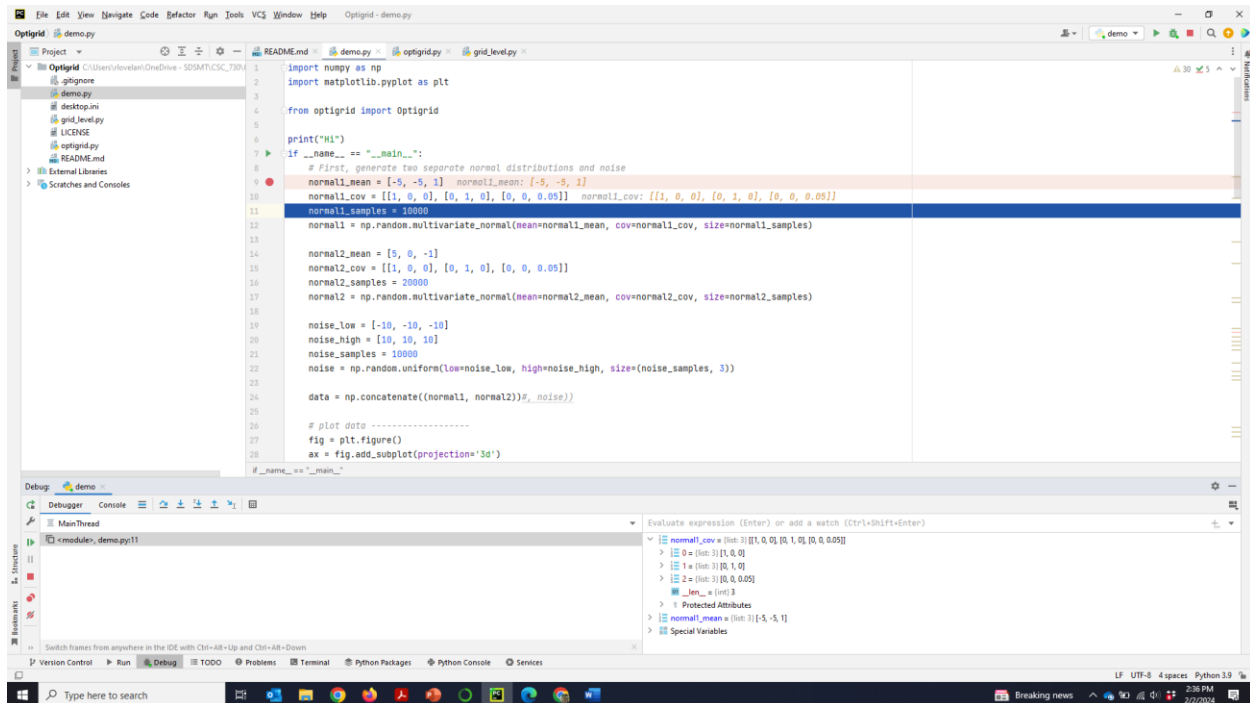


Assignment 3

OptiGrid – Cursing Dimensionality



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1 import numpy as np
2 import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
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4 from optigrd import OptiGrid
5
6 print("Hi")
7 if __name__ == "__main__":
8     # First, generate two separate normal distributions and noise
9     normal1_mean = [-5, -5, 1] normal1_cov = [-5, -5, 1]
10    normal1_cov = [[1, 0, 0], [0, 1, 0], [0, 0, 0.05]] normal1_cov = [[1, 0, 0], [0, 1, 0], [0, 0, 0.05]]
11    normal1_samples = 10000
12    normal1 = np.random.multivariate_normal(mean=normal1_mean, cov=normal1_cov, size=normal1_samples)
13
14    normal2_mean = [5, 0, -1]
15    normal2_cov = [[1, 0, 0], [0, 1, 0], [0, 0, 0.05]]
16    normal2_samples = 20000
17    normal2 = np.random.multivariate_normal(mean=normal2_mean, cov=normal2_cov, size=normal2_samples)
18
19    noise_low = [-10, -10, -10]
20    noise_high = [10, 10, 10]
21    noise_samples = 10000
22    noise = np.random.uniform(low=noise_low, high=noise_high, size=(noise_samples, 3))
23
24    data = np.concatenate((normal1, normal2), f_noise))
25
26    # plot data -----
27    fig = plt.figure()
28    ax = fig.add_subplot(projection='3d')
29
30    if __name__ == "__main__":
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In this assignment you will examine the mihailescum's OptiGrid implementation, at <https://github.com/mihailescum/Optigrd>, in order to fully understand the algorithm.

For this assignment you will:

- 1) You will write, in your own words, a description of how the OptiGrid clustering algorithm works.
- 2) You will then download the code, and work through it, writing an extremely detailed description of what it's doing. Specifically, you will write a paragraph explaining each function.
- 3) You will then modify the code demo as necessary to create a 2-D example, and create a figure showing data points and cutting planes the algorithm arrives at. (You may reduce use a smaller number of data points than the 30,000 in their example.)

You will turn in both the code and a short report, discussing what you've implemented, how well it worked, what you've learned, etc.

Remember, you must understand what you turn in – you may be asked to explain it to me and/or the class.