

IS 622 Week 14 Homework

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10.5.1

Suppose graphs are generated by picking a probability p and choosing each edge independently with probability p , as in Example 10.21. For the graph of Fig. 10.20, what value of p gives the maximum likelihood of seeing that graph? What is the probability this graph is generated?

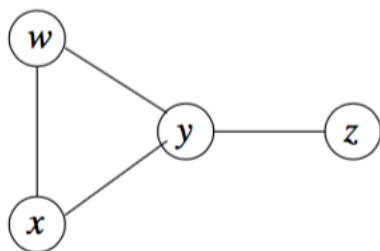


Figure 10.20: A social graph

There are 6 possible edges. The probability this graph is generated is:

$$p^4(1-p)^2$$

To find the value of p that maximizes this you must do the derivative and solve for 0:

$$(d/dp) = p^4(1-p)^2$$

$$p^4(2(1-p)(-1)) + (1-p)^2(4p^3) = 0$$

$$2p^5 - 2p^4 + (1-2p+p^2)(4p^3) = 0$$

$$2p^5 - 2p^4 + 4p^3 - 8p^4 + 4p^5 = 0$$

$$2(3p^5 - 5p^4 + 2p^3) = 0$$

$$p^3(3p^2 - 5p + 2) = 0$$

$$p^3(3p - 2)(p - 1) = 0$$

$$p^3 = 0$$

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$$(3p - 2) = 0$$

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$$(p - 1) = 0$$

The value of p that maximizes the probability is $2/3$.

$$(2/3)^4(1 - 2/3)^2 = 0.02194787$$

10.7.1

How many triangles are there in the graphs:

(a) Figure 10.1.

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triangles(a)
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##   Vertex 1 Vertex 2 Vertex 3
## 1      A      B      C
## 2      D      E      F
## 3      D      F      G
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(b) Figure 10.9.

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triangles(b)
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##   Vertex 1 Vertex 2 Vertex 3
## 1      A      B      C
## 2      D      E      F
## 3      G      H      I
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(c) Figure 10.2.

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triangles(c)
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##   Vertex 1 Vertex 2 Vertex 3
## 1      T1      U1      W1
## 2      T2      U1      W1
## 3      T2      U1      W2
## 4      T2      U2      W2
## 5      T2      U2      W3
## 6      T3      U1      W2
## 7      T3      U2      W2
## 8      T4      U2      W2
## 9      T4      U2      W3
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