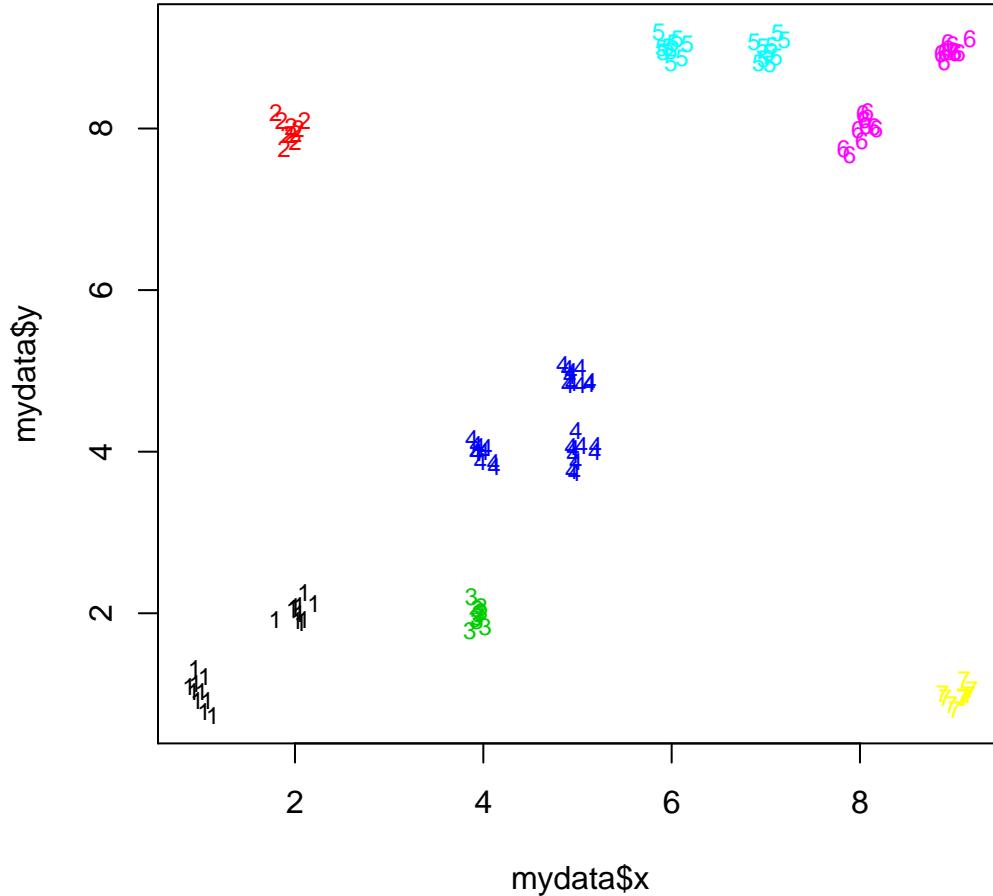
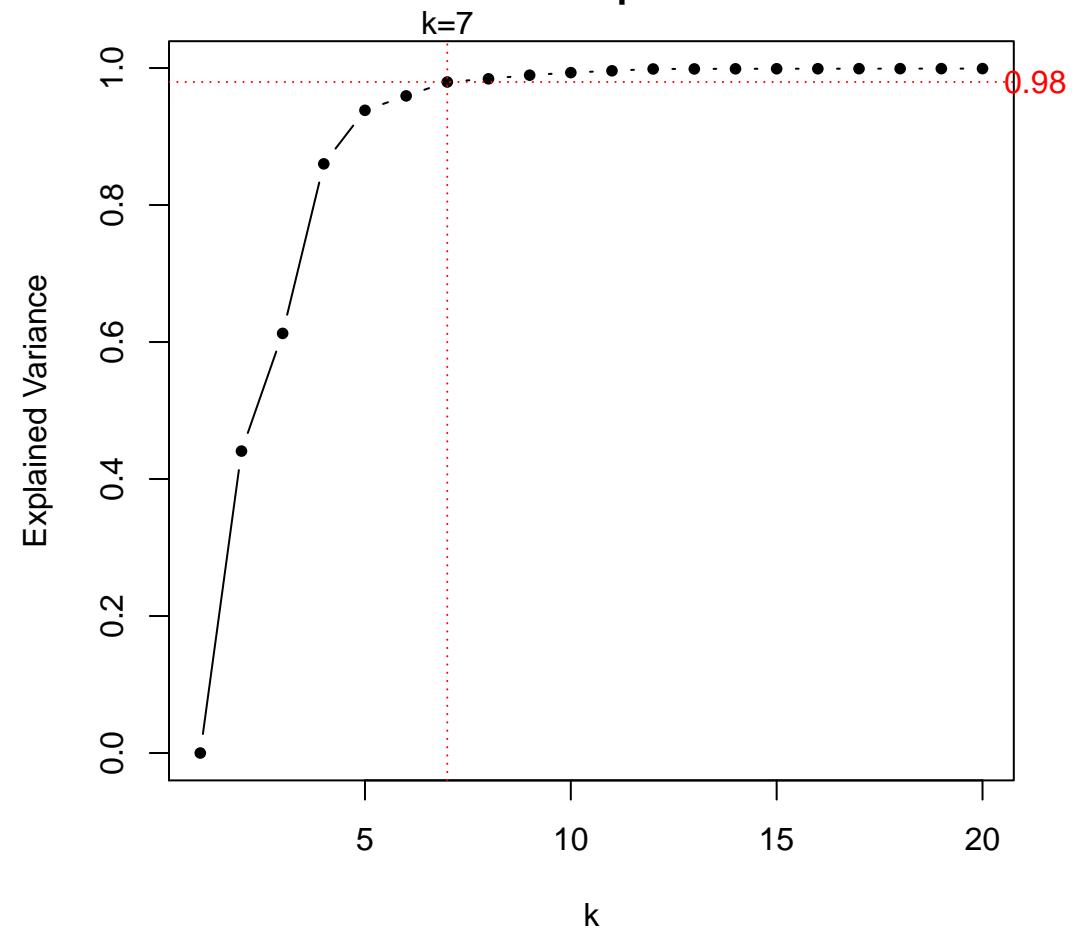


Clusters of simulated data

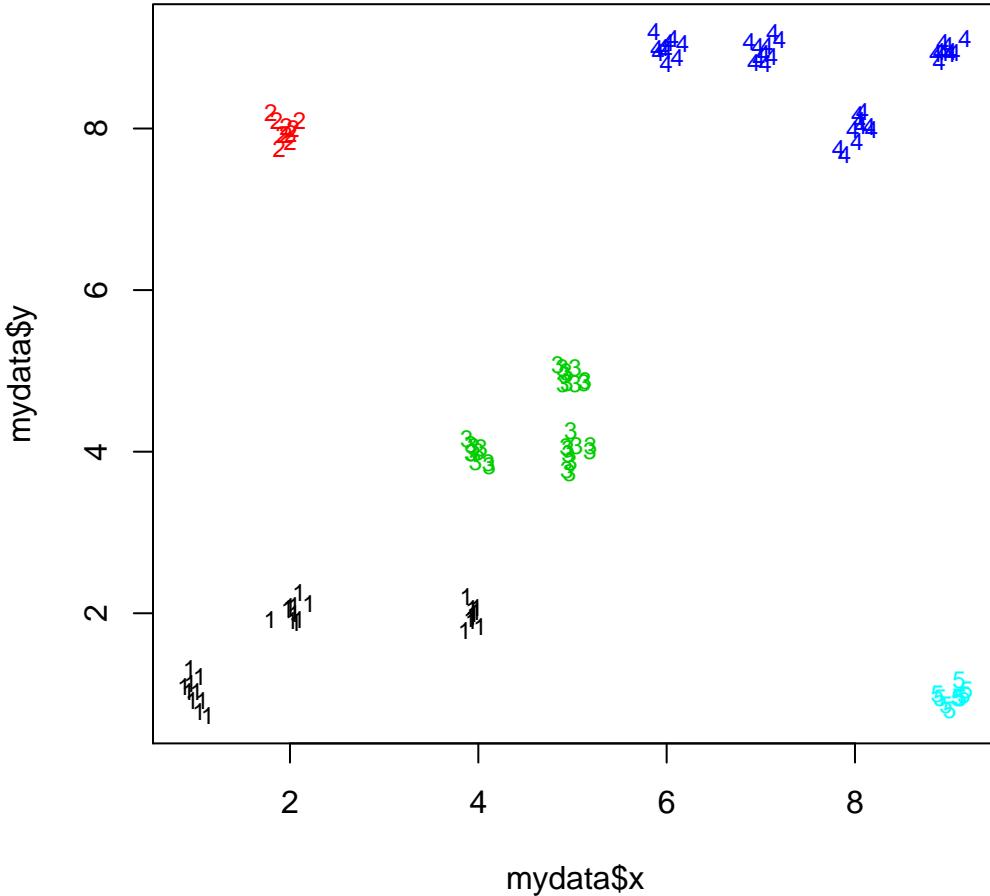


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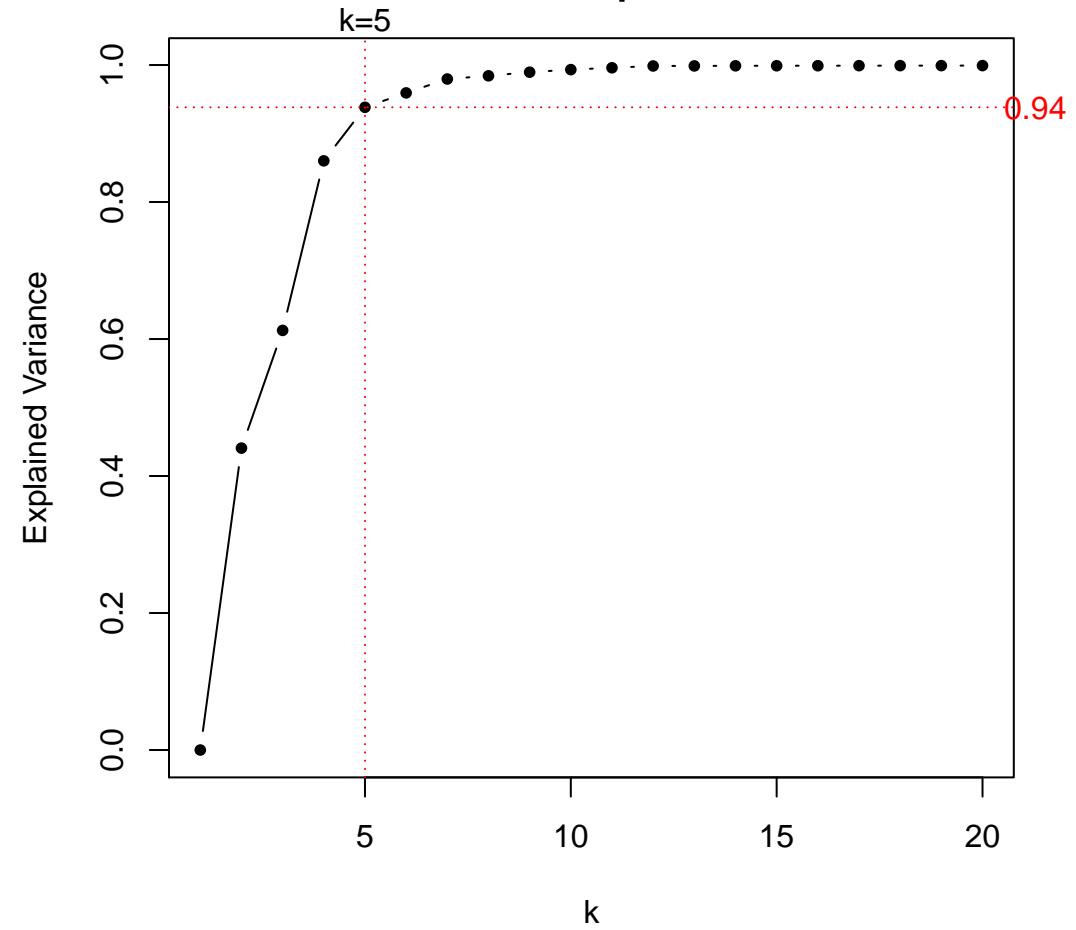


A "good" $k=7$ ($EV=0.98$) is detected when the EV is no less than 0.95
and the increment of EV is no more than 0.01 for a bigger k .

Clusters of simulated data



Elbow plot



A "good" $k=5$ ($EV=0.94$) is detected when the EV is no less than 0.9 and the increment of EV is no more than 0.05 for a bigger k .