HW5 -- Jiayuan Guo

1. Chapter 10, Problem 2

(a) Use Algorithm 10.2 to explain the different steps that lead to the dendrogram:

For now we have:

$$\begin{pmatrix}
0.3 & 0.4 & 0.7 \\
0.3 & 0.5 & 0.8 \\
0.4 & 0.5 & 0.45 \\
0.7 & 0.8 & 0.45
\end{pmatrix}$$
(1)

For i=4: 0.3 is the minimum dissimilarity, so we fuse observations 1 and 2 to form cluster (1,2) at height 0.3. And we have new dissimilarity matrix:

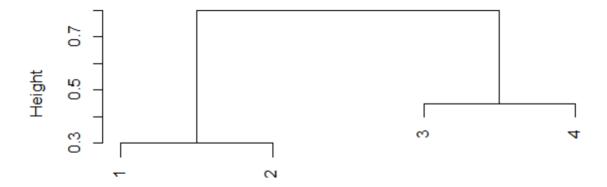
$$\begin{pmatrix} 0.5 & 0.8 \\ 0.5 & 0.45 \\ 0.8 & 0.45 \end{pmatrix} \tag{2}$$

For i=3: 0.45 is the minimum dissimilarity, so we fuse observations 3 and 4 to form cluster (3,4) at height 0.45. And we have the new dissimilarity matrix:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0.8 \\ 0.8 \end{pmatrix} \tag{3}$$

It remains to fuse clusters (1,2) and (3,4) to form cluster ((1,2),(3,4)) at height 0.8.

Cluster Dendrogram



(b) Repeat (a) using simple linkage clustering:

For now we have:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0.3 & 0.4 & 0.7 \\ 0.3 & 0.5 & 0.8 \\ 0.4 & 0.5 & 0.45 \\ 0.7 & 0.8 & 0.45 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$(4)$$

For i=4: 0.3 is the minimum dissimilarity, so we fuse observations 1 and 2 to form cluster (1,2) at height 0.3. And we have new dissimilarity matrix:

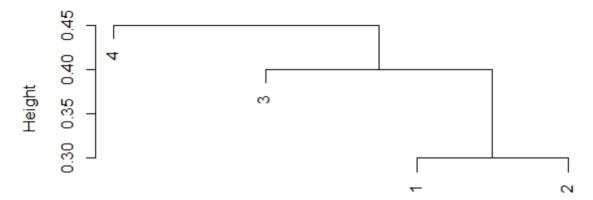
$$\begin{pmatrix}
0.4 & 0.4 \\
0.4 & 0.45 \\
0.7 & 0.45
\end{pmatrix}$$
(5)

For i=3:0.4 is the minimum dissimilarity, so we fuse cluster (1,2) and observation 3 to form cluster ((1,2),3) at height 0.4. And we have the new dissimilarity matrix:

$$\begin{pmatrix} 0.45 \\ 0.45 \end{pmatrix} \tag{6}$$

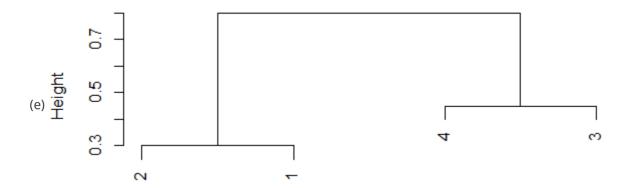
It remains to fuse clusters ((1,2),3) and observation 4 to form cluster (((1,2),3),4) at height 0.45.

Cluster Dendrogram



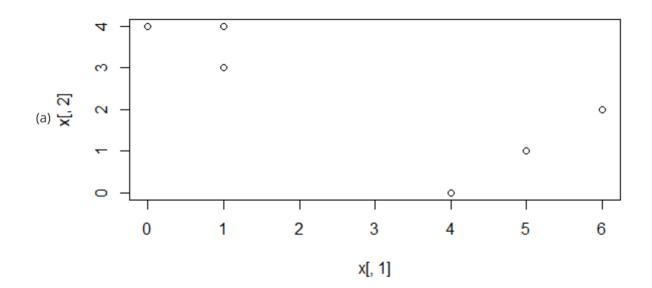
- (c) (1,2) and (3,4)
- (d) (1, 2, 3) and (4)

Cluster Dendrogram

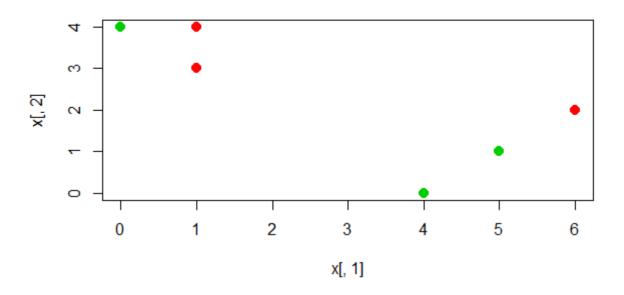


d hclust (*, "complete")

2. Chapter 10, Problem 3



(b)



(c)

Compute the centroid for the green cluster:

$$x_{11} = rac{1}{3}(0+4+5) = 3$$
 and $x_{12} = rac{1}{3}(4+0+1) = rac{5}{3}$

Compute the centroid for the red cluster:

$$x_{21} = rac{1}{3}(1+1+6) = rac{8}{3}$$
 and $x_{22} = rac{1}{3}(2+4+3) = 3$

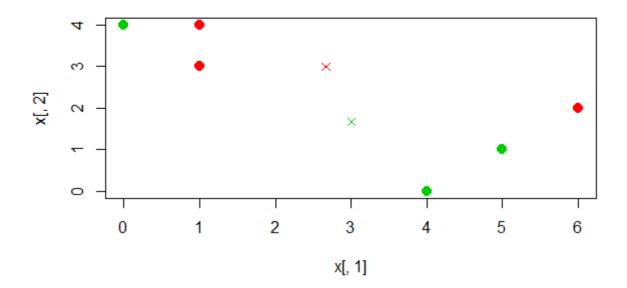
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1 Output:
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2 > centroid1

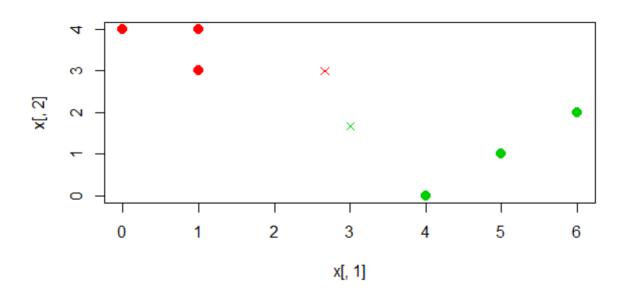
3 [1] 2.666667 3.000000

4 > centroid2

5 [1] 3.000000 1.666667



(d)



(e)Repeat (c) and (d) until the answers obtained stop changing:

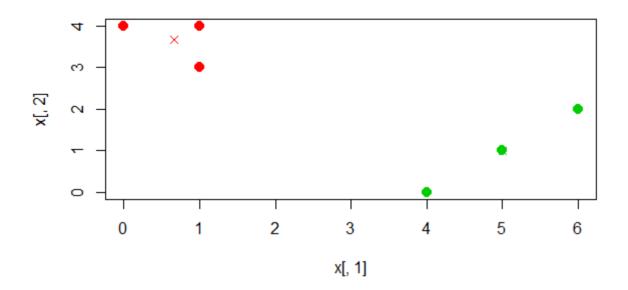
Compute the centroid for the green cluster:

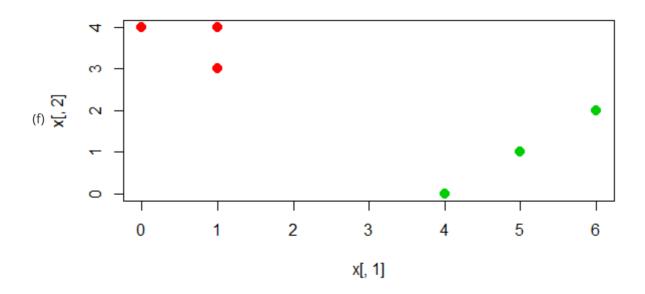
$$x_{11} = rac{1}{3}(4+5+6) = 5$$
 and $x_{12} = rac{1}{3}(0+1+2) = 1$

Compute the centroid for the red cluster:

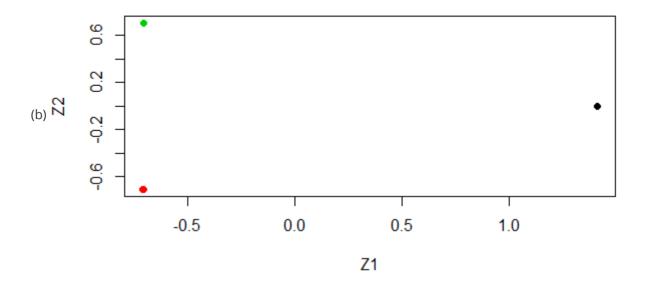
$$x_{21}=rac{1}{3}(0+1+1)=rac{2}{3}$$
 and $x_{22}=rac{1}{3}(3+4+4)=rac{11}{3}$

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1  Output:
2  > centroid1
3  [1] 0.6666667 3.6666667
4  > centroid2
5  [1] 5 1
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3. Chapter 10, Problem 10



(c)

Observations are perfectly clustered.

(d)

All observations of one of the three clusters is now absorbed in one of the two clusters.

(e)

One previous cluster split into two clusters.

(f)

All observations are perfectly clustered again.

(g)

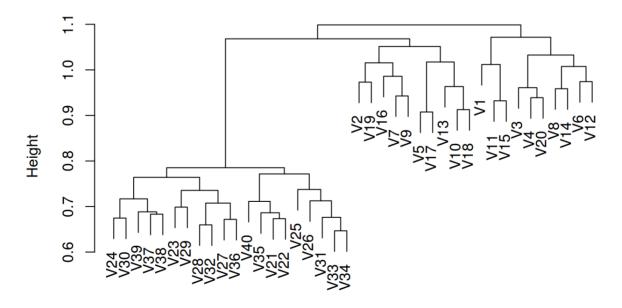
Results are worse because scaling influence the distance between observations.

4. Chapter 10, Problem 11

(b)

Complete

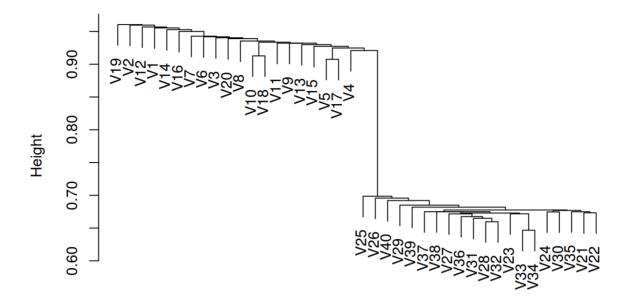
Cluster Dendrogram



as.dist(1 - cor(genes))
hclust (*, "complete")

Single:

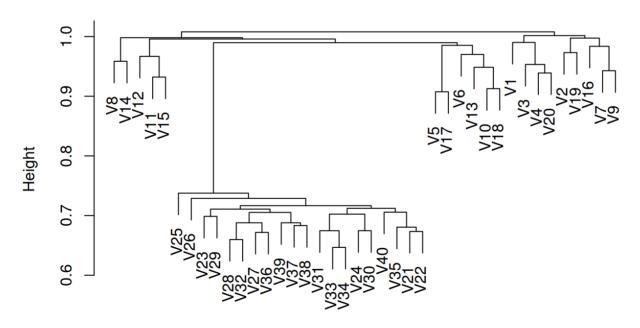
Cluster Dendrogram



as.dist(1 - cor(genes)) hclust (*, "single")

Average:

Cluster Dendrogram



as.dist(1 - cor(genes)) hclust (*, "average") Different linkage methods lead to different results: we obtain two clusters for complete and single linkages or three clusters for average cluster.

(c)

Use PCA to see which genes differ the most across the two groups.

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index[1:10]
Final Output:
## [1] 865 68 911 428 624 11 524 803 980 822
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