Algorithm 1: Connected Components of KS-CCDs

Algorithm 1: Given a dataset X, this algorithm tests if there are multiple components or not. If it turns out that more than one components are detected, further investigation is need to decide whether these components are clusters or outliers;

Here, δ_0 is an initial value (big enough) for the density parameter δ in KS statistics, Δ is a small value that δ changes each time. N represents the number of datasets to simulate.

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Input: \delta_0, \Delta, N and a dataset X;
     Output: Connected Components of X;
     Initialization:\\
 1 H_0: Assume X is generated from an underlying uni-modal distribution F with support
      S and there are no outliers.
 i \leftarrow 1:
 3 M \leftarrow \text{the size of } \mathbf{X};
 4 \delta_{seq} \leftarrow \text{NULL};
                                                                      /* Store \delta for each simulated dataset */
 5 while i < N do
          \delta \leftarrow \delta_0;
          Simulate a dataset X_0 of size M from the distribution F within S;
          D_{\mathbf{X_0}} = (\mathcal{V}_{\mathbf{X_0}}, \mathcal{A}_{\mathbf{X_0}}) \leftarrow \text{the KS-CCD of } \mathbf{X_0} \text{ (with density } \delta);
           G_{\mathbf{X_0}} = (\mathcal{V}_{\mathbf{X_0}}, \mathcal{E}_{\mathbf{X_0}}) \leftarrow \text{the intersection graph of } D;
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          while G_{\mathbf{X_0}} is connected do
                \delta \leftarrow \delta - \Delta;
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                Repeat line 8 and 9 to update D_{\mathbf{X}_0} and G_{\mathbf{X}_0};
          \delta_{seq} \leftarrow \delta_{seq} \cup \delta;
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14 The \alpha quantile of \delta_{seq} is denoted \delta_{\alpha};
15 D_{\mathbf{X}} = (\mathcal{V}_{\mathbf{X}}, \mathcal{A}_{\mathbf{X}}) \leftarrow \text{the KS-CCD of } \mathbf{X} \text{ (with density } \delta_{\alpha});
16 G_{\mathbf{X}} = (\mathcal{V}_{\mathbf{X}}, \mathcal{E}_{\mathbf{X}}) \leftarrow \text{the intersection graph of } D_{\mathbf{X}};
17 if G_{\mathbf{X}} is connected then
      Do not reject \mathbf{H_0} and return \mathbf{X} as a single component;
     else
      Reject H_0 at 1-\alpha level and return the connected components of G_{\mathbf{X}_0};
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Note:

- 1) In line 8, $\mathcal{V}_{\mathbf{X_0}} := \mathbf{X_0}$.
- 2) In line 9, for any $u, v \in \mathbf{X_0}$, the edge $uv \in \mathcal{E}_{\mathbf{X_0}}$ if and only if B_u and B_v cover v and u respectively.