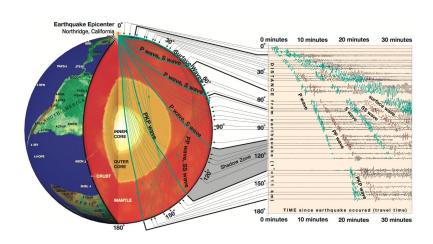
## WOMANIUM Quantum + Al Project

# Seismic Data Analysis - A Comparative Study Using Classical and Quantum Computing Methods



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Image from IRIS Consortium - Exploring Earth through Seismology



### **Problem Statement**

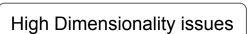
Seismic data processing is essential for resource exploration and monitoring. Traditional methods often fall short in accuracy and efficiency due to complex data patterns.

Seismic Inversion Converts reflectivity

data into (impedance) for subsurface analysis.

Why should we use Quantum

Computing?



Epicenter

Wave fronts

Noise Issues

**Data Sources:** Volve field measurements and synthetic data. **Ref** [1] & [2]

Seismic Trace Reconstruction and Impedance Inversion. Why seismic Data Analysis is necessary?

Enhances exploration efficiency and resource management.

Improves the accuracy of environmental assessments.

### **Objectives of the Project**

Explore quantum computing for high-dimensional seismic data to improve pattern recognition and data interpretation.

Enhance accuracy and efficiency, comparing & Benchmarking with classical methods.

It can Process High-Dimensional Data Efficiently to Capture complex patterns.



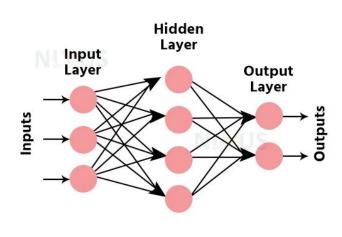
Image Reference-Illustration of Seismic waves diagram/Shutterstock

### **Methods Used**

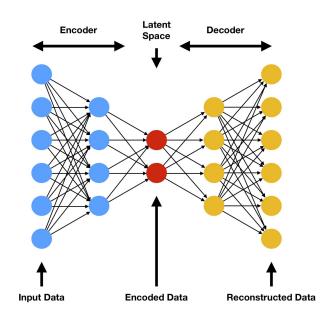
Category	Method	Description	Application
Classical Machine Learning	Artificial Neural Network	Classical fully connected neural net that processes data through a single hidden layer.	Seismic Impedance Inversion
	Autoencoder	A type of neural network which compresses and reconstructs data.	Seismic Trace Reconstruction
Quantum Machine Learning	Variational Quantum Hybrid Neural Network	Quantum convolutional neural network integrating quantum convolutional layers with classical feed forward layers.	Impedance Inversion
	Quantum Autoencoder	Quantum version of classical autoencoder.	Trace Reconstruction
	Quantum Kernel PCA with RBF Kernel	Quantum kernel principal component analysis with radial basis function kernels.	Dimensionality Reduction, Seismic Feature Analysis
Quantum Algorithms	Quantum Phase Estimation (QPE)	Estimates eigenvalues of unitary operators	Estimating Parameters for Seismic Data

### **Classical Models**

#### **Artificial Neural Network**



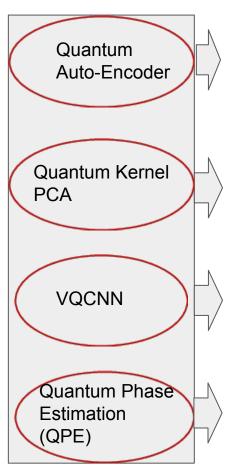
#### Autoencoder



Images retrieved from:

https://nixustechnologies.com/artificial-neural-network-in-machine-learning/ https://www.compthree.com/blog/autoencoder/

### **Quantum Methods**



Encoder: Maps classical data to quantum state.

Gates:

$$R_Y(\theta)$$
,  $R_X(\phi)$ , CNOT

**Decoder:** Reconstructs classical data from quantum state. **Gates:** Inverse of encoder gates, measure with Z operators.

Dimensionality reduction using Kernel PCA with RBF kernel.

Apply Kernel PCA on standardized data.

Kernel:

$$K(x, y) = \exp\left(-\frac{\|x - y\|^2}{2\sigma^2}\right)$$

VQCNN for Seismic Data: Quantum Layer: Applies parameterized gates:

$$U(\theta) = R_z(\theta_1) \cdot R_y(\theta_2) \cdot \text{CNOT}$$

Pooling: Classical max pooling of quantum measurements. Process and normalize seismic data. Train using quantum and classical optimizers. **Optimization:** Minimizes loss:

$$\mathcal{L}(\theta) = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^{N} (y_i - \hat{y}_i)^2$$

#### Quantum Phase estimation For seismic data:

Estimates the phase of a unitary operator using:

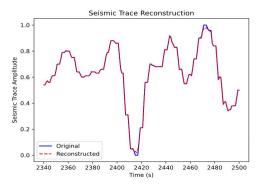
- Gates: Hadamard H, Phase Shift  $R_{\phi}$ , Inverse QFT QFT<sup>-1</sup>.
- Load and normalize seismic data.
- Define QPE circuit components.

### **Comparison between Models**

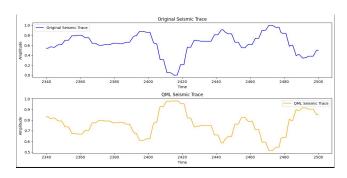
Models	MSE (Mean Squared Error )	MAE (Mean Absolute Error )	R2 Score (R-squared)
VQC Hybrid Neural Network	0.0521	0.2056	0.0247
Quantum Autoencoder	0.0031	0.0414	
Classical Neural Network	1.60E-04	0.0099	0.9969
Classical Autoencoder	3.68E-05	0.003	

### **Comparison between Models (Trace Reconstruction)**

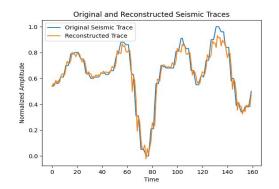
Classical Autoencoder



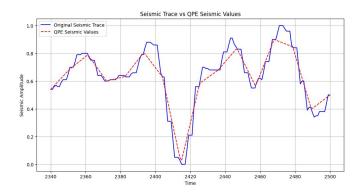
Quantum Kernel PCA



Quantum Autoencoder



Quantum Phase estimation (QPE)



### Success metrics

**Improved Seismic Trace Reconstruction:** The Quantum Autoencoder (QAE) model significantly enhanced accuracy, with Mean Squared Error (MSE) dropping from 0.271 to 0.003 and Mean Absolute Error (MAE) from 0.450 to 0.042.

**Effective Dimensionality Reduction:** Kernel PCA with an RBF kernel identified two clusters, achieving a Silhouette Score of 0.47, indicating good clustering.

Efficient Data Processing: Quantum methods improved handling and optimization of high-dimensional seismic data.

**Enhanced Feature Space and Visualization:** Quantum models provided clearer feature space distinction and better visualization of processed seismic data.

**Comprehensive Metrics:** Error histograms, MSE, and R-squared were used to assess quantum-enhanced seismic data processing quality.

**Advanced Data Normalization:** Applied sophisticated normalization and preprocessing techniques for quantum-enhanced seismic analysis.

**Quantum Phase Estimation (QPE):** Implemented QPE for estimating seismic-related phases, a novel application in seismic data analysis.

### **Future Scope**

- Extend to larger datasets.
- Explore more advanced quantum circuits and architectures for potentially better results.
- Investigate other hybrid techniques and algorithms to further optimize performance.

#### **Current Limitations**

- Computational resources
- Refinement of model complexity and quantum circuit design

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