What's going on?
- 1 year anniversary of Trump election win approaching
- increase in pro- and anti-Trump hashtags
- attempts to influence narrative after US election

Context of Hashtags
“I kind of wanted a digest of what the hashtags might have been about... Some of them were really obvious, some of them weren’t”

Interpretation Annotation
shows context and insights relating to each key moment

Quantity - Hashtags
“How many times [a hashtag] was retweeted within a certain period of time would be useful because then you could see why a certain hashtag was deployed at a particular period of time”

Quantity Graphic
shows top hashtags used in key moments during the temporal network visualization

Quantity Annotation
shows total number of hashtags used during a key moment

Context of World Events
“Talking about the key dates that were happening or talking about the key events, milestones, that were happening in the periods”

Temporal Control
pauses movie at each blue square, so pace can be controlled.

Temporal Annotations
highlight key moments, allowing viewers to relate and anticipate them

Temporal Graphic
shows active hashtags over time, allowing viewers to relate levels of activity over time

Network Evolution
“In the video it’s much easier to impress upon you the huge difference between various periods of activity”

Strategic Operations
“You can get a better understanding of the overall, broader picture of the network”

Quantity - Edges
“Because there’s no data values, it’s hard to know whether 2017 is more active... I’m confused because I’m trying to work out what it is I’m seeing”

Variable

Account Creation Year
2016
2017
2018