Lecture 11 Clustering and K-Means

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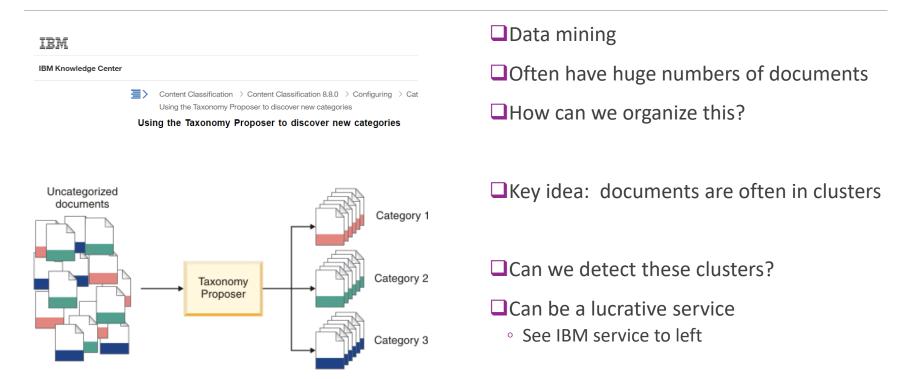
Motivating Example: Document clustering

■K-means

☐ K-means for document clustering



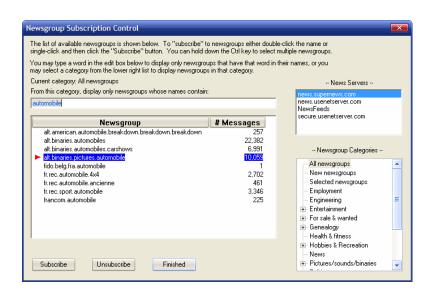
Document Clustering







UseNet Newsgroups



- ☐ Began in late 1970s
- ☐ Discussion groups for various topics
 - Started on early university networks
 - Migrated to Internet
 - Peaked in 1990s
- □Useful for studying clustering
 - Simple documents
 - "ground truth": Docs have categories



Loading the Data

- ■See Demo10_DocCluster.ipynb
- □ Taken from http://scikit-learn.org/stable/auto examples/text/document clustering.html
- Newsgroups built into sklearn

```
Loading 20 newsgroups dataset for categories:
['alt.atheism', 'talk.religion.misc', 'comp.graphics', 'sci.space']
```





A Typical Newsgroup Post

```
ind = 10
data ex = dataset.data[ind]
cat ex = dataset.target names[labels[ind]]
print('Post from {0:s}'.format(cat ex))
print()
print(data_ex)
Post from comp.graphics
From: richter@fossi.hab-weimar.de (Axel Richter)
Subject: True Color Display in POV
Keywords: POV, Raytracing
Nntp-Posting-Host: fossi.hab-weimar.de
Organization: Hochschule fuer Architektur und Bauwesen Weimar, Germany
Lines: 6
Hallo POV-Renderers !
I've got a BocaX3 Card. Now I try to get POV displaying True Colors
while rendering. I've tried most of the options and UNIVESA-Driver
but what happens isn't correct.
Can anybody help me ?
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- ☐ Data for the posts are in:
 - Dataset.data
 - Dataset labels
 - Dataset.target_names



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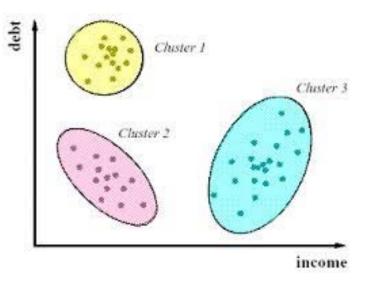


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Clustering

- \square Given $N \times d$ data matrix: X
 - \circ Each row is one sample, x_n
- \square Problem: Group data into K clusters
- Mathematically:
 - Assign each sample to a cluster
 - $\circ \;$ Assign $\sigma_n \in \{1, \dots, K\}$: Cluster label for each sample
- ☐ Want samples in same cluster to be "close"
 - $|x_n x_m|$ is small when $\sigma_n = \sigma_m$

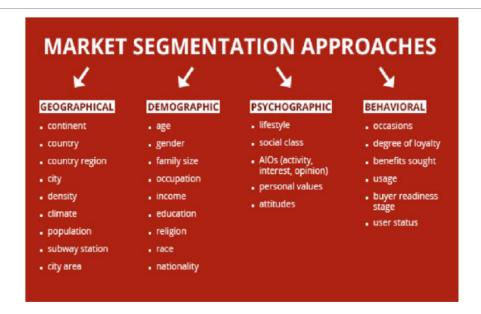






Clustering

- □Clustering has many applications
 - Any time you want to segment data
 - Uncovering latent discrete variables
- **■**Examples:
 - Segmenting sections of an image
 - Segmenting customers in market data



From: Market segmentation possibilities in the tourism market context of South Africa





K-means

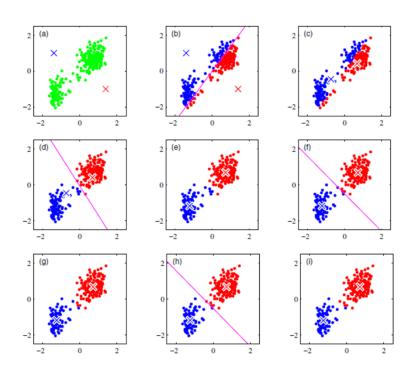
- □ A simple iterative algorithm to determine:
 - μ_i = mean of each cluster (hence, the name K-means)
 - $\circ \ \sigma_n \in \{1, \dots K\}$ = cluster that data point x_n belongs to
- \square Step 0: Start with guess at σ_n
- □ Step 1: Update mean of each cluster: μ_i = average of x_n s.t. $\sigma_n = i$
- □Step 2: Update cluster membership:

$$\sigma_n = \arg\min_i ||x_n - \mu_i||^2$$

- Selects cluster with closest mean
- ☐ Return to step 1



K-Means illustrated



- ☐ From Bishop, Chapter 9.
- ☐ K-Means on "old faithful" data set



Image Segmentation



- □Also from Bishop.
- ☐ Use K-means on the RGB values (dimension = 3)



Convergence

 \square Will always converge to a "local" minima of cost function

$$J = \sum_{i=1}^{K} \sum_{n=1}^{N} r_{ni} ||x_n - \mu_i||^2$$

- \circ Subject to $r_{ni}=0$ or 1 and $\sum_i r_{ni}=1$
- ■K-means alternately decreases *J*
 - Proof on board
- ☐But, can get stuck in a local minima
 - May need good selection of initial condition



Distance measures

- ☐ Distance measures
 - How do measure similarity between samples?
 - \circ Above algorithms used squared distance $\|x_n x_m\|$
- ☐ Many possibilities
 - How to represent data as a vector?
 - Should you normalize entries?
 - What distance metric should you use?

Initialization

☐ Initialization:

- Final limit of K-means depends on initial condition
- May obtain poor clustering with bad initial condition

■ Possible solutions:

- ∘ K-means++: http://ilpubs.stanford.edu:8090/778/1/2006-13.pdf
- Provides good initial condition based on data
- Multiple initial starts





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K-means for document clustering



Bag of Words

Document 1

The quick brown fox jumped over the lazy dog's back.

Document 2

Now is the time for all good men to come to the aid of their party.

Term	Document 1	Document 2
aid	0	1
all	0	1
back	1	0
brown	1	0
come	0	1
dog fox	1	0
fox	1	0
good	0	1
jump	1	0
lazy	1	0
men	0	1
now	0	1
over	1	0
party	0	1
quick	1	0
their	0	1
time	0	1

Stopword

List

for is of

the to

■Document is natively text
■Must represent as a numeric vector
Represent by word countsEnumerate all words
 Each document is count of frequencies
Stopwords

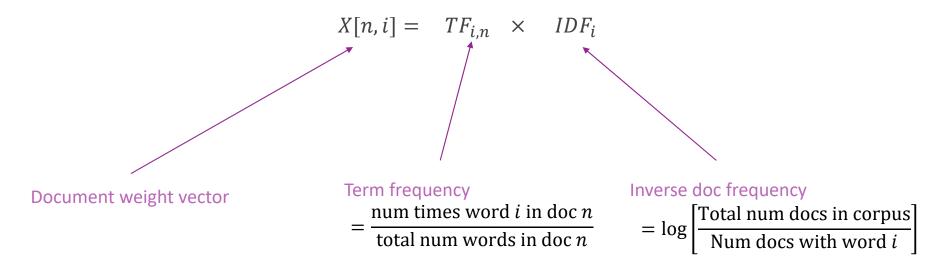
Discussion Questions

- □ Is the absolute number of times a word appears the correct metric?
- ☐What about the length of the document?
- ■What about the frequency of the word?
- ■What words "matter"?



Term Frequency – Inverse Document Frequency

☐ Use TF-IDF weight for vectors:





Computing TF-IDF in Python

☐ Can compute the TF-IDF using sklearn functions

Extracting features from the training dataset using a sparse vectorizer done in 1.451549s n_samples: 3387, n_features: 10000





Typical TF-IDF scores

weimar 0.565396 0.518174 pov renderers 0.183033 univesa 0.178595 und 0.174842 0.171591 fuer 0.159214 true raytracing 0.150534 displaying 0.140240 0.139752 options 0.134309 rendering 0.133027 driver 0.129544 happens 0.122540 colors 0.119138 card 0.113776 display 0.108457 germany 0.108231 tried 0.106282 0.103717 color 0.100397 anybody 0.100234 correct isn 0.084694 0.081865 got keywords 0.081865 0.080601 try help 0.078058 nntp 0.044277 0.043985 host posting 0.042608 □Code to display terms with highest scores

```
xi = X[doc_ind,:].todense()
term_ind = xi.argsort()[:, ::-1]
xi_sort = xi[0,term_ind]
terms = vectorizer.get_feature_names()

for i in range(30):
    term = terms[term_ind[0,i]]
    tfidf = xi[0,term_ind[0,i]]
    print('{0:20s} {1:f} '.format(term, tfidf))
```



Running K-Means

☐ Use Python built-in function

```
km = KMeans(n_clusters=true_k, init='k-means++', max_iter=100, n_init=1,
                verbose=opts.verbose)
print("Clustering sparse data with %s" % km)
t0 = time()
km.fit(X)
print("done in %0.3fs" % (time() - t0))
print()
Clustering sparse data with KMeans(algorithm='auto', copy_x=True, init='k-means++', max_iter=100,
   n clusters=4, n init=1, n jobs=1, precompute distances='auto',
   random state=None, tol=0.0001, verbose=True)
Initialization complete
Iteration 0, inertia 6464.681
Iteration 1, inertia 3297.729
Iteration 2, inertia 3281.166
Iteration 3, inertia 3277.920
Iteration 4, inertia 3276.435
Iteration 5, inertia 3274.901
Iteration 6, inertia 3273.224
Iteration 7, inertia 3271.565
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Plotting the Results

- ☐ Most important words in each cluster
 - Highest weights in cluster centers

```
order_centroids = km.cluster_centers_.argsort()[:, ::-1]
for i in range(true_k):
    print("Cluster %d:" % i, end='')
    for ind in order_centroids[i, :10]:
        print(' %s' % terms[ind], end='')
    print()
```

```
Cluster 0: graphics com university image posting thanks host nntp computer ac
Cluster 1: god com people don say jesus article think bible christian
Cluster 2: space nasa henry access digex toronto pat alaska gov shuttle
Cluster 3: sandvik sgi livesey com kent apple keith newton solntze wpd
```





Confusion Matrix

- ☐ Estimated clusters vs. true categories
- □Can you see where it got confused?





An Example "Wrong" cluster

Actual newsgroup: talk.religion.misc
Most common newsgroup in cluster: alt.atheism

From: skinner@sp94.csrd.uiuc.edu (Gregg Skinner)

Subject: Re: Davidians and compassion

Reply-To: g-skinner@uiuc.edu

Organization: UIUC Center for Supercomputing Research and Development

Lines: 26

sandvik@newton.apple.com (Kent Sandvik) writes:

>In article <1993Apr20.143400.569@ra.royalroads.ca>, mlee@post.RoyalRoads.ca

>(Malcolm Lee) wrote:

>> Do you judge all Christians by the acts of those who would call

>> themselves Christian and yet are not? The BD's contradicted scripture

>> in their actions. They were NOT Christian. Simple as that. Perhaps

>> you have read too much into what the media has portrayed. Ask any

>> true-believing Christian and you will find that they will deny any

>> association with the BD's. Even the 7th Day Adventists have denied any

>> further ties with this cult, which was what they were.

>Well, if they were Satanists, or followers of an obscure religion, >then I would be sure that Christians would in unison condemn and >make this to a show case.

You might be sure, but you would also be wrong.

>And does not this show the dangers with religion -- in order >word a mind virus that will make mothers capable of letting >their small children burn to ashes while they scream?

I suspect the answer to this question is the same as the answer to, "Do not the actions of the likes of Stalin show the dangers of atheism?"

■ Post is from talk.religion.misc

☐ Placed in cluster with mostly alt.atheism



