

# 1. Subgraph Analysis

## 2. Propagation Methods

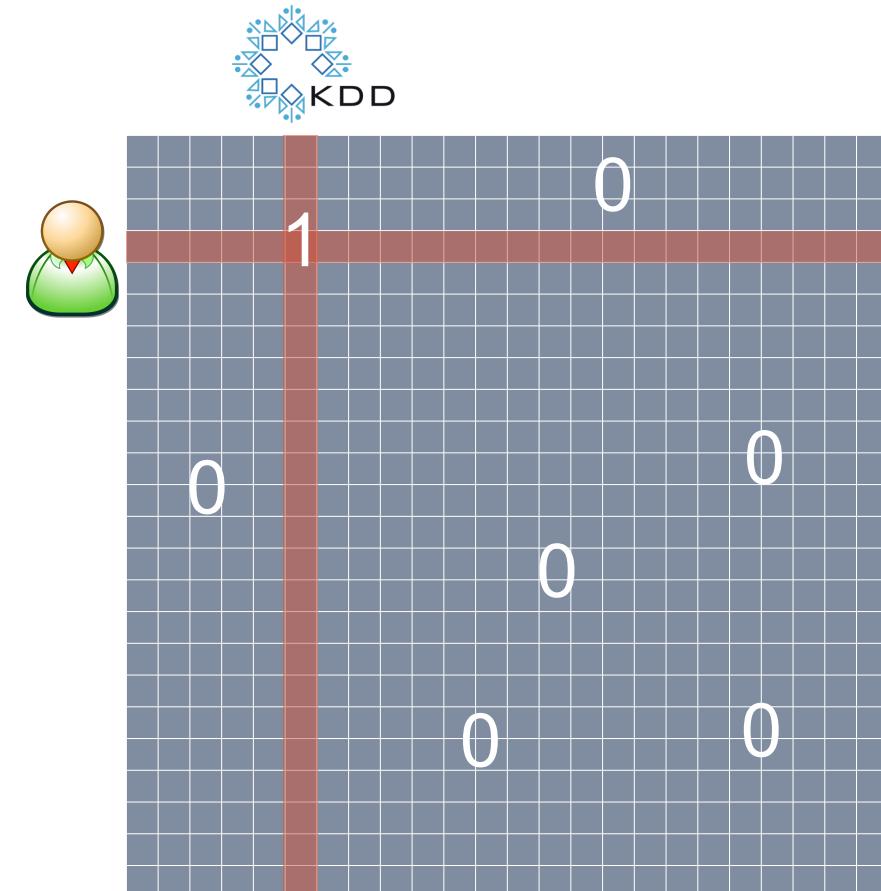
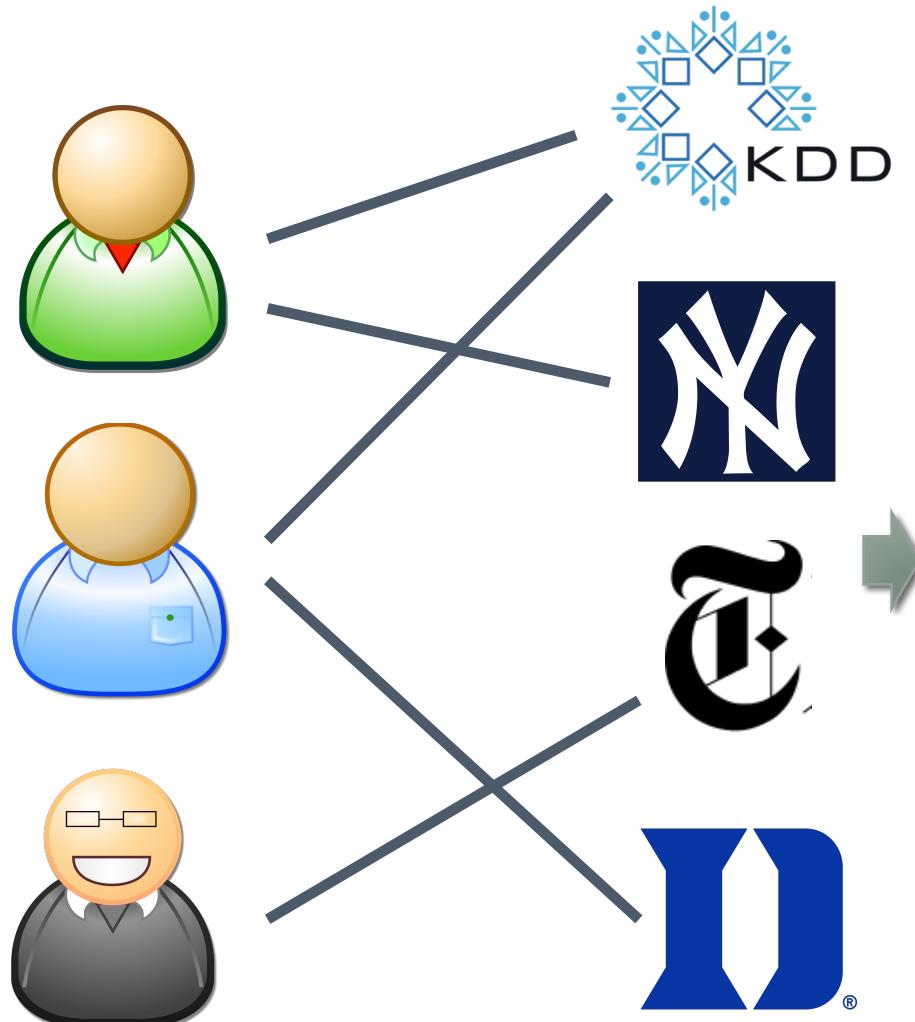
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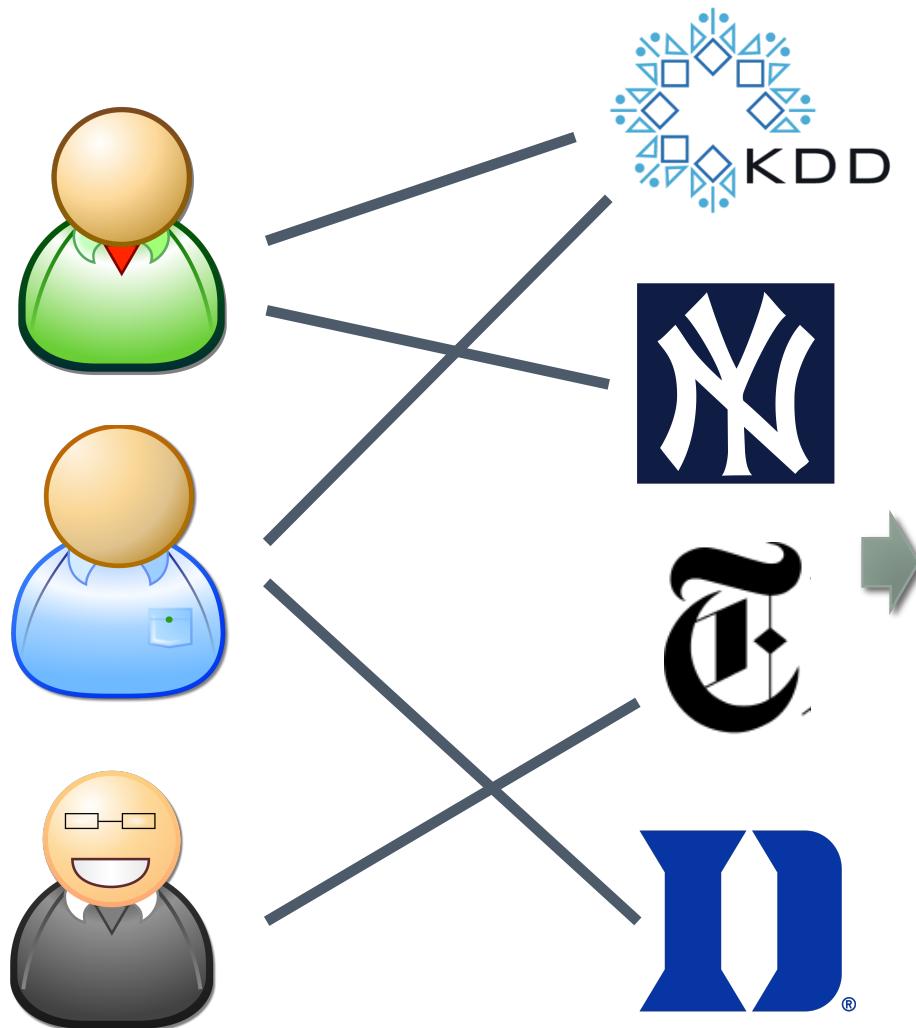
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# Matrix Modeling



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Matrix  $M$



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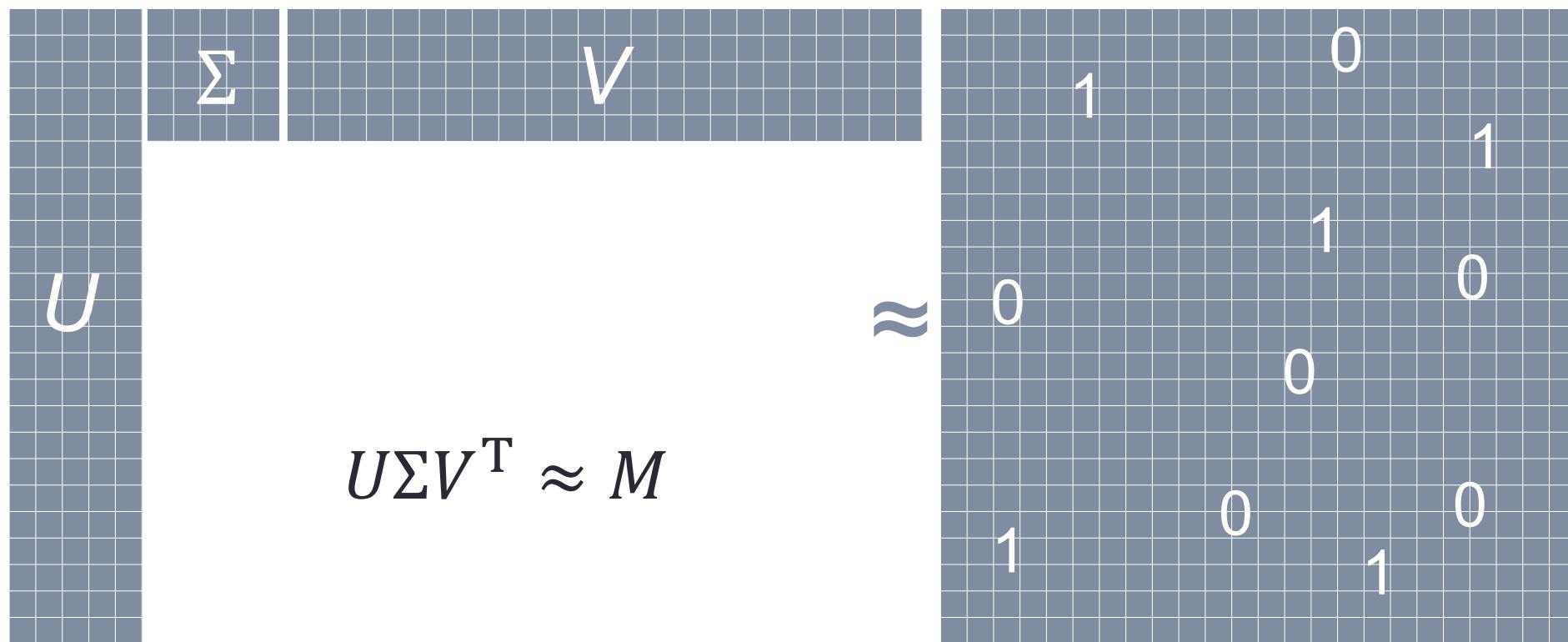
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What about the other eigenvectors?

# Matrix Modeling

## Singular Value Decomposition

$$U \Sigma V^T \approx M$$


The diagram illustrates the Singular Value Decomposition (SVD) of a matrix  $M$ . The matrix  $M$  is shown as a grid of squares. To its left is a vertical column of squares labeled  $U$ . Above  $M$  is a grid labeled  $\Sigma$ , and to the right is a grid labeled  $V$ . A wavy symbol between the grids indicates approximation. The grids  $U$ ,  $\Sigma$ , and  $V$  are composed of smaller squares, suggesting they are matrices themselves. The labels  $U$ ,  $\Sigma$ , and  $V$  are in white, while the grids are in a darker shade of blue.

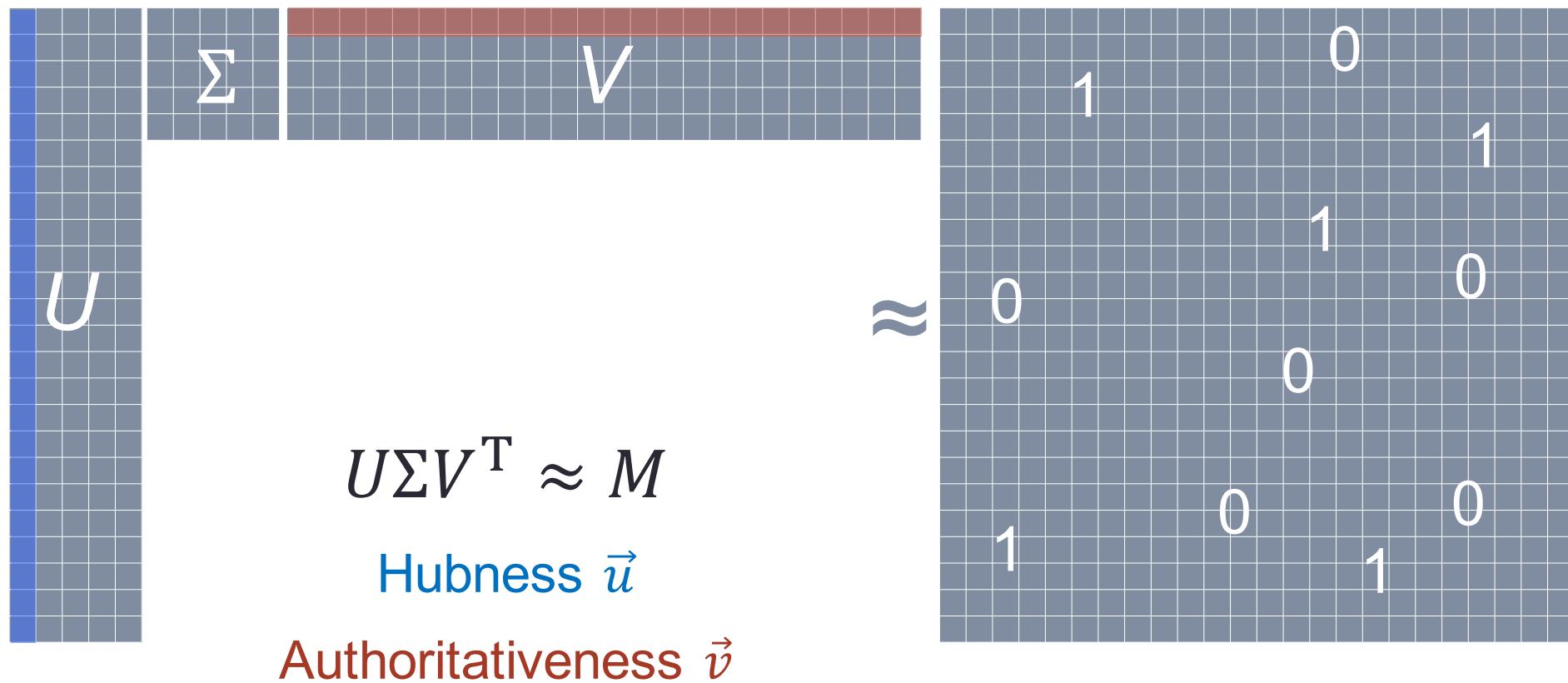
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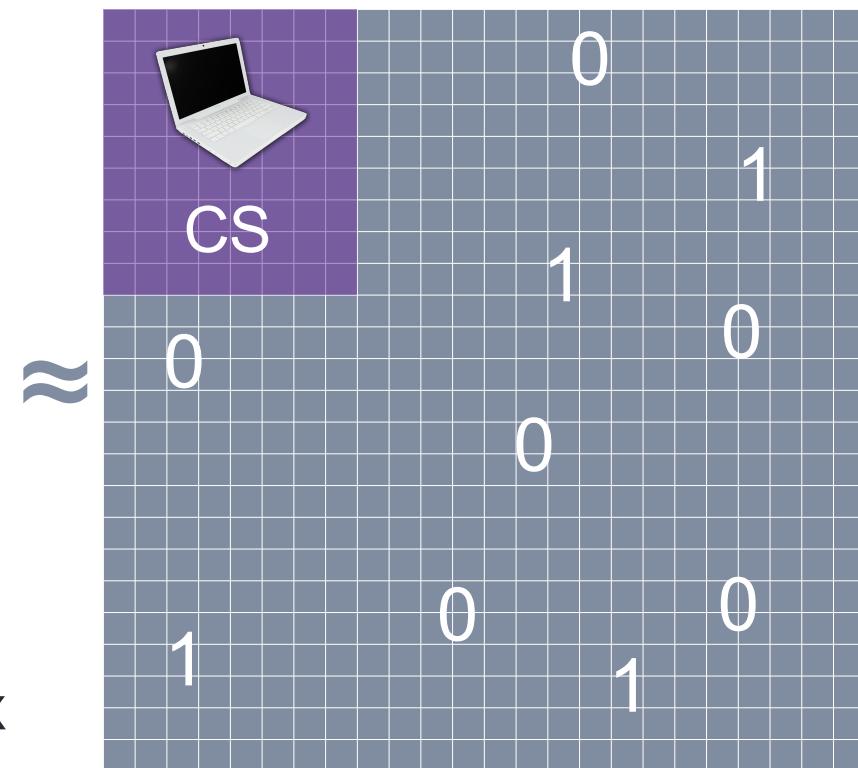
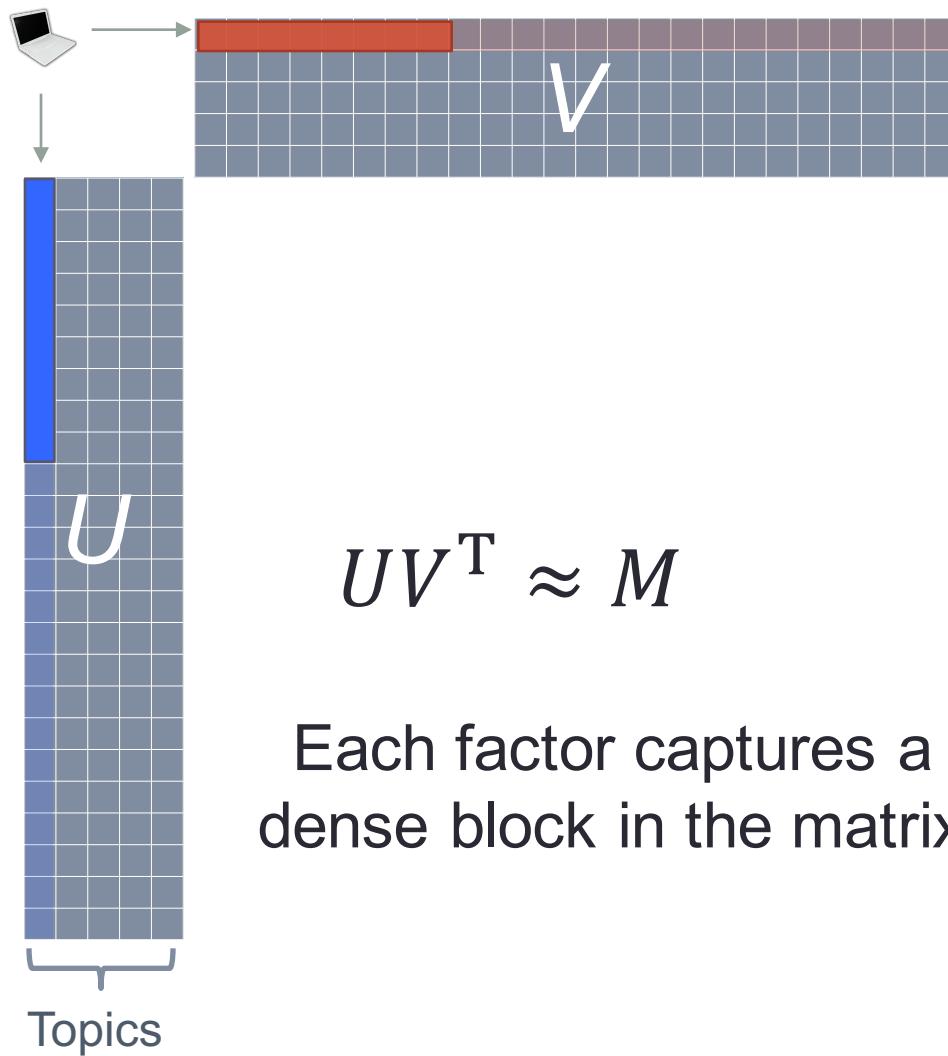
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$\Sigma$  contains normalization for  $\vec{u}$  and  $\vec{v}$

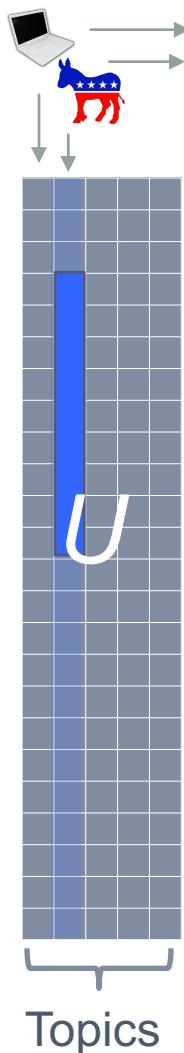
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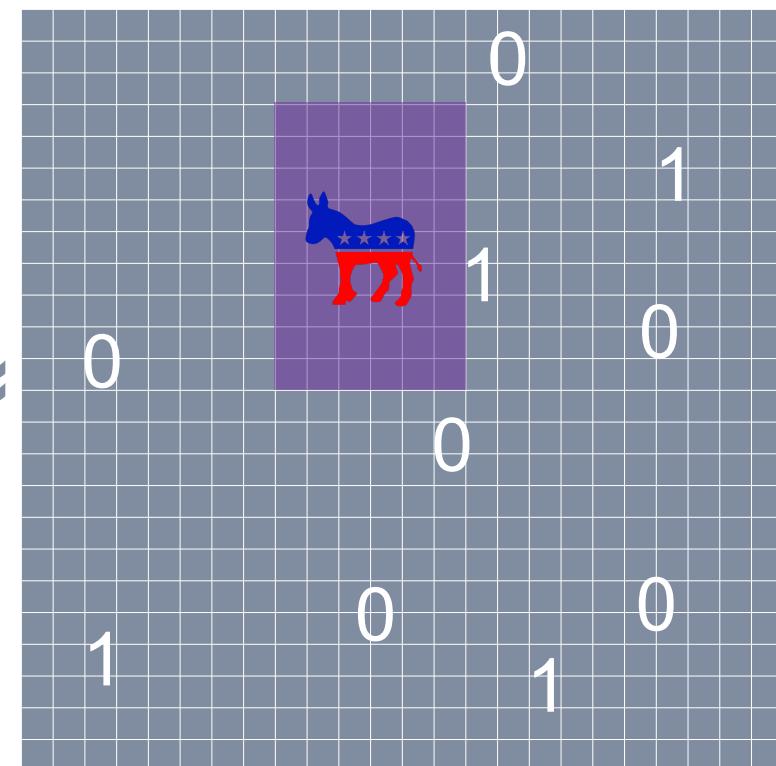
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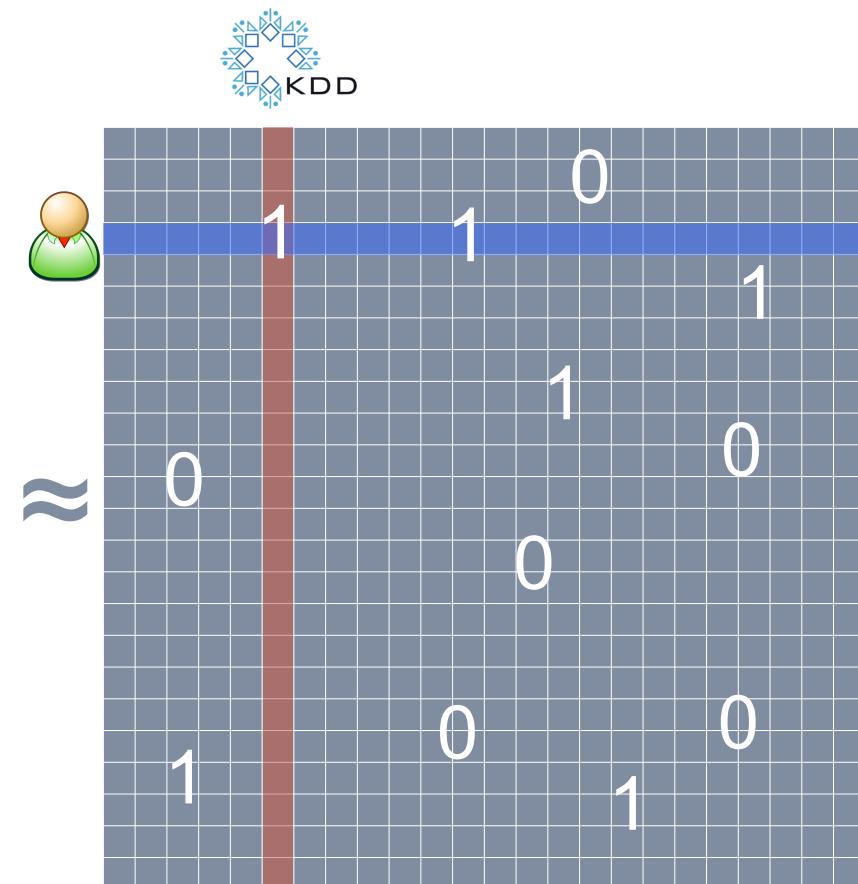
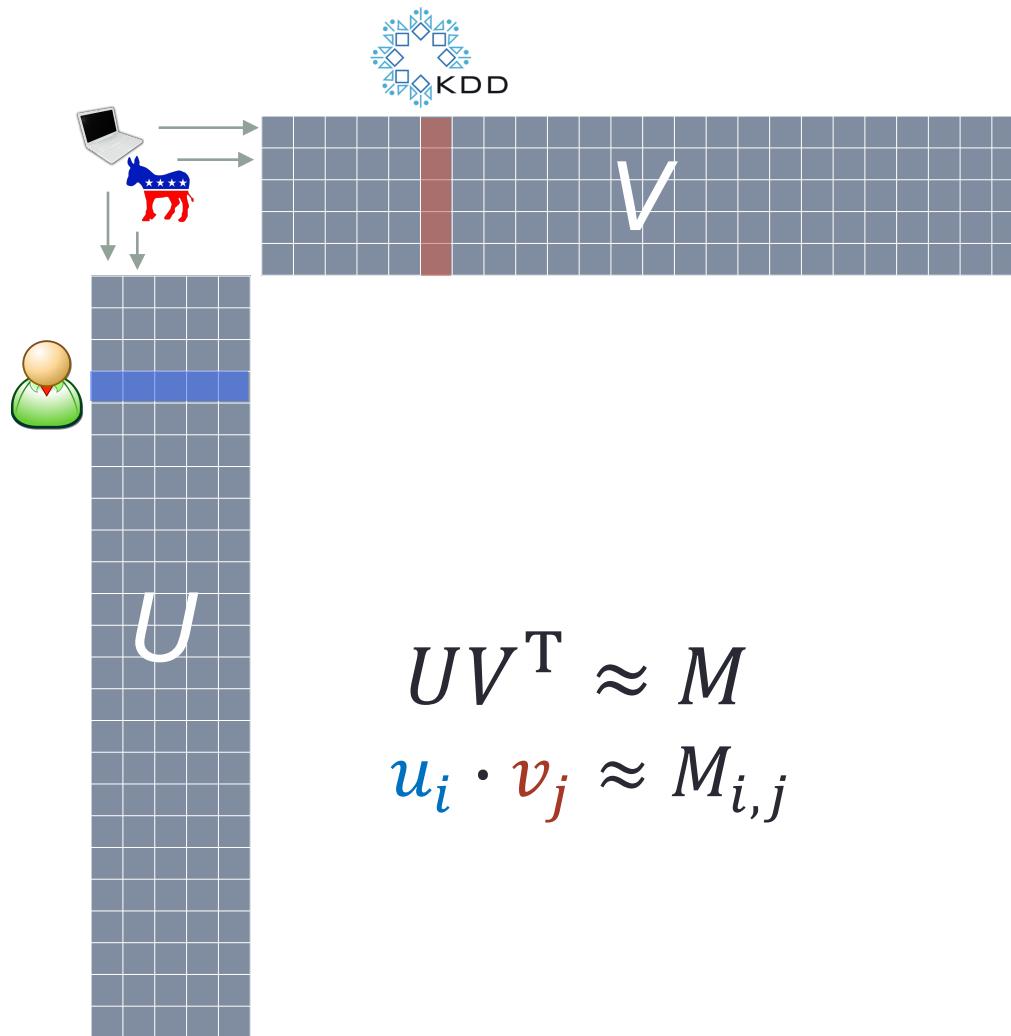
$$UV^T \approx M$$

Each factor captures a dense block in the matrix

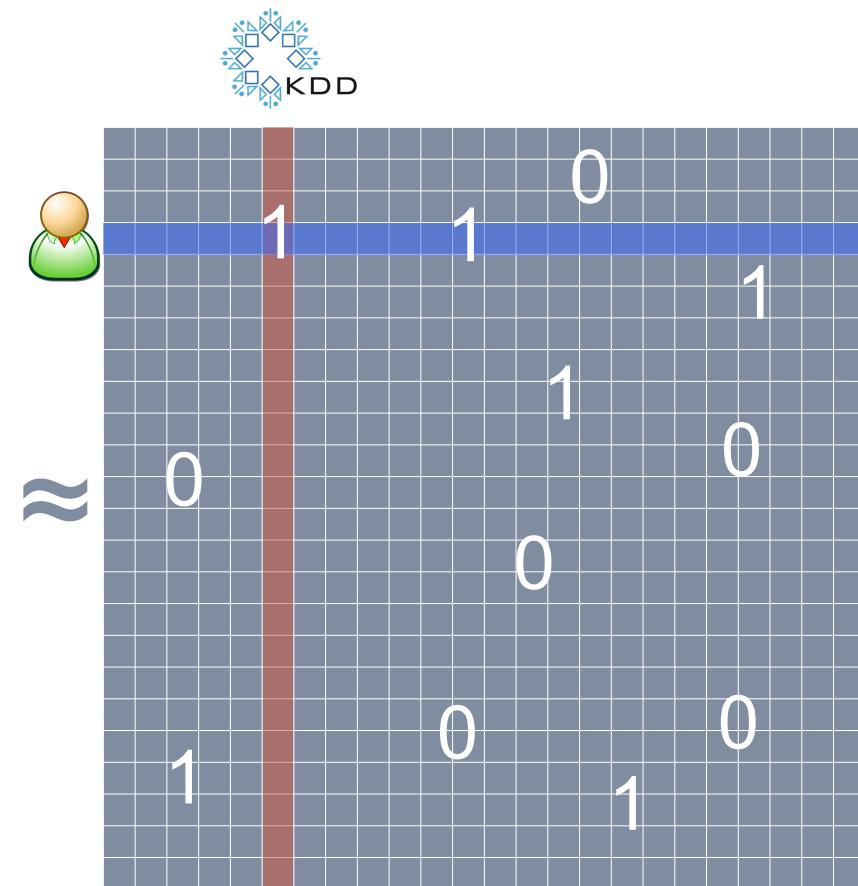
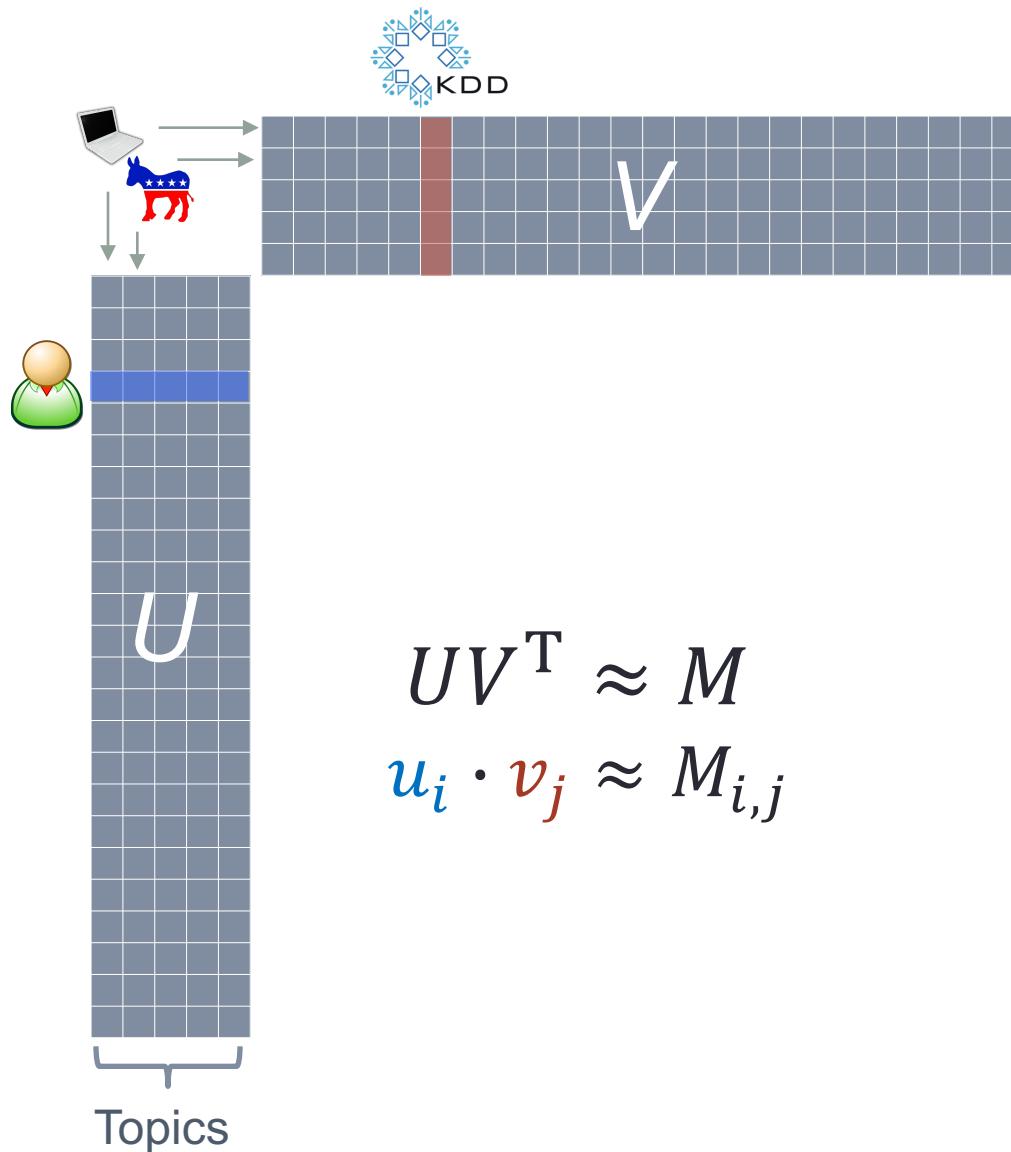
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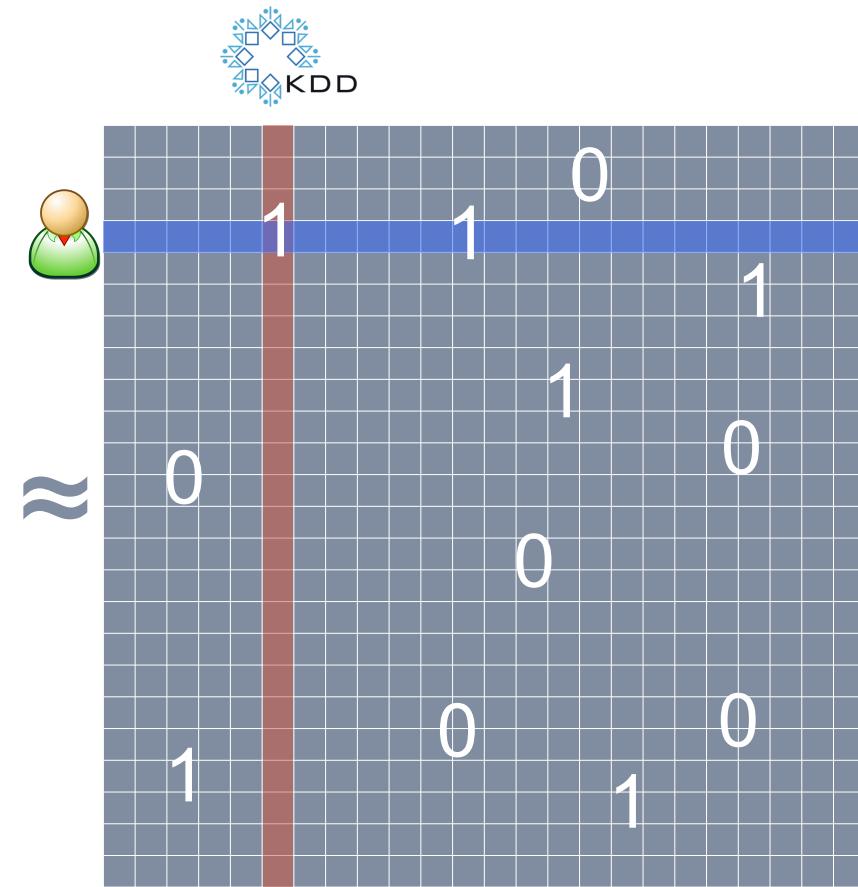
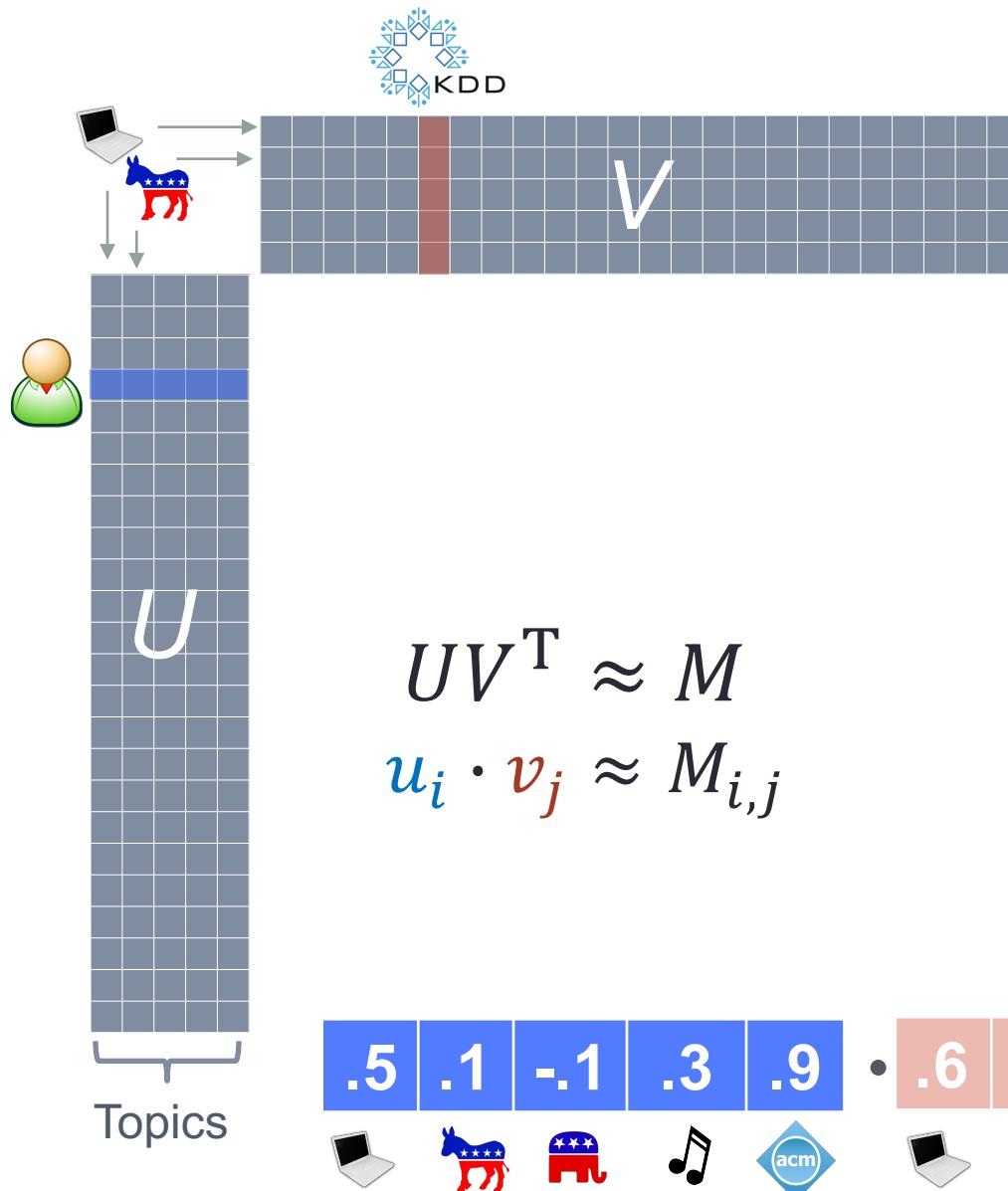


Diagram illustrating the dot product  $u \cdot v$  as a weighted sum. It shows two vectors  $u$  and  $v$  represented as horizontal bars of colored squares. The vector  $u$  has values [.5, .1, -.1, .3, .9] and the vector  $v$  has values [.6, .2, .1, 0, .8]. The dot product is calculated as  $.5 \cdot .6 + .1 \cdot .2 + -.1 \cdot .1 + .3 \cdot 0 + .9 \cdot .8 \approx 1$ .

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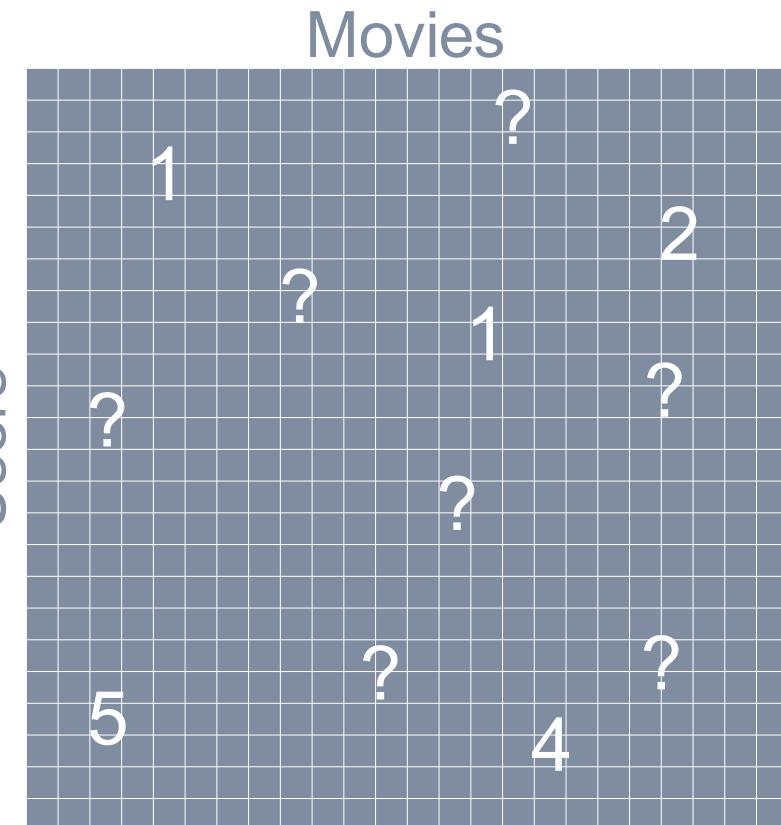
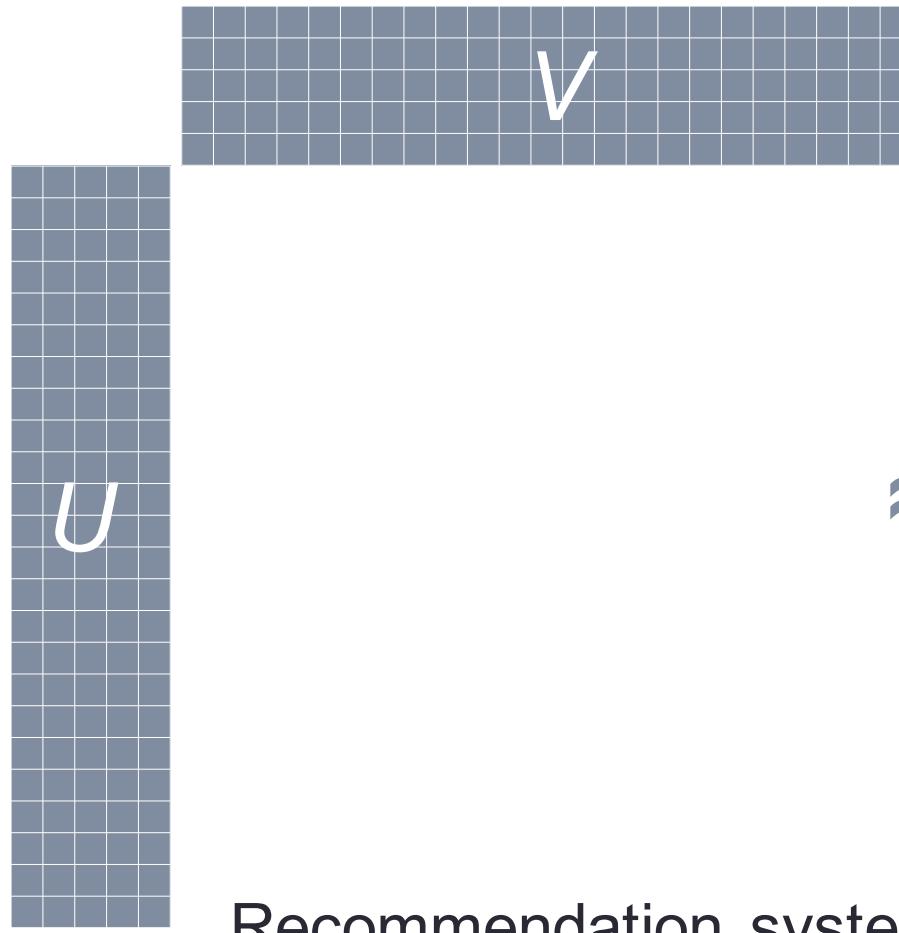
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# Matrix Completion



Recommendation systems  
predict missing entries

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$$U$$

$$V$$

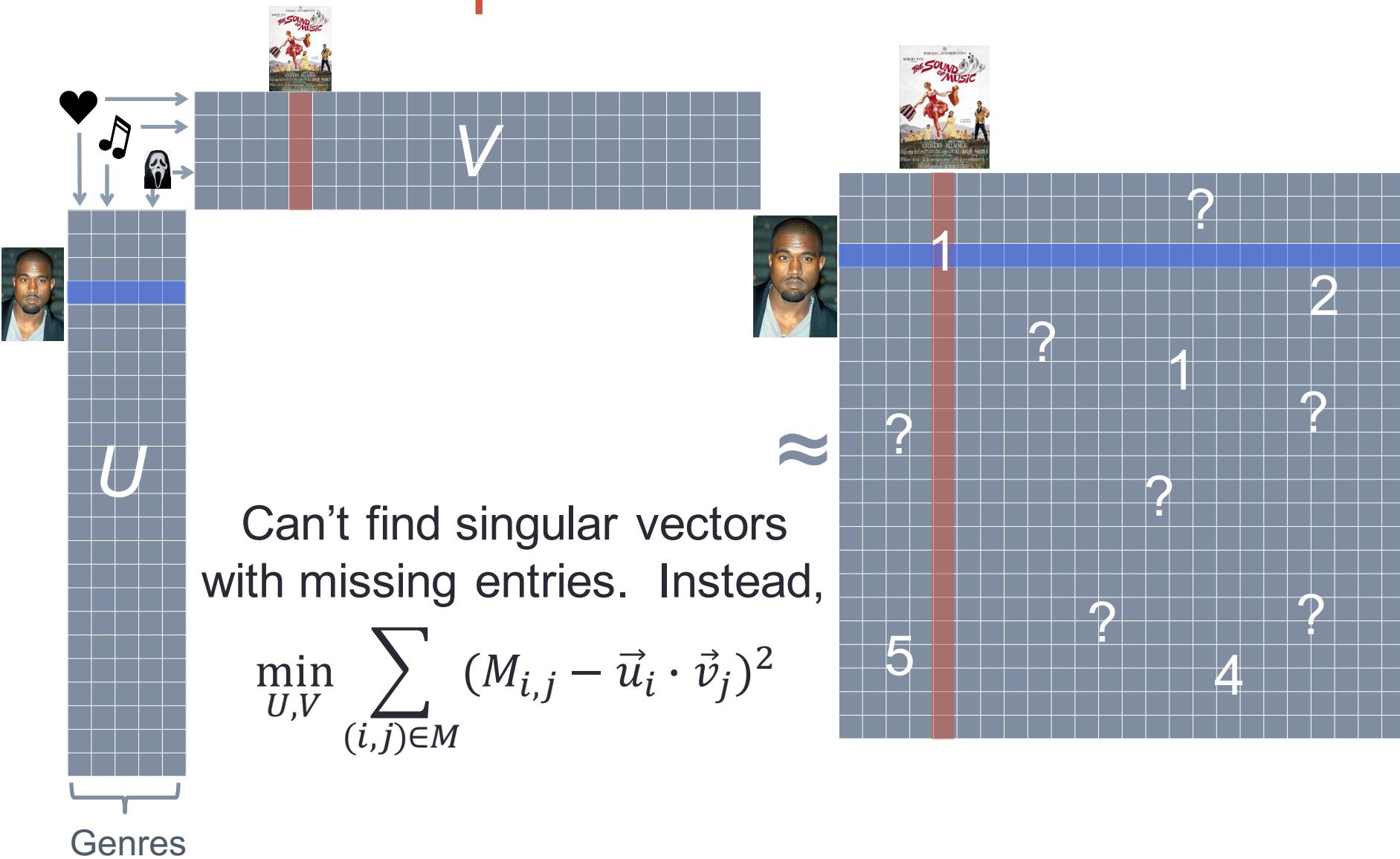
$$\approx$$

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?	?	4	?
5	?		

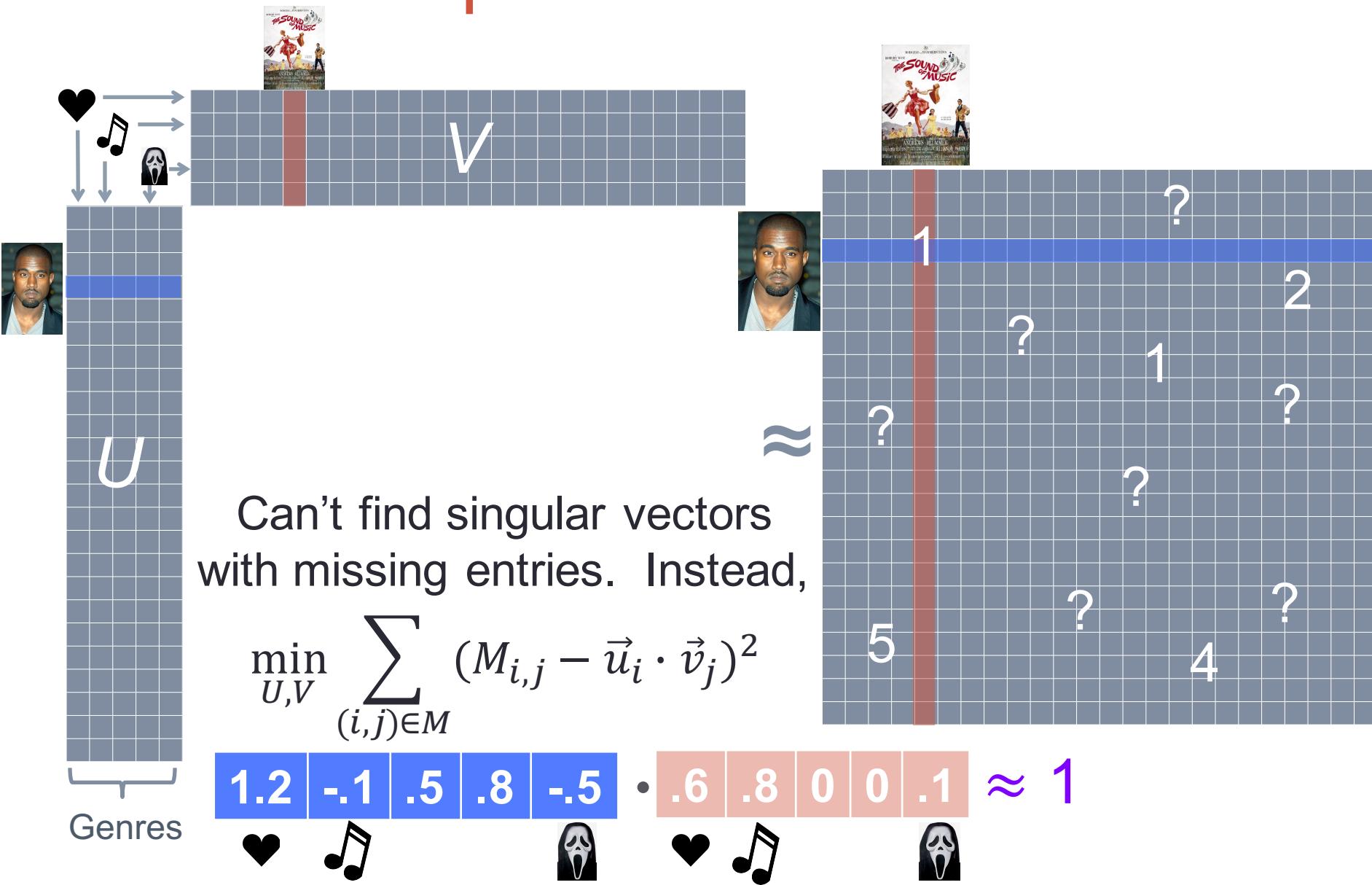
Can't find singular vectors with missing entries. Instead,

$$\min_{U,V} \sum_{(i,j) \in M} (M_{i,j} - \vec{u}_i \cdot \vec{v}_j)^2$$

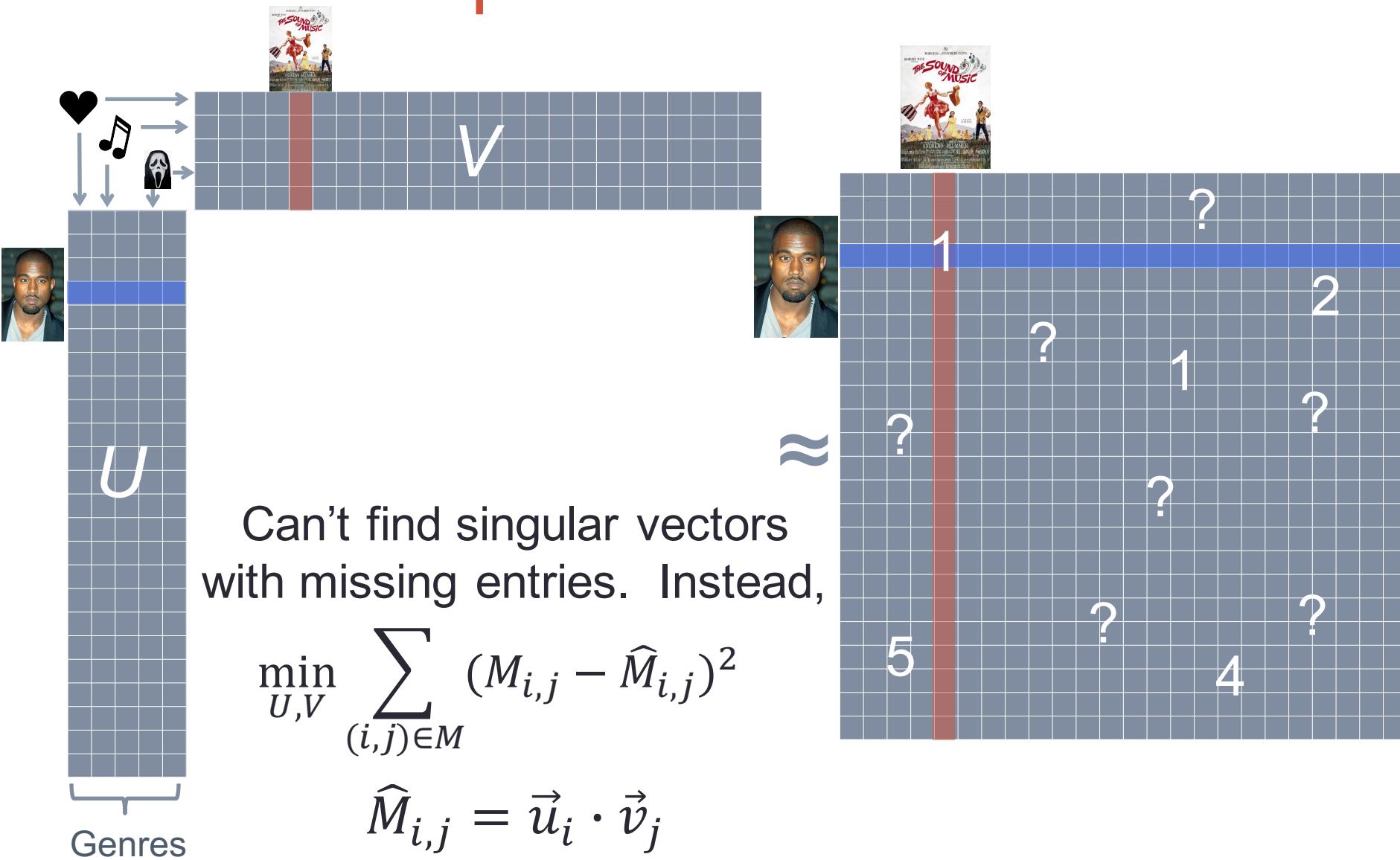
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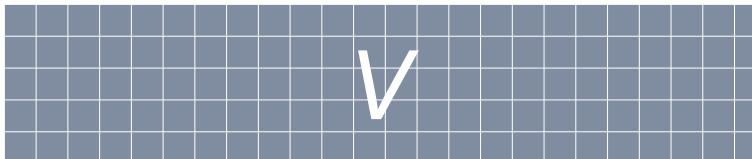
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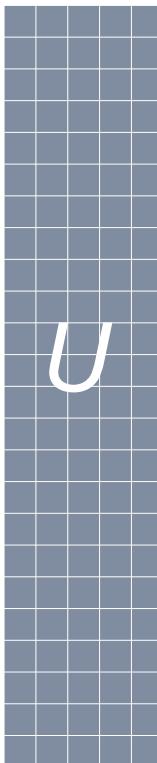
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# Adding Latent Factors



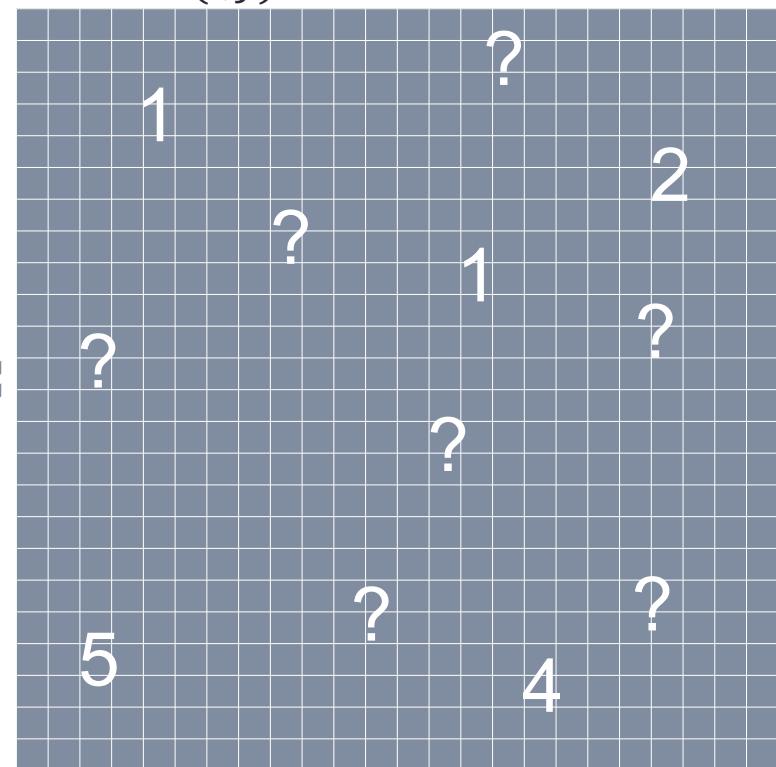
$$\min_{U,V} \sum_{(i,j) \in M} (M_{i,j} - \hat{M}_{i,j})^2$$



Consider additional factors:

- Dataset mean  $\mu$
- Row (user) baseline  $b_i$   $\approx$
- Column (movie) baseline  $b_j$

$$\hat{M}_{i,j} = \mu + b_i + b_j + \vec{u}_i \cdot \vec{v}_j$$



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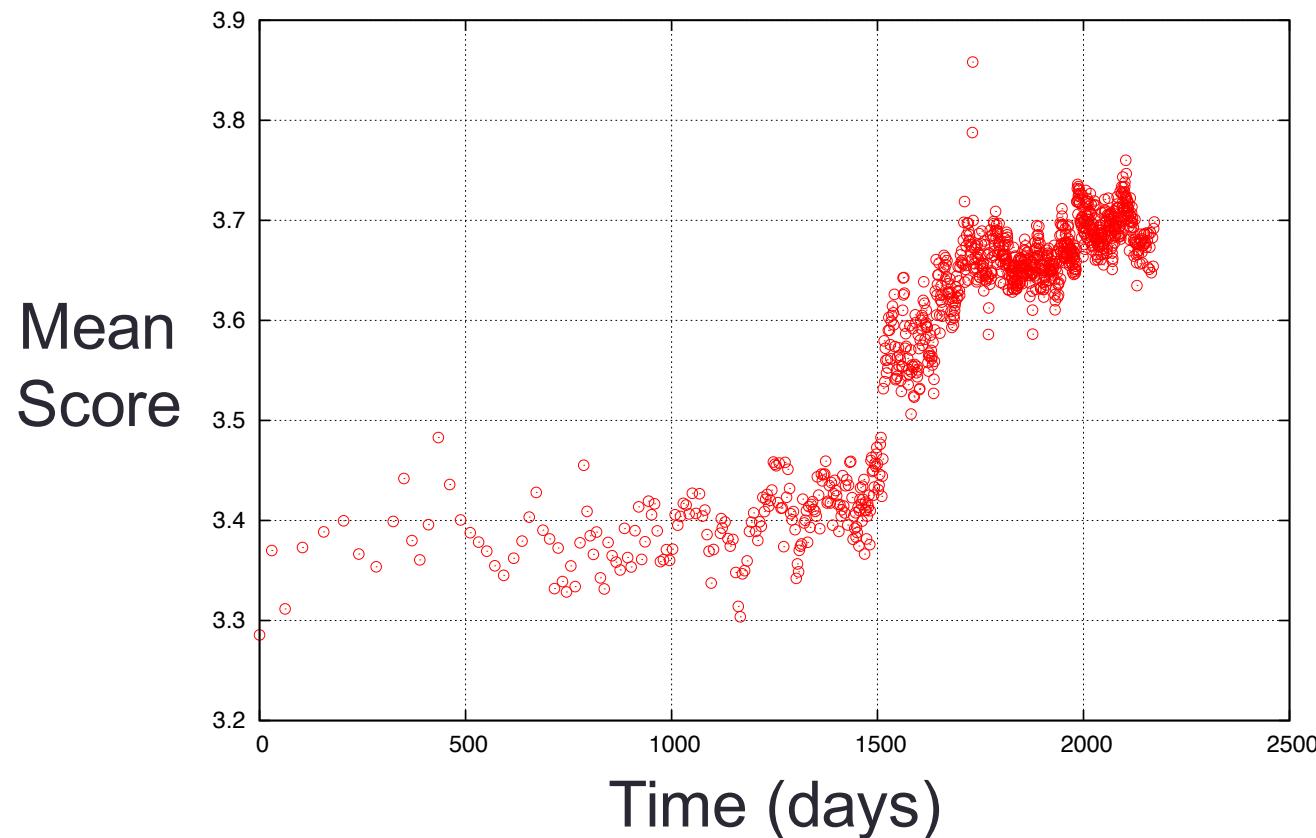
What if we know the **time** of the rating  
(time of the edge being created)?

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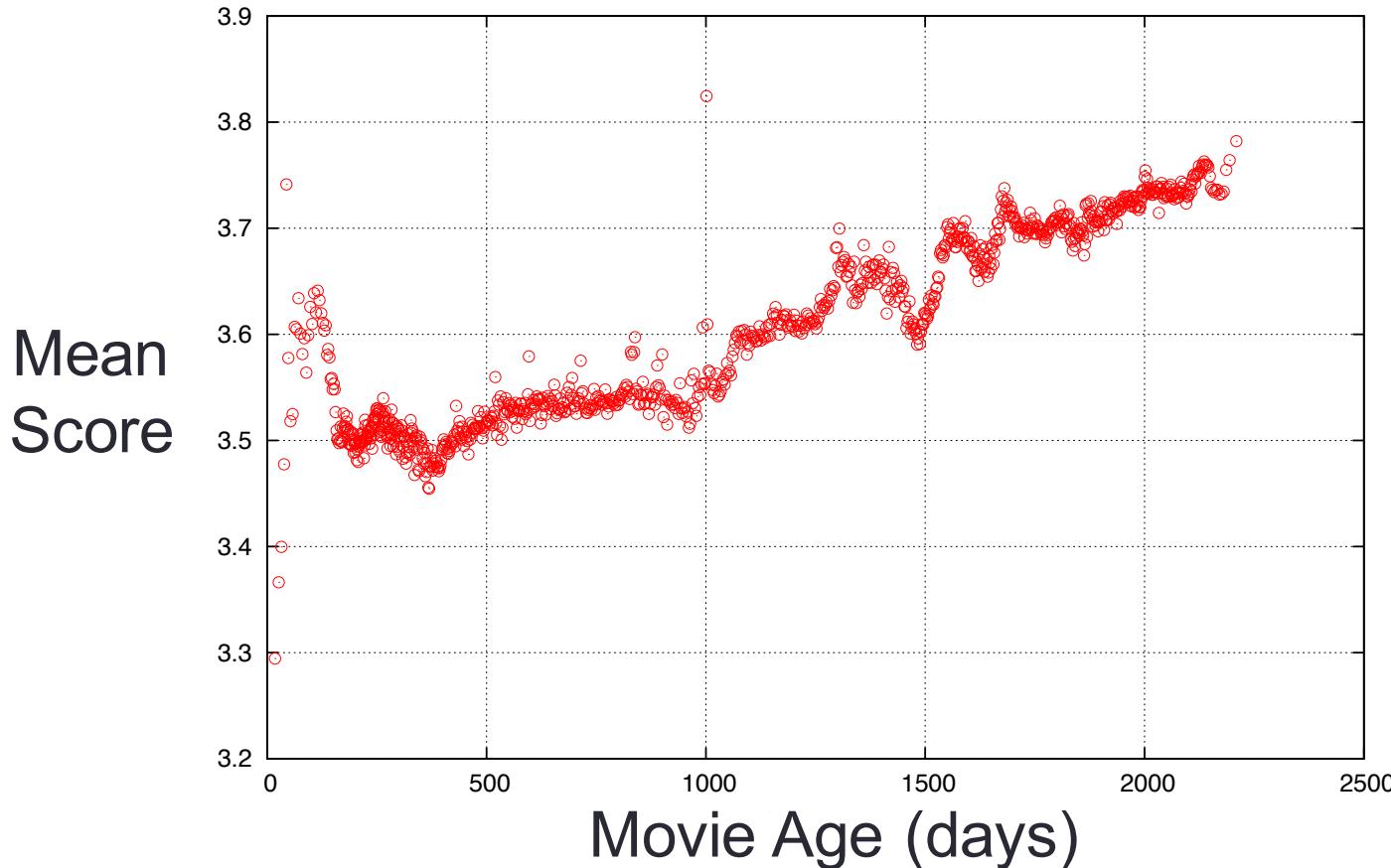
Mean Rating by Date (Netflix)



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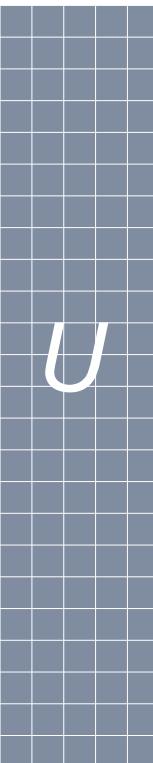
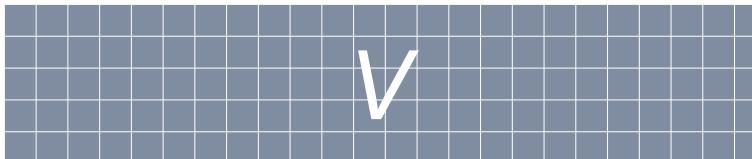
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## Mean Rating by Movie Age (Netflix)



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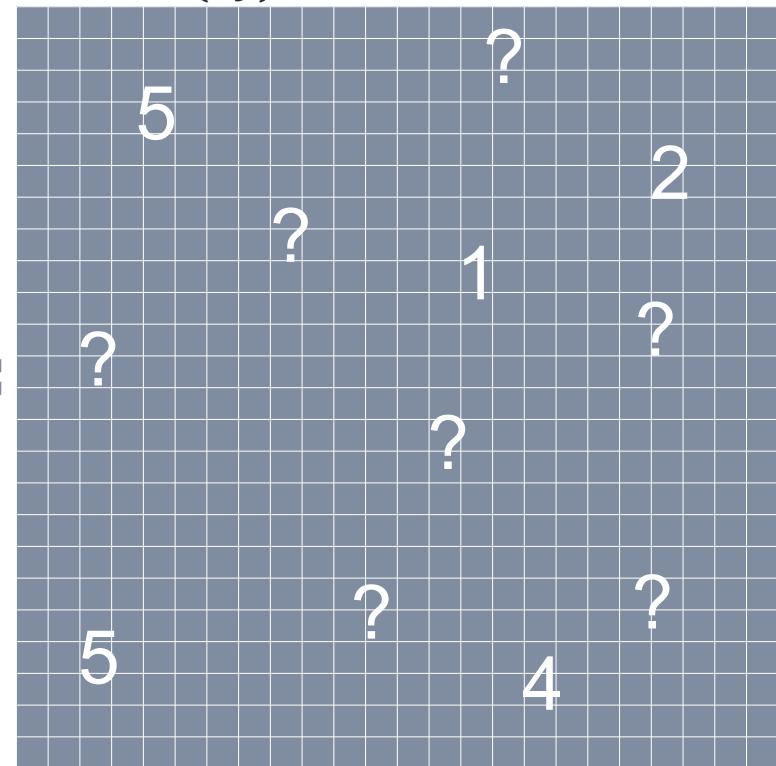
Time factors:

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- Row (user)-time baseline function  $b_i(t)$

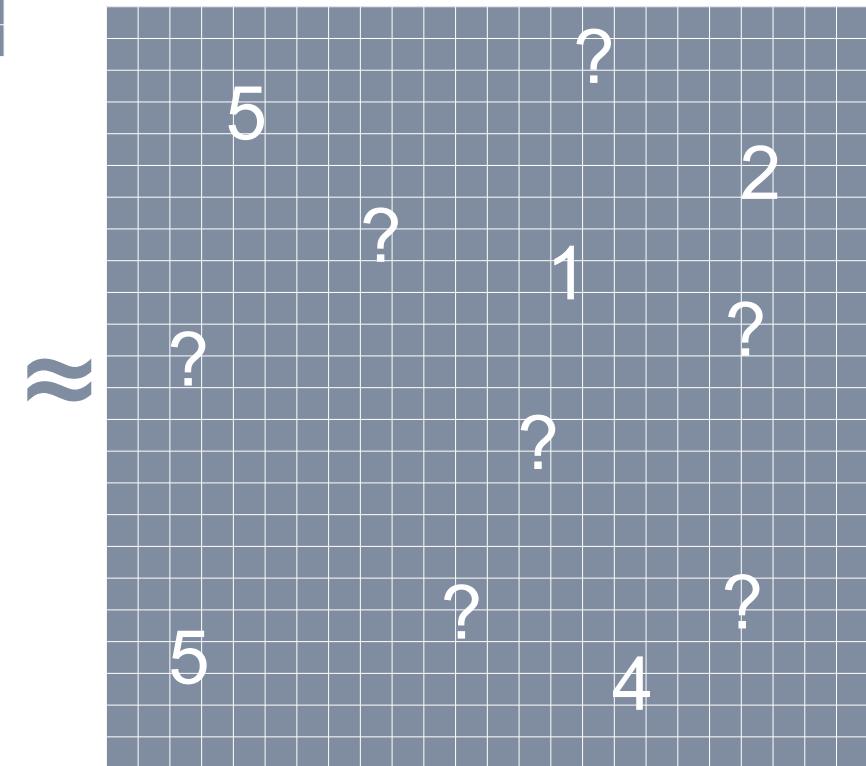
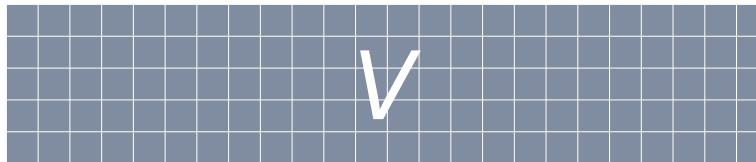
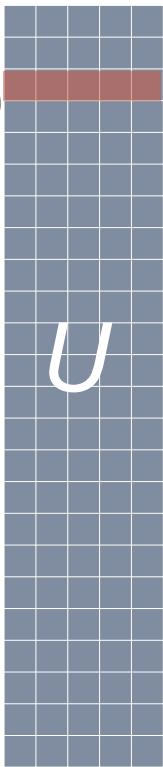
$$\widehat{M}_{i,j} = \mu + b_i + b_j + \vec{u}_i \cdot \vec{v}_j + b_{j,\text{Bin}(t)} + b_i(t)$$

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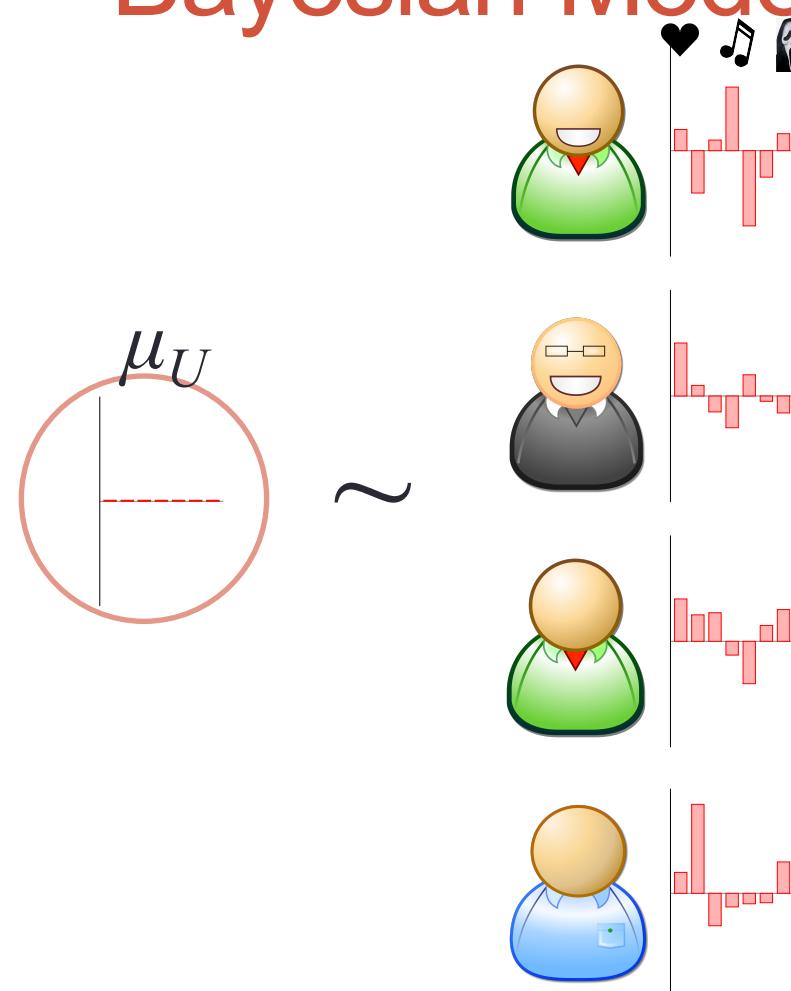
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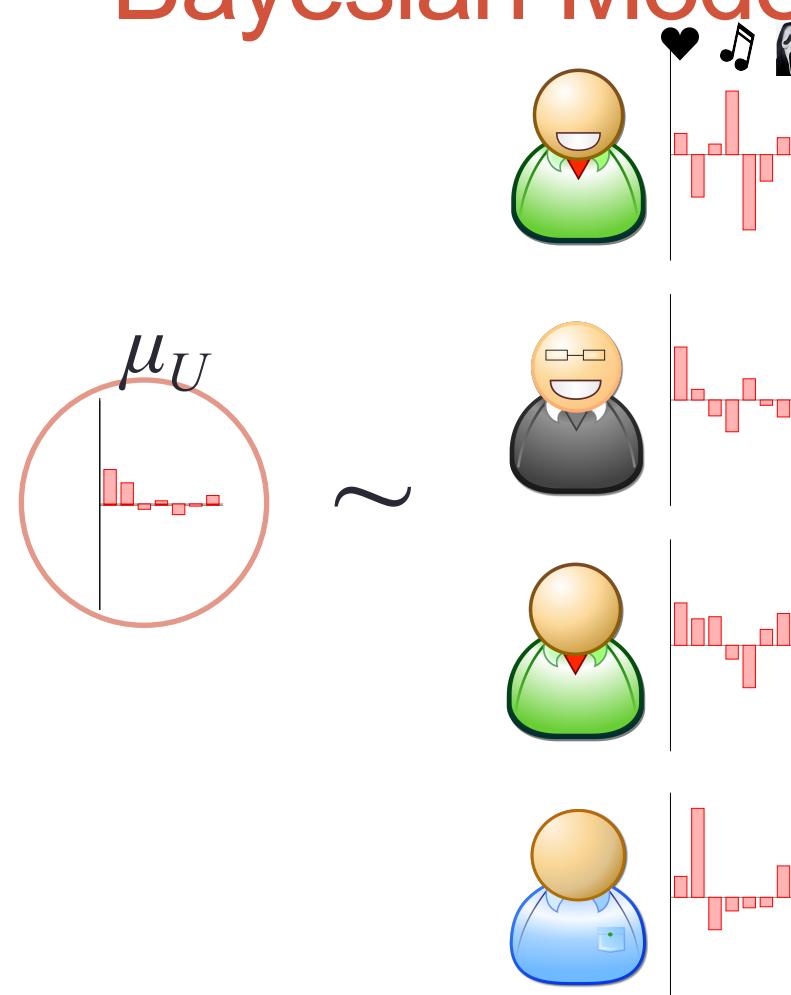
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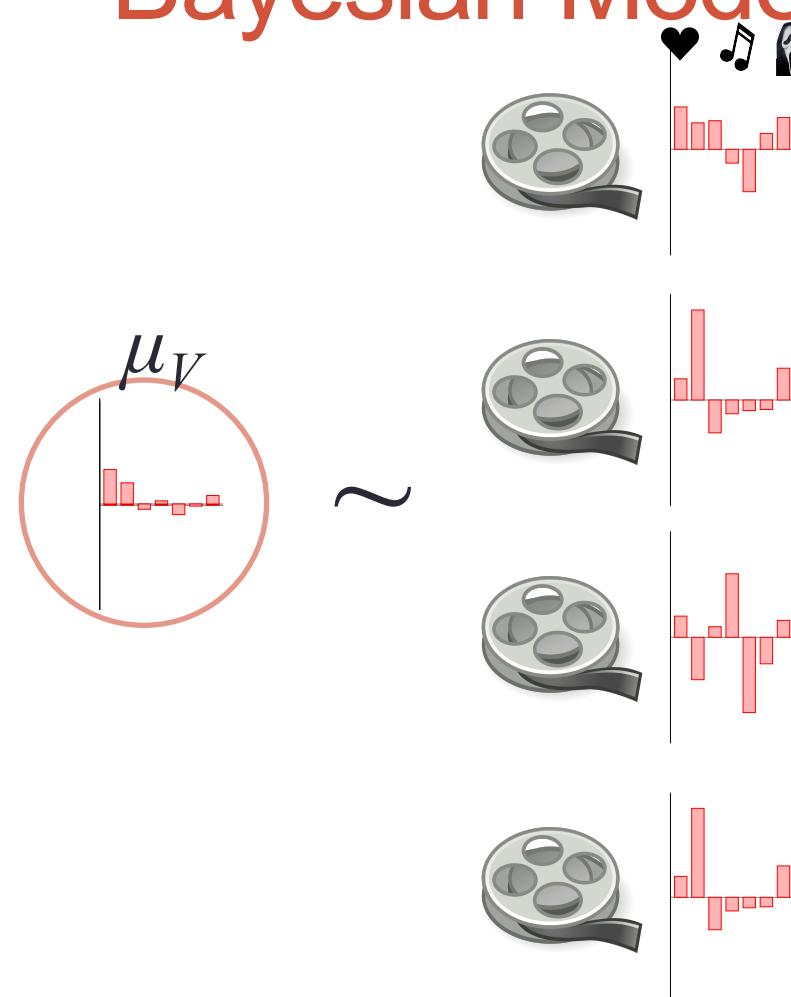
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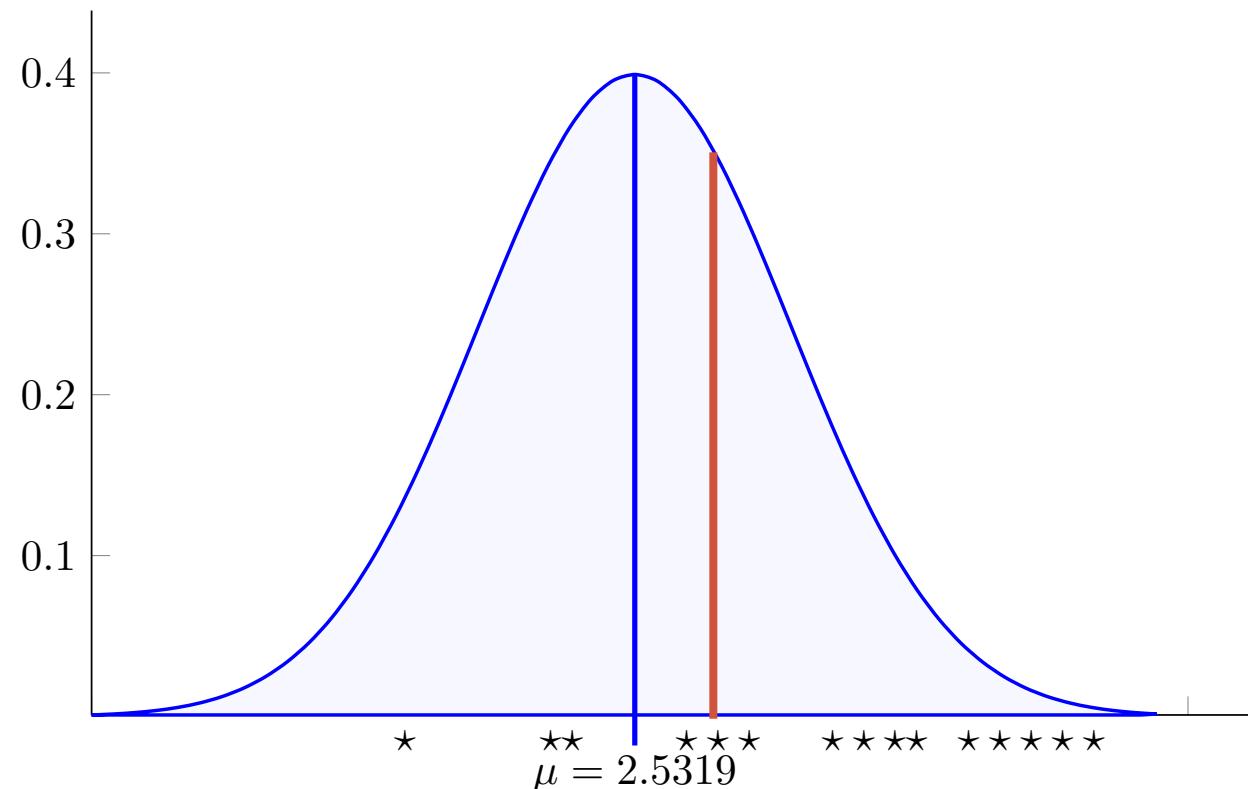
Update mean based on  
user factors

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Similarly sample movie factors

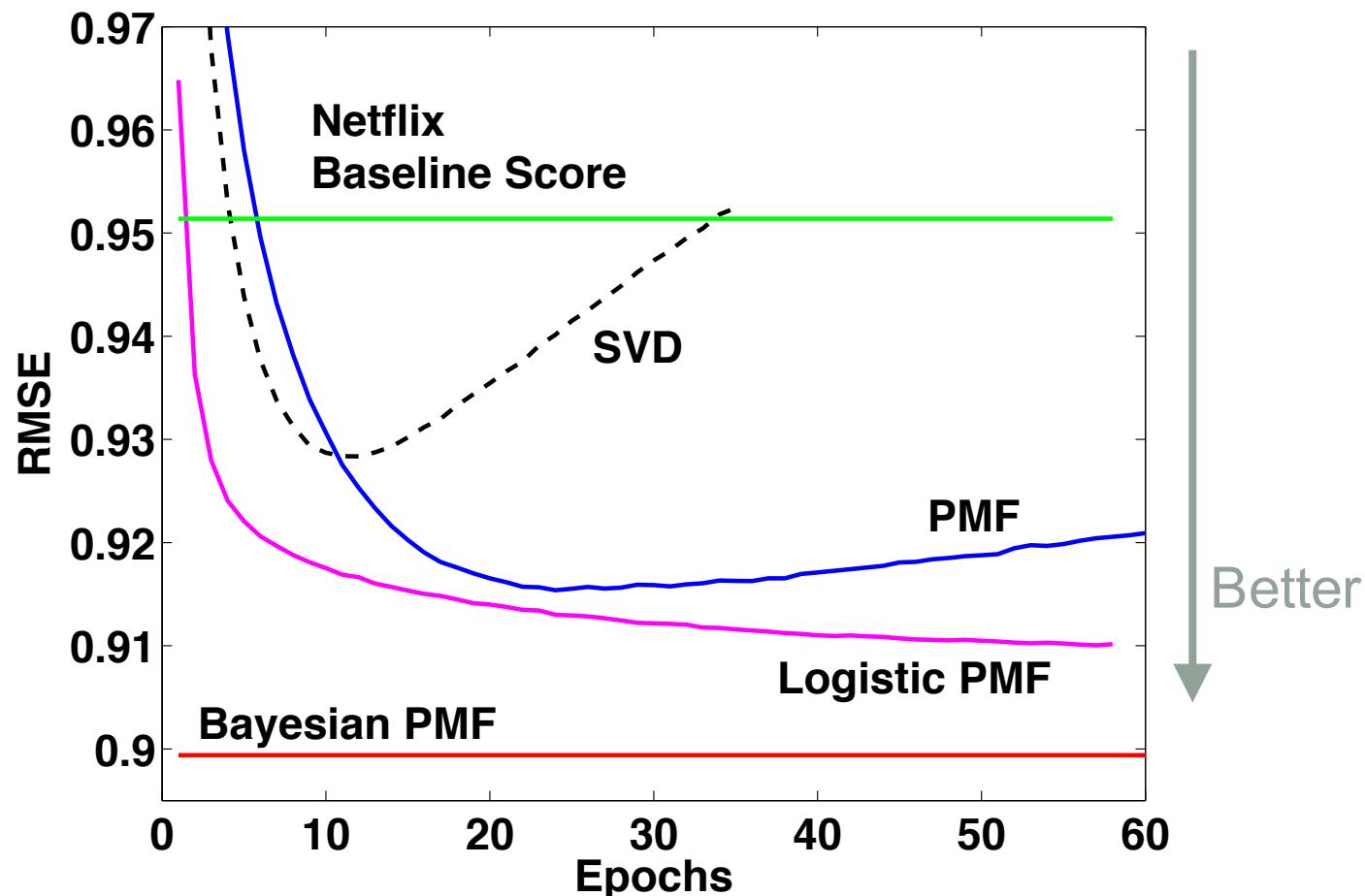
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$$p(M_{i,j} | U, V) = \mathcal{N}(M_{i,j} | \vec{u}_i \cdot \vec{v}_j, \sigma^2)$$

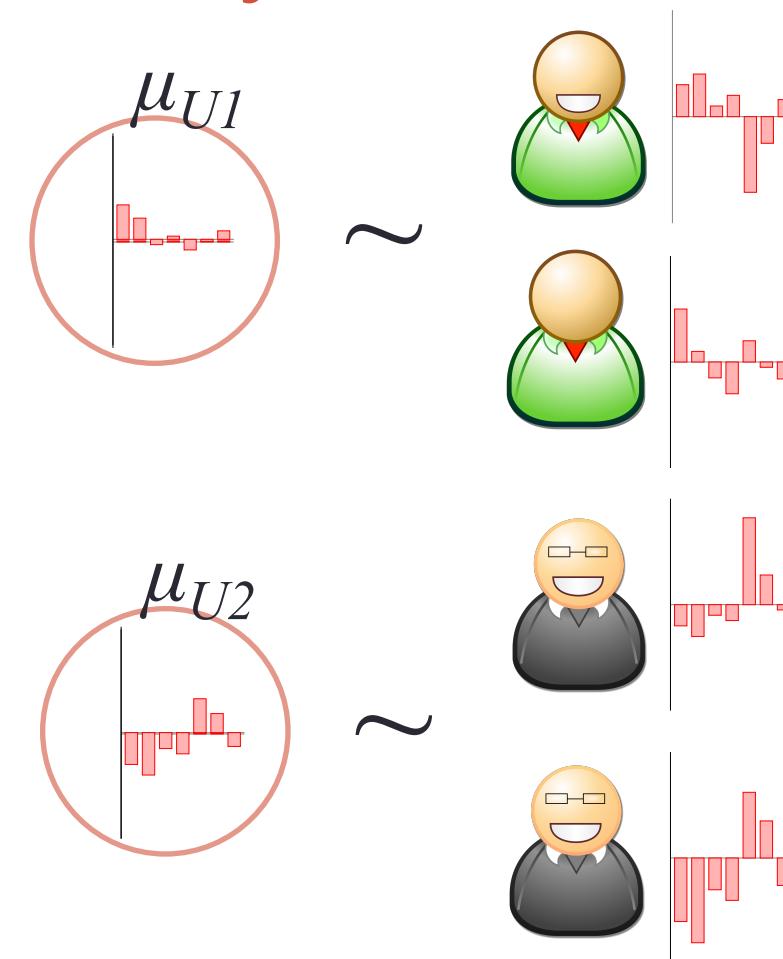
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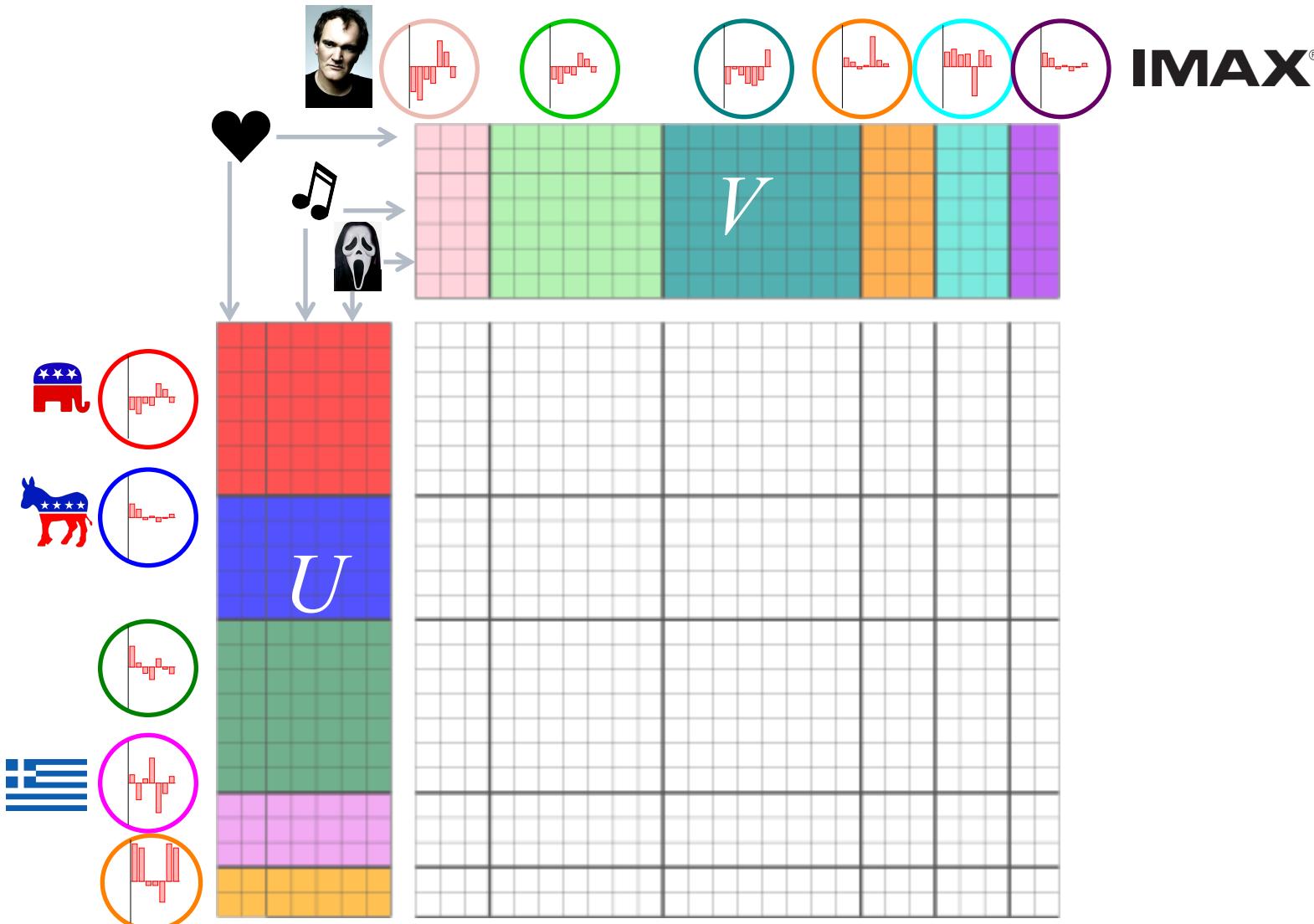
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Cluster users  
with similar factors

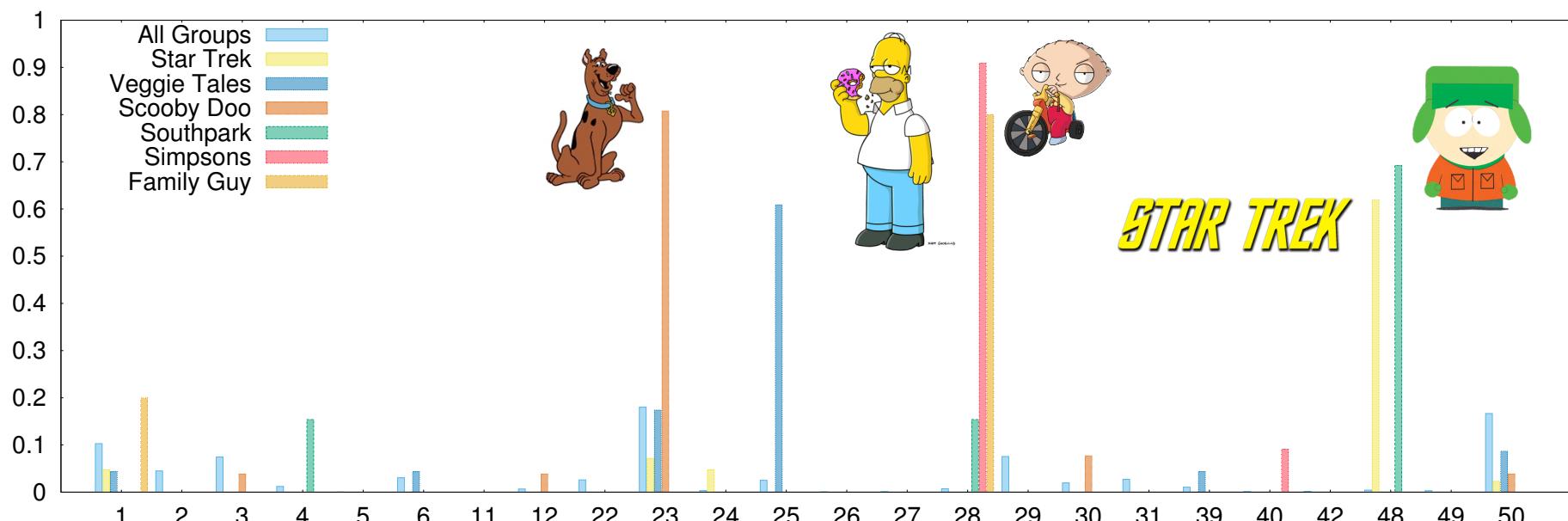
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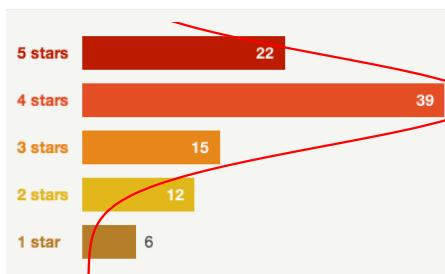
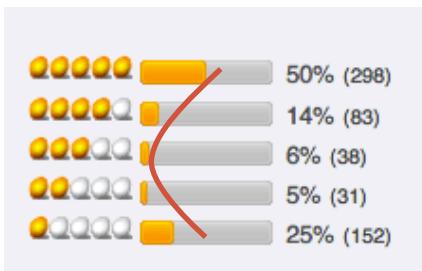


Cluster 28	Cluster 30	Cluster 48
Simpsons	Scooby Doo	Star Trek
Family Guy	Spy Kids	Back to the Future
Monty Python	Stuart Little	Southpark
Curb your Enthusiasm	Dr. Dolittle	Lord of the Rings
The Twilight Zone	Lion King	Harry Potter
Arrested Development	Agent Cody Banks	The X-Files

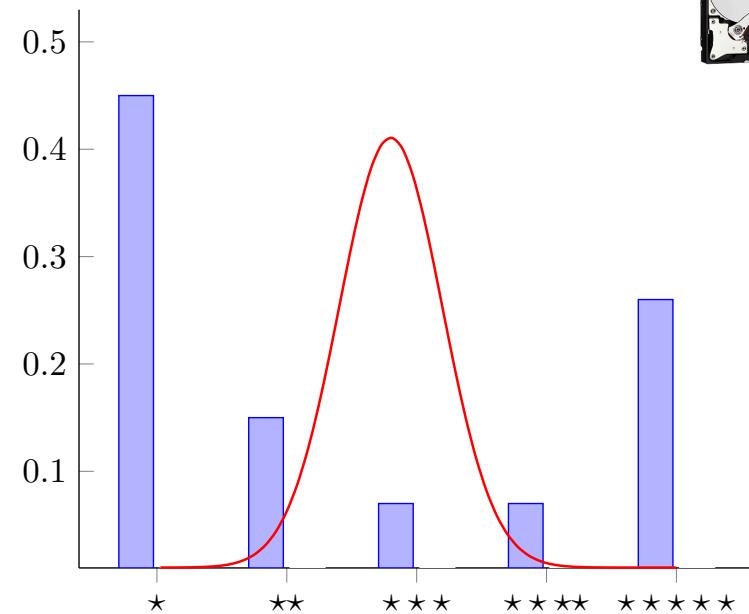
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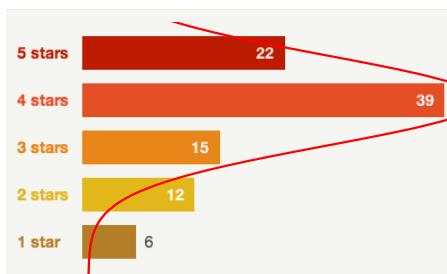
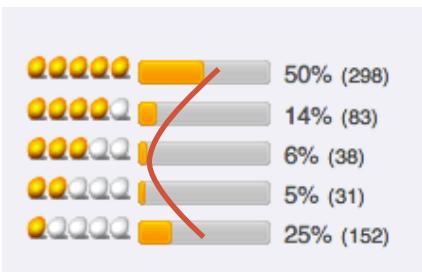


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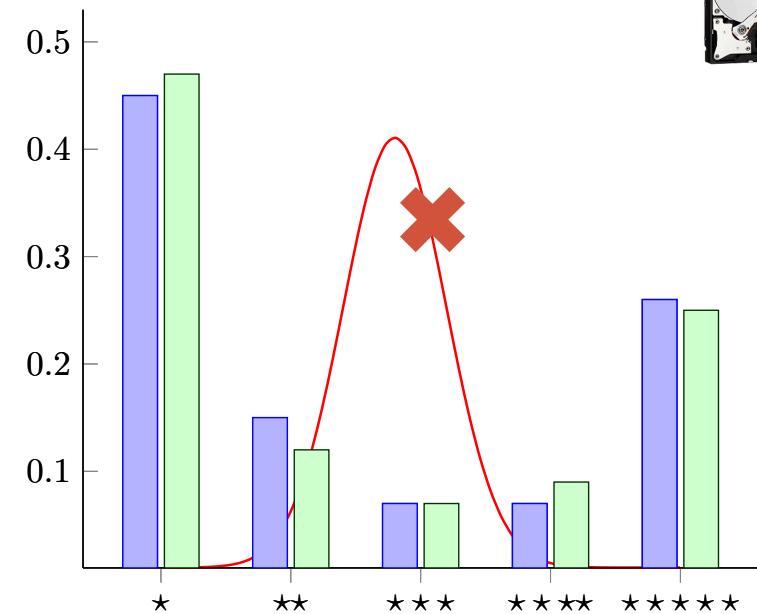
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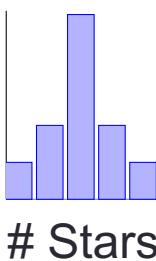
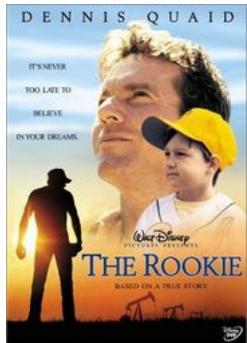


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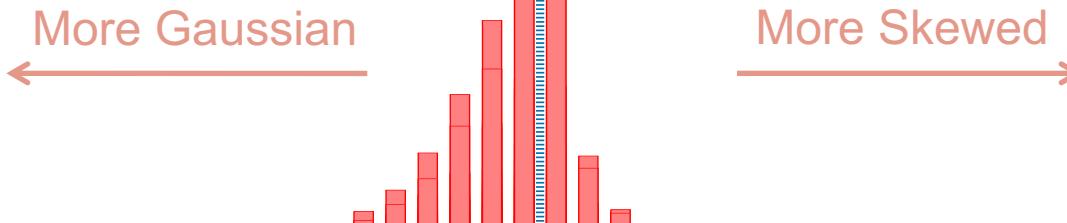
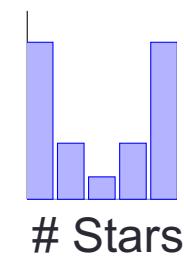
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# Shape of Netflix reviews



Most Gaussian	Most skewed
The Rookie	The O.C. Season 2
The Fan	Samurai X: Trust and Betrayal
Cadet Kelly	Aqua Teen Hunger Force: Vol. 2
Money Train	Sealab 2001: Season 1
Alice Doesn't Live Here	Aqua Teen Hunger Force: Vol. 2
Sea of Love	Gilmore Girls: Season 3
Boiling Point	Felicity: Season 4

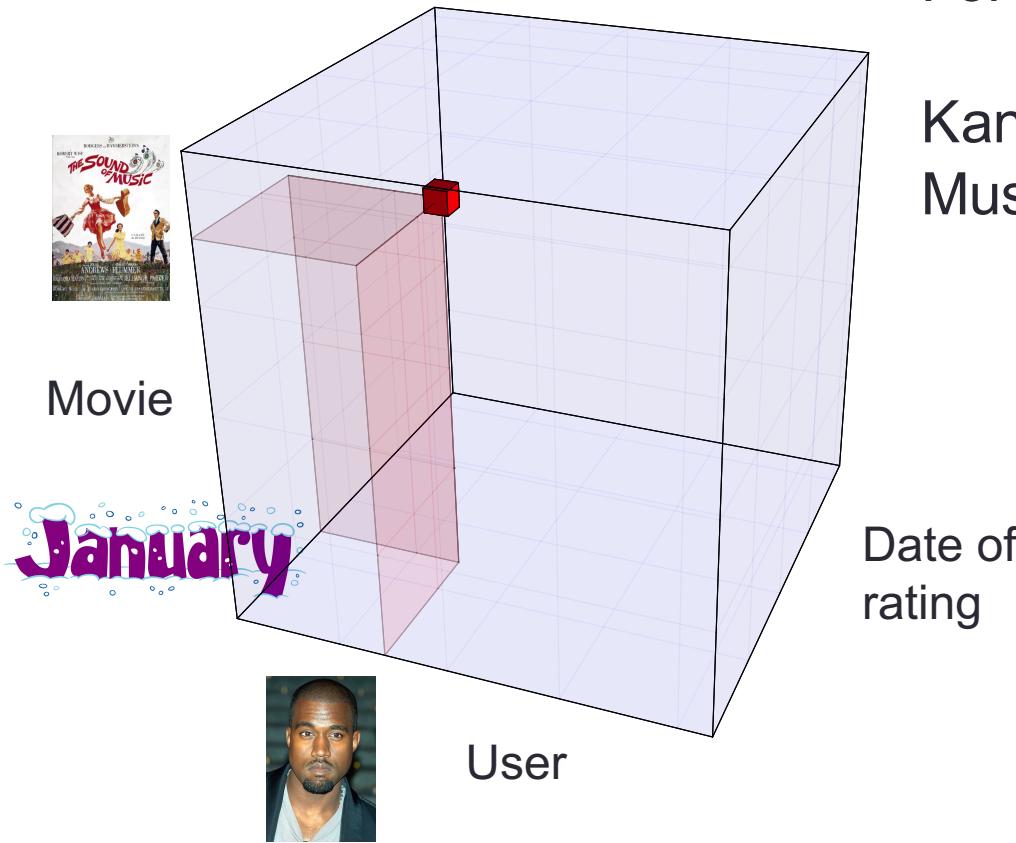


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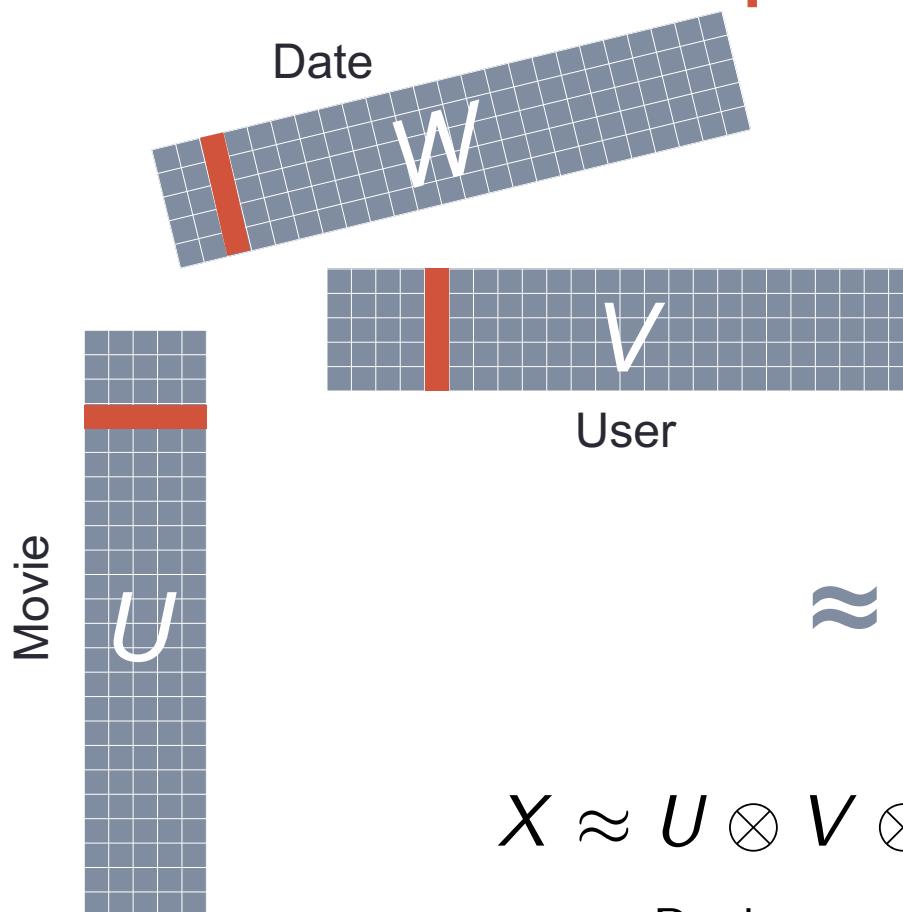
- Tensors are used for structured data > 2 dimensions
- Think of as a 3D-matrix

For example:

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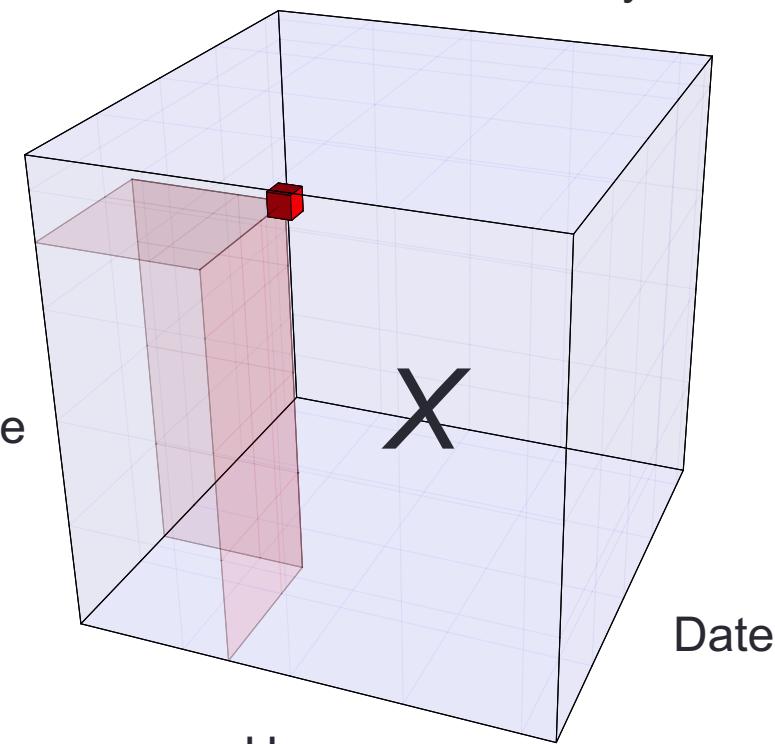
# Tensor Decomposition



$$X \approx U \otimes V \otimes W$$

$$X_{i,j,k} \approx \sum_{r=1}^{\text{Rank}} U_{i,r} V_{j,r} W_{k,r}$$

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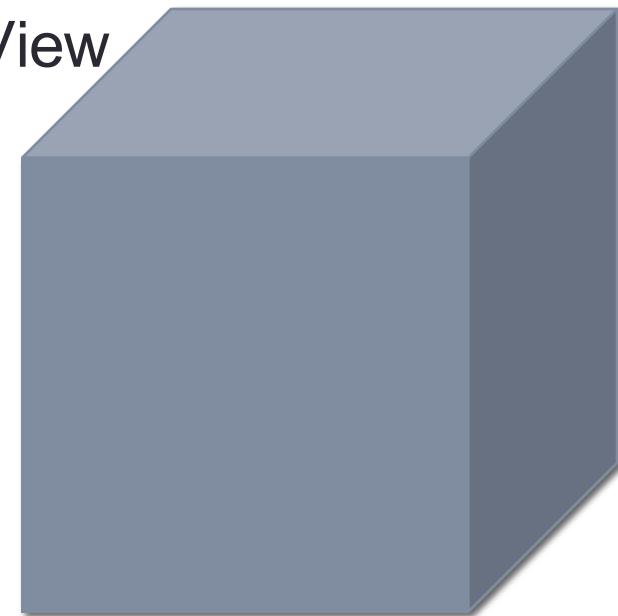
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Multiple possible views  
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1. Who-cites-whom  
2. Co-authorship  
3. Using same words in title

Graph View

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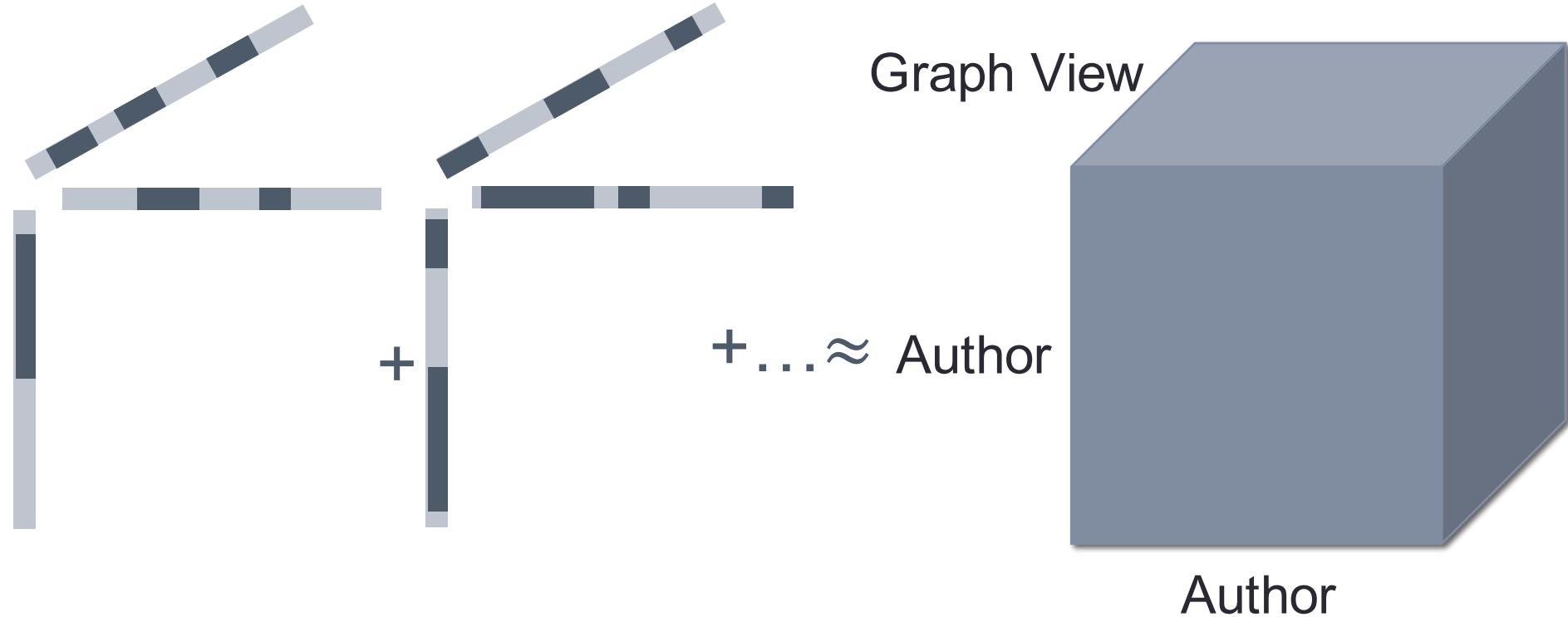
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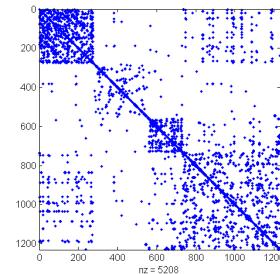


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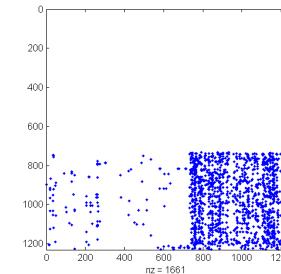
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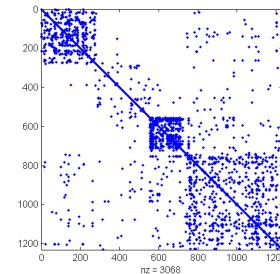
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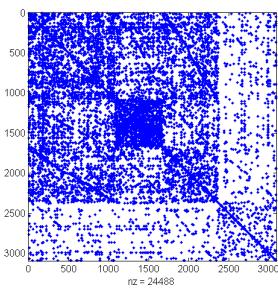


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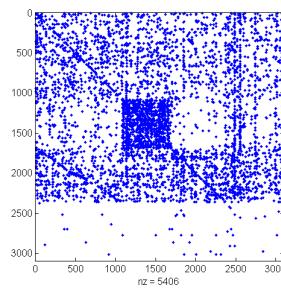


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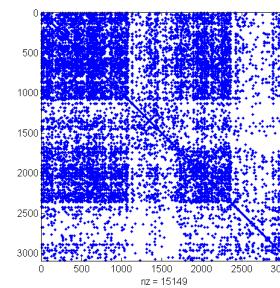
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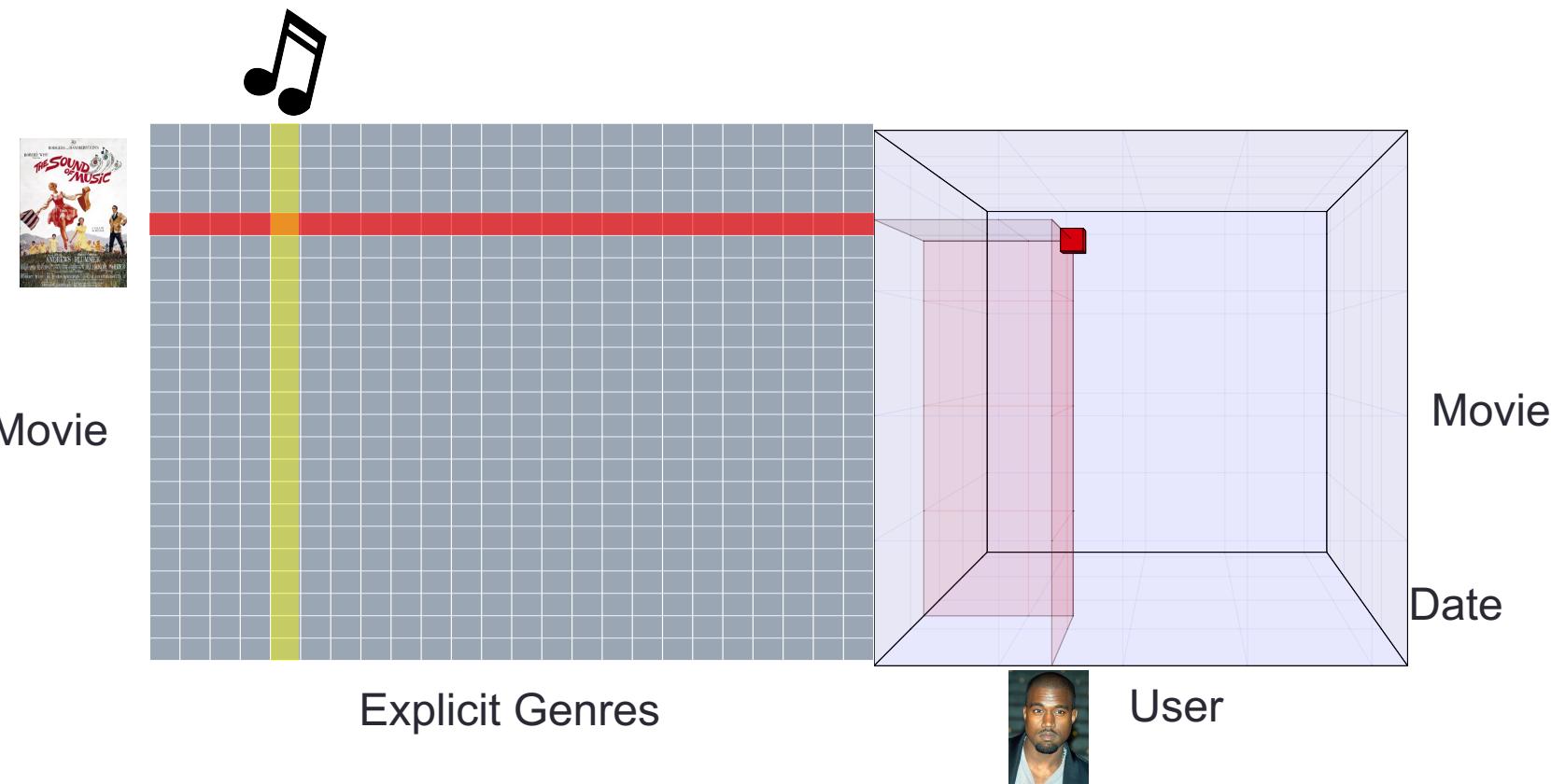
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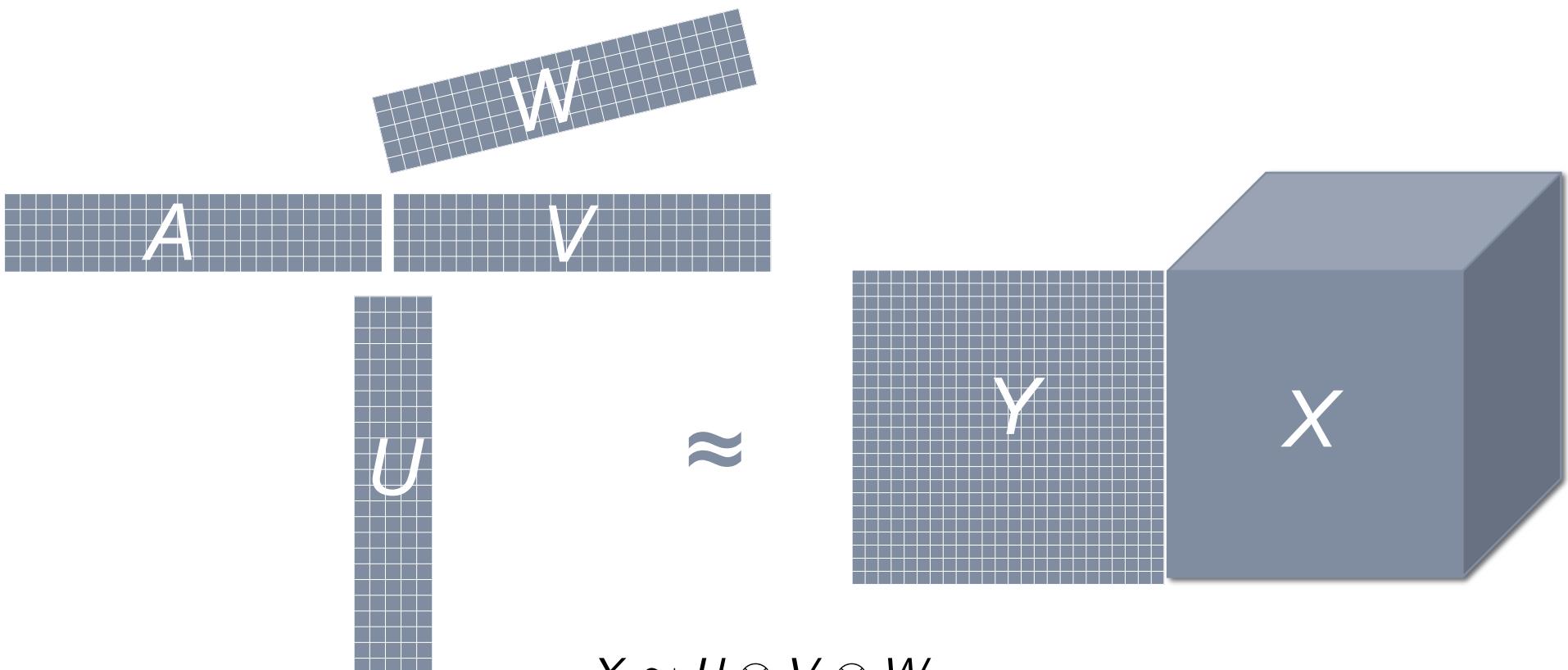
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DBLP-1	0.12	<b>0.30</b>
DBLP-2	0.08	<b>0.12</b>

## Modeling Accuracy

# Coupled Matrix + Tensor Decomposition



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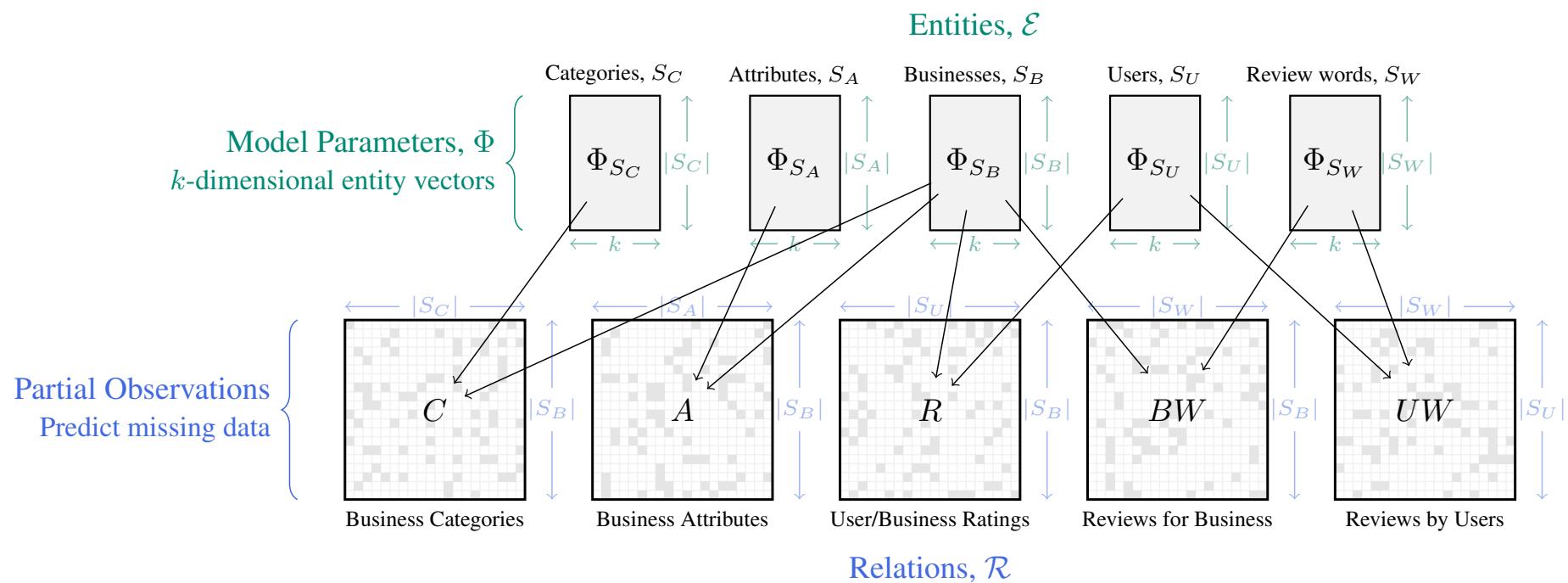


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$$Y \approx UA^T$$

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# Joint Factorization



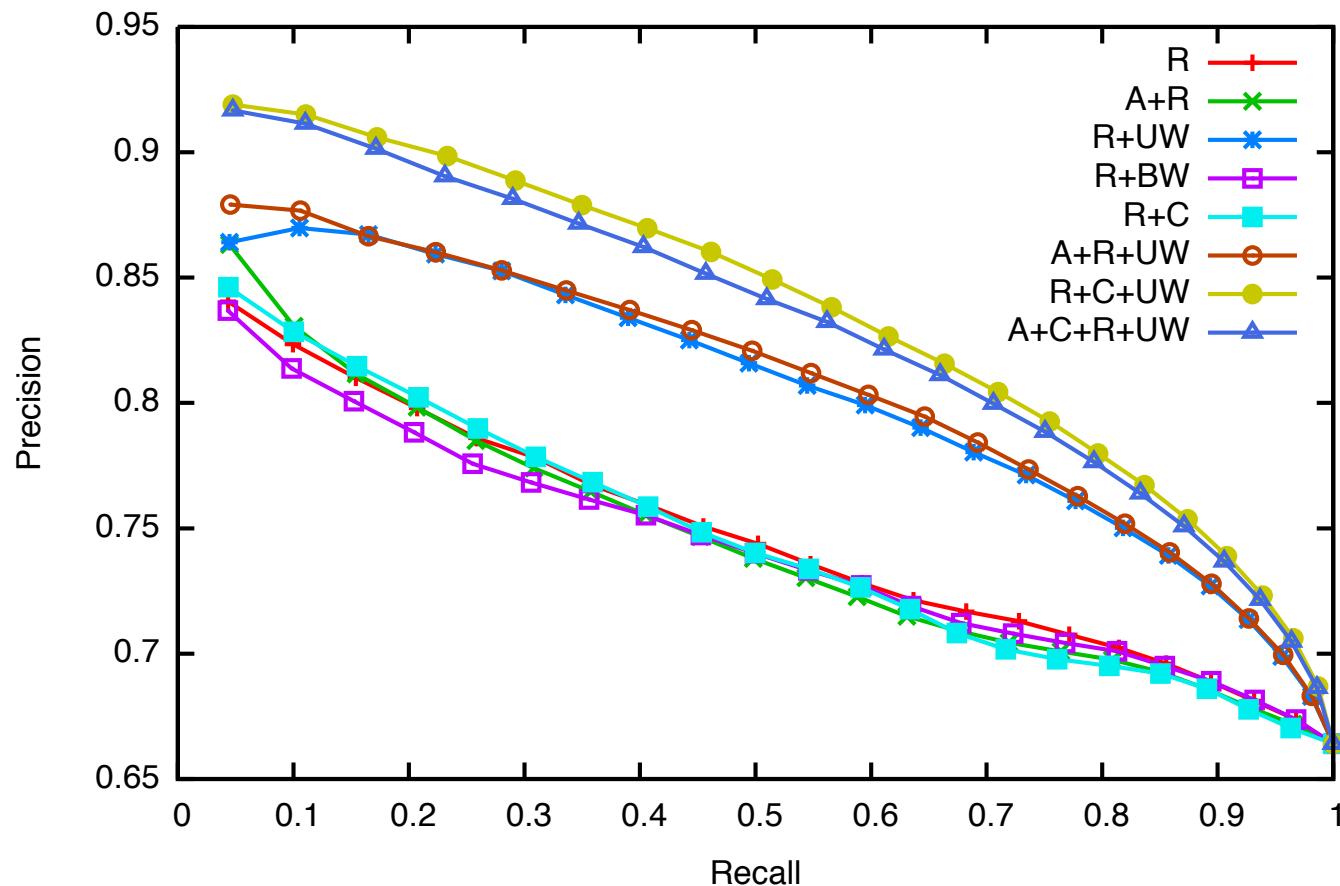
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# Joint Factorization

PR Curve (Ratings)



Most valuable:

1. Ratings
2. Review text
3. Business Categories



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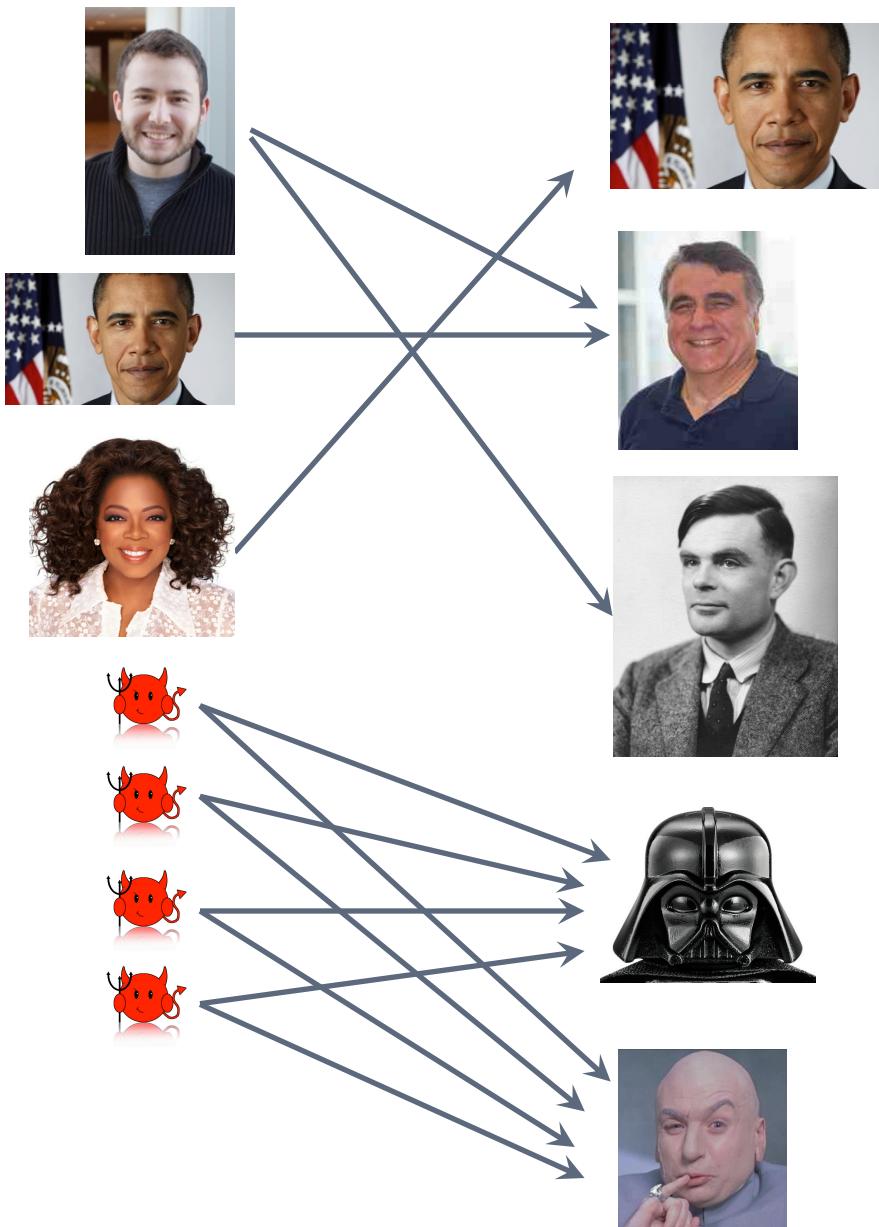
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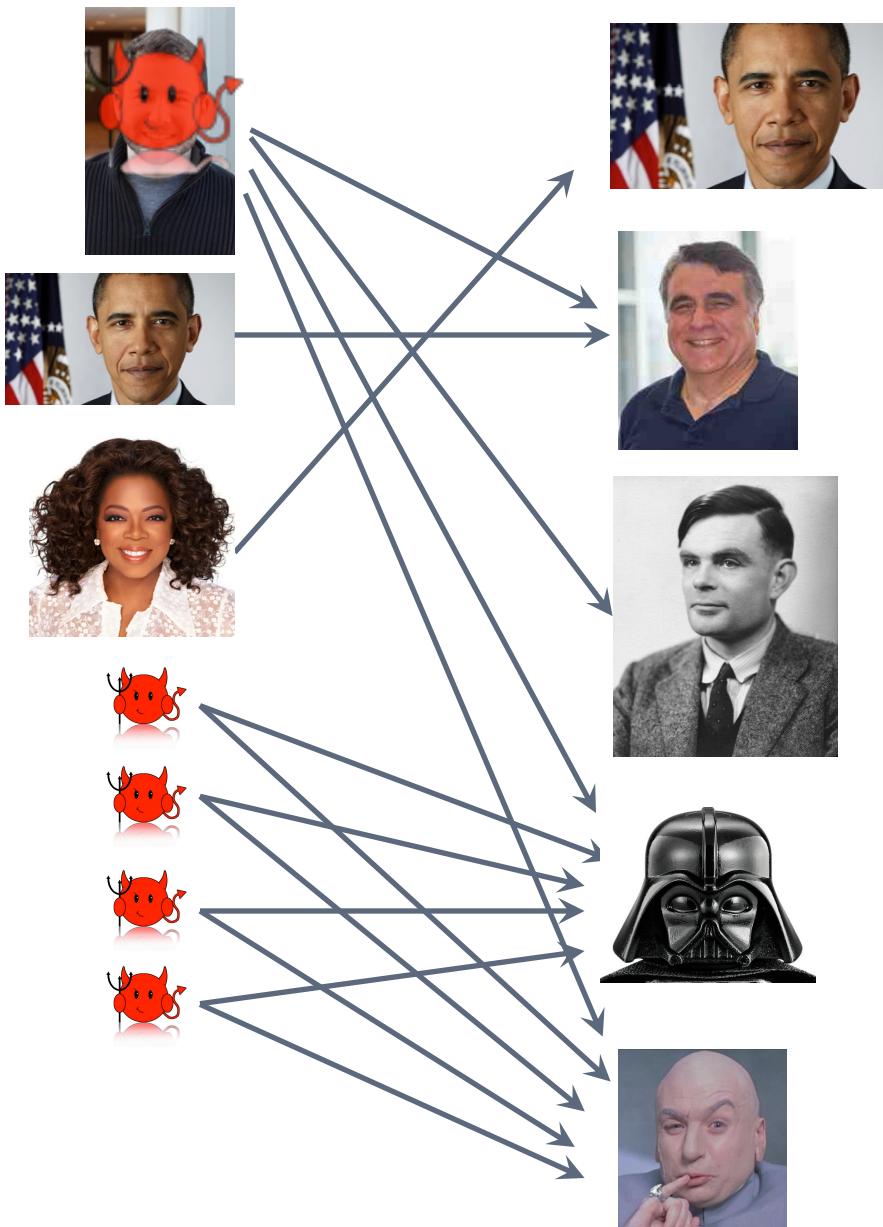
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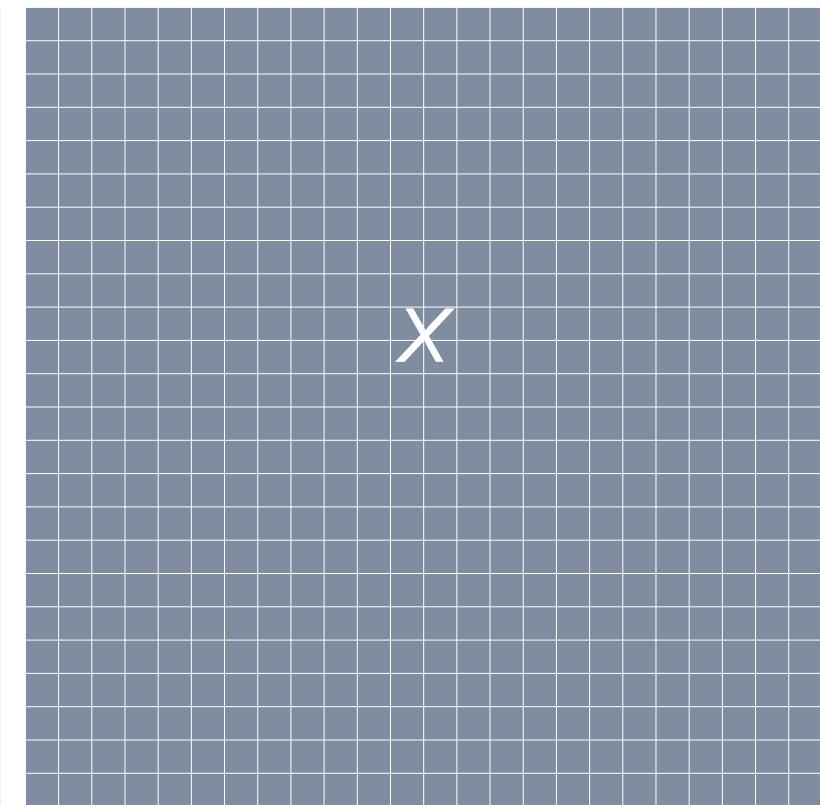
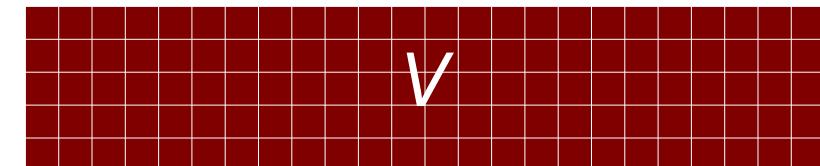
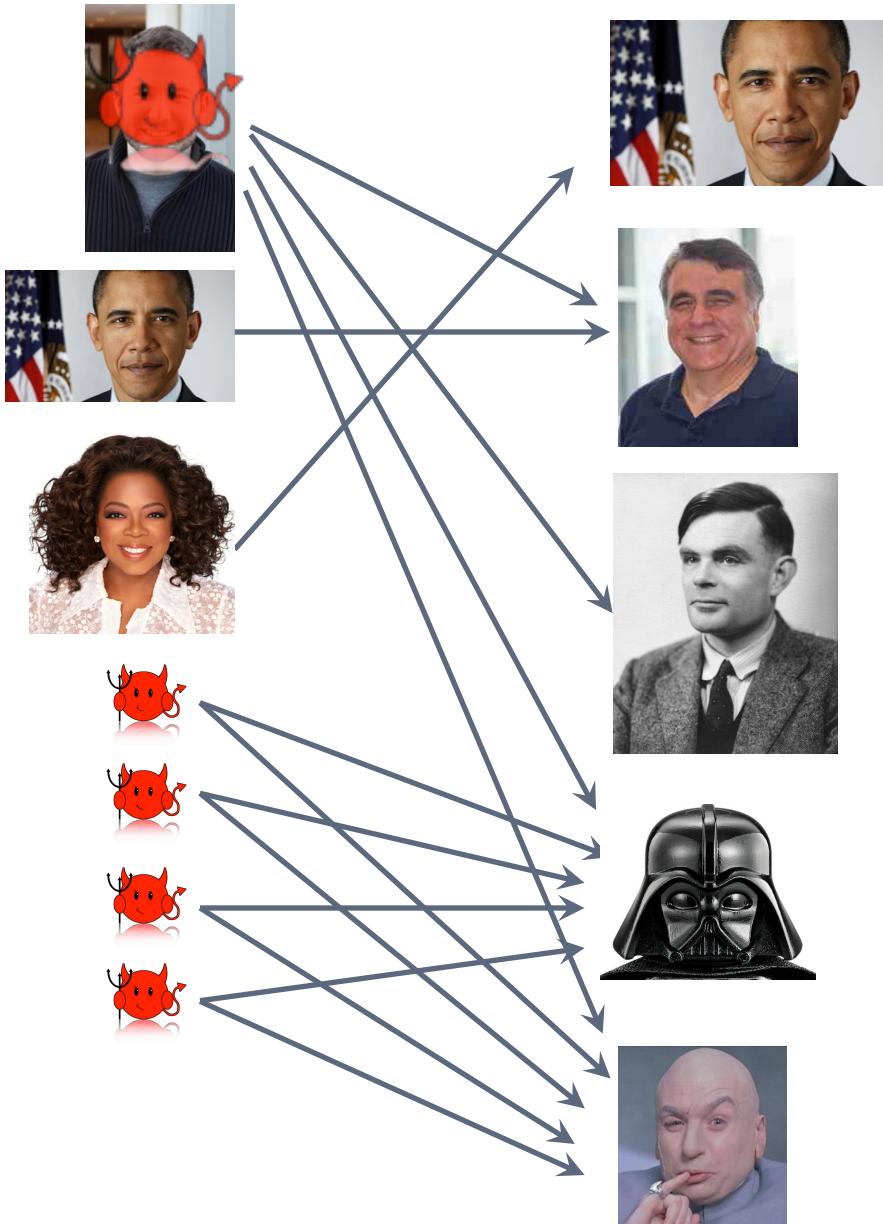


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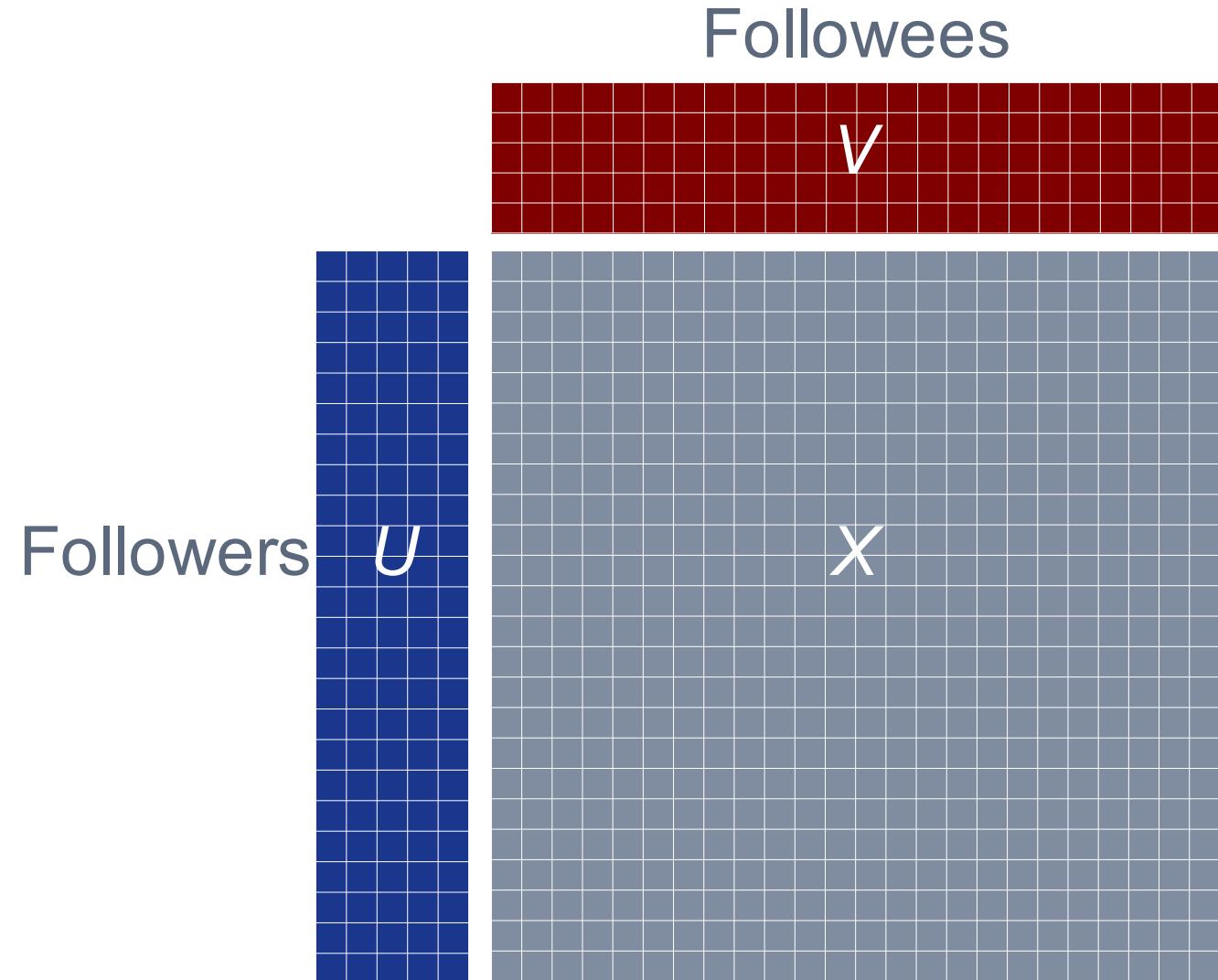




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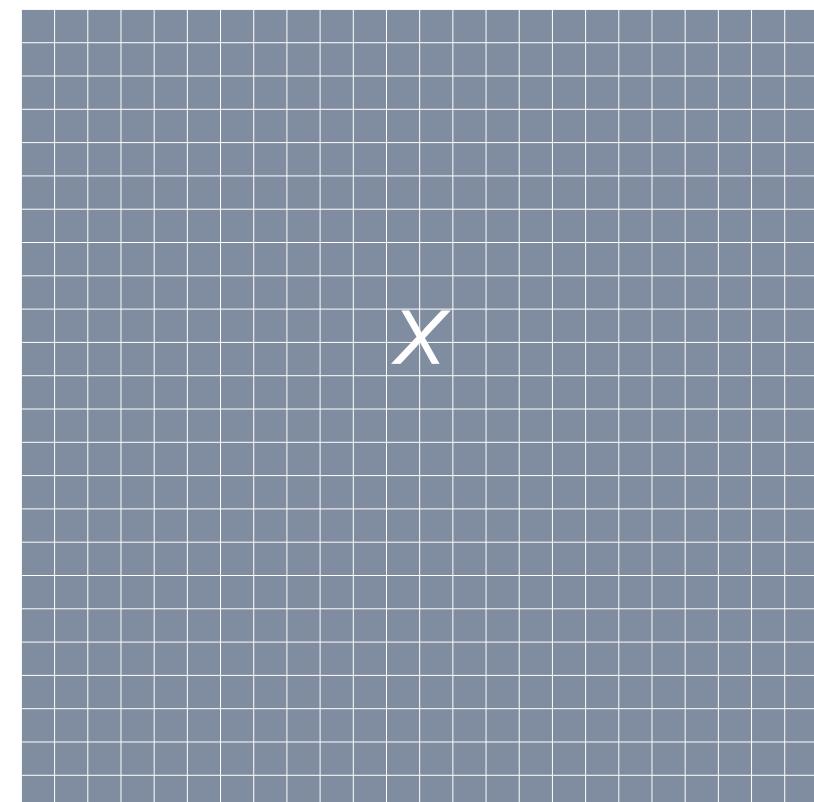
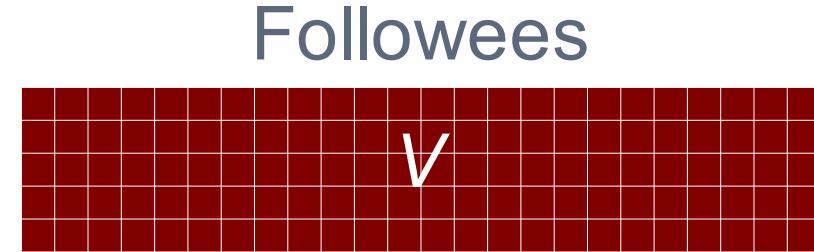
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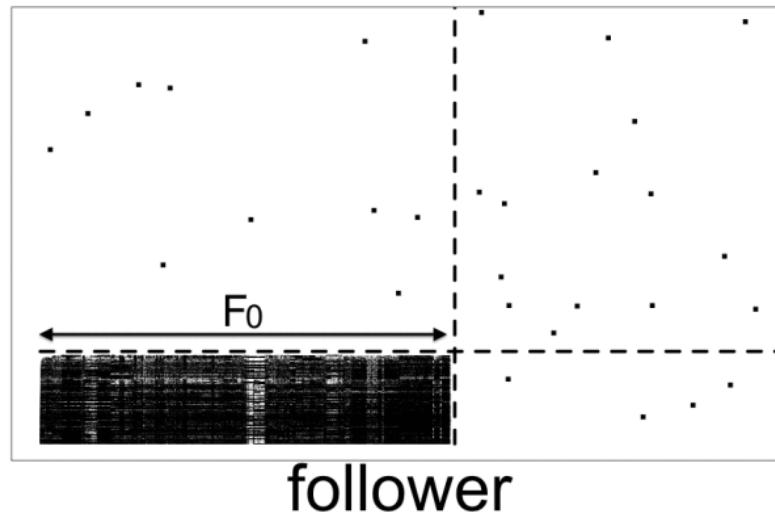


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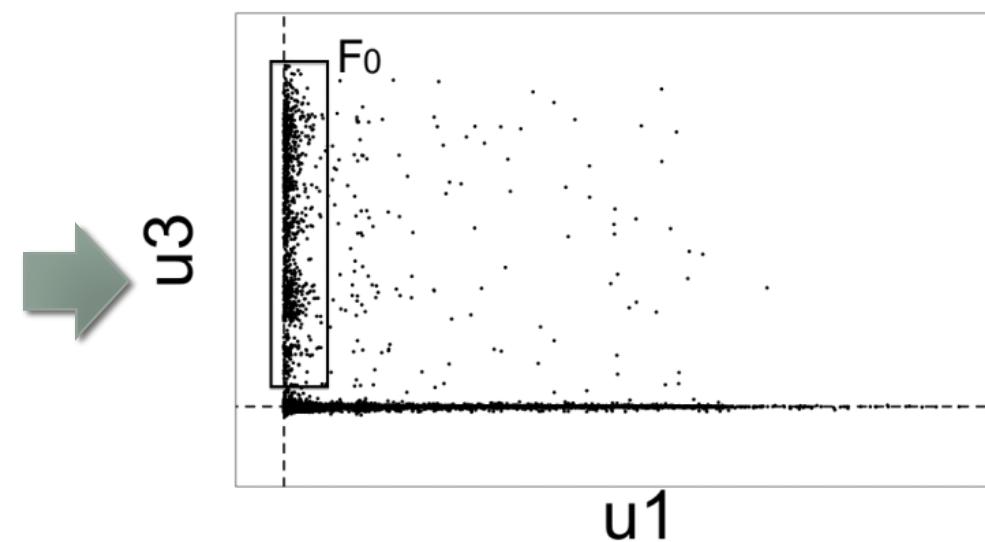
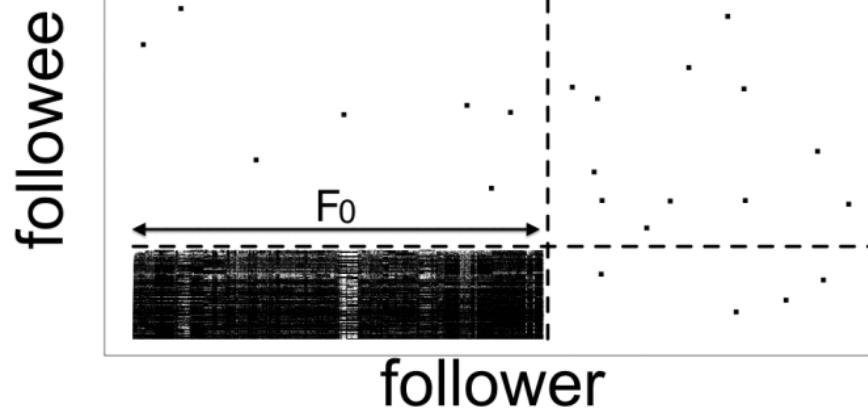
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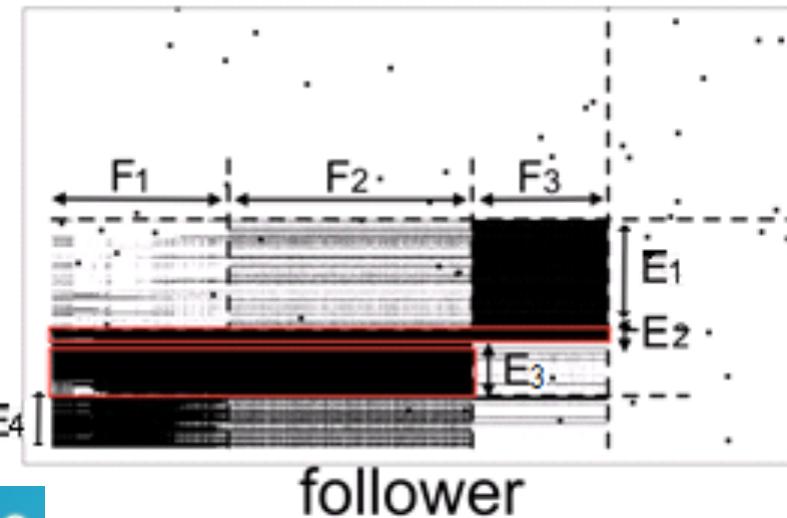
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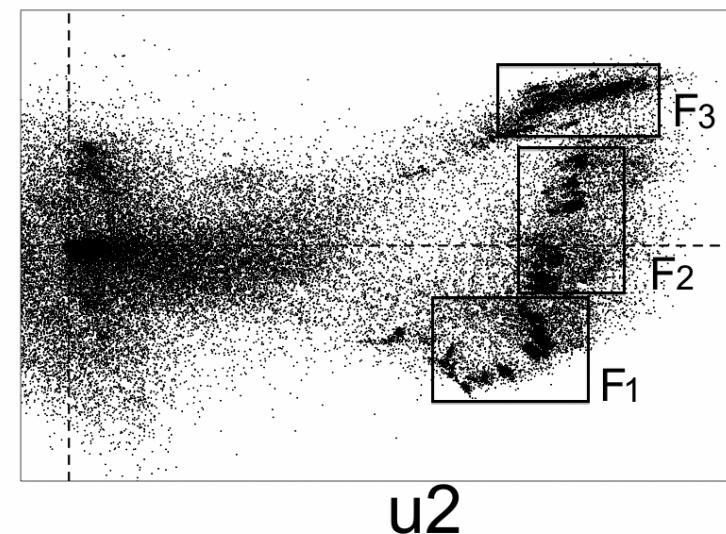
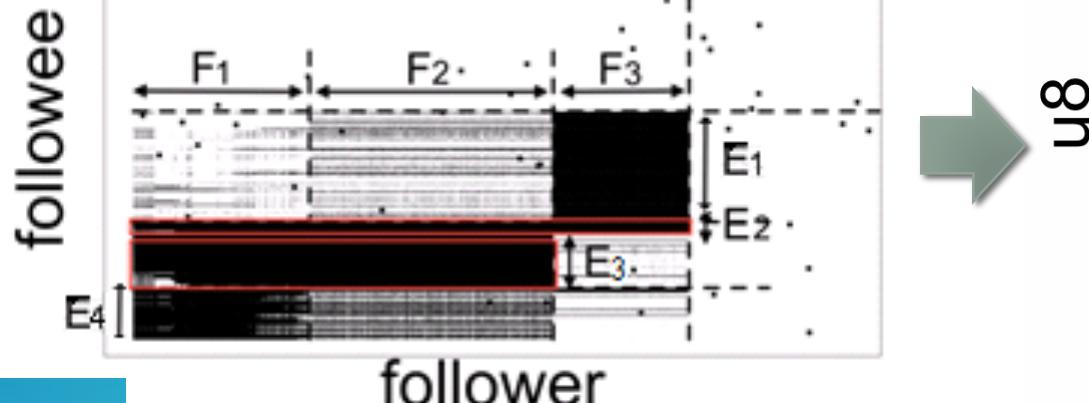


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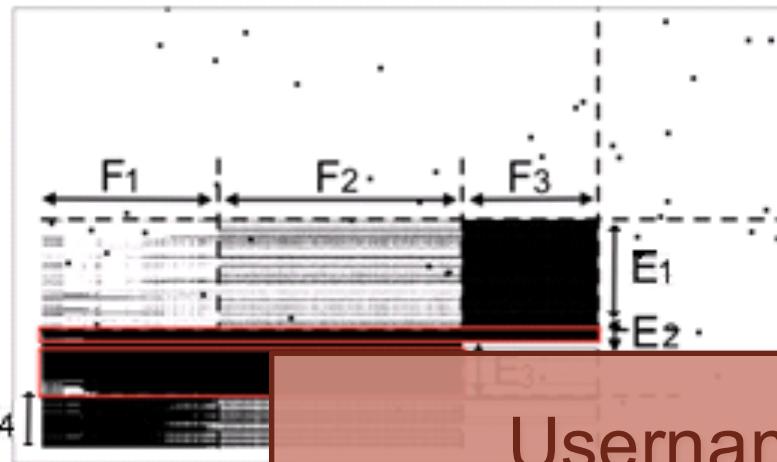
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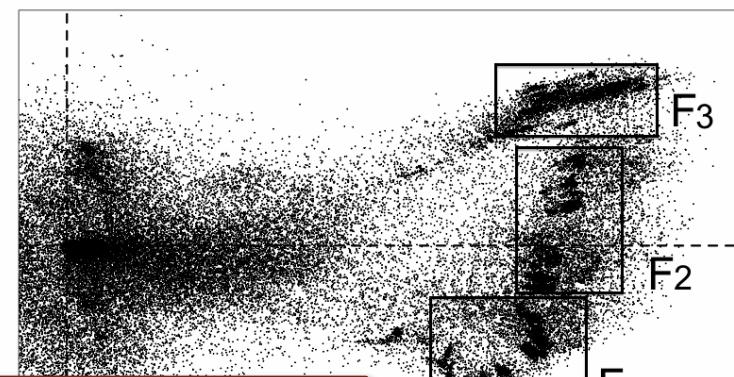
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Username: a#####  
Birthday: January 1st

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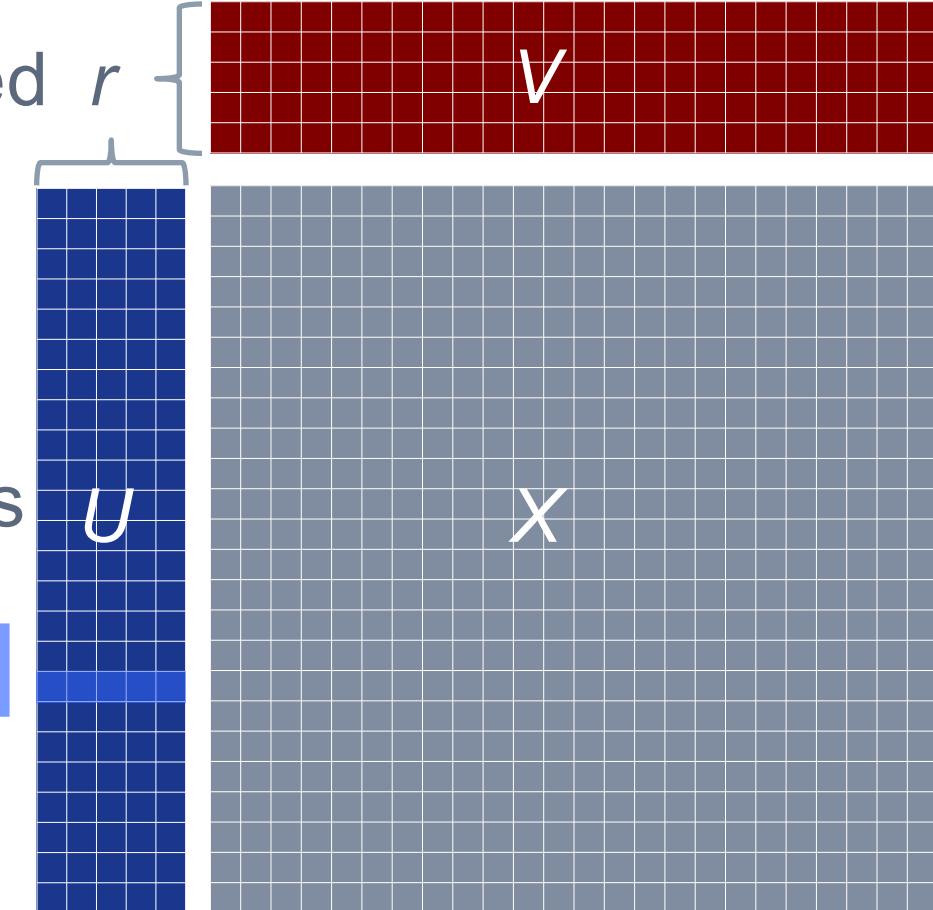
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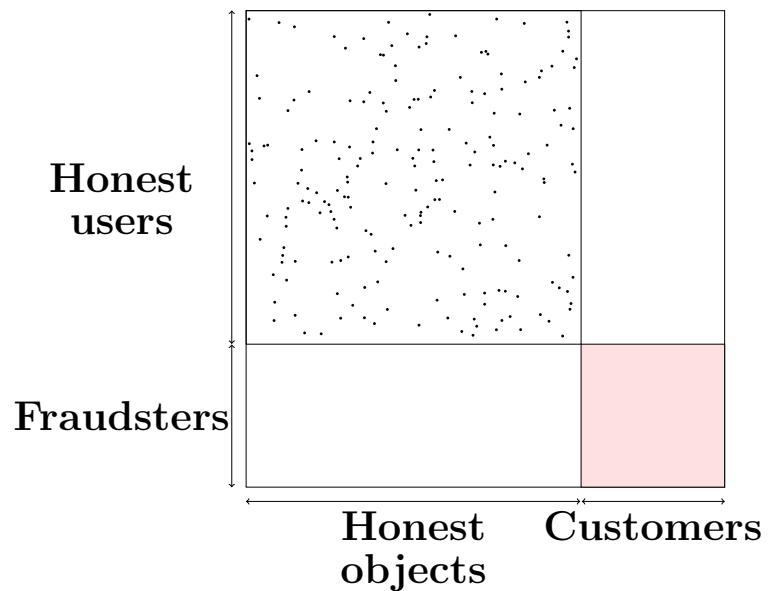
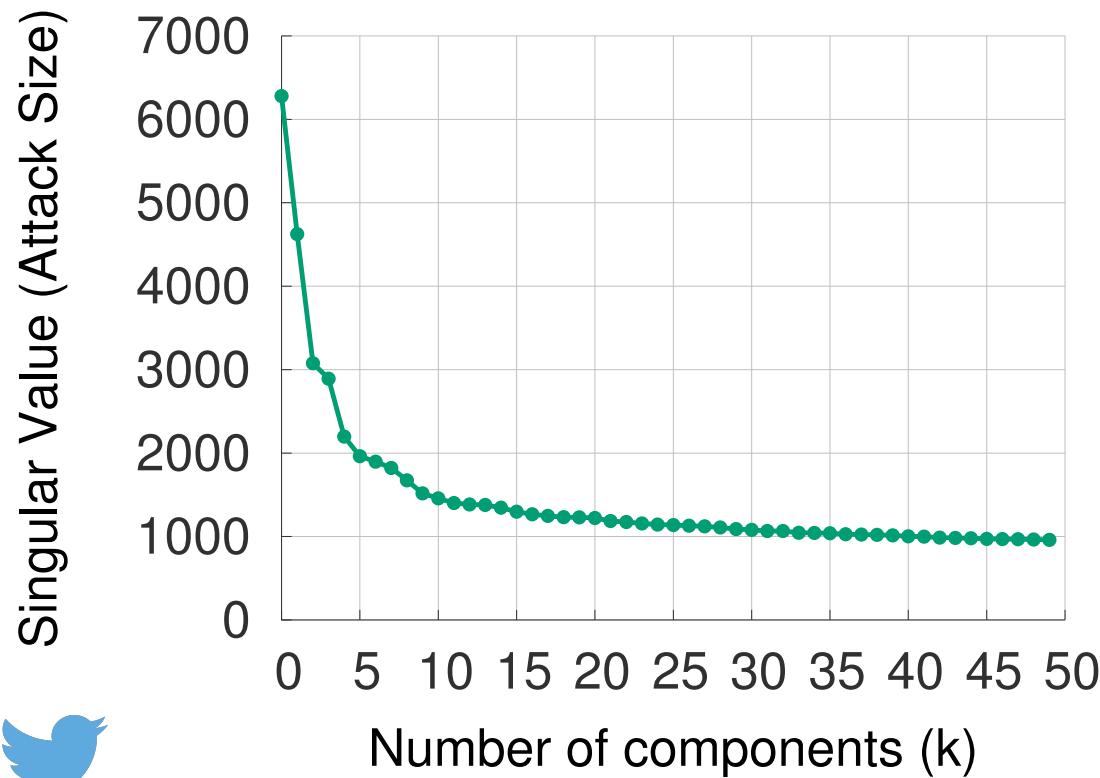
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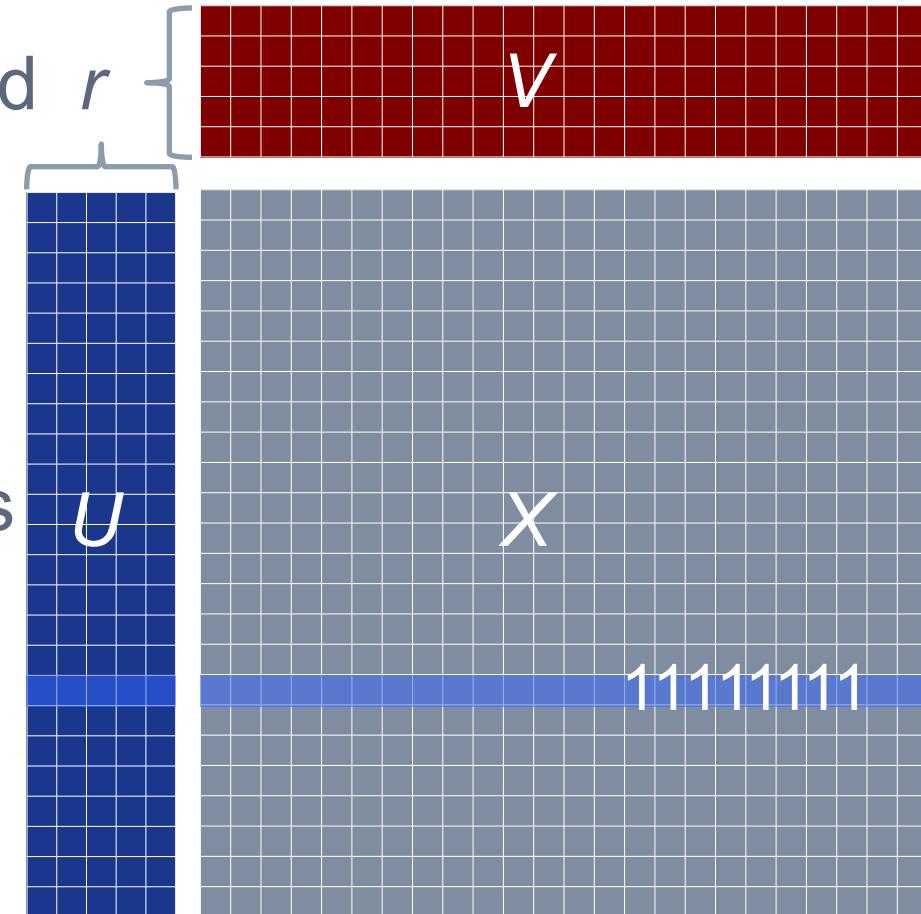
960 fraudsters  
safely following  
960 customers



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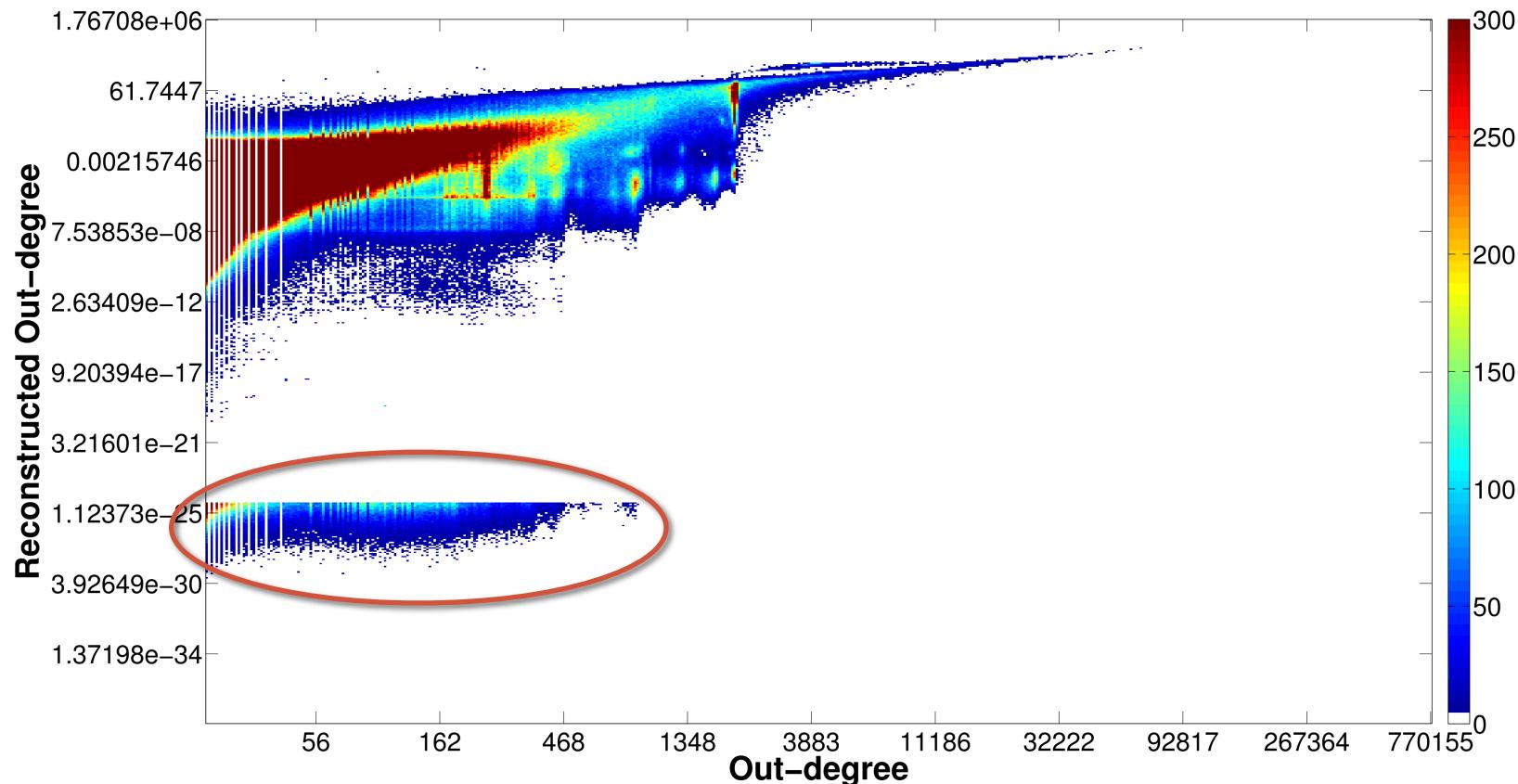
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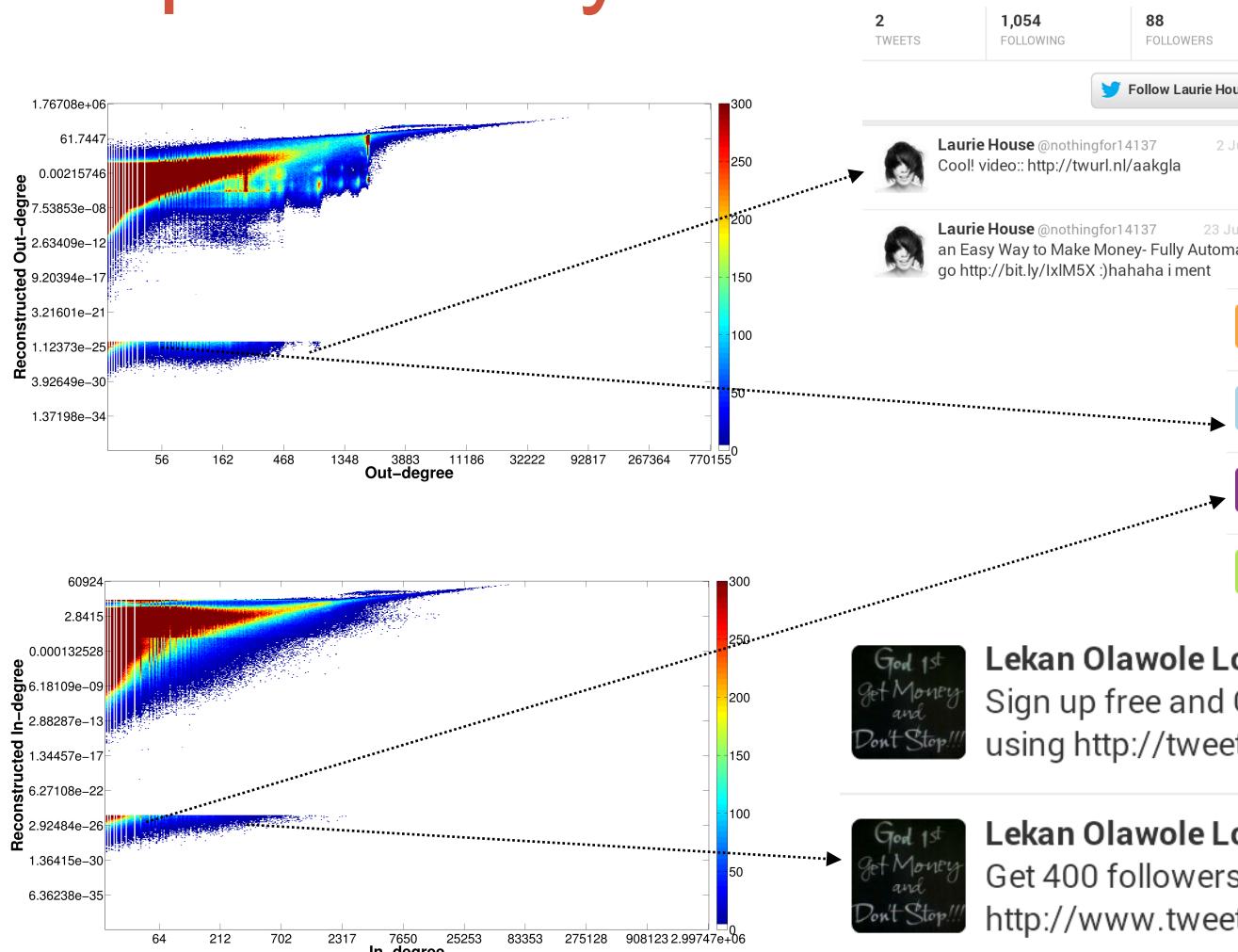
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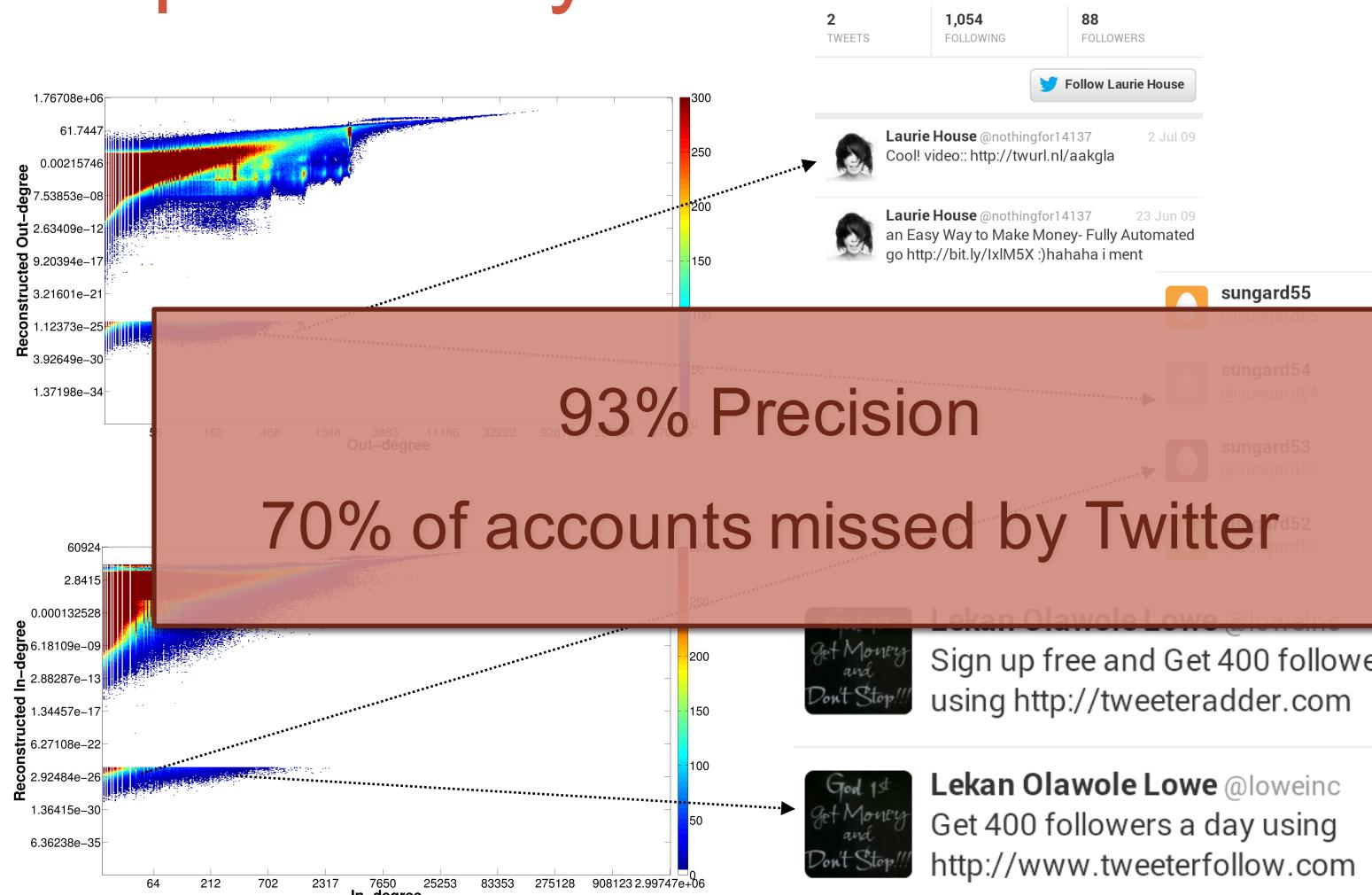
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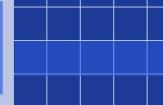


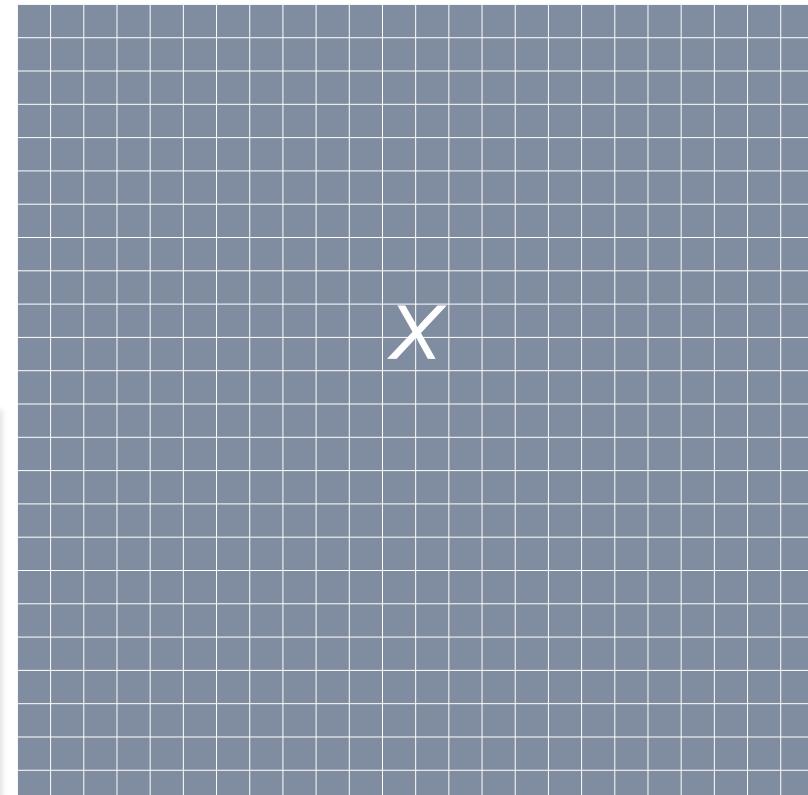
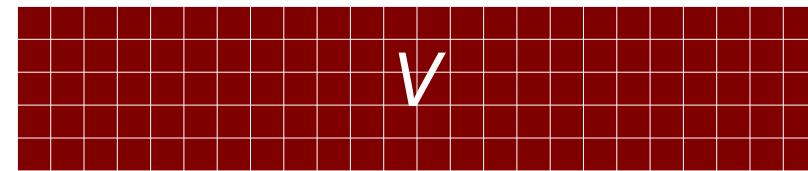
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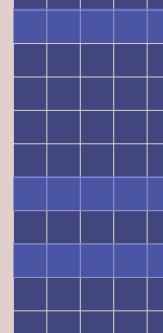
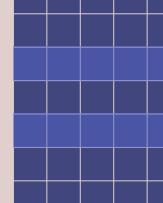
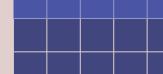
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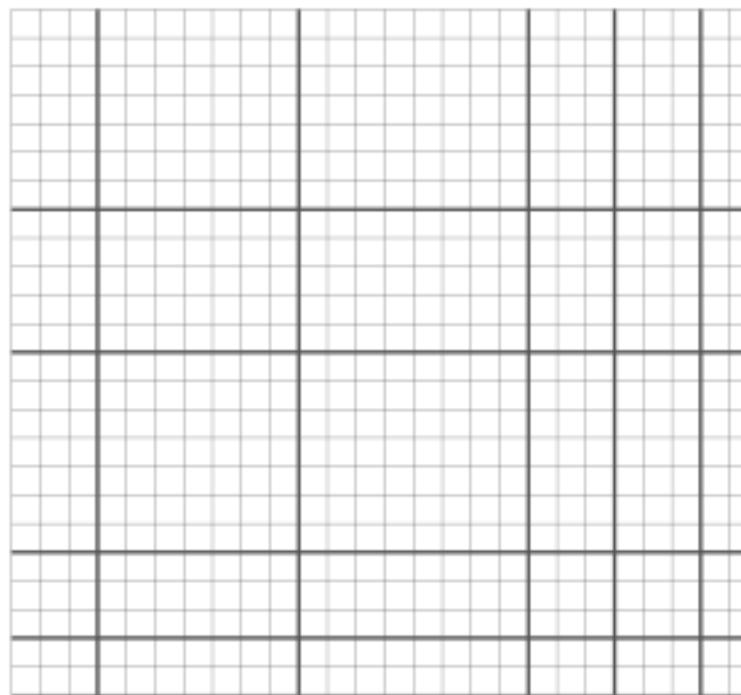
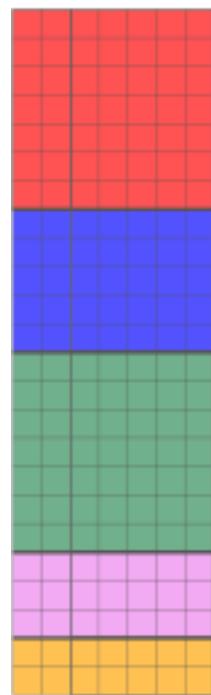
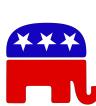
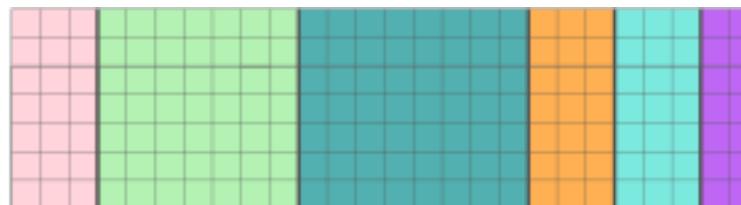


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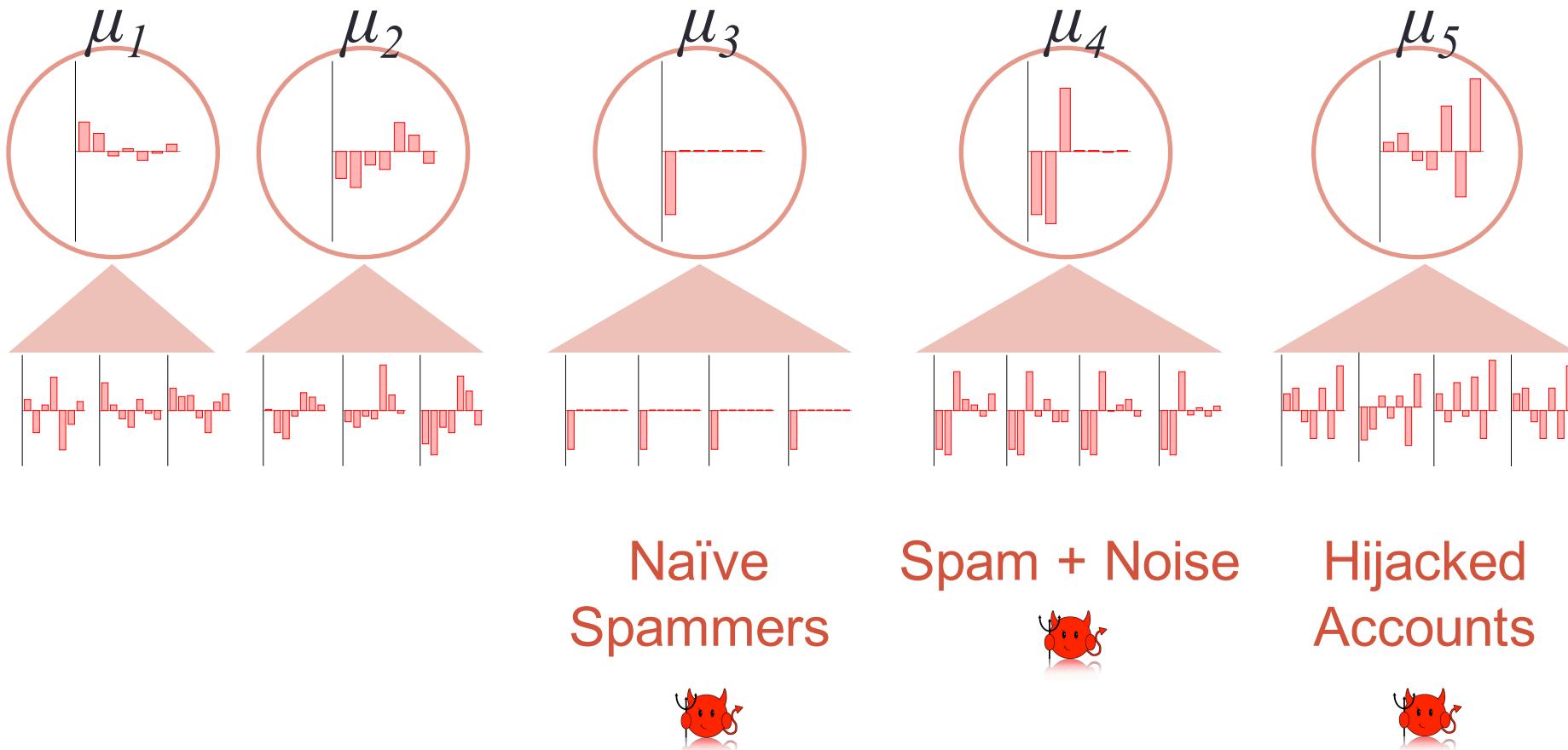
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CoBaFi: Collaborative Bayesian Filtering

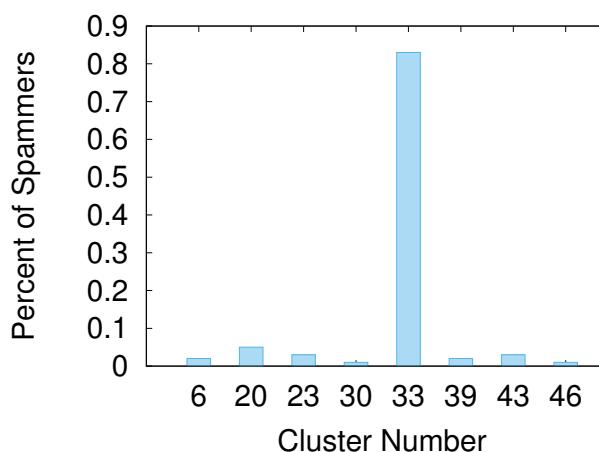
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# Clustering Fraudsters

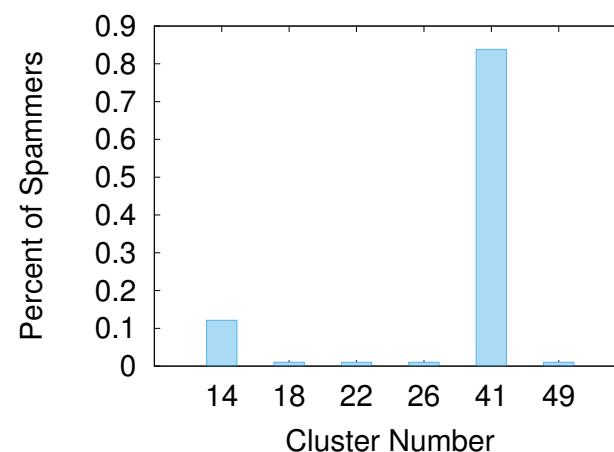


# Clustered Fraudsters

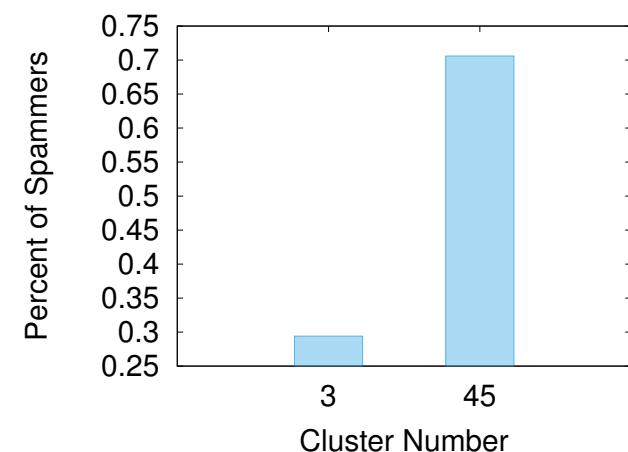
Clustered naïve spammers



Clustered hijacked accounts

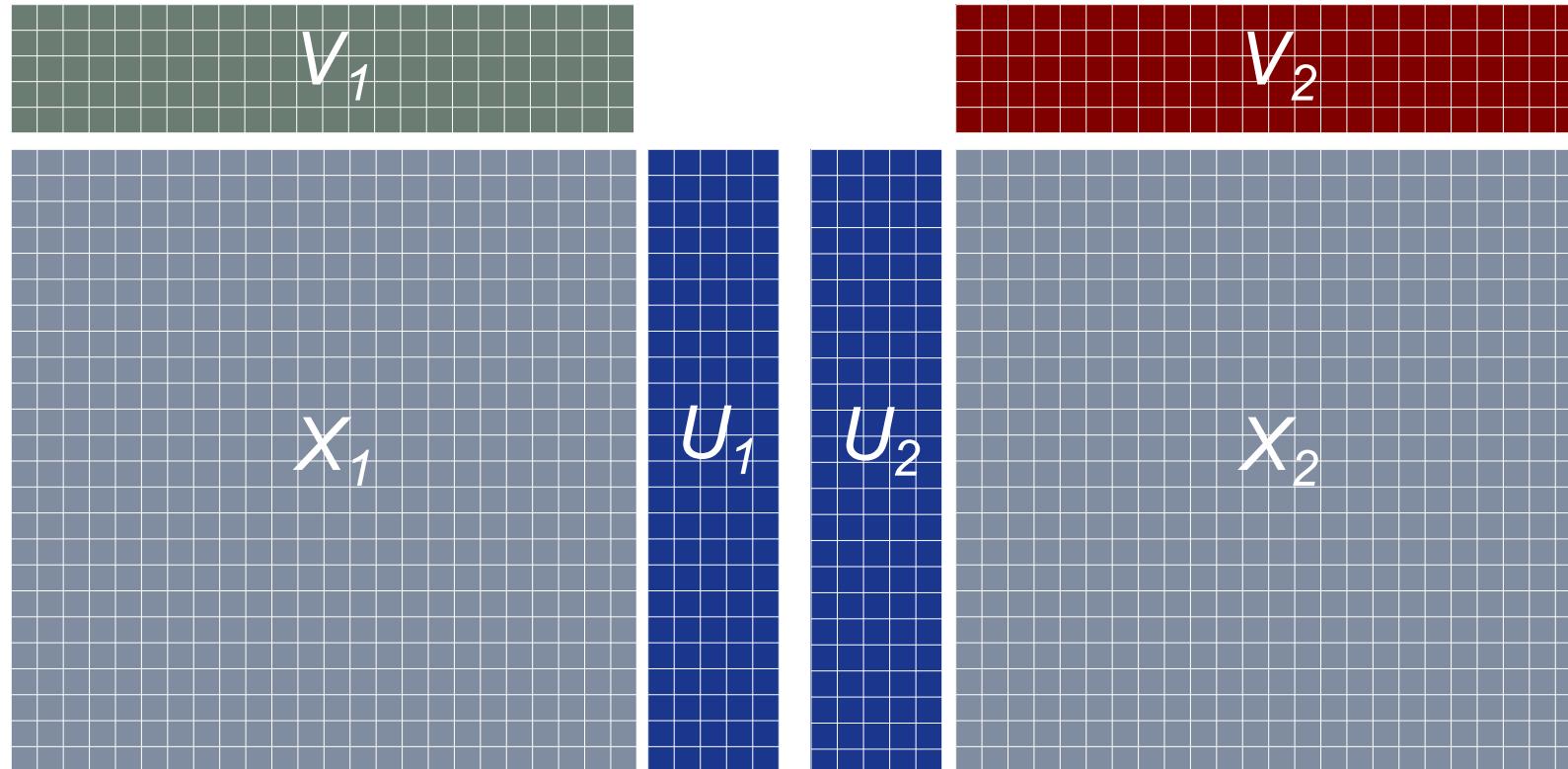


Clustered “attacked” movies



83% are clustered together

# Outliers in Joint Factorization



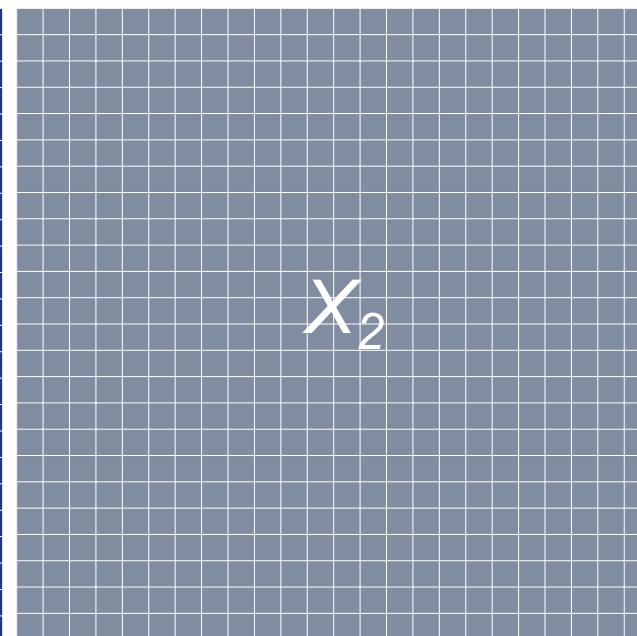
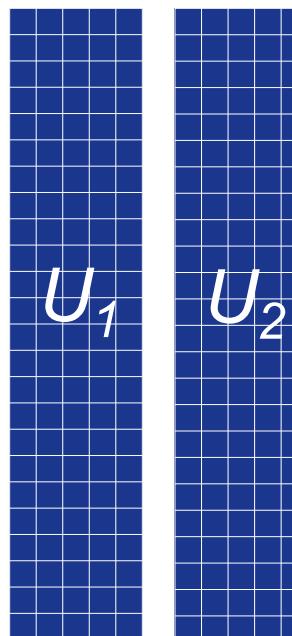
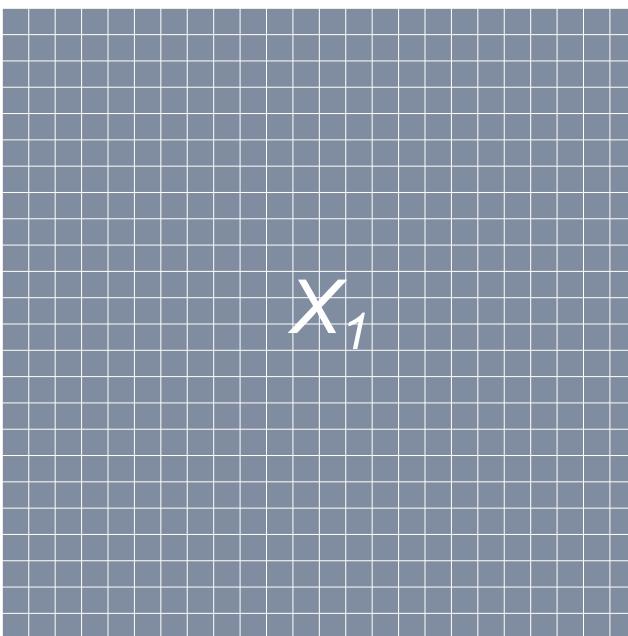
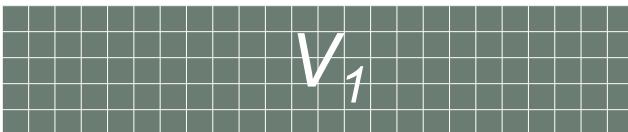
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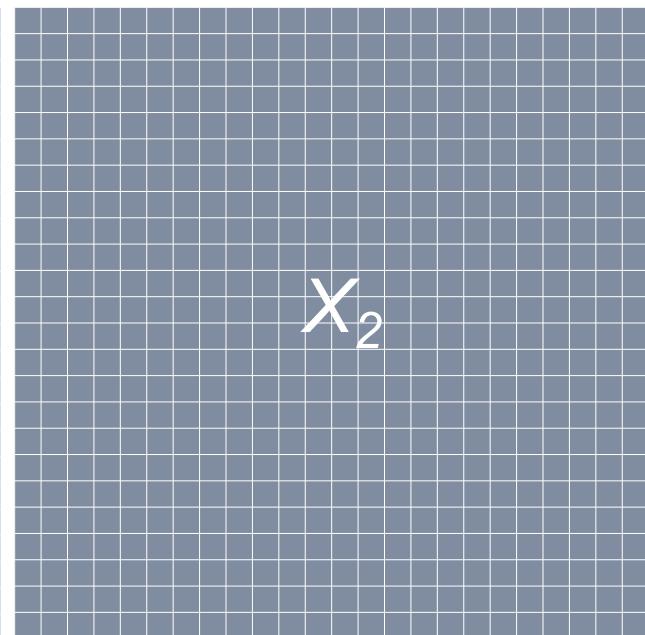
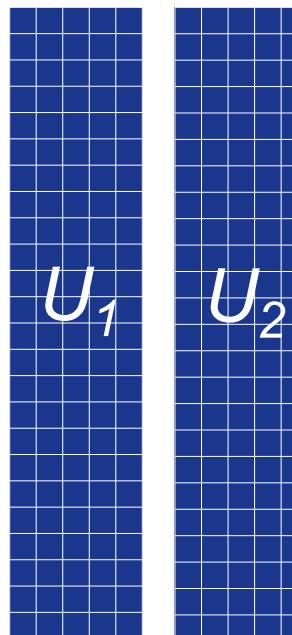
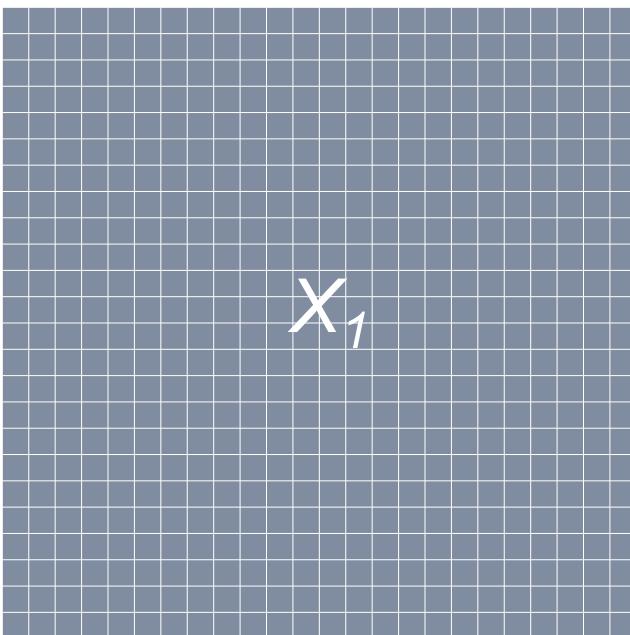
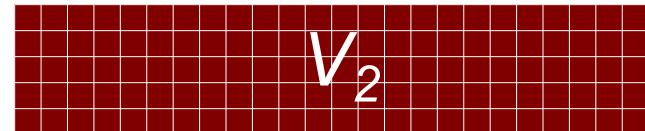
Interesting design of  $X_1$  and  $X_2$ ; see paper for details



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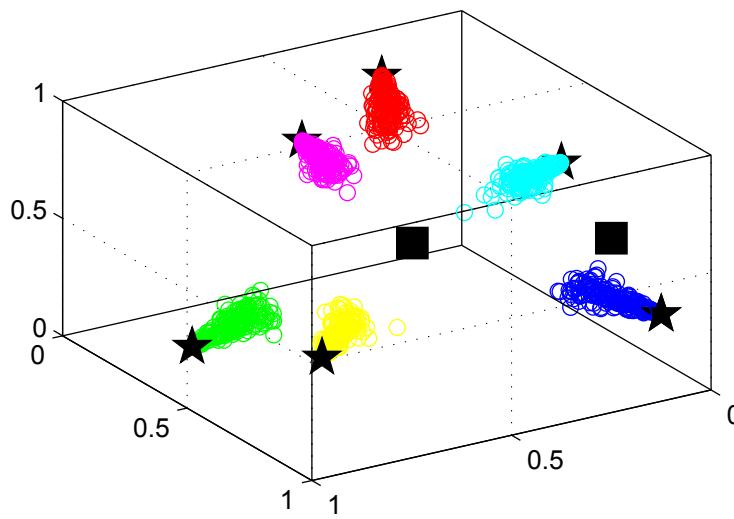
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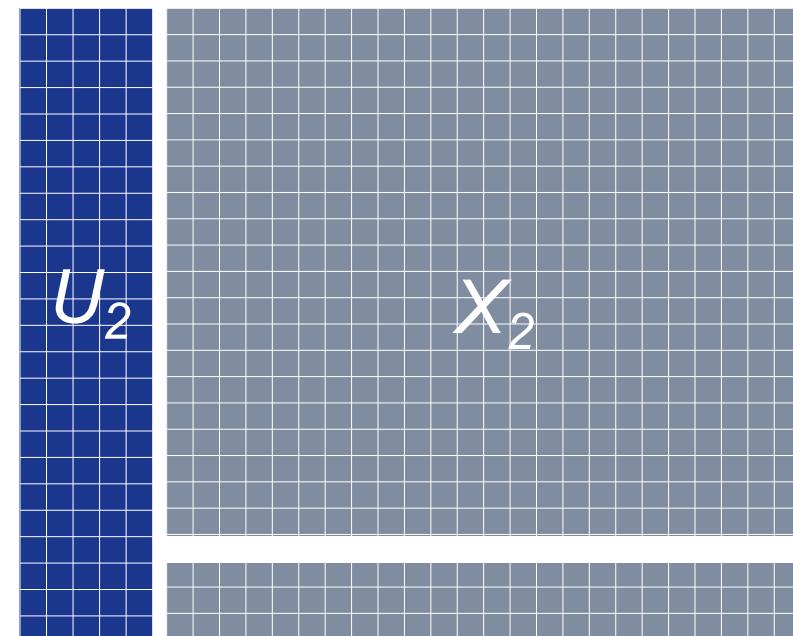
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An anomaly is a row of  $X_i$  that is *not* similar to any row in  $V_i$



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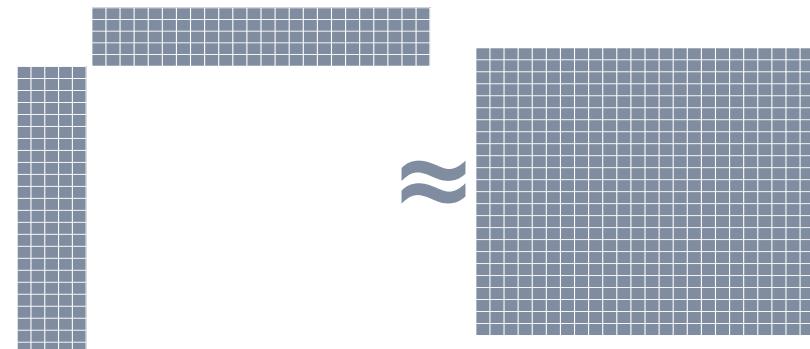


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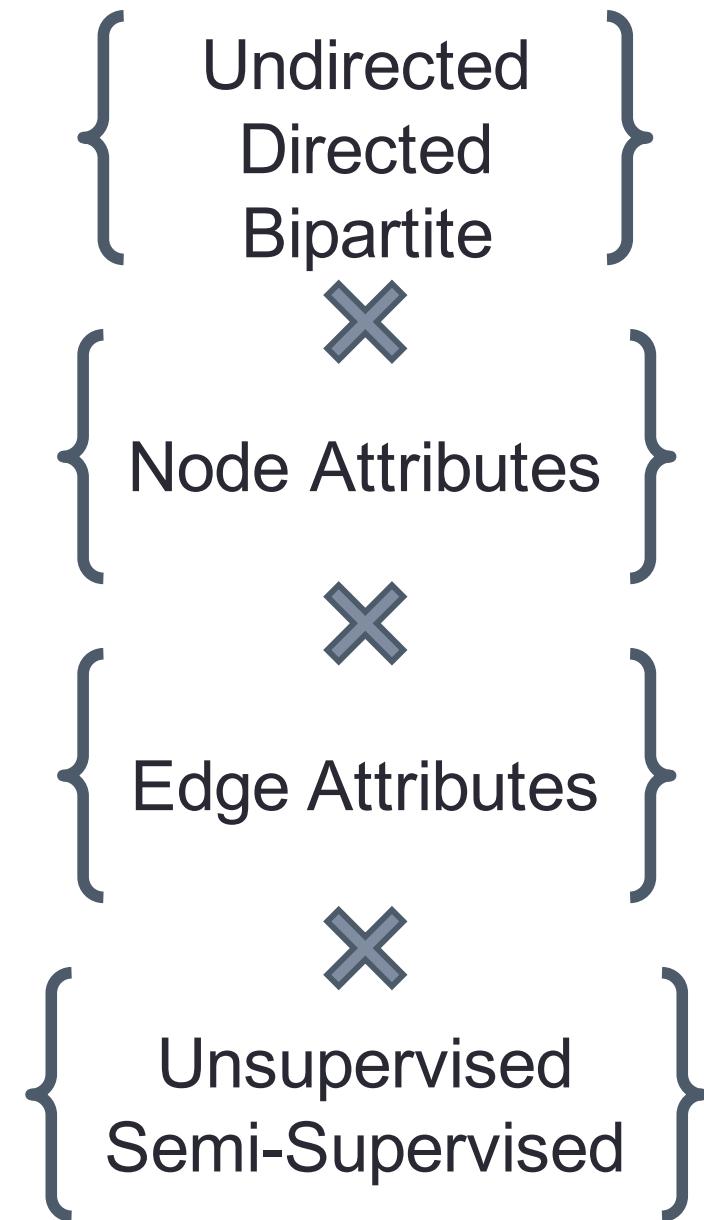
# Recap

- SVD captures communities of interest
- Bayesian methods can:
  - Handle missing values
  - Give factorization models (-> patterns, & anomalies)
- Group-outliers: spotted by CoBaFi, Get-the-Scoop, etc.



# CONCLUSION

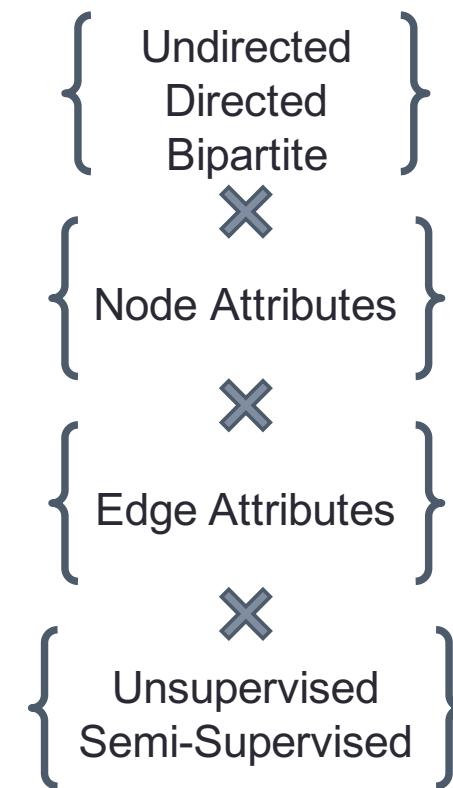
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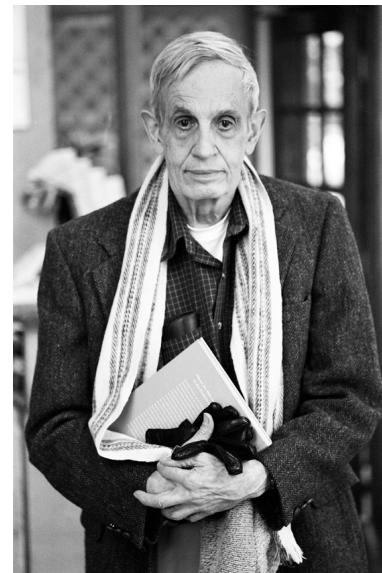
**P1. Complex data:** How should we integrate data from multiple data sources?



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**P2. Adversarial analysis:** Can we offer provable guarantees on detecting fraud and spam?



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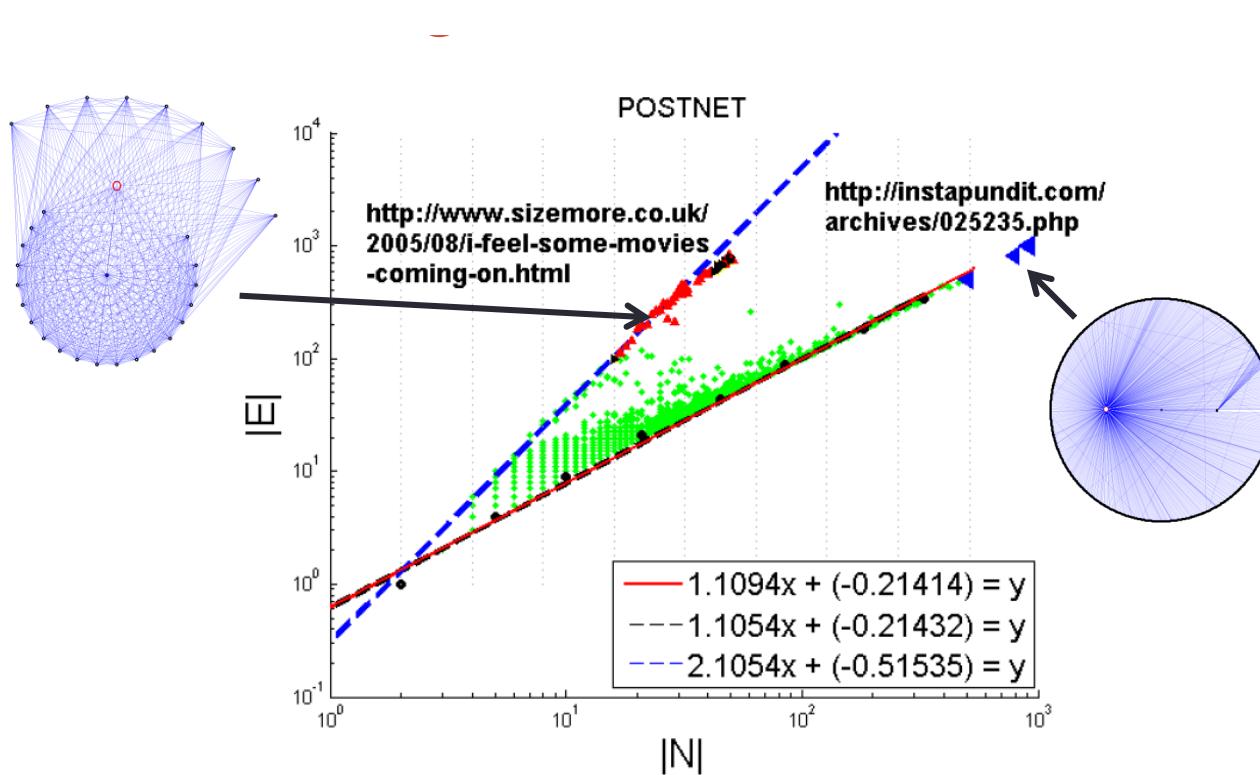


**P3. Early detection:** Can we detect fraudsters before they cause significant damage?



# Summary

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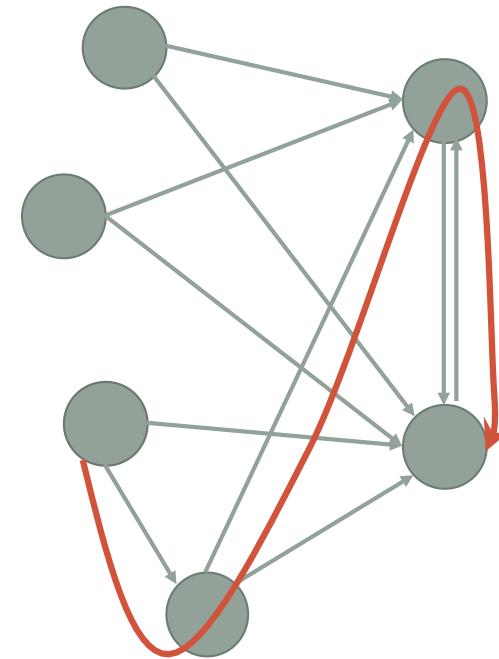
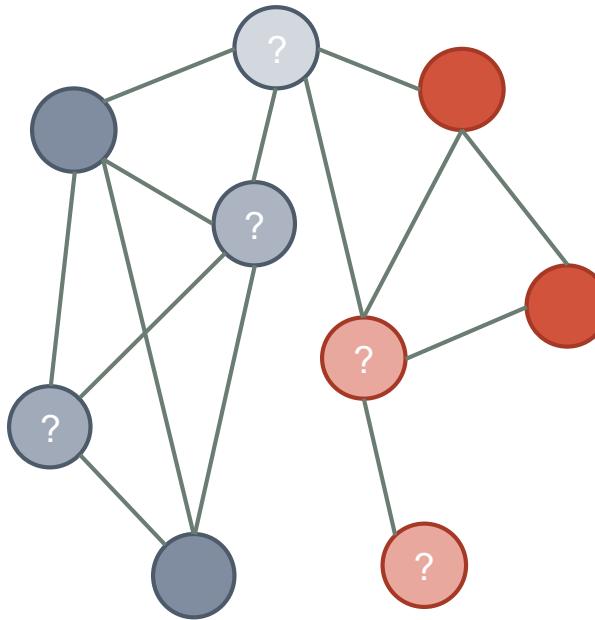


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## Propagation Methods

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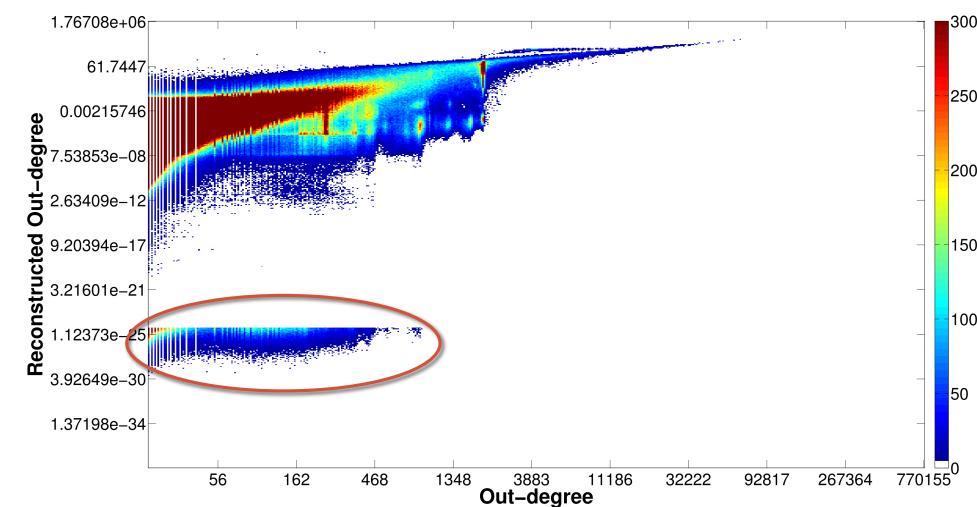
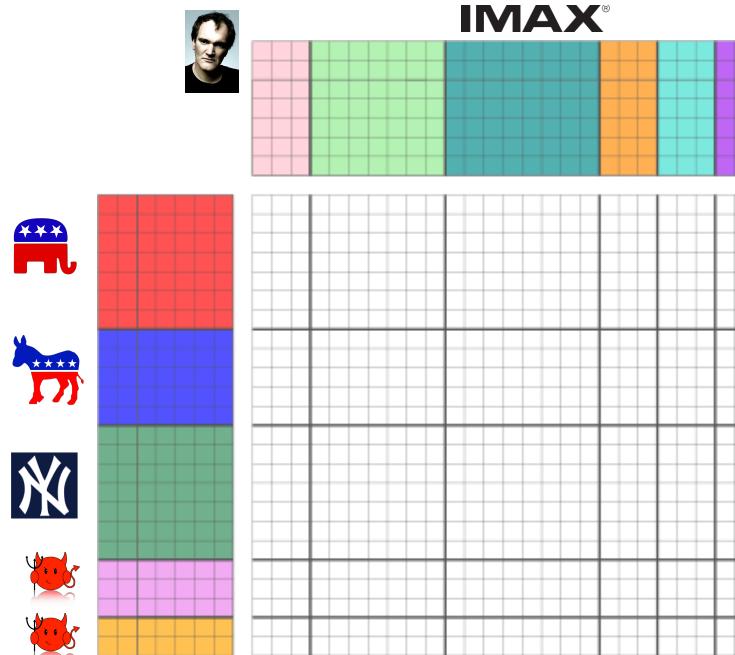
“Importance-by-association” = PageRank



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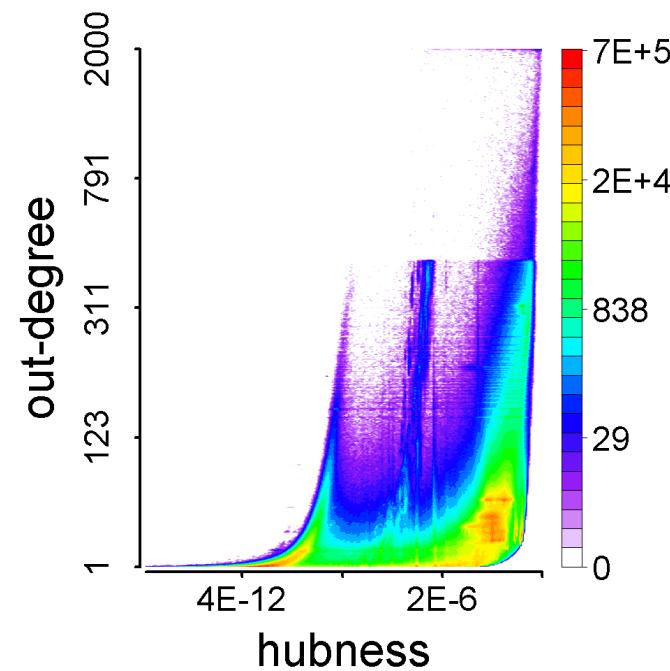
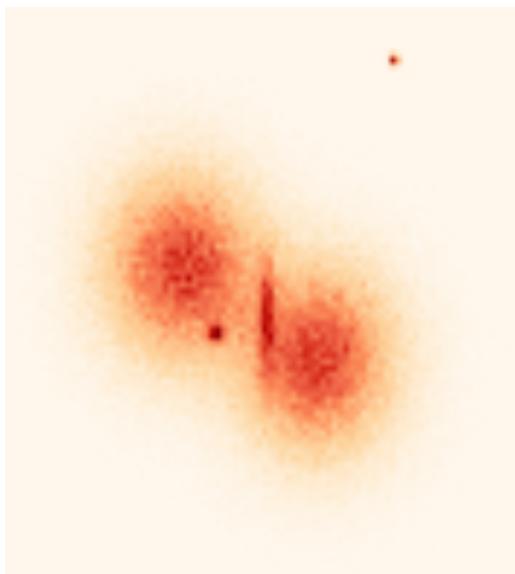
## Latent Factor Models

Find multiple communities, patterns and anomalies.



# Take Away

User Modeling and Fraud Detection  
are two sides of the same coin.



# ODDx3 workshop TODAY 9:30-5:45

## Afternoon Schedule:

- **Keynote** by [Vipin Kumar](#)
- **Panel 'What is an Anomaly?'** by [Tiberio Caetano](#), [Vipin Kumar](#), [Tina Eliassi-Rad](#), [Ted Senator](#), [Jimeng Sun](#)
- **Research talks**

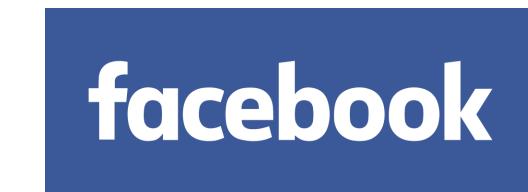
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# Questions?



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References and resources available at  
[cs.cmu.edu/~abeutel/kdd2015\\_userbehavior](http://cs.cmu.edu/~abeutel/kdd2015_userbehavior)

