

Overlay (and P2P) Networks

Part II

- Navigability of Complex Networks
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- Internet Indirection Architecture
- SIP / P2P-SIP

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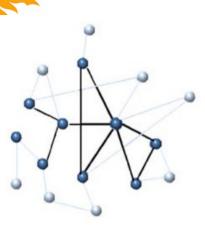
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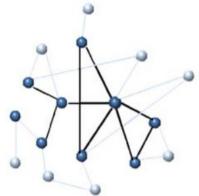
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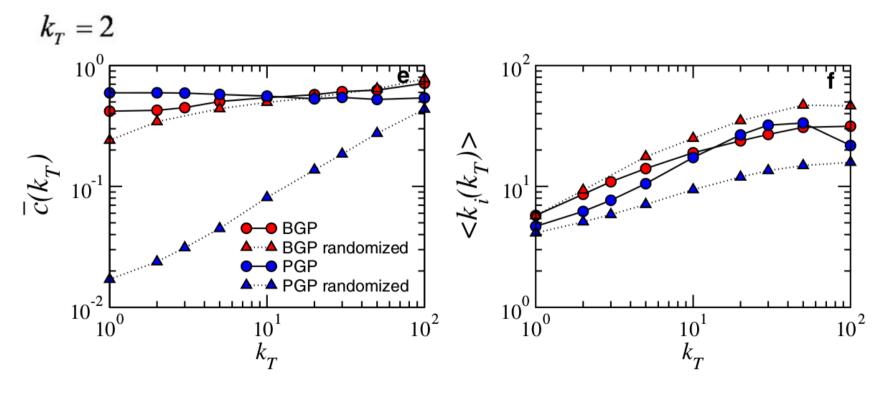
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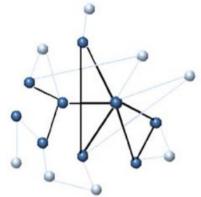


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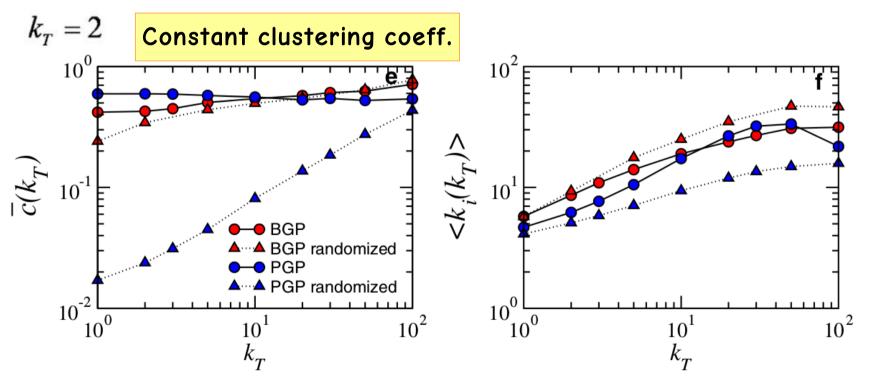




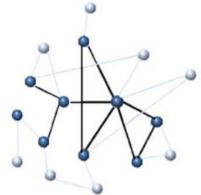


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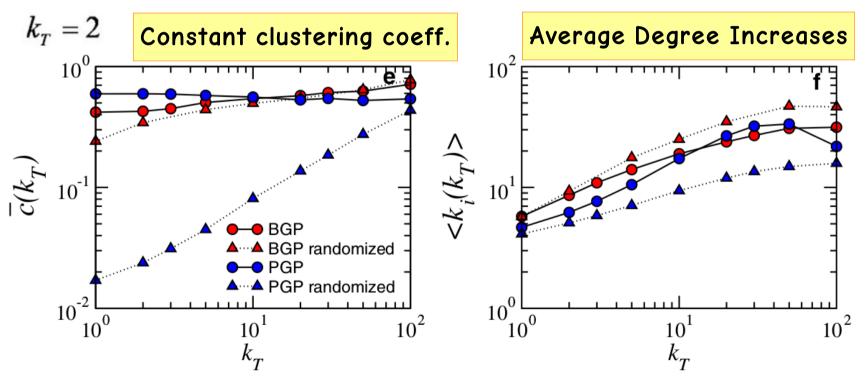




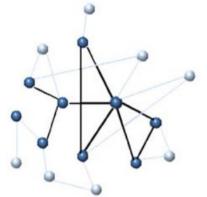


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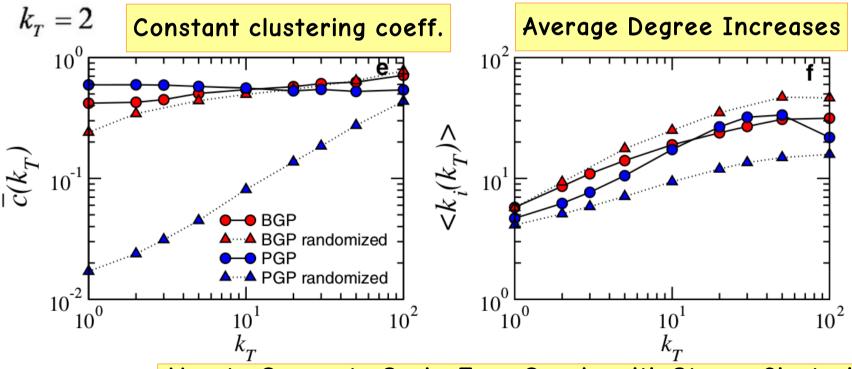






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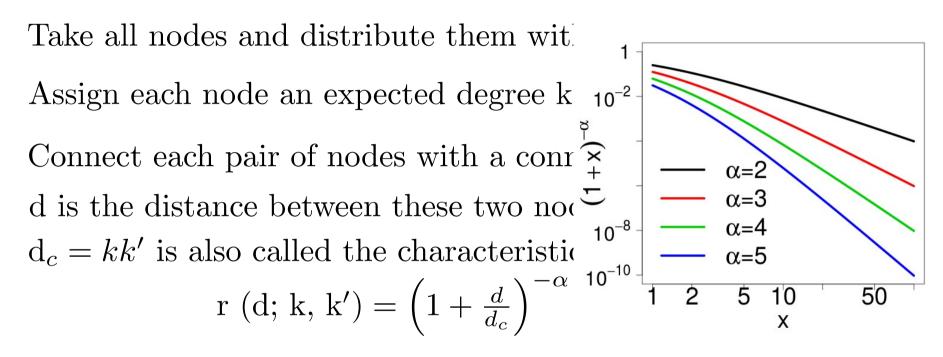
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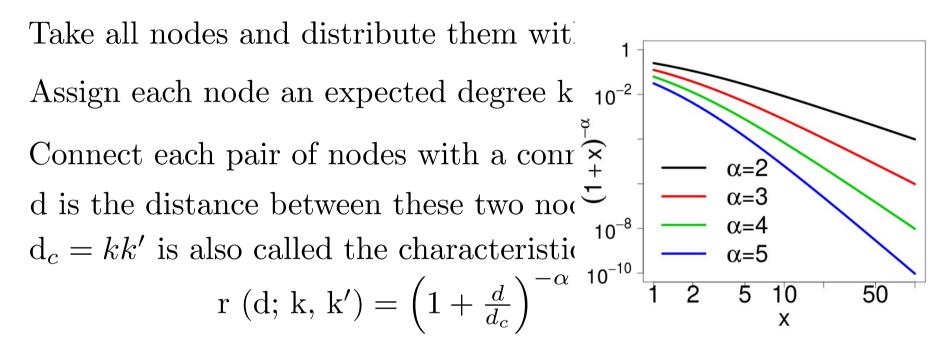
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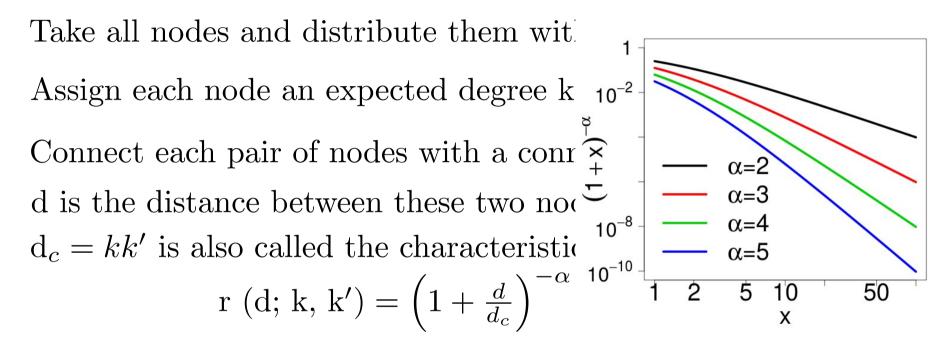
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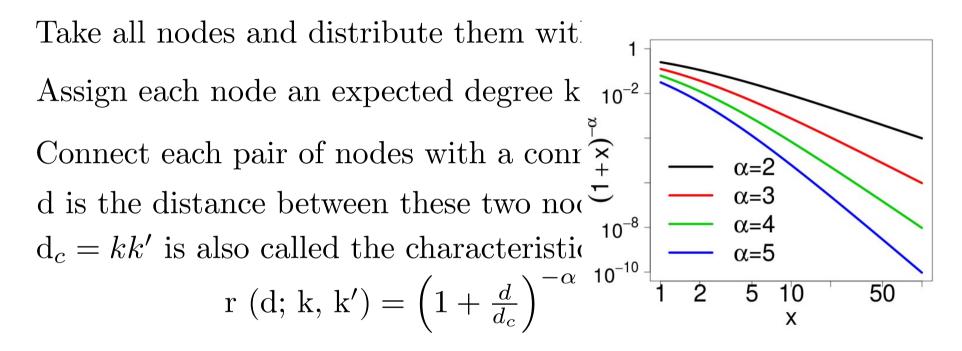
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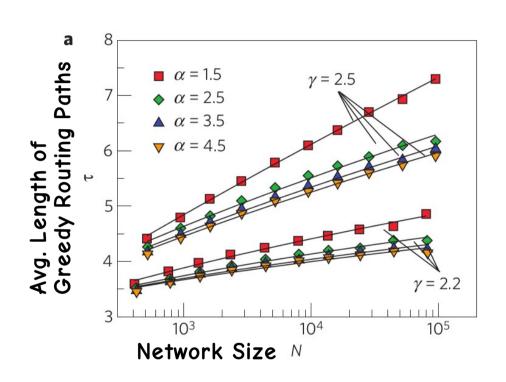
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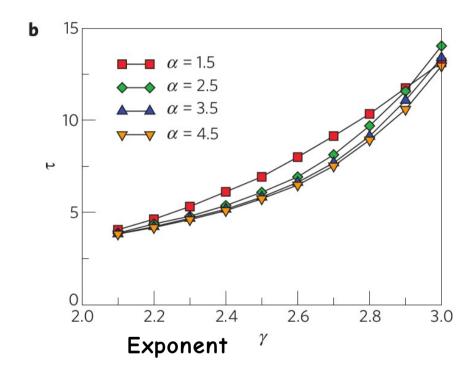
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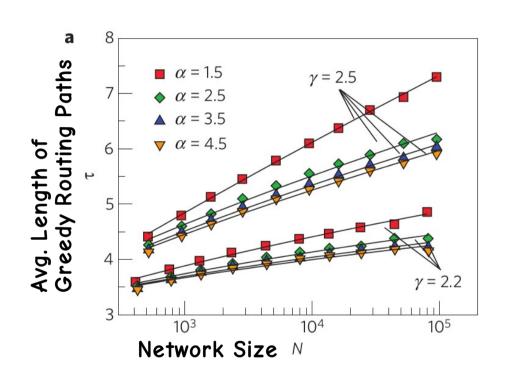


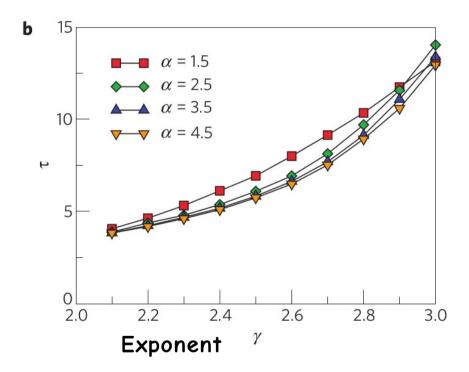




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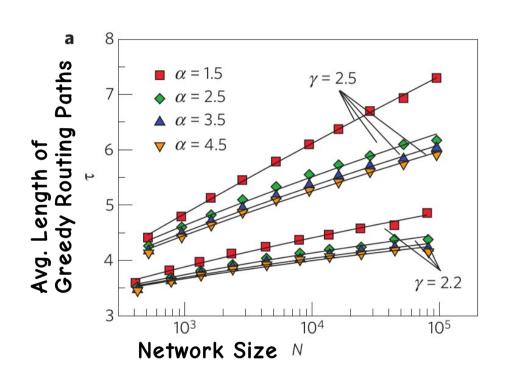


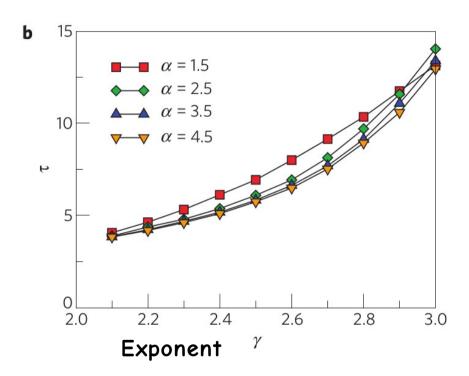
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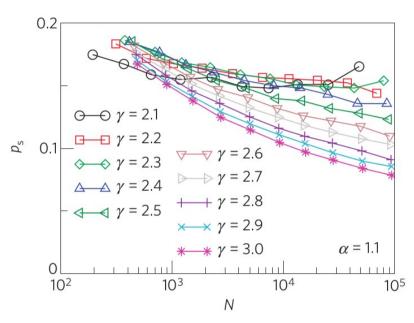


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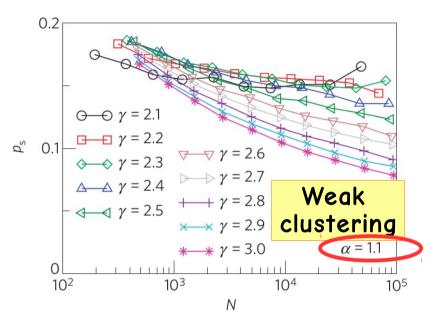


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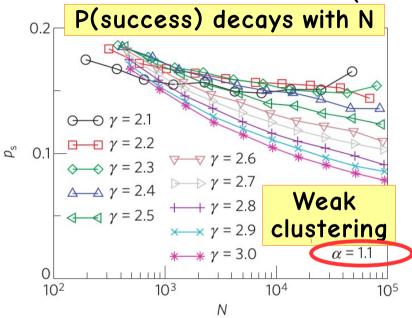


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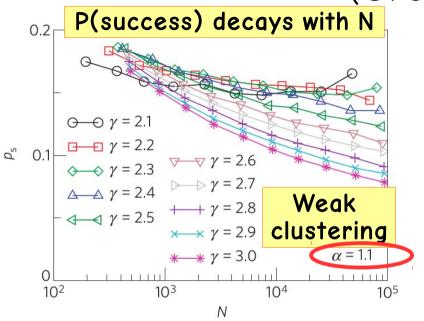


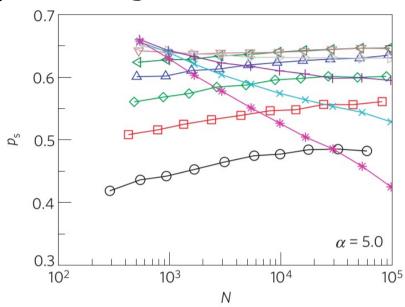
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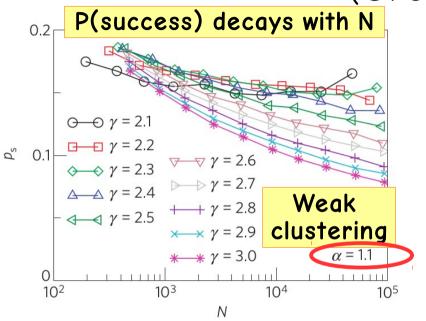


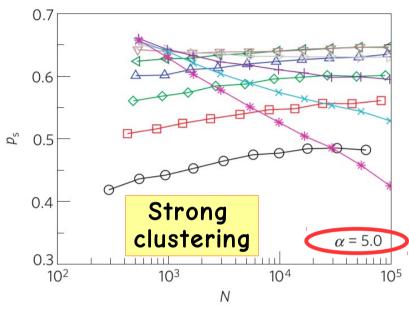
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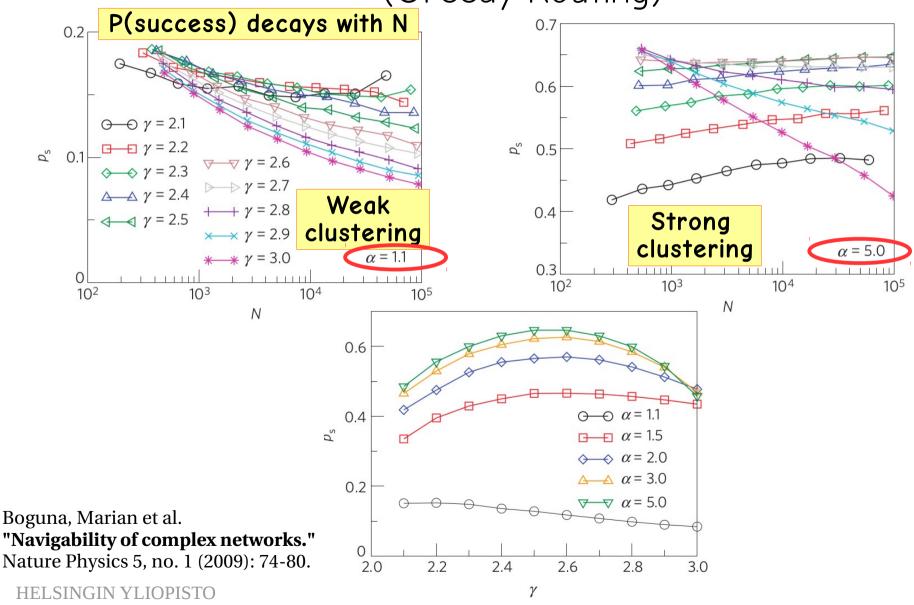


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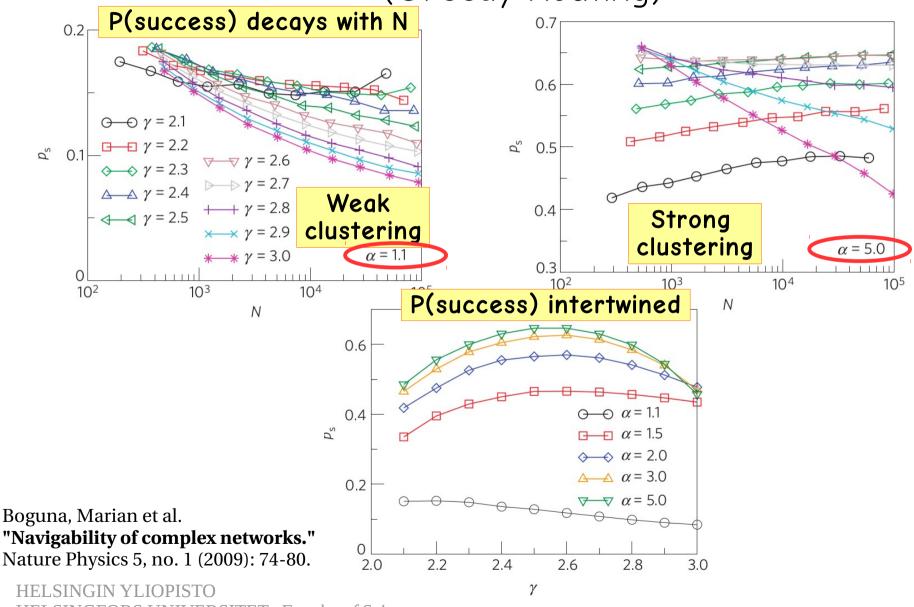


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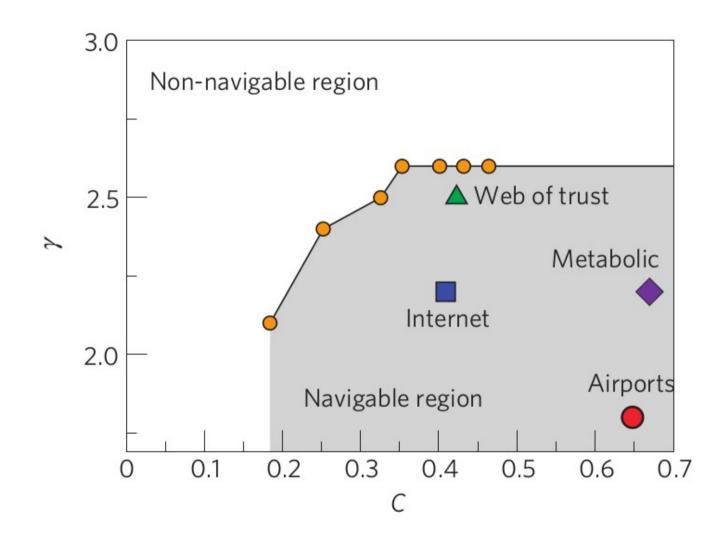


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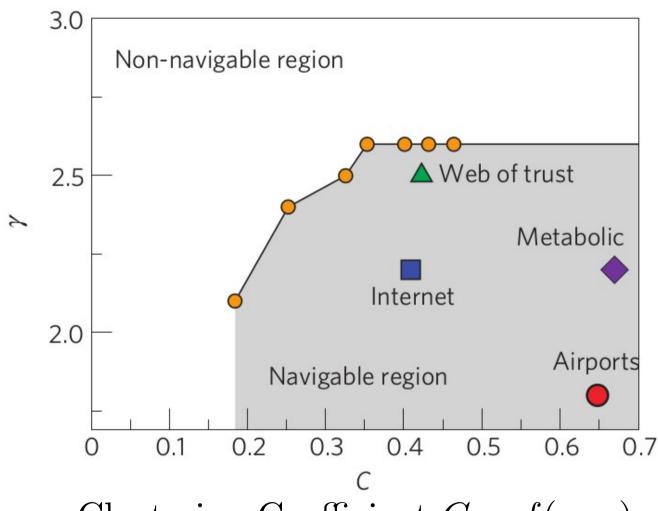


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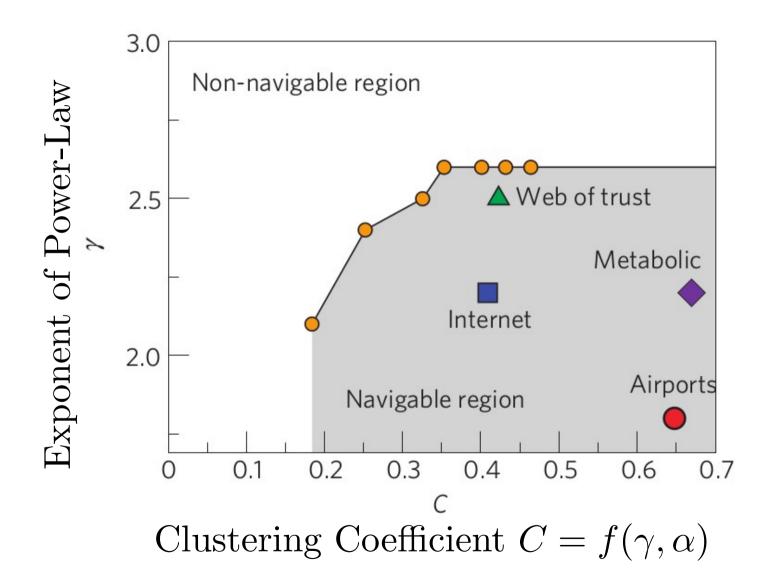
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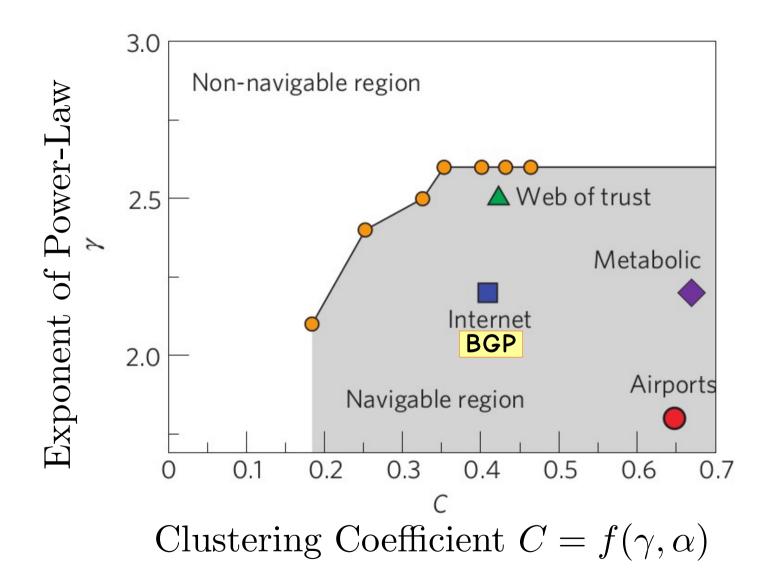


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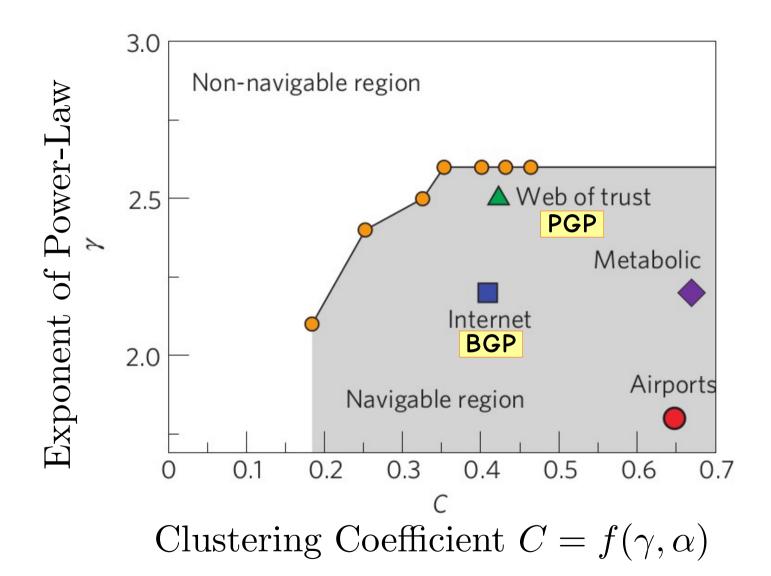
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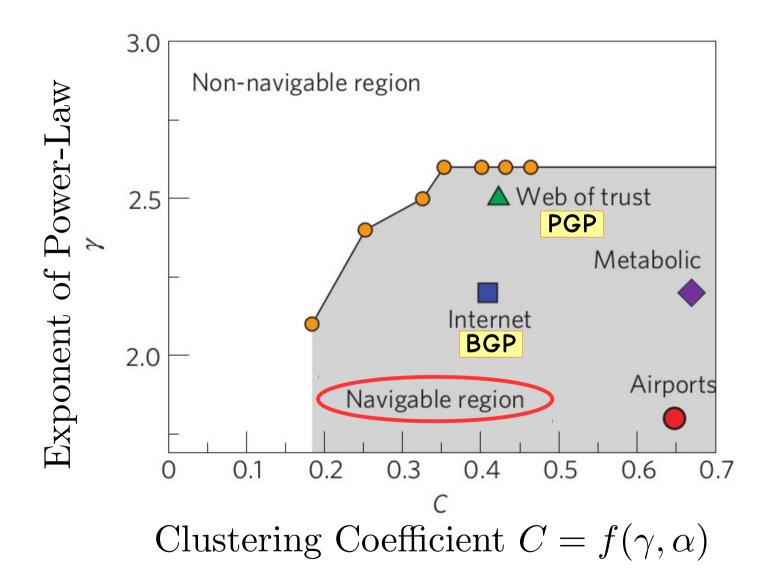


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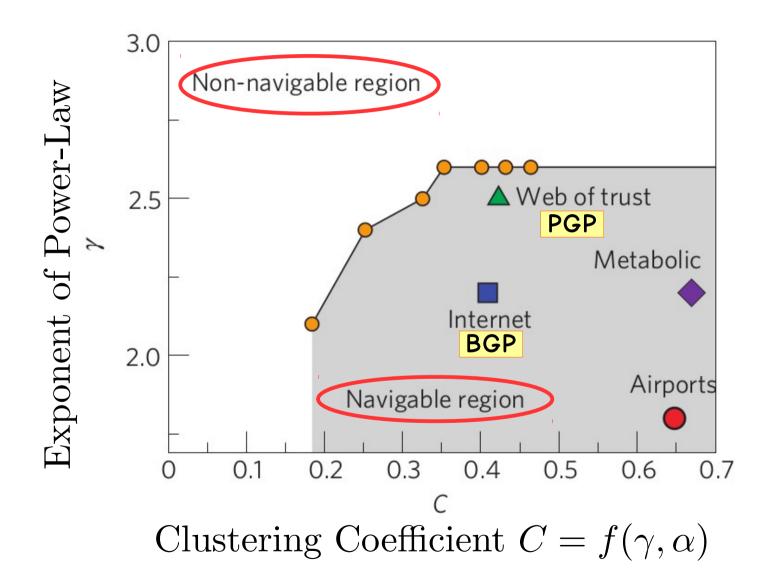














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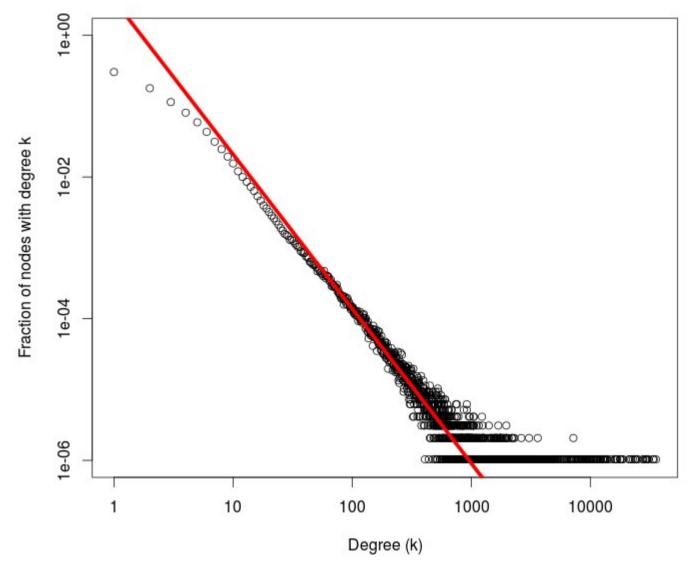


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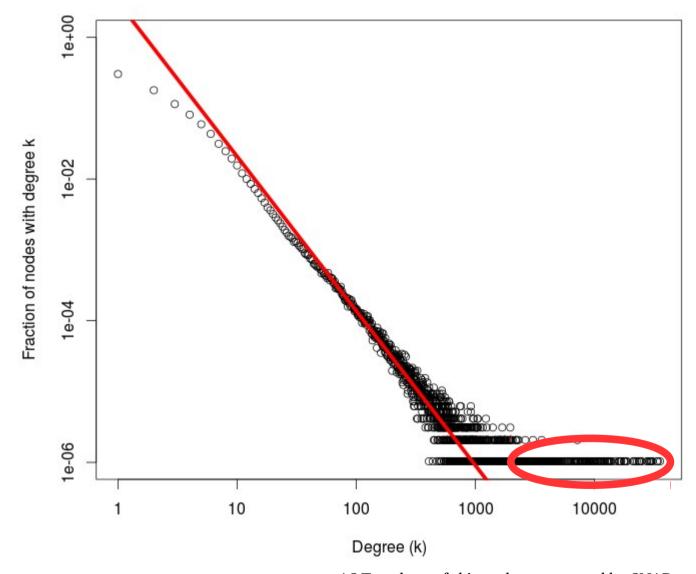
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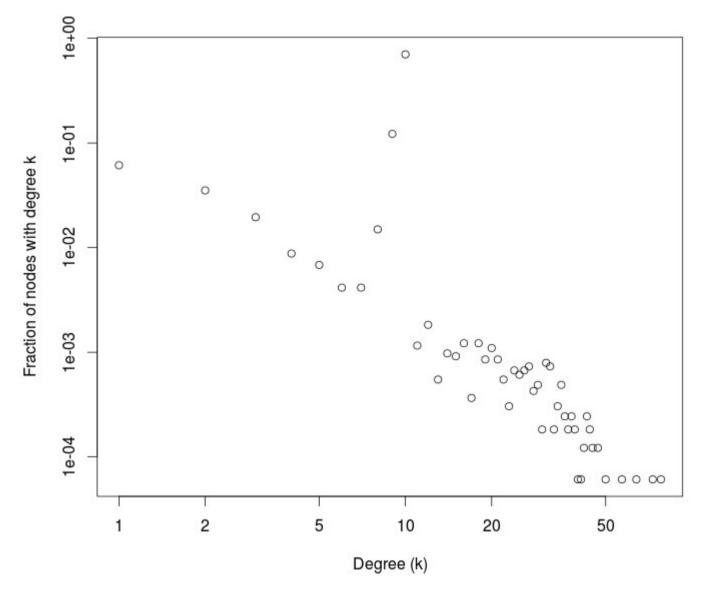
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Scale Free for Gnutella?



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Summary (Modeling Overlay Networks)





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Commonly used metrics

- Clustering Coefficient
- Diameter
- Degree Distribution



Methodology

- 1) Make observations (conduct measurement studies)
- 2) Build model to explain observations
 - Choose the right level of granularity (zoom level)
 - Strip the problem to a simple form
 - Attempt to formulate the problem and model the system
- 3) Validate model
 - Reproduce observations/measurements
 - Explain observations
- 4) Revisit step 2 (and 1) to improve understanding



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Internet Indirection Architecture (I3)

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SIP

- Session Initiation Protocol
 - An Application-layer control (signaling) protocol for creating, modifying and terminating sessions with one or more participants
 - Sessions include Internet multimedia conferences,
 Internet telephone calls and multimedia distribution
 - Members can communicate via multicast or mesh of unicast relations, or a combination of the two
 - Text based, model similar to HTTP



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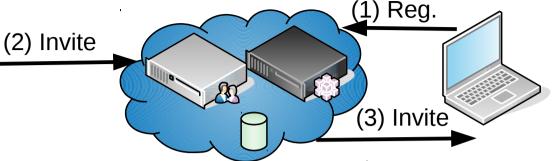


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- SIP Registrar, Location Server, and Proxy
 - Helps users resolve the IP address of each other
- Feature Servers
 - Value added services (call forwarding, recording, etc.)
- Session Border Controller
 - Protect a SIP sub-network from attacks
- Gateways: Signalling Gateway and Media Gateway
 - Transcode Media
 - Support interaction with non-SIP clients

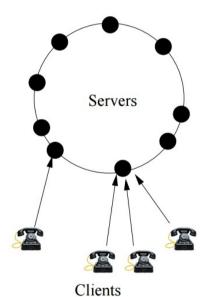


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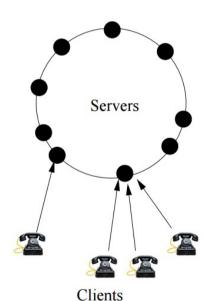
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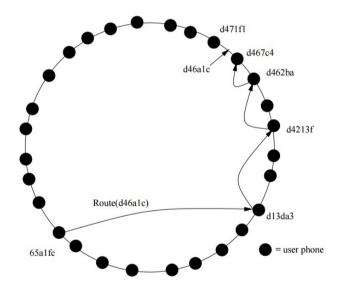
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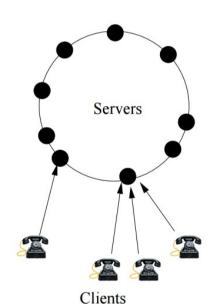


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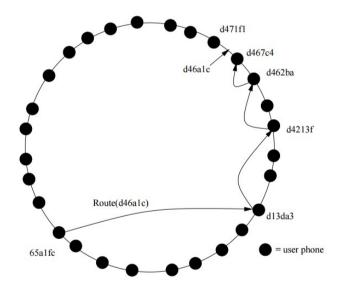
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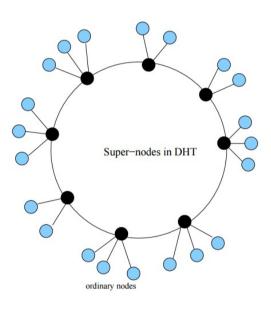
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