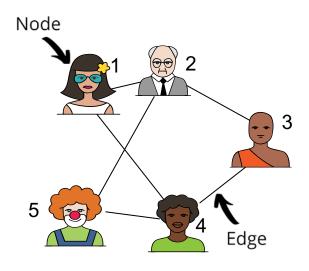
# Subsampling in Large Networks

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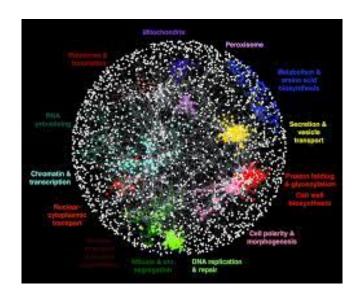
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# **Network**

#### **Social network**



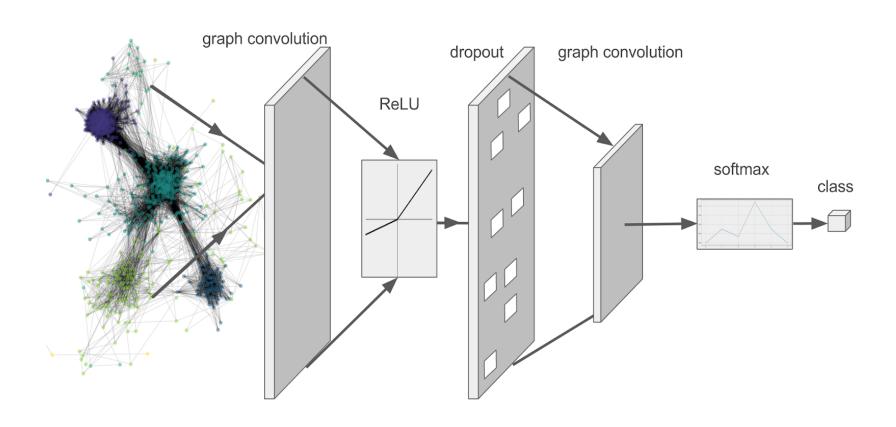
### Protein-protein network



# **Large Networks**

- Hard to visualize
- Hard to analyze
- Hard for downstream computation

# **Graph Neural Network**



# Subnetwork

- A representation (or a sketch) of the large network
- Subsampling: methods for taking subnetwork from the large network

# **Three Settings**

The original large network is accessible

The original large network is not accessible

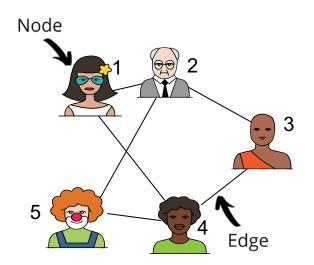
Something in between

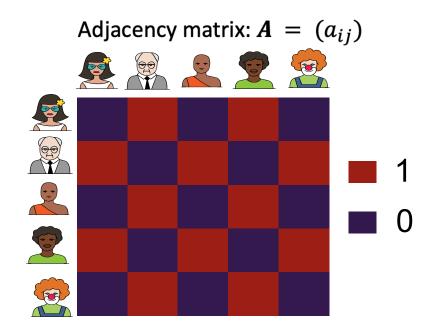
# Desirable Properties of Subsampling

- Local to global: Importance indices of nodes and/or edges are local features with global (whole network) information
- Local computation: The subsampling methods do not need to compute the importance indices of all nodes and/or edges.

# Graph

#### Social network



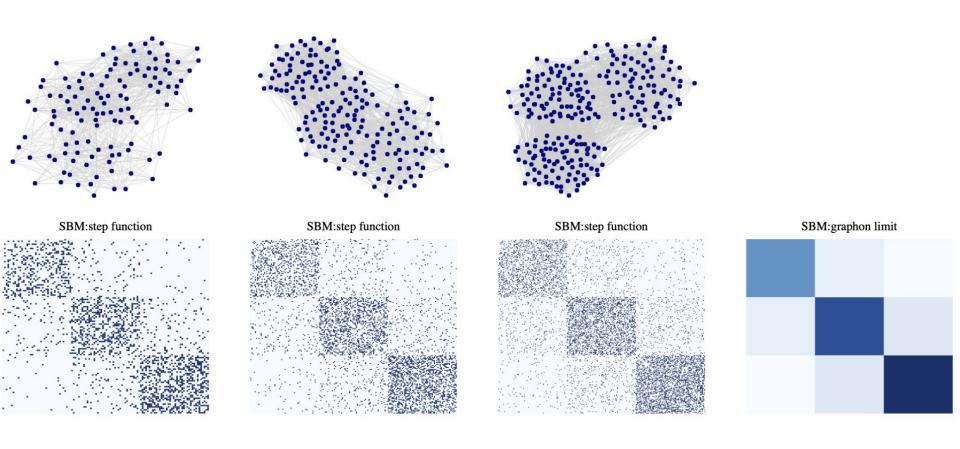


# **Graph and Matrix**

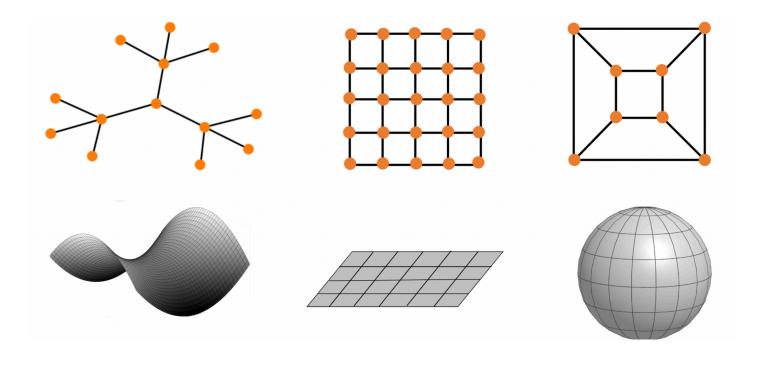
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Numerical Linear Algebra

# **Graphon and Graphex**



# **Manifolds**

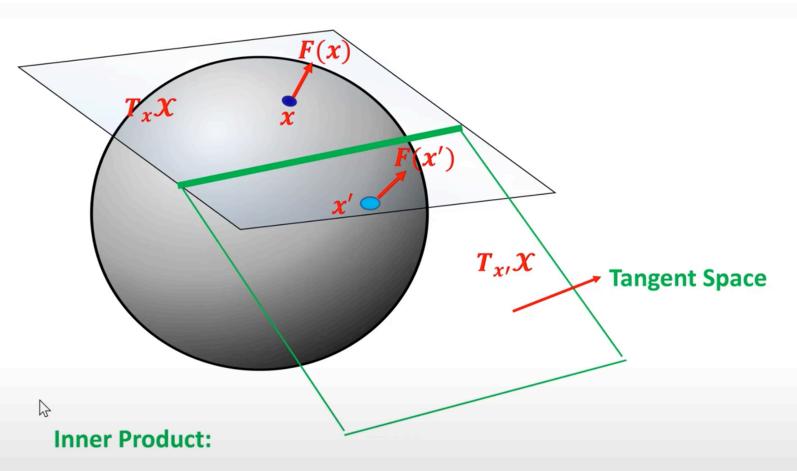


# **Manifolds**

# No predetermined coordinates

- The flexibility to choose coordinates arbitrarily
- Ensure that any objects we define globally on a manifold do not depend on a particular choice of coordinates.

## Riemannian Manifolds

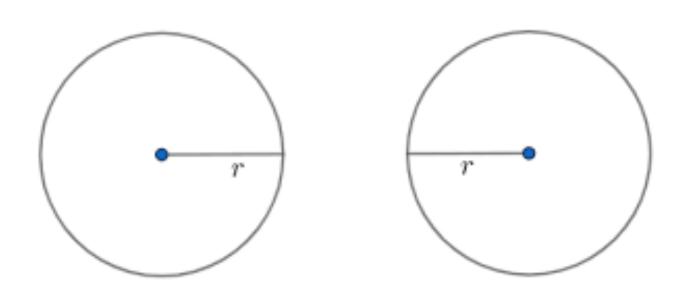


 $<.,.>_{T_x\mathcal{X}}: T_x\mathcal{X} \times T_x\mathcal{X} \to R$  is called Riemannian metric

A manifold equipped with a metric is called a Riemannian manifold.

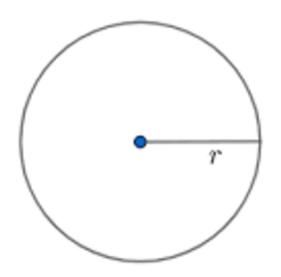
# Classification Theorem of Circles

Congruence: same radius r



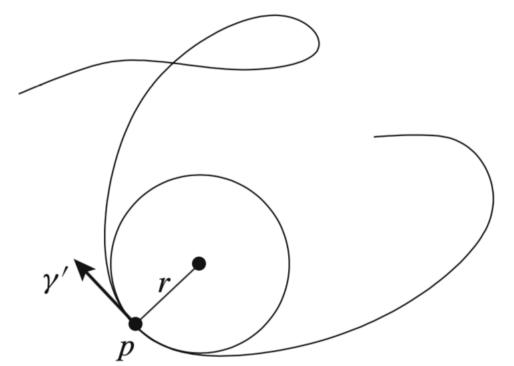
# Local-to-Global Theorem of Circles

Circumference:  $2\pi r$ 



# Curvature

$$\kappa(t) = |\gamma''(t)|$$

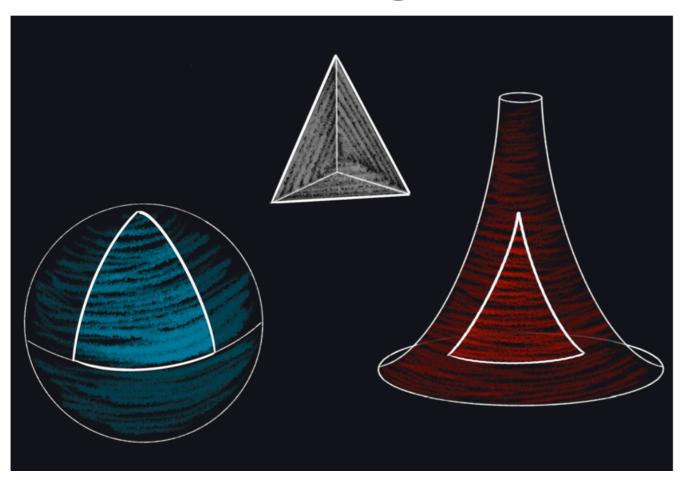


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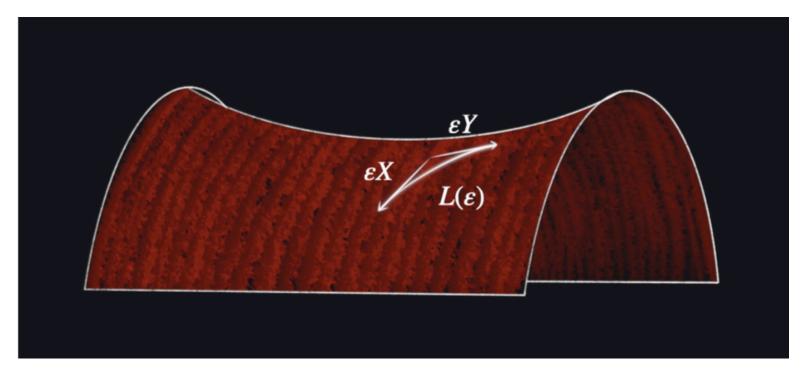
### **Curvature Theorems**

- Classification: Two curves are congruent iff their curvatures are the same.
- Local-to-global: For a simple closed curve, the integration of its curvature is  $2\pi$ .

# **Curvature in High Dimension**



## **Sectional Curvature**



$$L(\varepsilon) = \varepsilon ||X - Y|| \left( 1 - \frac{1}{12} K(X, Y) (1 + \langle X, Y \rangle) \varepsilon^2 \right) + O\left(\varepsilon^4\right)$$

K(X, Y) is defined to be the sectional curvature of the tangent plane spanned by X and Y

## Ricci Curvature

$$\mathrm{Ric}(X,X) = \frac{1}{2} \frac{(n-1)}{\omega\left(\mathbb{S}^{n-2}\right)} \oint_{\|Y\|=1 \text{ and } X \perp Y} K(X,Y) \, \mathrm{d}\mathbb{S}^{n-2}(Y)$$

 $\omega\left(\mathbb{S}^{n-2}\right)$  is the surface area of the (n-2)-dimensional sphere.

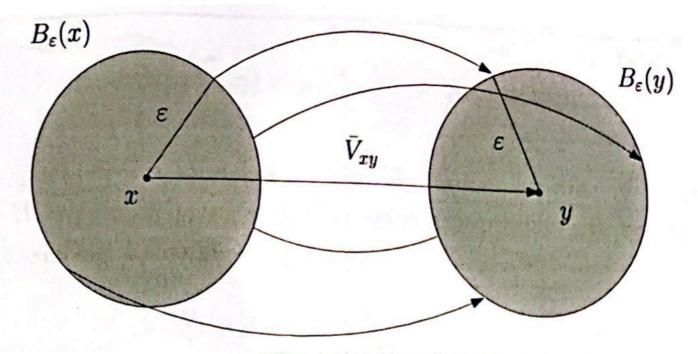
The Ricci curvature Ric(X,X) is (n-1) times the average of all of the sectional curvatures of tangent planes containing X.

$$\operatorname{Ric}(X,Y) = \frac{1}{2} \left( \operatorname{Ric}(X+Y,X+Y) - \operatorname{Ric}(X,X) - \operatorname{Ric}(Y,Y) \right)$$

### Ricci Curvature

 Measuring the degree to which the geometry determined by a given Riemannian metric might differ from that of ordinary Euclidean space

Transport ball B(x) to ball B(y).

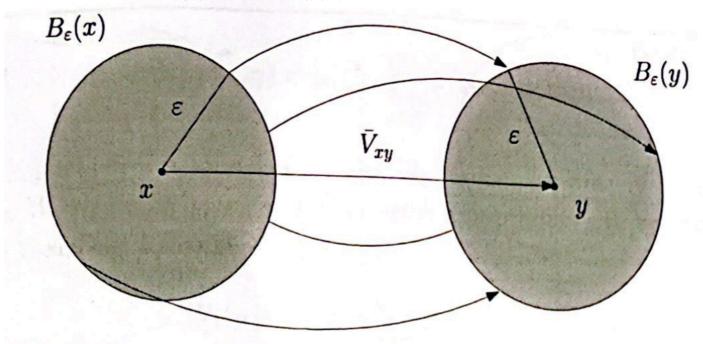


The average distance is

$$\delta \left[ 1 - \frac{\varepsilon^2}{2(n+2)} \operatorname{Ric}(\bar{\mathbf{v}}_{xy}) + O(\varepsilon^3 + \varepsilon^2 \delta) \right]$$

$$\delta = d(x,y)$$

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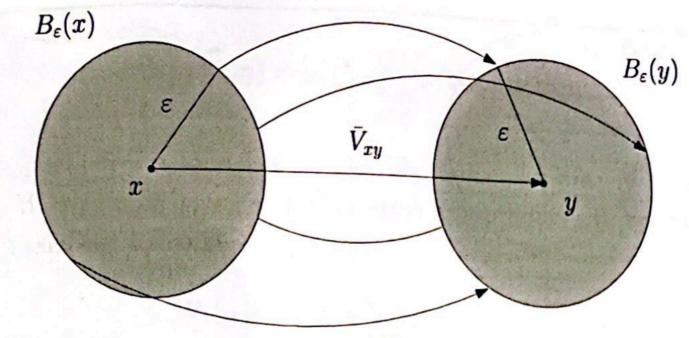


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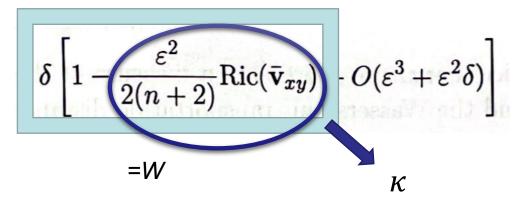
$$\delta \left[ 1 - \frac{\varepsilon^2}{2(n+2)} \operatorname{Ric}(\bar{\mathbf{v}}_{xy}) \right] - O(\varepsilon^3 + \varepsilon^2 \delta)$$

Transport ball B(x) to ball B(y).



The average distance is

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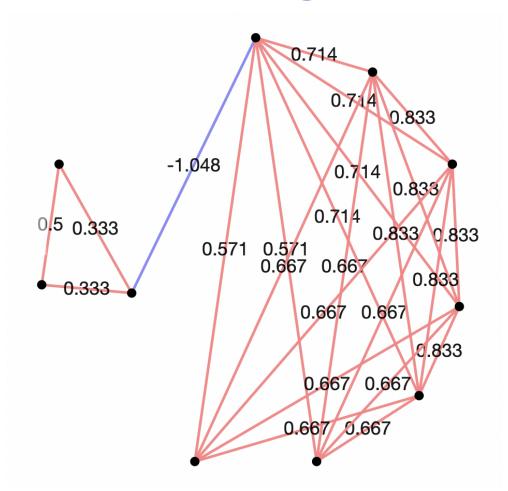


$$\kappa(u,v) = 1 - \frac{W(m_u^{\alpha}, m_v^{\alpha})}{d(u,v)} \qquad W(m_u^{\alpha}, m_v^{\alpha}) = \inf_{\xi} \sum_{u,v \in V} \xi(u,v) d(u,v)$$

$$m_u^{\alpha}(x) = \begin{cases} \alpha & \text{if } x = u \\ (1-\alpha)/d_u & \text{if } x \in \delta(u) \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$$

- · Graphs are generated from manifold
- OR curvature on Graphs → Ricci curvature on Manifold

# Subsampling in Graphs



Edges with large curvature are within a community; Edges with small curvature are between communities

### Leonid Kantorovich (1912-1986)

#### Леонид Витальевич Канторович









#### [Kantorovich 1942]

#### ON THE TRANSLOCATION OF MASSES

#### L. V. Kantorovich\*

The original paper was published in Dokl. Akad. Nauk SSSR, 37, No. 7-8, 227-229 (1942).

We assume that R is a compact metric space, though some of the definitions and results given below can be formulated for more general spaces.

Let  $\Phi(e)$  be a mass distribution, i.e., a set function such that: (1) it is defined for Borel sets, (2) it is nonegative  $\Phi(e) \ge 0$ , (3) it is absolutely additive: if  $e = e_1 + e_2 + \cdots$ ;  $e_i \cap e_k = 0$  ( $i \ne k$ ), then  $\Phi(e) = \Phi(e_i) + \cdots$ . Let  $\Phi'(e)$  be another mass distribution such that  $\Phi(R) = \Phi'(R)$ . By definition, a translocation of masses is a function  $\Phi(e, e')$  defined for pairs of (P)-set  $e_i \in e'$  as such that (1) it is nonnegative and absolutely additive with respect to each of its arguments, (2)  $\Psi(e, R) = \Phi(e)$ ,  $\Psi(R, e') = \Phi'(e')$ . Let  $\tau(e, g)$  be a known continuous nonnegative function representing the work required to move a unit mass

We define the work required for the translocation of two given mass distributions as
$$W(\Psi \Phi \Phi') = \int \int \tau(x, x') \Psi(dx, dx') = \lim_{n \to \infty} \sum_{x} \tau(x, x') \Psi(x, x')$$

the numbers diam  $e_k$   $(i=1,2,\ldots,n)$  and diam  $e_k'$   $(k=1,2,\ldots,m)$ . Clearly, this integral does exist.

We call the quantity

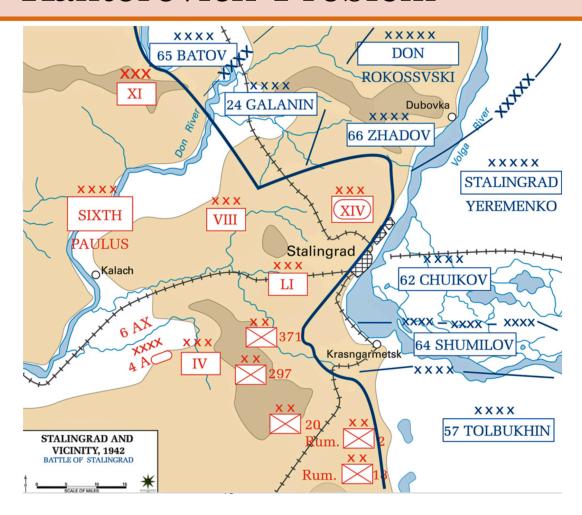
$$W(\Phi, \Phi') = \inf_{\Psi} W(\Psi, \Phi, \Phi')$$

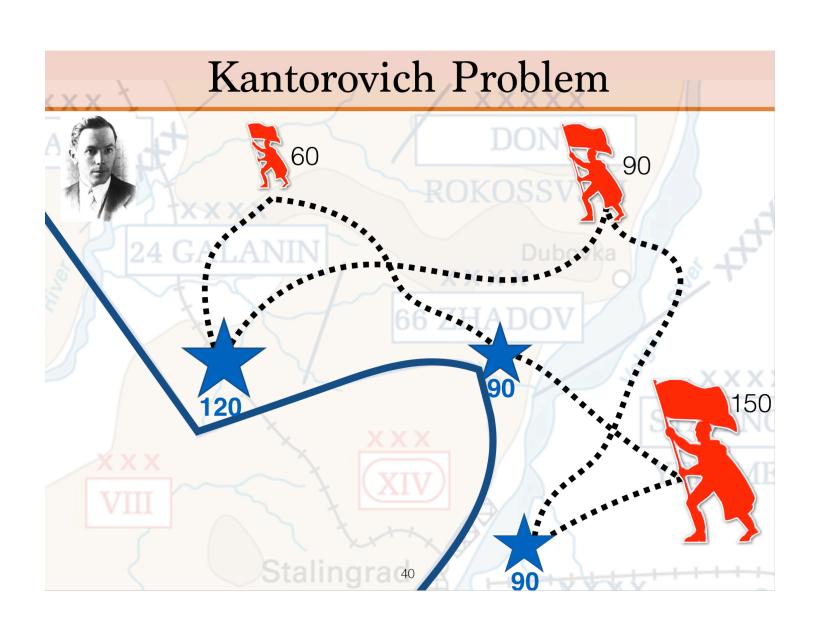
the minimal translocation work. Since the set of all functions  $\{\Psi\}$  is compact, there exists a function  $\Psi_0$  realizing this minimun, so that

$$W(\Phi, \Phi') = W(\Psi_0, \Phi, \Phi'),$$

### Kantorovich Problem



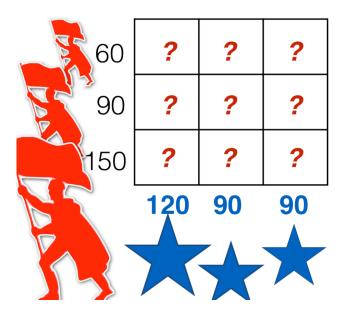




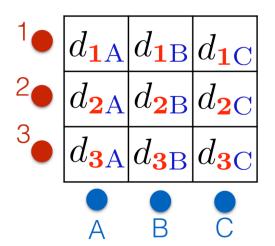
### Kantorovich Problem



### Transportation matrix



#### Distance matrix



### Kantorovich Problem

#### Transportation matrix

#### Constraints

$$orall i \in \{1,2,3\}, \sum_{oldsymbol{j} \in \{ ext{A,B,C}\}} p_{oldsymbol{i}oldsymbol{j}} = oldsymbol{a_i}$$

$$\forall j \in \{A, B, C\}, \sum_{i \in \{1,2,3\}} p_{ij} = b_j$$

$$p_{ij} \ge 0$$

#### Distance matrix

1 
$$d_{\mathbf{1}A} d_{\mathbf{1}B} d_{\mathbf{1}C}$$
2  $d_{\mathbf{2}A} d_{\mathbf{2}B} d_{\mathbf{2}C}$ 
3  $d_{\mathbf{3}A} d_{\mathbf{3}B} d_{\mathbf{3}C}$ 
A B C

#### Cost function

$$C(\boldsymbol{P}) = \sum_{\boldsymbol{j} \in \{\text{A,B,C}\}} \sum_{\boldsymbol{i} \in \{1,2,3\}} \boldsymbol{p_{ij}} d_{\boldsymbol{ij}}$$

#### Problem

$$\min_{\text{all valid } \boldsymbol{P}} C(\boldsymbol{P})$$

### Kantorovitch's Formulation

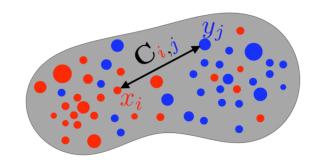
Input distributions

$$\alpha = \sum_{i=1}^{n} \mathbf{a}_i \delta_{x_i} \quad \beta = \sum_{j=1}^{m} \mathbf{b}_j \delta_{y_j}$$

Points  $(x_i)_i$ ,  $(y_j)_j$ 

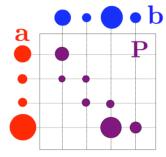
Weights  $\mathbf{a}_i \geqslant 0, \mathbf{b}_j \geqslant 0.$ 

$$\sum_{i=1}^{n} \mathbf{a}_i = \sum_{j=1}^{m} \mathbf{b}_j = 1$$



### Couplings:

$$\mathbf{U}(\mathbf{a}, \mathbf{b}) \stackrel{\text{\tiny def.}}{=} \left\{ \mathbf{P} \in \mathbb{R}_{+}^{n \times m} \; ; \; \mathbf{P} \mathbb{1}_{m} = \mathbf{a}, \mathbf{P}^{\top} \mathbb{1}_{n} = \mathbf{b} \right\}$$



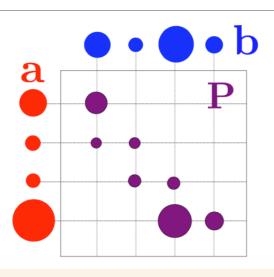
[Kantorovich 1942]

$$\min\left\{\sum_{i,j}\mathbf{C}_{i,j}\mathbf{P}_{i,j}\;;\;\mathbf{P}\in\mathbf{U}(\mathbf{a},\mathbf{b})
ight\}$$

 $\rightarrow$  Linear program, simplex  $O(n^3 \log(n))$ .

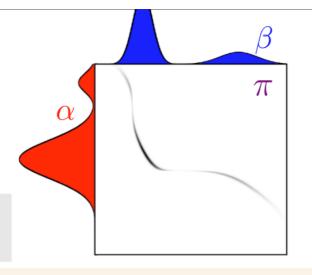


### **Wasserstein Distance**



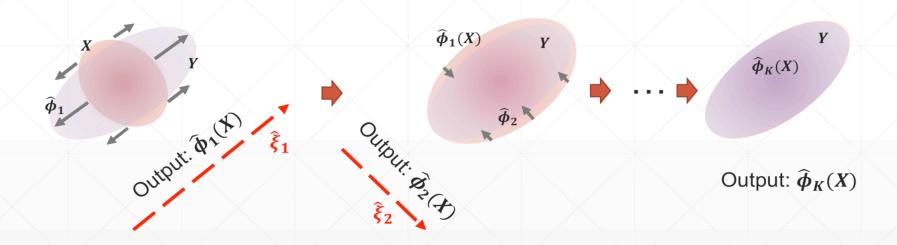
$$\pi = \sum_{i,j} \mathbf{P}_{i,j} \delta_{x_i, y_j}$$

$$c(x,y) = d(x,y)^p$$



$$W_p(\boldsymbol{\alpha}, \boldsymbol{\beta})^p \stackrel{\text{def.}}{=} \min_{\pi \in \mathcal{M}^1_+(\mathcal{X}^2)} \left\{ \int_{\mathcal{X}^2} d(\boldsymbol{x}, \boldsymbol{y})^p d\pi(\boldsymbol{x}, \boldsymbol{y}) \; ; \; \pi_1 = \boldsymbol{\alpha}, \pi_2 = \boldsymbol{\beta} \right\}$$

### Projection pursuit Monge map (PPMM)



*K*: # *Transportations* 

Computational cost:  $O(Knd^2 + Knlog(n))$ 

# **Generative Models**





Super resolution Dahl et al, CVPR 2017

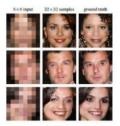
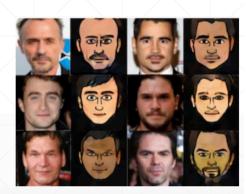


Image coloring Isola et al., CVPR 2017

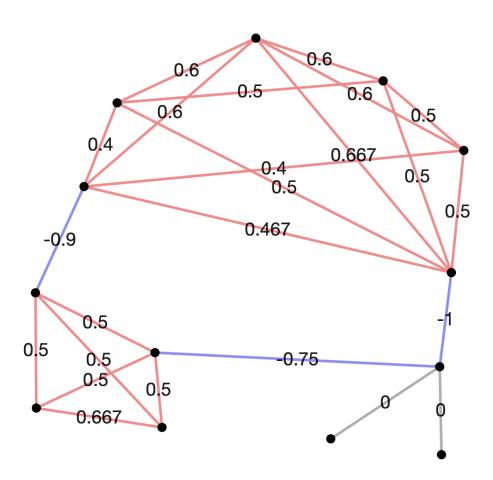


Color transfer Arbelot et al., LJK 2015



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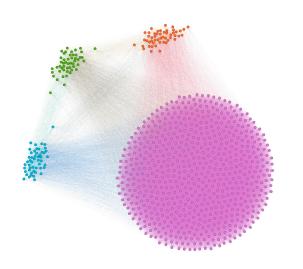
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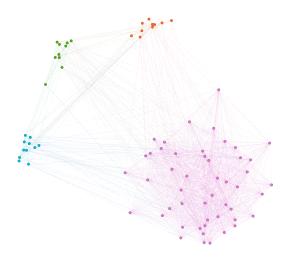


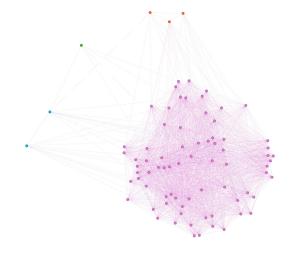
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# OR Curvature Gradient-based Subsampling

$$\left(x^{(i+1)}, y^{(i+1)}\right) = \operatorname{argmax}_{(x,y) \in \Delta\left(\left(x^{(i)}, y^{(i)}\right)\right)} \left| \kappa(x,y) - \kappa\left(x^{(i+1)}, y^{(i+1)}\right) \right|$$







## **Experiment Results**

Dataset	Prop	ORG-sub	MHRW	CSE	FFS	Snowball	RW	MDRW
Polbooks (T: 1.88 s)	10%	0.00 (T: 0.10 s)	1.20	0.62	2.68	0.48	0.33	0.00
Polblogs (T: 48.6 s)	5%	0.00 (T: 0.23 s)	1.87	0.90	2.00	0.43	1.03	0.30
PubMed (T: NA)	2%	0.00 (T: 4.42 s)	0.30	0.80	0.40	0.20	1.20	1.80

Time of estimation of *M* is the much lower than full sample! Error of estimation of *M* is the lowest!

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