

All you need is a tree

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## Setting

Let  $\mathbf{c} \in \mathcal{P}_N$  be an ordered partition of  $\{1, \dots, N\}$ , that is:

$$\mathbf{c} = \{\mathbf{c}_1, \dots, \mathbf{c}_K\} \quad \bigcup_k \mathbf{c}_k = [N] \quad \mathbf{c}_k \cap \mathbf{c}_l = \emptyset \quad (1)$$

Let  $\mathbf{X} = \{\mathbf{x}_1, \dots, \mathbf{x}_N\}$  be a dataset<sup>1</sup>. We suppose that all datapoints belonging to the same element of the partition are independent and identically distributed, *i.e.* conditional independence:

$$p(\mathbf{x}|\mathbf{c}) = \prod_k \int_{\theta} \prod_{i \in \mathbf{c}_k} p(\mathbf{x}_i|\theta) p(\theta) d\theta$$

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<sup>1</sup>This can be extended to a case where  $\mathbf{X}$  is an adjacency matrix.

## Setting

$$\mathcal{L}^{obs}(\mathbf{X}, c_k) = \log \left( \int_{\theta} \prod_{i \in c_k} p(\mathbf{x}_i | \theta) p(\theta) d\theta \right)$$

In case of exponential Family observations :

$$p(\mathbf{x} | \theta) = \exp(\gamma(\theta) \cdot T(\mathbf{x}) - A(\theta) + B(\mathbf{x}))$$

and  $\mathcal{L}^{obs}(\mathbf{X}, c_k) = \phi(\sum_{i \in c_k} T(\mathbf{x}_i))$

## Setting, MAP clustering

$$\hat{c} = \arg \max_c p(\mathbf{x}, c) = \arg \max_c p(\mathbf{x}|c)p(c)$$

We need to define a prior for  $c$  :  $p(c)$ ?

# Chinese restaurant process

Process :

- ▶  $\frac{\alpha}{n+\alpha}$  new table
- ▶  $\frac{n_k}{n+\alpha}$  at table  $k$

Distribution

$$p(\mathbf{c}|\alpha) = \frac{\Gamma(\alpha)\alpha^K}{\Gamma(\alpha + N))} \prod_k \Gamma(n_k)$$

# Uniform

Completely uniform:  $p(c) = \frac{1}{\sum_{k=1}^N \mathcal{B}_n^k k!}$

Uniform in  $k$  and then uniform over the partitions with  $k$  elements:

$$p(K) = \frac{1}{N} \quad (2)$$

$$p(c|K) = \frac{1}{\mathcal{B}_n^k k!} \quad (3)$$

# Uniform

Uniform in  $k$ , then uniform over possible counts and then uniform over the partitions with  $k$  elements and the specific counts:

$$p(K) = \frac{1}{N} \quad (4)$$

$$p(\mathbf{n}|K) = \binom{N-1}{K-1}^{-1} \quad (5)$$

$$p(\mathbf{c}|\mathbf{n}) = \frac{1}{N!} \prod_k n_k! \times \mathbf{1}_{\{\mathbf{c}/\mathbf{n}_c=\mathbf{c}\}} \times \mathbf{1}_{\{\mathbf{c}/|\mathbf{c}|=K\}} \quad (6)$$

## Truncated geometric over $K$

$$p(K) = \frac{1}{1 - \alpha^N} \alpha^{K-1} (1 - \alpha) \quad (7)$$

$$p(\mathbf{n}|K) = \binom{N-1}{K-1}^{-1} \quad (8)$$

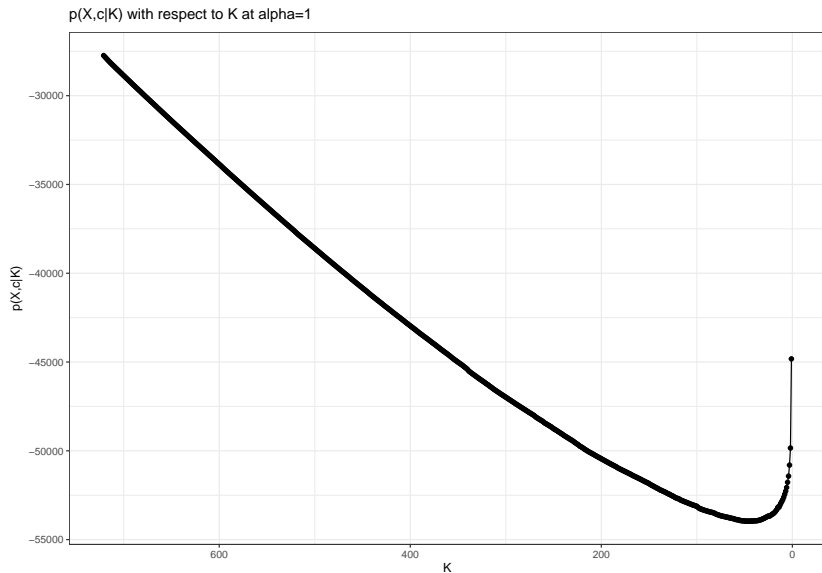
$$p(\mathbf{c}|\mathbf{n}) = \frac{1}{N!} \prod_k n_k! \times \mathbf{1}_{\{\mathbf{c}/\mathbf{n}_c=\mathbf{c}\}} \times \mathbf{1}_{\{c/|c|=K\}} \quad (9)$$

$\alpha = 1$  is equivalent to uniform,  $\alpha = 0$  to a dirac at  $k = 1$ .

$$p(\mathbf{c}|\alpha) = p(\mathbf{c}, \mathbf{n}_c, K_c) = \binom{N-1}{K-1}^{-1} \frac{1}{1 - \alpha^N} \alpha^{K-1} (1 - \alpha) \frac{1}{N!} \prod_k n_k!$$

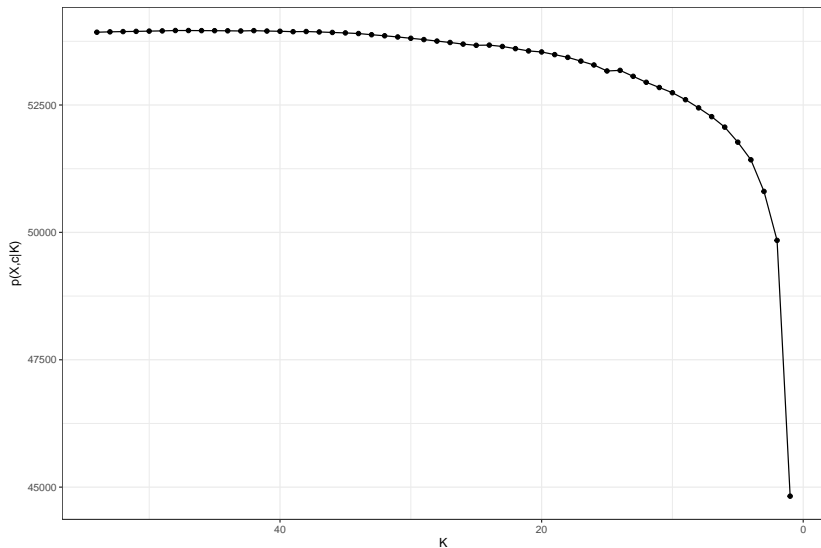


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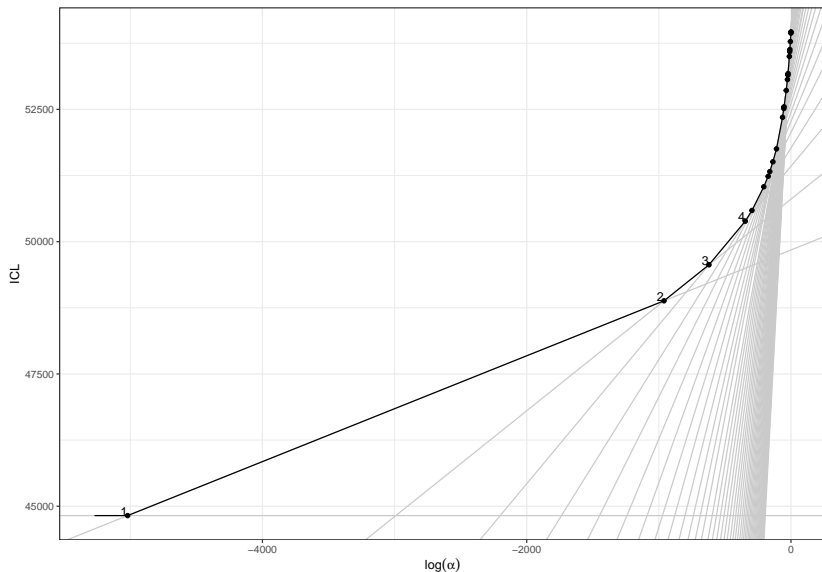


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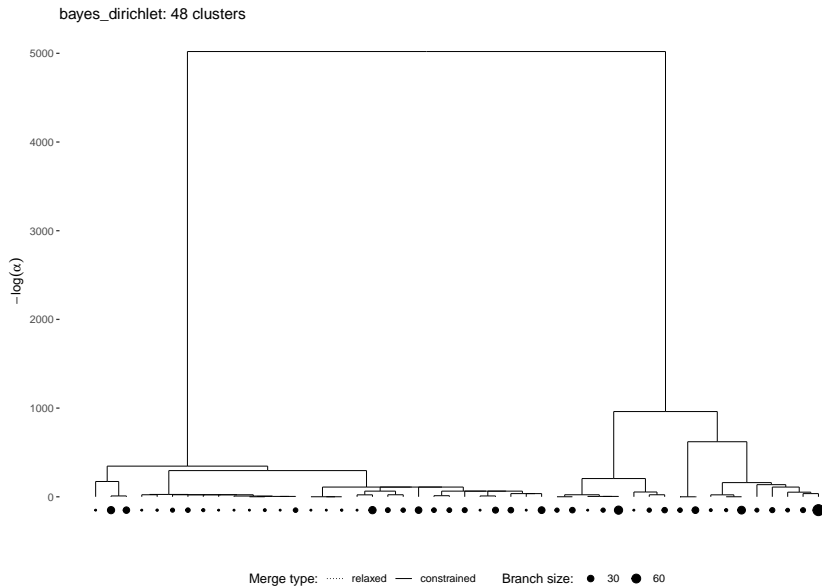
$p(X,c|K)$  with respect to K at  $\alpha=1$



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# Contiguity constrained clustering

## Contiguity constrained clustering

We get a graph  $G$  and clusters must be connected in the graph.



A clustering can be obtained by cutting  $K - 1$  edges in a spanning tree of  $G$ .

Pbr how to count the number of possible partition with  $k$  elements with theses constraints ? Easy for trees and lines : their are  $C_{k-1}^{N-1}$  possible compatible partitions. But for generic graphs ?

# Contiguity constrained clustering

Example :

Shenzen speed distribution  
8h30–8h45



## Spanning tree prior

- ▶  $t$  a spanning tree of  $G$ ,
- ▶  $\mathcal{T}_G$  the set of all spanning tree of  $G$ ,
- ▶ a partition  $c$  is compatible with a spanning tree  $t$ , noted  $c \prec t$ ; if  $c$  corresponds to the set of connected components obtained by pruning  $|c| - 1$  edges from  $t$ ,
- ▶ if this is not the case  $c$  is not compatible with a spanning tree  $t$  and we denote this property by  $c \not\prec t$ .



## Spanning tree prior

Sample spanning tree and cut them

$$p(K|\alpha) = \frac{1}{1 - \alpha^N} \alpha^{K-1} (1 - \alpha)$$

$$p(t) = \frac{1}{|\mathcal{T}_G|}$$

$$p(c|t, K) = \frac{1}{C_{K-1}^{N-1}} \mathbf{1}_{\{c/c \prec t\}}$$

## Spanning tree prior

If we marginalize out the sampling of the spanning trees we get :

$$\begin{aligned} p(\mathbf{c}|K) &= \sum_{t \in \mathcal{T}_G} p(\mathbf{c}|t, K) p(t) \\ &= \frac{1}{|\mathcal{T}_G| C_{K-1}^{N-1}} \sum_{t \in \mathcal{T}_G} \mathbf{1}_{\{\mathbf{c}/\mathbf{c} \prec t\}} \\ &= \frac{|\{\mathbf{t}/\mathbf{c} \prec \mathbf{t}\}|}{|\mathcal{T}_G| C_{K-1}^{N-1}} \end{aligned}$$

We need to compute  $|\mathcal{T}_G|$  and  $|\{\mathbf{t}/\mathbf{c} \prec \mathbf{t}\}|$  ?

## Kirchhoff's theorem

Kirchhoff's theorem:

$$|\mathcal{T}_G| = \frac{1}{N} \lambda_1 \dots \lambda_{N-1},$$

with  $\lambda_i$  be the non-zero eigenvalues of Laplacian matrix  $L$  of  $G$ .  
Practically, we compute  $\log(|\mathcal{T}|)$  as  $\log(\det(L_{-1,-1}))$ . If the graph is sparse, this can be solved in a reasonable amount of time via using a sparse  $LU$ / Cholevsky decomposition.

## Cuset theorem

- ▶  $G[c_k]$  the subgraph of  $G$  induced by  $c_k$ ,
- ▶  $\text{cutset}(G, c_g, c_h) = \{(u, v) \in E / u \in c_g, v \in c_h\}$ , the set of edges of  $G$  between element  $g$  and  $h$  of  $c$ ,
- ▶  $G \diamond c$  the multigraph  $(\{1, \dots, K\}, \{(g, h, |\text{cutset}(G, c_g, c_h)|) / g \neq h\})$  obtained by counting the number of links in  $G$  between each pairs of different elements of  $c$ .

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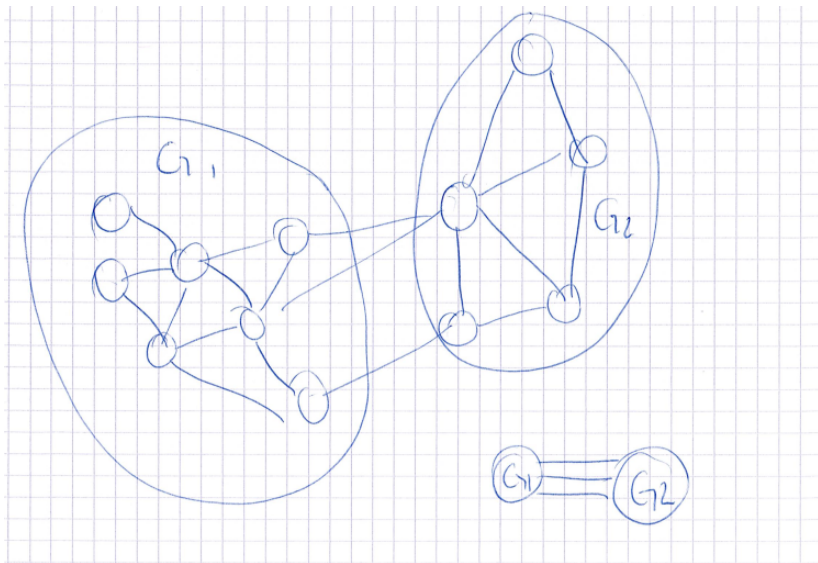
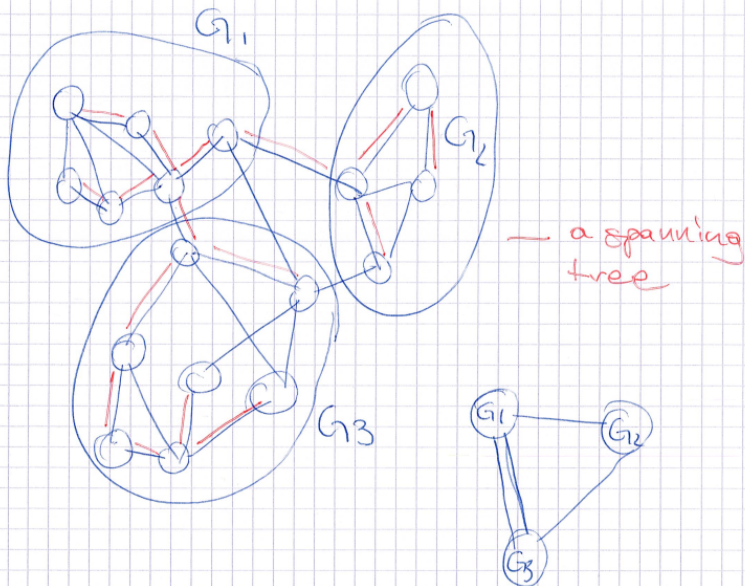


Figure 1: Cut set

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$$\log(|\{t/c \prec t\}|) = \overbrace{\sum_{k=1}^K \log(|\mathcal{T}_{G[c_k]}|)}^{\text{intra-cluster spanning trees}} + \underbrace{\log(|\mathcal{T}_{G \diamond c}|)}_{\text{inter-clusters spanning trees}}$$

## Cuset theorem

When the partition is a simple cut  $\mathbf{c} = \{c_1, c_2\}$ , this reduce to :

$$|\{\mathbf{t}/\mathbf{c} \prec \mathbf{t}\}| = |\mathcal{T}_{G[c_1]}| |\mathcal{T}_{G[c_2]}| |\mathit{cutset}(G, c_1, c_2)|$$



## Marginalizing one more time

$$\Delta_{g \cup h} = \log \left( \sum_{\mathbf{b} / \exists i: \mathbf{b}_i = \mathbf{c}_g \cup \mathbf{c}_h} p(\mathbf{b}, \mathbf{X}, K) \right) - \log \left( \sum_{\mathbf{b} / \exists i, j: \mathbf{b}_i = \mathbf{c}_g, \mathbf{b}_j = \mathbf{c}_h} p(\mathbf{b}, \mathbf{X}, K) \right)$$

So we have marginalized outside of  $\mathbf{c}_g \cup \mathbf{c}_h$ . By doing so we get a simpler formula which only involve  $|\text{cutset}(G, \mathbf{c}_g, \mathbf{c}_h)|$  and avoid the computation of  $|\mathcal{T}_{G \diamond \mathbf{c}}|$ .

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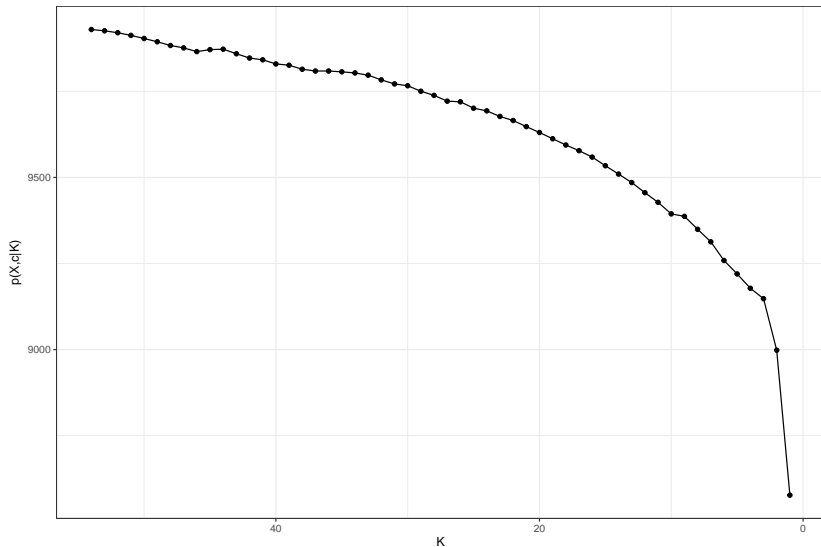
$$\begin{aligned}\Delta_{g \cup h} = & \mathcal{L}^{obs}(\mathbf{X}, \mathbf{c}_g \cup \mathbf{c}_h) - \mathcal{L}^{obs}(\mathbf{X}, \mathbf{c}_g) - \mathcal{L}^{obs}(\mathbf{X}, \mathbf{c}_h) \\ & + \log \left( \frac{|\mathcal{T}_{G[\mathbf{c}_h \cup \mathbf{c}_h]}|}{|\mathit{cutset}(G, \mathbf{c}_g, \mathbf{c}_h)| |\mathcal{T}_{G[\mathbf{c}_h]}| |\mathcal{T}_{G[\mathbf{c}_g]}|} \right)\end{aligned}\tag{10}$$

## Rank one updates

$$L(G[\mathbf{c}_g \cup \mathbf{c}_h]) = \begin{pmatrix} L(G[\mathbf{c}_g]) & 0 \\ 0 & L(G[\mathbf{c}_h]) \end{pmatrix} + \sum_{u,v \in \text{cutset}(G, \mathbf{c}_g, \mathbf{c}_h)} l(u, v)^t l(u, v)$$

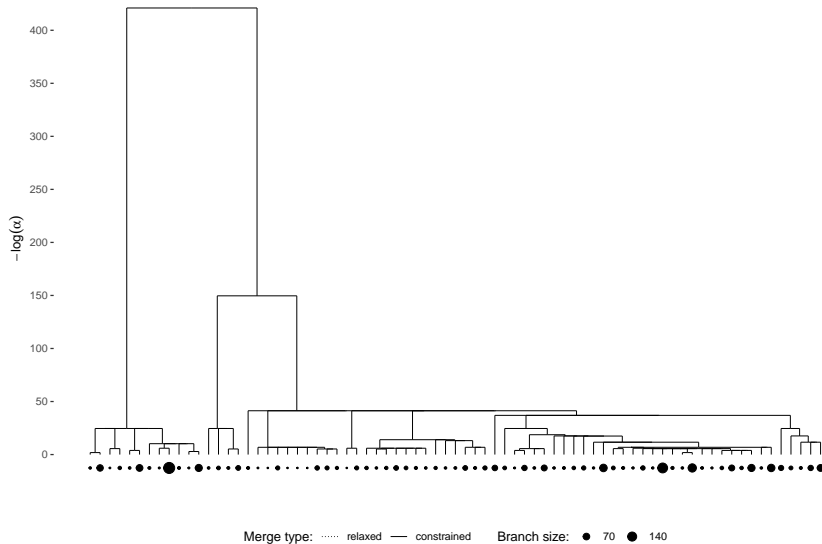
# Results shenzen

$p(X,c|K)$  with respect to  $K$  at  $\alpha=1$



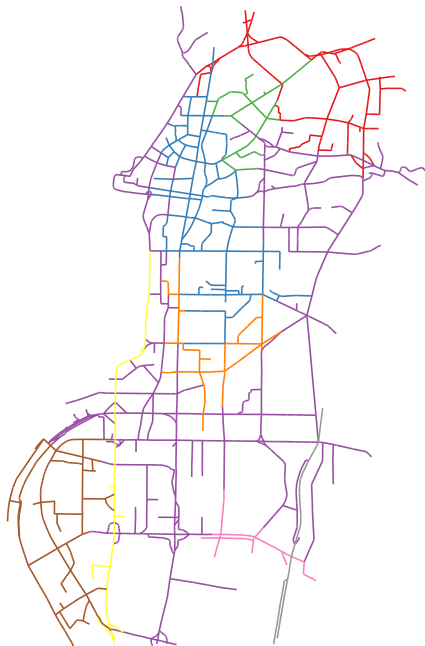
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bayes\_dgmm: 75 clusters



# Shenzen clustering results

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Speed (km/h)



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