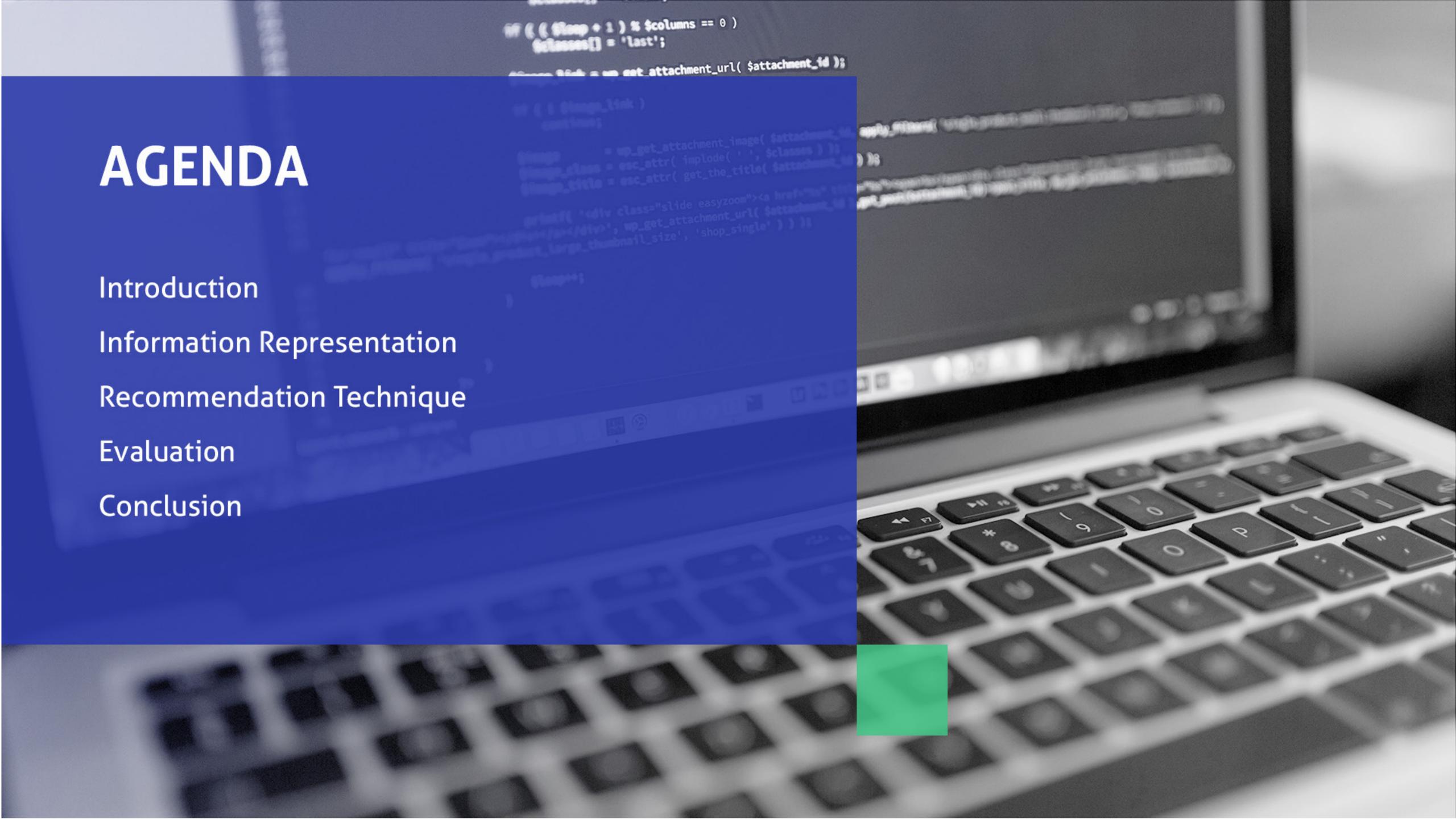


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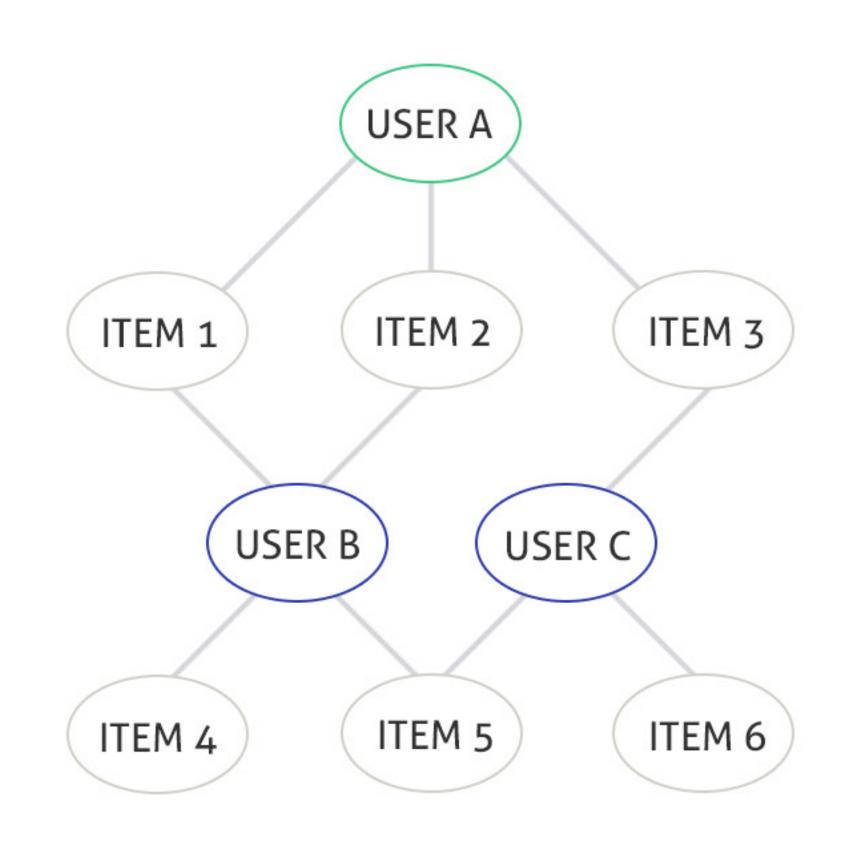
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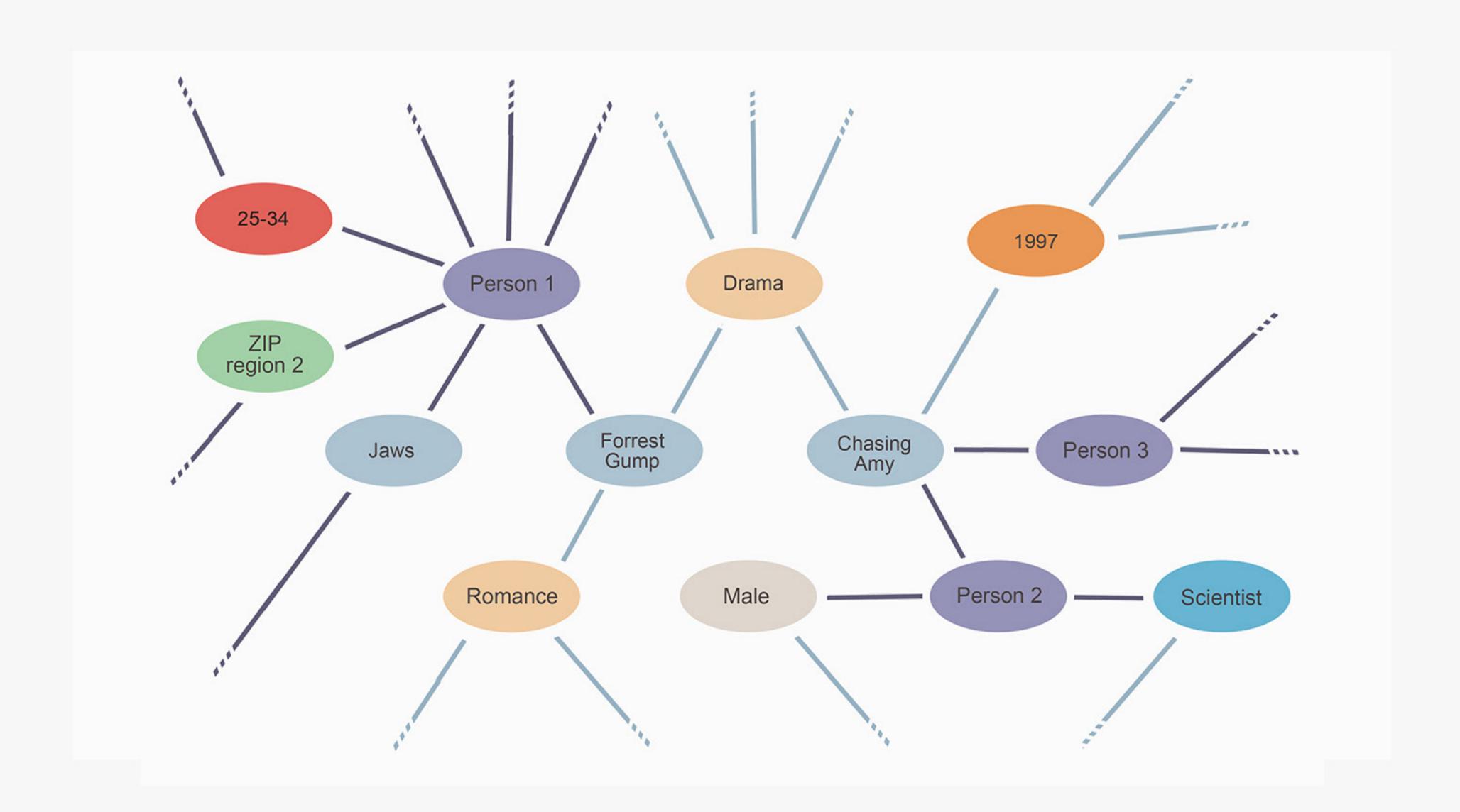
MATRIX VS GRAPH

	ITEM 1	ITEM 2	ITEM 3	ITEM 4	ITEM 5
USER 1	3				
USER 2	4	5	3		?
USER 3		3		2	
USER 4			2	3	4

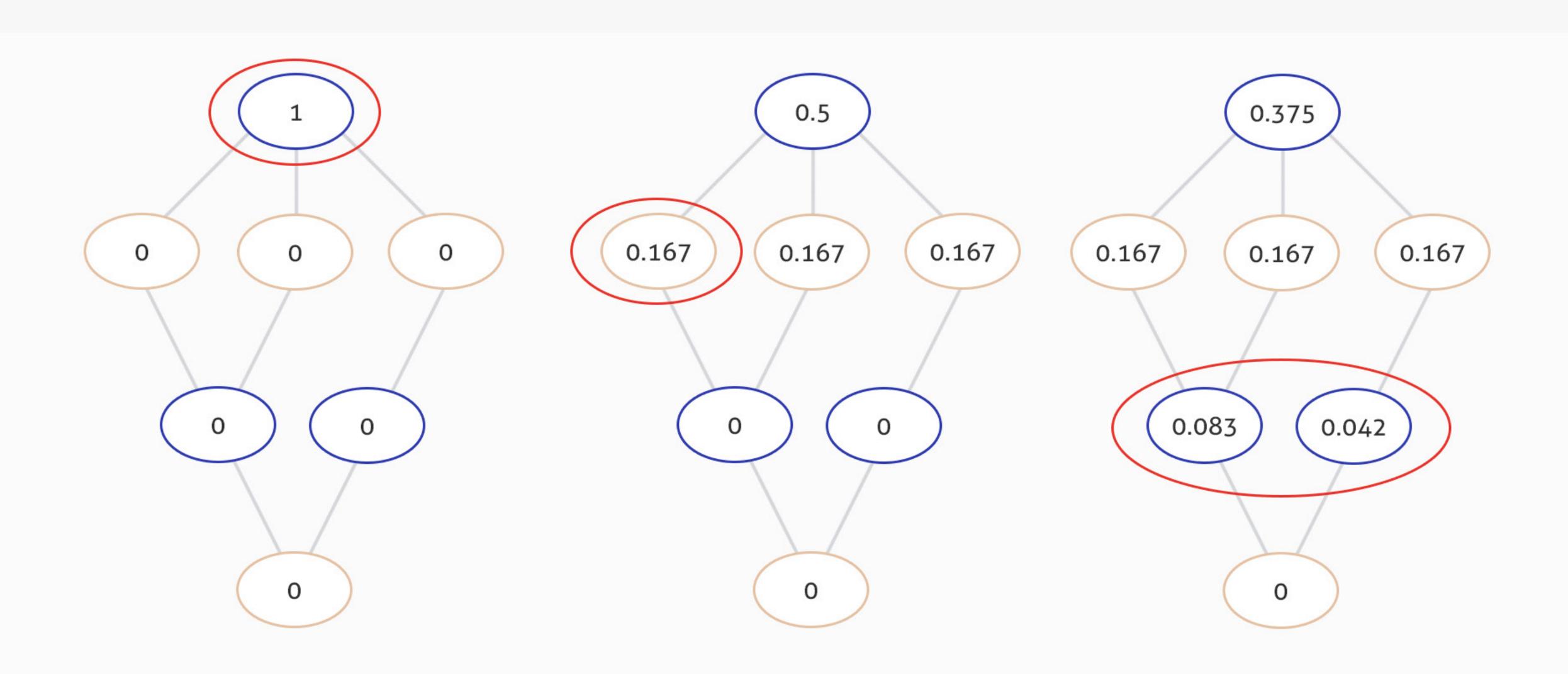


REPRESENTATION





SPREADING ACTIVATION



FORMULA, SPREADING ACTIVATION

$$a_{(i+1)}(n) = r_a a_{(i)}(n) + r_s \sum_{m \in M_n} \frac{a_{(i)}(m)}{|M_n|}$$

THE MOVIELENS DATASET

COUNT OF NODE TYPES

NODE TYPE COUNT 6040 Person AgeCategory Gender Occupation 21 ZipCodeRegion 10 3883 ltem Genre 18 YearOfPublishing 81

COUNT OF RELATION TYPES

EDGE TYPE	COUNT
PersonAgeCategory	6040
PersonGender	6040
PersonOccupation	6040
PersonZipCodeRegion	6040
ItemGenre	6408
ItemYearOfPublishing	3883
ItemRating	1000209

Count of graph entities by type in the MovieLens dataset

EVALUATION TECHNIQUE

```
Initialize the knowledge graph with the facts.

Iterate through relax parameter settings {

Conduct 10k times {

Generate recommendations

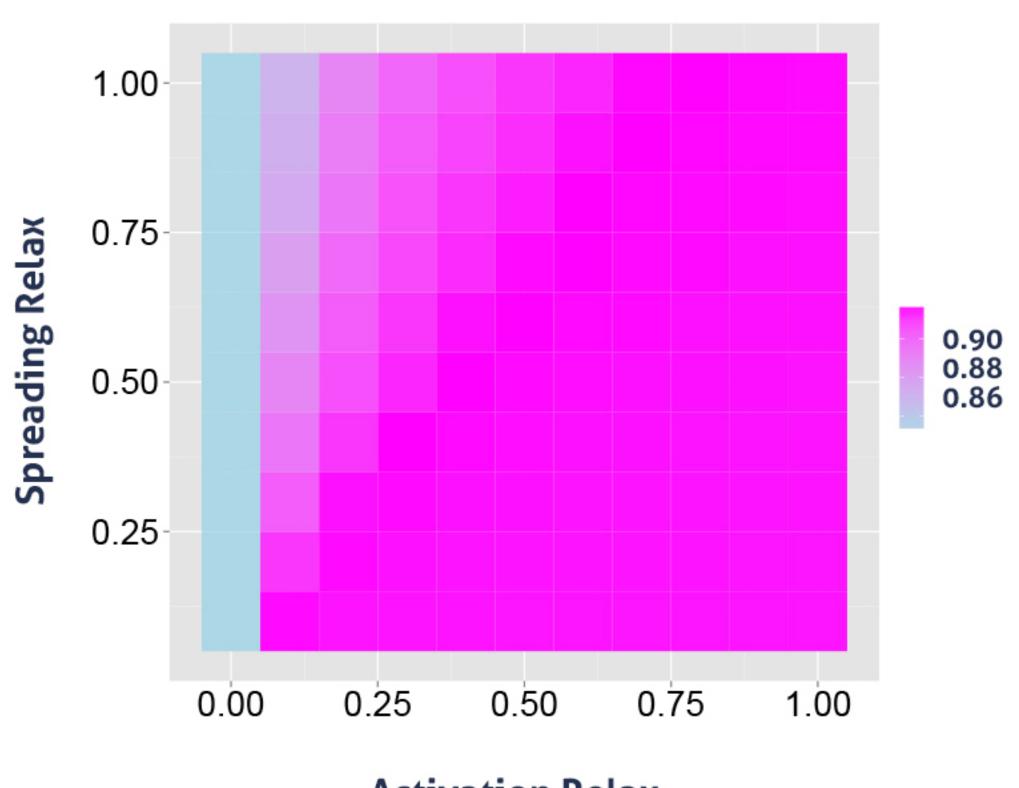
Record the evaluation measures

Add the current rating to the graph

}
```

PERFORMANCE

Mean of nDCG



Activation Relax

CONCLUSION

- Spreading activation shows a stable performance regarding the relax parameter settings.
- The structure / topology of the network has a strong influence on the recommended items.
- The involvement of network science stabilizes spreading activation.
- The sum of the relax parameters does not have to sum up to 1.

THANK YOU!



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