

Solving Aerodynamics and Aeroelastic Stability Problems through Data

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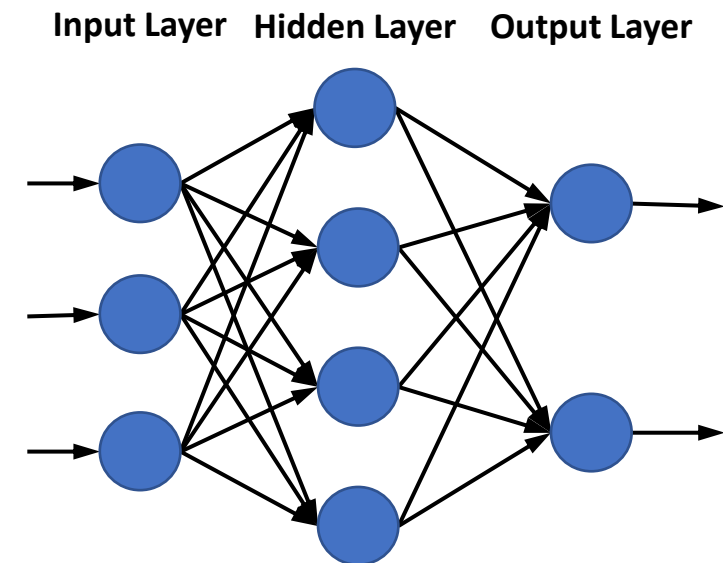
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Introduction

- airfoil geometry crucial part of design process
- obtaining of aerodynamic coefficients:
 - windtunnel
 - simulations
- ➡ expensive and time consuming
- surrogate models
 - reproduce results from simulation
 - example artificial neural network



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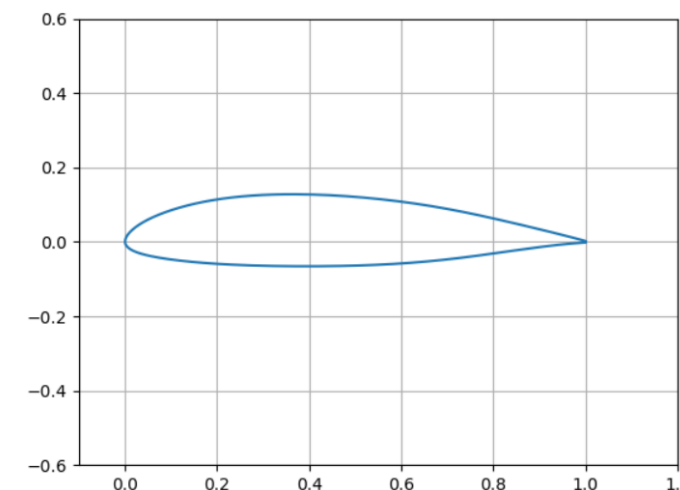
Previous Work

- aeroelastic instability problem
 - airfoil morphing
- building of own Database of 1000 airfoils from the 4th NACA family
 - BEZIER Parsec 3434 parameters
 - Xfoil for calculation for the aerodynamic coefficients
- training of neural network
- building aeroelastic model
- coupling neural network and aeroelastic model

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Database - Building

- singular value decomposition SVD of 1172 airfoils in UIUC database
 - mode shapes for three camber and thickness line
- database split in subsonic and transonic airfoils
 - 81000 subsonic airfoils
 - 32400 transonic airfoils
- airfoils controlled by mode shapes
 - 14 mode shapes for the subsonic airfoils
 - 8 mode shapes for the transonic airfoils

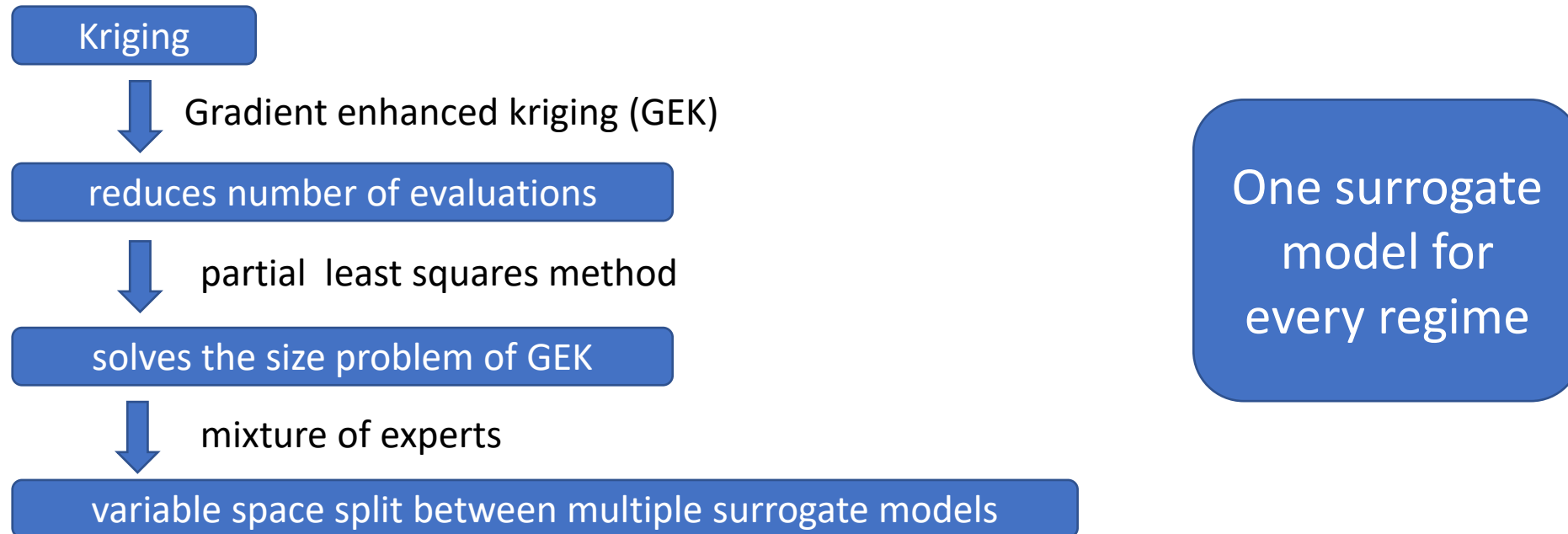


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Database – First Surrogate Model

- approach:
 - Gradient enhanced kriging with partial least squares and a mixture of experts

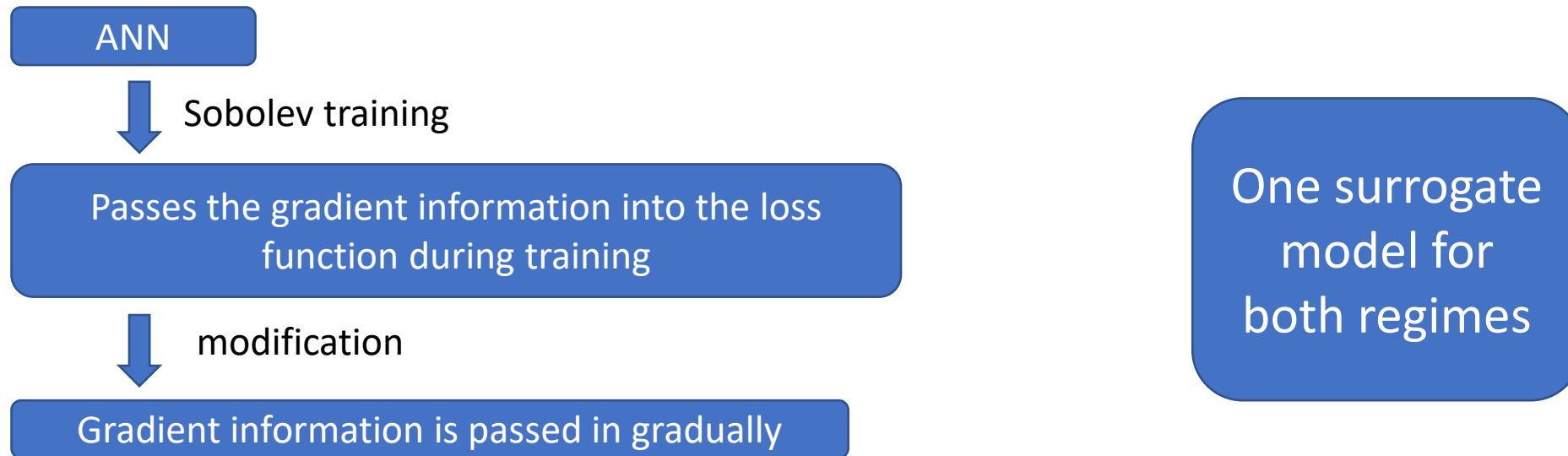


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Database – Second Surrogate Model

- approach:
 - modified artificial neural network using Sobolev training (mSANN)



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Platforms – SMT and Keras

- SMT – surrogate modeling toolbox:
 - collection of neural network modelling methods
 - sampling and benchmark functions
- Keras:
 - deep learning API that uses the platform tensorflow
 - easy user interface
 - high flexibility



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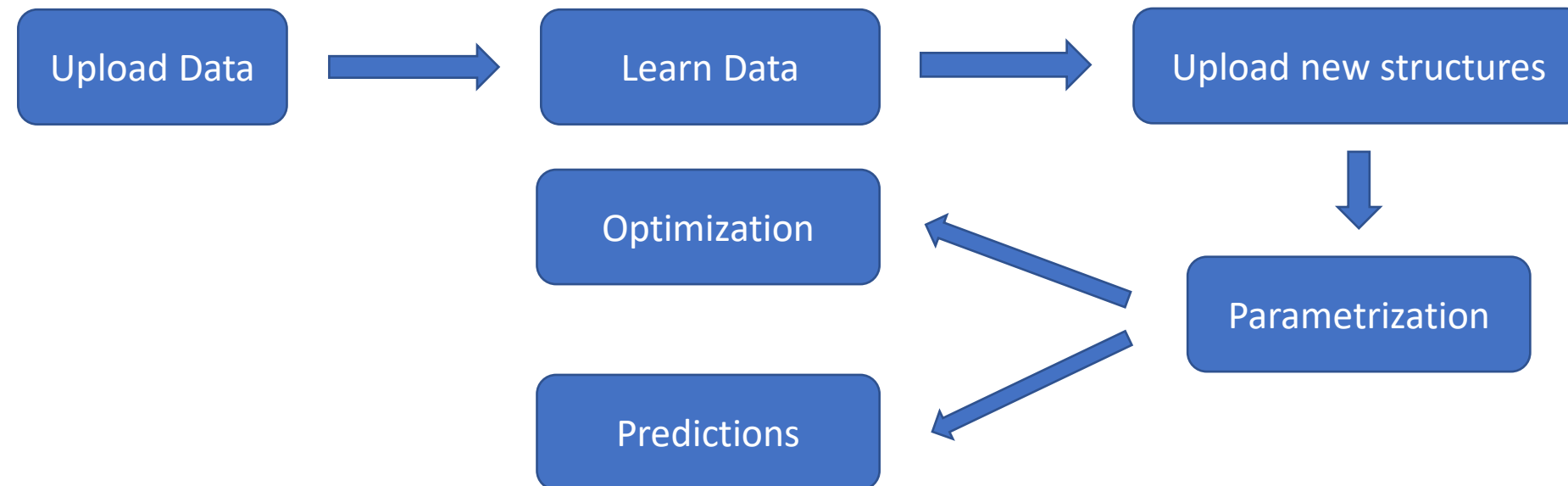
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Platforms – Monolith AI

- online platform

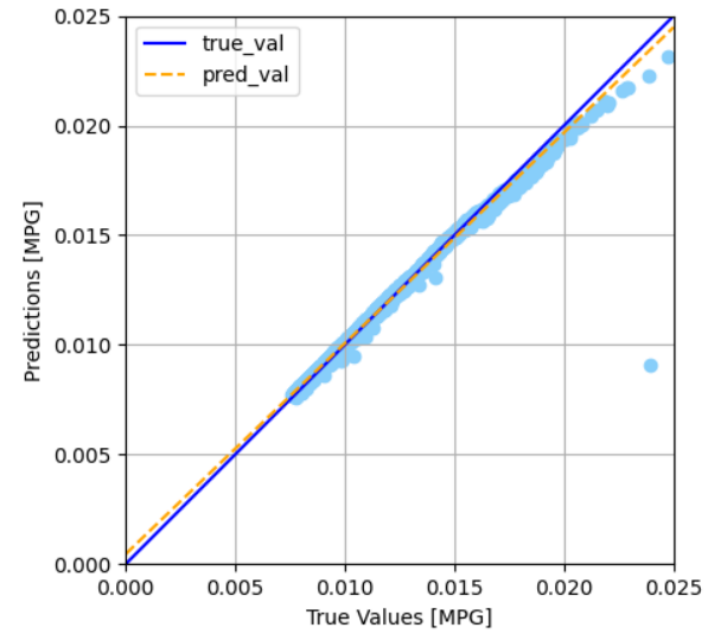
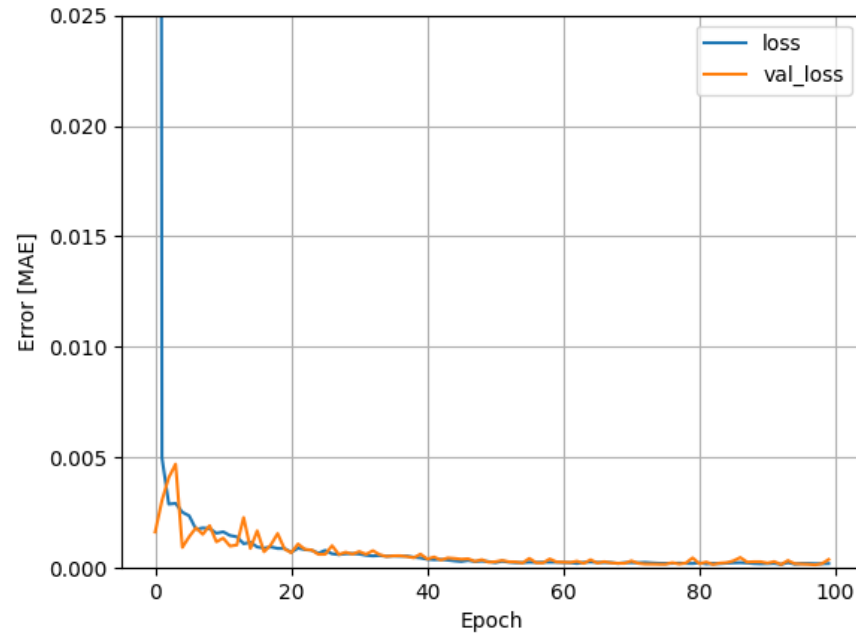


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First Results

- visualization of Data
- first simple neural network using Keras



Next Steps

- learning of the database by all three platforms
- gradually improving the built networks in Keras and SMT
- comparison of the results
- application on the aeroelasticity problem