

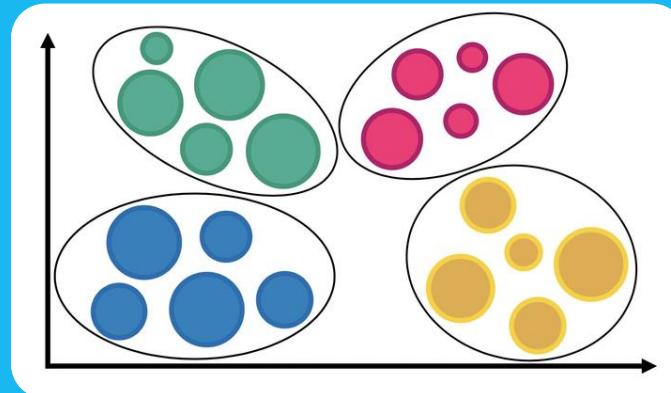
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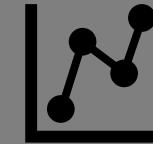
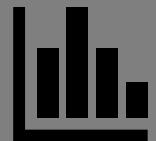
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Clustering vs. Classification



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CLUSTER ANALYSIS



Cluster analysis or clustering is the task of grouping a set of objects in such a way that objects in the same group are more similar to each other than to those in other groups.



observations in a dataset can be divided into different groups and sometimes this is very useful

EXAMPLE



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1st cluster



CANADA



U.S.A.

North America

2nd cluster



GERMANY

UNITED
KINGDOM

FRANCE

Europe

3rd cluster



AUSTRALIA

Australia

EXAMPLE



1st cluster



2nd cluster



EXAMPLE

1st cluster



2nd cluster

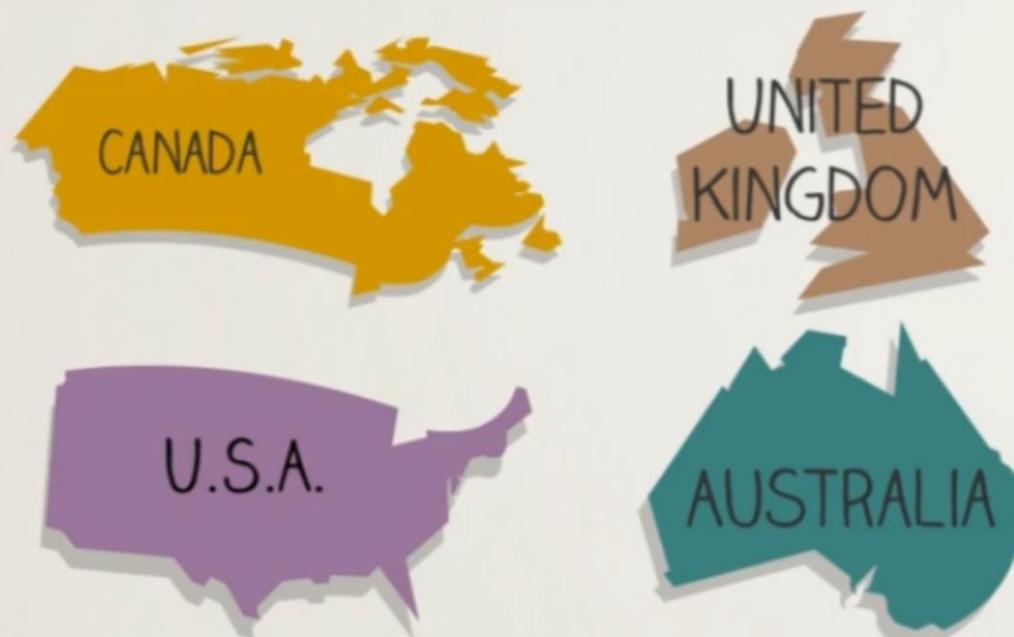


Northern Hemisphere

Southern Hemisphere

EXAMPLE

1st cluster



Official language: English

2nd cluster



Official language: Not English

CLUSTER ANALYSIS

FINAL GOAL

The goal of clustering is to maximize the similarity of observations within a cluster and maximize the dissimilarity between clusters

What are we going to do in the sequel?

1. Several clustering problems
2. How to perform cluster analysis
3. How to find the optimal number of clusters
4. How to identify appropriate features
5. How to interpret results

Cluster Analysis

Cluster



Final goal



Why is it useful?



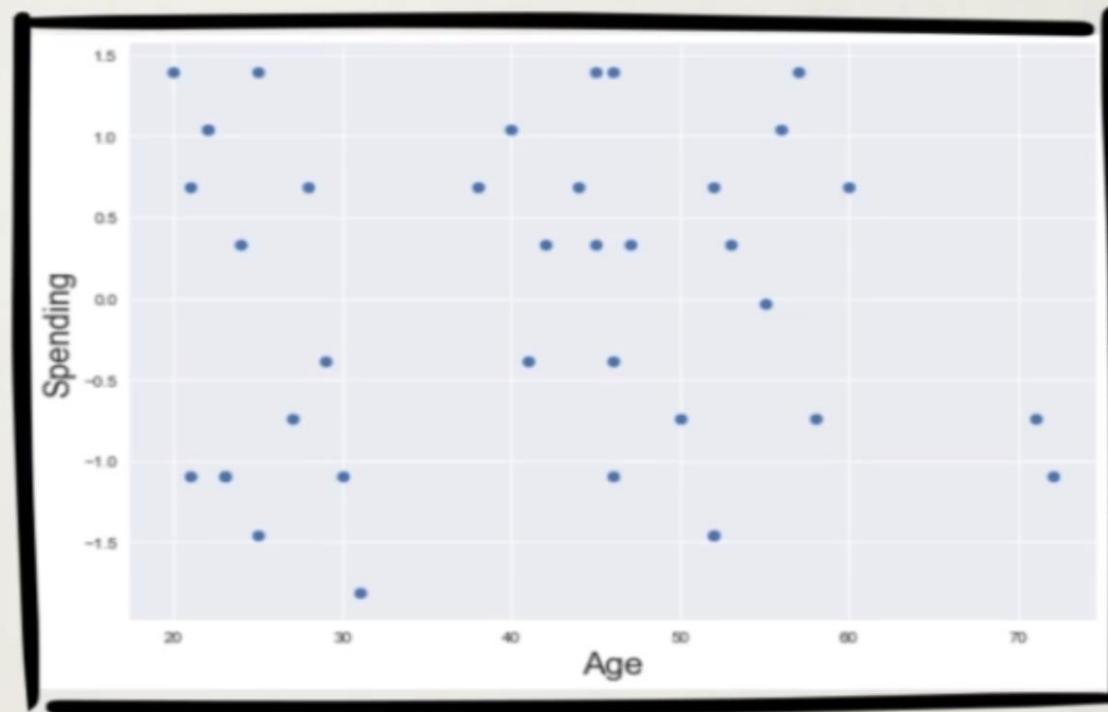
USA → North America

Germany → Europe



Market segmentation

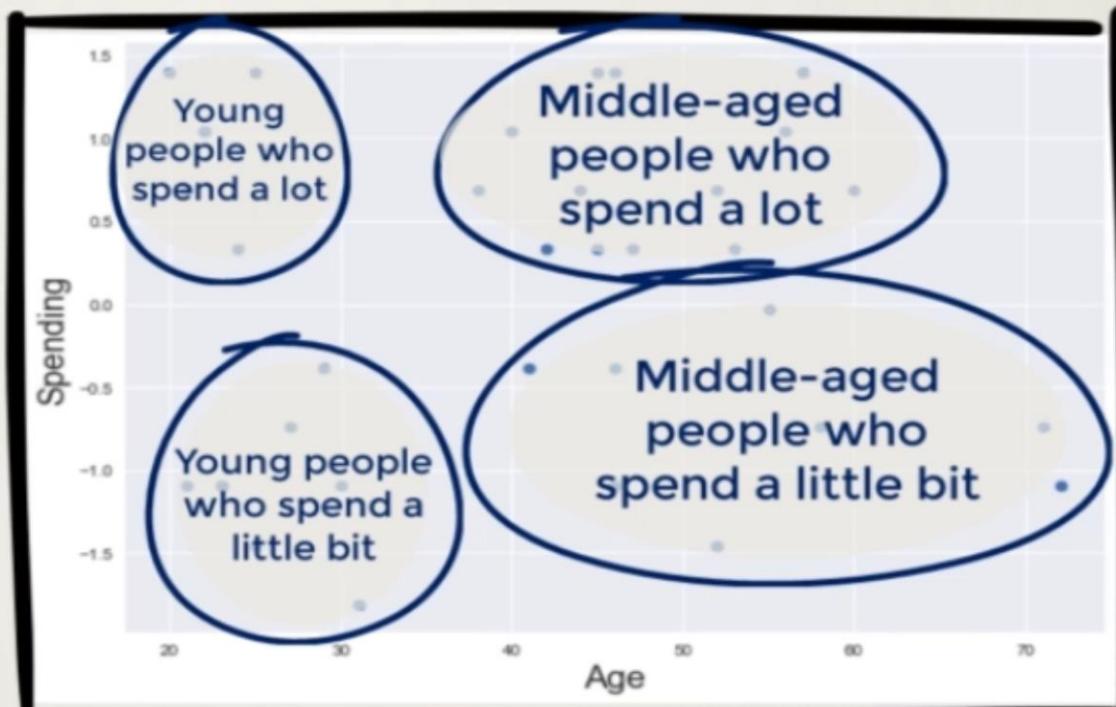
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Market segmentation



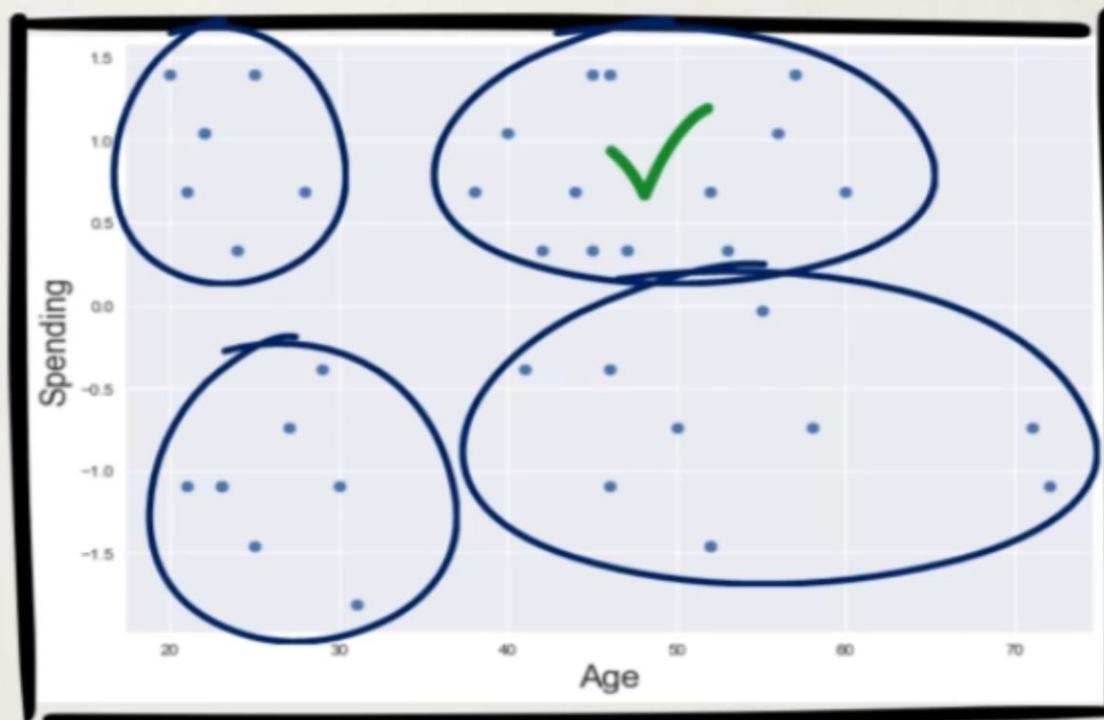
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So, briefly speaking ...

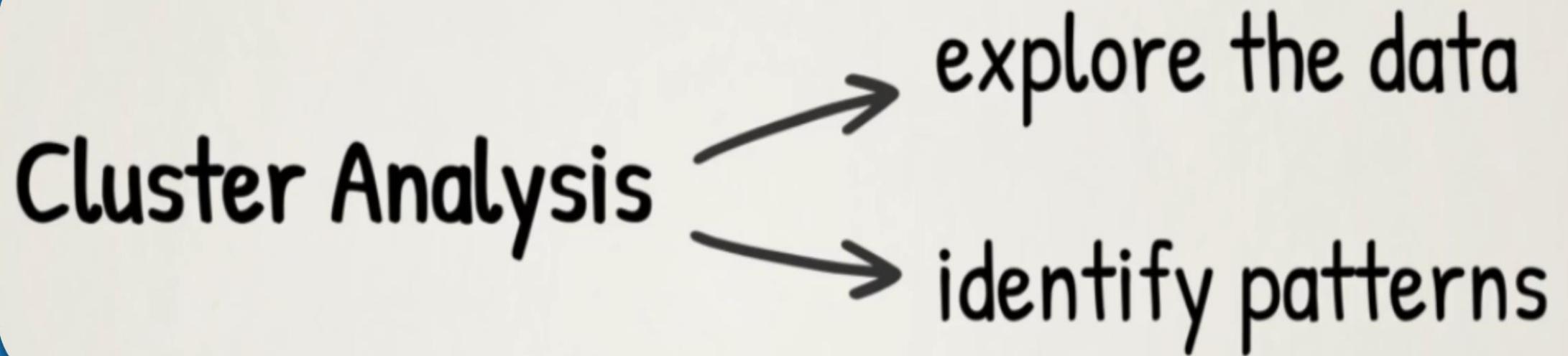


IMAGE SEGMENTATION

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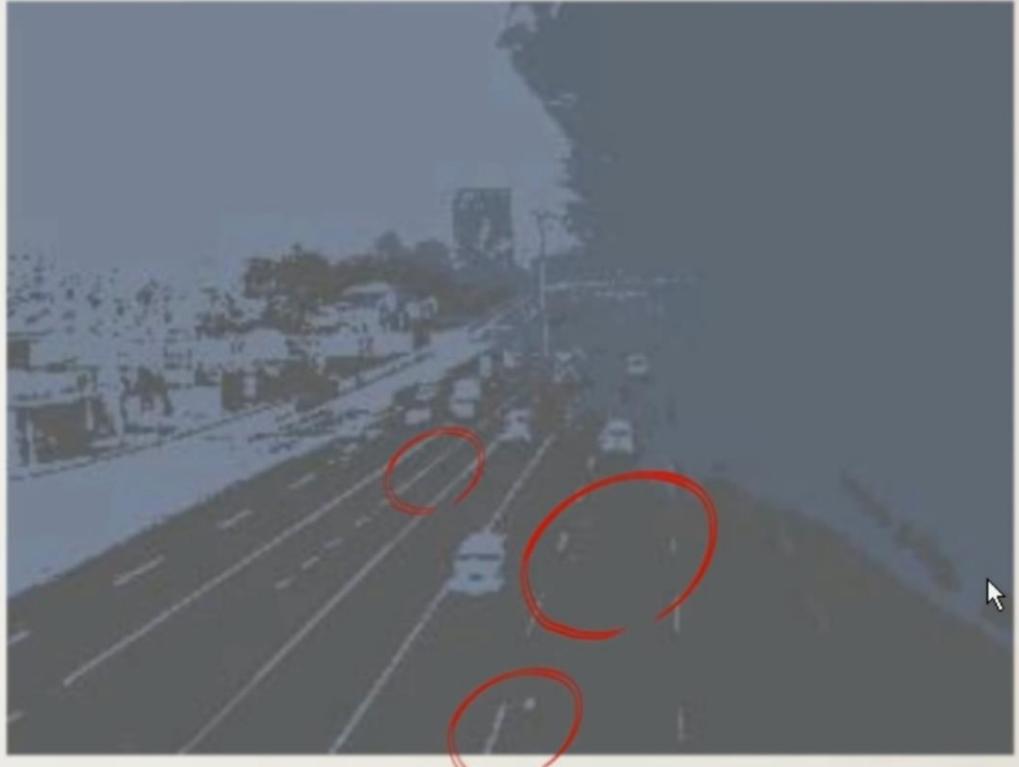
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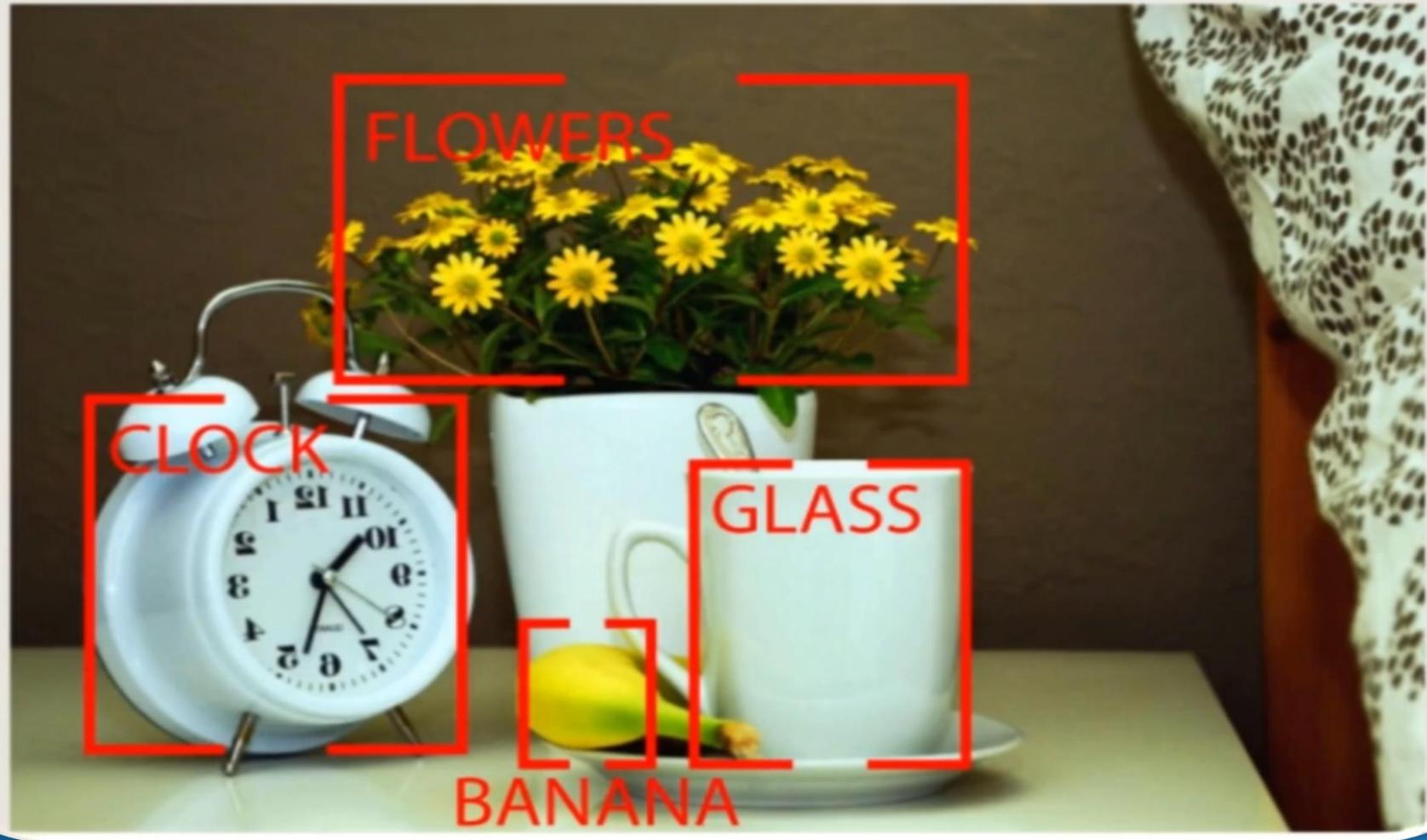


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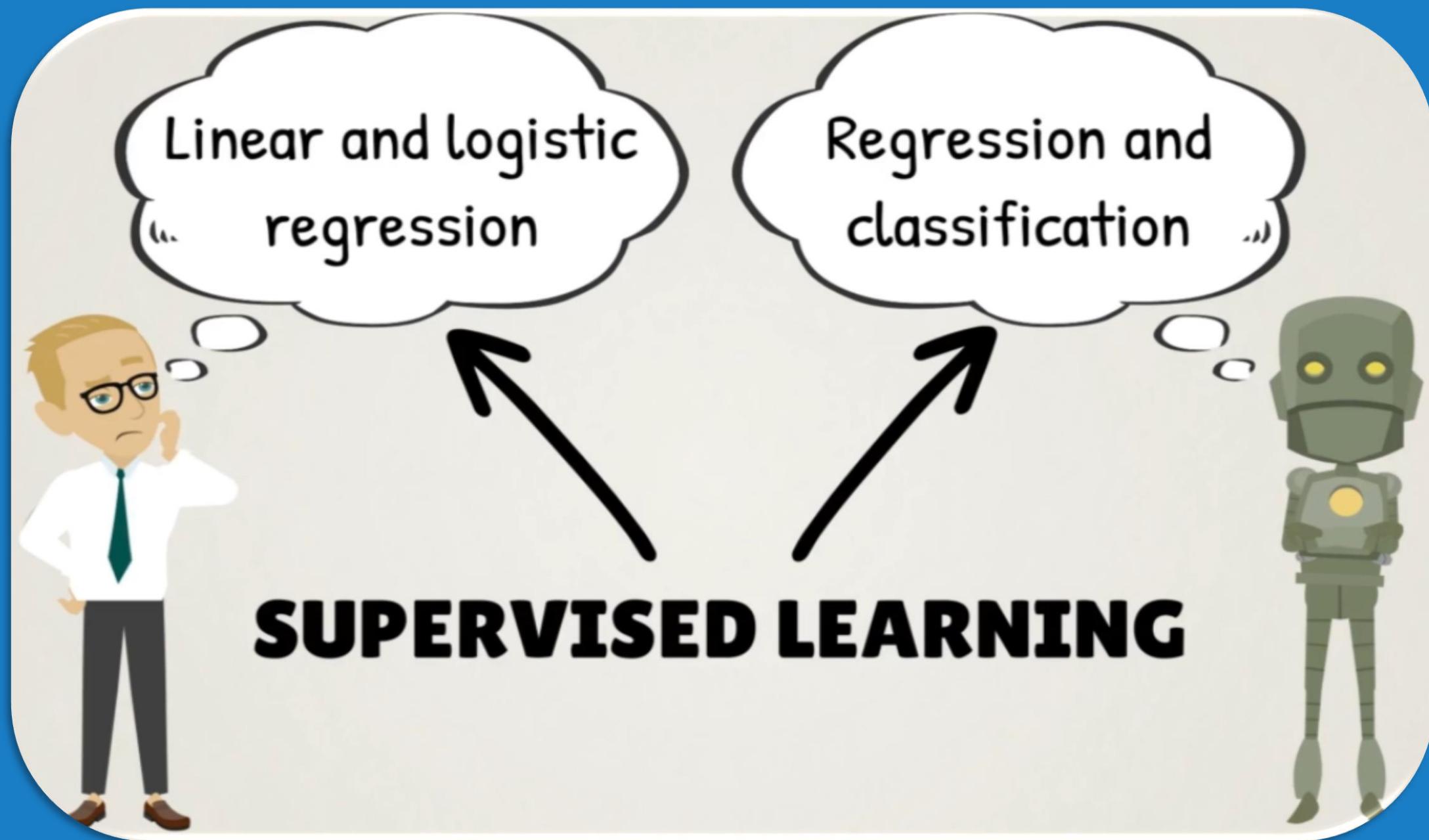


Problem?

OBJECT RECOGNITION







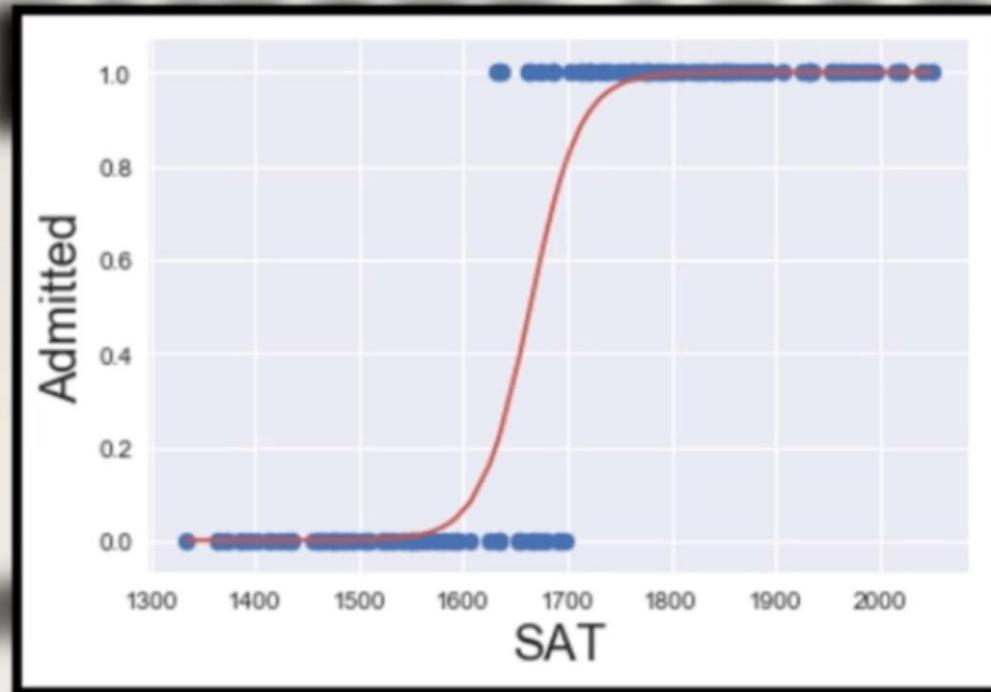
SUPERVISED LEARNING

labelled data

Inputs

Correct values for outputs

Model (Inputs) → Outputs → Correct values for outputs

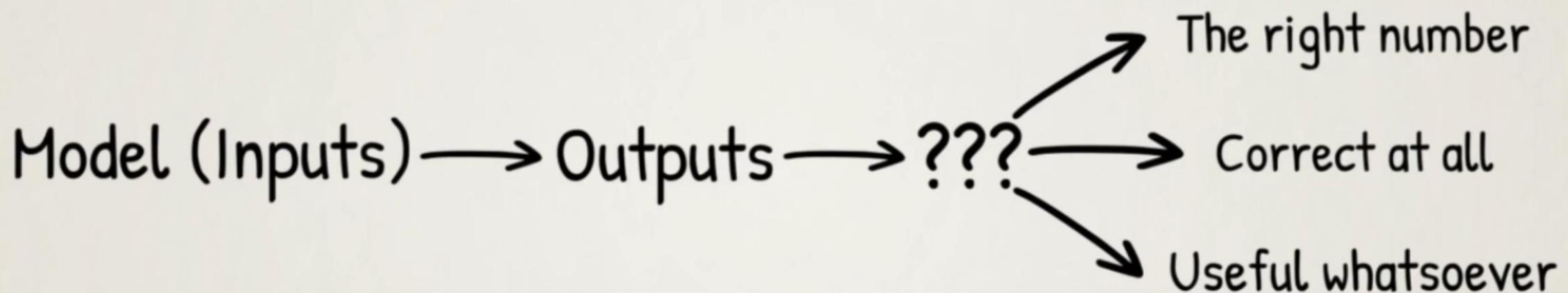


Model (Inputs) → Outputs → Correct values for outputs

Logit (SAT, Gender) → Predictions → Admitted data

CLUSTER ANALYSIS

(unsupervised learning)



the output we get is something that we must name ourselves

Classification

Model (Inputs) → Outputs → Correct values

Predicting an output category, given input data

Clustering

Model (Inputs) → Outputs → ???

Grouping data points together based on similarities among them and difference from others.

Classification

vs

Clustering

Classification is a typical example of supervised learning.

It is used whenever we have input data and the desired correct outcomes (targets). We train our data to find the patterns in the inputs that lead to the targets.

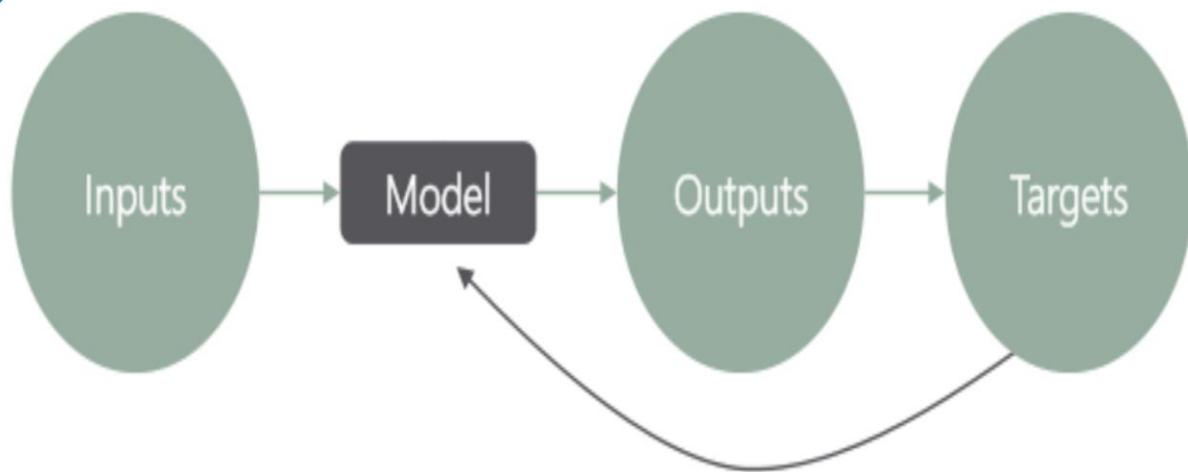
With classification we essentially need to know the correct class of each of the observations in our data, in order to apply the algorithm.

A logistic regression is a typical example of classification.

Cluster analysis is a typical example of unsupervised learning.

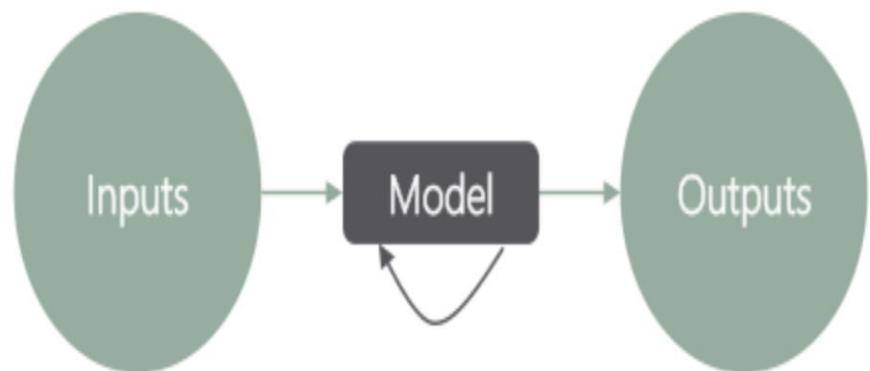
It is used whenever we have input data but have no clue what the correct outcomes are.

Clustering is about grouping data points together based on similarities among them and difference from others.



We use the targets (correct values) to adjust the model to get better outputs.

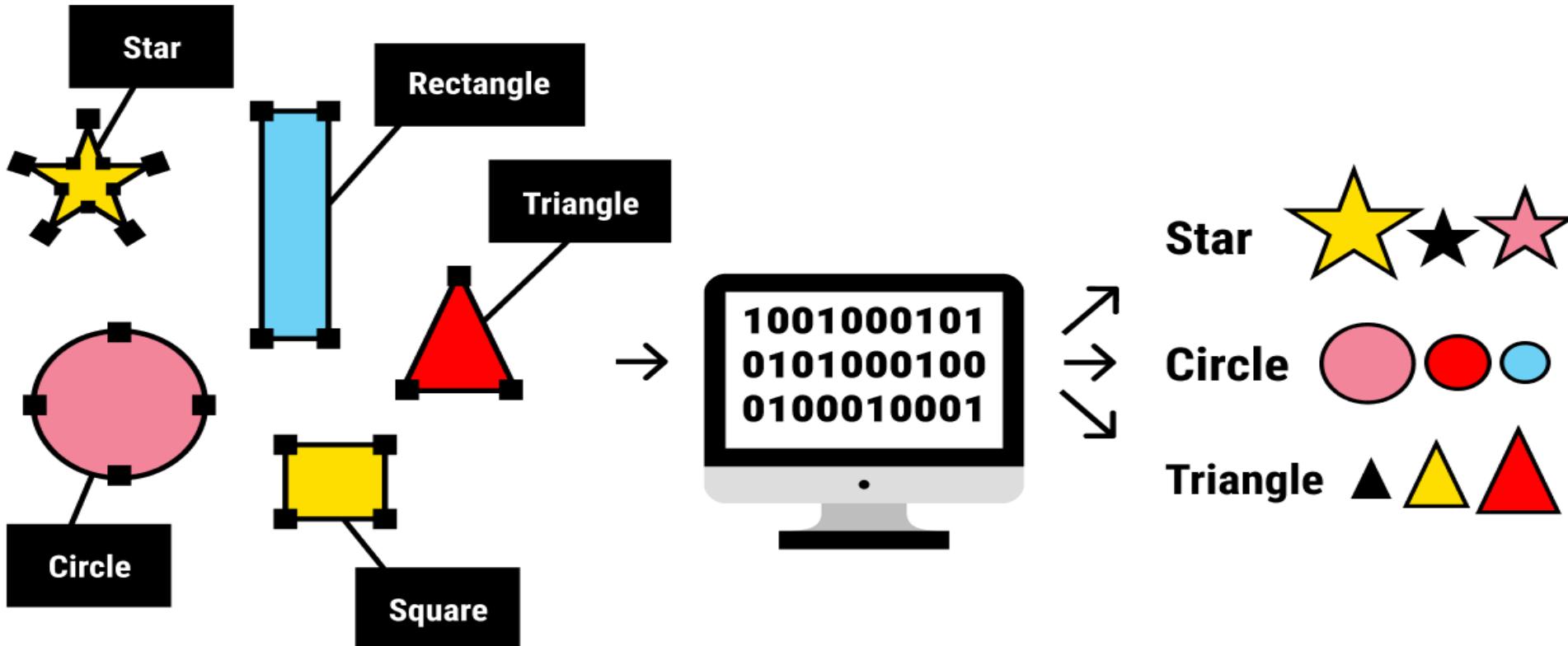
Supervised Learning



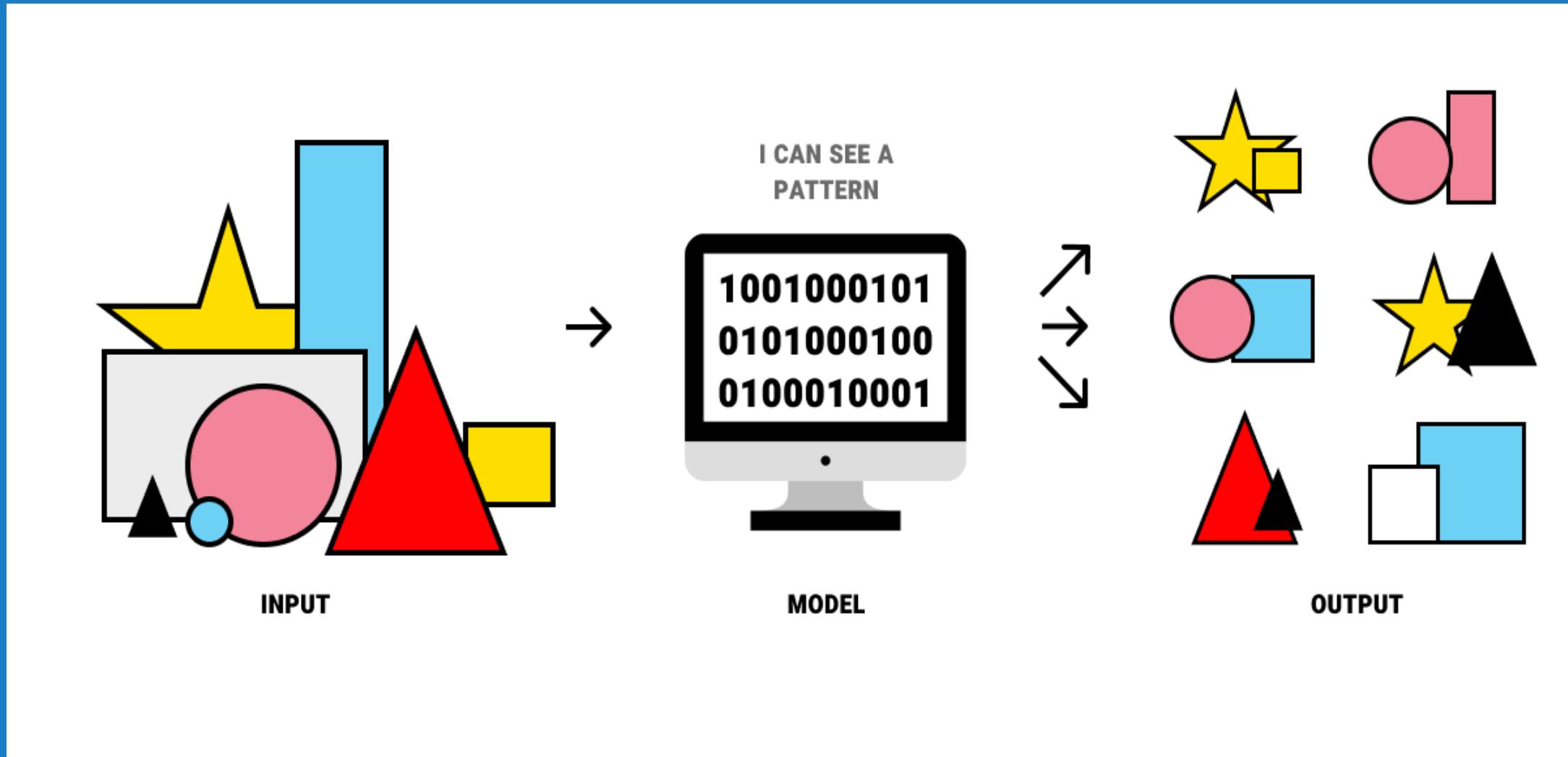
There is no feedback loop, therefore, the model simply finds the outputs it deems best.

Unsupervised Learning

Classification



Clustering



MATH PREREQUISITES

**distance between
two data points**

centroid

Euclidean distance

2D space: $d(A,B) = d(B,A) = \sqrt{(x_2 - x_1)^2 + (y_2 - y_1)^2}$

3D space: $d(A,B) = d(B,A) = \sqrt{(x_2 - x_1)^2 + (y_2 - y_1)^2 + (z_2 - z_1)^2}$

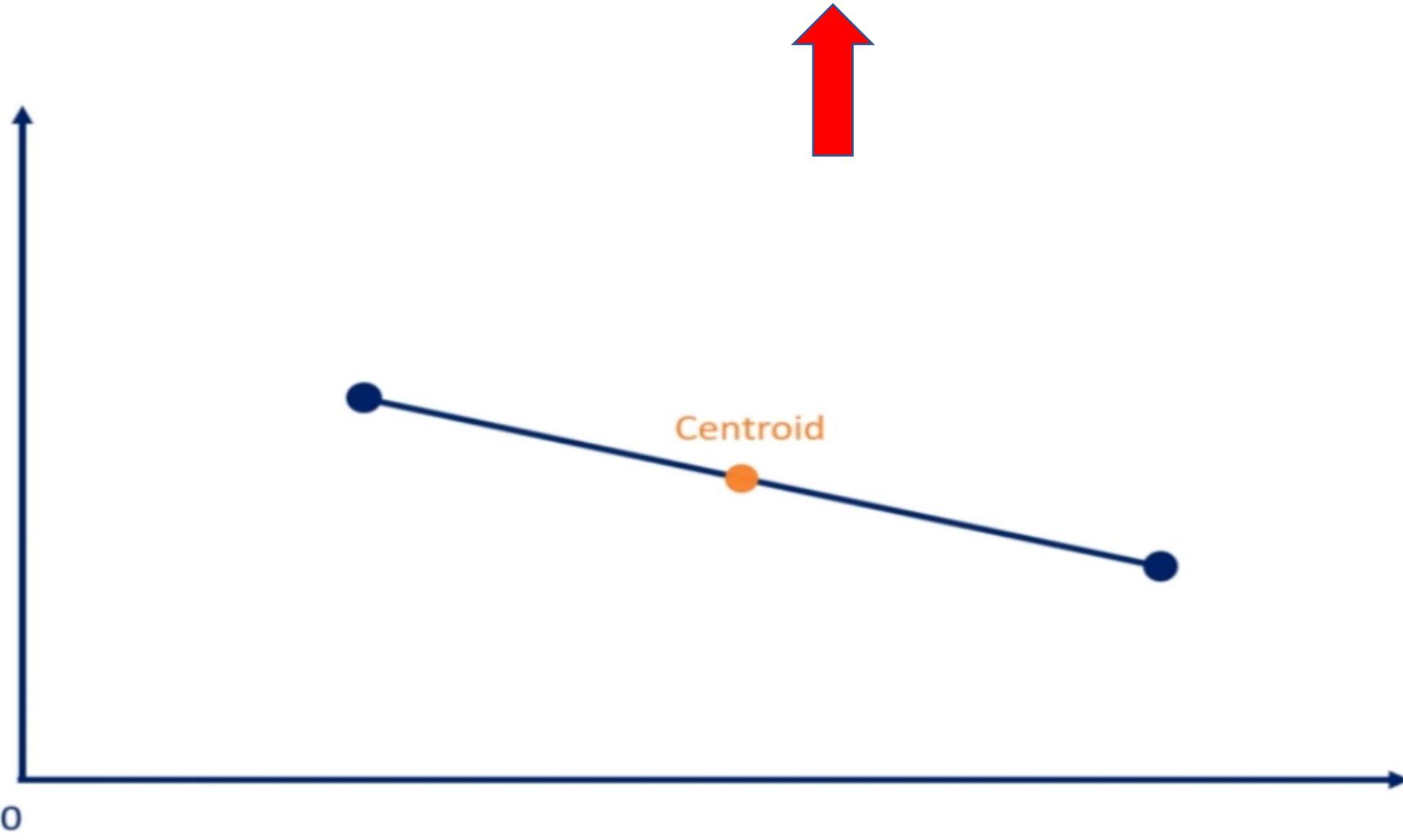
If the coordinates of A are (a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n) and of B are (b_1, b_2, \dots, b_n)

N-dim space: $d(A,B) = d(B,A) = \sqrt{(a_1 - b_1)^2 + (a_2 - b_2)^2 + \dots + (a_n - b_n)^2}$

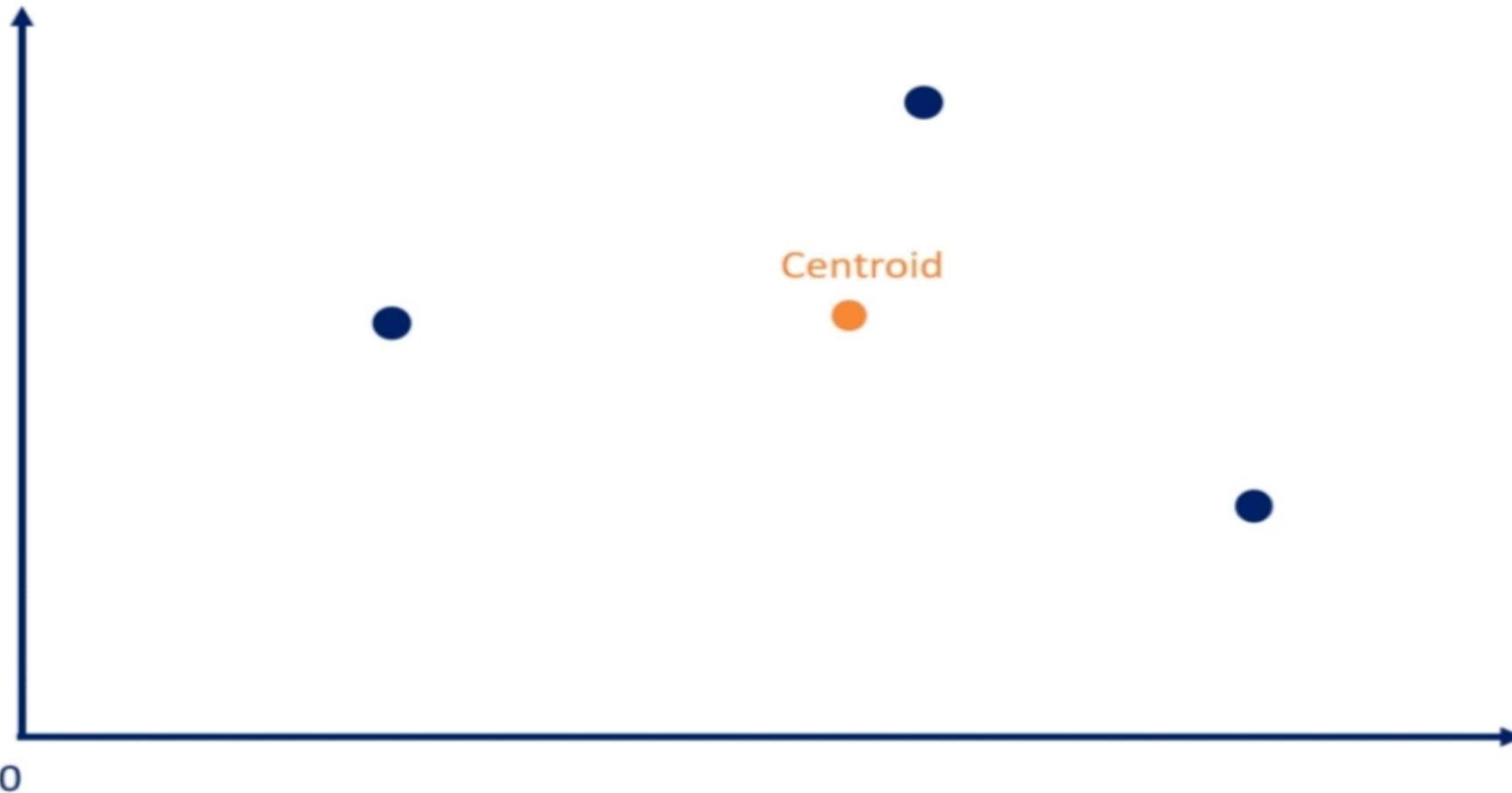
Euclidean distance

1. When performing clustering we will be finding the distance between clusters
2. In the next section, this will be a central notion

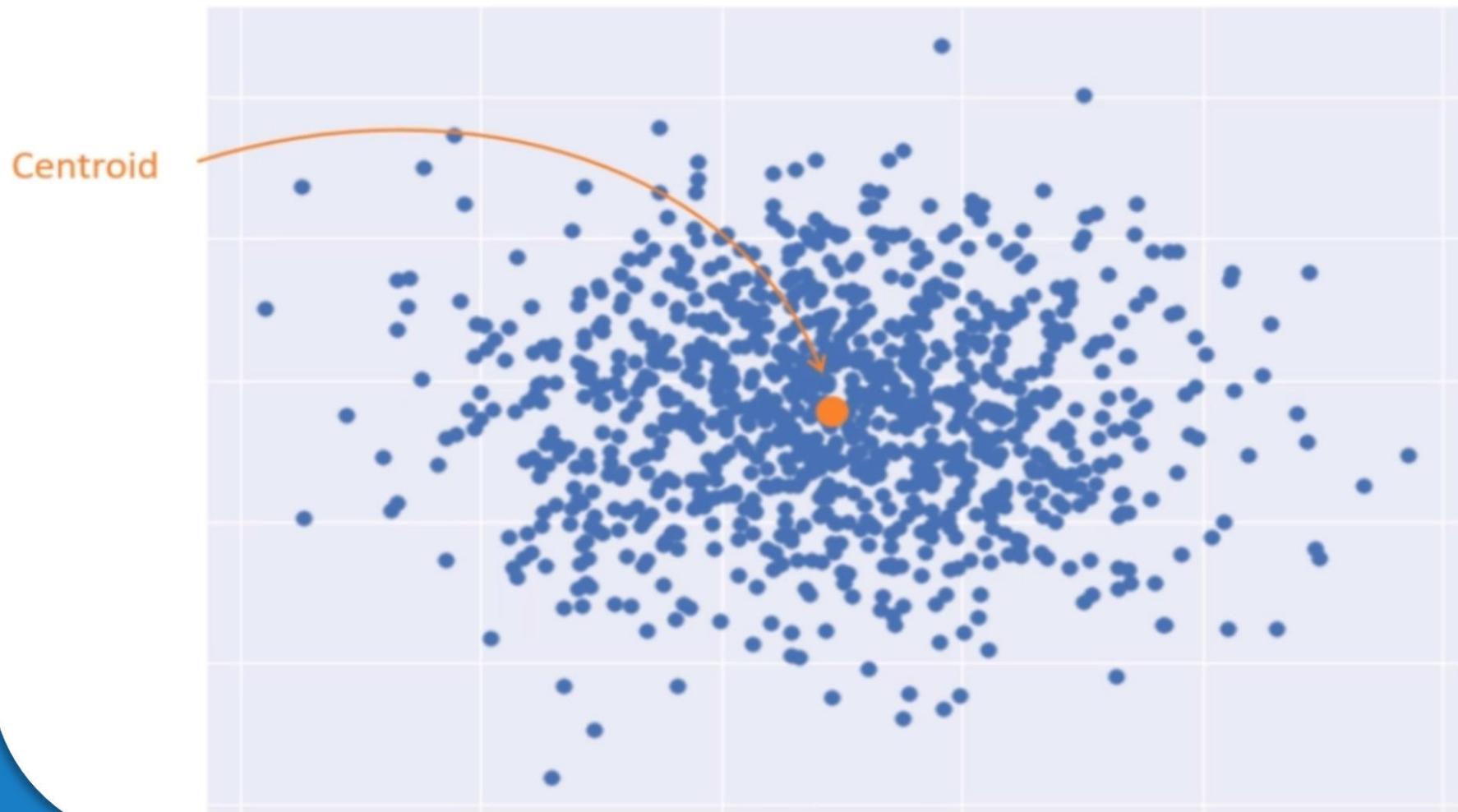
What's a centroid?

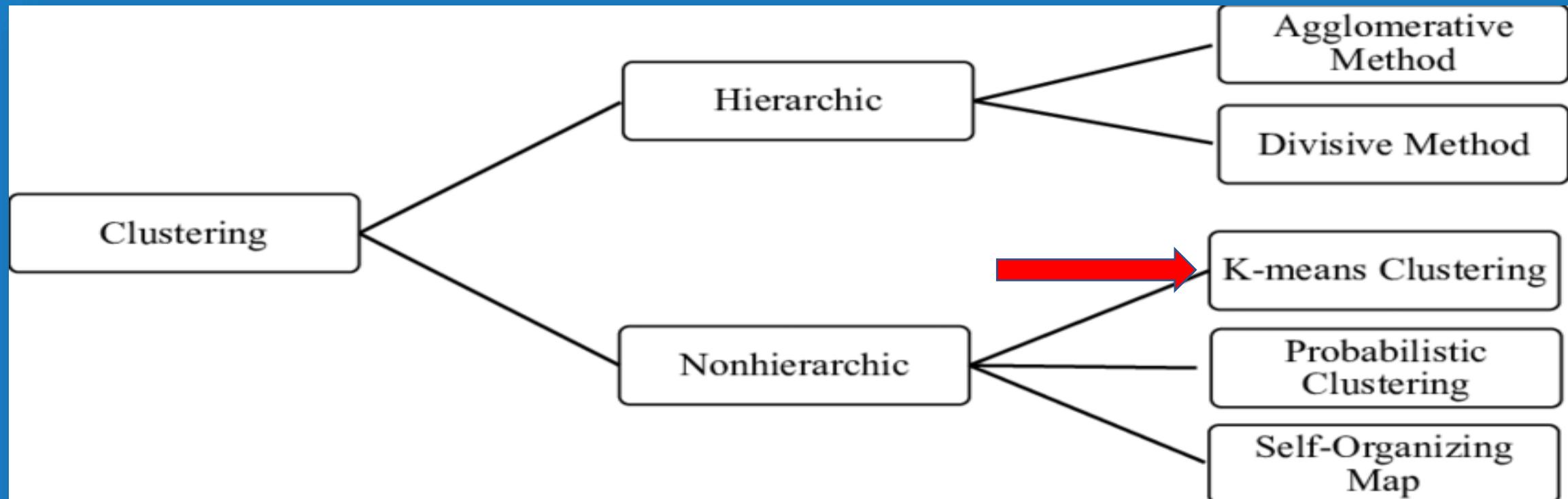


What's a centroid?



What's a centroid?





What is the difference between **hierarchical clustering** and **non-hierarchical clustering**?

- In non-hierarchical clustering, such as the k-means algorithm, the relationship between clusters is undetermined.
- Hierarchical clustering repeatedly links pairs of clusters until every data object is included in the hierarchy.