

Applications of Matrix Algebra

Vector Space Model for text data, Latent Semantic Indexing (LSI) for text searches, matrix representation for graph/network data, Recommender Systems as matrix factorization

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Text Analytics

VECTOR SPACE MODEL

Text Analytics Example

Titles

C1: *Human machine interface* for LAB ABC computer applications

C2: A survey of *user opinion of computer system response time*

C3: The *EPS user interface* management system

C4: *System and human system* engineering testing of *EPS*

C5: Relation of *user-percieved response time* to error measurement

M1: The generation of random, binary, unordered *trees*

M2: the intersection *graph* of paths in *trees*

M3: *Graph minors* IV: Widths of *trees* and well-quasi-ordering

M4: *Graph minors*: A survey

Italicized words occur and multiple docs and are indexed

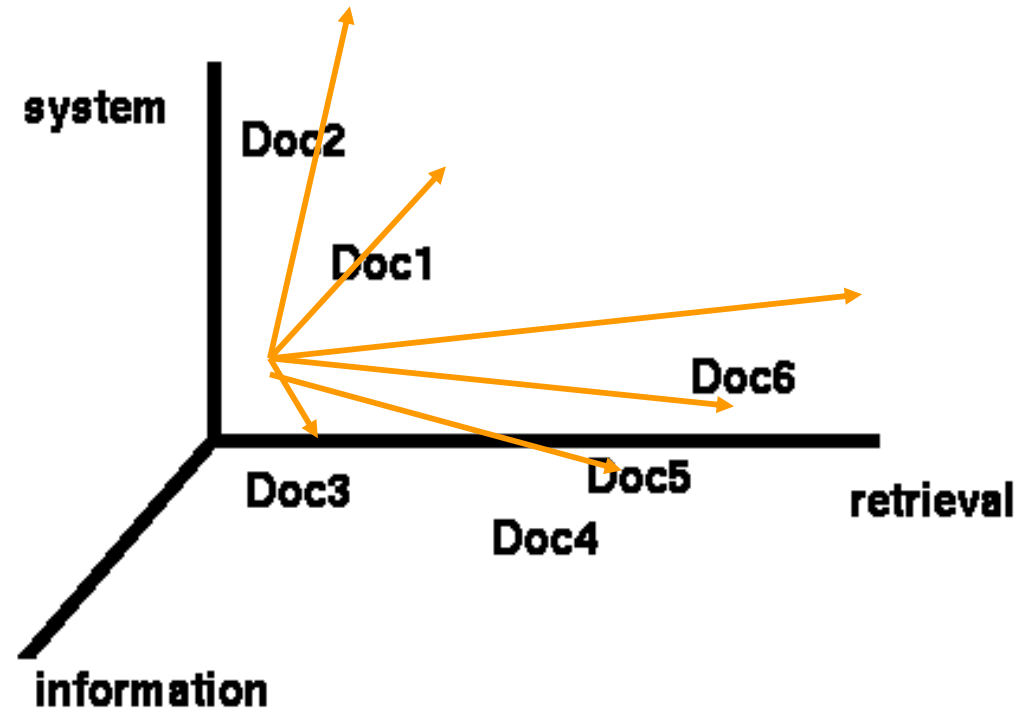
Term-Document Matrix

| Terms | Documents | | | | | | | | |
|-----------|-----------|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|----|
| | c1 | c2 | c3 | c4 | c5 | m1 | m2 | m3 | m4 |
| Human | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Interface | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Computer | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| User | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| System | 0 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Response | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Time | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| EPS | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Survey | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| Trees | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 |
| Graph | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 1 |
| Minors | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 1 |

Vector Space Model

- Documents are represented as vectors in the “term space”
 - Terms are usually *stems*
 - Documents represented by binary or weighted vectors of terms
- Queries are represented the same as documents
- Query and Document weights are based on length and direction of their vector
- A vector distance measure between the query and documents is used to rank retrieved documents

Documents in 3D Space



Primary assumption of the Vector Space Model:
**Documents that are “close together” in space
are similar in meaning.**

SVD: Text Analytics

LSI: LATENT SEMANTIC INDEXING

Document Space has High Dimensionality

- What happens beyond 2 or 3 dimensions?
- Similarity still has to do with how many tokens are shared in common.
- More terms -> harder to understand which subsets of words are shared among similar documents.
- Approaches to handling (reducing) high dimensionality: Clustering and **Latent Semantic Indexing (LSI)** (i.e., dimension reduction using SVD)

Rectangular Matrix Decomposition with SVD

Query: "Human Computer Interaction"

SVD to 2 dimensions:

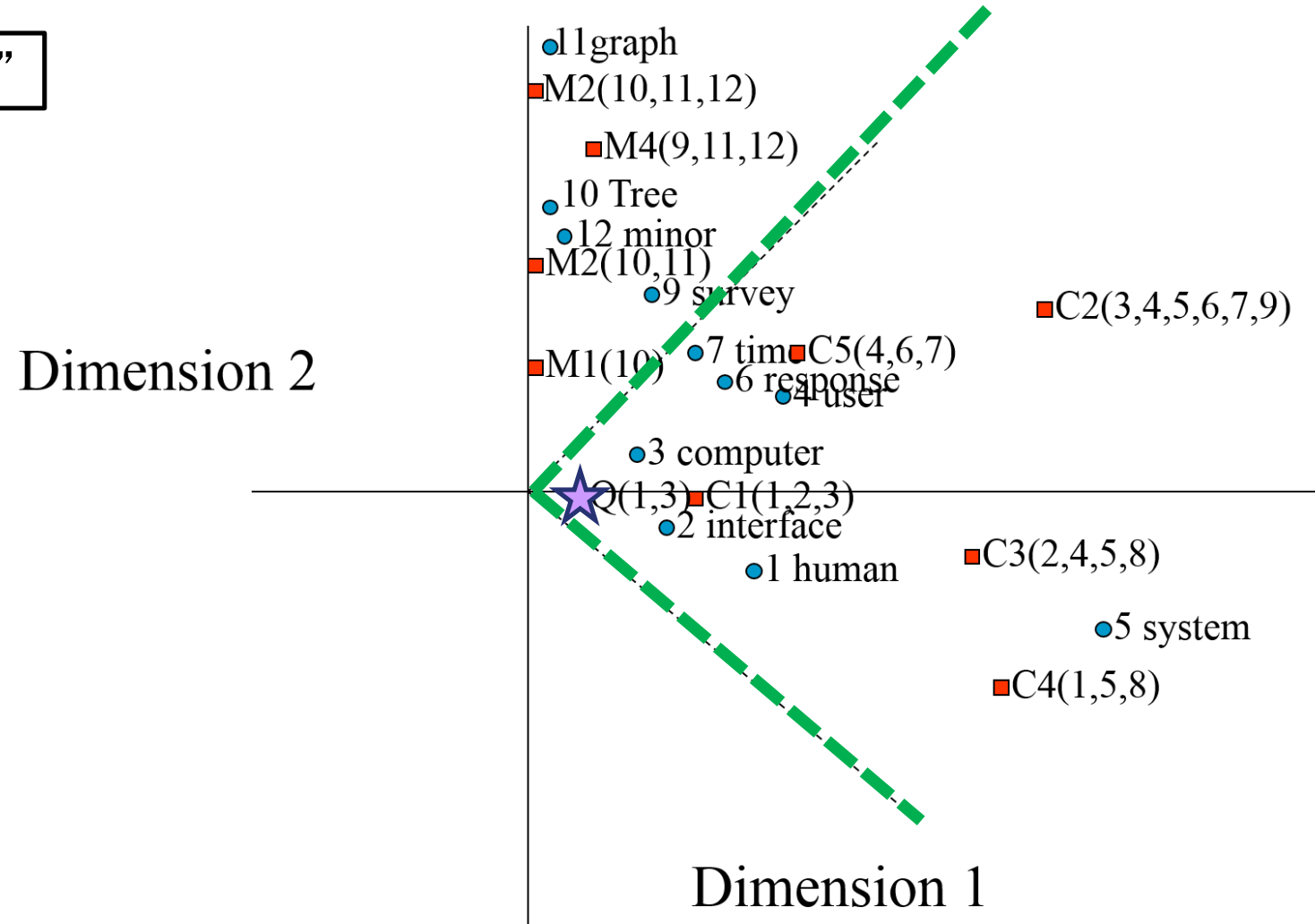
Blue dots are terms

Documents are red squares

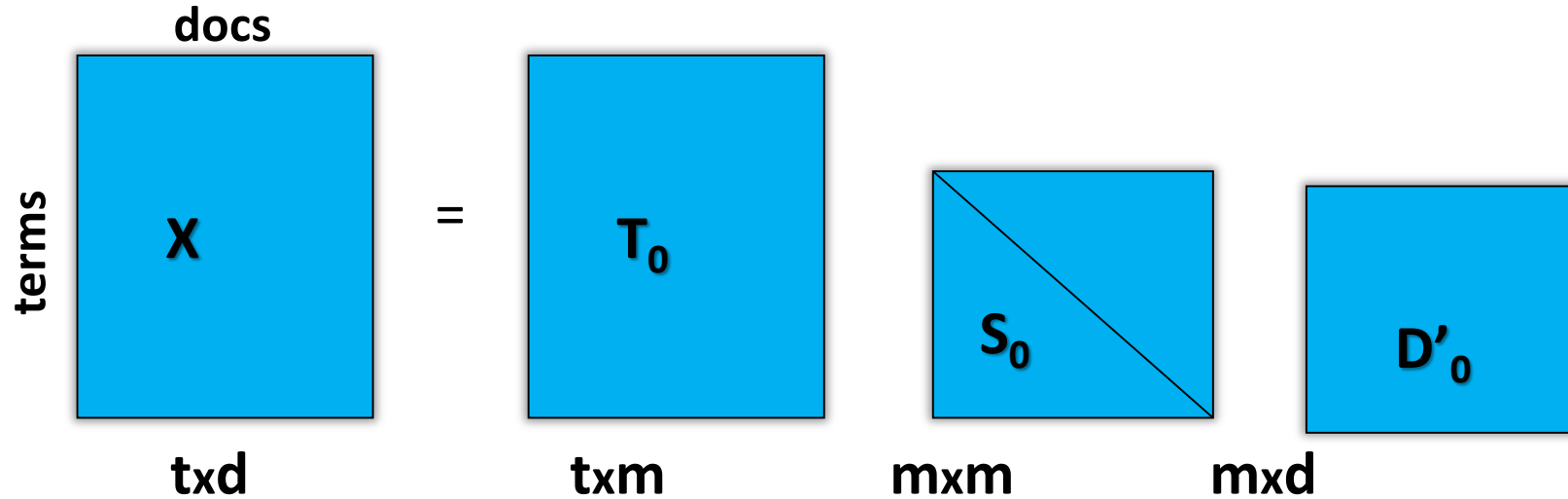
Purple star is a query

Dotted cone is cosine .9 from Query

-- even docs with no terms in common (c3 and c5) lie within cone.



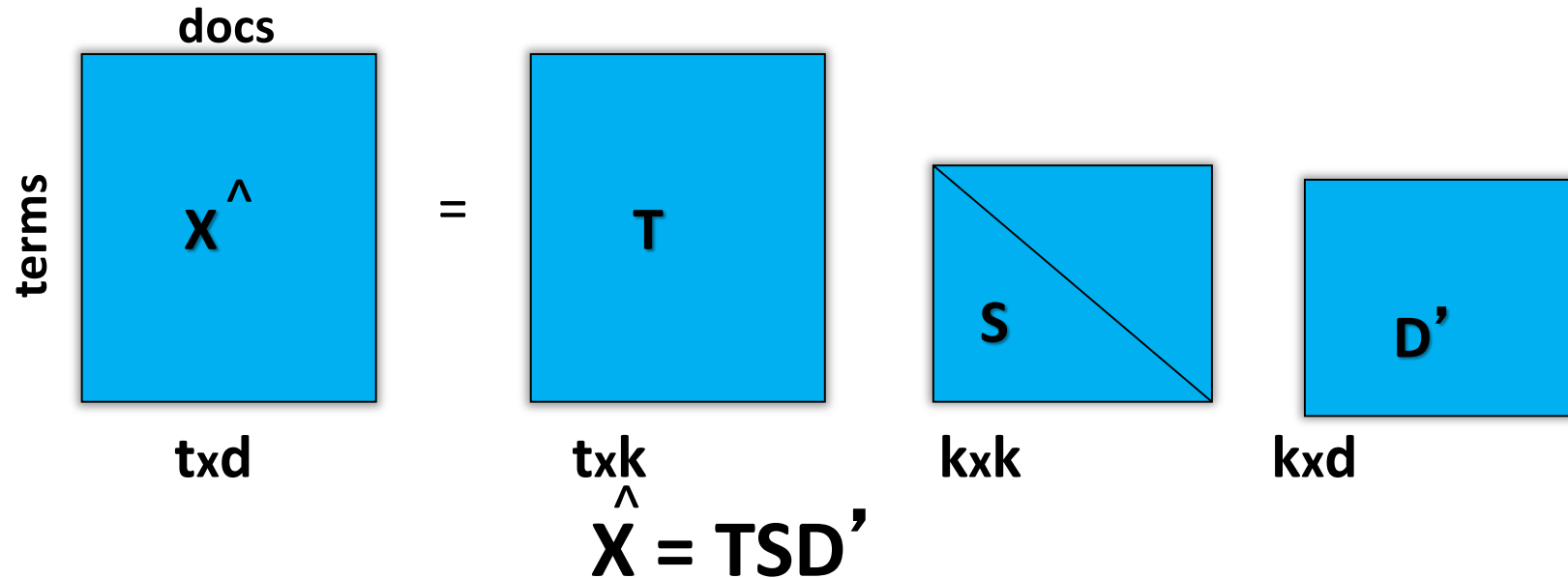
SVD Decomposition of Term-Document Matrix



$$X = T_0 S_0 D'_0$$

T_0 has orthogonal, unit-length columns ($T'_0 T_0 = 1$)
 D_0 has orthogonal, unit-length columns ($D'_0 D_0 = 1$)
 S_0 is the diagonal matrix of singular values
 t is the number of rows in X
 d is the number of columns in X
 m is the rank of X ($\leq \min(t, d)$)

Low-Dimensional Approximation of Term-Document Matrix



T has orthogonal, unit-length columns ($T' T = 1$)

D has orthogonal, unit-length columns ($D' D = 1$)

S_0 is the diagonal matrix of singular values

t is the number of rows in X

d is the number of columns in X

m is the rank of X ($\leq \min(t, d)$)

k is the chosen number of dimensions in the reduced model ($k \leq m$)

Comparing Two Documents

- **The dot product or cosine angle between two column vectors of the matrix \hat{X} tells the extent to which two documents have a similar profile of terms/words**

Matrices in Graphs / Networks

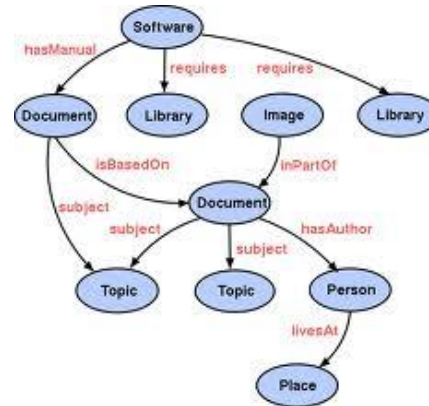
GRAPHS: MOTIVATION

What apps naturally deal w/ graphs?

Social Networks



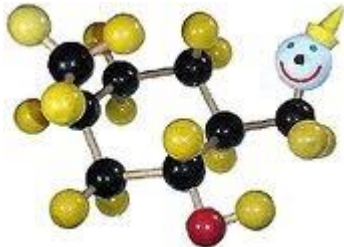
Semantic Web



World Wide Web



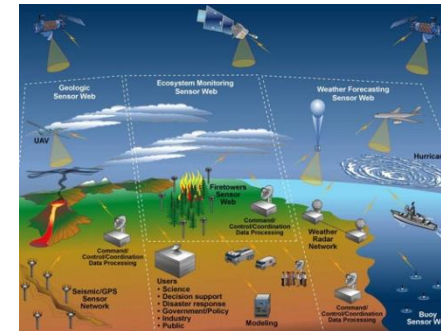
Drug Design,
Chemical compounds



Computer networks



Sensor networks



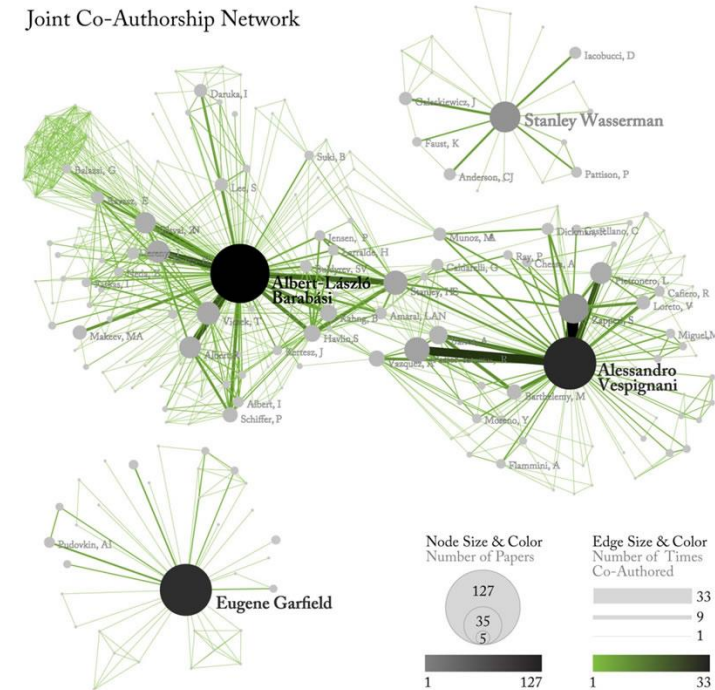
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Real-world Graphs, or Networks

- **Graphs:** consist of objects (vertices) & their relationships (edges/links)
 - **Social:** Facebook, Twitter, LinkedIn
 - **Physical:** Internet, power-grid
 - **Biological:** Protein-protein interactions
 - **Academic Collaboration:** Citation, co-author

Can you think of real-world graphs/networks?

- What are their nodes/vertices?
- What are their relationships/edges/links?



Examples of Real-World Graphs

| Graph / Network | Node / Vertex | Edge / Arc / Relationship |
|-----------------|--------------------|--------------------------------|
| Internet | Computer/router | Cable/wireless data connection |
| WWW | Web page | Hyperlink |
| Facebook | Person | Friendship |
| Power Grid | Generating station | Transmission line |
| Airport Network | Airport in a city | Flight connection |
| US Roads | City | Roads |
| Neural Network | Neuron | Synapse |

How Big Are These Graphs?

Graphs encode rich relationships

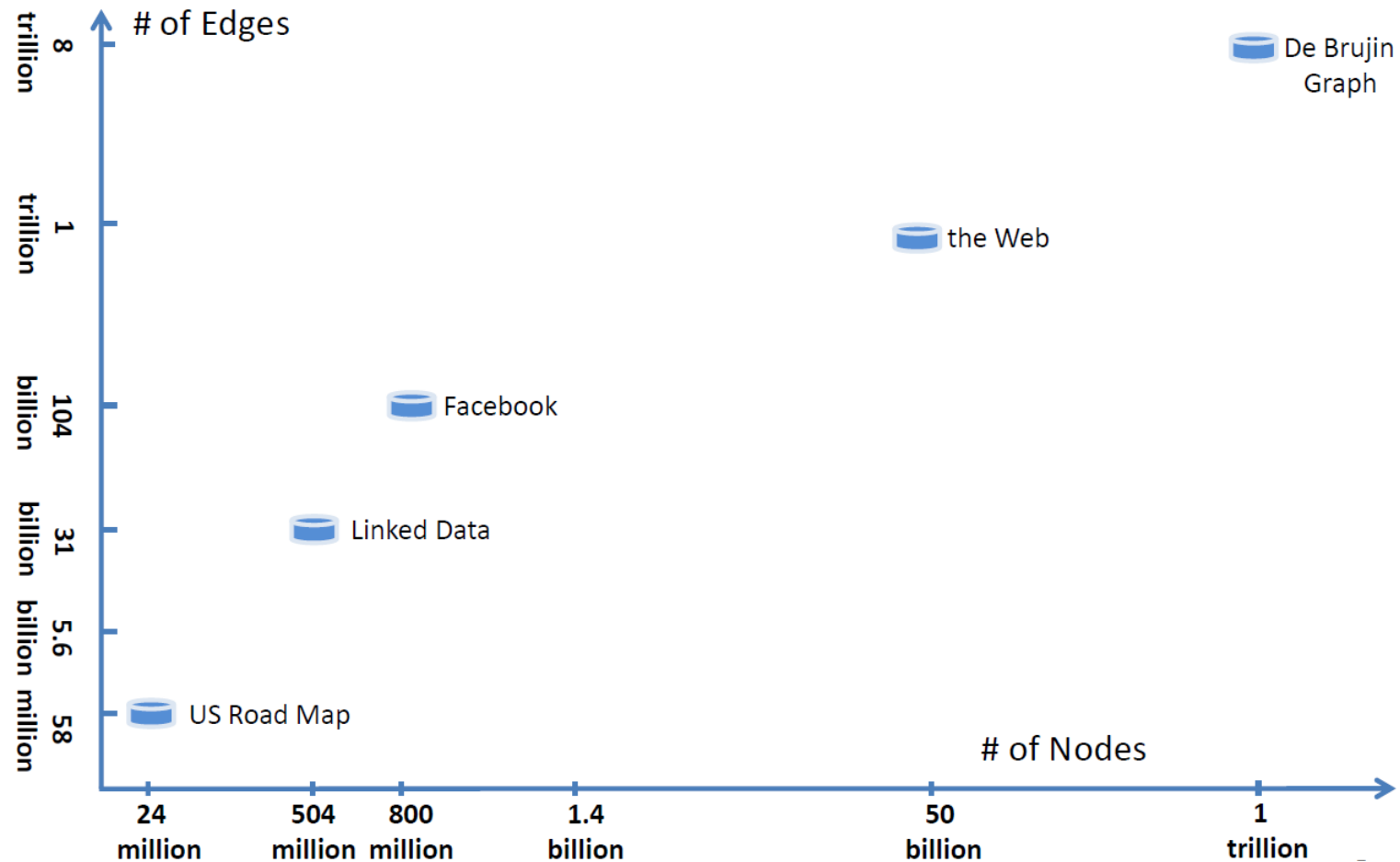


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Graphs Challenge Many Algorithms

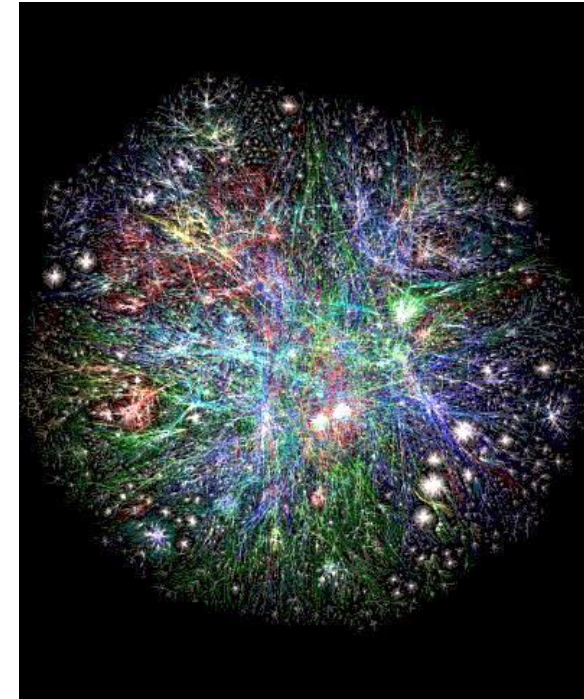
Massive scale

- Can't use conventional algorithms on large graphs
- The graph itself may not even fit in memory

Facebook: $|V| = 721\text{M}$, $|E| = 137\text{B}$

Common crawl: $|V| = 3.5\text{B}$, $|E| = 128\text{B}$

$$O(n^2) \text{ ☹️}$$



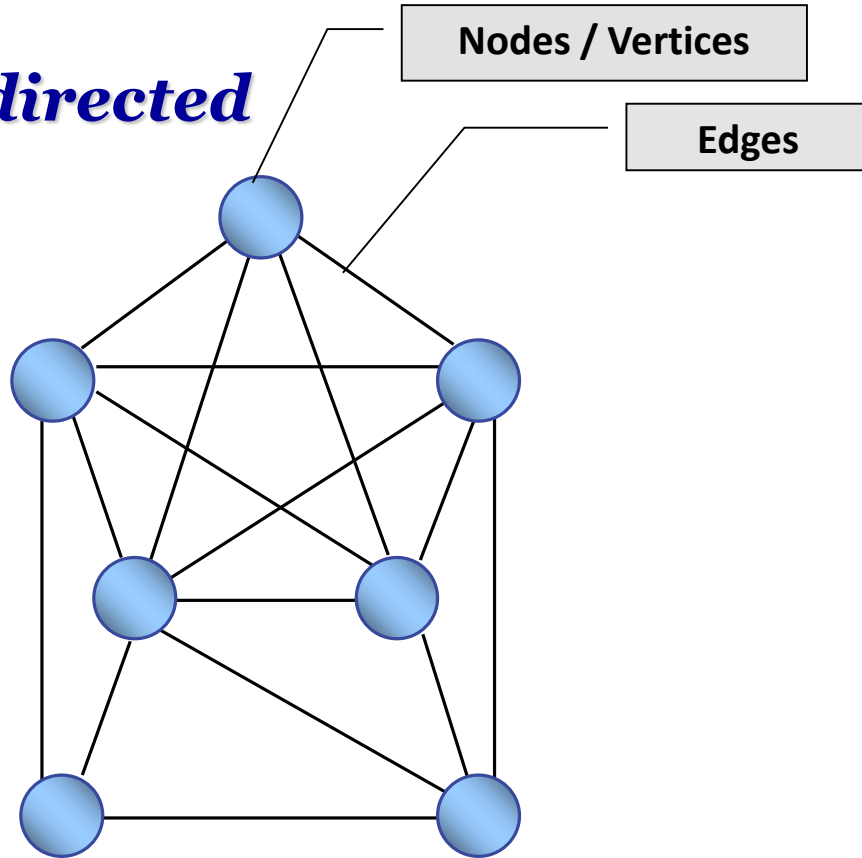
Matrices in Graphs / Networks

GRAPH THEORY PRIMER

Graphs

Graph with 7 nodes and 16 edges

Undirected



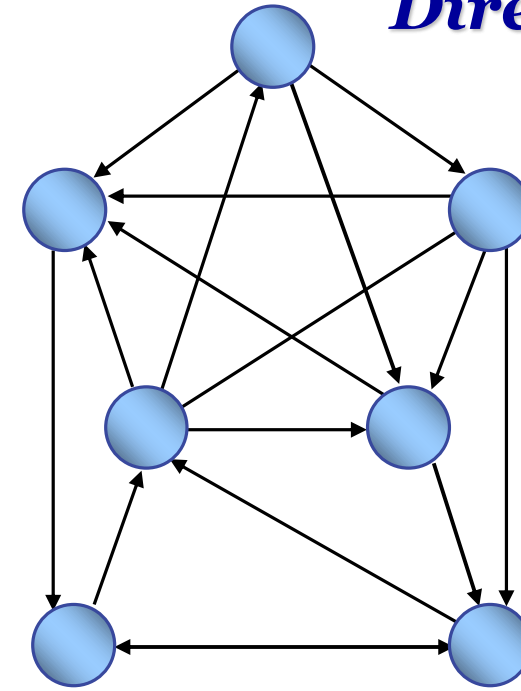
$$(v_i, v_j) = (v_j, v_i)$$

$$G = (V, E)$$

$$V = \{v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n\}$$

$$E = \{e_k = (v_i, v_j) \mid v_i, v_j \in V, k = 1, \dots, m\}$$

Directed



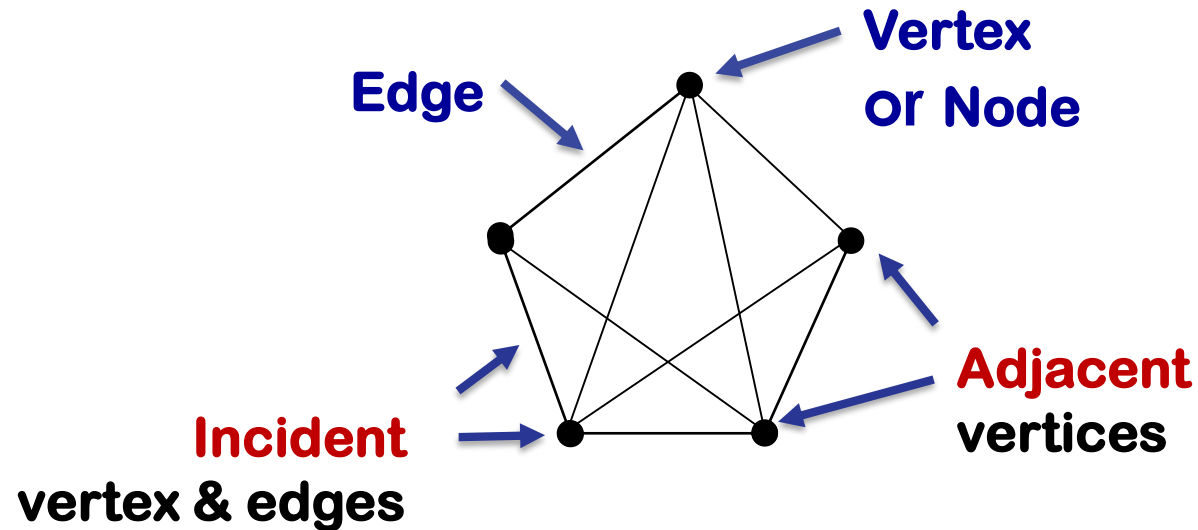
$$(v_i, v_j) \neq (v_j, v_i)$$

Graph Theory

A **graph** is a collection of *vertices* (nodes) and *edges*.

A **vertex** represents some object.

An **edge** connects two vertices and represents some **relationship** between them.



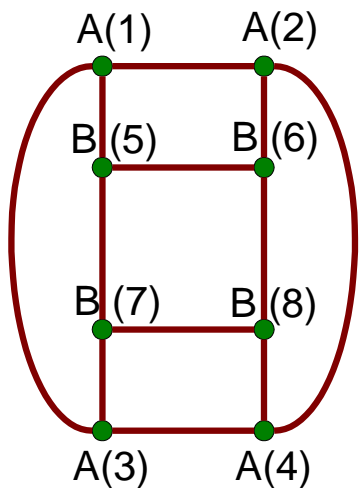
Graph Representation as a Matrix

- **Adjacency Matrix** (vertex vs. vertex)
- **Incidence Matrix** (vertex vs. edge)
- **Sparse** (lots of zero's) vs. **Dense** Matrices

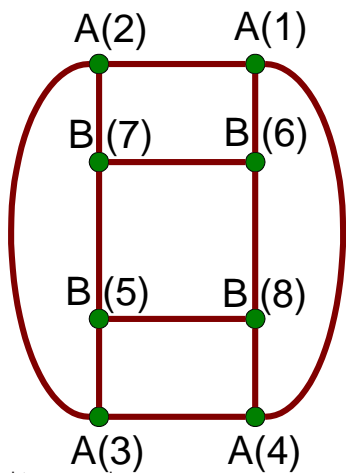
Adjacency Matrix Representation

The representation is *NOT* unique.

Some algorithms are *order-sensitive*.



| | A(1) | A(2) | A(3) | A(4) | B(5) | B(6) | B(7) | B(8) |
|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|------|
| A(1) | 1 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 |
| A(2) | 1 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| A(3) | 1 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 |
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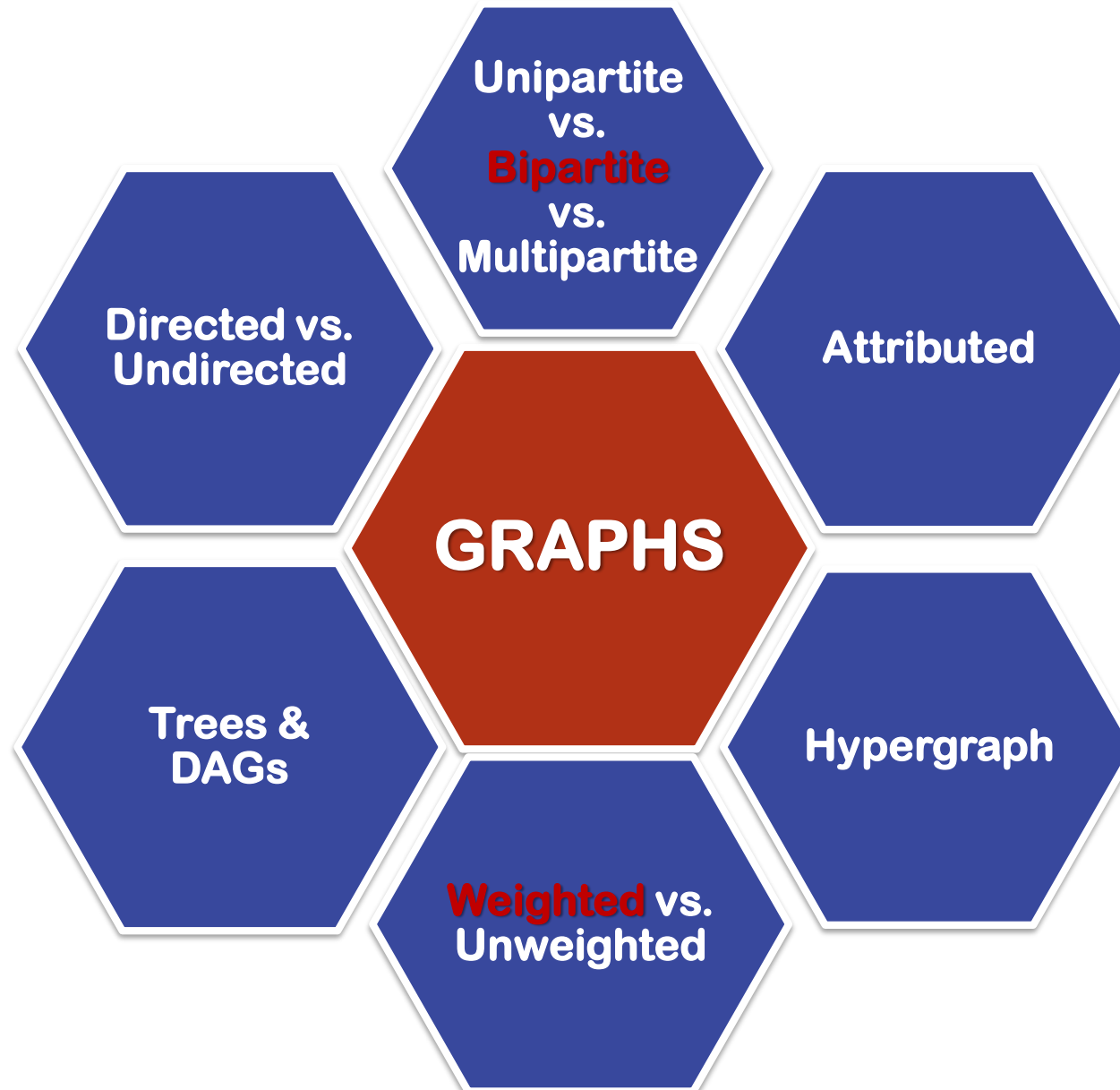


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Types of Graphs

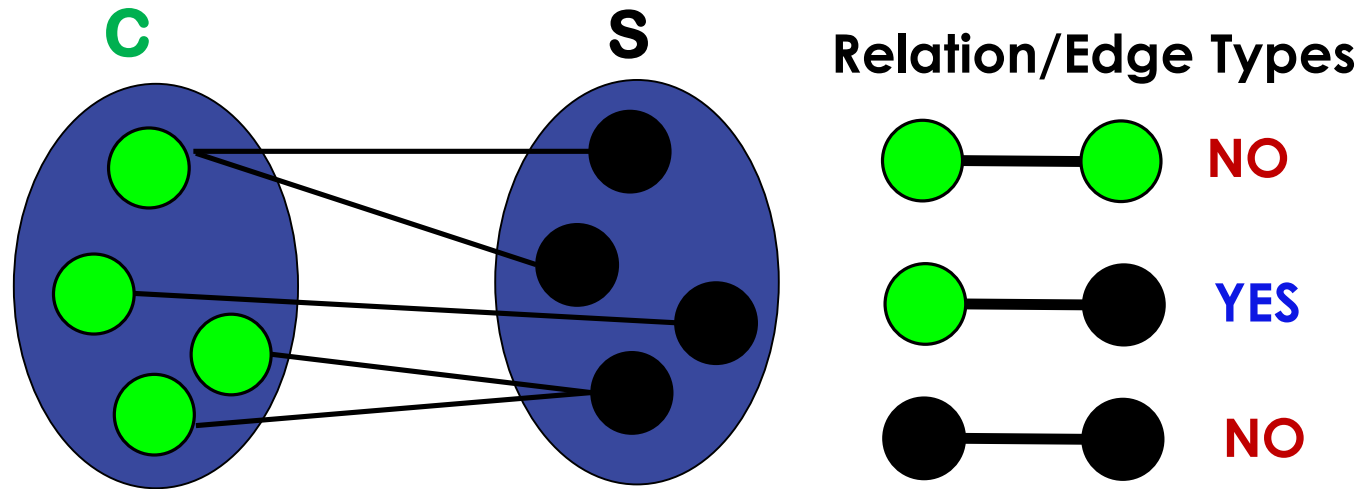
BIPARTITE GRAPHS

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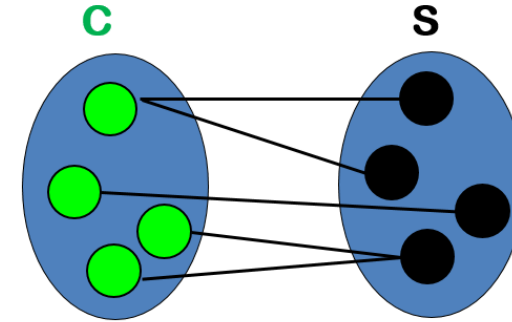


Bipartite Graphs

A graph B is **bipartite** if its vertices V can be partitioned into two non-intersecting sets C and S such that all relationships/edges go between C and S (no edges go from C to C or from S to S).



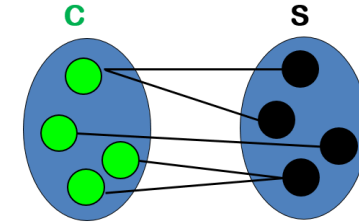
Bipartite Graphs in Business Intelligence (BI)



| Business, B | Customers, C | Services, S | Relationships, R |
|--------------------|---------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|
| Amazon | Customers | Products | Purchasing |
| Netflix | Subscribers | Movies | Watching |
| Pandora | Subscribers | Songs | Listening to |
| CISCO | Manufacturers | Parts | Supplying to CISCO |

Observations about Bipartite BI Graphs

- Adjacency matrix is very **sparse**: ($r_{cs} = 0$ or $r_{cs} = ???$)
- Relationships are not always binary, but **weighted**:
 - $r_{cs} = *****$: How customer rated a product
 - $r_{cs} = 25$: How many times subscriber listened to the song
 - $r_{cs} = High$: How reliable manufacturer was in supplying the part
- **Missing** relationships ($r_{cs} = 0$ or $r_{cs} = ???$) are **business opportunities**:
 - Recommend new products to customers
 - Find reliable manufacturers
 - Ensure continued customer subscriptions to services



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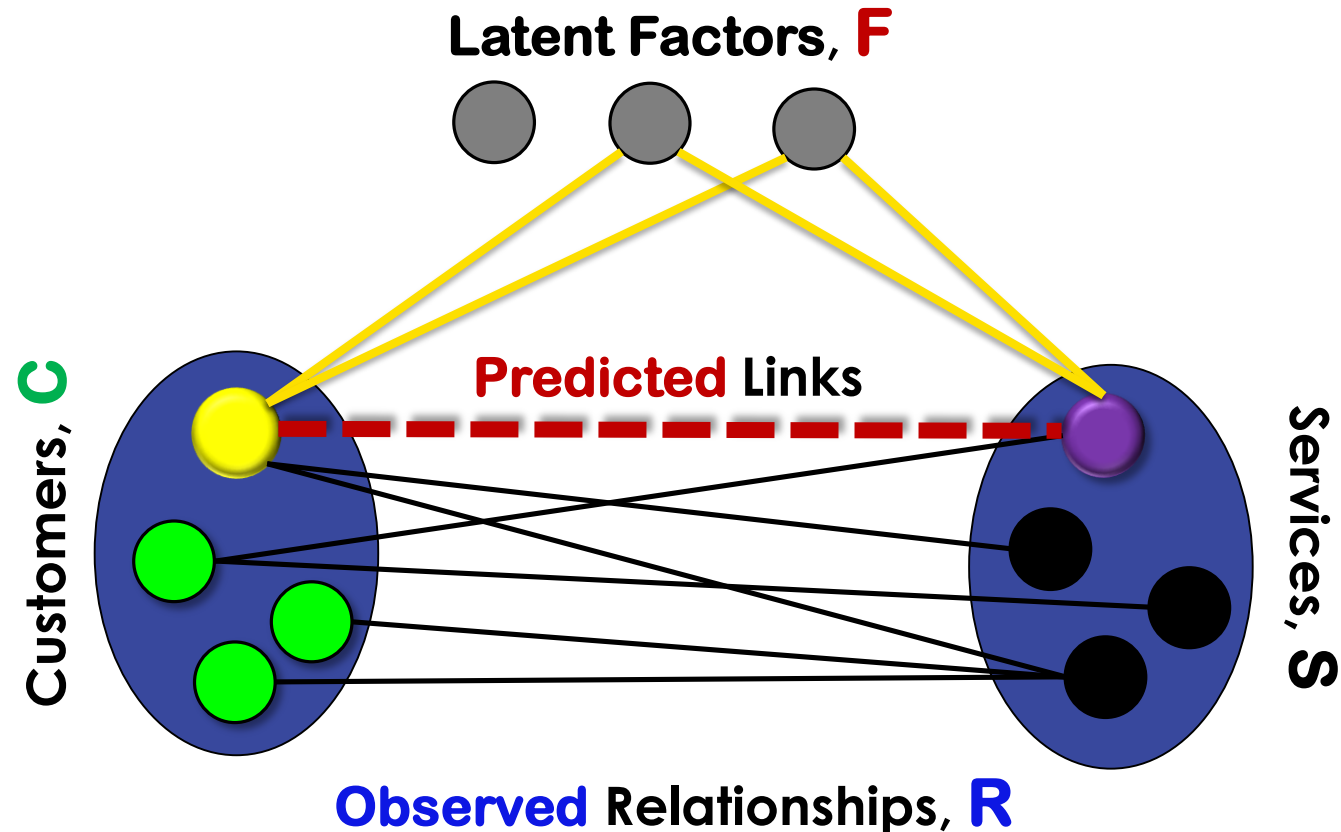
Bipartite Graphs

MISSING LINKS

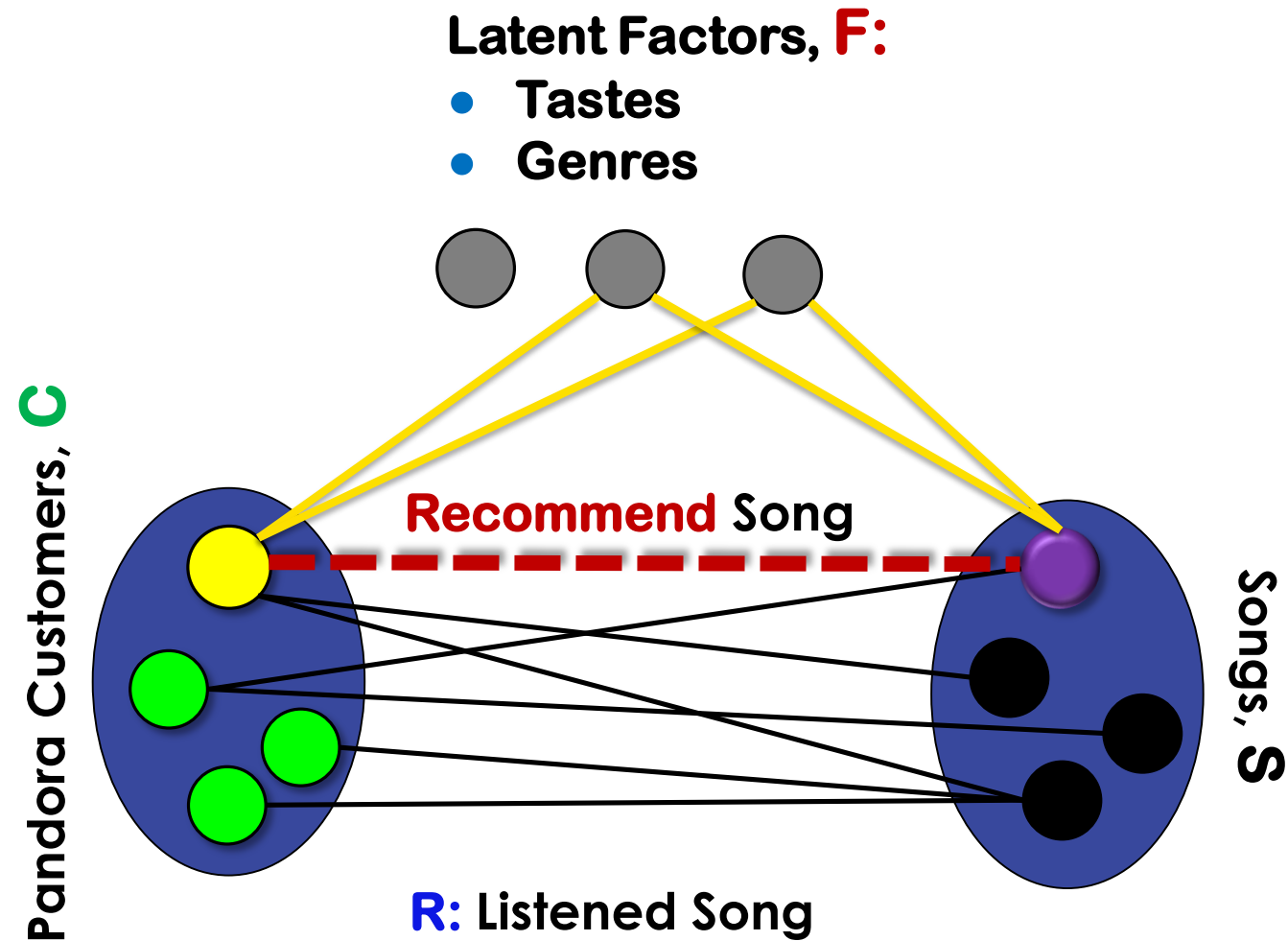
Assumptions: Hidden Factors & Missing Links

There are a few **hidden** or **latent factors** $F = \{f_1, f_2, \dots, f_h\}$ that define/drive the **relationships** between **C** and **S**.

These latent / hidden factors can be used **to complete missing relationships** between **C** and **S**.



Example: Hidden Factors & Missing Links



Bipartite Graph Representation

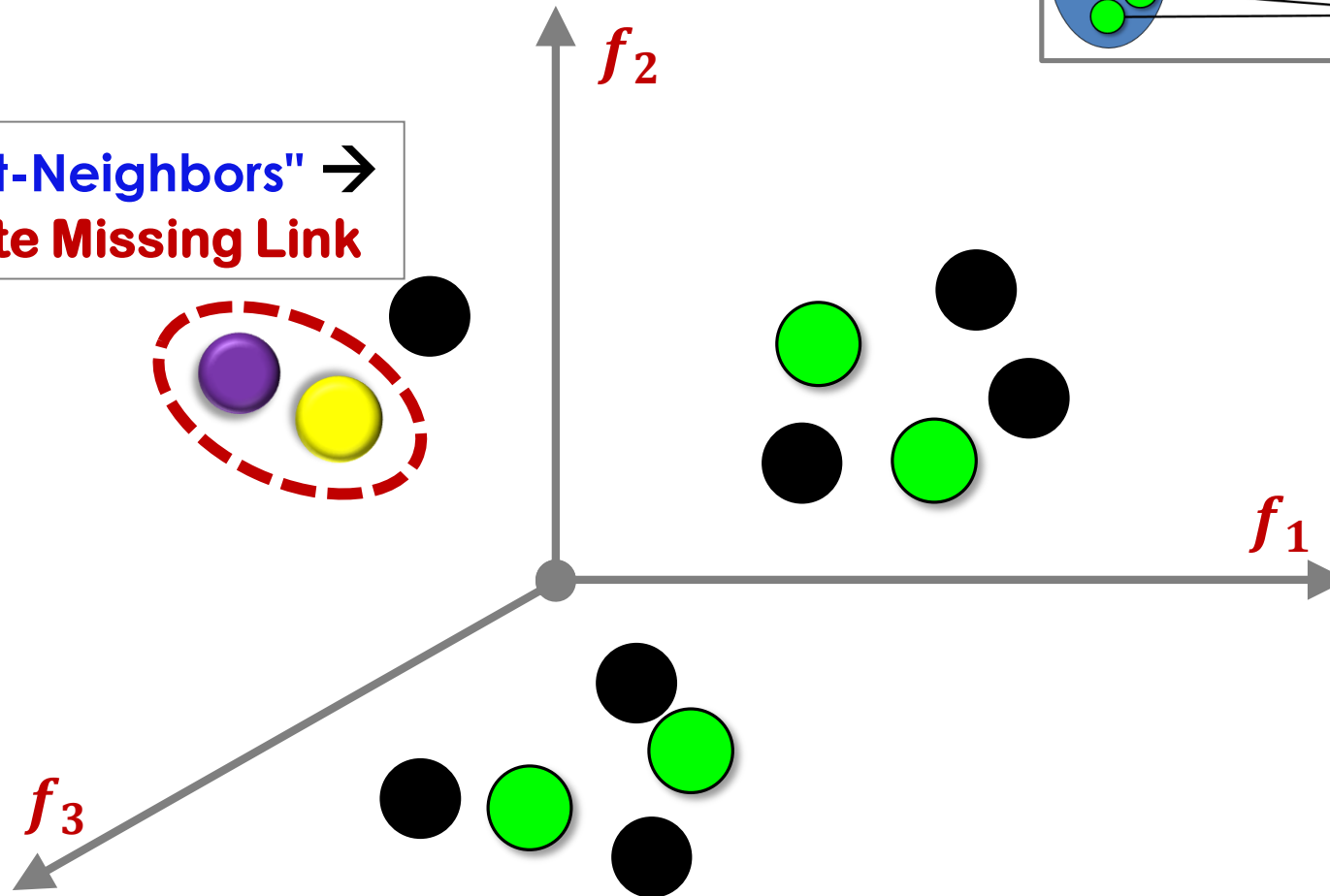
LATENT FACTOR SPACE

Latent Factor Space View

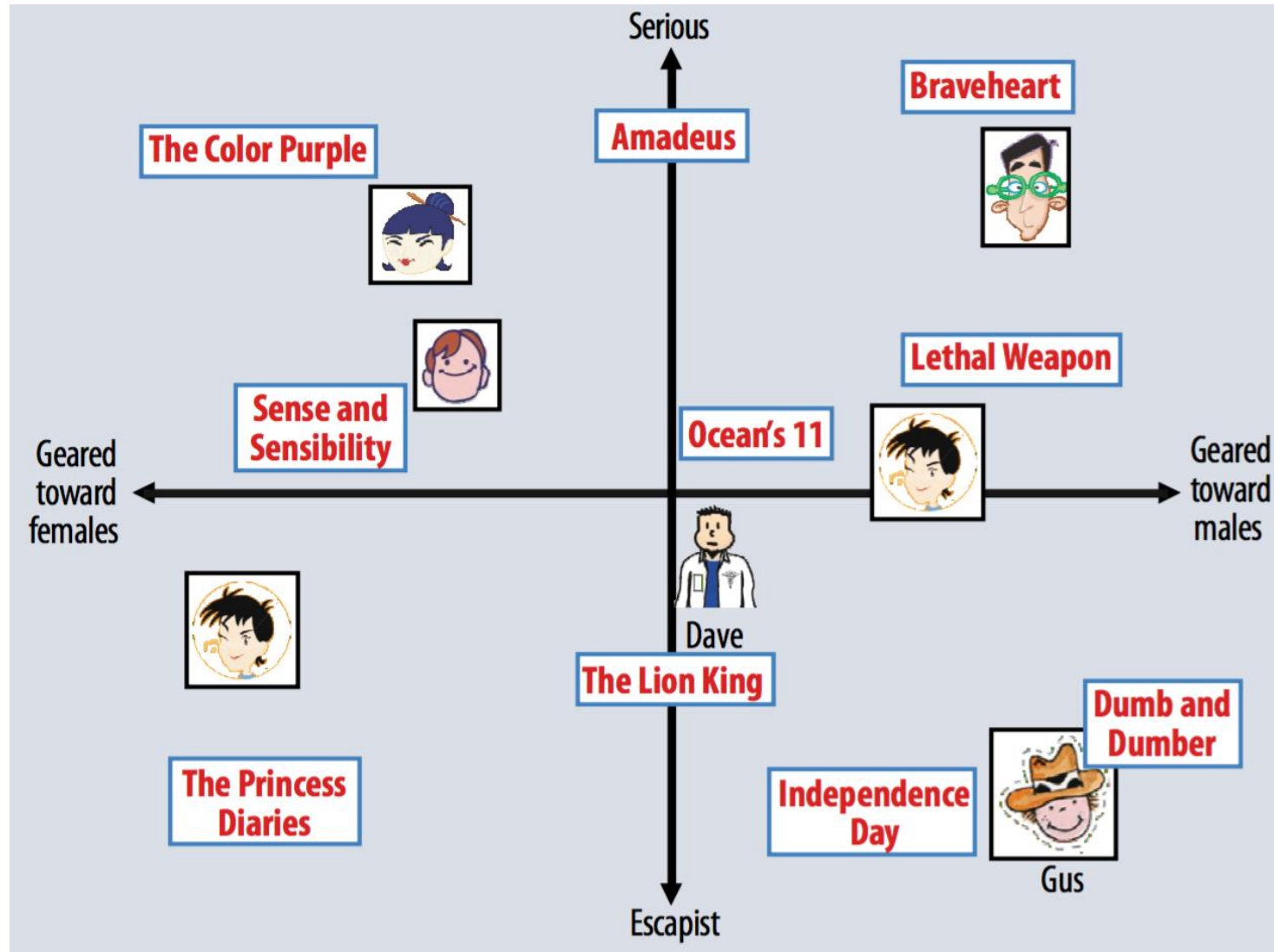
Customer-Service Relations in
the **Latent Factor Space**:

$$F = \{f_1, f_2, \dots, f_h\}$$

"Nearest-Neighbors" →
Complete Missing Link



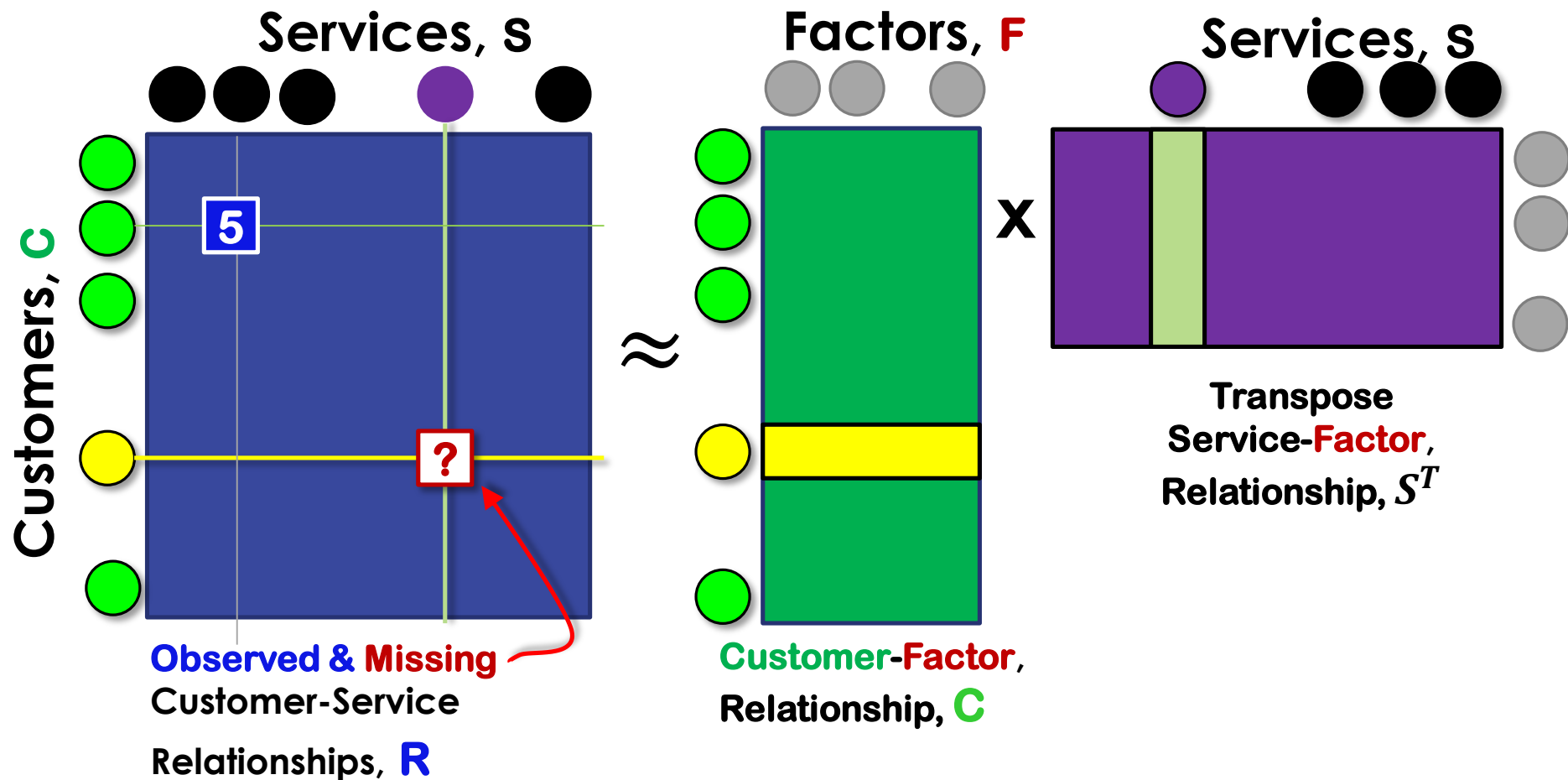
Ex: User-Movie Relations in a Latent Factor Space



Latent Factor Space

MATRIX FACTORIZATION / DECOMPOSITION

Matrix Factorization / Completion View



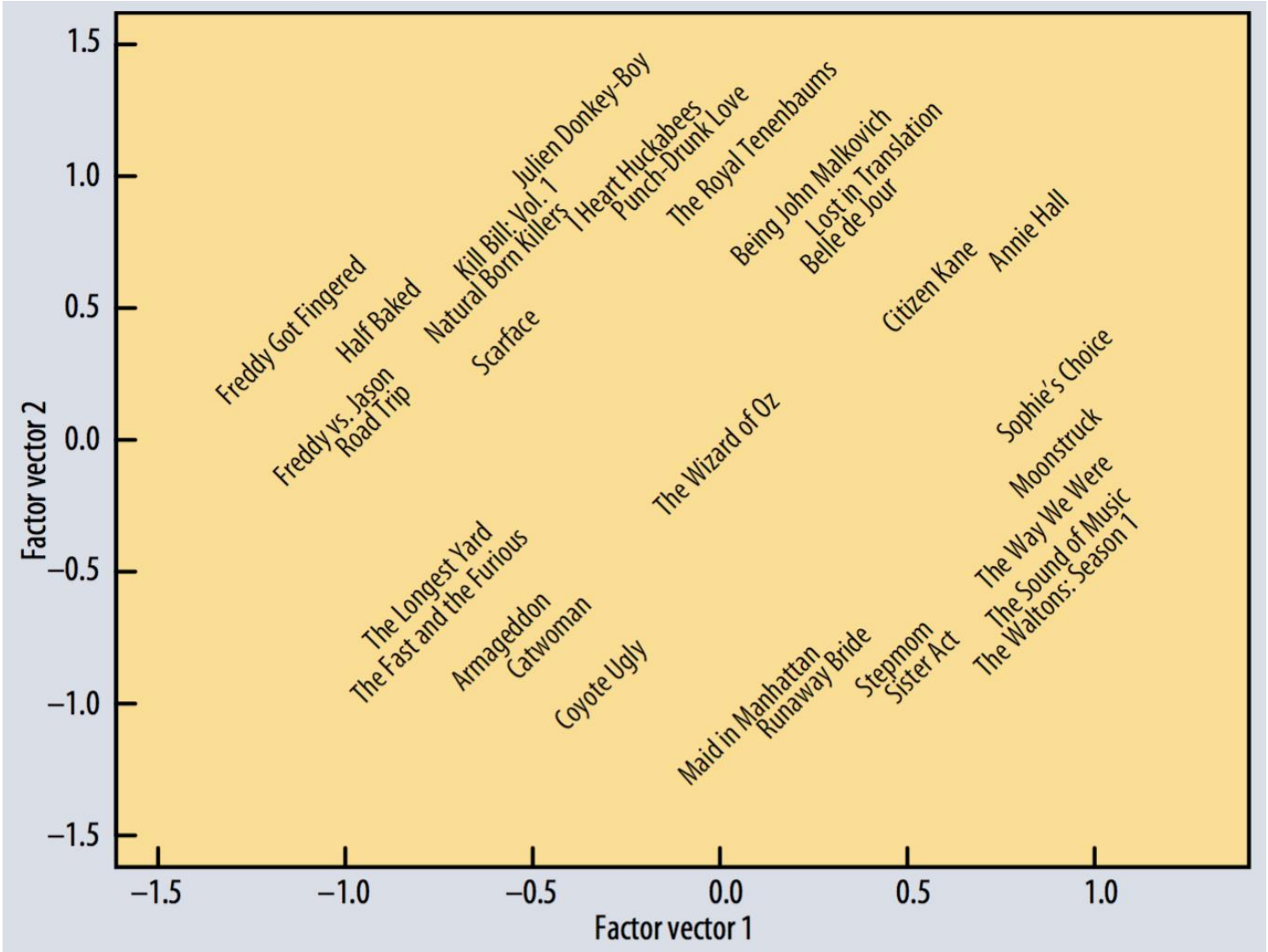
$R \approx C \times S^T$

Complete Missing Values

?

 \approx \times

First Two Vectors from Matrix Decomposition

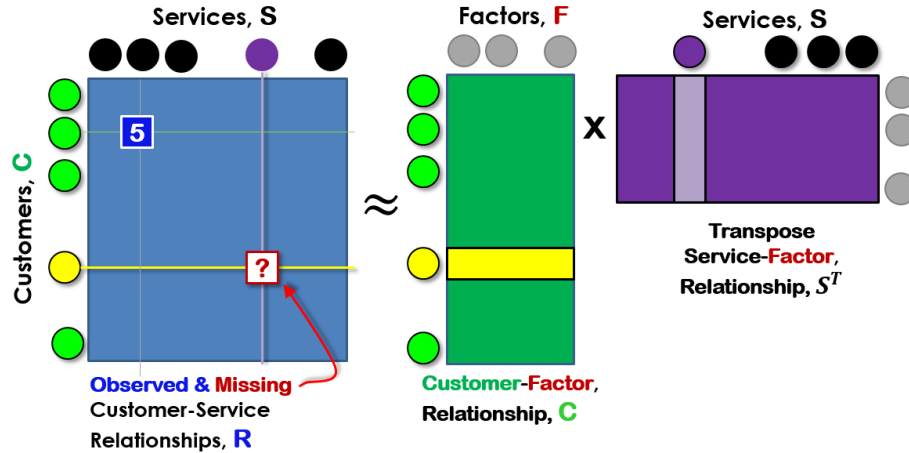


Matrix Factorization / Decomposition

ALTERNATE LEAST SQUARES

Paatero, 1994

Matrix Completion, or Matrix Factorization



Customers: $C = \{c_1, c_2, \dots, c_n\}$

Services: $S = \{s_1, s_2, \dots, s_m\}$

Hidden Factors: $F = \{f_1, f_2, \dots, f_h\}$

$$R_{n \times m} \approx \hat{R} = C_{n \times h} \times S_{h \times m}^T$$

$$r_{i,j} \approx \vec{c}_i \times \vec{s}_j^T$$

vector product

R : sparse matrix

\hat{R} : dense matrix

$C \times S^T$: dense matrix

C : dense matrix

S : dense matrix

$h = O(\text{constant})$

$h \ll n$

$h \ll m$

How to Find the "Best" \hat{R} ?

$$R_{n \times m} \approx \hat{R} = C_{n \times h} \times S_{h \times m}^T$$

known

unknown

unknown

$$r_{i,j} \approx \vec{c}_i \times \vec{s}_j^T$$

vector product

- For the sake of simplicity, let's assume that $S_{h \times m}^T$ is **known**.
- How to find $C_{n \times h}$?
- Can we multiply on the right by the inverse of $(S_{h \times m}^T)^{-1}$?
 - Note: Matrix inverse is only for squared matrices
 - But $S_{h \times m}^T$ is skinny, rectangular ($h \ll m$)
- How can we create a squared matrix?

$$R_{n \times m} \times S_{m \times h} \approx C_{n \times h} \times (S_{h \times m}^T \times S_{m \times h})$$

- $S^T \times S$ is an $h \times h$ squared matrix.
- Let's assume that $S^T \times S$ is **invertible**, then

$$R \times S \times (S^T \times S)^{-1} \approx C$$

Assuming S is known and $S^T S$ is invertible

- Goal: Optimize the "best" approximation to the matrix C

$$R \times S \times (S^T \times S)^{-1} \approx C$$

Minimize Least Squares, or the Frobenius Norm

$$\left\| R \times S \times (S^T \times S)^{-1} - C \right\|_F \rightarrow \min$$

$$E = R \times S \times (S^T \times S)^{-1} - C$$
 Error Matrix, E

$$\|E\|_F = \sqrt{\sum_{i=1}^n \sum_{j=1}^h E_{ij}^2} = \sqrt{\text{trace}(E^T E)}$$

Let's assume that $C_{n \times h}$ is known

$$R_{n \times m} \approx \hat{R} = C_{n \times h} \times S_{h \times m}^T$$

known

known

unknown

$$r_{i,j} \approx \vec{c}_i \times \vec{s}_j^T$$

vector product

1. How to find $S_{h \times m}^T$?
2. What other assumptions should be made?
3. What is the optimization function?

$$??? \approx S$$

$$??? \rightarrow \min$$

Alternating Least Square

Optimization Problem: Find

$$R_{n \times m} \approx \hat{R} = C_{n \times h} \times S_{h \times m}^T$$

Minimize Loss Function:

$$\|R - C \times S^T\|_F^2 \rightarrow \min$$

or equivalently

$$\min_{C,S} \sum_{u,i} (r_{ui} - C_u S_i^T)^2$$

- Optimizing C and S simultaneously is non-convex, hard
- If C or S are **fixed**, then the system of linear equations: convex & easy
 - Initialize S with random values
 - Solve for C
 - Fix C
 - Solve for S
 - Repeat ("Alternating")
 - Fixed number of iterations or
 - Till the Error stabilizes

