

# Clustering: Unsupervised Learning

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## Modul 7: Clustering



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### 03 Density-based Clustering

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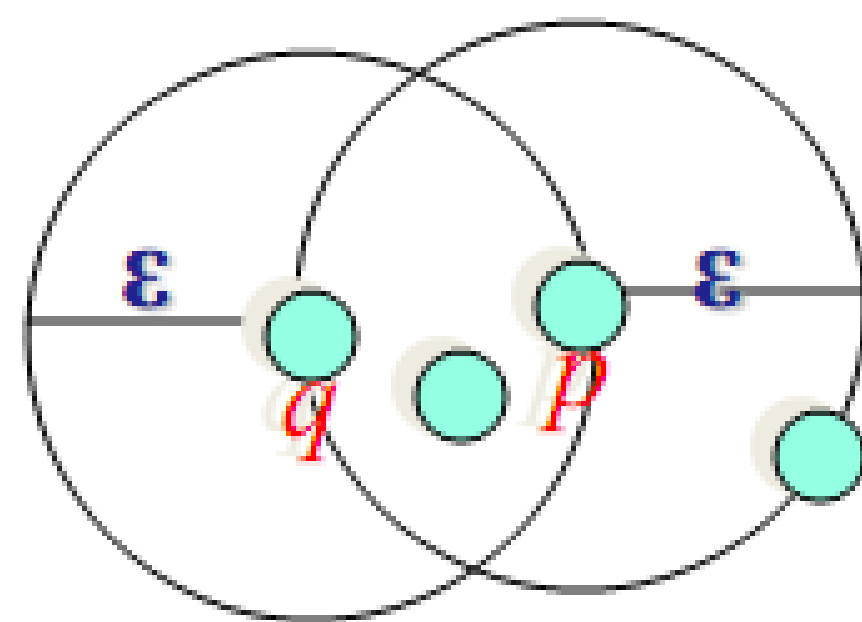
# Density-based Clustering

- Clusters are dense regions in the data space, separated by regions of lower object density
- A cluster is defined as a maximal set of density-connected points

$\varepsilon$ -Neighborhood – Objects within a radius of  $\varepsilon$  from an object.

$$N_{\varepsilon}(p) : \{q \mid d(p, q) \leq \varepsilon\}$$

“High density” -  $\varepsilon$ -Neighborhood of an object contains at least **MinPts** of objects.



$\varepsilon$ -Neighborhood of  $p$

$\varepsilon$ -Neighborhood of  $q$

*Density of  $p$  is “high” (MinPts = 4)*

*Density of  $q$  is “low” (MinPts = 4)*



# DBSCAN

## (Density Based Spatial Clustering of Applications with Noise)

- DBSCAN starts with an arbitrary point  $p$  and retrieves all points density-reachable from  $p$  wrt.  $\epsilon$  and MinPts.
  - If  $p$  is a core point, this procedure yields a cluster wrt.  $\epsilon$  and MinPts.
  - If  $p$  is a border point, no points are density-reachable from  $p$  and DBSCAN visits the next point of the database.

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& lebih dr MinPts

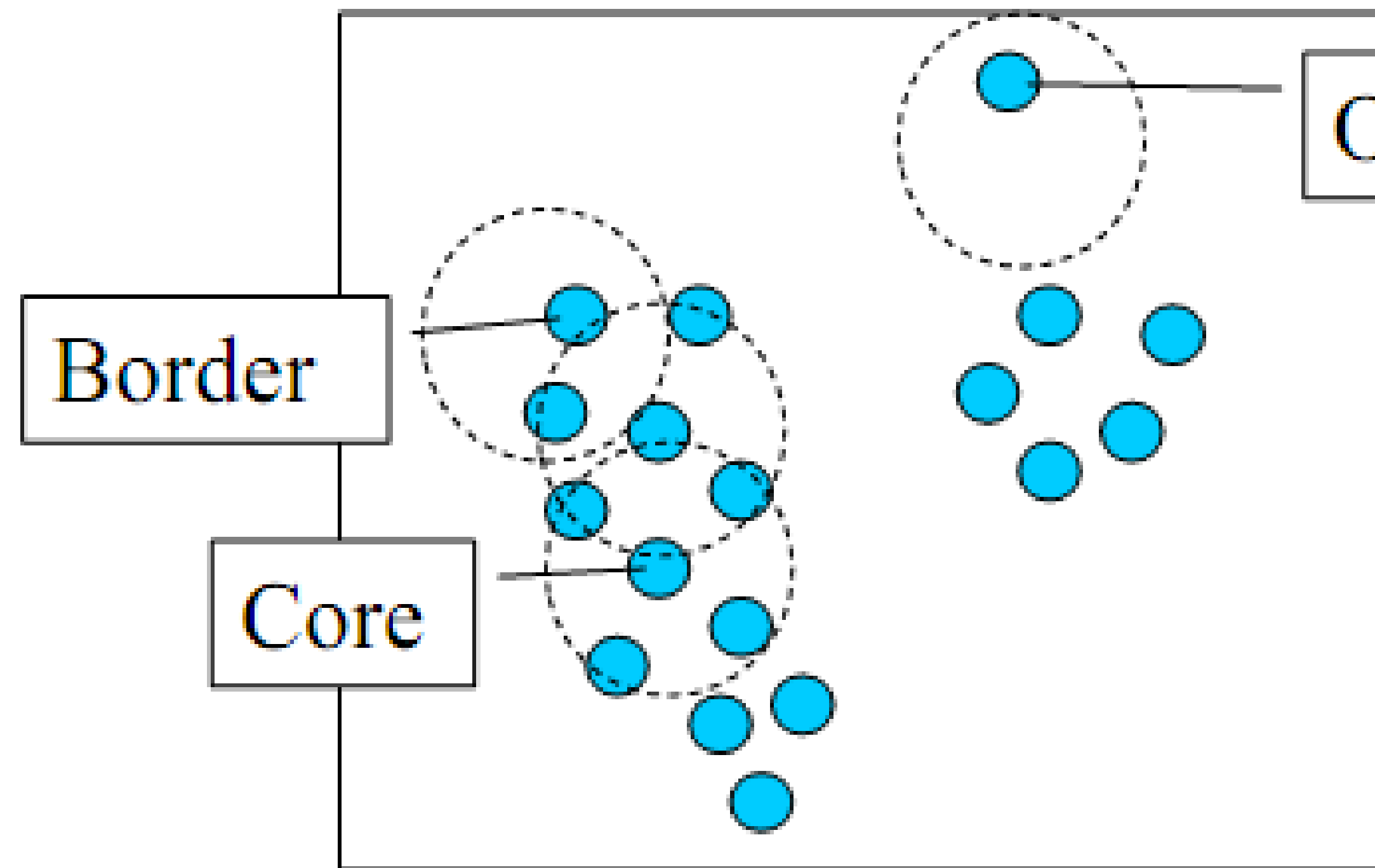
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kurang dr MinPts  
atau tdk memenuhi  $\epsilon$

# DBSCAN: Object Type

- The neighborhood within a radius  $\epsilon$  of a given object is called the  $\epsilon$ -neighborhood of the object.
- If the  $\epsilon$ -neighborhood of an object contains at least a minimum number,  $MinPts$ , of objects, then the object is called a core object.
- Given a set of objects,  $D$ , we say that an object  $p$  is directly density-reachable from object  $q$  if  $p$  is within the  $\epsilon$ -neighborhood of  $q$ , and  $q$  is a core object.
- An object  $p$  is density-reachable from object  $q$  with respect to  $\epsilon$  and  $MinPts$  in a set of objects,  $D$ , if there is a chain of objects  $p_1, \dots, p_n$ , where  $p_1 = q$  and  $p_n = p$  such that  $p_{i+1}$  is directly density-reachable from  $p_i$  with respect to  $\epsilon$  and  $MinPts$ , for  $1 \leq i \leq n$ ,  $p_i \in D$ .
- An object  $p$  is density-connected to object  $q$  with respect to  $\epsilon$  and  $MinPts$  in a set of objects,  $D$ , if there is an object  $o \in D$  such that both  $p$  and  $q$  are density-reachable from  $o$  with respect to  $\epsilon$  and  $MinPts$ .

# Core, Border, Outlier



$\epsilon = 1\text{unit}$ ,  $\text{MinPts} = 5$

Outlier

Given  $\epsilon$  and  $\text{MinPts}$ ,  
categorize the objects into  
three exclusive groups.

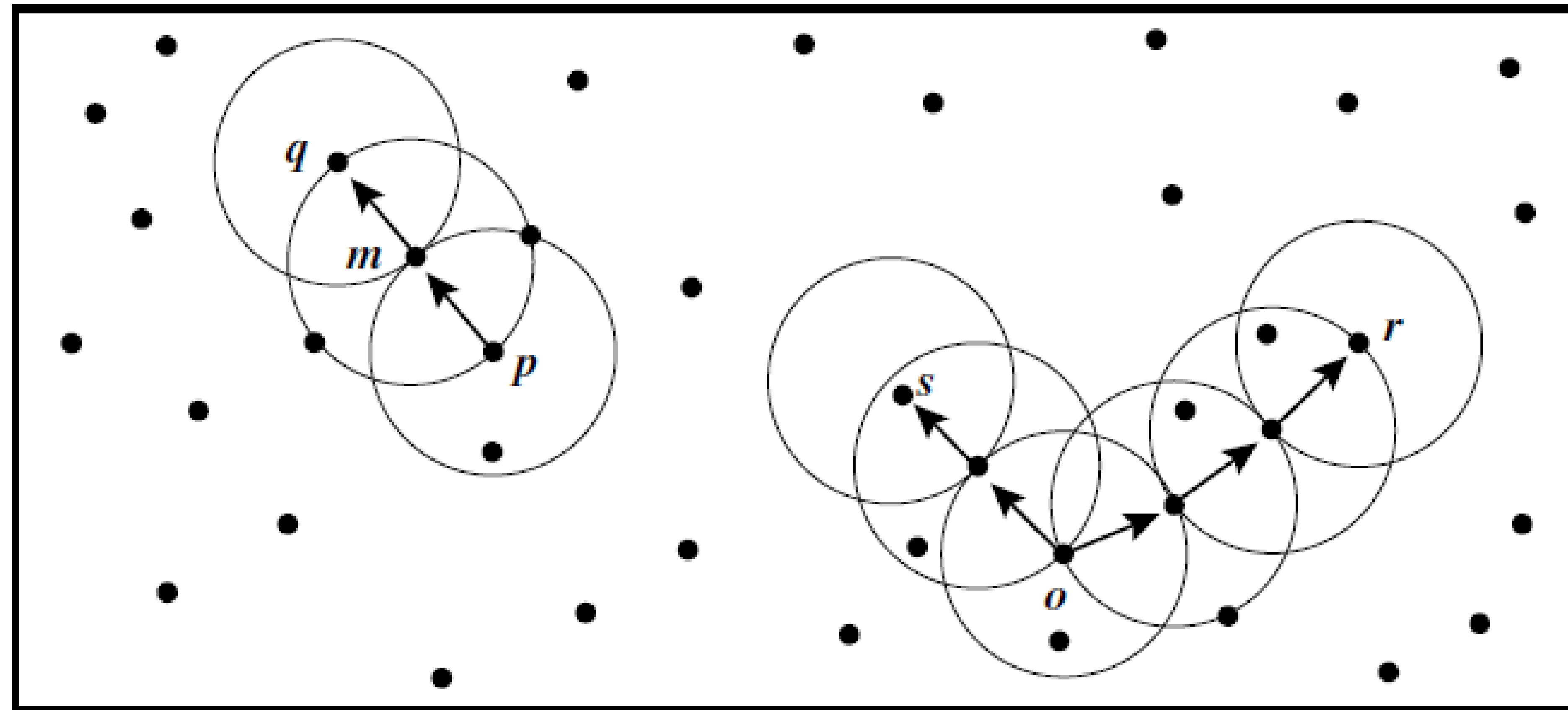
A point is a **core point** if it has more than a  
specified number of points (MinPts) within  
Eps—These are points that are at the  
interior of a cluster.

A **border point** has fewer than MinPts  
within Eps, but is in the neighborhood  
of a core point.

A **noise point** is any point that is not a  
core point nor a border point.



# ***DBSCAN find clusters***

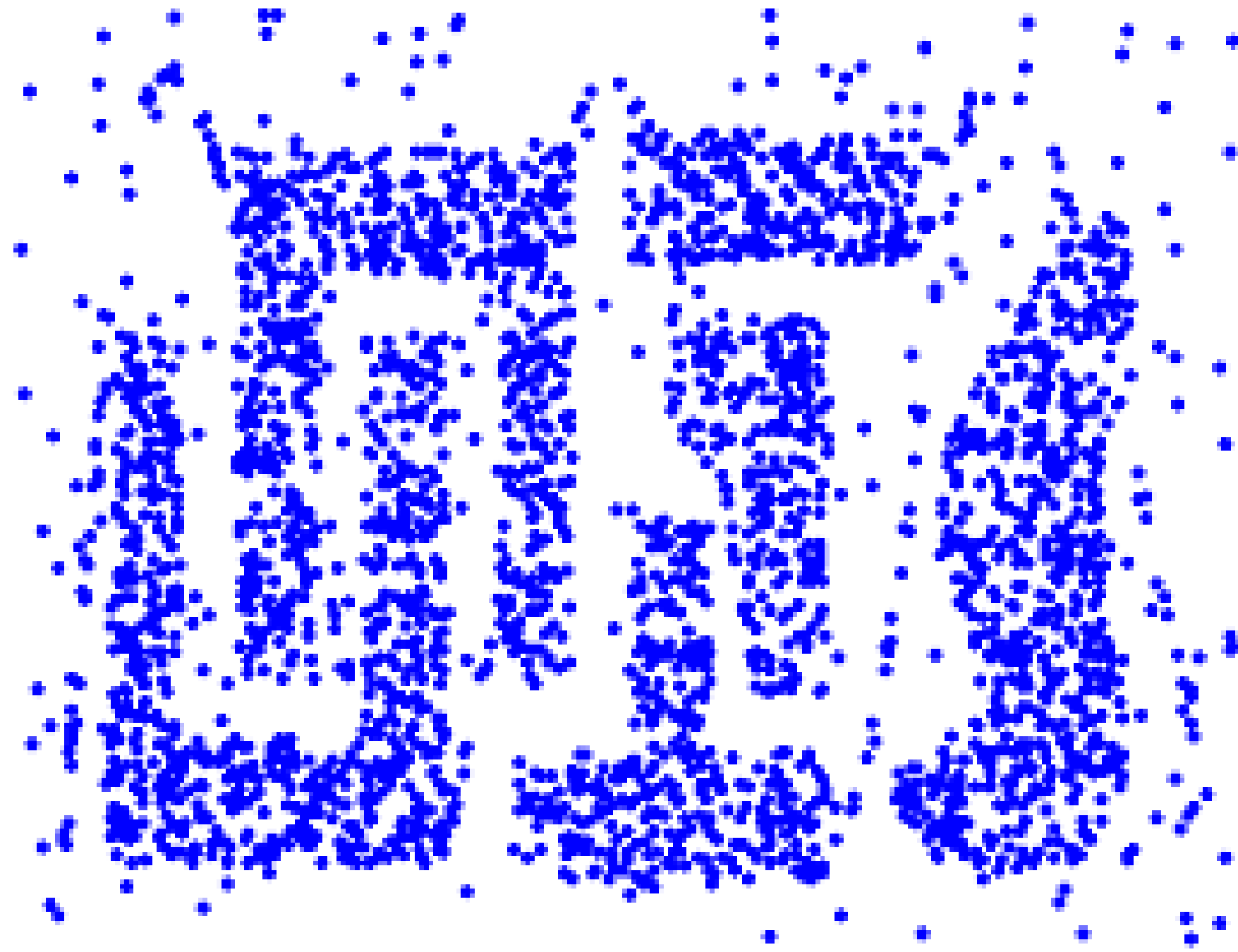


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titik yg bs ditambah lg  
ke cluster → berhenti

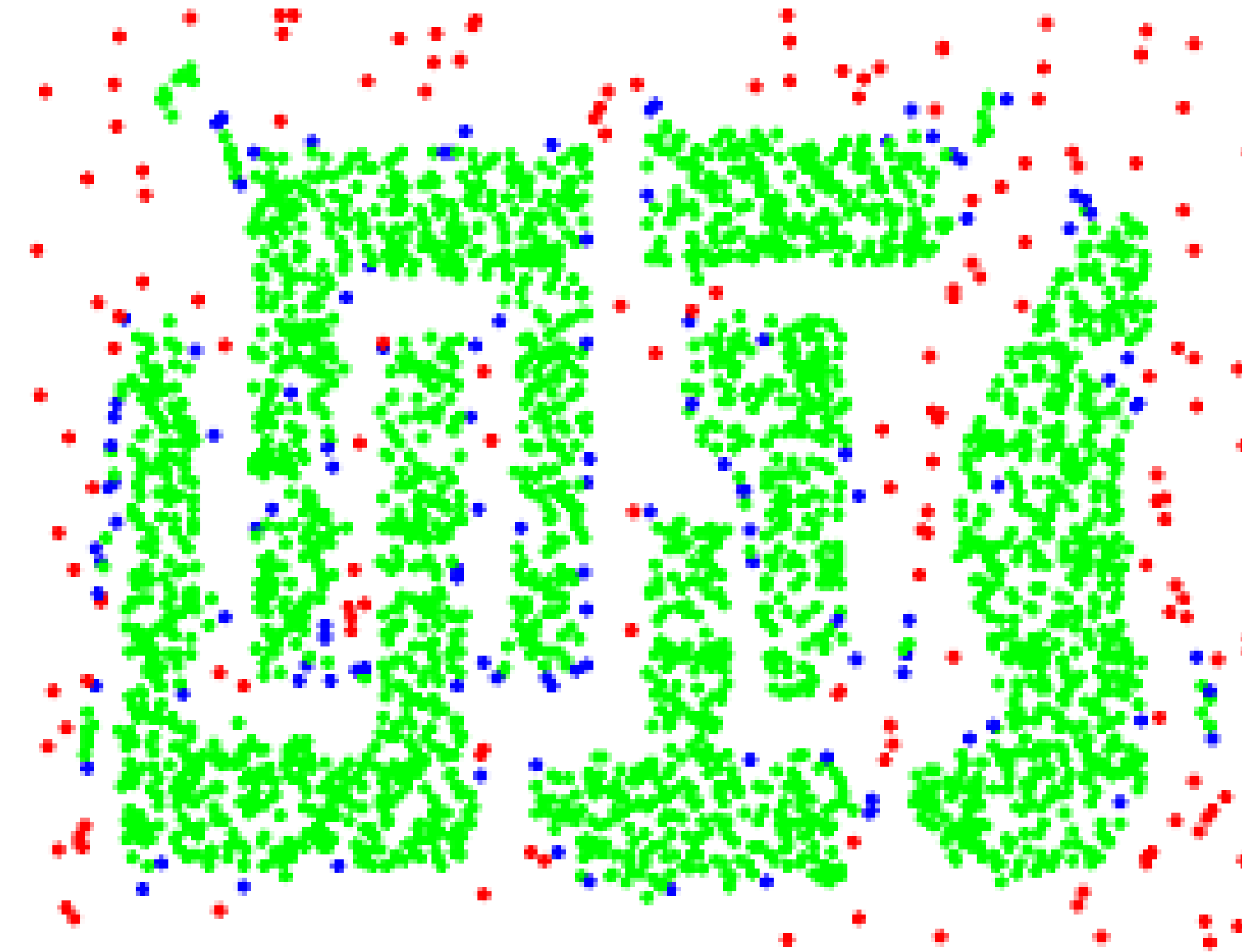
DBSCAN searches for clusters by checking the  $\epsilon$ -neighborhood of each point in the database. If the  $\epsilon$ -neighborhood of a point  $p$  **contains** more than  $MinPts$ , a new cluster with  $p$  as a core object is created. DBSCAN then iteratively collects directly density-reachable objects from these core objects, which may involve the merge of a few density-reachable clusters. The process terminates when no new point can be added to any cluster.



# DBSCAN Example



Original Points



Point types: **core**,  
**border** and **outliers**

$\epsilon = 10$ , MinPts = 4

# DBScan – Example (1)

- If Epsilon is 2 and minpoint is 2, what are the clusters that DBScan would discover with the following 8 examples:

A1=(2,10), A2=(2,5), A3=(8,4), A4=(5,8), A5=(7,5),  
A6=(6,4), A7=(1,2), A8=(4,9).

Matriks jarak (kuadrat):

$$|x_1 - x_2|^2 + |y_1 - y_2|^2$$

	A1	A2	A3	A4	A5	A6	A7	A8
A1	0	25	72	13	50	52	65	5
A2	25	0	37	18	25	17	10	20
A3	72	37	0	25	2	4	53	41
A4	13	18	25	0	13	17	52	2
A5	50	25	2	13	0	2	45	25
A6	52	17	4	17	2	0	29	29
A7	65	10	53	52	45	29	0	58
A8	5	20	41	2	25	29	58	0

# DBScan – Example (2)

cari yg  $\leq 4$

- Solutions:
- Epsilon neighborhood of each point

- $N_2(A1) = \{\}$ ;
- $N_2(A2) = \{\}$ ;
- $N_2(A3) = \{A5, A6\}$ ;
- $N_2(A4) = \{A8\}$ ;
- $N_2(A5) = \{A3, A6\}$ ;
- $N_2(A6) = \{A3, A5\}$ ;
- $N_2(A7) = \{\}$ ;
- $N_2(A8) = \{A4\}$

makin besar  $\epsilon$ ,  
makin byk titik di 1 cluster

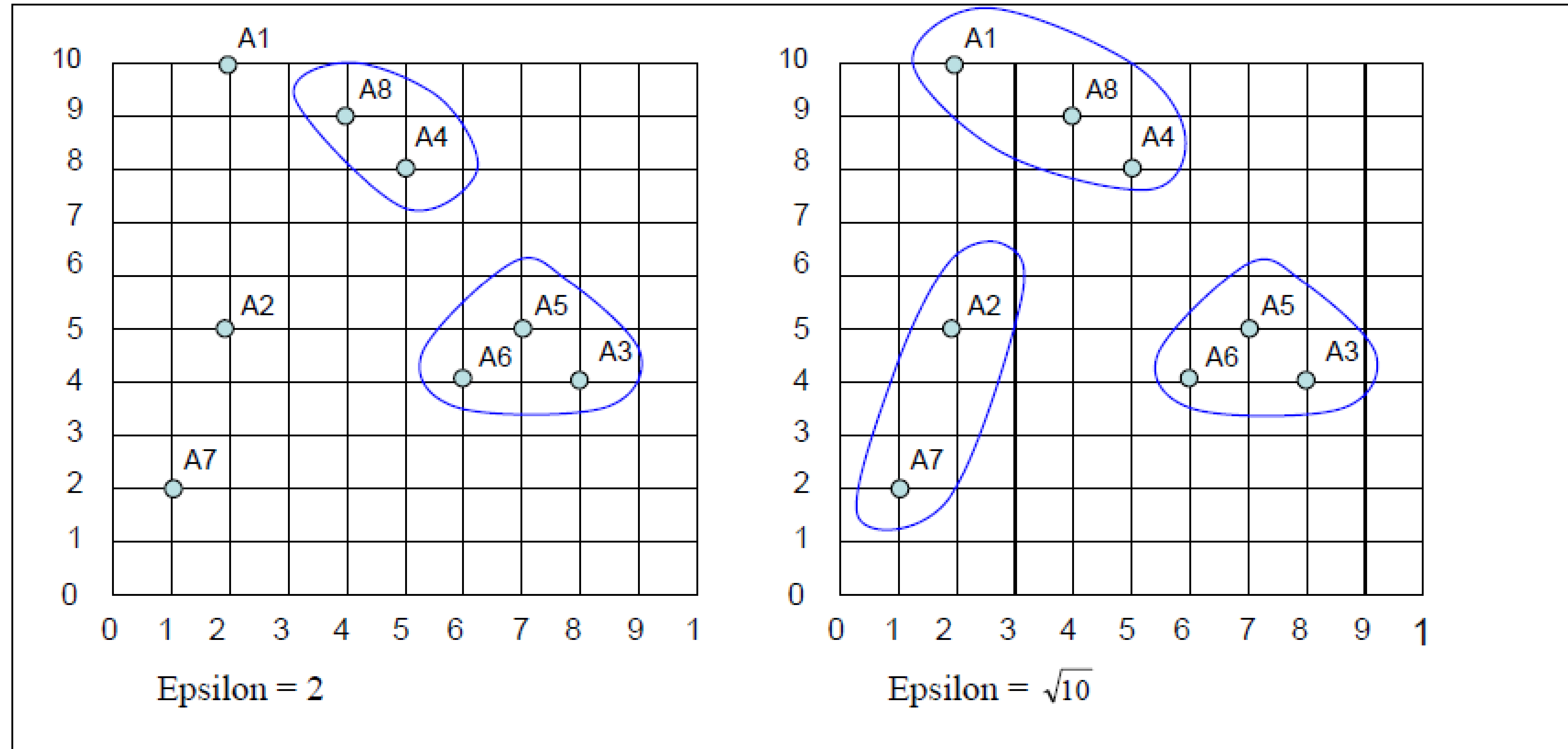
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- So A1, A2, and A7 are outliers, while we have two clusters  $C1 = \{A4, A8\}$  and  $C2 = \{A3, A5, A6\}$

- If Epsilon is  $10^{1/2}$  then the neighborhood of some points will increase:
  - A1 would join the cluster C1 and A2 would joint with A7 to form cluster  $C3 = \{A2, A7\}$ .



# DBScan – Example (3)







# 04 Hierarchical Clustering

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