n	granularity of space decomposition
k	number of nearest neighbors
d	dimensionality
D	a d-dimensional metric space
dist(r,s)	the distance from r to s
kNN(r,S)	the k nearest neighbors of r from S
AkNNC(R,S)	$\forall r \in R \text{ classify } r \text{ based on } kNN(r,S)$
ICCH	interval, cell cube or hypercube
ICSH	interval, circle, sphere or hypersphere
I	input dataset
T	training dataset
c_r	the class of point r
C_T	the set of classes of dataset T
S_I	size of input dataset
S_T	size of training dataset
M	total number of Map tasks
R	total number of Reduce tasks