

# An introduction to mixture modelling for unsupervised clustering

## Mini-tutorial

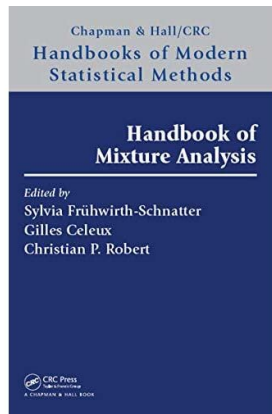
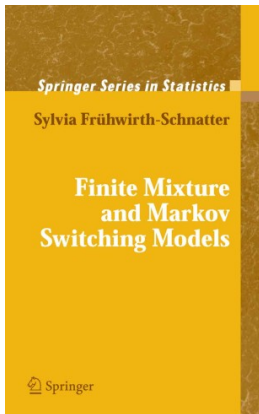
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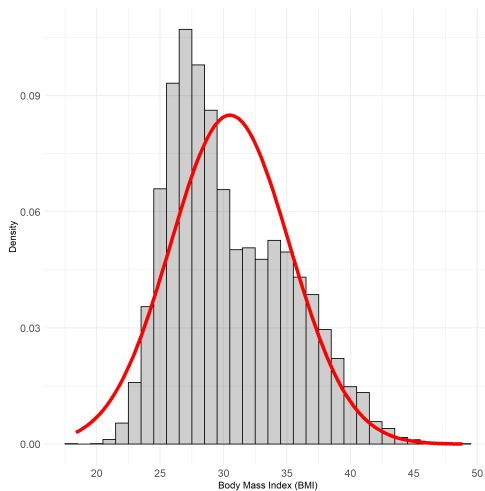
## Further reading



<https://github.com/nicolemwhite/anzsc-mixture-modelling>

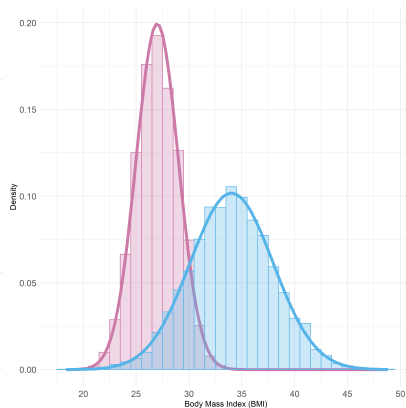
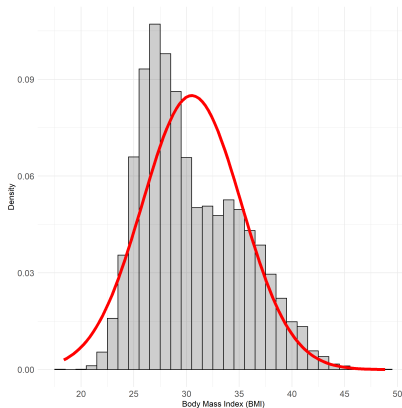
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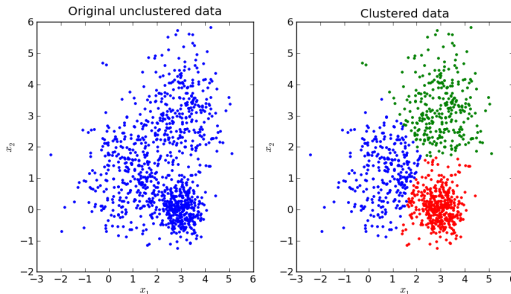
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# Defining clustering

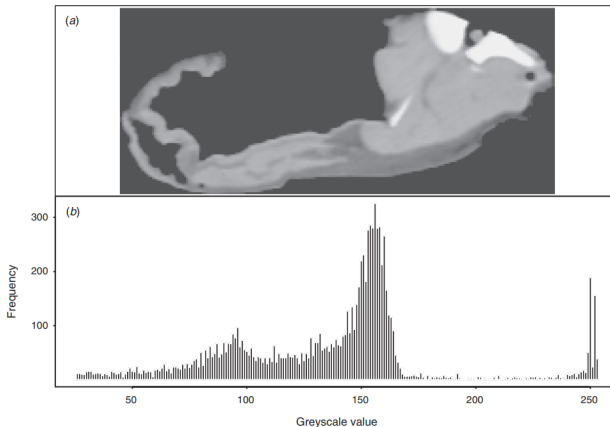
Unsupervised clustering  $\leftrightarrow$  Identifying subgroups



Common approaches:

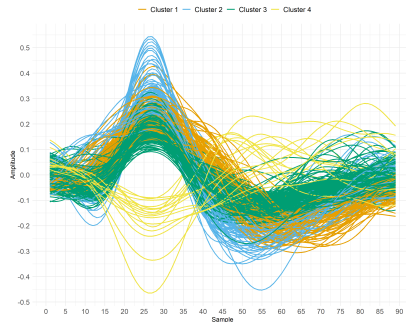
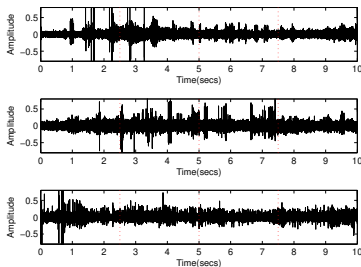
- Hierarchical clustering, K-means
- Mixture models

# Examples of clustering using mixture models: Image classification



Alston et al (2005) DOI: 10.1071/AR04211

# Examples of clustering using mixture models: Spike sorting



# Mixture model ingredients

Data are drawn from a *convex combination of components*



$$p(y) = \eta_1 f(y|\theta_1) + \dots + \eta_K f(y|\theta_K)$$

$$= \sum_{k=1}^K \eta_k f(y|\theta_k)$$

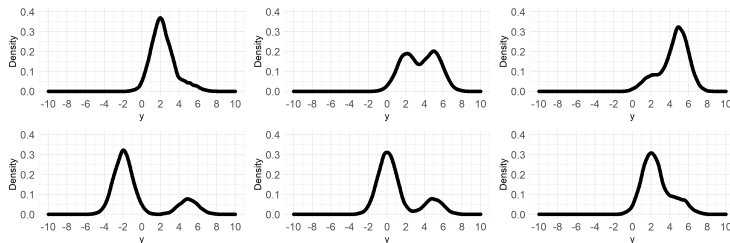
Unknown parameters:  $\nu = (\eta, \theta)$

- $\eta = (\eta_1, \dots, \eta_K)$ : Mixture weights;  $\sum_{k=1}^K \eta_k = 1$
- $f(y|\theta_k)$ :  $k^{th}$  Mixture component; same parametric family



# A simple 2-component mixture model

$$y_i \sim \eta_1 \mathcal{N}(\mu_1, 1) + \eta_2 \mathcal{N}(\mu_2, 1)$$



`two_component_normal.R`

# Mixture model examples

General formulation:

$$p(y_i) = \sum_{k=1}^K \eta_k f(y_i | \theta_k)$$

Latent class analysis ( $J$  items)

$$f(y_i | \theta_k) = \prod_{j=1}^J f(y_{ij} | \theta_{jk})$$

Latent class regression:  $\eta_k \rightarrow \eta_k(x_i)$

$$\eta_k(x_i) = \frac{\exp(x_i^T \beta_k)}{\sum_{l=1}^K \exp(x_i^T \beta_l)}$$

# Mixture model examples

Focus of mini-tutorial: cross-sectional data

- Finite mixture model
- Dirichlet Process mixture model
- Profile regression

Bayesian approaches to inference: Markov chain Monte Carlo (MCMC)

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# Finite mixture model: Setup

Assume:

- $K$  is fixed *a priori*
- Each observation has a probability of belonging to components  $1, \dots, K$

Likelihood for  $\mathbf{y} = (y_1, \dots, y_n)$

$$p(\mathbf{y}) = \prod_{i=1}^n \sum_{k=1}^K \eta_k f(y_i | \theta_k)$$

Aim is to learn  $\boldsymbol{\nu} = (\boldsymbol{\eta}_{1,\dots,K}, \boldsymbol{\theta}_{1,\dots,K})$

$$p(\mathbf{y}|\boldsymbol{\nu}) = \prod_{i=1}^n \sum_{k=1}^K \eta_k f(y_i|\boldsymbol{\theta}_k)$$

$$\begin{aligned} (\eta_1, \dots, \eta_K) &\sim \mathcal{D}(\gamma_1, \dots, \gamma_K) \\ \theta_k &\sim p(\theta_k | \delta) \end{aligned}$$

# Finite Mixture Model: Setup

Example: Finite mixture of Normal distributions

$$p(\mathbf{y}|\boldsymbol{\nu}) = \prod_{i=1}^n \sum_{k=1}^K \eta_k \mathcal{N}(y_i | \mu_k, \sigma_k^2)$$

$$\mu_k = \mathcal{N}\left(\mu_0, \frac{\sigma_k^2}{N_0}\right)$$

$$\sigma_k^2 = \mathcal{IG}(c_0, C_0)$$

How to estimate when membership of  $y_i$  to components  $1, \dots, K$  is not known?

# Finite Mixture Model: Estimation

Enter data augmentation! (Tanner and Wong, 1987; *JASA*)

The idea:

- Introduce  $z_i$  = cluster membership for  $y_i$  and treat as missing data

$$p(y_i|\boldsymbol{\nu}) = \sum_{k=1}^K p(y_i|z_i = k, \boldsymbol{\nu}) Pr(z_i = k|\boldsymbol{\nu})$$

$$Pr(z_i = k|\boldsymbol{\nu}) = \eta_k$$

$$p(y_i|z_i = k, \boldsymbol{\nu}) = f(y_i|\theta_k)$$

- Inference on  $z_i$  provides information on clustering



## Inference based on the complete-data likelihood



$$\begin{aligned} p(y, z | \nu) &= \prod_{k=1}^K \prod_{i: z_i = k} \eta_k p(y_i | \theta_k) \\ &= \prod_{k=1}^K \eta_k^{\sum_{i=1}^n \mathbb{I}(z_i = k)} \prod_{i: z_i = k} p(y_i | \theta_k) \end{aligned}$$

# Finite Mixture Model: Estimation by MCMC

- 1 Sample  $\mathbf{z}$  (Bayes' rule)

$$Pr(z_i = k | y_i, \boldsymbol{\nu}) = \frac{\eta_k f(y_i | \boldsymbol{\theta}_k)}{\sum_{j=1}^K \eta_j f(y_i | \boldsymbol{\theta}_j)}$$

$$z_i \sim MN(1, Pr(z_i = 1 | y_i, \boldsymbol{\nu}), \dots, Pr(z_i = K | y_i, \boldsymbol{\nu}))$$

- 2 Conditional on  $\mathbf{z}$ : Update  $\eta_1, \dots, \eta_K$

$$\eta_1, \dots, \eta_K \sim \mathcal{D}(\delta_1 + \sum_{i=1}^n \mathbb{I}(z_i = 1), \dots, \delta_K + \sum_{i=1}^n \mathbb{I}(z_i = K))$$

- 3 Conditional on  $\mathbf{z}$ : Update  $\theta_1, \dots, \theta_K$

$$\theta_k \sim p(\boldsymbol{\theta}_k | \delta) \prod_{i: z_i = k} f(y_i | \boldsymbol{\theta}_k)$$

# Finite Mixture Model: Estimation by MCMC

Available approaches in R:

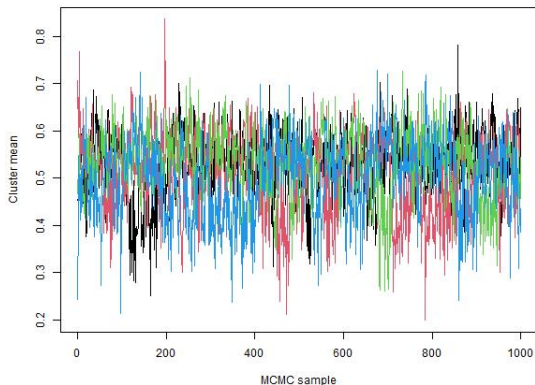
- R2openBUGS (see `fmm_BUGS.R`)
- `bayesmix`
- Maximum likelihood:  
`mixtools`, `mclust`

Or code from scratch:

- `fmm_mvn.R`
- `fmm_multinomial.R`
- `fmm_pois.R`



# Example MCMC output



# Label switching

Issue arises as likelihood is invariant to permutations of  $k$  e.g.  
 $K = 3$

$$\begin{aligned} p(y_i|\nu) &= \eta_1 p(y_i|\theta_1) + \eta_2 p(y_i|\theta_2) + \eta_3 p(y_i|\theta_3) \\ &= \eta_3 p(y_i|\theta_3) + \eta_2 p(y_i|\theta_2) + \eta_1 p(y_i|\theta_1) \\ &= \eta_2 p(y_i|\theta_2) + \eta_3 p(y_i|\theta_3) + \eta_1 p(y_i|\theta_1) \end{aligned}$$

When sampling  $z_i$ , components can be relabelled  $\rightarrow$  affects posterior inference

Exploring posterior space  $\leftrightarrow$  Posterior inference on components

# Label switching: Possible solutions

Prior constraints (not a good idea):

$$\eta_1 < \eta_2 < \dots < \eta_K$$

Relabelling algorithms:

- Loss functions: minimise over all MCMC samples of  $z$  (Stephens, 2000)
- MAP estimate  $\hat{z}$  as 'pivot' (Marin et. al, 2005)

# Label switching: Possible solutions

Similarity matrix,  $\mathbf{S}$ :

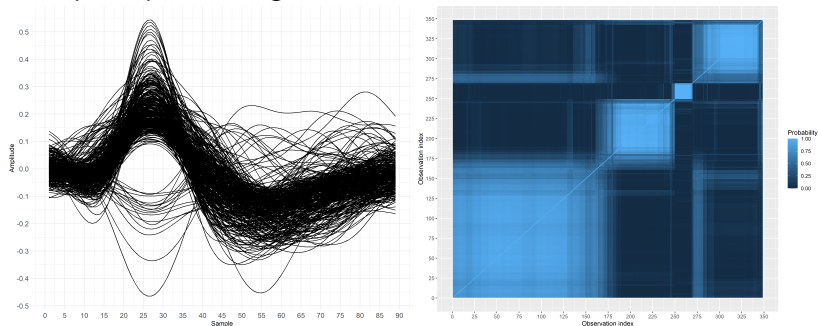
$$S_{ii'}^{(d)} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } z_i^{(d)} = z_{i'}^{(d)} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

$$\bar{S} = \frac{1}{D} \sum_{d=1}^D S^{(d)}$$

Loss functions to obtain likely classification  $z$ : e.g Least squares (Dahl, 2006)

# Label switching

Example: Spike sorting,  $K = 4$  clusters



R packages: `mcclust`; `clustering_inference.R`



# Choosing $K$

Common information criteria:

- Akaike's Information Criterion (AIC)

$$AIC_K = -\log p(y|\boldsymbol{\eta}^*, \boldsymbol{\theta}^*) + 2p_k$$

- Bayesian Information Criterion (BIC)

$$BIC_K = -\log p(y|\boldsymbol{\eta}^*, \boldsymbol{\theta}^*) + p_k \log n$$

- Deviance Information Criterion (DIC)

$$DIC_K = -4E_{\boldsymbol{\eta}, \boldsymbol{\theta}|y} [\log p(y|\boldsymbol{\eta}, \boldsymbol{\theta})] + 2 \log f(y)$$

$$f(y) = \prod_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{D} \sum_{d=1}^D \sum_{k=1}^K \eta_k^{(d)} f(y_i | \theta_k^{(d)})$$

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# Dirichlet Process mixture model: Motivation

General formulation:

$$p(y_i|\boldsymbol{\nu}) = \sum_{k=1}^K \eta_k f(y_i|\boldsymbol{\theta}_k)$$

In a finite mixture - assume  $K$  as fixed  $\rightarrow$  model comparison problem

Alternative: Infer  $K$  as part of modelling

$$p(y_i|\boldsymbol{\nu}) = \sum_{k \geq 1} \eta_k f(y_i|\boldsymbol{\theta}_k)$$

# Dirichlet Process mixture model: Setup

- Nonparametric approach to mixture modelling
- Does not estimate  $K$  directly; focus on clustering of individual parameters,  $\theta_i$

Dirichlet process (DP) prior:

$$G \sim DP(\alpha, G_0)$$

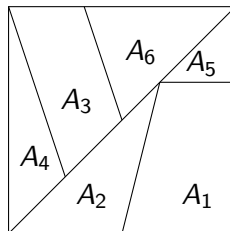
$$G_0 = E(G); \quad \text{Base distribution}$$

$$\alpha > 0; \quad \text{Concentration parameter}$$

# Dirichlet Process mixture model: Setup

Each draw from a DP is itself a distribution:

$$G(A_1), \dots, G(A_k) | \alpha, G_0 \sim D(\alpha G_0(A_1), \dots, \alpha G_0(A_k))$$



“Discreteness property”: multiple draws from  $DP(\alpha, G_0)$  can take the same value; induces clustering behaviour

# Dirichlet Process mixture model: Setup

DP as prior within mixture setting:

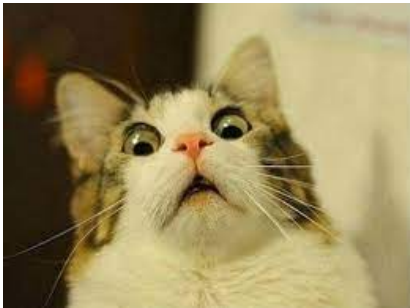
$$y_i | \theta_i \sim p(y_i | \theta_i)$$

$$\theta_i | G \sim G$$

$$G \sim DP(\alpha, G_0)$$

- $G$  is the mixing distribution
- $G_0$  prior distribution on unknown components
- $\alpha$  controls variation around  $G_0$

# Dirichlet Process mixture model: Estimation



How to sample from  $DP(\alpha, G_0)$ ?!  
What happened to  $\eta_k$ ?!

- Stick breaking representation
- Pòlya Urn scheme/Chinese restaurant process

# Stick breaking representation

$G$  replaced by an infinite sum of weighted point masses:

$$G \sim DP(\alpha, G_0)$$

$$G = \sum_{k=1}^{\infty} \eta_k \delta_{\theta_k}$$

$$\theta_k \sim G_0.$$

$\eta_k; k = 1, \dots$  are the “stick breaking weights”.

Weights are drawn sequentially:

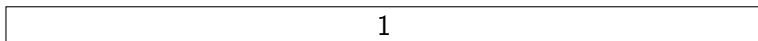
$$w_k | \alpha \sim \text{Beta}(1, \alpha)$$

$$\eta_1 = w_1$$

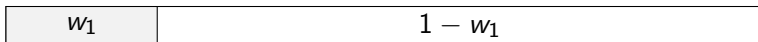
$$\eta_k = w_k \prod_{l=1}^{k-1} (1 - w_l).$$



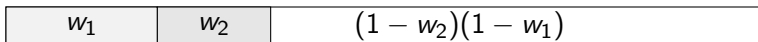
# Stick breaking process



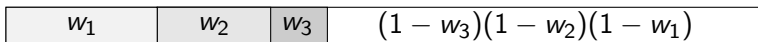
- Draw  $w_1 \sim \text{Beta}(1, \alpha)$  and set  $\eta_1 = w_1$



- Draw  $w_2 \sim \text{Beta}(1, \alpha)$  and compute  $\eta_2 = w_2(1 - w_1)$



- Draw  $w_3 \sim \text{Beta}(1, \alpha)$  and compute  $\eta_3 = w_3(1 - w_1)(1 - w_2)$

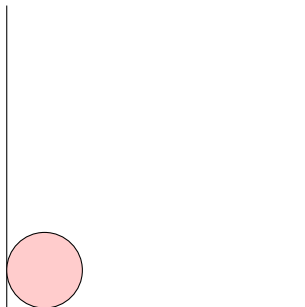


As  $K \rightarrow \infty$

$$p(y_i | \nu) = \sum_{k=1}^K \eta_k p(y_i | \theta_k)$$

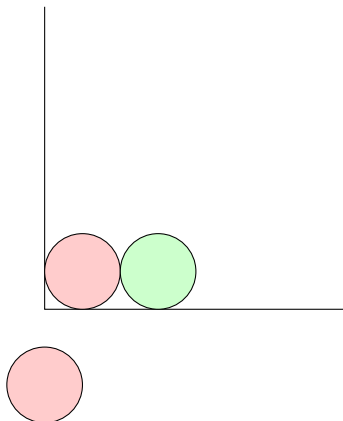
# The Pòlya Urn scheme

Good analogy for implied clustering behaviour  
Begin with  $\alpha$  red balls in an urn:



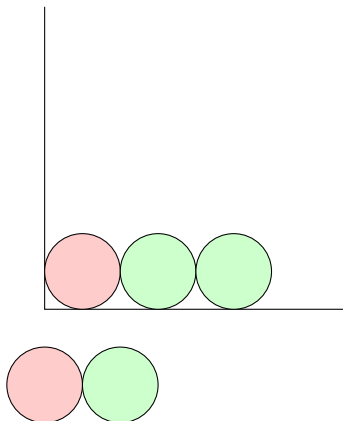
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If a red ball is drawn, record colour and replace with a ball of a new colour:

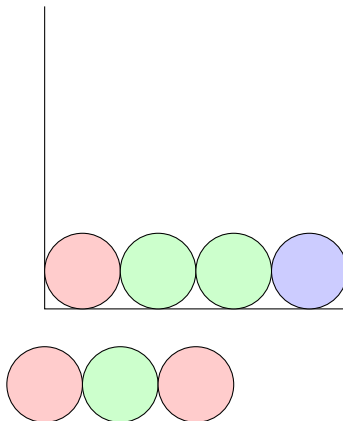


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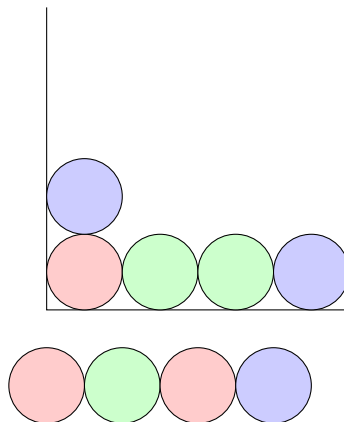
If a non-red ball is drawn, record colour and replace with a ball of the same colour:



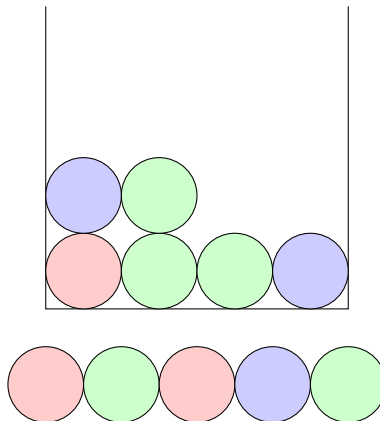
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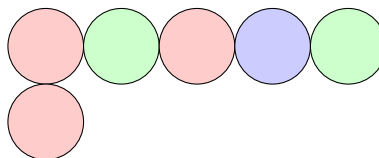
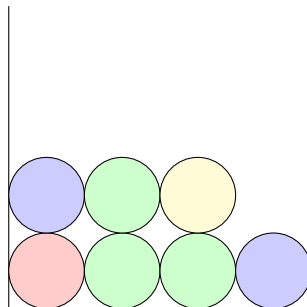
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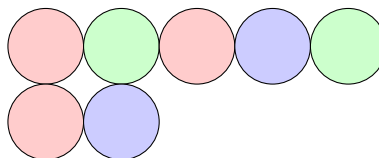
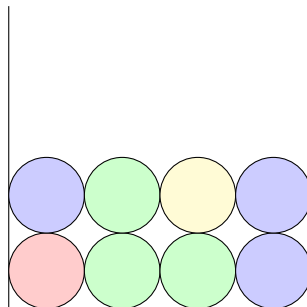


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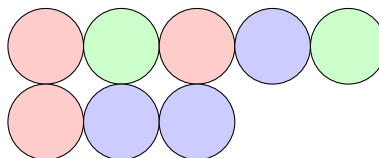
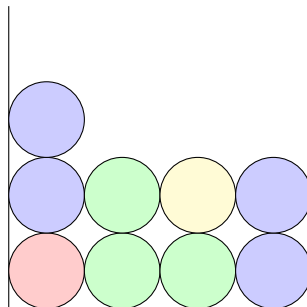




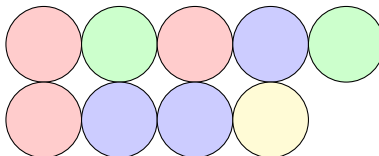
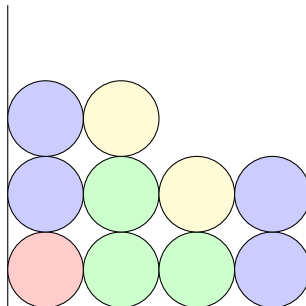
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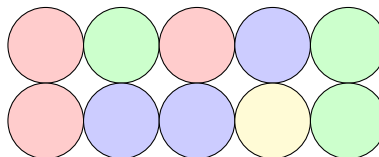
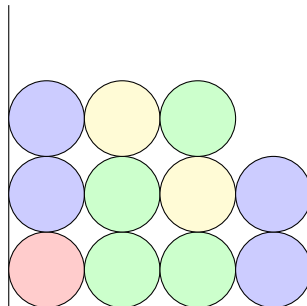
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The more often a colour is drawn, the more likely it is to appear - induced clustering effect.

$G$  is integrated out of the DP (Blackwell and MacQueen, 1973)

$$p(y_i|\theta_i) \sim p(y_i)$$

$$\theta_1 \sim G_0$$

$$\theta_i|\theta_{i-1}, \dots, \theta_1, \alpha, G_0 = \sum_{j=1}^{i-1} \frac{\delta_{\theta_j}}{\alpha + i - 1} + \frac{\alpha G_0}{\alpha + i - 1}$$

# The Pòlya Urn scheme

In terms of unobserved cluster memberships,  $z_1, z_2$ , etc

$$z_i = k | z_1, \dots, z_{i-1}, \alpha = \begin{cases} \frac{N_k}{i-1+\alpha} & 1 \leq k \leq K \\ \frac{\alpha}{i-1+\alpha} & k = K + 1. \end{cases}$$

For each observation:

- Chance of being assigned to a cluster  $\propto$  number of observations already assigned ( $N_k$ )
- Always a chance of a new cluster being generated ( $\alpha$ )

# Dirichlet Process Mixture model: Role of $\alpha$

$\alpha$  controls the level of variation about  $G_0$

$$G \sim DP(\alpha, G_0)$$

- as  $\alpha \rightarrow 0$ , no clustering
- as  $\alpha \rightarrow \infty$ , singleton clusters

Assume  $\alpha$  unknown and assign Gamma prior (Escobar and West, 1995)

$$\alpha \sim G(a, b)$$

# Dirichlet Process Mixture model: Estimation

## Stick breaking representation

- Blocked Gibbs sampler (Ishwaran and James, 2002)

$$p(y|\nu) = \prod_{i=1}^n \sum_{k=1}^L \eta_k p(y_i|\theta_k); \quad L \gg E(K)$$

- Slice sampler (Walker, 2007); “adaptive truncation”

$$u_i \sim \mathcal{U}(0, \eta_{z_i})$$

$$\sum_{k \geq 1} \eta_k > 1 - \min \{u_1, \dots, u_n\}$$

- see `spike_sorting_DPM.R`



# Dirichlet Process Mixture model: Estimation

The Pölya Urn scheme: collapsed Gibbs sampler

Each  $z_i$  is updated sequentially given current values for remaining observations,  $z^{(-i)}$

$$p(z_i = k | z^{-i}, y, \xi) = \begin{cases} \frac{N_k^{-i}}{n-1+\alpha} p(y_i | y^{-i}, z^{-i} = k, \xi) & 1 \leq k \leq K, \\ \frac{\alpha}{n-1+\alpha} p(y_i | \xi) & k = K+1. \end{cases}$$

$$p(y_i | y^{-i}, z^{-i} = k, \xi) = \int p(y_i | \theta, z_i = k) p(\theta | y^{-i}, z^{-i} = k, \xi) d\theta$$

see R package `dirichletprocess`

# Dirichlet Process Mixture model: An example

Subgroup identification in Parkinson's disease based on symptom severity (White et al, 2012)

- Data collected using Unified Parkinson's Disease Rating Scale (UPDRS)
- Symptom scores: Activities of daily living (ADL), Tremor, Rigidity and Akinesia
- Responses coded as Low/Moderate/High Progression based on UPDRS score

# Model specification

- For  $J$  symptoms,  $y_i = (y_{i1}, \dots, y_{iJ})$  is Multinomial with  $R = 3$  levels

$$p(y_i | \theta_k) \sim \prod_{j=1}^J \text{Mult}(y_{ij}; \theta_{jk})$$

$$\theta_{jk} = (\theta_{jk1}, \dots, \theta_{jkR})$$

- Base distribution,  $G_0$

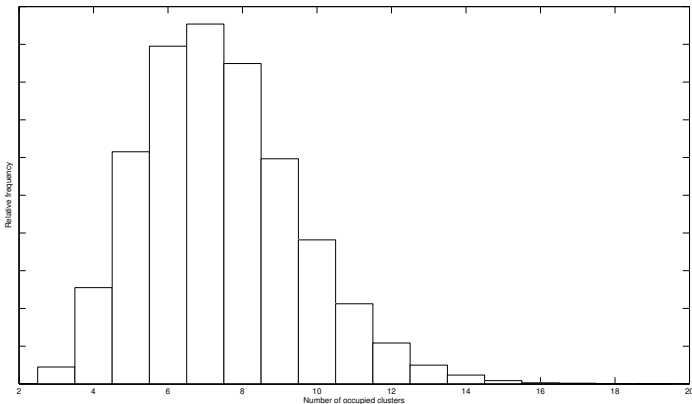
$$G_0 = p(\theta_1, \dots, \theta_J)$$

$$= \prod_{j=1}^J D\left(\frac{1}{R}, \dots, \frac{1}{R}\right)$$

- Assume stick breaking representation with  $\alpha \sim G(2, 2)$

# Results - Clustering inference

Blocked Gibbs sampler: 100,000 iterations (50,000 burnin), and  $L = 50$



# Parameter inference

ADL	Cluster						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7*
Low	0.09(0.04)	0.16(0.05)	0.85(0.06)	0.46(0.10)	0.62(0.17)	0.11(0.16)	0.17(0.21)
Moderate	0.20(0.06)	0.60(0.07)	0.11(0.05)	0.31(0.09)	0.19(0.14)	0.78(0.21)	0.66(0.27)
High	0.71(0.06)	0.24(0.06)	0.04(0.03)	0.23(0.07)	0.19(0.14)	0.11(0.18)	0.17(0.21)
Tremor	Cluster						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7*
Low	0.10(0.04)	0.43(0.07)	0.69(0.08)	0.01(0.02)	0.05(0.07)	0.11(0.18)	0.17(0.21)
Moderate	0.26(0.06)	0.24(0.06)	0.30(0.08)	0.88(0.06)	0.62(0.17)	0.11(0.16)	0.66(0.27)
High	0.64(0.07)	0.33(0.07)	0.01(0.02)	0.11(0.06)	0.33(0.17)	0.78(0.21)	0.17(0.21)
Rigidity	Cluster						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7*
Low	0.01(0.01)	0.52(0.07)	0.59(0.09)	0.06(0.05)	0.90(0.10)	0.44(0.25)	0.66(0.27)
Moderate	0.13(0.05)	0.30(0.06)	0.33(0.08)	0.93(0.05)	0.05(0.07)	0.12(0.16)	0.17(0.21)
High	0.86(0.05)	0.18(0.05)	0.08(0.05)	0.01(0.02)	0.05(0.07)	0.44(0.25)	0.17(0.21)
Akinesia	Cluster						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7*
Low	0.07(0.04)	0.01(0.01)	0.95(0.04)	0.49(0.10)	0.90(0.10)	0.78(0.21)	0.17(0.21)
Moderate	0.05(0.03)	0.88(0.05)	0.04(0.03)	0.23(0.08)	0.05(0.07)	0.11(0.16)	0.17(0.21)
High	0.88(0.05)	0.11(0.04)	0.01(0.02)	0.28(0.09)	0.05(0.07)	0.11(0.16)	0.66(0.27)
$\eta$	Cluster						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7*
	0.30(0.04)	0.30(0.04)	0.19(0.03)	0.15(0.03)	0.04(0.01)	0.01(0.01)	0.01(0.01)

# Cluster 1 - High severity

ADL	Cluster						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7*
Low	0.09(0.04)	0.16(0.05)	0.85(0.06)	0.46(0.10)	0.62(0.17)	0.11(0.16)	0.17(0.21)
Moderate	0.20(0.06)	0.60(0.07)	0.11(0.05)	0.31(0.09)	0.19(0.14)	0.78(0.21)	0.66(0.27)
High	<b>0.71(0.06)</b>	0.24(0.06)	0.04(0.03)	0.23(0.07)	0.19(0.14)	0.11(0.18)	0.17(0.21)
Tremor	Cluster						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7*
Low	0.10(0.04)	0.43(0.07)	0.69(0.08)	0.01(0.02)	0.05(0.07)	0.11(0.18)	0.17(0.21)
Moderate	0.26(0.06)	0.24(0.06)	0.30(0.08)	0.88(0.06)	0.62(0.17)	0.11(0.16)	0.66(0.27)
High	<b>0.64(0.07)</b>	0.33(0.07)	0.01(0.02)	0.11(0.06)	0.33(0.17)	0.78(0.21)	0.17(0.21)
Rigidity	Cluster						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7*
Low	0.01(0.01)	0.52(0.07)	0.59(0.09)	0.06(0.05)	0.90(0.10)	0.44(0.25)	0.66(0.27)
Moderate	0.13(0.05)	0.30(0.06)	0.33(0.08)	0.93(0.05)	0.05(0.07)	0.12(0.16)	0.17(0.21)
High	<b>0.86(0.05)</b>	0.18(0.05)	0.08(0.05)	0.01(0.02)	0.05(0.07)	0.44(0.25)	0.17(0.21)
Akinesia	Cluster						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7*
Low	0.07(0.04)	0.01(0.01)	0.95(0.04)	0.49(0.10)	0.90(0.10)	0.78(0.21)	0.17(0.21)
Moderate	0.05(0.03)	0.88(0.05)	0.04(0.03)	0.23(0.08)	0.05(0.07)	0.11(0.16)	0.17(0.21)
High	<b>0.88(0.05)</b>	0.11(0.04)	0.01(0.02)	0.28(0.09)	0.05(0.07)	0.11(0.16)	0.66(0.27)
$\eta$	<b>0.30(0.04)</b>	0.30(0.04)	0.19(0.03)	0.15(0.03)	0.04(0.01)	0.01(0.01)	0.01(0.01)

# Cluster 2 - ADL/Akinesia

ADL	Cluster						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7*
Low	0.09(0.04)	0.16(0.05)	0.85(0.06)	0.46(0.10)	0.62(0.17)	0.11(0.16)	0.17(0.21)
Moderate	0.20(0.06)	<b>0.60(0.07)</b>	0.11(0.05)	0.31(0.09)	0.19(0.14)	0.78(0.21)	0.66(0.27)
High	0.71(0.06)	0.24(0.06)	0.04(0.03)	0.23(0.07)	0.19(0.14)	0.11(0.18)	0.17(0.21)
Tremor	Cluster						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7*
Low	0.10(0.04)	<b>0.43(0.07)</b>	0.69(0.08)	0.01(0.02)	0.05(0.07)	0.11(0.18)	0.17(0.21)
Moderate	0.26(0.06)	0.24(0.06)	0.30(0.08)	0.88(0.06)	0.62(0.17)	0.11(0.16)	0.66(0.27)
High	0.64(0.07)	0.33(0.07)	0.01(0.02)	0.11(0.06)	0.33(0.17)	0.78(0.21)	0.17(0.21)
Rigidity	Cluster						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7*
Low	0.01(0.01)	<b>0.52(0.07)</b>	0.59(0.09)	0.06(0.05)	0.90(0.10)	0.44(0.25)	0.66(0.27)
Moderate	0.13(0.05)	0.30(0.06)	0.33(0.08)	0.93(0.05)	0.05(0.07)	0.12(0.16)	0.17(0.21)
High	0.86(0.05)	0.18(0.05)	0.08(0.05)	0.01(0.02)	0.05(0.07)	0.44(0.25)	0.17(0.21)
Akinesia	Cluster						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7*
Low	0.07(0.04)	0.01(0.01)	0.95(0.04)	0.49(0.10)	0.90(0.10)	0.78(0.21)	0.17(0.21)
Moderate	0.05(0.03)	<b>0.88(0.05)</b>	0.04(0.03)	0.23(0.08)	0.05(0.07)	0.11(0.16)	0.17(0.21)
High	0.88(0.05)	0.11(0.04)	0.01(0.02)	0.28(0.09)	0.05(0.07)	0.11(0.16)	0.66(0.27)
$\eta$	0.30(0.04)	<b>0.30(0.04)</b>	0.19(0.03)	0.15(0.03)	0.04(0.01)	0.01(0.01)	0.01(0.01)

# Cluster 3 - Low severity

ADL	Cluster						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7*
Low	0.09(0.04)	0.16(0.05)	<b>0.85(0.06)</b>	0.46(0.10)	0.62(0.17)	0.11(0.16)	0.17(0.21)
Moderate	0.20(0.06)	0.60(0.07)	0.11(0.05)	0.31(0.09)	0.19(0.14)	0.78(0.21)	0.66(0.27)
High	0.71(0.06)	0.24(0.06)	0.04(0.03)	0.23(0.07)	0.19(0.14)	0.11(0.18)	0.17(0.21)
Tremor	Cluster						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7*
Low	0.10(0.04)	0.43(0.07)	<b>0.69(0.08)</b>	0.01(0.02)	0.05(0.07)	0.11(0.18)	0.17(0.21)
Moderate	0.26(0.06)	0.24(0.06)	0.30(0.08)	0.88(0.06)	0.62(0.17)	0.11(0.16)	0.66(0.27)
High	0.64(0.07)	0.33(0.07)	0.01(0.02)	0.11(0.06)	0.33(0.17)	0.78(0.21)	0.17(0.21)
Rigidity	Cluster						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7*
Low	0.01(0.01)	0.52(0.07)	<b>0.59(0.09)</b>	0.06(0.05)	0.90(0.10)	0.44(0.25)	0.66(0.27)
Moderate	0.13(0.05)	0.30(0.06)	0.33(0.08)	0.93(0.05)	0.05(0.07)	0.12(0.16)	0.17(0.21)
High	0.86(0.05)	0.18(0.05)	0.08(0.05)	0.01(0.02)	0.05(0.07)	0.44(0.25)	0.17(0.21)
Akinesia	Cluster						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7*
Low	0.07(0.04)	0.01(0.01)	<b>0.95(0.04)</b>	0.49(0.10)	0.90(0.10)	0.78(0.21)	0.17(0.21)
Moderate	0.05(0.03)	0.88(0.05)	0.04(0.03)	0.23(0.08)	0.05(0.07)	0.11(0.16)	0.17(0.21)
High	0.88(0.05)	0.11(0.04)	0.01(0.02)	0.28(0.09)	0.05(0.07)	0.11(0.16)	0.66(0.27)
$\eta$	0.30(0.04)	0.30(0.04)	<b>0.19(0.03)</b>	0.15(0.03)	0.04(0.01)	0.01(0.01)	0.01(0.01)



# Cluster 4 - Tremor/Rigidity

ADL	Cluster						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7*
Low	0.09(0.04)	0.16(0.05)	0.85(0.06)	<b>0.46(0.10)</b>	0.62(0.17)	0.11(0.16)	0.17(0.21)
Moderate	0.20(0.06)	0.60(0.07)	0.11(0.05)	0.31(0.09)	0.19(0.14)	0.78(0.21)	0.66(0.27)
High	0.71(0.06)	0.24(0.06)	0.04(0.03)	0.23(0.07)	0.19(0.14)	0.11(0.18)	0.17(0.21)
Tremor	Cluster						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7*
Low	0.10(0.04)	0.43(0.07)	0.69(0.08)	0.01(0.02)	0.05(0.07)	0.11(0.18)	0.17(0.21)
Moderate	0.26(0.06)	0.24(0.06)	0.30(0.08)	<b>0.88(0.06)</b>	0.62(0.17)	0.11(0.16)	0.66(0.27)
High	0.64(0.07)	0.33(0.07)	0.01(0.02)	0.11(0.06)	0.33(0.17)	0.78(0.21)	0.17(0.21)
Rigidity	Cluster						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7*
Low	0.01(0.01)	0.52(0.07)	0.59(0.09)	0.06(0.05)	0.90(0.10)	0.44(0.25)	0.66(0.27)
Moderate	0.13(0.05)	0.30(0.06)	0.33(0.08)	<b>0.93(0.05)</b>	0.05(0.07)	0.12(0.16)	0.17(0.21)
High	0.86(0.05)	0.18(0.05)	0.08(0.05)	0.01(0.02)	0.05(0.07)	0.44(0.25)	0.17(0.21)
Akinesia	Cluster						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7*
Low	0.07(0.04)	0.01(0.01)	0.95(0.04)	<b>0.49(0.10)</b>	0.90(0.10)	0.78(0.21)	0.17(0.21)
Moderate	0.05(0.03)	0.88(0.05)	0.04(0.03)	0.23(0.08)	0.05(0.07)	0.11(0.16)	0.17(0.21)
High	0.88(0.05)	0.11(0.04)	0.01(0.02)	0.28(0.09)	0.05(0.07)	0.11(0.16)	0.66(0.27)
$\eta$	0.30(0.04)	0.30(0.04)	0.19(0.03)	<b>0.15(0.03)</b>	0.04(0.01)	0.01(0.01)	0.01(0.01)

# Cluster 5 to 7 - small weights

ADL	Cluster						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7*
Low	0.09(0.04)	0.16(0.05)	0.85(0.06)	0.46(0.10)	0.62(0.17)	0.11(0.16)	0.17(0.21)
Moderate	0.20(0.06)	0.60(0.07)	0.11(0.05)	0.31(0.09)	0.19(0.14)	0.78(0.21)	0.66(0.27)
High	0.71(0.06)	0.24(0.06)	0.04(0.03)	0.23(0.07)	0.19(0.14)	0.11(0.18)	0.17(0.21)
Tremor	Cluster						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7*
Low	0.10(0.04)	0.43(0.07)	0.69(0.08)	0.01(0.02)	0.05(0.07)	0.11(0.18)	0.17(0.21)
Moderate	0.26(0.06)	0.24(0.06)	0.30(0.08)	0.88(0.06)	0.62(0.17)	0.11(0.16)	0.66(0.27)
High	0.64(0.07)	0.33(0.07)	0.01(0.02)	0.11(0.06)	0.33(0.17)	0.78(0.21)	0.17(0.21)
Rigidity	Cluster						
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7*
Low	0.01(0.01)	0.52(0.07)	0.59(0.09)	0.06(0.05)	0.90(0.10)	0.44(0.25)	0.66(0.27)
Moderate	0.13(0.05)	0.30(0.06)	0.33(0.08)	0.93(0.05)	0.05(0.07)	0.12(0.16)	0.17(0.21)
High	0.86(0.05)	0.18(0.05)	0.08(0.05)	0.01(0.02)	0.05(0.07)	0.44(0.25)	0.17(0.21)
Akinesia	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
Low	0.07(0.04)	0.01(0.01)	0.95(0.04)	0.49(0.10)	0.90(0.10)	0.78(0.21)	0.17(0.21)
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High	0.88(0.05)	0.11(0.04)	0.01(0.02)	0.28(0.09)	0.05(0.07)	0.11(0.16)	0.66(0.27)
$\eta$	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	0.30(0.04)	0.30(0.04)	0.19(0.03)	0.15(0.03)	<b>0.04(0.01)</b>	<b>0.01(0.01)</b>	<b>0.01(0.01)</b>

# Comparison with finite mixture modelling

- DIC provided support for a  $K = 4$

K	3	4	5
DIC	1248.7	1241.1	1247.9

- Identified subgroups had same characteristics as DPM Clusters 1-4
- DPM versus FMM: 1 model versus comparison of many models

- 1 Finite mixture models
- 2 Dirichlet Process Mixture models
- 3 Profile regression**

# Profile regression: Motivation

- Extends Dirichlet Processes to account for joint clustering in outcomes and covariates
- Developed as a solution for dealing with multi-collinearity within standard regression framework

# Profile regression: Setup

Assignment submodel:

$$p(x_i|\xi) = \sum_{k \geq 1} \eta_k \prod_{j=1}^J p(x_{ij}|\phi_k)$$

Outcome submodel:

$$p(y_i|\theta, z_i = k) = f(y_i|\theta_k)$$

# Profile regression: An example

Assessing falls in early stage Parkinson's disease (Sarini, 2018)

Assignment submodel: Disease severity profile

$$p(x_i | z_i = k) = \prod_{j=1}^J \mathcal{N}(x_{ij} | \mu_k, \sigma_k^2)$$

Outcome submodel: Poisson distribution

$$p(y_i | z_i = k) = Po(\theta_k)$$

# Profile regression: The PReMiuM package

https:

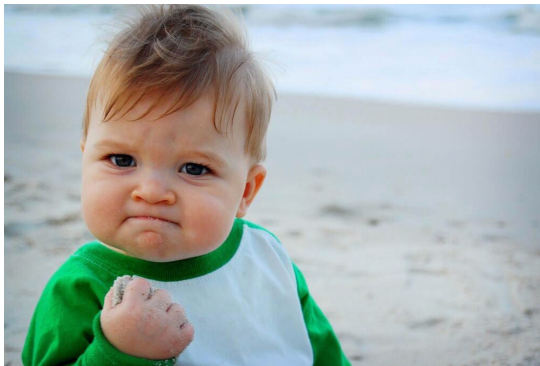
`//cran.r-project.org/web/packages/PReMiuM/index.html`

- Outcome submodel: Continuous (Normal), binary/categorical (Multinomial), count (Poisson)
- Assignment submodel: Continuous (Normal), binary/categorical (Multinomial)
- Estimation based on stick-breaking representation
- Simulated datasets available as part of package

see `profile_regression_example.R`



# Done!



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