

**Unleashing the Power of
Graphs
in
Java Code Structure
Analysis**

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Passionate about...

- 🕒 Digital Signal Processing
- 🕒 Event-driven Architecture
- 🕒 Graph Data Science



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Contributed to...

- 🕒 Quarkus
- 🕒 AxonFramework
- 🕒 PyTorch



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1.

Story

Once upon a time...



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Analysis



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“

*Let's make a **breaking change** and
update **the major version of** a
commonly used shared library.*

How hard could this be?



“

Next we will update the modules that are using the shared library.





“

*Ok, we would also need to update
the **modules that are using the
modules ...** that are using the
shared library.*



“

*Now we've got a **conflict**.. In which order should we actually do the updates?*





ONE
ETERNITY
LATER

The image features the text "ONE ETERNITY LATER" in a bold, yellow, sans-serif font with a dark blue drop shadow. The text is centered and arranged in three lines. The background is a light blue gradient with various colorful floral and abstract patterns in shades of blue, purple, yellow, and white. The overall style is vibrant and modern.



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Introduction to Graphs

Graph Elements



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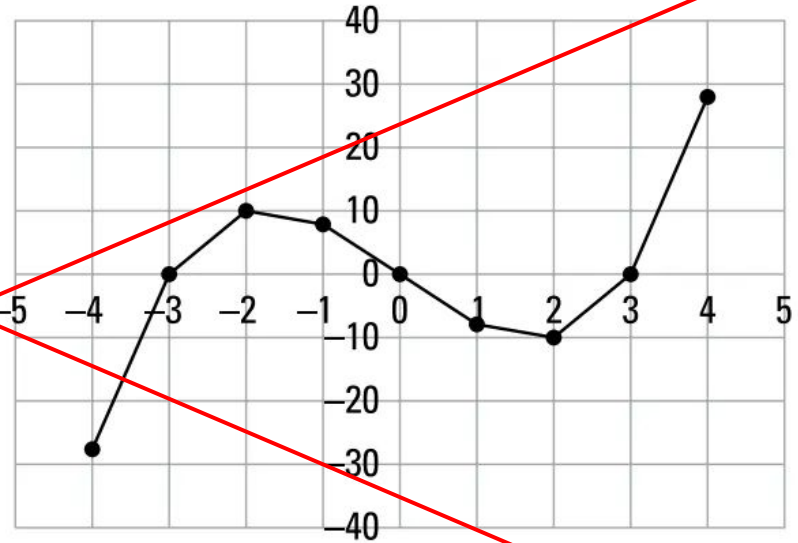
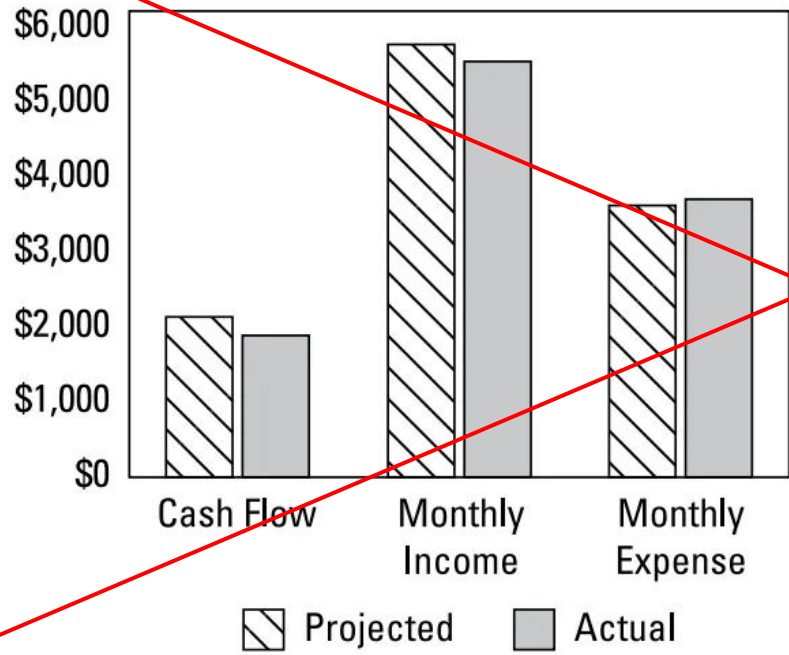
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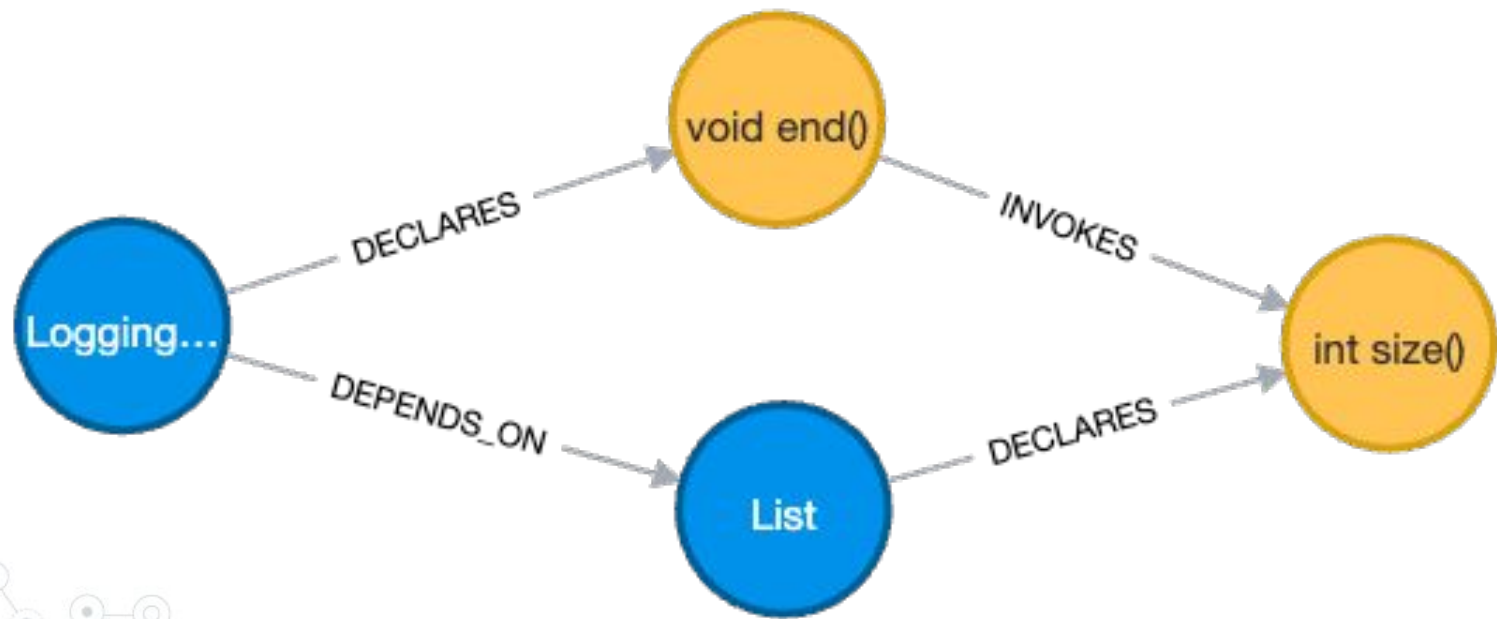
Not a Graph at least in this talk

Chart of a Budget



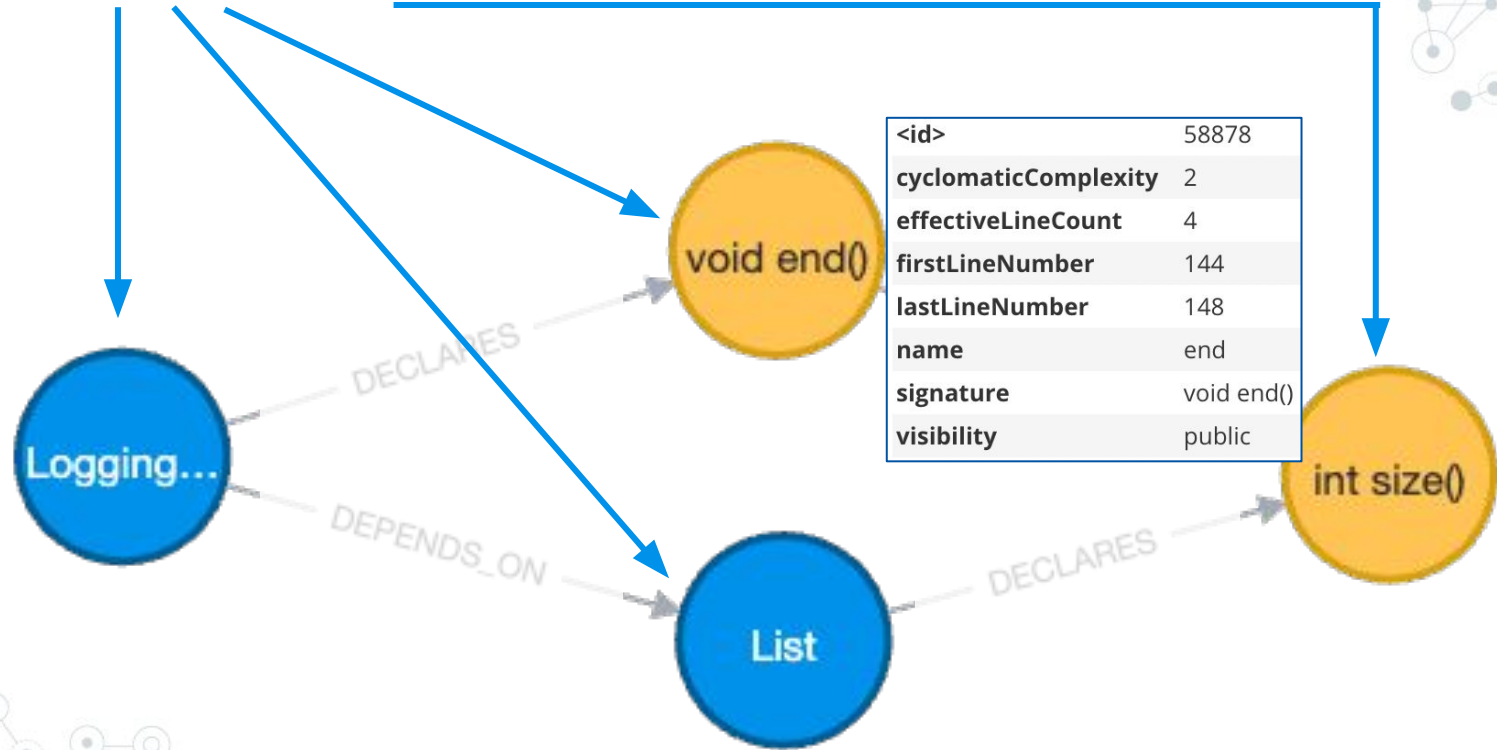
Graphing an Equation $f(x) = x^3 - 9x$

This is a Graph



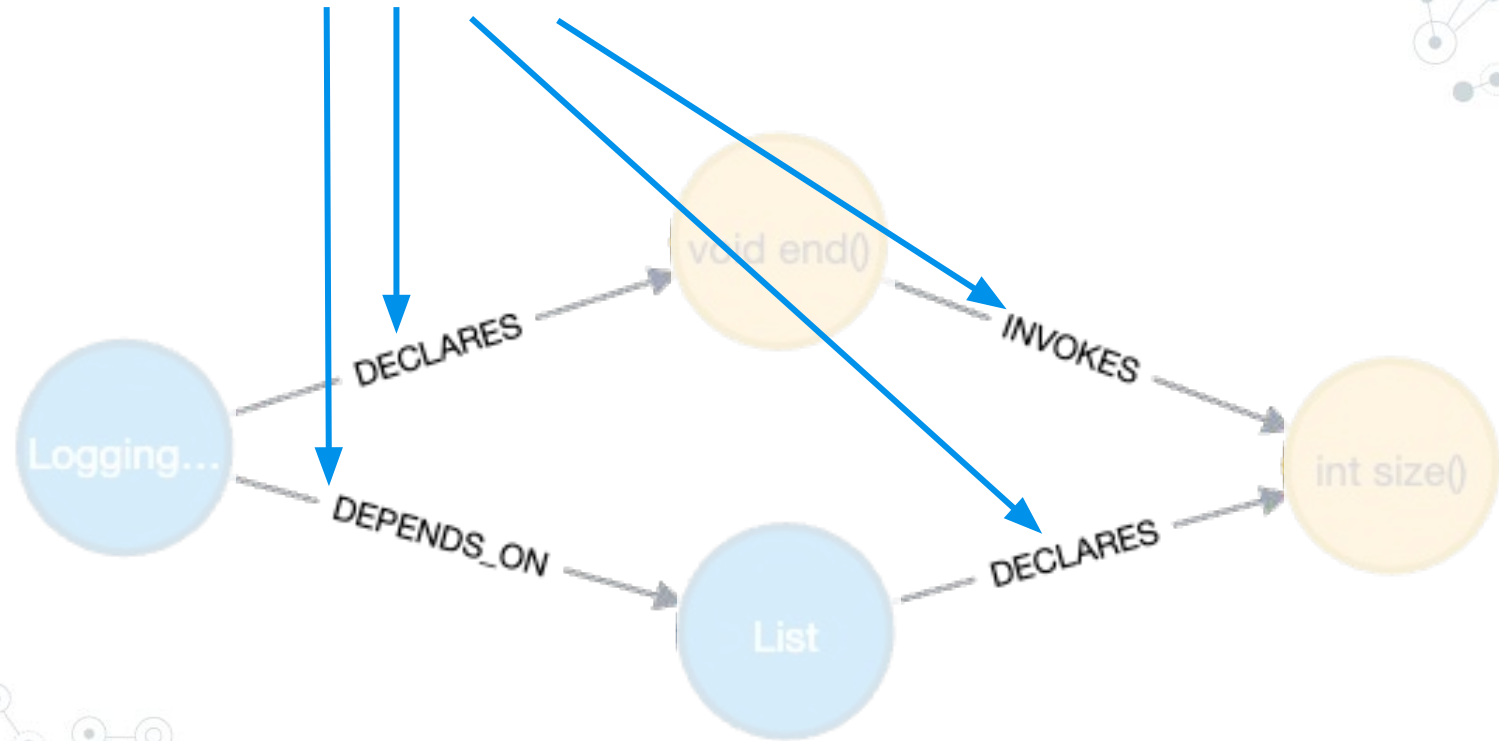
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Nodes (=Vertices, ~Entities)



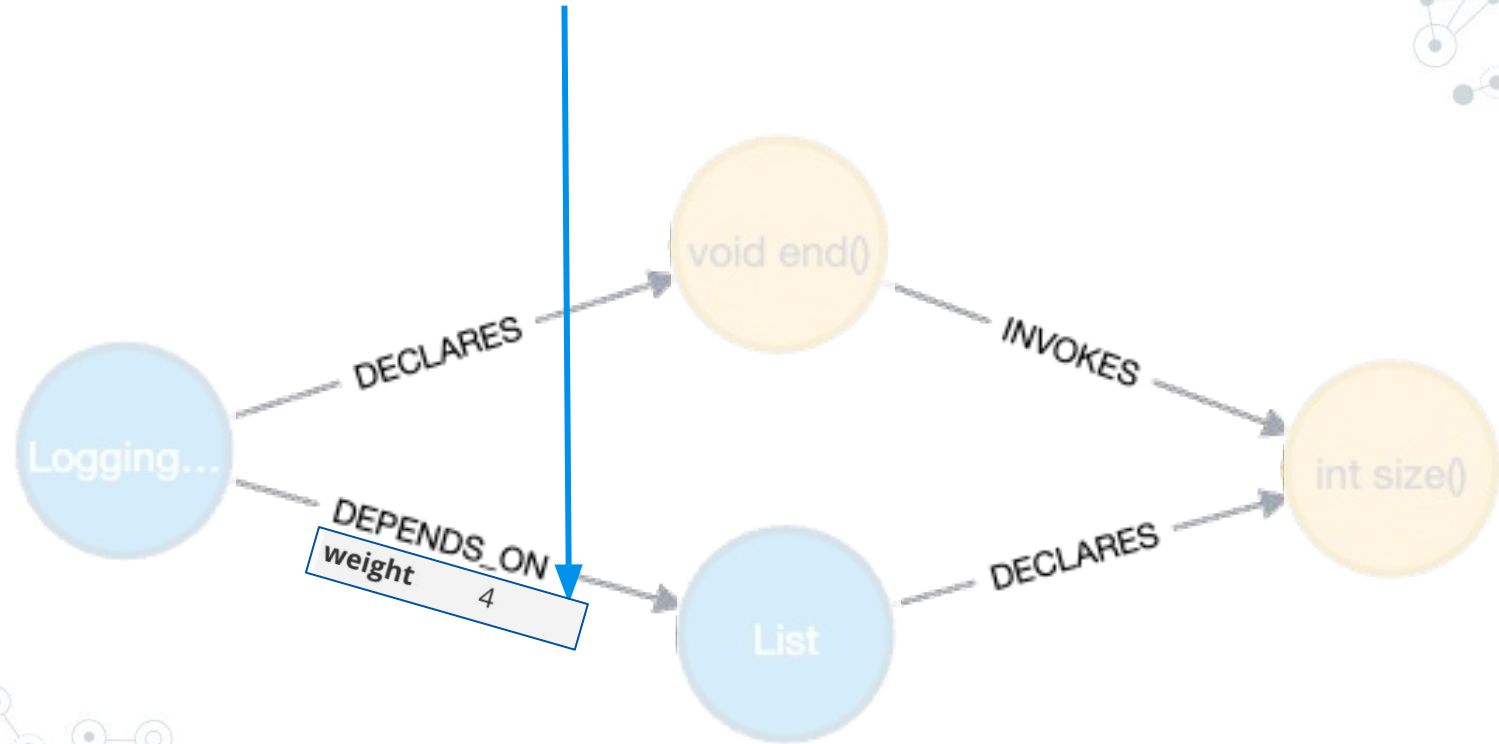
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Relationships (=Edges)



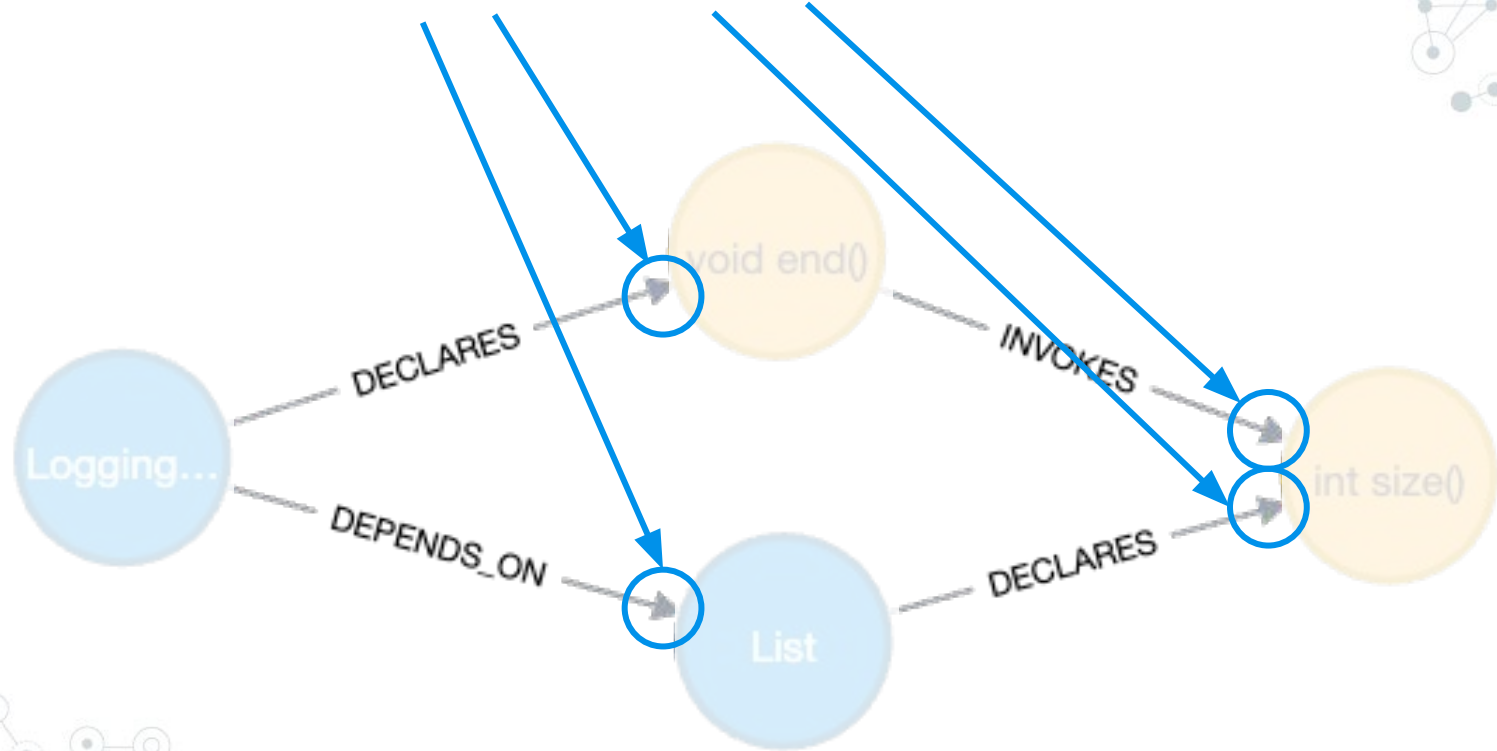
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Weights (weighted vs. unweighted)



Graph Elements

Direction (directed vs. undirected)

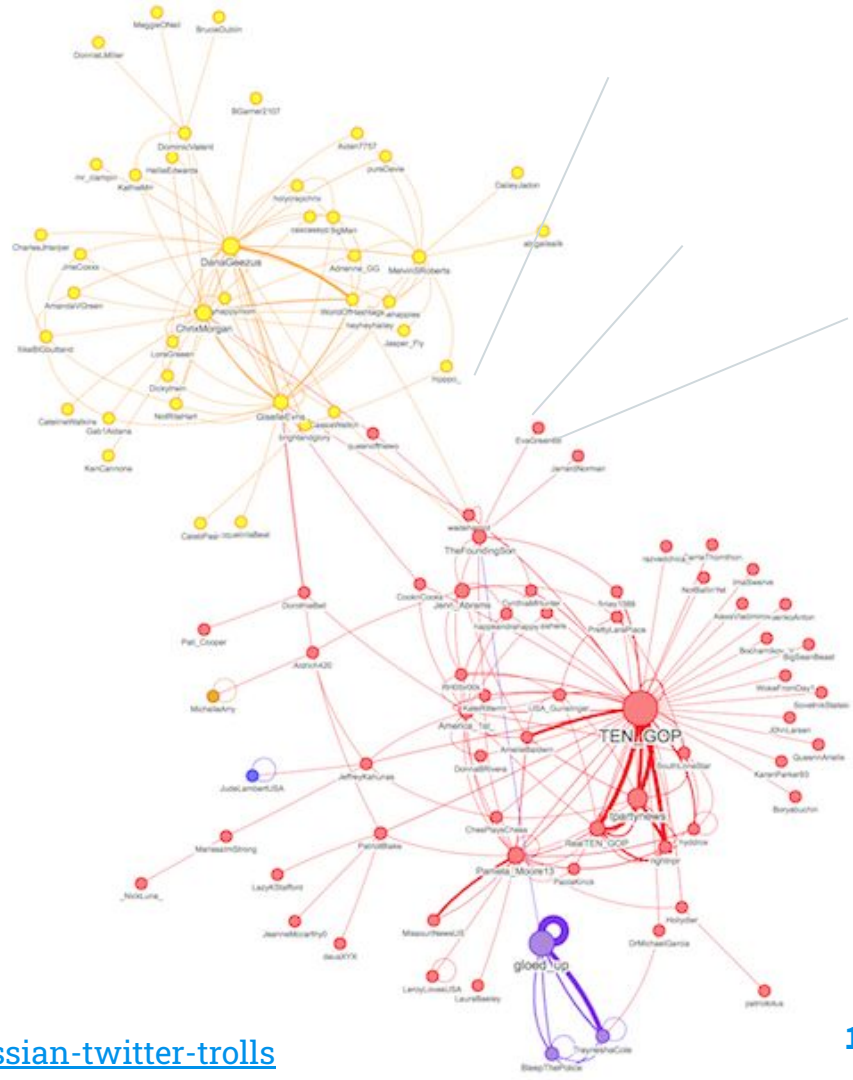


Graph Example

Russian Twitter (X) Trolls

“A community detection algorithm shows there are **three clear communities** in the Russian troll retweet network. **Node size** is proportional to the PageRank score for each node, **showing the importance** of the account in the network.”

Reference: <https://neo4j.com/blog/story-behind-russian-twitter-trolls>





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Disciplines

Analysis ➡ Algorithms ➡ Feature Engineering



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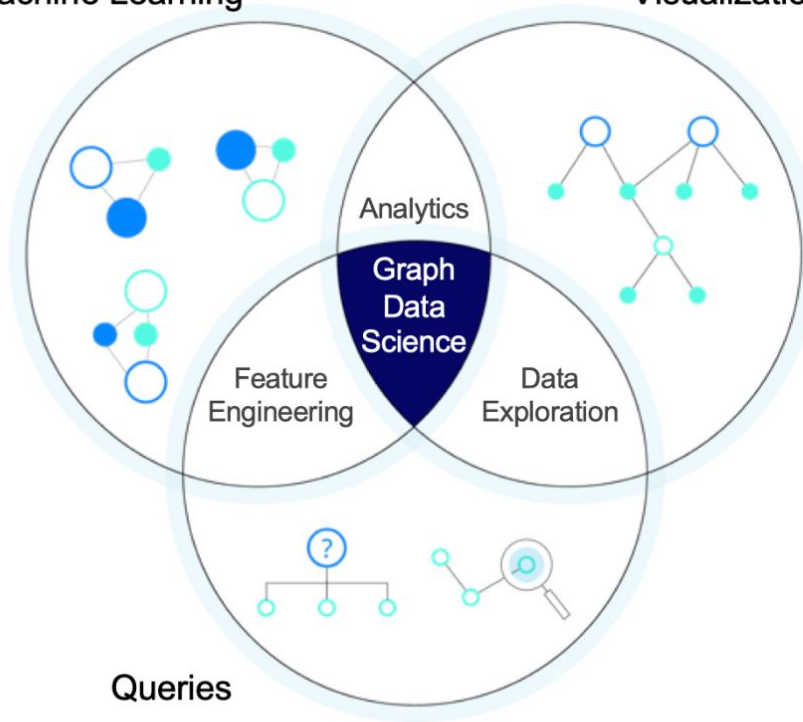
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Overview of Disciplines

Machine Learning

Visualization



- ◎ Query
- ◎ Analyze & Visualize
- ◎ Algorithms
- ◎ Node Embeddings
- ◎ Feature Engineering
- ◎ Machine Learning



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Graph Data Analysis

Dependencies & Metrics



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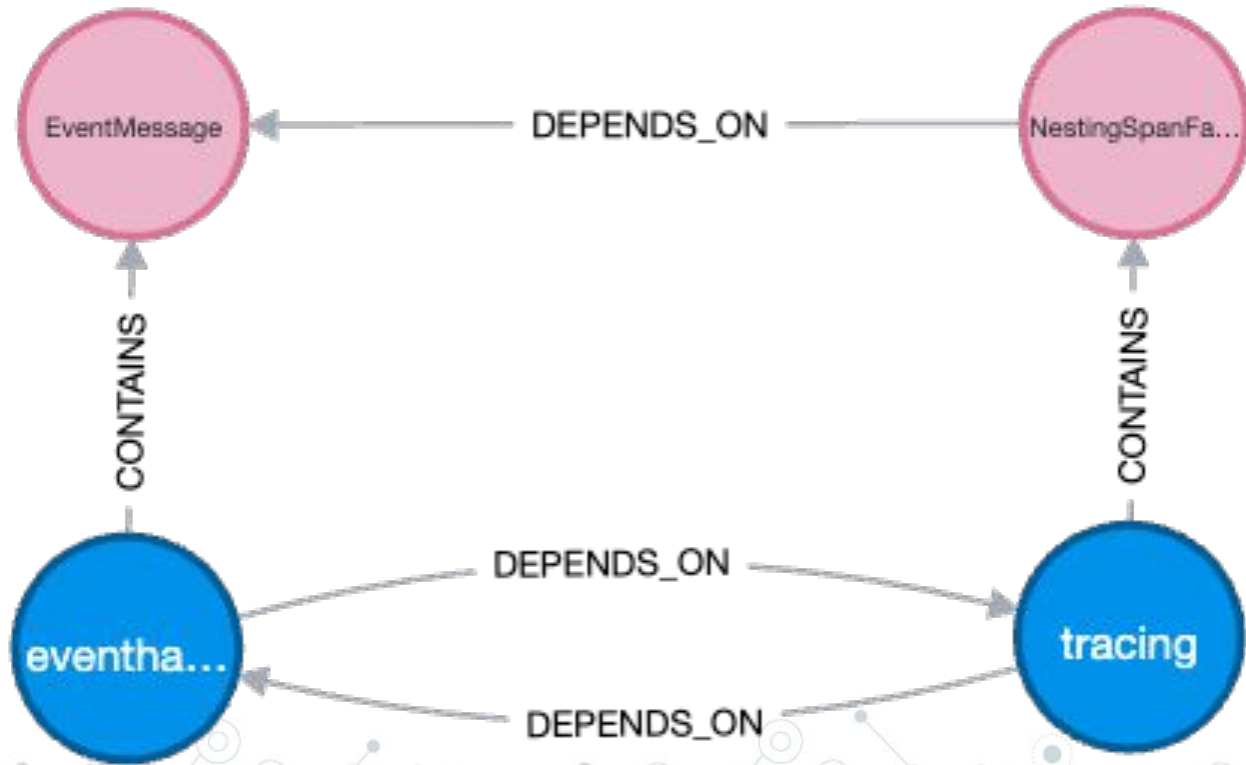


Query

Cyclic Dependencies

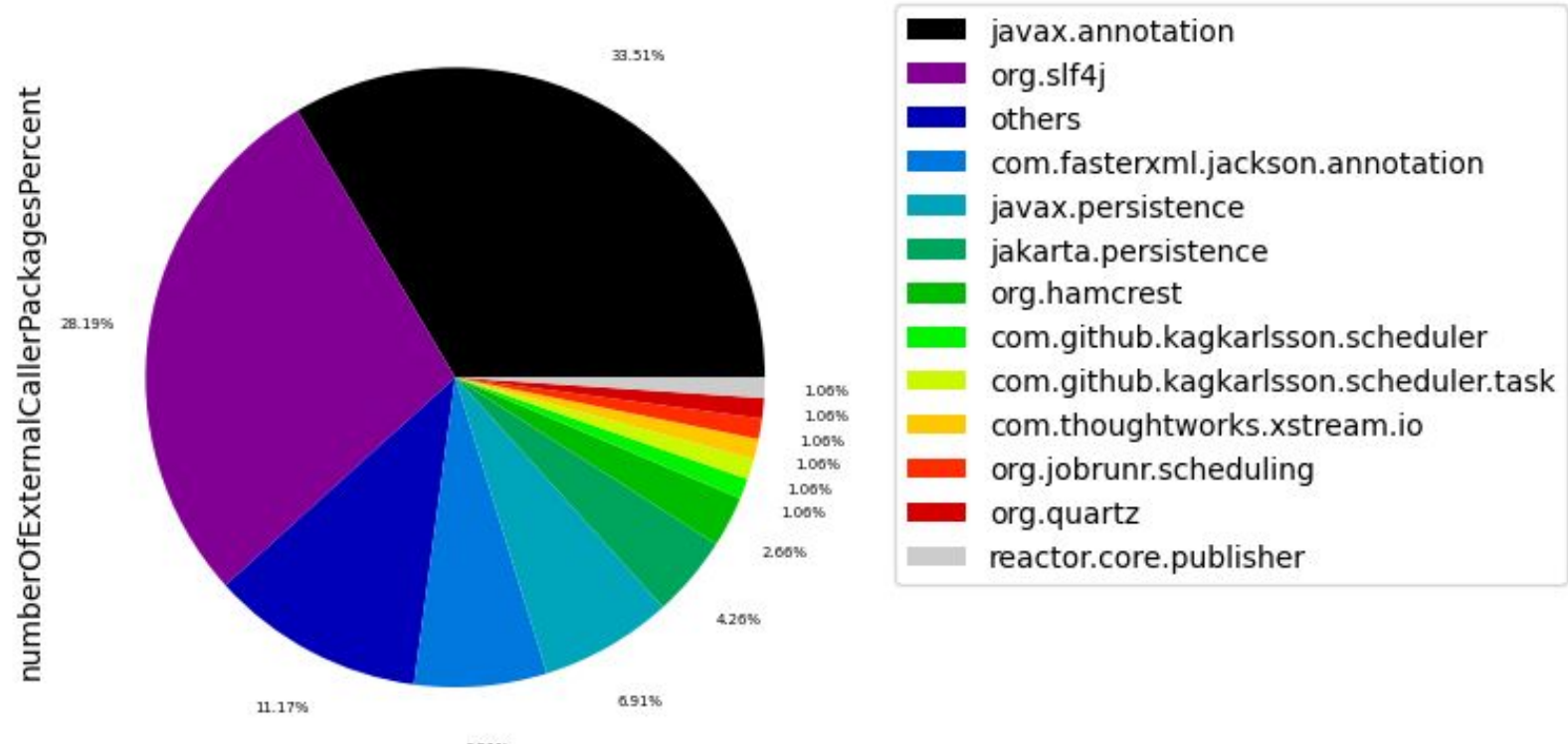
Artifact Name	Package Name	Dependent Packagen Name	Forward->Backward Balance	Number Forward	Number Backward
axon-messaging	eventhandling	tracing	0.9	19	1
axon-messaging	queryhandling	messaging.responsetypes	0.8823529411764706	16	1
axon-messaging	queryhandling	tracing	0.8571428571428571	15	1
axon-messaging	eventhandling	messaging	0.8536585365853658	39	3
axon-messaging	eventhandling	messaging.annotation	0.84	23	2
axon-messaging	deadline	tracing	0.8	9	1
axon-messaging	commandhandling	tracing	0.7777777777777778	8	1

Analyze Cyclic Dependencies



Visualize External Dependencies Usage

Top external package usage [%] by package



Visualize

Object Oriented Design Metrics by Robert C.Martin

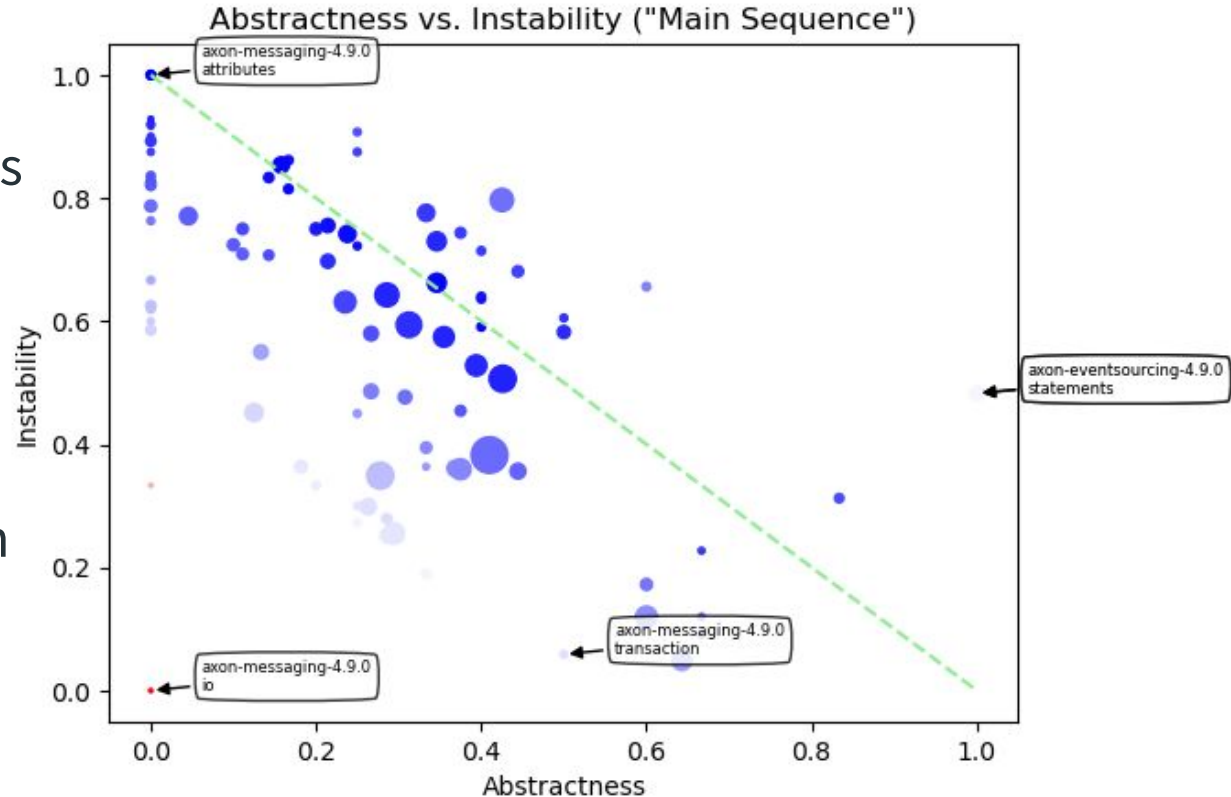
High distance from the green line means



Hard to change (bottom left)



High abstraction (top right)





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Graph Data Science

Algorithms ➡ Feature Engineering

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Graphs Algorithm Categories



Pathfinding & Search

- Shortest Path
- Single-Source Shortest Path
- All Pairs Shortest Path
- A* Shortest Path
- Yen's K Shortest Path
- Minimum Weight Spanning Tree
- K-Spanning Tree (MST)
- Random Walk
- Breadth & Depth First Search



Centrality & Importance

- Degree Centrality
- Closeness Centrality
- Harmonic Centrality
- Betweenness Centrality & Approx.
- PageRank
- Personalized PageRank
- ArticleRank
- Eigenvector Centrality
- Hyperlink Induced Topic Search (HITS)
- Influence Maximization (Greedy, CELF)



Community Detection

- Triangle Count
- Local Clustering Coefficient
- Connected Components (Union Find)
- Strongly Connected Components
- Label Propagation
- Louvain Modularity
- K-1 Coloring
- Modularity Optimization
- Speaker Listener Label Propagation



Supervised Machine Learning

- Node Classification
- Link Prediction



Heuristic Link Prediction

- Adamic Adar
- Common Neighbors
- Preferential Attachment
- Resource Allocations
- Same Community
- Total Neighbors



Similarity

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- Approximate Nearest Neighbors (ANN)



Graph Embeddings

- Node2Vec
- FastRP
- FastRPEExtended
- GraphSAGE



... and more!

- Synthetic Graph Generation
- Scale Properties
- Collapse Paths
- One Hot Encoding
- Split Relationships
- Graph Export
- Pregel API (write your own algos)

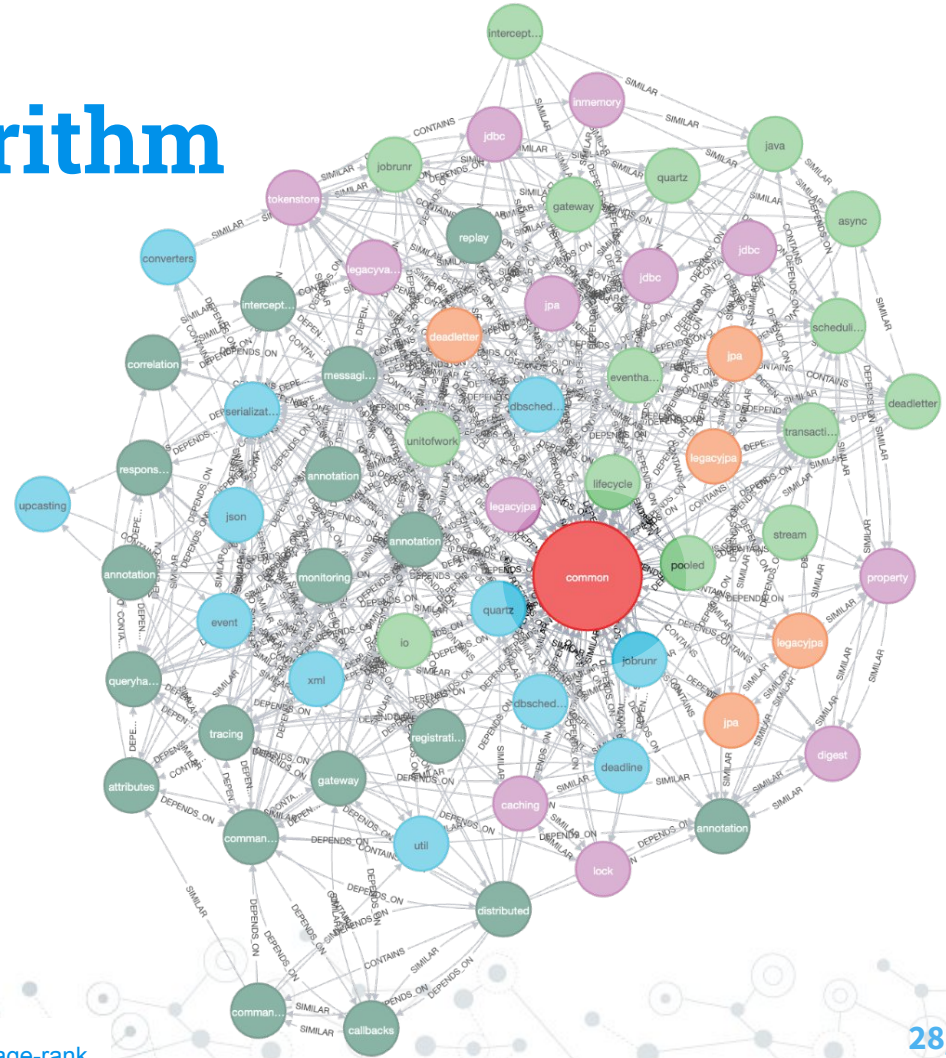
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Centrality

Page Rank Algorithm

- Importance
- Based on incoming relationships and the importance of the source nodes



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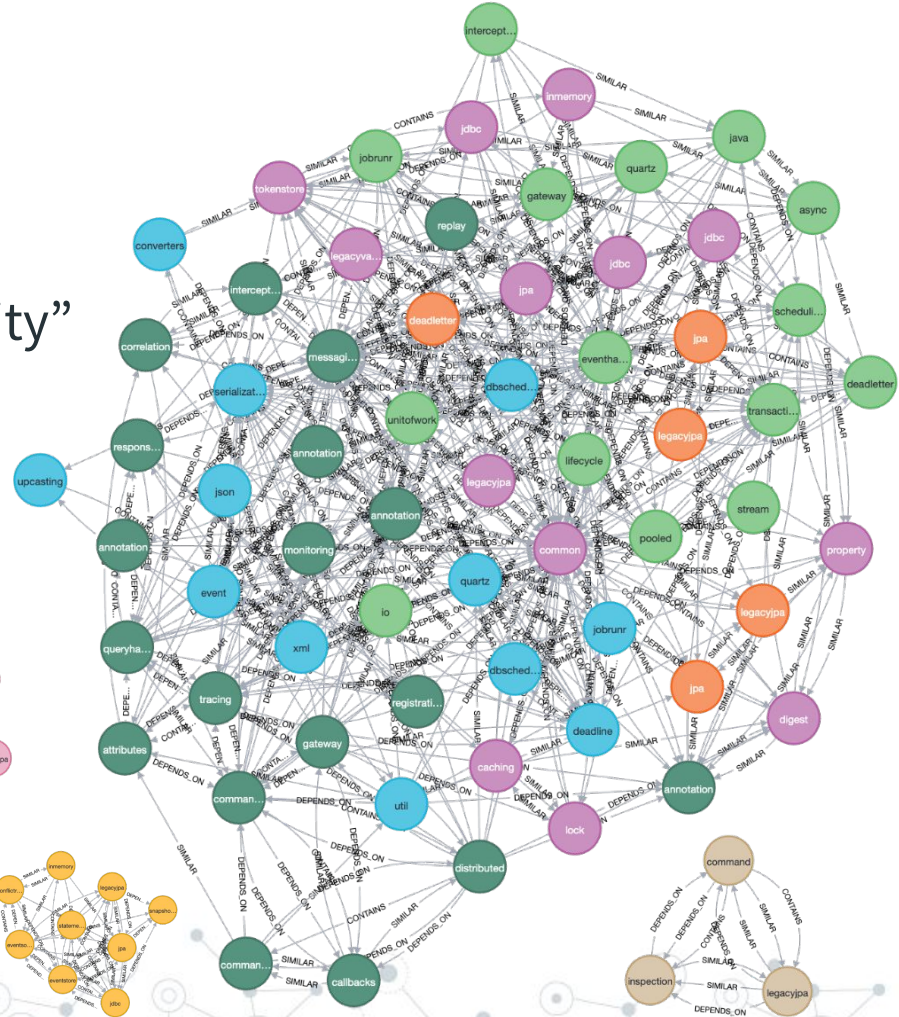
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Community Detection

Leiden Algorithm

- Group by optimizing “Modularity”
- Densely connected inside



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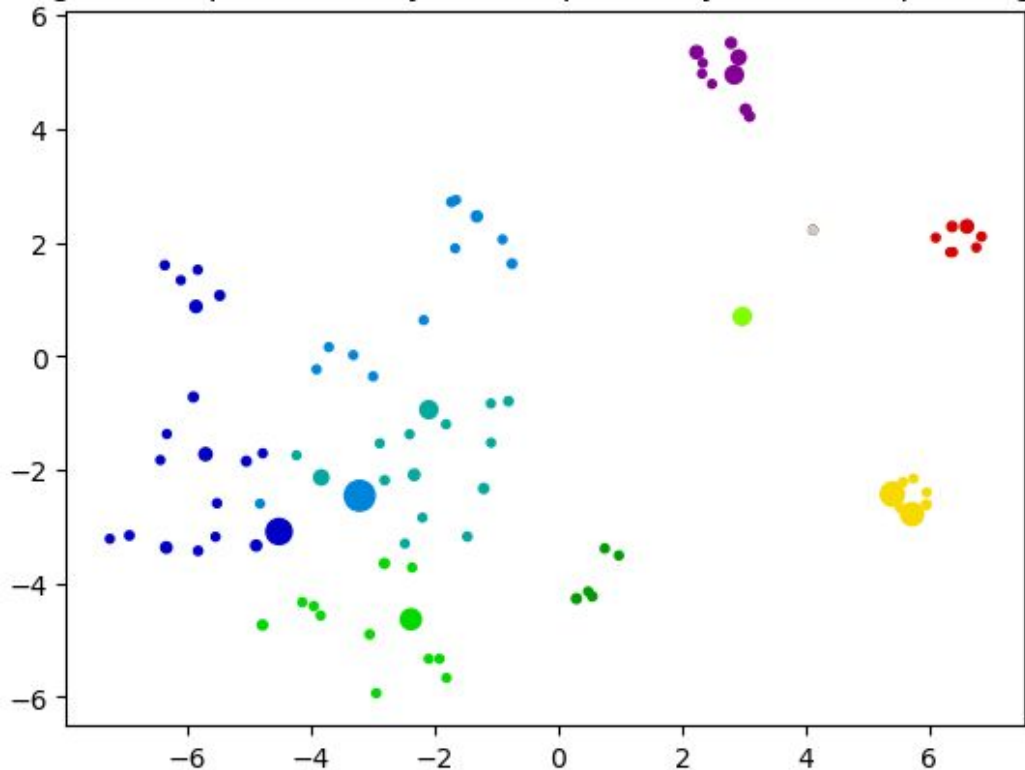


Node Embeddings

Fast Random Projection + t-SNE

Dimensionality reduction while preserving most of the distance information

Package nodes positioned by their dependency relationships using t-SNE



References:

<https://neo4j.com/docs/graph-data-science/current/machine-learning/node-embeddings/fastrp>

<https://github.com/JohT/code-graph-analysis-pipeline/blob/main/results/AxonFramework-4.9.0/node-embeddings/NodeEmbeddings.md>



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jQAssistant and Neo4j inside a Pipeline



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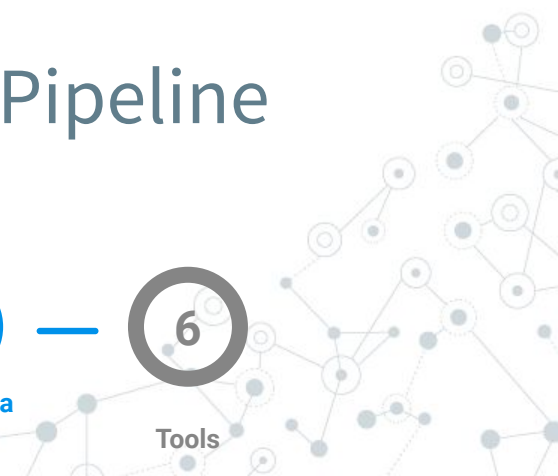
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Code Graph Analysis Pipeline



Code Graph Analysis Pipeline

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Prepare

Clone the Repository
Use Java 17
Set NEO4J_INITIAL_PASSWORD

2

Copy

Copy the artifacts to analyze

```
CODE-GRAPH-ANALYSIS-PIPELINE
├── temp
│   └── AxonFramework-4.9.0
│       └── artifacts
│           ├── axon-configuration-4.9.0.jar
│           ├── axon-disruptor-4.9.0.jar
│           ├── axon-eventsourcing-4.9.0.jar
│           ├── axon-messaging-4.9.0.jar
│           └── axon-modelling-4.9.0.jar
```

3

Run

```
../../../../scripts/analysis/  
analyze.sh --report Csv
```

4

Explore

Explore the results

```
temp
├── AxonFramework-4.9.0
│   ├── artifacts
│   ├── data
│   └── reports
│       ├── artifact-dependencies
│       ├── artifact-dependencies-csv
│       ├── centrality-csv
│       └── community-csv
```

Summary



- ◎ Story
- ◎ Introduction to Graphs
- ◎ Query
- ◎ Analysis
- ◎ Algorithms
- ◎ Preparation for Machine Learning

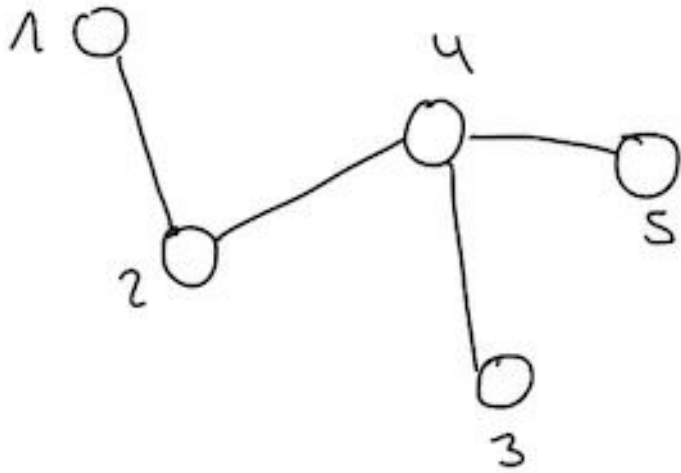
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project on GitHub**

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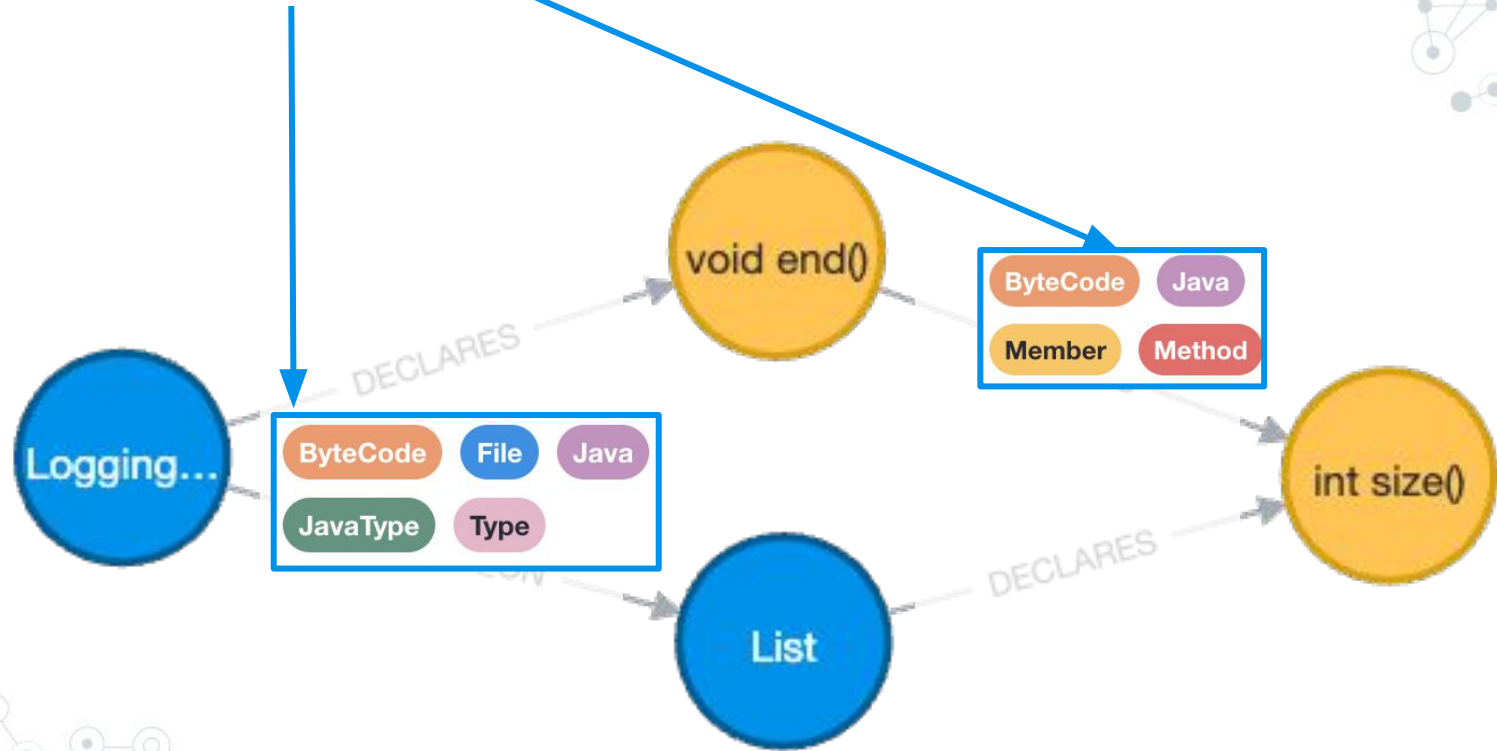
Adjacency Matrix



	1	2	3	4	5
1	0	1	0	0	0
2	1	0	0	1	0
3	0	0	0	1	0
4	1	0	1	0	1
5	0	0	0	1	0

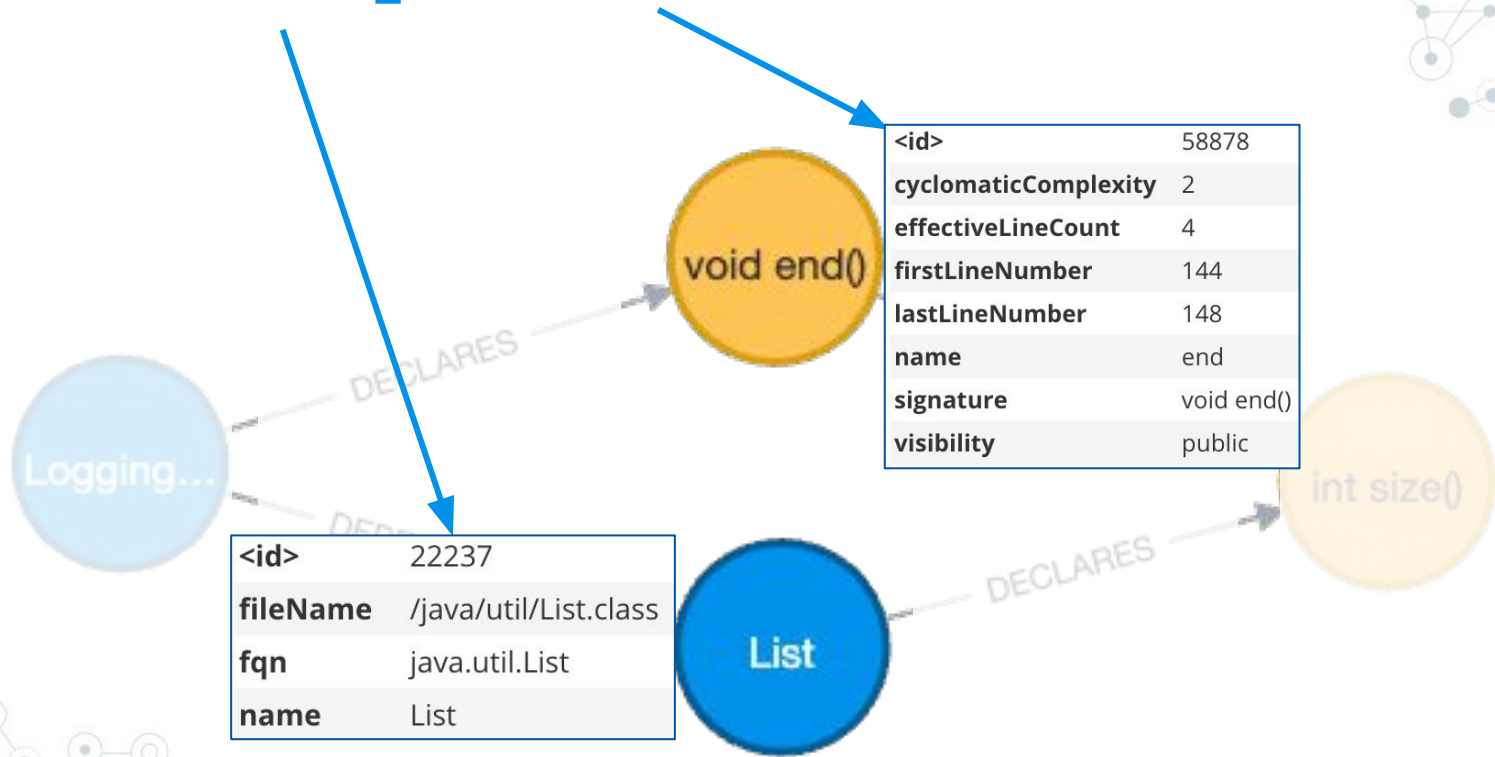
$N^2 \rightarrow$ doesn't scale \rightarrow gets to large

Node Labels

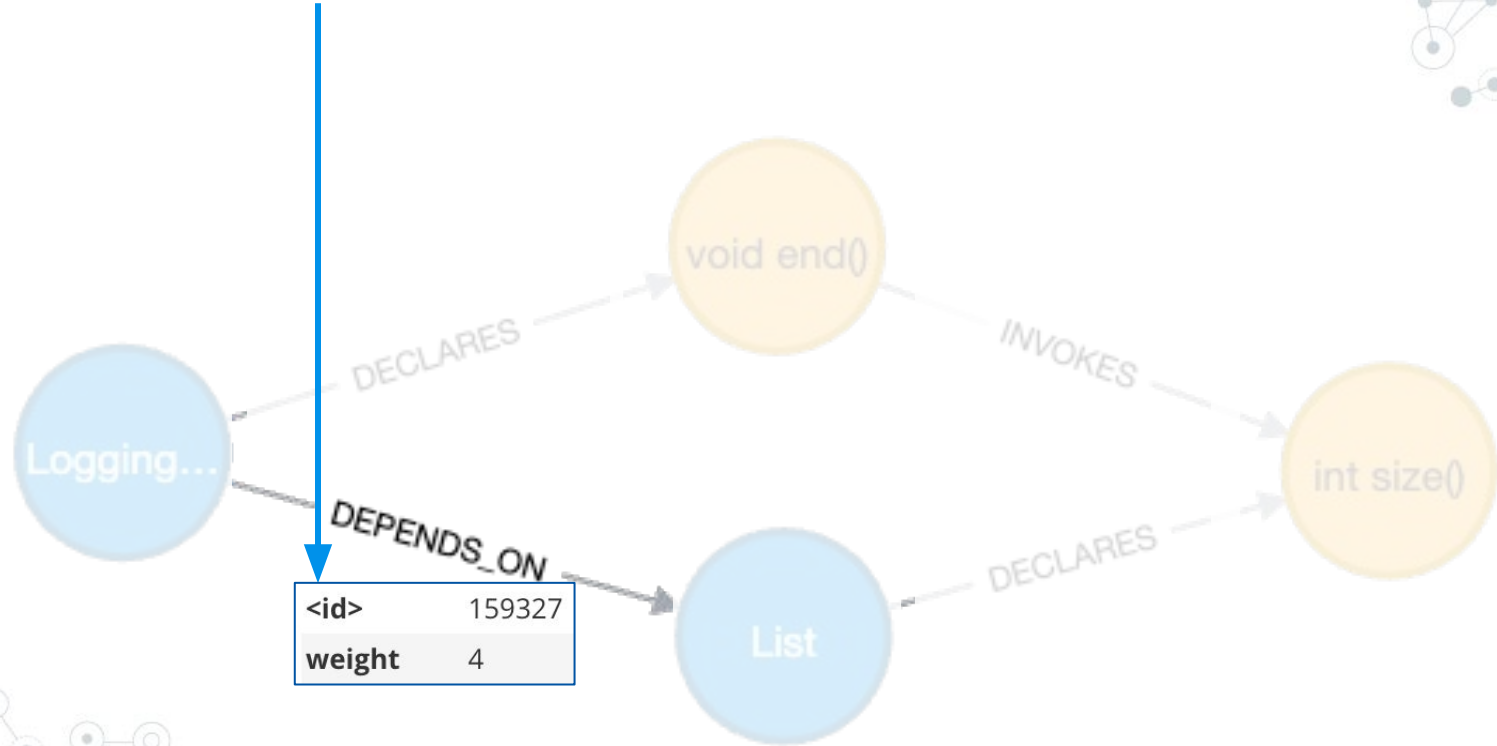


Graph Database Elements

Node Properties



Relationship Properties

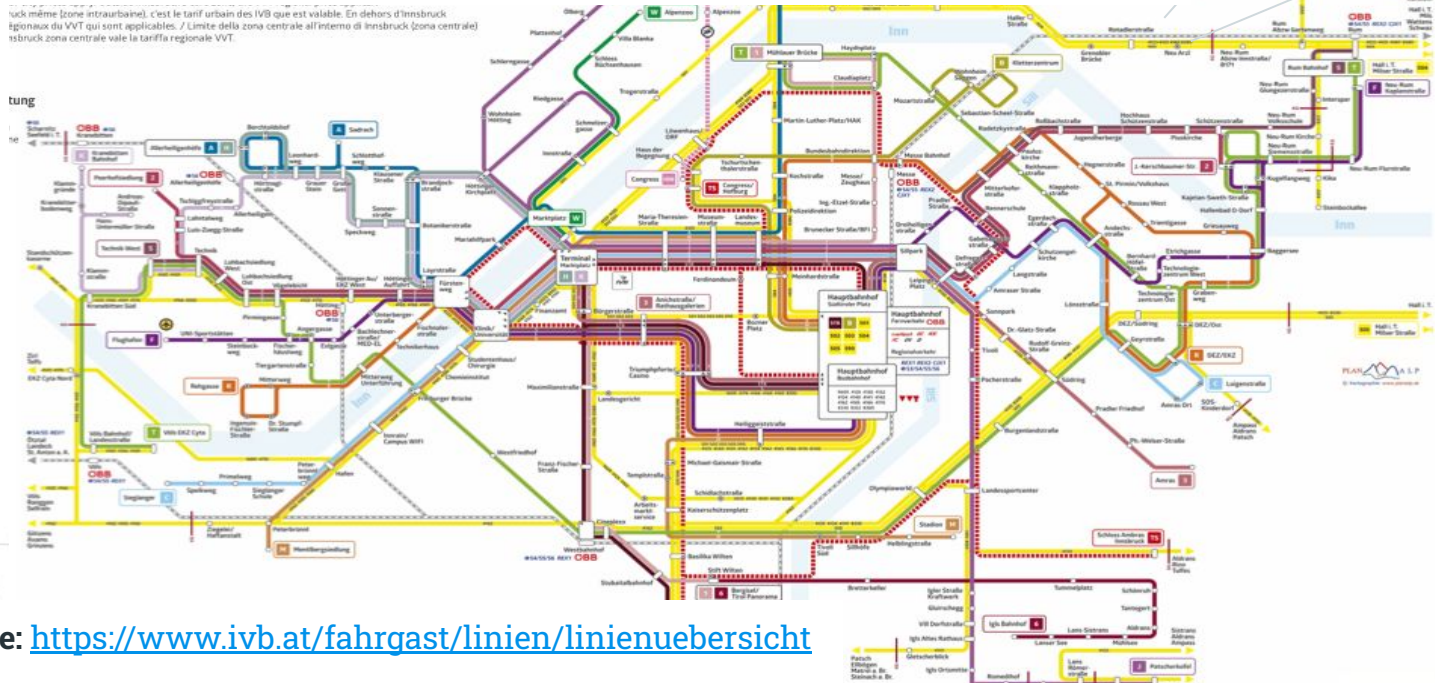


Graph Examples

Transportation Network Map

auk même (zone intraurbaine), c'est le tarif urbain des IVB qui est valable. En dehors d'Innsbruck
éponaux du VVT qui sont applicables. / Limite della zona centrale all'interno di Innsbruck (zona centrale)
Innsbruck zona centrale vale la tariffa regionale VVT.

tung



Reference: <https://www.ivb.at/fahrgast/linien/linienuebersicht>