

13 - Clustering

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- Data-driven
- Uses unlabeled data
- Goal: Structure recognition
- Types
 - Clustering (divide by similarity)
 - E.g. Targeted Marketing
 - Dimensionality Reduction
 - E.g. compacting data

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It was the best of times	1	2	1
it was the worst of times	3	3	3
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it was the age of foolishness	2	2	1

Supervised Learning

- Task-driven
- Uses pre-categorized data
- Goal: predictive modeling
- Types
 - Classification: labels are discrete classes
 - Regression: labels are continuous variables

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it was the worst of times	3	3	3	S
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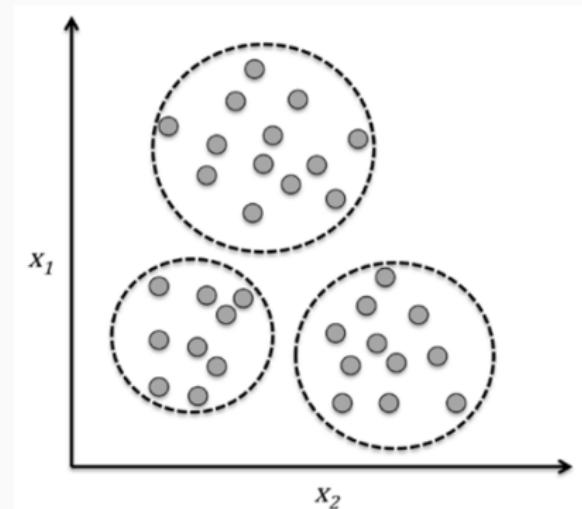
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Clustering

- Prototype-based: each cluster is represented by a prototype, which can either be:
 - the centroid (average) of similar points with continuous features
 - the medoid (the most representative or most frequently occurring point) in the case of categorical features.
- Example: K-Means
- Hierarchical



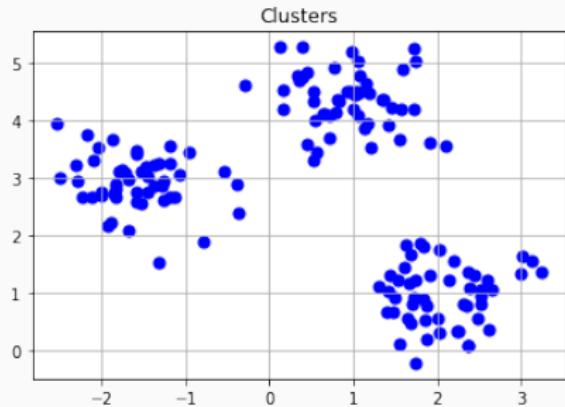
Clusters

- `make_blobs`: create multiclass datasets by allocating each class one or more normally-distributed clusters of points
 - see also related function `make_classification`

```
from sklearn.datasets import make_blobs
from matplotlib import pyplot as plt

X, y = make_blobs(n_samples=150,
                   n_features=2,
                   centers=3,
                   cluster_std=0.5,
                   shuffle=True,
                   random_state=0)

plt.scatter(X[:,0], X[:,1], c="blue", marker="o", s=50)
plt.title("Clusters")
plt.grid()
plt.show()
```



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 - Squared Euclidian distance
 - Within-cluster SSE (Sum of Squared Error)
1. Randomly pick k centroids as initial cluster centroids
 2. Other samples: assign them to the closest centroid (based on SED)
 3. Calculate new centroids for the clusters
 4. Repeat 2 and 3 until
 - the assignment of samples does not change
 - a max of iterations has been reached

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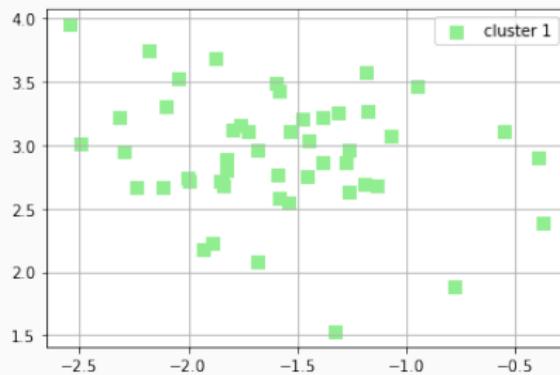
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- Models:
 - **fit()** - It calculates the parameters/weights on training data (e.g. parameters returned by coef() in case of Linear Regression) and saves them as an internal objects state.
 - **predict()** - Use the above calculated weights on test data to make the predictions
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 - **transform()** - Cannot be used
 - **fit_transform()** - Cannot be used

K-Means

```
from sklearn.cluster import KMeans

km = KMeans(n_clusters = 3,
             init ="random",
             n_init=10,
             max_iter=300,
             tol=1e-04,
             random_state=0)
y_km = km.fit_predict(X)

plt.scatter(X[y_km == 0, 0], X[y_km==0, 1], s=50, c="lightgreen", marker="s", label="cluster 1")
plt.legend()
plt.grid()
plt.show()
```

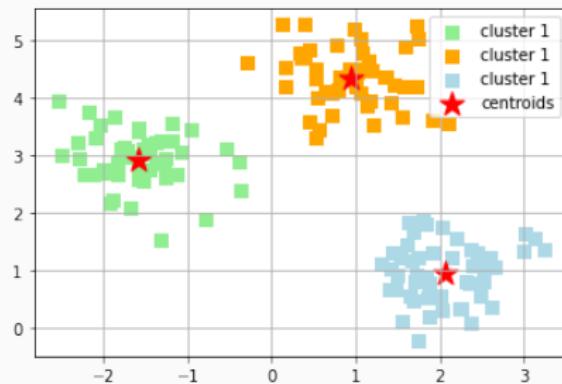


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plt.scatter(X[y_km == 2, 0], X[y_km==2, 1], s=50, c="lightblue", marker="s", label="cluster 1")

plt.scatter(km.cluster_centers_[:,0],km.cluster_centers_[:,1], s=250, marker="*", c="red", label="centroids")

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plt.show()
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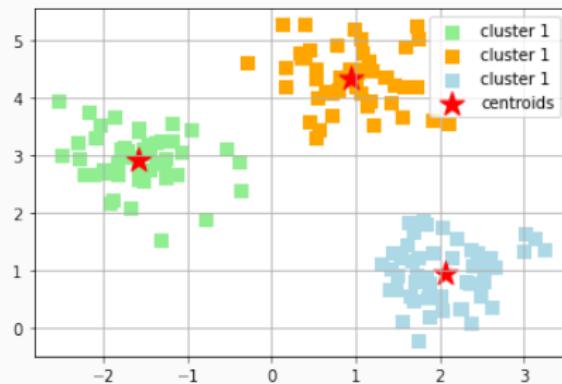


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- within-cluster vs between-cluster variance

How to choose the number of clusters?

- Elbow method:
 - takes into account within-cluster variance only
- Silhouette method:
 - takes into account within-cluster and between-cluster variance

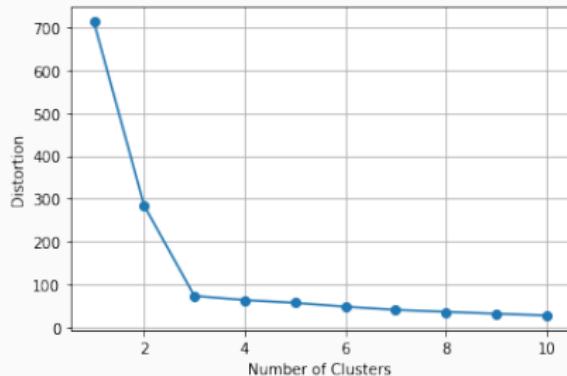
Elbow method

```
distortions = []
for i in range(1,11):
    km = KMeans(n_clusters = i, init ="k-means++", n_init=10, max_iter=300, random_state=0)
    km.fit(X)
    distortions.append(km.inertia_)

distortions
```
```ini
[713.699828943416,
 283.461017802093,
 72.47601670996696,
 62.84061768542224,
 56.288267331024166,
 47.43195201948497,
 39.95659663146229,
 35.322556689201335,
 30.88571211015811,
 26.961804858604854]
```

Elbow method

```
plt.plot(range(1,11),distortions, marker="o")
plt.xlabel("Number of Clusters")
plt.ylabel("Distortion")
plt.grid()
plt.show()
```



- Elbow method is a known heuristic approach in mathematical optimization
- Idea: choose a point where diminishing returns are no longer worth the additional cost

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```
from sklearn.datasets import make_blobs
from matplotlib import pyplot as plt

def gen_2d_cl(n_samples, n_centers):
    n_feat = 2
    X,y = make_blobs(n_samples, n_feat, centers=n_centers, cluster_std=0.5)
    return X,y

X, y= gen_2d_cl( 250,6)
```

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- Write the function `predict_and_plot_2D_clusters()` that generates clusters of 2-dimensional random data and plots them together with their centroids

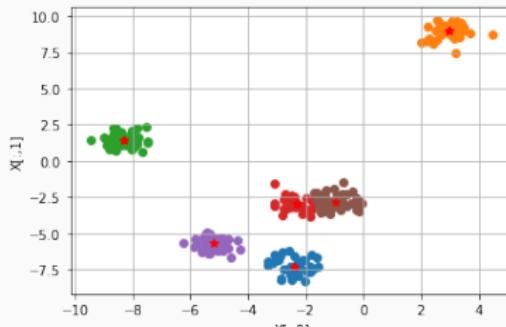
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```
from sklearn.cluster import KMeans

def pred_and_plot(n_samples,n_clusters):
    X, y= gen_2d_cl(n_samples,n_clusters )
    km = KMeans(n_clusters)
    y= km.fit_predict(X)
    for clus in range(n_clusters):
        plt.scatter(X[y == clus,0], X[y == clus,1], label="cluster")
        plt.scatter(km.cluster_centers_[:,0],km.cluster_centers_[:,1], label="centroid", marker = "*", color="red")
    plt.xlabel("X[:,0]")
    plt.ylabel("X[:,1]")
    plt.grid()
    plt.show()

pred_and_plot(250,6)
```



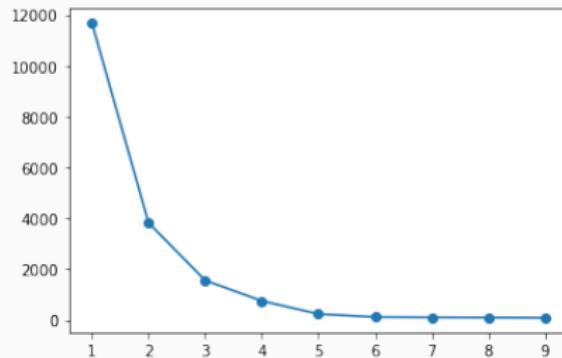
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    km = KMeans(n_clusters=i, init="k-means++")
    km.fit(X)
    dist.append(km.inertia_)
plt.plot(range(1,10),dist,"o-")
plt.show()
```



Exercise

- load the iris dataset from sklearn

```
from sklearn import cluster, datasets  
  
iris = datasets.load_iris()  
X_iris = iris.data
```

- find the number of clusters

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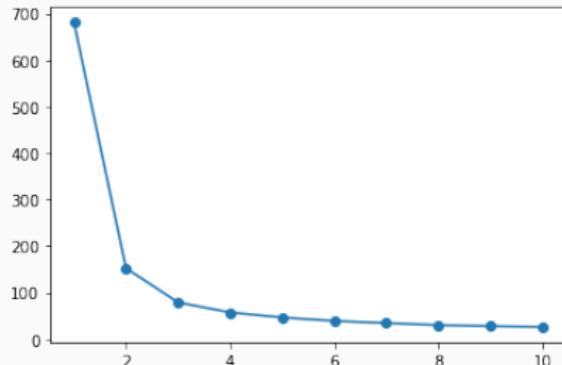
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Exercise

- fit the clustering to nClusters = 3
- test new items in which cluster they fit

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import numpy as np
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```

```
k_means = cluster.KMeans(n_clusters=3)
k_means.fit(X_iris)
prediction = k_means.predict(unseen_data)
print("Data point", unseen_data[0], " cluster:", prediction[0])
print("Data point", unseen_data[1], " cluster:", prediction[1])
```

```
Data point [5.5 2.5 4.5 1.5]  cluster: 1
Data point [7. 3. 6. 2.]  cluster: 2
```

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- read the dataset housec8.txt
- visualize with scatterplots

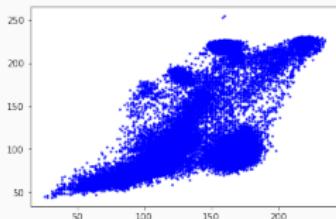
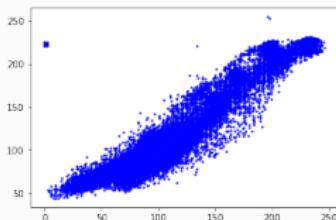
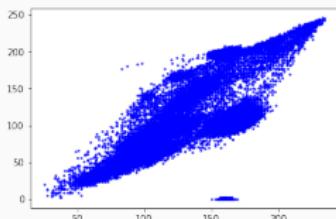
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```
import pandas as pd
from matplotlib import pyplot as plt

rgb = pd.read_csv("housec8.txt")
# visualize with scatterplots
plt.scatter(rgb.iloc[:,0], rgb.iloc[:,1], c = "blue", marker = 'o', s = 2)
plt.show()
plt.scatter(rgb.iloc[:,1], rgb.iloc[:,2], c = "blue", marker = 'o', s = 2)
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```

- there are three columns
- hence we need three scatterplots (one per pair of variables)



Exercise

- use the elbow method to identify the optimal number of clusters

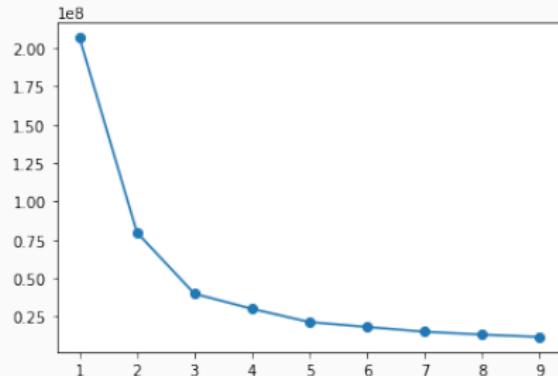
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from sklearn import cluster
import numpy as np

dist = []
for i in range(1,10):
    km = cluster.KMeans(n_clusters=i, init="k-means++")
    km.fit(rgb)
    dist.append(km.inertia_)
plt.plot(range(1,10),dist,"o-")
plt.show()
```

- how many clusters?



Exercise

- choose num of clusters
- perform the clustering

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```
km = cluster.KMeans(n_clusters=5, init="k-means++")
rgb_c = km.fit_predict(rgb.iloc[:,[0,2]])
```

- explore the following parameters of km:
 - km.labels_
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print(km.labels_)
print(km.cluster_centers_)
print(km.inertia_)
print(rgb_c)
```

```
[3 3 3 ... 1 1 1]
[[117.88697819  99.40548287]
 [182.51250788 212.78599958]
 [166.37910314 97.82941704]
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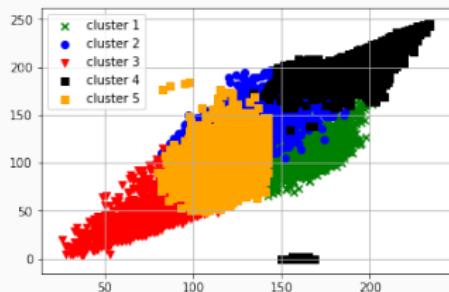
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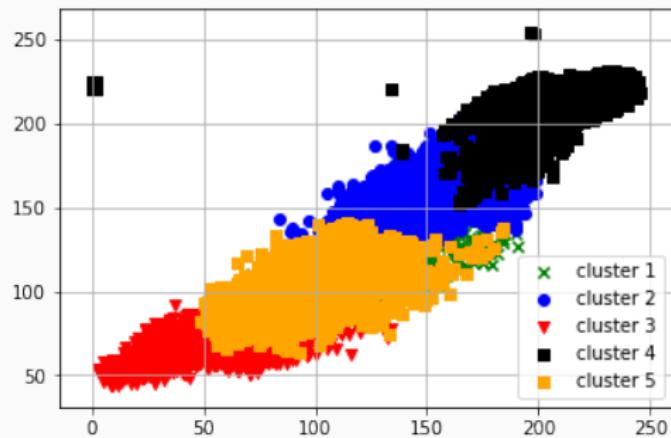
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plt.scatter(rgb.iloc[rgb_c ==1, 0],rgb.iloc[rgb_c ==1, 1], c = "blue", marker = "o", label = "cluster 2")
plt.scatter(rgb.iloc[rgb_c ==2, 0],rgb.iloc[rgb_c ==2, 1], c = "red", marker = "v", label = "cluster 3")
plt.scatter(rgb.iloc[rgb_c ==3, 0],rgb.iloc[rgb_c ==3, 1], c = "black", marker = "s", label = "cluster 4")
plt.scatter(rgb.iloc[rgb_c ==4, 0],rgb.iloc[rgb_c ==4, 1], c = "orange", marker = "s", label = "cluster 5")
plt.legend()
plt.grid()
plt.show()
```



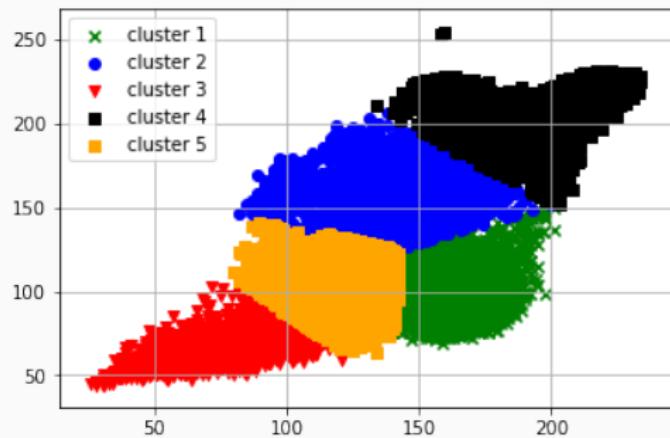
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plt.scatter(rgb.iloc[rgb_c ==4, 1],rgb.iloc[rgb_c ==4, 2], c = "orange", marker = "s", label = "cluster 5")
plt.legend()
plt.grid()
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```



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plt.scatter(rgb.iloc[rgb_c ==4, 0],rgb.iloc[rgb_c ==4, 2], c = "orange", marker = "s", label = "cluster 5")
plt.legend()
plt.grid()
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rgb = rgb.iloc[idx,:]
rgb_c = rgb_c[idx]
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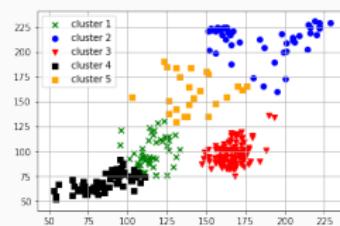
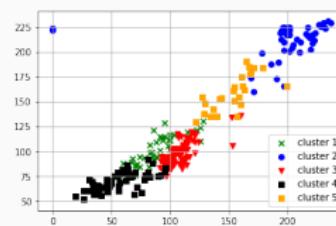
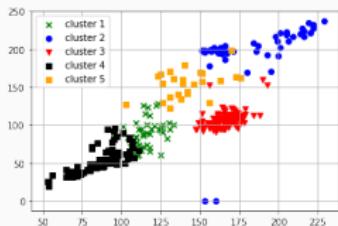


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- dataset: face.csv
- perform and visualize clustering
 - initial inspection (scatterplots)
 - choice of number of clusters (elbow method)
 - visualize clusters only with the second and third variable

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