# Algorithmic Data Analysis

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Associate characteristics to the datasets

univariate vs. multivariate regularly vs. irregularly sampled

sequential data vs. time-series real vs. symbolic values



We consider discrete sequences of items.

The distance between two sequence elements is defined as d(s, s') = 0 if and only if s = s', 1 otherwise.

Given two sequences S and S', we denote

**DTW**(S, S') the *Dynamic Time Warping* (DTW) distance, **DTW**<sub>w</sub>(S, S') the DTW distance with window constraint w,

i.e. matching elements no further than w positions apart
E(S, S') the Edit distance with insertion and deletion operations such that c<sub>ins</sub> = 1 and c<sub>del</sub> = 0.5,
H(S, S') the Hamming distance,
L(S, S') the length of the Longest contiguous common subsequence.

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# Q4.2: Distances (i)

 $S_A$  and  $S_B$  are two sequences of length 10 such that L( $S_A$ ,  $S_B$ ) = 5 and  $S_C$  is a third sequence obtained by deleting the first and the last elements of  $S_A$ .

What can you say about the following statements?

i) 
$$H(S_A, S_B) \leq H(S_C, S_B) + 2$$

ii) 
$$DTW_3(S_A, S_B) < DTW(S_A, S_B)$$

- iii)  $DTW(S_A, S_B) \leq H(S_A, S_B)$
- iv)  $E(S_A, S_B) \leq H(S_A, S_B)$
- v)  $E(S_A, S_B) < 8$
- vi)  $E(S_A, S_C) \leq 1$
- vii) E is a metric
- viii) H is a metric
  - ix) L is a metric

We want to mine frequent sequences from a long sequence of itemsets, with minimum support threshold set to 4

The frequent sequences of length 3, with their support, are

{a,b,c}:7	{a,b}{a}:4	{a,b}{c}:5	{a}{a,b}:6
{a}{a,c}:8	{a}{b,c}:6	{b}{a,c}:5	$\{b\}\{b,c\}:4$

Provide the tightest possible upper bound on the support of each of the following sequences of length 4

$$supp(\{a, b\}\{a, c\}) \le ?$$
  

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$$supp(\{a\}\{a, c\}\{a\}) \le ?$$

### Q4.4: Markov models

Associate each model to its name and to the size of the corresponding transition and/or emission matrices

Markov Chain Hidden Markov Model first/second order





# Q4.5: Markov unchained

At each time step,  $\mathcal{R}$  turns either left (L) or right (R) then rolls forward by one unit of distance. The path followed during one run, starting and ending at the gray the dot, facing up, is shown on the right.



From which of the Markov chains below did it possibly arise?



## Q4.6: Markov unchained (continued)

The path can be represented as sequence S = LLRLLRLLR

From which of the Markov chains below did it most likely arise?





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Match tasks, solutions and algorithms

Tasks

Evaluation Explanation Training  $\begin{array}{l} \text{Solutions} \\ \mathsf{P}_{\mathcal{M}}(O) \\ \text{arg max}_{X \in \mathcal{X}} \mathsf{P}_{\mathcal{M}}(X, O) \\ \text{arg max}_{\mathcal{M} \in \mathcal{H}} \mathsf{P}_{\mathcal{M}}(O) \end{array}$ 

## Algorithms

Backward algorithm Baum–Welch algorithm Forward algorithm Viterbi algorithm