# Knowledge Integration in Deep Clustering Supplementary material

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#### **Proofs** 1

#### Propositions for B formulation

**Definition** In our main paper, we give the definitions of  $\beta$  and **B** as follows:

For each point i, we will define the formulas  $\beta_{i1}, ..., \beta_{ik}$ , such that  $\beta_{ij}$  interpreted to  $\top$  means that the point i is assigned to cluster j. Let **B** be a set of logical variables  $\{B_{ij}: i \in [1,n], j \in [1,k]\}$ . The formula  $\beta_{ij}$  is defined as follows:

$$\beta_{ij} \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} B_{ij} \wedge \bigwedge_{t \in [1, j-1]} \neg B_{it} \quad \text{for all } j \in [1, k-1],$$

$$\beta_{ik} \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \bigwedge_{t \in [1, k-1]} \neg B_{it}$$

$$(1)$$

We define, as follows, the weight  $w_B$  for the variables:

$$w_B(B_{ij}) = \begin{cases} \frac{S_{ij}}{1 - \sum_{t \in [1, j-1]} S_{it}} & \text{if } \sum_{t \in [1, j-1]} S_{it} < 1\\ 1 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$
 (2)

**Theorem 1.** For any expert constraint c, we have  $WMC(c, w_B) = Score(c, S)$ .

**Proof.** From definition of weighted mode count, we have:

 $WMC(c, w_B) = \sum_{\mathbf{p} \in \mathbb{P}_c} WMC(\mathbf{p}, w_B) = \sum_{p \in \mathbb{P}_c} WMC(\wedge_{i \in [1, n]} \beta_{ip_i})$ With the definition given in (1), we can observe that for  $i \neq i'$ , the formulas  $\beta_{ip_i}$  and  $\beta_{i'p_{i'}}$  do not share any common variables. Using axiom 6 in [1], we have  $WMC(\wedge_{i\in[1,n]}\beta_{ip_i}) = \prod_{i\in[1,n]} WMC(\beta_{ip_i})$ .

According to Lemma 2, we have  $WMC(\beta_{ipi}, w_B) = S_{ip_i}$ . Therefore  $WMC(c, w_B) = \sum_{p \in \mathbb{P}_c} \prod_{i \in [1, n]} S_{ip_i} =$ Score(c, S).

**Theorem 2.** The clustering condition is always satisfied with any instantiation of **B**.

**Proof.** The clustering condition states that all points must be assigned to at most one cluster and all points must be assigned to at least one cluster. The proofs are the same for all points i. Therefore, for sake of simplicity we remove the index i. This leads to the definitions as follow.

Let **B** be a set of logical variables  $\{B_j : j \in [1, k]\}$ . The formula  $\beta_j$  is defined as follows:

$$\beta_{j} \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} B_{j} \wedge \bigwedge_{t \in [1, j-1]} \neg B_{t} \quad \text{for all } j \in [1, k-1],$$

$$\beta_{k} \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \bigwedge_{t \in [1, k-1]} \neg B_{t}$$

$$(3)$$

If we call s the row  $S_i$  (corresponding to i) in the matrix S, the weight  $w_B$  is corresponding to:

$$w_B(B_j) = \begin{cases} \frac{s_j}{1 - \sum_{t \in [1, j-1]} s_t} & \text{if } \sum_{t \in [1, j-1]} s_t < 1\\ 1 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$
 (4)

Under the simplified definition, any point must be assigned to at most one cluster is proven in Lemma 3, and any point must be assigned to at least one cluster is proven in Lemma 4.

#### 1.2 Lemmas and proofs

**Lemma 1.** For all  $j \in [1..k]$ , there exists an assignment **b** for each  $B_l$  such that  $\mathbf{b} \models \beta_j$ .

**Proof.** For j = 1,  $\beta_1 \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} B_1$ . Let **b** be such that  $B_1 = true$ . We have  $\mathbf{b} \models \beta_1$ .

For  $2 \le j \le k-1$ ,  $\beta_j \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} B_j \wedge \bigwedge_{l < j} \neg B_l$ . Let **b** be such that  $B_j = true$  and  $B_l = false$  for all l < j. We have  $\mathbf{b} \models \beta_j$ .

For j = k,  $\beta_j \stackrel{\text{def}}{=} \bigwedge_{l < k} \neg B_l$ . Let  $\mathbf{b} = \{ \neg B_l : 1 \le l \le k - 1 \}$ . We have  $\mathbf{b} \models \beta_k$ 

**Lemma 2.** The weighted model counting of  $\beta_j$  is equal to  $s_j$ .

$$\sum_{\mathbf{b} \models \beta_j} \prod_{B \in \mathbf{b}} w_B(B) \prod_{\neg B \in \mathbf{b}} (1 - w_B(B)) = s_j \tag{5}$$

**Proof.** We consider two cases:  $j \in [1, k-1]$  and j = k. For  $j \in [1, k-1]$ , we denote  $\mathbf{b_{prefix}} = \{b_p : p \in [1, j]\}$  and  $\mathbf{b_{postfix}} = \{b_p : p \in [j+1, k-1]\}$ .

$$\begin{split} &\sum_{\mathbf{b}\models\beta_{j}}\prod_{B\in\mathbf{b}}w_{B}(B)\prod_{\neg B\in\mathbf{b}}(1-w_{B}(B))\\ &=\sum_{\mathbf{b}_{\mathsf{preflx}}\models\beta_{j}}\left[\prod_{B\in\mathbf{b}_{\mathsf{preflx}}}w_{B}(B)\prod_{\neg B\in\mathbf{b}_{\mathsf{preflx}}}(1-w_{B}(B))\sum_{\mathbf{b}_{\mathsf{postflx}}\models\beta_{j}}\prod_{B\in\mathbf{b}_{\mathsf{postflx}}}w_{B}(B)\prod_{\neg B\in\mathbf{b}_{\mathsf{preflx}}}(1-w_{B}(B))\right]\\ &=\sum_{\mathbf{b}_{\mathsf{preflx}}\models\beta_{j}}\left[\prod_{B\in\mathbf{b}_{\mathsf{preflx}}}w_{B}(B)\prod_{\neg B\in\mathbf{b}_{\mathsf{preflx}}}(1-w_{B}(B))\sum_{\mathbf{b}_{\mathsf{postflx}}\models\top}\prod_{B\in\mathbf{b}_{\mathsf{postflx}}}w_{B}(B)\prod_{\neg B\in\mathbf{b}_{\mathsf{postflx}}}(1-w_{B}(B))\right]\\ &(\text{because no variables of }\mathbf{b}_{\mathsf{postflx}})\prod_{g\in\mathbf{b}_{\mathsf{preflx}}}(1-w_{B}(B))\times 1\\ &=\sum_{\mathbf{b}_{\mathsf{preflx}}\models\beta_{j}}\left[\prod_{B\in\mathbf{b}_{\mathsf{preflx}}}w_{B}(B)\prod_{\neg B\in\mathbf{b}_{\mathsf{preflx}}}(1-w_{B}(B))\times 1\right]\\ &(\text{because }WMC(\top)=1)\\ &=\sum_{\mathbf{b}_{\mathsf{preflx}}=\{(\{\neg B:l\in[1,j-1]\},B_{j}\})}\left[\prod_{B\in\mathbf{b}_{\mathsf{preflx}}}w_{B}(B)\prod_{\neg B\in\mathbf{b}_{\mathsf{preflx}}}(1-w_{B}(B))\right]\\ &=w_{B}(B_{j})\prod_{l\in[1,j-1]}(1-w_{B}(B_{l}))\\ &=\frac{s_{j}}{1-\sum_{l\in[1,j-1]}s_{l}}\prod_{l\in[1,j-1]}\left(1-\frac{s_{l}}{1-\sum_{l\in[1,l-1]}s_{l}}\right)\\ &=\frac{s_{j}}{1-\sum_{l\in[1,j-1]}s_{l}}\times(1-s_{l})\times\frac{1-s_{1}-s_{2}}{1-s_{1}}\times\ldots\times\frac{1-\sum_{l\in[1,j-1]}s_{l}}{1-\sum_{l\in[1,j-2]}s_{l}}\\ &=s_{j}\end{aligned}$$

For j = k,

$$\sum_{\mathbf{b} \models \beta_k} \prod_{B \in \mathbf{b}} w_B(B) \prod_{\neg B \in \mathbf{b}} (1 - w_B(B))$$

$$= \prod_{j \in [1, k-1]} (1 - w_B(B_j))$$

$$= \prod_{j \in [1, k-1]} \left( 1 - \frac{s_j}{1 - \sum_{t \in [1, j-1]} s_t} \right)$$

$$= (1 - s_1) \times \frac{1 - s_1 - s_2}{1 - s_1} \times \dots \times \frac{1 - \sum_{t \in [1, k-1]} s_t}{1 - \sum_{t \in [1, k-2]} s_t}$$

$$= 1 - \sum_{t \in [1, k-1]} s_t$$

$$= s_k$$
(7)

**Lemma 3.** A point is assigned to at most one cluster. That means that for all  $i, j \in [1, k], i \neq j$  we have:

$$\neg \beta_i \lor \neg \beta_j \equiv \top \tag{8}$$

**Proof.** Without loss of generality, we assume i < j. We consider two cases: when j < k and when j = k. Case 1: i < j < k, we have  $\neg \beta_i \lor \neg \beta_j$ 

Case 2: i < jandj = k, we have  $\neg \beta_i \lor \neg \beta_k$ 

$$\neg \beta_i \lor \neg \beta_k \equiv \qquad \neg (\land_{t \in [1,i-1]} \neg B_t \land B_i) \lor \neg (\land_{t \in [1,k-1]} \neg B_t) \\
\equiv \qquad \lor_{t \in [1,i-1]} B_t \lor \neg B_i \lor t_{t \in [1,k-1]} B_t \\
\equiv \qquad \lor_{t \in [1,i-1]} B_t \lor \neg B_i \lor B_i \lor_{t \in [i+1,k-1]} B_t \\
\equiv \qquad \qquad \top$$

**Lemma 4.** A point must be assigned to at least one cluster, that means:

$$\vee_{i \in [1,k]} \beta_i \equiv \top \tag{9}$$

**Proof.** We have:

$$\forall_{i \in [1,k]} \beta_i \equiv \qquad \qquad \forall_{i \in [1,k-1]} (\land_{t \in [1,i-1]} \neg B_t \land B_i) \lor (\land_{t \in [1,k-1]} \neg B_t)$$

$$\equiv \qquad \qquad (B_1 \lor (\neg B_1 \land B_2)) \lor_{i \in [3,k-1]} (\land_{t \in [1,i-1]} \neg B_t \land B_i) \lor (\land_{t \in [1,k-1]} \neg B_t)$$

$$\equiv \qquad \qquad (B_1 \lor B_2) \lor_{i \in [3,k-1]} (\land_{t \in [1,i-1]} \neg B_t \land B_i) \lor (\land_{t \in [1,k-1]} \neg B_t)$$

$$\equiv \qquad \qquad (B_1 \lor B_2 \lor \ldots \lor B_{k-1}) \lor (\land_{t \in [1,k-1]} \neg B_t)$$

$$\equiv \qquad \qquad (\lor_{t \in [1,k-1]} B_t) \lor \neg (\lor_{t \in [1,k-1]} B_t)$$

$$\equiv \qquad \qquad (\lor_{t \in [1,k-1]} B_t) \lor \neg (\lor_{t \in [1,k-1]} B_t)$$

### 2 Experiment results

#### 2.1 Performance of SDAE+Kmeans

In Table 1, 2, and 3, we use the same set of hyperparamters.

In SDAE, IDEC, DCC and IDEC-LK, we use the same neural architecture for the autoencoder. The encoder network is a fully connected multilayer perceptron with dimensions d-500-500-2000-10 for all datasets, where d is the dimension of input data. The decoder network is a mirror of the encoder. All the internal layers are activated by the ReLU [2] function.

The number of epochs for training each layer is 300. The number of epochs for training the whole autoencoder is 500. The optimizer is Stochastic Gradient Descent (SGD) with a momentum of 0.9. The initial learning rate is 0.1 and decreases by one-tenth every 100th epoch. In all the training, the ratio of corruption is 0.2, meaning that 20% of inputs are set to 0.

Table 1: Raw training results on MNIST with SDAE + Kmeans

| Data  | Run     | NMI               | ACC                 |
|-------|---------|-------------------|---------------------|
| MNIST | 0       | 0.7653            | 0.8270              |
| MNIST | 1       | 0.7652            | 0.8290              |
| MNIST |         | -0.7554           | 0.8141              |
| MNIST | 3       | 0.7597            | 0.8173              |
| MNIST | 4       |                   | 0.8198              |
| MNIST | Average | $0.7614\pm0.0037$ | $0.8214 \pm 0.0057$ |

Table 2: Raw training results on Fashion with SDAE + Kmeans

| Data    | Run     | NMI                 | ACC  |
|---------|---------|---------------------|--|
| Fashion | 0       | 0.5842              | 0.5170   |
| Fashion | 1       | 0.5723              | 0.5089   |
| Fashion |         | 0.5688              | $\begin{bmatrix} \bar{0}.\bar{4}9\bar{7}\bar{9} \end{bmatrix}$ |
| Fashion | 3       | 0.5885              | 0.5312   |
| Fashion | 4       | 0.5899              | $\overline{0.5224}$  |
| Fashion | Average | $0.5807 \pm 0.0086$ | $0.5155 \pm 0.0114$  |

Table 3: Raw training results on Reuters with SDAE + Kmeans

| Data    | Run     | NMI                 | ACC                 |
|---------|---------|---------------------|---------------------|
| Reuters | 0       | 0.5484              | 0.7371              |
| Reuters | 1       | 0.5222              | 0.7162              |
| Reuters | 2       | $[-0.52\bar{2}9]$   | $[ \bar{0.7138} ]$  |
| Reuters | 3       | 0.5171              | 0.7626              |
| Reuters | 4       | 0.4473              | $\bar{0.6612}$      |
| Reuters | Average | $0.5116 \pm 0.0339$ | $0.7182 \pm 0.0335$ |

#### 2.2 Performance of IDEC

The optimizer is Adam with the learning rate of 0.001 [3]. The maximum number of epochs is 200 but it can stop before if the change of cluster assignment compared to the last epoch is less than 0.1%.

In Table 4, we report IDEC results (with five trials as well) using the same pretrained model computed by SDAE. Compared to SDAE+Kmeans, IDEC improved significantly on the MNIST dataset and has modest or no improvement on other datasets.

#### 2.3 Performance of SDAE+Kmeans, IDEC and SCAN on CIFAR10

We report the performances of SDAE+Kmeans, IDEC and SCAN with CIFAR10 datset in Table 5.

Table 4: SDAE+IDEC performance on MNIST, Fashion and Reuters

| Data    | Model     | NMI                 | ACC                 |
|---------|-----------|---------------------|---------------------|
| MNIST   | SDAE+IDEC | $0.8668 \pm 0.0005$ | $0.8814 \pm 0.0011$ |
| Fashion | SDAE+IDEC | $0.5966 \pm 0.0027$ | $0.5183 \pm 0.0033$ |
| Reuters | SDAE+IDEC | $0.5309 \pm 0.0015$ | $0.7121 \pm 0.0010$ |
| CIFAR10 | SDAE+IDEC | $0.1174 \pm 0.0005$ | $0.2403 \pm 0.0013$ |

Table 5: SDAE+IDEC performance on CIFAR10

| Model       | NMI                 | ACC                 |
|-------------|---------------------|---------------------|
| SDAE+Kmeans | $0.1220 \pm 0.0021$ | $0.2459 \pm 0.0041$ |
| SDAE+IDEC   | $0.1174 \pm 0.0005$ | $0.2403 \pm 0.0013$ |
| SCAN        | 68.30               | 79.39               |

### 2.4 Constrained Clustering Results

Pairwise constraints In Table 6, we report Normalized Mutual Information (NMI), Accuracy (ACC), comparison to IDEC (vsIDEC), number of unsatisfied constraints and time running (in seconds). For each dataset and one specific number of constraints, we generate five random sets of constraints (we called them test cases). Then, we run each method once for each test case to measure the average and standard deviation of the metrics mentioned above. In the vsIDEC column, the first number is the p-value of the KS test [4] testing if the NMI of IDEC is similar to the compared method, the second number is the comparison with accuracy. We highlight in bold color when the average value of the constrained clustering method is better than IDEC value.

Table 7 shows how differs each run of IDEC-LK with the same test case (i.e. the same set of constraints). The difference between runs of the same test case is less than the difference between different test cases (different sets of constraints). Overall, IDEC-LK shows a relatively small change between each run.

Table 6: Comparison on clustering quality between the baselines and our IDEC-LK with pairwise constraints. Green and blue number are for the best and second-best values, respectively.

| Data    | Models     | NMI                 | ACC                 | Time (s)          |
|---------|------------|---------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| MNIST   | DCC        | $0.8691 \pm 0.0008$ | $0.8819 \pm 0.0011$ | $277\pm23$        |
| MNIST   | MPCK-means | $0.7296 \pm 0.0330$ | $0.7464 \pm 0.0399$ | $56.83 \pm 4.66$  |
| MNIST   | PCK-means  | $0.7241 \pm 0.0389$ | $0.7315 \pm 0.0825$ | $36.99 \pm 10.05$ |
| MNIST   | IDEC-LK    | $0.8672 \pm 0.0011$ | $0.8805 \pm 0.0005$ | $239 \pm 3$       |
| MNIST   | DCC        | $0.8682 \pm 0.0011$ | $0.8817 \pm 0.0017$ | $288 \pm 8$       |
| MNIST   | MPCK-means | $0.7154 \pm 0.0198$ | $0.7356 \pm 0.0313$ | $58.53 \pm 1.37$  |
| MNIST   | PCK-means  | $0.7477 \pm 0.0199$ | $0.7743 \pm 0.0509$ | $44.31 \pm 15.60$ |
| MNIST   | IDEC-LK    | $0.8672 \pm 0.0012$ | $0.8814 \pm 0.0011$ | $263 \pm 9$       |
| MNIST   | DCC        | $0.8692 \pm 0.0012$ | $0.8818 \pm 0.0013$ | $273 \pm 21$      |
| MNIST   | MPCK-means | $0.7442 \pm 0.0310$ | $0.8013 \pm 0.0528$ | $60.26 \pm 0.37$  |
| MNIST   | PCK-means  | $0.7333 \pm 0.0261$ | $0.7248 \pm 0.0482$ | $28.74 \pm 7.66$  |
| MNIST   | IDEC-LK    | $0.8683 \pm 0.0015$ | $0.8823 \pm 0.0009$ | $309 \pm 19$      |
| MNIST   | DCC        | $0.8689 \pm 0.0008$ | $0.8815 \pm 0.0007$ | $277 \pm 9$       |
| MNIST   | MPCK-means | $0.7589 \pm 0.0171$ | $0.7788 \pm 0.0413$ | $211 \pm 3$       |
| MNIST   | PCK-means  | $0.7463 \pm 0.0228$ | $0.7698 \pm 0.0543$ | $32.97 \pm 15.90$ |
| MNIST   | IDEC-LK    | $0.8680 \pm 0.0017$ | $0.8826 \pm 0.0012$ | $388 \pm 27$      |
| Fashion | DCC        | $0.5955 \pm 0.0018$ | $0.5222 \pm 0.0082$ | $191 \pm 58$      |
| Fashion | MPCK-means | $0.5736 \pm 0.0201$ | $0.5210 \pm 0.0335$ | $59.73 \pm 0.42$  |
| Fashion | PCK-means  | $0.5700 \pm 0.0212$ | $0.5177 \pm 0.0287$ | $36.78 \pm 6.84$  |
| Fashion | IDEC-LK    | $0.5956 \pm 0.0015$ | $0.5174 \pm 0.0030$ | $239 \pm 6$       |
| Fashion | DCC        | $0.5945 \pm 0.0032$ | $0.5183 \pm 0.0037$ | $176 \pm 45$      |
| Fashion | MPCK-means | $0.5747\pm0.0124$   | $0.5122 \pm 0.0403$ | $60.12 \pm 1.34$  |
| Fashion | PCK-means  | $0.5756 \pm 0.0110$ | $0.5228 \pm 0.0067$ | $38.59 \pm 11.26$ |
| Fashion | IDEC-LK    | $0.5976 \pm 0.0013$ | $0.5210 \pm 0.0030$ | $270 \pm 23$      |
| Fashion | DCC        | $0.5993 \pm 0.0045$ | $0.5216 \pm 0.0068$ | $159 \pm 17$      |
| Fashion | MPCK-means | $0.5698 \pm 0.0177$ | $0.5451 \pm 0.0394$ | $59.12 \pm 1.01$  |
| Fashion | PCK-means  | $0.5756\pm0.0120$   | $0.5231 \pm 0.0052$ | $56.82 \pm 27.42$ |
| Fashion | IDEC-LK    | $0.5986 \pm 0.0010$ | $0.5211 \pm 0.0036$ | $301 \pm 5$       |
| Fashion | DCC        | $0.6000 \pm 0.0019$ | $0.5241 \pm 0.0039$ | $140 \pm 16$      |
| Fashion | MPCK-means | $0.5749 \pm 0.0138$ | $0.5312 \pm 0.0292$ | $205 \pm 4$       |
| Fashion | PCK-means  | $0.5714\pm0.0212$   | $0.5314 \pm 0.0293$ | $37.02 \pm 13.19$ |
| Fashion | IDEC-LK    | $0.6009 \pm 0.0019$ | $0.5230 \pm 0.0034$ | $358 \pm 17$      |
| Reuters | DCC        | $0.5371 \pm 0.0069$ | $0.7162 \pm 0.0062$ | $4.05 \pm 0.94$   |
| Reuters | MPCK-means | $0.4824 \pm 0.0431$ | $0.7065 \pm 0.0329$ | $53.03 \pm 0.61$  |
| Reuters | PCK-means  | $0.5015\pm0.0288$   | $0.7055 \pm 0.0284$ | $10.64 \pm 2.80$  |
| Reuters | IDEC-LK    | $0.5330 \pm 0.0035$ | $0.7128 \pm 0.0024$ | $5.45 \pm 1.08$   |
| Reuters | DCC        | $0.5450\pm0.0050$   | $0.7248 \pm 0.0039$ | $2.90 \pm 0.55$   |
| Reuters | MPCK-means | $0.5086\pm0.0357$   | $0.6943 \pm 0.0744$ | $53.27 \pm 0.62$  |
| Reuters | PCK-means  | $0.5224 \pm 0.0218$ | $0.7557 \pm 0.0425$ | $14.82 \pm 5.72$  |
| Reuters | IDEC-LK    | $0.5337 \pm 0.0049$ | $0.7133 \pm 0.0028$ | $7.33 \pm 2.23$   |
| Reuters | DCC        | $0.5552 \pm 0.0037$ | $0.7319 \pm 0.0026$ | $3.33 \pm 0.44$   |
| Reuters | MPCK-means | $0.5154\pm0.0350$   | $0.7483 \pm 0.0374$ | $52.45 \pm 0.25$  |
| Reuters | PCK-means  | $0.5056\pm0.0347$   | $0.7152 \pm 0.0240$ | $14.68 \pm 5.60$  |
| Reuters | IDEC-LK    | $0.5628 \pm 0.0055$ | $0.7321 \pm 0.0047$ | $10.27 \pm 2.91$  |
| Reuters | DCC        | $0.5655\pm0.0086$   | $0.7477 \pm 0.0030$ | $3.46 \pm 0.41$   |
| Reuters | MPCK-means | $0.5262\pm0.0330$   | $0.7251 \pm 0.0412$ | $167 \pm 2$       |
| Reuters | PCK-means  | $0.5174 \pm 0.0288$ | $0.7343 \pm 0.0377$ | $14.80 \pm 2.34$  |
| Reuters | IDEC-LK    | $0.5927 \pm 0.0105$ | $0.7563 \pm 0.0079$ | $27.52 \pm 9.88$  |

Table 7: Stability of pairwise IDEC-LK for five different runs each test case

| Data    | N    | Models  | NMI                 | ACC                 | vsIDEC    | $\# \mathrm{Unsat}$ | Time (s)         |
|---------|------|---------|---------------------|---------------------|-----------|---------------------|------------------|
| MNIST   | 1000 | IDEC-LK | $0.8671 \pm 0.0009$ | $0.8824 \pm 0.0008$ | 0.87 0.36 | $0 \pm 0$           | $396 \pm 20$     |
| Fashion | 1000 | IDEC-LK | $0.6013 \pm 0.0008$ | $0.5273 \pm 0.0011$ | 0.08 0.01 | $0.6000 \pm 0.4899$ | $362 \pm 5$      |
| Reuters | 1000 | IDEC-LK | $0.5870 \pm 0.0024$ | $0.7519 \pm 0.0020$ | 0.01 0.01 | $0\pm0$             | $27.25 \pm 3.76$ |

**Triplet constraints** The performances with triplet constraints are reported similar to those of pairwise constraints in Table 8.

| Table 8: | Comparison on | triplet | constraints | with | DCC | and IDEC-LK |
|----------|---------------|---------|-------------|------|-----|-------------|
|          |               |         |             |      |     |             |

| Data    | N    | Models  | NMI                 | ACC                 | vsIDEC           | $\# \mathrm{Unsat}$ | Time (s)          |
|---------|------|---------|---------------------|---------------------|------------------|---------------------|-------------------|
| MNIST   | 10   | DCC     | $0.8662 \pm 0.0003$ | $0.8805 \pm 0.0004$ | 0.08 0.87        | $0\pm0$             | $133 \pm 6$       |
| MNIST   | 10   | IDEC-LK | $0.8665 \pm 0.0012$ | $0.8800 \pm 0.0006$ | $0.36 \ 0.36$    | $0\pm0$             | $253 \pm 3$       |
| MNIST   | 100  | DCC     | $0.8659 \pm 0.0002$ | $0.8805 \pm 0.0011$ | 0.01 0.87        | $0\pm0$             | $127 \pm 5$       |
| MNIST   | 100  | IDEC-LK | $0.8666 \pm 0.0016$ | $0.8812 \pm 0.0011$ | $0.87 \ 1.00$    | $0\pm0$             | $436 \pm 2$       |
| MNIST   | 500  | DCC     | $0.8669 \pm 0.0005$ | $0.8817 \pm 0.0016$ | 0.87 1.00        | $1.80 \pm 0.75$     | $151 \pm 11$      |
| MNIST   | 500  | IDEC-LK | $0.8685 \pm 0.0010$ | $0.8815 \pm 0.0008$ | $0.01 \ 0.87$    | $0\pm0$             | $1263 \pm 2$      |
| MNIST   | 1000 | DCC     | $0.8692 \pm 0.0006$ | $0.8855 \pm 0.0015$ | 0.01 0.08        | $2.40 \pm 1.36$     | $191 \pm 21$      |
| MNIST   | 1000 | IDEC-LK | $0.8682 \pm 0.0013$ | $0.8812 \pm 0.0011$ | <b>0.08</b> 1.00 | $0\pm0$             | $2398 \pm 74$     |
| Fashion | 10   | DCC     | $0.5934 \pm 0.0008$ | $0.5119 \pm 0.0032$ | 0.08 0.08        | $0\pm0$             | $98.69 \pm 8.97$  |
| Fashion | 10   | IDEC-LK | $0.5965\pm0.0020$   | $0.5194 \pm 0.0040$ | 1.00 <b>0.87</b> | $0\pm0$             | $266 \pm 5$       |
| Fashion | 100  | DCC     | $0.5927 \pm 0.0013$ | $0.5111 \pm 0.0026$ | 0.08 0.08        | $1.80 \pm 1.33$     | $90.90 \pm 7.01$  |
| Fashion | 100  | IDEC-LK | $0.5969 \pm 0.0014$ | $0.5175 \pm 0.0021$ | <b>1.00</b> 0.87 | $0.2000 \pm 0.4000$ | $456 \pm 3$       |
| Fashion | 500  | DCC     | $0.5989 \pm 0.0020$ | $0.5219 \pm 0.0067$ | $0.36 \ 0.36$    | $8.80 \pm 2.32$     | $141 \pm 26$      |
| Fashion | 500  | IDEC-LK | $0.5992 \pm 0.0015$ | $0.5228 \pm 0.0022$ | $0.08 \ 0.36$    | $1.20 \pm 1.17$     | $1312 \pm 1$      |
| Fashion | 1000 | DCC     | $0.6009 \pm 0.0042$ | $0.5370 \pm 0.0048$ | $0.36 \ 0.01$    | $15.20 \pm 4.40$    | $270 \pm 38$      |
| Fashion | 1000 | IDEC-LK | $0.6003 \pm 0.0013$ | $0.5283 \pm 0.0065$ | $0.08 \ 0.08$    | $4.60 \pm 3.38$     | $2413 \pm 9$      |
| Reuters | 10   | DCC     | $0.4687 \pm 0.0094$ | $0.4590 \pm 0.0165$ | 0.01 0.01        | $0\pm0$             | $4.52 \pm 0.58$   |
| Reuters | 10   | IDEC-LK | $0.5337 \pm 0.0034$ | $0.7143 \pm 0.0028$ | $0.08 \ 0.36$    | $0\pm0$             | $6.31 \pm 1.26$   |
| Reuters | 100  | DCC     | $0.4839 \pm 0.0091$ | $0.4698 \pm 0.0066$ | 0.01 0.01        | $0\pm0$             | $4.62 \pm 0.55$   |
| Reuters | 100  | IDEC-LK | $0.5306 \pm 0.0043$ | $0.7118 \pm 0.0040$ | $0.87 \ 0.87$    | $0\pm0$             | $15.12 \pm 3.90$  |
| Reuters | 500  | DCC     | $0.4829 \pm 0.0087$ | $0.4791 \pm 0.0062$ | 0.01 0.01        | $0.8000 \pm 0.7483$ | $5.71 \pm 0.74$   |
| Reuters | 500  | IDEC-LK | $0.5278 \pm 0.0069$ | $0.7099 \pm 0.0051$ | $0.87 \ 0.36$    | $0\pm0$             | $43.06 \pm 15.99$ |
| Reuters | 1000 | DCC     | $0.4936 \pm 0.0145$ | $0.4922 \pm 0.0211$ | 0.01 0.01        | $0.6000 \pm 0.4899$ | $10.80 \pm 1.70$  |
| Reuters | 1000 | IDEC-LK | $0.5359 \pm 0.0075$ | $0.7142\pm0.0074$   | 0.36 0.36        | $0.2000 \pm 0.4000$ | $102 \pm 29$      |

## 3 Sensitivity experiments for hyper-parameters

The impact of  $\lambda_e$  on the final partition has been measured using IDEC-LK with the Fashion and Reuters dataset. The test scenario has 5 cases, each with 1,000 randomly selected pairwise constraints. For each test scenario,  $\lambda_e$  is tested with 0.01, 0.1, 1.0 values.

In all cases, when  $\lambda_e$  increases, the average value of WMC and the number of satisfied constraints increase.

For the clustering performance, in the Fashion dataset, the NMI and Accuracy are relatively unchanged. In contrast, the NMI and Accuracy of IDEC-LK achieve the best values when  $\lambda_e = 0.1$  for the Reuters dataset.

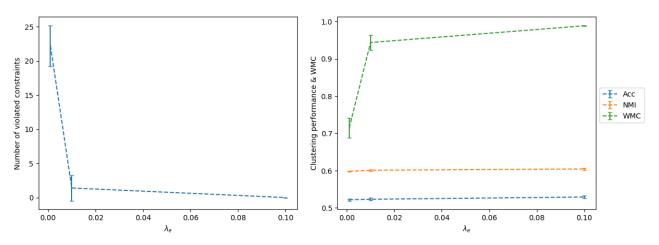


Figure 1: Effect of  $\lambda_e$  on clustering performance (NMI, Acc) and constraint satisfaction (WMC, #violated constraints) with IDEC-LK for Fashion dataset

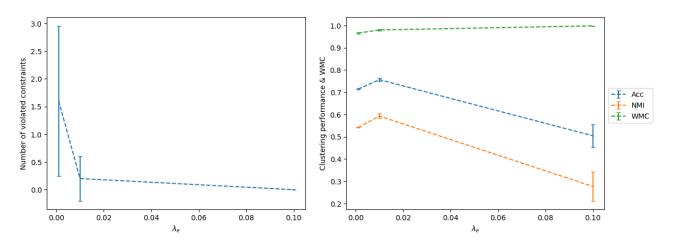


Figure 2: Sensitivity analysis of the  $\lambda_e$  hyperparameter with IDEC-LK for Reuters dataset

**Implication constraints** Before computing the loss, we need to compile and optimize the SDD structure of each constraint. It is the main bottleneck for learning with more complex knowledge. Table 9 shows the average SDD size and compliation time of our formulation with MNIST and Reuters dataset.

Table 9: Average SDD sizes and compilation times of a Horn clause

| Data    | Length | SDD size            | Time (s)          |
|---------|--------|---------------------|-------------------|
| MNIST   | 4      | $415.92 \pm 169.54$ | $0.502 \pm 0.327$ |
| Reuters | 10     | $272.40 \pm 79.43$  | $0.131 \pm 0.056$ |

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