# Multi-view Warped Mixtures for Shape Correspondence Analysis

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#### Abstract

Probabilistic approach for the correspondence problem based on the Single View WMM[3].

# 1 Multiview Warped Mixture Models

We can use the single view problem of the warped mixture model from [3] in which they warp a latent mixture of Gaussians into nonparametric cluster shapes. The low-dimensional latent mixture model summarizes the properties of the high-dimensional density manifolds describing the data.

Our idea is to introduce a model which warps a multiview latent mixture of Gaussians (possibly MRD) to produce nonparametric cluster shapes. <sup>1</sup>

#### 1.1 The model

Let as define a multi-view data set as  $\mathcal{Y} = \{\mathbf{Y}^v\}_{v=1}^V$ , where each view is defined as  $\mathbf{Y}^v \in \mathbb{R}^{N_v \times D_v}$ . This leads to the likelihood Given mixture assignments, likelihood has only two parts: GP-LVM and GMM

$$p\left(\mathbf{Y}^{\mathcal{V}}|\mathbf{X},\mathbf{Z},\boldsymbol{\theta}\right) = \prod_{v=1}^{V} p(\mathbf{Y}^{v}|\mathbf{X},\boldsymbol{\theta}) \times \prod_{i} \sum_{c=1}^{\infty} \lambda_{c} \mathcal{N}\left(\mathbf{x}_{i}|\boldsymbol{\mu}_{c},\mathbf{R}_{c}^{-1}\right), \quad \mathbf{x}_{i} \in \mathbf{Z}_{c}$$
(1)

Based on the iWMM (see [3]) our generative model generates multiple observations  $\mathbf{Y}^{\mathcal{V}}$  according to the following generative process:

- 1. Draw mixture weights  $\lambda \sim \text{GEM}(\eta)$
- 2. For each cluster  $c = 1, \dots, \infty$ 
  - (a) Draw precision  $\mathbf{R}_c \sim \mathcal{W}(\mathbf{S}^{-1}, v)$
  - (b) Draw mean  $\mu_c \sim \mathcal{N}(\mathbf{u}, (r\mathbf{R}_c)^{-1})$
- 3. For each view  $v = 1, \dots, \mathcal{V}$ 
  - (a) For each observation  $n = 1, \dots, N_v$ 
    - i. Draw latent assignment  $z_{nv} \sim \text{Mult}(\lambda)$
    - ii. Draw latent coordinates  $\mathbf{x}_{nv} \sim \mathcal{N}(\boldsymbol{\mu}_{z_{nv}}, \mathbf{R}_{z_{nv}}^{-1})$
- 4. For each view  $v = 1, \dots, \mathcal{V}$ 
  - (a) For each observed dimension  $d = 1, \dots, D_v$ 
    - i. Draw function  $\mathbf{f}_d^v \sim \mathcal{GP}(\mathbf{0}, \mathbf{K}^v)$
- 5. For each view  $v = 1, \dots, \mathcal{V}$ 
  - (a) For each observed dimension  $d = 1, \dots, D_v$ 
    - i. Draw projection variable  $w_d^v \sim \mathcal{N}\left(0, \rho_d^v\right)$

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>The possibly low-dimensional latent mixture model allows us to summarize the properties of the high-dimensional clusters (or density manifolds) describing the data. The number of manifolds, as well as the shape and dimension of each manifold is automatically inferred.

ii. For each observation  $n=1,\cdots,N_v$ A. Draw feature  $y_{nd}^v \sim \mathcal{N}\left(\mathbf{w_d^v} f_d^v(\mathbf{x}_{nv}), \beta^{-1}\right)$ 

We define the dimensionalities of our variables as:

- $\bullet$  K: real number of clusters
- Q: dimensionality of the Latent Space
- $D_v$ : dimensionality of the input data in the v-th view
- $\lambda \in \mathbb{R}^{K \times 1}$
- $\mathbf{R}_c \in \mathbb{R}^{Q \times Q}$
- $\bullet \ \boldsymbol{\mu}_c \in \mathbb{R}^{Q \times 1}$

# Latent Multi-view Warped Mixture Model

Our model is set as a multi-view Gaussian Process Latent Variable model as [2]. First we assume that observations are generated by mapping the latent coordinates through a set of smooth functions, over which Gaussian process priors are placed. Under the GPLVM, the probability of observations given the latent coordinates, integrating out the mapping functions, is defined as

$$p(\mathbf{Y}|\mathbf{X}, \boldsymbol{\theta}) = \prod_{v=1}^{V} p(\mathbf{Y}^{v}|\mathbf{X}^{v}, \boldsymbol{\theta}^{v})$$

$$= \prod_{v=1}^{V} \prod_{k=1}^{D_{v}} p(\mathbf{y}_{d}^{v}|\mathbf{X}^{v}, \boldsymbol{\theta}^{v}),$$
(2)

$$= \prod_{v=1}^{V} \prod_{d=1}^{D_v} p(\mathbf{y}_d^v | \mathbf{X}^v, \boldsymbol{\theta}^v), \qquad (3)$$

where  $\mathbf{y}_d^v$  represents the dth column of  $\mathbf{Y}^v$  and

$$p\left(\mathbf{y}_{d}^{v}|\mathbf{X}^{v},\boldsymbol{\theta}^{v}\right) = \mathcal{N}\left(\mathbf{y}_{d}^{v}|\mathbf{0},\beta^{-1}\mathbf{I} + w_{d}^{2}\mathbf{K}^{v}\right). \tag{4}$$

Our multi-view iWMM assumes that the latent coordinates (per View) are generated from a Dirichlet process mixture model. In particular, we use the following infinite Gaussian mixture model,

$$p(\mathbf{x}^{v}|\lambda_{c}, \boldsymbol{\mu}_{c}, \mathbf{R}_{c}) = \sum_{c=1}^{\infty} \lambda_{c} \mathcal{N}\left(\mathbf{x}^{v}|\boldsymbol{\mu}_{c}, \mathbf{R}_{c}^{-1}\right),$$
 (5)

where  $\lambda_c$ ,  $\mu_c$  and  $\mathbf{R}_c$  are the mixture weight, mean, and precision matrix of the cth mixture component.

As in the iWMM [3], we place Gaussian-Wishart priors on the Gaussian parameters  $\{\mu_c, \mathbf{R}_c\}$ .

$$p(\boldsymbol{\mu}_c, \mathbf{R}_c) = \mathcal{N}\left(\boldsymbol{\mu}_c | \mathbf{u}, (r\mathbf{R}_c)^{-1}\right) \mathcal{W}\left(\mathbf{R}_c | \mathbf{S}^{-1}, \nu\right)$$
(6)

where **u** is the mean of  $\mu_c$ , r is the relative precision of  $\mu_c$ ,  $\mathbf{S}^{-1}$  is the scale matrix for  $\mathbf{R}_c$ , and  $\nu$  is the number of degrees of freedom for  $\mathbf{R}_c$ .

By using conjugate Gaussian-Wishart priors for the parameters of the Gaussian mixture components, we can analytically integrate out those parameters, given the assignments of points to components. Let  $z_n^v$  be the latent assignment of the nth object in the vth view. The probability of latent coordinates **X** given latent assignments  $\mathbf{Z}^v = (z_1, \dots, z_{N_v})$  is obtained by integrating out the Gaussian parameters  $\{\boldsymbol{\mu}_c, \mathbf{R}_c\}$  as follows:

$$p(\mathbf{X}|\mathbf{Z}, \mathbf{S}, \nu, r) = \prod_{c=1}^{\infty} \pi^{-\frac{\sum_{v} N_{vc} Q}{2}} \frac{r^{Q/2} |\mathbf{S}|^{\nu/2}}{r_c^{Q/2} |\mathbf{S}_c|^{\nu_c/2}} \prod_{q=1}^{Q} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{\nu_c + 1 - q}{2}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{\nu + 1 - q}{2}\right)},$$
(7)

where  $N_{vc}$  is the number of objects in the vth view assigned to the cth cluster,  $\Gamma(\cdot)$  is the Gamma function and

$$\begin{aligned} r_c &= r + \sum_{v} N_{vc}, \quad \nu_c = \nu + \sum_{v} N_{vc}, \\ \mathbf{u}_c &= \frac{r\mathbf{u} + \sum_{v=1}^{V} \sum_{n:z_{nv} = c} \mathbf{x}_{nv}}{r + \sum_{v} N_{vc}}, \\ \mathbf{S}_c &= \mathbf{S} + \sum_{v=1}^{V} \sum_{n:z=-c} \mathbf{x}_{nv} \mathbf{x}_{nv}^\top + r\mathbf{u}\mathbf{u}^\top - r_c \mathbf{u}_c \mathbf{u}_c^\top, \end{aligned}$$

are the posterior Gaussian-Wishart parameters of the cth component. As in [3], we use a Dirichlet process with concentration parameter  $\eta$  for infinite mixture modeling in the latent space.

The probability of  $\mathbf{Z}$  is given as follows

$$p(\mathbf{Z}|\eta) = \prod_{v=1}^{V} \frac{\eta^{C} \prod_{c=1}^{C} (N_{vc} - 1)!}{\eta(\eta + 1) \cdots (\eta + N_{v} - 1)},$$
(8)

where C is the number of components for which  $N_{vc} > 0$ . The joint distribution is given by

$$p\left(\mathbf{Y}, \mathbf{X}, \mathbf{Z} | \boldsymbol{\theta}, \nu, \mathbf{u}, r \eta\right) = \prod_{v=1}^{V} p\left(\mathbf{Y}^{v} | \mathbf{X}^{v}, \boldsymbol{\theta}^{v}\right) p\left(\mathbf{X}^{v} | \mathbf{Z}_{v}, \mathbf{S}_{v}, \nu, \mathbf{u}, r\right) p\left(\mathbf{Z}_{v} | \eta\right). \tag{9}$$

#### 1.3 Inference

We infer the posterior distribution of the latent coordinates  $\mathbf{X} = \{\mathbf{X}^v\}_v^V$  and cluster assignments  $\mathbf{Z}^v$  using Markov chain Monte Carlo (MCMC). In particular, we alternate collapsed Gibbs sampling of  $\mathbf{Z}$ , and hybrid Monte Carlo sampling of  $\mathbf{X}$ . Given  $\mathbf{X}$ , we can efficiently sample  $\mathbf{Z}^v$  using collapsed Gibbs sampling, integrating out the mixture parameters. Given  $\mathbf{Z}^v$ , we can calculate the gradient of the unnormalized posterior distribution of  $\mathbf{X}$ , integrating over warping functions. This gradient allows us to sample  $\mathbf{X}$  using hybrid Monte Carlo.

First, we explain collapsed Gibbs sampling for Z. Given a sample of X,  $p(\mathbf{Z}|\mathbf{X}, \mathbf{S}, v, \mathbf{u}, r, \eta)$  does not depend on Y. This lets resample cluster assignments, integrating out the iGMM likelihood in close form. Given the current state of all but one latent component zn, a new value for zn is sampled from the following probability:

$$p\left(\mathbf{z}_{nv} = c | \mathbf{X}, \mathbf{Z}_{\backslash nv}, \mathbf{S}, v, \mathbf{u}, r, \eta\right) \propto \begin{cases} N_{vc \backslash nv} \cdot p\left(\mathbf{x}_{nv} | \mathbf{X}_c, \mathbf{S}, v, \mathbf{u}, r\right) & \text{existing components} \\ \eta \cdot p\left(\mathbf{x}_{nv} | \mathbf{S}, v, \mathbf{u}, r\right) & \text{a new cluster} \end{cases}$$

where  $\mathbf{X}_c = \{\mathbf{x}_{nv} | \mathbf{z}_{nv} = c\}$  is the set of latent coordinates assigned to the  $c^{th}$  component, and nv represents the value or set when excluding the n-th observation in the v-th view. We can analytically calculate  $p\left(\mathbf{x}_{nv} | \mathbf{X}_c, \mathbf{S}, v, \mathbf{u}, r\right)$  as follows:

$$p\left(\mathbf{x}_{nv}|\mathbf{X}_{c},\mathbf{S},v,\mathbf{u},r\right) = \pi^{-\frac{N_{vc} \setminus n^{Q}}{2}} \frac{r^{Q/2}|\mathbf{S}|^{\nu/2}}{r_{c}^{Q/2}|\mathbf{S}_{c}|^{\nu_{c}/2}} \prod_{q=1}^{Q} \frac{\Gamma\left(\frac{\nu_{c}+1-q}{2}\right)}{\Gamma\left(\frac{\nu+1-q}{2}\right)}$$

### 2 Results

# 3 Clustering performance on real datasets

### 3.1 Comparison with linear approaches

First, we test the performance of our approaches (both NL-UCM and MV-WMM) regarding the adjusted Rand index (we report both average and standard deviation), to quantify the similarity between the

Table 1: Average Rand index for evaluating clustering performance.

			Database			
Approach	Wine	2-curve	3-semi	2-circle	Pinwheel	Vowel
$\overline{\text{MV-WMM}(Q=2)}$	$0.68 \pm 0.03$	$0.83 \pm 0.02$	$0.83 \pm 0.01$	$0.88 \pm 0.02$	$0.87 \pm 0.02$	$0.65 \pm 0.01$
MV-WMM(Q = D)	$0.85 \pm 0.02$	$0.83 \pm 0.02$	$0.83 \pm 0.01$	$0.88 \pm 0.02$	$0.87 \pm 0.02$	$0.73 \pm 0.02$

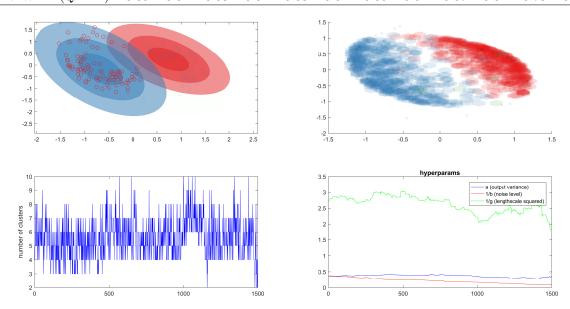


Figure 1: Experimental results for the Pinwheel dataset. Current mixture parameters, along with the latent positions (Top left). Original data and predicted assignments (Top right).

inferred clusters [1] and the true labels. For comparison, we use unsupervised clustering matching (UCM) [1], k-means (KM), and convex kernelized sorting (CKS) [?]. Table 2 shows that our approaches outperforms the state-of-the-art methods for unsupervised clustering for the three databases. The results also show that by mapping the observed data through random feature expansions, the model can handle real-world datasets with better performance than linear approaches as in the case of NL-UCM (i.e., 0.17 for the MNIST dataset against 0.085 obtained from the UCM method).

Table 2: Adjusted Rand index of the proposed method against the state-of-the-art methods for unsupervised clustering.

Approach									
Database	UCM	KM	KM-CKS	NL-UCM	MV-WMM				
Iris	$0.383 \pm 0.189$	$0.224 \pm 0.0910$	$0.254 \pm 0.154$	$0.546 \pm 0.080$	$0.498 \pm 0.001$				
Glass	$0.160 \pm 0.020$	$0.050 \pm 0.008$	$0.052 \pm 0.011$	$\boldsymbol{0.378 \pm 0.045}$	$\boldsymbol{0.384 \pm 0.003}$				
MNIST	$0.085 \pm 0.016$	$0.030 \pm 0.007$	$0.037 \pm 0.008$	$0.167 \pm 0.013$	$0.133 \pm 0.004$				

### 3.2 Non-rigid 3D shape datasets

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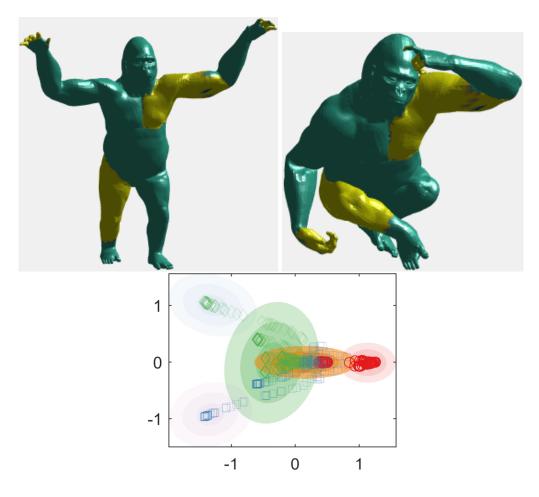


Figure 2: Experimental results for the TOSCA dataset. Current mixture parameters, along with the latent positions for two shapes exhibiting different poses. Average Rand Index 0.6487

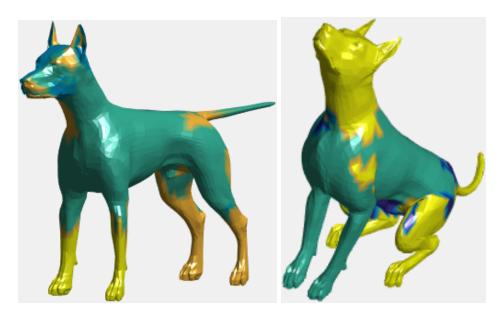


Figure 3: Experimental results for the TOSCA dataset. Current mixture parameters, along with the latent positions for two shapes exhibiting different poses. Average Rand Index 0.5894

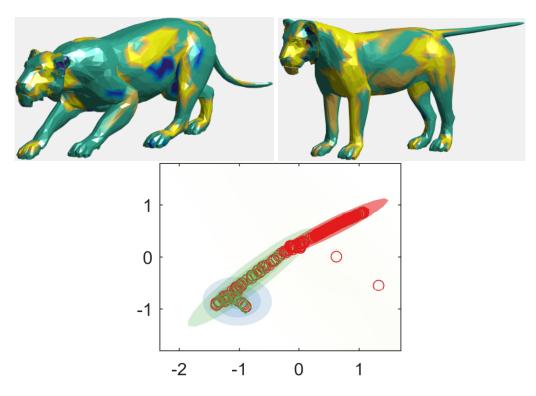


Figure 4: Experimental results for the TOSCA dataset. Current mixture parameters, along with the latent positions for two shapes exhibiting different poses. Average Rand Index 0.6317