

ggobi Manual



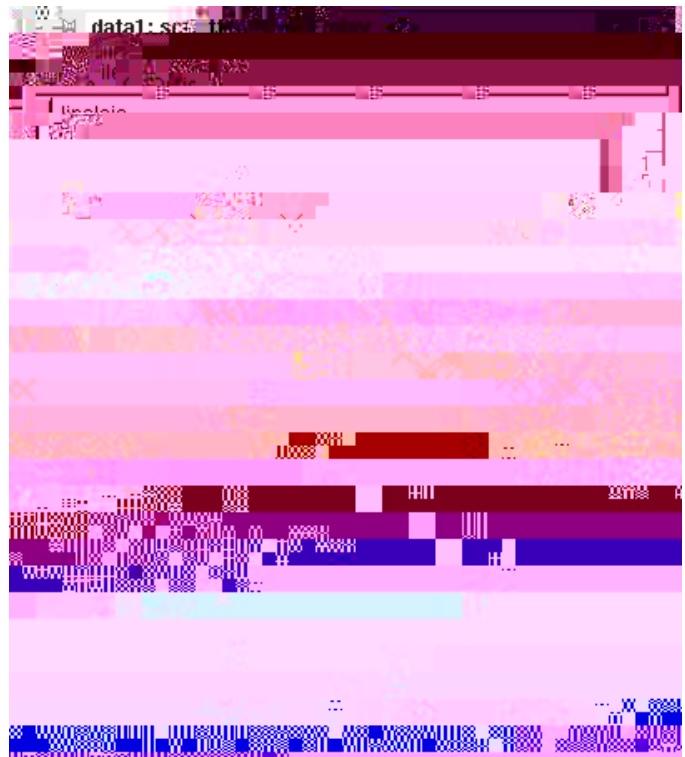


Figure 5: Toggling clusters of points on and off according to color/glyph value.

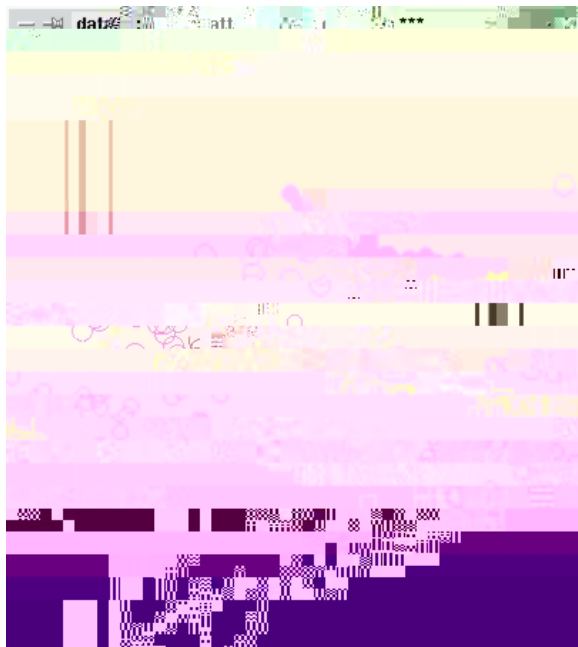


Figure 6: Four plots revealing difference between regions 2 and 3 of the olive oils.

switch to **Brush** mode. Choose a new color (say yellow) and large closed glyph, and transiently paint the case with a very low value on palmitic (Figure 7). This case also has a very high value for oleic acid, and low value for linolenic acid.

Figure 7: Brushing in a parallel coordinates display reveals an outlier in palmitic, oleic and linolenic acids.

Using the **Case clusters** panel from the **Brush** controls, click the show box to the Region 1 cases back into the plot. Now using the **File** menu output the data, saving the colors and glyphs that have been created during this session.

This has been a brief introduction to the use of ggobi. The following section contains more detailed information on the functionality.

1DPlot: 1-D dotplots and average shifted histograms,

XYPlot: 2-D scatterplots,

1DTour: 1-D tour,

2DTour: 2-D tour,

3.2 Graphical displays

j , and then connecting the dots into one set of connected line segments [9, 14].) The line segments are drawn by default, but you can turn them off using the **Options** menu on the display menubar.

The only essential file is the one containing the data itself. Each line in the file contains one row of the input data matrix, and lines must be separated by carriage returns. Columns, or variables, can be separated by any number of tabs or spaces. The file needs to have the suffix *.dat*.

You can supply variable and case labels in associated files. Variable (column) labels can be in a file named

6.2 XY plots

The XY plots are the rudimentary 2 variable scatterplot (or draughtsman plot) displays. Two

6.7.2 Points and edges

If Points

6.8 Identification

7 Tools

Many of the stage 2 transformations are not linear; they include sorting and ranking.

7.3 Sphering

The *Sphering* panel starts by displaying a scree plot for the currently selected variables (see section

The **Update** button at the bottom of the window will reset the contents of the table in case it isn't responding to changes in the displays. The **Rescale** button will cause the views to be redrawn as if any hidden points are no longer in the data: that is, the points that are shown will be scaled to fit the viewing area of the plot.

If you want all plots to rescale immediately when you assign new values, turn on *Rescale* toggle. Finally, click on the

11 Differences from xgobi

In this section, we summarize the key differences between ggobi and xgobi for those readers who are already familiar with xgobi.

11.1 Multiple displays

The first thing you'll notice when you look at a ggobi display is that the plotting window has become separated from the control panels. The main reason for that change is so that a ggobi

Web Links

The web site for ggobi:

ggobi : www.ggobi.org

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