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Assignment 2

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## **EXERCISE 1:**

In this assignment, the given data was *People x Event* network. While importing the data, I was also able to create *Event x People* network via the data import wizard of ORA. However, for the *People x People* and *Event x Event* networks, matrix multiplication was needed. By choosing the existing two networks on the left menu, I clicked Matrix Algebra, and multiplied 18x14 People-by-Event with 14x18 Event-by-People network. Therefore, the events were eliminated, and the new 18x18 matrix represented a *People-by-People* network.

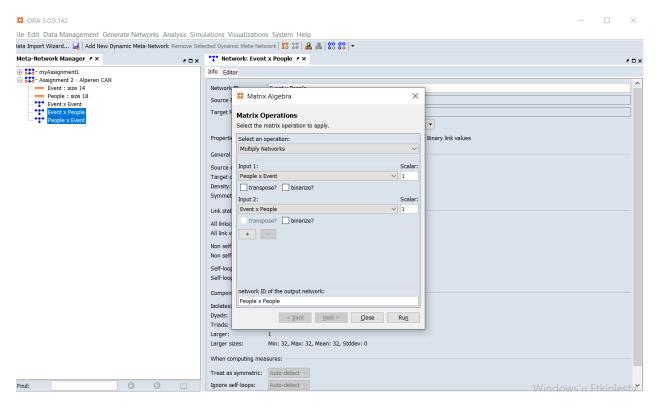


Figure 1: Creating a People x People Network by Using ORA

Following, since the visualization should have readable edge weights as well, I enabled *Show Link Labels* from *Link Appearance* tab as below:

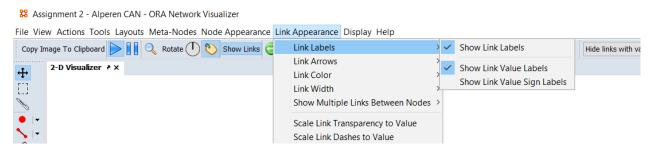


Figure 2: Enabling Link Labels

Later, the whole meta-network was looking like below:

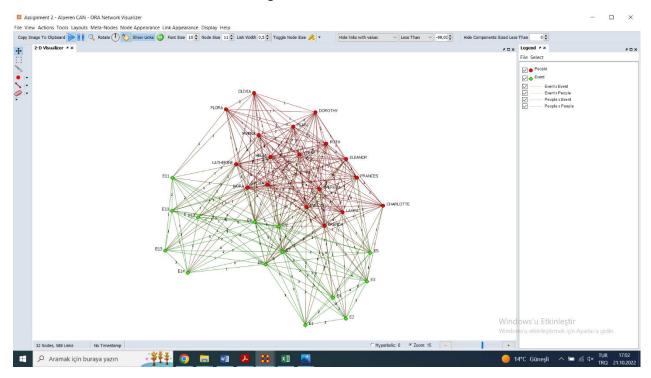


Figure 3: The Whole Meta-Network with Edge Weights

Having unchecked the *Event* option from right menu, I have obtained the following People-by-People network:

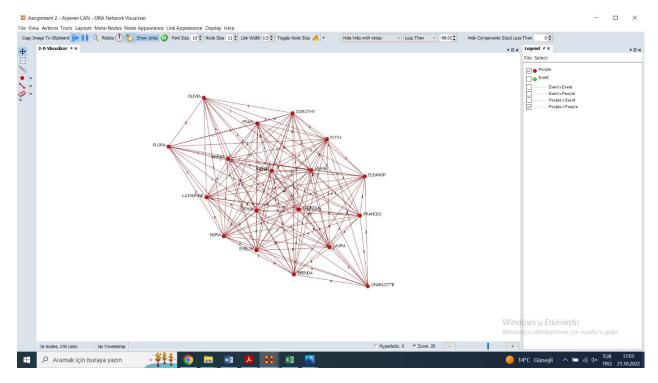
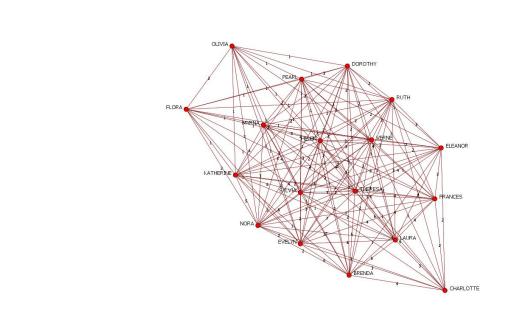


Figure 4: People x People Network with Edge Weights

It can be observed better below in .png format:

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**Figure 5:** Visualization of People x People Network with Edge Weights in .png Format Moreover, the generated matrix of People x People network by ORA is as follows:

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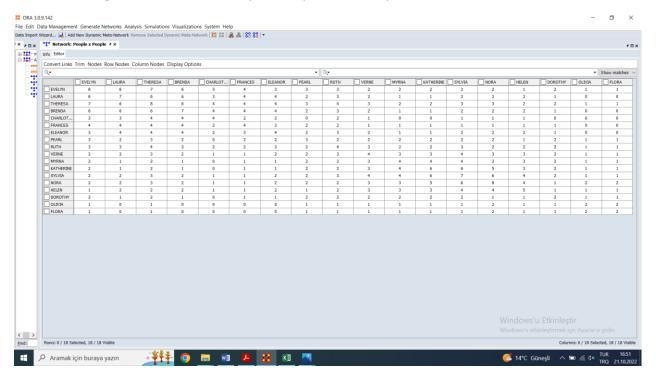


Figure 6: The Generated Matrix of People-by-People Network by ORA

However, since it is asked to have an <u>adjacency matrix</u> in the homework, *from the Convert Links* tab, I have crated the People-by-People matrix with Boolean values like below:

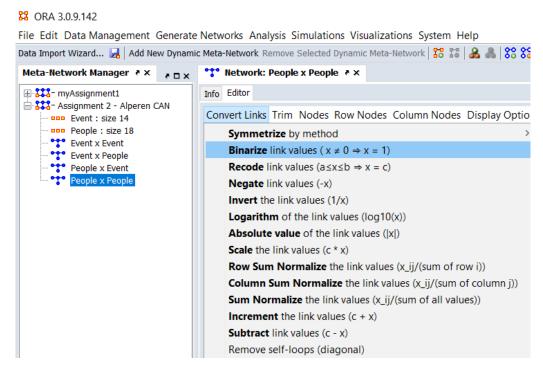


Figure 7: Converting the Matrix to Adjacency Matrix

As a result, the adjacency matrix created by ORA is as follows:

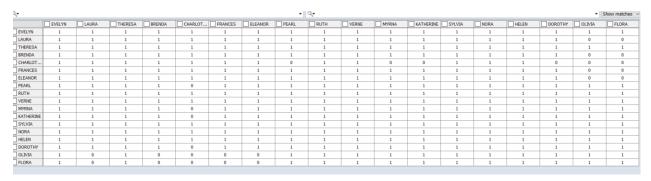


Figure 8: Adjacency Matrix of People-by-People Network

Thus, Question 1 of Exercise 1 has been completed.

Similarly, for the Event x Event Network, I have multiplied 14x18 Event-by-People network with 18x14 People-by-Event network. Therefore, the people were eliminated, and the new 14x14 matrix represented an *Event-by-Event* network. Having unchecked the *People* option from right menu, I have obtained the following Event-by-Event network:

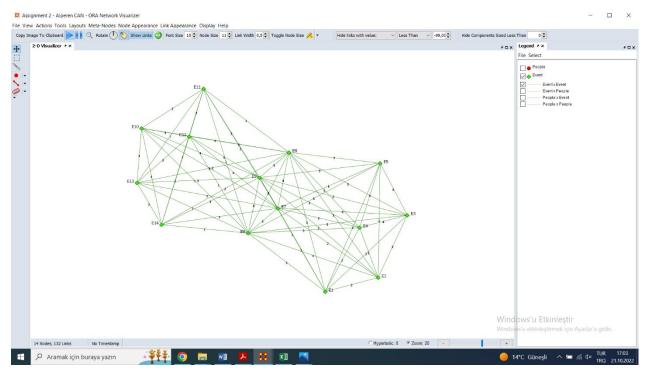


Figure 9: Event-by-Event Network with Edge Weights

It can be observed better below in .png format:

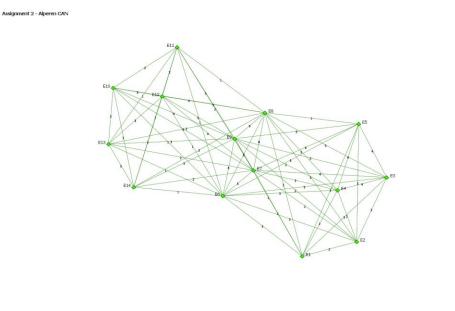


Figure 10: Event-by-Event Network with Edge Weights in .png Format

Moreover, the generated matrix of Event x Event network by ORA is below.

**Note that** due to the given data, ORA has created the event network with a **different** order. For instance, E7 is not between E6 and E8, but the matrix is correct.

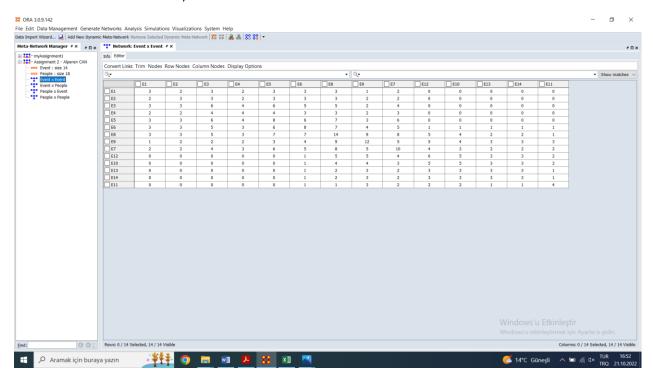


Figure 11: The Generated Matrix of Event-by-Event Network by ORA

However, since it is asked to have an <u>adjacency matrix</u> in the homework, *from the Convert Links* tab, I have crated the Event-by-Event matrix with Boolean values. The adjacency network is as follows:

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	E1	E2	E3	E4	E5	E6	E8	E9	E7	E12	E10	E13	E14	E11
☐ E1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
☐ E2	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
E3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
E4	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
☐ E5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
☐ E6	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
■ E8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
☐ E9	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
E7	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
E12	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
☐ E10	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
E13	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
E14	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
☐ E11	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

Figure 12: Adjacency Matrix of Event-by-Event Network

Hence, Question 2 of Exercise 1 has also completed.

## **EXERCISE 2:**

1) People x People network indicates the people who have attended the same events. In other words, if two people have a link between them, it means that there is at least one event that both of these people have attended.

To be more specific, people-by-people network may represent,

- The people who attended the same concerts,
- The actors who played in the same movies,
- The authors who contributed to the same papers, etc.
- 2) The edge weights in the People x People network indicates the number of common events that two people attended.
  - To clarify, for instance, on *figure 5*, we see that Olivia and Flora is connected, and the link has the value 2 as a weight. It indicates that they have attended 2 events together. Indeed, they only have 2 common events, which are E9 and E11.
- 3) From the matrix, we are able to see that the network contains self-loops, that is, A<sub>ii</sub> contains a value different than 0. For instance, we see that A<sub>Laura Laura</sub> = 7, and A<sub>Olivia Olivia</sub> = 2. Therefore, we can infer that the values on the self-loops indicates the number of events that this person attended. Indeed, from the dataset we see that Laura attended 7 events in total and Olivia attended total 2 events.

## **EXERCISE 3:**

1) Event x Event network indicates the events having the same attendees. In other words, if two events have a link between them, it means that there is at least one person who attended both of these events.

To be more specific, event-by-event network may represent,

- Concerts that the same people attended,
- Movies that the same actors have played together,
- Papers which have the same contributors, etc.
- 2) The edge weights in the Event x Event network indicates the number of people who attended both of these two events.
  - To clarify, for instance, on *figure 10*, we see that E2 and E3 is connected, and the link has the value 3 as a weight. It indicates that these two events have 3 common attendees. Indeed, there are only 3 common participants who attended both E2 and E3, who are Evelyn, Laura and Theresa.
- 3) From the matrix, we are able to see that the network contains self-loops, that is,  $A_{ii}$  contains a value different than 0. For instance, we see that  $E_{2\,2}=3$ , and  $E_{4\,4}=4$ . Therefore, we can infer that the values on the self-loops indicates the number of people who attended to this event. Indeed, from the dataset we see that E2 has 3 attendees who are Evelyn, Laura and Theresa; and E4 has 4 attendees in total who are Evelyn, Theresa, Brenda, Charlotte.