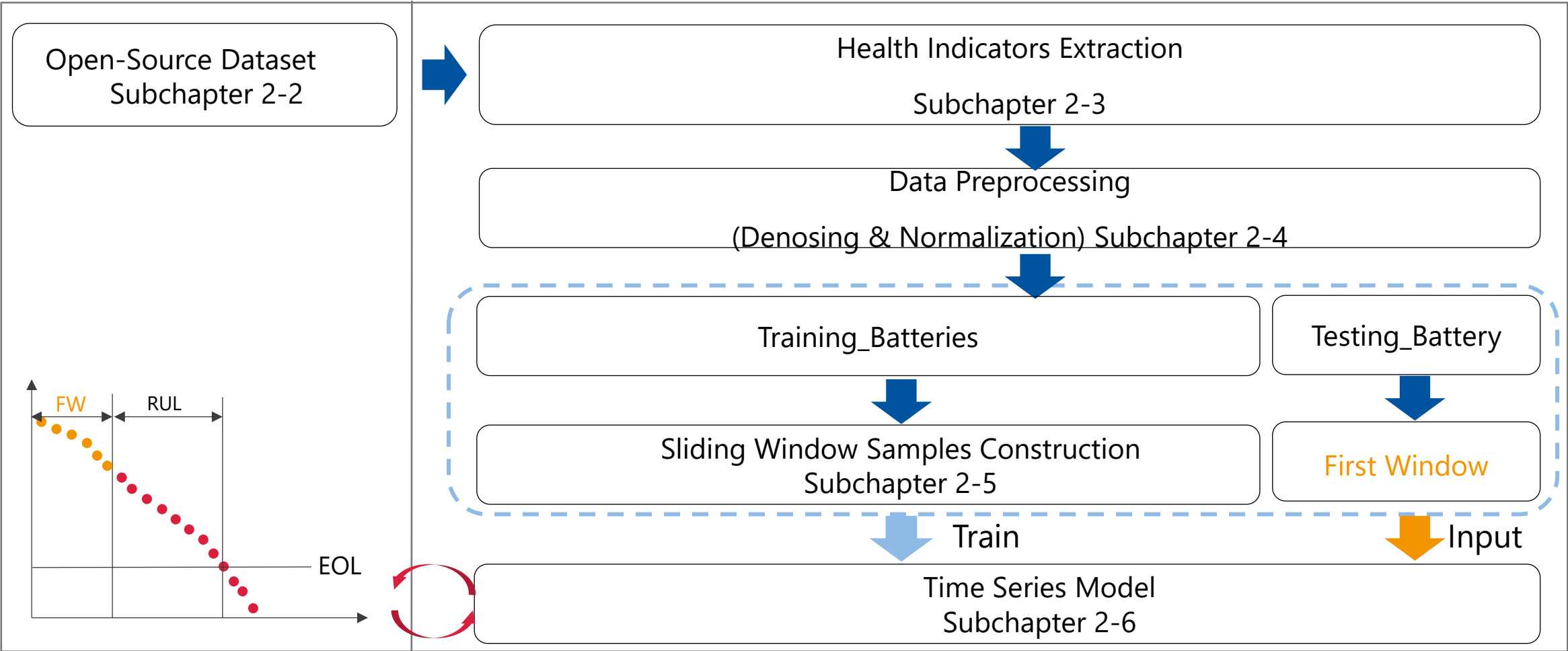
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Theory & Data Foundations

- 2-1 The Workflow Of RUL Prediction
- 2-2 The Battery Dataset & Operating Conditions
- 2-3 Health Indicators
- 2-4 Data Preprocessing
- 2-5 Sliding Window Construction
- 2-6 Time Series Modeling

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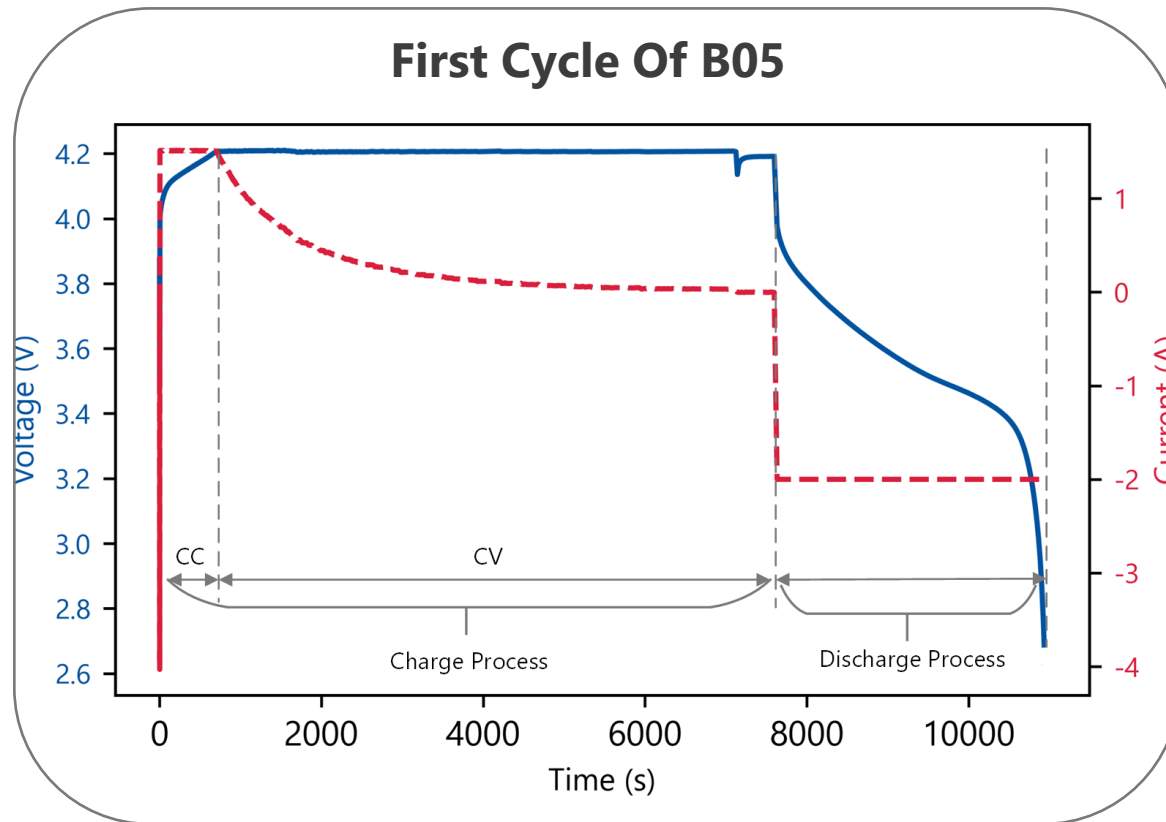
2-1 THE WORKFLOW OF RUL PREDICTION



FW: First Window from test battery

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2-2 BATTERY DATASET & OPERATING CONDITIONS

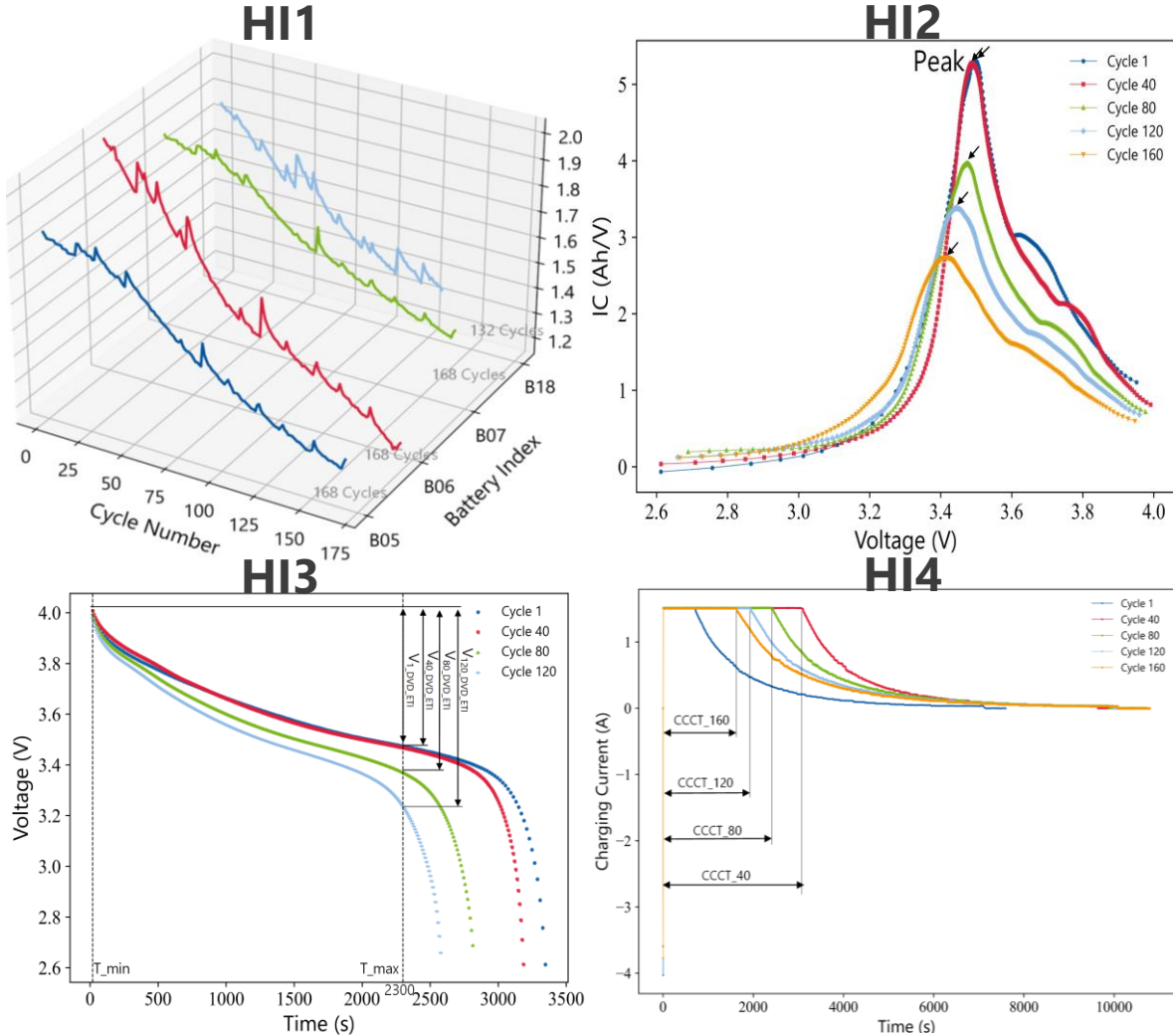


NASA DATASET FY08Q4

- 4 Cells: B05/06/07/18
- Each cycle: charge & discharge profile
 - Charge profile: CC+CV modul
 - Voltage; Current; Tempreture; Time
 - Discharge profile:
 - Same as charge + Discharge capacity
- Charge operating conditions: Identical
- Discharge Operating Conditions: Different
 - Discharge Cut-Off Voltage
 - B05 (Test battery): 2.7V
 - B06/07/18 (Train batteries): 2.5V, 2.2V, 2.5V

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2-3 HEALTH INDICATORS



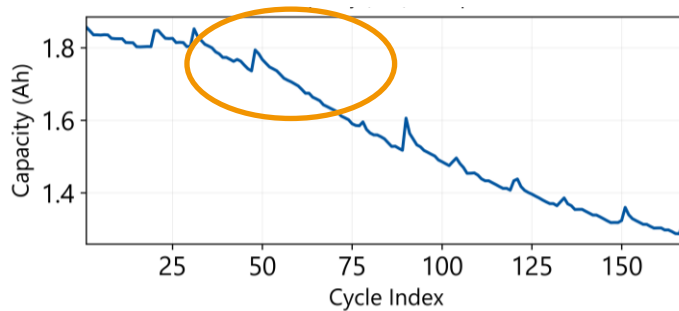
FOUR HEALTH INDICATORS

- Directly related to aging
 - HI1**: Capacity
 - Indirectly related to aging
 - HI2**: Peak Point of Incremental Capacity Curve
 - HI3**: Voltage Difference of Equal Time Interval
 - HI4**: Constant Current Charging Time
- Extracted HI from discharge profile
■ Extracted HI from charge profile

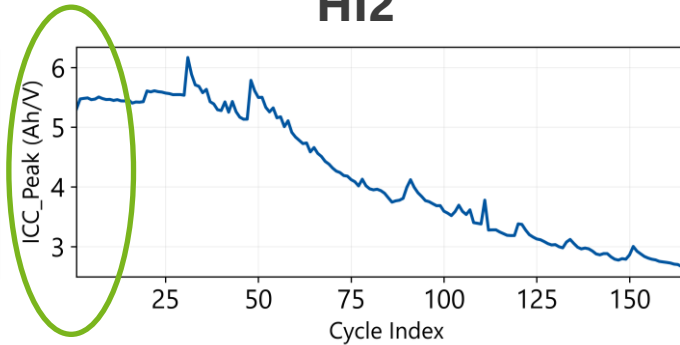
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2-3 HEALTH INDICATORS

HI1

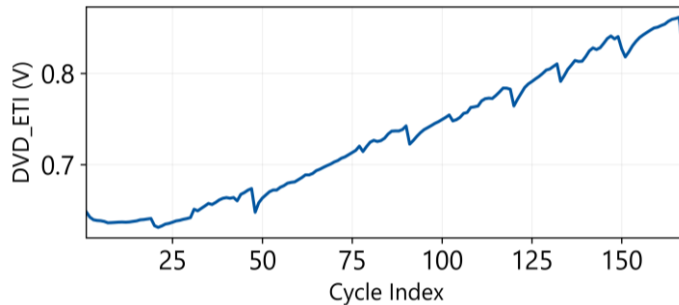


HI2



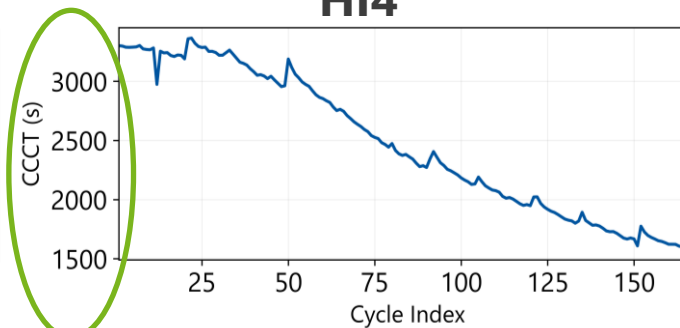
Pearson Correlation: 0.9960

HI3



Pearson Correlation: -0.9933

HI4



Pearson Correlation: 0.9998

CORRELATION ANALYSIS

- Pearson correlation
 - Assess representativeness of HI2/3/4 for battery aging
 - All exhibit strong correlation

$$r = \frac{\sum_1^n (x_i - \bar{x})(y_i - \bar{y})}{\sqrt{\sum_1^n (x_i - \bar{x})^2 \sum_1^n (y_i - \bar{y})^2}}$$

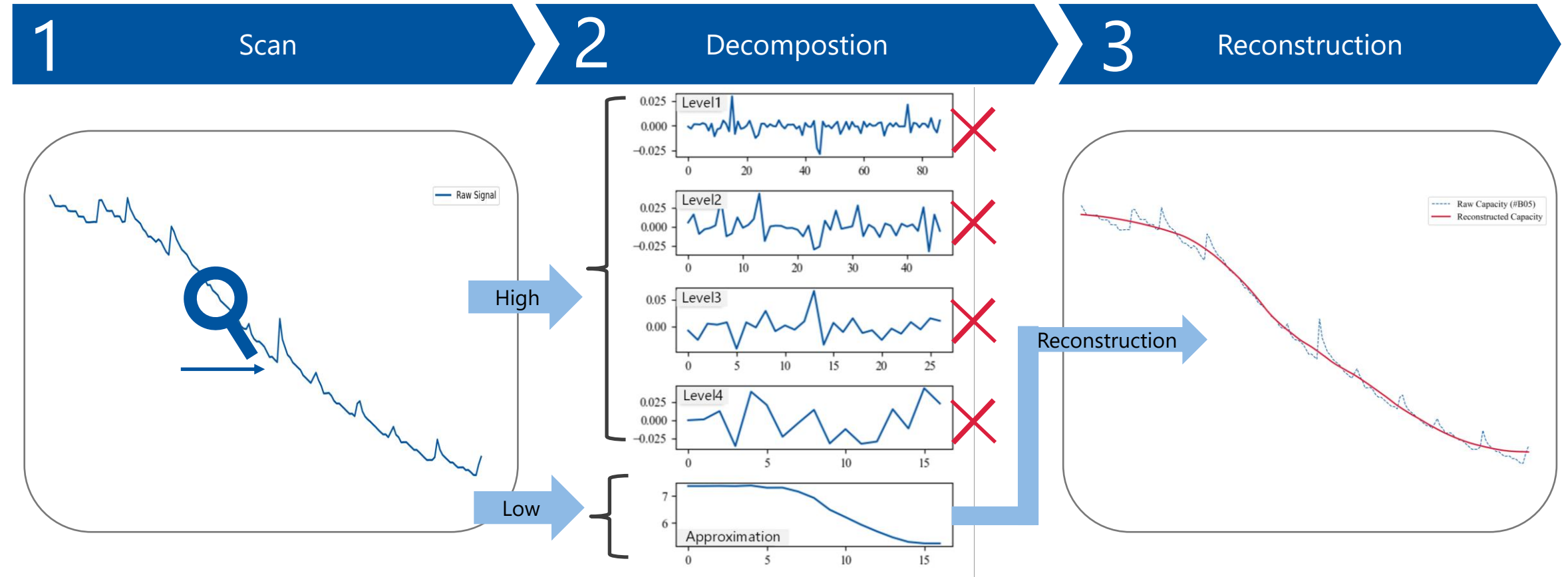
PROBLEMS

- Problem 1: Noise and regeneration
 - Solution: DWT denoise
- Problem 2: Different scales
 - Solution: Min-Max normalization

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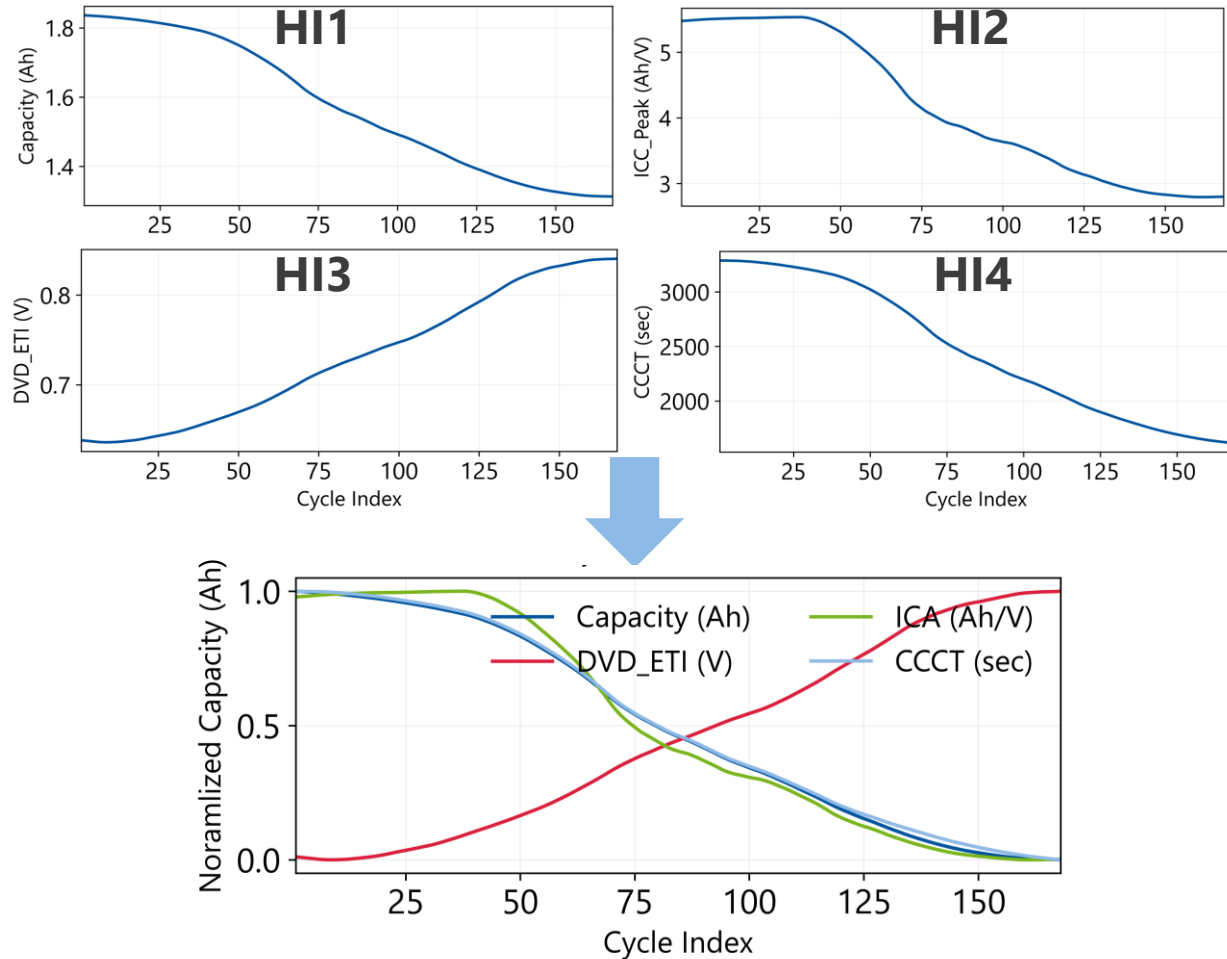
2-3 DATA PREPROCESSING

The pipeline of Discrete Wavelet Transformation (DWT)



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2-3 DATA PREPROCESSING



MIN-MAX NORMALIZATION

Formel:

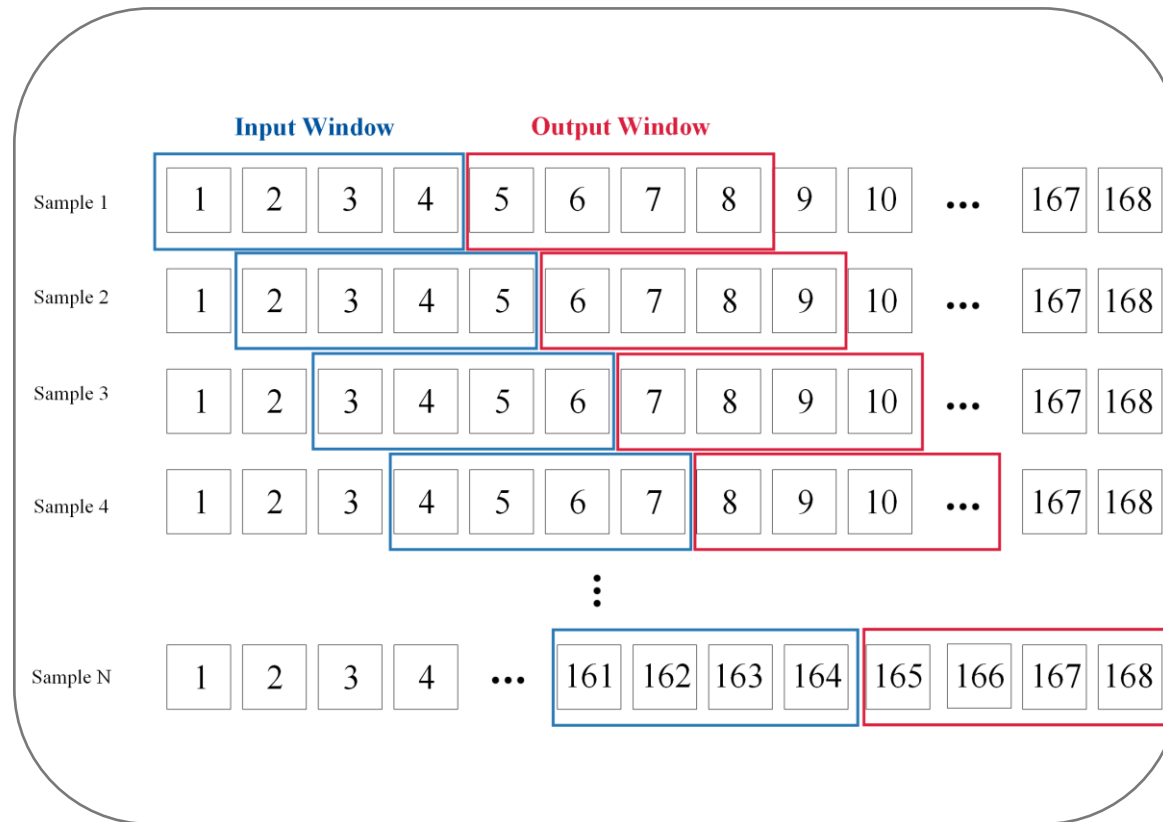
$$X_{\text{normalized}} = \frac{X - X_{\min}}{X_{\max} - X_{\min}}$$

Purposes:

- Scale into [0,1]
- Accelerate convergence
- Prevent numerical instability

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2-4 SLIDING WINDOW SAMPLES CONSTRUCTION

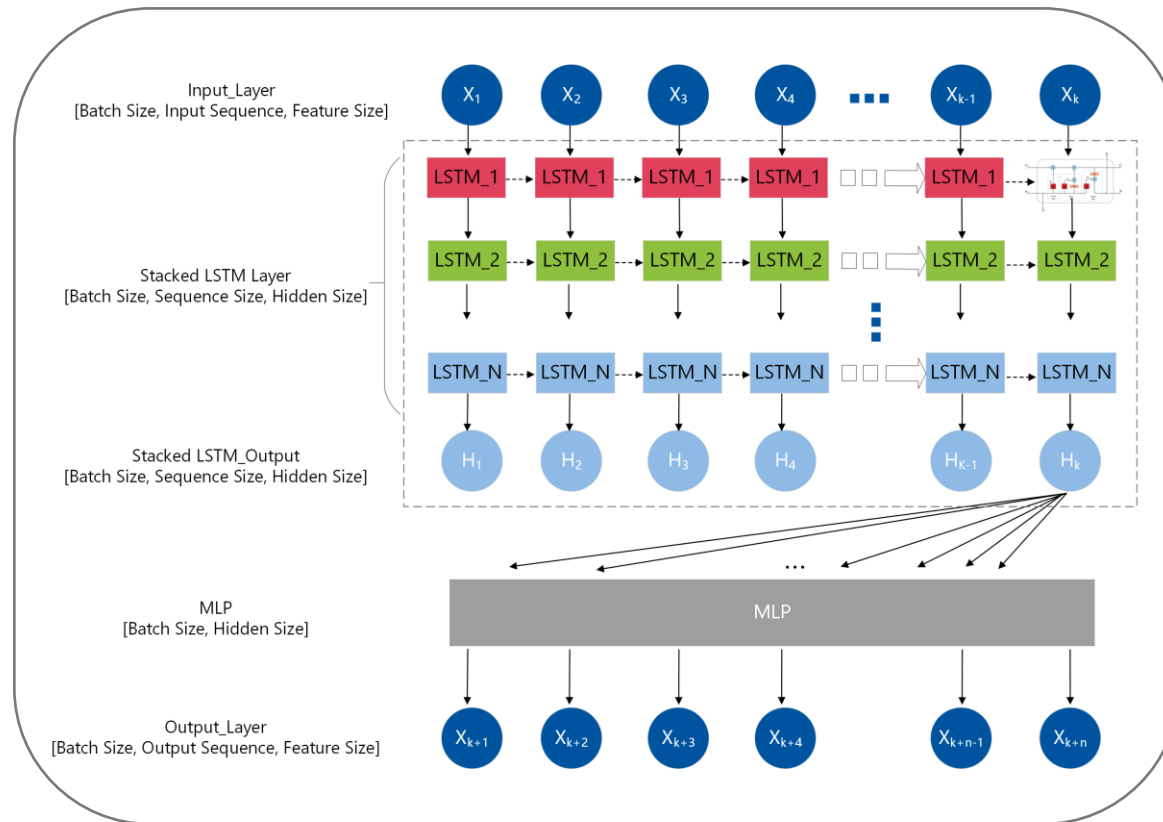


SLIDING WINDOW

- What is the sliding window?
 - Input Window= Model Input
 - Output Window= Model Label
- Why build sliding window?
 - Break long sequences into short
 - Capture local degradation patterns
 - Improve data utilization

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2-5 TIME-SERIES MODEL



TIME-SERIES MODEL

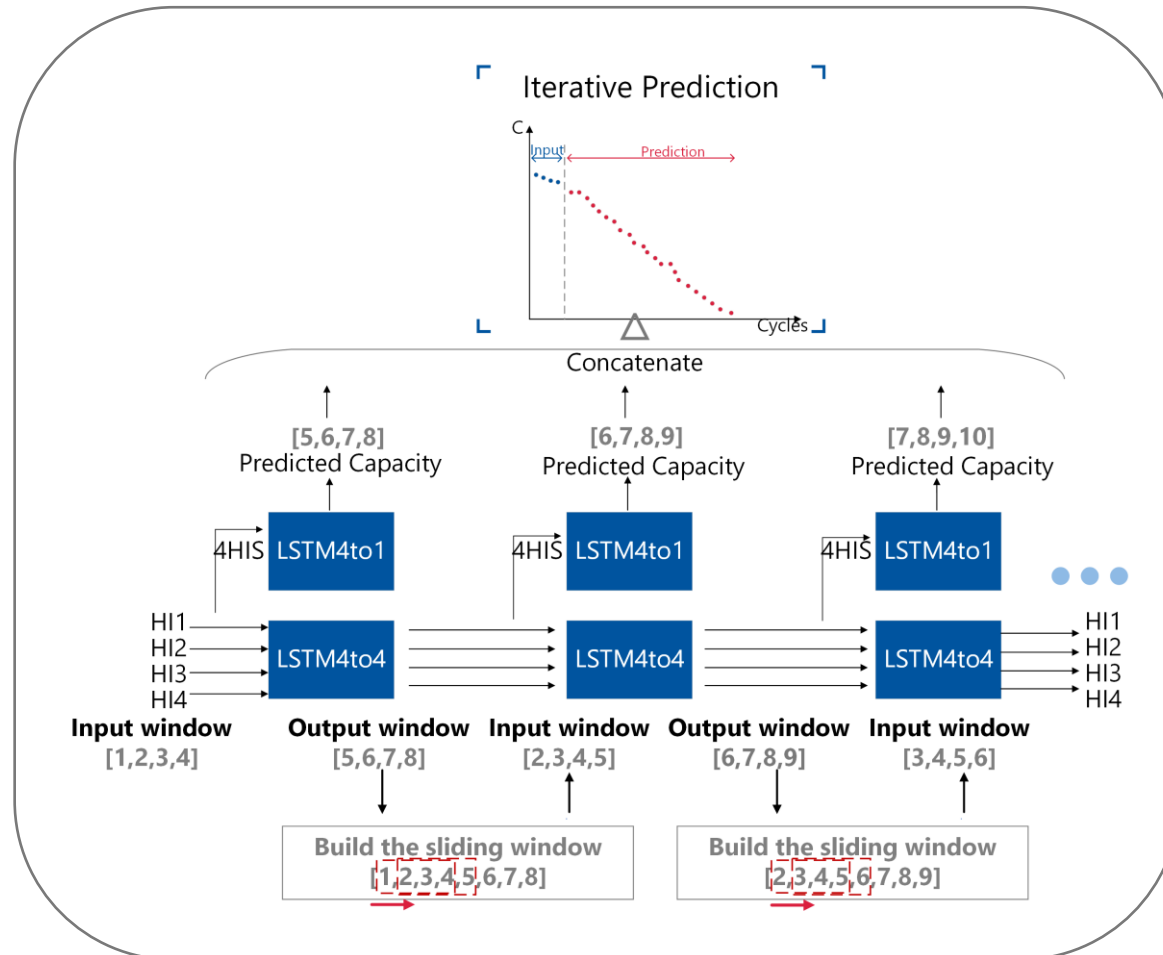
- Why LSTM?
 - Control information flow through three gates
 - Capture sequential dependencies
- Why Stacked LSTM?
 - Extract deeper features
 - Learn more complex prediction task

Methodology

- 3-1 Twin Model Prediction Framework
- 3-2 Our Sampling Traininig Strategy
- 3-3 Pesudo-Battery Transfer Learning
- 3-4 Metrics

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3-1 TWIN MODEL PREIDCTION FRAMEWORK

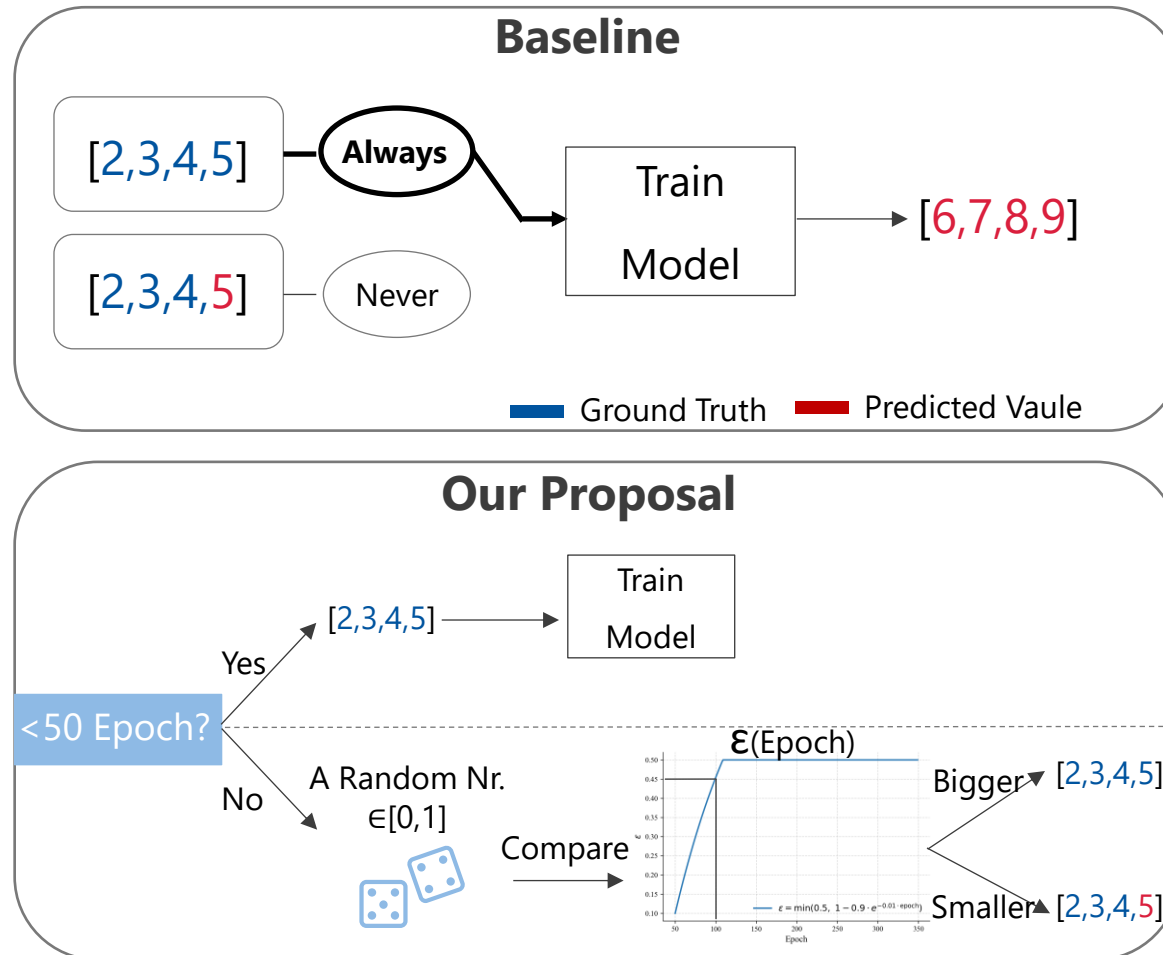


TWIN MODEL STRUTURE

- LSTM4to4
 - 4 HIs input; Output 4 predicted HIs
 - **Challenge: Error Accumulation** Error → Error → Error → Error
 - Solution: Sampling strategy (Chapter 3-2)
- LSTM4to1
 - 4 HIs input; Output predicted capacity
 - **Challenge: Different Operating Conditions**
 - Solution: Transfer learning (Chapter 3-3)

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3-2 OUR SAMPLING TRAINING STRATEGY



BASLINE

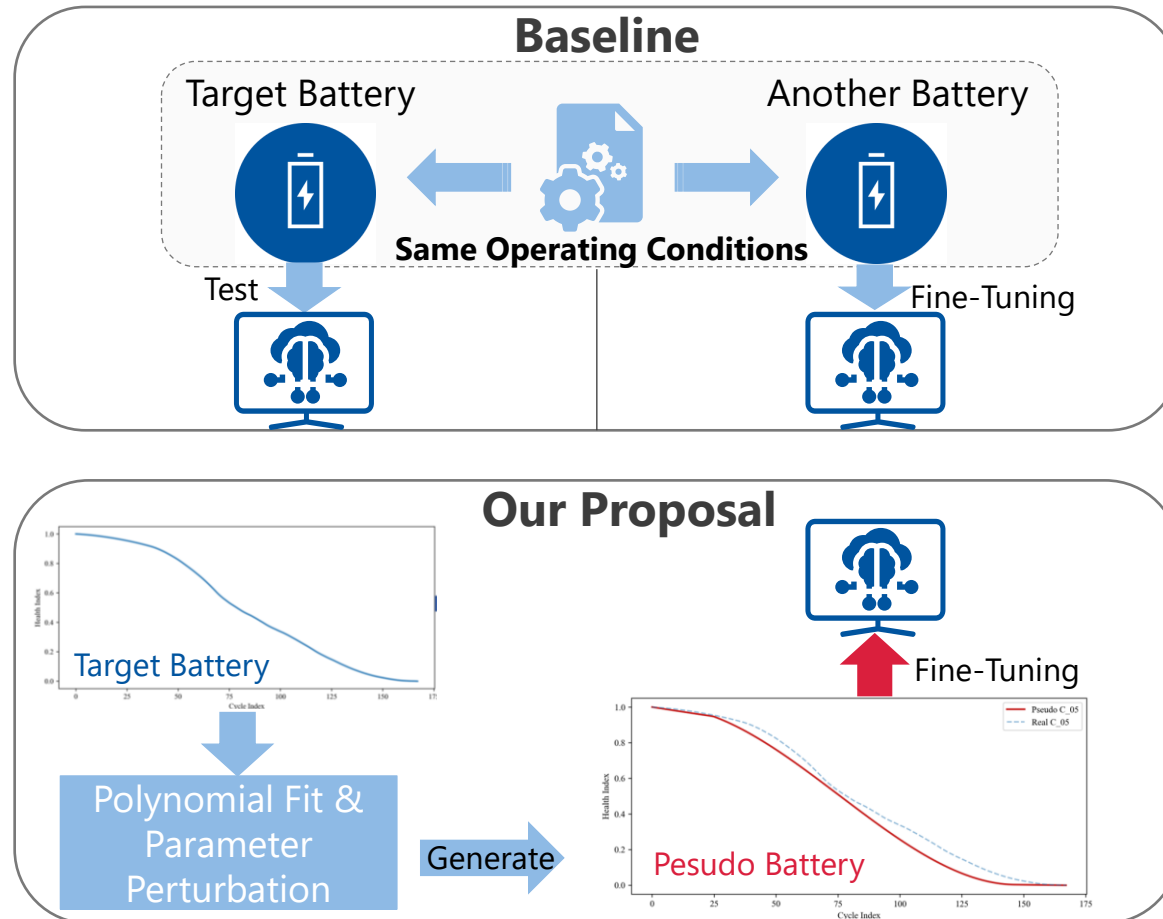
- Adopt always ground truth to train the model
 - Good stability
 - Problem: Conflict with real-world scenario

OUR PROPOSAL

- Sampling with probability ϵ
- ϵ is related to epoch
- Aim: Add self-predicted values gradually into training

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3-3 PESUDO BATTERY TRANSFORER LEARNING



BASELINE

- Adopt another battery with same operating conditions
 - Problem: Lack of data

OUR PROPOSAL

- Use target battery to generate pseudo battery
 - Pseduo battery can represent same operating conditions

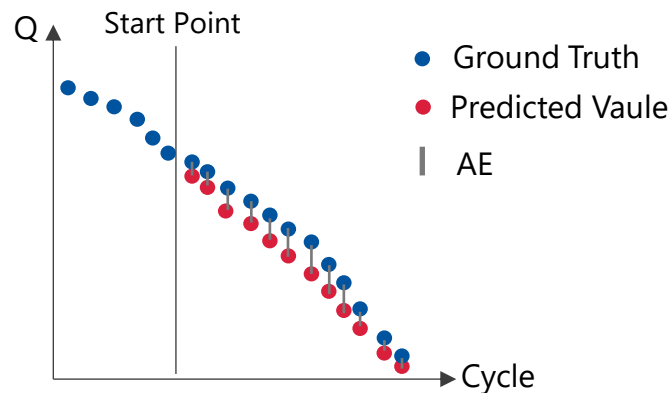
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3-4 METRICS

1 Absoul Error (AE)

- AE: To evaluate the prediction performance in every cycle

$$AE = |y_i - \hat{y}_i|$$



2 Mean Absolute Error (MAE)

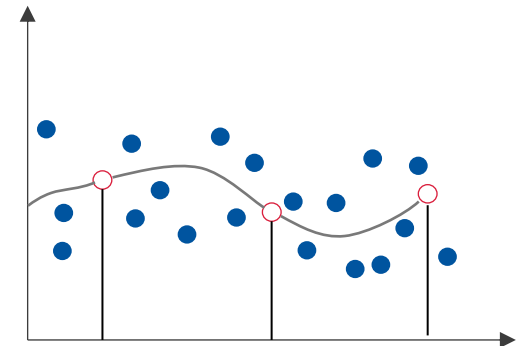
- MAE: To evaluate general prediction performance in all cycles

$$MAE = \frac{1}{n} * \sum_1^n |y_i - \hat{y}_i|$$

3 R Square (R^2)

- R^2 : To evaluate the generalization ability of the model
- R^2 more closer to 1, the better the model learn the degradation pattern.

$$R^2 = 1 - \frac{\sum_1^n (y_i - \hat{y}_i)^2}{\sum_1^n (y_i - \bar{y})^2}$$



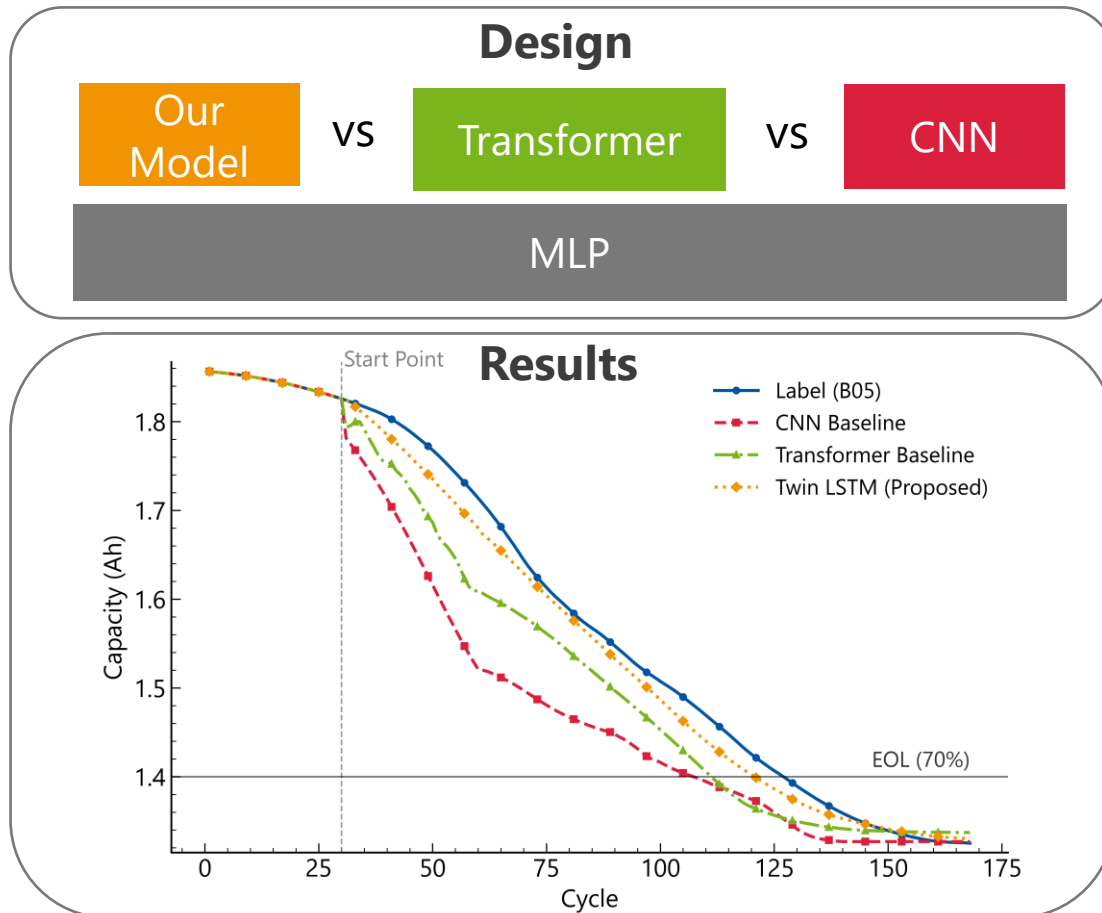
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Experiments & Results

- 4-1 The Comparison of Models
- 4-2 Effect of Varying Start Points
- 4-3 Different Fine-Tuning Data Proportions
- 4-4 Ablation Experiments

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4-1 MODEL COMPARSION



CNN: Convolutional Neural Network

DESIGN

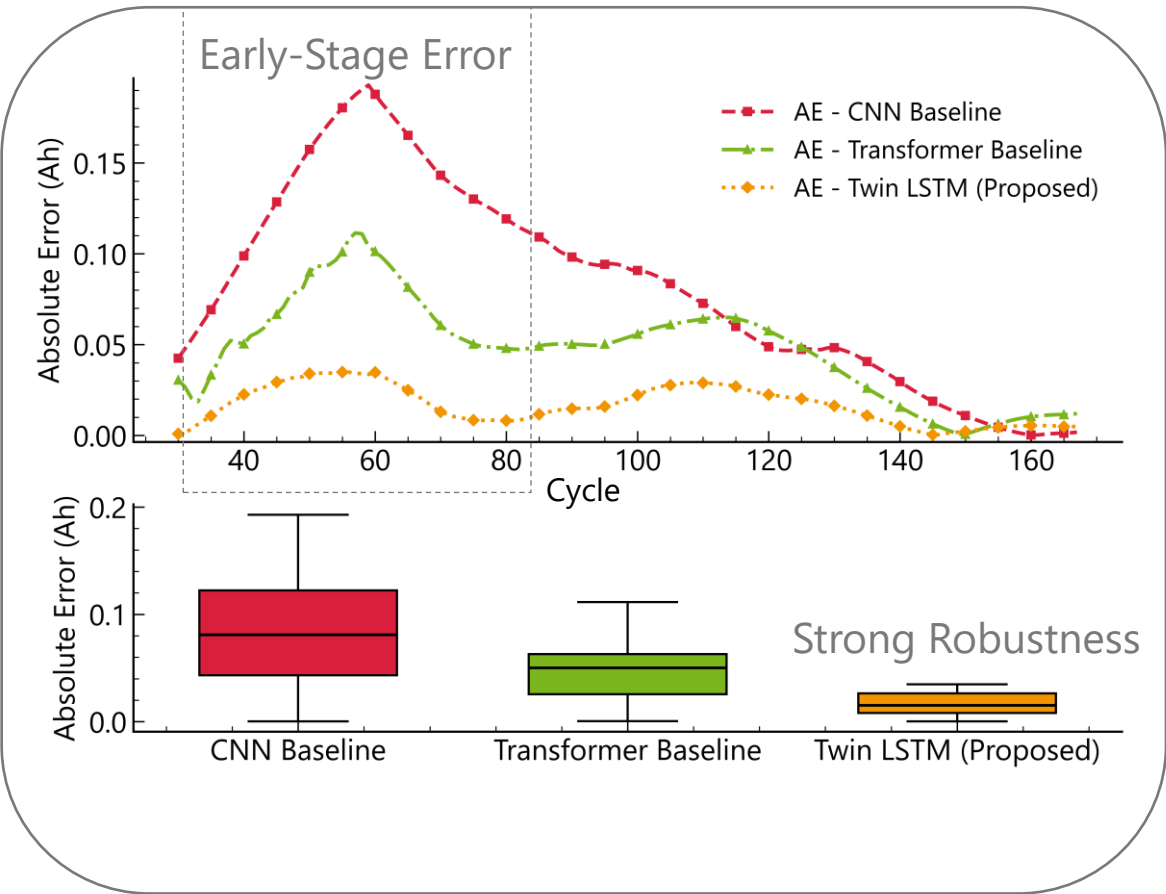
- Different encoder as baselines
- Compare best performance

RESULTS

- Capacity Prediction
 - Our Model: High performance
 - Transformer: Acceptable performance
 - CNN: Unacceptable performance
- RUL Prediction
 - Real RUL: 98 Cycles
 - Our Model: 92 cycles -> 6% (Relative Error)
 - Transformer: 81 cycles -> 17%
 - CNN: 79 cycles -> 19%

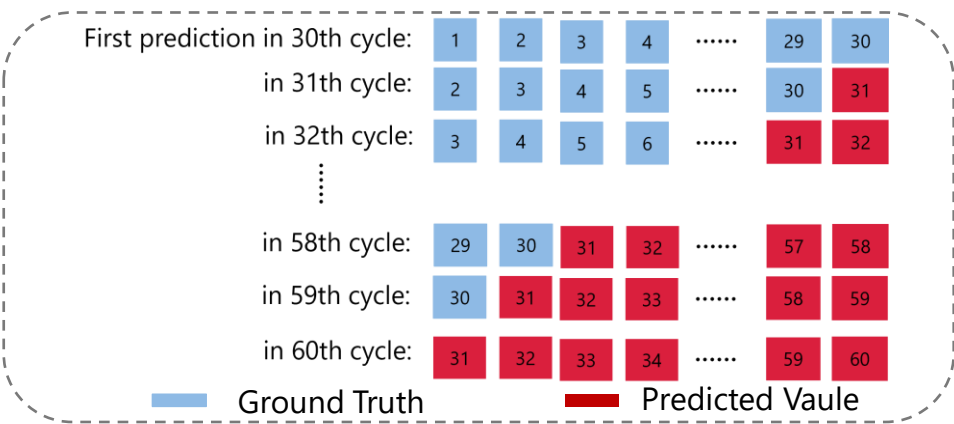
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4-1 MODEL COMPARSION



DISCUSSION

- Effect of different input distributions

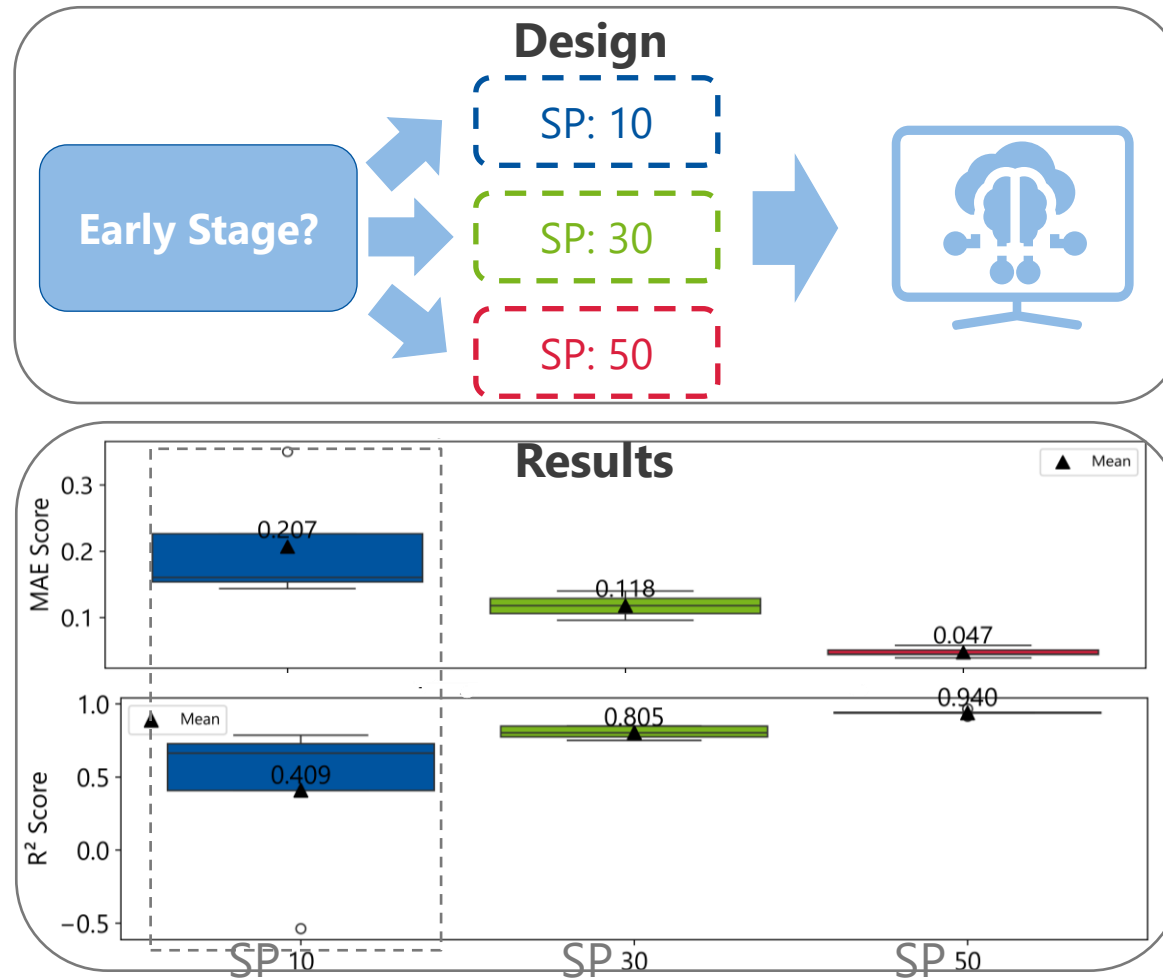


RESULTS

- Our model exhibits strong Robustness

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4-2 VARYING START POINTS



DESIGN

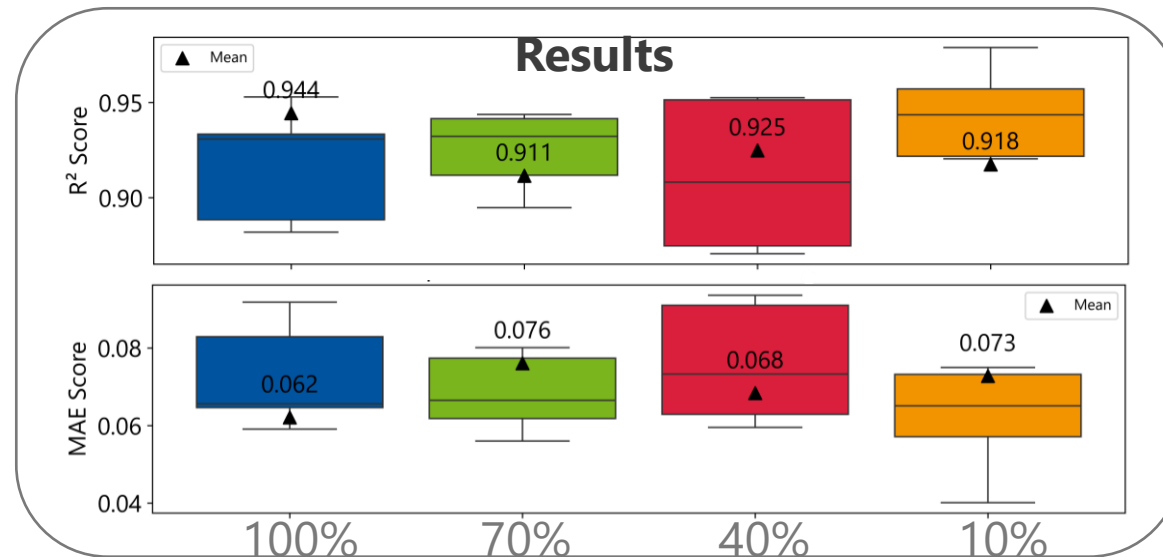
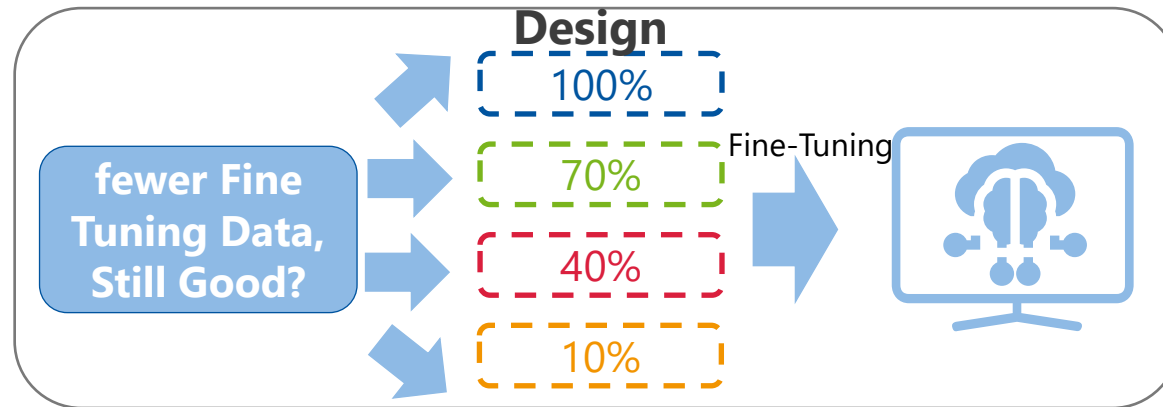
- Try different Start Points (SP)
- Each run 5 times and compare MAE and R²

RESULTS

- Our model has good early-stage prediction capability

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4-3 DIFFERENT FINE-TUNING DATA PROPORTIONS



DESIGN

- Try different fine-tuning data proportions
- Each run 5 times and compare MAE and R^2

RESULTS

- No significant difference of mean values
- Effective fine-tuning can with only 10%

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4-4 ABLATION EXPERIMENTS








Design	DWT	Stacked	Sampling	Transfer Learning
Type1	✗	●	●	✗
Type2	●	✗	●	✗
Type3	●	●	✗	✗
Type4	●	●	●	✗

Results	1st Run	2nd Run	3rd Run	4th Run	5th Run	Mean R^2
Type1	0.9518	0.8125	0.7153	0.9135	-1.3776	0.4031
Type2	0.3248	0.9524	0.3102	0.9359	0.9249	0.6896
Type3	0.9069	0.7588	0.8224	0.9340	0.8506	0.8546
Type4	0.9559	0.8782	0.9220	0.9364	0.9231	0.9232

DESIGN

- Different 4 types
 - Type 1: Without DWT denoise
 - Type 2: Without stacked LSTM
 - Type 3: Without sampling strategy
 - Type 4: Our proposal
- Each run 5 times and compare mean R^2

RESULTS

- Type 1: 
 - Type 2: 
 - Type 3: 
 - Type 4: 
-  Low Performance
 Normal Performance
 High Performance

Conclusion

- 5-1: Final Conclusion

Chapter 5: Conclusion

5-1 FINAL CONCLUSION

01

We proposed a denoising pipeline to obtain **cleaner and more reliable health indicators**.

02

We developed a twin-model framework **for robust iterative prediction**.
It also worked well with **limited target battery data**, reducing data requirements.

03

Our approach achieved **higher accuracy and stability** compared to common baselines.



Operating conditions of NASA dataset differ slightly
How about other battery dataset?

Thank you for your attention!



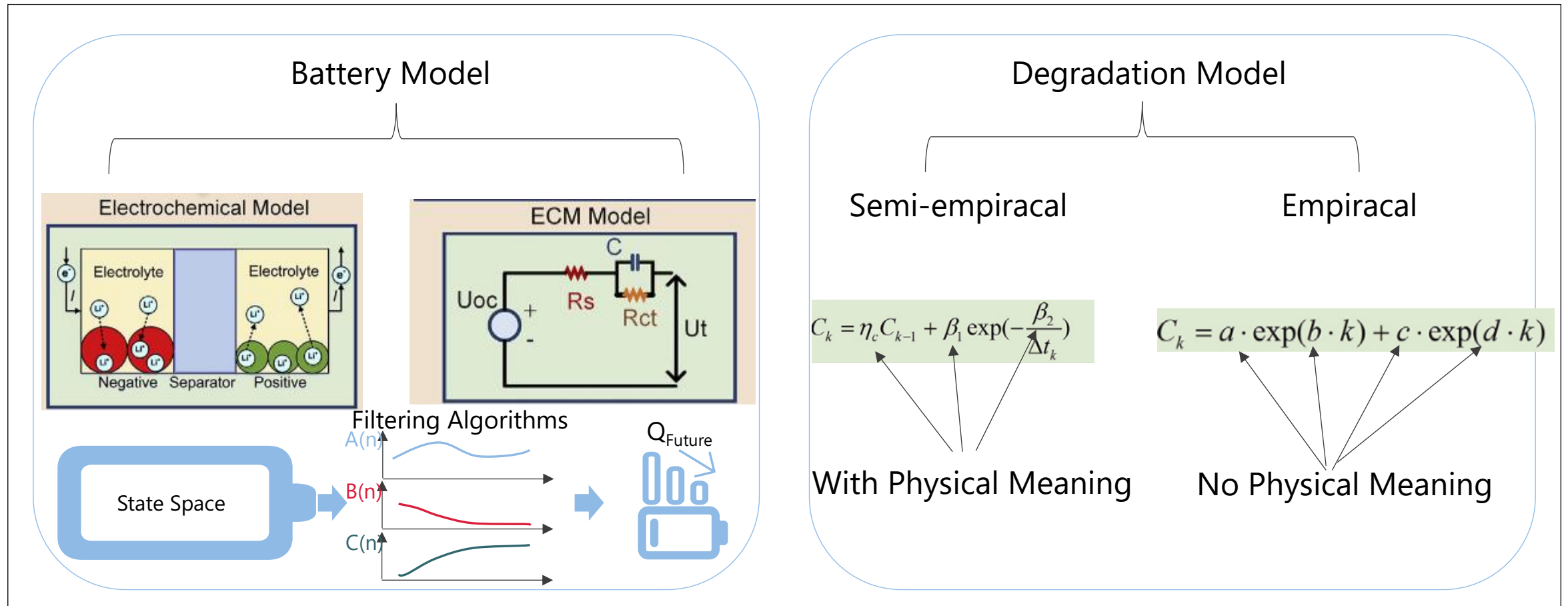
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BACKUP

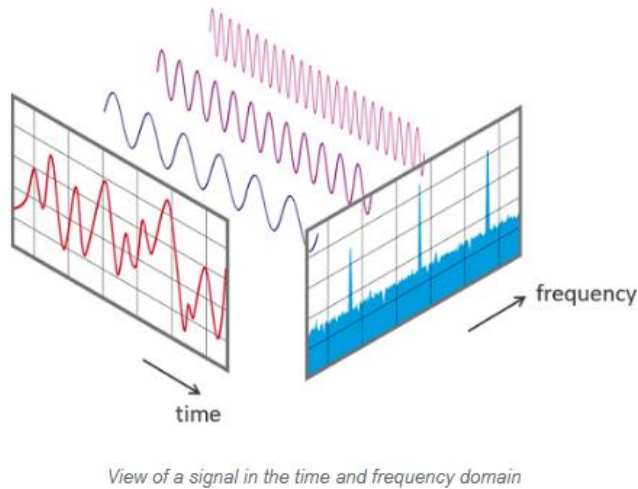
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2. Discret Wavelet Transformation
3. Three-Gate Structure of LSTM
4. Pseudo-Curve Generation

1. MODEL BASED RUL PREDICTION ¹⁾



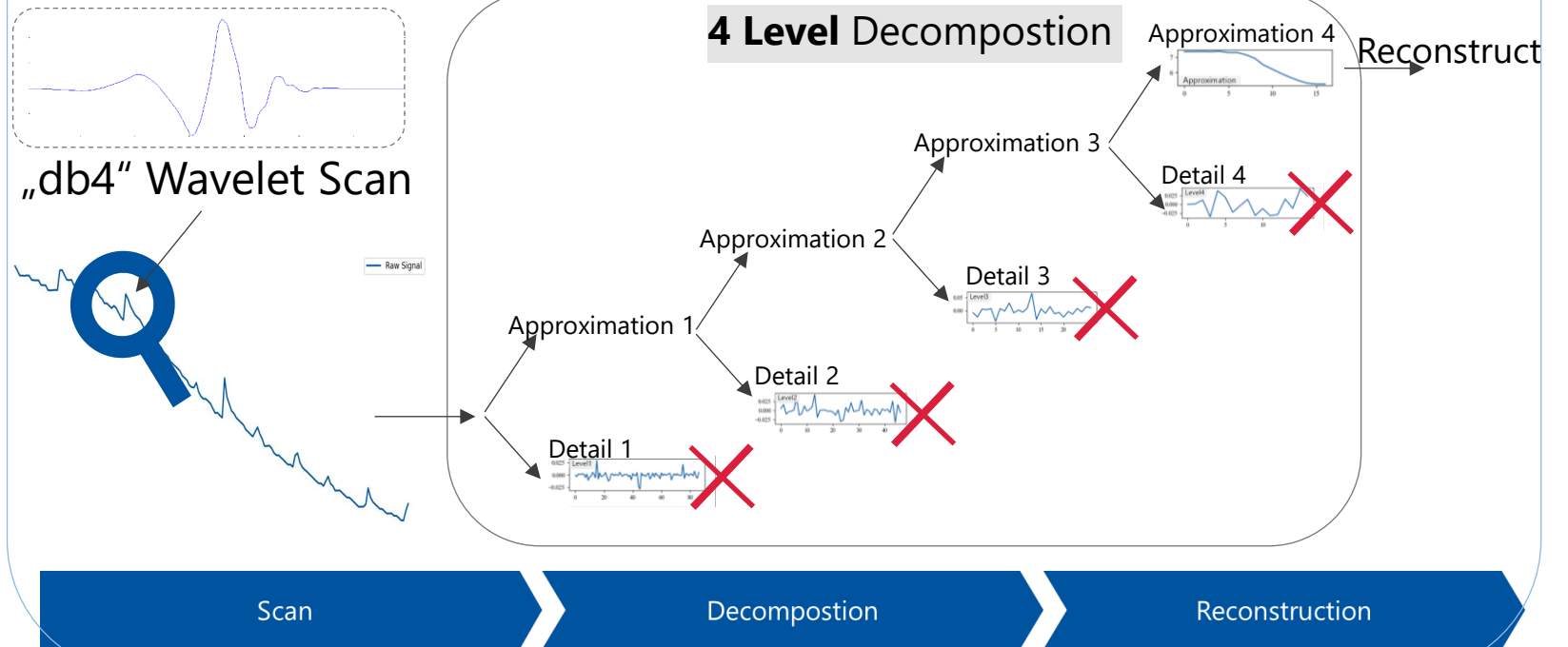
2. DISCRET WAVELET TRANSFORMATION

Baseline Fourier Transformation

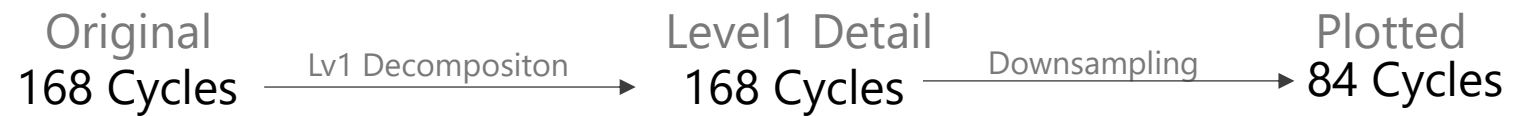
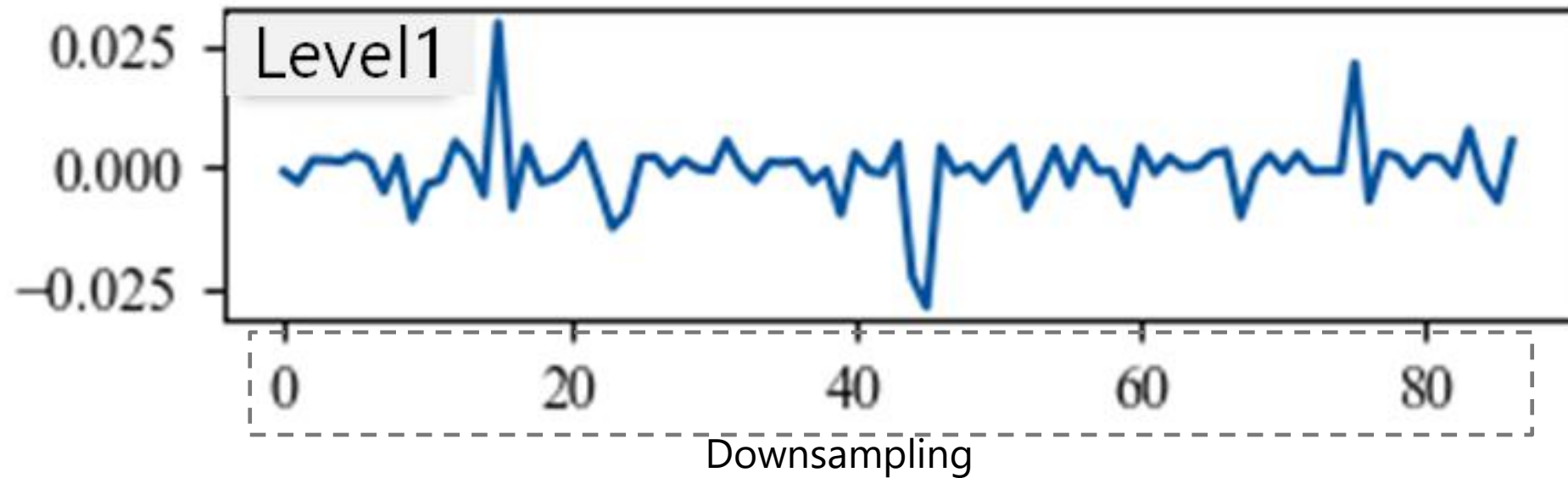


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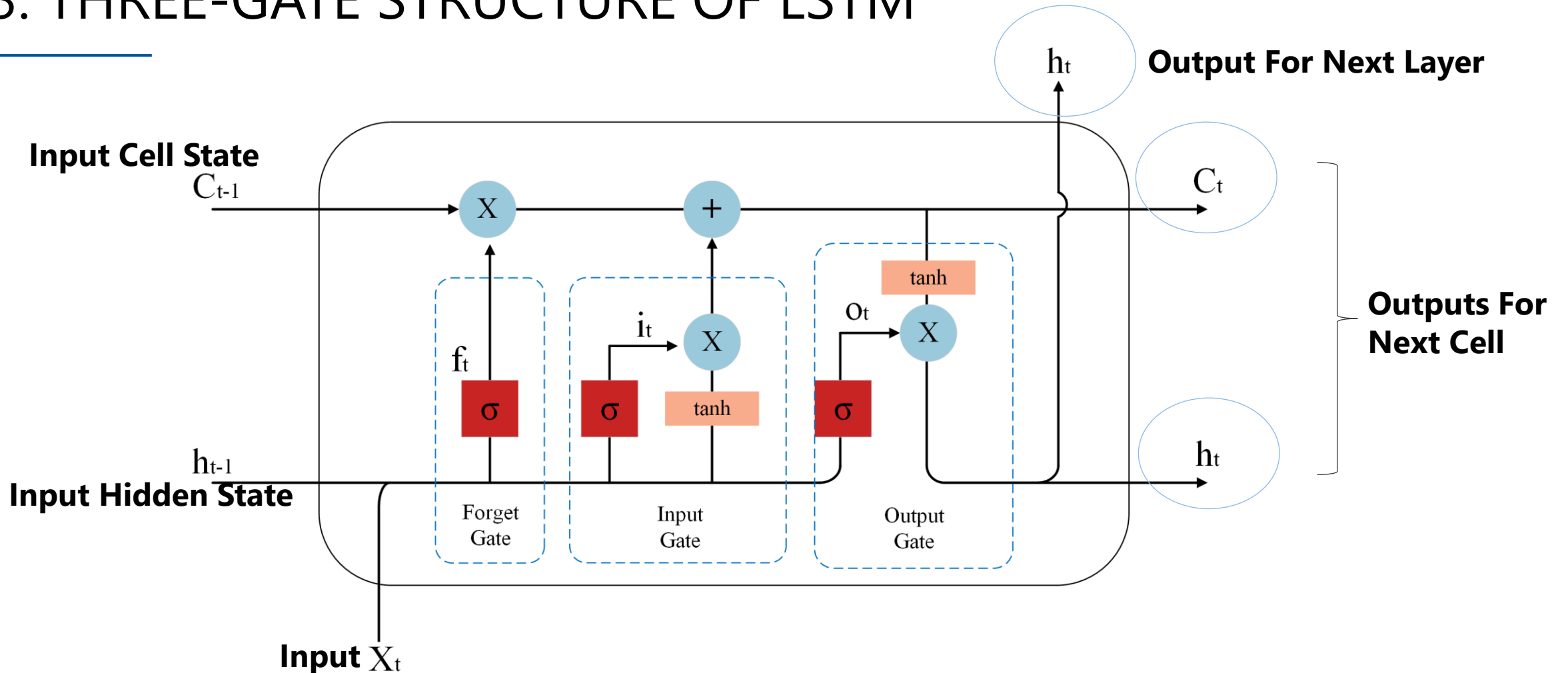
Our Proposal DWT



WHY CYCLES BECOME HALF?



3. THREE-GATE STRUCTURE OF LSTM



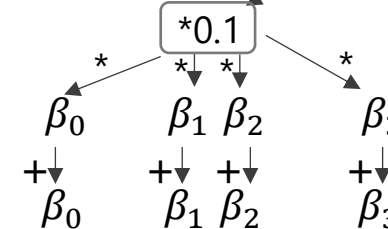
4. PESUDO-CURVE GENERATION

Pesudo- Code

Step	Description
1	Input the target capacity trajectory $y = [y_1, y_2, \dots, y_T]$ of cycles-length T
2	Construct cycle index $x = [1, 2, \dots, T]$
3	Fit a degree-3 polynomial ridge regression model: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Feature construction: <code>PolynomialFeatures(degree=3)</code> - Model: <code>Ridge(alpha=0.1)</code> - Fitting: <code>model.fit(x, y)</code>
4	Extract regression coefficients $\beta = [\beta_0, \beta_1, \beta_2, \beta_3]$
5	Apply parameter perturbation with $\epsilon = 0.10$: $\tilde{\beta}_i = \beta_i \cdot (1 + \epsilon \cdot \mathcal{N}(0,1)) \text{ for each } i \in \{0, 1, 2, 3\}$
6	Compute pseudo curve: $\tilde{y} = x \cdot \tilde{\beta} + \tilde{\beta}_0$
7	Normalize \tilde{y} to $[0, 1]$ using MinMax scaling
8	Output the pseudo curve \tilde{y} for model fine-tuning

- Target capacity trajectory as input.
 - Cycle as x
 - Capacity as y
- Fitting function: $Q = \beta_0 + \beta_1 \cdot x^1 + \beta_2 \cdot x^2 + \beta_3 \cdot x^3$
- Extract parameters: $\beta_0, \beta_1, \beta_2, \beta_3$
- *Parameter perturbation**

4 Random Nrs In Normal Distribution $N(0,1)$:
[0.497, -0.138, 0.648, 1.523]



New parameters, put them back $Q(x)$

