

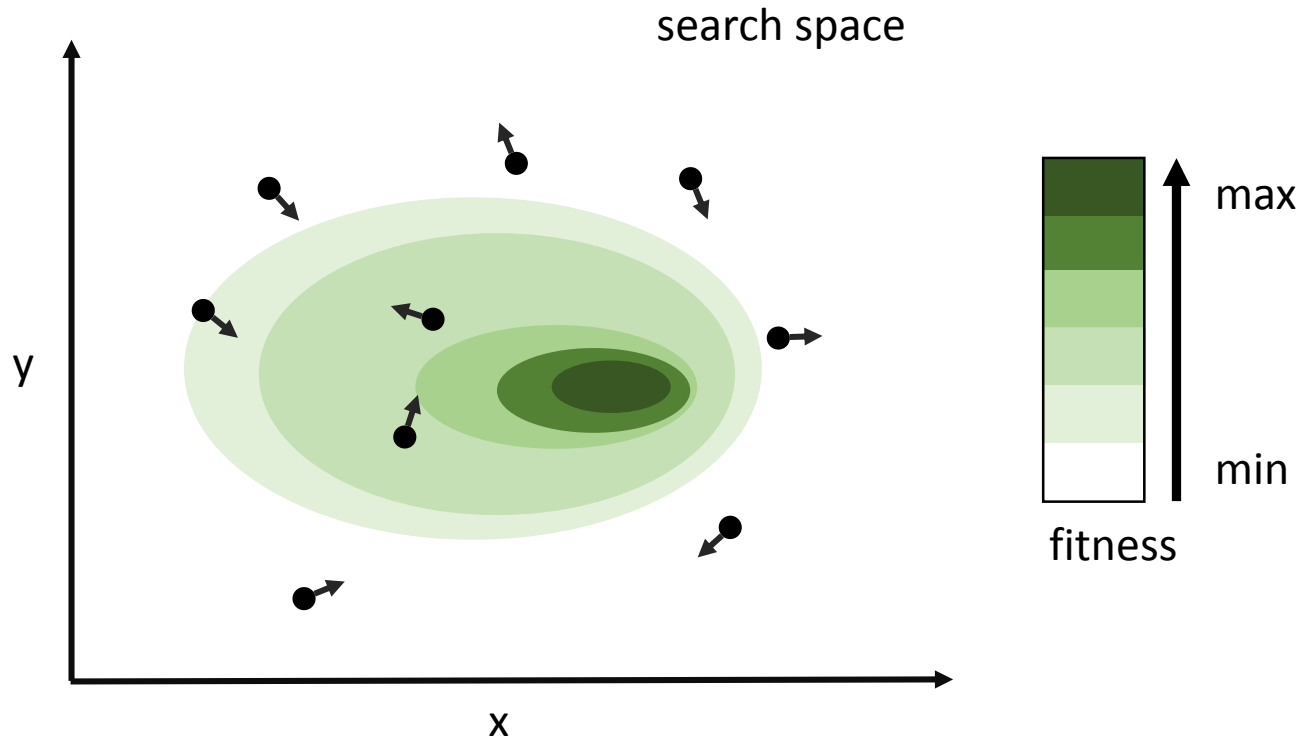
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- Particle Swarm Optimization(PSO) is proposed by Kennedy and Eberhart in 1995
- A concept for optimization of nonlinear functions using particle swarm methodology
- Inspired by simulation social behavior of bird flocking or fish schooling.



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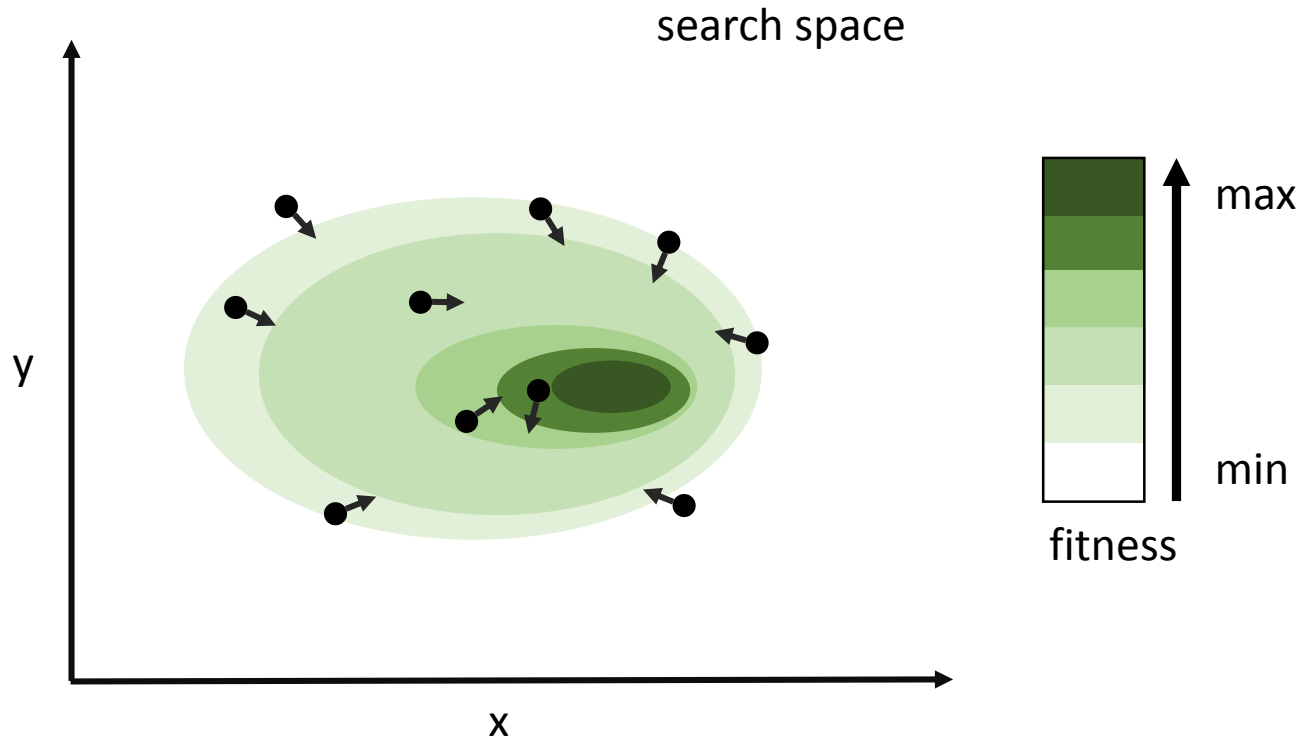
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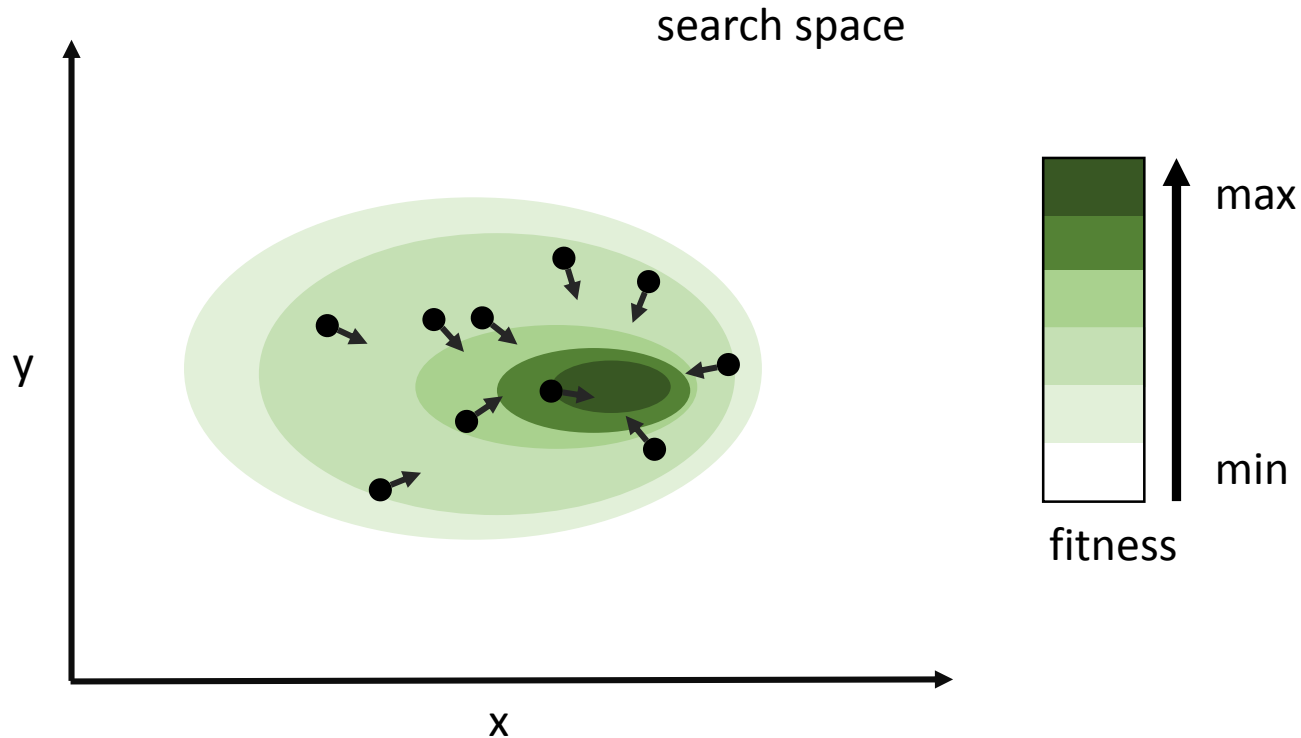
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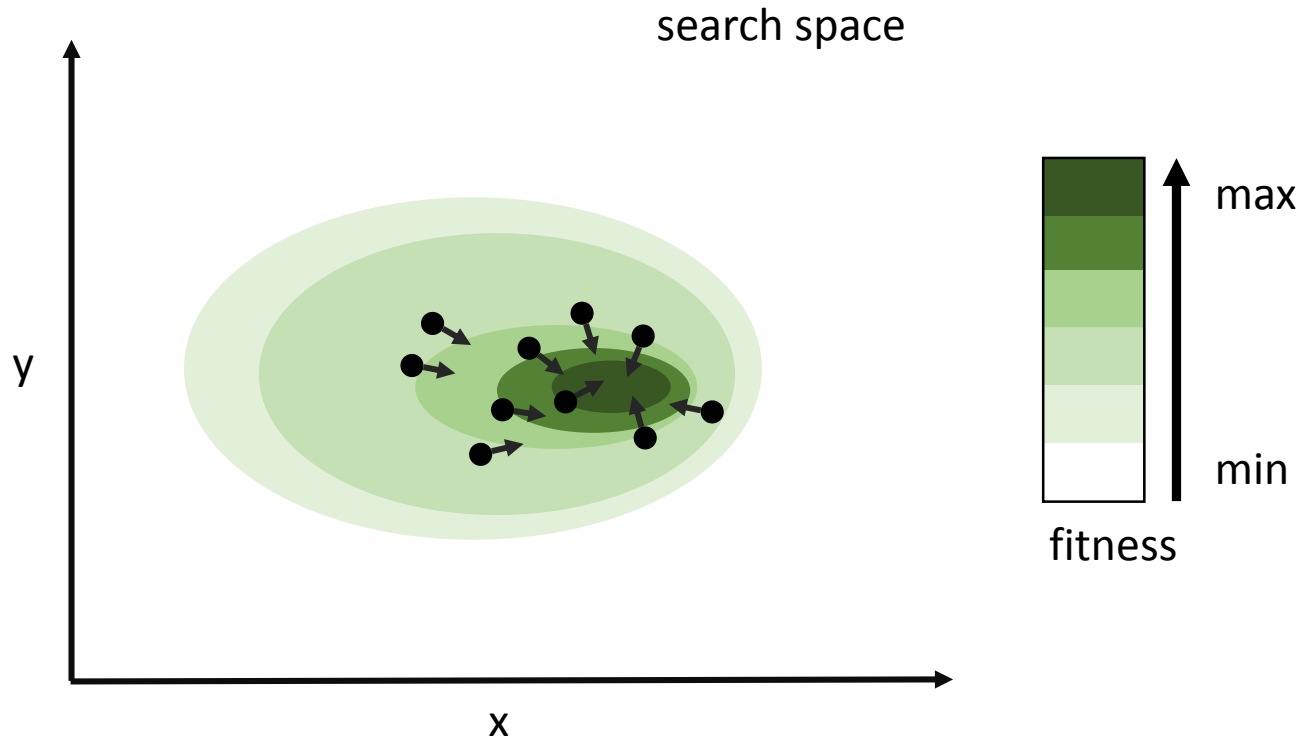
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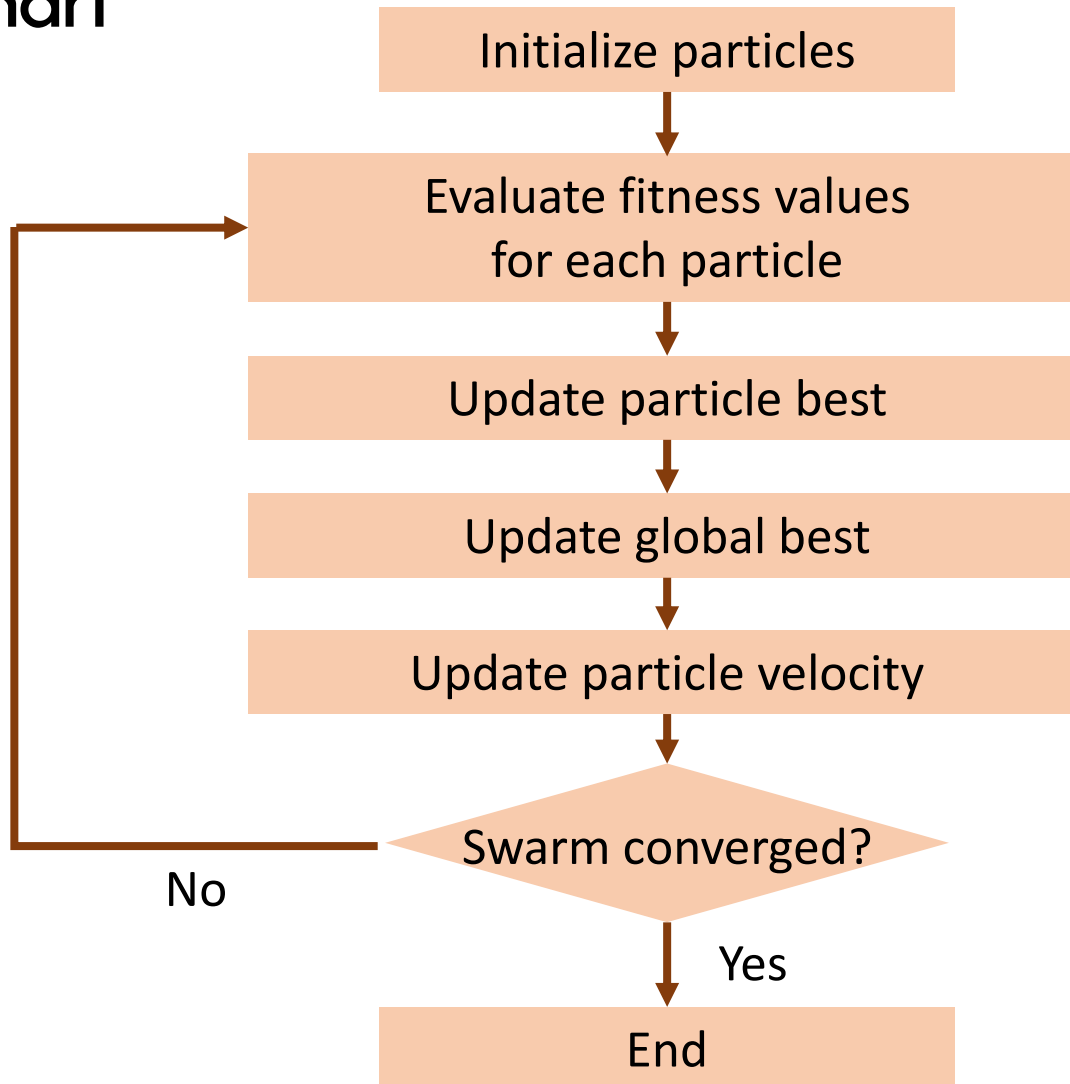
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How it works

- PSO is Initialized with random particles
- Particles move through the search space and are evaluated according to the objective function in every iteration.
- Each particle stores personally, globally best value and position (called pbest, gbest)
- Each particle modifies its position according to its current position, velocity, the distance between its current position and pbest, gbest.

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Flowchart



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Particle update

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- X_i : i th particle's position
- V_i : i th particle's velocity
- P_i : best position of i th particle (pbest)
- G : best position of swarm (gbest)
- c_1, c_2 : weight related to pbest, gbest
- r_1, r_2 : random variables

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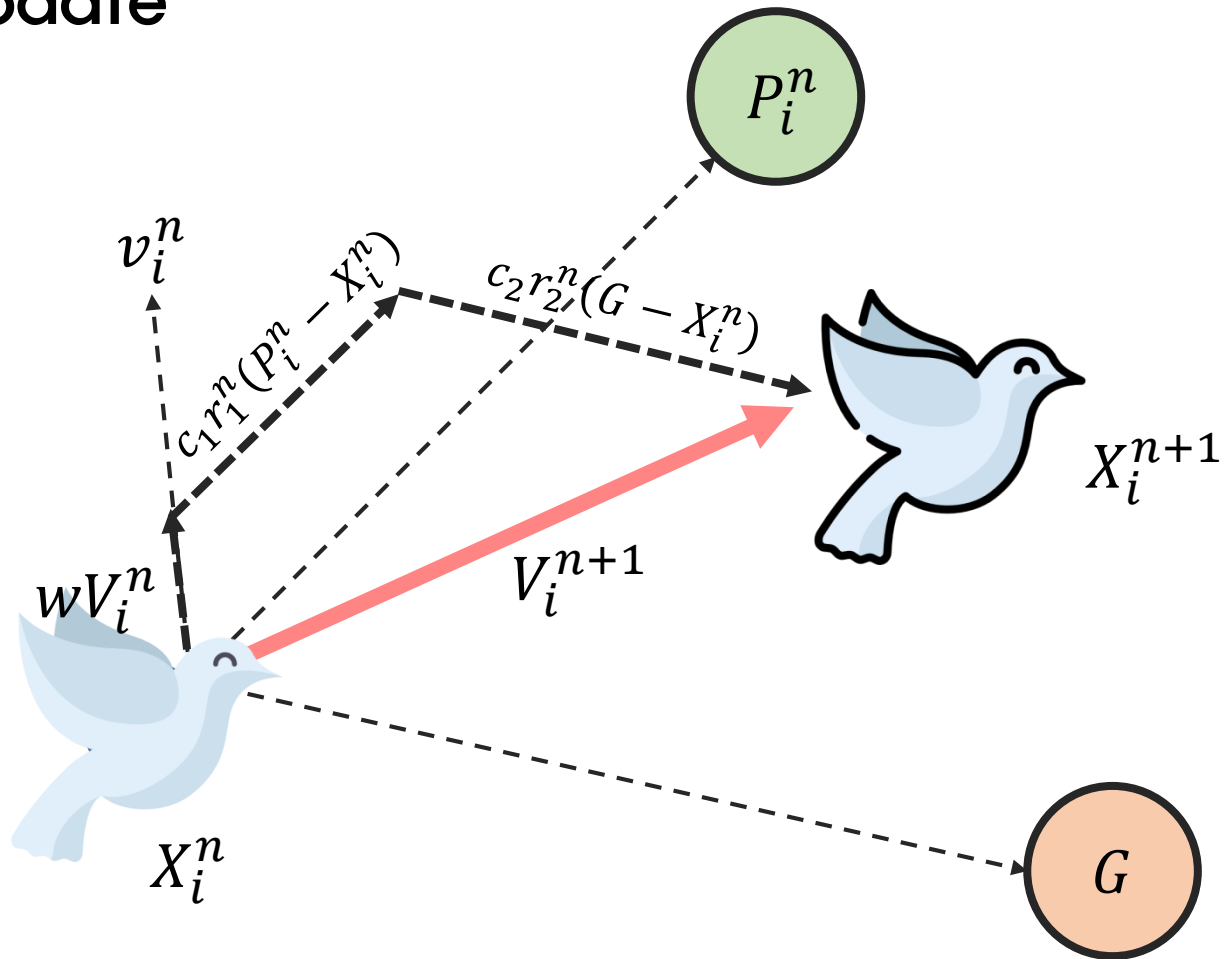
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in the same direction and
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Conclusion

Advantage

- Simple implementation
- Few algorithm parameters
- Global optimization

Disadvantage

- easy to fall into Local minimum