

# Social network Graph Link Prediction - Facebook Challenge

## Problem statement:

Given a directed social graph, have to predict missing links to recommend users (Link Prediction in graph)

## Data Overview

Taken data from facebook's recruiting challenge on kaggle <https://www.kaggle.com/c/FacebookRecruiting>  
(<https://www.kaggle.com/c/FacebookRecruiting>)

data contains two columns source and destination eac edge in graph

- Data columns (total 2 columns):
- source\_node           int64
- destination\_node     int64

## Mapping the problem into supervised learning problem:

- Generated training samples of good and bad links from given directed graph and for each link got some features like no of followers, is he followed back, page rank, katz score, adar index, some svd fetures of adj matrix, some weight features etc. and trained ml model based on these features to predict link.
- Some reference papers and videos :
  - <https://www.cs.cornell.edu/home/kleinber/link-pred.pdf> (<https://www.cs.cornell.edu/home/kleinber/link-pred.pdf>)
  - <https://www3.nd.edu/~dial/publications/lichtenwalter2010new.pdf> (<https://www3.nd.edu/~dial/publications/lichtenwalter2010new.pdf>)
  - [https://kaggle2.blob.core.windows.net/forum-message-attachments/2594/supervised\\_link\\_prediction.pdf](https://kaggle2.blob.core.windows.net/forum-message-attachments/2594/supervised_link_prediction.pdf)  
([https://kaggle2.blob.core.windows.net/forum-message-attachments/2594/supervised\\_link\\_prediction.pdf](https://kaggle2.blob.core.windows.net/forum-message-attachments/2594/supervised_link_prediction.pdf))
  - <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2M77Hgy17cg> (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=2M77Hgy17cg>)

## Business objectives and constraints:

- No low-latency requirement.

- Probability of prediction is useful to recommend highest probability links

## Performance metric for supervised learning:

- Both precision and recall is important so F1 score is good choice
- Confusion matrix

```
In [1]: 1 #Importing Libraries
2 # please do go through this python notebook:
3 import warnings
4 warnings.filterwarnings("ignore")
5
6 import csv
7 import pandas as pd#pandas to create small dataframes
8 import datetime #Convert to unix time
9 import time #Convert to unix time
10 # if numpy is not installed already : pip3 install numpy
11 import numpy as np#Do arithmetic operations on arrays
12 # matplotlib: used to plot graphs
13 import matplotlib
14 import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
15 import seaborn as sns#Plots
16 from matplotlib import rcParams#Size of plots
17 from sklearn.cluster import MiniBatchKMeans, KMeans#Clustering
18 import math
19 import pickle
20 import os
21 # to install xgboost: pip3 install xgboost
22 import xgboost as xgb
23
24 import warnings
25 import networkx as nx
26 import pdb
27 import pickle
```

```
In [7]: 1 #reading graph
2 if not os.path.isfile('data/after_eda/train_woheader.csv'):
3     traincsv = pd.read_csv('data/train.csv')
4     print(traincsv[traincsv.isna().any(1)])
5     print(traincsv.info())
6     print("Number of diplicate entries: ",sum(traincsv.duplicated()))
7     traincsv.to_csv('data/after_eda/train_woheader.csv',header=False,index=False)
8     print("saved the graph into file")
9 else:
10     g=nx.read_edgelist('data/after_eda/train_woheader.csv',delimiter=',',create_using=nx.DiGraph(),nodetype=
11     print(nx.info(g))
```

Name:

Type: DiGraph

Number of nodes: 1862220

Number of edges: 9437519

Average in degree: 5.0679

Average out degree: 5.0679

Displaying a sub graph

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In [5]: 1 if not os.path.isfile('train_woheader_sample.csv'):
2         pd.read_csv('data/train.csv', nrows=50).to_csv('train_woheader_sample.csv', header=False, index=False)
3
4 subgraph=nx.read_edgelist('train_woheader_sample.csv', delimiter=',', create_using=nx.DiGraph(), nodetype=int)
5 # https://stackoverflow.com/questions/9402255/drawing-a-huge-graph-with-networkx-and-matplotlib
6
7 pos=nx.spring_layout(subgraph)
8 nx.draw(subgraph, pos, node_color='#A0CBE2', edge_color='#00bb5e', width=1, edge_cmap=plt.cm.Blues, with_labels=True)
9 plt.savefig("graph_sample.pdf")
10 print(nx.info(subgraph))

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Name:

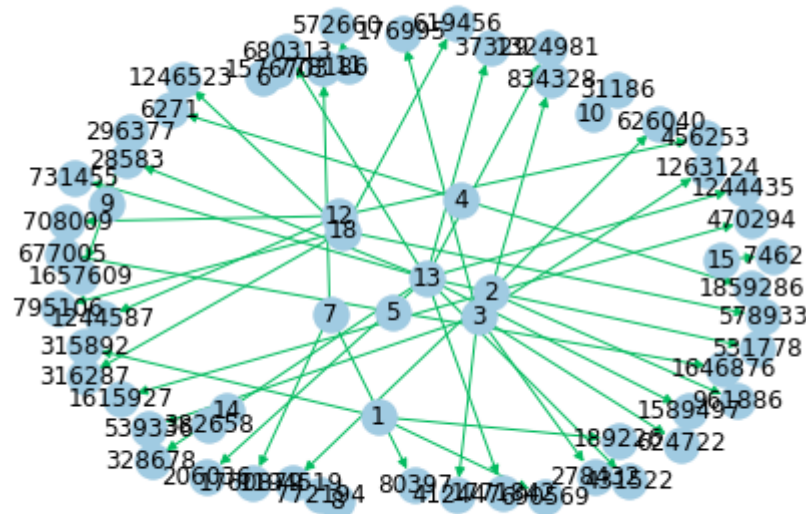
Type: DiGraph

Number of nodes: 66

Number of edges: 50

Average in degree: 0.7576

Average out degree: 0.7576



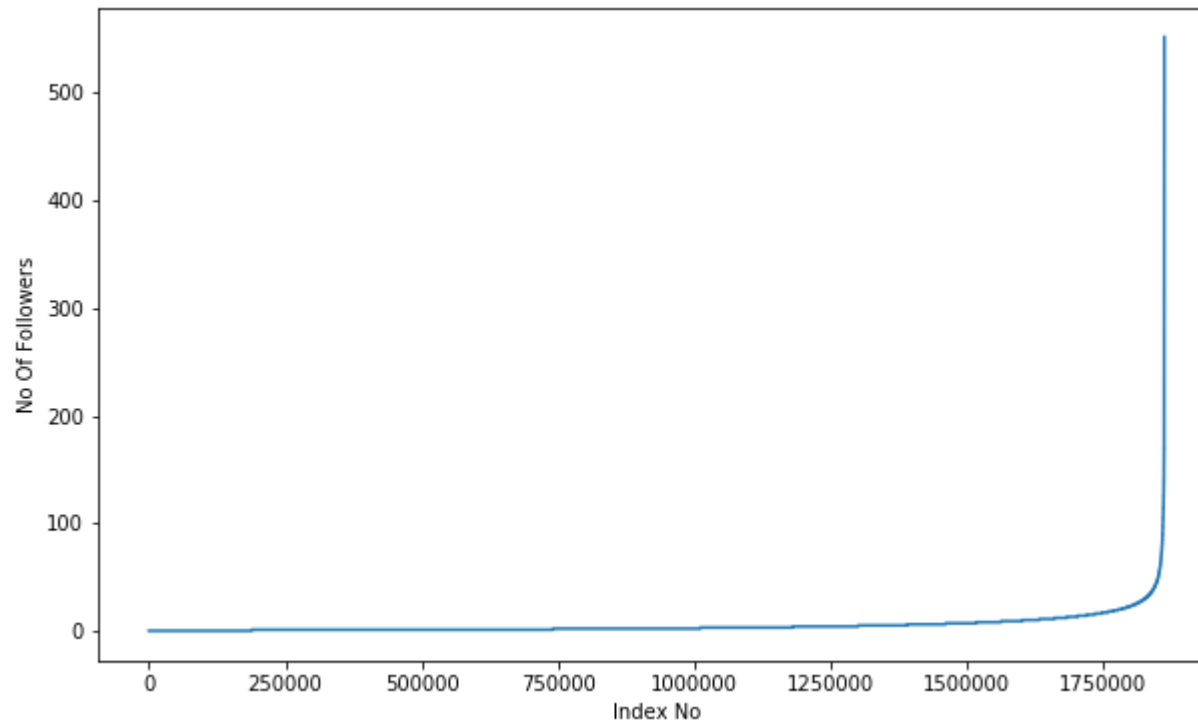
# 1. Exploratory Data Analysis

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In [8]: 1 # No of Unique persons  
        2 print("The number of unique persons",len(g.nodes()))
```

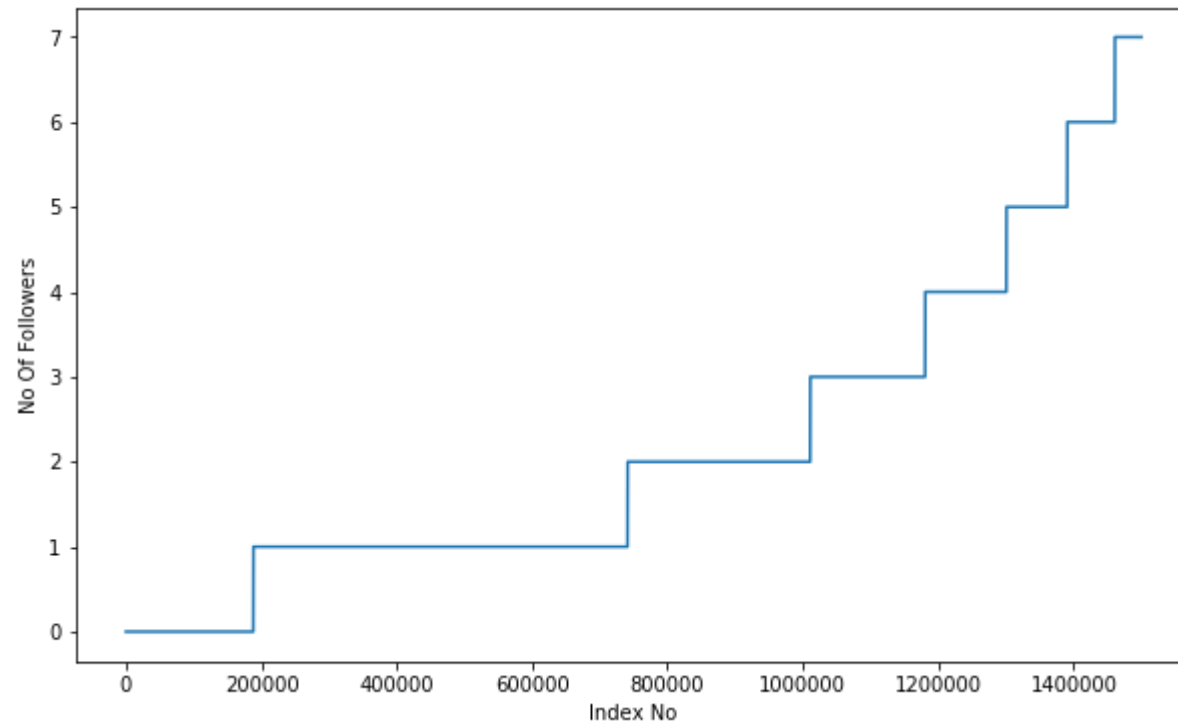
The number of unique persons 1862220

## 1.1 No of followers for each person

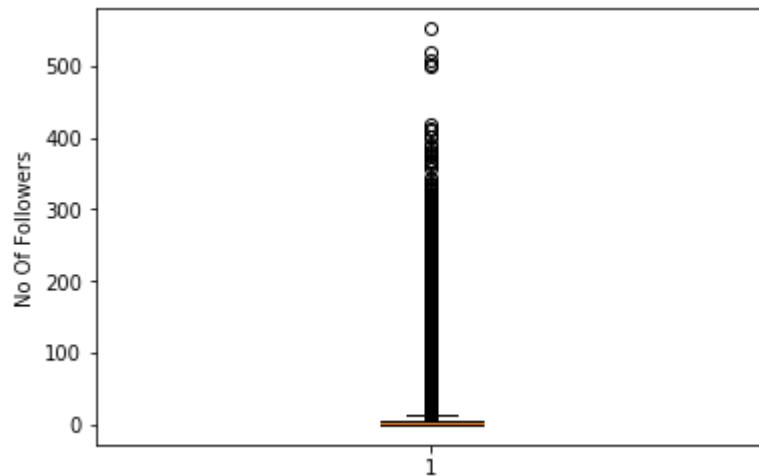
```
In [9]: 1 indegree_dist = list(dict(g.in_degree()).values())  
2 indegree_dist.sort()  
3 plt.figure(figsize=(10,6))  
4 plt.plot(indegree_dist)  
5 plt.xlabel('Index No')  
6 plt.ylabel('No Of Followers')  
7 plt.show()
```



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In [10]: 1 indegree_dist = list(dict(g.in_degree()).values())
2 indegree_dist.sort()
3 plt.figure(figsize=(10,6))
4 plt.plot(indegree_dist[0:1500000])
5 plt.xlabel('Index No')
6 plt.ylabel('No Of Followers')
7 plt.show()
```



```
In [11]: 1 plt.boxplot(indegree_dist)
2         plt.ylabel('No Of Followers')
3         plt.show()
```



```
In [12]: 1 ### 90-100 percentile
2         for i in range(0,11):
3             print(90+i, 'percentile value is', np.percentile(indegree_dist, 90+i))
```

```
90 percentile value is 12.0
91 percentile value is 13.0
92 percentile value is 14.0
93 percentile value is 15.0
94 percentile value is 17.0
95 percentile value is 19.0
96 percentile value is 21.0
97 percentile value is 24.0
98 percentile value is 29.0
99 percentile value is 40.0
100 percentile value is 552.0
```

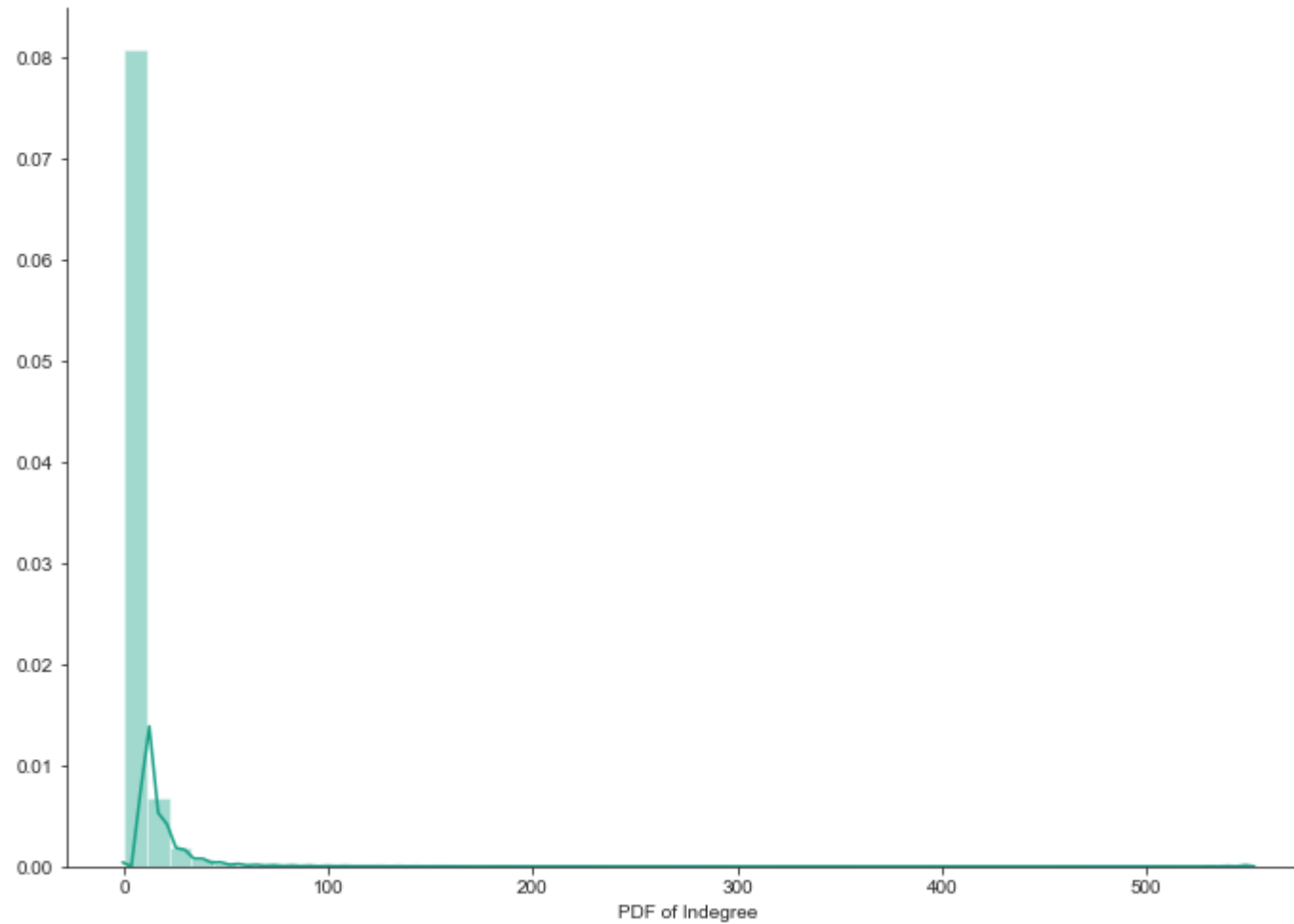
99% of data having followers of 40 only.



```
In [13]: 1 ### 99-100 percentile
          2 for i in range(10,110,10):
          3     print(99+(i/100), 'percentile value is', np.percentile(indegree_dist, 99+(i/100)))
```

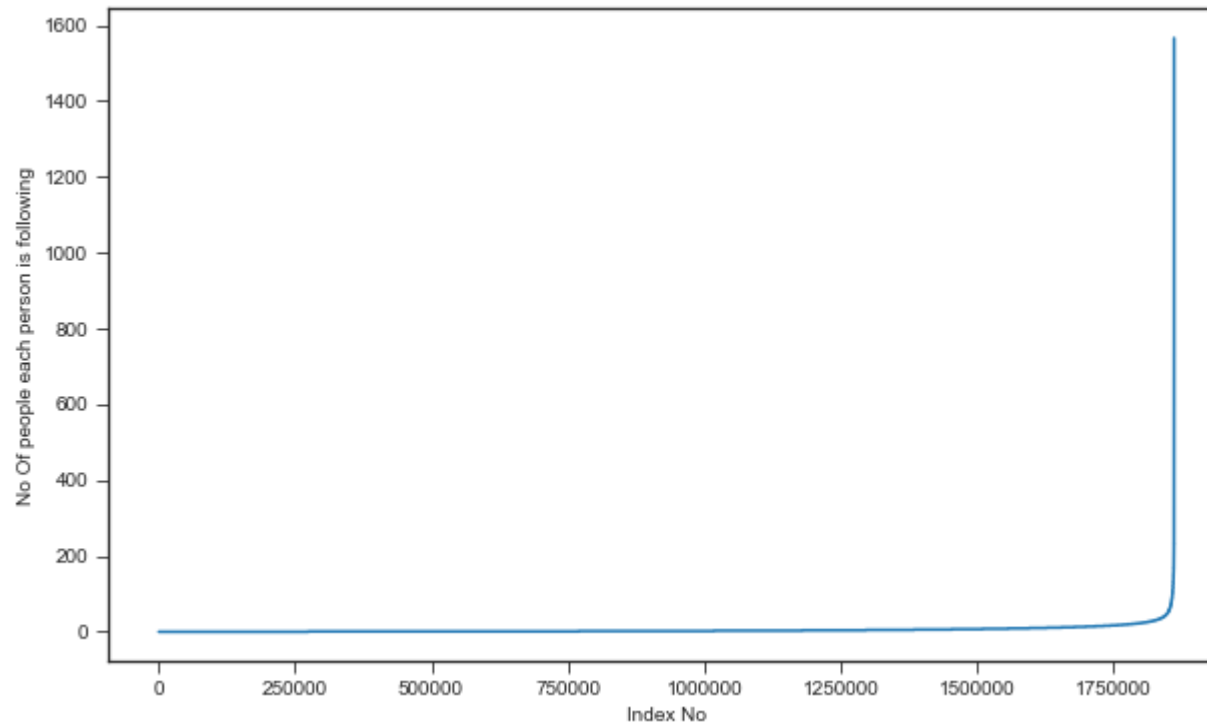
```
99.1 percentile value is 42.0
99.2 percentile value is 44.0
99.3 percentile value is 47.0
99.4 percentile value is 50.0
99.5 percentile value is 55.0
99.6 percentile value is 61.0
99.7 percentile value is 70.0
99.8 percentile value is 84.0
99.9 percentile value is 112.0
100.0 percentile value is 552.0
```

```
In [14]: 1 %matplotlib inline
2 sns.set_style('ticks')
3 fig, ax = plt.subplots()
4 fig.set_size_inches(11.7, 8.27)
5 sns.distplot(indegree_dist, color='#16A085')
6 plt.xlabel('PDF of Indegree')
7 sns.despine()
8 #plt.show()
```

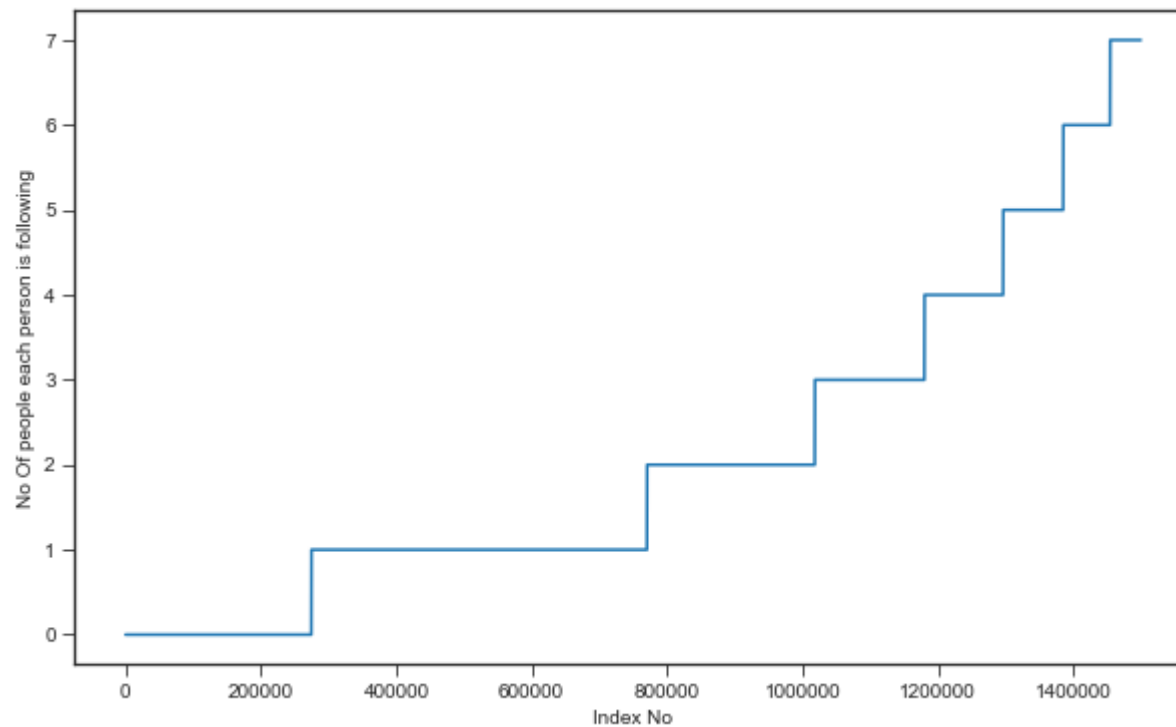


## 1.2 No of people each person is following

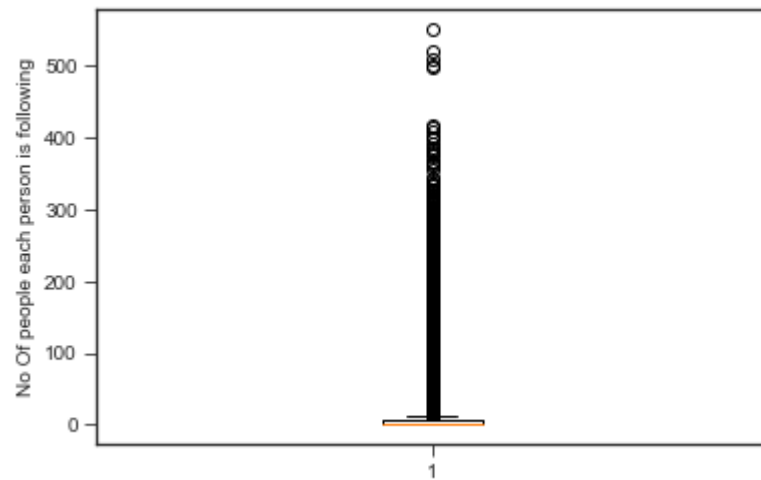
```
In [11]: 1 outdegree_dist = list(dict(g.out_degree()).values())
2 outdegree_dist.sort()
3 plt.figure(figsize=(10,6))
4 plt.plot(outdegree_dist)
5 plt.xlabel('Index No')
6 plt.ylabel('No Of people each person is following')
7 plt.show()
```



```
In [12]: 1 indegree_dist = list(dict(g.in_degree()).values())
2 indegree_dist.sort()
3 plt.figure(figsize=(10,6))
4 plt.plot(outdegree_dist[0:1500000])
5 plt.xlabel('Index No')
6 plt.ylabel('No Of people each person is following')
7 plt.show()
```



```
In [13]: 1 plt.boxplot(indegree_dist)
2         plt.ylabel('No Of people each person is following')
3         plt.show()
```



```
In [14]: 1 ### 90-100 percentile
          2 for i in range(0,11):
          3     print(90+i, 'percentile value is', np.percentile(outdegree_dist, 90+i))
```

```
90 percentile value is 12.0
91 percentile value is 13.0
92 percentile value is 14.0
93 percentile value is 15.0
94 percentile value is 17.0
95 percentile value is 19.0
96 percentile value is 21.0
97 percentile value is 24.0
98 percentile value is 29.0
99 percentile value is 40.0
100 percentile value is 1566.0
```

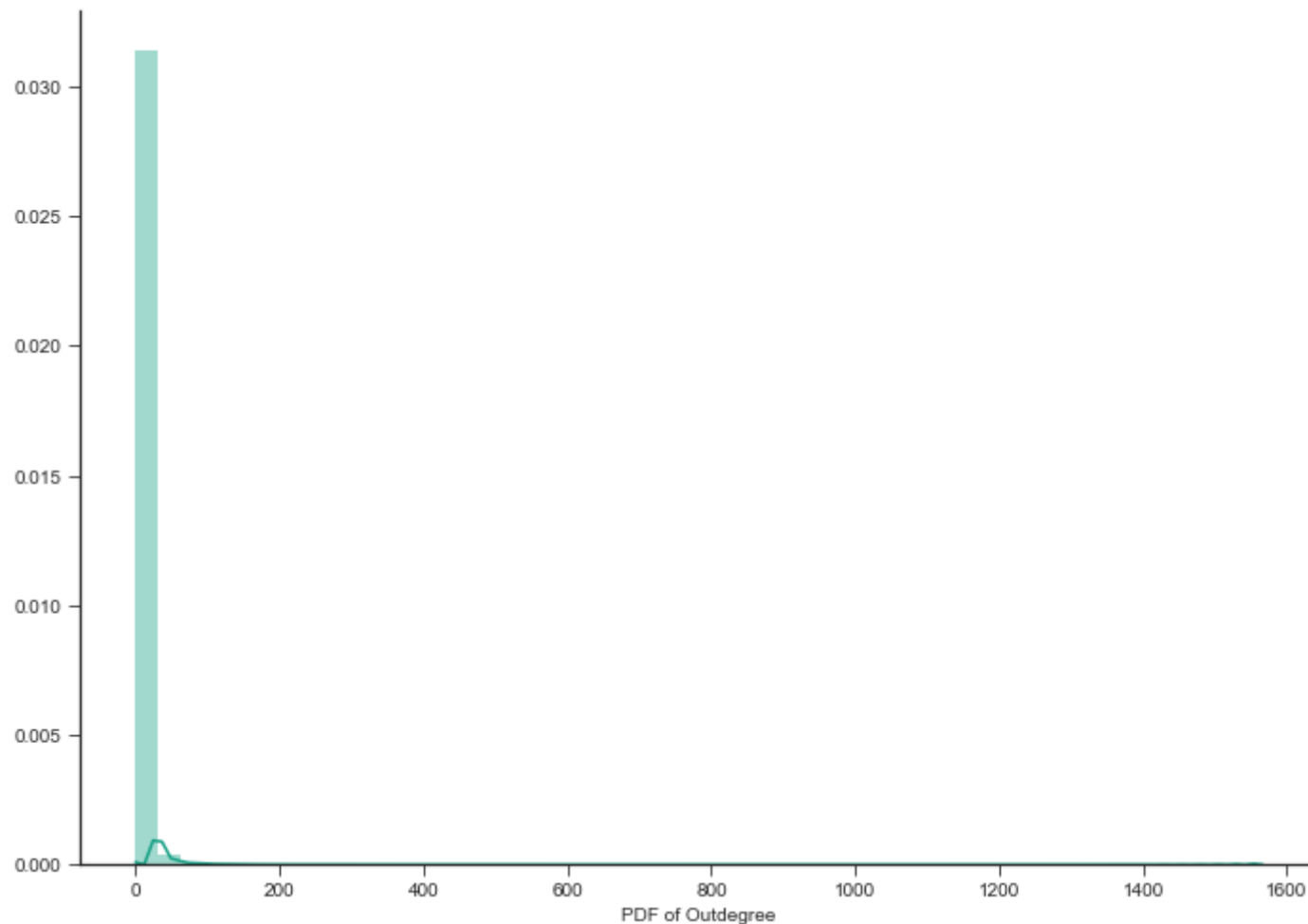
```
In [15]: 1 ### 99-100 percentile
          2 for i in range(10,110,10):
          3     print(99+(i/100), 'percentile value is', np.percentile(outdegree_dist, 99+(i/100)))
```

```
99.1 percentile value is 42.0
99.2 percentile value is 45.0
99.3 percentile value is 48.0
99.4 percentile value is 52.0
99.5 percentile value is 56.0
99.6 percentile value is 63.0
99.7 percentile value is 73.0
99.8 percentile value is 90.0
99.9 percentile value is 123.0
100.0 percentile value is 1566.0
```

```
In [16]: 1 sns.set_style('ticks')
2 fig, ax = plt.subplots()
3 fig.set_size_inches(11.7, 8.27)
4 sns.distplot(outdegree_dist, color='#16A085')
5 plt.xlabel('PDF of Outdegree')
6 sns.despine()
```

D:\installed\Anaconda3\lib\site-packages\matplotlib\axes\\_axes.py:6571: UserWarning: The 'normed' kwarg is deprecated, and has been replaced by the 'density' kwarg.

warnings.warn("The 'normed' kwarg is deprecated, and has been "





```
In [17]: 1 print('No of persons those are not following anyone are' ,sum(np.array(outdegree_dist)==0),'and % is',
2         sum(np.array(outdegree_dist)==0)*100/len(outdegree_dist) )
```

No of persons those are not following anyone are 274512 and % is 14.741115442858524

```
In [18]: 1 print('No of persons having zero followers are' ,sum(np.array(indegree_dist)==0),'and % is',
2         sum(np.array(indegree_dist)==0)*100/len(indegree_dist) )
```

No of persons having zero followers are 188043 and % is 10.097786512871734

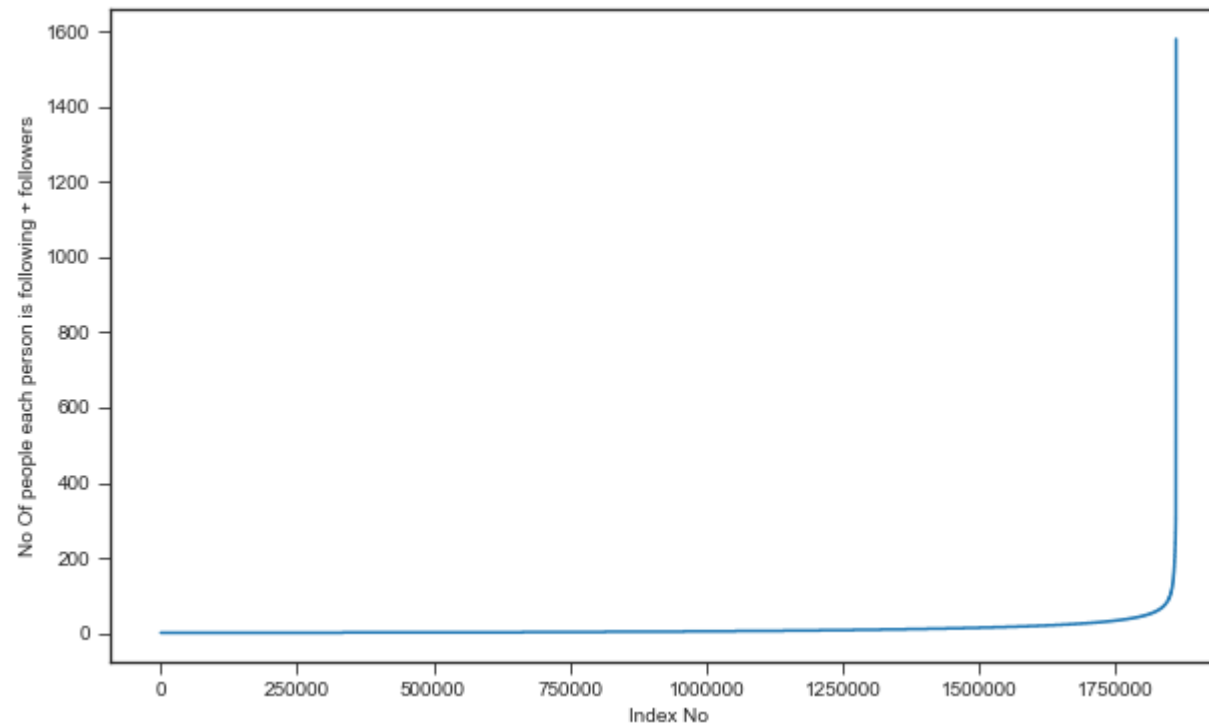
```
In [19]: 1 count=0
2 for i in g.nodes():
3     if len(list(g.predecessors(i)))==0 :
4         if len(list(g.successors(i)))==0:
5             count+=1
6 print('No of persons those are not not following anyone and also not having any followers are',count)
```

No of persons those are not not following anyone and also not having any followers are 0

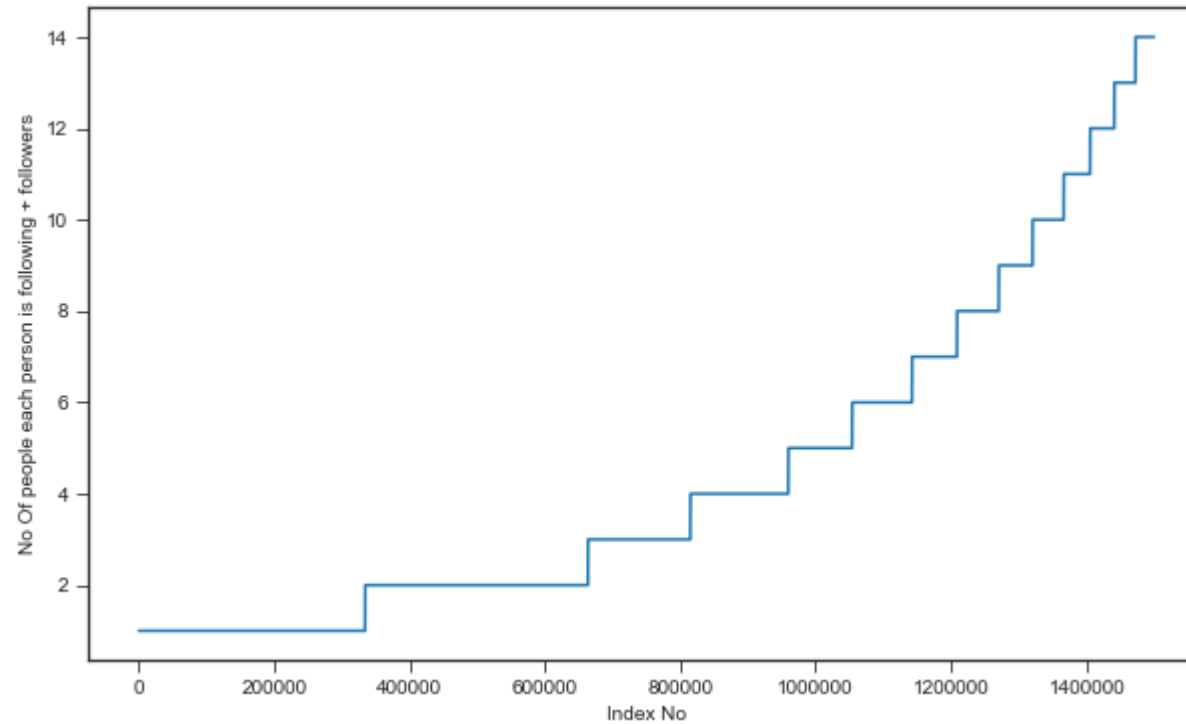
## 1.3 both followers + following

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In [20]: 1 from collections import Counter
2 dict_in = dict(g.in_degree())
3 dict_out = dict(g.out_degree())
4 d = Counter(dict_in) + Counter(dict_out)
5 in_out_degree = np.array(list(d.values()))
```

```
In [21]: 1 in_out_degree_sort = sorted(in_out_degree)
2 plt.figure(figsize=(10,6))
3 plt.plot(in_out_degree_sort)
4 plt.xlabel('Index No')
5 plt.ylabel('No Of people each person is following + followers')
6 plt.show()
```



```
In [22]: 1 in_out_degree_sort = sorted(in_out_degree)
2 plt.figure(figsize=(10,6))
3 plt.plot(in_out_degree_sort[0:1500000])
4 plt.xlabel('Index No')
5 plt.ylabel('No Of people each person is following + followers')
6 plt.show()
```



```
In [23]: 1 ### 90-100 percentile
          2 for i in range(0,11):
          3     print(90+i, 'percentile value is', np.percentile(in_out_degree_sort, 90+i))
```

```
90 percentile value is 24.0
91 percentile value is 26.0
92 percentile value is 28.0
93 percentile value is 31.0
94 percentile value is 33.0
95 percentile value is 37.0
96 percentile value is 41.0
97 percentile value is 48.0
98 percentile value is 58.0
99 percentile value is 79.0
100 percentile value is 1579.0
```

```
In [24]: 1 ### 99-100 percentile
          2 for i in range(10,110,10):
          3     print(99+(i/100), 'percentile value is', np.percentile(in_out_degree_sort, 99+(i/100)))
```

```
99.1 percentile value is 83.0
99.2 percentile value is 87.0
99.3 percentile value is 93.0
99.4 percentile value is 99.0
99.5 percentile value is 108.0
99.6 percentile value is 120.0
99.7 percentile value is 138.0
99.8 percentile value is 168.0
99.9 percentile value is 221.0
100.0 percentile value is 1579.0
```

```
In [25]: 1 print('Min of no of followers + following is', in_out_degree.min())
          2 print(np.sum(in_out_degree==in_out_degree.min()), ' persons having minimum no of followers + following')
```

```
Min of no of followers + following is 1
334291  persons having minimum no of followers + following
```

```
In [26]: 1 print('Max of no of followers + following is',in_out_degree.max())
        2 print(np.sum(in_out_degree==in_out_degree.max()),' persons having maximum no of followers + following')
```

Max of no of followers + following is 1579  
1 persons having maximum no of followers + following

```
In [27]: 1 print('No of persons having followers + following less than 10 are',np.sum(in_out_degree<10))
```

No of persons having followers + following less than 10 are 1320326

```
In [28]: 1 print('No of weakly connected components',len(list(nx.weakly_connected_components(g))))
        2 count=0
        3 for i in list(nx.weakly_connected_components(g)):
        4     if len(i)==2:
        5         count+=1
        6 print('weakly connected components wit 2 nodes',count)
```

No of weakly connected components 45558  
weakly connected components wit 2 nodes 32195

## 2. Posing a problem as classification problem

### 2.1 Generating some edges which are not present in graph for supervised learning

Generated Bad links from graph which are not in graph and whose shortest path is greater than 2.

```
In [46]: 1 %%time
2      ###generating bad edges from given graph
3      import random
4      if not os.path.isfile('data/after_eda/missing_edges_final.p'):
5          #getting all set of edges
6          r = csv.reader(open('data/after_eda/train_woheader.csv', 'r'))
7          edges = dict()
8          for edge in r:
9              edges[(edge[0], edge[1])] = 1
10
11
12      missing_edges = set([])
13      while (len(missing_edges)<9437519):
14          a=random.randint(1, 1862220)
15          b=random.randint(1, 1862220)
16          tmp = edges.get((a,b),-1)
17          if tmp == -1 and a!=b:
18              try:
19                  if nx.shortest_path_length(g,source=a,target=b) > 2:
20
21                      missing_edges.add((a,b))
22                  else:
23                      continue
24              except:
25                  missing_edges.add((a,b))
26          else:
27              continue
28      pickle.dump(missing_edges,open('data/after_eda/missing_edges_final.p','wb'))
29  else:
30      missing_edges = pickle.load(open('data/after_eda/missing_edges_final.p','rb'))
```

Wall time: 5.08 s

```
In [47]: 1 len(missing_edges)
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Out[47]: 9437519

## 2.2 Training and Test data split:

Removed edges from Graph and used as test data and after removing used that graph for creating features for Train and test data

```

In [48]: 1 from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
2 if (not os.path.isfile('data/after_eda/train_pos_after_eda.csv')) and (not os.path.isfile('data/after_eda/t
3     #reading total data df
4     df_pos = pd.read_csv('data/train.csv')
5     df_neg = pd.DataFrame(list(missing_edges), columns=['source_node', 'destination_node'])
6
7     print("Number of nodes in the graph with edges", df_pos.shape[0])
8     print("Number of nodes in the graph without edges", df_neg.shape[0])
9
10    #Trian test split
11    #Spiltted data into 80-20
12    #positive links and negative links seperatly because we need positive training data only for creating g
13    #and for feature generation
14    X_train_pos, X_test_pos, y_train_pos, y_test_pos = train_test_split(df_pos,np.ones(len(df_pos)),test_s
15    X_train_neg, X_test_neg, y_train_neg, y_test_neg = train_test_split(df_neg,np.zeros(len(df_neg)),test_
16
17    print('='*60)
18    print("Number of nodes in the train data graph with edges", X_train_pos.shape[0],"=",y_train_pos.shape[
19    print("Number of nodes in the train data graph without edges", X_train_neg.shape[0],"=", y_train_neg.sh
20    print('='*60)
21    print("Number of nodes in the test data graph with edges", X_test_pos.shape[0],"=",y_test_pos.shape[0])
22    print("Number of nodes in the test data graph without edges", X_test_neg.shape[0],"=",y_test_neg.shape[
23
24    #removing header and saving
25    X_train_pos.to_csv('data/after_eda/train_pos_after_eda.csv',header=False, index=False)
26    X_test_pos.to_csv('data/after_eda/test_pos_after_eda.csv',header=False, index=False)
27    X_train_neg.to_csv('data/after_eda/train_neg_after_eda.csv',header=False, index=False)
28    X_test_neg.to_csv('data/after_eda/test_neg_after_eda.csv',header=False, index=False)
29 else:
30     #Graph from Traing data only
31     del missing_edges

```

Number of nodes in the graph with edges 9437519

Number of nodes in the graph without edges 9437519

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Number of nodes in the train data graph with edges 7550015 = 7550015

Number of nodes in the train data graph without edges 7550015 = 7550015

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Number of nodes in the test data graph with edges 1887504 = 1887504

Number of nodes in the test data graph without edges 1887504 = 1887504



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In [49]: 1 if (os.path.isfile('data/after_eda/train_pos_after_eda.csv')) and (os.path.isfile('data/after_eda/test_pos_
2 train_graph=nx.read_edgelist('data/after_eda/train_pos_after_eda.csv',delimiter=',',create_using=nx.DiG
3 test_graph=nx.read_edgelist('data/after_eda/test_pos_after_eda.csv',delimiter=',',create_using=nx.DiGra
4 print(nx.info(train_graph))
5 print(nx.info(test_graph))
6
7 # finding the unique nodes in the both train and test graphs
8 train_nodes_pos = set(train_graph.nodes())
9 test_nodes_pos = set(test_graph.nodes())
10
11 trY_teY = len(train_nodes_pos.intersection(test_nodes_pos))
12 trY_teN = len(train_nodes_pos - test_nodes_pos)
13 teY_trN = len(test_nodes_pos - train_nodes_pos)
14
15 print('no of people common in train and test -- ',trY_teY)
16 print('no of people present in train but not present in test -- ',trY_teN)
17
18 print('no of people present in test but not present in train -- ',teY_trN)
19 print(' % of people not there in Train but exist in Test in total Test data are {} %'.format(teY_trN/le

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Name:

Type: DiGraph

Number of nodes: 1780722

Number of edges: 7550015

Average in degree: 4.2399

Average out degree: 4.2399

Name:

Type: DiGraph

Number of nodes: 1144623

Number of edges: 1887504

Average in degree: 1.6490

Average out degree: 1.6490

no of people common in train and test -- 1063125

no of people present in train but not present in test -- 717597

no of people present in test but not present in train -- 81498

% of people not there in Train but exist in Test in total Test data are 7.1200735962845405 %

we have a cold start problem here

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In [50]: 1 #final train and test data sets
2 if (not os.path.isfile('data/after_eda/train_after_eda.csv')) and \
3 (not os.path.isfile('data/after_eda/test_after_eda.csv')) and \
4 (not os.path.isfile('data/train_y.csv')) and \
5 (not os.path.isfile('data/test_y.csv')) and \
6 (os.path.isfile('data/after_eda/train_pos_after_eda.csv')) and \
7 (os.path.isfile('data/after_eda/test_pos_after_eda.csv')) and \
8 (os.path.isfile('data/after_eda/train_neg_after_eda.csv')) and \
9 (os.path.isfile('data/after_eda/test_neg_after_eda.csv')):
10
11     X_train_pos = pd.read_csv('data/after_eda/train_pos_after_eda.csv', names=['source_node', 'destination_node', 'edge_type'])
12     X_test_pos = pd.read_csv('data/after_eda/test_pos_after_eda.csv', names=['source_node', 'destination_node', 'edge_type'])
13     X_train_neg = pd.read_csv('data/after_eda/train_neg_after_eda.csv', names=['source_node', 'destination_node', 'edge_type'])
14     X_test_neg = pd.read_csv('data/after_eda/test_neg_after_eda.csv', names=['source_node', 'destination_node', 'edge_type'])
15
16     print('='*60)
17     print("Number of nodes in the train data graph with edges", X_train_pos.shape[0])
18     print("Number of nodes in the train data graph without edges", X_train_neg.shape[0])
19     print('='*60)
20     print("Number of nodes in the test data graph with edges", X_test_pos.shape[0])
21     print("Number of nodes in the test data graph without edges", X_test_neg.shape[0])
22
23     X_train = X_train_pos.append(X_train_neg, ignore_index=True)
24     y_train = np.concatenate((y_train_pos, y_train_neg))
25     X_test = X_test_pos.append(X_test_neg, ignore_index=True)
26     y_test = np.concatenate((y_test_pos, y_test_neg))
27
28     X_train.to_csv('data/after_eda/train_after_eda.csv', header=False, index=False)
29     X_test.to_csv('data/after_eda/test_after_eda.csv', header=False, index=False)
30     pd.DataFrame(y_train.astype(int)).to_csv('data/train_y.csv', header=False, index=False)
31     pd.DataFrame(y_test.astype(int)).to_csv('data/test_y.csv', header=False, index=False)

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Number of nodes in the train data graph with edges 7550015
Number of nodes in the train data graph without edges 7550015
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Number of nodes in the test data graph with edges 1887504
Number of nodes in the test data graph without edges 1887504

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In [51]: 1 print("Data points in train data",X_train.shape)
          2 print("Data points in test data",X_test.shape)
          3 print("Shape of traget variable in train",y_train.shape)
          4 print("Shape of traget variable in test", y_test.shape)
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Data points in train data (15100030, 2)
Data points in test data (3775008, 2)
Shape of traget variable in train (15100030,)
Shape of traget variable in test (3775008,)
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In [53]: 1 # computed and store the data for featurization
          2 # please check out FB_featurization.ipynb
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