**EXPLORATORY DATA ANALYSIS**

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**NETWORK ANALYSIS**

***INTER*PROJECT STABILITY ANALYSIS**

***INTRA*PROJECT STABILITY ANALYSIS**

**COMMITTER BEHAVIOUR ANALYSIS**

**STRUCTURAL METRICS**

* **Network analysis identifying ‘stable project pairs’**
* **Formulate a measure of intraproject team stability**
* **Calculate team stability for each project**
* **Analyse impact of intraproject team stability on structural metrics**
* **Formulate a categorical measure of interproject team stability.**
* **Analyse impact of interproject team stability on structural metrics**

***INTRA*PROJECT TEAM STABILITY**

**MITIGATING THE IMPACT OF FORKING**

* **Detail the twin threats to validity from forking and changing committer IDs on network analysis**
* **Document solutions to mitigate these threats**

**TRACKING COMMITTERS THROUGHOUT THE FORGE**

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**PROJECT NETWORK ANALYSIS**

**SOCIAL NETWORK ANALYSIS**

**STRUCTURAL METRICS**

***INTER*PROJECT TEAM STABILITY**

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**PROJECT-LEVEL ANALYSIS**

* **Visualise project sample. Selection of projects for further study.**
* **Quantitative analysis of metric values and model parameters.**
* **Qualitative analysis of internal structural attributes of code**

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**SAMPLING**

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***INTER*PROJECT SAMPLING**

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***INTRA*PROJECT SAMPLING**

**PROJECT SELECTION**

**MODEL VALIDATION**

**PROJECT QUALITATIVE AND QUANTITATVE ANALYSIS**

* **Analyse forge for committer trends**