

Nway methods in process control

Nway methods for products quality control
and process analysers applied to batch process

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Purposes

- to enhance the information from multivariate process data
 - NIR analysers or PI industrial database or multivariate lab. data)
- to enhance process understanding
 - detection of deviations, non-stable intermediates
 - changes in the chemical composition of the blending
 - end-point monitoring,
- to monitor the evolution of the process in real time
 - necessitates a summarizing (modeling) of the data
 - displaying batch control charts easily interpretable

Industry requires:

- Simple and different models
(handled by different people)
- Graphic tools
- Stable predictions according to new samples
- Best detection of abnormalities
- Realistic modelling task

Industry requires:

- Real time quality control made during process or batch evolution (the upsets found earlier made possible corrections)
- models based on summarized adequate data measured on a representative set of good measurements : that mean an exploration of the data and easily interpretable control charts
- to forecast a result or to detect problems

Kinds of Process data :

1- Batch process : they have a finite duration and specific constraints (ex: viscosity measured during batch)

2- Whole Process variables that can be measured on-line :
such as:

- operating process data i.e temperature, pressure, flowrate, shaking
- spectroscopic process i.e NIR, Raman, UV, MIR

The methods bring up

• Methods

Explore 1 data set

PCA
OPA

2 way

Parafac
Parafac2
Tucker
OPA 3D

N way

Explore or regress 2 data sets

PLS
IV-PCA

2 way

n-PLS
IV-Tucker

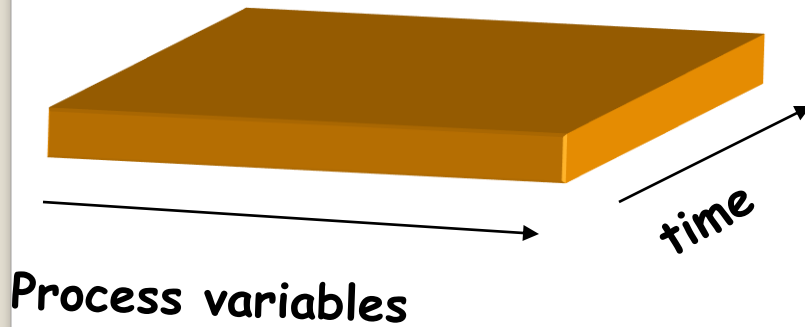
N way

Concern several different arrays: simple, multiple, cube, Nway, multiple slices...

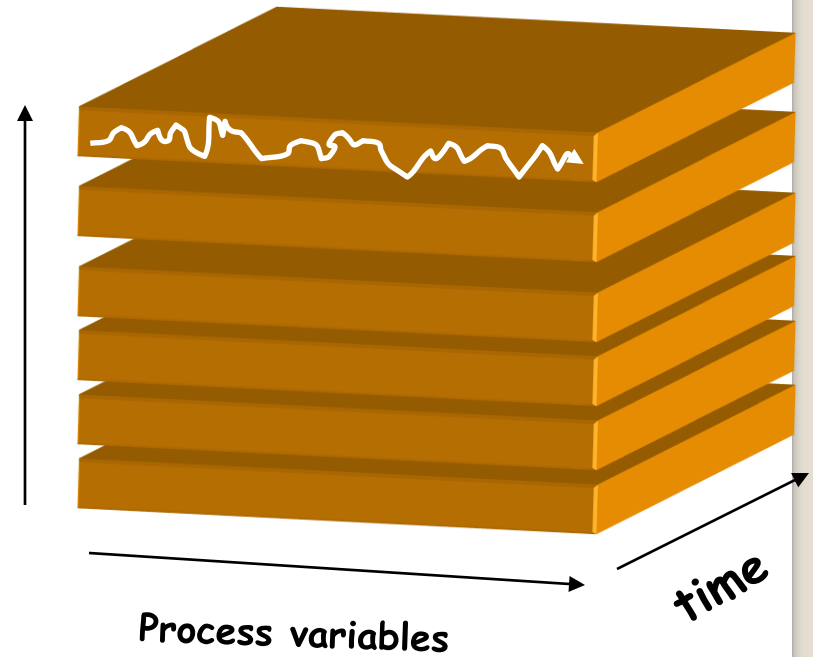
Aims of analysis could be :

- an exploration of the array X : detection of clusters, of typical sample(s) or outlier(s)
- a process understanding : how and what can we learn about the chemical reactions
- a statistical process monitoring : detection of disturbances
- modelling one or more characteristics
- to involve both variations due to known causes and unknow causes
- to link the operating conditions with chemical reactions

Data

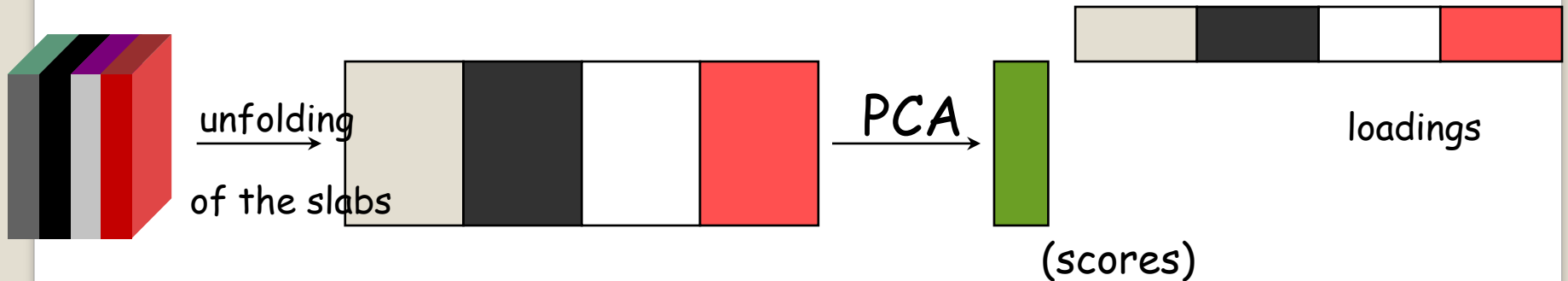


One batch



Series of batches

Data exploratory analysis



Y Rank 1: $Y = (Y_{ij})$, Exist $a = (a_i)$ and $b = (b_j)$ such that $Y_{ij} = a_i b_j$

Advantages: simple to use based on eigen-structure properties. Usual data analysis are well known (PCA, PCR, PLS...)

Drawbacks: sub-optimal. ***Some information is lost.***

We lose the N-linear structure if exists

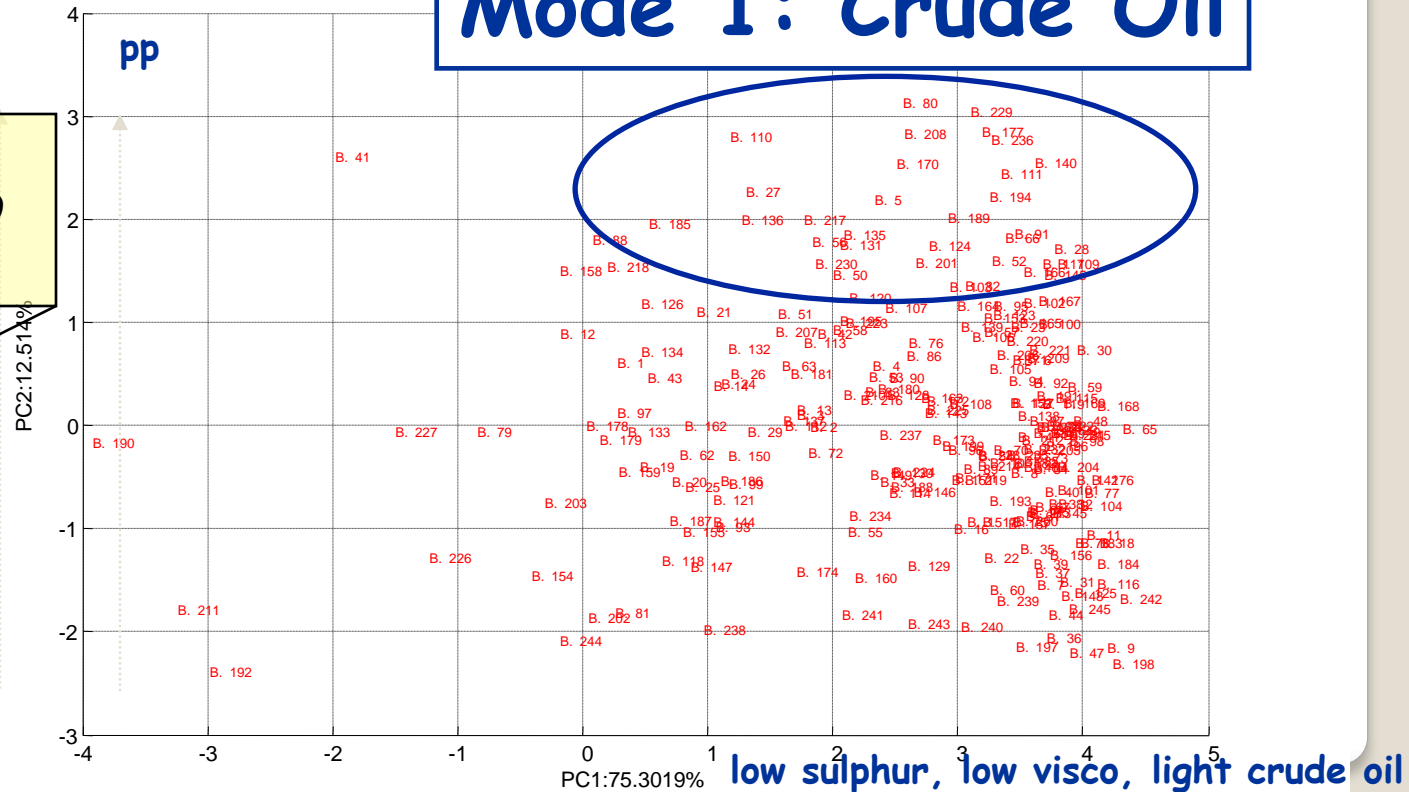
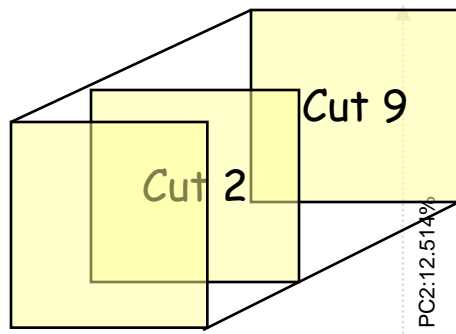
Remind: PCA analysis & PLS

Data: 246 crude oil X 9 "cuts" x 4 characteristics

Array : 246 X 36 (unfolding per "cuts")

	Cut 1					Cut 9
	c1	c2	c3	c4		
B1						
B2						
...						
B246						

Mode 1: Crude Oil



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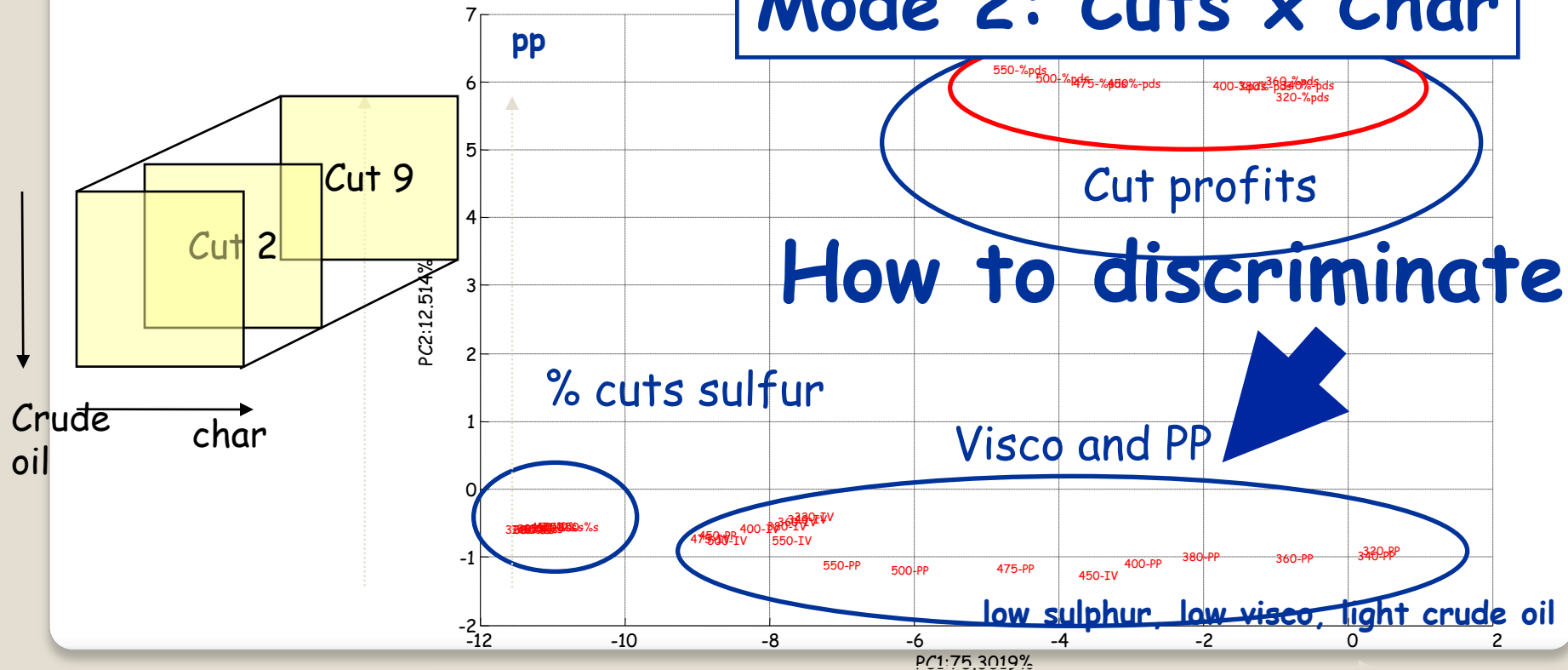
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Mode 2: Cuts x Char

How to discriminate?

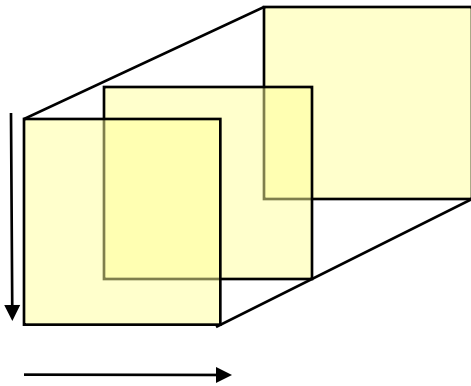


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Data:

Array :

Example of PLS ?

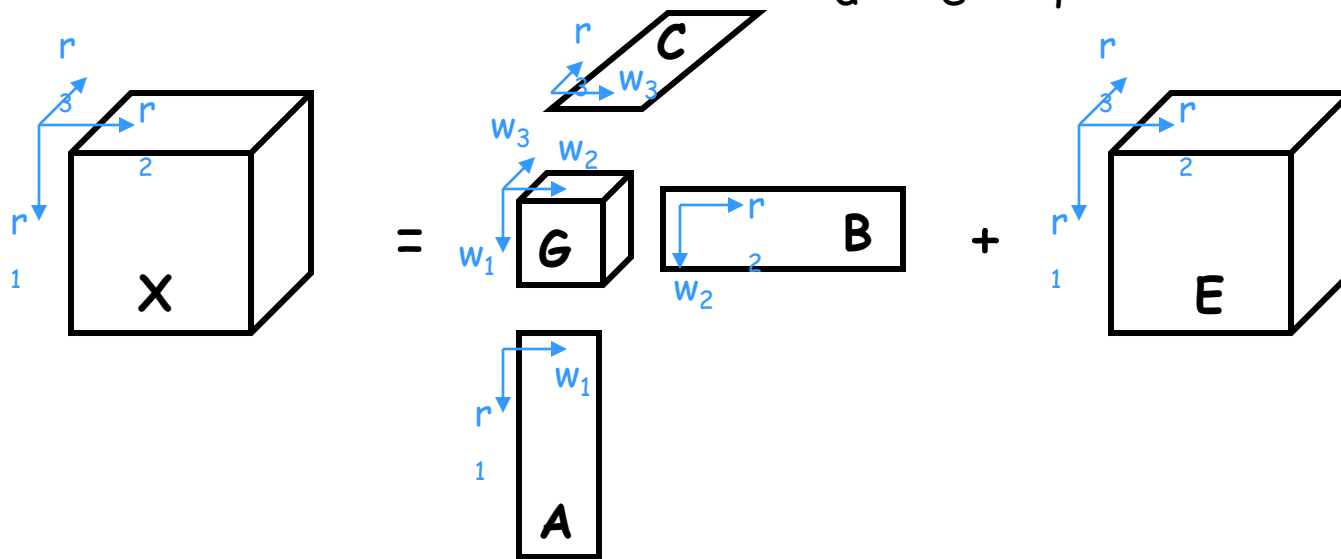


Nway exploratory methods

Nway models: extensions of PCA for Nway data

Tucker3 model:

$$x_{ijk} = \sum_d \sum_e \sum_f \mathring{a}_{id} \mathring{a}_{je} \mathring{a}_{kf} a_{def} + e_{ijk}$$



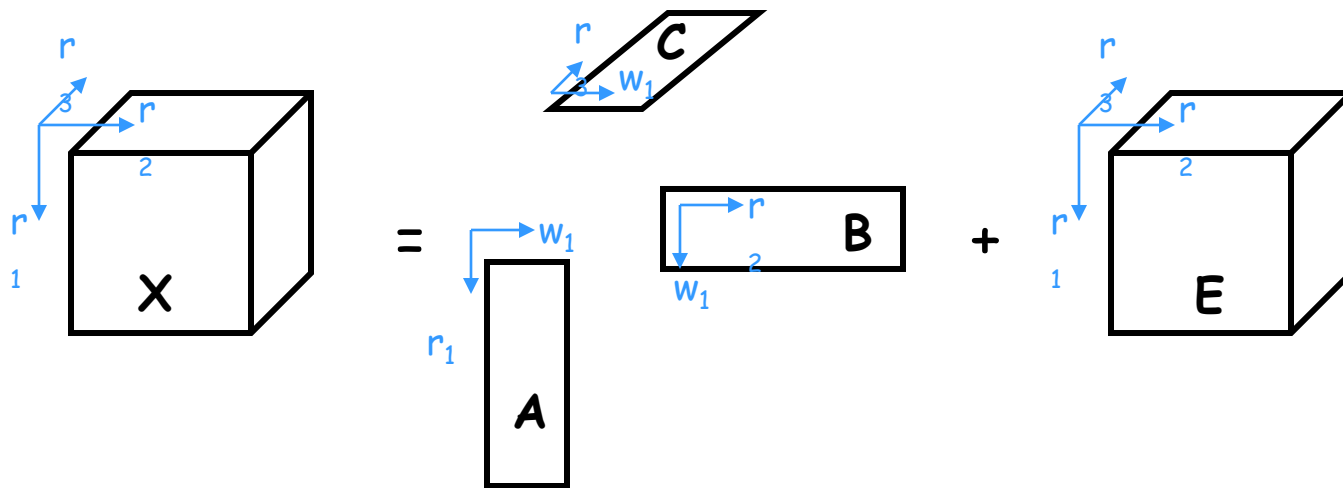
Tucker criterion $F^i = \operatorname{argmin}_{F^i, E^i} \left\| \underline{Y} - \prod_{i=1}^N \mathring{A}_i F^i (E^i) \right\|_F^2$.

Algorithm: ALS (iterative)

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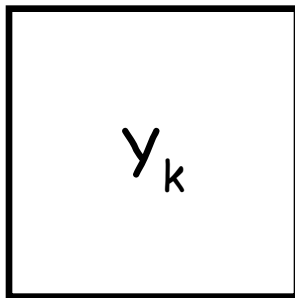
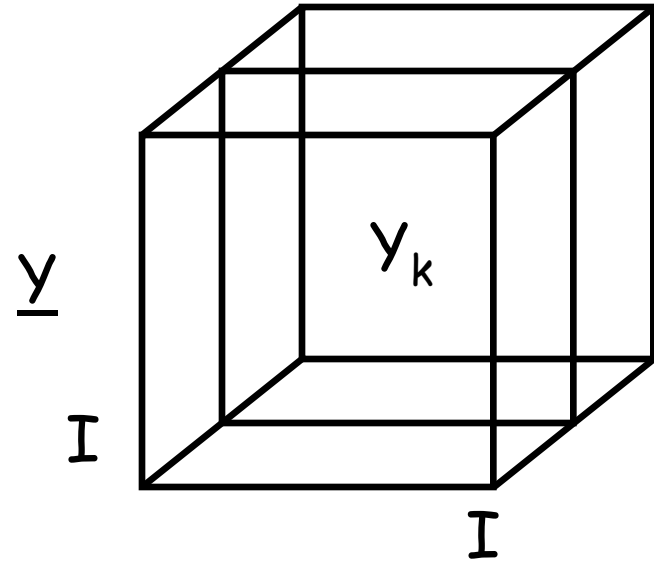
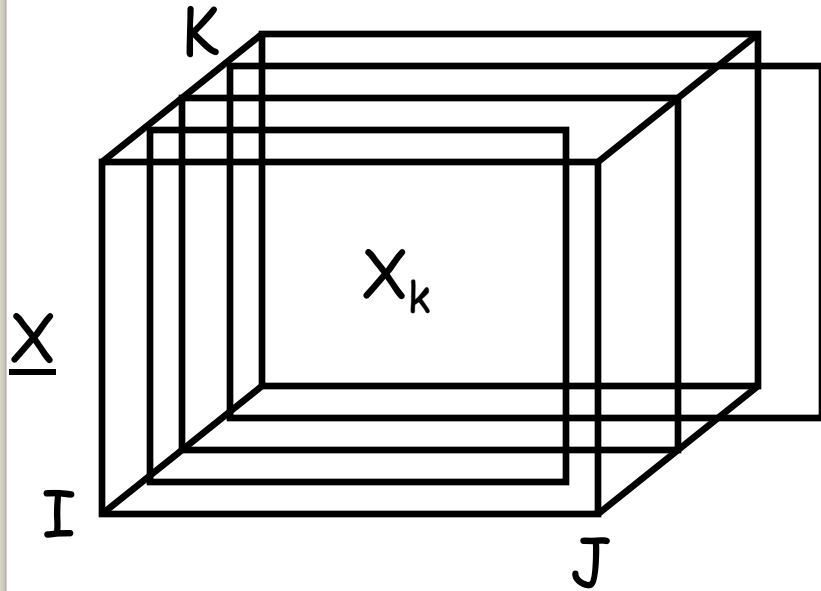
PARAFAC criterion:

$$(\hat{a}_i, \hat{b}_i, \hat{c}_i) = \underset{\hat{a} \in E^1, \hat{b} \in E^2, \hat{c} \in E^3}{\operatorname{argmin}} \left\| \underline{y} - \sum_{f=1}^F \hat{a}_f \hat{b}_f \hat{c}_f \right\|_F^2$$

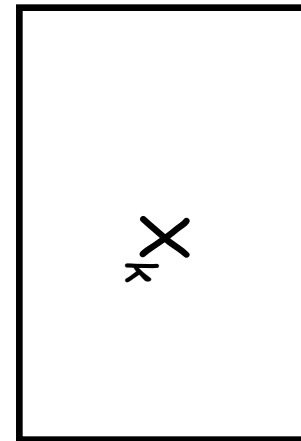
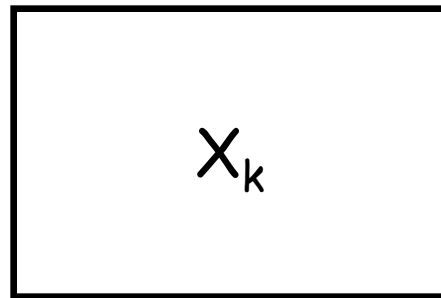
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Nway exploratory methods

PARAFAC2 model:



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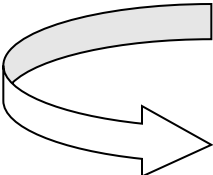


N-Way exploratory methods

PARAFAC2 model:

$$Y = (C^T | \otimes | C^T)^T \text{diag}(\text{vech}H)(A \otimes A)^T$$

Kiers et al. (1998)


$$X = AD_k(B_k)^T = AD_k(P_k B)^T$$

\underline{Y} : each frontal slice in \underline{Y} is the cross product of the corresponding slice in \underline{X}

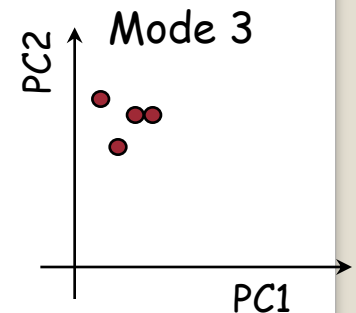
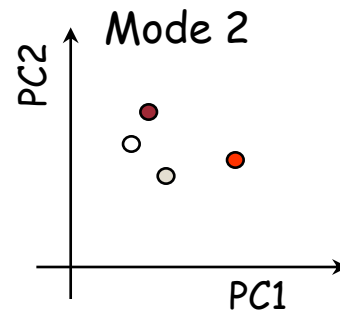
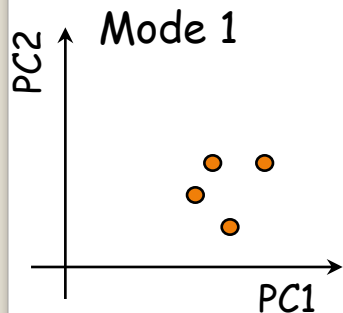
$$H = B^T B$$

Only the cross product of B is estimated (not B itself)

Nway exploratory methods

Why Nway methods? Advantages:

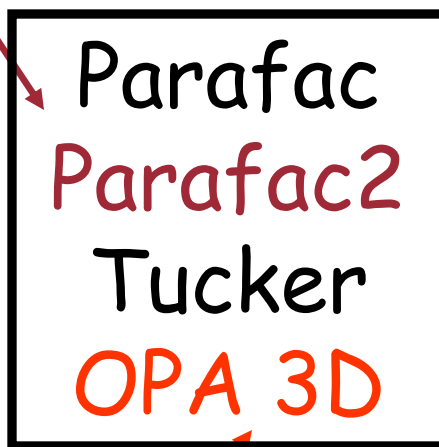
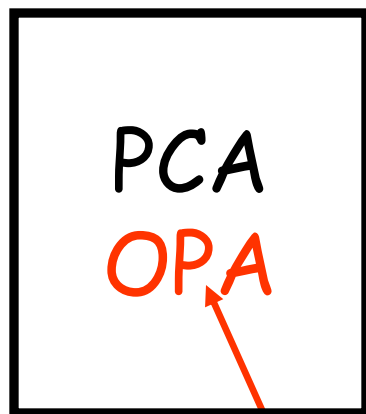
- can be considered as an optimisation method with regards to PCA
- fit to the structure. Nway models respect the Nway the data structure (\neq unfolding).
- Nway methods most Robust as regards with noise
- allows simultaneous analysis



- Can be extended to 4D, 5D...
- Number of parameters much less numerous than ACP
 - eg: cube $10 \times 700 \times 35$: $r_{NWAY}(I+J+K)=735$, $r_{PCA}(I+JK)=1750$
 - eg: cube $10 \times 700 \times 35 \times 20$: $r_{NWAY}(I+J+K+L)=755$, $r_{PCA}(I+JKL)=490.010$

Batch monitoring (only one X matrix)

Process monitoring



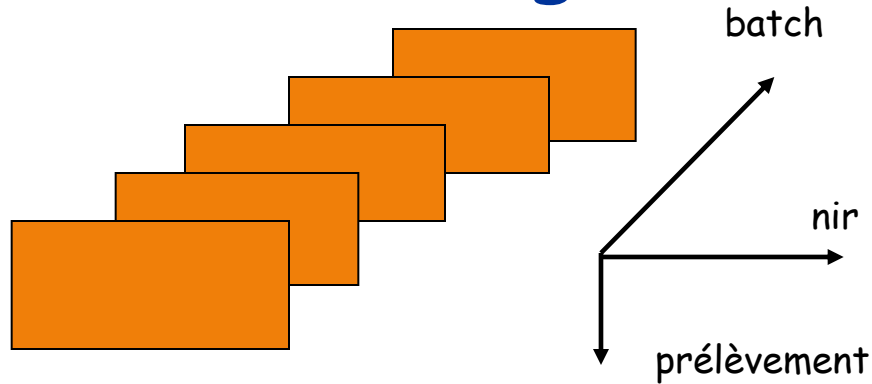
2 way

Nway

Chemical reaction monitoring

Process monitoring

Method: PARAFAC 2



10 batches

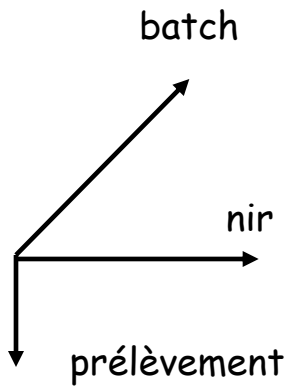
Each batch has between 5 and 8 NIR spectra

Each spectrum has 699 wavelenghts

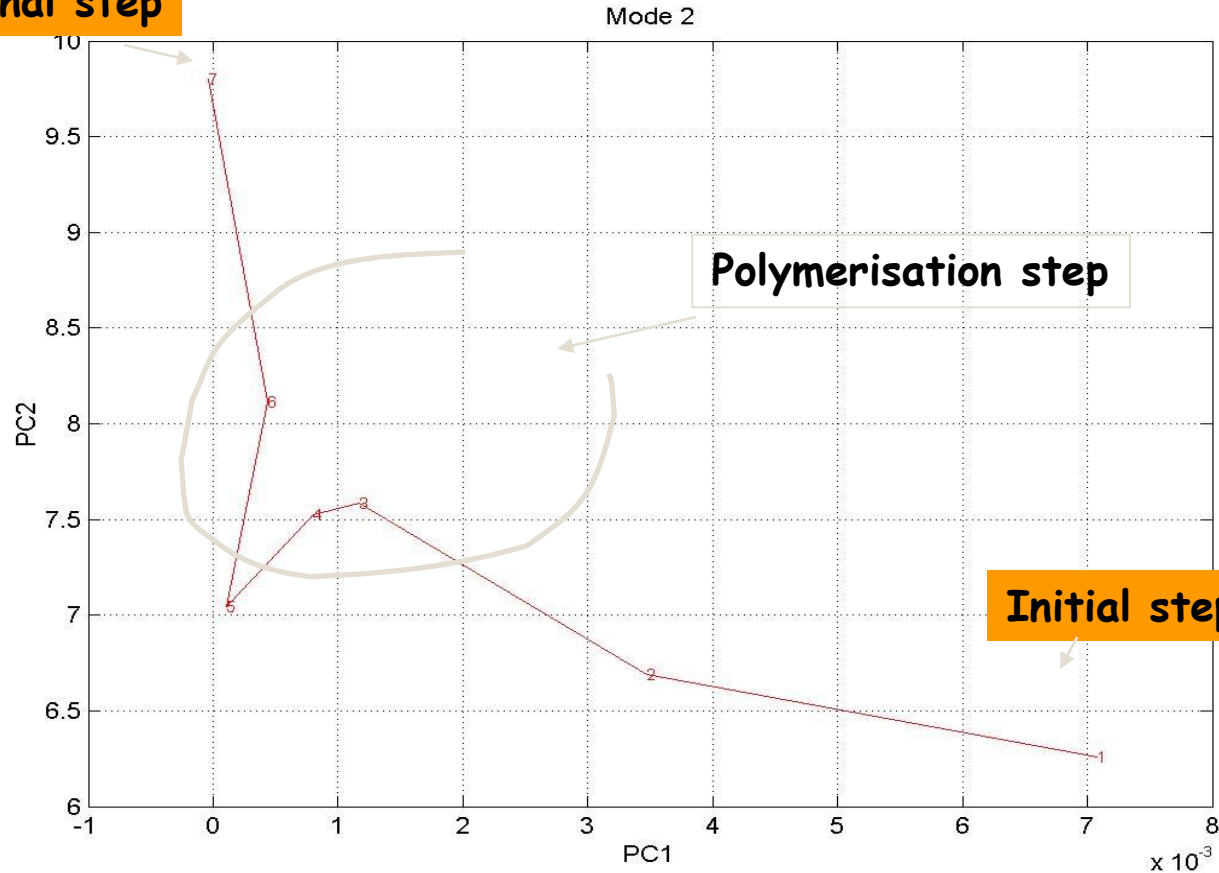
Process monitoring

Method: PARAFAC 2

Batch monitoring in time



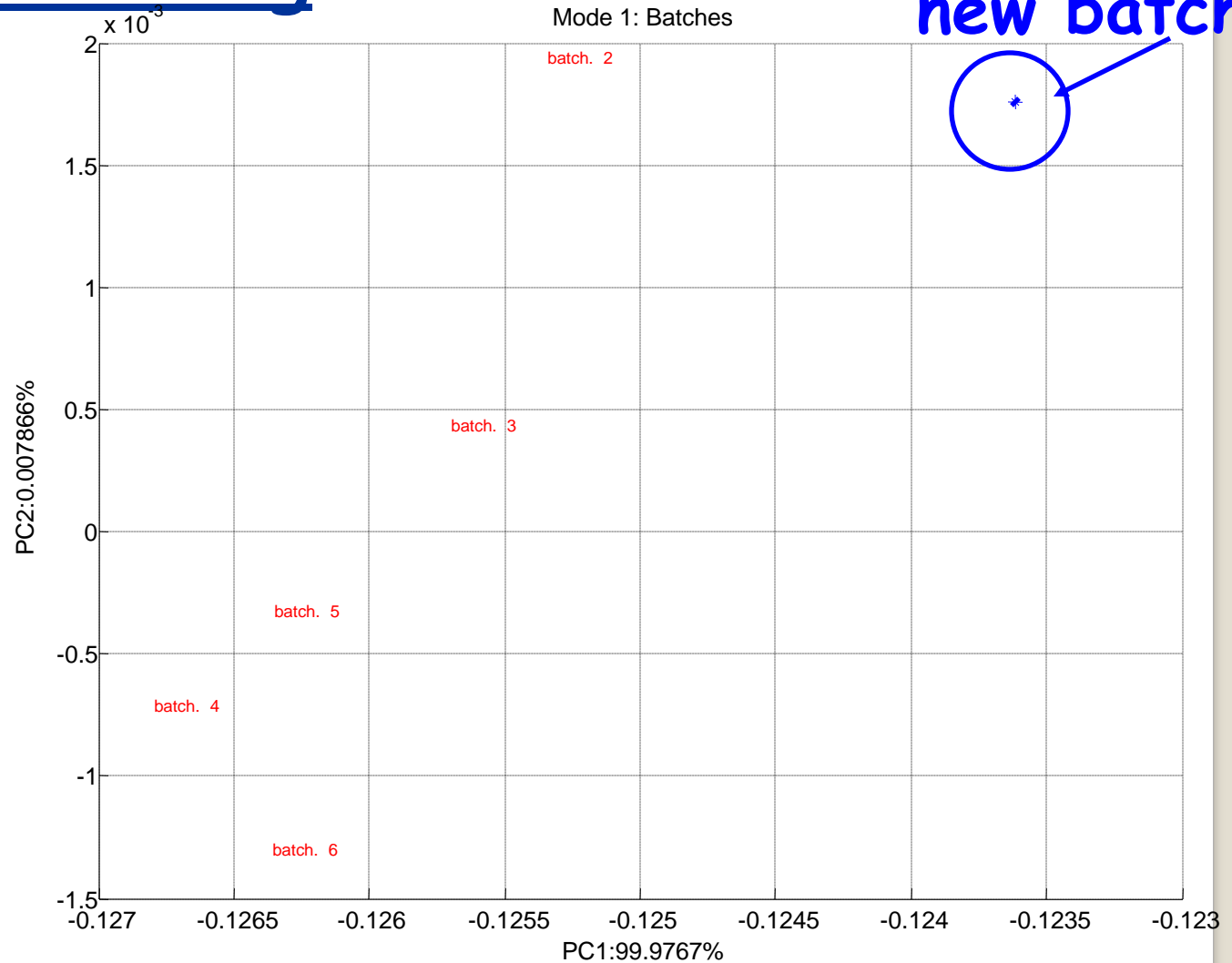
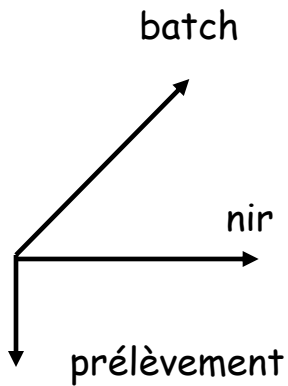
final step



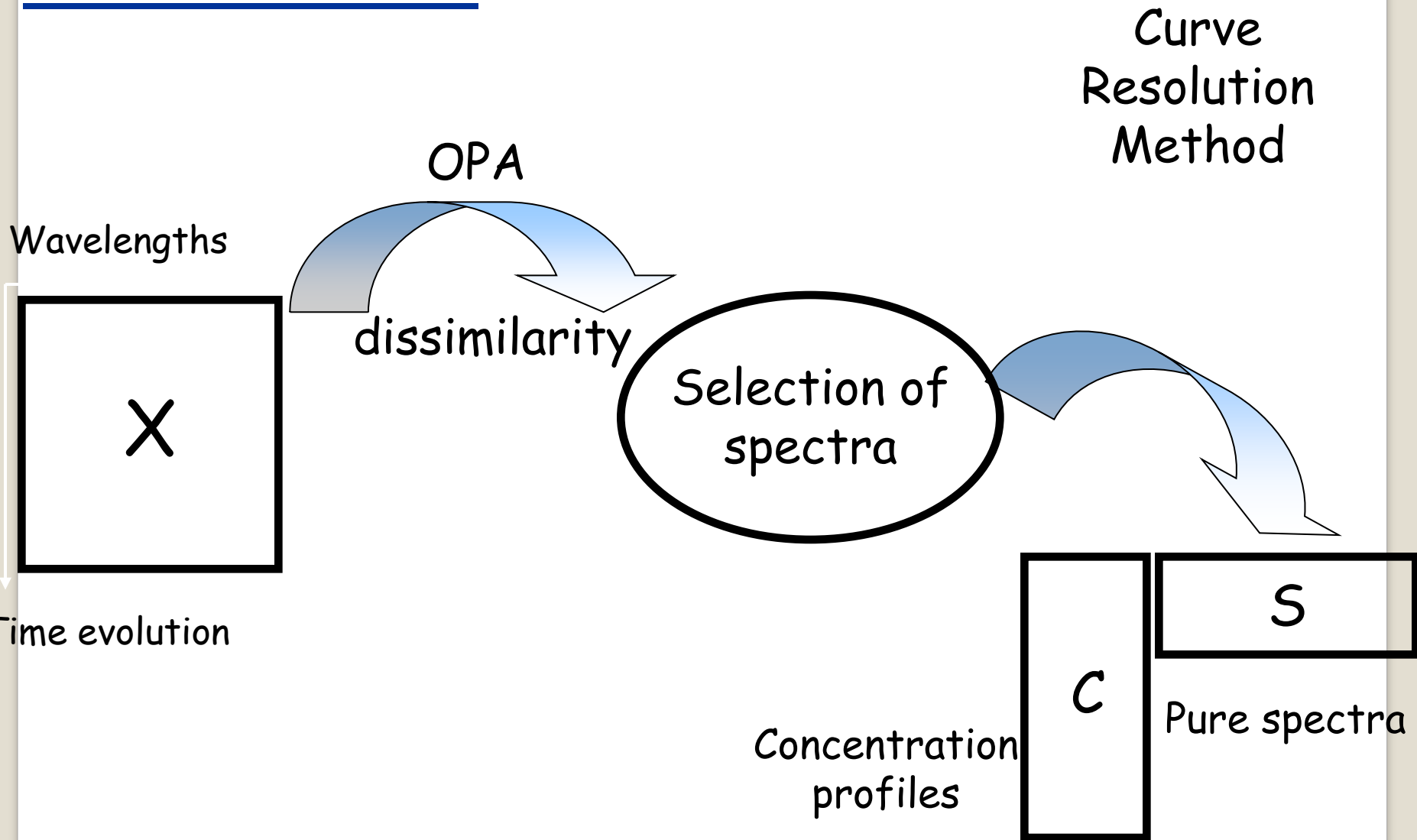
Process monitoring

Method: PARAFAC 2

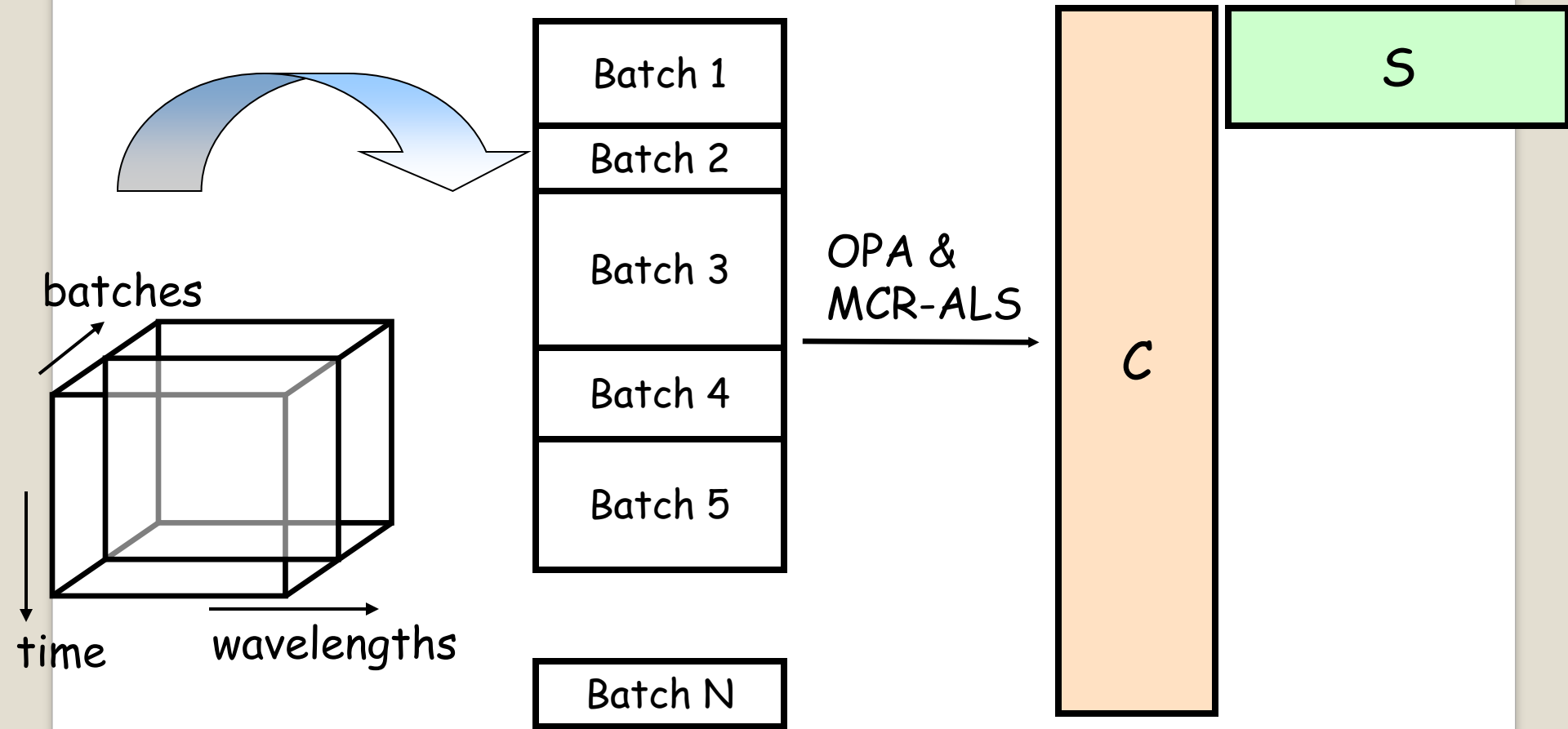
new batch



OPA & OPA3D

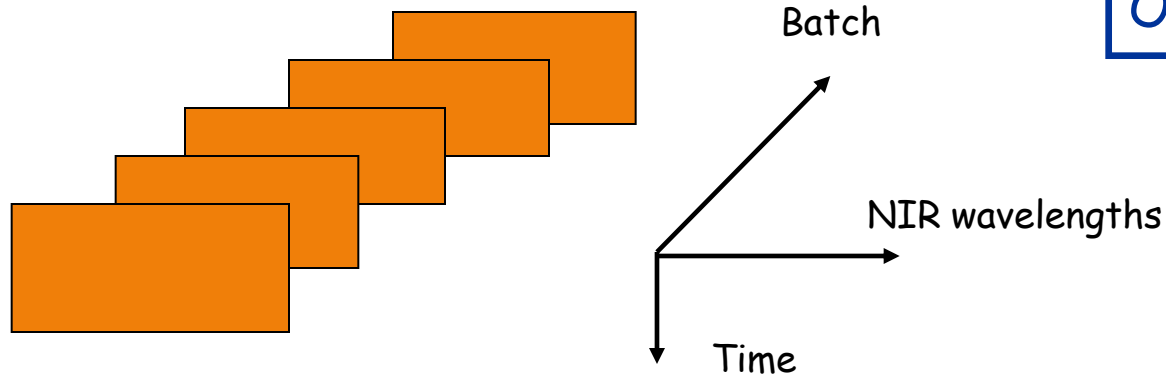


OPA & OPA3D



Chemical reaction monitoring

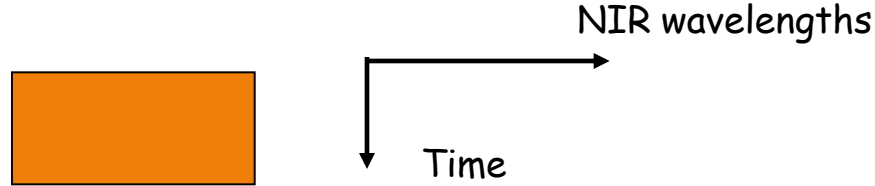
Method:
OPA & OPA3D



The curve resolution methods such as OPA are used during process monitoring to obtain concentration profiles and/or pure spectra of a mixture.

Chemical reaction monitoring

Only 1 batch
Method: OPA



Hypothesis:

At time t , spectrum:

$$X(w) = a_{1t}f_1(w) + a_{2t}f_2(w) \dots + a_{kt}f_k(w) + E$$

Resolution algorithm: **ALS**

Initialisation: knowledge about dissimilarity method.

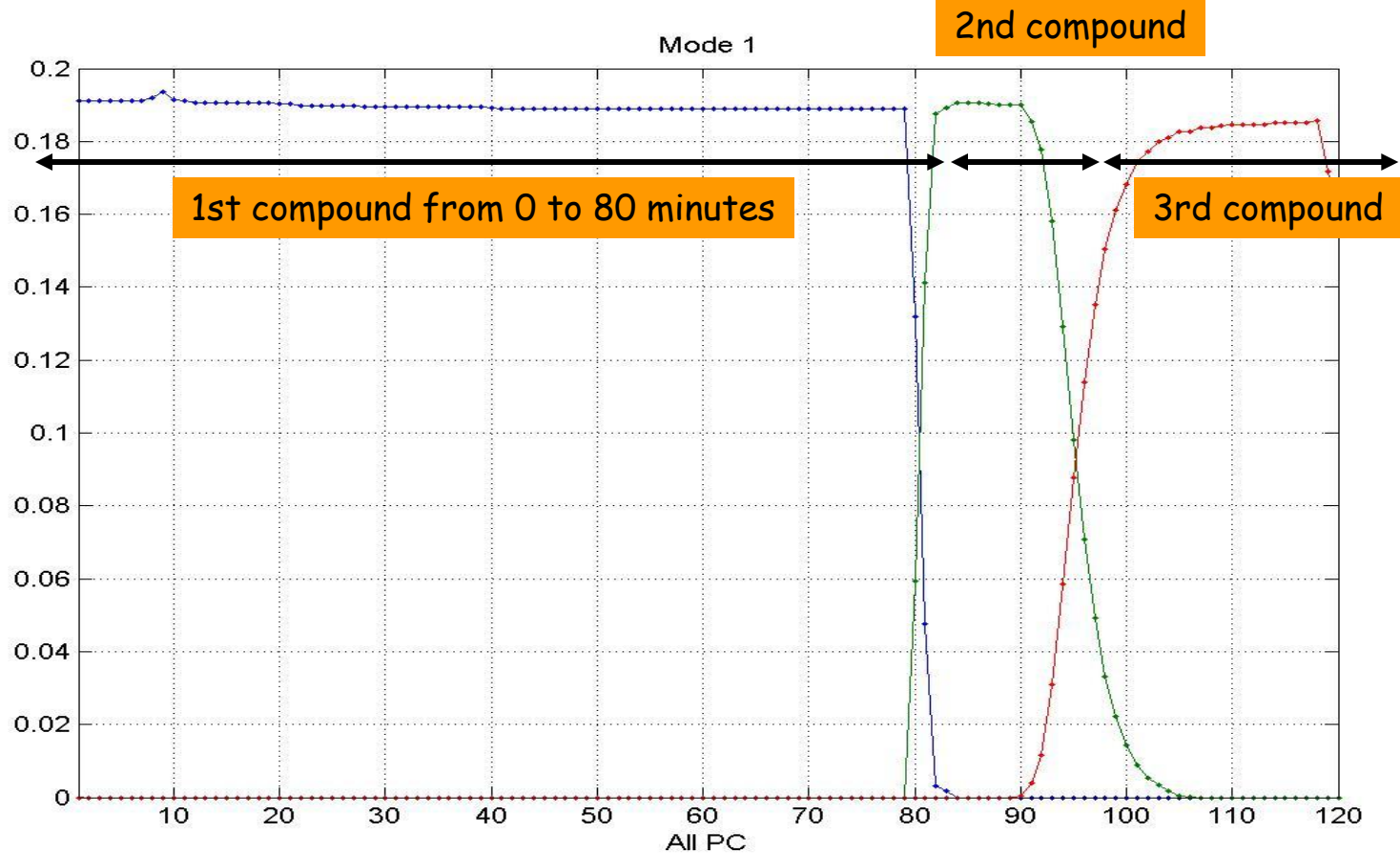
But basis component spectra could also be input or several other methods exist

Chemical reaction monitoring

Method: OPA

120 spectra (measured every minutes) with 201 wavelengths.

Goal: chemical reaction monitoring



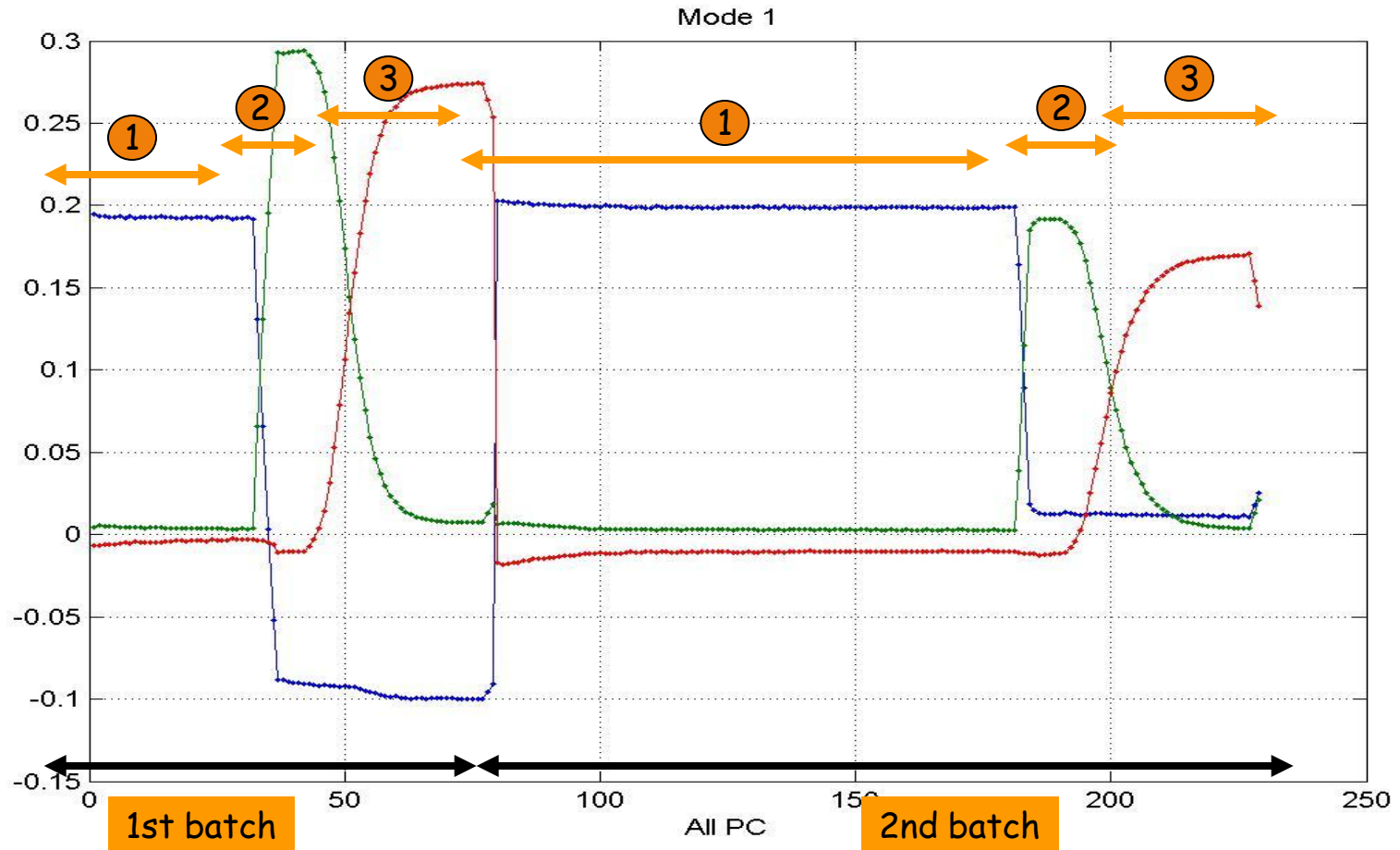
Concentration profil of the different compounds

Chemical reaction monitoring

Several batches
Method: OPA 3D

Two batches with 79 and 150 spectra (229)

Goal: follow the apparition of the 3 components of the reference batches



Batch monitoring (explore or regress 2 matrices)

PLS
IV-PCA

2 way

n-PLS
IV-Tucker

N way

Regression for process monitoring

Nway exploratory methods

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IV Tucker model:

Tucker's criterion

$$F^i = \operatorname{argmin}_{F^i \perp E^i} \left\| \underline{Y} - P_{\substack{N \\ A \\ F^i}}^{i=1}(\underline{Y}) \right\|_F^2$$

IV-Tucker's criterion: linear constraints

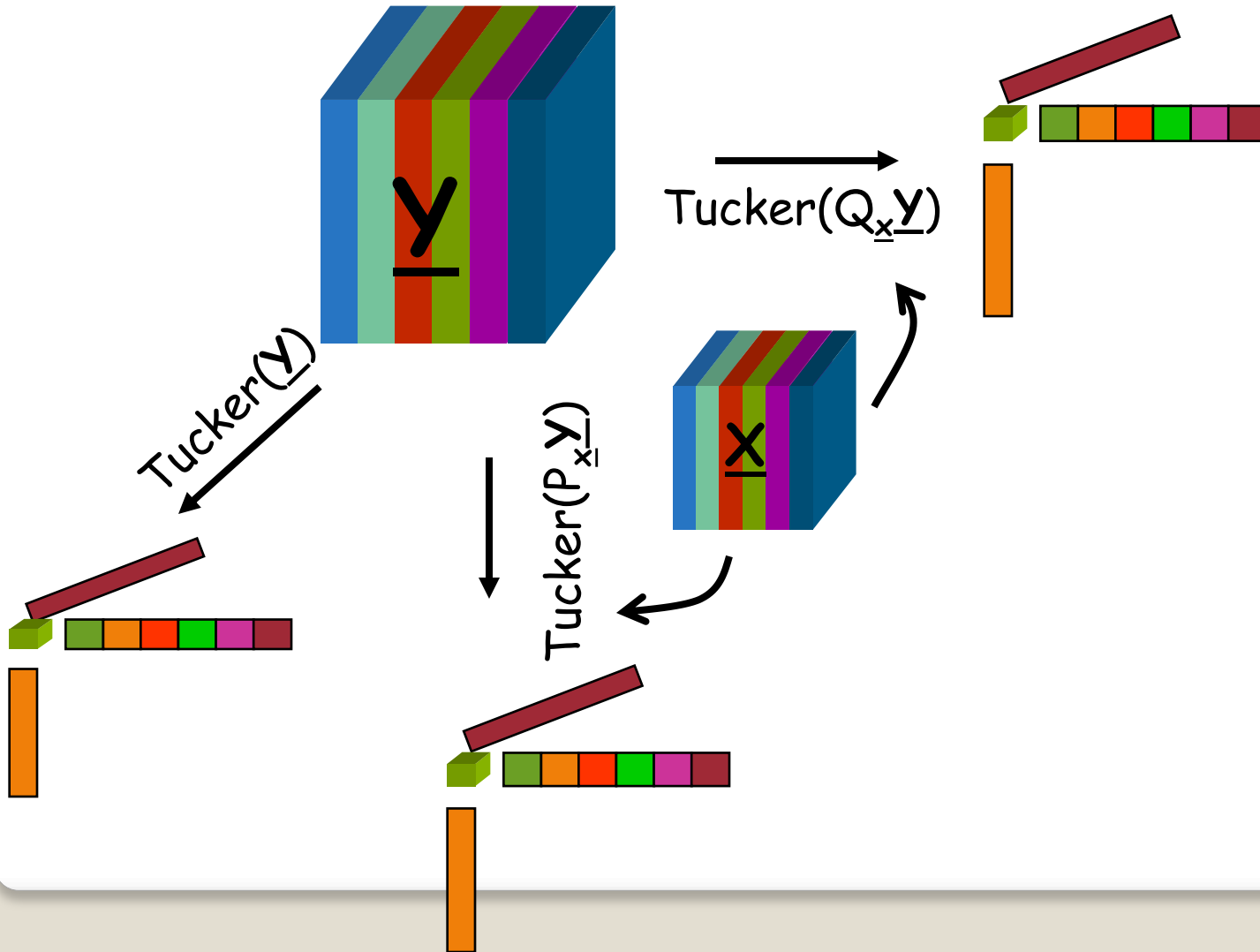
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Several modes can be constrained

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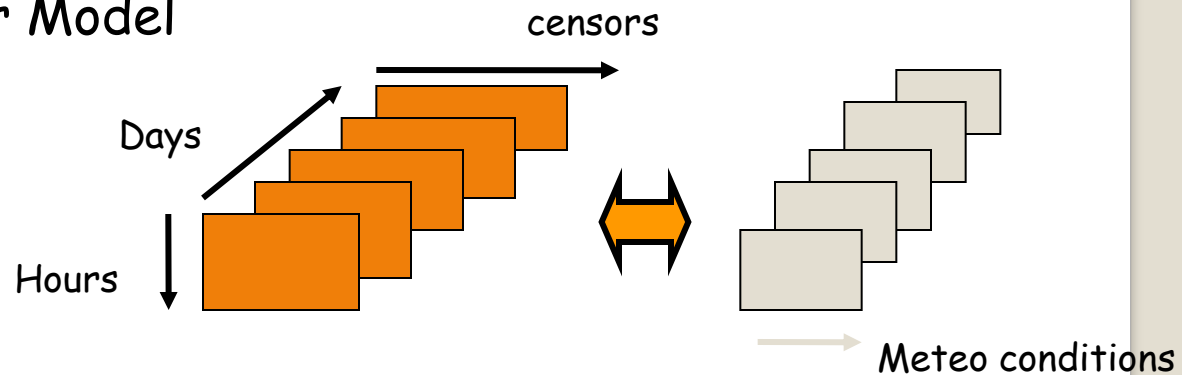
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Application of IV Tucker Model

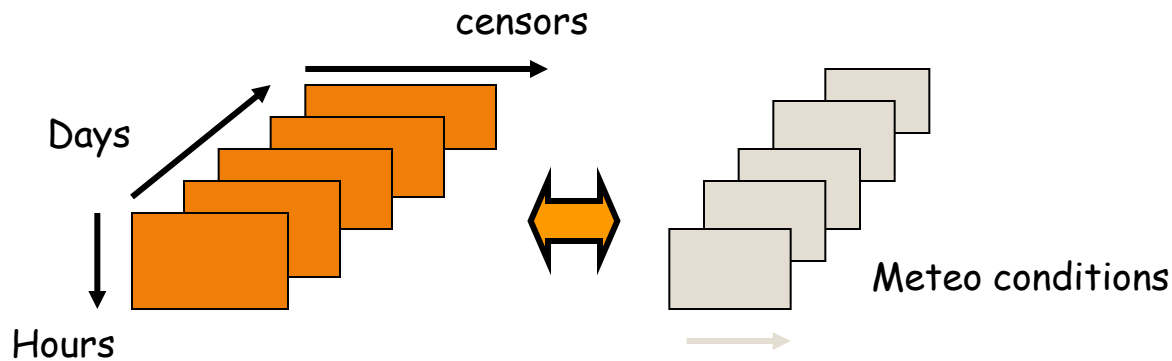


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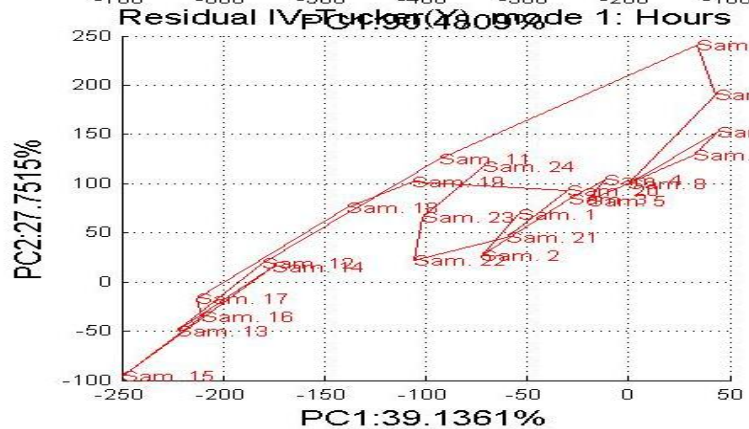
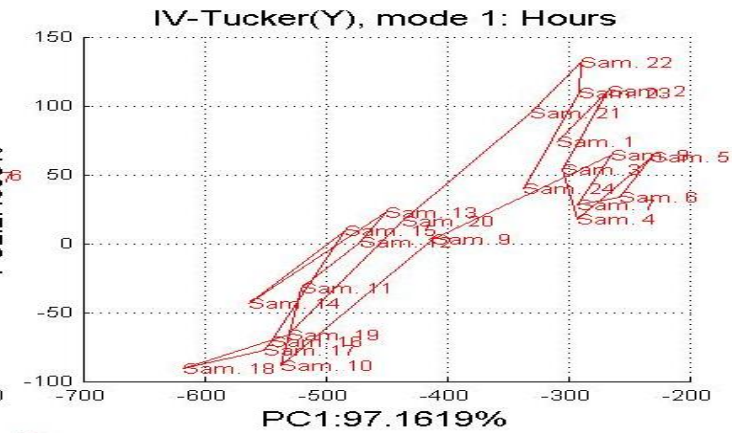
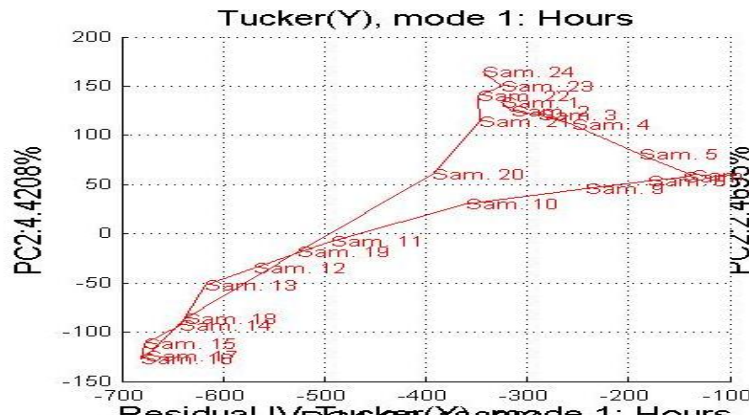
Predictive model

2- To detect variations of ozone in relation with the climate independant from the climate

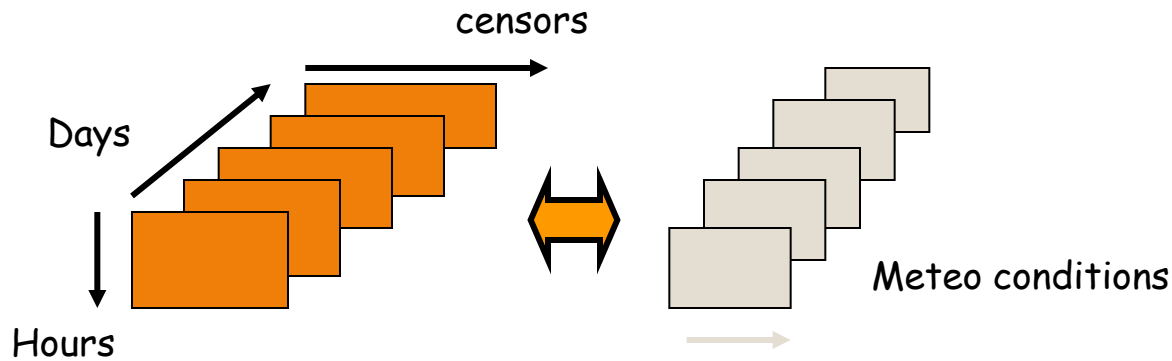
Causal model



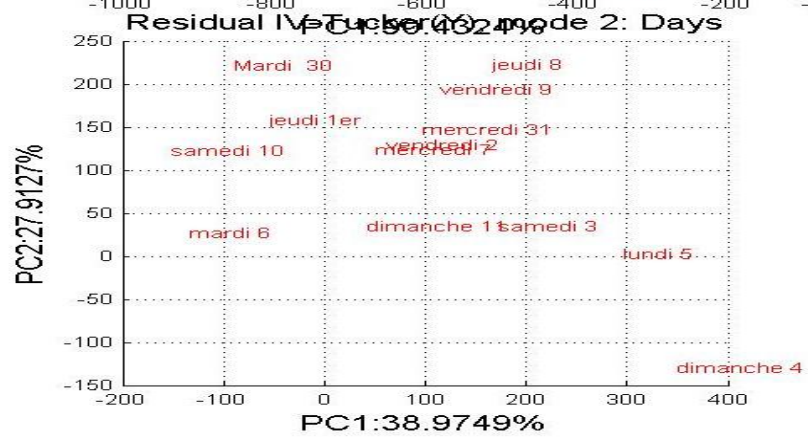
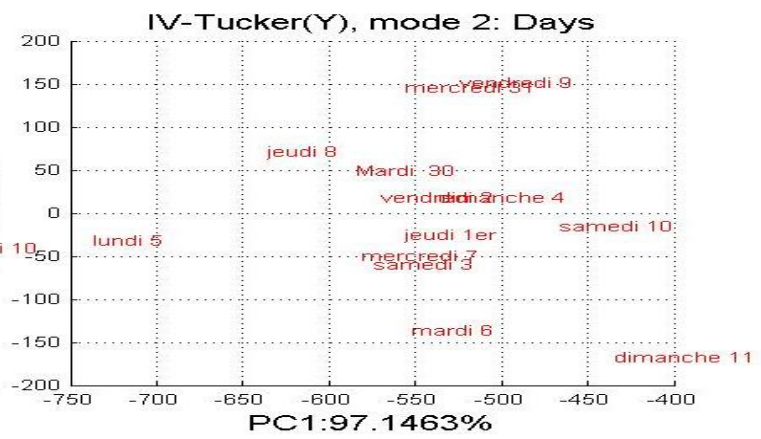
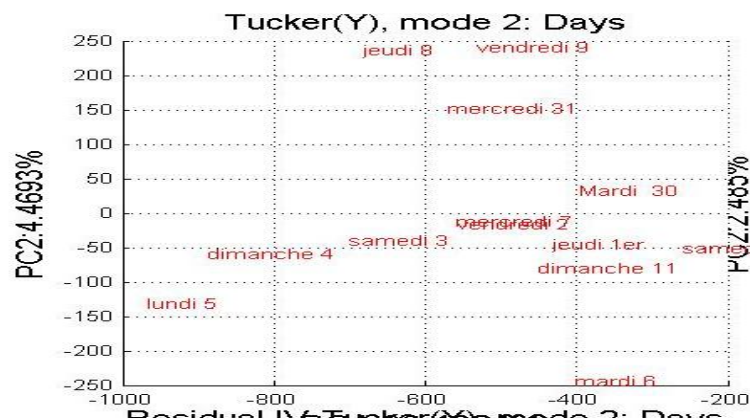
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 pollution 24x13x2
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Aim: constraints analysis



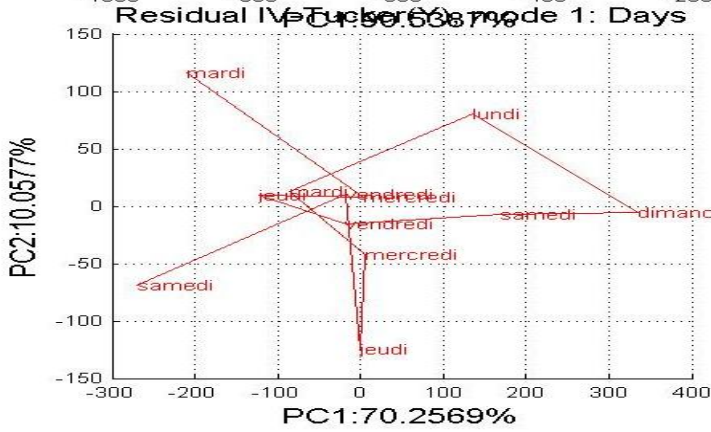
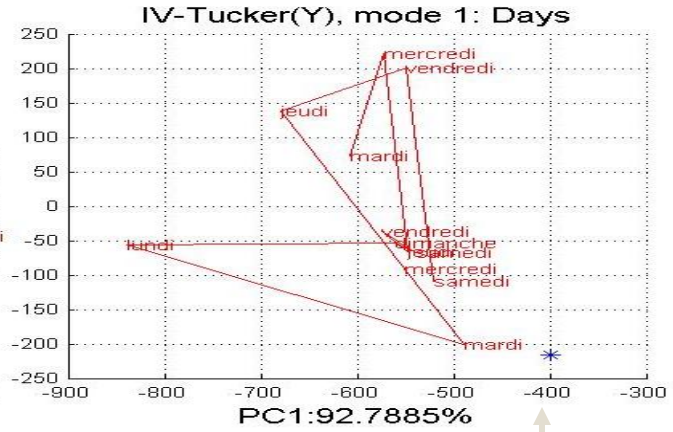
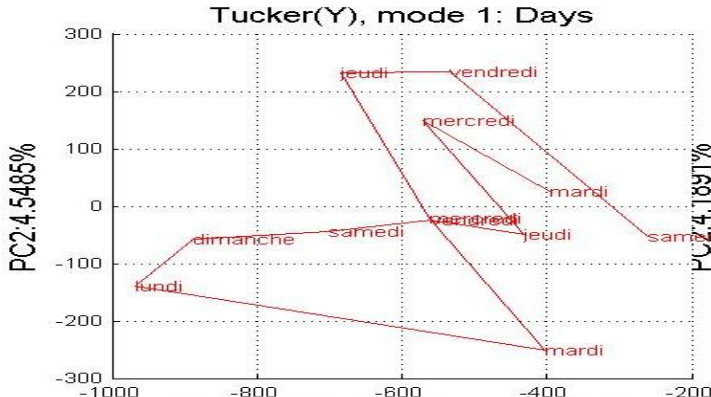
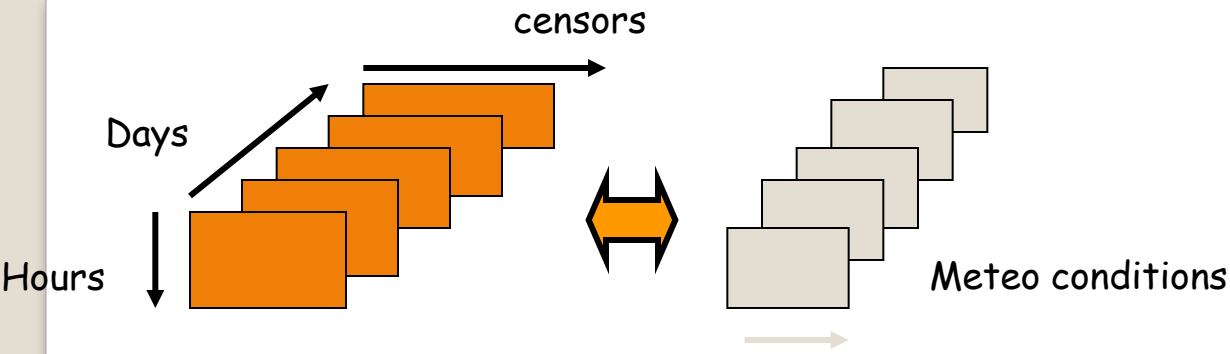
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Prediction of the 13th day

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