

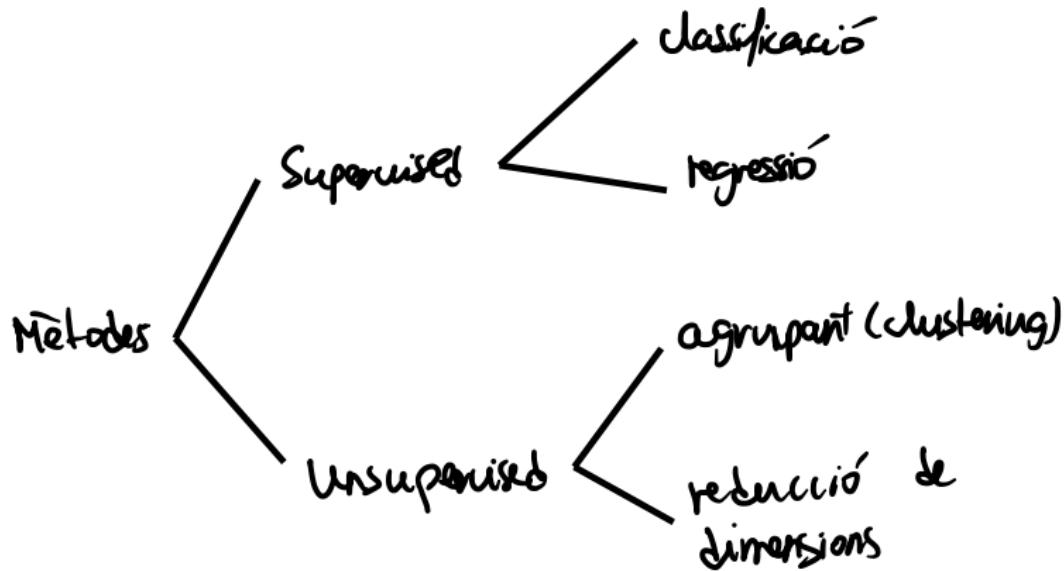
Unsupervised learning

Clustering and Dimensionality Reduction

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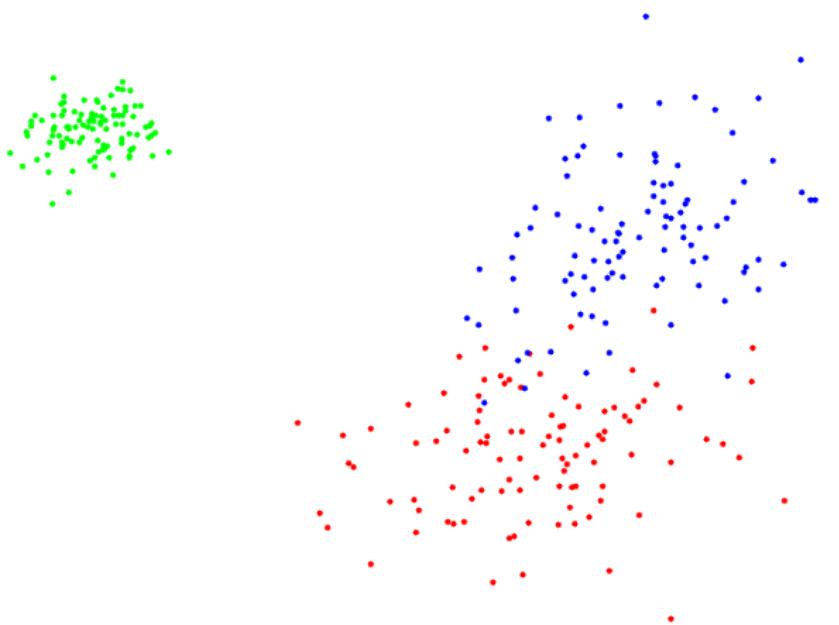
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Clustering

Main challenges

- ▶ How to measure similarity?
- ▶ How many clusters?
- ▶ How do we evaluate the clusters?

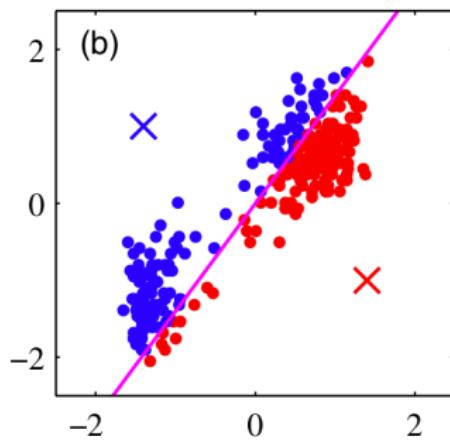
Algorithms we will cover

- ▶ K-means
- ▶ Hierarchical clustering

K-means clustering

Intuition

- ▶ Input data are:
 - ▶ m examples x^1, \dots, x^m , and
 - ▶ K , the number of desired clusters
- ▶ Clusters represented by cluster centers μ_1, \dots, μ_K
- ▶ Given centers μ_1, \dots, μ_K , each center defines a cluster: the subset of inputs x^i that are closer to it than to other centers



K-means clustering

Intuition

The aim is to find

- ▶ cluster **centers** μ_1, \dots, μ_K and
- ▶ a cluster **assignment** $\mathbf{z} = (z^1, \dots, z^m)$ where $z^i \in \{1, \dots, K\}$
 - ▶ z^i is the cluster assigned to example \mathbf{x}^i

such that $\mu_1, \dots, \mu_K, \mathbf{z}$ minimize the cost function

$$J(\mu_1, \dots, \mu_K, \mathbf{z}) = \sum_i \|\mathbf{x}^i - \mu_{z^i}\|^2.$$

K-means clustering

Cost function

$$J(\mu_1, \dots, \mu_K, z) = \sum_i \|x^i - \mu_{z^i}\|^2$$

Pseudocode

- ▶ Pick initial centers μ_1, \dots, μ_K at random
- ▶ Repeat until convergence
 - ▶ Optimize z in $J(\mu_1, \dots, \mu_K, z)$ keeping μ_1, \dots, μ_K fixed
 - ▶ Set z^i to closest center: $z^i = \arg \min_k \|x^i - \mu_k\|^2$
 - ▶ Optimize μ_1, \dots, μ_K in $J(\mu_1, \dots, \mu_K, z)$ keeping z fixed
 - ▶ For each $k = 1, \dots, K$, set $\mu_k = \frac{1}{|\{i|z^i = k\}|} \sum_{i:z^i=k} x^i$

dificultat per minimitzar

NP-hard = 1D

polinòmic > 1D

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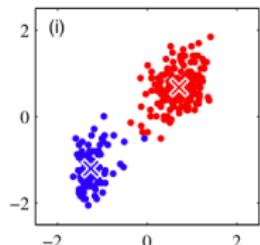
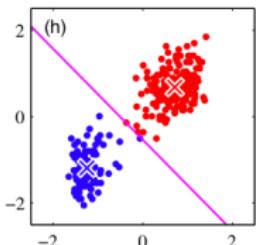
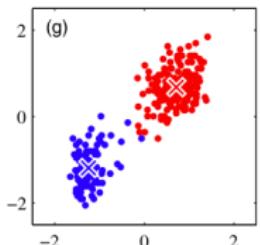
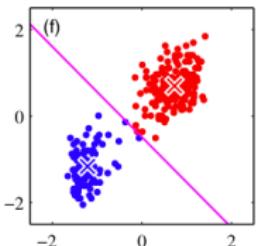
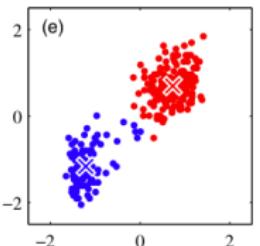
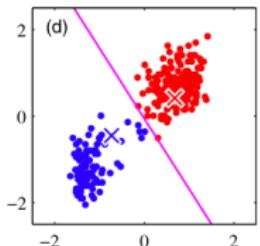
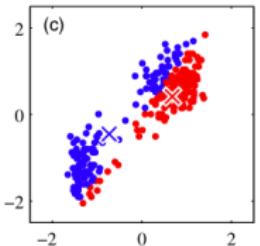
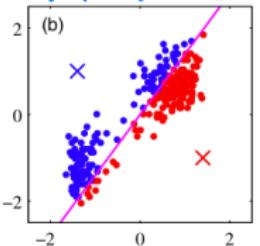
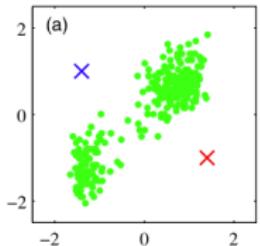


3 grups

$x_1 x_2 \dots x_n$	z

K-Means illustrated

Esperança (expectation) : alicie, gii
Maxim (maximization) : bid, f, h



Limitations of k-Means

K-Means works well if..

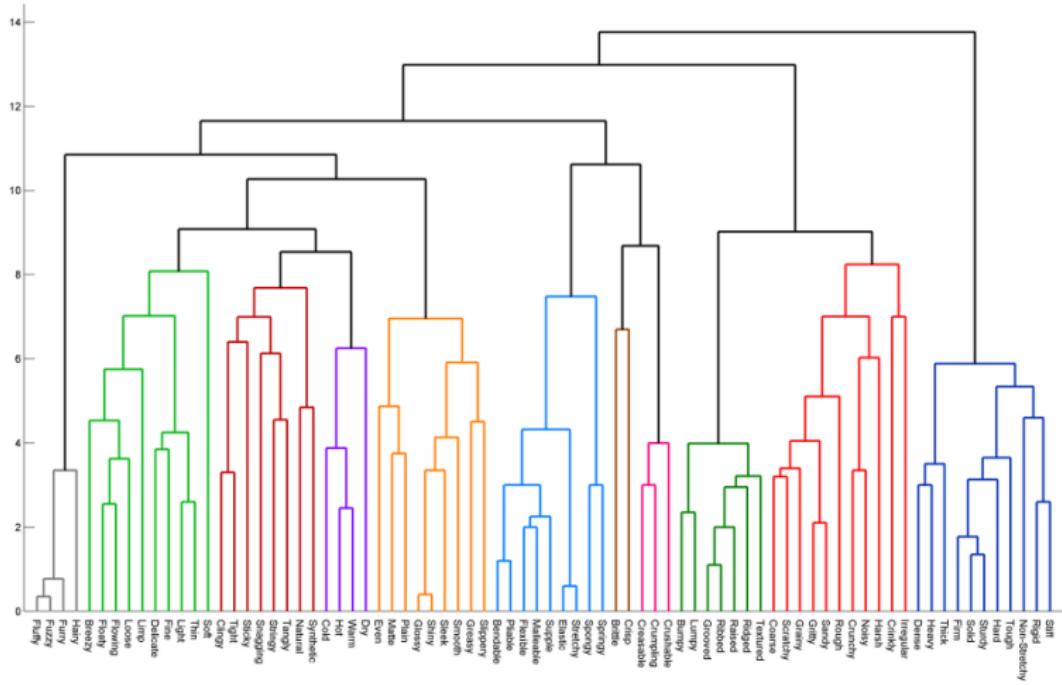
- ▶ Clusters are spherical
- ▶ Clusters are well separated
- ▶ Clusters are of similar volumes
- ▶ Clusters have similar number of points

.. so improve it with more general model

- ▶ Mixture of Gaussians:
- ▶ Learn it using *Expectation Maximization*

Hierarchical clustering

Output is a *dendrogram*



Agglomerative hierarchical clustering

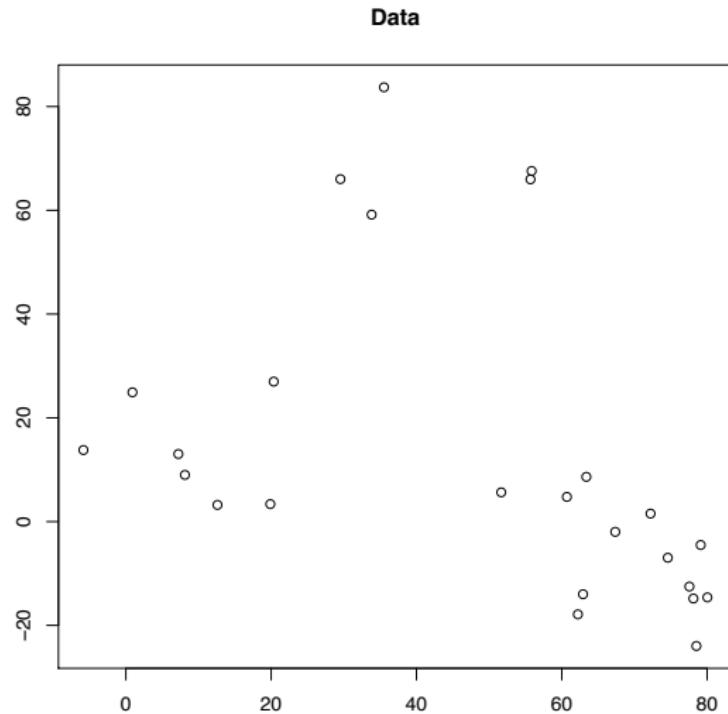
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Pseudocode

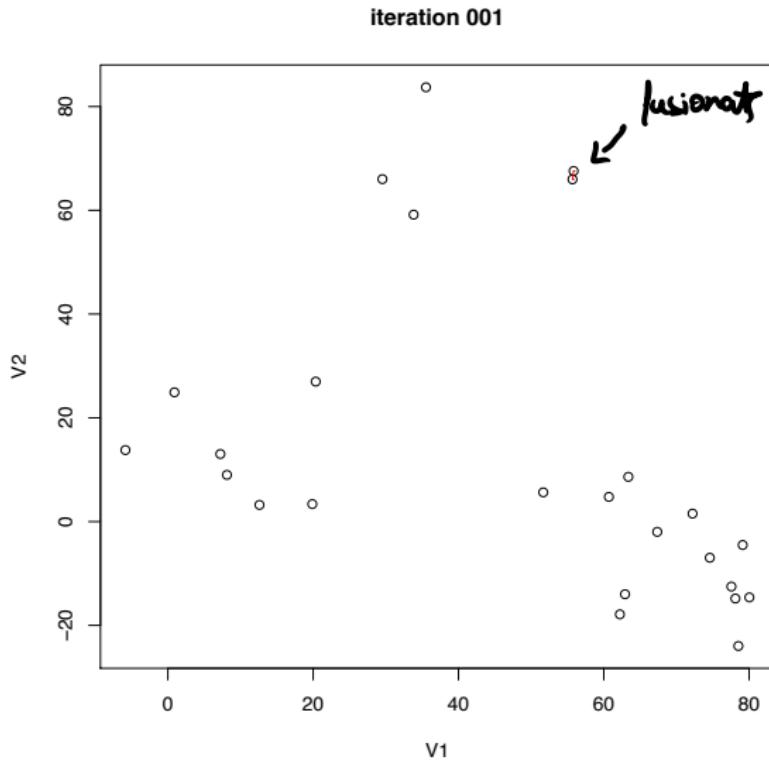
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(Next example from D. Blei's course at Princeton)

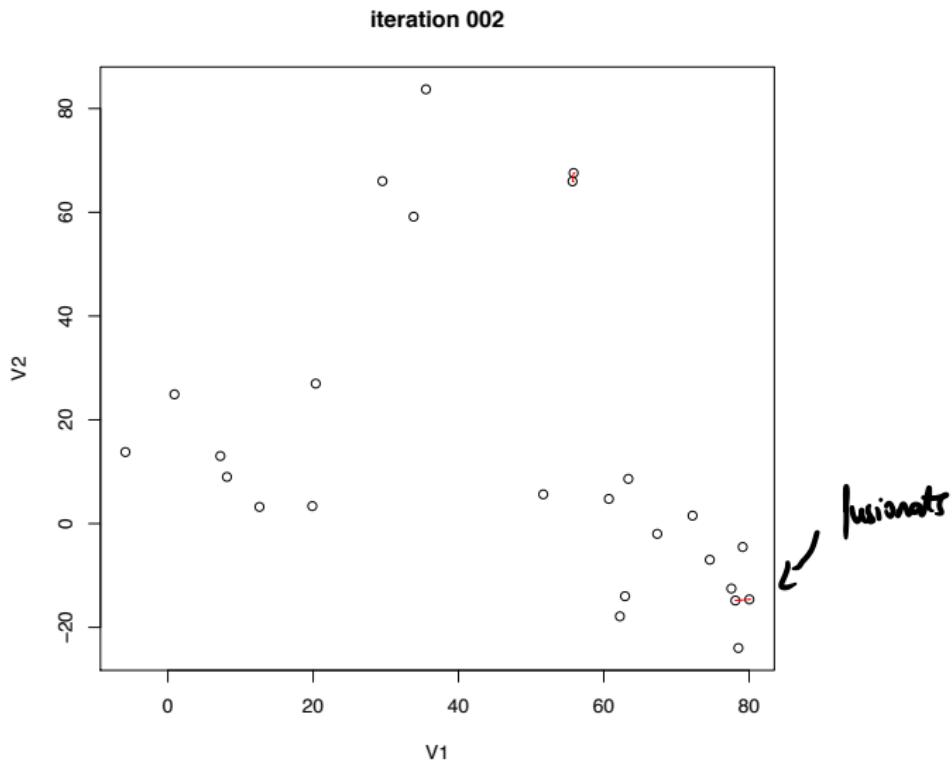
Example



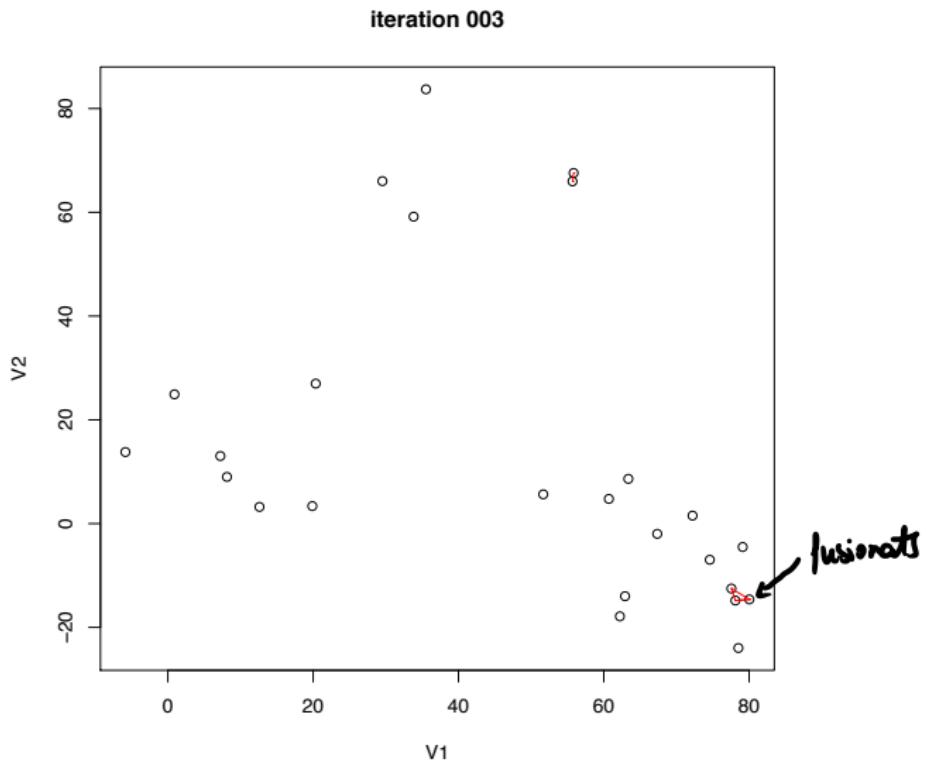
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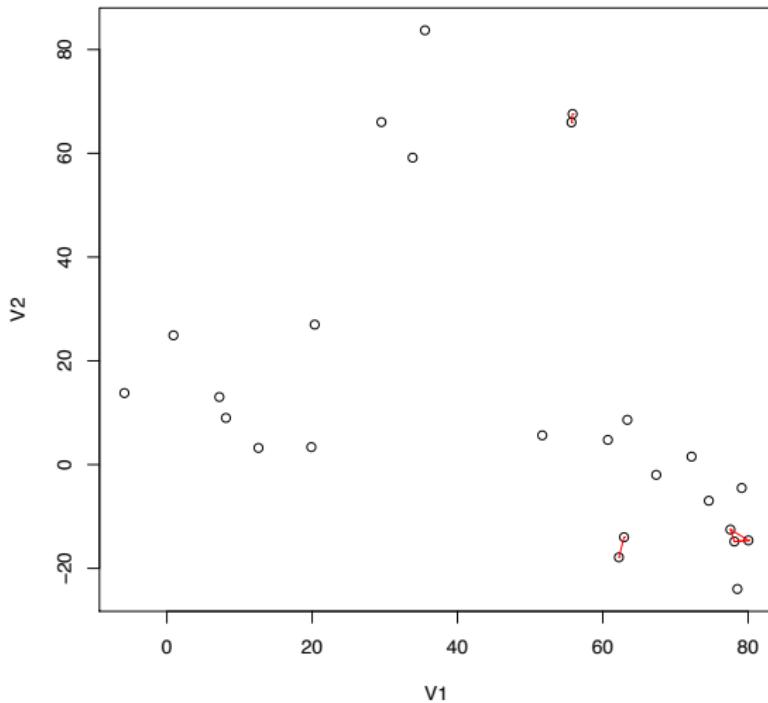
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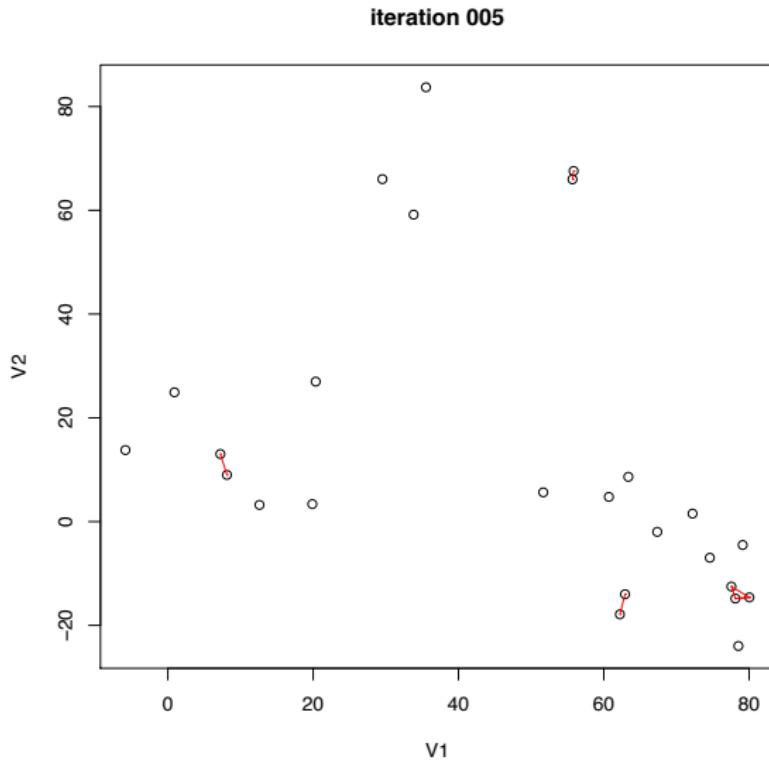
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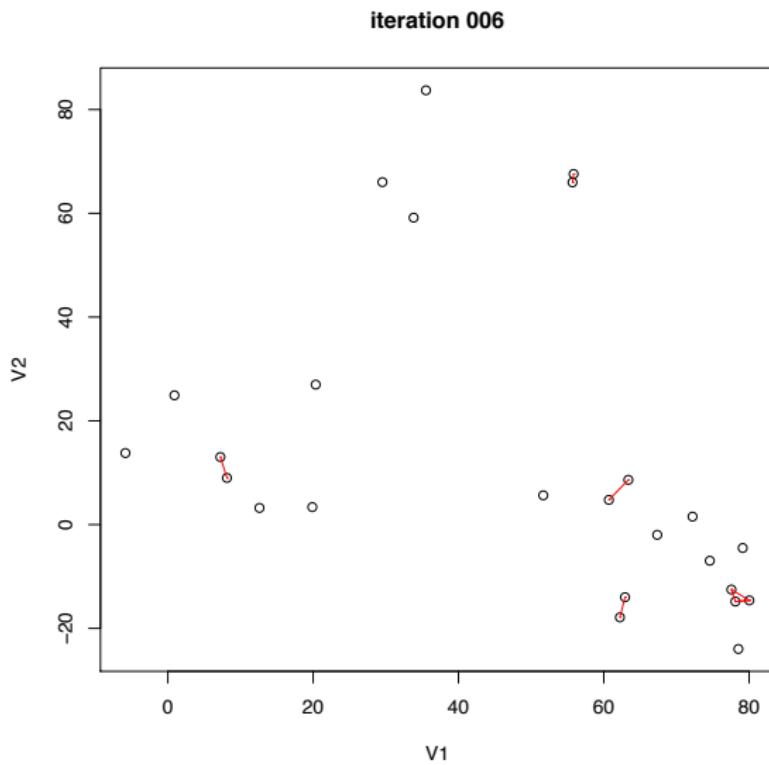
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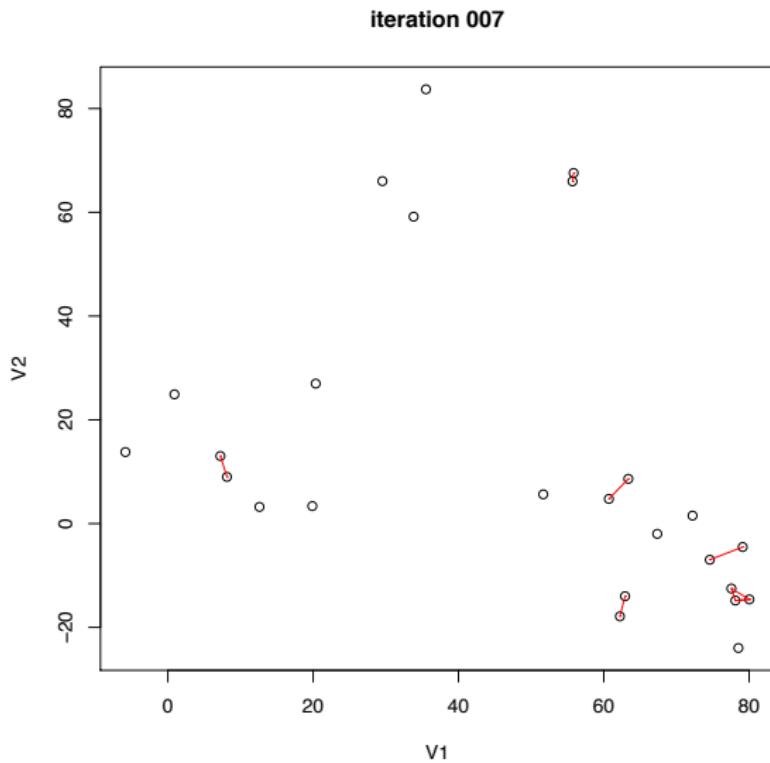
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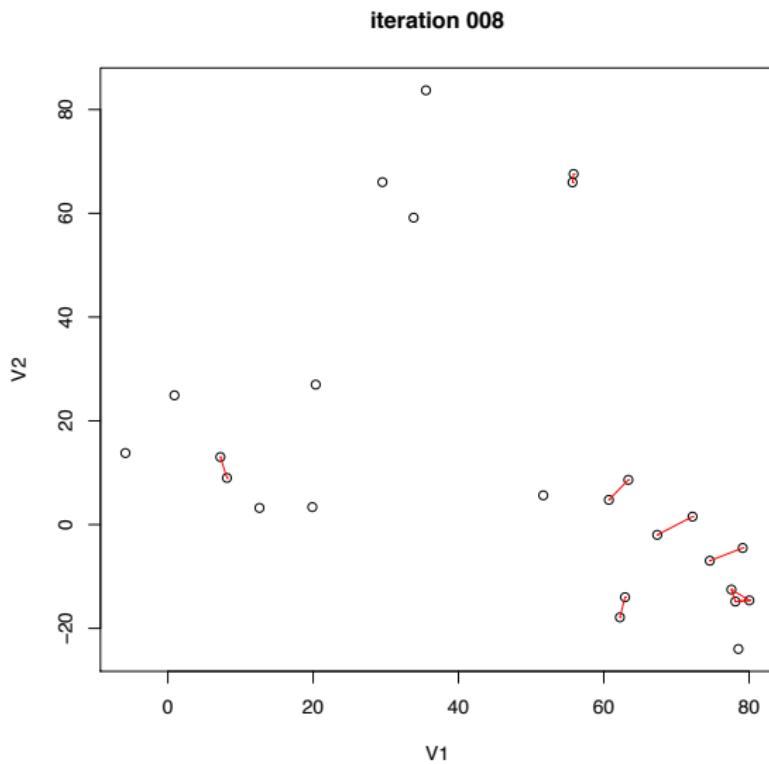
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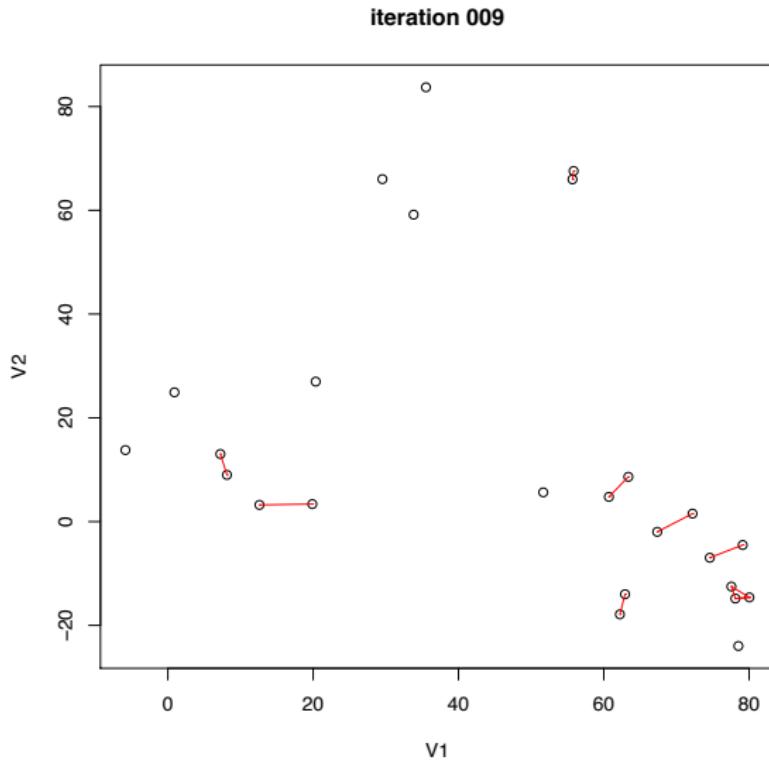
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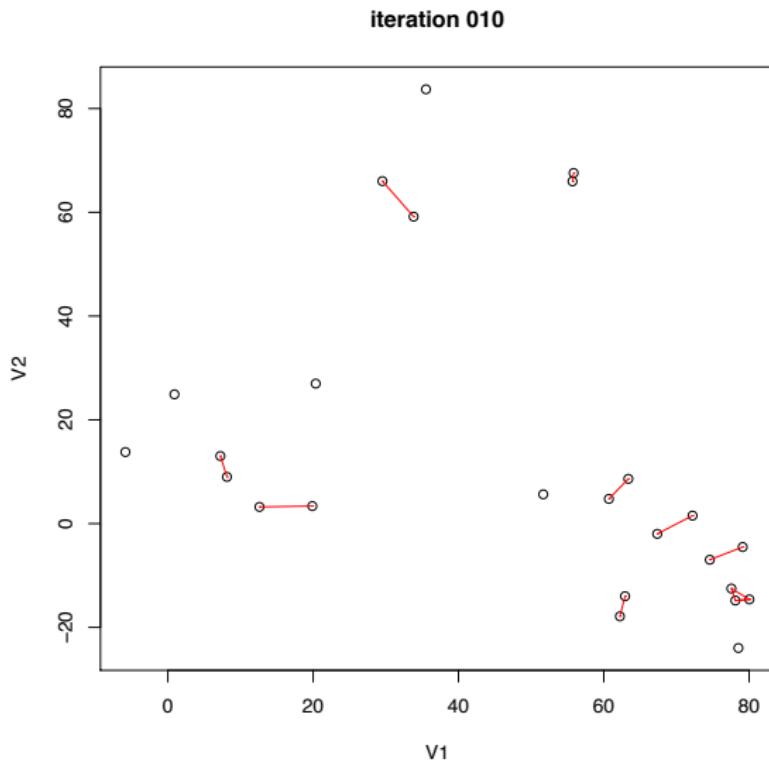
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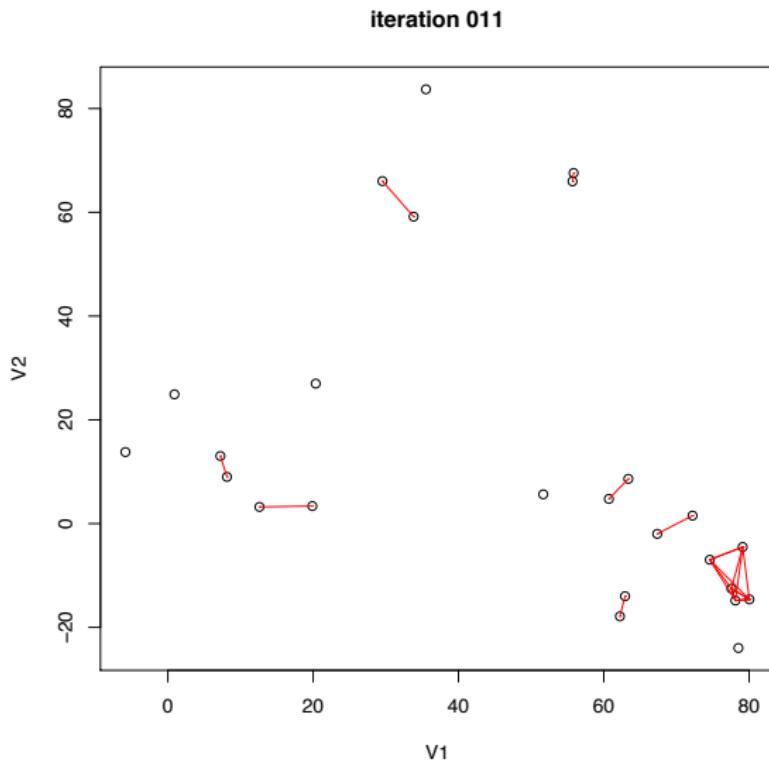
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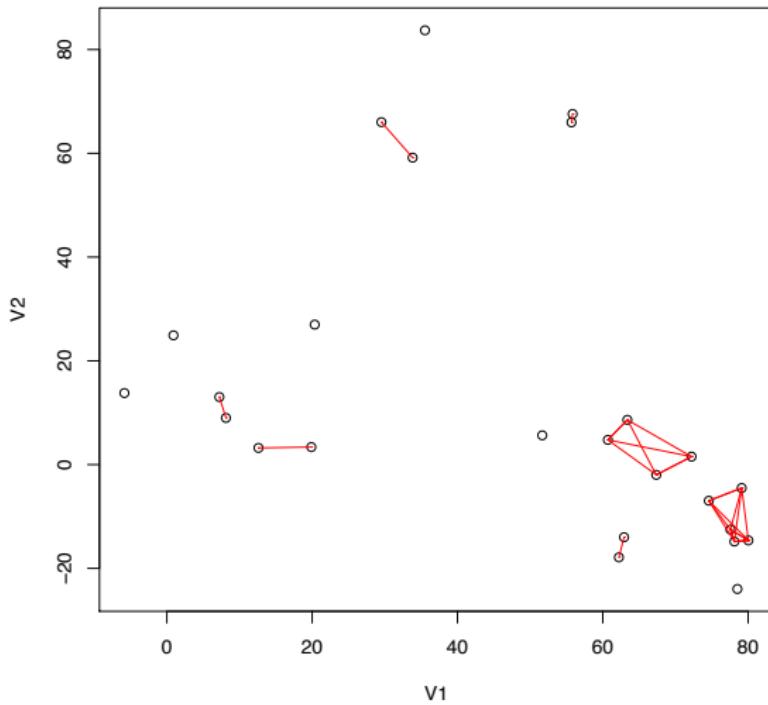


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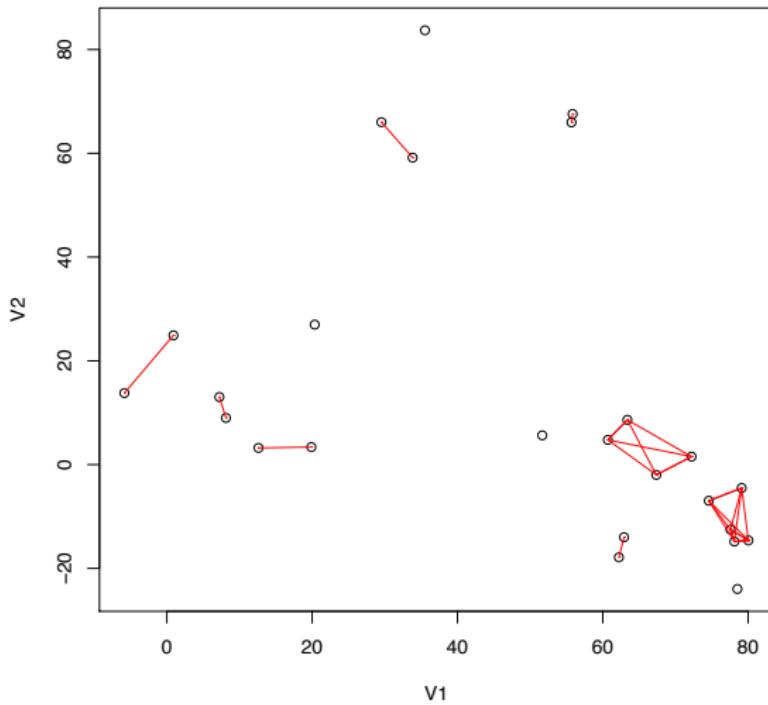
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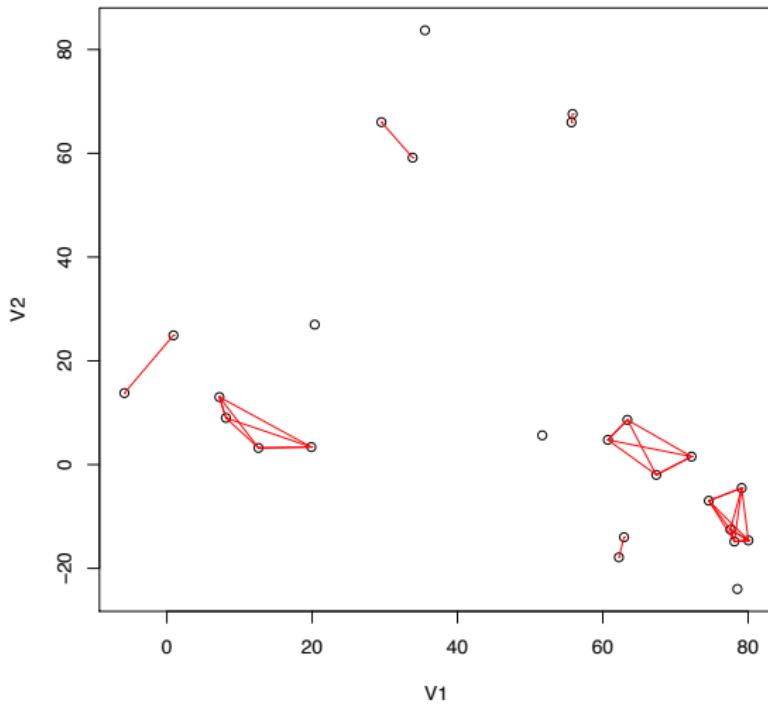
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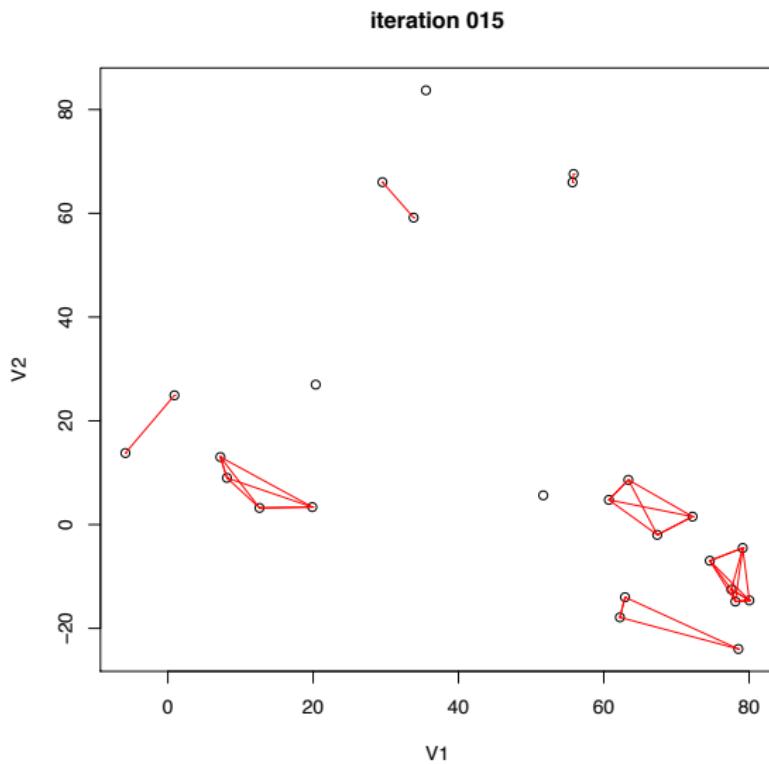


Example

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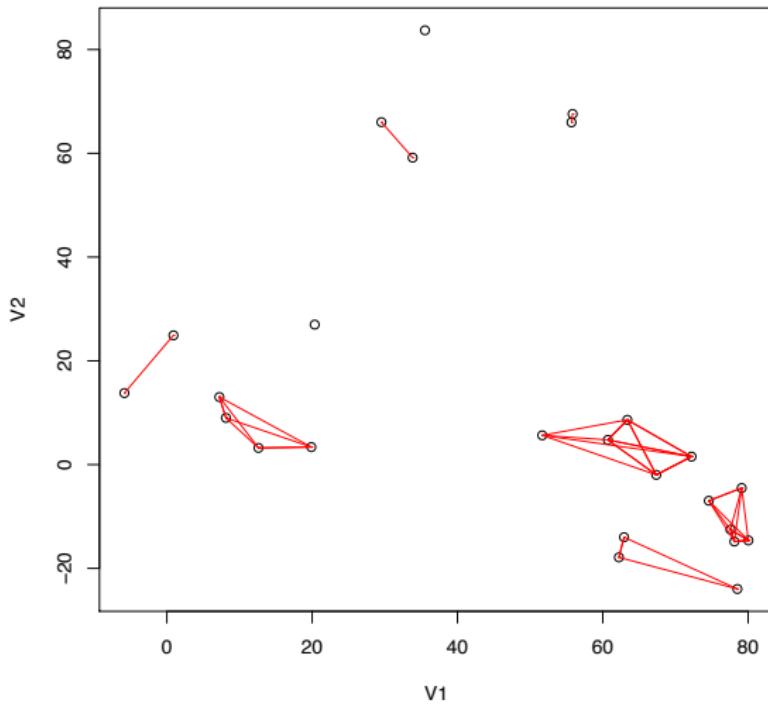


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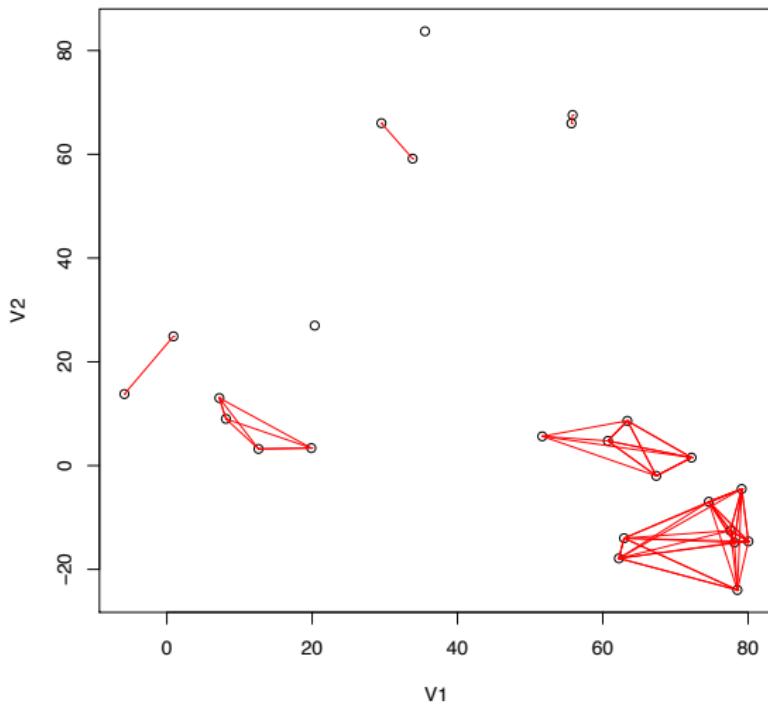
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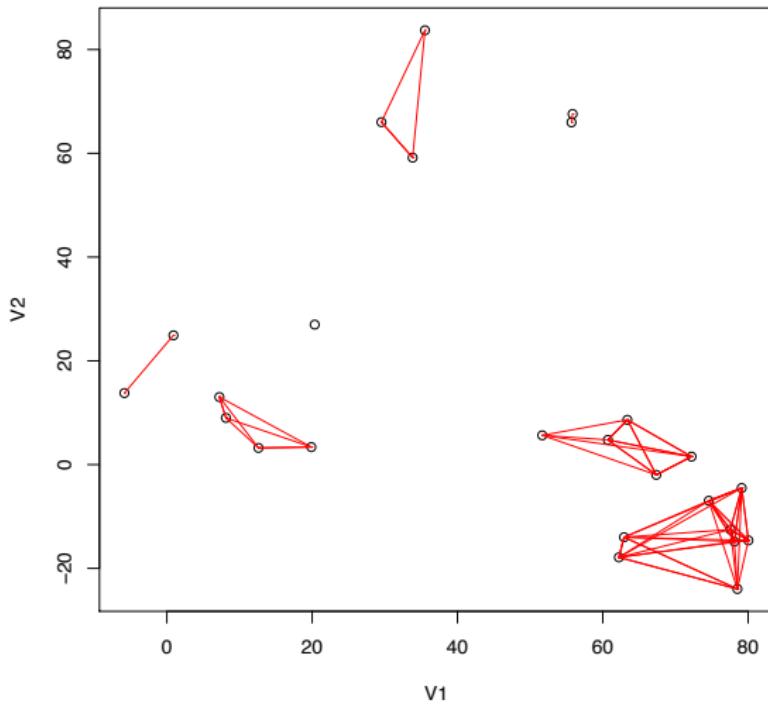
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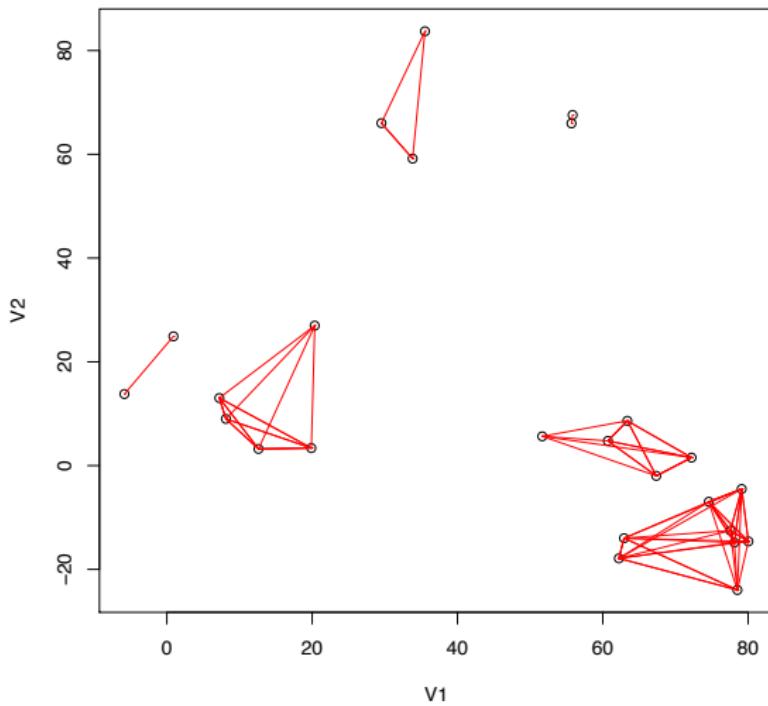
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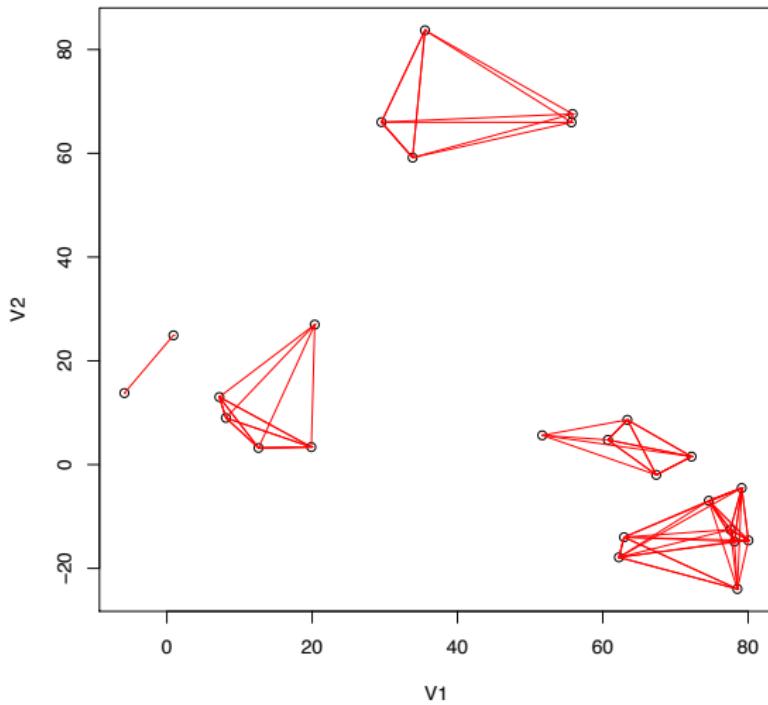
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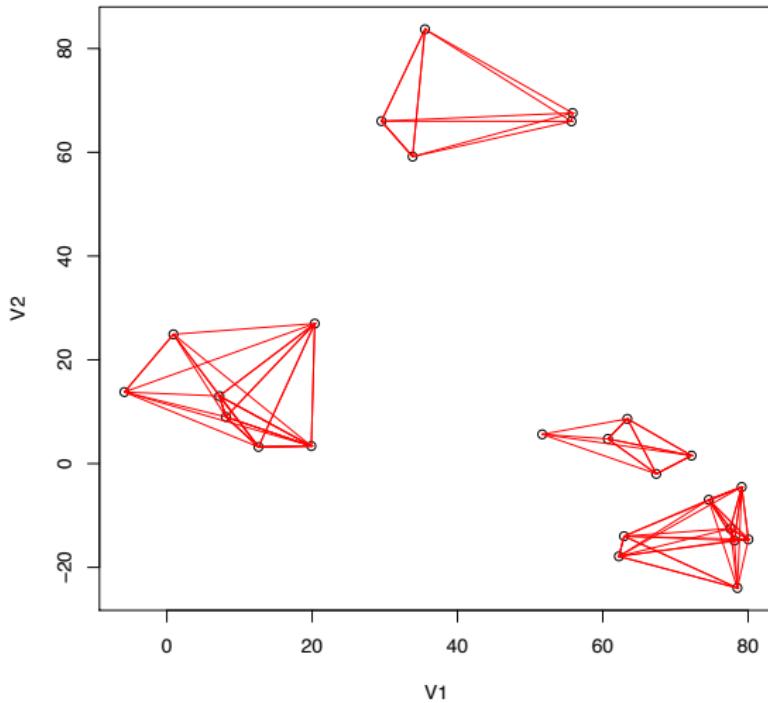
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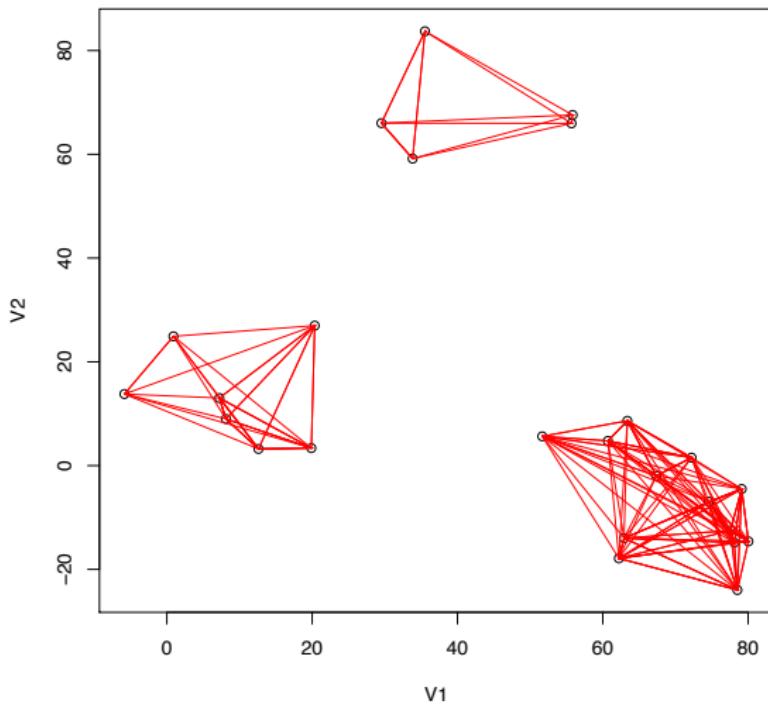
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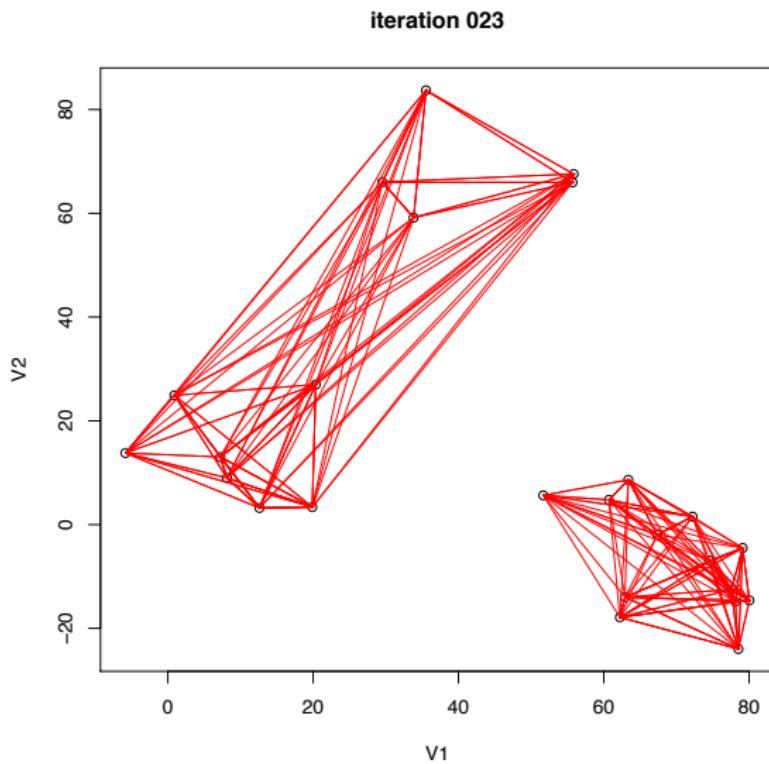


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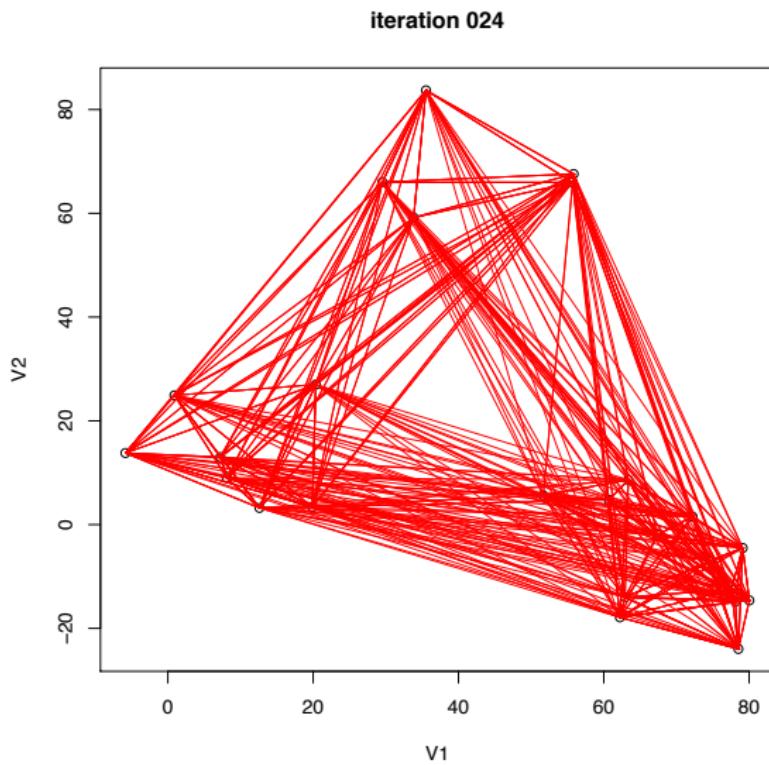
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Example



Example



Agglomerative hierarchical clustering

Bottom-up

Pseudocode

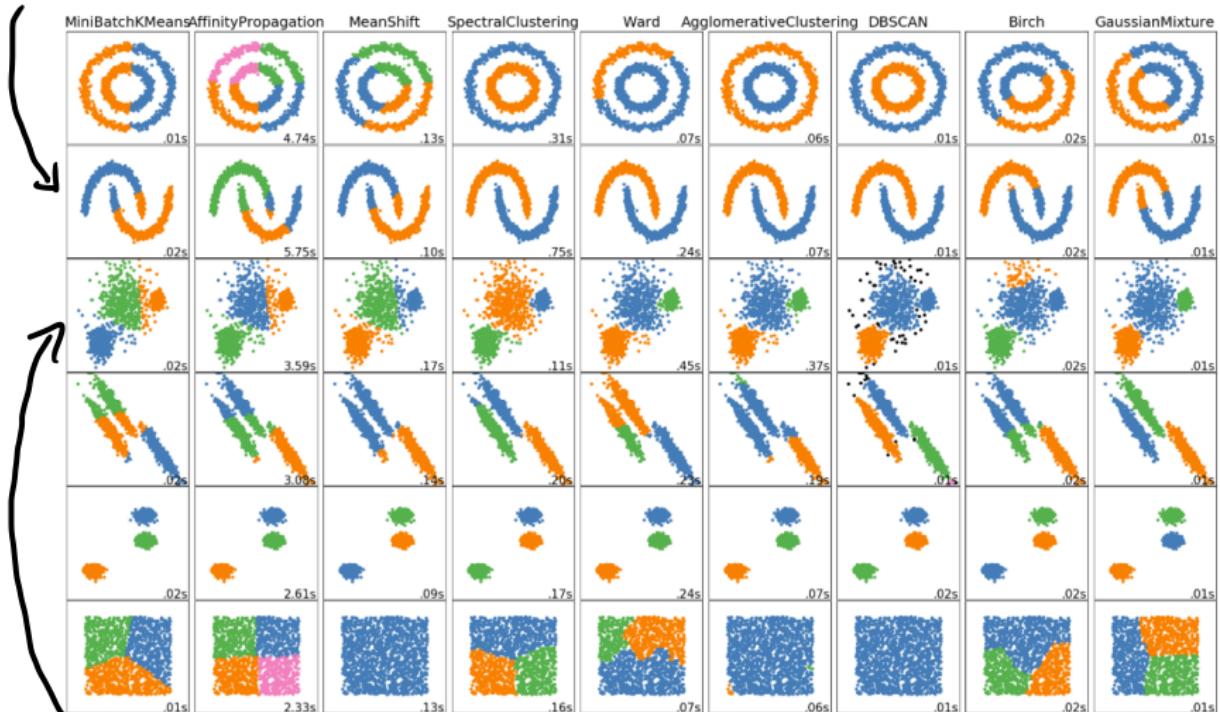
1. Start with one cluster per example
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Defining distance between clusters (i.e. *sets* of points)

- ▶ Single Linkage: $d(X, Y) = \min_{x \in X, y \in Y} d(x, y)$
- ▶ Complete Linkage: $d(X, Y) = \max_{x \in X, y \in Y} d(x, y)$
- ▶ **(Average Linkage)**
Group Average: $d(X, Y) = \frac{\sum_{x \in X, y \in Y} d(x, y)}{|X| \times |Y|}$ ↵ # de comparaisons total
- ▶ Centroid Distance: $d(X, Y) = d\left(\frac{1}{|X|} \sum_{x \in X} x, \frac{1}{|Y|} \sum_{y \in Y} y\right)$

Many, many, many other algorithms available ..

busca formes estèriques, per això
surt malament



Li costa perquè asumen que hi ha una
frontera ben delimitada

Clustering with *scikit-learn* II

K-means: an example with the Iris dataset

```
In [33]: %matplotlib inline
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

from sklearn.cluster import KMeans
from sklearn.datasets import make_blobs, load_iris

iris = load_iris()
kmeans = KMeans(n_clusters = 3)
kmeans.fit(iris.data)

kmeans.cluster_centers_

Out[33]: array([[5.006      ,  3.428      ,  1.462      ,  0.246      ],
   [5.9016129 ,  2.7483871 ,  4.39354839,  1.43387097],
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In [34]: kmeans.labels_

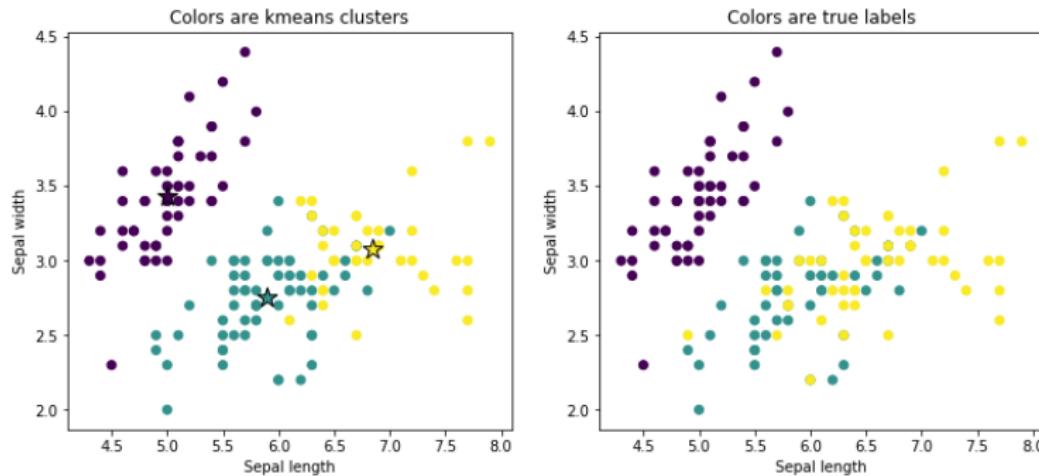
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In [35]: import pandas as pd
pd.crosstab(iris.target, kmeans.labels_)

Out[35]:
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  1    0    48    2
  2    0    14   36
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Clustering with scikit-learn II

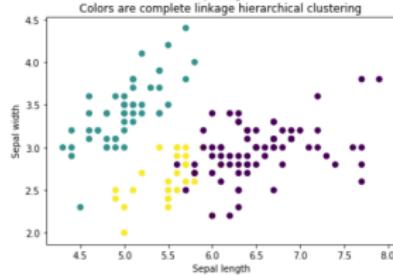
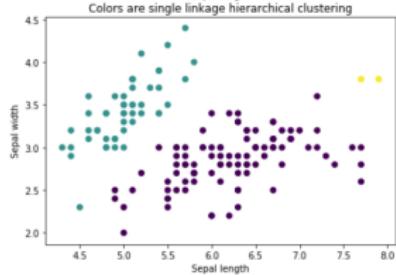
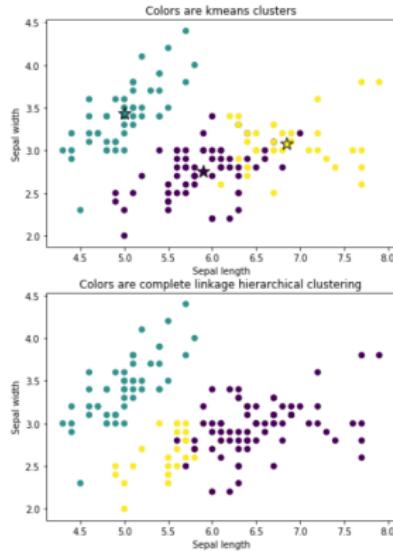
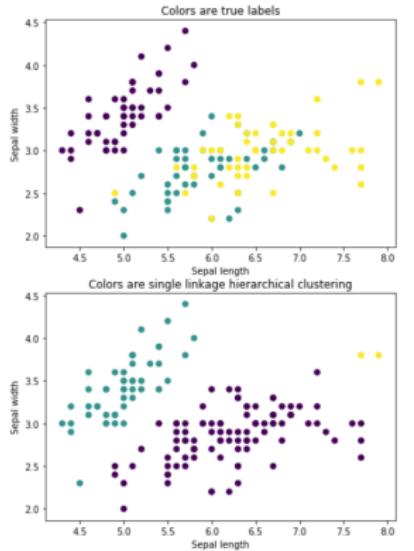
K-means: an example with the Iris dataset



Clustering with scikit-learn I

Hierarchical clustering: an example with the Iris dataset

```
from sklearn.cluster import AgglomerativeClustering
clustering1 = AgglomerativeClustering(linkage='single', n_clusters=3)
clustering1.fit(iris.data)
clustering2 = AgglomerativeClustering(linkage='complete', n_clusters=3)
clustering2.fit(iris.data)
```



Dimensionality reduction I

The curse of dimensionality

- ▶ When dimensionality increases, data becomes increasingly sparse in the space that it occupies
- ▶ Definitions of density and distance between points (critical for many tasks!) become less meaningful
- ▶ Visualization and qualitative analysis becomes impossible

Dimensionality reduction II

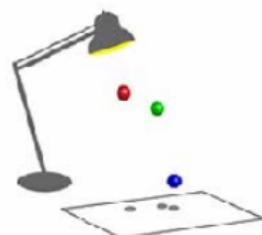
The curse of dimensionality

And so dimensionality reduction methods..

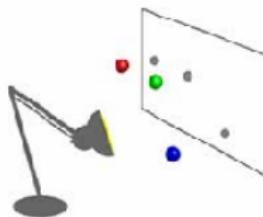
- ▶ avoid or at least mitigate the curse of dimensionality
- ▶ reduce time and memory required
- ▶ allow data to be more easily visualized
- ▶ may help eliminate irrelevant features
- ▶ may reduce noise

Principal Components Analysis (PCA)

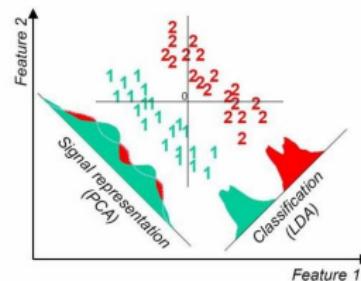
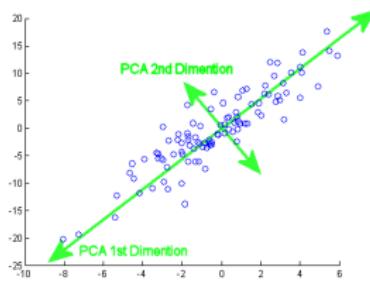
Find linear projections of original coordinates that maximize variance



Low Variance Projection



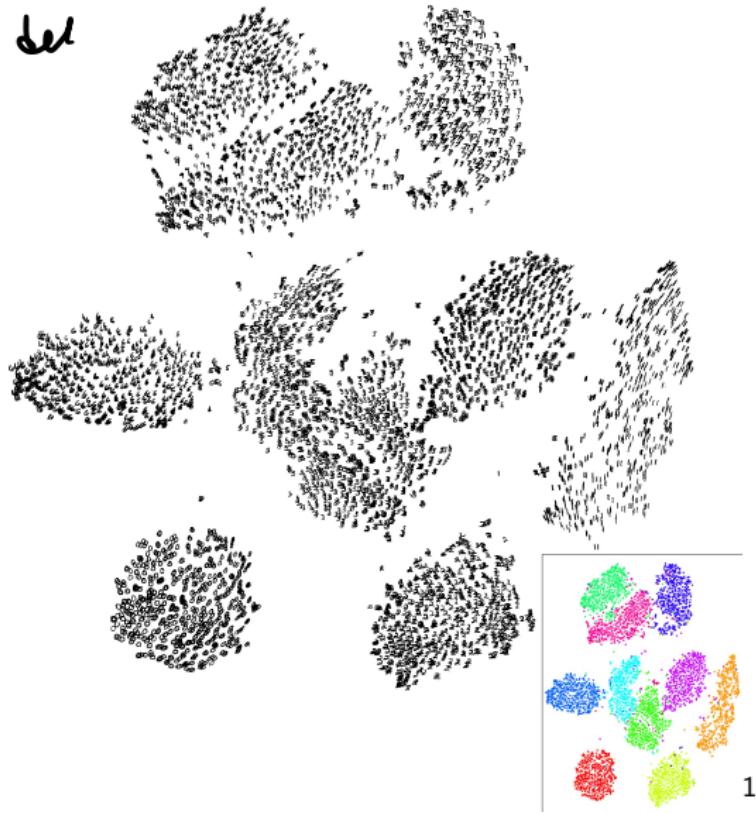
Maximal Variance Projection



Crear grups d'atributs per a poder ajustar dimensions propres.
Els atributs d'intenses es calculen amb la Maxima Variance Projection.

t-SNE: t-distributed stochastic neighbor embedding A non-linear distance-preserving method (t-SNE)

Méthode portant des
sens temps



¹From <https://lvdmaaten.github.io/tsne/>

UMAP: Uniform Manifold Approximation Projection.

- mètode de projecció de punts.
- L'espai Euclidi és un cas particular d'un espai més gran, Manifold.

Dimensionality reduction with scikit-learn

Standard Scaler: mètode per normalitzar $x \rightarrow x' = \frac{x - \mu}{\sigma}$

```
from sklearn.decomposition import PCA
from sklearn.manifold import TSNE
from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler

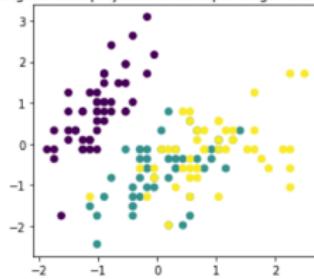
X_normalized = StandardScaler().fit_transform(iris.data)
X_pca = PCA(n_components=2).fit_transform(X_normalized)
X_tsne = TSNE(n_components=2, perplexity=10).fit_transform(X_normalized)

print(X_pca.shape, X_tsne.shape)
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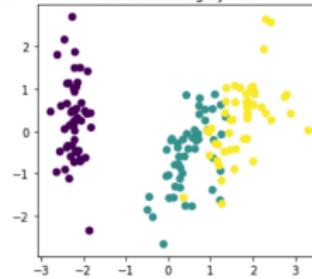
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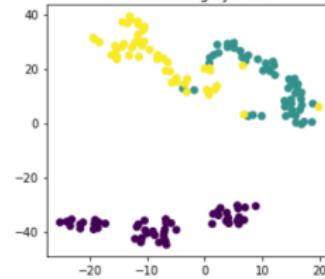
Original data projected onto sepal length and width



2D embedding by PCA



2D embedding by t-SNE



project data to
reduce dimensions

So, we are done for this course

Lots of important things we have left out!

- ▶ Online and incremental learning; data mining for streams
- ▶ Important models: Support Vector Machines, Neural Nets (and Deep learning)
- ▶ Kernel methods and learning from structured objects
- ▶ Ensemble methods: random forests, boosting, bagging, etc.
- ▶ Spatial and temporal learning
- ▶ Feature selection methods
- ▶ many many more...

Online learning: fer prediccions a partir d'un model.

Incremental learning: què passa quan tenim més dades, how de tornar a entrenar des de 0?

Ensemble methods: aprenentatge amb conjunt de models

- Boosting: models s'encadenen
- Bagging: models en paralel (random forest)



Para finalizar

Reading assignment

Article by Pedro Domingos: “*A few useful things to know about machine learning*”

Examen: ver <https://www.cs.upc.edu/~csi/> y aviso correspondiente en Racó.

Será “tipo test”. Consistirá en preguntas rápidas de tipo conceptual. No es necesaria calculadora. Sin apuntes. Si se necesita alguna fórmula ya se pondrá en el enunciado.