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Experiment No. 6
Apply appropriate Unsupervised Learning Technique on the
Wholesale Customers Dataset
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Aim: Apply appropriate Unsupervised Learning Technique on the Wholesale Customers Dataset.

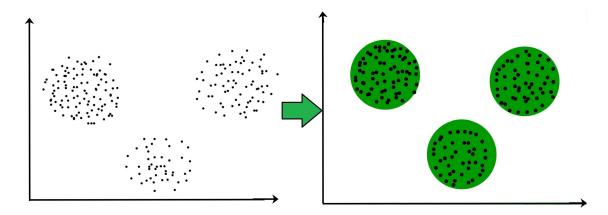
Objective: Able to perform various feature engineering tasks, apply Clustering Algorithm on the given dataset.

Theory:

It is basically a type of unsupervised learning method. An unsupervised learning method is a method in which we draw references from datasets consisting of input data without labeled responses. Generally, it is used as a process to find meaningful structure, explanatory underlying processes, generative features, and groupings inherent in a set of examples.

Clustering is the task of dividing the population or data points into a number of groups such that data points in the same groups are more similar to other data points in the same group and dissimilar to the data points in other groups. It is basically a collection of objects on the basis of similarity and dissimilarity between them.

For ex— The data points in the graph below clustered together can be classified into one single group. We can distinguish the clusters, and we can identify that there are 3 clusters in the below picture.



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Dataset:

This data set refers to clients of a wholesale distributor. It includes the annual spending in

monetary units (m.u.) on diverse product categories. The wholesale distributor operating in

different regions of Portugal has information on annual spending of several items in their stores

across different regions and channels. The dataset consist of 440 large retailers annual spending

on 6 different varieties of product in 3 different regions (lisbon, oporto, other) and across

different sales channel (Hotel, channel)

Detailed overview of dataset

Records in the dataset = 440 ROWS

Columns in the dataset = 8 COLUMNS

FRESH: annual spending (m.u.) on fresh products (Continuous)

MILK:- annual spending (m.u.) on milk products (Continuous)

GROCERY:- annual spending (m.u.) on grocery products (Continuous)

FROZEN:- annual spending (m.u.) on frozen products (Continuous)

DETERGENTS PAPER: annual spending (m.u.) on detergents and paper products

(Continuous)

DELICATESSEN:- annual spending (m.u.) on and delicatessen products (Continuous);

CHANNEL: - sales channel Hotel and Retailer

REGION:- three regions (Lisbon, Oporto, Other)



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CODE AND OUTPUT:

#import libraries

import pandas as pd

import numpy as np

import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

import matplotlib.colors as mcolors

from sklearn.preprocessing import normalize

from scipy.cluster.hierarchy import dendrogram, linkage

from sklearn.cluster import AgglomerativeClustering

%matplotlib inline

data=pd.read csv("Wholesale customers data.csv")

print(data.head())

Channel Region Fresh Milk Grocery Frozen Detergents_Paper Delicassen

0	2	3 12669 9656	7561	214	2674	1338
1	2	3 7057 9810	9568	1762	3293	1776
2	2	3 6353 8808	7684	2405	3516	7844
3	1	3 13265 1196	4221	6404	507	1788
4	2	3 22615 5410	7198	3915	1777	5185

#normalize the data

scaled=normalize(data)

scaled=pd.DataFrame(scaled,columns=data.columns)

print(scaled.head())

Channel Region Fresh Milk Grocery Frozen \

 $0\ 0.000112\ 0.000168\ 0.708333\ 0.539874\ 0.422741\ 0.011965$

1 0.000125 0.000188 0.442198 0.614704 0.599540 0.110409

2 0.000125 0.000187 0.396552 0.549792 0.479632 0.150119

3 0.000065 0.000194 0.856837 0.077254 0.272650 0.413659

4 0.000079 0.000119 0.895416 0.214203 0.284997 0.155010

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0 0.149505 0.074809



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1	0.206342	0.111286

2 0.219467 0.489619

3 0.032749 0.115494

4 0.070358 0.205294

#dendrogram to determine the number of clusters

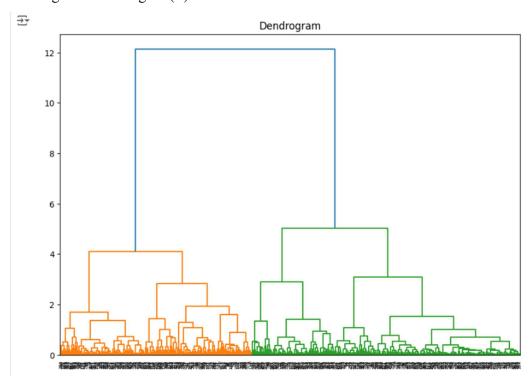
#x axis: samples; y axis: distance between samples

plt.figure(figsize=(10,7))

plt.title("Dendrogram")

Z=linkage(scaled,method='ward')

dendrograms=dendrogram(Z)



#threshold

#from the dendrogram we choose y=6 as the threshold

plt.figure(figsize=(10,7))

plt.title("Dendrogram")

Z=linkage(scaled,method='ward')

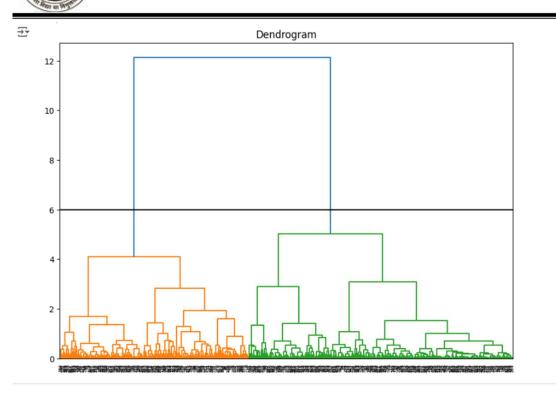
dendrograms=dendrogram(Z)

plt.axhline(y=6,color='black')

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#the line cuts at two points hence we have 2 clusters cluster=AgglomerativeClustering(n_clusters=2,linkage='ward') cluster.fit predict(scaled)

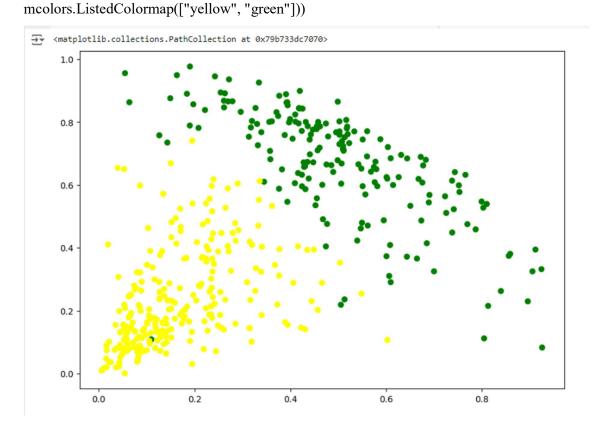
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#visualization

plt.figure(figsize=(10,7))
plt.scatter(scaled['Milk'],scaled['Grocery'],c=cluster.labels_,cmap



import pandas as pd
from sklearn.preprocessing import StandardScaler
from sklearn.cluster import AgglomerativeClustering
from sklearn.metrics import silhouette_score
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import scipy.cluster.hierarchy as sch

Load the dataset

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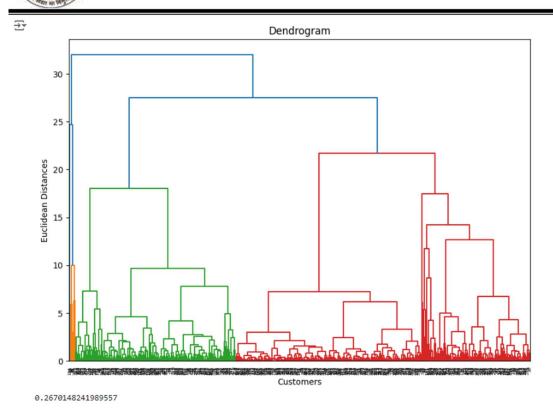
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file path = '/content/Wholesale customers data.csv'
wholesale data = pd.read csv(file path)
# Select the spending columns for clustering
spending data = wholesale data.iloc[:, 2:]
# Normalize the data
scaler = StandardScaler()
spending data normalized = scaler.fit transform(spending data)
# Plot the dendrogram to find the optimal number of clusters
plt.figure(figsize=(10, 7))
dendrogram = sch.dendrogram(sch.linkage(spending data normalized, method='ward'))
plt.title('Dendrogram')
plt.xlabel('Customers')
plt.ylabel('Euclidean Distances')
plt.show()
# Apply Agglomerative Clustering with 4 clusters, remove affinity when linkage is 'ward'
agg clustering = AgglomerativeClustering(n clusters=4, linkage='ward')
cluster labels = agg clustering.fit predict(spending data normalized)
# Calculate the silhouette score to evaluate clustering
silhouette avg = silhouette score(spending data normalized, cluster labels)
# Output the silhouette score
silhouette avg
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Conclusion:

In applying unsupervised learning techniques to the Wholesale Customers Dataset, we focus on clustering to identify natural groupings within the data. After performing feature engineering tasks, such as normalizing numerical features and handling categorical data, we apply a clustering algorithm like K-means. This algorithm partitions the dataset into distinct groups based on the similarity of customer purchasing behaviors. The resulting clusters can reveal insights about different customer segments, such as high-value buyers or those with specific product preferences. Visualizations, like scatter plots and silhouette scores, help assess the quality of the clusters, showing clear separations between groups and confirming that the clustering process effectively captured underlying patterns in the data. Overall, these insights can guide targeted marketing strategies and resource allocation for better business outcomes.