

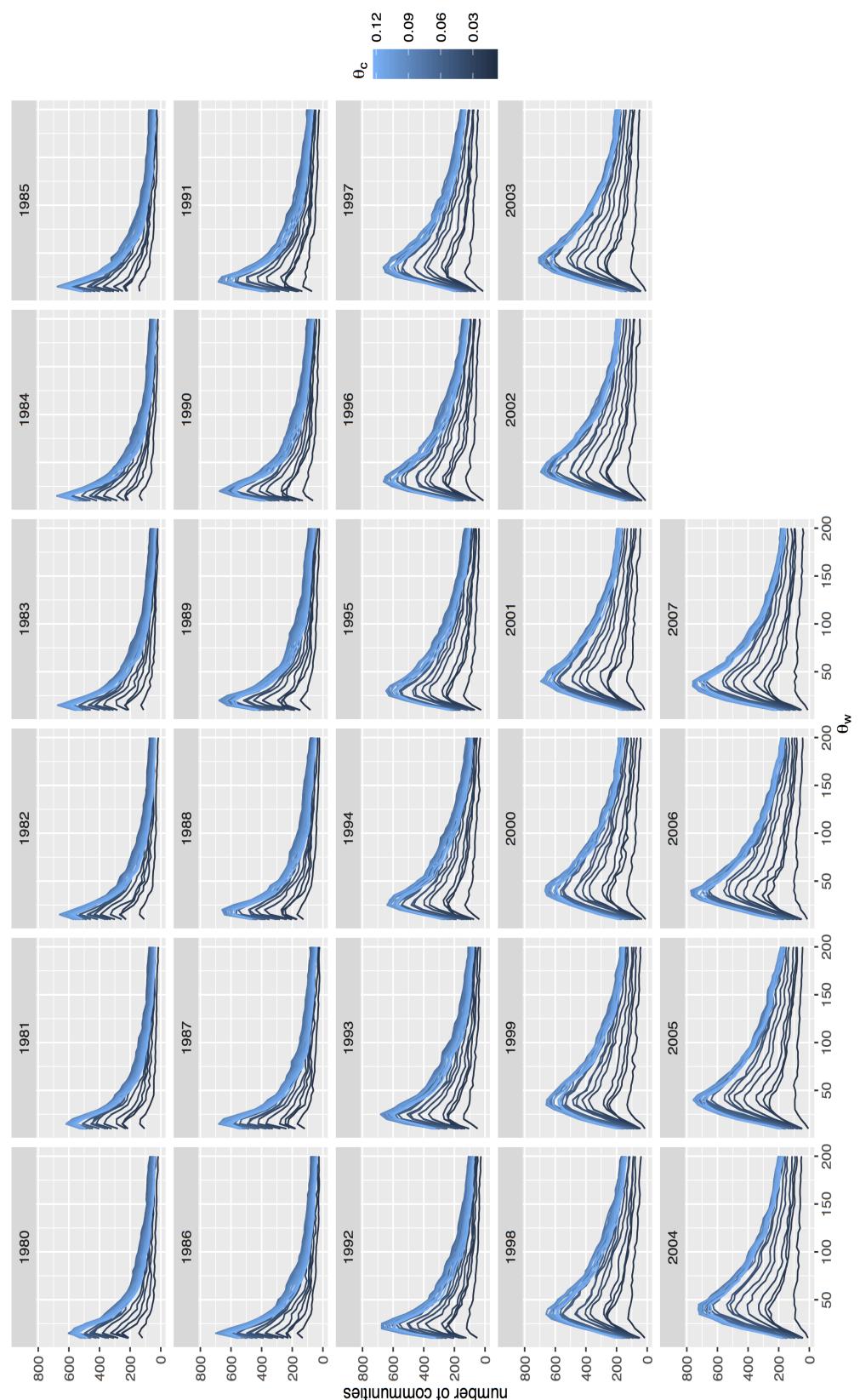
## S4 Text : Network Sensitivity Analysis

### Network Sensitivity

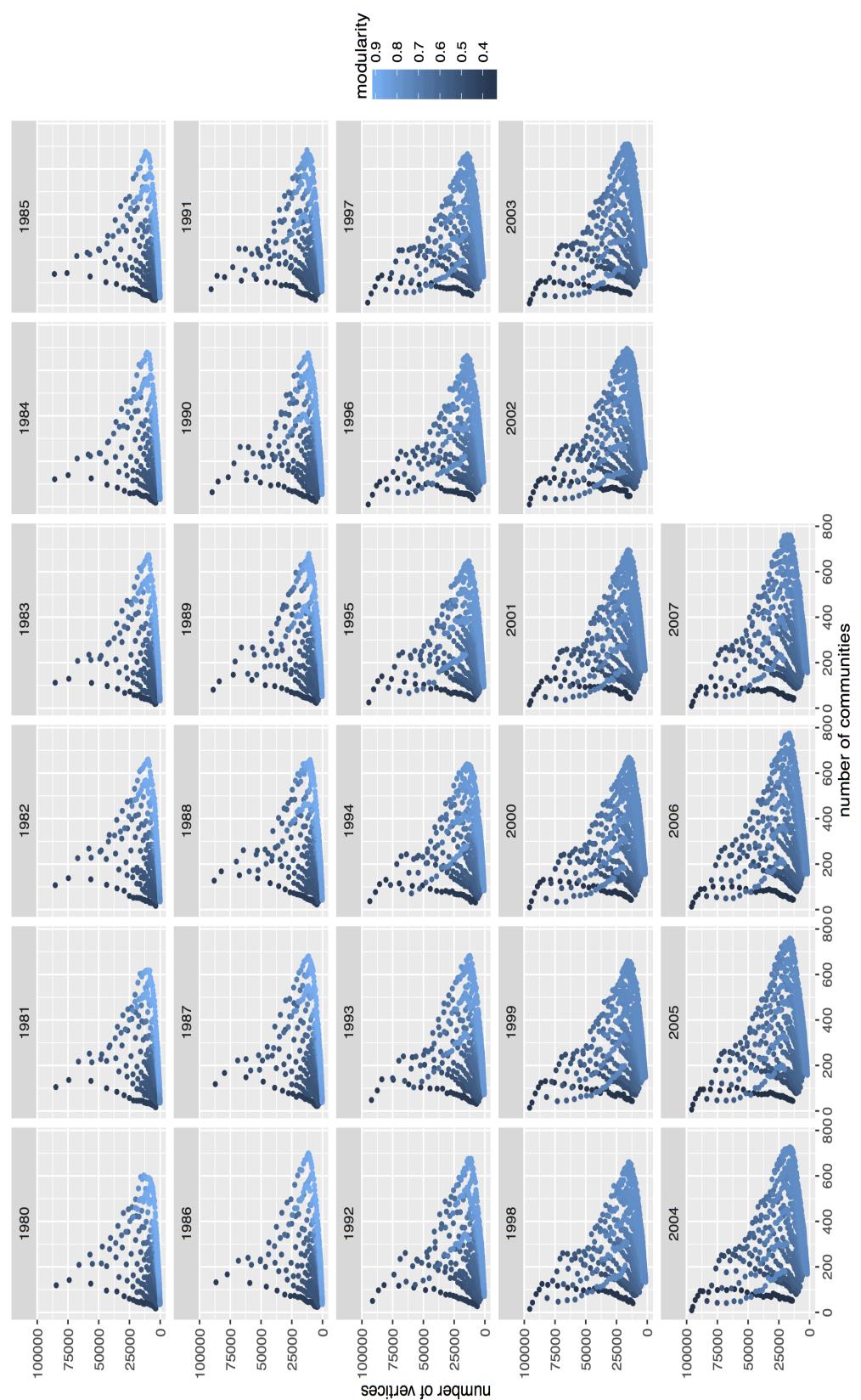
The example of Fig.1 in main text for a given year yielded the same qualitative behavior for all years, as shown in Fig. 1, 2 and 3 here. We also show an other point of view over the Pareto optimization, that is the third plot giving the values of normalized objectives as a function of  $\theta_c$ .

### Time-window size sensitivity

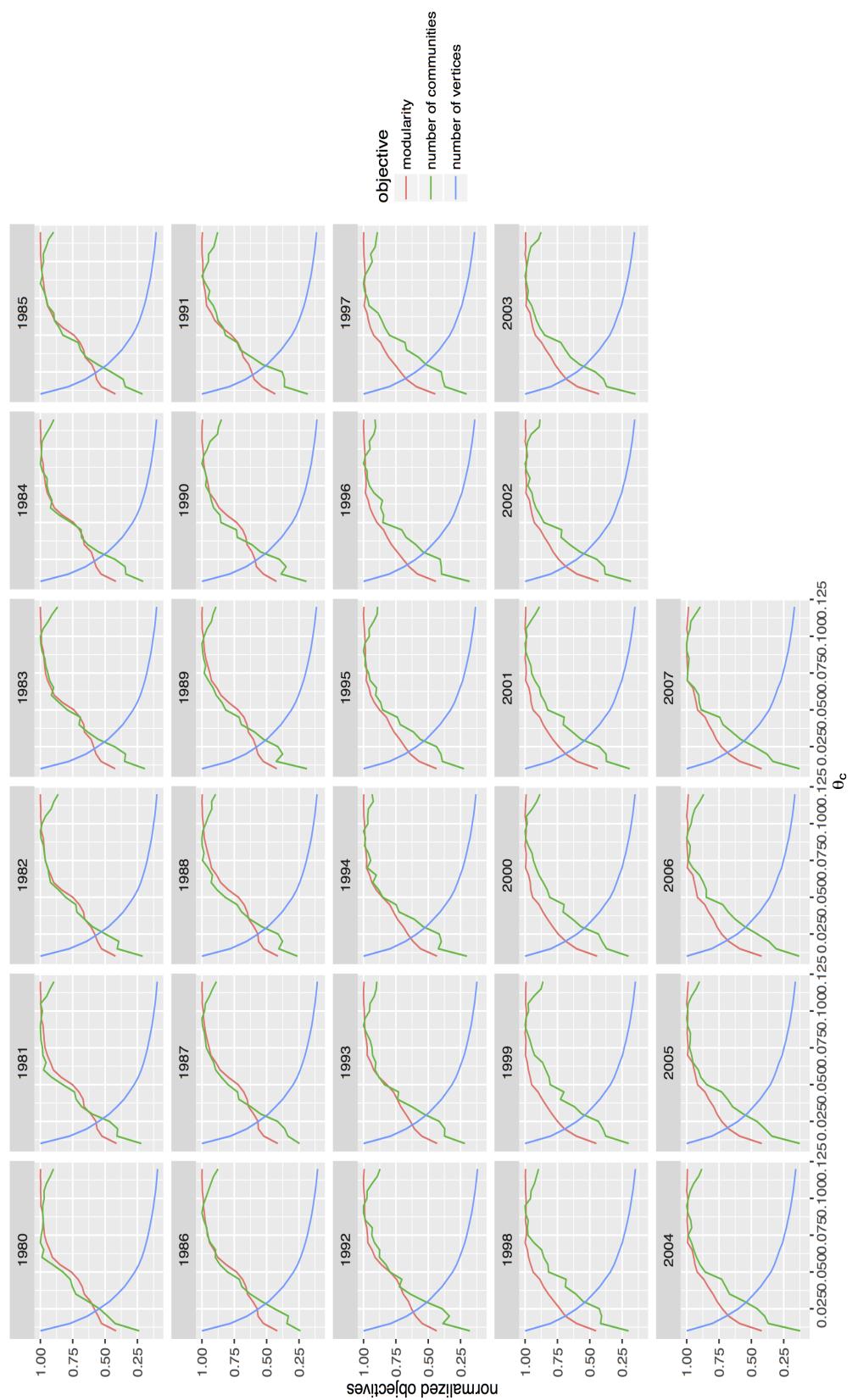
We show in Fig. 4, 5 and 6 the sensitivity plots used for semantic network construction optimization, for a different time window with  $T_0 = 2$ . The same qualitative behavior is observed (with different quantitative values, as typically  $\theta_w^{(0)}$  is for example expected to vary with document number and semantic regime, thus with window size), what confirms that the method is valid across different time windows.



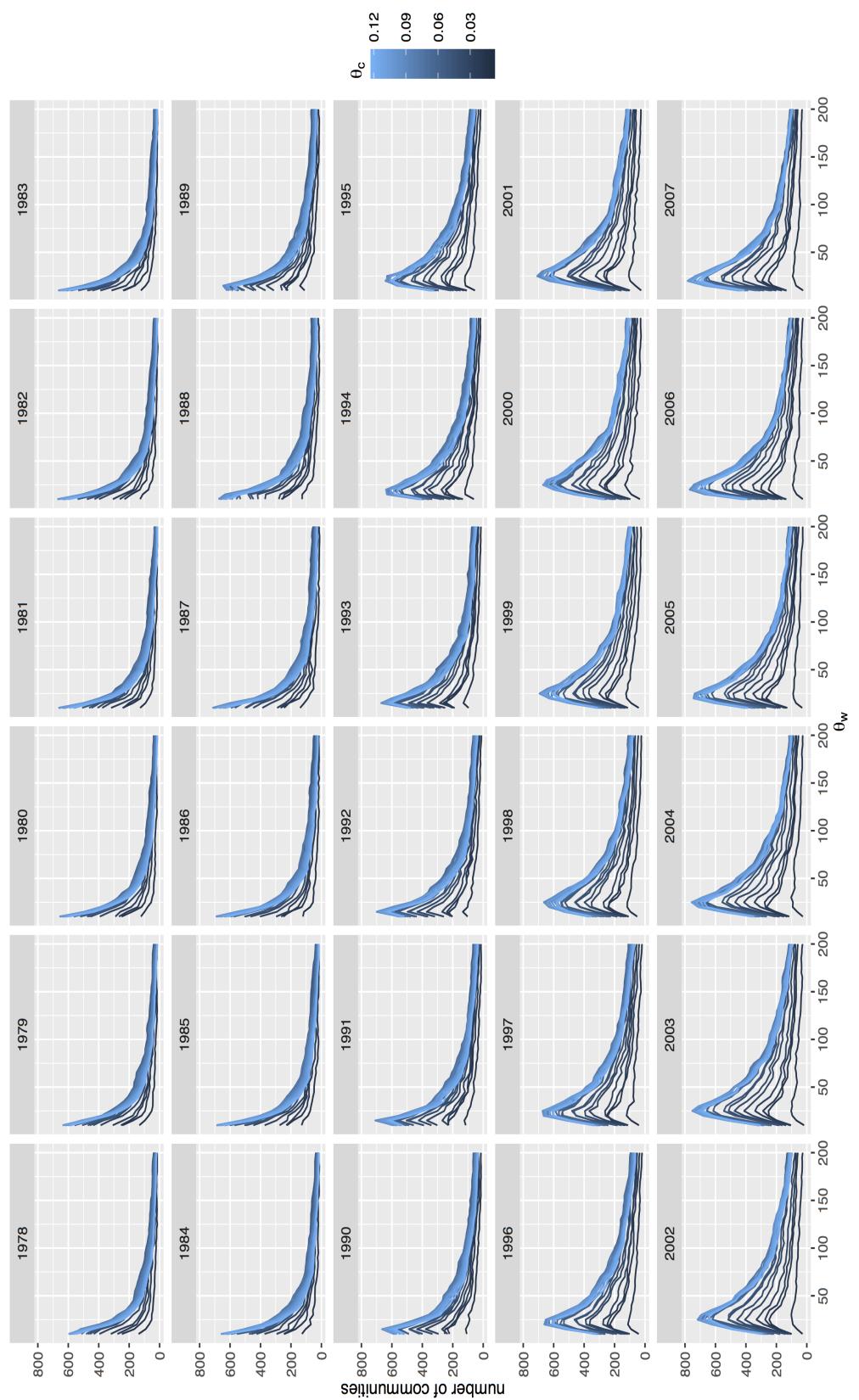
**Figure 1.** Sensitivity plots for  $T_0 = 4$  : Number of communities as a function of  $\theta_w$ , for each year.



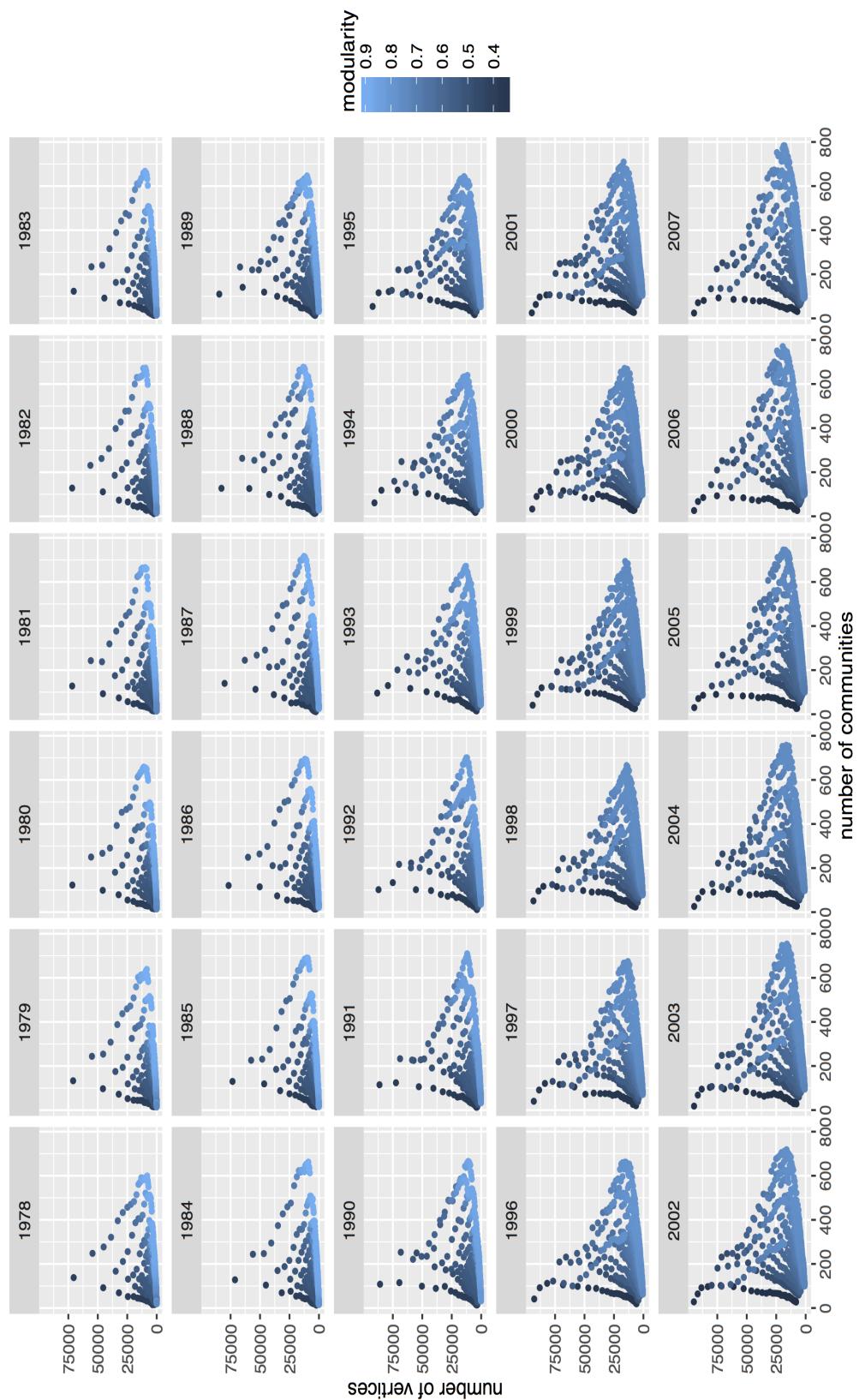
**Figure 2.** Sensitivity plots for  $T_0 = 4$  : Pareto plots of number of communities and number of vertices, for each year.



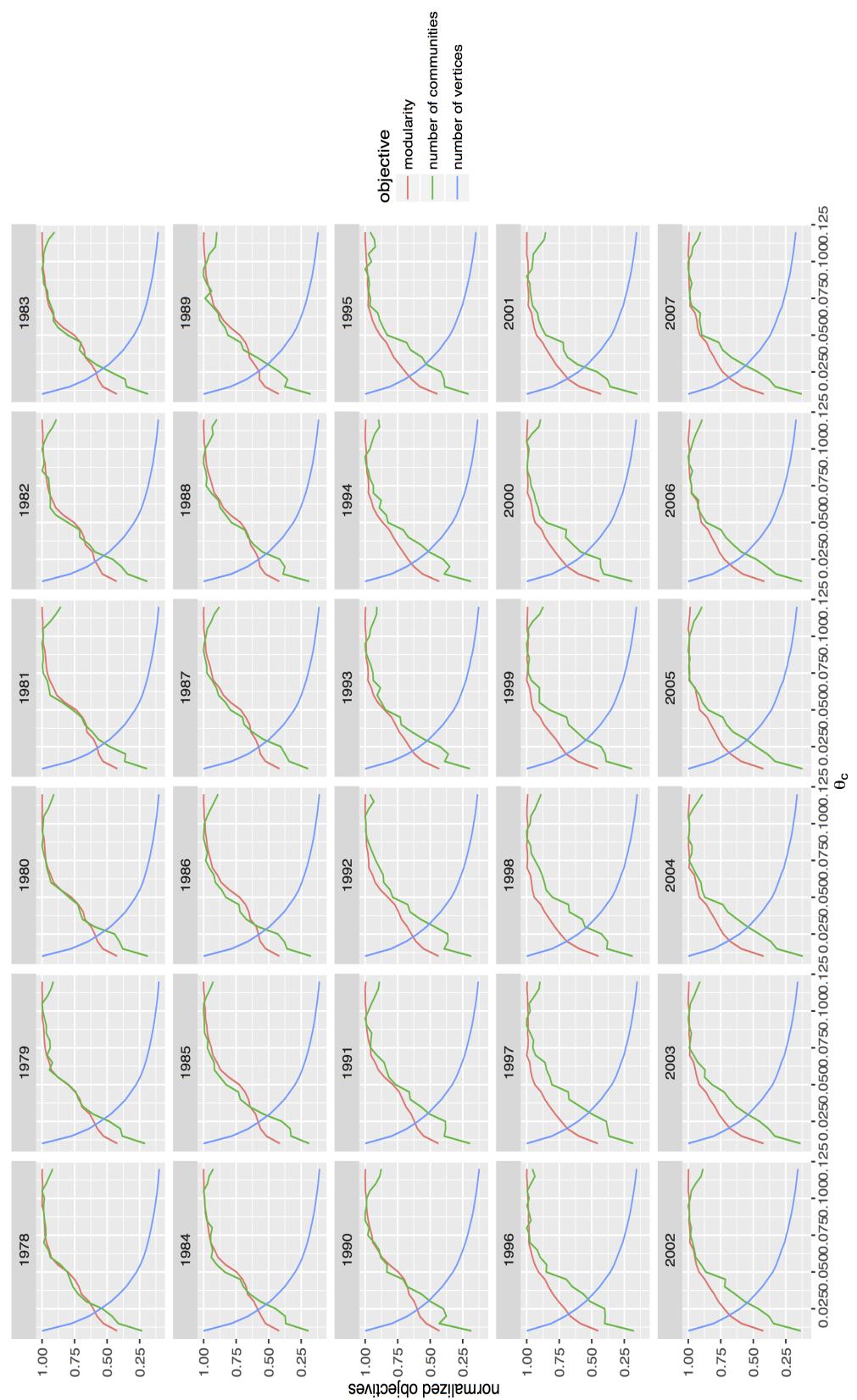
**Figure 3.** Sensitivity plots for  $T_0 = 4$  : normalized objective as a function of  $\theta_c$ , for each year.



**Figure 4.** Sensitivity plots for  $T_0 = 2$  : Number of communities as a function of  $\theta_w$ , for each year.



**Figure 5.** Sensitivity plots for  $T_0 = 2$  : Pareto plots of number of communities and number of vertices, for each year.



**Figure 6.** Sensitivity plots for  $T_0 = 2$  : normalized objective as a function of  $\theta_c$ , for each year.