

**Question - 1**
Question 1

SCORE: 5 points

In which of these tasks K-means clustering will be more suitable to use?

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Given a set of news articles, find out what are the main topics of these articles.

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Given historical weather records, predict if tomorrow's weather will be sunny or rainy.

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Given a set of emails, you need to predict if they are spam or non-spam emails.

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Given a set of users bios on a website, figure out what types of group users exist.

Question - 2
Question 1

SCORE: 5 points

In which of these tasks K-means clustering will be more suitable to use?

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Given a set of reviews, find out what are positive and negative.

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Given wikipedia articles, determine the main tags of the articles.

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Given historical weather records, predict if tomorrow's weather will be sunny or rainy.

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Given a set of locations to deliver food, determine the most suitable locations for the delivery route.

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Question 2

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Suppose we have four cluster centroids: 1 - $[2,2]$, 2 - $[-1,3]$, 3 - $[0,2]$ and 4 - $[3,0]$, so we have a training example $x_i = [7,7]$. After a cluster assignment step, what will be the cluster of this training example?

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Question - 4

Question 2

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Suppose we have four cluster centroids: 1 - $[0,1]$, 2 - $[-1,2]$, 3 - $[4,2]$ and 4 - $[5,0]$, so we have a training example $x_i = [2,2]$. After a cluster assignment step, what will be the cluster of this training example?

- ☐ 1
- ☐ 2
- ☒ 3
- ☐ 4

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Question 3

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Which of the following true statements?

- ☒ On every iteration of K-means algorithm, the cost function (the distortion function) should either stay the same or decrease, but it should not increase.
- ☐ Result of the K-Means algorithm will be the same regardless of the initialization of the centroids.
- ☒ A good way to initialize K-means is to select K examples from the training set and set the cluster centroids equal to these selected examples.
- ☐ Once a point has been assigned as a centroid, it will never be reassigned to another different centroid.

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Question 3

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Which of the following true statements ?

- ☐ On every iteration of the K-means algorithm, the cost function (the distortion function) should increase, but not either decrease or stay the same.
- ☒ Result of the K-Means algorithm will not be the same regardless of the initialization of the centroids.
- ☒ A good way to initialize K-means is to select K examples from the training set and set the cluster centroids equal to these selected examples.
- ☒

Once a point has been assigned as a centroid, it can be reassigned to another different centroid.

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Question 4

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Which of the following is a reasonable way to select the number of principal components k ?

☐ Use the elbow method.



Choose k to be the largest value so that at least 99% of the variance is retained.



Choose k to be the smallest value so that at least 99% of the variance is retained.



Choose k to be 99% of the number of input examples.

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Question 5

SCORE: 5 points

In what cases is it recommended to use PCA ?



When we have too much data and we are going to use process-intensive algorithms



When we need to decrease the number of features to feed into a learning algorithm.



When you have a high variance of your data.



When we need to tackle the curse of dimensionality.

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In what cases it is recommended to use PCA?



Data visualization: Reduce data to 2D, so it can be plotted.



To increase the number of features to feed into a learning algorithm.



Avoid overfitting by reducing the number of features.



To reduce the dimension of your data for less memory or disk space.

Question - 10

Question 6

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Answer yes or no for the following statement about Bag of Words:

Does the word order matter?

- ☐ Yes
- ☒ No

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Question 6

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Answer yes or no for the following statement about Bag of Words:

Do long phrases give different input vectors?

- ☒ Yes
- ☐ No

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Answer yes or no for the following statement about Bag of Words:

Can we handle complex phrases? (Ex. "Chicago Bulls")

- ☐ Yes
- ☒ No

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Question 7

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Write the order of operations in Text learning.

- ☐ 1. Stemming 2. Stopwords removal 3. Bag of Words
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