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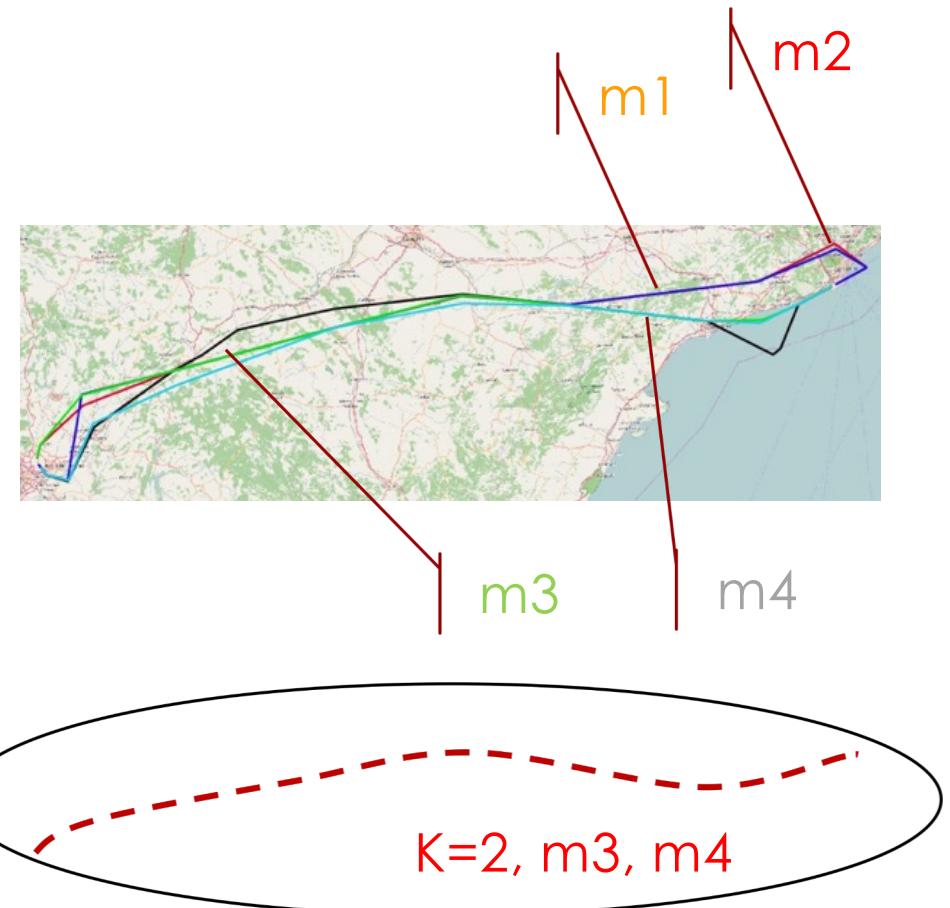
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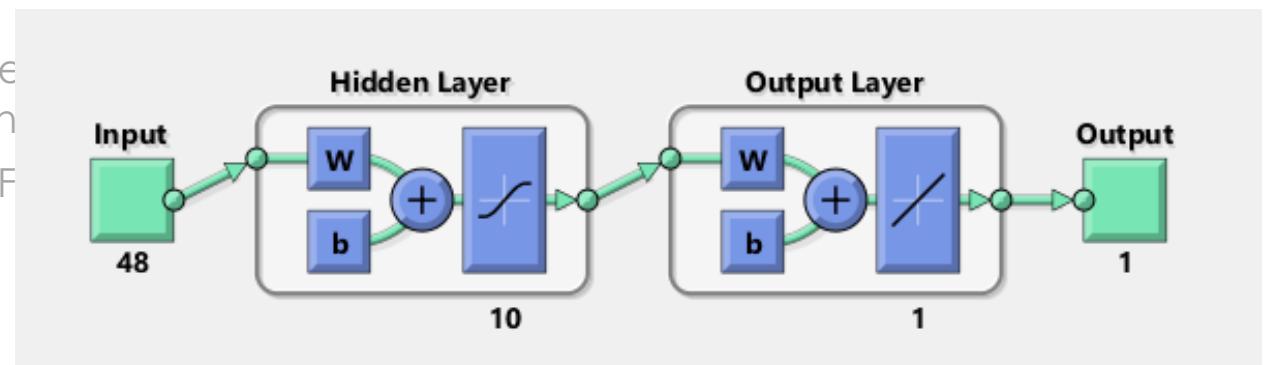
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- Hidden Markov Model (HMM)
- Linear Regressor (LR)
- Decision Tree (CART)
- Neural Network (NN-MLP), etc.

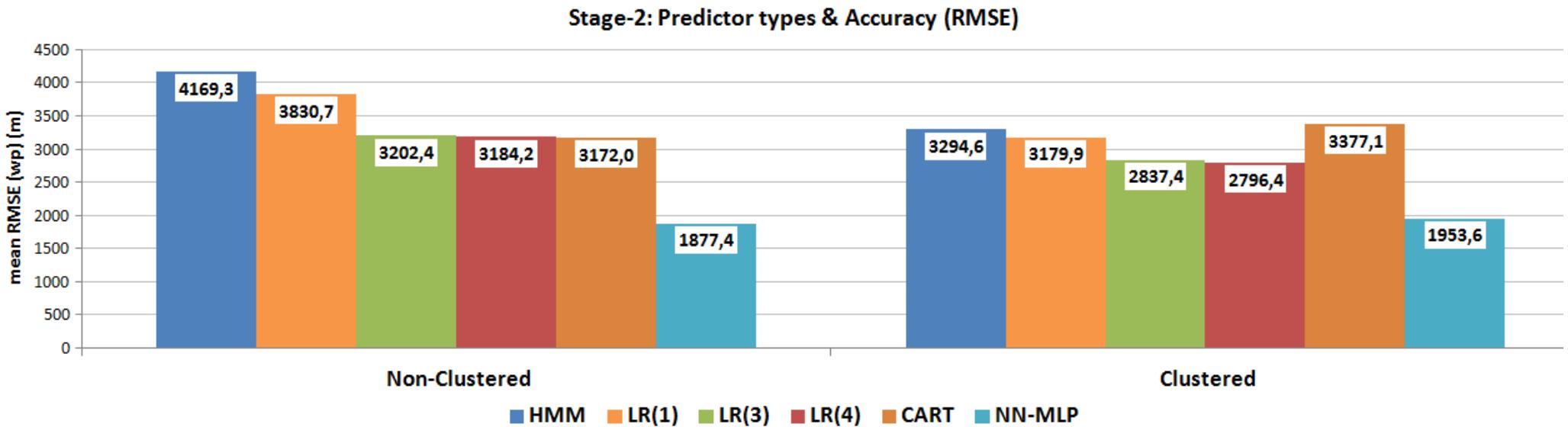
Example (below) of Non-linear Regressor: NN-MLP
input (48): Flight Plan waypoints
output (1): deviation of prediction from a waypoint



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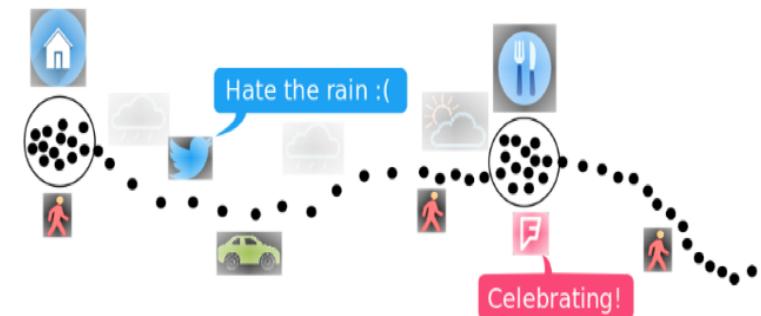
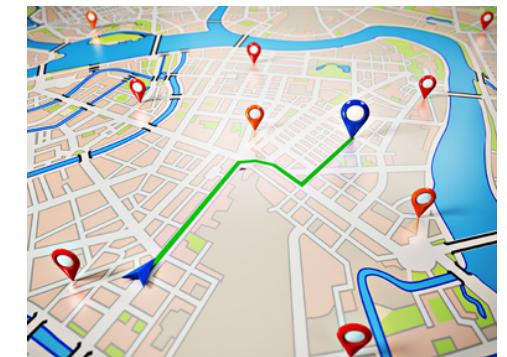
- **Pre-flight TP based on enriched flight plans:** NN/MLP regressor can provide **waypoint error** < 2 km (3-D), clustering in general helps linear models.



Summary

- The field of **Mobility Data Management and Exploration** (Pelekis & Theodoridis, 2014) has many success stories to tell on:
 - data storage and processing techniques, DBMS extensions, etc.
 - data mining (cluster analysis, hot path / hot spot discovery, etc.)

- The new MDA era that emerges is about
 - **Context-enriched trajectories**: annotated information about when, where, what, how, why
 - **Big mobility data**: voluminous, complex, heterogeneous information about movement of objects



Research challenges

Research Questions

How can we **reconstruct** and **enrich** trajectories out of movement data?

How can we **infer** interesting knowledge from them?

How can we deal with the **Big Data** characteristics?

Research Challenges

We need methods for **building semantically rich trajectories** from heterogeneous and multidimensional data.

We need data analytics methods capable of taking into account the multiple aspects of enriched trajectories. Examples: **similarity** analysis, **clustering**, **graph** analysis, **prediction** etc..

We need **scalable, efficient, real-time** data storage and analytics methods.

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 - Semantic integration etc.





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