STATISTICAL DATA ANALYSIS: RECURRENCE PLOT

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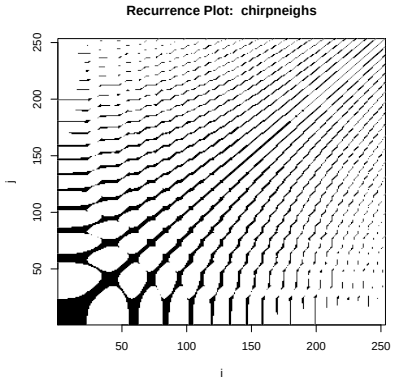

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1. Setup

Input

```
save.RNGseed <- 87149 #.Random.seed
save.RNGkind <- RNGkind()
# save.RNGseed
save.RNGkind
```

Output

```
[1] "Mersenne-Twister" "Inversion"
```

Input

```
set.seed(save.RNGseed, save.RNGkind[1])
```

Input

```
laptime <- function(){
return(round(structure(proc.time() - chunk.time.start, class = "proc_time")[3],3))
chunk.time.start <<- proc.time()
}
```

Input

```
# install.packages("sintro",repos="http://r-forge.r-project.org",type="source")
library(sintro)
```

We use

Input

```
library(nonlinearTseries)
```

ToDo: the takens state plot may be critically affected by outliers. Find a good rescaling.

To display the Takens state space, we us a variant of pairs().

Input

```
statepairs <- function(states, rank=FALSE){
        main <- paste("Takens states:",deparse(substitute(states)), "\n",
                "n=", dim(states)[1]," dim=", dim(states)[2])
        if (rank) {states <- apply(uniftakens,2,rank,ties.method="random")
        main <- paste(main," ranked")}
        pairs(states,
        main=main,
        col=rgb(0,0,0,0.2))
}
```

1.1. **Local Bottleneck.** To allow experimental implementations, functions from *nonlinearTseries* are aliased here.

Input

```
local.buildTakens <- buildTakens
```

Input

```
local.findAllNeighbours <- nonlinearTseries:::findAllNeighbours
```

minor cosmetics added to recurrencePlotAux

ToDo: propagate parameters from *buildTakens* and *findAllNeighbours* in a slot of the result,

Input

```
#non-sparse variant
#local.recurrencePlotAux <- nonlinearTseries:::recurrencePlotAux
local.recurrencePlotAux=function(neighs, dim=NULL, lag=NULL, radius=NULL){

        # just for reference. This function is inlined
        neighbourListNeighbourMatrix  = function(){
          #neighs.matrix = Diagonal(ntakens)
          for (i in 1:ntakens){
            if (length(neighs[[i]])>0){
              for (j in neighs[[i]]){
                neighs.matrix[i,j] = 1
              }
            }
          }
          return (neighs.matrix)
        }

  ntakens=length(neighs)
  neighs.matrix <- matrix(nrow=ntakens,ncol=ntakens)
  #neighbourListNeighbourMatrix()
    #neighs.matrix = Diagonal(ntakens)
          for (i in 1:ntakens){
                  neighs.matrix[i,i] = 1 # do we want the diagonal fixed to 1
            if (length(neighs[[i]])>0){
              for (j in neighs[[i]]){
                neighs.matrix[i,j] = 1
              }
            }
          }

        main <- paste("Recurrence Plot: ",
                        deparse(substitute(neighs))
                        )
        more <- NULL

        #use compones of neights if available
        if (!is.null(dim)) more <- paste(more," dim:",dim)
        if (!is.null(lag)) more <- paste(more," lag:",lag)
        if (!is.null(radius)) more <- paste(more," radius:",radius)

        if (!is.null(more)) main <- paste(main,"\n",more)

  # need no print because it is not a trellis object!!
  #print(
          image(x=1:ntakens, y=1:ntakens,
                 z=neighs.matrix,xlab="i", ylab="j",
                col="black",
                #xlim=c(1,ntakens), ylim=c(1,ntakens),
                useRaster=TRUE,  #? is this safe??
                main=main
                )
 #        )

}
```

ToDo: improve feedback for data structures in *nonlinearTseries*

2. Test Cases

We set up a small series of test signals.

For convenience, some source code from other libraries is included to make this self-contained.

As a global constant, we set up the length of the series to be used.

Input

```
nsignal <- 256
system.time.start <- proc.time()
```

For signal representation, we use a common layout.

Input

```
plotsignal <- function (signal) {
par(mfrow=c(1,2))
plot(signal, col=rgb(0,0,1,0.4), pch=20, xlab="t" )

plot(signal, type="l",
        main=deparse(substitute(signal)), xlab="t", col=rgb(0,0,0,0.4))
points(signal, col=rgb(0,0,1,0.4), pch=20 )
}
```

Input

```
sin10 <- function(n=nsignal) {sin( (1:n)/n* 2*pi*10)}
plotsignal(sin10())
```

See Figure 1.

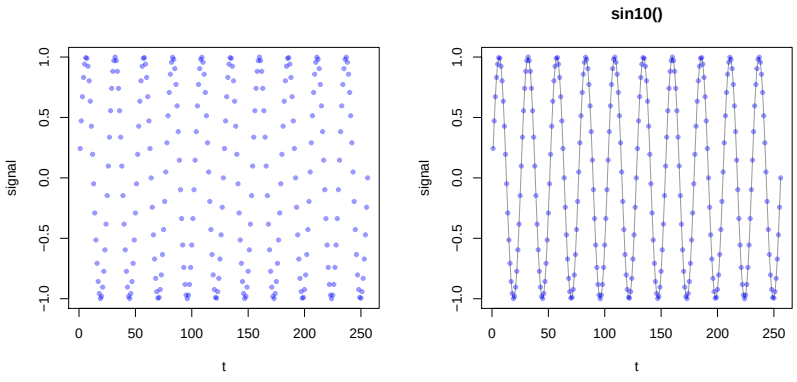

Figure 1. Test case: sin10. Signal and linear interpolation.

Input

```
unif <- function(n=nsignal) {runif(n)}
xunif<-unif()
plotsignal(xunif)
```

See Figure 2,

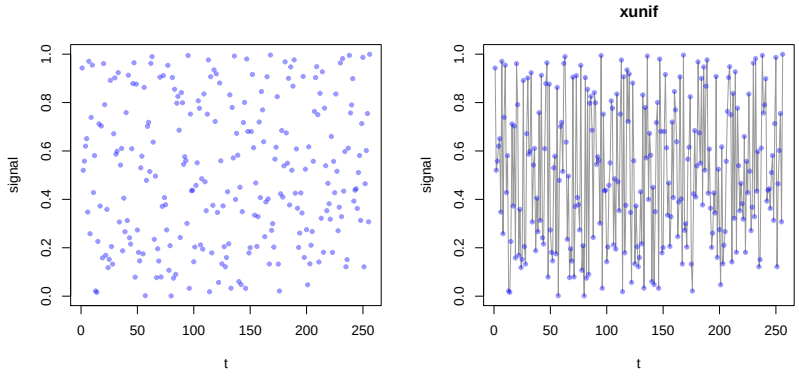

FIGURE 2. Test case: unif - uniform random numbers. Signal and linear interpolation.

Input

```
chirp <- function(n=nsignal) {
# this is copied from library(signal)
signal.chirp <- function(t, f0 = 0, t1 = 1, f1 = 100,
                  form = c("linear", "quadratic", "logarithmic"), phase = 0){

  form <- match.arg(form)
  phase <- 2*pi*phase/360

  switch(form,
    "linear" = {
        a <- pi*(f1 - f0)/t1
        b <- 2*pi*f0
        cos(a*t^2 + b*t + phase)
    },
    "quadratic" = {
        a <- (2/3*pi*(f1-f0)/t1/t1)
        b <- 2*pi*f0
        cos(a*t^3 + b*t + phase)
    },
    "logarithmic" = {
        a <- 2*pi * t1 / log(f1 - f0)
        b <- 2*pi * f0
        x <- (f1-f0)^(1/t1)
        cos(a*x^t + b*t + phase)
    })
}

signal.chirp(seq(0, 0.6, len=nsignal))
}
plotsignal(chirp())
```

See Figure 3 on the following page,

ToDo: include doppler waveslim

3. TAKENS' RECURRENCE STATES

Recurrence plots have been introduced in an attempt to understand near periodic in hydrodynamics. On the one hand, and extended theory on dynamical systems was available,

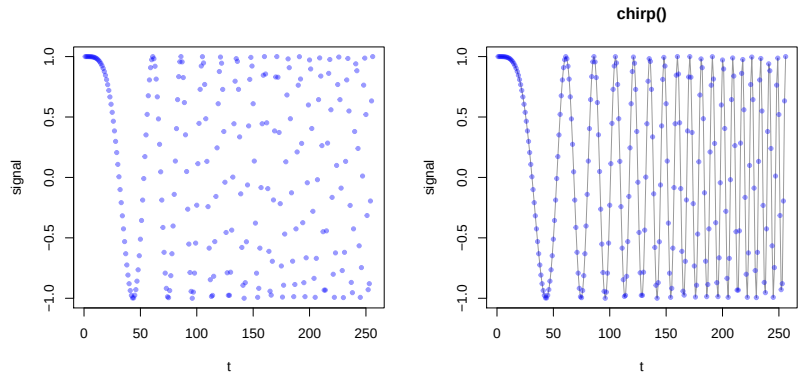

FIGURE 3. Test case: chirp signal. Signal and linear interpolation.

covering deterministic models. A fundamental concept is that at a certain time a system is in some state, and developing from this. Defining the proper state space is a critical step in modelling.

The other toolkit is that of stochastics processes, in particular Markov models. Classical time series assumes stationarity, and this is obviously not the way to go. A fundamental idea for Markov models is that the system state is seen in a temporal context: you have a Markov process, if you can define a (non-anticipating) state that has sufficient information for prediction: given this state, the future is independent from the past.

Recurrence, coming back to some state, is often a key to understand a near periodic system.

Hydrodynamics is a challenging problem. Understanding planetary motion is a historical challenge, and may be useful as an illustration.

As a simple illustration, let $x = (x_i)$ be a sequence, maybe near periodic. For now, think of i as a time index.

Recurrence plots have two steps. The first was a bold step by Floris Takens. If you do not know the state space of a system, for a choice of "dimension" d, take the sequence of d tuples taken from your data to define the states.

$$u_i = (x_i, \ldots, x_{i+d})$$

As a mere technical refinement: you may know that your data are a flattened representation of t dimensional data. So you take

$$u_i = (x_i, \ldots, x_{i+d*m}).$$

This may be a relict of FORTRAN times, where it was common to flatten two-dimensional structures by case. We ignore this detail here and take $m = 1$.

ToDo: add support for higher dimensional signals

Conceptually, you define states by observed histories. For classical Markov setup, the state is defined by the previous information x_{i-1}, but for more complex situations you may have to step back in the past. Finding the appropriate d is the challenge. So it may be appropriate to view the Takens states as a family, indexed by the time scope d. The rest is structural information how to arrange items.

Of course it is possible to compress information here, sorting states and removing duplicates. Keeping the original definition as the advantage that we have the index i, so that u_i is the state at index position i.

But the states may have an inherent structure, which we may take into account or ignore. Since for this example, we are just in 4-dimensional space, marginal scatterplots may give enough information.

Input

```
sintakens <- local.buildTakens( time.series=sin10(),embedding.dim=4, time.lag=1)
statepairs(sintakens)
```

See Figure 4.

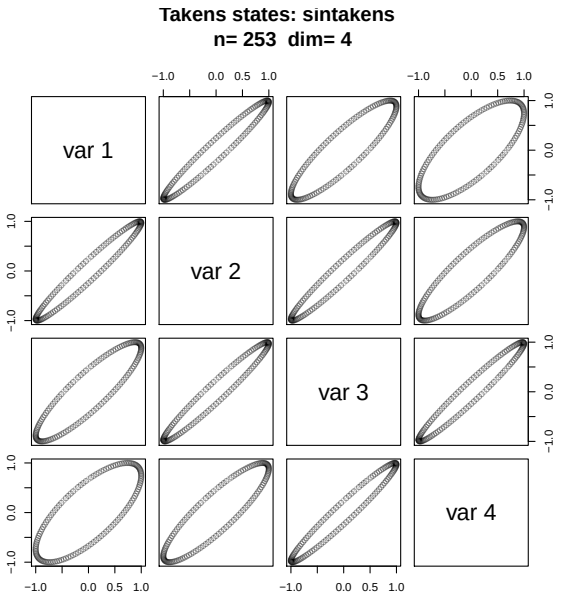

FIGURE 4. Test case: sinus. Note that marginal views of 1-dimensional circles in d space may appear as ellipses. Time used: 0.374 sec.

Input

```
uniftakens <- local.buildTakens( time.series=xunif,embedding.dim=4,time.lag=1)
statepairs(uniftakens)
```

See Figure 5 on the following page.

Input

```
chirptakens <- local.buildTakens( time.series=chirp(),embedding.dim=4,time.lag=1)
statepairs(chirptakens)
```

See Figure 6 on the next page

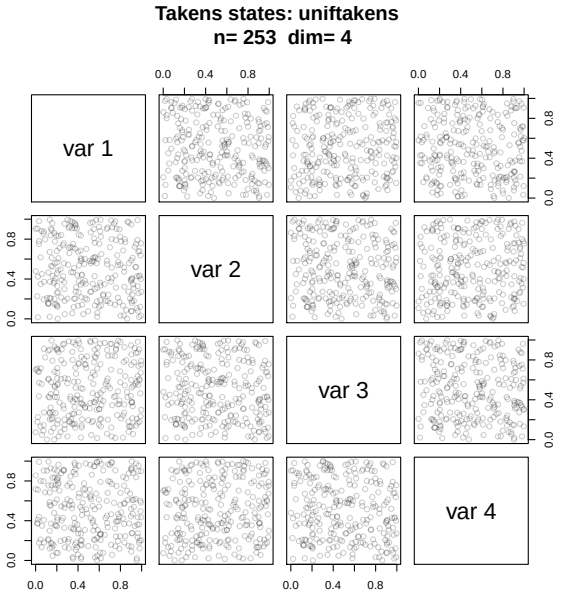

FIGURE 5. Test case: uniform random numbers. Time used: 0.305 sec.

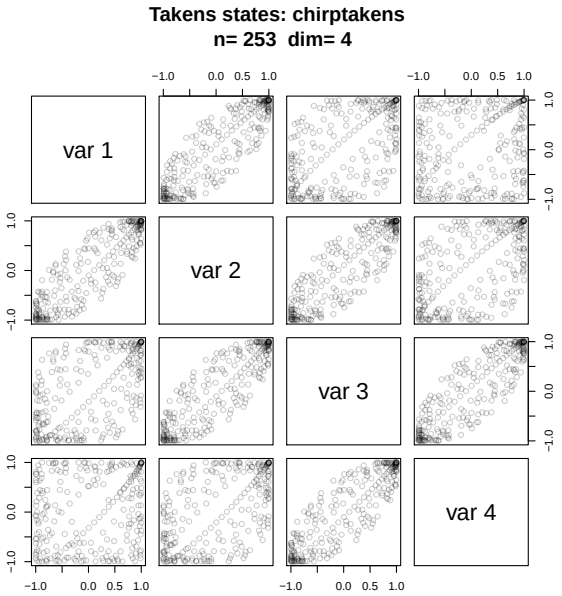

FIGURE 6. Test case: chirp signal. Time used: 0.297 sec.

4. Recurrence Plots

ToDo: consider dimension-adjusted radius

The next step, taken in Eckmann *et al.* [1987] was to use a two dimensional display. Take a scatterplot with the Taken's states a marginal. Take a sliding window of your process data, and for each i, find the "distance" of u_i from and to any of the collected states. If the distance is below some chosen threshold, mark the point (i, j) for which u(j) is in the ball of radius r(i) centred at u(i).

The original publication Eckmann *et al.* [1987] actually used a nearest neighbourhood environment to cover about 10 data points.

The construction has considerable arbitrary choices. The critical radius may depend on the point i. In practical applications, using a constant radius is a common first step. Using a dichotomous marking was what presumably was necessary when the idea was introduced. With todays technology, we can allow a markup on a finer scale, as has been seen in Orion-1.

ToDo: support distance instead of 0/1 indicators

We can gain additional freedom by using a correlation view: instead of looking from one axis, we can walk along the diagonal, using two reference axis.

Helpful hints how to interpret recurrence plots are in "Recurrence Plots At A Glance" `<http://www.recurrence-plot.tk/glance.php>`.

5. Recurrence Quantification Analysis

While visual inspection is the prime way to assess recurrence plots, quantification of some aspects revealed of the plot may be helpful. A collection of indices is provided by a recurrence quantification analysis (RQA) Zbilut and Webber [2006], Webber Jr and Zbilut [2005].

See Table 1 on the following page.

This is a hack to report RQA information. $dim = NULL$ is added to align calling with other functions.

Input

```
showrqa <- function(takens, dim=NULL, radius, do.hist = TRUE)
{
        xxrqa <- rqa(takens=takens,radius=radius)
        cat(paste(deparse(substitute(takens)), " n=", dim(takens)[1], " Dim:", dim(takens)[2], "\n"))
        cat(paste("Radius:", radius, " Recurrence coverage REC:", round(xxrqa[1]$REC, 3), "\n"))
        cat(paste("Determinism:", round(xxrqa$DET,3), " Laminarity:",round(xxrqa$LAM,3), "\n"))
        cat(paste("DIV:", round(xxrqa$DIV,3), "\n"))
        cat(paste("Trend:", round(xxrqa$TREND,3), " Entropy:",round(xxrqa$ENTR,3), "\n"))
        cat(paste("Diagonal lines max:", round(xxrqa$Lmax,3),
                  " Mean:",round(xxrqa$Lmean,3),
                 " Mean off main:",round(xxrqa$LmeanWithoutMain,3), "\n"))
        cat(paste("Vertical lines max:", round(xxrqa$Vmax,3), " Mean:",round(xxrqa$Vmean,3), "\n"))
                # str(xxrqa[4:12])

        oldpar <- par(mfrow=c(2,1))
        if (do.hist){
        barplot(xxrqa$diagonalHistogram,
                main=paste(deparse(substitute(takens)), "Diagonal",
                        "\n n=", dim(takens)[1], " Dim:", dim(takens)[2], " Radius: ",radius))
```

TABLE 1. Recurrence Quantification Analysis (RQA)

REC	Recurrence. Percentage of recurrence points in a recurrence Plot.
DET	Determinism. Percentage of recurrence points that form diagonal lines.
LAM	Percentage of recurrent points that form vertical lines.
RATIO	Ratio between *DET* and *RR*.
Lmax	Length of the longest diagonal line.
Lmean	Mean length of the diagonal lines. The main diagonal is not taken into account.
DIV	Inverse of *Lmax*.
Vmax	Longest vertical line.
Vmean	Average length of the vertical lines. This parameter is also referred to as the Trapping time.
ENTR	Shannon entropy of the diagonal line lengths distribution
TREND	Trend of the number of recurrent points depending on the distance to the main diagonal
diagonalHistogram	Histogram of the length of the diagonals.
recurrenceRate	Number of recurrent points depending on the distance to the main diagonal.

```
        barplot(xxrqa$recurrenceRate,
                main=paste(deparse(substitute(takens)),"Recurrence Rate",
                        "\n n=", dim(takens)[1], " Dim:", dim(takens)[2], " Radius: ",radius))
                }
        par(oldpar)
        invisible(xxrqa)
}
```

6. Applied Recurrence Plots

6.1. **Sinus.**

Input

```
sin10neighs<-local.findAllNeighbours(sintakens, radius=0.2)
save(sin10neighs, file="sin10neighs.Rdata")
```

Input

```
load(file="sin10neighs.RData")
local.recurrencePlotAux(sin10neighs, dim=2, radius=0.2)
```

See Figure 7 on the next page.

Input

```
showrqa(sintakens, radius=0.2)
```

Output

```
sintakens  n= 253  Dim: 4
Radius: 0.2  Recurrence coverage REC: 0.086
```

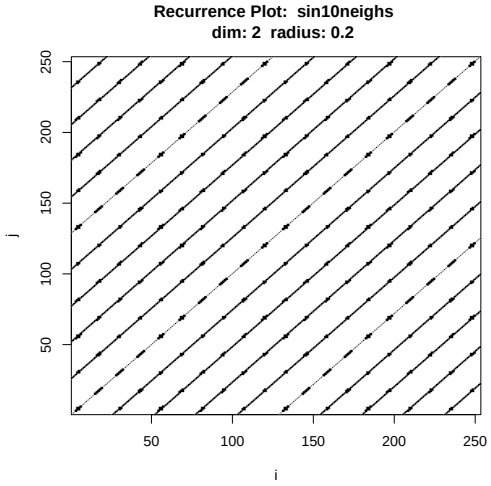

FIGURE 7. Recurrence Plot. Test case: sinus curves. Time used: 0.157 sec.

```
Determinism: 0.965  Laminarity: 0.947
DIV: 0.004
Trend: 0  Entropy: 1.906
Diagonal lines max: 228  Mean: 18.333  Mean off main: 17.524
Vertical lines max: 4  Mean: 2.361
```

See Figure 8.

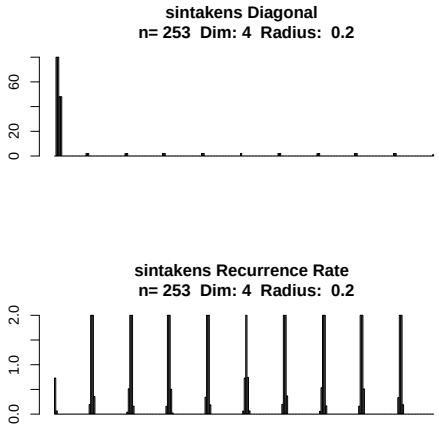

FIGURE 8. Recurrence Plot RQA. Test case: sinus curves. Time used: 0.167 sec.

6.2. **Uniform random.**

Input

```
load(file="unifneighs.RData")
local.recurrencePlotAux(unifneighs, radius=0.2)
```

See Figure 9.

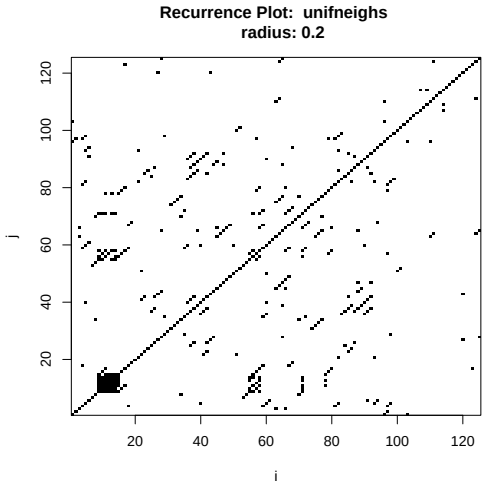

FIGURE 9. Recurrence Plot. Test case: uniform random numbers. Time used: 0.094 sec.

6.3. **Chirp Signal.**

Input

```
chirpneighs<-local.findAllNeighbours(chirptakens,radius=0.6)#0.4
save(chirpneighs, file="chirpneighs.RData")
```

Input

```
load(file="chirpneighs.RData")
local.recurrencePlotAux(chirpneighs)
```

See Figure 10 on the facing page.

Input

```
showrqa(chirptakens, radius=0.6)
```

Output

```
chirptakens  n= 253  Dim: 4
Radius: 0.6  Recurrence coverage REC: 0.174
Determinism: 0.928  Laminarity: 0.88
DIV: 0.006
Trend: -0.001  Entropy: 2.312
Diagonal lines max: 179  Mean: 5.902  Mean off main: 5.761
Vertical lines max: 29  Mean: 3.568
```

See Figure 11 on the next page.

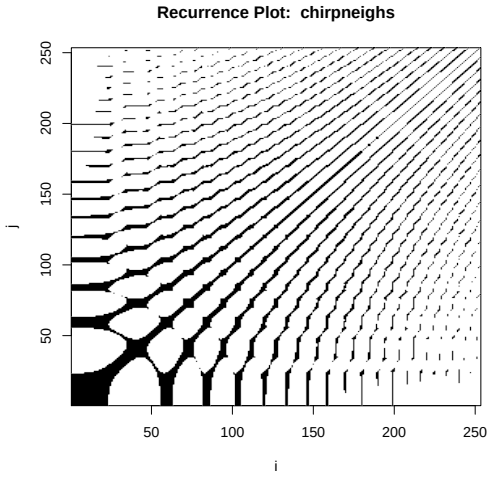

FIGURE 10. Recurrence Plot. Test case: chirp signal. Time used: 0.191 sec.

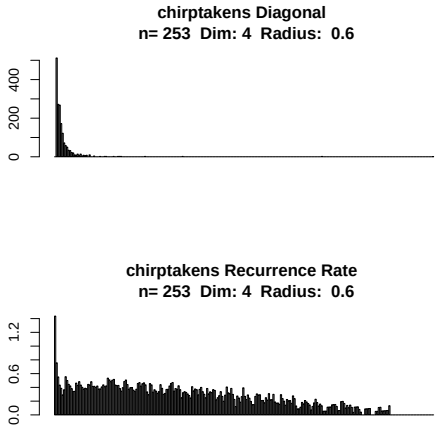

FIGURE 11. Recurrence Plot RQA. Test case: chirp signal. Time used: 0.389 sec.

7. Case Study: Geyser data

ToDo: double check: *MASS:::geyser* should be used, not *faithful*

ToDo: Geyser: extended to two-dimensional data in *geyserlin*. Check.

This is a classical data set with a two dimensional structure, *duration* and *waiting*.

Input

```
library(MASS)
data(geyser)
```

7.1. Geyser Eruptions.

Input

```
plotsignal(geyser$duration)
```

See Figure 12,

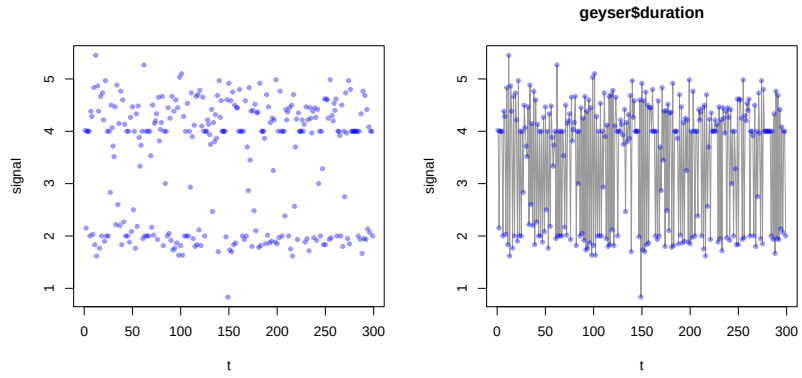

Figure 12. Example case: Old Faithful Geyser eruptions. Signal and linear interpolation.

Input

```
eruptionstakens4 <-
        local.buildTakens( time.series=geyser$duration, embedding.dim=4, time.lag=1)
        statepairs(eruptionstakens4)
```

See Figure 13 on the next page

Input

```
eruptionsneighs4<-local.findAllNeighbours(eruptionstakens4, radius=0.8)
save(eruptionsneighs4, file="eruptionsneighs4.RData")
```

Input

```
load(file="eruptionsneighs4.RData")
local.recurrencePlotAux(eruptionsneighs4)
```

See Figure 14 on the facing page.

Input

```
showrqa(eruptionstakens4, radius=0.8)
```

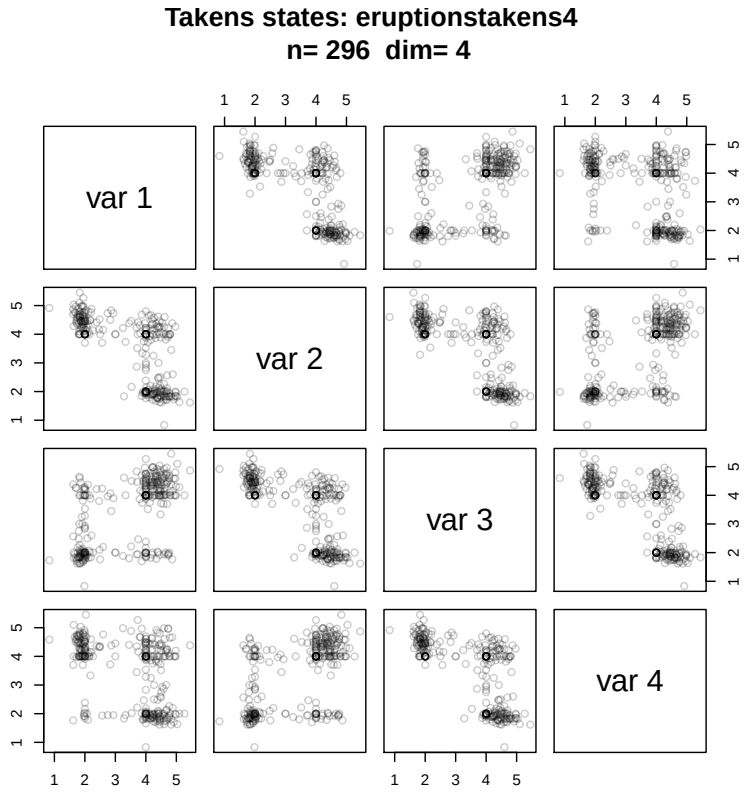

FIGURE 13. Example case: Old Faithful Geyser eruptions. Time used: 0.342 sec.

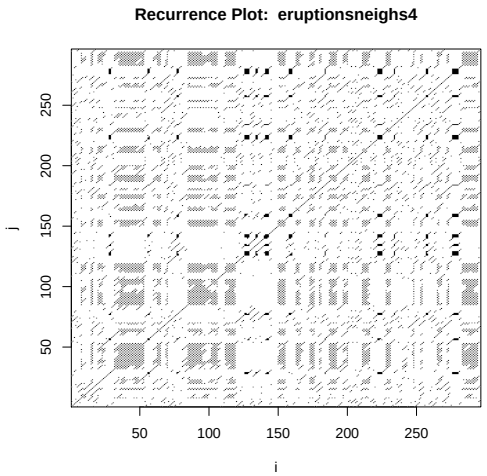

FIGURE 14. Recurrence Plot. Example case: Old Faithful Geyser eruptions. Dim=4. Time used: 0.3 sec.

Output

```
eruptionstakens4  n= 296  Dim: 4
Radius: 0.8  Recurrence coverage REC: 0.112
Determinism: 0.903  Laminarity: 0.076
DIV: 0.05
```

```
Trend: 0  Entropy: 1.779
Diagonal lines max: 20  Mean: 3.919  Mean off main: 3.79
Vertical lines max: 5  Mean: 3.041
```

See Figure 15.

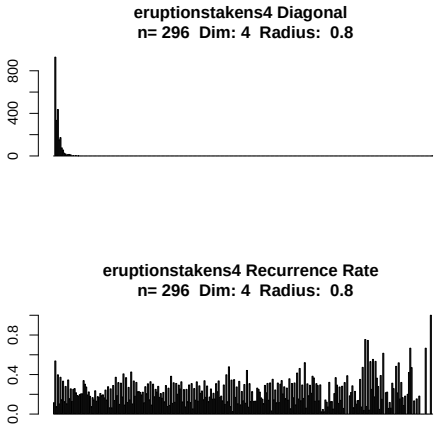

FIGURE 15. Recurrence Plot RQA. Example case: Old Faithful Geyser eruptions. Dim=4. Time used: 0.602 sec.

7.1.1. *Geyser eruptions. Dim=2.*

Input

```
eruptionstakens2 <-
        local.buildTakens(time.series=geyser$duration, embedding.dim=2, time.lag=1)
statepairs(eruptionstakens2)
```

See Figure 16 on the facing page

Input

```
eruptionsneighs2<-local.findAllNeighbours(eruptionstakens2, radius=0.8)
save(eruptionsneighs2, file="eruptionsneighs2.RData")
```

Input

```
load(file="eruptionsneighs2.RData")
local.recurrencePlotAux(eruptionsneighs2)
```

See Figure 17 on the next page.

Input

```
showrqa(eruptionstakens2, radius=0.8)
```

Output

```
eruptionstakens2  n= 298  Dim: 2
Radius: 0.8  Recurrence coverage REC: 0.274
```

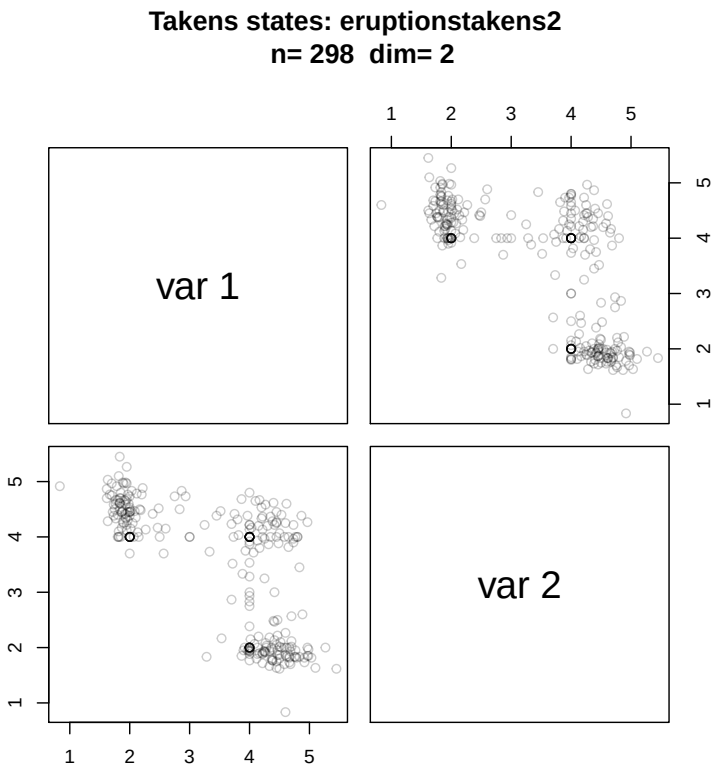

FIGURE 16. Example case: Old Faithful Geyser eruptions. Dim=2. Time used: 0.114 sec.

FIGURE 17. Recurrence Plot. Example case: Old Faithful Geyser Geyser eruptions. Dim=2. Time used: 0.328 sec.

```
Determinism: 0.892  Laminarity: 0.205
DIV: 0.045
Trend: 0  Entropy: 1.691
```

```
Diagonal lines max: 22  Mean: 3.644  Mean off main: 3.595
Vertical lines max: 7  Mean: 3.457
```

See Figure 18.

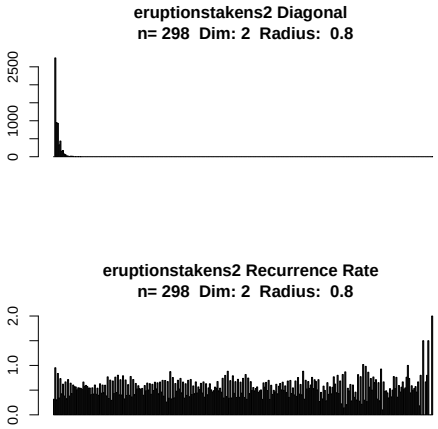

FIGURE 18. Recurrence Plot RQA. Example case: Old Faithful Geyser eruptions. Dim=2. Time used: 0.549 sec.

7.1.2. *Geyser eruptions. Dim=6.*

Input

```
eruptionstakens6 <- local.buildTakens( time.series=geyser$duration,embedding.dim=6,time.lag=1)
statepairs(eruptionstakens6)
```

See Figure 19 on the next page.

Input

```
eruptionsneighs6<-local.findAllNeighbours(eruptionstakens6, radius=0.8)
save(eruptionsneighs6, file="eruptionsneighs6.RData")
```

Input

```
load(file="eruptionsneighs6.RData")
local.recurrencePlotAux(eruptionsneighs6)
```

See Figure 20 on the facing page.

Input

```
showrqa(eruptionstakens6, radius=0.8)
```

Output

```
eruptionstakens6  n= 294  Dim: 6
Radius: 0.8  Recurrence coverage REC: 0.05
Determinism: 0.923  Laminarity: 0.016
DIV: 0.056
Trend: 0  Entropy: 1.748
```

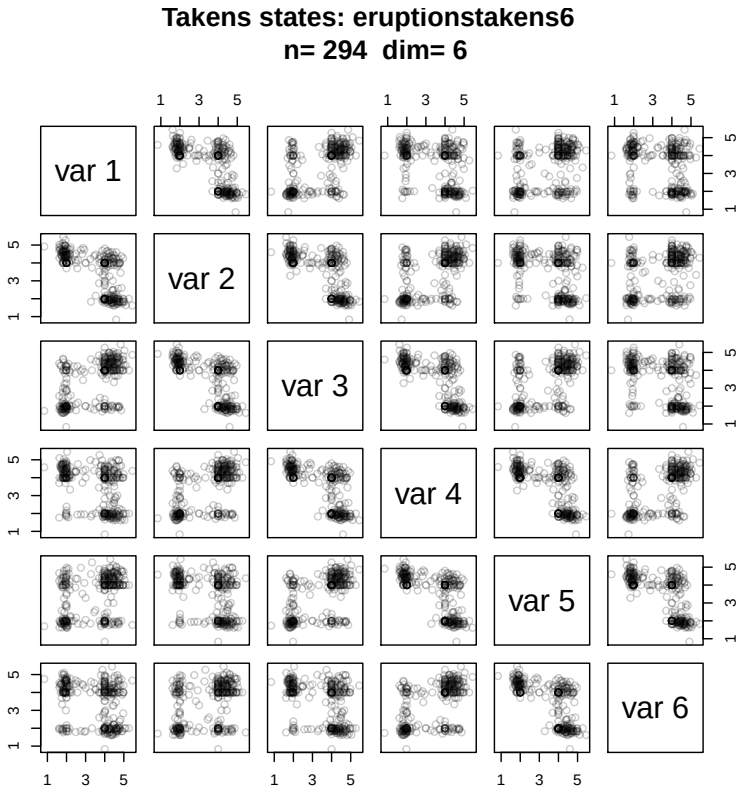

FIGURE 19. Example case: Old Faithful Geyser eruptions. Dim=6. Time used: 0.657 sec.

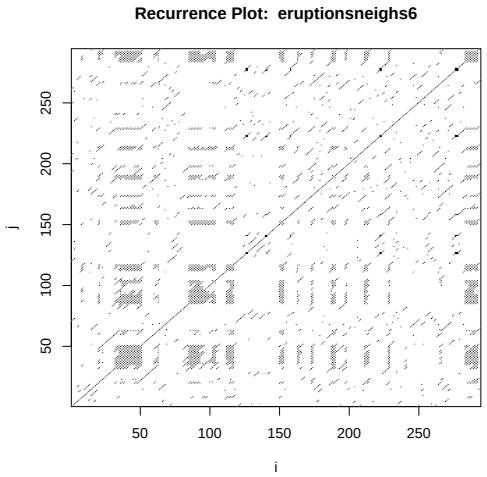

FIGURE 20. Recurrence Plot. Example case: Old Faithful Geyser eruptions. Dim=6. Time used: 0.357 sec.

```
Diagonal lines max: 18  Mean: 4.022  Mean off main: 3.73
Vertical lines max: 3  Mean: 2.29
```

See Figure 21 on the next page.

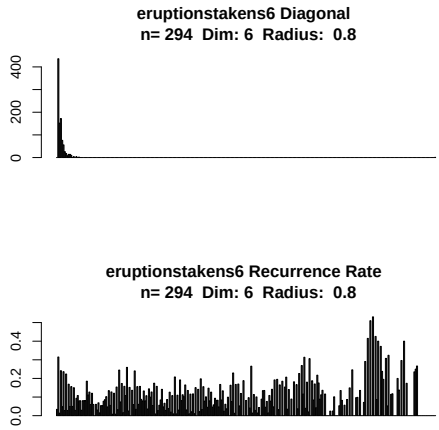

FIGURE 21. Recurrence Plot RQA. Example case: Old Faithful Geyser eruptions. Dim=6. Time used: 0.569 sec.

7.1.3. *Geyser eruptions. Dim=8.*

Input

```
eruptionstakens8 <- local.buildTakens( time.series=geyser$duration,embedding.dim=8,time.lag=1)
statepairs(eruptionstakens8)
```

See Figure 22 on the facing page.

Input

```
eruptionsneighs8<-local.findAllNeighbours(eruptionstakens8, radius=0.8)
save(eruptionsneighs8, file="eruptionsneighs8.RData")
```

Input

```
load(file="eruptionsneighs8.RData")
local.recurrencePlotAux(eruptionsneighs8)
```

See Figure 23 on the next page.

Input

```
showrqa(eruptionstakens8, radius=0.8)
```

Output

```
eruptionstakens8  n= 292  Dim: 8
Radius: 0.8  Recurrence coverage REC: 0.024
Determinism: 0.924  Laminarity: 0
DIV: 0.062
Trend: 0  Entropy: 1.8
Diagonal lines max: 16  Mean: 4.583  Mean off main: 3.871
Vertical lines max: 0  Mean: 0
```

See Figure 24 on page 22.

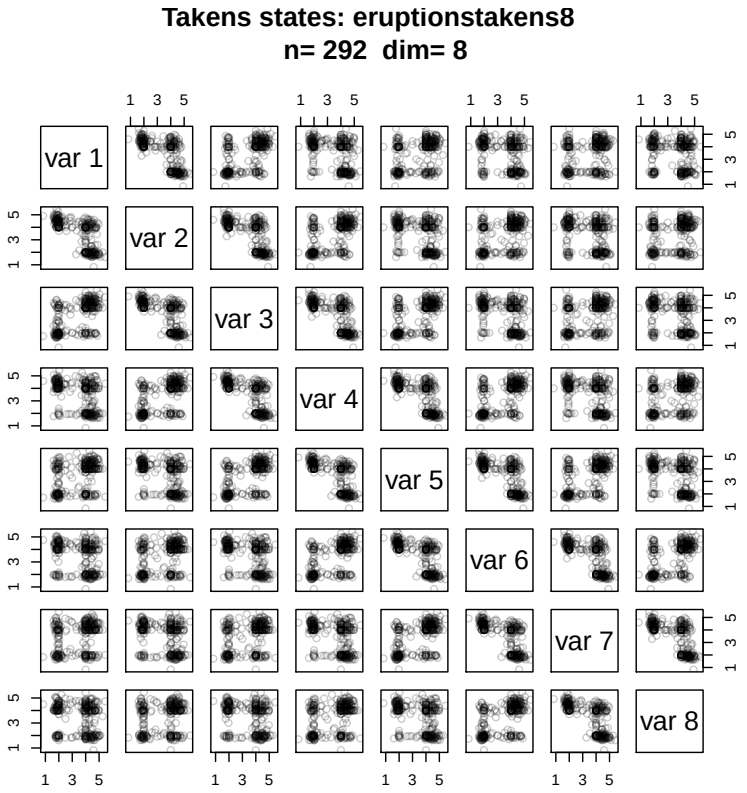

FIGURE 22. Example case: Old Faithful Geyser eruptions. Dim=8. Time used: 1.123 sec.

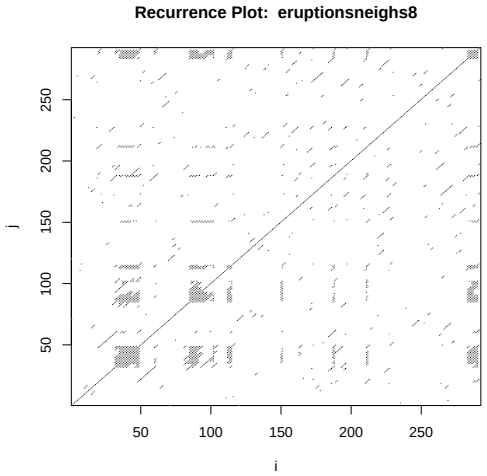

FIGURE 23. Recurrence Plot. Example case: Old Faithful Geyser eruptions. Dim=8. Time used: 0.229 sec.

7.2. **Geyser Eruptions: Comparison by Dimension.** For comparison, recurrence plots for the Geyser data with varying dimension are in Figure 25 on the next page

7.3. **Geyser Waiting.**

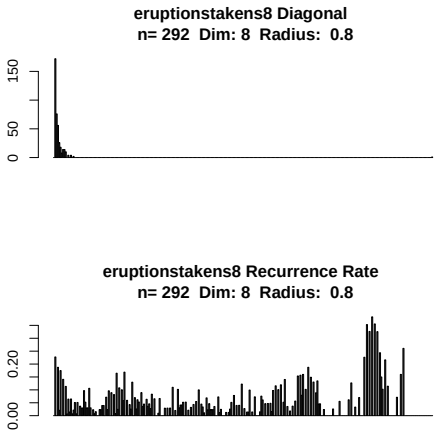

FIGURE 24. Recurrence Plot RQA. Example case: Old Faithful Geyser eruptions. Dim=8. Time used: 0.528 sec.

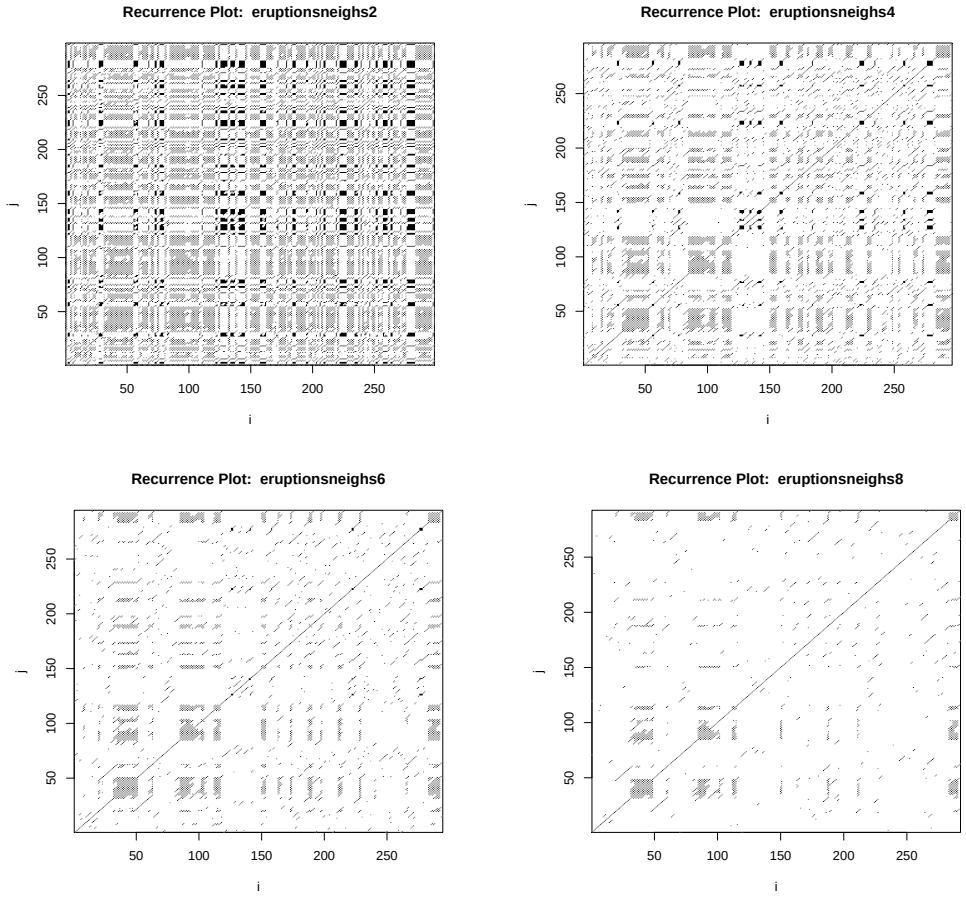

FIGURE 25. Recurrence Plot. Example case: Old Faithful Geyser eruptions. Dim=2, 4, 6, 8.

Input

```
plotsignal(geyser$waiting)
```

See Figure 26.

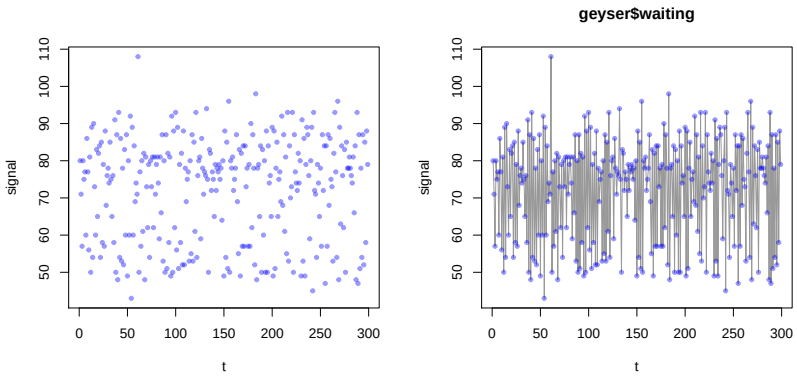

FIGURE 26. Example case: Old Faithful Geyser waiting. Signal and linear interpolation. Time used: 0.77 sec.

Input

```
waitingtakens <-
        local.buildTakens( time.series=geyser$waiting, embedding.dim=4, time.lag=4)
statepairs(waitingtakens)
```

See Figure 27 on the next page.

Input

```
waitingneighs<-local.findAllNeighbours(waitingtakens, radius=16)
save(waitingneighs, file="waitingneighs.Rdata")
```

Input

```
showrqa(waitingtakens, radius=16)
```

Output

```
waitingtakens  n= 287  Dim: 4
Radius: 16  Recurrence coverage REC: 0.137
Determinism: 0.382  Laminarity: 0.053
DIV: 0.053
Trend: 0  Entropy: 1.002
Diagonal lines max: 19  Mean: 2.878  Mean off main: 2.688
Vertical lines max: 3  Mean: 2.315
```

See Figure **??** on page ??.

Input

```
load(file="waitingneighs.RData")
local.recurrencePlotAux(waitingneighs)
```

See Figure **??** on page ??.

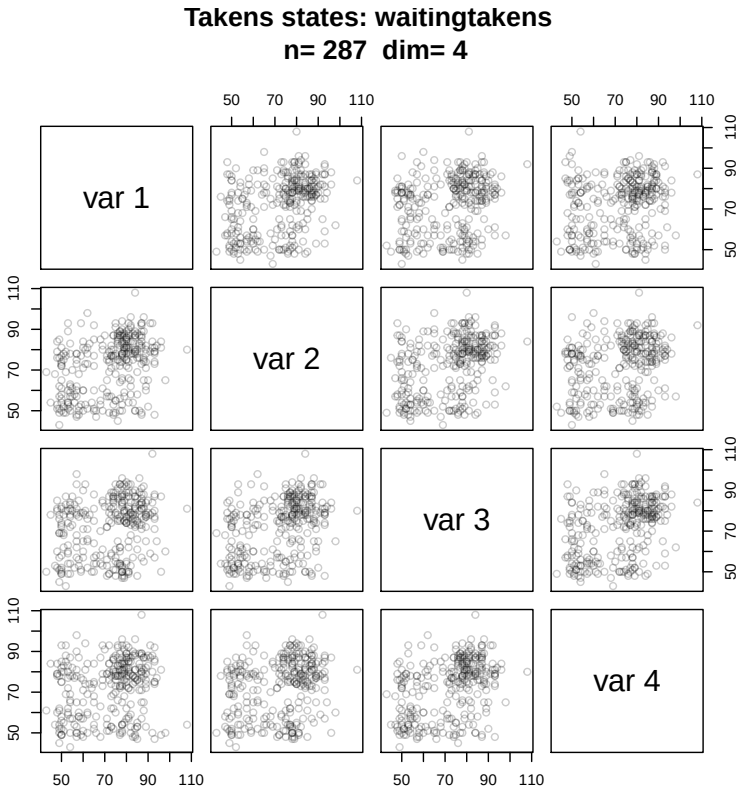

FIGURE 27. Example case: Old Faithful Geyser waiting. Time used: 0.36 sec.

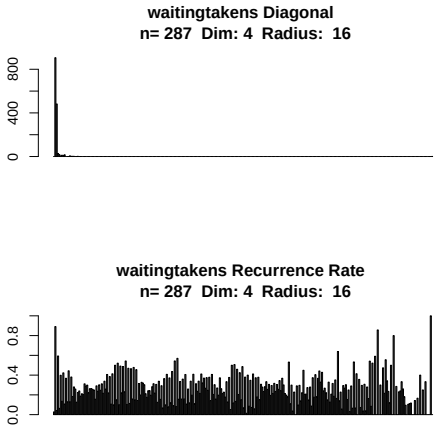

FIGURE 28. Recurrence Plot RQA. Example case: Old Faithful Geyser waiting. Time used: 0.188 sec.

7.4. **Geyser - linearized.** So far, *nonlinearTseries* only handles multivariate data by FORTRAN conventions, using a lag parameter.

As a hack, we transform the data to FORTRAN conventions.

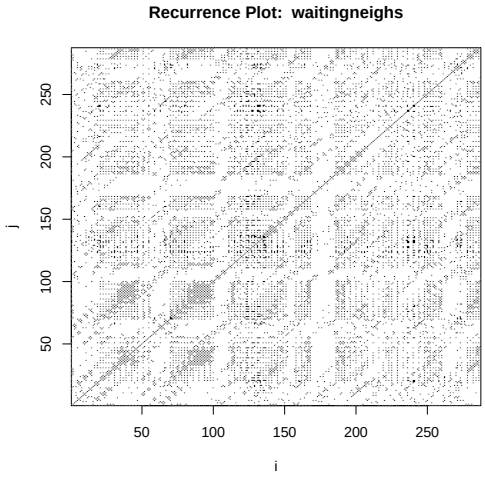

FIGURE 29. Recurrence Plot. Example case: Old Faithful Geyser waiting. Time used: 0.429 sec.

Input

```
geyserlin <- t(geyser)
dim(geyserlin)<-NULL
dimnames(geyserlin)<-NULL
```

Now duration and waiting are mixed. A $lag = 2$ separates the dimension again. The Taken states iterate over the index, giving alternating a duration and waiting state.

7.5. **Geyser Eruptions linearized.**

Input

```
plotsignal(geyserlin)
```

See Figure 30.

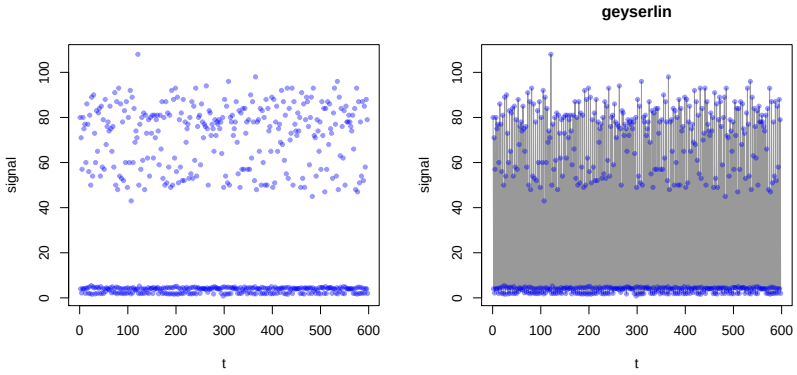

FIGURE 30. Example case: Old Faithful Geyser eruptions. Signal and linear interpolation.

Input

```
gleruptionstakens4 <-
        local.buildTakens( time.series=geyserlin, embedding.dim=4, time.lag=2)
statepairs(gleruptionstakens4)
```

See Figure 31.

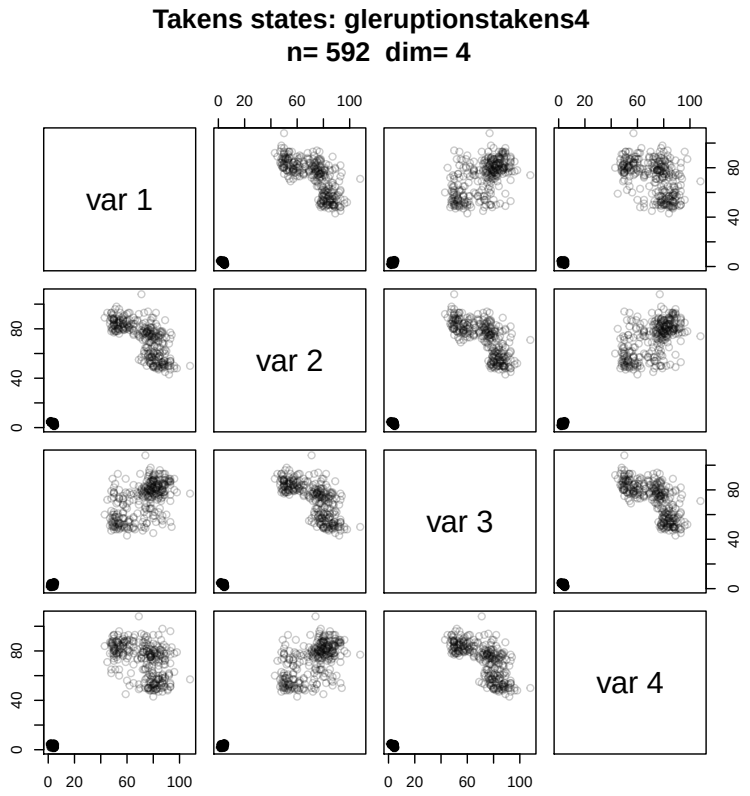

FIGURE 31. Example case: Old Faithful Geyser eruptions. Time used: 0.6 sec.

Input

```
eruptionsneighs4<-local.findAllNeighbours(gleruptionstakens4, radius=0.8)
save(eruptionsneighs4, file="eruptionsneighs4.RData")
```

Input

```
showrqa(gleruptionstakens4, radius=0.8)
```

Output

```
gleruptionstakens4  n= 592  Dim: 4
Radius: 0.8  Recurrence coverage REC: 0.029
Determinism: 0.059  Laminarity: 0
DIV: Inf
Trend: 0  Entropy: 0
Diagonal lines max: 0  Mean: 592  Mean off main: NaN
Vertical lines max: 0  Mean: 0
```

See Figure 32 on the facing page.

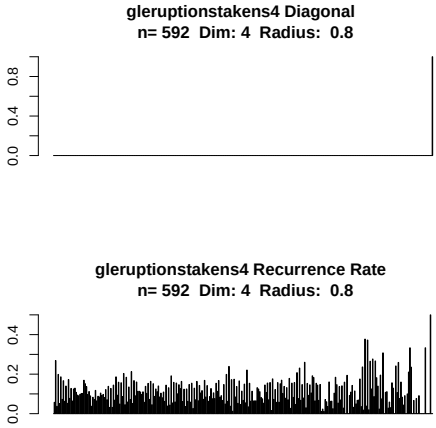

FIGURE 32. Recurrence Plot. Example case: Old Faithful Geyser eruptions. Dim=4. Time used: 0.428 sec.

Input

```
load(file="eruptionsneighs4.RData")
local.recurrencePlotAux(eruptionsneighs4)
```

See Figure 33.

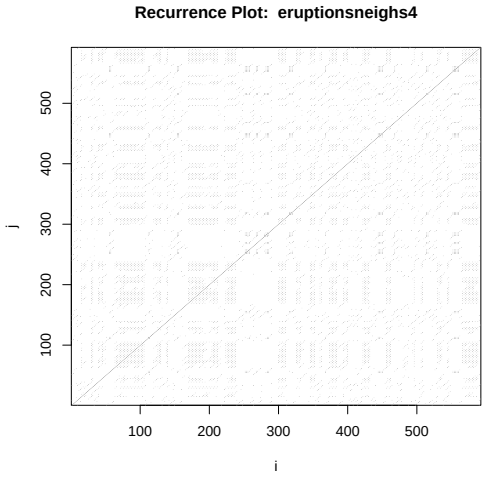

FIGURE 33. Recurrence Plot. Example case: Old Faithful Geyser eruptions. Dim=4. Time used: 1.372 sec.

7.5.1. *Geyser eruptions - linearized. Dim=2.*

Input

```
gleruptionstakens2 <-
        local.buildTakens(time.series=geyserlin, embedding.dim=2, time.lag=2)
statepairs(gleruptionstakens2)
```

See Figure 34.

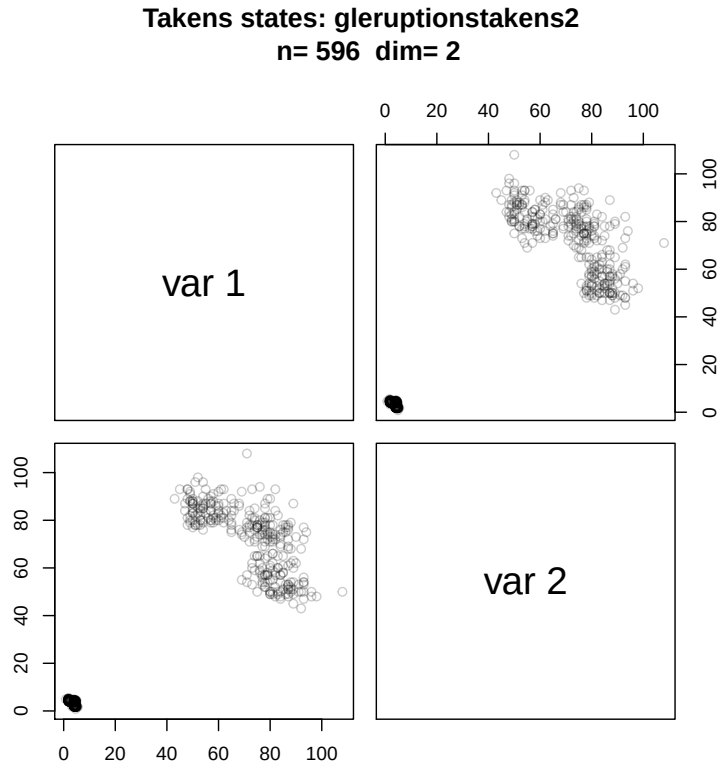

FIGURE 34. Example case: Old Faithful Geyser eruptions. Dim=2. Time used: 0.167 sec.

Input
```
eruptionsneighs2<-local.findAllNeighbours(gleruptionstakens2, radius=0.8)
save(eruptionsneighs2, file="eruptionsneighs2.RData")
```

Input
```
load(file="eruptionsneighs2.RData")
local.recurrencePlotAux(eruptionsneighs2)
```

See Figure 35 on the next page.

7.5.2. *Geyser eruptions - linearized. Dim=6.*

Input
```
gleruptionstakens6 <- local.buildTakens( time.series=geyserlin,embedding.dim=6,time.lag=2)
statepairs(gleruptionstakens6)
```

See Figure 36 on the facing page

Input
```
eruptionsneighs6<-local.findAllNeighbours(gleruptionstakens6, radius=0.8)
save(eruptionsneighs6, file="eruptionsneighs6.RData")
```

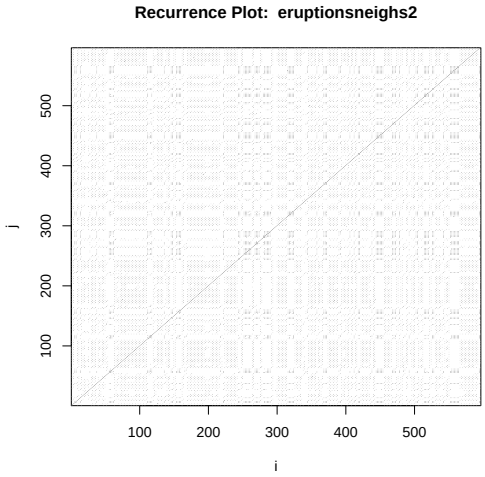

FIGURE 35. Recurrence Plot. Example case: Old Faithful Geyser eruptions linearized. Dim=2. Time used: 0.684 sec.

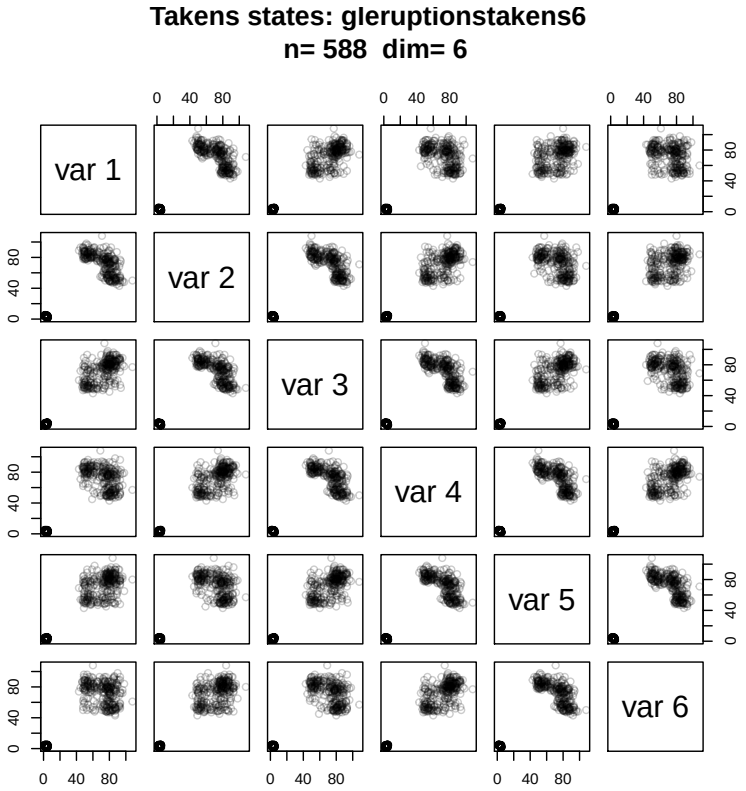

FIGURE 36. Example case: Old Faithful Geyser eruptions. Dim=6. Time used: 1.246 sec.

Input

```
load(file="eruptionsneighs6.RData")
local.recurrencePlotAux(eruptionsneighs6)
```

See Figure 37.

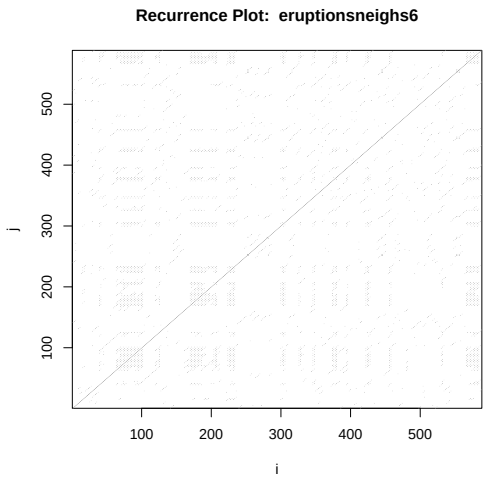

FIGURE 37. Recurrence Plot. Example case: Old Faithful Geyser eruptions. Dim=6. Time used: 0.505 sec.

7.5.3. *Geyser eruptions - linearized. Dim=8.*

Input
```
gleruptionstakens8 <- local.buildTakens( time.series=geyserlin,embedding.dim=8,time.lag=2)
statepairs(gleruptionstakens8)
```

See Figure 38 on the facing page

Input
```
eruptionsneighs8<-local.findAllNeighbours(gleruptionstakens8, radius=0.8)
save(eruptionsneighs8, file="eruptionsneighs8.RData")
```

Input
```
load(file="eruptionsneighs8.RData")
local.recurrencePlotAux(eruptionsneighs8)
```

See Figure 39 on the next page

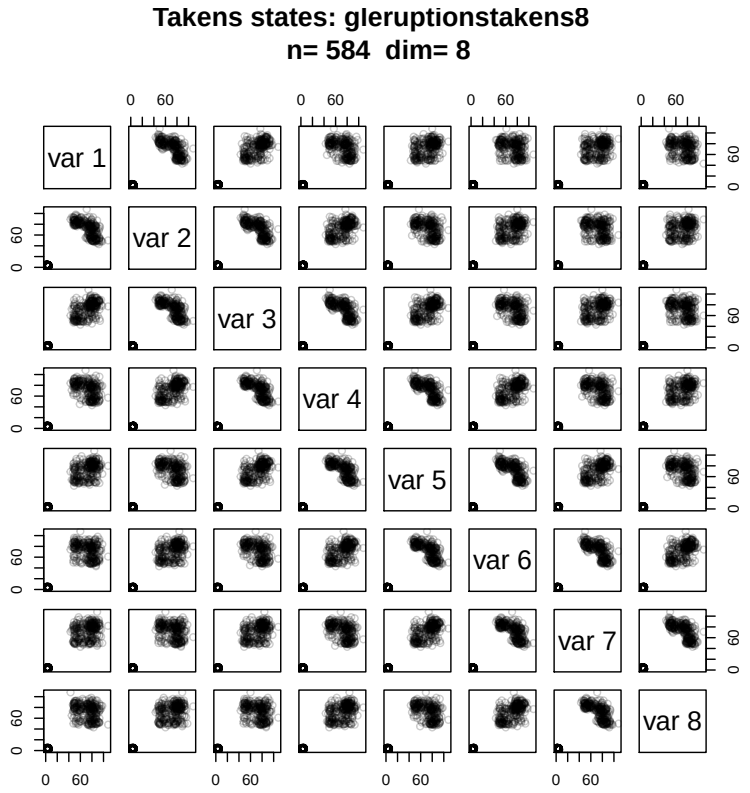

FIGURE 38. Example case: Old Faithful Geyser eruptions. Dim=8. Time used: 1.935 sec.

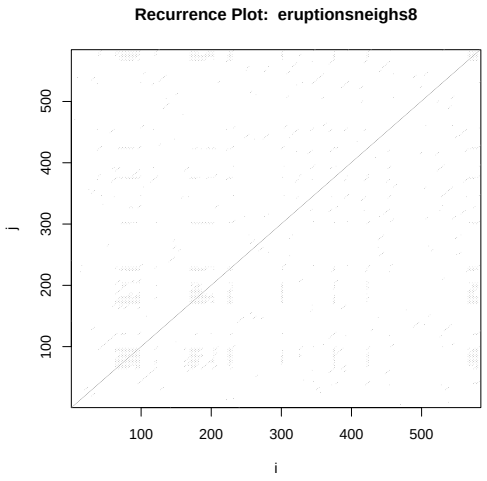

FIGURE 39. Recurrence Plot. Example case: Old Faithful Geyser eruptions. Dim=8. Time used: 0.5 sec.

8. Case Study: HRV data

Only 256 data points used in this section

Input

```
library(RHRV)
load("/data/pulse/rhrv/pkg/data/HRVData.rda")
load("/data/pulse/rhrv/pkg/data/HRVProcessedData.rda")
#####################################################
### code chunk number 1: creation
#####################################################
hrv.data  = CreateHRVData()
hrv.data = SetVerbose(hrv.data, TRUE )
#####################################################
### code chunk number 3: loading
#####################################################
hrv.data = LoadBeatAscii(hrv.data, "example.beats",
       RecordPath = "/data/pulse/rhrv/tutorial/beatsFolder")
```

Output

```
** Loading beats positions for record: example.beats **
   Path: /data/pulse/rhrv/tutorial/beatsFolder
   Scale: 1
   Date: 01/01/1900
   Time: 00:00:00
   Number of beats: 17360
```

Input

```
#       RecordPath = "beatsFolder")


#####################################################
### code chunk number 4: derivating
#####################################################
hrv.data = BuildNIHR(hrv.data)
```

Output

```
** Calculating non-interpolated heart rate **
   Number of beats: 17360
```

Input

Input

```
plotsignal(hrv.data$Beat$RR)
```

ToDo: We have outliers at approximately 2*RR. Could this be an artefact of preprocessing, filtering out too many impulses?

See Figure 40 on the facing page.

Input

```
hrvRRtakens4 <- local.buildTakens( time.series=hrv.data$Beat$RR[1:nsignal],embedding.dim=4,time.lag=1)
statepairs(hrvRRtakens4)
```

See Figure 41 on the next page.

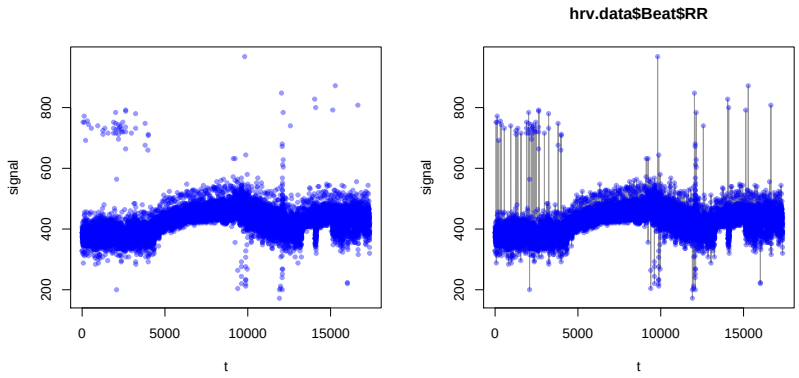

FIGURE 40. RHRV tutorial example.beats. Signal and linear interpolation.

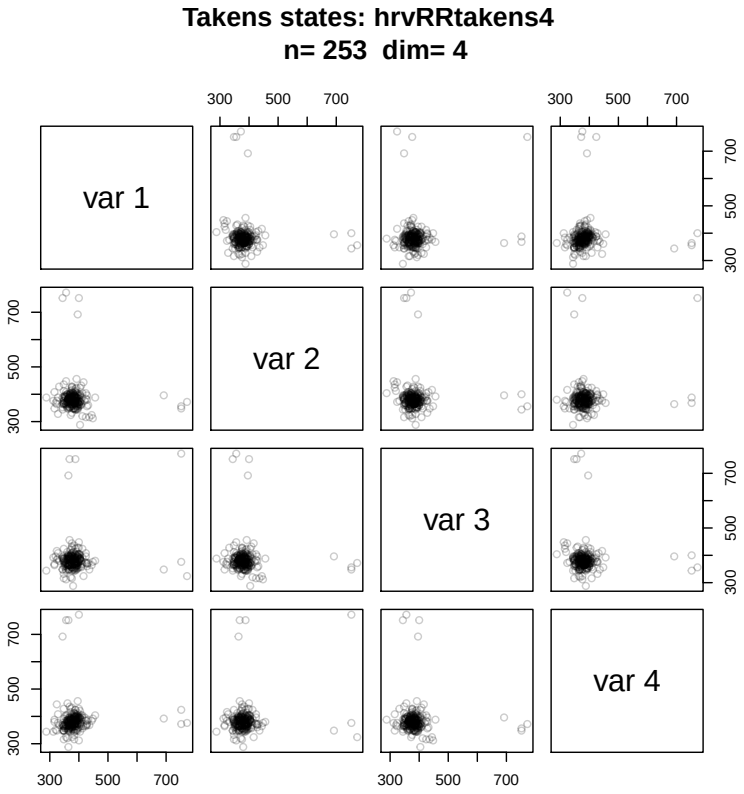

FIGURE 41. RHRV tutorial example.beats. Time used: 0.454 sec.

Input

```
statepairs(hrvRRtakens4, rank=TRUE)
```

See Figure 42 on the following page.

Input

```
hrvRRneighs4 <-local.findAllNeighbours(hrvRRtakens4, radius=16)
save(hrvRRneighs4, file="hrvRRneighs4.Rdata")
```

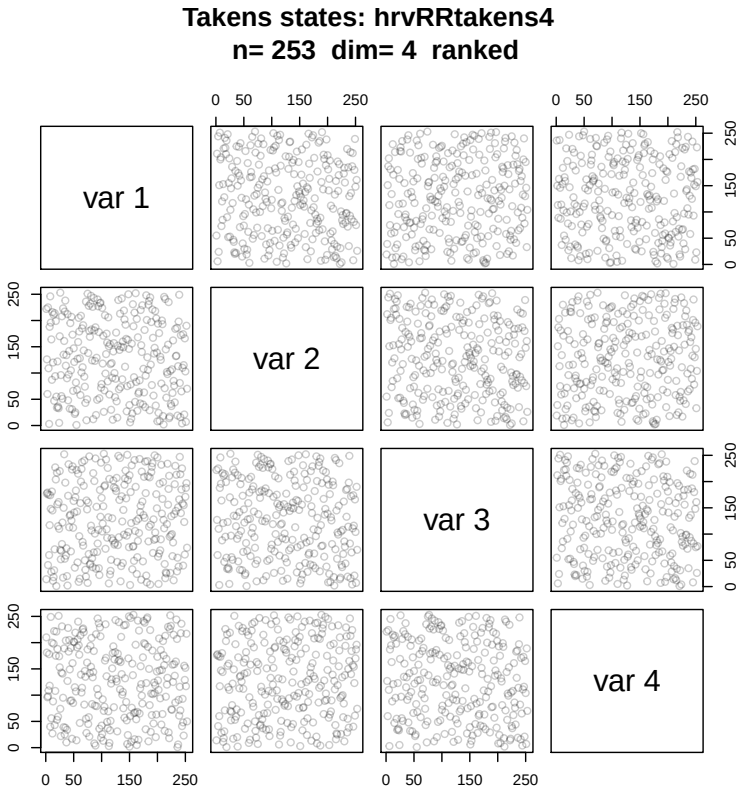

FIGURE 42. RHRV tutorial example.beats. Ranked data. Time used: 0.853 sec.

Time used: 0.039 sec.

Input

```
load(file="hrvRRneighs4.RData")
local.recurrencePlotAux(hrvRRneighs4)
```

See Figure 43 on the next page.

We should expect the breathing rhythm, so a time lag in the order of 10 is to be expected.

8.1. **RHRV: Comparison by Dimension.**

Input

```
hrvRRtakens2 <- local.buildTakens( time.series=hrv.data$Beat$RR[1:nsignal],embedding.dim=2,time.lag=1)
hrvRRneighs2 <-local.findAllNeighbours(hrvRRtakens2, radius=16)
save(hrvRRneighs2, file="hrvRRneighs2.Rdata")
```

Time used: 0.054 sec.

Input

```
load(file="hrvRRneighs2.RData")
local.recurrencePlotAux(hrvRRneighs2)
```

See Figure 44 on page 37. Time used: 0.245 sec.

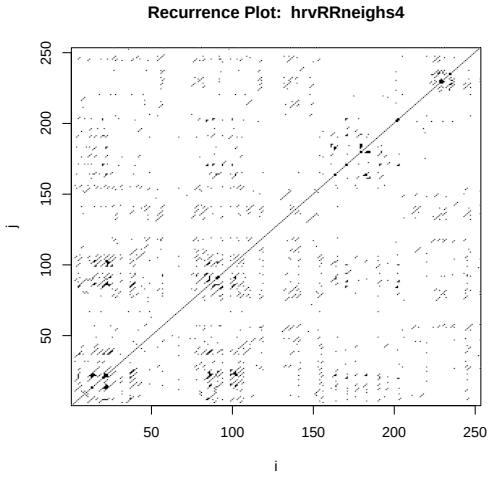

FIGURE 43. Recurrence Plot. Example case: RHRV tutorial example.beats. Dim=4. Time used: 0.139 sec.

Input

```
hrvRRtakens6 <- local.buildTakens( time.series=hrv.data$Beat$RR[1:nsignal],embedding.dim=6,time.lag=1)
hrvRRneighs6 <-local.findAllNeighbours(hrvRRtakens6, radius=16)
save(hrvRRneighs6, file="hrvRRneighs6.Rdata")
```

Time used: 0.068 sec.

Input

```
load(file="hrvRRneighs6.RData")
local.recurrencePlotAux(hrvRRneighs6)
```

Dim=6. Time used: 0.129 sec.

Input

```
hrvRRtakens8 <- local.buildTakens( time.series=hrv.data$Beat$RR[1:nsignal],embedding.dim=8,time.lag=1)
hrvRRneighs8 <-local.findAllNeighbours(hrvRRtakens8, radius=32)
save(hrvRRneighs8, file="hrvRRneighs8.Rdata")
```

Time used: 0.09 sec.

Input

```
load(file="hrvRRneighs8.RData")
local.recurrencePlotAux(hrvRRneighs8)
```

Dim=8. Time used: 0.161 sec.

Input

```
hrvRRtakens12 <- local.buildTakens( time.series=hrv.data$Beat$RR[1:nsignal],embedding.dim=2,time.lag=1)
hrvRRneighs12 <-local.findAllNeighbours(hrvRRtakens12, radius=16)
save(hrvRRneighs12, file="hrvRRneighs12.Rdata")
```

Time used: 0.255 sec.

Input

```
load(file="hrvRRneighs12.RData")
local.recurrencePlotAux(hrvRRneighs12)
```

Time used: 0.249 sec.

Input

```
hrvRRtakens16 <- local.buildTakens(
        time.series=hrv.data$Beat$RR[1:nsignal],
        embedding.dim=16,time.lag=1)
hrvRRneighs16 <-local.findAllNeighbours(hrvRRtakens16, radius=32)
save(hrvRRneighs16, file="hrvRRneighs16.Rdata")
```

Time used: 0.334 sec.

Input

```
load(file="hrvRRneighs16.RData")
local.recurrencePlotAux(hrvRRneighs16)
```

Time used: 0.146 sec.

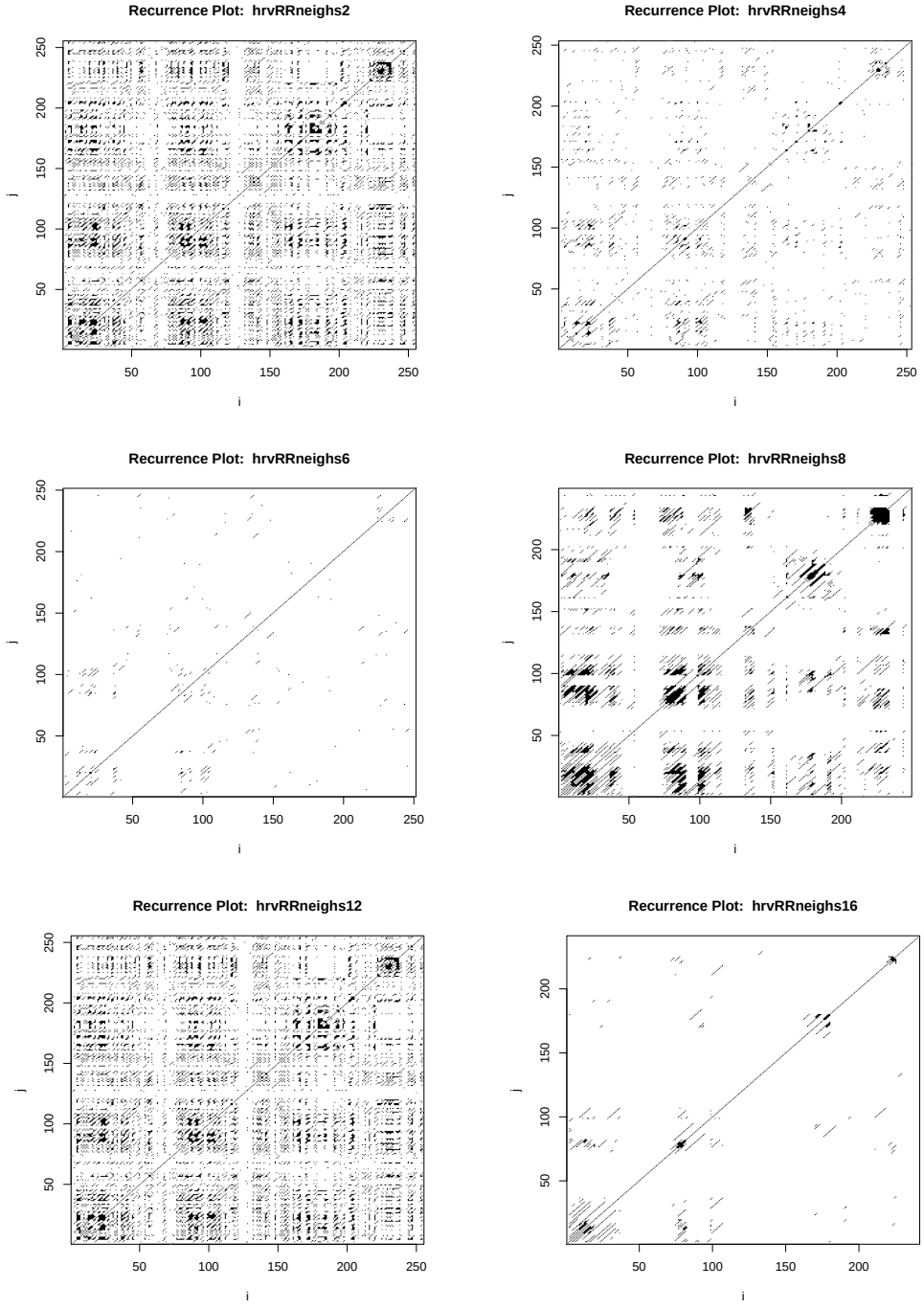

FIGURE 44. Recurrence Plot. Example case: RHRV tutorial example.beats. Dim=2, 4, 6, 8, 12, 16. Time used: 0.147 sec.

ToDo: Consider using differences

8.2. **Hart Rate Variation.** Since we are not interested in heart rate (or pulse), but in heart rate variation, a proposal is to use scaled differences.

Input

```
# source('/data/pulse/rhrv/pkg/R/BuildNIHR2.R', chdir = TRUE)
BuildNIDHR <-
function(HRVData, verbose=NULL) {
#------------------------------------------------------
# Obtains instantaneous heart rate variation from beats positions
# D for difference
#------------------------------------------------------
        if (!is.null(verbose)) {
                cat("  --- Warning: deprecated argument, using SetVerbose() instead ---\n    --- See help
                SetVerbose(HRVData,verbose)
        }

        if (HRVData$Verbose) {
                cat("** Calculating non-interpolated heart rate differences **\n")
        }

        if (is.null(HRVData$Beat$Time)) {
                cat("   --- ERROR: Beats positions not present... Impossible to calculate Heart Rate!! --
                return(HRVData)
        }

        NBeats=length(HRVData$Beat$Time)
        if (HRVData$Verbose) {
                cat("   Number of beats:",NBeats,"\n");
        }

  # addition gs
   #using NA, not constant extrapolation as else in RHRV
   #drr=c(NA,NA,1000.0*        diff(HRVData$Beat$Time, lag=1 , differences=2))
   HRVData$Beat$dRR=c(NA, NA,
           1000.0*diff(HRVData$Beat$Time, lag=1, differences=2))

   HRVData$Beat$avRR=(c(NA,HRVData$Beat$RR[-1])+HRVData$Beat$RR)/2

   HRVData$Beat$HRRV <- HRVData$Beat$dRR/HRVData$Beat$avRR

        return(HRVData)
}
```

differences for HRV

Input

```
hrv.data <- BuildNIDHR(hrv.data)
```

Output

```
** Calculating non-interpolated heart rate differences **
   Number of beats: 17360
```

Input

```
HRRV <- hrv.data$Beat$HRRV
```

These are the displays of the Takens state space we used before, now for HRRV:

Input
```
plotsignal(HRRV)
```

See Figure 45,

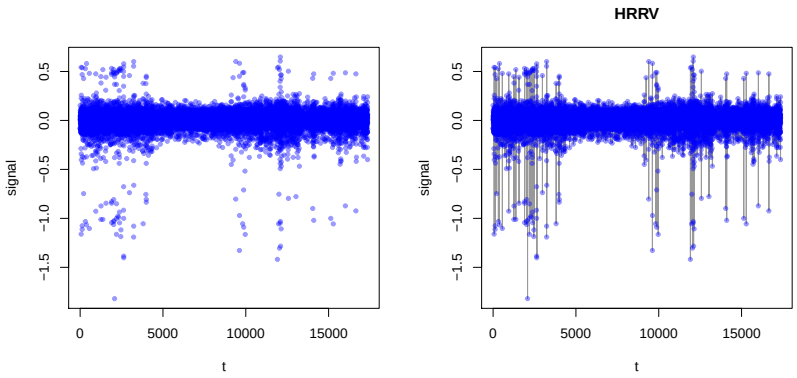

FIGURE 45. RHRV tutorial example.beats. HRRV Signal and linear interpolation.

Only 256 data points used in this section

Input
```
hrvRRVtakens4 <-
        local.buildTakens( time.series=HRRV[1:nsignal], embedding.dim=4,time.lag=1)
statepairs(hrvRRVtakens4)
```

See Figure 46 on the following page

Input
```
statepairs(hrvRRVtakens4, rank=TRUE)
```

See Figure 47 on page 41

ToDo: findAllNeighbours does not handle NAs

Input
```
#use hack: findAllNeighbours does not handle NAs
hrvRRVneighs4 <-local.findAllNeighbours(hrvRRVtakens4[-(1:2),], radius=0.125)
save(hrvRRVneighs4, file="hrvRRVneighs4.Rdata")
```

Time used: 0.053 sec.

Input
```
load(file="hrvRRVneighs4.RData")
local.recurrencePlotAux(hrvRRVneighs4,dim=4, radius=0.125)
```

ToDo: check. There seem to be strange artefacts.
We should expect the breathing rhythm, so a time lag in the order of 10 is to be expected.

8.3. RHRV Variation: Comparison by Dimension.

Input
```
hrvRRVtakens2 <- local.buildTakens( time.series=HRRV[1:nsignal], embedding.dim=2, time.lag=1)
hrvRRVneighs2 <-local.findAllNeighbours(hrvRRVtakens2[-(1:2),], radius=0.125)
save(hrvRRVneighs2, file="hrvRRVneighs2.Rdata")
```

Time used: 0.111 sec.

ToDo: fix default setting for radius. Eckmann uses nearest neighbours with NN=10

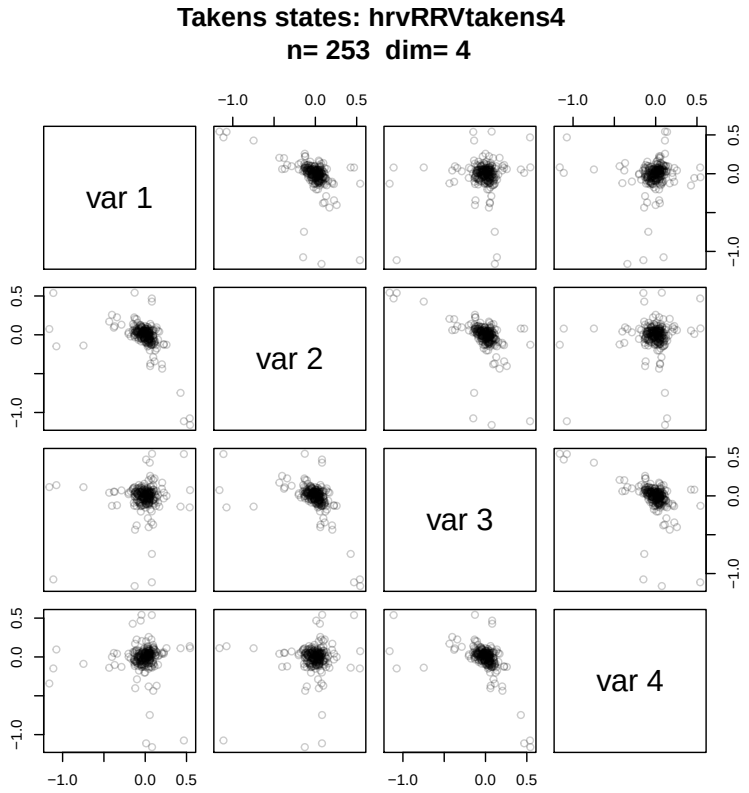

FIGURE 46. RHRV tutorial example.beats. HRRV Time used: 0.362 sec.

Input
```
showrqa(hrvRRVtakens2[-(1:2),], radius=0.125, do.hist=FALSE)
```

Output
```
hrvRRVtakens2[-(1:2), ]  n= 253  Dim: 2
Radius: 0.125  Recurrence coverage REC: 0.504
Determinism: 0.939  Laminarity: 0.825
DIV: 0.032
Trend: 0  Entropy: 2.411
Diagonal lines max: 31  Mean: 5.717  Mean off main: 5.671
Vertical lines max: 48  Mean: 4.521
```

Input
```
load(file="hrvRRVneighs2.RData")
local.recurrencePlotAux(hrvRRVneighs2, dim=2,  radius=0.125)
```

Time used: 0.477 sec.

Input
```
hrvRRVtakens6 <- local.buildTakens( time.series=HRRV[1:nsignal],embedding.dim=6,time.lag=1)
hrvRRVneighs6 <-local.findAllNeighbours(hrvRRVtakens6[-(1:2),], radius=0.125)
save(hrvRRVneighs6, file="hrvRRVneighs6.Rdata")
```

Time used: 0.091 sec.

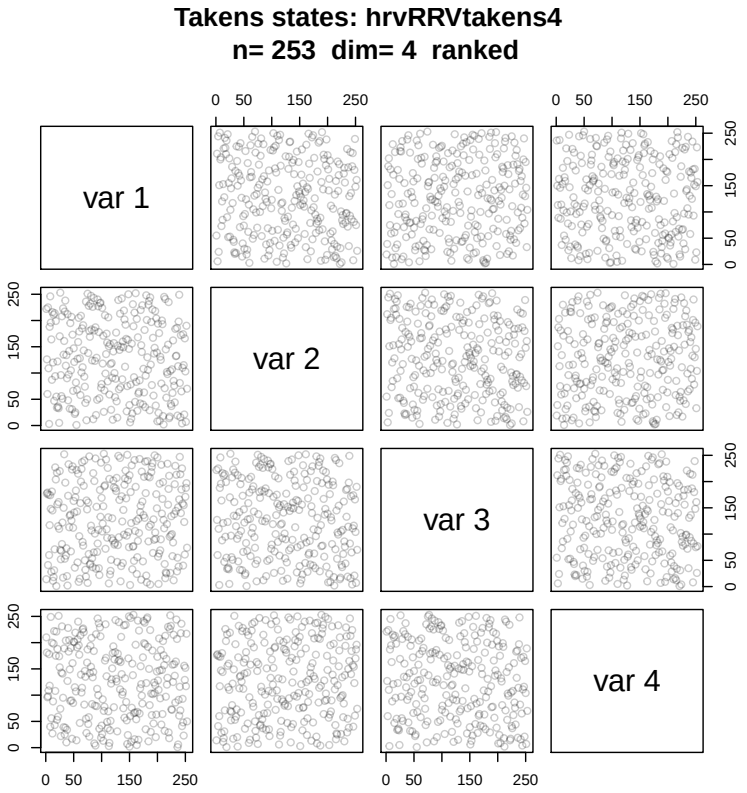

FIGURE 47. RHRV tutorial example.beats. Ranked HRRV data. Time used: 0.732 sec.

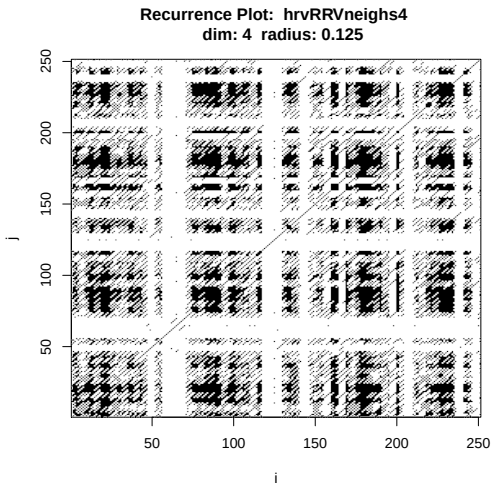

FIGURE 48. Recurrence Plot. Example case: RHRV tutorial example.beats. HRRV Dim=4. Time used: 0.304 sec.

Input

```
showrqa(hrvRRVtakens6[-(1:2),], radius=0.125, do.hist=FALSE)
```

Output

```
hrvRRVtakens6[-(1:2), ]  n= 249  Dim: 6
Radius: 0.125  Recurrence coverage REC: 0.198
Determinism: 0.948  Laminarity: 0.529
DIV: 0.037
Trend: 0  Entropy: 2.449
Diagonal lines max: 27  Mean: 6.039  Mean off main: 5.913
Vertical lines max: 21  Mean: 3.215
```

Input

```
load(file="hrvRRVneighs6.RData")
local.recurrencePlotAux(hrvRRVneighs6, dim=6, radius=0.125)
```

Dim=6. Time used: 0.26 sec.

Input

```
hrvRRVtakens8 <- local.buildTakens( time.series=HRRV[1:nsignal],embedding.dim=8,time.lag=1)
hrvRRVneighs8 <-local.findAllNeighbours(hrvRRVtakens8[-(1:2),], radius=0.125)
save(hrvRRVneighs8, file="hrvRRVneighs8.Rdata")
```

Time used: 0.088 sec.

Input

```
showrqa(hrvRRVtakens8[-(1:2),], radius=0.125, do.hist=FALSE)
```

Output

```
hrvRRVtakens8[-(1:2), ]  n= 247  Dim: 8
Radius: 0.125  Recurrence coverage REC: 0.127
Determinism: 0.947  Laminarity: 0.421
DIV: 0.04
Trend: 0  Entropy: 2.598
Diagonal lines max: 25  Mean: 6.806  Mean off main: 6.583
Vertical lines max: 17  Mean: 2.994
```

Input

```
load(file="hrvRRVneighs8.RData")
local.recurrencePlotAux(hrvRRVneighs8, dim=8, radius=0.125)
```

Dim=8. Time used: 0.203 sec.

Input

```
hrvRRVtakens12 <-
        local.buildTakens( time.series=HRRV[1:nsignal],embedding.dim=12,time.lag=1)
hrvRRVneighs12 <-
        local.findAllNeighbours(hrvRRVtakens12[-(1:2),], radius=3/16)
save(hrvRRVneighs12, file="hrvRRVneighs12.Rdata")
```

Time used: 0.314 sec.

Input

```
showrqa(hrvRRVtakens12[-(1:2),], radius=3/16, do.hist=FALSE)
```

Output

```
hrvRRVtakens12[-(1:2), ]  n= 243  Dim: 12
Radius: 0.1875  Recurrence coverage REC: 0.25
Determinism: 0.99  Laminarity: 0.773
DIV: 0.026
Trend: 0  Entropy: 3.122
Diagonal lines max: 39  Mean: 11.254  Mean off main: 11.075
Vertical lines max: 39  Mean: 5.715
```

Input

```
load(file="hrvRRVneighs12.RData")
local.recurrencePlotAux(hrvRRVneighs12, dim=12,  radius=3/16)
```

Time used: 0.246 sec.

Input

```
hrvRRVtakens16 <- local.buildTakens( time.series=HRRV[1:nsignal],embedding.dim=16,time.lag=1)
hrvRRVneighs16 <-local.findAllNeighbours(hrvRRVtakens16[-(1:2),], radius=3/16)
save(hrvRRVneighs16, file="hrvRRVneighs16.Rdata")
```

Time used: 0.345 sec.

Input

```
showrqa(hrvRRVtakens16[-(1:2),], radius=3/16, do.hist=FALSE)
```

Output

```
hrvRRVtakens16[-(1:2), ]  n= 239  Dim: 16
Radius: 0.1875  Recurrence coverage REC: 0.173
Determinism: 0.996  Laminarity: 0.746
DIV: 0.029
Trend: 0  Entropy: 3.146
Diagonal lines max: 35  Mean: 11.982  Mean off main: 11.705
Vertical lines max: 35  Mean: 4.982
```

Input

```
load(file="hrvRRVneighs16.RData")
local.recurrencePlotAux(hrvRRVneighs16, dim=16, radius=3/16)
```

Time used: 0.206 sec.

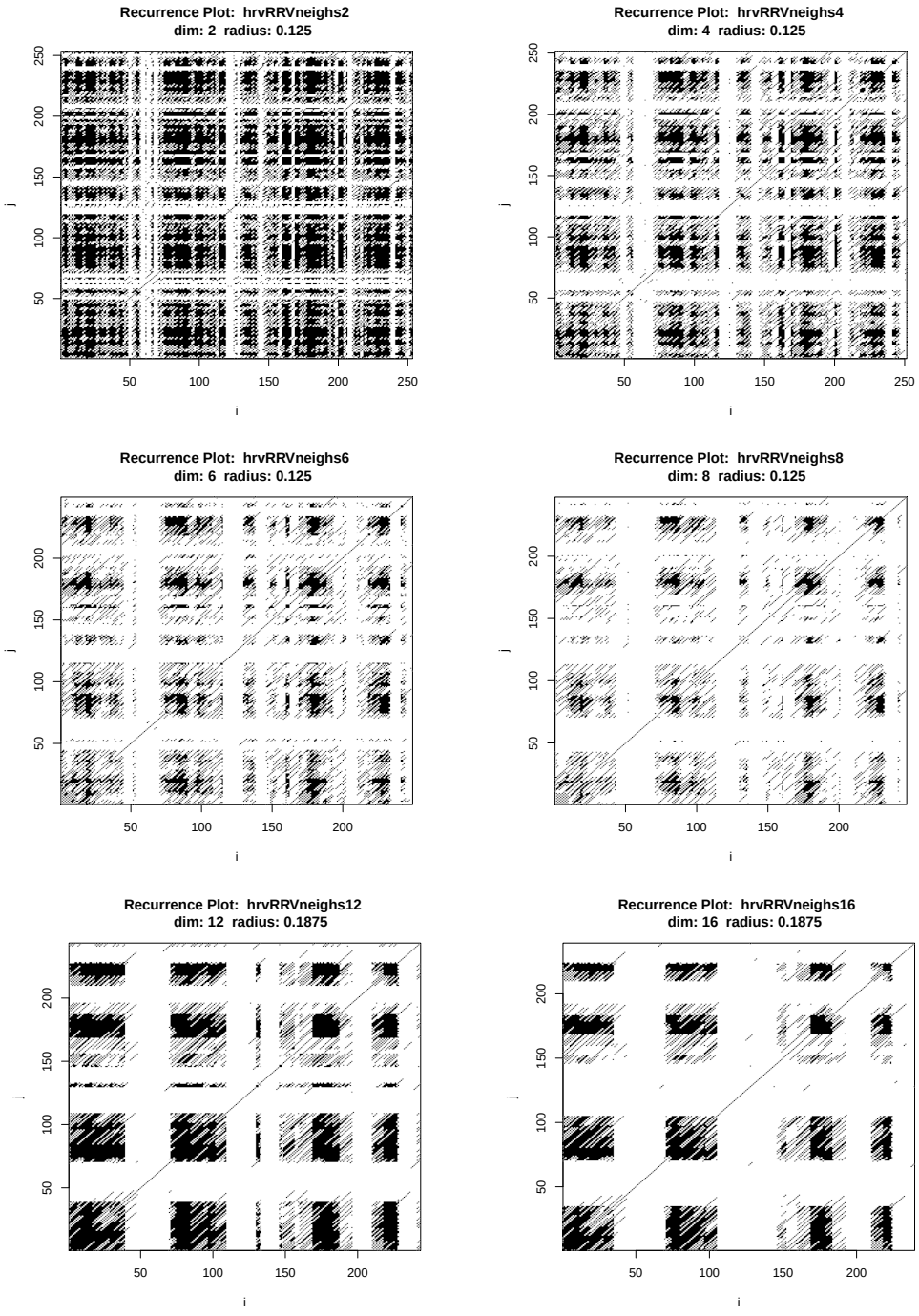

FIGURE 49. Recurrence Plot. Example case: RHRV tutorial example.beats. Dim=2, 4, 6, 8, 12, 16. Time used: 0.207 sec.

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