

# Future Challenges for Data Analytics for Energy Management

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# Main Data science applications for EDF

- **Power Generation**
  - Process monitoring and condition-based maintenance from sensors
  - Power generation forecasting for renewables
- **Energy management**
  - Load forecasting
  - Balancing and optimizing generation and consumption (using smart metering information, including renewables)
- **Electrical networks**
  - Smart Grid operations (local)
  - Condition-based maintenance
- **Customers and sales**
  - Customer Relationship Management
  - New services to customers using smart-metering data
  - Smart Homes, Smart Building, Smart Cities operation related to energy



Data science value:  
*optimization of internal  
processes*

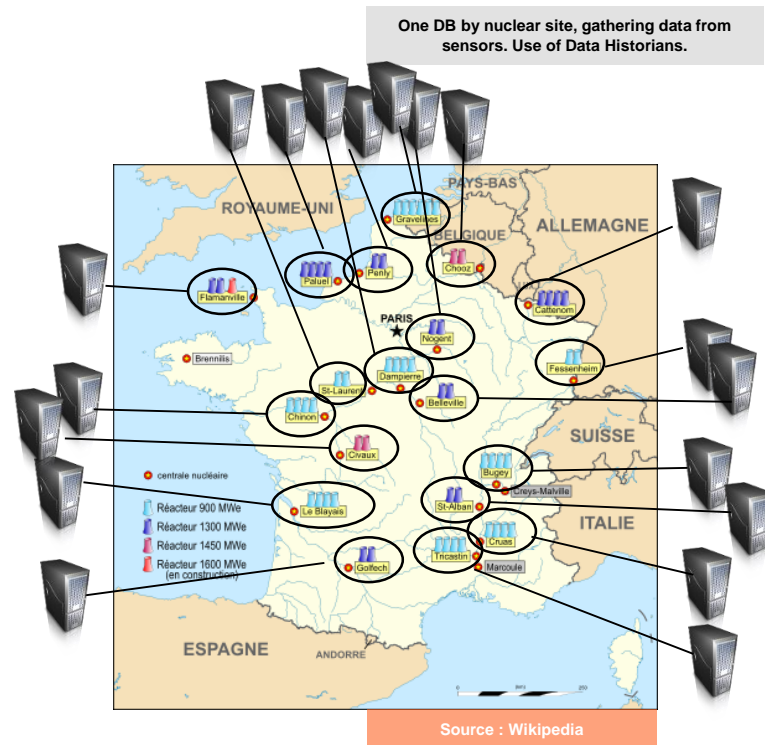
Data science value:  
*creation of new  
services to  
customers/partners*



# Power Generation



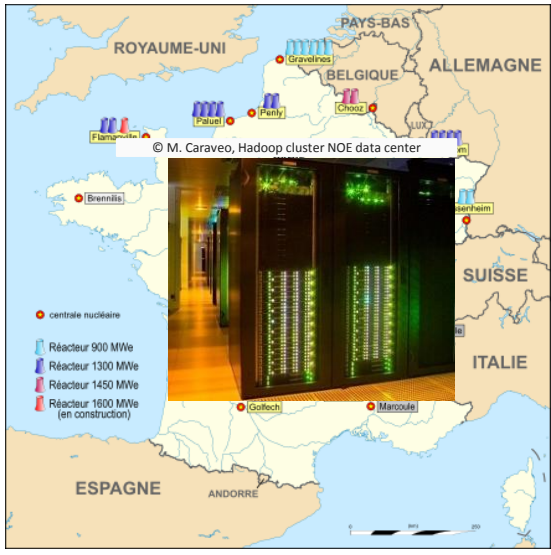
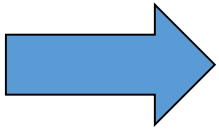
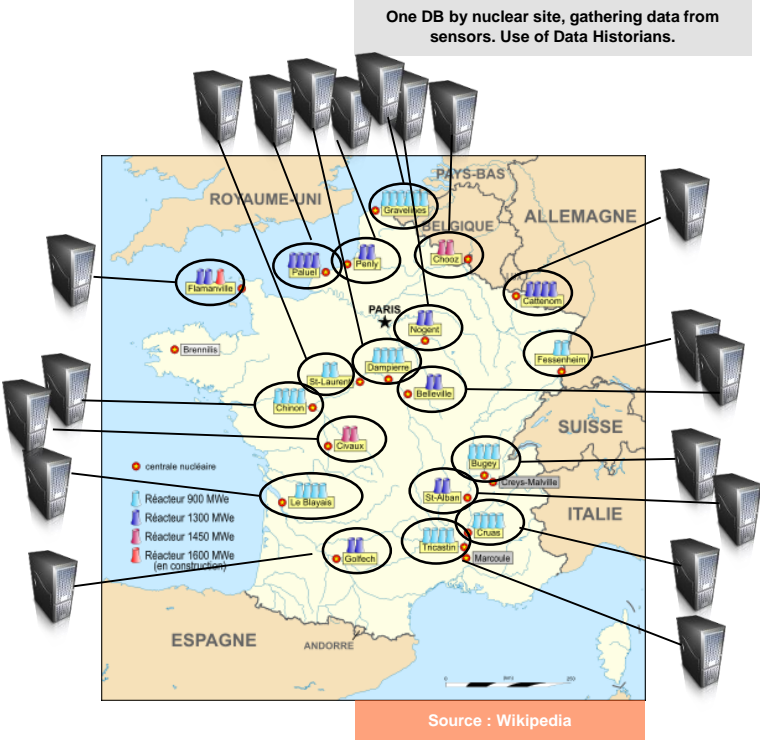
# BIG DATA SOLUTION FOR Operations and maintenance of the nuclear fleet



## Focus on data:

- High volume:
    - data is stored up to 40-60 years (plant lifetime)
    - SCADA data can be sampled every 20 to 40 ms (but mainly a few seconds)
    - Around 10.000 sensors per plant
  - Variety:
    - Data is heterogeneous
    - Time series, images, documents
    - Various data sources
- Current systems (historians) don't allow too many concurrent access, SLA's are quite low

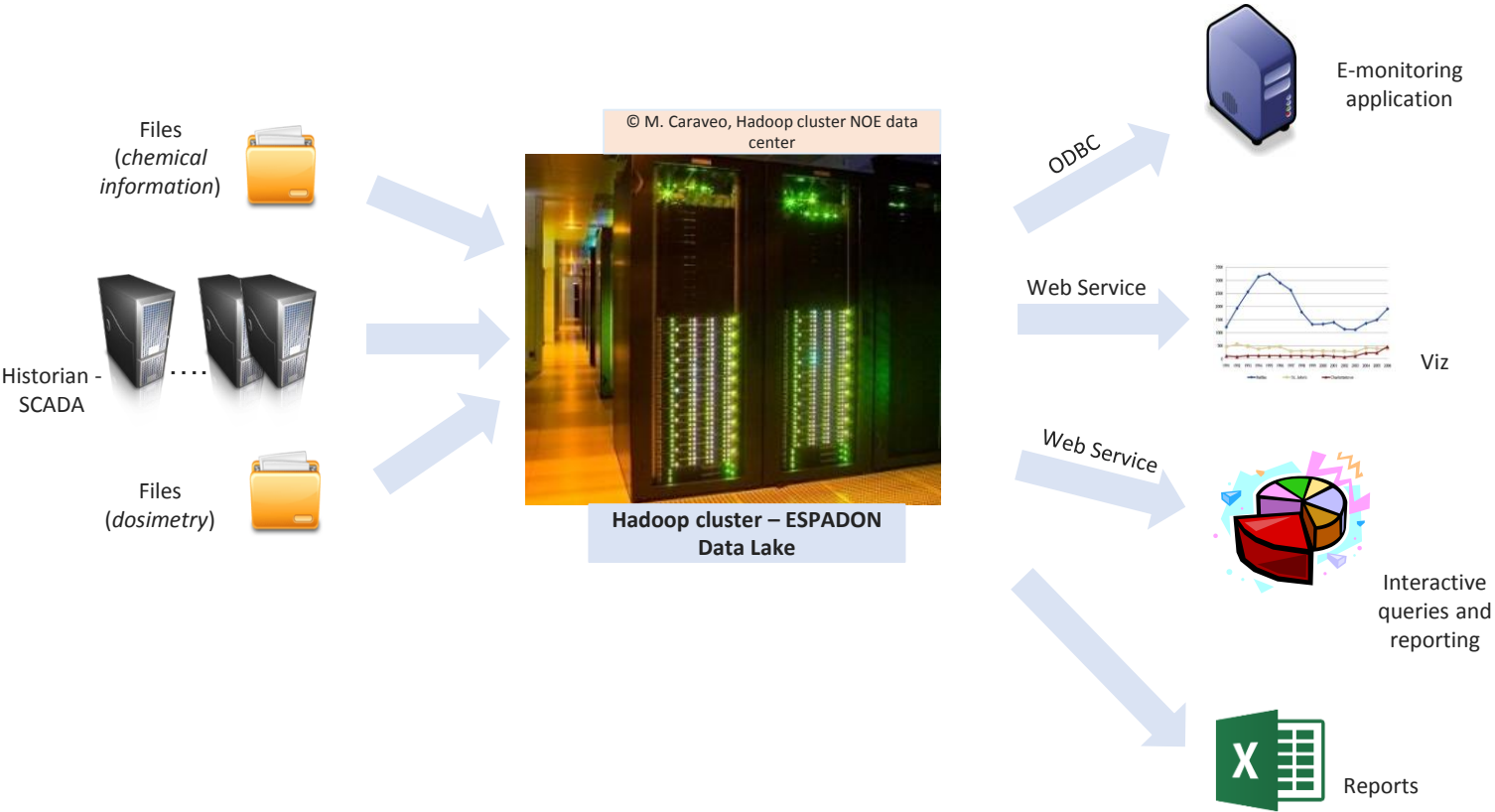
# A DATA LAKE FOR THE NUCLEAR FLEET



ESPADON : the Data Lake for the nuclear fleet



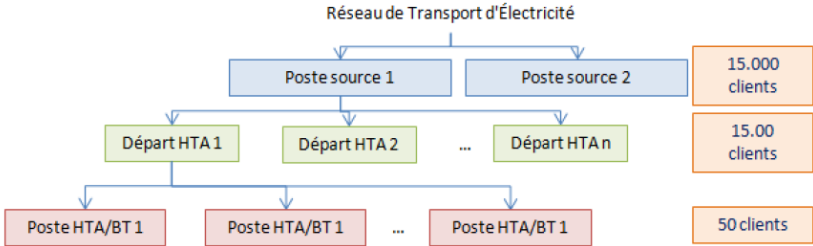
# A Data Lake for the nuclear fleet





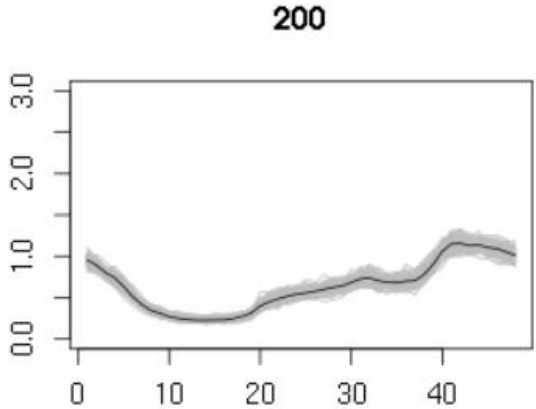
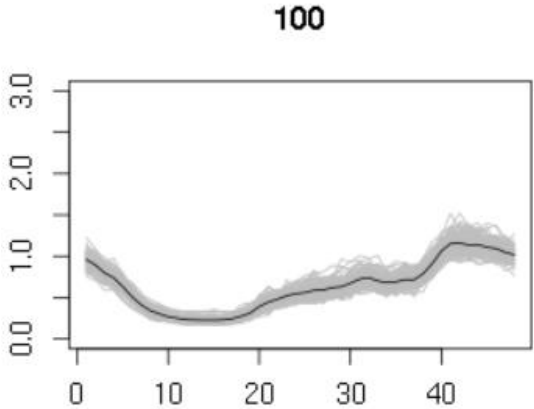
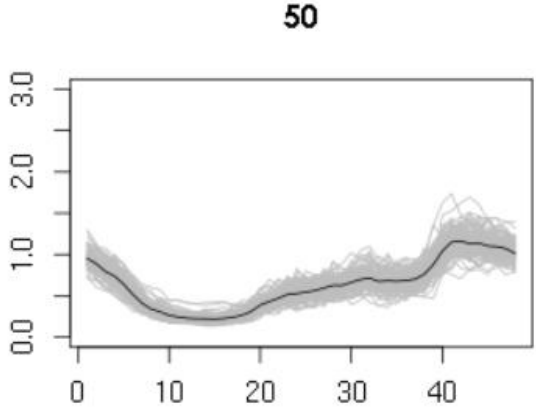
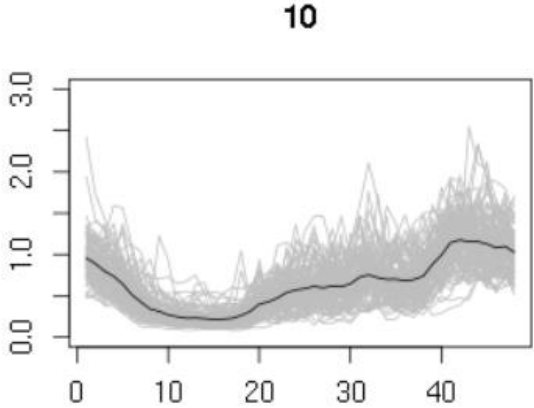
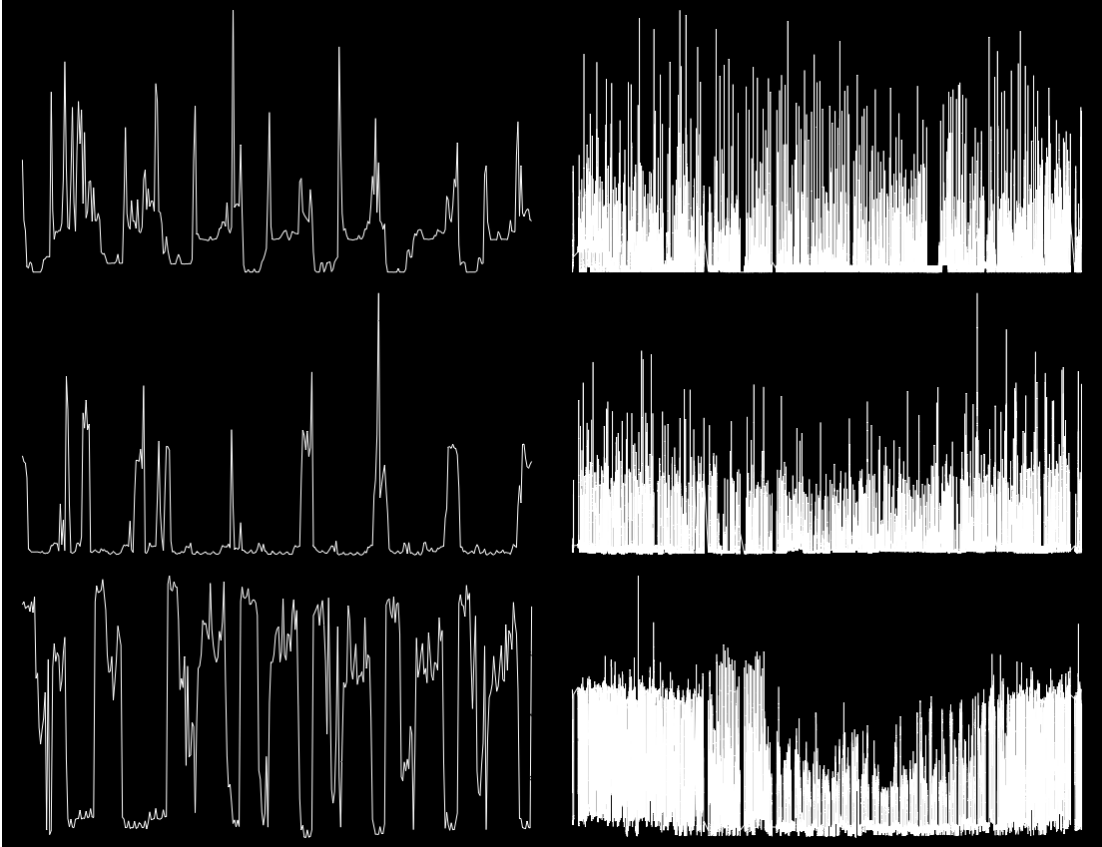
# Industrial Motivation (1)

- Forecasting at a low spatial resolution level for the grid management



# Industrial Motivation (2)

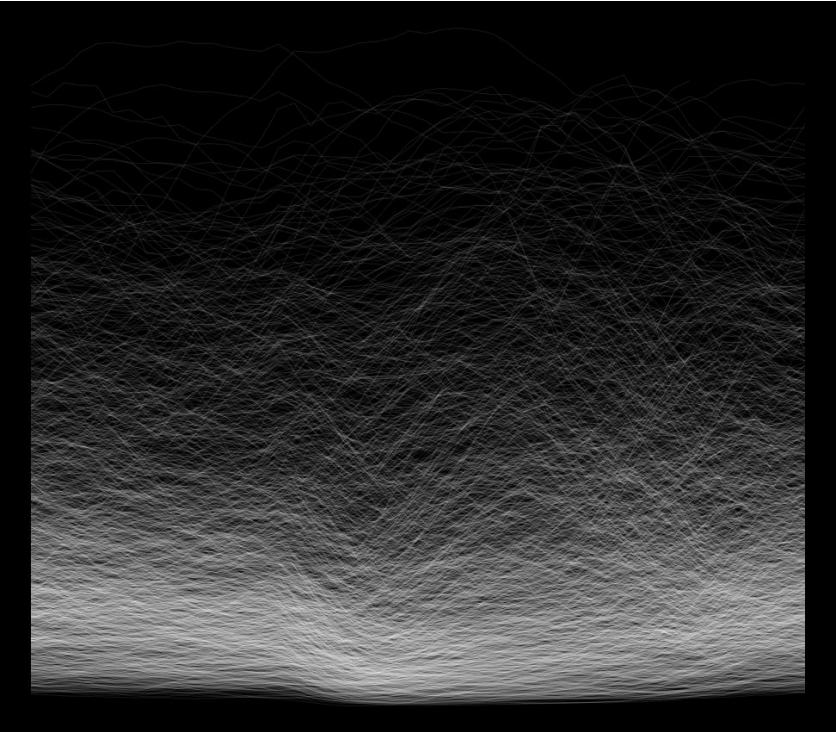
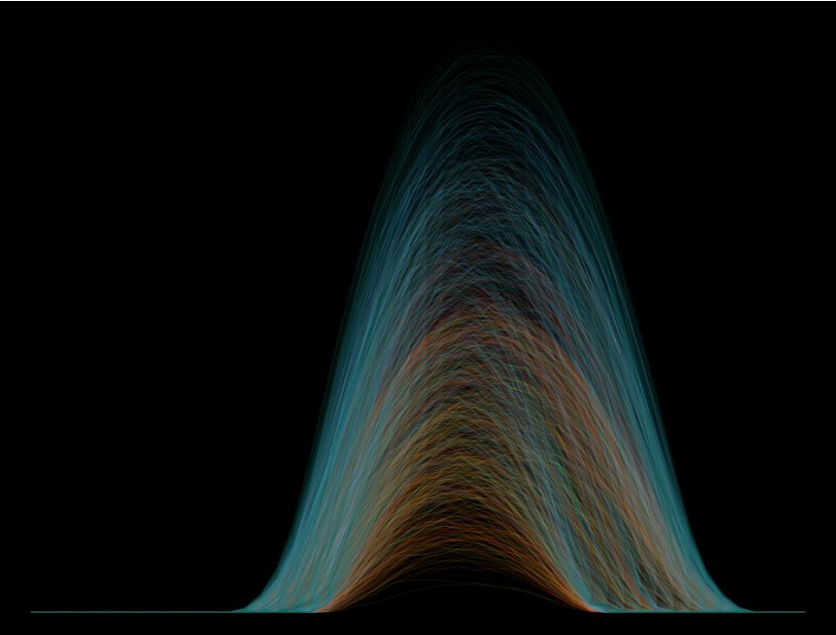
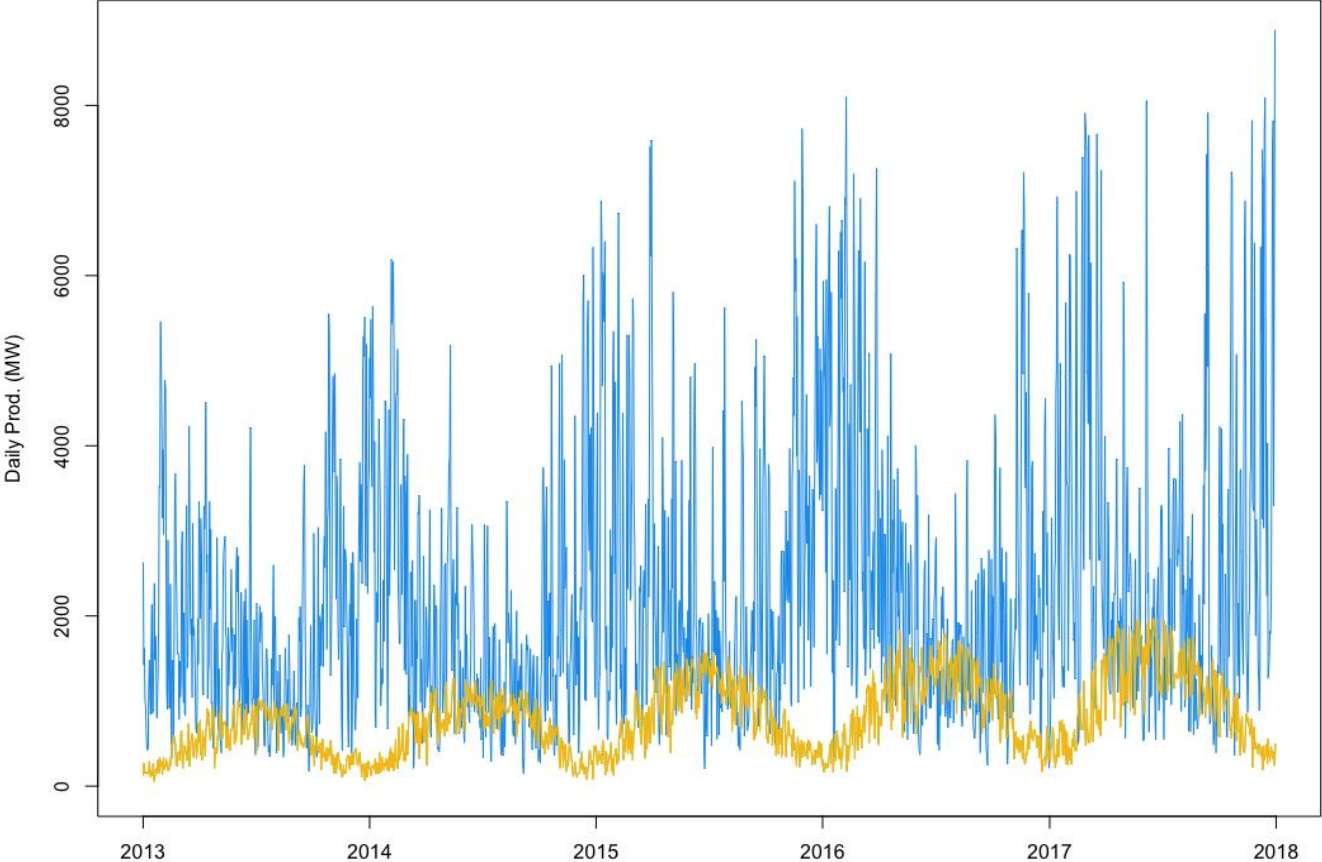
- Integrate individual metered data in our (global) forecasts





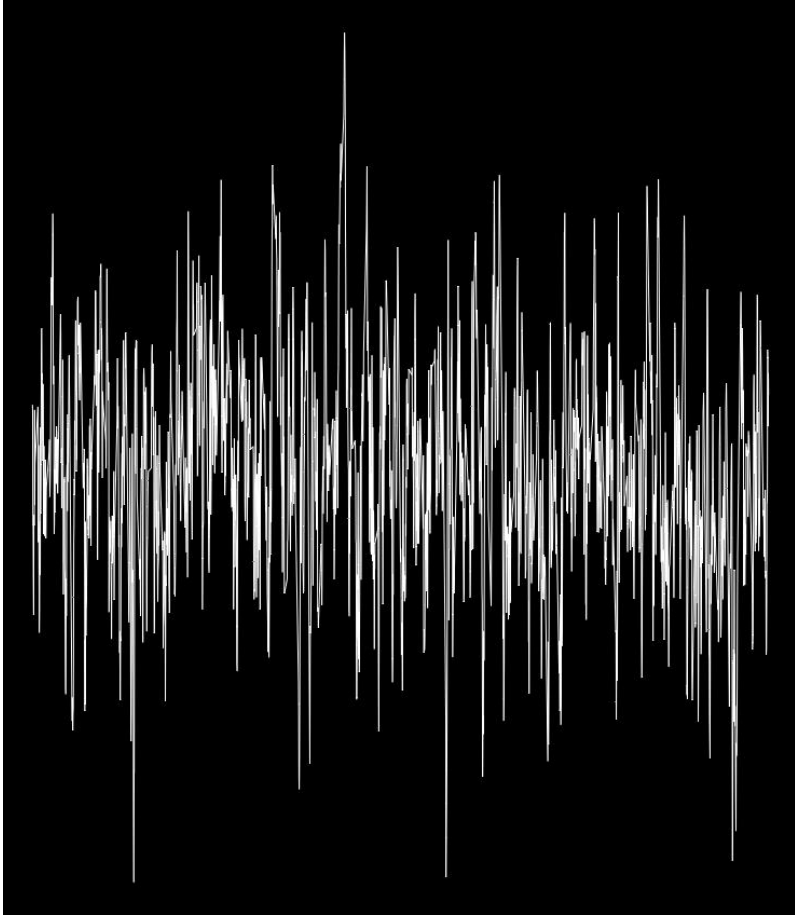
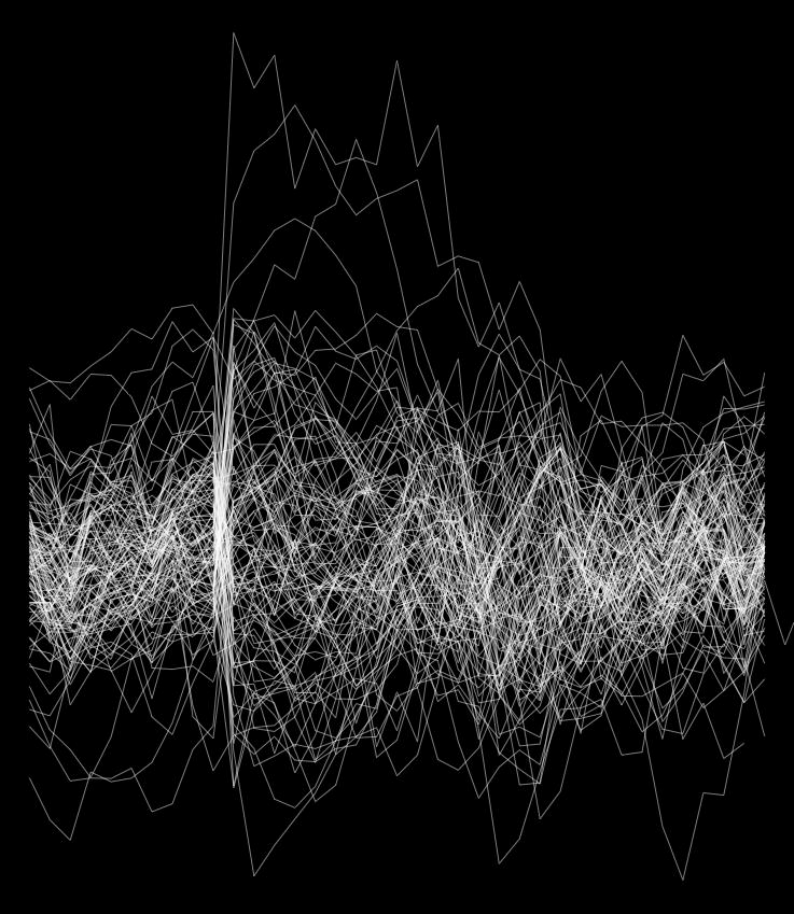
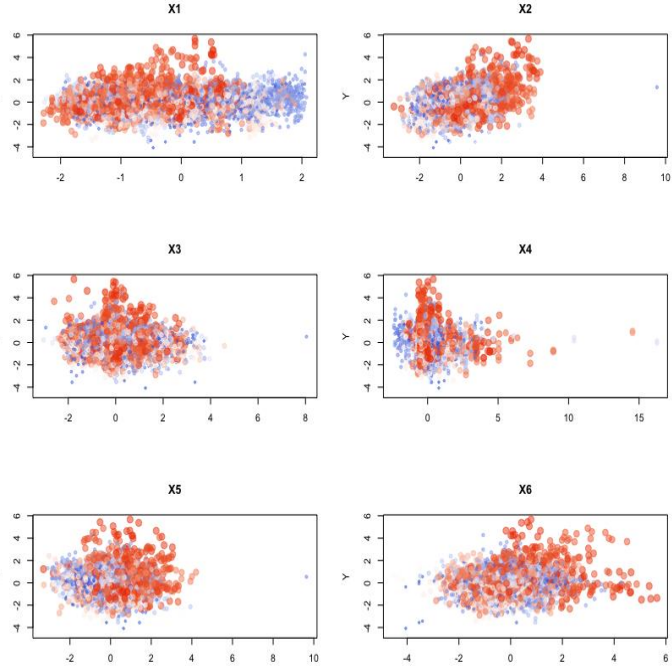
# Industrial Motivation (3)

- Probabilistic forecasts



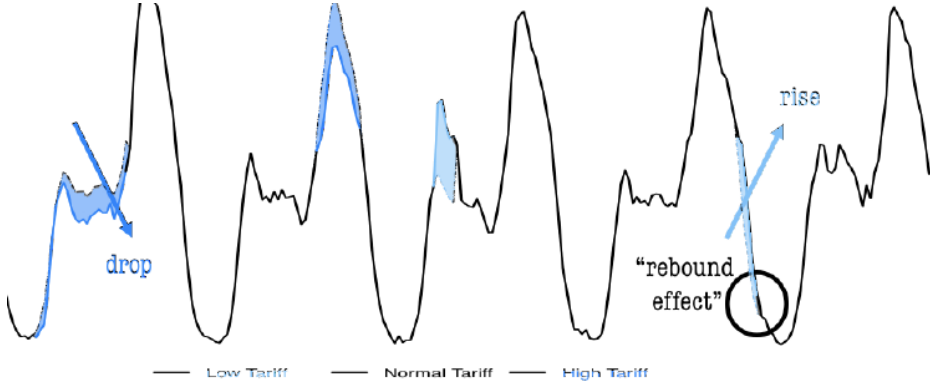
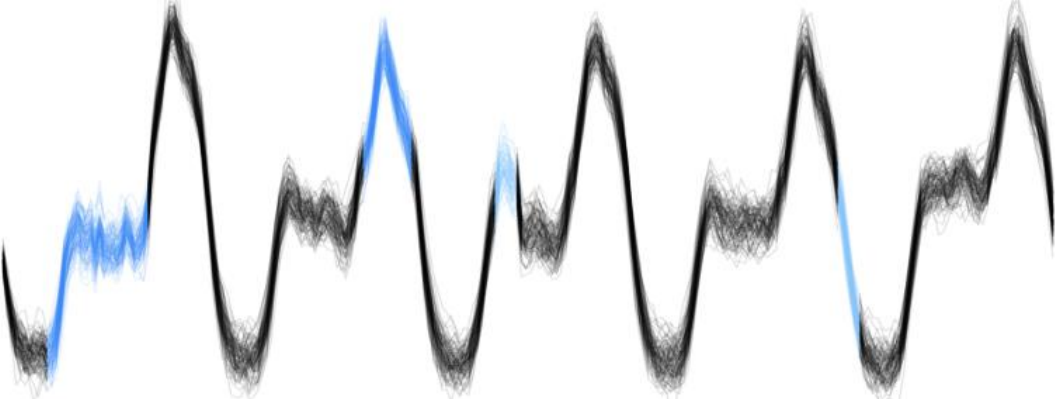
# Industrial Motivation (4)

- Online learning for energy markets



# Industrial Motivation (5)

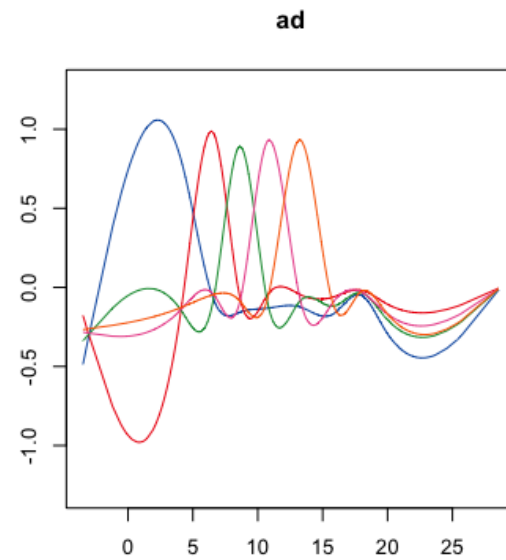
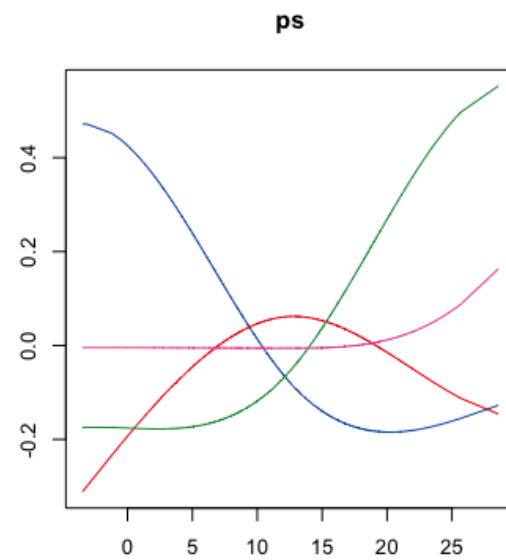
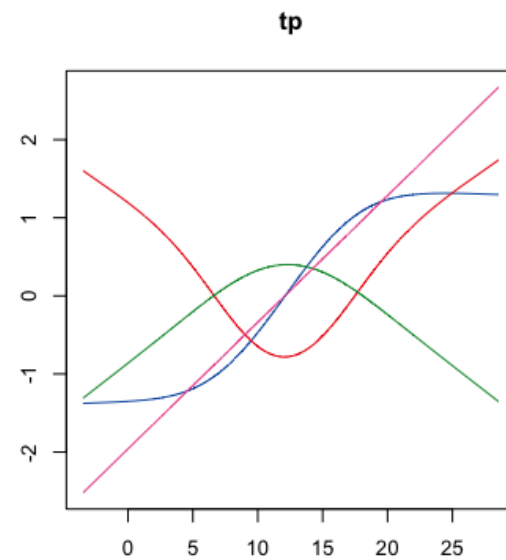
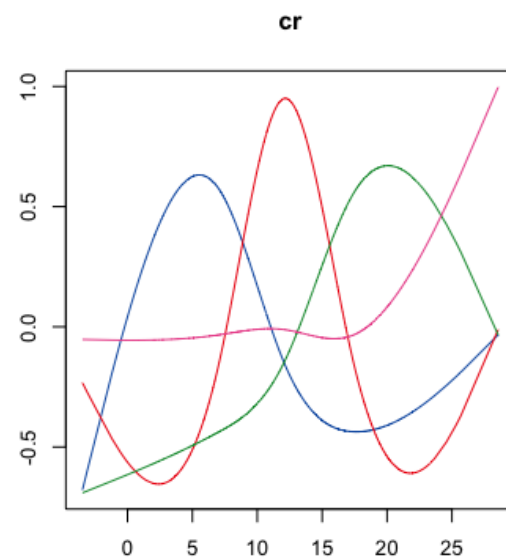
- Demand response
- Sensors data
- Smart meters



## GAMs (1)

$$Y_i = \beta_0 + f_1(X_{1,i}) + \cdots + f_d(X_{d,i}) + \varepsilon_i$$

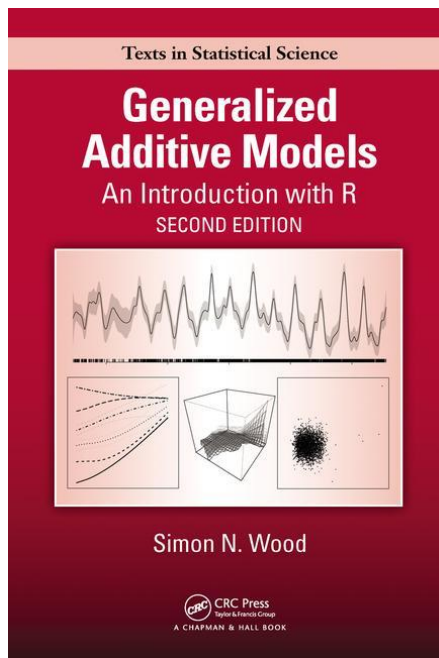
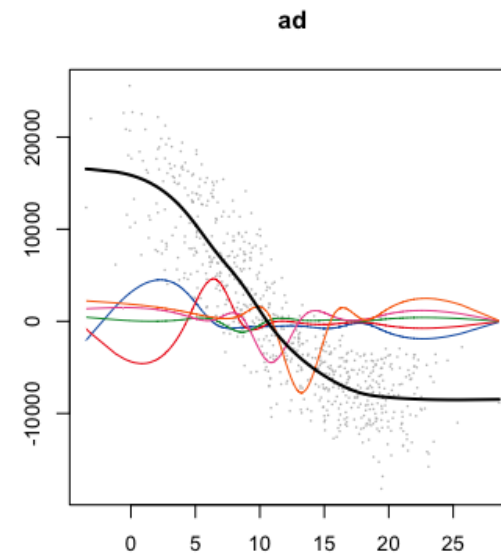
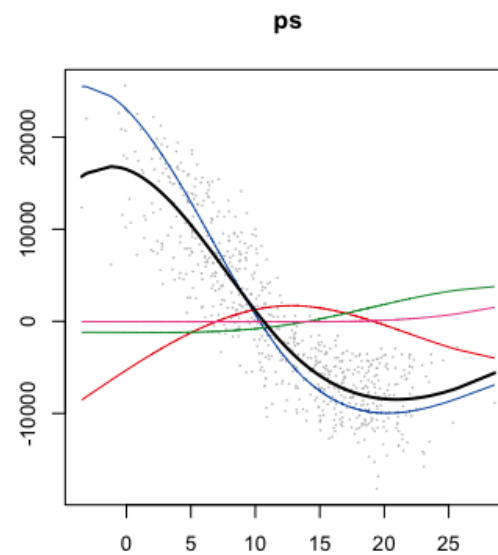
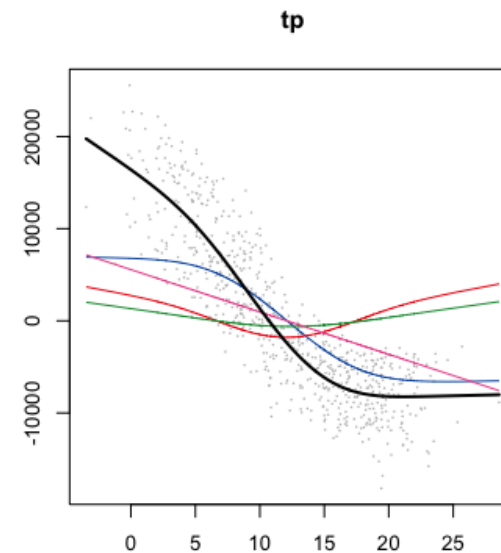
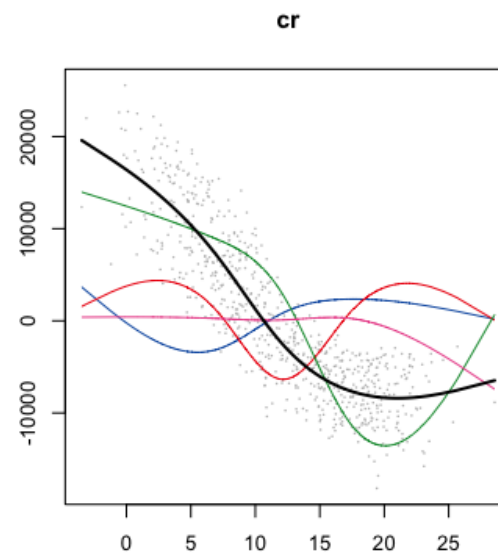
$$f_j(x_j) = \sum_{i=1}^k \beta_{ji} b_{ji}(x_j).$$



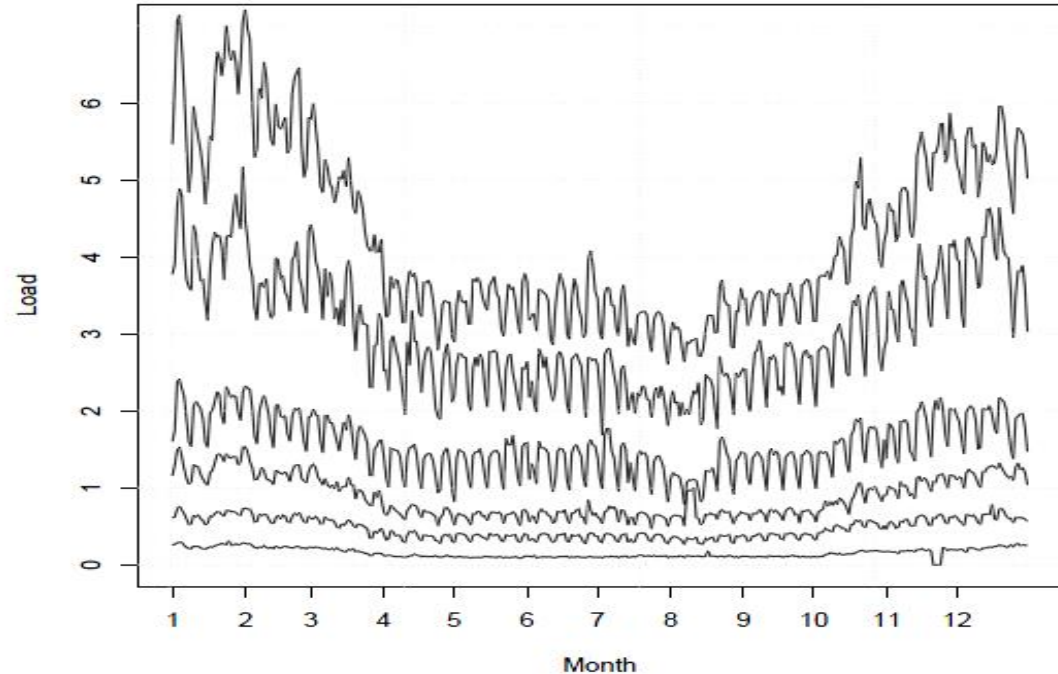


## GAMs (2)

$$\sum_{i=1}^n (y_i - \beta_0 \mathbf{X}_i^0 - \sum_{q=1}^p f_q(x_i))^2 + \sum_{q=1}^p \lambda_q \int |||f_q''(x)|||^2 dx$$



## GAMs (3)



Goude, Y.; Nedellec, R. & Kong, N. Local Short and Middle term Electricity Load Forecasting with semi-parametric additive models *IEEE transactions on smart grid*, **2013**, 5 , Issue: 1, 440 – 446.

Pierrot and Y. Goude, Short-Term Electricity Load Forecasting With Generalized Additive Models *Proceedings of ISAP power*, pp 593-600, 2011.

R. Nédellec, J. Cugliari and Y. Goude, GEFCom2012: Electricity Load Forecasting and Backcasting with Semi-Parametric Models, *International Journal of Forecasting* , 2014, 30, 375 - 381.

S.N. Wood, Goude, Y. and S. Shaw, Generalized additive models for large datasets, *Journal of Royal Statistical Society-C*, Volume 64, Issue 1, pages 139–155, January 2015.

# Covariate selection with GAMs

Algorithm

1. **First step: subset selection (Group LASSO)**

For each  $\lambda_i \in \Lambda_{GrpL}$

- Solve

$$\hat{\beta}^{\lambda_i} = \arg \min \{ Q^{OLS}(\beta) + \lambda_i \sum_{j=1}^d \sqrt{m_j} \|\beta_j\|_2 \}$$

- Denote  $S^{\lambda_i} = \{j | \hat{\beta}_j^{\lambda_i} \neq 0\}$

2. **Second step: Estimation of the additive model (by OLS)**

For each support set  $S^{\lambda_s} \in \{S^{\lambda_{min}}, \dots, S^{\lambda_{max}}\}$

- Compute

$$Q_{S^{\lambda_s}}^{OLS}(\beta) = \sum_{i=1}^n \left( Y_i - \beta_0 - \sum_{j \in S^{\lambda_s}} C_{ij}(\beta_j) \right)^2$$

- Solve

$$\tilde{\beta}^{S^{\lambda_s}} = \arg \min \{ Q_{S^{\lambda_s}}^{OLS}(\beta) \},$$

- Compute the BIC (see Eq. (5)) for each  $\tilde{\beta}^{S^{\lambda_s}}$

3. **Third step: Selection of the final model** Select  $\tilde{\beta}^{S^{\lambda_b}}$  which minimizes the BIC

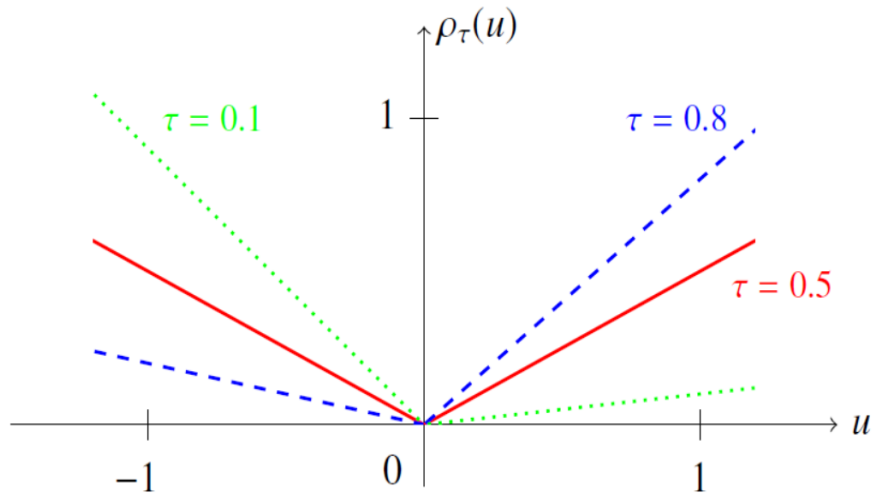
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Post2Gcv>0.3	1.15	648
Post2Aic	1.17	663
Post2Gcv	1.17	667
EDF model	1.16	667
Post2Bic	1.24	730
BenchMT1	2.00	1173

- Automatic calibration and selection of GAMs
- Perform as an expert calibrated model on EDF data

Thouvenot, V.; Pichavant, A.; Goude, Y.; Antoniadis, A. & Poggi, J.-M. Electricity Forecasting Using Multi-Stage Estimators of Nonlinear Additive Models Power Systems, IEEE Transactions on, 2015, PP, 1-9

PhD thesis of Vincent Thouvenot (UPSUD-EDF R&D) Estimation et sélection pour des modèles additifs et application à la prévision de la consommation électrique.

## qGAM (1)

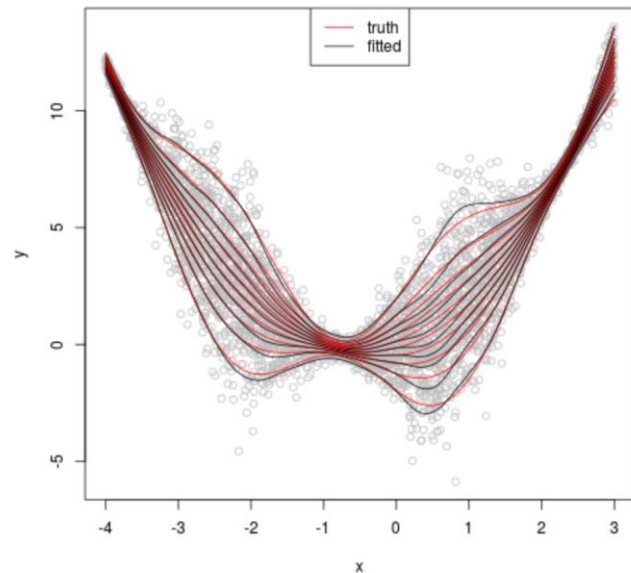


$$q_\tau(Y|X) = F_{Y|X}^{-1}(\tau) = \inf \{y \in \mathbb{R}, F_{Y|X}(y) \geq \tau\}$$

$$q_\tau(Y|X) \in \arg \min_g \mathbb{E}[\rho_\tau(Y - g(X))|X]$$

**Ex. here**

$$f_1(X_{t,1}) + f_2(X_{t,2}) + f_3(X_{t,3}, X_{t,4}) + \dots$$



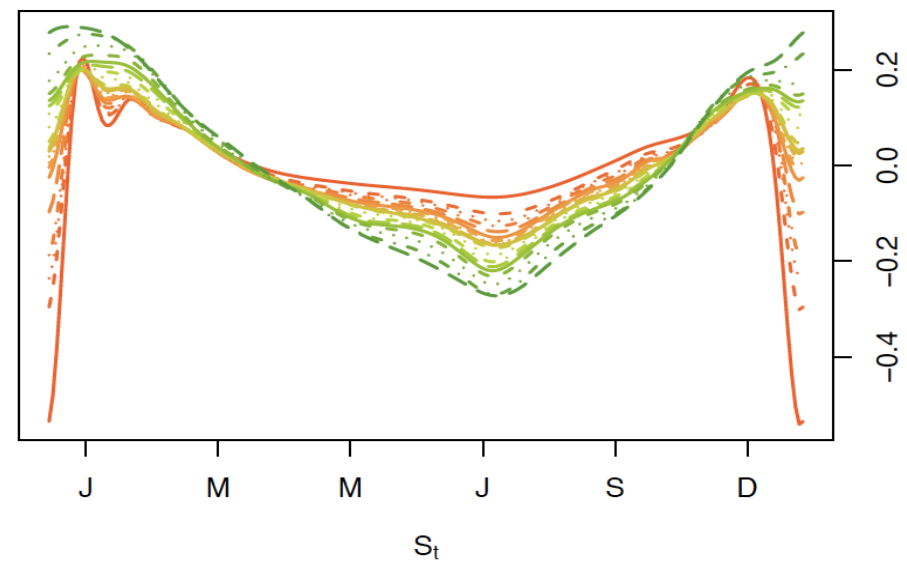
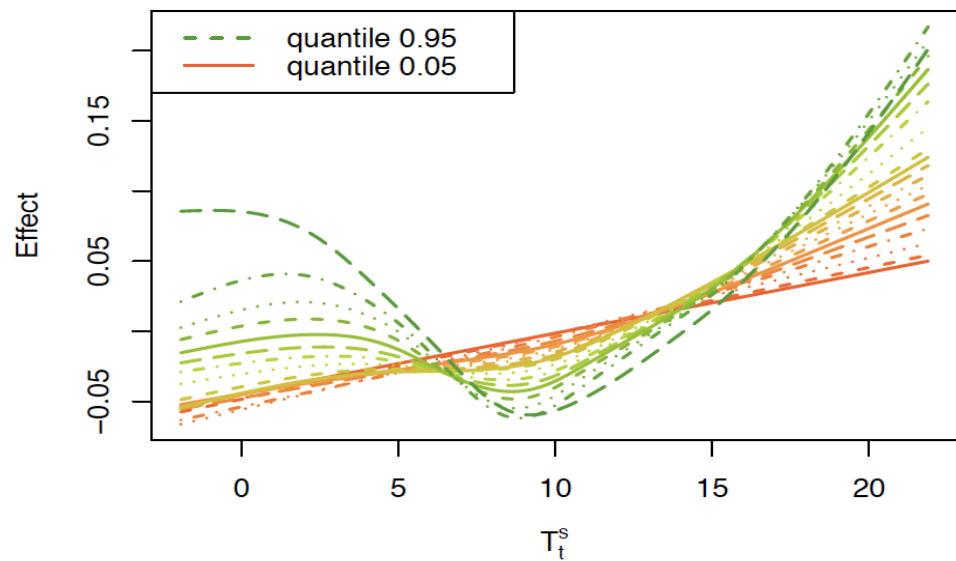
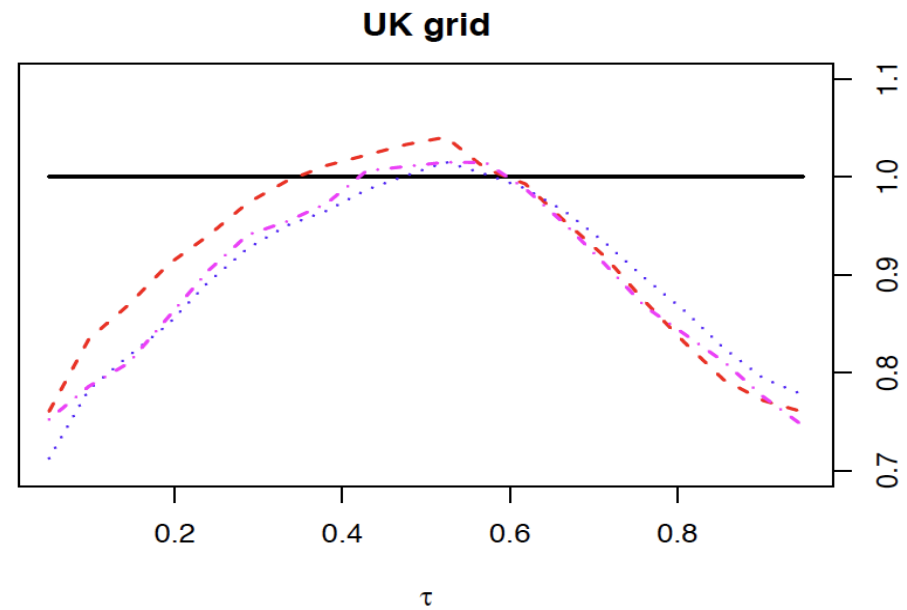
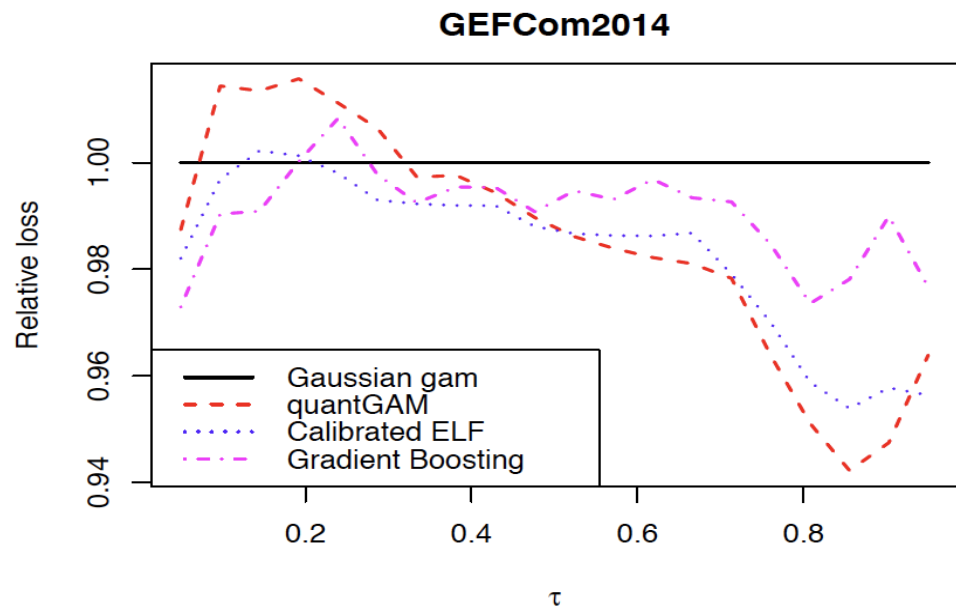
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<https://cran.r-project.org/web/packages/qgam/index.html>



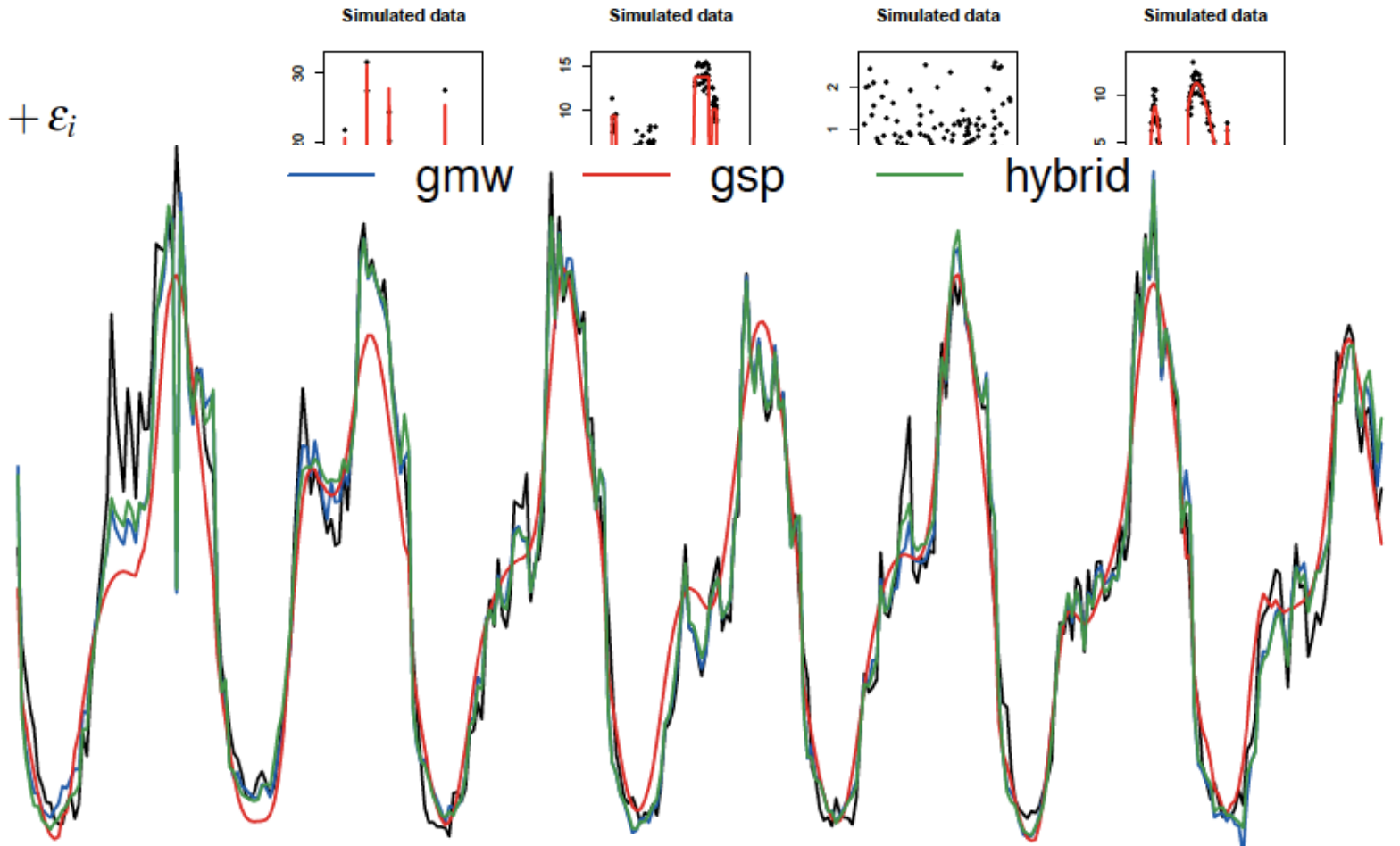
# qGAM (2)



## Hybrid PLAM (Wavelets and splines)

$$Y_i = \mathbf{X}_i^T \boldsymbol{\beta} + \sum_{j=1}^{q_s} f_j^{(1)}(T_{ij}^{(1)}) + \sum_{j=1}^{q_w} f_j^{(2)}(T_{ij}^{(2)}) + \varepsilon_i$$

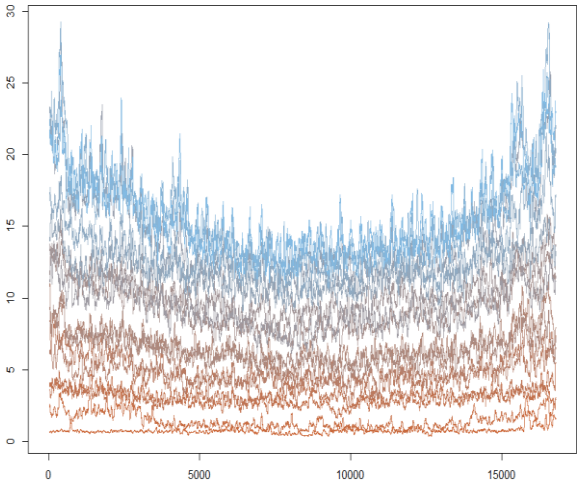
- estimation of unsmooth components at low cost
- Tarif effects, peaks



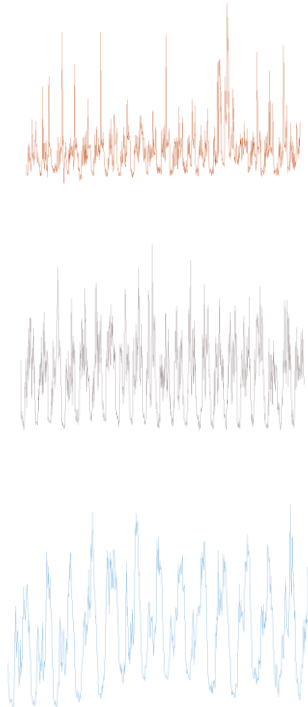
Estimation and group variable selection for additive partial linear models with wavelets and splines

Authors: Umberto Amato, Anestis Antoniadis, Italia De Feis and Yannig Goude, South African Statistical Journal 51, pp 235 –272 (2017)

# Forecasting total consumption of a set of customers (1)



clustering



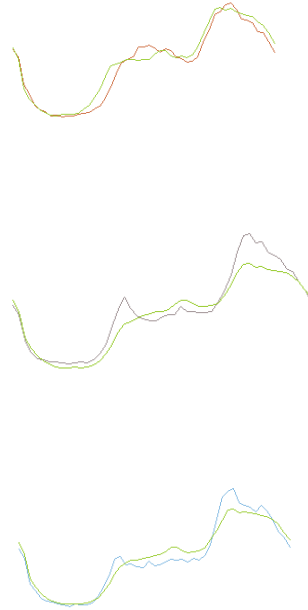
Model 1



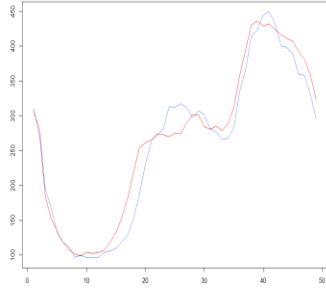
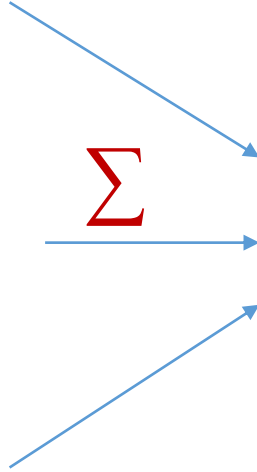
Model 2



Model 3



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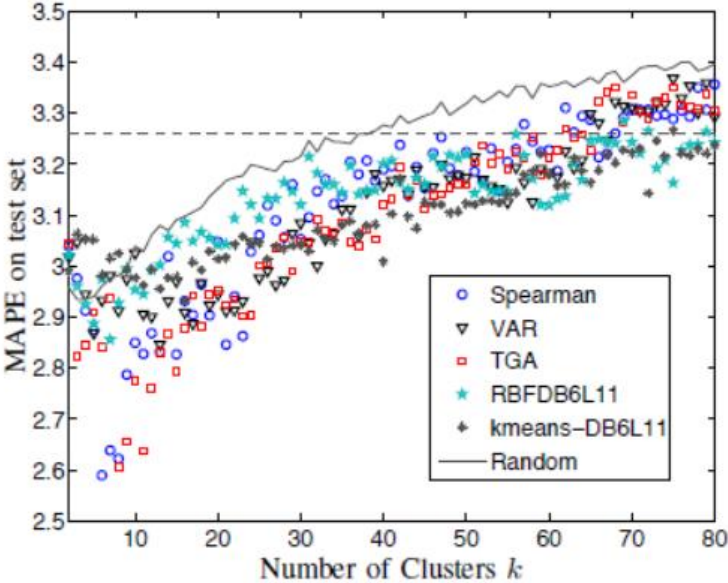
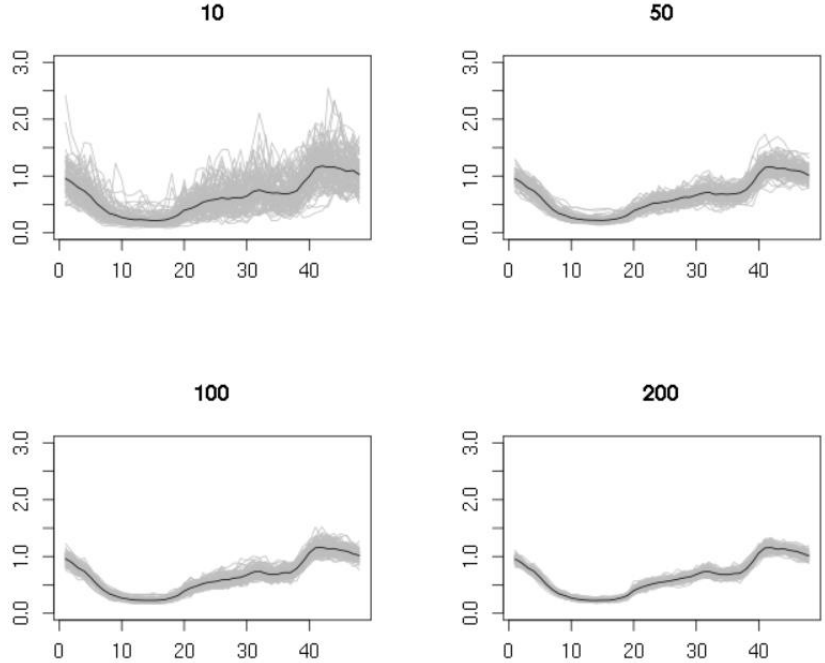
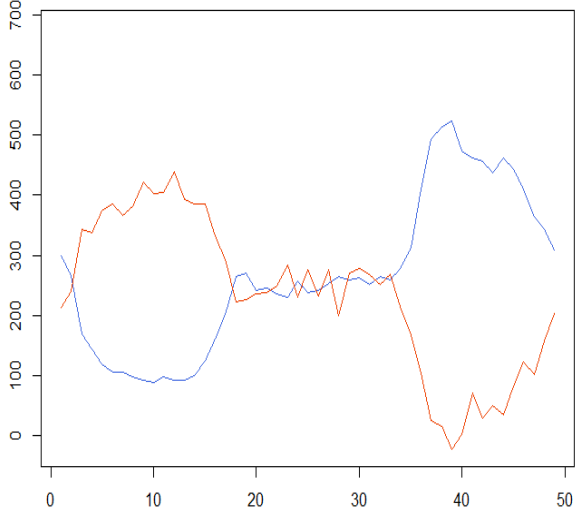
Total Portfolio forecast

Individual consumption metered half-hourly

Forecasts total cons. of each cluster

Disaggregated Electricity Forecasting using Wavelet-Based Clustering of Individual Consumer Proceedings of IEEE Energycon, 2016, Jairo Cugliari, Yannig Goude, Jean-Michel Poggi

# Forecasting total consumption of a set of customers (2)



What type of customers in each cluster?  
Do they behave similarly?  
Are they complementary?

How many (at least) customers in each cluster?

From: C. Alzate and M. Sinn, "Improved electricity load forecasting via kernel spectral clustering of smartmeter", International Conference on Data Mining, vol. 948, pp. 943 – 948, 2013.

How many clusters?

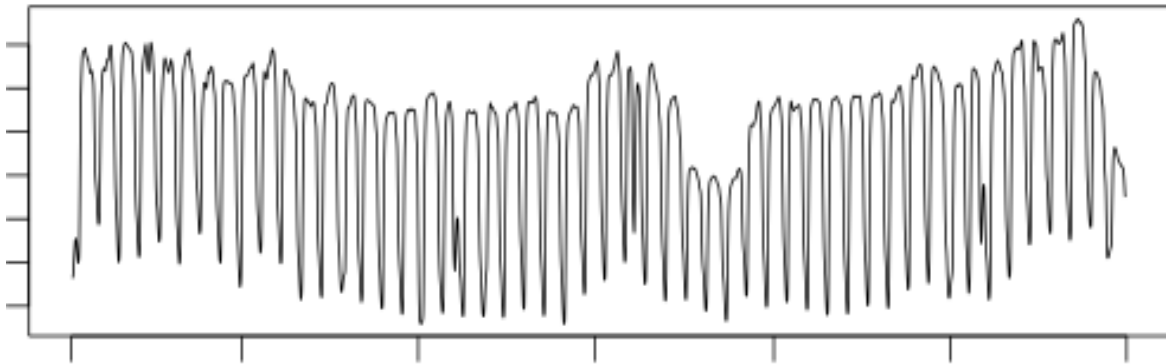
Which forecasting model, clustering algorithm?  
Are they related in any sense?



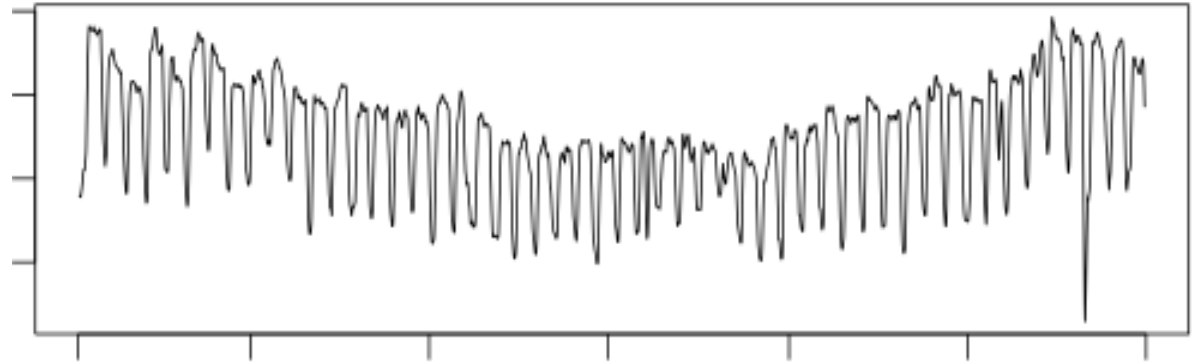
## Forecasting total consumption of a set of customers (3)

- Data set of 25011 professional customers
- Sampling period: 30 minutes
- Period: 2009, 2010 and 2011 (only 6 months)
- 1 year =  $25011 \cdot 17520 = 438$  millions of samples = 3.25 Go

Total consumption 2010

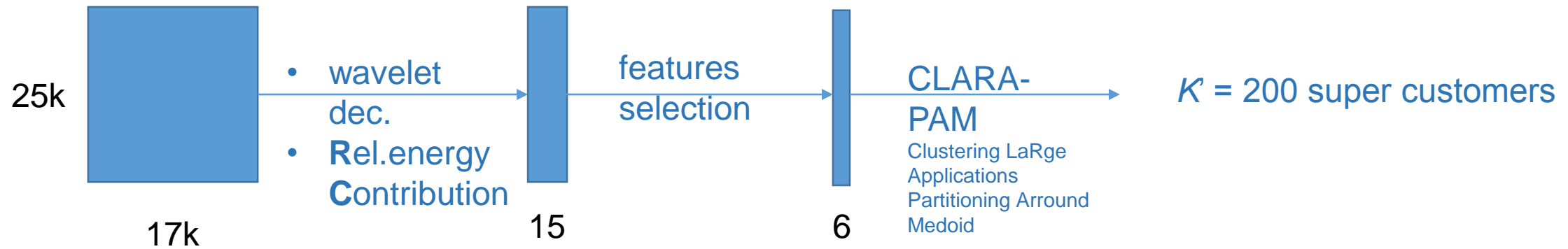


Individual consumption 2010



## Forecasting total consumption of a set of customers (4)

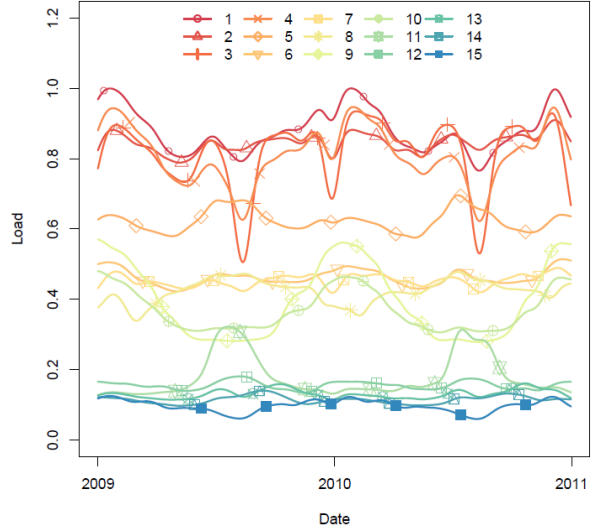
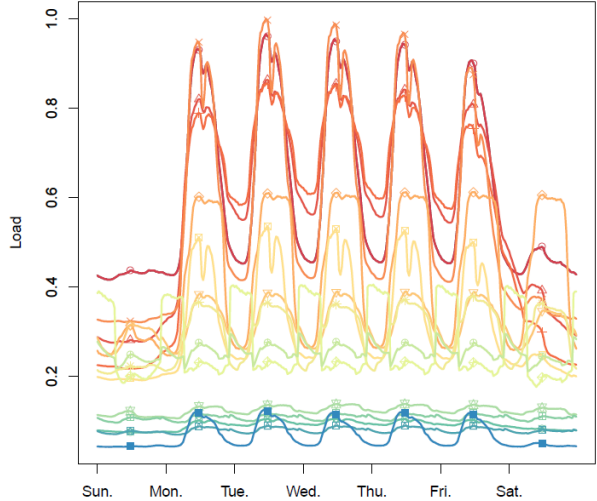
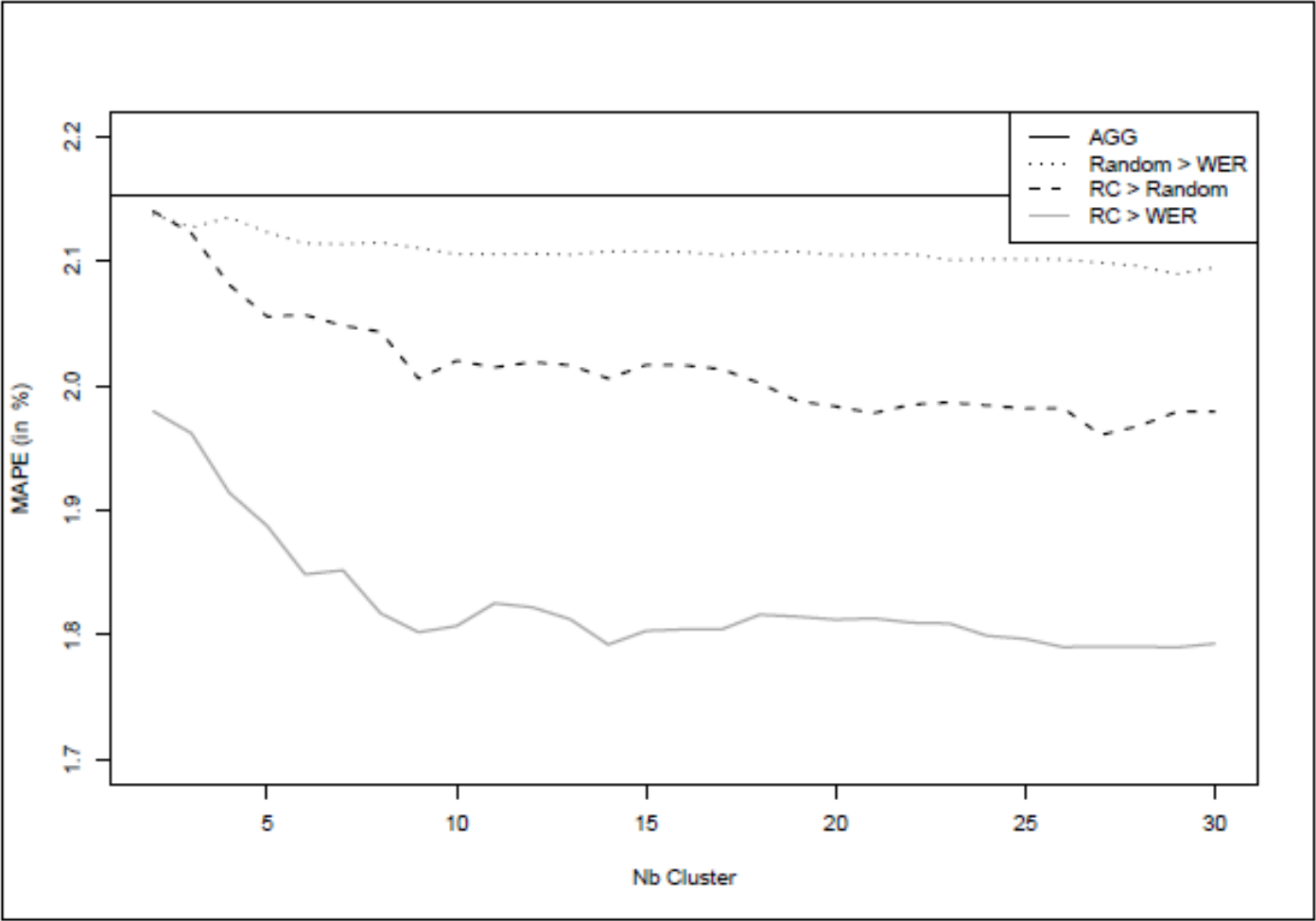
- 1st stage: create a large number of  $K' = 200$  super customers *fast and scalable*



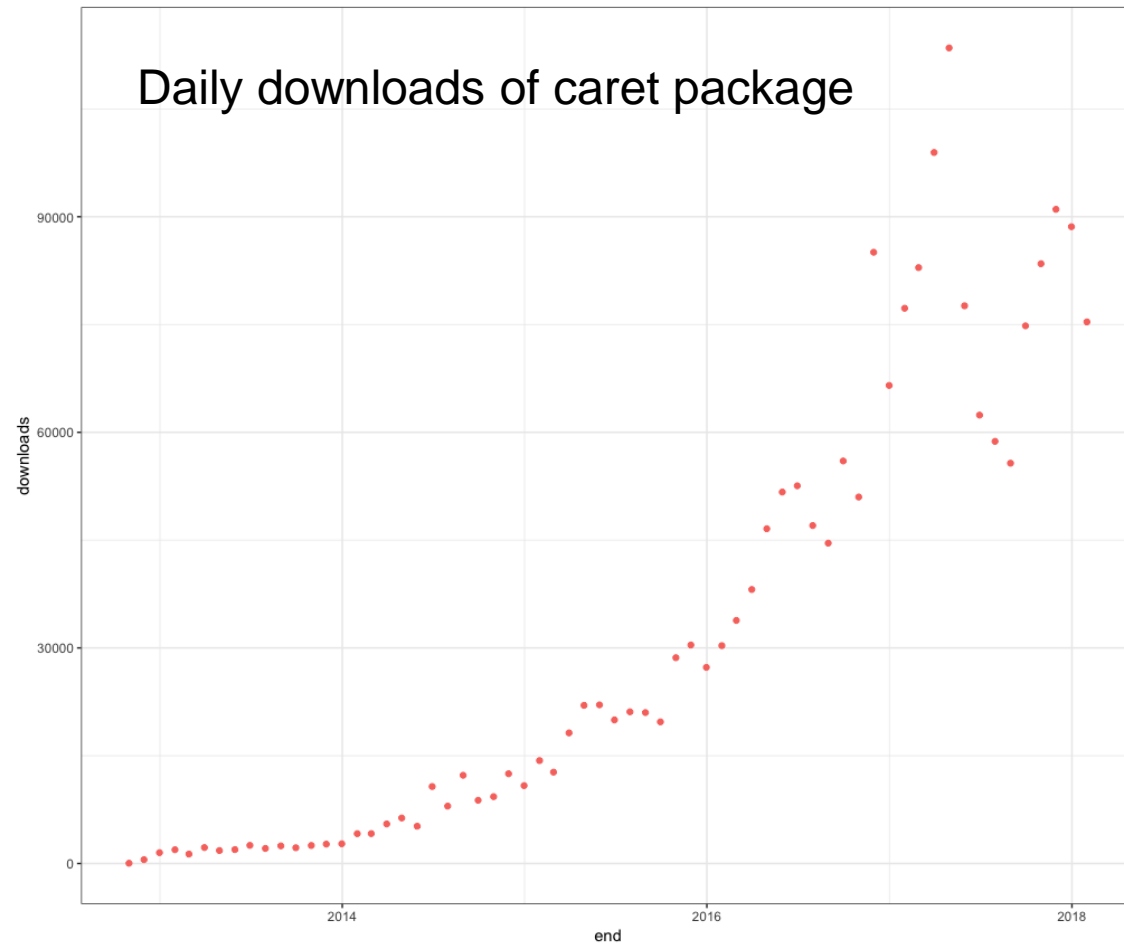
- 2nd stage: (Ward) ascendant hierarchical clustering of the  $K'$  super customers with WER (wavelet coherence) distance *coherent with the forecasting algorithm, computer intensive*



# Forecasting total consumption of a set of customers (5)



## Automatic calibration of machine learning algorithms



- a need for automatic calibration
- optimising both prediction performance and calculation time (*smart & data driven* grid search)

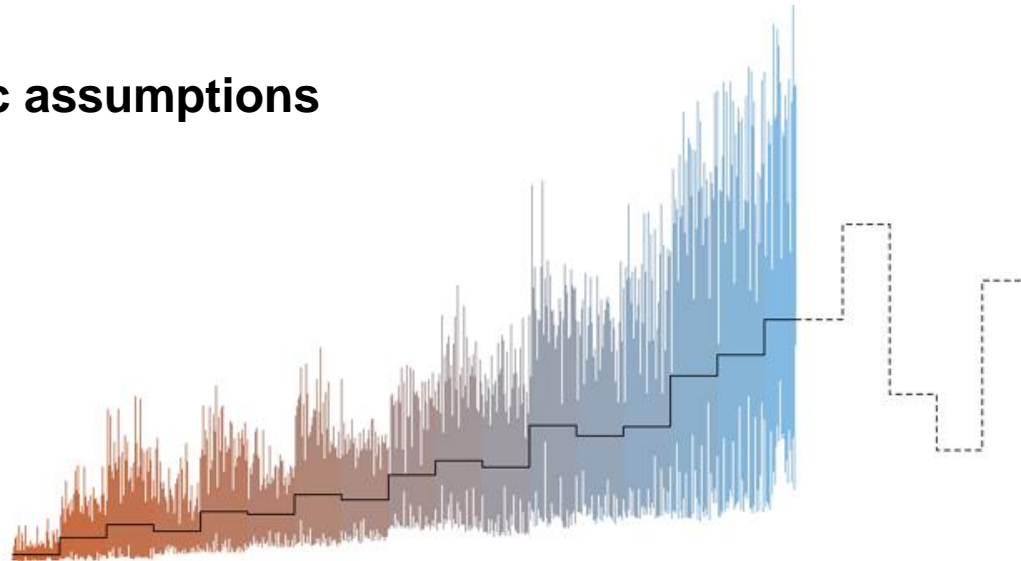
current work with Charles de Lastic Saint Jaal



## Online robust aggregation algorithms (1)

- We want to forecast a sequence of observations  $y_1, y_2, \dots, y_T$
- Observations and predictions are made in a sequential fashion
  - predictions of  $y_t$  ...  
... are based on past observations/predictions  $y_1, y_2, \dots, y_{t-1}$

- **No stochastic assumptions**



Joint work with Pierre Gaillard (during his PhD at EDF R&D/Université Paris-Sud), Gilles Stoltz (CNRS-HEC Paris), Marie Devaine (Ecole Normale Supérieure, Paris, France)

## Online robust aggregation algorithms (2)

- Linear

lasso, lars2, lars, enet, foba, icr, leapBackward, leapForward, leapSeq, lm, lmStepAIC, spikeslab, glm, BstLm, glm, glmboost, glmnet, glmStepAIC

- Generalised Additive Models

bagEarth, bagEarthGCV, bstTree, earth, gamLoess, gamSpline, gcvEarth

- Projection based

pcr, ppr, pls, plsRglm, simpls

- Regression tree:

Gbm, blackboost, ctree, ctree2, rpart1SE, rpart2, treebag, xgbTree

- Kernel

Kernelpls, svmLinear, svmPoly, svmRadial, svmRadialSigma, svmRadialCost, knn, kkn

```
modellist<-c("earth","ppr","gbm","xgbTree")
trControl<-trainControl("repeatedcv", repeats=1, number=5)
k<-1
train(x, y, method = modellist[[k]], trControl = trControl)
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## Online robust aggregation algorithms (3)

- Parameters

$$\eta > 0 \quad p_0 = \left( \frac{1}{N}, \dots, \frac{1}{N} \right)$$

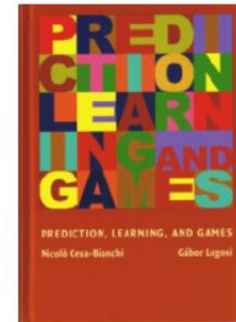
- Weights update

$$p_{j,t} = \frac{\exp(-\eta \sum_{i=1}^{t-1} l_{i,j})}{C}$$

- Oracle bounds

$$\frac{1}{T} \sum_{t=1}^T \hat{l}_t - \min_k \frac{1}{T} \sum_{t=1}^T \hat{l}_{t,k} \leq \square \sqrt{\frac{\log(N)}{T}}$$

Loss of the expert  $j$  at time  $i$



Prediction, Learning, and Games  
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## Online robust aggregation algorithms (4)

<https://cran.rstudio.com/web/packages/opera/index.html>

`opera: Online Prediction by Expert Aggregation`

Misc methods to form online predictions, for regression-oriented time-series, by combining a finite set of forecasts provided by the user.

Version: 1.0  
Depends: R ( $\geq$  3.1.0)  
Imports: [quadprog](#), [quantreg](#), [RColorBrewer](#)  
Suggests: [testthat](#), [splines](#), [caret](#), [mgcv](#), [survival](#), [knitr](#), [gbm](#)  
Published: 2016-08-17  
Author: Pierre Gaillard [cre, aut], Yannig Goude [aut]  
Maintainer: Pierre Gaillard <pierre at gaillard.me>  
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DEMO

## Perspectives

- Deep learning for forecasting (with D. Obst, S. Claudel, J. Cugliari and B. Ghattas)
- Random forest for time dependant data (with B. Goerhy, P. Massart and J.M. Poggi)
- Bandit algortihms for optimizing demand response (with M. Brégère, P. Gaillard and G. Stoltz)
- Hierarchical GAMs (with M. Fasiolo, R. Nédellec and S. Wood)
- Hierarchical Deep Learning Models for Forecasting (with M. Huard and G. Stoltz)

A few interesting data sets to test your model:

- Irish individual consumption data, <http://www.ucd.ie/issda/data/commissionforenergyregulationcer/>
- UK individual consumption data <https://data.london.gov.uk/dataset/low-carbon-generators> or <https://www.kaggle.com/jeanmidev/smart-meters-in-london>
- RE-Europe, a large-scale dataset for modeling a highly renewable European electricity system Tue V. Jensen & Pierre Pinson, Scientific Data volume 4, Article number: 170175 (2017), <https://www.nature.com/articles/sdata2017175>
- gefcom12 &14 <https://www.kaggle.com/c/global-energy-forecasting-competition-2012-load-forecasting/data>