

# Gephi

## **Description**

This tool adds support for opening network files with an already existing installation of Gephi.

According to the Gephi [homepage](#):

*Gephi is an interactive visualization and exploration platform for all kinds of networks and complex systems, dynamic and hierarchical graphs.*

*Runs on Windows, Linux and Mac OS X. Gephi is open-source and free.*

## **Implementation Details**

This algorithm relies on the ".gephi" file format being associated with an existing Gephi installation on your system.

Only network files that can be converted to [GraphML](#) files will be able to be opened with the algorithm.

This algorithm copies the existing graphml file into a new temporary file on the system in order to give the network file an extension that Gephi can recognize. That is to say that the ".*graphml.xml*" used by the tool are copied into temporary ".*graphml*" files for use in Gephi.

## **Usage Hints**

If you open CShell with a console, be aware that Gephi will reuse this console. This means that if you close this console, Gephi will also be closed without warning.

## **See Also**

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