

CS 565 – Project 1

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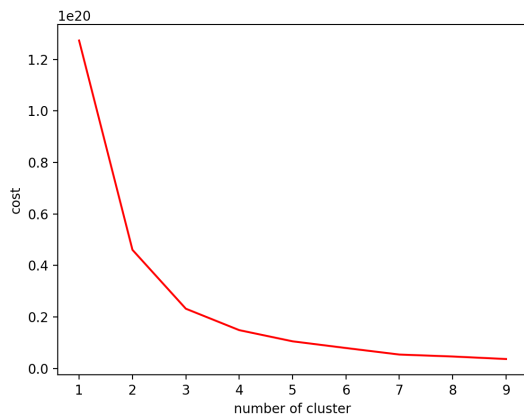
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Exercise 1

see attached source code

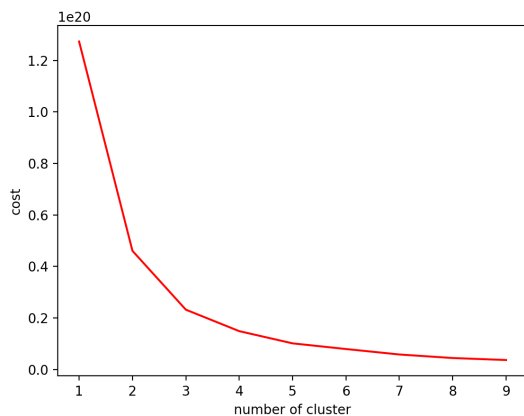
Exercise 2

graph for k-means performance under different number of clusters:



From the graph above, we can see that the cluster represents the data reasonably well when the number of cluster is around 3 to 5.

graph for k-means++ performance under different number of clusters:

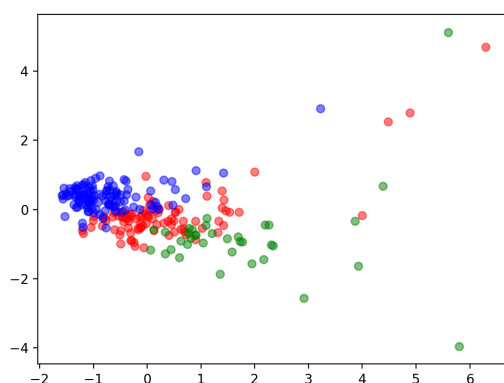


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Exercise 3

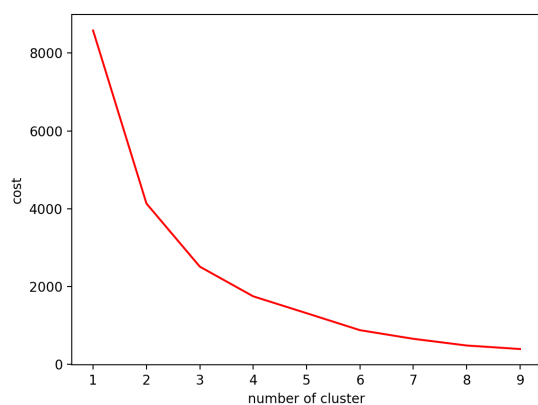
graph for cluster after PCA analyze:



From the graph above, since the data is relatively centered at the same spot due to the *total_votes* feature, which is obtained from multiplying *vote_average* and *vote_count*. So the cluster tend to have a long oval shape instead of regular circle one.

Exercise 4

graph for 1d-kmeans performance under different number of clusters:



From the graph above, we can see that the cluster represents the data reasonably well when the number of cluster is around 5 to 7.

Exercise 5

The computed disagreement distance of cluster produced by k-means++ and cluster produced by 1d-kmeans is 2778614