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# **Clustering of High-Achieving Students Using Fuzzy C-Means**

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# Basic Concepts Fuzzy C Means

- Data is located in more than one cluster.
- Each data in a cluster has a weight.
- The concept used are fuzzy logic and fuzzy set.
- Fuzzy logic was first developed by Lotfi Zadeh through his writing in 1965 entitled “Fuzzy Set”.
- A fuzzy set is a mathematical model derived from vague qualitative or quantitative data, often generated through natural language. Its membership value is between 0 and 1.

# Fuzzy C Means Algorithm

- Enter the data to be grouped  $X$ , in the form of an  $n \times m$  matrix
- Determine: number of cluster, bobot, maximum iteration, expected smallest error, initial objective function, initial iteration.
- Generate random numbers with and are the elements of the initial partition matrix .
- Calculate the k cluster center:
- Calculate the objective function in the iteration
- Calculate the change of partition matrix

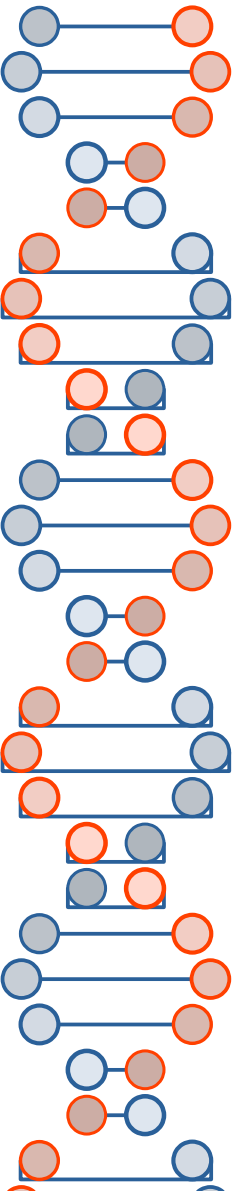
$$\mu_{ik} = \frac{\mu_{ik}}{Q_i}$$

$$V_{kj} = \frac{\sum_{i=1}^n ((\mu_{ik})^w * x_{ij})}{\sum_{i=1}^n (\mu_{ik})^w}$$

$$P_t = \sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{k=1}^c ([\sum_{j=1}^m (x_{ij} - V_{kj})^2](\mu_{ik}^w))$$

$$\mu_{ik} = \frac{[\sum_{j=1}^m (X_{ij} - V_{kj})^2]^{\frac{-1}{(w-1)}}}{\sum_{k=1}^c [\sum_{j=1}^m (X_{ij} - V_{kj})^2]^{\frac{-1}{(w-1)}}}$$

# Fuzzy C Means Algorithm

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- 1) Select an initial fuzzy pseudo-partition, e.e., assign values to all  $W_{ij}$
  - 2) Repeat
  - 3) compute the centroid of each cluster using the fuzzy partition
  - 4) Update the fuzzy partition i.e. the  $W_{ij}$
  - 5) Until the centroid don't change

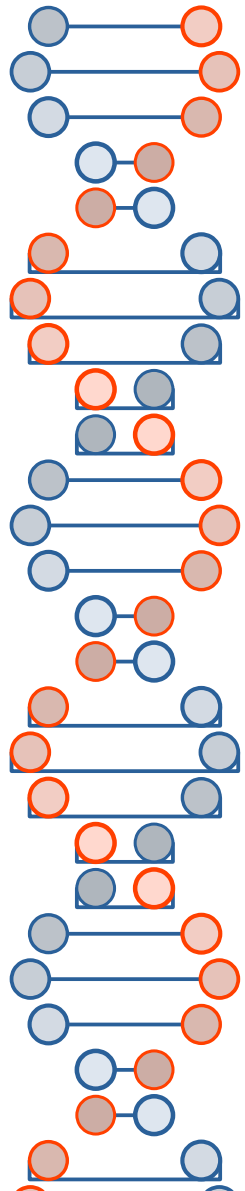
There's alternative stopping criteria. Ex.” change in the error is bellow a specified threshold”, or “absolute change in any  $W_{ij}$  is below a given threshold”

# Data

|    | A        | B     | C     | D        |
|----|----------|-------|-------|----------|
| 1  | Presensi | Tugas | Rapor | Motivasi |
| 2  | 2        | 60    | 73.1  | Sedang   |
| 3  | 10       | 90    | 75    | Tinggi   |
| 4  | 5        | 87    | 65.5  | Rendah   |
| 5  | 5        | 89    | 65.6  | Rendah   |
| 6  | 6        | 77    | 63.8  | Rendah   |
| 7  | 10       | 89    | 76.5  | Tinggi   |
| 8  | 9        | 90    | 77.4  | Tinggi   |
| 9  | 6        | 86    | 71.6  | Tinggi   |
| 10 | 6        | 85    | 65.1  | Rendah   |
| 11 | 10       | 90    | 75.7  | Tinggi   |
| 12 | 8        | 87    | 75.1  | Tinggi   |
| 13 | 8        | 84    | 65.8  | Rendah   |
| 14 | 4        | 88    | 66.5  | Sedang   |
| 15 | 10       | 85    | 64.8  | Tinggi   |
| 16 | 7        | 86    | 66.7  | Sedang   |

|    | A     | B        | C     | D     | E        |
|----|-------|----------|-------|-------|----------|
| 1  | Siswa | Presensi | Tugas | Rapor | Motivasi |
| 2  | 1     | 0        | 0.5   | 0.5   | 0.5      |
| 3  | 2     | 1        | 1     | 1     | 1        |
| 4  | 3     | 0.5      | 1     | 0     | 0        |
| 5  | 4     | 0.5      | 1     | 0     | 0        |
| 6  | 5     | 1        | 1     | 0     | 0        |
| 7  | 6     | 1        | 1     | 1     | 1        |
| 8  | 7     | 1        | 1     | 1     | 1        |
| 9  | 8     | 1        | 1     | 0.5   | 1        |
| 10 | 9     | 1        | 1     | 0     | 0        |
| 11 | 10    | 1        | 1     | 1     | 1        |
| 12 | 11    | 1        | 1     | 1     | 1        |
| 13 | 12    | 1        | 1     | 0     | 0        |
| 14 | 13    | 0.5      | 1     | 0     | 0        |
| 15 | 14    | 1        | 1     | 0     | 1        |
| 16 | 15    | 1        | 1     | 0     | 0.5      |

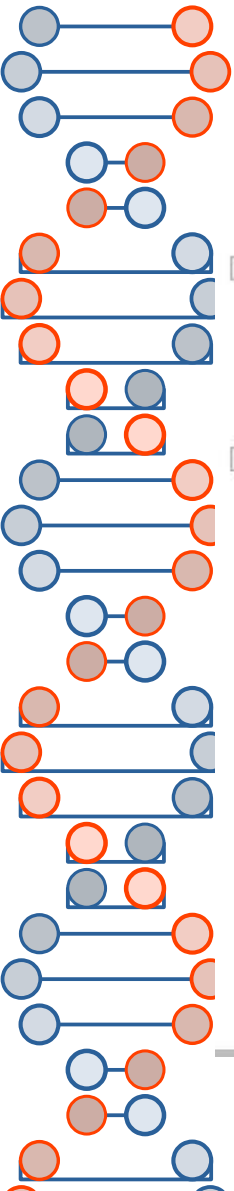
Convert numbers to a set of fuzzy numbers by determining the upper and lower limits



## Libraries used

- `import numpy as np, numpy.random`  
`from scipy.spatial import distance`
- `import numpy as np`
- `import matplotlib.pyplot as plt`
- `import pandas as pd`  
`from fcmeans import FCM`

# Implementation



```
[10]: import numpy as np, numpy.random
      from scipy.spatial import distance
      k = 2
      p = 4
```

```
[11]: X = np.array([
        [0,0.5,0.5,0.5],
        [1,1,1,1],
        [0.5,1,0,0],
        [0.5,1,0,0],
        [1,1,0,0],
        [1,1,1,1],
        [1,1,1,1],
        [1,1,0.5,1],
        [1,1,0,0],
        [1,1,1,1],
        [1,1,1,1],
        [1,1,0,0],
        [0.5,1,0,0],
        [1,1,0,1],
        [1,1,0,0.5]])
```

```
# Print the number of data and dimension
n = len(X)
d = len(X[0])
addZeros = np.zeros((n, 1))
X = np.append(X, addZeros, axis=1)
print("The FCM algorithm: \n")
print("The training data: \n", X)
print("\nTotal number of data: ",n)
print("Total number of features: ",d)
print("Total number of Clusters: ",k)
```

# Implementation

The FCM algorithm:

The training data:

```
[[0.  0.5 0.5 0.5 0. ]
 [1.  1.  1.  1.  0. ]
 [0.5 1.  0.  0.  0. ]
 [0.5 1.  0.  0.  0. ]
 [1.  1.  0.  0.  0. ]
 [1.  1.  1.  1.  0. ]
 [1.  1.  1.  1.  0. ]
 [1.  1.  1.  1.  0. ]
 [1.  1.  0.5 1.  0. ]
 [1.  1.  0.  0.  0. ]
 [1.  1.  1.  1.  0. ]
 [1.  1.  1.  1.  0. ]
 [1.  1.  0.  0.  0. ]
 [0.5 1.  0.  0.  0. ]
 [1.  1.  0.  1.  0. ]
 [1.  1.  0.  0.5 0. ]]
```

Total number of data: 15

Total number of features: 4

Total number of Clusters: 2

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```
#Randomly initialize the weight matrix¶
weight = np.random.dirichlet(np.ones(k),size=n)
print("\nThe initial weight: \n", np.round(weight,2))
```

The initial weight:

```
[[0.15 0.85]
 [0.45 0.55]
 [0.02 0.98]
 [0.18 0.82]
 [0.41 0.59]
 [0.34 0.66]
 [0.94 0.06]
 [0.14 0.86]
 [0.9  0.1 ]
 [0.64 0.36]
 [0.91 0.09]
 [0.  1.  ]
 [0.41 0.59]
 [0.76 0.24]
 [0.58 0.42]]
```



# Implementation

```
for it in range(3): # Total number of iterations
```

```
    # Compute centroid
```

```
    for j in range(k):
```

```
        denoSum = sum(np.power(weight[:,j],2))
```

```
        sumMM = 0
```

```
        for i in range(n):
```

```
            mm = np.multiply(np.power(weight[i,j],p),X[i,:])
```

```
            sumMM +=mm
```

```
        cc = sumMM/denoSum
```

```
        C[j] = np.reshape(cc,d+1)
```

```
print("\nUpdating the fuzzy pseudo partition")
```

Updating the fuzzy pseudo partition

```
for i in range(n):
```

```
    denoSumNext = 0
```

```
    for j in range(k):
```

```
        denoSumNext += np.power(1/distance.euclidean(C[j,0:d], X[i,0:d]),1/(p-1))
```

```
        for j in range(k):
```

```
            w = np.power((1/distance.euclidean(C[j,0:d], X[i,0:d])),1/(p-1))/denoSumNext
```

```
            weight[i,j] = w
```

# Implementation

```
print("\nSSE: ", np.round(SSE, 4))
```

SSE: 1.6009

```
!pip install fuzzy-c-means
```

```
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```

# Implementation

```
print("\nThe final weights: \n", np.round(weight,2))
```

The final weights:

```
[[0.5  0.5 ]
 [0.53 0.47]
 [0.46 0.54]
 [0.46 0.54]
 [0.49 0.51]
 [0.53 0.47]
 [0.53 0.47]
 [0.53 0.47]
 [0.49 0.51]
 [0.53 0.47]
 [0.53 0.47]
 [0.49 0.51]
 [0.46 0.54]
 [0.52 0.48]
 [0.51 0.49]]
```

```
for i in range(n):
    cNumber = np.where(weight[i] == np.amax(weight[i]))
    X[i,d] = cNumber[0][0]
```

```
print("\nThe data with cluster number: \n", X)
```

The data with cluster number:

```
[[0.  0.5 0.5 0.5 0. ]
 [1.  1.  1.  1.  0. ]
 [0.5 1.  0.  0.  1. ]
 [0.5 1.  0.  0.  1. ]
 [1.  1.  0.  0.  1. ]
 [1.  1.  1.  1.  0. ]
 [1.  1.  1.  1.  0. ]
 [1.  1.  0.5 1.  0. ]
 [1.  1.  0.  0.  1. ]
 [1.  1.  1.  1.  0. ]
 [1.  1.  1.  1.  0. ]
 [1.  1.  0.  0.  1. ]
 [0.5 1.  0.  0.  1. ]
 [1.  1.  0.  1.  0. ]
 [1.  1.  0.  0.5 0. ]]
```

```
SSE = 0
for j in range(k):
    for i in range(n):
        SSE += np.power(weight[i,j],p)*distance.euclidean(C[j,0:d], X[i,0:d])
```

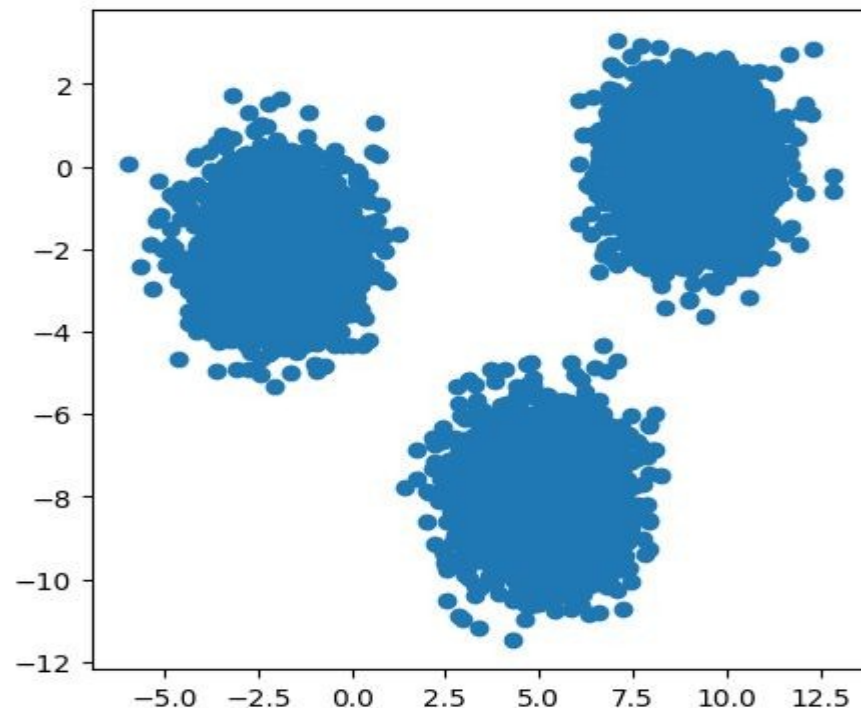
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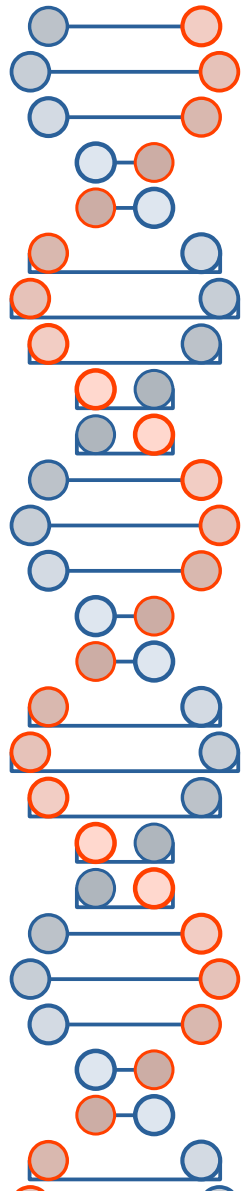
```
import numpy as np
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
import pandas as pd
from fcmeans import FCM
```

```
samples=3000
x=np.concatenate((np.random.normal((-2,-2),size=(samples,2)),
                  np.random.normal((9,0),size=(samples,2)),
                  np.random.normal((5,-8),size=(samples,2))
                ))
```

```
plt.figure(figsize=(5,5))
plt.scatter(x[:,0],x[:,1],alpha=1)
plt.show()
```

```
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plt.scatter(x[:,0],x[:,1],alpha=1)
plt.show()
```





# Implementation

```
fcm=FCM(n_clusters=2)
fcm.fit(x)
```

```
fcm_center=fcm.centers
fcm_labels=fcm.predict(x)
```

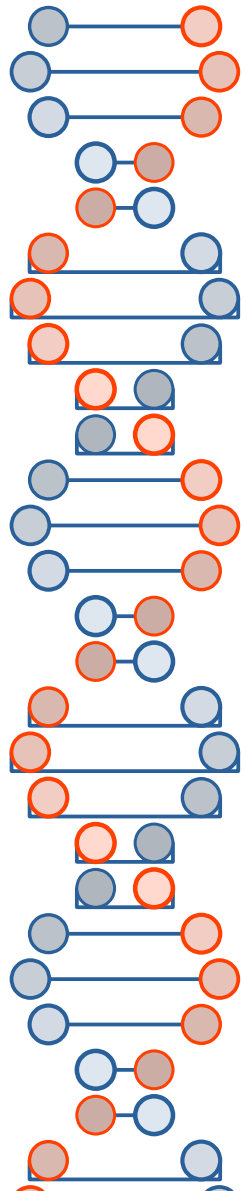
```
fcm_center
```

```
array([[ 7.82164474, -2.46697422],
       [-0.94409682, -2.90282964]])
```

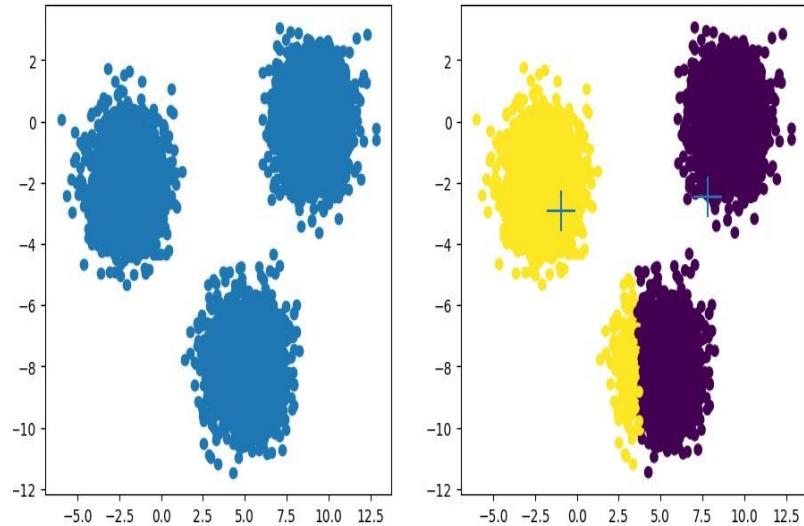
```
fcm_labels
```

```
array([1, 1, 1, ..., 0, 0, 0])
```

```
f,axes=plt.subplots(1,2,figsize=(11,5))
axes[0].scatter(x[:,0],x[:,1],alpha=1)
axes[1].scatter(x[:,0],x[:,1],c=fcm_labels,alpha=1)
axes[1].scatter(fcm_center[:,0],fcm_center[:,1],marker="+",s=500)
plt.show()
```



# Implementation





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