

$$dh(x) = b^c$$

# Random Graphs: *Block Partitions and Embeddings*

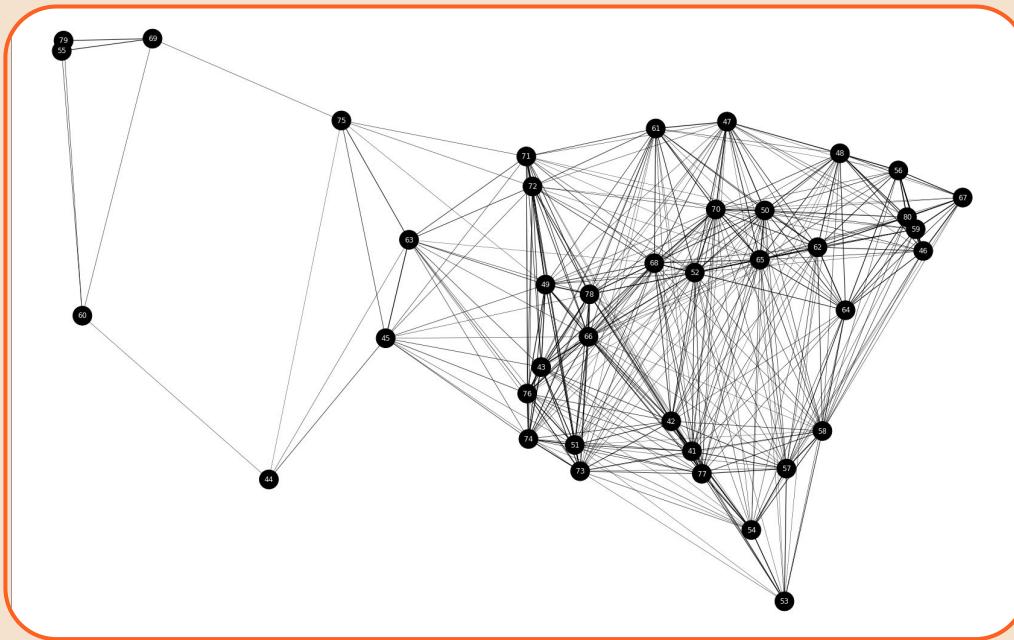
## Team 2

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# Provided Data

- 40 cities (41~80) from SGB128 dataset
- 780 weighted edges
- We use Python for our project, using **networkx** package to load the data into matrices and graphs



# I. Random Graph Model Testing

# Clique Calculation & Estimation

- **Goal:** estimate the number of  $k$ -cliques under two different models of random graphs
- Sort edges descending by weight
- For each set of  $k$  largest edges, create a graph and compute:
  - Actual # of 3- and 4-cliques
  - Estimated # of 3- and 4-cliques under:
    - Erdos-Renyi (ER) random graph model
    - Symmetric Stochastic Block Model (SSBM)
- Find exponential fit for each; compare

# Clique Calculation & Estimation

- Actual # of 3- and 4-cliques: We check all edges and nodes
- Estimated # of 3 - and 4-Cliques:

Erdös-Rényi (ER):

- MLE Estimator:

$$P_{MLE} = \frac{m}{\binom{n}{2}} = \frac{2m}{n(n-1)}$$

- Estimated # of q-cliques:

$$E[q-cliques] = \binom{n}{2} p^{\frac{q(q-1)}{2}}$$

Symmetric Stochastic Block Model (SSBM)

- a\_MLE:

$$a_{MLE} = \frac{2(m_{11} + m_{22})}{n_1(n_1 - 1) + n_2(n_2 - 1)}$$

- b\_MLE:

$$b_{MLE} = \frac{m_{12}}{n_1 n_2}$$

- a\_MM & b\_MM:

$$a_{MM} = b_{MM} = \frac{1}{2}(c_1 + \sqrt[3]{2c_2 - c_1^3})$$

- Algo (1) & (2):

$$p = \frac{2m}{n(n-1)}, \delta = \frac{6t}{n(n-1)(n-2)} - p^3$$

$$A_1 = \max(0, 2p - 1), A_2 = \min(1, 2p)$$

$$P(A_1) = (A_1 - p)^3 - \delta, P(A_2) = (A_2 - p)^3 - \delta.$$

- a\_CMM & b\_CMM:

$$a_{CMM} = p + \sqrt[3]{\delta}, b_{CMM} = p - \sqrt[3]{\delta}$$

# Clique Calculation & Estimation

- Actual # of 3- and 4-cliques: iterative approach

```
def count_3_4_cliques(G, num_3_4_cliques, new_edge):  
    a, b, *data = new_edge  
    # 3 cliques  
    adj_a = neighbors(G,a)  
    adj_b = neighbors(G,b)  
    all_c = adj_a & adj_b # intersection of neighbors  
    num_3_4_cliques[3] += len(all_c)  
    # 4 cliques  
    all_d = [v for c in all_c for v in neighbors(G,c)  
            if v in all_c]  
    num_3_4_cliques[4] += len(all_d)//2  
  
    # return  
    G.add_edge(a, b)  
    return G, num_3_4_cliques
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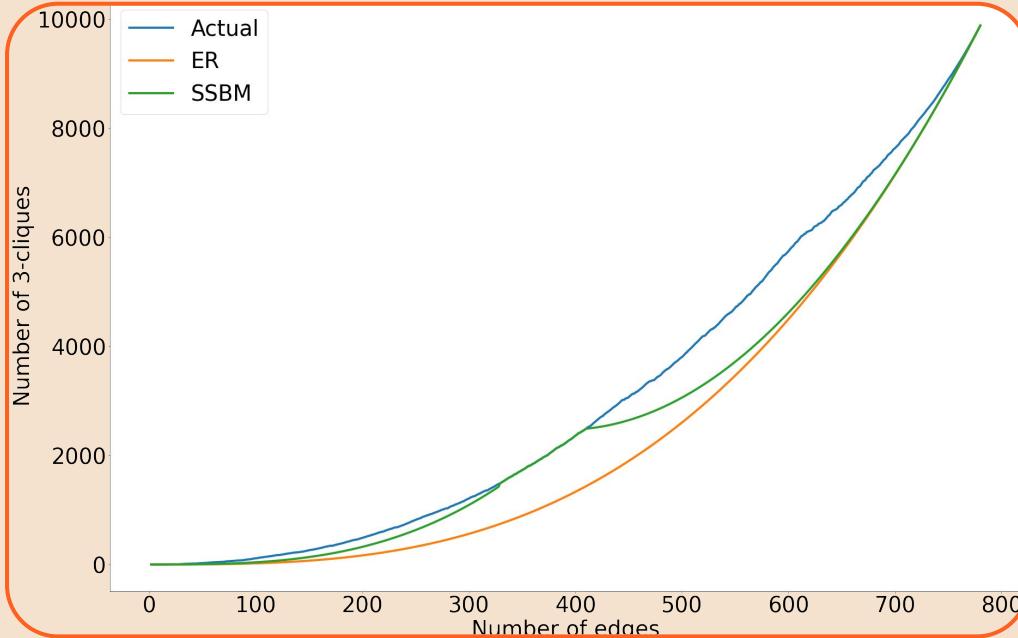
Appends the new edge to the previous edges and updates the prev\_cliques structure accordingly.

For a new edge (a,b), check for all nodes c such that (a,b) and (a,c) are already in the graph, and append those to Counter.

Also check for all nodes c and d such that (a,c), (c,d), and (d,b) are in the graph, and append those to the new Counter.

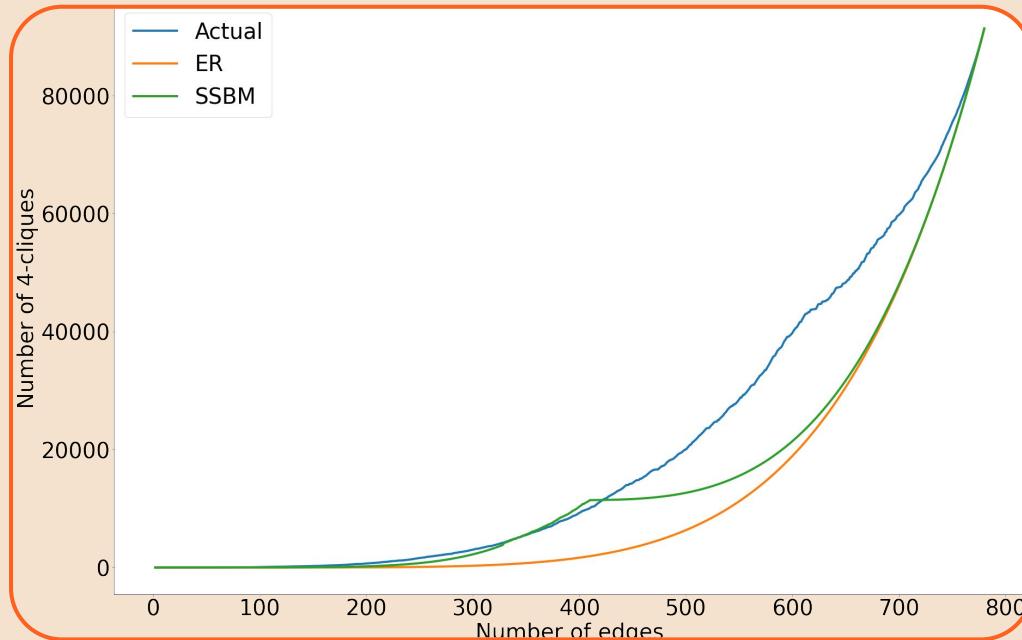
# 3-cliques

- ER under-estimates
- SSBM only fits well in specific region (350 - 450 nodes); we expect it to fit everywhere



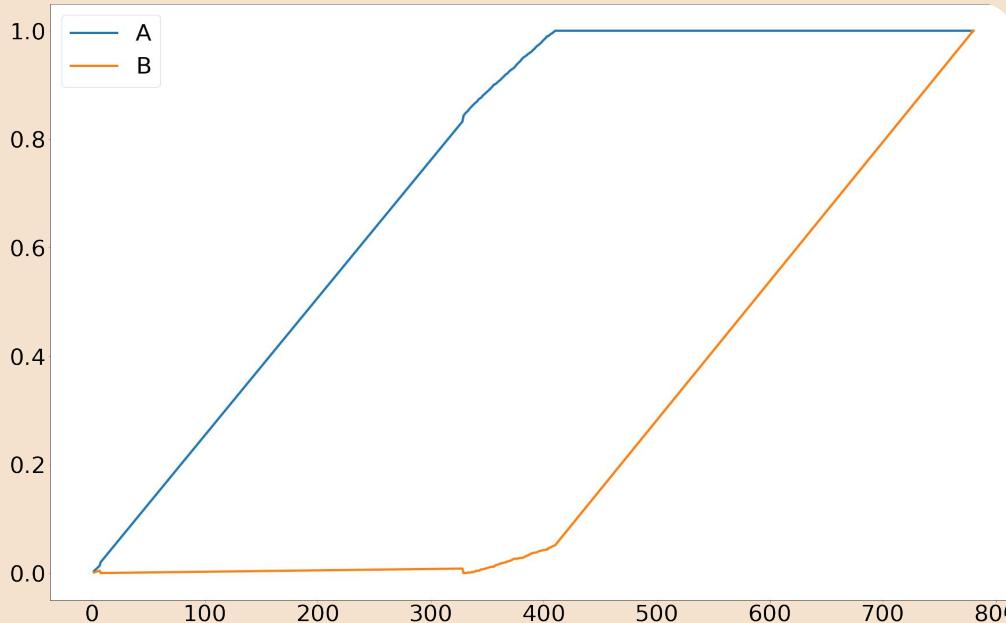
# 4-cliques

- ER under-estimates
- SSBM fits pretty well in the early stages (~410), but after that it fits dramatically bad with the actual 4-cliques



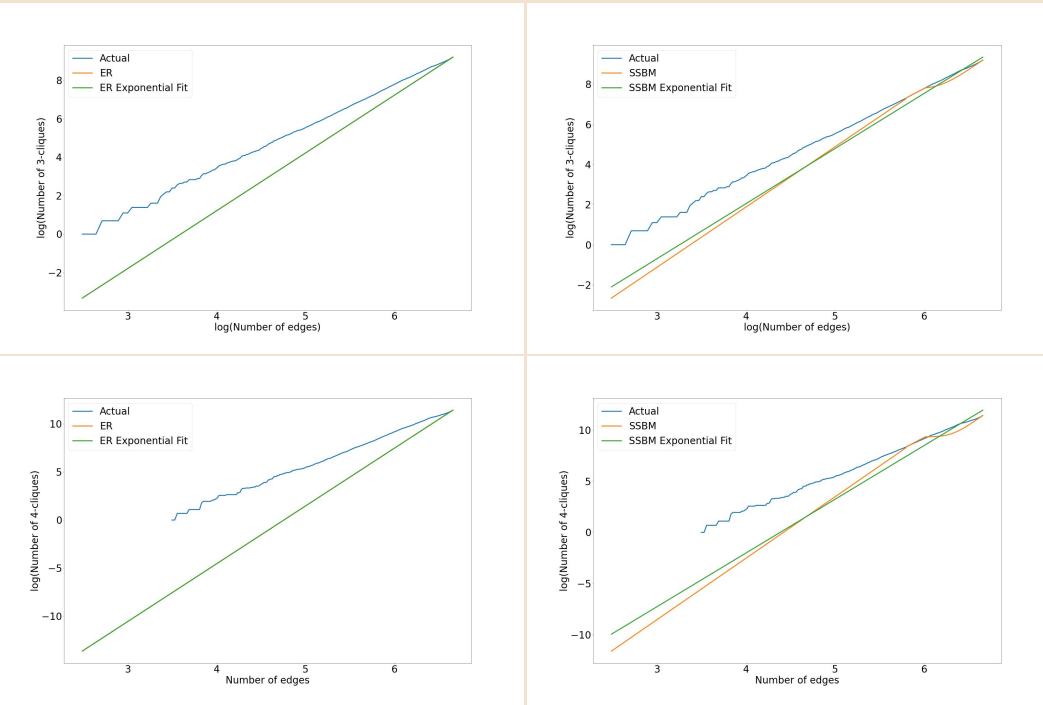
# Estimated $a$ & $b$ for SSBM

- $b$  near 0 before 325 edges
- $a$  equals 1 after 410 edges
- Only in the middle do  $a$  &  $b$  have meaningful values



# Exponential Fits

- ER exponential fit matches perfectly, as expected
- SSBM exponential fit with slight error, but overall fit matches well
- By looking at the graphs, SSBM model seems to fit slightly better



# Comparing Approximations

- SSBM showed lower MSE for both 3- and 4-cliques, so it's the better approx.
- Skip first few edge sets b/c there are no 3-cliques / 4-cliques in those;  $\log(0)$  is undefined

# cliques	ER	SSBM
3	$6.3 \cdot 10^5$	$1.2 \cdot 10^5$
4	$3.8 \cdot 10^8$	$4.0 \cdot 10^7$

Mean squared error of ER and SSBM  $k$ -clique estimates

## II. Community Detection

# Community Detection

- **Goal:** partition nodes into two communities using multiple methods
- Apply spectral methods using:
  - Weight matrix ( $W$ )
  - Laplacian matrix ( $\Delta$ )
  - Normalized Laplacian matrix ( $\Delta^{\text{hat}}$ )
- Compute agreement between communities from these methods

# Community Detection

- We use the networkx package to load our data into matrices and graphs
- Apply the different spectral algorithms with  $W$ ,  $\Delta$ ,  $\Delta^{\text{hat}}$
- Compute the agreement matrix between these partitions

.	Weight	Laplacian	Normalized Laplacian
Weight	40	23	21
Laplacian	23	40	24
Normalized Laplacian	21	24	40

- Visualization for each algorithm
  - Draw edges according to the adjacency matrix  $A$
  - Draw edges according to the weight matrix  $W$

# Spectral Algorithm with ...

- ❖ With Weight (W):
  - Compute the second largest eigenpair of  $A : (f_2, \mu_2)$ , with  $Wf_2 = \mu_2 f_2$ .
  - Define the partition  $\Omega_1 = \{k : f_2(k) > 0\}$ ,  $\Omega_2 = \{k : f_2(k) \leq 0\}$ . Set  $d = 2$ .
- ❖ With Weighted Laplacian ( $\Delta$ ):
  - Compute the weighted graph Laplacian  $\Delta = D - A$ , with  $D = \text{Diag}(A \cdot 1)$ .
  - Compute the second smallest eigenpair:  $(e_1, \lambda_1)$ , with  $\Delta e_1 = \lambda_1 e_1$  and  $\lambda_1 > 0 = \lambda_0$ .
  - Define the partition  $\Omega_1 = \{k : e_1(k) > 0\}$ ,  $\Omega_2 = \{k : e_1(k) \leq 0\}$ . Set  $d = 2$ .
- ❖ With Normalized Weighted Laplacian ( $\Delta^{\text{hat}}$ ):
  - Compute the symmetric normalized weighted graph Laplacian  $\Delta^{\text{hat}} = I - D^{-1/2}AD^{-1/2}$ , with  $D = \text{Diag}(A \cdot 1)$ .
  - Compute the second smallest eigenpair:  $(e_1, \lambda_1)$ , with  $\Delta^{\text{hat}} e_1 = \lambda_1 e_1$  and  $\lambda_1 > 0 = \lambda_0$ .
  - Define the partition  $\Omega_1 = \{k : e_1(k) > 0\}$ ,  $\Omega_2 = \{k : e_1(k) \leq 0\}$ . Set  $d = 2$ .

# Partitions

<u>Weight</u>	$\{0, 1, 2, 4, 7, 8, 9, 39, 11, 12, 13, 15, 17, 21, 23, 25, 26, 28\}$	$\{3, 5, 6, 10, 14, 16, 18, 19, 20, 22, 24, 27, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38\}$
<u>Laplacian</u>	$\{32, 33, 2, 3, 4, 34, 37, 39, 9, 10, 11, 12, 16, 17, 18, 24, 25, 28\}$	$\{0, 1, 5, 6, 7, 8, 13, 14, 15, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 26, 27, 29, 30, 31, 35, 36, 38\}$
<u>Norm. Laplacian</u>	$\{0, 2, 34, 36, 5, 37, 7, 38, 11, 14, 15, 16, 17, 19, 20, 21, 23, 30\}$	$\{1, 3, 4, 6, 8, 9, 10, 12, 13, 18, 22, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 31, 32, 33, 35, 39\}$

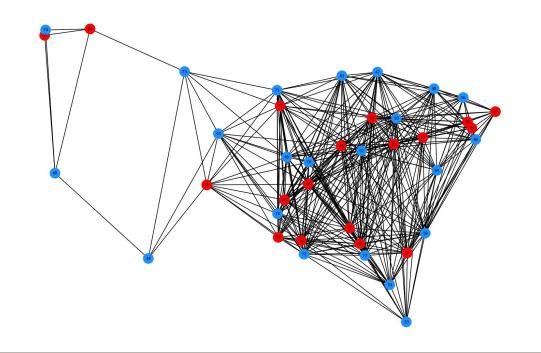
# Agreement Matrix

- Quite low partition agreement between different methods (slightly above random chance)

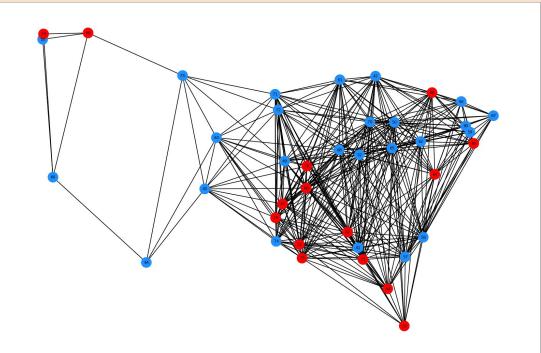
	<u>Weight</u>	<u>Laplacian</u>	<u>Norm. Laplacian</u>
<u>Weight</u>	100%	57.5%	52.5%
<u>Laplacian</u>	57.5%	100%	60%
<u>Norm. Laplacian</u>	52.5%	60%	100%

# Visualization

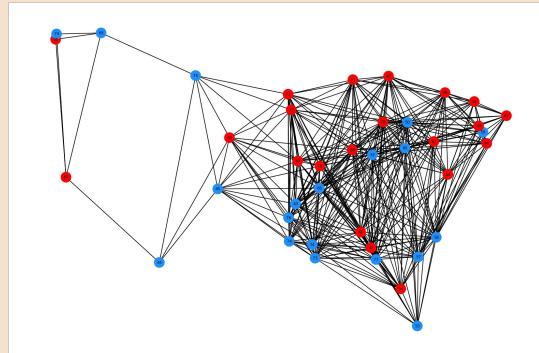
## – Adjacency Matrix A



Weighted



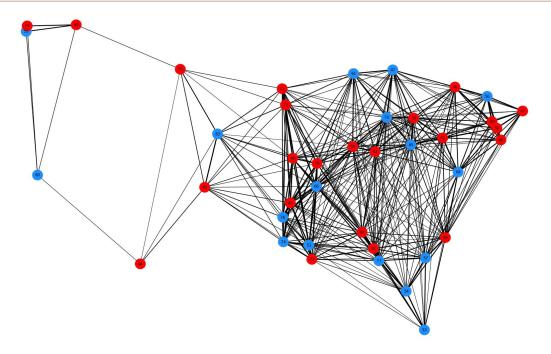
Normalized  
Laplacian



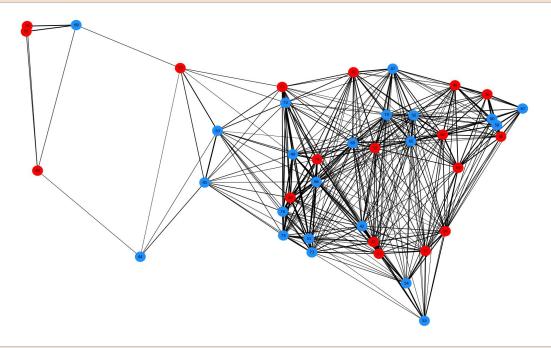
Laplacian

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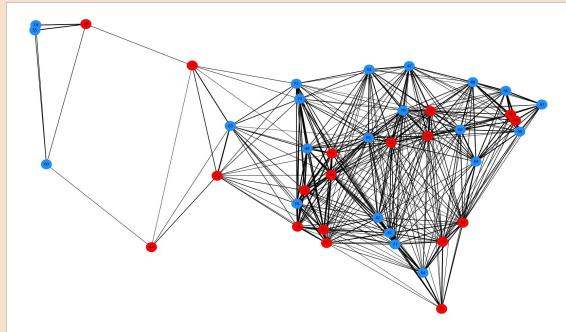
– Weight Matrix  $W$



Weighted



Normalized  
Laplacian



Laplacian

### III. Data Embedding

# Data Embedding

- **Goal:** Find a lower-dimensional representation of the graph using multiple methods
- Apply two embedding algorithms:
  1. Laplacian Eigenmap data embedding, target dimension 2
  2. LLE dimension reduction after Laplacian Eigenmap data embedding:
    - Laplacian Eigenmap data embedding algorithm,  $N = 10$
    - LLE algorithm with non-negativity constraints on previous step ( $d = 2$ ;  $K = 4$ )

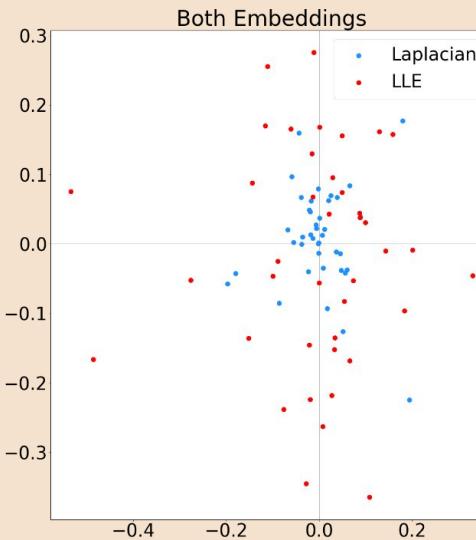
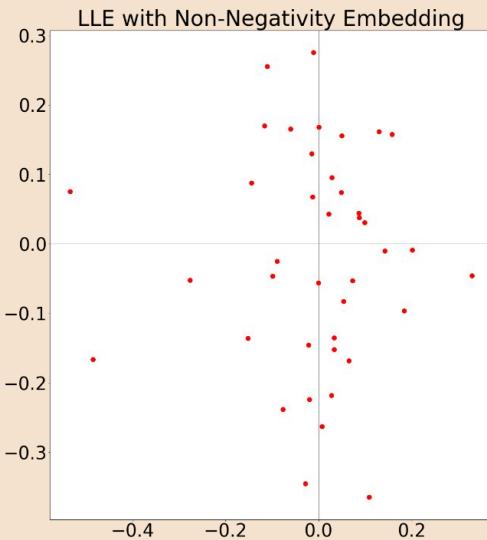
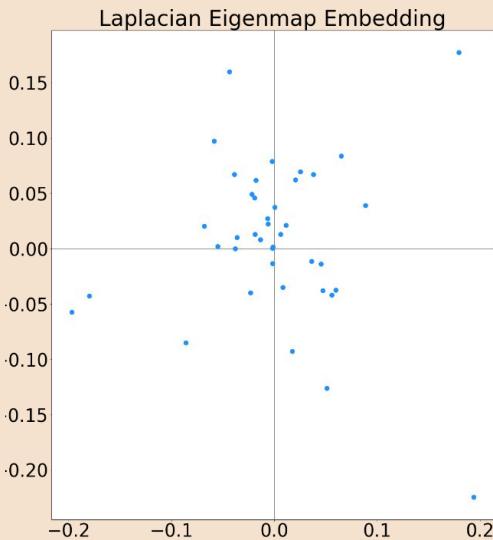
# Laplacian Eigenmap

- 1) Construct the diagonal matrix  $D = \text{diag}(D_{ii})_{1 \leq i \leq n}$ , where  $D_{ii} = \sum_{k=1}^n W_{i,k}$
- 2) Construct the normalized Laplacian  $\Delta^{\text{hat}} = I - D^{-1/2}WD^{-1/2}$ .
- 3) Compute the bottom  $d + 1$  eigenvectors  $e_1, \dots, e_{d+1}$ ,  $\Delta^{\text{hat}}e_k = \lambda_k e_k$ ,  
 $0 = \lambda_1 \leq \dots \leq \lambda_{d+1}$ .
- 4) Construct the  $d \times n$  matrix  $Y$ ,  $Y = [e_2^T \dots e_{d+1}^T]^T D^{-1/2}$
- 5) The new geometric graph is obtained by converting the columns of  $Y$  into  $n$   $d$ -dimensional vectors:  $[y_1 \dots y_n] = Y$

# Local Linear Embedding (LLE)

- 1) Finding the weight matrix B: For each point  $i$  do the following:
  - a) Find its closest  $K$  neighbors, say  $V_i$ ; Let  $r : V_i \rightarrow \{1, 2, \dots, K\}$  denote indexing map
  - b) Compute the  $K \times K$  local covariance matrix  $C$ ,  $C_{r(j), r(k)} = \langle x_j - x_i, x_k - x_i \rangle$
  - c) Solve for  $u$ , minimize  $u^T C u$ , subject to  $u \geq 0$ ,  $u^T \cdot 1 = 1$  where  $1$  denotes the  $K$ -vector of 1's.
  - d) Set  $B_{i,j} = u_{r(j)}$  for  $j \in V_i$ .
- 2) Solving the Eigen Problem:
  - a) Create the (typically sparse) matrix  $L = (I - B)^T(I - B)$ ;
  - b) Find the bottom  $d + 1$  eigenvectors of  $L$  (the bottom eigenvector would be  $[1, \dots, 1]^T$  associated to eigenvalue 0)  $\{e_1, e_2, \dots, e_{d+1}\}$ ;
  - c) Discard the last vector (the constant eigenvector) and insert all other eigenvectors as rows into matrix  $Y$ ,  $Y = [e_1^T \dots e_{d+1}^T]^T$

# Embeddings



# Issues Encountered

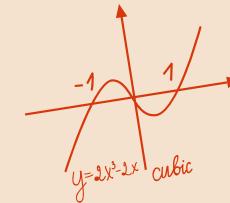
- Part I
  - Calculating the 3- and 4- cliques: naive approach would take days to finish; ended up using iterative method
  - Got complex estimated values for cliques when  $k$  is low
  - Aforementioned weirdness with SSBM
- Part II
  - Possible errors in implementations
- Part III
  - Hard to implement algorithms properly; making sure dimensions align properly

# Thanks !

*Do you have any questions?*

$$d = \frac{x^4 + 4(s^1)(s^2) + ab \div c^2(h)}{x^2(x^1s^1 + s^2xy + c)}$$

Part 1 Code & Graphs: Adam  
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