

The outlier eigenpair of oriented random graphs

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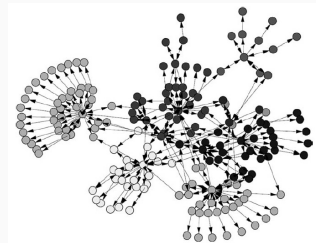
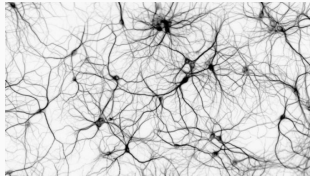
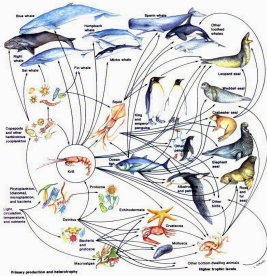
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Directed complex networks



Random
graph models



Adjacency
random matrix



**Sparse and
asymmetric**

Spectrum \Rightarrow community detection, diffusion, stability, etc

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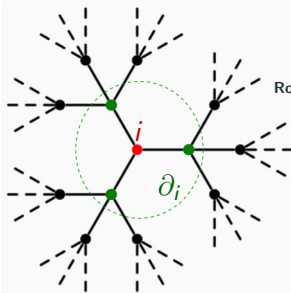
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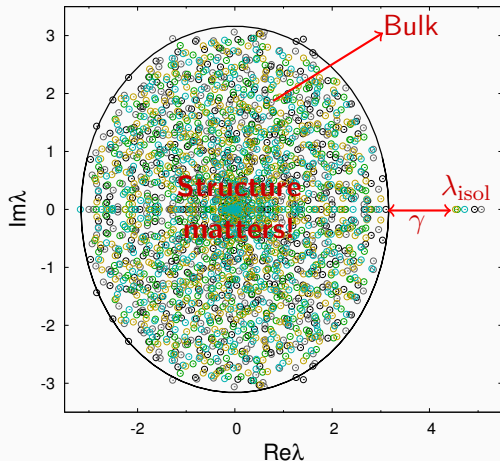
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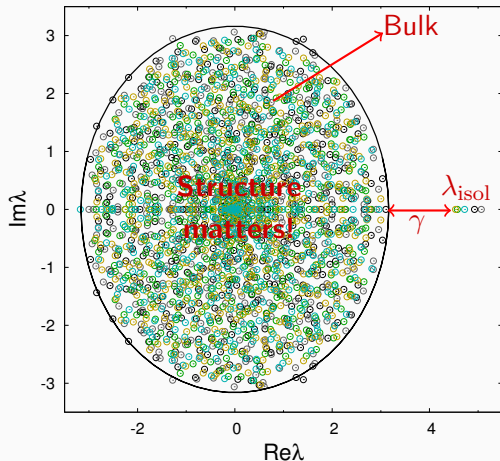


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Outside the bulk: $\rho(\lambda) = 0$

\Rightarrow **Boundary of continuum**

\Rightarrow **Average outlier** λ_{isol}

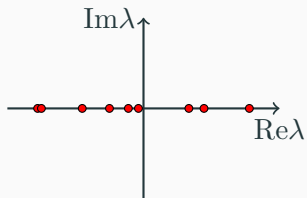
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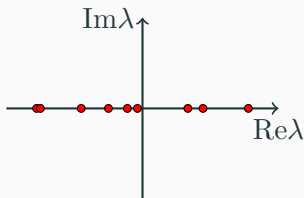


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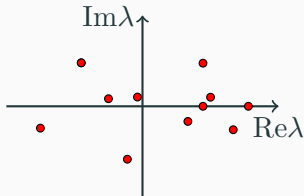
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\mathbf{G} is singular for $\text{Im}\lambda \neq 0$

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- Left and right eigenvectors of λ_α :

$$\begin{pmatrix} |l_\alpha\rangle \\ |r_\alpha\rangle \end{pmatrix} = \lim_{\eta \rightarrow 0^+} \eta \mathbf{B}^{-1}(\lambda, \eta) \mathbf{U}|_{\lambda=\lambda_\alpha}$$

$$\mathbf{U} = (1 \ 1 \ \dots \ 1)^T$$

Local recursive equations - outside the bulk

- $\eta \rightarrow 0^+$ is taken **analytically**
- **Left and right eigenvectors:**

$$r_i = -G_{ii} \sum_{k \in \partial_i} A_{ik} r_k^{(i)} \quad l_i = -G_{ii}^* \sum_{k \in \partial_i} l_k^{(i)} A_{ki}$$

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- **Resolvent diagonal elements:**

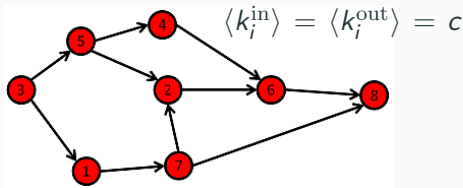
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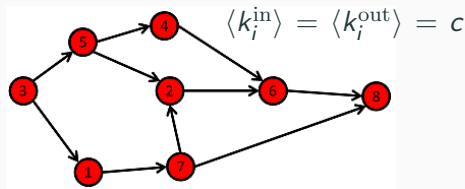


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- Self-consistent equations for the first two moments:

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$\langle f(X) \rangle \rightarrow$ average over X $\lambda \in \mathbb{C} \rightarrow$ arbitrary parameter

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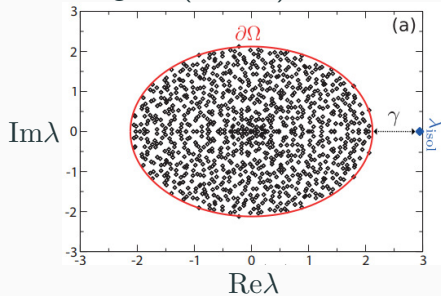
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OF $y = \frac{\langle A^2 \rangle}{c\langle A \rangle^2}$!**

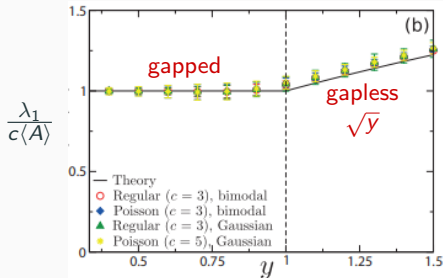
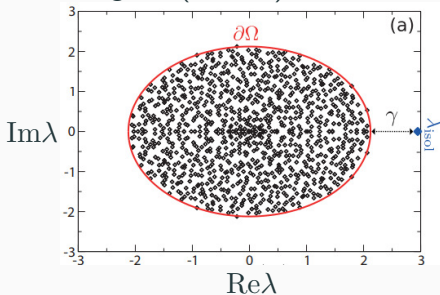
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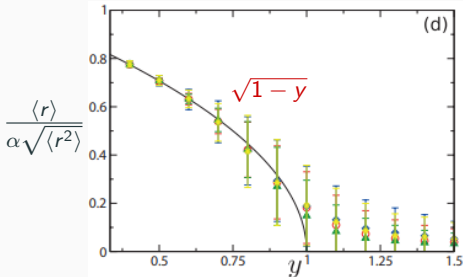
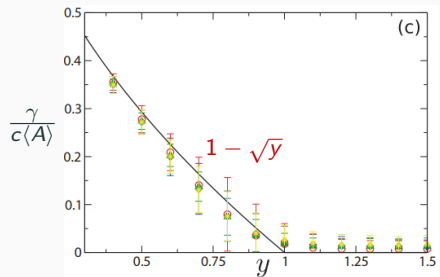
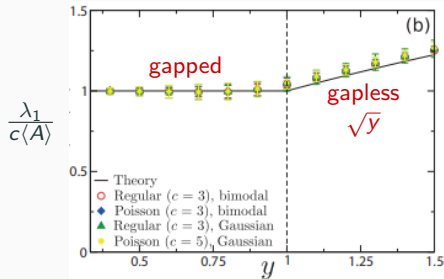
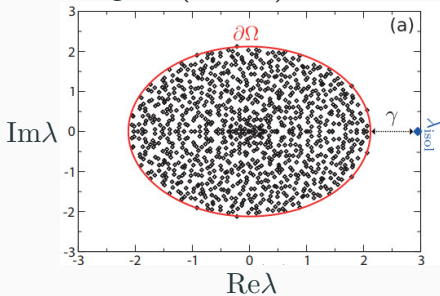
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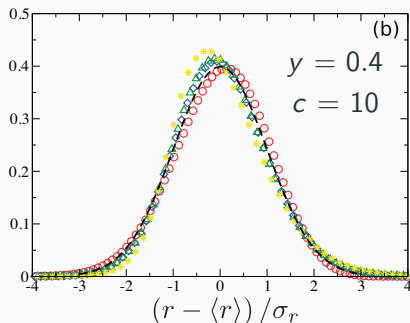
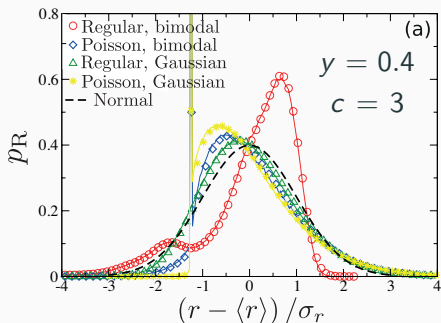
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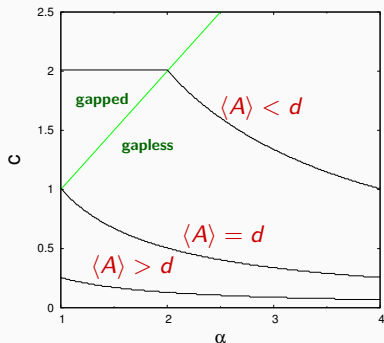
Stability of complex systems

$$\frac{dx_i(t)}{dt} = F_i[\mathbf{x}(t)] \quad i = 1, \dots, N$$

$x_i(t) \rightarrow$ population density, neural activity, etc

Linearization around equilibrium $\mathbf{x}(t) = \mathbf{x}_{\text{eq}}$: $A_{ij} \equiv \left. \frac{\partial F_i}{\partial x_j} \right|_{\mathbf{x}_{\text{eq}}}$

$A_{ii} = -d \Rightarrow$ self-regulation



$$\alpha = \frac{\langle A^2 \rangle}{\langle A \rangle^2}$$

Stability:

$$\text{Gapless} \Rightarrow c < \frac{d^2}{\alpha \langle A \rangle^2}$$

$$\text{Gapped} \Rightarrow c < \frac{d}{\langle A \rangle}$$

Final remarks

- **Universality in sparse random matrices** \rightarrow gap/gapless
- Evidence in empirical data?
- What else...
 - \Rightarrow Breaking of rotational symmetry of $p_R(r)$
 - \Rightarrow Universality for higher moments
 - \Rightarrow Non-universal behaviour of $p_R(r)$ for $c \gg 1!$