# Matched Products and Dynamical Models for Multiplex Networks 

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## Complex Networks



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## Centrality



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## Diffusion Dynamics

Given a vector of initial heat values $v$ the change in temperature at node $i$ with respect to time is given by

$$
\frac{d v_{i}}{d t}=-K \sum_{i \sim j} v_{i}-v_{j}
$$

or

$$
\frac{d v}{d t}=-K L v
$$

where $L$ is the graph Laplacian. This is a symmetric, positive semi-definite matrix so the value at time $t$ is

$$
v(t)=\sum_{i=1}^{n} c_{i} v^{i} e^{-\lambda_{i} t}
$$

where the $\left(v^{i}, \lambda_{i}\right)$ are eigenpairs for $L$.

## Diffusion Animation



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## Random Walk Dynamics



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## Degree Matrix



$$
D=\left(\begin{array}{llllllll}
1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 5 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 2 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 0 & 6 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
0 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 5 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\
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Degree Centrality: You are popular if you have many friends.

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$$

## Eigenvector Centrality

- Intuitively: You are popular if your friends are popular
- Formally: Your popularity should be proportional to the sum of your friends' popularities.
- Mathematically: Given a vector $v$ whose entries represent the initial popularity of each node in the network we seek a solution to:

$$
v_{i}=\lambda \sum_{i \sim j} v_{j}=\sum_{j=1}^{n} A_{i, j} v_{j}
$$

or equivalently:

$$
v=\lambda A v
$$

## Toy Eigenvector Centrality

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- Random Walk
- Matrix: $A D^{-1}$
- Stochastic, regular if $G$ is connected
- Transition matrix of associated Markov process
- Convergence governed by second largest eigenvalue


## Spectral Graph Theory

## Fan Chung: Spectral Graph Theory, AMS, (1997).

"Roughly speaking, half of the main problems of spectral theory lie in deriving bounds on the distributions of eigenvalues. The other half concern the impact and consequences of the eigenvalue bounds as well as their applications."

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## Karnataka Village Data ${ }^{1}$


${ }^{1}$ A. Banerjee, A.G. Chandrasekhar, E. Duflo, and M.O. Jackson, The Diffusion of Microfinance. Science, (2013).

## Village Layers

| Layer | Village 5 |  |  | Village 61 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Description | Density | Comp. | Giant \% | Density | Comp. | Giant \% |
| Borrow Money | .0082 | 26 | .8354 | .0108 | 15 | .9188 |
| Give Advice | .0077 | 49 | .5892 | .0098 | 34 | .7377 |
| Help Make Decisions | .0076 | 61 | .1277 | .0100 | 24 | .8562 |
| Borrow Kerosene or Rice | .0085 | 21 | .8338 | .0113 | 14 | .9171 |
| Lend Kerosene or Rice | .0086 | 22 | .8308 | .0113 | 14 | .9255 |
| Lend Money | .0081 | 14 | .7908 | .0107 | 17 | .9036 |
| Medical Advice | .0075 | 84 | .2938 | .0106 | 14 | .9306 |
| Friends | .0089 | 15 | .9277 | .0105 | 22 | .8714 |
| Relatives | .0085 | 29 | .7231 | .0105 | 26 | .5448 |
| Attend Temple With | .0073 | 117 | .0462 | .0089 | 108 | .0372 |
| Visit Their Home | .0087 | 15 | .9185 | .0116 | 11 | .9475 |
| Visit Your Home | .0088 | 16 | .9108 | .0117 | 11 | .9492 |
| Aggregate | .0121 | 3 | .9862 | .0155 | 8 | .9679 |

Table: Layer information for two of the Karnataka Villages.

## Medical Advice


(a) Village 5

(b) Village 61

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## World Trade Web²



Figure: World trade networks

## WTW Layers

| Layer | Description | Volume | \% Total | Transitivity |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 0 | Food and live animals | 291554437 | 5.1 | .82 |
| 1 | Beverages and tobacco | 48046852 | 0.9 | .67 |
| 2 | Crude materials | 188946835 | 3.3 | .79 |
| 3 | Mineral fuels | 565811660 | 10.0 | .62 |
| 4 | Animal and vegetable oils | 14578671 | 0.3 | .64 |
| 5 | Chemicals | 535703156 | 9.5 | .83 |
| 6 | Manufactured Goods | 790582194 | 13.9 | .87 |
| 7 | Machinery | 2387828874 | 42.1 | .85 |
| 8 | Miscellaneous manufacturing | 736642890 | 13.0 | .83 |
| 9 | Other commodities | 107685024 | 1.9 | .56 |
| All | Aggregate Trade | 5667380593 | 100 | .93 |

Table: Layer information for the 2000 World Trade Web.

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- Matched Sum*: Start with the disjoint layers model and then connect all copies of the same node. That is, $n_{i}^{\alpha} \sim n_{j}^{\beta}$ if and only if:
- $\alpha=\beta$ and $(i, j) \in E_{\alpha}$
- or $\alpha \neq \beta$ and $i=j$.
*Manlio De Domenico, Albert Solé-Ribalta, Emanuele Cozzo, Mikko Kivelä, Yamir Moreno, Mason A. Porter, Sergio Gómez, and Alex Arenas, Mathematical formulation of multilayer networks, Physical Review X 3 (2013), 4, 041022.


## Multiplex Null Models

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The multiplex null model with $n$ nodes and $k$ edge sets, where each layer is an Erdos-Renyi (ER) graph with connection probability $p_{i}$ will be denoted:

$$
M E R\left(n, k,\left(p_{1}, p_{2}, \ldots, p_{k}\right)\right)
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The multiplex null model with $n$ nodes and $k$ edge sets, where each layer is an Stochastic Block Model (SBM) graph with connection matrix $P_{i}$ and partition $z_{i}$ will be denoted:

$$
M S B M\left(n, k,\left(z_{1}, z_{2}, \ldots, z_{k}\right),\left(P_{1}, P_{2}, \ldots, P_{k}\right)\right)
$$

## Disjoint Layers



Figure: Disjoint Layers

## Aggregate Representations



## Matched Sum


(a) Disjoint Layers

(b) Matched Sum

## Adjacency Matrices

We can represent the matched sum with a supra-adjacency matrix:

$$
\left[\begin{array}{ccccc}
A^{1} & w I_{n} & \cdots & w I_{n} & w I_{n} \\
w I_{n} & A^{2} & \cdots & w I_{n} & w I_{n} \\
\vdots & \ddots & \ddots & \ddots & \vdots \\
w I_{n} & w I_{n} & \cdots & A^{k-1} & w I_{n} \\
w I_{n} & w I_{n} & \cdots & w I_{n} & A^{k}
\end{array}\right]
$$

where the $A^{\alpha}$ are the adjacency matrices of the individual layers and $w$ is a connection strength parameter.

## Network Properties of the Matched Sum

Although the original motivation for the matched sum was dynamical (the supra-Laplacian*) many applications of the supra adjacency methods are equivalent to studying the matched sum as a single network.

Our first task is to observe how the matched sum behaves under standard network measures. We use the $\operatorname{MER}(n, k,(p, p, \ldots, p)$ as the main object of study and are particularly interested in the behavior as $k \rightarrow \infty$ as the number of inter-layer edges has an increasingly large effect on the global structure.
*S. Gómez, A. Díaz-Guilera, J. Gómez-Gardeñes, C. J. Pérez-Vicente, Y. Moreno, and A. Arenas, Diffusion dynamics on multiplex networks, Physical Review Letters 110 (2013), 2, 028701.

## Matched Sum Properties

## Proposition

For $\operatorname{MER}(n, k,(p, p, \ldots, p))$ the expected density and expected local clustering coefficient are:

$$
\frac{p k\binom{n}{2}+n\binom{k}{2}}{\binom{n k}{2}} \approx \frac{p}{k}+\frac{1}{n} \quad \text { and } \quad \frac{\binom{k-1}{2}+p^{3} n^{2}}{\binom{p n+(k-1)}{2}}
$$


(a) Density

(b) Clustering Coefficient Dartmouth

## MER Eigenvector Centrality


(a) $\operatorname{MER}(100,3,(.11, .16, .21))(b)$
$\operatorname{MER}(100,10,(.11, .12, .13, .14, .15, .16, .17, .18, .19, .20))$

## MER Clustering

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## MSBM Clustering



(b) Four Clusters

## Random Walk Convergence


(a) Random Walk: Convergence

(b) Projected Walk: Steps to Escape

## Matched Sum Diffusion


(a) Inter vs. Intra

(b) supra-Laplacian Eigenvalues

## Dynamics Setup

Given a multiplex $M=\left(V,\left(E_{1}, E_{2}, \ldots, E_{K}\right)\right)$ and a collection of operators $D_{i}$ associated to ( $V, E_{i}$ ) we wish to construct a method for extending the dynamics to the global structure. We begin by letting $D$ be the operator that acts diagonally on each respective component by $D_{i}$. That is, given a $1 \times n k$ vector with values associated to each element $n_{i}^{\alpha}$ we define the action:

$$
D v=\left[\begin{array}{cccc}
D_{1} & 0 & \cdots & 0 \\
0 & D_{2} & \cdots & 0 \\
\ddots & \ddots & \ddots & \ddots \\
0 & 0 & \cdots & D_{k}
\end{array}\right] v=\left[\begin{array}{c}
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D_{2} v^{2} \\
\vdots \\
D_{k} v^{k}
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## Matrix Realization

The matrix associated to the total operator also takes a convenient block form:

$$
\left[\begin{array}{cccc}
C^{1,1} D_{1} & C^{1,2} D_{2} & \cdots & C^{1, k} D_{k} \\
C^{2,1} D_{1} & C^{2,2} D_{2} & \cdots & C^{2, k} D_{k} \\
\vdots & \vdots & \vdots & \vdots \\
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\end{array}\right]
$$

Where the $\left\{C^{\alpha, \beta}\right\}$ are the diagonal proportionality matrices with diagonal given by $\left(m_{1}^{\alpha, \beta} c_{1}^{\alpha, \beta}, \ldots, m_{n}^{\alpha, \beta} c_{n}^{\alpha, \beta}\right)$. When $m_{i}^{\alpha, \beta}=1$ for all $\alpha, \beta$, and $i$ we say the operator is closed.

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- General Model ( $\mathfrak{D}$ )
- $c_{i}^{\alpha, \beta}=c_{i}^{\alpha, \beta}$
- Pairwise comparisons between node copies
- Anything goes/Matched Sum


## Eigenvector Centrality Comparison




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## Layer Eigenvectors

## Proposition

We consider the models $\mathfrak{D}_{u}, \mathfrak{D}_{h}$, and $\mathfrak{D}_{e}$ and assume that the $C^{\alpha}$ are invertible for $\mathfrak{D}_{u}$ and that the $c^{\alpha} \neq 0$ for $\mathfrak{D}_{h}$. Then,
(1) (Unified Node Model) Let $D_{a}=D^{1} C^{1}+\ldots D^{k} C^{k}$ and $\left\{\left(\lambda_{i}, w_{i}\right)\right\}$ be its eigendata. If $\lambda_{i} \neq 0,\left(\lambda_{i}, v_{i}\right)$ is an eigenvalue/eigenvector pair for $\mathfrak{D}_{u}$ where

$$
v_{i}=\left(C^{1} w_{i}, \ldots, C^{k} w_{i}\right)^{T}
$$

2 (Ranked Layers Model) Let $D_{a}=m^{1} c^{1} D^{1}+\cdots+m^{k} c^{k} D^{k}$ and $\left\{\left(\lambda_{i}, w_{i}\right)\right\}$ be its eigendata. If $\lambda_{i} \neq 0,\left(\lambda_{i}, v_{i}\right)$ is an eigenvalue/eigenvector pair for $\mathfrak{D}_{h}$ where

$$
v_{i}=\left(m^{1} c^{1} w_{i}, \ldots, m^{k} c^{k} w_{i}\right)^{T}
$$

3 (Equi-distribution Model) Let $D_{a}=\frac{1}{k}\left(D^{1}+\cdots+D^{k}\right)$ and $\left\{\left(\lambda_{i}, w_{i}\right)\right\}$ be its eigendata. If $\lambda_{i} \neq 0\left(\lambda_{i}, v_{i}\right)$ is an eigenvalue/eigenvector pair for $\mathfrak{D}_{e}$ where $v_{i}=\frac{1}{k}\left(w_{i}, w_{i}, \ldots, w_{i}\right)^{T}$.

## Preserved Properties

## Proposition

If the mixing matrices are closed, the the following properties are preserved in our operator:

- Stochasticity
- Irreducibility
- Primitivity
- If we are additionally in the unified node case, the operator also preserves positive (negative) (semi)-definiteness.


## Multiplex Random Walks

The random walk defined by these dynamics has transition probabilities:
$v_{i}^{\alpha} \rightarrow v_{j}^{\beta}= \begin{cases}\frac{c_{j}^{\beta, \alpha}}{\operatorname{deg}\left(v_{i}^{\alpha}\right)} & \text { if } v_{i}^{\alpha} \sim v_{j}^{\alpha} \\ 0 & \text { otherwise } .\end{cases}$

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## Laplacian Dynamics

Under our dynamical model, where effects pass through node copies to other layers, the heat diffusion interpretation of the Laplacian can be derived from first principles:

$$
\begin{gathered}
\frac{d v_{i}^{\alpha}}{d t}=-K \sum_{\beta=1}^{k} c_{i}^{\alpha, \beta} \sum_{n_{i}^{\beta} \sim n_{j}^{\beta}}\left(v_{i}^{\beta}-v_{j}^{\beta}\right) \\
\frac{d v_{i}^{\alpha}}{d t}=-K \sum_{\beta=1}^{k} c_{i}^{\alpha, \beta}(L v)_{i}^{\beta}
\end{gathered}
$$

## Laplacian Eigenvalue Bounds

## Proposition

Let $\left\{\lambda_{i}\right\}$ be the eigenvalues of $\mathscr{D}$ and $\left\{\lambda_{i}^{\alpha}\right\}$ be the eigenvalues of the $\alpha$-layer Laplacian $D^{\alpha}$. We have the following bounds for ranked layers model:

- Fiedler Value:

$$
\max _{\alpha}\left(\lambda_{F}^{\alpha}\right) \leq k \lambda_{F} \leq \lambda_{F}^{m}+\sum_{\beta \neq m} \lambda_{1}^{\beta}
$$

- Leading Value:

$$
\max _{i}\left(\lambda_{1}^{i}\right) \leq k \lambda_{1} \leq \sum_{i} \lambda_{1}^{i}
$$

- General Form:

$$
\max _{i}\left(\lambda_{n-j}^{i}\right) \leq k \lambda_{n-j} \leq \min _{J \vdash n+k-(j+1)}\left(\min _{\sigma \in S_{n}}\left(\sum_{\alpha=1}^{k} \lambda_{j_{\alpha}}^{\sigma(\alpha)}\right)\right)
$$

## Bounds Example- $p$



## Bounds Example - $c$



## Clustering



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## Clustering Definitions

- Spectral clustering
- Minimize Inter-Community Edges
- Minimize $s^{T} L s$ with $s \in\{ \pm 1\}^{n}$
- Modularity
- Maximize Intra-Community Edges (compared to expectation)
- Maximize $s^{T} B s$ with $s \in\{ \pm 1\}^{n}$ where $B_{i, j}=A_{i, j}-\frac{\operatorname{deg}(i) \operatorname{deg}(j)}{2 m}$.
- Markov Stability
- Given a partition $\left(V_{1}, V_{2}, \ldots, V_{\ell}\right)$ maximize (for fixed $t$ )

$$
r(t, V)=\sum_{i=1}^{\ell} \sum_{v_{y}, v_{z} \in V_{i}} C(t)_{y, z}
$$

- Discrete: $C(t)=\Pi S^{t}-\pi^{T} \pi$ where $\pi$ is the steady state vector and $\Pi$ is the diagonal matrix of $\pi$
- Continuous: $C(t)=\Pi e^{-t(I-S)}-\pi^{T} \pi$ where $\pi$ is the steady state vector and $\Pi$ is the diagonal matrix of $\pi$


## Multiplex Cut Computations

Extending spectral clustering to the multiplex setting requires a variety of additional considerations. Let $s=\left(s_{1}, s_{2}, \ldots, s_{k}\right)$ be a $1 \times n k$ vector in $\{ \pm 1\}^{n k}$ representing the community assignments.

- Matched Sum ( $w$ is the inter-layer weight parameter):

$$
\sum_{\alpha=1}^{k} s_{\alpha}^{T} \mathcal{L}_{\frac{1}{2}\left(A^{\alpha}+\left(A^{\alpha}\right)^{T}\right)} s_{\alpha}+w \sum_{\alpha, \beta=1}^{k}\left((\overrightarrow{1})^{T} \overrightarrow{1}-s_{\alpha}^{T} s_{\beta}\right)
$$

- Dynamical $\left(B^{\beta, \alpha}=C^{\beta, \alpha} A^{\alpha}+\left(C^{\alpha, \beta} A^{\beta}\right)^{T}\right)$ :

$$
\sum_{\alpha} s_{\alpha}^{T} \mathcal{L}_{B^{\alpha, \alpha}} s_{\alpha}+\sum_{\alpha \neq \beta}\left((\overrightarrow{1})^{T} B^{\alpha, \beta} \overrightarrow{1}-s_{\alpha}^{T} B^{\alpha, \beta} s_{\beta}\right)
$$

## Experiments Outline

Layer Models
(1) ER Layers
(2) Aligned SBM Communities
(3) Offset SBM Communities

Parameters
(1) Number of layers
(2) Density of layers
(3) Number of communities sought
(4) Amount of offset
(5) Inter-layer weight $w$ (Matched Sum)
(6) Mixing Matrix $C$ (Dynamical)

## ER Layers Clusters


(a) Dynamical

(b) Matched Sum

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(c) Matched Sum

(d) Matched Sum

## ER Layers Eigenvalues


(a) Dynamical

(b) Matched Sum

## ER Layers Match Proportion



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(a) Matched Sum

## Aligned SBM Layer Clusters


(b) Dynamical

(c) Matched Sum 2

(d) Matched Sum 4

## Aligned SBM Layer Clusters


(e) Matched Sum 2

(f) Matched Sum 4

(g) Matched Sum 4

## Aligned SBM Layer Clusters


(h) Matched Sum 8

(i) Matched Sum 8

(j) Matched Sum 8

## Aligned SBM Layer Eigenvalues


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## Dynamical Mixing Clusters



## Matched Sum Weighting ER



## Matched Sum Weighting SBM



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## Matched Sum Offset Weighting


(a) Eigenvalues

(b) Offset $(1,1,1,10)$

(c) Offset $(1,5,10,15)$

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## Markov Stability

Our multiplex random walk operator is intrinsically directed, with the transition probability from $n_{i}^{\alpha} \rightarrow n_{j}^{\beta}$ given by

$$
\left\{\begin{array}{ll}
\frac{c^{\beta}}{\operatorname{deg}\left(n_{i}^{\alpha}\right)} & n_{i}^{\alpha} \sim n_{j}^{\alpha} \\
0 & n_{i}^{\alpha} \nsim n_{j}^{\alpha}
\end{array} .\right.
$$

In the ranked layers case, the random walk can be reduced to studying an $n$ state Markov process with transition probabilities given by the projected walk where we only observe the progress of the walker between objects, not a the level of node copies. The weights on this aggregate are given by

$$
2 W_{i, j}= \begin{cases}0 & n_{i}^{\alpha} \nsim n_{j}^{\alpha} \text { and } n_{i}^{\beta} \nsim n_{j}^{\beta} \\ \operatorname{deg}\left(n_{j}^{\beta}\right) & n_{i}^{\alpha} \sim n_{j}^{\alpha} \text { and } n_{i}^{\beta} \nsim n_{j}^{\beta} \\ \operatorname{deg}\left(n_{j}^{\alpha}\right) & n_{i}^{\alpha} \nsim n_{j}^{\alpha} \text { and } n_{i}^{\beta} \sim n_{j}^{\beta} \\ \operatorname{deg}\left(n_{j}^{\alpha}\right)+\operatorname{deg}\left(n_{j}^{\beta}\right) & n_{i}^{\alpha} \sim n_{j}^{\alpha} \text { and } n_{i}^{\beta} \sim n_{j}^{\beta}\end{cases}
$$

## SBM Stability Spectral Gap


(a) Continuous Eigenvalues


(b) Continuous Spectral Gap (c) Continuous Rand Index

## Offset SBM Markov Stability


(a) Offsets $(1,1,1,15)$

(b) Offsets $(1,5,10,15)$

## Medical Advice


(a) Village 4

(b) Village 61

## Social Diffusion


(a) Synthetic

(b) Villages

## Village 5 Dynamical Diffusion Centrality


(a) Medical vs. Aggregate

(b) Multiplex vs. Medical $c=\frac{7}{24}$

## World Trade Web²



Figure: World trade networks

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- Natural centrality measure: Random Walk Betweeness Centrality (RWBC)*
- The RWBC of node $i$ is defined by summing over all pairs $(j, k)$ the probability that a random walk beginning at node $j$ passes through node $i$ before reaching node $k$.
* Newman, M.E.J.: A measure of betweenness centrality based on random walks. Social Networks 27(1), 39-54 (2005).


## Global Aggregate Rankings

| Year | 1970 | 1980 | 1990 | 2000 |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | US | US | US | US |
| 2 | Germany | Germany | Germany | Germany |
| 3 | Canada | Japan | Japan | Japan |
| 4 | UK | UK | France | China |
| 5 | Japan | France | UK | UK |
| 6 | France | Saudi Arabia | Italy | France |

Table: RWBC values for the aggregate WTW.

## Commodity Rankings



(c) Saudi Arabia

Commodities.

## Full Multiplex RWBC

| Ranking | Country | Layer |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | US | 7 |
| 2 | Germany | 7 |
| 3 | China | 7 |
| 4 | UK | 7 |
| 5 | Japan | 7 |
| 6 | US | 8 |
| 7 | Canada | 7 |
| 8 | France | 7 |
| 9 | Japan | 3 |
| 10 | US | 6 |
| 12 | US | 3 |
| 13 | Netherlands | 7 |
| 14 | Germany | 6 |
| 15 | Italy | 7 |

Table: Multiplex RWBC values for the 2000 WTW.

## Commodity Appearance

| Layer | Ranking | Country |
| :--- | :---: | :---: |
| 0 | 22 | Japan |
| 1 | 199 | Germany |
| 2 | 47 | China |
| 3 | 9 | Japan |
| 4 | 184 | Australia |
| 5 | 23 | Germany |
| 6 | 10 | US |
| 7 | 1 | US |
| 8 | 6 | US |
| 9 | 39 | US |

Table: First appearance of each layer in the rankings.

## Ranking Movement

| Layer 7 Ranking | Country | Multiplex Ranking |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | USA | 1 |
| 2 | Japan | 5 |
| 3 | Germany | 2 |
| 4 | China | 3 |
| 5 | France | 8 |
| 6 | UK | 4 |
| 7 | South Korea | 18 |
| 8 | Canada | 7 |
| 9 | Malaysia | 16 |
| 10 | Mexico | 20 |

Table: Comparison of the relative rankings of the RWBC on Layer 7 versus the multiplex RWBC.

## WTW Clustering



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## Thank You!



## Layer Splitting Partitions


(a) Dynamical $k=3$

(c) Matched Sum $k=3$

(b) Dynamical $k=6$

(d) Matched Sum $k=6$

## MER Matched Sum


(a) 1 Eigenector

(b) 2 Eigenectors

(c) 3 Eigenectors

(d) 4 Eigenectors

(e) 5 Eigenectors

## MSBM Matched Sum


(a) 1 Eigenector

(b) 2 Eigenectors

(c) 3 Eigenectors

(d) 4 Eigenectors

## Matched Product

## Definition

Given a graph $C$ with $k$ labeled nodes called the structure graph and an ordered set of $k$ layer graphs $\left(G_{1}, G_{2}, \ldots, G_{k}\right)$ each with $n$ labeled nodes we defined the matched product $C\left(G_{1}, G_{2}, \ldots, G_{k}\right)$ of the $\left\{G_{i}\right\}$ with respect to $C$ as the graph with vertex set $\cup V_{i}$ and edges between two nodes $v_{i}^{\alpha}$ and $v_{j}^{\beta}$ if either:

- $\alpha=\beta$ and $i \neq j$ and $v_{i} \sim v_{j}$ in $G_{\alpha}$ or
- $\alpha \neq \beta$ and $i=j$ and $v_{\alpha} \sim v_{\beta}$ in $C$.


## Other Products

## Proposition

There are labelings of the graphs below such that the following hold:
(1) The cartesian product of $G$ and $H$ can be represented by $H(G, G, \ldots, G)$
(2) The rooted product of $G$ and $H$ can be represented by $H\left(G, E_{n}, E_{n}, \ldots, E_{n}\right)$
(3) The hierarchical product $G$ and $H$ with subset $\left\{a_{i}\right\} \subset H$ can be represented by $H\left(G_{1}, G_{2}, \ldots, G_{k}\right)$ where $G_{i}=\left\{\begin{array}{ll}G & \text { if } i \in\left\{a_{i}\right\} \\ E_{n} & \text { otherwise }\end{array}\right.$.

## Vertex Labeling



Figure: Both of these graphs can be constructed as $P_{2}\left(C_{5}, C_{5}\right)$ with different labelings of the cycles.

## Multiplex Special Cases

Given a collection of layers $\left(G_{1}, G_{2}, \ldots, G_{k}\right)$ we can use this notation to describe the common multiplex representations:

- Disjoint layers: $E_{k}\left(G_{1}, G_{2}, \ldots, G_{k}\right)$
- Matched sum: $K_{k}\left(G_{1}, G_{2}, \ldots, G_{k}\right)$
- Temporal multiplex: $P_{k}\left(G_{1}, G_{2}, \ldots, G_{k}\right)$


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