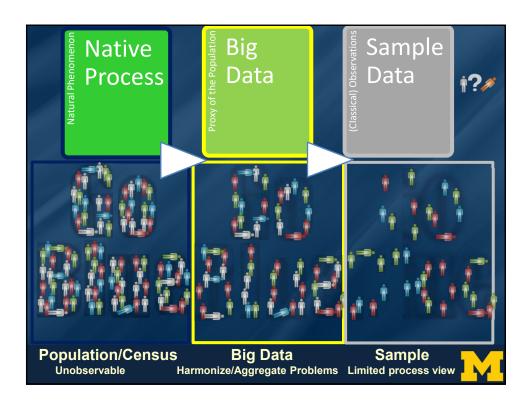
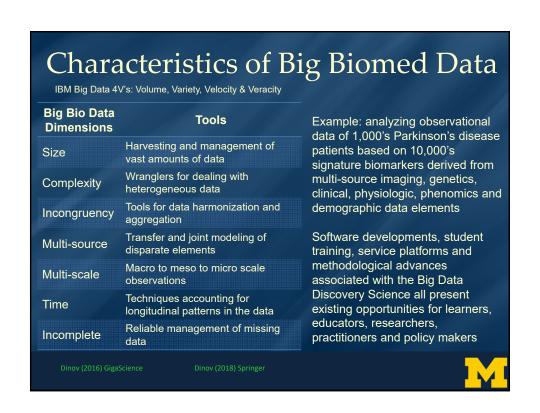
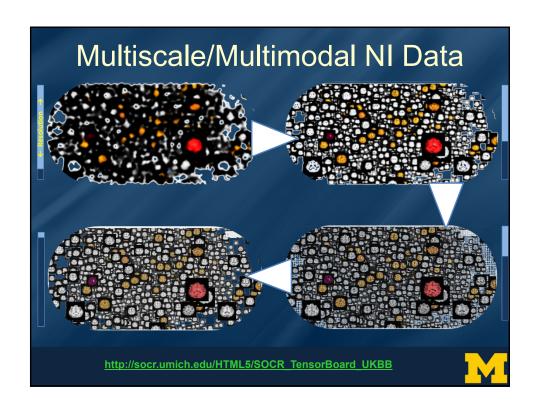


Outline □ Driving biomedical & health challenges □ Common characteristics of Big Neuroscience Data □ ε-Differential Privacy & Homomorphic Encryption □ DataSifter: Statistical obfuscation □ Case-studies □ Applications to Neurodegenerative Disease (Udall/MADC) □ Autism Brain Imaging Data Exchange (ABIDE) □ Population Census-like Neuroscience







ε -Differential Privacy (ε DP) vs. fully Homomorphic Encryption (fHE)

Category	εDP	fHE		
Goal	Mine information in a DB without compromising privacy; no access to inspect individual DB entries	Provide a secure encryption allowing program execution on encrypted data; encrypt results, interpretation requires ability to decrypt the data		
Pros	Theoretical limits on the balance between utility and risk of sharing data	Elegant and powerful math framework for bijective (encode/decode) encryption. Fast		
Cons	Difficult for unstructured, skewed, and categorical data	There are limitations on deriving f' – commutative analytic evaluators		



ε -Differential privacy (ε DP)

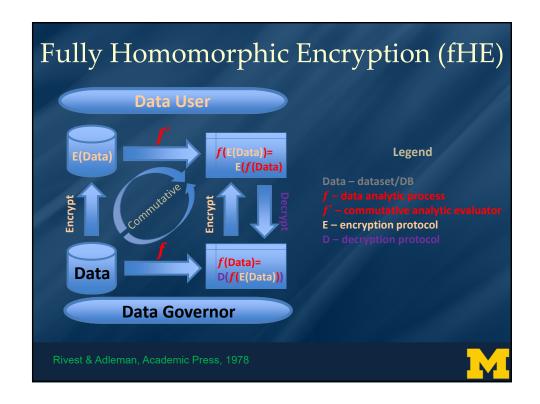
- □ **Data-features**: $\{C_1, C_2, ..., C_k\}$, categorical or numerical.
- lacksquare **DB** = list of cases $\{x_1, x_2, ..., x_n\}$, $x_i \in \mathcal{C}_1 \times \mathcal{C}_2 \times \cdots \times \mathcal{C}_k$, $1 \leq i \leq n$.
- $oldsymbol{\Box}$ arepsilon-Differential privacy relies on adding noise to data to protect the identities of individual records. An algorithm f is arepsilon-differentially private if for all possible inputs (datasets/DBs) D_1 , D_2 that differ on a single record, and all possible f outputs, y, the probability of correctly guessing D_1 knowing y is not significantly different from that of D_2 :

$$\frac{P(f(D_1) = y)}{P(f(D_2) = y)} \le e^{\mathcal{E}}, \quad \forall y \in Range(f).$$

- ☐ The global sensitivity of f is the smallest number S(f), such that $\forall D_1, D_2$ that differ on at most one element $||f(D_1) f(D_2)||_1 \le S(f)$
- ☐ There are many differentially private algorithms, e.g., random forests, decision trees, k-means clustering, etc.
- □ E.g., $f: D = DB \to R^m$, the algorithm outputting $f(D) + (y_1, y_2, ..., y_m)$, with $y_i \in Laplace\left(\mu = 0, \sigma = \sqrt{2}\frac{S(f)}{\varepsilon}\right)$, ∀*i* is ε-differentially private

Dwork, LNCS, 2008





DataSifter

- □ DataSifter is an iterative statistical computing approach that provides the data-governors controlled manipulation of the trade-off between sensitive information obfuscation and preservation of the joint distribution.
- ☐ The DataSifter is designed to satisfy data requests from pilot study investigators focused on specific target populations.
- □ Iteratively, the DataSifter stochastically identifies candidate entries, cases as well as features, and subsequently selects, nullifies, and imputes the chosen elements. This statistical-obfuscation process relies heavily on nonparametric multivariate imputation to preserve the information content of the complex data.

http://DataSifter.org

US patent #16/051,881

Marino, et al., JSCS (2019)



DataSifter

- □ A detailed description and <u>dataSifter()</u> R method implementation are available on our GitHub repository (https://github.com/SOCR/DataSifter).
- □ Data-sifting different data archives requires customized parameter management. Five specific parameters mediate the balance between protection of sensitive information and signal energy preservation.

 kg: A Boolean; obfuscate the

Obfuscation $0 \le \eta = \eta(k_0 + k_1 + k_2 + k_3 + k_4) \le 1$ k_4 level k_3 0 0 0 0 0 None Small 0 0.05 0.1 0.01 Medium 1 0.25 2 0.6 0.05 Large 0.4 0.8 0.2 Indep Output synthetic data with independent features **k**₀: A Boolean; obfuscate the unstructured features?

 k_1 : proportion of artificial missing data values that should be introduced

 $\emph{\textbf{k}}_2$: The number of times to iterate

 $\emph{\textbf{k}}_3$: The fraction of structured features to be obfuscated in all the cases

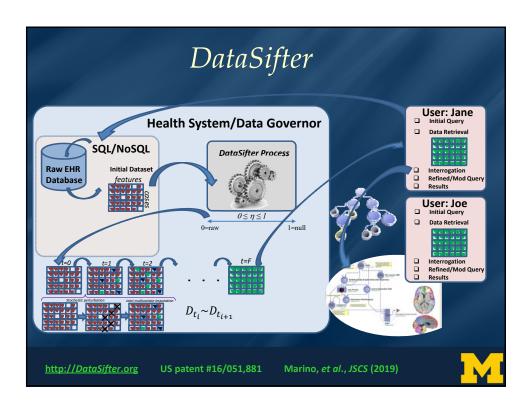
k₄: The fraction of closest subjects to be considered as neighbours of a given subject

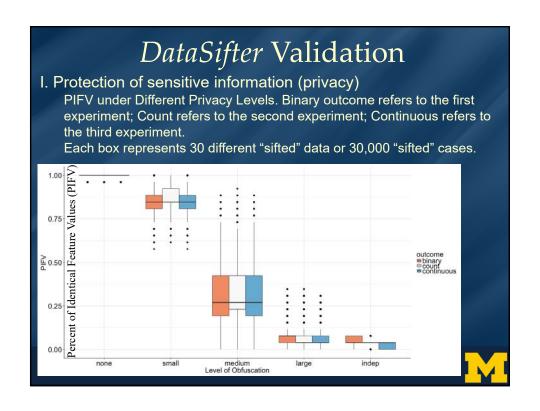
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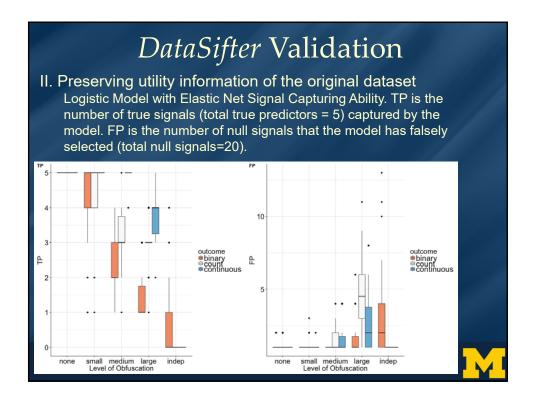
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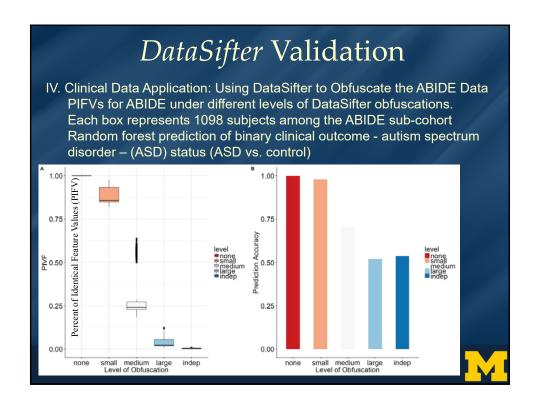
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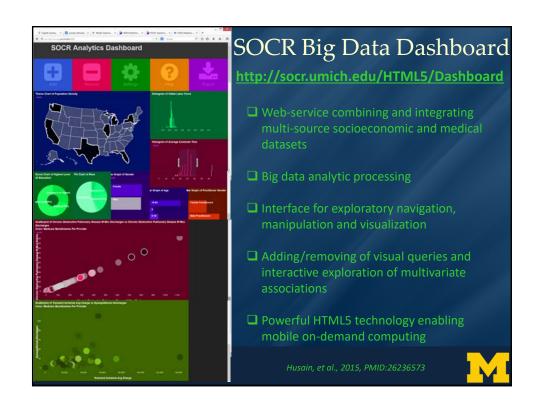
Comparing the Original and "Sifted" Data for the 22nd ABIDE Subject

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original	Autism	М	31.7	Sagittal	131	0.475	2.1	0.315	NA
none	Autism	М	31.7	Sagittal	131	0.475	2.1	0.315	0.51
small	Autism	M	31.7	Sagittal	131	0.475	2.1	0.315	0.4589
medium	Autism	М	31.7	Sagittal	111	0.548	2.85	0.315	0.463
large	Control	М	18.2	Sagittal	104	0.5347	3.198	0.1625	0.4524
indep	Control	М	15.4	Coronal	104	0.4842	3.383	0.1079	1.002

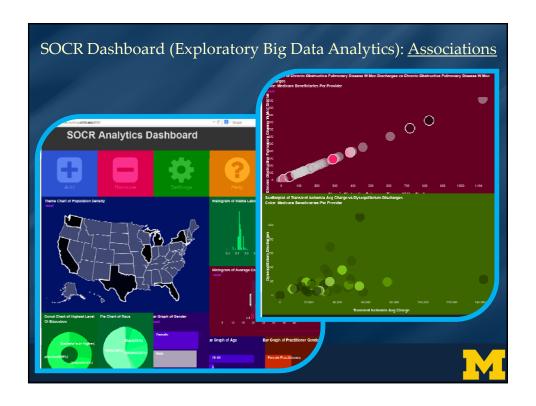
Autism Brain Imaging Data Exchange (ABIDE) case-study

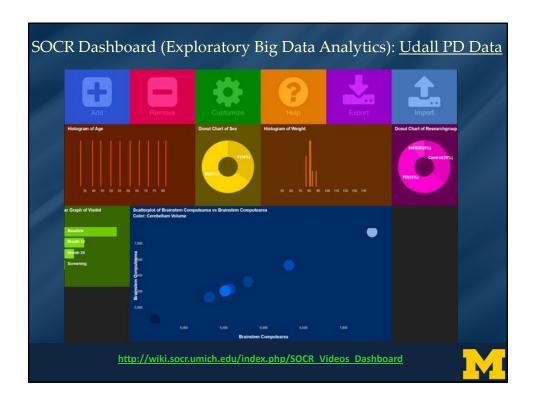


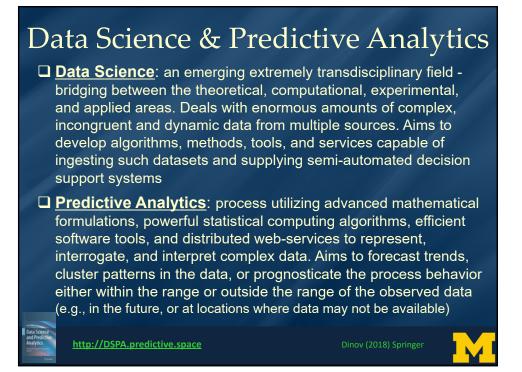


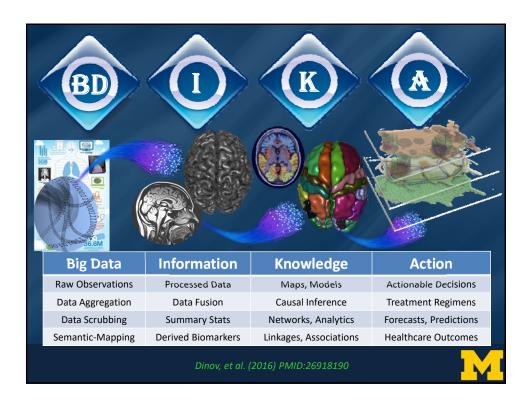




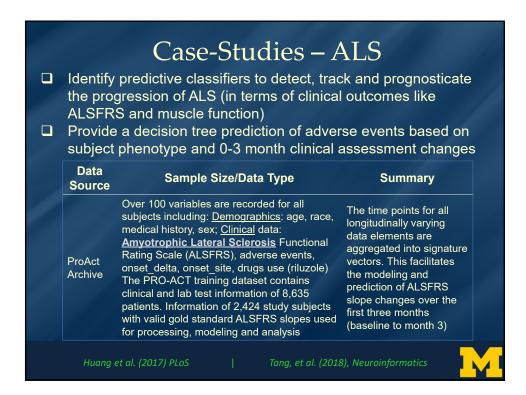


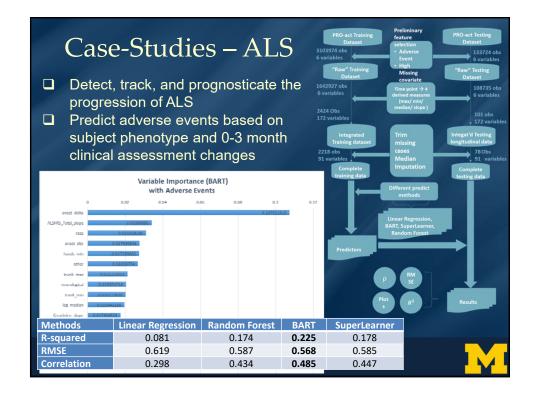


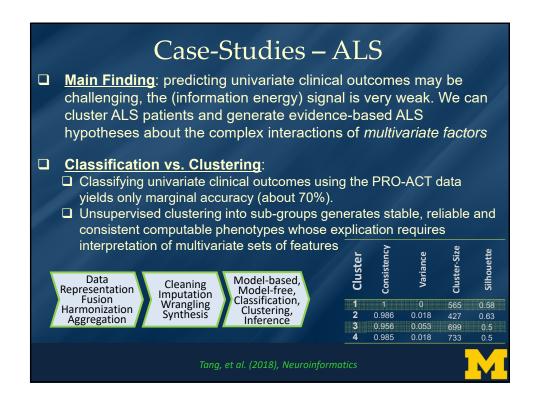


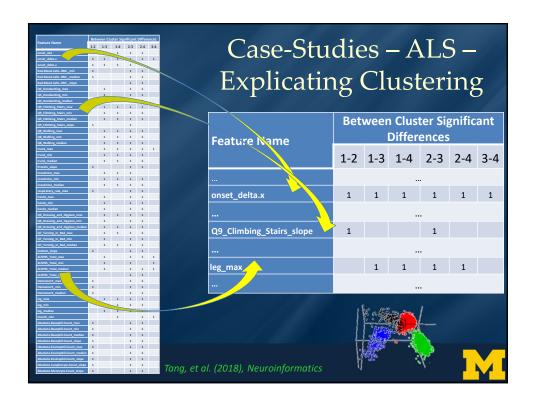


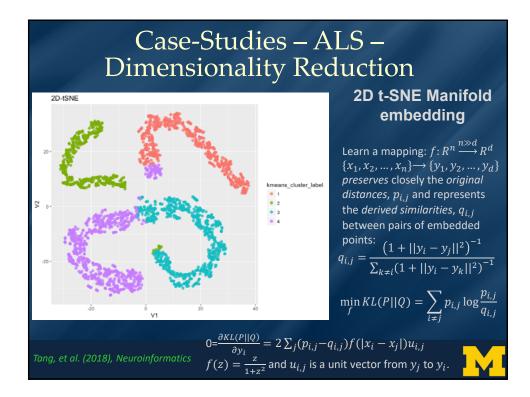












Case-Studies – Parkinson's Disease

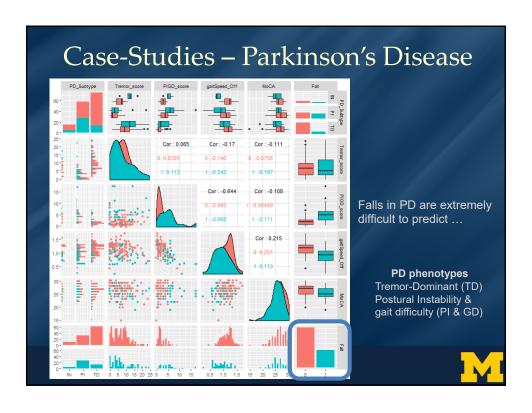
- ☐ <u>Investigate falls in PD patients</u> using clinical, demographic and neuroimaging data from two independent initiatives (UMich & Tel Aviv U)
- Applied <u>controlled feature selection</u> to identify the most salient predictors of patient falls (gait speed, Hoehn and Yahr stage, postural instability and gait difficulty-related measurements)
- Model-based (e.g., GLM) and model-free (RF, SVM, Xgboost) analytical methods used to forecasts clinical outcomes (e.g., falls)
- ☐ Internal statistical cross <u>validation</u> + external out-of-bag validation
- ☐ Four specific **challenges**
 - ☐ Challenge 1, harmonize & aggregate complex, multisource, multisite PD data
 - Challenge 2, identify salient predictive features associated with specific clinical traits, e.g., patient falls
 - Challenge 3, forecast patient falls and evaluate the classification performance
 Challenge 4, predict tremor dominance (TD) vs. posture instability and gait
 - difficulty (PIGD).

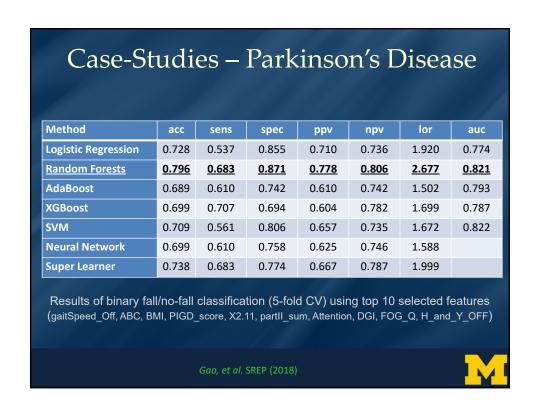
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■ Results: model-free machine learning based techniques provide a more reliable clinical outcome forecasting, e.g., falls in Parkinson's patients, with classification accuracy of about 70-80%.

Gao, et al. SREP (2018)







Open-Science & Collaborative Validation

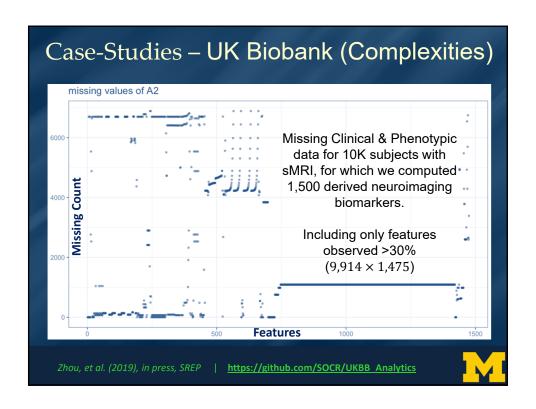
End-to-end Big Data analytic protocol jointly processing complex imaging, genetics, clinical, demo data for assessing PD risk

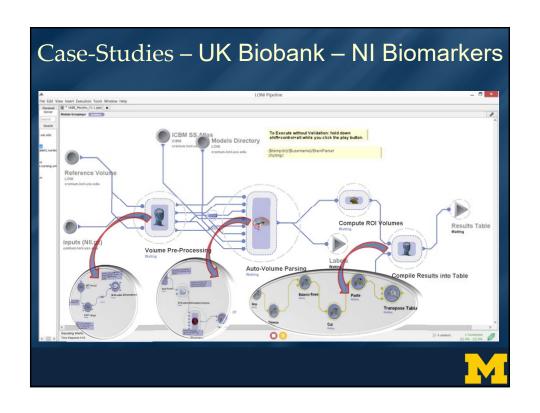
- o Methods for rebalancing of imbalanced cohorts
- ML classification methods generating consistent and powerful phenotypic predictions
- Reproducible protocols for extraction of derived neuroimaging and genomics biomarkers for diagnostic forecasting

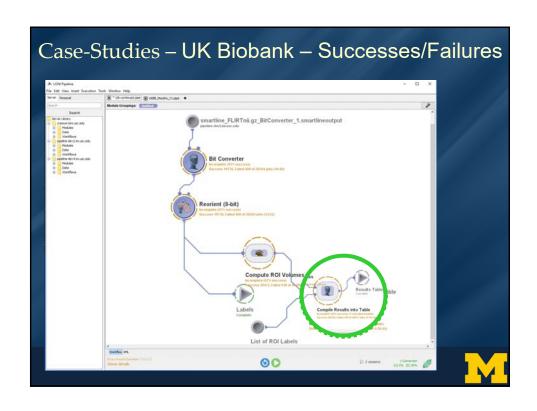
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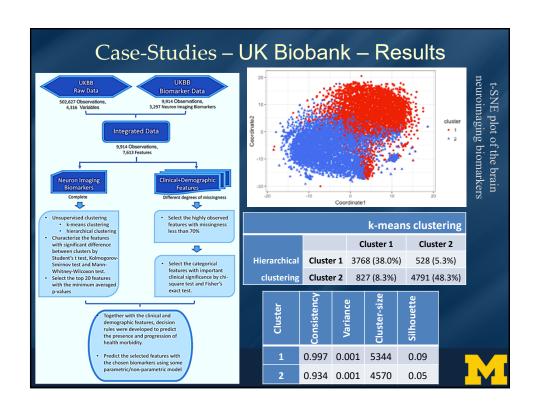


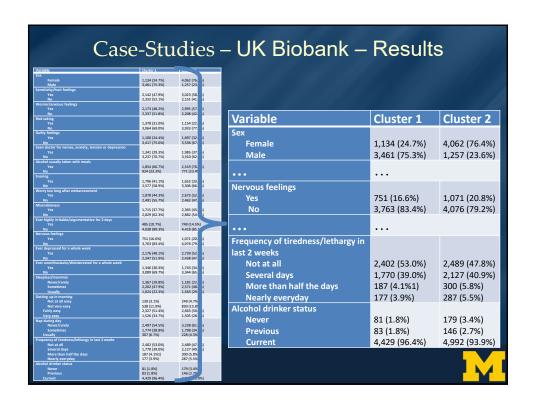
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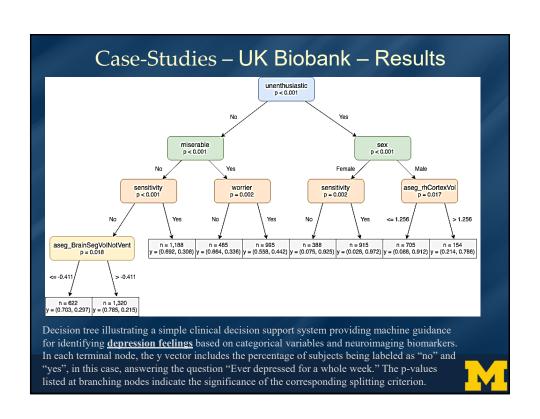












Case-Studies – UK Biobank – Results

	Accuracy	95% CI (Accuracy)	Sensitivity	Specificity
Sensitivity/hurt feelings	0.700	(0.676, 0.724)	0.657	0.740
Ever depressed for a whole week	0.782	(0.760, 0.803)	0.938	0.618
Worrier/anxious feelings	0.730	(0.706, 0.753)	0.721	0.739
Miserableness	0.739	(0.715, 0.762)	0.863	0.548

Cross-validated (random forest) prediction results for four types of mental disorders



What's Next?

- Lots of "open problems" in data-science, e.g.,
 fundamentals of data representation & analytics
- o The SOCR team is developing:
 - Compressive Big Data Analytics (CBDA) technique an ensemble learning meta-algorithm
 - o DS Time-Complexity and Inferential-Uncertainty
- Need lots of community, institutional, state, federal, and philanthropic support to advance data science methods, enhance the computing infrastructure, train/support students/fellows, and tackle the Kryder Law >> Moore Law trend



