

# Community Preserving Network Embedding

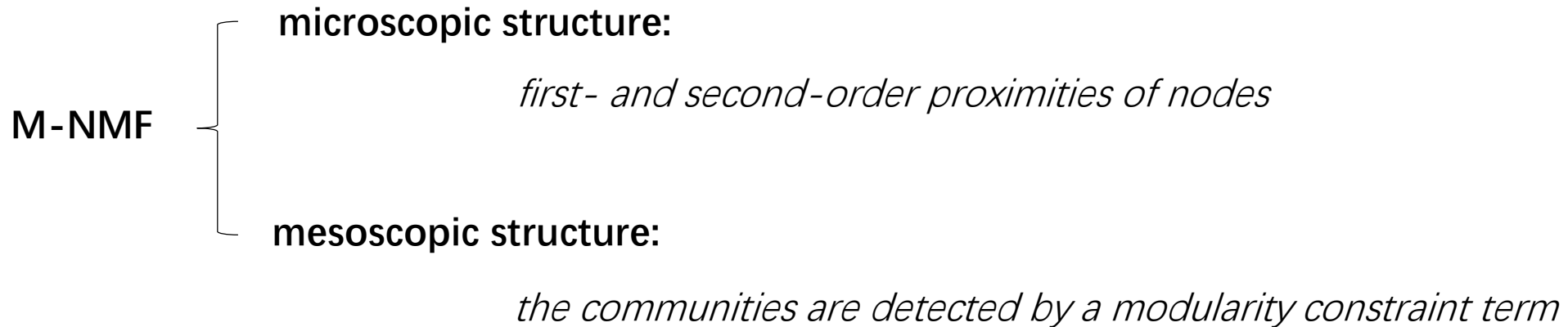
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## Mesoscopic community structure:

which is one of the most prominent feature of networks, is largely ignored

## Modularized Nonnegative Matrix Factorization (M-NMF)

incorporate the community structure into network embedding



## Application:

node clustering and classification

## M-NMF Model:

undirected network  $G = (V, E)$   $n$  nodes  $e$  edges,

adjacency matrix  $\mathbf{A} = [A_{ij}] \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$ ,

representations of nodes  $\mathbf{U} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m}$ ,  $m$  ( $m \leq n$ )

## Modularity algorithms:

Newman, M. E. 2006b. Modularity and community structure in networks.  
*Proceedings of the national academy of sciences* 103(23):8577 – 8582

<http://www.pnas.org/content/pnas/103/23/8577.full.pdf>

Modeling community structure:

Two communities:

$$Q = \frac{1}{4e} \sum_{ij} (A_{ij} - \frac{k_i k_j}{2e}) h_i h_j, \quad (1)$$

where  $k_i$  is the degree of node  $i$  and  $h_i = 1$  if node  $i$  belongs to the first community, otherwise,  $h_i = -1$ .

the modularity matrix  $\mathbf{B} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times n}$   $B_{ij} = A_{ij} - \frac{k_i k_j}{2e}$ ,  $Q = \frac{1}{4e} \mathbf{h}^T \mathbf{B} \mathbf{h}$ ,

K communities( $k > 2$ ):

$$Q = \frac{1}{2m} \sum_{vw} [A_{vw} - \frac{k_v k_w}{2m}] \delta(c_v, c_w)$$

$$Q = \text{tr}(\mathbf{H}^T \mathbf{B} \mathbf{H}), \quad \text{s.t.} \quad \text{tr}(\mathbf{H}^T \mathbf{H}) = n,$$

## Modeling microscopic structure :

First-order proximity  $\tilde{\mathbf{S}}^{(1)} = [S_{ij}^{(1)}]$  the adjacency matrix  $\mathbf{A}$

Second-order Proximity  $\mathbf{S}^{(2)} = [S_{ij}^{(2)}]$   $S_{ij}^{(2)} = \frac{\mathcal{N}_i \mathcal{N}_j}{\|\mathcal{N}_i\| \|\mathcal{N}_j\|},$

$$\tilde{\mathbf{S}} = \mathbf{S}^{(1)} + \eta \mathbf{S}^{(2)} \quad \eta > 0$$

$$\min \|\mathbf{S} - \mathbf{M}\mathbf{U}^T\|_F^2 \quad s.t. \quad \mathbf{M} \geq 0, \quad \mathbf{U} \geq 0. \quad (3)$$

nonnegative basis matrix  $\mathbf{M} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m}$

nonnegative representation matrix  $\mathbf{U} \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m},$

The unified network embedding model :

$$\begin{aligned} \min_{\mathbf{M}, \mathbf{U}, \mathbf{H}, \mathbf{C}} \quad & \|\mathbf{S} - \mathbf{M}\mathbf{U}^T\|_F^2 + \alpha \|\mathbf{H} - \mathbf{U}\mathbf{C}^T\|_F^2 - \beta \text{tr}(\mathbf{H}^T \mathbf{B} \mathbf{H}) \\ \text{s.t.}, \quad & \mathbf{M} \geq 0, \mathbf{U} \geq 0, \mathbf{H} \geq 0, \mathbf{C} \geq 0, \text{tr}(\mathbf{H}^T \mathbf{H}) = n, \end{aligned} \quad (4)$$

an auxiliary nonnegative matrix  $\mathbf{C} \in \mathbb{R}^{k \times m}$ , named community representation matrix, where the  $r$ -th row ( $\mathbf{C}_r$ ) is the representation of community  $r$ .

Optimization :

The objective function (4) is not convex, and we separate the optimization of (4) to four subproblems and iteratively optimize them, which guarantees each subproblem converges to the local minima.

**M-subproblem:** Updating  $\mathbf{M}$  with other parameters in (4) fixed leads to a standard NMF formulation (Lee and Seung 2001), so the updating rule for  $\mathbf{M}$  is

$$\mathbf{M} \leftarrow \mathbf{M} \odot \frac{\mathbf{S}\mathbf{U}}{\mathbf{M}\mathbf{U}^T\mathbf{U}}. \quad (5)$$

**C-subproblem:** Updating  $\mathbf{C}$  with other parameters in (4) fixed also leads to a standard NMF formulation, so the updating rule of  $\mathbf{C}$  is

$$\mathbf{C} \leftarrow \mathbf{C} \odot \frac{\mathbf{H}^T \mathbf{U}}{\mathbf{C} \mathbf{U}^T \mathbf{U}}. \quad (7)$$

Lee, D. D., and Seung, H. S. 2001. Algorithms for non-negative matrix factorization. In *Advances in neural information processing systems*

<https://link.springer.com/content/pdf/10.1007%2F978-1-4471-5571-3.pdf>

$$V \approx WH$$

**Theorem 1** *The Euclidean distance  $\|V - WH\|$  is nonincreasing under the update rules*

$$H_{a\mu} \leftarrow H_{a\mu} \frac{(W^T V)_{a\mu}}{(W^T W H)_{a\mu}} \quad W_{ia} \leftarrow W_{ia} \frac{(V H^T)_{ia}}{(W H H^T)_{ia}} \quad (4)$$

**U-subproblem:** Updating  $\mathbf{U}$  with other parameters in (4) fixed leads to a joint NMF problem (Akata, Thureau, and Bauckhage 2011), whose updating rule is

$$\mathbf{U} \leftarrow \mathbf{U} \odot \frac{\mathbf{S}^T \mathbf{M} + \alpha \mathbf{H} \mathbf{C}}{\mathbf{U}(\mathbf{M}^T \mathbf{M} + \alpha \mathbf{C}^T \mathbf{C})}. \quad (6)$$

Akata, Z.; Thureau, C.; and Bauckhage, C. 2011. Non-negative matrix factorization in multimodality data for segmentation and label prediction. In 16th Computer vision winter workshop.

$$\mathbf{X} \approx \mathbf{W} \mathbf{H} \quad \text{and} \quad \mathbf{Y} \approx \mathbf{V} \mathbf{H} \quad (10)$$

$$\begin{aligned} \min_{\mathbf{W}, \mathbf{V}, \mathbf{H}} \quad & (1 - \lambda) \|\mathbf{X} - \mathbf{W} \mathbf{H}\|^2 + \lambda \|\mathbf{Y} - \mathbf{V} \mathbf{H}\|^2 \\ \text{s.t.} \quad & \mathbf{W}, \mathbf{V}, \mathbf{H} \succeq \mathbf{0} \end{aligned} \quad (11)$$

$$\mathbf{H} = \mathbf{H} \odot \frac{(1 - \lambda) \mathbf{W}^T \mathbf{X} + \lambda \mathbf{V}^T \mathbf{Y}}{((1 - \lambda) \mathbf{W}^T \mathbf{W} + \lambda \mathbf{V}^T \mathbf{V}) \mathbf{H}}. \quad (13)$$



**H-subproblem:** when update  $\mathbf{H}$  with other parameters in (4) fixed, we need to solve the following function:

$$\begin{aligned} \min_{\mathbf{H} \geq 0} L(\mathbf{H}) = & \alpha \|\mathbf{H} - \mathbf{UC}^T\|_F^2 - \beta \text{tr}(\mathbf{H}^T (\mathbf{A} - \mathbf{B}_1) \mathbf{H}), \\ \text{s.t. } & \text{tr}(\mathbf{H}^T \mathbf{H}) = n, \end{aligned} \quad (8)$$

where the element in  $\mathbf{B}_1$  is  $\frac{k_i k_j}{2e}$ . Recall that  $\mathbf{H}$  is the community indicator matrix, and the constraint makes the optimization of (8) an NP-hard problem. Instead, we relax the constraint to  $\mathbf{H}^T \mathbf{H} = \mathbf{I}$ . Finally, by introducing a regularization coefficient  $\lambda$  for  $\mathbf{H}^T \mathbf{H} = \mathbf{I}$ , we transform (8) to the following function:

$$\begin{aligned} \min_{\mathbf{H} \geq 0} L(\mathbf{H}) = & -\beta \text{tr}(\mathbf{H}^T \mathbf{A} \mathbf{H}) + \beta \text{tr}(\mathbf{H}^T \mathbf{B}_1 \mathbf{H}) \\ & + \alpha \|\mathbf{H} - \mathbf{UC}^T\|_F^2 + \lambda \|\mathbf{H}^T \mathbf{H} - \mathbf{I}\|_F^2, \end{aligned} \quad (9)$$

where  $\lambda > 0$  should be large enough

Lagrange multiplier matrix  $\hat{\Theta} = [\Theta_{ij}]$

$$\|\mathbf{X}\|_F^2 = \text{tr}(\mathbf{X}^T \mathbf{X})$$

$$\begin{aligned} L'(\mathbf{H}) = & -\beta \text{tr}(\mathbf{H}^T \mathbf{A} \mathbf{H}) + \beta \text{tr}(\mathbf{H}^T \mathbf{B}_1 \mathbf{H}) \\ & + \alpha \text{tr}(\mathbf{H} \mathbf{H}^T - 2\mathbf{H} \mathbf{C} \mathbf{U}^T + \mathbf{U} \mathbf{C}^T \mathbf{C} \mathbf{U}^T) \\ & + \lambda \text{tr}(\mathbf{H}^T \mathbf{H} \mathbf{H}^T \mathbf{H} - 2\mathbf{H}^T \mathbf{H} + \mathbf{I}) + \text{tr}(\mathbf{\Theta} \mathbf{H}^T). \end{aligned} \quad (10)$$

Set derivative of  $L'(\mathbf{H})$  with respect to  $\mathbf{H}$  to 0, we have:

$$\begin{aligned} \mathbf{\Theta} = & 2\beta \mathbf{A} \mathbf{H} - 2\beta \mathbf{B}_1 \mathbf{H} - 2\alpha \mathbf{H} + 2\alpha \mathbf{U} \mathbf{C}^T \\ & - 4\lambda \mathbf{H} \mathbf{H}^T \mathbf{H} + 4\lambda \mathbf{H}. \end{aligned} \quad (11)$$

Following the Karush-Kuhn-Tucker (KKT) condition for the nonnegativity of  $\mathbf{H}$ , we have the following equation:

$$\begin{aligned} & (2\beta \mathbf{A} \mathbf{H} - 2\beta \mathbf{B}_1 \mathbf{H} - 2\alpha \mathbf{H} + 2\alpha \mathbf{U} \mathbf{C}^T \\ & - 4\lambda \mathbf{H} \mathbf{H}^T \mathbf{H} + 4\lambda \mathbf{H})_{ij} H_{ij} = \Theta_{ij} H_{ij} = 0. \end{aligned} \quad (12)$$

$$\mathbf{H} \leftarrow \mathbf{H} \odot \sqrt{\frac{-2\beta\mathbf{B}_1\mathbf{H} + \sqrt{\Delta}}{8\lambda\mathbf{H}\mathbf{H}^T\mathbf{H}}}, \quad (13)$$

where  $\Delta = 2\beta(\mathbf{B}_1\mathbf{H}) \odot 2\beta(\mathbf{B}_1\mathbf{H}) + 16\lambda(\mathbf{H}\mathbf{H}^T\mathbf{H}) \odot (2\beta\mathbf{A}\mathbf{H} + 2\alpha\mathbf{U}\mathbf{C}^T + (4\lambda - 2\alpha)\mathbf{H})$ .

Complexity analysis :

$\mathcal{O}(n^2m + nm^2), \mathcal{O}(nm^2 + n^2m + m^2k), \mathcal{O}(kmn)$  and  $\mathcal{O}(n^2k + k^2n + mnk)$ ,

$\mathcal{O}(n^2m + n^2k)$

# Experimental evaluations

Dataset: WebKB network consists of 4 subnetworks with 877 webpages and 1608 edges.

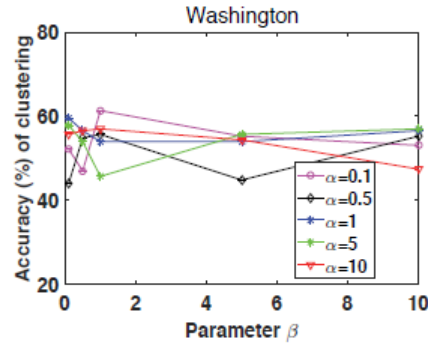
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Table 1: Accuracy (%) of node clustering (bold numbers represent the best results).

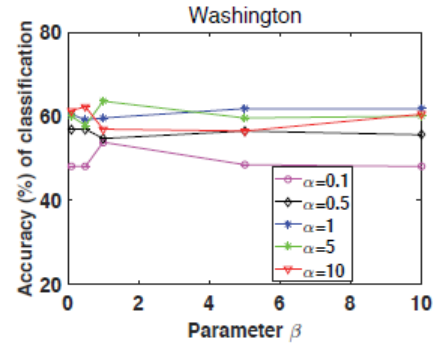
Methods	DeepWalk	LINE1	LINE2	GraRep	Node2Vec	M-NMF0	M-NMF
Cornell	32.82	35.38	42.56	33.85	34.36	40.00	<b>43.05</b>
Texas	37.97	40.64	55.61	35.29	50.27	47.06	<b>63.10</b>
Washington	35.65	38.70	53.48	36.52	41.74	55.65	<b>59.57</b>
Wisconsin	34.34	35.09	43.77	36.60	35.47	42.64	<b>45.66</b>
Polblogs	52.68	57.38	63.88	53.42	<b>84.83</b>	72.75	82.82
Amherst	10.34	42.36	44.38	46.41	41.66	43.54	<b>47.25</b>
Hamilton	10.15	33.47	31.30	38.81	35.41	38.34	<b>42.49</b>
Mich	11.66	15.58	14.63	<b>35.12</b>	14.05	29.66	31.50
Rochester	7.94	17.88	16.86	33.80	18.00	30.35	<b>38.09</b>

Table 2: Accuracy (%) of node classification (bold numbers represent the best results).

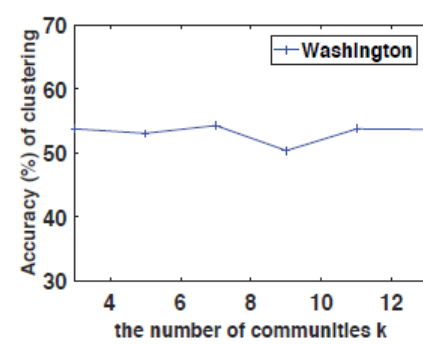
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Cornell	24.10	27.69	44.62	45.38	38.46	27.69	<b>47.18</b>
Texas	22.63	34.21	<b>73.16</b>	68.42	51.05	47.89	70.00
Washington	24.44	25.33	50.22	52.00	53.78	54.67	<b>63.56</b>
Wisconsin	26.15	28.46	51.54	59.62	44.62	39.62	<b>61.15</b>
Polblogs	64.77	83.02	80.87	89.60	84.03	80.20	<b>90.67</b>
Amherst	41.59	91.51	87.99	91.46	89.73	87.74	<b>92.00</b>
Hamilton	39.95	91.64	87.27	91.64	91.45	89.36	<b>92.92</b>
Mich	25.44	62.09	60.75	60.79	61.98	58.15	<b>62.26</b>
Rochester	34.78	87.04	84.23	85.47	83.65	84.28	<b>87.18</b>



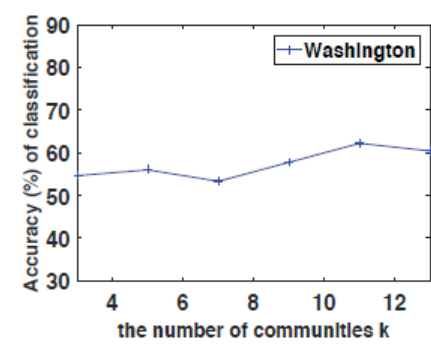
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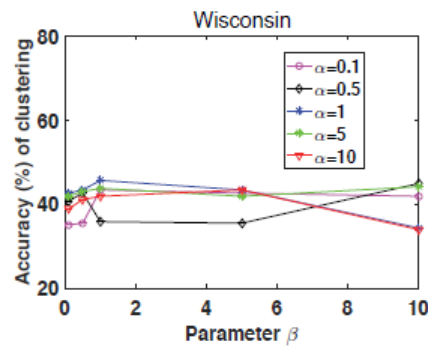
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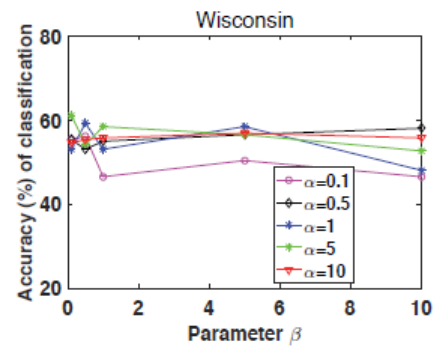
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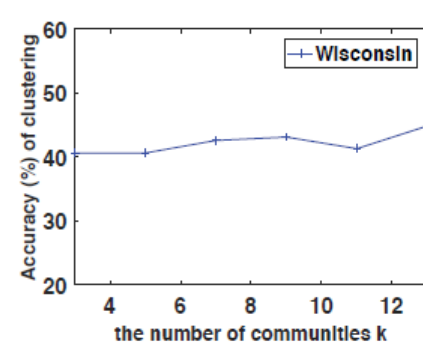
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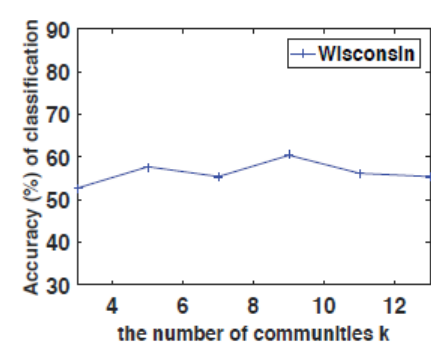
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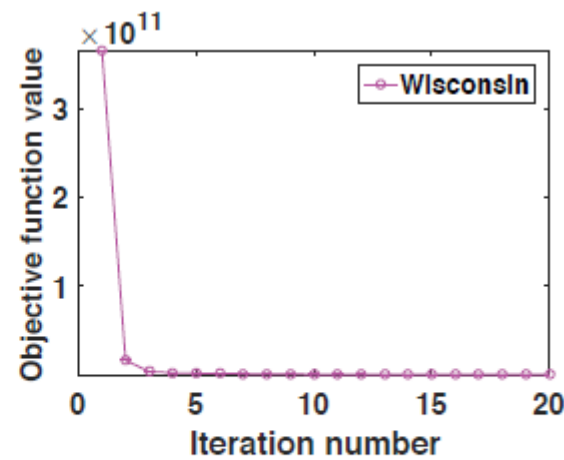
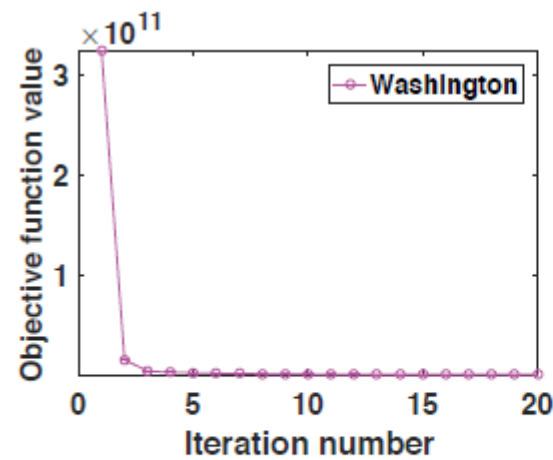


Figure 3: Convergence analysis.