

Heart Disease Clustering

Phase 1

- The input data is 22 features and 319,795 samples
- The Output of the covariance matrix is 22x22 features (We used two different methods to compute the covariance matrix and obtained the same results.)
- eigenvalues are 22 eigenvalues, and eigenvectors are 22x22 features. (We used the built-in and scratch methods to compute the eigenvalues and eigenvectors and obtained the same results.)
- We created the matrix Q by sorting the normalized eigenvectors in descending order of eigenvalues.
- We tried different numbers of components (k), and the best result was 21 because the reconstruction error was the lowest.
- Best reconstruction error 1625.209 (From 5171.140 to 1625.209)
- We transformed the original matrix $[F' = Q (F - m)]$ to the transformed matrix and reconstructed the transformed matrix (inverse) $[F = (Q^{-1} * F') + m]$.
- We truncated matrix Q (take some values) from Q, and then the new F length is smaller than the old (reduce dimensionality).
- The code iterates over different numbers of retained components (k_values) and reconstructs the data using the selected principal components. The reconstruction error is computed for each iteration.
- Best Results The best results are reported based on the minimum reconstruction error. The optimal number of retained components (best_k), the corresponding Q matrix (best_Q_matrix), and the minimum reconstruction error are printed.
- This report provides insights into the analysis, including the sorted eigenvalues and eigenvectors, the normalization of eigenvectors, and determining the best reconstruction using PCA. The output will show the best Q matrix, the optimal number of retained components, and the associated reconstruction error.

Phase 2

When employing PCA in conjunction with fuzzy C-means clustering, it appears that the algorithm converges more efficiently, displaying a notable improvement in convergence quality compared to using the entire dataset. This observation is particularly evident when the dataset is smaller and simpler than our own.

Fuzzy C-means

- It is dividing the data points into a set of clusters using the membership function between each point in the dataset and all clusters of centroids.
- A particular member of the set may be a member of several clusters with different values of membership.
- Input for FCM: Data, C (number of clusters)
- Output for FCM: M_{ij} (membership matrix), C_j (cluster centroid) [$1 \leq j \leq C$], [$1 \leq i \leq n$]

steps for Fuzzy C-mean (FCM)

1. Assume the number of clusters to be made C . Such that: $2 \leq C \leq N$ (N : number of samples)
2. Choose an appropriate level of cluster fuzziness. Such that: $g > 1$
3. Initialize the $N \times C$ -sized membership matrix $[M]$ at random such that: (a) $M_{ij} \in [0.0, 1.0]$ and their sum should be 1
4. Compute centroids
5. Calculate the Euclidean distance between each data point i -th and j . Update fuzzy membership matrix $[M]$ according to d_{ij}
6. Repeat until the changes in $[M]$ come out to be less than some pre-specified values

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