### Preprocessing Motion Capture Data for AudioMaze Project

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# 0. Watch the movie (819\_F1) to compare before and after correction

- Signal loss is generally severe.
- The channel on the right knee is missing throughout the recording.

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### 1. LED marker locations and indices



### 2. Flow of preprocessing

- 1. Fitting rigid bodies within a block.
- 2. Fitting rigid bodies within a subject if any marker is missing.
- 3. Fitting rigid bodies across subjects if any marker is missing.
- 4. Detect and interpolate outliers in non-rigid-body markers.

### 3. Definition of 5 rigid bodies



### 4. Algorithm for rigid-body fitting

#### Within-block correction:

- Create a rigid-body template by taking *nanmedian()* across frames with >= 3 LED markers present.
- 2. Fit the rigid-body template to the frames with >= 3 LED markers present.
- 3. Interpolate missing datapoints in frames with < 3 LED markers using temporal filtering and spline interpolation, then fit the rigid body.

#### Within-subject, between-block correction:

- 1. Load all within-subject blocks and check if block-wise dead LED markers.
- 2. Create a rigid-body template by taking average across blocks.
- 3. Apply the rigid-body template to interpolate only the missing LED markers.

#### **Across-subject correction:**

- 1. Load all data to check if subject-wise dead LED markers.
- 2. Create a rigid-body template by taking average across subjects.
- 3. Apply the rigid-body template to interpolate only the missing LED markers.

5. Algorithm for non-rigid-body interpolation

#### Single-channel correction based on distance to rigid body:

- 1. Measure distance between a rigid-body and non-rigid-body markers.
- 2. If the distance goes beyond median\*1.5, spline-interpolate them.

#### Single/multiple-channel correction using 'same posture' interpolation:

- 1. Measure distances to two connecting LED markers.
- 2. Take geometric mean of the two distances: If both go large, the LED marker position is wrong; if only one of the two goes large, one of the two neighboring LED marker positions is wrong—in this case, geometric mean suppresses values than arithmetic mean.
- 3. Convert the geometric mean distances into Z-scores.
- 4. Define Z-score > 1.5 as bad channels & frames, while Z-score < 90 percentile as good channels & frames used for interpolation.
- 5. Find 'same posture' frames where target rigid body locations are close (i.e., within 1 percentile distance) to the current frame.
- 6. Obtain the non-rigid-body channel locations in these frames.
- 7. Compute weighted mean depending on distance.



6. Neural network for missing channels (ongoing)



### Train neural network on the left leg so that when B is input, A is output.

- 1. Measure coordinates of A and B relative to O.
- 2. Select those data points whose distance to O is within 90%-tile of its distribution.
- 3. Train neural network so that when B is input, A is output.

## Recover the right knee by feeding the right foot to the trained neural network.

- 1. Measure coordinates for B' relative to O'.
- 2. Feed B's coordinate to the learned neural network to obtain that of A'.
- 3. Mirror-reverse the A's coordinate.



### Comparison

	Time	Accuracy
Same-posture interpolation	Slow (24h) for 1 subject	Good 1-2 cm for the arm
Neural network	Fast (10 min) Just learning time.	Not confirmed But looks promising

### 7. EEGLAB Plugin project



Non-rigid-body correction