

# **Model-based Evolutionary Algorithms**

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# Agenda

- Optimization problem formulation
- Simple Genetic Algorithm
- Linkage Learning
- Dependency Structure Matrix
- Linkage Tree

# Optimization

- Goal: best possible solution
- Definition:

Optimize  $f(x)$   
subject to  $x \in D \subseteq S$   
where  $f: S \rightarrow R$

# Binary optimization

- $N$ -dimensional binary problem:  $S = \{0, 1\}^N$
- Example for  $N = 3$ 
  - $S = \{0, 1\}^3 = \{0, 1\} \times \{0, 1\} \times \{0, 1\}$
  - $x = [0, 1, 0]$

# Deceptive trap function

- Benchmark problem
- Definition of  $k$ -order deceptive trap function:

$$t_k(u) = \begin{cases} k & , u = k \\ n - u - 1 & , u \neq k \end{cases}$$

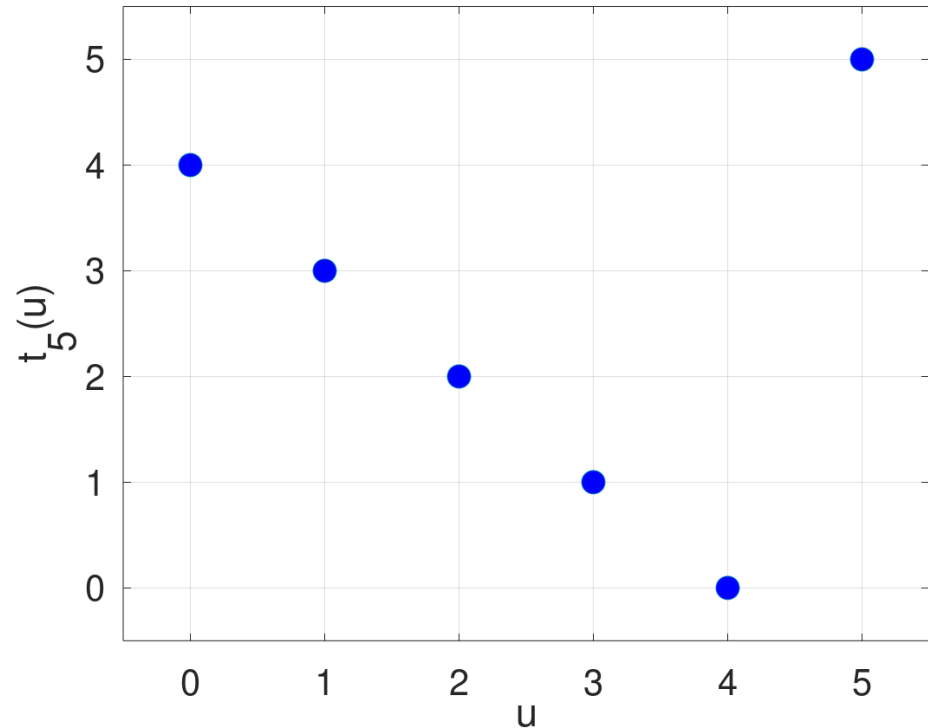
where  $u$  – unitation

- Unitation – number of 1s:

$$x = [1, 0, 0, 1, 1] \rightarrow u = 3$$

# 5-order deceptive trap function

$u$	$t_5(u)$
0	4
1	3
2	2
3	1
4	0
5	5



$$f([0, 0, 0, 0, 0]) = t_5(0) = 4 \quad (\text{local optimum})$$

$$f([1, 1, 1, 1, 1]) = t_5(5) = 5 \quad (\text{global optimum})$$

# Concatenated deceptive trap functions

- Sum of  $m$  deceptive trap functions
- E.g. sum of three 5-order deceptive trap functions:

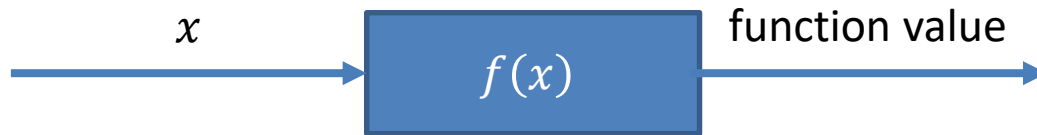
$$x = [1, 1, 1, 1, 1, \quad 0, 1, 0, 1, 1, \quad 0, 0, 0, 1, 1]$$

$$f(x) = t_5(5) + t_5(3) + t_5(2) = 5 + 1 + 2 = 8$$

- Fully separable problem

# Simple Genetic Algorithm

- Black-box optimization method



- Population-based

I1: 

0	1	1	0	0	1	1	0	0
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I2: 

1	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0
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I3: 

1	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	1
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I4: 

0	1	1	0	0	1	1	1	0
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I5: 

0	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	1
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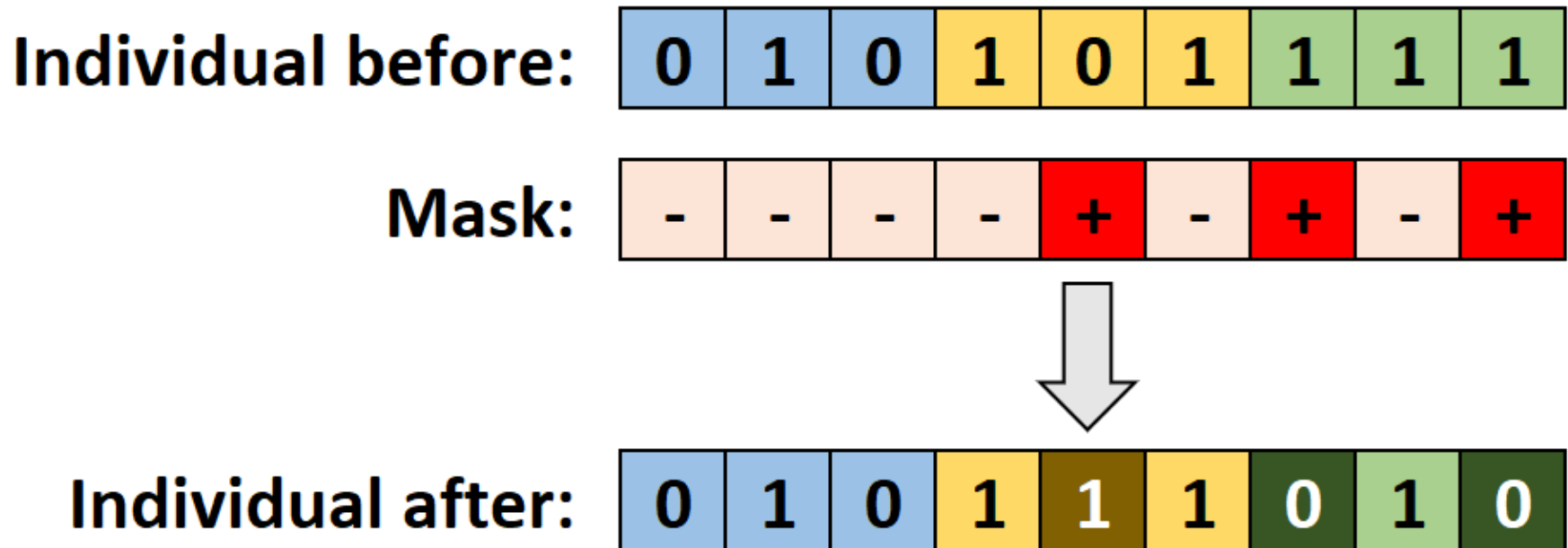
I6: 

0	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0
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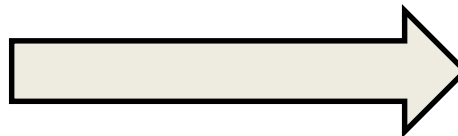
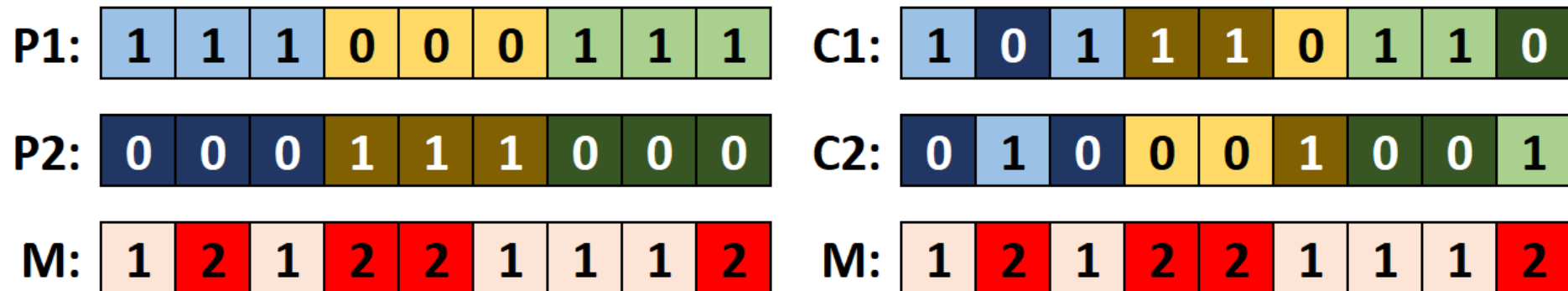
# Simple Genetic Algorithm

- Bit-flipping mutation



# Simple Genetic Algorithm

- Uniform crossover



# Linkage Learning

- Information about gene dependencies
- Previous example:  
Genes **blue**, **gold**, and **green** are linked!
- Linked genes should be exchanged together

# Dependency Structure Matrix (DSM)

- Square matrix
- Dependencies between some components
- $[d_{i,j}]_{1 \leq i \leq n, 1 \leq j \leq n}$  – relationship between the  $i^{th}$  and  $j^{th}$  components
- Greater value – greater dependency

X	$d_{1,2}$	$d_{1,3}$	$d_{1,4}$
$d_{2,1}$	X	$d_{2,3}$	$d_{2,4}$
$d_{3,1}$	$d_{3,2}$	X	$d_{3,4}$
$d_{4,1}$	$d_{4,2}$	$d_{4,3}$	X

# Mutual information

- Definition

$$I(X; Y) = \sum_{x \in X} \sum_{y \in Y} p(x, y) \ln \frac{p(x, y)}{p(x)p(y)} \geq 0$$

where  $X$  and  $Y$  are random variables

- Minimum when  $X$  and  $Y$  are independent

$$p(x, y) = p(x)p(y) \Rightarrow \ln \frac{p(x, y)}{p(x)p(y)} = \ln 1 = 0$$

# DSM in EAs

- Rows and columns – genes
- Mutual information
  - Definition

$$I(G_i; G_j) = \sum_{g_i \in G_i} \sum_{g_j \in G_j} p_{i,j}(g_i, g_j) \ln \frac{p_{i,j}(g_i, g_j)}{p_i(g_i)p_j(g_j)}$$

where  $G_i$  and  $G_j$  – the  $i^{th}$  and  $j^{th}$  gene

- E.g. binary search space

$$G_i = G_j = \{0, 1\}$$

- Goal: find groups of dependent genes

# DSM creation

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Population								
1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
0	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
1	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1

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- Rows – individuals
- Columns – genes
- 8 individuals and 9 genes

# DSM creation

Population								
1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
0	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
1	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1

$$\begin{aligned}
 d_{2,3} &= I(G_2, G_3) \\
 &= p_{2,3}(0, 0) \ln \frac{p_{2,3}(0, 0)}{p_2(0)p_3(0)} \\
 &\quad + p_{2,3}(0, 1) \ln \frac{p_{2,3}(0, 1)}{p_2(0)p_3(1)} \\
 &\quad + p_{2,3}(1, 0) \ln \frac{p_{2,3}(1, 0)}{p_2(1)p_3(0)} \\
 &\quad + p_{2,3}(1, 1) \ln \frac{p_{2,3}(1, 1)}{p_2(1)p_3(1)}
 \end{aligned}$$



# DSM creation

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Population								
1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
0	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
1	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1

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$$p_{2,3}(0,0) = \frac{2}{8} = 0.25$$

# DSM creation

Population								
1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
0	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
1	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1

$$p_{2,3}(0, 0) = \frac{2}{8} = 0.25$$

$$p_{2,3}(0, 1) = \frac{2}{8} = 0.25$$

# DSM creation

Population								
1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
0	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
1	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1

$$p_{2,3}(0,0) = \frac{2}{8} = 0.25$$

$$p_{2,3}(0,1) = \frac{2}{8} = 0.25$$

$$p_{2,3}(1,0) = \frac{1}{8} = 0.125$$

# DSM creation

Population								
1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
0	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
1	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1

$$p_{2,3}(0, 0) = \frac{2}{8} = 0.25$$

$$p_{2,3}(0, 1) = \frac{2}{8} = 0.25$$

$$p_{2,3}(1, 0) = \frac{1}{8} = 0.125$$

$$p_{2,3}(1, 1) = \frac{3}{8} = 0.375$$

# DSM creation

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Population								
1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
0	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
1	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1

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$$p_2(0) = \frac{4}{8} = 0.5$$

# DSM creation

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Population								
1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
0	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
1	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1

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$$p_2(0) = \frac{4}{8} = 0.5$$

$$p_2(1) = \frac{4}{8} = 0.5$$

# DSM creation

Population								
1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
0	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
1	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1

$$p_2(0) = \frac{4}{8} = 0.5$$

$$p_2(1) = \frac{4}{8} = 0.5$$

$$p_3(0) = \frac{3}{8} = 0.375$$

# DSM creation

Population								
1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
0	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
1	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1

$$p_2(0) = \frac{4}{8} = 0.5$$

$$p_2(1) = \frac{4}{8} = 0.5$$

$$p_3(0) = \frac{3}{8} = 0.375$$

$$p_3(1) = \frac{5}{8} = 0.625$$



# DSM creation

Population								
1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
0	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
1	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1

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 &\quad + p_{2,3}(1,0) \ln \frac{p_{2,3}(1,0)}{p_2(1)p_3(0)} \\
 &\quad + p_{2,3}(1,1) \ln \frac{p_{2,3}(1,1)}{p_2(1)p_3(1)} \\
 &= 0.03
 \end{aligned}$$

# DSM creation

Population								
1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
0	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
1	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1

DSM								
X	0	0.03	0.13	0.13	0.13	0	0	0
0	X	0.03	0.13	0.13	0.13	0	0	0
0.03	0.03	X	0.38	0.38	0.38	0	0	0
0.13	0.13	0.38	X	0.69	0.69	0	0	0
0.13	0.13	0.38	0.69	X	0.69	0	0	0
0.13	0.13	0.38	0.69	0.69	X	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	X	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	X	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	X

# DSM creation

Population									DSM								
1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	X	0	0.03	0.13	0.13	0.13	0	0	0
0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	X	0.03	0.13	0.13	0.13	0	0	0
0	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	0.03	0.03	X	0.38	0.38	0.38	0	0	0
0	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	0.13	0.13	0.38	X	0.69	0.69	0	0	0
1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	0.13	0.13	0.38	0.69	X	0.69	0	0	0
0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0.13	0.13	0.38	0.69	0.69	X	0	0	0
1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	X	0	0
1	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	X	0
									0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	X

# DSM creation

Population										
1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1		
0	0	0			1	1	1	1	1	
0	1	1			0	0	0	1	1	1
0	1	0			1	1	1	1	1	1
1	0	1			0	0	0	1	1	1
0	0	1			1	1	1	1	1	1
1	1	1			0	0	0	1	1	1
1	0	0			1	1	1	1	1	1

DSM								
X	0	0.03	0.13	0.13	0.13	0	0	0
0	X	0.03	0.13	0.13	0.13	0	0	0
0.03	0.03	X	0.38	0.38	0.38	0	0	0
0.13	0.13	0.38	X	0.69	0.69	0	0	0
0.13	0.13	0.38	0.69	X	0.69	0	0	0
0.13	0.13	0.38	0.69	0.69	X	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	X	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	X	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	X

# DSM creation

Population								
1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
0	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
1	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1

DSM								
X	0	0.03	0.13	0.13	0.13	0	0	0
0	X	0.03	0.13	0.13	0.13	0	0	0
0.03	0.03	X	0.38	0.38	0.38	0	0	0
0.13	0.13	0.38	X	0.69	0.69	0	0	0
0.13	0.13	0.38	0.69	X	0.69	0	0	0
0.13	0.13	0.38	0.69	0.69	X	0	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	X	0	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	X	0
0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	X

# Distance measure

- Required by clustering algorithm
- Definition

$$D(G_i; G_j) = \frac{H(G_i; G_j) - I(G_i; G_j)}{H(G_i; G_j)}; \quad 0 \leq D(G_i; G_j) \leq 1$$

$$H(G_i; G_j) = - \sum_{g_i \in G_i} \sum_{g_j \in G_j} p_{i,j}(g_i, g_j) \ln p_{i,j}(g_i, g_j)$$

- If  $H(G_i; G_j) = 0$  then  $D(G_i; G_j) = 0$

# Distance measure

Population								
1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
0	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
1	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1

Distance measure values								
X	1	0.97	0.9	0.9	0.9	1	1	1
1	X	0.97	0.9	0.9	0.9	1	1	1
0.97	0.97	X	0.61	0.61	0.61	1	1	1
0.9	0.9	0.61	X	0	0	1	1	1
0.9	0.9	0.61	0	X	0	1	1	1
0.9	0.9	0.61	0	0	X	1	1	1
1	1	1	1	1	1	X	0	0
1	1	1	1	1	1	0	X	0
1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	X

# Distance measure

Population								
1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
0	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
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0.9	0.9	0.61	X	0	0	1	1	1
0.9	0.9	0.61	0	X	0	1	1	1
0.9	0.9	0.61	0	0	X	1	1	1
1	1	1	1	1	1	X	0	0
1	1	1	1	1	1	0	X	0
1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	X



# Distance measure

Population								
1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
0	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
1	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1

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X	1	0.97	0.9	0.9	0.9	1	1	1
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0.9	0.9	0.61	X	0	0	1	1	1
0.9	0.9	0.61	0	X	0	1	1	1
0.9	0.9	0.61	0	0	X	1	1	1
1	1	1	1	1	1	X	0	0
1	1	1	1	1	1	0	X	0
1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	X

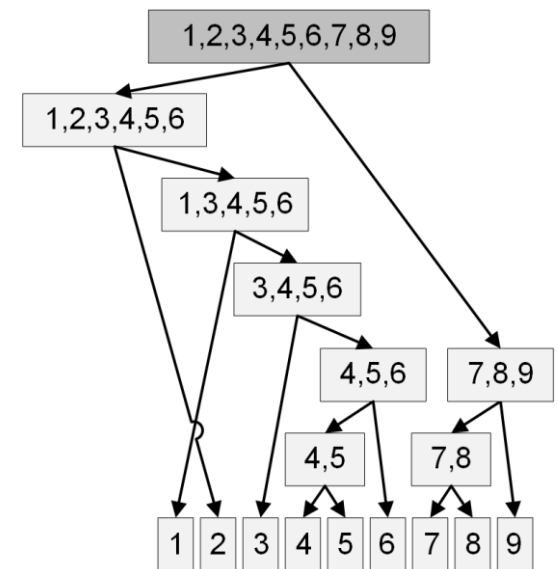
# Distance measure

Population								
1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
0	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	1	0	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
1	1	1	0	0	0	1	1	1
1	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1

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X	1	0.97	0.9	0.9	0.9	1	1	1
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0.9	0.9	0.61	X	0	0	1	1	1
0.9	0.9	0.61	0	X	0	1	1	1
0.9	0.9	0.61	0	0	X	1	1	1
1	1	1	1	1	1	X	0	0
1	1	1	1	1	1	0	X	0
1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	X

# Linkage tree

- Leaves = all gene indexes
- Nodes = clusters containing dependent gene indexes
- Hierarchical clustering algorithm



# Hierarchical clustering algorithm

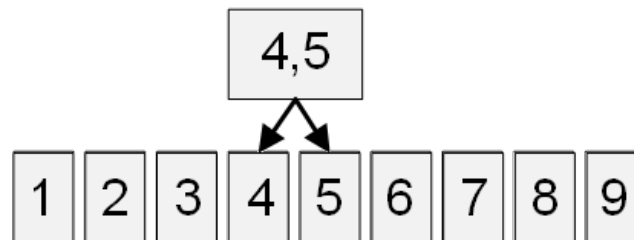
- Merge nearest clusters
- Distances between clusters
  - Clusters of size 1 – take value from table

Distance measure values									
X	1	0.97	0.9	0.9	0.9	1	1	1	1
1	X	0.97	0.9	0.9	0.9	1	1	1	1
0.97	0.97	X	0.61	0.61	0.61	1	1	1	1
0.9	0.9	0.61	X	0	0	1	1	1	1
0.9	0.9	0.61	0	X	0	1	1	1	1
0.9	0.9	0.61	0	0	X	1	1	1	1
1	1	1	1	1	1	X	0	0	0
1	1	1	1	1	1	0	X	0	0
1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	X	0

- Larger clusters – use reduction formula

$$D(C_k; (C_i \cup C_j)) = \frac{|C_i|}{|C_i| + |C_j|} D(C_k; C_i) + \frac{|C_j|}{|C_i| + |C_j|} D(C_k; C_j)$$

# Linkage tree creation



# Reduction formula

- Definition

$$D\left(C_k; (C_i \cup C_j)\right) = \frac{|C_i|}{|C_i| + |C_j|} D(C_k; C_i) + \frac{|C_j|}{|C_i| + |C_j|} D(C_k; C_j)$$

- Example

$$C_k = \{1\}, C_i = \{4\}, C_j = \{5\}$$

$$D(\{1\}; \{4\}) = 1, D(\{1\}; \{5\}) = 1$$

$$D(\{1\}; \{4, 5\}) = D(\{1\}; \{4\} \cup \{5\}) = \frac{1}{1+1} \cdot 1 + \frac{1}{1+1} \cdot 1 = 1$$

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