

PERFORMANCE EVALUATION FOR MULTI-HOLE PROBE WITH THE AID OF ARTIFICIAL NEURAL NETWORK

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ABSTRACT

The multi hole conical probe is extensively employed in the fluid fields for estimating the overall and static pressure and velocity of the vibrant fields. The probe is formed by various types of materials such as aluminum, copper and stainless steel which are utilized in the wind tunnel to determine the static and total pressure of the fluid fields. Many varied material probes are engaged to assess their efficiency in execution in the concurrent surroundings at diverse Mach number situations and the yields are calculated according to displacement and stress for diverse material probes. The innovative artificial neural network is effectively employed to forecast the varied material accomplishment of the probe by making use of the Levenberg-Marquette algorithm of the artificial neural network, which is applied in the artificial neural network to estimate the yields of the various material probes and the outcomes are subjected to analysis and contrast with the Conjugate Gradient with Beale (CGB) algorithm, Variable Learning Rate Gradient Descent (GDX) algorithm and Scaled Conjugate Gradient (SCG) algorithm of the artificial neural network. The MATLAB software is performed to assess the efficiency of the artificial neural network for various kinds of material probes.

Key words: *Multi-Hole Probe, Materials, Artificial Neural Network, Levenberg-Marquette Algorithm*

1. INTRODUCTION

Multi-hole pressure probes have emerged as highly efficient devices for multidimensional flow field estimations. They furnish sufficient data of flow such as velocity, direction, in addition to overall and static pressures at the point of interrogation. They are endowed with the quality of being reasonably vigorous, making them suitable for employment for flow metrology in ruthless situations. [1] The divergence between the pressures sensed on various faces of a probe is linked to the velocity vector and static pressure. The multi-hole pressure probes have been extensively employed for estimating the time-averaged flow velocity together with the pitch and yaw angles of the flow related to the probe.[2]The static pressure ports have to be positioned reasonably at a distance downstream of the probe tip, to steer clear of estimating incorrect pressures on account of the adverse effect of the shock. The shape of the shock in front of the probes manages the closest distance they can be positioned at, and thrusts a basic limit on the spatial resolution of the dimensions.[3] Stochastic computational fluid dynamics (CFD) techniques are essential for successfully tackling

fluid dynamics dilemmas that entail reservations linked with the modeling of the bona fide life situations like the working environments, the geometry, primary or boundary situations furnished into the solver as input.[4] With an enhancement in number of holes, the range of the angle of incidence that can further be calculated with the probe goes up. Moreover, there are probes which have one pressure port, which is continuously twisted inside the probe. The number of holes which are employed for three dimensional flow dimensions must be at least a minimum of four. [5] The transonic wind tunnel at the Department of Aerodynamics is a comparatively tiny installation intended to conduct tests at a transonic pace. The Mach number of the main flow is capable of being realized in the course of the tests. [6] The application of multi-hole probes necessitates a cautious calibration with the achievement of three-dimensional data. The pressure probe can be performed in two distinct ways such as the nulling or the non-nulling method.[7] The calibration surfaces related to the four calibration coefficients together with identified pitch and yaw are employed to build up a parametric link between the pressures at the five

pressure taps of the probe and the magnitude and direction of the velocity of air.[8] The measuring tool employed for calculating velocities at various locations is the unique multi hole probe with the conical diameter. The sensing head is conical shaped to let the probe shaft without in any way upsetting the probe tip direction.[9] The calibration of multi-hole pressure probes is gathered from the concept of optimal design of experiments (DoE) and the captioned technique is extended to the calibration of multi-sensor hot-wire probes.[10] Alberto Calia *et al.* [11] have astoundingly advocated an amazing approach for Multi-hole probe and amplification algorithm which is employed for calibrating the air data emerging from the CFD by making use of the neural systems and refurbished the data. The resultant outcomes illustrate the fact that the fault value has decreased the air speed for 30m/s. LI Yuhong *et al.* [12] have logically put forward the probe dimensions for Reynolds number finding, with the Mach number enhancements. The outcomes indicate that the expression $\alpha=20$ gives the precise outcome for the Mach number in subsonic flow. John. F. Quindlen *et al.* [13] formulated the fantastic technique for Flush Air Data Sensing for Soaring-Capable UAVs by means of the artificial neural network. The outcomes illustrate the fact that the fault value of the air speed is below 0.2 m/s with $\alpha=6^\circ$. E.Denti *et al.* [14] have excellently promulgated an air data calculation by means of fault tolerant algorithms. The outcomes clearly exhibit the fact that the air data system cuts down the error value to 6 m/s. HUI-YUAN FAN *et al.* [15] have proficiently put forward an innovative technique viz. CFD-based diffuser optimization method which is employed for calibrating the pressure co-efficient. The outcomes demonstrate the fact without any iota of doubt that when the SVM technique is contrasted with the artificial neural network based technique, the ANN technique performs far better than SVM technique for calibrating the pressure co-efficient, achieving a value of 0.0286. Özgür Kişi [16] has proposed the stream flow forecasting using different artificial neural network algorithms. For the hydrologic component, there was a need for both short term and long term forecasts of stream flow events in order to optimize the system or to plan for future expansion or reduction. It was presented a comparison of different artificial neural networks (ANN) algorithms for short term daily stream flow forecasting. Four different ANN algorithms, namely, back propagation, conjugate gradient, cascade correlation, and Levenberg–Marquardt are applied to continuous stream flow data. The models were

verified with untrained data and the results from the different algorithms are compared with one other. From the results, it was clear that the Levenberg–Marquardt algorithm takes a small fraction of the time taken by the other three algorithms for training of the network. Necataltinkok [17] has proposed the use of artificial neural network for prediction of mechanical properties by using stir casting process. The tensile strength, hardening behavior, and density properties of different-Al₂O₃particle size (mm)-reinforced metal matrix composites (MMCs), produced by using stir casting process were predicted by using the neural network which was an intelligent technique that can solve nonlinear problems by learning from the samples. The neural network was trained using the prepared training set, also known as the learning set. In the preparation of the ANN training module, the aim for the use of the model was to predict the tensile strength, hardening behavior, and density properties for any given -Al₂O₃particle size by using the experimental results.

2. PROPOSED METHODOLOGY

The proposed artificial neural network is trained by the input parameters in various conditions and the trained network is tested by the same type of input parameters for future usage. It is used to find out the output of the probe for different materials at different input conditions. The input parameters such as material properties, Mach number and pressure are given to the trained artificial neural network and the outputs obtained in terms of displacement and stress by using the testing data sets. The Levenberg-Marquardt algorithm is used in the artificial neural network process to train the network for the given input conditions and find out the output approximately equal to the calculated value.

The Artificial neural network is used to predict the performance of any quantity from the sample. The sample are used to validate the neural network for the prediction and the samples contain the inputs and output of the experimental data set which are used to train and test the neural network. Subsequently, 80% of the data set is used to train the network and the remaining 20% of the data set are used to test the network. If the tested data set values are nearly equal to the experimental values, then the neural network is tested successfully. The validated neural network is used to predict the future analysis without the practical experiment. So in future, if there are minor variations in any

properties of the material or the input parameters in the same type there is no need to experiment for same analysis. So it saves time and cost for the experiment in real time.

3. ARTIFICIAL NEURAL NETWORK

The Artificial neural networks are the programmed computational models which are usually presented as systems of interconnected neurons that can compute values from inputs by feeding data through the network. Artificial neural networks are flexible and adaptive, learning and adjusting with each different internal or external stimulus.

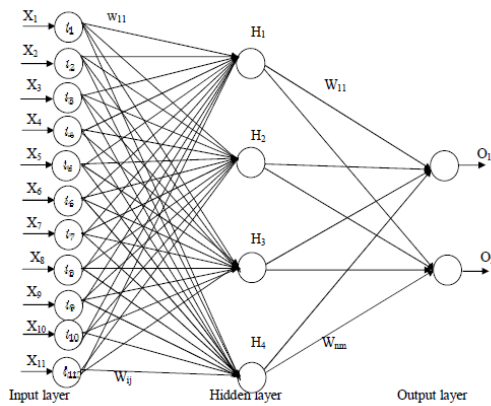


Figure 1 Structure of the artificial neural network

The basic architecture of feed-forward back-propagation based artificial neural network is shown in Figure 1. It has the multi-layer artificial neural network which consists of 3 layers such as input layer, hidden layer, and output layer. Each layer contains a number of the neurons and all layers are connected by the neurons. Based on the connections, the ANN networks are of two type's viz. feed forward network and feedback network. Here, the feed forward network is used. In this network, the signal or data is transmitted from front to back with balanced flow and there are no reverse transmissions of the data flow. The three layers are explained below:

Input layer

The input layer contains a number of neurons. All input layer neurons are connected with the hidden layer neurons. It has twelve inputs and the input neurons are named as i_1, i_2, \dots, i_{12} . The inputs are X_1, X_2, \dots, X_{12} and each neuron possesses the weight which is represented as the i^{th} input layer neuron connected with the j^{th} neuron of the hidden layer like

$W_{11}, W_{12}, W_{13}, W_{14}, W_{21}, W_{22}, \dots, W_{ij}$. The basic function is calculated by using the following formula:

$$H_z = \sum_{i=1}^n X_i W_{ij} \tag{1}$$

$z=1, 2, 3, 4. i=1, 2, 3, 4 \dots 12. j=1, 2, 3, 4.$

Where, H=Basic function of hidden neurons, z=number of hidden units, w= weight of the input layer neurons, X=input values which are X_1 =Young's Modulus (E), X_2 = Poisson's Ratio (NU), X_3 =Yield Strength, X_4 =Ultimate Tensile Strength, X_5 =Initial Strain, X_6 =Hardening Exponent, X_7 =Strength Coefficient, X_8 = Thermal Conductivity (K), X_9 =Specific Heat (CP), X_{10} =Mach number and X_{11} =Pressure. i = Number of input neurons, j = number of hidden neurons.

Hidden layer

The hidden layer contains a number of neurons which are named as h_1, h_2, \dots, h_n . The hidden layers are connected with the output layer by using the neurons. The activation function is calculated by the following equation:

$$\sigma(H_z) = \sum_{i=1}^z 1/(1 + \exp(-H_z)) \tag{2}$$

$z=1, 2, 3, 4$

Where, H_z is output of the basic function

Output layer

The output layer has a number of neurons. They are named as o_1, o_2, \dots, o_n . It has two outputs which are the displacement and stress. The hidden layer neurons are connected with the output layer by the neurons. Each link has a weighted value such as $W_{11}, W_{12}, W_{13}, \dots, W_{nm}$. The basis

function of the

Output units is expressed by the Equation:

$$O_k = \sum_{i=1}^n W_{nm} \sigma(H_z) \tag{3}$$

$k=1, 2. n=1, 2, 3, 4. m=1, 2.$

The Activation function of the Output units is given by the Equation:

$$\sigma(\delta_n) = \sum_{i=1}^n 1/(1 + \exp(-O_k)) \quad (4)$$

n=1,2

The Levenberg-Marquardt algorithm is used to find out the minimized error value of the trained function values. It has the following steps:

First, the error term for the hidden and output units is found out by the following equation:

$$E(O_n) = \frac{1}{H_d} \sum_{i=1}^{H_d} D_n - Z_n \quad (5)$$

Where, n=number of outputs, H_d=Number of neuron in hidden unit, D_n=Desired output, Z_n=Obtained output (Activation function output for output unit)

The error term for the hidden unit by using the following formula:

$$\delta_{H_k} = h_k(E) * (1 - h_k(E)) * O_k \quad (6)$$

k=1,2,3,4

Where,

$$h_k(E) = \sum_{i=1}^n W_i * E(O_n) \quad (7)$$

k=1, 2, 3, 4

Where, W_i=Weight of the output unit and E (O_z) =Error term of the output unit.

The following equation is used to calculate the new weight adjustment value for minimized error value.

$$\Delta_n^h = \eta \delta_{H_n} x_i \quad (8)$$

$$\Delta_n^o = \eta * E(O_n) * \sigma(H_z) \quad (9)$$

Where, η is the learning factor (0.2 to 0.5), δ_{H_n} = error term for the hidden unit, x_i= input value(X₁,X₂,...X₁₂), σ(H_z)=activation function of the hidden unit.

The new weight is calculated by using the formula

$$W_i^{h,new} = W_i + \Delta_n^h \quad (10)$$

$$W_i^{o,new} = W_i + \Delta_n^o \quad (11)$$

The new weight is used to find out the minimum error output value of the train values.

When the minimum error values are obtained, then the testing values are tested with the minimized error values for getting the actual output values.

The following pseudo code shows the artificial neural network process:

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Start
Assign input value for each parameter as X1, X2,.....
X11
Assign weight for each input parameter.
Calculate the basis function and activation function for hidden layers such as H1,
H2, H3, H4 and σ(H1), σ(H2), σ(H3), σ(H4) respectively.
 $H_n = X_n w_n$ 
 $\sigma(H_n) = 1/(1 + \exp(-H_n))$ 
Evaluate the basis function and activation function for outputs such as O1, O2 and
σ(δ1), σ(δ2), respectively.
 $O_n = w_{n+1}H_1 + w_{n+2}H_2 + \dots + w_nH_n$ 
 $\sigma(\delta_n) = 1/(1 + \exp(-O_n))$ 
Find the error term for hidden unit and output unit by using Levenberg-
Marquardt back propagation algorithm.
Calculate the change in weight
 $\Delta_n^o = \eta * E(O_n) * \sigma(H_n)$ 
Evaluate the new weight as
{
If
 $\Delta_n^o$  is the tolerable error value
then
stop process
else
compute solution with new weight
}
Stop
    
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4. RESULTS AND DISCUSSIONS

The innovative artificial neural network method is executed in MATLAB for varied material permutations of the probe. The input constraints are furnished to the artificial neural network and the yields obtained by means of using various algorithms of the artificial neural network. Figure 1 vividly illustrates the artificial neural network employing MATLAB in the course of operation.

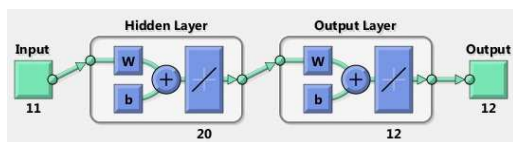


Figure 1 Artificial neural network using MATLAB

5. PERFORMANCE ANALYSIS

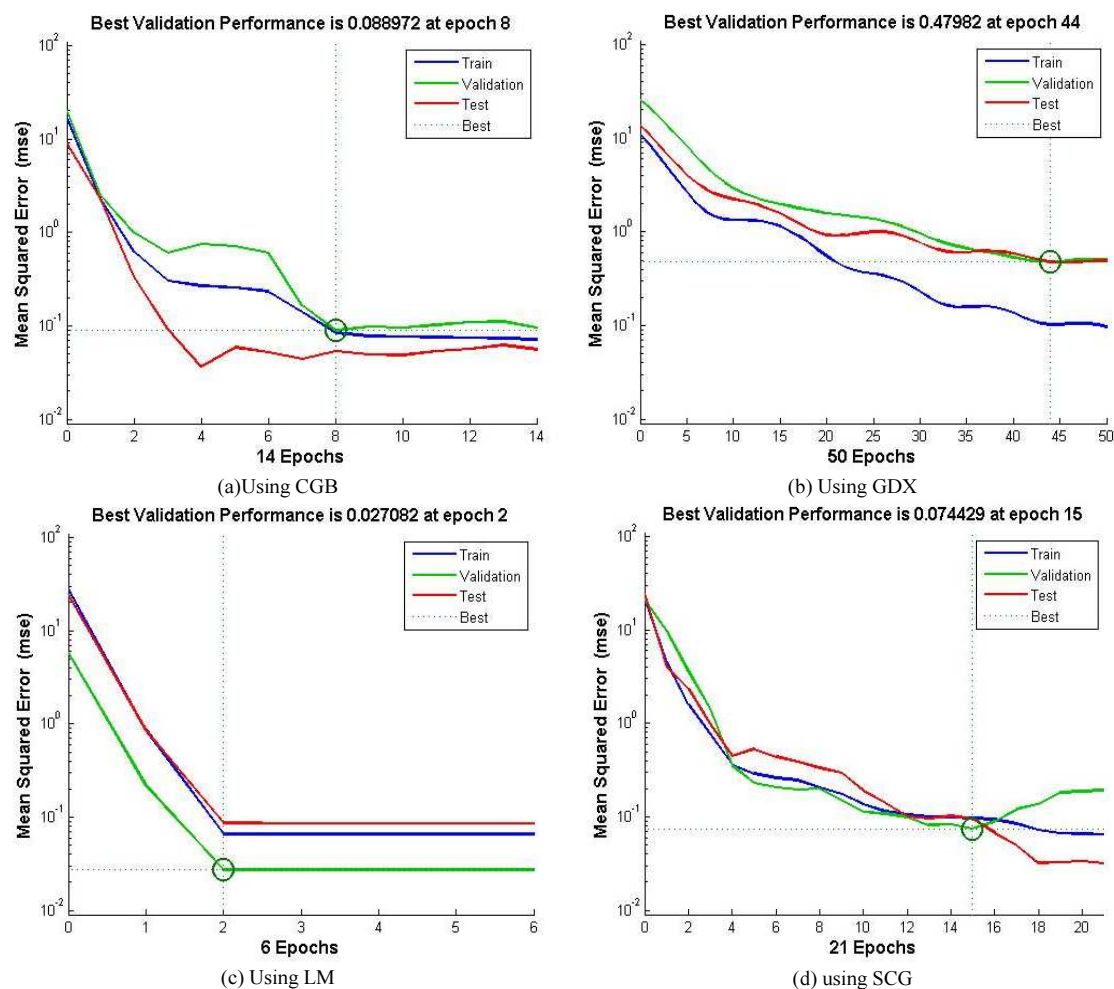
The ensuing data effectively reveals the execution estimation graph for various materials such as Aluminum, Copper and Stainless steel.

Each material input is guided for the output and experimented by the testing data sets. Four different kinds of algorithms are employed for guiding the artificial neural network by the input constraints and their production accomplishments are analyzed by the graphs. Various materials are estimated by their functioning and details are furnished as follows.

Aluminum

Table 1 exhibits the performance analysis graph for the aluminum material by employing various algorithms. The input constraints are furnished to the artificial neural network and the yields are subjected to assessment by means of the MATLAB program.

Table 1 Performance Analysis For Aluminum

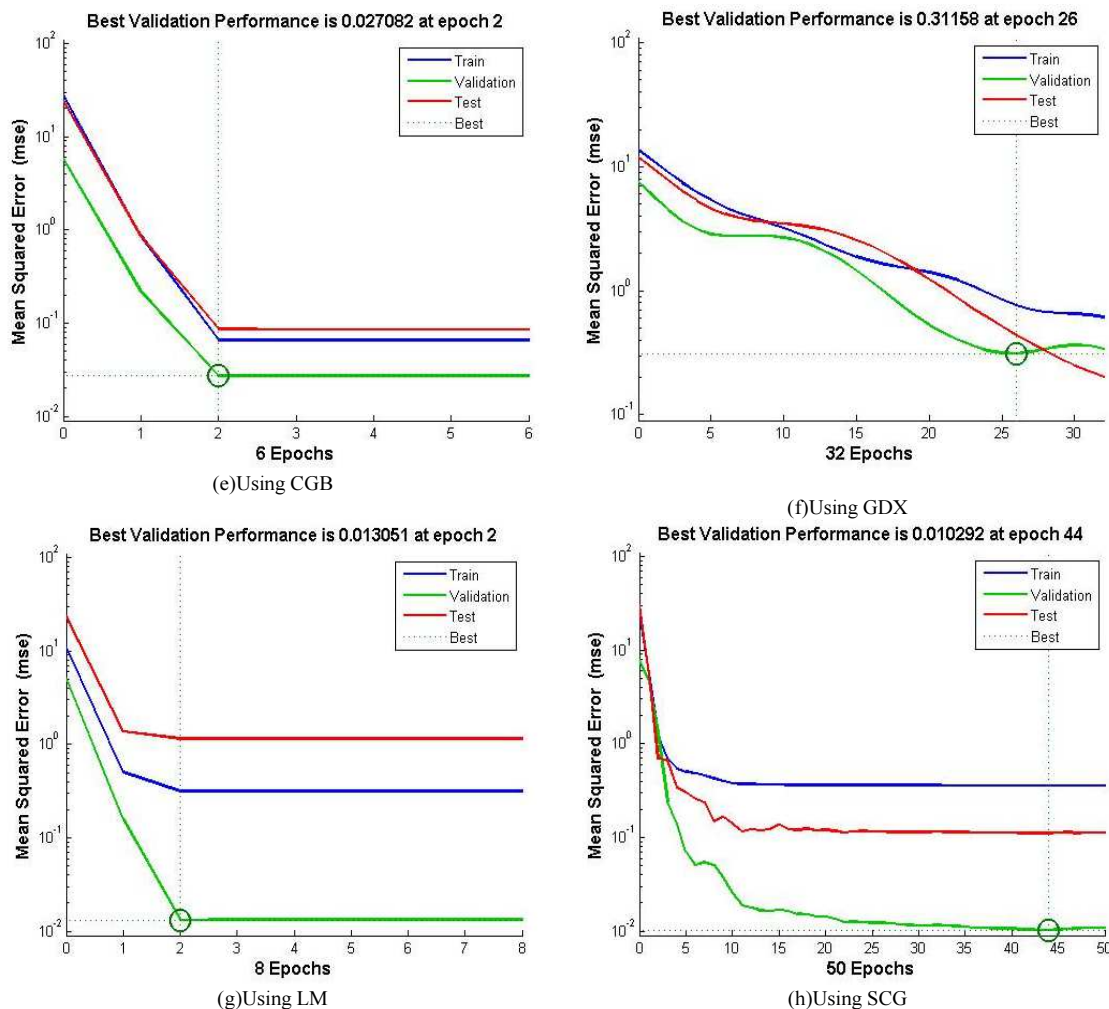


Figures (a), (b), (c) and (d) vividly portray the efficient implementation of the Aluminum material by employing the Conjugate Gradient together with Beale (CGB) algorithm, Variable Learning Rate Gradient Descent (GDX) algorithm, Levenberg-Marquardt (LM) algorithm and Scaled Conjugate Gradient (SCG) algorithm. With the help of these figures, the artificial neural network is guided, probed and authenticated by the input constraints and the resultant yields are plotted. It is evident from the figure that the yields are converged at iteration 8 with minimum error value 0.088972 for CGB, iteration 44 with minimum error value 0.47982 for GDX, iteration 2 with minimum error value 0.027082 for LM and iteration 15 with minimum error value 0.074429 for SCG. As shown by these yields, the Levenberg-Marquardt algorithm is able to furnish the minimum error with the minimum iterations.

Copper

Table 2 exhibits the performance analysis graph for the copper material employing several algorithms. The input constraints are furnished to the artificial neural network and the resultant yields are estimated with the aid of the MATLAB program.

Table 2 Performance Analysis For Copper



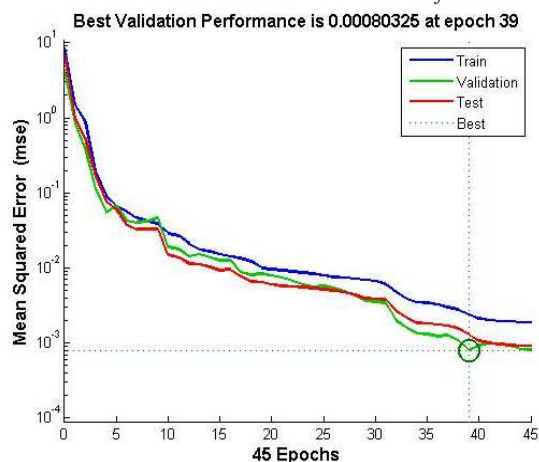
Figures (e), (f), (g) and (h) elucidate the functioning of the Copper material by means of the Conjugate Gradient along with Beale (CGB) algorithm, Variable Learning Rate Gradient Descent (GDX) algorithm, Levenberg-Marquardt (LM) algorithm and Scaled Conjugate Gradient (SCG) algorithm. Based on the figures, the artificial neural network is guided, investigated and authenticated by the input constraints and the consequent yields are calculated with the minimum error value. The yields are converged at iteration 11 with minimum error value 0.10914 for CGB, iteration 26 with minimum error value 0.31158 for GDX, iteration 2 with minimum error value 0.013051 for LM and iteration 44 with minimum error value 0.010292 for SCG. These yields lead us to the conclusion that the Levenberg-Marquardt

algorithm is competent to yield the minimum error with the minimum iterations.

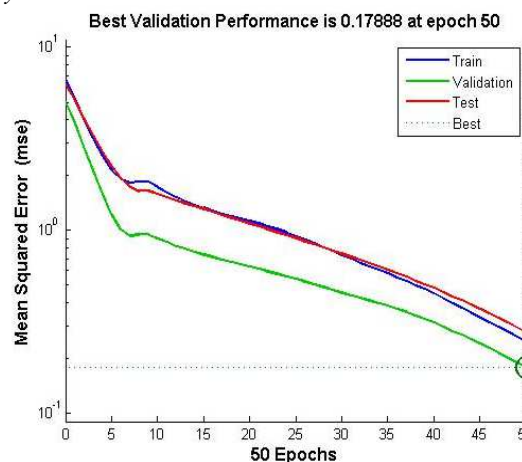
Stainless steel

Table 3 depicts the performance analysis graph for the stainless steel material employing diverse algorithms. The input constraints are furnished to the artificial neural network and the resultant yields are assessed by means of the MATLAB program.

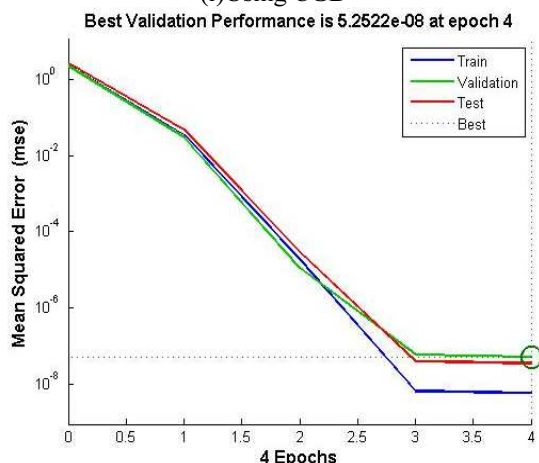
Table 3 Performance Analysis For Stainless Steel



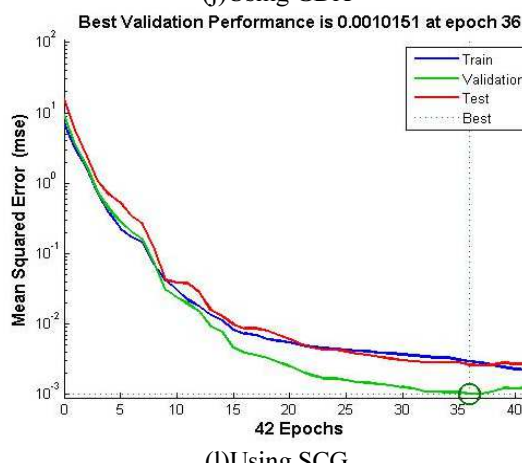
(i)Using CGB



(j)Using GDx



(k)Using LM



(l)Using SCG

Figures (i), (j), (k) and (l) effectively exhibit the excellent execution of the Stainless steel material with the assistance of the Conjugate Gradient together with Beale (CGB) algorithm, Variable Learning Rate Gradient Descent (GDx) algorithm, Levenberg-Marquardt (LM) algorithm and Scaled Conjugate Gradient (SCG) algorithm. With the help of these figures, the artificial neural network is guided, experimented and authenticated by the input constraints and the ensuing yields are plotted. It is crystal clear from these figures that the yields are converged at iteration 39 with minimum error value 0.00080325 for CGB, iteration 50 with minimum error value 0.17888 for GDx, iteration 4 with minimum error value 5.2522e-08 for LM and iteration 36 with minimum error value 0.0010151 for SCG. These yields corroborate the fact that the Levenberg-Marquardt algorithm ushers in the minimum error with the minimum iterations.

These performance analysis figures also underline the fact that the Levenberg-Marquardt (LM) algorithm is competent to yield the minimum error value in relation to other materials.

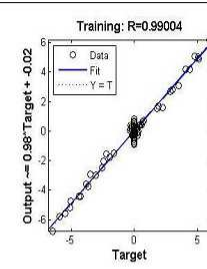
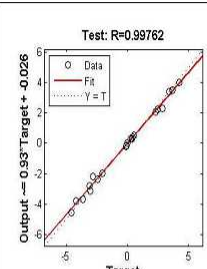
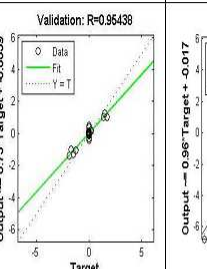
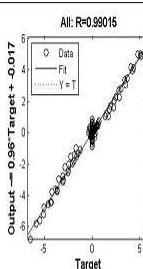
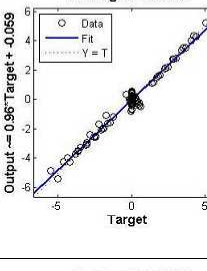
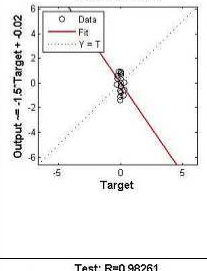
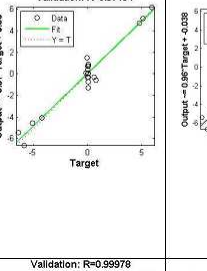
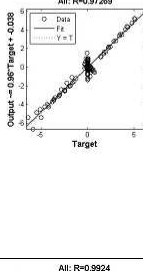
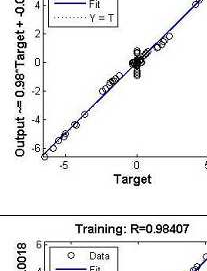
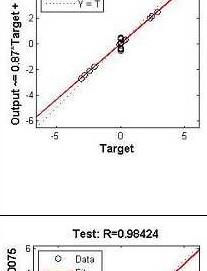
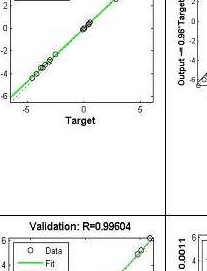
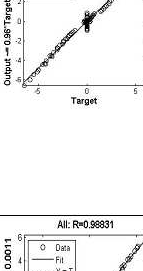
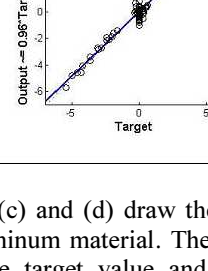
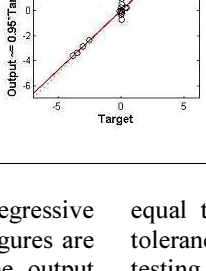
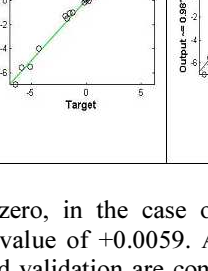
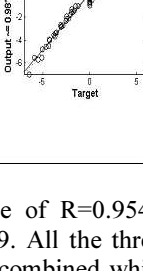
Regressive Analysis

Figure 3 depicts the regressive analysis graph for aluminum, copper and stainless steel material. The captioned figure exhibits separately the training procedure, testing process, validation method and combined all the processes for the specified input values.

Aluminum

The ensuing figure demonstrates the regressive analysis for Aluminum. We observe from these figures that all processes such as training, testing and validation are estimated independently for a point which is almost identical to zero with minimum tolerable error value.

Table 4 Regressive Analysis For Aluminum

Algorithm	Training	Testing	Validation	All
CGB (a)				
GDX (b)				
LM (c)				
SGC (d)				

Figures (a), (b), (c) and (d) draw the regressive analysis of the aluminum material. The figures are plotted between the target value and the output value with the tolerance. Each graph shows the diverse algorithms used for the training value, testing value, validation value and integrates all the three data sets. Figure (a) illustrates the Conjugate Gradient with Powell/Beale algorithm employed for the aluminum material which reveals the training value as almost equal to zero, in the case of $R=0.99004$ with a tolerance value of $+0.02$. The testing value is around zero, in the case of $R=0.99762$ with a tolerance value of $+0.026$. The validation value for the future reference is almost

equal to zero, in the case of $R=0.95438$ with a tolerance value of $+0.0059$. All the three training, testing and validation are combined which is more or less equal to zero, in the case of $R=0.98015$ with a tolerance value of $+0.017$. All the above explanations are replicated for residual three algorithms for which values are given against each algorithm. The Variable Learning Rate Gradient Descent (GDX) algorithm represented in Figure (b) is employed for the Training process $R=0.98734$ with tolerance $+0.059$, Testing process $R=0.33039$ with tolerance $+0.02$, Validation process $R=0.97194$ with tolerance $+0.03$ and the amalgamated process $R=0.97269$ with $+0.038$. The

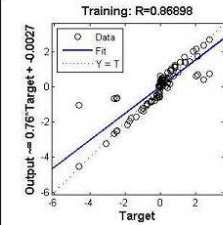
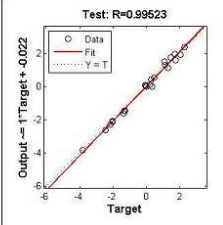
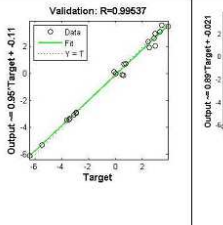
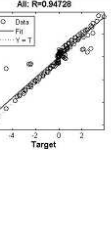
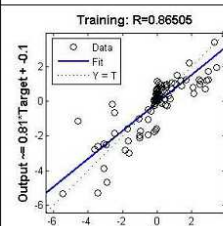
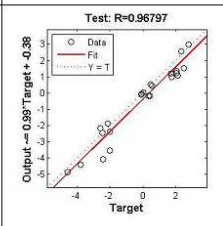
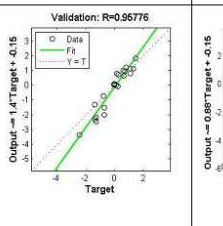
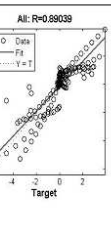
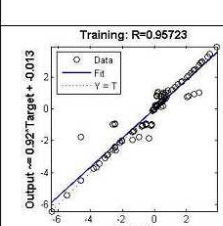
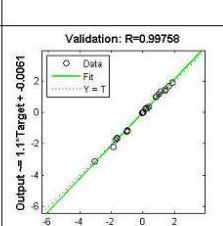
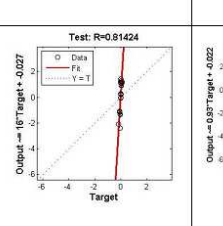
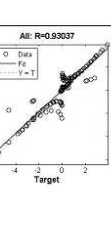
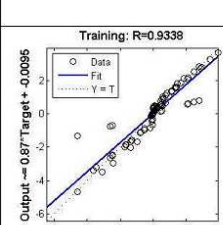
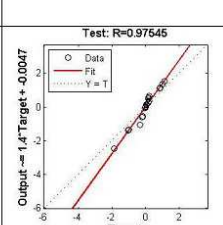
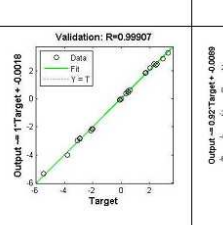
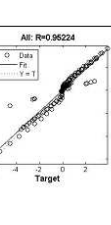
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process $R=0.99604$ with tolerance $+0.0059$ and the integrated process $R=0.98831$ with $+0.0011$.

Copper

The following figure illustrates the regressive analysis for copper. With these figures, each process such as training, testing and validation are estimated independently for the point which is almost equal to zero with minimum tolerable error value.

Table 5 Regressive Analysis For Copper

Algo rithm	Training	Testing	Validation	All
CGB (e)	Training: $R=0.86898$ Output $\approx 0.76 \times \text{Target} + 0.0027$ 	Test: $R=0.99523$ Output $\approx 1 \times \text{Target} + 0.022$ 	Validation: $R=0.99537$ Output $\approx 0.95 \times \text{Target} + 0.11$ 	All: $R=0.94729$ Output $\approx 0.97 \times \text{Target} + 0.021$ 
GDX (f)	Training: $R=0.86605$ Output $\approx 0.81 \times \text{Target} + 0.1$ 	Test: $R=0.96797$ Output $\approx 0.99 \times \text{Target} + 0.38$ 	Validation: $R=0.95776$ Output $\approx 1.4 \times \text{Target} + 0.15$ 	All: $R=0.89039$ Output $\approx 0.97 \times \text{Target} + 0.15$ 
LM (g)	Training: $R=0.95723$ Output $\approx 0.92 \times \text{Target} + 0.013$ 	Validation: $R=0.99758$ Output $\approx 1.1 \times \text{Target} + 0.0051$ 	Test: $R=0.81424$ Output $\approx 16 \times \text{Target} + 0.027$ 	All: $R=0.93037$ Output $\approx 0.97 \times \text{Target} + 0.027$ 
SGC (h)	Training: $R=0.9338$ Output $\approx 0.87 \times \text{Target} + 0.0095$ 	Test: $R=0.97645$ Output $\approx 1.4 \times \text{Target} + 0.0047$ 	Validation: $R=0.99907$ Output $\approx 1 \times \text{Target} + 0.0016$ 	All: $R=0.96224$ Output $\approx 0.92 \times \text{Target} + 0.0089$ 

Figures (e), (f), (g) and (h) illustrate the regressive analysis of the copper material. The figures are plotted between the target value and the output value with the tolerance. Each graph depicts the diverse algorithms employed for the training value, testing value, validation value and combines

all the three data sets. Figure (e) exhibits the Conjugate Gradient with Powell/Beale algorithm employed for the copper material indicating the training value as around zero, when $R=0.86898$ with a tolerance value of $+0.0027$. The testing value is almost zero, when $R=0.99523$ with a tolerance

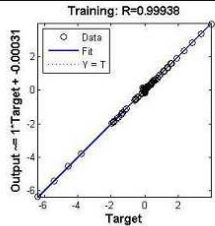
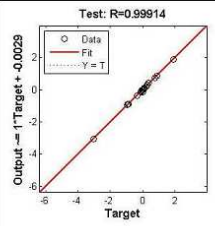
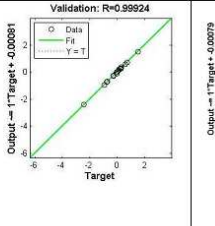
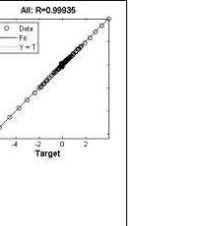
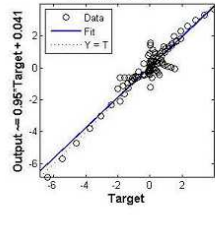
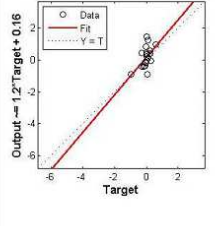
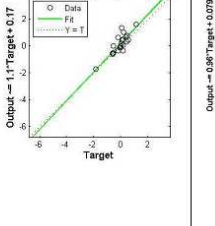
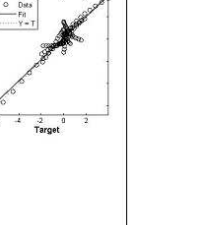
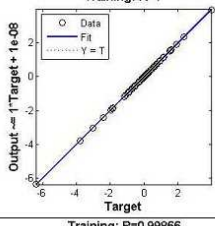
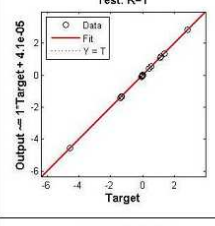
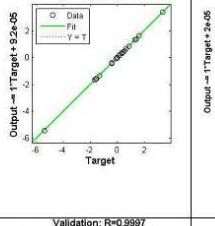
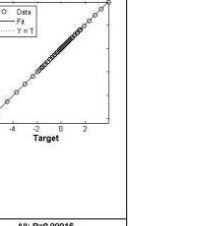
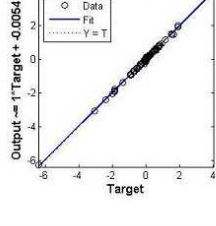
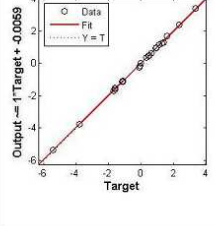
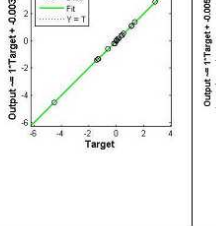
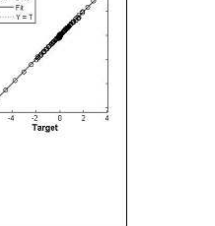
value of +0.022. The validation value for the future reference is nearly equal to zero, when $R=0.99537$ with a tolerance value of +0.11. All the three training, testing and validation are combined which is around zero, when $R=0.94728$ with a tolerance value of +0.021. The above explanations are replicated for residual three algorithms for which values are shown against each algorithm. The Variable Learning Rate Gradient Descent (GDX) algorithm represented by Figure (f) is employed for the Training process $R=0.86504$ with tolerance +0.1, Testing process $R=0.96797$ with tolerance +0.38, Validation process $R=0.95776$ with tolerance +0.15 and the integrated process $R=0.89039$ with +0.15. The Levenberg-Marquardt algorithm depicted by Figure (g) is employed for the Training process $R=0.95723$ with tolerance +0.013, Testing process $R=0.81424$ with tolerance

+0.027, Validation process $R=0.99758$ with tolerance +0.0061 and the fused process $R=0.93037$ with +0.022. The Scaled Conjugate Gradient algorithm illustrated by Figure (h) is employed for the Training process $R=0.9338$ with tolerance +0.0096, Testing process $R=0.97545$ with tolerance +0.0047, Validation process $R=0.99907$ with tolerance +0.0018 and the amalgamated process $R=0.95224$ with +0.0089.

Stainless steel

The ensuing figure illustrates the regressive analysis for stainless steel. With the aid of these figures, all processes such as training, testing, validation are estimated independently for the point which is more or less equal to zero with minimum tolerable error value.

Table 6 Regressive Analysis For Stainless Steel

Algo rithm	Training	Testing	Validation	All
CGB (i)	Training: $R=0.99938$ Output = $1.1 \times \text{Target} + 0.00031$ 	Test: $R=0.99914$ Output = $1.1 \times \text{Target} + 0.0029$ 	Validation: $R=0.99924$ Output = $1.1 \times \text{Target} + 0.0081$ 	All: $R=0.99936$ Output = $1.1 \times \text{Target} + 0.00079$ 
GDX (j)	Training: $R=0.94336$ Output = $0.95 \times \text{Target} + 0.041$ 	Test: $R=0.53121$ Output = $1.2 \times \text{Target} + 0.16$ 	Validation: $R=0.83427$ Output = $1.1 \times \text{Target} + 0.17$ 	All: $R=0.92884$ Output = $1.06 \times \text{Target} + 0.079$ 
LM (k)	Training: $R=1$ Output = $1 \times \text{Target} + 1e-08$ 	Test: $R=1$ Output = $1 \times \text{Target} + 4.1e-05$ 	Validation: $R=1$ Output = $1 \times \text{Target} + 9.2e-05$ 	All: $R=1$ Output = $1 \times \text{Target} + 9e-05$ 
SGC (l)	Training: $R=0.99866$ Output = $1.1 \times \text{Target} + 0.0054$ 	Test: $R=0.99962$ Output = $1.1 \times \text{Target} + 0.0050$ 	Validation: $R=0.9997$ Output = $1.1 \times \text{Target} + 0.0033$ 	All: $R=0.99916$ Output = $1.1 \times \text{Target} + 0.0062$ 

Figures (i), (j), (k) and (l) illustrate the regressive analysis of the Stainless steel material. The figures are plotted between the target value and the output value with the tolerance. Each graph depicts the various algorithms employed for the training value, testing value, validation value and integrated all the three data sets. Figure (i) demonstrates the Conjugate Gradient with Powell/Beale algorithm employed for the aluminum material which indicates the training value as almost equal to zero when $R=0.99938$ with a tolerance value of $+0.00031$. The aluminum material indicates the testing value as more or less equal to zero, in the case of $R=0.99914$ with a tolerance value of $+0.0029$. The validation value for the future reference is around zero when $R=0.99924$ with a tolerance value of $+0.00081$. All the three training, testing and validation are combined which is more or less equal to zero, when $R=0.99935$ with a tolerance value of $+0.0079$. The above explanations are replicated for the residual three algorithms for which values are furnished against each algorithm. The Variable Learning Rate Gradient Descent (GDx) algorithm represented by Figure (j) is employed for the Training process $R=0.94336$ with tolerance $+0.041$, Testing process $R=0.53121$ with tolerance $+0.16$, Validation process $R=0.83427$ with tolerance $+0.17$ and the combined process $R=0.92684$ with $+0.079$. The Levenberg-Marquardt algorithm shown by Figure (k) is employed for the Training process $R=1$ with tolerance $+1e-08$, Testing process $R=1$ with tolerance $+4.1e-08$, Validation process $R=1$ with tolerance $+9.2e-05$ and the integrated process $R=1$ with $+2e-05$. The Scaled Conjugate Gradient algorithm depicted by Figure (l) is employed for the Training process $R=0.99866$ with tolerance $+0.0054$, Testing process $R=0.99962$ with tolerance $+0.0059$, Validation process $R=0.9997$ with tolerance $+0.0033$ and the amalgamated process $R=0.99916$ with $+0.0052$.

6. EXPERIMENTAL AND ARTIFICIAL NEURAL NETWORK RESULT ANALYSIS

Figure 2 shows the output of different materials such as aluminum, copper and stainless steel yielded by displacement analysis of the multi-hole probe. Different colors show different materials and the point ‘♦’ shows the maximum and the point ‘o’ shows the minimum of displacement.

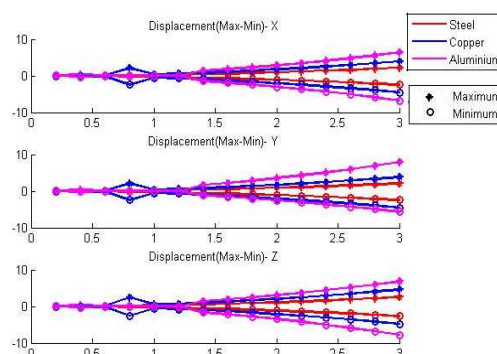


Figure 2 Displacement (max-min) for aluminum, copper and stainless steel material

The maximum-minimum displacement graph shows the experimental analysis of three different materials. The three different figures show the three different co-ordinates of the material performance analysis. The graph is based on the experimental value of the materials. From this, it is clear that the aluminum material has the maximum experimental value compared with other two materials and it is indicated by violet color and it is not near to zero. The copper material comes second whose value is smaller than that of aluminum but not close to zero and it is represented by blue color. The value of stainless steel material is nearly close to zero which is indicated by the red colored line. The stainless steel material has the minimum experimental value and is close to zero. From figure, it is observed that the other two co-ordinates also indicate the same value which is nearer to zero for the stainless steel material.

Figure 3 shows the stress (minimum) output of different materials such as aluminum, copper and stainless steel by means of multi-hole probe.

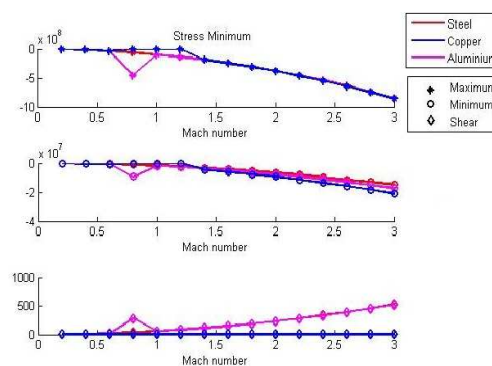


Figure 3 Stress (Minimum) For Aluminum, Copper And Stainless Steel Material

Figure 3 shows the stress output of the material in the minimum range of stress. The different colors show different materials i.e., ‘brown’ color exhibits the stainless steel material, ‘blue’ color indicates the copper and ‘violet’ color demonstrates the aluminum material. The maximum point is indicated by the symbol ‘◆’, the minimum point, by the symbol ‘○’ and the symbol ‘◇’ shows the shear points for the minimum ranges. From figure, it is obvious that the stress points get increased from zero but the points are maximum and equal with slighter deviations and the stainless steel material point is nearly equal to zero. Both at maximum and minimum, the stainless steel material is nearer to zero. The shear points show that they are almost near to zero but aluminum material has the maximum deviations.

Figure 4 shows the stress (maximum) output of different materials such as aluminum, copper and stainless steel by means of multi-hole probe.

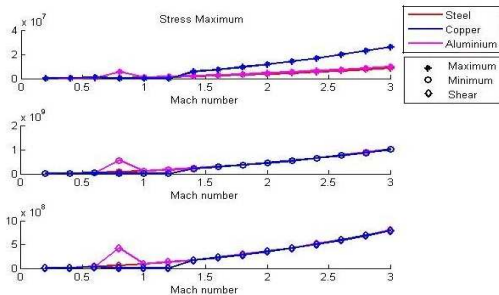


Figure 4 Stress (Maximum) For Aluminum, Copper And Stainless Steel Material

Figure 4 shows the stress output of the material in the minimum range of the stress. The different colors show the different materials i.e., ‘brown’ color indicates the stainless steel material, ‘blue’ color exhibits the copper and ‘violet’ color indicates the aluminum material. The maximum point is indicated by the notation ‘◆’, the minimum point by the notation ‘○’ and the notation ‘◇’ shows the shear points for the minimum ranges. From the graph, it is clear that the Mach number increases along with the experimental value. The copper material has the maximum Mach number and it goes beyond zero. Aluminum and SS steel have Mach number nearer to zero whereas those of the stainless steel material are closer to zero. From the above, the stainless steel material gives the minimum displacement and stress when compared with other materials. From the material analysis the stainless steel material is best for the multi-hole probe for different Mach number conditions.

Figure 5 shows the displacement (maximum) analysis of different algorithms used in the neural network for the three different materials such as aluminum, copper and stainless steel.

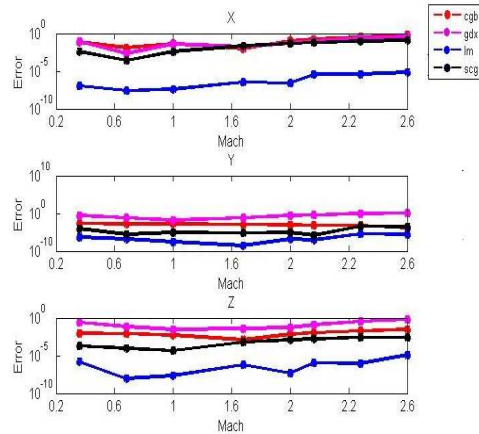


Figure 5 Displacement (Maximum) Using Artificial Neural Network

From the graph, it is clear that red color represents Conjugate Gradient with Beale (CGB) algorithm, while violet color indicates the Variable Learning Rate Gradient Descent (GDX) algorithm. Blue color symbolizes the Levenberg-Marquette (LM) algorithm, whereas black color signifies the Scaled Conjugate Gradient (SCG) algorithm. The graph x axis indicates the Mach number and y axis, the error value between the artificial neural network and the experimental value. From this figure, it is evident that the LM algorithm gives the minimum error value when compared with those of the other algorithms.

Figure 6 shows the displacement (minimum) analysis of different algorithms used in the neural network for three different materials such as aluminum, copper and stainless steel.

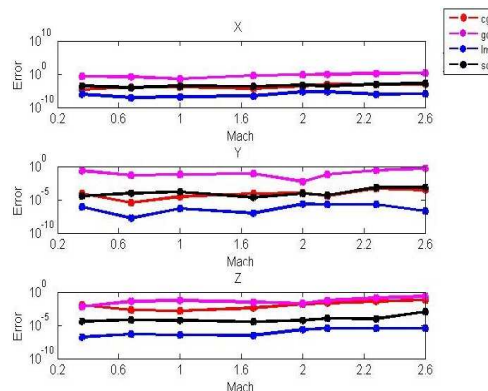


Figure 6 Displacement (Minimum) Using Artificial Neural Network

As is evident from the graph, red color stands for Conjugate Gradient with Beale (CGB) algorithm, while violet color represents the Variable Learning Rate Gradient Descent (GDX) algorithm. Blue color signifies the Levenberg-Marquette (LM) algorithm, whereas black color symbolizes the Scaled Conjugate Gradient (SCG) algorithm. The graph x axis represents the Mach number and y axis, the error value between the artificial neural network and the experimental value. It is clear from this figure that the LM algorithm gives the minimum error value when compared with those of the other algorithms. From the above two figures, the displacement (maximum-minimum) error value is minimum in the Levenberg-Marquette (LM) algorithm which gives the best results.

Figure 7 shows the stress (minimum) analysis of different algorithms used in the neural network for the three different materials such as aluminum, copper and stainless steel.

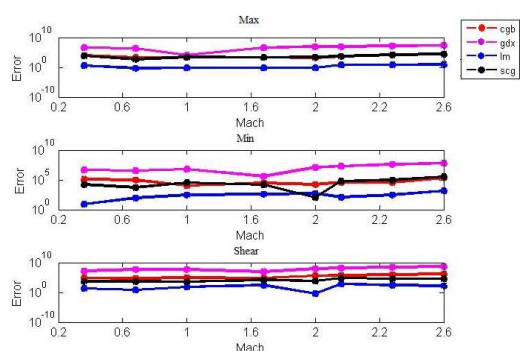


Figure 7 Stress (Minimum) Using Artificial Neural Network

As is clear from the graph, red color signifies Conjugate Gradient with Beale (CGB) algorithm, while violet color represents the Variable Learning Rate Gradient Descent (GDX) algorithm. Blue color symbolizes the Levenberg-Marquette (LM) algorithm, and black color symbolizes the Scaled Conjugate Gradient (SCG) algorithm. The error value of the stress (minimum) is minimum in the LM algorithm output which is shown as blue color in the graph. It is nearer to zero when compared with the outputs of the other three algorithms.

Figure 8 shows the stress (minimum) analysis of different algorithms used in the neural network for three different materials such as aluminum, copper and stainless steel.

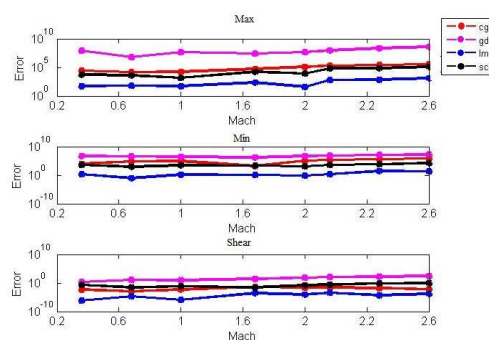


Figure 8 Stress (Maximum) Using Artificial Neural Network

As is evident from the graph, red color indicates Conjugate Gradient with Beale (CGB) algorithm, while violet color represents the Variable Learning Rate Gradient Descent (GDX) algorithm. Blue color signifies the Levenberg-Marquette (LM) algorithm, while black color stands for the Scaled Conjugate Gradient (SCG) algorithm. The error value of the stress (minimum) is minimum in the LM algorithm output which is shown as blue color in the graph. It is nearer to zero when compared with the outputs of other three algorithms.

From the above graphs, the stress (maximum-minimum) gives minimum error value, when the Levenberg-Marquette (LM) algorithm is used. From among all the figures, the LM algorithm gives the minimum error value and the best result compared with those of other algorithms.

7. CONCLUSION

The different types of materials such as aluminum, copper and stainless steel probes are used to analyze their performance in the real time experiments and their outputs in terms of displacement and stress are analyzed. From this material performance analysis, the stainless steel material is found to yield the best result compared with those of other materials. The artificial neural network technique is implemented on the experimental data sets for the displacement and stress outputs of the different types of material probes with different training algorithms such as Levenberg-Marquette (LM) algorithm, Conjugate Gradient with Beale (CGB) algorithm, Variable Learning Rate Gradient Descent (GDX) algorithm and Scaled Conjugate Gradient (SCG) algorithm. The outputs are computed by using the four different training algorithms and the results are compared with the data sets and the output results are found to be approximately equal to the data set values. From this, it is clear that the Levenberg-

Marquette algorithm has been able to furnish the best result with minimum error value compared with those of the other algorithms. In future, the researchers will be using this paper as platform for analyzing the material performance with their own techniques and will utilize it for their research works. In the neural network, the weight factor is in the range of [0, 1] and it is assumed by the system within this range. The number of neurons and layers used here are 20 and 1 respectively, which are taken as constant for the purpose of calculations. But it may be varied for more accurate values and further the result also gets more improved. Different materials are used to predict their performance by using the ANN network.

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