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1 Note that the points are:
 2 | pts = [(2, 3), (5, 2), (12, 15), (23, 10), (17, 13), (0, 3), (4, 2), (18, 21)]
 4 Initial Distance Matrix
                                      [2]
                                                   [3]
                                                                [4]
                                                                                                                   [8]
                         [1]
                                                                             [5]
                                                                                          [6]
                                                                                                       [7]
 6
                                                                                                   2.2361
             [1]
                      0.0000
                                   3.1623
                                               15.6205
                                                            22. 1359
                                                                         18.0278
                                                                                       2.0000
                                                                                                               24.0832
             [2]
                                   0.0000
                                               14.7648
                                                            19.6977
                                                                        16.2788
                                                                                      5.0990
                                                                                                   1.0000
                                                                                                               23.0217
                      3.1623
 8
                     15.6205
                                                                                                                8.4853
             [3]
                                  14.7648
                                                0.0000
                                                            12.0830
                                                                         5.3852
                                                                                     16.9706
                                                                                                  15. 2643
 9
             [4]
                     22. 1359
                                  19.6977
                                               12.0830
                                                            0.0000
                                                                          6.7082
                                                                                     24.0416
                                                                                                  20.6155
                                                                                                               12.0830
10
             [5]
                                                                                     19.7231
                     18.0278
                                  16.2788
                                                5.3852
                                                             6.7082
                                                                         0.0000
                                                                                                  17.0294
                                                                                                                8.0623
                      2.0000
                                   5.0990
                                                            24.0416
                                                                        19.7231
                                                                                                               25.4558
11
             [6]
                                               16.9706
                                                                                      0.0000
                                                                                                   4.1231
                      2.2361
                                   1.0000
                                               15. 2643
                                                                                      4. 1231
                                                                                                   0.0000
12
                                                                        17.0294
             [7]
                                                            20.6155
                                                                                                               23.6008
                     24.0832
                                  23.0217
                                               8.4853
                                                           12.0830
                                                                                     25.4558
                                                                                                                0.0000
13
             [8]
                                                                          8.0623
                                                                                                  23.6008
14 The minimum distance is 1.0000 between clusters [2] and [7].
15 The centroid of the merged cluster [2, 7] is [4.5, 2.0], calculated from
                                                                                 (1*(5, 2) + 1*(4, 2))/2
                                      [3]
                                                   [4]
                                                                [5]
                                                                                          [8]
16
                         [1]
                                                                             [6]
                                                                                                    [2, 7]
                                               22.1359
                                                            18.0278
                                                                                     24.0832
17
                      0.0000
                                  15.6205
                                                                          2.0000
                                                                                                   2.6926
             [1]
                     15.6205
                                               12.0830
                                                                                      8.4853
18
             [3]
                                   0.0000
                                                             5.3852
                                                                        16.9706
                                                                                                  15.0083
                     22. 1359
                                               0.0000
                                                            6.7082
                                                                        24.0416
                                                                                     12.0830
19
                                  12.0830
                                                                                                  20. 1556
             [4]
                     18.0278
                                                                        19.7231
20
             [5]
                                   5.3852
                                                6.7082
                                                             0.0000
                                                                                      8.0623
                                                                                                  16.6508
21
                                                                                      25.4558
             [6]
                      2.0000
                                  16.9706
                                               24. 0416
                                                            19.7231
                                                                         0.0000
                                                                                                   4.6098
22
             [8]
                     24.0832
                                   8.4853
                                               12.0830
                                                             8.0623
                                                                        25.4558
                                                                                      0.0000
                                                                                                  23. 3077
23
                      2.6926
                                  15.0083
                                               20.1556
                                                           16.6508
                                                                                     23.3077
         [2, 7]
                                                                         4.6098
                                                                                                   0.0000
24 The minimum distance is 2.0000 between clusters [1] and [6].
25 The centroid of the merged cluster [1, 6] is [1.0, 3.0], calculated from (1*(2, 3) + 1*(0, 3))/2.
26
                         [3]
                                      [4]
                                                   [5]
                                                                [8]
                                                                         [2, 7]
                                                                                      [1, 6]
27
             [3]
                      0.0000
                                  12.0830
                                                5. 3852
                                                             8.4853
                                                                        15.0083
                                                                                     16. 2788
                     12.0830
                                                            12.0830
                                                                        20.1556
28
                                                                                     23.0868
             [4]
                                   0.0000
                                                6.7082
29
                      5.3852
                                                                        16.6508
             [5]
                                   6.7082
                                                0.0000
                                                             8.0623
                                                                                     18.8680
30
                                                                                      24.7588
             [8]
                      8.4853
                                  12.0830
                                                8.0623
                                                             0.0000
                                                                         23.3077
                     15.0083
                                  20.1556
                                               16.6508
                                                            23.3077
                                                                                      3.6401
31
                                                                         0.0000
         [2, 7]
32
                     16.2788
                                  23.0868
                                               18.8680
                                                            24.7588
         [1, 6]
                                                                          3.6401
                                                                                      0.0000
33 The minimum distance is 3.6401 between clusters [2, 7] and [1, 6].
34 The centroid of the merged cluster [2, 7, 1, 6] is [2.75, 2.5], calculated from (2*[4.5, 2.0] + 2*[1.0, 3.0])/4.
35
                         [3]
                                                   [5]
                                      [4]
                                                                [8] [2, 7, 1, 6]
36
             [3]
                      0.0000
                                  12.0830
                                                5. 3852
                                                             8.4853
                                                                        15. 5503
37
                     12.0830
                                   0.0000
                                                            12.0830
                                                                        21.5943
             [4]
                                                6.7082
38
             [5]
                      5.3852
                                   6.7082
                                                0.0000
                                                            8.0623
                                                                        17.7006
39
             [8]
                      8.4853
                                  12.0830
                                                8.0623
                                                            0.0000
                                                                        23.9752
                                  21.5943
                                                            23.9752
                                               17.7006
                                                                         0.0000
40 [2, 7, 1, 6]
                     15. 5503
41 The minimum distance is 5.3852 between clusters [3] and [5].
42 The centroid of the merged cluster [3, 5] is [14.5, 14.0], calculated from (1*(12, 15) + 1*(17, 13))/2.
                                      [8] [2, 7, 1, 6]
43
                         [4]
                                                             [3, 5]
                      0.0000
44
             [4]
                                  12.0830
                                               21. 5943
                                                             9.3941
45
             [8]
                     12.0830
                                   0.0000
                                               23.9752
                                                             7.8262
46 [2, 7, 1, 6]
                     21.5943
                                  23.9752
                                               0.0000
                                                            16, 4412
47
         [3. 5]
                      9.3941
                                   7.8262
                                               16. 4412
                                                             0.0000
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48 The minimum distance is 7.8262 between clusters [8] and [3.5].
[4][2, 7, 1, 6]
                          [8, 3, 5]
                     21.5943
       [4]
             0.0000
                             9.6896
52 [2, 7, 1, 6]
             21.5943
                     0.0000
                             18.9262
   [8, 3, 5]
             9.6896
                     18.9262
                             0.0000
54 The minimum distance is 9.6896 between clusters [4] and [8, 3, 5].
[2, 7, 1, 6] [4, 8, 3, 5]
57 [2, 7, 1, 6]
             0.0000
                     19.1735
             19.1735
58 [4, 8, 3, 5]
                     0.0000
59 The minimum distance is 19.1735 between clusters [2, 7, 1, 6] and [4, 8, 3, 5].
60 The centroid of the merged cluster [2, 7, 1, 6, 4, 8, 3, 5] is [10.125, 8.625], calculated from (4*[2.75, 2.5] + 4*[17.5, 14.75])/8.
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