

# Clustering: Unsupervised Learning

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## Modul 7: Clustering



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### 04 Hierarchical Clustering

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# Outline

Hierarchical  
Clustering

Agglomerative  
Clustering

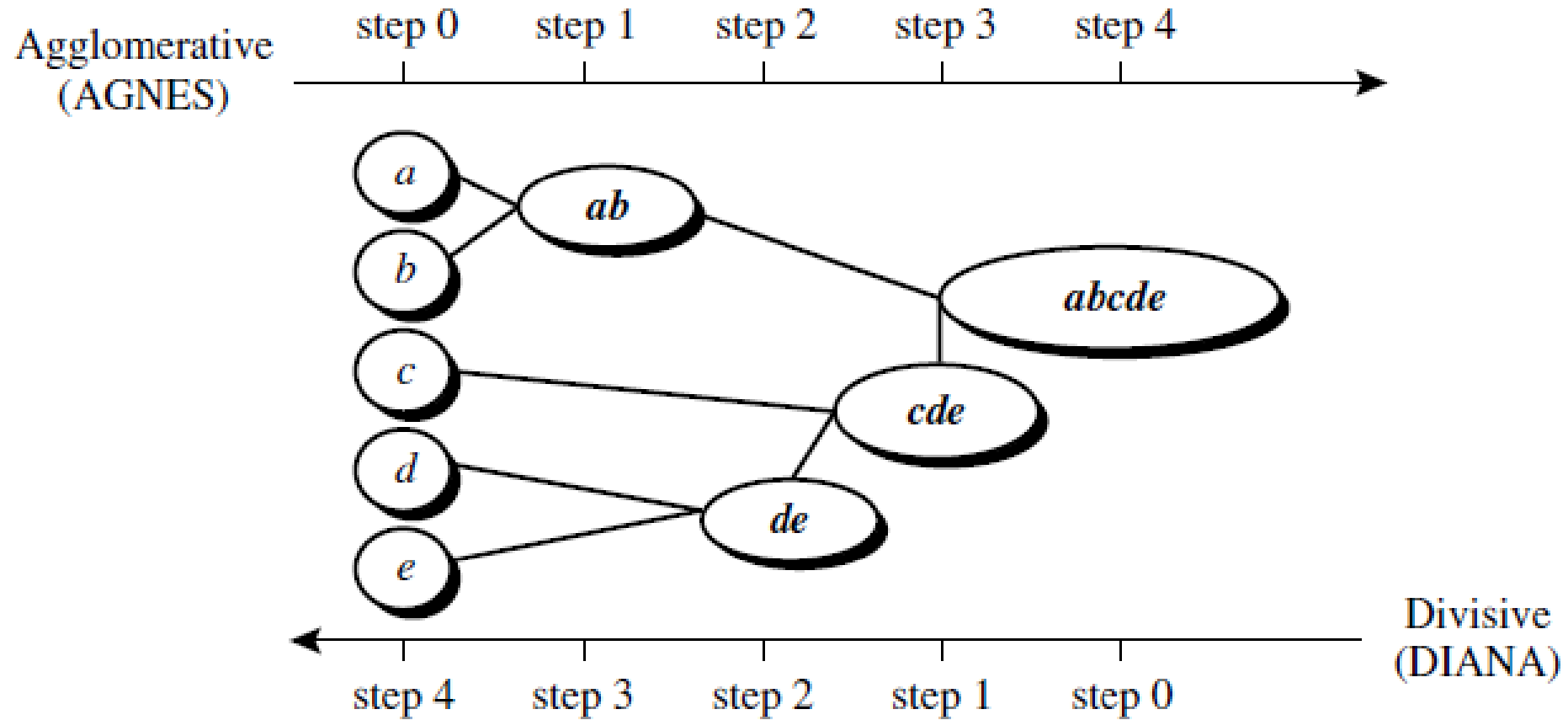
Divisive Clustering

# Hierarchical Clustering

A hierarchical clustering method works by grouping data objects into a hierarchy or “tree” of clusters.

- a. Agglomerative hierarchical clustering method uses a bottom-up strategy.
- b. Divisive hierarchical clustering method employs a top-down strategy.

# Hierarchical Clustering



# Agglomerative Clustering Algorithm

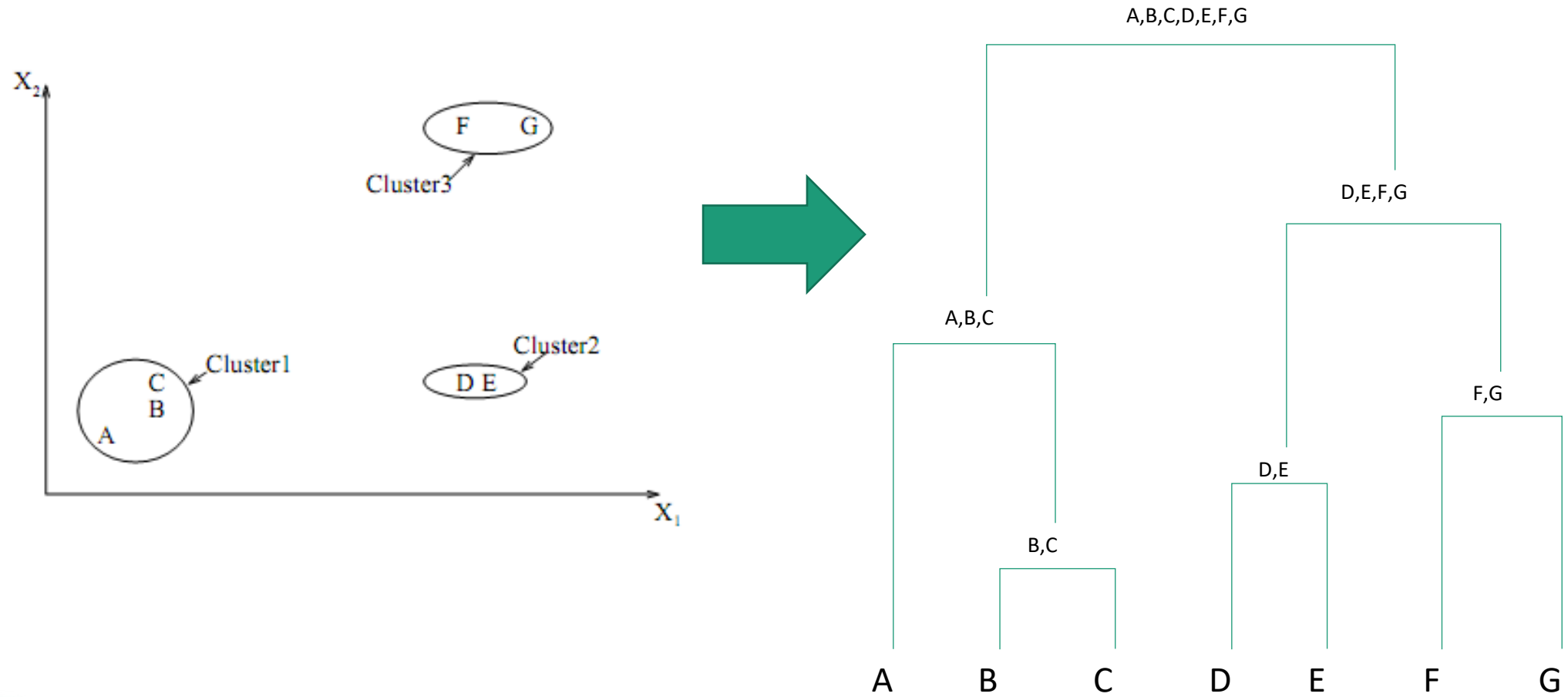
- 1) Start with  $N$  singleton clusters. Calculate the proximity matrix for the  $N$  clusters.
- 2) Search the minimal distance

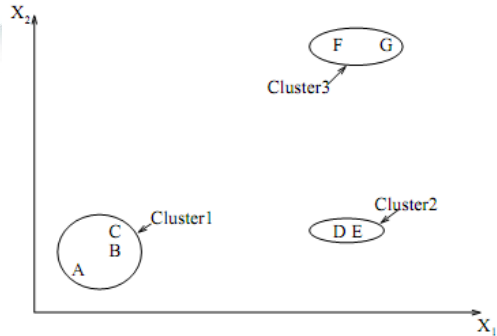
$$D(C_i, C_j) = \min_{\substack{1 \leq m, l \leq N \\ m \neq l}} D(C_m, C_l)$$

where  $D(*, *)$  is the distance function discussed before, in the proximity matrix, and combine cluster  $C_i$  and  $C_j$  to form a new cluster.

- 3) Update the proximity matrix by computing the distances between the new cluster and the other clusters.
- 4) Repeat steps 2)–3) until all objects are in the same cluster.

# Ilustrasi Agglomerative HC





	A	B	C	D	E	F	G
A							
B							
C							
D							
E							
F							
G							

# Ilustrasi Agglomerative HC (lanj)

	A	B,C	D	E	F	G
A						
B,C						
D						
E						
F						
G						

	A	B,C	D,E	F	G
A					
B,C					
D,E					
F					
G					

	A	B,C	D,E	F,G
A				
B,C				
D,E				
F,G				

- Iterasi 0: (A),(B),(C),(D),(E),(F),(G)
- Iterasi 1 : (A),(B,C),(D),(E),(F),(G)
- Iterasi 2 : (A),(B,C),(D,E),(F),(G)
- Iterasi 3 : (A),(B,C),(D,E),(F,G)
- Iterasi 4 : (A,(B,C)),(D,E),(F,G)
- Iterasi 5 : (A,(B,C)),((D,E),(F,G))
- Iterasi 6 : ((A,(B,C)),((D,E),(F,G)))

	A, (B,C)	D,E	F,G
A, (B,C)			
D,E			
F,G			

	A, (B,C)	(D,E), (F,G)
A, (B,C)		
(D,E), (F,G)		



# Dendrogram

Iterasi 0: (A),(B),(C),(D),(E),(F),(G)

Iterasi 1 : (A),(B,C),(D),(E),(F),(G)

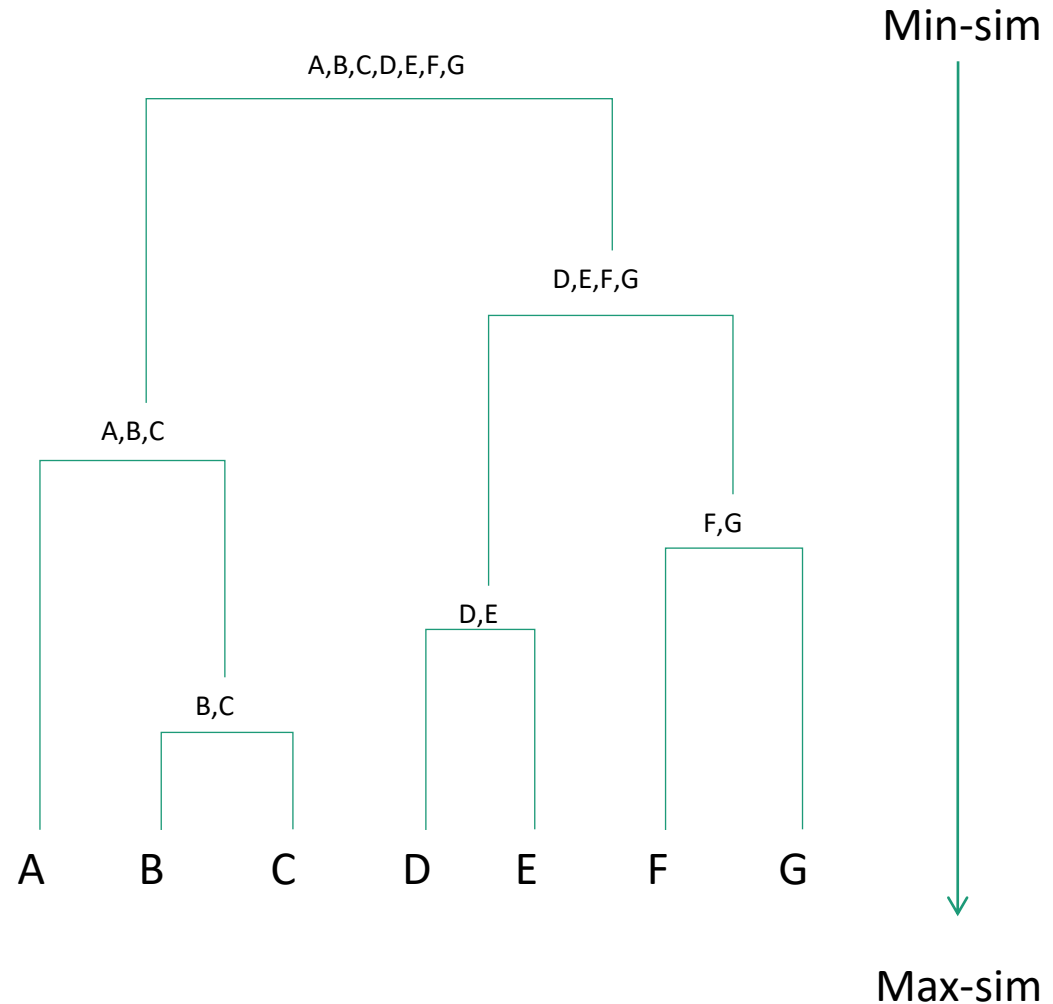
Iterasi 2 : (A),(B,C),(D,E),(F),(G)

Iterasi 3 : (A),(B,C),(D,E),(F,G)

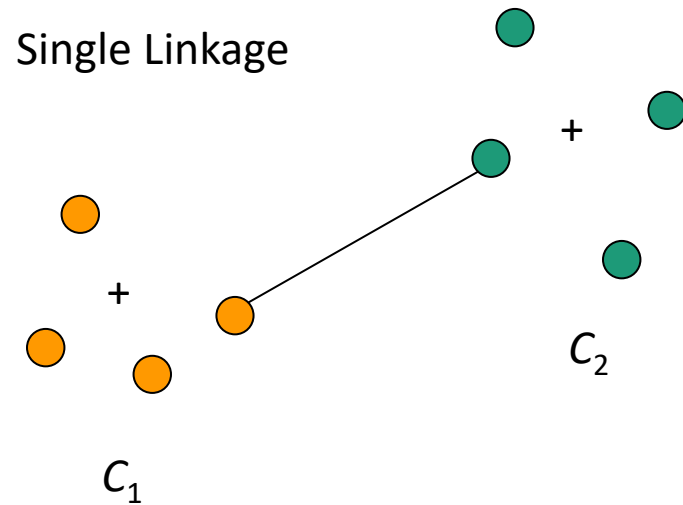
Iterasi 4 : (A,(B,C)),(D,E),(F,G)

Iterasi 5 : (A,(B,C)),((D,E),(F,G))

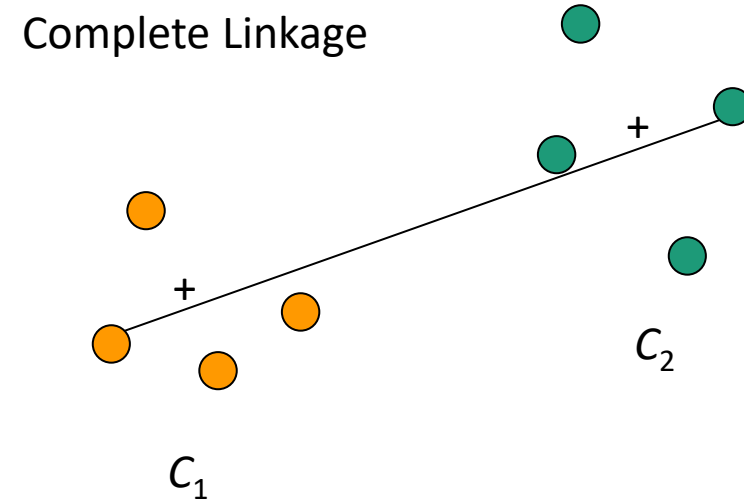
Iterasi 6 : ((A,(B,C)),((D,E),(F,G)))



# Linkage: Single, Complete, Average, Average Group

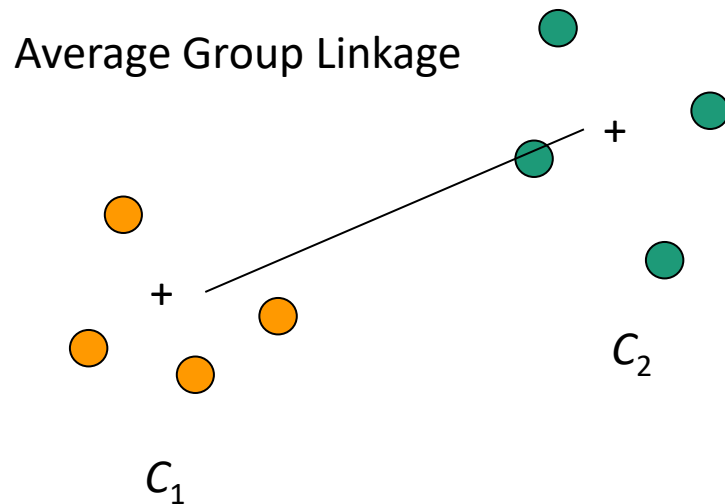


Dissimilarity between two clusters =  
Minimum dissimilarity between the  
members of two clusters

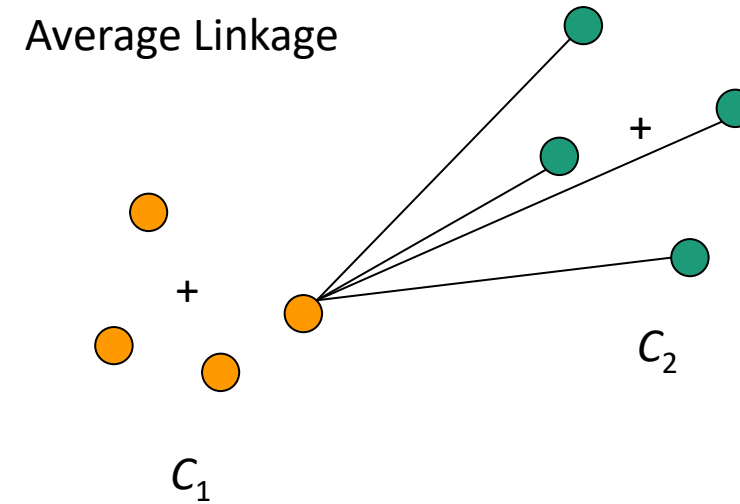


Dissimilarity between two clusters =  
Maximum dissimilarity between the  
members of two clusters

# Linkage: Single, Complete, Average, Average Group (lanjutan)



Dissimilarity between two clusters =  
Distance between two cluster means.

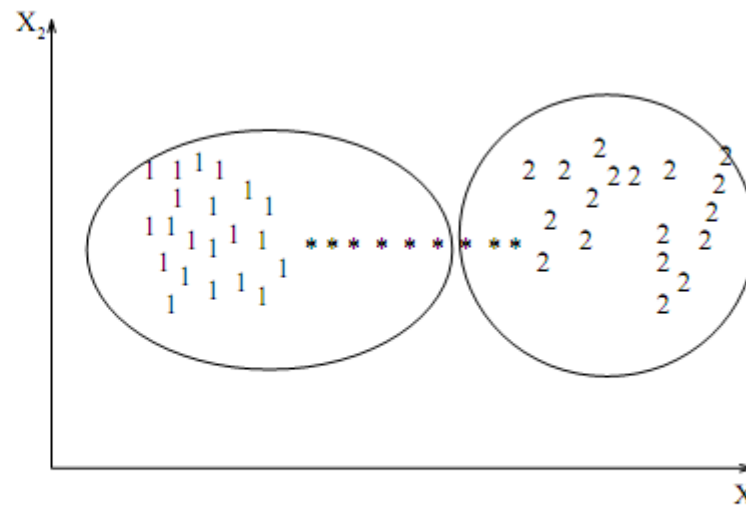


Dissimilarity between two clusters =  
Averaged distances of all pairs of objects  
(one from each cluster).

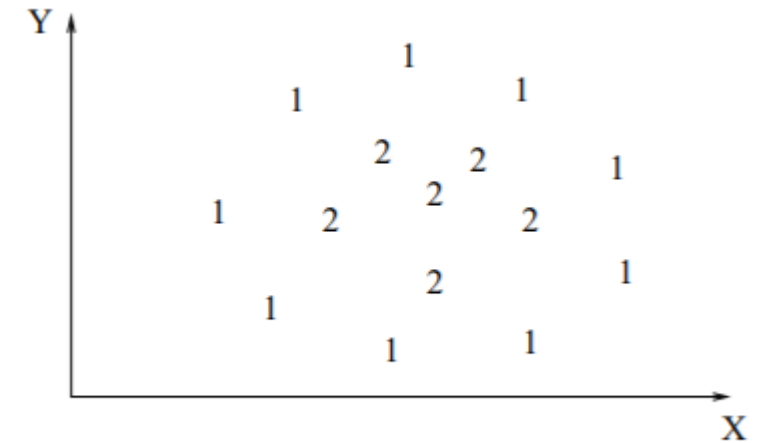
# Single vs Complete-Link



**Figure 12.** A single-link clustering of a pattern set containing two classes (1 and 2) connected by a chain of noisy patterns (\*).



**Figure 13.** A complete-link clustering of a pattern set containing two classes (1 and 2) connected by a chain of noisy patterns (\*).

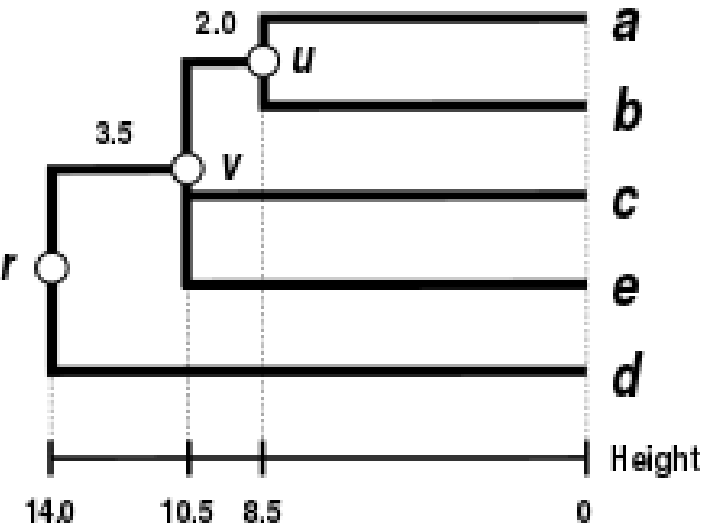


**Figure 11.** Two concentric clusters.

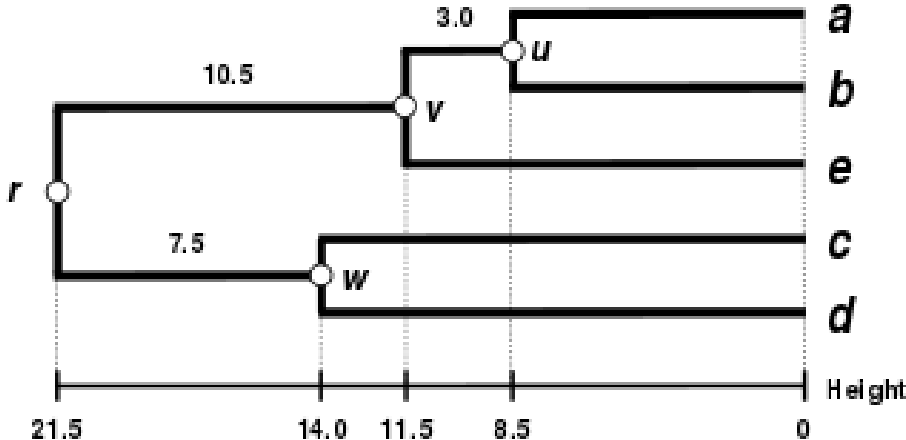
- Single link clustering suffers from a chaining effect.
- From a pragmatic viewpoint, it has been observed that the complete-link algorithm produces more useful hierarchies in many applications that single-link alg.

Sumber: Jain dkk (1999)

# Single vs Complete-Link



Single-link



Complete-link

# Divisive Clustering

- In the beginning, the entire data set belongs to a cluster and a procedure successively divides it until all clusters are singleton clusters.
- Divisive clustering is not commonly used in practice:
  - For a cluster with  $N$  objects, there are  $2^{N-1}-1$  possible two-subset divisions, which is very expensive in computation (Xu & Wunsch, 2005).



# 05 Cluster Evaluation

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