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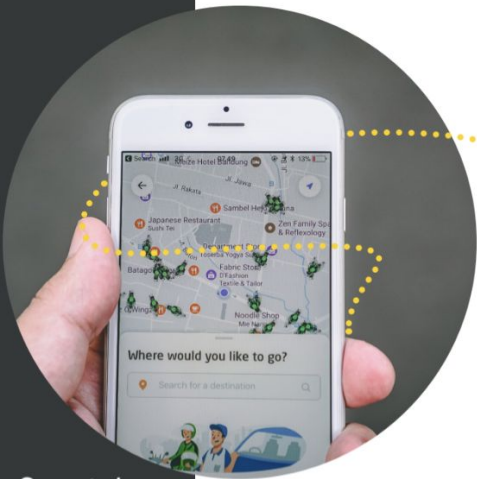
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INTRODUCTION

Context



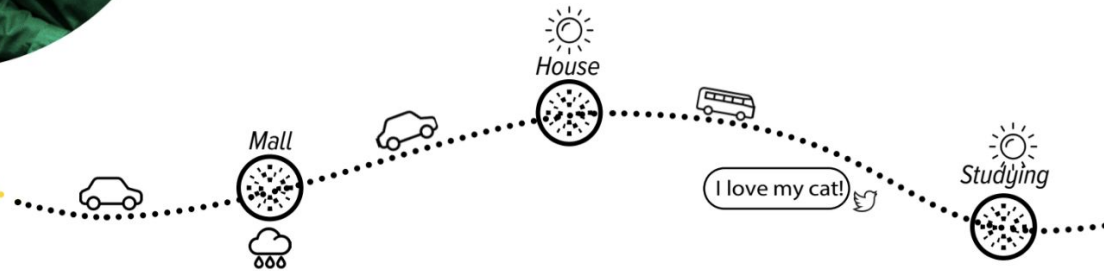
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Application



People

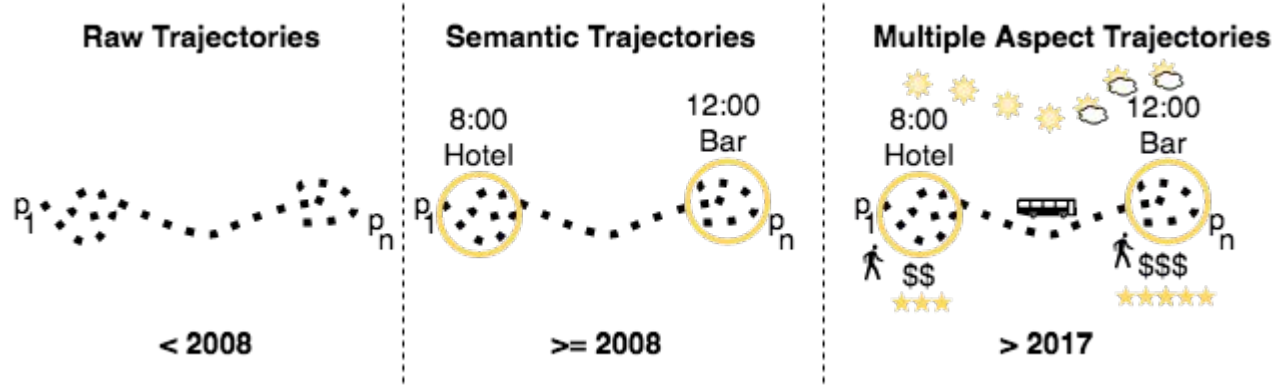
Popularization and price reduction
of mobile devices

- Large volumes of mobility data;
- **Big Data.**



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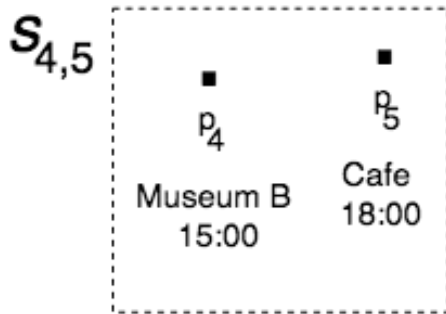
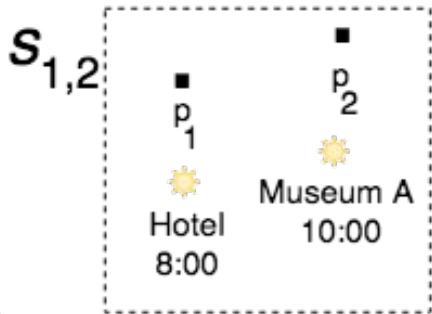
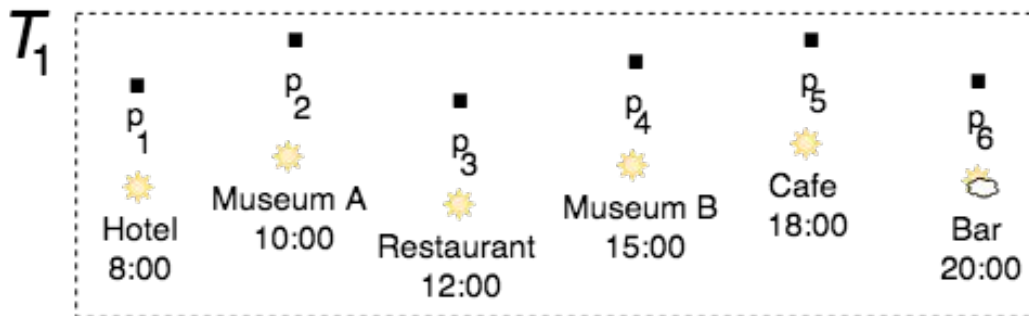
Trajectory



- A **Multiple Aspect Trajectory** T_i is a sequence of m elements $T_i = \langle e_1, e_2, \dots, e_m \rangle$, where each element is characterized by a set of l dimensions $D = \{d_1, d_2, \dots, d_l\}$, also called aspects.
- Multiple and heterogeneous dimensions.
[Ferrero et al., 2016; Mello et al., 2019]

INTRODUCTION:

Trajectory and Subtrajectory



**But,
What is a movelet?**

Inspired by time series shapelet [Ye, L.; Keogh, E., 2011] a movelet is a subtrajectory that used by a classifier, better discriminate a class



INTRODUCTION

Trajectory Classification

- Trajectory data mining is important for discovering interesting knowledge and behavior about different objects as people, animals, vehicles, weather condition;
- An important data mining technique is classification:

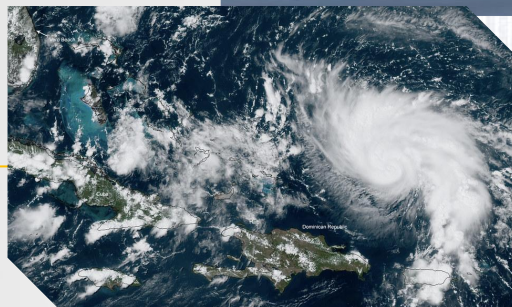
Trajectory classification is the task of discovering the class label of a moving object based on its trajectories (Lee et al.2008).

INTRODUCTION

Motivation

Applications of Trajectory Classification

- Transportation mean classification;
- The strength level of a hurricane /
Natural disaster prediction;
- The type of a vessel;
- Animal categories
- The moving object, owner of the trajectory.



RELATED WORKS

Trajectory Classification



1st Semantic Classification

(TRAGOPOULOU;
VARLAMIS;EIRINAKI, **2014**)
(VARLAMIS, **2015**)



Transportation Mean

(XIAO et al., **2017**)
(ETEMAD; SOARES
JÚNIOR; MATWIN, **2018**)
(DABIRI; HEASLIP, **2018**)



General

(SANTOS; JR;
ALVARES, **2011**)



Survey *

(LEITE DA SILVA;
MAY PETRY;
BOGORNY, **2019**)



POI-F

(VICENZI et al., **2020**)

***Deals with multiple dimensions**



Movelets

(FERRERO et al., **2018**)



MASTERMovelets

(FERRERO et al., **2020**)



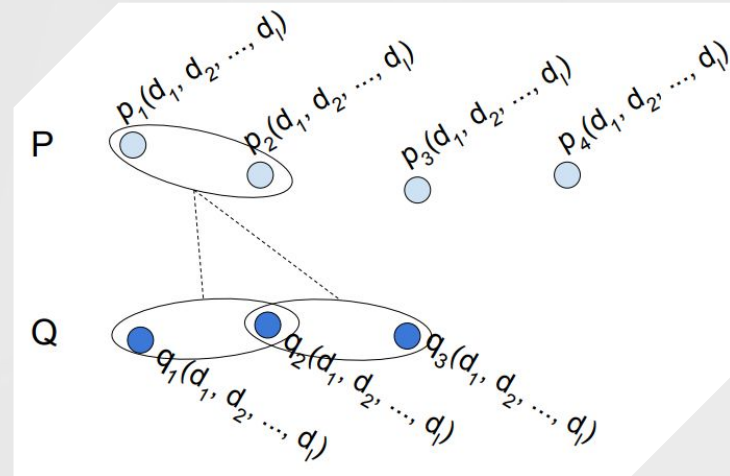
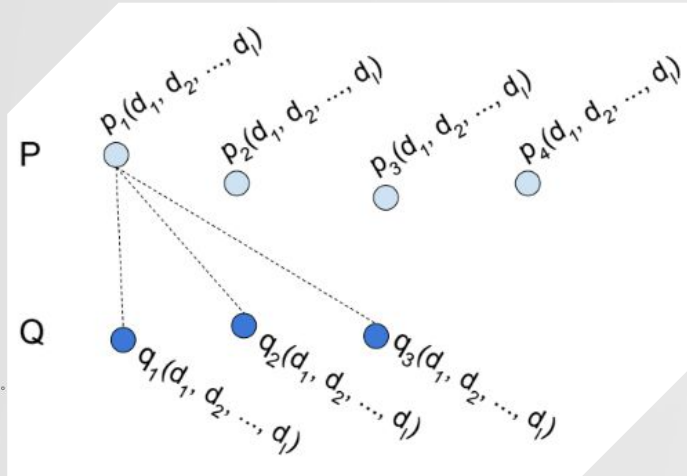
MARC

(MAY PETRY et al., **2020**)

RELATED WORKS

Movelets and MASTERMovelets


- Parameter free;
- Analyze every possible subtrajectory and computes the distance of all subtrajectories of the same size in the dataset.





RELATED WORKS

MASTERMovelets Method Overview

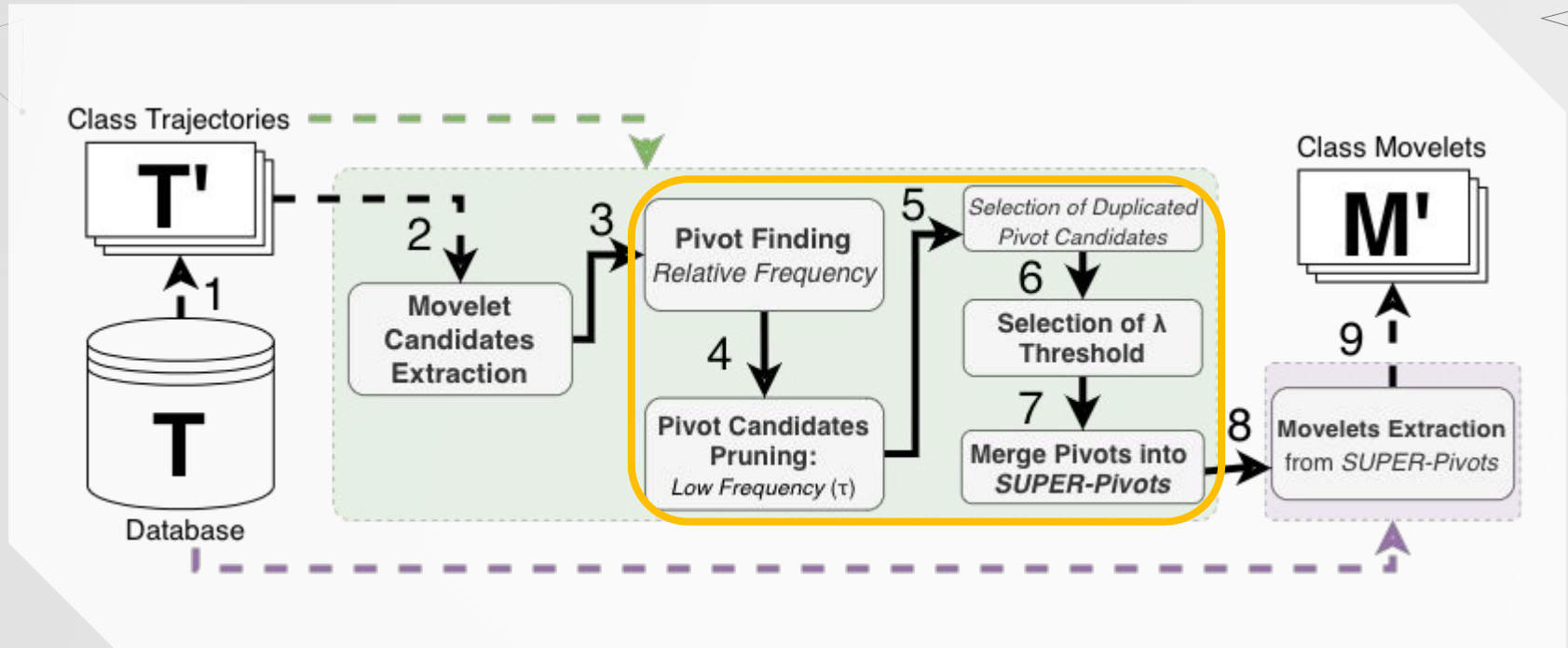
1. Computes element distances (point-to-point)
 2. Extracts all subtrajectories with any subset of dimensions (movelet candidates)
 3. For each candidate, compares to all trajectories:
 - a. Find the **best alignment** (in each position of a trajectory)
 - b. **Evaluates the F-Score** (split the classes)
 4. Select the best movelets
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PROBLEM DEFINITION

- The problem of trajectory classification relies on finding the best **trajectory** or **subtrajectory** features to use as input to a classifier [Ferrero et al., 2020];
- Related works do not propose new classifiers (RF, NN, DT)
- So far, movelets [Ferrero et al., 2019] has been one of the best approaches:
 - highest accuracy
 - general problems
 - Interpretable patterns;
- **Problem:**
 - Movelets extraction is very time consuming.

PROPOSAL

*SUPER*Movelets

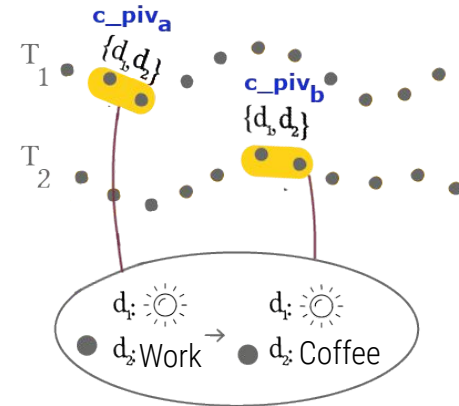
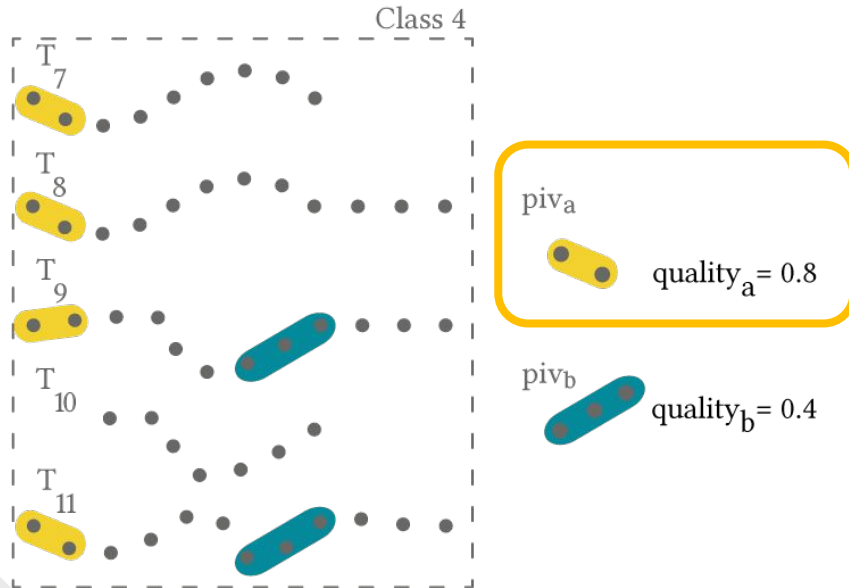


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PROPOSAL SUPERMovelets

Search space is reduced by the SUPER-Pivots:

- **Quality proportion** of the pivot candidates;
- **Redundant** pivot candidates (same size and trajectory dimensions).



EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

Highlights

■ **SUPERMovelets movelet extraction:**

- Movelet extraction 50-94% faster than MASTERMovelets;

■ **SUPERMovelets accuracy:**

- Same accuracy as MASTERMovelets (less than 1% difference);
- Generates significantly less movelets (65-93% reduction);
- Faster to build classification models.

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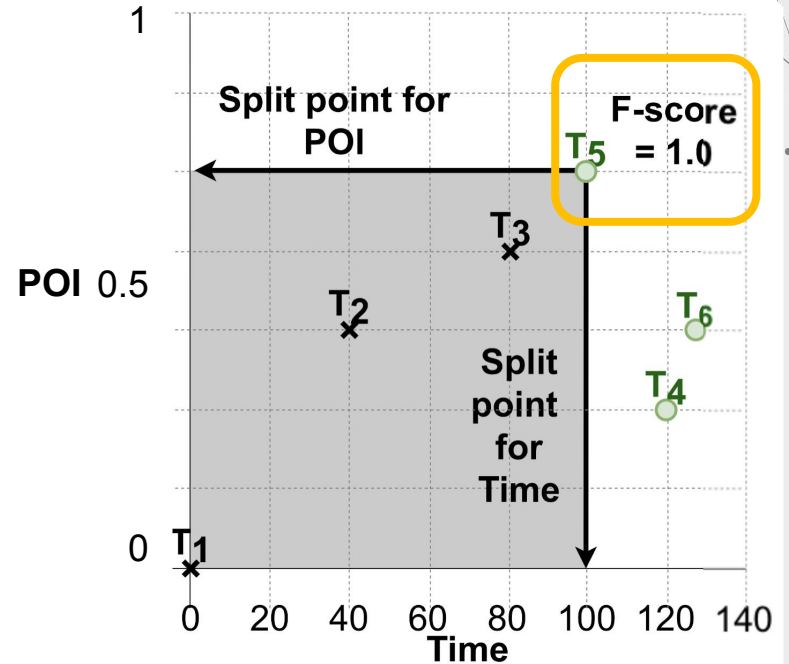
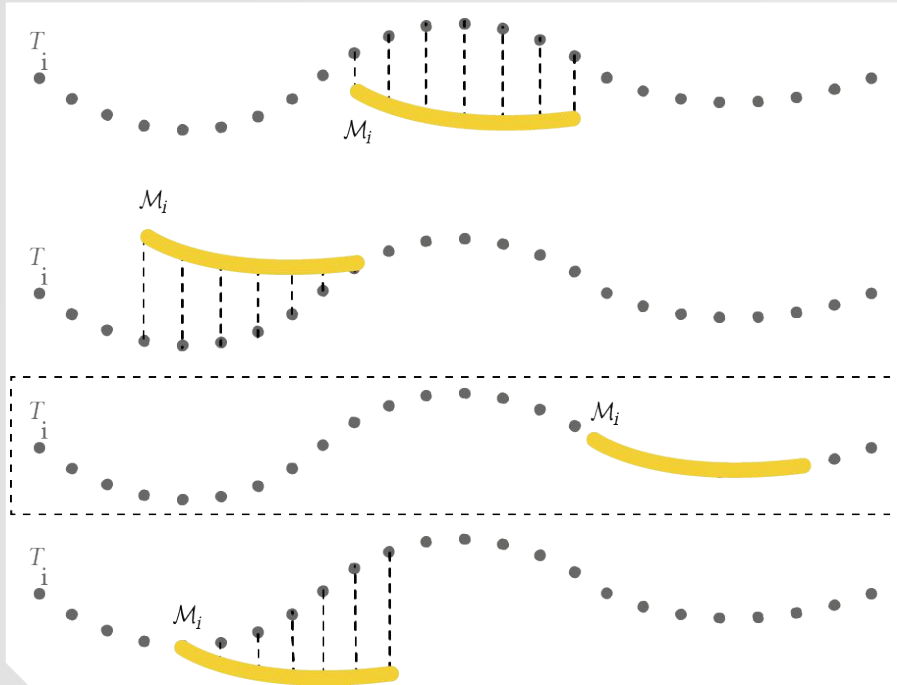
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BASIC CONCEPTS

Finding the Best Alignment



BASIC CONCEPTS

*MASTER*Movelets Complexity

- **n** → the number of trajectories;
- **m** → the length of the longest trajectory, and;
- **l** → the number of dimensions of the dataset

Space: it stores at most $n \times m$ candidates for all trajectories.

$O(n \times m^2 \times l) \rightarrow$ *Matrix of Distances* *

Running Time: the overall time complexity is

$O(n^3 \times m^3 \log m \times 2^l)$

EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

Scalability: Number of Dimensions

All experiments: faster as
dimensions are added

EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

Scalability: Number of Points

All experiments:
faster as points are added

EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

Scalability: Number of Trajectories

All experiments: faster as trajectories are added