APSTA 2011 Project 2

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Data Description A total of 572 olive oil samples were collected from three regions of Italy: the North, the South, and Sardinia. Each region is further divided into areas, with the South having four areas, the North having three, and Sardinia having two. Each olive oil sample was chemically assayed and measured for eight different types of fatty acid. The eight fatty acids are palmitic, palmitoleic, stearic, oleic, linoleic, linolenic, arachidic, and eisenoic. Each measure represents the percentage of each fatty acid present in each olive oil sample. Using this data, we would like to explore the potential clustering options.

Import and display data

tail(olive)

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require(foreign)
## Loading required package: foreign
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olive <- read.dta("C:/Users/jyao/Downloads/olive.dta")</pre>
head(olive)
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summary(olive)

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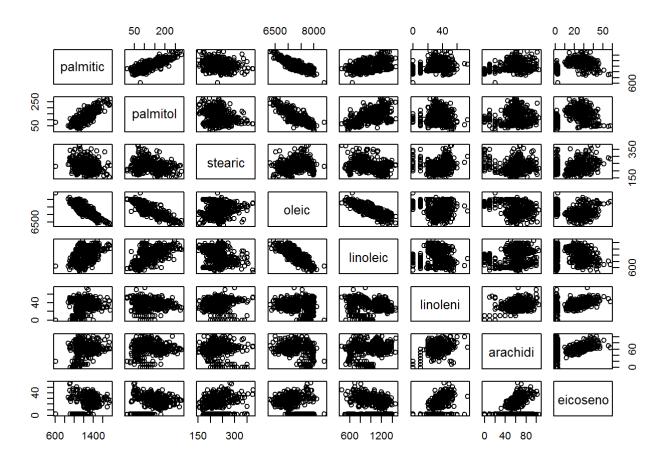
var(olive\$palmitic)

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## [1] 28423.35
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var(olive$palmitol)
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APSTA 2011 Project 2 ## [1] 2755.658 var(olive\$stearic) ## [1] 1350.19 var(olive\$oleic) ## [1] 164681.9 var(olive\$linoleic) ## [1] 58951.46 var(olive\$linoleni) ## [1] 168.1871 var(olive\$arachidi) ## [1] 485.3319 var(olive\$eicoseno) ## [1] 198.3392 #All of the variance for each feasure are greater than 150, so there is no reason to drop any va riables.

#bivariate plot for the original data pairs(olive[,(2:9)])



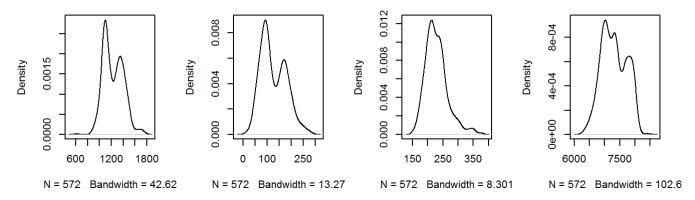
#by looking at this bivariate plot, it is hard to tell any potential cluster numbers.

Pre-Processing Transformations

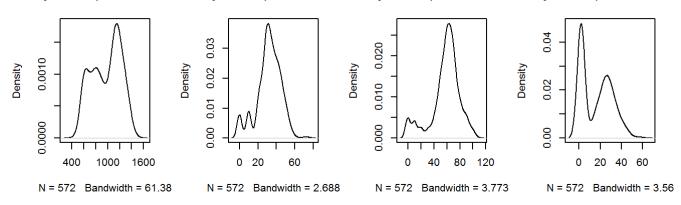
First, I will explore the need to transform or rescale the features. To do this, I plotted the density for each feature measurement. Also, the clustering was done on the original scale, not principal components.

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#plot the density for each feature
par(mfrow=c(2,4))
plot(density(olive$palmitic))
plot(density(olive$palmitol))
plot(density(olive$stearic))
plot(density(olive$oleic))
plot(density(olive$linoleic))
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plot(density(olive$arachidi))
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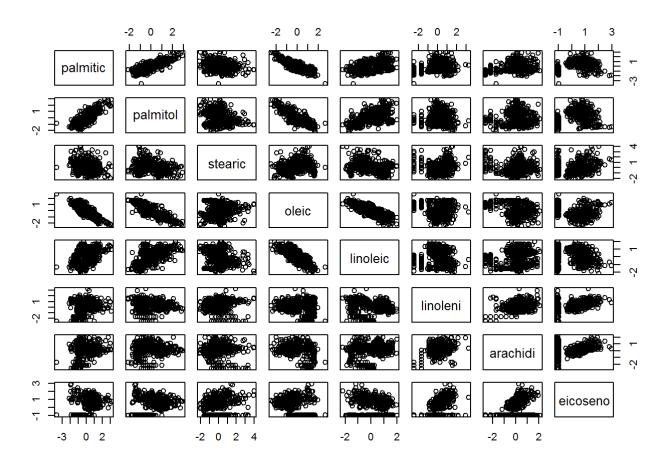


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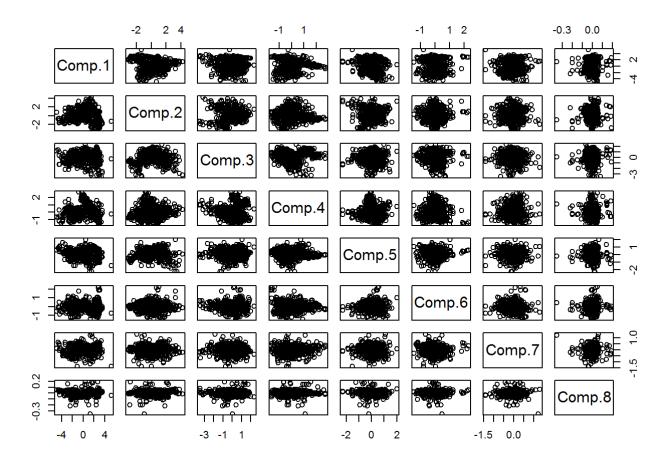


#There is some evidence of bimodality in some features; The distributions do not show extreme sk ew. The log transformation did not really improve a lot. So I will not consider log transformation here. It suggests that there are two clusters identified by that one feature. Transforms can confound this. Only consider transforms in extreme cases in which ONE feature is highly highly skewed and the rest are not. This could be useful for visualizing a bimodality, but likely no t. Err on the side of not transforming. But we will consider scale the features as the variance is very different for some features.

#standardize the data
olive.stdz <- olive;
olive.stdz[,2:9] <- scale(olive[,2:9])
#bivariate plot for standardized data
par(mfrow=c(1,1))
pairs(olive.stdz[,(2:9)])</pre>



#bivariate plots using principal components on standardized data
pairs(princomp(olive.stdz[,2:9])\$scores)



Hierarchical Clustering Analysis

For this analysis, I would like to explore single, centroid, complete, ward and kmeans as potential clustering method for this dataset. Single linkage is the method to find the nearest neighbor. Complete linkage can be refered to furthest neighbor. This is, all possible pairwise distances between elements are evaluated and the largest value is used as the distance between clasters A and B. Using this method, we can ensure all elements contained in one cluster are near all elements in the other cluster. Centroid clustering assigns each newly joined cluster a set of coordinate values based on the mean value for all of the subjects contained within it. In ward's method, we are trying to find two clusters to join such that a total sum of squares associated with the proposed grouping increases by the smallest amount possible,

*** Single, Centroid, Complete, and Ward Dendogram***

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par(mfrow=c(2,2))
#Single Linkage hierarchical clustering
hcl.single <- hclust(dist(olive.stdz[,2:9]),meth='single')
plot(hcl.single,labels=F,main='Single linkage dendogram',xlab='',sub="")

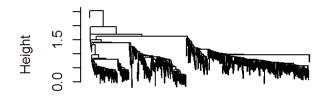
#centroid Linkage hierarchical clustering
hcl.centroid <- hclust(dist(olive.stdz[,2:9]),meth='centroid')
plot(hcl.centroid,labels=F,main='Centroid linkage dendogram',xlab='',sub="")

#complete Linkage hierarchical clustering
hcl.complete <- hclust(dist(olive.stdz[,2:9]),meth='complete')
plot(hcl.complete,labels=F,main='Complete linkage dendogram',xlab='',sub="")

#Ward Linkage hierarchical clustering
hcl.ward <- hclust(dist(olive.stdz[,2:9]),meth='ward.D2')
plot(hcl.ward,labels=F,main='Ward linkage dendogram',xlab='',sub="")</pre>
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Single linkage dendogram

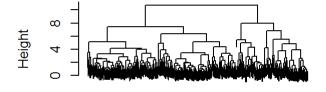
Centroid linkage dendogram





Complete linkage dendogram

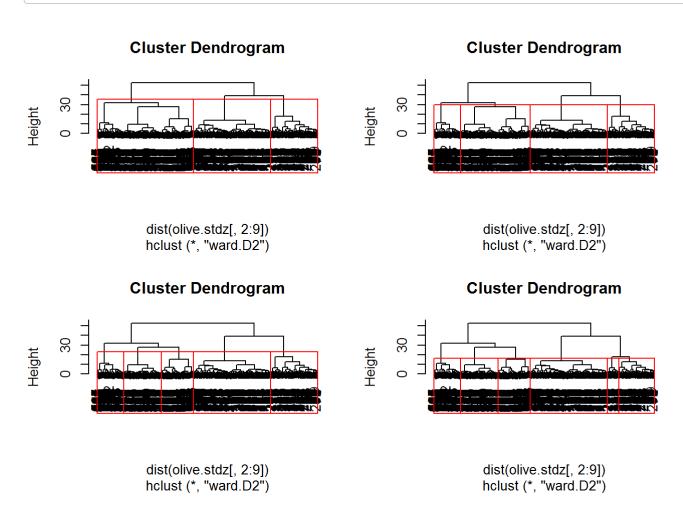
Ward linkage dendogram





#By looking at these four dendogram, we can rule out the single method obviously(it seems very s tingy);I think ward dendogram looks evenly equal sized clustered (very clean). So I prefere ward method.

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#choose cluster solution by looking at the dendogram
par(mfrow=c(2,2))
plot(hcl.ward)
rect.hclust(hcl.ward,k=3)
plot(hcl.ward)
rect.hclust(hcl.ward,k=4)
plot(hcl.ward)
rect.hclust(hcl.ward,k=5)
plot(hcl.ward)
rect.hclust(hcl.ward,k=6)
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I think it is not obvious to find an optimal cluster solution by looking at the dendogram. But we still can see when we choose K=5, the cluster size is a little evenly separated comparing with other cluster solutions.

Choose cluster solution by looking at the Cg maximization In this section, I would like to use two methods-Ward and kmean. The below results shows that when we choose 5 cluster solution, the Cg was maximized for both methods.

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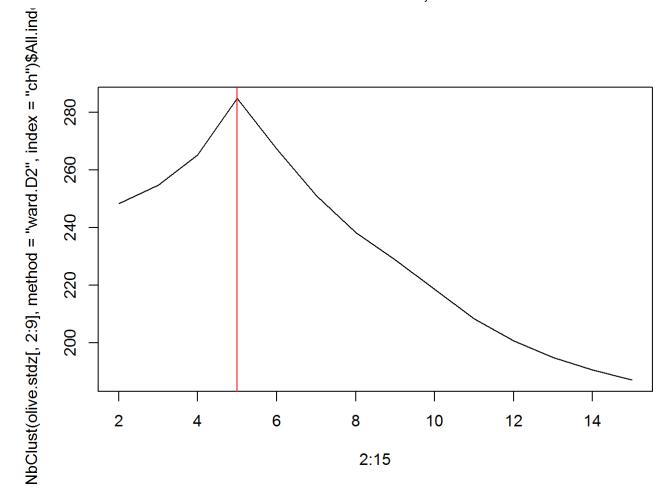
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NbClust(olive.stdz[,2:9],method='ward.D2',index='ch')

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#Show this in graph
par(mfrow=c(1,1))
plot(2:15,NbClust(olive.stdz[,2:9],method='ward.D2',index='ch')$All.index, type="l")
abline(v=5,col="red")
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#For Ward method, when n=5 Cg is maximized;
######## Kmeans
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c.crit <- function(km.obj) {</pre>
    #based on k-means, for convenience due to amt of addl info in the km result object.
    #cd be generalized.
    sizes <- km.obj$size</pre>
    n <- sum(sizes)</pre>
    g <- length(sizes)</pre>
    msW<-sum(km.obj$withinss)/(n-g)</pre>
    overall.mean <- apply(km.obj$centers*km.obj$size,2,sum)/sum(km.obj$size)</pre>
    msB<-sum(km.obj$size*(t(t(km.obj$centers)-overall.mean))^2)/(g-1)</pre>
    list(msB=msB,msW=msW,C.g=msB/msW)
}
set.seed(2011)
km.olive.stdz.2<-kmeans(olive.stdz[,2:9],2,nstart = 100)</pre>
km.olive.stdz.3<-kmeans(olive.stdz[,2:9],3,nstart = 100)</pre>
km.olive.stdz.4<-kmeans(olive.stdz[,2:9],4,nstart = 100)</pre>
km.olive.stdz.5<-kmeans(olive.stdz[,2:9],5,nstart = 100)</pre>
km.olive.stdz.6<-kmeans(olive.stdz[,2:9],6,nstart = 100)</pre>
km.olive.stdz.7<-kmeans(olive.stdz[,2:9],7,nstart = 100)</pre>
km.olive.stdz.8<-kmeans(olive.stdz[,2:9],8,nstart = 100)</pre>
km.olive.stdz.9<-kmeans(olive.stdz[,2:9],9,nstart = 100)</pre>
km.olive.stdz.10<-kmeans(olive.stdz[,2:9],10,nstart = 100)</pre>
c.crit(km.olive.stdz.2) #301.75
```

```
## $msB
## [1] 1581.202
##
## $msW
## [1] 5.239997
##
## $C.g
## [1] 301.7562
```

```
c.crit(km.olive.stdz.3) #275.6649
```

```
## $msB
## [1] 1123.988
##
## $msW
## [1] 4.077371
##
## $C.g
## [1] 275.6649
```

```
c.crit(km.olive.stdz.4) #290.0637
```

```
## $msB

## [1] 921.3038

##

## $msW

## [1] 3.176212

##

## $C.g

## [1] 290.0637
```

c.crit(km.olive.stdz.5) #305.2753 This is when Cg is maximized

```
## $msB
## [1] 779.8762
##
## $msW
## [1] 2.554665
##
## $C.g
## [1] 305.2753
```

c.crit(km.olive.stdz.6) #282.3322

```
## $msB

## [1] 652.1307

##

## $msW

## [1] 2.309799

##

## $C.g

## [1] 282.3322
```

c.crit(km.olive.stdz.7) #265.1015

```
## $msB

## [1] 561.7826

##

## $msW

## [1] 2.119122

##

## $C.g

## [1] 265.1015
```

```
c.crit(km.olive.stdz.8) #256.1535
```

```
## $msB

## [1] 496.4243

##

## $msW

## [1] 1.937996

##

## $C.g

## [1] 256.1535
```

```
c.crit(km.olive.stdz.9) #244.692
```

```
## $msB

## [1] 443.4585

##

## $msW

## [1] 1.812313

##

## $C.g

## [1] 244.692
```

c.crit(km.olive.stdz.10) #233.4239

```
## $msB

## [1] 400.4335

##

## $msW

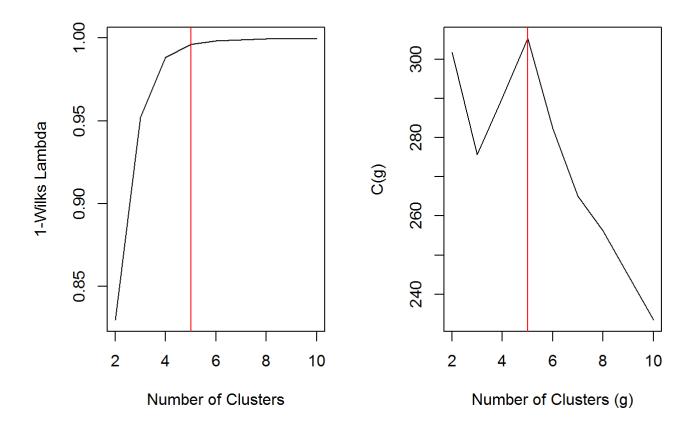
## [1] 1.715478

##

## $C.g

## [1] 233.4239
```

```
#show this in graph
numGroupSearch <- function(features,rng=c(2,10),wilks=T,nstart=100) {</pre>
    mn <- rng[1]
    mx <- rng[2]
    m.list <- km.list <- vector("list",length=mx-mn+1)</pre>
    cFn <- p.rsq <- rep(NA,mx-mn+1)
    i <- 0
    for (k in mn:mx) {
        i <- i+1
        km.list[[i]] <- kmeans(features,k,nstart=nstart)</pre>
        U <- as.matrix(features)</pre>
        m.list[[i]] <- manova(U~factor(km.list[[i]]$cluster))</pre>
        if (wilks) { #avoids some degenerate cases
             p.rsq[i] <- 1-summary(m.list[[i]],test="Wilks")$stats[1,2]</pre>
        }
        cFn[i] <- c.crit(km.list[[i]])$C.g</pre>
    return(list(km.list=km.list,m.list=m.list,p.rsq=p.rsq,cFn=cFn))
}
ngp.olive <- numGroupSearch(olive.stdz[,2:9])</pre>
par(mfrow=c(1,2))
plot(2:10,ngp.olive$p.rsq,type='l',xlab='Number of Clusters',ylab='1-Wilks Lambda')
abline(v=5,col="red")
plot(2:10,ngp.olive$cFn,type='l',xlab='Number of Clusters (g)',ylab='C(g)')
abline(v=5,col="red")
```



#Both 1-wilks lambda and Cg yield the same results. They are very consistant in choosing the clu ster solution here.

#For kmean method, when n=5, Cg is maximized;

Comparing ward to kmeans, both with 5 cluster solution

```
set.seed(2011)
lbls.ward.4<- cutree(hcl.ward,k=4)
lbls.ward.5<- cutree(hcl.ward,k=5)
lbls.ward.6<- cutree(hcl.ward,k=6)
xtabs(~km.olive.stdz.5$cluster+lbls.ward.5)</pre>
```

```
##
                              1bls.ward.5
## km.olive.stdz.5$cluster
                                 1
                                      2
                                               4
                                                    5
##
                                17 200
                                               0
                                                    0
                             1
                                           0
##
                             2
                                               0
                                                   60
                                               5
##
                             3
                                                    0
                                               5
                                                    0
##
                                         98
                             5
                                 7
##
                                              73
```

#write a function to get the maximal agreement
require(gtools)

Loading required package: gtools

```
## Warning: package 'gtools' was built under R version 3.3.2
```

```
optLabel <- function(src,trg) {</pre>
    #input two sets of labels, find permuation that maximizes agreement
    #to be complete search, and handle simpler diag eval, trg must have larger # of labels
    n1 <- length(unique(src))</pre>
    n2 <- length(unique(trg))</pre>
    tbl <- xtabs(~src+trg)
    best.match <- sum(diag(tbl)) #still works for a non-square matrix.
    best.perm <- 1:n2
    allPerms <- permutations(n2,n2)</pre>
    for (i in 1:dim(allPerms)[1]) {
        cur.match <- sum(diag(tbl[,allPerms[i,]]))</pre>
        if (cur.match>best.match) {
             best.match <- cur.match
             best.perm <- allPerms[i,]</pre>
        }
    }
    list(best.match=best.match,best.perm=best.perm,best.tbl=tbl[,best.perm])
}
optLabel(km.olive.stdz.5$cluster,lbls.ward.5)
```

```
## $best.match
## [1] 530
##
## $best.perm
## [1] 2 5 1 3 4
##
## $best.tbl
##
      trg
## src
         2
             5
                 1
                      3
                          4
     1 200
                17
##
             0
                      0
                          0
##
     2
            60
                0
                          0
##
     3
         0
                99
                      0
                          5
             0
##
         0
             0
                 0
                     98
                          5
##
     5
         0
             8
                 7
                      0 73
```

```
optLabel(km.olive.stdz.4$cluster,lbls.ward.5)
```

```
## $best.match
## [1] 467
##
## $best.perm
## [1] 2 1 3 5 4
##
## $best.tbl
##
      trg
         2
                     5
                         4
## src
             1
                 3
     1 200
##
            20
                     0
                         0
##
     2
         0 101
                     0 15
##
     3
         0
             0
                98
                     0
                         8
##
     4
         0
             2
                 0 68 60
```

optLabel(km.olive.stdz.6\$cluster,lbls.ward.5)

```
## $best.match
## [1] 507
##
## $best.perm
## [1] 3 5 2 1 4
##
## $best.tbl
##
      trg
## src
         3
             5
                 2
                     1
                         4
##
     1
        98
             0
                 0
                     0
                         5
##
     2
         0 60
                 0
                         0
                     0
             0 199
##
     3
         0
                    5
                         0
##
     4
         0
             0
                 1
                    76
                         3
##
     5
         0
             8
                 0
                     4
                        74
     6
         0
##
             0
                 0
                    38
                         1
```

optLabel(km.olive.stdz.5\$cluster,lbls.ward.4)

```
## $best.match
## [1] 462
##
## $best.perm
## [1] 2 4 1 3
##
## $best.tbl
##
      trg
## src
         2
                     3
             4
                 1
     1 200
             0 17
##
                     0
##
     2
         0
           60
                     0
                     5
##
     3
         0
             0 99
##
         0
             0
               0 103
##
         0
             8
               7 73
```

optLabel(km.olive.stdz.5\$cluster,lbls.ward.6)

```
## $best.match
## [1] 506
##
## $best.perm
   [1] 3 6 2 4 5 1
##
## $best.tbl
##
      trg
         3
                 2
                         5
                             1
## src
             6
                     4
##
     1 200
             0
                17
                     0
                         0
                             0
                             0
     2
##
         0
            60
                0
                     0
                         0
                         5 24
##
     3
         0
             0 75
                     0
                         5
##
     4
         0
             0
                 0 98
     5
##
         0
             8
                 1
                     0
                       73
                             6
```

optLabel(km.olive.stdz.4\$cluster,lbls.ward.6)

```
## $best.match
## [1] 439
##
## $best.perm
## [1] 3 2 4 6 1 5
##
## $best.tbl
##
      trg
## src
         3
             2
                 4
                     6
                         1
                             5
##
     1 200
            20
                 0
                     0
                         0
                             0
##
     2
         0
            73
                 0
                     0 28 15
                             8
##
     3
         0
             0
                98
                     0
                         0
##
     4
         0
             0
                   68
                         2 60
                 0
```

```
optLabel(km.olive.stdz.6$cluster,lbls.ward.4)
```

```
## $best.match
## [1] 438
##
## $best.perm
## [1] 3 4 2 1
##
##
   $best.tbl
##
      trg
## src
         3
              4
                  2
                       1
##
     1 103
              0
                       0
##
     2
         0
             60
                  0
                       0
                       5
##
     3
          0
              0 199
##
     4
         3
              0
                  1
                     76
        74
              8
                      4
##
                  0
##
         1
              0
                  0
                     38
```

```
optLabel(km.olive.stdz.6$cluster,1bls.ward.6)
```

```
## $best.match
## [1] 534
##
## $best.perm
## [1] 4 6 3 2 5 1
##
## $best.tbl
##
      trg
## src
          4
              6
                  3
                       2
                           5
                               1
##
     1
        98
              0
                  0
                       0
                           5
                                0
##
     2
          0
             60
                  0
                       0
                           0
                                0
              0 199
##
     3
                       5
                               0
          0
                           0
          0
              0
                                0
##
     4
                  1
                      76
                           3
     5
                                3
##
          0
              8
                  0
                       1
                          74
                              27
##
          0
              0
                  0
                      11
                           1
```

I also tried a range of clusters- one more and one less than Cg suggested, which is 4 clusters and 6 clusters. We find that the maximal agreement is 534, when k= 6 clusters for both Ward and Kmeans. The maximal agreement is 530 using 5 cluster solution for both Ward and Kmeans in this dataset. Acutually choosing 5 or 6 does not make much significant difference. Therefore, I would consider 5 as the cluster solutions for both methods(I will include more details in the Appendix about 6 clusters).

Evaluate the distribution of the known demographics for the kmeans and ward cluster solution Do the clusters seem to divide in a manner consistent with demographic differences? Justify your answer by comparing the frequency distribution of demographics within each cluster

```
xtabs(~km.olive.stdz.5$cluster+olive.stdz$region)
```

```
##
                             olive.stdz$region
## km.olive.stdz.5$cluster South Sardinia North
##
                                217
                                                   0
                            2
                                  0
                                            0
                                                  60
##
##
                            3
                                 99
                                            0
                                                   5
##
                            4
                                  0
                                           98
                                                   5
##
                            5
                                  7
                                                  81
                                            0
```

xtabs(~km.olive.stdz.5\$cluster+olive.stdz\$area)

```
olive.stdz$area
##
   km.olive.stdz.5$cluster Calabria Coast-Sardinia East-Liguria
##
                           1
                                     3
                                     0
##
                           2
                                                      0
                                                                   10
##
                           3
                                    52
                                                      0
                                                                    5
                                                                    5
##
                           4
                                     0
                                                     33
                           5
##
                                     1
                                                      0
                                                                   30
                            olive.stdz$area
##
   km.olive.stdz.5$cluster Inland-Sardinia North-Apulia Sicily South-Apulia
##
##
                           1
                                                           0
                                                                  10
                                                                               204
##
                           2
                                             0
                                                           0
                                                                   0
                                                                                 0
                           3
                                             0
                                                          19
                                                                                 2
##
                                                                  26
                           4
##
                                            65
                                                           0
                                                                   0
                                                                                 0
                                                           6
                                             0
                                                                   0
##
                                                                                 0
                            olive.stdz$area
##
##
   km.olive.stdz.5$cluster Umbria West-Liguria
##
                           1
##
                           2
                                   0
                                                50
                           3
                                   0
                                                 0
##
##
                           4
                                   0
                                                 0
##
                           5
                                  51
                                                 0
```

xtabs(~lbls.ward.5+olive.stdz\$region)

```
olive.stdz$region
##
## lbls.ward.5 South Sardinia North
                               0
##
              1
                   123
                                      0
              2
                   200
                               0
                                      0
##
              3
                     0
                              98
                                      0
##
              4
##
                     0
                               0
                                     83
##
              5
                                     68
```

```
xtabs(~lbls.ward.5+olive.stdz$area)
```

##	(olive.std	z\$are	ea				
##	lbls.ward.5	Calabria	Coas	st-Sardi	inia East-L	iguria	ı In	land-Sardinia
##	1	56			0	(9	6
##	2	0			0	(9	6
##	3	0			33	(9	65
##	4	0			0	32	2	6
##	5	0			0	18	3	6
##	(olive.std	z\$are	ea				
##	lbls.ward.5	North-Ap	ulia	Sicily	South-Apul:	ia Umb	oria	West-Liguria
##	1		25	34		8	0	6
##	2		0	2	19	98	0	6
##	3		0	0		0	0	6
##	4		0	0		0	51	6
##	5		0	0		0	0	50

Kmeans Under kmeans method, The fourth cluster contains 98 samples from Sardinia region and only 5 samples from North region; we can see the second cluster contains all olive oil samples from North region (60 objects); The first cluster contains all samples from south region; In the last cluster, 81 olive oil samples are from North region and only 7 samples are from South region. In the third cluster, 99 samples are from south region and only 5 are from North region. Overall, the kmean clustering separates the samples fairly well. Samples from South region are contained in the first and third clusters. All 98 Sardinia samples are contained in the fourth cluster. Most North samples are fairly split into the second and the last cluster.

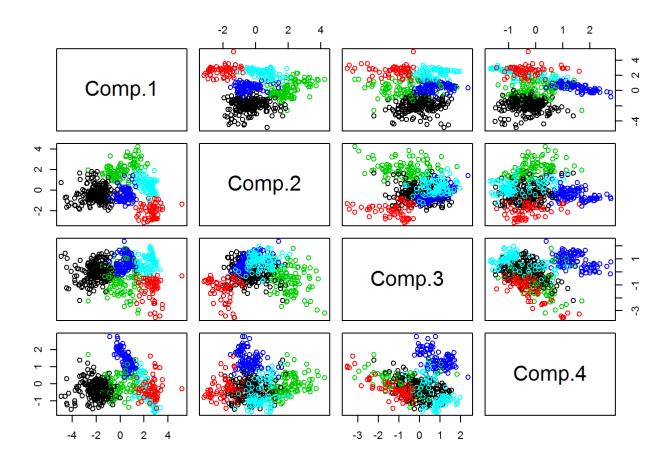
By comparing with area, we can see that 50 olive oil samples are from West-Liguria and 10 samples from East-Liguria in the second cluster; In the fourth cluster, 65 olive oil samples are from Inland-Sardinia area and 33 sample from Coast-Sardinia area. Only 5 samples in the fourth cluster are from East Liguria. In the first cluster, it mostly contains samples from South-Apulia. In the last cluster, it contains 51 samples from Umbria area and 30 samples from East-Liguria area. In the third cluster, it contains 52 olive oil samples from Calabria area, 26 samples from Sicily, 19 samples from North-Apulia and 2 samples from South-Apulia. Overall, this 5 cluster solution does a fairly good job in separating the groups. Samples from Calabria area are almost contained in the third cluster. All samples from Coast-Sardinia area are included in the fourth cluster. All samples from Inland-Sardinia are contained in the fourth cluster. Almost all the samples from South-Apulia area are included in the first cluster. All samples from Umbria are contained in the last cluster. All samples from West-Liguria area are in the second cluster.

Ward By looking at the crosstab result, we would say the ward method 5 cluster solution does a good job in differentiate the regions and area. This reinforces our understanding that olive oil samples are well separated by these features. The first cluster and second cluster contains all samples from South region; The second cluster contains all the samples from Sardinia region; The third and fourth clusters contains all samples from North region. The crosstab comparing the cluster solutions and areas shows that 56 samples from Calabria, 25 samples from North Apulia, 34 samples from Sicily and 8 samples from south Apulia are in the first cluster. In the second cluster, 198 samples are from South Apulia and only 2 samples are from Sicily. 33 Coast-Sardinia and 65 Inland-Sardinia samples are included in the third cluster. 32 East-Liguria and 51 Umbria samples are contained in the fourth cluster. In the last cluster, we can find 18 samples from East-Liguria and 50 samples from West-Liguria. In another way, we can see that all samples from Calabria are in the first cluster; all samples from Coast-Sardinia are in the third cluster; 32 samples from East-Liguria are in the fourth cluster and the rest 18 samples from East-Liguria are in the third cluster. All samples from North-Apulia are in the first cluster. Almost all samples from Sicility are also in the first cluster. Almost all samples from Umbria are in the fourth cluster and all samples from West-Liguria are in the last cluster.

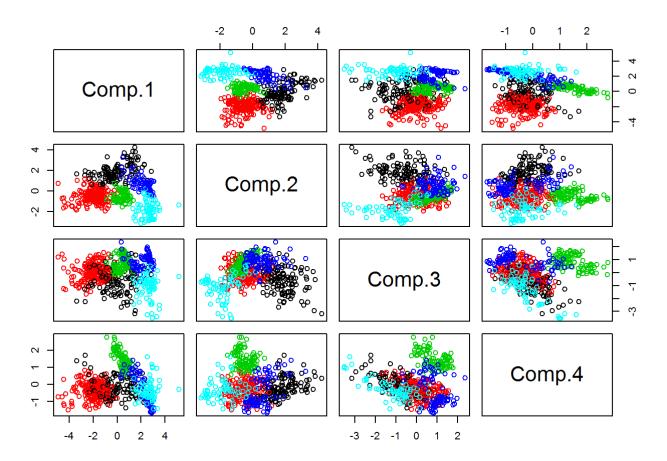
Overall, both kmeans and ward clustering did a good job so that the clusters seem to divide in a manner consistent with demographic differences. I think ward could be better when we are referring the consistency with demographic differences

plot principal component by using kmean and ward Plots (like pairs) of the first 3 or 4 principle components. Colored by cluster solutions (show different approaches to contrast them)

```
pc.olive<- princomp(olive.stdz[,2:9])$scores
#kmeans
pairs(pc.olive[,1:4],col=c(1,2,3,4,5)[km.olive.stdz.5$cluster])</pre>
```



```
#wards
pairs(pc.olive[,1:4],col=c(1,2,3,4,5)[lbls.ward.5])
```



By looking at these two above graphs, those two methods split the clusters using different approaches fundamentally, but overall they both looks fairly evenly sized. Take the first component vesus second component for example, there are only a few overlapped points.

Results/Implication

Based on the dendogram and Cg calculation, I choose five clusters using both ward and kmeans. The crosstab comparison suggests the five clusters divide in a manner consistent with the demographic differences.

Appendix

Since choosing 6 can get the maximal agreement. So I would like to evaluate the distribution of the demographics for the kmeans and ward cluster solution using 6 here.

```
xtabs(~km.olive.stdz.6$cluster+olive.stdz$region)
##
                            olive.stdz$region
   km.olive.stdz.6$cluster South Sardinia North
##
##
                           1
                                  0
                                          98
                                                  5
##
                           2
                                  0
                                           0
                                                 60
                           3
                               204
                                                  0
##
                                           0
                                77
                                                  3
##
##
                                 4
                                                 82
                           6
                                                  1
##
                                38
```

xtabs(~km.olive.stdz.6\$cluster+olive.stdz\$area)

```
##
                            olive.stdz$area
## km.olive.stdz.6$cluster Calabria Coast-Sardinia East-Liguria
                                     0
                                                     33
##
                           1
                           2
                                     0
                                                      0
##
                                                                   10
##
                           3
                                     1
                                                      0
                                                                    0
                                                                    3
##
                           4
                                    54
##
                           5
                                     1
                                                      0
                                                                   31
##
                           6
                                     0
                                                      0
                                                                    1
##
                            olive.stdz$area
   km.olive.stdz.6$cluster Inland-Sardinia North-Apulia Sicily South-Apulia
                                                                   0
##
                           1
                                            65
                                                           0
                           2
                                             0
                                                           0
                                                                   0
##
                                                                                 0
                           3
                                             0
                                                           0
                                                                   4
                                                                               199
##
                                             0
                                                           1
                                                                  15
##
                           4
                                                                                 7
##
                           5
                                             0
                                                           3
                                                                   0
                                                                                 0
##
                           6
                                             0
                                                          21
                                                                  17
                                                                                 0
##
                            olive.stdz$area
## km.olive.stdz.6$cluster Umbria West-Liguria
##
                           1
                                   0
                           2
                                   0
##
                                                50
                           3
                                   0
                                                 0
##
                                   0
##
                           4
                                                 0
##
                           5
                                  51
                                                 0
##
                                   0
                                                 0
                           6
```

xtabs(~lbls.ward.6+olive.stdz\$region)

```
##
               olive.stdz$region
## lbls.ward.6 South Sardinia North
                    30
##
              1
                               0
                                      0
##
              2
                    93
                               0
                                      0
              3
                   200
                                      0
##
                               0
##
              4
                     0
                              98
                                      0
              5
##
                     0
                               0
                                     83
##
              6
                     0
                                     68
```

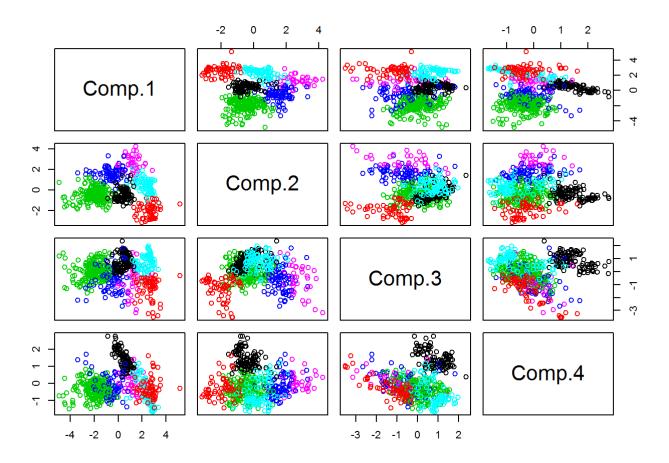
```
xtabs(~lbls.ward.6+olive.stdz$area)
```

##	C	olive.stdz	z\$are	ea ea					
##	lbls.ward.6	Calabria	Coas	st-Sardi	inia E	ast-Lig	uria In	land-Sa	rdinia
##	1	0			0		0		0
##	2	56			0		0		0
##	3	0			0		0		0
##	4	0			33		0		65
##	5	0			0		32		0
##	6	0			0		18		6
##	C	olive.stdz	z\$are	ea					
##	lbls.ward.6	North-Apu	ulia	Sicily	South	-Apulia	Umbria	West-L	iguria
##	1		24	6		0	e)	6
##	2		1	28		8	e)	0
##	3		0	2		198	e)	0
##	4		0	0		0	e)	0
##	5		0	0		0	51		0
##	6		0	0		0	6)	50

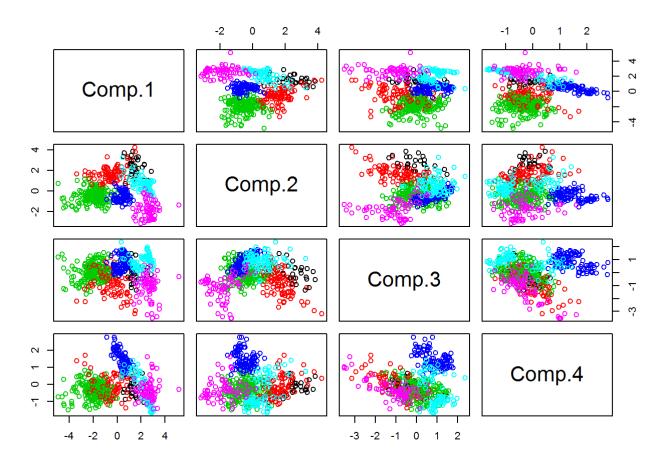
Kmeans The crosstab results shows that almost all samples from South regions are in the third, fourth, and last clusters. Only 4 samples from South are in the fifth cluster. Samples from Sardinia region are all contained in the first cluster. Almost all samples from North are contained in the second and fifth clusters. The crosstab results did not improve a lot comparing the 5 cluster solution.

Ward The crosstab results shows that samples from South are spread among first, second and third clusters. Samples from Sardinia are contained solely in the fourth cluster; Samples from North region are contained in the last two clusters. Again, the results did not improve a lot comparing the 5 cluster solution.

```
#kmeans
pairs(pc.olive[,1:4],col=c(1,2,3,4,5,6)[km.olive.stdz.6$cluster])
```



#wards pairs(pc.olive[,1:4],col=c(1,2,3,4,5,6)[lbls.ward.6])



The plots (like pairs) of the first 3 or 4 principle components colored by 6 cluster solutions do not show significant new finding compared with 5 clusters solution.