

# Optimal Linear Transformations of Functional Data for Clustering Methods

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## Diagnosis of Psychiatric Illness

- ▶ Diagnostic and Statistical Manual of Mental Disorders (DSM-5)
- ▶ Nosology: the branch of medical science dealing with the classification of diseases



## DSM-5 Exmaples

### Diagnostic Criteria

A. Five (or more) of the following symptoms have been present during the same 2-week period and represent a change from previous functioning; at least one of the symptoms is either (1) depressed mood or (2) loss of interest or pleasure.

**Note:** Do not include symptoms that are clearly attributable to another medical condition.

1. Depressed mood most of the day, nearly every day, as indicated by either subjective report (e.g., feels sad, empty, hopeless) or observation made by others (e.g., appears tearful). (**Note:** In children and adolescents, can be irritable mood.)
2. Markedly diminished interest or pleasure in all, or almost all, activities most of the day, nearly every day (as indicated by either subjective account or observation).

### Major Depressive Disorder

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3. Significant weight loss when not dieting or weight gain (e.g., a change of more than 5% of body weight in a month), or decrease or increase in appetite nearly every day. (**Note:** In children, consider failure to make expected weight gain.)
  4. Insomnia or hypersomnia nearly every day.
  5. Psychomotor agitation or retardation nearly every day (observable by others, not merely subjective feelings of restlessness or being slowed down).
  6. Fatigue or loss of energy nearly every day.
  7. Feelings of worthlessness or excessive or inappropriate guilt (which may be delusional) nearly every day (not merely self-reproach or guilt about being sick).
  8. Diminished ability to think or concentrate, or indecisiveness, nearly every day (either by subjective account or as observed by others).
  9. Recurrent thoughts of death (not just fear of dying), recurrent suicidal ideation without a specific plan, or a suicide attempt or a specific plan for committing suicide.
- B. The symptoms cause clinically significant distress or impairment in social, occupational, or other important areas of functioning.
- C. The episode is not attributable to the physiological effects of a substance or to another medical condition.

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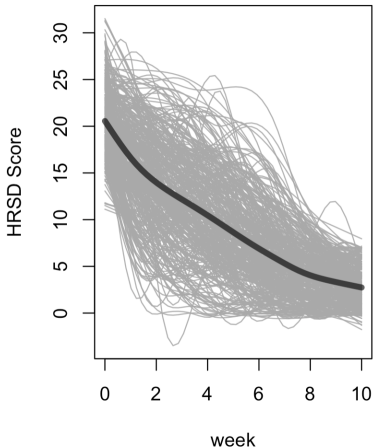
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(a) depression

(b) bipolar

## Functional Examples

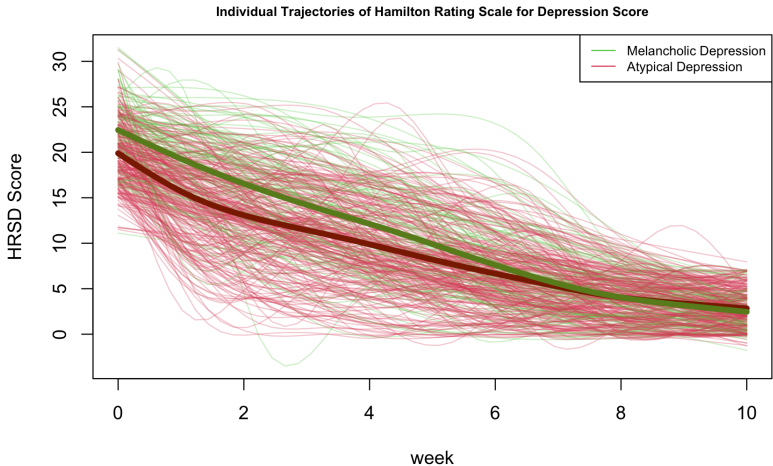
Individual Trajectories of Hamilton Rating Scale for Depression Score



- ▶ 353 patients in total
- ▶ 10 weeks open label
- ▶ all patients get drug
- ▶ melancholic depression or atypical depression diagnosed by DSM-5 criteria
- ▶ mean trajectory of the HRSD decreases



## Functional Examples



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## Functional Data

$\mathbf{y}_i(t), i = 1, \dots, n, t \in T$ , typically a compact real interval

$$\mathbf{y}_i(t) = \mathbf{b}'(t)\boldsymbol{\beta}_i + \epsilon_i(t) = \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \beta_{ij} \mathbf{b}_j(t) + \epsilon_i(t)$$

$\mathbf{b} = (b_1(t), \dots, b_p(t), \dots)'$  is a vector basis observations represented by basis functions

$\boldsymbol{\beta}_i = (\beta_{1i}, \dots, \beta_{ip}, \dots)'$  is a vector of regression coefficients

## Examples of Functional Data in Mental Health

- ▶ MRI and fMRI data (Reiss et al. 2014, *JCGS*, and Chen et al. 2014, *Biometrics* )
- ▶ EEG data of Brain (Tarpey and Petkova 2012)
- ▶ Any data that is not a point and can be seen as trajectories or expressed by basis functions

## Preconditioning - Linear Transformation

The linear model

$$\mathbf{y}_i = \mathbf{X}_i \boldsymbol{\beta}_i + \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_i$$

is identical to

$$\mathbf{y}_i = [\mathbf{X}_i \mathbf{A}^{-1}] [\mathbf{A} \boldsymbol{\beta}_i] + \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_i$$

If  $\mathbf{A}$  is a non-singular matrix.

The linearly transformed design matrix  $\mathbf{X}_i \mathbf{A}^{-1}$  can be regarded as a change in the basis representation of the functional data

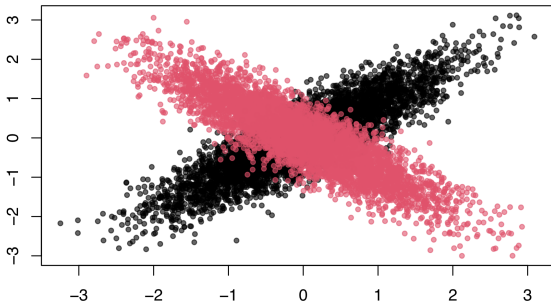
**However, Clustering result based on the original coefficients  $\boldsymbol{\beta}_i$  can differ dramatically from cluster results using  $\mathbf{A} \boldsymbol{\beta}_i$**

## Cluster Results Changes by Linear Transformation

## Simulated Data

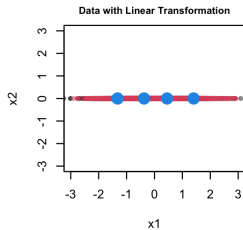
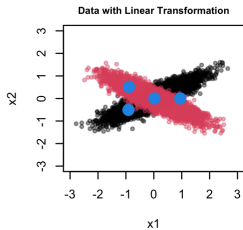
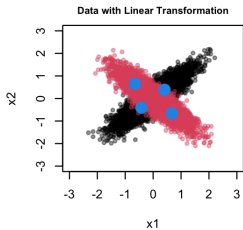
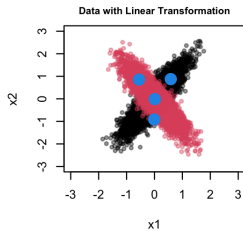
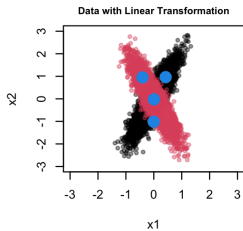
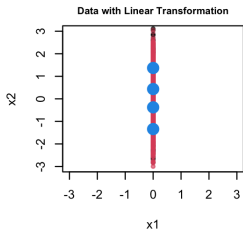
Data is simulated from two bi-variate normal distributions

$$\mathbf{X}_1 \sim N\left(\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0.8 & -0.7 \\ -0.7 & 0.8 \end{pmatrix}\right) \quad \mathbf{X}_2 \sim N\left(\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 0.8 & 0.7 \\ 0.7 & 0.8 \end{pmatrix}\right)$$





# Linear Transformation





## Linear Transformation

**Goal:** Find a linear transformation  $\mathbf{A}$  to optimize the clustering

## Method

Let  $\mathbf{X}$  be the data,  $\mathbf{A}$  be a non-singular matrix represent the linear transformation, and  $\mathcal{C}$  represent the current label (e.g. diagnosis of melancholic depression or atypical depression)

$$\min L(Kmeans(\mathbf{XA}), \mathcal{C})$$

Where

$$\mathbf{A} = \arg \min L(Kmeans(\mathbf{X}\tilde{\mathbf{A}}), \mathcal{C})$$

**Question:** How do we find an appropriate Loss function  $L$ ?

## Method

**Question:** The number of the distinct classes in the label might be different from the K-means (K pre-determined). Way to measure the "match-up" of the two-different clustering of a data?

## Variation of Information (VI)

Given two clusterings of the same data  $\mathcal{C}_1$  and  $\mathcal{C}_2$ , let

$$P(j, j') = \frac{|C_j \cap C'_j|}{n}, \quad j = 1, 2, \dots, K$$

for cluster  $C_j$  in  $\mathcal{C}_1$  and cluster  $C'_j$  in  $\mathcal{C}_2$ .

$$\text{Mutual Information} = I(\mathcal{C}_1, \mathcal{C}_2) = \sum_{j=1}^K \sum_{j'=1}^K P(j, j') \log\left(\frac{P(j, j')}{P(j, j)P(j', j')}\right)$$

$$\text{Entropy for } \mathcal{C} = H(\mathcal{C}) = - \sum_{j=1}^k P(j) \log(P(j))$$



## Variation of Information (VI) continuous

### metrics to measuring similarity between two clustering of the same data

$$\text{Variation Information} = VI(\mathcal{C}_1, \mathcal{C}_2) = H(\mathcal{C}_1) + H(\mathcal{C}_2) - 2I(\mathcal{C}_1, \mathcal{C}_2)$$

- ① **Optimal:**  $VI = 0$  if the two clusterings produce identical clusters (up to a re-labeling)
- ②  $VI > 0$  otherwise
- ③  $VI(\mathcal{C}_1, \mathcal{C}_2)$  is bounded by  $\log(n)$  or  $2 \log(K^*)$ ,  
 $K^* = \max(K, K')$



## Parametrize Linear Transformation Matrix $A$ – Two Dimension Case

$$R = \begin{pmatrix} \cos \theta & -\sin \theta \\ \sin \theta & \cos \theta \end{pmatrix}$$
$$\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{B} \times \mathbf{R}$$

where  $\mathbf{B}$  can be any unit vector in two dimensional space

## Parametrize of Linear Transformation Matrix $A$ – High Dimensional Case

$$R = \prod_{i=2}^p R_i$$

$$R_i = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & 0 & 0 & -b_{1i} & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ b_{i1} & 0 & 0 & a_{ii} & \dots & 0 & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix}_{p \times p}$$

$$a_{pq} = \cos \gamma_q \quad b_{pq} = \sin \gamma_q$$

Obtain the Projection Matrix  $A$  – High Dimensional Case

We can find matrix  $A$  by

$$\mathbf{A}_{q \times p} = \mathbf{B}_{q \times p} \times \mathbf{R}_{p \times p}$$

$$\mathbf{A}_{q \times p} = \arg \min VI(Kmeans(\mathbf{X}\tilde{\mathbf{A}}, \mathcal{C}))$$

- ①  $\mathbf{B}_{q \times p}$  is an orthonormal matrix with  $q$  norm vectors in the  $p$

dimensional space (e.g.  $\mathbf{B}_{q \times p} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & \dots & 0 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & \dots & 0 \end{pmatrix}_{q \times p}$  )

- ②  $q \leq K^* - 1$

## Obtain the Projection Matrix $\mathbf{A}$ – High Dimensional Case

### Recall

- ▶ data matrix  $\mathbf{X}_{n \times p}$
- ▶ non-singular transformation matrix  $\mathbf{A}_{p \times q}$
- ▶  $\mathbf{y}_i(t) = \mathbf{b}'(t)\boldsymbol{\beta}_i + \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_i(t) = \sum_{j=1}^{\infty} \beta_{ij} \mathbf{b}_j(t) + \boldsymbol{\epsilon}_i(t)$

Instead of clustering the data based on the raw data  $\mathbf{X}$ , we can cluster the data based on the coefficients  $\boldsymbol{\beta}_{n \times r}$ .

We can obtain the transformation matrix  $\mathbf{A}$  and cluster  $\mathcal{G}$  by

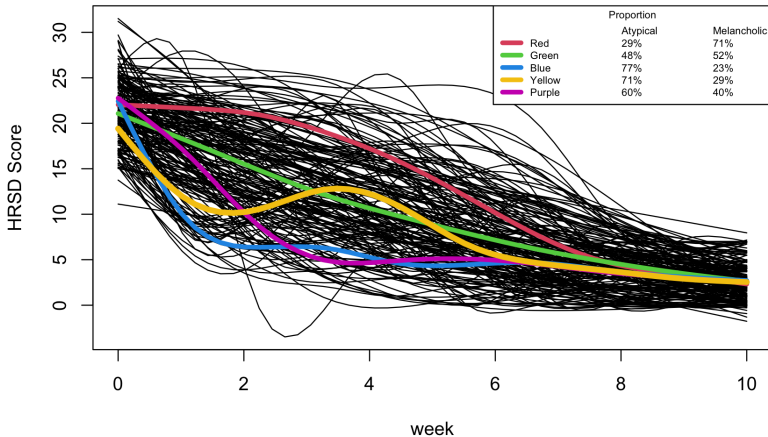
$$\mathbf{A} = \arg \min \left[ VI \left( Kmeans(\boldsymbol{\beta}\mathbf{A}), \mathcal{C} \right) \right]$$

$$\mathcal{G} = \arg \min_{\mathcal{G}} \sum_{i=1}^K \sum_{x \in i} \|\boldsymbol{\beta}\mathbf{A} - \mu_i\|^2$$



$K = 5, q = 4$

### individual trajectories of HRSD Score



## Improvement on Variation Information

	$K = 3$	$K = 4$	$K = 5$
no transformation	2.31	2.71	2.96
$q = 1$	1.46	1.82	2.03
$q = 2$	1.40	1.78	2.02
$q = 3$		1.76	1.95
$q = 4$			1.91

Table 1: Variation Information w.r.t  $K$  and  $q$

The variation information reduce with projection on a higher dimension for each  $K$

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## Outcome Guided K-means, L Meng, D Avram, G Tseng, Z Huo, 2020

$$\max_{C, \mathbf{w}} \sum_{g=1}^G w_g \left[ \frac{BCSS_g}{TSS_g} + \lambda U_g \right]$$

$$\text{subject to } \|\mathbf{w}\|_2 \leq 1, \|\mathbf{w}\|_1 \leq s$$

$$U_g = 1 - \left[ \frac{L(f_0)}{L(f_g)} \right]^{\frac{2}{n}}$$

where  $n$  is the number of subjects,  $L(f_0)$  is the likelihood of null model, and  $L(f_g)$  is the likelihood of model  $f_g$ .

Univariate regression model  $f_g$  can be linear model, glm, cox model or other regression models.

The scale of  $\frac{L(f_0)}{L(f_g)}$  and  $\frac{BCSS_g}{TSS_g}$  are both  $[0, 1]$

## Outcome-Guided Mixture Model, Peng Liu, Yusi Fang, Zhao Ren, Lu Tang, George C. Tseng, 2021

Assume a following mixture model:

$$f(y_i; \mathbf{x}_i) = \sum_{k=1}^K \pi_{ik} f_k(y_i; \mathbf{x}_i)$$

where  $f_k(y, \mathbf{x})$  is the density function of cluster  $k$ . Assume  $y_i | z_i = k \sim N(\beta_{0k} + \boldsymbol{\beta}^T \mathbf{x}_i, \sigma^2)$

$$L(\boldsymbol{\theta}) = \prod_{i=1}^n \sum_{k=1}^K \pi_{ik}(\mathbf{g}_i, \gamma) f(y_i; \mathbf{x}_i, \beta_{0k}, \boldsymbol{\beta}, \sigma)$$

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