平行程式設計 Final Project:

DBSCAN

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DBSCAN

- 一種Clustering的方式。
- Density Based的Clustering方式。
- Ester, M., Kriegel, H. P., Sander, J., & Xu, X. (1996, August). A density-based algorithm for discovering clusters in large spatial databases with noise. In Kdd (Vol. 96, No. 34, pp. 226-231).

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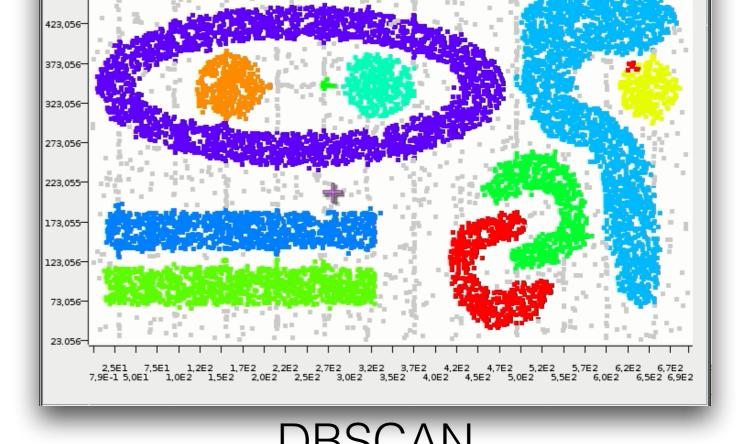
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K-means

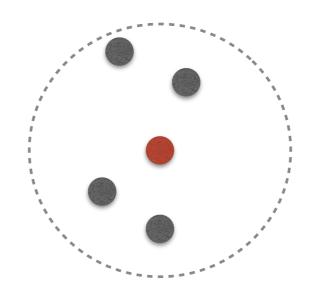
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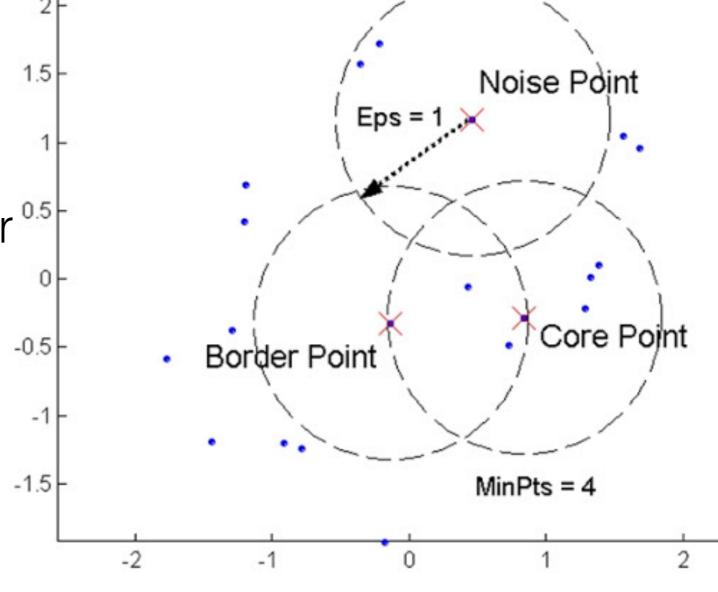
Simulated data with two clusters



- Parameters
 - radius (Eps)
 - N_{Eps}(p): subset contained in the Eps neighborhood of p.
 - minimum number of objects (MinPts)



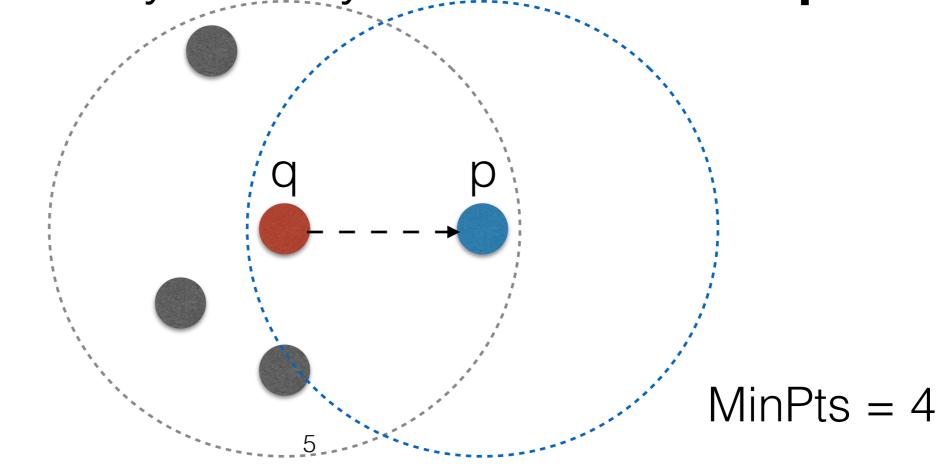
- Types of object in the Dataset
 - Core object
 - $|N_{Eps}(p)| > MinPts$
 - Border object
 - Core obj's neighbor but not a core obj
 - Noise object
 - other



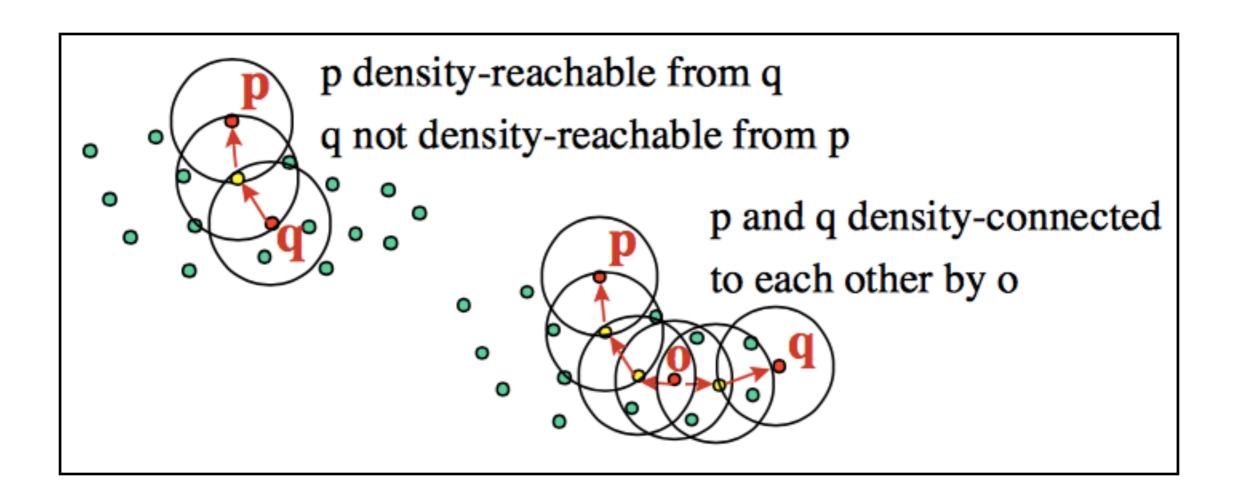
Definitions

- **Definition 1**: Directly density-reachable
 - If $\mathbf{p} \in N_{Eps}(\mathbf{q})$, and \mathbf{q} is a core object

- **p** is <u>directly density-reachable</u> from **q**



- Definition 2: Density-reachable
 - if there's a chain of object $\mathbf{p_1}, \dots, \mathbf{p_n}$, and $\mathbf{p_{i+1}}$ is directly density-reachable from $\mathbf{p_i}$
 - $p_1 = q$ and $p_n = p$, we say p is <u>density-reachable</u> from q (denoted as p > pq).
- Definition 3: Density-connected
 - if both **p** and **q** are <u>density-reachable</u> from **o**, **p** is <u>density-connected</u> to **q**.



• **Definition 4**: Cluster

Maximality:
 ∀p,q ∈D(a set of object):
 If p ∈ cluster C and q > pp, then also q ∈C.

Connectivity:
 ∀p,q ∈ C: **p** is <u>density-connected</u> to **q**.

Algorithm

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Algorithm DBSCAN(Data: \mathcal{D}, Radius: Eps, Density: \tau)
begin

Determine core, border and noise points of \mathcal{D} at level (Eps, \tau);
Create graph in which core points are connected
if they are within Eps of one another;
Determine connected components in graph;
Assign each border point to connected component
with which it is best connected;
return points in each connected component as a cluster;
end
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Figure 6.15: Basic *DBSCAN* algorithm

Basic DBSCAN

平行化方法

• 主要在兩處做平行化

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平行化的DBSCAN

第一部分

- Data partition.
- 在把資料點分成core, broader, noise時, 把資料切割分別做分類。

第二部分

- 原本使用BFS把同個cluster的core object都串起來。
- 平行化後變成每個thread都去做BFS。
- 原本應該同一個cluster的資料會被瓜分成多個。

處理方式

- 在global宣告一個equivalent matrix
 - 當兩個thread在trace同一個cluster,然後撞在一起時會去紀錄他們了個標的其實是同一個cluster。
 - sync

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| D | 1 | 1 | | |

- 對equivalent matrix做trace,做出一個矩陣,最後統一全部資料點的cluster id時使用。
 - 最後在把全部點讀過一遍,照著表格更改原本的 cluster ID。

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實驗結果

• 資料量: 8000筆

• serial program時間: 6.281s

| thread數 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 8 | 12 |
|---------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 時間 | 6.422 | 3.459 | 1.989 | 1.179 | 0.911 |