
Algorithm 1 H1 Greedy Elimination

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function method(motifs, n)
    supernodes  $\leftarrow \emptyset$ 
    for i  $\leftarrow 1$  to n do
        shuffled_motifs  $\leftarrow$  random_shuffle(motifs)
        disjoint_motifs  $\leftarrow \emptyset$ 
        for each motif  $\in$  shuffled_motifs do
            if motif has not overlaps in disjoint_motifs then
                Add motif to disjoint_motifs
            end if
        end for
        if disjoint_motifs contains more motifs than supernodes then
            supernodes  $\leftarrow$  disjoint_motifs
        end if
    end for
    return supernodes
end function

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Algorithm 2 H2 Ramsey

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function method(motifs, k)
    candidates  $\leftarrow \emptyset$ 
    if motifs contains overlaps then
        flag  $\leftarrow$  True
    else
        flag  $\leftarrow$  False
    end if
    while flag do
        flag  $\leftarrow$  False
        Divide motifs in n samples of size at most k, call them subsets
        for subset  $\in$  subsets do
            Build an overlap graph g
            Perform the Ramsey algorithm on g and save the maximum independent set in misg
            Move all motifs from misg to candidates
        end for
        if candidates contains overlaps then
            motifs  $\leftarrow$  candidates
            flag  $\leftarrow$  True
        end if
    end while
    return candidates
end function

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Algorithm 3 H3 Ranked Elimination

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1: function method(g, motifs)
2:   PotentialSupernodes  $\leftarrow \emptyset$ 
3:   Compute the degree for each motif  $\in$  motifs and build a list of ordered motifs called MotifDegree
4:   for node  $\in$  g do
5:     Move the motif that contains node with the lowest degree from MotifDegree to PotentialSupernodes
6:   end for
7:   for each pair m', m'' of overlapping motifs in PotentialSupernodes do
8:     Remove the motif with the highest degree between m', m'' from PotentialSupernodes. Remove a random one if they have the same degree.
9:   end for
10:  return PotentialSupernodes
11: end function

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Algorithm 4 H4 Repeated Ranked Elimination

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1: function method( $g, motifs$ )
2:    $Supernodes \leftarrow \emptyset$ 
3:   while  $motifs \neq \emptyset$  do
4:      $PotentialSupernodes \leftarrow \emptyset$ 
5:     Compute the degree for each  $motif \in motifs$  and build a list of ordered motifs called  $MotifDegree$ 
6:     for  $node \in g$  do
7:       Move the  $motif$  that contains  $node$  with the lowest degree from  $MotifDegree$  to  $PotentialSupernodes$ 
8:     end for
9:     for each pair  $m', m''$  of overlapping motifs do
10:      Remove the motif with the highest degree between  $m', m''$  from  $PotentialSupernodes$ . Remove a random one if they have the same
      degree.
11:   end for
12:   Consider the list  $N_{orphan}$  of all nodes that are not covered by a motif in  $PotentialSupernodes$ 
13:   Filter  $motifs$  keeping only motifs that apply to  $N_{orphan}$ 
14:   Move all motifs from  $PotentialSupernodes$  to  $Supernodes$ 
15: end while
16: return  $Supernodes$ 
17: end function

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Algorithm 5 H5 Sampled Ranked Elimination

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1: function method( $motifs, k$ )
2:    $candidates \leftarrow \emptyset$ 
3:   if  $motifs$  contains overlaps then
4:      $flag \leftarrow True$ 
5:   else
6:      $flag \leftarrow False$ 
7:   end if
8:   while  $flag$  do
9:      $flag \leftarrow False$ 
10:    Divide  $motifs$  in  $n$  samples of size at most  $k$ , call them  $subsets$ 
11:    for  $subset \in subsets$  do
12:      Build an overlap graph  $g$ 
13:      Remove motifs that overlap from  $g$  starting with the motifs with the higher degree than other motifs and save the surviving in  $mis_g$ 
14:      Move all motifs in  $mis_g$  to  $candidates$ 
15:    end for
16:    if  $candidates$  contains overlaps then
17:       $motifs \leftarrow candidates$ 
18:       $flag \leftarrow True$ 
19:    end if
20:  end while
21:  return  $candidates$ 
22: end function

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