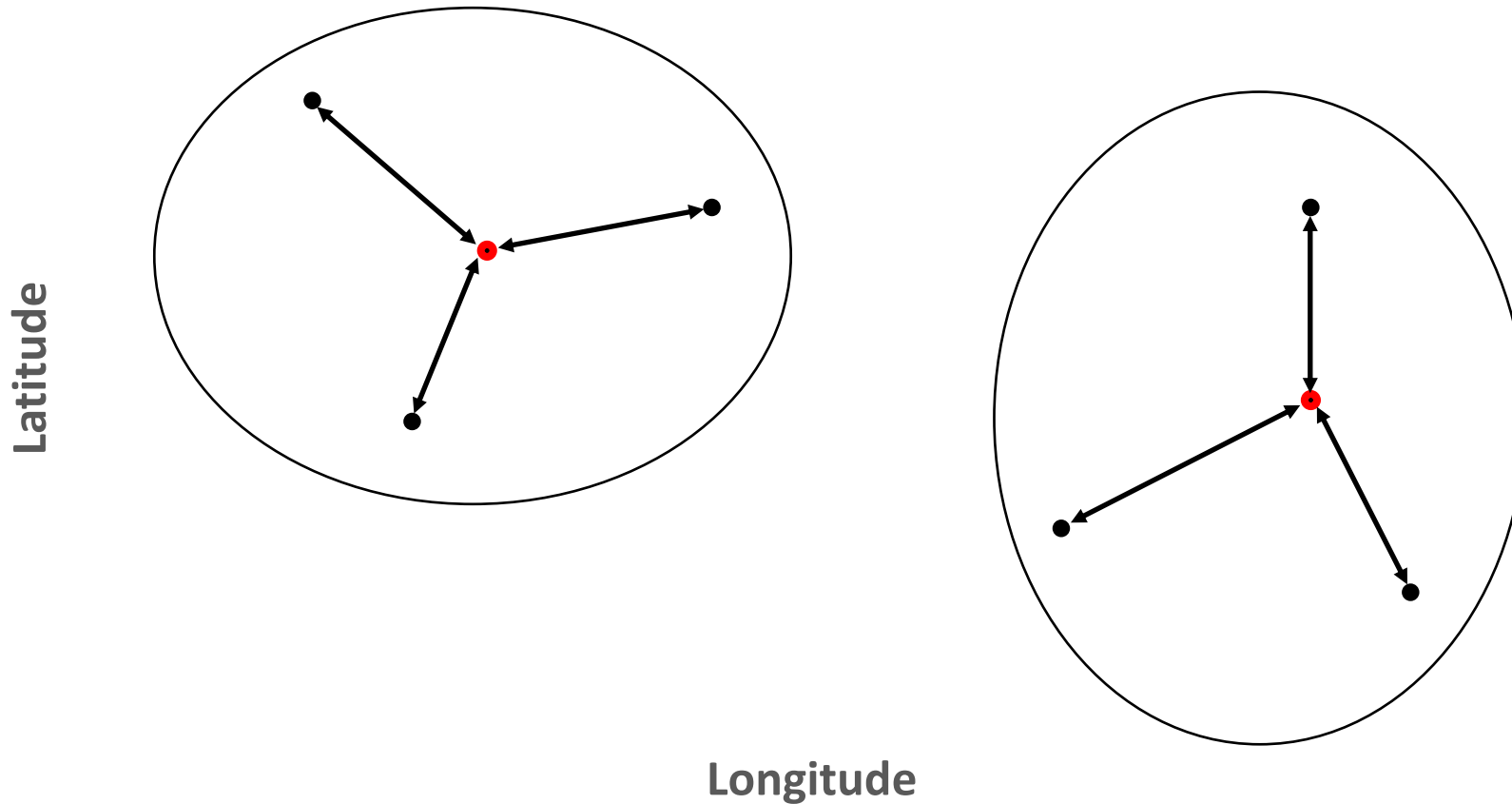


GEOCLUSTERING OF CENSUS BLOCK GROUPS



Sum of population-weighted squared distances of block groups to population-weighted cluster centroids is minimized by iteratively adjusting cluster assignments and resulting centroids, subject to the constraint that cluster populations be approximately equal