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Problem Statement

Implement K-means algorithm using MPI. The k-Means algorithm aims to partition N data points into k groups called clusters, such that each data point belongs to a cluster with nearest mean.

Algorithm

- 1. Generate the data and divide the data equally on to each cluster.
- 2. Choose initial K data points as the initial centroids.
- 3. Broadcast the initial centroids to each of the cluster.
- 4. For each data point calculate the distance of the data point from each centroid to find the nearest cluster.
- 5. Assign that data point to nearest cluster.
- 6. Calculate the centroids of the new clusters by averaging data points in the new cluster.
- 7. Calculate flag = difference between old and new centroids
- 8. if flag < threshold then go to Step 3. Else stop.

Submission

The submission contains a source code file named "mpi_k_mean.c" and the executable file "mpi_k_mean.exe" and the output file "output_12.txt"