STAT GR5241 HW5 Q3 mjs2364

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Problem 3 - Multinomial Clustering (25 points)

1. Implement the EM algorithm in R. The function call should be of the form m<-MultinomialEM(H,K,tau), with H the matrix of input histograms, K the number of clusters, and tau the threshold parameter.

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# Implementation
MultinomialEM <- function(H,K,tau){

set.seed(1)

#install.packages("plyr")
library("plyr")

# Parameters + data normalization
n <- nrow(H)
p <- ncol(H)
H <- H+0.01
H <- scale(H, center = F)

# Pre-allocation
t <- matrix(NA, nrow = 5, ncol = 16)
phi <- matrix(NA, nrow = n, ncol = K)
a <- matrix(0, nrow = n, ncol = K)
b <- matrix(NA, nrow = K, ncol = p)</pre>
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# Initial inputs
K_init <- sample((1:K), n, replace = T)</pre>
t <- daply(data.frame(H),.(K_init),colMeans)</pre>
c weights <- rep(1/K,K)</pre>
delta <- n
  while(delta > tau){
    # E Step
    phi <- exp(H %*% t(log(t)))</pre>
    a_new <- (phi %*% diag(c_weights)) / as.vector(phi %*% c_weights)</pre>
    # Assess measure of change of assignment
    delta <- norm( a_new - a ,"0")</pre>
    a <- a_new
    # M step
    c_weights <- colMeans(a)</pre>
    b <- t(a) %*% H
    t <- b / (rowSums(b))
  }
    # Soft to hard assignment
    m <- apply(a,1,which.max)</pre>
    return(m)
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2. Run the algorithm on the input data for K=3, K=4 and K=5 and visualize the results as an image.





