

1 Optimizing RCBD with independent treatments

1.1 Specify required input

```
rm(list = ls(all=TRUE)[!grepl("global.var.A", ls(all=TRUE))])
h2=0.6; rhox=0.6; rhoy=0.6; DesN=100; criteria="A"; s20=0
pedigree = "Indep"
blocks=6;rb=5;cb=6;Tr=15;Tc=12;Treatments=1:30
source("final.R")
```

1.2 Generate m=100 initial designs

```
res1 = MultipleDesigns(DesN,blocks,Treatments,
                      rb,cb,Tr,Tc,Amat=FALSE,criteria,h2,rhox,
                      rhoy,s20,irregular=FALSE)

names(res1)

## [1] "newmatdf"    "trace0"      "min_value"   "meanA"
```

1.3 Calculate the variance-covariance matrix

```
res2 <- VarCov.rcbd(matdf=res1$newmatdf,rhox,
                     rhoy,h2,s20,Tr,Tc,criteria="A",Amat=FALSE,irregular=FALSE)
Rinv = as.matrix(res2$Rinv)
Ginv = as.matrix(res2$Ginv)
K = as.matrix(res2$K)
names(res2)

## [1] "traceI" "Ginv"    "Rinv"    "K"
```

1.4 Apply the simple pairwise algorithm (SP)

```
start <- Sys.time()
ans = Optimize.rcbd(matdf=res1$newmatdf,n=5000,
                     traceI=res2$traceI,criteria="A",Rinv,Ginv,K)
tim <- Sys.time() - start

tim

## Time difference of 1.05481 mins

names(ans)

## [1] "TRACE"          "mat"            "Design_best"
```

1.5 SP: Calculate design efficiency based on A-optimality

```
Aopt <- ans$mat[nrow(ans$mat), 'value']
init0 <- ans$mat[1, 'value']
(ODE = abs((init0 - Aopt)/init0)*100)
```

```
##      value
## 3.741123
```

```
head(ans$Design_best)
```

	Row	Col	Reps	Treatments
## 1	1	1	1	16
## 2	1	2	1	21
## 3	1	3	1	7
## 4	1	4	1	28
## 5	1	5	1	17
## 6	1	6	1	1

1.6 Plot the initial and final designs

```
plotdesign(res1$newmatdf,rb,cb,Tr,Tc,text.size=5,
           axistextsize=12,
           titlesize=15,axislabsize=12,
           maintitle="Initial Design")
plotdesign(ans$Design_best,rb,cb,Tr,Tc,text.size=5,
           axistextsize=12,
           titlesize=15,axislabsize=12,
           maintitle="Final Design")
```

Initial Design												Final Design															
Row coordinates	15	24	23	28	18	8	6	23	14	15	11	3	1	Row coordinates	15	9	20	24	22	15	30	7	13	15	28	14	12
	14	11	26	29	1	5	14	8	17	4	5	19	26		14	11	26	10	28	2	14	26	17	4	11	29	3
	13	25	15	3	19	13	2	30	29	13	22	27	9		13	25	4	3	19	21	27	30	5	19	1	27	2
	12	27	21	4	7	22	16	10	28	2	18	20	25		12	6	12	17	7	1	16	10	22	8	18	20	25
	11	10	17	20	9	30	12	16	24	6	12	21	7		11	29	5	23	8	13	18	16	24	6	23	21	9
	10	23	29	7	4	18	10	23	1	15	25	3	19		10	23	29	7	5	18	17	8	1	30	6	3	21
	9	3	21	14	13	5	22	18	12	8	13	11	27		9	4	21	14	13	3	8	24	12	23	14	22	18
	8	30	9	1	25	20	19	29	21	28	20	17	22		8	30	25	19	9	20	1	11	9	28	4	2	19
	7	24	8	12	6	11	17	6	26	14	2	10	7		7	2	26	22	6	11	10	27	26	13	7	25	17
	6	16	15	26	28	2	27	4	5	24	9	16	30		6	16	15	12	28	24	27	10	5	16	20	15	29
	5	15	19	11	12	29	25	16	21	4	8	12	15		5	15	8	11	12	29	25	5	21	22	16	11	15
	4	14	9	30	13	4	22	9	10	29	24	3	14		4	27	9	14	5	4	22	25	28	29	14	3	1
	3	8	10	5	1	17	7	11	23	20	18	1	2		3	19	10	20	6	13	30	24	23	20	17	9	26
	2	26	24	2	18	6	27	28	19	13	27	26	25		2	26	24	2	18	3	23	30	2	13	27	18	12
	1	16	28	23	21	20	3	22	6	5	17	30	7		1	16	21	7	28	17	1	4	6	19	8	10	7
		1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12			1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12

Figure 1: Initial and final designs using SP algorithm for genetically unrelated treatments.

```
library(desplot)
desplot(Reps~Col+Row, ans$Design_best, text=Treatments,
        cex=1, show.key=FALSE, main=NULL)
```

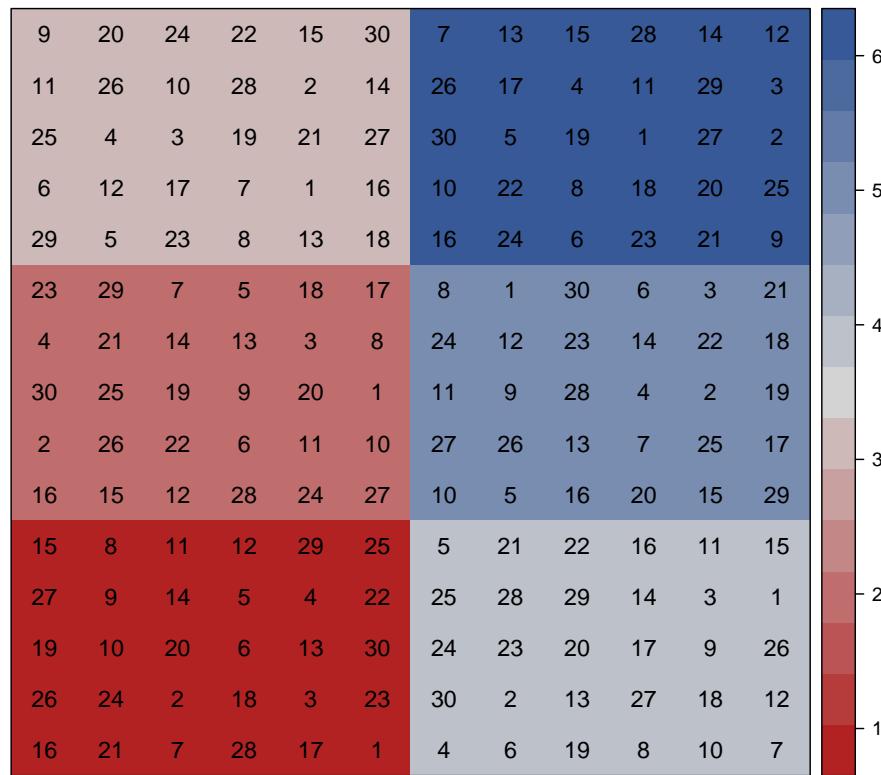


Figure 2: Final Design (using desplot package).

1.7 Apply the simulated annealing algorithm (SA)

```
rm(ans)
rm(tim)
start <- Sys.time()
ans = Optimize_SimAnn_rcbd(matdf=res1$newmatdf, n=5000,
                           traceI=res2$traceI, criteria="A", Rinv, Ginv, K)
tim <- Sys.time() - start

tim

## Time difference of 1.056938 mins
```

1.8 SA: Calculate design efficiency based on A-optimality

```
Aopt <- ans$mat[nrow(ans$mat), 'value']
init0 <- ans$mat[1, 'value']
(ODE = abs((init0 - Aopt)/init0)*100)

##      value
## 3.533626
```

1.9 Apply the greedy pairwise swap algorithm (GP4)

```

rm(ans)
rm(tim)
start <- Sys.time()
ans = OptimizeGreedy.rcbd(matdf=res1$newmatdf,
                           n=5000,traceI=res2$traceI,
                           criteria="A",gsize=4,Rinv,Ginv,K)
tim <- Sys.time() - start

tim

## Time difference of 1.059972 mins

```

1.10 GP4: Calculate design efficiency based on A-optimality

```

Aopt <- ans$mat[nrow(ans$mat), 'value']
init0 <- ans$mat[1, 'value']
(ODE = abs((init0 - Aopt)/init0)*100)

##      value
## 2.991614

```

2 Optimizing RCBD with treatments from Half-sibs family

2.1 Specify required input

```

rm(list = ls(all=TRUE)[!grepl("global.var.A", ls(all=TRUE))])
h2=0.6; rhox=0.6; rhoy=0.6; DesN=100; criteria="A"; s20=0
pedigree = "Half-sib"
blocks=6;rb=5;cb=6;Tr=15;Tc=12;Treatments=1:30
source("final.R")

```

2.2 Read pedigree file and calculate the numerator relationship matrix

```

ped30hs <- read.csv("ped30hs.csv",header=TRUE,as.is = TRUE)
Amat <- GenA(male=ped30hs[, "sire"], female = ped30hs[, "dam"])
Amat <- as.matrix(Amat[-c(1:5), -c(1:5)])

```

2.3 Generate m=100 initial designs

```
res1 = MultipleDesigns(DesN,blocks,
                      Treatments,rb,cb,Tr,Tc,Amat,criteria,
                      h2,rhox,rhoy,s20,irregular=FALSE)

names(res1)

## [1] "newmatdf"   "trace0"      "min_value"  "meanA"
```

2.4 Calculate the variance-covariance matrix

```
res2 <- VarCov.rcbd(matdf=res1$newmatdf,rhox,
                     rhoy,h2,s20,Tr,Tc,criteria="A",Amat,irregular=FALSE)
Rinv = as.matrix(res2$Rinv)
Ginv = as.matrix(res2$Ginv)
K = as.matrix(res2$K)
res2$traceI

## [1] 1.848873

names(res2)

## [1] "traceI" "Ginv"   "Rinv"   "K"
```

2.5 Apply the simple pairwise algorithm (SP)

```
start <- Sys.time()
ans = Optimize.rcbd(matdf=res1$newmatdf,
                     n=5000,traceI=res2$traceI,criteria="A",Rinv,Ginv,K)
tim <- Sys.time() - start

tim

## Time difference of 1.05918 mins

names(ans)

## [1] "TRACE"           "mat"              "Design_best"
```

2.6 SP: Calculate design efficiency based on A-optimality

```
Aopt <- ans$mat[nrow(ans$mat),'value']
init0 <- ans$mat[1,'value']
(ODE = abs((init0 - Aopt)/init0)*100)
```

```
##      value
## 2.690385

head(ans$Design_best)
```

	Row	Col	Reps	Treatments
## 1	1	1	1	1
## 2	1	2	1	29
## 3	1	3	1	8
## 4	1	4	1	27
## 5	1	5	1	22
## 6	1	6	1	21

2.7 Plot the initial and final designs

```
plotdesign(res1$newmatdf,rb,cb,Tr,Tc,text.size=5,
          axistextsize=12,
          titlesize=15,axislabsize=12,
          maintitle="Initial Design")
plotdesign(ans$Design_best,rb,cb,Tr,Tc,text.size=5,
          axistextsize=12,
          titlesize=15,axislabsize=12,
          maintitle="Final Design")
```

Initial Design												Final Design															
Row coordinates	15	2	30	9	21	19	3	12	29	11	13	18	24	Row coordinates	15	5	14	9	30	23	21	25	11	12	26	15	5
14	7	15	22	13	23	24	21	27	23	7	6	5	8	15	22	12	20	24	21	27	23	7	6	17			
13	25	29	11	1	8	4	8	16	2	4	3	26	13	16	11	1	27	10	2	13	8	4	14	19			
12	18	20	17	16	14	5	14	17	10	30	1	9	17	26	3	25	7	2	29	10	28	16	1	20			
11	12	10	28	27	6	26	25	20	15	28	22	19	18	4	6	19	28	29	24	9	18	30	22	3			
10	10	3	4	2	13	11	18	8	24	2	26	21	10	3	19	2	22	28	9	8	24	18	16	21			
9	22	24	7	5	28	27	9	20	3	11	7	15	11	24	27	5	7	30	28	5	3	11	7	15			
8	20	15	26	16	14	9	23	25	1	19	5	10	20	15	17	1	6	26	23	19	1	4	12	10			
7	1	12	8	21	6	18	16	29	22	27	17	28	9	12	8	21	14	18	26	27	2	20	29	25			
6	17	19	25	30	29	23	6	30	14	13	4	12	4	16	25	13	29	23	6	30	14	17	22	13			
5	16	27	10	29	13	4	28	4	20	23	14	26	16	3	14	23	13	4	10	6	13	14	20	22			
4	23	6	8	25	30	24	25	5	15	9	21	7	24	30	20	25	26	10	30	5	15	9	21	26			
3	26	2	28	15	11	14	1	18	19	16	6	12	6	2	18	15	11	5	1	18	19	16	17	24			
2	5	17	3	9	20	12	2	27	24	29	3	17	28	17	7	9	19	12	27	25	4	29	11	23			
1	22	18	1	19	7	21	10	30	13	22	8	11	1	29	8	27	22	21	12	28	2	7	8	3			
Column coordinates												Column coordinates															

Figure 3: Initial and final designs for half-sib treatments using simple pairwise algorithm.

```
library(desplot)
desplot(Reps~Col+Row, ans$Design_best, text=Treatments,
        cex=1, show.key=FALSE, main=NULL)
```

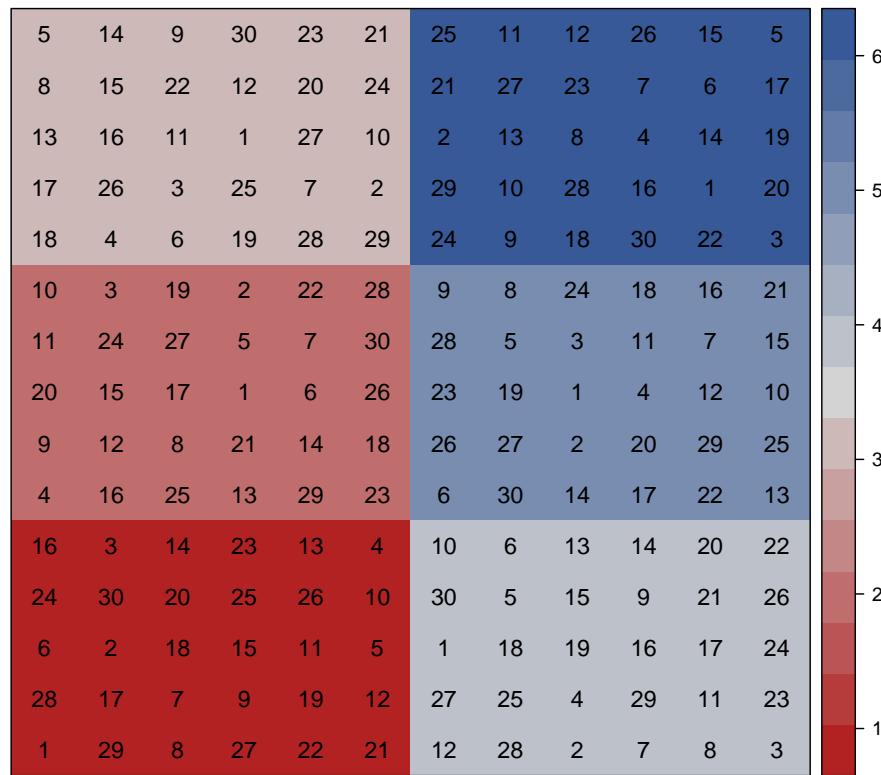


Figure 4: Final Design (using desplot package) for half-sibs family.

2.8 Apply the simulated annealing algorithm (SA)

```

rm(ans)
rm(tim)
start <- Sys.time()
ans = Optimize_SimAnn_rcbd(matdf=res1$newmatdf,
    n=5000,traceI=res2$traceI,criteria="A",Rinv,Ginv,K)
tim <- Sys.time() - start

tim

## Time difference of 1.060767 mins

names(ans)

## [1] "TRACE"      "mat"        "Design_best"

```

2.9 SA: Calculate design efficiency based on A-optimality

```

Aopt <- ans$mat[nrow(ans$mat), 'value']
init0 <- ans$mat[1, 'value']
(ODE = abs((init0 - Aopt)/init0)*100)

```

```
##      value
## 2.422064
```

2.10 Apply the genetic neighborhood algorithm (GN)

```
rm(ans)
rm(tim)
start <- Sys.time()
ans = Optimize_GNN_rcbd(matdf=res1$newmatdf,
  n=5000,traceI=res2$traceI,criteria="A",
  Amat,Rinv,Ginv,K)
tim <- Sys.time() - start

tim

## Time difference of 1.134075 mins
```

2.11 GN: Calculate design efficiency based on A-optimality

```
Aopt <- ans$mat[nrow(ans$mat), 'value']
init0 <- ans$mat[1, 'value']
(ODE = abs((init0 - Aopt)/init0)*100)

##      value
## 0.3834114
```

2.12 Apply the greedy pairwise swap algorithm (GP4)

```
rm(ans)
rm(tim)
start <- Sys.time()
ans = OptimizeGreedy.rcbd(matdf=res1$newmatdf,
  n=5000,traceI=res2$traceI,criteria="A",
  gsize=4,Rinv,Ginv,K)
tim <- Sys.time() - start
```

```
tim

## Time difference of 1.061638 mins
```

2.13 GP4: Calculate design efficiency based on A-optimality

```
Aopt <- ans$mat[nrow(ans$mat), 'value']
init0 <- ans$mat[1, 'value']
```

```
(ODE = abs((init0 - Aopt)/init0)*100)
```

```
##     value
## 2.170021
```

3 Optimizing RCBD with treatments from Full-sibs family

3.1 Specify required input

```
rm(list = ls(all=TRUE)[!grepl("global.var.A", ls(all=TRUE))])
h2=0.6; rhox=0.6; rhoy=0.6;DesN=100; criteria="A"; s20=0
pedigree = "Full-sib"
blocks=6;rb=5;cb=6;Tr=15;Tc=12;Treatments=1:30
source("final.R")
```

3.2 Read pedigree file and calculate the numerator relationship matrix

```
ped30fs <- read.csv("ped30fs.csv",header=TRUE,as.is = TRUE)
Amat <- GenA(male=ped30fs[, "sire"], female = ped30fs[, "dam"])
Amat <- as.matrix(Amat[-c(1:5), -c(1:5)])
```

3.3 Generate m=100 initial designs

```
res1 = MultipleDesigns(DesN,blocks,Treatments,
                      rb, cb, Tr, Tc, Amat, criteria, h2,
                      rhox, rhoy, s20, irregular=FALSE)

names(res1)

## [1] "newmatdf"    "trace0"      "min_value"   "meanA"
```

3.4 Calculate the variance-covariance matrix

```
res2 <- VarCov.rcbd(matdf=res1$newmatdf,rhox,
                     rhoy,h2,s20,Tr,Tc,criteria="A",Amat,irregular=FALSE)
Rinv = as.matrix(res2$Rinv)
Ginv = as.matrix(res2$Ginv)
K = as.matrix(res2$K)
names(res2)

## [1] "traceI" "Ginv"    "Rinv"    "K"
```

```
res2$traceI
```

```
## [1] 4.38817
```

3.5 Apply the simple pairwise algorithm (SP)

```
start <- Sys.time()
ans = Optimize.rcbd(matdf=res1$newmatdf, n=5000,
  traceI=res2$traceI, criteria="A", Rinv, Ginv, K)
tim <- Sys.time() - start
```

```
tim
```

```
## Time difference of 1.064047 mins
```

```
names(ans)
```

```
## [1] "TRACE"      "mat"        "Design_best"
```

3.6 SP: Calculate design efficiency based on A-optimality

```
Aopt <- ans$mat[nrow(ans$mat), 'value']
init0 <- ans$mat[1, 'value']
(ODE = abs((init0 - Aopt)/init0)*100)
```

```
##      value
## 0.9719083
```

```
head(ans$Design_best)
```

	Row	Col	Reps	Treatments
## 1	1	1	1	5
## 2	1	2	1	9
## 3	1	3	1	24
## 4	1	4	1	3
## 5	1	5	1	15
## 6	1	6	1	30

3.7 Plot the initial and final designs

```
plotdesign(res1$newmatdf, rb, cb, Tr, Tc, text.size=5,
  axis.text.size=12,
  title.size=15, axis.lab.size=12,
  main.title="Initial Design")
plotdesign(ans$Design_best, rb, cb, Tr, Tc, text.size=5,
  axis.text.size=12,
```

```
titlesize=15, axislabsize=12,
maintitle="Final Design")
```

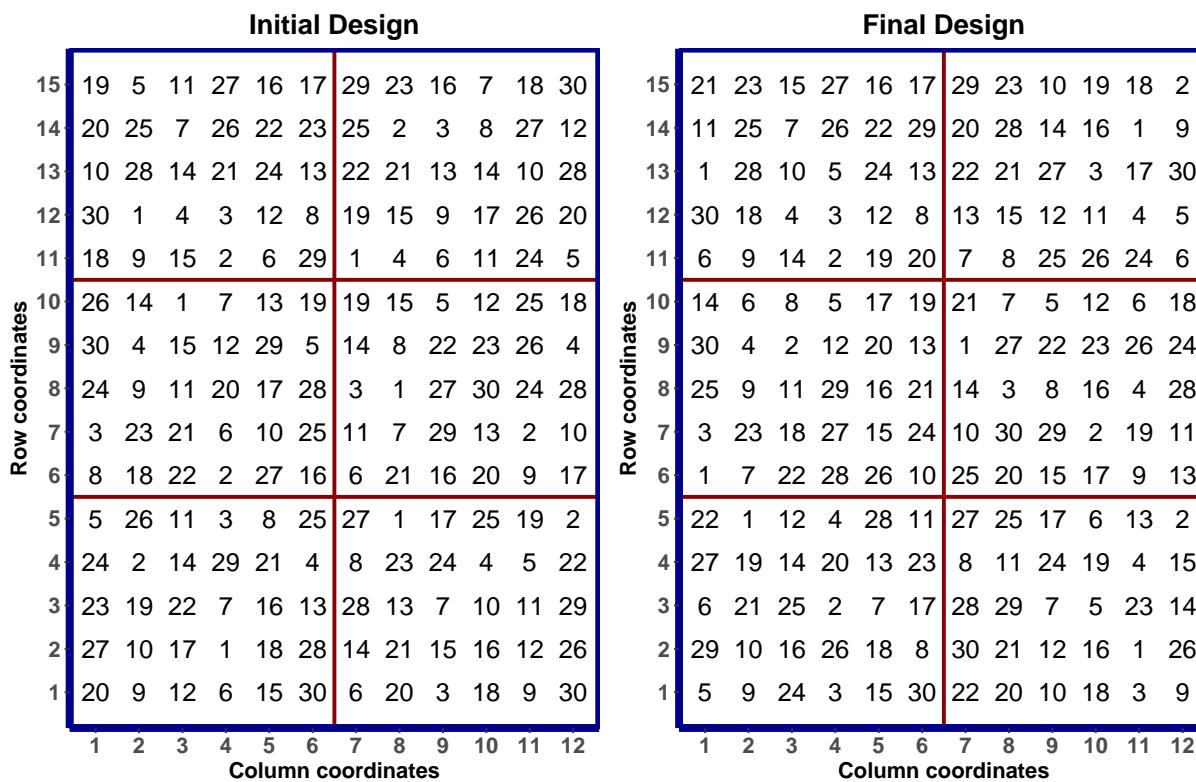


Figure 5: Initial and final designs for full-sib treatments using simple pairwise algorithm.

3.8 Apply the simulated annealing algorithm (SA)

```
rm(ans)
rm(tim)
start <- Sys.time()
ans = Optimize_SimAnn_rcbd(matdf=res1$newmatdf,
                           n=5000,traceI=res2$traceI,
                           criteria="A",Rinv,Ginv,K)
tim <- Sys.time() - start

tim

## Time difference of 1.055937 mins
```

3.9 SA: Calculate design efficiency based on A-optimality

```
Aopt <- ans$mat[nrow(ans$mat), 'value']
init0 <- ans$mat[1, 'value']
```

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```
(ODE = abs((init0 - Aopt)/init0)*100)
```

```
##      value  
## 1.061229
```

```
head(ans$Design_best)
```

##	Row	Col	Reps	Treatments
## 1	1	1	1	2
## 2	1	2	1	5
## 3	1	3	1	19
## 4	1	4	1	29
## 5	1	5	1	25
## 6	1	6	1	24

3.10 Apply the genetic neighborhood algorithm (GN)

```
rm(ans)  
rm(tim)  
start <- Sys.time()  
ans = Optimize_GNN_rcbd(matdf=res1$newmatdf,  
n=5000,traceI=res2$traceI,criteria="A",  
Amat,Rinv,Ginv,K)  
tim <- Sys.time() - start
```

```
tim
```

```
## Time difference of 1.292614 mins
```

3.11 GN: Calculate design efficiency based on A-optimality

```
Aopt <- ans$mat[nrow(ans$mat), 'value']  
init0 <- ans$mat[1, 'value']  
(ODE = abs((init0 - Aopt)/init0)*100)
```

```
##      value  
## 0.1465577
```

```
head(ans$Design_best)
```

##	Row	Col	Reps	Treatments
## 1	1	1	1	20
## 2	1	2	1	9
## 3	1	3	1	12
## 4	1	4	1	6
## 5	1	5	1	15

```
## 6   1   6   1      30
```

3.12 Apply the greedy pairwise algorithm (GP4)

```
rm(ans)
rm(tim)
start <- Sys.time()
ans = OptimizeGreedy.rcbd(matdf=res1$newmatdf,
  n=5000,traceI=res2$traceI,criteria="A",
  gsize=4,Rinv,Ginv,K)
tim <- Sys.time() - start

tim
## Time difference of 1.061718 mins
```

3.13 GP4: Calculate design efficiency based on A-optimality

```
Aopt <- ans$mat[nrow(ans$mat), 'value']
init0 <- ans$mat[1, 'value']
(ODE = abs((init0 - Aopt)/init0)*100)
```

```
##      value
## 0.8103016
```

```
head(ans$Design_best)

##   Row Col Reps Treatments
## 1   1   1    1       4
## 2   1   2    1      29
## 3   1   3    1      25
## 4   1   4    1      22
## 5   1   5    1       3
## 6   1   6    1      10
```