

(Rel.) c-Medoids (Krishnapuram '01)

- prototypes are data points

$$V \subseteq X$$

- for example

$$v_i = x_j \quad \Rightarrow \quad d_{ik} = \|v_i - x_k\| = \|x_j - x_k\| = r_{jk}$$

- can be used to cluster relational data R
- contribution of cluster i with $v_i = x_j$ to the FCM cost function

$$J_i^* = J_{ij} = \sum_{k=1}^n u_{ik}^m r_{jk}^2$$

- optimal choice of medoids

$$w_i = \arg \min \{J_{i1}, \dots, J_{in}\}$$

Relational Fuzzy c-Means (Bezdek '87)

- reformulation: insert optimal V into J

$$J_{\text{RFCM}}(U; R) = \sum_{i=1}^c \frac{\sum_{j=1}^n \sum_{k=1}^n u_{ij}^m u_{ik}^m r_{jk}^2}{\sum_{j=1}^n u_{ij}^m}$$

- solution

$$u_{ik} = 1 / \sum_{j=1}^n \frac{\sum_{s=1}^n \frac{u_{is}^m r_{sk}}{\sum_{r=1}^n u_{ir}^m} - \sum_{s=1}^n \sum_{t=1}^n \frac{u_{is}^m u_{it}^m r_{st}}{2 \left(\sum_{r=1}^n u_{ir}^m \right)^2}}{\sum_{s=1}^n \frac{u_{js}^m r_{sk}}{\sum_{r=1}^n u_{jr}^m} - \sum_{s=1}^n \sum_{t=1}^n \frac{u_{js}^m u_{jt}^m r_{st}}{2 \left(\sum_{r=1}^n u_{jr}^m \right)^2}}$$

Non-Euclidean Relations

- problem with RFCM:

$$u_{ik} < 0 \quad \text{or} \quad u_{ik} > 1$$

if R is not Euclidean (triangle inequality violated)

- solution: transformation of the distance matrix

$$D_{\beta} = D + \beta \cdot \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 1 & \dots & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & \dots & 1 & 1 \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots & \vdots \\ 1 & 1 & \dots & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & \dots & 1 & 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

with successively increasing $\beta > 0$

- non-Euclidean relational fuzzy c-means (NERFCM)

Mercer's Theorem (again)

- idea: transform the data $X = \{x_1, \dots, x_n\} \in \mathbb{R}^p$ to $X' = \{x'_1, \dots, x'_n\} \in \mathbb{R}^q$, $q \gg p$, so that the structure in X' is easier than in X
- support vector machine: non linearly separable data $X \rightarrow$ linearly separable data X'
- relational clustering: complex cluster shapes in $R \rightarrow$ hyperspherical clusters in R'
- Mercer's theorem \exists a mapping $\varphi : \mathbb{R}^p \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^q$ so that

$$k(x_j, x_k) = \varphi(x_j) \cdot \varphi(x_k)^T$$

- kernel trick: scalar product in $X' =$ kernel function in X

Kernelization

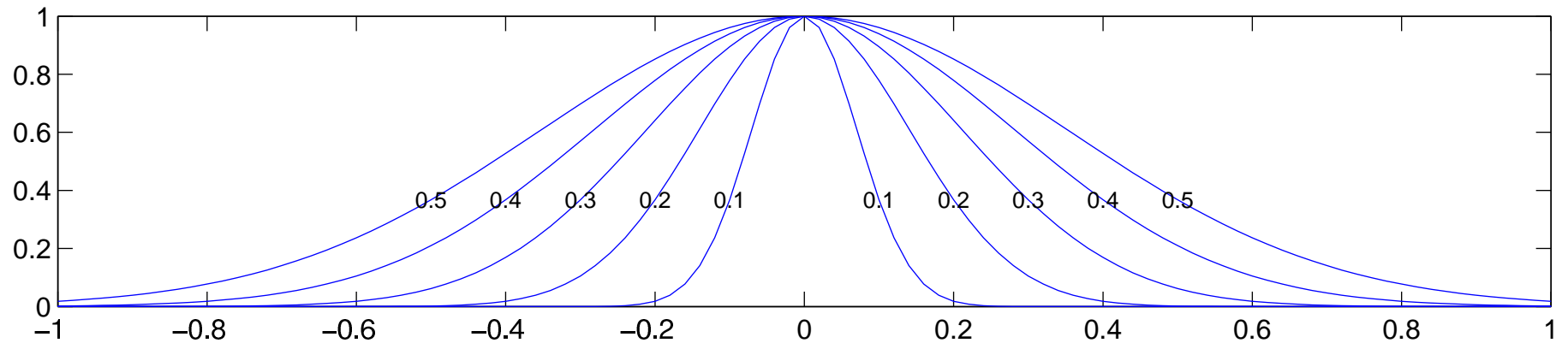
- relational data

$$\begin{aligned}r_{jk}^2 &= \|\varphi(x_j) - \varphi(x_k)\|^2 \\&= \left(\varphi(x_j) - \varphi(x_k)\right) \left(\varphi(x_j) - \varphi(x_k)\right)^T \\&= \varphi(x_j)\varphi(x_j)^T - 2\varphi(x_j)\varphi(x_k)^T + \varphi(x_k)\varphi(x_k)^T \\&= k(x_j, x_j) - 2 \cdot k(x_j, x_k) + k(x_k, x_k) \\&= 2 - 2 \cdot k(x_j, x_k)\end{aligned}$$

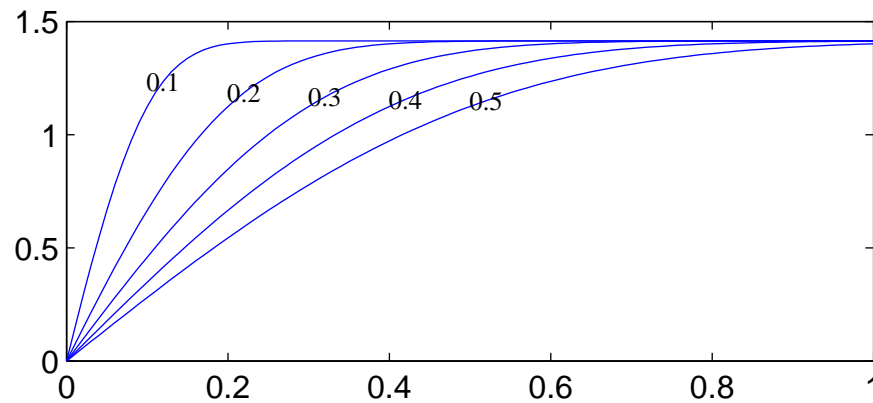
- kernelization as preprocessing of R (kNERFCM)

$$\begin{aligned}r'_{jk} &= \sqrt{2 - 2 \cdot e^{-\frac{r_{jk}^2}{\sigma^2}}} \\r'_{jk} &= \sqrt{2 \cdot \tanh\left(\frac{r_{jk}^2}{\sigma^2}\right)}\end{aligned}$$

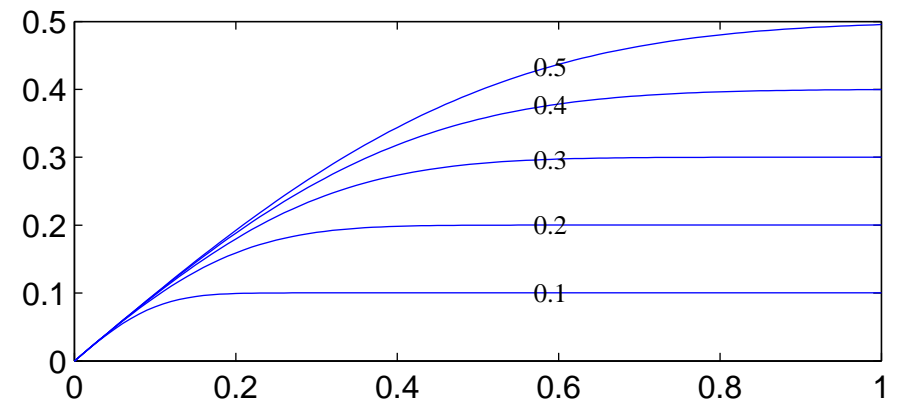
Effect of Kernelization



Gaussian kernels for various values of σ



kernelization



normalized kernelization

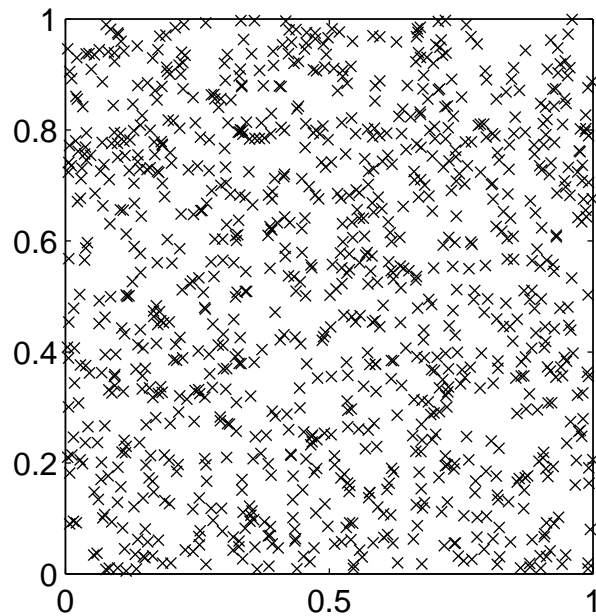
Cluster Tendency: Hopkins Index

- $R = \{r_1, \dots, r_m\}$: random points in the convex hull of X
- $S = \{s_1, \dots, s_m\}$: randomly picked data from X , $m \ll n$
- d_{r_1}, \dots, d_{r_m} : distances of R to the nearest neighbors in X
- d_{s_1}, \dots, d_{s_m} : distances of S to the nearest neighbors in X
- Hopkins index

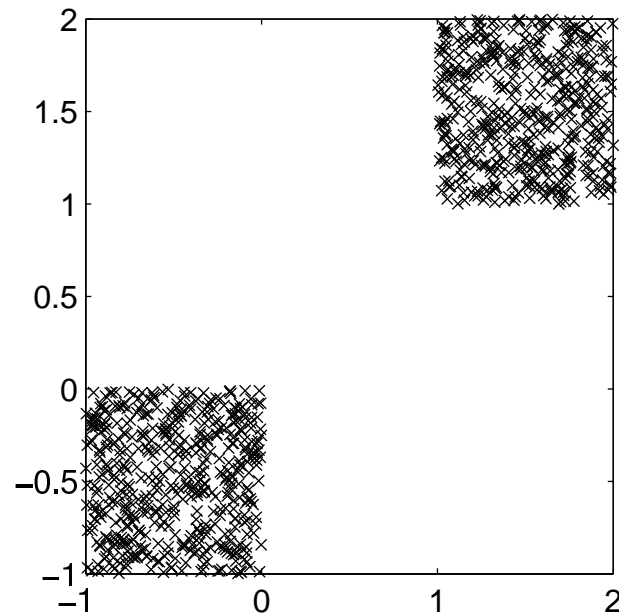
$$h = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^m d_{r_i}^p}{\sum_{i=1}^m d_{r_i}^p + \sum_{i=1}^m d_{s_i}^p}$$

- interpretation:
 - $h \approx 0 \quad \leftrightarrow \quad X$ has regular structure
 - $h \approx 0.5 \quad \leftrightarrow \quad X$ is randomly distributed
 - $h \approx 1 \quad \leftrightarrow \quad X$ contains clusters

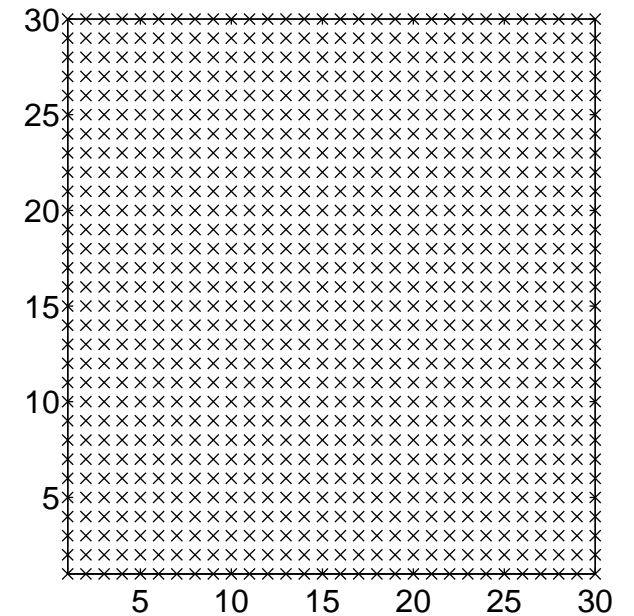
Examples Hopkins Index



$h \approx 0.4229$



$h \approx 0.9988$



$h \approx 0.1664$

Validity Measures

- partition coefficient
(average square membership)

$$PC = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n \sum_{i=1}^c u_{ik}^2$$

- classification entropy
(average entropy)

$$CE = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{k=1}^n \sum_{i=1}^c -u_{ik} \cdot \log u_{ik}$$

U	$PC(U)$	$CE(U)$
$\begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & \dots & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & & 0 \\ \vdots & & \ddots & \vdots \\ 0 & 0 & \dots & 1 \end{pmatrix}$	1	0
$\begin{pmatrix} \frac{1}{c} & \dots & \frac{1}{c} \\ \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \frac{1}{c} & \dots & \frac{1}{c} \end{pmatrix}$	$\frac{1}{c}$	$\log c$

Self-Organizing Map (Kohonen '81)

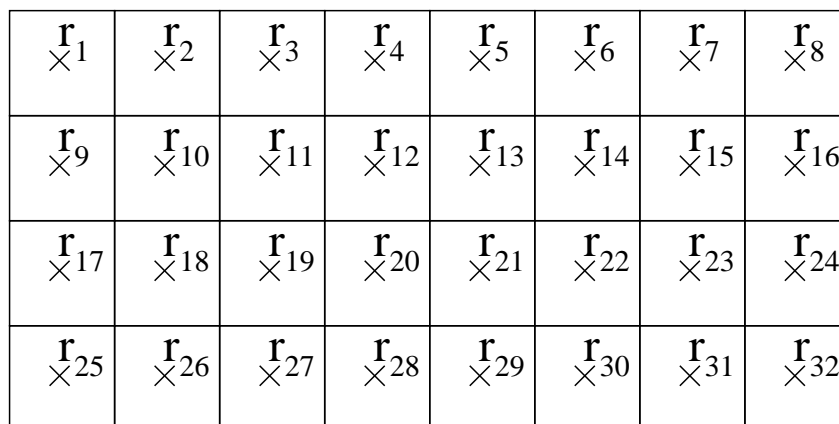
- q -dimensional array of nodes with reference vectors

$$M = \{m_1, \dots, m_l\} \subset \mathbb{R}^p$$

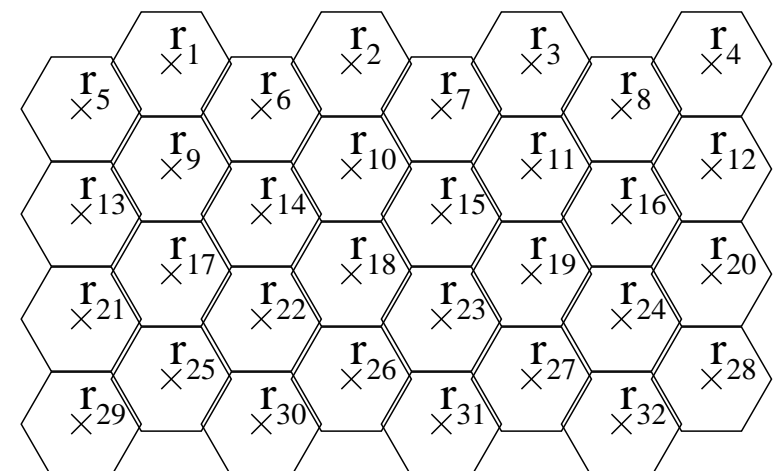
and locations

$$R = \{r_1, \dots, r_l\} \subset \mathbb{R}^q$$

rectangular



hexagonal



Self-Organizing Map

- in each learning step t consider the neighbors of each node
- neighborhood between nodes with indices c and i

$$\text{bubble: } h_{ci} = \begin{cases} \alpha(t), & \text{if } \|r_c - r_i\| < \rho(t) \\ 0, & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$\text{Gaussian: } h_{ci} = \alpha(t) \cdot e^{-\frac{\|r_c - r_i\|^2}{2 \cdot \rho^2(t)}},$$

- observation radius $\rho(t)$: monotonically decreasing
- learning rate $\alpha(t)$: monotonically decreasing, e.g.

$$\alpha(t) = \frac{A}{B + t}, \quad A, B > 0$$

Self-Organizing Map

- algorithm

1. input data $X = \{x_1, \dots, x_n\} \subset R^p$,
map dimension $q \in \{1, \dots, p-1\}$,
node positions $R = \{r_1, \dots, r_l\} \subset R^q$
2. initialize $M = \{m_1, \dots, m_l\} \subset R^p$, $t = 1$
3. for each x_k , $k = 1, \dots, n$,
(a) find winner node m_c with

$$\|x_k - m_c\| \leq \|x_k - m_i\| \quad \forall i = 1, \dots, l$$

- (b) update winner and neighbors

$$m_i = m_i + h_{ci} \cdot (x_k - m_c) \quad \forall i = 1, \dots, l$$

4. $t = t + 1$
5. repeat from (3.) until termination criterion holds
6. output reference vectors $M = \{m_1, \dots, m_l\} \subset R^p$