# **BA476 Practical Assignment 1 - K-Means Clustering for Market Segmentation**

The purpose of this assignment is to use K-Means Clustering to better understand customer behavior. In this assignment, we are taking a look at transaction data for a large e-Commerce company and trying to convert that transaction information into customer-level data for actionable insights. The goal of this assignment is to perform market segmentation based on purchase behaviour.

We will use Pandas to manipulate dataframes, Scikit-learn to create the clusters, and Matplotlib for visualization. The deliverable for this assignment is (1) this notebook, (2) a PDF file that you will produce by converting your notebook to html and then printing the html page to pdf. As a reminder your notebook should contain all the code you used to generate your results – try writing concise code and include comments describing what you're doing. Submit your files on gradescope when you're done.

A skeleton is provided to get you started. Good luck!

Acknowledgements: This example makes use of the <u>UCI MLR dataset on online retail</u> (<a href="http://archive.ics.uci.edu/ml/datasets/online+retail">http://archive.ics.uci.edu/ml/datasets/online+retail</a>). Most of the code in this example is based on the <a href="https://github.com/PacktPublishing/Hands-On-Data-Science-for-Marketing">https://github.com/PacktPublishing/Hands-On-Data-Science-for-Marketing</a>) for "Hands-On Data Science for Marketing" by Packt, and the treatment of that by <a href="https://www.mktr.ai/applications-and-methods-in-data-science-customer-segmentation/">https://www.mktr.ai/applications-and-methods-in-data-science-customer-segmentation/</a>).

## Importing and cleaning data

Get started by importing the necessary packages and importing the dataset.

```
In [170]: # DO NOT EDIT THIS BLOCK OF CODE
import pandas as pd
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
from sklearn import cluster
from sklearn.cluster import KMeans

#Create the initial dataframe from the UCI repository
df = pd.read_excel("http://archive.ics.uci.edu/ml/machine-learning-datab
ases/00352/Online%20Retail.xlsx")
```

Inspect the dataframe to understand the columns and rows. We have around half a million rows, end each row corresponds to an item purchased by some customer. Notably, a row is *not* a transaction, you'll notice several rows share the same invoice number.

In [171]: print(df.shape)
 df.head(10)

(541909, 8)

#### Out[171]:

	InvoiceNo	StockCode	Description	Quantity	InvoiceDate	UnitPrice	CustomerID	Country
0	536365	85123A	WHITE HANGING HEART T- LIGHT HOLDER	6	2010-12-01 08:26:00	2.55	17850.0	United Kingdom
1	536365	71053	WHITE METAL LANTERN	6	2010-12-01 08:26:00	3.39	17850.0	United Kingdom
2	536365	84406B	CREAM CUPID HEARTS COAT HANGER	8	2010-12-01 08:26:00	2.75	17850.0	United Kingdom
3	536365	84029G	KNITTED UNION FLAG HOT WATER BOTTLE	6	2010-12-01 08:26:00	3.39	17850.0	United Kingdom
4	536365	84029E	RED WOOLLY HOTTIE WHITE HEART.	6	2010-12-01 08:26:00	3.39	17850.0	United Kingdom
5	536365	22752	SET 7 BABUSHKA NESTING BOXES	2	2010-12-01 08:26:00	7.65	17850.0	United Kingdom
6	536365	21730	GLASS STAR FROSTED T- LIGHT HOLDER	6	2010-12-01 08:26:00	4.25	17850.0	United Kingdom
7	536366	22633	HAND WARMER UNION JACK	6	2010-12-01 08:28:00	1.85	17850.0	United Kingdom
8	536366	22632	HAND WARMER RED POLKA DOT	6	2010-12-01 08:28:00	1.85	17850.0	United Kingdom
9	536367	84879	ASSORTED COLOUR BIRD ORNAMENT	32	2010-12-01 08:34:00	1.69	13047.0	United Kingdom

Check the dataframe for null entries in each column.

```
#Check for null values in the dataframe by column
In [172]:
          df.isnull().sum()
Out[172]: InvoiceNo
                               0
          StockCode
                               0
          Description
                            1454
          Quantity
                               0
          InvoiceDate
                               0
          UnitPrice
                               0
          CustomerID
                          135080
          Country
          dtype: int64
```

#### **Cleaning the Data (3 Points)**

Remove cancelled orders (quantity<=0), orders with no description (description = ""), and records without a customerID.

```
In [173]: # (2 points)
           # Drop cancelled orders
          print(df.loc[df['Quantity'] <= 0].shape)</pre>
          df.shape
          print("geree")
          df = df.loc[df['Quantity'] > 0]
          df.shape
           # Drop blank descriptions since we do not know what the customer ordered
          df = df.loc[df["Description"] != ""]
          print(df.shape)
           # Drop records without CustomerID
          df = df[pd.notnull(df["CustomerID"] )]
          print(df.shape)
           (10624, 8)
          geree
           (531285, 8)
           (397924, 8)
In [174]:
          df.shape
Out[174]: (397924, 8)
```

Add a column with the total revenue (sales price) per row (quantity sold times price per unit).

```
In [175]: # Calculate total sales from the Quantity and UnitPrice (1 point)
    df["salesPrice"] = df["Quantity"]*df["UnitPrice"]
    df.head()
```

Out[175]:

	InvoiceNo	StockCode	Description	Quantity	InvoiceDate	UnitPrice	CustomerID	Country	Sŧ
0	536365	85123A	WHITE HANGING HEART T- LIGHT HOLDER	6	2010-12-01 08:26:00	2.55	17850.0	United Kingdom	_
1	536365	71053	WHITE METAL LANTERN	6	2010-12-01 08:26:00	3.39	17850.0	United Kingdom	
2	536365	84406B	CREAM CUPID HEARTS COAT HANGER	8	2010-12-01 08:26:00	2.75	17850.0	United Kingdom	
3	536365	84029G	KNITTED UNION FLAG HOT WATER BOTTLE	6	2010-12-01 08:26:00	3.39	17850.0	United Kingdom	
4	536365	84029E	RED WOOLLY HOTTIE WHITE HEART.	6	2010-12-01 08:26:00	3.39	17850.0	United Kingdom	

## Create a dataframe at the invoice level (3 Points)

Ultimately we want to say something about customers but first, let's investigate at the order/invoice level. Aggregate the data so that you have a new dataframe with one row per invoice. Keep track of the value of each transaction, the number of unique items sold, the total number of items sold and the customer who bought it. Remember to set your column names appropriately.

#### Out[176]:

InvoiceNo				
536365	139.12	7	40	[17850.0]
536366	22.20	2	12	[17850.0]
536367	278.73	12	83	[13047.0]
536368	70.05	4	15	[13047.0]

17.85

536369

Sales UniqueItems TotalItems CustomerID

```
In [177]: order_df.shape
Out[177]: (18536, 4)
```

[13047.0]

## Visualize the order data and remove excessively large purchases (3 points)

Create a scatter plot of your new dataframe, with total items on the X axis and Sales on the Y axis. You will use this to visualize outliers before removing them. Once you see the plot, you should be able to filter the dataframe on each axis to remove the clear outliers. We chose the Sales and TotalItems axes because we wanted to omit orders where the total sales was extreme or orders with an extreme number of items. The only other column to consider here would be uniqueitems and we do not consider it because the totalitems column already does the same job and intuitively, we want to know total sales and total items.

```
In [178]: #Create a scatter plot (1 point)
    fig = plt.scatter(order_df['TotalItems'], order_df['Sales'])
    plt.show()
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150000
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75000
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0 10000 20000 30000 40000 50000 60000 70000 80000
```

Remove outliers with total items greater than 20000 or sales greater than 30000. Replot (with axis labels) for a better look at the data.

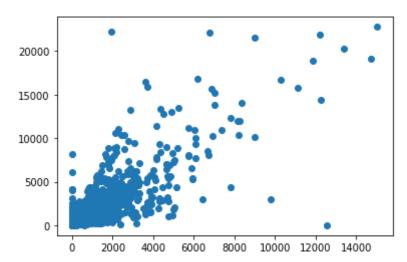
```
In [179]: #Given the plot above remove outliers on both the totalitems and sales a
    xis (1 point each)

#Remove totalitems outliers in order_df using the scatter plot (1 point)
    order_df = order_df[order_df["TotalItems"] <= 20000]
    # order_df = order_df[order_df["TotalItems"] > 0]
    #Remove sales outliers in order_df using the scatter plot (1 point)
    order_df = order_df[order_df["Sales"] <= 30000]
    # order_df = order_df[order_df["Sales"] > 0]

print(order_df)
    # after filtering, my order_df has 18532 rows
fig = plt.scatter(order_df['TotalItems'], order_df['Sales'])
plt.show()
```

	Sales	UniqueItems	TotalItems	CustomerID
InvoiceNo				
536365	139.12	7	40	[17850.0]
536366	22.20	2	12	[17850.0]
536367	278.73	12	83	[13047.0]
536368	70.05	4	15	[13047.0]
536369	17.85	1	3	[13047.0]
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581583	124.60	2	76	[13777.0]
581584	140.64	2	120	[13777.0]
581585	329.05	21	278	[15804.0]
581586	339.20	4	66	[13113.0]
581587	249.45	15	105	[12680.0]

[18532 rows x 4 columns]



#### Create a customer dataframe and remove outliers using IQR (11 Points)

Create a new dataframe at the customer level using the order dataframe. You can use the invoice dataframe for reference as the process is similar. Columns included should be (1) the total dollar amount of 'sales' across orders, (2) the number of different orders by the customer, (3) the average number of unique items in an order, and (4) the total items ordered across all orders.

#### Out[180]:

#### TotalSales OrderCount AvgUniqueItems TotalItems

CustomerID				
12346.0	77183.60	1	1	74215
12347.0	4310.00	7	103	2458
12348.0	1797.24	4	22	2341
12349.0	1757.55	1	73	631
12350.0	334.40	1	17	197

```
In [181]: cust_df.shape
Out[181]: (4339, 4)
```

Now add a new column showing each customer's average order value.

#### Out[182]:

	TotalSales	OrderCount	AvgUniqueItems	TotalItems	AvgOrderValue
CustomerID					
12346.0	77183.60	1	1	74215	77183.600000
12347.0	4310.00	7	103	2458	615.714286
12348.0	1797.24	4	22	2341	449.310000
12349.0	1757.55	1	73	631	1757.550000
12350.0	334.40	1	17	197	334.400000

Now, create a scatter plot with total sales on the x axis and order count on the y axis to check for outliers

```
#Create a scatter plot of total sales and order count to visualize our c
In [183]:
            urrent data
            cust_df.plot.scatter(x='TotalSales', y='OrderCount')
            print(cust_df.shape)
           plt.show()
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This time, let's calculate the interquartile range (IQR), the difference between the upper and lower quartiles, and use this to compute lower (upper)bounds on the Sales column equal to the  $Q_1 - 1.5 \times IQR$  (and  $Q_3 + 1.5 \times IQR$ , respectively).

TotalSales

1354.395 -1724.347499999999 3693.2325

Now, repeat the process to compute similar bounds on the number of orders per customer.

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Now, filter the dateframe to exclude rows where the orders or sales value exceed the bounds you computed.

```
In [186]: #(1 point)

cust_df = cust_df[cust_df['OrderCount'] > order_lbound]

cust_df = cust_df[cust_df['OrderCount'] < order_ubound]

cust_df = cust_df[cust_df['TotalSales'] > sales_lbound]

cust_df = cust_df[cust_df['TotalSales'] < sales_ubound]

print(cust_df)</pre>
```

	TotalSales	OrderCount	AvgUniqueItems	TotalItems	AvgOrde
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CustomerID					
12348.0	1797.24	4	22	2341	449.
310000					
12349.0	1757.55	1	73	631	1757.
550000					
12350.0	334.40	1	17	197	334.
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12352.0	2506.04	8	59	536	313.
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18280.0	180.60	1	10	45	180.
600000	00.00	1	7	F 4	0.0
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18287.0	1837.28	3	59	1586	612.
426667					

[3840 rows x 5 columns]

Finally, create a normalized dataframe, by standardizing each column of cust\_df (subtract the mean, scale by the standard deviation). You should be able to do this in one line of code.

```
In [187]:
          #Create normalized df, a normalized version of cust df (2 points)
           # def absolute maximum scale(series):
                 return series / series.abs().max()
           normalized_df = pd.DataFrame()
           for col in cust df.columns:
             # normalized df = (rank df - rank df.mean()) / rank df.std()
             normalized_df[col] = (cust_df[col] - cust_df[col].mean()) / cust_df[co
           1].std()
               # normalized df[col] = absolute maximum scale(cust df[col])
           print(cust_df)
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                       TotalSales
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           [3840 rows x 5 columns]
```

```
In [188]: normalized_df.shape
Out[188]: (3840, 5)
```

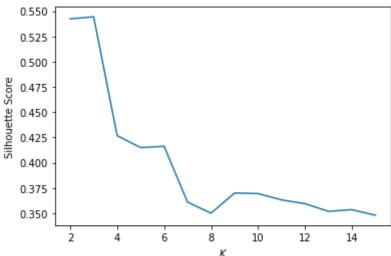
You'll notice that we were pretty aggressive in removing outliers, we went from 4338 customers to 3841. It'll help us get cleaner clusters later for the purpose of this exercise, but in practice we should be more careful.

## K-Means Clustering Algorithm (5 points)

We don't know how many clusters is appropriate, so we will do k-means clustering for  $k \in [2, 3, ..., 15]$  and use the <u>silhouette-score (https://scikit-</u>

 $\underline{\text{learn.org/stable/modules/generated/sklearn.metrics.silhouette score.html})} \ \ \text{to choose the best value of } k. \ \text{Be sure to read the documentation to understand silhouettes, briefly, higher scores are better. Training may take a few seconds. I used <math display="block">\underline{\texttt{random\_state=3}} \ , \ \text{generally note that since teh starting position is random we may have small differences in results.}$ 

```
from numpy.core.fromnumeric import shape
In [189]:
          #(5 points)
          from sklearn.metrics import silhouette_score
          krange = list(range(2,16))
          cols = ['TotalSales', 'OrderCount', 'TotalItems', 'AvgOrderValue']
          X = normalized_df[cols].values
          silhouette = [None for i in range(2,16)]
          # Iterate over the range of K values, which denotes the number of cluste
          rs
          for n in krange:
            # your code here
            kmeans = KMeans(n_clusters=n)
            kmeans.fit(X)
            # I do n-2 here to prevent list index out of range error- on the graph
          0 == no. of clusters == 2
            silhouette[n-2] = silhouette score(X, kmeans.labels)
          kmeans = KMeans(n clusters=2)
          kmeans.fit(X)
          plt.plot(krange, silhouette)
          plt.xlabel("$K$")
          plt.ylabel("Silhouette Score")
          plt.show()
```



```
In [190]: normalized_df.shape
Out[190]: (3840, 5)
```

## Investigate the clusters (4 points)

Using the plot above, identify the best choice of k. Run k-means clustering with the chosen k, then create a new dataframe with an additional column showing the cluster of every customer. You should investigate your clusters to make sure a cluster doesn't just consist of one or two outliers.

```
In [191]: #Set the K value and run the kmeans algorithm on the normalized datafram
         e (1 point)
         k = 3
         kmeans = KMeans(n_clusters=k).fit(normalized_df[cols])
         #copy the columns from normalized df
         cluster df = normalized df[cols].copy(deep=True)
         #Add the labels from the k-means algoithm to the cluster column in clust
         er df (1 point)
         cluster_df['Cluster'] = kmeans.labels_
         print(kmeans.cluster_centers_)
         #Run groupby to see how many instances are in each cluster
         x = cluster_df.groupby('Cluster')
         x.head()
         [[-0.50643891 -0.40572141 -0.42098858 -0.2846267 ]
          [ 0.94740376 -0.52061014  0.64875706  2.76699231]]
```

TotalSales OrderCount TotalItems AvgOrderValue Cluster

#### Out[191]:

CustomerID				-	
12348.0	1.188652	0.618487	2.935939	0.469258	1
12349.0	1.138702	-0.824107	0.170819	5.511570	2
12350.0	-0.652326	-0.824107	-0.530972	0.026363	0
12352.0	2.080674	2.541945	0.017201	-0.055135	1
12353.0	-0.961161	-0.824107	-0.817186	-0.919475	0
12354.0	0.285253	-0.824107	0.007499	2.897796	2
12355.0	-0.495014	-0.824107	-0.461439	0.508147	0
12356.0	2.465006	0.137622	1.723167	2.349500	2
12358.0	0.396832	-0.343242	-0.448503	0.988505	0
12360.0	2.277025	0.137622	1.034312	2.157596	2
12361.0	-0.834179	-0.824107	-0.702377	-0.530579	0
12364.0	0.579364	0.618487	1.585719	0.002756	1
12370.0	3.389069	0.618487	2.955343	2.154008	1
12371.0	1.302823	-0.343242	0.106138	2.375850	2
12380.0	2.355995	0.618487	0.972865	1.363034	1

Create a new dataframe with the centroid of each cluster. You can easily access the centroids in your estimators cluster\_centers\_ attribute.

```
In [192]: #(2 points)
    centroids = kmeans.cluster_centers_
    #Create a df using the centroids stored in the previous step
    cluster_center_df = pd.DataFrame(centroids)
    #Rename the columns of your df to the correct names

cluster_center_df.columns = cols
    cluster_center_df.head()
```

#### Out[192]:

	TotalSales	OrderCount	Totalitems	<b>AvgOrderValue</b>
0	-0.506439	-0.405721	-0.420989	-0.284627
1	1.402310	1.498244	1.206356	0.133586
2	0.947404	-0.520610	0.648757	2.766992

### Visualize and interpret clusters (8 points)

Create scatter plots to visualize the relationship between your features and clusters. The template iterates over the respective x, y axes of each plot. You should create one pane with four plots using <code>cluster\_df</code>.

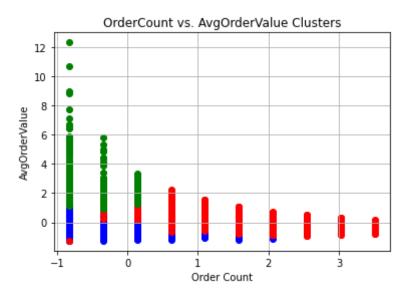
The plots in the second pane were created by first ranking the data in <code>cluster\_df</code> . You can try to do this if it helps you interpret the clusters, but will not be penalised if you don't.

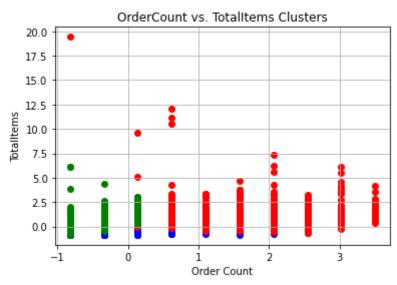
```
In [193]: \#(3 \text{ points}), (1 bonus point for plotting on rankings)
          plots = [('OrderCount', 'AvgOrderValue'), ('OrderCount', 'TotalItems'
          ), ('TotalItems', 'AvgOrderValue') , ('TotalSales', 'OrderCount') ]
          colors = [ 'blue', 'orange', 'green', 'purple']
          plot df = cluster df
          #fig, axs = plt.subplots(1, len(plots) , figsize=(25, 5))
          # for idx, col pair in zip(range(len(plots)), plots):
              print(idx)
              print(col pair)
              #Iterate through all the clusters with a different color per cluster
              for cluster in range(k):
                #Create a scatter plot based on the X and Y axis in each plot, p u
          sing the colors variable (2 point)
                plt.scatter(
          #
                plot df.loc(plot df['Cluster'] == cluster][col pair[0]],
                plot df.loc(plot df['Cluster'] == cluster][col pair[1]],
          #
                c=colors[cluster]
          # )
          plt.scatter(
              plot_df.loc[plot_df['Cluster'] == 0]['OrderCount'],
              plot df.loc[plot df['Cluster'] == 0]['AvgOrderValue'],
              c='blue'
          )
          plt.scatter(
              plot df.loc[plot df['Cluster'] == 1]['OrderCount'],
              plot df.loc[plot df['Cluster'] == 1]['AvgOrderValue'],
              c='red'
          plt.scatter(
              plot df.loc[plot df['Cluster'] == 2]['OrderCount'],
              plot_df.loc[plot_df['Cluster'] == 2]['AvgOrderValue'],
              c='green'
          plt.title('OrderCount vs. AvgOrderValue Clusters')
          plt.xlabel('Order Count')
          plt.ylabel('AvgOrderValue')
          plt.grid()
          plt.show()
            #Set axis labels (1 point)
          plt.scatter(
              plot df.loc[plot df['Cluster'] == 0]['OrderCount'],
              plot df.loc[plot df['Cluster'] == 0]['TotalItems'],
              c='blue'
          )
          plt.scatter(
```

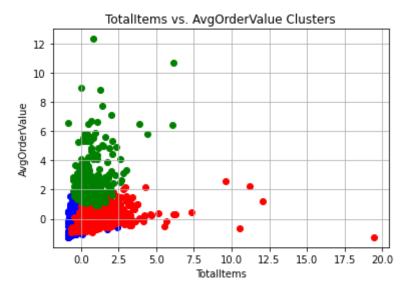
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plot_df.loc[plot_df['Cluster'] == 1]['OrderCount'],
    plot_df.loc[plot_df['Cluster'] == 1]['TotalItems'],
    c='red'
plt.scatter(
    plot_df.loc[plot_df['Cluster'] == 2]['OrderCount'],
    plot_df.loc[plot_df['Cluster'] == 2]['TotalItems'],
    c='green'
plt.title('OrderCount vs. TotalItems Clusters')
plt.xlabel('Order Count')
plt.ylabel('TotalItems')
plt.grid()
plt.show()
    #Set axis labels (1 point)
plt.scatter(
    plot_df.loc[plot_df['Cluster'] == 0]['TotalItems'],
    plot_df.loc[plot_df['Cluster'] == 0]['AvgOrderValue'],
    c='blue'
plt.scatter(
    plot_df.loc[plot_df['Cluster'] == 1]['TotalItems'],
    plot_df.loc[plot_df['Cluster'] == 1]['AvgOrderValue'],
    c='red'
plt.scatter(
    plot_df.loc[plot_df['Cluster'] == 2]['TotalItems'],
    plot_df.loc[plot_df['Cluster'] == 2]['AvgOrderValue'],
    c='green'
plt.title('TotalItems vs. AvgOrderValue Clusters')
plt.xlabel('TotalItems')
plt.ylabel('AvgOrderValue')
plt.grid()
plt.show()
# Plot 4
plt.scatter(
    plot_df.loc[plot_df['Cluster'] == 0]['TotalSales'],
    plot_df.loc[plot_df['Cluster'] == 0]['OrderCount'],
    c='blue'
plt.scatter(
    plot_df.loc[plot_df['Cluster'] == 1]['TotalSales'],
    plot_df.loc[plot_df['Cluster'] == 1]['OrderCount'],
    c='red'
plt.scatter(
```

```
plot_df.loc[plot_df['Cluster'] == 2]['TotalSales'],
    plot_df.loc[plot_df['Cluster'] == 2]['OrderCount'],
    c='green'
)

plt.title('TotalSales vs. OrderCount Clusters')
plt.xlabel('TotalSales')
plt.ylabel('OrderCount')
plt.grid()
plt.show()
```









Another useful visualization that allows you to compare clusters is a polar plot of the cluster centers. For this we'll use the plotly library.

```
In [194]: import plotly.express as px
polar_data=cluster_center_df.reset_index()
polar_data=pd.melt(polar_data,id_vars=['index'])
px.line_polar(polar_data, r='value', theta='variable', color='index', li
ne_close=True, height=400,width=400)
```

Thouroughly characterize the types of customers and their purchase behaviour for each cluster. (5 points)

```
In [195]: # Blue: relatively low number of orders, lowest number of items and lowe
          st avg order value. Low volume/low-med frequency
          print("As you can see from visualizations above: Cluster 0 can be charac
          terised as Blue since they have relatively low number of orderCount (clu
          ster 1 has lowest), lowest number of items , and lower average order val
          ue among the 3 clusters ")
          # Red: Highest average order value, relatively small number of items per
          order so on average more expensive items. Low volume, high value.
          print("As you can see from visualizations above: Cluster 1 can be charac
          terised as Red since they have low number of items per order (Total Item
          s / order Count) and highest average order value among the 3 clusters
          # Green: largest number of orders and large number of items. ordervalue
           varies, so they are buying a lot, but not necessarily expensive things.
          high volume + frequency.
          print("As you can see from visualizations above: Cluster 2 can be charac
          terised as Green since they have highest number of orderCount (largest n
          umber of orders), largest number of Total items and its order value is r
          elatively low compared to other clusters and varies but concentrated aro
          und less expensive items ")
```

As you can see from visualizations above: Cluster 0 can be characterise d as Blue since they have relatively low number of orderCount (cluster 1 has lowest), lowest number of items , and lower average order value a mong the 3 clusters

As you can see from visualizations above: Cluster 1 can be characterise d as Red since they have low number of items per order (Total Items / o rder Count) and highest average order value among the 3 clusters As you can see from visualizations above: Cluster 2 can be characterise d as Green since they have highest number of orderCount (largest number of orders), largest number of Total items and its order value is relatively low compared to other clusters and varies but concentrated around less expensive items

## Dive Deeper into the High Value Cluster and display the Top Products (4 points)

Investigate the cluster with the highest order value (on average) further by printing the top 10 best-selling products in the cluster. You will need to use your original dataframe coupled with the cluster number of each customer.

```
In [196]: high value cluster number = 1 #(1 point)
          #cluster Red has highest value customers
          # filter to get the customers in the high value cluster
          high value cluster = cluster df.loc[cluster df['Cluster'] == high value
          _cluster_number]
          # print(high value cluster)
          # identify the most commonly purchased items (3 point)
          custID = high_value_cluster.index
          # print(custID)
          print(df.shape)
          maxBought = df.loc[df['CustomerID'].isin(custID)]
          freq = maxBought['Description']
          print("Highest value customers top 10 most bought products: ")
          print(freq.value counts()[:10])
          print()
          print()
          print("for sake of further analysis I look for least useful products to
           have in the inventory")
          print()
          lowest value cluster number = 0
          lowest_value_cluster = cluster_df.loc[cluster_df['Cluster'] == lowest_v
          alue cluster number]
          custIDL = lowest value cluster.index
          minBought = df.loc[df['CustomerID'].isin(custIDL)]
          freqL = minBought['Description']
          print("Lowest value customers top 10 most bought products: ")
          print(freqL.value counts()[:10])
```

(397924, 9)Highest value customers top 10 most bought products: WHITE HANGING HEART T-LIGHT HOLDER 588 ASSORTED COLOUR BIRD ORNAMENT 426 REGENCY CAKESTAND 3 TIER 412 JUMBO BAG RED RETROSPOT 396 LUNCH BAG RED RETROSPOT 375 PARTY BUNTING 368 LUNCH BAG BLACK SKULL. 349 NATURAL SLATE HEART CHALKBOARD 344 HEART OF WICKER SMALL 337 PACK OF 72 RETROSPOT CAKE CASES 321 Name: Description, dtype: int64

for sake of further analysis I look for least useful products to have i  $\boldsymbol{n}$  the inventory

Lowest value customers top 10 most bought products: WHITE HANGING HEART T-LIGHT HOLDER 567 REGENCY CAKESTAND 3 TIER 437 REX CASH+CARRY JUMBO SHOPPER 424 ASSORTED COLOUR BIRD ORNAMENT 400 PARTY BUNTING 337 BAKING SET 9 PIECE RETROSPOT 306 PAPER CHAIN KIT 50'S CHRISTMAS 296 HEART OF WICKER SMALL 289 NATURAL SLATE HEART CHALKBOARD 267 SET OF 3 CAKE TINS PANTRY DESIGN 266 Name: Description, dtype: int64

## **Inform Strategy (6 points)**

Now that you have a better understanding of customers' purchase behaviour, how would you change your practices?

Write 1-2 sentences with a business recommendation (this can cover marketing, operations, etc. as long as it refers back to the results of your cluster analysis) for each of the clusters.

Based of the analysis we have conducted I would recommend the business to focus on only high value customers as they are more profitable to us. I checked the least valuable products included in our inventory and would cut my stock of these products while increasing stock of more valuable products (products more frequently bought by cluster 1) and (cut products inventory for products bought by cluster 0). I will then also suggest marketing advertisements that will optimise sales for cluster 2 by offering bundling options at a discounted rate to these customers since they are more frequent buyers.

## **Collaboration statement (3 points)**

Include the names of everyone that helped you with this homework and explain how each person helped. Also include the names of everyone you helped, and explain how. Asking for guidance is perfectly fine, but please do not ask for or share exact solutions. You should leave any discussion of the assignment and go write up your solutions on your own.

If you do not submit a collaboration statement you will receive 0/3 for this section. Even if you did not collaborate with anyone, you still need to write a statement below.

I helped Neeraja Mehta by explaining the concept of kmeans clustering to her so she can better understand the assignment.

## **Preparing for submission**

To convert your notebook to html, change the string below to reflect the location of the notebook in your Google Drive.

```
In [200]: path_to_file = '/content/drive/My Drive/ColabNotebooks/PA1-market-segmen
    tation.ipynb'
```

Now execute the code cell below. After execution there should be an html file in the same Google Drive folder where this notebook is located. Download the html file, open with your browser and print to pdf, then submit the pdf on the course page along with your notebook.

NOTE: this seems to fail if your path contains spaces - move it to a location without spaces and try again.

In [201]:

!apt update

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!apt install texlive-xetex texlive-fonts-recommended texlive-generic-rec

```
import re, pathlib, shutil
from google.colab import drive
drive.mount('/content/drive')
Hit:1 http://archive.ubuntu.com/ubuntu bionic InRelease
Hit:2 https://cloud.r-project.org/bin/linux/ubuntu bionic-cran40/ InRel
Hit:3 http://archive.ubuntu.com/ubuntu bionic-updates InRelease
Hit:4 http://archive.ubuntu.com/ubuntu bionic-backports InRelease
Ign:5 https://developer.download.nvidia.com/compute/machine-learning/re
pos/ubuntu1804/x86 64 InRelease
Hit:6 http://security.ubuntu.com/ubuntu bionic-security InRelease
Hit:7 https://developer.download.nvidia.com/compute/cuda/repos/ubuntu18
04/x86 64 InRelease
Hit:8 http://ppa.launchpad.net/c2d4u.team/c2d4u4.0+/ubuntu bionic InRel
ease
Hit:9 https://developer.download.nvidia.com/compute/machine-learning/re
pos/ubuntu1804/x86 64 Release
Hit:10 http://ppa.launchpad.net/cran/libgit2/ubuntu bionic InRelease
Hit:11 http://ppa.launchpad.net/deadsnakes/ppa/ubuntu bionic InRelease
Hit:12 http://ppa.launchpad.net/graphics-drivers/ppa/ubuntu bionic InRe
lease
Reading package lists... Done
Building dependency tree
Reading state information... Done
20 packages can be upgraded. Run 'apt list --upgradable' to see them.
Reading package lists... Done
Building dependency tree
Reading state information... Done
texlive-fonts-recommended is already the newest version (2017.20180305-
texlive-generic-recommended is already the newest version (2017.2018030
5-1).
texlive-xetex is already the newest version (2017.20180305-1).
The following package was automatically installed and is no longer requ
ired:
  libnvidia-common-460
Use 'apt autoremove' to remove it.
0 upgraded, 0 newly installed, 0 to remove and 20 not upgraded.
Drive already mounted at /content/drive; to attempt to forcibly remoun
t, call drive.mount("/content/drive", force_remount=True).
```

```
In [199]: nbpath = pathlib.PosixPath(path_to_file)
!jupyter nbconvert "{nbpath.as_posix()}" --to html --output "{nbpath.ste
    m.replace(" ", "_")}"
```

```
[NbConvertApp] WARNING | pattern '/content/drive/My Drive/ColabNotebook
s/PA1-market-segmentation-solution.ipynb' matched no files
This application is used to convert notebook files (*.ipynb)
        to various other formats.
        WARNING: THE COMMANDLINE INTERFACE MAY CHANGE IN FUTURE RELEASE
s.
Options
======
The options below are convenience aliases to configurable class-option
as listed in the "Equivalent to" description-line of the aliases.
To see all configurable class-options for some <cmd>, use:
    <cmd> --help-all
--debug
    set log level to logging.DEBUG (maximize logging output)
    Equivalent to: [--Application.log_level=10]
--show-config
    Show the application's configuration (human-readable format)
    Equivalent to: [--Application.show_config=True]
--show-config-json
    Show the application's configuration (json format)
   Equivalent to: [--Application.show_config_json=True]
--generate-config
    generate default config file
   Equivalent to: [--JupyterApp.generate config=True]
   Answer yes to any questions instead of prompting.
   Equivalent to: [--JupyterApp.answer yes=True]
   Execute the notebook prior to export.
   Equivalent to: [--ExecutePreprocessor.enabled=True]
--allow-errors
    Continue notebook execution even if one of the cells throws an erro
r and include the error message in the cell output (the default behavio
ur is to abort conversion). This flag is only relevant if '--execute' w
as specified, too.
   Equivalent to: [--ExecutePreprocessor.allow errors=True]
--stdin
    read a single notebook file from stdin. Write the resulting noteboo
k with default basename 'notebook.*'
   Equivalent to: [--NbConvertApp.from_stdin=True]
--stdout
   Write notebook output to stdout instead of files.
   Equivalent to: [--NbConvertApp.writer_class=StdoutWriter]
--inplace
   Run nbconvert in place, overwriting the existing notebook (only
            relevant when converting to notebook format)
   Equivalent to: [--NbConvertApp.use output suffix=False --NbConvertA
pp.export format=notebook --FilesWriter.build directory=]
--clear-output
    Clear output of current file and save in place,
            overwriting the existing notebook.
    Equivalent to: [--NbConvertApp.use output suffix=False --NbConvertA
pp.export_format=notebook --FilesWriter.build directory= --ClearOutputP
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```
reprocessor.enabled=True]
--no-prompt
    Exclude input and output prompts from converted document.
    Equivalent to: [--TemplateExporter.exclude input prompt=True --Temp
lateExporter.exclude output prompt=True]
--no-input
    Exclude input cells and output prompts from converted document.
            This mode is ideal for generating code-free reports.
    Equivalent to: [--TemplateExporter.exclude output prompt=True --Tem
plateExporter.exclude input=True]
--log-level=<Enum>
    Set the log level by value or name.
    Choices: any of [0, 10, 20, 30, 40, 50, 'DEBUG', 'INFO', 'WARN', 'E
RROR', 'CRITICAL']
   Default: 30
    Equivalent to: [--Application.log_level]
--config=<Unicode>
    Full path of a config file.
    Default: ''
    Equivalent to: [--JupyterApp.config file]
--to=<Unicode>
    The export format to be used, either one of the built-in formats
            ['asciidoc', 'custom', 'html', 'latex', 'markdown', 'notebo
ok', 'pdf', 'python', 'rst', 'script', 'slides']
            or a dotted object name that represents the import path for
an
            `Exporter` class
    Default: 'html'
   Equivalent to: [--NbConvertApp.export format]
--template=<Unicode>
   Name of the template file to use
   Default: ''
   Equivalent to: [--TemplateExporter.template file]
--writer=<DottedObjectName>
   Writer class used to write the
                                        results of the conversion
   Default: 'FilesWriter'
   Equivalent to: [--NbConvertApp.writer class]
--post=<DottedOrNone>
    PostProcessor class used to write the
                                        results of the conversion
   Default: ''
   Equivalent to: [--NbConvertApp.postprocessor class]
    overwrite base name use for output files.
                can only be used when converting one notebook at a tim
e.
    Default: ''
   Equivalent to: [--NbConvertApp.output base]
--output-dir=<Unicode>
    Directory to write output(s) to. Defaults
                                  to output to the directory of each no
tebook. To recover
                                  previous default behaviour (outputtin
g to the current
                                  working directory) use . as the flag
value.
```

```
Default: ''
   Equivalent to: [--FilesWriter.build directory]
--reveal-prefix=<Unicode>
    The URL prefix for reveal.js (version 3.x).
            This defaults to the reveal CDN, but can be any url pointin
g to a copy
            of reveal.js.
            For speaker notes to work, this must be a relative path to
a local
            copy of reveal.js: e.g., "reveal.js".
            If a relative path is given, it must be a subdirectory of t
he
            current directory (from which the server is run).
            See the usage documentation
            (https://nbconvert.readthedocs.io/en/latest/usage.html#reve
al-js-html-slideshow)
            for more details.
    Default: ''
    Equivalent to: [--SlidesExporter.reveal_url_prefix]
--nbformat=<Enum>
    The nbformat version to write.
            Use this to downgrade notebooks.
   Choices: any of [1, 2, 3, 4]
    Default: 4
   Equivalent to: [--NotebookExporter.nbformat_version]
Examples
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    The simplest way to use nbconvert is
            > jupyter nbconvert mynotebook.ipynb
            which will convert mynotebook.ipynb to the default format
(probably HTML).
            You can specify the export format with `--to`.
            Options include ['asciidoc', 'custom', 'html', 'latex', 'ma
rkdown', 'notebook', 'pdf', 'python', 'rst', 'script', 'slides'].
            > jupyter nbconvert --to latex mynotebook.ipynb
            Both HTML and LaTeX support multiple output templates. LaTe
X includes
            'base', 'article' and 'report'. HTML includes 'basic' and
'full'. You
            can specify the flavor of the format used.
            > jupyter nbconvert --to html --template basic mynotebook.i
pynb
            You can also pipe the output to stdout, rather than a file
            > jupyter nbconvert mynotebook.ipynb --stdout
            PDF is generated via latex
```

> jupyter nbconvert mynotebook.ipynb --to pdf

You can get (and serve) a Reveal.js-powered slideshow

> jupyter nbconvert myslides.ipynb --to slides --post serve

Multiple notebooks can be given at the command line in a co

uple of

different ways:

- > jupyter nbconvert notebook\*.ipynb
- > jupyter nbconvert notebook1.ipynb notebook2.ipynb

or you can specify the notebooks list in a config file, con taining::

c.NbConvertApp.notebooks = ["my\_notebook.ipynb"]

> jupyter nbconvert --config mycfg.py

To see all available configurables, use `--help-all`.