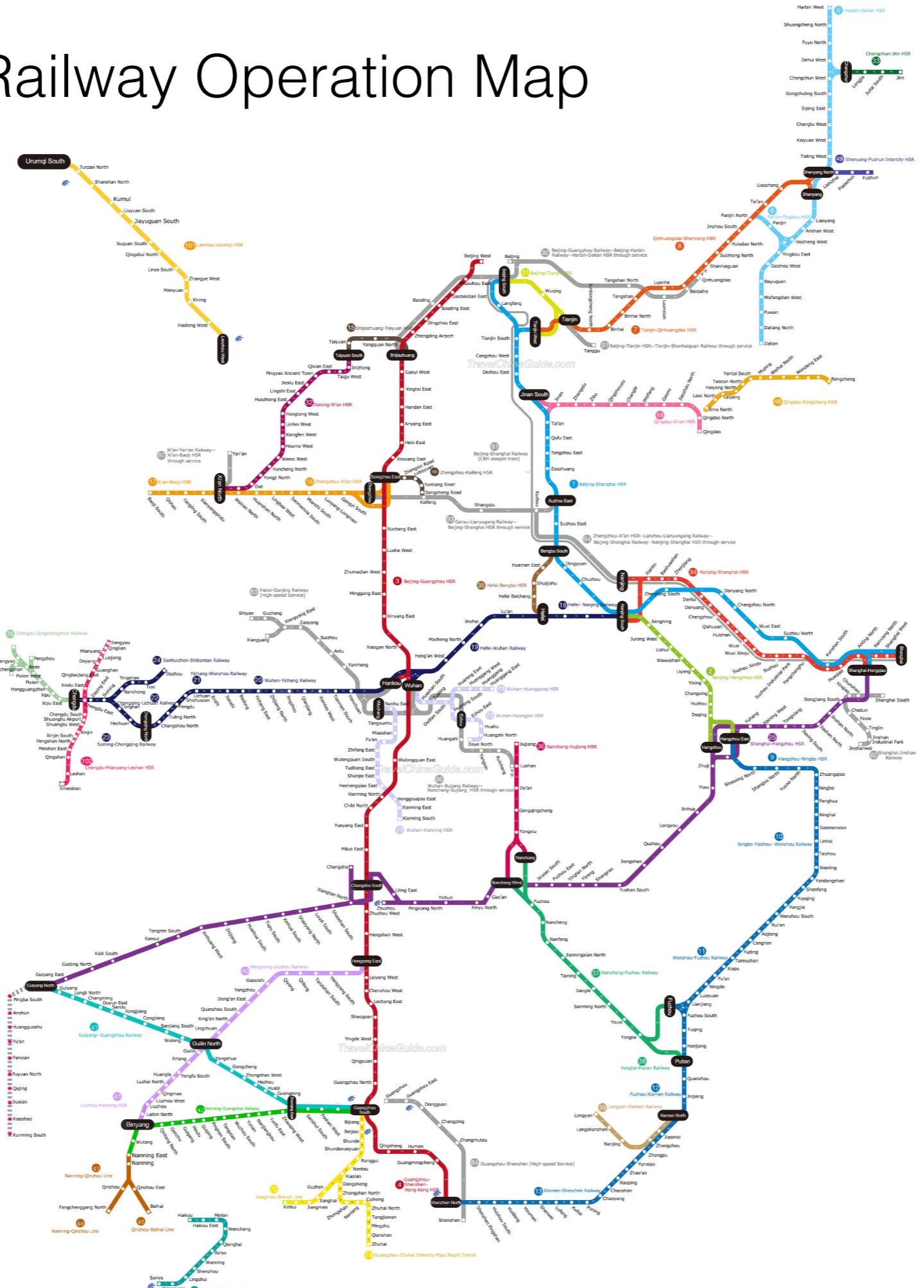


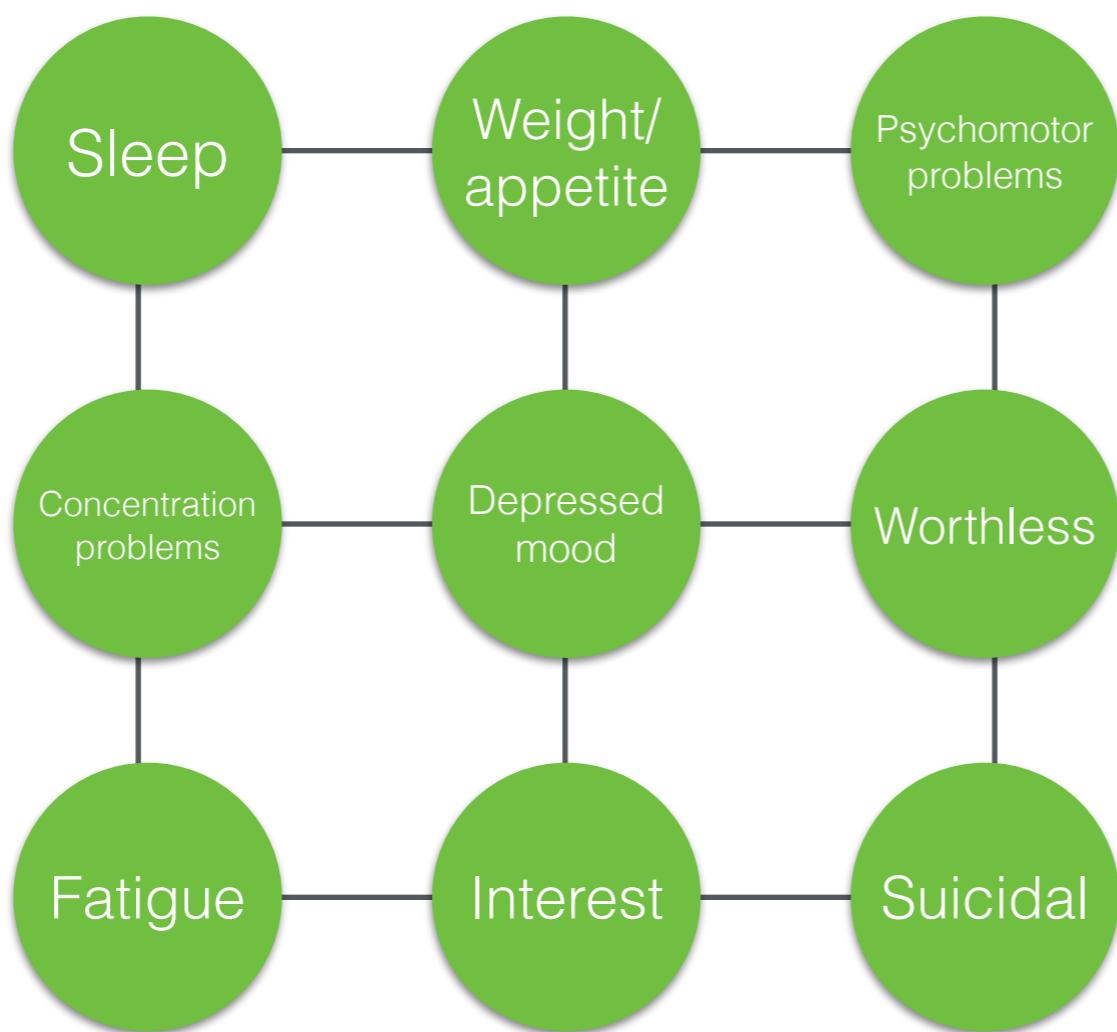
Constructing networks from binary data

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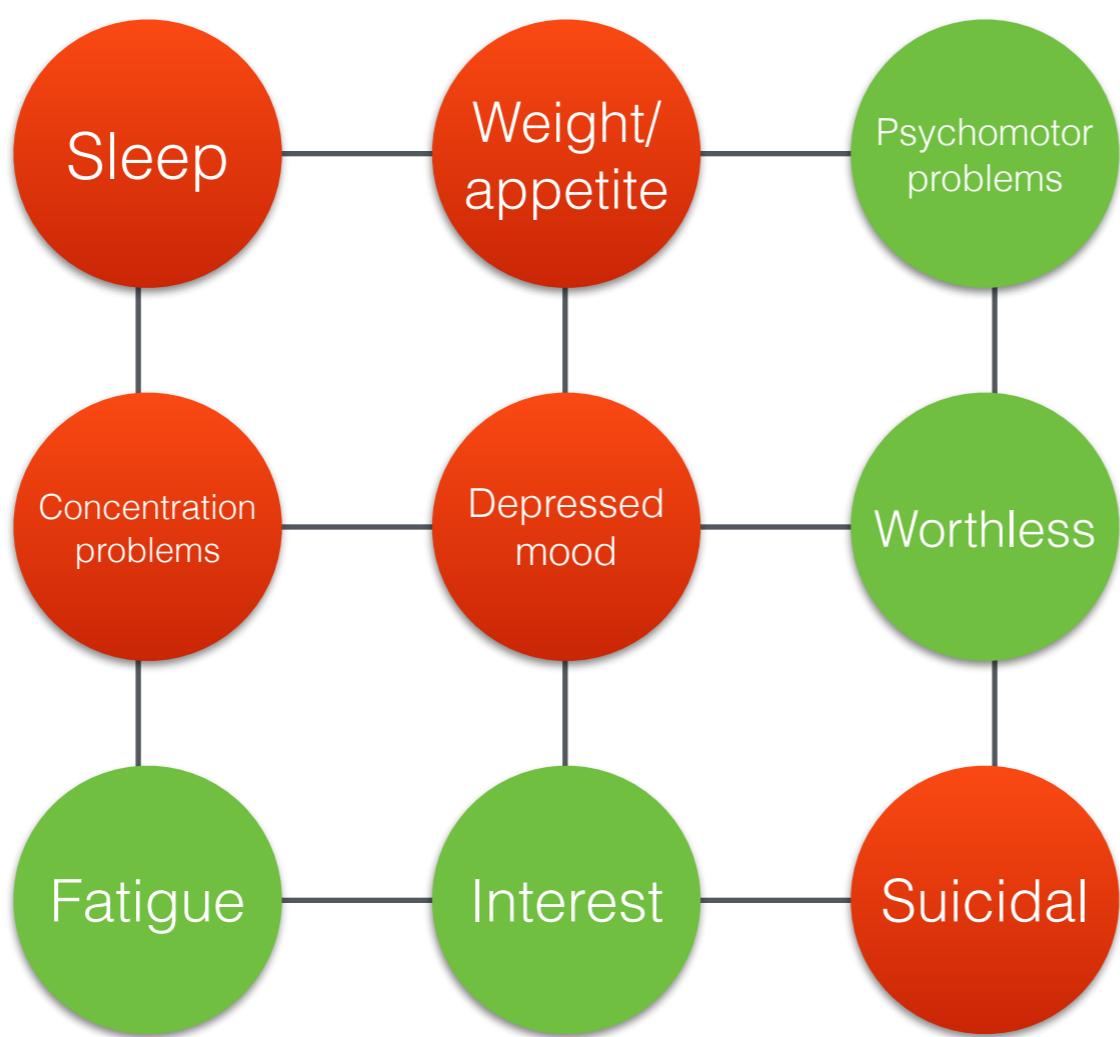
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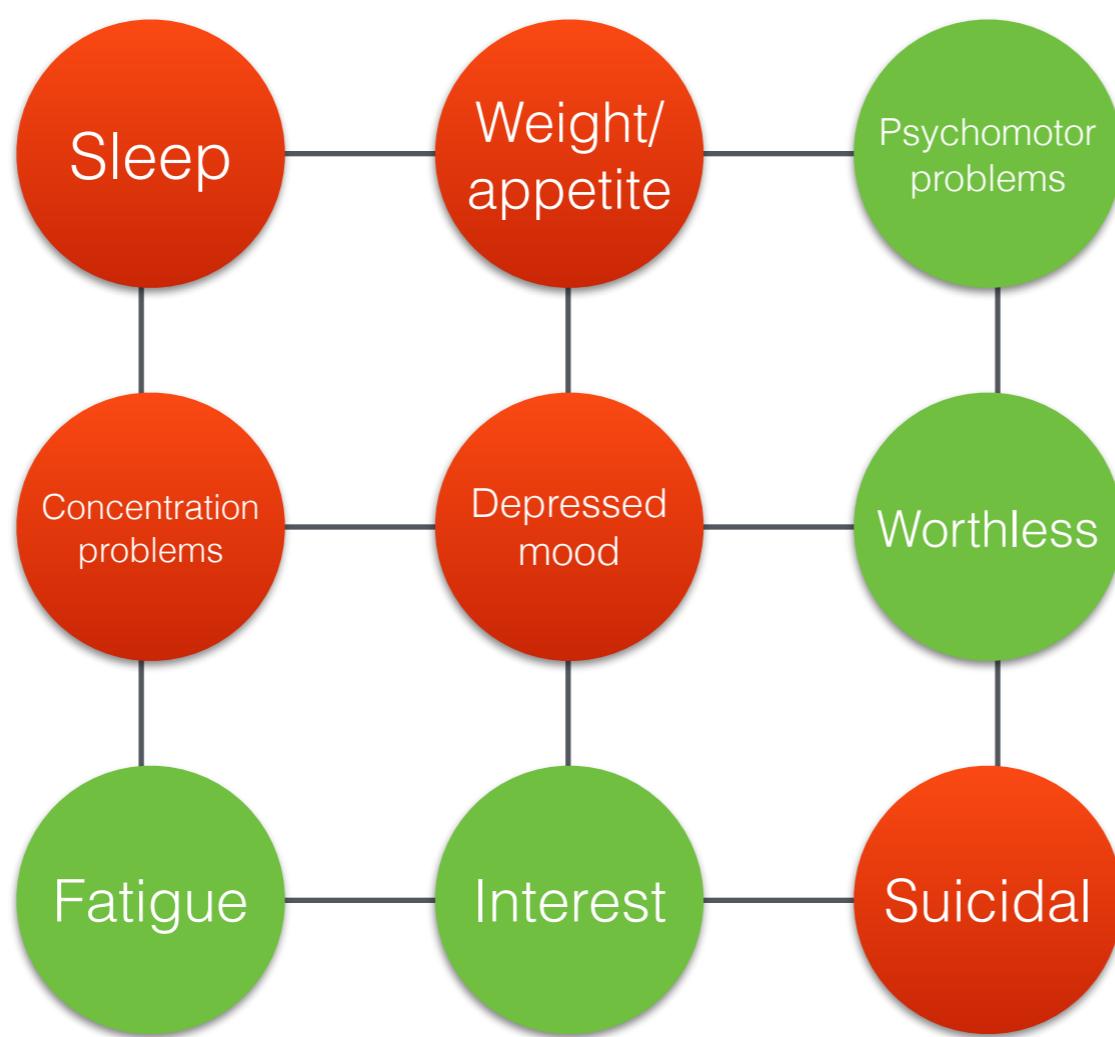
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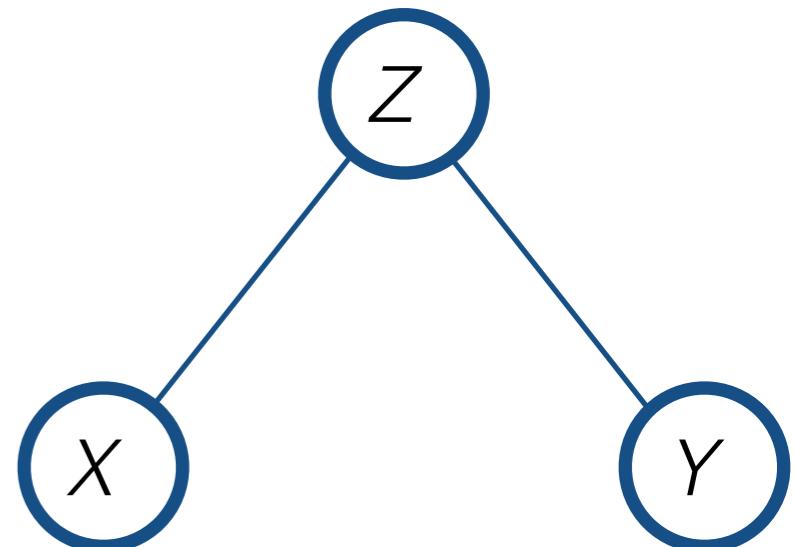
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Gaussian data

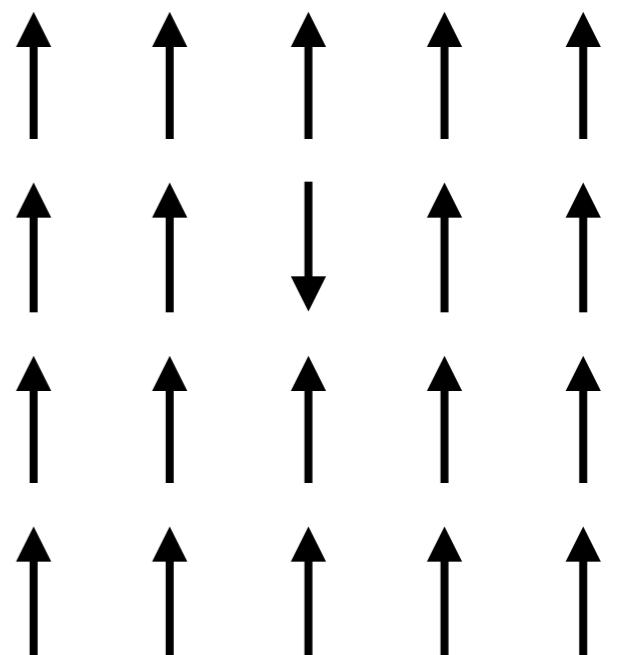
Inverse covariance matrix

- representation of a Markov Random Field (undirected network)
- Zero entry: conditional independence between two variables (given all other variables)
- $X \perp\!\!\!\perp Y | Z$: X and Y are not connected



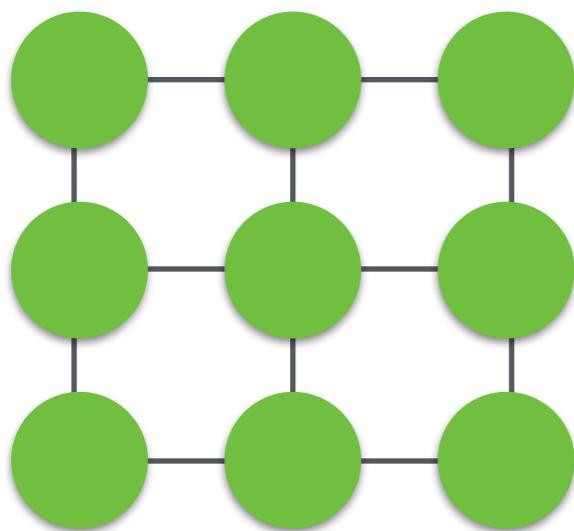
Binary data

- Discrete MRF are intractable
- We propose a computationally efficient method for binary data:
 - Ising model
 - ℓ_1 -regularized logistic regression



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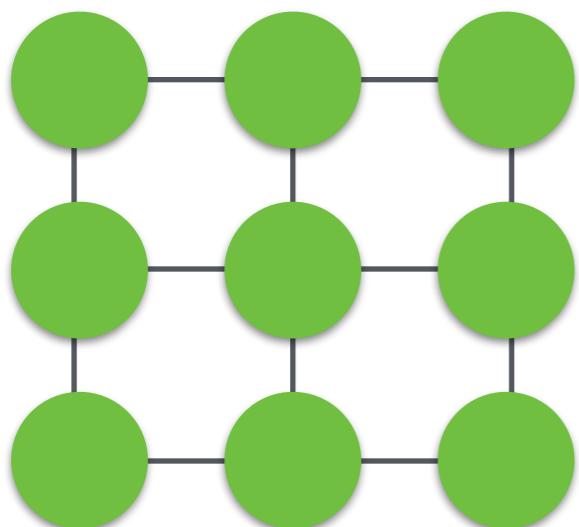


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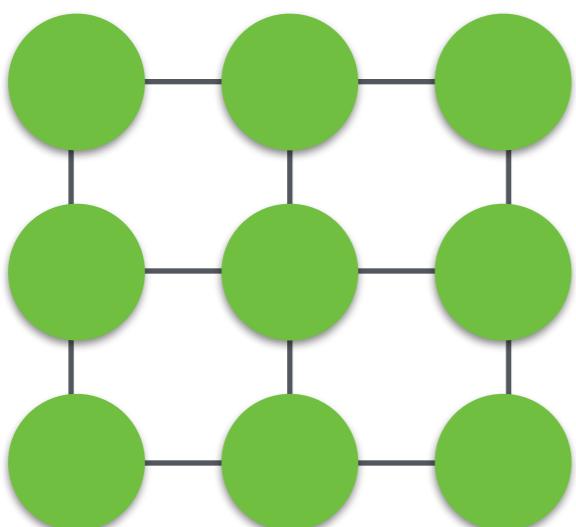


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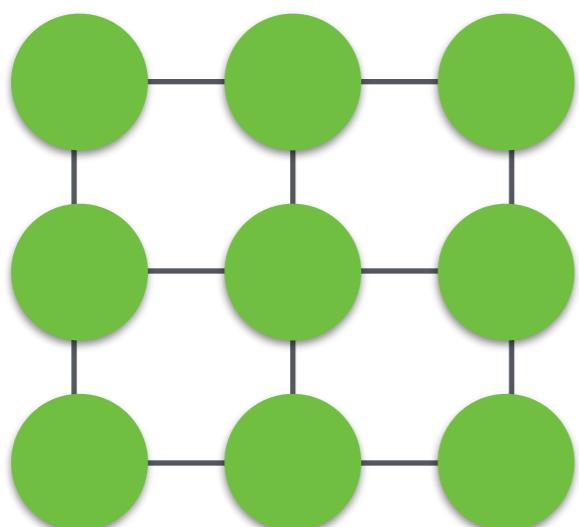


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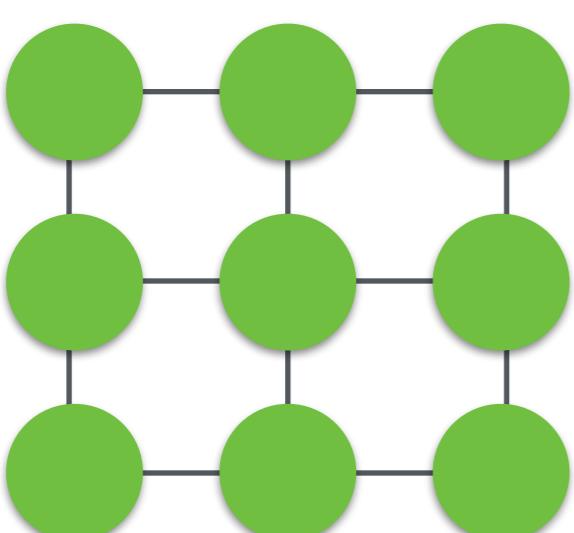
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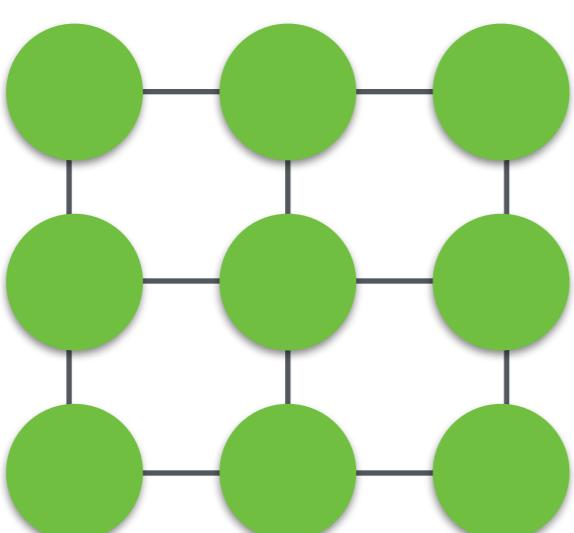
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Interaction strength between x_j and x_k

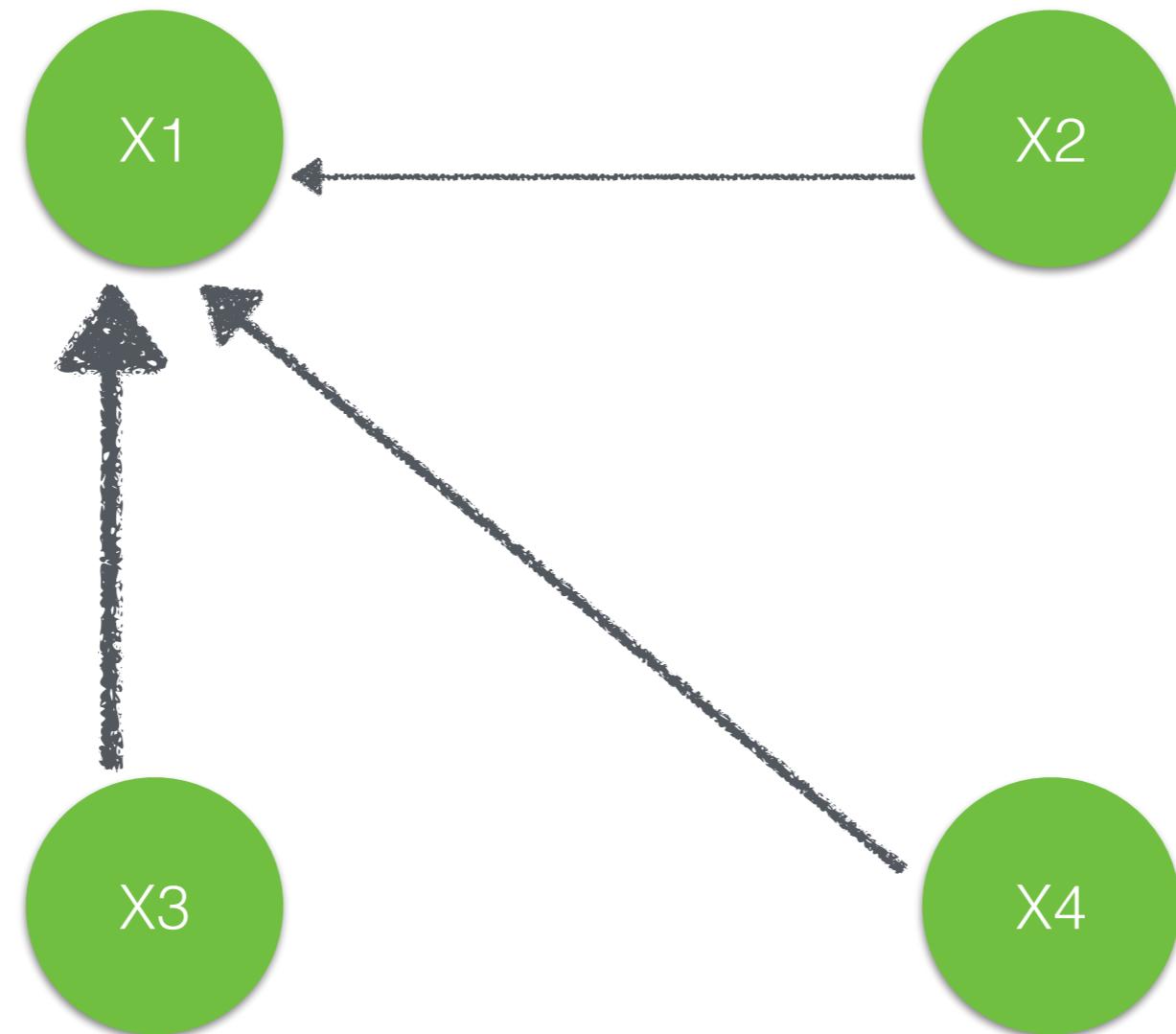
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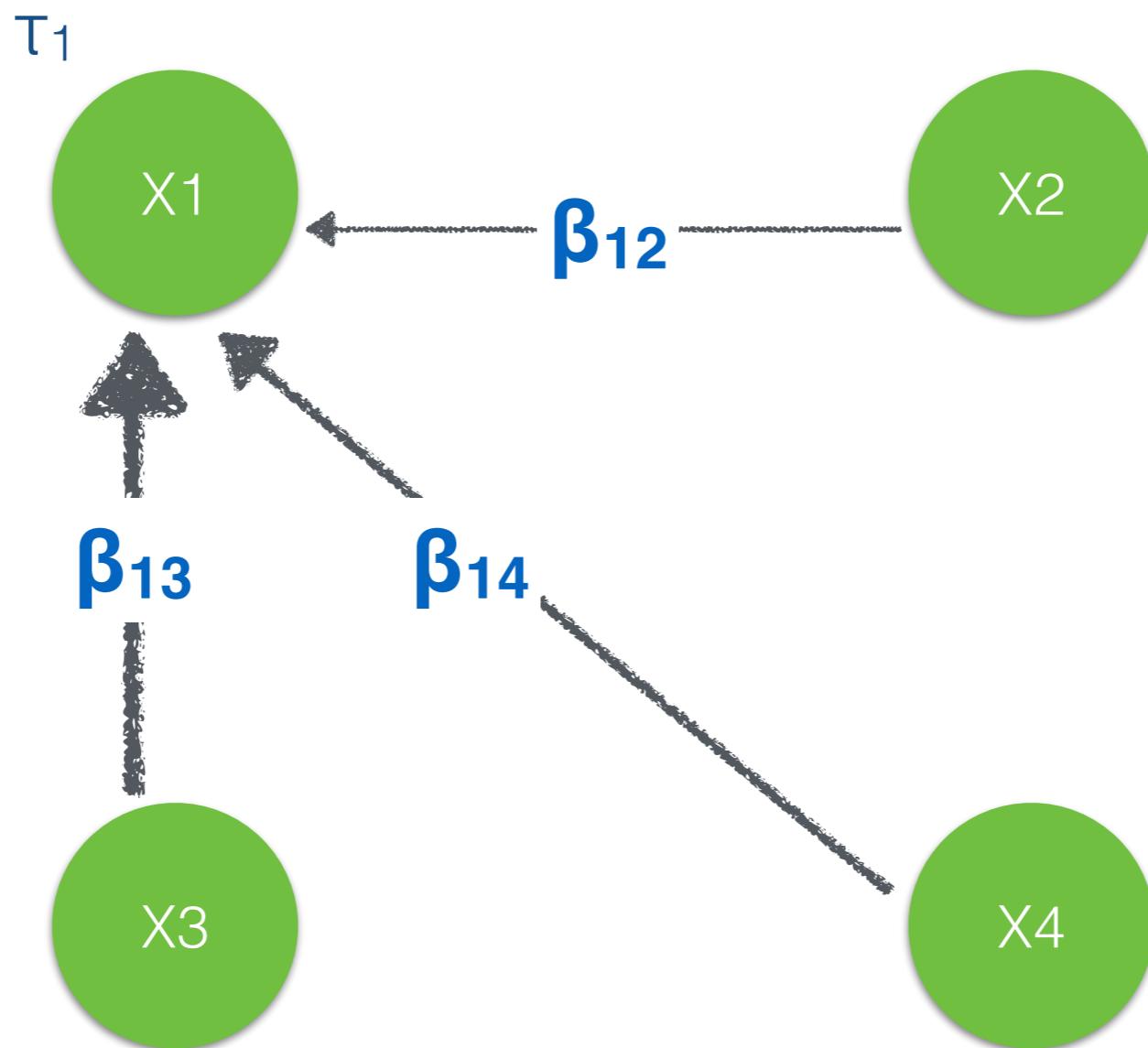
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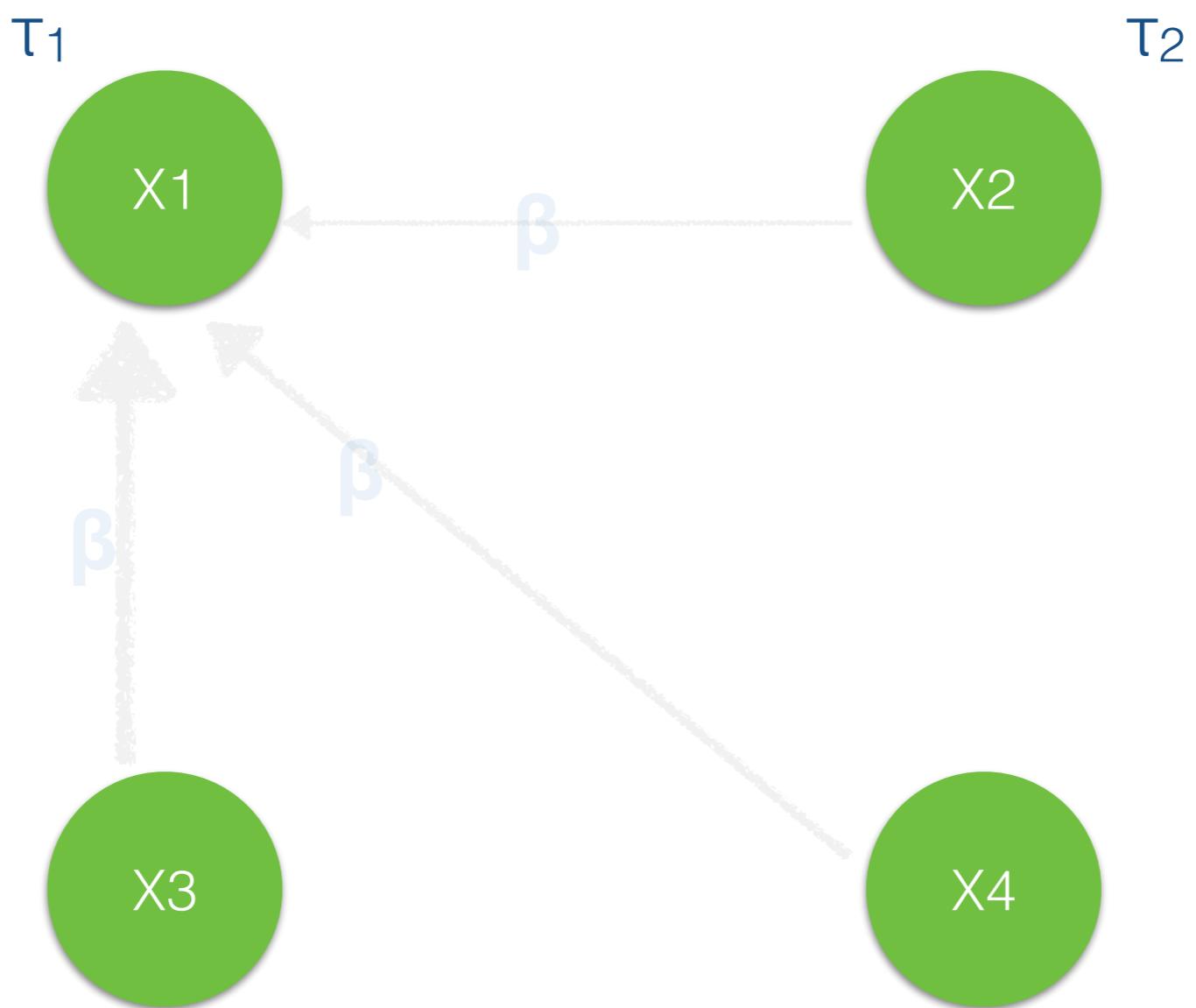


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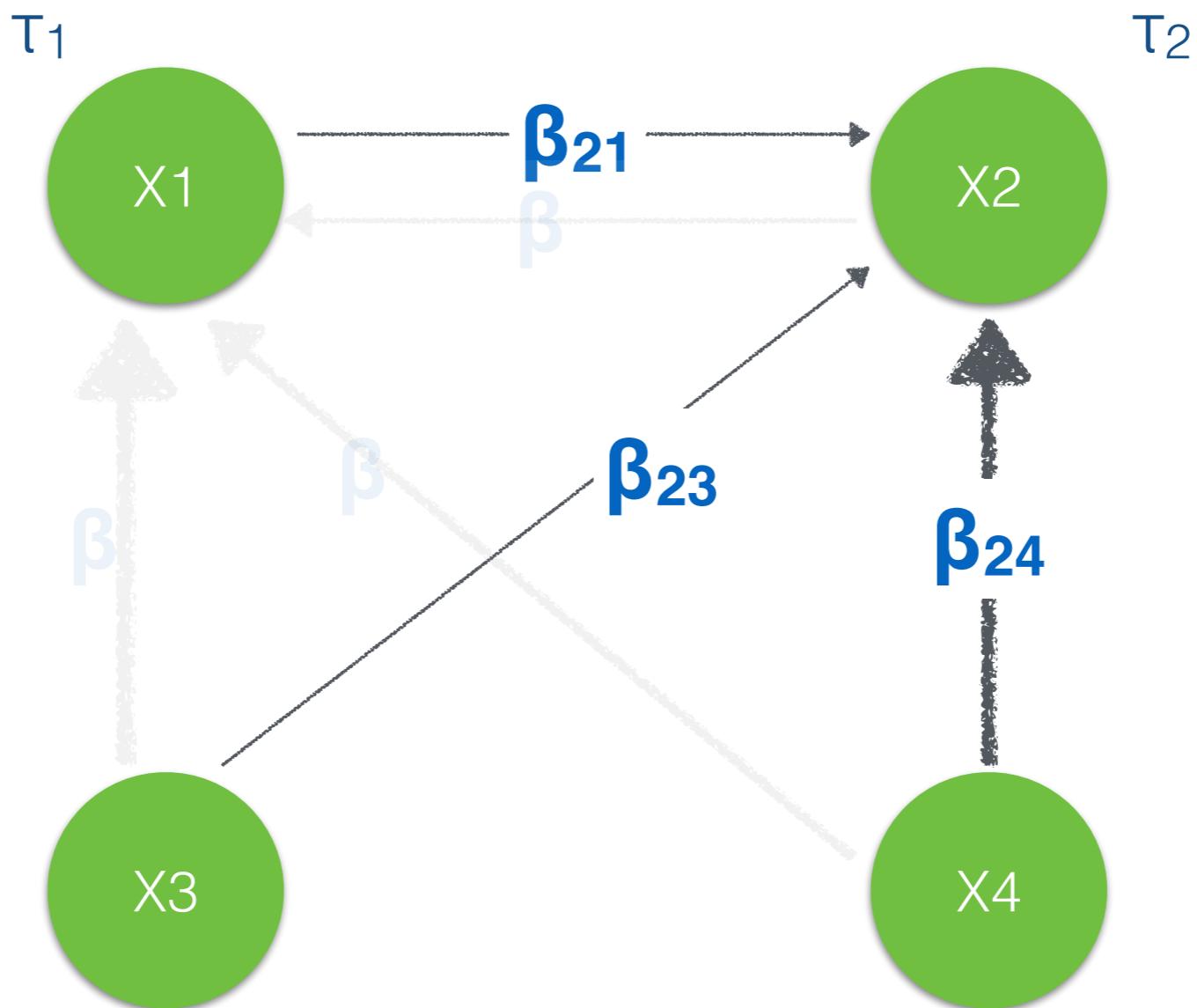
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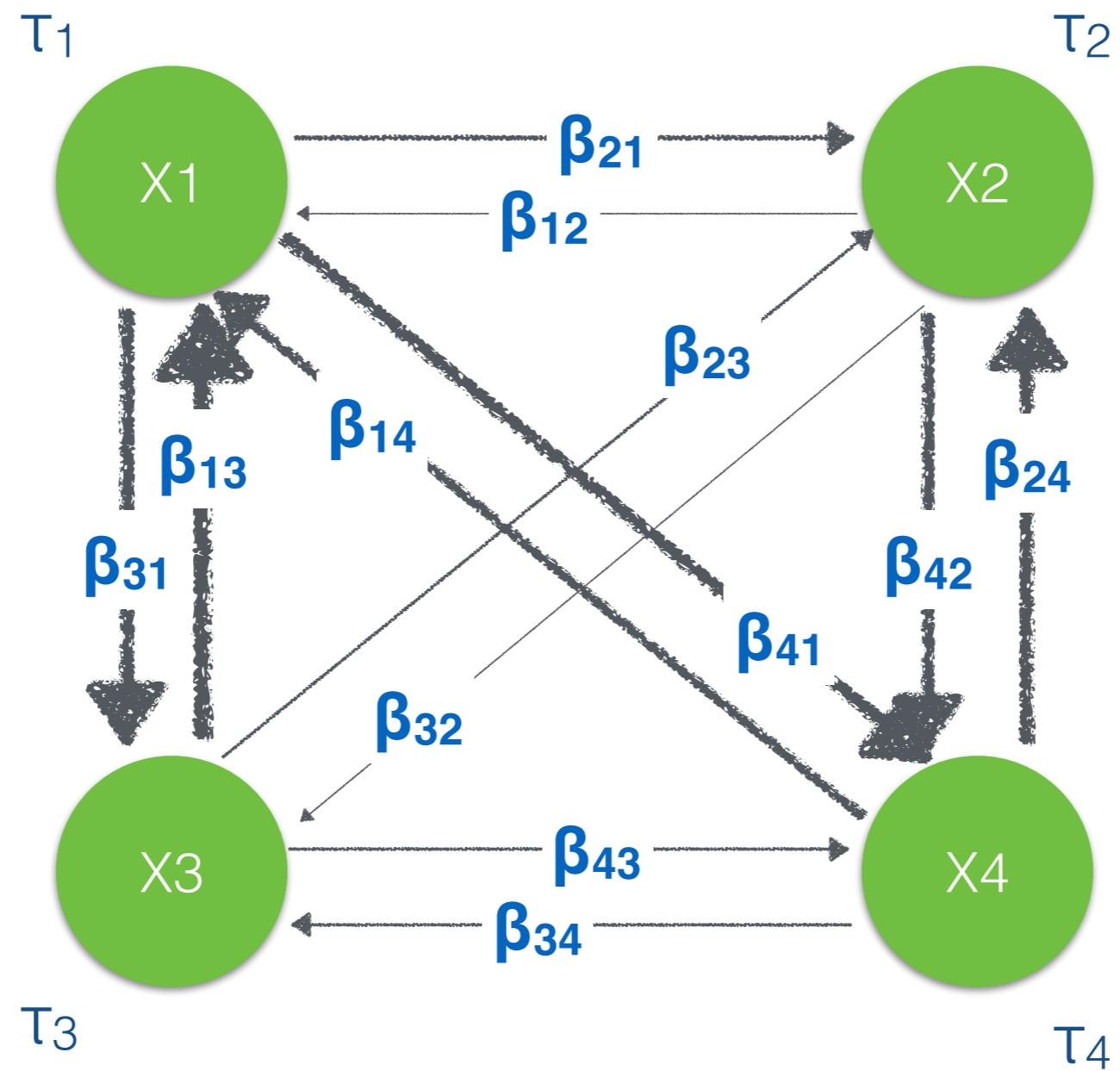
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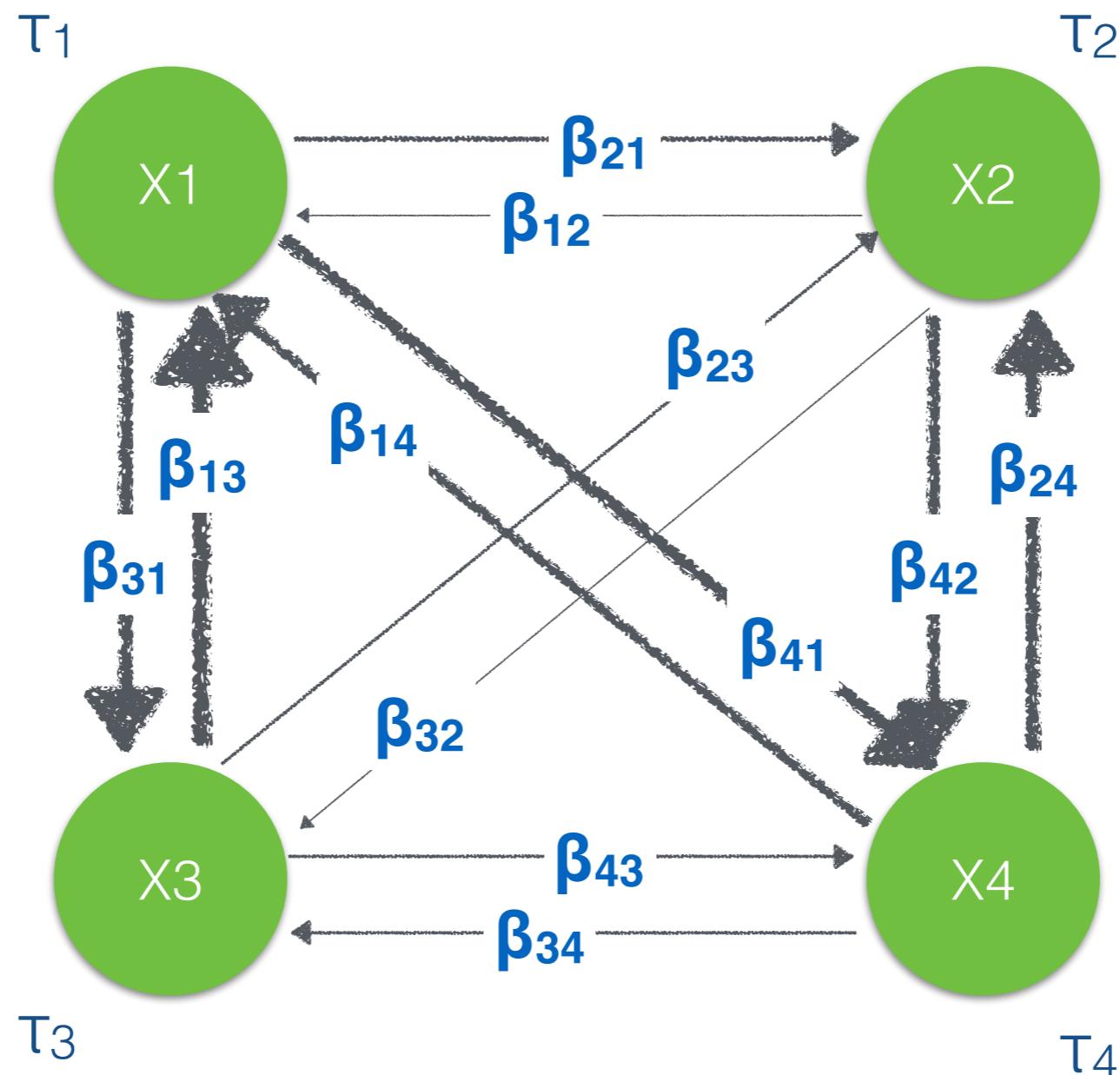


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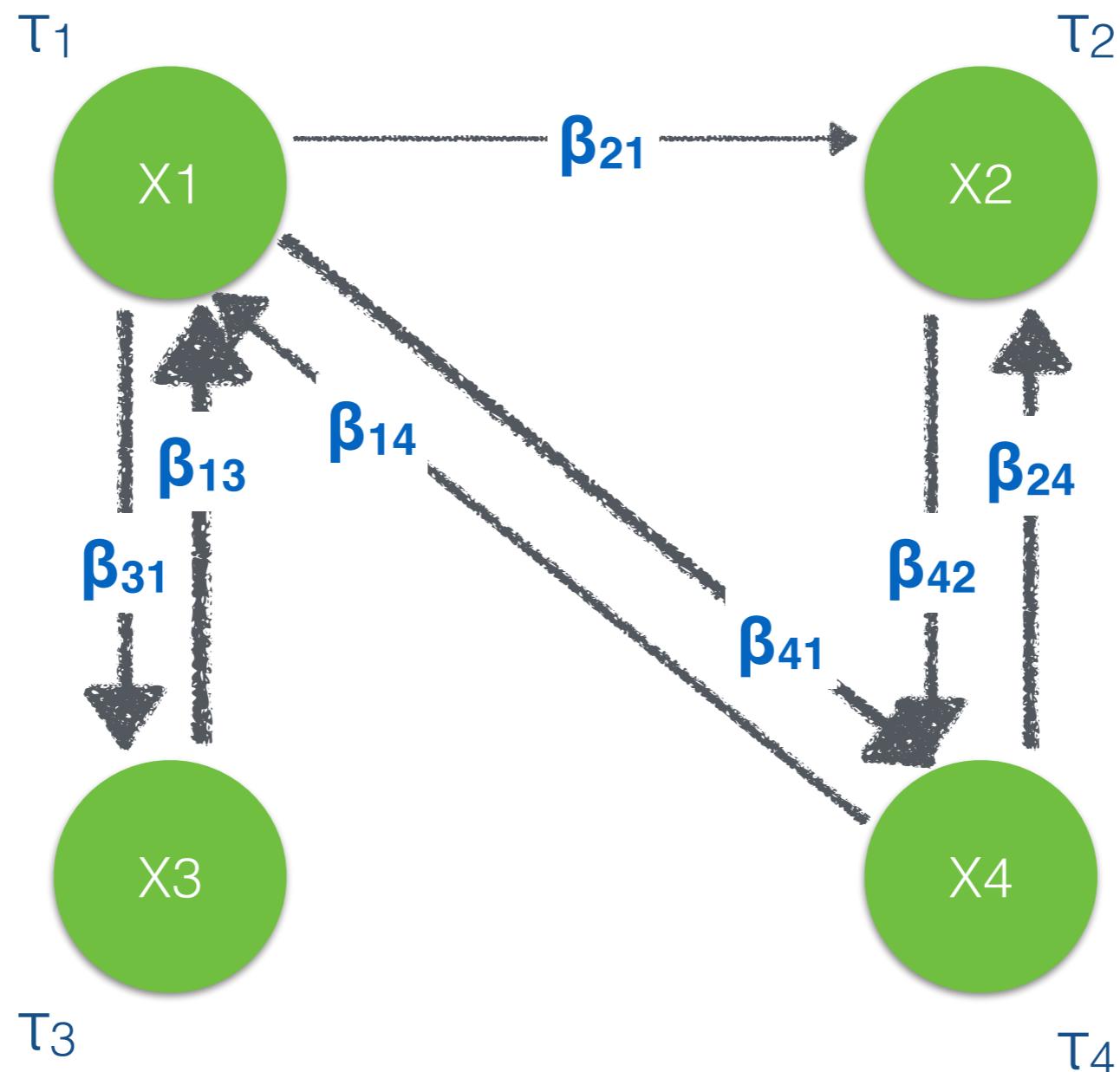


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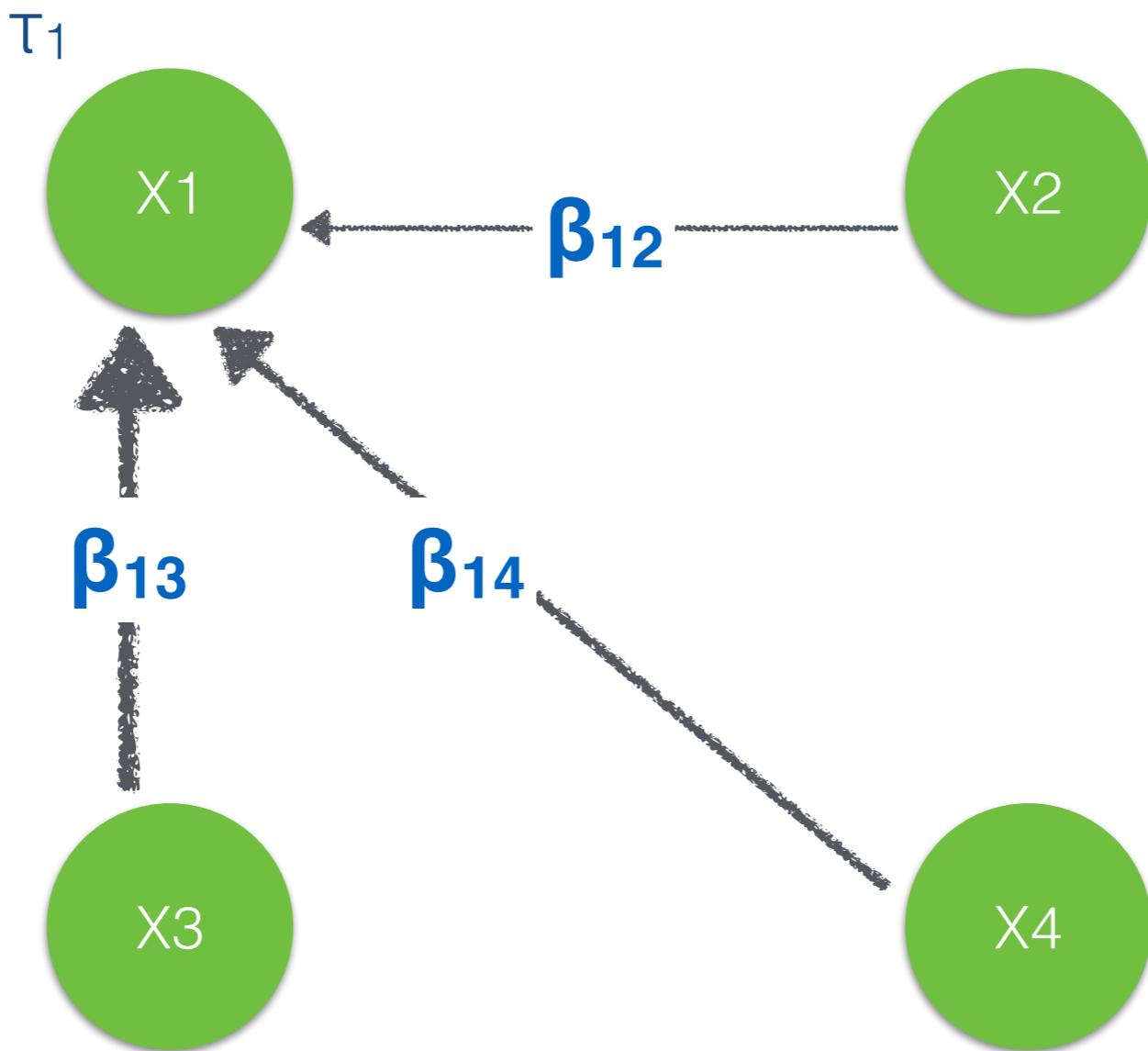


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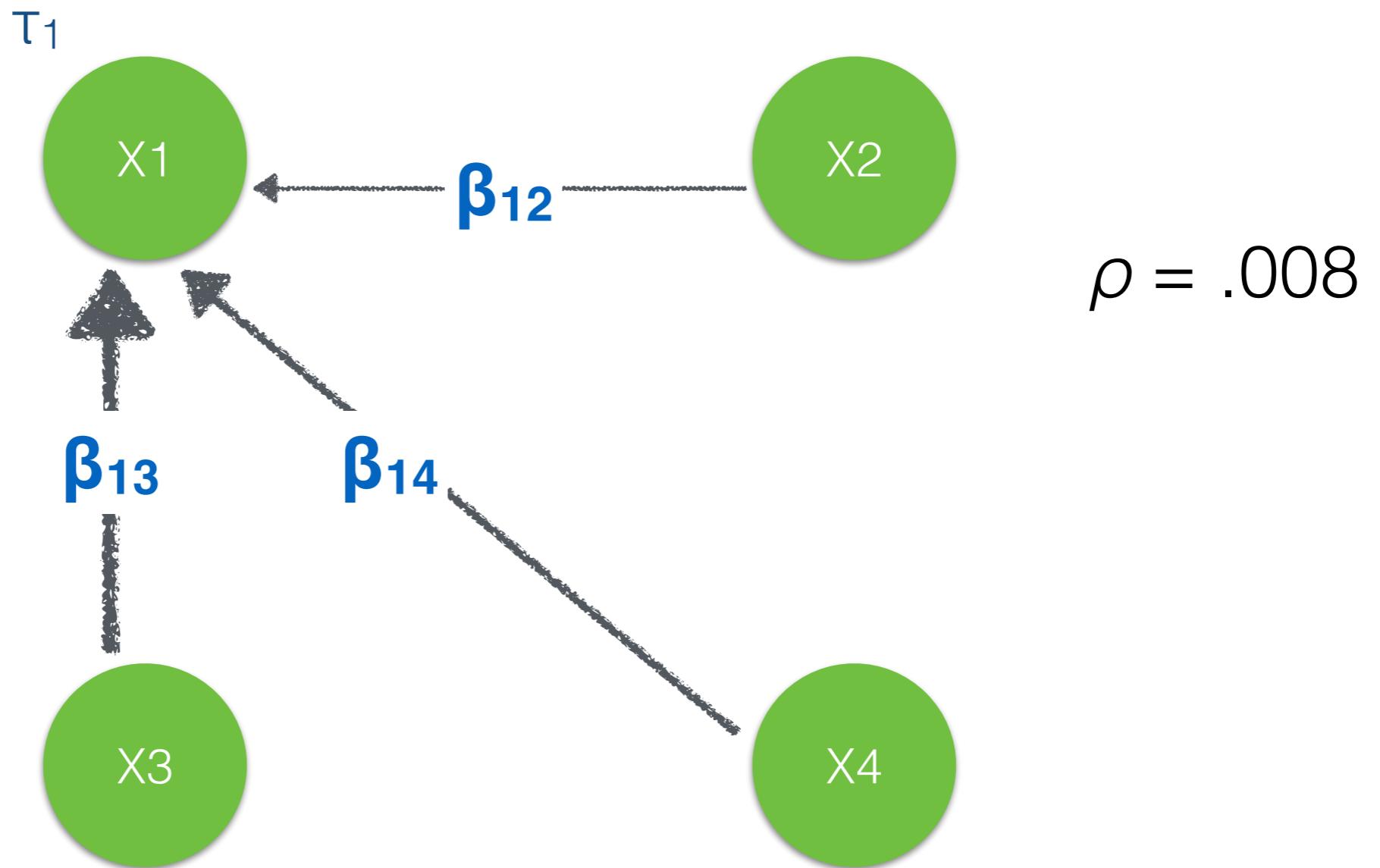
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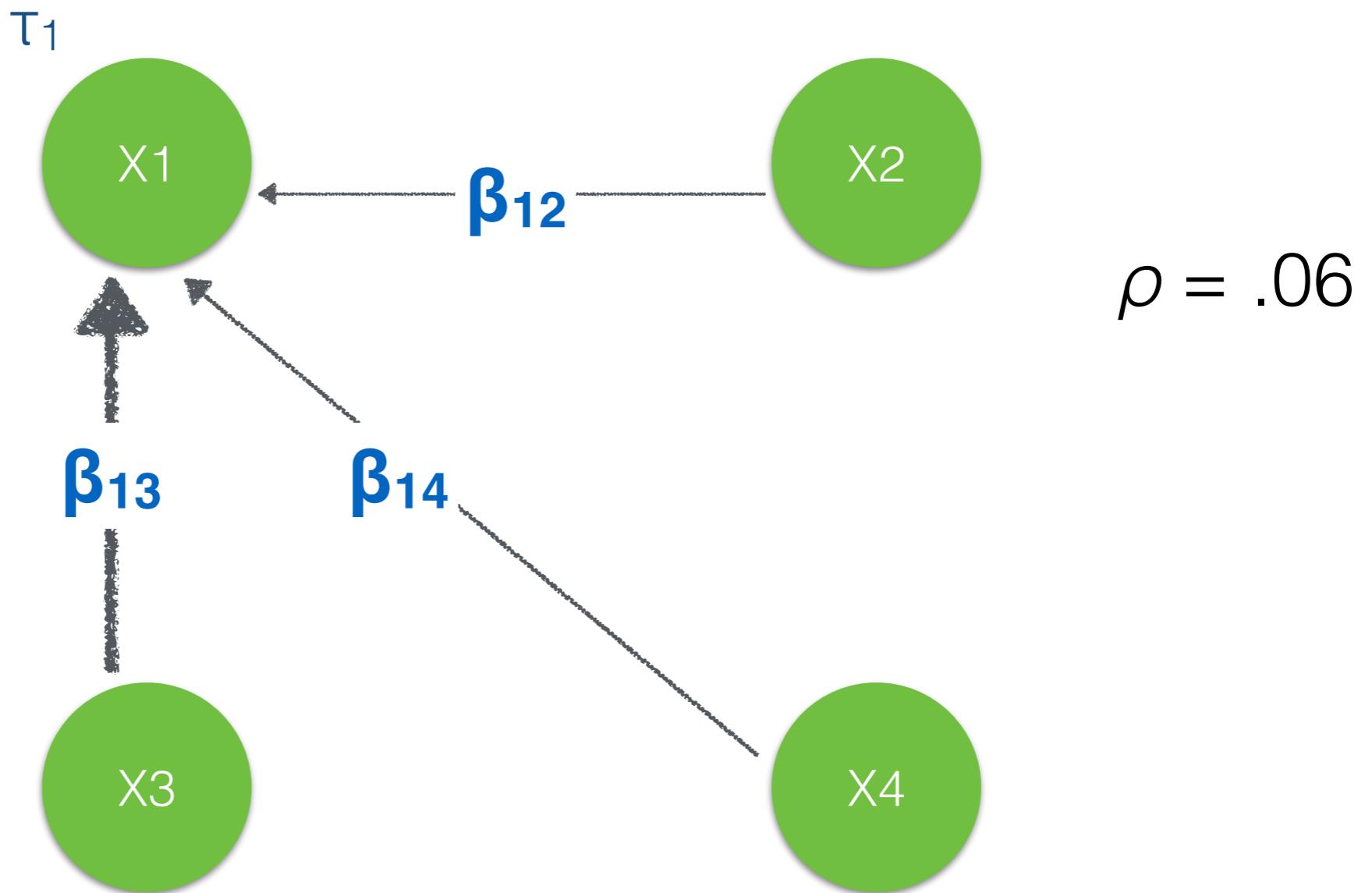
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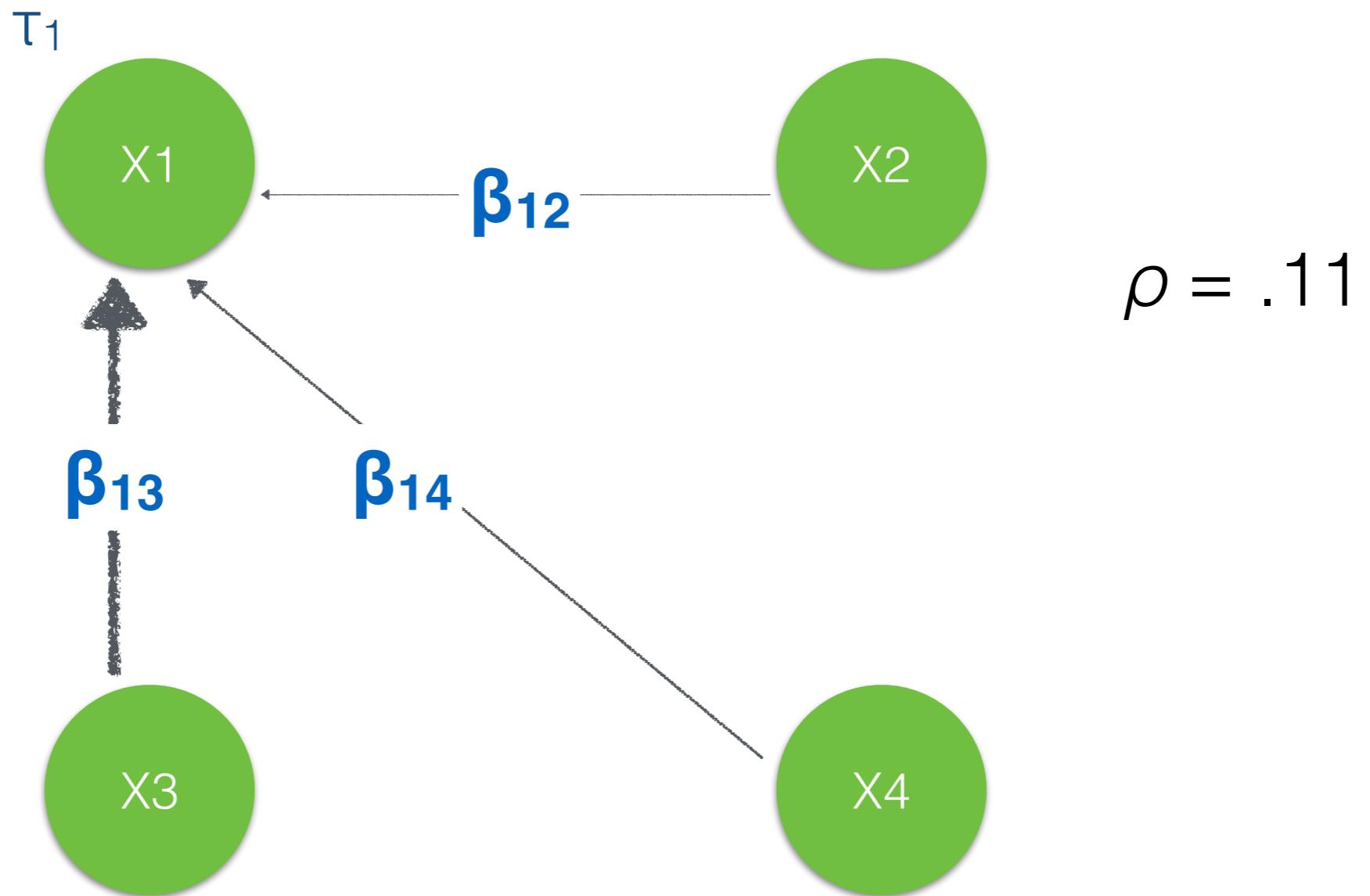
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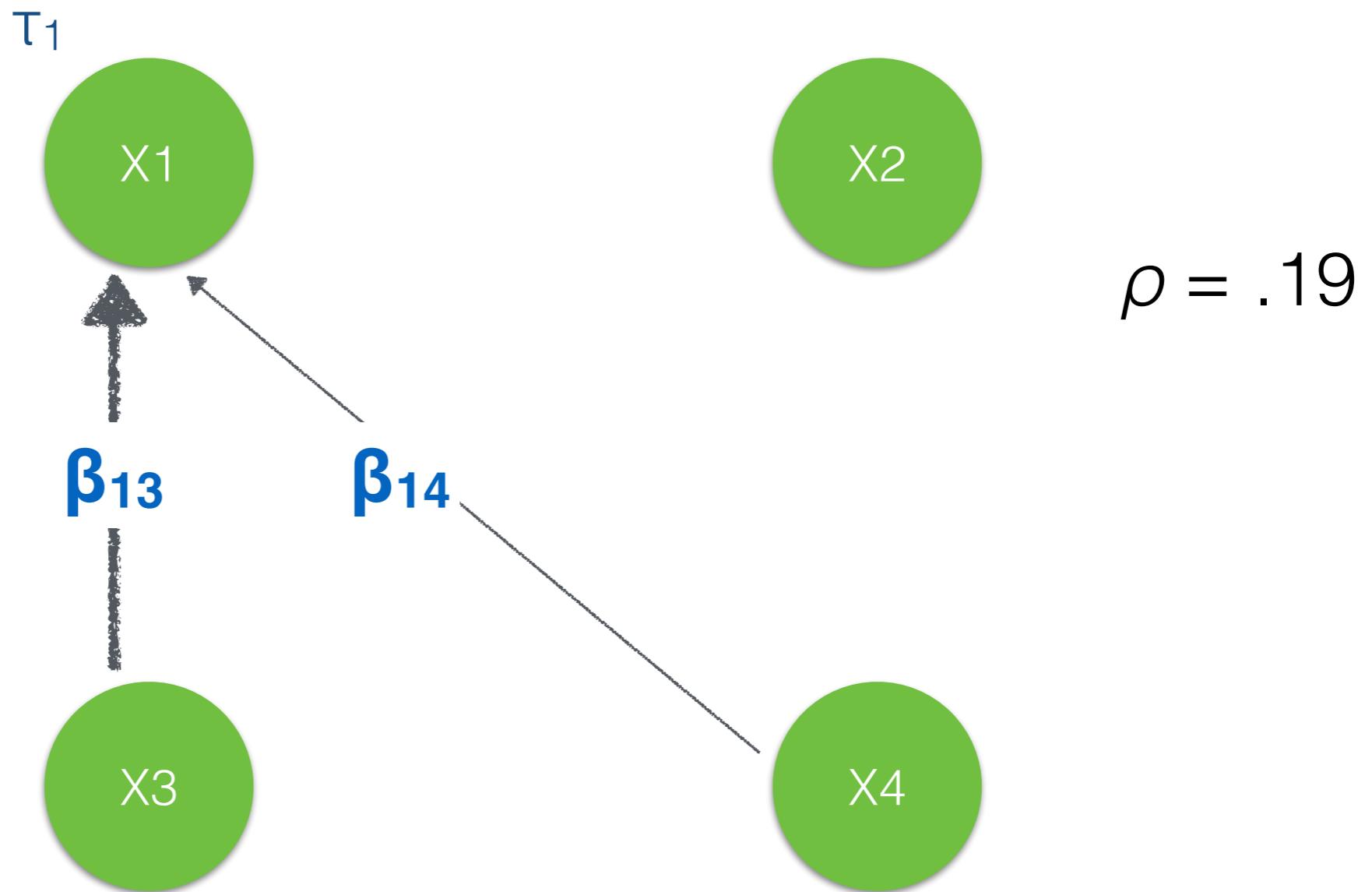
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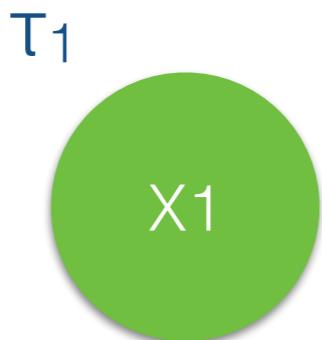
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ℓ_1 -regularized logistic regression

- Optimizes neighbourhood selection by optimizing convex function

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- i: independent observations {1, 2, ..., n}
- $\hat{\Theta}_j^\rho$: matrix with β_{jk} and τ_j
- ρ : tuning parameter
- R package `glmnet`: 100 values of ρ

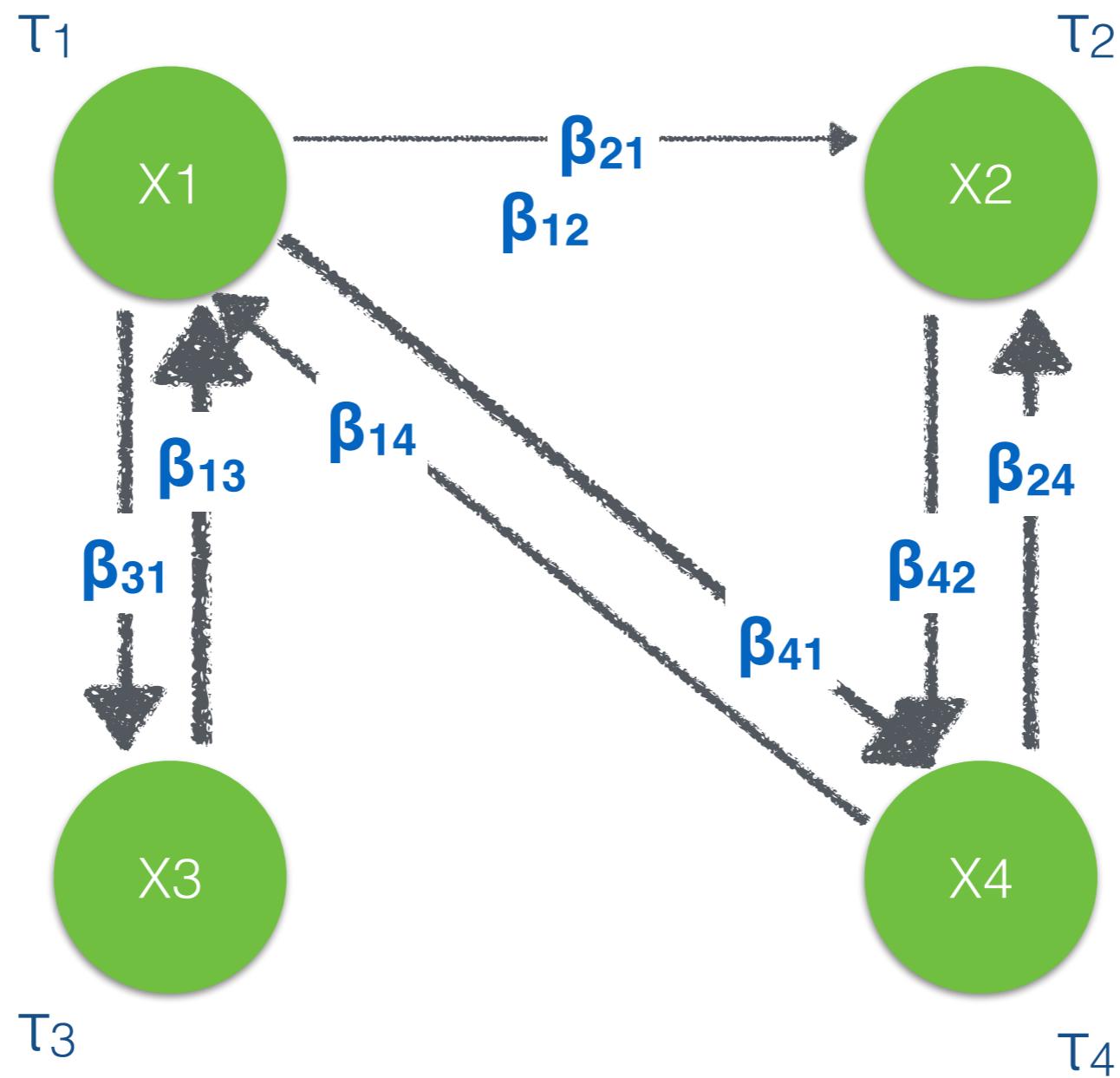
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- Choose tuning parameter with *extended Bayesian Information Criterion* (EBIC)

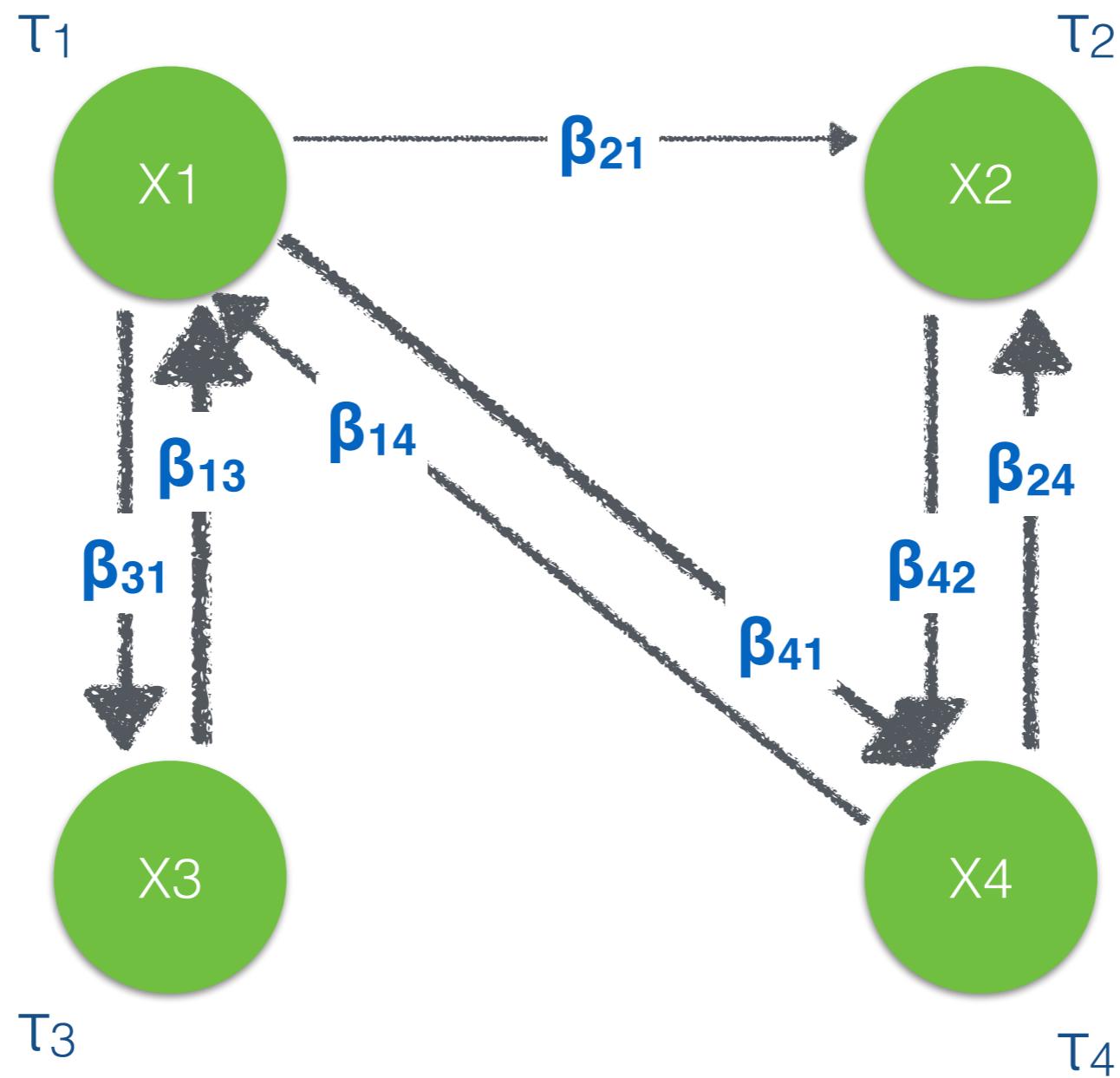
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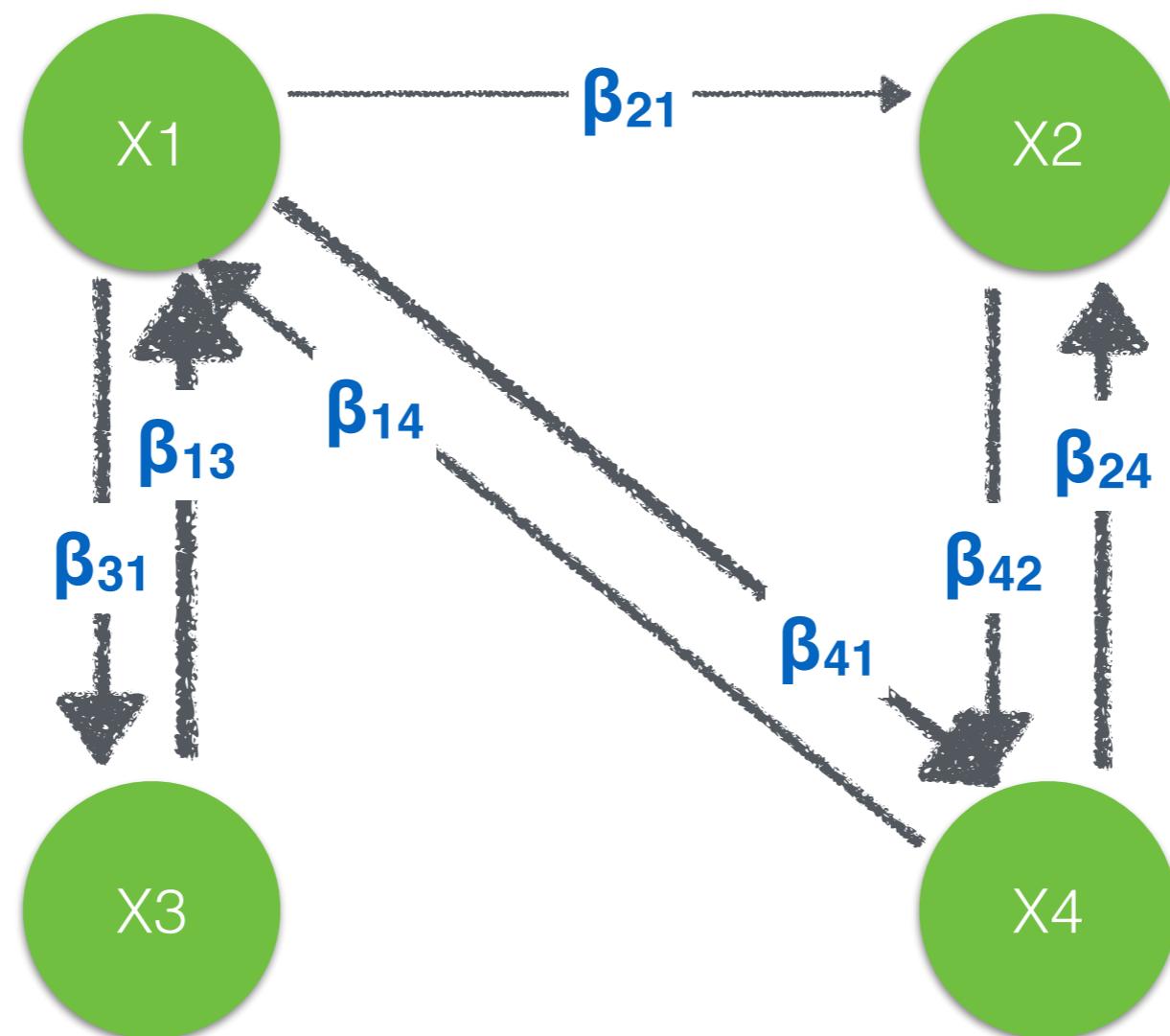
- $|J|$: number of neighbours
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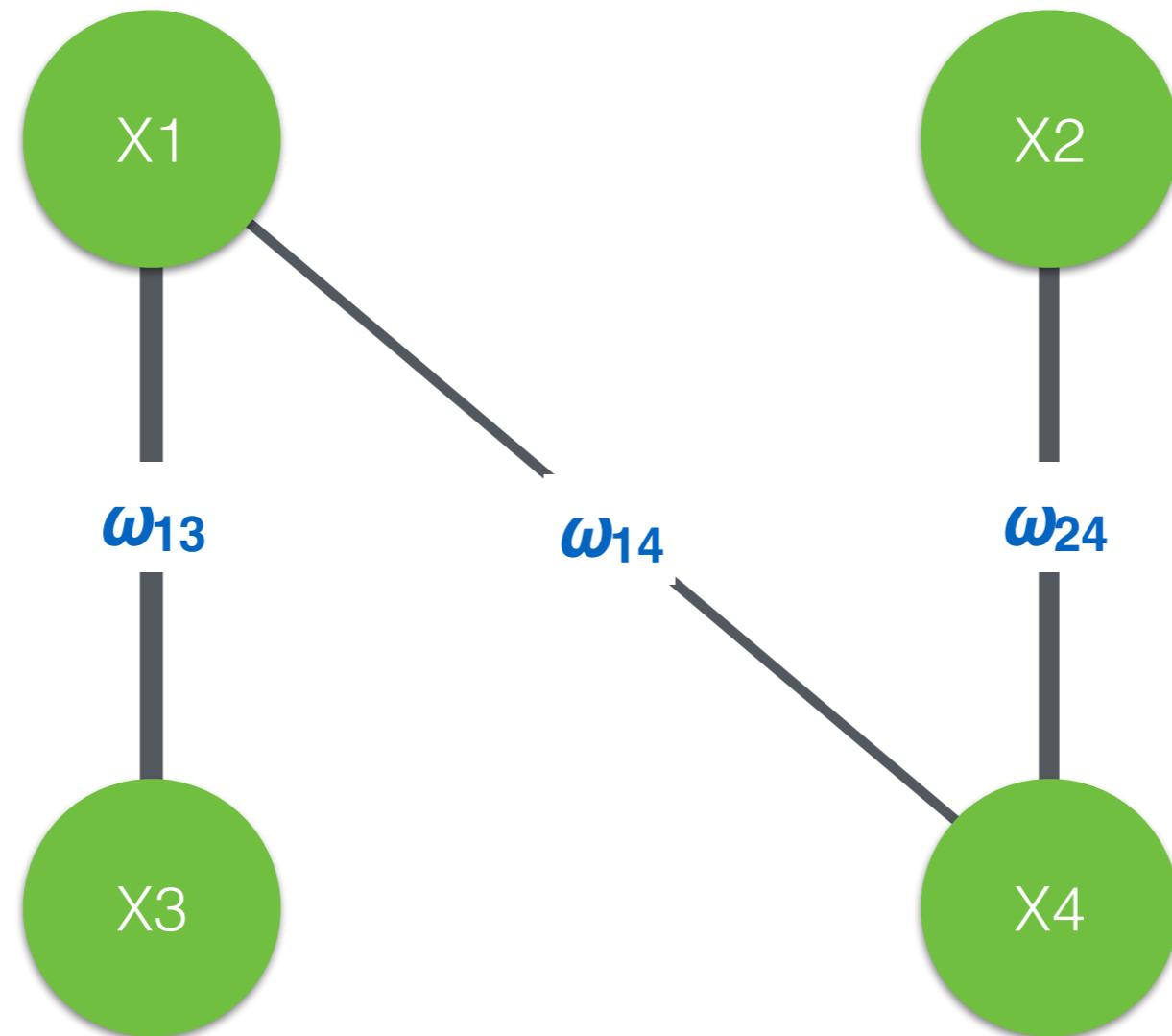


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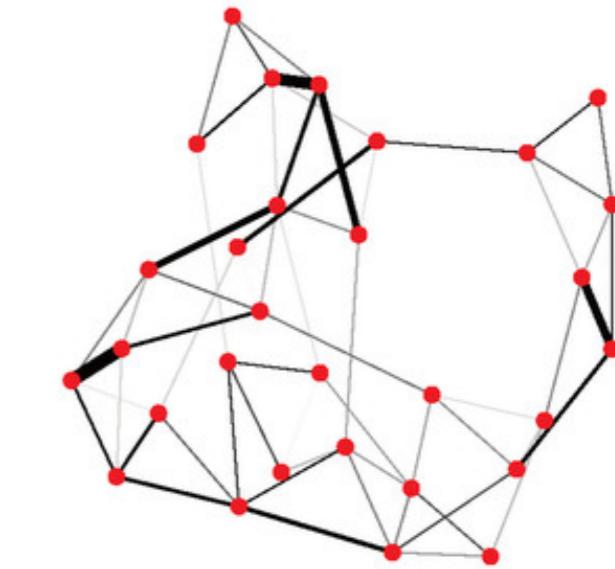
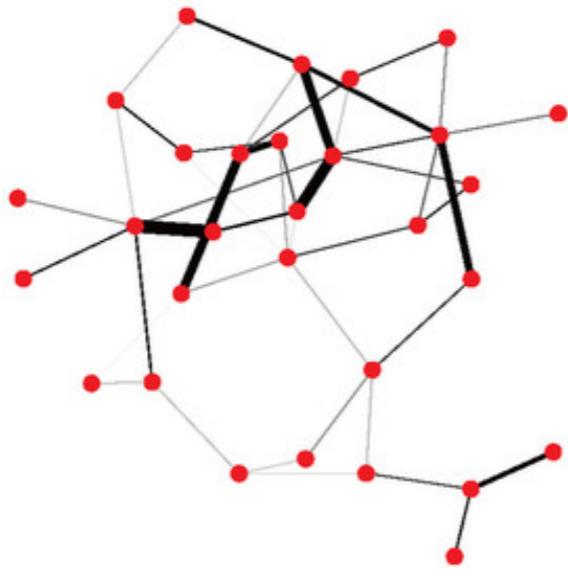


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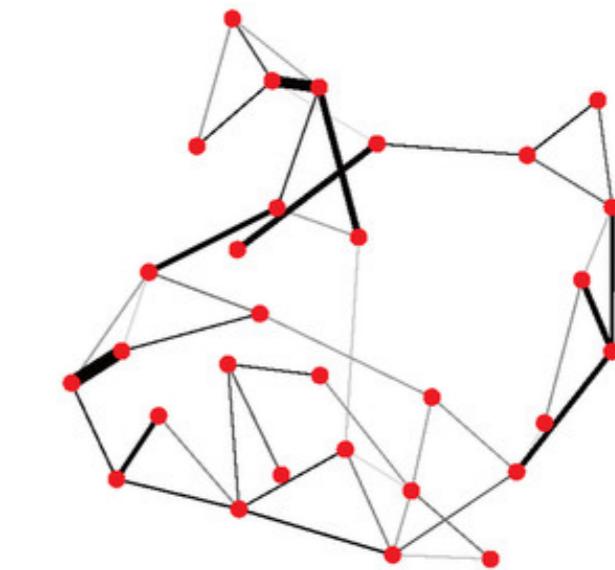
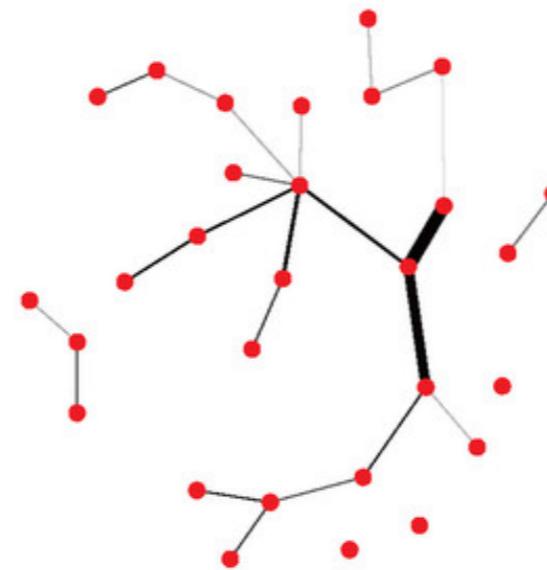
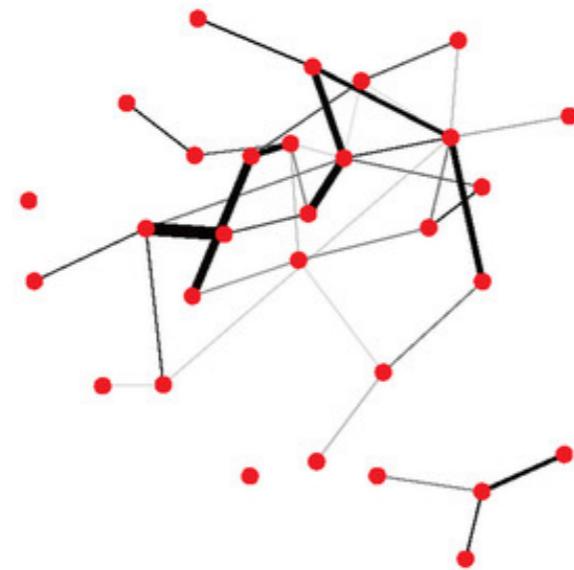
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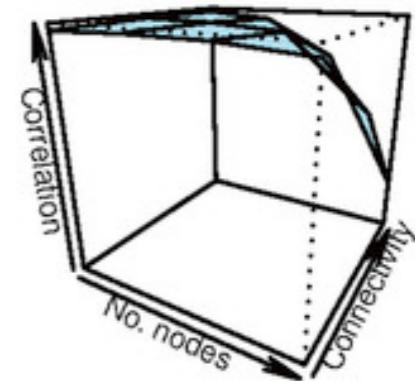
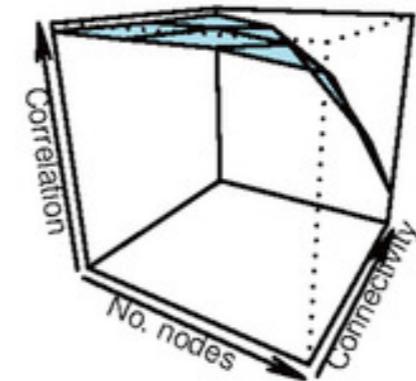
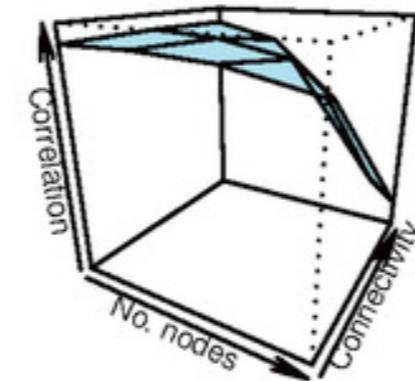
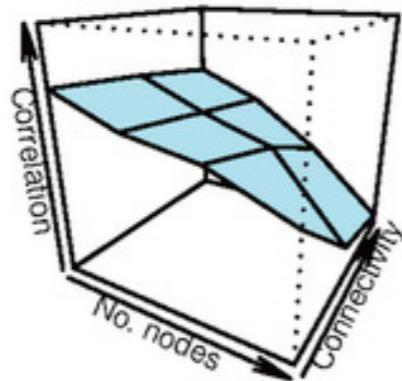
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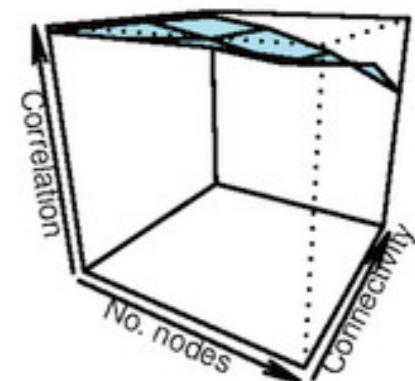
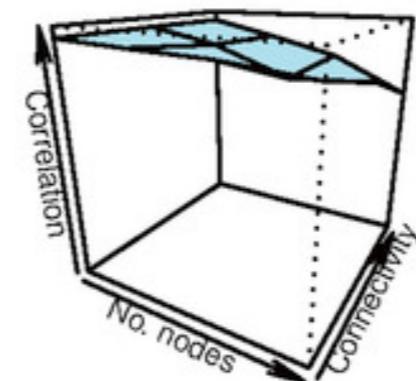
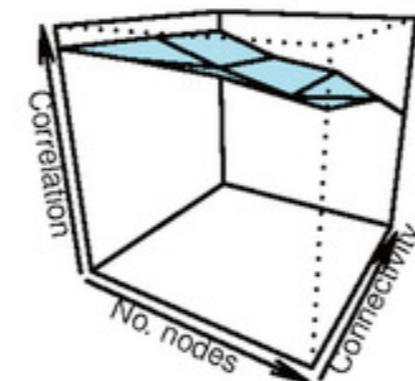
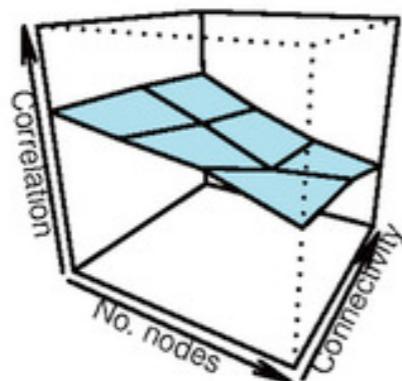
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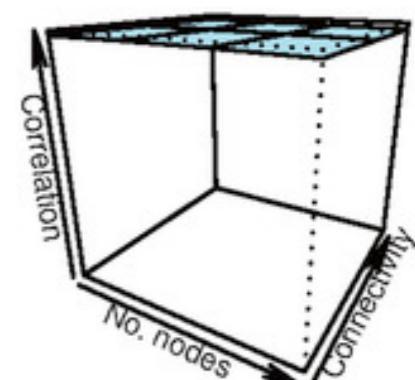
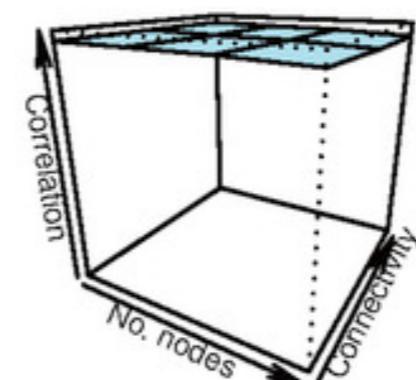
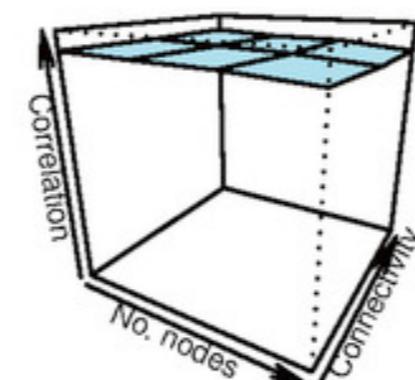
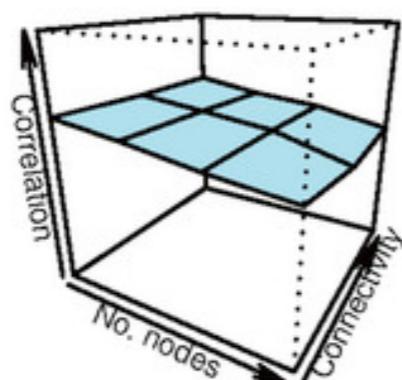
Random



Scale free



Small world



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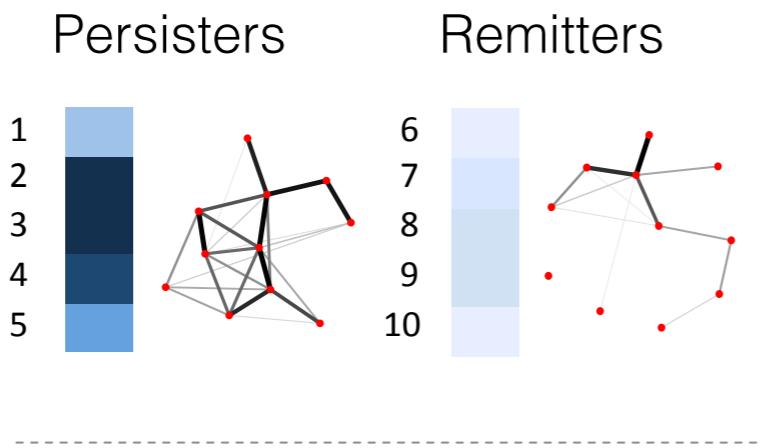
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Network Comparison Test

Observed data and networks

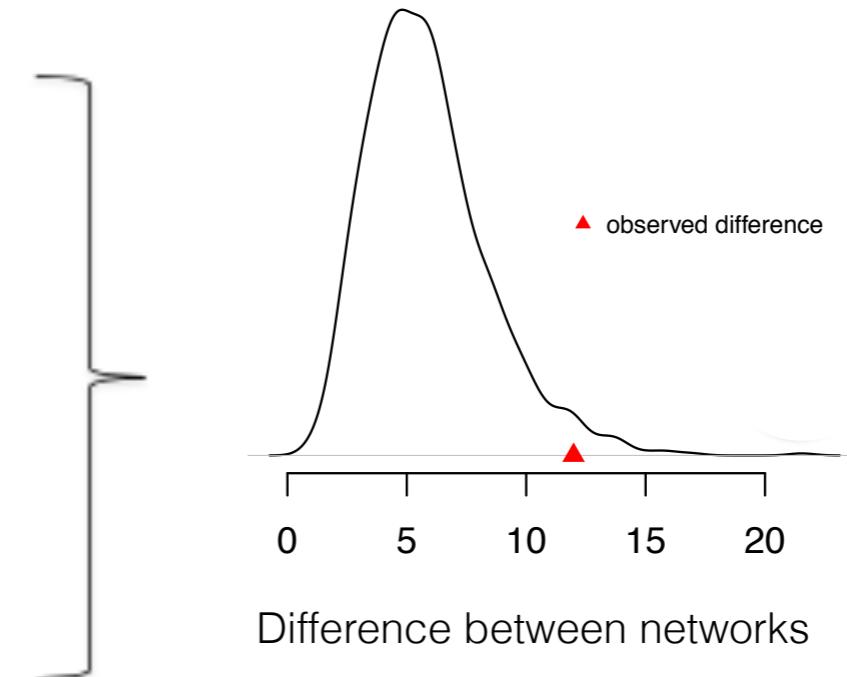
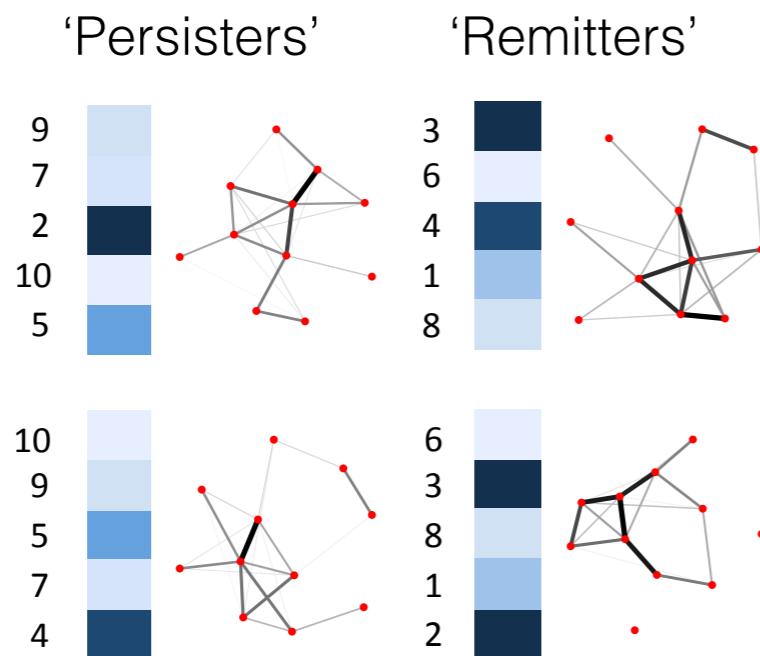


Measure of difference

difference in global
strength of networks

$$|(\sum |\beta_{jk}^{pers}| - \sum |\beta_{jk}^{rem}|)|$$

Permuted data and networks



Thanks for your attention!

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