



## Symbolic PCA of compositional data.

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# Context

- We have more and more complex data : sequential, textual, data structured in blocs, ...
- Problem to analyze this data with usual tool of data analysis.
- Necessity to extend classical methods of data analysis to complex data.

# Contribution of symbolic data analysis

- Study efficiently complex data via a superior level of generality  
(town –> regions, country –> continent, players –> team)
- Variables can be symbolic interval-valued, symbolic multi valued variable, histogram, . . .
- Output of methodology proposed must have symbolic nature

# Compositional Data and histogram data.

$x_1, \dots, x_m$   $m$  classical variables are compositional if  $x_1, \dots, x_m$  are non negative and

$$x_1 + \dots + x_m = 1.$$

Symbolic histogram variables are an example of compositional variable. if :

$n$  : number of observations ;

$p$  : number of variables ;

$m_j$  : number of bins of variables ;

$Y_j = (Y_{ij})_{i=1, \dots, n, j=1, \dots, p}$  is symbolic histogram variable if

$Y_{ij} = \{\xi_j, H_{ij}\}$  ;  $\xi_j = (\xi_j^{(1)}, \dots, \xi_j^{(m_j)})$  are bins of variables.

$H_{ij}$  are relatives frequency :

$$H_{ij}^{(1)} + \dots + H_{ij}^{(m_j)} = 1.$$

# Example of Symbolic histogram variable

**TABLE:** Example of Symbolic histogram variable

Region	GDP in k\$ by hab.			Rate of mortality	
Bin	$\leq 1$ k\$	$]1, 20]$ k\$	$> 20$ k\$	$\leq 0.10$	$> 0.10$
Afrique	0.340	0.660	0.000	0.245	0.755
Alena	0.000	0.333	0.667	1.000	0.000
AsieOrientale	0.067	0.801	0.133	1.000	0.000
Europe	0.000	0.322	0.677	0.742	0.258

$$Y_{11} = \{\xi_1, H_{11}\} \text{ with } \xi_1 = \{] -\infty, 1], ]1, 20], ]20, +\infty[\} ; H_{11} = (0.340; 0.660; 0.000)$$

# Parametric coding.

Let be  $\mathcal{D}_j = (\alpha_j, \beta_j)$  domain of all possible values of bins.

For the first variable (GDP), we have  $\alpha_1 = 0, \beta_1 = +\infty$ ;

For the second variable (rate of mortality), we have :  $\alpha_2 = 0, \beta_2 = 100$ ;

$\delta_j = \inf_{k_j=1, \dots, m_j} L_{k_j}$ , where  $L_{k_j}$  is the length of interval  $\xi_j^{(k_j)}$ .

- If  $\xi_j^{(k_j)} = ]-\infty, a_j]$  then  $\xi_j^{(k_j)} \rightarrow \xi_j^{(k_j)} = ]e, a_j]$  where

$$e = \begin{cases} \alpha_j & \text{if } a_j - \delta_j < \alpha_j \\ a_j - \delta_j & \text{else} \end{cases} .$$

- If  $\xi_j^{(k_j)} = ]b_j, +\infty[$ , then  $\xi_j^{(k_j)} \rightarrow \xi_j^{(k_j)} = ]b_j, f_j]$  with

$$f_j = \begin{cases} \beta_j & \text{si } b_j + \delta_j > \beta_j \\ b_j + \delta_j & \text{else} \end{cases} .$$

# Parametric coding.

- In the example,  $\xi_1^{(1)} = ] - \infty, 1]$ ,  $\xi_1^{(2)} = ]1, 20]$ ,  $L_2 = 20 - 1 = 19$ , we replace  
 $\xi_1^{(1)} \longrightarrow \xi_1'^{(1)} = ]\max(1 - 19, 0), 1] = ]0, 1]$  and  
 $\xi_1^{(3)} \longrightarrow \xi_1'^{(3)} = ]20, \min(20 + 19, +\infty)] = ]20, \min(39, +\infty)] = ]20, 39]$ .
- If bins of variables don't have the same unit, we replace each interval  $]a', b']$  by an adjusted interval  $]a'/(b' - a'); b'/(b' - a')]$ .
- Parametric coding assign to one bin a vector of scores  $s_j = (s_j^{(1)}, \dots, s_j^{(m_j)})$ , where  $s_j^{(k_j)}$  is the center of adjusted interval for  $k_j = 1, \dots, m_j$ .

# Non parametric coding.

Non parametric Coding use as score of bins the rank associated to their bins. In the table of example of histogram data, scores of bins of classes will be

$$s_j^{(1)} = 1, s_j^{(2)} = 2, \dots, s_j^{(mj)} = m_j.$$

$$s_1^{(1)} = 1, s_1^{(2)} = 2; s_1^{(3)} = 3; s_2^{(1)} = 1, s_2^{(2)} = 2.$$

# PCA of means of variables.

- Work out means of histogram  $g_{ij}$  :  $g_{ij} = \sum_{k_j=1}^{m_j} s_j^{(k_j)} H_{ij}^{(k_j)}$  :

TABLE: Table of means of histogram variable.

Variable	$Y_1$	...	$Y_p$
$\omega_1$	$g_{11}$	...	$g_{1p}$
$\omega_2$	$g_{21}$	...	$g_{2p}$
$\vdots$	$\vdots$	$\vdots$	$\vdots$
$\omega_n$	$g_{n1}$	...	$g_{np}$

- Ordinary PCA of the  $n \times p$  table of  $(g_{ij})_{i=1,\dots,n; j=1,\dots,p}$ . Let be  $u_\alpha$  principal axes of means of variables.

Transformation of  $\{s_j; H_{ij}\} = \left\{ s_j^{(k)}; H_{ij}^{(k)} \right\}$  in interval  $[\underline{x}_{ij}, \overline{x}_{ij}]$  via Tchebychev's rule : if  $X$  is random variable, for  $t > 0$

$$P(X \in [g_{ij} - t\sigma_{ij}, g_{ij} + t\sigma_{ij}]) \geq 1 - \frac{1}{t^2} \quad \forall t > 0 \quad (2.1)$$

$g_{ij} = \sum_{k=1}^{m_j} s_j^{(k_j)} H_{ij}^{(k_j)}$ ,  $\sigma_{ij}$  is the standard derivation.

TABLE: Histogram transformed into interval via Tchebychev's rule.

Variable - >	$Y_1$	$Y_2$	...	$Y_p$
$\omega_1$	$[\underline{x}_{11}, \overline{x}_{11}]$	$[\underline{x}_{12}, \overline{x}_{12}]$	...	$[\underline{x}_{1p}, \overline{x}_{1p}]$
$\omega_2$	$[\underline{x}_{21}, \overline{x}_{21}]$	$[\underline{x}_{22}, \overline{x}_{22}]$	...	$[\underline{x}_{2p}, \overline{x}_{2p}]$
$\vdots$	$\vdots$	$\vdots$	$\vdots$	$\vdots$
$\omega_n$	$[\underline{x}_{n1}, \overline{x}_{n1}]$	$[\underline{x}_{n2}, \overline{x}_{n2}]$	...	$[\underline{x}_{np}, \overline{x}_{np}]$

# Representation of dispersion of individual.

- Construction of hypercubes. A hypercube is assimilate by a  $2^p \times p$  matrix. For  $p = 2$ , we have :

$$M_i = \begin{pmatrix} \underline{x_{i1}} & \underline{x_{i2}} \\ \overline{x_{i1}} & \overline{x_{i2}} \\ \underline{\overline{x_{i1}}} & \underline{\overline{x_{i2}}} \\ \overline{\overline{x_{i1}}} & \overline{\overline{x_{i2}}} \end{pmatrix}$$

- We project the hypercube on principal axes  $u_\alpha$  of PCA of means of variable.
- Der termination of min and max of  $2^p$  points projected. Then we represent rectangle.

# Problem of unit constraint.

Relative fréquency  $H_{ij}^{(kj)}$  are compositional data because of unit constraint. Unit constraint (cf. Aitchison (1986) ) cause :

- ① Spurious correlation
- ② Negative bias
- ③ Lack of normality
- ④ Instability of variance

## Steps of second approach

Usage of angular transformation in second approach  $\text{Arsinus}(\sqrt{H_{ij}^{(kj)}})$  allows to remove this problem

Steps of second approach are :

- ① Coding of bins
- ② Usage of angular transformation  $\text{Asin}((H_{ij}^{(kj)})^{1/2})$
- ③ PCA of means of variables
- ④ Transformation of data into interval by Tchebytchev inequality
- ⑤ Construction of hypercube
- ⑥ Projection of hypercube on factorial axes

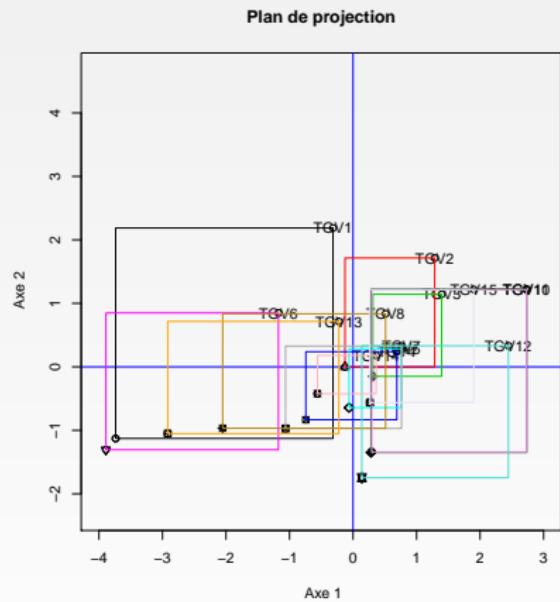
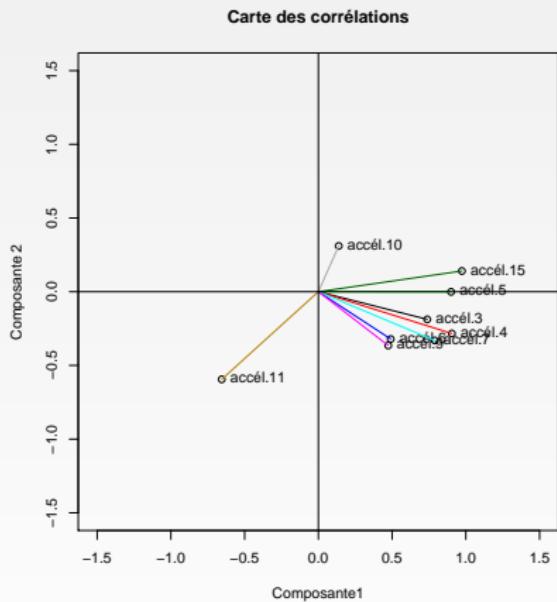
# Applications of two approaches on TGV data.

$n = 14$  TGV. Each TGV represents 800.000 values (signal).  $p = 9$  variables (Acceleration) captors located in different place on a bridge. Each variable is an histogram with  $m=20$  bins. Objective is To detect anomalies between TGV and characterize them.

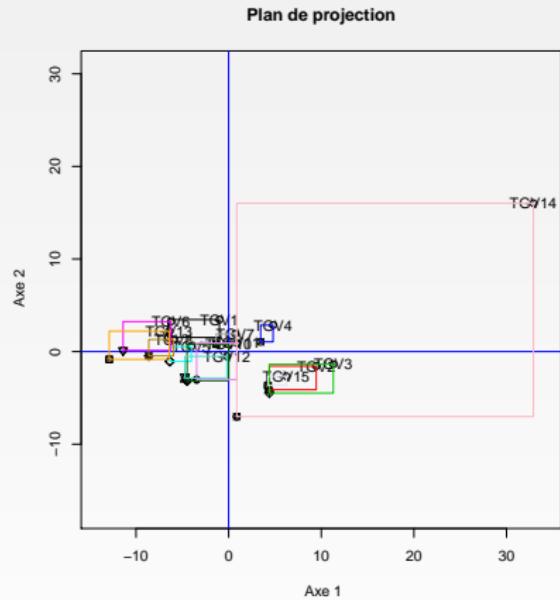
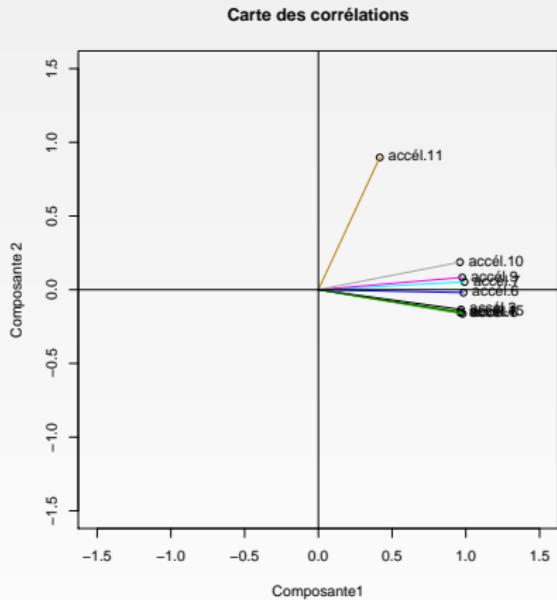
We see in two approach mainly 3 groups :

- Groupe 1 : TGV1, TGV6 , TGV13.
- Groupe2 : TGV2, TGV3, TGV10 , TGV11,TGV12, TGV15
- Groupe3 : TGV4, TGV8,, TGV5,TGV7 TGV14

# Application of first approach.



# Application of second approach.



# Conclusion

- Approaches presented improve presented Nagabhushan et al. (2007) methodology, they don't need hypothesis about number of bins of variables.
- Second approach take account unit constraint and seem more robust than the first approach

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