

1 Introduction

2 Mathematical Description

Algorithm 1 k-Means Estimation

Require: k the number of clusters

Require: S a set of samples arranged in $m \times n$ matrix

where m is the number of attributes,

n is the number of samples.

Set means matrix Q such that Q is $m \times k$

Select k columns from S at random and insert them into Q

repeat

 Create Q' s.t. $Q = 0$ and Q' is $m \times k$.

 Create row vector \vec{r} so that \vec{r} is $1 \times k$

for each $\vec{s}_j \in S$, where \vec{s}_j is the j th column of S **do**

 Measure distance w/ the columns in Q

 Identify the smallest distance column, t .

 Add \vec{s}_j to \vec{q}'_t , and insert into Q' at column t

 Increments r_t

end for

 Scale divide: Q' with \vec{r}

$\epsilon = |Q - Q'|$

$Q \leftarrow Q'$

until ϵ is satisfied

Ensure: Q

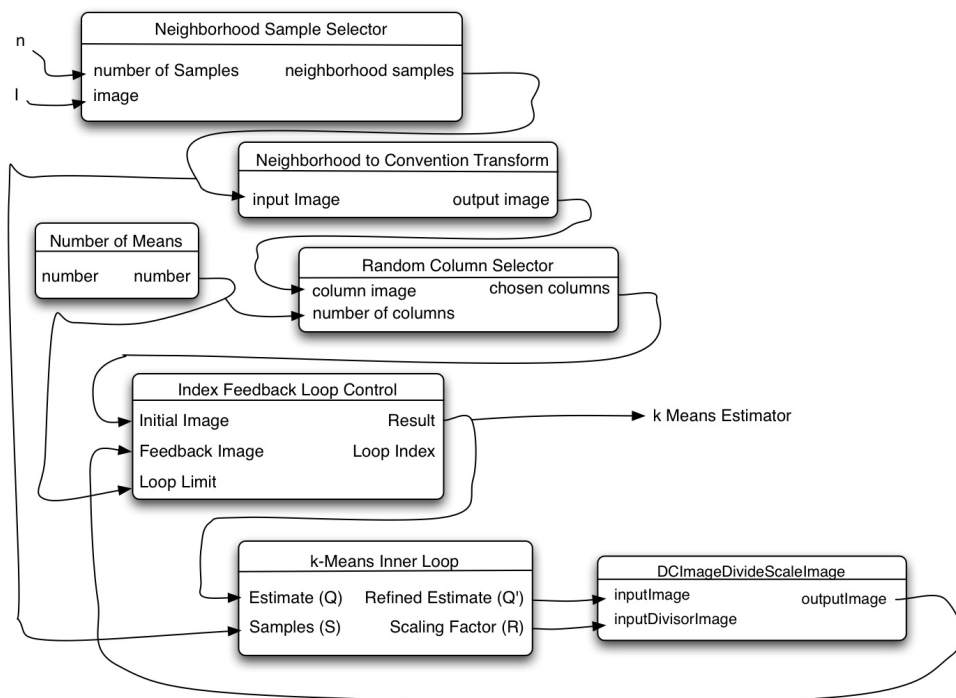


Figure 1: k-Means Outer Loop

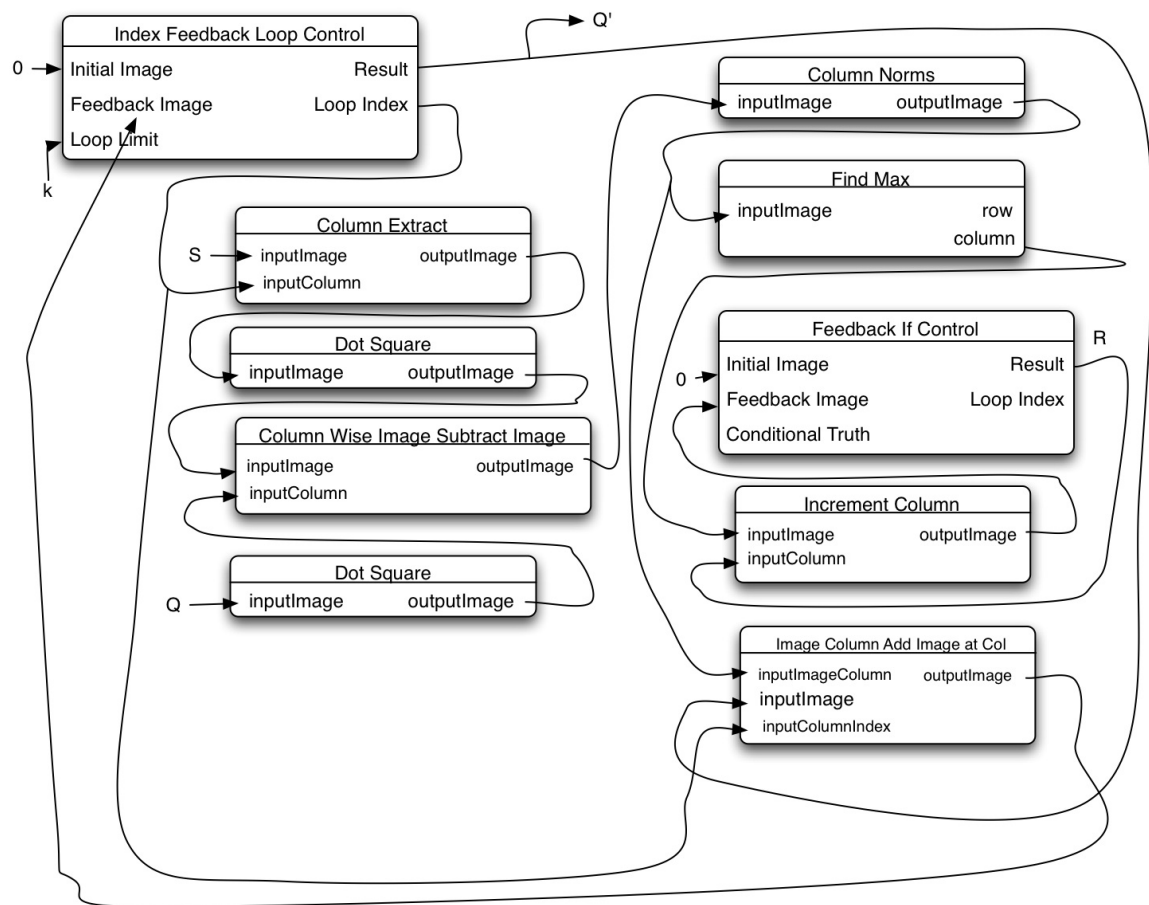


Figure 2: k-Means Inner Loop