K Means Clustering Project For this project we will attempt to use KMeans Clustering to cluster Universities into to two groups, Private and Public. It is very important to note, we actually have the labels for this data set, but we will NOT use them for the KMeans clustering algorithm, since that is an unsupervised learning algorithm. When using the Kmeans algorithm under normal circumstances, it is because you don't have labels. In this case we will use the labels to try to get an idea of how well the algorithm performed, but you won't usually do this for Kmeans, so the classification report and confusion matrix at the end of this project, don't truly make sense in a real world setting!. The Data We will use a data frame with 777 observations on the following 18 variables. Private A factor with levels No and Yes indicating private or public university Apps Number of applications received Accept Number of applications accepted Enroll Number of new students enrolled • Top10perc Pct. new students from top 10% of H.S. class • Top25perc Pct. new students from top 25% of H.S. class • F.Undergrad Number of fulltime undergraduates P.Undergrad Number of parttime undergraduates Outstate Out-of-state tuition Room.Board Room and board costs Books Estimated book costs Personal Estimated personal spending PhD Pct. of faculty with Ph.D.'s • Terminal Pct. of faculty with terminal degree • S.F.Ratio Student/faculty ratio • perc.alumni Pct. alumni who donate • Expend Instructional expenditure per student • Grad.Rate Graduation rate Import Libraries Import the libraries you usually use for data analysis. In [75]: **import** pandas **as** pd import numpy as np import matplotlib.pyplot as plt import seaborn as sns %matplotlib inline Get the Data Read in the College\_Data file using read\_csv. Figure out how to set the first column as the index. df=pd.read\_csv('College\_Data',index\_col=0) Check the head of the data df.head() In [78]: Private Apps Accept Enroll Top10perc Top25perc F.Undergrad P.Undergrad Outstate Room.Board Books Personal PhD Terminal S.F.Ratio perc.alumni Expend Grad.Rate Out[78]: **Abilene Christian University** Yes 1660 1232 721 23 52 2885 7440 3300 2200 78 18.1 12 7041 **Adelphi University** Yes 2186 1924 512 16 29 2683 1227 12280 6450 750 1500 29 30 12.2 16 10527 56 **Adrian College** Yes 1428 1097 336 22 50 1036 11250 3750 400 1165 53 66 12.9 30 8735 54 137 510 92 7.7 19016 59 **Agnes Scott College** Yes 349 60 89 63 12960 5450 450 875 97 37 417 **Alaska Pacific University** Yes 146 55 16 249 7560 4120 800 1500 72 11.9 2 10922 15 df.describe() In [79]: S.F.Ratio perc.alumni Expend Grad.Rate Out[79]: **Apps** Enroll Top10perc Top25perc F.Undergrad P.Undergrad Outstate Room.Board **Books** Personal PhD Terminal Accept 777.000000 777.000000 count 777.000000 777.000000 777.000000 777.000000 777.000000 777.000000 777.000000 777.000000 777.000000 777.000000 777.000000 777.000000 777.000000 777.000000 777.00000 3699.907336 1340.642214 3001.638353 2018.804376 779.972973 27.558559 55.796654 855.298584 10440.669241 4357.526384 549.380952 72.660232 79.702703 14.089704 22.743887 9660.171171 65.46332 1522.431887 17.640364 4023.016484 1096.696416 3870.201484 19.804778 4850.420531 16.328155 14.722359 5221.768440 17.17771 2451.113971 929.176190 165.105360 677.071454 3.958349 12.391801 std 81.000000 72.000000 35.000000 1.000000 9.000000 139.000000 1.000000 2340.000000 1780.000000 96.000000 250.000000 8.000000 24.000000 2.500000 0.000000 3186.000000 10.00000 25% 776.000000 604.000000 242.000000 15.000000 41.000000 992.000000 95.000000 7320.000000 3597.000000 470.000000 850.000000 62.000000 71.000000 11.500000 13.000000 6751.000000 53.00000 1558.000000 1110.000000 434.000000 23.000000 54.000000 1707.000000 353.000000 9990.000000 4200.000000 500.000000 1200.000000 75.000000 82.000000 13.600000 21.000000 8377.000000 65.00000 3624.000000 2424.000000 902.000000 35.000000 69.000000 4005.000000 967.000000 12925.000000 5050.000000 600.000000 1700.000000 85.000000 92.000000 16.500000 31.000000 10830.000000 78.00000 48094.000000 26330.000000 6392.000000 100.000000 31643.000000 21836.000000 21700.000000 8124.000000 2340.000000 6800.000000 103.000000 39.800000 64.000000 56233.000000 118.00000 96.000000 100.000000 Check the info() and describe() methods on the data. df.info() In [80]: <class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'> Index: 777 entries, Abilene Christian University to York College of Pennsylvania Data columns (total 18 columns): Non-Null Count Dtype Column 777 non-null 0 Private 777 non-null 1 Apps int64 2 Accept 777 non-null int64 3 Enroll 777 non-null int64 Top10perc 777 non-null int64 777 non-null 5 Top25perc int64 F.Undergrad 777 non-null int64 P.Undergrad 777 non-null int64 8 Outstate 777 non-null int64 9 777 non-null Room.Board int64 10 Books 777 non-null int64 11 Personal 777 non-null int64 12 PhD 777 non-null int64 Terminal 777 non-null 13 int64 14 S.F.Ratio 777 non-null float64 15 perc.alumni 777 non-null int64 777 non-null 16 Expend int64 777 non-null 17 Grad.Rate int64 dtypes: float64(1), int64(16), object(1) memory usage: 115.3+ KB **EDA** It's time to create some data visualizations! Create a scatterplot of Grad.Rate versus Room.Board where the points are colored by the Private column. sns.lmplot(x='Room.Board',y='Grad.Rate',data=df,hue='Private',fit\_reg=False, palette='coolwarm', size=6, aspect=1) /Users/karaoglan/opt/anaconda3/lib/python3.8/site-packages/seaborn/regression.py:580: UserWarning: The `size` parameter has been renamed to `height`; please update your code. warnings.warn(msg, UserWarning) Out[81]: <seaborn.axisgrid.FacetGrid at 0x7f9b03c06e50> 120 100 80 Private No 20 3000 4000 5000 8000 Create a scatterplot of F.Undergrad versus Outstate where the points are colored by the Private column. sns.lmplot(x='Outstate', y='F.Undergrad', data=df, hue='Private', fit\_reg=False, In [82]: size=6, aspect=1) /Users/karaoglan/opt/anaconda3/lib/python3.8/site-packages/seaborn/regression.py:580: UserWarning: The `size` parameter has been renamed to `height`; please update your code. warnings.warn(msg, UserWarning) Out[82]: <seaborn.axisgrid.FacetGrid at 0x7f9b03ce1460> 30000 25000 20000 15000 10000 5000 7500 10000 12500 15000 17500 20000 22500 5000 Outstate Create a stacked histogram showing Out of State Tuition based on the Private column. Try doing this using sns.FacetGrid. If that is too tricky, see if you can do it just by using two instances of pandas.plot(kind='hist'). g=sns.FacetGrid(df, hue='Private', palette='coolwarm') g=g.map(plt.hist, 'Outstate', bins=20, alpha=0.7) 60 40 30 20 10 5000 10000 15000 20000 Outstate Create a similar histogram for the Grad.Rate column. g=sns.FacetGrid(df, hue='Private', palette='coolwarm') g=g.map(plt.hist, 'Grad.Rate', bins=20, alpha=0.7) 60 50 40 30 20 10 25 50 75 Notice how there seems to be a private school with a graduation rate of higher than 100%. What is the name of that school? df[df['Grad.Rate']>100] Private Apps Accept Enroll Top10perc Top25perc F.Undergrad P.Undergrad Outstate Room.Board Books Personal PhD Terminal S.F.Ratio perc.alumni Expend Grad.Rate Out[85]: Yes 3847 Cazenovia College 3433 9384 Set that school's graduation rate to 100 so it makes sense. You may get a warning not an error) when doing this operation, so use dataframe operations or just re-do the histogram visualization to make sure it actually went through. In [86]: df['Grad.Rate']['Cazenovia College']=100 <ipython-input-86-419a0d91f27a>:1: SettingWithCopyWarning: A value is trying to be set on a copy of a slice from a DataFrame See the caveats in the documentation: https://pandas.pydata.org/pandas-docs/stable/user\_guide/indexing.html#returning-a-view-versus-a-copy df['Grad.Rate']['Cazenovia College']=100 df[df['Grad.Rate']>100] In [87]: Out[87]: Private Apps Accept Enroll Top10perc Top25perc F.Undergrad P.Undergrad Outstate Room.Board Books Personal PhD Terminal S.F.Ratio perc.alumni Expend Grad.Rate g=sns.FacetGrid(df, hue='Private', palette='coolwarm') In [88]: g=g.map(plt.hist, 'Grad.Rate', bins=20, alpha=0.7) 70 60 50 40 30 20 10 40 60 80 Grad.Rate K Means Cluster Creation Now it is time to create the Cluster labels! Import KMeans from SciKit Learn. In [89]: **from** sklearn.cluster **import** KMeans Create an instance of a K Means model with 2 clusters. kmeans=KMeans(n\_clusters=2) In [90]: Fit the model to all the data except for the Private label. kmeans.fit(df.drop('Private',axis=1)) Out[91]: KMeans(n\_clusters=2) What are the cluster center vectors? kmeans.cluster\_centers\_ In [92]: Out[92]: array([[1.81323468e+03, 1.28716592e+03, 4.91044843e+02, 2.53094170e+01, 5.34708520e+01, 2.18854858e+03, 5.95458894e+02, 1.03957085e+04, 4.31136472e+03, 5.41982063e+02, 1.28033632e+03, 7.04424514e+01, 7.78251121e+01, 1.40997010e+01, 2.31748879e+01, 8.93204634e+03, 6.50926756e+01], [1.03631389e+04, 6.55089815e+03, 2.56972222e+03, 4.14907407e+01, 7.02037037e+01, 1.30619352e+04, 2.46486111e+03, 1.07191759e+04, 4.64347222e+03, 5.95212963e+02, 1.71420370e+03, 8.63981481e+01, 9.13333333e+01, 1.40277778e+01, 2.00740741e+01, 1.41705000e+04, 6.75925926e+01]]) Evaluation There is no perfect way to evaluate clustering if you don't have the labels, however since this is just an exercise, we do have the labels, so we take advantage of this to evaluate our clusters, keep in mind, you usually won't have this luxury in the real world. Create a new column for df called 'Cluster', which is a 1 for a Private school, and a 0 for a public school. def converter(cluster): if cluster=='Yes': return 1 else: return 0 df['Cluster']=df['Private'].apply(converter) df.head() In [98]: Private Apps Accept Enroll Top10perc Top25perc F.Undergrad P.Undergrad Outstate Room.Board Books Personal PhD Terminal S.F.Ratio perc.alumni Expend Grad.Rate Cluster Out[98]: **Abilene Christian University** Yes 1660 1232 721 52 2885 7440 2200 70 7041 60 23 3300 450 78 18.1 12 **Adelphi University** Yes 2186 1924 512 16 29 2683 1227 12280 6450 750 1500 29 30 12.2 16 10527 **Adrian College** Yes 1428 50 1036 11250 3750 400 1165 53 12.9 8735 1097 336 22 66 30 54 510 37 19016 **Agnes Scott College** 349 137 60 89 12960 5450 450 875 92 97 7.7 Yes 417 59 Yes 193 **Alaska Pacific University** 146 55 16 249 7560 4120 800 1500 76 72 11.9 2 10922 15 from sklearn.metrics import confusion\_matrix,classification\_report In [99]: Create a confusion matrix and classification report to see how well the Kmeans clustering worked without being given any labels. print(confusion\_matrix(df['Cluster'], kmeans.labels\_)) In [100... print('\n') print(classification\_report(df['Cluster'], kmeans.labels\_)) [531 34]] precision recall f1-score support 0.21 0.31 0.22 777 accuracy macro avg 0.26 0.36 777 0.21 weighted avg 0.22 0.16 777 Not so bad considering the algorithm is purely using the features to cluster the universities into 2 distinct groups! Hopefully you can begin to see how K Means is useful for clustering un-labeled data! Great Job!