

# Anomaly detection

With

## Dynamic Boltzmann machines



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Hi, I'm  
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Let's talk anomaly  
detection!

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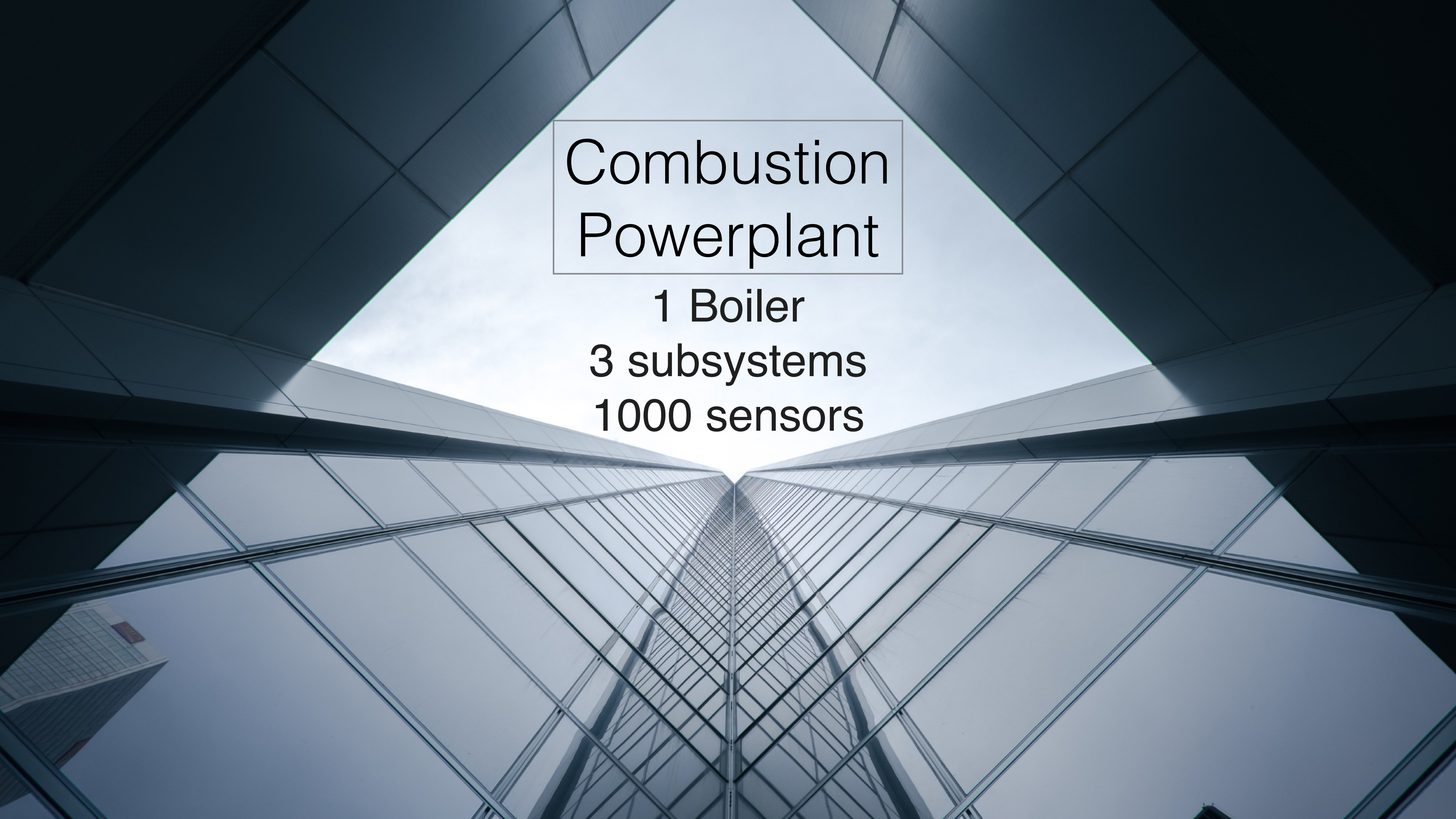
Conclusion



# 1

Studied a a combustion power plant situated in Stockholm. More specifically, one of the six boilers in the plant, Boiler 6. The **goal** is to detect **anomalies** in this system.





# Combustion Powerplant

1 Boiler

3 subsystems

1000 sensors



# What is anomaly detection?

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Anomaly detection are the data points in a data set that does not fit well with the rest of the data, the events or observations are classed as anomalies.

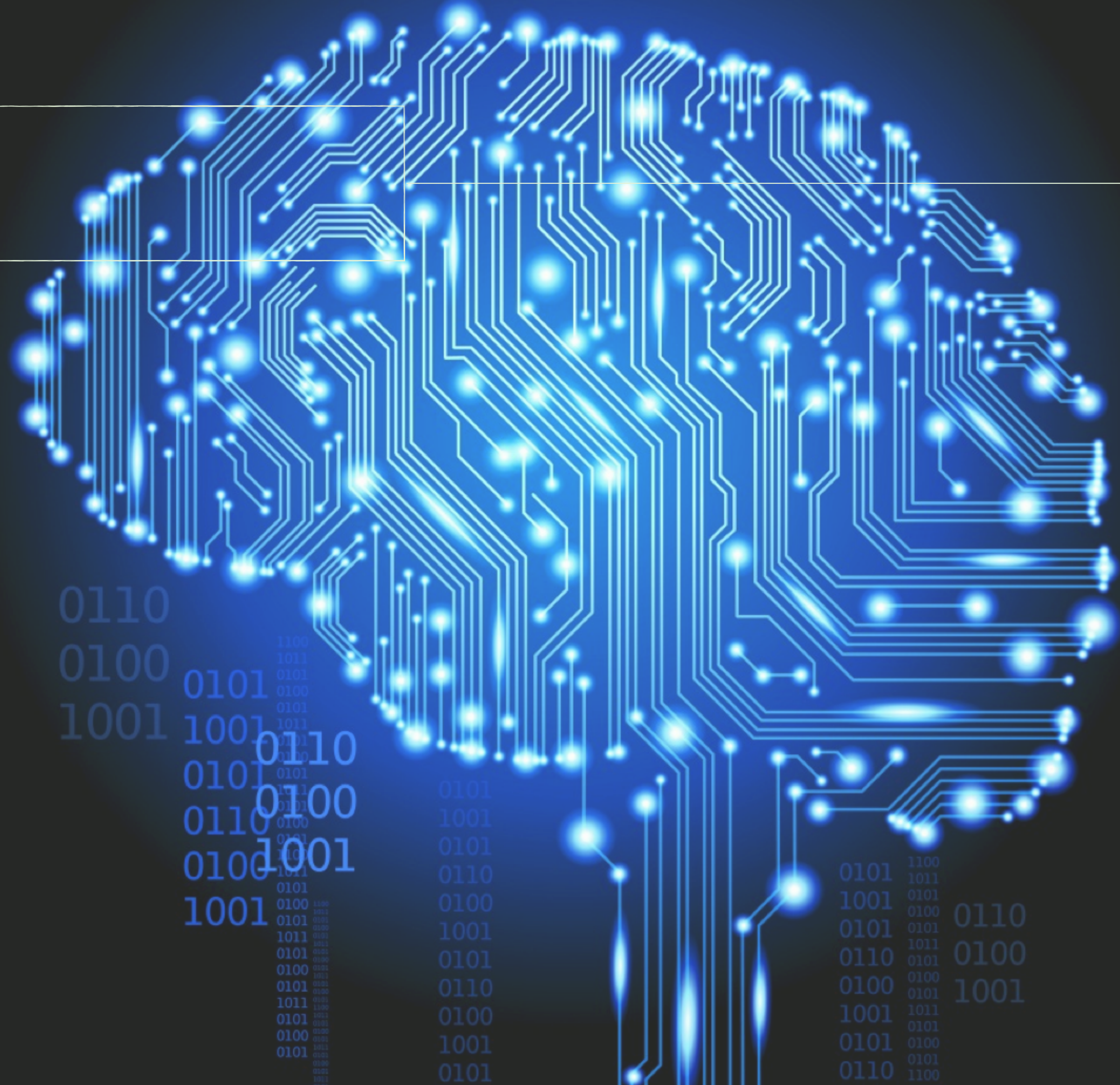
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# Boltzmann machines

- Type of neural network
- Energy based & stochastic model
- Increasing popularity in anomaly detection
- Too slow → Dynamic BM handles this



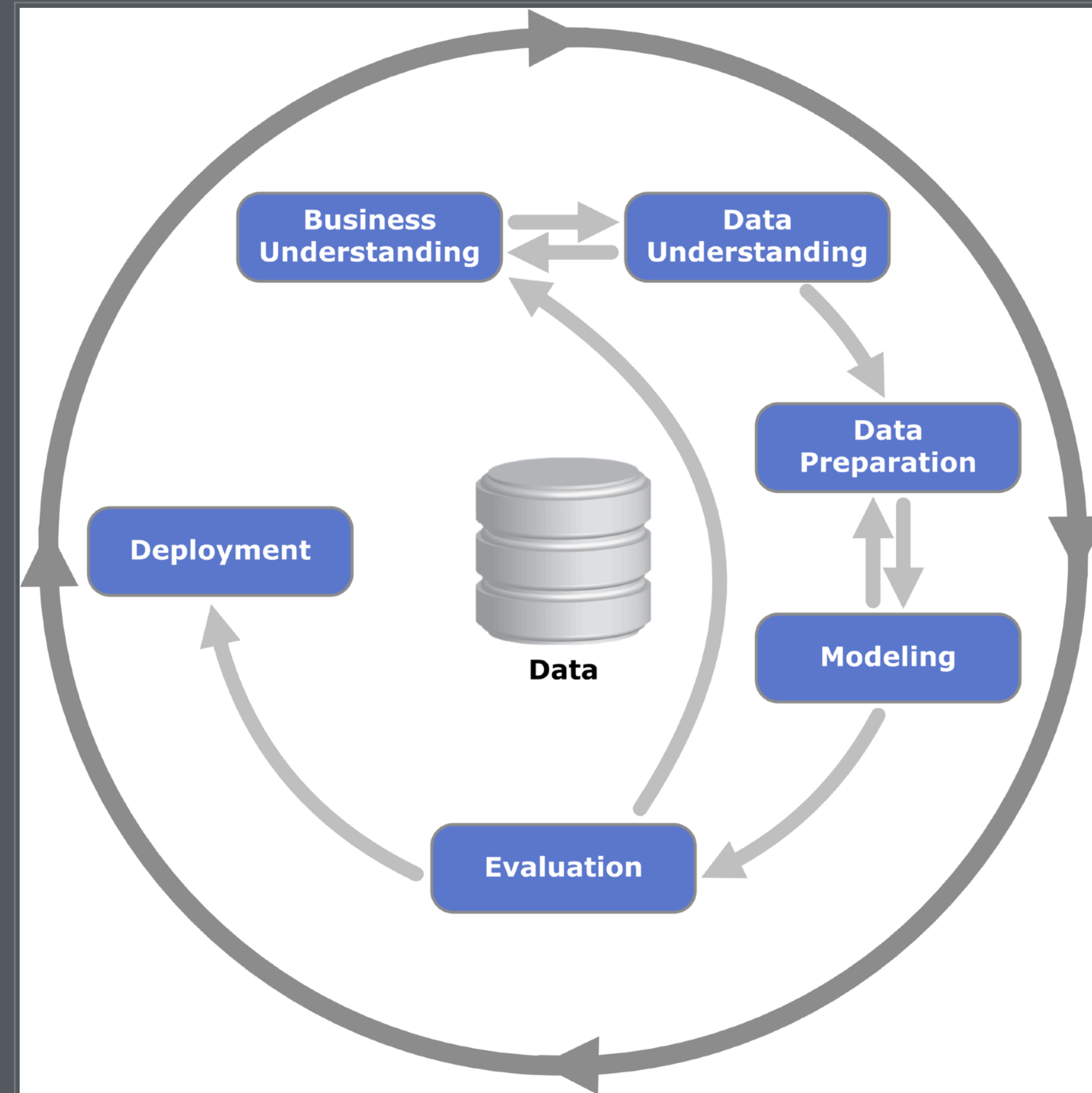


# Methodology

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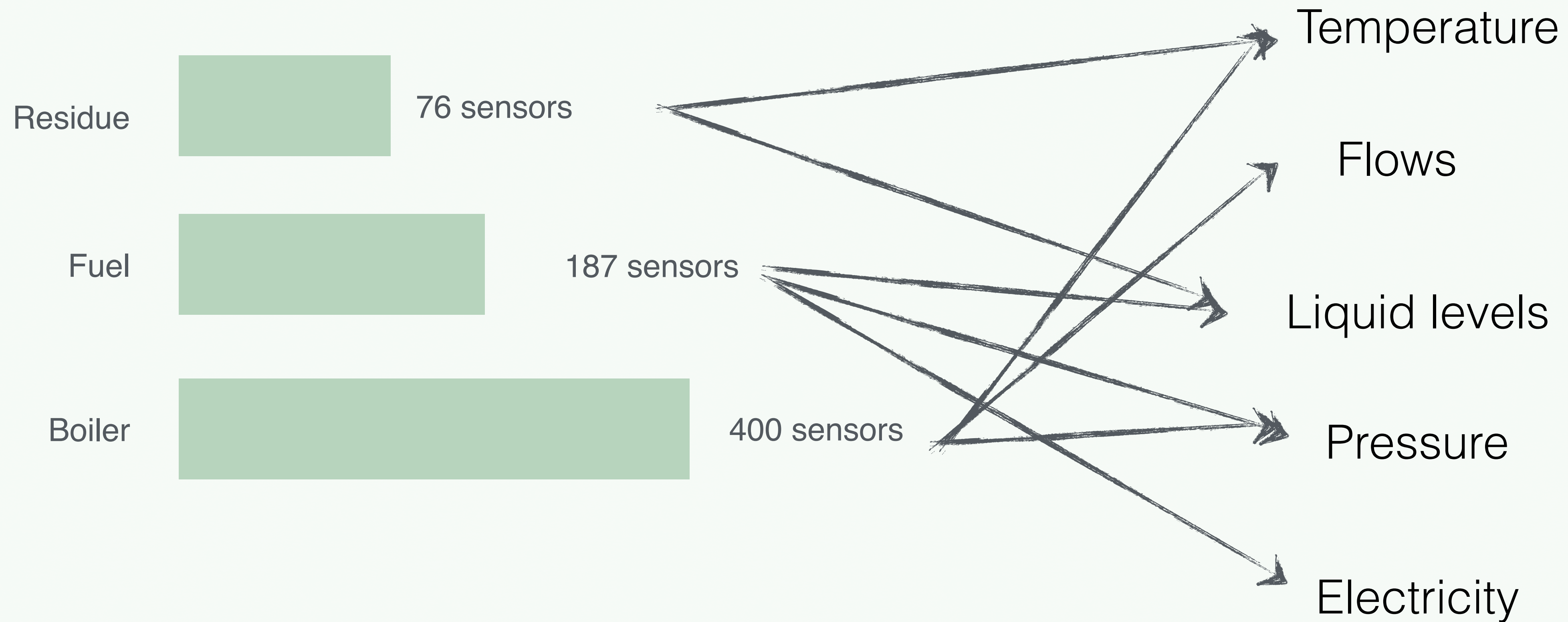


CRISP-DM  
Cross-industry Standard Process



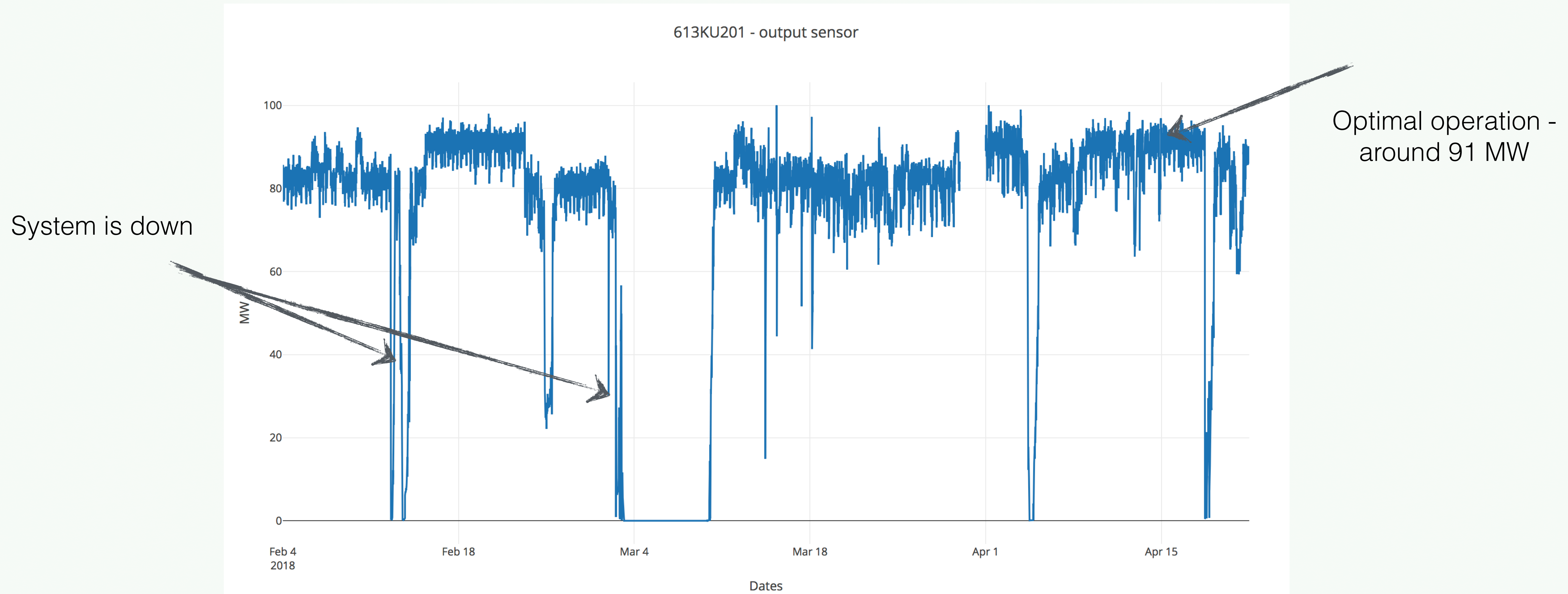


# Subsystems





# HOG.613KU201 System output





# Clusters

## Dimensionality

### Logical

Boiler - 19 clusters

Fuel - 1 clusters

Residue - 2 clusters

Table 1: Subsystems for the Boiler system and the number of variables in them

Name	# var.	Name	# var.
Ammoniak	5	Hjälpånga 40	9
Arbetsluft	4	Kylvatten	21
Avloppsånga 60	17	Manöverluft	2
Brännolja, lätt	18	Mava PN 160	45
FJV,120 C	23	MAVA S 16	9
Friblåsning	15	Pannluft	102
Hjälpånga	3	Pannvatten	7
Rökgaser	113	Sand	10
Sotningsånga	10		

### Correlation

Boiler - 21 cluster

Fuel - 8 clusters

Residue - 5 clusters

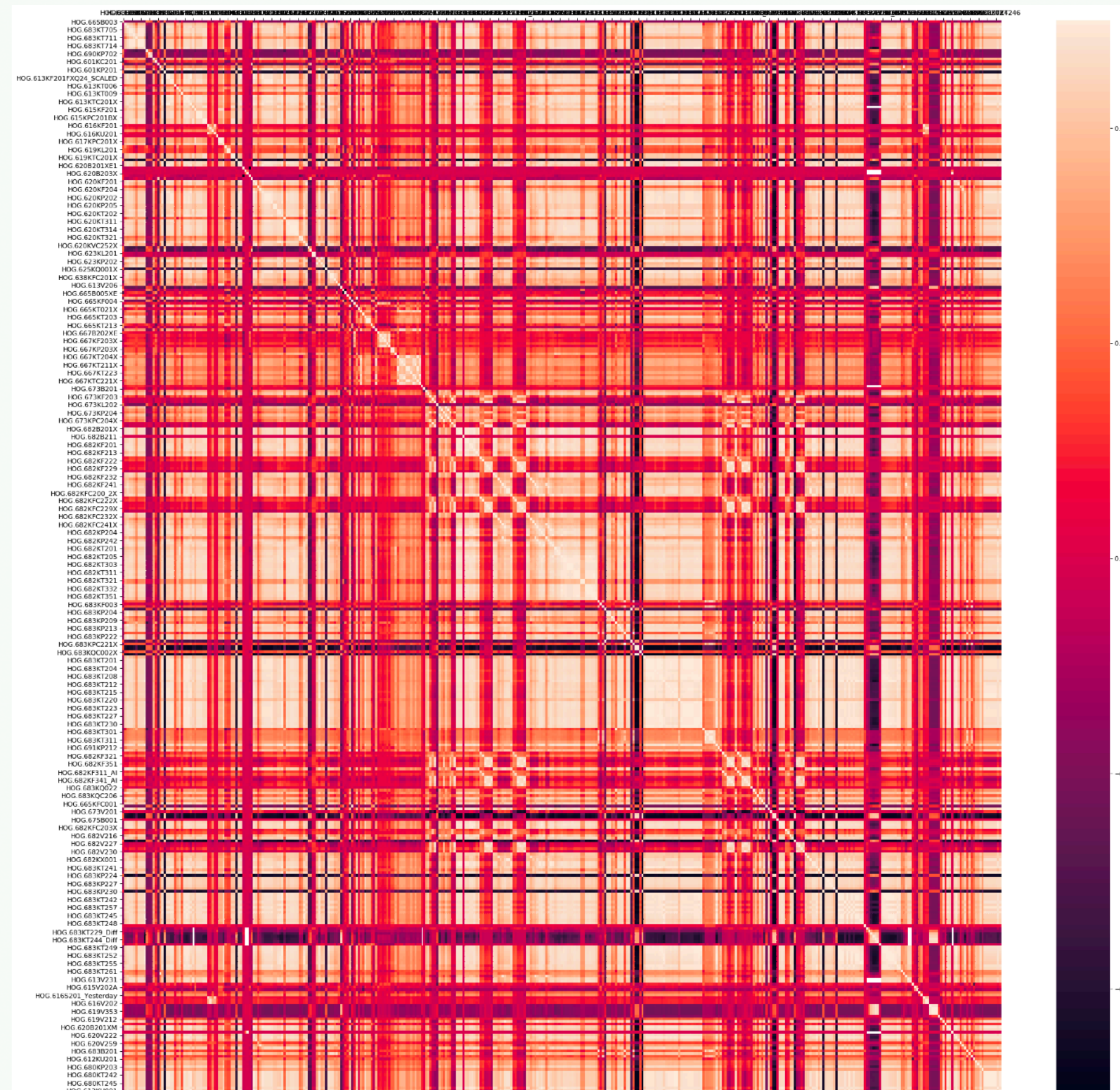
Many uni-variate cluster  
where percentages



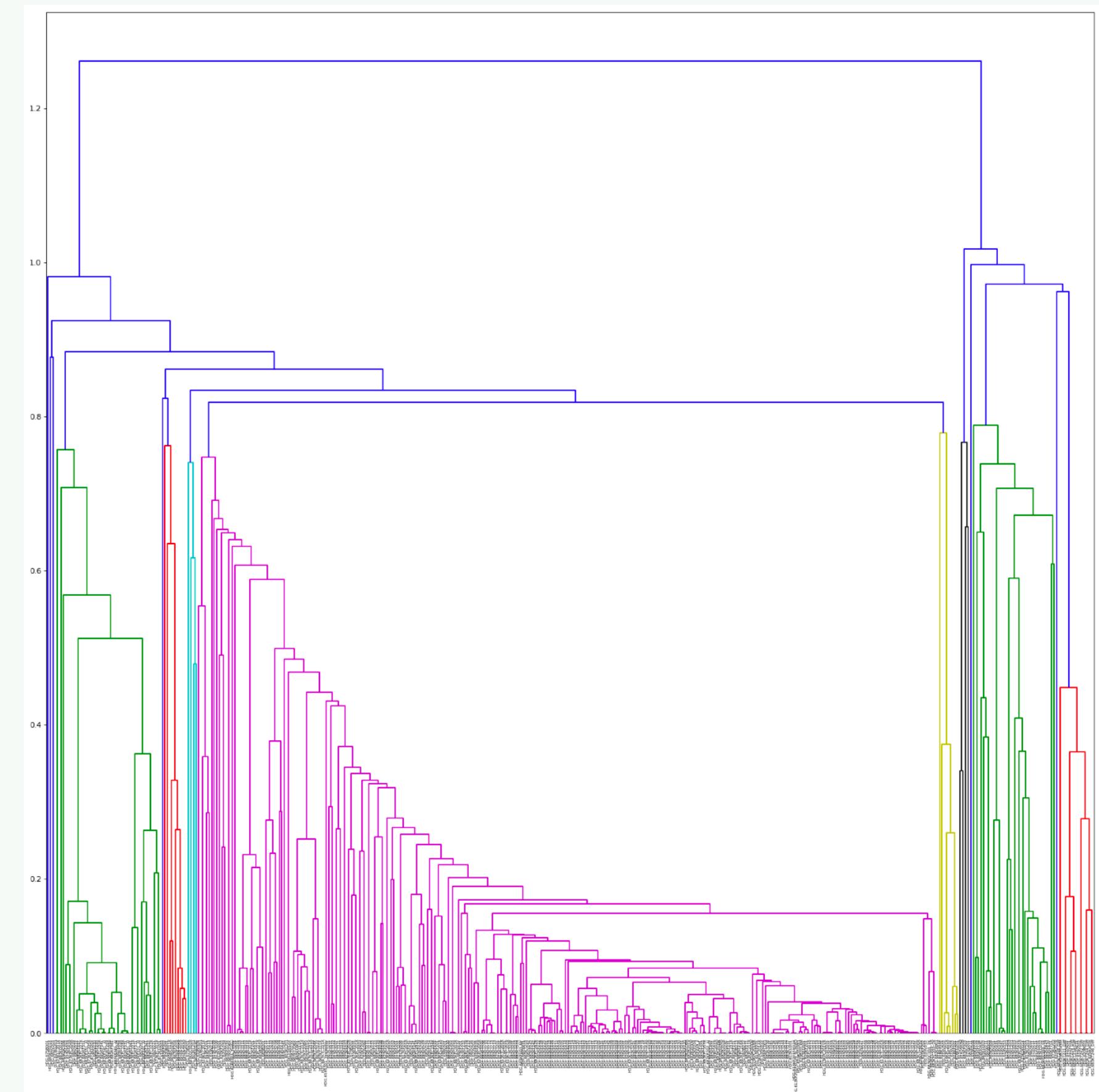
# Mathematical correlations Boiler



None of the uni-variate clusters were modelled



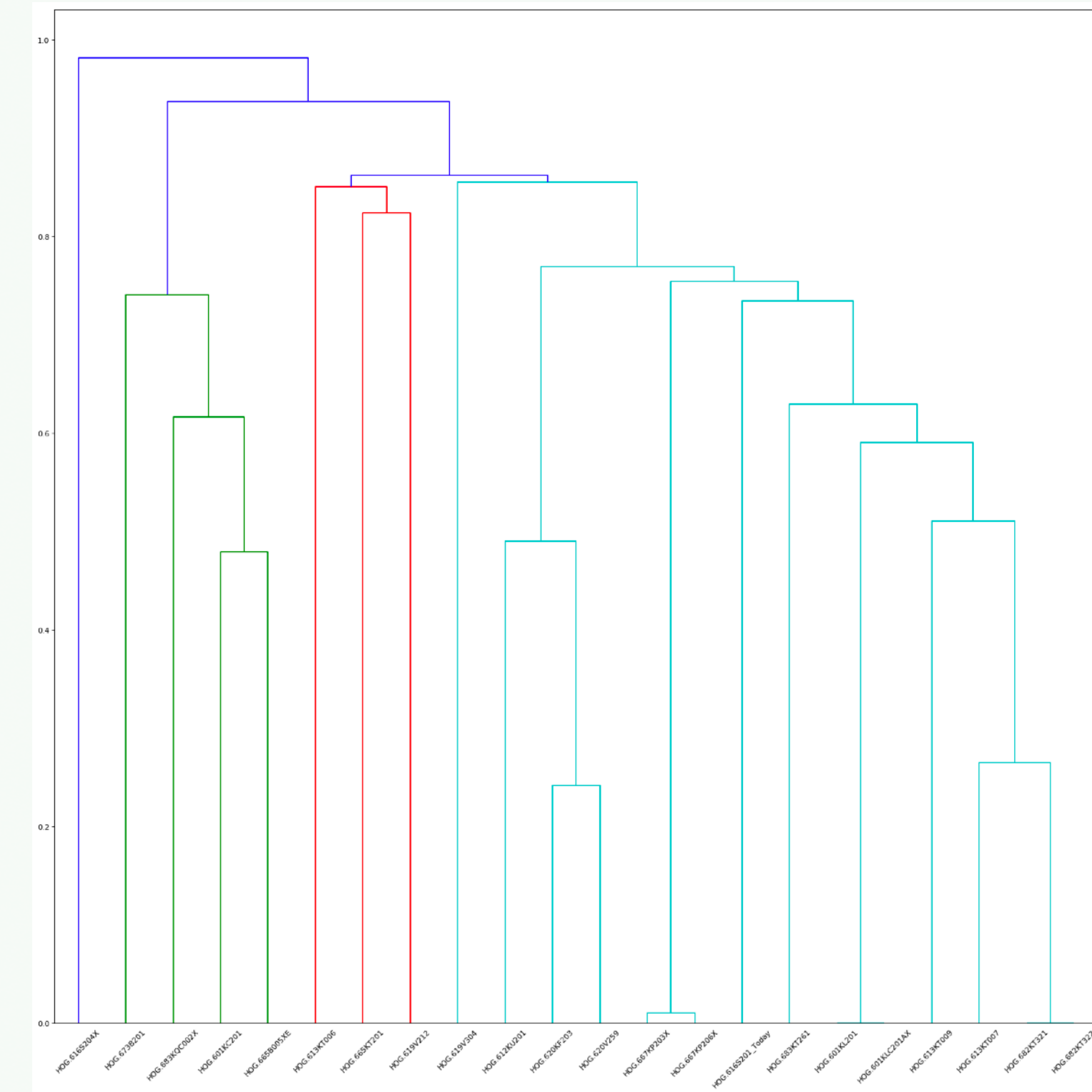
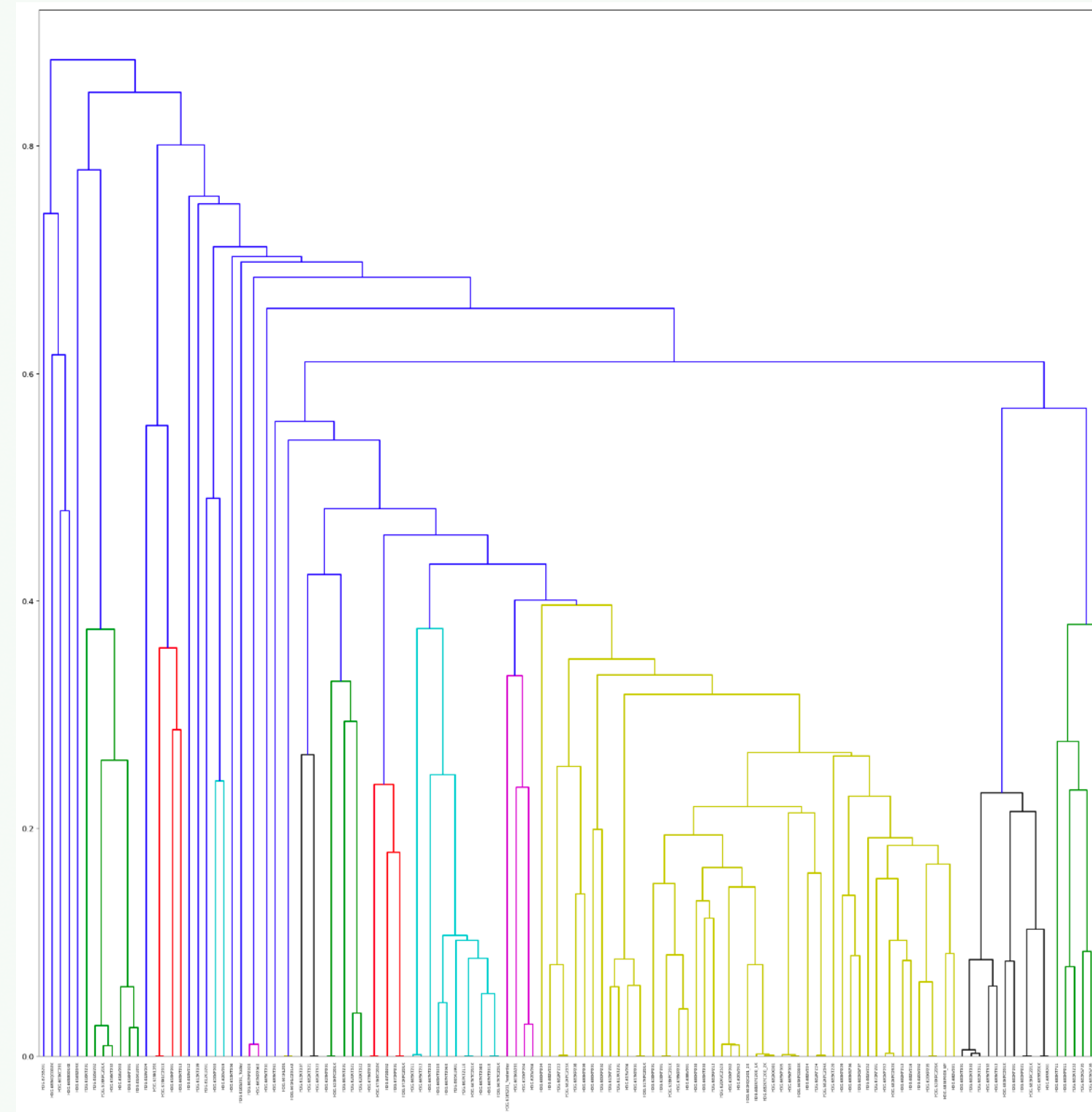
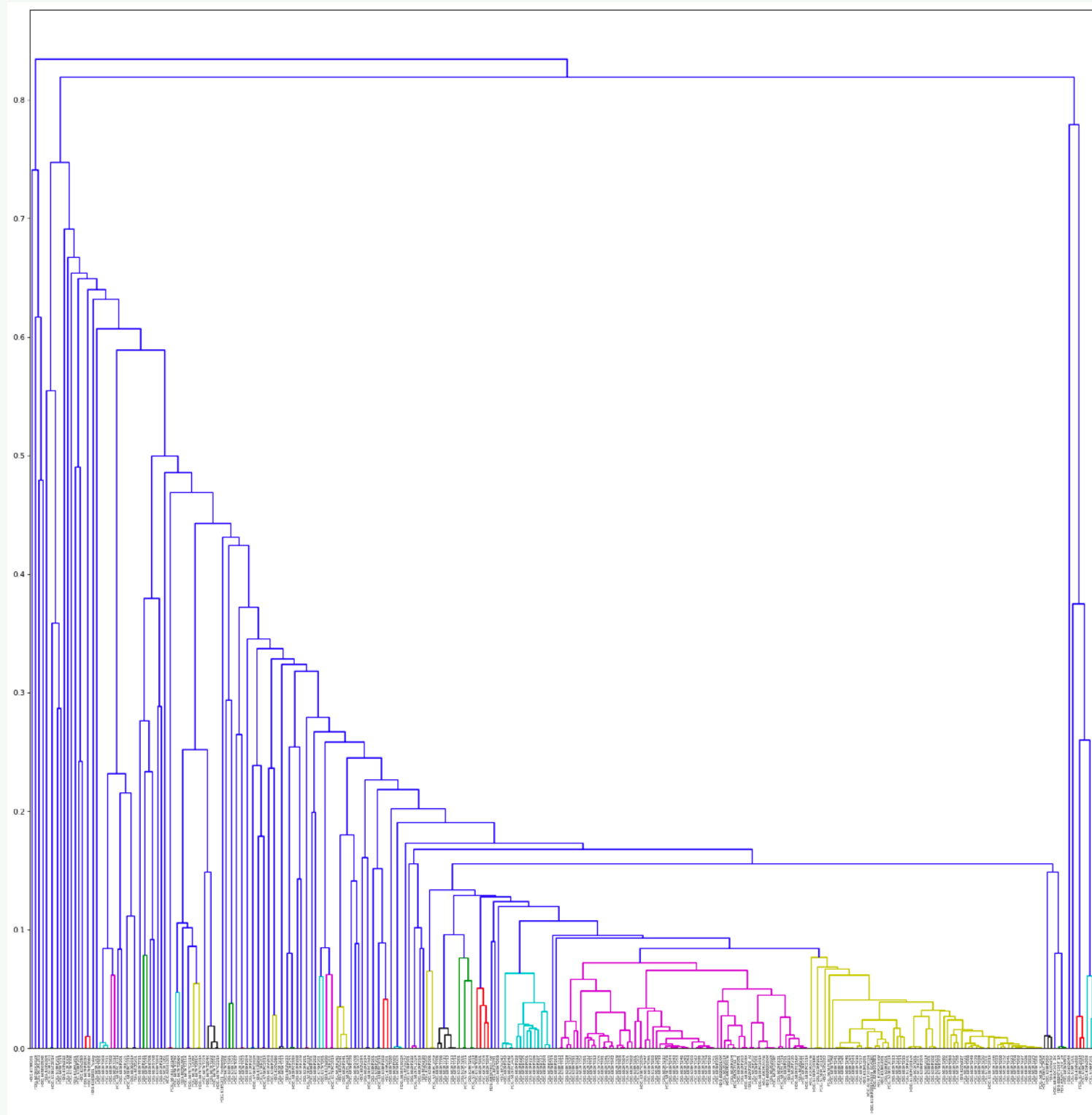
Heatmap - correlation between sensors



Dendrogram - clustering based on averages



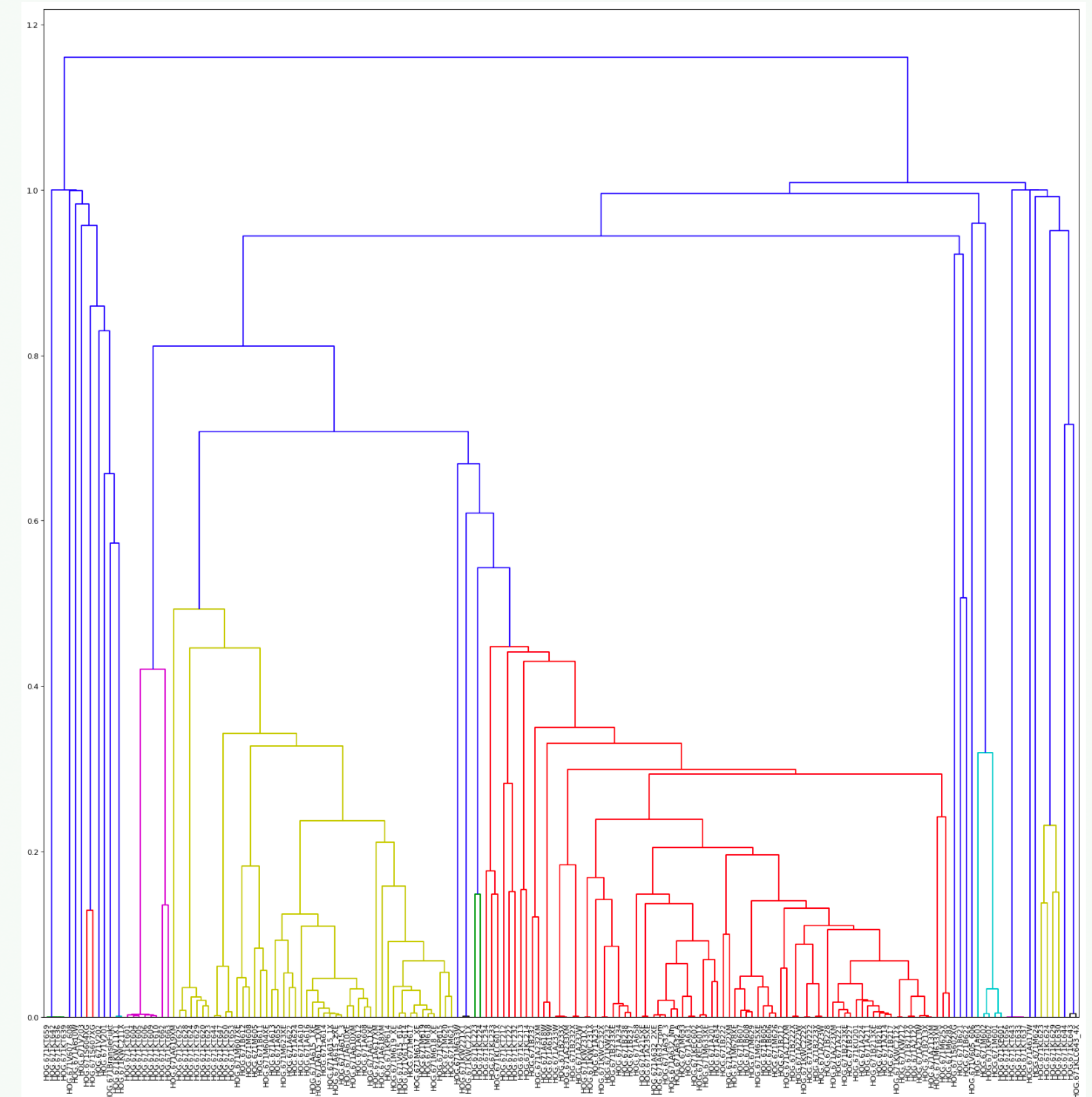
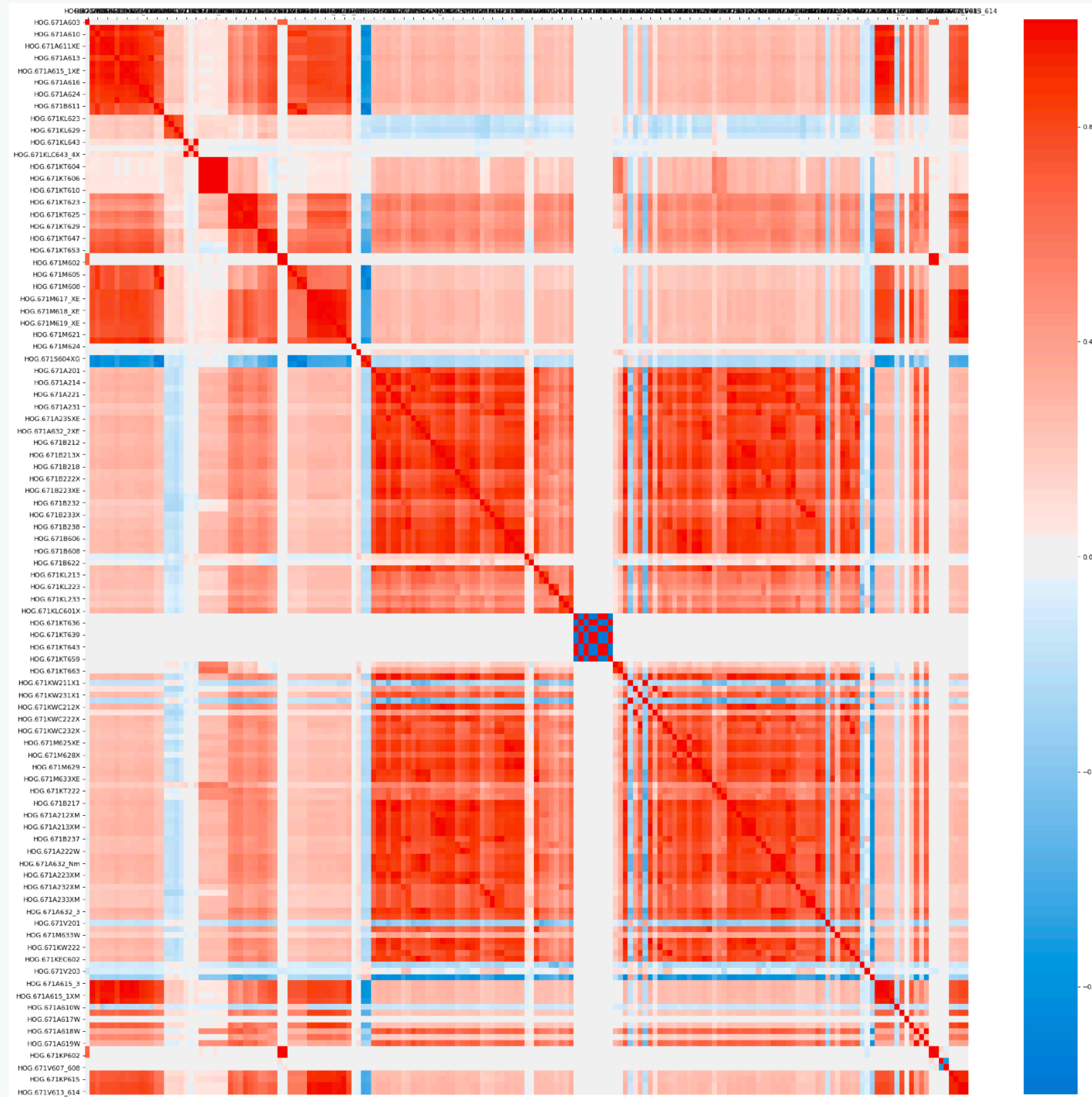
# Mathematical correlations Boiler





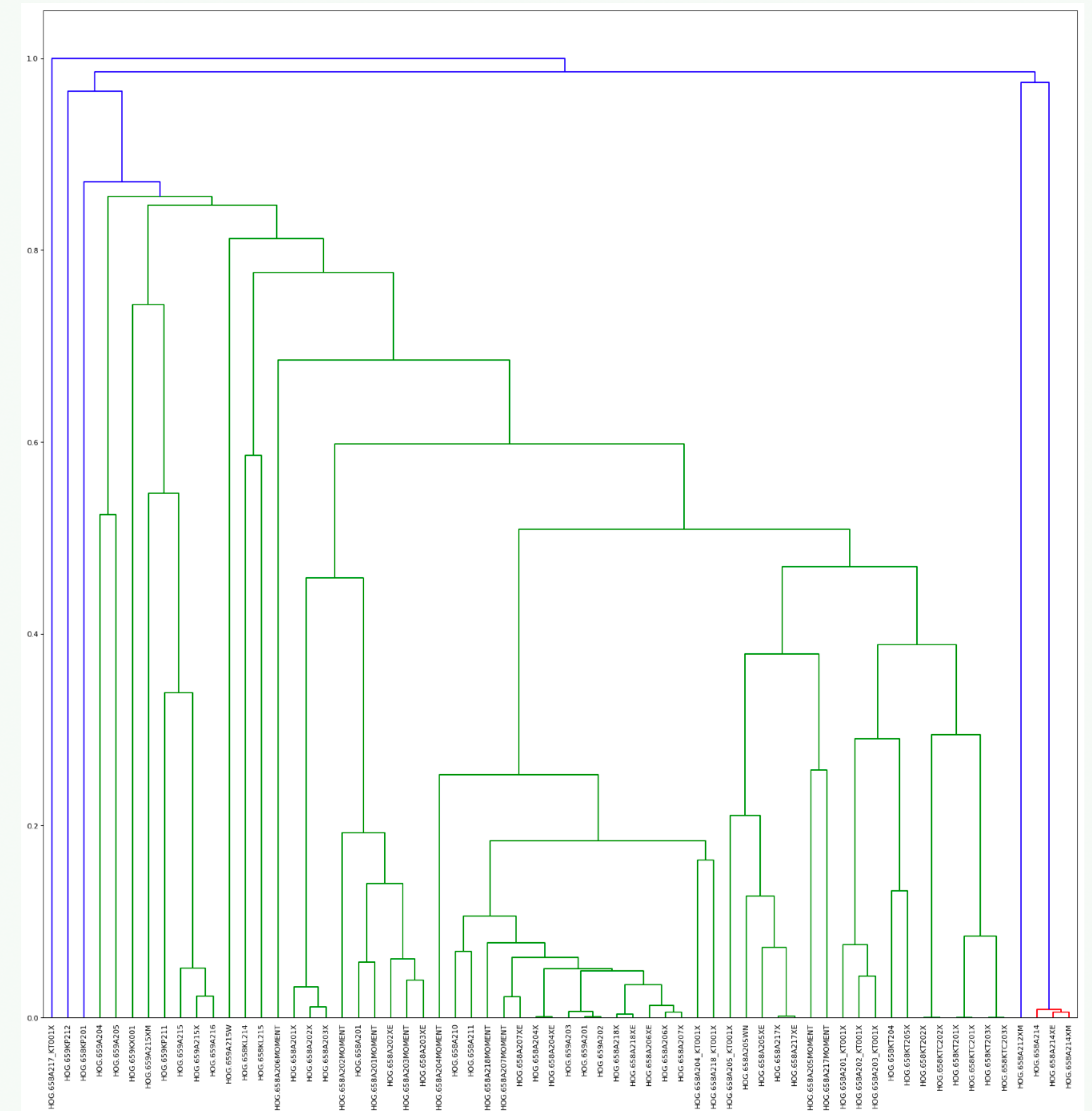
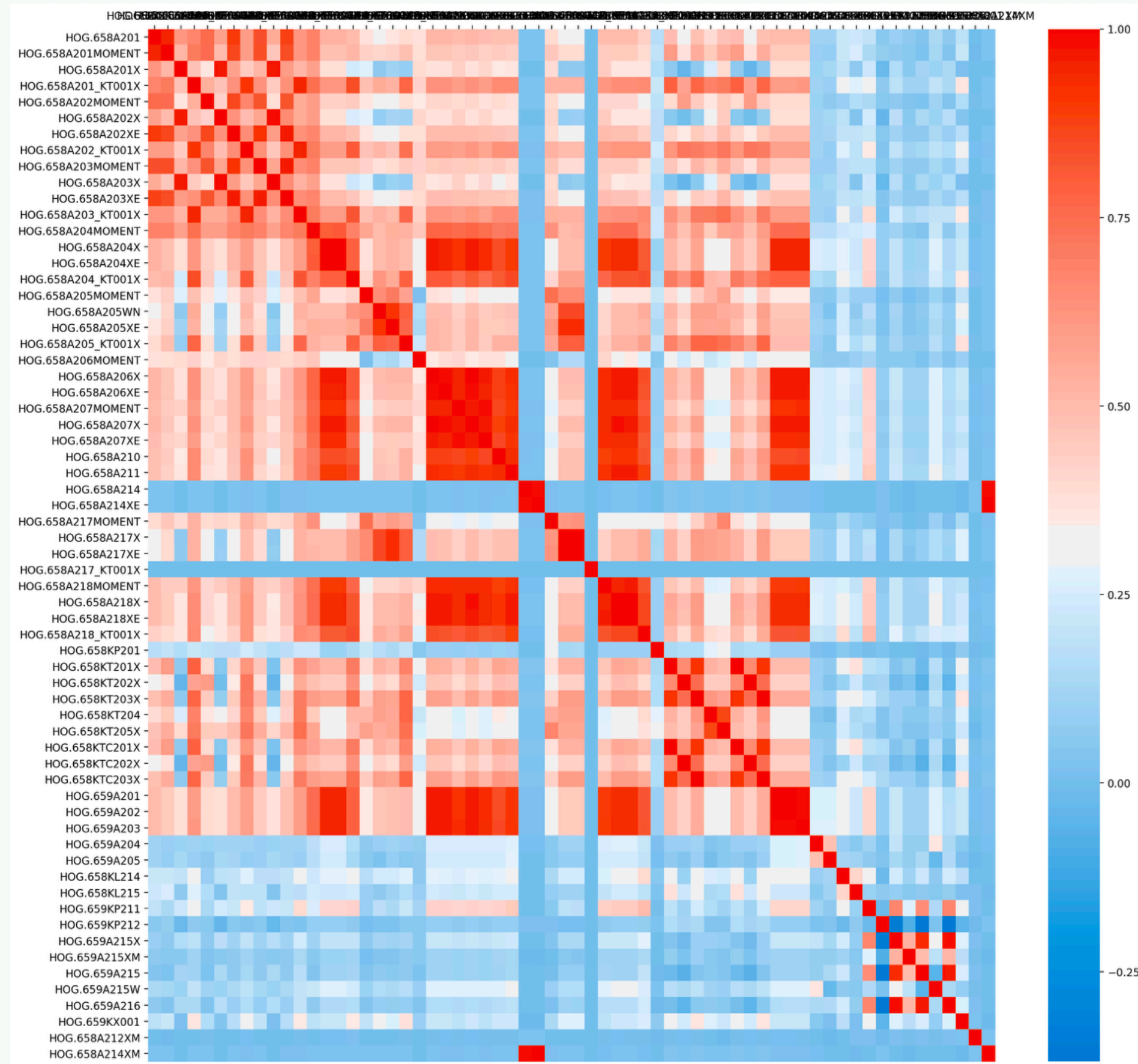
# Mathematical correlations

## Fuel





# Mathematical correlations Residue





# Did logical and mathematical clusters match?



Math cluster	Logic cluster	Total # matches	% matches in math	% matches in logic	# math vars	# logic vars
1	Kylvatten	4	100	19	4	21
2	Pannluft	4	100	3	4	107
3	Rökgaser	6	100	5	6	114
4	Hjälpånga 40	2	40	22	5	9
4	Friblåsning	2	40	13	5	15
5	Avloppsånga 60	1	25	5	4	19
5	Pannluft	3	75	2	4	107
6	Rökgaser	10	71	9	14	114
6	Pannluft	4	28	4	14	107
7	Rökgaser	19	27	17	70	114



## Did logical and mathematical clusters match?



Sort off

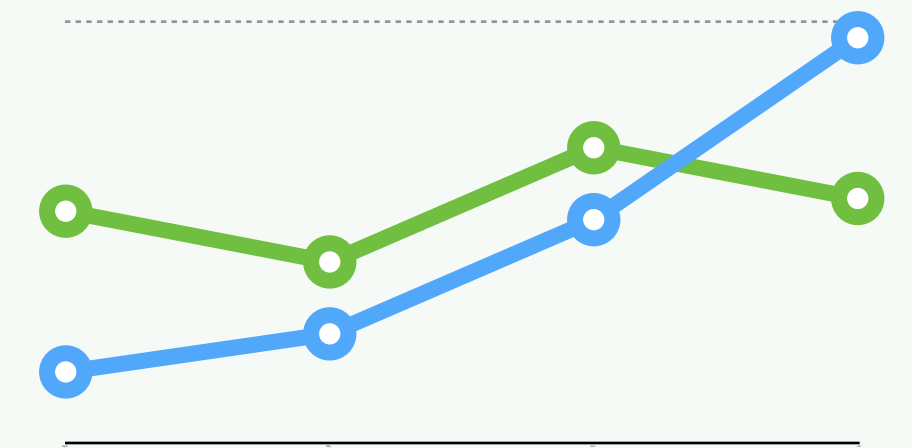
Math clusters more precise

Not as strong correlation in logical groups as believed



# Modeling

One model for each cluster -  
34 different models!



Setting the correct parameters such as  
learning rate, decay rate, delay and  
threshold

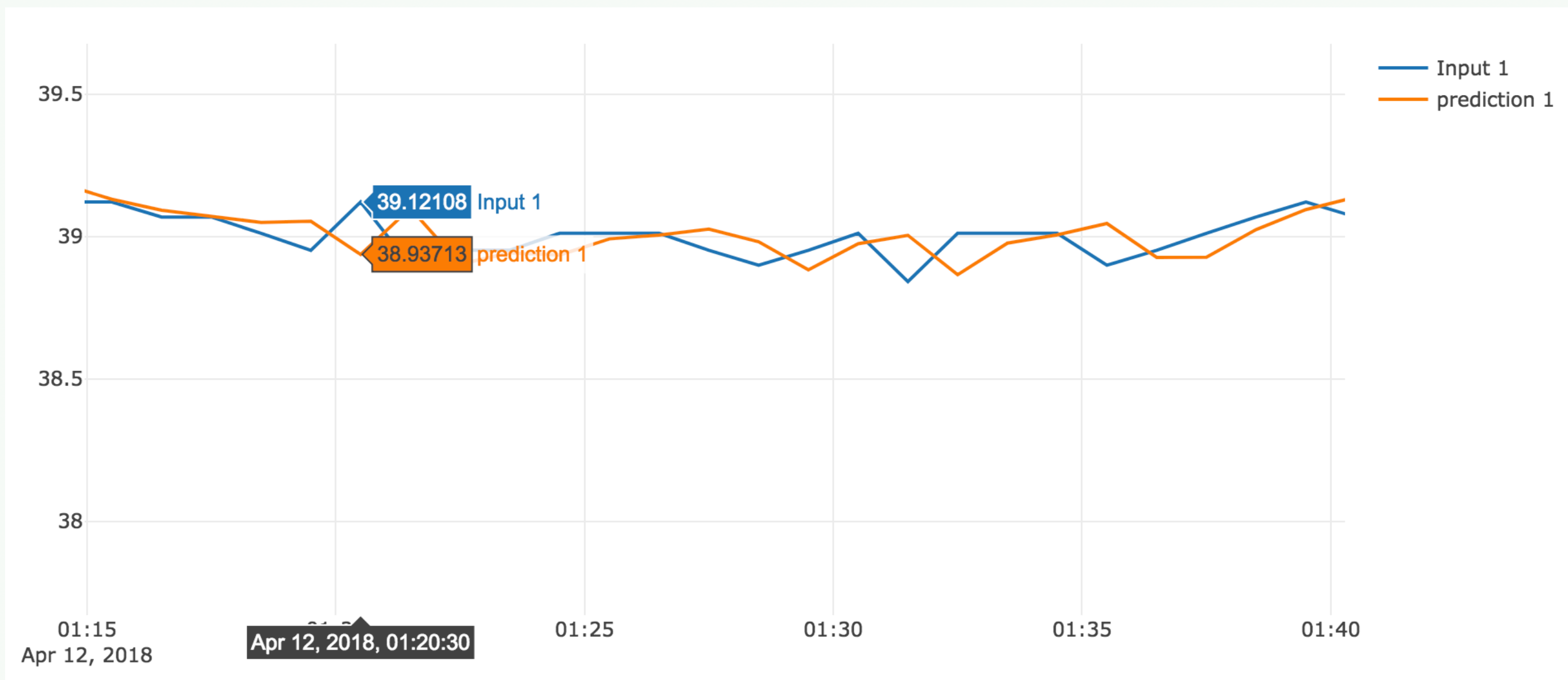
Creating a multivariate Model

Optimize parameters with RMSE

40/60 ratio on training & test  
data



# Calculating the multivariate

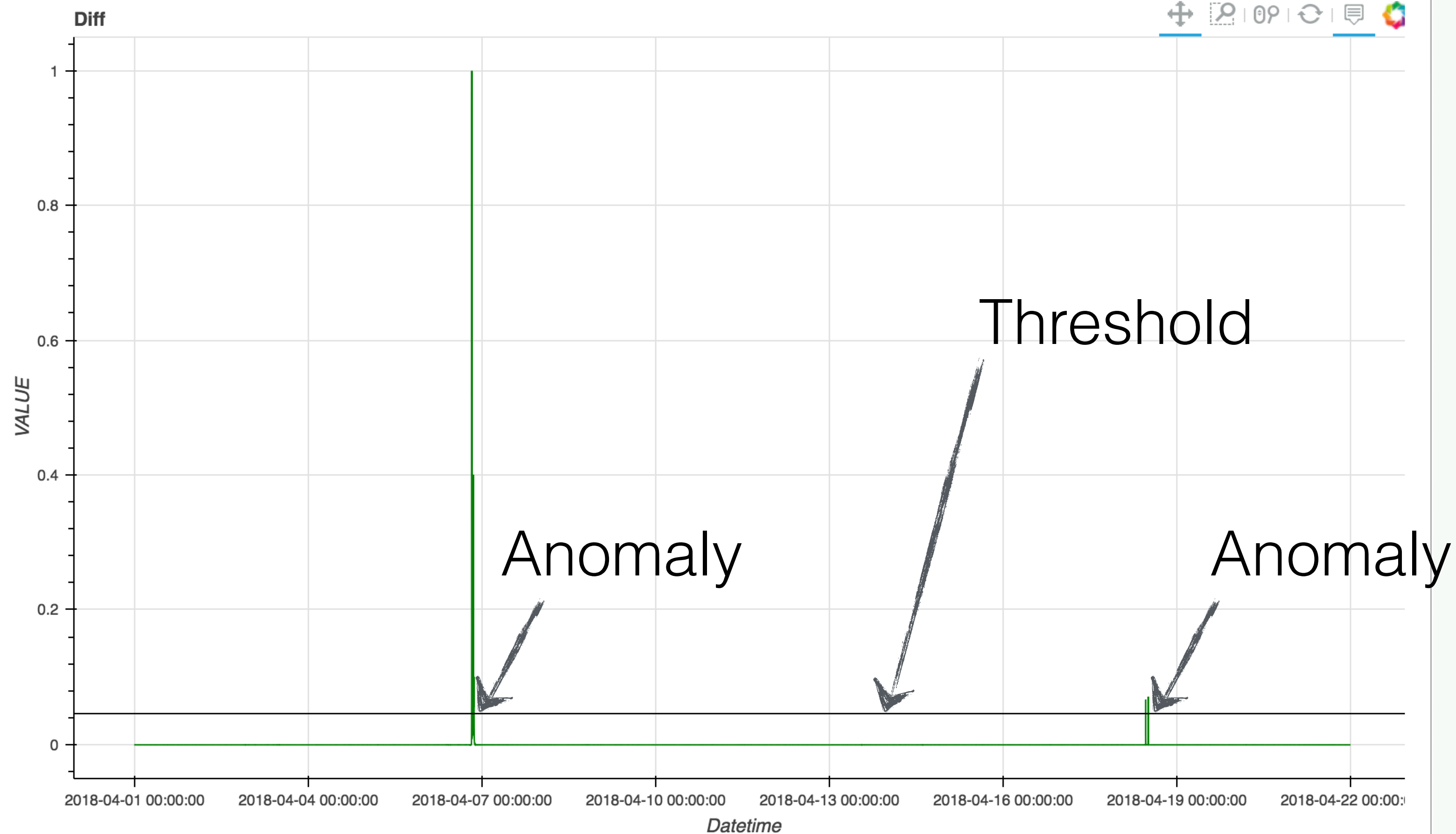


1. Take difference between input and prediction for all vectors, normalize and sum them all together
2. Calculate the Interquartile range

Issue: How to take into account different magnitudes of sensors?  
Do they all contribute as much?



# Determining the threshold



Threshold is determined by the upper interquartile range



# Precision & Recall Boiler Clusters

Issue:

Converting to hourly resolution vs minute.

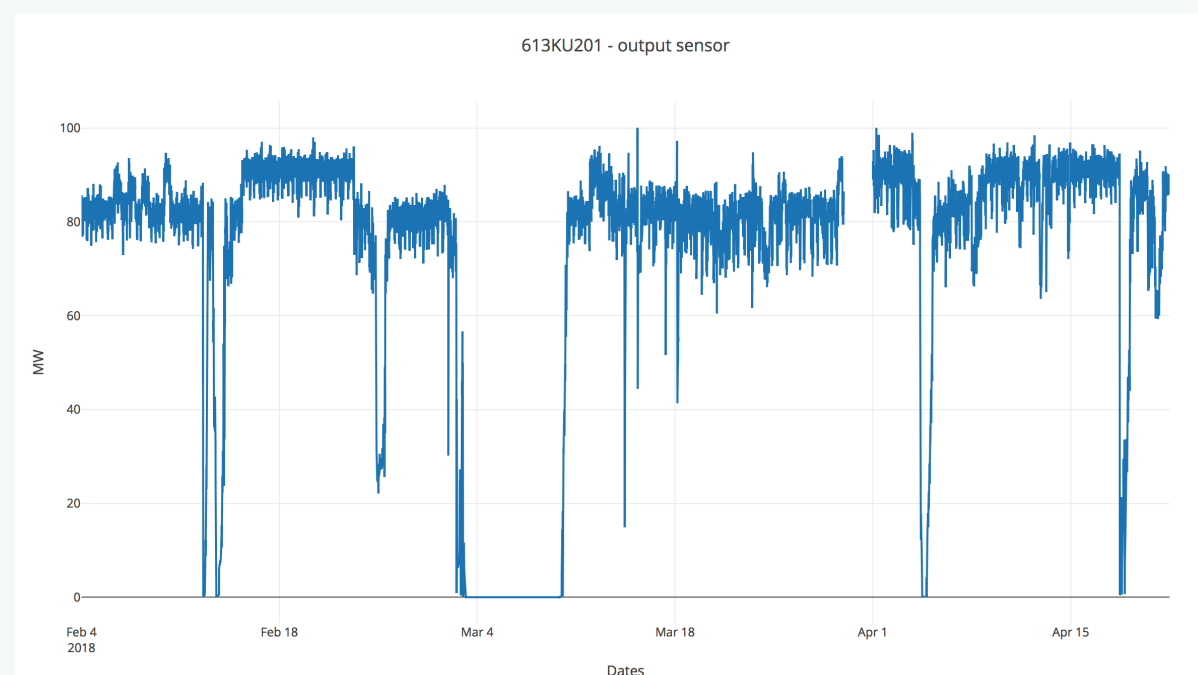
PPCR identifies the percentage of the total population that is flagged

Including all clusters give 100% PPCR

Precision: 65%  
Recall: 46%  
Accuracy: 55%  
PPCR: 41%



209 anomaly hours during 1-22 April





# Conclusion

Many open questions still, what is the best threshold method, when to use a more simple method etc.

Good results visually, hard to quantify without better labelled data.



Thank you!

