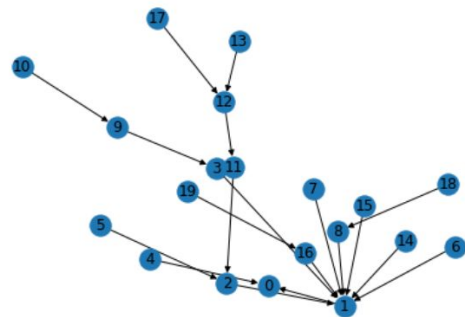


# Identification of critical connectors in the directed reaction-centric graphs of microbial metabolic networks



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Predicting Essential Reactions  
Using Network Centrality  
Metrics



# Methods

**Goal-**Create and find a model based off network statistics to predict the essentiality of a node in a metabolic reactions-centric graph.

**Data-** 5 Network from the paper : Thanks Group 5 for Essential Reaction Data!

*E. coli* , *B. subtilis*, *G. metallireducens*, *K. pneumoniae* , and *S.cerevisiae* .

**Aim1-**Use Logistic Regression, SVM, and Random Forest to try and predict the essentiality of a node based on several centrality/graph metrics.

**Aim2** - Perform PCA and determine if Dimension Reduction can give us a better idea into if essentiality can be predicted with our data.

# Trying to Model Essential Reactions

8 x 1 sparse Matrix of class "dgCMatrix"

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      1
(Intercept)      -1.4207506
k_total           .
BetweennessCentrality 12.7724577
ClusteringCoeff   .
Bridge            .
BridgingCentrality .
CascadeNum        0.2390955
EigenCentrality   .
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Model Type	Accuracy
LogR: BC+CN	62%
LogR: BC*CN	62%
SVM: BC+CN	57%
RF: BC+CN	64%

Coefficients:

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      Estimate Std. Error z value Pr(>|z|)
(Intercept)    -1.76598    0.05015  -35.214 < 2e-16 ***
BetweennessCentrality 28.85829    4.49544   6.419 1.37e-10 ***
CascadeNum       0.31835    0.02973   10.709 < 2e-16 ***
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Signif. codes: 0 '\*\*\*' 0.001 '\*\*' 0.01 '\*' 0.05 '.' 0.1 ' ' 1

Call:

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randomForest(formula = EssentialReaction ~ BetweennessCentrality + CascadeNum, data = train)
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Type of random forest: regression

Number of trees: 500

No. of variables tried at each split: 1

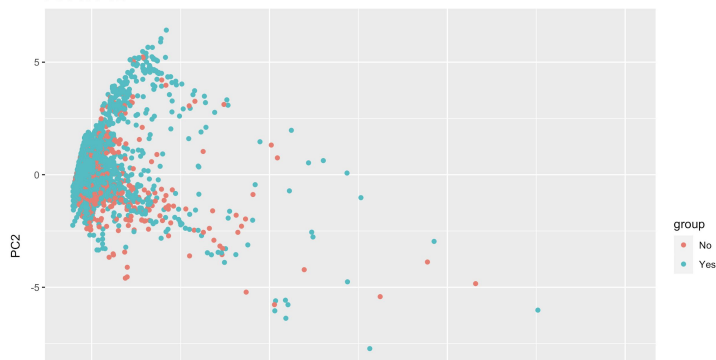
Mean of squared residuals: 0.1403682

% Var explained: 9.04

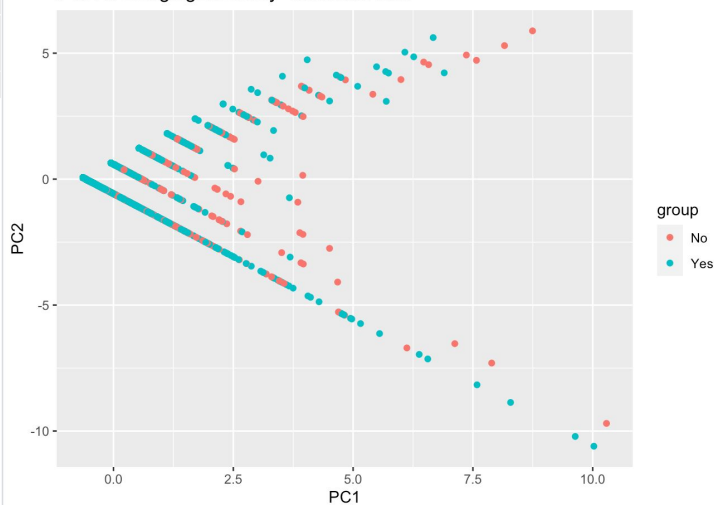
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RMSE      Rsquared      MAE
0.4205174  0.04116118  0.2149807
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# PCA plots of Essential Reactions+ Reflection

PC1 vs PC2



PCA of BridgingCentrality+CascadeNum



	BetweennessCentrality	CascadeNum	Essential
229	2.451889e-04	0	Yes
230	2.328977e-03	0	Yes
231	2.451889e-04	0	Yes
232	4.958115e-03	0	No
233	5.366426e-03	0	Yes
234	3.945265e-03	0	Yes
235	8.849893e-04	1	Yes
236	5.680689e-03	0	Yes
237	4.709084e-03	0	Yes
238	3.239921e-03	0	Yes
239	8.785842e-04	1	Yes
240	0.000000e+00	0	No
241	5.097410e-05	0	Yes
242	1.494007e-03	0	No
243	4.116649e-03	0	Yes
244	1.683827e-03	0	Yes
245	1.367693e-02	0	No

# Questions

Graph that ended up being FAKE!!!! And giving me false hope

