# **Task 3: Customer Segmentation / Clustering**

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#### **Number of Clusters Formed**

• **Optimal Number of Clusters:** The notebook used **5 clusters**, determined explicitly in the code (optimal\_clusters = 5). The clustering method employed was K-Means.

#### **Davies-Bouldin Index (DB Index)**

• Value: 0.9915

• Interpretation: A Davies-Bouldin Index close to 0 indicates better clustering performance. The score suggests reasonably compact and well-separated clusters.

#### **Other Relevant Clustering Metrics**

#### 1. Clustering Approach:

 Algorithm: K-Means clustering was used with an optimal number of 5 clusters.

#### Preprocessing Steps:

- StandardScaler was applied to normalize numerical features, ensuring features like TotalSpent, TotalQuantity,
  TransactionCount, and AveragePrice had consistent scales.
- Similarity Metric: The clustering relies on Euclidean distance after scaling.

### 2. Dimensionality Reduction:

 PCA (Principal Component Analysis) was mentioned, potentially used for visualization or dimensionality reduction, though its detailed role is not clear from the extracted data.

## 3. Clustering Results Storage:

 The final cluster assignments were saved in a file named Clustering\_Results.csv, including the CustomerID and respective cluster labels.