# ACCT 420: Topic modeling and anomaly detection

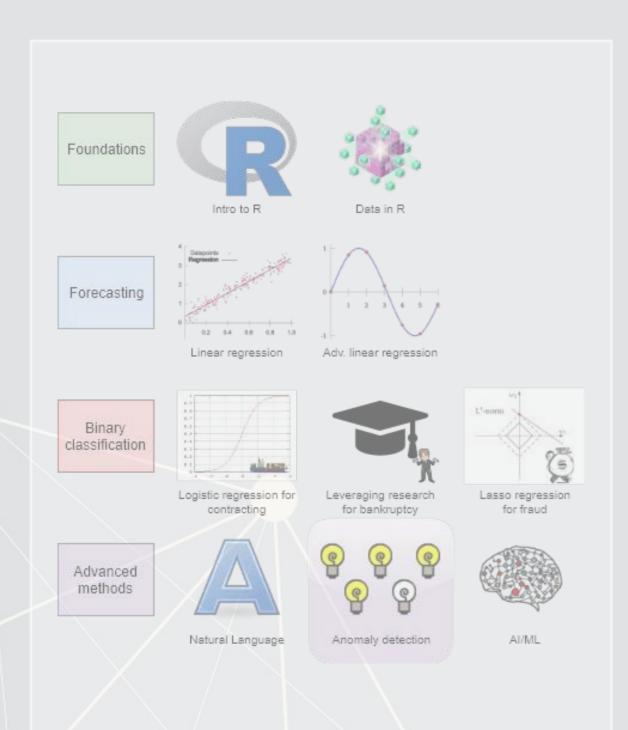
Session 9

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# Front matter



### Learning objectives



- Theory:
  - NLP
  - Anomaly detection
- Application:
  - Understand the distribution of readability
  - Examine the content of annual reports
  - Group firms on content
  - Fill in missing data
- Methodology:
  - ML/AI (LDA)
  - ML/AI (k-means, t-SNE)
  - More ML/AI (KNN)

### Datacamp

- One last chapter: What is Machine Learning
  - Just the first chapter is required
  - You are welcome to do more, of course

# Group project

- Keep working on it!
- I would recommend getting your first submission on Kaggle in by next week

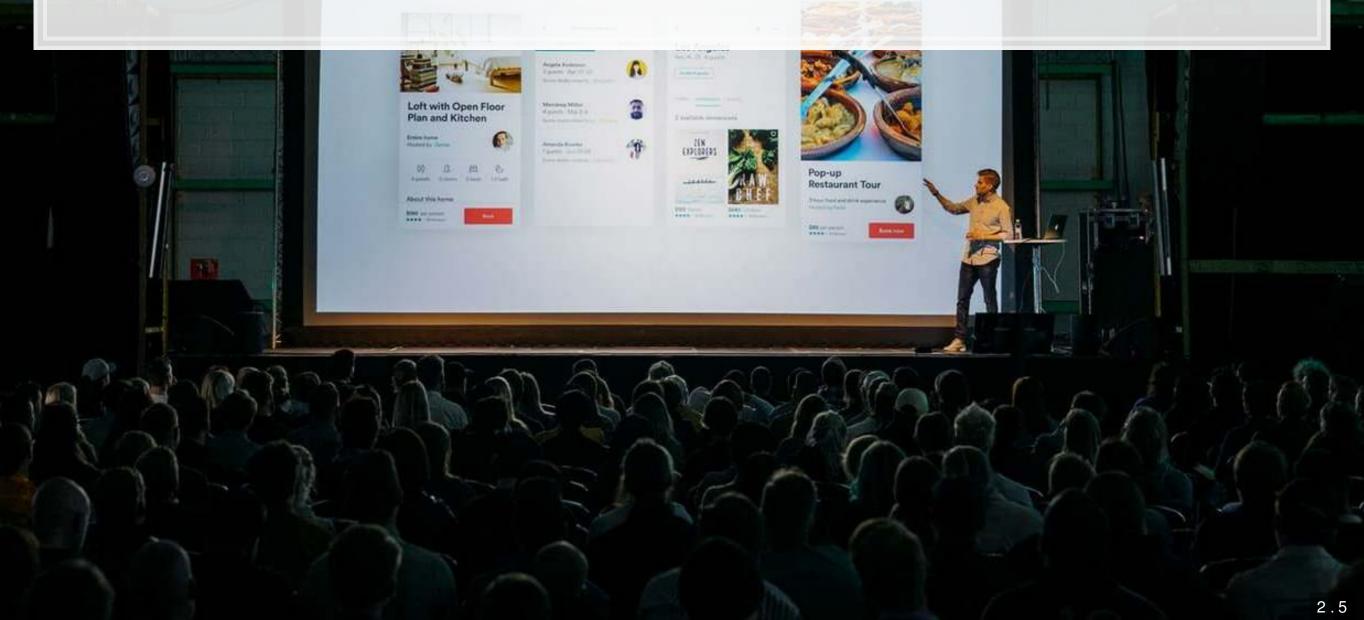
For reading large files, readr is your friend

library(readr) # or library(tidyverse)
df <- read\_csv("really\_big\_file.csv.zip")</pre>

It can read directly from zip files!

### Notes on the homework

- What is XGBoost?
  - eXtreme Gradient boosting
  - For those in ACCT 419: this is essentially a more robust version of decision trees



# Sets of documents (corpus)



## Importing sets of documents (corpus)

- I will use the readtext package for this example
  - Importing all 6,000 annual reports from 2014
- Other options include using
  - purrr and df\_map()
  - tm and VCorpus()
  - textreadr and read\_dir()

library(readtext)
library(quanteda)
# Needs ~1.5GB
corp <- corpus(readtext("/media/Scratch/Data/Parser2/10-K/2014/\*.txt"))</pre>

### Corpus summary

#### summary(corp)

```
Text Types Tokens Sentences
##
## 1
     0000002178-14-000010.txt 2929 22450
                                             798
     0000003499-14-000005.txt 2710 23907
                                             769
## 2
## 3
     0000003570-14-000031.txt 3866 55142
                                             1541
## 4
     0000004187-14-000020.txt 2902 26959
                                             934
## 5
     0000004457-14-000036.txt 3050 23941
                                             883
## 6
     0000004904-14-000019.txt 3408 30358
                                             1119
     0000004904-14-000029.txt 370 1308
                                             40
## 7
                                             45
##8
     0000004904-14-000031.txt
                              362
                                   1302
## 9
     0000004904-14-000034.txt 358
                                   1201
                                             42
                                             45
## 10 0000004904-14-000037.txt 367
                                   1269
      0000004977-14-000052.txt 4859 73718
                                             2457
## 12 0000005513-14-000008.txt 5316 91413
                                             2918
                                             3437
## 13 0000006201-14-000004.txt 5377 113072
                                              981
## 14 0000006845-14-000009.txt 3232 28186
## 15 0000007039-14-000002.txt 2977 19710
                                              697
## 16 0000007084-14-000011.txt 3912 46631
                                             1531
## 17 0000007332-14-000004.txt 4802 58263
                                             1766
## 18 0000008868-14-000013.txt 4252 62537
                                             1944
## 19 0000008947-14-000068.txt 2904 26081
                                              881
```

### Running readability across the corpus

```
# Uses ~20GB of RAM... Break corp into chunks if RAM constrained
corp_FOG <- textstat_readability(corp, "FOG")
corp_FOG %>%
head() %>%
html_dOG()
```

document	FOG
0000002178-14-000010.txt	21.03917
0000003499-14-000005.txt	20.36549
0000003570-14-000031.txt	22.24386
0000004187-14-000020.txt	18.75720
0000004457-14-000036.txt	19.22683
0000004904-14-000019.txt	20.51594

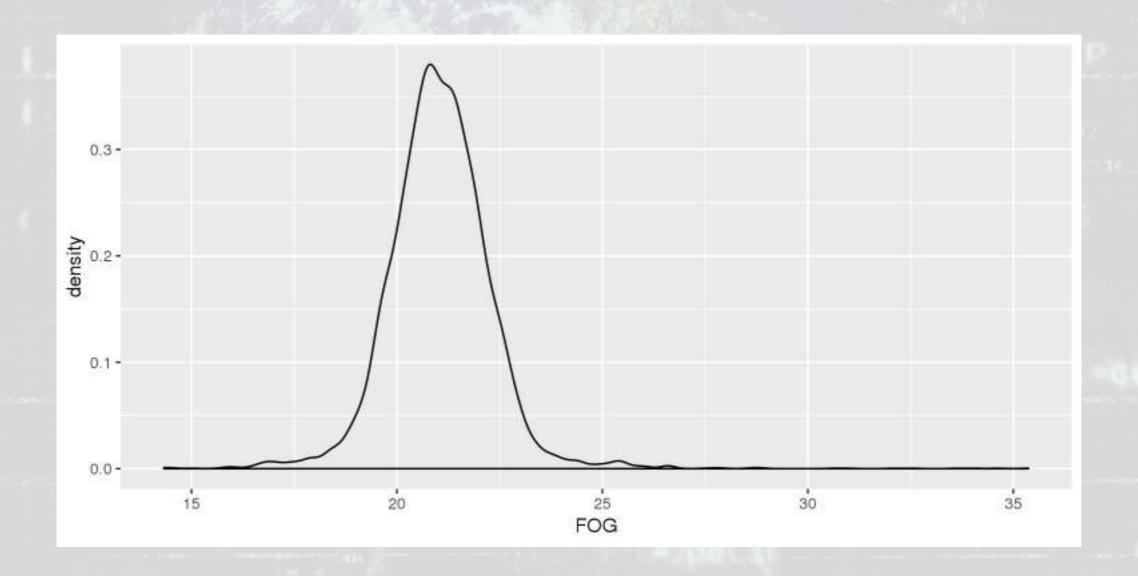
Recall that Citi's annual report had a Fog index of 21.63

### Readability across documents

```
summary(corp_FOG$FOG)
```

```
## Min. 1st Qu. Median Mean 3rd Qu. Max. ## 14.33 20.32 21.01 21.05 21.75 35.37
```

ggplot(corp\_FOG, aes(x=FOG)) + geom\_density()



- Since the SEC has their own industry code, we'll use SIC Code
- SIC codes are 4 digits
  - The first two digits represent the industry
  - The third digit represents the business group
  - The fourth digit represents the specialization
- Example: Citigroup is SIC 6021
  - 60: Depository institution
  - 602: Commercial bank
  - 6021: National commercial bank

Merge in SIC code by group

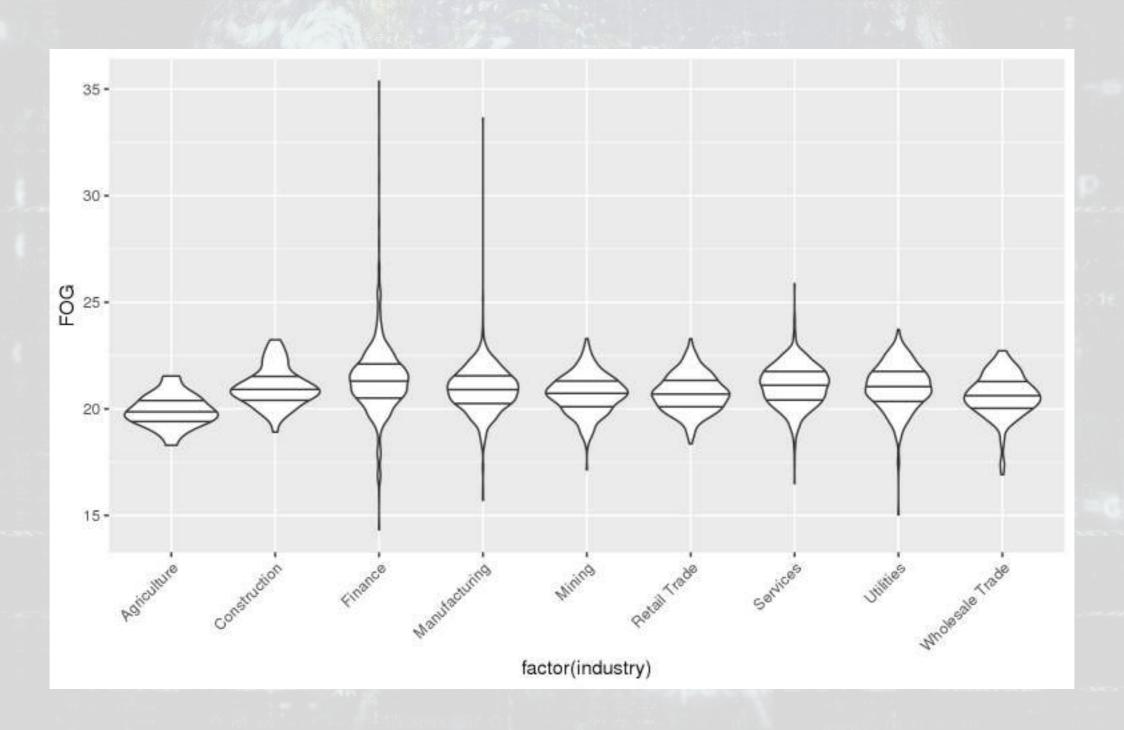
```
df_SIC <- read.csv('../../Data/Filings2014.csv') %>%
 select(accession, regsic) %>%
 mutate(accession=paste0(accession, ".txt")) %>%
 rename(document=accession) %>%
 mutate(industry = case when()
  regsic >=0100 & regsic <= 0999 ~ "Agriculture",
  regsic >=1000 & regsic <= 1499 ~ "Mining",
  regsic >=1500 & regsic <= 1799 ~ "Construction",
  regsic >=2000 & regsic <= 3999 ~ "Manufacturing",
  regsic >=4000 & regsic <= 4999 ~ "Utilities",
  regsic >=5000 & regsic <= 5199 ~ "Wholesale Trade",
  regsic >=5200 & regsic <= 5999 ~ "Retail Trade",
  regsic >=6000 & regsic <= 6799 ~ "Finance",
  regsic >=7000 & regsic <= 8999 ~ "Services",
  regsic >=9100 & regsic <= 9999 ~ "Public Admin"
 )) %>%
 group_by(document) %>%
 slice(1) %>%
 ungroup()
```

## Joining, by = "document"

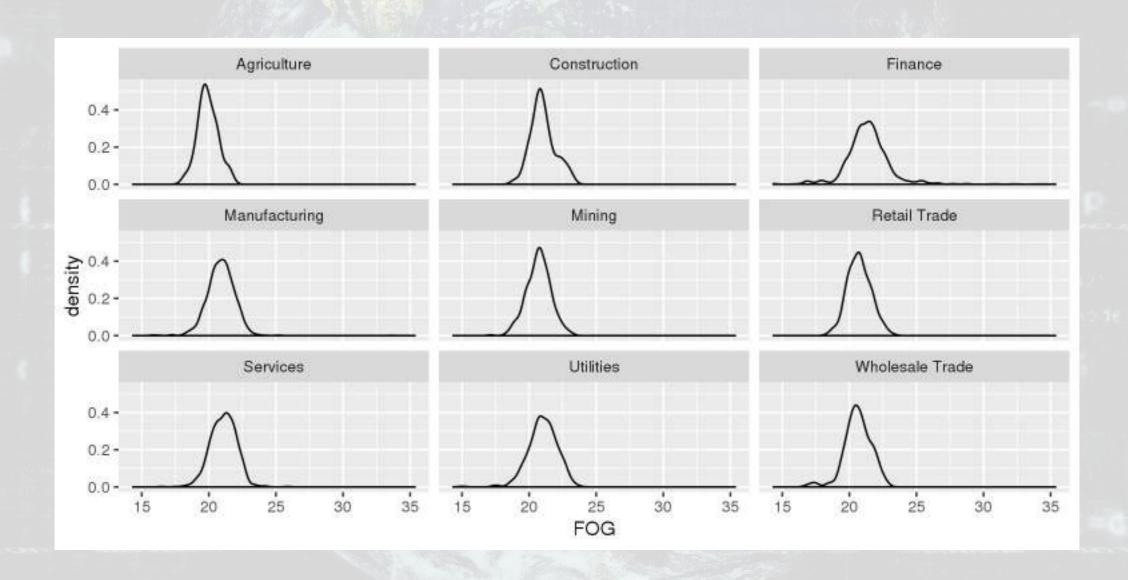
```
corp_FOG %>%
head() %>%
html_df()
```

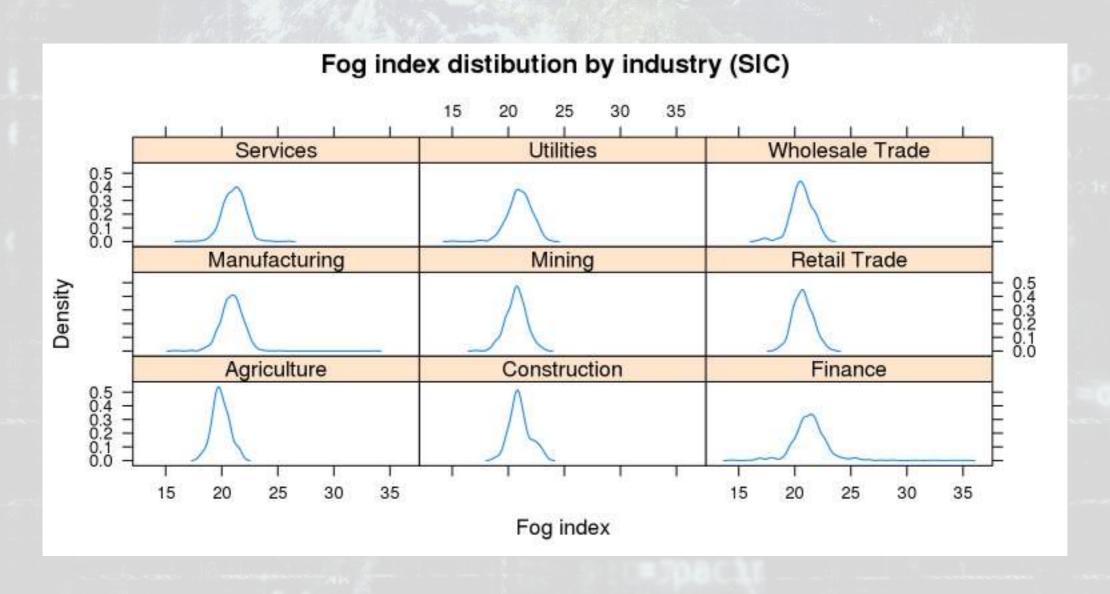
document	FOG	regsic	industry
0000002178-14-000010.txt	21.03917	5172	Wholesale Trade
0000003499-14-000005.txt	20.36549	6798	Finance
0000003570-14-000031.txt	22.24386	4924	Utilities
0000004187-14-000020.txt	18.75720	4950	Utilities
0000004457-14-000036.txt	19.22683	7510	Services
0000004904-14-000019.txt	20.51594	4911	Utilities

```
ggplot(corp_FOG[!is.na(corp_FOG$industry),], aes(x=factor(industry), y=FOG)) +
  geom_violin(draw_quantiles = c(0.25, 0.5, 0.75)) +
  theme(axis.text.x = element_text(angle = 45, hjust = 1))
```



ggplot(corp\_FOG[!is.na(corp\_FOG\$industry),], aes(x=FOG)) +
geom\_density() + facet\_wrap(~industry)





## Bonus: Finding references across text

kwic(corp, phrase("global warming")) %>% mutate(text=paste(pre,keyword,post)) %>%
select(docname, text) %>% datatable(options = list(pageLength = 5), rownames=F)

Show 5

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entries

Search:

docname	text	
0000003499-14-000005.txt	. Potentially adverse consequences of global warming could similarl	y have an impact
0000004904-14-000019.txt	nuisance due to impacts of global warming and climate change. The	e
0000008947-14-000068.txt	timing or impact from potential global warming and other natural d	lisasters,
0000029915-14-000010.txt	human activities are contributing to global warming . At this point ,	
0000029915-14-000010.txt	probability and opportunity of a global warming trend on UCC speci	fically .

Showing 1 to 5 of 310 entries

Previous

1

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Next

# Going beyond simple text measures



### What's next

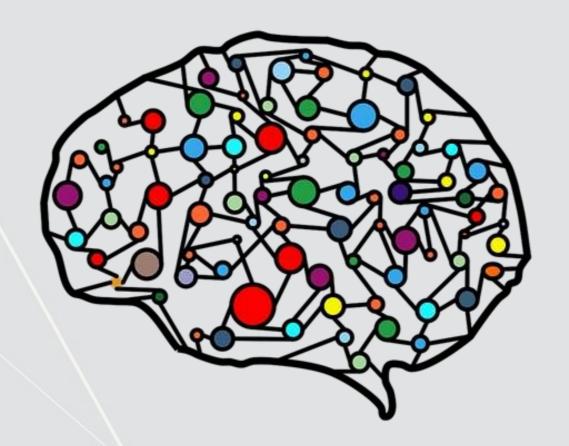
- Armed with an understanding of how to process unstructured data, all of the sudden the amount of data available to us is expanding rapidly
- To an extent, anything in the world can be viewed as data, which can get overwhelming pretty fast
- We'll require some better and newer tools to deal with this

# Problem: What do firms discuss in annual reports?

- This is a hard question to answer our sample has 104,690,796 words in it!
  - 69.8 hours for the "worlds fastest reader", per this source
  - 103.86 days for a standard speed reader (700wpm)
  - 290.8 days for an average reader (250wpm)
- We could read a small sample of them?
- Or... have a computer read all of them!

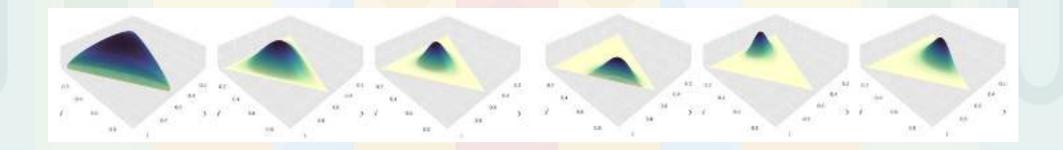
### Recall the topic variable from session 7

- Topic was a set of 31 variables indicating how much a given topic was discussed
- This measure was created by making a machine read every annual report
  - The computer then used a technique called LDA to process these reports' content into topics



### What is LDA?

- Latent Dirichlet Allocation
- One of the most popular methods under the field of topic modeling
- LDA is a Bayesian method of assessing the content of a document
- LDA assumes there are a set of topics in each document, and that this set follows a *Dirichlet* prior for each document
  - Words within topics also have a Dirichlet prior



More details from the creator

### An example of LDA

### **Topics**

gene 0.04 dna 0.02 genetic 0.01

life 0.02 evolve 0.01 organism 0.01

brain 0.04 neuron 0.02 nerve 0.01

data 0.02 number 0.02 computer 0.01

#### **Documents**

Topic proportions and assignments

### Seeking Life's Bare (Genetic) Necessities

How many genes does an organism need to survive. Last week at the genome meeting here, two genome researchers with radically different approaches presented complementary views of the basic genes needed for life. One research team, using computer analyses to compare known genomes, concluded that today's organisms can be sustained with just 250 genes, and that the earliest life forms required a mere 128 genes. The

other researcher mapped genes in a simple parasite and estimated that for this organism, 800 genes are plenty to do the job—but that anything short of 100 wouldn't be enough.

Although the numbers don't match precisely, those predictions

\* Genome Mapping and Sequencing, Cold Spring Harbor, New York,

May 8 to 12.

Arcady Mushegian, a computational molecular biologist at the National Center for Biotechnology Information (NCBI) in Bethesda, Maryland. Comparing an



Stripping down. Computer analysis yields an estimate of the minimum modern and ancient genomes.

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<sup>&</sup>quot;are not all that far apart," especially in comparison to the 75,000 genes in the human genome, notes Siv Andersson of depsala University in Sweden, the arrived at the 800 number. But coming up with a consensus answer may be more than just a gracult numbers came, particularly as more and more genomes are completely mapped and sequenced. "It may be a way of organizing any newly sequenced genome," explains Arcady Mushegian, a computational mo-

### How does it work?

- 1. Read all the documents
  - Counts of each word within the document, tied to a specific ID used across all documents
- 2. Use variation in words within and across documents to infer topics
  - By using a Gibbs sampler to simulate the underlying distributions
    - An MCMC method

It's quite complicated in the background, but it boils down to a system where:

- Generating a document follows a couple rules:
- 1. Topics in a document follow a multinomial/categorical distribution
- 2. Words in a topic follow a multinomial/categorical distribution

### Implementations in R

- There are four main implementations of LDA in R (maybe more)
  - Ida: A somewhat rigid package with difficult setup syntax, but it
    plays nicely with the great LDAvis package for visualizing models.
     Supported by quanteda.
  - 2. topicmodels: An extensible topic modeling framework that plays nicely with quanteda
  - 3. stm: A bit of a tweak on the usual LDA model that plays nicely with quanteda and also has an associated package:stmbrowser package for visualization (on Github)
  - 4. mallet: An R package to interface with the venerable MALLET Java package, capable of more advanced topic modeling

### Term document matrices (TDM)

- Before we begin, we'll need a matrix of word counts per document
- We'll create something called a sparse matrix for this
- A sparse matrix is a matrix that only lists values that aren't 0

Think about the structure of a matrix where rows are document names and columns are individual words. How much of this matrix will be 0s?

### Making a TDM

- In quanteda, use dfm()
  - Useful options:
    - stem=TRUE, Code similar words as the same
      - Ex.: code, coding, and coder would all become cod
        - Helps with the curse of dimensionality
    - remove=c(...), You can supply a list of stop words to remove
      - You can use remove=stopwords() for a simple list
      - The stopwords() function is provided by the stopwords package, and actually supports over 50 languages, including Chinese, English, Hindi, and Malay
      - We can use SMART like last week: remove=stopwords(source='smart')
      - For other languages, use remove=stopwords("zh", source="stopwords-iso")

# Making a TDM

```
# adding industry to the corpus
docs <- docnames(corp)
docs <- data.frame(document=docs, stringsAsFactors = F)</pre>
docs <- docs %>% left_join(df_SIC)
docvars(corp, field="industry") <- docs$industry</pre>
# Simplest way
tdm <- dfm(corp)
# With stopwords
tdm <- dfm(corp,
       remove=stopwords(source='smart'))
# With stopwords and stemming -> Used in next slides
# 2.6B elements in the matrix
tdm <- dfm(corp,
      stem=TRUE,
       remove=stopwords(source='smart'),
       remove_punct=TRUE,
       remove_numbers=TRUE) %>%
 dfm_trim(min_termfreq=10, termfreq_type = "count")
```

### What words matter by industry?

topfeatures(tdm, n=5, groups="industry")

```
## $`Wholesale Trade`
## compani oper million financi product
## 30371 20340 18085 17552 17300
##
## $Finance
## compani loan financi decemb million
## 438185 392164 299978 286791 274376
##
## $Utilities
    oper million compani financi includ
## 112038 107322 101971 79010 76604
##
## $Services
## compani oper million financi servic
## 222276 145506 138397 131881 120817
##
## $Manufacturing
## compani product million oper financi
## 434805 368900 275829 240181 231687
##
```

### TF-IDF

- Words counts are not very informative
- Knowing the words that show up frequently in one group but not in the others would be much more useful
- This is called TF-IDF
  - Term Frequency-Inverse Document Frequency
- Think of it roughly as:

How many times a word is in the document
How many documents the word is in

- We can easily calculate tf-idf using dfm\_tfidf() from quanteda
  - The options we'll specify are used to match a more standard output
  - quanteda's default options are a bit odd

### The actual TF-IDF equation we'll use

$$rac{f_{w,d}}{f_d} \cdot -\log_2\left(rac{n_t}{N}
ight)$$

- w represents 1 word
- *d* represents 1 document
- $lacksquare f_{w,d}$  is the number of times w appears in d
- lacksquare  $f_d$  is the number of times any word appears in d
- $lackbox{1}{\bullet} n_w$  is the number of documents with w at least once
- lacksquare N is the number of documents

### What words matter by industry?

```
tfidf_mat <- dfm_tfidf(tdm, base=2, scheme_tf="prop")
topfeatures(tfidf_mat, n=5, groups="industry")
```

```
## $`Wholesale Trade`
## graybar grainger oil million
                                     bottl
## 0.3140485 0.2899255 0.2187512 0.2184815 0.2122642
##
## $Finance
##
       ab mortgag depositor loan
                                       reit
## 9.863862 7.414096 6.192815 5.109854 5.046502
##
## $Utilities
            fcc pipelin energi aircraft
##
     gas
## 2.005220 1.484092 1.227766 1.164767 1.020255
##
## $Services
     game client casino million softwar
## 2.394468 1.760647 1.635549 1.496073 1.404740
##
## $Manufacturing
## clinic
            fda trial drug patient
## 7.057913 5.487707 3.949705 3.935010 3.799611
##
```

### What words matter for banks?

```
topfeatures(tfidf_mat, n=20, groups="industry")$Finance
```

readRDS('../../Data/corp\_tfidf\_bank.rds')

```
mortgag depositor
##
        ab
                                  loan
                                           reit
                                                  trust
##
    9.863862
             7.414096 6.192815
                                             5.046502
                                                       4.394811
                                   5.109854
                               tenant instruct partnership
##
    reinsur
              truste
                       estat
                                   3.100092 2.970419
##
              3.607591 3.188824
                                                       2.697215
    3.809024
##
             million
                               fdic residenti
      real
                       pool
                                               bancorp
##
    2.506670
              2.482285 2.287610
                                             2.149133 2.074819
                                   2.238533
    obligor
##
             rmbs
              2.055453
##
    2.055811
```



## Implementing a topic model in STM

```
# quanteda's conversion for the stm package
out <- convert(tdm, to = 'stm')
# quanteda's conversion for the lda package
# out <- convert(tdm, to = 'lda')
# quanteda's conversion for the topicmodels package
# out <- convert(tdm, to = 'topicmodels')</pre>
```

- Creates a list of 3 items:
  - out\$documents: Index number of each word and its count for each document
  - out\$vocab: Words and their index numbers
  - out\$meta a data frame of the other information from the corpus (like industry)

```
out$documents[[1]][,386:390]

## [,1] [,2] [,3] [,4] [,5]

## [1,] 14590 14593 14598 14614 14625

## [2,] 1 1 38 3 1
```

```
out$vocab[c(out$documents[[1]][,386:390][1,])]
```

## Running the model

- We will use the stm() function from the stm package
  - It has a lot of options that you can explore to tweak the model
  - The most important is K, the number of topics we want. I'll use 10 for simplicity, but often we need more to neatly categorize the text
    - K=100 is a popular choice when we are using the output as an input to another model
    - The model we used in session 7 had K=31, as that captures the most restatements in sample

```
library(stm)
topics <- stm(out$documents, out$vocab, K=10)</pre>
```

What this looks like while running

#### LDA model

#### labelTopics(topics)

```
## Topic 1 Top Words:
       Highest Prob: properti, oper, million, decemb, compani, interest, leas
##
       FREX: ffo, efih, efh, tenant, hotel, casino, guc
##
##
       Lift: aliansc, baluma, change-of-ownership, crj700s, directly-reimburs, escena, hhmk
       Score: reit, hotel, game, ffo, tenant, casino, efih
##
## Topic 2 Top Words:
       Highest Prob: compani, stock, share, common, financi, director, offic
##
       FREX: prc, asher, shaanxi, wfoe, eit, hubei, yew
##
##
       Lift: aagc, abramowitz, accello, akash, alix, alkam, almati
##
       Score: prc, compani, penni, stock, share, rmb, director
## Topic 3 Top Words:
##
       Highest Prob: product, develop, compani, clinic, market, includ, approv
##
       FREX: dose, preclin, nda, vaccin, oncolog, anda, fdas
##
       Lift: 1064nm, 12-001hr, 25-gaug, 2ml, 3shape, 503b, 600mg
       Score: clinic, fda, preclin, dose, patent, nda, product
##
## Topic 4 Top Words:
##
       Highest Prob: invest, fund, manag, market, asset, trade, interest
       FREX: uscf, nfa, unl, uga, mlai, bno, dno
##
       Lift: a-1t, aion, apx-endex, bessey, bolduc, broyhil, buran
##
       Score: uscf, fhlbank, rmbs, uga, invest, mlai, ung
##
```

- Highest prob is a straightforward measure to interpret
  - The words with the highest probability of being chosen in the topic

## Applying our topic model to our data

```
out$meta$industry <- factor(out$meta$industry)</pre>
out$meta$industry <- addNA(out$meta$industry)</pre>
doc topics = data.frame(document=names(out$documents),
               industry=out$meta$industry,
               topic=1,
               weight=topics$theta[,1])
for (i in 2:10) {
 temp = data.frame(document=names(out$documents),
             industry=out$meta$industry,
             topic=i,
             weight=topics$theta[,i])
 doc_topics = rbind(doc_topics, temp)
# Proporitional topics (%)
doc_topics <- doc_topics %>%
 group by(document) %>%
 mutate(topic prop = weight / sum(weight)) %>%
 unaroun()
# Manually label topics
topic_labels = data.frame(topic = 1:10,
                 topic_name = c('Real Estate', 'Management', 'Product',
                           'Investment', 'Services', 'Financing',
                           'Service2', 'Insurance', 'Industrial',
                           'Utility'))
doc topics <- doc topics %>% left join(topic labels)
```

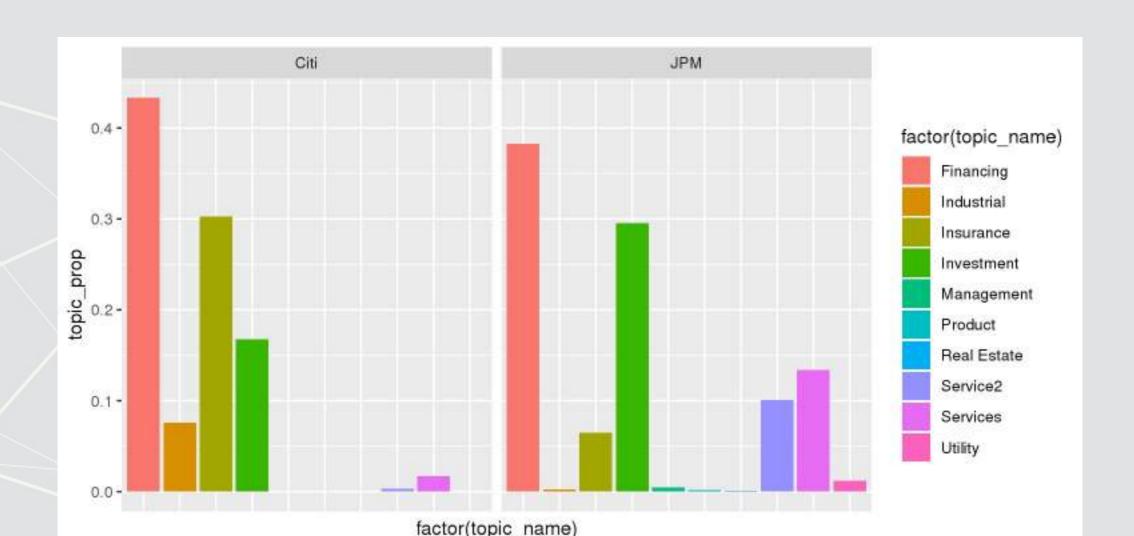
## Topic content of the Citi 10-K

doc\_topics %>% filter(document=='0001104659-14-015152.txt')

```
## # A tibble: 10 x 6
##
    document
                        industry topic
                                       weight topic_prop topic_name
                     <fct> <dbl>
                                     <dbl>
                                              <dbl> <fct>
##
    <fct>
## 1 0001104659-14-015152.txt Finance
                                         1 0.000316  0.000316  Real Estate
                                         2 0.0000594 0.0000594 Management
## 2 0001104659-14-015152.txt Finance
## 3 0001104659-14-015152.txt Finance
                                         3 0.0000153 0.0000153 Product
## 4 0001104659-14-015152.txt Finance
                                         4 0.168
                                                   0.168
                                                           Investment
## 5 0001104659-14-015152.txt Finance
                                                  0.0172
                                         5 0.0172
                                                            Services
## 6 0001104659-14-015152.txt Finance
                                         6 0.433
                                                   0.433
                                                            Financing
## 7 0001104659-14-015152.txt Finance
                                         7 0.00332 0.00332 Service2
## 8 0001104659-14-015152.txt Finance
                                         8 0.303
                                                   0.303
                                                            Insurance
                                         9 0.0755
                                                    0.0755
## 9 0001104659-14-015152.txt Finance
                                                            Industrial
                                         10 0.0000558 0.0000558 Utility
## 10 0001104659-14-015152.txt Finance
```

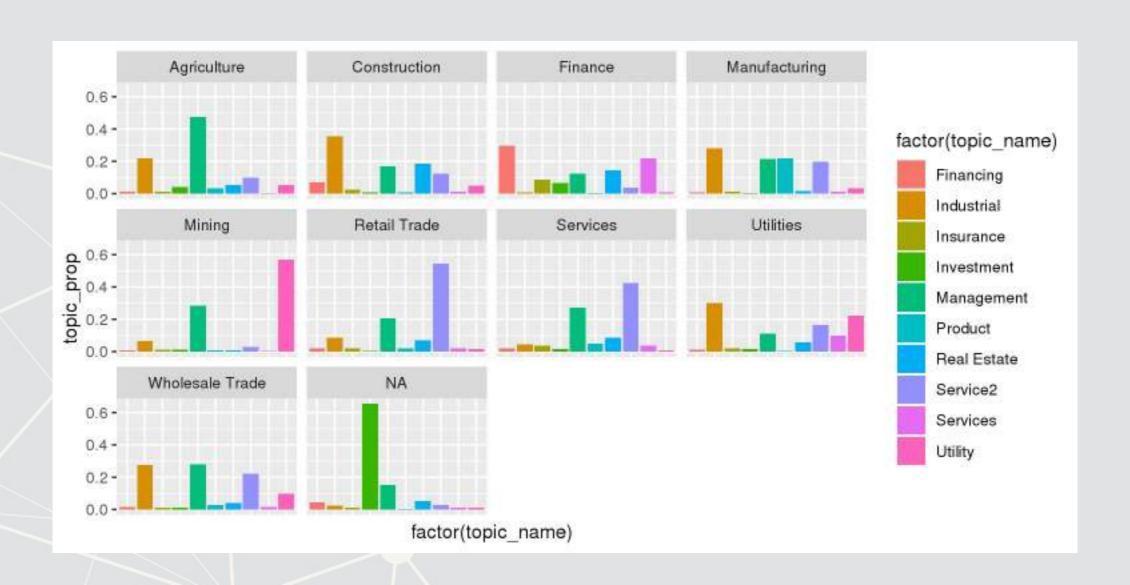


# Topic content of the Citi 10-K versus JPMorgan



## Topic content by industry

```
doc_topics %>%
  group_by(industry, topic) %>%
  mutate(topic_prop = mean(topic_prop)) %>%
  slice(1) %>%
  ungroup() %>%
  ggplot(aes(x=factor(topic_name), y=topic_prop, fill=factor(topic_name))) +
  geom_col() + facet_wrap(~industry) +
  theme(axis.text.x=element_blank(),axis.ticks.x = element_blank())
```



### A nice visualization of our STM model

- Using LDAvis via package:STM's toLDAvis() function
  - Need LDAvis and servr installed to run

```
# Code to generate LDAvis
toLDAvis(topics, out$documents, R=10)
```

#### Click to view

- Using stmBrowser's stmBrowser() function
  - Install from github

#### Click to view

## What we have accomplished?

- We have created a measure of the content of annual reports
  - This gives us some insight as to what is discussed in *any* annual report from 2014 by looking at only 10 numbers as opposed to having to read the whole document
    - We can apply it to other years as well, though it will be a bit less accurate if new content is discussed in those years
  - We can use this measure in a variety of ways
    - Some forecasting related, such as building in firm disclosure into prediction models
    - Some forensics related, such as our model in Session 7

#### Consider

How might we leverage LDA (or other topic modeling methods) to improve and simplify analytics?

- What other contexts or data could we use LDA on?
- What other problems can we solve with LDA?



## Clustering without known groups



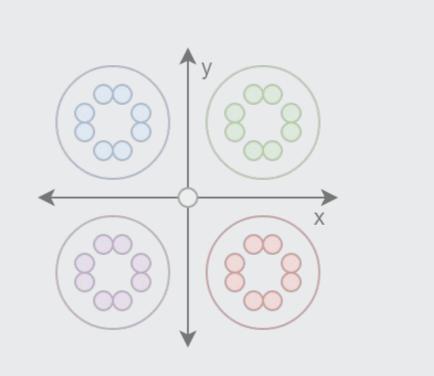
# Problem: Classifying companies based on disclosure

- While industry code is one classification of firms, it has a number of drawbacks:
  - 1. The classification system is old and perhaps misses new industries
  - 2. It relies on self-reporting
  - 3. Firms' classifications rarely change, even when firms themselves change

We'll build a different classification system, based on what they discuss in their annual reports

## Clustering

- One important aspect of detecting anomalies is determining groups in the data
  - We call this clustering
- If we find that a few elements of our data don't match the usual groups in the data, we can consider this to be an anomaly
  - Similar to the concept of outliers, but taking into account multiple variables simultaneously
  - The grey dot is at the mean of both the x and y dimensions
    - it isn't an outlier
  - But there are 4 clear clusters... and it doesn't belong to any!



## One clustering approach: k-means

$$\min_{C_k} \sum_{k=1}^K \sum_{x_i \in C_k} (x_i - \mu_k)^2$$

- Minimizes the sum of squared distance between points within groups
- Technically this is a machine learning algorithm, despite its simplicity
- You need to specify the number of groups you want
  - Pros:
    - Very fast to run
    - Simple interpretation

- Cons
  - Simple algorithm
  - Need to specify k, the number of clusters

## **Prepping data**

- We will need data to be in a matrix format, with...
  - 1 row for each observation
  - 1 column for each variable we want to cluster by
- Since our data is currently in a long format, we'll recast this with tidyr

```
library(tidyr)
wide_topics <- spread(doc_topics[,c(1,2,5,6)], topic_name, topic_prop)
mat <- wide_topics[,3:12]
mat[,1:6] %>% head() %>% html_df()
```

Financing	Industrial	Insurance	Investment	Management	Product
0.0105862	0.1578543	0.1088631	0.0004632	0.1161191	0.0002101
0.0467173	0.0059438	0.0235389	0.0005284	0.0801189	0.0001432
0.0069105	0.0351987	0.0003661	0.0201215	0.0023672	0.0000186
0.0870371	0.8271759	0.0003259	0.0003334	0.0206444	0.0000485
0.0036086	0.2680866	0.2677154	0.0008808	0.0026448	0.0000949
0.0000976	0.5299432	0.0001593	0.0007533	0.0009532	0.0000318

## Calculating k-means

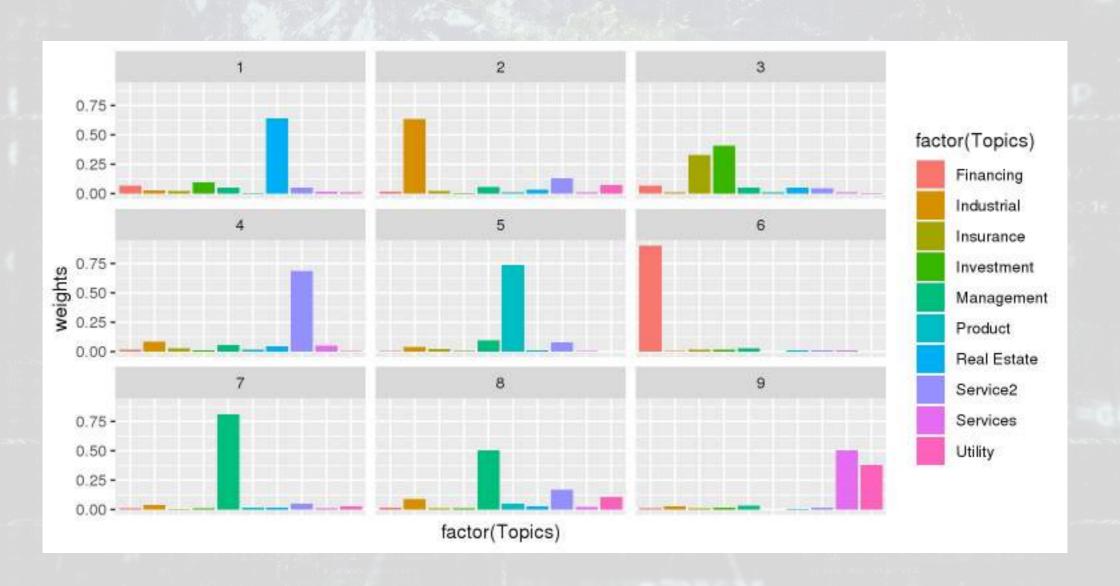
set.seed(6845868)
clusters <- kmeans(mat, 9)
clusters\$cluster %>% head()

##[1]919222

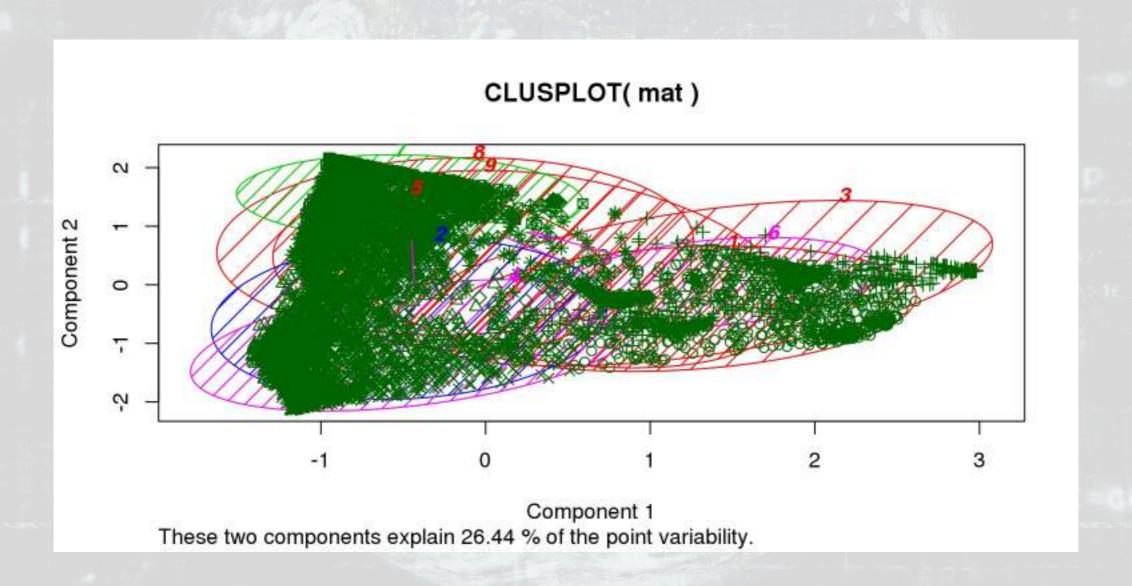
- The algorithm tells us group numbers for each observation
- The numbers themselves are arbitrary
  - The clustering (observations sharing a group number) is what matters

## Visualizing the clusters

```
cbind(as.data.frame(clusters$center), data.frame(kmean=1:9)) %>%
  gather("Topics","weights",-kmean) %>%
  ggplot(aes(x=factor(Topics), y=weights, fill=factor(Topics))) +
  geom_col() +
  facet_wrap(~kmean) +
  theme(axis.text.x=element_blank(),axis.ticks.x = element_blank())
```



## Visualizing k-means with PCA



## Improving our visualization

- The PCA based map is really unreadable
  - This is usually the case, unless you have only a few dimensions to the data
- There is a relatively new method (2008), t-SNE, that is significantly better
  - t-distributed Stochastic Neighbor Embedding
  - A machine learning algorithm designed to explain machine learning algorithms
    - It maintains neighbor relationships while reducing dimensions
  - It takes a much longer time to run than PCA, however
  - Implemented efficiently in R in the Rtsne package

## Visualizing with t-SNE: Running t-SNE

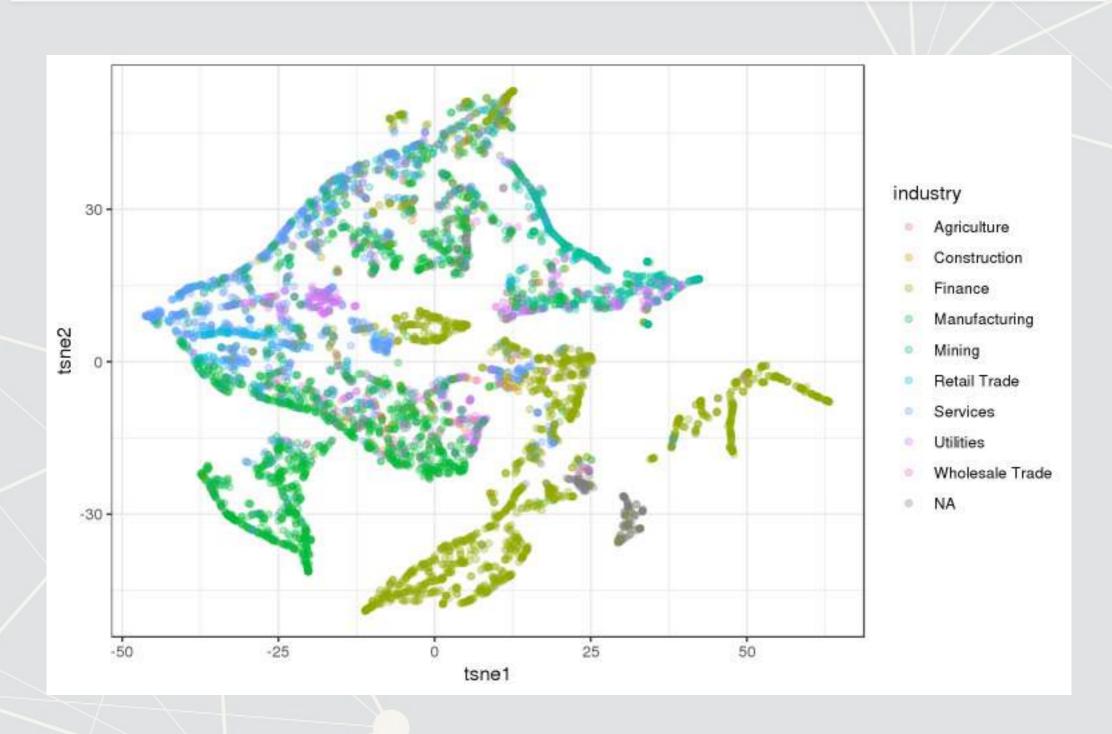
```
library(Rtsne)
dups <- which(duplicated(mat))
wide_nodup <- wide_topics[-dups,]
wide_nodup$kmean <- clusters$cluster[-dups]

#slow O(n log(n)). Original model was O(n^2) though
tsne_data <- Rtsne(mat[-dups,])

wide_nodup <- wide_nodup %>%
    mutate(tsne1 = tsne_data$Y[, 1], tsne2 = tsne_data$Y[, 2])
```

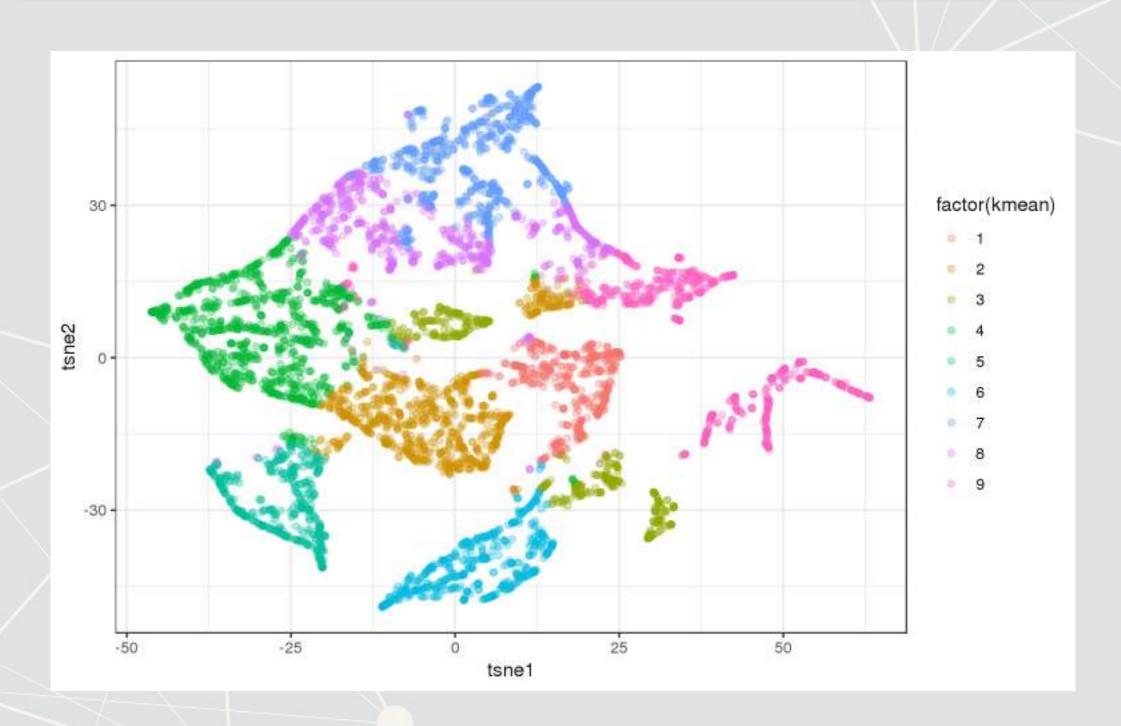
## Visualizing with t-SNE: Industries

```
ggplot(wide_nodup, aes(x = tsne1, y = tsne2, colour = industry)) +
    geom_point(alpha = 0.3) + theme_bw()
```



## Visualizing with t-SNE: k-means

```
ggplot(wide_nodup, aes(x = tsne1, y = tsne2, colour = factor(kmean))) +
    geom_point(alpha = 0.3) + theme_bw()
```

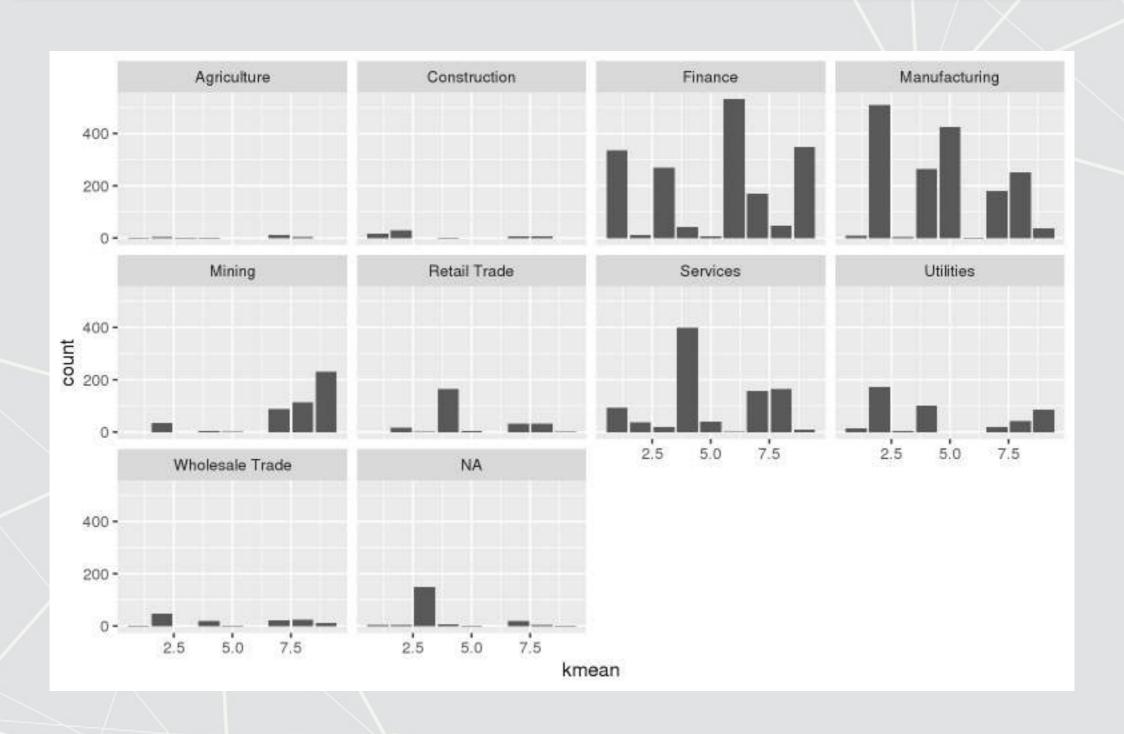


## Why are these graphs different?

- Possibilities due to
  - Data: 10-K disclosure content doesn't fully capture industry inclusion
  - LDA: The measure is noisy needs more data
  - SIC code: The measure doesn't cleanly capture industry inclusion
    - Some firms are essentially misclassified
- Recall, SIC covers Agriculture, Forestry and Fishing; Mining;
   Construction; Manufacturing; Transportation, Communications,
   Electric, Gas, and Sanitary Services; Wholesale Trade; Retail Trade;
   Finance, Insurance, and Real Estate; Services; Public Administration

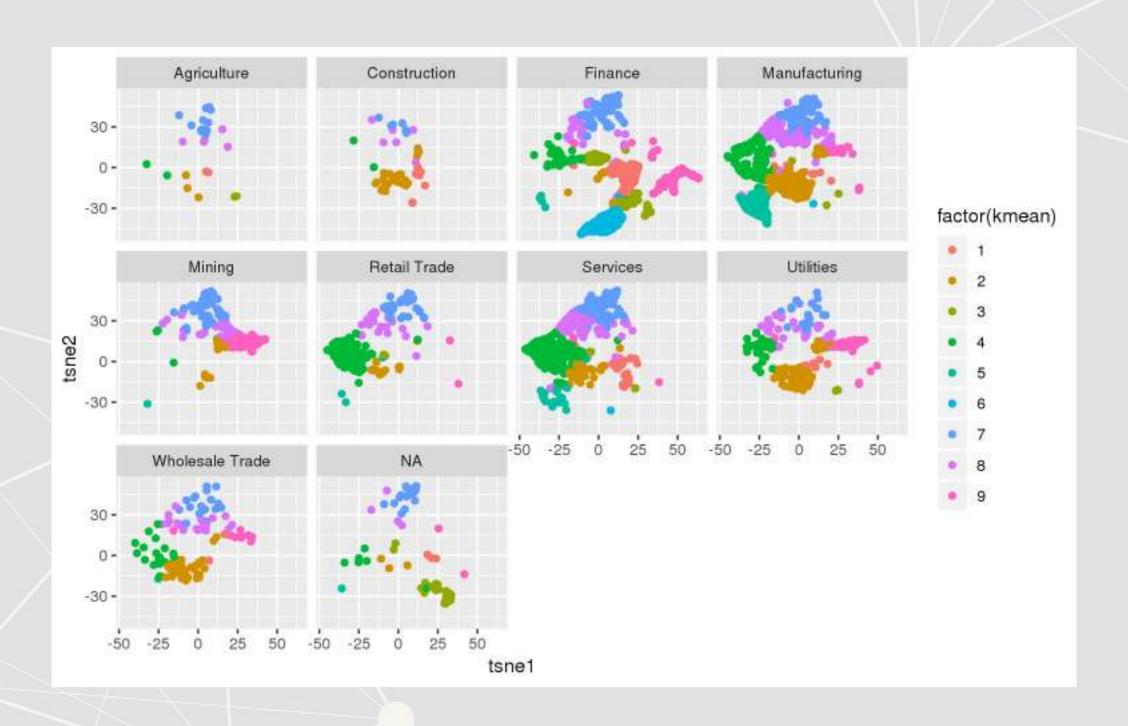
#### How related are clusters and industries?

ggplot(wide\_nodup, aes(x=kmean)) + geom\_bar() + facet\_wrap(~factor(industry))



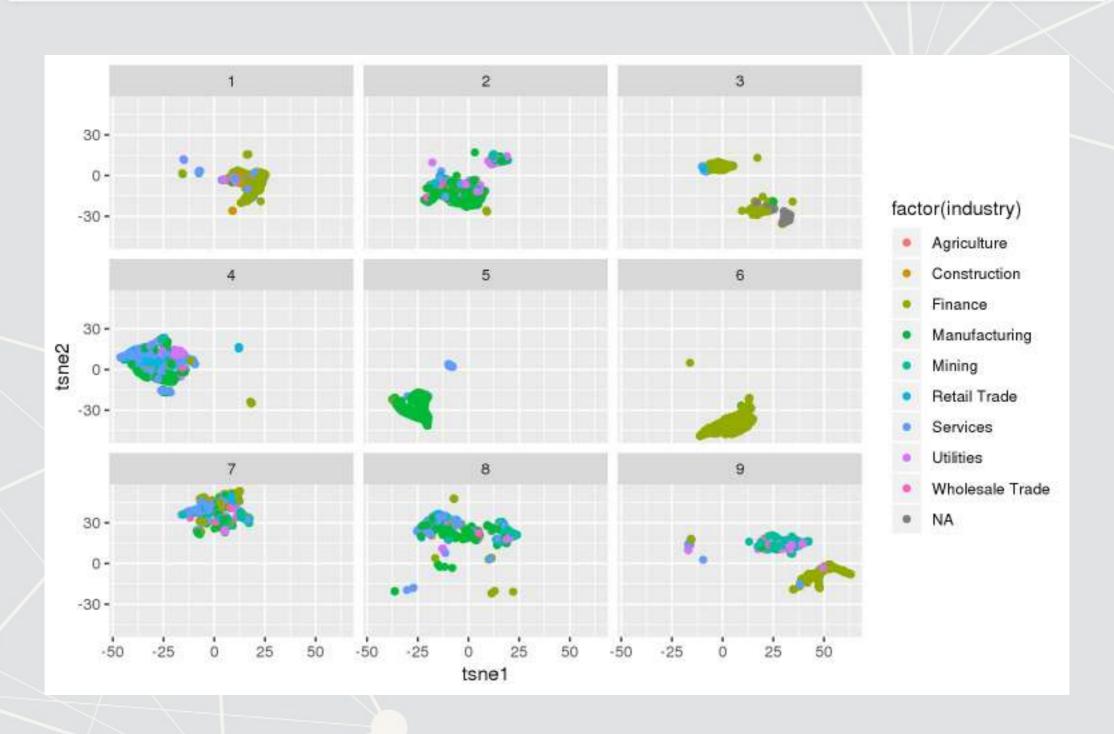
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ggplot(wide\_nodup, aes(x=tsne1, y=tsne2, color=factor(kmean))) + geom\_point() +
facet\_wrap(~factor(industry))



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## Great examples of t-SNE usage

- Visualizing handwritten numbers
- Visualizing Wikipedia articles
  - The full blog post, which is a great read about visualizing highdimensional data



## Looking for anomalies

- k-means minimizes the distance from a central point
- We can look for the firms that are farthest from said point!

```
wide_topics$dist <- sqrt(rowSums(mat - fitted(clusters))^2)
wide_topics[,c(1,2,3,13)] %>% arrange(desc(dist)) %>% slice(1:5) %>% html_df()
```

document	industry	Financing	dist
0000771266-14-000007.txt	Manufacturing	0.0071376	0
0001193125-14-098013.txt	Manufacturing	0.0079638	0
0000880177-14-000019.txt	Manufacturing	0.0000968	0
0001193125-14-109073.txt	Services	0.0004547	0
0001046311-14-000004.txt	Services	0.0375458	0

- Note: dist is shown as 0 because the distances are very, very small (but positive)
- These are all banks that only talk about standard banking activities
  - Banks just doing banking isn't the norm anymore
- This 10-K

## Looking for anomalies

wide\_topics[,c(1,2,4,7,9,10,13)] %>% filter(industry!="Finance") %>% arrange(desc(dist)) %>% slice(1:5)

```
## # A tibble: 5 x 7
## document industry Industrial Management `Real Estate` Service2
## <fct>
           <fct>
                      <dbl>
                              <dbl>
                                         <dbl> <dbl>
                                                        <dbl>
## 1 00007712... Manufac...
                            0.351
                                    0.0385
                                               0.000277
                                                         0.568 1.13e-15
## 2 00011931... Manufac... 0.143
                                    0.0579
                                               0.0107
                                                        0.739 1.13e-15
                                               0.000111
## 3 00008801... Manufac... 0.367
                                    0.00317
                                                          0.560 1.11e-15
## 4 00011931... Services 0.00167
                                                       0.504 1.11e-15
                                   0.169
                                             0.263
## 5 00010463... Services 0.00242
                                   0.00510
                                              0.373
                                                        0.540 1.11e-15
```

- Kopin Corp: Small display manufacturer
- PC Tel Inc: Tech manufacturer
- Peregrine Semiconductor: Fabless provided of RFICs
- SeaWorld Entertainment, Inc.: An entertainment oriented aquarium attraction
- Choice Hotels International Inc /DE: Franchiser of many lower end hotels in the US

## What we have accomplished

- We have created a classification of firms into discrete groups based on their disclosure content of their 10-K filings
  - The classification accounts for how similar each firm's content is to other firms' content
- We have used this classification to identify 10 firms which have nonstandard accounting disclosures

Text based industry classification using 10-Ks has been shown to be quite viable, such as in work by Hoberg and Phillips.

#### Consider

What else could we use clustering to solve?

Where in business to we would like to group something, but we don't know the groups?

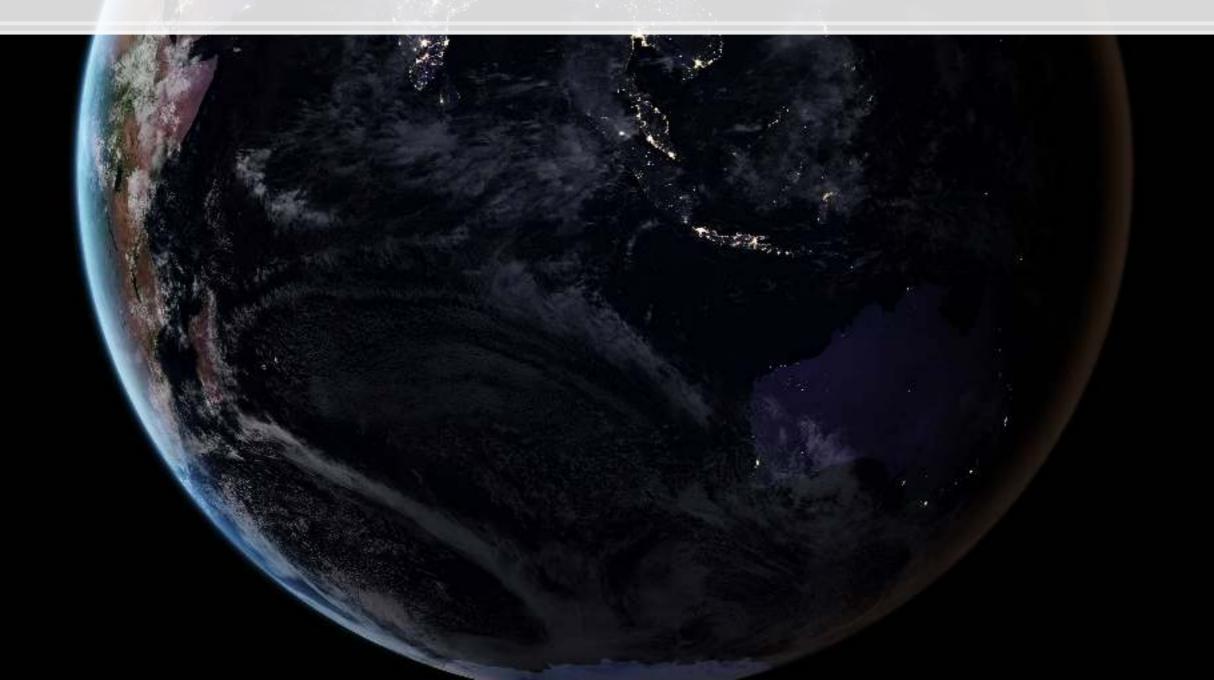


## Filling in missing data



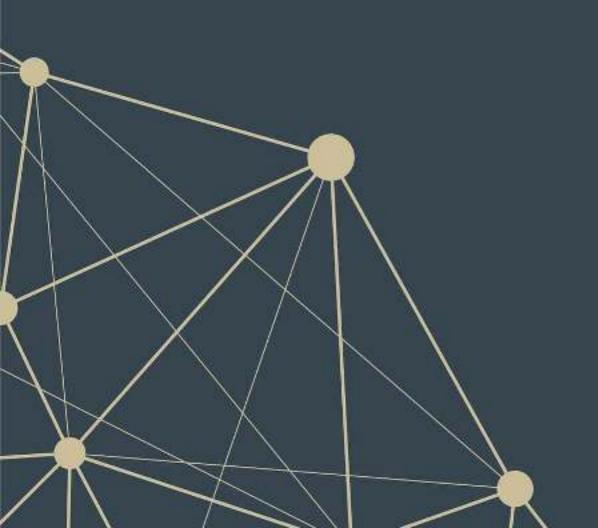
## Problem: Missing data

- You may have noticed that some of the industry measure was NA
- What if we want to assign an industry to these firms based on the content of their 10-K filings?



## Using k-means

- One possible approach we could use is to fill based on the category assigned by k-means
- However, as we saw, k-means and SIC code don't line up perfectly...
  - So using this classification will definitely be noisy



## A better approach with KNN

- KNN, or *K-N*earest *N*eighbors is a *supervised* approach to clustering
- Since we already have industry classifications for most of our data, we can use that structure to inform our assignment of the missing industry codes
- The way the model uses the information is by letting the nearest labeled points "vote" on what the point should be
  - Points are defined by 10-K content in our case

## Implementing KNN in R

- We'll use the caret package for this, as it will allow us to use k-fold cross validation to select a model
  - The same technique we used for LASSO

```
train <- wide_topics[!is.na(wide_topics$industry),]
label <- wide_topics[is.na(wide_topics$industry),]

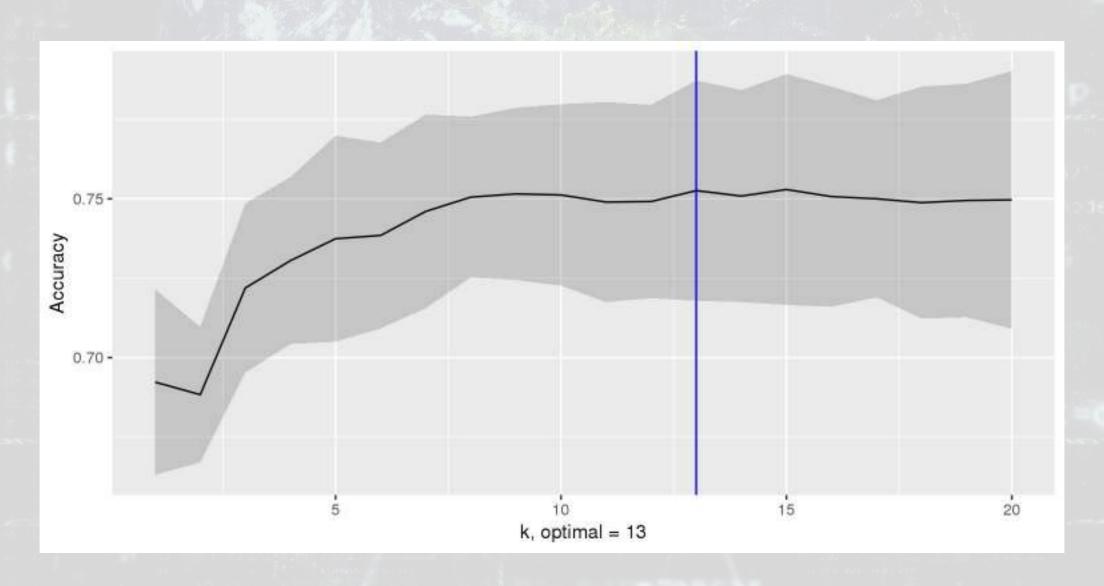
library(caret)
trControl <- trainControl(method='cv', number=20)
tout <- train(industry ~ .,
    method = 'knn',
    tuneGrid = expand.grid(k=1:20),
    trControl = trControl,
    metric = "Accuracy",
    data = train[,-1])
saveRDS(tout, '../../Data/corp_knn.rds')</pre>
```

## Implementing KNN in R

tout

```
## k-Nearest Neighbors
##
## 5804 samples
   10 predictor
    9 classes: 'Agriculture', 'Construction', 'Finance', 'Manufacturing', 'Mining', 'Retail Trade', 'Services', 'Uti
##
## No pre-processing
## Resampling: Cross-Validated (10 fold)
## Summary of sample sizes: 5226, 5222, 5223, 5224, 5223, 5226, ...
## Resampling results across tuning parameters:
##
    k Accuracy Kappa
##
##
    1 0.6922669 0.6037548
##
    2 0.6883222 0.5984635
    3 0.7219205 0.6397779
##
    4 0.7305403 0.6495724
##
    5 0.7374387 0.6581581
##
    6 0.7384702 0.6592123
##
    7 0.7460449 0.6686815
##
щи
     0 0 7505006 0 6744654
```

## **KNN** performance



## Using KNN to fill in industry

- 1. American Capital: Asset manager and private equity
  - SIC missing, but clearly finance <
- 2. Ameriprise Certificate Co: Investment company
  - SIC missing, but clearly finance ✓
- 3. Callaway Golf: Golf equipment
  - SIC 3949 ✓
- 4. Everest Fund L P: Speculative trading of commodity futures
  - SIC 6221 ✓
- Bank of Nova Scotia: Joint with Scotiabank Covered Bond Guarantor Limited Partnership
  - SIC 6022 ✓
  - SIC missing, but clearly finance ✓
- 6. Teucrium Commodity Trust: Commodity funds
  - SIC 6221 ✓

document	industry_pred
0000817473-14- 000010.txt	Finance
0000820027-14- 000025.txt	Finance
0000837465-14- 000002.txt	Manufacturing
0000837919-14- 000002.txt	Finance
0000891092-14- 000570.txt	Finance
0000891092-14- 002078.txt	Finance

"Any sufficiently advanced technology is indistinguishable from magic." – Sir Arthur Charles Clarke



## Recap

Today, we:

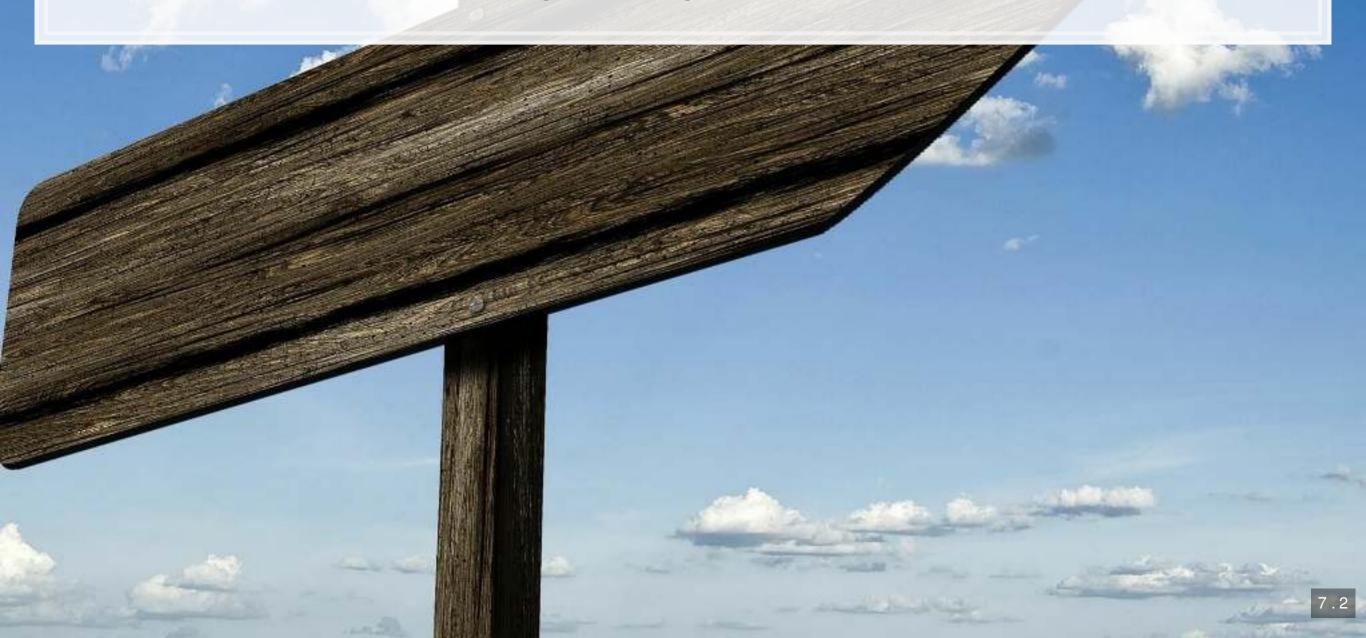
- 1. Processed a set of 6,000 annual reports from 2014 to examine their readability
- 2. Examined the content discussed in annual reports in 2014
- 3. Examined the natural groupings of content across firms
  - This doesn't necessarily match up well with SIC codes
  - There are some firms that don't quite fit with others in their industry (as we algorithmically identified)
- Filled in missing industry data using KNN, and were correct in all 6 checked entries ✓







- For next week:
  - Datacamp
    - Do the assigned chapter on machine learning
  - Keep working on the group project



## Packages used for these slides

- caret
- cluster
- DT
- kableExtra
- knitr
- lattice
- quanteda and stopwords
- readtext
- revealjs
- Rtsne
- stm and stmBrowser
- tidyr
- tidyverse
  - dplyr, magrittr, readr

### **Custom code**

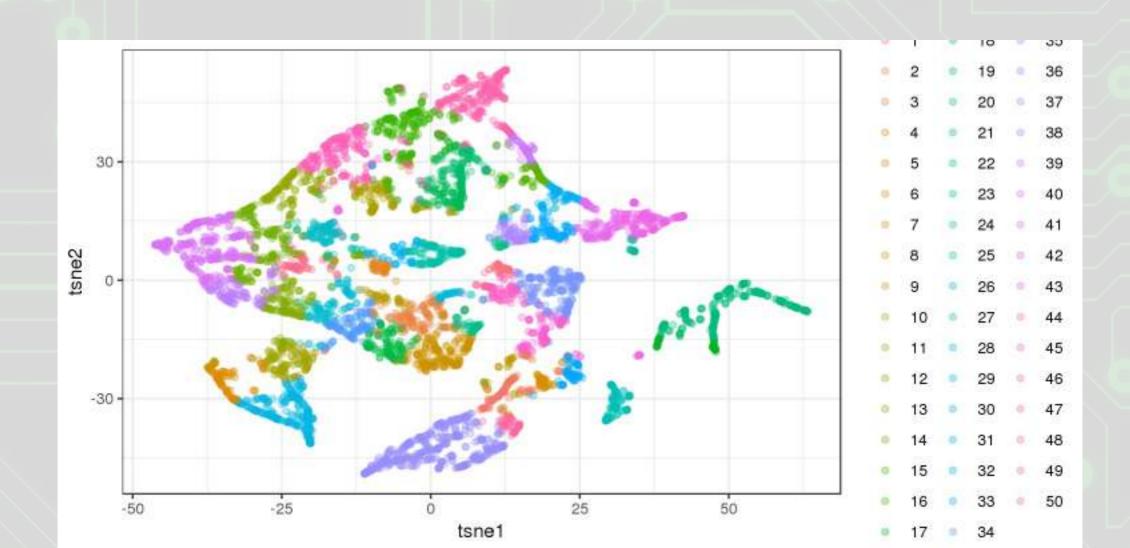
```
library(knitr)
library(kableExtra)
html_df <- function(text, cols=NULL, col1=FALSE, full=F) {
   if(!length(cols)) {
     cols=colnames(text)
   }
   if(!col1) {
     kable(text,"html", col.names = cols, align = c("l",rep('c',length(cols)-1))) %>%
     kable_styling(bootstrap_options = c("striped","hover"), full_width=full)
} else {
   kable(text,"html", col.names = cols, align = c("l",rep('c',length(cols)-1))) %>%
   kable_styling(bootstrap_options = c("striped","hover"), full_width=full) %>%
   column_spec(1,bold=T)
}
```

## Using more clusters

```
clusters <- kmeans(mat, 50)
clusters$cluster %>% head()
```

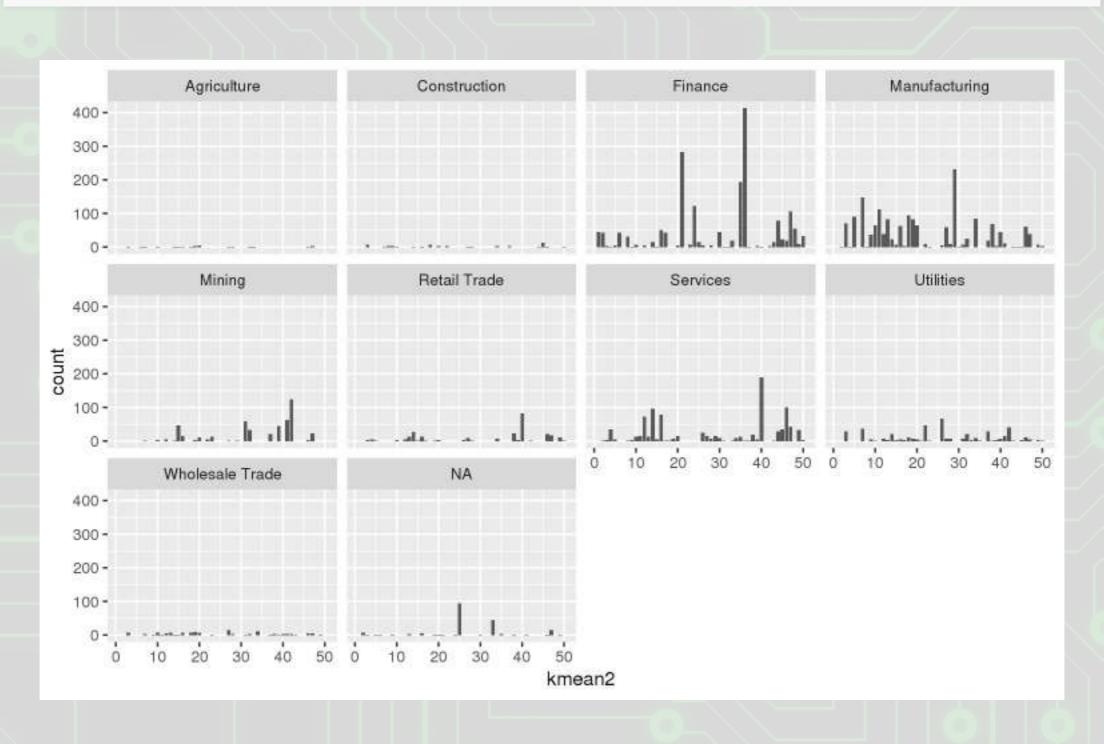
## [1] 32 35 42 7 27 22

```
wide_nodup$kmean2 <- clusters$cluster[-dups]
ggplot(wide_nodup, aes(x = tsne1, y = tsne2, colour = factor(kmean2))) +
    geom_point(alpha = 0.3) + theme_bw()</pre>
```



## Using more clusters

ggplot(wide\_nodup, aes(x=kmean2)) + geom\_bar() + facet\_wrap(~factor(industry))



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