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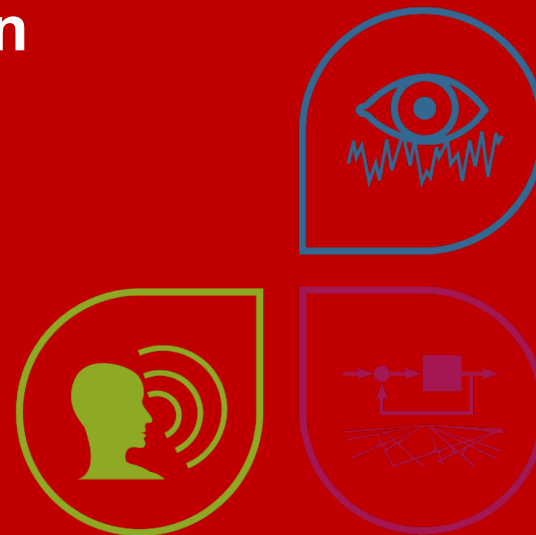
Current Topics in BCI Classification

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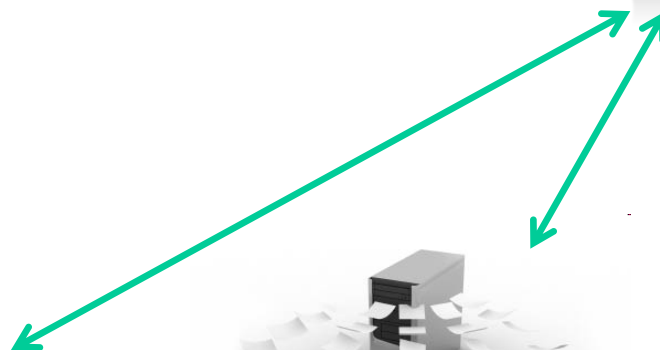
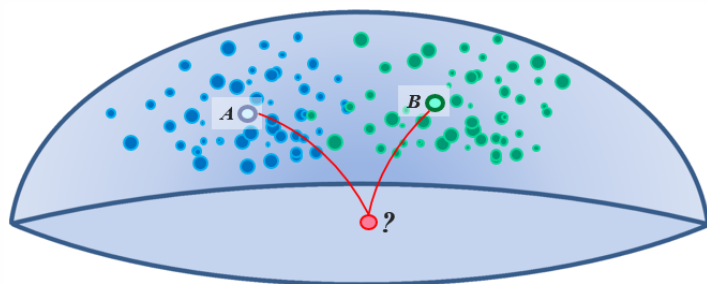


Second-Generation Brain-Computer Interfaces

Brain-Computer Interface



Adaptive Classification Algorithm

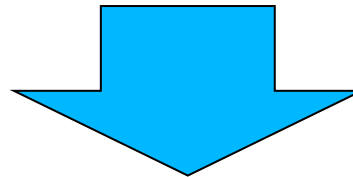


Smart Initialization by Cross-Subject and Cross-Session Transfer Learning

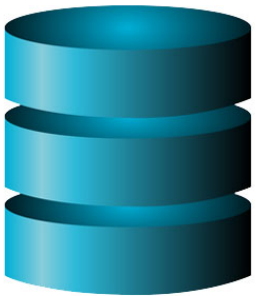
Beyond the **Test-Training** Paradigm

Incoming data

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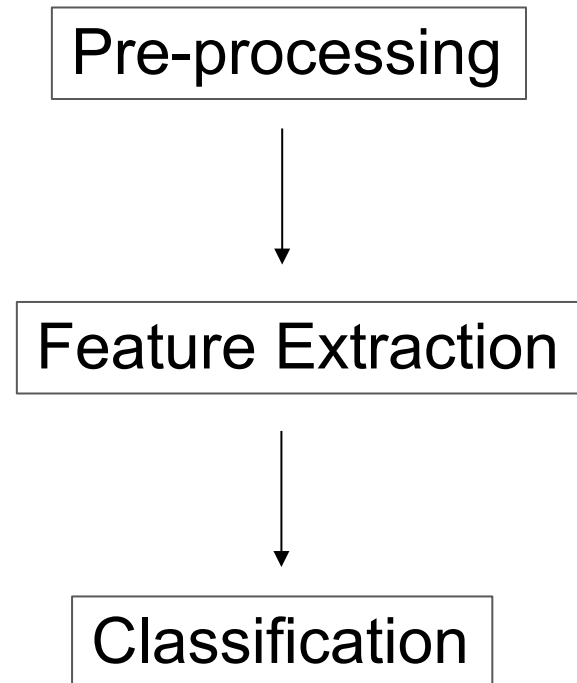
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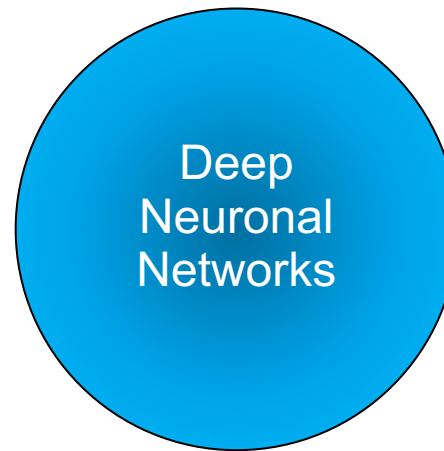
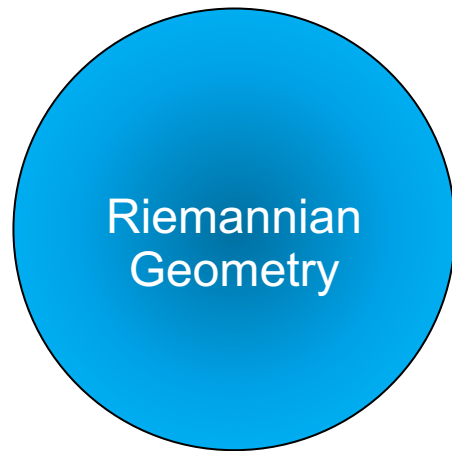
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Typical Classification:

- LDA,
- Logistic Regression, Support-Vector Machine, ...
- Random Forest
- ...

Alternative Pipelines



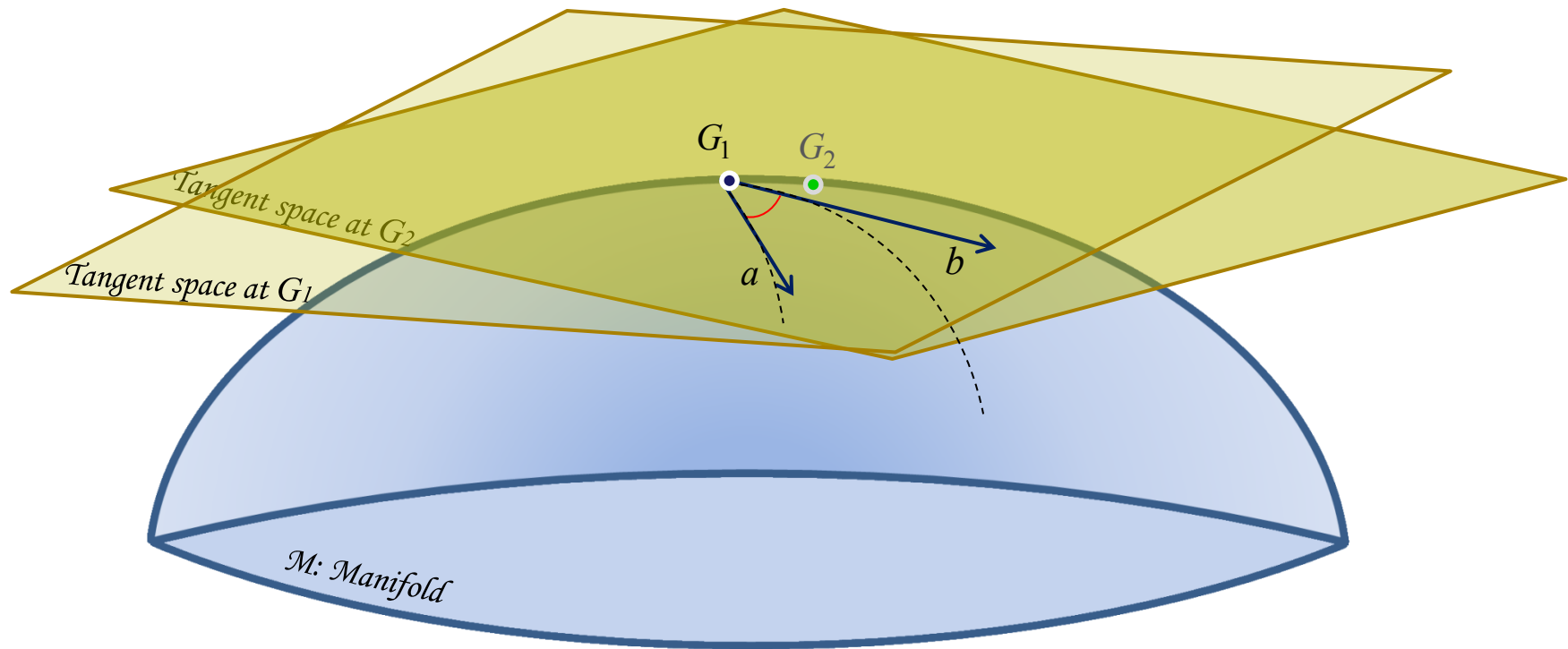
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Riemannian Geometry: definition

A (smooth) *Riemannian manifold* \mathcal{M} is a topological space that is locally similar to the Euclidean space with a globally defined differential structure.

It is equipped with an *inner product* (metric) on the *tangent space* defined at each point and varying *smoothly* from point to point.

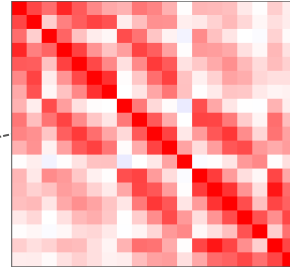
The tangent space $\mathcal{T}_G\mathcal{M}$ at point G is the Euclidean vector space containing the tangent vectors to all curves on \mathcal{M} passing through G .



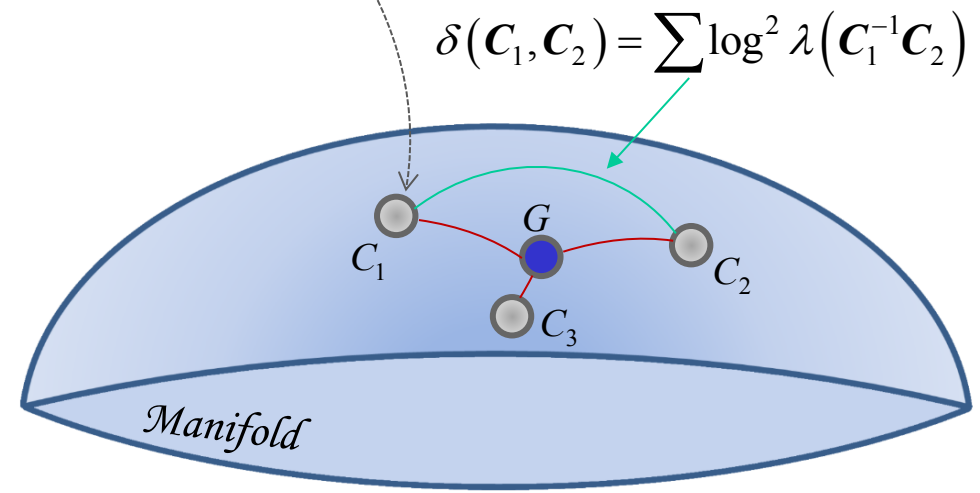
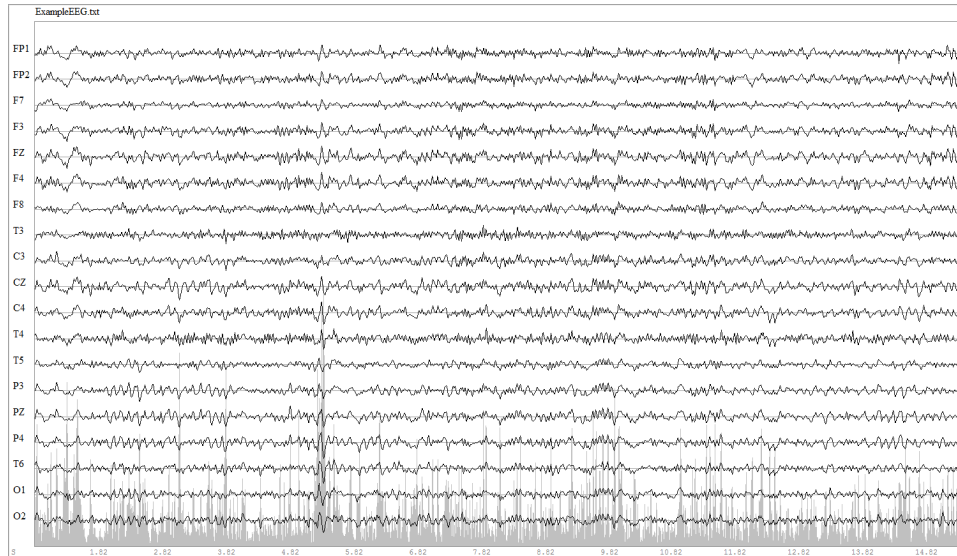
Inner product on tangent space (metric) \rightarrow Riemannian Geometry

Representing the data on the Riemannian Manifold of Positive Definite Matrices

A covariance matrix

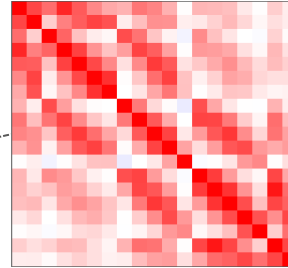


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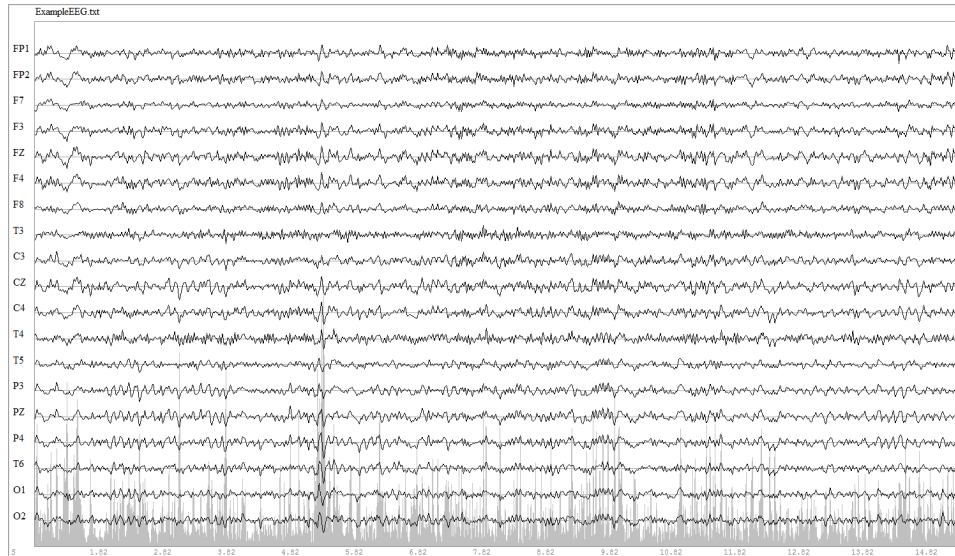


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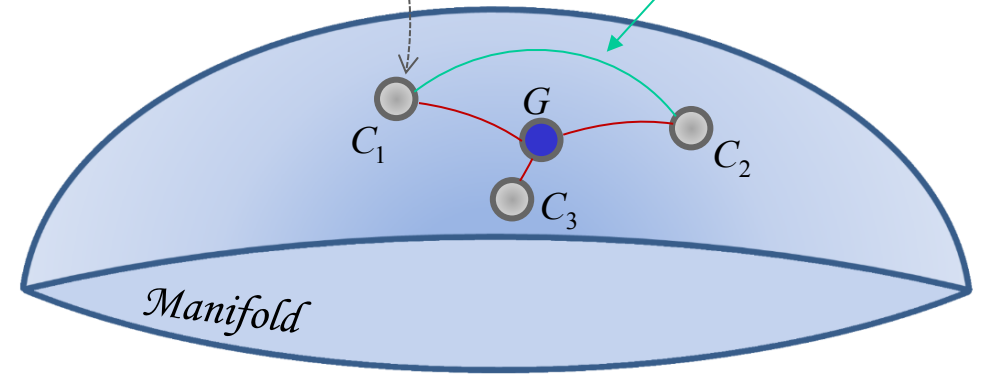
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$$\delta(C_1, C_2) = \sum \log^2 \lambda(C_1^{-1} C_2)$$



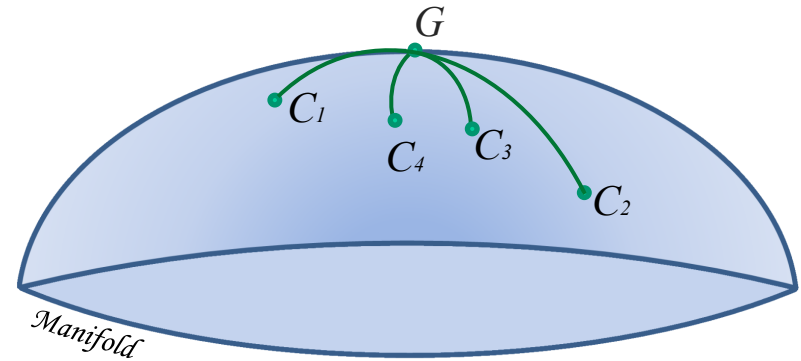
Invariances

$$\delta(C_1, C_2) = \delta(BC_1B^T, BC_2B^T)$$

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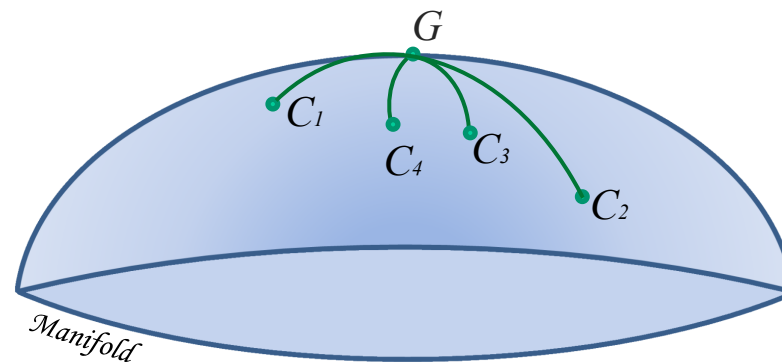
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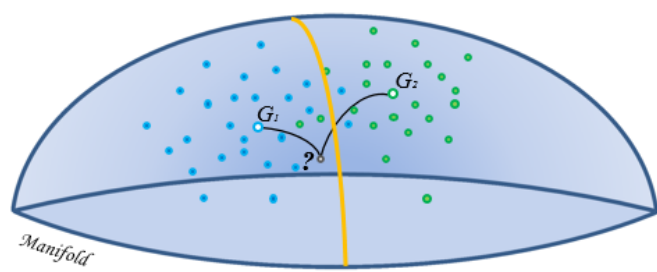
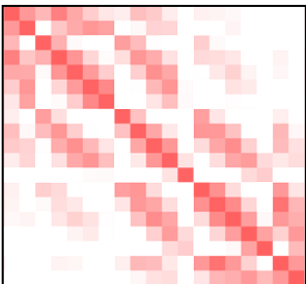
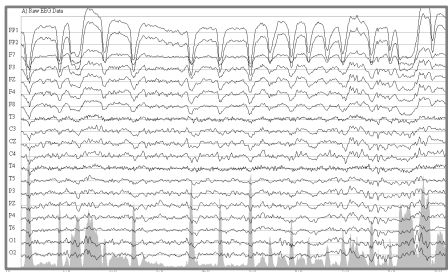
Always exists, is unique and satisfies

$$\sum_k \left[\text{Log} \left(G^{-1/2} C_k G^{-1/2} \right) \right] = 0$$

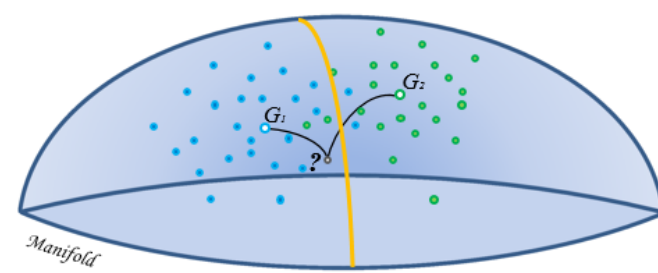
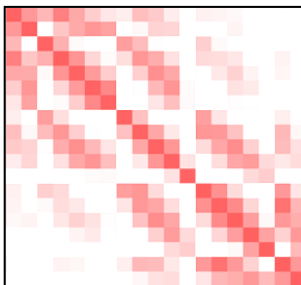
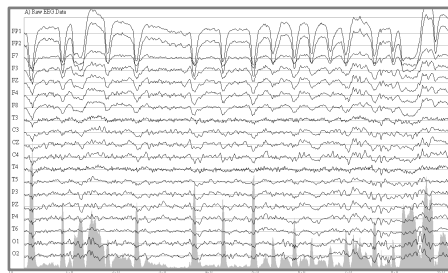
First proved by Elie Cartan on Lie groups

Moakher M (2005) *SIAM J Matrix Anal Appl*, 26 (3), 735-747.

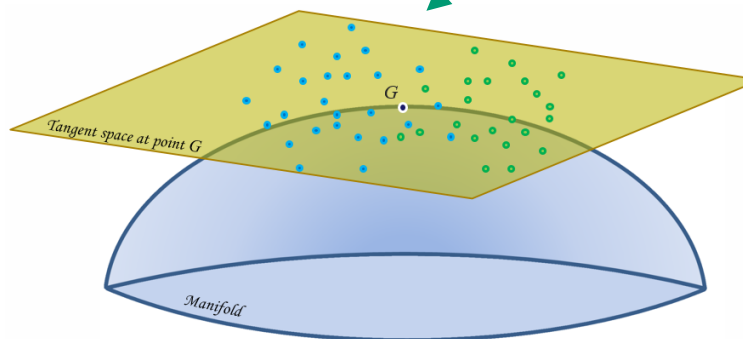
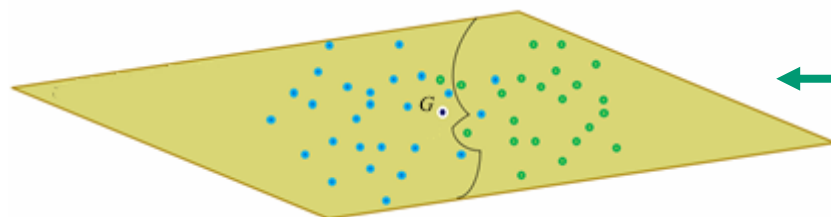
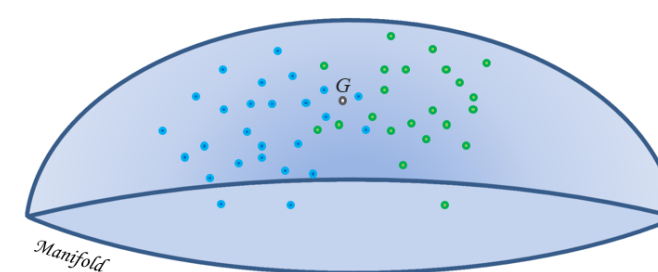
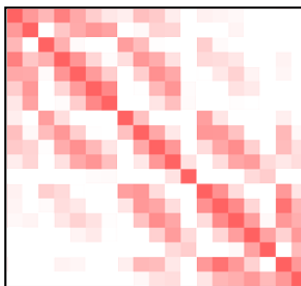
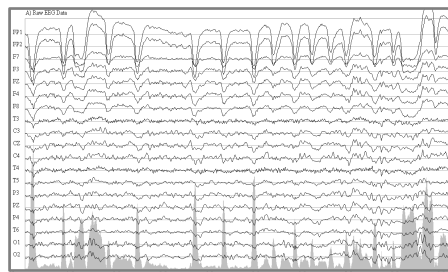
MDM



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Tangent Space



Pro

Performance Exceeds SoA
Allow using complex decision functions
Performs well in high dimension

Contra

More computationally involving
May be non-deterministic and may need hyperparameters

International BCI Decoding Competitions

Nom de la Compétition	Événement ou Organisateur	Clôture	Participants	Score (%)
DecMeg 2014	BIOMAG 2014 Conference	27/07/2014	301	75.5
BCI Challenge	IEEE NER 2015 Conference	24/02/2015	311	87.2
Grasp&Lift EEG Challenge	WAY European Project	31/08/2015	452	98.1
Decoding Brain Signals	Microsoft	01/07/2016	688	93.7
Biomag2016 competition	BIOMAG 2016 Conference	25/09/2016	7	95.6

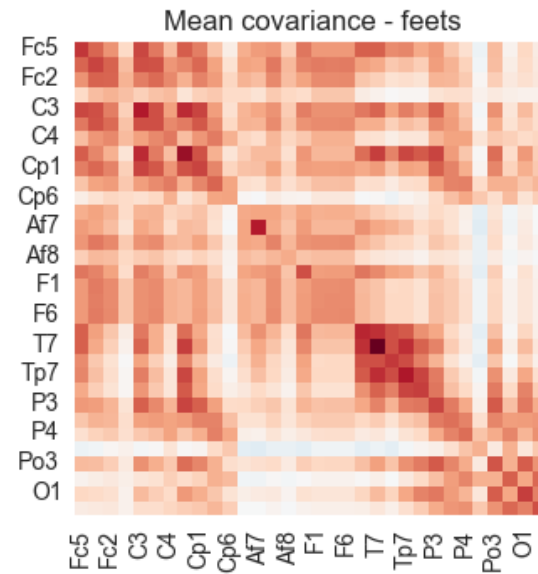
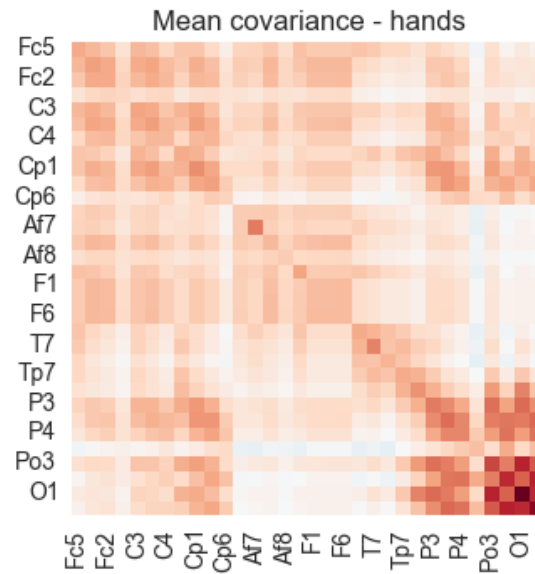
Feature Extraction as an **Encoding Step**

Induced Activity (e,g, Motor Imagery)

Z classes and K trials

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$$\mathbf{C}_{zk} = \frac{1}{T-1} \left(\mathbf{X}_{zk}^T \mathbf{X}_{zk} \right)$$

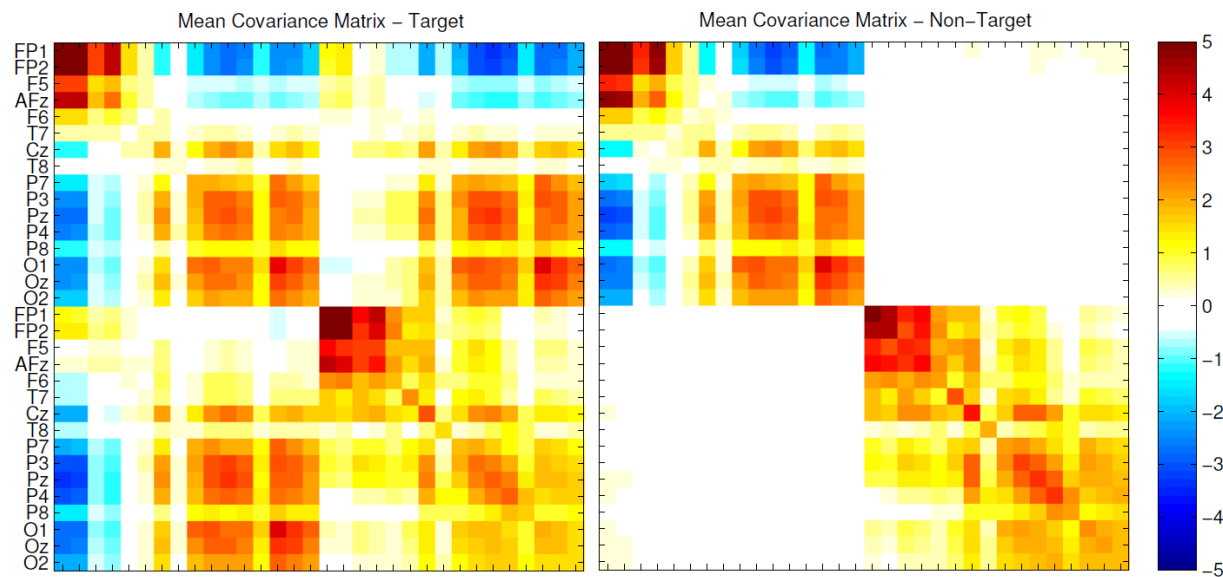


Evoked Activity (e.g., ERPs)

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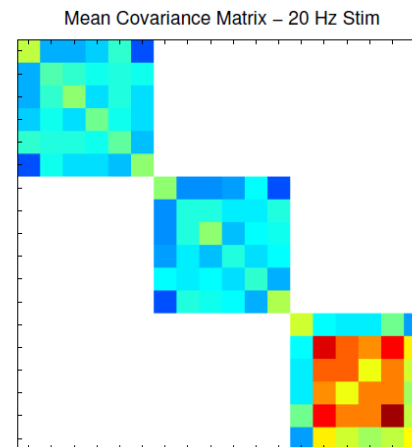
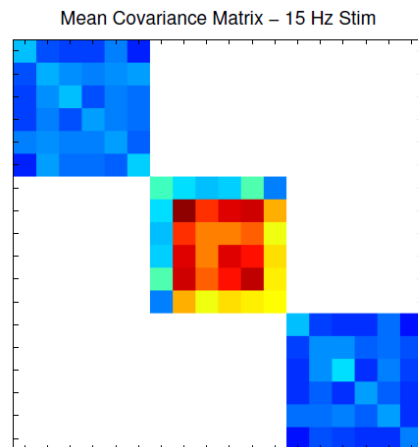
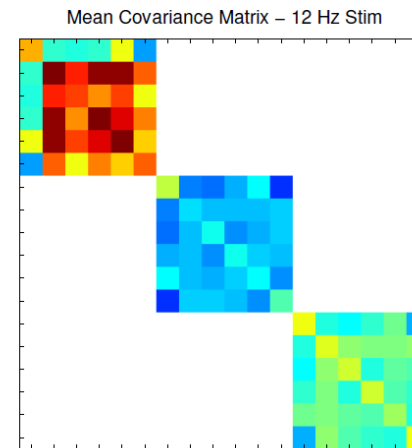
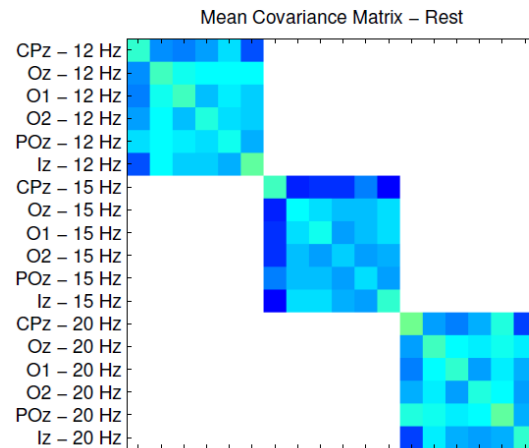
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SSVEP and Related Phenomena

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Geometry-Aware Dimensionality Reduction

Unsupervised and Supervised methods

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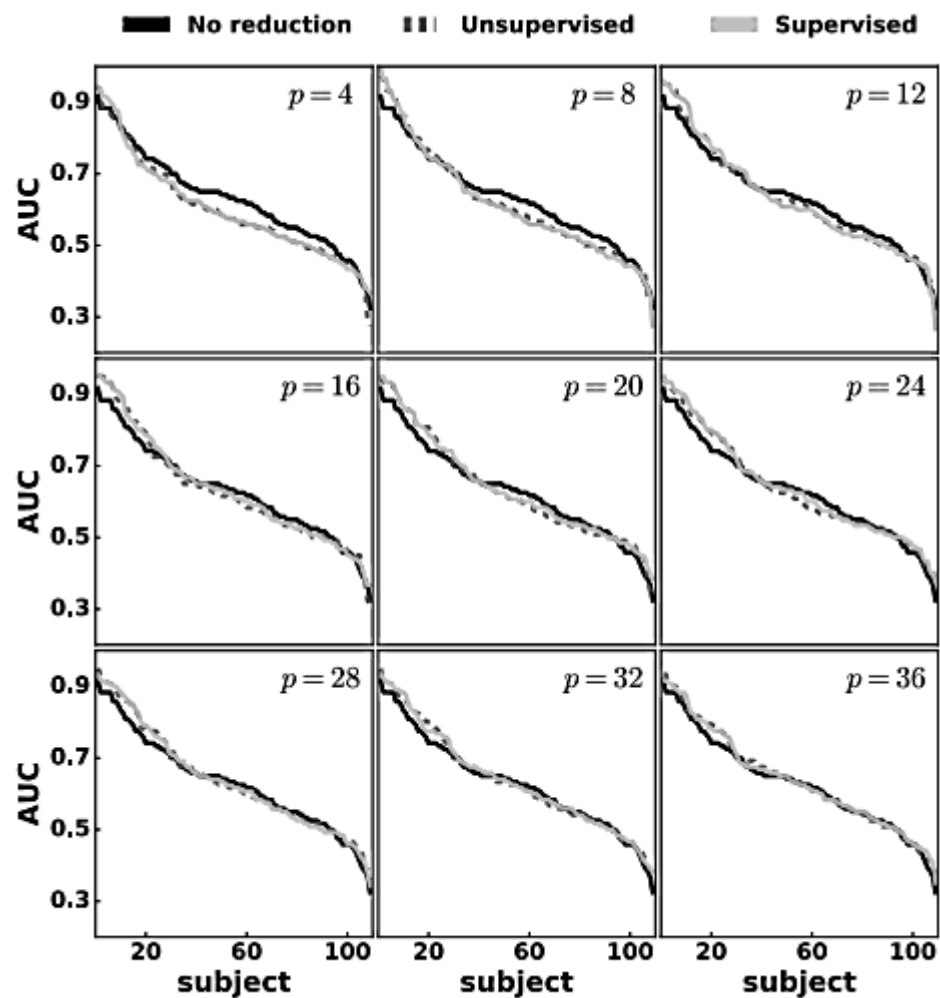
As N grows, the computational complexity grows cubically

Ex: unsupervised Approach:
$$\arg \max_{Z \in \mathcal{O}_{P,N}} \sum_k \delta^2 \left(ZC_k Z^T, ZGZ^T \right)$$

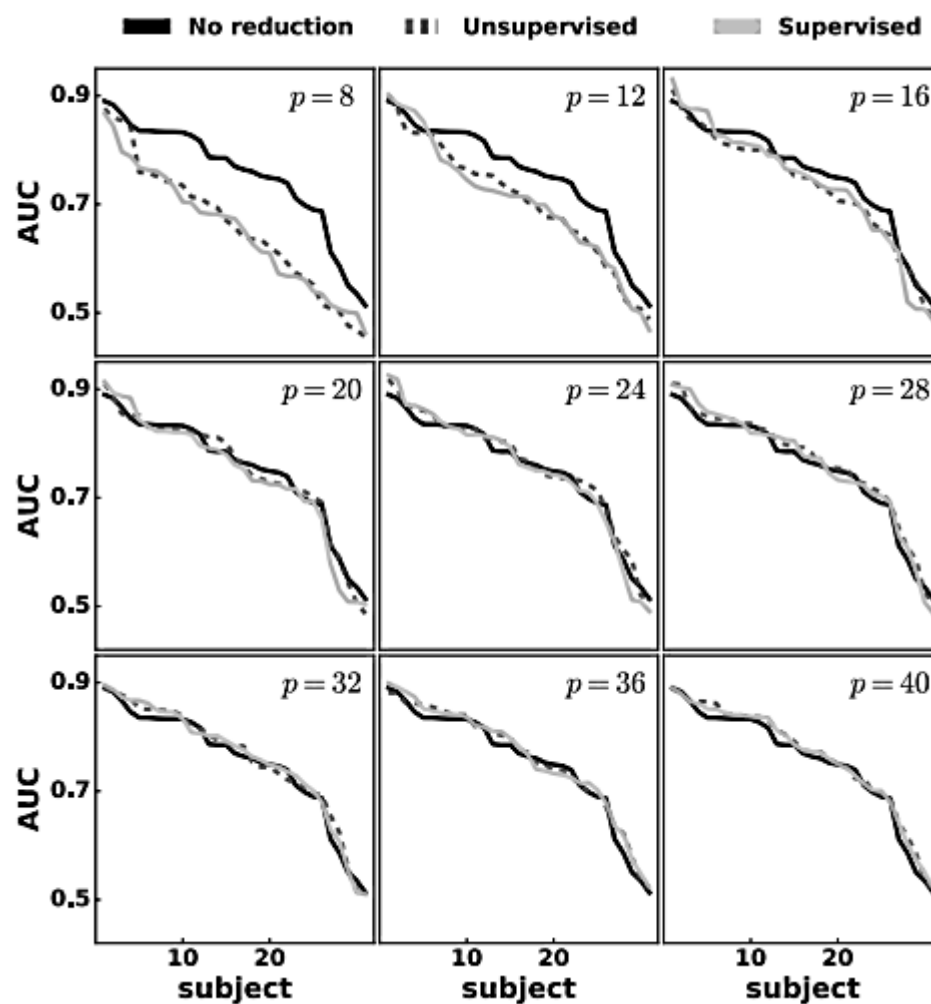
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A Closed-Form Unsupervised Geometry-Aware Dim. Reduction Method in the Riemannian Manifold of SPD Matrices
Proc. of the 39th Int. *Conf. of the IEEE EMBS*, Jeju Island, South Korea, July 11-15 2017, pp.3198-3201.

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Brain Invaders (P300, 38 ss, 32 elec.)

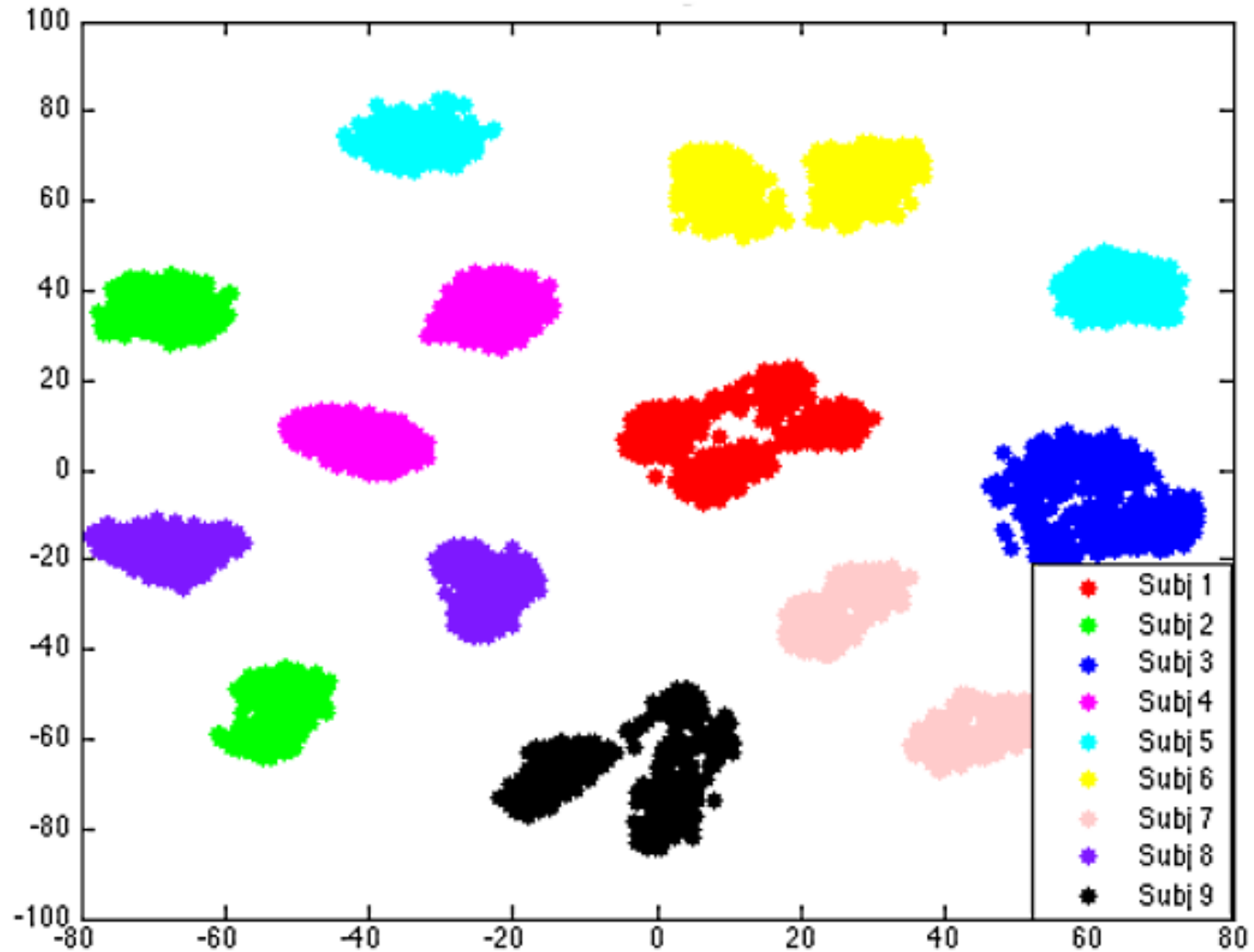


p =subspace dimension

Current Topic 2

Transfer Learning

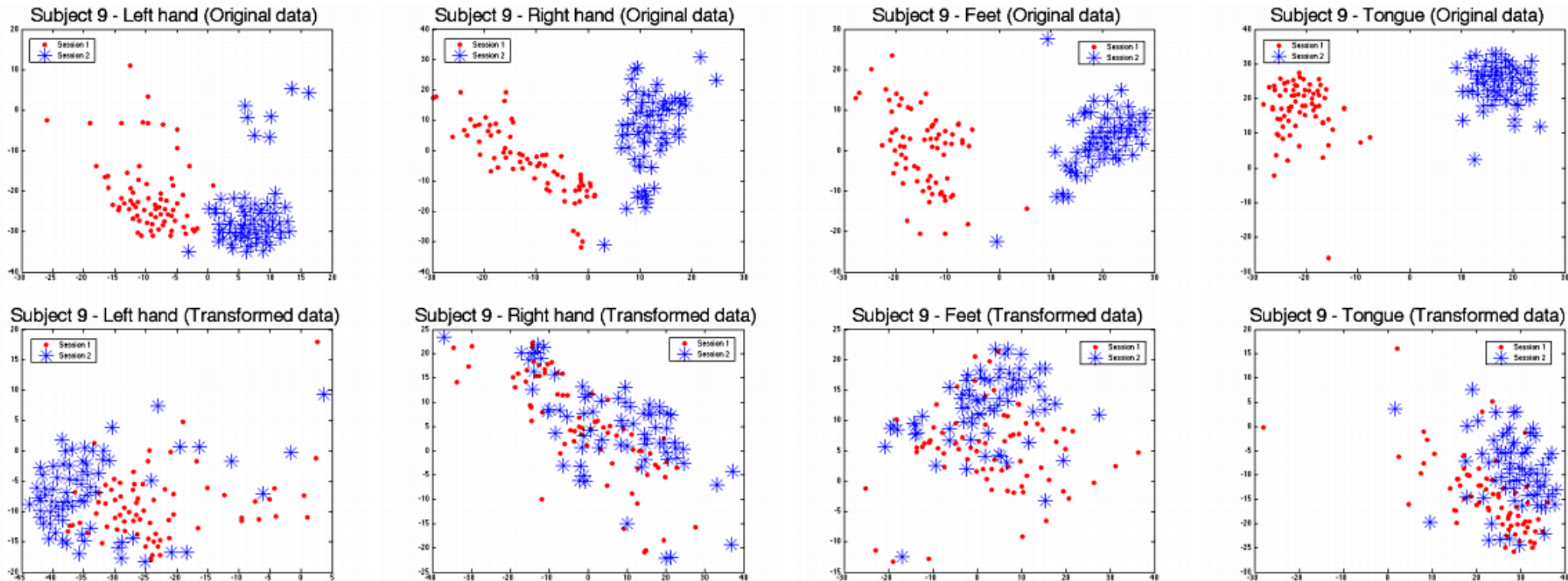
Cross-Subject and Cross-Session Shift



Recentering (Translation)

$$C_k \leftarrow G^{-1/2} C_k G^{-1/2}$$

Unsupervised Cross-Session Transfer Learning



BCI Competition 2008, MI, 9 Ss, 22 ele, 2 sess, 4 Classes. Visualization: t-SNE

Zanini P, Congedo M, Jutten C, Said S, Berthoumieu Y (2018)
Transfer Learning: a Riemannian geometry framework with applications to Brain-Computer Interfaces
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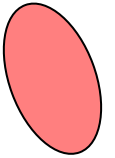
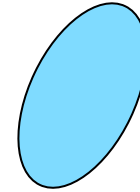
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Transfer Learning by
Riemannian Procrustes Analysis
(semi-supervised)

Riemannian Procrustes Analysis (RPA)

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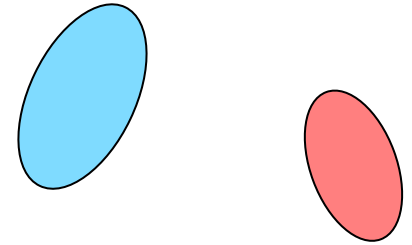
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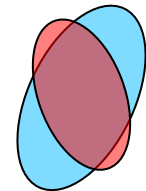
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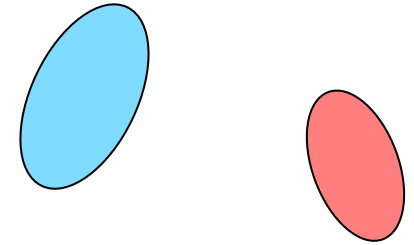


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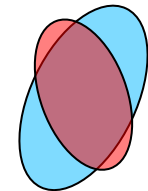
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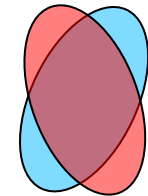
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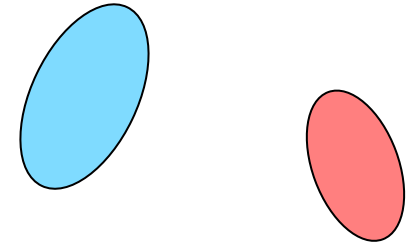


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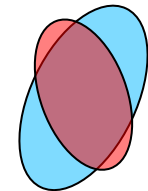
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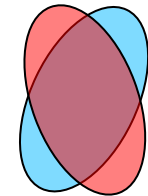
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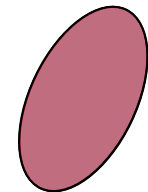
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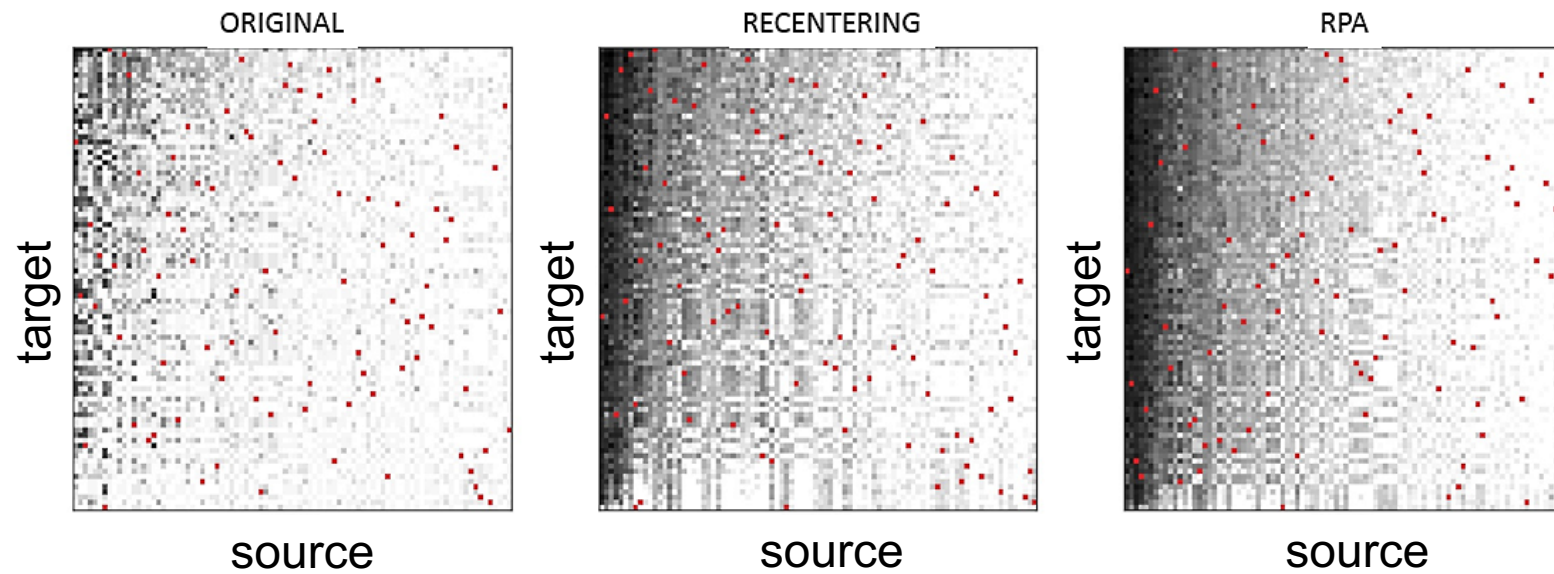


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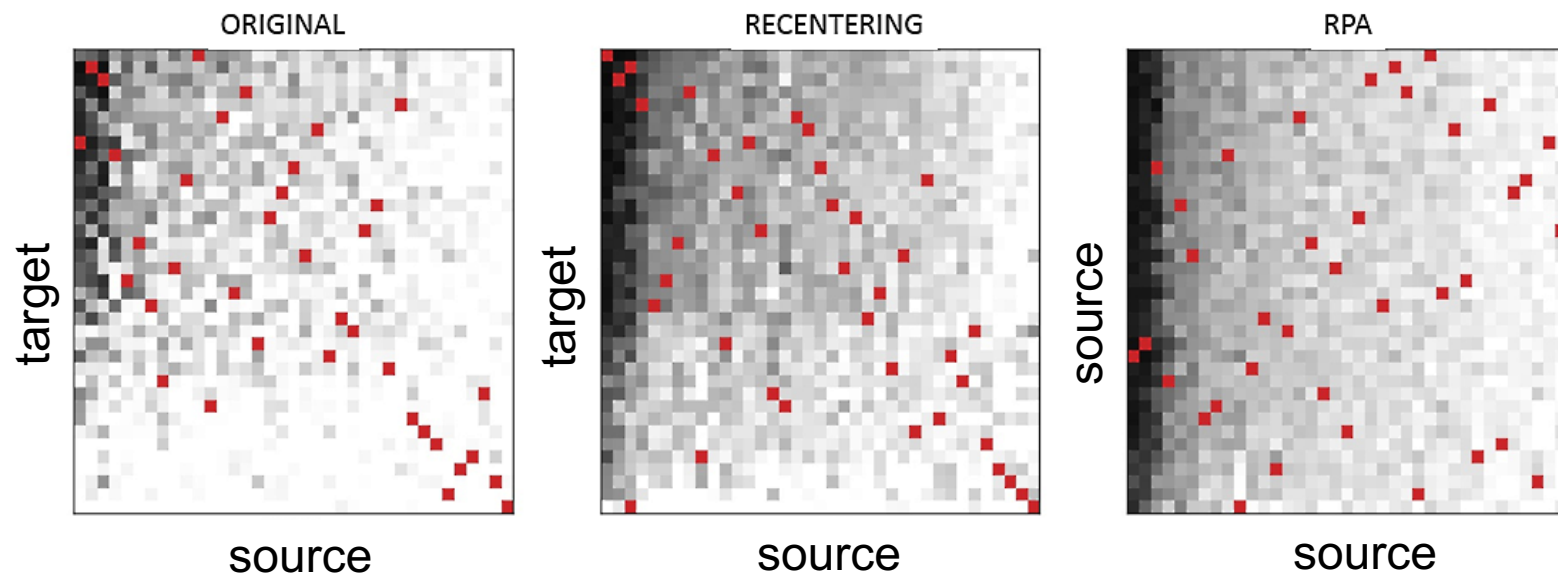
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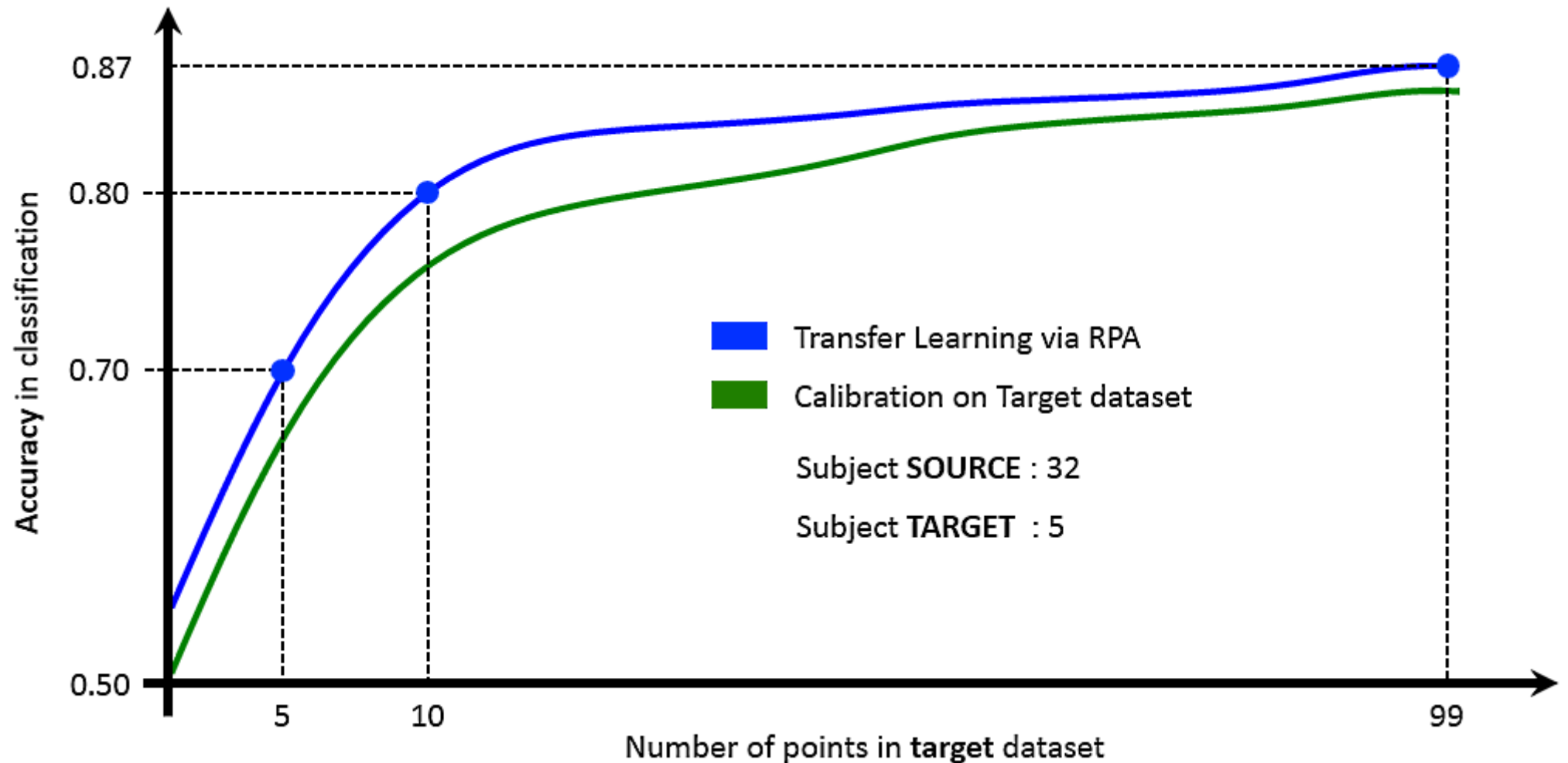
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GigaDB (MI, 38 ss, 64 elec.) – Supervision for RPA: 5 trials



What about just using calibration ?



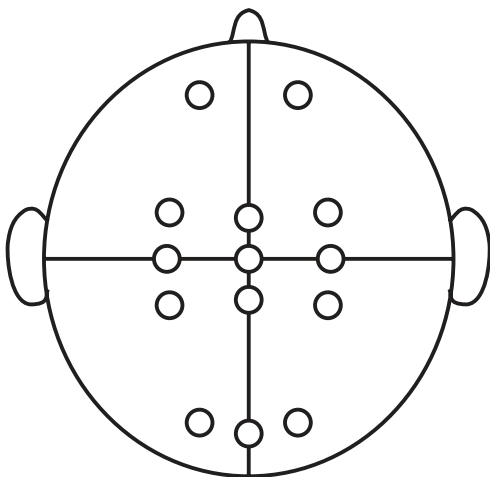
Data from GigaDB

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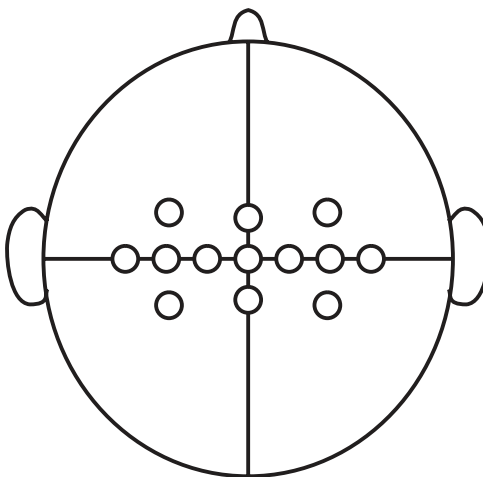
Dimension Trascending
(semi-supervised)

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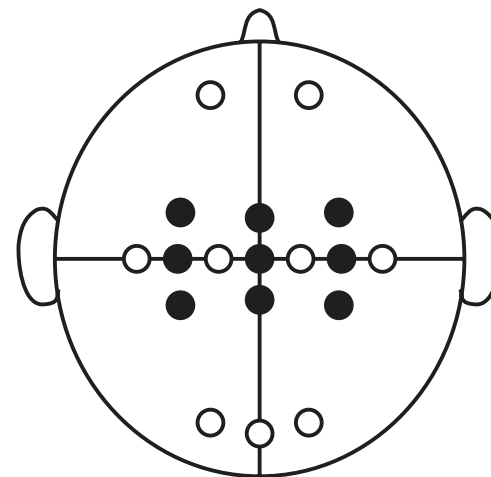
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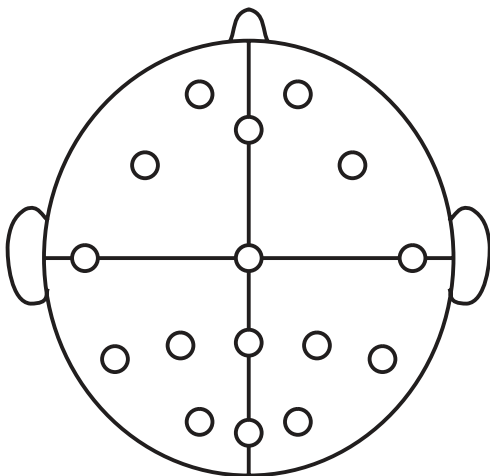


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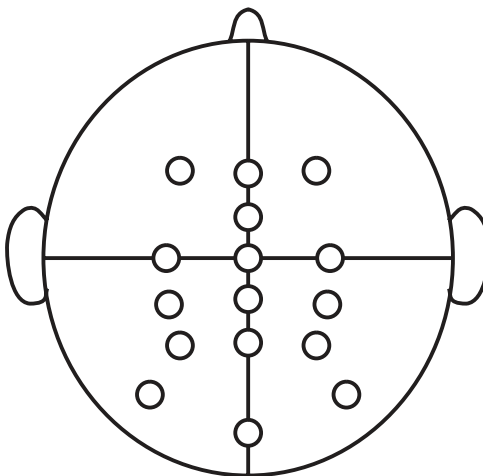


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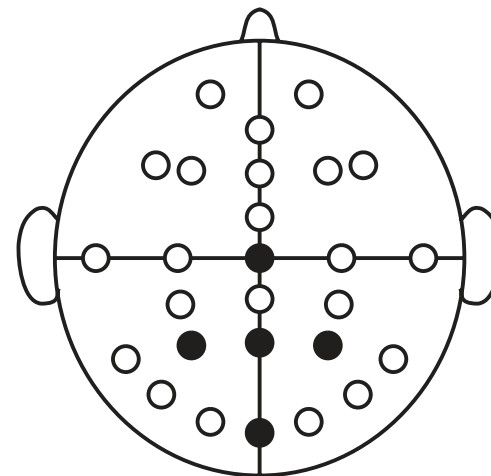
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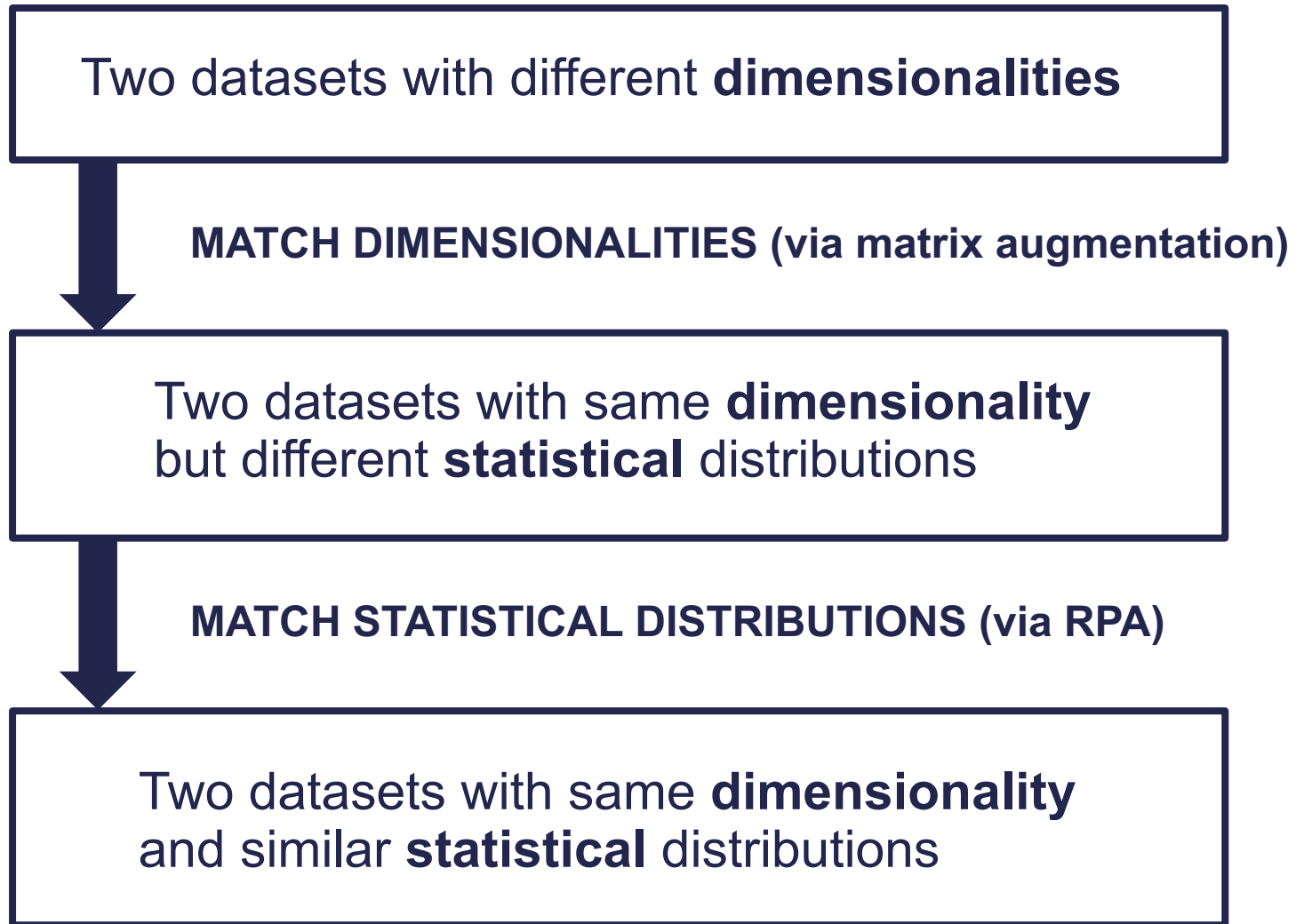


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Code for Riemannian geometry

(Julia, Python, R, Matlab, Delphi)

<https://sites.google.com/site/marcocongedo/science/code-resources>

P300 Data (7 databases, 273 subjects)

<https://sites.google.com/site/marcocongedo/science/eeg-data>

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