

Program

~30min

1. Introduction

Carole Lartizien

~75min

2. Supervised learning

Rémi Emonet + Carole Lartizien

~75min

3. Unsupervised learning

Nicolas Duchateau + Rémi Emonet

~30min

4. Methods evaluation

Carole Lartizien + Rémi Emonet + Nicolas Duchateau

5. Conclusions / to go further

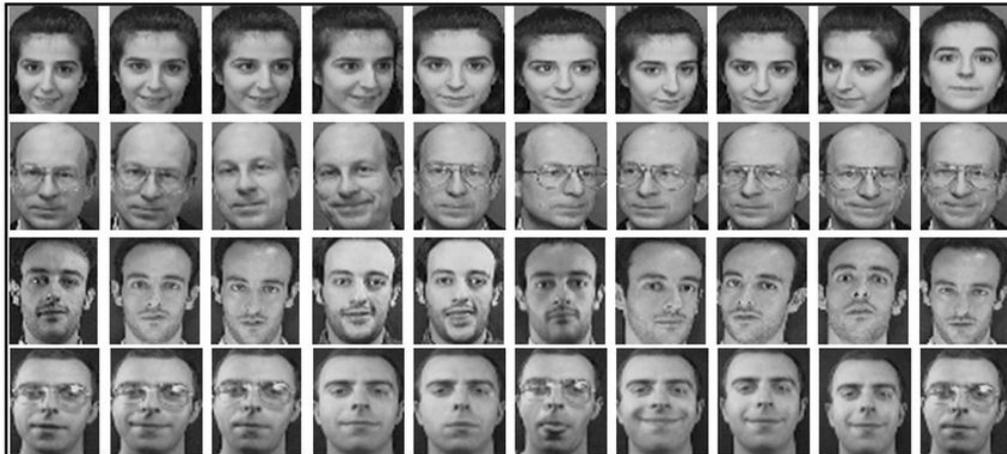
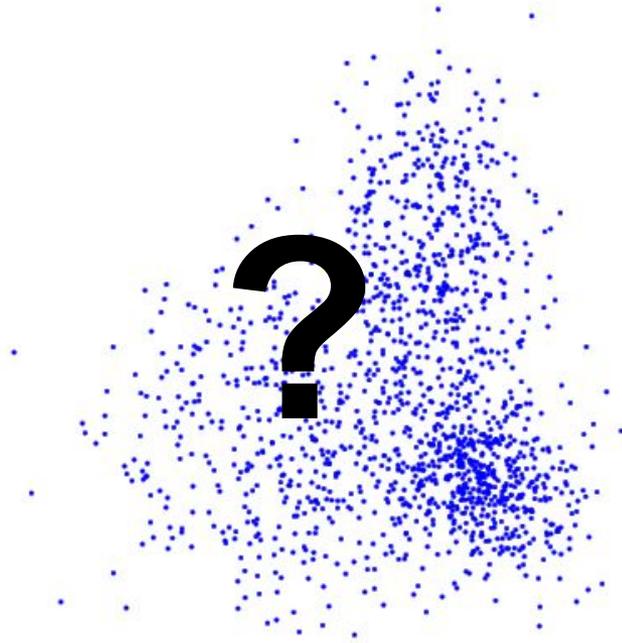
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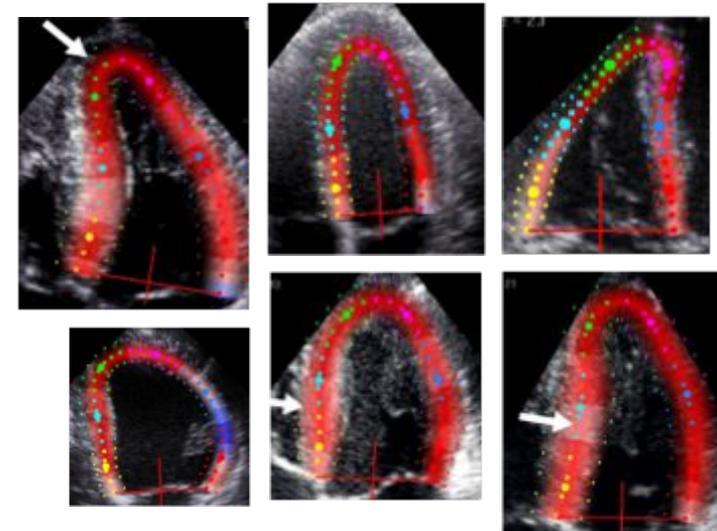
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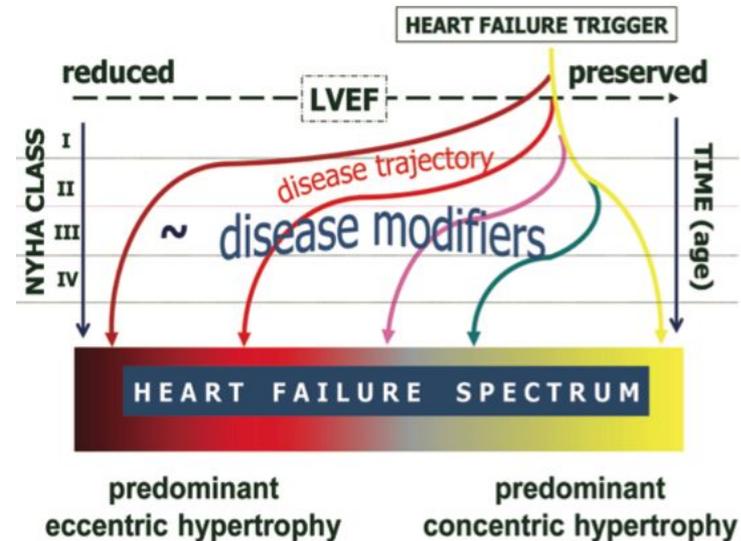
Myocardial strain patterns

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Continuum of disease



De Keulenaer et al. *Circulation* 2011

ACC/AHA stages of HF

	Stage A	Stage B Subclinical myocardial dysfunction		Stages C&D Heart failure		
Geometrical Description						
Pathophysiological Description	Risk factors (e.g. DM/HTN)	Myocardial dysfunction with pEF		Myocardial dysfunction with rEF		
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EF	n	n	n	↓	n	
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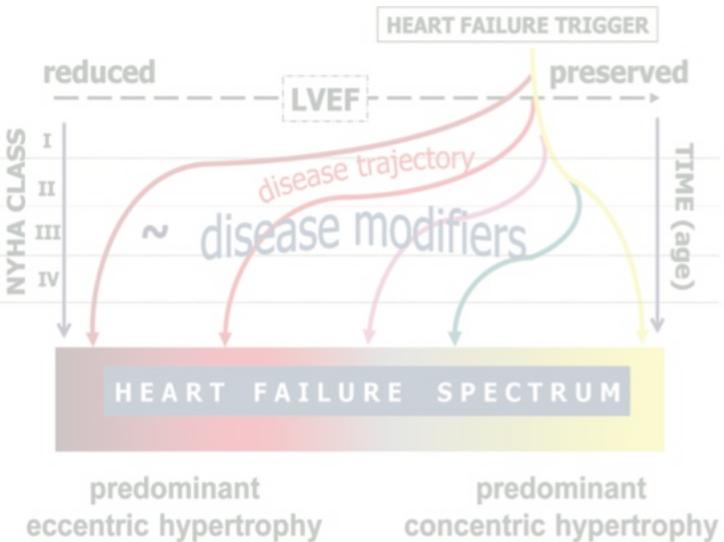
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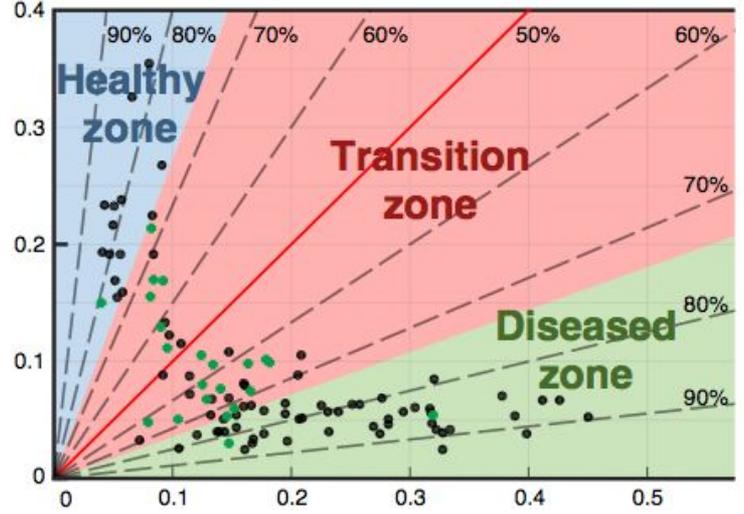
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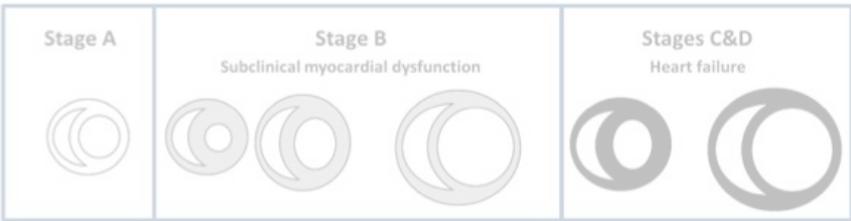
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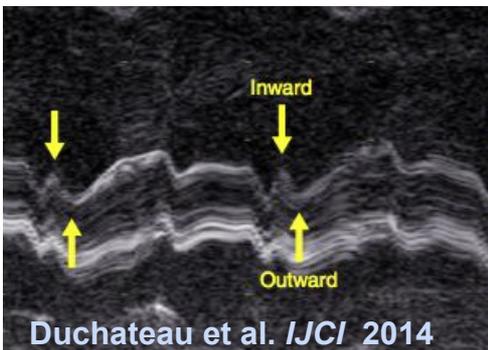
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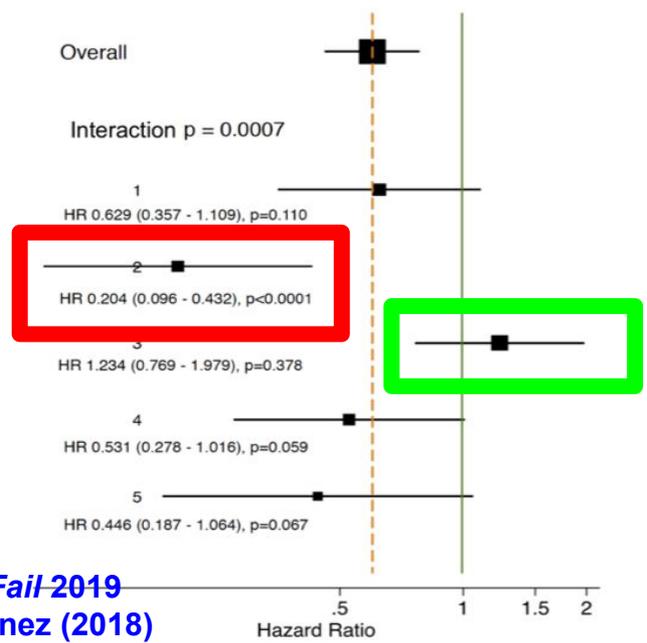
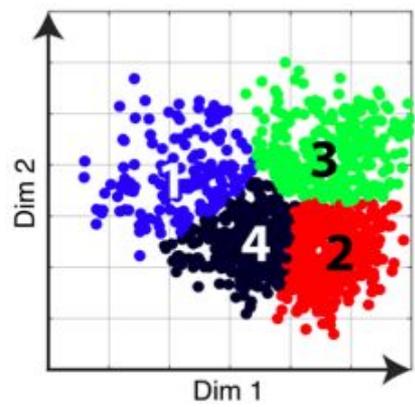
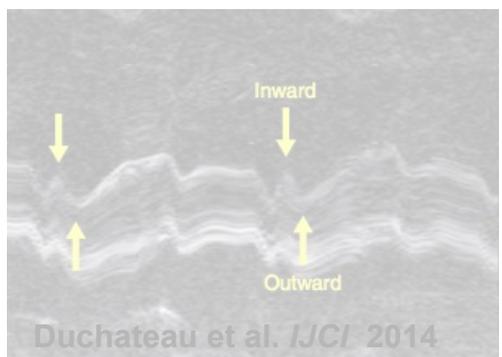
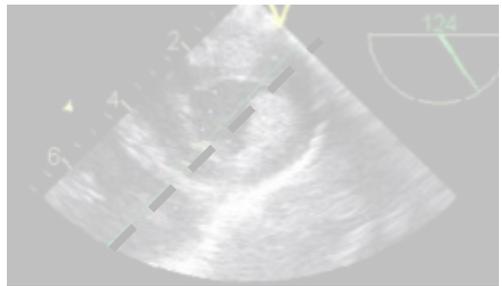
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→ Or simply a different point of view?

Which **end point** for the application?

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Which end point?

- **Subgroups identification / similar trends**
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Clustering
Outliers detection

→ Understand the data space

(low-dimensional) embedding

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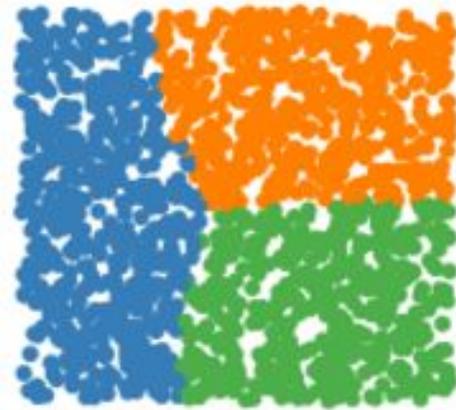
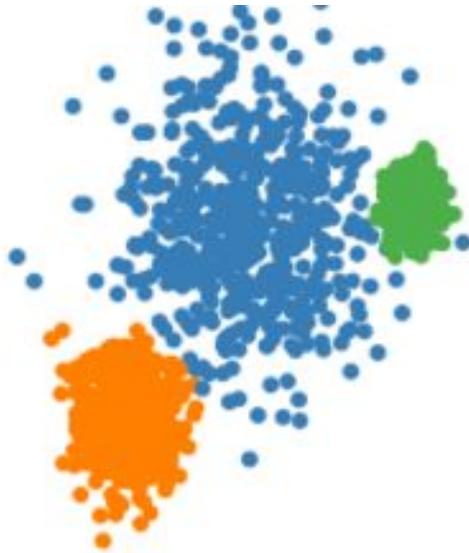
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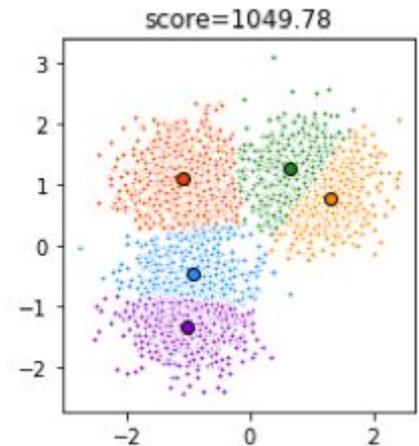
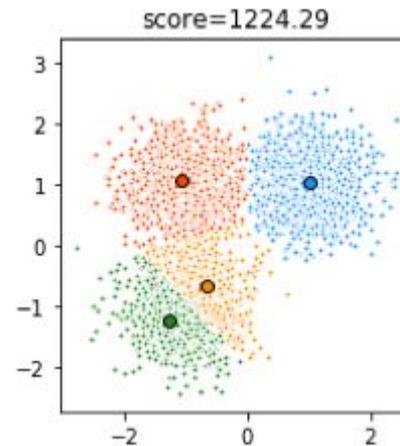
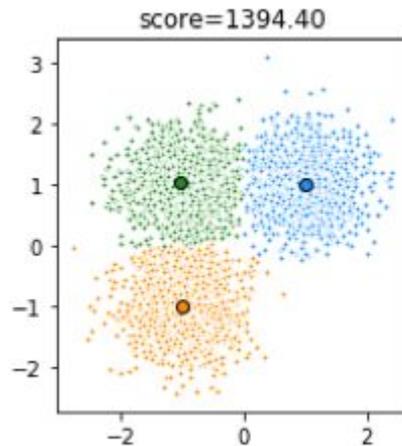
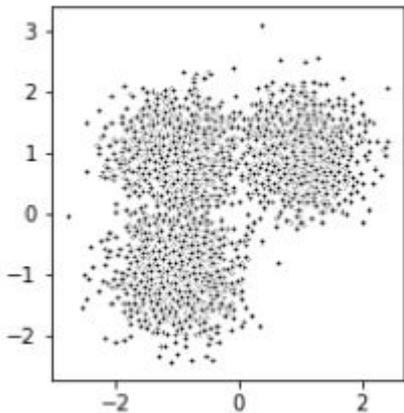
→ **K-means**

Parameter = K (number of clusters) $\mathbf{S} = \{\mathcal{S}_1, \mathcal{S}_2, \dots, \mathcal{S}_K\}$

Idea = minimize the within-cluster variance

$$\hat{\mathbf{S}} = \underset{\mathbf{S}}{\operatorname{argmin}} \sum_{k=1}^K \sum_{\mathbf{v} \in \mathcal{S}_k} \|\mathbf{v} - \mu_k\|^2$$

(distance to each centroid)



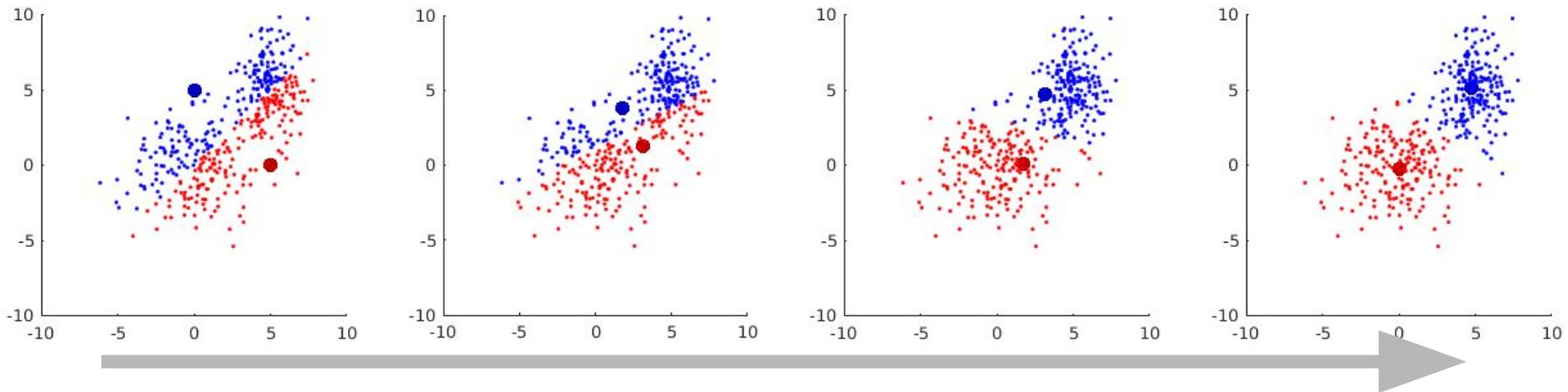
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Clustering

→ **K-means**

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1. **Initialize** centroids (e.g. K random samples)
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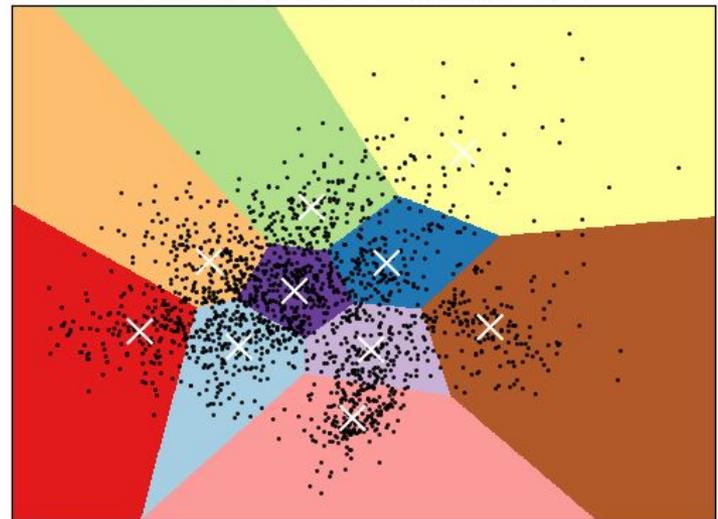
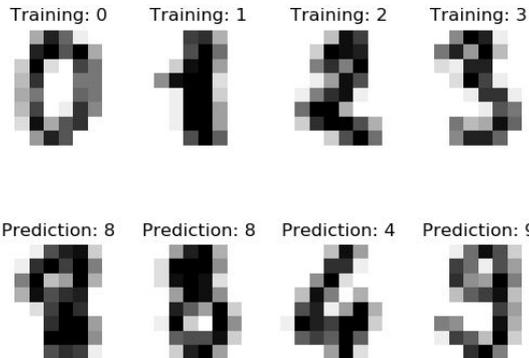
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Comments:

- converges to **local minimum**: needs several restarts
- simple **cluster boundaries**
- not applicable in **high dimension**: reduce dimensionality first

8x8 images, $K=10$



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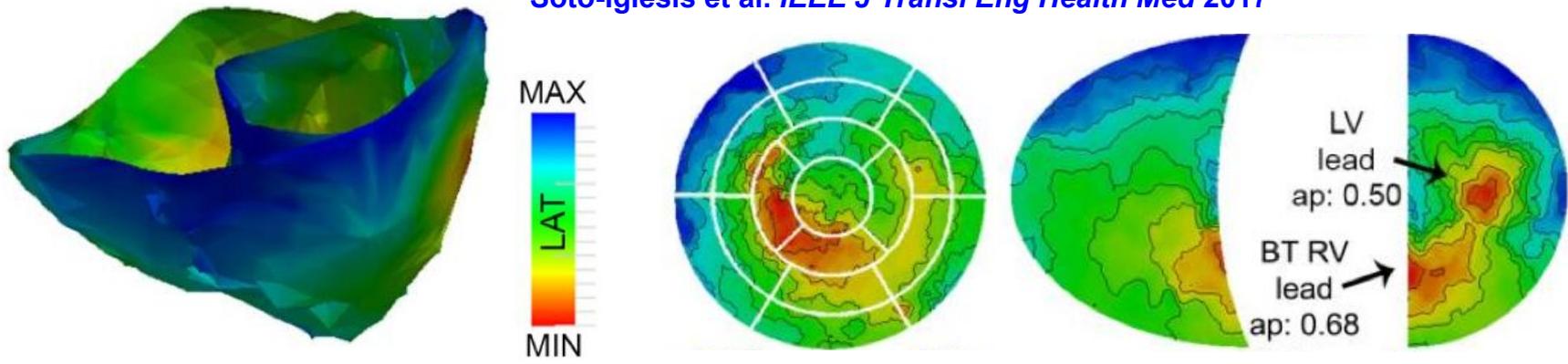
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ex: cardiac resynchronization therapy

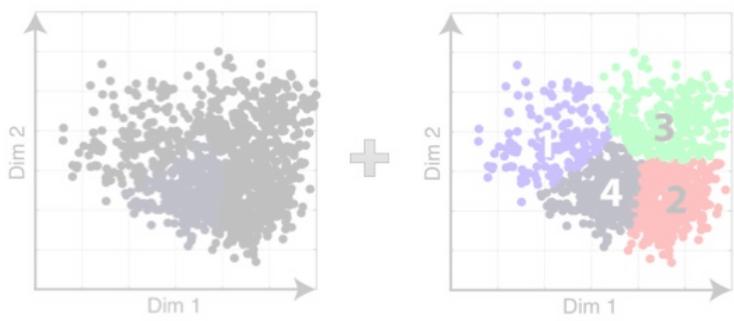
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Dimensionality reduction (MKL)

Clustering (K-means)



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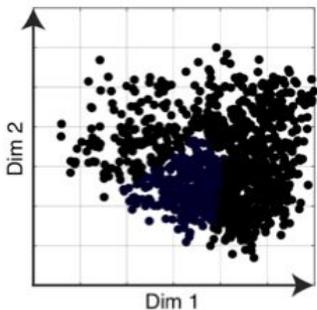
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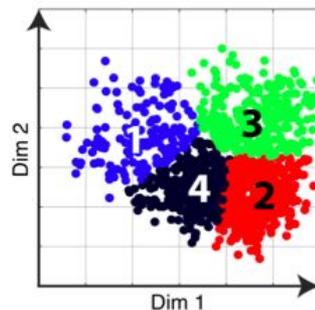


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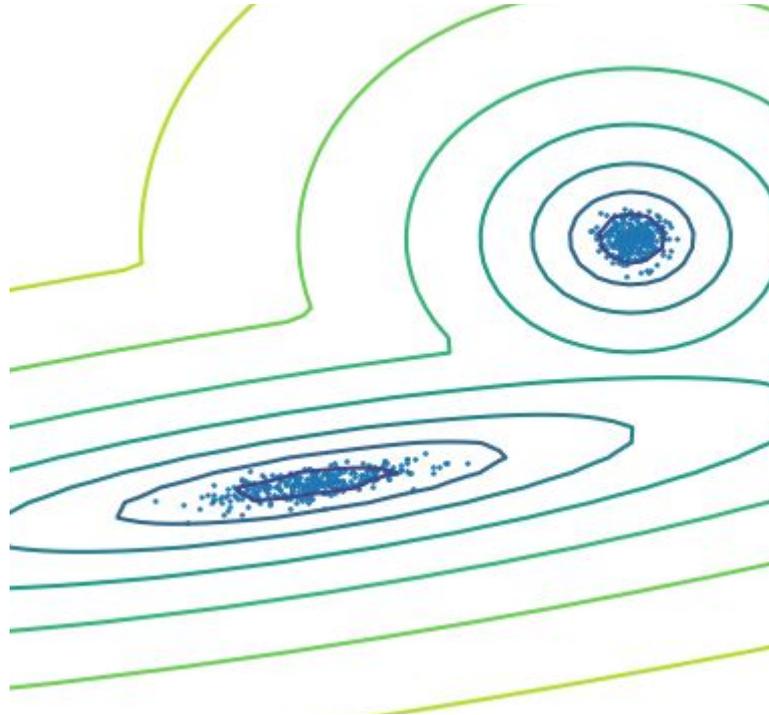
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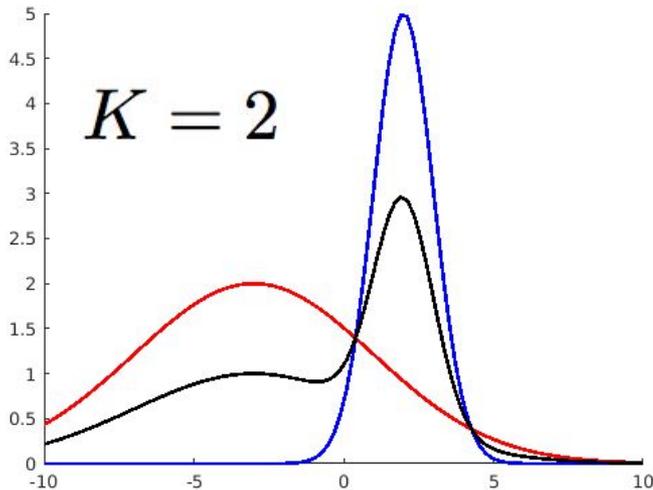
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→ **Gaussian mixture models**

Parameters = weights + mean + covariance of each Gaussian

Idea = samples generated from a mixture of K Gaussian ~ generalization of K -means

$$p(\mathbf{v}) = \sum_{k=1}^K \pi_k \cdot \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{v} | \mu_k, \Sigma_k)$$



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$$p(\mathbf{z}_k) \qquad p(\mathbf{v} | \mathbf{z}_k)$$

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→ Gaussian mixture models

Algorithm = Expectation-Maximization (EM)

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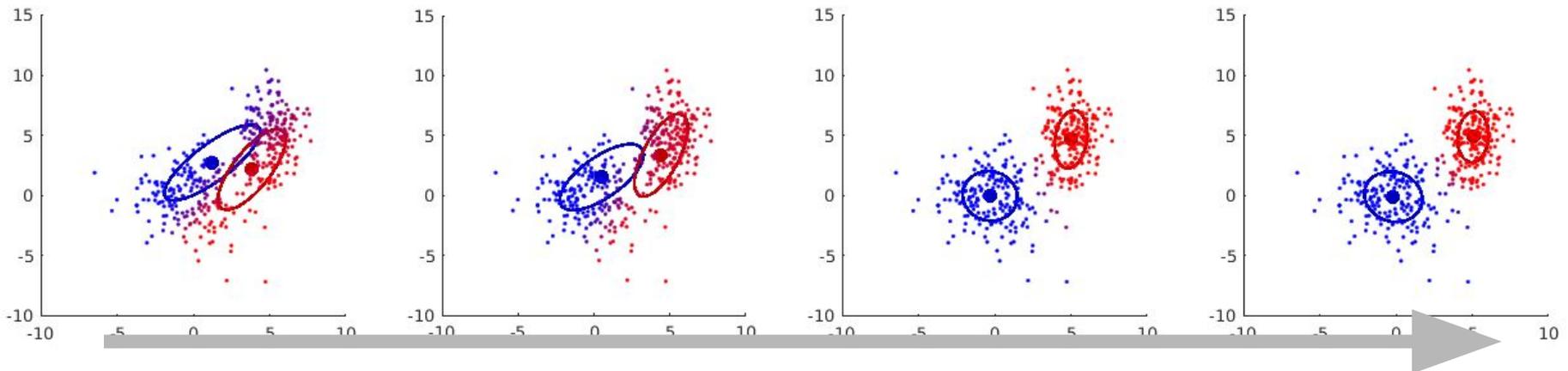
2. Compute **probability at each point** $\gamma_k^{(i)} = p(\mathbf{z}_k | \mathbf{v}^{(i)})$

3. **Maximize likelihood** / update parameters

$$\pi_k = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i=1}^N \gamma_k^{(i)}$$

$$\mu_k = \frac{1}{|\mathcal{S}_k|} \sum_{i \in \mathcal{S}_k} \gamma_k^{(i)} \mathbf{v}^{(i)}$$

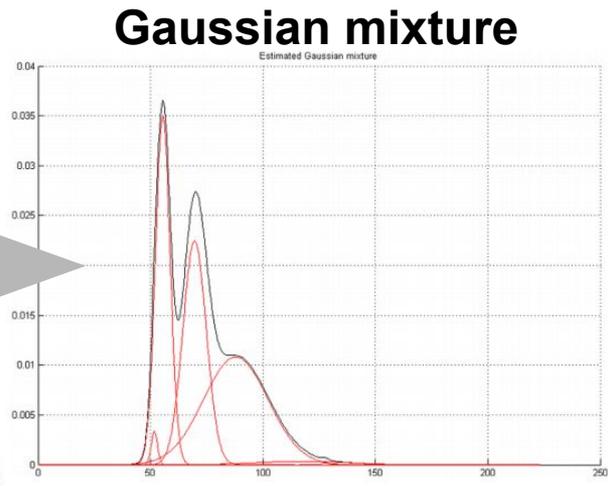
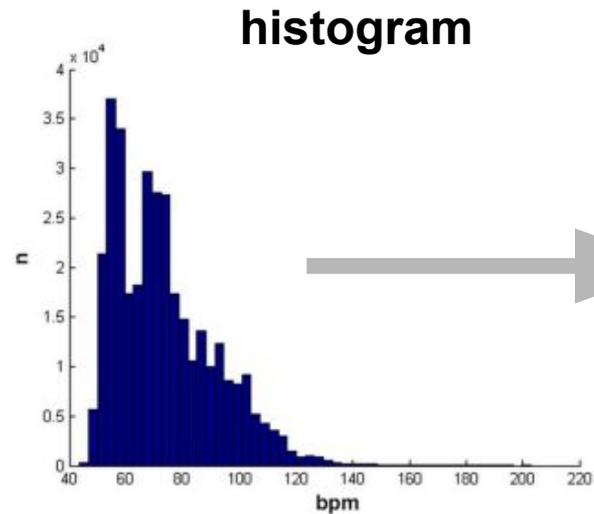
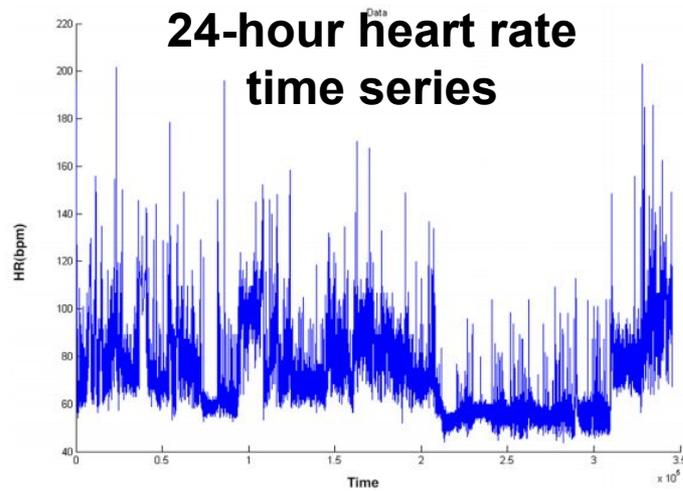
$$\Sigma_k = \frac{1}{|\mathcal{S}_k|} \sum_{i \in \mathcal{S}_k} \gamma_k^{(i)} (\mathbf{v}^{(i)} - \mu_k)(\mathbf{v}^{(i)} - \mu_k)^T$$



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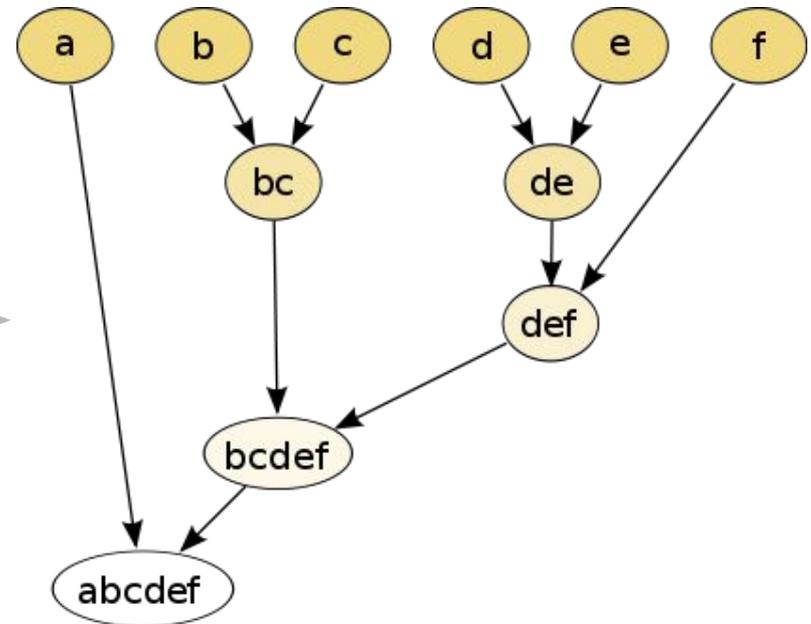
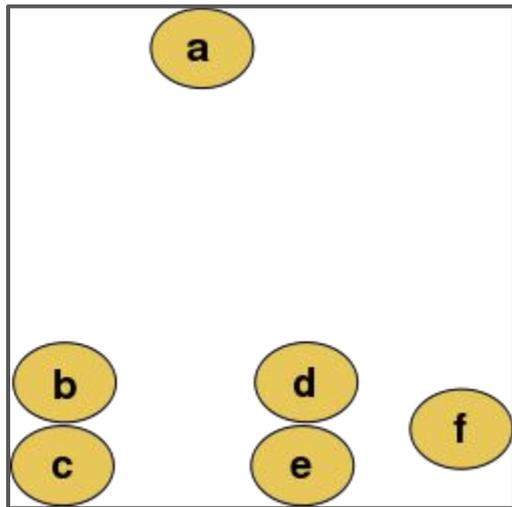
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→ Hierarchical clustering

- **Agglomerate** = 1 cluster for each sample + merging across the hierarchy
- **Divise** = 1 single cluster + divide across the hierarchy

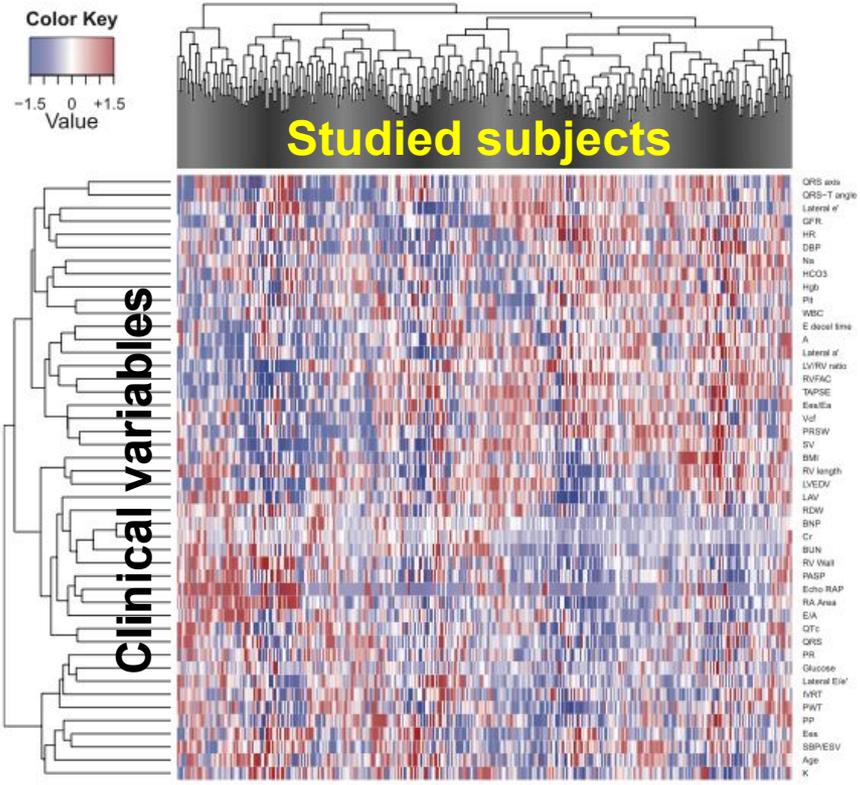
Metric = Euclidian distance



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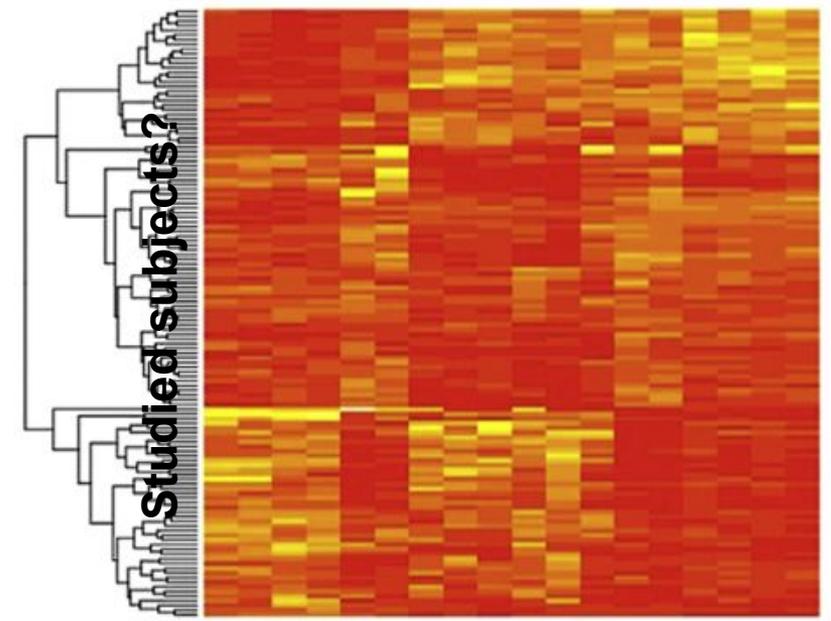
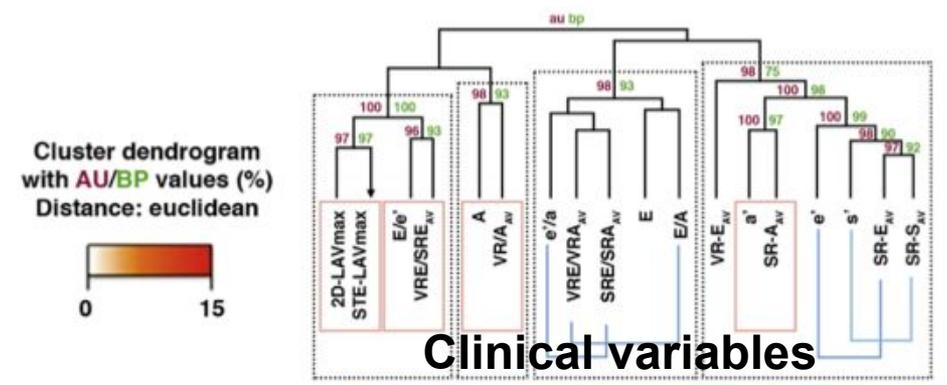
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Shah et al. *Circulation* 2015

Phenotyping

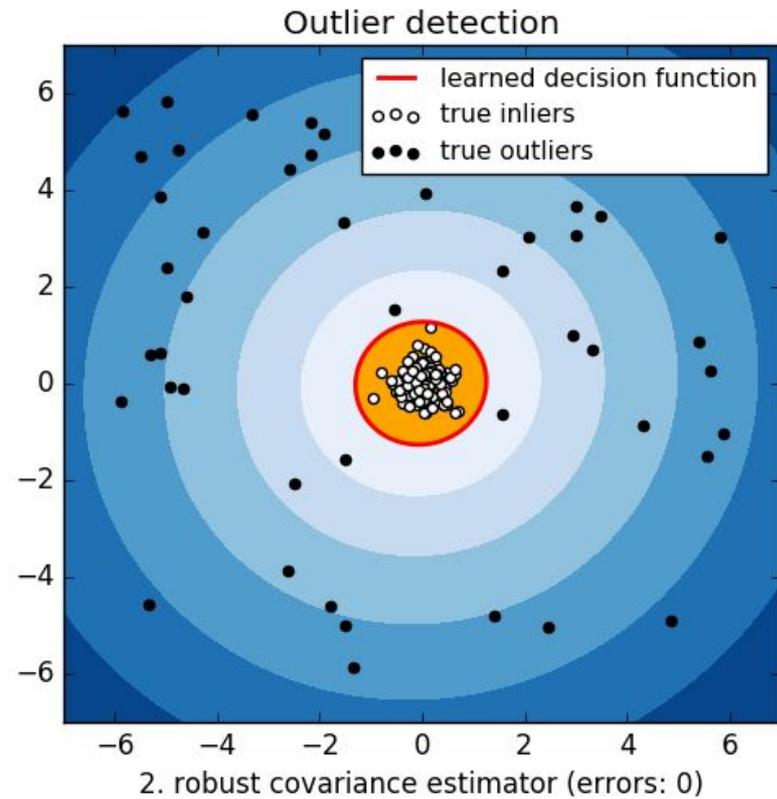
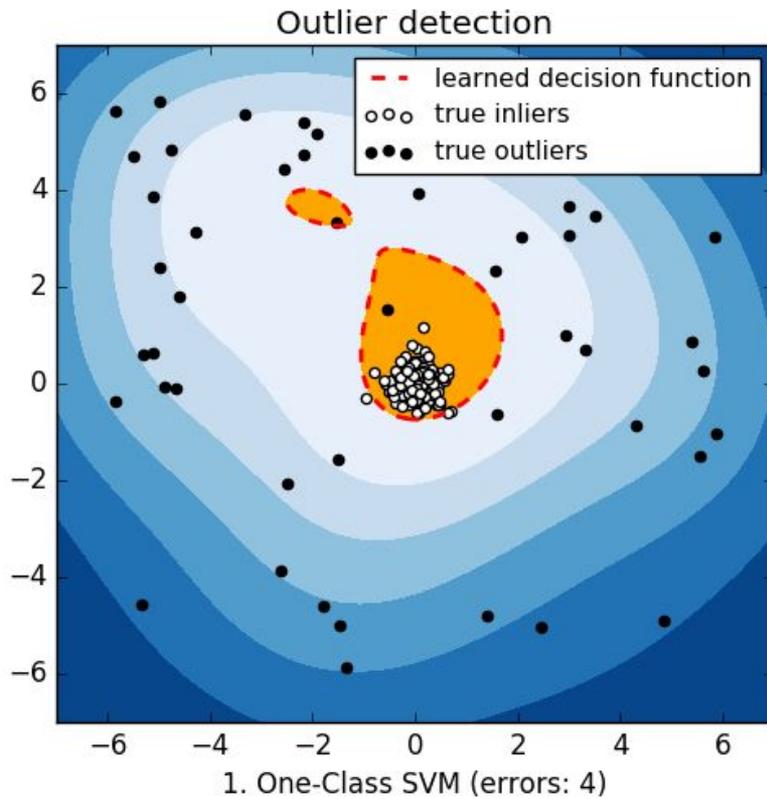
ex: heart failure reduced / preserved ejection



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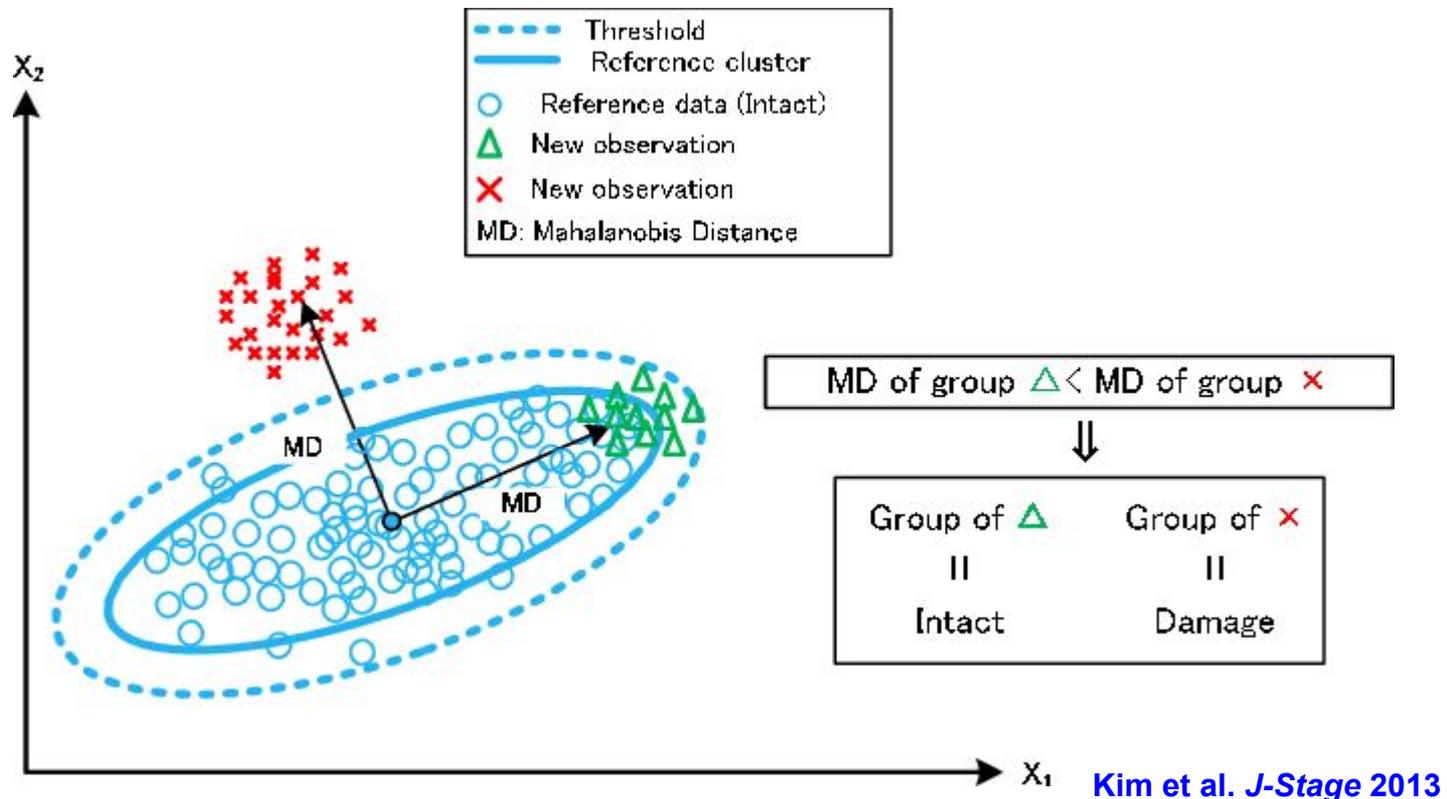


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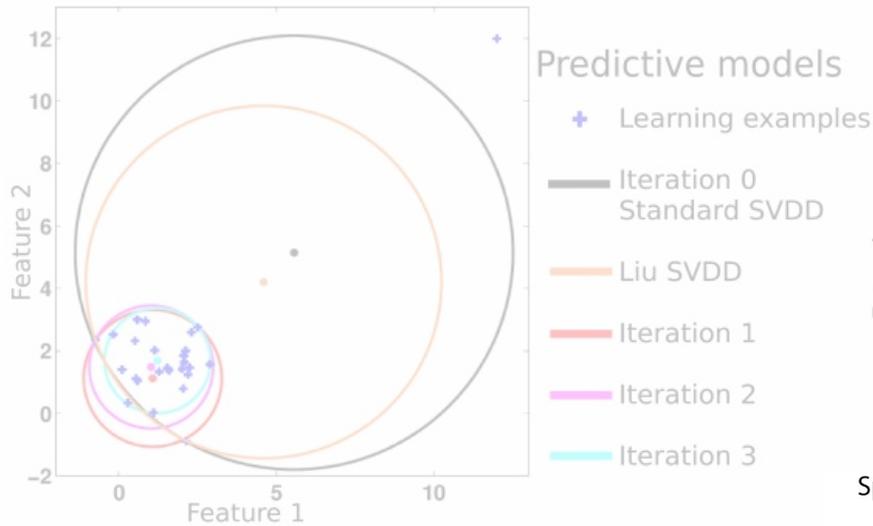
ex: Mahalanobis distance $D_M(\mathbf{x}) = \sqrt{(\mathbf{x} - \mu_M)^T \Sigma_M^{-1} (\mathbf{x} - \mu_M)}$



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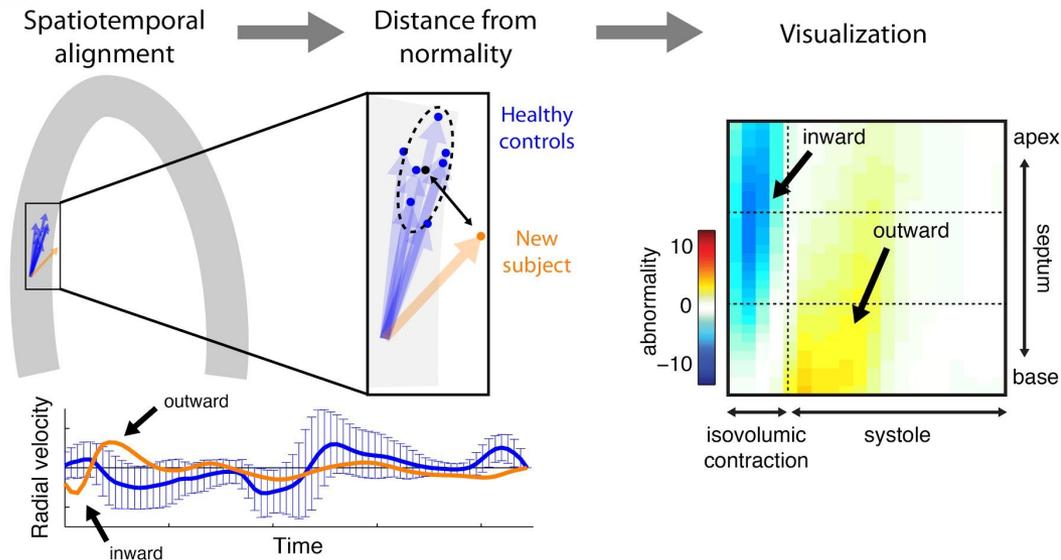
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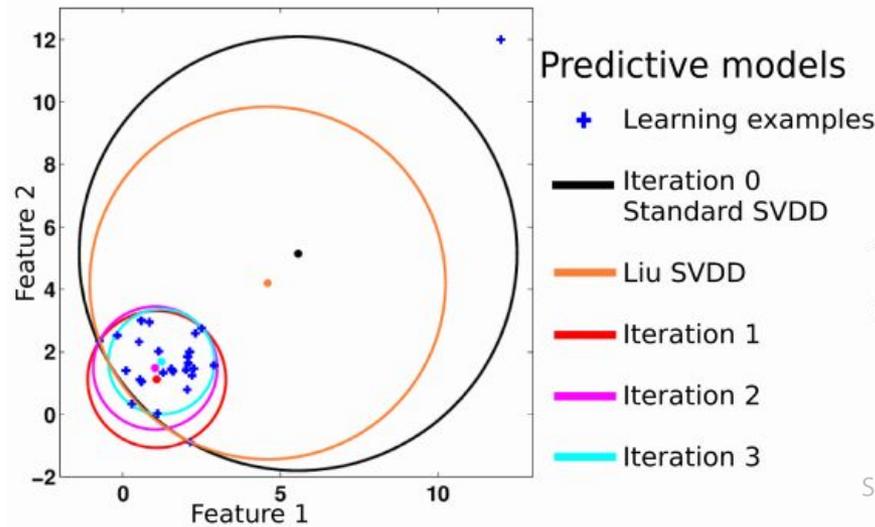
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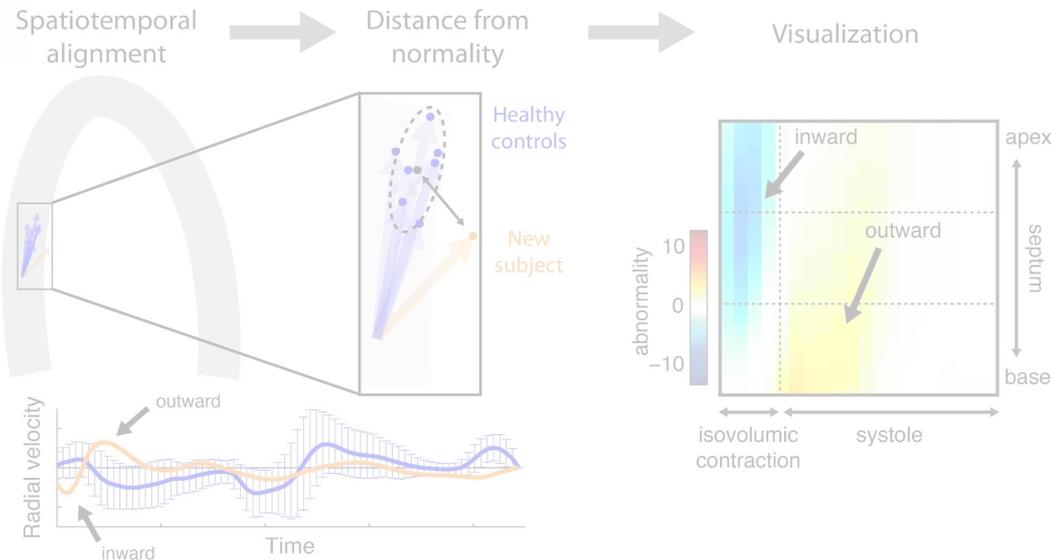
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Key step = data representation

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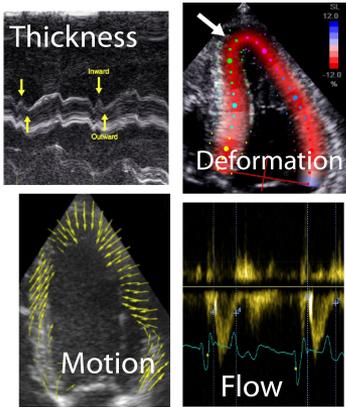
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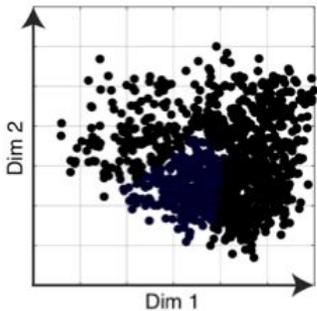


Inputs =

- Single **high-dimensional** descriptors
- **Multiple** scalars
- ...or **Multiple high-dimensional** descriptors

Output =

- **Low-dimensional** representation

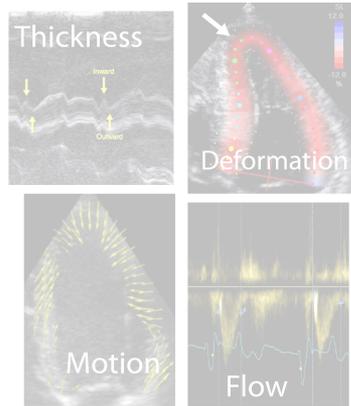


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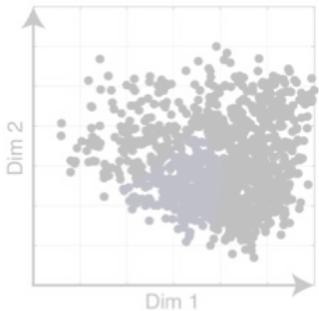
1) Embedding

3) Reconstruction

Output =

- Low-dimensional representation

2) Manifold / latent space



What for? = which space to work on?

Distances in low dimension? / Reconstructed cases in high dimension?

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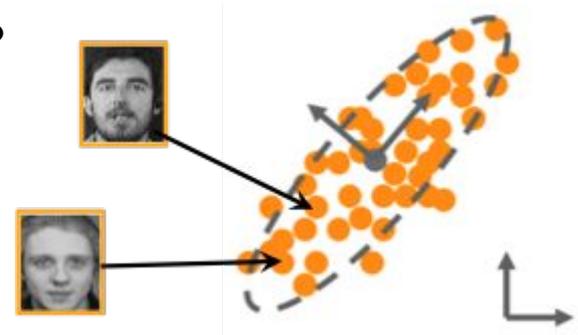
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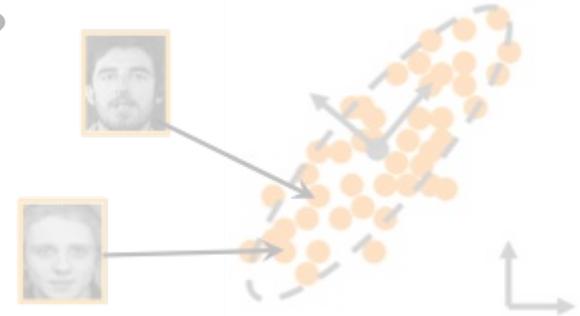
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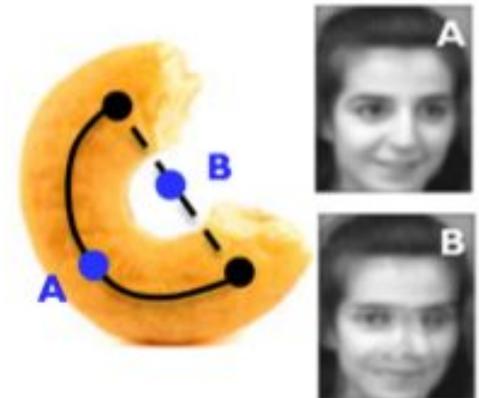
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Non-linear !!!



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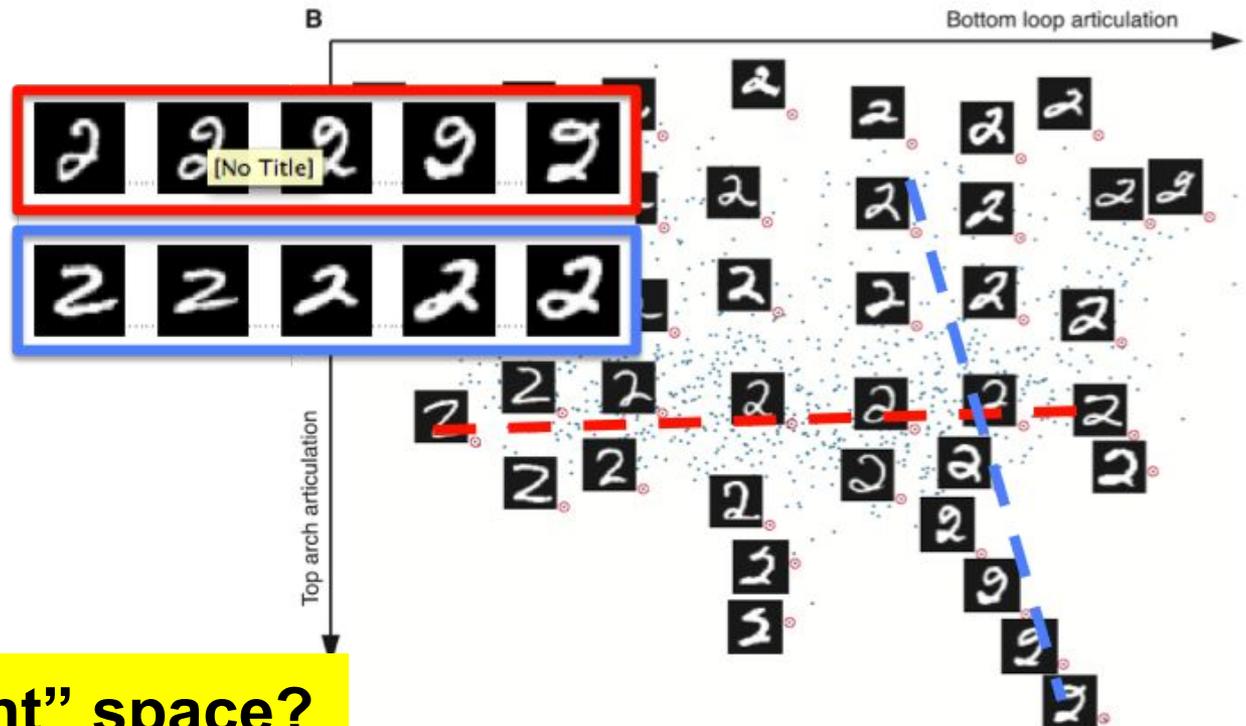
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Low number of dimensions to encode high dimensional data variations



Exploitable “latent” space?

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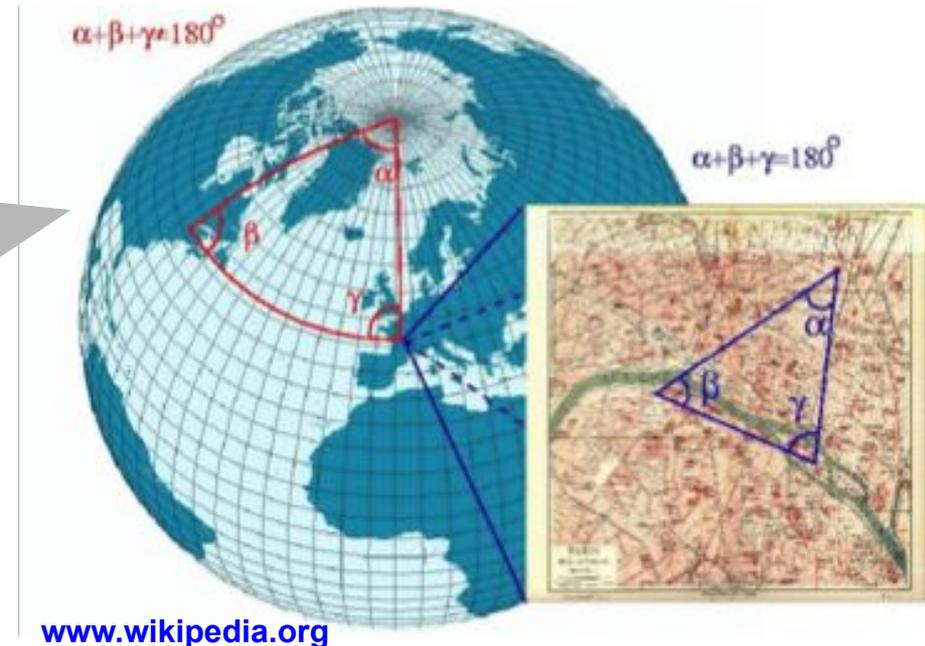
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→ “Structure” of the data space?

Manifold of dimension N = topological space that near each sample resembles (is homeomorphic to) a N -dimensional Euclidean space

- ex:
- lines and circles ($N=1$)
 - plane, sphere, surfaces ($N=2$)
 - brain images, cardiac shapes ($N=?$)



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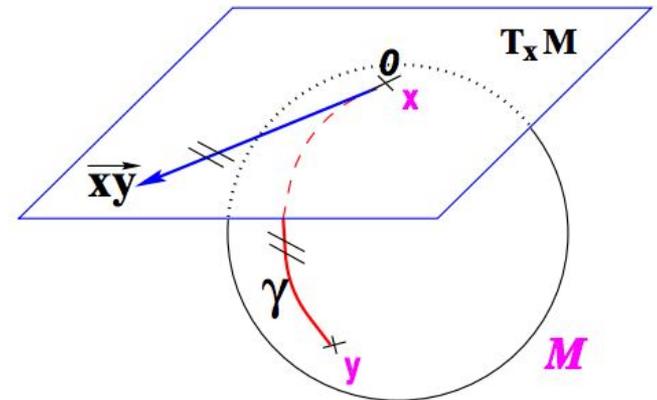
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→ “Structure” of the data space?

Manifold of dimension N

◆ In some cases = **known structure**

Vector space	Riemannian manifold
$\vec{xy} = y - x$	$\vec{xy} = \log_x(y)$
$y = x + \vec{xy}$	$y = \exp_x(\vec{xy})$



log-exponential mapping
Pennec et al. *Int J Comput Vis* 2006

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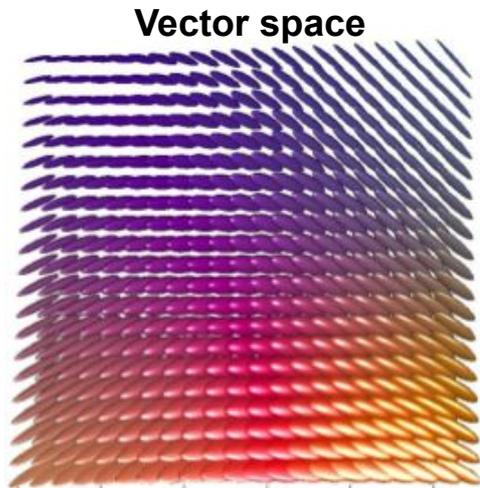
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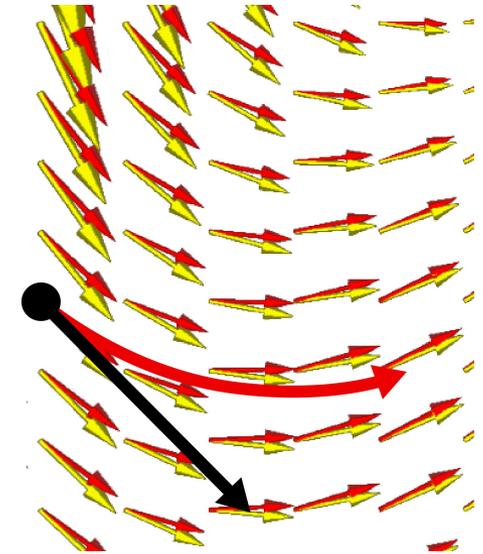
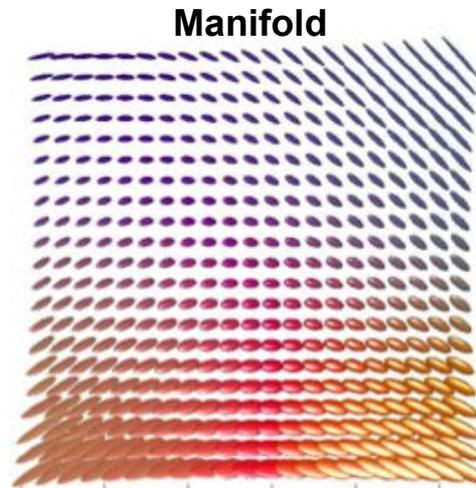
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ex: Interpolation of tensors (diffusion, strain)

Pennec et al. *Int J Comput Vis* 2006



Diffeomorphic transformations
(registration)

Arsigny et al. *MICCAI* 2006

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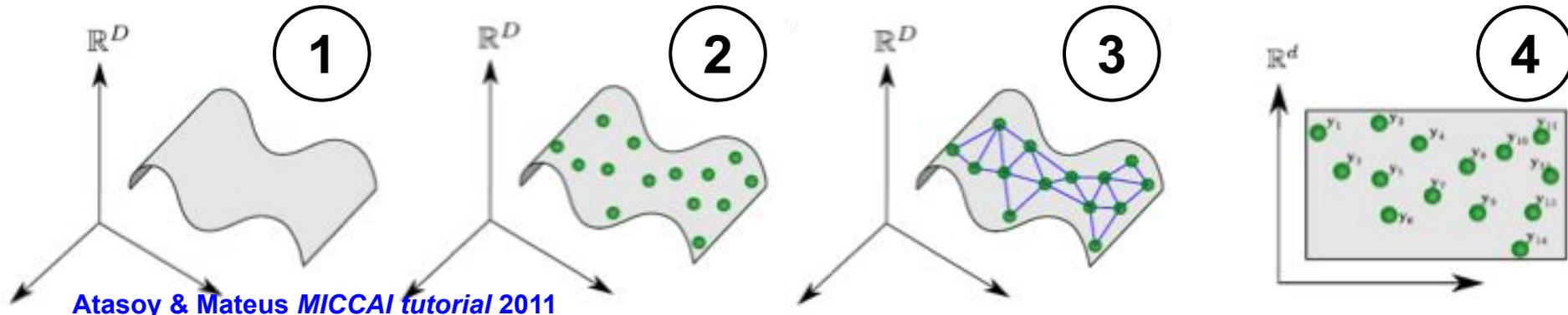
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1. Assumption = data **lies on / close to a manifold**
2. **Few samples** (on the manifold) available
3. **Neighborhood graph** = approximation of the manifold
4. Dimensionality reduction = **spectral decomposition** of...?

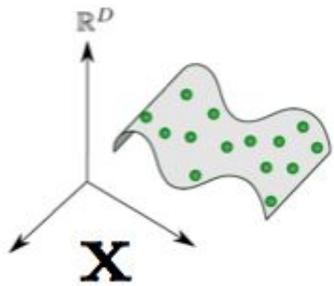


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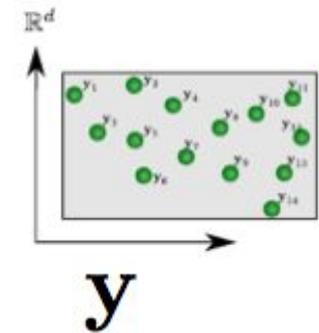
- Single high-dimensional descriptors
- Multiple scalars
- ...or Multiple high-dimensional descriptors

1) **Embedding**

Output =

- Low-dimensional representation

2) **Manifold / latent space**



$$D \gg d \quad f : \mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^D \mapsto \mathbf{y} \in \mathbb{R}^d$$

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(low-dimensional) embedding: **linear**

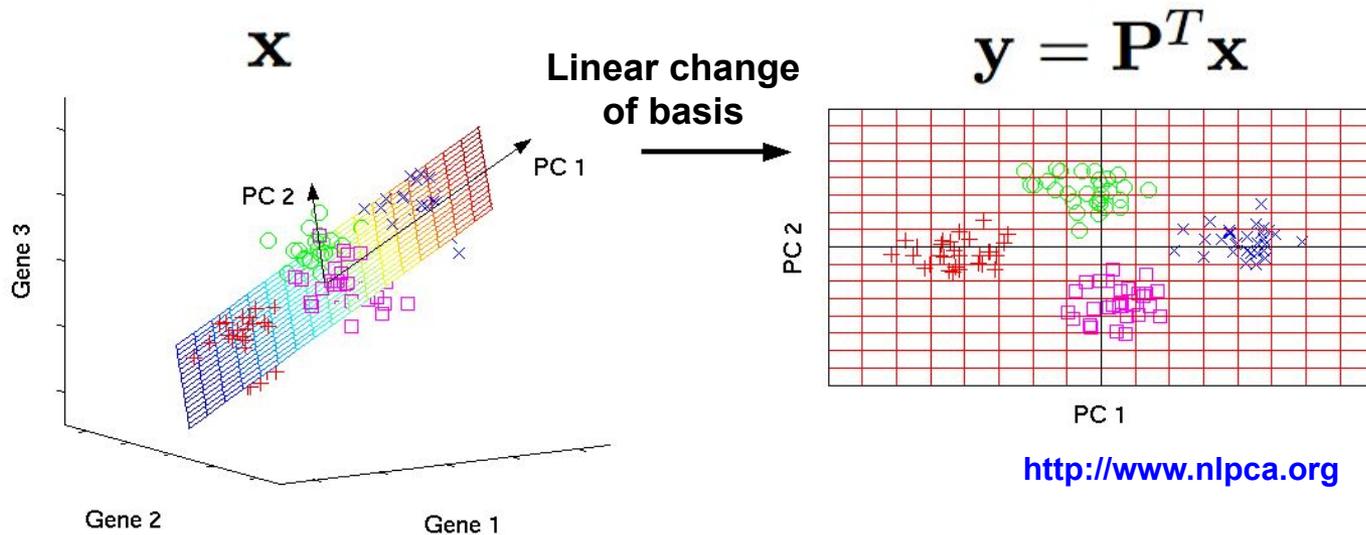
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→ **PCA = Principal Component Analysis**

Idea = principal directions of variance → diagonalize the covariance matrix

$$\Sigma = \mathbf{PDP}^T$$

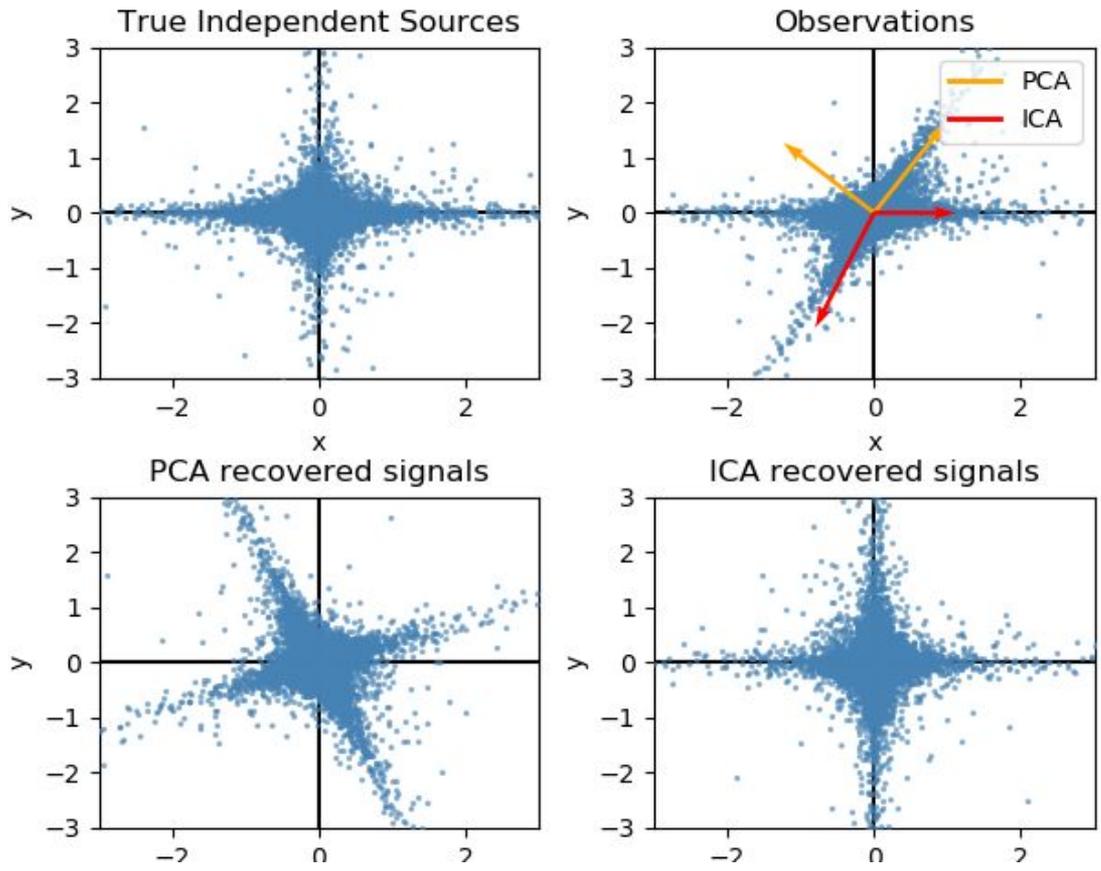


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→ **ICA = Independent Component Analysis**

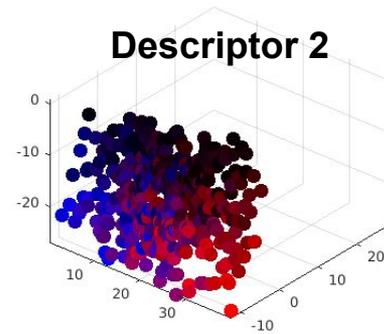
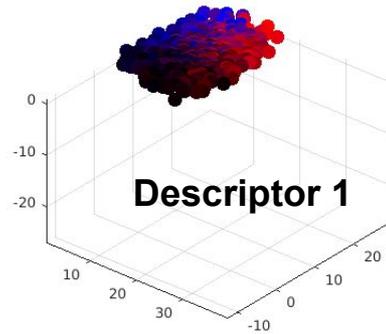
Idea = Independent, non-Gaussian variables



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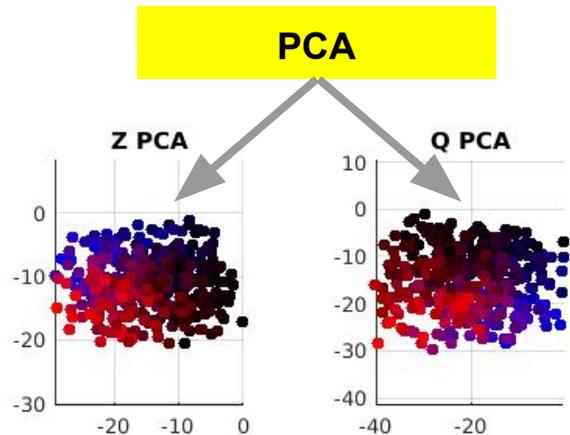
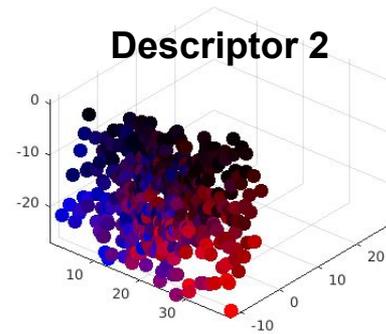
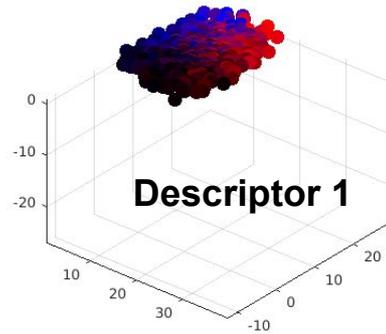
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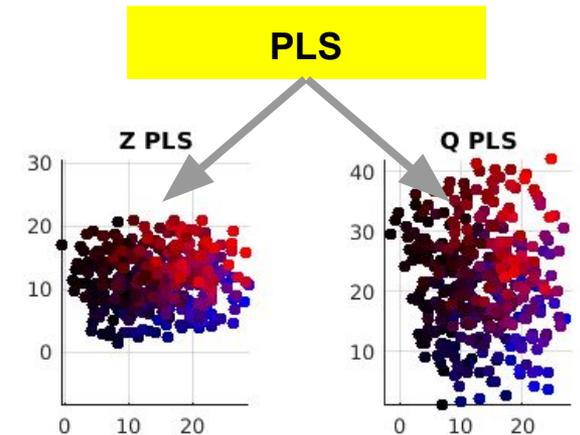
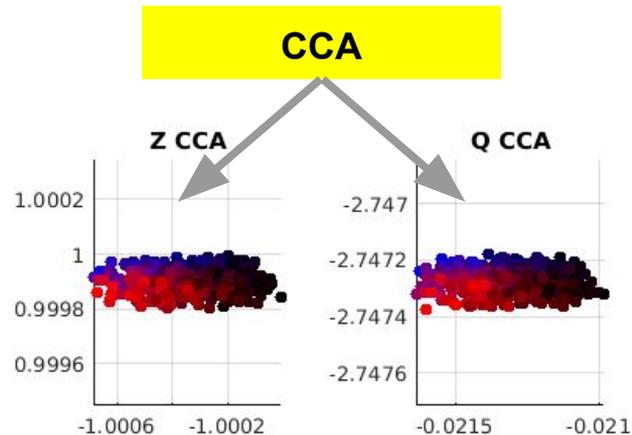
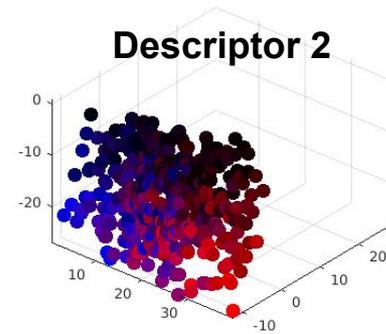
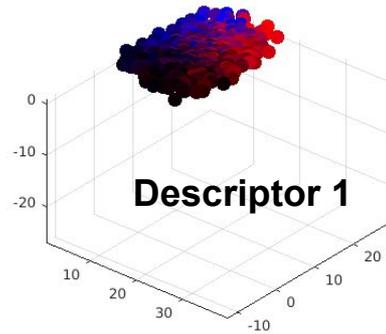
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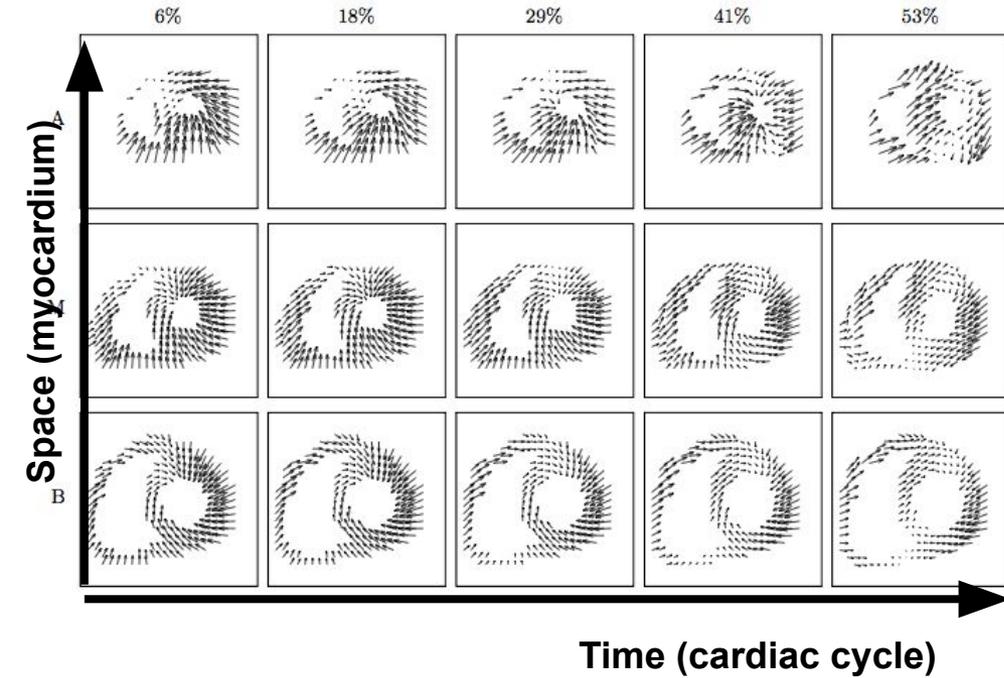
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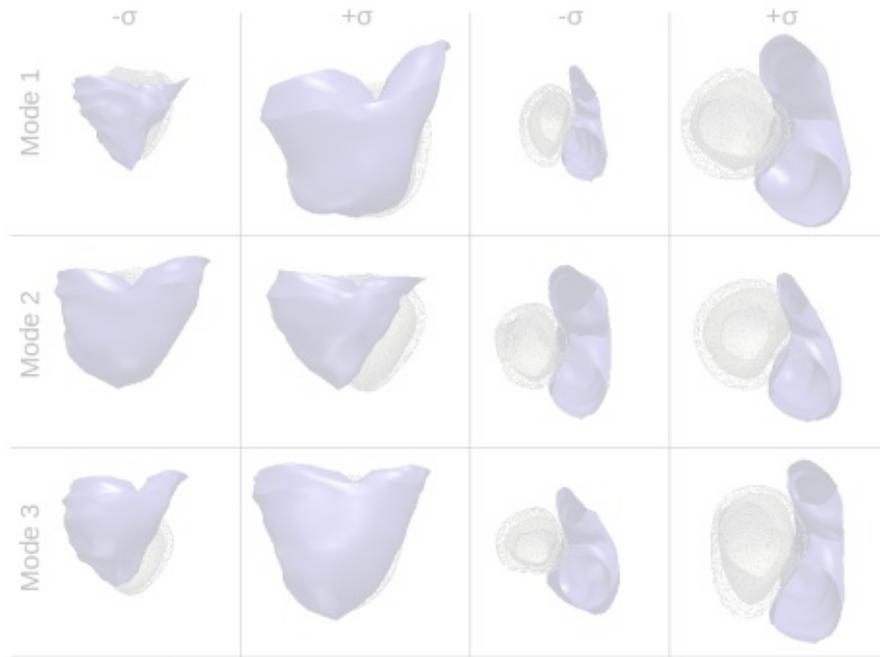
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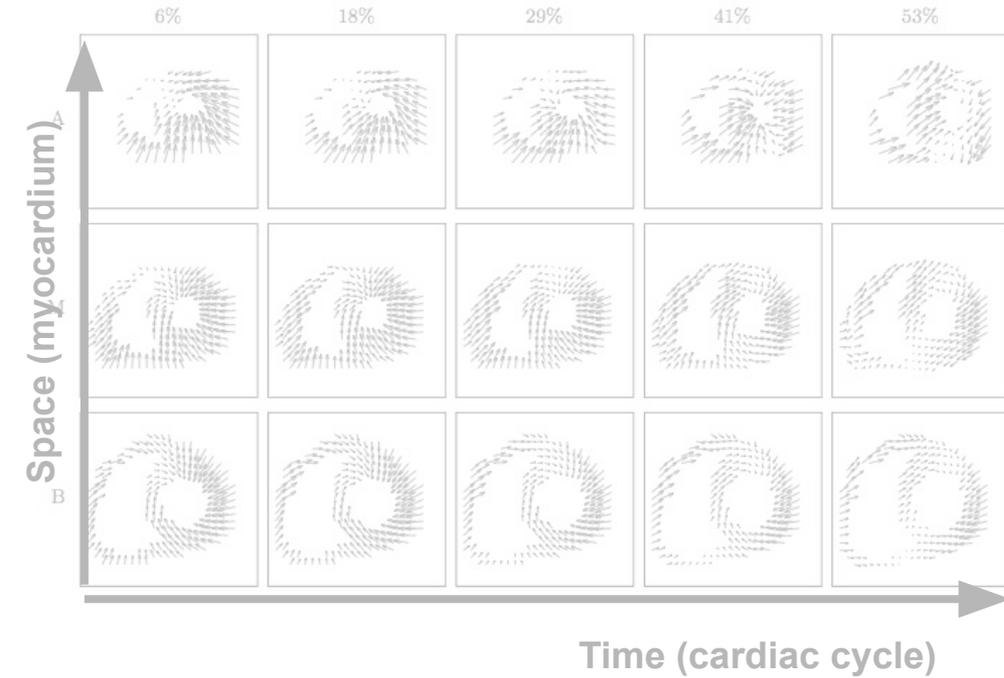


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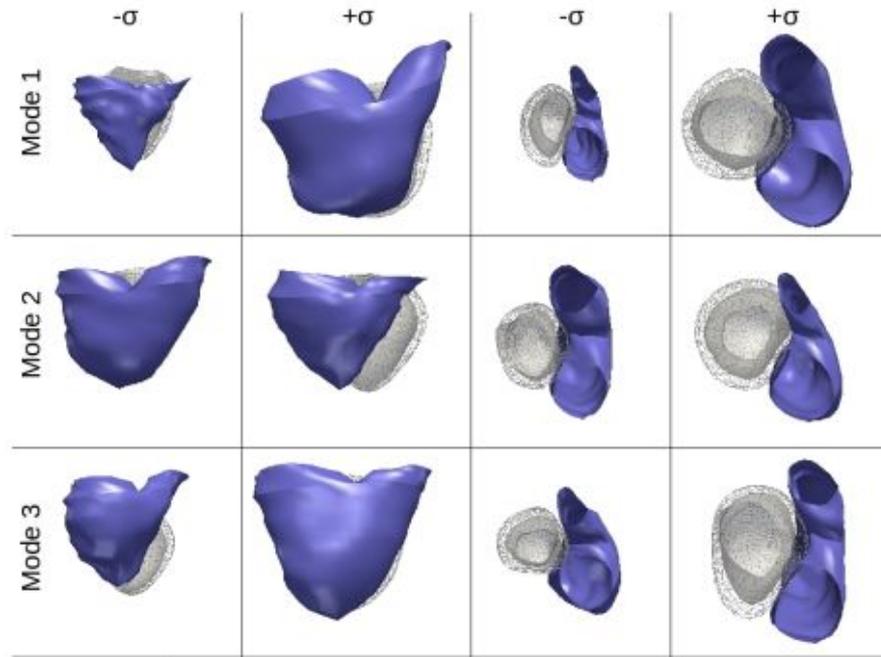
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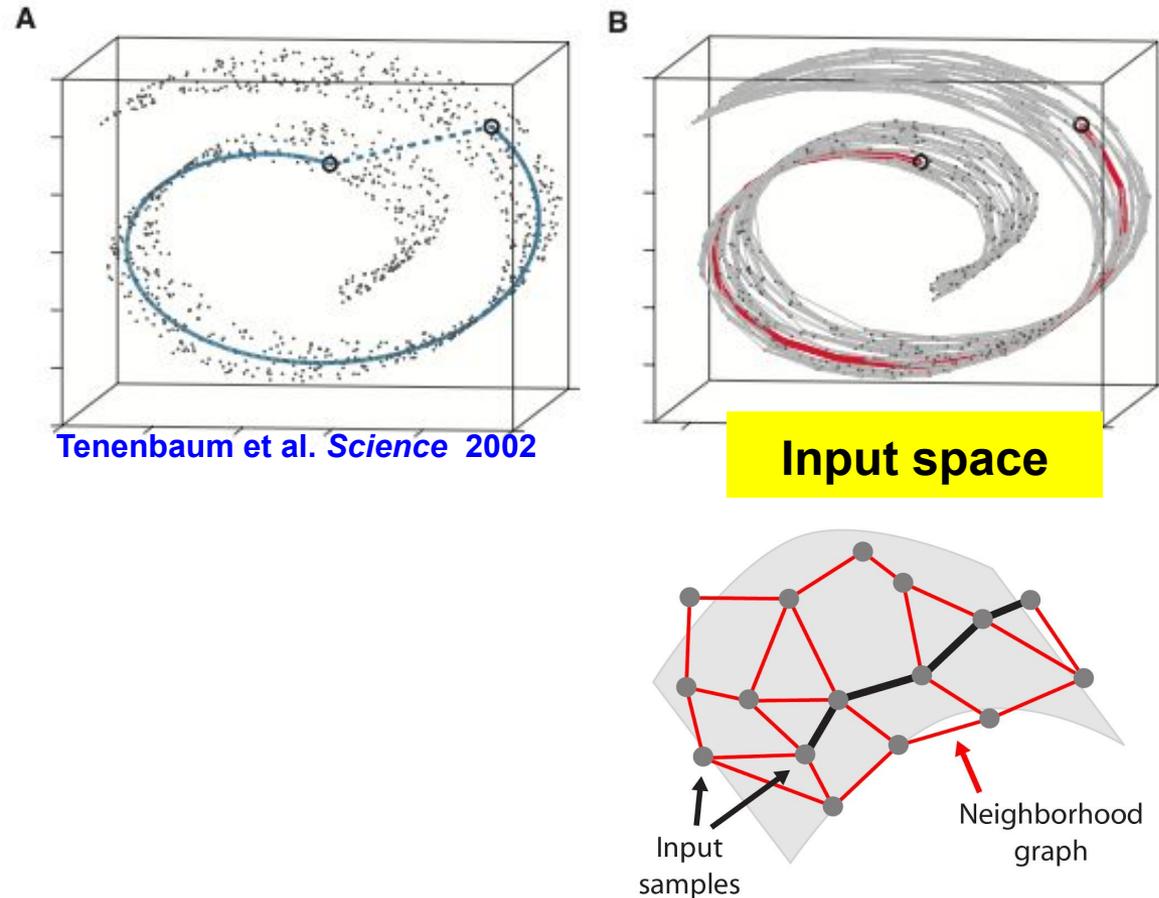
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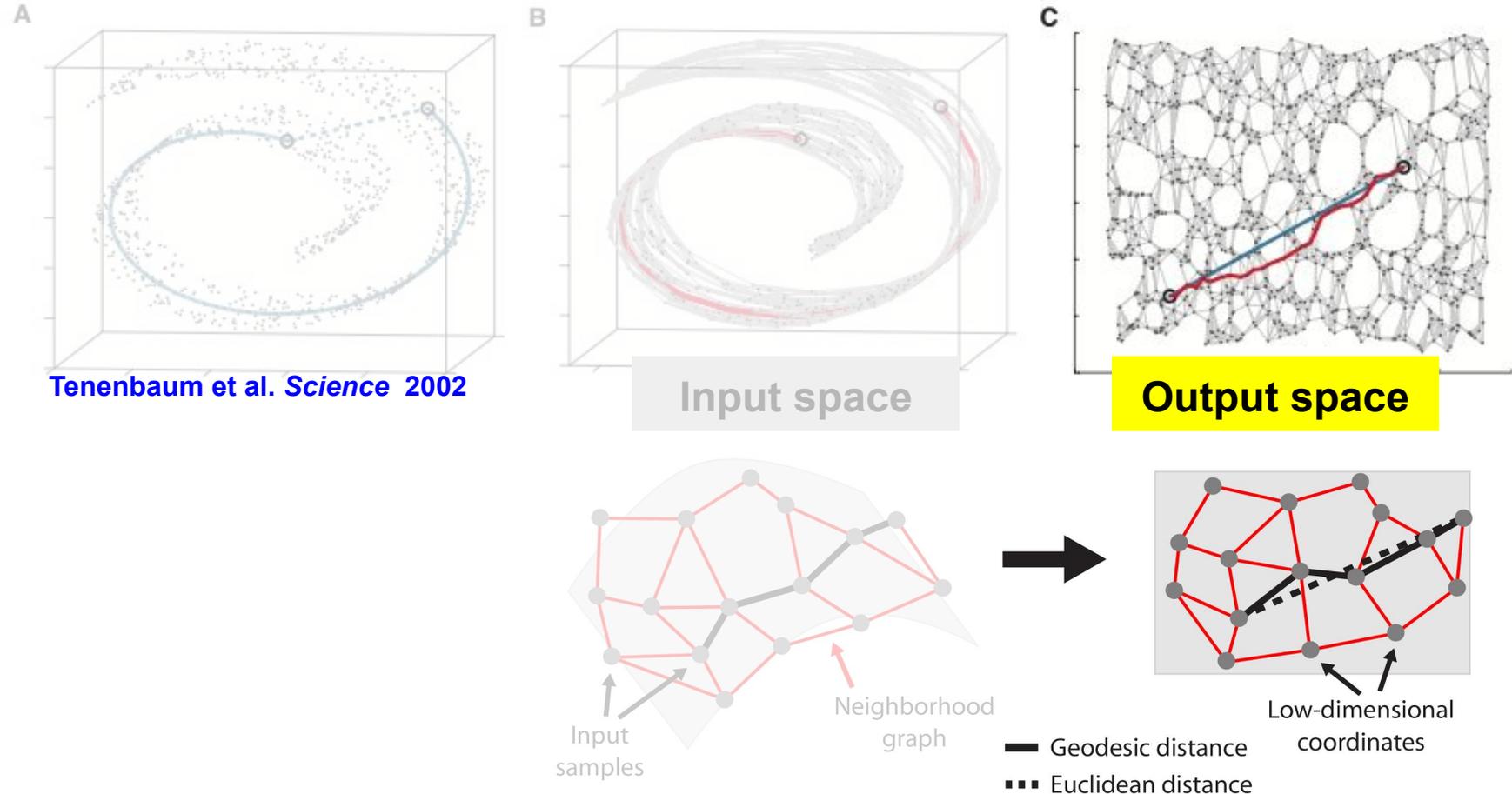
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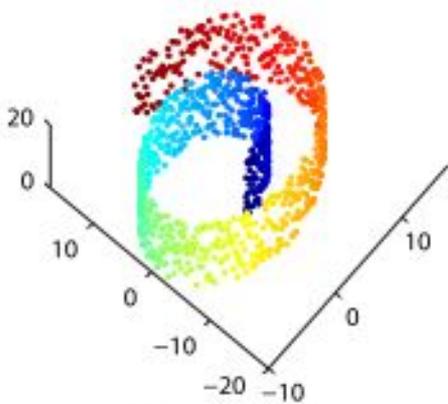
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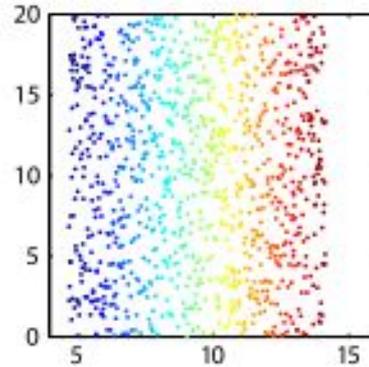
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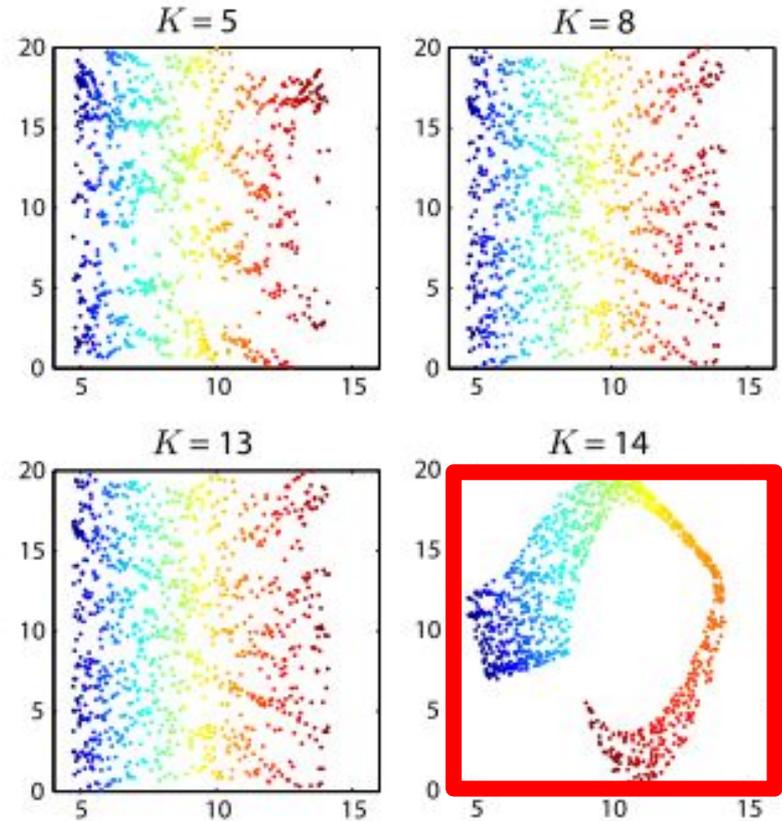
Parameter = number of neighbors K to build the graph



Input space



Ground truth embedding

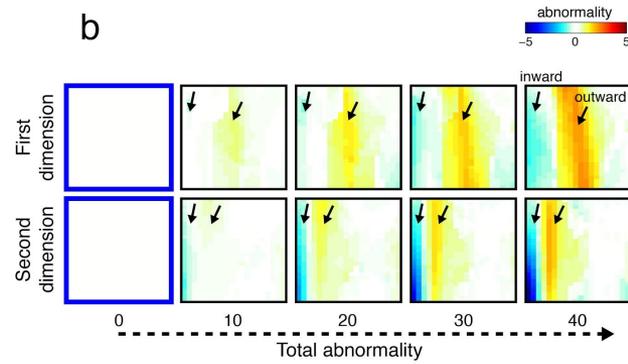
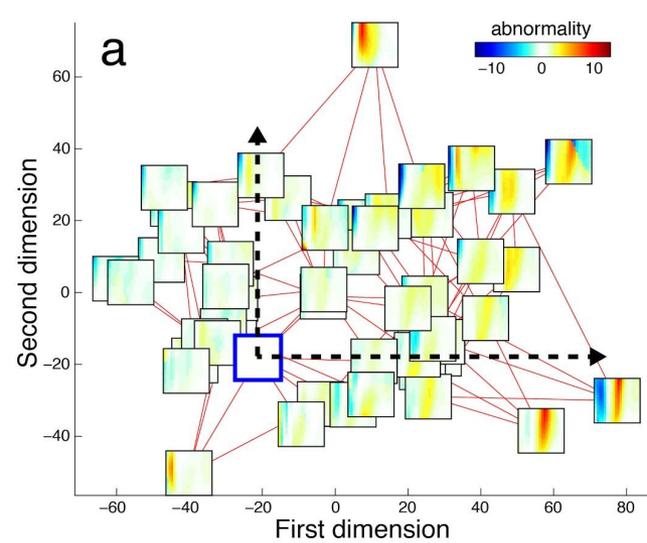


Estimated embeddings

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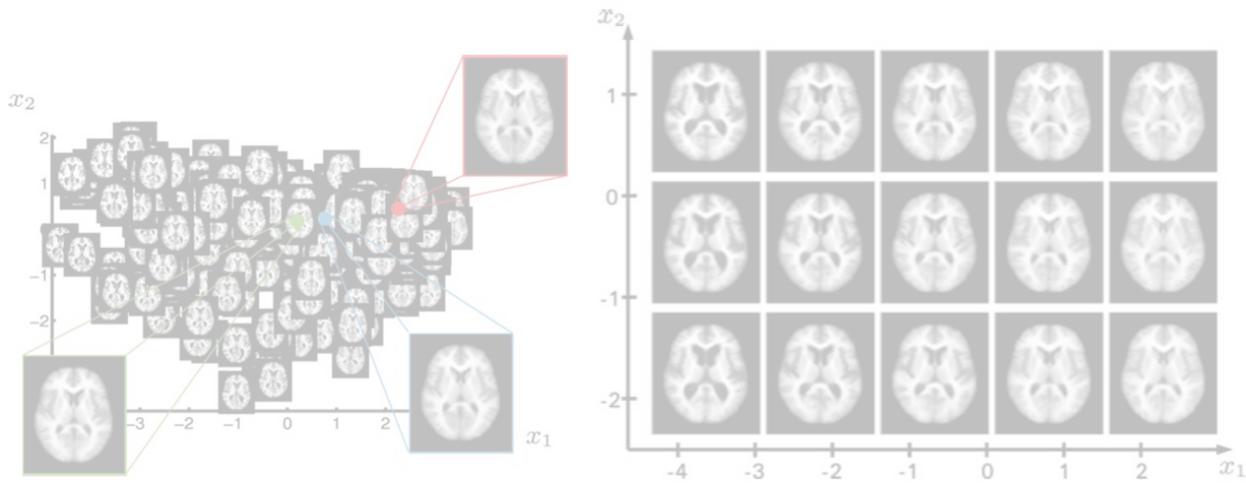


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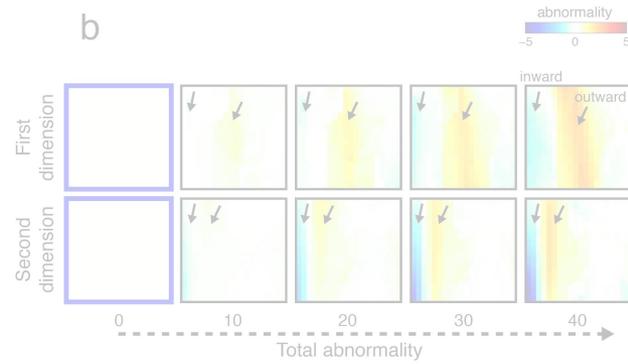
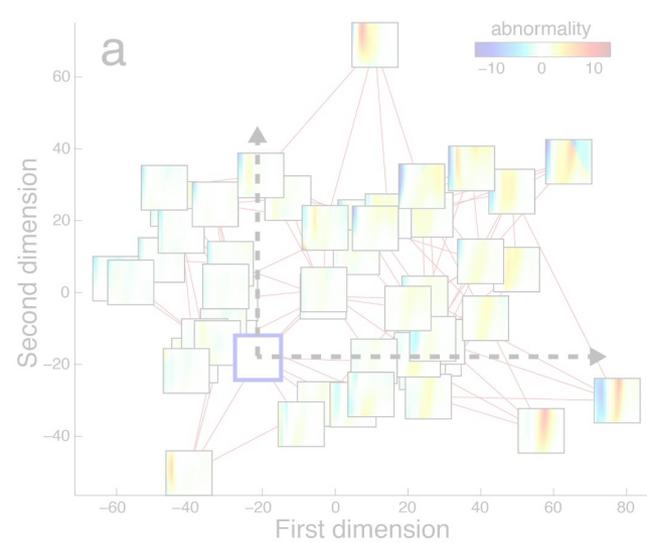
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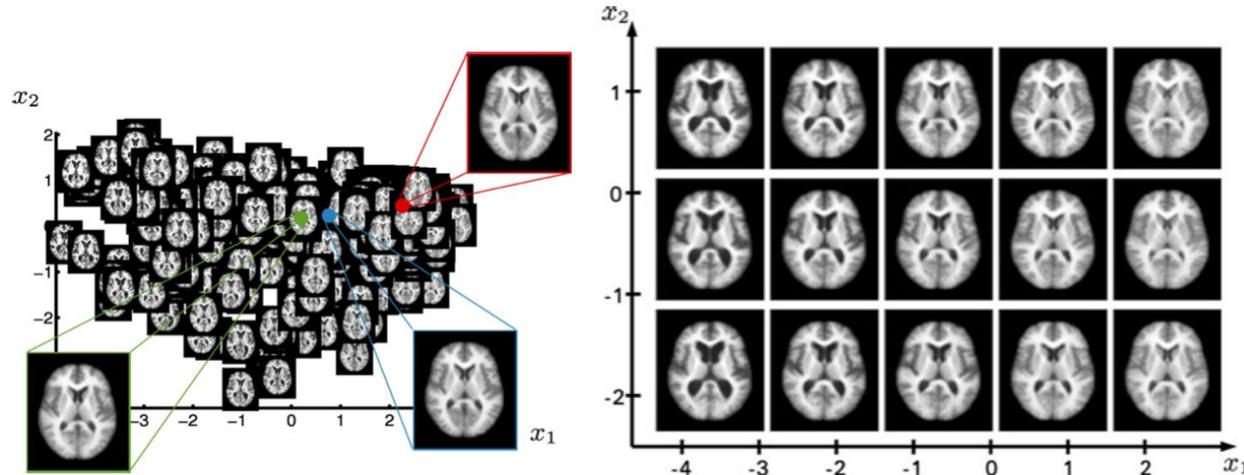


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→ **Laplacian eigenmaps**

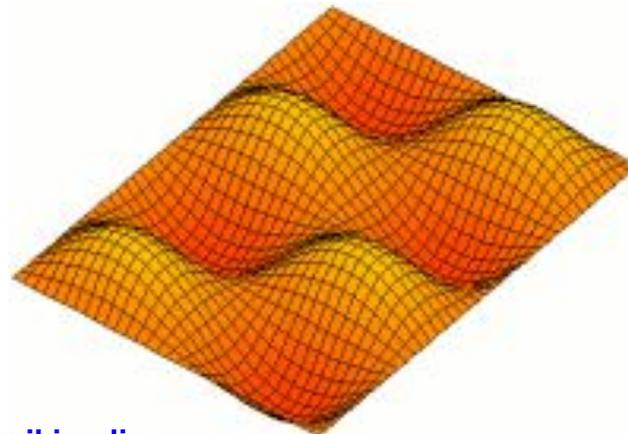
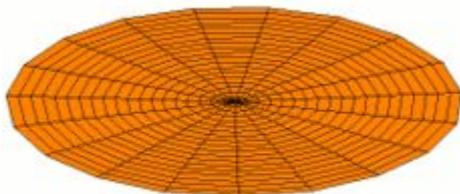
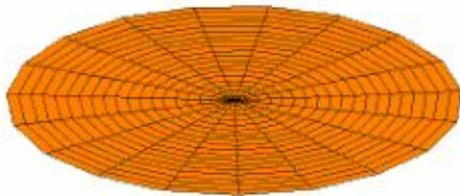
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Parameter = kernel bandwidth

$$w_{ij} = k(\mathbf{x}_i, \mathbf{x}_j) = \exp\left(-\frac{\|\mathbf{x}_i - \mathbf{x}_j\|^2}{2\sigma^2}\right)$$

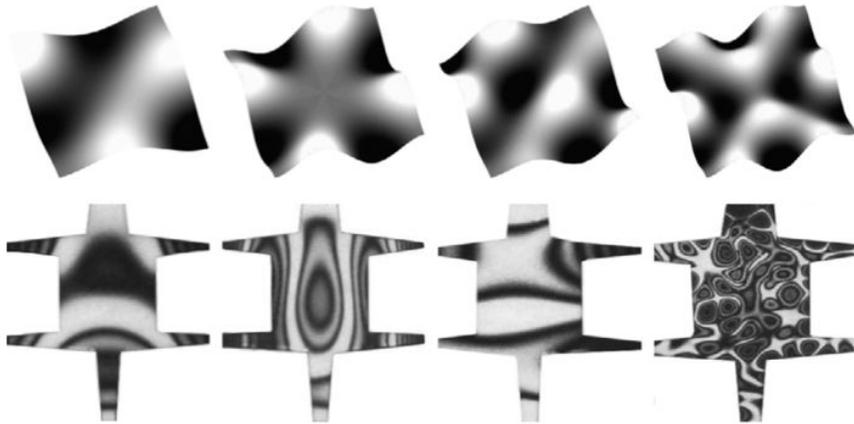
- Close inputs → $w_{ij} \approx 1$ → close outputs

- Far inputs → $w_{ij} \approx 0$ → minor influence

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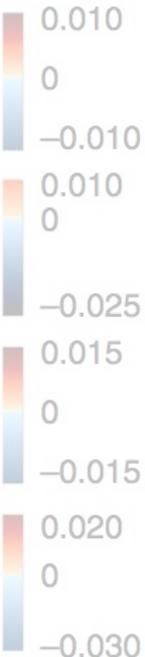
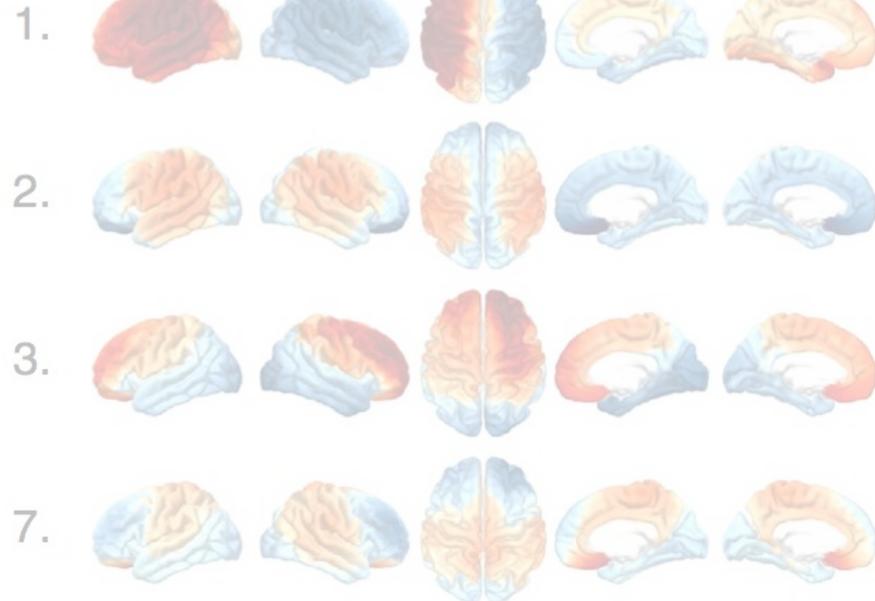
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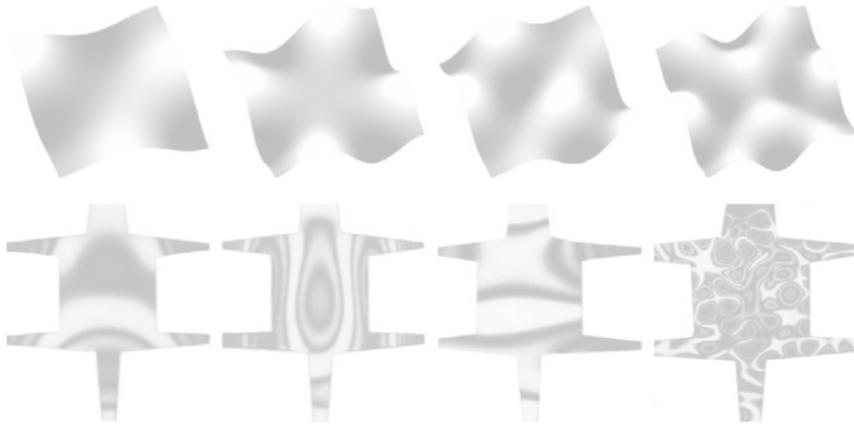
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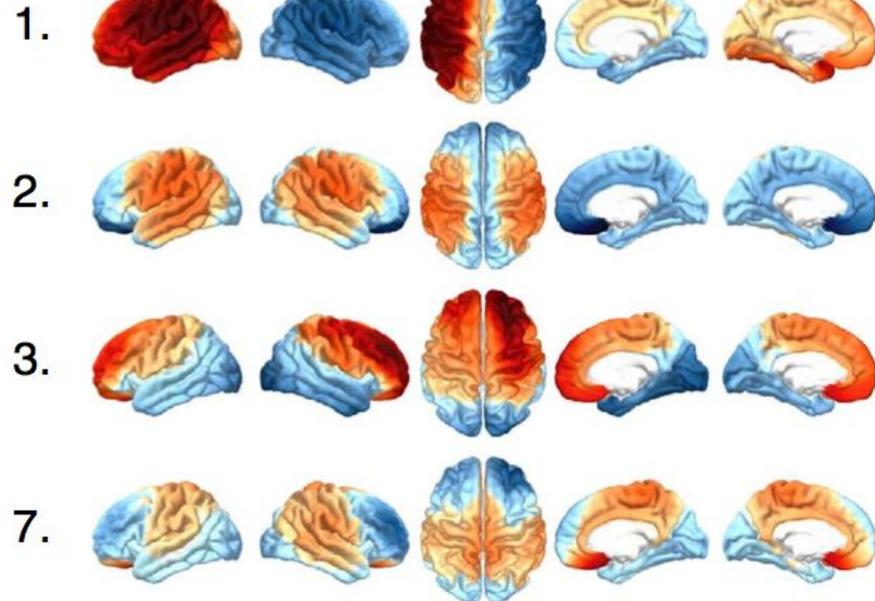
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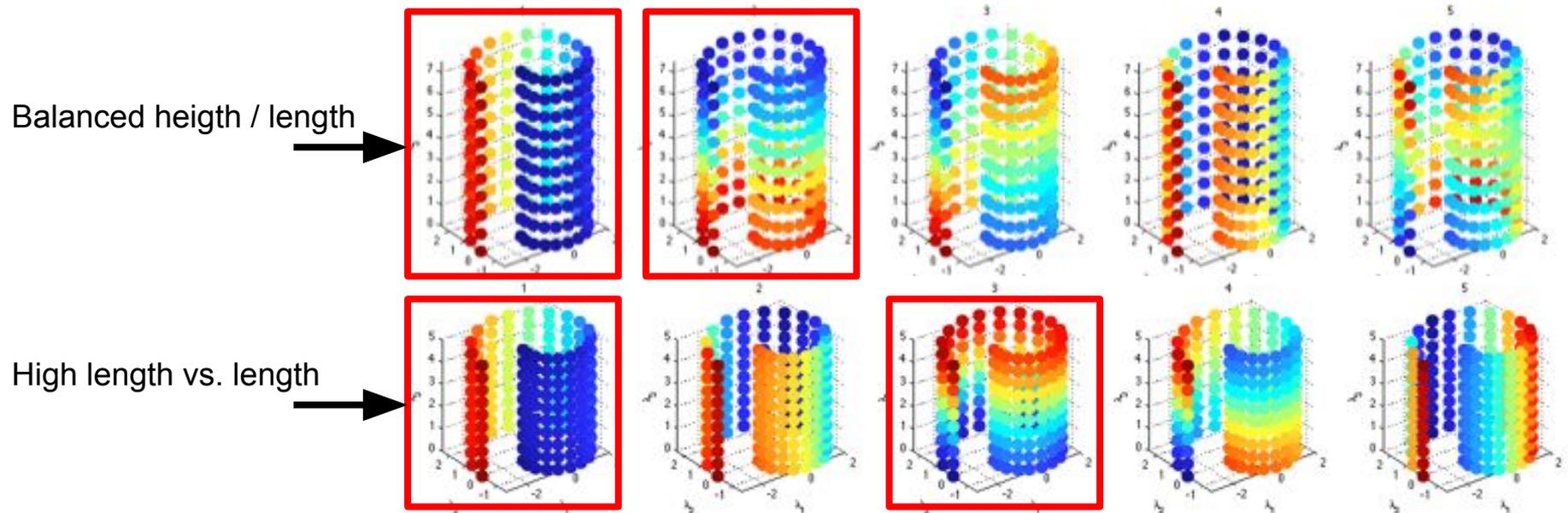
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Beware ! meaningful variations **not always ordered** as dimensions (1,2,3,...)

→ Careful interpretation vs. the **spread of the data space** (Nadler et al. 2008)

ex: **Spiral with varying height vs. length**

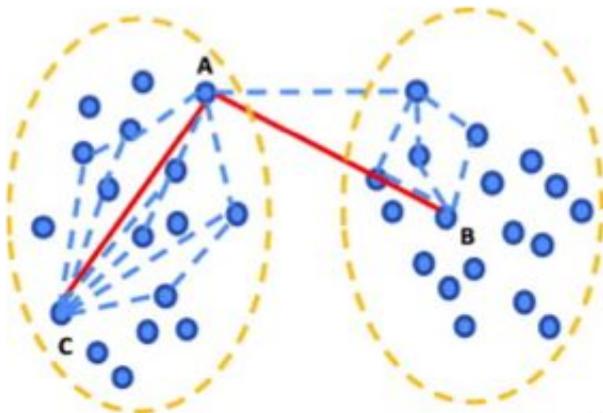


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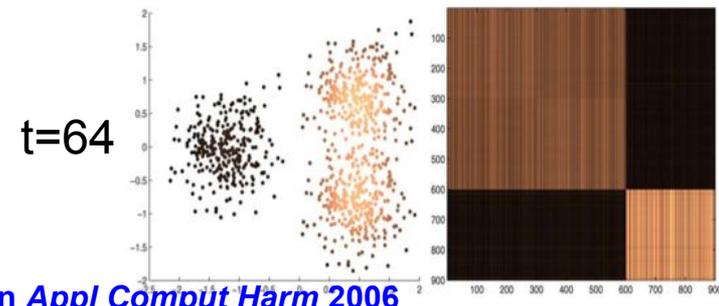
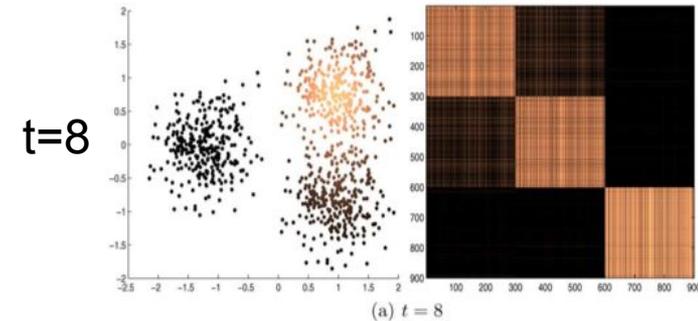
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P_{ij} Probability of moving from sample i to sample j in t steps



Liu et al. *CVIU* 2012



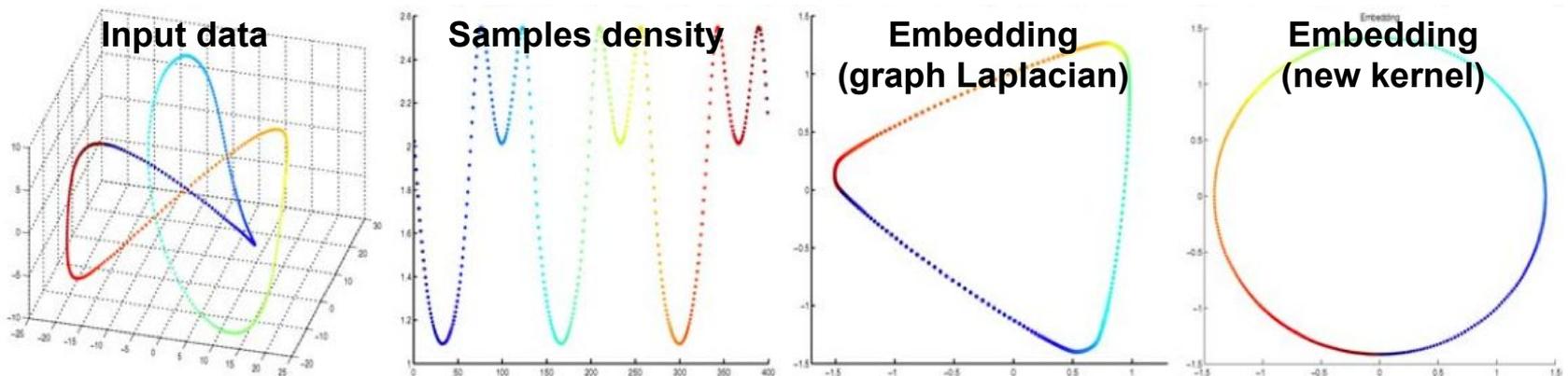
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Why? Robustness to **non-uniform density** of the samples
(critical in real-life applications !!!)



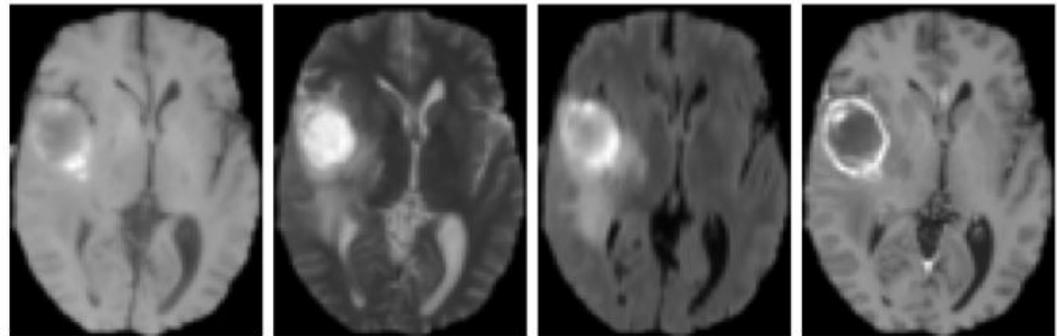
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ex: Preprocessing for robust multimodal registration

Multimodal images →



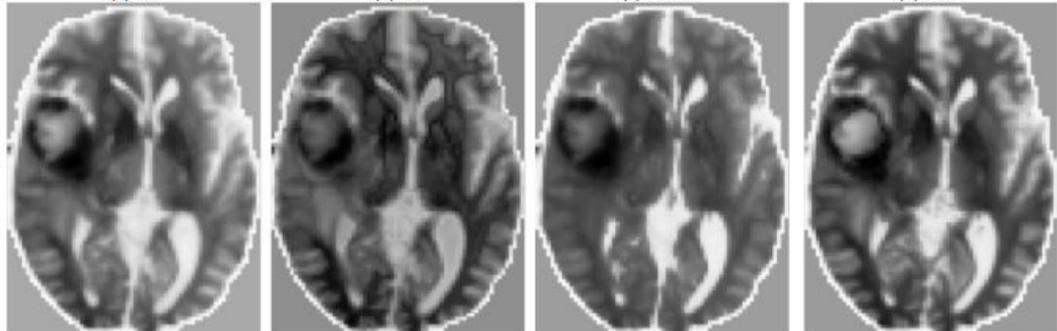
(a) T1

(b) T2

(c) FLAIR

(d) T1c

Diffusion maps output →



(e) DM T1

(f) DM T2

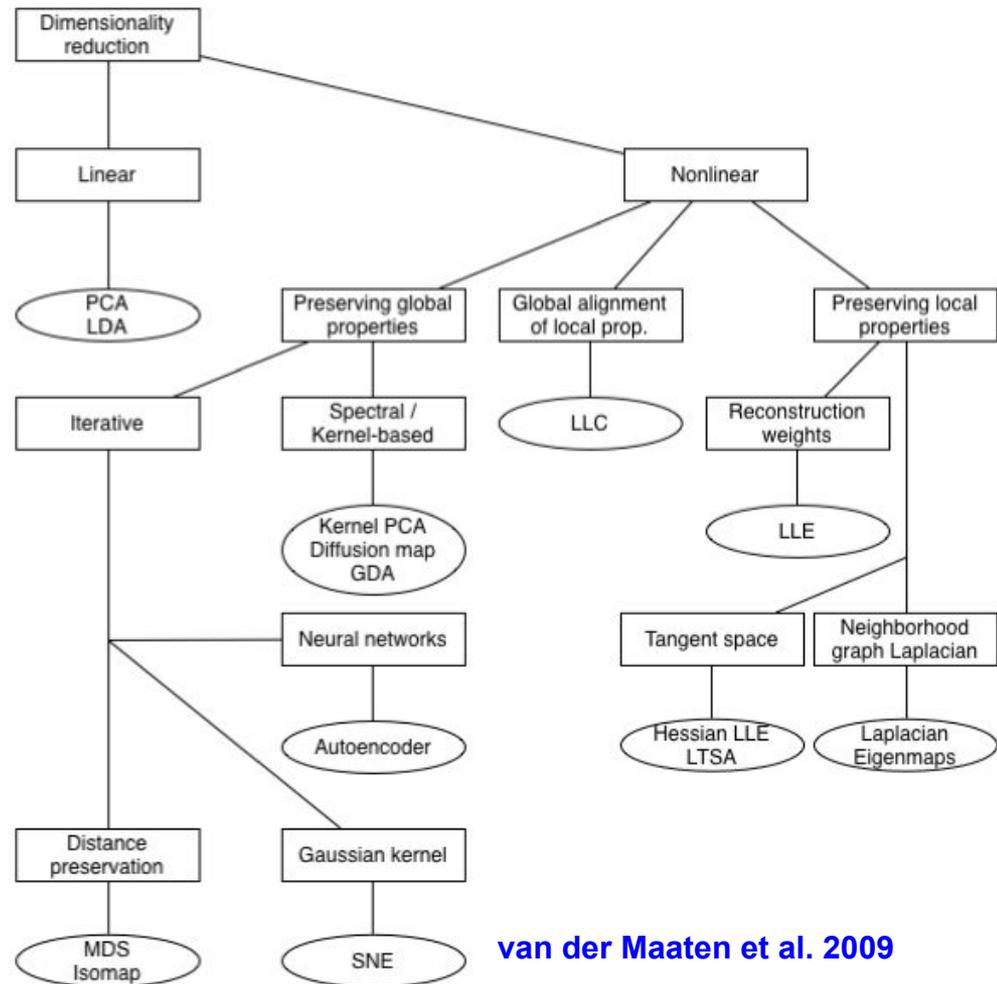
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→ ... and many other algorithms !



Depends on:

- Your knowledge on data
- Your objectives (distance=?)

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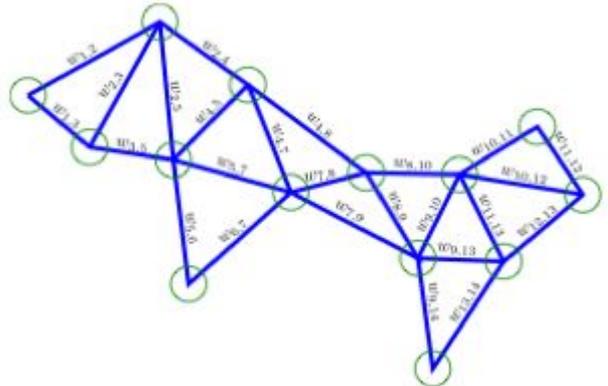
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Method	Operator/Matrix	Preserved	Objective Function
PCA	Covariance matrix	Variance of the dataset / Euclidean distances between data points	$\mathbf{u}^T \Sigma \mathbf{u}$
Laplacian Eigenmaps	Graph Laplacian	Distances within the local neighbourhood of each data point	$\mathbf{u}^T L \mathbf{u}$
ISOMAP	Geodesic distance matrix	Geodesic distances between data points	$\mathbf{u}^T D_G \mathbf{u}$
LLE	Reconstruction weights	Reconstruction weights within the local neighbourhood of each data point	$\mathbf{u}^T W \mathbf{u}$

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(cf. Laplacian eigenmaps...)

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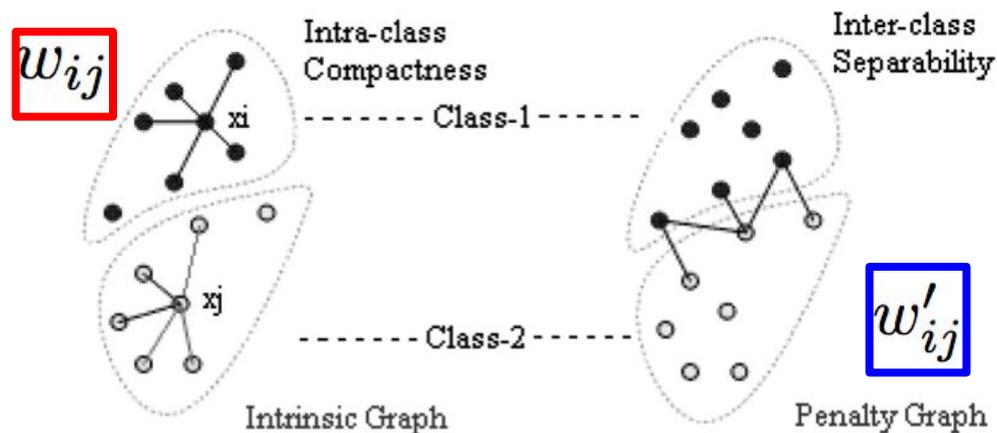
Under the constraint:

Supervised

$$\sum_{i,j} \|\mathbf{y}_i - \mathbf{y}_j\|^2 \boxed{w'_{ij}} = 1$$

Unsupervised

$$\sum_i \|\mathbf{y}_i\|^2 d_{ii} = 1$$



$$d_{ii} = \sum_j w_{ij}$$

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$$\hat{\mathbf{Y}} = \underset{\mathbf{Y}}{\operatorname{argmin}} \sum_{i,j} w_{ij} \|\mathbf{y}_i - \mathbf{y}_j\|^2 = \underset{\mathbf{Y}}{\operatorname{argmin}} \mathbf{Y}^T \mathbf{L} \mathbf{Y}$$

Under the constraint:

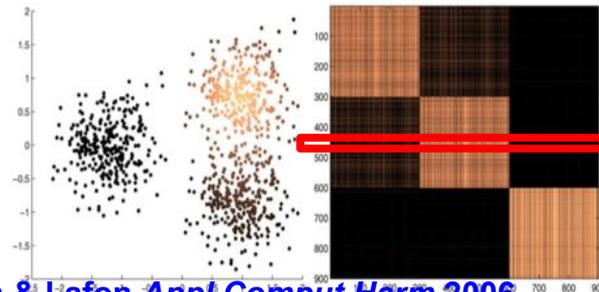
Supervised

$$\sum_{i,j} \|\mathbf{y}_i - \mathbf{y}_j\|^2 w'_{ij} = 1$$

Unsupervised

$$\sum_i \|\mathbf{y}_i\|^2 d_{ii} = 1$$

$$d_{ii} = \sum_j w_{ij}$$



3. Unsupervised learning

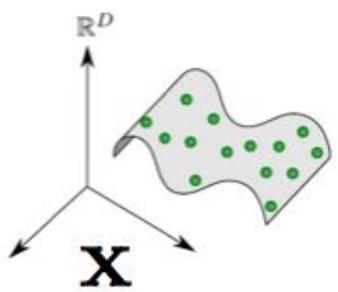
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→ Back to our pipeline...

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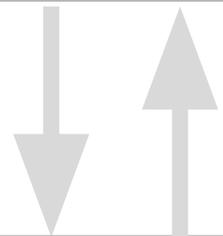
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- **Multiple** scalars
- ...or **Multiple high-dimensional** descriptors

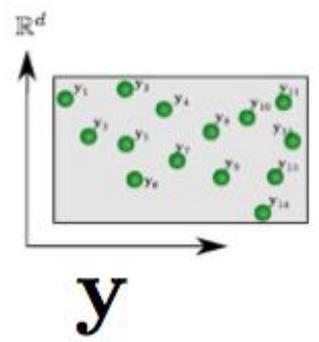
1) **Embedding**



Output =

- Low-dimensional representation

2) **Manifold / latent space**

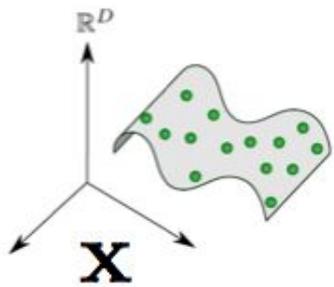


$D \gg d$ $f : \mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^D \mapsto \mathbf{y} \in \mathbb{R}^d$

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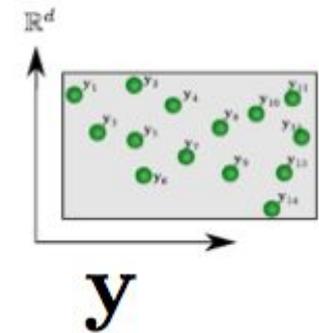


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3) Reconstruction???



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$$D \gg d$$

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$$g : \mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{R}^D \leftarrow \mathbf{y} \in \mathbb{R}^d$$

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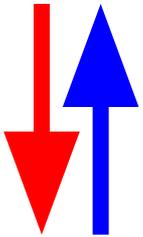
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→ Reconstruction

Analytical formula exists?

ex: PCA = linear change of basis $\Sigma = \mathbf{PDP}^T$

$$\mathbf{x} = \mathbf{P}\mathbf{y}$$



$$\mathbf{y} = \mathbf{P}^T\mathbf{x}$$

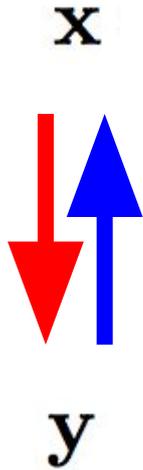
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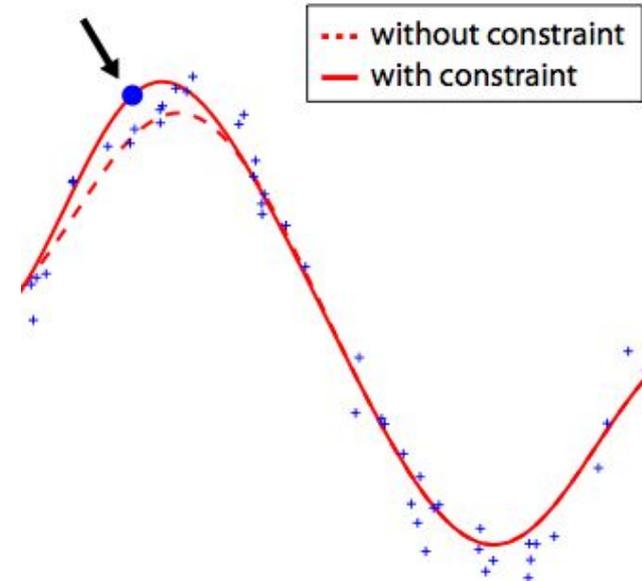
... in many cases, no !
= out-of-sample extension problem



> Possibility = **kernel** interpolation:

$$\mathbf{x} = \sum_{i=1}^N K'(\mathbf{y}, \mathbf{y}_i) \mathbf{c}_i$$

$$\mathbf{C} = (\mathbf{K}' + \mathbf{I}/\gamma)^{-1} \mathbf{x}$$

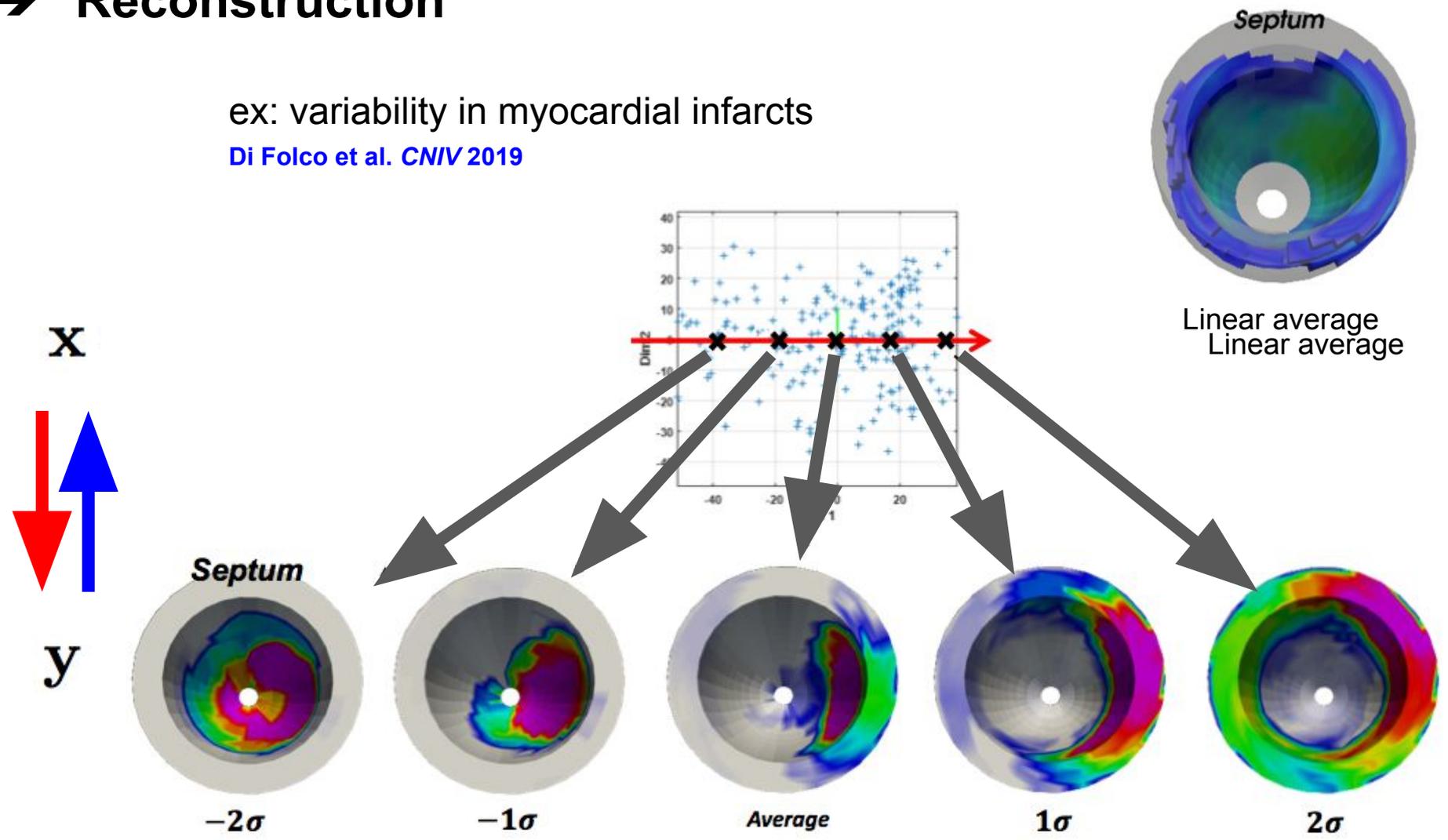


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→ Reconstruction

ex: variability in myocardial infarcts
Di Folco et al. *CNV* 2019



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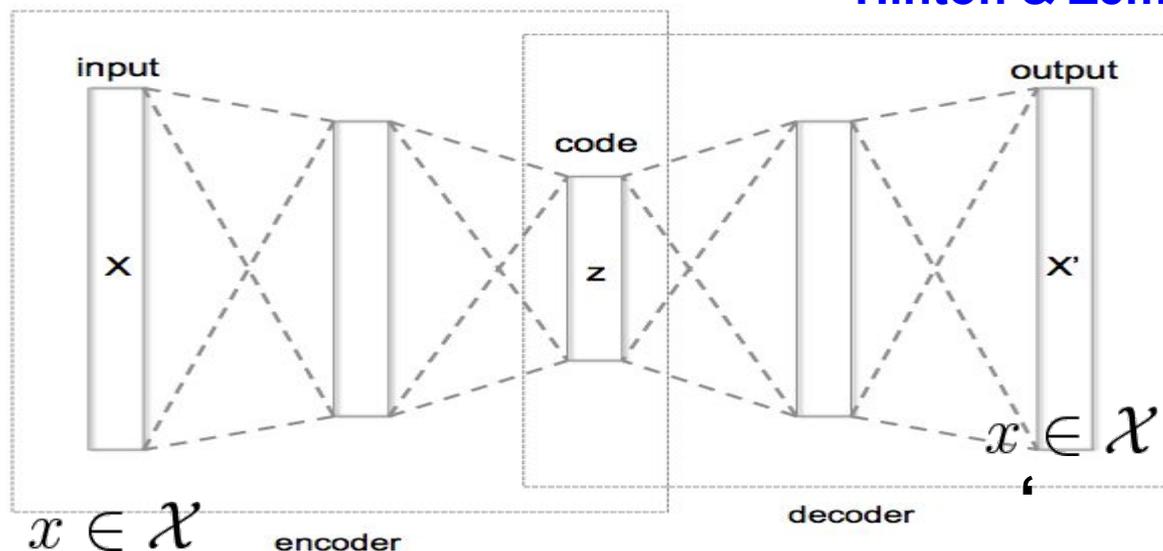
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Simultaneously learn, in a supervised manner

- an **encoder** that maps the input into a **shorter code**
- a **decoder** that maps back a code into an input

Self supervision = minimize the reconstruction error

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Extensions and other approaches

- Denoising **Autoencoders**, Variational Autoencoders (VAE), Conditional VAE, ...
- **Generative Adversarial Networks** (GAN),
 - CGAN, WGAN, ..., “gan zoo”
 - VAE-GAN, CVAE-GAN, ...
- **Self supervised** learning

3. Unsupervised learning

Summary

→ **Unsupervised learning, depends on:**

- ◆ Your data problem: labels / no labels, ...
- ◆ Your initial question: clustering, outliers, ...

→ **Learning a representation is key**, depends on:

- ◆ Linear / non-linear
- ◆ Objectives:

	Embedding space	Reconstruction
Manifold learning	Meaningful distances between <i>input</i> samples ~ Euclidean distance between <i>output</i> coordinates	Interpolation?
Auto-encoders	Limited statistical meaning	Optimized encoding/decoding

3. Unsupervised learning

Summary

→ Validation not straightforward:

- ◆ No labels !
- ◆ vs. method's way of working? (ex: short-circuit)
- ◆ vs. application's objectives? (ex: risk analysis, knowledge discovery)

→ Still under-used vs. supervised learning

- ◆ Promising for medical problems !
- ◆ Rising **semi-supervised** learning...

