

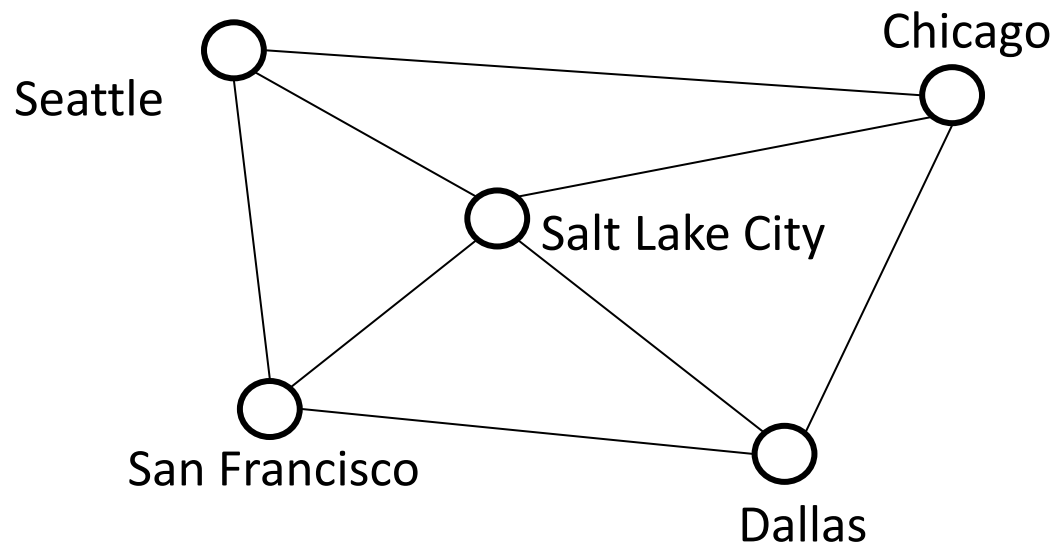
Graphs

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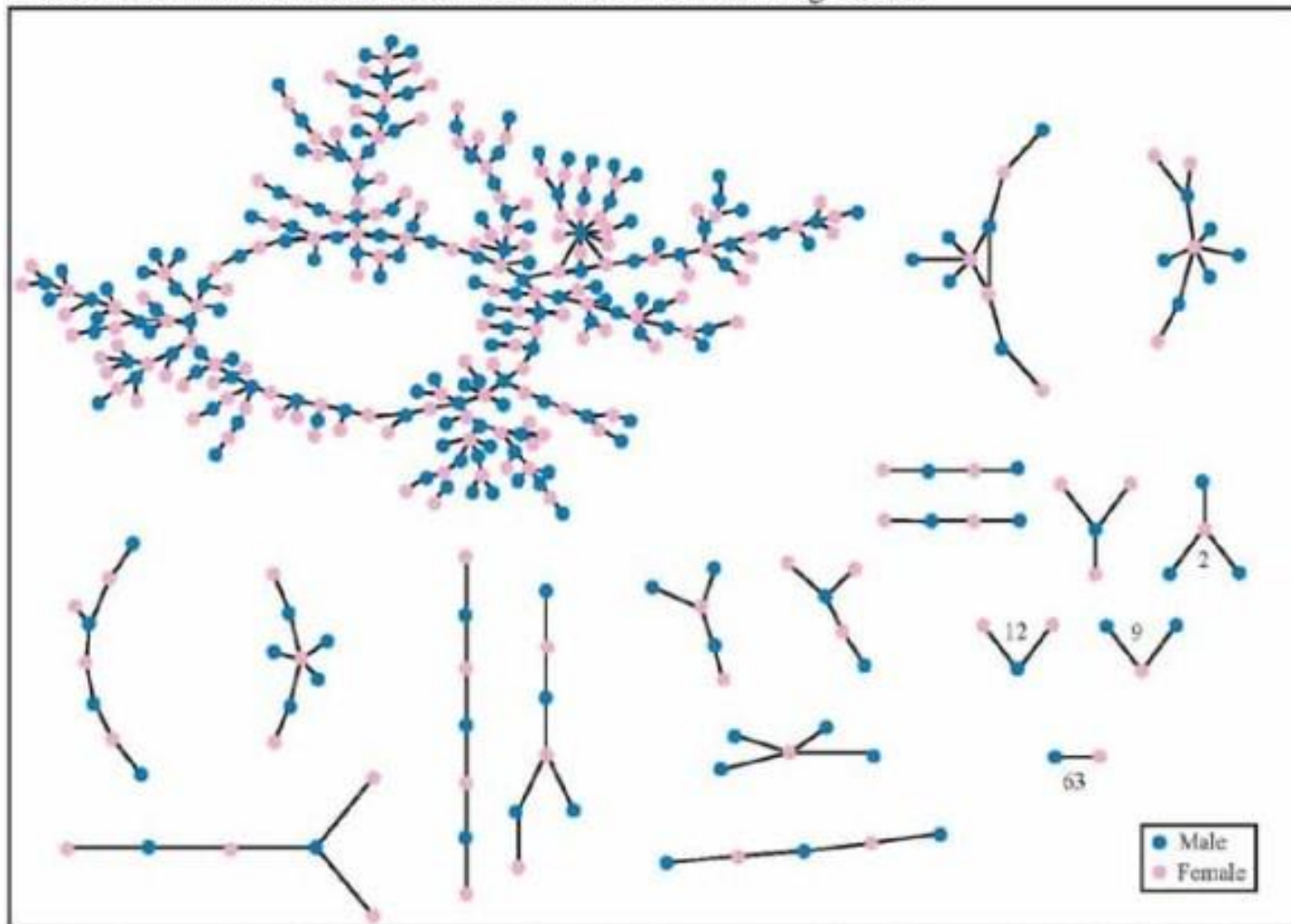
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A graph contains nodes and edges





The Structure of Romantic and Sexual Relations at "Jefferson High School"



Each circle represents a student and lines connecting students represent romantic relations occurring within the 6 months preceding the interview. Numbers under the figure count the number of times that pattern was observed (i.e. we found 63 pairs unconnected to anyone else).

+ 350 students in no romantic and/or sexual relationship

From: "Chains of Affection: The Structure of Adolescent Romantic and Sexual Networks",
American Journal of Sociology, by Peter Bearman of (Columbia), James Moody (Ohio State),
 and Katherine Stovel (U. of Washington);

Graphs

- A graph can be thought of as either of:
 - a collection of edges
 - Each edge represents some relationship
 - for each node, a collection of neighbors
 - The neighbors are those connected by an edge

Operations on a graph

Creation:

- Create an empty graph

Querying:

- Look up a node: Does it exist? What are its neighbors?
- Look up an edge (= a pair of nodes): does it exist? (You know the nodes it connects.)
- Iterate through the nodes or edges

Modification:

- Add/remove a node
- Add/remove an edge

networkx Graph Library

- Used in Homework 4
- <http://networkx.github.io/documentation/latest/tutorial/tutorial.html>

```
import networkx as nx
g = nx.Graph()
g.add_node(1)
g.add_node(2)
g.add_edge(1, 2)
print g.nodes()
print g.edges()
```

Installing networkx Graph Library

- Used in Homework 4
- <http://networkx.github.io/documentation/latest/tutorial/tutorial.html>
- To install networkx:
 - Open up "canopy" (can search for it)
 - Then select tools-> package manager
 - Click on "available Packages" and search for "networkx".
 - The button next to networkx will say something like "free", click on that button.
 - It will ask if you want to install, say yes.
 - To check if you have it installed, type "import network x" in IDLE (nothing should happen, but if it is NOT installed you will get an error message).


```
import networkx as nx
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt

g = nx.Graph()          # Creates a graph

g.add_node(1)           # Adds node 1
g.add_node(3)
g.add_node(2)
print g.nodes()

g.add_edge(1, 2)        # Adds edge from node 1 to node 2
g.add_edge(1, 3)
print g.edges()

assert len(g.nodes()) == 3
assert len(g.edges()) == 2

nx.draw(g)              # Draw the graph
plt.show()              # Show the graph in a separate window
```