An initial goal of this work is to provide robust estimates of the composition of each rock. This problem is made difficult by the presence of both missing values (laboratories did not measure any composition) and outliers (the measures reported are extreme).

Setting aside the problem of missing values for now, one may look at a subcomposition $\mathbf{x} \in \mathbb{S}^D$ of oxides of major elements.

One begin by importing a dataset, for example GeoPT48, a monzonite.

```
## - Attaching packages ----- tidyverse 1.3.1 -
## v qqplot2 3.3.5 v purrr 0.3.4
## v tibble 3.1.5
                    v dplyr 1.0.7
## v tidyr
          1.1.4
                    v stringr 1.4.0
## v readr 1.4.0 v forcats 0.5.1
## - Conflicts ----- tidyverse_conflicts() -
## x dplyr::filter() masks stats::filter()
## x dplyr::lag() masks stats::lag()
## Registered S3 methods overwritten by 'ggtern':
##
    method
                     from
    grid.draw.ggplot\ ggplot2
##
    plot.ggplot
                     ggplot2
##
##
    print.ggplot
                     ggplot2
## -
## Remember to cite, run citation(package = 'ggtern') for further info.
## -
##
## Attaching package: 'qqtern'
## The following objects are masked from 'package:ggplot2':
##
##
      aes, annotate, ggplot, ggplot_build, ggplot_gtable, ggplotGrob,
##
      ggsave, layer_data, theme_bw, theme_classic, theme_dark,
      theme_gray, theme_light, theme_linedraw, theme_minimal, theme_void
##
## Welcome to compositions, a package for compositional data analysis.
## Find an intro with "? compositions"
##
## Attaching package: 'compositions'
## The following objects are masked from 'package:stats':
##
##
      anova, cor, cov, dist, var
## The following objects are masked from 'package:base':
##
##
      %*%, norm, scale, scale.default
```

Then, one looks at the subcomposition of major elements:

Then missing values are imputed by the column geometric mean

```
geomean.v <- sapply(rbind(df.majors), geomean)
for (i in 1:ncol(df.majors)){
   df.majors[,i][is.na(df.majors[,i])] <- geomean.v[i]
}</pre>
```

One then transform the dataset using the CLR transformation which is a mapping $\mathbb{S}^D - > \mathbb{U}^D$:

$$\mathbf{z} = clr(\mathbf{x} = [log(x_1/g(x)), ..., log(x_D/g(x))]$$
(1)

Where \mathbb{U}^D is a subspace of \mathbb{R}^D defined as:

$$U^{D} = \left\{ [u_{1}, ..., u_{D}] : \sum_{i=1}^{D} = 0 \right\}$$

```
cr.df <- data.frame()
clr.df <- data.frame()
# cr.df, divide each entries in a column by the geometric mean of this column
cr.df <- sweep(df.majors,MARGIN = 2,FUN="/",STATS = geomean.v)
# clr.df is the natural logarithm of cr.df. Now this dataframe contains clr component
clr.df <- log(cr.df)</pre>
```

Then principal component analysis is conducted. Z denotes the mean-centered data matrix X:

$$z_{ij} = x_{ij} - \mu_j$$

Where μ_j denotes the arithmetic mean of the j-th column. Recall that here using the arithmetic mean is justified because X now lives in a subspace of \mathbb{R}^D which is no longer constrained by the unit sum.

Perform Singular Value Decomposition on clr.df:

$$Z = UDW^T = (UD)W^T = Z^*W^T$$
(2)

```
pca.clr <- prcomp(clr.df,scale = T,rank. = ncol(clr.df)-1 )</pre>
summary(pca.clr)
## Importance of first k=9 (out of 10) components:
                              PC1
                                     PC2
                                            PC3
                                                    PC4
                                                             PC5
                                                                     PC6
                                                                             PC7
## Standard deviation
                          2.5272 1.1288 1.0464 0.72257 0.59620 0.48113 0.23209
## Proportion of Variance 0.6387 0.1274 0.1095 0.05221 0.03555 0.02315 0.00539
## Cumulative Proportion 0.6387 0.7661 0.8756 0.92779 0.96334 0.98649 0.99187
##
                               PC8
                                       PC9
## Standard deviation
                          0.18604 0.17566
## Proportion of Variance 0.00346 0.00309
## Cumulative Proportion 0.99533 0.99842
```