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### **Molecular Fingerprint-based Artificial Neural Networks QSAR for Ligand Biological Activity Predictions**

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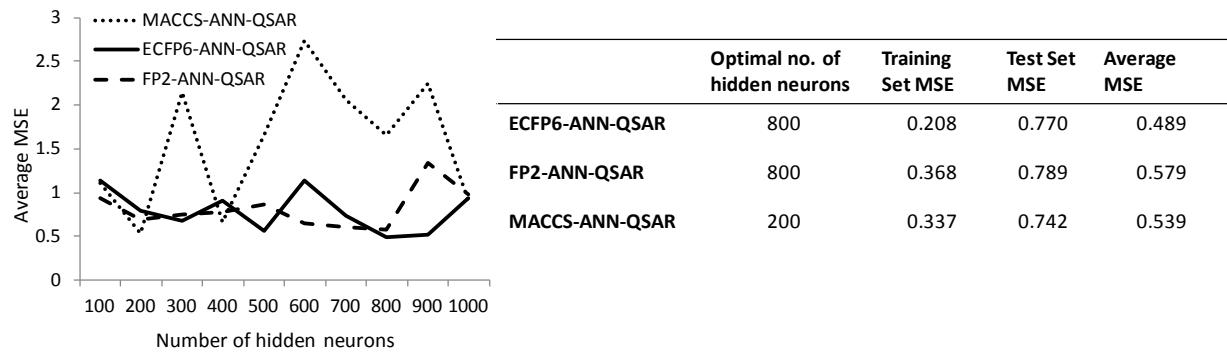


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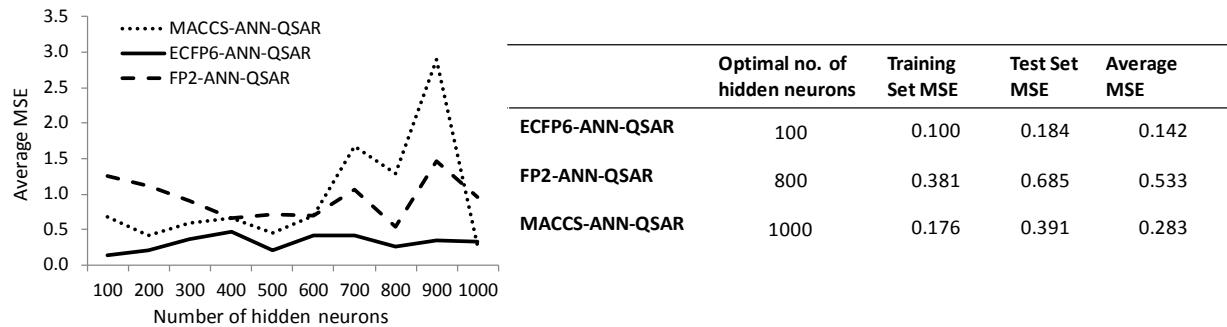


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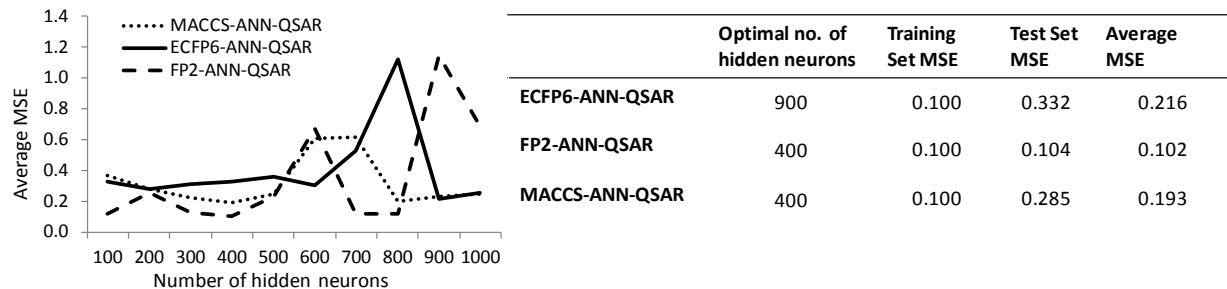


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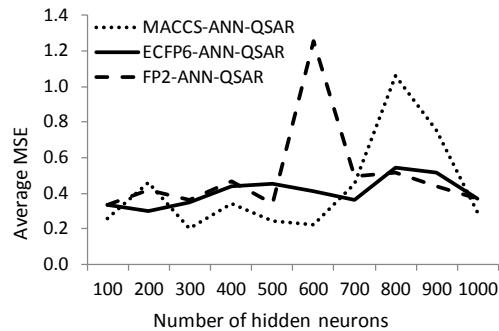


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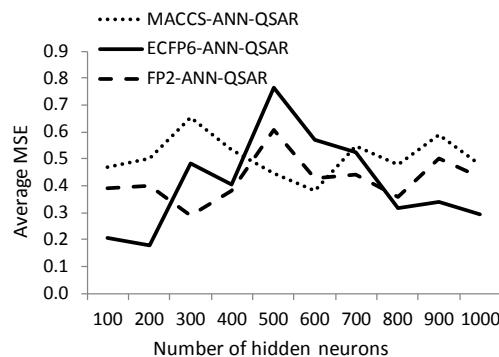


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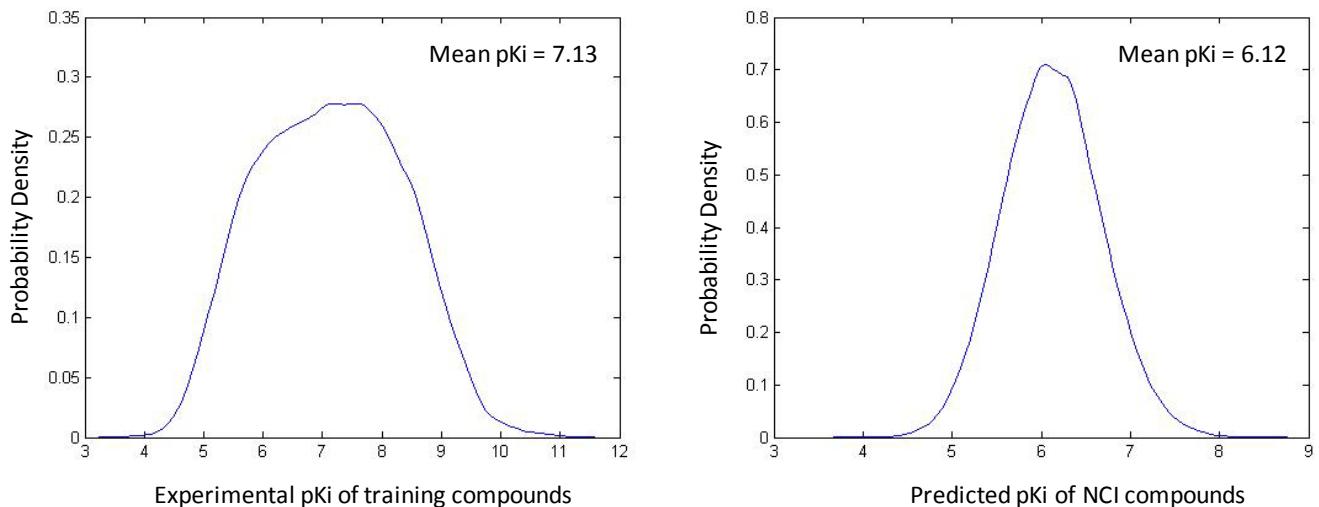


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Round	Training MSE	Validation MSE	Avg. MSE	Optimal No. of Hidden Neurons	$r^2$ training	$r^2$ validation
1	0.169	0.733	0.451	1000	0.87	0.47
2	0.126	0.832	0.479	500	0.91	0.49
3	0.362	0.645	0.504	600	0.74	0.53
4	0.262	0.555	0.409	400	0.81	0.59
5	0.332	0.776	0.554	800	0.74	0.49
6	0.214	0.830	0.522	200	0.84	0.41
7	0.207	0.622	0.415	500	0.85	0.56
8	0.181	0.764	0.472	400	0.87	0.51
9	0.255	0.563	0.409	800	0.82	0.60
10	0.227	0.713	0.470	900	0.84	0.52
11	0.217	0.636	0.427	600	0.83	0.51
12	0.239	0.832	0.535	600	0.82	0.50
13	0.185	0.729	0.457	800	0.87	0.43
14	0.137	0.656	0.396	400	0.90	0.54
15	0.389	0.565	0.477	900	0.70	0.55
16	0.159	0.727	0.443	500	0.87	0.50
17	0.303	0.709	0.506	500	0.78	0.50
18	0.182	0.515	0.348	600	0.87	0.64
19	0.219	0.681	0.450	900	0.83	0.53
20	0.208	0.567	0.388	1000	0.85	0.53

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