

Agglomerative Hierarchical Clustering

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Pseudo Code: Algorithm for Agglomerative hierarchical clustering

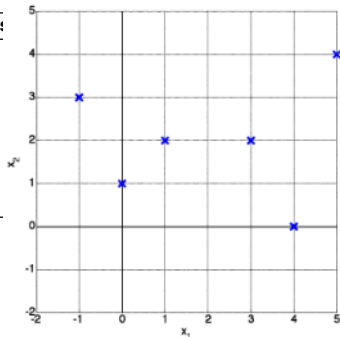
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    Merge  $\mathcal{D}_i$  and  $\mathcal{D}_j$ 
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return  $c$  clusters
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- $c = 3$
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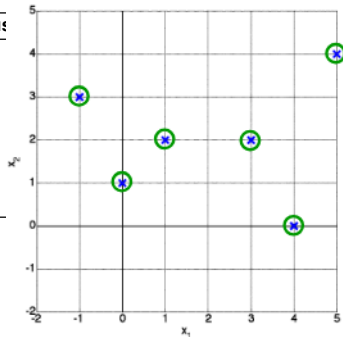
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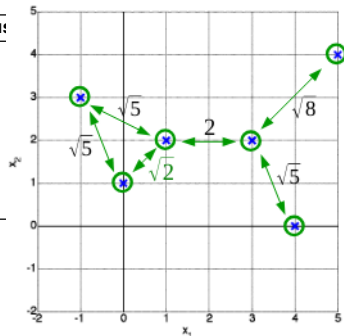
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Iteration 1

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- $\hat{c} = \hat{c} - 1 = 6 - 1 = 5$
- $\mathcal{D}_1 \leftarrow \{\mathbf{x}_1\}, \mathcal{D}_2 \leftarrow \{\mathbf{x}_2\}, \mathcal{D}_3 \leftarrow \{\mathbf{x}_3\},$
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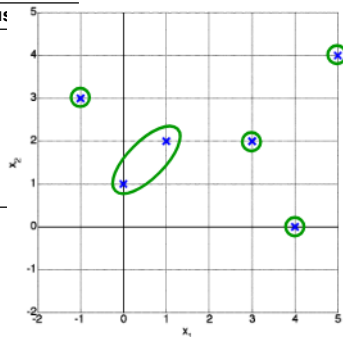
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- Merge \mathcal{D}_2 and \mathcal{D}_3
- $\mathcal{D}_1 \leftarrow \{\mathbf{x}_1\}, \mathcal{D}_2 \leftarrow \{\mathbf{x}_2, \mathbf{x}_3\}, \mathcal{D}_4 \leftarrow \{\mathbf{x}_4\},$
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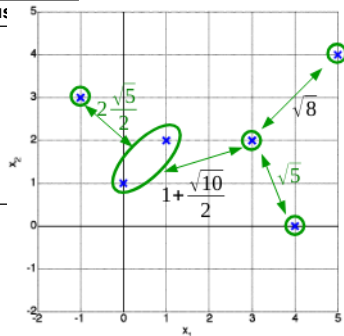
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Iteration 2

- $n = 6$
- $c = 3$
- $\hat{c} = \hat{c} - 1 = 5 - 1 = 4$
- Merge \mathcal{D}_1 and \mathcal{D}_2
- $\mathcal{D}_1 \leftarrow \{\mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2, \mathbf{x}_3\}, \mathcal{D}_4 \leftarrow \{\mathbf{x}_4\}, \mathcal{D}_5 \leftarrow \{\mathbf{x}_5\}, \mathcal{D}_6 \leftarrow \{\mathbf{x}_6\}$



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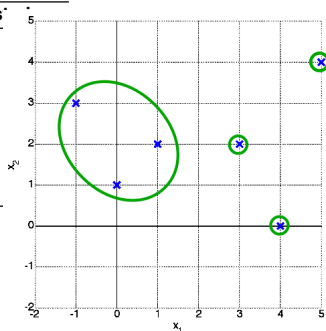
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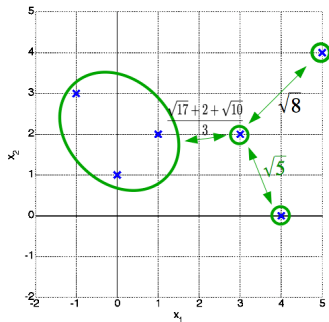
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Iteration 3

- $n = 6$
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- $\mathcal{D}_1 \leftarrow \{\mathbf{x}_1, \mathbf{x}_2, \mathbf{x}_3\}, \mathcal{D}_4 \leftarrow \{\mathbf{x}_4\}, \mathcal{D}_5 \leftarrow \{\mathbf{x}_5\},$
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- $\hat{c} = \hat{c} - 1 = 4 - 1 = 3$
- Merge \mathcal{D}_4 and \mathcal{D}_6
- $\mathcal{D}_1 \leftarrow \{x_1, x_2, x_3\}, \mathcal{D}_4 \leftarrow \{x_4, x_6\}, \mathcal{D}_5 \leftarrow \{x_5\}$

Algorithm terminates (as $c = \hat{c} = 3$).

