Optimal transport for machine learning

Practical sessions

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Course organization

A day in Optimal Transport

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16:00 - 17:30 Practical session 2

- Domain Adaptation on digits
- Color grading
- Wasserstein GAN

Files and solution

Get the files

Github repository:
`https://github.com/rflamary/OTML_DS3_2018`

All files:
`https://github.com/rflamary/OTML_DS3_2018/archive/master.zip`

Solution for all practical sessions

`https://remi.flamary.com/cours/otml/solution_[NUMBER].zip`

Where [NUMBER] is replaced by the integer part of the value of the Wasserstein distance obtained in Practical Session 1 Part 1 using the Manhattan/Cityblock ground metric.

Required Python libraries

Install POT (Python Optimal Transport)

- On Anaconda (in terminal) :

  ```
  conda install -c conda-forge pot
  ```

- With pip (requires C compiler) :

  ```
  pip install pot
  ```

- Test install by executing:

  ```
  import ot
  ```

Install Keras (optional, only for WGAN session)

- On anaconda (in terminal) :

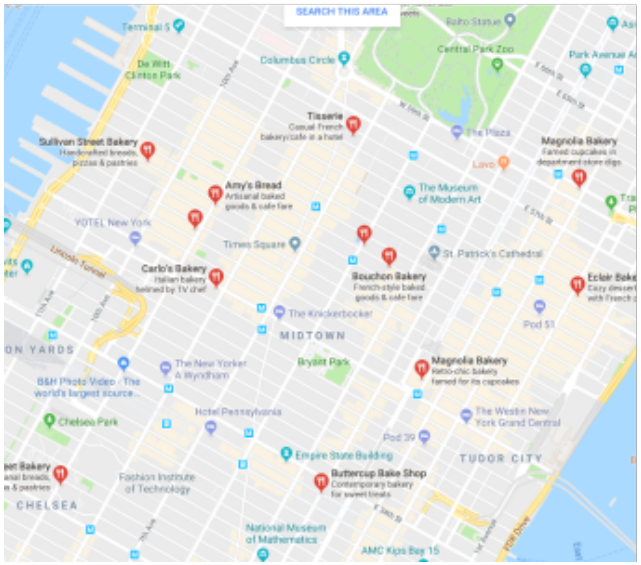
  ```
  conda install -c conda-forge keras
  ```

- With pip (requires C compiler) :

  ```
  pip install keras
  ```

Practical Session 1

Bakeries



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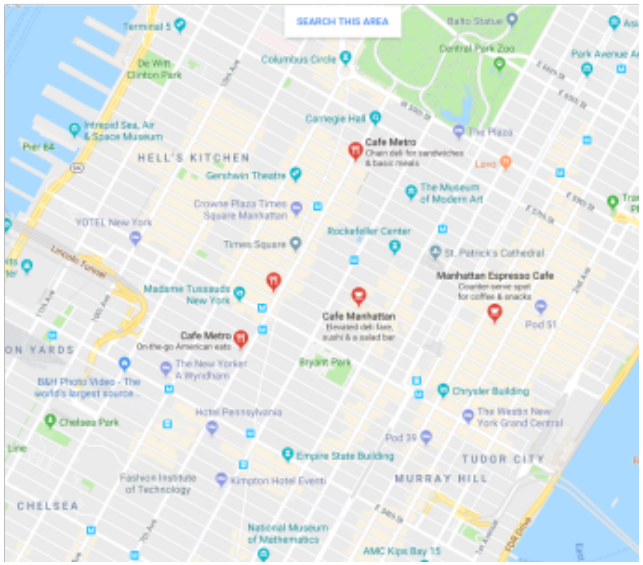

Part 1: Intro to OT with POT

- File: `0_Intro_OT.ipynb`
- Problem of Cafés and Bakeries (in Manhattan).
- Visualize the problem (on the map and in matrix form).
- Solve OT with different ground metrics.
- Interpret the OT matrix.

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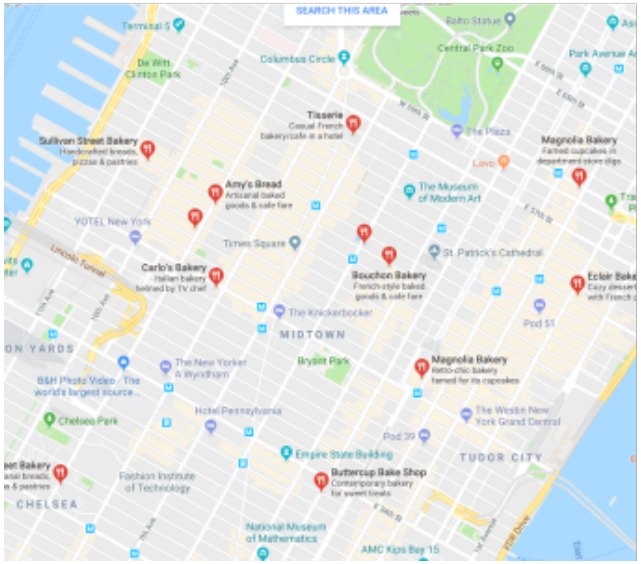

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Part 2: Implement Sinkhorn [Cuturi, 2013]

- File: `0_Intro_OT.ipynb`
- Implement the Sinkhorn-Knopp loop.
- Interpret the OT matrix.

Part 3: Word Mover's Distance [Kusner et al., 2015]

- File: `4_WMD.ipynb`
- Reproduce figure above.
- Interpret the OT matrix on words.
- Perform regression for sentence similarity.

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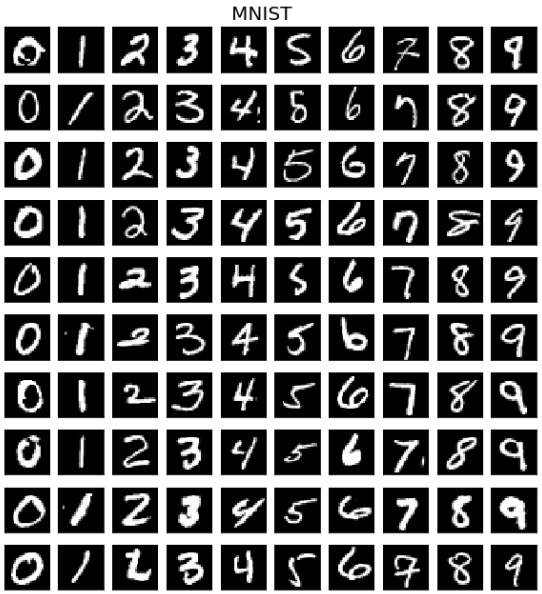

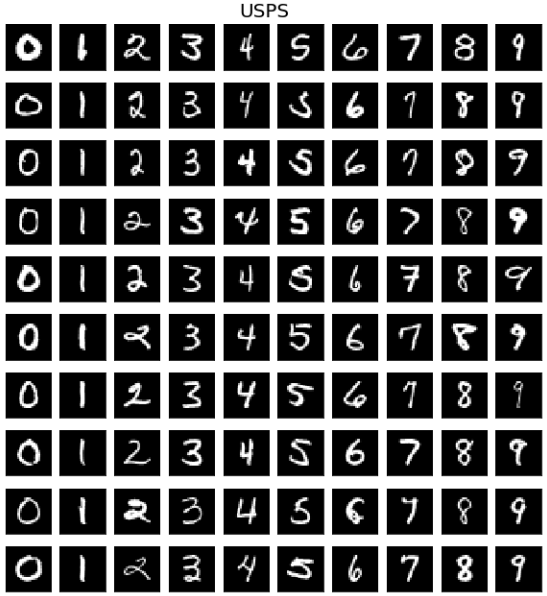

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- Solve OT and apply approximate Monge Mapping.
- Look at displaced samples and train classifier.

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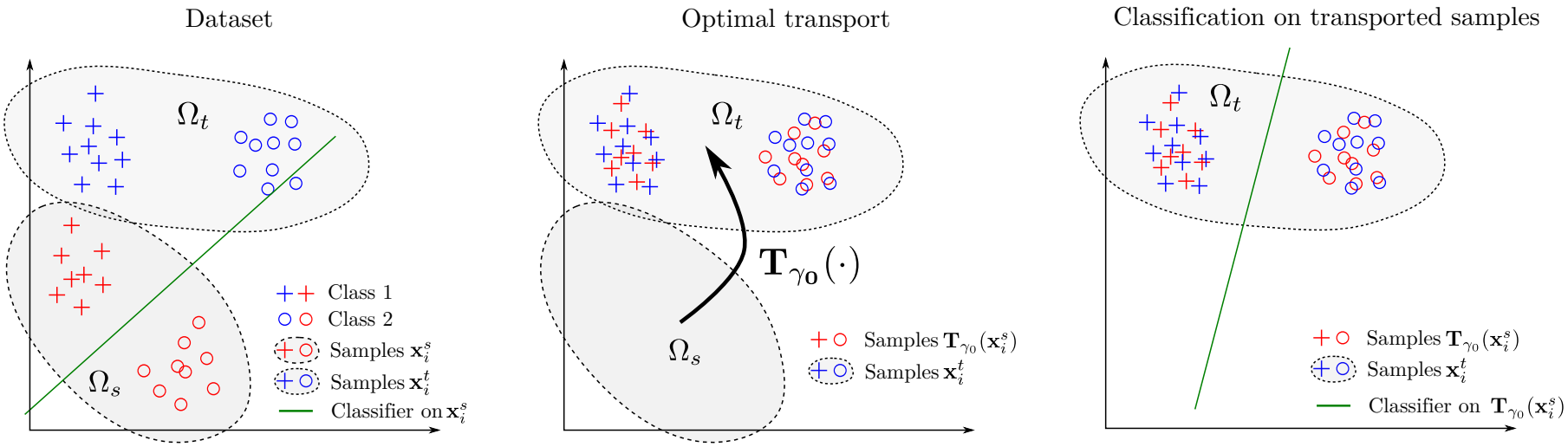

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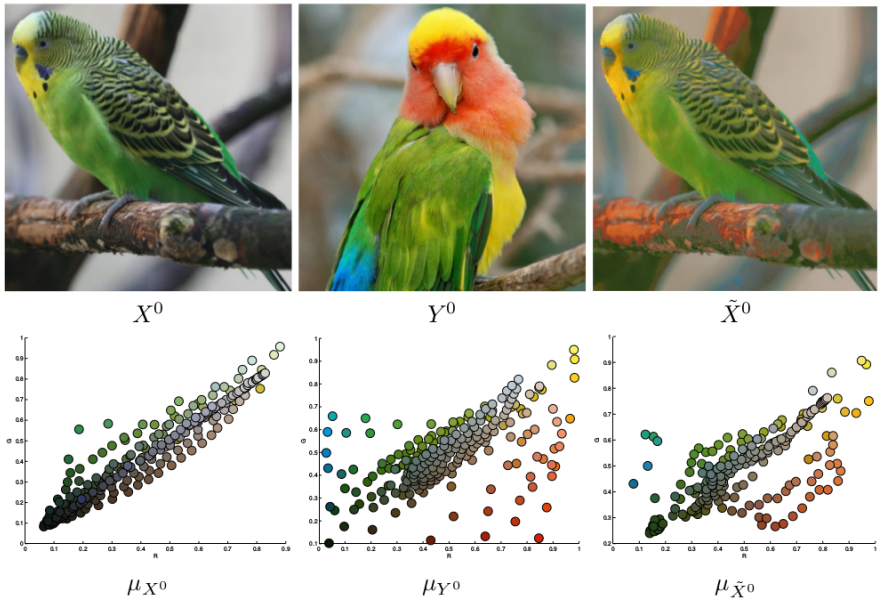
- Represent image as distribution of pixels in 3D.
- Compute OT and apply approximate Monge mapping.
- Reconstruct image.



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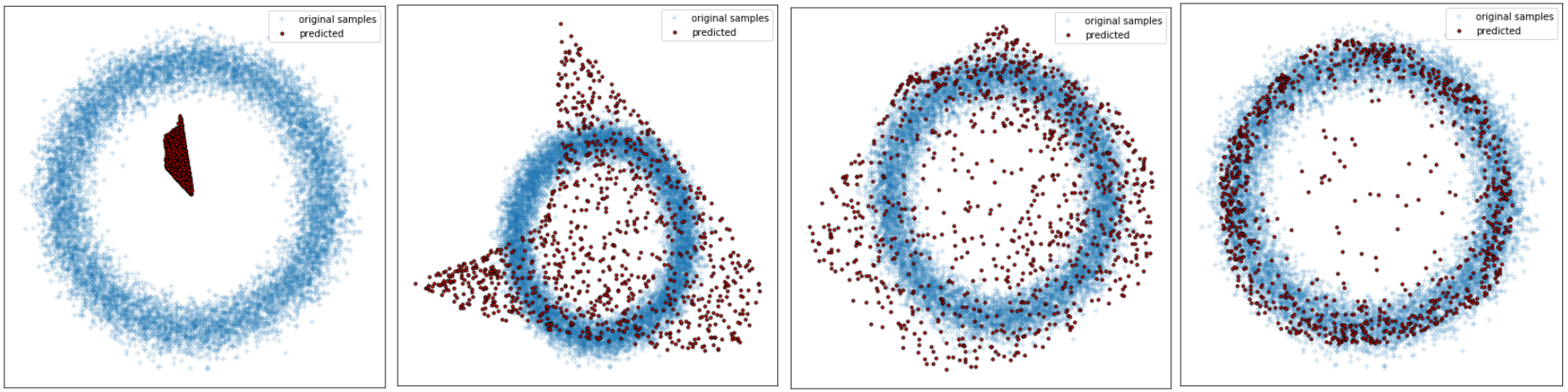

Wasserstein GAN [Arjovsky et al., 2017]

- File: `3_WGAN.ipynb`
- Requires Keras and knowledge of neural networks.
- Design and learn Wasserstein GAN for 2D samples.
- Implement both original WGAN and and improved WGAN (gradient penalty [Gulrajani et al., 2017]).
- Convergence in few minutes on laptops.

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