# 1. Unsupervised Learning

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In [15]: %matplotlib inline
   import scipy
   import numpy as np
   import itertools
   import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
   import random
```

## 1. Generating the data

First, we will generate some data for this problem. Set the number of points N=400, their dimension D=2, and the number of clusters K=2, and generate data from the distribution  $p(x|z=k)=\mathcal{N}(\mu_k,\Sigma_k)$ . Sample 200 data points for k=1 and 200 for k=2, with

$$\mu_1 = \begin{bmatrix} 0.1 \\ 0.1 \end{bmatrix} \;, \mu_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 6.0 \\ 0.1 \end{bmatrix} \;\; ext{and} \;\; \Sigma_1 = \Sigma_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 10 & 7 \\ 7 & 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

Here, N=400. Since you generated the data, you already know which sample comes from which class. Run the cell in the IPython notebook to generate the data.

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In [17]: # TODO: Run this cell to generate the data
    num_samples = 400
    cov = np.array([[1., .7], [.7, 1.]]) * 10
    mean_1 = [.1, .1]
    mean_2 = [6., .1]

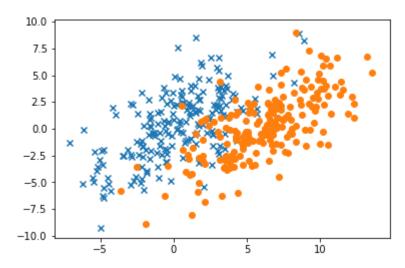
x_class1 = np.random.multivariate_normal(mean_1, cov, num_samples // 2)
    x_class2 = np.random.multivariate_normal(mean_2, cov, num_samples // 2)
    xy_class1 = np.column_stack((x_class1, np.zeros(num_samples // 2)))
    xy_class2 = np.column_stack((x_class2, np.ones(num_samples // 2)))
    data_full = np.row_stack([xy_class1, xy_class2])
    np.random.shuffle(data_full)
    data = data_full[:, :2]
    labels = data_full[:, 2]
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Make a scatter plot of the data points showing the true cluster assignment of each point using different color codes and shape (x for first class and circles for second class):

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In [18]: # TODO: Make a scatterplot for the data points showing the true cluster assign
    ments of each point
    # plt.plot(...) # first class, x shape
    # plt.plot(...) # second class, circle shape

plt.scatter(x_class1[:,0], x_class1[:,1], marker="x")
    plt.scatter(x_class2[:,0], x_class2[:,1])
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Out[18]: <matplotlib.collections.PathCollection at 0x1eb7a3db6c8>



## 2. Implement and Run K-Means algorithm

Now, we assume that the true class labels are not known. Implement the k-means algorithm for this problem. Write two functions: km\_assignment\_step, and km\_refitting\_step as given in the lecture (Here, km\_means k-means). Identify the correct arguments, and the order to run them. Initialize the algorithm with

$$\hat{\mu}_1 = egin{bmatrix} 0.0 \ 0.0 \end{bmatrix} \,, \hat{\mu}_2 = egin{bmatrix} 1.0 \ 1.0 \end{bmatrix}$$

and run it until convergence. Show the resulting cluster assignments on a scatter plot either using different color codes or shape or both. Also plot the cost vs. the number of iterations. Report your misclassification error.

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In [19]: def cost(data, R, Mu):
    N, D = data.shape
    K = Mu.shape[1]
    J = 0
    for k in range(K):
        J += np.dot(np.linalg.norm(data - np.array([Mu[:, k], ] * N), axis=1)*
    *2, R[:, k])
    return J
```

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In [20]: # TODO: K-Means Assignment Step
          def km assignment step(data, Mu):
              """ Compute K-Means assignment step
              Args:
                  data: a NxD matrix for the data points
                  Mu: a DxK matrix for the cluster means locations
              Returns:
                 R_new: a NxK matrix of responsibilities
              # Fill this in:
              N, D = data.shape # Number of datapoints and dimension of datapoint
              K = Mu.shape[1] # number of clusters
              r = np.zeros((N, K))
              for k in range(K):
                  \# r[:, k] = ...
                  r[:, k] = np.linalg.norm(data - np.array([Mu[:, k], ] * N), axis=1)**2
              # arg min = ... # argmax/argmin along dimension 1
              \# axis = 1 \rightarrow by rows
              arg min = np.argmin(r, axis = 1)
              # R new = ... # Set to zeros/ones with shape (N, K)
              # R_new[..., ...] = 1 # Assign to 1
              R \text{ new} = np.zeros((N,K))
              R_new[np.array(range(N)), arg_min] = 1
              return R new
In [21]: # TODO: K-means Refitting Step
          def km_refitting_step(data, R, Mu):
              """ Compute K-Means refitting step.
              Args:
                  data: a NxD matrix for the data points
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In [21]: # TODO: K-means Refitting Step
def km_refitting_step(data, R, Mu):
    """ Compute K-Means refitting step.

Args:
    data: a NxD matrix for the data points
    R: a NxK matrix of responsibilities
    Mu: a DxK matrix for the cluster means locations

Returns:
    Mu_new: a DxK matrix for the new cluster means locations
"""
N, D = data.shape # Number of datapoints and dimension of datapoint
K = Mu.shape[1] # number of clusters

# axis = 0 will fix the column
Mu_new = np.dot(data.T, R)/np.sum(R, axis = 0)
return Mu_new
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In [22]: # TODO: Run this cell to call the K-means algorithm
         N, D = data.shape
         K = 2
         max iter = 100
         class_init = np.random.binomial(1., .5, size=N)
         R = np.vstack([class_init, 1 - class_init]).T
         Mu = np.zeros([D, K])
         Mu[:, 1] = 1.
         R.T.dot(data), np.sum(R, axis=0)
         # Empty list to store cost values across 100 iterations
         cost_list = []
         for it in range(max_iter):
             R = km_assignment_step(data, Mu)
             Mu = km_refitting_step(data, R, Mu)
             cost_list.append(cost(data, R, Mu))
             print(it, cost(data, R, Mu))
         class 1 = np.where(R[:, 0])
         class_2 = np.where(R[:, 1])
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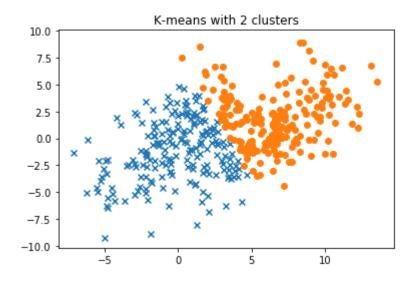
### K-means Plot

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In [23]: # TODO: Make a scatterplot for the data points showing the K-Means cluster ass
    ignments of each point
    # plt.plot(...) # first class, x shape
    # plt.plot(...) # second class, circle shape

class_1_val = data[class_1]
    class_2_val = data[class_2]

plt.scatter(class_1_val[:,0], class_1_val[:,1], marker="x")
    plt.scatter(class_2_val[:,0], class_2_val[:,1])
    plt.title("K-means with 2 clusters")
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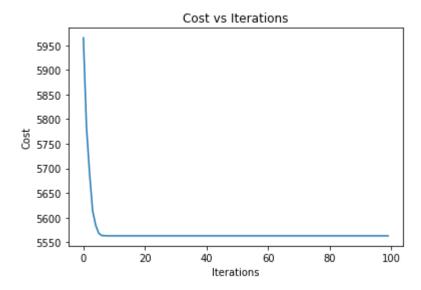
Out[23]: Text(0.5, 1.0, 'K-means with 2 clusters')



#### Cost vs Iteration Plot - K means

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In [24]: plt.plot(range(max_iter), cost_list)
    plt.xlabel("Iterations")
    plt.ylabel("Cost")
    plt.title("Cost vs Iterations")
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Out[24]: Text(0.5, 1.0, 'Cost vs Iterations')



#### Misclassification Error - K means

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In [25]: misclass_1 = sum(data_full[class_1][:,2])
    misclass_2 = sum(data_full[class_2][:,2] == 0)
    mis_error = (misclass_1 + misclass_2)/400
    mis_error
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Out[25]: 0.2325

## 3. Implement EM algorithm for Gaussian mixtures

Next, implement the EM algorithm for Gaussian mixtures. Write three functions: <code>log\_likelihood</code> , <code>gm\_e\_step</code> , and <code>gm\_m\_step</code> as given in the lecture. Identify the correct arguments, and the order to run them. Initialize the algorithm with means as in Qs 2.1 k-means initialization, covariances with  $\hat{\Sigma}_1 = \hat{\Sigma}_2 = I$ , and  $\hat{\pi}_1 = \hat{\pi}_2$ .

In addition to the update equations in the lecture, for the M (Maximization) step, you also need to use this following equation to update the covariance  $\Sigma_k$ :

$$\hat{oldsymbol{\Sigma}_k} = rac{1}{N_k} \sum_{n=1}^N r_k^{(n)} (\mathbf{x}^{(n)} - \hat{\mu_k}) (\mathbf{x}^{(n)} - \hat{\mu_k})^ op$$

Run the algorithm until convergence and show the resulting cluster assignments on a scatter plot either using different color codes or shape or both. Also plot the log-likelihood vs. the number of iterations. Report your misclassification error.

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In [26]: def normal density(x, mu, Sigma):
             return np.exp(-.5 * np.dot(x - mu, np.linalg.solve(Sigma, x - mu))) \
                 / np.sqrt(np.linalg.det(2 * np.pi * Sigma))
In [27]:
         def log likelihood(data, Mu, Sigma, Pi):
              """ Compute log likelihood on the data given the Gaussian Mixture Paramete
         rs.
             Args:
                 data: a NxD matrix for the data points
                 Mu: a DxK matrix for the means of the K Gaussian Mixtures
                 Sigma: a list of size K with each element being DxD covariance matrix
                 Pi: a vector of size K for the mixing coefficients
             Returns:
                 L: a scalar denoting the log likelihood of the data given the Gaussian
         Mixture
             # Fill this in:
             \# N, D = data.shape \# Number of datapoints and dimension of datapoint
             # K = Mu.shape[1] # number of mixtures
             L, T = 0., 0.
             for n in range(N):
                 for k in range(K):
                     # T += ... # Compute the likelihood from the k-th Gaussian weighte
         d by the mixing coefficients
                     T += Pi[k]*normal_density(data[n,], Mu[:,k], Sigma[k])
                 L += np.log(T)
             return L
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In [28]: # TODO: Gaussian Mixture Expectation Step
         def gm_e_step(data, Mu, Sigma, Pi):
              """ Gaussian Mixture Expectation Step.
             Args:
                 data: a NxD matrix for the data points
                 Mu: a DxK matrix for the means of the K Gaussian Mixtures
                 Sigma: a list of size K with each element being DxD covariance matrix
                 Pi: a vector of size K for the mixing coefficients
             Returns:
                 Gamma: a NxK matrix of responsibilities
             # Fill this in:
             N, D = data.shape # Number of datapoints and dimension of datapoint
             K = Mu.shape[1] # number of mixtures
             Gamma = np.zeros((N,K)) # zeros of shape (N,K), matrix of responsibilities
             for n in range(N):
                 for k in range(K):
                     # Gamma[n, k] = \ldots
                     Gamma[n, k] = Pi[k]*normal density(data[n,], Mu[:,k], Sigma[k])
                 # Gamma[n, :] /= ... # Normalize by sum across second dimension (mixtu
         res)
                 Gamma[n, :] /= np.sum(Gamma[n, :], axis = 0)
             return Gamma
```

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In [29]: # TODO: Gaussian Mixture Maximization Step
         def gm_m_step(data, Gamma):
              """ Gaussian Mixture Maximization Step.
             Args:
                 data: a NxD matrix for the data points
                 Gamma: a NxK matrix of responsibilities
             Returns:
                 Mu: a DxK matrix for the means of the K Gaussian Mixtures
                 Sigma: a list of size K with each element being DxD covariance matrix
                 Pi: a vector of size K for the mixing coefficients
             # Fill this in:
             N, D = data.shape # Number of datapoints and dimension of datapoint
             K = Gamma.shape[1] # number of mixtures
             # Nk = ... # Sum along first axis
             Nk = np.sum(Gamma, axis = 0)
             # Mu = ...
             Mu = np.dot(data.T, Gamma)/Nk
             Sigma = [0]*K
             for k in range(K):
                 # ...
                 Mk = Mu[:,k]
                 xmu = (data - Mk).T*np.sqrt(Gamma[:,k])
                 Sigma[k] = np.dot(xmu, xmu.T)/Nk[k]
                 # Sigma[k] = ...
             # Pi = ...
             Pi = Nk/N
             return Mu, Sigma, Pi
```

```
In [30]: # TODO: Run this cell to call the Gaussian Mixture EM algorithm
         N, D = data.shape
         K = 2
         Mu = np.zeros([D, K])
         Mu[:, 1] = 1.
         Sigma = [np.eye(2), np.eye(2)]
         Pi = np.ones(K) / K
         Gamma = np.zeros([N, K]) # Gamma is the matrix of responsibilities
         max iter = 200
         log_val = []
         for it in range(max iter):
             Gamma = gm e step(data, Mu, Sigma, Pi)
             Mu, Sigma, Pi = gm m step(data, Gamma)
             log val.append(log likelihood(data, Mu, Sigma, Pi))
             # print(it, log likelihood(data, Mu, Sigma, Pi)) # This function makes the
         computation longer, but good for debugging
         class 1 = np.where(Gamma[:, \emptyset] >= .5)
          class 2 = np.where(Gamma[:, 1] >= .5)
```

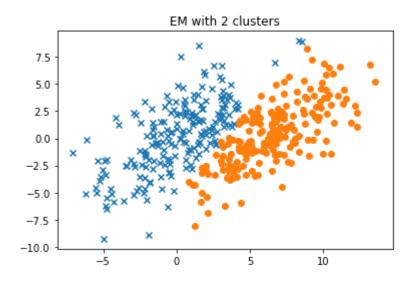
### **EM** algorithm Plot

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In [31]: # TODO: Make a scatterplot for the data points showing the Gaussian Mixture cl
    uster assignments of each point
    # plt.plot(...) # first class, x shape
    # plt.plot(...) # second class, circle shape

class_1_val_EM = data[class_1]
    class_2_val_EM = data[class_2]

plt.scatter(class_1_val_EM[:,0], class_1_val_EM[:,1], marker="x")
    plt.scatter(class_2_val_EM[:,0], class_2_val_EM[:,1])
    plt.title("EM with 2 clusters")
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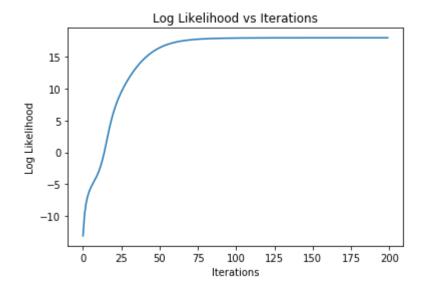
Out[31]: Text(0.5, 1.0, 'EM with 2 clusters')



### Log likelihood vs Iterations - EM

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In [32]: plt.plot(range(max_iter), log_val)
    plt.xlabel("Iterations")
    plt.ylabel("Log Likelihood")
    plt.title("Log Likelihood vs Iterations")
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Out[32]: Text(0.5, 1.0, 'Log Likelihood vs Iterations')
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#### **Misclassification Error - EM**

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In [33]: misclass_1_EM = sum(data_full[class_1][:,2])
    misclass_2_EM = sum(data_full[class_2][:,2] == 0)
    mis_error_EM = (misclass_1_EM + misclass_2_EM)/400
    mis_error_EM
Out[33]: 0.11
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# 4. Comment on findings + additional experiments

Comment on the results:

- Compare the performance of k-Means and EM based on the resulting cluster assignments.
- Compare the performance of k-Means and EM based on their convergence rate. What is the bottleneck for which method?
- Experiment with 5 different data realizations (generate new data), run your algorithms, and summarize your findings. Does the algorithm performance depend on different realizations of data?

Comparing the resulting cluster assignments to the labelled cluster assignment (from part 1), we can see that EM algorithm's cluster comes to very close proximity of what we want. K-Means algorithm clusters the points diagonally from left to right, but EM clusters the points diagonally from right to left.

Looking at the cost vs iterations for K-means and log likelihood vs iterations for EM, it looks like K-means algorithm converges around after ~5 iterations. This is very fast and probable given the size of data. But EM algorithm converges around after ~25 iterations. There is quite a noticeable difference in convergence rate between K-means and EM

The bottleneck between the two methods is the covariance matrix. In K-means we kept the covariance matrix constant, whereas EM constantly updates the covariance matrix. We have more parameters to converge for the algorithm to converge in the case of EM.

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In [34]:
         # Generate 5 New data here
         x class1 1 = np.random.multivariate normal(mean 1, cov, num samples // 2)
         x class2 1 = np.random.multivariate normal(mean 2, cov, num samples // 2)
         xy class1 1 = np.column stack((x class1 1, np.zeros(num samples // 2)))
         xy_class2_1 = np.column_stack((x_class2_1, np.ones(num_samples // 2)))
         data_full_1 = np.row_stack([xy_class1_1, xy_class2_1])
         np.random.shuffle(data full 1)
         data 1 = data full 1[:, :2]
         labels = data_full_1[:, 2]
         x class1 2 = np.random.multivariate normal(mean 1, cov, num samples // 2)
         x_class2_2 = np.random.multivariate_normal(mean_2, cov, num_samples // 2)
         xy class1 2 = np.column stack((x class1 2, np.zeros(num samples // 2)))
         xy_class2_2 = np.column_stack((x_class2_2, np.ones(num_samples // 2)))
         data full 2 = np.row stack([xy class1 2, xy class2 2])
         np.random.shuffle(data full 2)
         data 2 = data full 2[:, :2]
         labels = data_full_2[:, 2]
         x class1 3 = np.random.multivariate normal(mean 1, cov, num samples // 2)
         x class2 3 = np.random.multivariate normal(mean 2, cov, num samples // 2)
         xy_class1_3 = np.column_stack((x_class1_3, np.zeros(num_samples // 2)))
         xy class2 3 = np.column stack((x class2 3, np.ones(num samples // 2)))
         data full 3 = np.row stack([xy class1 3, xy class2 3])
         np.random.shuffle(data full)
         data 3 = data full 3[:, :2]
         labels = data full 3[:, 2]
         x class1 4 = np.random.multivariate normal(mean 1, cov, num samples // 2)
         x class2 4 = np.random.multivariate normal(mean 2, cov, num samples // 2)
         xy_class1_4 = np.column_stack((x_class1_4, np.zeros(num_samples // 2)))
         xy class2 4 = \text{np.column stack}((x \text{ class2 4, np.ones}(\text{num samples } // 2)))
         data full 4 = np.row stack([xy class1 4, xy class2 4])
         np.random.shuffle(data full)
         data_4 = data_full_4[:, :2]
         labels = data_full_4[:, 2]
         x class1 5 = np.random.multivariate normal(mean 1, cov, num samples // 2)
         x class2 5 = np.random.multivariate normal(mean 2, cov, num samples // 2)
         xy class1 5 = np.column stack((x class1 5, np.zeros(num samples // 2)))
         xy_class2_5 = np.column_stack((x_class2_5, np.ones(num_samples // 2)))
         data_full_5 = np.row_stack([xy_class1_5, xy_class2_5])
         np.random.shuffle(data full)
         data 5 = data full 5[:, :2]
         labels = data full 5[:, 2]
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In [35]: def get misclassification(data, data full):
              """helper function
             Returns misclassification rate using Kmeans and EM.
             Returns 2 classification scatter plots.
             # K-means
             N, D = data.shape
             K = 2
             max iter = 100
             class_init = np.random.binomial(1., .5, size=N)
             R = np.vstack([class init, 1 - class init]).T
             Mu = np.zeros([D, K])
             Mu[:, 1] = 1.
             R.T.dot(data), np.sum(R, axis=0)
             # Empty list to store cost values across 100 iterations
             cost list = []
             for it in range(max iter):
                 R = km assignment step(data, Mu)
                 Mu = km refitting step(data, R, Mu)
                 cost_list.append(cost(data, R, Mu))
                 #print(it, cost(data, R, Mu))
             class 1 KM = np.where(R[:, 0])
             class 2 KM = np.where(R[:, 1])
             # EM
             Sigma = [np.eye(2), np.eye(2)]
             Pi = np.ones(K) / K
             Gamma = np.zeros([N, K]) # Gamma is the matrix of responsibilities
             log_val = []
             for it in range(max_iter):
                 Gamma = gm_e_step(data, Mu, Sigma, Pi)
                 Mu, Sigma, Pi = gm m step(data, Gamma)
                 log val.append(log likelihood(data, Mu, Sigma, Pi))
                 # print(it, log likelihood(data, Mu, Sigma, Pi)) # This function makes
         the computation longer, but good for debugging
             class 1 EM = np.where(Gamma[:, 0] >= .5)
             class 2 EM = np.where(Gamma[:, 1] >= .5)
             misclass 1 KM = sum(data full[class 1 KM][:,2])
             misclass_2_KM = sum(data_full[class_2_KM][:,2] == 0)
             mis error KM = (misclass 1 KM + misclass 2 KM)/400
             misclass 1 EM = sum(data full[class 1 EM][:,2])
             misclass 2 EM = sum(data full[class 2 EM][:,2] == 0)
             mis_error_EM = (misclass_1_EM + misclass_2_EM)/400
```

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class_1_val = data[class_1_KM]
  class_2_val = data[class_2_KM]

plt.subplot(1,2,1)
  plt.scatter(class_1_val[:,0], class_1_val[:,1], marker="x")
  plt.scatter(class_2_val[:,0], class_2_val[:,1])
  plt.title("K-means with 2 clusters")

class_1_val_EM = data[class_1_EM]
  class_2_val_EM = data[class_2_EM]

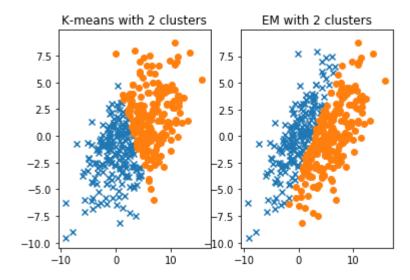
plt.subplot(1,2,2)
  plt.scatter(class_1_val_EM[:,0], class_1_val_EM[:,1], marker="x")
  plt.scatter(class_2_val_EM[:,0], class_2_val_EM[:,1])
  plt.title("EM with 2 clusters")

print("Misclassification rate for K-means: {} and EM: {}".format(mis_error_KM, mis_error_EM))
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### 5 New data realization plots and misclassification rate

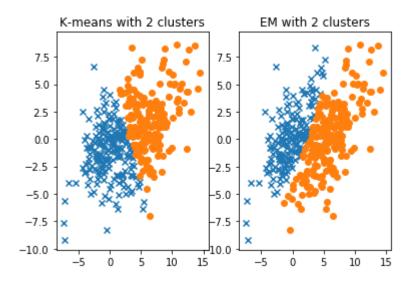
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In [36]: print(get_misclassification(data_1, data_full_1))
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Misclassification rate for K-means: 0.27 and EM: 0.1025 None  $\,$ 



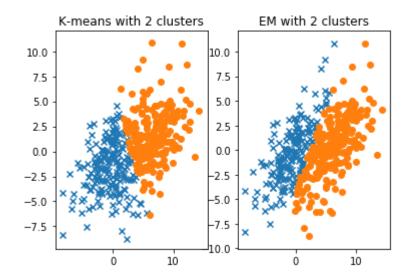
In [37]: print(get\_misclassification(data\_2, data\_full\_2))

Misclassification rate for K-means: 0.245 and EM: 0.11 None



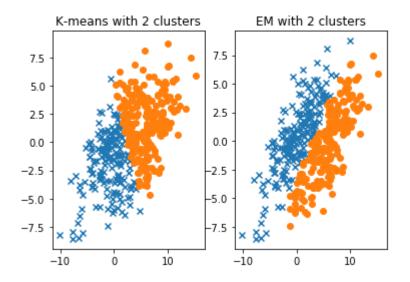
In [38]: print(get\_misclassification(data\_3, data\_full\_3))

Misclassification rate for K-means: 0.195 and EM: 0.105 None



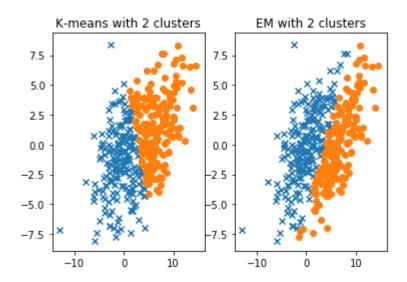
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In [39]: print(get_misclassification(data_4, data_full_4))
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Misclassification rate for K-means: 0.27 and EM: 0.1275 None  $\,$ 



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In [40]: print(get_misclassification(data_5, data_full_5))
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Misclassification rate for K-means: 0.2225 and EM: 0.095 None



Looking at the above 5 plots and the corresponding misclassification rate, we can see that even with new data we come to the same conclusion as before.

EM algorithm has significantly better classification rate than K-means algorithm all the time. Scatter plot also shows that EM algorithm is better at classifying points than K-means.

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