

GRAPHS

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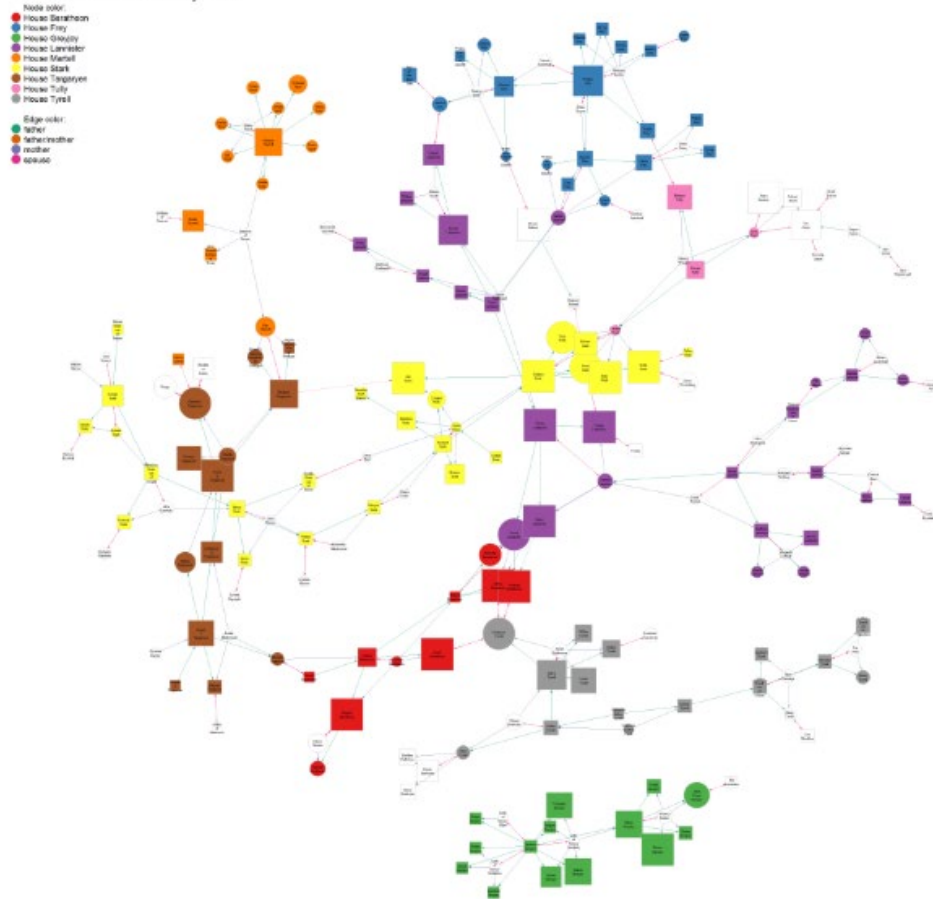
DATA SCIENCE MASTER DEGREE

2 GRAPHS

- What is a graph?
 - a **graph** is a structured representation of connected things and how they are related
 - **nodes** are entities (or essentially “things”) that have relations between them. Nodes are often represented visually by a circle.
 - a **link/edge** is a relationship between **nodes** and is typically drawn as a line.
- Why graphs?
 - Graph analysis brings complex relationships to light

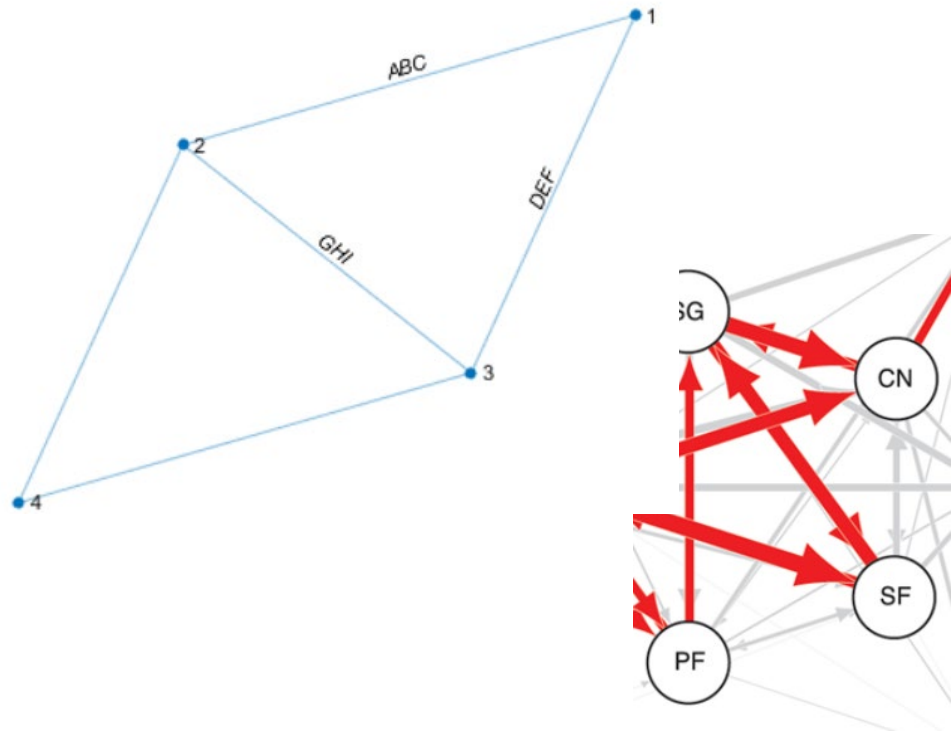
3 ENCODING AND INTERACTIVITY: NODES

Game of Thrones Family Ties



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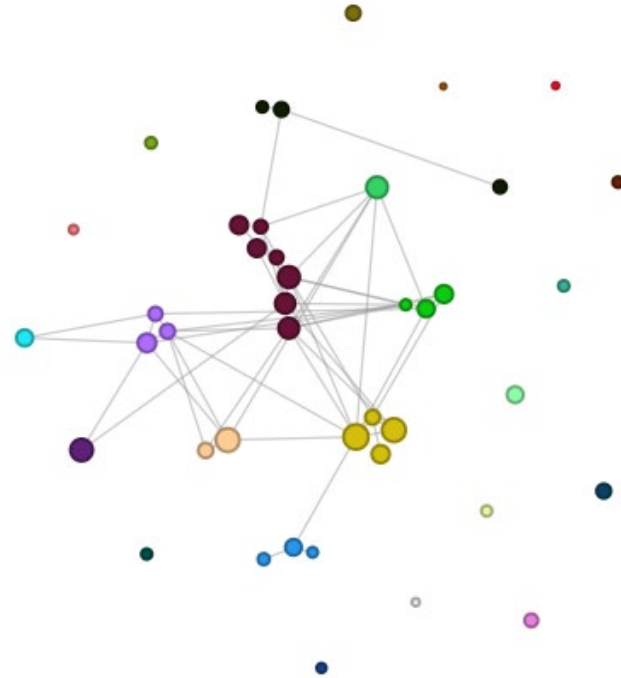
4 ENCODING AND INTERACTIVITY: EDGES



- Links/Edges:
 - Direction:
 - Arrows (directed graphs)
 - Category: colour / dash-array
 - Attributes:
 - Tooltip with “key : value” pairs ;
 - Label (weighted graphs)
 - Quantity: size
 - Highlight: border, colour (selected link or the rest)

5 ENCODING AND INTERACTIVITY: GROUPING

- Grouping
 - Similarity
 - Connectedness
 - Clustering (physical proximity)
 - Closure
- Interaction
 - Collapse / Expand
 - Select and filter: by attribute, by connection
 - Move nodes or edges



6 TYPES OF GRAPHS

- Spatial networks
- Flow diagrams
- Hierarchies
- Relationships
- Communities

7 SPATIAL NETWORKS

The seven bridges of EULER



Figure 1-1: In the seven bridges of Königsberg problem, Leonhard Euler explored whether each bridge could be crossed only once. On the left is a map showing the seven bridges, and on the right is the graph equivalent.

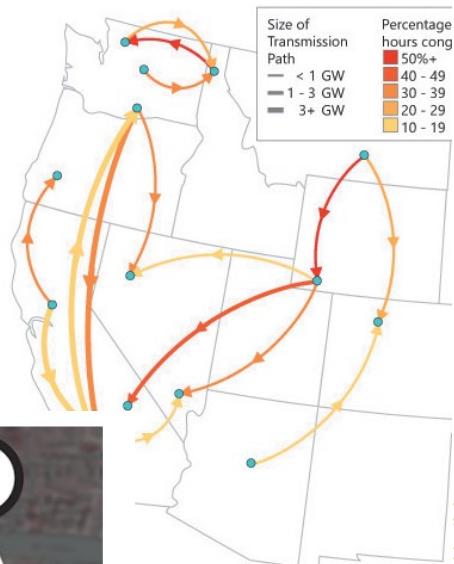


Figure 2-16: Schematic network diagrams abstract spatial layout to optimize legibility, as in the route map shown here.

Supply chain optimization



8 SPATIAL NETWORKS

- Def: Graphs based on spatial data
- The data can be plotted directly based on the spatial coordinates associated with the nodes and links.
- Because the relative position of nodes is predetermined, there can be challenges for working with this data.
 - metro maps have changed it for the sake of simplicity!

9 FLOW DIAGRAMS

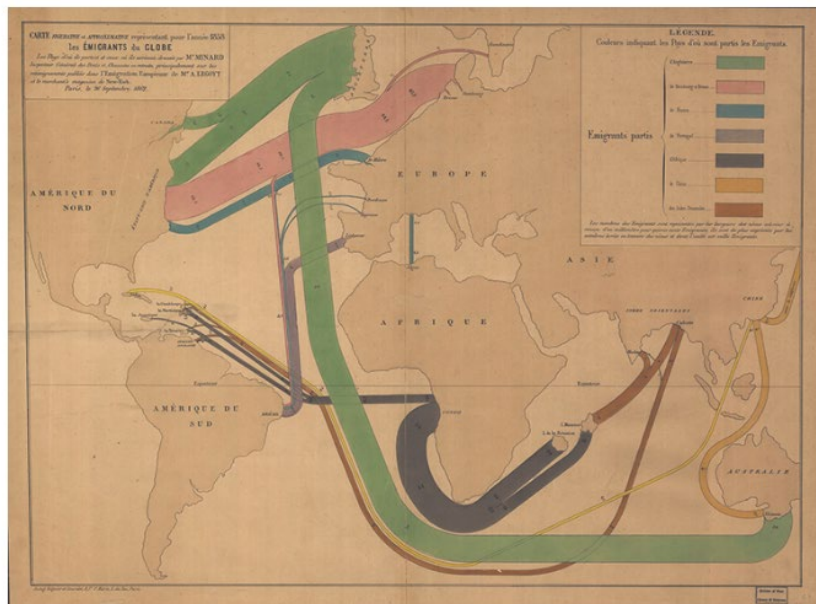


Figure 1-3: Joseph Minard's flow graph shows emigrants worldwide in 1858.

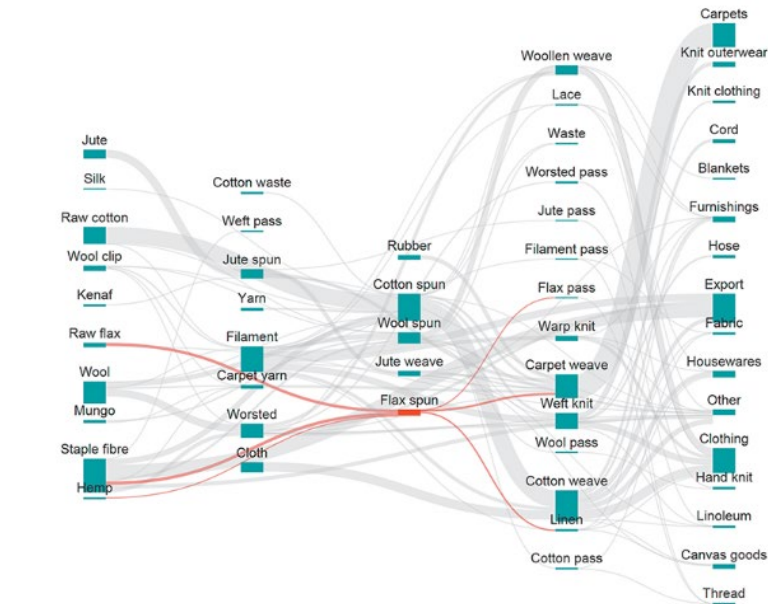


Figure 2-11: Sankey diagrams are an ideal graph technique for showing flow. Here, flow of materials in textile production is shown, where width indicates volume.

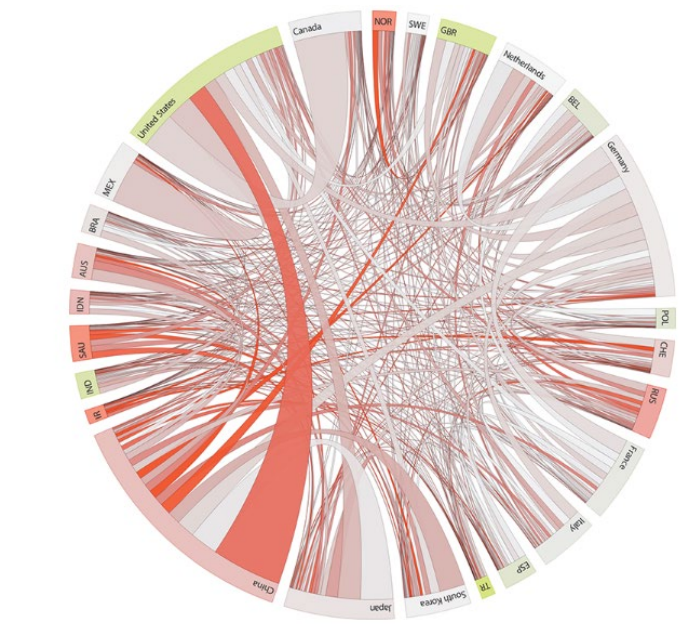
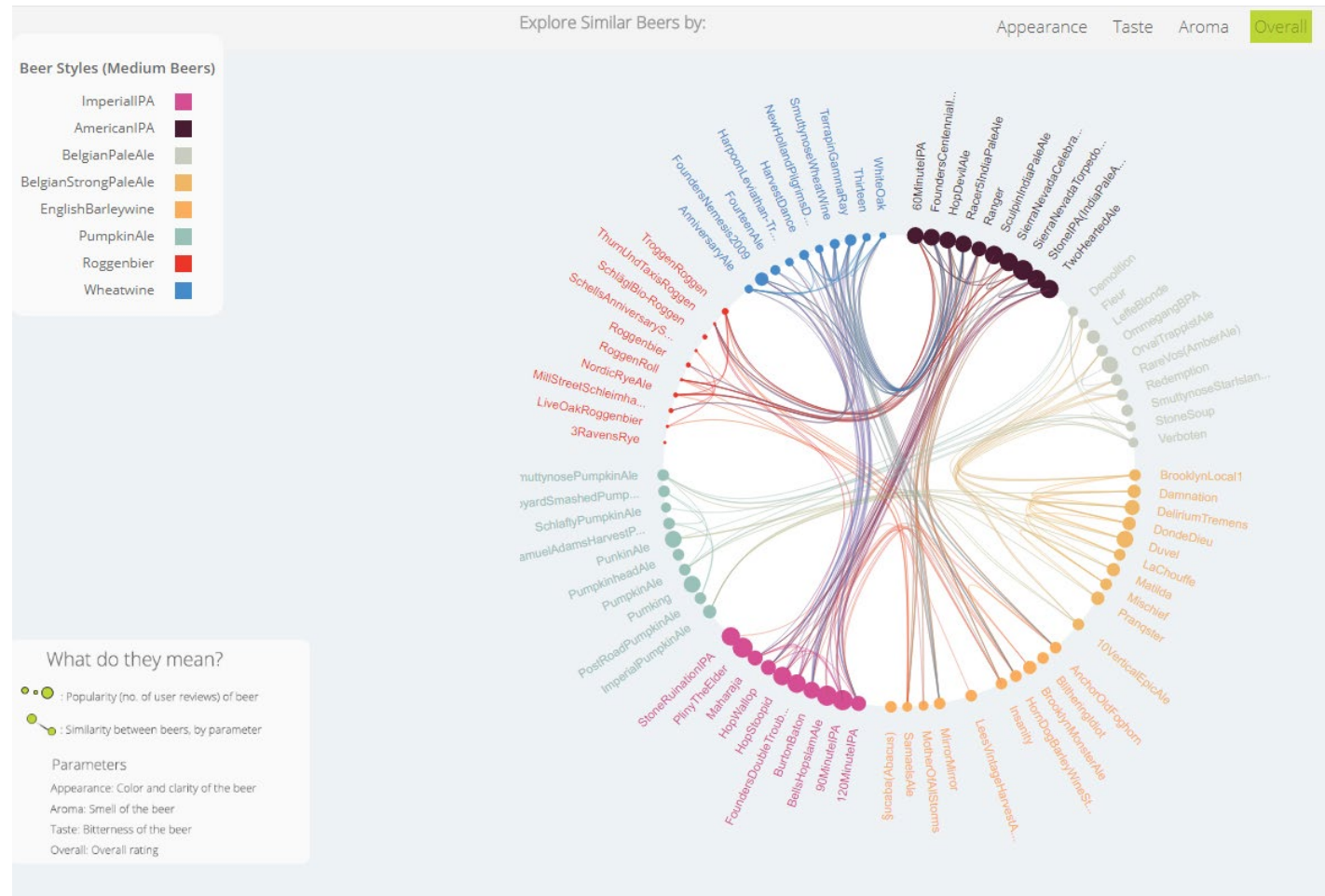


Figure 2-15: Chord diagrams show reciprocal flow between entities. Here, all reported trade of goods between countries is represented by width of link at the exporting country. Color flags trade imbalance.

10 FLOW DIAGRAMS

- Def: Analyse the movement of people, goods, money through the world, through processes or through websites
- Typical charts for flow visualization are **Sankey diagrams** and **Chord diagrams**.
- Selecting relationships and moving nodes in Sankey diagrams are typical analysis possibilities

SOME EXAMPLES



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TOTAL: \$589M					
Algodón En Bruto	Barras De Hierro Laminado En Caliente	Otras Barras De Hierro	Chatarra	Carne De Aves	
21%	2.8%	2.8%	2.2%	11%	
	Cobre...	Barras De Hierro En...			
	2.1%	0.78%	Chatarra De...		
Cocos, Nueces Del Brasil Y Anacardos	Refinado De Petróleo	Gas De Petróleo	Otros Aceites Vegetales	Aceite De Palma	Madera En...
12%	7.5%	2.2%	2.7%	2.7%	1.9%
					Madera...
					0.86%
Arroz	Azúcar Crudo	Tabaco...	Envases Vehículos De La Construcción		
6.6%	1.8%	1.5%	1.8%		
	Otros Residuos Vegetales		Otros Vehículos De...		
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I3 HIERARCHIES

- Def: tree graphs (non cyclic graphs), suited for organizational charts, taxonomies, decision trees.
- They are particularly useful to organize data and to navigate big spaces of concepts

14 GRAPHS FOR RELATIONSHIPS

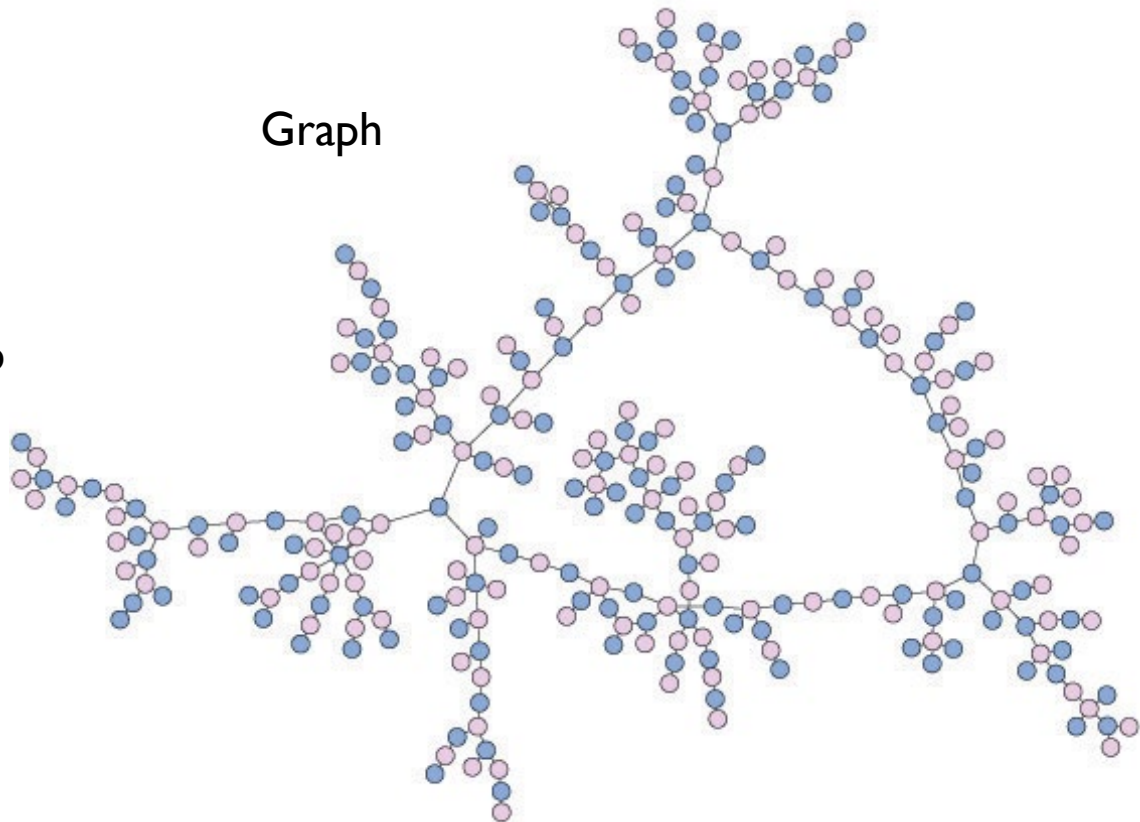
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	Music Device	4%	-	1%	3%	2%
	Tablet Computer	19%	18%	-	18%	19%
	Laptop Computer	11%	6%	11%	-	3%
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Adjacency matrix



Heat map

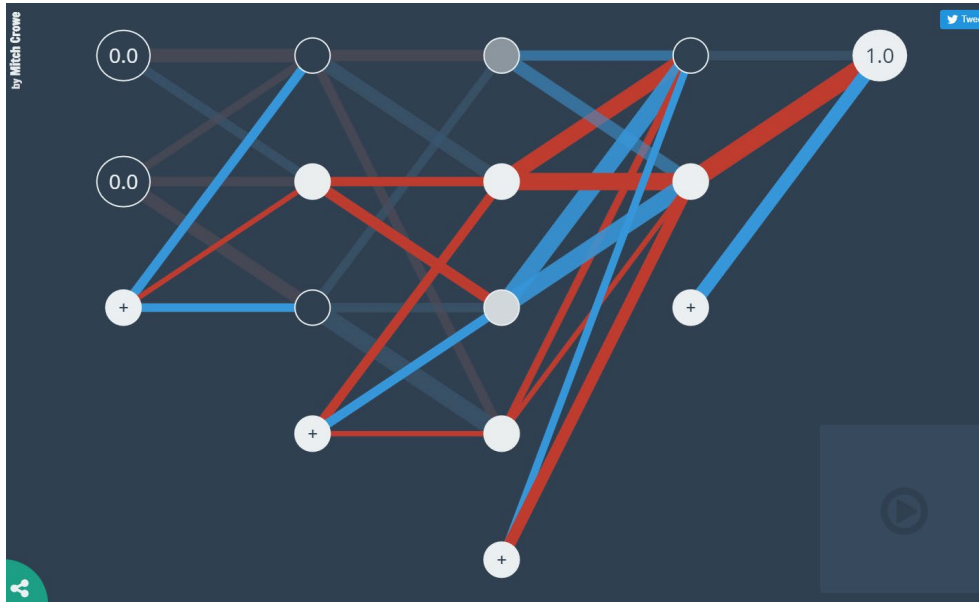
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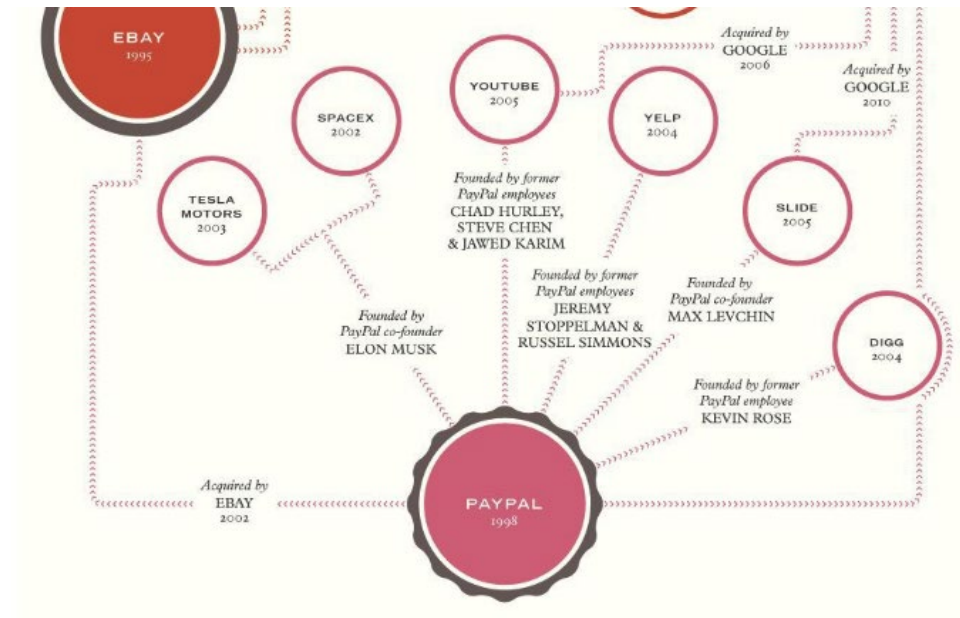
15 RELATIONSHIPS

- Def: Analyse relationships and identify clusters, on geographical or logical connections between things.
- Graphs may have any number of links between a pair of nodes.
- For some types of applications (such as fraud analysis), it is important to keep all links between these nodes and have techniques to analyze the many different connections.

16 SOME LIVE EXAMPLES

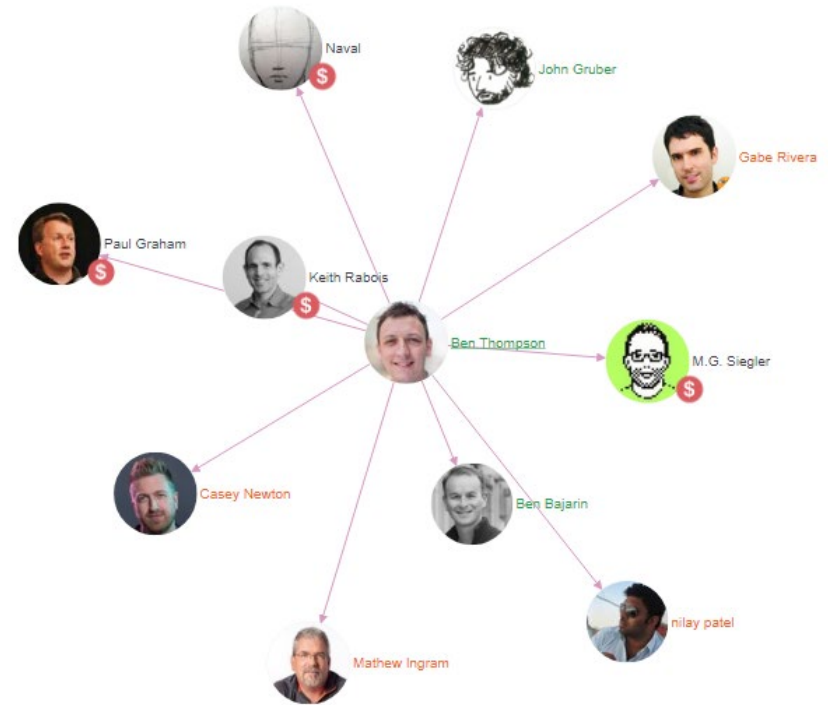
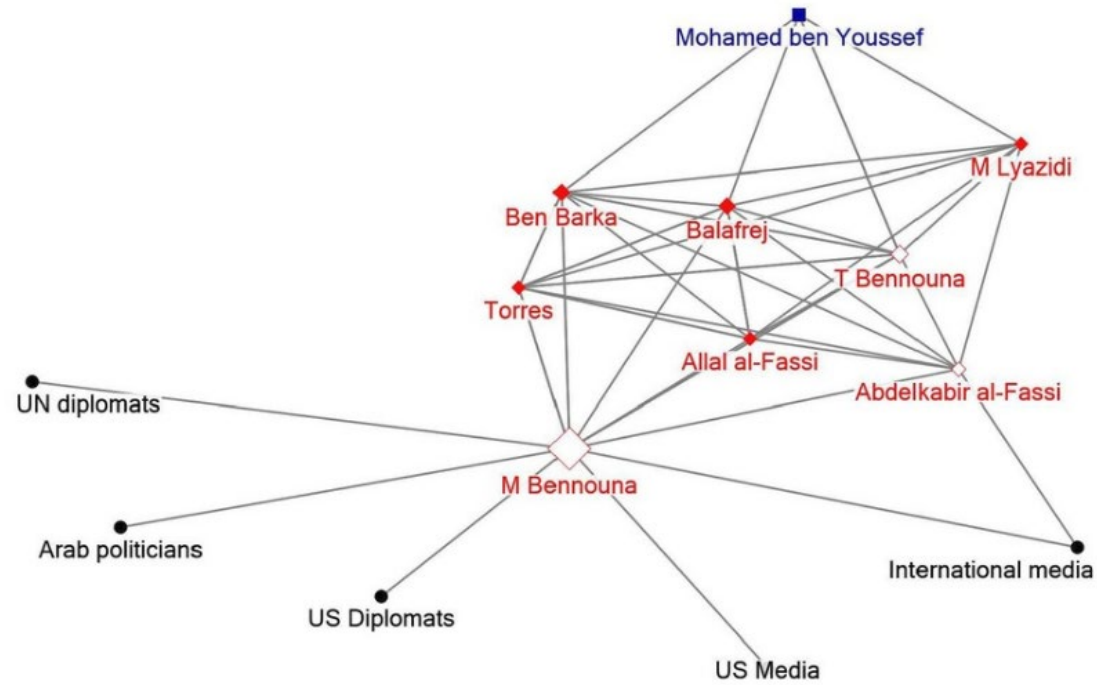


Neural networks



Tech companies relations

17 COMMUNITIES

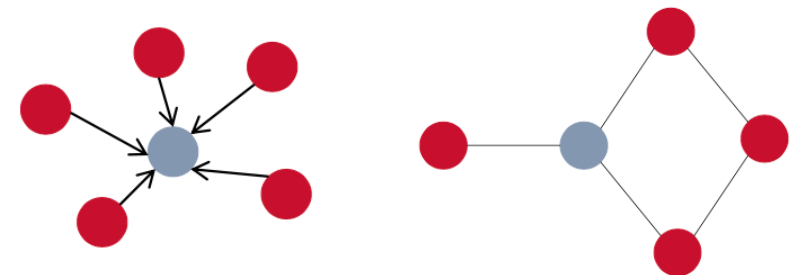
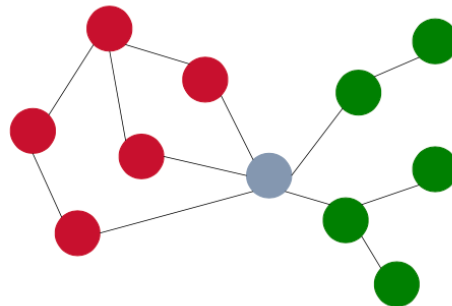
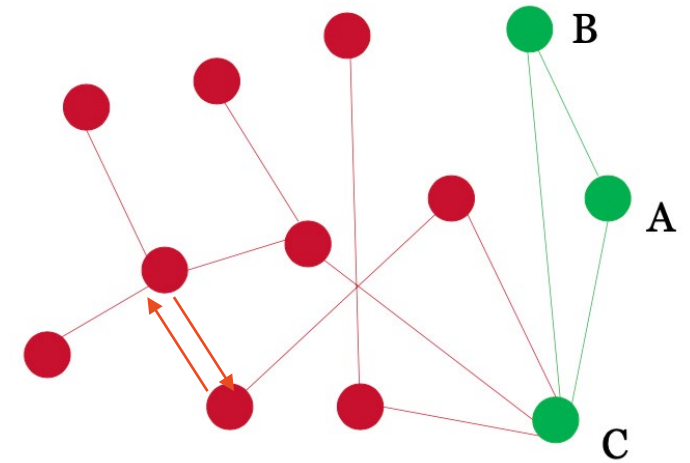


18 COMMUNITIES

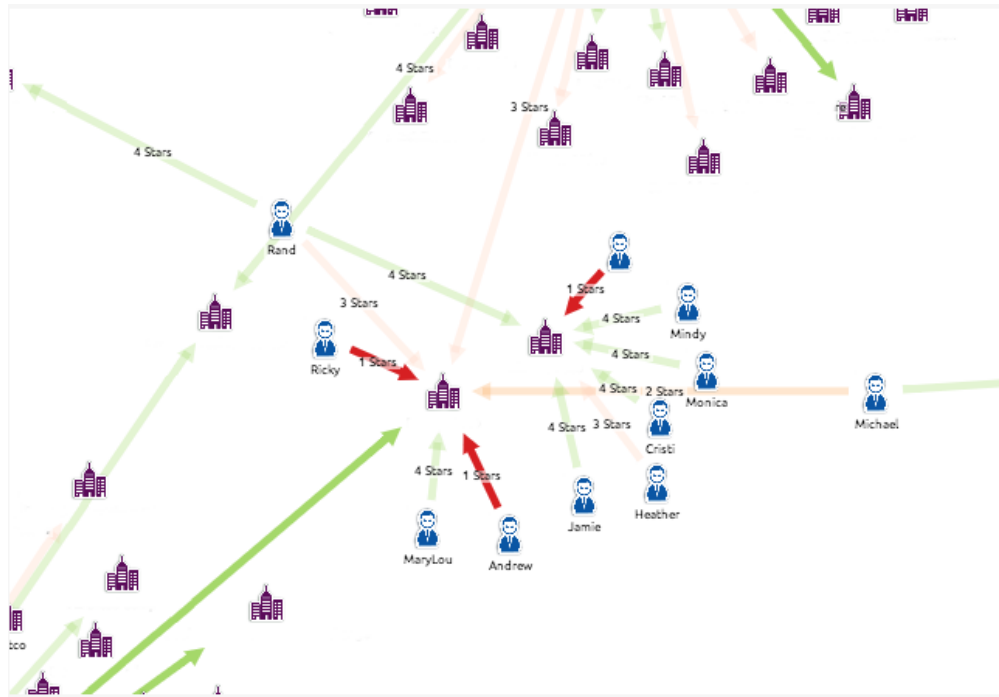
- Def: analyze large spaces of data, mainly to identify groups
- The clustering of nodes in graphs reveals communities.
- Enhancing node and link data can help refine the qualities to define these communities
- Filtering, grouping, and additional analytic techniques make the communities visually apparent
- Specific field: social network analysis (interaction, ties)

19 SNA (SOCIAL NETWORK ANALYSIS)

- Analyse the links between nodes
 - Interaction patterns
 - Power concentration
 - Density: $\# \text{ edges} / \text{potential edges}$ ex. 12/139
 - Transitivity: if A is connected to C and B is connected to C, it is probable that B is connected to A
 - Reciprocity: reflects power relationships
- Position of the nodes:
 - Centrality (in or out-degree), betweenness centrality, eigenvector centrality



20 SOME EXAMPLES



Fraud analysis



Music networks

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