

# lime for time

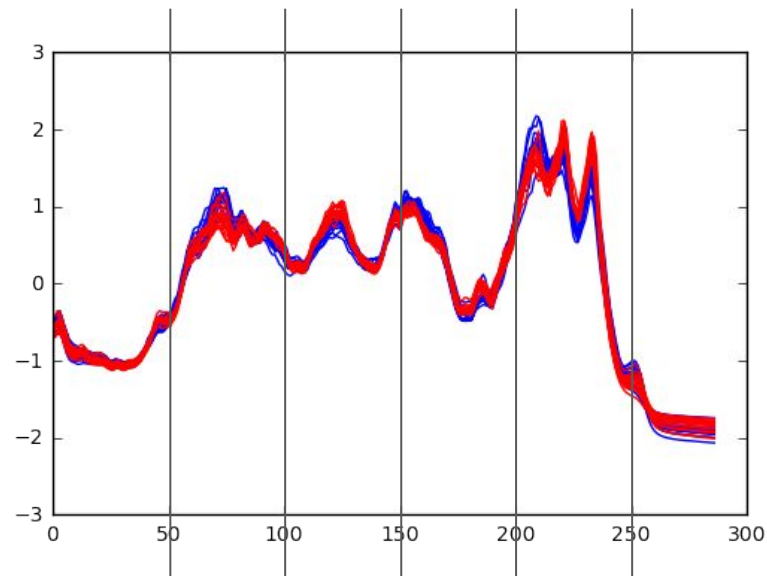
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# Task

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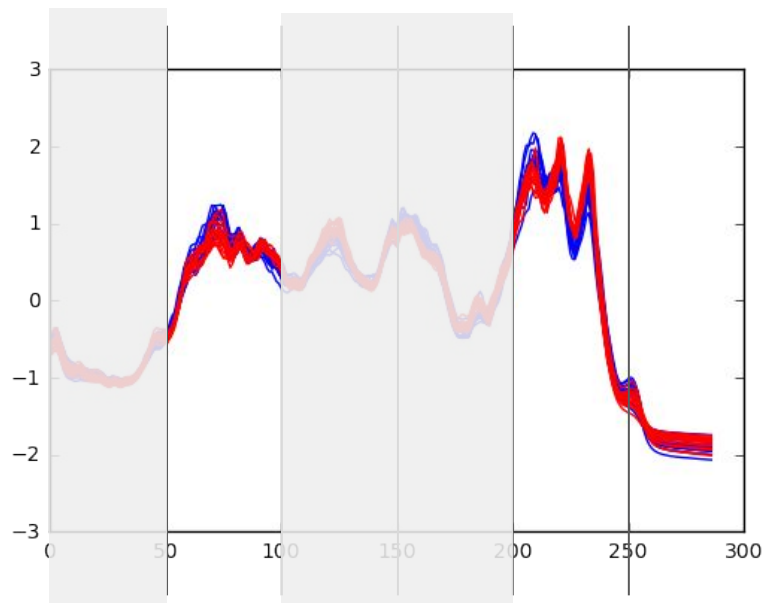


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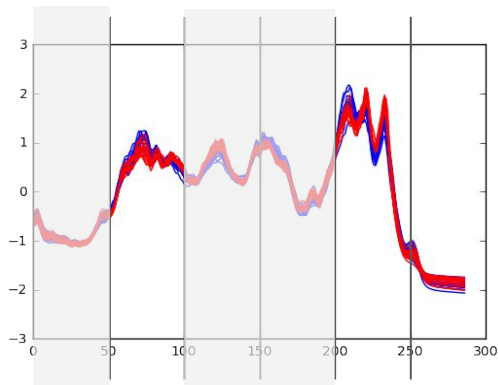
# Idea

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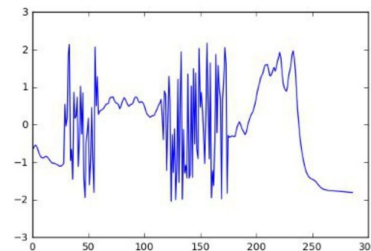


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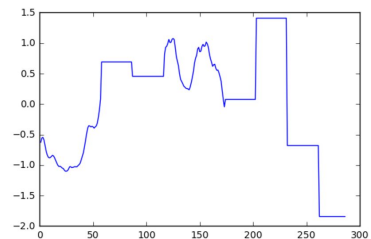
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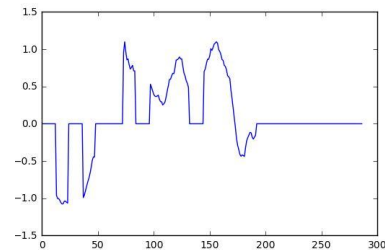
Noise



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# Implementation

Implement an Explainer for Timeseries:

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class LimeTabularExplainer(object)
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class LimeImageExplainer(object)
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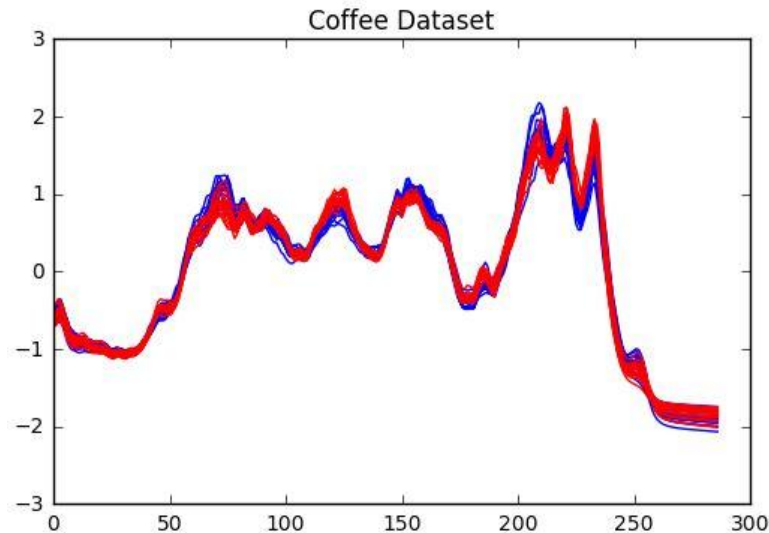
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class LimeTextExplainer(object)
```



```
class LimeTimeSeriesExplainer(object)
```

# Result on Coffee Dataset

- 2 classes problem
- “**Food spectrographs** are used in chemometrics to classify food types, a task that has obvious applications in food safety and quality assurance. The coffee data set is a two class problem to **distinguish between Robusta and Arabica coffee beans.**”

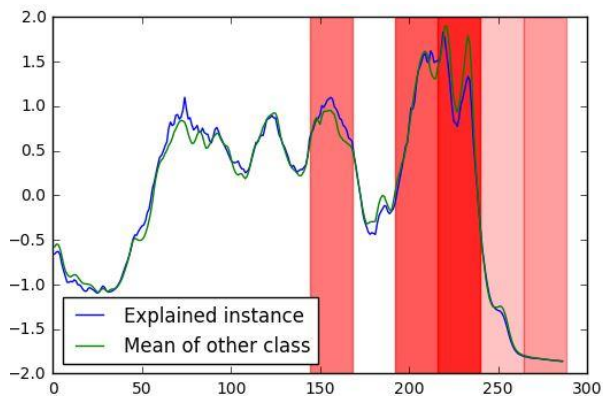




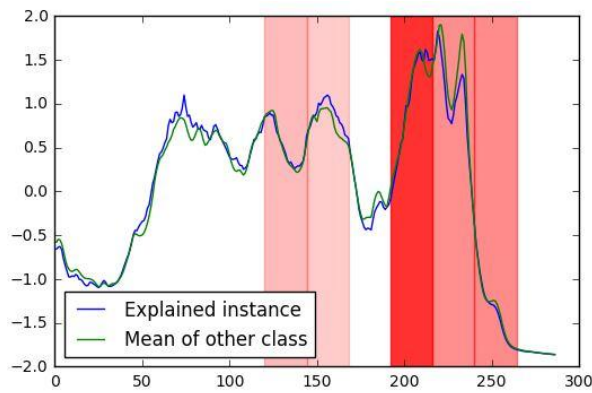
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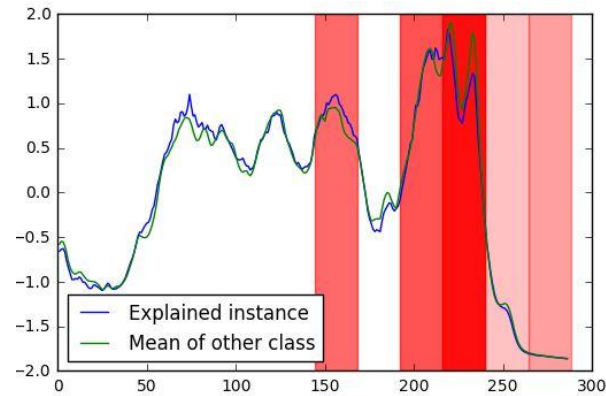
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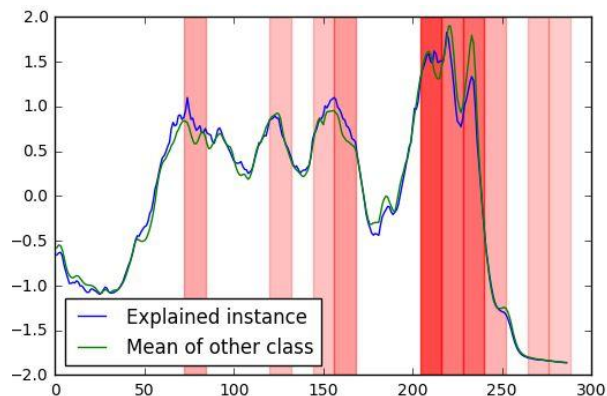
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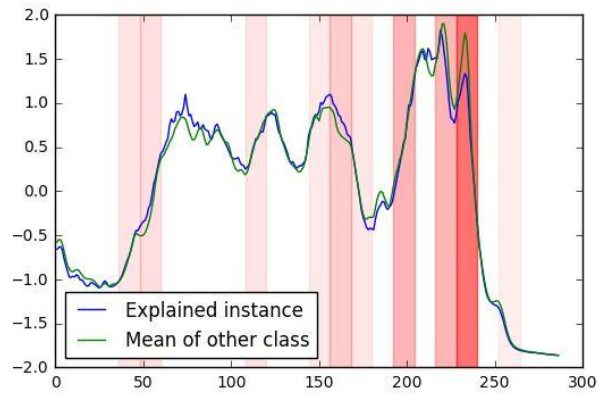
# Result on Coffee Dataset

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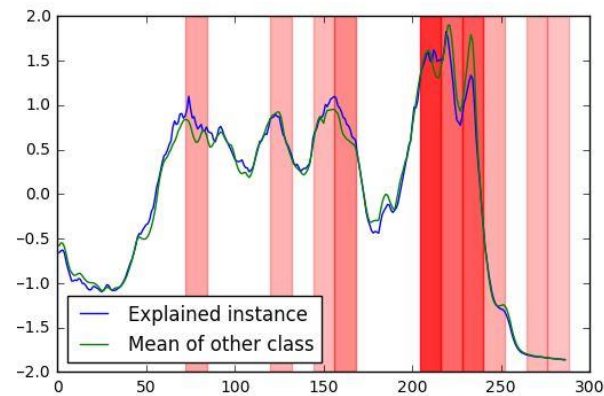
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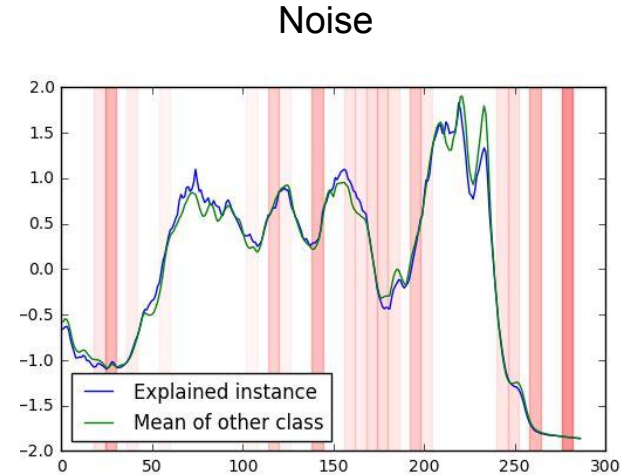
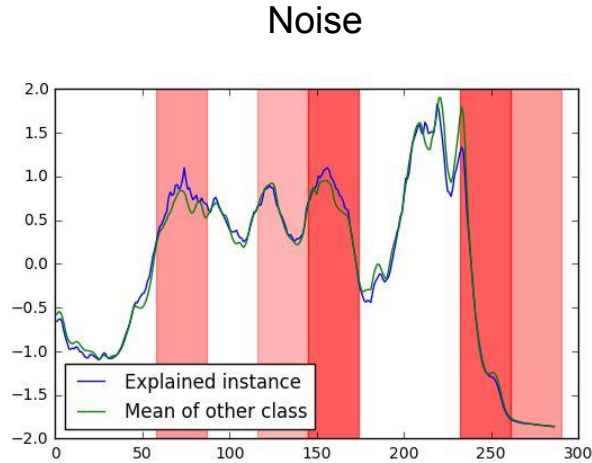


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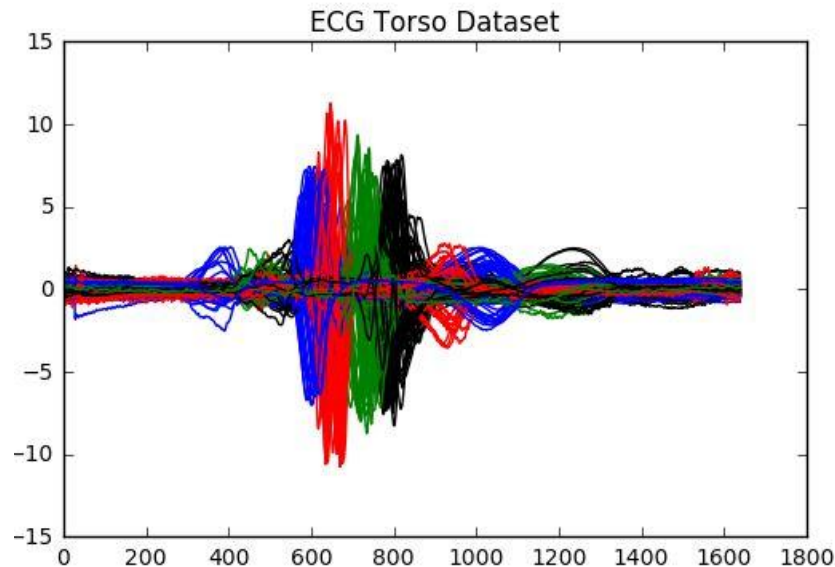
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Determining the right amount of slices and top slices to be explained by LIME.

# Result on ECG Torso Dataset

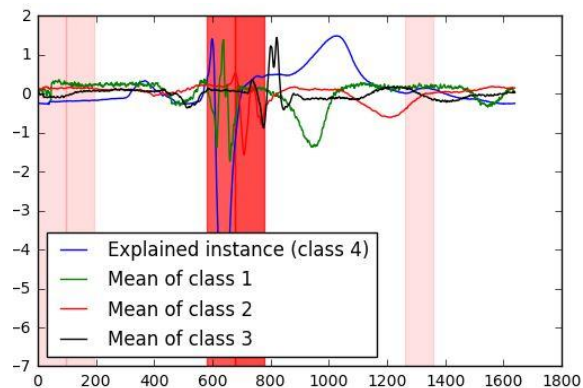
- 4 classes problem
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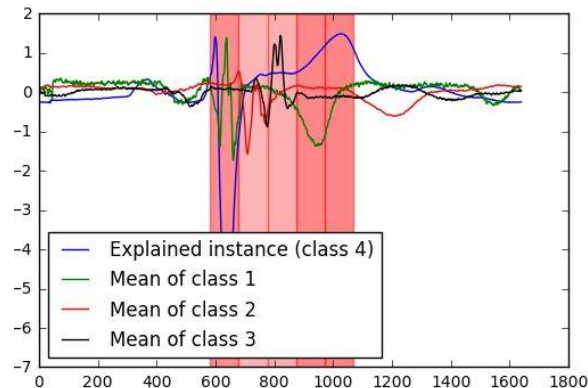
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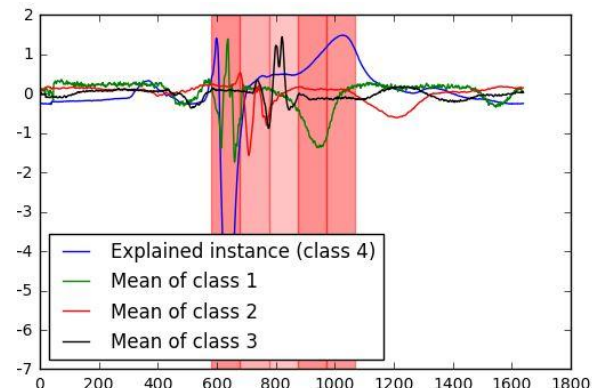
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**Does our Lime explainer provide solid explanations?**



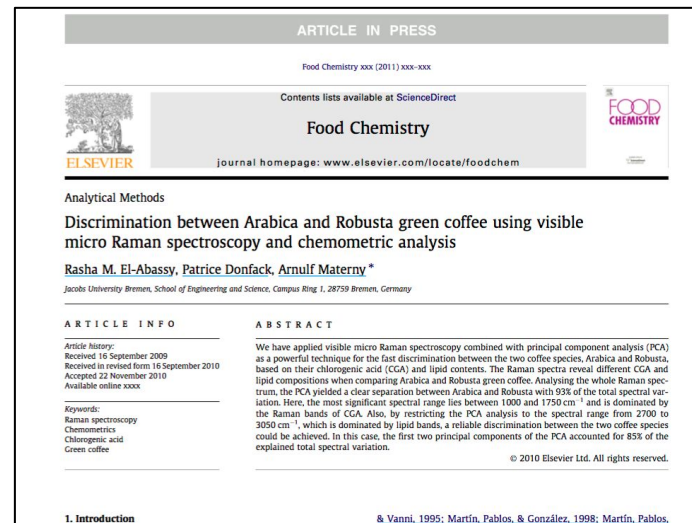
Verify Lime results with:

- Expert knowledge
- With classification models

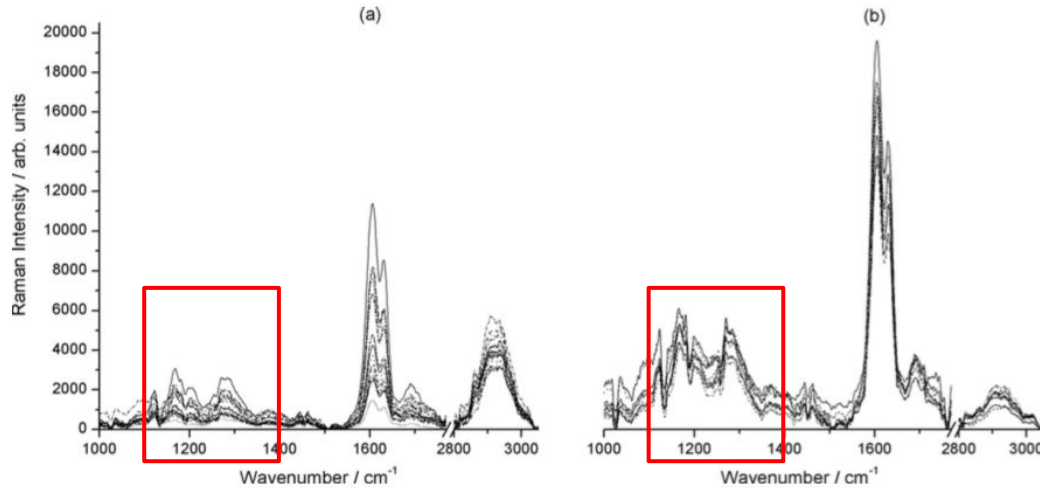
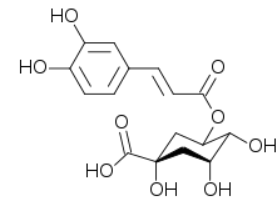
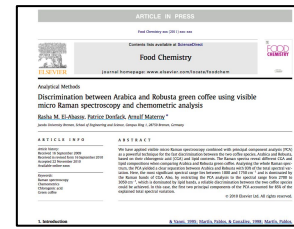
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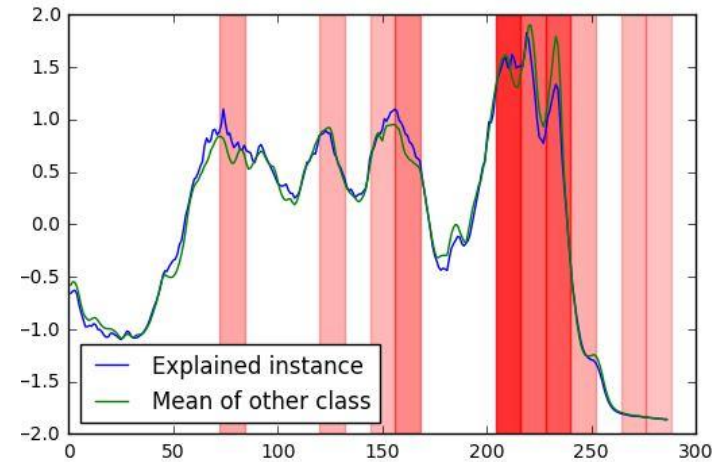
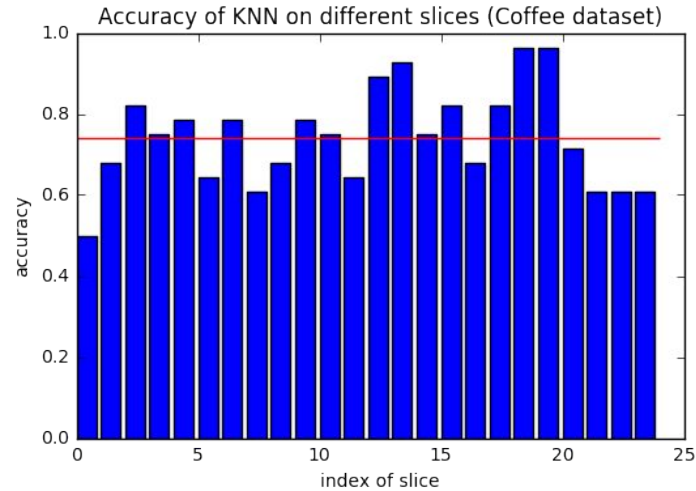
“[...] **the Robusta** green coffee samples with the weakest CGA peaks still **show stronger intensities than the Arabica** green coffee sample with the most intense CGA peaks.”

(a) Arabica, (b) Robusta



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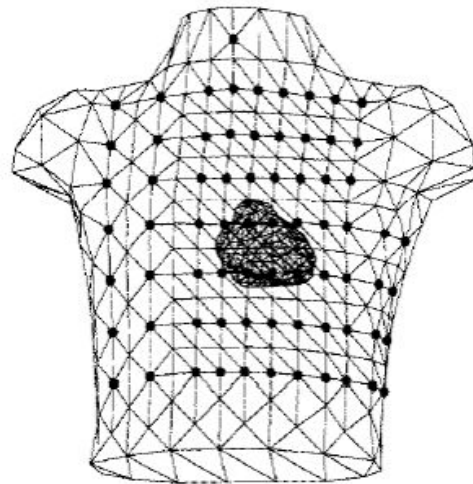
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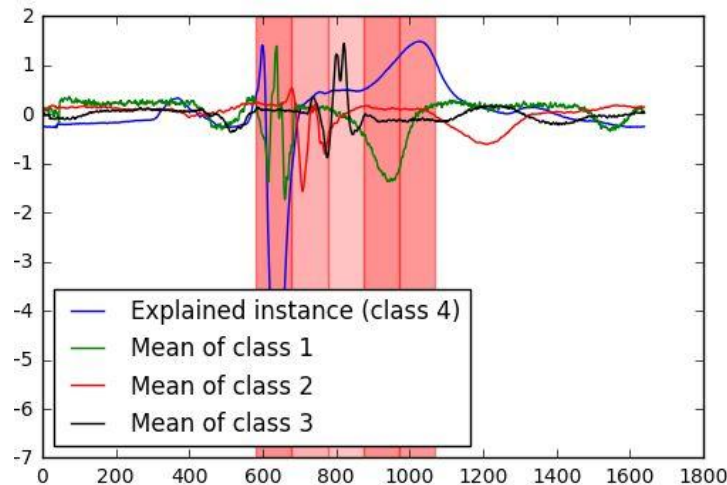
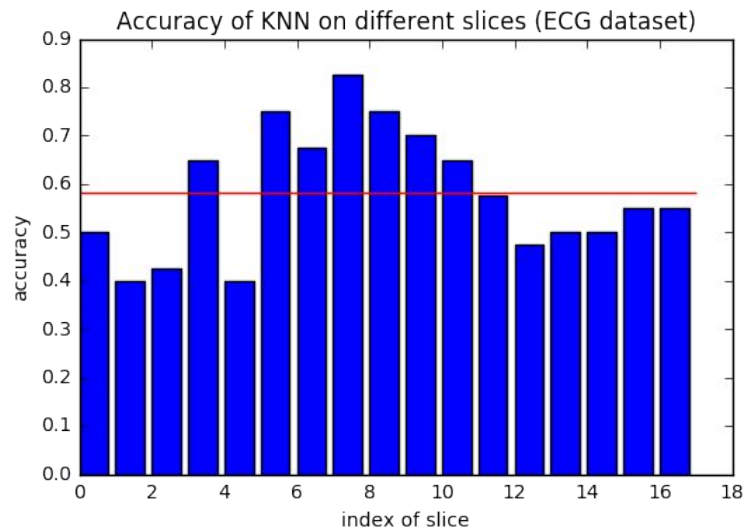
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# Learnings

- Quality of explanation is highly dependent on number of slices and samples
- Verifying one's results is important
- Try it out

Thank you for your attention!

Any questions?