



# Exercise 10

Information Retrieval



# 13. Web Search Basics 14. PageRank and HITS

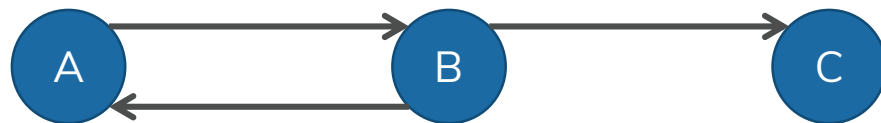
## Exercise 13/14.1

- Are the following statements true or false? Give reasons for your answer.
  - a) The size of the web can easily be determined by crawling the web and counting the pages.
  - b) In the context of web search, information needs are the only subclass of user needs. *other subsets?*
  - c) Shingling is a technique for detecting near duplicates of web pages.
  - d) The average out-degree of all web pages is higher than their average in-degree. *?? 入度更大?*
  - e) The PageRank algorithm ranks web pages by the number of occurrences of the query terms.
  - f) The PageRank of a web page is query-dependent.
  - g) The HITS-algorithm provides two scores per web page: an authority score and a hub score.
  - h) The HITS-scores of a web page are query-dependent.

# PageRank: Transition Probability Matrices

## Exercise 13/14.2

- Consider the web graph shown below



!! 条件1: 有出度。c用的是另一个公式  
!! 条件2: 有路。如果没有路, 算0. 也可以另行定义  
如果有, 算出度倒数 (==0) Sackgasse  
!! 验证: : 相加等于1  
alpha 严格大于零  
等于0是另一种情况: : 0

- Write down the transition probability matrices for the random surfer's walk with teleporting
- Consider the following three values of the teleport probability

$$\alpha = 0$$

$$\alpha = \frac{1}{2}$$

$$\alpha = 1$$

很好的题目

## Exercise 13/14.3

- For the web graph shown on the right, compute the following for each of the three pages A, B, and C

PageRank

authority score

hub score

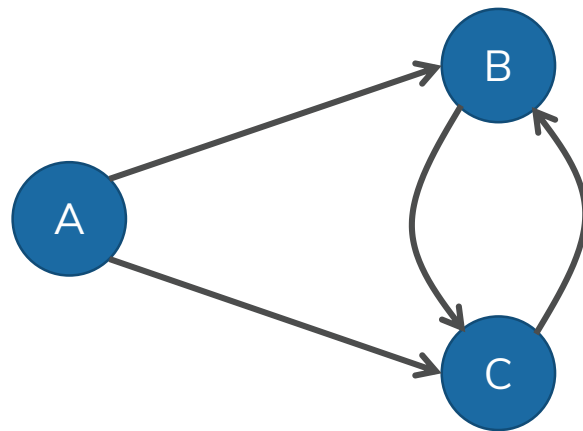
- Also give the relative ordering of the three nodes for each of these scores, indicating any ties

计算收敛时候的向量，而后再排名

## Hints

1. 写出矩阵
2. 写出带带公式

- PageRank: Assume that at each step of the random walk, we teleport to a random page with probability 0.1, with a uniform distribution over which particular page we teleport to
- Hubs/Authorities: Normalize the hub (authority) scores so that the maximum hub (authority) score is 1 标准化？ ?? 不是很清楚



## Exercise 13/14.4

- a) Show that the PageRank of every page is at least  $\alpha/n$

考虑各种情况

where  $\alpha$  is the teleport probability and  $n$  is the total number of web pages

- b) What does this imply regarding the difference in PageRank values (over the various pages) as  $\alpha$  becomes close to 1?

random i think