

TASK-2

Sure! Here's how you can implement a **K-means clustering algorithm** using the **Mall Customer Dataset**, typically used to segment customers based on purchase behavior.

🎯 **Goal:**

Group customers into clusters based on their features like:

- * Age
- * Annual Income (k\$)
- * Spending Score (1–100)

✅ Step-by-Step Implementation Using Python (Scikit-learn):

1. **Import Required Libraries**

```
```python
import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import seaborn as sns
from sklearn.cluster import KMeans
from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
```
```

2. **Load the Dataset**

```
```python
df = pd.read_csv('Mall_Customers.csv') # Replace with your actual file

Preview
print(df.head())
```
```

3. **Select Features for Clustering**

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For example, using ****Annual Income**** and ****Spending Score****:

```
```python
X = df[['Annual Income (k$)', 'Spending Score (1-100)']]
```
```

4. ****Feature Scaling (Optional but Recommended)****

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```python
scaler = StandardScaler()
X_scaled = scaler.fit_transform(X)
```
```

5. ****Find Optimal Number of Clusters Using Elbow Method****

```
```python
inertia = []
K = range(1, 11)

for k in K:
 kmeans = KMeans(n_clusters=k, random_state=42)
 kmeans.fit(X_scaled)
 inertia.append(kmeans.inertia_)

Plot the elbow graph
plt.plot(K, inertia, 'bo-')
plt.xlabel('Number of Clusters (k)')
plt.ylabel('Inertia')
plt.title('Elbow Method to Determine Optimal k')
plt.show()
```
```

6. ****Apply KMeans Clustering****

Let's say optimal `k = 5` (from elbow curve):

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```python
kmeans = KMeans(n_clusters=5, random_state=42)
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df['Cluster'] = kmeans.fit_predict(X_scaled)
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### 7. \*\*Visualize the Clusters\*\*

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```python
plt.figure(figsize=(8,6))
sns.scatterplot(data=df, x='Annual Income (k$)', y='Spending Score (1-100)', hue='Cluster',
palette='Set2')
plt.title('Customer Segments')
plt.show()
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### 🧠 Optional Enhancements:

- \* Add `Age` to clustering features.
- \* Perform 3D clustering using Plotly if needed.

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### 📁 Notes:

- \* Dataset often named `Mall\_Customers.csv`
- \* Typical structure: `CustomerID`, `Gender`, `Age`, `Annual Income (k\$)`, `Spending Score (1-100)`

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