

Hierarchical Clustering

계층적 군집분석

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1. What is Hierarchical Clustering (HC)?

“계층적 군집 분석”

생성되는 cluster들은 “계층”을 가지고 있다.
데이터들이 어느 단계(계층)에서 서로 묶이는지
(clustering이 되는지)를 확인할 수 있다.

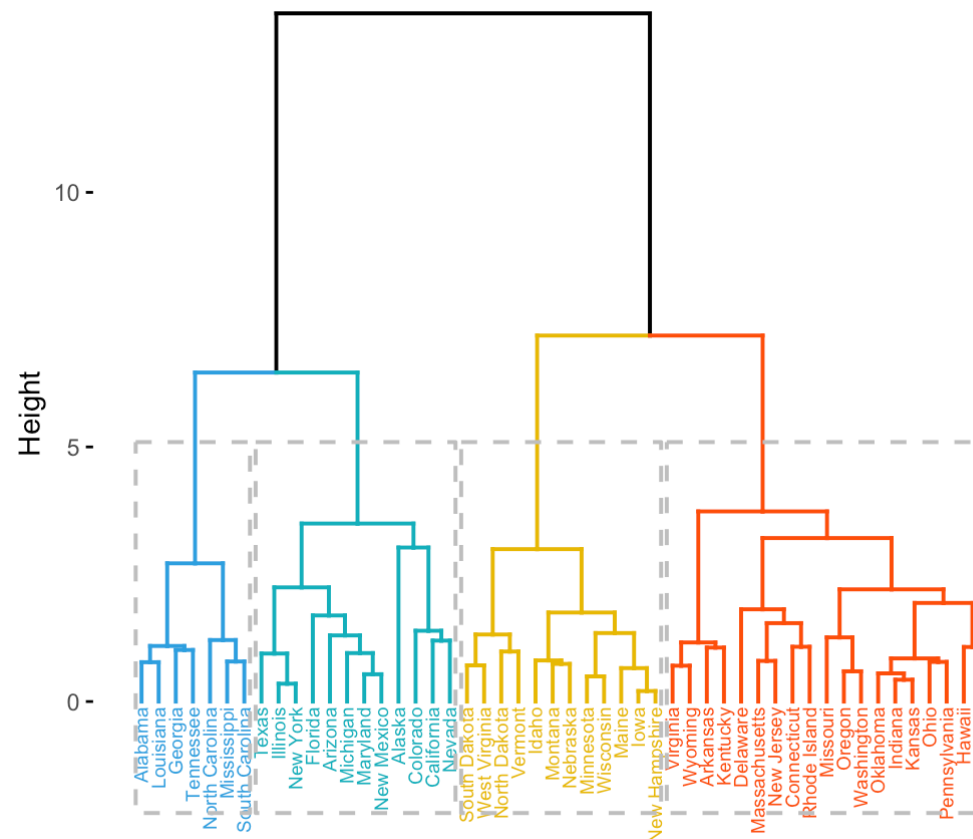
(생물학/고객군 분류에서 자주 사용)

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1) Agglomerative

2) Divisive

Cluster Dendrogram



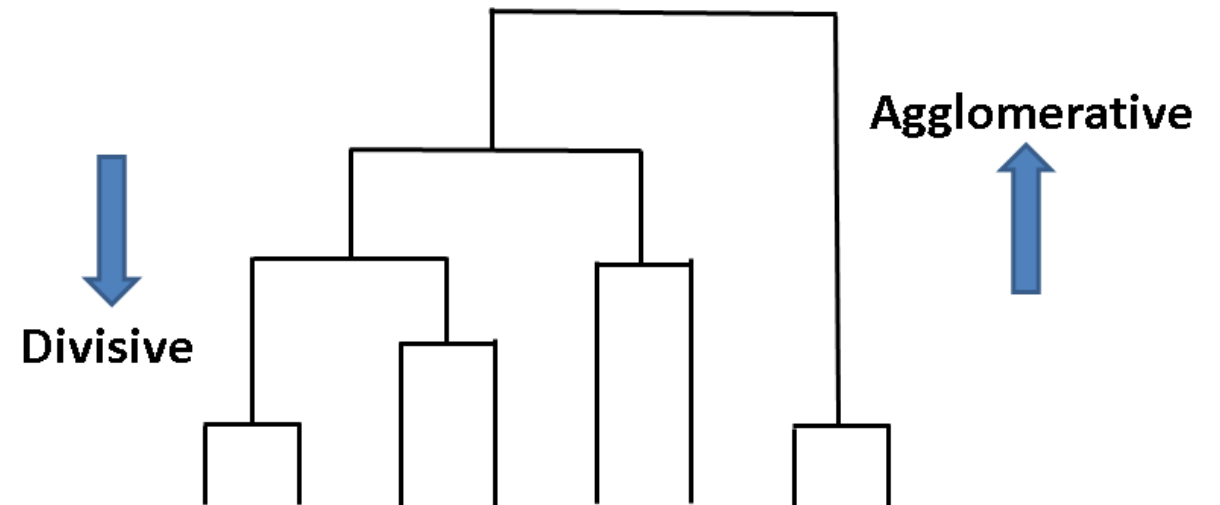
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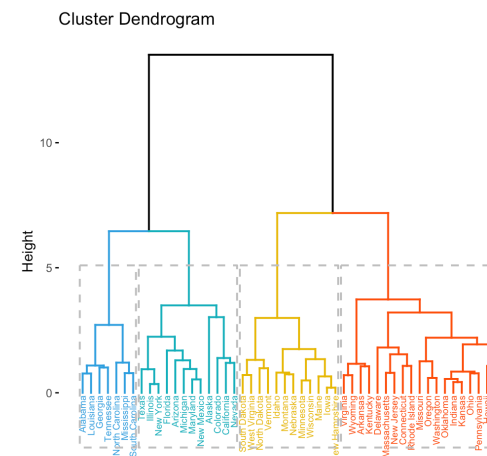
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위 두 방법을 통한 Clustering 결과는 주로 “**dendrogram**”으로 나타내어진다.



2. Clustering Dissimilarity

어떠한 기준으로 합쳐지고(merge), 나뉘게(split)되는가?

(1) Distance metric

Names	Formula
Euclidean distance	$\ a - b\ _2 = \sqrt{\sum_i (a_i - b_i)^2}$
Squared Euclidean distance	$\ a - b\ _2^2 = \sum_i (a_i - b_i)^2$
Manhattan distance	$\ a - b\ _1 = \sum_i a_i - b_i $
Maximum distance	$\ a - b\ _\infty = \max_i a_i - b_i $
Mahalanobis distance	$\sqrt{(a - b)^\top S^{-1} (a - b)}$ where S is the Covariance matrix

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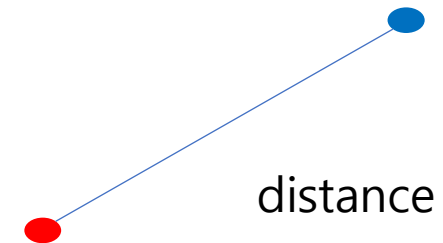
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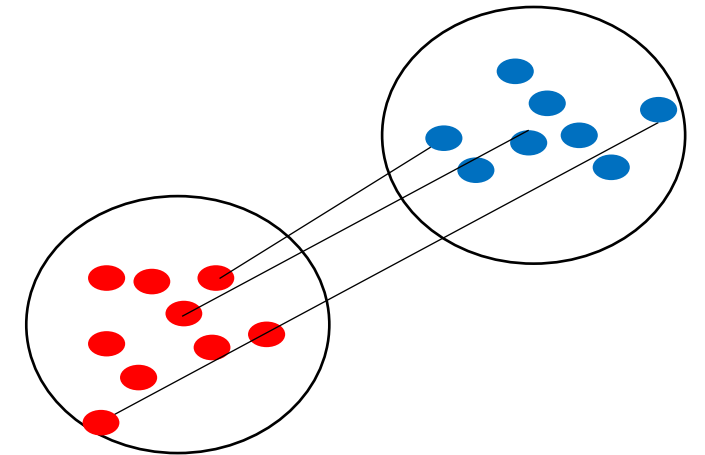
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2. Clustering Dissimilarity

(2) Linkage criteria

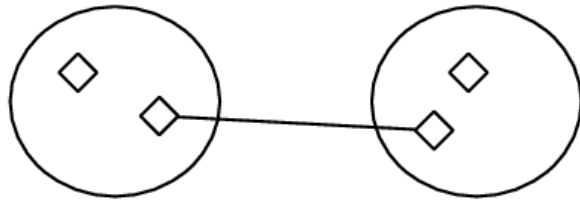
Names	Formula
Maximum or complete-linkage clustering	$\max \{ d(a, b) : a \in A, b \in B \}.$
Minimum or single-linkage clustering	$\min \{ d(a, b) : a \in A, b \in B \}.$
Unweighted average linkage clustering (or UPGMA)	$\frac{1}{ A \cdot B } \sum_{a \in A} \sum_{b \in B} d(a, b).$
Weighted average linkage clustering (or WPGMA)	$d(i \cup j, k) = \frac{d(i, k) + d(j, k)}{2}.$
Centroid linkage clustering, or UPGMC	$\ c_s - c_t\ $ where c_s and c_t are the centroids of clusters s and t , respectively.
Minimum energy clustering	$\frac{2}{nm} \sum_{i,j=1}^{n,m} \ a_i - b_j\ _2 - \frac{1}{n^2} \sum_{i,j=1}^n \ a_i - a_j\ _2 - \frac{1}{m^2} \sum_{i,j=1}^m \ b_i - b_j\ _2$
Ward	Minimum Variance



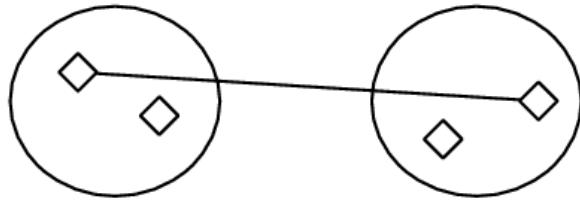
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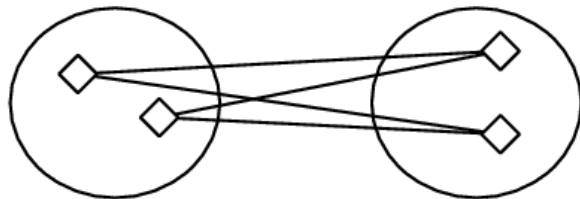
Single Linkage
(= minimum-linkage)



Complete Linkage
(= maximum-linkage)



Group Average Linkage



많이 사용되는 3가지 Linkage Criteria

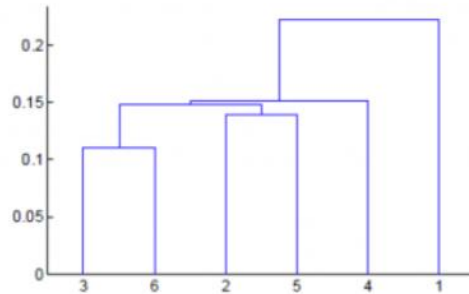
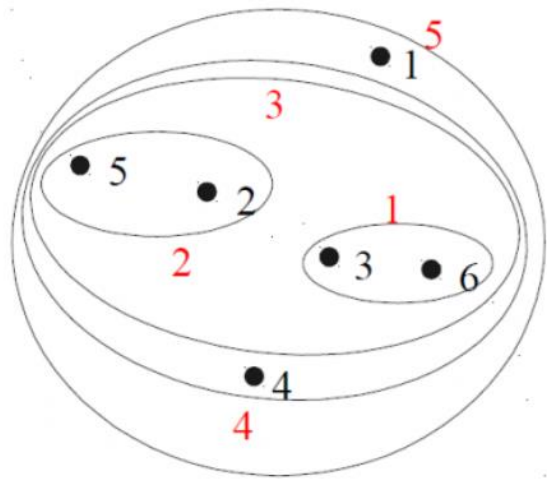
- 1) Single(Minimum) Linkage : **최단 연결법**
- 2) Complete (Maximum) Linkage : **최장 연결법**
- 3) Group Average : **평균 연결법**

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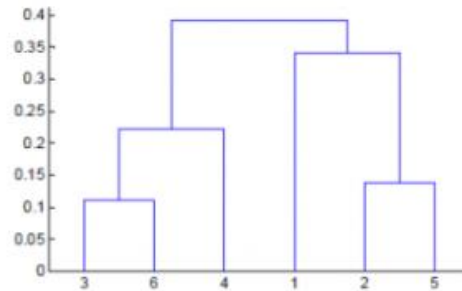
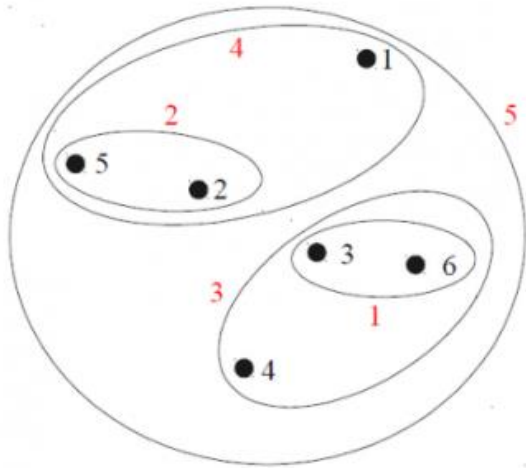


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2) Complete (Maximum) Linkage : **최장 연결법**

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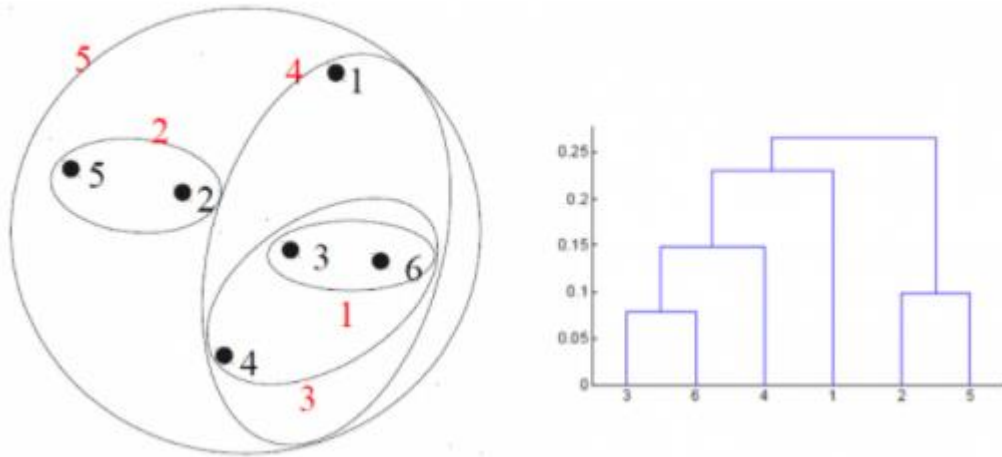


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3) Group Average : 평균 연결법

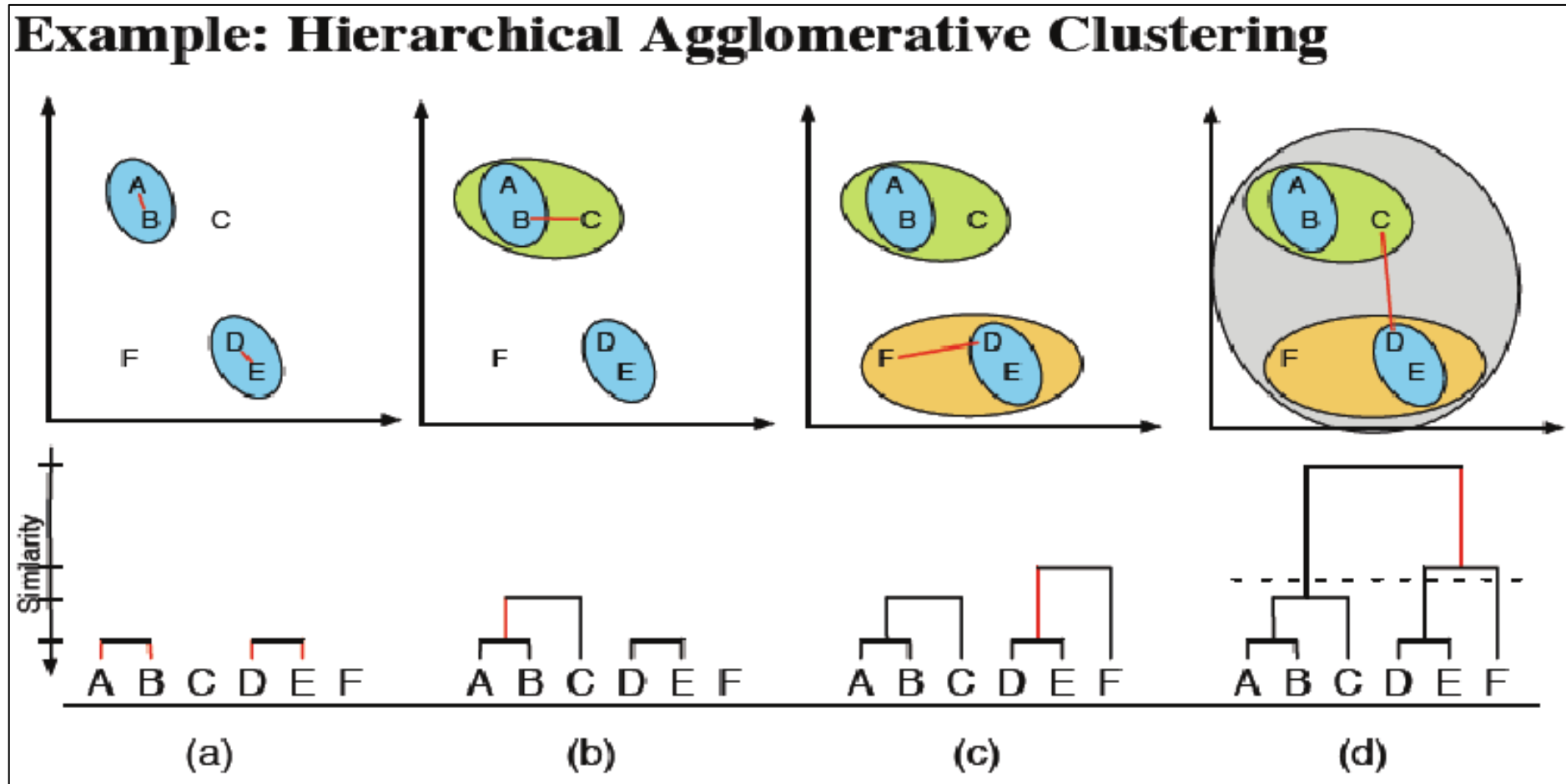
- 두 군집 간에 "점들 사이의 평균 거리" 로서 구함



최단연결법 & 최장연결법의 trade-off 관계를 절충

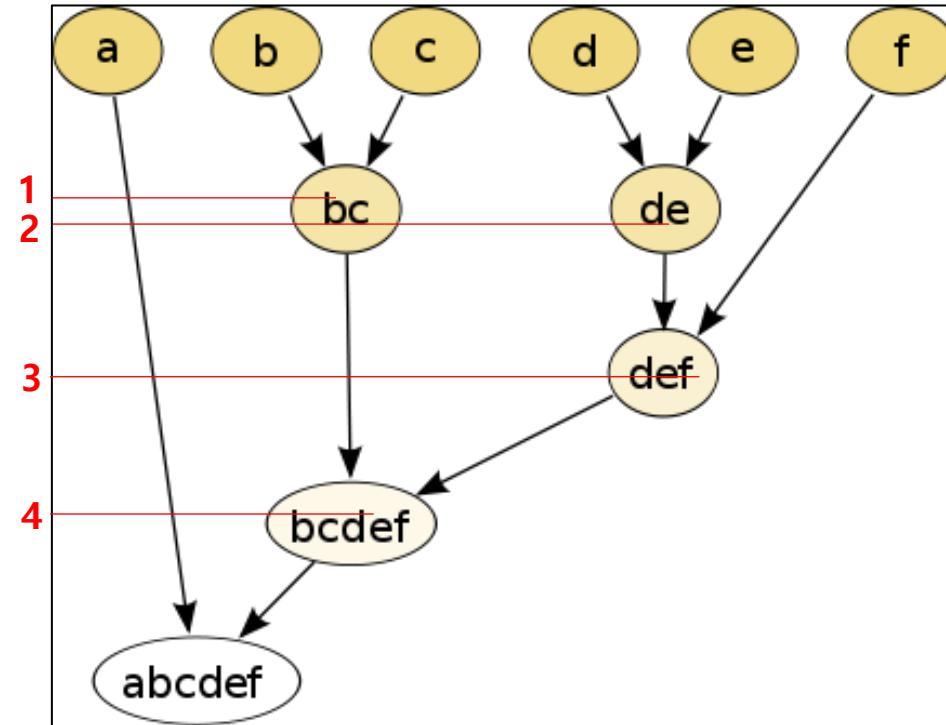
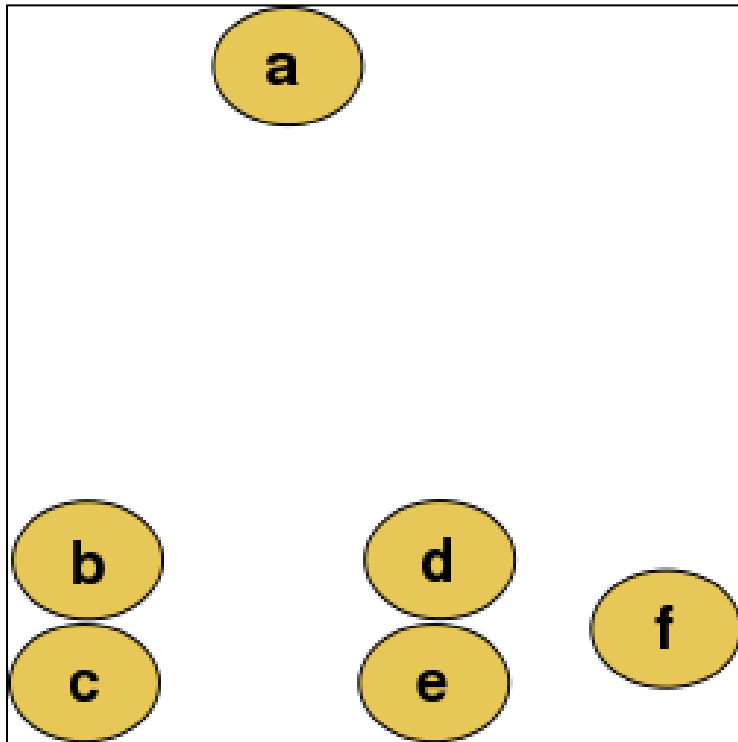
BUT 계산 비용이 높다는 단점!

3. Agglomerative Clustering



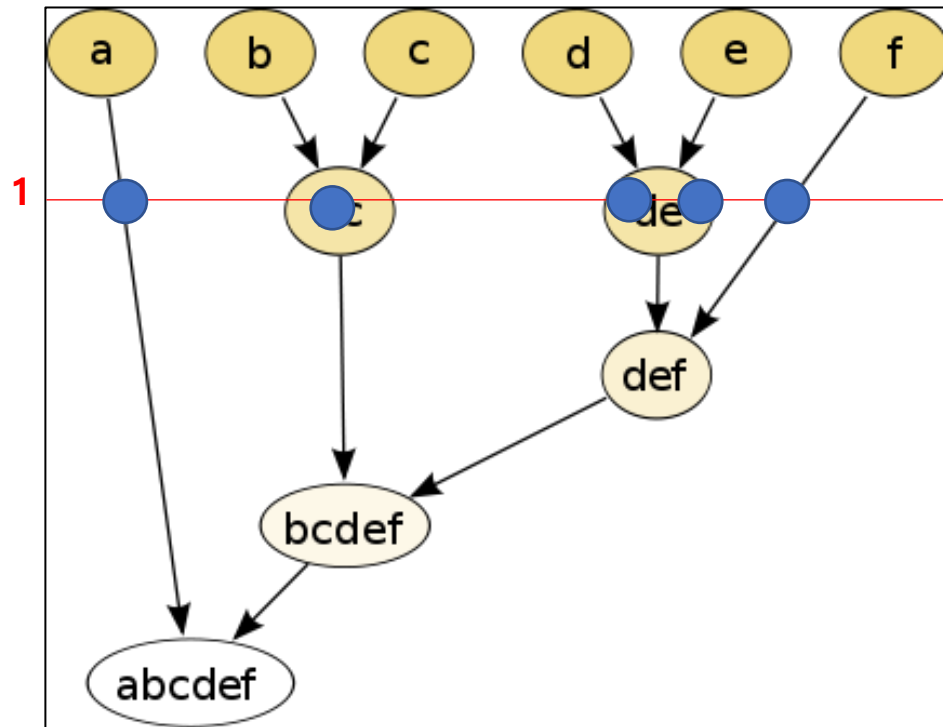
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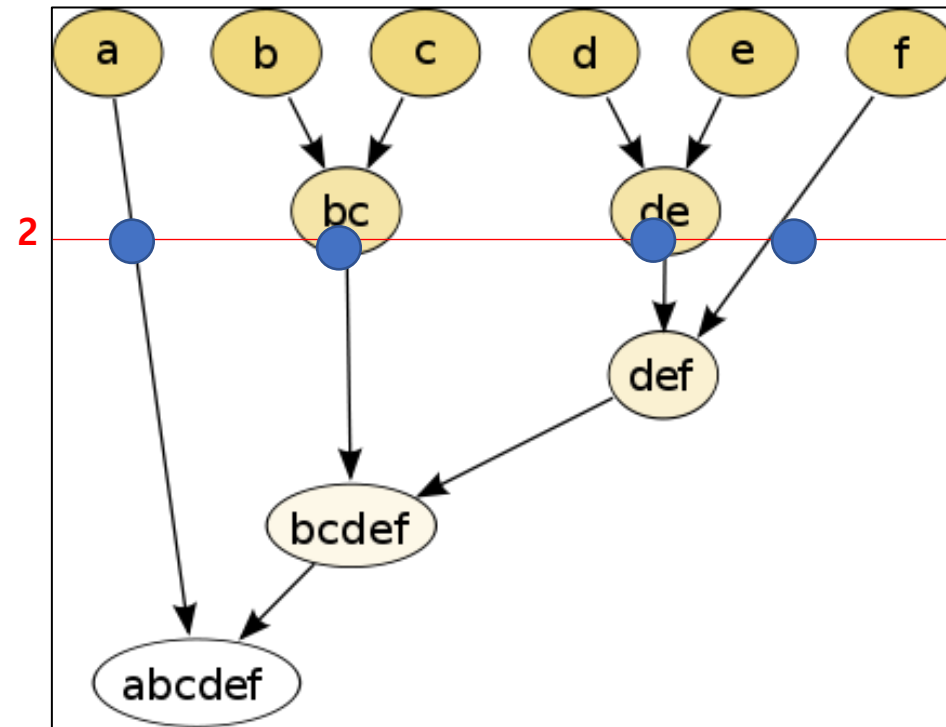


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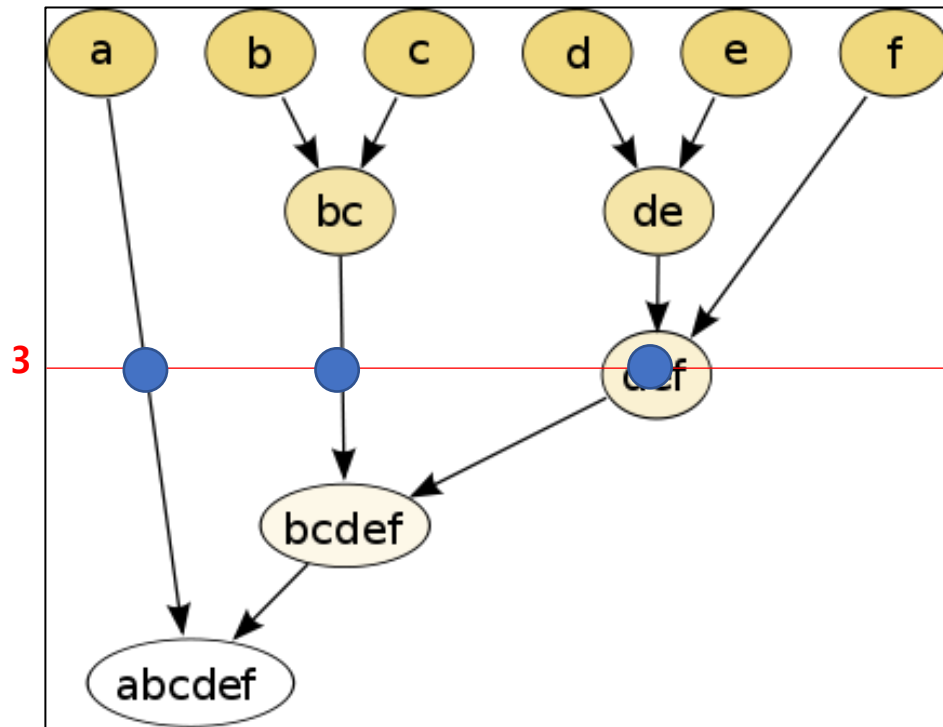
Number of clusters = 5



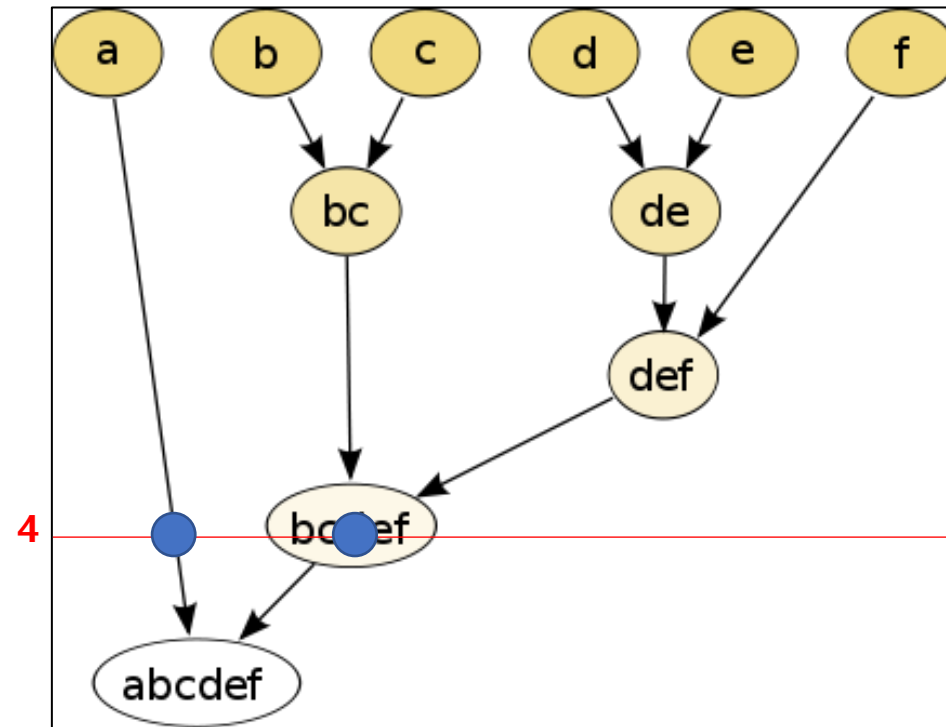
Number of clusters = 4

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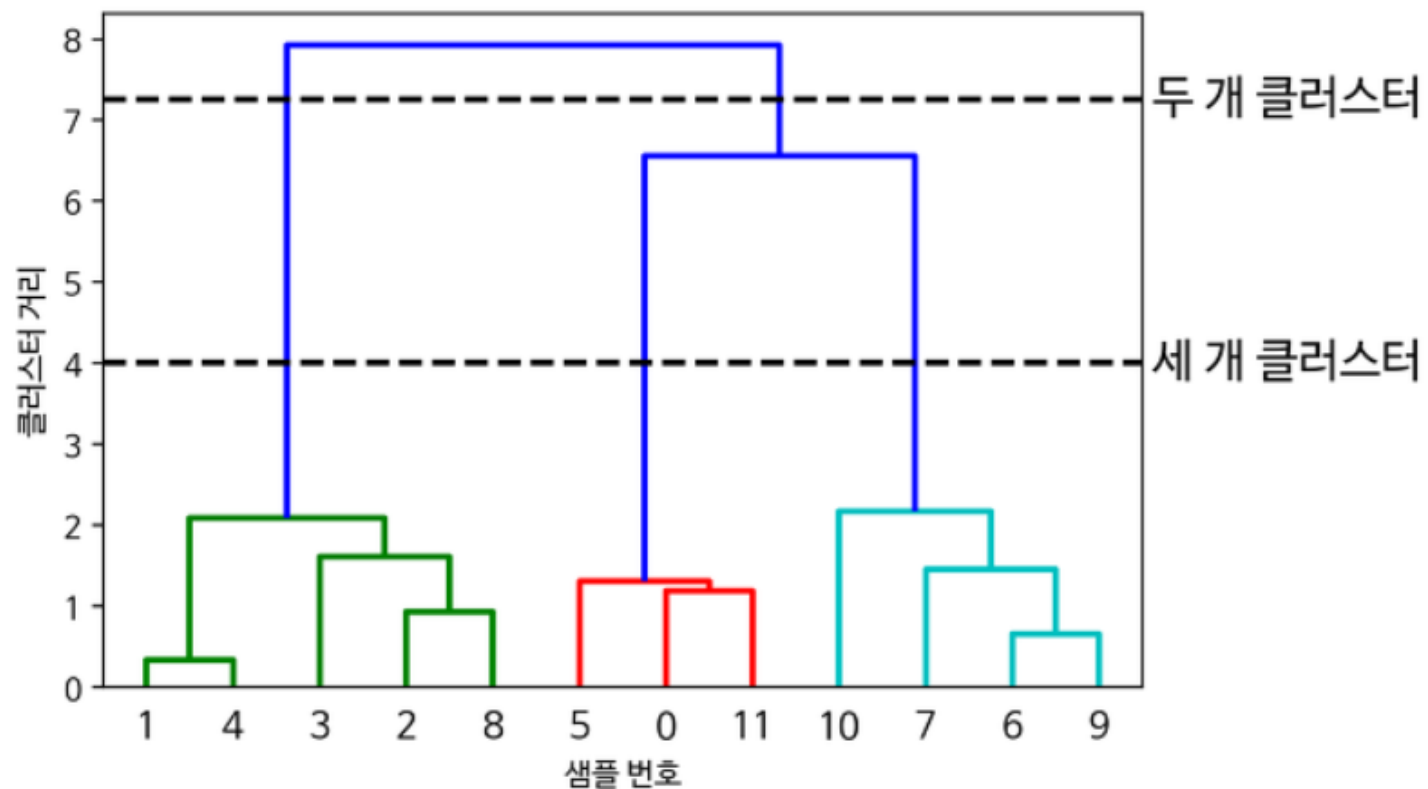
Number of clusters = 3



Number of clusters = 2

3. Agglomerative Clustering

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4. Problems with Hierarchical Clustering

Greedy algorithm (탐욕 알고리즘)

- 미래 생각 X...ONLY 현재 단계에서 최선의 것을 선택하는 "이기적" 인 기법!

높은 연산량

- 각각의 data 사이의 distance matrix를 계산해야 하기 때문에, 연산량이 높다.
(ex. 1만개의 data : $1만 \times 1만 = 1억$ 번 계산)
- Time complexity : $O(n^3)$

5. Python Code for Hierarchical Clustering

Package

- (1) **Sklearn** : for clustering
- (2) **Scipy** : for dendrogram



Sklearn은 dendrogram 시각화 기능을 제공하지 않음
따라서 Scipy 패키지를 사용!



5. Python Code for Hierarchical Clustering

(1) sklearn

sklearn.cluster.AgglomerativeClustering

```
class sklearn.cluster.AgglomerativeClustering(n_clusters=2, *, affinity='euclidean', memory=None, connectivity=None, compute_full_tree='auto', linkage='ward', distance_threshold=None, compute_distances=False)
```

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지정해줘야할 핵심 변수 3가지

- 1) `n_clusters` : 클러스터의 개수
- 2) **affinity** : distance metric
- 3) **linkage** : linkage criterion

5. Python Code for Hierarchical Clustering

(1) sklearn

```
agg = AgglomerativeClustering(n_clusters=3, linkage='ward')  
assignment = agg.fit_predict(pca_df_temp)
```

(거리지표는 주로 "Euclidean"을 사용)

linkage : {'ward', 'complete', 'average', 'single'}, default='ward'

Which linkage criterion to use. The linkage criterion determines which distance to use between sets of observation. The algorithm will merge the pairs of cluster that minimize this criterion.

- 'ward' minimizes the variance of the clusters being merged.
- 'average' uses the average of the distances of each observation of the two sets.
- 'complete' or 'maximum' linkage uses the maximum distances between all observations of the two sets.
- 'single' uses the minimum of the distances between all observations of the two sets.

5. Python Code for Hierarchical Clustering

(2) scipy

```
linkage_array = linkage(pca_df_temp, 'ward')  
dendrogram(linkage_array)
```

- `method='single'` assigns

$$d(u, v) = \min(\text{dist}(u[i], v[j]))$$

for all points i in cluster u and j in cluster v . This is also known as the Nearest Point Algorithm.

- `method='complete'` assigns

$$d(u, v) = \max(\text{dist}(u[i], v[j]))$$

for all points i in cluster u and j in cluster v . This is also known by the Farthest Point Algorithm or Voor Hees Algorithm.

- `method='average'` assigns

$$d(u, v) = \sum_{ij} \frac{d(u[i], v[j])}{(|u| * |v|)}$$

for all points i and j where $|u|$ and $|v|$ are the cardinalities of clusters u and v , respectively. This is also called the UPGMA algorithm.

- `method='weighted'` assigns

$$d(u, v) = (\text{dist}(s, v) + \text{dist}(t, v))/2$$

where cluster u was formed with cluster s and t and v is a remaining cluster in the forest (also called WPGMA).

- `method='centroid'` assigns

$$\text{dist}(s, t) = \|c_s - c_t\|_2$$

where c_s and c_t are the centroids of clusters s and t , respectively. When two clusters s and t are combined into a new cluster u , the new centroid is computed over all the original objects in clusters s and t . The distance then becomes the Euclidean distance between the centroid of u and the centroid of a remaining cluster v in the forest. This is also known as the UPGMC algorithm.

- `method='median'` assigns $d(s, t)$ like the centroid method. When two clusters s and t are combined into a new cluster u , the average of centroids s and t give the new centroid u . This is also known as the WPGMC algorithm.

- `method='ward'` uses the Ward variance minimization algorithm. The new entry $d(u, v)$ is computed as follows,

$$d(u, v) = \sqrt{\frac{|v| + |s|}{T} d(v, s)^2 + \frac{|v| + |t|}{T} d(v, t)^2 - \frac{|v|}{T} d(s, t)^2}$$

where u is the newly joined cluster consisting of clusters s and t , v is an unused cluster in the forest, $T = |v| + |s| + |t|$, and $|*|$ is the cardinality of its argument. This is also known as the incremental algorithm.

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