

PCA and Clustering

1 ACP

1. **The data** Save the data `olympic` which are associated to the performance of people.
2. **Preprocessing** Let denote by `n` the number of individuals.
 - (a) Look at each variable independently.
 - (b) Compute the empirical mean of each variable and determine the centered data and save them in a matrix named `Oly_centre`.
 - (c) Compute the standard deviation of each variable of the table `Oly_centre`. Determine the matrix of the normalized performance and save them in the matrix `Oly_renorm`.
3. **PAC : Representation of the individuals**
 - (a) look at the help page of `princomp`.
Write `acp_olympic=princomp(Oly_renorm,scores=TRUE)`.
 - (b) Compare $(1/n) * (t(Oly_renorm) \%*\% Oly_renorm)$ and $(n-1)/n * cov(Oly_renorm)$. What is done?
 - (c) What is the output of `summary(acp_olympic)`? See this by computations.
 - (d) What are the outputs of `acp_olympic$loadings` ? See this by computations.
 - (e) What are the outputs of `acp_olympic$scores` ? See this by computations.
 - (f) Plot the individuals in the first factorial plan.

4. PCA : Representation of the variables

- (a) Write `cor(Oly_renorm[,1],acp_olympic$scores)`. What is the norm of this vector ? What is it ?
- (b) Compare `cor(Oly_renorm,acp_olympic$scores[,1])` and `acp_olympic$sdev[1]*acp_olympic$loadings[,1]`. What is done?
- (c) Deduce the correlation circle.

5. Generally

- (a) Compare with `biplot` apply to `acp_olympic`.
- (b) What produces `plot(acp_olympic)` ? What can be the use ?
- (c) What happens if the data are not normalized?

2 clustering

- 1. Write `data(iris)`. Describe the data.
- 2. Create a matrix `A` where does not appear any more the variable species.
- 3. Write

```
K=kmeans(A,3,iter.max=1,nstart=1)
```

What is the associated method ?

- 4. What are the outputs and confirm this by computation.
- 5. What are the parameters `iter.max` and `nstart`.
- 6. Is the application of the function correct?
- 7. Compare the outputs with the reality.
- 8. Change the number of groups and compare the variances.
- 9. Write

```
D=dist(A)  
Db=dist(A,method="maximum")
```

What happens?

- 10. What produces the function `hclust`?
 - (a) Write `hc1=hclust(D^2,method='ward.D')`. What does `plot(hc1)` ? What are the informations in `merge` and `height` of `hc` ?
 - (b) Write `hc2=hclust(D,method='ward.D2')`. Same things than before.
 - (c) Change the distance.
- 11. How many groups to perform. Combine both methods.

12. **Comparison with the PCA.** Perform a PCA, plot the individuals on the first factorial plan with color points with respect to the value of the species.
- (a) Use the function `princomp` on `A`. Explain the results.
 - (b) Do the plot with three colors.