

## **Big Data in Diagnostics** Data-Driven Direct Diagnosis of PV Connected Batteries

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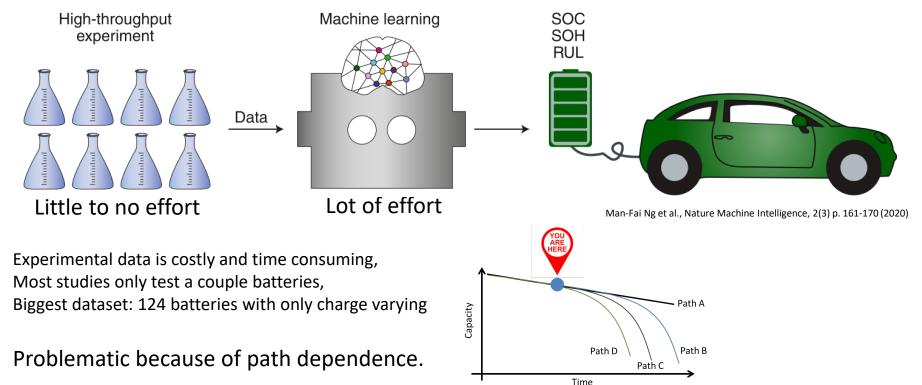




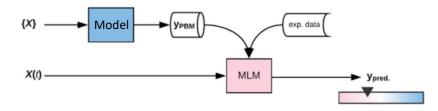


#### Artificial Intelligence

#### **Objective/Significance**



#### Current state of the art is far from the big data needed to make AI work

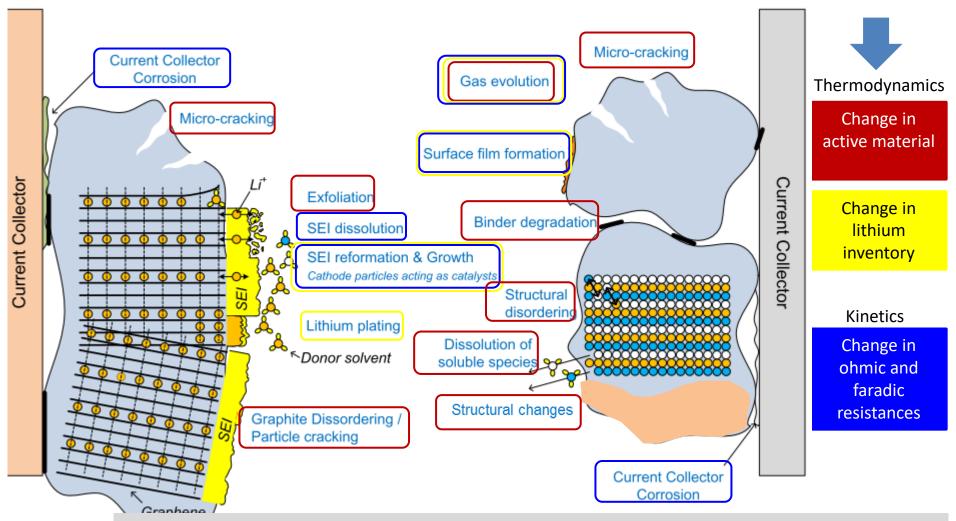


Solution: Transfer Learning Create synthetic training datasets



Li-ion batteries are complex systems





Degradation modes refer to the impact of a mechanism rather than its root cause.

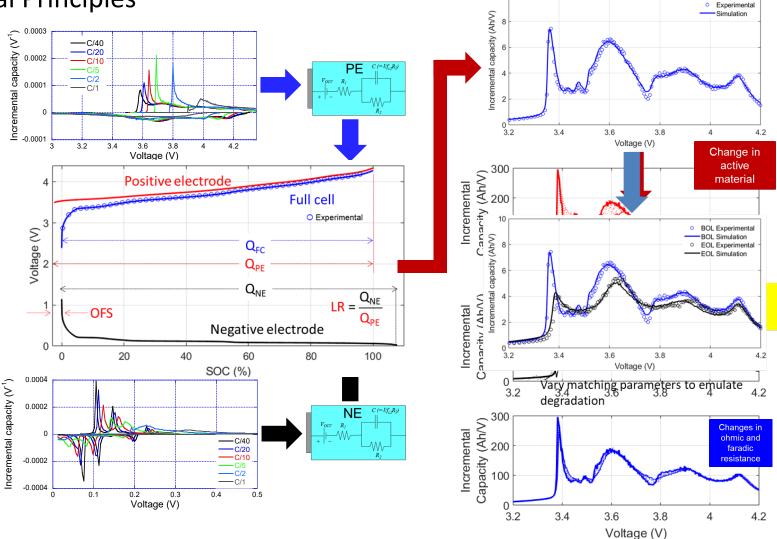


**Degradation modes** 

Building a Digital Twin: Mechanistic modeling







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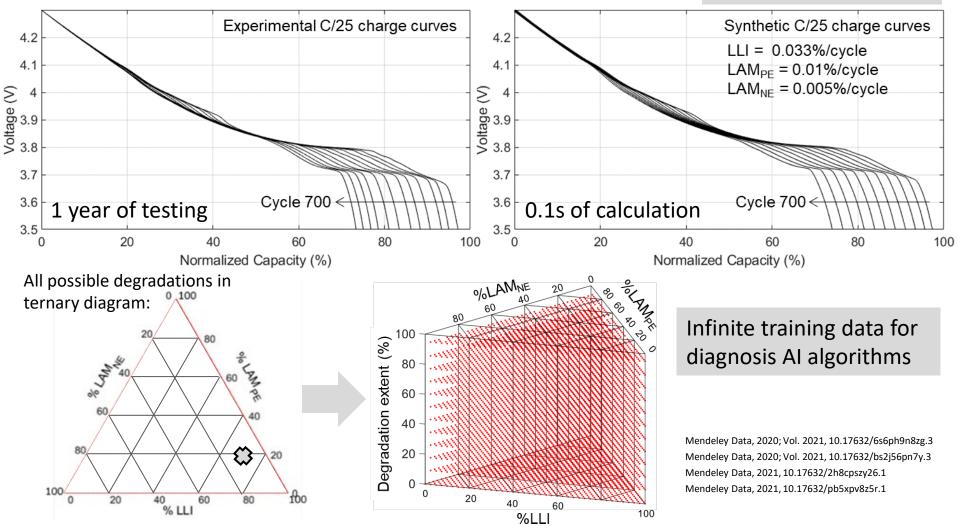


Simulate any possible degradation



#### Emulation of battery electrochemical response

# Aging reconstructed from simple equations





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#### **Big Data for Li-Ion Diagnosis and Prognosis** Take Home Message

Proof-of-concept methodology to generate **big data training datasets** 

Universal tool for creation of data indistinguishable from real one

**Broad applicability**: cell chemistries, designs, and operating modes

Methodology could be **applied to different conditions** such as rate and temperature

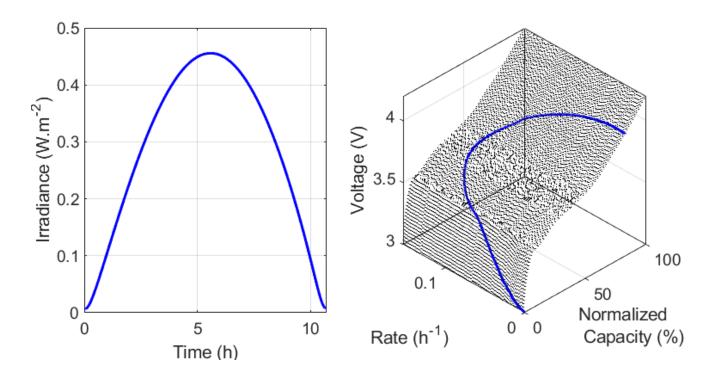
Can handle lithium plating with adjustable reversibility Ideal to test validity of different approaches for diagnosis or prognosis

The approach **does not remove the need for experimental testing** It is still essential, and the only way, to decipher which conditions cater to specific degradation.

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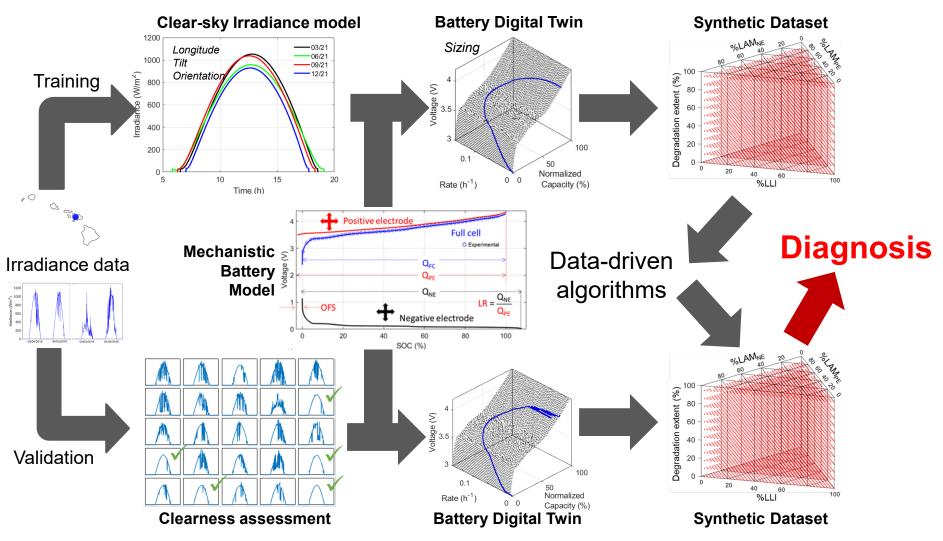


Current Synthetic dataset approach for constant current data only Not representative of deployed data (unless lengthy maintenance cycles) Mechanistic model can be applied outside of constant current data Could use auspicious conditions for deployed systems Emulation of clear sky irradiance: predictable power output



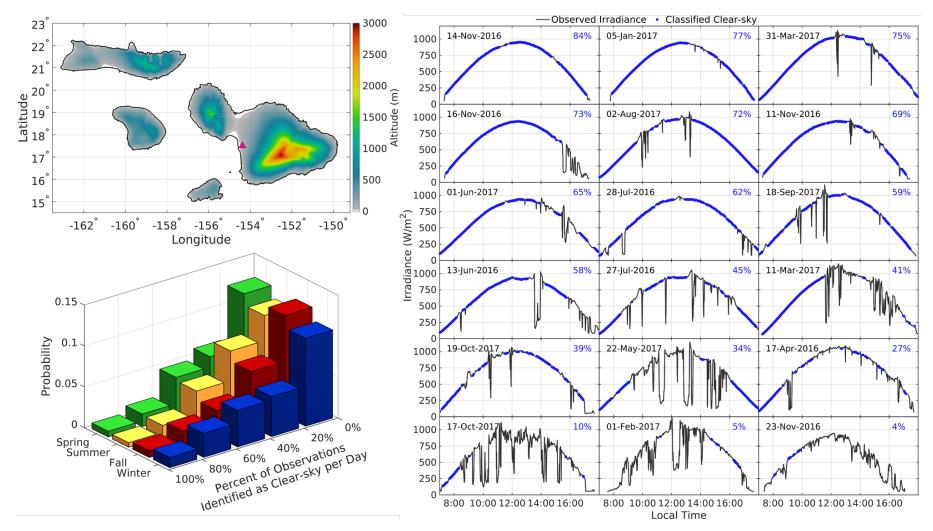


Mechanistic model can be applied outside of constant current data





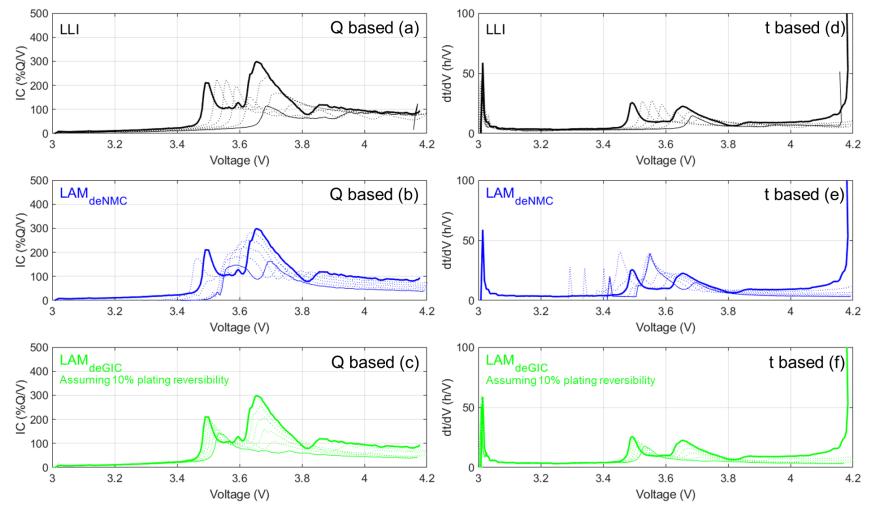
#### Clear-sky assessment





#### Capacity vs. Time

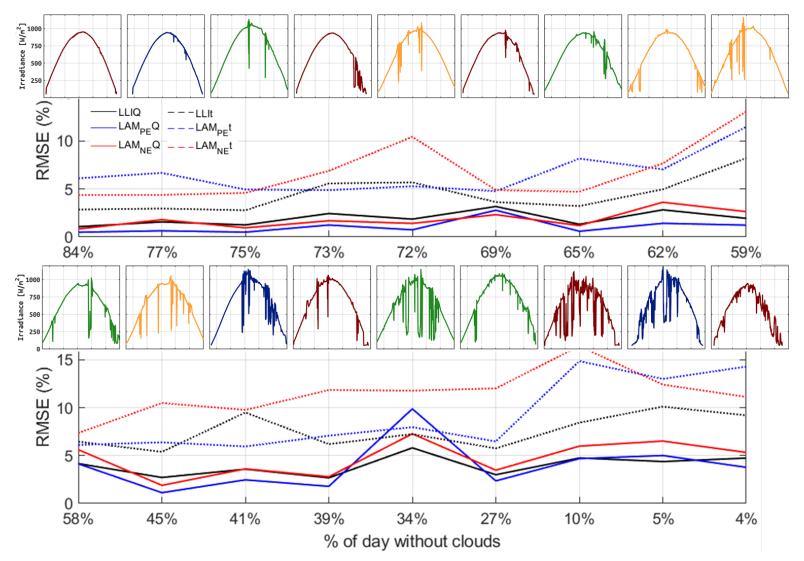
Uncorrelated because not constant current





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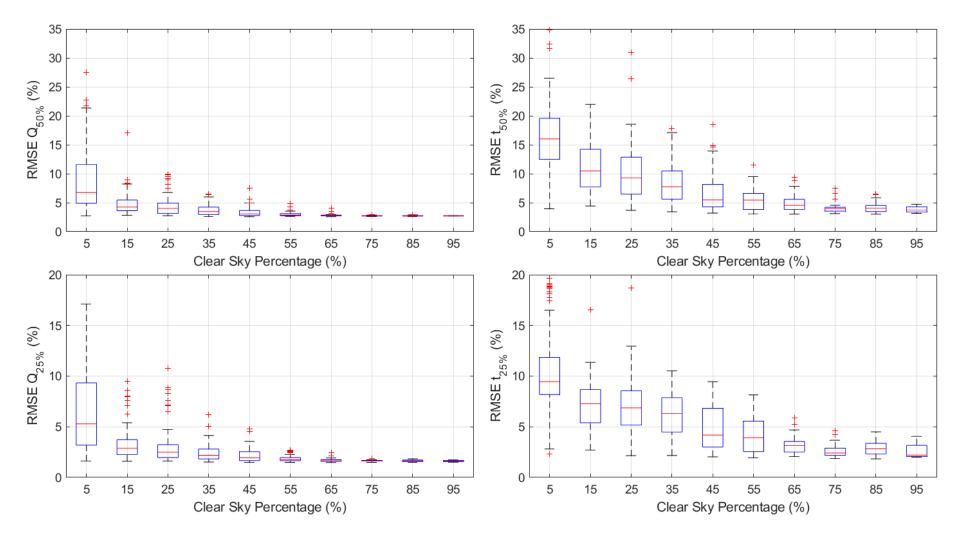
Diagnosability tested on 5 state of the art ML algorithms





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Diagnosability tested on 1 ML algorithms for 2 years of data





PV connected batteries will undergo sporadic usage which will prevent the application of traditional diagnosis methods.

This work proposes a **new methodology** for **opportunistic diagnosis** using machine learning algorithms trained directly on PV battery charging data.

The training was performed on synthetic voltage data under different degradations calculated from **clear-sky model irradiance data**. Validation was performed on synthetic voltage responses calculated from **plane of array irradiance observations** for a photovoltaic system located in Maui, HI, USA.

An average RMSE of 2.75% was obtained for more than 10,000 different degradation paths with 25% or less degradation on the cells.

Significant benefits for using synthetic data to understand the expected variations of voltage response as real data is not yet available.

Future work will address packs and additional usage on the cells.



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