

Group-wise Principal Component Analysis

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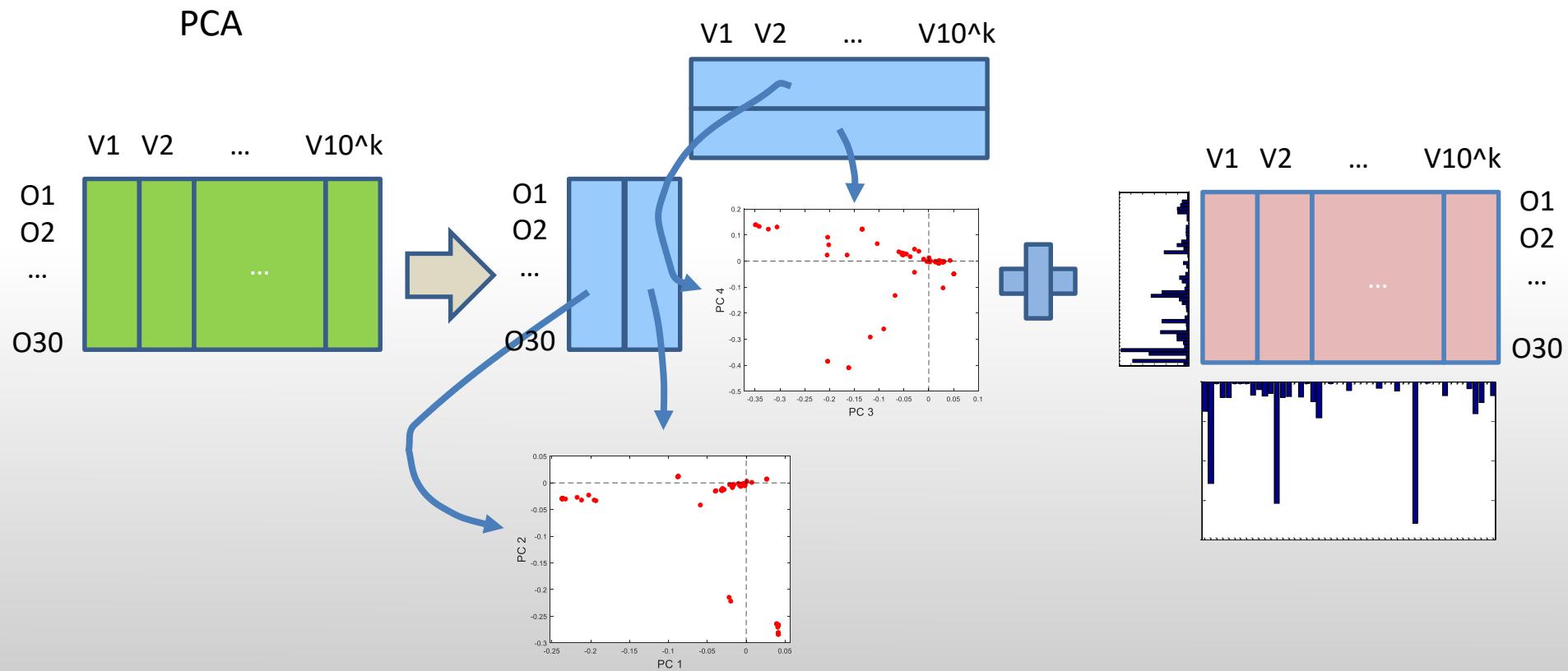
→ Exploratory Data Analysis (EDA)

✓ **(Human) Learning from data:** to improve the understanding of a phenomenon of interest by analyzing data collected on a number of (hopefully) relevant variables.

- *Statistics*
- *Visual Analytics*
- *Machine learning*
- ...

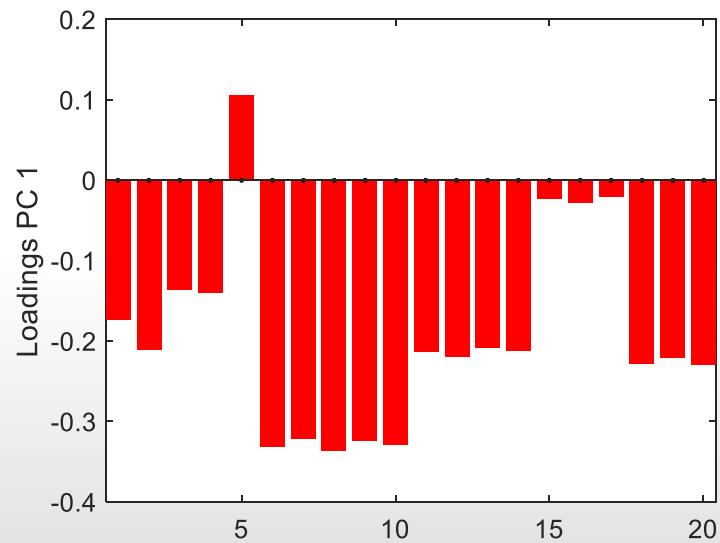
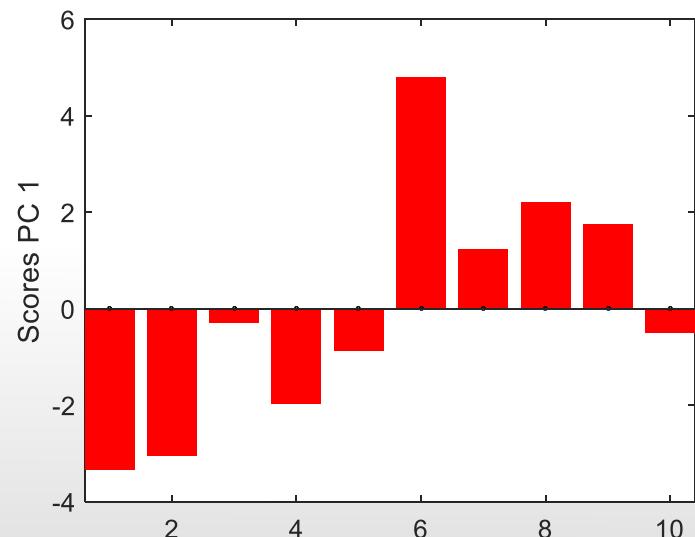
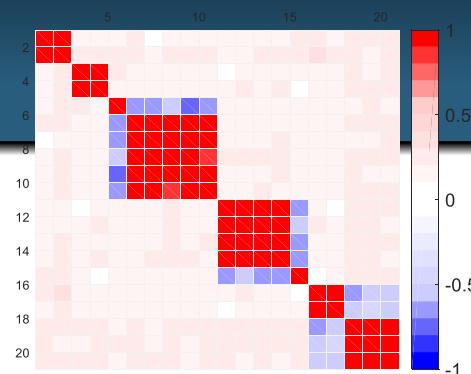
→ Multivariate EDA approach: Matrix Factorization

$$\mathbf{X} = \mathbf{T}_A \cdot \mathbf{P}_A^T + \mathbf{E}_A$$



→ PCA

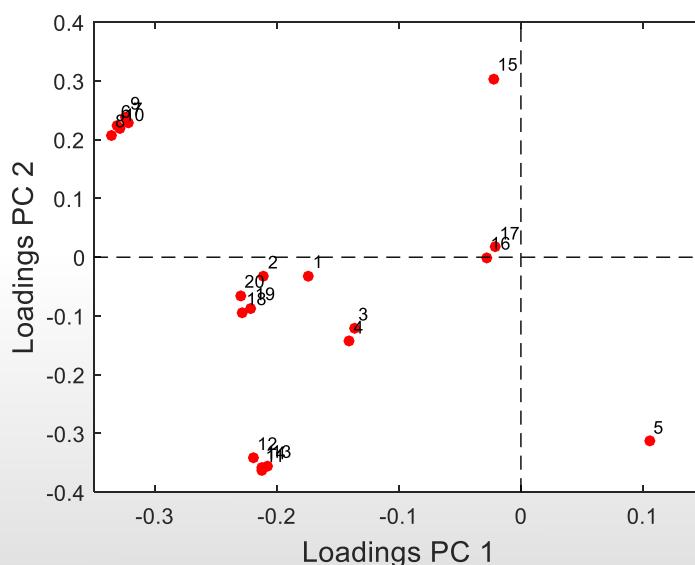
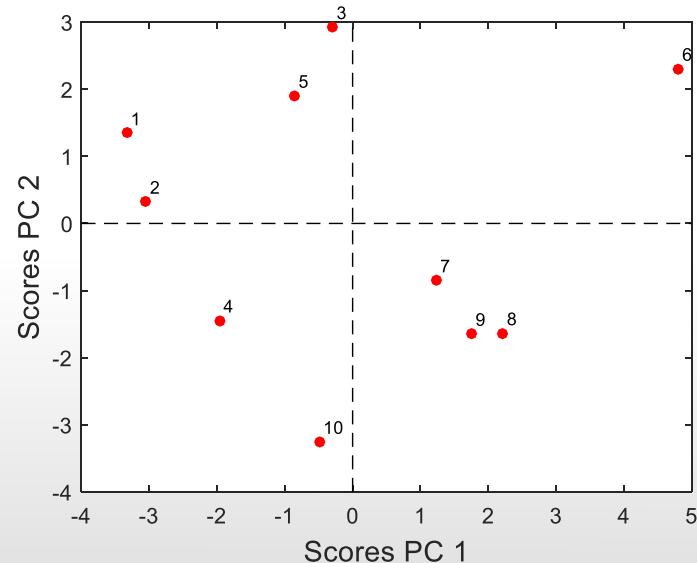
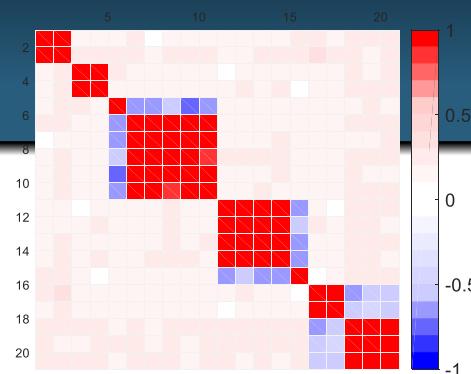
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First PC

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First 2 PCs



→ PCA ← ? → Relationship among Variables

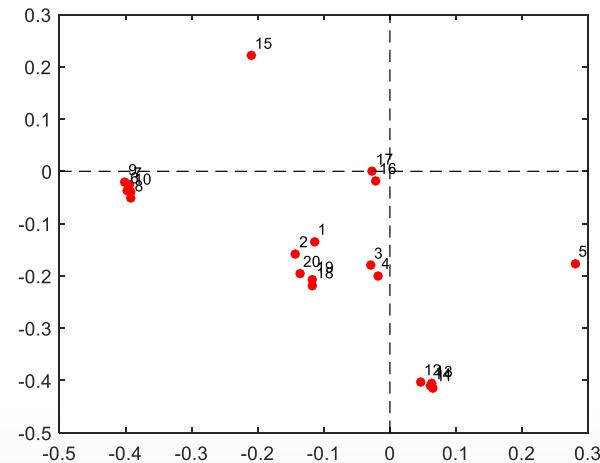
- ✓ Jackson, Jolliffe → NO
- ✓ PCA does not distinguish between unique variance and shared variance
 - ✓ Factor Analysis → Model Shared Variance
- ✓ The PCA factorization is poorly interpretable because the principal components are linear combinations of all the variables
 - ✓ Rotation
 - ✓ Sparse Methods

→ Trade-off between variance and simplicity
- ✓ 1 PC contains many SoV & 1 SoV in many PCs → GPCA (without biplots)

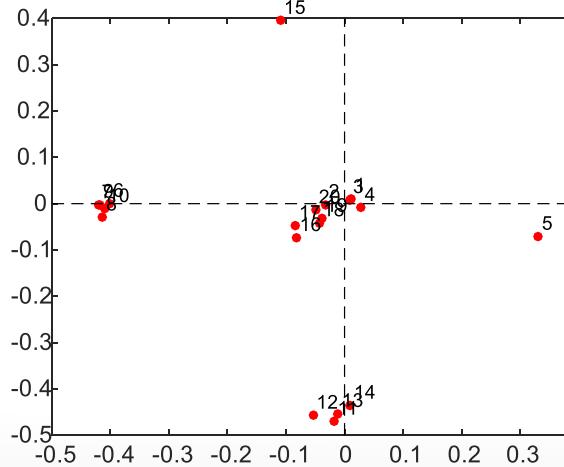
→ Variance vs Simplicity:

- ✓ PCA+ Varimax → Rotation depends on #PCs (and scaling)

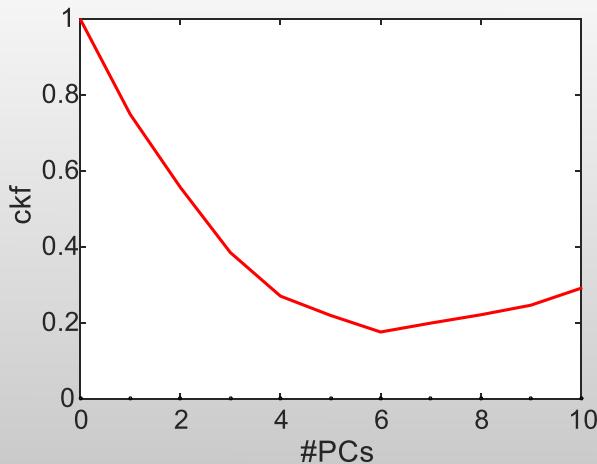
Rotate from
2 PCs



Rotate from
6 PCs

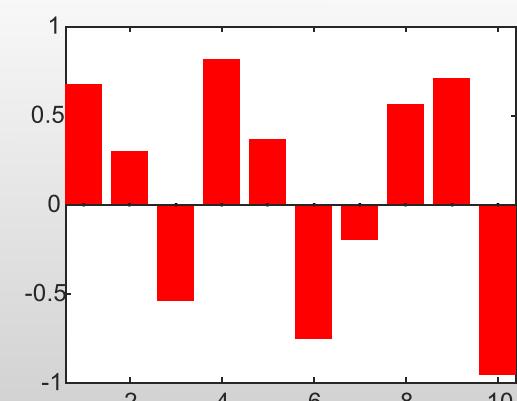
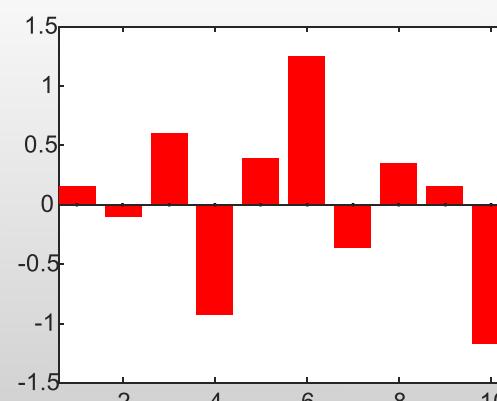
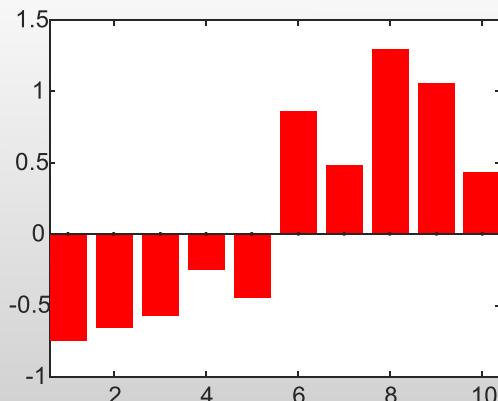
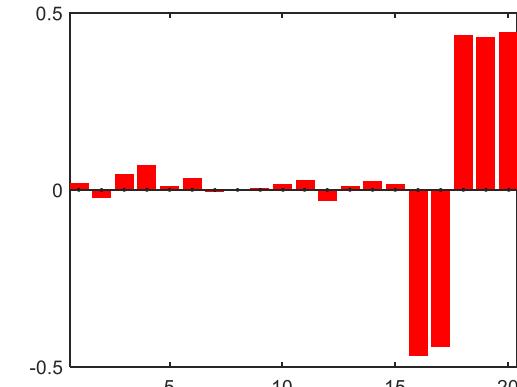
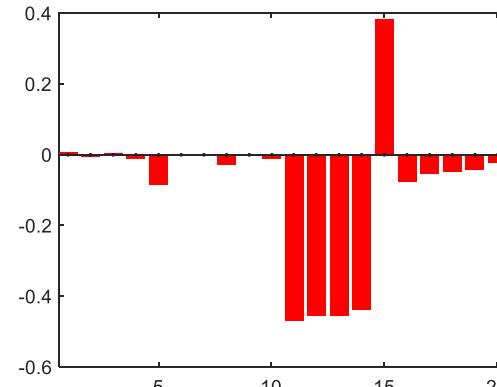
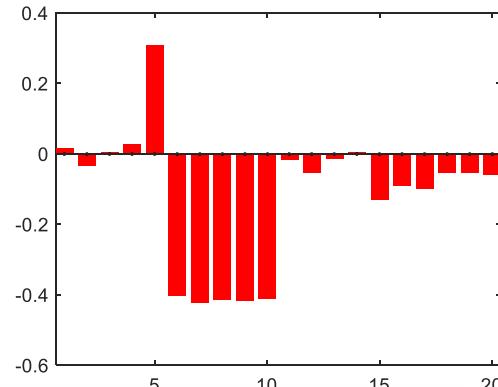


Fast PCA CV (ckf)
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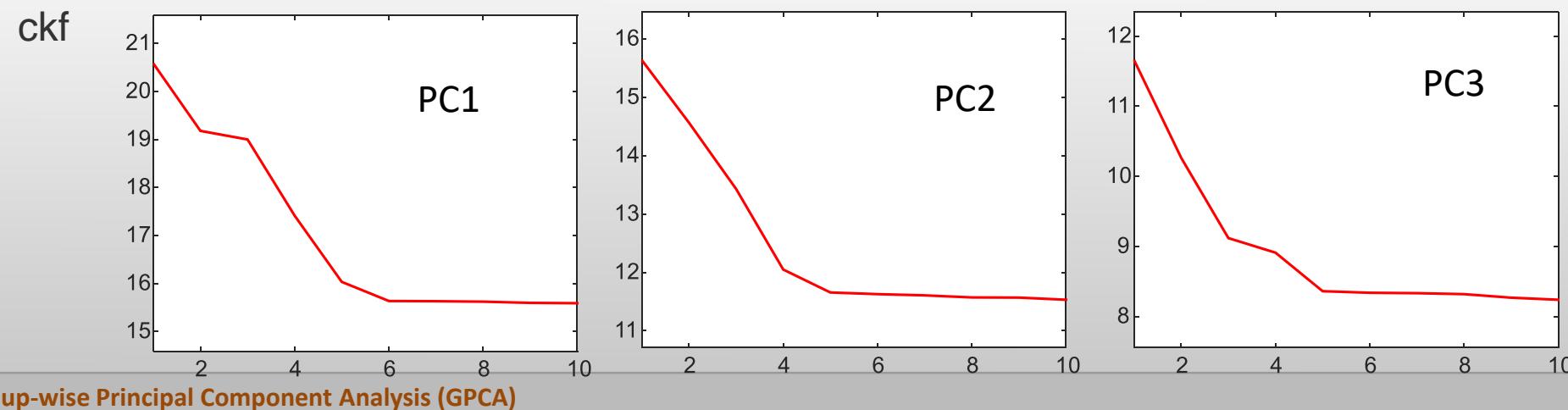
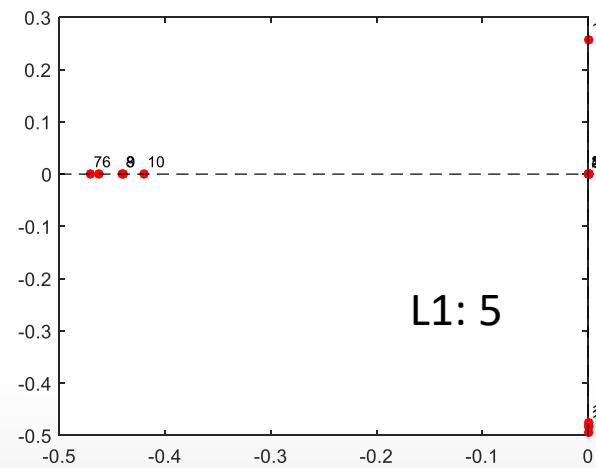
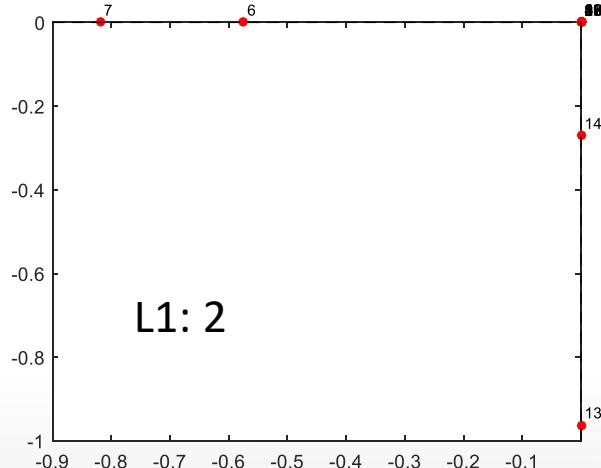
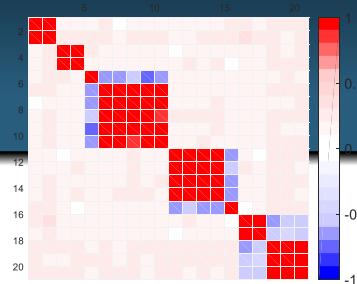
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- ✓ PCA+ Varimax: Rotate from 6 PCs



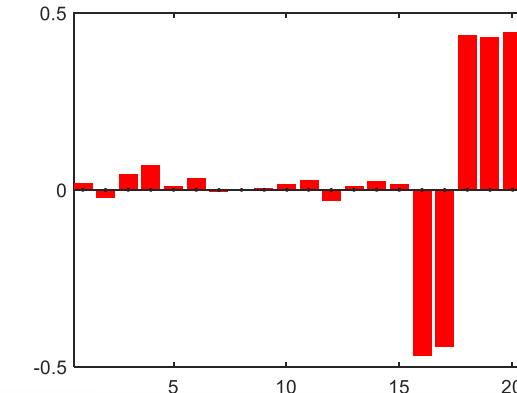
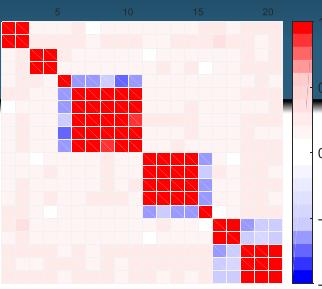
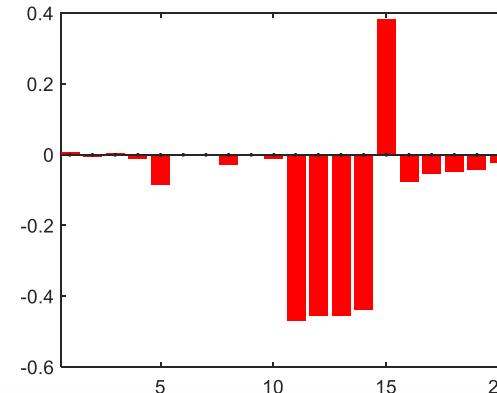
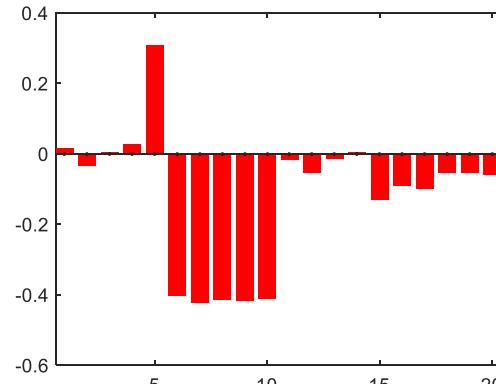
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- ✓ SPCA: Depends on metaparameters

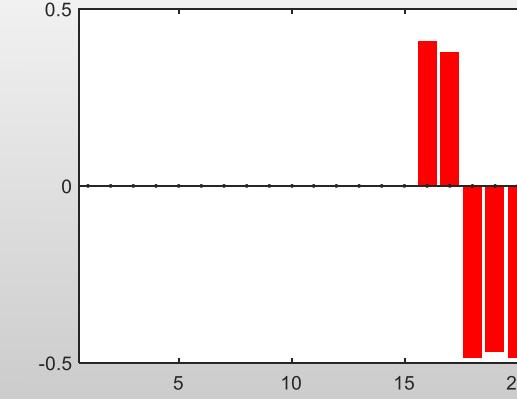
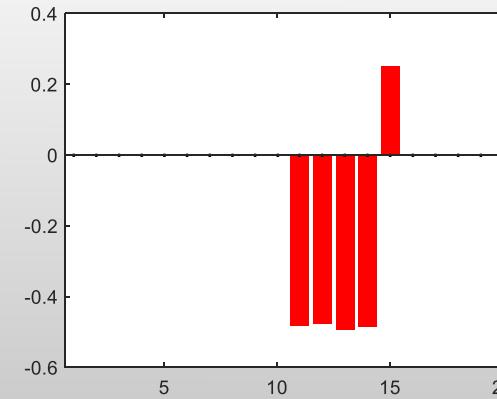
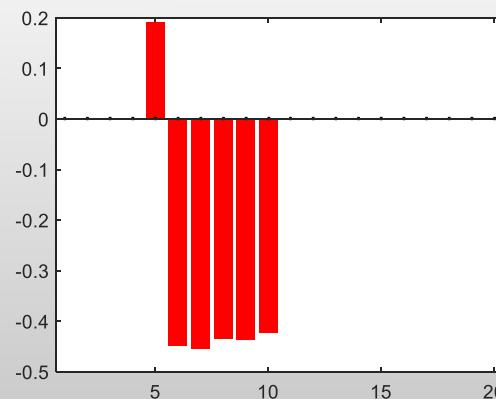


→ Variance vs Simplicity:

- ✓ PCA+ Varimax: Rotate from 6 PCs



- ✓ SPCA: L1: [6,5,5]



→ Variance vs Simplicity:

- ✓ Result depends on a good choice of metaparameters
- ✓ Typical approach (regression) inherited → CV
- ✓ Risks
 - Prediction ≠ Interpretation
 - Oversimplify / Overcomplicate
 - Application to non-sparse data
 - PCA CV ≠ PLS CV (problem with independent variables, see Journal of Chemometrics, 2012, 26 (7): 361-373.)



→ Missing-Data for EDA (MEDA)

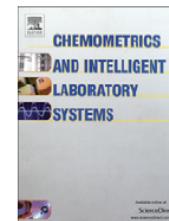
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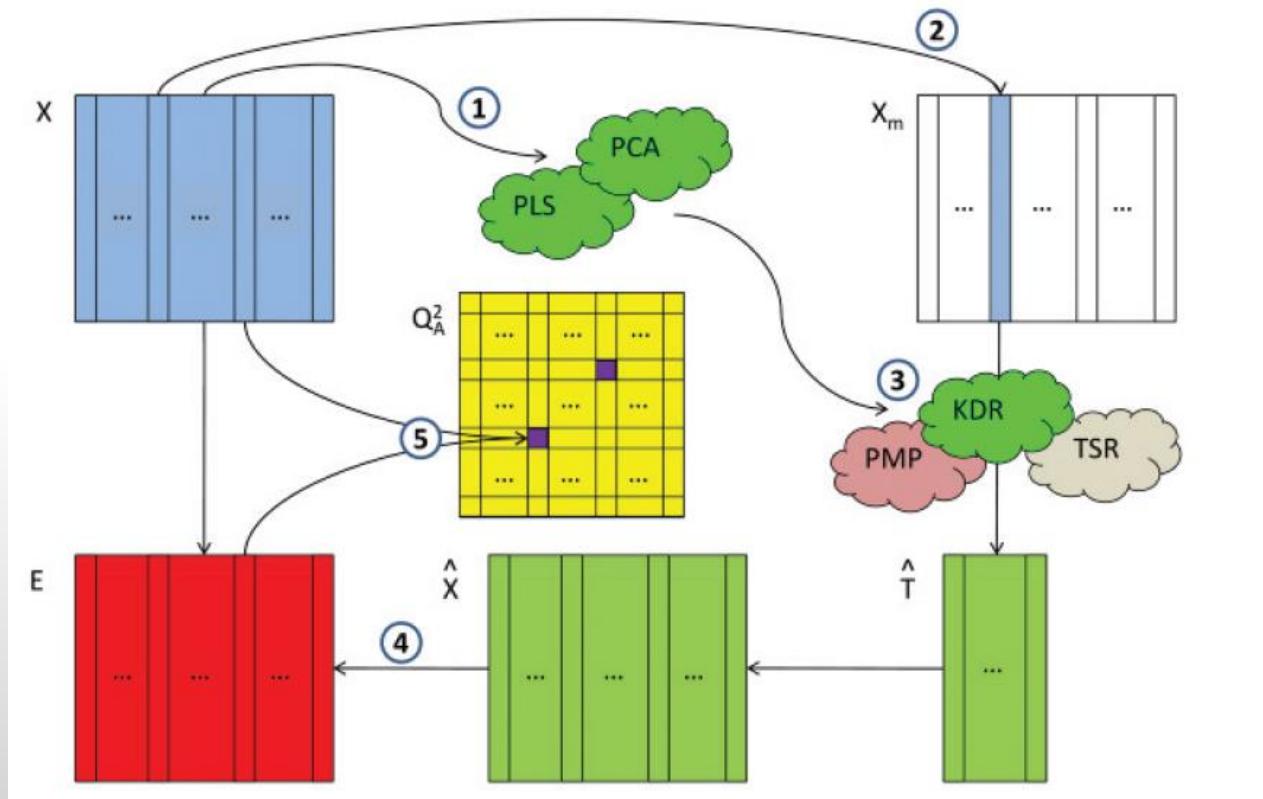
Missing-data theory in the context of exploratory data analysis

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Instead of changing the model, change the visualization

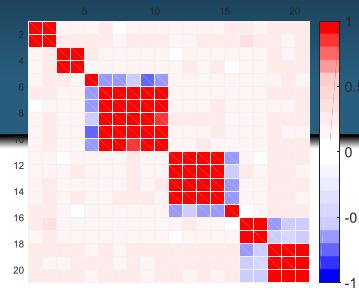
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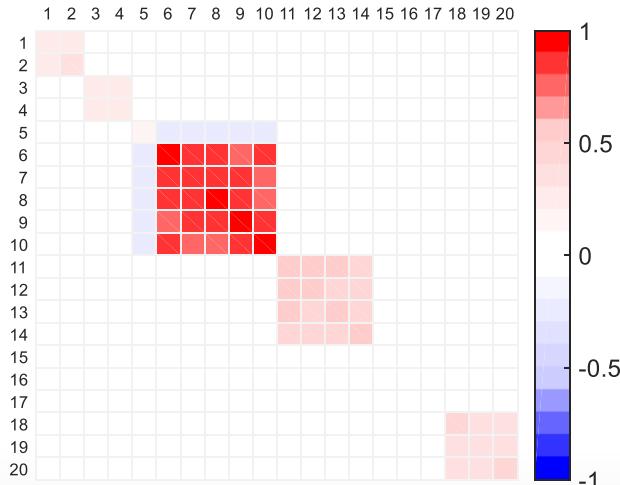
MULTIVARIATE EXPLORATORY DATA ANALYSIS



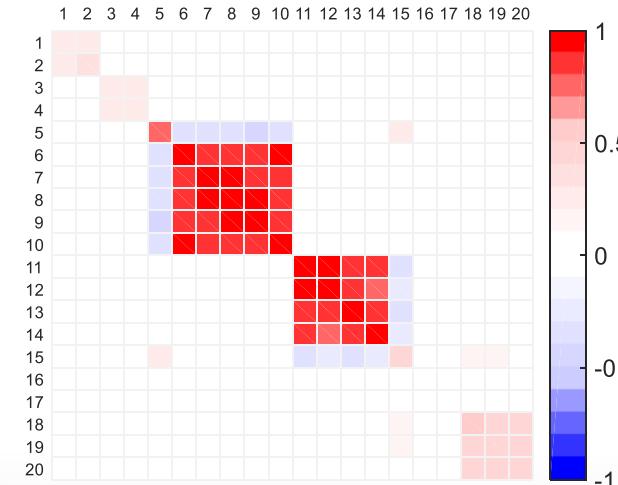
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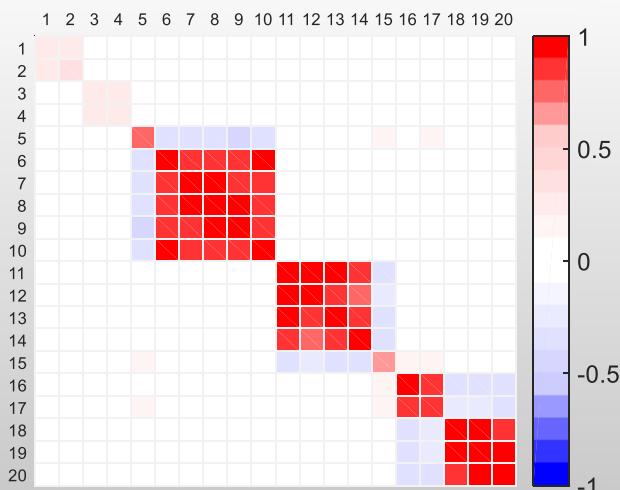
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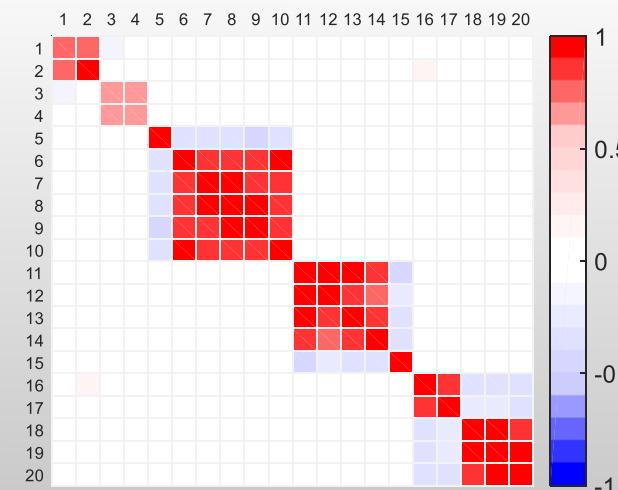
1-2 PCs



1-3 PCs



1-4 PCs





→ Group-wise PCA:

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Group-Wise Principal Component Analysis for Exploratory Data Analysis

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✗ Do not force a data-driven simple structure

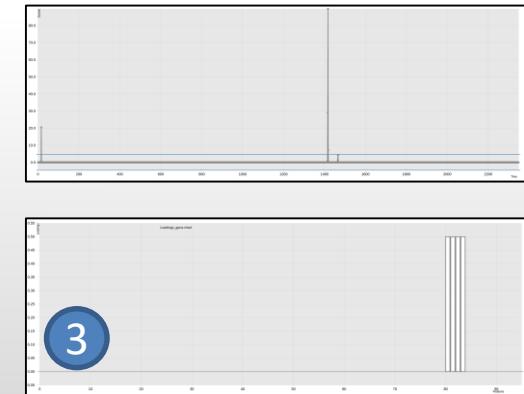
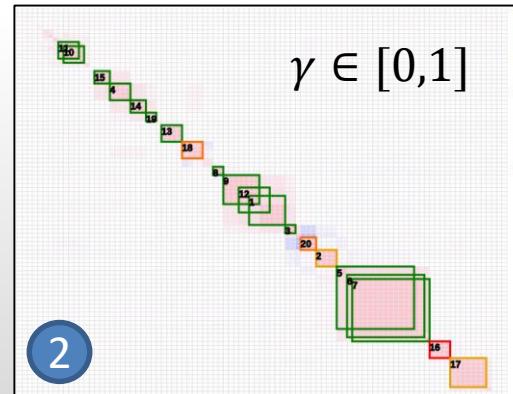
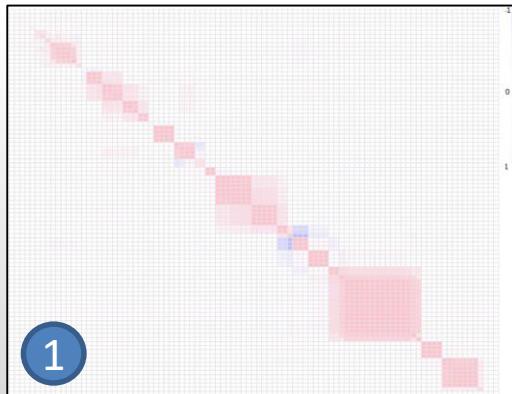
✓ Find the structure and force it in the model

1 PC \longleftrightarrow 1 SoV

→ Group-wise PCA:

✓ Three steps:

1. Find structure (MEDA)
2. Identify Groups of Variables (Group Identification Algorithm or GIA)
3. Calibrate a group-wise PCA model (GPCA)





→ Group-wise PCA:

✓ Initialize: $C = X^T X$

$$B = I,$$

✓ For each PC

- For each (k -th) group in GIA $C^k = C$

$$c_{lm}^k = 0, \forall l \notin S_k \text{ or } \forall m \notin S_k.$$

- Compute 1 PC: $C^k = p^k (\sigma^k)^2 (p^k)^T + E^k.$

✓ Choose PC with most variance:

$$p_a = \arg \min_{p^k} \|E^k\|_F$$
$$t_a = Xp_a.$$

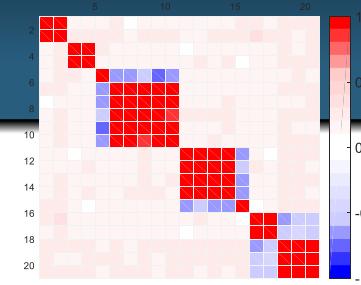
✓ Deflate (Mackey'08):

$$q = Bp_a$$
$$C = (I - qq^T)C(I - qq^T)$$
$$B = B(I - qq^T).$$

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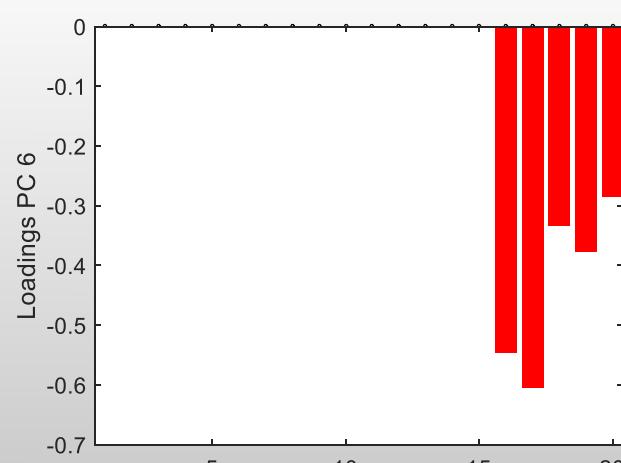
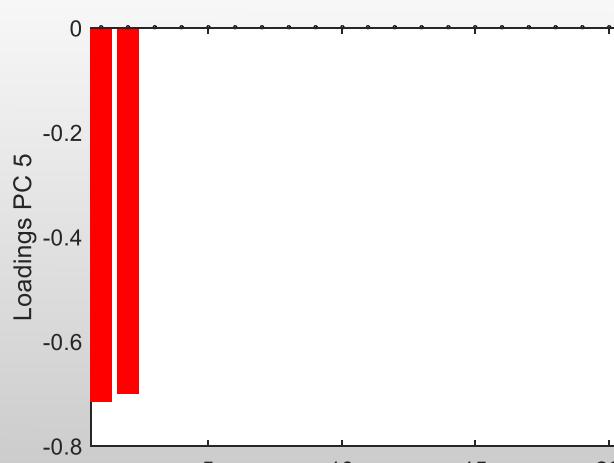
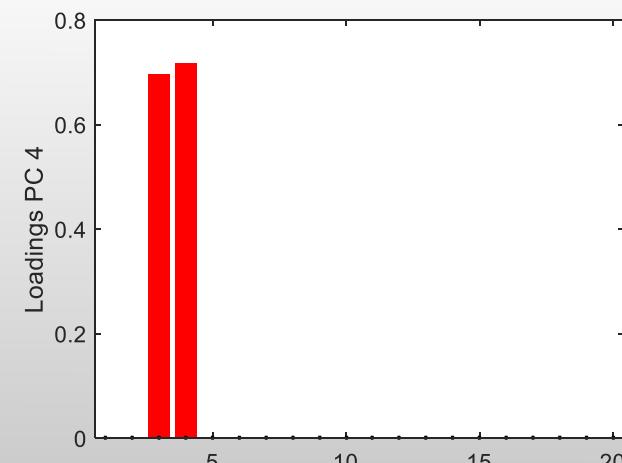
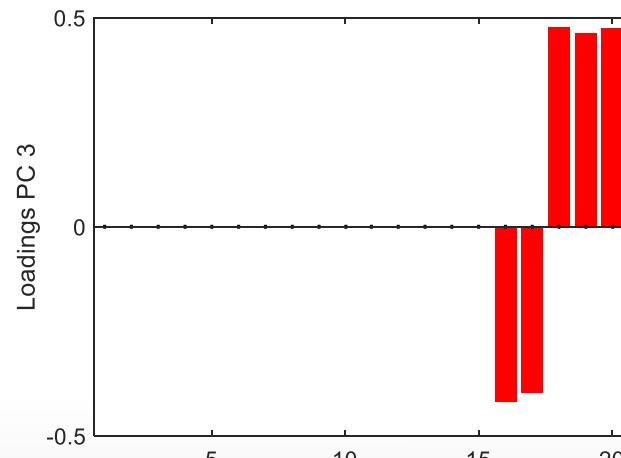
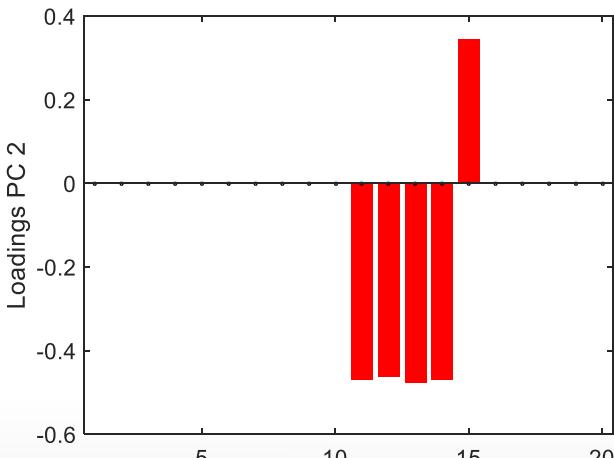
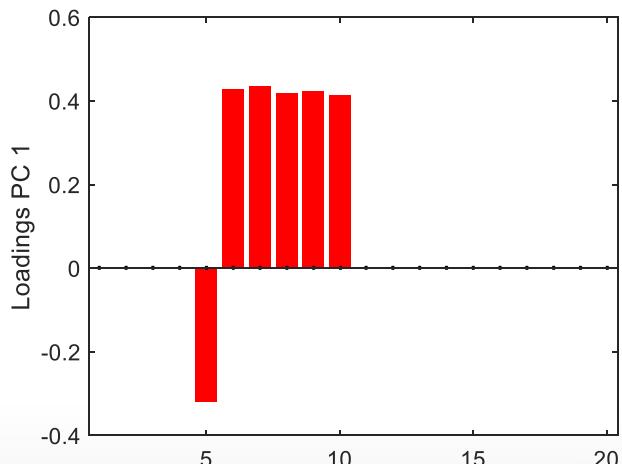


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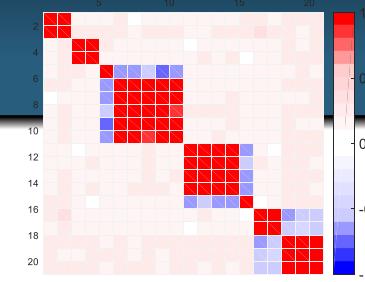
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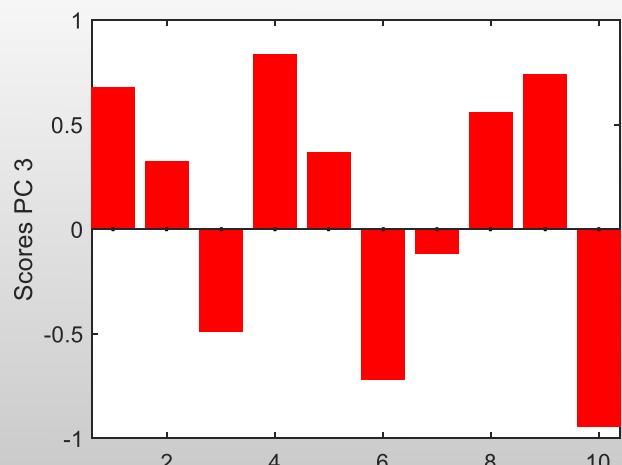
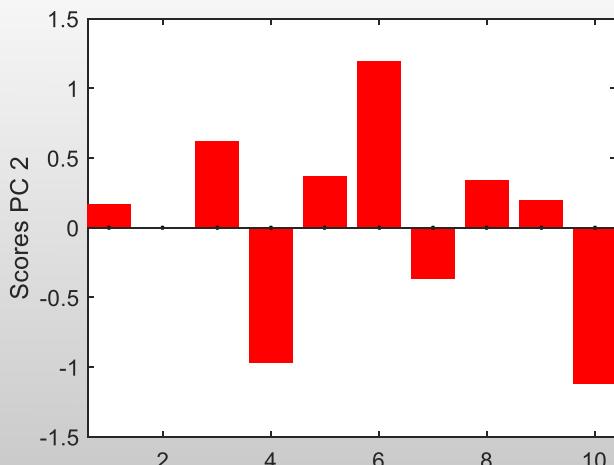
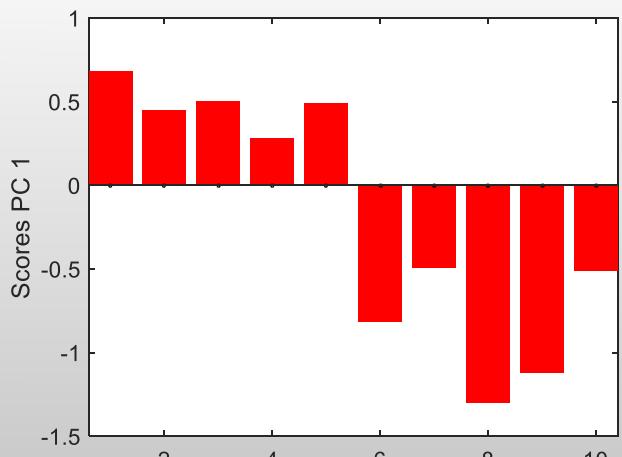
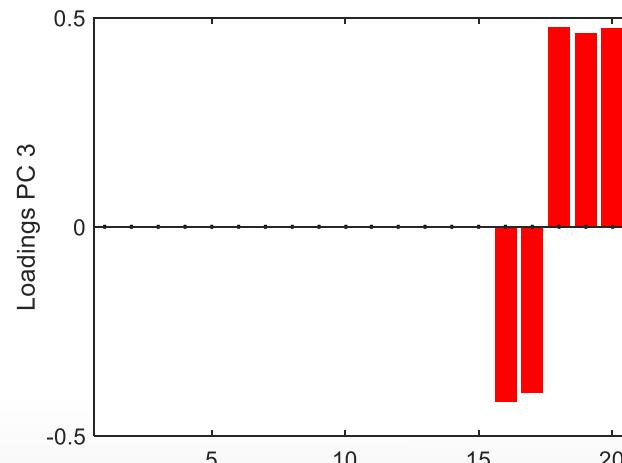
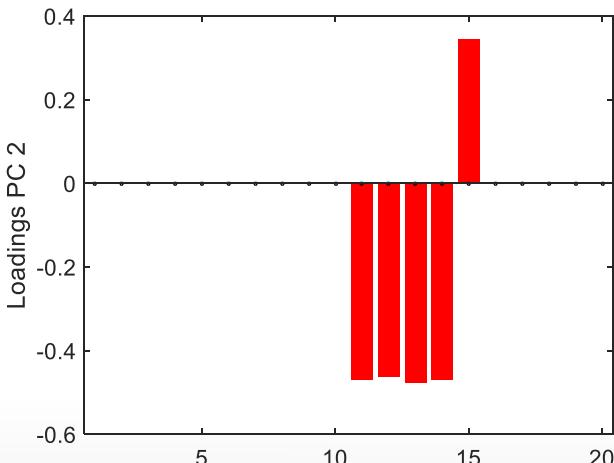
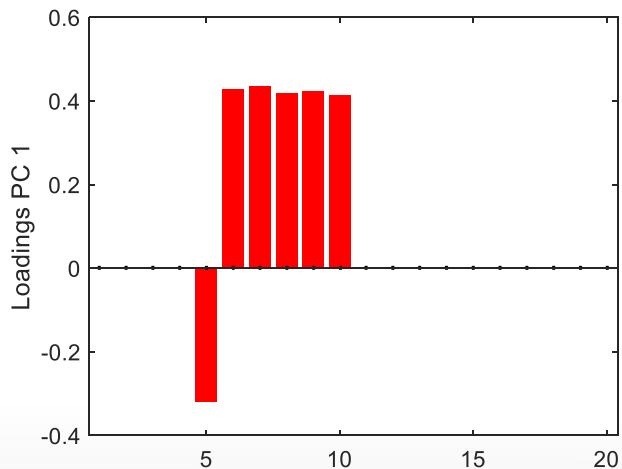


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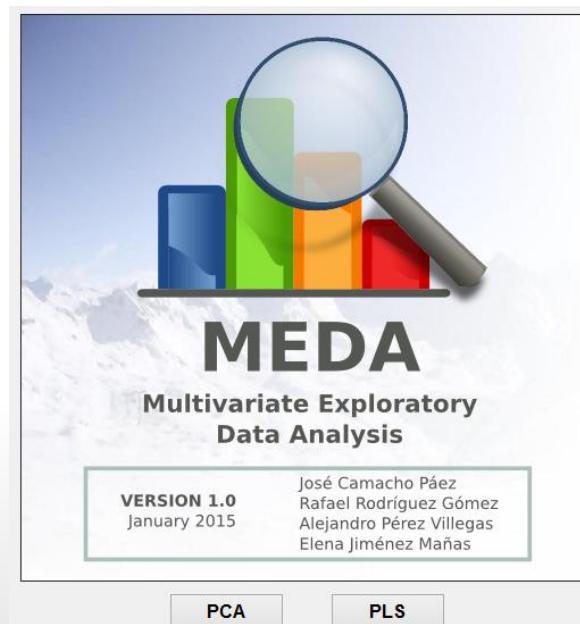
iGPCA Dashboard 1.0

iGPCA, the interactive GPCA analysis.

See J. Camacho, R. A. Rodríguez-Gómez, and E. Saccetti, "Group-wise Principal Component Analysis for Exploratory Data Analysis," Journal of Computational and Graphical Statistics, pp. 0–0, Dec. 2016, for more details.

START ANALYSIS **RESET**

<http://nesg.ugr.es:5003>



ChemoLab, (2015) 143: 49
<https://github.com/josecamachop/MEDA-Toolbox>



→ Multivariate Exploratory Data Analysis can be tricky

- ✓ Variance vs Simplicity selected by prediction (CV)
- ✓ Rather: find structure in a EDA manner and impose it in model.

→ GPCA:

- ✓ It is sparse when data is group-wise (in the variables)
- ✓ Only correlated variables (1 SoV) in a PC
- ✓ Does not oversimplify/overcomplicate structure
- ✓ Metaparameter selected from visualization (perfect for EDA)
- ✓ Still, you can always set GPCA by CV

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