

Two-way (Dis)-Similarity Measures

Measure	Formula ^a	Range ^b	Average	Range
Minkowsky (M1-M7) $p = 0.25, 0.5, 1, 1.5, 2, 2.5, 3$, and ∞ [where, when $p = 1$ it is the Manhattan, city-block or taxi distance (also known as Hamming distance between binary vectors) and $p = 2$ is Euclidean distance]	$d_{XY} = \left(\sum_{j=1}^h x_j - y_j ^p \right)^{\frac{1}{p}}$	$[0, \infty)$	$\bar{d} = \frac{d_{XY}}{n^{1/p}}$	$[0, \infty)$
Chebyshev/Lagrange (M8) (Minkowsky formula when $p = \infty$)	$d_{XY} = \max\{ x_j - y_j \}$			
Canberra (M10)	$d_{XY} = \sum_{j=1}^h \frac{ x_j - y_j }{ x_j + y_j }$	$[0, n]$	$\bar{d} = \frac{d_{XY}}{n}$	$[0, 1]$
Lance - Williams/Bray-Curtis (M11)	$d_{XY} = \frac{\sum_{j=1}^h x_j - y_j }{\sum_{j=1}^h (x_j + y_j)}$	$[0, 1]$	$\bar{d} = \frac{d_{XY}}{n}$	$\left[0, \frac{1}{n}\right]$
Clark/Coefficient of Divergence (M12)	$d_{XY} = \sqrt{\sum_{j=1}^h \left(\frac{ x_j - y_j }{ x_j + y_j } \right)^2}$	$[0, n]$	$\bar{d} = \frac{d_{XY}}{\sqrt{n}}$	$[0, \sqrt{n}]$
Soergel (M13)	$d_{XY} = \frac{1}{n} \sum_{j=1}^h \frac{ x_j - y_j }{\max\{x_j, y_j\}}$	$[0, 1]$	$\bar{d} = \frac{d_{XY}}{n}$	$\left[0, \frac{1}{n}\right]$
Bhattacharyya (M14)	$d_{XY} = \sqrt{\sum_{j=1}^h (\sqrt{x_j} - \sqrt{y_j})^2}$	$[0, \infty)$	$\bar{d} = \frac{d_{XY}}{\sqrt{n}}$	$[0, \infty)$
Wave – Edges (M15)	$d_{XY} = \sum_{j=1}^h \left(1 - \frac{\min\{x_j, y_j\}}{\max\{x_j, y_j\}} \right)$	$[0, n]$	$\bar{d} = \frac{d_{XY}}{n}$	$[0, 1]$
	$d_{XY} = 1 - \text{Cos}_{XY}$			
Angular Separation/[1-Cosine (Ochiai)] (M16)	where, $\text{Cos}_{XY} = \frac{\mathbf{XY}}{\ \mathbf{X}\ \ \mathbf{Y}\ }$ $= \frac{\sum_{j=1}^h x_j y_j}{\sqrt{\sum_{j=1}^h x_j^2} \sqrt{\sum_{j=1}^h y_j^2}}$	$[0, 2]$		

^aThe variable $x_j(y_j)$ is the value of the coordinate j of the atom s and the atom t , corresponding to the molecule X (Y), respectively. The h value is the Cartesian coordinates (x, y, z) of an atom. The p values in Minkowsky metric are 0.25, 0.5, 1 (Manhattan), 1.5, 2 (Euclidean), 2.5 and 3 (Minkowsky). ^b“Range” refers to “range” and not to “rank” and is defined as $\text{Range} = \max\{x_j\} - \min\{x_j\}$.

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SL-like (M17)	$d_{XY} = \min\{ x_j - y_j \}$			
Average Euclidean (M18)	$d_{XY} = \left(\sqrt{\sum_{j=1}^n x_j - y_j ^2} \right) / n$			
Squared Euclidean (M19)	$MSE_{XY} = \sum_{j=1}^n x_j - y_j ^2$			
Pearson (M20)	$s_{XY} = \frac{\sum_{j=1}^n (x_j - \bar{X})(y_j - \bar{Y})}{\sqrt{\sum_{j=1}^n (x_j - \bar{X})^2 \sum_{j=1}^n (y_j - \bar{Y})^2}}$ $r_{XY} = \frac{S_{XY}}{S_X S_Y}$	[-1,1]		
Cosine-Ochiai (M21)	$s_{XY} = \frac{\mathbf{XY}}{\ \mathbf{X}\ \ \mathbf{Y}\ } = \frac{\sum_{j=1}^n x_j y_j}{\sqrt{\sum_{j=1}^n x_j^2 \sum_{j=1}^n y_j^2}}$	[-1,1]	$\bar{d} = \frac{d_{XY}}{n}$	$\left[0, \frac{2}{n}\right]$
Chord (M22)	$s_{XY} = \cos_{XY}$ $d_{XY} = \sqrt{2(1 - \cos_{XY})}$	[0, ∞)	$[0, \sqrt{2}]$	
Fossum (M23)	$s_{XY} = F_{XY} = \frac{n(\sum_{j=1}^n x_j y_j - 1/2)^2}{\sum_{j=1}^n x_j^2 \sum_{j=1}^n y_j^2}$	[0, ∞)		
Tanimoto (M24)	$s_{XY} = \frac{\sum_{j=1}^n x_j y_j}{\sum_{j=1}^n x_j^2 + \sum_{j=1}^n y_j^2 - \sum_{j=1}^n x_j y_j}$	[-1/3,1]		
Kulczynski (M25)	$s_{XY} = \frac{\sum_{j=1}^n x_j y_j}{\sum_{j=1}^n x_j^2 + \sum_{j=1}^n y_j^2 - 2 \sum_{j=1}^n x_j y_j}$	[-1/4, ∞]		
Sokal-Sneath (M26)	$s_{XY} = \frac{\sum_{j=1}^n x_j y_j}{2 \sum_{j=1}^n x_j^2 + 2 \sum_{j=1}^n y_j^2 - 3 \sum_{j=1}^n x_j y_j}$	[-1/7,1]		
Simpson (M27)	$s_{XY} = \frac{\sum_{j=1}^n \min\{x_j, y_j\}}{\min\{\sum_{j=1}^n x_j, \sum_{j=1}^n y_j\}}$	[0,1]		
Ruzicka (M28)	$s_{XY} = \frac{\sum_{j=1}^n \min\{x_j, y_j\}}{\sum_{j=1}^n \max\{x_j, y_j\}}$			
Dice (M29)	$s_{XY} = \frac{2 \sum_{j=1}^n x_j y_j}{\sum_{j=1}^n x_j^2 + \sum_{j=1}^n y_j^2}$	[-1,1]		
Identity corrected (M30)	$e'_{XY} = \frac{2S_{XY}}{S_X^2 + S_Y^2 + (\bar{X} - \bar{Y})^2}$	[-1,1]		
Additivity (M31)	$a_{XY} = \frac{2S_{XY}}{S_X^2 + S_Y^2}$	[-1,1]		
Proportionality corrected (M32)	$p'_{XY} = \frac{S_{XY}}{T_X T_Y - \bar{X} \bar{Y}}$	[-1,1]		

^a $X = \{x_1, x_2, x_3, \dots, x_n\}$ represents a random sample of variable X ; \bar{X} and S_X are the arithmetic mean and standard deviation of X , respectively; $S_{XY} = \frac{\sum_{j=1}^n (x_j - \bar{X})(y_j - \bar{Y})}{n}$, is the covariance between variables X and Y ; $T_X = \sqrt{(\sum_{j=1}^n x_j^2)/n}$

Three-way (Dis)-Similarity Multi-Metrics

A) Ternary Measures (T_{XYZ})		
Measure	Formula	Symmetry
Triangle Area (M33-M34)	$T_{XYZ} = \sqrt{s(s-d_{XY})(s-d_{YZ})(s-d_{ZX})}$ $s = \frac{d_{XY} + d_{YZ} + d_{ZX}}{2}$	S
Triangle's Incircle Area (M35-M36)	$T_{XYZ} = \pi \left(\frac{2\sqrt{s(s-d_{XY})(s-d_{YZ})(s-d_{ZX})}}{d_{XY} + d_{YZ} + d_{ZX}} \right)^2$	S
Summation Sides (M37-M38)	$T_{XYZ} = d_{XY} + d_{YZ}$	A
Bond angle (Angle between sides) (M39-M40)	$A_X, A_Y, A_Z \text{ coordinates of three atoms of a molecule}$ $U = A_X - A_Y, V = A_Z - A_Y$ $T_{XYZ} = \alpha = \arccos \left(\frac{U * V}{ U * V } \right)$	A
MIN-RULE [1-Nearest neighbor (NN)] (M41-M42)	$T_{XYZ} = \min(d_{XZ}, d_{YZ})$	A
JOIN-RULE (2-NN) (M43-M44)	$d_{\min} = \min(d_{XY}, d_{YZ}, d_{ZX}) \quad d_{\max} = \max(d_{XY}, d_{YZ}, d_{ZX})$ $join(d_{XY}, d_{YZ}, d_{ZX}, d_{\min}, d_{\max}) = \begin{cases} d_{XY}, d_{\min} > d_{XY} < d_{\max} \\ d_{YZ}, d_{\min} > d_{YZ} < d_{\max} \\ d_{ZX}, d_{\min} > d_{ZX} < d_{\max} \end{cases}$ $T_{XYZ} = join(d_{XY}, d_{YZ}, d_{ZX}, d_{\min}, d_{\max})$	S
MAX-RULE (Furthest neighbor) (M45-M46)	$T_{XYZ} = \max(d_{XZ}, d_{YZ})$	A
AVE-RULE (Average-link) (M47-M48)	$T_{XYZ} = \frac{d_{XY} + d_{YZ}}{2}$	A
MED-RULE (M49-M50)	$T_{XYZ} = \frac{d_{XZ} + d_{YZ}}{2} - \frac{d_{XY}}{4}$	A
WAR-RULE (M51-M52)	$T_{XYZ} = d_{X\bar{C}}^2 + d_{Y\bar{C}}^2 + d_{Z\bar{C}}^2$	S

\bar{C} is the centroid for the coordinates (A_X, A_Y, A_Z) for three atoms (X,Y,Z) in the protein, respectively.

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ADD-RULE (Average D/D degree) (M53-M54)	$T_{XYZ} = \frac{1}{3} \left(\frac{d_{XY}}{p_{XY}} + \frac{d_{YZ}}{p_{YZ}} + \frac{d_{ZX}}{p_{ZX}} \right)$	S
SUM-RULE (Wiener index) (M55-M56)	$T_{XYZ} = d_{XY} + d_{YZ} + d_{ZX}$	S
PRO-RULE (M57-M58)	$T_{XYZ} = d_{XY} \cdot d_{YZ} \cdot d_{ZX}$	S
QUA-RULE (M59-M60)	$T_{XYZ} = \left(\frac{d_{XY}^2 + d_{YZ}^2 + d_{ZX}^2}{3} \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$	S
GEO-RULE (M61-M62)	$T_{XYZ} = \left(\frac{d_{XY}^3 + d_{YZ}^3 + d_{ZX}^3}{3} \right)^{\frac{1}{3}}$	S
RAN-RULE (M63-M64)	$T_{XYZ} = \max(d_{XY}, d_{YZ}, d_{ZX}) - \min(d_{XY}, d_{YZ}, d_{ZX})$	S
IC-RULE Identidad- corregida (M65-M66)	$T_{XYZ} = \frac{2(S_{XY} + S_{XZ} + S_{YZ})}{2(S_X^2 + S_Y^2 + S_Z^2) + (\bar{X} - \bar{Y})^2 + (\bar{X} - \bar{Z})^2 + (\bar{Y} - \bar{Z})^2}$	S
AC-RULE Aditividad- corregida (M67-M68)	$T_{XYZ} = \frac{S_{XY} + S_{XZ} + S_{YZ}}{S_X^2 + S_Y^2 + S_Z^2}$	S
PC-RULE Proporcionalidad- corregida (M69-M70)	$T_{XYZ} = \sum_{i < j}^k \frac{\left(\sum_t^n X_{it} X_{jt} - n \bar{X}_i \bar{X}_j \right) / A}{\frac{k}{2}(k-1) - n \sum_{i < j}^n \left[\frac{\bar{X}_i \bar{X}_j}{A} \right]}$ $A = \left(\sum_t^n X_{it}^2 \sum_t^n X_{jt}^2 \right)^{\frac{1}{2}}$	S
LC-RULE Linealidad corregida (mean pair-wise pearson correlation) (M71-M72)	$T_{XYZ} = \frac{r_{XY} + r_{YZ} + r_{ZX}}{3}$	S

p_{XY} is the topological distance between the amino acids containing atoms (X and Y)
and r_{XY} is the Pearson correlation between variables X and Y.