# CS446 HW1

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## 1 PCA:

(a)

• False: By definition of PCA, PCA is looking for finding the axis which minimizes the sum of squared distances from points to their orthogonal projections on that axis rather than the sum of all the vertical distances.

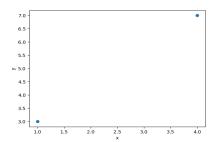
• True

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• False: By definition, as we mentioned before, the PCA is looking for two axes which are orthogonal projections with each other.

(b)

• First, we need to calculate the variance matrix of points (1,3), (4,7)



• graph here:

• let X do nate our data set such that  $\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 3 \\ 4 & 7 \end{bmatrix}$ 

• let u donate the mean of X is  $\begin{bmatrix} 2.5 & 5 \end{bmatrix}$ 

• lets donate X' to be the centered data set that  $\begin{bmatrix} -1.5 & -2 \\ 1.5 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$ 

 $\bullet \ \Sigma = X'^T @ X' / (number(X) - 1) = \begin{bmatrix} 4.5 & 6 \\ 6 & 8 \end{bmatrix}$ 

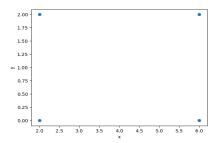
•  $eigenvalue(\Sigma) = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 12.5 \end{bmatrix}$ 

• corresponding  $eigenvector(\Sigma) = \begin{bmatrix} -0.8 & -0.6 \\ 0.6 & -0.8 \end{bmatrix}$ 

• since norm(w)=1, which means we are looking for the largest eigenvalue and corresponding eigenvector, w will be  $\begin{bmatrix} -0.6 \\ -0.8 \end{bmatrix}$ 

(c)

• data: (2,0),(2,2),(6,0),(6,2)



• graph here:

• we can re-do the process that we did in part (b)

• donate 
$$X = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 \\ 2 & 2 \\ 6 & 0 \\ 6 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$

• 
$$X' = X - mean(X) = \begin{bmatrix} -2 & -1 \\ -2 & 1 \\ 2 & -1 \\ 2 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

• then 
$$\Sigma = X^{'T} @ X/3 = \begin{bmatrix} 5.333 & 0 \\ 0 & 1.333 \end{bmatrix}$$

• Therefore,  $\Sigma$  has dimension 2

(d)

$$\bullet \ \Sigma = \begin{bmatrix} 12 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 6 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 20 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 10 \end{bmatrix}$$

• Since  $\Sigma$  is a linearly independent matrix, the eigenvalue of  $\Sigma$  is the number in diagonal, and the optimal value is the biggest eigenvalue of  $\Sigma$  which is 20, then the optimal w

will be 
$$\begin{bmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

### 2 K-mean

(a) The k-Means method is an unsupervised method. The K-means method is looking to classify data with a given number of clusters. To achieve this goal we have 3 steps:

- initialize the original centers of data
- assign data to different clusters
- calculated new center by Euclidean distance

We repeat the 2 and 3 steps until nothing changes with the assignment of data. In this process, we don't need to train our machine with data or any further modification to our algorithm. Therefore K-Means method is an unsupervised method.

(b)In the equation, we are looking for the minimal distance between  $x_i$  and  $\mu_1, ... \mu_K$ . We will assign  $x_i$  to the most recent cluster. However, some exceptions may happen like  $x_i$  has an equal distance with  $\mu_i, \mu_j : i, j \in K$ , then we can be assigned  $x_i$  to the first encountered cluster. Therefore, we can make sure the hard assignment is.

- (c) If we are asking to provide a soft assignment method, I would do the following.
  - arrange all  $\{\mu_i, \mu_j, ..., \mu_k\} \rightarrow \{\mu_1, \mu_2, ..., \mu_n\} : i, j, k \in K$ , and n donate the number of centers which has a same square distance with  $x_i$
  - setting a random number generator with range  $1 \rightarrow n$  and obtain number 1.
  - assign  $x_i$  to the  $\mu_l$
- (d) In this problem, I believe 5 would be an optimal number of clusters for two reasons.
  - When the number of clusters is smaller than 5 the squared distance between points and clusters is too large to present the real property of data.
  - when a number of clusters are larger than 5 we can see the squared distance only has a tiny change. which means 6,7,8,9,10 could be the number of clusters but 5 is better because less cluster means letter computation by the formula O(KNd).

- (e) I believe K-Means would not be an efficient algorithm for the graph of data because the blue cluster in inside of the orange cluster. Two situations may happen when we apply K-Means method:
  - If orange cluster was assigned entirely to the cluster  $\mu_k$ , then the blue cluster will also in  $\mu_k$
  - If there are two or more center inside of orange cluster, The orange cluster and blue cluster will be splits to pieces.

#### 2.1 K-Means 2

- (a) Considering our data set D is collected from  $\mathbb{R}^2$ . The domain of  $\mu_k$  will also in  $\mathbb{R}^2$  because  $\mu_k$  is the center of cluster in D will have same domain with D.
- (b)  $r_x$  is a column vector for assigning data x to some cluster  $\mu_k$ . By the definition of the K-Means method, any data  $x \in D$  will belong to one cluster in a single

iteration. $r_x$  will looks like  $\begin{vmatrix} \mathbf{r}_{x,1} \\ \mathbf{r}_{x,2} \\ \dots \\ \mathbf{r}_{x,k} \end{vmatrix}$ , and  $\forall k \in Kr_{x,k}$  means sending x to  $\mu_k$  cluster.

Therefore,  $r_{x,k}$  will have two choices that:

- $r_{x,k} = 1$ , if  $k = argmin_{k \in \{1,...,k\}} ||x \mu_k||_2^2$
- $r_{x,k} = 1$ , otherwise

That will be the optimal  $r_{x,k}$ .

(c) When we have a fixed  $r_{x,k}$  we can find the optimal  $\mu_k$  by calculating the first derivative and considering the situation of the first derivative equal to 0:

$$\sum_{x \in D, k \in \{1, \dots, k\}} \frac{1}{2} r_{x,k} \|x - \mu_k\|_2^2 = \sum_{x \in D} r_{x,k} (x - \mu_k) = 0$$
 (1)

$$\to \mu_k = \frac{\sum_{x \in D} r_{x,k} * x}{\sum_{x \in D} r_{x,k}} \tag{2}$$

- (d) Lets define
  - Data in 2D:  $X = \{x^{(1)}, ..., x^{(n)}\}$ , n is size of X
  - Clusters with initial center:  $K = \{\mu_1, \mu_2, ..., \mu_m\}$ , m is size of K
  - $x^{(i)}$  and  $\mu_k$  is vector consist axes  $\begin{bmatrix} x & y \end{bmatrix} \in \mathbb{R}^2$  and  $k \leq m, i \leq n$

As we discussed previously in class, the two steps are:

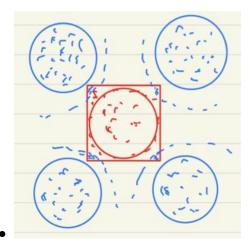
- Assigning data X to clusters K, such that  $x^{(i)} \to \mu_k$
- ullet to calculate the average distance inside of cluster and define a new center of the cluster

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#### pseudo-code here:

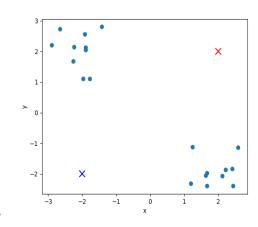
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# pseudo-code:
# def K-mean():
     2D vector: clusters (store points)
     while loop: loop continue if step2(X,K)(new clusters) not equal to clusters
#
          renew clusters: clusters=step2(X,K)
#
          renew K: K=step3(clusters)
#
      return K
# def step3(clusters):
      mean_K(1d vector with size m)= mean of clusters
#
      return mean K
# def step2(X,K):
      for i in size of X:
          minimal_distance=Maximun_distance
          index= m+1
          for k in size of K:
              if distance(x(i),u(k))< minimal_distance{</pre>
                  minimal_distance=distance(x(i),u(k))
                  index=k
              }
          put x(i) in clusters at index
      return clusters
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- This algorithm is not guaranteed to converge, if the initial point is just at the center of the local optimal, the algorithm will stop. To solve this problem we can try multiple times with initialization to avoid exceptions. In that case, the K-Means will guaranteed to converge.
- Global optimum also not guaranteed example here:

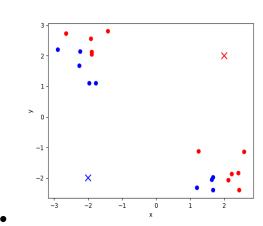


• Suppose there are 5 clusters with 1 square and 4 circles, when we apply the K-Means method, the angle of the square which is outside of the red circle will be split which will cause global optimal failure,

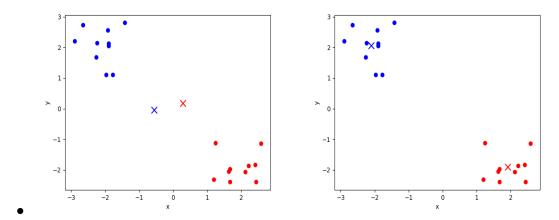
(e) In the question, we have two different clusters and we only need to repeat 2.3 steps twice. The graphs here:



initial state: 'x' is center of cluster with  $\begin{bmatrix} c1 & c2 \\ 2 & -2 \\ 2 & -2 \end{bmatrix}$ 



- after first converge of steps 2 and 3: 'x'=  $\begin{bmatrix} c1 & c2 \\ 0.2911 & -0.5545 \\ 0.1694 & -0.0518 \end{bmatrix}$



• after second converge of steps 2 and 3:  $\mathbf{\dot{x}'} = \begin{bmatrix} c1 & c2 \\ 1.9163 & -2.0952 \\ -1.9143 & 2.0540 \end{bmatrix}$ , which is our final answer of centers, and my function cost is 243.039505.

## 3 Gaussian Mixture Models

(a)

• In the class lecture, we defined the GMM that:

$$P(x^{(i)}|\pi, \mu, \sigma) = \sum_{k=1}^{K} \pi_k N(x^i|\mu_k, \sigma_k)$$
 (3)

• after we log-likelihood this equal:

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$$\log \Pi_{i \in D} P(x^{(i)} | \pi, \mu, \sigma) = \sum_{i \in D} \log \sum_{k=1}^{K} \pi_k N(x^i | \mu_k, \sigma_k)$$
 (4)

(b) As we defined and proved in class:

- $\mu_k = \frac{1}{N_k} \sum_{i \in D} r_{ik} x^{(i)}$ ,  $N_k$  is the number of element in cluster  $k^{th}$
- $\sigma_k^2 = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i \in D} r_{ik} (x^{(i)} \mu_k)^2$
- $\pi_k = \frac{N_k}{N}$

when K=1, which means we only have one cluster in our data set. Then  $\mu_1, \sigma_1, \pi_1$  will be:

- $\mu_1 = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i \in D} x^{(i)}$ ,  $N_k = N$  because all data in the same cluster, and we delete  $r_{ik}$  for the same reason.
- $\sigma_1^2 = \frac{1}{N} \sum_{i \in D} (x^{(i)} \mu_1)^2$
- $\pi_1 = \frac{N_k}{N} = 1$ , since  $N_k = N$

(c) Let define the  $P(z_{i1},...,z_{ik})$  first:

- since  $P(z_{ik} = 1) = \pi_k$
- then  $P(z_{i1},...,z_{ik}) = P(z_i) = \prod_{k=1}^K \pi_k^{z_{ik}}$
- $\bullet$  Then the probability distribution underlying Gaussian mixture models will be:

$$P(x^{i}|\pi,\mu,\sigma) = \sum_{z_{i}} P(x^{i}|z_{i})p(z_{i}) = \sum_{z_{i}} \prod_{k=1}^{K} \pi_{k}^{z_{ik}} N(x^{i}|\mu_{k},\sigma_{k})^{z_{ik}}$$
 (5)

(d) In the class lecture, we defined the posterior  $r_{ik} = P(Z_{ik}|x^{(i)})$ 

$$P(Z_{ik}|x^{(i)}) = \frac{P(Z_{ik} = 1)P(x^{(i)}|Z_{ik} = 1)}{\sum_{\hat{k}=1}^{K} P(Z_{i\hat{k}} = 1)P(x^{(i)}|Z_{i\hat{k}} = 1)}$$
(6)

$$= \frac{\pi_k N(x^i | \mu_k, \sigma_k)}{\sum_{\hat{k}=1}^K \pi_{\hat{k}} N(x^i | \mu_{\hat{k}}, \sigma_{\hat{k}})}$$
(7)

we can see that we can use  $N(x^i|\mu_k, \sigma_k)$  wherever possible and Gaussian distribution over  $x_i \in \mathbb{R}$  having mean  $\mu_k$  and  $\sigma_2^k$ 

#### (e) The K-Means and GMM is related in 3 different ways:

- In K-Means method  $\sum r_{ik} = 1$ , which is a hard assignment but in GMM the sum could be bigger than 1 by the latent variable  $z_{ik}$  that allows oval cluster to exist is a soft assignment.
- The variance in the K-Means methods are equal in all clusters, but, in the GMM, the variance of different clusters is different
- $\pi_k$  is the mixing coefficients that only GMM have which used to present the proportion of each component in GMM.

#### (f) proof:

$$\lim_{\epsilon \to 0} -\epsilon \log \sum_{k=1}^{K} \exp \frac{-F_k}{\epsilon} = \min_k F_k, \epsilon \in \mathbb{R}^+$$
 (8)

- let define a p such that  $\lim_{\epsilon \to 0} p = \frac{1}{\epsilon}$  :  $p \to \inf$
- Then

$$\lim_{\epsilon \to 0} -\epsilon \log \sum_{k=1}^{K} \exp \frac{-F_k}{\epsilon} \tag{9}$$

$$\Rightarrow \lim_{p \to \inf} -\frac{1}{p} \log \sum_{k=1}^{K} \exp -F_k * p \tag{10}$$

$$\Rightarrow -log \lim_{p \to \inf} \left( \sum_{k=1}^{K} (\exp -F_k)^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} \tag{11}$$

• we can see  $\left(\sum_{k=1}^{K}(\exp{-F_k})^p\right)^{\frac{1}{p}}$  is a norm function with infinity norm:

$$-log \lim_{p \to \inf} \left( \sum_{k=1}^{K} (\exp -F_k)^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}} = -log \lim_{p \to \inf} (\| \exp -F_k \|_p)$$
 (12)

- we know the infinity norm is looking for the maximum value of the equation.
- then  $\lim_{p\to\inf}(\|\exp -F_k\|_p) = \exp -\min_k F_k$
- $-log \lim_{p \to \inf} (\| \exp -F_k \|_p) = \min_k F_k$
- the equation is valid, prof complete.

#### (g) The 0-temperature limit of GMM will be:

$$\lim_{\epsilon \to 0} \min_{u} \sum_{x^{i} \in D} -\epsilon \log \sum_{k=1}^{K} \exp \frac{-(x_{i} - \mu_{k})^{2}}{\epsilon}$$
(13)

- since we proved  $\lim_{\epsilon \to 0} -\epsilon \log \sum_{k=1}^K \exp \frac{-F_k}{\epsilon} = \min_k F_k, \epsilon \in \mathbb{R}^+$  in (f)
- Let  $F_k = (x \mu_k)^2$  we can do a simple replacement that:

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$$\lim_{\epsilon \to 0} \min_{u} \sum_{x^{i} \in D} -\epsilon \log \sum_{k=1}^{K} \exp \frac{-(x_{i} - \mu_{k})^{2}}{\epsilon} = \min_{u} \sum_{x^{i} \in D} \lim_{\epsilon \to 0} -\epsilon \log \sum_{k=1}^{K} \exp \frac{-(x_{i} - \mu_{k})^{2}}{\epsilon}$$

$$(14)$$

$$= \min_{k} \lim_{\epsilon \to 0} -\epsilon \log \sum_{k=1}^{K} \exp \frac{-F_k}{\epsilon} = \min_{k} F_k = \min_{u,k} \sum_{x^i \in D} (x_i - \mu_k)^2$$
 (15)

• We can see this is the form of K-Means