

Summary of Correction in Visualization of Analytic Provenance for Sensemaking

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Below are the correction points asked by the external examiner and my summary of changes in addressing them.

1. Include URLs to videos in thesis.
→ For each chapter, I included a demo link at the footnote of the first page of the chapter.
2. Update minor language corrections throughout thesis.
→ I fixed all errors marked in the two copies of the external and internal examiners. I also moved figures to top or bottom of the page as the external suggested.
3. Shorten Chapter 2 by referencing relevant surveys on time-oriented data and network and tree data.
→ I added references to relevant surveys and books, and shortened the text significantly in those two sections. Now, Section 2.4 and Section 2.5 are merged into one.
4. Chapter 5: consider trade-off between amount of resources used and amount of data collected.
→ I added a discussion in Section 5.5.8.3.
5. Chapter 5: discuss a bit more about “user engagement”. This point wasn’t on the external examiner’s viva notes but noted in his thesis copy.
→ I added a paragraph at the end of Section 6.4.3.1 to discuss.
6. Figure 6.11: discuss scalability as future work.
→ The scalability of the history map was already discussed in Section 6.4.4.4 and in the second paragraph of Section 6.5.3.1. Now, I added a discussion on scalability of the knowledge map in Section 6.4.5.6.