## notebook-5

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# 1 Assignment 5: Clustering

#### 1.1 Problem 1: Preprocessing the dataset

Read the dataset:

```
[73]: import itertools
      import numpy as np
      import pandas as pd
      from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
      column_labels = [
              'Area',
              'Perimeter',
              'Compactness',
              'Length of kernel',
              'Width of kernel',
              'Asymmetry coefficient',
              'Length of the kernel groove',
              'Numerical class label',
      df = pd.read_csv(
              'data/seeds.tsv',
              sep='\t',
              header=None,
              names=column_labels
      df.head()
```

```
[73]:
                          Compactness Length of kernel Width of kernel \
         Area Perimeter
      0 15.26
                    14.84
                                0.8710
                                                   5.763
                                                                    3.312
      1 14.88
                    14.57
                                0.8811
                                                   5.554
                                                                    3.333
      2 14.29
                    14.09
                                0.9050
                                                   5.291
                                                                    3.337
      3 13.84
                   13.94
                                0.8955
                                                   5.324
                                                                    3.379
      4 16.14
                   14.99
                                0.9034
                                                   5.658
                                                                    3.562
```

Asymmetry coefficient Length of the kernel groove Numerical class label

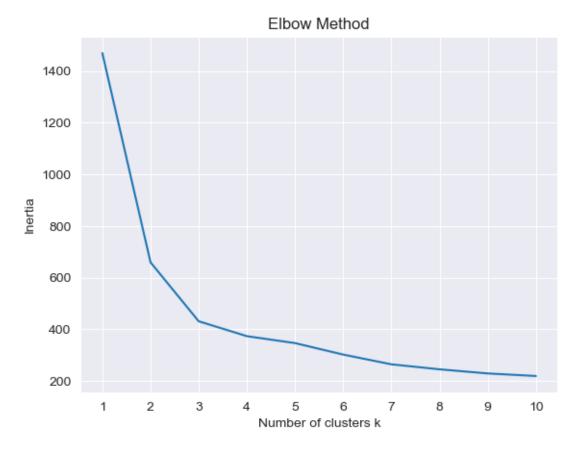
0	2.221	5.220	1
1	1.018	4.956	1
2	2.699	4.825	1
3	2.259	4.805	1
4	1.355	5.175	1

Scale the dataset using a normalizer:

```
[74]:
             Area Perimeter Compactness Length of kernel Width of kernel \
      0 0.142098
                    0.215462
                                 0.000061
                                                   0.304218
                                                                     0.141702
      1 0.011188
                                 0.428515
                                                                     0.197432
                    0.008224
                                                  -0.168625
      2 -0.192067 -0.360201
                                 1.442383
                                                  -0.763637
                                                                     0.208048
      3 -0.347091 -0.475333
                                                  -0.688978
                                                                     0.319508
                                 1.039381
                  0.330595
      4 0.445257
                                                   0.066666
                                 1.374509
                                                                     0.805159
         Asymmetry coefficient Length of the kernel groove
                                                             Numerical class label
      0
                     -0.986152
                                                  -0.383577
                     -1.788166
                                                  -0.922013
                                                                                  1
      1
      2
                     -0.667479
                                                  -1.189192
                                                                                  1
      3
                     -0.960818
                                                  -1.229983
                                                                                  1
      4
                     -1.563495
                                                  -0.475356
                                                                                  1
```

#### 1.2 Problem 2: Determining the appropriate number of clusters

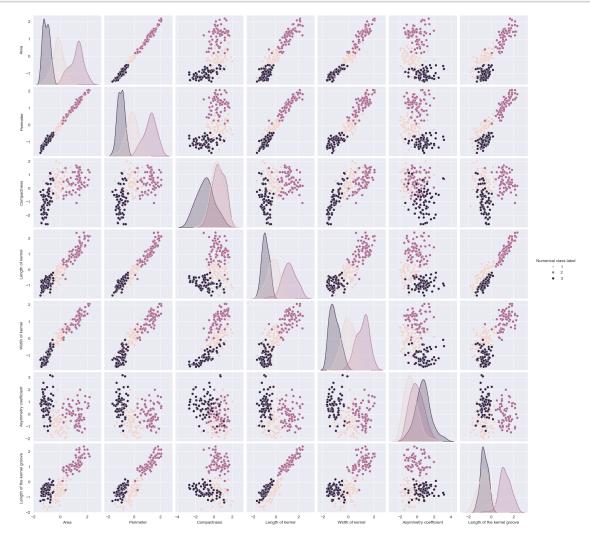
Iterating over a range of cluster numbers, determine the optimal number of clusters using the elbow method:



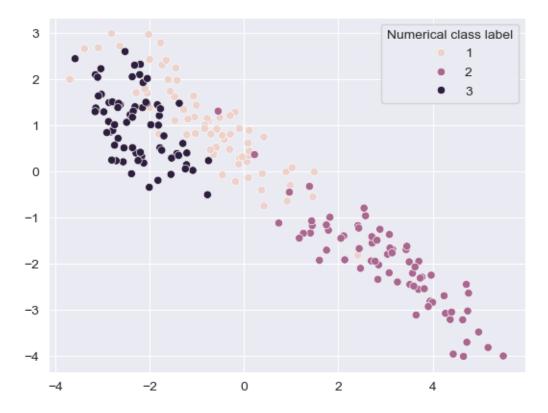
We can see that the optimal number of clusters is 3.

## 1.3 Problem 3: Visualizing the classes

Scatterplot the pairs of features, coloring the points according to the cluster they belong to:



Scatterplot the Gaussian random projections of the dataset, coloring the points according to the cluster they belong to:

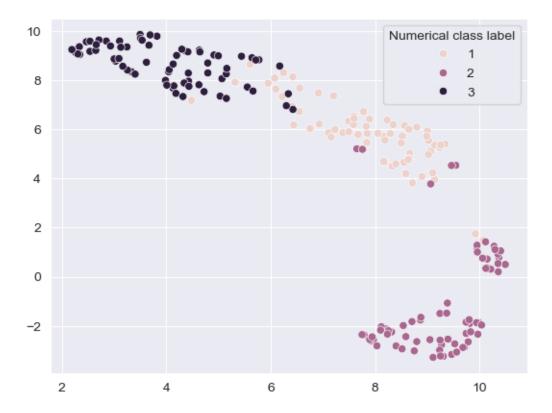


Scatterplot the UMAP projections of the dataset, coloring the points according to the cluster they belong to:

```
hue=df["Numerical class label"]
)
plt.savefig("figures/umap_projection.png")
```

/Users/giacomo/.miniforge/envs/ds/lib/python3.11/site-packages/umap/umap\_.py:1945: UserWarning: n\_jobs value 1 overridden to 1 by setting random\_state. Use no seed for parallelism.

 $warn(f"n_jobs value {self.n_jobs})$  overridden to 1 by setting random\_state. Use no seed for parallelism.")



### 1.4 Problem 4: Evaluating clustering

Cluster the dataset using the optimal number of clusters:

Compute the rand index:

Rand index: 0.8997038049669629

Compute the accuracy by finding the maximum accuracy on all the cluster labels permutations:

Accuracy: 0.6047619047619047

#### 1.4.1 Problem 5: Agglomerative clustering

Hierarchically cluster the dataset with all the linkage methods:

```
"average",
        "single"
for method in linkage_methods:
        cluster = AgglomerativeClustering(
                n_clusters=k,
                linkage=method
        ).fit(scaled_data)
        accuracy = compute_accuracy(
                scaled_df["Numerical class label"],
                cluster.labels
        )
        if accuracy > best_accuracy:
                best_accuracy = accuracy
                best_method = method
        print(
                f"Accuracy for linkage method {method}: {accuracy}"
print(f"Best linkage method: {best_method}")
```

```
Accuracy for linkage method ward: 0.6190476190476191
Accuracy for linkage method complete: 0.5428571428571428
Accuracy for linkage method average: 0.5857142857142857
Accuracy for linkage method single: 0.3380952380952381
Best linkage method: ward
```

Plot the dendrogram for the best linkage method:

