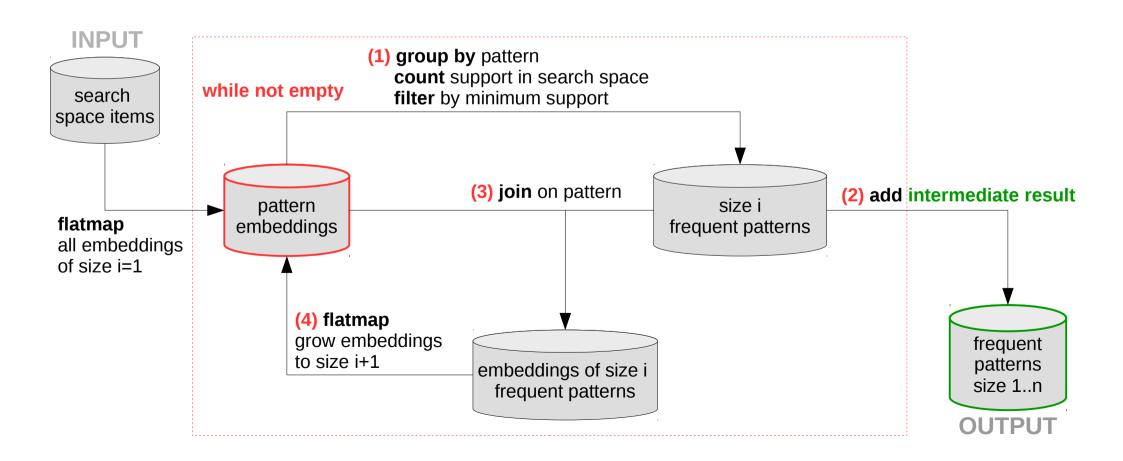
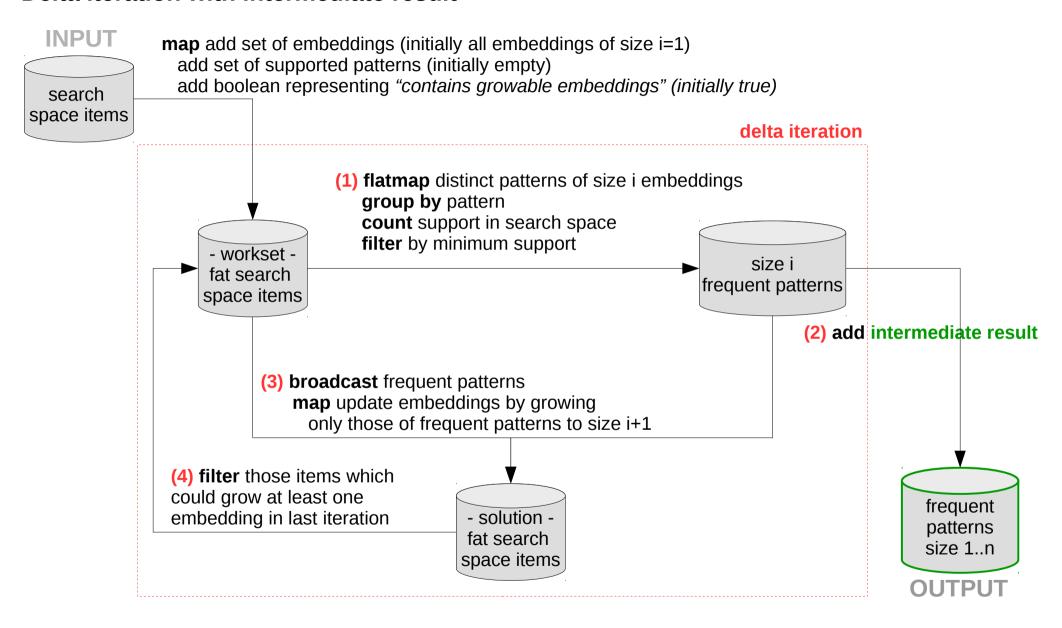
## "While not empty" loop with intermediate result

## **Example Frequent Pattern Mining**

- Problem: Find patterns, which occur frequently in a set of search space items
- patterns may have arbitrary size and patterns may contain each other
- pattern growth: start with size 1 patterns, iteratively, grow only frequent ones to size n (pruning)
- An instance of a pattern is called embedding
- A search space item may contain *multiple embeddings* of the same pattern but
- Frequent means a given minimum number of items contain a pattern (minimum support)



## Delta iteration with intermediate result



## **Delta iteration workaround**

