

## SSC IMPROVE: Data Analysis and Pattern Recognition

The goal of this course is to introduce to the students basic concepts of Data Analysis and Pattern Recognition. Data Analysis techniques provide tools to visualize and understand patterns in the data. These techniques are useful for the massive data collected from the volcano monitoring system, and help to identify sensor problems/misfunctioning and sensor diversity. Pattern Recognition and Machine Learning techniques allow to infer a model from known data and clustering unknow data according to the model. Data analysis is completely complementary to Machine Learning fitting model.

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Wednesday 24/01/2024 Topic: Data Analysis

### 9:00-11:00

# Introduction to MEDA and the MEDA Toolbox (MEDA, Matlab)

The Multivariate Exploratory Data Analysis (MEDA) Toolbox in Matlab is a set of multivariate analysis tools for the exploration of data sets. There are several alternative tools in the market for that purpose, both commercial and free. The PLS\_Toolbox from Eigenvector Inc. is a very nice example. The MEDA Toolbox is not intended to replace or being a competitor of any of these toolkits. Rather, the MEDA Toolbox is a complementary tool that includes several of our recent contributions to the field. Thus, traditional exploratory plots based on Principal Component Analysis (PCA) or Partial Least Squares (PLS), such as score, loading and residual plots, are combined with new methods: MEDA, oMEDA, SVI plots, ADICOV, EKF & CKF cross-validation, CSP, GPCA, ....

The MEDA Toolbox can be used to analyze normal size data sets (several hundreds of observations times several hundreds of variables) There is also an extension of the toolbox for large data sets, with millions of items, under folder Big Data.

### 11:30-13:30

#### Principal Component Analysis (MEDA, Matlab)

PCA is one of the most widely used data-analysis methods across disciplines. It has been widely employed for the derivation of useful multivariate visualizations. The PCA factorization is useful for the visualization of multivariate data, since it allows us to explore the distribution of the observations (rows) and of the features (columns) of the data in separate plots of much lower dimension, and hence easier to visualize, while they retain most of the information in the data.

#### 15:00-17:00

#### UMAC (Python)

UMAP is a popular non-linear dimensionality reduction method to efficiently visualize high-dimensional data with no obvious linear relationships. UMAP can be seen as a nonlinear extension of PCA where we can explore complex projections to find interesting patterns in our data. However, the scores do not correspond to linear distances within the data itself, and consequently the contributions of each variable are difficult to interpret.







## Thursday 25/01/2024 Topic: Pattern Recognition



Friday 26/01/2024 Topic: Exercises with volcano data

9:00_11:00	Data Analysis Exercises
11:30-13: 30	Machine Learning Exercises