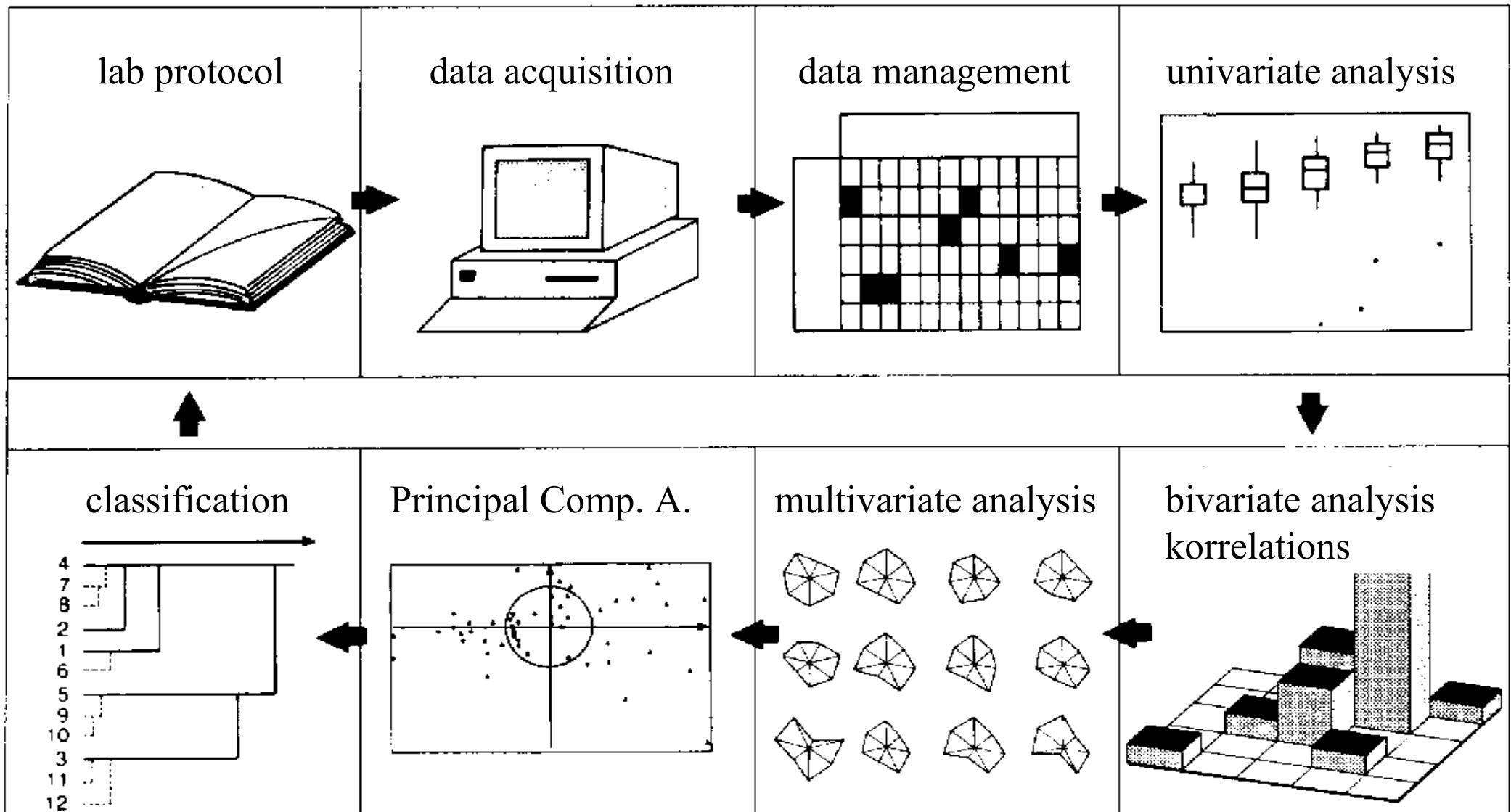


Evaluation of analytical Data - Aims and Purpose - from measurements to conceptual models -



What is the purpose of STATISTICS?

.....to clarify and quantify:

1. **Make sure:** was the experimental design **successful** or does it need **upscaleing**?

What kind of experiment – what kind of statistics?

Treatment, n Factors?

Observation, n Variables?

Differences?

Relationship?
Clustering?

ANOVA

T-test, post hoc tests, ...

ORDINATON

*Corr.A, PCA, Cluster
A, NMDS, Discr.A, ...*

2. **Explore:** what are your **main results**, what **sound conclusions** may be drawn?

how **relevant** are they?

% Δ, %R², % Variance explained

Results **substancial**, how big?

Results **reliable**, how reproducible?

p value / % sig.Level

3. **Verify:** answer *and* quantify your **original research questions**

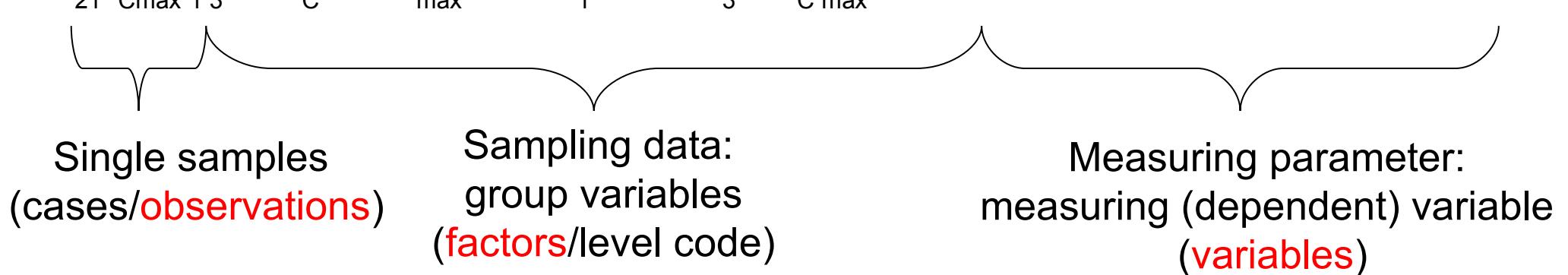
3.a Which **presentation graph** is best?

4. What are the **key parameters** for a mathematical **model**?

Data Acquisition: Harvest Procedure → Data Matrix



N	Sample	Treatment	Species	Plant/Branch	Replicate	Treatment	Species	Var1	VarN
1	Cros 1 1	C	ros	1	1	C	ros		
2	Cros 1 2	C	ros	1	2	C	ros		
3	Cros 1 3	C	ros	1	3	C	ros		
4	Cros 2 1	C	ros	2	1	C	ros		
5	Cros 2 2	C	ros	2	2	C	ros		
6	Cros 2 3	C	ros	2	3	C	ros		
7	Cflo 1 1	C	flo	1	1	C	flo		
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20	Cmax 1 2	C	max	1	2	C	max		
21	Cmax 1 3	C	max	1	3	C	max		



Graphical Plotting, Statistics

first:

simple line or barcharts (never waste time and efforts for hasty formatting!)

Excel: MEDIAN and ERROR INDICATOR:

Standard deviation STDEV:

$$\sqrt{\frac{nSx^2 - (Sx)^2}{n(n-1)}}$$

Standard error (error of the mean) SE:

$$s_x = \frac{s}{\sqrt{n}}$$

or Confidence Interval CI:

$$x \pm t \cdot s_x \quad (t \text{ n=1000...1.96})$$

for table only: Coefficient of Variance CV:

$$\frac{s}{x} \cdot 100$$

next:

define the aim of your data evaluation

Differences (sig) Similarities temporal Sequence

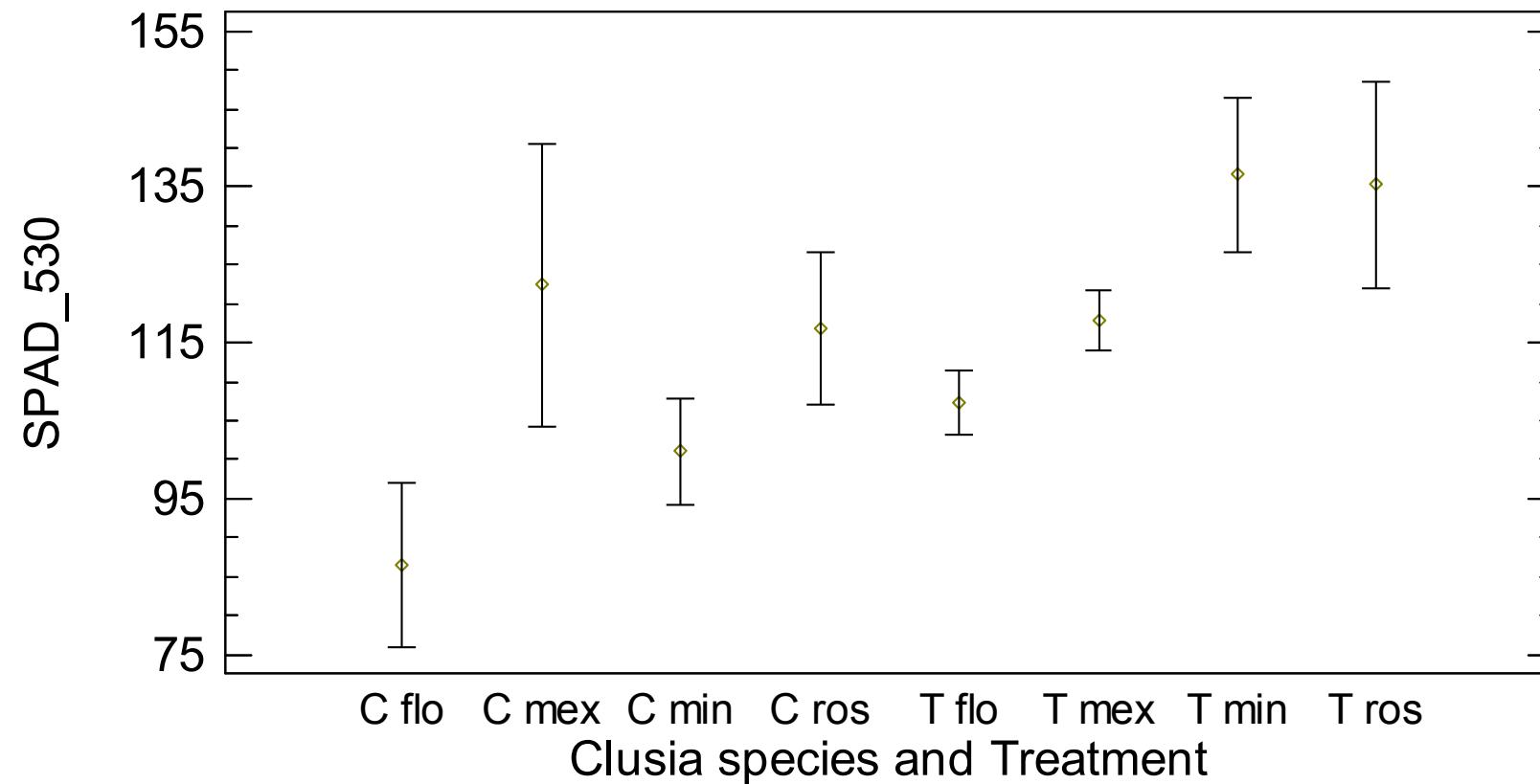
define the need for statistics

sign.Differences, Korrelation (Ordination) or Classification?

define the aim of your presentation (Poster/Publikation)

Choice of suitable Software --> Formating of the plots

Means and 95.0 Percent Confidence Intervals (internal s)



Students **T-test**: Δ average (1,2) < CI1+ CI2

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Post-hoc_analysis

Multiple Range Tests for SPAD_530 by Clusia species and Treatment

Method: 95.0 percent LSD

Level	Count	Mean	Homogeneous Groups
C flo	6	86.4533	X
C min	6	101.035	X
T flo	6	107.3	XX
C ros	6	116.84	XX
T mex	11	117.873	X
C mex	6	122.383	X
T ros	7	135.27	X
T min	6	136.532	X

Method

LSD
 Tukey HSD
 Scheffe
 Bonferroni
 Student-Newman-Keuls
 Duncan
 Games-Howell

Confidence Level:

95.0 %

The Significance Level, - the reproducibility of an experiment -

significant differences (univariate Tests, ANOVA -Analysis Of Variance):

Significance level: $P + CI = 100\%$

P Error probability

CI ...Confidence Interval

highly significant	$P < 0,1\% (0,001)$	***
significant	$P < 1\% (0,01)$	**
weakly significant	$P < 5\% (0,05)$	*
not(?) significant	$P > 5\%$	n.s.

In any case: do provide the actual significance level !

It is not only of interest *if*, but first of all *how* signifikant your results really are.

4 Stages of Data Evaluation

1) evaluation of the experimental setup:

- *did it work out (sufficient replicates)?*

2) explorative statistics:

- *what (else) can be found in the data?*

3) quantification of findings:

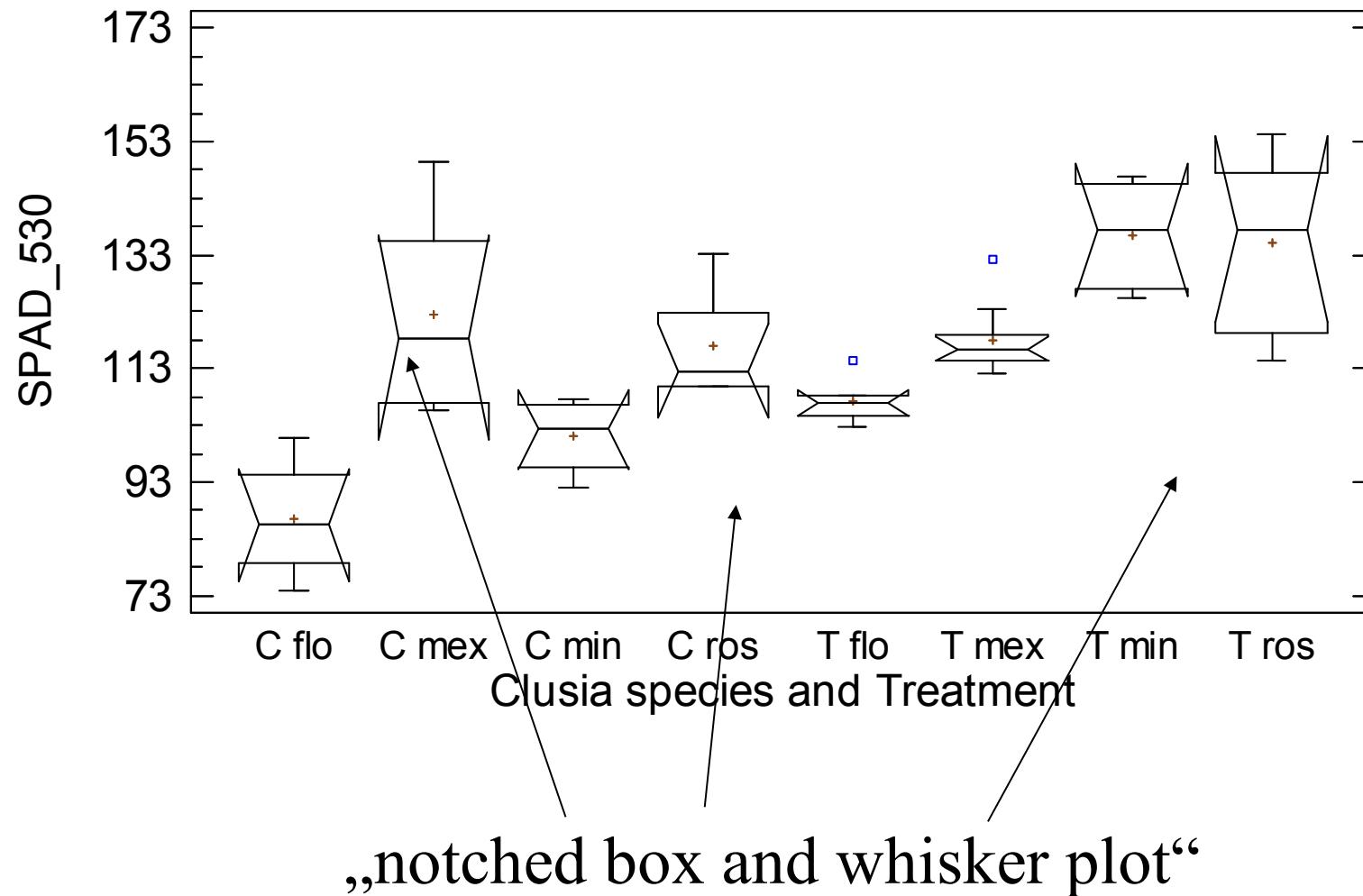
- *how relevant (robust, big, significant)?*

4) conceptual models:

- *intercorrelation patterns?*
- *system properties, system comparison?*

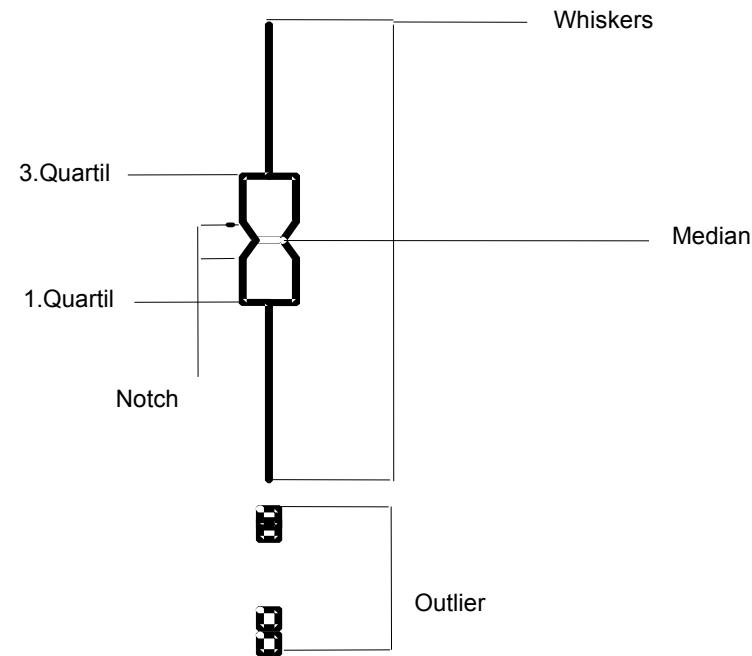
Explorative plots and Methods

Box-and-Whisker Plot

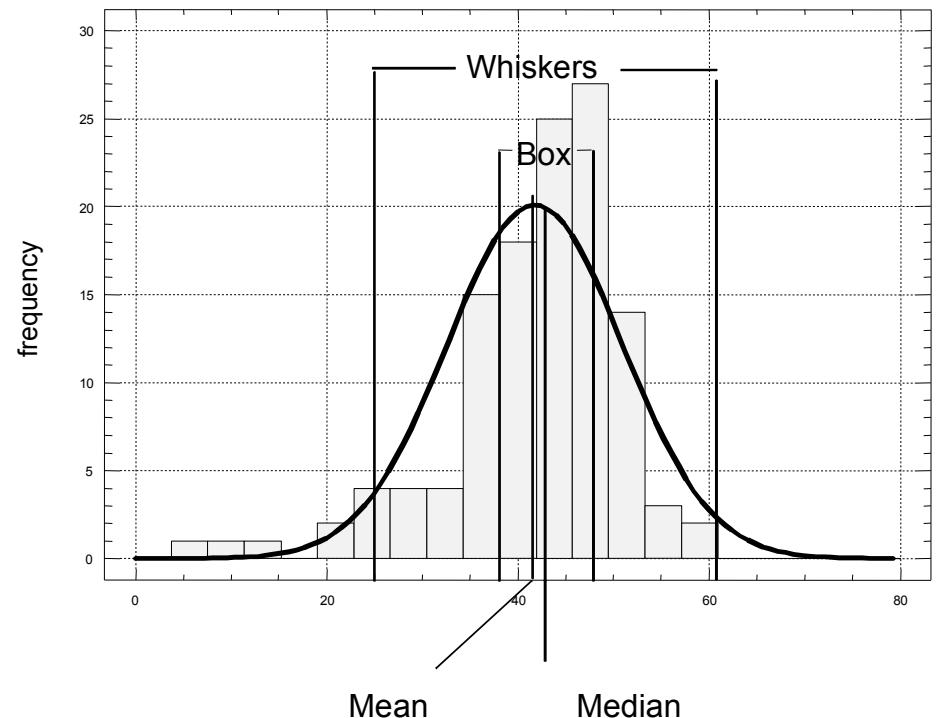


Explanation of notched Box and Whisker Plots

Notched Box and Whisker Plot

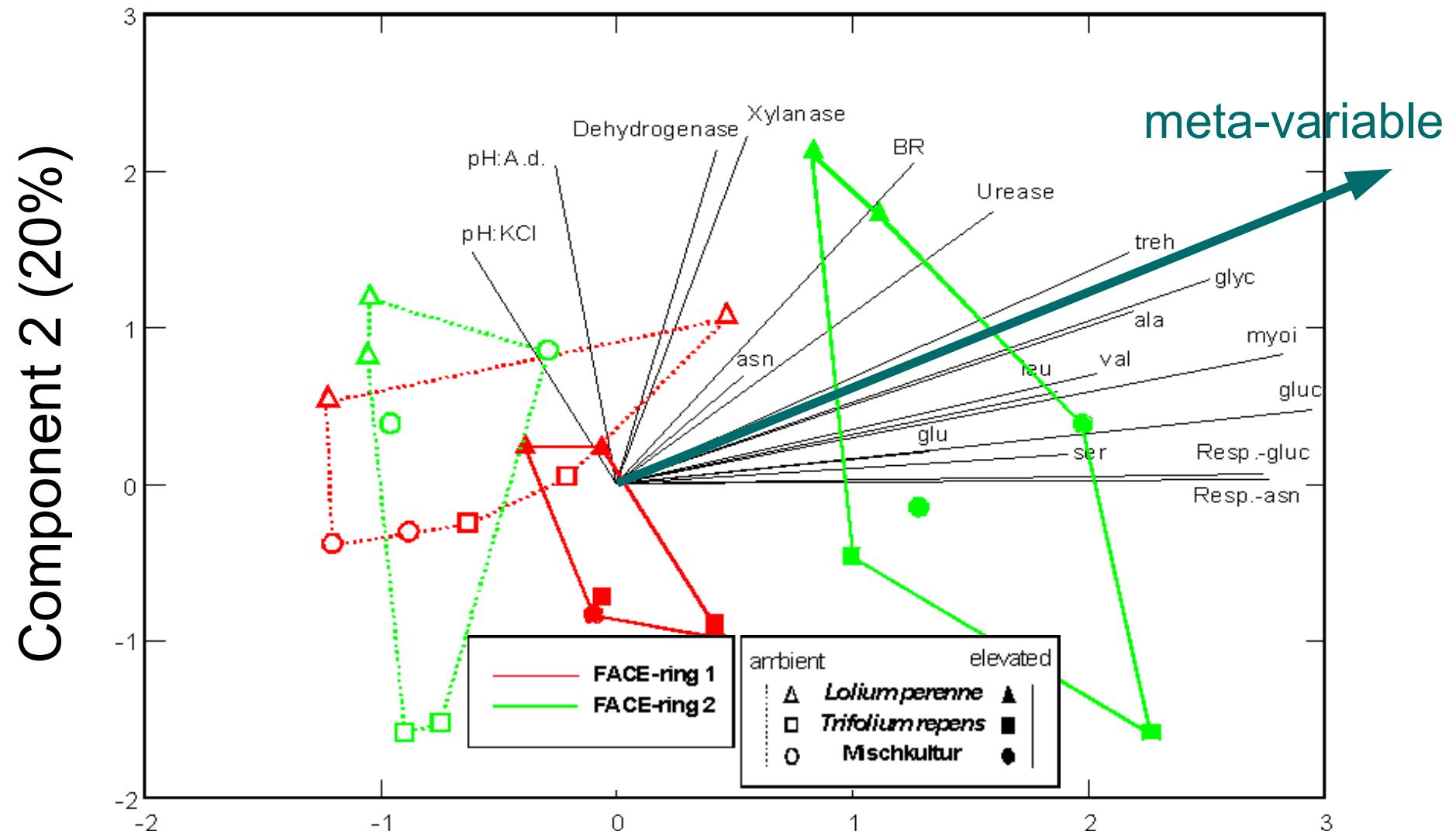


Frequency Histogram

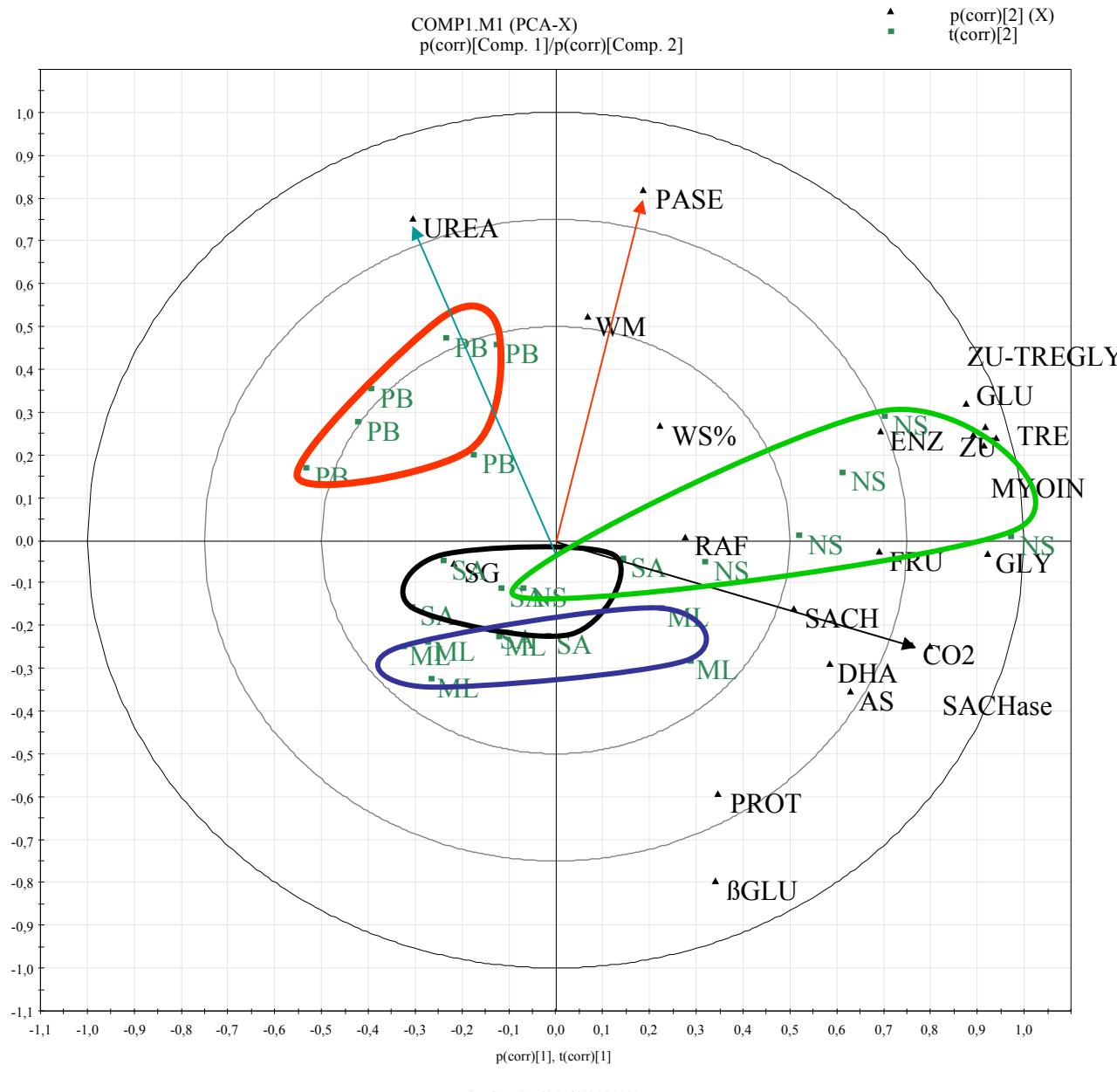


Notch: indicates 95% confidence interval for the Median.
If Notches do not overlap, a significant difference between medians is present

Main Component or Factor analysis



Component 1 (80%)

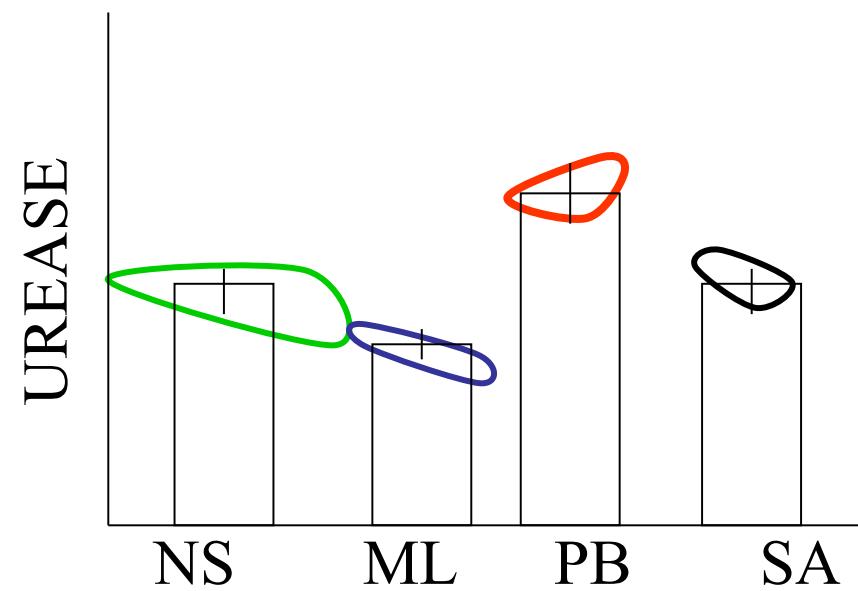
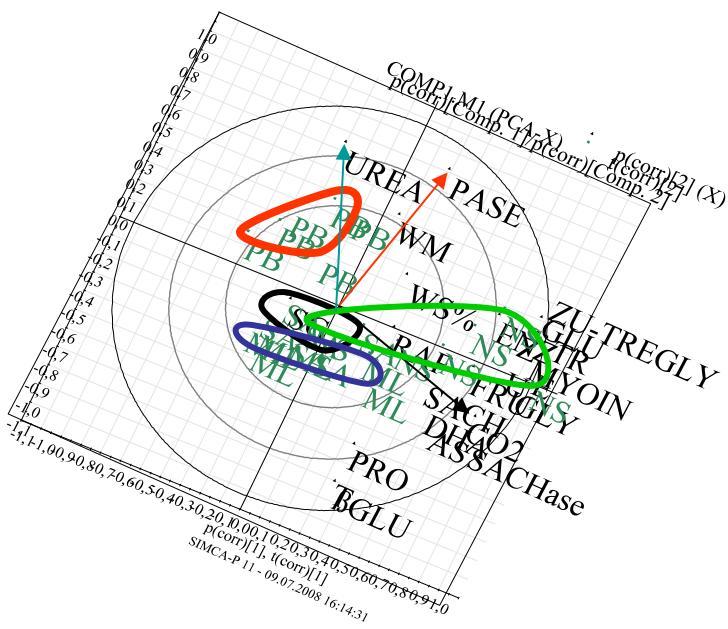
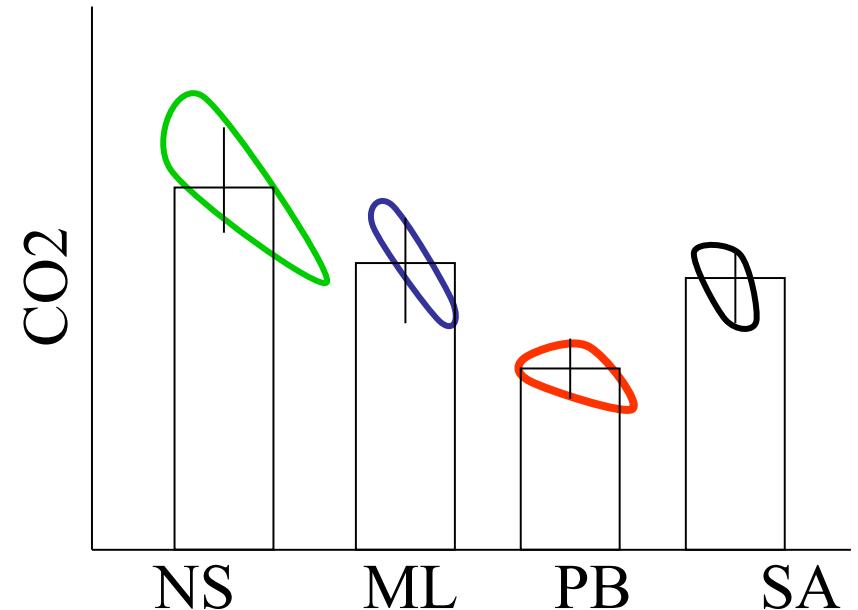
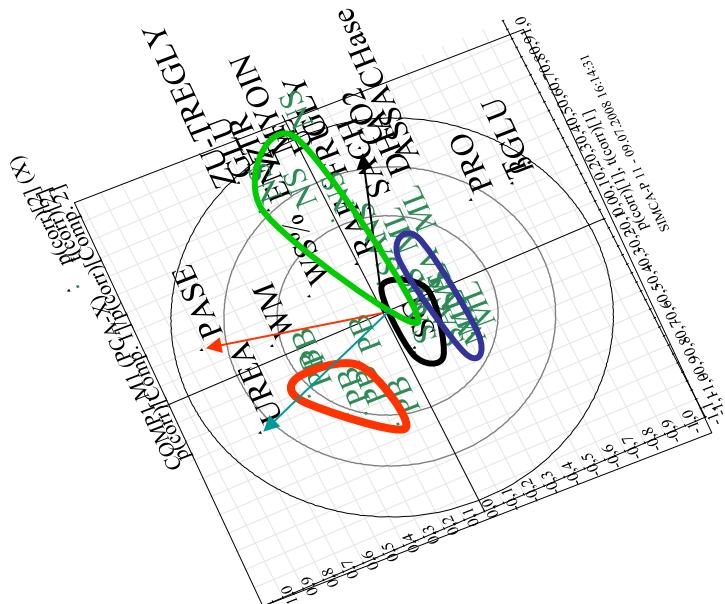


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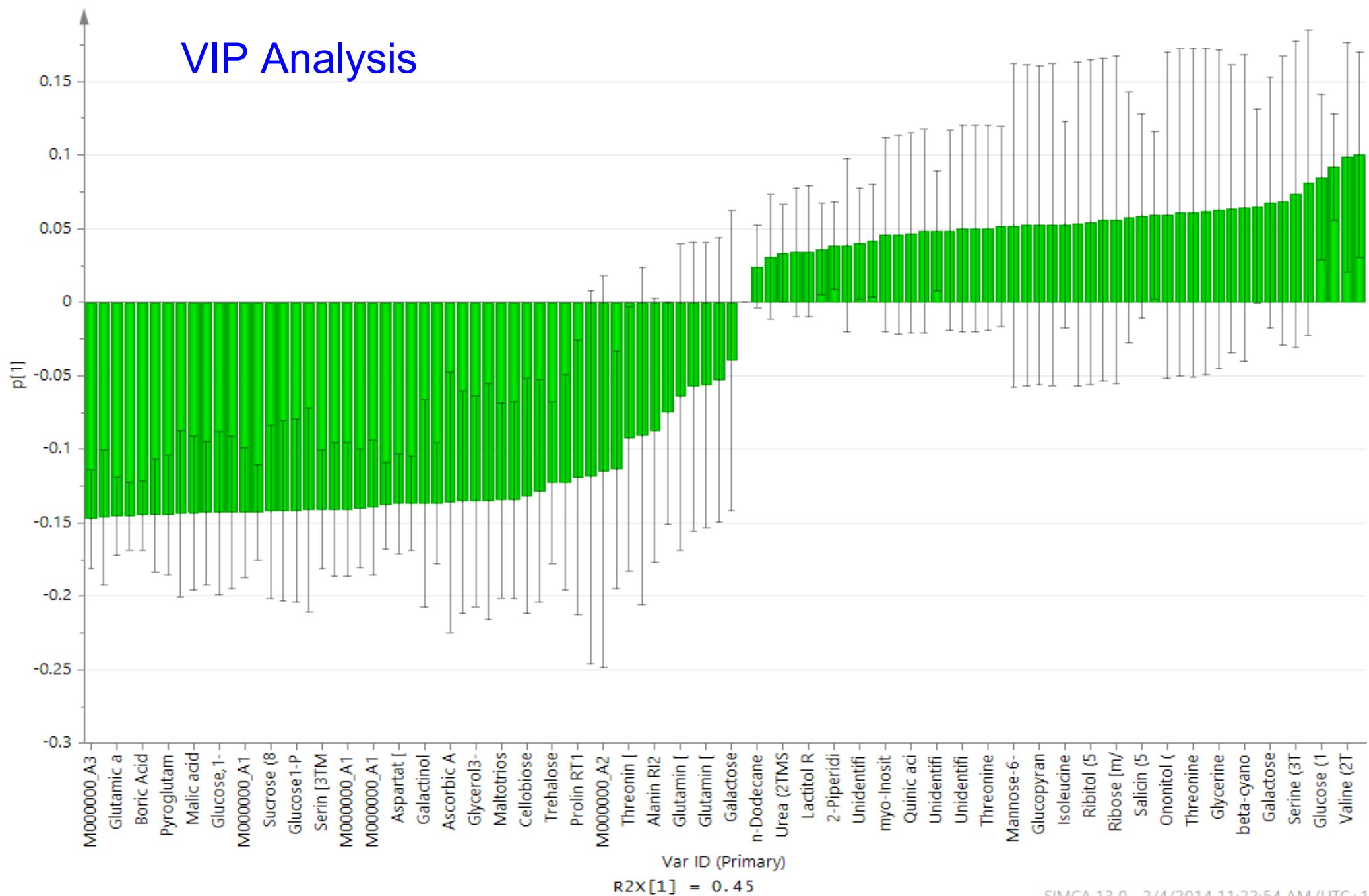
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surround cluster by bezier lines

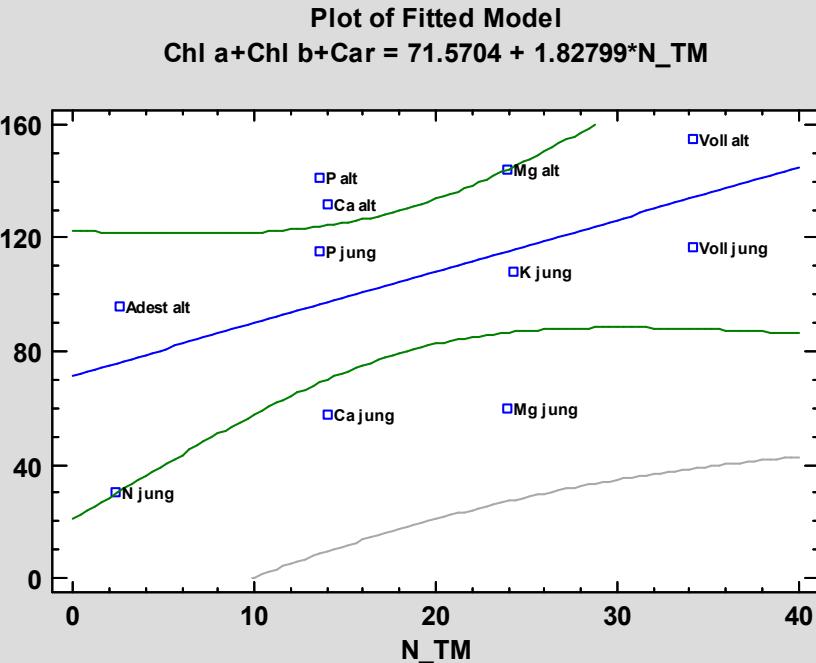
Find the bargraphs (Anova plots) in PCA...



Example Data WS10-11.M1 (PCA-X)

VIP Analysis





Intercorrelation Patterns Heat-Map

Correlation Coefficient = **0.494171**

R-squared = **24.4205** percent

R-squared (adjusted for d.f.) = **16.0227** percent

Standard Error of Est. = **36.9063**

Mean absolute error = **30.264**

Cros

Pearson Product-Moment Correlations

	Chl a	Chl b	Chl a+b	Car	SPAD	PEA	ETR_max	ETR_slope	N_TM
Chl a	1.00	1.00	0.99	0.95	0.99	0.94	0.98	0.65	
Chl b	1.00		1.00	0.99	0.94	0.99	0.95	0.99	0.63
Chl a+b	1.00	1.00		0.99	0.95	0.99	0.94	0.98	0.64
Car	0.99	0.99	0.99		0.93	0.98	0.92	0.97	0.68
SPAD	0.95	0.94	0.95	0.93		0.95	0.90	0.95	0.66
PEA	0.99	0.99	0.99	0.98	0.95		0.97	1.00	0.73
ETR_max	0.94	0.95	0.94	0.92	0.90	0.97		0.98	0.78
ETR_slope	0.98	0.99	0.98	0.97	0.95	1.00	0.98		0.70
N_TM	0.65	0.63	0.64	0.68	0.66	0.73	0.78	0.70	

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Pearson Product-Moment Correlations

	Chl a	Chl b	Chl a+b	Car	SPAD	PEA	ETR_max	ETR_slope	N_TM
Chl a	0.91	1.00	0.96	0.94	0.96	0.77	0.30	0.87	
Chl b	0.91		0.93	0.87	0.85	0.83	0.70	0.43	0.96
Chl a+b	1.00	0.93		0.96	0.94	0.96	0.77	0.32	0.90
Car	0.96	0.87	0.96		0.81	0.96	0.59	0.17	0.88
SPAD	0.94	0.85	0.94	0.81		0.88	0.90	0.38	0.75
PEA	0.96	0.83	0.96	0.96	0.88		0.61	0.04	0.77
ETR_max	0.77	0.70	0.77	0.59	0.90	0.61		0.71	0.65
ETR_slope	0.30	0.43	0.32	0.17	0.38	0.04	0.71		0.50
N_TM	0.87	0.96	0.90	0.88	0.75	0.77	0.65	0.50	