

Component Wear Anomalies



Skinwrapper Machines

Let's consider the Vega skinwrapper family of packaging machines by OCME

- They work by wrapping products (bottles) in a plastic film
- ...Which is cut and heated, so that the film shrinks and stabilizes the content



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All problems in this class share a few properties

- There is a critical anomaly at the end of the experiment
 - The behavior becomes more and more distant from normal over time
- ...Meaning that they are good fit for many of the techniques we have studied



The Dataset

Let's have a first look at the dataset

```
In [3]: data = pd.read_csv(data_file)
data
```

Out[3]:

	mode	segment	smonth	sday	stime	timestamp	pCut::Motor_Torque	pCut::CTRL_Position_controller::Lag_error	pCut::CTR
0	1	0	1	4	184148	0.008000	0.199603	0.027420	62839262
1	1	0	1	4	184148	0.012000	0.281624	0.002502	62839262
2	1	0	1	4	184148	0.016000	0.349315	-0.018085	62839262
3	1	0	1	4	184148	0.020000	0.444450	-0.054680	62839261
4	1	0	1	4	184148	0.024000	0.480923	-0.042770	62839261
...
1062907	2	518	12	28	185909	8.179999	-0.277697	-0.023948	19492447
1062908	2	518	12	28	185909	8.183999	-0.285098	-0.022138	19492450
1062909	2	518	12	28	185909	8.187999	-0.155192	-0.034412	19492453
1062910	2	518	12	28	185909	8.191999	-0.371426	0.031594	19492456
1062911	2	518	12	28	185909	8.195999	-0.284030	0.010178	19492459

1062912 rows × 14 columns

- The data refers to disjoint measurement windows

 Each segment contains data sampled every 4ms

The Dataset

Let's check some statistics

```
In [4]: data.describe()
```

```
Out[4]:
```

	mode	segment	smonth	sday	stime	timestamp	pCut::Motor_Torque	pCut::CTRL_Pos
count	1.062912e+06	1.062912e+06	1.062912e+06	1.062912e+06	1.062912e+06	1.062912e+06	1.062912e+06	1.062912e+06
mean	2.323699e+00	2.590000e+02	5.271676e+00	1.654143e+01	1.362122e+05	4.102069e+00	-1.206338e-01	-5.472746e-05
std	1.649207e+00	1.498222e+02	3.505212e+00	8.490150e+00	3.226381e+04	2.364827e+00	6.078708e-01	1.212122e-01
min	1.000000e+00	0.000000e+00	1.000000e+00	1.000000e+00	8.115800e+04	4.000000e-03	-6.560303e+00	-1.888258e+00
25%	1.000000e+00	1.290000e+02	2.000000e+00	9.000000e+00	1.113170e+05	2.056000e+00	-3.696310e-01	-2.201461e-02
50%	2.000000e+00	2.590000e+02	4.000000e+00	1.800000e+01	1.348180e+05	4.104000e+00	-1.187128e-01	6.456900e-04
75%	3.000000e+00	3.890000e+02	8.000000e+00	2.300000e+01	1.618270e+05	6.152000e+00	2.546913e-01	2.380830e-02
max	8.000000e+00	5.180000e+02	1.200000e+01	3.100000e+01	2.232490e+05	8.199999e+00	3.856873e+00	2.021531e+00

- The data is neither normalized nor standardized



Missing Values

Let's check for missing values in the columns related to sensor readings

```
In [5]: data.isnull().any()
```

```
Out[5]: mode                                False
         segment                             False
         smonth                              False
         sday                                False
         stime                               False
         timestamp                           False
         pCut::Motor_Torque                  False
         pCut::CTRL_Position_controller::Lag_error False
         pCut::CTRL_Position_controller::Actual_position False
         pCut::CTRL_Position_controller::Actual_speed  False
         pSvolFilm::CTRL_Position_controller::Actual_position False
         pSvolFilm::CTRL_Position_controller::Actual_speed  False
         pSvolFilm::CTRL_Position_controller::Lag_error False
         pSpintor::VAX_speed                 False
         dtype: bool
```

No missing value in the dataset



Acquisition Windows

And let's check the length of each segment

```
In [6]: data.groupby('segment')['mode'].count().describe()
```

```
Out[6]: count      519.0  
        mean      2048.0  
        std         0.0  
        min      2048.0  
        25%      2048.0  
        50%      2048.0  
        75%      2048.0  
        max      2048.0  
        Name: mode, dtype: float64
```

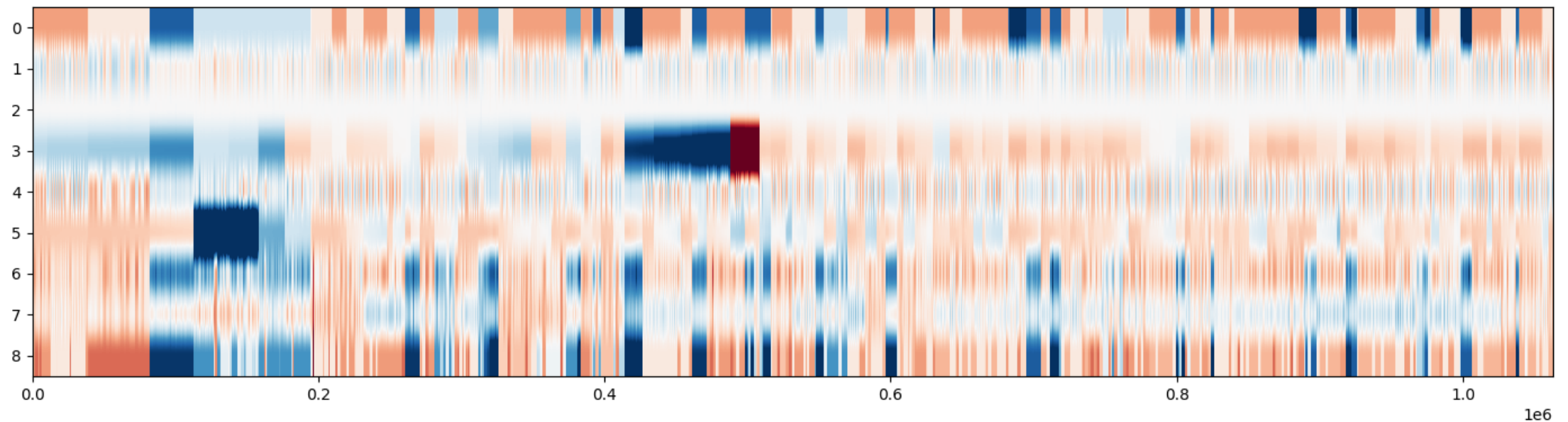
- There are 519 segments overall
- ...Each with 2048 samples



Input Columns

Let's have a look at all non-time related columns

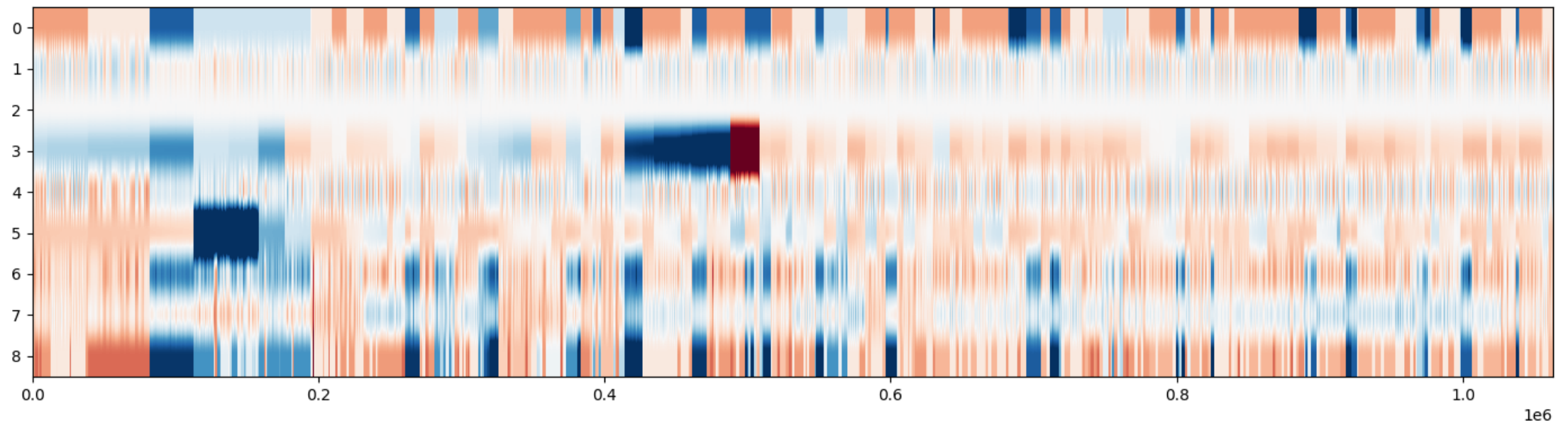
```
In [7]: feat_in = data.columns[[0, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13]]  
data2 = data[feat_in].copy()  
util.plot_dataframe((data2 - data2.mean()) / data2.std(), figsize=figsize)
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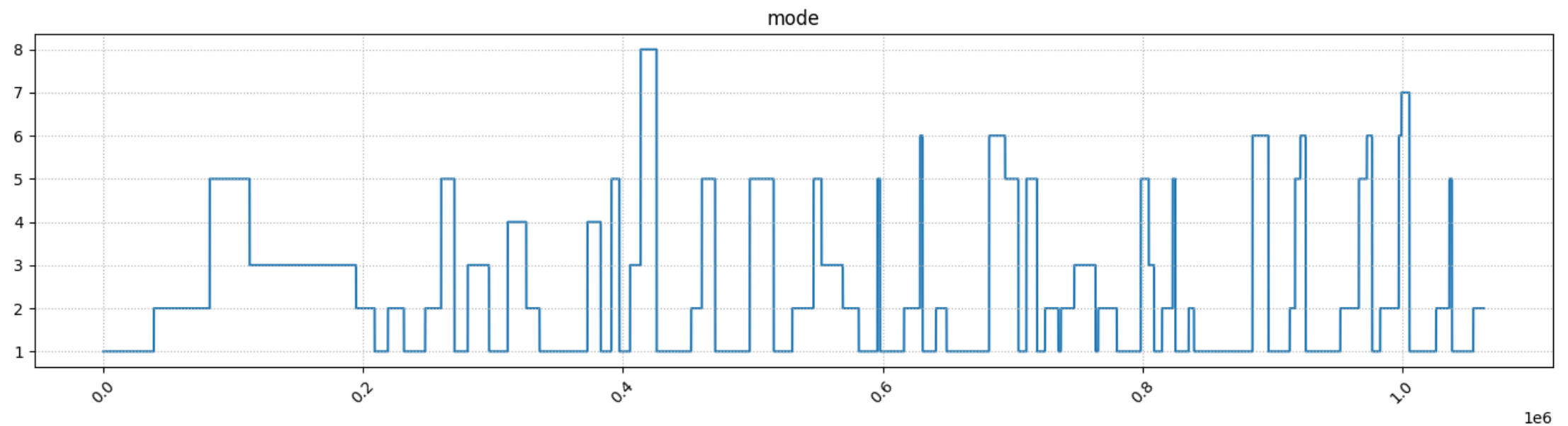
- A few features (row 0, 2, 3, 5, 8) have very "suspicious" behavior



Input Columns

Column 0 corresponds to an **operating mode**

```
In [8]: util.plot_series(data2[data2.columns[0]], figsize=figsize, title=data2.columns[0])
```



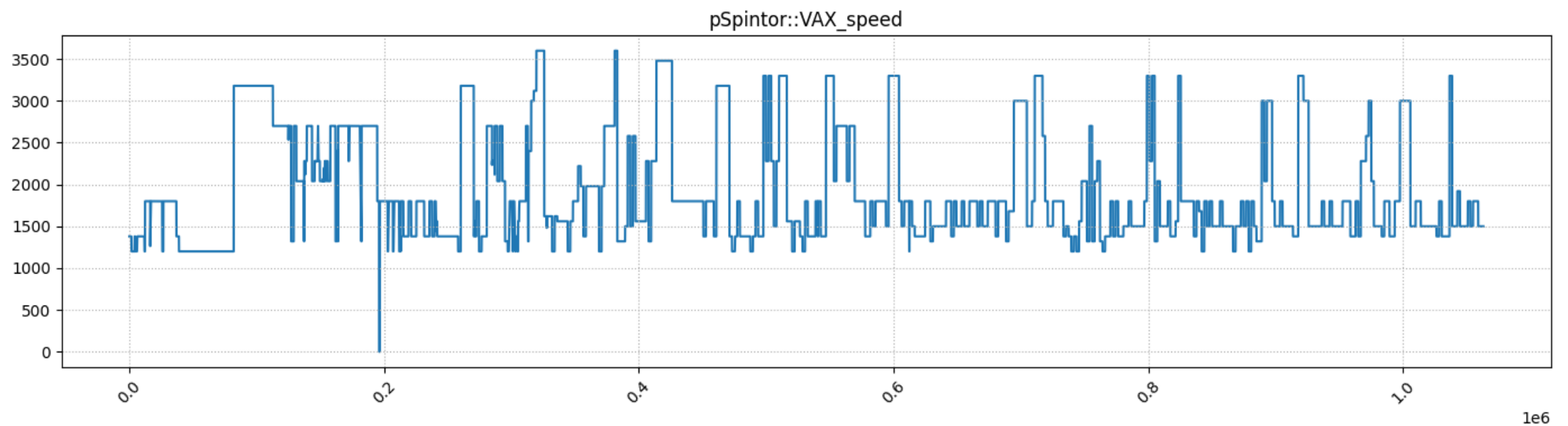
- The mode is **a controlled parameter** and does not change in the middle of a segment

- Intuitively, the mode **has an impact** on the machine behavior

Input Columns

Column 8 is also a fixed over long periods of time

```
In [9]: util.plot_series(data2[data2.columns[8]], figsize=figsize, title=data2.columns[8])
```



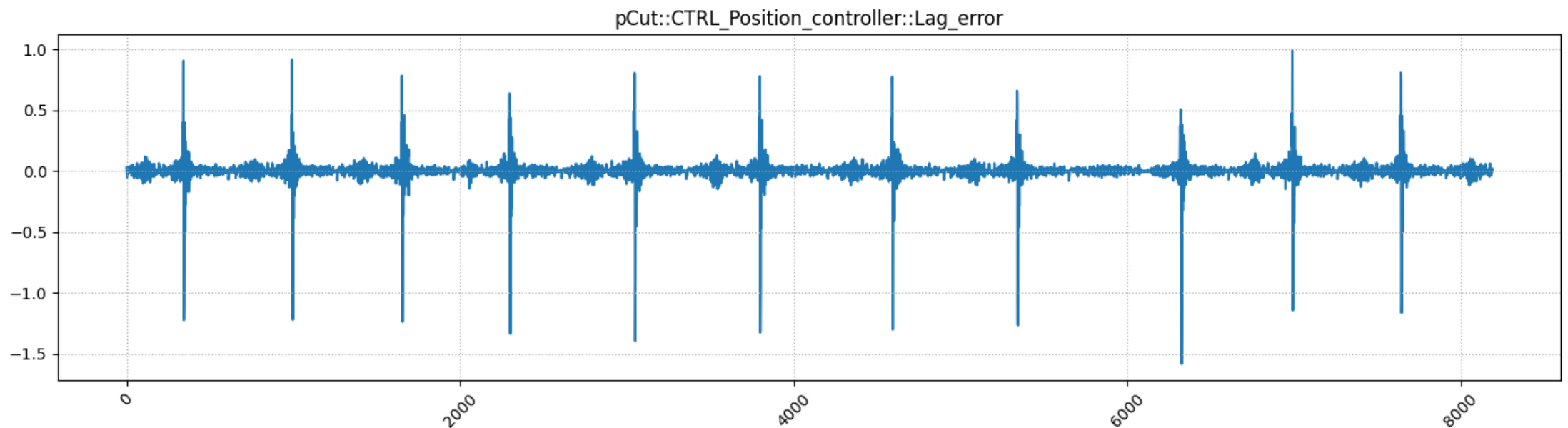
- This is **likely** a controlled parameter
- Ideally, we would speak with the customer (but in this exercise we can't)



Input Columns

Column 2 peaks repeatedly over **short time periods**

```
In [10]: util.plot_series(data2[data2.columns[2]].iloc[:2048*4], figsize=figsize, title=data2.columns
```



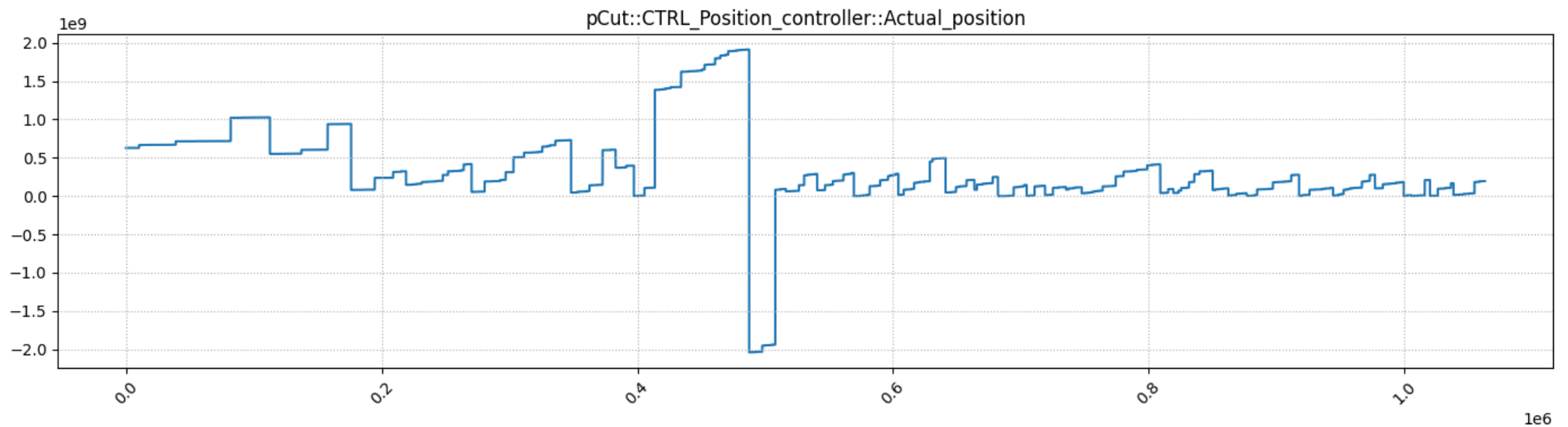
- There is nothing really wrong with this
- ...And it explains the mostly white row in our previous plot



Input Columns

Column 3 contains an odd, localized, deviation

```
In [11]: util.plot_series(data2[data2.columns[3]], figsize=figsize, title=data2.columns[3])
```



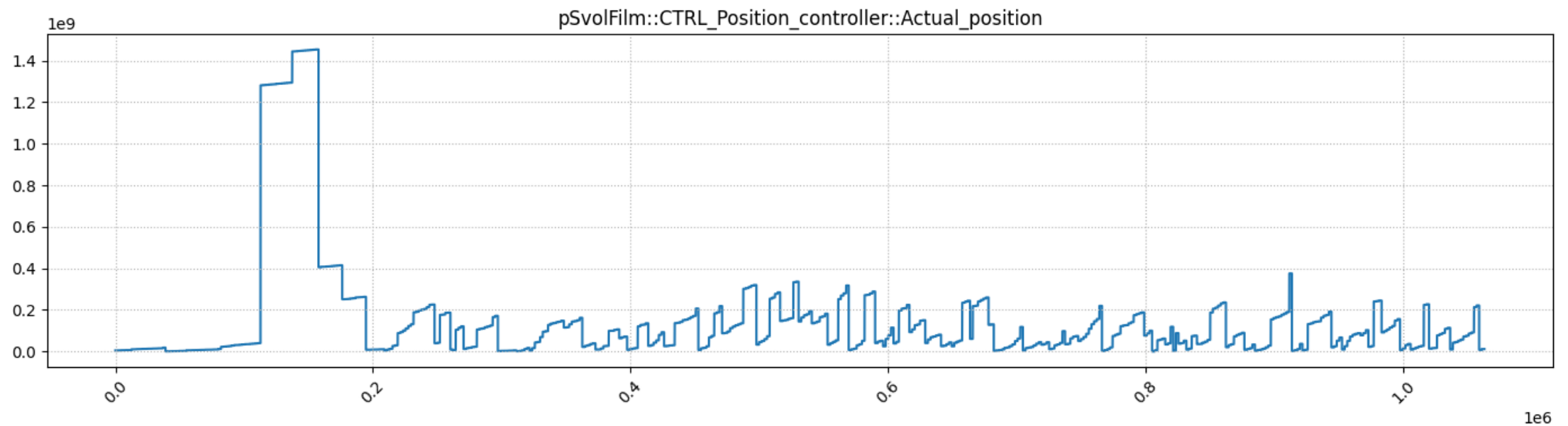
- This is likely the result of manual adjustment
- We'd better keep this column off



Input Columns

...And the same holds for column 5

```
In [12]: util.plot_series(data2[data2.columns[5]], figsize=figsize, title=data2.columns[5])
```



- Again, this is probably the a mistake, or due to human intervention
- We'd better keep this column off



Data Preparation



Binning

This dataset contain **high-frequency data (4ms sampling period)**

- In this situation, feeding the raw data to a model does not usually make sense
- So we will use subsampling

A binning approach typically works as follows:

We apply a sliding window, but so that its consecutive applications **do not overlap**

- Each window application is called a **bin**
- ...From which we extract one or more **features**
- ...By applying different **aggregation functions**

The result is series that contains a **smaller number of samples**

...But typically a **larger number of features**



Binning

We will apply binning to all columns not related to time

...Except for the two we chose to discard

```
In [13]: feat_in_r = data2.columns[[0, 1, 2, 4, 6, 7, 8]]
print(list(feat_in_r))

['mode', 'pCut::Motor_Torque', 'pCut::CTRL_Position_controller::Lag_error', 'pCut::CTRL_Position_controller::Actual_speed', 'pSvolFilm::CTRL_Position_controller::Actual_speed', 'pSvolFilm::CTRL_Position_controller::Lag_error', 'pSpintor::VAX_speed']
```

First, we define which aggregation function to apply to each field

```
In [14]: aggmap = {a: ['mean', 'std', 'skew'] for a in feat_in_r}
aggmap['mode'] = 'first'
aggmap['pSpintor::VAX_speed'] = 'first'
```

- For the features that are fixed over a segment, we pick the first value



Binning

Then we build out bins

```
In [15]: binsize = 512 # 2 seconds of measurements
bins = []
for sname, sdata in data.groupby('segment'):
    sdata['bin'] = sdata.index // binsize # Build the bin numbers
    tmp = sdata.groupby('bin').agg(aggmap) # Apply the aggregation functions
    bins.append(tmp)
data_b = pd.concat(bins)
```

- We process each segment individually
- ...So that we are sure that no bin overlaps two segments

We chose our bin size based on:

- Having enough data to compensate noise
- Capture regular patterns (e.g. our spiking signal)



Binning

Let's inspect the result

In [16]: data_b

Out[16]:

	mode	pCut::Motor_Torque			pCut::CTRL_Position_controller::Lag_error			pCut::CTRL_Position_controller::Actual_speed			pS
	first	mean	std	skew	mean	std	skew	mean	std	skew	m
bin											
0	1	-0.125718	0.544329	-2.488922	-0.000167	0.110956	-3.746651	1599.917513	3999.045185	-0.209394	37
1	1	-0.072671	0.540906	-2.635165	-0.000567	0.103435	-3.336454	844.540436	3862.165458	0.309415	36
2	1	0.014070	0.354287	0.152579	0.000724	0.031961	0.032216	60.570994	2816.788446	-0.245380	32
3	1	-0.207667	0.455206	-3.803152	-0.000150	0.103125	-4.496910	2670.353585	2474.506197	0.155697	26
4	1	-0.289142	0.434465	-4.372388	-0.000275	0.106193	-5.242337	2579.037789	2626.919219	-0.502959	30
...
2071	2	-0.184381	0.781750	-3.758458	0.000508	0.116385	-1.459755	1819.838542	4007.857890	-0.029032	36
2072	2	-0.207829	0.791797	-3.968010	-0.000285	0.115259	-1.482473	1936.977300	3932.533837	-0.082154	36
2073	2	-0.146367	0.846064	-3.683229	-0.001013	0.116217	-1.488226	1556.298091	4088.929784	0.137784	36
2074	2	-0.125521	0.800829	-3.798401	-0.001139	0.117804	-1.245373	1148.293884	3980.947227	0.422832	36
2075	2	0.032077	0.349737	-0.137235	-0.000274	0.034452	-0.078601	493.331985	3127.137947	0.204754	33

2076 rows × 17 columns



We have much fewer rows, and more columns