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Evaluation

Performance Indicator	Max. Marks	Marks Obtained
Performance	5	
Understanding	5	
Journal work and timely submission	10	
Total	20	

Performance Indicator	Exceed Expectations (EE)	Meet Expectations (ME)	Meet Expect Below Expectations (BE)
Performance	4-5	2-3	1
Understanding	4-5	2-3	1
Journal work and timely submission	8-10	5-8	1-4

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Aim: To Study and Implement K-Medoids algorithm



Objective: Understand the working of K-Medoids algorithm and its implementation using Python.

Theory:

K-Medoids is a clustering algorithm that is very similar to K-Means. However, instead of choosing means (centroids) as the central point for each cluster, it chooses actual data points (medoids) to minimize the sum of dissimilarities between the data points and the medoids. K-Medoids is more robust to noise and outliers compared to K-Means because it uses actual data points as cluster centers.

Input:

- K: Number of clusters
- D: Dataset containing n objects

Output:

- A set of k clusters

Given k, the K-Medoids algorithm is implemented in 5 steps:

1. Step 1: Arbitrarily choose k objects from D as the initial cluster centers (medoids).
2. Step 2: Find the dissimilarity (e.g., Euclidean distance) between each object in the dataset and the medoids.
3. Step 3: Assign each object to the cluster with the nearest medoid.
4. Step 4: Update the medoids by minimizing the sum of the dissimilarities between all objects in a cluster and the medoid. For each cluster, the object that minimizes this sum becomes the new medoid.
5. Step 5: Repeat the process until there is no change in the medoids.

Example:

Let the dataset $D = \{2, 4, 10, 12, 3, 20, 30, 11, 25\}$, and $k = 2$ clusters.

1. **Randomly assign initial medoids:** Assume $m_1 = 3$ and $m_2 = 20$.
 - Cluster 1 (k_1) = $\{2, 3, 4\}$,
 - Cluster 2 (k_2) = $\{10, 12, 20, 30, 11, 25\}$.
2. **Calculate distances and reassign medoids:**
 - After calculating the dissimilarities, update medoids to $m_1 = 4$ and $m_2 = 25$.
 - Cluster 1 (k_1) = $\{2, 3, 4, 10, 12, 11\}$,
 - Cluster 2 (k_2) = $\{20, 30, 25\}$.
3. **Update medoids and repeat:**
 - Continue updating medoids and clusters until the medoids stop changing.
4. **Final Medoids and Clusters:**
 - Cluster 1 (k_1) = $\{2, 3, 4, 10, 12, 11\}$,
 - Cluster 2 (k_2) = $\{20, 30, 25\}$.

CODE:

```
from sklearn_extra.cluster import KMedoids
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import numpy as np
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# Example dataset
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data = np.array([[2], [4], [10], [12], [3], [20], [30], [11], [25]])
```



```
# Apply K-Medoids with k=2

kmedoids = KMedoids(n_clusters=2, random_state=0)

kmedoids.fit(data)
```

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# Print results

print("Final Medoids:", kmedoids.cluster_centers_)

print("Cluster Labels:", kmedoids.labels_)
```

OUTPUT:

```
Final Medoids: [[20.]
 [ 4.]]
Cluster Labels: [1 1 1 0 1 0 0 1 0]
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CONCLUSION:

The K-Medoids algorithm is a robust clustering method, especially in the presence of noise and outliers, because it uses actual points from the dataset as the medoids. It effectively partitions data into k clusters based on minimizing the sum of dissimilarities between points and their assigned medoids.

What types of data preprocessing are necessary before applying the K-Medoids algorithm?

- Handling missing values (remove or impute them).
- Scaling/normalization (since distance-based methods are sensitive to magnitude).
- Removing duplicates/outliers if they distort clustering.
- Selecting appropriate features to improve cluster quality