

1. Model Form

- Modeling **selection** and influence
 - Influence/selection estimate sources of measured behavioral similarity:

$$\text{sim}_{ij} := \frac{1 - |z_i - z_j|}{\max_z - \min_z}$$

- Similarity of actor i to all network neighbors : $\sum_j x_{ij} \text{sim}_{ij}$
- Actor i has two ways of increasing friendship similarity:
 - choosing j 's w/ same behavior as i (or deselecting dissimilar alters):

