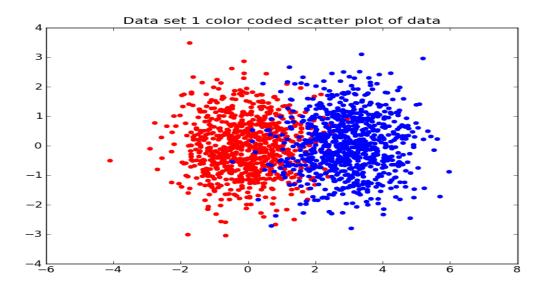
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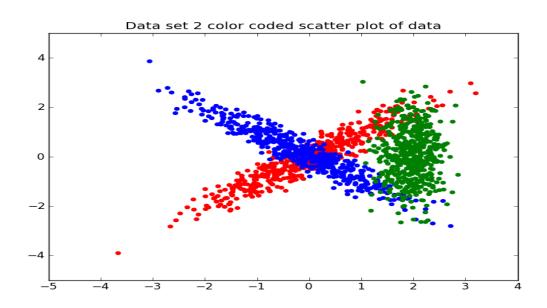
Data Visualization -

Following are the color coded scatter plots of the two datasets

Dataset 1



Dataset 2



K-Means Clustering -

Dataset 1

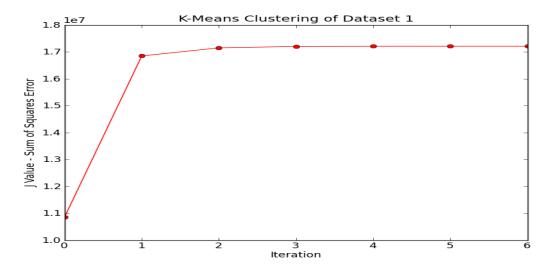
<u>Initial Cluster Center -</u>

Cluster Center 1 - (0, 0)

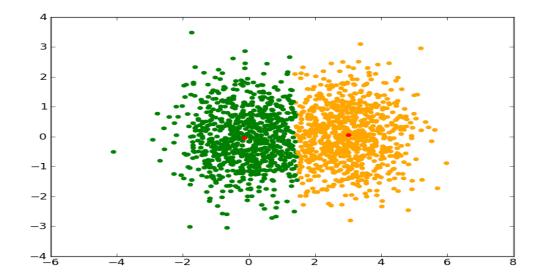
Cluster Center 2 - (0, 2)

Value of K = 2

The graph of Sum of Squares Error vs Iteration



The scatter plot of the clustered data with the red dots denoting the cluster centers -



Final Cluster Centers -

Cluster Center 1 - (3.01698571, 0.04558442) Cluster Center 2 - (-0.13084763, -0.05305959)

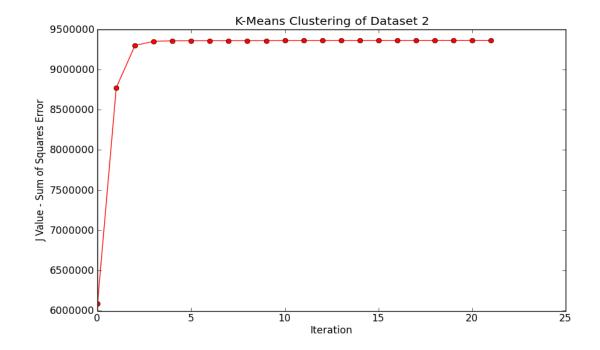
Dataset2

<u>Initial Cluster Center -</u>

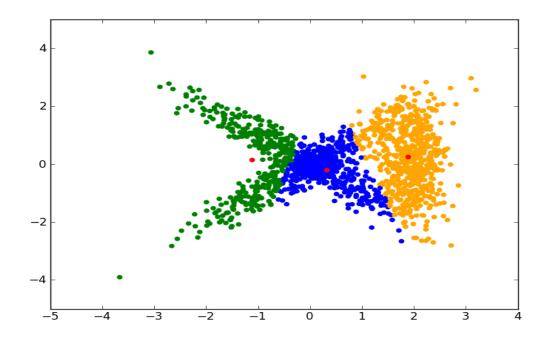
Cluster Center 1 : (-1.862807, -1.526727) Cluster Center 2 : (1.181673, -1.492543) Cluster Center 3 : (-0.947083, 0.899998)

Value of K = 3

The graph of Sum of Square Errors vs Iteration



Scatter Plot of the clustered data with the red dots denoting the cluster centers.



Final Cluster Centers -

Cluster Center 1 : (1.89165417, 0.24267632) Cluster Center 2 : (-1.11387973, 0.13775981) Cluster Center 3 : (0.32698275, -0.21492636)

Gaussian Mixture Model -

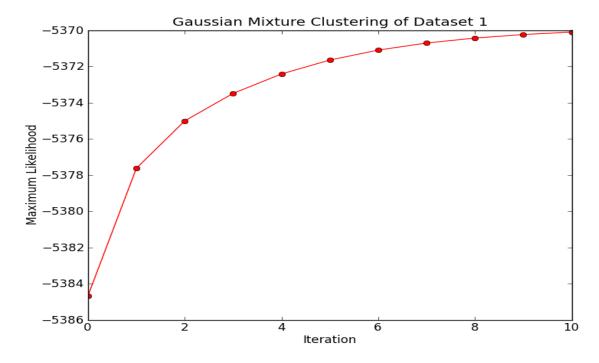
Dataset 1

Random Initial Cluster Center

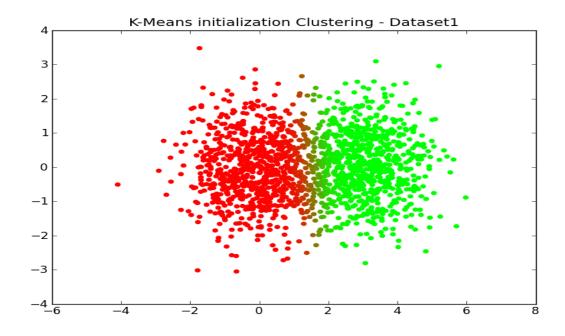
Cluster Center 1 : (0.68582, -0.6702557) Cluster Center 2 : (3.346991, -0.079277)

Value of K = 2

The graph of Maximum Likelihood vs Iteration



Scatter Plot of Clustered Data



Final Cluster Center

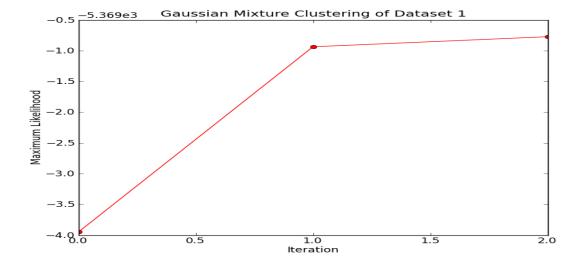
Cluster Center 1 : (-0.06410551, -0.06218497) Cluster Center 2 : (3.02896249, 0.05761322)

Cluster Centers Assumed from K-Means -

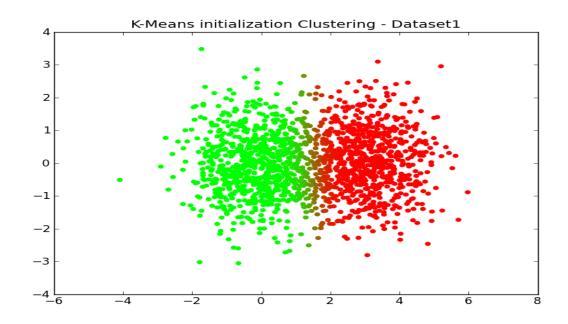
<u>Initial Cluster Centers -</u>

Cluster Center 1 : (3.01698571, 0.04558442) Cluster Center 2 : (-0.13084763, -0.05305959)

The graph of Log Likelihood vs Iteration



Scatter Plot of the Clustered Data



Final Cluster Center -

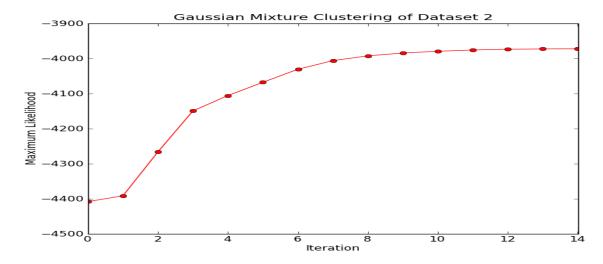
Cluster Center 1 : (2.99738613, 0.0528863963) Cluster Center 2 : (-0.09726523, -0.059952553)

Dataset2

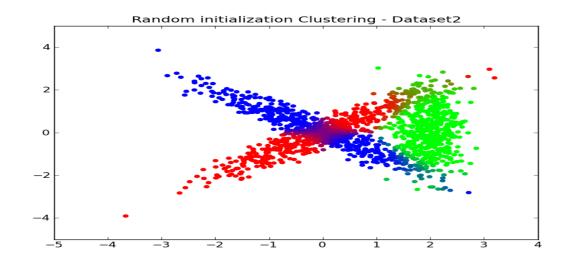
Random Cluster Center Assumed -

Cluster Center 1 : (-1.119466, 1.079995) Cluster Center 2 : (1.836951, -0.067417) Cluster Center 3 : (1.378642, -1.355791)

The graph of Log Likelihood vs Iteration



Scatter Plot of the Clustered Data -



Final Cluster Centers

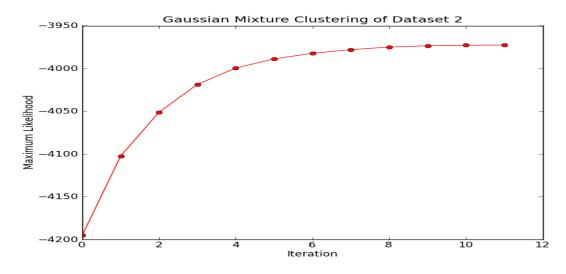
Cluster Center 1 : (-0.05669648, -0.08577299) Cluster Center 2 : (1.95924659, 0.13023854) Cluster Center 3 : (-0.10411049, 0.11805673)

Cluster Centers Assumed from K-Means

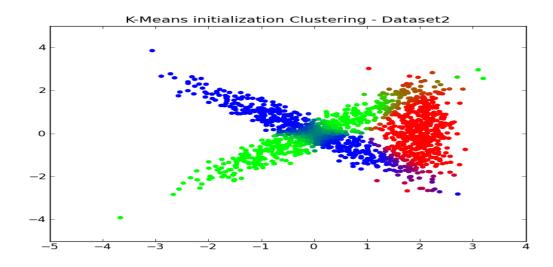
Initial Cluster Centers-

Cluster Center 1 : (1.89165417, 0.24267632) Cluster Center 2 : (-1.11387973, 0.13775981) Cluster Center 3 : (0.32698275, -0.21492636)

The graph of Log Likelihood vs Iteration



Scatter Plot of Clustered Data



Final Cluster Centers -

Cluster Center 1: (1.95988682 0.12342337) Cluster Center 2: (-0.05080608, -0.08031782) Cluster Center 3: (-0.1071640,2 0.12051856)

Comments about the initialization of the cluster centers for gaussian mixture model clustering

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The Gaussian Mixture Model Clustering requires us to initialize the values of the mean and the covariance of the component gaussians. The initialization is very important because a wrong initialization can lead the EM algorithm to converge to a local minima which will not give a very efficient clustering.

For example initializing all the covariance to the covariance of the whole dataset causes the EM algorithm to converge to a result that is not very different from the K-Means result. A good initialization of these parameters also contributes to a faster convergence of the EM algorithm. Initializing the mean and covariance values from the K-Means Clustering result gives a better result as seen from the results shown above