

Project Template-3

Section 3

Introduction.

Customer Segmentation is one the most important modeling of unsupervised learning. Using clustering techniques, business can identify the several segments of customers allowing them to target the potential user base. In this machine learning project, this project will make use of K-means clustering which is the essential algorithm for clustering unlabeled dataset.

Source of the dataset : <https://www.kaggle.com/vjchoudhary7/customer-segmentation-tutorial-in-python>

Purpose : This data set is created only for the learning purpose of the customer segmentation concepts , also known as market basket analysis.

Content

This is a sample data to mimics supermarket mall data which can be acquired through membership cards , It has some basic data about regular mall customers like :

- Customer ID
- Age
- Gender
- Annual Income and
- Spending score

The problem statement

Project targets to present customer segmentation analysis in form of visual representation to marketing team of a shopping mall to help them to plan effective marketing strategies for prospective customers. Based on available variables in dataset , project is trying to provide analysis on following data points :

- Price segmentation is basic and very common factor to determine prospective customers.
- How does demographic information like Gender/ Age can be used to identify prospective customer ?
- How does annual Income can be used to Identify customer buying pattern ?
- Finally spending score to determine prospective customer.

Approach (How you addressed this problem statement)

Project begins with loading dataset from .csv file followed by basic statistical analysis and data exploration. Finally, going through the input data to gain necessary insights about it.

Following are key analysis and their presentations :

1. Customer Gender Visualization

2. Visualization of Age Distribution
3. Analysis of the Annual Income of the Customers
4. Analyzing Spending Score of the Customers
5. Specifically, use of a clustering algorithm called **K-means clustering** by analyzing and visualizing the data , cluster assignment and finally determining optimal cluster using following three popular methods :
 - i. Elbow method
 - ii. Silhouette method
 - iii. Gap statistic

Analysis

```
library(plotrix)

library(purrr)
library(cluster)
library(gridExtra)
library(grid)

library(NbClust)
library(factoextra)
```

Important package libraries :

```
## Loading required package: ggplot2
```

```
## Welcome! Want to learn more? See two factoextra-related books at https://goo.gl/ve3WBa
```

Shopping mall dataset

```
setwd("~/MadR/Workspaces/dsc520")
customer_data=read.csv("~/MadR/Workspaces/dsc520/data/Mall_Customers.csv")

head(customer_data)
```

```
##   CustomerID Gender Age Annual.Income..k.. Spending.Score..1.100.
## 1           1   Male  19              15              39
## 2           2   Male  21              15              81
## 3           3 Female  20              16               6
## 4           4 Female  23              16              77
## 5           5 Female  31              17              40
## 6           6 Female  22              17              76
```

```
summary(customer_data)
```

```
##      CustomerID      Gender      Age      Annual.Income..k..
## Min.   : 1.00   Length:200   Min.   :18.00   Min.   : 15.00
## 1st Qu.: 50.75   Class :character   1st Qu.:28.75   1st Qu.: 41.50
## Median :100.50   Mode  :character   Median :36.00   Median : 61.50
## Mean   :100.50                      Mean   :38.85   Mean   : 60.56
## 3rd Qu.:150.25                      3rd Qu.:49.00   3rd Qu.: 78.00
## Max.   :200.00                      Max.   :70.00   Max.   :137.00
## Spending.Score..1.100.
## Min.   : 1.00
## 1st Qu.:34.75
## Median :50.00
## Mean   :50.20
## 3rd Qu.:73.00
## Max.   :99.00
```

```
str(customer_data)
```

```
## 'data.frame':   200 obs. of  5 variables:
## $ CustomerID      : int  1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 ...
## $ Gender          : chr  "Male" "Male" "Female" "Female" ...
## $ Age             : int  19 21 20 23 31 22 35 23 64 30 ...
## $ Annual.Income..k.. : int  15 15 16 16 17 17 18 18 19 19 ...
## $ Spending.Score..1.100.: int  39 81 6 77 40 76 6 94 3 72 ...
```

Data Exploration

```
'Age standard deviation'
```

```
## [1] "Age standard deviation"
```

```
sd(customer_data$Age)
```

```
## [1] 13.96901
```

```
'Annual Income standard deviation'
```

```
## [1] "Annual Income standard deviation"
```

```
sd(customer_data$Annual.Income..k..)
```

```
## [1] 26.26472
```

```
'Spending standard deviation'
```

```
## [1] "Spending standard deviation"
```

```
sd(customer_data$Spending.Score..1.100.)
```

```
## [1] 25.82352
```

Implications

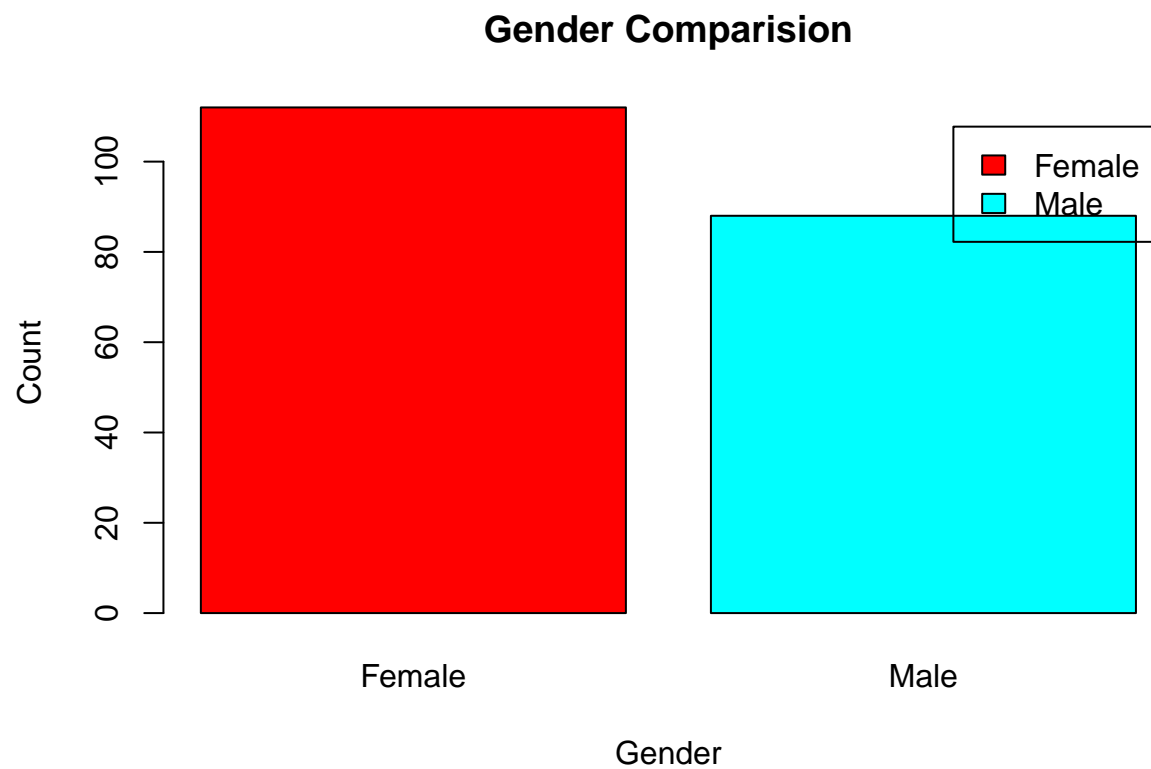
Analysis presented in the project helps to identify prospective customers based on their age group, Income range , gender and spending scores. This analysis was done on a smaller set of available customer data of a shopping mall. Same model can be replicated for any other marketing team (from other businesses) to build their strategy to target prospective customers.

However, this study was done on a limited sized data with only 5 variables. This is recommended to collect more customer data to build a bigger dataset with few more demographic information along with shopping history of a customer for better insight.

Visualization and Statistics

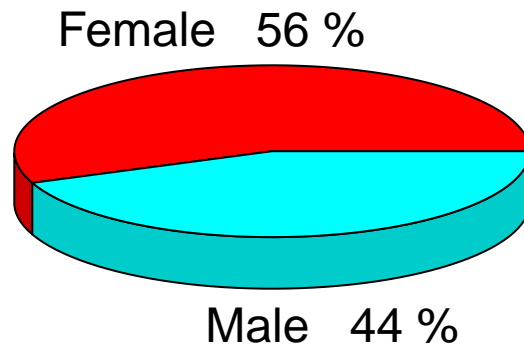
Customer Gender Visualization

```
a=table(customer_data$Gender)
barplot(a,
        main = "Gender Comparision",
        ylab = 'Count',
        xlab = 'Gender',
        col=rainbow(2),
        legend=rownames(a) )
```



```
pct=round(a/sum(a)*100)
lbs=paste(c("Female","Male")," ",pct,"%",sep=" ")
pie3D(a,
      labels =lbs,
      main="Ratio of Female and Male")
```

Ratio of Female and Male



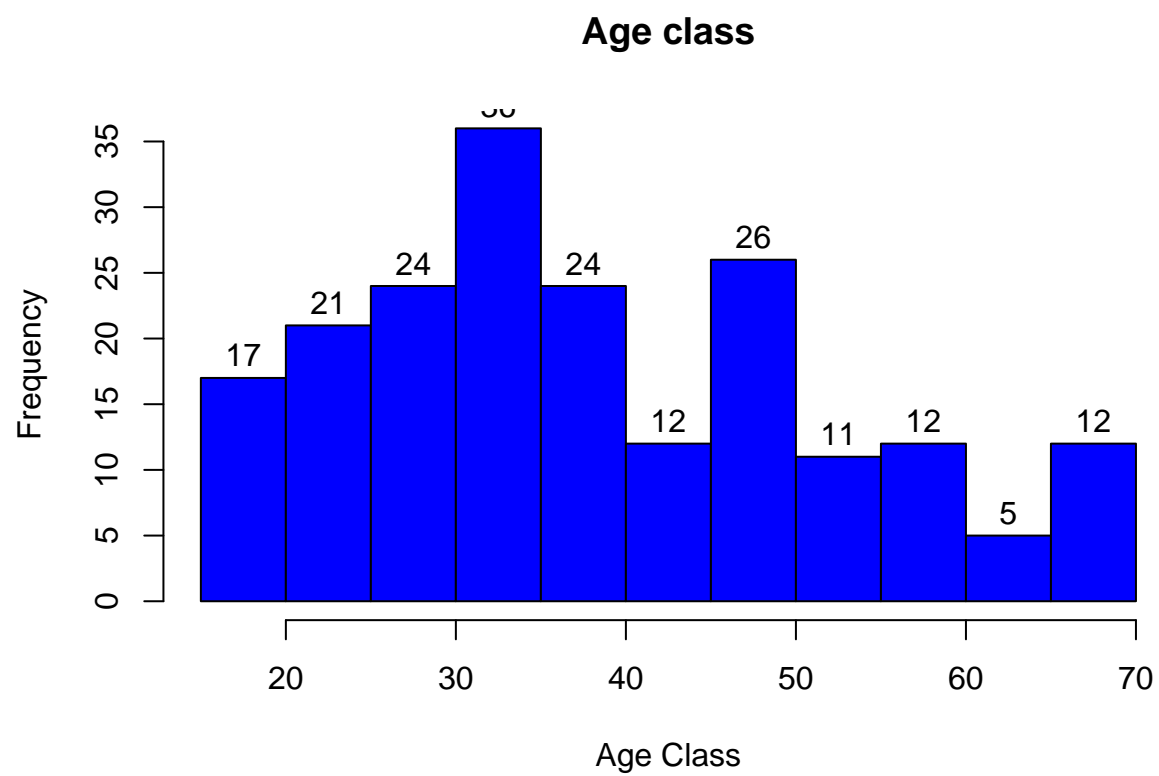
Customer Age Visualization

maximum customer ages are between 30 to 35 with minimum /maximum ages are 18 & 70 respectively

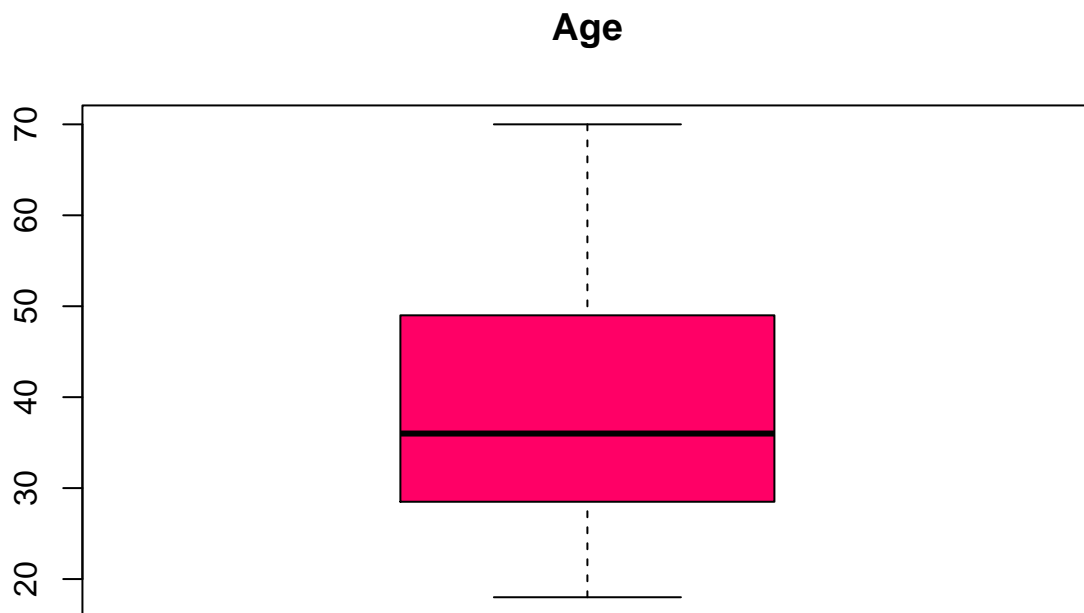
```
summary(customer_data$Age)
```

```
##      Min. 1st Qu.  Median    Mean 3rd Qu.    Max.      \n##  18.00   28.75   36.00   38.85   49.00   70.00
```

```
hist(customer_data$Age,\n      col="blue",\n      main="Age class",\n      xlab="Age Class",\n      ylab = "Frequency",\n      labels=TRUE)
```



```
boxplot(customer_data$Age,  
        col="#ff0066",  
        main="Age")
```



Analyzing Annual Income

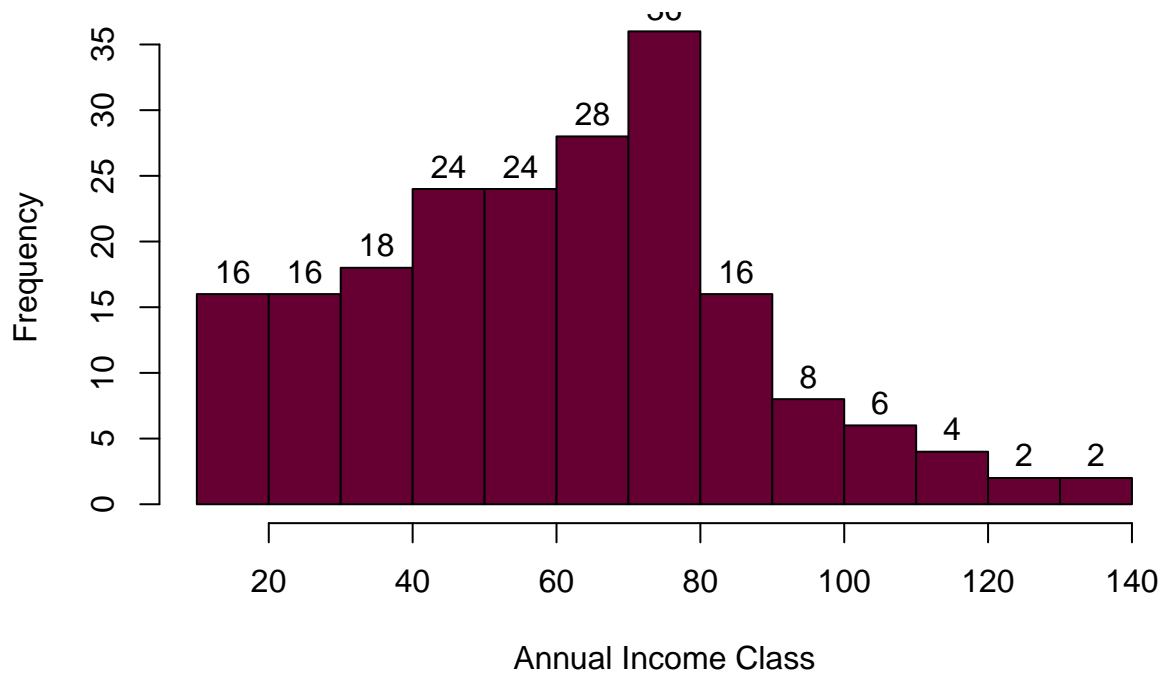
Income range lies between 15 to 137K range with average income being 60.56

```
summary(customer_data$Annual.Income..k..)
```

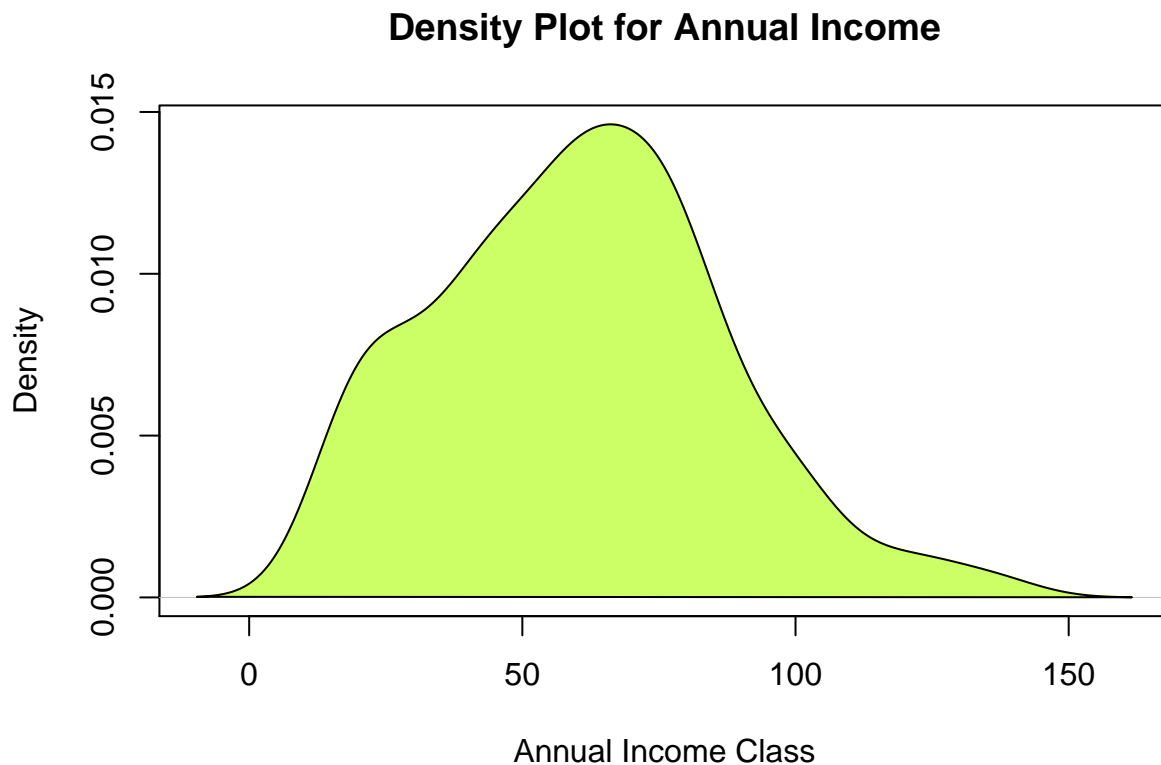
```
##    Min. 1st Qu.  Median    Mean 3rd Qu.    Max.
##   15.00  41.50   61.50   60.56  78.00  137.00
```

```
hist(customer_data$Annual.Income..k,
      col="#660033",
      main="Histogram of Annual Income",
      xlab="Annual Income Class",
      ylab="Frequency",
      labels=TRUE)
```


Histogram of Annual Income



```
plot(density(customer_data$Annual.Income..k..),  
     col="yellow",  
     main="Density Plot for Annual Income",  
     xlab="Annual Income Class",  
     ylab="Density")  
polygon(density(customer_data$Annual.Income..k..), col="#ccff66")
```



Analyzing Spending Score

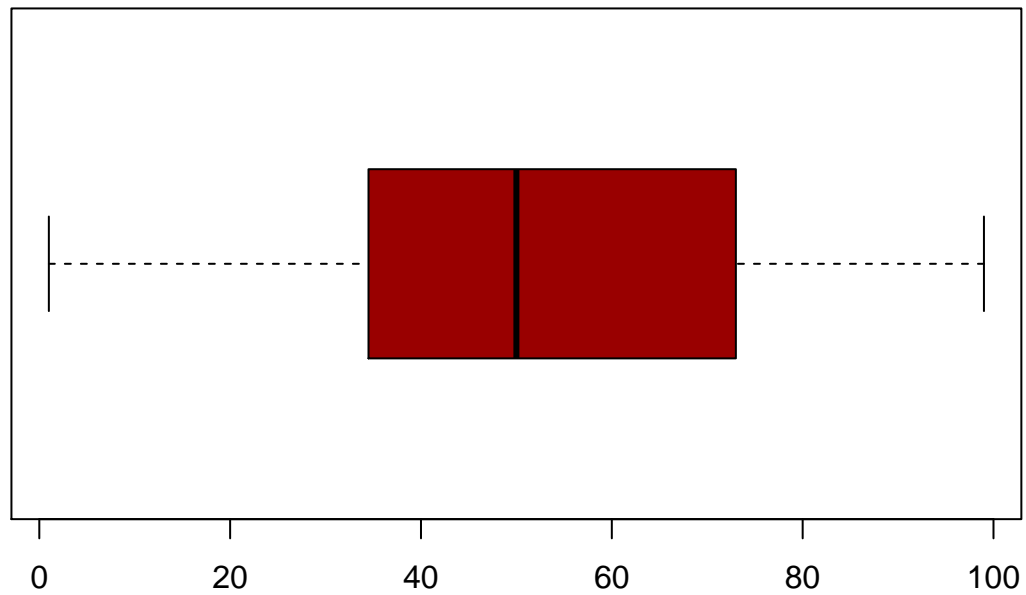
Spending score range is between 1 to 99 with average of 50.20. Histogram indicates customer between 40 and 50 have the highest spending score

```
summary(customer_data$Spending.Score..1.100.)
```

```
##      Min. 1st Qu.  Median    Mean 3rd Qu.    Max.
##      1.00  34.75   50.00   50.20  73.00   99.00
```

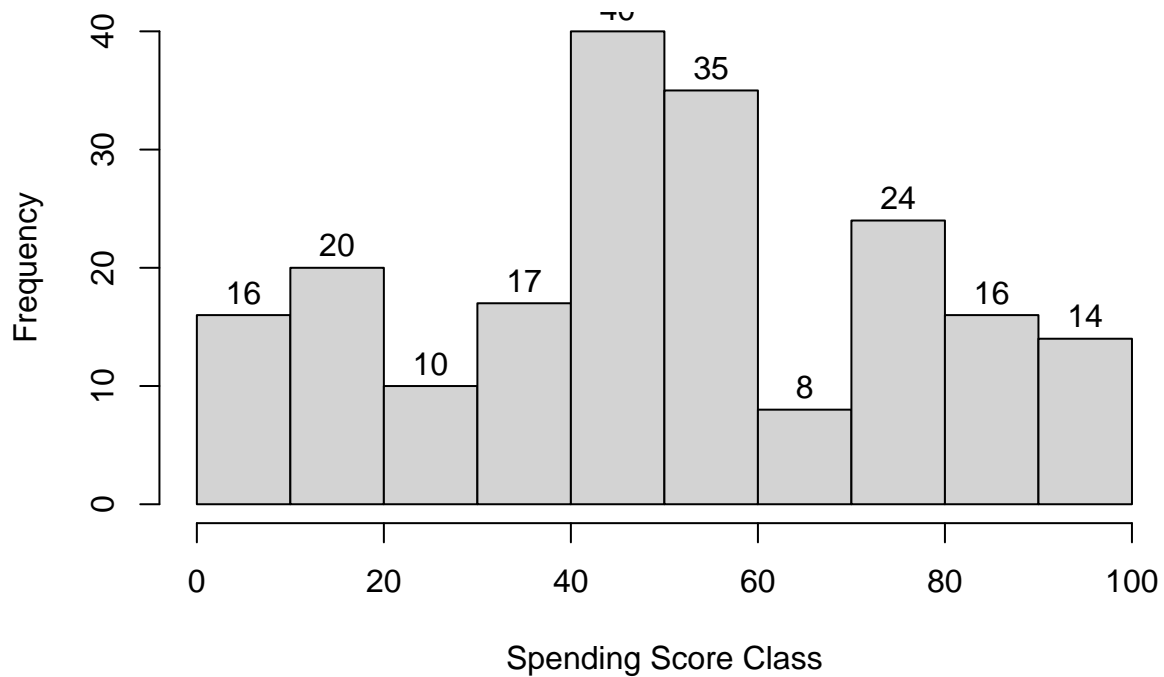
```
boxplot(customer_data$Spending.Score..1.100.,
         horizontal = TRUE,
         col="#990000",
         main="Boxplot of Spending Score")
```

Boxplot of Spending Score



```
hist(customer_data$Spending.Score..1.100.,  
      main = "Histogram for spending Score",  
      xlab = "Spending Score Class",  
      ylab = "Frequency",  
      labels = TRUE)
```

Histogram for spending Score



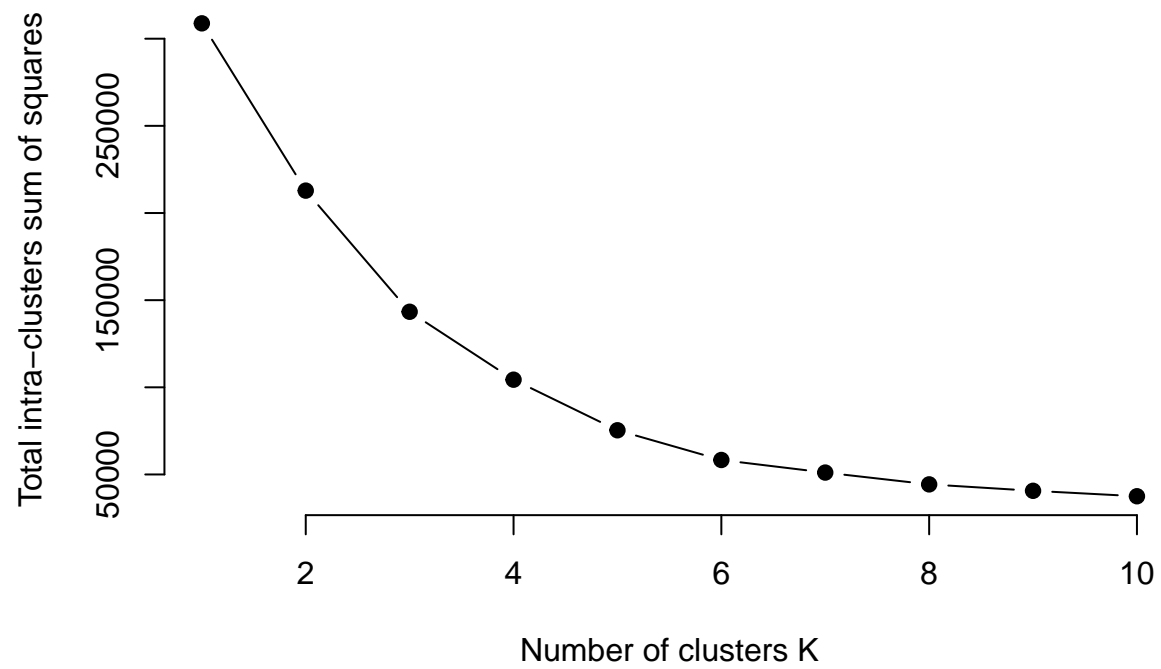
K-means Algorithm

```
set.seed(123)
# function to calculate total intra-cluster sum of square
iss <- function(k) {
  kmeans(customer_data[,3:5],k,iter.max=100,nstart=100,algorithm="Lloyd" )$tot.withinss
}

k.values <- 1:10

iss_values <- map_dbl(k.values, iss)

plot(k.values, iss_values,
     type="b", pch = 19, frame = FALSE,
     xlab="Number of clusters K",
     ylab="Total intra-clusters sum of squares")
```



```
k2<-kmeans(customer_data[,3:5],2,iter.max=100,nstart=50,algorithm="Lloyd")
s2<-plot(silhouette(k2$cluster,dist(customer_data[,3:5],"euclidean")))
```

Silhouette plot of (x = k2\$cluster, dist = dist(customer_data[, 3

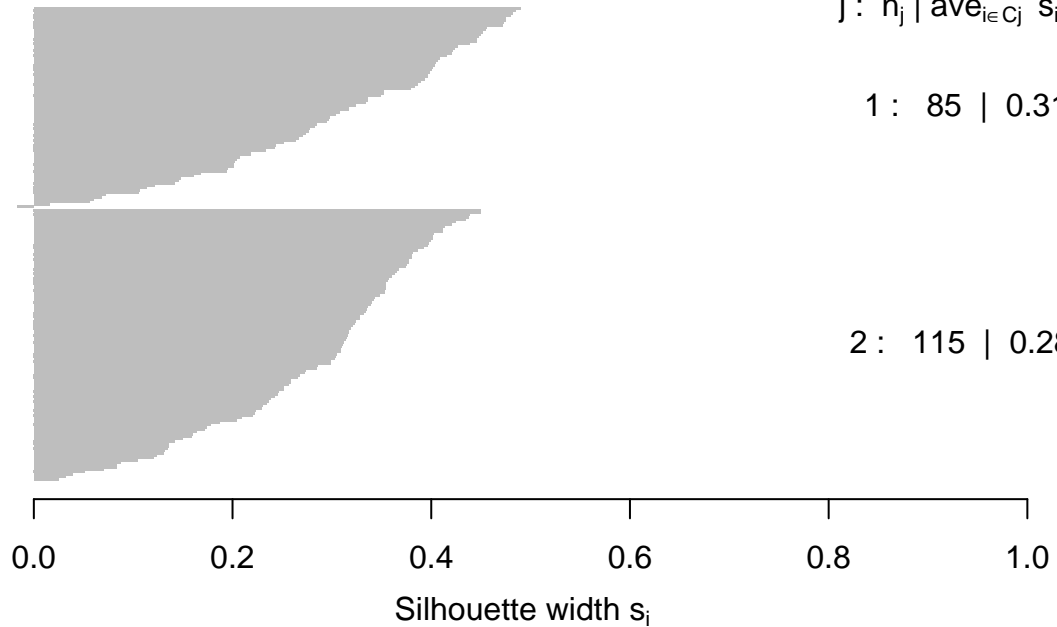
n = 200

2 clusters C_j

$j : n_j \mid \text{ave}_{i \in C_j} s_i$

1 : 85 | 0.31

2 : 115 | 0.28



Average silhouette width : 0.29

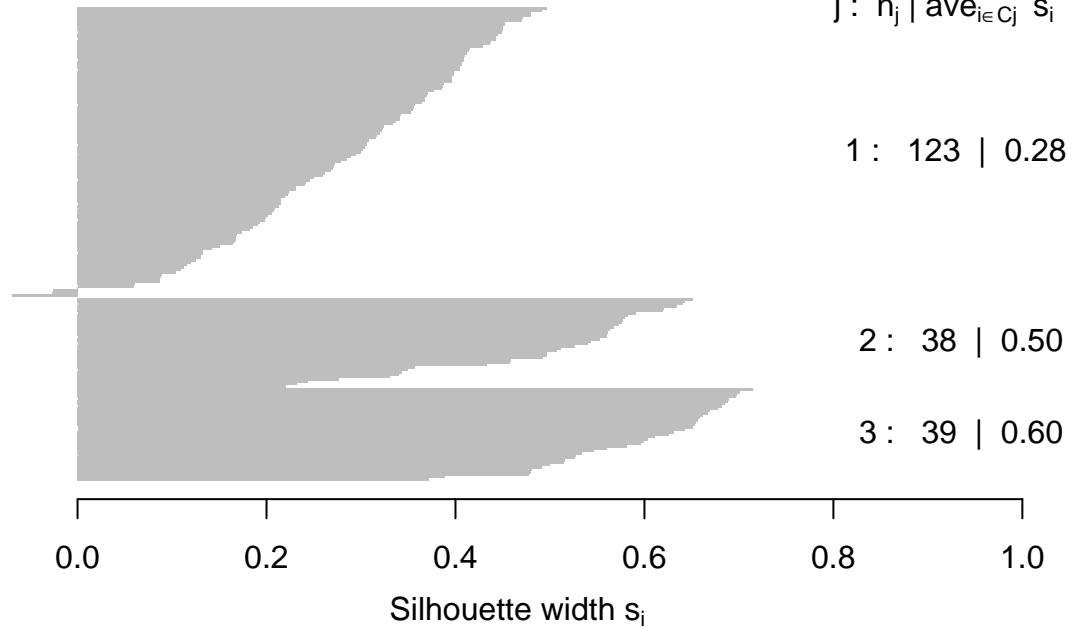
```
k3<-kmeans(customer_data[,3:5],3,iter.max=100,nstart=50,algorithm="Lloyd")
s3<-plot(silhouette(k3$cluster,dist(customer_data[,3:5],"euclidean")))
```

Silhouette plot of (x = k3\$cluster, dist = dist(customer_data[, 3:5],

n = 200

3 clusters C_j

$j: n_j \mid \text{ave}_{i \in C_j} s_i$

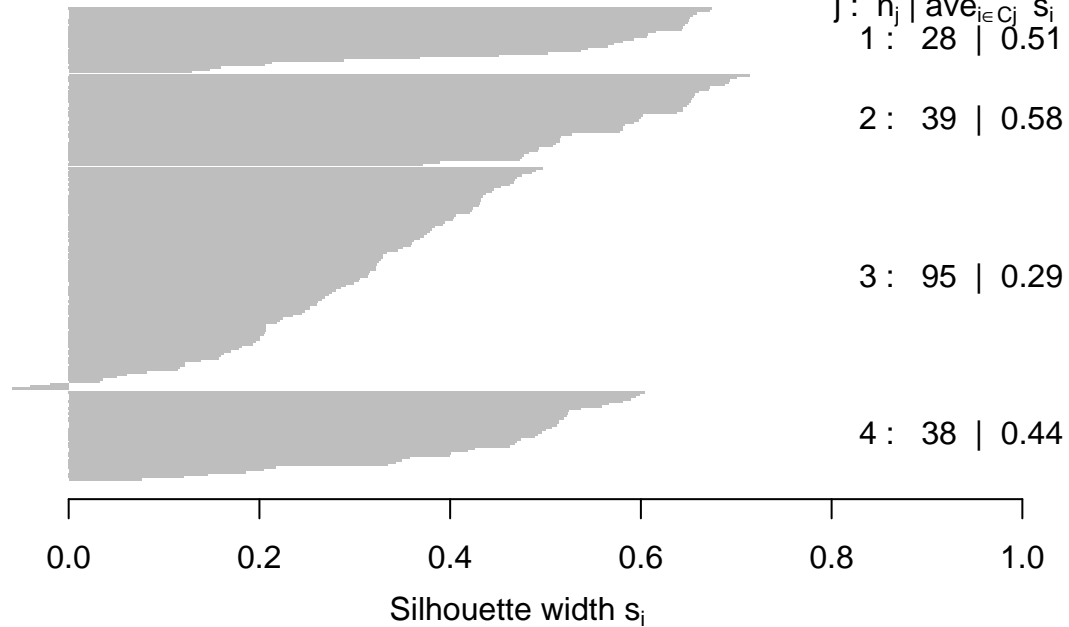


Average silhouette width : 0.38

```
k4<-kmeans(customer_data[,3:5],4,iter.max=100,nstart=50,algorithm="Lloyd")
s4<-plot(silhouette(k4$cluster,dist(customer_data[,3:5],"euclidean")))
```

Silhouette plot of (x = k4\$cluster, dist = dist(customer_data[, 3:5]))

n = 200



```
k5<-kmeans(customer_data[,3:5],5,iter.max=100,nstart=50,algorithm="Lloyd")
s5<-plot(silhouette(k5$cluster,dist(customer_data[,3:5],"euclidean")))
```


Silhouette plot of (x = k5\$cluster, dist = dist(customer_data[, 3:5

n = 200

5 clusters C_j

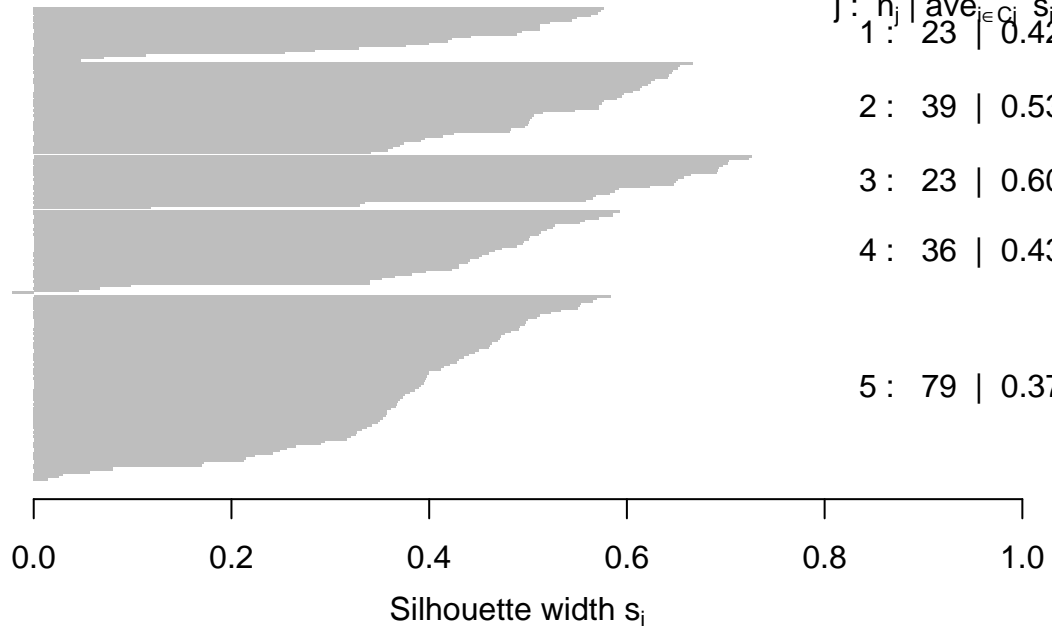
$j : n_j \mid \text{ave}_{i \in C_j} s_i$
1 : 23 | 0.42

2 : 39 | 0.53

3 : 23 | 0.60

4 : 36 | 0.43

5 : 79 | 0.37

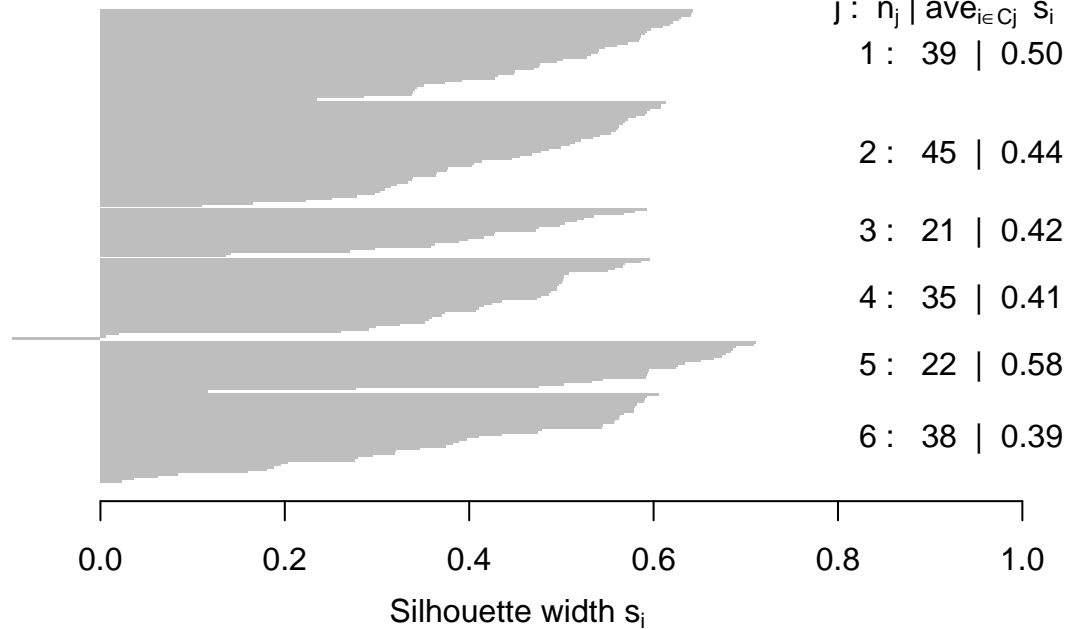


Average silhouette width : 0.44

```
k6<-kmeans(customer_data[,3:5],6,iter.max=100,nstart=50,algorithm="Lloyd")
s6<-plot(silhouette(k6$cluster,dist(customer_data[,3:5],"euclidean")))
```

Silhouette plot of (x = k6\$cluster, dist = dist(customer_data[, 3

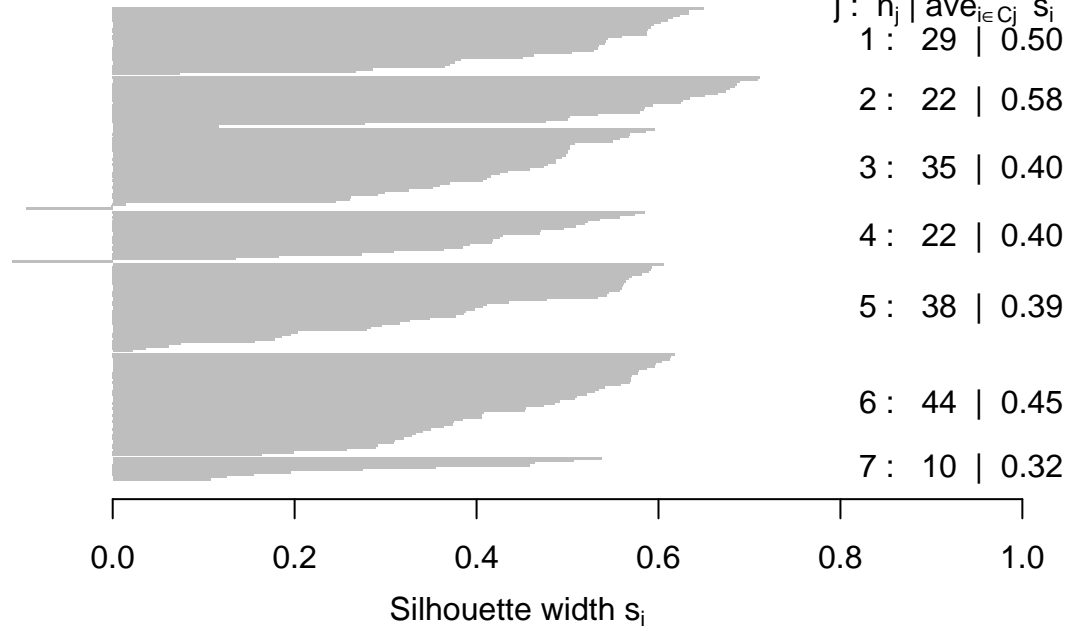
n = 200



```
k7<-kmeans(customer_data[,3:5],7,iter.max=100,nstart=50,algorithm="Lloyd")
s7<-plot(silhouette(k7$cluster,dist(customer_data[,3:5],"euclidean")))
```

Silhouette plot of (x = k7\$cluster, dist = dist(customer_data[, 3

n = 200



```
k8<-kmeans(customer_data[,3:5],8,iter.max=100,nstart=50,algorithm="Lloyd")
s8<-plot(silhouette(k8$cluster,dist(customer_data[,3:5],"euclidean")))
```

Silhouette plot of (x = k8\$cluster, dist = dist(customer_data[, 3

n = 200

8 clusters C_j

j : n_j | $\text{ave}_{i \in C_j} s_i$

1 : 29 | 0.50

2 : 10 | 0.32

3 : 22 | 0.58

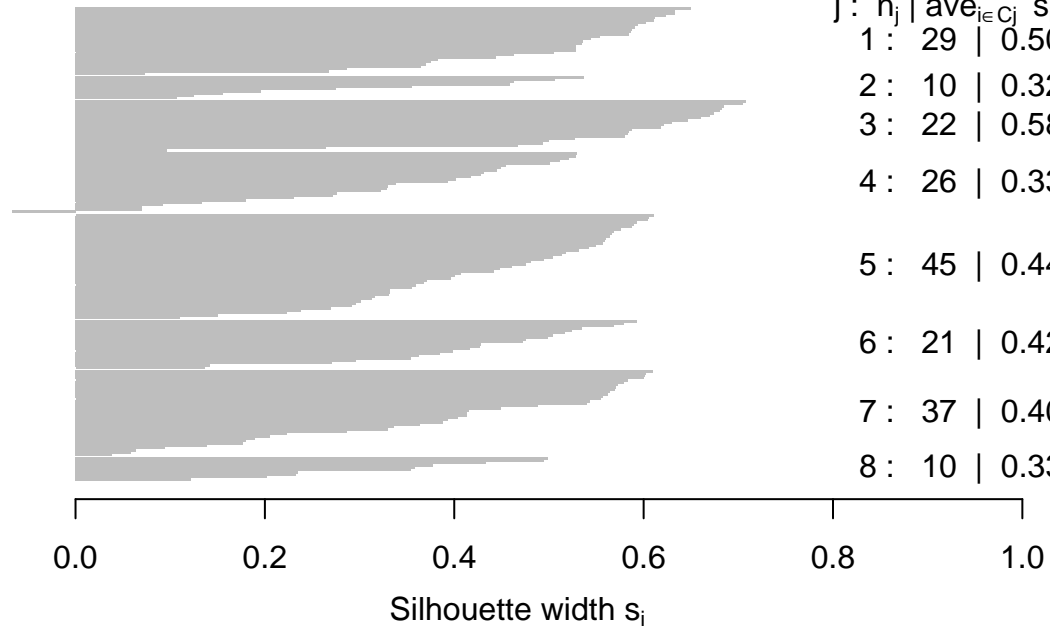
4 : 26 | 0.33

5 : 45 | 0.44

6 : 21 | 0.42

7 : 37 | 0.40

8 : 10 | 0.33



Average silhouette width : 0.43

```
k9<-kmeans(customer_data[,3:5],9,iter.max=100,nstart=50,algorithm="Lloyd")
s9<-plot(silhouette(k9$cluster,dist(customer_data[,3:5],"euclidean")))
```

Silhouette plot of (x = k9\$cluster, dist = dist(customer_data[, 3:5]))

n = 200

9 clusters C_j

$j : n_j \mid \text{ave}_{i \in C_j} s_i$

1 : 21 | 0.41

2 : 30 | 0.26

3 : 10 | 0.32

4 : 22 | 0.57

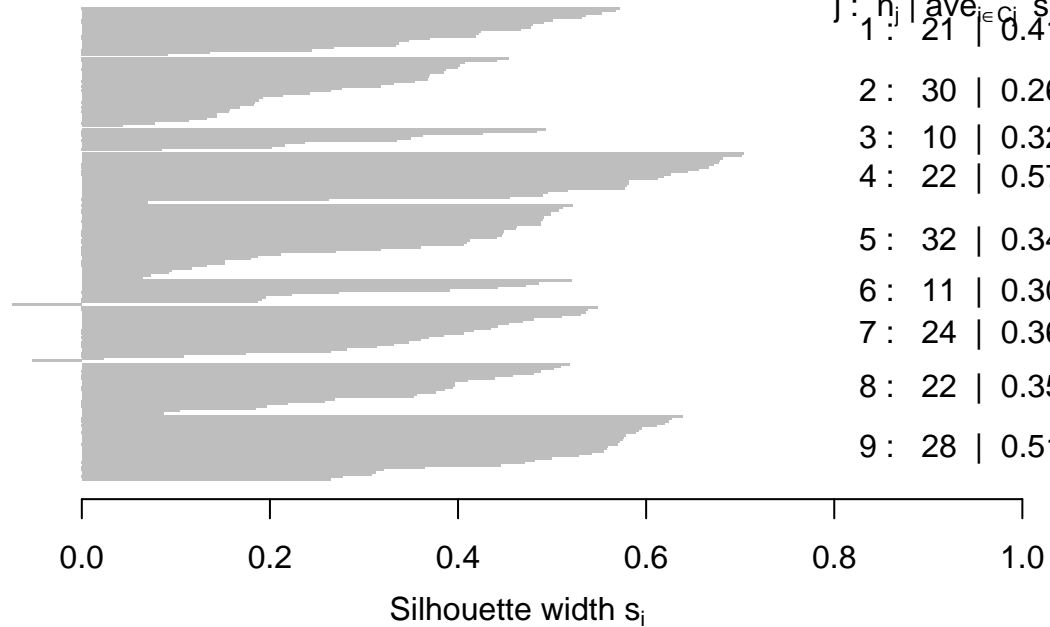
5 : 32 | 0.34

6 : 11 | 0.30

7 : 24 | 0.36

8 : 22 | 0.35

9 : 28 | 0.51



Average silhouette width : 0.39

```
k10<-kmeans(customer_data[,3:5],10,iter.max=100,nstart=50,algorithm="Lloyd")
s10<-plot(silhouette(k10$cluster,dist(customer_data[,3:5],"euclidean")))
```

Silhouette plot of (x = k10\$cluster, dist = dist(customer_data[,

n = 200

10 clusters C_j

j : n_j | $\text{ave}_{i \in C_j} s_i$
1 : 28 | 0.50

2 : 29 | 0.37

3 : 13 | 0.28

4 : 11 | 0.30

5 : 27 | 0.31

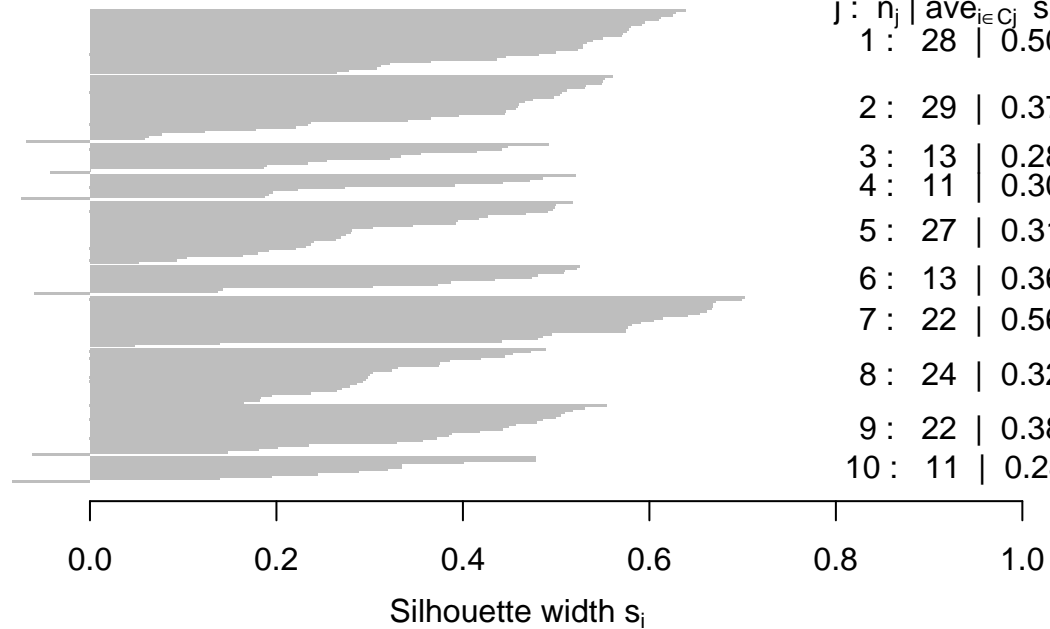
6 : 13 | 0.36

7 : 22 | 0.56

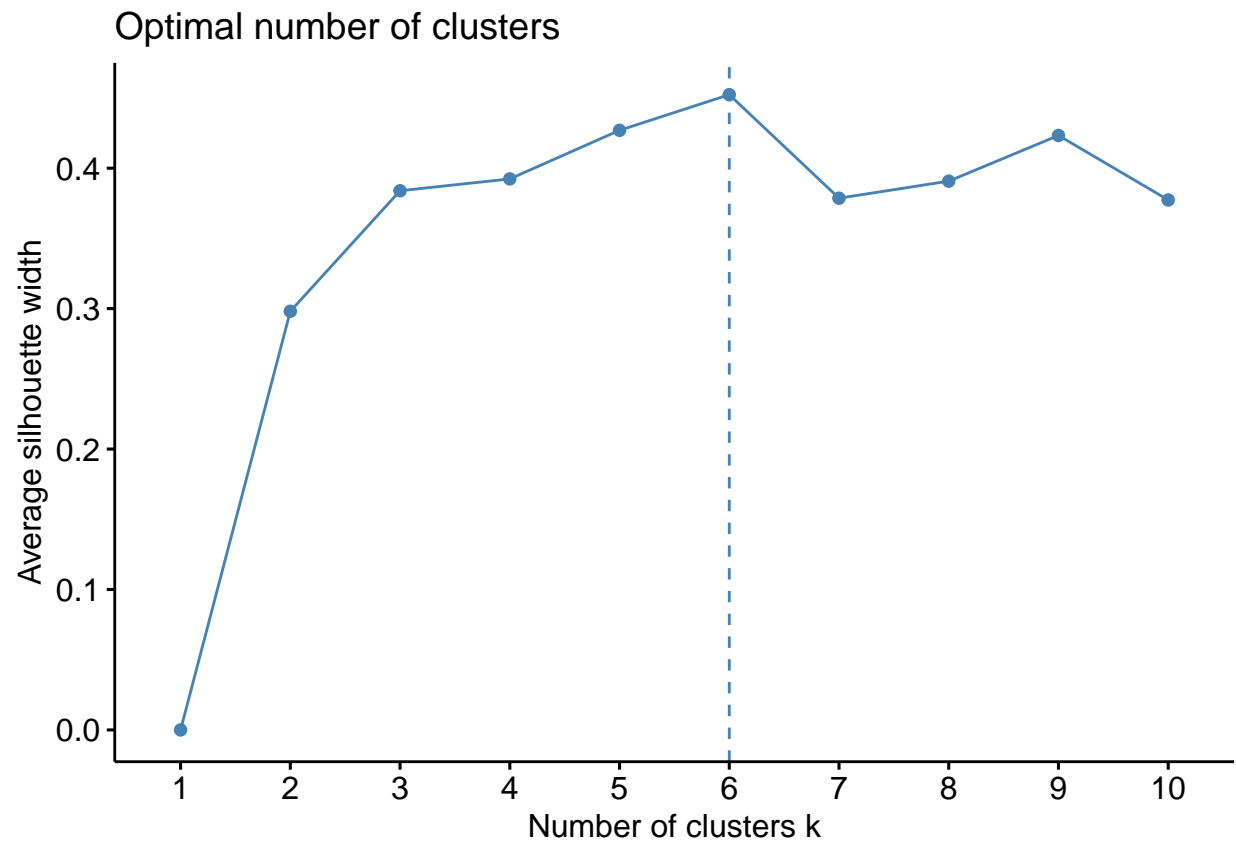
8 : 24 | 0.32

9 : 22 | 0.38

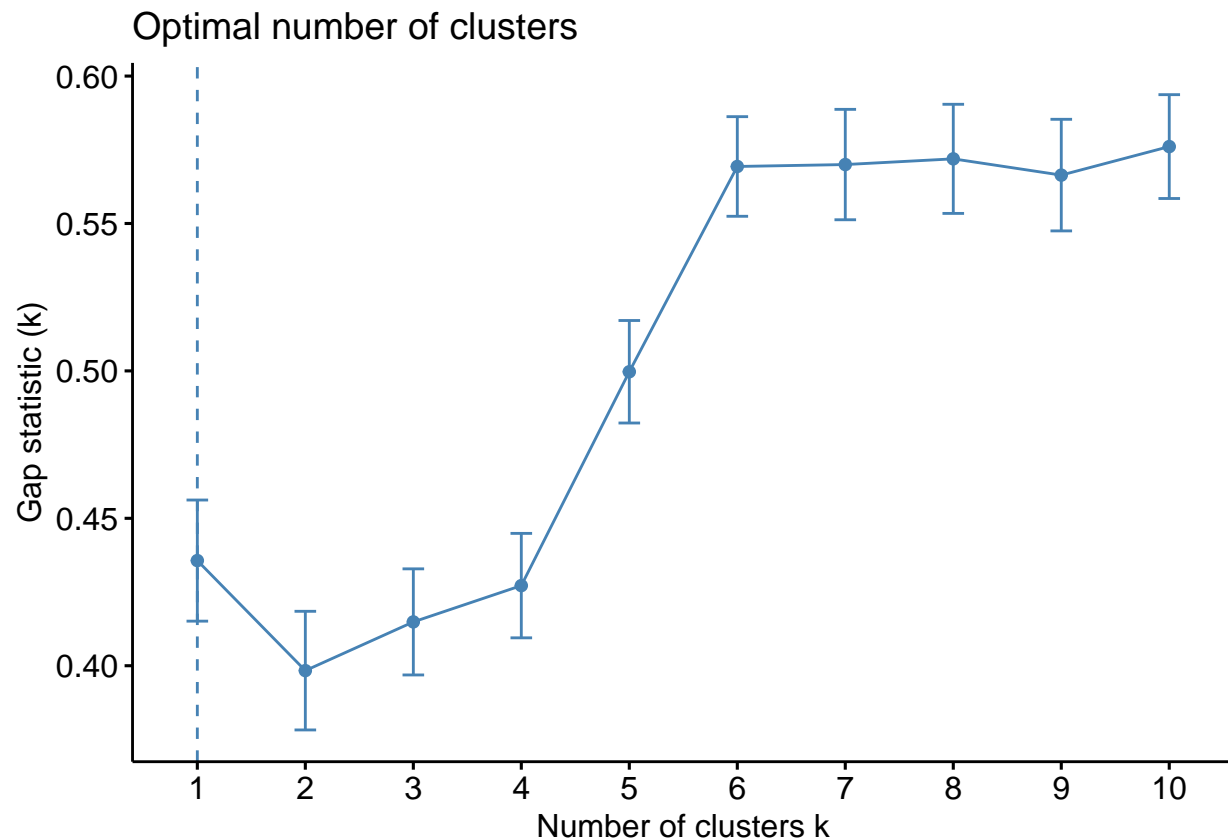
10 : 11 | 0.28



```
fviz_nbclust(customer_data[,3:5], kmeans, method = "silhouette")
```



```
set.seed(125)
stat_gap <- clusGap(customer_data[,3:5], FUN = kmeans, nstart = 25,
                   K.max = 10, B = 50)
fviz_gap_stat(stat_gap)
```



```
k6<-kmeans(customer_data[,3:5],6,iter.max=100,nstart=50,algorithm="Lloyd")
k6
```

```
## K-means clustering with 6 clusters of sizes 45, 22, 21, 38, 35, 39
```

```
##
```

```
## Cluster means:
```

```
##      Age Annual.Income..k.. Spending.Score..1.100.
```

```
## 1 56.15556      53.37778      49.08889
```

```
## 2 25.27273      25.72727      79.36364
```

```
## 3 44.14286      25.14286      19.52381
```

```
## 4 27.00000      56.65789      49.13158
```

```
## 5 41.68571      88.22857      17.28571
```

```
## 6 32.69231      86.53846      82.12821
```

```
##
```

```
## Clustering vector:
```

```
## [1] 3 2 3 2 3 2 3 2 3 2 3 2 3 2 3 2 3 2 3 2 3 2 3 2 3 2 3 2 3 2 3
```

```
## [38] 2 3 2 1 2 1 4 3 2 1 4 4 4 1 4 4 1 1 1 1 4 1 1 4 1 1 4 1 1 4 4 1 1 1
```

```
## [75] 1 4 1 4 4 1 1 4 1 1 4 1 1 4 4 1 1 4 1 4 4 4 1 4 1 4 4 1 1 4 1 4 1 1 1
```

```
## [112] 4 4 4 4 4 1 1 1 1 4 4 4 6 4 6 5 6 5 6 5 6 4 6 5 6 5 6 5 6 5 6 4 6 5 6 5 6
```

```
## [149] 5 6 5 6 5 6 5 6 5 6 5 6 5 6 5 6 5 6 5 6 5 6 5 6 5 6 5 6 5 6 5 6 5 6 5
```

```
## [186] 6 5 6 5 6 5 6 5 6 5 6 5 6 5 6
```

```
##
```

```
## Within cluster sum of squares by cluster:
```

```
## [1] 8062.133 4099.818 7732.381 7742.895 16690.857 13972.359
```

```
## (between_SS / total_SS = 81.1 %)
```

```
##
```



```
## Available components:
##
## [1] "cluster"      "centers"      "totss"        "withinss"     "tot.withinss"
## [6] "betweenss"    "size"         "iter"         "ifault"       "
```

```
pcclust=prcomp(customer_data[,3:5],scale=FALSE) #principal component analysis
summary(pcclust)
```

```
## Importance of components:
##
##          PC1      PC2      PC3
## Standard deviation 26.4625 26.1597 12.9317
## Proportion of Variance 0.4512 0.4410 0.1078
## Cumulative Proportion 0.4512 0.8922 1.0000
```

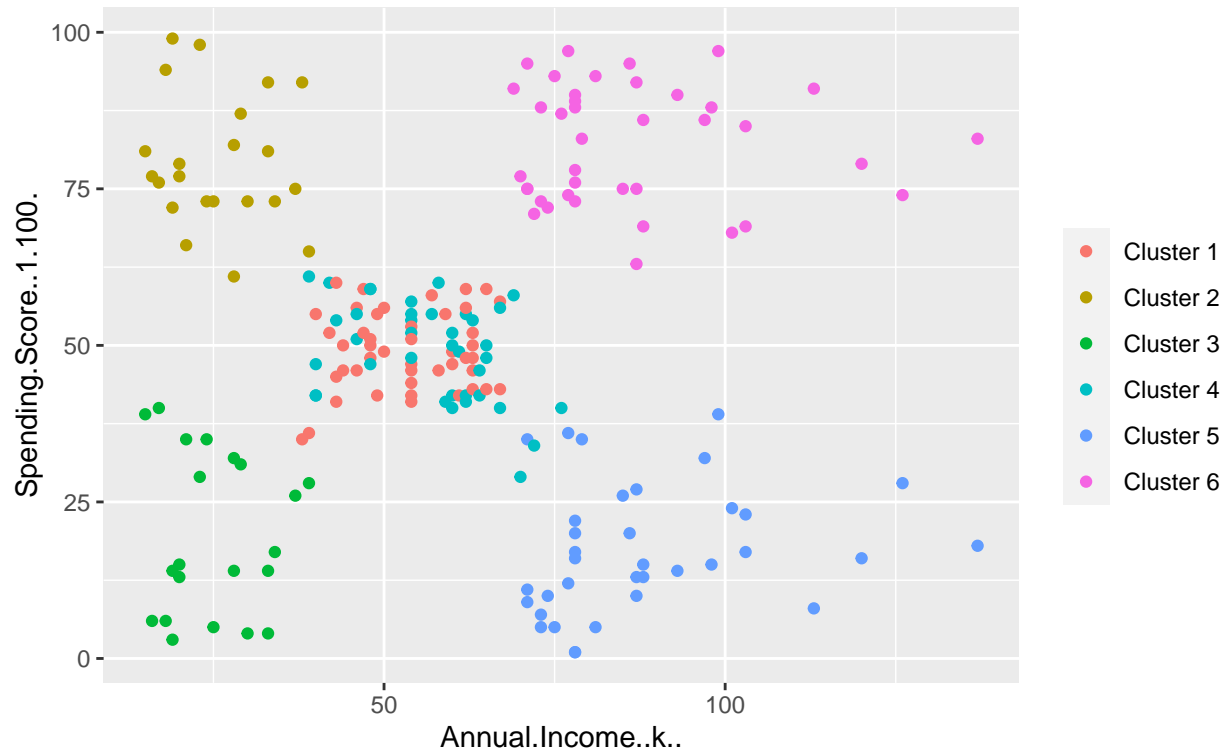
```
pcclust$rotation[,1:2]
```

```
##
##          PC1      PC2
## Age      0.1889742 -0.1309652
## Annual.Income..k.. -0.5886410 -0.8083757
## Spending.Score..1.100. -0.7859965 0.5739136
```

```
set.seed(1)
ggplot(customer_data, aes(x =Annual.Income..k., y = Spending.Score..1.100.)) +
  geom_point(stat = "identity", aes(color = as.factor(k6$cluster))) +
  scale_color_discrete(name=" ",
    breaks=c("1", "2", "3", "4", "5","6"),
    labels=c("Cluster 1", "Cluster 2", "Cluster 3", "Cluster 4", "Cluster 5","Cluster 6")) +
  ggtitle("Segments of Mall Customers", subtitle = "Using K-means Clustering")
```

Segments of Mall Customers

Using K-means Clustering



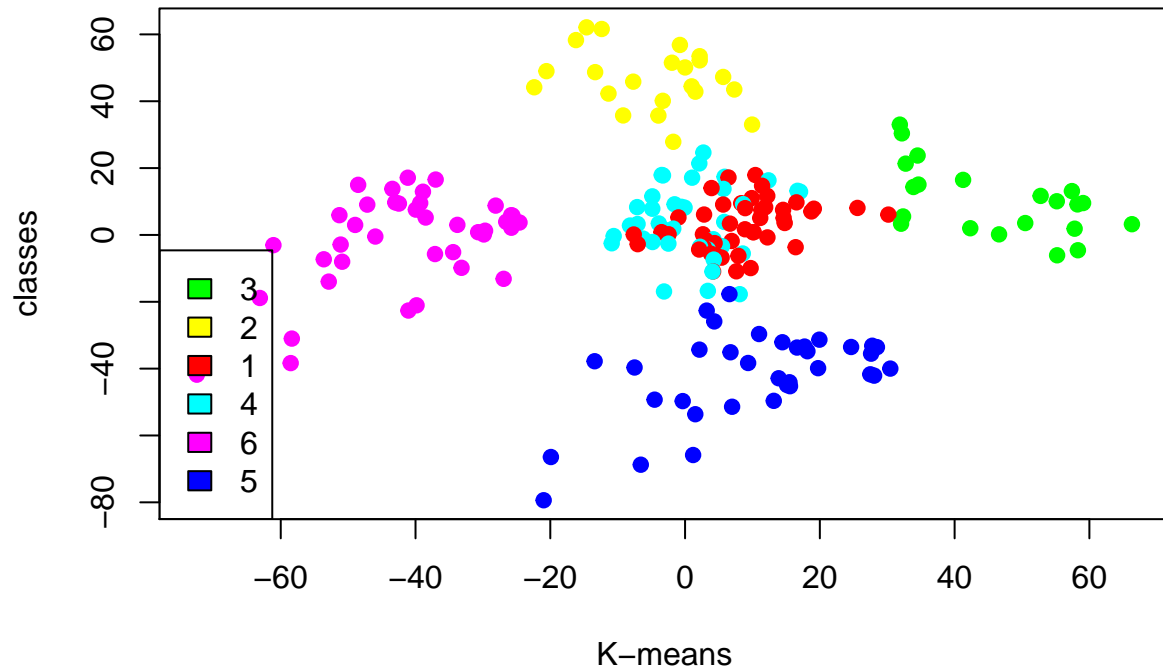
```
ggplot(customer_data, aes(x =Spending.Score..1.100., y =Age)) +
  geom_point(stat = "identity", aes(color = as.factor(k6$cluster))) +
  scale_color_discrete(name=" ",
    breaks=c("1", "2", "3", "4", "5","6"),
    labels=c("Cluster 1", "Cluster 2", "Cluster 3", "Cluster 4", "Cluster 5","Cluster 6"))
ggtitle("Segments of Mall Customers", subtitle = "Using K-means Clustering")
```

Segments of Mall Customers

Using K-means Clustering



```
kCols=function(vec){cols=rainbow (length (unique (vec)))  
return (cols[as.numeric(as.factor(vec))])}  
  
digCluster<-k6$cluster; dignm<-as.character(digCluster); # K-means clusters  
  
plot(pcclust$x[,1:2], col =kCols(digCluster),pch =19,xlab ="K-means",ylab="classes")  
legend("bottomleft",unique(dignm),fill=unique(kCols(digCluster)))
```



Limitations

In the process of project execution , I came across following limitations :

1. Customer tend to behave differently, and think differently, at different times or occasions. For example, dietary habits and preferences vary by occasion: Friday night diner is different from lunch during the week. Existing dataset doesn't have any variable with any behavioral attribute of the customer.
2. Shopping score can be derived from shopping history in conjunction with shopping event but existing dataset feeds shopping score directly without any dependent variable being captured.
3. Data size to get more accurate reading and predictions.

Concluding Remarks

Project is developed using unsupervised ML technique (**KMeans Clustering Algorithm**) in the simplest form. Project mimics supermarket shopping mall data which can be acquired through membership cards , Dataset provides basic data about customers like Customer ID, age, gender, annual income and spending score.

K-Menas clustering helps to segment group of customer on the basis of their age, gender, income and shopping score along with various visual presentations for marketing team to identify prospective customers to plan their strategy.

Project scope is limited to shopping mall but this approach can be reused for other domains by factoring variables of respective datasets to conduct unsupervised ML for respective marketing team.