Social Network Analysis

Project

You will analyze a social network with help of the software Gephi. You are being provide by the already scrapped data from YouTube.

Please Note: You have to submit your project individually. Submit your project by 17TH June 2020.

Task 1

Please attach your database that contains both of your YouTube channels in Gephi format. This means that you have to transform the two .csv files into a single one with only three columns.

Task 2

Attach a screenshot of your "Overview" tab in Gephi, which shows your network after you ran the "Yifan Hu" Layout algorithm.

Task 3

Take a screen shot of the Data Table of Edges

Task 4

Calculate the average Degree of your network. Display and analyze all three resulting network measures:

- A. Degree
- B. In-Degree
- C. Out-Degree

Take screenshot of your network

Answer the following questions:

- 1. What is the difference between them?
- 2. How many categories do you get for each?
- 3. Can you make sense of the numbers it indicates the number of degree per category for each of the three measures? Why or why not?

Task 5

- 1. How many nodes (videos) are shared by both YouTube channels? Count them or calculate them.
- 2. Calculate the network Modularity and take screen shot of the network.

Task 6

Calculate the "Undirected Closeness Centrality" for your network, through "Average Path Length" (attach network screen shot) and then answer the questions:

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- 1. How many groups of nodes do you get?
- 2. Please interpret the different groups. Which nodes are part of which group and why?
- 3. Calculate the "directed Closeness Centrality" for your network, through "Average Path Length" (Also attach screenshot)

Task 7

Calculate PageRank for your network, a special version of Eigenvector Centrality. Then answer the following questions: (attach screen shot of the network)

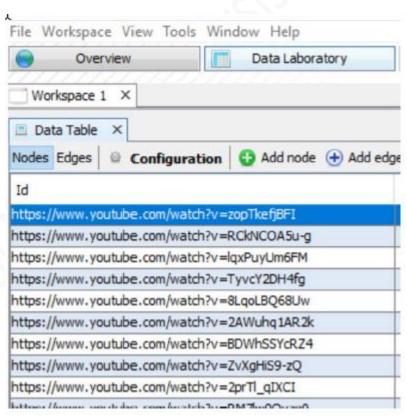
- 1. How many groups of nodes do you get for PageRank?
- 2. What do they measure?
- 3. Is this useful?

Attach Screen shot of each if any changes done in network

Task 8

Please attach a screenshot of your "Data Laboratory" tab, now at the end, after you have done the preceding analysis.

Go to "Data Table > Nodes" (not Edges) and make sure that the "Id" column is completely readable (not cut off to its right):



- 1. Take a screenshot of the full size "Data Laboratory" window (not just the part shown in this excerpt screen shot).
- 2. What does it mean by weight in Data Table in edges Tab?

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Task 9

Attach a screenshot of your "Overview" tab in Gephi, which shows your network after you ran the "Force Atlas" Layout algorithm with repulsion strength of 20000.

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