

CS 485

Random graph with a given degree distribution.

$$\begin{pmatrix} d_1 \\ \vdots \\ d_n \end{pmatrix} (d_1 \dots d_n) = \begin{pmatrix} d_1 d_1 & d_1 d_2 & \dots & d_1 d_n \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ d_n d_1 & \dots & \dots & d_n d_n \end{pmatrix} \begin{matrix} \rightarrow 0/1 \\ \uparrow \\ \text{randomly round to} \end{matrix}$$

Depending on d_i , there may or may not be a giant component!
Condition:

$$\sum_{i=1}^n i(i-2)\lambda_i = 0 \quad \leftarrow \text{if } > 0, \text{ there is a giant component.}$$

where λ_i is the frequency of a degree i vertex.

For $G(n, p)$

$$\lambda_i = \binom{n}{i} p^i (1-p)^{n-i}$$

$$\sum_{i=0}^n i(i-2) \binom{n}{i} p^i (1-p)^{n-i}$$

$$= \sum_{i=0}^n i(i-2) \frac{n(n-1)\dots(n-i+1)}{i!} \frac{1}{n^i} \left(1 - \frac{1}{n}\right)^{n-i}$$

$$= \frac{1}{e} \sum_{i=0}^n i(i-2) \frac{n(n-1)\dots(n-i+1)}{i! n^i} \left(\frac{n-1}{n}\right)^{n-i}$$

$$= \frac{1}{e} \sum_{i=0}^n \frac{i(i-2)}{i!} \frac{n(n-1)\dots(n-i+1)}{(n-1)(n-1)\dots(n-1)}$$

$$\leq \frac{1}{e} \sum \frac{i(i-2)}{i!}$$

$$\text{see that } \sum_{i=0}^n \frac{1}{i!} = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{1}{i!} = \sum_{j=1}^n \frac{1}{(j-1)!} = \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} \frac{1}{j!}$$

$$\text{Now look at } \sum_{i=0}^n \frac{i^2}{i!} = \sum_{i=1}^n \frac{i}{(i-1)!} = \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} \frac{j+1}{j!} = \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} \frac{j}{j!} + \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} \frac{1}{j!}$$

$$= \sum_{j=1}^{n-2} \frac{1}{j!} + \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} \frac{1}{j!}$$

Going back

$$\sum_{i=0}^n \frac{i(i-2)}{i!} = \sum_{j=0}^{n-2} \frac{1}{j!} + \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} \frac{1}{j!} - 2 \sum_{j=0}^{n-1} \frac{1}{j!} = \frac{1}{(n-1)!} \rightarrow 0$$

Exponential degree distribution

1) Start with a single vertex

2) Each time you want to add a vertex + δ edges.

$$\lambda_i = \frac{(2\delta)^i}{(1+2\delta)^{i+1}} \quad \delta = \frac{1}{4} \quad \lambda_i = \frac{2}{3} \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^i \quad \text{which is indeed exponential}$$

$$\begin{aligned} \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} i(i-2) \frac{2}{3} \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^i &= \frac{2}{3} \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} i^2 \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^i - 2 \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} i \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^i \\ &= \frac{2}{3} \left[\frac{a(1+a)}{(1-a)^3} - \frac{2a}{(1-a)^2} \right] = \frac{2}{3} \left[\frac{\frac{1}{3} \cdot \frac{4}{3}}{\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^3} - \frac{2 \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)}{\left(\frac{2}{3}\right)^2} \right] \\ &= \frac{2}{3} \left[\frac{3}{2} - 2 \left(\frac{3}{4}\right) \right] = 0 \end{aligned}$$

So if there is a random graph with given degree distribution, then there is a phase transition.

$$\# \text{ of edges} = \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} (\lambda_i n) i = \frac{n}{2} \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \underbrace{\frac{2}{3} \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^i}_{\lambda_i}$$

$$= \frac{n}{3} \sum_{i=0}^{\infty} \left(\frac{1}{3}\right)^i$$

$$= \frac{n}{3} \left[\frac{1/3}{(1-1/3)^2} \right] = \frac{n}{4}$$

Let $d_k(t)$ be the expected number of vertices of degree k at time t

$$d_0(t+1) = d_0(t) + 1 - \frac{28 d_0(t)}{t}$$

$$d_k(t+1) = d_k(t) + \frac{28 d_{k-1}(t)}{t} - \frac{28 d_k(t)}{t}$$

Consider a solution of form $d_k(t) = p_k t$

$$(t+1)p_0 = p_0(t) - 28 p_0 + 1$$

$$p_0 = \frac{1}{1+28}$$

$$(t+1)p_k = p_k t + \frac{28 p_{k-1}}{t} - \frac{28 p_k}{t}$$

$$p_k = \frac{28 p_{k-1}}{1+28} = \left(\frac{28}{1+28} \right)^k \left(\frac{1}{1+28} \right)$$