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ALG1	-1.0000	0.3301	-0.0000
ALG2	-0.8897	0.9308	0.9061
ALG3	-0.8335	0.8361	0.6983
ALG4	-0.5835	0.8785	0.7155
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