Data Mining

Lab sheet N°7: Clustering

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Exercise 01: *K-means clustering*

Use the K-means algorithm and Euclidean distance to cluster these 8 points into 3 clusters:

A1=(2,10), A2=(2,5), A3=(8,4), A4=(5,8), A5=(7,5), A6=(6,4), A7=(1,2), A8=(4,9).

The distance matrix based on the Euclidean distance is given below:

	A1	A2	A3	A4	A5	A6	A7	A8
A1	0	$\sqrt{25}$	$\sqrt{36}$	$\sqrt{13}$	$\sqrt{50}$	$\sqrt{52}$	$\sqrt{65}$	$\sqrt{5}$
A2		0	$\sqrt{37}$	$\sqrt{18}$	$\sqrt{25}$	$\sqrt{17}$	$\sqrt{10}$	$\sqrt{20}$
A3			0	$\sqrt{25}$	$\sqrt{2}$	$\sqrt{2}$	$\sqrt{53}$	$\sqrt{41}$
A4				0	$\sqrt{13}$	$\sqrt{17}$	$\sqrt{52}$	$\sqrt{2}$
A5					0	$\sqrt{2}$	$\sqrt{45}$	$\sqrt{25}$
A6						0	$\sqrt{29}$	$\sqrt{29}$
A7							0	$\sqrt{58}$
A8								0

Suppose that the initial seeds (centers of each cluster) are A1, A4, and A7. Run the k-means algorithm for 1 epoch only. At the end of this epoch, show:

a) The new clusters (i.e. the examples belonging to each cluster)

b) The centers of the new clusters

c) Draw a 10 by 10 space with all the 8 points and show the clusters after the first epoch and the new centroids.

d) How many more iterations are needed to converge? Draw the result for each epoch. **(For students)**

Exercise 02: *Hierarchical clustering*

Use single (MIN) and complete link (MAX) agglomerative clustering to group the data described by the following distance matrix. Show the dendrograms.

	A	B	C	D
A	0	1	4	5
B		0	2	6
C			0	3
D				0