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## **1 Introduction**

## **2 The Model**

The initial world's configuration is given by the instantiation of  $N$  Users. The Users live in a world with  $C$  companies and are provided with a set of opinions, one for each company. The specific opinion is a positive integer which ranges from 0 to  $R - 1$ , let  $R$  denote the opinion range. Each User is denoted by an inclination  $I \in \{-1, 0, 1\}$  which represents its average opinion along the companies. The  $-1, 0$ , and  $1$  values denote respectively a "bad", "neutral" and "good" average opinion.

The simulation is made up by a series of  $D$  temporal steps which we call days. On the first day the Users' opinions are randomly initialized. On each day the Users influence each other by one-to-one interactions in which opinions can be exchanged. Each User has a degree  $k$  which is the number of Users with which he can interact during the day.

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