# kmeans

# **NAME**

kmeans - A clustering algorithm commonly used in EDA (exploratory data analysis).

## **SYNOPSIS**

## DESCRIPTION

Clustering is an unsupervised learning problem whereby we aim to group subsets of entities with one another based on some notion of similarity. K-means is one of the most commonly used clustering algorithms that clusters the data points into a predefined number of clusters (K).

## **Detailed Description**

frovedis::kmeans()

#### **Parameters**

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samples: A crs_matrix<7,1,0> containing the sparse data points
k: An integer parameter containing the number of clusters
iter: An integer parameter containing the maximum number of iteration count
eps: A parameter of T type containing the epsilon value
seed: A parameter of long type containing the seed value to generate the random rows from the given data
samples (Default: 0)
```

### Purpose

It clusters the given data points into a predefined number (k) of clusters. After the successful clustering, it returns the k centroids of the cluster.

### Return Value

After the successful ustering it returns the centroids of the type rowmajor\_matrix\_local<T>, where each column shows each centroid vector.

frovedis::kmeans\_assign\_cluster()

### **Parameters**

mat: A crs\_matrix\_local<T,I,0> containing the new sparse data points to be assigned to the cluster centroid: A rowmajor\_matrix\_local<T> containing the centroids

### Purpose

After getting the centroids from kmeans(), they can be used to assign data to the closest centroid using kmeans\_assign\_cluster().

## Return Value

It returns a std::vector<int> containing the assigned values.