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Application fields

Mathematics, science and technology

Biochemistry (genomics)

Electrical engineering (communication networks and coding theory)

Computer science (algorithm and computation)

Operations research (scheduling)

Social science

Marketing

Economics

Finance

In Biology

- Identifying and modelling the structure of bio-molecular networks

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In Biology

Systems-level insights into cellular regulation: inferring, analysing, and modelling intracellular networks

- **Author(s):** C. Christensen ; J. Thakar ; R. Albert
- **Source:** [IET Systems Biology, Volume 1, Issue 2](#), p. 61 –77
- **DOI:** [10.1049/iet-syb:20060071](#)
- **Type:** Article

Graph theory and networks in Biology

- **Author(s):** O. Mason and M. Verwoerd
- **Source:** [IET Systems Biology, Volume 1, Issue 2](#), p. 89 –119
- **DOI:** [10.1049/iet-syb:20060038](#)
- **Type:** Article

Efficient algorithms for ordinary differential equation model identification of biological systems

- **Author(s):** P. Gennemark and D. Wedelin
- **Source:** [IET Systems Biology, Volume 1, Issue 2](#), p. 120 –129
- **DOI:** [10.1049/iet-syb:20050098](#)
- **Type:** Article

Analysis of lactose metabolism in E.coli using reachability analysis of hybrid systems

- **Author(s):** Á. Halász ; V. Kumar ; M. Imieliński ; C. Belta ; O. Sokolsky ; S. Pathak ; H. Rubin
- **Source:** [IET Systems Biology, Volume 1, Issue 2](#), p. 130 –148
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In Physics & Chemistry

In [condensed matter physics](#), the three-dimensional structure of complicated simulated atomic structures can be studied quantitatively by gathering statistics on graph-theoretic properties related to the topology of the atoms.

Also, "the [Feynman graphs and rules of calculation](#) summarize [quantum field theory](#) in a form in close contact with the experimental numbers one wants to understand.

In [statistical physics](#), graphs can represent local connections between interacting parts of a system, as well as the dynamics of a physical process on such systems.

In chemistry a graph makes a natural model for a molecule, where vertices represent [atoms](#) and edges [bonds](#). This approach is especially used in computer processing of molecular structures, ranging from [chemical editors](#) to database searching.

Graphs are also used to represent the micro-scale channels of [porous media](#), in which the vertices represent the pores and the edges represent the smaller channels connecting the pores.

[Chemical graph theory](#) uses the [molecular graph](#) as a means to model molecules. Graphs and networks are excellent models to study and understand phase transitions and critical phenomena. Removal of nodes or edges leads to a critical transition where the network breaks into small clusters which is studied as a phase transition. This breakdown is studied via [percolation theory](#).

In Neuroscience

In [computational neuroscience](#) graphs can be used to represent functional connections between brain areas that interact to give rise to various cognitive processes, where the vertices represent different areas of the brain and the edges represent the connections between those areas.

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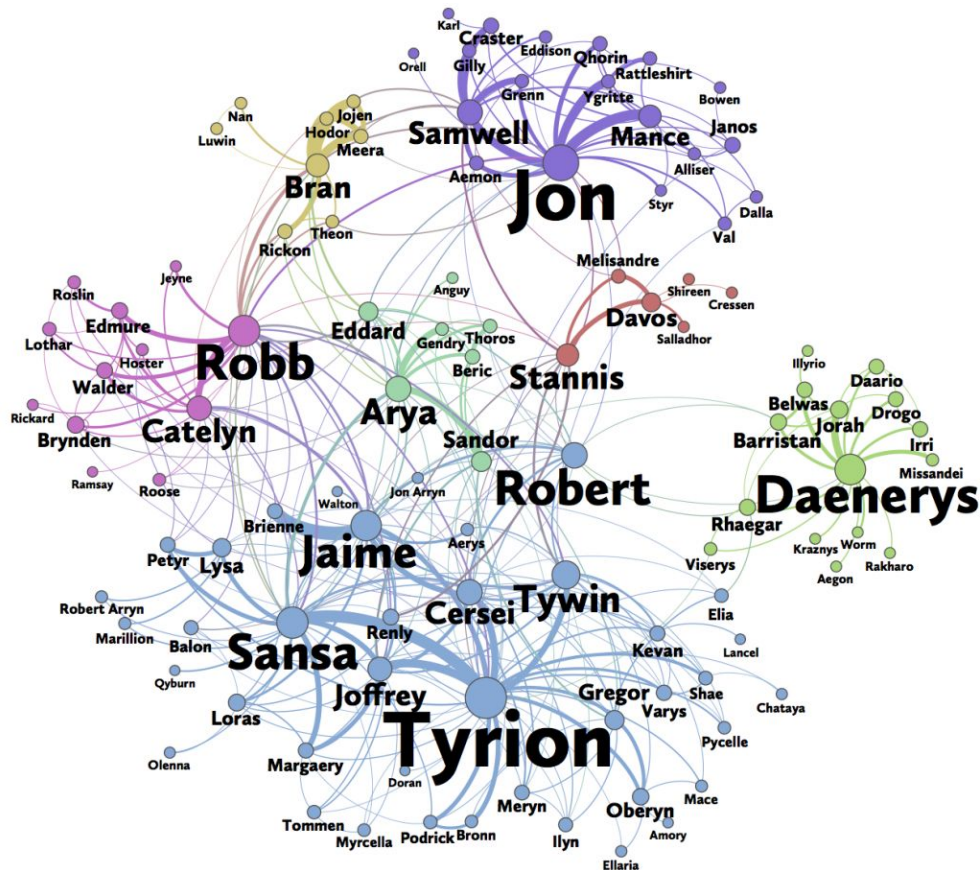
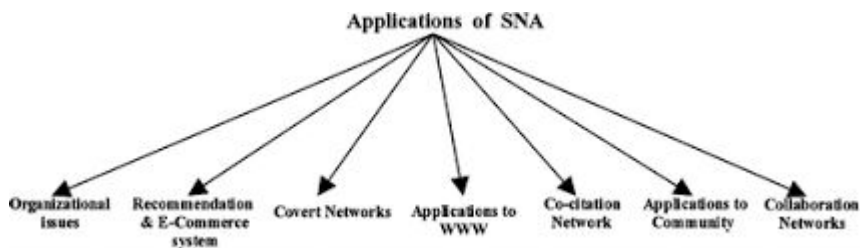
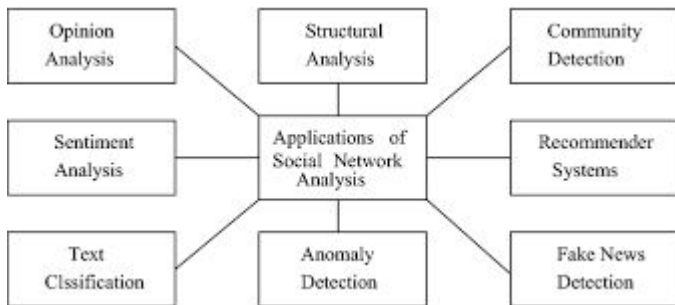
In social science

Social network analysis

Social network analysis (SNA) is the process of investigating social structures through the use of [networks](#) and [graph theory](#). It characterizes networked structures in terms of *nodes* (individual actors, people, or things within the network) and the *ties*, *edges*, or *links* (relationships or interactions) that connect them.

Can include [social media networks](#), [memes spread](#), [information circulation](#), [friendship and acquaintance networks](#), [business networks](#), [knowledge networks](#), [difficult working relationships](#), [social networks](#), [collaboration graphs](#), [kinship](#), [disease transmission](#), and [sexual relationships](#).

Social network analysis has emerged as a key technique in modern [sociology](#). It has also gained significant popularity in the following - [anthropology](#), [biology](#), [demography](#), [communication studies](#), [economics](#), [geography](#), [history](#), [information science](#), [organizational studies](#), [political science](#), public health, [social psychology](#), [development studies](#), [sociolinguistics](#), and [computer science](#) and is now commonly available as a consumer tool.



Game of thrones example

In social science

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