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- 1. b) 1 and 2.
- 2. d) 1, 2 and 4.
- 3. a) True.
- 4. a) 1 only.
- 5. b) 1.
- 6. b) No.
- 7. a) Yes.
- 8. d) All of the above.
- 9. a) K-means clustering algorithm.
- 10. d) All of the above.
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- 12. The K-means clustering algorithm is sensitive to outliers, because a mean is easily influenced by extreme values. K-medoids clustering is a variant of k-means that is more robust to noises and outliers. Instead of using the mean point as the center of a cluster, K-medoids uses an actual point in the cluster to represent it. Medoid is the most centrally located object of the cluster, with minimum sum of distances to other points.
- 13. K-means clustering is a very famous and powerful unsupervised machine learning algorithm. It is used to solve many complex unsupervised machine learning problems. K-means is better because
 - It is very simple to implement.
 - It adapts the new examples very frequently.

- It is scalable to a huge data set and also faster to large datasets.
- Generalization of clusters for different shapes and sizes.
- 14. K-Means is a non-deterministic algorithm.

This means that a compiler cannot solve the problem in polynomial time and doesn't clearly know the next step. This is because some problems have a great degree of randomness to them. These algorithms usually have 2 steps 1) Guessing step.

2) Assignment step.

On similar lines is the K-means algorithm. The K-Means algorithm divides the data space into K clusters such that the total variance of all data points with respect to the cluster mean is minimized.