

Data-driven Bike Fitting

Automatic bike fitting based on novel data-driven decision making processes

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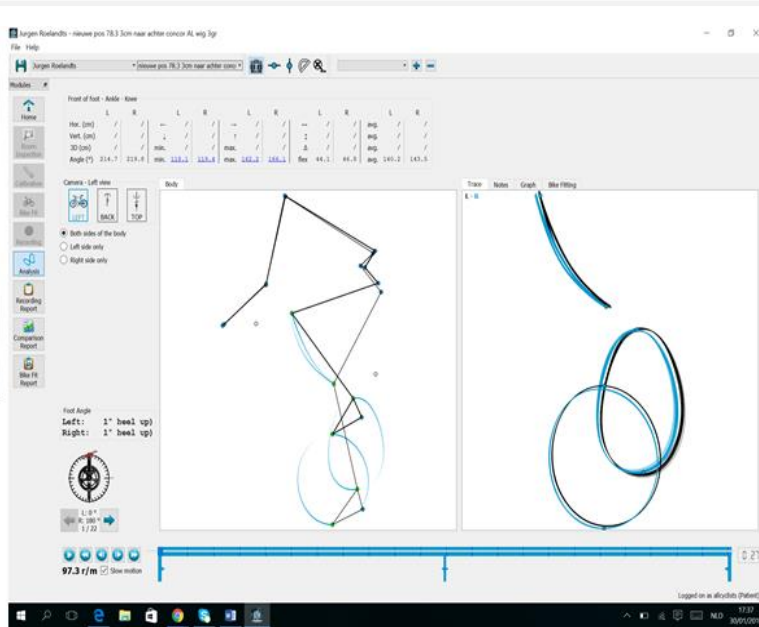
TRADITIONAL BIKE FITTING

During bike fitting sessions, the optimal bicycle rider position is determined by expert scoring.



motion capturing system

**BIKEFITTING
EXPERT**



120 fps, 6 cameras, 20 markers

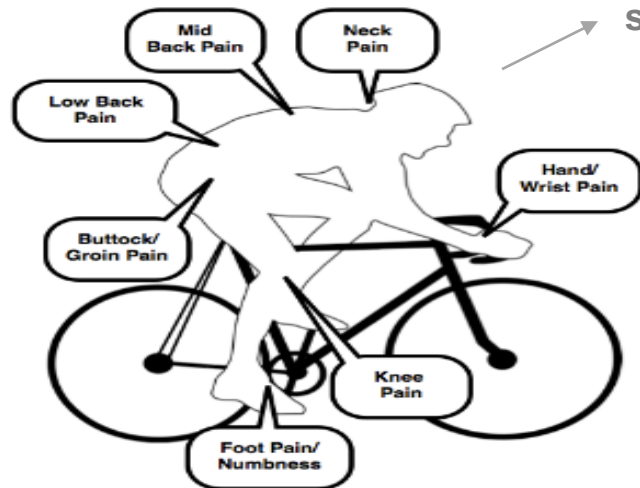


TRADITIONAL BIKE FITTING: PROBLEMS

Expert subjectivity

Time-consuming, labor-intensive process.

Comfort | Performance | Injury prevention

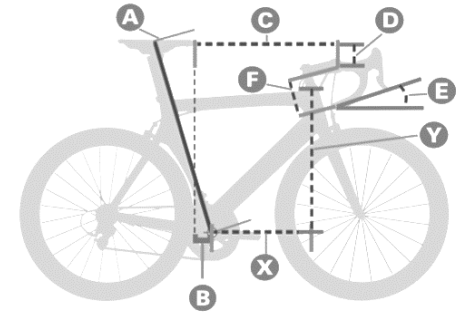


scattered & random remedies

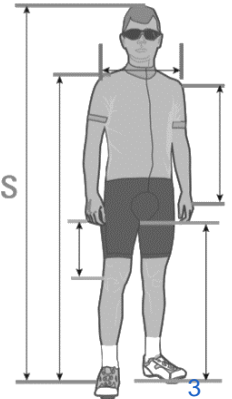


group of experts – consensus?

Bike Sizing



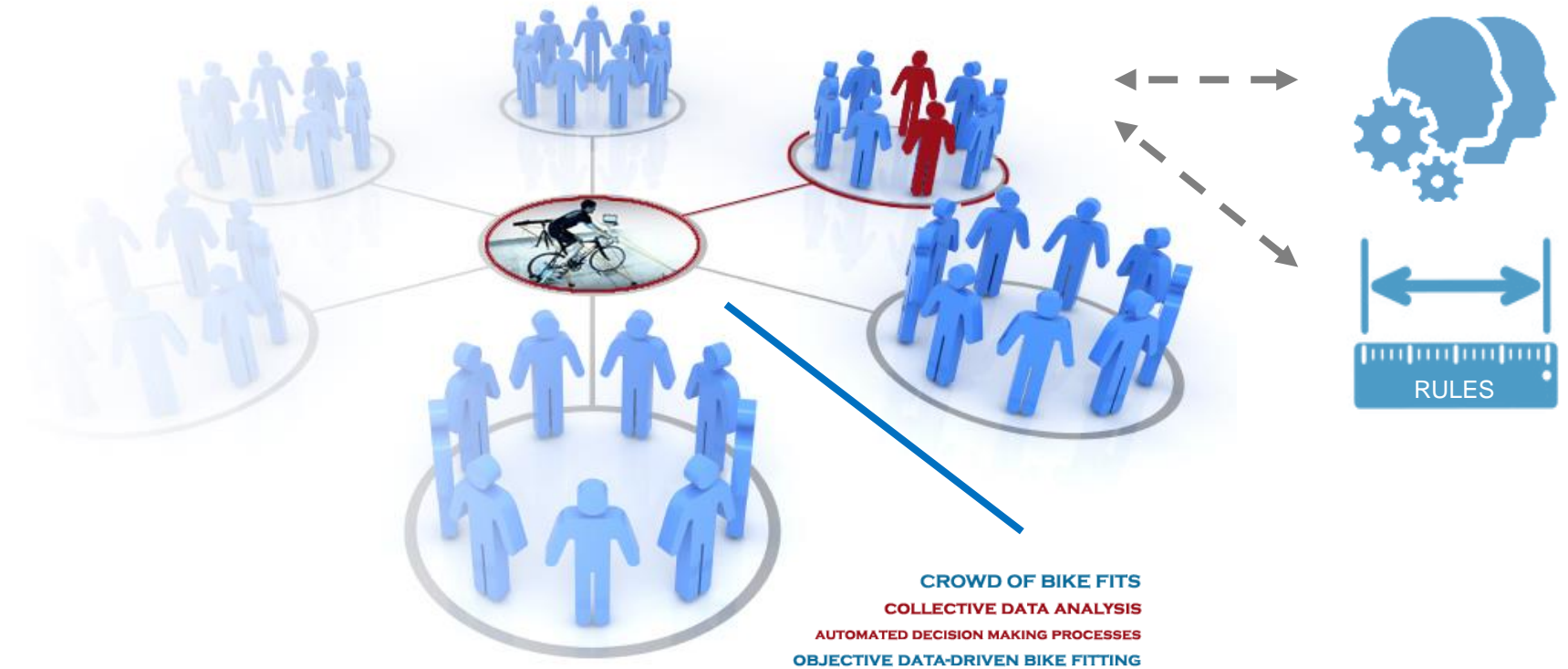
& Body Measurements



Subjectivity within the group of experts

- different bikefitters
- different bikefitting systems
- different “optimal” position?
 - knowledge
 - background
 - system
- analyzing differences
- what is really optimal?

SOLUTION – DATA-DRIVEN BIKE FITTING



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CHALLENGE

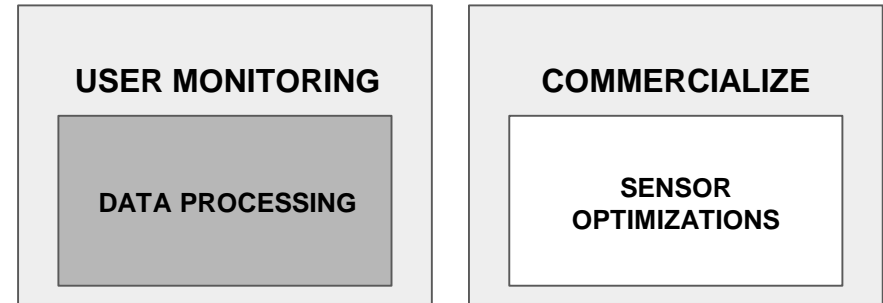
How to make sense of the data for non-experts?

Efficient, accurate, fast and user-friendly fitting

FOCUS #1 - data processing

FOCUS #2 - user feedback/experience

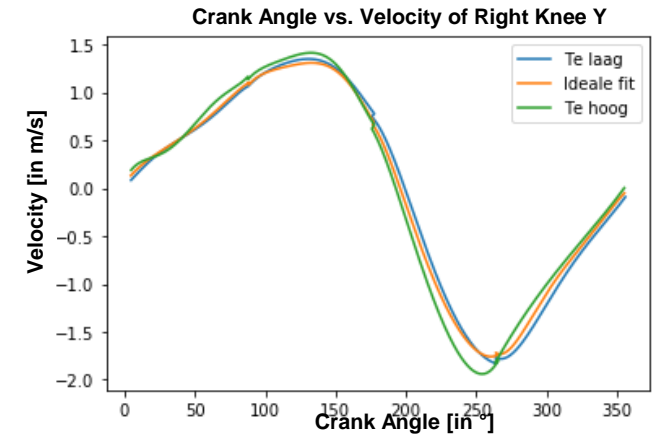
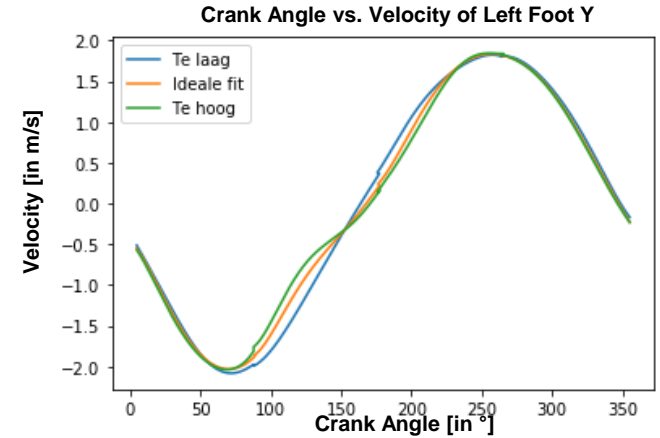
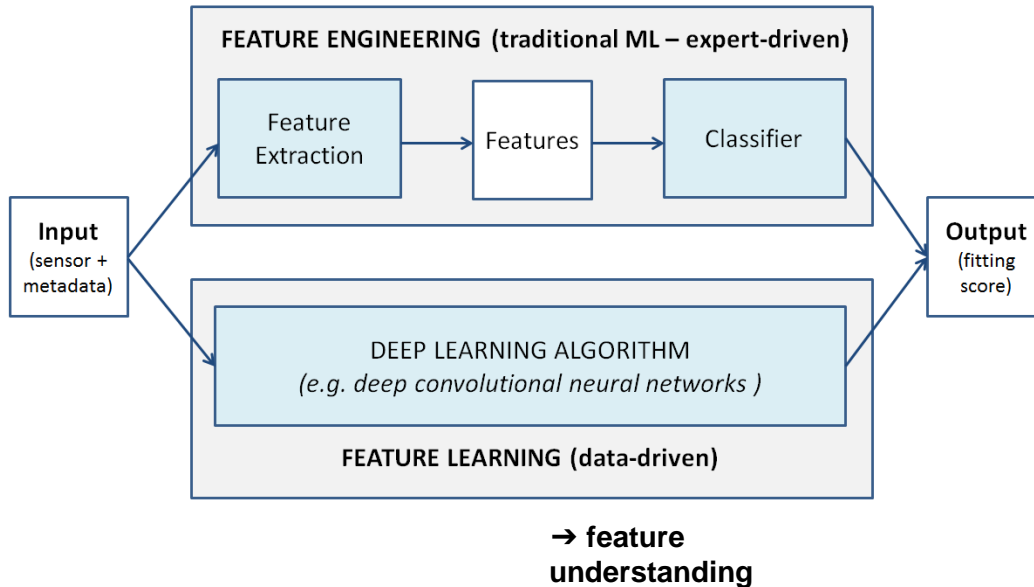
**FOCUS #3 - sensor optimizations
(complementary activity of Bioracer Motion)**



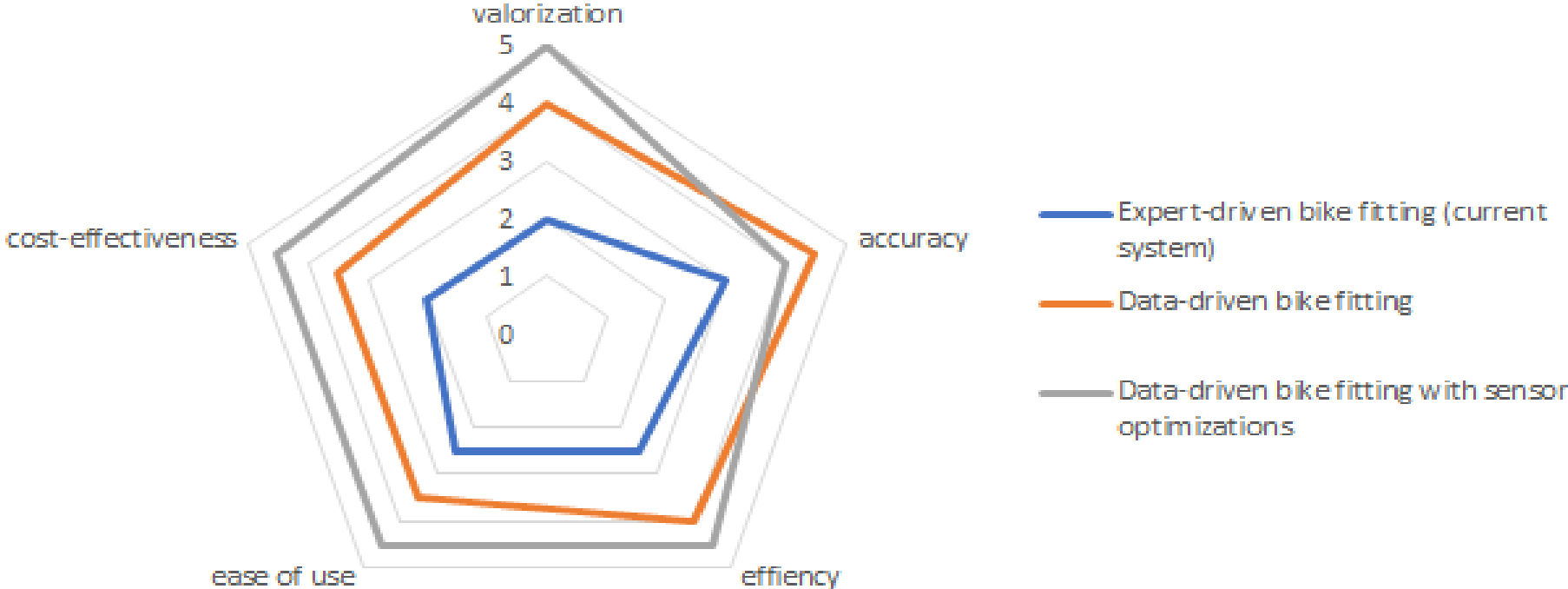
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Feature engineering vs. feature learning

Annotated datasets and meta-data



DATA-DRIVEN FITTING – IMPACT





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