

# Multivariate data analysis (MVA) - Classification

## ● Introduction

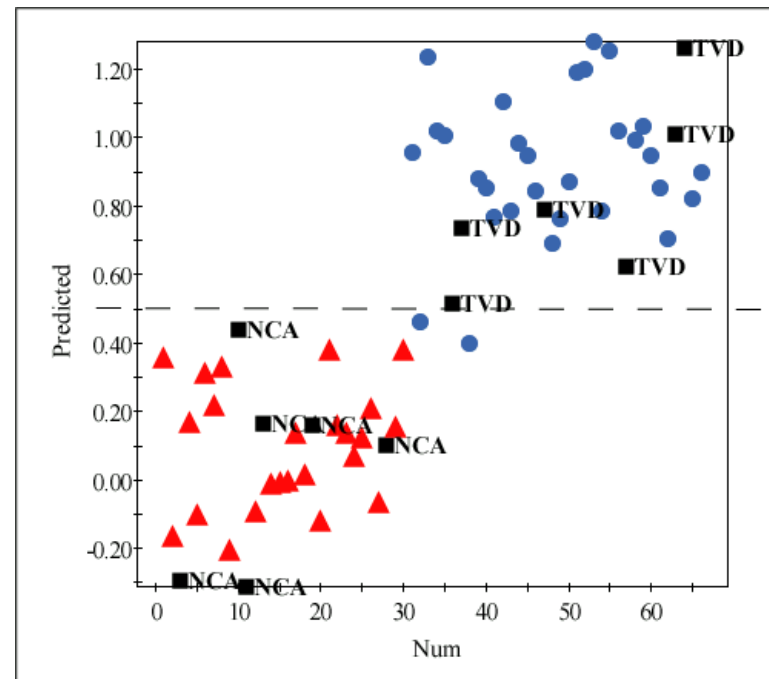
## ● Methods

- SIMCA
- PLS-DA

## ● Example

- Archaeologi (detail)
- Coronary Heart Disease (diagnosis)
- Human exercise study(GC/MS)

## ● Conclusions

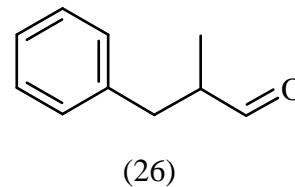
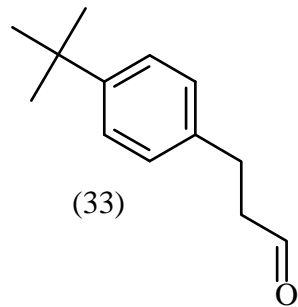


# Classification

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- Classification exists within all areas of society
- Different classes - different properties – different applications

E.g. Different classes of molecules – suitable for different medical drugs



- We need methods for detection of classes and for defining class identity for unknown samples.

# Classification - methods

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- **SIMCA** (Soft Independent Modelling of Class Analogy)
  - PCA of the whole data matrix (overview) gives information about classes, trends, outliers.
  - PCA model for each separate class of samples.
  - Cross validation (CV) decides number of components.
  - Prediction of unknown samples – Do they belong to a class or not ?
  - Class borders in **scores** and **DModX**.

# Classification - methods

- **PLS - DA** (PLS - Discriminant Analysis)

- If PCA doesn't give satisfactory separation between classes.
- PLS - DA is based on PLS against a “dummy” matrix for separation.

Class A	A	B	C
	<b>1</b>	0	0
	<b>1</b>	0	0
Class B	<b>1</b>	0	0
	0	<b>1</b>	0
	0	<b>1</b>	0
Class C	0	<b>1</b>	0
	0	0	<b>1</b>
	0	0	<b>1</b>

→ **PLS**

# Classification - methods

Class A
Class B
Class C

PCA →

Projection of *maximum variation* in X

Class A
Class B
Class C

PLS -DA →

A	B	C
1	0	0
1	0	0
1	0	0
0	1	0
0	1	0
0	1	0
0	0	1
0	0	1
0	0	1

Projection of *maximum separation* between classes in X

# PCA, PLS - Classification

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## Example: Archeology

- Classification of archaeology interesting samples
    - Previously done by univariate analysis
    - Now multivariate approach.
  - 22 samples collected from a archaeology site outside Mjölby, Sweden
  - The samples were characterised by 18 variables, from ICP-AES and test of two concentration pre-treatments for (Fe, Cu, P, Mn, V, Co, Zn, Cr and Ca). This is of interest since untouched soil compared to occupied soil have got different patterns of trace elements.
  - The 22 samples were collected from three different sites in the area. F, S, C
- F:** Garbage tip, **S:** Occupation site, **C:** Control (untouched soil)

# Data table

Two pre-treatments of samples prior to ICP-AES: Total Dissolution(TD) and Nitric Acid(NA)  
9 interesting elements (Fe, Cu, P, Mn, V, Co, Zn, Cr and Ca).

Gives a total of 18 variables.

		Fe_TD	Cu_TD	P_TD	Mn_TD	V_TD	Co_TD	Zn_TD	Cr_TD	Ca_TD	Fe_NA	Cu_NA	P_NA	Mn_NA	V_NA	Co_NA	Zn_NA	Cr_NA	Ca_NA
1	F_A100B	2.21	36	0.914	950	50	7	130	34	2.26	1.89		0.838	933	32	4	141	20	1.93
2	F_A100M	2.09	29	1.053	857	46	7	150.5	29	2.49	1.77		1.002	962	29	4	161	17	2.34
3	F_A100T	1.98	27	0.337	786	45	7	110	29	1.38	1.67		0.342	788	27	3	118	16	1.04
4	F_A52B	2.14	44	0.389	1044	52	7	160	31	1.6	2.03	55	0.43	1208	37	5	185	20	1.49
5	F_A52M	1.99	81	2.926	3200	45.5	7	475	28.5	8.08	1.77	114	2.679	3160	32	5	561	21	5.11
6	F_A52T	2.08	64	1.436	1998	45	7	352	29	3.33	1.88	81	1.284	2098	33	4	396	20	3.24
7	F_A40	2.87	47	0.61	1593	63.7	9.3	311	41	3.36	2.315	42	0.6	1522	36.5	6	300	23.3	2.79
8	S_1	2.45	24.5	0.136	870	64	8.5	81.5	31.5	1.21	2.34	30	0.147	1034	44	6	98	19	0.97
9	S_2	2.21	26	0.147	873	54	8	94	31	1.3	2.15	38	0.158	970	40	6	124	22	1.07
10	S_3	2.42	28	0.133	903	61	8	97	32	1.28	2.17	33	0.143	904	55	5	102	25	0.97
11	S_4	2.28	31	0.133	708	58	7	98	32	1.01	2.02	33	0.134	743	50	4	102	22	0.87
12	S_5	2.28	29	0.136	679	62	7	84	31	0.95	2.05	31	0.129	660	53	4	87	22	0.82
13	C_N10B	1.78	7	0.027	263	41	5	37	27	0.93	1.34		0.023	158	21	2	33	14	0.33
14	C_N4B	1.24	4	0.028	222	30	4	24	20	0.87	0.87		0.026	107	17	1	21	11	0.28
15	C_W10B	3.38	12	0.023	1581	72	12	73	51	0.92	2.82		0.019	1499	45	8	66	31	0.5
16	C_W8B	2.63	15	0.033	666	61	8	52	36	0.89	2.375	13	0.03	656	39	4.5	50	23.5	0.465
17	C_W6B	1.99	9	0.036	273	47.5	5.5	43	30	0.77	1.73	8	0.031	198	30	3	39	18	0.47
18	C_N10C	3.21	18	0.033	553	68	9	57	45	0.98	2.65	16	0.029	505	38	6	68	28	0.42
19	C_N4C	4.21	25	0.067	569	90	12	80	63	1.16	3.56	27	0.059	483	53	7	72	41	0.73
20	C_W10C	5.29	28	0.045	1315	116	16	89	87	1	4.91	20	0.034	1367	71	11	82	64	0.92
21	C_W8C	4.54	27	0.05	620	102	13	82	72	0.8	4.065	32	0.044	608	53	8	74	44	0.73
22	C_W6C	2.52	13	0.03	324	56.5	7	45.5	35	0.73	2.21	20	0.024	262	35	5	39	21	0.39

# PCA – Whole data matrix (overview)

Model M3

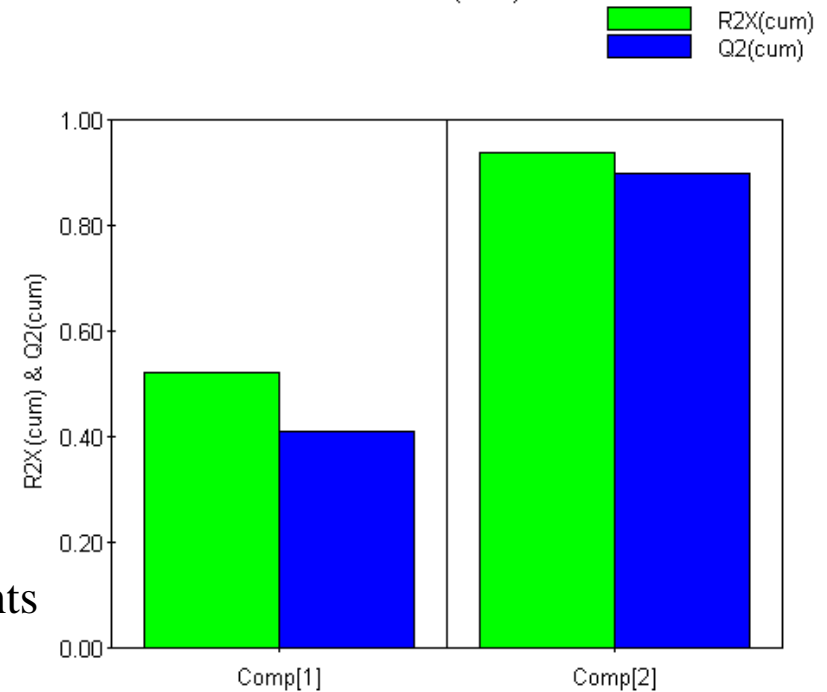
Model: M3 Title: Untitled Properties...

Type: PCX Observations (N) = 19, Variables (K) = 18 Work Set...

Components:

A	R2X	R2X(cum)	Eigen...	Q2	Limit	Q2(cum)	Signifi...	Iterations
00	-	0.000	-	-	-	-	-	-
01	0.523	0.523	9.411	0.409	0.102	0.409	R1	57
02	0.414	0.937	7.457	0.828	0.108	0.898	R1	4

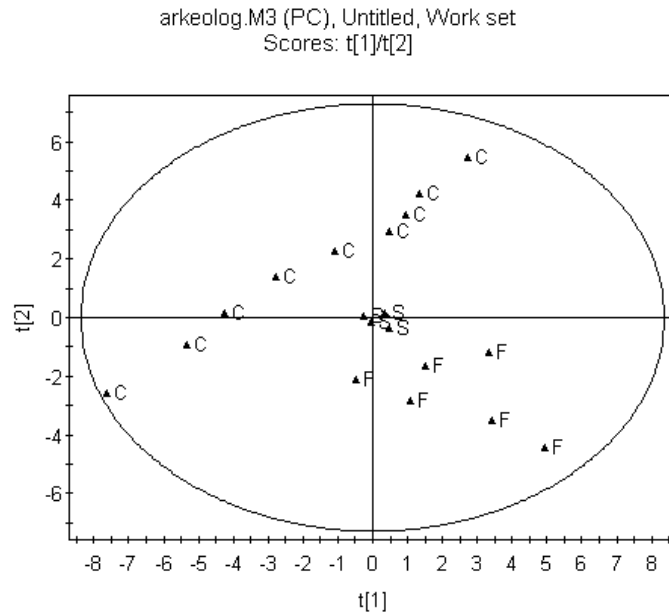
arkeolog.M3 (PC), Untitled, Work set  
Model Overview (cum)



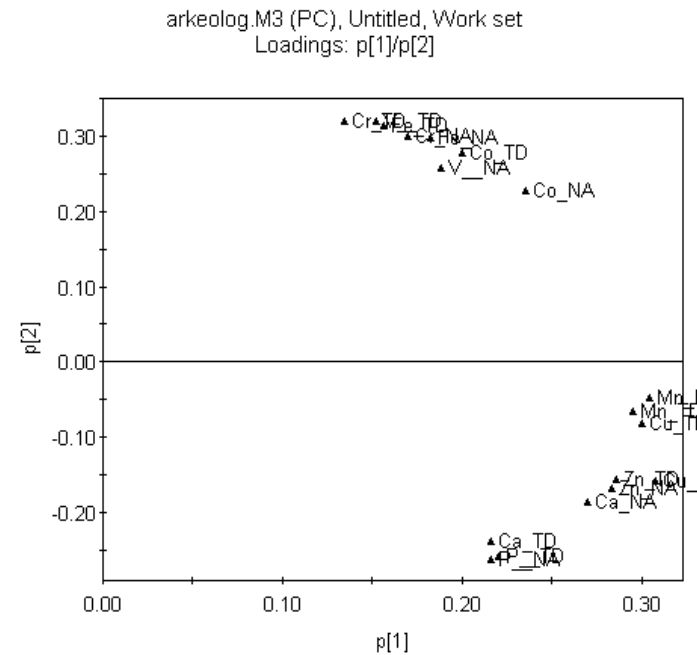
- **Cross validation** gives two significant components
- Two components significant according to **eigenvalue** (>2)
- $R2 = 0.93$ ,  $Q2 = 0.90$



# Interpretation of “scores” and “loadings”



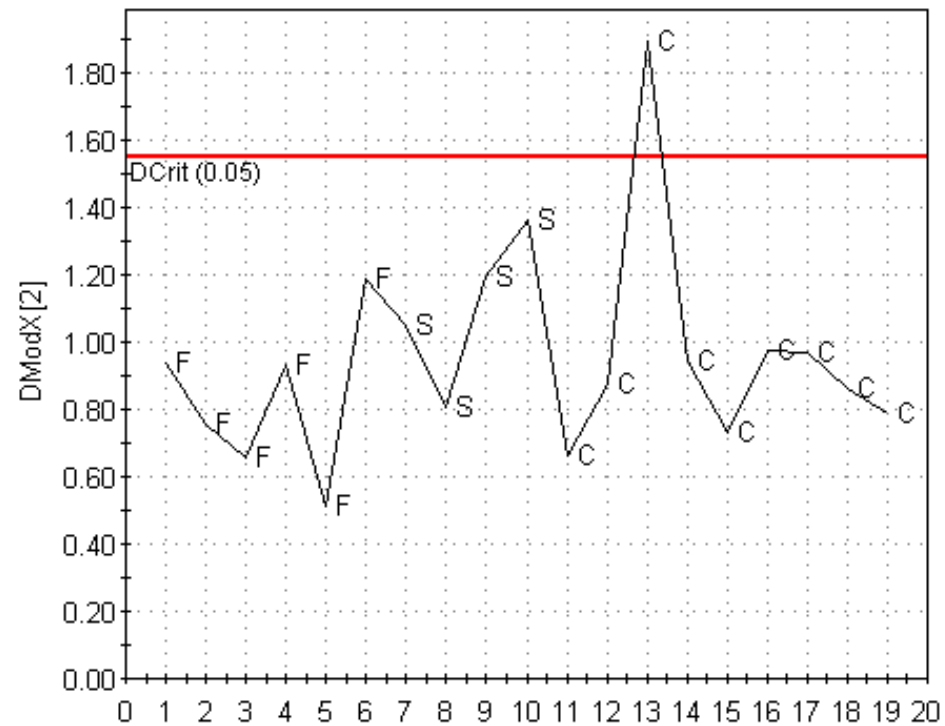
Class separation can be seen in the ‘scores’.



Explanation can be found in “loadings”

# DModX

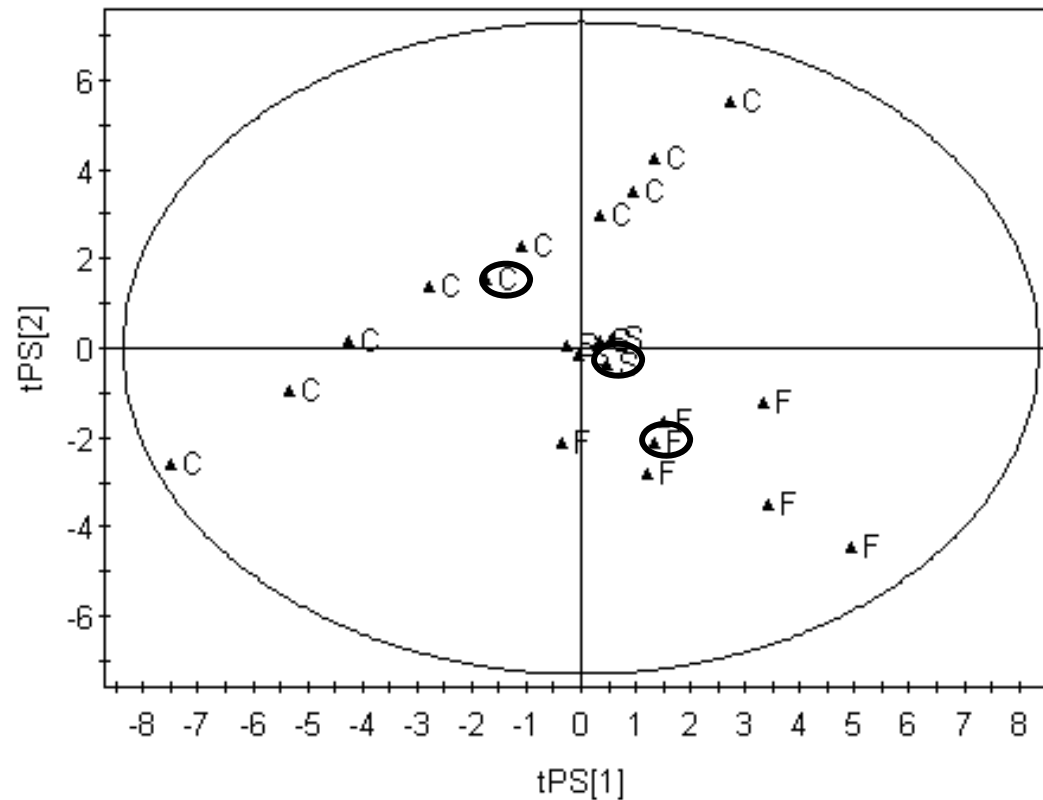
arkeolog.M3 (PC), Untitled, Work set  
DModX, Comp 2(Cum)



DModX doesn't reveal any extreme outliers.

# Prediction of test samples

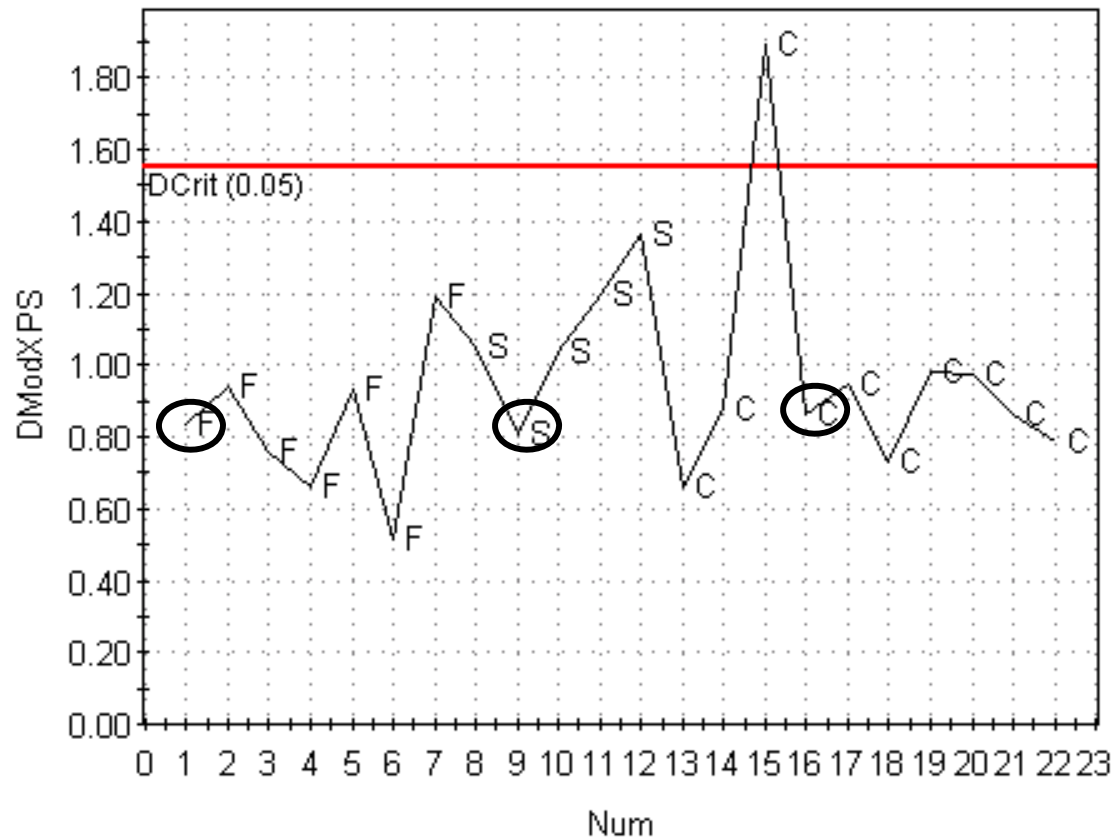
arkeolog.M3 (PC), Untitled, PS-arkeolog  
tPS[1]/tPS[2]



Prediction of three test samples (circled), one from each class, show that our total PCA model can provide information about class discrimination.

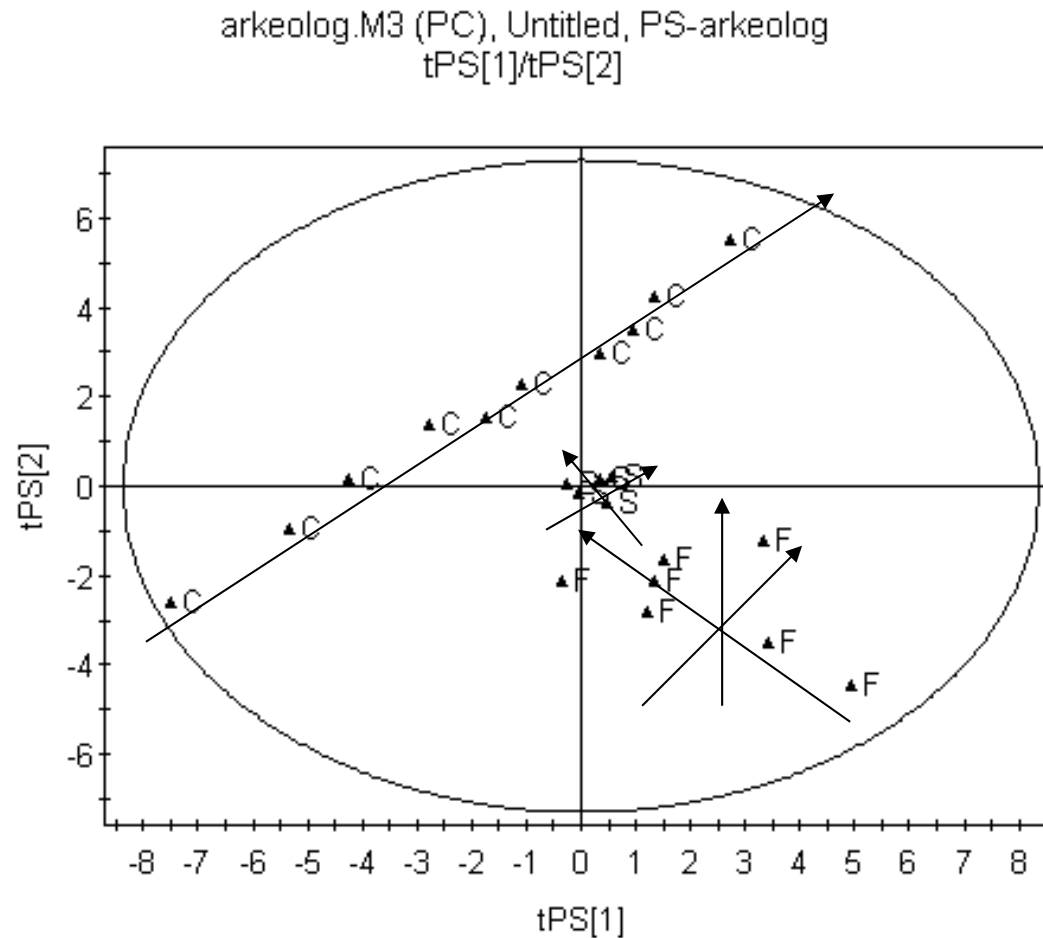
# DModX test samples

arkeolog.M3 (PC), Untitled, PS-arkeolog  
DModX(PS),N, Comp 2 (Cum)



Non of the test samples (circled) show signs of deviating in DModX

# SIMCA - One PCA model for each class



By fitting a PCA-modell for each class confidence limits can be calculated for each single class which will lead more reliable predictions of class identity for new samples..

# PCA - Class F

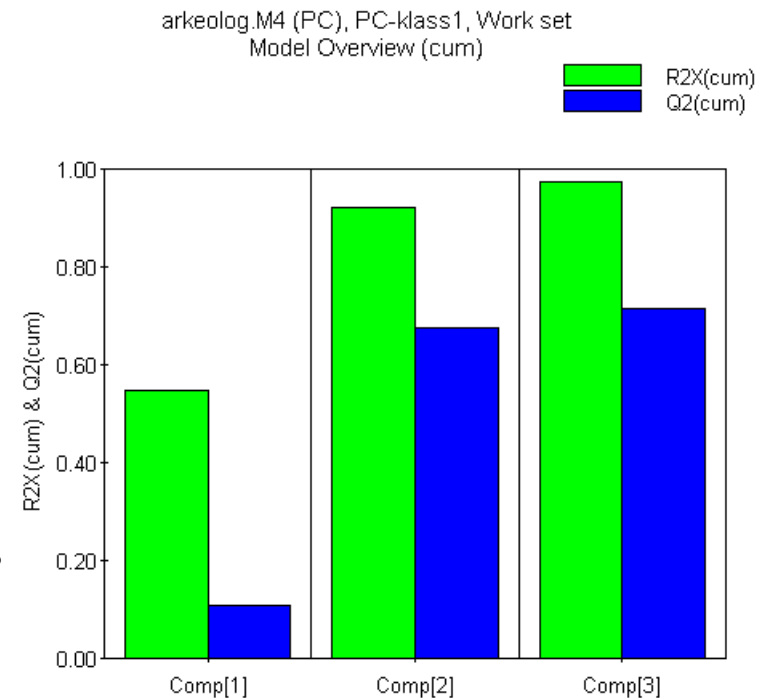
Model M4

Model: M4 Title: PC-klass1

Type: PC-CI:1 Observations (N) = 6, Variables (K) = 18

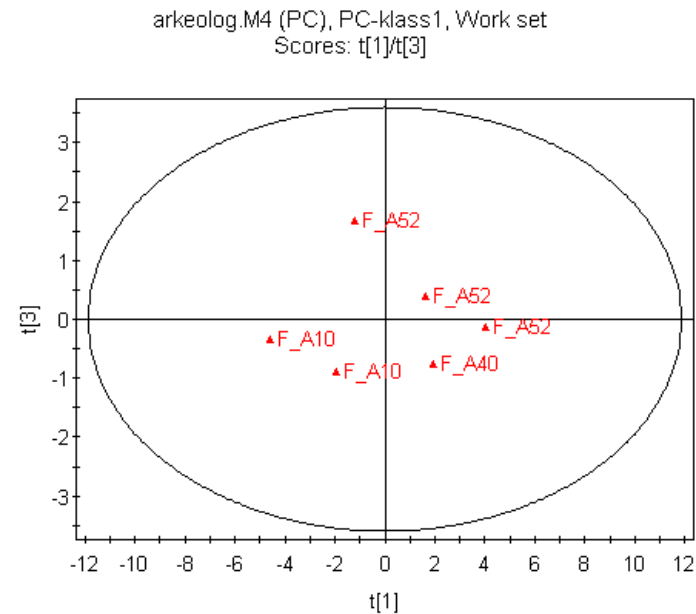
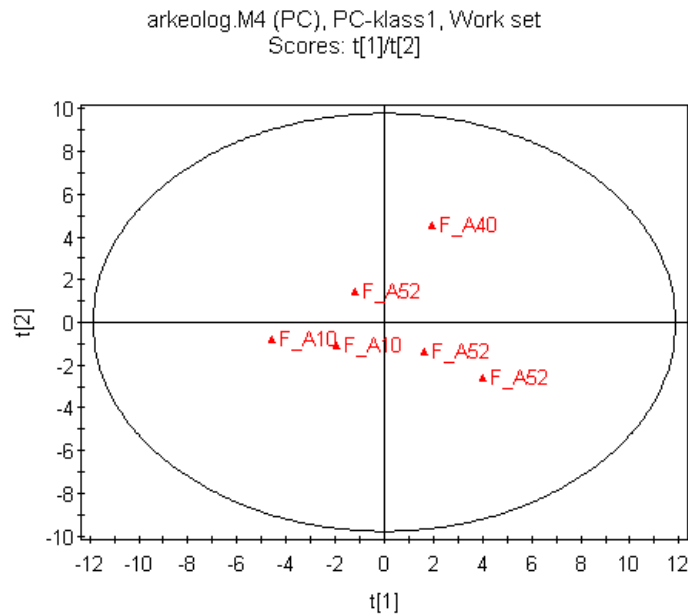
Components:

A	R2X	R2X(cum)	Eigen...	Q2	Limit	Q2(cum)	Signifi...	Iterations
00	-	0.000	-	-	-	-	-	-
01	0.547	0.547	3.281	0.108	0.211	0.108	R2	18
02	0.375	0.921	2.248	0.637	0.244	0.676	R1	9
03	0.051	0.972	0.304	0.118	0.294	0.714	R2	17



- Cross validation gives three significant components
- $R^2 = 0.97$ ,  $Q^2 = 0.71$
- Since the model will be used for prediction of class identity for new samples we leave it to the cross validation to decide on the relevant number of components.

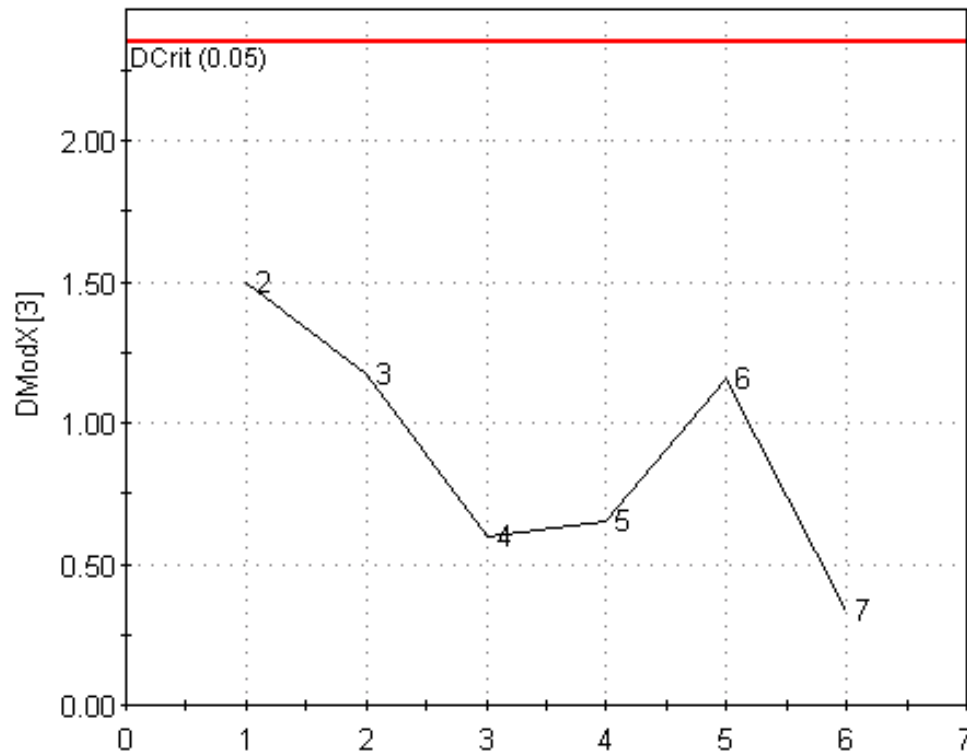
# “Scores” - Class F



The spread of observations in all three components can be studied in “scores” (t1/t2, t1/t3). The class seem to be homogenous i.e. no outliers or groups within the class.

# DModX - Class F

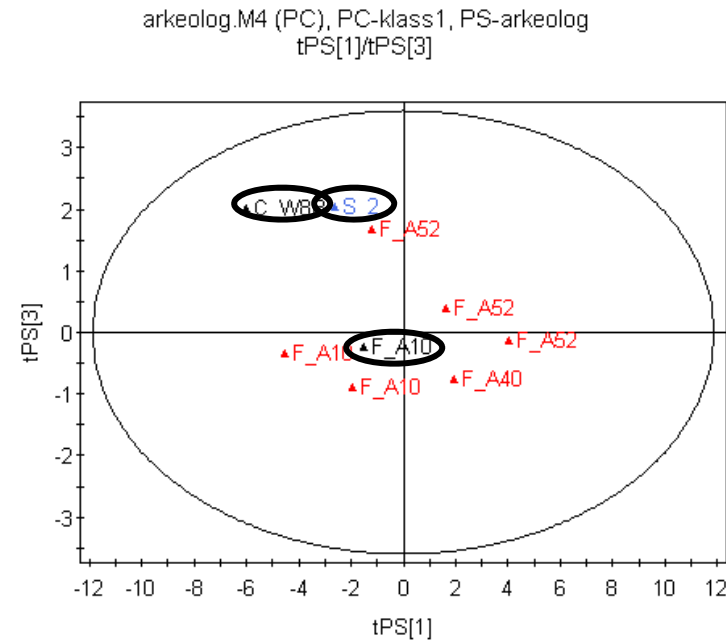
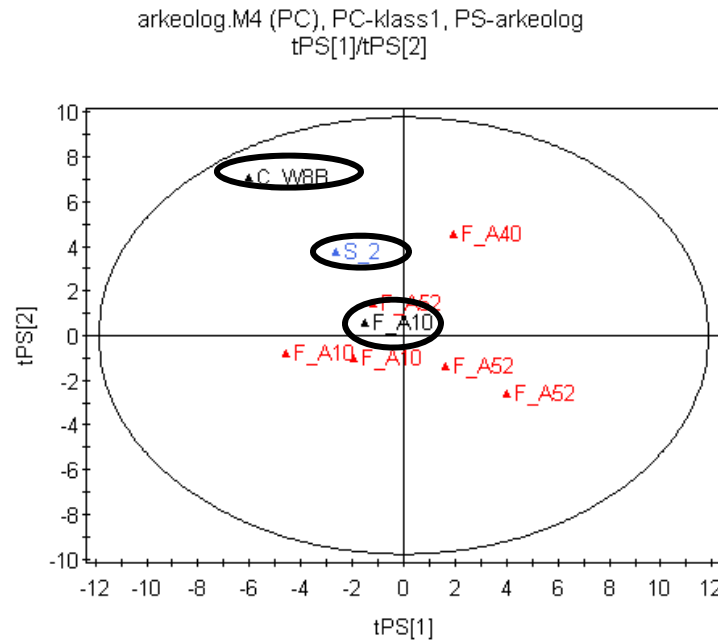
arkeolog.M4 (PC), PC-klass1, Work set  
DModX, Comp 3(Cum)



**Non of the samples show any signs of deviating in DmodX.**



# Prediction of test samples - Class F

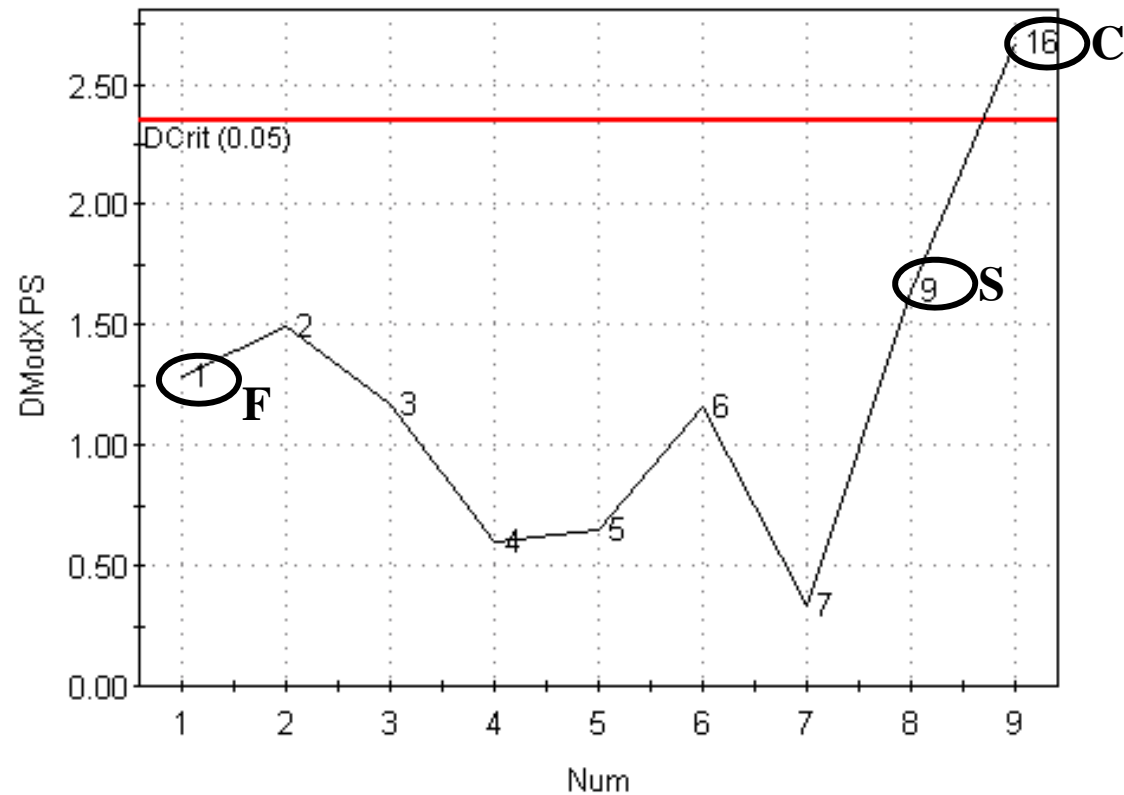


Non of the test samples (circled) is predicted outside the limits for class F. The sample belonging to class F is predicted in the center of the class, while the samples belonging to class S and C are predicted further away from the observations in class F.

Due to the large spread between the samples in class F the confidence limits become less tight..

# DModX predictions - Class F

arkeolog.M4 (PC), PC-klass1, PS-arkeolog  
DModX(PS),N, Comp 3 (Cum)



The sample belonging to class C deviate somewhat in DModX, although not severe!  
The sample belonging to class S does not deviate in DModX.

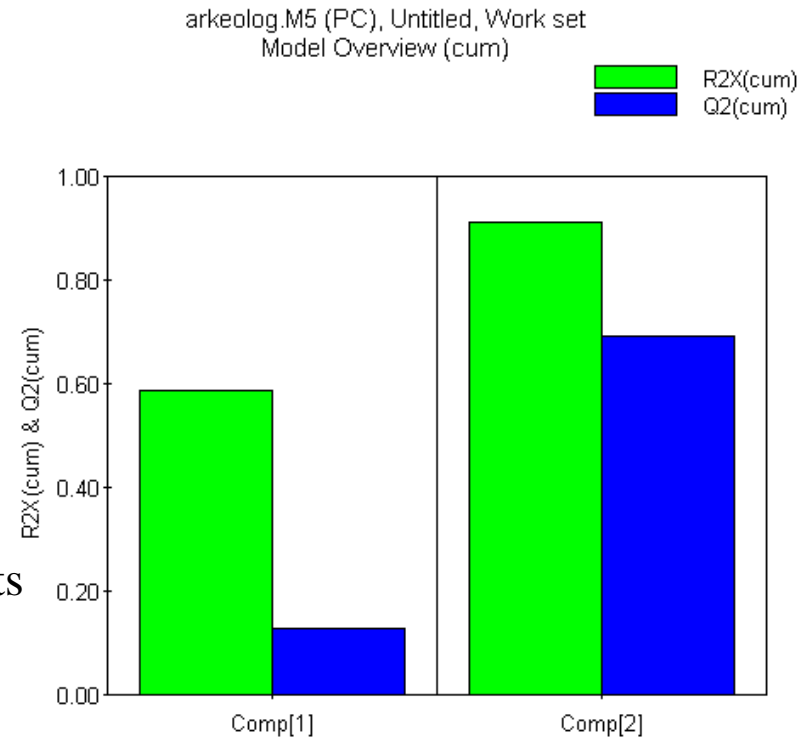
# PCA - Class S

Model M5

Model: M5 Title: Untitled Properties...  
Type: PC-CI:2 Observations (N) = 4, Variables (K) = 18 Work Set...

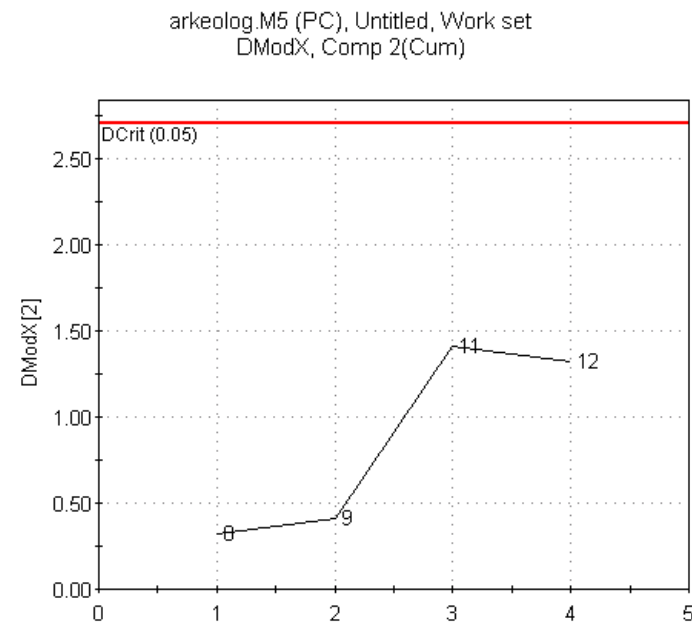
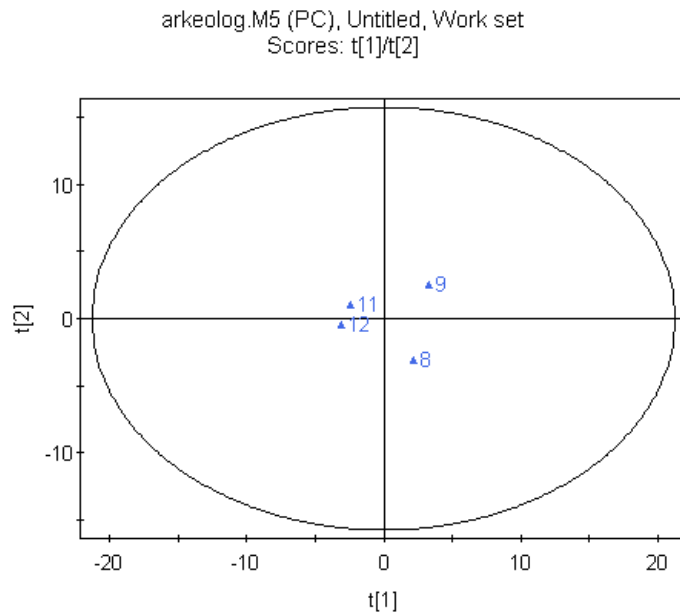
Components:

A	R2X	R2X(cum)	Eigen...	Q2	Limit	Q2(cum)	Signifi...	Iterations
00	-	0.000	-	-	-	-	..	..
01	0.588	0.588	2.350	0.126	0.289	0.126	R2	9
02	0.322	0.910	1.289	0.646	0.370	0.690	R1	11



- Cross validation gives two significant components
- $R^2 = 0.91$ ,  $Q^2 = 0.65$
- Since the model will be used for prediction of class identity for new samples we leave it to the cross validation to decide on the relevant number of components.
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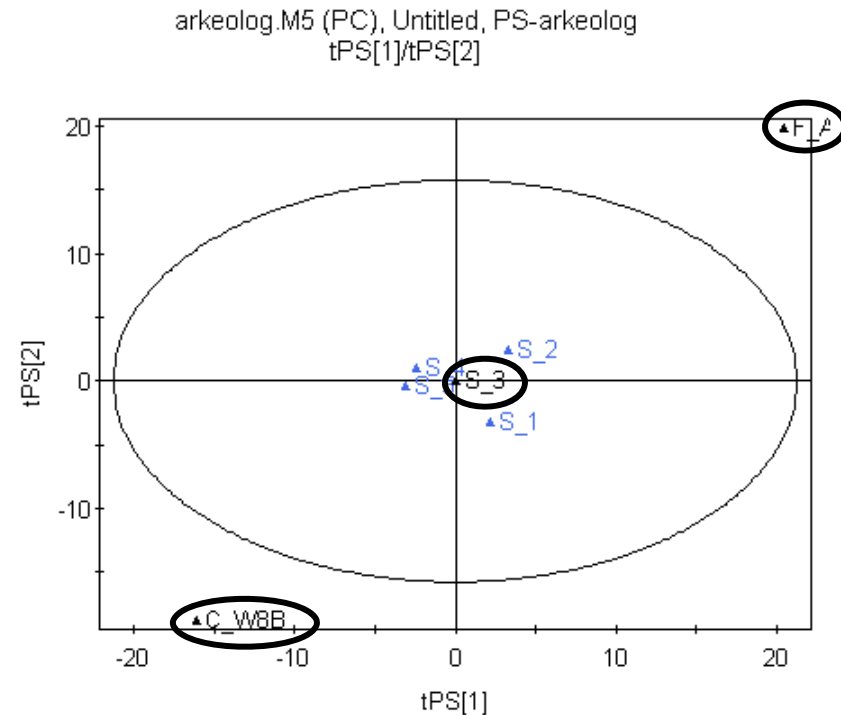
# “Scores”, DModX - Class S



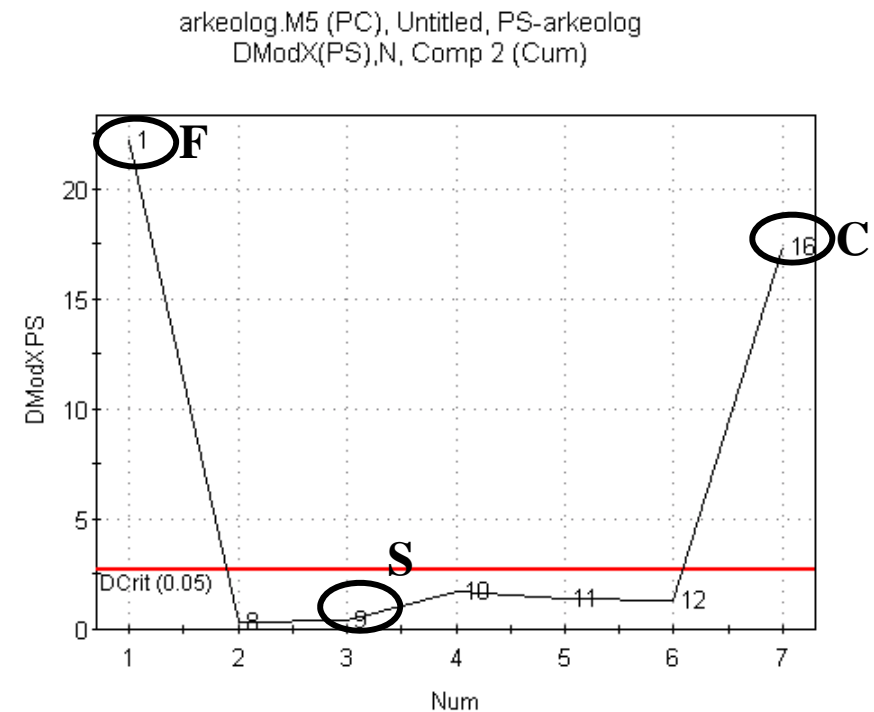
A homogenous group with little spread in scores.  
No “outliers”!

No sample shows deviation in DModX!

# Prediction of test samples - Class S



Predictions for the test samples (circled)  
Show that the samples not belonging to class S are predicted outside the limits for class S. The sample belonging to class S is predicted well within the class borders.



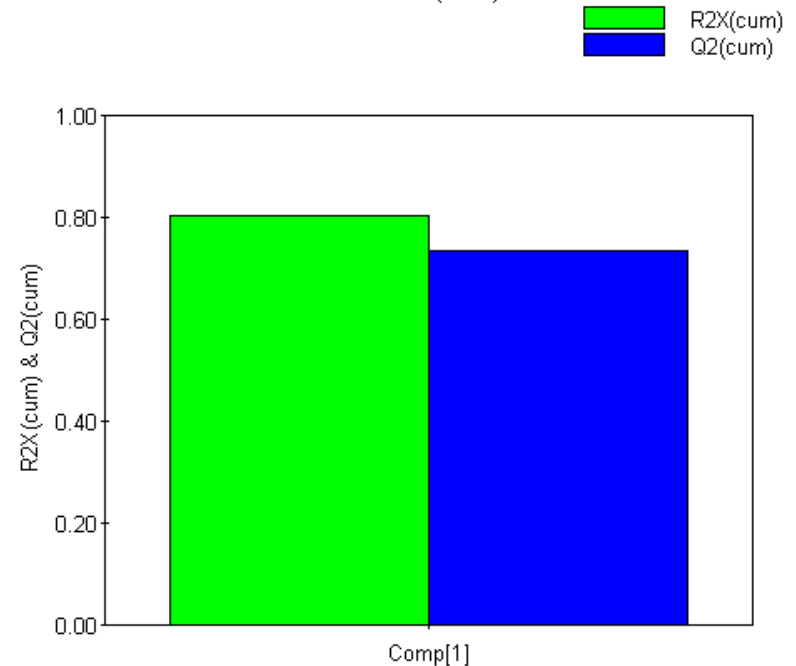
The test samples belonging to class F and C show large deviations in DModX.

*We can clearly distinguish them from class S. Just as clearly we can also say that the third test sample belongs to class S.*

# PCA - Class C

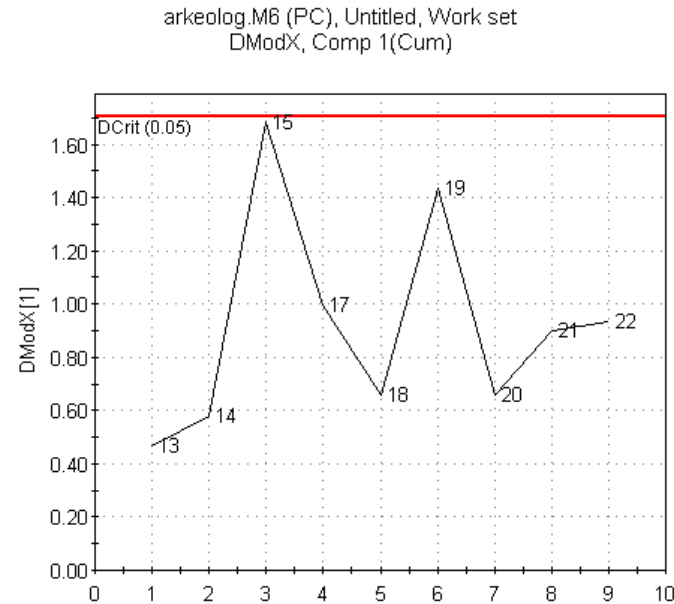
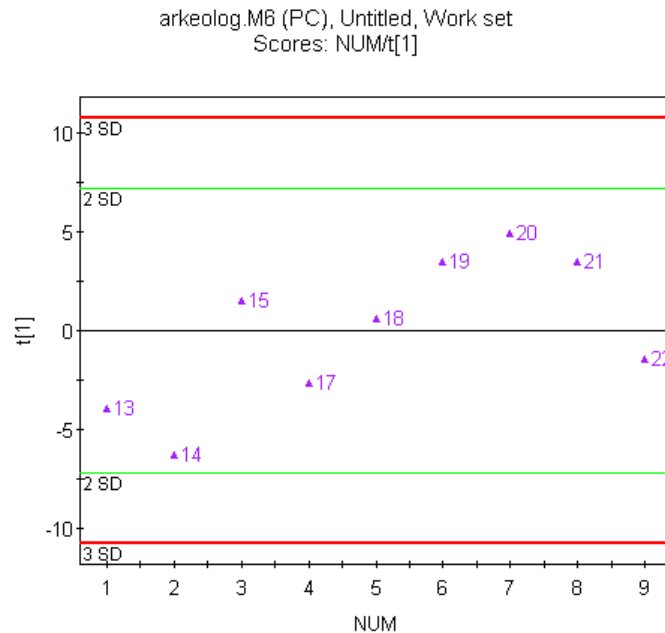
A	R2X	R2X(cum)	Eigen...	Q2	Limit	Q2(cum)	Signifi...	Iterations
00	-	0.000	-	-	-	-	-	-
01	0.803	0.803	7.229	0.733	0.158	0.733	R1	7

arkeolog.M6 (PC), Untitled, Work set  
Model Overview (cum)



- Cross validation gives one significant component.
- $R^2 = 0.80$ ,  $Q^2 = 0.73$
- Since the model will be used for prediction of class identity for new samples we leave it to the cross validation to decide on the relevant number of components.

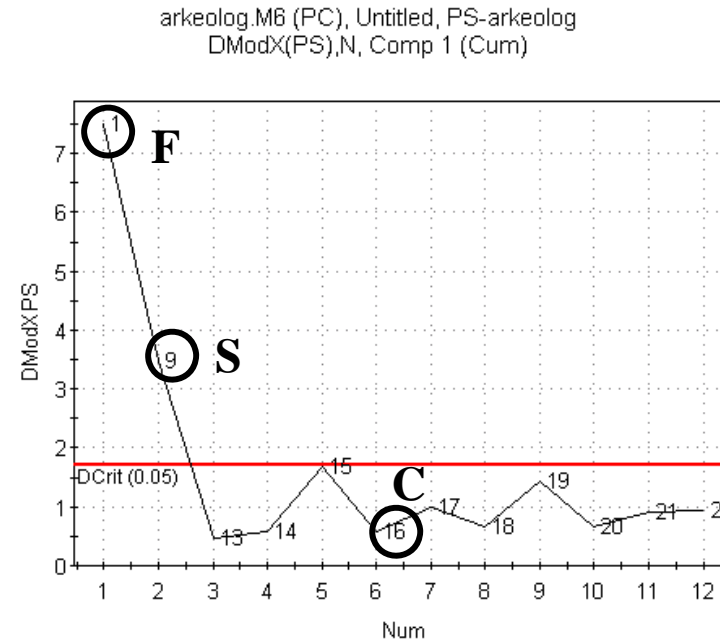
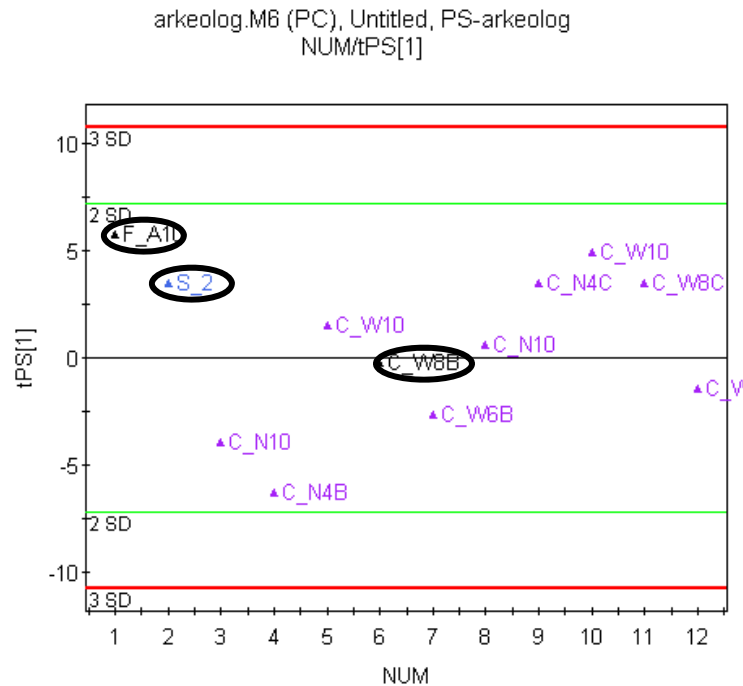
# “Scores”, DModX - Class C



A homogenous group with some spread in scores.  
No “outliers”!

Non of the samples show deviation in DModX!

# Prediction of test samples - Class C



Predictions of the test samples (circled) show that the samples not belonging to class C are predicted within the class limits for class C. The sample belonging to class S is predicted in the center of the class.

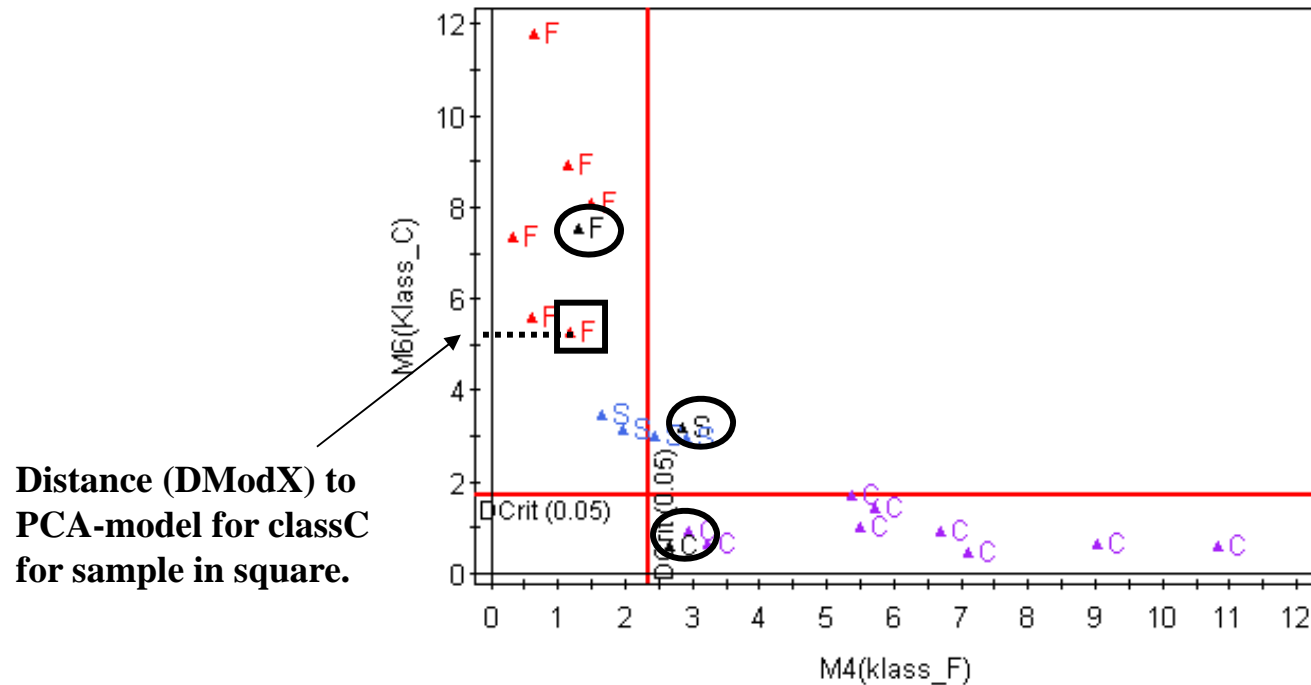
The test samples belonging to class F and S do deviate in the predicted DModX.

*Hence we can distinguish them from class C. We can also, with high certainty, say that the third sample belongs to class C.*



# Prediction of test samples - Cooman's Plot

arkeolog-M4/M6  
Cooman's Plot



In the Cooman's plot the distance to a model (DModX) is plotted against the the distance (DModX) to a second model. In this case DModX\_classC against DModX\_classF. In the plot the samples belonging to classC have got a small distance to classC (0-2) while the distance to classF varies from 3 to 11. Samples belonging to classF show small distance to classF (0-2) while the distance to classC varies between 5 and 12. Samples belonging to class S are mainly located outside the confidence limits for the two other classes. The test samples (circled) are all predicted into the right class

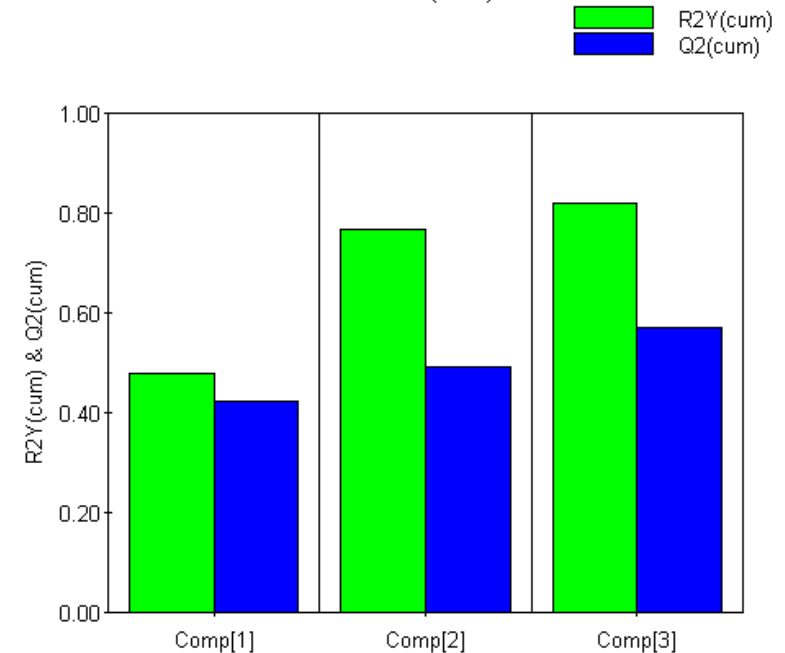
# PLS-DA (three classes)

Model: M7 Title: Untitled Properties...  
Type: PLS-DA Observations (N) = 19, Variables (K) = 21 (X = 18, Y = 3) Work Set...

Components:

A	R2X	R2X(cum)	Eige...	R2Y	R2Y(cum)	Q2	Limit	Q2(cum)	Signi...	It...
00	-	0.000	-	-	0.000	-	-	-	--	--
01	0.466	0.466	8.384	0.478	0.478	0.424	0.097	0.424	R1	4
02	0.085	0.551	1.538	0.289	0.766	0.117	0.097	0.491	R1	14
03	0.407	0.958	7.324	0.052	0.818	0.158	0.097	0.572	R1	3

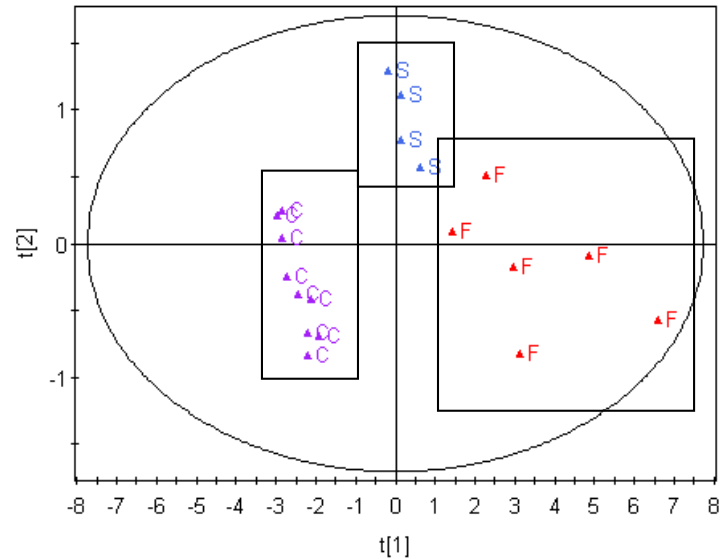
arkeolog.M7 (PLS), Untitled, Work set  
Model Overview (cum)



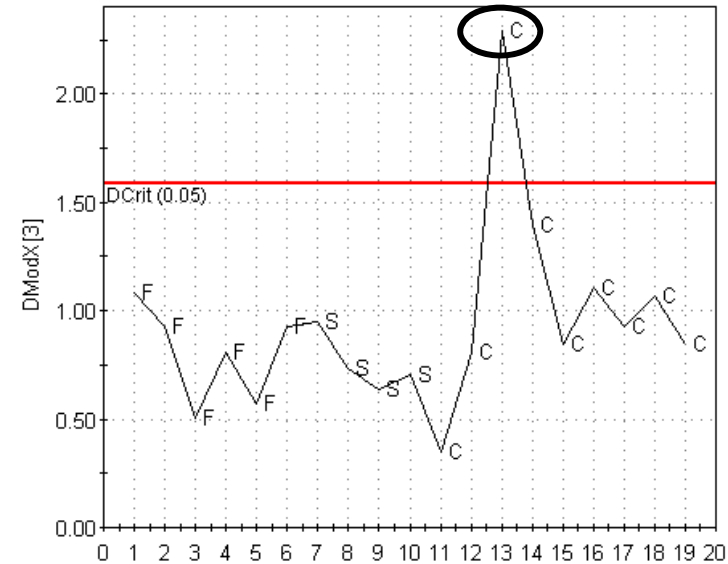
- Cross validation gives three significant components
- $R2X = 0.96$ ,  $R2Y = 0.8$ ,  $Q2 = 0.57$
- Since the model will be used for prediction of class identity for new samples we leave it to the cross validation to decide on the relevant number of components.

# “Scores”, DModX - PLS-DA

arkeolog.M7 (PLS), Untitled, Work set  
Scores: t[1]/t[2]



arkeolog.M7 (PLS), Untitled, Work set  
DModX, Comp 3(Cum)



“Scores” (t1/t2) shows that the classes are separated in the first component

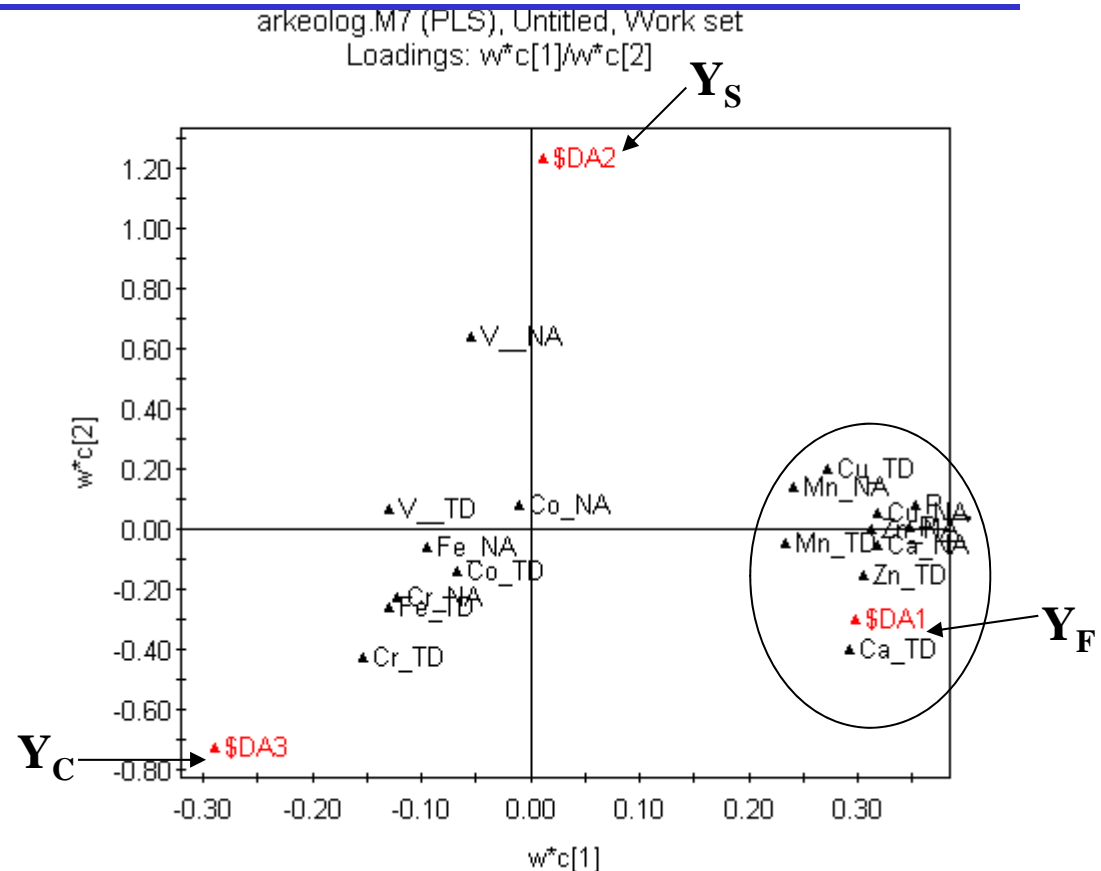
DModX show tha one sample from class C is deviating in DModX. (Keep an eye on this sample!)

# Interpretation of PLS ‘loadings’ (wc1/wc2)

*Controll (C)* have got high levels of Cr, Fe, V and Co and low levels of Mn, Cu, Zn and Ca.

*Garbage site (F)* has got the opposite pattern. Occupation site (*S*) is found in between the two extremes in component 1.

The two pre-treatments *f\_NA* and *\_TA* are providing the same information.

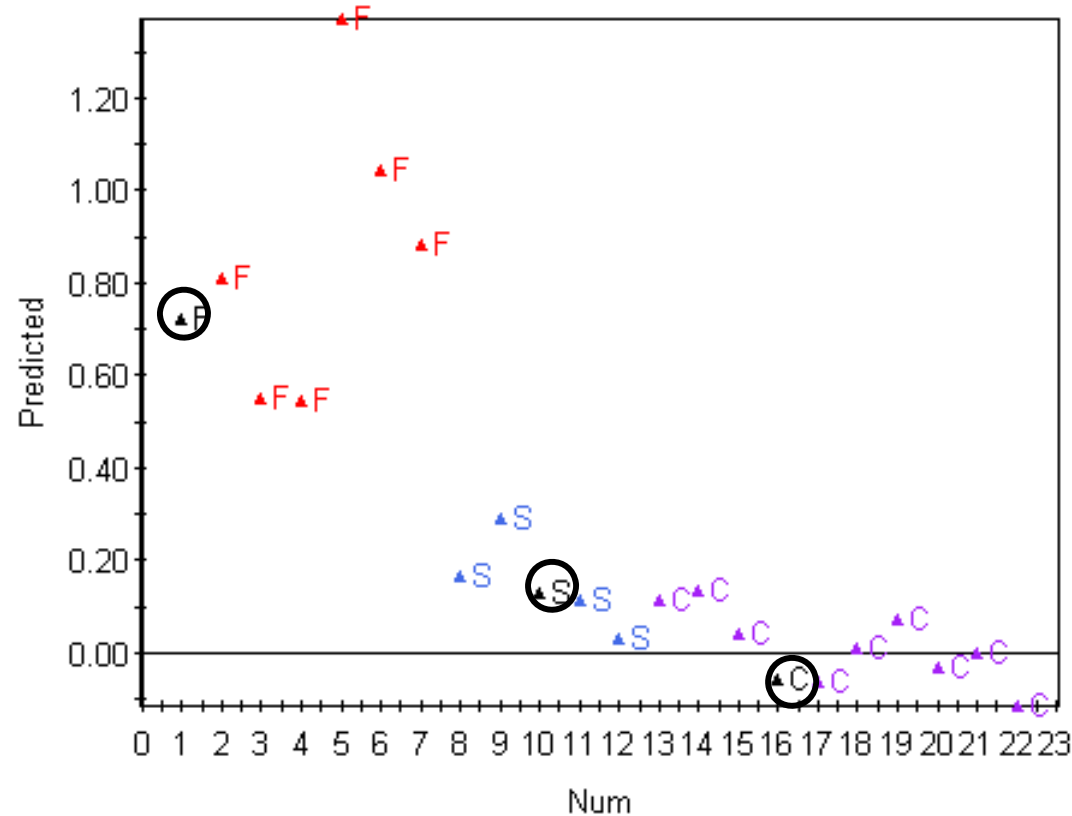


The PLS loadings gives us possibilities to interpret which variables that are correlated (x/x, y/y, x/y).

E.g.  $Y_F$  positively correlated to circled x-variables. Circled x-variables positively correlated to eachother i.e. are describing the same variation.

# Prediction of test samples - Class F

arkeolog.M7 (PLS), Untitled, PS-arkeolog  
\$DA1, Comp 3 (Cum)



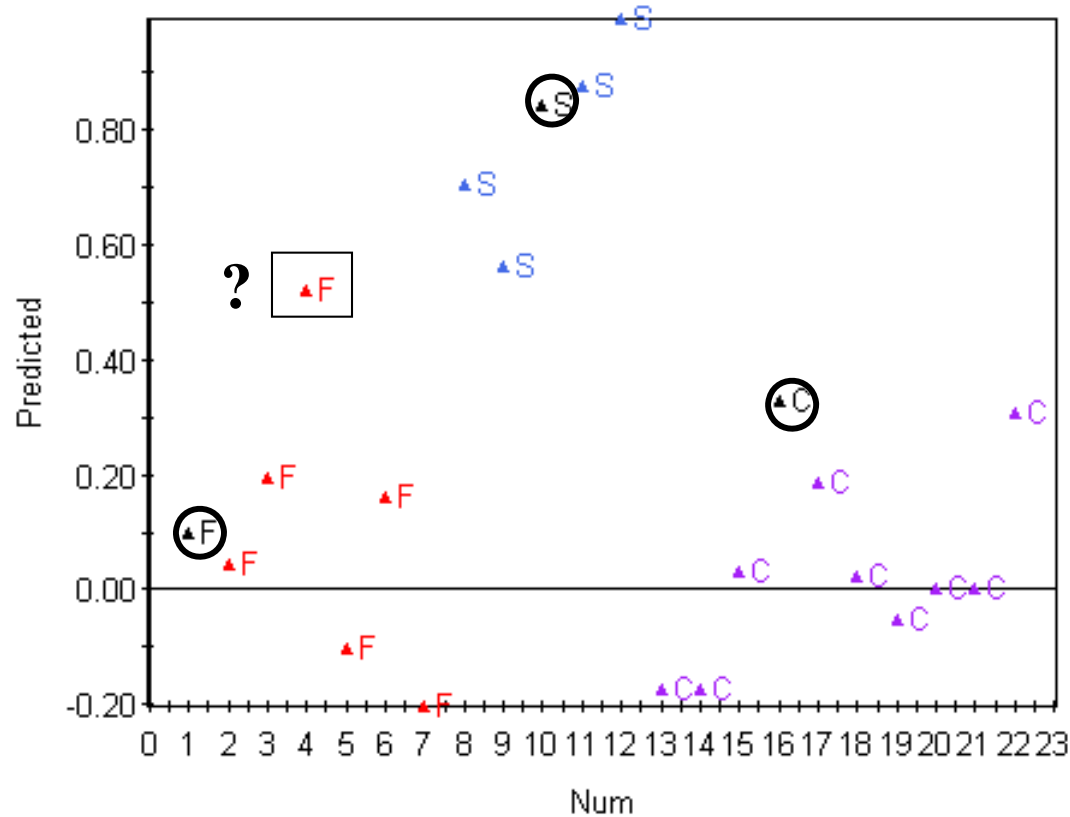
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F	S	C	
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<i>0</i>	0	1	
<i>0</i>	0	1	

Samples belonging to class F are predicted close to 1. Samples not belonging to class F are predicted close to 0. (according to “dummy” Y-matrix).

Test samples (circled). Test sample belonging to F is predicted s F.

# Prediction of test samples - Class S

arkeolog.M7 (PLS), Untitled, PS-arkeolog  
\$DA2, Comp 3 (Cum)



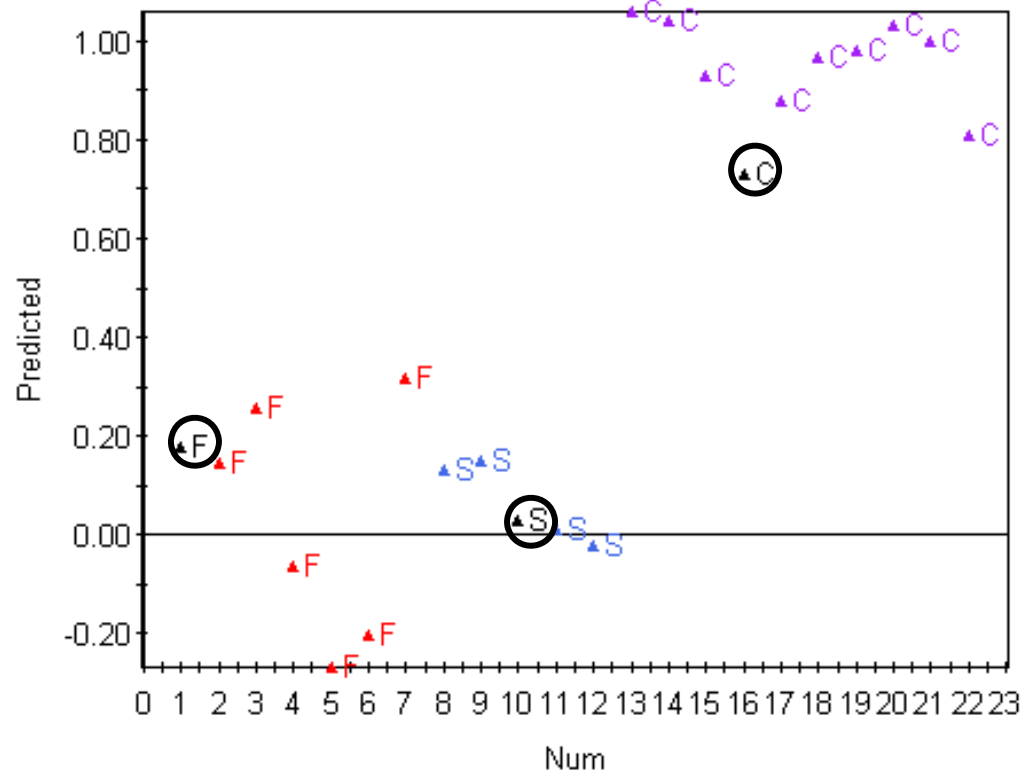
	Y		
	F	S	C
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	1	0	0
	1	0	0
	0	1	0
	0	1	0
	0	1	0
	0	0	1
	0	0	1
	0	0	1

Samples belonging to class S are predicted close to 1. Samples not belonging to class S are predicted close to 0. (according to “dummy” Y-matrix).

Test samples (circled). Test sample belonging to S is predicted as S.

# Prediction of test samples - Class C

arkeolog.M7 (PLS), Untitled, PS-arkeolog  
\$DA3, Comp 3 (Cum)



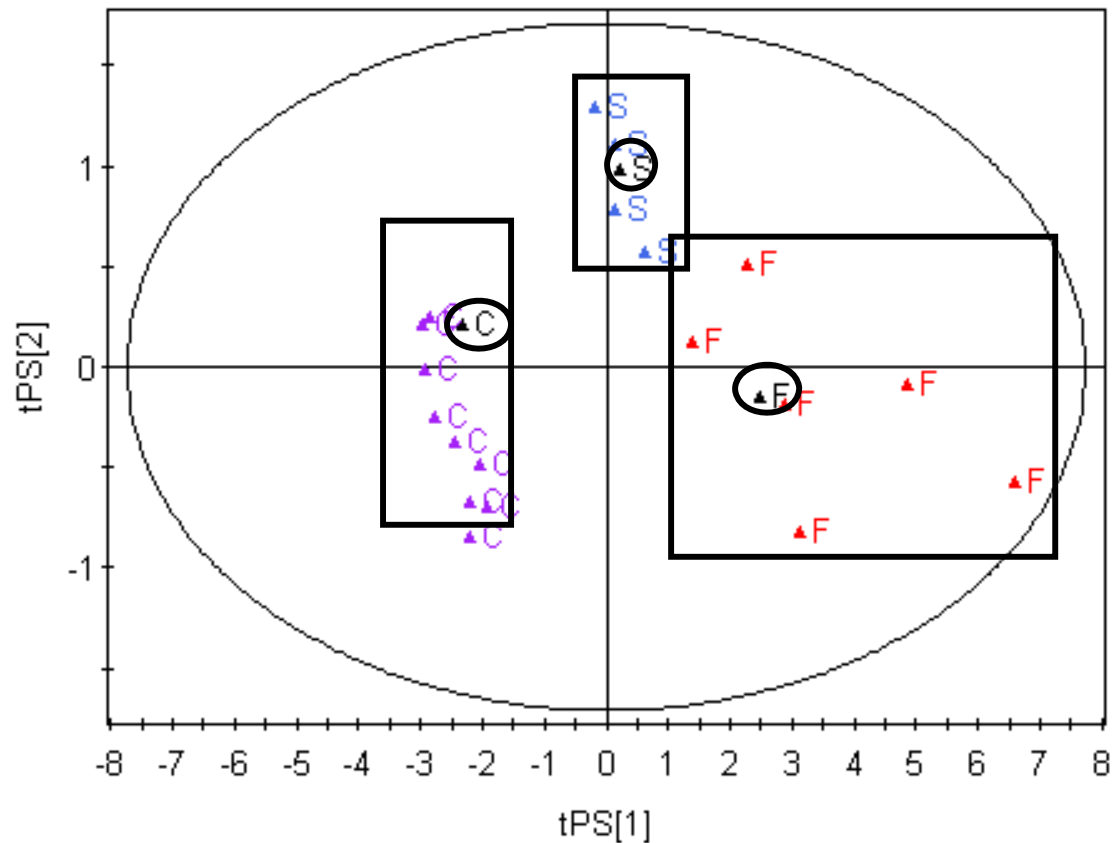
			Y
F	S	C	
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0	0	1	
0	0	1	
0	0	1	

Samples belonging to class C are predicted close to 1. Samples not belonging to class C are predicted close to 0. (according to “dummy” Y-matrix).

Test samples (circled). Test sample belonging to C is predicted as C.

# Prediction of test samples - in “scores”

arkeolog.M7 (PLS), Untitled, PS-arkeolog  
tPS[1]/tPS[2]



Test samples are well predicted into respective class using PLS-DA



# Prediction of test samples - table

Obs num	Obs namn	Set	Klass	YF(pred)	YS (pred)	YC (pred)
1	F_A100B	ts	?	<b>0.722685</b>	0.097382	0.179933
2	F_A100M	ws	1	<b>0.811566</b>	0.043641	0.144793
3	F_A100T	ws	1	<b>0.549395</b>	0.195223	0.255383
4	F_A52B	ws	1	<b>0.543967</b>	0.519802	-0.06377
5	F_A52M	ws	1	<b>1.37113</b>	-0.1037	-0.26744
6	F_A52T	ws	1	<b>1.04292</b>	0.159519	-0.20244
7	F_A40	ws	1	<b>0.883523</b>	-0.20236	0.318839
8	S_1	ws	2	0.164991	<b>0.703349</b>	0.13166
9	S_2	ws	2	0.288444	<b>0.56056</b>	0.150996
10	S_3	ts	?	0.131937	<b>0.839076</b>	0.028987
11	S_4	ws	2	0.115002	<b>0.876043</b>	0.008955
12	S_5	ws	2	0.032711	<b>0.990776</b>	-0.02349
13	C_N10B	ws	3	0.113066	-0.1726	<b>1.05953</b>
14	C_N4B	ws	3	0.133325	-0.17232	<b>1.039</b>
15	C_W10B	ws	3	0.041278	0.030673	<b>0.928049</b>
16	C_W8B	ts	?	-0.05623	0.327397	<b>0.728833</b>
17	C_W6B	ws	3	-0.0634	0.183637	<b>0.879764</b>
18	C_N10C	ws	3	0.010964	0.022503	<b>0.966534</b>
19	C_N4C	ws	3	0.072246	-0.0514	<b>0.979158</b>
20	C_W10C	ws	3	-0.03228	0.001849	<b>1.03043</b>
21	C_W8C	ws	3	0.00087	0.000206	<b>0.998925</b>
22	C_W6C	ws	3	-0.11482	0.305011	<b>0.809807</b>

Y		
F	S	C
<i>1</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>1</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>1</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>0</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>0</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>0</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>0</i>
<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>1</i>
<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>1</i>
<i>0</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>1</i>

## ***Example – Coronary Heart Disease (CHD)***

- **CHD is a major cause of mortality and morbidity in developed countries**
- **Many risk factors for CHD have been identified from epidemiological studies**
- **The full range of risk factors comprise insufficient density of data to accurately discriminate CHD on an individual basis**
- **Firm diagnosis of CHD needs angiography**

# Metabonomic Studies of CHD

- *Angiography* is a x-ray investigation of the hearts artheries.

***Angiogram*** →



- The pictures reveal severity of clogging of the artheries (number of vessels and grade). These cloggings are the cause of **CHD**.
- Severe cases of clogging leads to heart attacks if not "by pass" surgery is carried out (serious surgical intervention).
- *Could NMR of a simple blood test be indicative of CHD and replace angiography as the diagnostic standard in the clinic?*

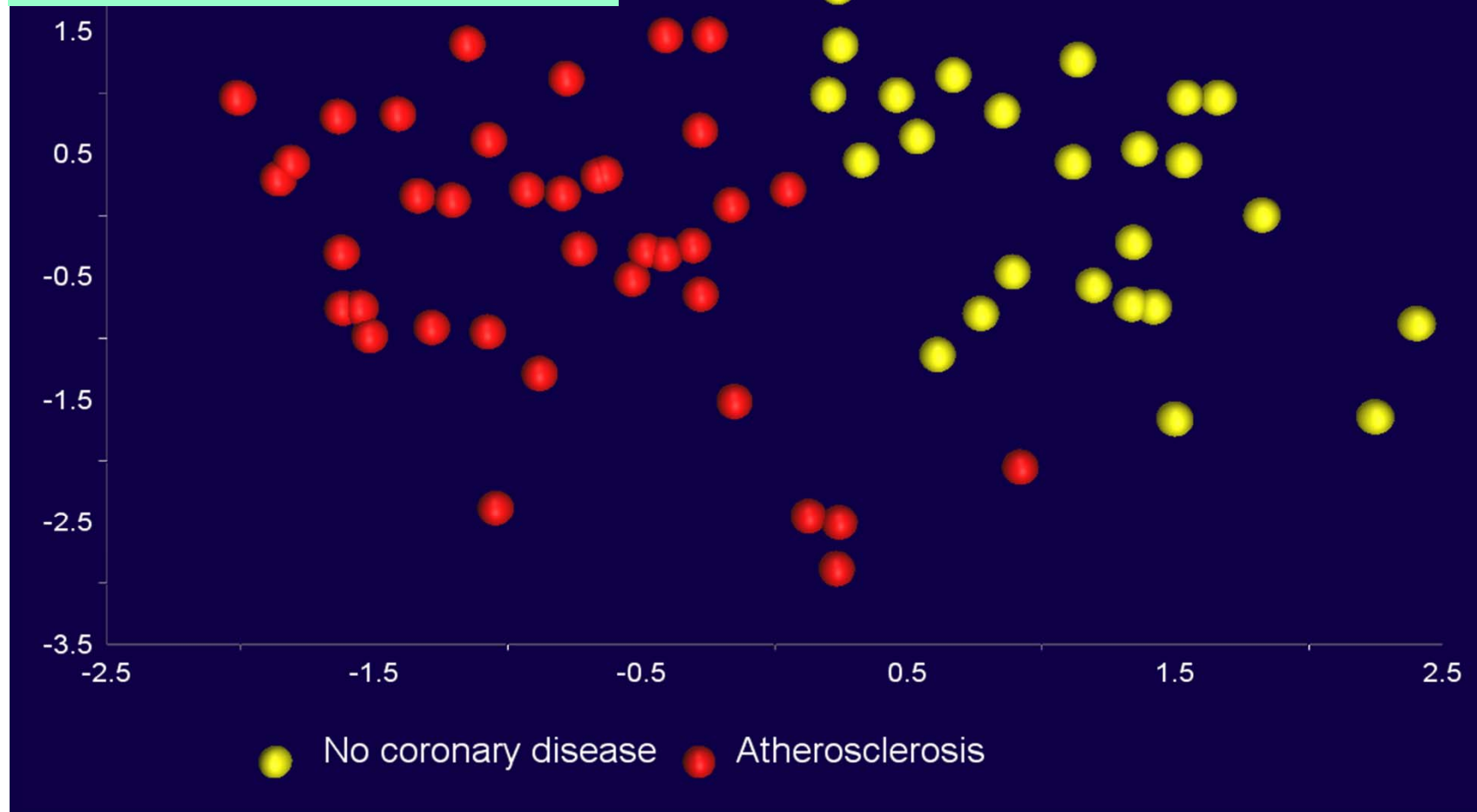
## ***CHD: Study details***

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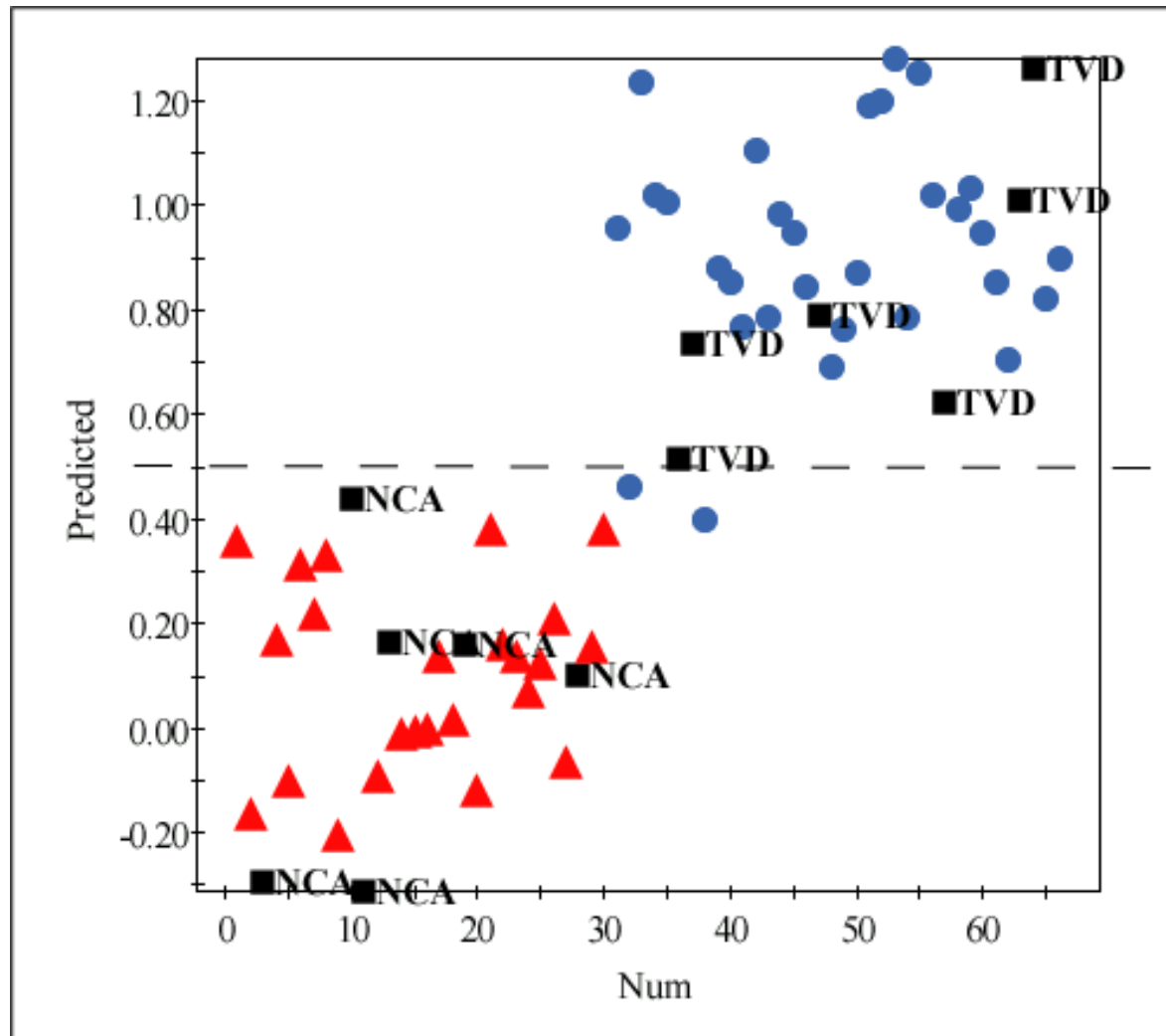
- **Serum samples were collected from patients with normal coronary arteries (NCA; n = 30) and triple vessel disease (TVD; n = 36)**
- **1D  $^1\text{H}$  NMR spectra were recorded**
- **Chemometrics (PCA, PLS-DA) were applied to NMR spectral data.**

# Coronary Heart Disease: PCA

Clear separation between  
**NCA** and **TVD**



# Coronary Heart Disease: PLS-DA



▲ = NCA

● = TVD

■ = Test samples

**Analysis of blood samples  
Using NMR+ MVA  
Might be a potential  
Alternative to ANGIOGRAPHY  
for diagnosis of CHD.  
Other diseases? ALS, Alzheimers,  
Parkinson, Prostate cancer, .....**

A group of people are exercising on stationary bikes in a gym. The image is slightly blurred and has a warm, yellowish tint. The text "NUTRITION IMPACT FOLLOWING EXERCISE" is overlaid in the center in a dark blue, serif font.

**NUTRITION IMPACT  
FOLLOWING EXERCISE**

24 healthy male subject

Age: 25.7 y.o

Weight: 77.4 kg

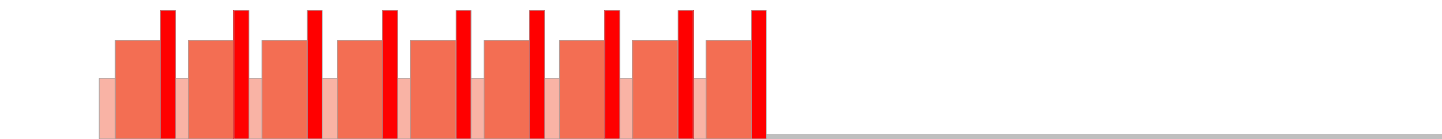
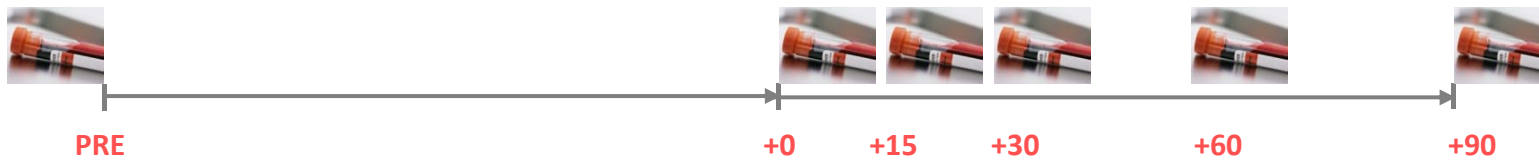
VO<sub>2</sub>max: 59.1 ml O<sub>2</sub>/kg/min



90 min EXERCISE



90 min RECOVERY



Workload  
(percent VO<sub>2</sub>peak)  
**2 min, 40%**  
**6 min, 60%**  
**2 min, 85%**  
x 9 = 90 minutes



- A. **LOW CARBOHYDRATE-PROTEIN**  
(1g CHO/kg + 0.5g protein/kg)
- B. **WATER**  
(tap water)
- C. **HIGH CARBOHYDRATE**  
(1.5g CHO/kg)
- D. **LOW CARBOHYDRATE**  
(1g CHO/kg)



SERUM SAMPLES

GC-TOF/MS

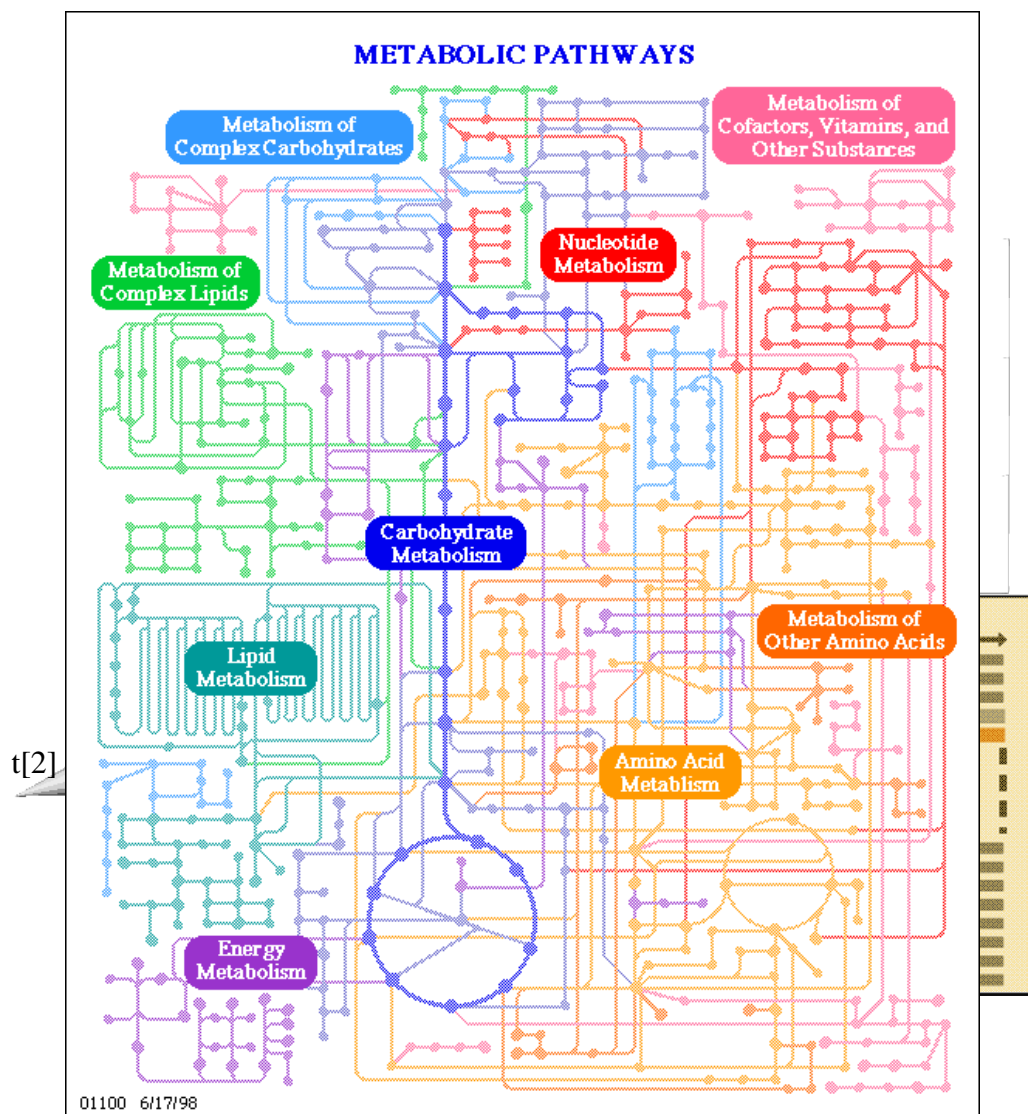
REPRESENTATIVE  
SAMPLE SELECTION (1)

H-MCR (2,3)

MVA

IDENTIFICATION

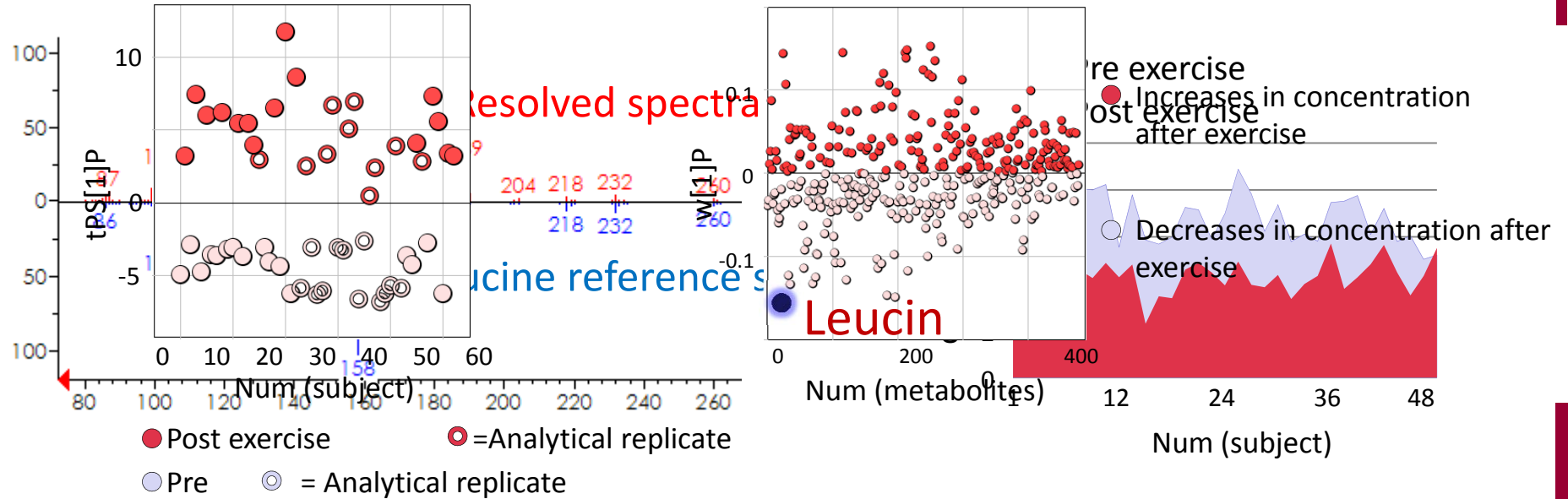
BIOLOGICAL  
EVALUATION



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2. Jonsson P *et al*, *Analytical Chemistry*, 77, 5635-42, 2005.
3. Jonsson P et al, *Journal of Proteome Research* , 5, 1407-14, 2006.

# ACUTE EXERCISE RESPONSE

Predicted sampels in terms of both H-MCR and OPLS



A smiling woman with dark hair tied back, wearing a white tank top, is shown from the chest up. She is holding a small white bowl filled with green leafy salad in her left hand and eating a piece of cucumber with her right hand. The background is a soft, out-of-focus light color. The text "IMPACT OF NUTRITION INTAKE AFTER EXERCISE" is overlaid in a dark blue, serif font across the center of the image.

# IMPACT OF NUTRITION INTAKE AFTER EXERCISE

## DATA

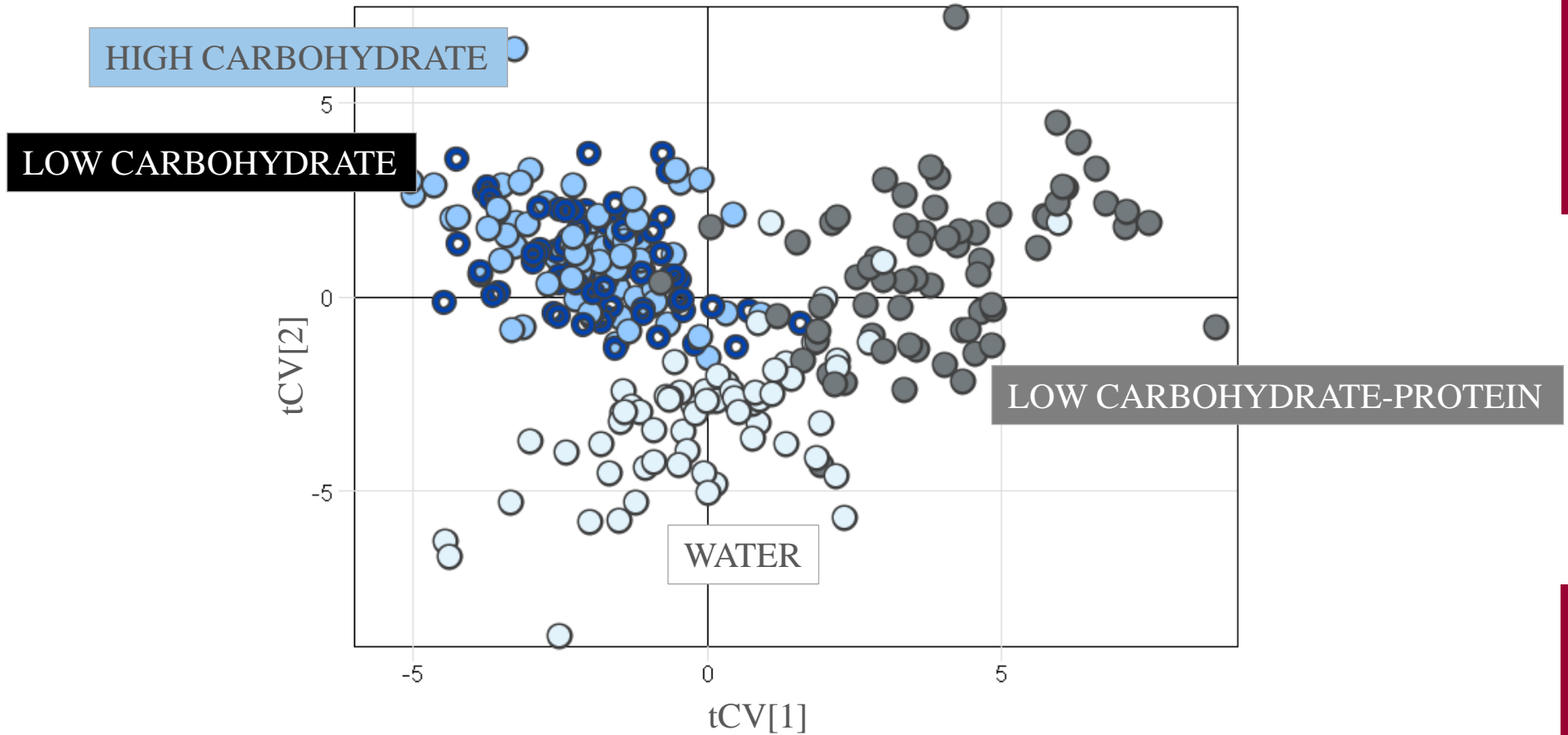
- **218 metabolites** from GC/MS analysis was used to describe the samples.

## MODELLING

- **PLS-DA** was used to reveal macronutrient related effects in the recovery phase

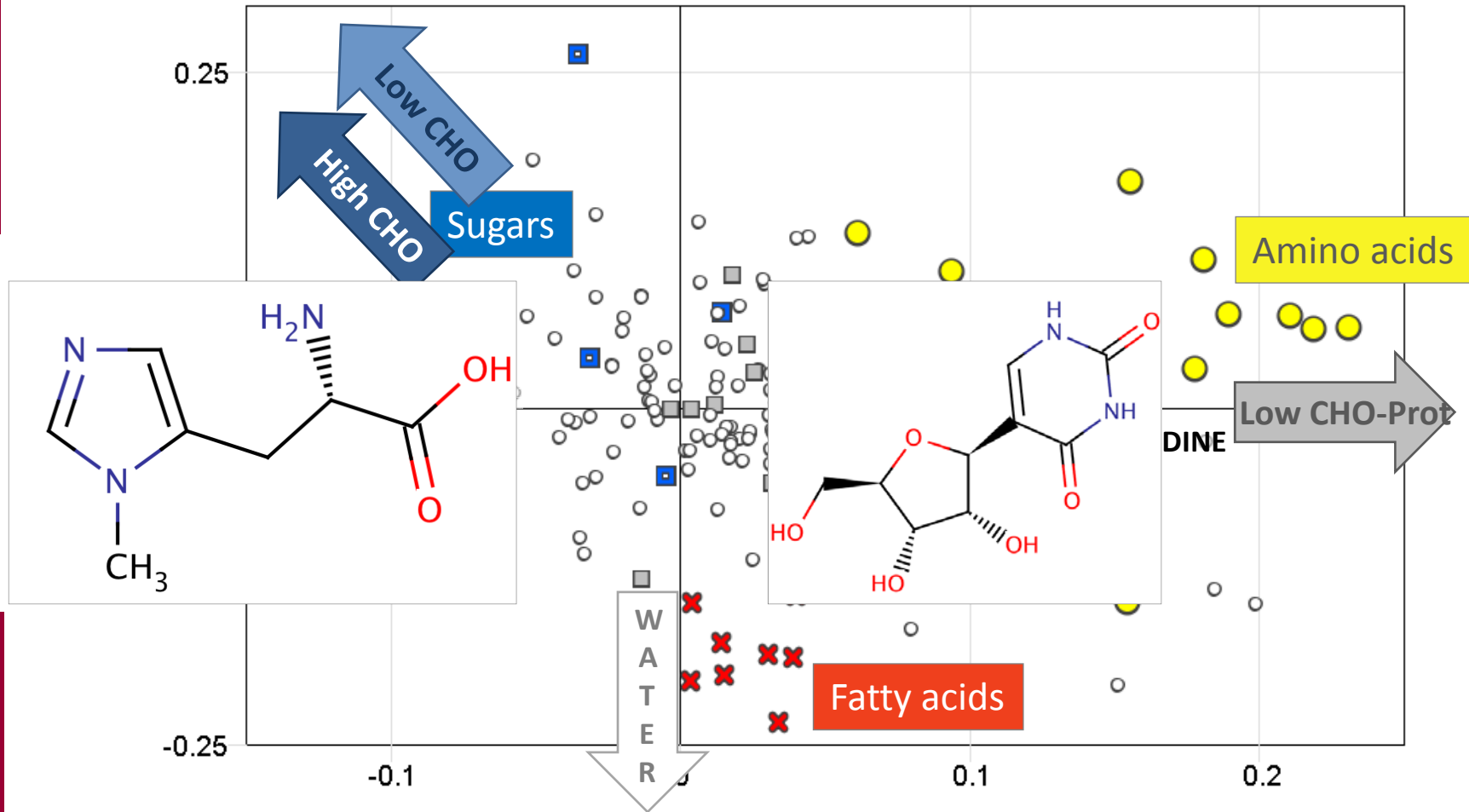


# PLS-DA SCORES (CROSS-VALIDATED)



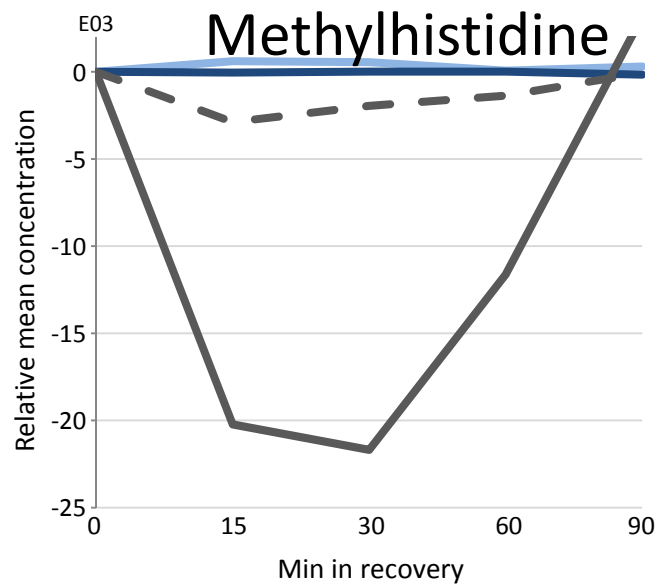
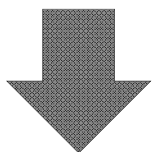
Num of components: 3P+5O  
R2X: 0.453  
R2Y: 0.662  
Q2: 0.521

# PLS-DA LOADINGS

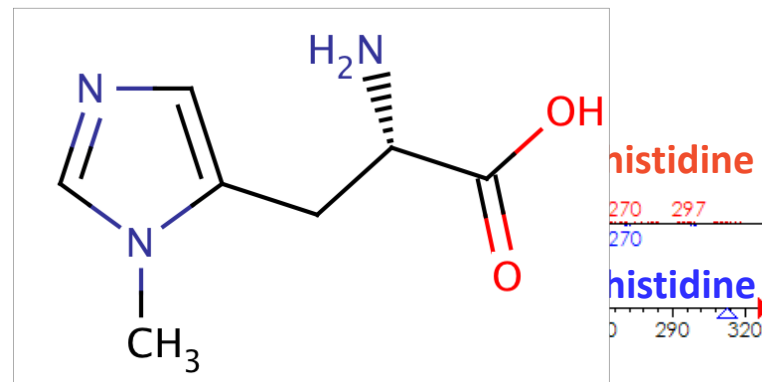


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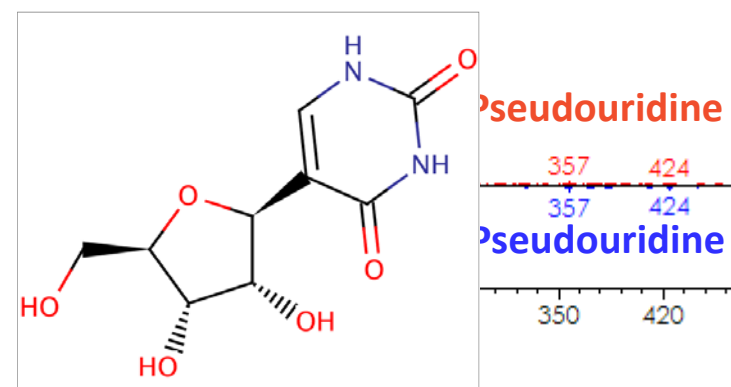
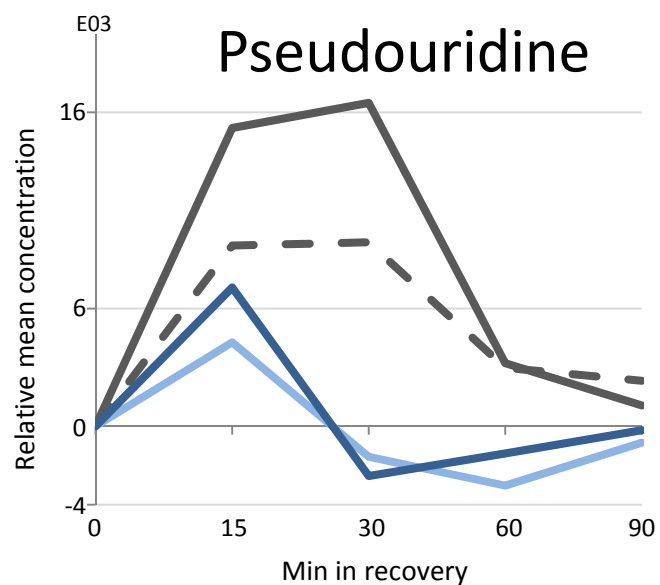
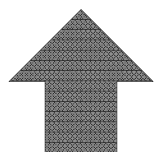
DECREASE IN  
CONCENTRATION



- LOW CARBOHYDRATE
- HIGH CARBOHYDRATE
- LOW CARBOHYDRATE-PROTEIN
- - WATER



INCREASE IN  
CONCENTRATION



# FITNESS STATUS



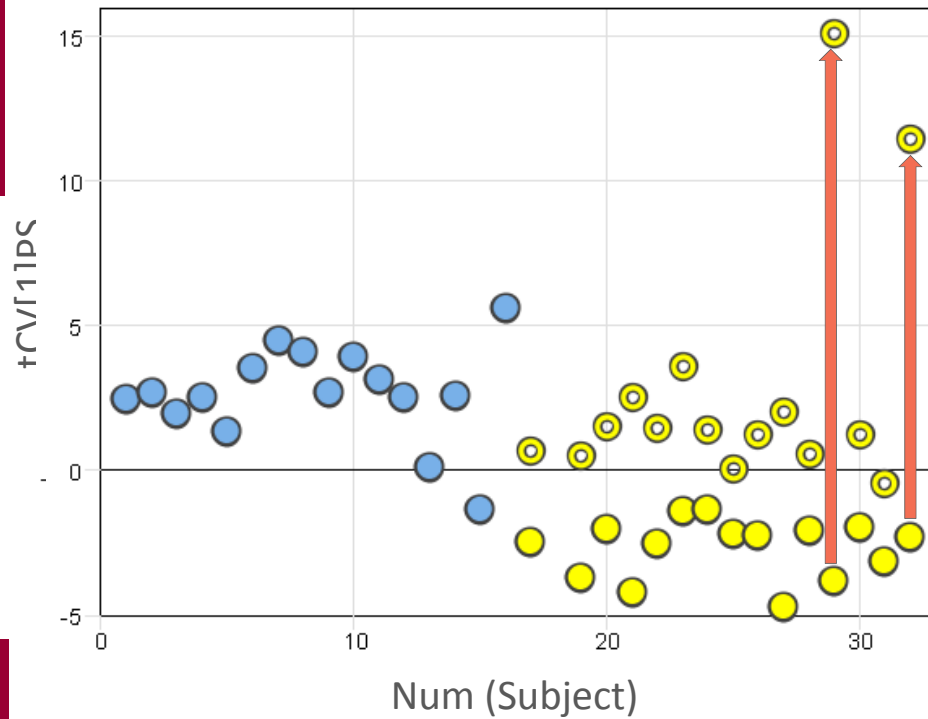


High fitness level

$68.2 \pm 2.9 \text{ mL kg}^{-1} \text{ min}^{-1}$

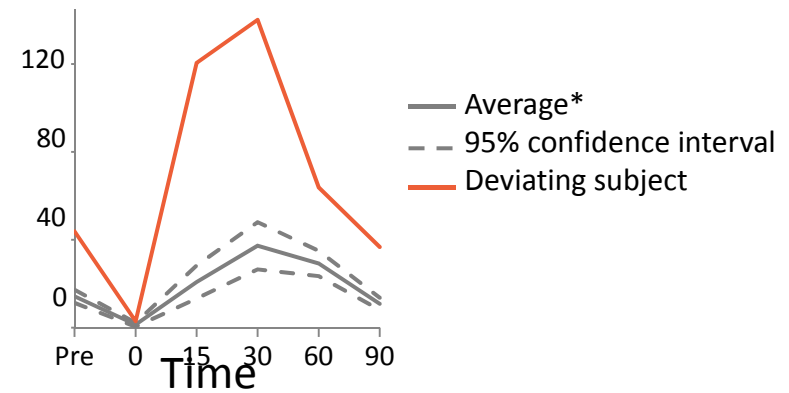
Low fitness level

$49.4 \pm 6.4 \text{ mL kg}^{-1} \text{ min}^{-1}$



### Insulin concentration

when ingesting LCHO-P



Num of components: 1P+10

R2X: 0.228

R2Y: 0.905

Q2: 0.741

Markers for pro-anabolic effect

Individual nutrition modulation

Potential model system for detecting  
insulin resistance?

# Summary - Classification

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- **Overview** - detection of classes - PCA of the data table.
- **Methods**
  - SIMCA (PCA of individual classes)
  - PLS-DA (PLS against “dummy” Y, for maximum separation)
- Important to create good models for *prediction* of new samples.
- Classification applications common within many areas.
  - Archaeologi
  - Diagnosis of Coronary Heart Disease (NMR)
  - GC/MS human exercise and nutrition
  - .....