Assignment No. 3

Problem Statement: Define the K-means problem clearly.

Objective: To perform clustering using the K-means algorithm, segment data into groups based on similarity, and visualize the results to derive insights.

Prerequisite:

- 1. A Python environment set up with libraries like pandas, numpy, matplotlib, seaborn, and scikit-learn.
- 2. Internet connection (optional for accessing datasets).
- 3. Text editor and basic knowledge of Python, machine learning, and data visualization.

Theory:

Steps for K-means Clustering:

- 1. Understanding K-means Algorithm
- K-means is an unsupervised learning algorithm that partitions data into K clusters.
- Each data point is assigned to the nearest cluster center (centroid), and the centroids are iteratively updated until convergence.

$$\bar{x} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^{n} x_i}{n}.$$

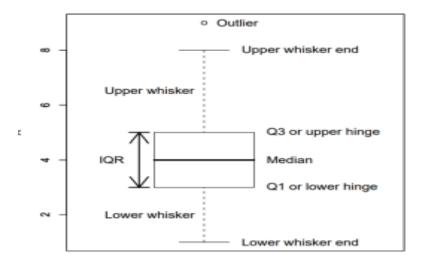
Key components:

- K: Number of clusters.
- Centroid: Center of a cluster.
- Inertia: Sum of squared distances between data points and their nearest centroid
- 2. Choosing the Right K
- Elbow Method: Plot inertia against K values. The 'elbow point' is where inertia stops decreasing significantly.

3. Steps of the Algorithm

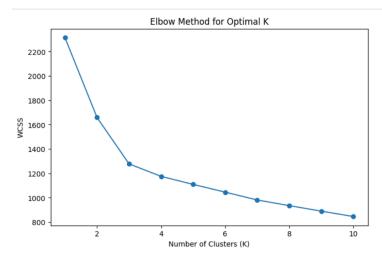
- 4. Initialize K centroids randomly.
- 5. Assign each data point to the nearest centroid.

- 6. Compute new centroids as the mean of all points in a cluster.
- 7. Repeat steps 2 and 3 until centroids no longer change or maximum iterations are reached.
- 8. Performance Evaluation
- Inertia (Within-cluster sum of squares)
- Silhouette Score (Measure of how similar a point is to its cluster compared to others)



Code & Output:

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 [3]: df.describe()
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 [4]: df.info()
        <class 'pandas.core.frame.DataFrame'>
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memory usage: 18.2 KB
 [5]: df.isnull().sum()
 [8]: #dataset has no missing values
        imputer = SimpleImputer(strategy='mean')
       df = pd.DataFrame(imputer.fit_transform(df), columns=df.columns)
 [9]: # K-Means is sensitive to different feature scales, so we use StandardScaler
        scaler = StandardScaler()
       df_scaled = pd.DataFrame(scaler.fit_transform(df), columns=df.columns)
[12]: # To visualize clusters in 2D, we reduce dimensions using PCA
pca = PCA(n_components=2)
       df_pca = pd.DataFrame(pca.fit_transform(df_scaled), columns=['PC1', 'PC2'])
[13]: # Determine Optimal K Using the Elbow Method
       wcss = [] # Within-cluster sum of squares
       K_range = range(1, 11)
       for k in K_range:
            kmeans = KMeans(n_clusters=k, random_state=42, n_init=10)
            kmeans.fit(df scaled)
            wcss.append(kmeans.inertia_)
        # Plot Elbow Method
       plt.figure(figsize=(8, 5))
       plt.plot(K_range, wcss, marker='o')
plt.xlabel('Number of Clusters (K)')
       plt.ylabel('WCSS')
       plt.title('Elbow Method for Optimal K')
       plt.show()
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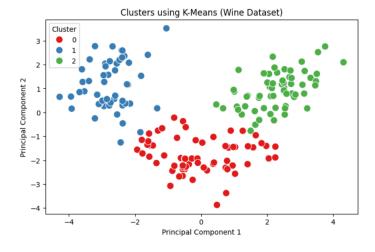
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[]: # The elbow point helps determine the optimal number of clusters.

[14]: # Choosing optimal K (3 based on Elbow Method)
kmeans = KNeans(n_clusters=3, random_state=42, n_init=10)
df['cluster'] = kmeans.fit_predict(df_scaled)

# Compute Silhouette Score
sil_score = silhouette Score(sil_score(df_scaled), df['Cluster'])
print(f'Silhouette Score: (sil_score:.2f)')
Silhouette Score: 0.28

[]: # silhouette Score > 0.5 means the clustering is good.

[15]: # Scatter plot of clusters after PCA
plt.figure(figsize=(8, 5))
sns.scatterplot(xedf_pca['PC1'], y=df_pca['PC2'],
hue=df['Cluster'], palette='Set1', s=100)
plt.xlabel('Principal Component 1')
plt.ylabel('Principal Component 2')
plt.title('Clusters using K-Means (Wine Dataset)')
plt.legend(title='Cluster')
plt.show()
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Conclusion:

K-means clustering effectively grouped the dataset into meaningful clusters. The Elbow Method determined the optimal number of clusters. Visualization showed clear separation between clusters, and the silhouette score validated cluster quality. Further improvements can include tuning initialization or using alternative clustering algorithms for better results.