INFS 4203 / 7203 Data Mining

Tutorial 4: Clustering

T4-Q1: Calculating distance

Calculate the L1, L2, L-infinite norms of two points: (1, 0, 5) and (2, 4, 9)

T4-Q2: AGNES algorithm

Suppose the data mining task is to use agglomerative clustering to group measurements of the variable age.

• Age = {18, 28, 22, 33, 40, 48}

Commute the step-by-step agglomerative grouping using:

- a. Single linkage
- b. Complete linkage
- c. Average linkage

with Manhattan distance

T4-Q3: k-means and SSE calculation

Suppose the data mining task is to cluster the following measurements

Age = {18, 22, 25, 42, 27, 43, 33, 35, 56, 28} into three groups. For initial centroid of {18, 27, 35}:

- a. Use the *k*-means algorithm to show the clustering procedures step by step;
- b. Calculate the final SSE using Manhattan distance