

Series 5

1. The dataset `fossilien.dat` contains measurements (length, width of the corpus, ...) of “cocoliths” of the species *Gephyrocapsa* and other variables as salt content, temperature and Chlorophyll. There is a short explanation of some variables:

```

lLength      : log10(Length)
sAngle       : sqrt(Angle)
rWidth       : Width/Length
rClength     : Clength/Length
Cratio       : Cwidth/Clength / (Width/Length)
SST.mean     : Annual Mean Temperature
Salinity     : salinity
lChlorophyll : log10(Chlorophyll)

```

In this exercise we would like to learn the method of multivariate regression.

- a) Load the data and have a first look at it.
 - b) We would like to test, whether the body size is associated with the environmental conditions during that period. Make a multivariate regression. Target variables are `sAngle`, `lLength` and `rWidth`; predictors are `SST.Mean`, `Salinity` and `lChlorophyll`.
 - c) Make a Wilks Test to check if any predictor has an influence on any target variable.
 - d) Have a look at the individual regression summaries.
Does `lChlorophyll` have an equally significant effect on all three responses?
2. We test the differences between the unforged and forged banknotes: `CODE`: 0 unforged banknotes , 1 forged banknotes
`LENGTH`, `LEFT`, `RIGHT`, `BOTTOM`, `TOP`, `DIAGONAL`: different measures of the banknotes.
 You may find the data in
<http://stat.ethz.ch/Teaching/Datasets/WBL/banknot.dat>.
- a) Load the data and have a first look at it.
 - b) We would like to know whether the variable `LENGTH` differs significantly for the unforged and the forged banknotes. Make a *t*-Test for the variable `LENGTH`.
 Make the same test for all other variables - we would like to know whether the other variables can separate the unforged from the forged banknotes significantly. Write a small program that returns the *p*-value of the test. Use `apply()`.
R-Hint:

```

t.test(LENGTH ~ CODE, ...)
f.ttest <- function(y) {
  r.ttest <- t.test(y ~ bn["CODE"])
  r.ttest$...
}
apply(..., f.ttest)

```
 - c) Install the package `ICSNP`. Look at the help file of the function `HotellingsT2`.
 - d) Use Hotellings's T-test for unpaired groups in order to decide, whether the unforged banknotes differ from the forged ones.

3. **Model-Based Clustering:** In this exercise we would like to apply the Model-Based-Clustering to the dataset `banknot.dat`.

- a) Make a clustering with `Mclust()` from the package `mclust` using the maximum likelihood method. What number of clusters and what model do you propose?
R-hint: Look in the helpfile for more information.

```
library(mclust)
d.banknot <- read.table("http://stat.ethz.ch/Teaching/Datasets/WBL/banknot.dat")
ml.banknot<-Mclust(d.banknot[, -1])
plot(... , what="BIC")
ml.cluster<-Mclust(... , modelNames="..." , G= ...)
```

where `modelNames` is the choice of method for the structure of the covariance matrix (EEE to VVV) and `G` the number of clusters.

- b) Make a table with the misclassification of the model based method with respect to `CODE`. Keep in mind: `CODE=0` are the genuine banknotes and `CODE=1` the forged ones. Make a pairs plot of the variables by choosing the color of the dots according to `CODE` (`col=`) and the shape according to their model based method (`pch=`). Comment?
- c) Carry out the PAM-algorithm for the same number of clusters as above and the euclidean metric. Make a table with the "misclassification" of the model based method compared to the PAM algorithm. Make a pairs plot of the variables by choosing the color of the dots according to the PAM cluster (`col=`) and the shape according to their model based method (`pch=`). Comment?

4. **Agglomerative Clustering:** In the dataframe `empl2.dat` (of `employment.dat`), the rounded rate (in percent) of employment in 9 different sectors in 10 chosen european states are given. The data are from 1979. The observation (states) are:

B	Belgium	CH	Switzerland	CS	Czechoslovakia	D	BRD	GB	Great Britain
GR	Greece	H	Hungary	S	Sweden	TR	Turkey	YU	Yugoslavia

- a) First look at the data using the scatterplot. Can you find clusters by eye?
- R-hint:** With the following R-Code, you can label the points in the scatterplotmatrix with the acronym of their countries (you can find further examples in the helpfile of `pairs()`).
- ```
t.url <- "http://stat.ethz.ch/Teaching/Datasets/WBL/empl2.dat"
empl <- read.table(t.url, header=T)
labempl <- rownames(empl)
pairs(empl, panel=function(x,y) text(x,y, labels=labempl, xpd=T))
```
- b) Calculate the *euclidean distances* between the states. Which two states are first combined into a cluster?
- R-hint:** With `as.matrix()` you can convert the result of `daisy()` (Package `cluster`) into a distance matrix. Useful R-commands include `sort()` and `unique()`.
- c) Carry out a hierarchical cluster analysis by hand using the "Single Linkage"-method.
- d) Carry out the previous cluster analysis using the function `agnes()`. Verify your result of c) by comparing the first five steps.

**R-hint:**

```
sing.empl <- agnes(empl, method="single")
2 Plots (Bannerplot und Dendrogramm)
par(mfrow=c(1,2))
plot(sing.empl)
```

- e) Carry out the cluster analysis with the same distances but with the methods `average` and `complete`. Compare the dendrograms of all three methods (including the *Single Linkage Method*).
- R-hint:** If you set the arguments `which.plot` in `plot` to 2, only the dendrogram is plotted.
- f) Group the states into  $k$  clusters. Choose for instance  $k = 3$  and  $k = 4$ . Compare the different methods. Also plot an MDS-plot and mark the observed groups of states with colors (for one  $k$  and one method).

**R-hint:**

```
Classification in four groups using average Linkage
r.4cl <- cutree(aver.empl, k=4)
split(labempl, r.4cl)
MDS-Plot:
r.mds <- cmdscale(daisy(empl))
plot(r.mds, type = "n", main = "'Average clustering, MDS coordinates")
text(r.mds, labempl, col = 1 + r.4cl)
```

5. Load the data `banknot.dat` - we will need this data again in this exercise. We use the partitions algorithm PAM to separate the forged from the unforged banknotes and compare it with the K-means method. In order to be able to compare your results with the sample solution use `set.seed(10)`. Take the whole dataset `banknot.dat` and choose the variables `CODE`, `BOTTOM` and `DIAGONAL`. You will need the package `cluster` and `MASS`. Reading in the data:

```
> d.bank.org <- read.table("http://stat.ethz.ch/Teaching/Datasets/WBL/banknot.dat")
> d.bank <- d.bank.org[,c("CODE", "BOTTOM", "DIAGONAL")]
```

a) K-means-algorithm:

- Apply the K-means algorithm (without `CODE`), to obtain 2 optimal clusters.
- Make a table of the misclassifications with respect to the "true" classifications (`CODE`).
- Make a silhouette-plot. Comments?

**R-Hint:** For the silhouette-plot we need the distance matrix and proceed as follows:

```
?kmeans
... <- dist(...,method="euclidean")
... <- silhouette(...$cluster,t.bank)
plot(...)
```

b) PAM-algorithm:

- Find the optimal partition in 2 clusters for this dataset (without `CODE`) using the PAM method for the euclidean metric.
- Represent the two variables by producing different point shapes for the different clusters and different colors for the `CODE`. Which observations were classified wrong?
- Make a table of the misclassifications, as in a).
- Make a silhouette-plot. Comments?

**R-Hint:** The silhouette-plot is easier for pam: `plot(..., which=2)`. What does `plot(..., which=1)` yield?

- c) Compare the two results. Make a table with the differences with respect to the two clusterings. Note: The cluster values of a point do not have to be the same - this means a point can have value 1 with the K-means-method and value 2 with the PAM-method (`...$cluster` and `...$clustering`)
- d) We would like to show by means of simple simulation, that the K-means algorithm finds local minima. Use the K-means algorithm for 3 clusters 100 times and change the size of the 3 clusters (number of points in the cluster) in each run. You can use the following code:

```
set.seed(10)
v.einer1 <- rep(1,dim(d.bank)[1])
v.einer2 <- rep(1,100)
t.kmeans <- NULL
for (i in 1:100){
kmean.bank.cluster <- kmeans(d.bank[,-1],centers=3)$cluster
t.kmeans <- cbind(t.kmeans,sort(aggregate(v.einer1,by=list(kmean.bank.cluster),
FUN=sum)[,2]))
}
trans.kmeans <- t(t.kmeans)
m.kmeans <- aggregate(v.einer2,by=list(trans.kmeans[,1],trans.kmeans[,2],
trans.kmeans[,3]),FUN=sum)
m.kmeans
```

Adapt the code for the PAM-algorithm. Comment? Do the same with 2,4,5 etc. clusters.

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**Deadline:** No hand-in.