K-Means Clustering

This Notebook contains the implementation for data/feature extraction and our own K-Means cluster implementation for a two features. The code is divided among cells to help understand the code easily. Explainination of each cell is at the top of the cell.

NOTE: In order to run this code on a cluster do the following in the termianl first

Environment Setup

Commands to be run in terminal:

Only need to run this command once 'pip install findspark --user'

Set environment variable 'export SPARK_HOME=/usr/lib/spark'

Step1: Import relevent libraries and initialize spark context

```
In [22]: import findspark
findspark.init()
import pyspark
from pyspark import SparkContext
import xml.etree.ElementTree as ET
SC = pyspark.SparkContext(appName="KMeans Implementation")
```

Step2: Setup input RDD's

- We are using posts and users files from the stack overflow data.
- Due to large amount of data and cluster taking alot of time to run the job, we took 0.5 of the *posts* data to process.
- This code would work for larger dataset as well but due to load on cluster and time constraint to optimize the code even further, we have used a fraction of the data set for now.
- The commented out lines of code in the following cell would be used to get complete data set.

```
In [36]: ###Full Data Set
#posts = SC.textFile("/data/stackoverflow/Posts")
users = SC.textFile("/data/stackoverflow/Users")

###Fraction of data set with '0.5' meaning 50%
posts = SC.textFile("/data/stackoverflow/Posts").sample(False,0.5,12345)
#users = SC.textFile("/data/stackoverflow/Users").sample(False,0.7,12345)
```

Step3: Data/Feature Extraction

- Following cells contain the functions used to convert the raw data that is in XML format into a format understood by our algorithm.
- The first cell contains the function used for feature extraction.
- The second cell contains the transformations (maps and filters) used to get relevent RDD's for clustering.

```
In [37]: def getOwnerId(input):
             try:
                tree = ET.fromstring(input)
                if 'OwnerUserId' in tree.attrib:
                    a = int(tree.attrib['OwnerUserId'])
                    return a
                else:
                    return None
             except:
                return None
         def getUserId(input):
             try:
                tree = ET.fromstring(input)
                if 'Id' in tree.attrib:
                    a = int(tree.attrib['Id'])
                    return a
                else:
                    return None
             except:
                return None
         def getUserReputation(input):
             try:
                tree = ET.fromstring(input)
                if 'Reputation' in tree.attrib:
                    a = int(tree.attrib['Reputation'])
                    return a
                else:
                    return None
             except:
                return None
        ########Input RDD for 2D Clustering of user reputation score against numbe
         ##Get number of posts for each users
```

K-Means Algorithm implementation:

We have a class defined as a KMeansModel2D which has the relevent functions to train itself on the data provided to it and other functions e.g a function that can be used to assign cluster to a data point.

```
In [39]: class KMeansModel2D:
             ##Initialize the model with some cluster centers.
                  init_(self, centers):
                  self.centers = centers
             ##Function used to determine assigned cluster for a data point
             def assignCluster(self,p):
                  import math
                  bestIndex = -1
                 closest = 100000
                  for i in range(len(self.centers)):
                      tempDist = math.sqrt((self.centers[i][0] - p[0])**2 +
          (self.centers[i][1] - p[1])**2 )
                      if tempDist < closest:</pre>
                          closest = tempDist
                          bestIndex = i
                  return bestIndex
             ##Method to calculate minimum distance of a point to the closest cluster
             def getMinDistance(self, p):
                  import math
                  closest = 100000
                  for i in range(len(self.centers)):
                      tempDist = math.sqrt( (self.centers[i][0] - p[0])**2 +
         (self.centers[i][1] - p[1])**2 )
                     if tempDist < closest:</pre>
                          closest = tempDist
                  return tempDist
             ##Method to train the model with given data
             def TrainModel(self,data):
                 ##Print the initially assigned clusters which should be random
                 print("Initial centers: " + str(self.centers))
                 ##Run the algorithm until cluster movement(summed distance of updated cen
         ters and previous ones) in each
                 ##iteration is less then our threshold value (convergeDist)
                  convergeDist = float(20)
                 tempDist = float(100)
                 while tempDist > convergeDist:
                      closests = data.map(lambda p: (self.assignCluster(list(p)), (p, 1)))
                      pointStats = closests.reduceByKey(
                      lambda p1 c1, p2 c2: ((p1 c1[0][0] + p2 c2[0][0],p1 c1[0][1] +
         p2_c2[0][1]), p1_c1[1] + p2_c2[1]))
                     newPoints = pointStats.mapValues(
                      lambda st: (st[0][0]/st[1], st[0][1]/st[1])).collect()
                      sumDist = 0
                      for (iK, p) in newPoints:
                          import math
                          sumDist = sumDist + math.sqrt((self.centers[iK][0] - p[0])**2 +
         (self.centers[iK][1] - p[1])**2 )
                          self.centers[iK] = p
                      tempDist = sumDist
```

Step4: Instentiate KMeans class and train the model.

- Create KMeans Class with three random data points. (We are clustering it into three clusters)
- · Train the model
- · Print the cluster centers.

```
In [ ]: model = KMeansModel2D(repAgainstPost.takeSample(False, 3,1))
    model.TrainModel(repAgainstPost)
    print("Final centers: " + str(model.centers))
```

Step5: Using our trained model, get the clustered data points and save it in output folder on our cluster

```
In [ ]: datapoints = repAgainstPost.map(lambda p: (model.assignCluster(p), p))
    datapoints.saveAsTextFile('output/data')
```

Step6: Copy the output to local file system

NOTE: Run this command in terminal to save the output as text file

'hadoop fs -getmerge output/data UserRepAgainstPosts.txt'

Final Step: Stop spark context

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In [41]: SC.stop()
```