Week 9: Link Analysis

Assignment 1: PageRank

a) Compute the pageRank score for the following network. Start by writing down the adjacency matrix. Assume a random jump probability of 0.15.

| adjacency matrix | A | В | С |
|---------------------|---|---|---|
| Α | 0 | 1 | 0 |
| В | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| C | 0 | 1 | 0 |

| transition matrix | A | В | С |
|----------------------|------|------|------|
| Α | 0.05 | 0.9 | 0.05 |
| В | 0.9 | 0.05 | 0.05 |
| С | 0.05 | 0.9 | 0.05 |

| | А | В | С |
|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| t = 1 | 0.3333 | 0.6167 | 0.0500 |
| t = 2 | 0.5742 | 0.3758 | 0.0500 |
| t = 3 | 0.3695 | 0.5805 | 0.0500 |
| t = 4 | 0.5435 | 0.4065 | 0.0500 |
| t = 5 | 0.3956 | 0.5544 | 0.0500 |
| t = 6 | 0.5213 | 0.4287 | 0.0500 |
| t = 7 | 0.4144 | 0.5356 | 0.0500 |
| t = 8 | 0.5052 | 0.4448 | 0.0500 |
| t = 9 | 0.4280 | 0.5220 | 0.0500 |
| t = 10 | 0.4937 | 0.4563 | 0.0500 |
| t = 11 | 0.4379 | 0.5121 | 0.0500 |
| t = 12 | 0.4853 | 0.4647 | 0.0500 |
| t = 13 | 0.4450 | 0.5050 | 0.0500 |
| t = 14 | 0.4793 | 0.4707 | 0.0500 |
| t = 15 | 0.4501 | 0.4999 | 0.0500 |
| t = 16 | 0.4749 | 0.4751 | 0.0500 |
| t = 17 | 0.4538 | 0.4962 | 0.0500 |
| t = 18 | 0.4717 | 0.4783 | 0.0500 |
| t = 19 | 0.4565 | 0.4935 | 0.0500 |

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b) PageRank is initialized with identical scores for each web page. What would be a better method to initialize pageRank so that less iterations are necessary?

You can consider the amount of links to a node. At first, give each node one share. Then give each node another share for every incoming link. Using this technique, A would get 2 shares, B three shares and C one share, leading to default values of

A = 0.33

B = 0.5

C = 0.17

Assignment 2: (Programming) Link Analysis

Print the ranking of Wikipedia titles and snippets in Wikipedia together with its NDCG value for the queries:

a) "LINKTO schnitzelmitkartoffelsalat"

query: LINKTO schnitzelmitkartoffelsalat

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Schnitzelmitkartoffelsalat:

Der Begriff Schnitzelmitkartoffelsalat ist ein Testbegriff von Webmaster um die Eigenschaften von Suchmaschine zu erforschen Er wurde am 15 November

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