

# Machine learning in glass science, with examples of applications

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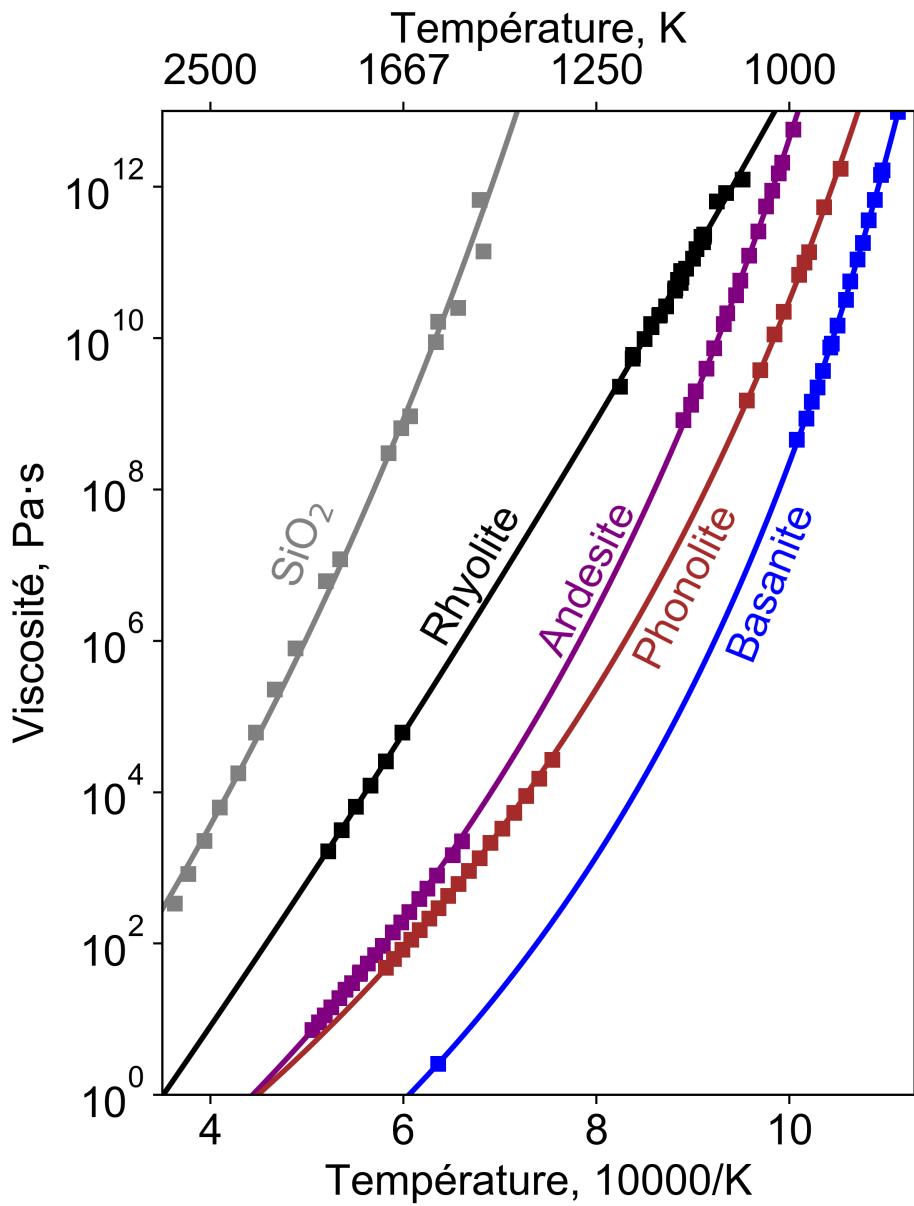
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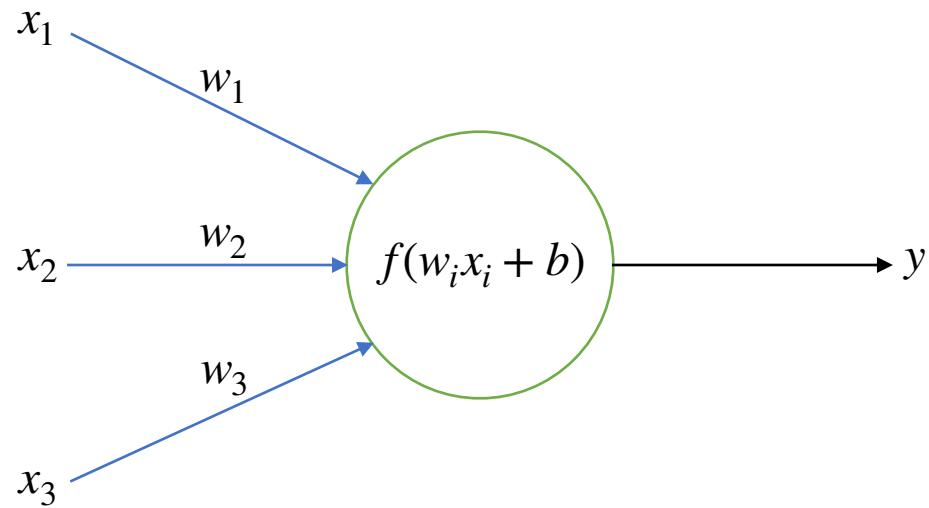
# The viscosity of silicate melts



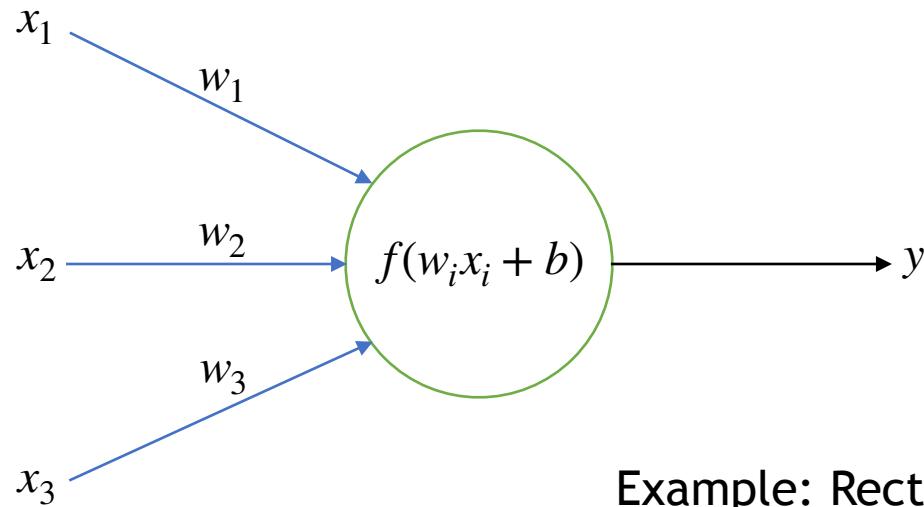
- Chemistry > structure > properties
- Volatiles, iron redox...
- Also crystals and bubbles

*No general (precise) model that bring a true understanding of the flow process*

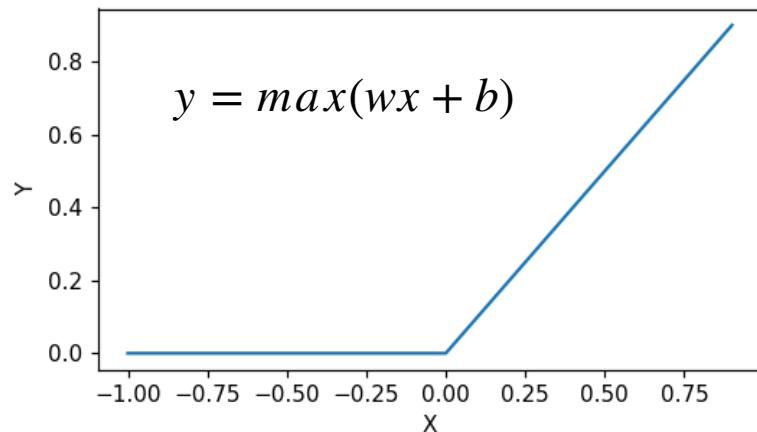
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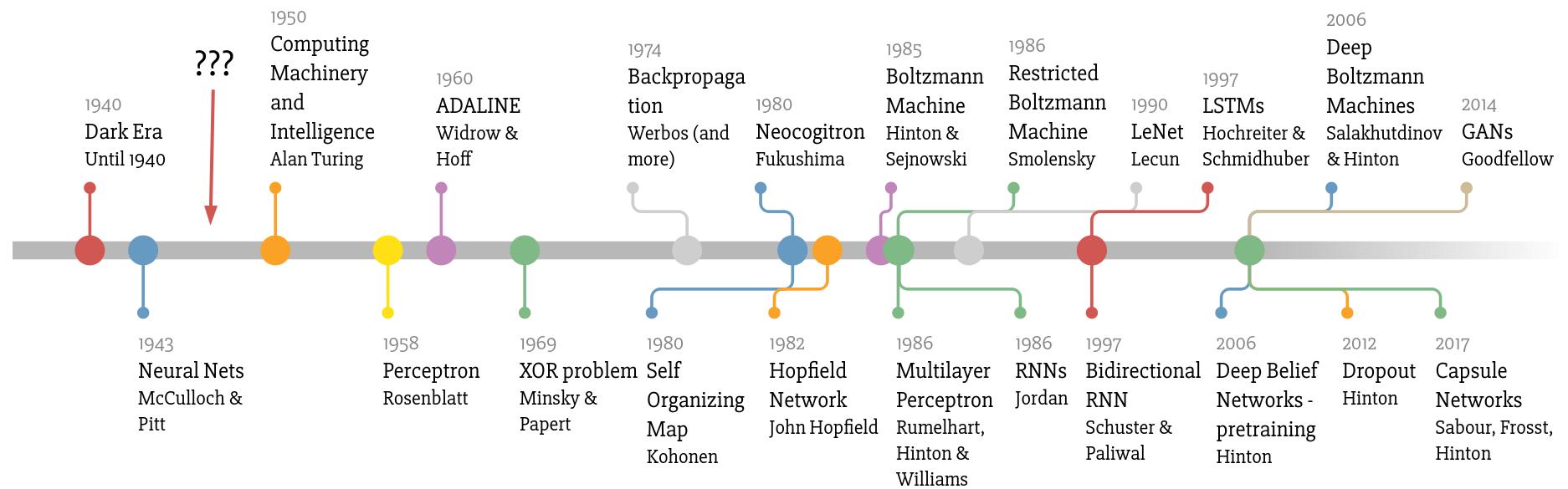
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Example: Rectifier function



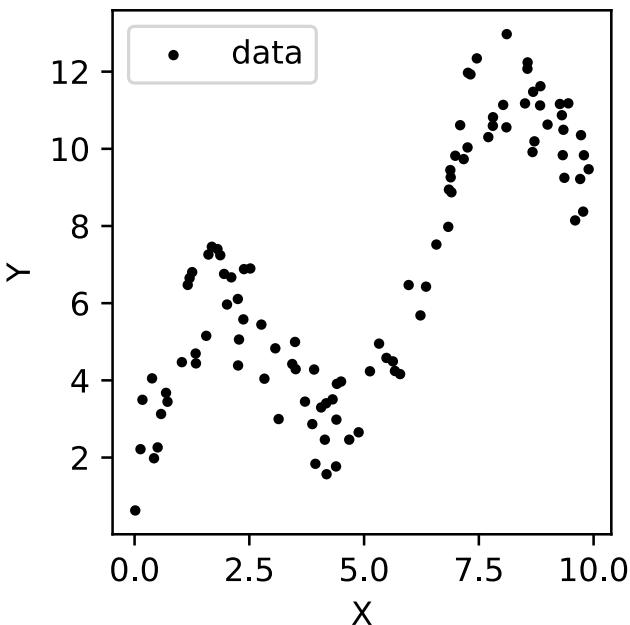
# Deep Learning Timeline



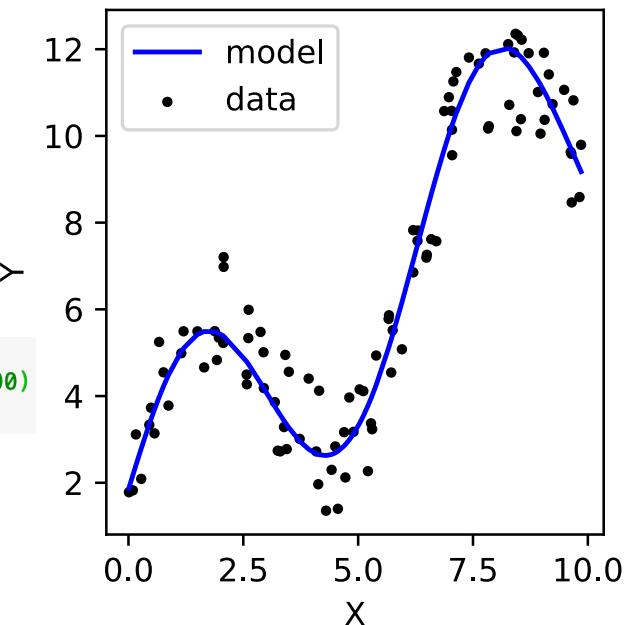
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# Why « trendy »?

- It's now easy = focus on building models, not code
  - open source software libraries
  - high level languages (Julia, Python, R, Matlab)



from sklearn.svm import SVR  
svr\_rbf = SVR(kernel="rbf", C=100)  
svr\_rbf.fit(x.reshape(-1,1),y)



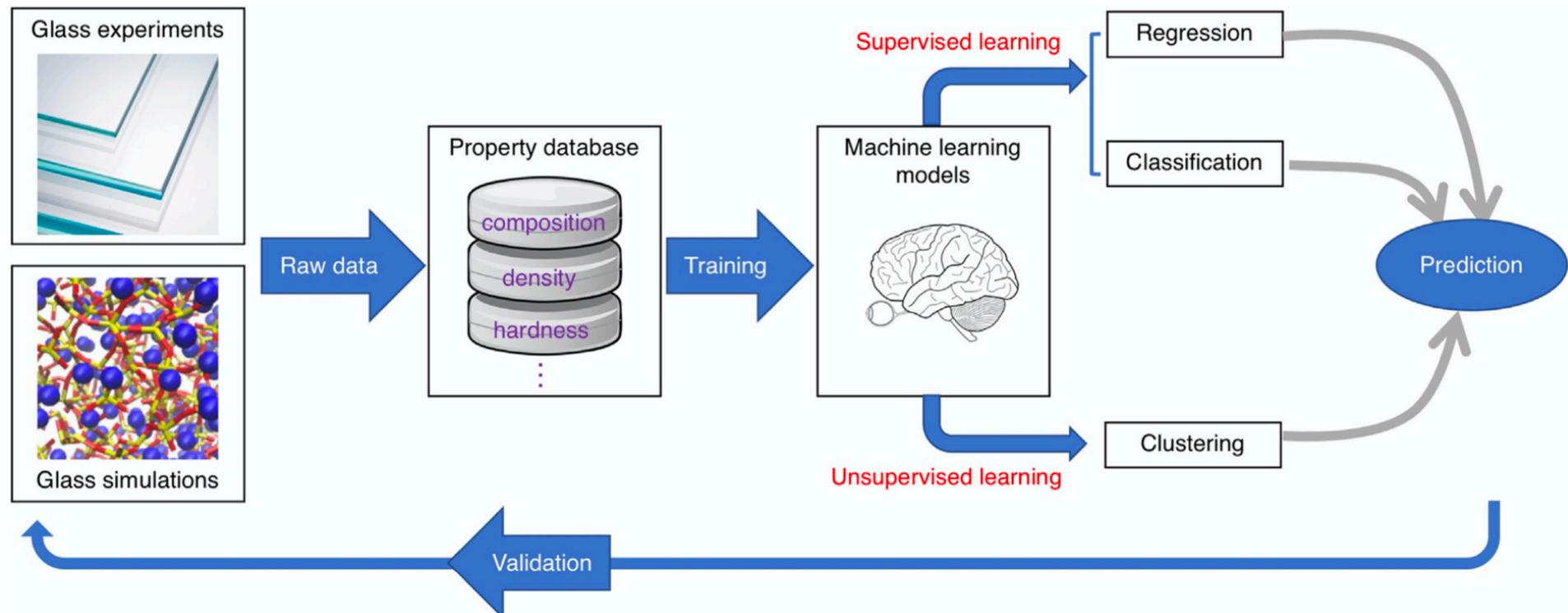
- Internet
  - amount and transfers of data
  - easy access to resources
- Social media / advertisement driven
  - two of the largest ML software libraries, Tensorflow (2015) and Pytorch (2016), « surprisingly » originate from Google and Facebook

# What can it bring to us?

*Glass: structure & properties from measurements, theories and MD simulations*

Machine learning = another tool in our toolbox to, e.g.,

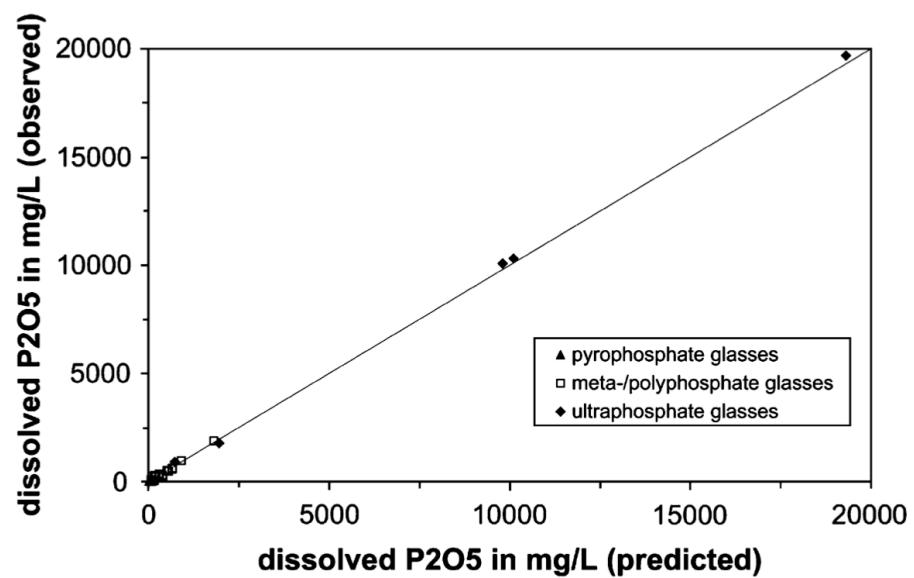
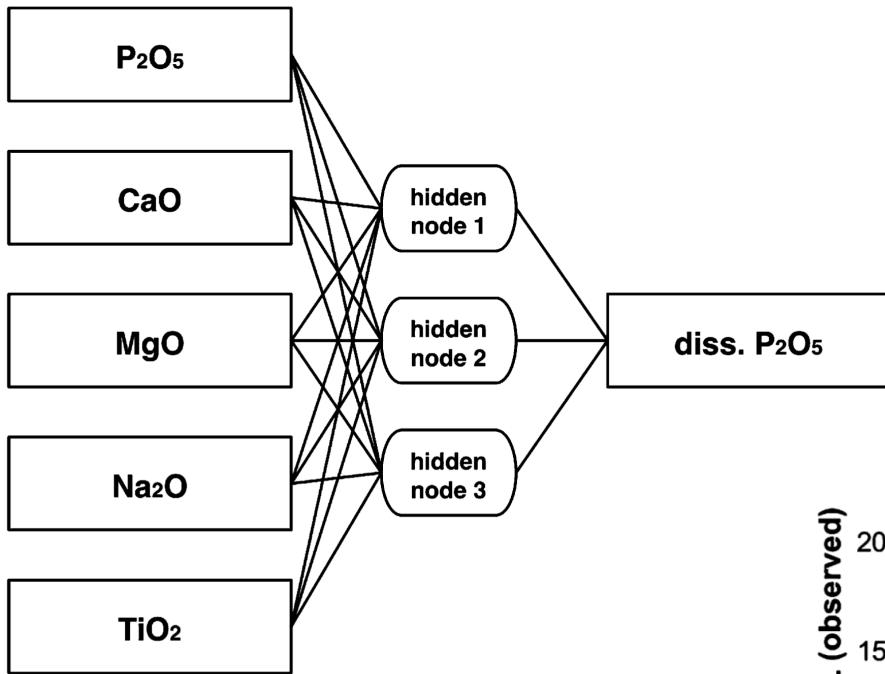
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- explore datasets
- design new compositions
- detect drifts & anomalies



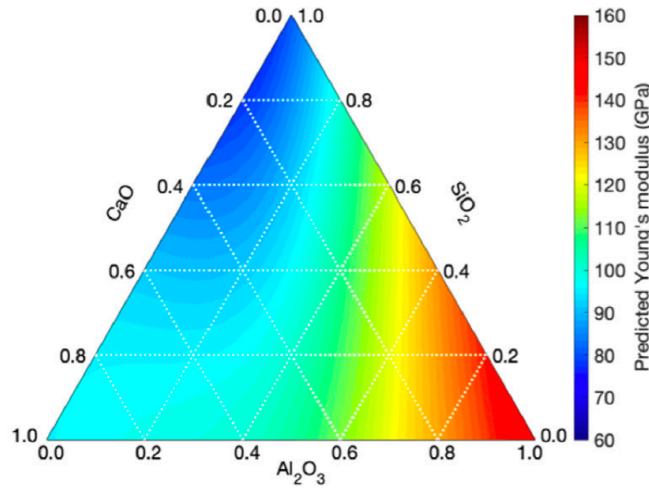
# Examples of applications

Brauer et al. 2007

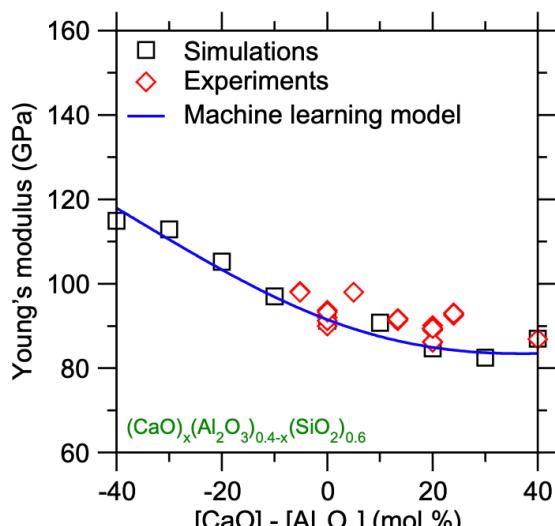
*Degradable implant materials: solubility of glasses in the system  $P_2O_5-CaO-MgO-N$*



# Examples of applications



(b)



(d)

Yang et al. 2019

*Predictions of mechanical properties of glasses*

*Youngs modulus in CaO aluminosilicates*

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glass density from composition?**

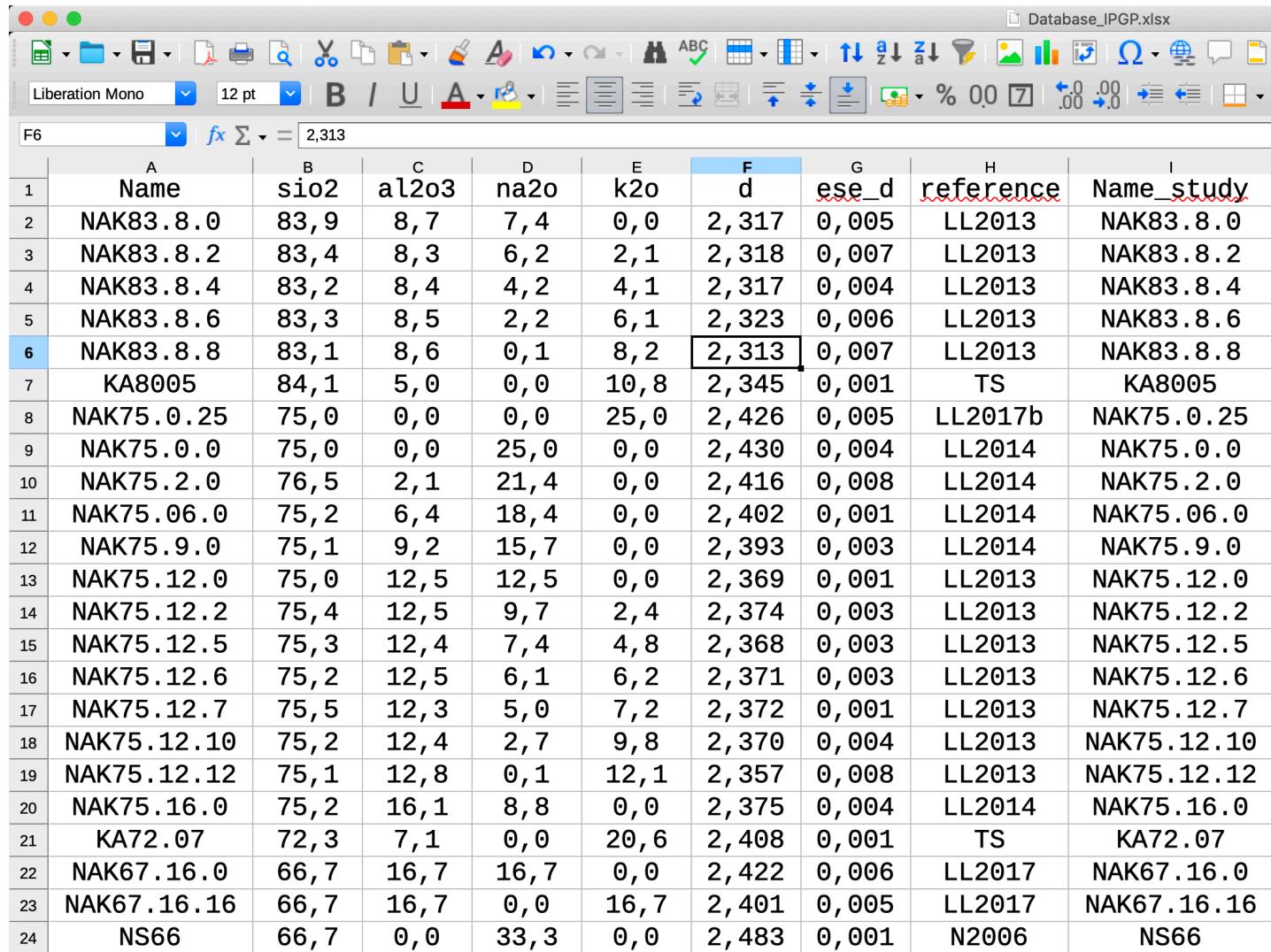
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Supervised ML: we know X and Y

- Practical example: prediction of the density of Na<sub>2</sub>O-K<sub>2</sub>O-Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>-SiO<sub>2</sub> glasses

► Database available at [github.com/charlesll/i-melt/](https://github.com/charlesll/i-melt/)



The screenshot shows a Microsoft Excel spreadsheet with the title bar 'Database\_IPGP.xlsx'. The spreadsheet contains a table with 24 rows and 9 columns. The columns are labeled A through I. Column A is 'Name', B is 'sio2', C is 'al2o3', D is 'na2o', E is 'k2o', F is 'd', G is 'ese\_d', H is 'reference', and I is 'Name\_study'. The data includes various glass compositions and their densities, along with references and study names.

	A Name	B sio2	C al2o3	D na2o	E k2o	F d	G ese_d	H reference	I Name_study
1	NAK83.8.0	83,9	8,7	7,4	0,0	2,317	0,005	LL2013	NAK83.8.0
2	NAK83.8.2	83,4	8,3	6,2	2,1	2,318	0,007	LL2013	NAK83.8.2
3	NAK83.8.4	83,2	8,4	4,2	4,1	2,317	0,004	LL2013	NAK83.8.4
4	NAK83.8.6	83,3	8,5	2,2	6,1	2,323	0,006	LL2013	NAK83.8.6
5	NAK83.8.8	83,1	8,6	0,1	8,2	2,313	0,007	LL2013	NAK83.8.8
6	KA8005	84,1	5,0	0,0	10,8	2,345	0,001	TS	KA8005
7	NAK75.0.25	75,0	0,0	0,0	25,0	2,426	0,005	LL2017b	NAK75.0.25
8	NAK75.0.0	75,0	0,0	25,0	0,0	2,430	0,004	LL2014	NAK75.0.0
9	NAK75.2.0	76,5	2,1	21,4	0,0	2,416	0,008	LL2014	NAK75.2.0
10	NAK75.06.0	75,2	6,4	18,4	0,0	2,402	0,001	LL2014	NAK75.06.0
11	NAK75.9.0	75,1	9,2	15,7	0,0	2,393	0,003	LL2014	NAK75.9.0
12	NAK75.12.0	75,0	12,5	12,5	0,0	2,369	0,001	LL2013	NAK75.12.0
13	NAK75.12.2	75,4	12,5	9,7	2,4	2,374	0,003	LL2013	NAK75.12.2
14	NAK75.12.5	75,3	12,4	7,4	4,8	2,368	0,003	LL2013	NAK75.12.5
15	NAK75.12.6	75,2	12,5	6,1	6,2	2,371	0,003	LL2013	NAK75.12.6
16	NAK75.12.7	75,5	12,3	5,0	7,2	2,372	0,001	LL2013	NAK75.12.7
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18	NAK75.12.12	75,1	12,8	0,1	12,1	2,357	0,008	LL2013	NAK75.12.12
19	NAK75.16.0	75,2	16,1	8,8	0,0	2,375	0,004	LL2014	NAK75.16.0
20	KA72.07	72,3	7,1	0,0	20,6	2,408	0,001	TS	KA72.07
21	NAK67.16.0	66,7	16,7	16,7	0,0	2,422	0,006	LL2017	NAK67.16.0
22	NAK67.16.16	66,7	16,7	0,0	16,7	2,401	0,005	LL2017	NAK67.16.16
23	NS66	66,7	0,0	33,3	0,0	2,483	0,001	N2006	NS66

# 1/ Data Importation

- We import the data (Python, library Pandas)

```
1 data = pd.read_excel("Database_IPGP.xlsx")
2
3 X = data.loc[:,["sio2","al2o3","na2o","k2o"]].values
4 Y = data.loc[:, "d"].values.reshape(-1,1)
5 XY = data.loc[:,["sio2","al2o3","na2o","k2o","d"]].values
```

$$Y = f(X), f \text{ unknown}$$

## 2/ Data Preparation

- We import the data (Python, library Pandas)

### ► We prepare the data

#### ► Split the data

- train & validation subset(s) for training
- test subset for final evaluation

```
1 # Splitting the data !
2 X_train_valid, X_test, Y_train_valid, Y_test = train_test_split(X, Y, test_size=0.30)
3 X_train, X_valid, Y_train, Y_valid = train_test_split(X_train_valid, Y_train_valid, test_size=0.20)
```

- Standardize the data = ML algorithms behave better with numbers at the same dimension, and usually close to unity
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  - standard scaler =  $(X - \text{mean}(X)) / \text{std}(X)$

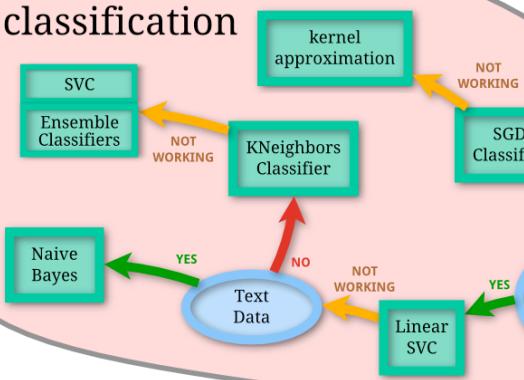
```
1 ##### Scaling X data : the composition
2 X_scaler = StandardScaler() # creating the scaler
3 # do the job
4 X_train_sc = X_scaler.fit_transform(X_train)
5 X_valid_sc = X_scaler.fit_transform(X_valid)
6 X_test_sc = X_scaler.fit_transform(X_test)
7
8 ##### Scaling the Y data
9 Y_scaler = StandardScaler() # creating the scaler
10 # do the job
11 Y_train_sc = Y_scaler.fit_transform(Y_train)
12 Y_valid_sc = Y_scaler.fit_transform(Y_valid)
13 Y_test_sc = Y_scaler.fit_transform(Y_test)
14
15 ##### Scaling the full dataset
16 XY_sc = X_scaler.fit_transform(XY)
```

## 4/ Model selection

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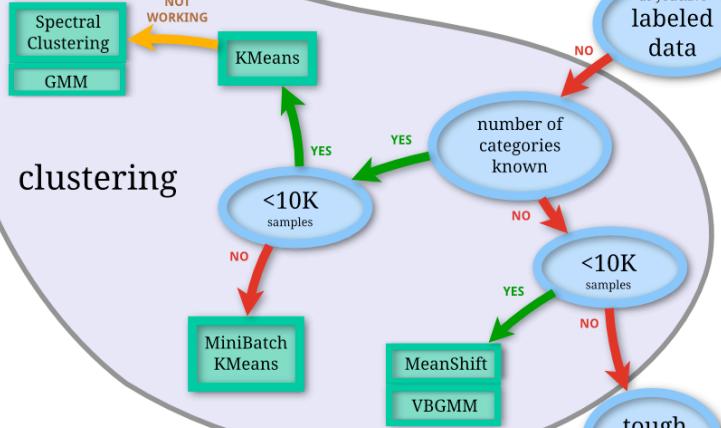
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classification

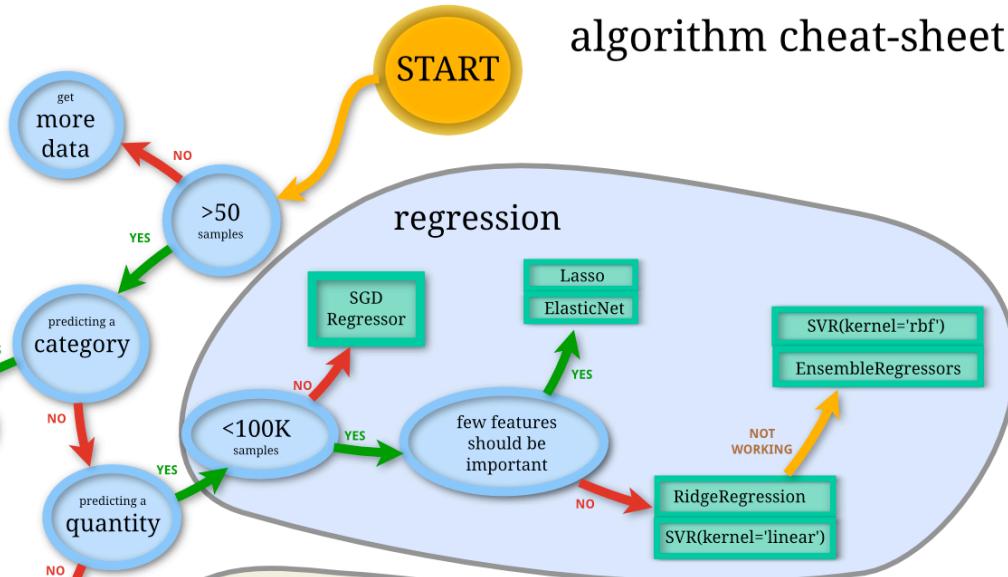


scikit-learn  
algorithm cheat-sheet

clustering



regression



dimensionality  
reduction

Back

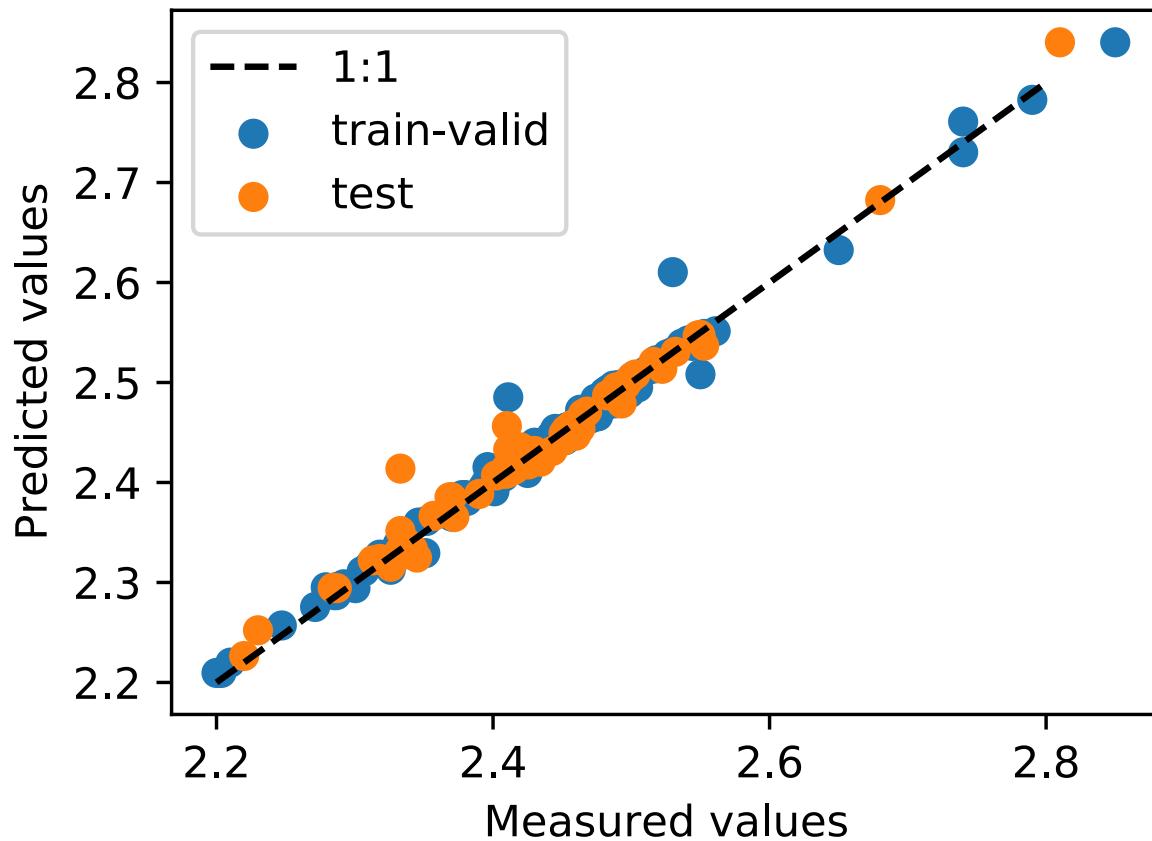
scikit  
learn

## 5/ Fit and predict!

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- ▶ **We fit the model to the data and predict things!**

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  - *Data importation*
  - *Data preparation*
  - *Model selection*
  - *Fit data and get predictions!*



Support Vector  
Machines

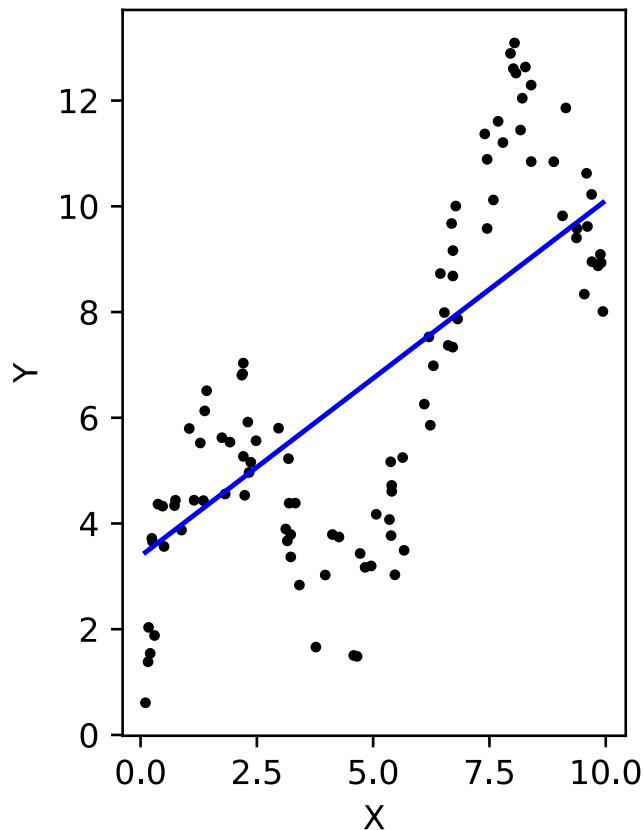
Fit well!

RMSE train: 0.01  
RMSE test: 0.01

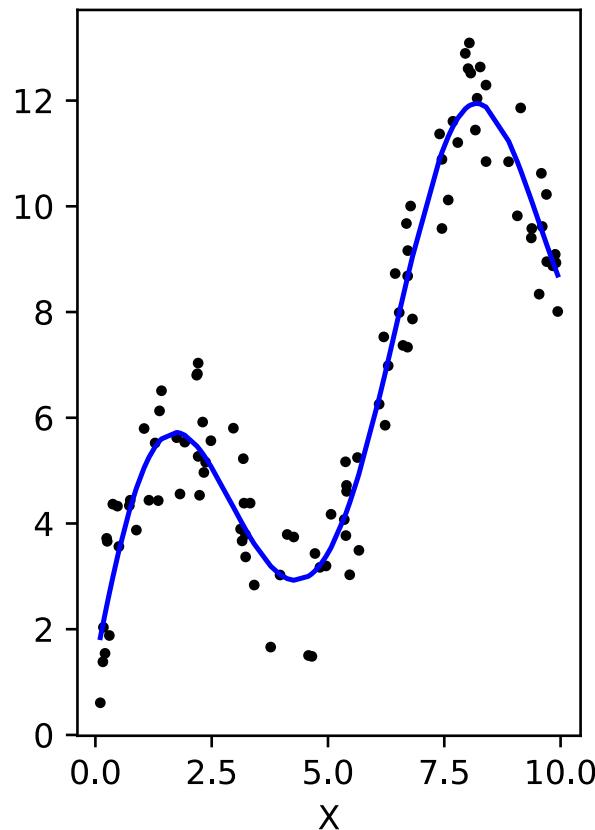
No *overfitting*

# Overfitting

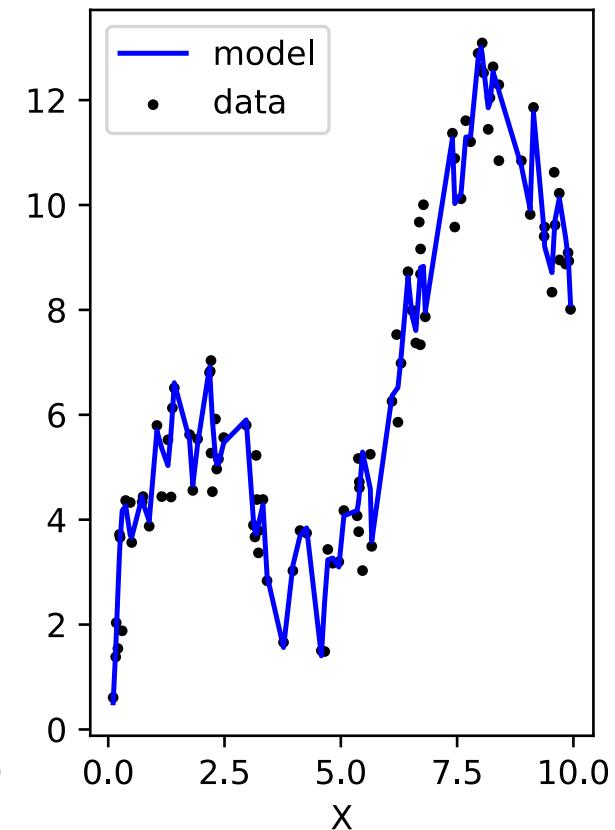
1) underfit :/



2) good :)



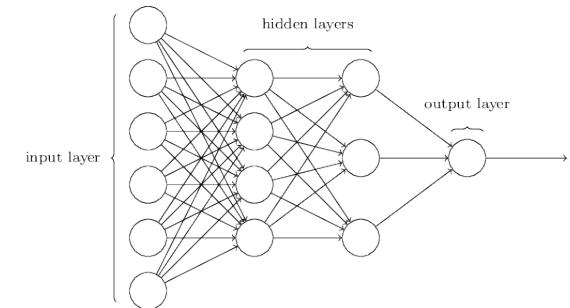
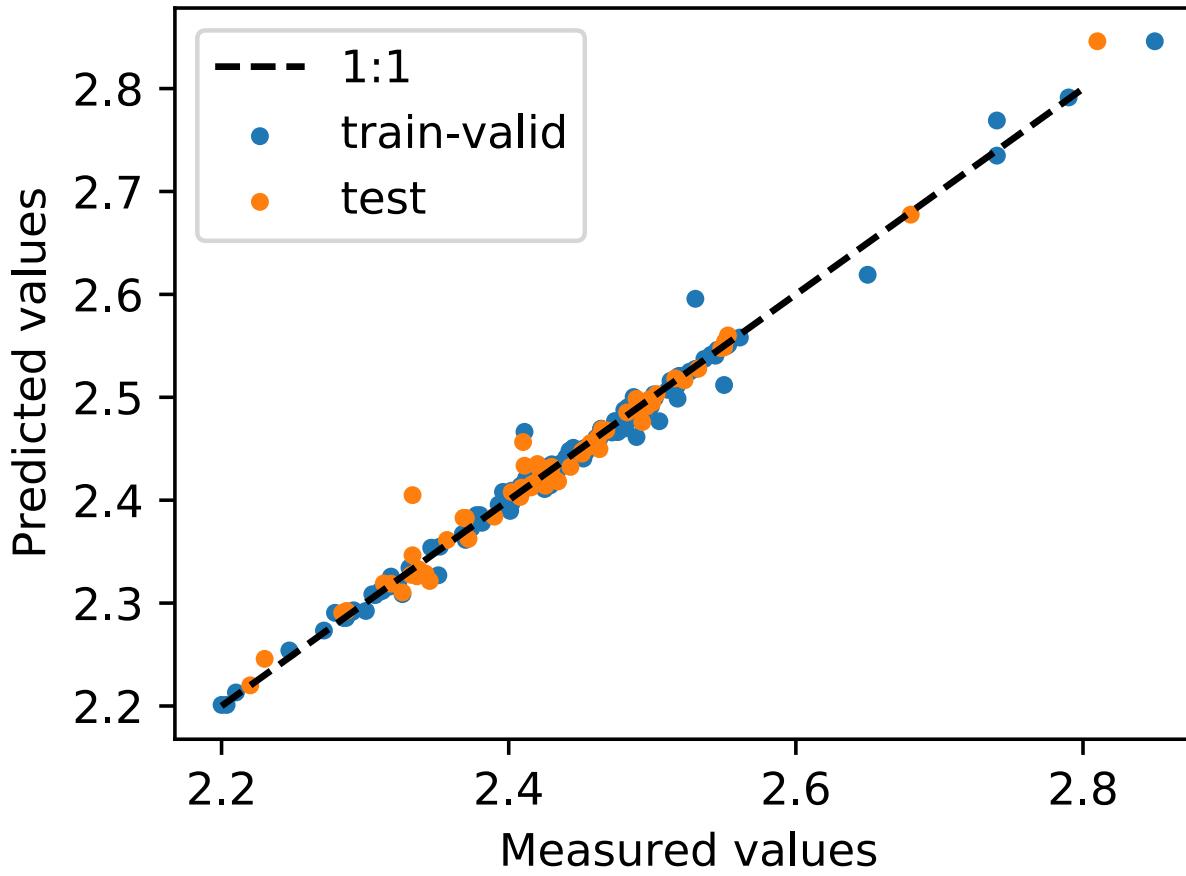
3) overfit :/



- ▶ Algorithm and mitigation methods
- ▶ Dataset size... this is why ML develops with the « big data » era!

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Multilayer perceptrons

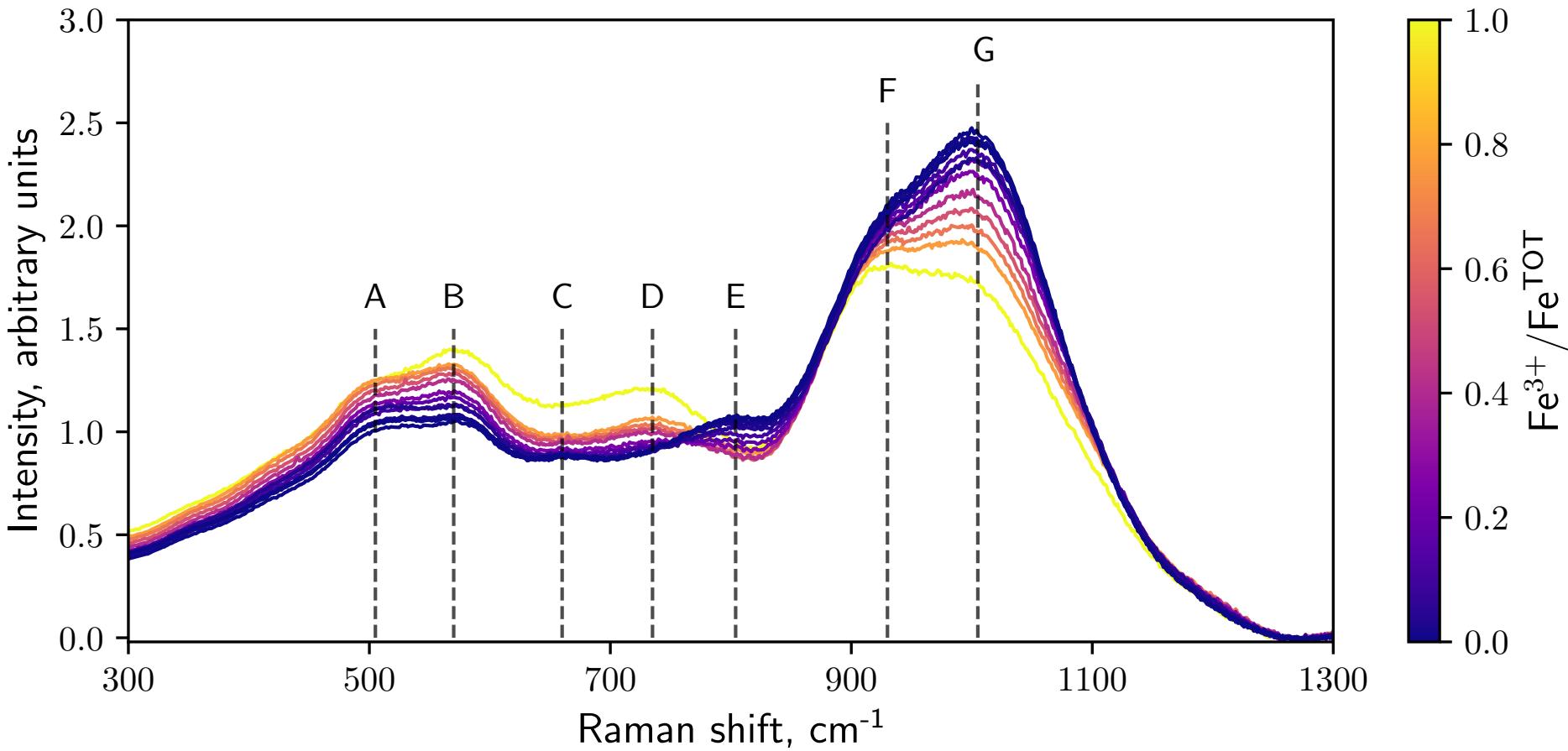
Overfitting mitigated via

- > hyperparameter tuning
- > training strategies

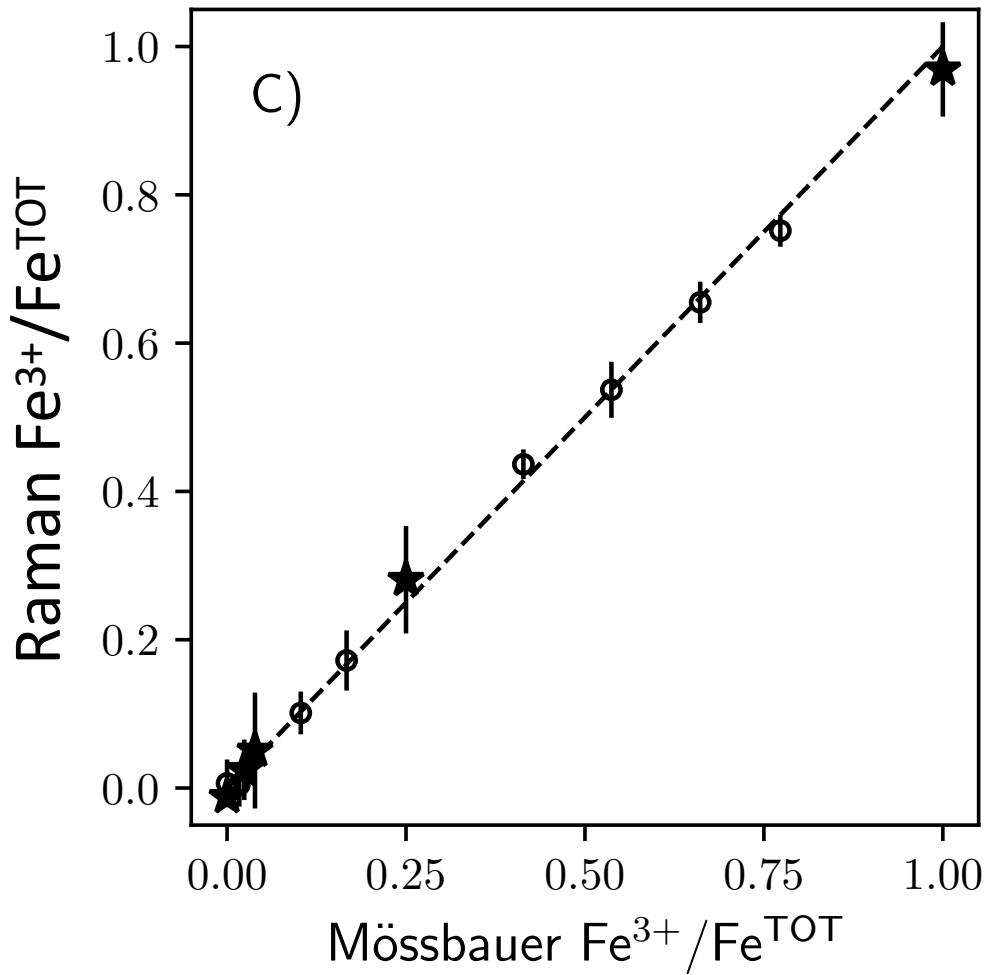
- > RMSE train: 0.01
- > RMSE test: 0.01

# More about Neural Nets for Analyzing data

example: Raman spectra of Fe-bearing CMAS glasses

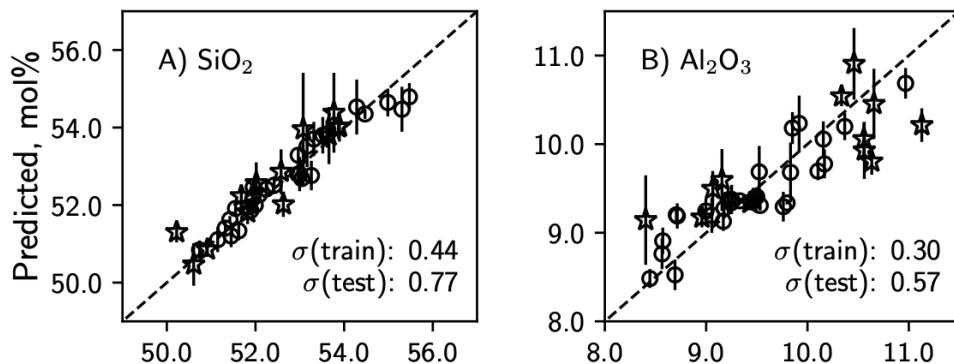


Le Losq et al., 2019,  
Am. Min. 104:1032



## Neural Nets for Analyzing data

*Artificial neural  
networks + Raman  
spectroscopy*  
=   
*redox and chemical  
composition of glasses*



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# Making smarter models

- **Greybox models**

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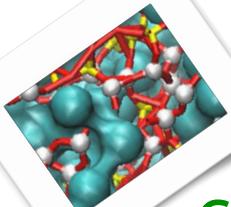
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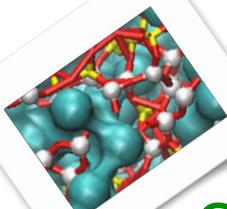


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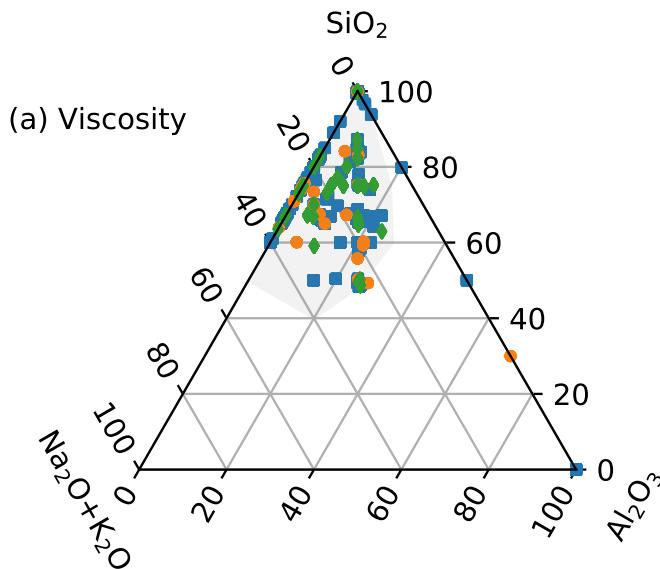
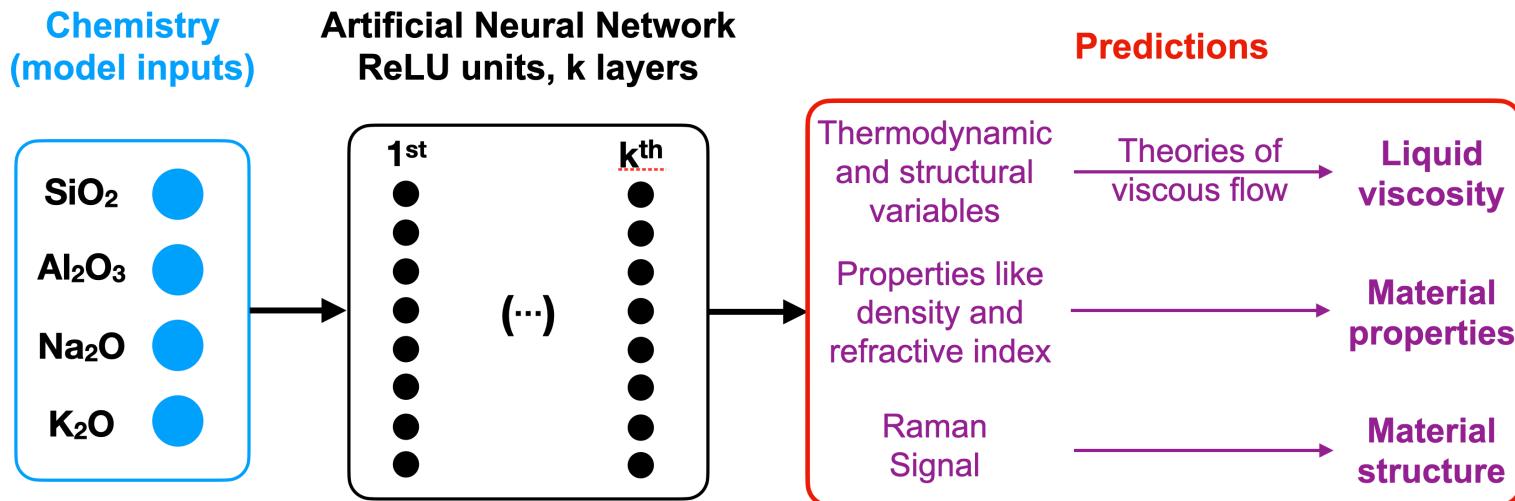


Greybox:  
Composition → Neural Network → Adam-Gibbs + T → Viscosity

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For glass: example of *i-Melt*

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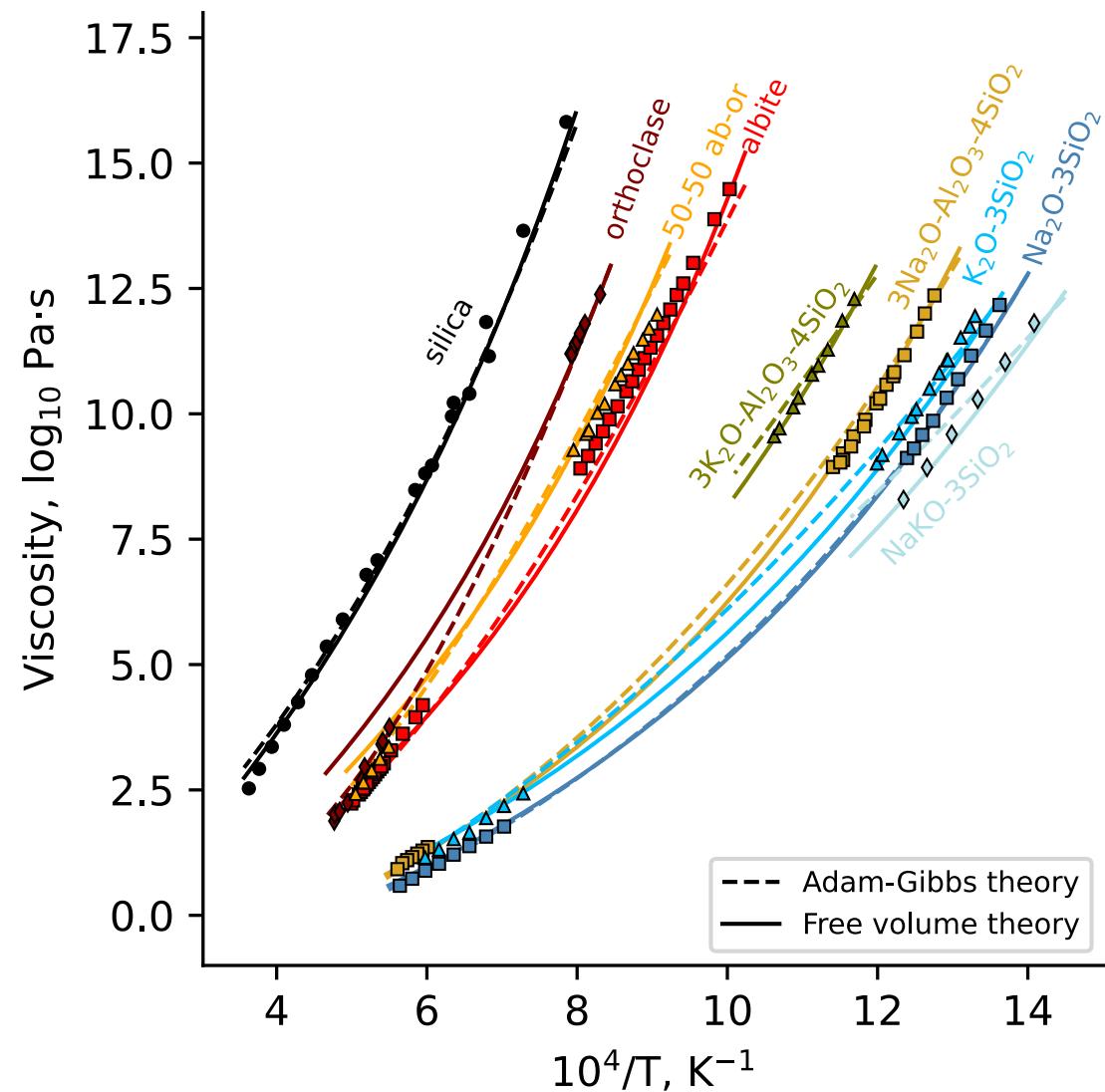
Demonstration on  
the  
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system

Le Losq et al., 2021, GCA 314:27

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*Na<sub>2</sub>O-K<sub>2</sub>O-Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub>-SiO<sub>2</sub> system*

Viscosity  $\pm 0.4$  log unit

Density  $\pm 0.02$  g cm $^{-3}$

Refractive index  $\pm 0.006$

T<sub>g</sub>  $\pm 19$  K

S<sup>conf</sup>(T<sub>g</sub>)  $\pm 0.9$  J mol $^{-1}$  K $^{-1}$

Raman spectra  $\pm \sim 20\%$

Parameters of Adam-Gibbs,  
Free Volume, MYEGA, VFT,  
Avramov-Milchev equations...

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## i-Melt: Prediction of melt and glass properties

i-Melt uses machine learning to predict the properties of glasses and melts. Select a composition using the sliders on the sidebar (left) and see predictions below. For full details [read the paper](#) and [download the code!](#)

Notes:

+

Glass transition

800 K

Softening point

1027 K

Working point

1365 K

Density

2.42 g/cm<sup>3</sup>

Configurational entropy

8.4 J/(mol K)

Refractive index

1.802

Melt fragility

30.7

VFT equation

$$\log_{10} \eta = -4.29 + \frac{7448.3}{T-342.5}$$

Glass composition

SiO<sub>2</sub> concentration, mol%

75.00

Al<sub>2</sub>O<sub>3</sub> concentration, mol%

6.00

Na<sub>2</sub>O concentration, mol%

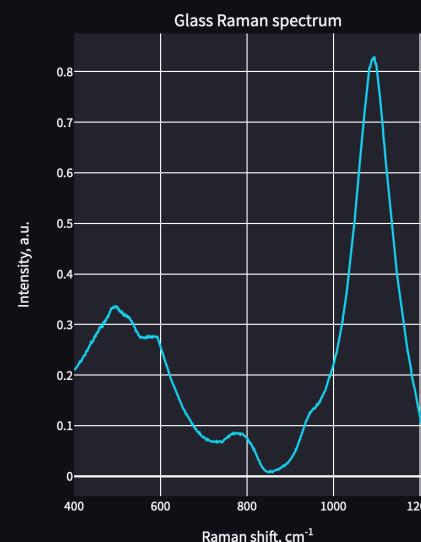
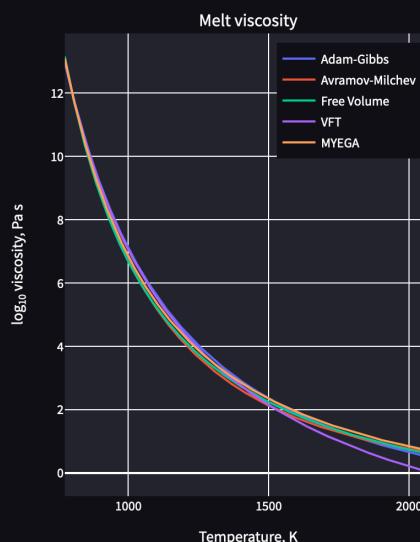
19.00

K<sub>2</sub>O concentration, mol%

0.00

Calculate!

When you run the model, compositions will be rescaled to ensure they sum to 100%.



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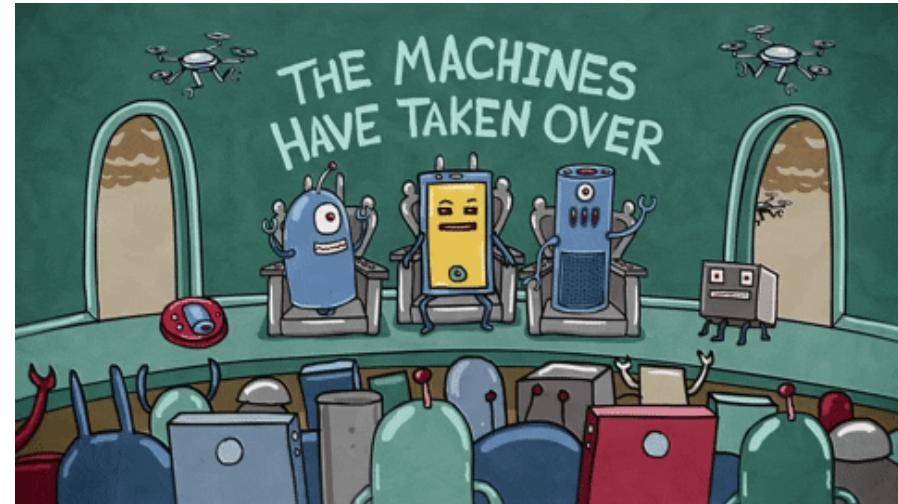
# Conclusion

## ***Theory - Models - Observation - new: machine learning***

- analyze data and generate predictive models of properties
- explore datasets
- select/design new compositions
- detect drifts & anomalies
- ...

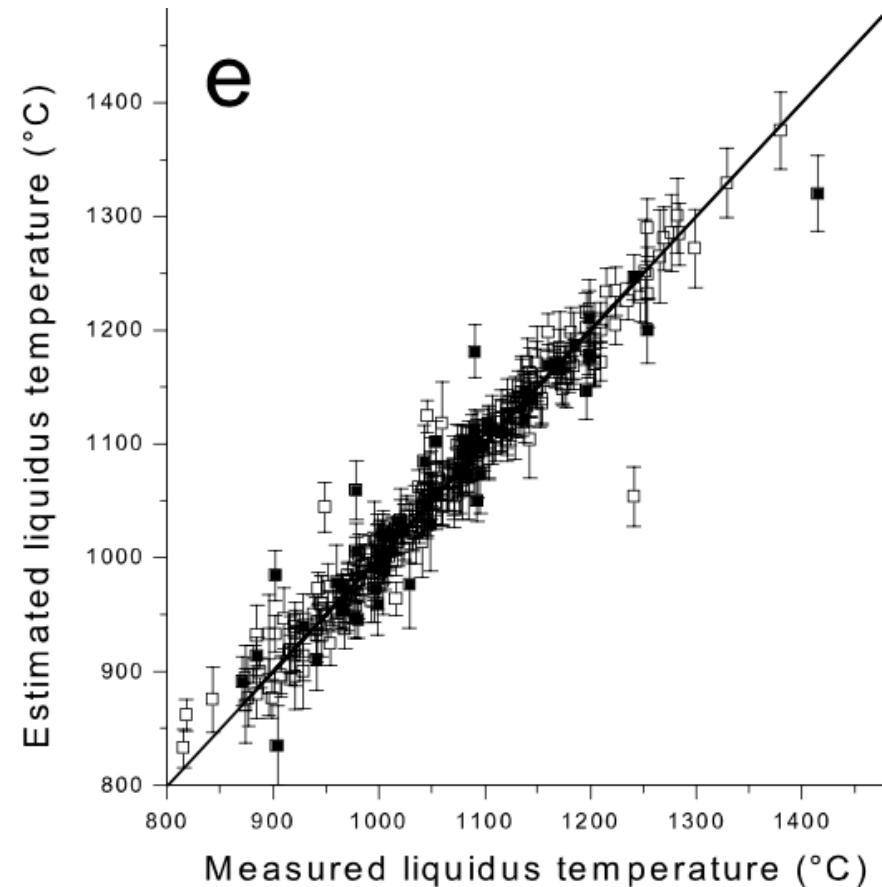
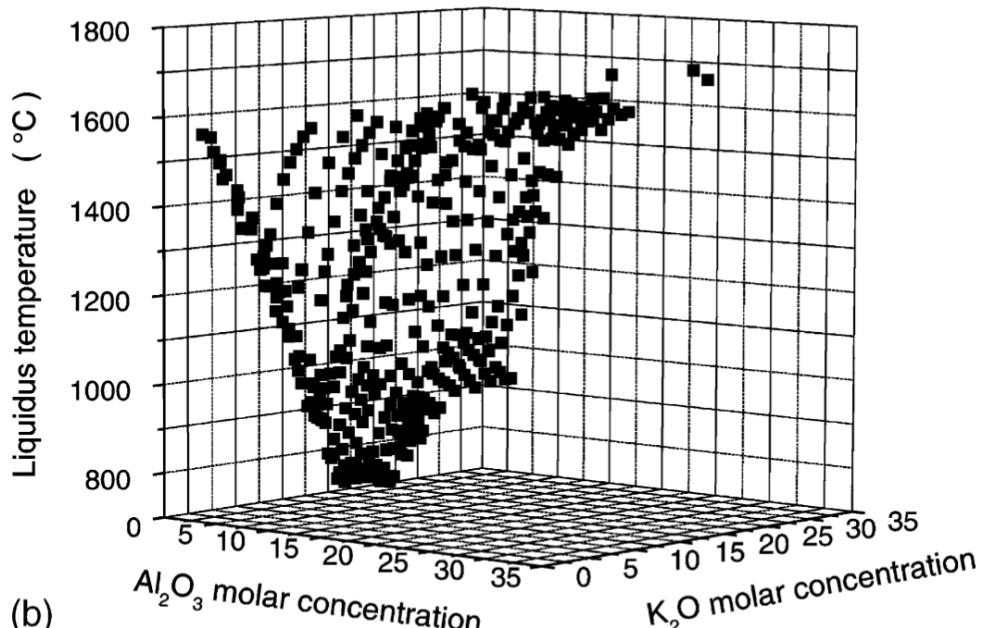
## ***The challenges***

- datasets (generation, quality...)
- algorithms and uncertainties
- interpretation
- automated systems for industry
- balance between blackbox & physics



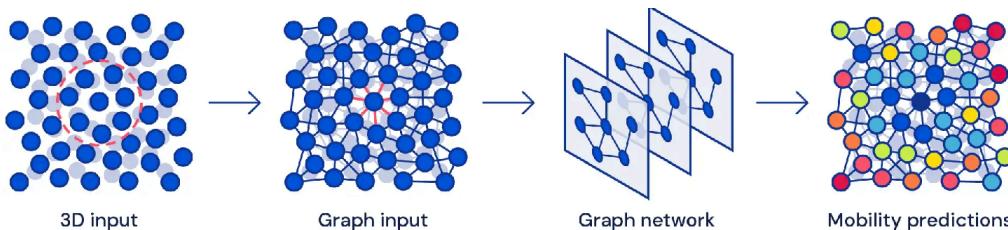


- Not « new »
- Not « artificial intelligence »



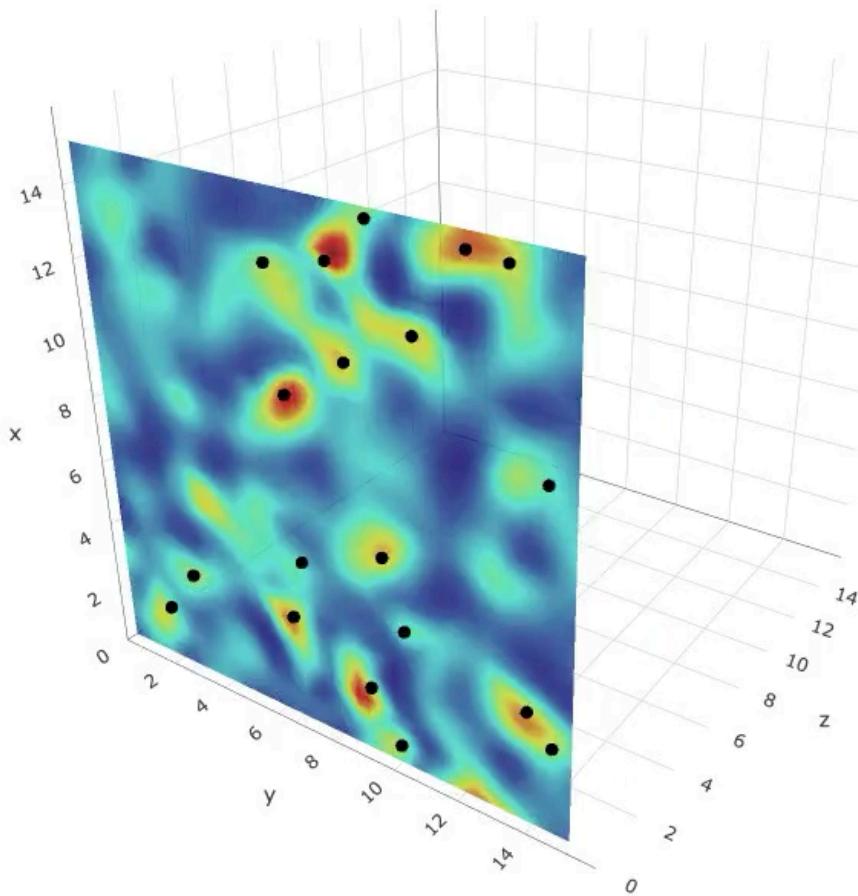
*Example: prediction of liquidus temperatures of  $\text{K}_2\text{O}$ -  
 $\text{Al}_2\text{O}_3\text{-SiO}_2$  using Neural Networks by Dreyfus et Dreyfus,  
2003*

# Examples of applications



*Bapst et al. 2019*

*DeepMind/Google*

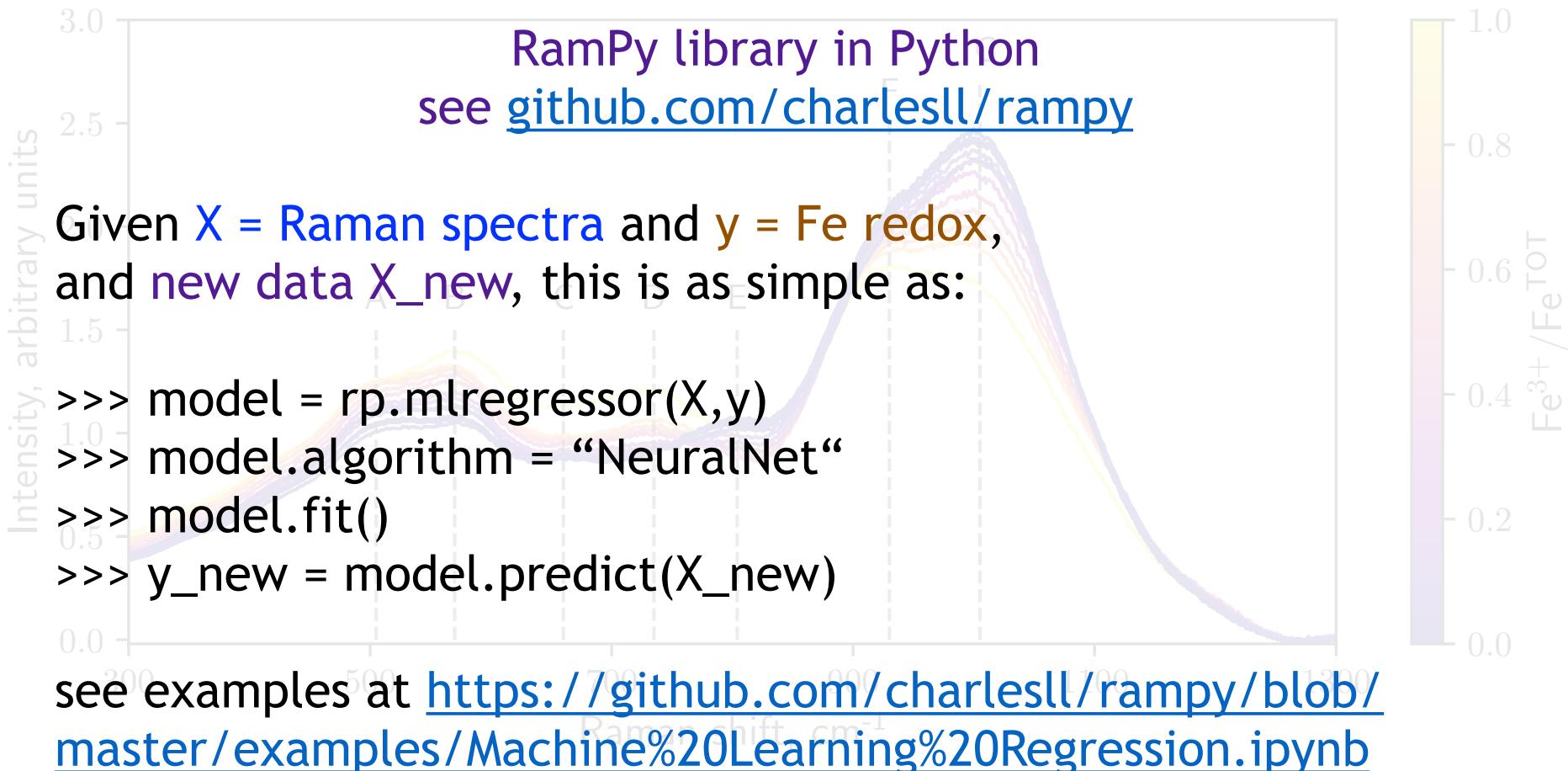


*Prediction of atomic movements via graph neural networks*

*Better understand properties & glass transition*

# More about Neural Nets for Analyzing data

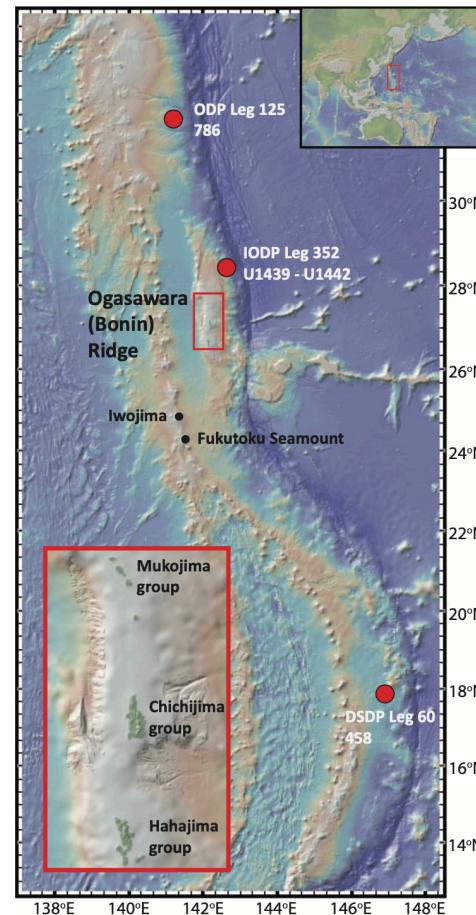
example: Raman spectra of Fe-bearing CMAS glasses



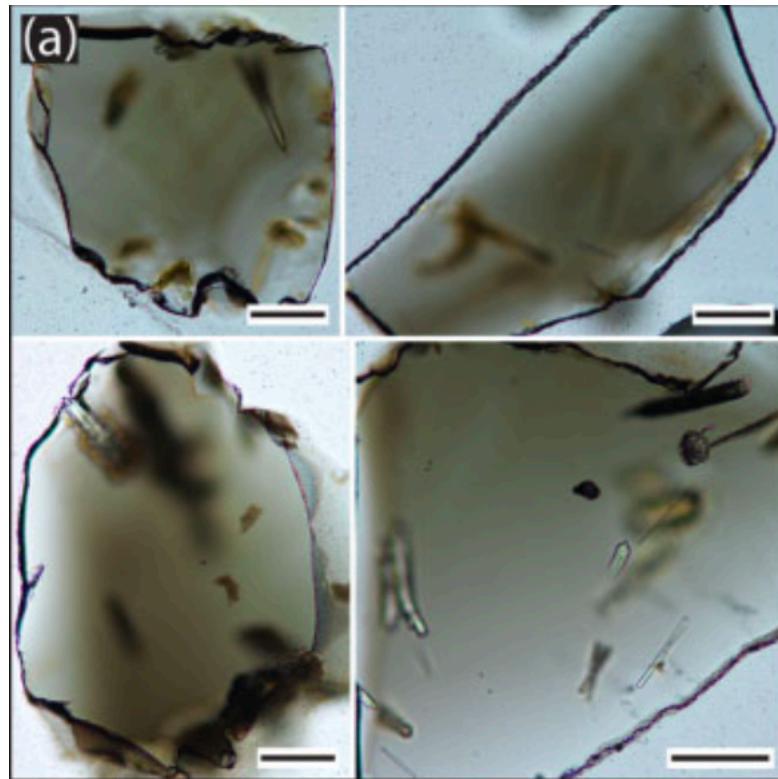
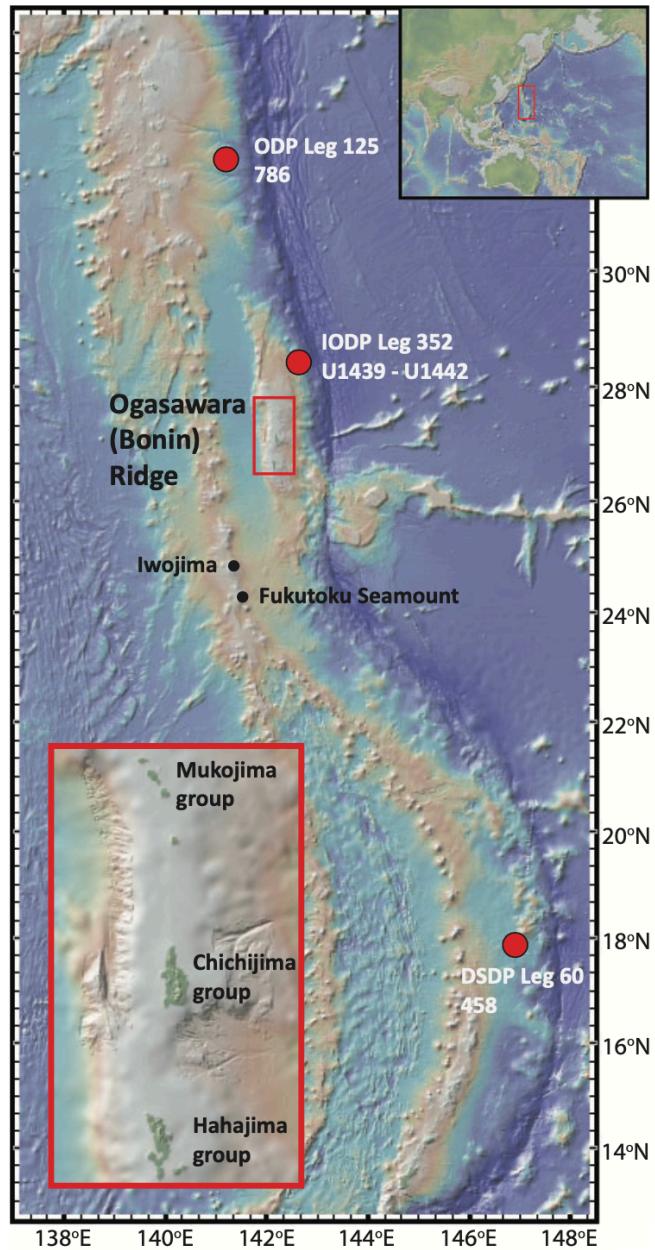
# Classification of boninite magmas

- > MgO-rich & TiO<sub>2</sub> poor magmas, formed by partial melting of clinopyroxene-bearing harzburgite sources
- > Different sources = different trends, difficult to distinguish in MgO-SiO<sub>2</sub>
  - > For Ogasawara Ridge (Kanayama et al. 2012):
    - HSB: High Silica Boninite
    - LSB: Low Silica Boninite

LSB = less depleted mantle source, lower T



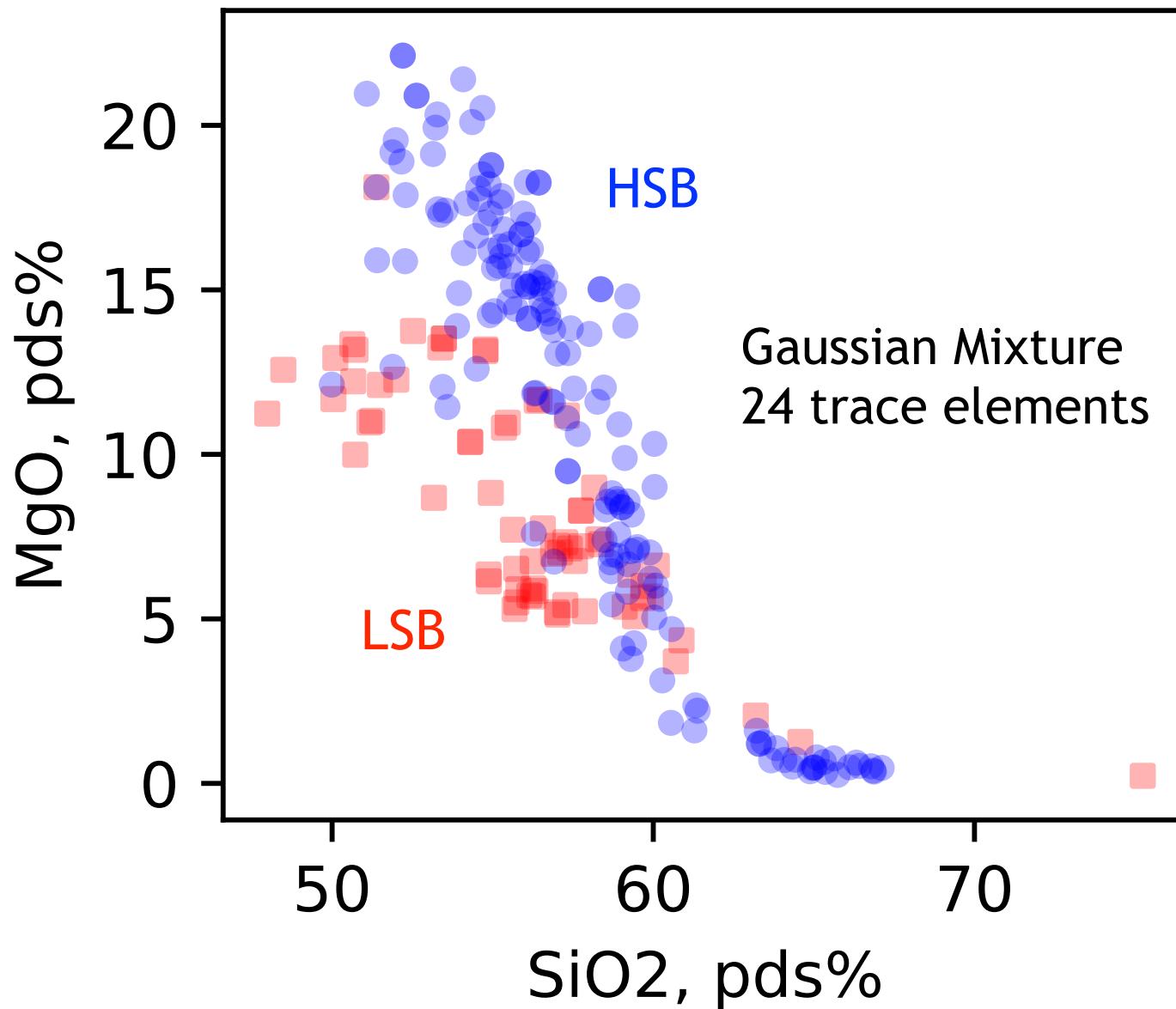
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bars = 100 microns

glass shards analysis (major elements + trace analysis)

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- > Easy for a Gaussian mixture classification algorithm, unsupervised, trained on REE LA-ICP-MS data

Valetich, Le Losq, Arculus, Umino, Mavrogenes, Journal of Petrology 2021  
[github.com/charlesll/boni-and-class](https://github.com/charlesll/boni-and-class)

