

Tagging SNPs Selection

2 Algorithms

(A1) LD-Select

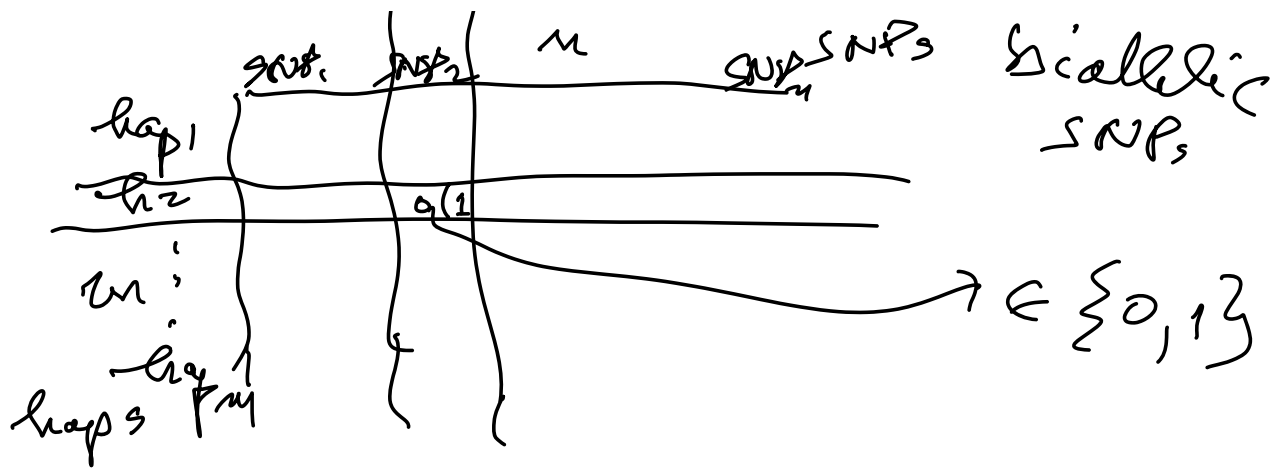
(A2) Informativeness

(A1) condensation

„most informative SNPs“

Input is a matrix

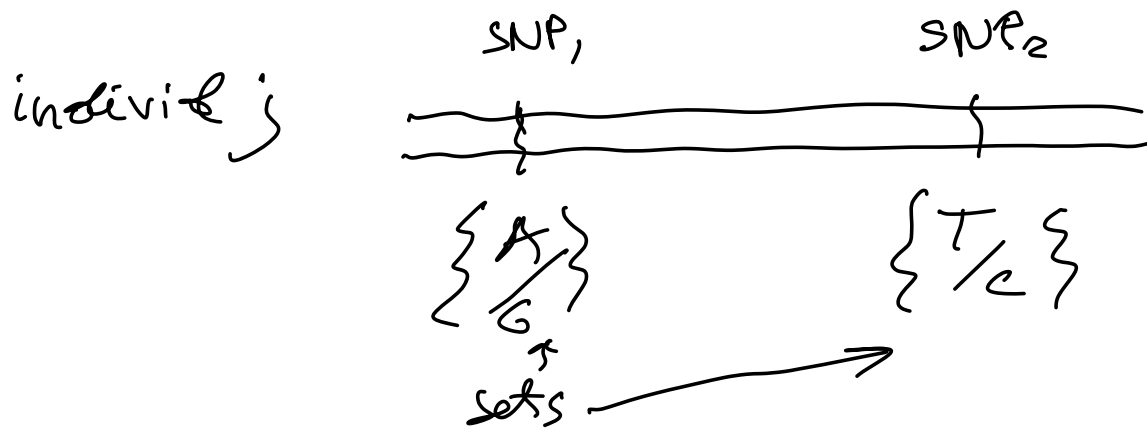
haplotypes $\times$ SNPs



We have individuals genotyped at every SNP of a certain set of SNPs part of an array or assay of SNPs.

The result: for each SNP_i and individual j

output: $\{A, T\}$ the two alleles of the indiv. j at SNP_i .



$\{A, G\}, \{T, C\}, \dots \{A, A\}$

We need haplotypes

$\{A, G\}, \{T, C\}$

Possible haplotypes:

A	T	} 4 but only 2 occur in individual j
A	C	
G	T	
G	C	

With one individual only
we cannot infer which two
of the 4 haplotypes are
the true haplotypes of
individual j .

If we have a set of individuals
human genomes:

This problem is called PHASE
the haplotype phasing PB.

haps: sequences over the alphabet $\{0, 1\}$
the two alleles are
0 and 1

0101110

genotypes: sequences over the alphabet
 $\{0, 1, 2\}$

individual $\begin{cases} 0101110 \\ 0001001 \end{cases}$ "2" = ambiguous
 genotype (sum): 0201222
 ex. hap over just 3 SNPs
 genotype $\begin{cases} 1 \end{cases}$ } determined

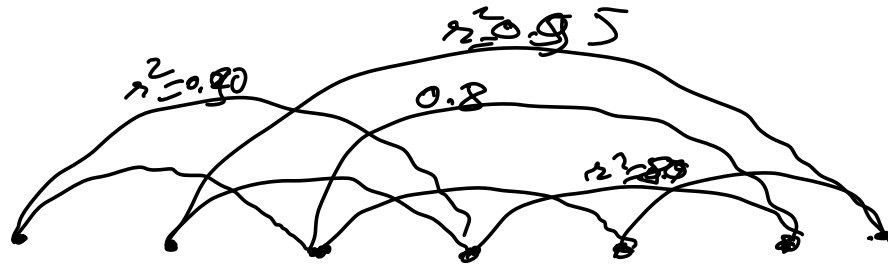
022 $\begin{cases} \rightarrow \begin{cases} 2000 \\ 2001 \end{cases} \rightarrow \text{"explanations"} \\ \rightarrow \begin{cases} 011 \\ 000 \end{cases} \end{cases}$

The tagging problem has a search space exponential in the num of 2's in the genotype sequence

INPUT: for the tagging
 SNPs selection pb. is

hops $\begin{cases} 010110110111 \\ 000101011011 \\ 111010101010 \end{cases}$ NP
 $r^2(i,j)$

LD-select r^2



SNP,

Complete undirected graph
over the n SNPs/vertices
and each edge is labeled
by the r^2 value between
the two vertices joined by
the edge.

LD-select is a greedy algorithm.
Two constraints as input to the
algorithm:

- (1) only common SNPs
are part of the input

$\geq 10\%$ of people in
the population have

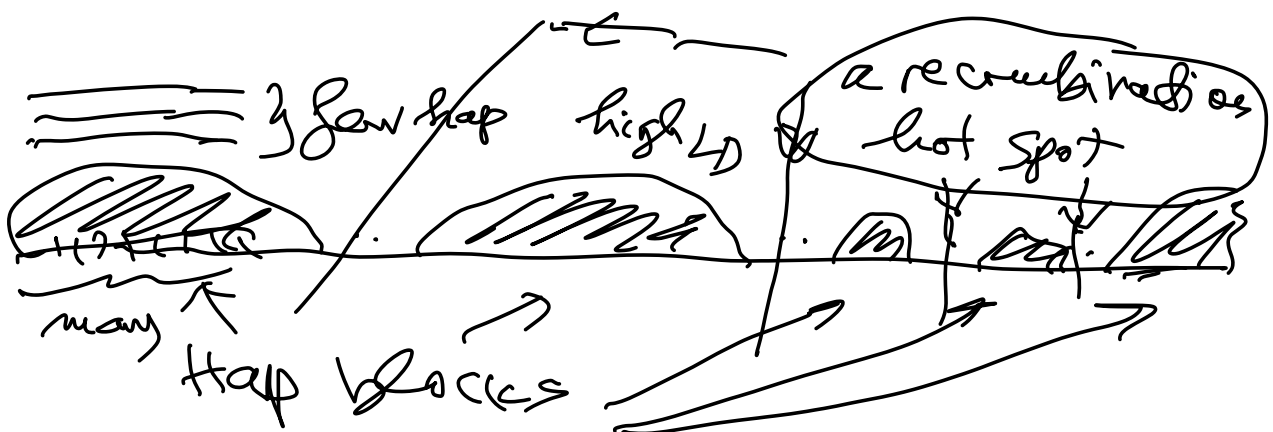
(2) ~~there~~ ^{these} SNPs r^2 threshold
given: τ

only edges with $r^2 \geq \tau$
are considered

e.g. $r^2 \geq 0.8$

0.9 0.8 0.95

Haplotypes
Block



max infative : vertex that is connected to most other vertices with edges with $k \geq 7$.

1) Max infative vertex ^(MIV) $\rightarrow$ start a bin

$\{MIV_1, \dots\}$ Bin 1

$\geq$ MIV $\{MIV_2, \dots\}$ Bin 2

$\vdots$

1 Bin 805

The tagging SNPs :

$MIV_1, MIV_2, \dots, MIV_{805}$

Paper: "Selecting a Maximally infative set of Single Nucleotide

polymorphisms for association
analysis using linkage
disequilibrium"

Am. J Hum. Gen (2004)

Carlson et al Leonid Kruglyak
Debbie Nickerson

2 populations

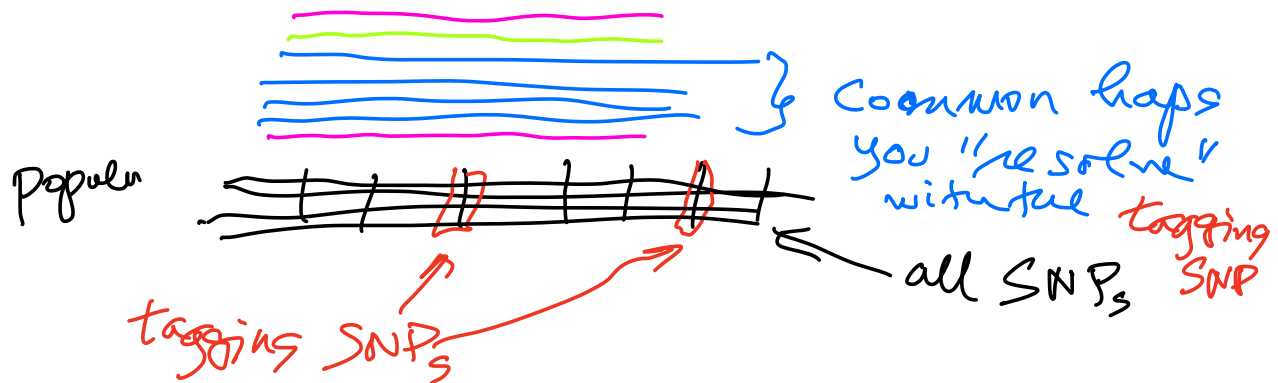
- African American AA
- European American EA

Inferred haplotypes (To Phase or
PHASE Not to Phase)

r^2 was calculated between pairs
of SNPs in each population

haplotypes $\begin{cases} \rightarrow \text{Common (many people have those haplotypes)} \\ \rightarrow \text{rare} \end{cases}$

One measure of success for selecting tagging SNPs is



Their LD-based captured/resolved $\geq 80\%$ of the common hap

Capture the variation $\equiv$ haplotypes
 $\geq 80\%$ of common hap

Results

100 genes resequenced then
in 24 African Americans
23 European Americans

Gene average: 16.5 kb length
longest 45 kb length

8877 SNPs overall

7793 SNPs in AA pop

4620 SNPs in EA pop

Density 1 SNP in 200 bp

very small # of three-allelic
SNPs

when $MAF > 10\%$ $\Rightarrow$ 3178 SNPs
^{min}
allelic freq in AA

2375 in EA

Common SNPs 1 in 300 bp AA
1 in 700 bp EA

SNPs in
coding sequences (genes)
& SNPs 8% of
seq length
(135 kb)

The Search Algorithm

INFORMATIVENESS

LD-Select: the objective function
way: Minimum DOMINATING
SET

Informativeness: the objective function
is: Minimum SET COVER

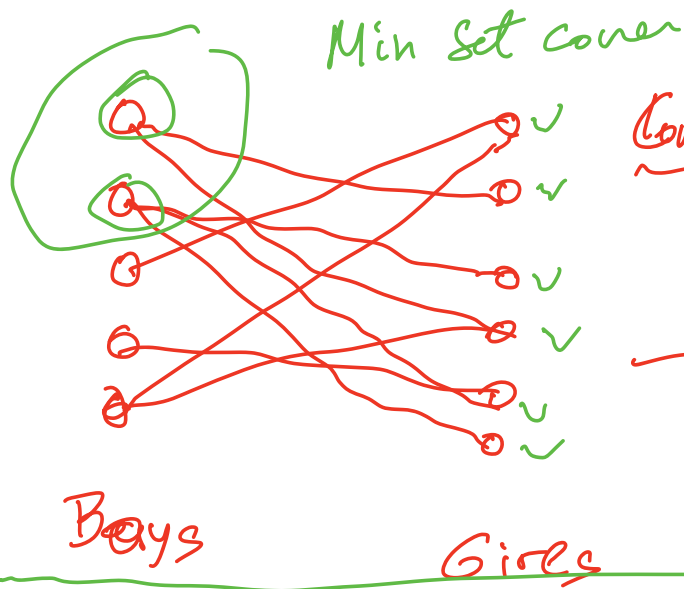
DOMINATING SET $\leftrightarrow$ SET COVER

BOTH PBs are NP-Complete

reducible to each other

"unify LD-Select & Informativeness?"

SET COVER



Compute: the min # of boys that know all the girls

"knows"

INFORMATIVENESS ALGORITHM

"information theory"

"bit": what a SNP does?

what information it gives

$m = 8$

	SNP ₃	
indiv 1	0 0 0 1 0 1 1	
2	1 0 1 0 1 1 1	
$m = 3$	3	0 0 0 1 1 0 0
column	1	
graphs	2	
	3	

SNP₃ graphs

indiv1
indiv2
indiv3



A SNP provides one "bit" of information

indiv 1 and indiv3 have different alleles at the SNP

different alleles

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D-edge

distinguishing" edge
"different" edge

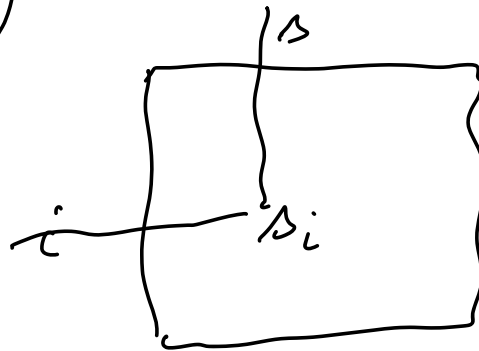
INPUT. A matrix n haplotypes $\times$ m SNPs

$n \times m$ matrix



$$s_i = M[i, s]$$

allele



Def For SNPs and two haplotypes i and j

let us consider

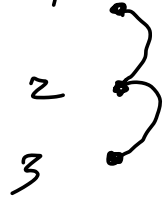
$$M[i, s] = M[j, s] \\ \neq$$

How much information exists
in one SNP about another SNP?
Can i predict something about j ?

let $E(s) = \text{edgeset of } s \text{ in } M$
 is the set of D -edges in the
 associated column graph

In the above example:

Column graph of SNP_1



$$E(s_1) = \{(1,2), (2,3)\}$$

SNP_3



$$E(s_3) = \{(1,3), (2,3)\}$$

$$E(s_1), \dots, E(s_g)$$

The information in $SNP\ s$ with
 respect to $SNP\ t$

$$I(s, t) = \frac{|E(s) \cap E(t)|}{|E(t)|}$$

$|E(S)| = \text{size of the edge set}$
 $E(S_1) = \{(1,2), (2,3)\}$

$$E(S_2) = \emptyset$$

$$E(S_3) = \{(1,3), \cancel{(2,3)}\}$$

$$E(S_4) = \{(1,3), \cancel{(2,3)}\}$$

$$E(S_5) = \emptyset$$

$$E(S_6) = \{(1,2), (2,3)\}$$

$$E(S_7) = \{(1,3), \cancel{(2,3)}\}$$

$$E(S_8) = \{\cancel{(1,3)}, (2,3)\}$$

$$I(S_1, S_8) = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$I(S_1, S_4) = \frac{1}{2}$$

Generalize to sets of SNPs

S, T two sets of SNPs

$$I(S, T) = \frac{|S \cap T|}{|T|} = \frac{\left\{ \underbrace{(U_E(S))}_{\text{set } S} \cap \underbrace{(U_E(T))}_{\text{set } T} \right\}}{\left| \underbrace{U_E(T)}_{\text{set } T} \right|}$$

$$S = \{\Delta_1, \Delta_3\}$$

$$T = \{\Delta_2, \Delta_4, \Delta_5, \Delta_6, \Delta_7, \Delta_8\}$$

$$I(S, T) = \frac{3}{3} = 1$$

Look at $S = \{\Delta_1, \Delta_3\}$

Def the minimum informative subset of SNPs (more precisely the min set of SNPs of (MIS) maximum information)

$S = \{\Delta_1, \Delta_3\}$ is the MIS for our example

Another miss is $S' = \{\Delta_4, \Delta_6\}$

Extendible to many SNPs not only pairwise.

A conservative extension of the pairwise case.

This was not a property of $\mathbb{R}^2$: Cannot be generalized conservatively to many SNPs.

"break the curse of the pairwise"

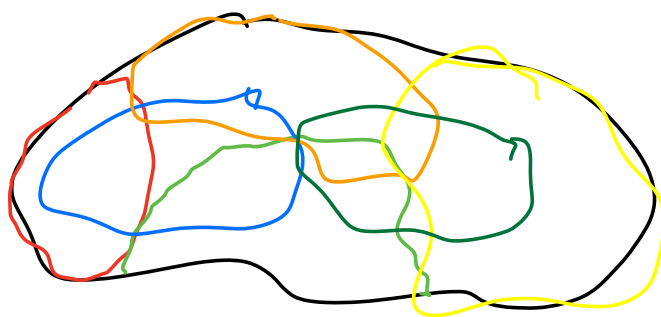
Information-Theory based: 'Sit

The Set Cover Problem

Given: $U =$ a universe (a set of elems)

$$R_i \subseteq U, \{R_i \mid i \in I\}$$

Compute: A set cover is a collection of the R_i subsets whose union is the entire universe U .



an example:

$$U = \{a, b, c, d, e\}$$

$$R_1 = \{a, b, c\}, R_2 = \{a, b\}$$

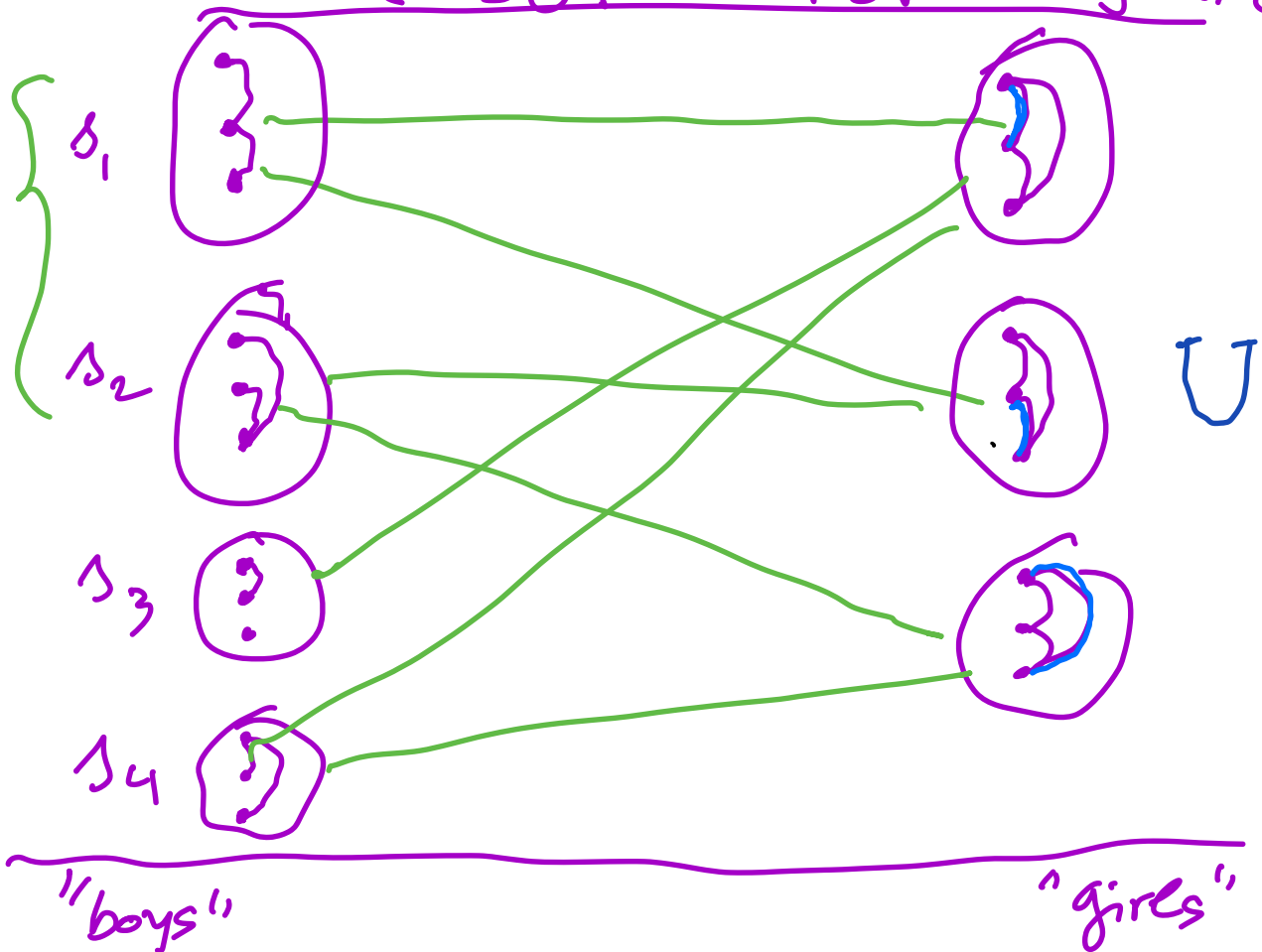
$$R_3 = \{b, c, d\}, R_4 = \{c, d, e\}$$

$$\boxed{R_1, R_4} = \text{a set cover}$$

R_2, R_4 also a set cover

MIS = is a set cover PB

i.e. the objective function
is the SET COVER objective



add a threshold $\sum$
MIS $\sum \geq 80\%$

find the min set of boys that know at
least 80% of the girls

HW2 P3

LD-Select with $r^2 \geq \tau$ e.g. 0.8
Informities with $\frac{r}{p} \geq \rho$ e.g. 0.8

Find a correlation between the two:

In fact DOMINATING SET,
and SET COVER

are NP-complete > but

Reducible to each other:

- If you can solve one efficiently you can solve the other with same time complexity alg.
- The same for approximation algorithms.

Def dominating set

$G = (V, E)$ an undirected graph

$V = \text{vertex set}$

$E = \text{edge set}$

A subset $D \subseteq V$ is called a dominating set if every vertex outside D is connected by at least one edge to a vertex in D .

A reduction between

DOMINATING SET and SET COVER

① From DOMINATING SET to
SET COVER

Take a general graph $G = (V, E)$
with $V = \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$

We construct a SET COVER for G as follows.

$U = V$ universe of elements

consider a family of subsets of U defined as follows:

$$\mathcal{S} = \{S_1, S_2, \dots, S_n\}$$

one for each vertex of G .

$$S_v = \{ \text{the set of vertices adjacent to } v \text{ together with } v \}$$

Consider D any dominating set of G .

↙

$$\text{let } \mathcal{C} = \{S_v \mid v \in D\}.$$

want to show that $\mathcal{C}$ is a set cover. Indeed!

$$\text{Moreover: } |\mathcal{C}| = |D|$$

conversely:

$$W \subseteq V$$

if $C = \{S_v : v \in W\}$ is
a set cover

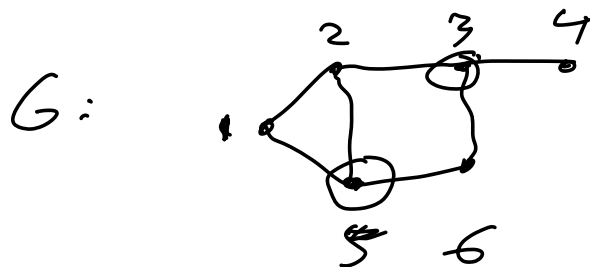
then want to show that
 W is a dominating set for G .
indeed!

one-to-one correspondence between
dominating sets in G and
set covers in (V, S) .

min — min

A very simple algorithm to construct
a set cover solution from
a dominating set in G .

An example : From Dominating Set to Set Cover



example of dominating set

$$D = \{3, 5\} \text{ min DS}$$

Construct the Set Cover Instance

$$S_1 = \{1, 2, 5\}, S_2 = \{1, 3, 5\}, S_3 = \{2, 4, 6\}$$

$$S_5 = \{1, 2, 5, 6\}, S_6 = \{3, 5, 6\}$$

In G $D = \{3, 5\}$ is a dominating set

This corresponds to $C = \{S_3, S_5\}$
a set cover

(2) From SET COVER to DOMINATING SET

A general Set Cover Instance

(U, S)

$U = \text{universe}$

$S = \text{collection of subsets of } U$

$$S = \{S_i : i \in I\}$$

Assume U and I are disjoint

Construct a graph $G = (V, E)$
as follows:

- the set of vertices $V = U \cup I$
- the set of edges:

type I $\{i, j\} \in E$
for every $i, j \in I$

type II $\{i, u\} \in E$
for every $i \in I$
 $u \in S_i$

Note. I is a clique (completely connected graph)

Suppose that C is a set cover solution to (U, S) pb.

$$C = \{S_i : i \in Z\}$$

want to show that Z is a dominating set in G .

$$Z \subseteq I$$

then Z is a dominating set for G .

. First for each $u \in U$ there

is $i \in Z$ such that $u \in S_i$
and by construction
 u and i are adjacent
in G .

hence u is dominated by i

• Second, since Z must be nonempty,
each $i \in I$ is adjacent to
a vertex in Z .

So Z is a dominating set.

Conversely: let D be a dominating
set for G

Then it is possible to construct
another dominating set X
such that $|X| \leq |D|$

and $X \subseteq I$;

Simply replace each $u \in D \cap V$
by a neighbor $i \in I$ of u .

Then $C = \{S_i : i \in X\}$ is a
set cover solution for (V, S)
and $|C| = |X| \leq |D|$.

Example: From set cover ~~to~~ Domino
set

$$V = \{a, b, c, d, e\}$$

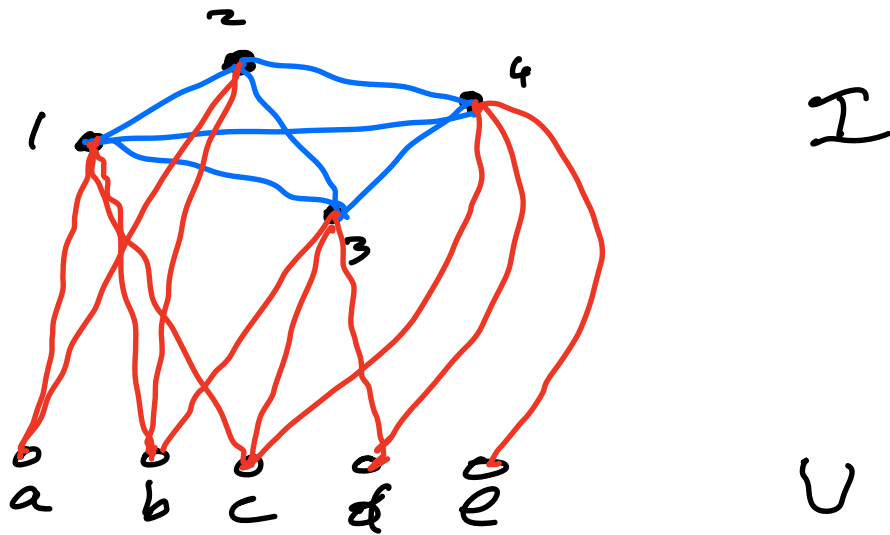
$$S_1 = \{a, b, c\}, S_2 = \{a, b\},$$

$$S_3 = \{b, c, d\}, S_4 = \{c, d, e\}$$

Construct G :

$$V = U \cup I$$

$$I = \{1, 2, 3, 4\}$$



In this example:

$C = \{S_1, S_4\}$ is a set cover
 corresponding $D = \{1, 4\}$ is a
 dominating set

• $D = \{a, 3, 4\}$ is also a dominating
 set

X constructed as a cover

$X = \{1, 3, 4\}$ a dominating set
 $\subseteq I$.