Part A

a. Provide your algorithm

Code is in ./Hw3/kMeansAlgo/kMeans.py

Algorithm:

- 1. Select random k data points as centroids
- 2. Calculate the distance of all the data points from these centroids
- 3. Assign the points to centroids they are closest to
- 4. average the cluster data points to re-calculate the centroids
- 5. If the centroids don't move much, go to step 6. Else, go to step 1
- 6. Scatter plot the data points with the centroids they belong to

b.Provide your test cases including boundary test conditions and the clusters you obtained on applying your algorithm

TEST CASES:

Dataset 1: [[2,4],[2,6], [2,8], [10,4], [10,6], [10,8]]

Tested with values k = 0,1,2,3,6,7

Results:

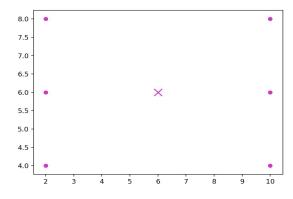
K = 0

I have added an error for this case as number of clusters cannot be zero

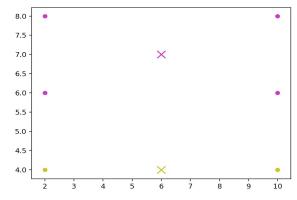
K = 7

Added error for this as it does not make sense to have more number of clusters than the data points

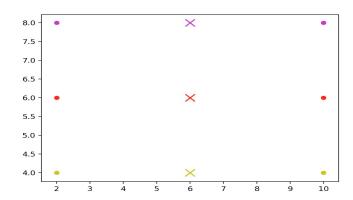
$$K = 1$$
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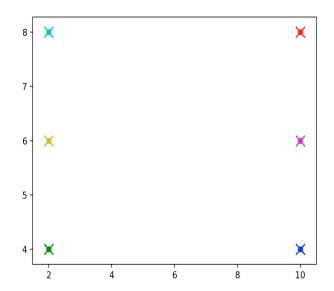




$$K = 3$$
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K = 6



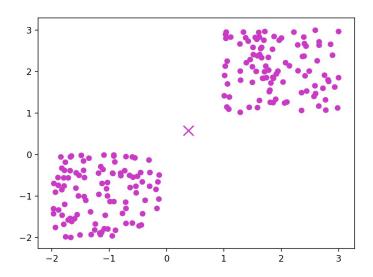
I have also added error for empty dataset, as it does not make sense to apply the algorithm in case of empty dataset.

Dataset 2:

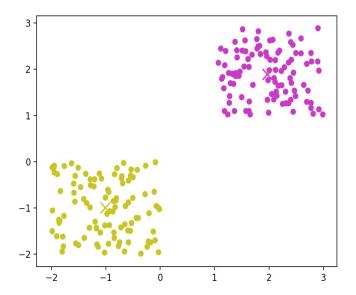
X= -2 * np.random.rand(200,2) X1 = 1 + 2 * np.random.rand(100,2) X[100:200, :] = X1

Generated random data

K = 1



K =2



c.Mention the drawbacks of the k-means algorithm

- Difficult to predict K-Value.
- Different initialization values of centroids give different resultsCan be handled for numerical data only