Homework - Case Study 6

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Network homophily occurs when nodes that share an edge share a characteristic more often than nodes that do not share an edge. In this case study, we will investigate homophily of several characteristics of individuals connected in social networks in rural India.

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In [109]: import pandas as pd
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individual_characteristics.dta contains several characteristics for each individual in the dataset such as age, religion, and caste. Use the pandas library to read in and store these characteristics as a dataframe called df

Store separate datasets for individuals belonging to Villages 1 and 2 as df1 and df2, respectively.

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In [111]: df1 = df[df.village == 1]
          df2 = df[df.village == 2]
          # Enter code here!
          df1.head()
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In this dataset, each individual has a personal ID, or PID, stored in key_vilno_1.csv and key_vilno_2.csv for villages 1 and 2, respectively. Use pd.read_csv to read in and store key_vilno_1.csv and key_vilno_2.csv as pid1 and pid2 respectively.

Let's consider how much homophily exists in these networks. For a given characteristic, our measure of homophily will be the proportion of edges in the network whose constituent nodes share that characteristic. How much homophily do we expect by chance? If characteristics are distributed completely randomly, the probability that two nodes x and y share characteristic a is the probability both nodes have characteristic a, which is the frequency of a squared. The total probability that nodes x and y share their characteristic is therefore the sum of the frequency of each characteristic in the network. For example, in the dictionary favorite_colors provided, the frequency of red and blue is 1/3 and 2/3 respectively, so the chance homophily is $(1/3)^{2+(2/3)}2 = 5/9$. Create a function chance_homophily (chars) that takes a dictionary with personal IDs as keys and characteristics as values, and computes the chance homophily for that characteristic.

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In [115]: from collections import Counter
    import numpy as np
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def chance_homophily(chars):
              Computes the chance homophily of a characteristic,
              n n n
                c = dict(Counter(chars.values()))
          #
               result = 0
                for v in c.values():
                    result += (v / sum(c.values())) **2
                return result
              # datacamp answer
              chars_counts_dict = Counter(chars.values())
              chars_counts = np.array(list(chars_counts_dict.values()))
              chars_props = chars_counts / sum(chars_counts)
              return sum(chars_props**2)
          favorite_colors = {
              "ankit": "red",
              "xiaoyu": "blue",
              "mary": "blue"
          }
          color_homophily = chance_homophily(favorite_colors)
          print(color_homophily)
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In [116]: print("Village 1 chance of same sex:", chance_homophily(sex1))
          print("Village 1 chance of same caste:", chance_homophily(caste1))
          print("Village 1 chance of same religion:", chance_homophily(religion1))
          print()
          print("Village 2 chance of same sex:", chance_homophily(sex2))
          print("Village 2 chance of same caste:", chance_homophily(caste2))
          print("Village 2 chance of same religion:", chance_homophily(religion2))
Village 1 chance of same sex: 0.502729986168
Village 1 chance of same caste: 0.674148850979
Village 1 chance of same religion: 0.980489698852
Village 2 chance of same sex: 0.500594530321
Village 2 chance of same caste: 0.425368244801
Village 2 chance of same religion: 1.0
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Now let's compute the observed homophily in our network. Recall that our measure of homophily is the proportion of edges whose nodes share a characteristic. homophily(G, chars, IDs)

takes a network G, a dictionary of characteristics chars, and node IDs IDs. For each node pair, determine whether a tie exists between them, as well as whether they share a characteristic. The total count of these is num_same_ties and num_ties respectively, and their ratio is the homophily of chars in G. Complete the function by choosing where to increment num_same_ties and num_ties.

Use your homophily function to compute the observed homophily for sex, caste, and religion in Villages 1 and 2.

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In [118]: # load networkx graph objects G1 and G2
          import networkx as nx
          A1 = np.loadtxt("adj_allVillageRelationships_vilno_1.csv", delimiter=",")
          A2 = np.loadtxt("adj_allVillageRelationships_vilno_2.csv", delimiter=",")
          G1 = nx.to_networkx_graph(A1)
          G2 = nx.to_networkx_graph(A2)
In [119]: # convert dataframe to numpy array
          array_pid1 = np.array(pid1[0])
          array_pid2 = np.array(pid2[0])
In [123]: print("Village 1 observed proportion of same sex:", homophily(G1, sex1, a
          print ("Village 1 observed proportion of same caste:", homophily (G1, caste
          print ("Village 1 observed proportion of same religion:", homophily (G1, re
          print("Village 2 observed proportion of same sex:", homophily(G2, sex2, a
          print ("Village 2 observed proportion of same caste:", homophily (G2, caste
          print ("Village 2 observed proportion of same religion:", homophily (G2, re
Village 1 observed proportion of same sex: 0.5879345603271984
Village 1 observed proportion of same caste: 0.7944785276073619
Village 1 observed proportion of same religion: 0.99079754601227
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Village 2 observed proportion of same sex: 0.5622435020519836
Village 2 observed proportion of same caste: 0.826265389876881
Village 2 observed proportion of same religion: 1.0
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