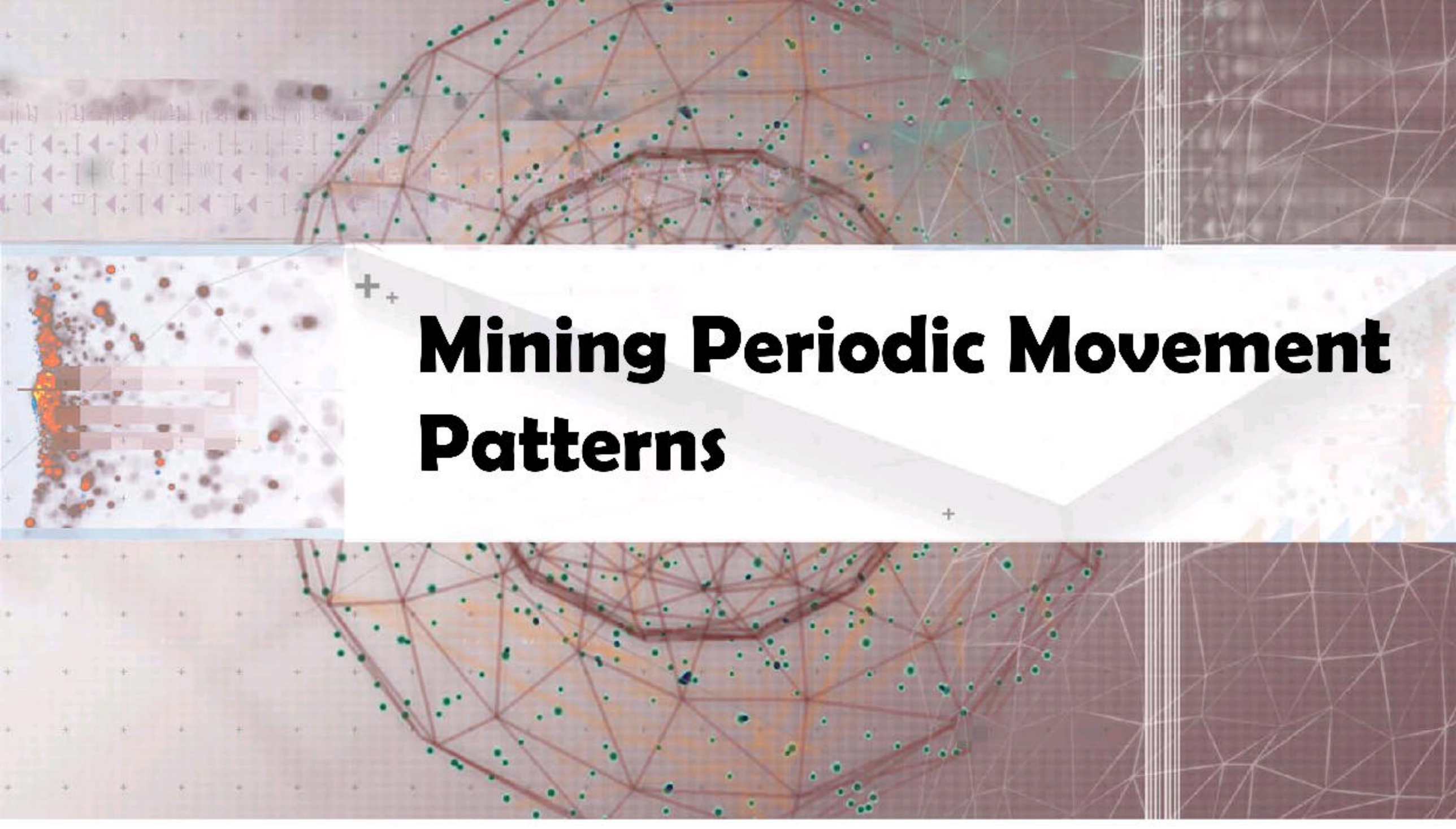
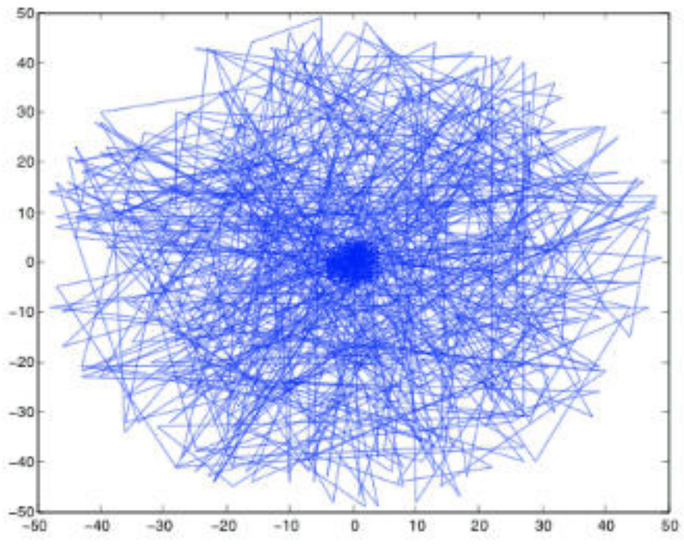


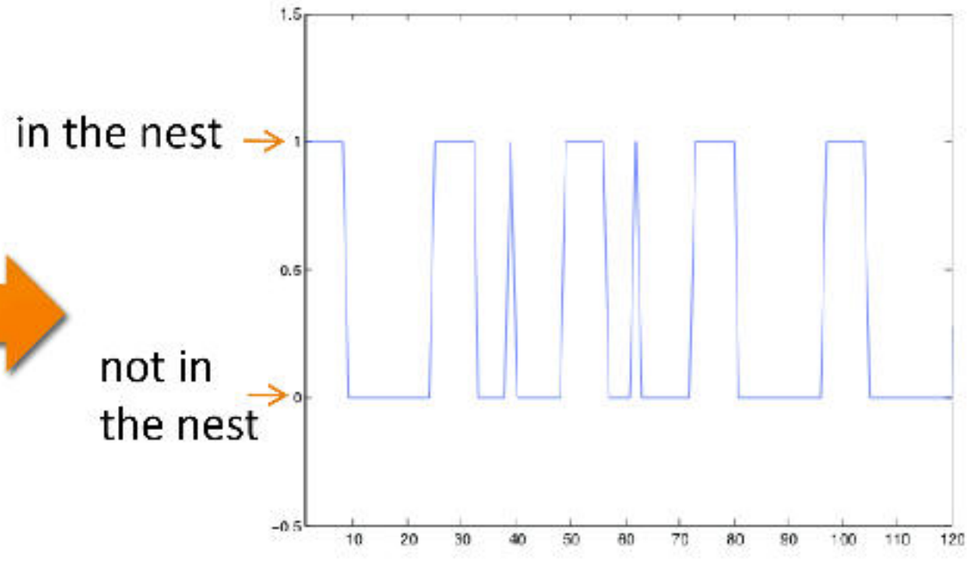
Mining Periodic Movement Patterns

Pattern Discovery in Sparse Movement Data: Finding Good Reference Points

- **Pattern discovery in sparse data** (e.g., find bird flying patterns)
  - Periodicity shows up in some reference "spots" (or "cluster centers")
  - Reference spots can be detected using **density-based method**
  - Periods are detected for each reference spot using **Fourier Transform** and **auto-correlation**

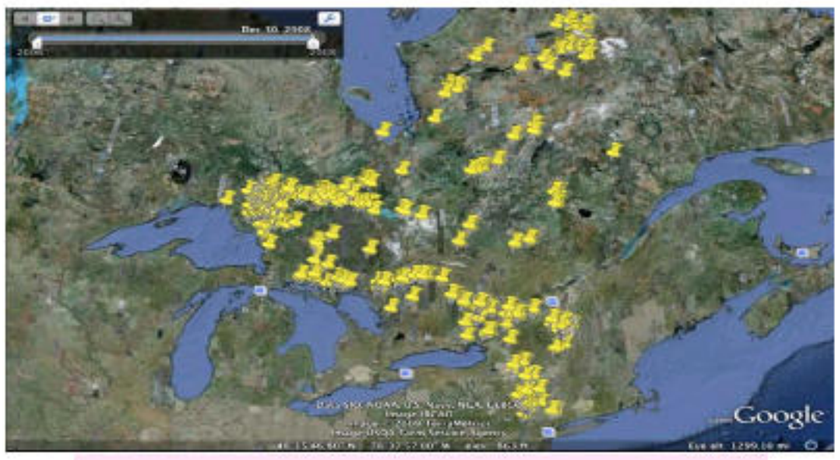


Finding bird flying patterns?
Bird Nest is a good reference point

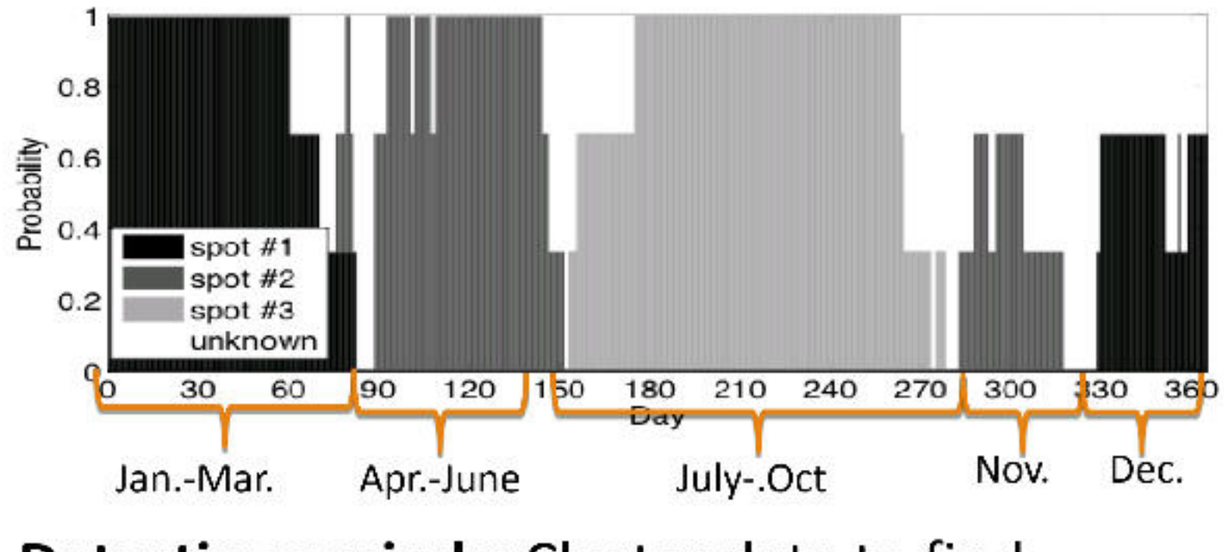


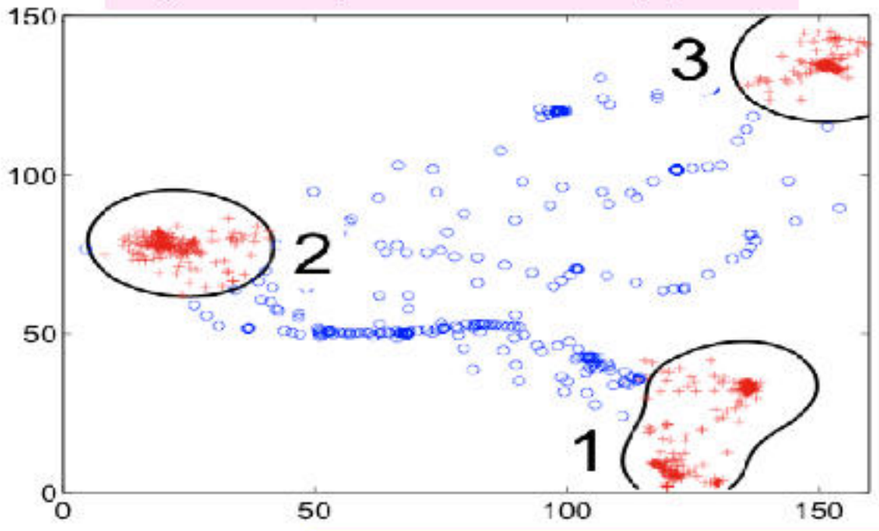
Period is more obvious in this binary sequence!

Example: Mining Periodic Patterns with Sparse Data



3-yr Bird migration data: very sparse





- **Detecting periods**: Cluster data to find reference "points" and then detect multiple interleaved periods by Fourier Transform and auto-correlation
- **Summarizing periodic patterns:** By clustering and pattern discovery

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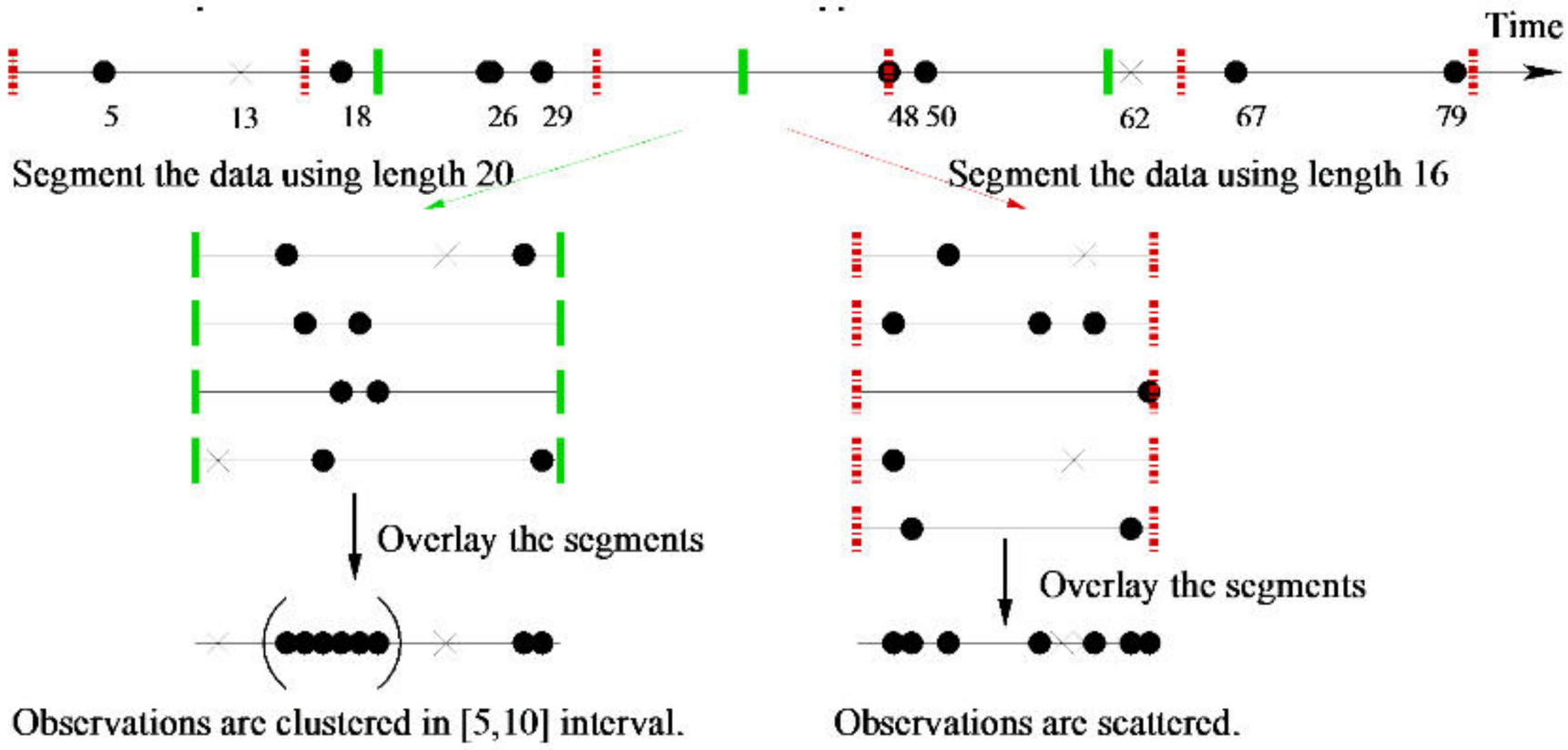
Periodicity Detection in Sparse Data

- Time-related data can be scattered and sparse, e.g., phone calls at a location



- Projecting on the true period, it shows a highly skewed (clustered) distribution
- Effective method can be developed based on this observation

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Summary

Summary: Mining Spatiotemporal and Trajectory Patterns

- Mining Spatial Associations
- Mining Spatial Colocation Patterns
- Mining and Aggregating Patterns over Multiple Trajectories
- Mining Semantics-Rich Movement Patterns
- Mining Periodic Movement Patterns

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