

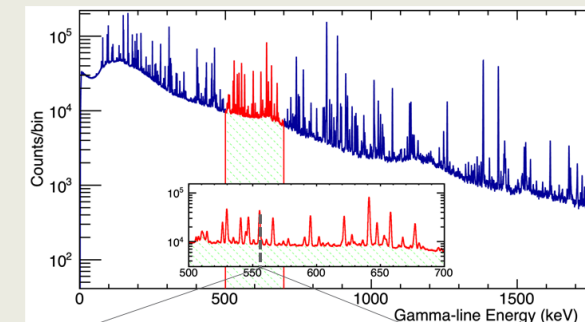
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Computer Spectroscopist (P3.6-220)

We are developing a comprehensive database of over 100,000 analyzed gamma-ray spectra from an archive containing decades of radiometric analyses of a diverse range of radionuclide samples by trained gamma spectroscopists.

Embedding domain expert interpretation and analysis of gamma-ray spectra into trained semi-supervised AI/ML models and algorithms for enhancing the speed, precision and robustness of gamma spectroscopic analysis.



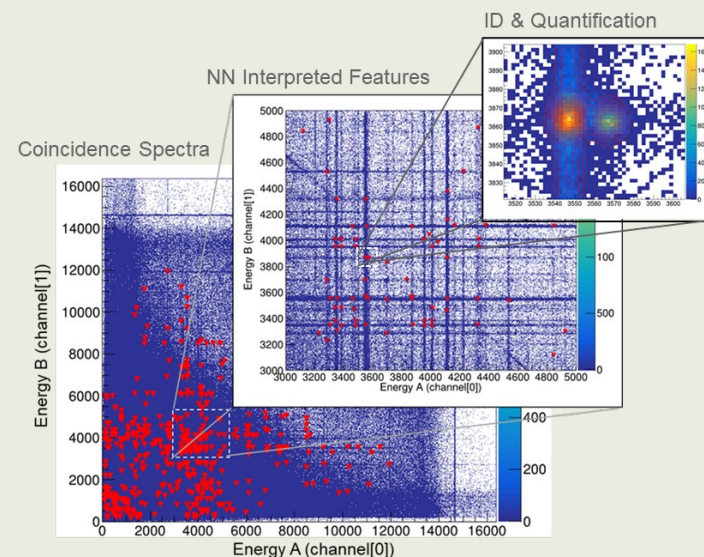
Results	Energy (keV)	Difference	Phot/Decay	Nuclide	Parent Half-life
Th-227	563.70	-0.03	3.240e-05	Rn-219	18.50 days
Ra-223	563.70	-0.03	3.240e-05	Rn-219	11.40 days
Nd-149	563.80	+0.07	9.324e-05	Nd-149	1.73 hrs
Gd-149	563.48	-0.25	1.022e-04	Gd-149	9.40 days
Tc-95m	563.48	-0.25	9.487e-05	Tc-95m	61.00 days
Eu-152	563.99	+0.26	4.890e-03	Eu-152	13.537 yrs
Th-200	564.08	+0.35	3.488e-04	Th-200	1.09 days
Xe-122	564.12	+0.39	1.800e-01	I-122	20.10 hrs
Sb-122	564.12	+0.39	7.067e-01	Sb-122	2.70 days
Ce-134	563.25	-0.48	3.619e-03	La-134	3.00 yrs
Pu-236	563.20	-0.53	1.000e-06	Pu-236	2.9 yrs
Br-76	563.18	-0.55	3.550e-02	Br-76	16.20 hrs
Ag-76	563.18	-0.55	1.201e-02	Ag-76	1.10 days
Bi(n,g)	563.14	-0.59	1.509e-02	Bi(n,g)	NA
Ag-105	564.39	+0.66	7.038e-05	Ag-105	41.00 days
Pu-239	563.05	-0.68	2.147e-09	Am-241	2.41e+004 yrs

Physics-Informed AI/ML for Coincidence Spectroscopy (1,2)

Leveraging physics-informed AI/ML for automated analysis of list-mode data-streams from advanced multi-particle (γ - α - β - γ) coincident spectroscopic radiation detection systems.

Multiple modalities of counting (β -veto, β - γ , γ - γ , etc...) enable enhanced radionuclide identification confidence and break spectral interference degeneracies, reducing the burden on trained spectroscopists for timely interpretation and review.

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