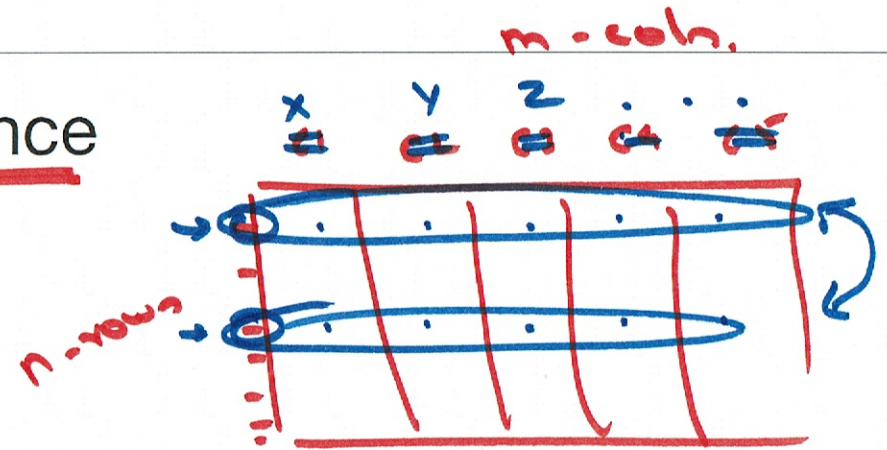


# Distance

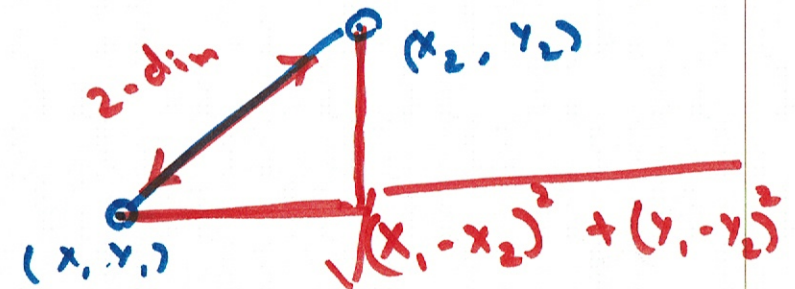


- Do define "similarity" you need a measure of distance
- Examples of common distance measures

- Manhattan Distance

- Eucledian Distance →

- Chebyshev Distance ←



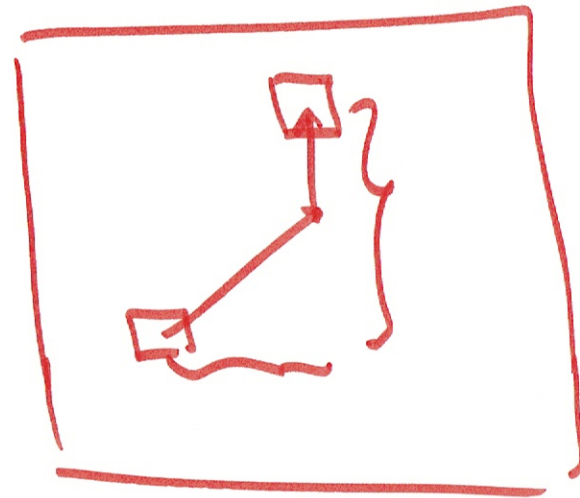
$$|x_1 - x_2| + |y_1 - y_2| + |z_1 - z_2| + \dots$$

$$\sqrt{\frac{m-dim}{2} \left[ (x_1 - x_2)^2 + (y_1 - y_2)^2 + (z_1 - z_2)^2 + \dots \right]}$$

Chebyshev (or) the Chessboard dist.

$n$ -dim

$$\max(|x_1 - x_2|, |y_1 - y_2|, |z_1 - z_2|, \dots)$$



## Minkowski

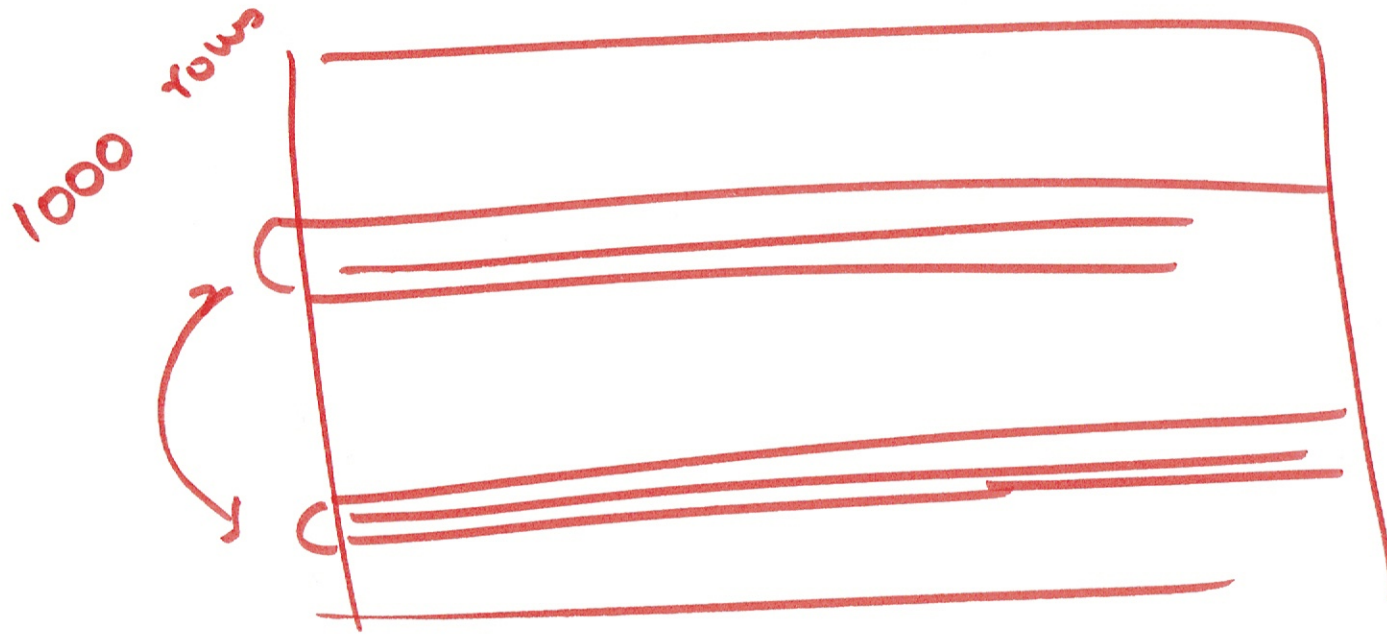
	1	2	...	...	...	m
x	$x_1$	$x_2$				$x_m$
y	$y_1$	$y_2$				$y_m$

$$\left( \sum_{i=1}^m |x_i - y_i|^p \right)^{1/p}$$

if  $p = 2 \Rightarrow$  Euclidean dist.

if  $p = 1 \Rightarrow$  Manhattan dist.

if  $p = \infty \Rightarrow$  Chebyshev dist.



Connectivity based  $\sim$  roughly begin by computing  
 500,000 dist  $\frac{n \times (n+1)}{2}$

Centroid based  $\sim$  roughly begin by computing }  
 5-group  $5 \times 1000$  dist.  
 $5 \times n$

