

Homework 08

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This homework is based on the clustering lectures. Check the lecture notes and TA notes - they should help!

```
In [1]: library(tidyverse)
library(dplyr)
```

```
— Attaching core tidyverse packages — tidyverse 2.0.0 —
✓ dplyr      1.1.2      ✓ readr      2.1.4
✓ forcats    1.0.0      ✓ stringr    1.5.0
✓ ggplot2    3.4.2      ✓ tibble     3.2.1
✓ lubridate  1.9.2      ✓ tidyr      1.3.0
✓ purrr      1.0.1

— Conflicts — tidyverse_conflicts() —
✗ dplyr::filter() masks stats::filter()
✗ dplyr::lag()     masks stats::lag()
i Use the conflicted package (<http://conflicted.r-lib.org/>) to force all conflicts to become errors
```

Question 1

This question will walk you through creating your own `kmeans` function.

a) What are the steps of `kmeans` ?

Hint: There are 4 steps/builder functions that you'll need.

The 4 steps are:

1. Randomly assign all points to one of your clusters.
2. Compute each cluster's centroid or mean.
3. Reassign each point's class/label based on proximity to the closest cluster center.
4. Recalculate the center of each cluster.

b) Create the builder function for step 1.

```
In [2]: label_randomly <- function(n_points, n_clusters) {
  sample(((1:n_points) %% n_clusters)+1, n_points, replace = F)
}
```

c) Create the builder function for step 2.

```
In [3]: get_cluster_means <- function(data, labels) {
  data %>%
    mutate(label__ = labels) %>%
    group_by(label__) %>%
    summarize(across(everything(), mean), .groups = "drop") %>%
    arrange(label__)
}
```

d) Create the builder function for step 3.

Hint: There are two ways to do this part - one is significantly more efficient than the other. You can do either.

```
In [4]: assign_to_near_cluster <- function(data, means) {

  data_mtx <- as.matrix(data)
  means_mtx <- as.matrix(means %>% dplyr::select(-label__))

  dii <- sort(rep(1:nrow(data), nrow(means)))
  mii <- rep(1:nrow(means), nrow(data))

  diff_squared <- rowSums((data_mtx[dii, ] - means_mtx[mii, ])^2)

  df <- data.frame(
    dii = dii,
    mii = mii,
    distance = diff_squared
  )
  closest <- df %>%
    group_by(dii) %>%
    slice_min(distance, n=1) %>%
    ungroup() %>%
    arrange(dii)

  means$label__[closest$mii]
}
```

e) Create the builder function for step 4.

```
In [5]: kmeans_done <- function(old_means, new_means, eps = 1e-6) {
  om <- as.matrix(old_means)
  nm <- as.matrix(new_means)
  diff <- sqrt(rowSums((om-nm)^2))
  if (mean(diff) < eps) TRUE else FALSE
}
```

f) Combine them all into your own `kmeans` function.

```
In [6]: collinskmeans <- function(data, n_clusters, eps=1e-6, max_it = 1000, verbose = FALSE) {
  data <- data[, sapply(data, is.numeric)]

  labels <- label_randomly(nrow(data), n_clusters)
```

```

old_means <- get_cluster_means(data, labels)
done <- FALSE
it <- 0
while(!done & it < max_it){
  labels <- assign_to_near_cluster(data, old_means)
  new_means <- get_cluster_means(data, labels)
  if(kmeans_done(old_means, new_means)){
    done <- TRUE
  } else {
    old_means <- new_means
    it <- it + 1
    if(verbose){
      cat(sprintf("%d\n", it))
    }
  }
}
list(labels=labels, means = new_means)
}

```

Question 2

This is when we'll test your `kmeans` function.

a) Read in the `voltages_df.csv` data set.

```
In [7]: voltages_df <- read.csv("voltages_df.csv")
```

b) Call your `kmeans` function with 3 clusters. Print the results with `results$labels` and `results$means`.

```
In [8]: results <- collinskmeans(voltages_df, n_clusters = 3)
print(results$labels)
print(results$means)
```

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# A tibble: 3 × 251
  label__ X0 X1.00401606425703 X2.00803212851406 X3.01204819277108
    <dbl> <dbl>          <dbl>          <dbl>          <dbl>
1      1 -1.03          0.938          0.762          0.363
2      2 -1.03          1.31           1.16           0.979
3      3 -1.03          1.24           1.09           0.900
# i 246 more variables: X4.01606425702811 <dbl>, X5.02008032128514 <dbl>,
# X6.02409638554217 <dbl>, X7.0281124497992 <dbl>, X8.03212851405623 <dbl>,
# X9.03614457831325 <dbl>, X10.0401606425703 <dbl>, X11.0441767068273 <dbl>,
# X12.0481927710843 <dbl>, X13.0522088353414 <dbl>, X14.0562248995984 <dbl>,
# X15.0602409638554 <dbl>, X16.0642570281125 <dbl>, X17.0682730923695 <dbl>,
# X18.0722891566265 <dbl>, X19.0763052208835 <dbl>, X20.0803212851406 <dbl>,
# X21.0843373493976 <dbl>, X22.0883534136546 <dbl>, ...

```

c) Call R's `kmeans` function with 3 clusters. Print the results with `results$labels` and `results$cluster`.

Hint: Use the `as.matrix()` function to make the `voltages_df` data frame a matrix before calling `kmeans()`.

```

In [9]: voltages_mat <- as.matrix(voltages_df)
        results2 <- kmeans(voltages_mat, centers = 3)

        print(results2$centers)
        print(results2$cluster)

```

	X0	X1.00401606425703	X2.00803212851406	X3.01204819277108
1	-1.031463	1.123724	0.9618318	0.6709520
2	-1.031463	1.245873	1.0950402	0.9049394
3	-1.031463	1.243124	1.0913149	0.8984242
	X4.01606425702811	X5.02008032128514	X6.02409638554217	X7.0281124497992
1	-0.2348958	-1.109877	-1.048146	-0.964286
2	0.3511373	-1.160528	-1.110436	-1.069043
3	0.2787287	-1.159348	-1.109533	-1.068326
	X8.03212851405623	X9.03614457831325	X10.0401606425703	X11.0441767068273
1	-0.8417775	-0.7449379	-0.5477344	-0.07723852
2	-1.0343093	-1.0027217	-0.9705836	-0.93519388
3	-1.0336653	-1.0020231	-0.9697003	-0.93399945
	X12.0481927710843	X13.0522088353414	X14.0562248995984	X15.0602409638554
1	0.03795671	0.1033652	-0.1775692	-0.2028226
2	-0.89548682	-0.8522194	-0.8079892	-0.7671976
3	-0.89385445	-0.8500225	-0.8051168	-0.7636351
	X16.0642570281125	X17.0682730923695	X18.0722891566265	X19.0763052208835
1	-0.4467330	-0.9255488	-0.9929924	-0.9628079
2	-0.7356490	-0.7184454	-0.7161193	-0.7231093
3	-0.7317237	-0.7153140	-0.7152378	-0.7228370
	X20.0803212851406	X21.0843373493976	X22.0883534136546	X23.0923694779116
1	-0.9256890	-0.8930918	-0.8629138	-0.8302993
2	-0.7319168	-0.7408835	-0.7486848	-0.7545907
3	-0.7327732	-0.7425159	-0.7508725	-0.7572732
	X24.0963855421687	X25.1004016064257	X26.1044176706827	X27.1084337349398
1	-0.7820849	-0.6223898	-0.1490071	0.04858315
2	-0.7583186	-0.7599498	-0.7599961	-0.75928422
3	-0.7614730	-0.7635672	-0.7640633	-0.76375787
	X28.1124497991968	X29.1164658634538	X30.1204819277108	X31.1244979919679
1	-0.02904835	-0.4780363	-0.4865584	-0.1165327
2	-0.75846696	-0.7572927	-0.7541178	-0.7460515
3	-0.76325735	-0.7622897	-0.7592482	-0.7513164
	X32.1285140562249	X33.1325301204819	X34.136546184739	X35.140562248996
1	-0.06235668	-0.3217896	-0.8803266	-0.9704336
2	-0.72955517	-0.7008369	-0.6544317	-0.4872291
3	-0.73501097	-0.7064079	-0.6525963	-0.4932954
	X36.144578313253	X37.1485943775101	X38.1526104417671	X39.1566265060241
1	-0.92626689	-0.8770299	-0.8301983	-0.78933660
2	0.03396238	0.4863937	0.5379486	-0.05735043
3	-0.03390026	0.3772924	0.4406407	-0.09479697
	X40.1606425702811	X41.1646586345382	X42.1686746987952	X43.1726907630522
1	-0.7606095	-0.7481990	-0.7556403	-0.7739032
2	-0.6683566	-0.9242637	-0.9502679	-0.8532296
3	-0.6518143	-0.9039474	-0.8765867	-0.6841762
	X44.1767068273092	X45.1807228915663	X46.1847389558233	X47.1887550200803
1	-0.7946469	-0.8108161	-0.8220337	-0.8279381
2	-0.7315426	-0.5476880	-0.1892358	0.4063077
3	-0.5540286	-0.3958403	-0.2032288	0.2905789
	X48.1927710843374	X49.1967871485944	X50.2008032128514	X51.2048192771084
1	-0.8293054	-0.8270369	-0.8214857	-0.8128255
2	0.5753620	0.2704433	-0.5260020	-0.9128389
3	0.4022096	0.0966771	-0.6131835	-0.9277620
	X52.2088353413655	X53.2128514056225	X54.2168674698795	X55.2208835341365
1	-0.8019307	-0.7861022	-0.7897399	-0.8075403
2	-1.0353220	-1.0004920	-0.9676514	-0.9380902
3	-1.0058768	-0.9725550	-0.9449534	-0.9199306

	X56.2248995983936	X57.2289156626506	X58.2329317269076	X59.2369477911647
1	-0.8329051	-0.8449075	-0.8448539	-0.8358612
2	-0.9064350	-0.8678828	-0.8188867	-0.7571809
3	-0.8917708	-0.8556405	-0.8079256	-0.7417183
	X60.2409638554217	X61.2449799196787	X62.2489959839357	X63.2530120481928
1	-0.8199875	-0.7975540	-0.7676344	-0.7102217
2	-0.6675043	-0.5059115	-0.1764873	-0.2226683
3	-0.6360597	-0.4537170	-0.2111698	-0.3013674
	X64.2570281124498	X65.2610441767068	X66.2650602409639	X67.2690763052209
1	-0.4358938	-0.1944941	-0.2300542	-0.6559918
2	-0.5325646	-0.9009078	-0.9146840	-0.9222848
3	-0.6126171	-0.8768442	-0.9023664	-0.9119603
	X68.2730923694779	X69.2771084337349	X70.281124497992	X71.285140562249
1	-0.9393542	-0.9373604	-0.9126939	-0.8838885
2	-0.9197294	-0.9031742	-0.8688966	-0.8124386
3	-0.9109706	-0.8956255	-0.8623018	-0.8067408
	X72.289156626506	X73.2931726907631	X74.2971887550201	X75.3012048192771
1	-0.8499500	-0.8091960	-0.7576007	-0.6716407
2	-0.7219536	-0.3487917	0.5214857	0.8316355
3	-0.7192026	-0.4035692	0.5145391	0.8511776
	X76.3052208835341	X77.3092369477912	X78.3132530120482	X79.3172690763052
1	-0.5862742	-0.5737616	-0.6442067	-0.7211829
2	0.5961856	-0.5660317	-1.0475440	-1.0762565
3	0.6353941	-0.6097231	-1.0689986	-1.0706910
	X80.3212851405623	X81.3253012048193	X82.3293172690763	X83.3333333333333
1	-0.7694646	-0.8233452	-0.8529900	-0.8690791
2	-1.0350857	-0.9951377	-0.9528293	-0.9068395
3	-1.0358469	-0.9955586	-0.9528177	-0.9062428
	X84.3373493975904	X85.3413654618474	X86.3453815261044	X87.3493975903614
1	-0.8711851	-0.8570312	-0.8241347	-0.7632620
2	-0.8591647	-0.8156777	-0.7852523	-0.7744626
3	-0.8577832	-0.8133310	-0.7819655	-0.7706523
	X88.3534136546185	X89.3574297188755	X90.3614457831325	X91.3654618473896
1	-0.4049884	0.1162786	0.06886896	-0.02812817
2	-0.7795446	-0.7892668	-0.79436018	-0.78991460
3	-0.7758953	-0.7862636	-0.79216160	-0.78859823
	X92.3694779116466	X93.3734939759036	X94.3775100401606	X95.3815261044177
1	-0.7480799	-0.9334328	-0.8894283	-0.8410618
2	-0.7744671	-0.7493130	-0.7184589	-0.6890976
3	-0.7741497	-0.7501763	-0.7206870	-0.6922182
	X96.3855421686747	X97.3895582329317	X98.3935742971888	X99.3975903614458
1	-0.7833918	-0.6996491	-0.6694463	-0.7252025
2	-0.6720140	-0.6749246	-0.6831933	-0.6861569
3	-0.6575499	-0.6494302	-0.6611775	-0.6967990
	X100.401606425703	X101.40562248996	X102.409638554217	X103.413654618474
1	-0.8093694	-0.8269012	-0.7987492	-0.7618758
2	-0.6817801	-0.6685226	-0.6452757	-0.5987415
3	-0.6936421	-0.6788217	-0.6538224	-0.5813017
	X104.417670682731	X105.421686746988	X106.425702811245	X107.429718875502
1	-0.7163622	-0.5956578	-0.3465539	-0.2467079
2	-0.4646349	-0.3949862	-0.3405025	-0.4965818
3	-0.5072216	-0.3964226	-0.4295125	-0.4777784
	X108.433734939759	X109.437751004016	X110.441767068273	X111.44578313253
1	-0.3514577	-0.6685083	-0.8390651	-0.9067344
2	-0.5930333	-0.7187057	-0.7293524	-0.7452987
3	-0.6076351	-0.6631021	-0.6881479	-0.7115661

	X112.449799196787	X113.453815261044	X114.457831325301	X115.461847389558
1	-0.9126229	-0.8833304	-0.8529353	-0.8289895
2	-0.7674323	-0.7912740	-0.8116082	-0.8232703
3	-0.7546820	-0.7939389	-0.8135252	-0.8244461
	X116.465863453815	X117.469879518072	X118.473895582329	X119.477911646586
1	-0.8157271	-0.8113318	-0.8079955	-0.7987436
2	-0.8219775	-0.8049175	-0.7710062	-0.7211318
3	-0.8224748	-0.8048333	-0.7704493	-0.7201484
	X120.481927710843	X121.4859437751	X122.489959839357	X123.493975903614
1	-0.7779420	-0.7176081	-0.5344082	-0.3767216
2	-0.6574683	-0.4904609	-0.4055303	-0.4741740
3	-0.6498545	-0.4705406	-0.4093369	-0.5208741
	X124.497991967871	X125.502008032129	X126.506024096386	X127.510040160643
1	-0.4080326	-0.6672944	-0.8173464	-0.8236658
2	-0.7558321	-0.8434514	-0.8569072	-0.8590319
3	-0.7687459	-0.8391254	-0.8537355	-0.8567804
	X128.5140562249	X129.518072289157	X130.522088353414	X131.526104417671
1	-0.7974207	-0.7818738	-0.7918563	-0.8268653
2	-0.8481258	-0.8244672	-0.7910987	-0.7552432
3	-0.8466009	-0.8234991	-0.7905217	-0.7548637
	X132.530120481928	X133.534136546185	X134.538152610442	X135.542168674699
1	-0.8468949	-0.8514986	-0.8468881	-0.8369852
2	-0.7300144	-0.7300478	-0.7529338	-0.7847499
3	-0.7296652	-0.7298068	-0.7529217	-0.7849602
	X136.546184738956	X137.550200803213	X138.55421686747	X139.558232931727
1	-0.8251047	-0.8162507	-0.8148012	-0.8207585
2	-0.8162638	-0.8420555	-0.8589168	-0.8649668
3	-0.8166912	-0.8427551	-0.8599653	-0.8664522
	X140.562248995984	X141.566265060241	X142.570281124498	X143.574297188755
1	-0.8297649	-0.8368127	-0.8381727	-0.8314668
2	-0.8592897	-0.8418901	-0.8138737	-0.7778305
3	-0.8613136	-0.8445748	-0.8173783	-0.7824310
	X144.578313253012	X145.582329317269	X146.586345381526	X147.590361445783
1	-0.8153693	-0.7891712	-0.7513773	-0.6514404
2	-0.7351959	-0.6920751	-0.6830996	-0.7065387
3	-0.7448509	-0.7133705	-0.6932970	-0.7056653
	X148.59437751004	X149.598393574297	X150.602409638554	X151.606425702811
1	-0.3711292	-0.2622727	-0.4114979	-0.8144104
2	-0.7431810	-0.7690228	-0.7927978	-0.8115780
3	-0.7311370	-0.7656347	-0.7891893	-0.8076282
	X152.610441767068	X153.614457831325	X154.618473895582	X155.622489959839
1	-0.8938624	-0.8809273	-0.8639022	-0.8423110
2	-0.8233287	-0.8263045	-0.8185101	-0.7970554
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d) Are your labels/clusters the same? If not, why? Are your means the same?

The labels/clusters are not the same. This is normal because the the labels/clusters for each point are randomized initially in Step 1 every time I call my collinskmeans function, unless you set a seed. R's version of kmeans also does this, and without a set seed, this will lead to a different first iteration each time the function is called, meaning they won't align.

The means, are close but not identical (-1.03 vs -1.031463), meaning that the rounding is probably different between collinskmeans and R's kmeans.

Question 3

a) Explain the process of using a for loop to assign clusters for kmeans.

When using for loops to assign clusters for kmeans, we are calculating the distance from each individual point (i) to the center of each of the clusters (j). The point is assigned to the cluster of whichever centroid is closest in distance, which is relatively slow.

b) Explain the process of vectorizing the code to assign clusters for kmeans.

Instead of running a calculation for each data point, vectorization creates matrices that are able to compare all point-cluster pairs at once. By subtracting the matrices directly, the distances can all be calculated in a single operation, which is a faster approach to assigning clusters for all points.

c) State which (for loops or vectorizing) is more efficient and why.

Vectorizing is faster and more efficient. For loops require distances to be calculated between each individual point and each cluster center, which is slow for large datasets. Vectorizing, on the other hand, calculates all point-cluster distances at once, allowing faster and more efficient cluster assignment.

Question 4

When does `kmeans` fail? What assumption does `kmeans` use that causes it to fail in this situation?

Kmeans fails when clusters are not uniform in size or shape, such as the scikit-learn clustering module from the lecture notes.. The assumption that causes it to fail is the assumption that we have vectorial data which is uniformly sized and shaped.

Question 5

What assumption do Gaussian mixture models make?

Gaussian Mixture Models (GMMs) assume that data is drawn from N Gaussian distributions whose individual parameters are estimated from the data. This allows us to handle clusters of different sizes and shapes more easily.

Question 6

What assumption does spectral clustering make? Why does this help us?

Spectral clustering assumes that the two points are more likely to be in the same cluster if they are closer to each other. This helps us reducing all the assumptions we make about data into a single principle. Also, this assumption is based on the existence of vector space, which is much stronger and applicable than the assumption that multidimensional scaling makes on the existence of a metric in the data.

Question 7

Define the gap statistic method. What do we use it for?

The gap statistic method involves comparing the clustering for each value of K to a cluster of data "randomized" into the same domain as the original data. Then, we compute the dispersion of the two clustering and look at the difference. We use this to identify the "knee", which is our cluster number.