

Insights from Knowledge Graphs : Introducing a new formalism

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Abstract

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1. Insights
What are insights?

2. Commonly used methods to gain insights
Reasoning, Smart Queries ...

3. Knowledge Graphs to Knowledge Networks: Formalism
Formalism to convert KGs to Unipartite Knowledge Networks
A knowledge graph is represented by a set of triples, with each triple of subjects, predicates, and/or objects.
 $KG = \{S, P, O\}$
A unipartite network (N_{KG}) consists of set of nodes (V) and edges (E)
 $N_{KG} = \{V, E\}$
For a Knowledge Graph $KG = \{S, P, O\}$
 SP, OP, OS
 $N_{KG} = (V, E_{SP}, E_{OP}, E_{OS})$
 $N_{KG} = N_{SP} + N_{OP} + N_{OS}$
Future Work
Explore and create formalisms for knowledge graphs

4. Insights from Knowledge Networks: Visual Analytics
What is seen vs What is encoded

Visual	Encoded
Nodes	Presence of individual identifier
Edges	Directionality of edges in the network
Color/Shape/Size/Weight	Weight of the edges

5. Insights from Knowledge Networks: Network Science Approach
Network Metrics

Metric	Earth	Mars	Moon	Vesta
Density	0.04	0.27	0.00	0.70
Max Diameter	3	5	5	3
Network Diameter	3	5	5	3

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1. INSIGHTS

What are insights?



How to gain insights?

How do we gain insights?

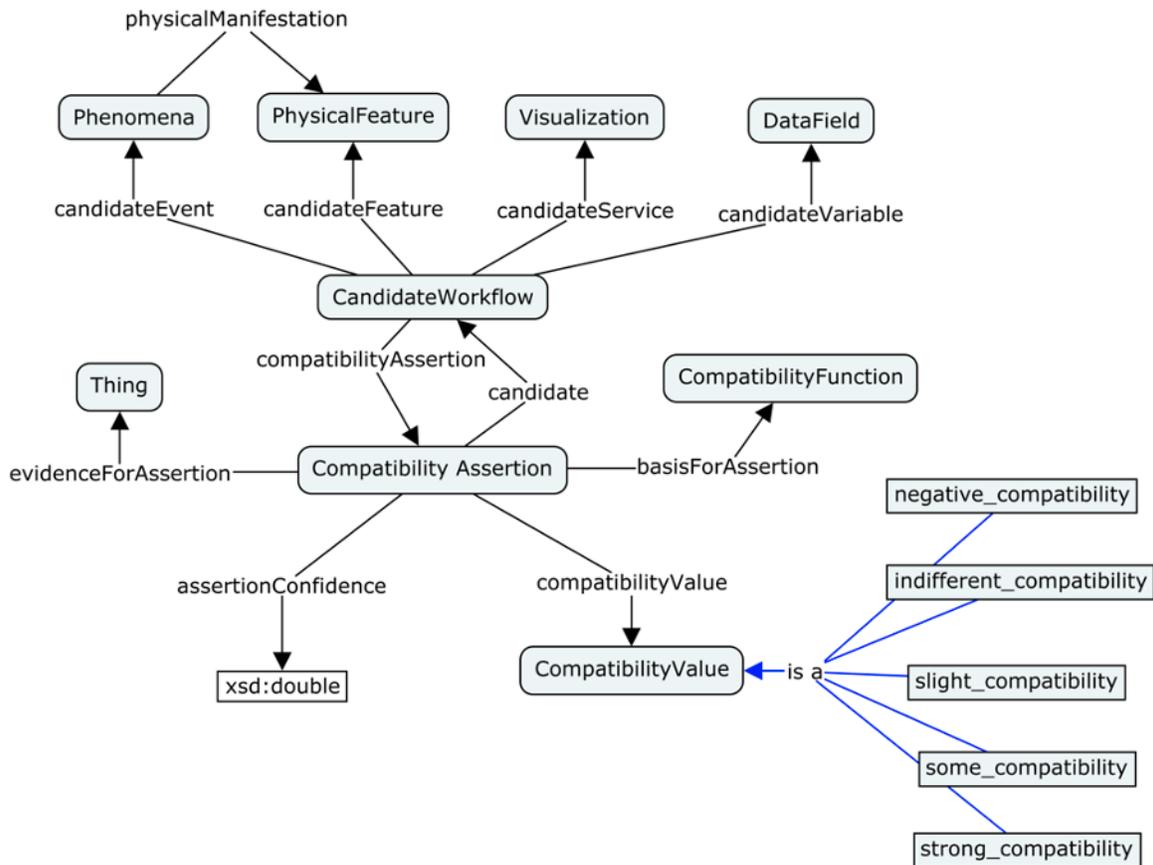
Reasoners

Visual Analytics

Network Science Approach

2. COMMONLY USED METHODS TO GAIN INSIGHTS

Reasoning, Smart Queries



Conceptual Map of Ontology

Rules Engine – Apache Jena Example

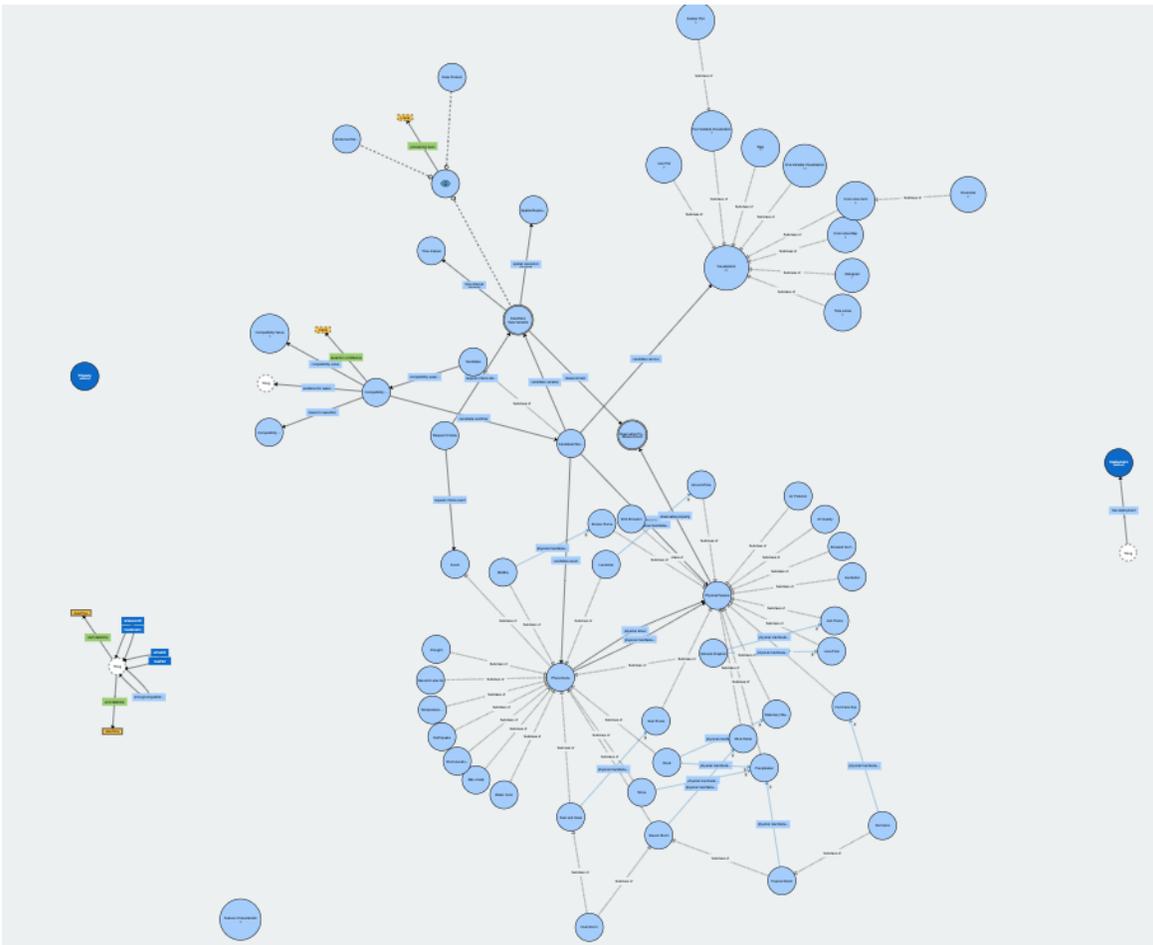
'Half hourly' time interval is best for Hurricanes and Tropical Storms.

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(?variable dd:timeInterval ?timeInterval),
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makeSkolem(?assertion, dd:Hurricane, ?timeInterval)
->
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(?assertion dd:basisForAssertion <urn:rule/time_interval/hurricane-half-hourly>)
]
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Antecedent :
Containing
information about
Phenomena and
Temporal
Resolution.

Subsequent :
Containing the
compatibility
assertion
information.

Example of rules used in Ontology



Ontology visualized using VOWL (<http://www.visualdataweb.de/webvowl/>) (<http://www.visualdataweb.de/webvowl/>)

3. KNOWLEDGE GRAPHS TO KNOWLEDGE NETWORKS : FORMALISM

Formalism to convert KGs to Unipartite Knowledge Networks

A knowledge graph is represented by a set of triples, which consist of subjects, predicates and objects.

$$KG = (S, P, O)$$

A unipartite network(N_u) consists of vertices(V) and edges(E)

$$N_u = (V, E)$$

For a Knowledge Graph $KG = (S_i, P_j, O_k)$

$$\exists! P,$$

$$\forall O_1^k,$$

$$N'_u = \left(V_i, E_{\frac{n(n-1)}{2}} \right),$$

$$N_u = N_u + N'_u$$

Future Work

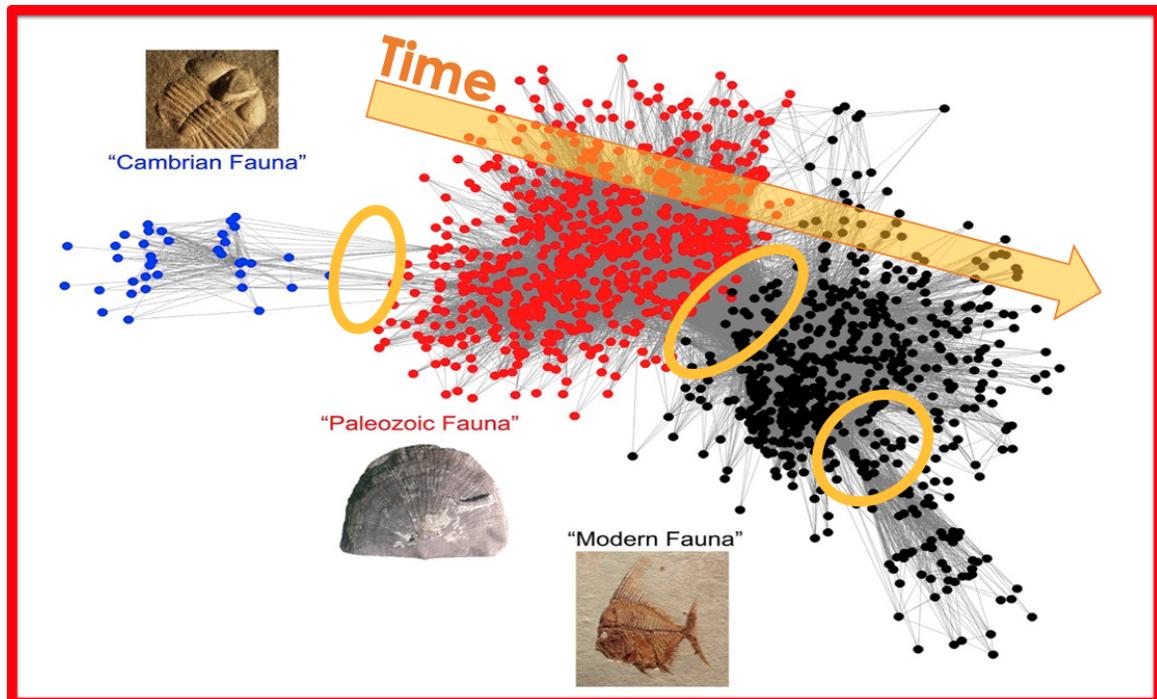
Explore and create formalisms for knowledge graphs to bipartite and other k-partite networks.

4. INSIGHTS FROM KNOWLEDGE NETWORKS: VISUAL ANALYTICS

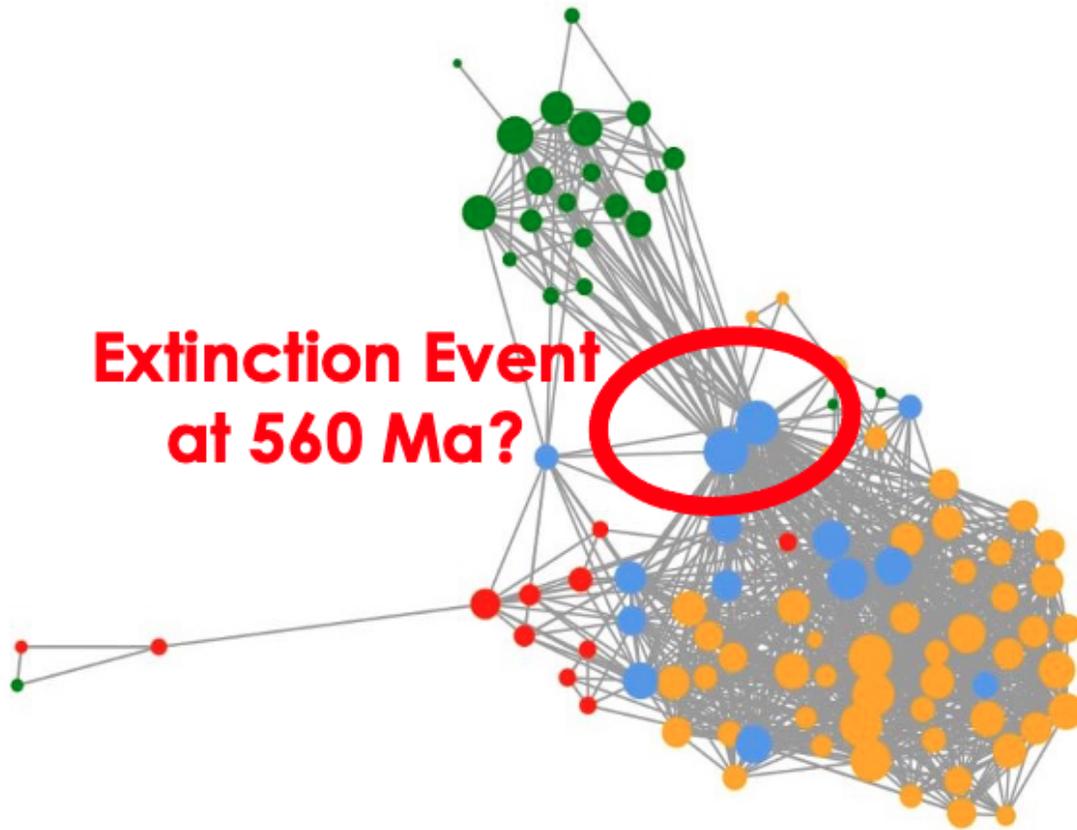
What is seen vs What is encoded

Encoded	Seen/Inferred/Calculated
Nodes	Patterns in the Network Geometry
Edges	Sub-Communities formed in the Network
Layout (Mostly Force Directed)	Important Hubs in the Network
Additional Parameters for Nodes (Optional)	Additional metrics that explain the complexity of the environment (<u>assortativity</u> , betweenness, centrality etc.)

In the visual layout



Animal Family Fossil Network (from 542 Ma - present)



Ediacaran Fossil Network (From 635 Ma to 541 Ma)

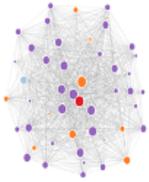
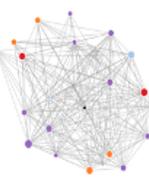
Evolving Networks

[VIDEO] <https://www.youtube.com/embed/x1P3FZhWALw?rel=0&fs=1&modestbranding=1&rel=0&showinfo=0>

Network of Copper Minerals evolving through time. (3.7 Ga to 2.4 Ga)

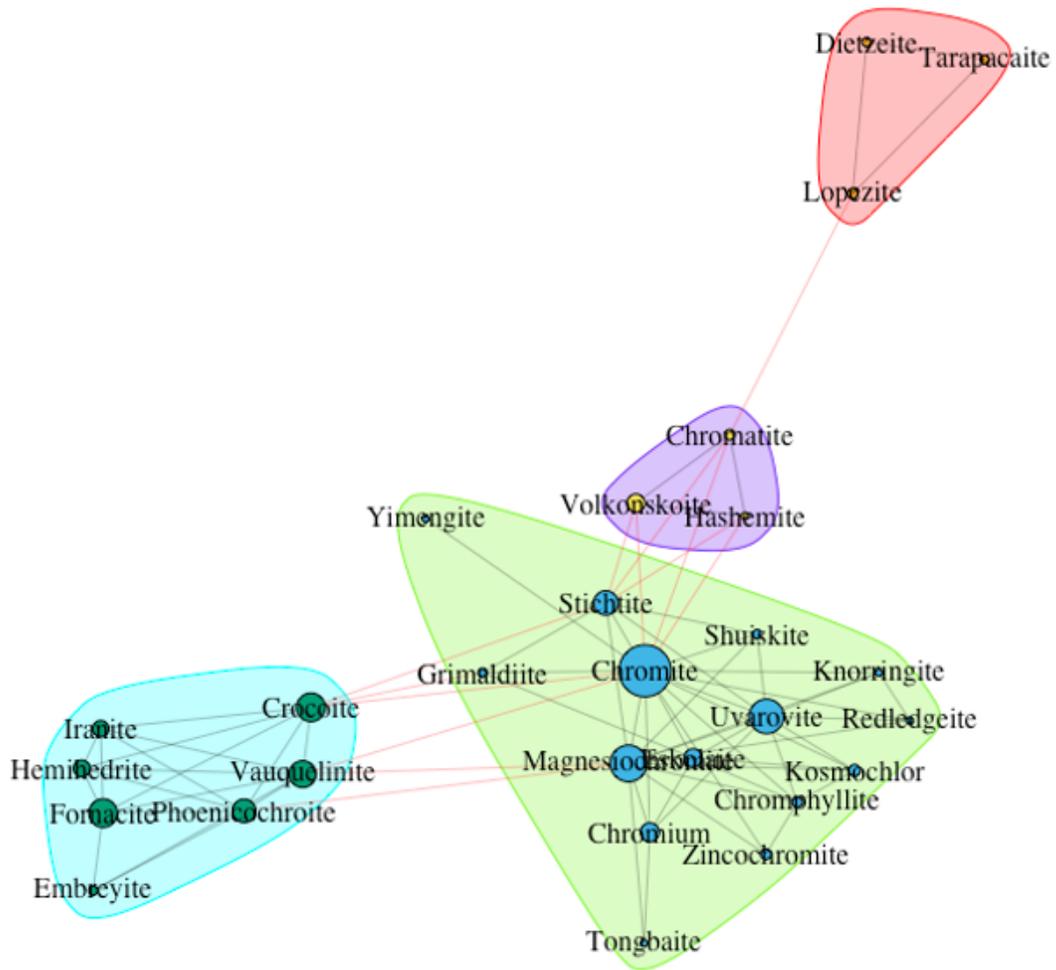
5. INSIGHTS FROM KNOWLEDGE NETWORKS: NETWORK SCIENCE APPROACH

Network Metrics

				
Metric	Earth	Mars	Moon	Vesta
Density	0.64	0.27	0.69	0.78
Maximum Network Diameter	2	3	3	2
Mean Network Diameter	1.36	1.69	1.26	1.22
Degree Central.	0.34	0.62	0.23	0.22
<u>Betweenness</u> Centralization	0.02	0.09	0.03	0.02

Comparing Global Metrics in mineral networks of planetary bodies

Community Detection Algorithms



Walktrap algorithm applied to Chromium Mineral Network.

- Groups correspond to Paragenetic Mode.
- Paragenetic Mode : Formation Conditions.
- How and when the Minerals were formed.

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