Optimal Database Design Problem

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Algorithm presentation

Genetic Algorithm



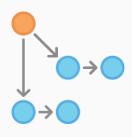
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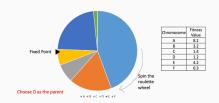
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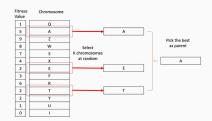
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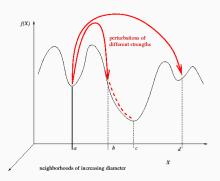
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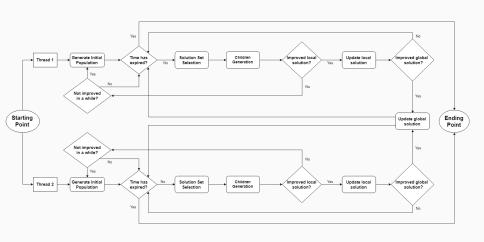
- Mutation
 - 2-bit instead of 1
 - 70% chance to be chosen
- Inversion
 - traditional approach adapted to the instance dimension
 - 15% chance to be chosen
- Crossover
 - traditional approach
 - 15% chance to be chosen

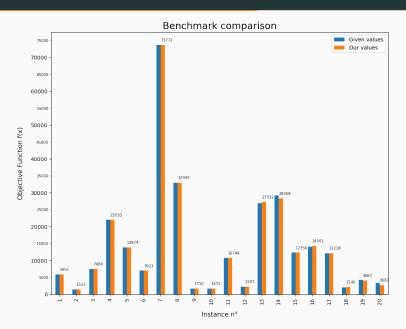
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An our 'local search' is enhanced by replacing all the non-parent elements (which are supposed to be the worst ones) with the actual best solution.



Algorithm steps





Benchmark Comparison

Instance	Given Results	Our Results	Gap(%)
instance01	5951	5951	0
instance02	1513	1513	0
instance03	7484	7484	0
instance04	22010	22010	0
instance05	13874	13874	0
instance06	7003	7003	0
instance07	73772	73772	0
instance08	32999	32999	0
instance09	1710	1710	0
instance10	1672	1672	0
instance11	10749	10749	0
instance12	2287	2287	0
instance13	26938	27332	-1.46
instance14	29280	28358	3.15
instance15	12351	12356	-0.04
instance16	14110	14343	-1.65
instance17	12218	12218	0
instance18	2081	2146	-3.12
instance19	4257	4067	4.46
instance20	3406	2687	21.11

	Gap(%)
Best	-3.12
Worst	21.11
Avg	1.12



