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1 Abstract

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2 Introduction

In this text it will be summarized the pseudocodes and the general scheme of the [insert name here] package created by the Interdisciplinary Group of Complex Systems....

3 General Scheme of the Package

The [name] is written in Python Language because of it simple syntax and the vast amount of packages developed by the community. In this package we take advantage of the Object Oriented Programming (OOP) feature of Phyton. The main idea is to generate a robust and easier to work package, that could be improved by the community of complex systems. In the following image is summarized the scheme of the package

In the package the principal classes that are used are the class *Node* and the class *Network*. All the other classes inherit from these basic objects. The blue boxes correspond to the daughter classes of Node and Network. The black boxes correspond to the wrappers, it means that import all the objects that correspond to certain functionality. In our case we classified the classes in: topologies, to those codes that give the topology to the graph/network and dynamics, to those codes that correspond to the dynamics, independently of the topology of the graph/network used. The Wrapper black box, what it does is import Topology.py and Dynamics.py and have a main code. The dotted boxes correspond to the non-implemented classes or codes but are planned to be implemented in the future.

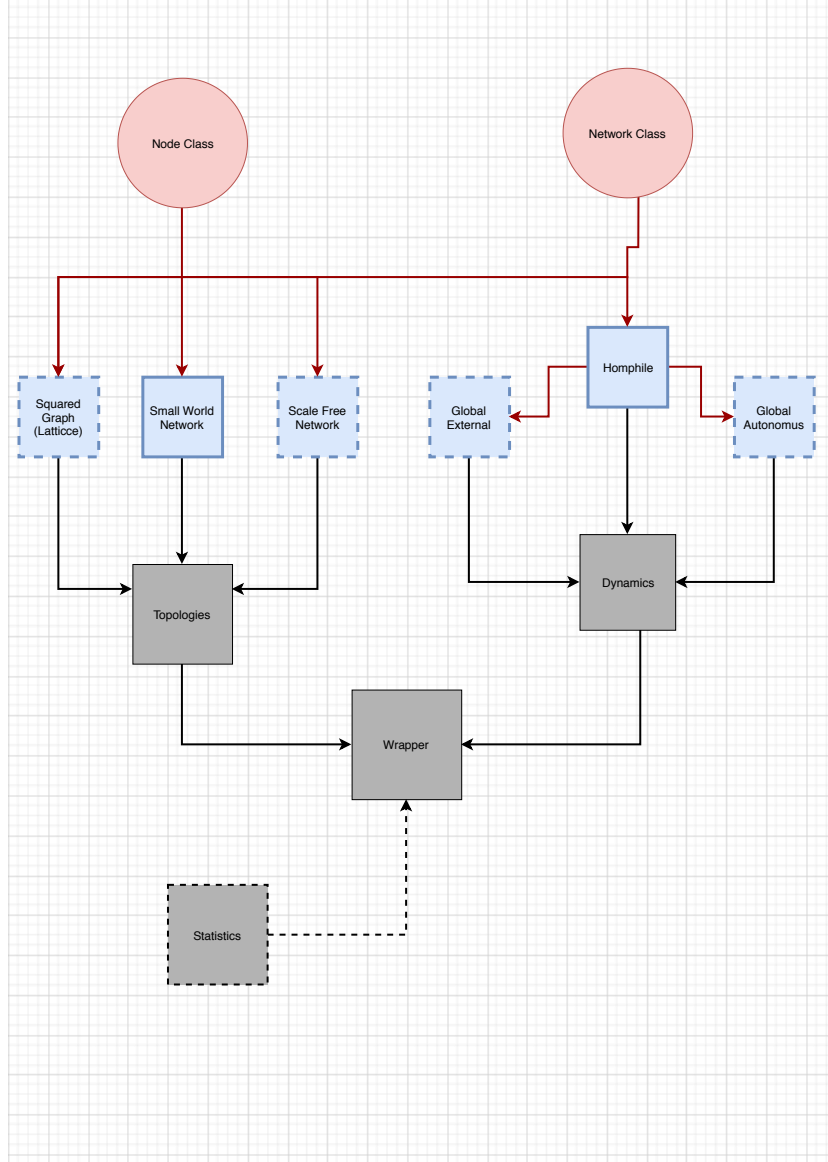


Figure 1: General Scheme of the package [name]. The red arrows means that *it is inherit from*. The black arrows means that *it is imported from*. The black boxes correspond to the *wrappers*. The blue boxes correspond to *class or objects*. The rec circles correspond to the *main classes*, it means the parent classes.

4 Parents Classes

In this section it will be shown the already implemented classes *Node* and *Network*.

4.1 Node Class

The node class have only two methods. The constructor *init*, which recieve a pointer of argument **argv*. In this case it only need the first argument *argv[0]*, which is a list of integers that correspond to the connections *.cnx* of the node. The other methods corresponds to the *str*, which is in charge of the printing format.

```
1 import numpy as np
2
3 class node:
4
5     def __init__(self, *argv):
6         """Constructor"""
7         self.cnx = argv[1] # Lista de vecinos
8
9
10    def __str__(self):
11        return "Conexiones: {}".format(self.cnx)
```

Listing 1: Node Class

For example:

```
1     nodo = node([1,2,3,4])
2     nodo2 = node([5,6])
3     print("Nodo1 :"+str(nodo))
4     print("Nodo2 :"+str(nodo2))
5
6     -----
7
8     Nodo1 :Conexiones: [1, 2, 3, 4]
9     Nodo2 :Conexiones: [5, 6]
```

Listing 2: Example Node Class

4.2 Network Class

The network class is a little bit more complex because it contains some of the methods to draw and export the topologies of the networks. First, we import the libraries *matplotlib* and *networkx* to help us to plot the networks. The library *numpy* is imported to help us with some mathematical operation that we could need. We also import the class *Node* because a network contain a list of nodes.

Now, let us focus on the implemented methods. First, the constructor have only one input *NumeroNodos*, which corresponds to the total number of nodes that our network is going to include. The constructor define two characteristics of the class: *self.N*, the number of nodes and *self.nodes*, the list of objects *nodes*. For the characteristics *self.nodes* it is called the method *self.completeGraph()*,

which return a list of nodes that all are connected between them (Complete Graph). The next method corresponds to the *adjacentMatrix*, which create the adjacent matrix associated to the network. Next, the *plotAdjacentMatrix* is a method that obtain the adjacent matrix and it create a plot of the graph as is shown in the Figure. 2. Finally, the method *adjacentMatrixFile*, which create an adjacent matrix and export it in a data file to be used by another software to plot it like Mathematica.

```

1 from Node import node
2 import numpy as np
3 import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
4 import networkx as nx
5
6 class network():
7
8     def __init__(self, NumeroNodos):
9         """Constructor"""
10        self.N = NumeroNodos
11        self.nodes = self.completeGraph()
12
13
14    def completeGraph(self):
15        # Method that create a complete graph.
16        # It return a list of objects node.
17
18        nodesList = [] # Create an empty list
19        nodeT= self.N # Define the total number of nodes
20        for i in range(nodeT):
21            nodesList.append( node([x for x in range(nodeT) if x
22            != i]))
23            # Append an object node, that is connected with
24            # all the other nodes except itself, at each
25            # iteration
26        return nodesList
27
28    def adjacentMatrix(self):
29        # Method to create the adjacent matrix of the
30        # network. It return a list of list (matrix).
31
32        totalN = self.N # Total number of nodes
33        matrix = np.zeros((totalN, totalN))
34        # Initialize a matrix N x N of zeros
35        for i in range(totalN):
36            nodeaux = self.nodes[i]
37            for j in nodeaux.cnx:
38                matrix[i][j] = 1
39            # For each node i, at j an integer in the list
40            # of connections of the node it is put a 1 in
41            # the position matrix[i,j] s
42        return matrix
43
44    def plotAdjacentMatrix(self):
45        # Method that plot the network. It return an
46        # image of the topology of the network.
47
48        matrix = self.adjacentMatrix()

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48     # Create the adjacent matrix of the network
49     rows, cols = np.where(matrix == 1)
50     # Get all the rows and columns with a number 1
51     edges = zip(rows.tolist(), cols.tolist())
52     # Create a list of edges of the form (row, col)
53     gr = nx.Graph()
54     # Initialize the graph
55     gr.add_edges_from(edges)
56     # Add the edges to graph
57     nx.draw_circular(gr, node_size=10)
58     # Define the characteristics of the plot
59     plt.show()
60
61     def adjacentMatrixFile(self, fileName):
62         # Method to export a file with the adjacent
63         # matrix.
64         # Input: Name of the file.
65         # Return a file .dat with zeros and ones.
66
67         dataFile = open(str(fileName)+".dat", "w")
68         # Create the file
69         matrix = self.adjacentMatrix()
70         # Create the adjacent matrix
71         totalN = self.N
72         for i in range(totalN):
73             for j in range(totalN-1):
74                 dataFile.write("%d " % matrix[i][j])
75                 j += 1
76                 dataFile.write("%d" % matrix[i][j])
77                 dataFile.write("\n")
78         # Write in the file the information of the adjacent matrix
79         dataFile.close()

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Listing 3: Network Class

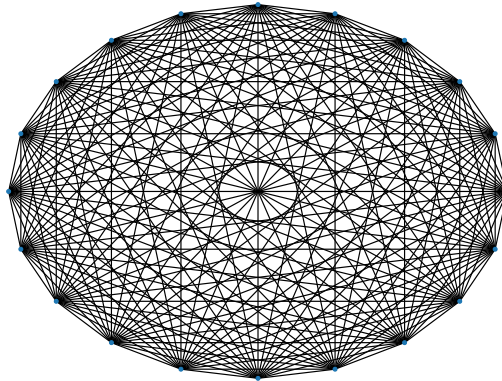


Figure 2: Plot of a complete circular graph with 20 nodes.

5 Topologies

In this section we are going to discuss the classes that are implemented in the wrapper *Topologies.py* and for the non-implemented codes the corresponding pseudocodes or reference will be presented.

5.1 Small World Network

The implemented code is based on the Watts-Strogatz Algorithm to create a small world network [1]. First, we create an ordered network. Given N nodes for each node we assign K neighbors, half to the "left" and half to the "right". This could be understood in the following Figure. 3.

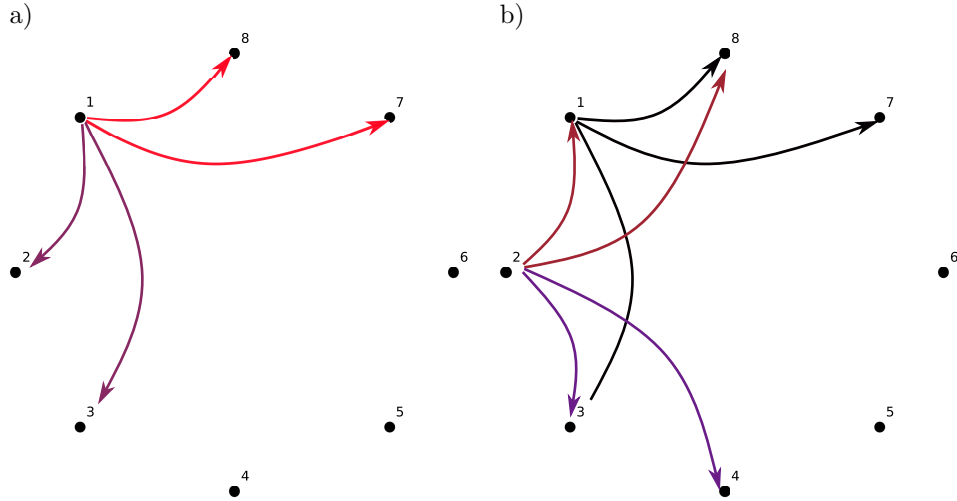


Figure 3: Representation of the algorithm that create an ordered network with $K = 4$ and $N = 8$. a) Correspond to the first step of the algorithm. b) Second step of the algorithm. Red arrows correspond to the left connections, purple arrows to right connections and black edges correspond to the connections of the previous step.

Next, we proceed to scramble the network with probability p . Let consider the previous ordered network with $N = 8$ and $K = 4$ (Figure. 4).

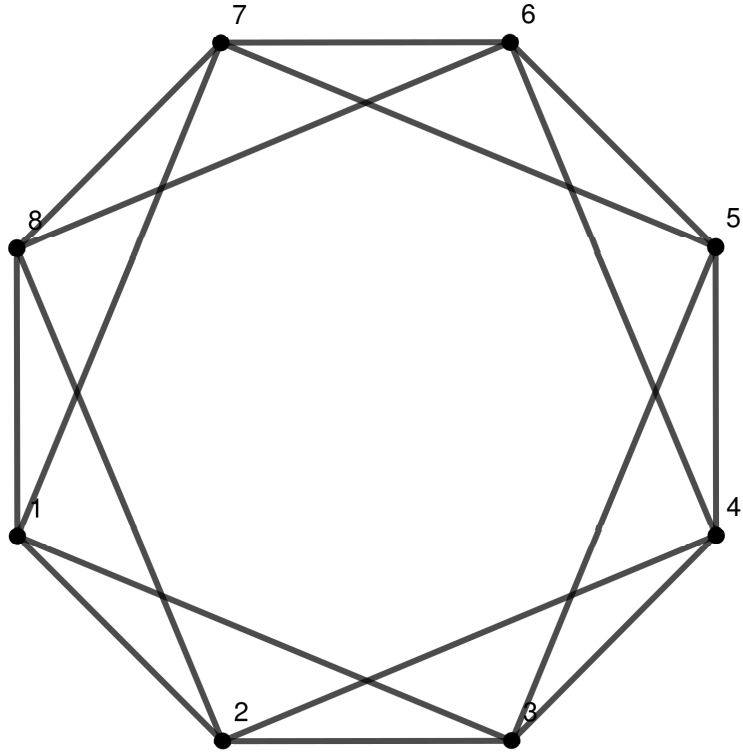


Figure 4: Ordered Graph with $K = 4$ and $N = 8$.

The algorithm "walks" through all the network and per each node n_i it get a random number r_i between $[0, 1]$ and compare with p . If $r_i < p$, then it choose an aleatory neighbors from the right connections of $n_i.cnxL$ and reconnect with another node that is no in it connections of n_i . We repete the procedure with the next nodes. Notice that the scrambling or rewiring is performed in counter-clockwise way (Figure. 5).

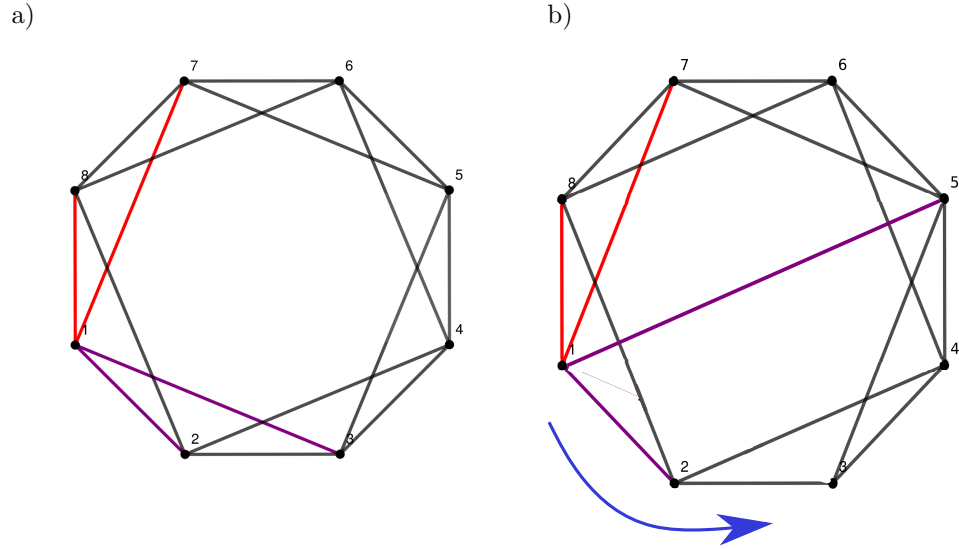


Figure 5: Representation of the scrambling algorithm for a network with $K = 4$, $N = 8$ and probability p . a) Correspond to the ordered network. b) Correspond to the reconnection of the edge 1 – 3 to 5. Red edges correspond to the left connections, purple edges to right connections and black edges correspond to the connections of the previous step.

```

1 from Node import node
2 from Network import network
3 import numpy as np
4 import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
5 import networkx as nx
6 import random
7
8
9 class nodeSW(node):
10
11     def __init__(self, *argv):
12         #Constructor of the node used in the Small world network
13         #algorithm. The right connections correspond to those that we
14         #are going to reconnect. The left connections correspond to
15         #those that are going to be eliminated.
16
17         self.cnxL = argv[0]
18         # Left connections
19         self.cnxR = argv[1]
20         # Right connections
21         self.cnx = self.cnxL + self.cnxR
22         # Total connections
23
24 class swNet(network):

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25 def __init__(self, NumeroNodos, K, p):
26     """Constructor"""
27     self.N = NumeroNodos
28     # Total Number of nodes
29     self.nodetype = nodeSW
30     # Type of node of the network
31     self.nodes = self.orderedNetwork(K)
32     # Create a ordered network
33     self.wsNet(p)
34     # Scramble the network
35     # #with a probability p
36
37
38 def orderedNetwork(self, K):
39     # Method to create an ordered network with
40     # K number of neighbors per node
41     # Input: K, number of neighbors
42     # Outputs: List of objects self.nodetype
43
44     totalN = self.N
45     # total number of nodes
46     nodesList = []
47     # Initialice an empty list
48     for i in range(totalN):
49         nodo = self.nodetype([], [])
50         nodesList.append(self.vecinos(nodo, i, K))
51     # Append a class node with k neighbors; k/2 to left, k/2 to
the right
52     return nodesList
53
54 def vecinos(self, nodo, i, K):
55     # Method to assing the neighbors to a node
56     # Input: nodo, class node
57     #         i, the position of the node
58     #         K, the total number of neighbors
59     # Outputs: object self.typhenode
60
61     totalN = self.N
62     for j in range(K//2):
63         nodo.cnxL.append((i-j-1)%totalN)
64         # Assign the left connections
65         nodo.cnxR.append((j+i+1)%totalN)
66         # Assign the right connections
67     self.actualizarcnx(nodo)
68     # Update the state of the node
69     return nodo
70
71 def actualizarcnx(self, nodo):
72     # Method to update the total connections
73     # of a node
74     # Input: object node
75     nodo.cnx = nodo.cnxL + nodo.cnxR
76
77
78
79 def printNodes(self):
80     # Method to print the connections of all the nodes in the

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network
81     for i in range(self.N):
82         print("Nodo {}, {} ".format(i,self.nodes[i]))
83
84
85
86     def wsNet(self, p):
87         # Method to scramble an ordered network
88         # with probability p
89         # Input: p, float
90         # Output: updated network
91
92         N=self.N
93         # Total number of nodes
94         for i in range(N):
95             # We go through the network in counterclockwise direction,
namely the from 0 to N. We assume that we had a circular
network representation.
96             rdm=random.random()
97             # Get a random number between [0-1]
98             if(rdm<p):
99                 # Verify if the random number is less than p
100                 n1=i
101                 # Actual node
102                 n2=random.choice(self.nodes[n1].cnxR)
103                 # Randomly we choose a connection to
104                 # eliminate
105                 n3=select_node(self.nodes[n1].cnx,n1,N)
106                 # Randomly we choose a new connection
107
108                 self.nodes[n1].cnxR.remove(n2)
109                 self.nodes[n1].cnx.remove(n2)
110                 # Remove the connection n2 from n1
111                 self.nodes[n1].cnxL.append(n3)
112                 self.nodes[n1].cnx.append(n3)
113                 # Add the new connection n3 to n1
114
115                 self.nodes[n2].cnxL.remove(n1)
116                 self.nodes[n2].cnx.remove(n1)
117                 # Remove the node n1 from
118                 # the connections of n2
119
120                 self.nodes[n3].cnxL.append(n1)
121                 self.nodes[n3].cnx.append(n1)
122                 # Add the node n1 to n3
123
124     def select_node(cnxs,n1,N):
125         # Function to choose a random node
126         candidates=[]
127         for i in range(N):
128             if (i not in cnxs) and (i != n1) :
129                 candidates.append(i)
130         n2=random.choice(candidates)
131         return n2

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Listing 4: Small World Network Class

5.2 Squared Network

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5.2.1 Scale free Network

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6 Dynamics

In this section we are going to discuss the classes that are implemented in the wrapper *Dynamics.py* and for the non-implemented codes the corresponding pseudocodes or reference will be presented.

6.1 Homophily

In this subsection we are going to describe the first implemented dynamics. The Homophily dynamics consist on the tendency to relate with individuals that share the same attributes. In the implementation to complex networks, it means that our nodes should have attributes and the dynamics will consist on compare this attributes. The most simple model is consider a vector with F attributes and Q options to each attributes. For example for $F = 3$ and $Q = 2$ we could have the following vectors of attributes,

$$\begin{aligned} vec1 &= \{1, 1, 1\}, \\ vec2 &= \{0, 0, 1\}, \\ vec3 &= \{0, 0, 0\}, \\ vec4 &= \{1, 0, 1\}, \\ \vdots &= \quad \quad \quad \vdots \end{aligned}$$

Now, let us denote the set of neighbors of a node n_i as cnx_i and let us denote the vector of attributes associated to the node n_i as $C_i = (\sigma_{i1}, \sigma_{i2}, \dots, \sigma_{iF})$. In this way, the dynamics is described in the following way. First, for a node n_i it is choose randomly a neighbor $n_j \in cnx_i$. Next, with a probability

$$p_{ij} = \frac{\sum_{k=1}^F \delta_{\sigma_{ik}, \sigma_{jk}}}{F},$$

a random attribute of the node n_i will adopt the attribute of the node n_j , namely $\sigma_{i\alpha} = \sigma_{j\alpha}$, where α is a random number between the attributes that are not the same (Figure. 6).

This procedure is repeated with all the nodes of the network independent of the topology.

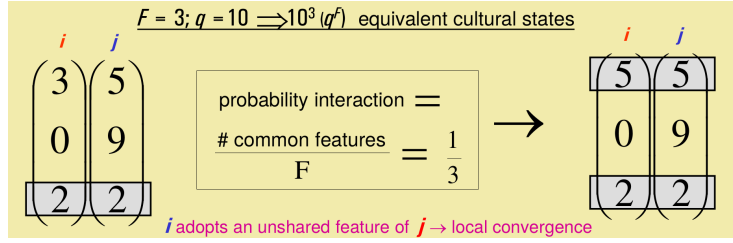


Figure 6: Scheme of the homophily dynamics.

Now, let us discuss the implementation of the code in python. This part could be a little bit confusing if you have any question or if you find a better implementation please let me know asap. We are taking advantages of OOP and the inherit characteristic of the classes. As it was presented in the general scheme of the software, we want that all the dynamics could be implemented independently of the topology of the network. In this sense, we define a new type of node *node_h* that has a vector of parameter *vec_{param}* and the connections *cnx*. Then, in the dynamics, and for all the dynamics that we should implement, we create a method *initializer* that given a network with an arbitrary topology it modify the type of node used in the network. Next, we define the constructor of the dynamics *homophily*, it have the type of node that we are going to use *node_{type}*; the total number of attributes *F*; the number of options per attribute *Q*; the number of attributes to adopt from the neighbor *n_{ach}*; the state of the network *net_{state}* and the total time of simulation *T*. I have notice that this implementation could be improved in several ways, probably I will change somethings but this is illustrate the general idea of how to implement the dynamics.

```

1 # Module Homphile dynamics
2 from Topologies import *
3 from Node import node
4 import numpy as np
5 import matplotlib.pyplot as plt
6 import networkx as nx
7 import random
8
9
10 class node_H(node):
11
12     def __init__(self, vect, cnxs):
13         # Constructor of the node used in the
14         # homophily dynamics
15         # Inputs: vec_Param, a list of integers
16         #         cnx, the list of neighbors
17         self.vec_Param = vect
18         self.cnx = cnxs
19         # List of neighbors of type node_H
20
21 class homophily:
22

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23 def __init__(self, net, parameters, options, nach, T):
24     #Constructor of the homophily class
25     # Inputs:
26     #     nodetype, specifies the type of node that
27     #         it is used
28     #     F, the total number of parameters that each
29     #         node have
30     #     Q, the total number of options that each
31     #         parameter have
32     #     n_ach, the number of attributes to change
33     #     net_state, is the state of the network at a #
34     #         given time
35     #     T, the total time that the dynamics will run
36
37     self.nodetype = node_H
38     self.F = parameters
39     self.Q = options
40     self.n_ach = nach
41     self.net_state = self.initializer(net)
42     self.T = T
43
44 def initializer(self, net):
45     # Method that given a network with an arbitrary
46     # topology it change the type of node.
47     # Input: net, a network with arbitrary topology
48     # Output: the same network with different types
49     # or class of node.
50
51     N = net.N
52     #Total number of nodes
53     for i in range(N):
54         new_cnx = net.nodes[i].cnx
55         parameters = self.parameters()
56         # Generate the vector of parameter for each
57         # node
58         net.nodes[i] = self.nodetype(parameters, new_cnx)
59         # modify the type of node in the network
60     return net
61
62 def parameters(self):
63     # Method to randomly generate the vector of
64     # parameters of the nodes.
65     # Output: vect, a list of parameters of length
66     # F with integers between [0,Q-1]
67     opt = range(self.Q)
68     total_elems = self.F
69     vect = []
70     for i in range(total_elems):
71         vect.append( random.choice(opt) )
72     return vect
73
74 def homophily_step(self):
75     # Method tha apply the homophile dynamics for
76     # all the nodes of the network
77     # Output: modifies the self.net_state
78     N=self.net_state.N

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79         for i in range(N):
80             self.node_hom(i)
81
82
83
84
85     def node_hom(self, i):
86         # Method tha implement the homophily dynamic
87         # per node
88         # Input: i, index of the node
89         # Output: modified node i
90
91         n1=i
92         # node i
93         n2=random.choice(self.net_state.nodes[n1].cnx)
94         # Random neighbor of n1
95
96         vec_sim= self.similarities(n1,n2)
97         # Obtain a bool vector. 1 equal. 0 diff.
98         P=np.sum(vec_sim)/self.F
99         # Interaction probability
100
101         if(random.random()<P):
102
103             atrs_ch=select_atr(vec_sim, self.n_ach, self.F)
104             # Obtain the list of indeces of attributes to change
105
106             for atr in atrs_ch:
107                 # Change the attributes of the node n1 as many times
108                 # n_ach said
109                 self.net_state.nodes[n1].vec_Param[atr]=self.
110                 net_state.nodes[n2].vec_Param[atr]
111
112
113     def similarities(self, n1, n2):
114         # Method that create a boolean vector of
115         # similarities between attributes of n1 and n2
116         # Input: n1, n2 indexes of the nodes
117         # Output: bec_s, boolean vector
118         F= self.F
119         vec_s=[]
120
121         for i in range(F):
122             if self.net_state.nodes[n1].vec_Param[i]==self.
123             net_state.nodes[n2].vec_Param[i]:
124                 vec_s.append(1)
125             else:
126                 vec_s.append(0)
127         return vec_s
128
129
130     def simulation(self):
131         # Method that run a complet simulation of
132         # homophily dynamics with time T
133
134         T_total = self.T
135
136         for t in range(T_total):

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133         self.homophily_step()
134         #print("time: {} Param : {} \n".format(t, self.
135         net_state.nodes[1].vec_Param))
136
137 def select_atr(vec_sim, n_ach, F):
138     atrs_ch = []
139     # Function to obtain the indexes of the attributes
140     # to change
141     not_eq= F-np.sum(vec_sim)
142     if n_ach > not_eq:
143         n_ach=not_eq
144
145     candidates=[]
146
147     for i in range(len(vec_sim)):
148         if vec_sim[i]==0:
149             candidates.append(i)
150
151     for i in range(n_ach):
152         selec=random.choice(candidates)
153         atrs_ch.append(selec)
154         candidates.remove(selec)
155
156     return atrs_ch

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Listing 5: Homophily Class

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