2024 SISBID Clustering Lab

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Data set - Author Data.

This data set consists of word counts from chapters written by four authors.

This lab will put together concepts from both dimension reduction and clustering.

There are ultimately 3 goals to this lab:

- * Correctly cluster author texts in an unsupervised manner.
- * Determine which words are responsible for correctly separating the author texts.
- * Visualize the author texts, words and the results of your analysis.

Problem 1 - Visualization

- Problem 1a We wish to plot the author texts as well as the words via a 2D scatterplot. Which method would be best to use? Why?
- Problem 1b Apply PCA to visualize the author texts. Explain the results.
- Problem 1c Apply MDS to visualize the author texts. Interpret the results.
- Problem 1d Can you use MDS to help determine which distance is appropriate for this data? Which one is best and why?
- Problem 1e Apply MDS with your chosen distance to visualize the words. Interpret the results.

Problem 2 - K-means

- Problem 2a Apply K-means with K=4 to this data.
- Problem 2b How well does K-mean do at separating the authors?
- Problem 2c Is K-means an appropriate clustering algorithm for this data? Why or Why not?

Problem 3 - Hierarchical Clustering

- Problem 3a Apply hierarchical clustering to this data set.
- Problem 3b Which distance is best to use? Why?
- Problem 3c Which linkage is best to use? Why?
- Problem 3d Do any linkages perform particularly poorly? Explain this result.
- Problem 3e Visualize your hierarchical clustering results.

Problem 4 - Biclustering

- Problem 4a Apply the cluster heatmap method to visualize this data. Which distance and linkage functions did you use?
- Problem 4b Interpret the cluster heatmap. Which words are important for distinguishing author texts?

Problem 5 - NMF

- Problem 5a Apply NMF with K = 4 and use W to assign cluster labels to each observation.
- Problem 5b How well does NMF perform? Interpret and explain this result.
- Problem 5c Can you use the NMF to determine which words are important for distinguishing author texts? How? What did you find?

Problem 6 - Wrap-up

- Problem 6a Overall, which method is the best at clustering the author texts? Why is this the case?
- Problem 6b Which words are key for distinguishing the author texts? How did you determine these?
- Problem 6c Overall, which is the best method for providing a visual summary of the data?

R scripts to help out with the Clustering Lab

Don't peek at this if you want to practice coding on your own!!

Load packages

```
library(NMF)
library(ggplot2)
library(umap)
```

Load dataset: Author data

```
load("UnsupL_SISBID_2024.Rdata")
# understand the data a bit
dim(author)
```

[1] 841 70

colnames(author)

```
[1] "a"
                   "all"
                             "also"
                                       "an"
                                                 "and"
                                                           "any"
                                                                      "are"
                                                                                "as"
##
                                                 "by"
    [9] "at"
                   "be"
                             "been"
                                       "but"
                                                           "can"
                                                                      "do"
                                                                                "down"
## [17] "even"
                   "every"
                             "for."
                                       "from"
                                                 "had"
                                                           "has"
                                                                      "have"
                                                                                "her"
                   "if."
                             "in."
                                                 "is"
                                                           "it"
                                                                      "its"
## [25] "his"
                                       "into"
                                                                                "may"
        "more"
                   "must"
                             "my"
                                       "no"
                                                 "not"
                                                           "now"
                                                                      "of"
                                                                                "on"
##
   [33]
  [41] "one"
                                                           "so"
                   "only"
                             "or"
                                       "our"
                                                 "should"
                                                                      "some"
                                                                                "such"
  [49] "than"
                   "that"
                             "the"
                                       "their"
                                                 "then"
                                                                      "things"
                                                                                "this"
                                                           "there"
## [57] "to"
                                                                      "when"
                   "up"
                             "upon"
                                       "was"
                                                 "were"
                                                           "what"
                                                                                "which"
## [65] "who"
                   "will"
                             "with"
                                       "would"
                                                 "your"
                                                           "BookID"
```

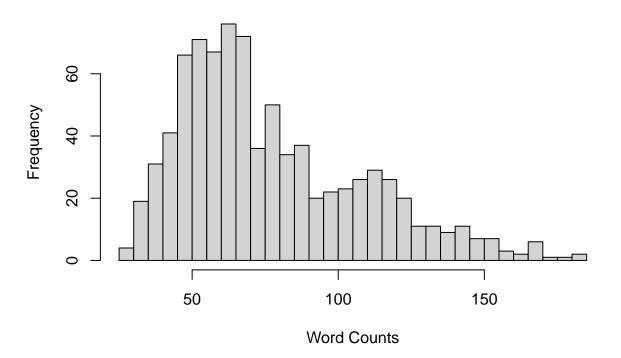
```
unique(rownames(author))

## [1] "Austen" "London" "Milton" "Shakespeare"

TrueAuth = as.factor(rownames(author))
```

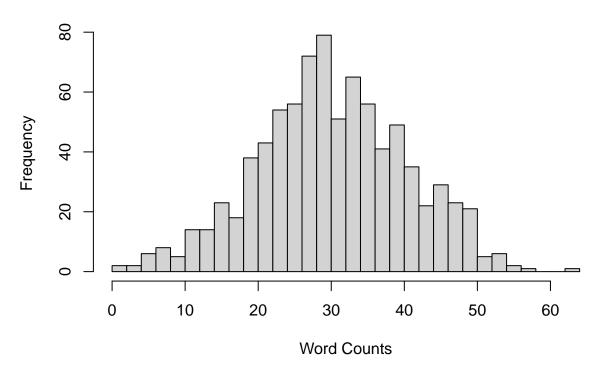
Frequency of word "the"

hist(author[,colnames(author)=="the"],breaks=25,main="Frequency of word \"the\"",xlab = "Word Counts")



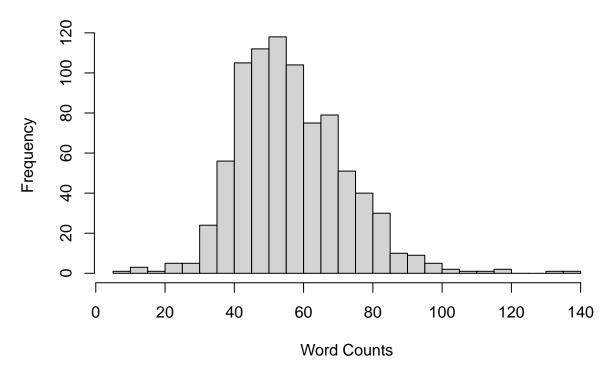
hist(author[,colnames(author)=="a"],breaks=25,main="Frequency of word \"a\"",xlab = "Word Counts")

Frequency of word "a"

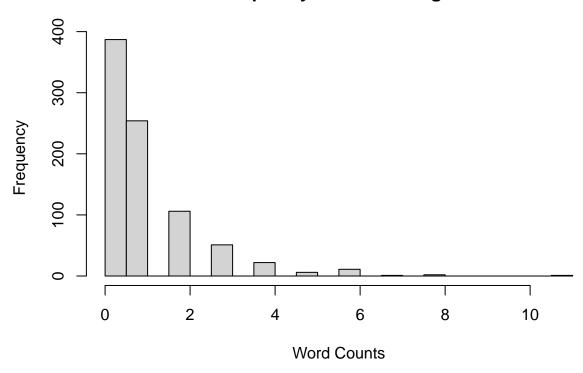


hist(author[,colnames(author)=="and"],breaks=25,main="Frequency of word \"and\"",xlab = "Word Counts")

Frequency of word "and"



Frequency of word "things"



Take out bookID

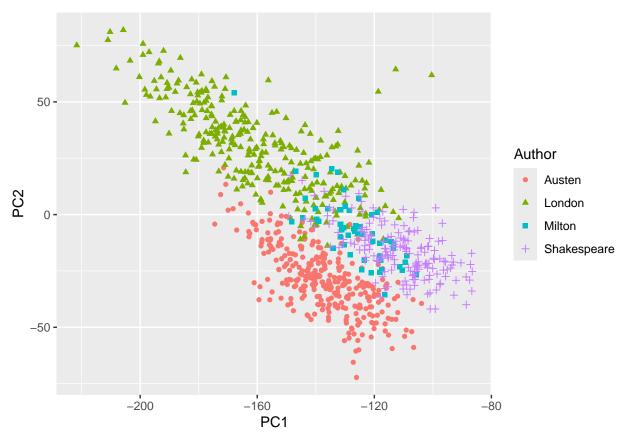
```
AuthorData = author[,1:69]
```

Problem 1 - Visualization

• how to visulaize texts? words? in 2-dimensions

Trying PCA

```
sv = svd(AuthorData)
V = sv$v
Z = AuthorData%*%V
# projected matrix
PCData = data.frame(cbind(Z[,1],Z[,2],rownames(AuthorData)),stringsAsFactors = FALSE)
colnames(PCData) = c("PC1","PC2","Author")
PCData$PC1 = as.numeric(PCData$PC1)
PCData$PC2 = as.numeric(PCData$PC2)
# plot
ggplot(PCData) +
geom_point(mapping=aes(x = PC1,y= PC2,color = Author,shape= Author))
```

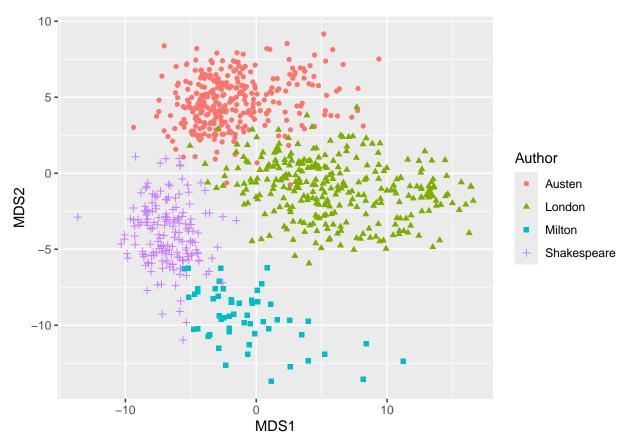


Why doesn't this work well?

Trying MDS (classical)

Can you use MDS to decide which distance is best to understand this data?

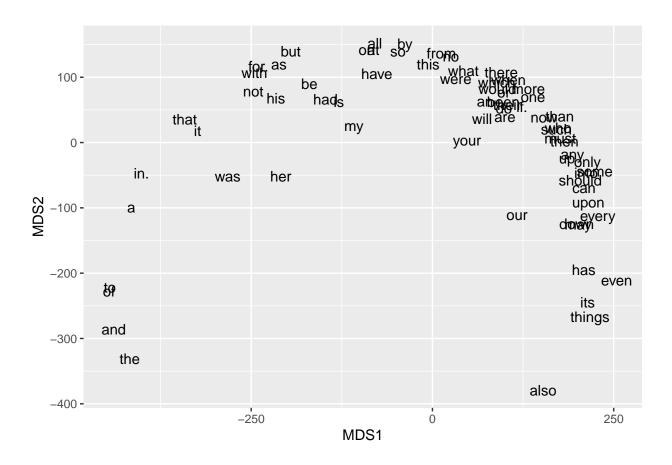
Visualizing author texts



Trying UMAP



Visualizing words



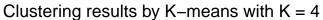
Problem 2 - K-means

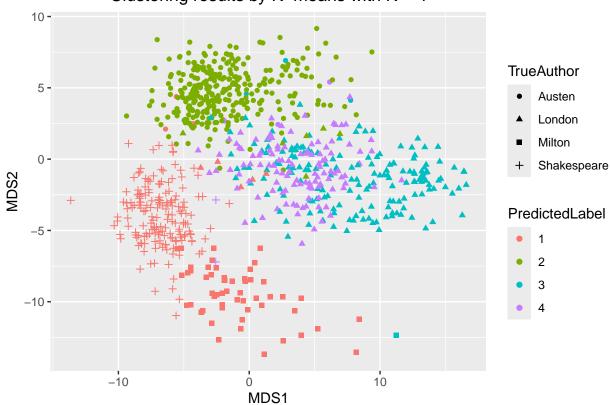
```
K = 4
km = kmeans(AuthorData,centers=K)
table(km$cluster,TrueAuth)
```

```
##
       TrueAuth
##
        Austen London Milton Shakespeare
##
              3
                      5
                             54
                                         171
     1
##
     2
           308
                      6
                              0
                                            0
     3
              3
                   170
                                            0
##
                              1
              3
                                            2
##
                   115
```

Visualization of K-means clustering results via MDS matrix

```
PredData = data.frame(cbind(MDSData[,1:2],km$cluster,rownames(AuthorData)))
colnames(PredData) = c("MDS1","MDS2","PredictedLabel","TrueAuthor")
PredData$PredictedLabel = factor(PredData$PredictedLabel)
ggplot(PredData) +
   geom_point(mapping=aes(x = MDS1,y= MDS2,color = PredictedLabel,shape= TrueAuthor)) +
   ggtitle("Clustering results by K-means with K = 4") +
   theme(plot.title = element_text(hjust = 0.5))
```



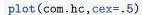


Problem 3 - Hierarchical Clustering

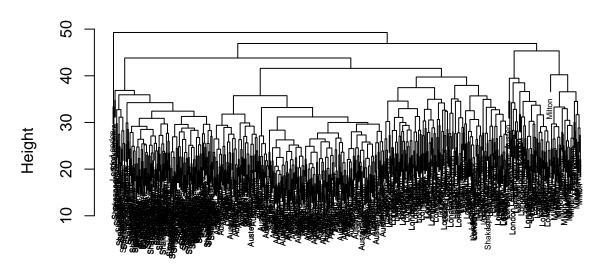
Which distance is appropriate? Why? canberra distance & complete linkage

```
Dmat = dist(AuthorData,method="canberra")
com.hc = hclust(Dmat,method="complete")
res.com = cutree(com.hc,4)
table(res.com,TrueAuth)
```

```
##
          TrueAuth
## res.com Austen London Milton Shakespeare
               316
                      219
                                0
                                           173
##
         1
##
         2
                 1
                       74
                                0
                                             0
##
                 0
                        3
                                0
                                             0
                 0
                        0
                               55
                                             0
##
```



Cluster Dendrogram



Dmat hclust (*, "complete")

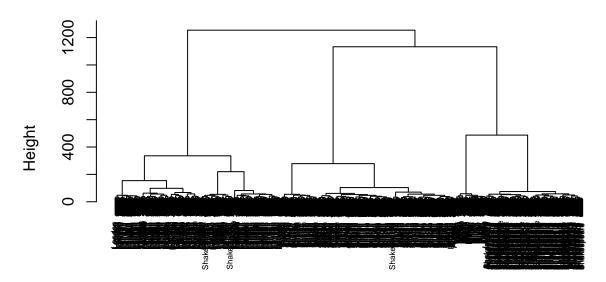
Which linkage is best? Why? canberra distance & ward.D linkage

```
Dmat = dist(AuthorData,method="canberra")
ward.hc = hclust(Dmat,method="ward.D")
res.ward = cutree(ward.hc,4)
table(res.ward,TrueAuth)
```

```
##
           TrueAuth
## res.ward Austen London Milton Shakespeare
##
               312
##
          2
                         3
                                0
                                           170
                                             2
          3
                       292
                                0
##
                               55
##
```

```
plot(ward.hc,cex=.5)
```

Cluster Dendrogram



Dmat hclust (*, "ward.D")

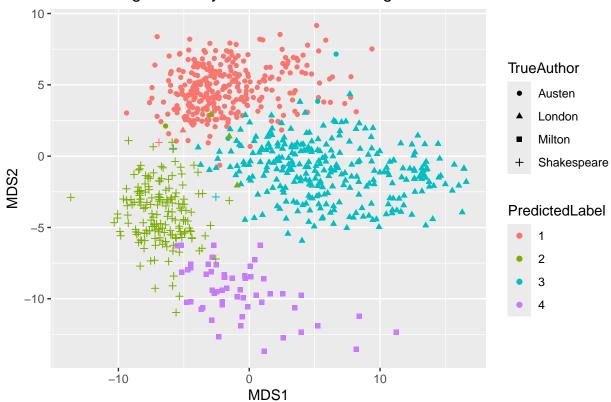
We can see that canberra distance and ward.D linkage give excellent clustering results.

Do any preform terribly? Why?

Visualizing hierarchical clustering results using MDS.

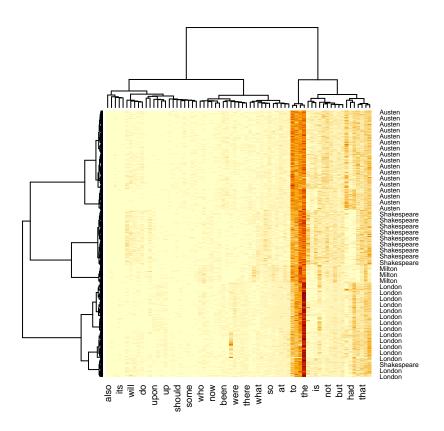
```
PredData = data.frame(cbind(MDSData[,1:2],res.ward,rownames(AuthorData)))
colnames(PredData) = c("MDS1","MDS2","PredictedLabel","TrueAuthor")
PredData$PredictedLabel = factor(PredData$PredictedLabel)
ggplot(PredData) +
   geom_point(mapping=aes(x = MDS1,y= MDS2,color = PredictedLabel,shape= TrueAuthor)) +
   ggtitle("Clustering results by hierarchical clustering with K = 4") +
   theme(plot.title = element_text(hjust = 0.5))
```

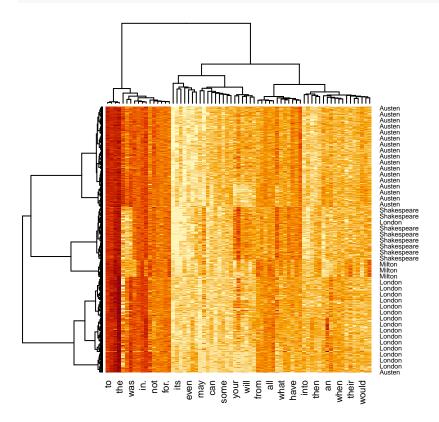




Problem 4 - Biclustering

Cluster heatmap





Problem 5 - NMF

##

```
K = 4
nmffit = nmf(AuthorData,rank=K)
W = basis(nmffit)
H = coef(nmffit)
cmap = apply(W,1,which.max)
table(cmap,TrueAuth)
##
       TrueAuth
## cmap Austen London Milton Shakespeare
##
             1
                   2
                          55
##
      2
            47
                   20
                          0
                                     127
##
      3
             4
                  272
                           0
                                       0
```

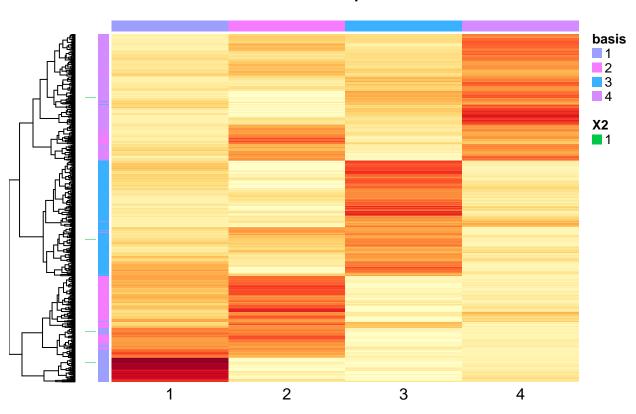
basismap(nmffit,annRow=rownames(AuthorData),scale="col",legend=FALSE)

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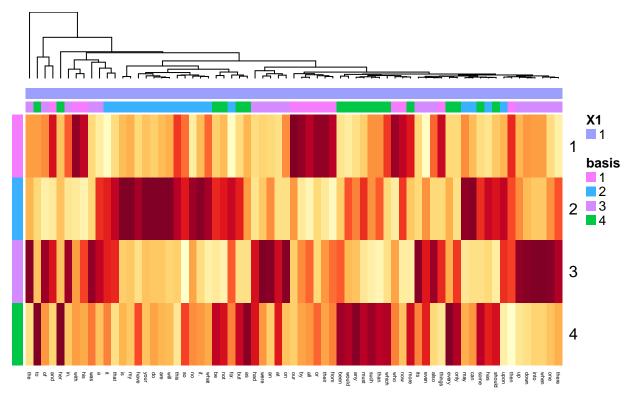
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Basis components



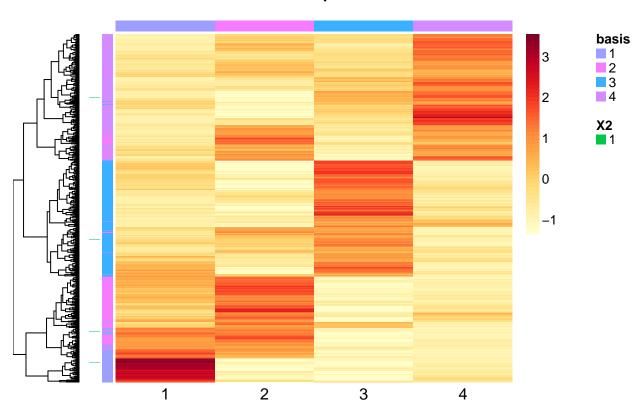
coefmap(nmffit,annCol=colnames(AuthorData),scale="col",legend=FALSE)

Mixture coefficients

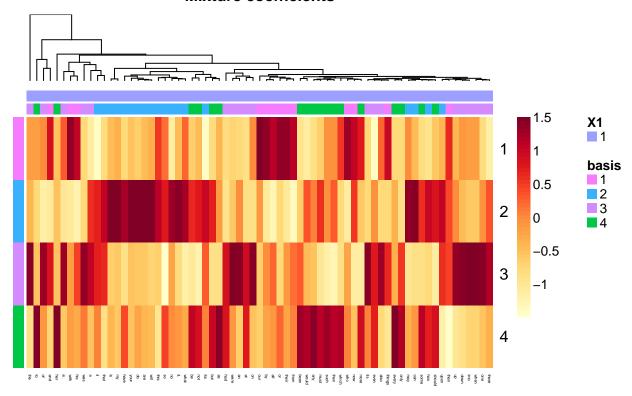


basismap(nmffit,annRow=rownames(AuthorData),scale="col",legend=T)

Basis components



Mixture coefficients



Which words are most important for distinguishing authors?