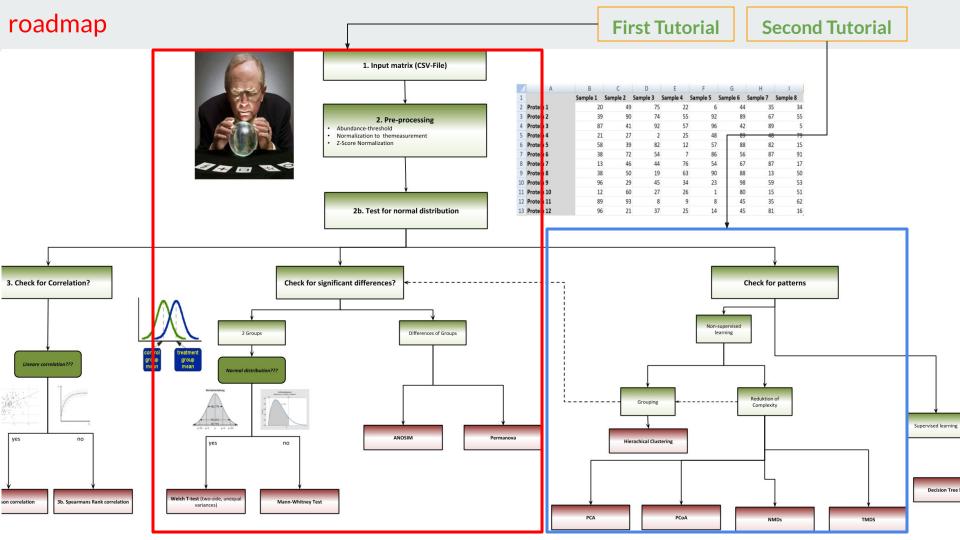
# Multivariate Methods

**CLASSIFICATION & ORDINATION** 



### **GOALS:**

**Overview**: Normalization & Group Comparison

Moving Ahead - Multivariate

Methods: Supervised Learning &

Unsupervised Learning, Ordination
& Clustering

Ordination: PCA, PCoA & NMDS

**Grouping:** Clustering

#### **OVERVIEW**

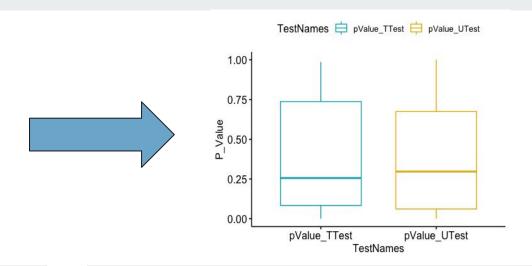
- what are we upto?
- keywords

NORMALIZATION? GROUP COMPARISON? WHY ALL THE FUSS?

previously unclarified
 p-value, w-value, Bonferoni
 Correction T-Test, Benjamin
 Hochberger Correction T-Test

#### what are we upto?





#### why?

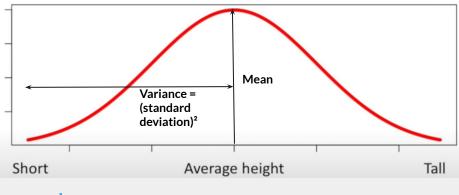
to visualize large amounts of complex data is easier than poring over spreadsheets or reports. ... Data visualization can also: Identify areas that need attention or improvement.

#### how?

#### **Statistical Tools** through **R**:

- Normalization
- Group Comparison (T-Test, PERMANOVA etc.)
- Multivariate Methods (Clustering, Ordination)

#### keyword: normalization



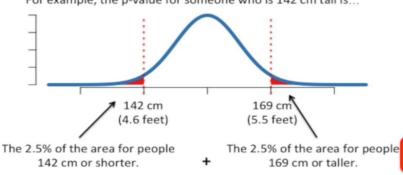
#### p-value

areas under the curve.

For example, the p-value for someone who is 142 cm tall is...

To calculate p-values, you

add up the percentages of

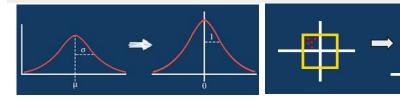


#### why bother?

- Robust visualization of a data or data variable possible to create null hypothesis and test them
- data normalization when seeking for relations
- as part of data preparation for machine learning. The goal of **normalization** is to change the values of numeric columns in the dataset to a common scale, without distorting differences in the ranges of values
- Easy to **compare** data or data variables

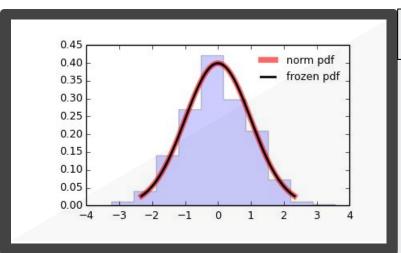
#### how?

= 0.05



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#### **Test for Normality: Shapiro-Wilk Test**

> shapiro.test(matrix\$BE\_03)

Shapiro-Wilk normality test

data: matrix\$BE\_03

W = 0.38432, p-value = 1.103e-14

- Using w-value, we create a NULL hypothesis
  - if W is very small then the distribution is probably not normally distributed
- If P < 0.05, we reject the NULL Hypothesis

#### Assumption Checks ▼

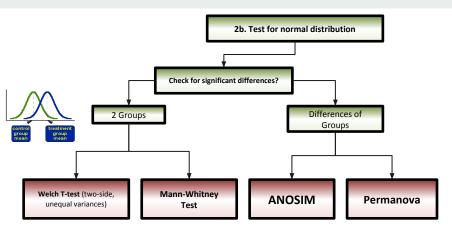
Test of Normality (Shapiro-Wilk) ▼

W p

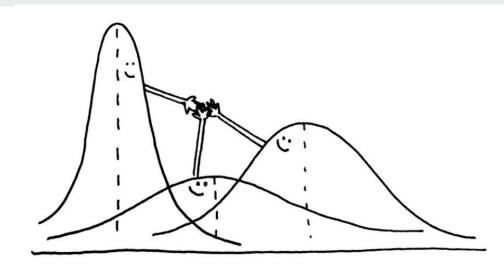
W p
Difference 0.938 0.325

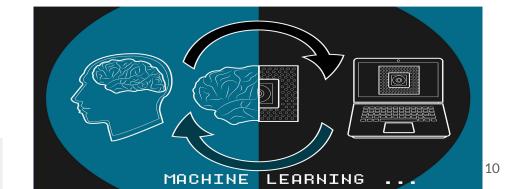
Note. Significant results suggest a deviation from normality.

#### So now that we have data(normalized), what next?



- check for Significant Differences (Group Comparison)
  - o between 2 or more groups
    - T-Test & U-Test
    - ANOSIM & PERMANOVA
    - ANOVA & Kruskal-Walis Test
- infer Knowledge out of dataset and/or prove hypothesis



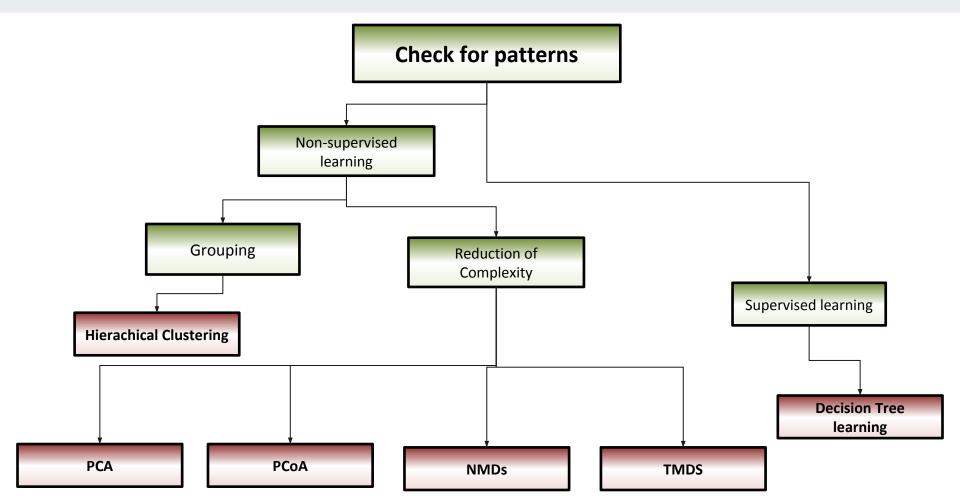


# can DATA be NOT Normalized & still make sense??

# Multivariate Methods: Ordination & Classification

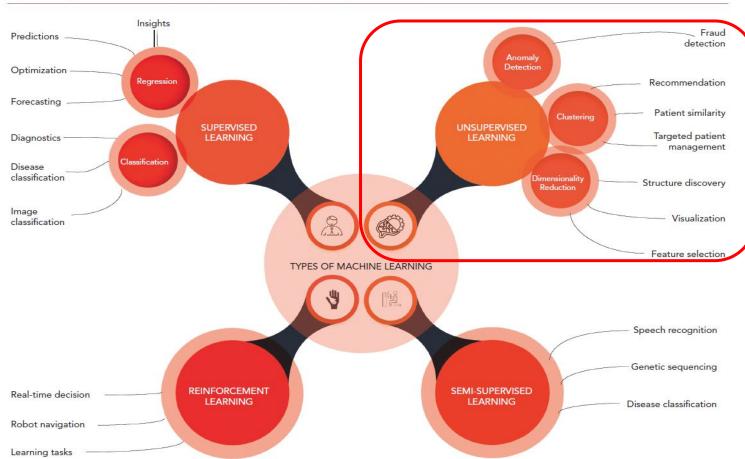
- unsupervised learning vs supervised learning
- Ordination
  - Grouping
    - Clustering
  - Dimension/Complexity
     Reduction
    - PCA
    - PCoA
    - NMDS
    - CCA

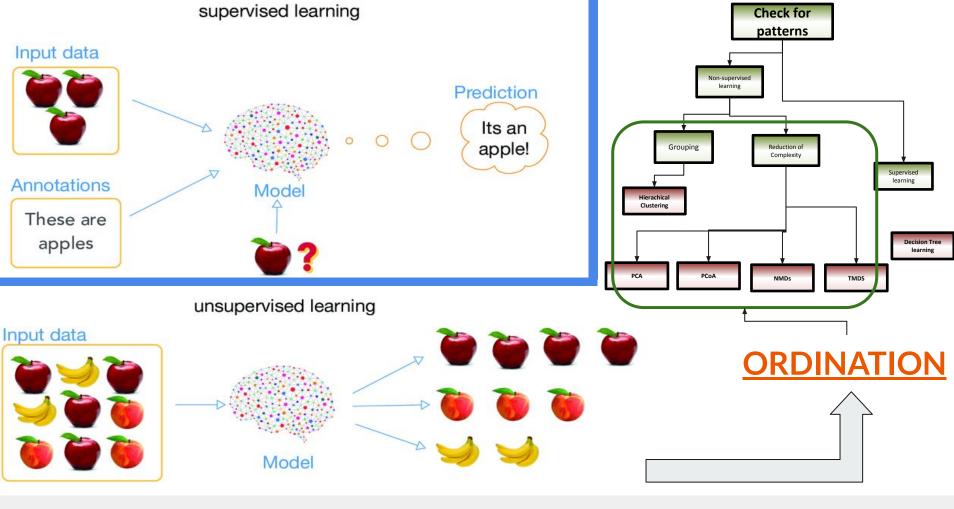
#### roadmap



#### types of Machine Learning

Figure 1: Types of Machine Learning with Examples of Respective Use





unsupervised learning vs/& supervised learning

# what is DATA to a Machine??

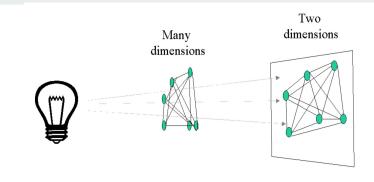
#### unsupervised learning

why? to find **Similarities** & grouping Recommendations Clustering reduction of Dimension and/or Complexity Principal Component Analysis (PCA) Principal Coordinate Analysis (PCoA) **Structure Discovery, Feature** Non Metric MultiDimensional Scaling Selection & Visualization (NMDS) **Canonical Correspondence Analysis** (CCA)

#### how?

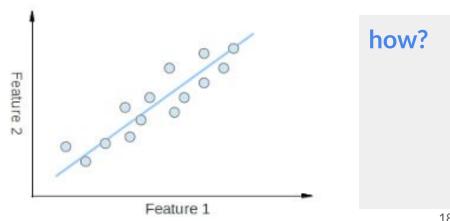
#### ordination (an unsupervised approach)

Ordination is a collective term for multivariate techniques which summarize a multidimensional dataset in such a way that when it is projected onto a low dimensional space, any intrinsic pattern the data may possess becomes apparent upon visual inspection.



#### why?

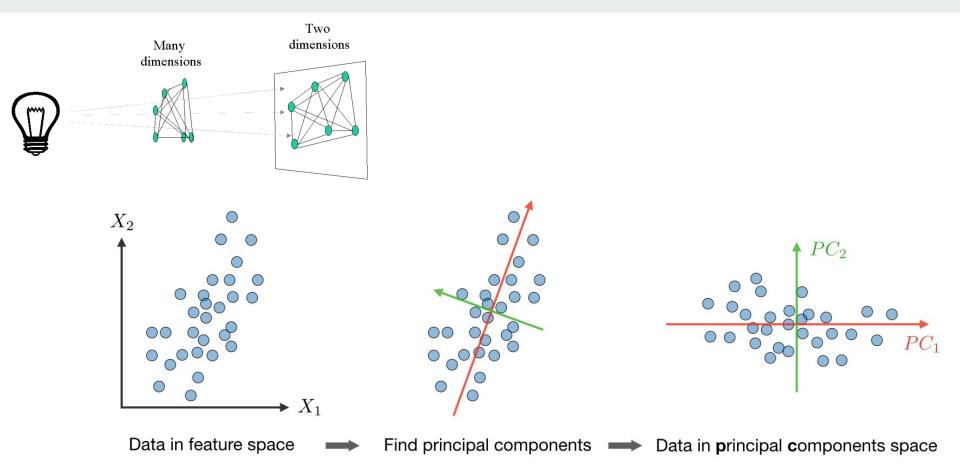
Ordination can be used on the analysis of any set of multivariate objects.



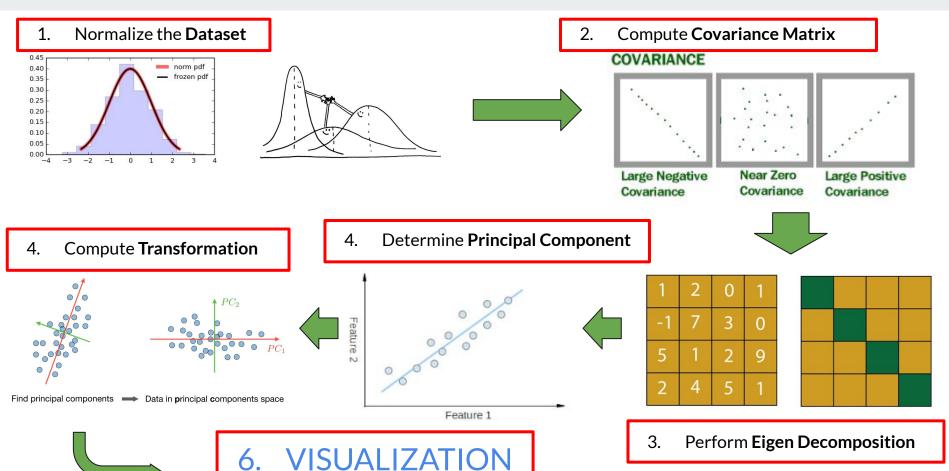
#### **Ordination**

- Dimension Reduction
  - PCA (Principal Component Analysis)
  - PCoA (Principal Coordinates Analysis)
  - NMDS (Non metric Multidimensional Scaling)

#### **PCA (Principal Component Analysis)**



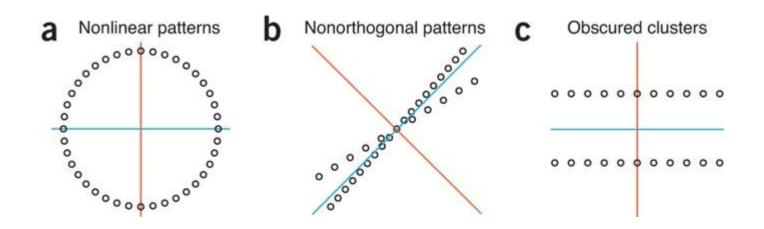
#### Steps (PCA)



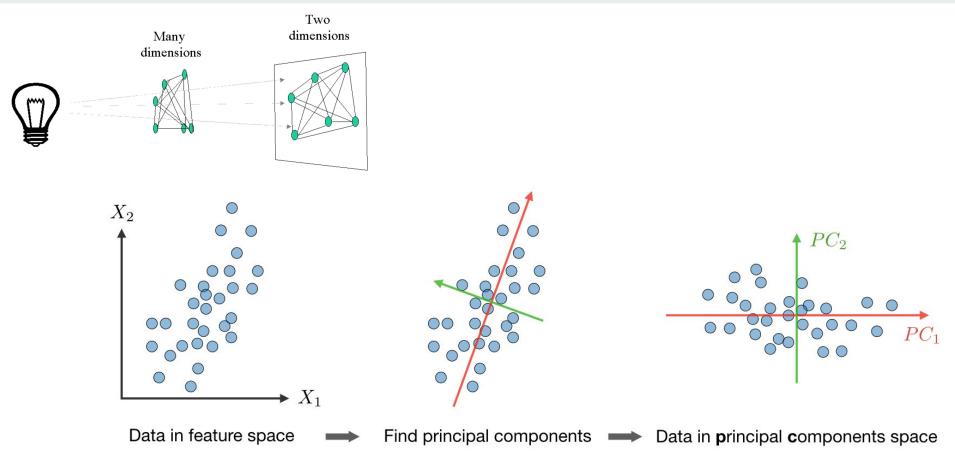
#### importance(PCA)

PCA helps you discover correlations & interpret your data, but it will not always find the important patterns.

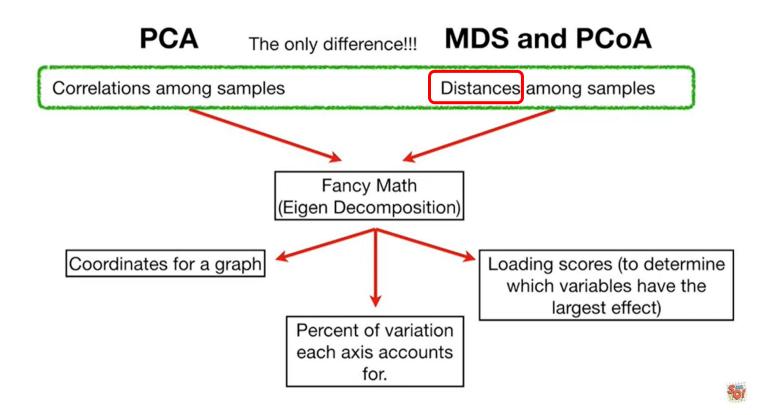
Principal component analysis (PCA) **simplifies the complexity in high-dimensional data while retaining trends and patterns.** It does this by transforming the data into fewer dimensions, which act as summaries of features



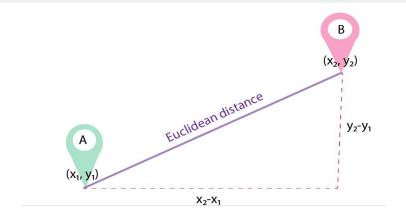
#### PCoA (Principal Component Analysis)/ metric multidimensional scaling

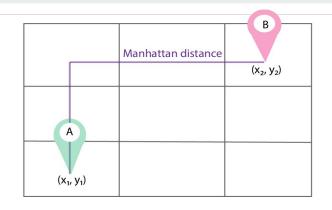


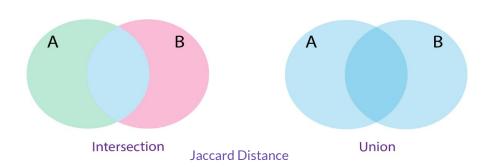
#### **PCoA vs PCA**

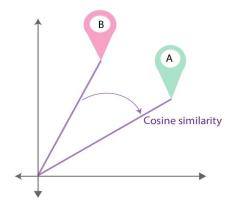


#### **Distance/ Proximity Measures**





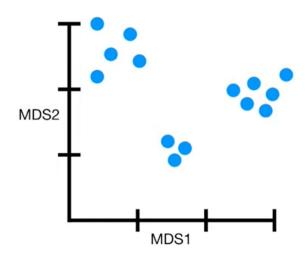


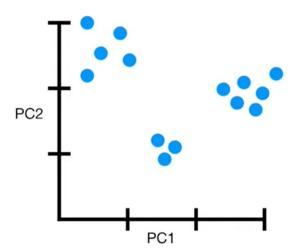


#### **PCoA vs PCA**

#### IF we use Euclidean Distance in PCoA, the graph would be similar to a PCA graph

In other words, clustering based on minimizing the linear distances is the same maximizing the linear correlations.







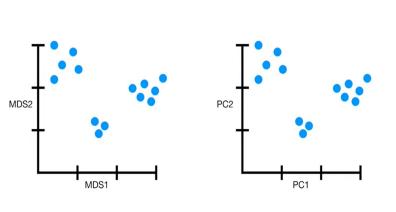
#### importance(PCoA)

As with other ordination techniques such as PCA and CA, PCoA produces a set of uncorrelated (orthogonal) axes to summarise the variability in the data set.

While PCoA is suited to handling a wide range of data, information concerning the original variables cannot be recovered.

# How do I interpret a PCA/PCoA plot?

#### Interpreting the plots



- 1. There is Principal Component/Coordinate for each dimensions
  - a. If we have "n" variables, we would have "n" Principal Components/Coordinates
- 2. PC1/PCoA1 would span the direction of most variation PC2/PCoA2 would span in the direction of 2<sup>nd</sup> most variation

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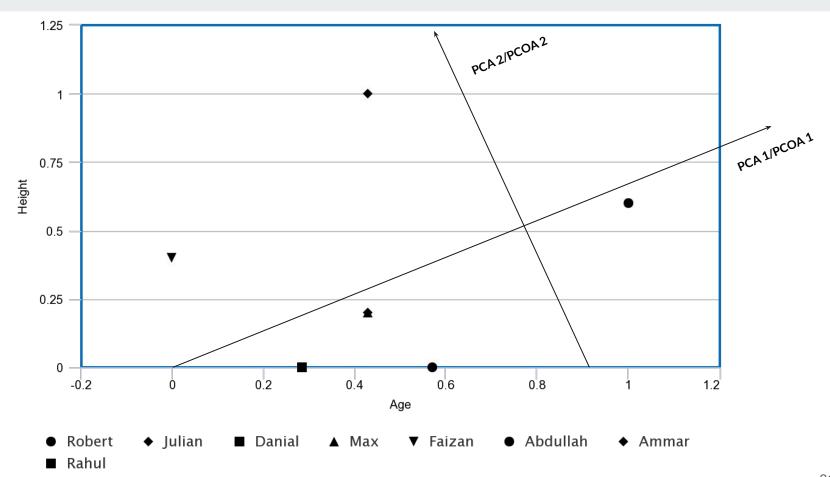
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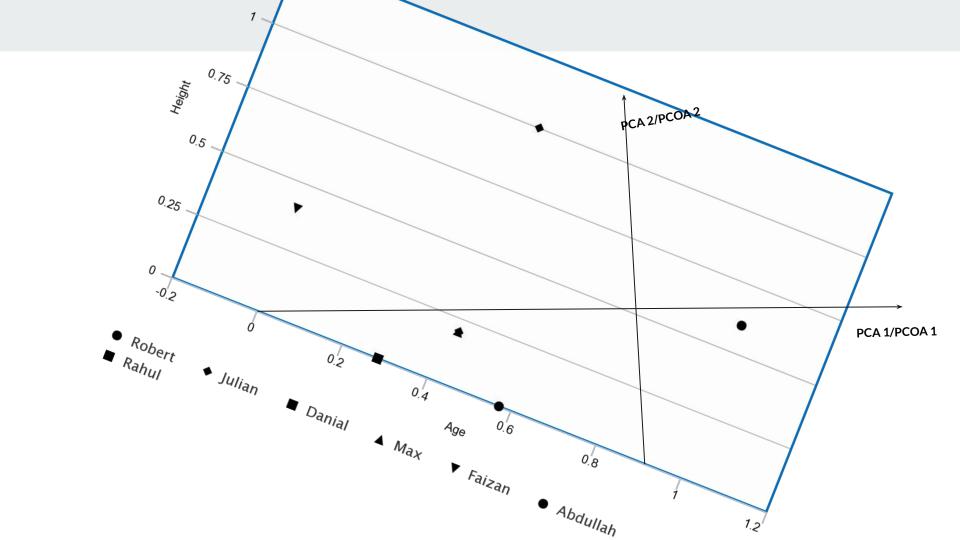
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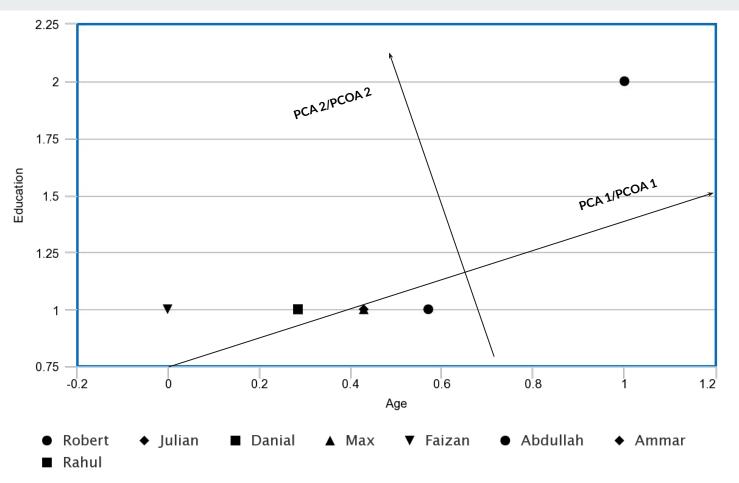
3. Each axis has an eigenvalue whose magnitude indicates the amount of variation captured in that axis

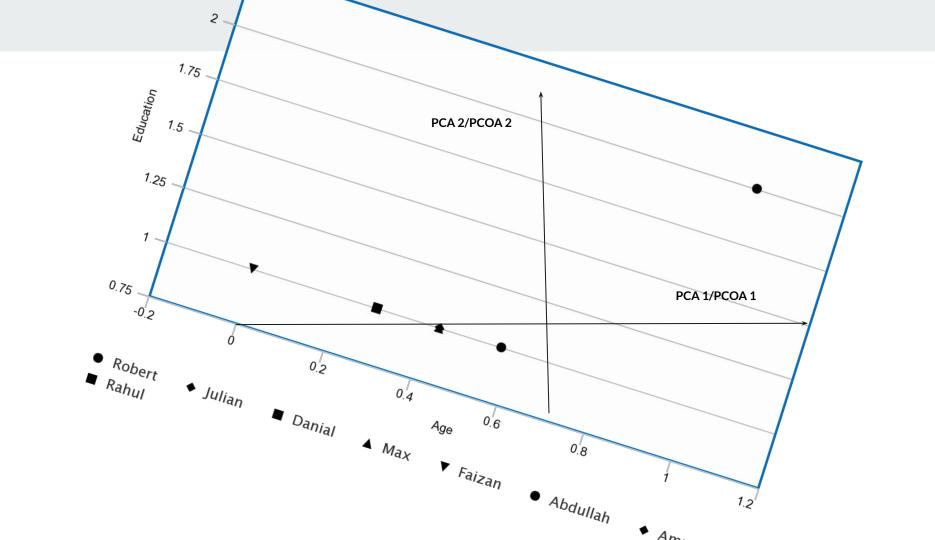
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# **Questions?**

#### NMDS (Non-metric Multidimensional Scaling)

# **Ordination Summary**

Which ordination method should you choose?

If Euclidean distance and linear relationships are valid – PCA e.g., most geological data types

Other distance measure more appropriate, but still linear – PCoA e.g., biogeographic data

Other distance measure more appropriate; non-linear – NMDS e.g., abundance count data (especially of species)

#### NMDS (Non-metric Multidimensional Scaling)

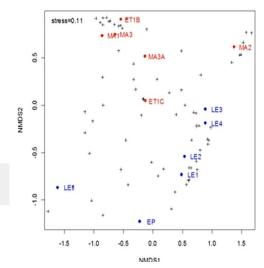
- Fundamentally different than PCA, CA (and DCA);
   more robust: produces an ordination based on a distance or dissimilarity matrix.
- Ordination based on ranks rather than distance rather than object A being 2.1 units distant from object B and 4.4 units distant from object C, object C is the "first" most distant from object A while object C is the "second" most distant.
- Avoids assumption of linear relationships among variables

#### **Placing Objects Initially**

- Random Placement
- Placement according to a PCA result
- Placement according to geographic distances
- Placement by moving from high to low dimensionality

#### Interpreting NMDS Plots

Like other ordination plots, you should qualitatively identify gradients corresponding to underlying processes



#### Differences from eigenanalysis:

- Does not extract components (based only on distance) so axes are meaningless\*
- Plot can be rotated, translated, or scaled as long as relative distances are maintained

\*metaMDS in vegan performs PCA rotation on the results so that axis 1 contains the greatest variance

#### NMDS (Non-metric Multidimensional Scaling)

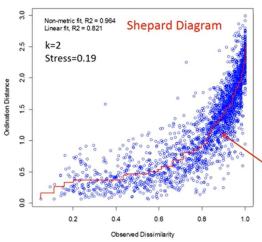
Stress

NMDS Maximizes rank-order correlation between distance measures and distance in ordination space. Points are iteratively moved to minimize "stress" Stress is a measure of the mismatch between the two kinds of distance.

Think of optimizing stress as: "Pulling on all points a little bit so no single point is completely wrong, all points are a little off compared to distances"

#### NMDS Goodness-of-Fit

Goodness-of-fit is measured by "stress" – a measure of rankorder disagreement between observed and fitted distances

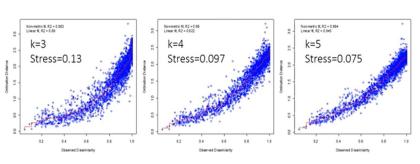


Stress calculated from residuals around monotone regression line

Ideally, all points should fall on monotonic line (increasing ordination distance = increasing observed distance)

#### NMDS Goodness-of-Fit

Stress always decreases with increasing dimensionality k



Remember that a 2D solution is not a projection of higherdimensional solutions (as in PCA)

#### **Shepard Diagram**

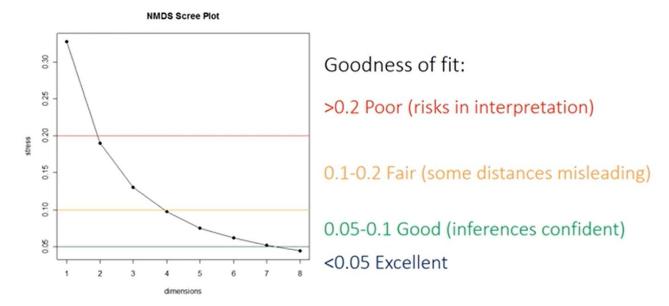
#### NMDS (Non-metric Multidimensional Scaling)

#### NMDS Goodness-of-Fit

As in PCA, can construct a scree plot of stress vs. dimensionality

In practice, people normally do ordination in 2 or 3 dimensions

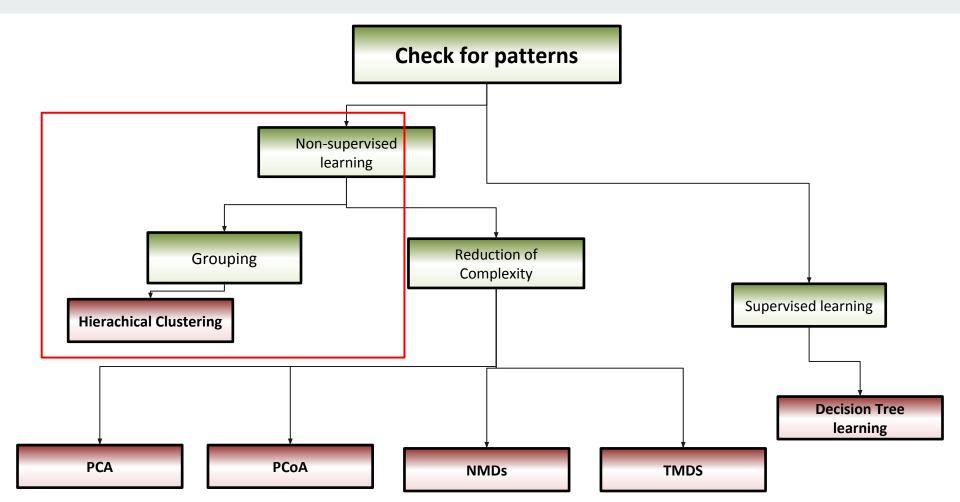
#### **Scree Plot**



## Grouping

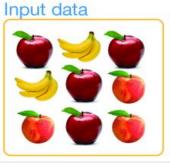
- Clustering
  - Centroid Based
    - K-Means
  - Density Based
    - DBSCAN
  - Hierarchical
    - Agglomerative
- Dendrograms & Heatmaps

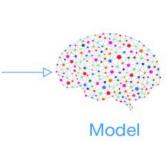
#### roadmap

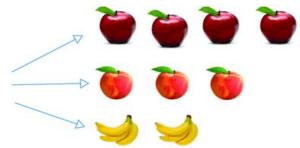


#### clustering

#### unsupervised learning







finding a *structure* in a collection of **unlabeled data** i.e. the process of **organizing objects into groups** whose members are similar in some way

#### why?

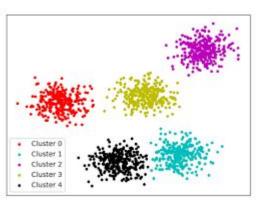
#### finding representatives for

- homogeneous groups (data reduction),
- in finding "natural clusters" and describe their unknown properties ("natural" data types),
- in finding useful and suitable groupings ("useful" data classes) or
- in finding unusual data objects (outlier detection)

#### how?

- Centroid based :K-Means
- Density based : DBSCAN
- Hierarchical:Agglomerative

#### what?



## centroid based clustering

K-means X = Centroid

# why & why not?

guarantees convergence

scales to large data set

simple

**K-Means** 

**Labelled Clusters** 

# **Centroid**

The middle of a cluster i.e. a multidimensional

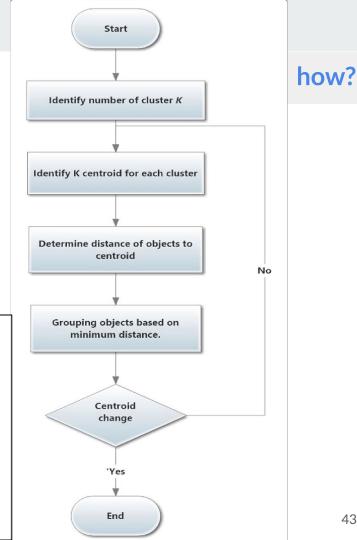
**Unlabelled Data** 

- average of a cluster
- clustering goodness depends on initialization

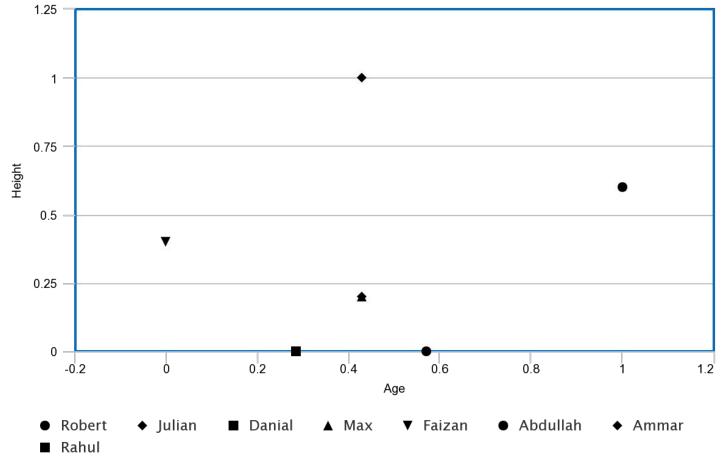
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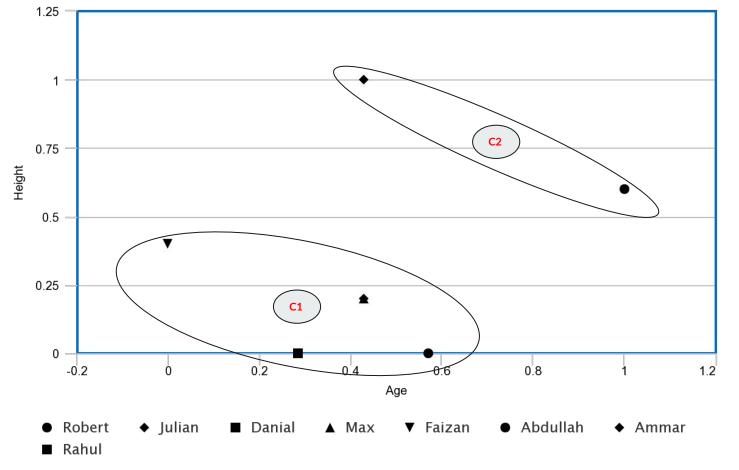
- sensitive to outliers
- troubled with clusters of varying size &

density

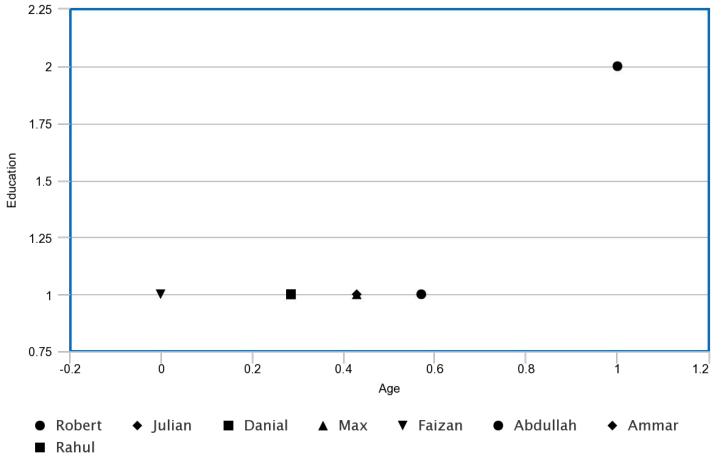


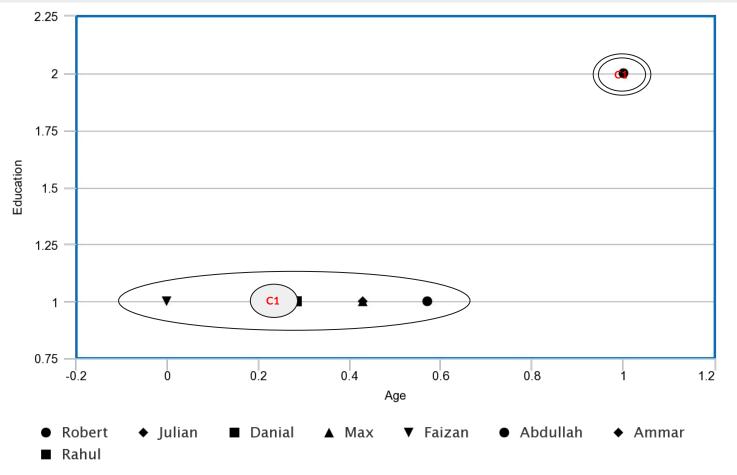
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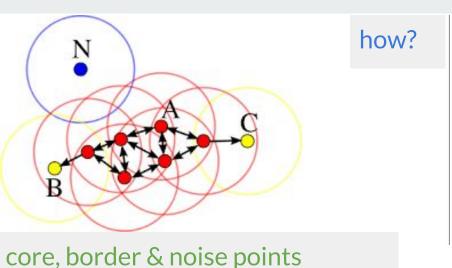


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## **Questions?**



- Arbitrary select a point p
- Retrieve all points density-reachable from p w.r.t. Eps and MinPts.
- If *p* is a core point, a cluster is formed.
- If p is a border point, no points are density-reachable from p and DBSCAN visits the next point of the database.
- Continue the process until all of the points have been processed.

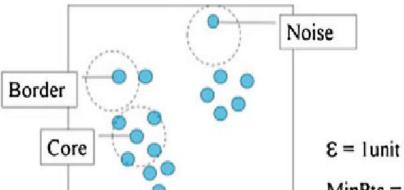
## why & why not?

- does not work well at sin

good with outliers

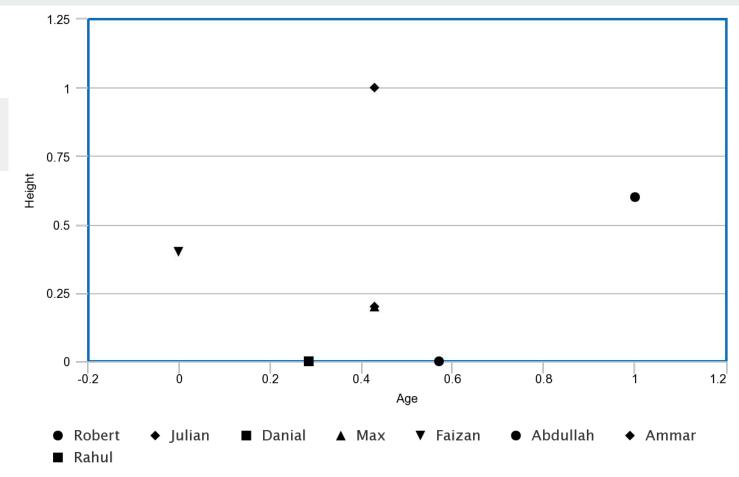
can handle varying density

- does not work well at similar densities
- struggles with high dimensional data

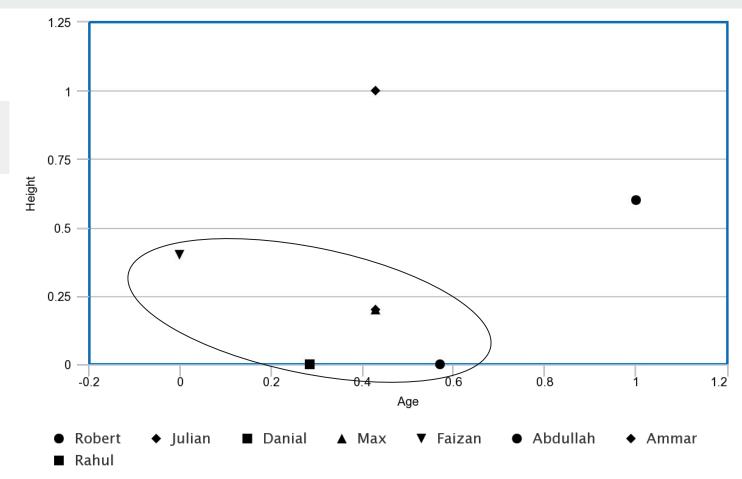


MinPts = 5

epsilon: 0.6 minPts: 2

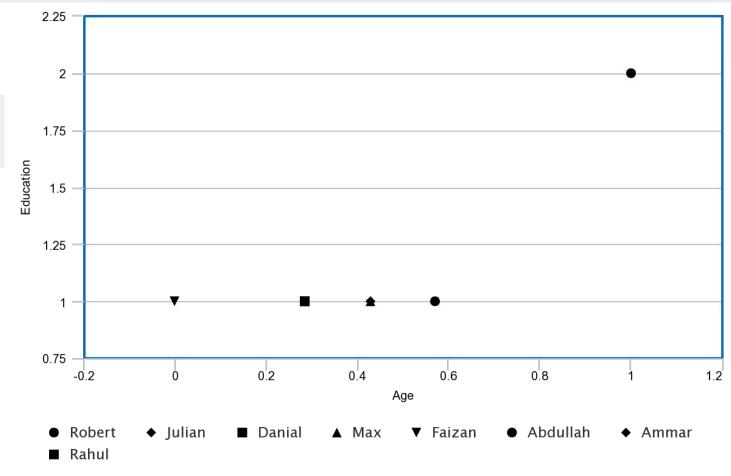


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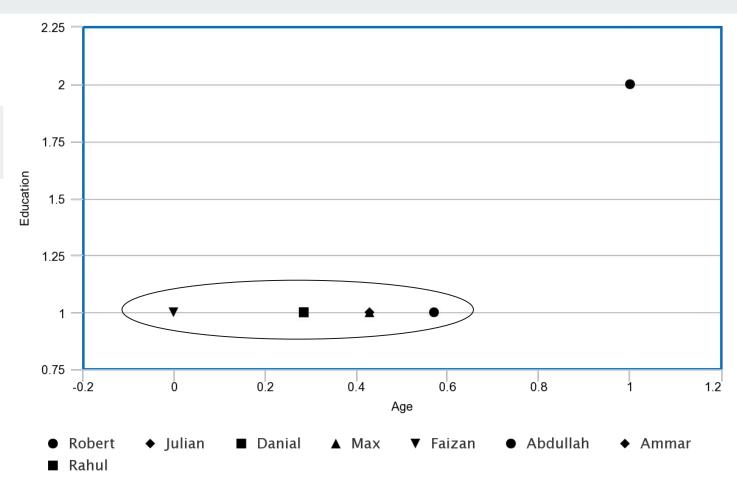
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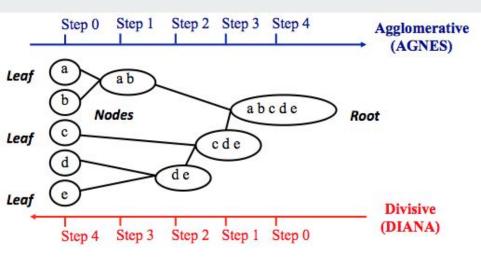


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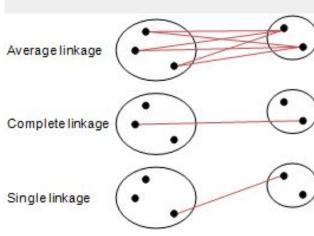
#### Hierarchical Clustering: agglomerative



#### why & why not?

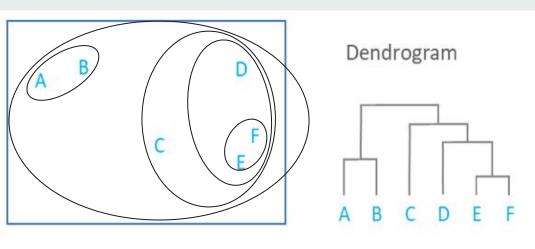
- + easy to do & understand
- + possibilities to choose from a hierarchy of clusters
- possible to misinterpret
- expensive



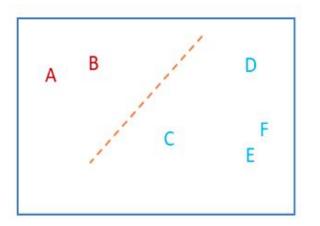


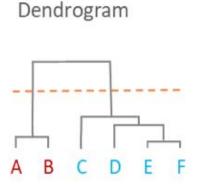
Hierarchical cluster analysis is an algorithmic approach to find discrete groups with varying degrees of (dis)similarity in a data set represented by a (dis)similarity matrix. These groups are hierarchically organised as the algorithms proceed and may be presented as a dendrogram

#### Hierarchical Clustering Visualization: dendrogram



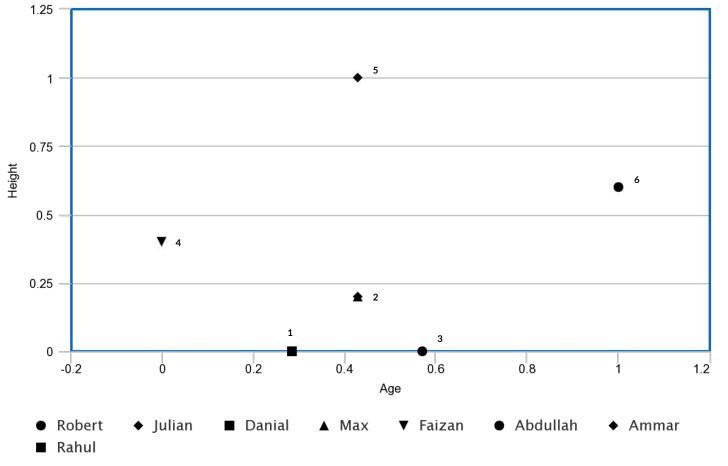
A *dendrogram* is a diagram that shows the hierarchical relationship between objects. It is most commonly created as an output from *hierarchical clustering*. The main use of a dendrogram is to work out the best way to allocate objects to clusters





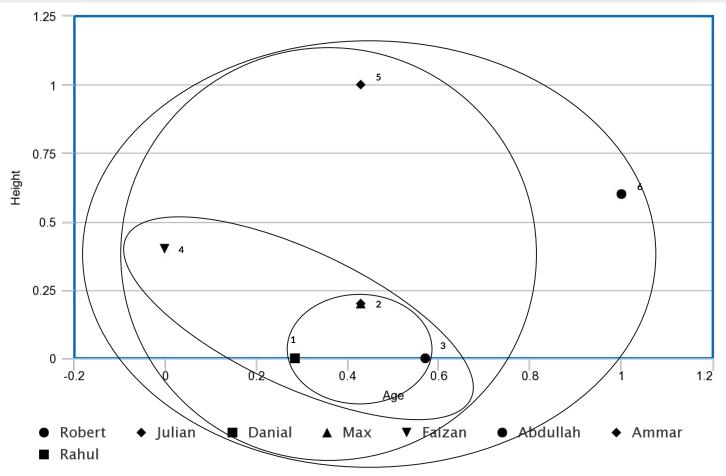
The height of the dendrogram indicates the order in which the clusters were joined. A more informative dendrogram can be created where the heights reflect the distance between the clusters

## Hierarchical Clustering: agglomerative(single linkage)



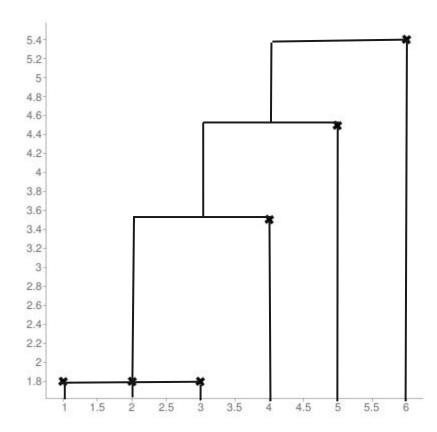
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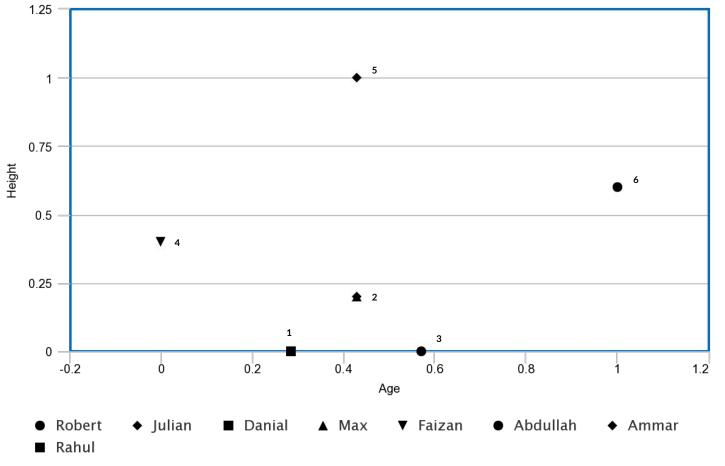


#### Hierarchical Clustering Visualization: agglomerative(single linkage)

#### **DENDROGRAM**

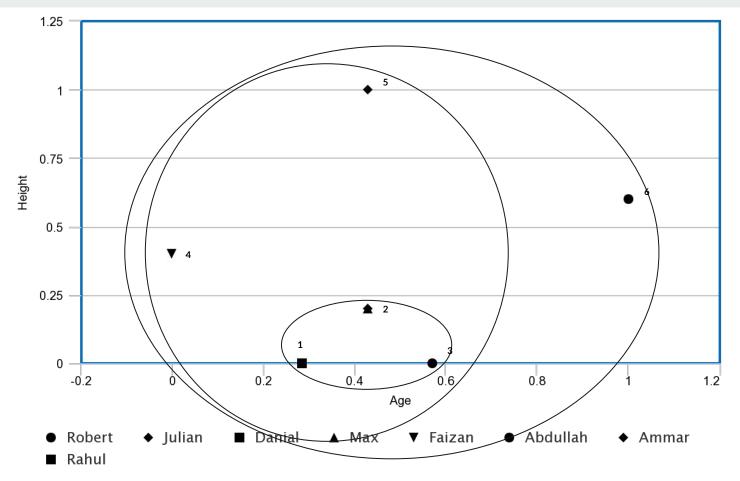


## Hierarchical Clustering: agglomerative(complete linkage)



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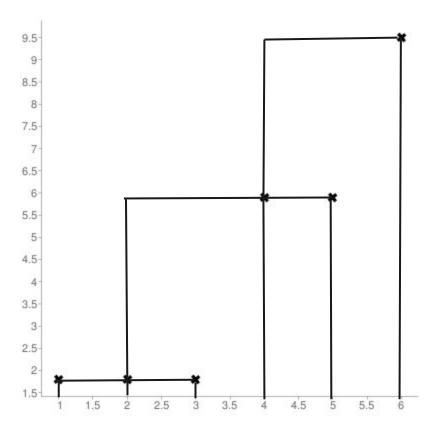
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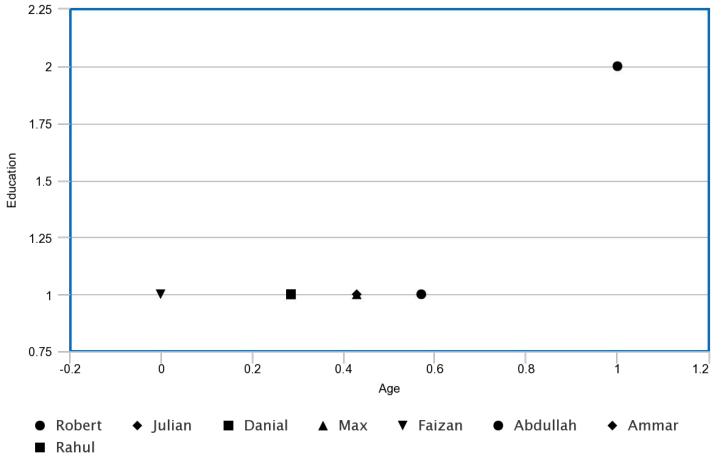
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#### Hierarchical Clustering Visualization: agglomerative(complete linkage)

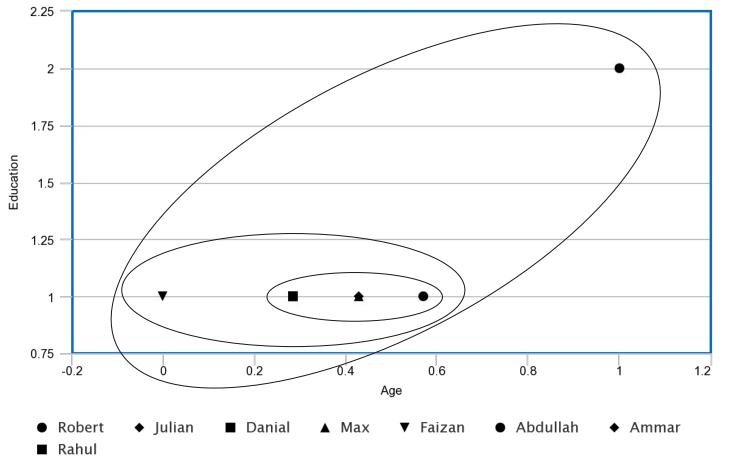
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## **Hierarchical Clustering: agglomerative**



## **Hierarchical Clustering: agglomerative**



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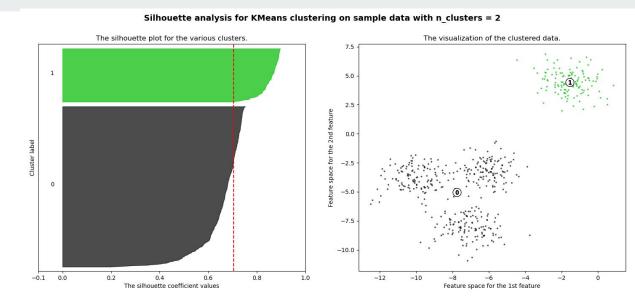
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# How do we measure goodness of our clustering?

#### **Clustering: silhouette coefficient**

#### what?

Silhouette analysis can be used to study the separation distance between the resulting clusters. The silhouette plot displays a measure of how close each point in one cluster is to points in the neighboring clusters. This measure has a range of [-1, 1]



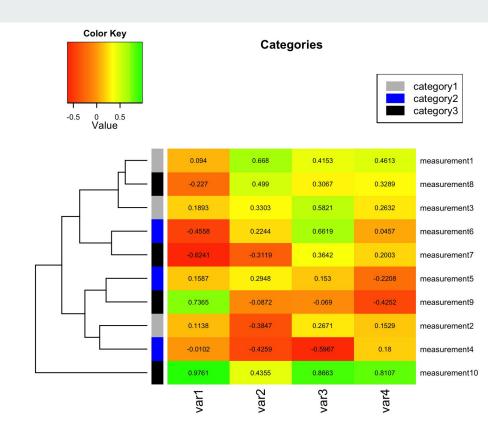
Silhouette coefficients (as these values are referred to as) near +1 indicate that the sample is far away from the neighboring clusters. A value of 0 indicates that the sample is on or very close to the decision boundary between two neighboring clusters and negative values indicate that those samples might have been assigned to the wrong cluster.

#### **Clustering Visualization: heatmap**

The easiest way to understand a heat map is to think of a cross table or spreadsheet which contains colors instead of numbers.

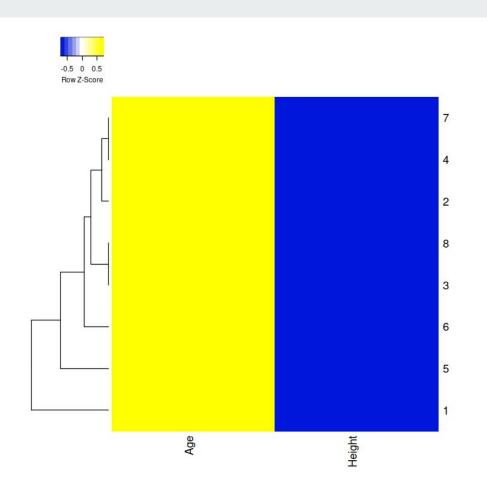
The default color gradient sets the lowest & highest value in the heat map, with a corresponding transition (or gradient) between these extremes.

Heat maps are well-suited for visualizing large amounts of multi-dimensional data and can be used to identify clusters of rows with similar values, as these are displayed as areas of similar color.



## **Clustering Visualization: heatmap**

Name(ID)	Age	<u>Height</u>
Robert	30	6.1
Julian	26	6.3
Danial	25	5.8
Max	26	5.9
Faizan	23	6.0
Abdullah	27	5.8
Ammar	26	5.9
Rahul	25	5.8



## **Questions?**