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# Analysis and Comparison of Complex National Dietary Surveys by Statistical and Machine Learning: Methods and Applications in Nutritional Epidemiology

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-Methods to identify dietary behaviour/nutritional patterns by multivariate statistics/machine learning methods with public health applications, e.g. for comparisons across countries/populations or across time;

-Methods to predict or explain health outcomes based on dietary patterns derived from national nutrition survey data;

-Application of causal inference methodology to answer substantive nutrition questions from complex survey data.

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