

# COM 530500 Network Science Homework #1

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*No late homework will be accepted.*

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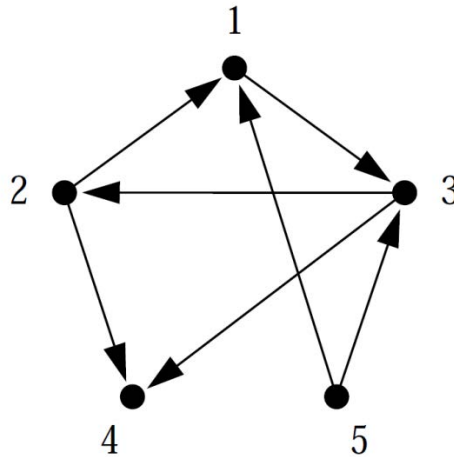


Figure 1: Network (a).

## Problem 1.(10%)

(a) (5%) Write down the adjacency matrix of network (a).

(b) (5%) Write down the cocitation matrix of network (a).

*Solution:*

$$(a) \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(b) \text{ Cocitation matrix } C = AA^T = \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 2 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 2 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

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## Problem 2.(10%)

(a) (5%) Write down the incidence matrix of network (b).

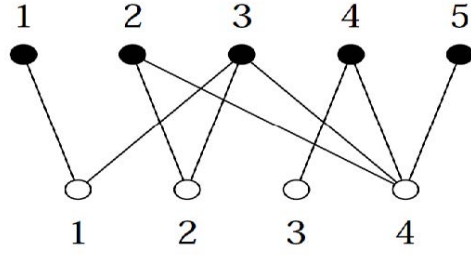


Figure 2: Network (b).

- (b) (5%) Write down the projection matrix for the projection of network (b) onto its black vertices.

*Solution:*

- (a) I regard white dots as different groups and black dots as vertexes.

$$\text{Incidence matrix} = B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$(b) \text{ Projection matrix } P = B^T B = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 2 & 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 3 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 1 \end{bmatrix}$$

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**Problem 3.(10%)** Consider a bipartite network, with its two types of vertices. Suppose there are  $n_1$  vertices of type 1 and  $n_2$  vertices of type 2. Show that the mean degrees  $c_1$  and  $c_2$  of the two types are related by  $c_2 = \frac{n_1}{n_2}c_1$ .

*Solution:* If there are  $m$  edges between two types of vertices, The mean degree of type 1 vertices

$$c_1 = \frac{m}{n_1}, \text{ and } c_2 = \frac{m}{n_2}. \text{ Therefore, } \frac{c_1}{c_2} = \frac{\frac{m}{n_1}}{\frac{m}{n_2}} = \frac{n_2}{n_1}, \text{ and we get } c_2 = \frac{n_1}{n_2}c_1.$$

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**Problem 4.(20%)** Given

$$A = \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 2 & -1 \\ 2 & 3 & -2 \\ -1 & -2 & 0 \end{pmatrix},$$

- (a) (10%) Find all eigenvalues of matrix  $A$ .  
 (b) (10%) Find an orthogonal matrix  $U$  that diagonalizes  $A$ .

*Solution:* Type your answer here.

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**Problem 5.(15%)** Read the tutorial from Ping-En Lu’s GitHub repository to install Python3 and python-igraph (if you need).

Paste your screenshots of “Hello, World!” of both Python 3 (5%) and python-igraph (5%), and write a brief report (5%). (For example, you can write down some problems you encountered, and how you solved them.)

*Solution:* Type your answer here.

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**Problem 6.(35%)** Please download the **tvshow** dataset from Ping-En Lu’s GitHub repository, and find the following information from this dataset.

- Number of nodes. (5%)
- Number of edges. (5%)
- Mean degree. (5%)
- Maximum degree. (5%)
- Diameter. (5%)

You need to upload your **python source code** to iLMS, and **write a brief report (10%) including screenshots, README file, and descriptions of your code** below the solution area. There will be no points for this problem if you do not upload your python source code to iLMS.

*Solution:* Type your answer here.

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