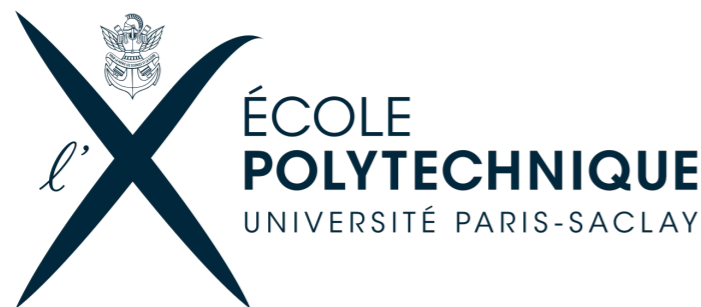


# Low-rank methods for multi-source, heterogeneous and incomplete data

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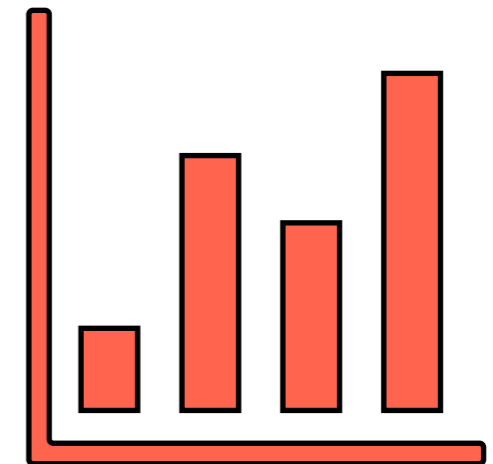
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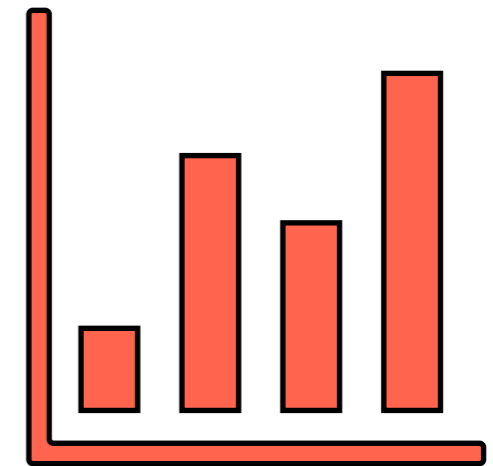
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« Old » problem: multivariate data analysis methods data back to the early 20th century (Pearson, 1901 and Hotelling, 1933)

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- genomics data set (1,000x100,000)
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Need for new models, theory, software

# Example: Traumabase data set

(20,000 individuals, 250 attributes)

| Patient ID | Centre            | Weight | Pelvic X-ray | Accident                  | Time in ICU | Age | On call | DC  |
|------------|-------------------|--------|--------------|---------------------------|-------------|-----|---------|-----|
| 1          | Beaujon           | NA     | Normal       | Falling (from own height) | NA          | 84  | Non     | NA  |
| 2          | Bicêtre           | 85     | NA           | Falling (from a height)   | 2           | 64  | Non     | NA  |
| 3          | Beaujon           | 80     | NA           | Car accident              | NA          | 35  | Non     | Non |
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| 6          | Pitié-Salpêtrière | NA     | NA           | Falling (from a height)   | NA          | 14  | Non     | NA  |



**Multi-source**

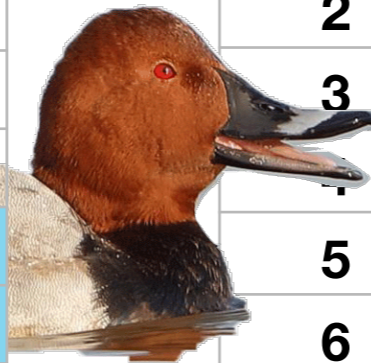
- Finding predictors of mortality = predictive models
- Describe the patients population = exploratory data analysis

# Example: Waterbirds data set

(23 species, 785 sites, 28 years, 17 covariates)

## Common pochard (canard milouin)

| Site | 2008 | 2009 | 2010 |
|------|------|------|------|
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- Two sources of data: bird censuses and web-scraping
- Estimate population trends and select important covariates



# Low-rank matrices

$$\mathbf{A} = \begin{bmatrix} A_{1,1} & A_{1,2} & \dots & A_{1,m_2} \\ A_{2,1} & A_{2,2} & \dots & A_{2,m_2} \\ \vdots & & & \\ A_{m_1-1,1} & A_{m_1-1,2} & \dots & A_{m_1-1,m_2} \\ A_{m_1,1} & A_{m_1,2} & \dots & A_{m_1,m_2} \end{bmatrix} = (A_{i,j}) \in \mathcal{X}^{m_1 \times m_2}$$

$A_{2,.} \in \mathcal{X}^{m_2}$  (red box)  
 $A_{.,2} \in \mathcal{X}^{m_1}$  (blue box)

## Rank of a matrix:

A matrix is of rank  $r$ , noted  $\text{rank}(\mathbf{A}) = r$ , if its rows lie in a subspace of dimension  $r$ :

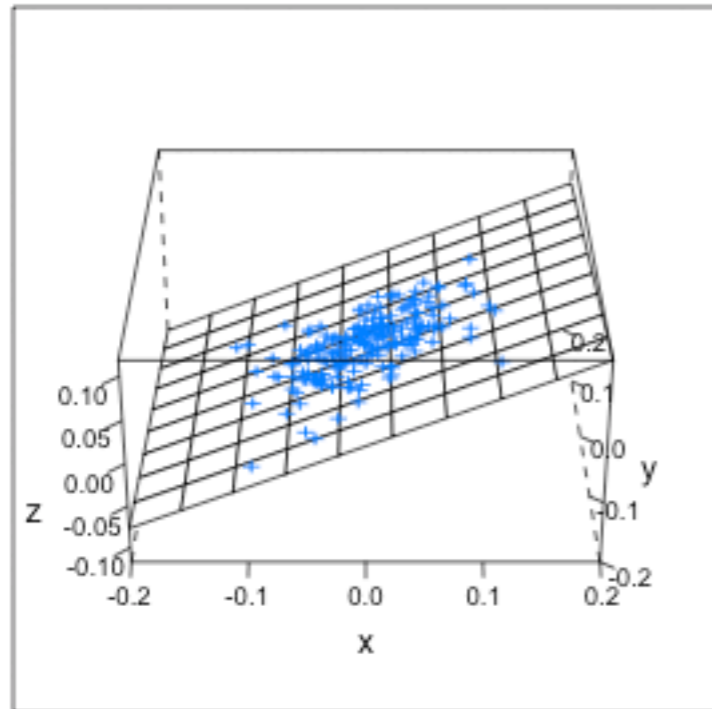
$$\forall i \in \{1, \dots, m_1\}, A_{i,.} \in \mathcal{S}_1 \subseteq \mathcal{X}^{m_2}, \dim(\mathcal{S}_1) = r$$

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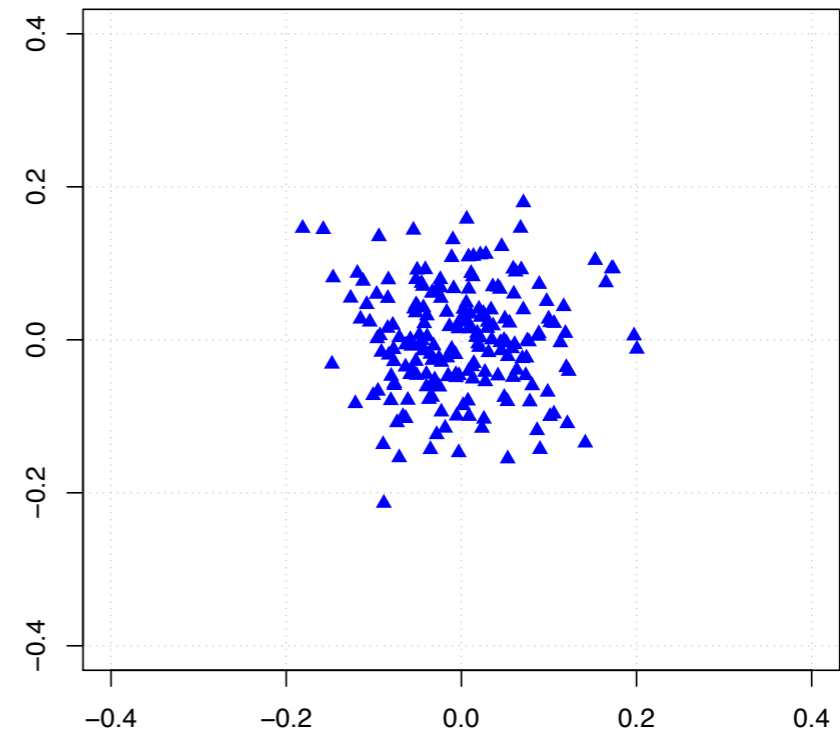
A matrix  $\mathbf{A}$  of size  $m_1 \times m_2$  is of low-rank if

$$\text{rank}(\mathbf{A}) \ll \max(m_1, m_2)$$

# Row and column vector spaces



change of  
basis



**The rows are of dimension 3 but lie in a 2-dimensional subspace**

# Singular value decomposition

$$\mathbf{A} = \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} U_1 & \dots & U_r \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{new coordinates (norm.)}} \begin{bmatrix} \sigma_1(\mathbf{A}) & 0 & \dots \\ 0 & & \\ \vdots & & \sigma_r(\mathbf{A}) \end{bmatrix} \underbrace{\begin{bmatrix} V_1^\top \\ \vdots \\ V_r^\top \end{bmatrix}}_{\text{new basis}}$$

**singular values**

$$\mathbf{A} = \mathbf{U}\mathbf{\Sigma}\mathbf{V}^\top: \text{singular value decomposition (SVD)}$$

Number of parameters:  $r(m_1 + m_2 - r) \leq m_1 m_2$

- The rank controls:
- Computational cost
  - Model complexity

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**Mostly for incomplete numeric data, or heterogeneous data without multi-source aspect**

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# Statistical model

Data frame: *random* (noisy) observations

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independent entries with  
parametric model:

$$f_{Y_{ij}}(y) = f_{ij}(y, X_{ij})$$

probability  
density  
function

known  
function

unknown  
parameter

Independent  
↔

Missing data pattern (*random*)

$$\Omega = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & \dots & 0 & \dots & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & & & \\ \vdots & & 1 & & \\ 1 & 0 & & & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

independent Bernoulli  
random variables:

$$\mathbb{P}(\Omega_{i,j} = 1) = \pi_{ij} > 0$$



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Example 1:  
(numeric variables)

$$\left. \begin{aligned} h_j(y) &= (2\pi\sigma^2)^{-1/2} \exp(-y^2/2\sigma^2) \\ g_j(x) &= x^2\sigma^2/2 \end{aligned} \right\} \mathcal{N}(x, \sigma^2) \text{ (Gaussian)}$$



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$$\left. \begin{array}{l} h_j(y) = 1 \\ g_j(x) = \log(1 + \exp(x)) \end{array} \right\} \mathcal{B}(1/(1 + \exp(-x)))$$

(Bernoulli)



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Example 3:  
(discrete variables)

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} h_j(y) = 1/y! \\ g_j(x) = \exp(ax) \end{array} \right\} \mathcal{P}(\exp(ax)) \\ \text{(Poisson)}$$



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Parameter of parametric model:  
side information included in parameter space

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interactions  
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Annotations:  
- A red arrow points from the word "sparse" to the coefficient  $\alpha_k$ .  
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Low-rank

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1/ Only main effects: (Sparse) Generalized Linear Model (GLM)

[Friedman et al. (2010), Pannekoek and van Strien (2001)]

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2/ Only interactions: Convex low-rank matrix completion

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Low-rank plus sparse decomposition:

$$\begin{aligned} (\hat{\alpha}, \hat{\Theta}) \in & \operatorname{argmin} \mathcal{L}(\alpha, \Theta; \mathbf{Y}, \Omega) + \lambda_1 \|\Theta\|_{\star} + \lambda_2 \|\alpha\|_1 \\ \text{subject to} & \|\alpha\|_{\infty} \leq a, \|\Theta\|_{\infty} \leq a, \end{aligned}$$


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## 1/ No noise

Both components can be recovered exactly via convex optimisation

$$\begin{aligned} & \text{minimize} && \|L\|_* + \lambda \|S\|_1 \\ & \text{subject to} && L_{i,j} + S_{i,j} = Y_{i,j} \text{ if } \Omega_{i,j} = 1 \end{aligned}$$

Chandrasekaran et al. (2011), Hsu et al. (2011), Candès et al. (2011), Xu et al. (2010), Mardani et al. (2013)



# Low-rank plus sparse matrix decomposition

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 Additive noise

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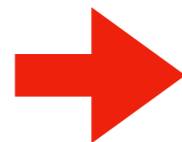
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### Two-fold generalisation:

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# Objectives of this thesis

1. Provide *theoretically sound* models adapted to multi-source, heterogeneous and incomplete data *simultaneously*

- Hybrid low-rank structures
- Heterogeneous data fitting terms
- Upper and lower bounds on estimation errors

2. For these models, provide estimation methods and empirically robust software solutions

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- Implementation of R packages
- Numerical results

3. Confront the methods to applications in life sciences

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- Imputation of a medical registry

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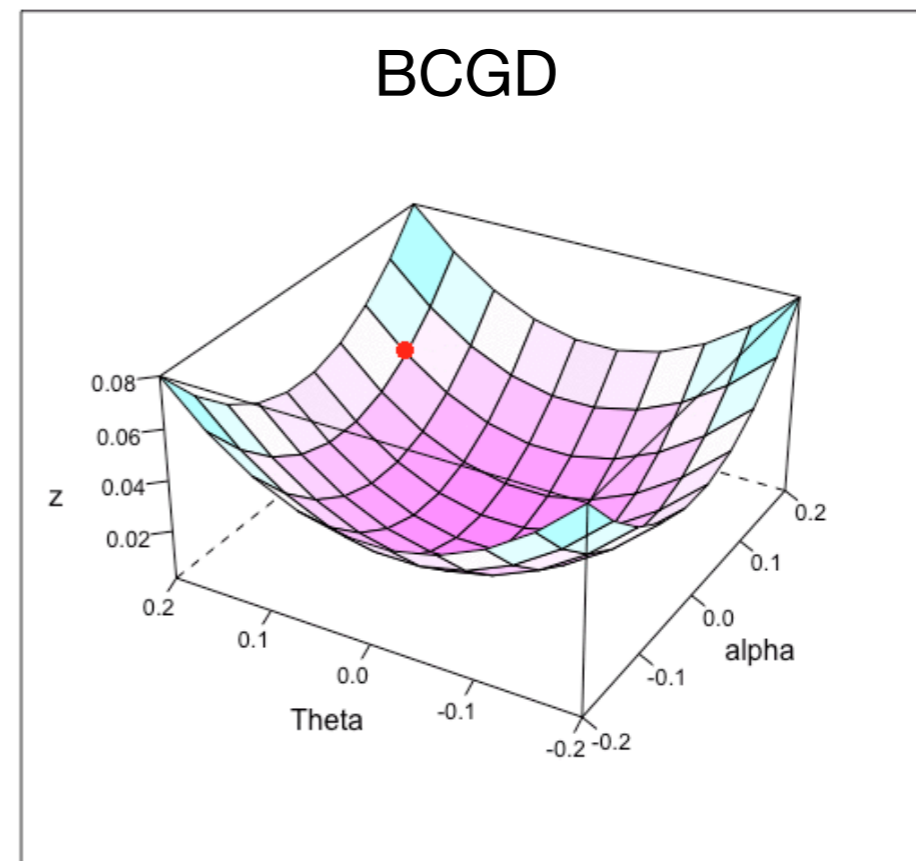
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## Algorithm:

Block coordinate gradient descent (BCGD)

## Idea:

Update the parameters  $\alpha$  and  $\Theta$  alternatively along descent directions



# Sketch of the algorithm

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**Algorithm 1** BCGD algorithm.

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2: for  $t = 1, 2, \dots, T$  do
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4:   Taylor expansion with additional strongly convex quadratic term
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6:   Compute descent direction (weighted LASSO problem)
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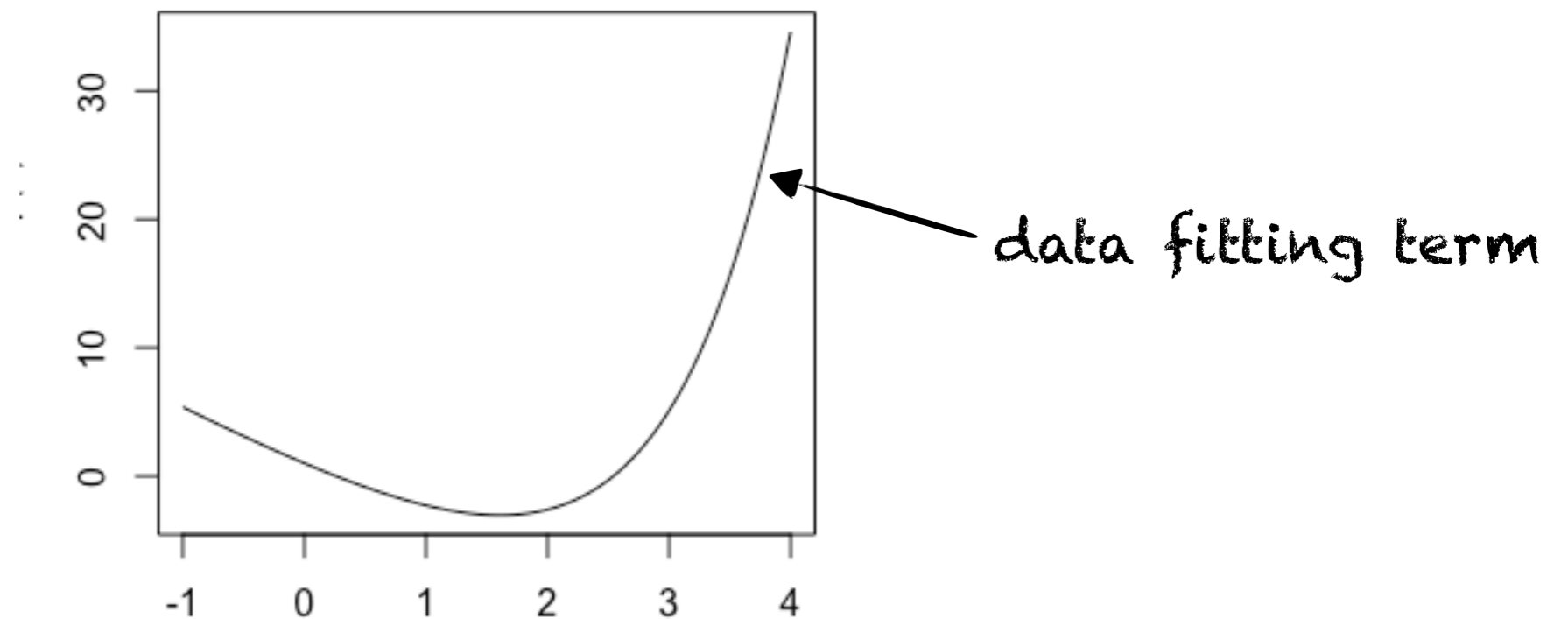
Taylor expansion + quadratic term

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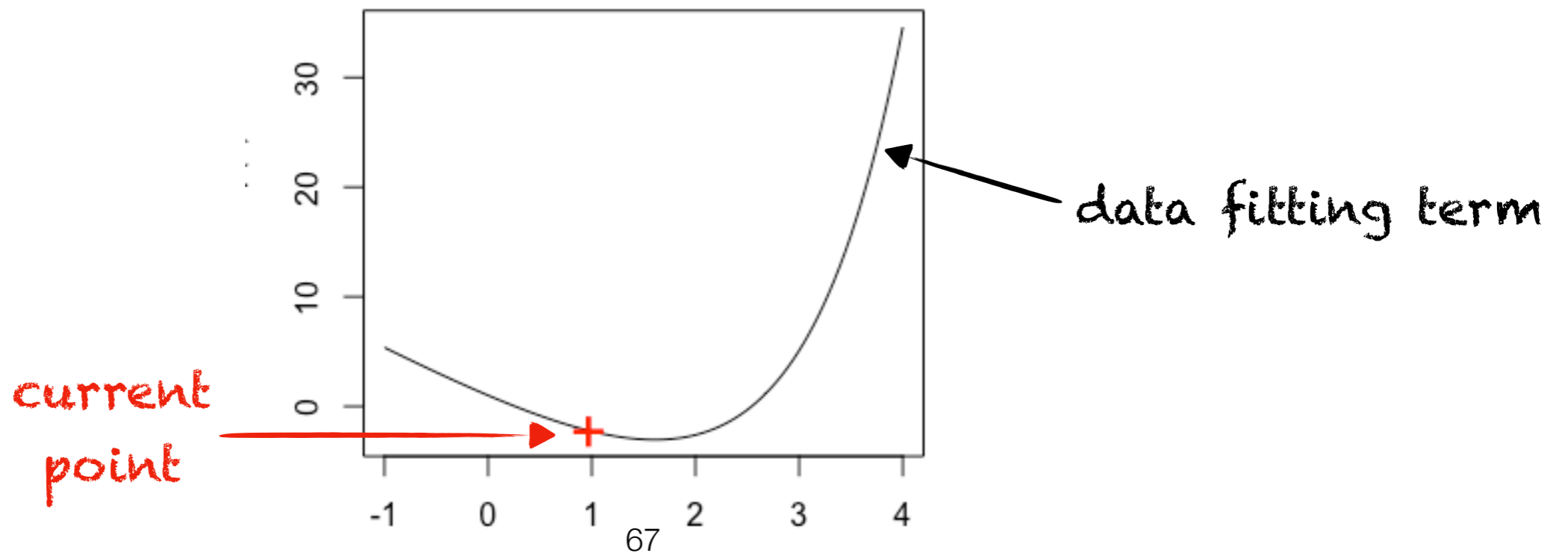
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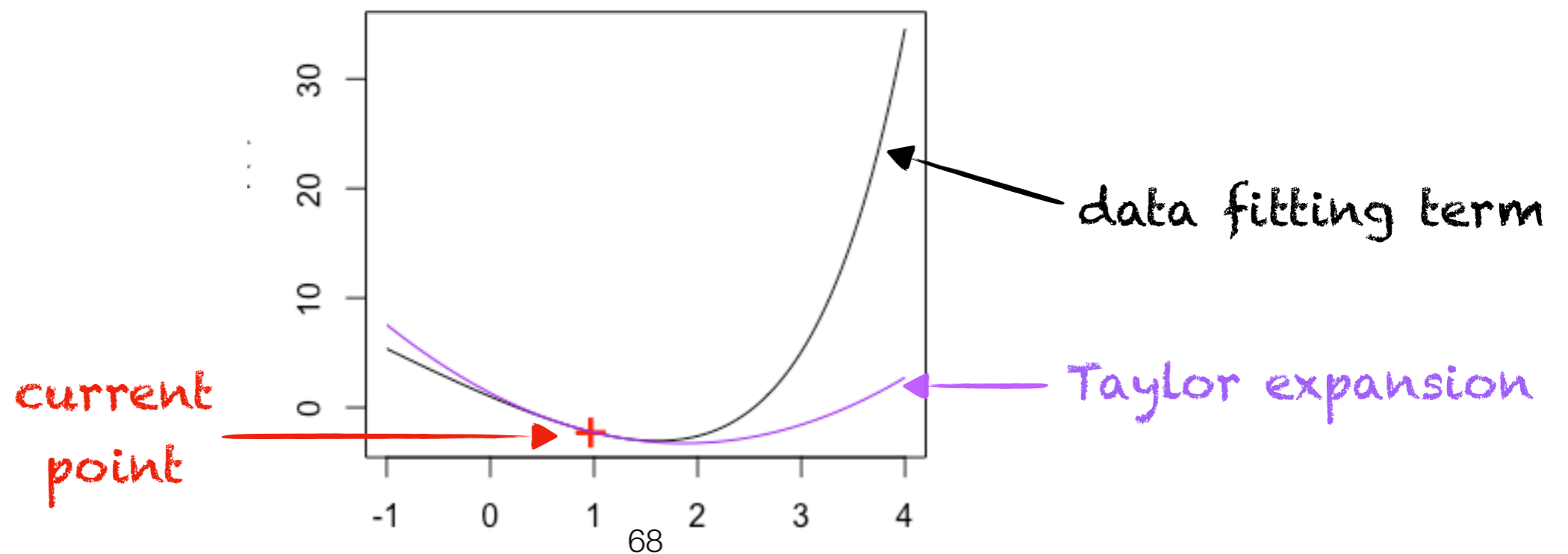
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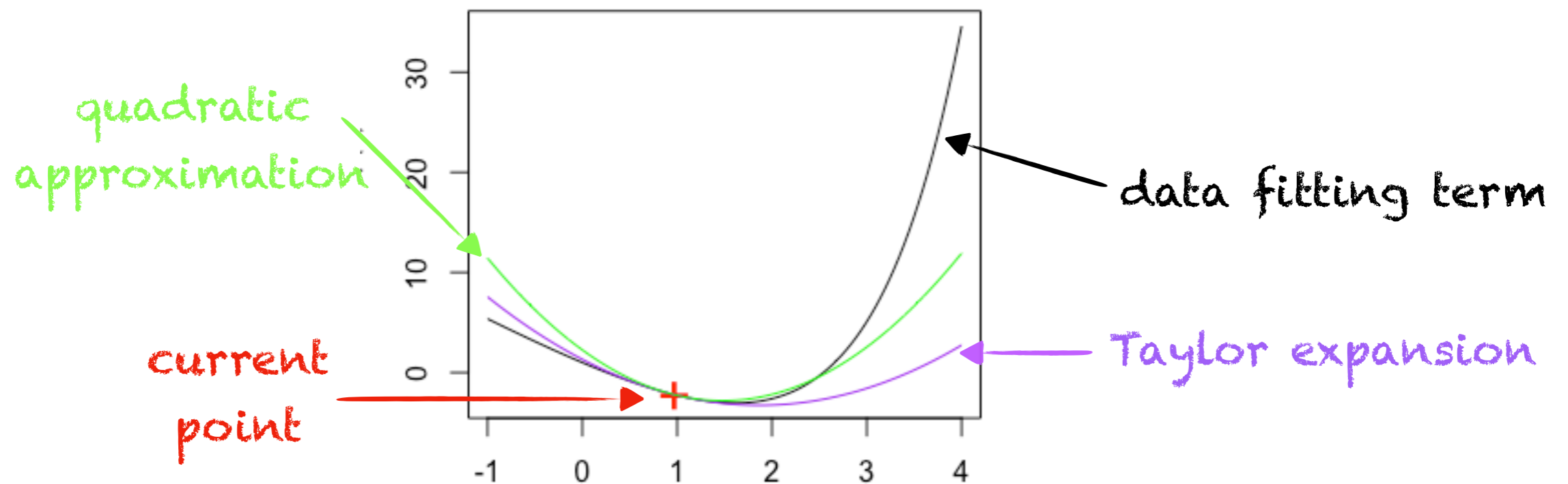
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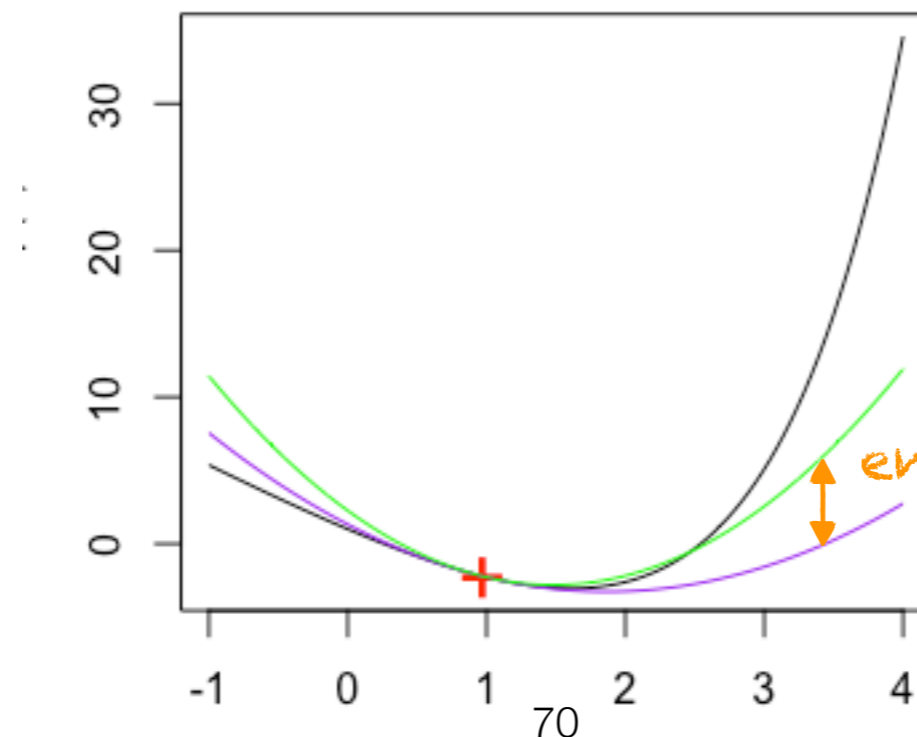
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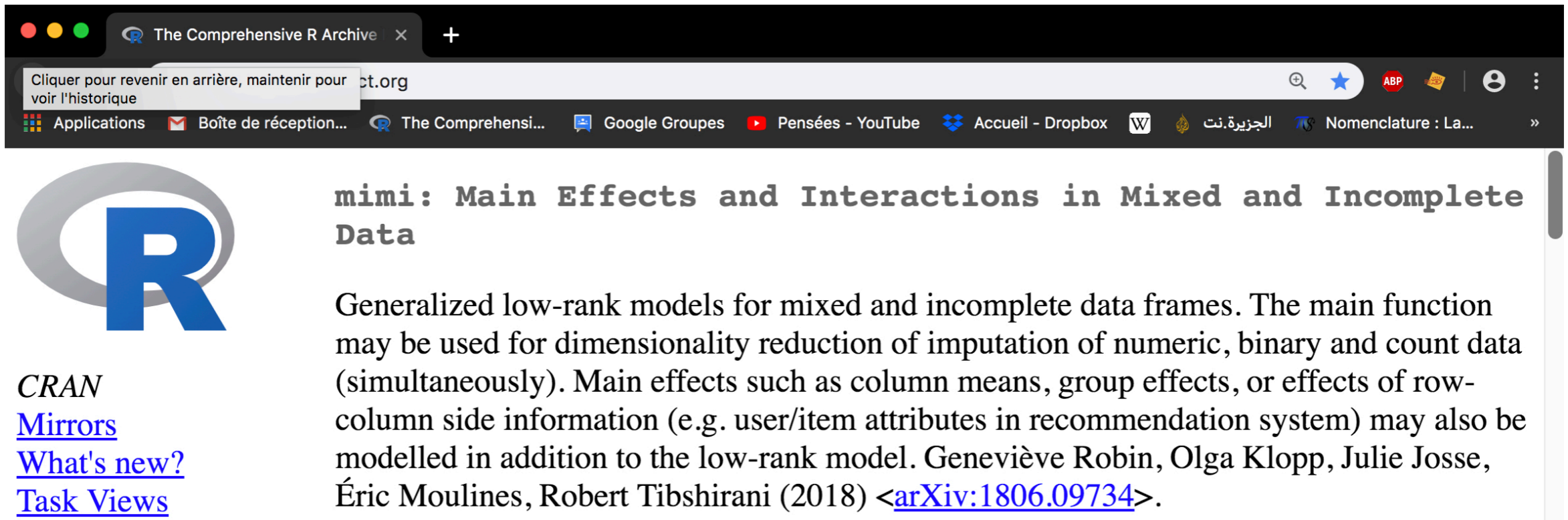
## **Theorem** (Robin et al. 2019)

Under the assumptions previously stated:

$$\mathcal{F}(\alpha^{[t]}, \Theta^{[t]}) \rightarrow \mathcal{F}(\hat{\alpha}, \hat{\Theta})$$

**Proof:** Tseng and Yun (2009) + compact level sets

# R package mimi



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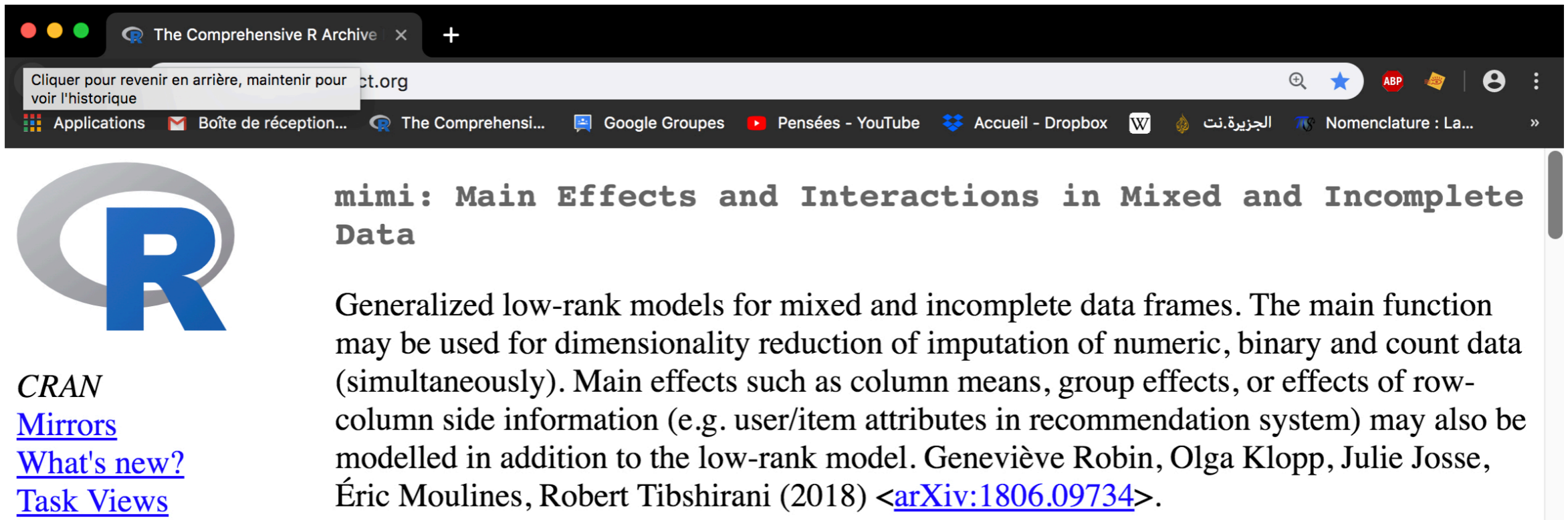
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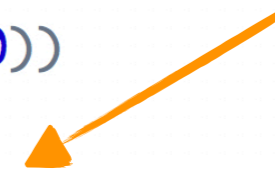
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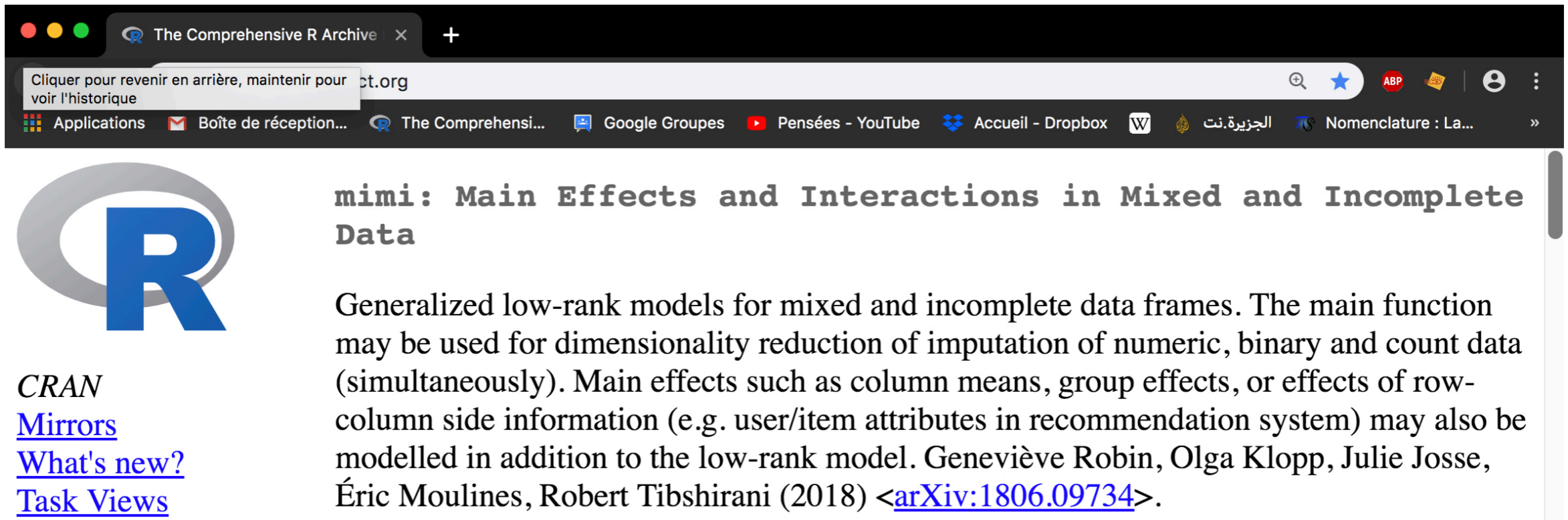
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Cross-validation to select regularization parameters



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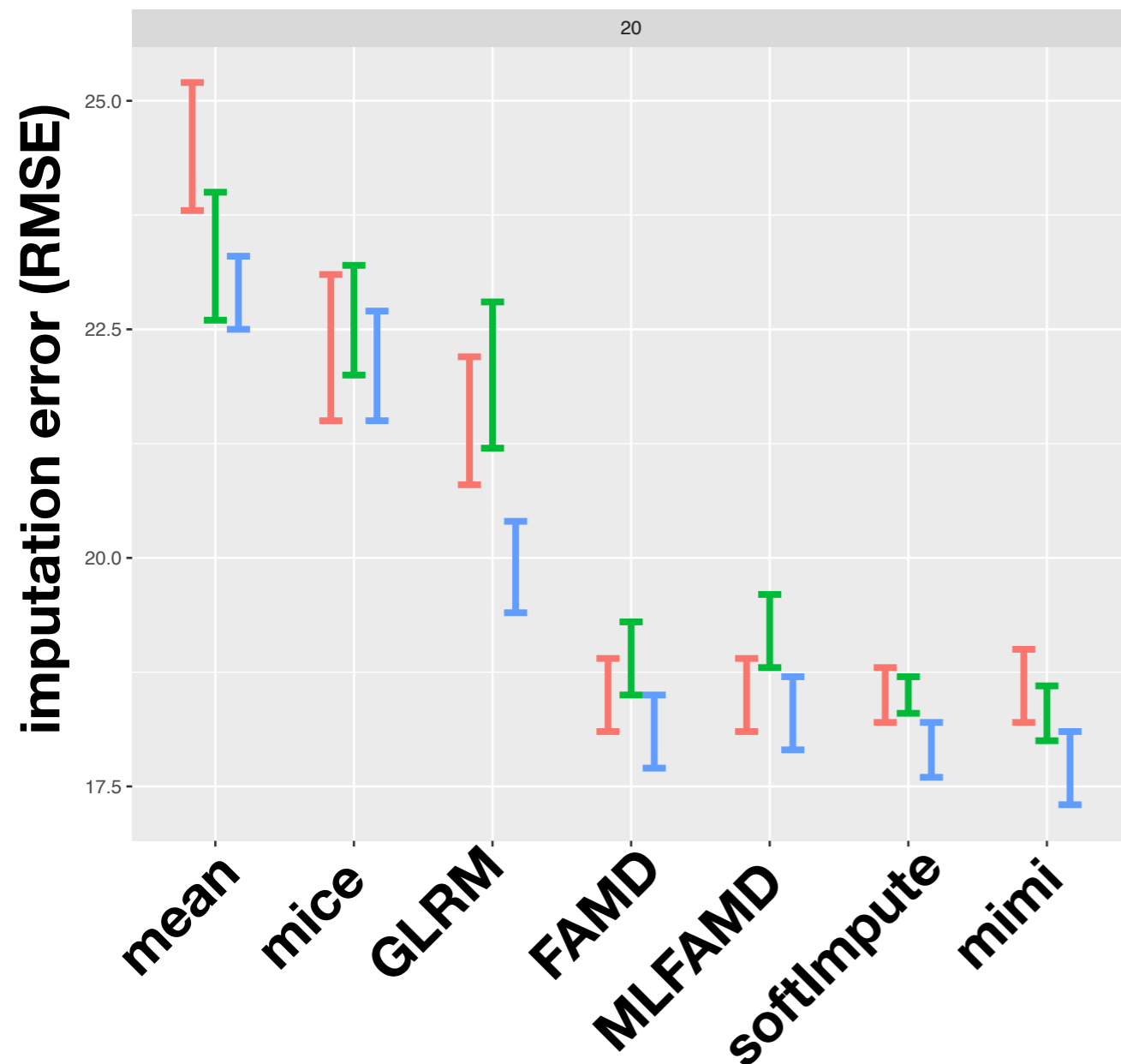
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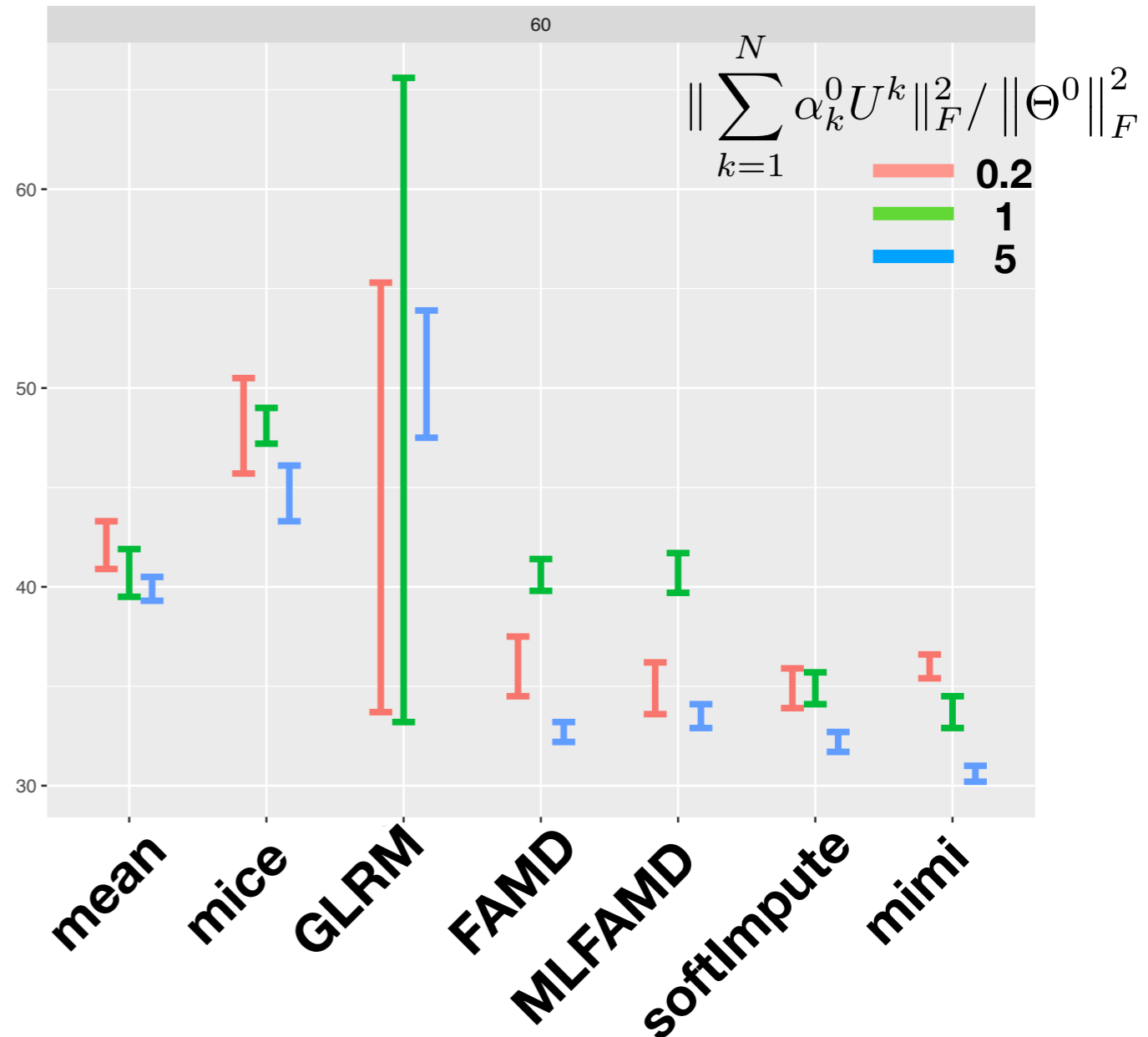
# Numerical results

Imputation error (averaged across 100 rep)

20% missing values



60% missing values



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1. Provide *theoretically sound* models adapted to multi-source, heterogeneous and incomplete data *simultaneously*

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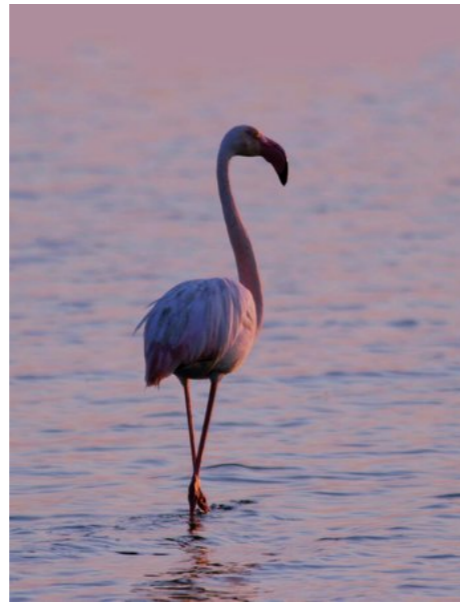
2. For these models, provide estimation methods and empirically robust software solutions

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- Implementation of R packages
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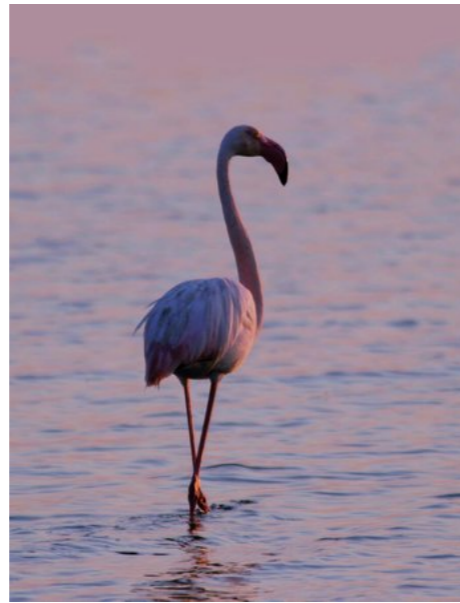
- Analysis of a waterbird abundance data set
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# Waterbirds monitoring



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- Important ecosystem service providers (disperser of seeds, sentinel for epidemics)
- Waterbird monitoring used as surrogate to evaluate global state of biodiversity

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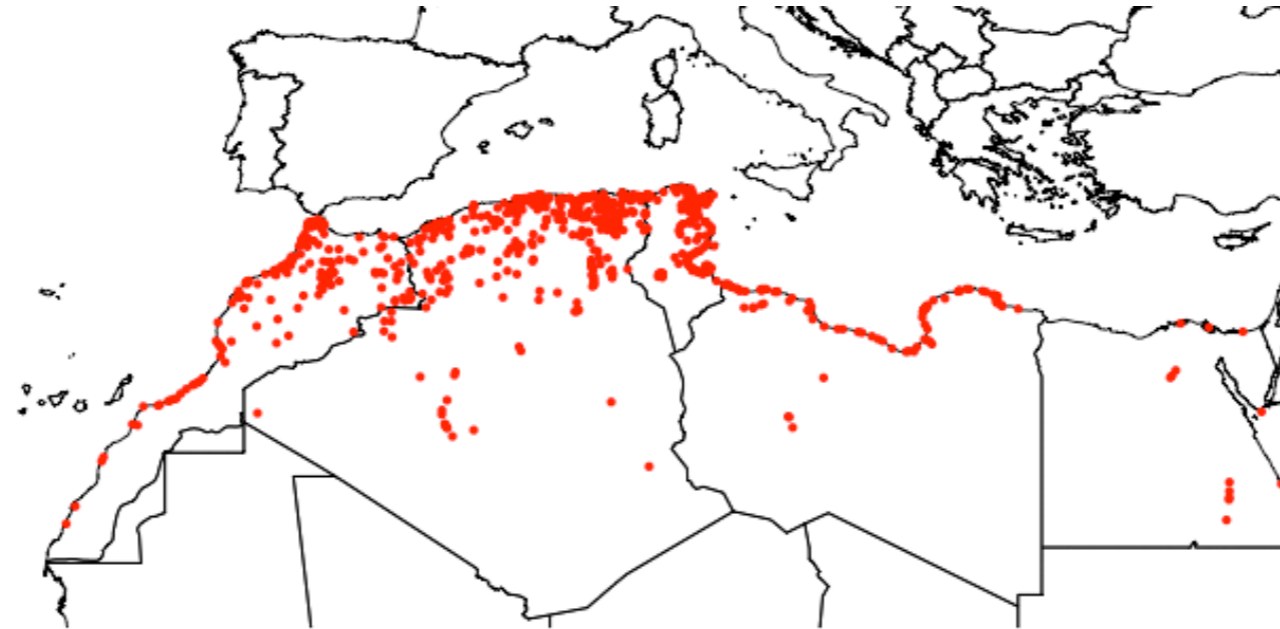
- Yearly censuses supervised by Wetlands International
- First census in 1967
- 25,000 sites counted yearly
- Provide information to international conservation organizations

# Waterbirds monitoring in North Africa



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- Spatial coverage remains variable for financial and political reasons (Etayeb et al. 2015)

# The waterbirds data set



- Collaboration with the Tour du Valat Institute (Camargue)
- 785 sites in Morocco, Algeria, Tunisia, Libya and Egypt
- Counts between 1990 and 2018 (28 years)
- 23 waterbird species, between 40 and 60% missing values
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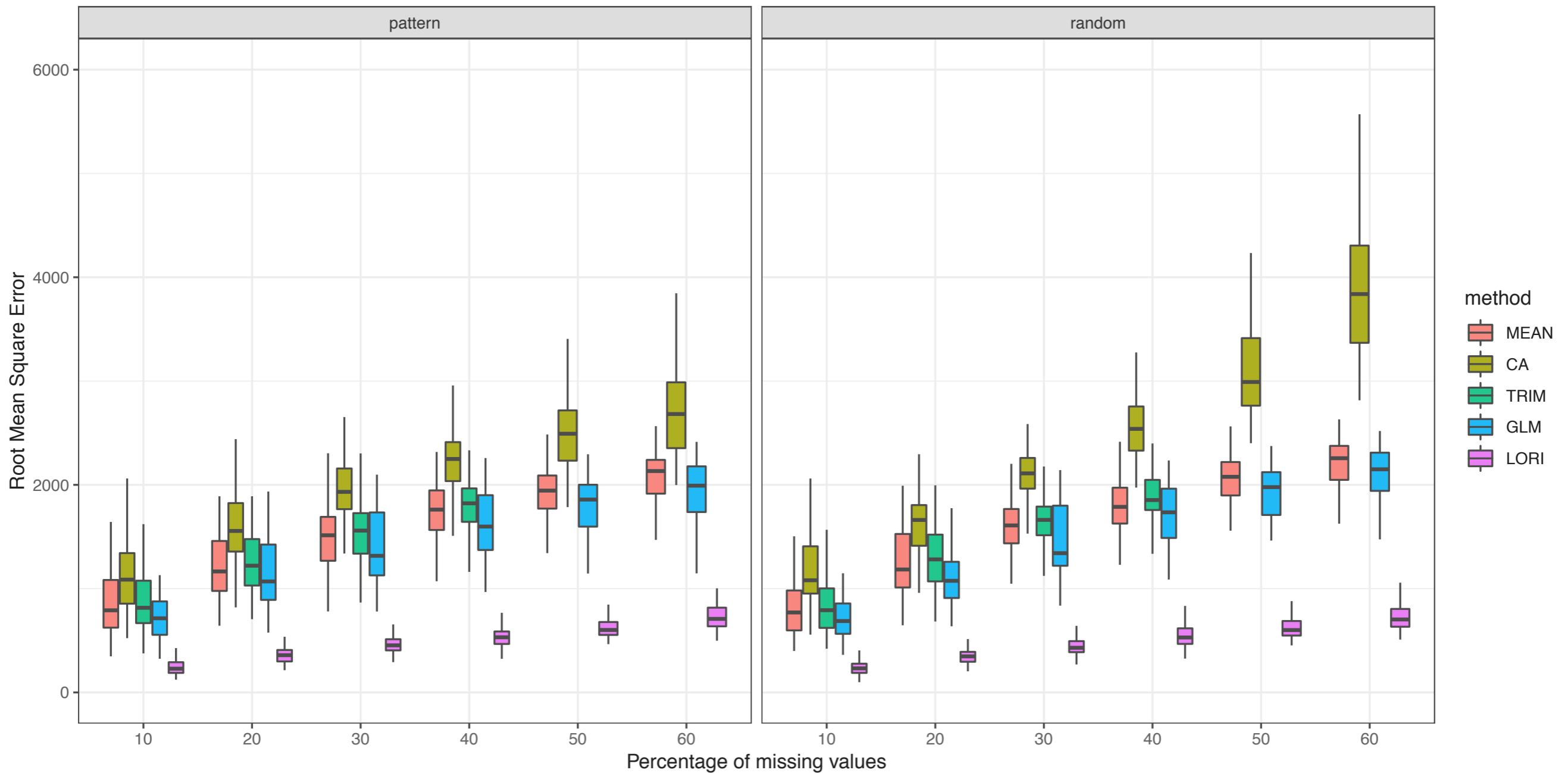
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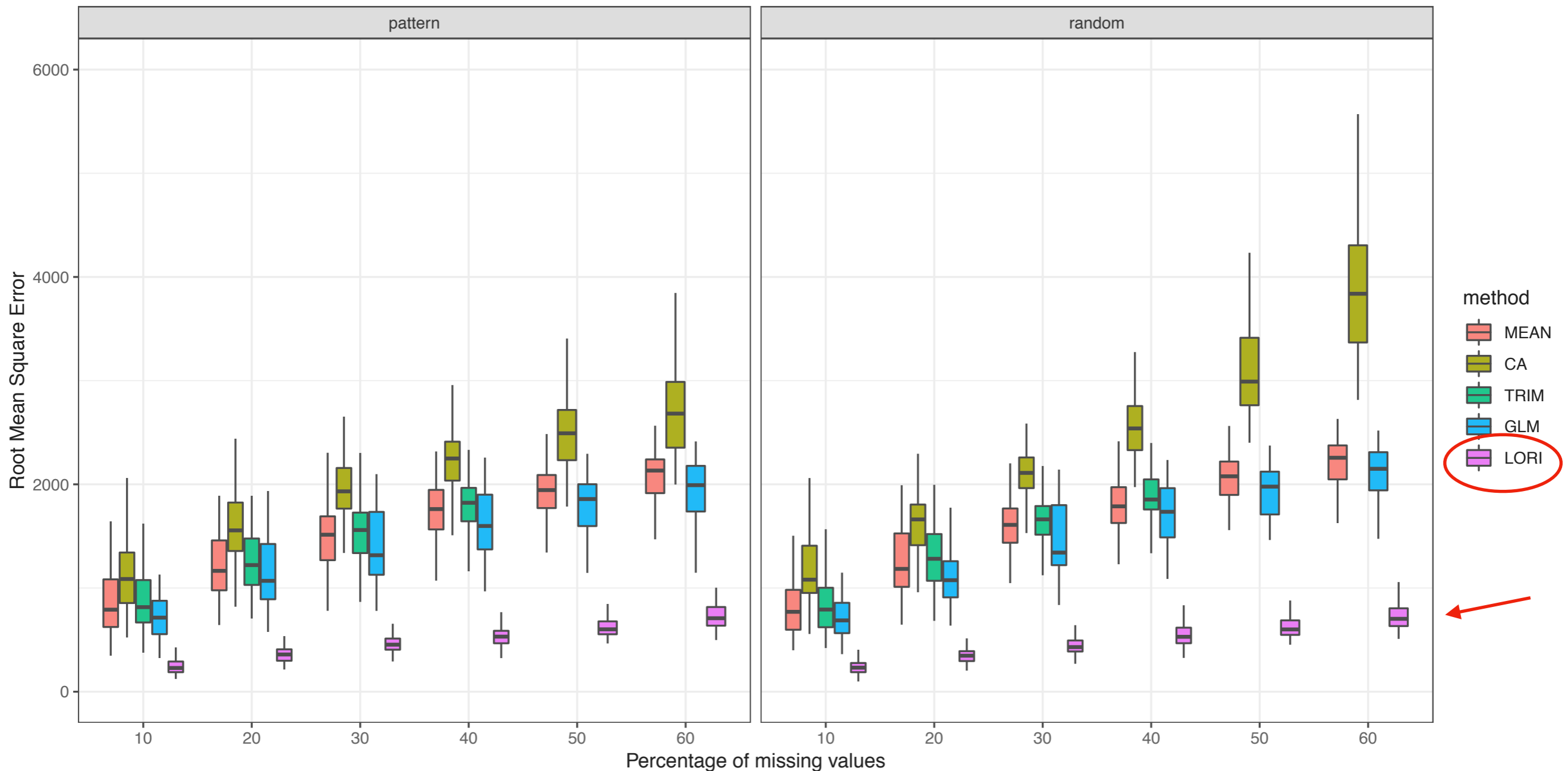


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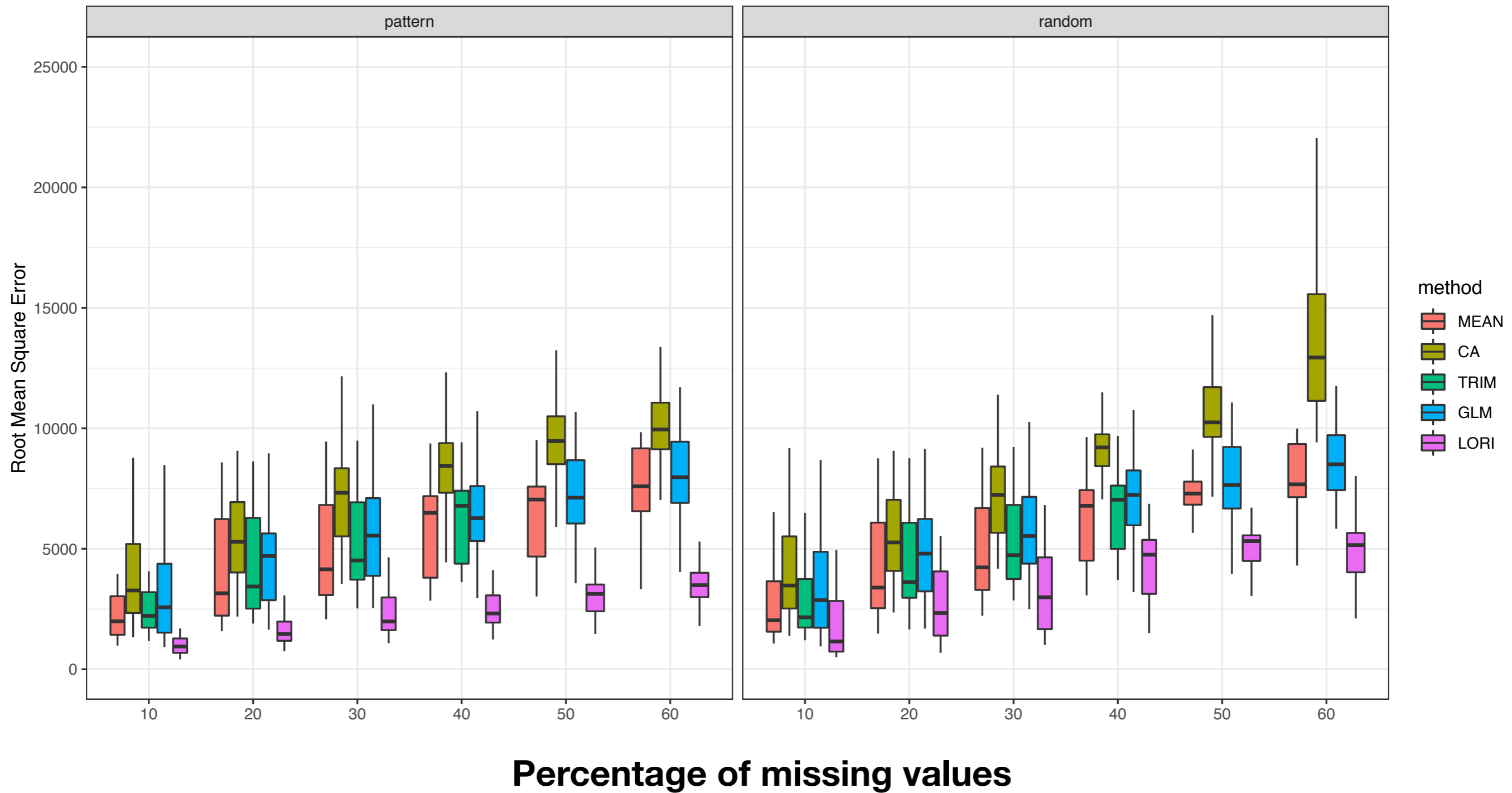


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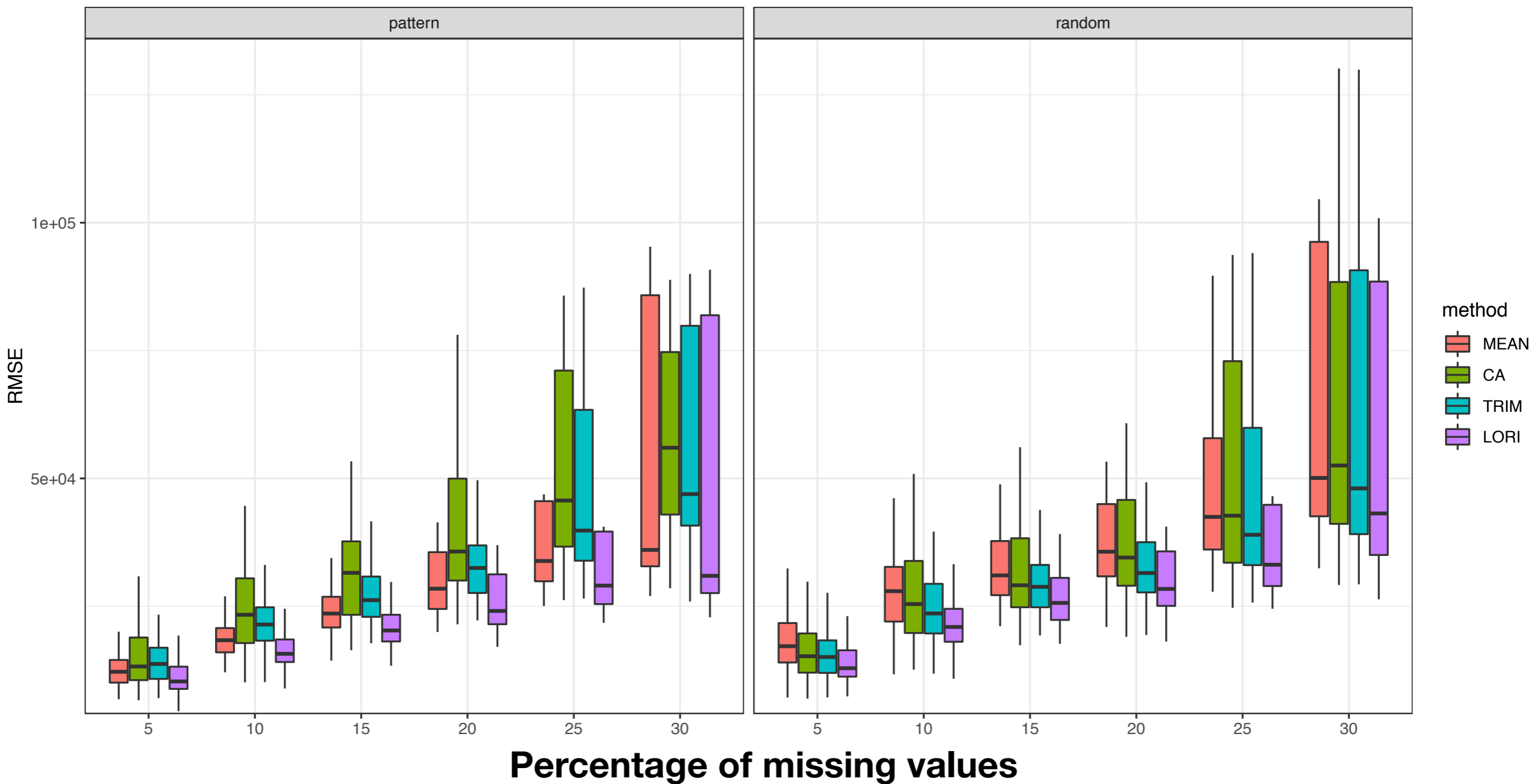


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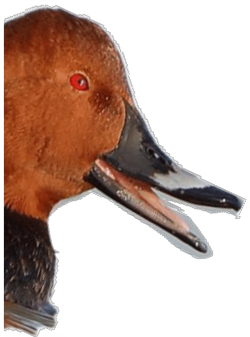
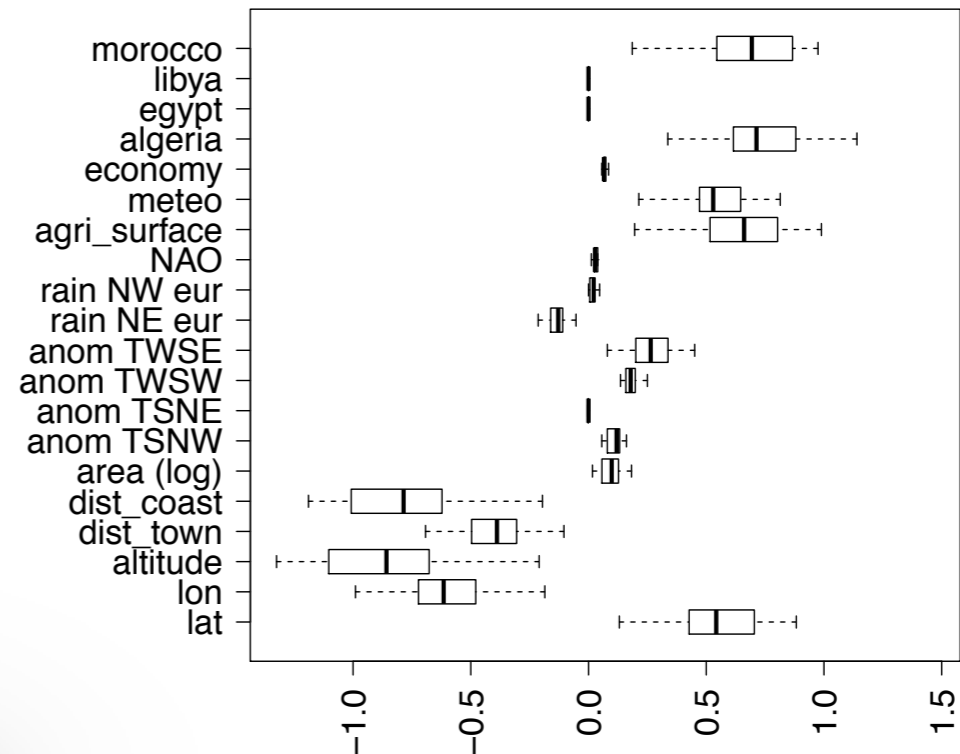
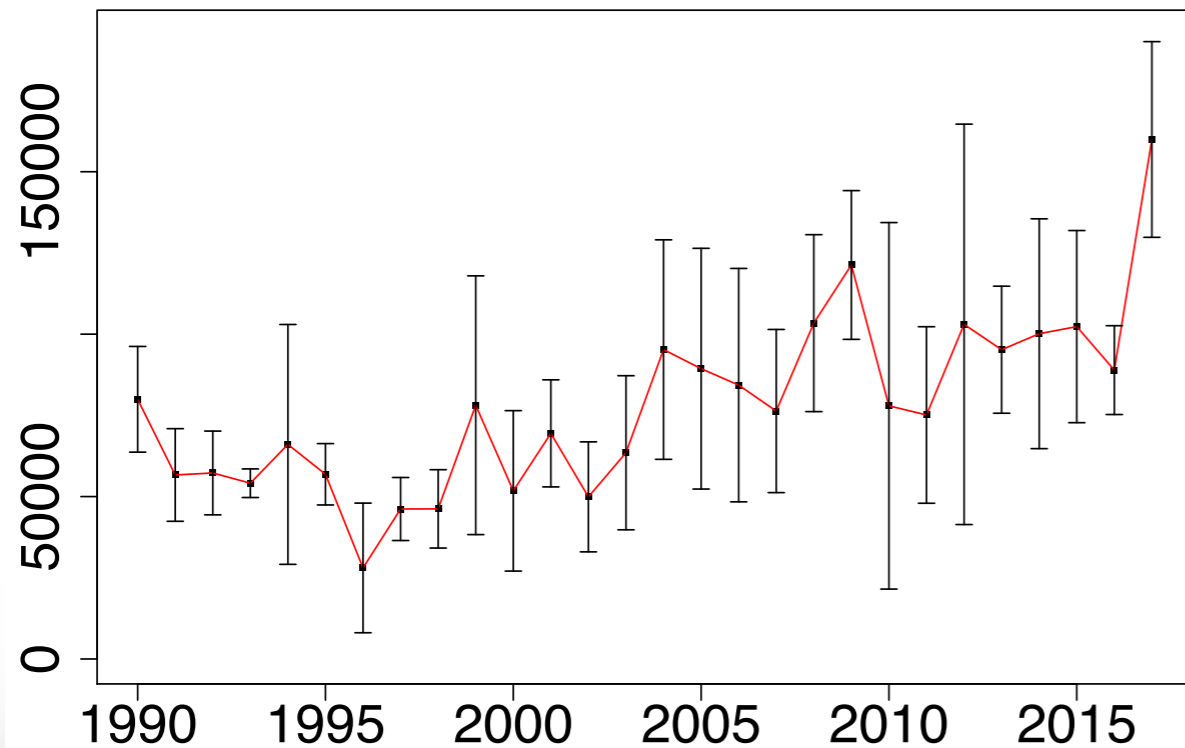


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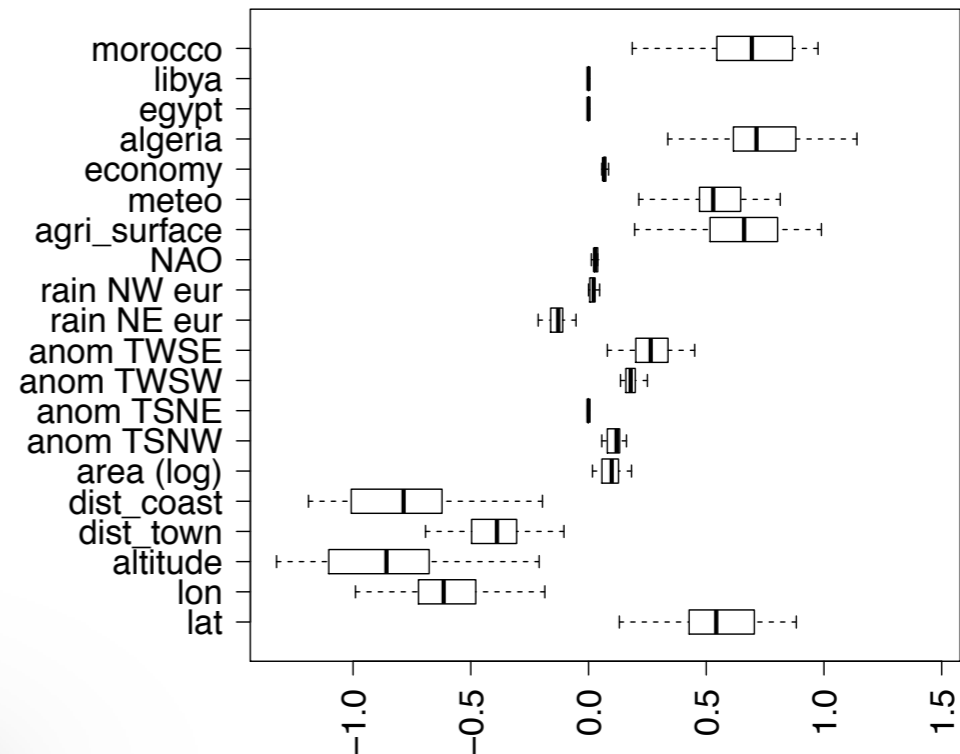
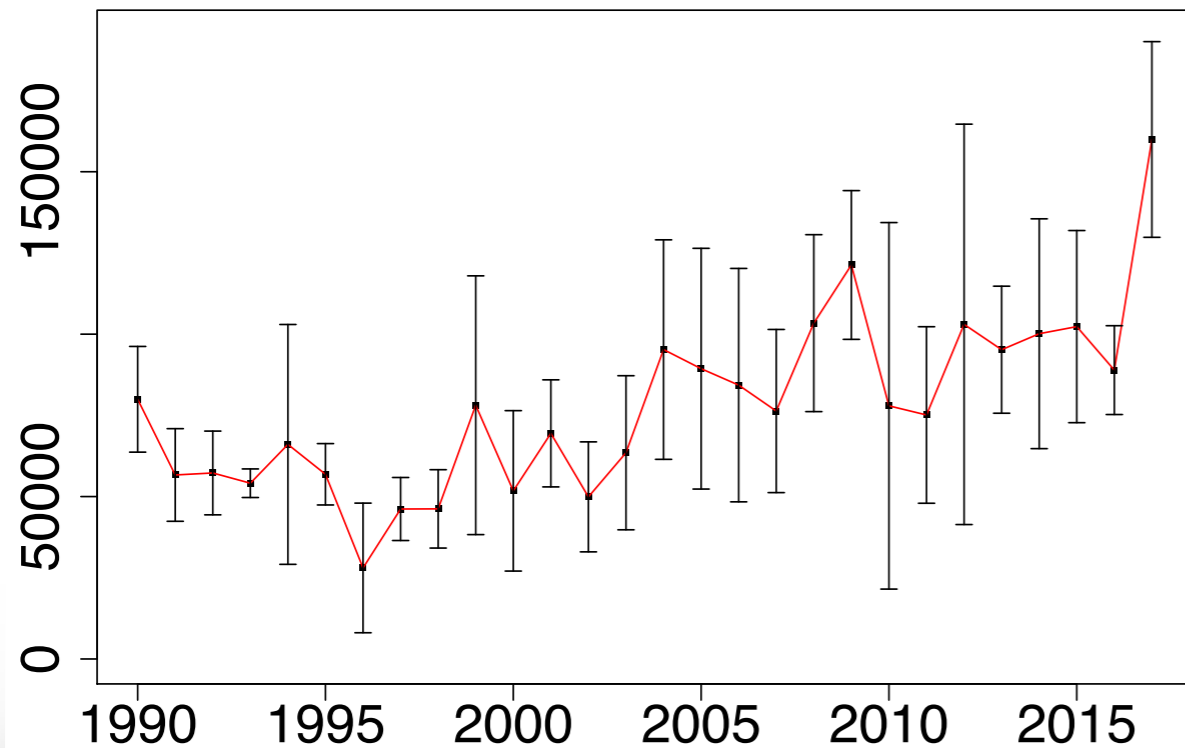


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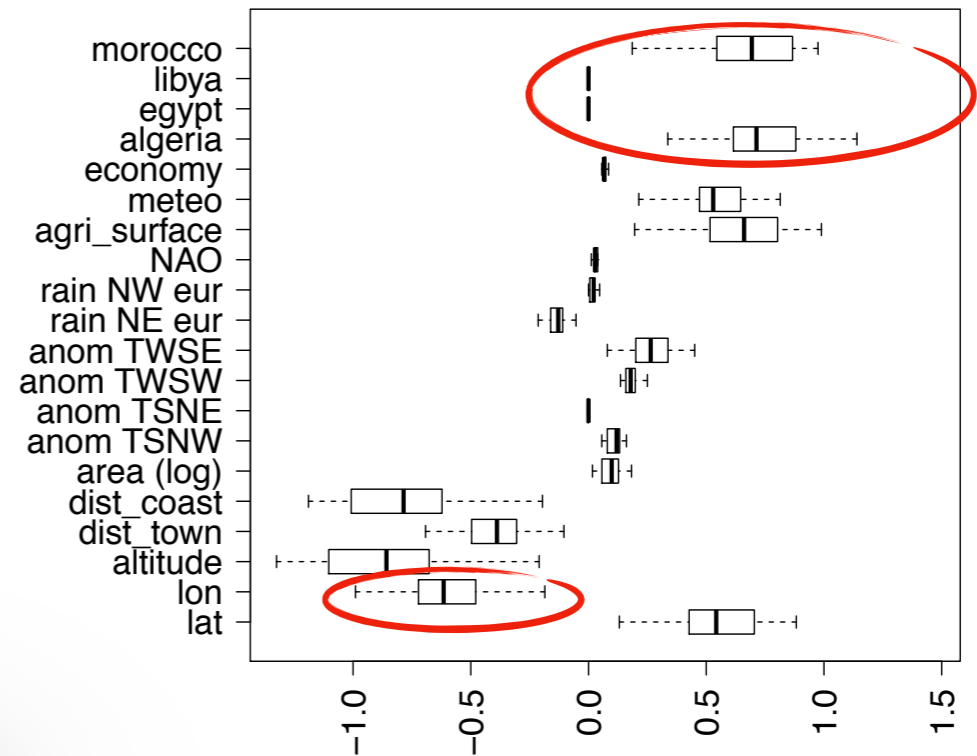
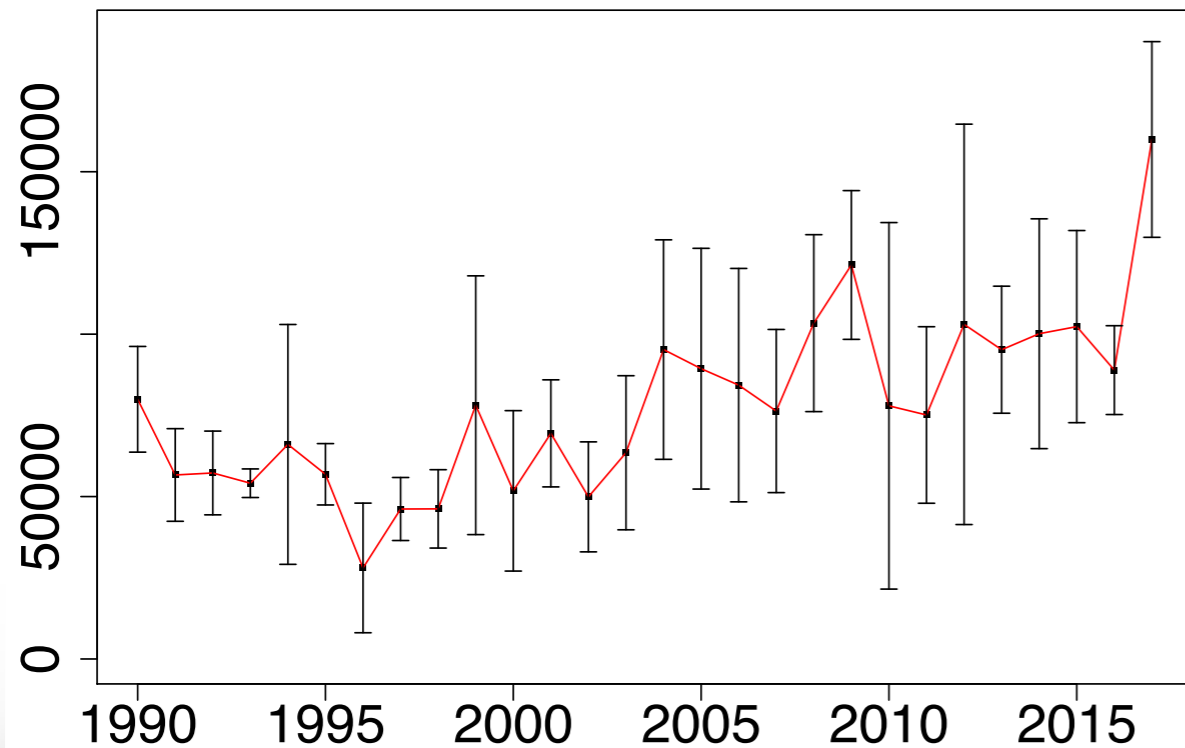
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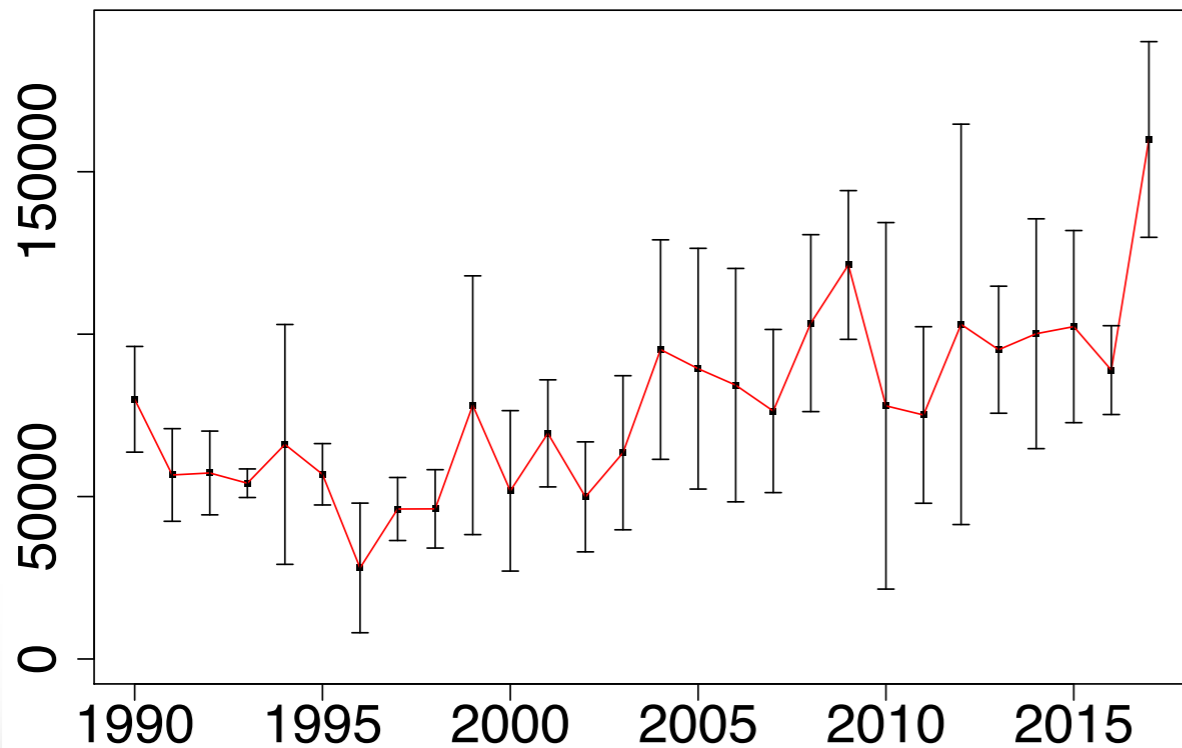
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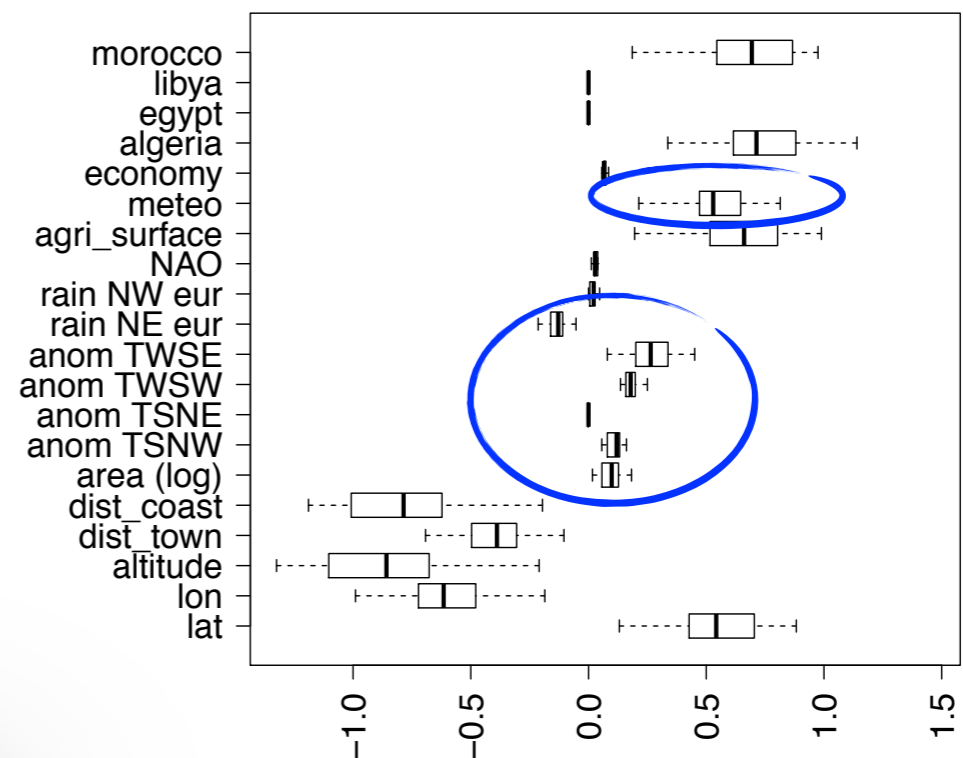
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# General conclusion

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- General framework based on hybrid low-rank models and heterogeneous exponential families
- Theoretical guarantees, implementations and ecological application

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# Perspectives

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- Extension to more complex models (zero-inflation and overdispersion)
- Extension to non-sparse dictionary matrices (multivariate Gaussians)
- Uncertainty measurement (post-selection inference, Bayesian perspective, multiple imputation)
- Analysis of several other bird species (ongoing)

# Publications

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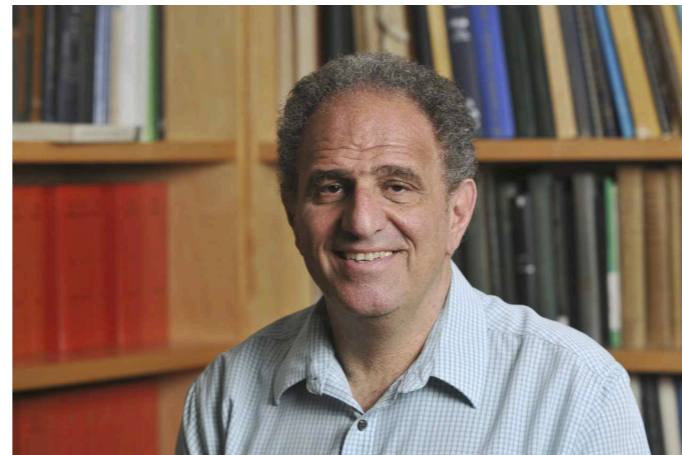
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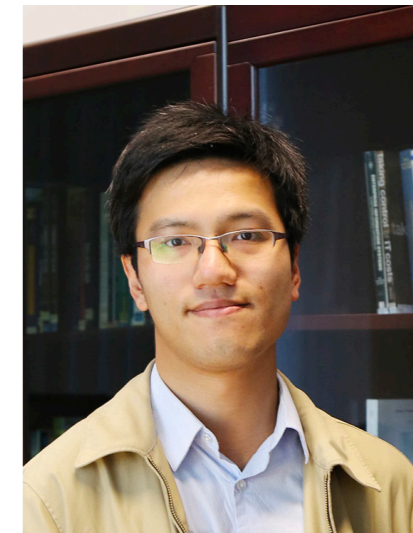
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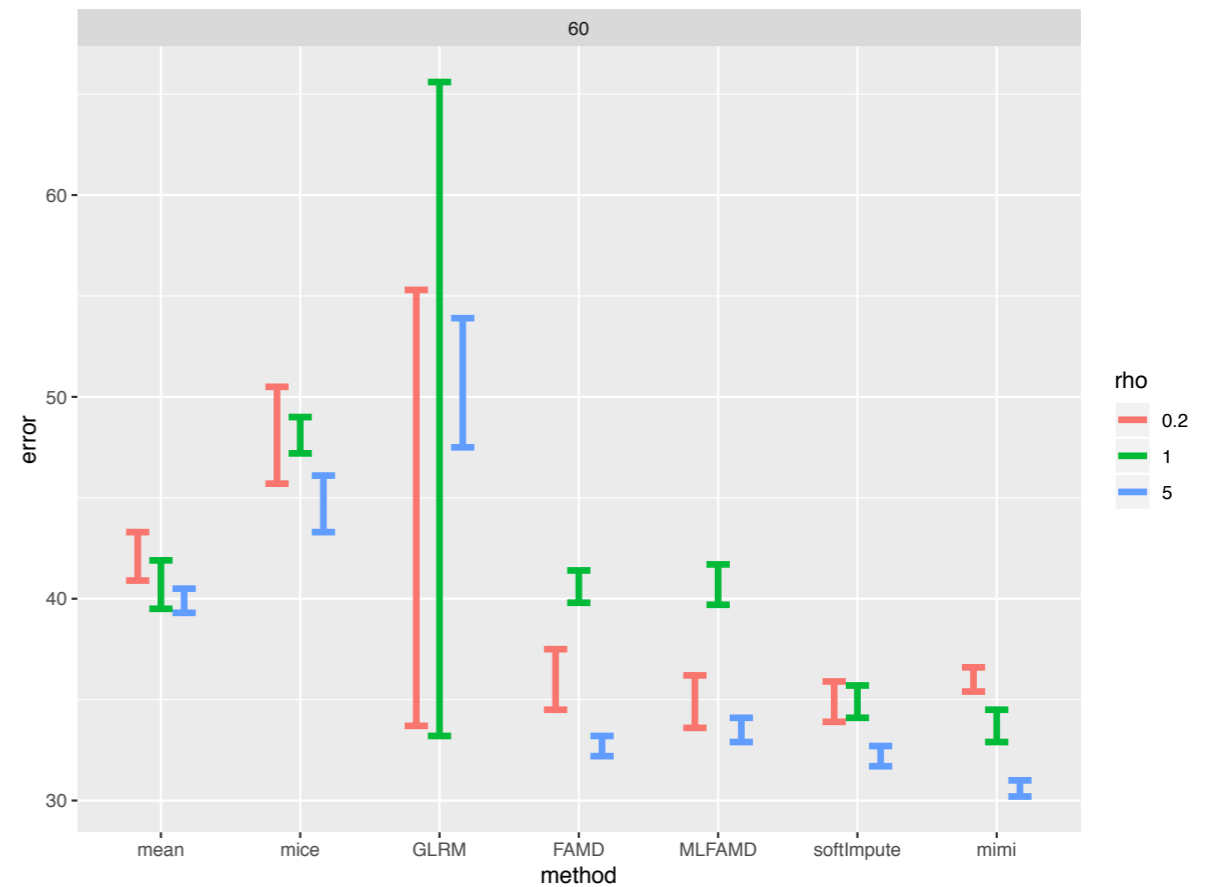
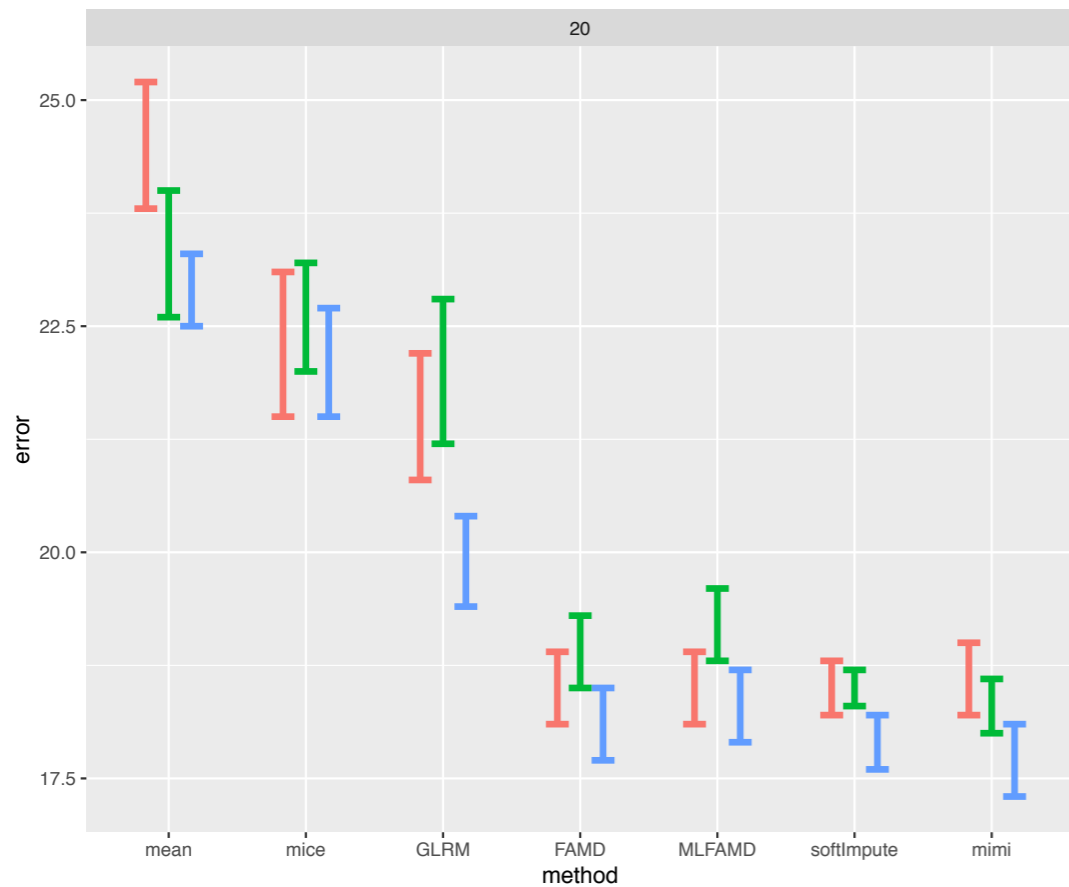
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# Numerical results

Imputation error (average across 100 rep)

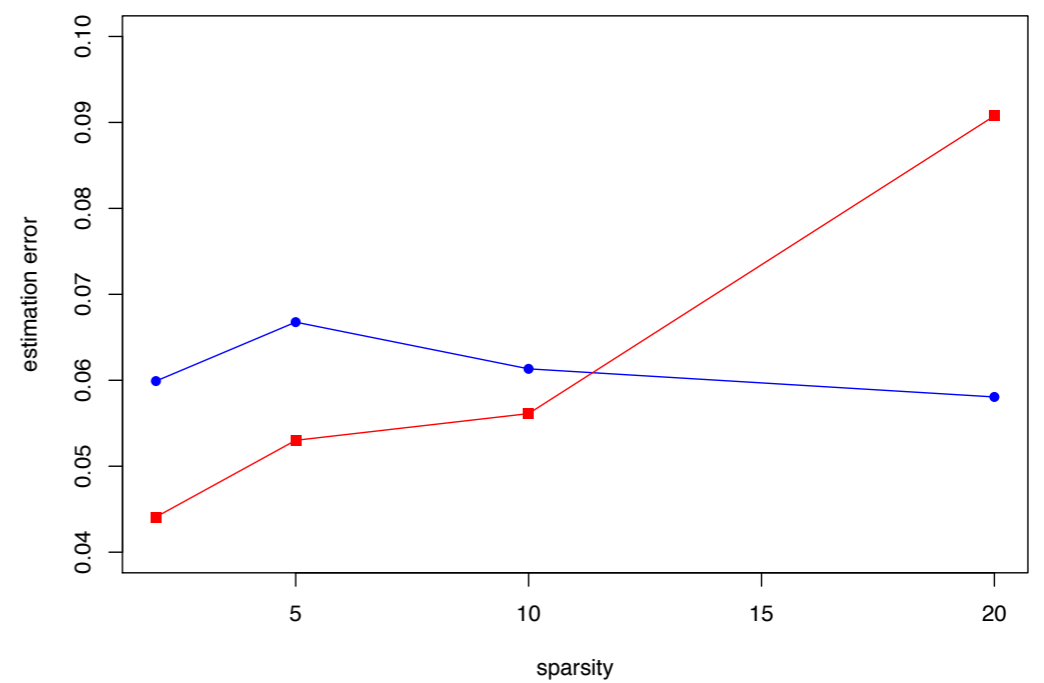
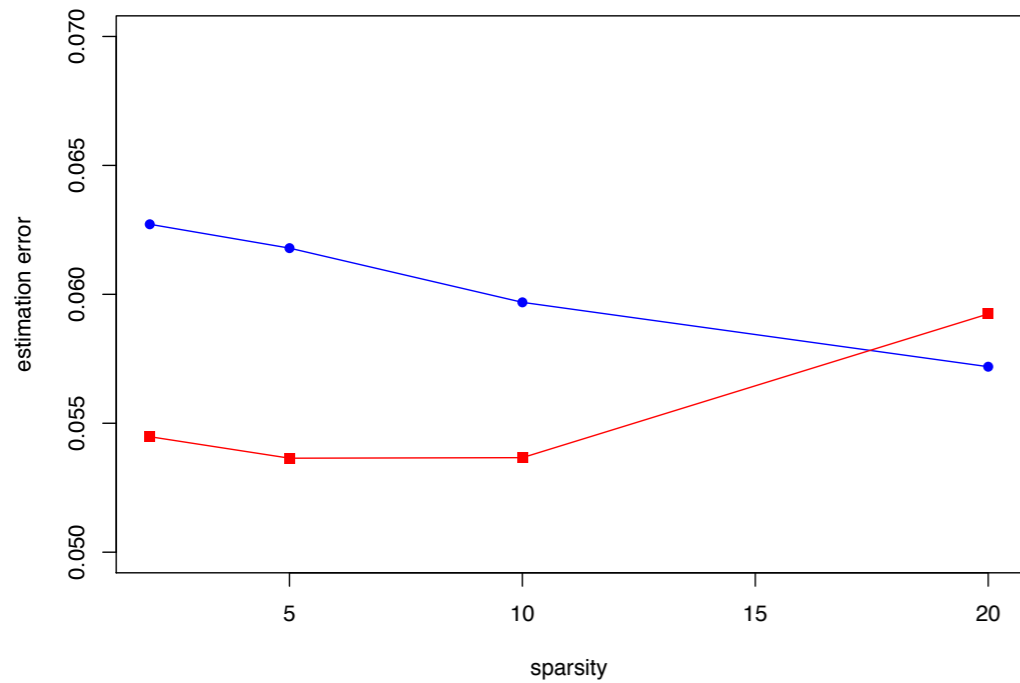
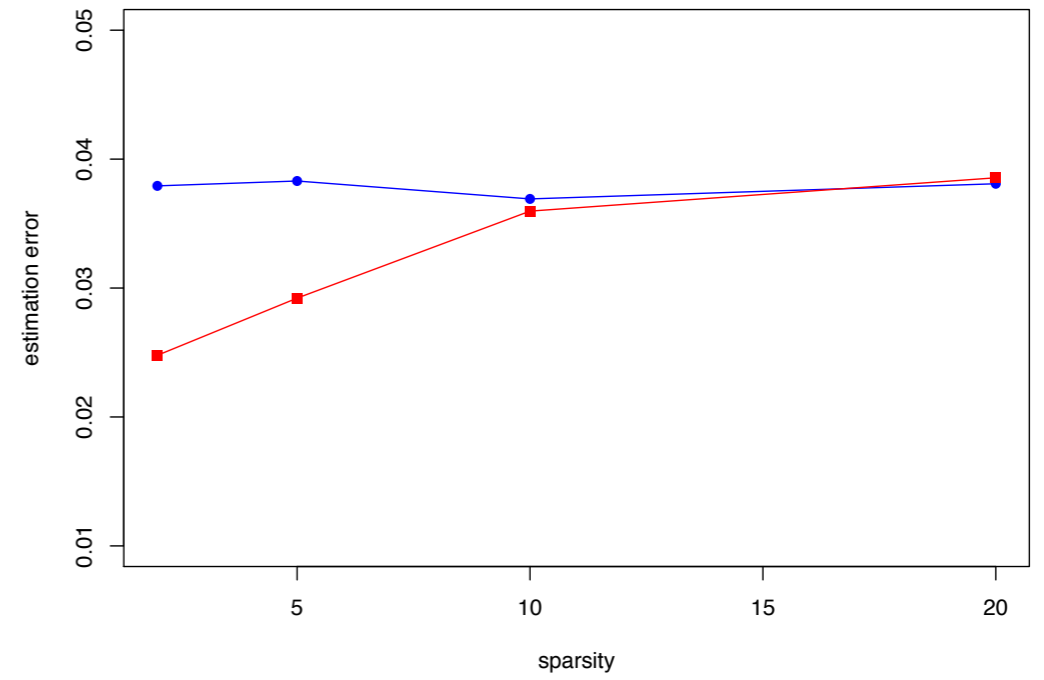
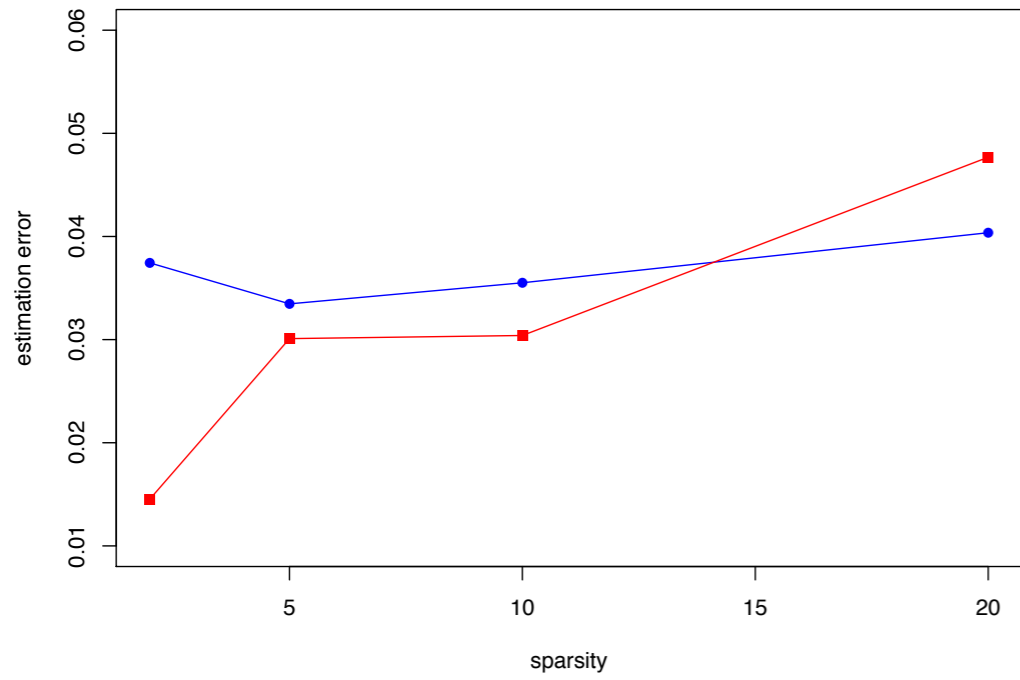


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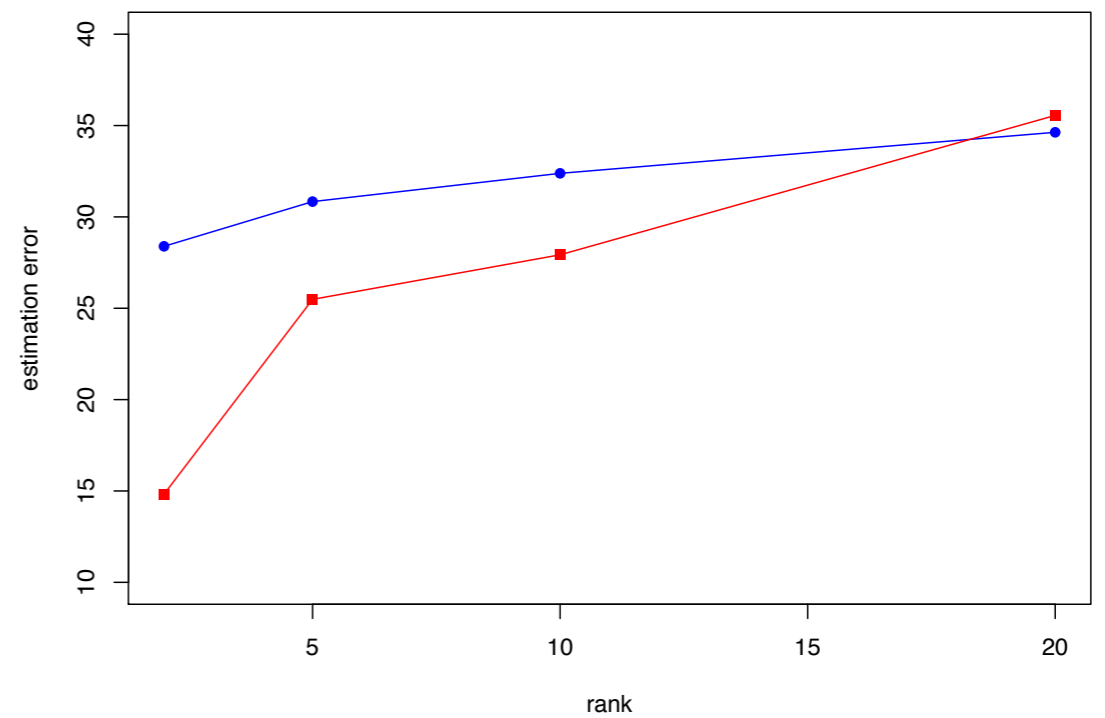
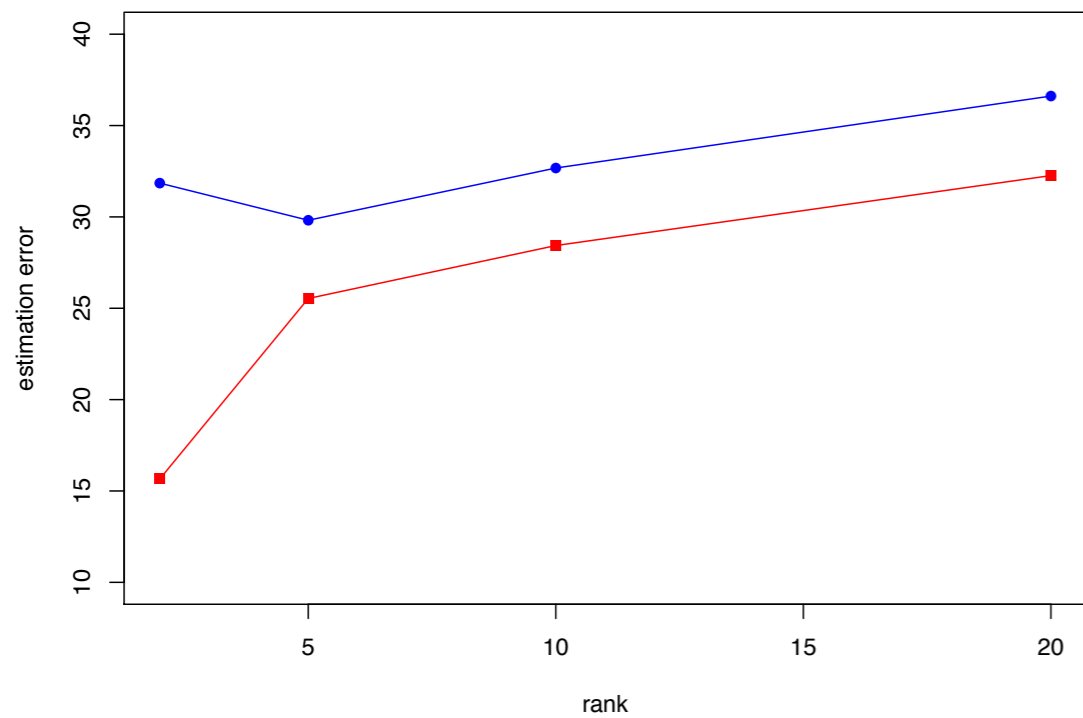
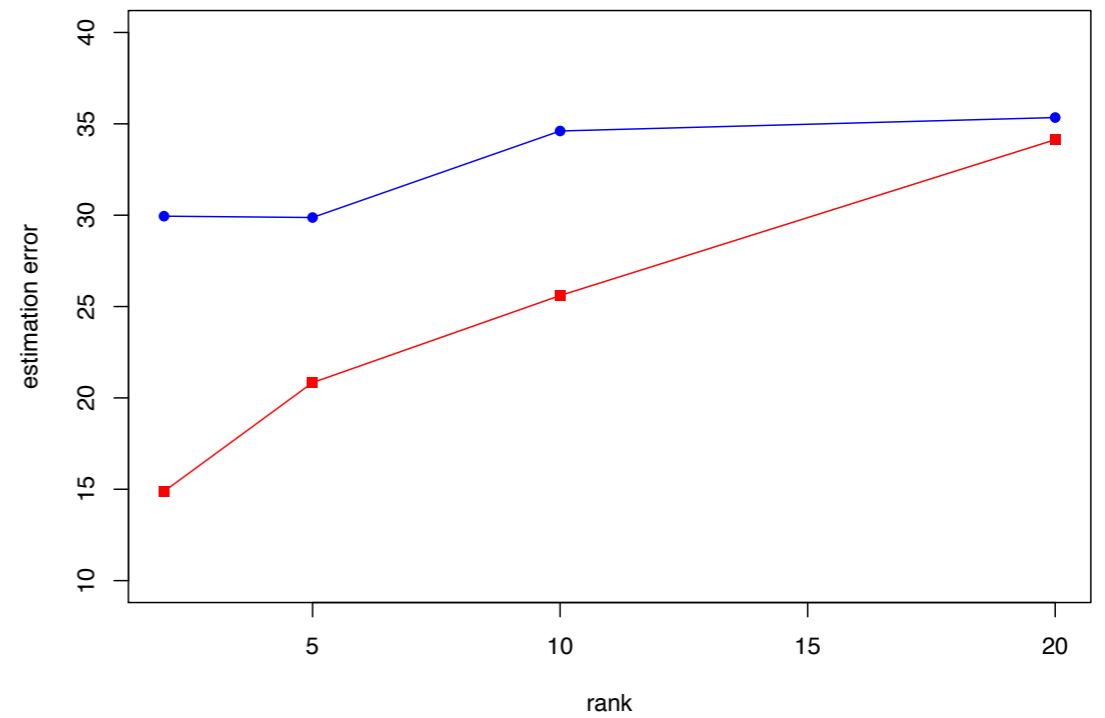
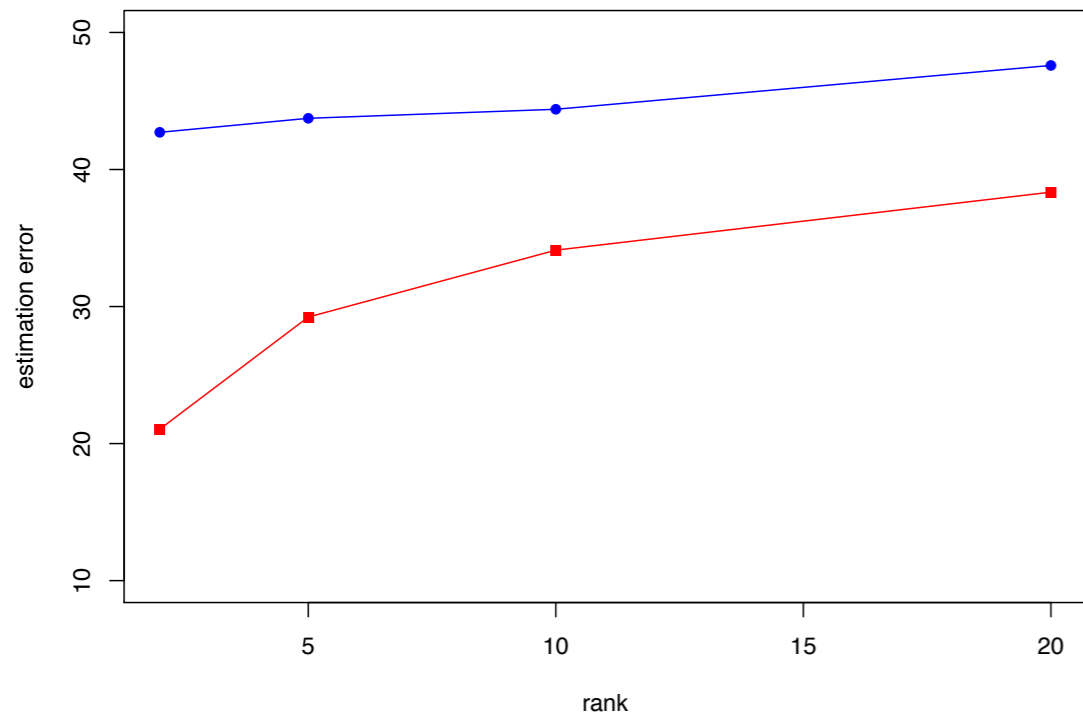
| method  | mean   | mice | GLRM | FAMD | MLFAMD | softImpute | mimi |
|---------|--------|------|------|------|--------|------------|------|
| time(s) | 1.7e-4 | 0.2  | 5.5  | 2.6  | 3.5    | 0.1        | 6.6  |



# MIMl: estimation results (main effects)



# MIM: estimation results (interactions)



# MCGD algorithm

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## Algorithm 1 MCGD algorithm

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  - 2: **for**  $t = 1, 2, \dots, T$  **do**
  - 3:    *// Update for  $\alpha$  //*  
    Compute proximal update using to obtain  $\alpha^{(t)}$ .
  - 4:    *// Update for  $(\Theta, R)$  //*  
    Compute the upper bound  $R_{\text{UB}}^{(t)} := \lambda_1^{-1} F(\alpha^{(t)}, \Theta^{(t-1)}, R^{(t-1)})$ .
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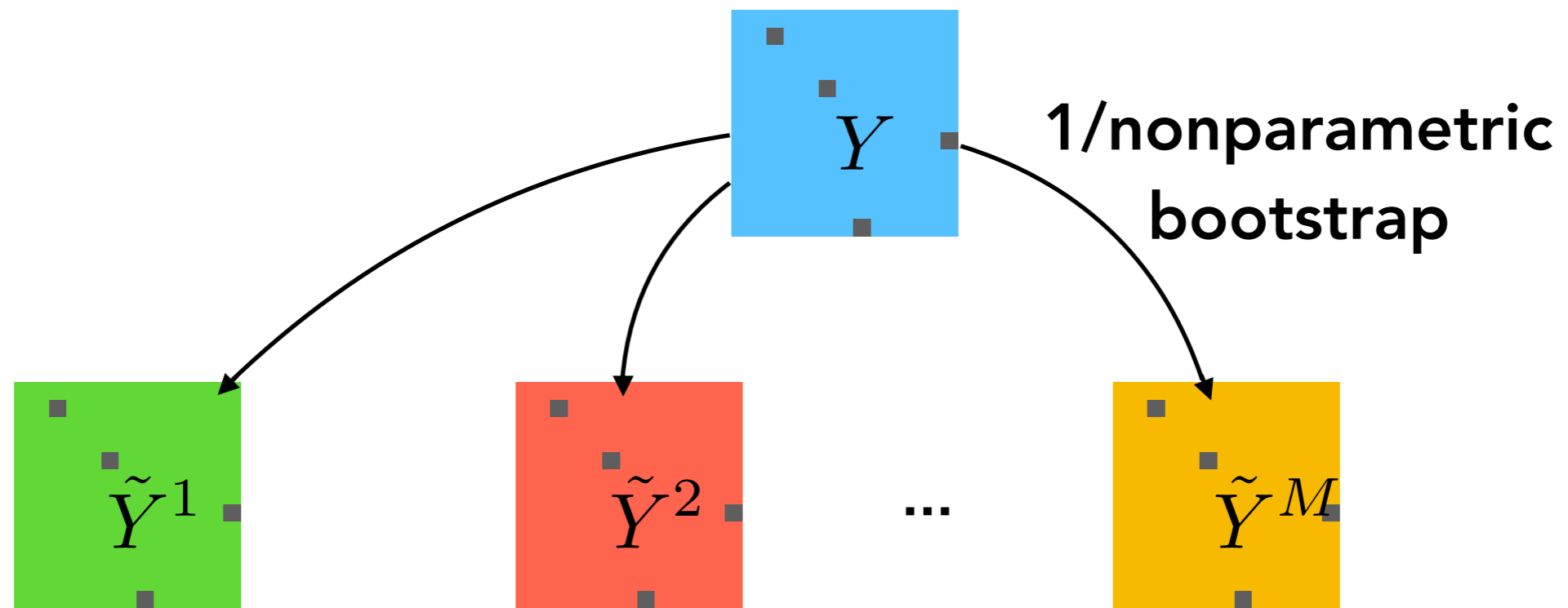
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# Convergence of MCGD

**Theorem 1** (Robin et al. 2018)

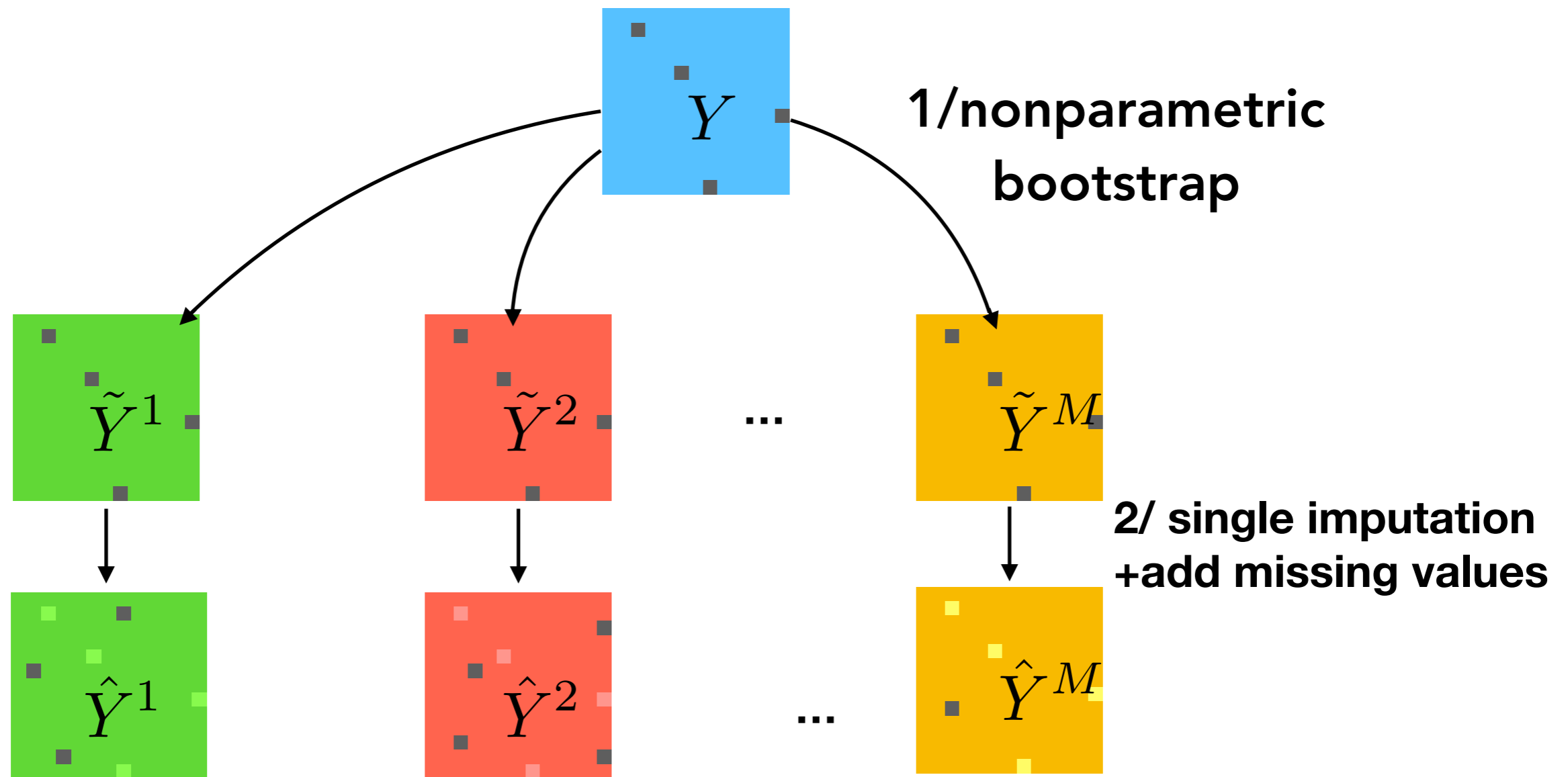
The MCGD algorithm converges to an  $\epsilon$ -solution in  $\mathcal{O}(1/\epsilon)$  iterations

# Variability of observations: fixed missing data pattern

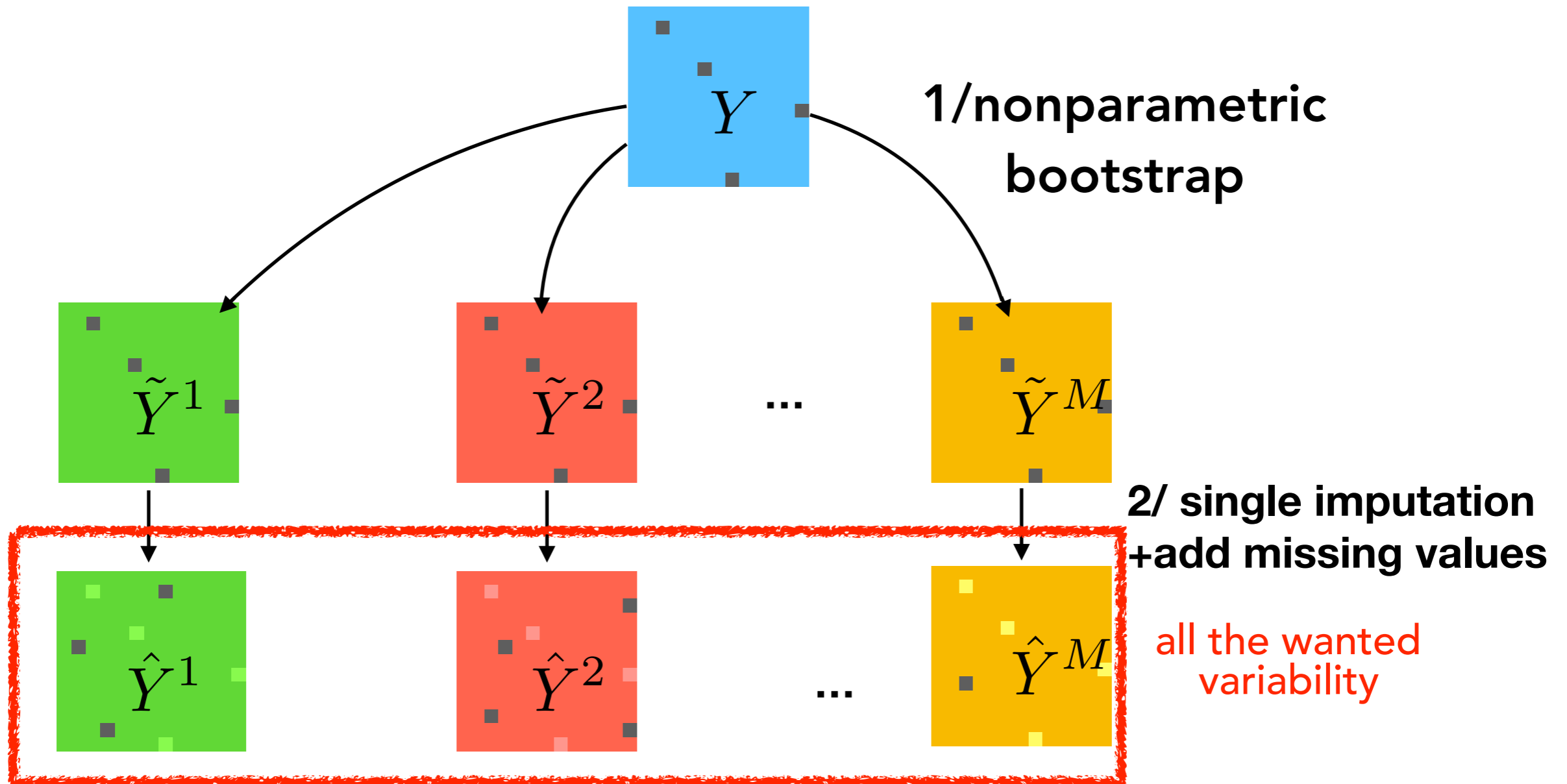




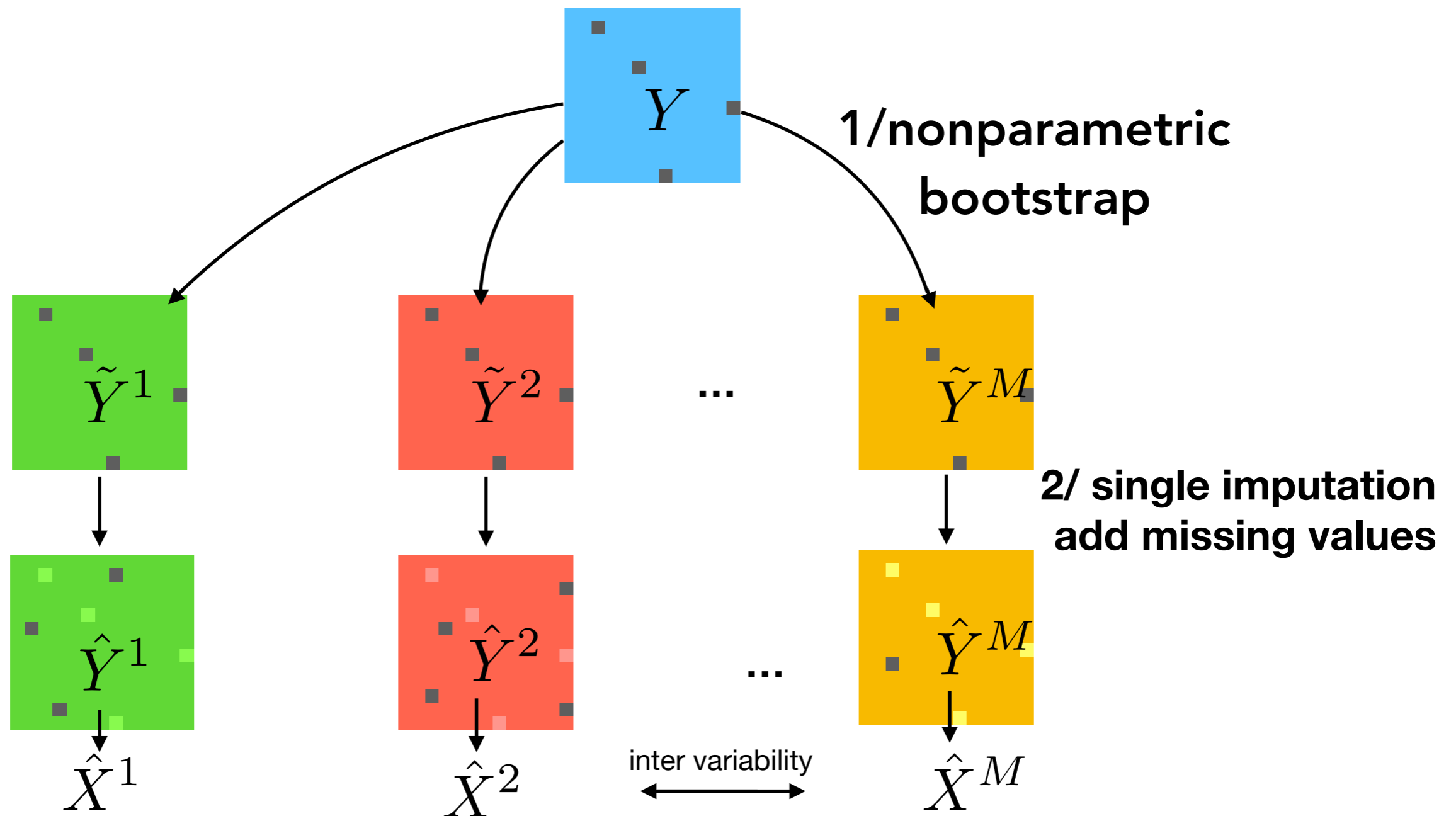
# Variability of Observations & missing data pattern



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# Variability between imputation models (Inter Variability)



# Variability between imputations (Intra Variability)

