Supporting Information for

Bird's Decision to Shift the Direction of Migration Path Depends on the Position of Sun as well as Moon: A Directional Statistical Inference

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1. Author contributions statement

D.C. designed & conceptualized the overall research and associated interdisciplinary portions. P.G. collected/prepared the datasets and performed code-based analysis (mainly using R and Python) and relevant modifications. A.B. supervised the alignments of relevant earth science-related theories and methodologies. P.G., D.C., and A.B. all wrote and reviewed the manuscript.

2. Details about the Datasets

A. Dataset 1: American Region Bird path. We have compiled a data set of 620 observations from online resources (1), where we specifically focused on the. Birds of the American region. The dataset contains six bird species' names, migration path latitude, longitude, and observation date. The dataset contains different bird species' names, migration path latitude, longitude, and observation date.

- **Swainson's hawk**: The Swainson's hawk is a raptor with a thin body and narrow wings that migrates impressive distances. Swainson's hawks rely heavily on thermals and typically avoid crossing water from which thermals rarely rise. The entire population of Swainson's hawks must migrate through the narrow land bridge between North and South America, often in massive flocks of hundreds of thousands of birds. During their journey from North America to South America.

- **Black-Bellied Plover**: The Black-bellied Plover is Washington's largest plover. Their breeding habitat is Arctic islands and coastal areas throughout the northern coasts of Alaska, Canada, and Russia. They nest on the ground in a dry open tundra with good visibility; the nest is a shallow gravel scrape. They migrate to winter in coastal areas all through the world. In the New World, they winter from southwest British Columbia and Massachusetts south to Argentina and Chile.

- **Black-crowned night heron**: Black-crowned Night-Herons often spend their days perched on tree limbs or concealed among foliage and branches. These social birds roost and nest in groups, although they typically forage independently. Look for them in most wetland habitats across North America, including estuaries, marshes, streams, lakes, and reservoirs.

- **Brown pelican**: Brown Pelicans live along southern and western sea coasts and are rarely seen inland (except at the Salton Sea in California, where they are regular in large numbers). They nest in colonies, often on isolated islands free of land predators. On the Pacific Coast, Brown Pelican adults have red skin on their throats in the breeding season. On the Atlantic and Gulf Coasts, Brown Pelicans are slightly smaller, and their throat skin is greenish-black.

- **Long-billed curlew**: The long-billed curlew (Numenius americanus) is a large North American shorebird of the family Scolopacidae. This species was called the "sickle-bird" and the "candlestick bird." The species breeds in central and western North America, migrating southward and coastward for the winter.

- **Pacific loon**: Pacific Loons Nests in freshwater lakes in arctic and subarctic tundra and taiga. Winters in coastal ocean waters, bays, and estuaries. Occasionally, migrants appear in inland bodies of water, especially large reservoirs.

The dataset is taken from https://nationalzoo.si.edu/migratory-birds/migratory-birds-tracking-map

```
> head(bird_data)
            species birdID       date   longitude latitude
1 Black-bellied plover    19 07-07-2017  -166.3367  64.8885
2 Black-bellied plover    19 08-07-2017  -166.3169  64.8800
3 Black-bellied plover    19 10-07-2017  -166.3270  64.8595
4 Black-bellied plover    19 10-07-2017  -166.3195  64.8677
5 Black-bellied plover    19 12-07-2017  -166.3118  64.8656
6 Black-bellied plover    19 14-07-2017  -165.6876  61.5097
```

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```
          species birdID        date longitude latitude year month day julian_day      zenith    azimuth bird
1 Long-billed curlew 141772 18-03-2017   -97.3135   27.4731 2017     3  18    2457833 103.30736 276.85585    4
2 Long-billed curlew 141772 21-03-2017   -97.3278   27.4413 2017     3  21    2457836 102.93413 278.02041    4
3 Long-billed curlew 141772 31-03-2017  -101.8206   33.8165 2017     3  31    2457846  96.67075 280.47652    4
4 Long-billed curlew 141772 02-04-2017  -101.2301   37.9679 2017     4   2    2457847  94.96421  79.06608    4
5 Long-billed curlew 141772 02-04-2017  -101.2199   37.9669 2017     4   2    2457847  94.95517  79.07257    4
6 Long-billed curlew 141772 07-04-2017  -101.2469   38.1875 2017     4   7    2457852  93.13479  77.79320    4
      theta
1 -92.31554
2  54.55031
3  71.52088
4  89.94459
5 -79.25563
6 -25.46691
```

4B. American Region Bird Long-billed curlew Path with Sun Position.

```
          species    birdID        date longitude latitude year month day julian_day      zenith    azimuth bird
1 Pacific loon Alpine 01 27-03-2017 -234.6625   36.3210 2017     3  27    2457842  44.04228 130.85706    5
2 Pacific loon Alpine 01 05-04-2017 -235.8366   36.5654 2017     4   5    2457850 112.86943 297.91768    5
3 Pacific loon Alpine 01 14-04-2017 -234.8038   36.8105 2017     4  14    2457859 111.53180 301.74902    5
4 Pacific loon Alpine 01 22-05-2017 -235.0484   37.6109 2017     5  22    2457897  66.37455  81.28178    5
5 Pacific loon Alpine 01 27-05-2017 -231.5987   38.8033 2017     5  27    2457902  63.17010  82.92873    5
6 Pacific loon Alpine 01 29-05-2017 -228.7249   41.2331 2017     5  29    2457904  60.62311  85.63083    5
      theta
1 -68.20768
2  70.99229
3 -81.66753
4 -13.97501
5  11.61500
6 -65.22314
```

4C. American Region Bird Pacific loon Path with Sun Position.

```
            species birdID        date longitude latitude year month day julian_day    zenith   azimuth bird
1 Black-bellied plover     19 07-07-2017 -166.3367   64.8885 2017     7   7    2457943 55.02576 113.3772    1
2 Black-bellied plover     19 08-07-2017 -166.3169   64.8800 2017     7   8    2457944 55.13917 113.4175    1
3 Black-bellied plover     19 10-07-2017 -166.3270   64.8595 2017     7  10    2457946 55.39924 113.4600    1
4 Black-bellied plover     19 10-07-2017 -166.3195   64.8677 2017     7  10    2457946 55.39958 113.4729    1
5 Black-bellied plover     19 12-07-2017 -166.3118   64.8656 2017     7  12    2457948 55.68004 113.5650    1
6 Black-bellied plover     19 14-07-2017 -165.6876   61.5097 2017     7  14    2457950 54.41863 112.1565    1
      theta
1  90.49767
2 -94.50636
3  87.23332
4  90.44239
5  85.30534
6 -91.63440
```

4D. American Region Bird Black-bellied plover Path with Sun Position.

```
          species     birdID      date longitude latitude year month day julian_day     zenith    azimuth
1 Brown pelican Grindylow 19-07-2017  -76.0889  38.1507 2017     7  19    2457955   35.29019 250.21499
2 Brown pelican Grindylow 20-07-2017  -76.0647  38.1422 2017     7  20    2457956   35.41608 249.97297
3 Brown pelican Grindylow 25-07-2017  -76.3738  38.3282 2017     7  25    2457961   35.90210 247.98183
4 Brown pelican Grindylow 27-07-2017  -76.2390  38.3344 2017     7  27    2457963   36.30337 247.52092
5 Brown pelican Grindylow 31-07-2017  -76.4254  38.2647 2017     7  31    2457967   36.81436 246.21091
6 Brown pelican Grindylow 03-08-2017  -76.2939  38.4173 2017     8   3    2457970 123.18565  14.45084
      theta
1  90.01836
2 -83.73271
3  87.54414
4 -87.15960
5  86.18389
6  88.75601
```

E. American Region Bird Brown pelican Path with Sun Position.

```
                     species birdID       date longitude latitude year month day julian_day     zenith
1 Black-crowned night heron Parker 24-06-2016  -77.0727  38.9256 2016     6  24    2457565 112.03379
2 Black-crowned night heron Parker 14-09-2016  -80.1200  32.9330 2016     9  14    2457646  95.45174
3 Black-crowned night heron Parker 15-09-2016  -81.3650  29.6270 2016     9  15    2457647  97.10895
4 Black-crowned night heron Parker 16-09-2016  -81.0010  27.5900 2016     9  16    2457648  97.14509
5 Black-crowned night heron Parker 20-09-2016  -80.9480  26.1250 2016     9  20    2457652  97.63768
6 Black-crowned night heron Parker 22-09-2016  -80.7230  25.3700 2016     9  22    2457654  97.67346
    azimuth bird       theta
1 331.18728    2  -4.765295
2  82.67635    2 -72.247417
3  82.74911    2  91.241542
4  83.56136    2 117.710633
5  85.32620    2  90.894736
6  86.30919    2 -97.355235
```

F. American Region Bird Black-crowned night heron Path with Sun Position.

```
          date      lat       lon    azimuth
1 07-07-2017 64.8885 -166.3367  2.9121229
2 08-07-2017 64.8800 -166.3169  0.4051595
3 10-07-2017 64.8595 -166.3270  2.2684845
4 10-07-2017 64.8677 -166.3195  2.2686418
5 12-07-2017 64.8656 -166.3118 -2.5170090
6 14-07-2017 61.5097 -165.6876 -0.6824035
```

G. American Region Bird Path with Moon Position.

H. Dataset 2: European Region Bird path. One fascinating area of research uses GPS to track the movements of animals. It is now possible to manufacture a small GPS device that is solar-charged, so you don't need to change batteries and use it to track the flight patterns of birds.

The data for this case study comes from the LifeWatch INBO project. Several data sets have been released as part of this project. This small dataset consists of migration data for three gulls named Eric, Nico, and Sanne.

The file contains eight columns and includes variables like latitude, longitude, altitude, and time stamps.

The data is taken from https://www.kaggle.com/datasets/turhancankargin/bird-migration

```
head(data)
  ...1 altitude           date_time device_info_serial  direction latitude
1    0       71 2013-08-15 00:18:08                851 -150.46975 49.41986
2    1       68 2013-08-15 00:48:07                851 -136.15114 49.41988
3    2       68 2013-08-15 01:17:58                851  160.79748 49.42031
4    3       73 2013-08-15 01:47:51                851   32.76936 49.42036
```

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```
5    4        69 2013-08-15 02:17:42                          851    45.19123 49.42033
6    5        54 2013-08-15 02:47:38                          851   -46.34448 49.42037
  longitude  speed_2d bird_name
1  2.120733 0.1500000      Eric
2  2.120746 2.4383601      Eric
3  2.120885 0.5966574      Eric
4  2.120859 0.3101612      Eric
5  2.120887 0.1931321      Eric
6  2.120840 2.9047719      Eric
```

```
   ...1 altitude          date_time device_info_serial  direction latitude longitude  speed_2d bird_name
1     0       71 2013-08-15 00:18:08                 851 -150.46975 49.41986  2.120733 0.1500000      Eric
2     1       68 2013-08-15 00:48:07                 851 -136.15114 49.41988  2.120746 2.4383601      Eric
3     2       68 2013-08-15 01:17:58                 851  160.79748 49.42031  2.120885 0.5966574      Eric
4     3       73 2013-08-15 01:47:51                 851   32.76936 49.42036  2.120859 0.3101612      Eric
5     4       69 2013-08-15 02:17:42                 851   45.19123 49.42033  2.120887 0.1931321      Eric
6     5       54 2013-08-15 02:47:38                 851  -46.34448 49.42037  2.120840 2.9047719      Eric
        date        time dayOfYear year month day hour minutes seconds       JD   zenith    azimuth
1 2013-08-15 00:18:08       227 2013     8  15    0      18       8 2456520 116.3675   5.976577
2 2013-08-15 00:48:07       227 2013     8  15    0      48       7 2456520 115.5286  14.008731
3 2013-08-15 01:17:58       227 2013     8  15    1      17      58 2456520 114.0433  21.812331
4 2013-08-15 01:47:51       227 2013     8  15    1      47      51 2456520 111.9541  29.350129
5 2013-08-15 02:17:42       227 2013     8  15    2      17      42 2456520 109.3246  36.555820
6 2013-08-15 02:47:38       227 2013     8  15    2      47      38 2456520 106.2095  43.438244
```

I. Sun Position of European dataset.

```
   # A tibble: 6 x 7
  date        lat   lon altitude azimuth distance parallacticAngle
  <date>     <dbl> <dbl>   <dbl>   <dbl>    <dbl>            <dbl>
1 2013-08-15  49.9  2.28  -0.195    1.31  367514.            0.715
2 2013-08-15  49.9  2.28  -0.195    1.31  367514.            0.715
3 2013-08-15  49.9  2.28  -0.195    1.31  367514.            0.715
4 2013-08-15  49.9  2.28  -0.195    1.31  367514.            0.715
5 2013-08-15  49.9  2.28  -0.195    1.31  367514.            0.715
6 2013-08-15  49.9  2.28  -0.195    1.31  367514.            0.715
```

J. Sanne Bird Species datset head with respect to the moon position.

```
      date        lat   lon altitude azimuth distance parallacticAngle
  <date>     <dbl> <dbl>   <dbl>   <dbl>    <dbl>            <dbl>
1 2013-08-15  50.2  4.39  -0.219    1.34  367514.            0.716
2 2013-08-15  50.2  4.39  -0.219    1.34  367514.            0.716
3 2013-08-15  50.2  4.39  -0.219    1.34  367514.            0.716
4 2013-08-15  50.2  4.39  -0.219    1.34  367514.            0.716
5 2013-08-15  50.2  4.39  -0.219    1.34  367514.            0.716
6 2013-08-15  50.2  4.39  -0.219    1.34  367514.            0.716
```

K. Nicco Bird Species datset head with respect to the moon position.

```
     date         lat   lon altitude azimuth distance parallacticAngle
  <date>       <dbl> <dbl>    <dbl>   <dbl>    <dbl>            <dbl>
1 2013-08-15   49.4  2.12   -0.191    1.31   367514.           0.724
2 2013-08-15   49.4  2.12   -0.191    1.31   367514.           0.724
3 2013-08-15   49.4  2.12   -0.191    1.31   367514.           0.724
4 2013-08-15   49.4  2.12   -0.191    1.31   367514.           0.724
5 2013-08-15   49.4  2.12   -0.191    1.31   367514.           0.724
6 2013-08-15   49.4  2.12   -0.191    1.31   367514.           0.724
```

6 **L. Eric Bird Species datset head with respect to the moon position.**

62 **3. Detail of Von Mises Fisher Mixture Model Fit for the Two Datasets**

63 A mixture model is a probabilistic model for representing the presence of sub-populations within an overall population without
64 requiring that an observed data set should identify the sub-population to which an individual observation belongs. However,
65 while problems associated with "mixture distributions" relate to deriving the properties of the overall population from those of
66 the sub-populations, "mixture models" are used to make statistical inferences about the properties of the sub-populations given
67 only observations on the pooled population, without sub-population identity information.
68 the density for directional parametric mixture distribution $p(x|\boldsymbol{\theta})$, where $\boldsymbol{\theta} = (\theta_1, \theta_2, \cdots, \theta_K)$ represent appropriate parameter
69 set, as follows.

$$p(\boldsymbol{\theta}) = \sum_{i=1}^{K} \phi_i f(\vec{x}; \vec{\mu}, \kappa) \qquad [1]$$

$$
\begin{aligned}
K &= \text{number of mixture components} \\
N &= \text{number of observations} \\
\theta_{i=1...K} &= \text{parameter of distribution of observation} \\
&\quad\;\; \text{associated with component i} \\
\phi_{i=1...K} &= \text{mixture weight, i.e., prior probability} \\
&\quad\;\; \text{of a particular component i} \\
\boldsymbol{\phi} &= K\text{-dimensional vector set } \phi_{1...K}; \text{ sum to 1}\;, \\
z_{i=1...N} &= \text{component of observation } i \\
x_{i=1...N} &= \text{observation } i \\
F(x|\theta) &= \text{probability distribution} \\
&\quad\;\; \text{of an observation, parametrized on } \theta \\
z_{i=1...N} &\sim \text{Categorical}(\boldsymbol{\phi}) \\
x_{i=1...N}|z_{i=1...N} &\sim F(x_{i=1...N}|\theta_{z_i})
\end{aligned}
\qquad [2]
$$

71 In our paper, the i th vector component is characterized by $f(\vec{x}; \vec{\mu}, \kappa) = C_3(\kappa) \exp(\kappa \vec{x} \cdot \vec{\mu})$ as von Mises-Fisher distribution
72 with weights ϕ_i, parameter θ_i as means $\boldsymbol{\mu_i}$ and concentration matrices $\boldsymbol{\kappa_i}$. Here, $C_3(\kappa)$ is the normalization coefficient which
73 can be shown to be dependent only on κ and the dimension (3, in the case of the sphere). For details, we refer to (2), (3).
74 For fitting the mixture Von Mises Fisher distribution to both datasets, we take the help of R package **movMF** of (4). We
75 treat the circular uniform distribution as Von Mises Fisher with large means $\boldsymbol{\mu}$ and large (diluted) concentration matrices $\boldsymbol{\kappa}$.
76 In the "Statistical Analysis for Directional Mixture Distribution Model Fitting for Dataset 1" section in the original paper, we
77 used those tables and gave the interpretation of how it is used.
78 The codes used in the below table gives us α value which are the weights used in the below parameter results. The vMF
79 (Von Mises Fisher) distribution is commonly parameterized as

$$\theta = \kappa\mu \qquad [3]$$

81 where $\kappa = ||\theta||$ and we have μ are the concentration and mean direction parameters. respectively (if θ not equal to 0, μ is
82 uniquely determined as $\frac{\theta}{||\theta||}$ https://cran.r-project.org/web/packages/movMF/vignettes/movMF.pdf. According to the notation used
83 in the package movMF $\alpha = \phi$ and $\theta = \mu, \kappa$

84 **4. American region Mixture model details**

```
> s = cbind(bird_data$latitude , bird_data$longitude)
> set.seed(2023)
> vMFs <-
+   function(K){
+     movMF(s, k = K, control= list(nruns = 20))
```

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Sl No.	Lat range	Est μ	Est κ	Dist
1	(33.71 to 70.27)	-2.978336	0.2750625	VonMises
2	(64.86 to 64.87)	2.032647	-	Uniform
3	(54.23 to 69.94)	2.825971	0.3877652	VonMises
4	(59.62 to 70.90)	-1.76427	1.506198	VonMises
5	(54.20 to 61.53)	-1.700339	3.581648	VonMises
6	(57.84 to 61.07)	3.08695	1.768419	VonMises
7	(56.89 to 62.96)	-0.4778354	0.4880568	VonMises
8	(54.60 to 70.37)	-0.08920665	0.7903575	VonMises
9	(54.80 to 71.36)	1.681203	0.8349311	VonMises
10	(35.20 to 39.23)	-2.319494	0.9116722	VonMises
11	(26.71 to 70.68)	0.7958838	-	Uniform
12	(61.20 to 61.22)	-1.626239	32752.33	VonMises
13	(26.73 to 51.14)	2.695495	1.500461	VonMises
14	(23.21 to 32.93)	1.236262	1.268279	VonMises
15	(38.89 to 38.94)	1.222303	3708.063	VonMises
16	(26.67 to 26.74)	1.582261	1380.315	VonMises
17	(26.73 to 51.14)	2.695495	1.500461	VonMises
18	(28.11 to 52.67)	1.933752	1.259675	VonMises
19	(38.88 to 38.93)	1.209689	1903.807	VonMises
20	(25.69 to 26.99)	1.159925	3.330345	VonMises
21	(-36.172 to 41.991)	1.256473	0.3443209	VonMises

Table S1. Latitude of all the Bird Species for Dataset 1. This table contains a serial number which is similar to the Longitude table S2. Together(According to the Serial Number) they give us the location of the bird parameter similar to our Dataset. In this table we estimated the circular mean and variance of each partitions we considered.

Sl No.	Lon range	Est μ	Est κ	Dist
1	(-236.3 to -166.3)	-2.766708	0.7512237	VonMises
2	(-166.3 to -166.3)	-2.925382	-	Uniform
3	(-166.3 to -165.9)	-2.744784	45.86884	VonMises
4	(-165.9 to -165.8)	-2.499111	738.0808	VonMises
5	(-165.8 to -165.5)	-2.29021	118.4591	VonMises
6	(-165.4 to -165.2)	-1.935756	174.6475	VonMises
7	(-165.1 to -164.4)	-1.401699	19.20709	VonMises
8	(-164.2 to -163.1)	-0.3995937	7.54067	VonMises
9	(-163.1 to -151.0)	0.06193641	1.021821	VonMises
10	(-75.76 to -75.43)	-0.2345965	68.17028	VonMises
11	(-151.0 to -113.2)	-0.03902648	-	Uniform
12	(-165.1 to -165.12)	-1.704596	3625.177	VonMises
13	(-113.1 to -111.6)	0.3206552	6.151091	VonMises
14	(-81.00 to -80.12)	0.9164418	15.45086	VonMises
15	(-77.15 to -77.05)	-1.714681	912.4339	VonMises
16	(-113.2 to -113.1)	-0.04765007	8712.64	VonMises
17	(-113.1 to -11.6)	0.3206552	6.151091	VonMises
18	(-111.6 to -111.1)	1.736291	58.35508	VonMises
19	(-77.05 to -77.00)	-1.641978	3131.77	VonMises
20	(-109.9 to - 109.3)	-2.692523	17.03175	VonMises
21	(-121.96 to -61.23)	-0.2878401	0.3737553	VonMises

Table S2. Longitude of all the Bird Species for Dataset 1. This table contains a serial number which is similar to the Latitude table S1. Together(According to the Serial Number) they give us the location of the bird parameter similar to our Dataset. In this table we estimated the circular mean and variance of each partitions we considered.

```
+   }
> sd = lapply(18:22, vMFs)
> sd
[[1]]
theta:
            [,1]          [,2]
1  -7.145609e+00 -3.851465e+01
2   1.270413e+02 -3.873836e+02
3   3.907324e+05 -8.377703e+05
4   5.230866e+00 -7.508216e+01
5  -1.080639e+03 -2.023105e+03
```

```
6    3.097846e+03 -1.988368e+04
7    1.270788e+02 -3.676966e+02
8    2.164790e+02 -7.756841e+02
9    1.731468e+05 -4.681335e+05
10   1.702274e+02 -4.507122e+02
11   4.548514e+04 -1.176107e+05
12   8.665092e+06 -1.818446e+07
13   1.292443e+02 -3.708601e+02
14   4.572598e+02 -9.937912e+02
15   1.241151e+02 -3.738342e+02
16   1.294325e+05 -2.578079e+05
17   1.345268e+02 -3.799355e+02
18   2.521856e+01 -1.160795e+02
alpha:
 [1] 0.06599879 0.04518660 0.05057956 0.04735171 0.03479526 0.02836056 0.03614557
 [8] 0.19250215 0.05384421 0.01285201 0.03512889 0.02699677 0.06427562 0.05343906
[15] 0.03482576 0.11435695 0.04594304 0.05741751
L:
[1] 1972.222

[[2]]
theta:
            [,1]          [,2]
1    3.095045e+06 -5.954813e+06
2    8.057747e+06 -1.690973e+07
3    8.524116e+01 -2.829592e+02
4    2.451440e+02 -7.658898e+02
5    1.474670e+02 -4.354116e+02
6   -1.145379e+03 -2.140655e+03
7    2.664590e+02 -9.769636e+02
8    4.585910e+04 -1.185841e+05
9    3.720016e+05 -7.976019e+05
10   2.428804e+01 -1.192141e+02
11  -1.623259e+01 -1.116864e+02
12   3.733990e+02 -8.571399e+02
13   1.229235e+05 -2.448357e+05
14  -2.745290e+02 -6.509499e+02
15   5.118403e+00 -1.022458e+02
16   1.495146e+02 -9.806753e+02
17   1.435514e+02 -4.127092e+02
18   1.435652e+02 -4.157034e+02
19   1.720128e+05 -4.650696e+05
alpha:
 [1] 0.005494583 0.027468901 0.025110064 0.088794084 0.007637632 0.035550840 0.167095016
 [8] 0.034989297 0.051674128 0.028267173 0.048850790 0.072220717 0.116715077 0.013802008
[15] 0.036190350 0.054475336 0.060210742 0.071192174 0.054261088
L:
[1] 1978.023

[[3]]
theta:
          [,1]          [,2]
1     204.25950     -639.4484
2     205.45128     -762.8477
3  315066.80019 -606990.8666
4   -1166.43628    -2177.6272
5     113.23400     -381.8232
6     164.72515     -534.7322
7     114.99824     -387.7821
8     228.08633     -536.2571
9   19551.42121   -41603.2304
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10      28.96799      -233.1784
11 168909.32031 -456669.2218
12  38621.79718  -99886.8535
13 113741.43373 -226532.6982
14    -224.96802     -529.0647
15     -12.48868     -101.4856
16     140.24705     -462.8661
17     211.93685     -630.3590
18    7364.60242   -47319.7939
19    3507.48922    -8230.5473
20     150.45907     -434.3878
alpha:
 [1] 0.046714471 0.148931416 0.006789976 0.034694220 0.022343642 0.033312618 0.027442571
 [8] 0.021912766 0.096056412 0.064137065 0.055041890 0.039939782 0.119219502 0.014950208
[15] 0.060767532 0.026145783 0.075063275 0.024163819 0.033601051 0.048771999
L:
[1] 1937.451

[[4]]
theta:
            [,1]          [,2]
1    1.249357e+02 -3.543863e+02
2   -3.601633e+01 -1.911704e+02
3    1.109391e+02 -3.309904e+02
4    1.086571e+02 -3.460510e+02
5    1.224085e+02 -3.473644e+02
6   -2.478876e+02 -5.906545e+02
7    1.227984e+02 -3.472832e+02
8    2.916692e+01 -1.635644e+02
9    4.290858e+02 -9.387569e+02
10   3.911803e+05 -8.387301e+05
11   2.638731e+02 -9.481338e+02
12   4.262776e+04 -2.725949e+05
13   1.292677e+05 -2.574796e+05
14   1.327016e+02 -4.146993e+02
15   1.151525e+02 -3.344207e+02
16  -1.147660e+03 -2.144609e+03
17   5.393152e+03 -1.440438e+04
18   2.361426e+01 -1.973910e+02
19   2.791902e+01 -1.501361e+02
20  -9.083905e+00 -1.343012e+02
21   8.660729e+06 -1.817531e+07
alpha:
 [1] 0.03339187 0.02499722 0.02901613 0.02462846 0.04055378 0.01477682 0.03862032
 [8] 0.03879298 0.05720840 0.05054998 0.16321725 0.01880017 0.11442242 0.06330500
[15] 0.03040900 0.03542639 0.09854276 0.02465134 0.03491192 0.03677785 0.02699993
L:
[1] 1959.354

[[5]]
theta:
           [,1]         [,2]
1    2.293824e+02    -570.35355
2    1.174510e+02    -343.59721
3    1.283064e+05 -255565.54136
4    1.639342e+00     -79.53284
5    1.770374e+05 -478652.60496
6   -1.143835e+03   -2137.91201
7    3.018913e+01    -123.85512
8    2.821293e+02   -1048.48233
9    2.001819e+02    -669.47020
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10   4.863496e+04 -125734.81837
11   1.226834e+02     -351.02755
12   1.552279e+02    -1022.44664
13   5.236018e+02    -1109.12551
14   1.370275e+02     -377.49202
15   2.352550e+04   -50083.10040
16  -2.656161e+02     -632.43189
17   1.200715e+02     -346.87689
18   1.134026e+02     -338.21527
19   9.939248e+01     -307.95360
20  -2.912392e+01     -165.40101
21   1.373818e+02     -378.18280
22   3.867219e-01      -69.91516
alpha:
 [1] 0.009863943 0.038637967 0.114823254 0.029965138 0.052801889 0.035590538 0.007750685
 [8] 0.134008756 0.084625765 0.033145470 0.020190732 0.061359252 0.030607962 0.041616690
[15] 0.084122111 0.014282913 0.033435881 0.015533180 0.035955948 0.030557480 0.062314184
[22] 0.028810261
L:
[1] 1920.548

> sapply(sd, BIC)
[1] -3520.002 -3472.904 -3532.709
-3457.356 -3508.564

> sd[[1]]$details # For K value 18
$reltol
[1] 1.490116e-08

$iter
   iter maxiter
    100     100

$logLiks
 [1] 1797.497 1803.263 1972.222 1789.855 1793.386 1800.713 1806.563 1895.214 1807.846
[10] 1897.930 1898.224 1795.139 1807.922 1792.505 1801.124 1789.682 1798.363 1789.863
[19] 1933.492 1813.479

$E
[1] "softmax"

$kappa
NULL

$minalpha
[1] 0

$converge
[1] TRUE

> sd[[2]]$details # For K value 19
$reltol
[1] 1.490116e-08

$iter
   iter maxiter
    100     100

$logLiks
 [1] 1824.323 1805.737 1978.023 1899.085 1805.190 1792.797 1791.965 1898.103 1794.830
[10] 1804.282 1906.931 1905.853 1821.932 1929.129 1796.334 1792.708 1804.677 1826.792
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[19] 1915.927 1904.183

$E
[1] "softmax"

$kappa
NULL

$minalpha
[1] 0

$converge
[1] TRUE

> sd[[3]]$details # For K value 20
$reltol
[1] 1.490116e-08

$iter
   iter maxiter
    100    100

$logLiks
 [1] 1884.878 1790.687 1910.348 1788.199 1801.095 1910.100 1798.847 1788.891 1792.354
[10] 1930.457 1937.451 1908.702 1791.586 1797.613 1788.044 1802.188 1826.313 1801.884
[19] 1804.373 1918.972

$E
[1] "softmax"

$kappa
NULL

$minalpha
[1] 0

$converge
[1] TRUE

> sd[[4]]$details # For K value 21
$reltol
[1] 1.490116e-08

$iter
   iter maxiter
    100    100

$logLiks
 [1] 1870.700 1801.047 1802.570 1795.897 1823.650 1801.235 1792.170 1959.354 1805.532
[10] 1793.185 1806.308 1898.207 1805.238 1790.805 1931.023 1907.803 1917.843 1927.847
[19] 1814.756 1802.283

$E
[1] "softmax"

$kappa
NULL

$minalpha
[1] 0
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$converge
[1] TRUE


> sd[[5]]$details # For K value 22
$reltol
[1] 1.490116e-08

$iter
   iter maxiter
    100     100

$logLiks
 [1] 1831.717 1880.203 1918.282 1800.204 1911.742 1918.168 1801.790 1792.626 1802.114
[10] 1796.603 1794.744 1802.607 1821.185 1795.286 1920.548 1809.030 1897.343 1805.040
[19] 1903.566 1799.476

$E
[1] "softmax"

$kappa
NULL

$minalpha
[1] 0

$converge
[1] TRUE


> sapply(sd, BIC)
[1] -3597.011 -3588.947 -3488.135 -3512.276 -3414.998
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5. European Region

```
> e = cbind(a1$latitude , a1$longitude)
> set.seed(2022)
> EvMFs <-
+   function(K){
+     movMF(e, k = K, control= list(nruns = 20))
+   }
> Esd
[[1]]
theta:
      [,1]       [,2]
1 6.55026 -2.942784
alpha:
[1] 1
L:
[1] 84531.98

[[2]]
theta:
        [,1]          [,2]
1 183.21675 -203.117053
2  18.89648   -2.786861
alpha:
[1] 0.3973311 0.6026689
L:
[1] 110557


[[3]]
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theta:
         [,1]        [,2]
1   155.48147 -170.54229
2    68.53485  -23.65068
3 4724.75350  300.46946
alpha:
[1] 0.4137033 0.2897239 0.2965727
L:
[1] 145544.7

[[4]]
theta:
           [,1]          [,2]
1 1.606353e+01 -9.034498e+00
2 5.154084e+02 -5.958039e+02
3 4.831414e+03  3.076631e+02
4 7.473574e+07 -2.368913e+07
alpha:
[1] 0.2341941 0.3193796 0.2948623 0.1515639
L:
[1] 198373

[[5]]
theta:
           [,1]          [,2]
1 1.405530e+02 -1.498642e+02
2 2.291350e+01 -9.555982e+00
3 4.078959e+06 -4.853311e+06
4 4.854890e+03  3.092664e+02
5 7.521198e+07 -2.384008e+07
alpha:
[1] 0.2649200 0.1571423 0.1319677 0.2944920 0.1514780
L:
[1] 220980.8

[[6]]
theta:
           [,1]          [,2]
1 1.410572e+02 -1.504514e+02
2 4.720996e+05  4.167295e+04
3 4.079829e+06 -4.854346e+06
4 2.192372e+01 -9.091303e+00
5 7.880985e+03  4.742698e+02
6 7.521436e+07 -2.384083e+07
alpha:
[1] 0.26407529 0.03813963 0.13196237 0.15947426 0.25487086 0.15147759
L:
[1] 223484.5

[[7]]
theta:
           [,1]          [,2]
1 7.768454e+03  4.673953e+02
2 7.599797e+07 -2.408921e+07
3 4.320274e+06 -5.140407e+06
4 4.595943e+05  4.057539e+04
5 1.045483e+02 -9.049909e+01
6 3.802452e+01 -1.240167e+01
7 3.177443e+02 -3.614085e+02
alpha:
[1] 0.25574642 0.15133646 0.13040385 0.03823432 0.11777899 0.12046265 0.18603731
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L:
[1] 224391.6

[[8]]
theta:
          [,1]          [,2]
1 1.633109e+02 -1.031426e+02
2 7.584059e+07 -2.403932e+07
3 2.919718e+02 -3.324702e+02
4 4.261411e+06 -5.070378e+06
5 3.758480e+06 -3.891155e+06
6 4.778908e+03  3.041587e+02
7 2.580223e+03 -2.199959e+03
8 6.014632e+01 -1.710144e+01
alpha:
[1] 0.04683069 0.15136456 0.19000668 0.13079434 0.03187038 0.29594574 0.05562754 0.09756008
L:
[1] 227227.6

[[9]]
theta:
          [,1]          [,2]
1 7.628722e+07 -2.418089e+07
2 4.932540e+02 -5.831950e+02
3 3.032197e+03  1.272199e+02
4 1.059237e+02 -9.338095e+01
5 1.374141e+04  1.097937e+03
6 8.194247e+05 -8.481291e+05
7 4.146385e+01 -1.396367e+01
8 3.009328e+04  1.687638e+03
9 4.355077e+06 -5.181811e+06
alpha:
[1] 0.15128461 0.13427352 0.01940869 0.12883317 0.10325505 0.03991329 0.11873265 0.17412022
[9] 0.13017880
L:
[1] 228259.9

[[10]]
theta:
           [,1]          [,2]
1  8.319235e+03  5.009535e+02
2  2.581177e+02 -6.823996e+01
3  4.452958e+05 -4.608733e+05
4  3.909663e+02 -4.549188e+02
5  8.337693e+02 -7.248919e+02
6  4.109150e+05  3.629825e+04
7  9.579057e+01 -5.558359e+01
8  4.340647e+06 -5.164645e+06
9  3.464089e+02 -4.464990e+00
10 7.717096e+07 -2.446099e+07
alpha:
 [1] 0.25233560 0.06550730 0.04387500 0.16491902 0.06908147 0.03914456 0.06920065
 [8] 0.13028752 0.01452099 0.15112790
L:
[1] 229573.1

[[11]]
theta:
          [,1]          [,2]
1  5.214142e+02 -5.253213e+02
2  8.084894e+02 -9.776349e+02
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3  9.242520e+04  8.107817e+03
4  4.390754e+06 -5.224253e+06
5  9.613394e+03 -1.008952e+04
6  4.322195e+06 -4.474735e+06
7  2.354865e+03 -2.001942e+03
8  1.650351e+03 -1.089463e+03
9  7.599057e+07 -2.408686e+07
10 9.440098e+03  5.602314e+02
11 3.778011e+01 -1.222108e+01
alpha:
 [1] 0.03923287 0.11988789 0.04739072 0.12994472 0.03456095 0.03041099 0.05690963
 [8] 0.02370342 0.15133797 0.24609082 0.12053002
L:
[1] 230457.6


[[12]]
theta:
            [,1]          [,2]
1  2.014852e+07 -2.085688e+07
2  8.366047e+01 -4.901767e+01
3  7.714761e+07 -2.445359e+07
4  5.197906e+06 -6.184505e+06
5  1.959115e+03 -1.679552e+03
6  7.740791e+03 -8.131614e+03
7  1.938966e+04 -1.895087e+04
8  4.869042e+03  3.104276e+02
9  4.995018e+02 -1.668651e+01
10 5.712492e+03 -6.757654e+03
11 1.775368e+04 -2.352431e+04
12 2.627467e+02 -6.927473e+01
alpha:
 [1] 0.02488825 0.07274872 0.15113203 0.12435533 0.05871018 0.05888056 0.01436941
 [8] 0.29524292 0.01079178 0.09650444 0.02771946 0.06465692
L:
[1] 232191.4


[[13]]
theta:
            [,1]          [,2]
1  1.766098e+06  1.551756e+05
2  1.389782e+02 -3.560498e+01
3  5.675790e+02  1.637928e+00
4  2.339896e+06 -7.418437e+05
5  2.128742e+08 -6.747162e+07
6  5.845110e+03  3.885628e+02
7  2.975118e+06 -3.080149e+06
8  5.071150e+04  2.800699e+03
9  2.944196e+02 -3.356242e+02
10 1.078816e+02 -6.435244e+01
11 2.596805e+03 -2.214437e+03
12 4.261375e+06 -5.070334e+06
13 3.548102e+03  1.653941e+02
alpha:
 [1] 0.029824921 0.063307066 0.010343478 0.026259663 0.135342474 0.147194544 0.032946397
 [8] 0.105683328 0.188331878 0.065541825 0.054870305 0.130794506 0.009559617
L:
[1] 234222


[[14]]
theta:
            [,1]          [,2]
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1  4.391067e+05  3.877510e+04
2  8.716091e+05 -1.968566e+05
3  9.486646e+01 -7.790779e+00
4  6.865619e+01 -2.619730e+01
5  2.792648e+02 -7.351220e+01
6  8.065667e+02 -9.768151e+02
7  4.361936e+06 -5.189969e+06
8  1.127292e+02 -6.792079e+01
9  9.964331e+02 -1.034238e+03
10 2.544159e+03 -2.170876e+03
11 5.625625e+06 -5.824189e+06
12 2.127108e+08 -6.741983e+07
13 2.257234e+06 -7.156529e+05
14 8.003930e+03  4.814508e+02
alpha:
 [1] 0.03860525 0.00805271 0.02010620 0.02158656 0.02957412 0.11663720 0.13013575
 [8] 0.05861573 0.07419719 0.05640443 0.03005307 0.13542660 0.02636393 0.25424125
L:
[1] 234005.3

[[15]]
theta:
          [,1]          [,2]
1  1.809356e+03 -1.540822e+03
2  6.719224e+05 -1.517912e+05
3  7.008996e+01 -2.326096e+01
4  1.327176e+06  1.167212e+05
5  4.258041e+06 -5.066368e+06
6  8.365837e+02 -4.098258e+02
7  6.919132e+05 -7.161105e+05
8  5.362458e+03  3.447067e+02
9  4.333147e+02 -5.392758e+00
10 2.184151e+06 -6.924971e+05
11 3.073211e+02 -3.523928e+02
12 2.312899e+02 -5.855561e+01
13 2.125014e+08 -6.735346e+07
14 6.173333e+04  3.415634e+03
15 1.230741e+03 -8.134469e+02
alpha:
 [1] 0.062490107 0.008273497 0.017992775 0.031575414 0.130813812 0.025909363 0.040445549
 [8] 0.167953527 0.012640516 0.026394453 0.179555600 0.037100609 0.135530369 0.092790395
[15] 0.030534013
L:
[1] 235382.2

> Esd[[1]]$details # For K value 1
$reltol
[1] 1.490116e-08

$iter
   iter maxiter
      1     100

$logLiks
 [1] 84531.98 84531.98 84531.98 84531.98 84531.98 84531.98 84531.98 84531.98 84531.98
[10] 84531.98 84531.98 84531.98 84531.98 84531.98 84531.98 84531.98 84531.98 84531.98
[19] 84531.98 84531.98

$E
[1] "softmax"
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$kappa
NULL

$minalpha
[1] 0

$converge
[1] TRUE

> Esd[[2]]$details # For K value 2
$reltol
[1] 1.490116e-08

$iter
   iter maxiter
     26     100

$logLiks
 [1] 110557 110557 110557 110557 110557 110557 110557 110557 110557 110557 110557 110557
[13] 110557 110557 110557 110557 110557 110557 110557 110557

$E
[1] "softmax"

$kappa
NULL

$minalpha
[1] 0

$converge
[1] TRUE

> Esd[[3]]$details # For K value 3
$reltol
[1] 1.490116e-08

$iter
   iter maxiter
     16     100

$logLiks
 [1] 145491.2 145491.2 135302.5 145491.2 145491.2 145491.2 145491.2 145544.7 145544.7
[10] 145544.7 145544.7 145544.7 145491.2 145491.2 145491.2 145491.2 145544.7 145544.7
[19] 145491.2 145491.2

$E
[1] "softmax"

$kappa
NULL

$minalpha
[1] 0

$converge
[1] TRUE

> Esd[[4]]$details # For K value 4
$reltol
[1] 1.490116e-08
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$iter
   iter maxiter
     43     100

$logLiks
 [1] 198373.0 171399.2 171399.2 198373.0 152394.5 198373.0 171399.2 198373.0 171399.2
[10] 152394.5 152394.5 171399.2 152394.5 152394.5 147289.4 198373.0 152394.5 152394.5
[19] 198373.0 152394.5

$E
[1] "softmax"

$kappa
NULL

$minalpha
[1] 0

$converge
[1] TRUE

> Esd[[5]]$details # For K value 5
$reltol
[1] 1.490116e-08

$iter
   iter maxiter
     79     100

$logLiks
 [1] 220980.8 220980.8 220980.8 220980.8 173674.8 147770.6 154013.8 220980.8 220980.8
[10] 220980.8 220980.8 220980.8 220980.8 220980.8 220980.8 220980.8 220980.8 220980.8
[19] 154013.8 220980.8

$E
[1] "softmax"

$kappa
NULL

$minalpha
[1] 0

$converge
[1] TRUE

> Esd[[6]]$details # For K value 6
$reltol
[1] 1.490116e-08

$iter
   iter maxiter
    100     100

$logLiks
 [1] 221331.7 221897.2 221909.9 221910.6 222611.2 221331.7 221910.6 221910.6 221907.4
[10] 221871.8 223484.5 221014.4 221266.4 221910.6 221910.4 222625.0 221888.7 221907.9
[19] 222861.9 221909.9

$E
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```
[1] "softmax"

$kappa
NULL

$minalpha
[1] 0

$converge
[1] TRUE

> Esd[[7]]$details # For K value 7
$reltol
[1] 1.490116e-08

$iter
   iter maxiter
    100    100

$logLiks
 [1] 223220.9 221453.3 222164.2 223224.1 221965.5 222142.9 223521.8 223533.4 224360.2
[10] 222197.3 221962.7 222228.0 224391.6 223519.3 221813.7 222087.3 221747.6 221844.1
[19] 222327.3 224215.8

$E
[1] "softmax"

$kappa
NULL

$minalpha
[1] 0

$converge
[1] TRUE

> Esd[[8]]$details # For K value 8
$reltol
[1] 1.490116e-08

$iter
   iter maxiter
    100    100

$logLiks
 [1] 223193.1 222152.0 223971.5 223647.9 225113.8 227227.6 223607.1 224886.3 224864.7
[10] 221879.1 223717.8 224120.1 223474.4 224338.5 223660.6 223469.0 222112.7 223543.9
[19] 222320.4 224065.8

$E
[1] "softmax"

$kappa
NULL

$minalpha
[1] 0

$converge
[1] TRUE
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> Esd[[9]]$details # For K value 9
$reltol
[1] 1.490116e-08

$iter
   iter maxiter
    100    100

$logLiks
 [1] 225472.1 225405.3 226166.9 222954.8 225018.0 223896.9 225274.2 228259.9 221960.6
[10] 224836.8 225187.3 222545.0 225565.6 224522.0 223936.4 224567.3 224706.4 226449.5
[19] 224285.6 223613.6

$E
[1] "softmax"

$kappa
NULL

$minalpha
[1] 0

$converge
[1] TRUE

> Esd[[10]]$details # For K value 10
$reltol
[1] 1.490116e-08

$iter
   iter maxiter
    100    100

$logLiks
 [1] 225107.4 225114.9 222310.3 225917.2 223950.6 224129.0 225248.9 229573.1 225582.1
[10] 226230.5 224264.5 223453.6 225709.7 224840.0 224568.7 227745.6 225067.8 223599.3
[19] 226979.9 226970.7

$E
[1] "softmax"

$kappa
NULL

$minalpha
[1] 0

$converge
[1] TRUE

> Esd[[11]]$details # For K value 11
$reltol
[1] 1.490116e-08

$iter
   iter maxiter
    100    100

$logLiks
 [1] 229290.5 230054.3 229456.7 226258.6 226476.4 226274.0 227224.4 224713.9 227352.4
[10] 227678.6 226046.0 230149.1 223595.5 228909.6 230457.6 226101.4 229925.6 225582.7
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[19] 226054.3 222514.5

$E
[1] "softmax"

$kappa
NULL

$minalpha
[1] 0

$converge
[1] TRUE

> Esd[[12]]$details # For K value 12
$reltol
[1] 1.490116e-08

$iter
   iter maxiter
    100     100

$logLiks
 [1] 232191.4 231777.5 226465.0 230863.4 226595.7 227411.7 229381.9 223822.1 227334.5
[10] 228571.0 226843.7 228938.2 227761.6 227019.7 229418.8 225768.8 229251.4 230498.8
[19] 227235.7 227396.9

$E
[1] "softmax"

$kappa
NULL

$minalpha
[1] 0

$converge
[1] TRUE

> Esd[[13]]$details # For K value 13
$reltol
[1] 1.490116e-08

$iter
   iter maxiter
    100     100

$logLiks
 [1] 230415.9 231891.2 231709.4 226190.1 227811.1 223647.1 226596.3 228449.4 229543.9
[10] 227693.2 226052.4 234222.0 229681.6 228817.1 229656.1 226996.2 230706.4 229444.5
[19] 228463.4 225707.1

$E
[1] "softmax"

$kappa
NULL

$minalpha
[1] 0
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$converge
[1] TRUE

> Esd[[14]]$details # For K value 14
$reltol
[1] 1.490116e-08

$iter
   iter maxiter
    100     100

$logLiks
 [1] 230175.2 234005.3 231404.5 227845.3 233090.4 232604.7 227748.0 227981.7 231423.7
[10] 232084.6 232746.2 230534.6 227550.6 226598.9 231951.3 230865.0 230328.0 226475.3
[19] 231819.6 233935.7

$E
[1] "softmax"

$kappa
NULL

$minalpha
[1] 0

$converge
[1] TRUE

> Esd[[15]]$details # For K value 15
$reltol
[1] 1.490116e-08

$iter
   iter maxiter
    100     100

$logLiks
 [1] 227855.2 231942.6 231006.8 228274.3 231134.6 228822.7 232357.0 233525.0 232147.1
[10] 229930.0 228214.2 232635.4 231470.2 233444.2 231382.0 227496.8 228961.8 227490.4
[19] 235382.2 228398.6

$E
[1] "softmax"

$kappa
NULL

$minalpha
[1] 0

$converge
[1] TRUE

> gt
 [1] -169041.9 -221058.9 -291001.2 -396624.7 -441807.2 -446781.4 -448562.6 -454201.4
 [9] -456232.8 -458826.2 -460562.2 -463996.7 -468024.6 -467558.2 -470279.0
> min(gt)
[1] -470279
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