Unsupervised Learning — Concept Document

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Topic: Unsupervised Learning – K-Means Clustering

1. **Definition:**
   Unsupervised learning finds patterns in **unlabeled data** without predefined outputs.

2. **Goal:**
   To group similar data points or discover hidden structures in datasets.

3. **Data Used:**
   Synthetic data generated with make_blobs() containing 300 samples and 4 clusters.

4. **Algorithm:**
   K-Means Clustering divides data into *K* groups where each point belongs to the nearest centroid.

5. **Process:**
   Initialize *K* centers → assign points → update centers → repeat until stable.

6. **Implementation Steps:**
   - Imported sklearn, numpy, and matplotlib.
   - Created data and plotted before clustering.
   - Applied KMeans(n_clusters=4) and predicted cluster labels.
   - Visualized clusters and centroids on a scatter plot.

7. **Output:**
   Displayed 4 distinct clusters with their center coordinates and inertia value.

8. **Observation:**
   K-Means successfully separated data into clear groups; thread warning fixed using OMP_NUM_THREADS=2.

9. **Applications:**
   Customer segmentation, image compression, fraud detection, document grouping.

10. **Conclusion:**
    K-Means is a simple and effective unsupervised learning method for pattern discovery in unlabeled data.