

MATH 637: Mathematical Techniques in Data  
Science  
Clustering Lab

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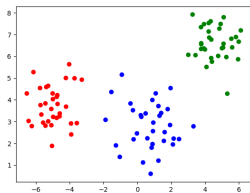
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# K-means

- 1 Use the following command from `sklearn.datasets` to generate a dataset with 3 “blobs”:  

```
data, labels = datasets.make_blobs(n_samples=100,  
                                   n_features=2, centers=3)
```
- 2 Use `scatter` from `matplotlib` to display the data.
- 3 Use the K-means algorithm to cluster the data.
- 4 Make a scatter plot of the data, where the points in each cluster are displayed with a different color.



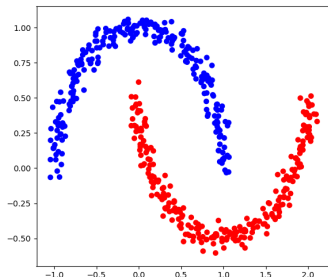
- 5 Repeat the same experiment with the following data  

```
data, labels = datasets.make_blobs(n_samples=100,  
                                   n_features=2, centers=[[0,0],[0,0.5],[0,-0.5]])
```

# Spectral Clustering 1

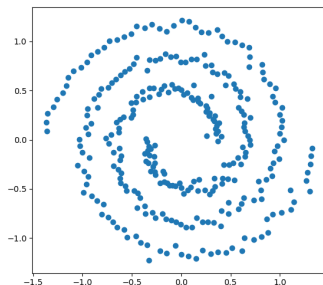
- 1 Use the following code to generate data  

```
data, labels = datasets.make_moons(n_samples=500,  
                                  noise=.05)
```
- 2 Use a scatter plot to display the data.
- 3 Use SpectralClustering to look for 2 clusters (which affinity should we use?).
- 4 Make a scatter plot of the data, where the points in each cluster are displayed with a different color.



# Spectral clustering 2

- 1 Load the spirals dataset (available on Canvas).
- 2 Use the scatter function to display the data.



- 3 Use SpectralClustering to discover an appropriate number of clusters in the data.
- 4 Make a scatter plot of the data, where the points in each cluster are displayed with a different color.

Please submit your work on Canvas by  
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