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# PERCOLATION AND CONNECTIVITY IN AB RANDOM GEOMETRIC GRAPHS

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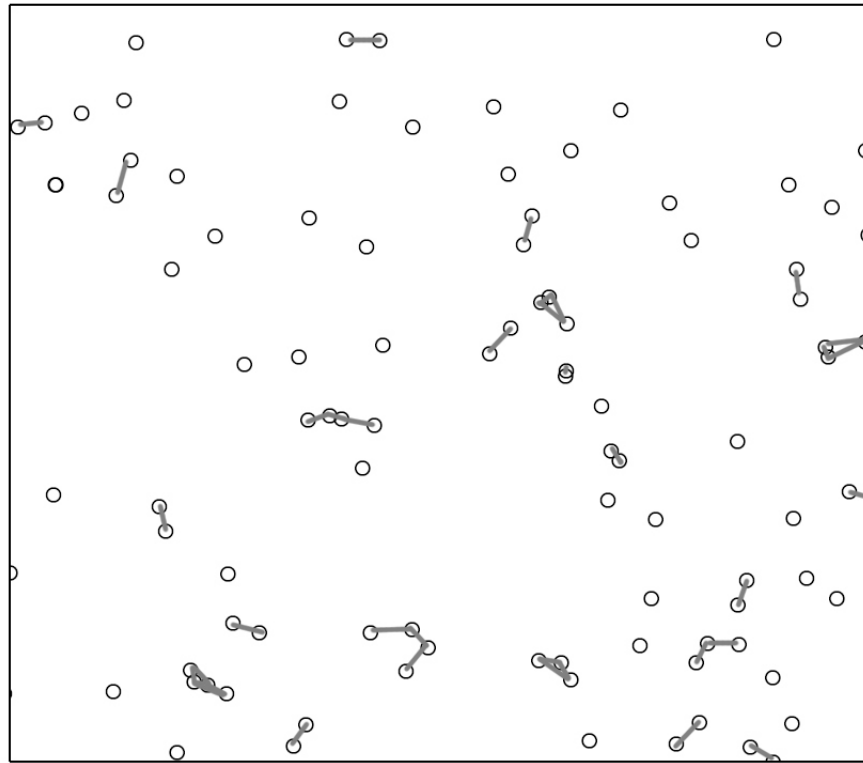
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## Random Geometric Graphs



Drop points on the plane ; Link any two points within a distance  $r$ .

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## AB Random Geometric Graphs

Drop two set of points on the plane.

Link any two points of the different type within a distance  $r$ .

## Motivation

- Frequency division half duplex transmission scheme : Nodes have two choices of transmission-reception frequency -  $(f_1, f_2)$  or  $(f_2, f_1)$ .
- Multi-level Node deployment : Air-borne nodes and ground-level nodes. Communication barred between nodes at same level.
- Secure communication : Tagged nodes broadcast a key and normal nodes which receive the same key can communicate.

## AB Boolean model : Percolation

- $d \geq 2$ .  $\Phi^{(1)} = \{X_i\}_{i \geq 1}$  and  $\Phi^{(2)} = \{Y_i\}_{i \geq 1}$  be independent Poisson point processes in  $\mathbb{R}^d$  with intensities  $\lambda$  and  $\mu$  respectively.
- **Boolean Model:**  $G(\lambda, r) := (\Phi^{(1)}, E(\lambda, r))$ ;  $\langle X_i, X_j \rangle \in E(\lambda, r)$  if  $|X_i - X_j| \leq 2r$ .
- Percolation in a graph  $\Rightarrow$  existence of an infinite connected subset of points.
- For Boolean model, percolation  $\equiv$  existence of unbounded connected (topological) subset in  $\cup_i B_{X_i}(r)$ .
- There exist  $0 < \lambda_c(r) < \infty$  such that  $G(\lambda, r)$  percolates a.s. iff  $\lambda > \lambda_c(r)$ .
- **AB Boolean Model :**  $G(\lambda, \mu, r) := (\Phi^{(1)}, E(\lambda, \mu, r))$ ;  
 $\langle X_i, X_j \rangle \in E(\lambda, \mu, r)$  if  $|X_i - Y| \leq 2r, |X_j - Y| \leq 2r$ , for some  $Y \in \Phi^{(2)}$ .
- **Critical Intensity :**  $\mu_c(\lambda, r) := \sup\{\mu : \mathbf{P}(G(\lambda, \mu, r) \text{ percolates}) = 0\}$ .

## Percolation Results

### Simple bounds :

- $\mu_c(\lambda, r) \geq \lambda_c(r) - \lambda$ .
- $\mu_c(\lambda, r) = \infty$ , if  $\lambda \leq \lambda_c(2r)$ .

**Theorem :**  $d = 2$ .  $\lambda > \lambda_c(2r)$  iff  $\mu_c(\lambda, r) < \infty$ .

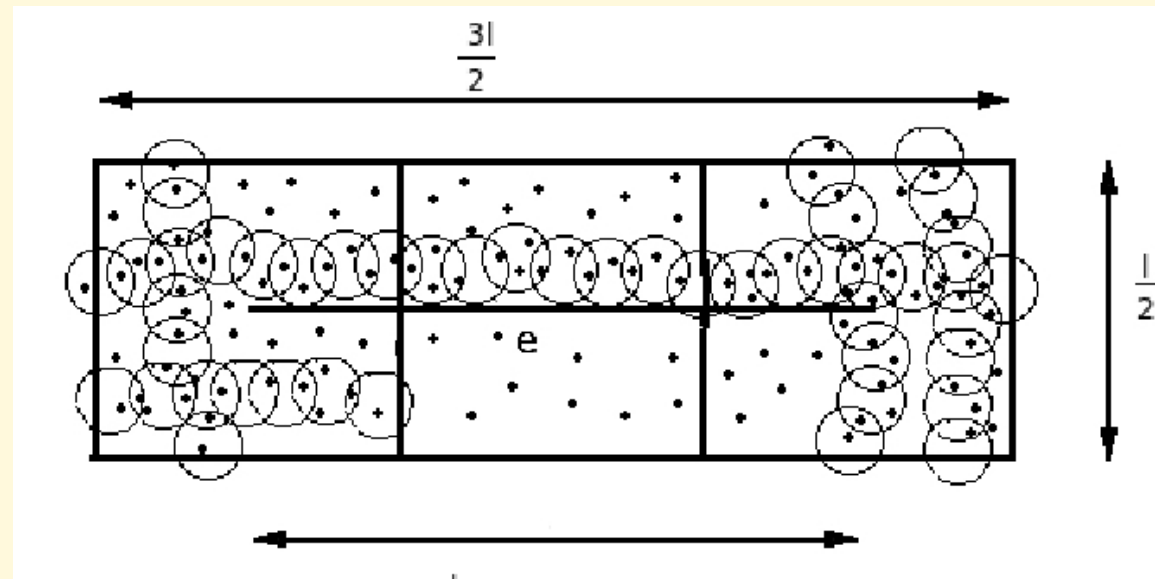
**Proposition**  $d \geq 2$ .

1. For  $\lambda$  large,  $\mu_c(\lambda, r) < \infty$ . (i.e, Phase transition for all  $d \geq 2$ ).
2. For  $\lambda$  large, there exists a  $p(\lambda) < \frac{1}{2}$ , such that  $G(p\lambda, (1 - p)\lambda, r)$  percolates a.s., for all  $p \in (p(\lambda), 1 - p(\lambda))$ .

Giant component is unique.

Part (1) of the Proposition holds true for more **word percolation** i.e, percolation models with  $k$  types of point processes.

AB Boolean model is equivalent to word percolation with  $k = 2$ .

**Proof**

- Fix  $r_1$  such that  $\lambda > \lambda_c(2r_1)$ .
- $A_e = \{ G(\lambda, 2r_1) \text{ has left-right crossing and top-down crossing in the last boxes} \}$ .
- $B_e = \text{each pair of balls with non-empty intersection in } G(\lambda, 2r_1), \text{ when expanded to balls of radius } 2r \text{ contain at least one point of } \Phi^{(2)}.$
- Note that  $A_e B_e \text{ percolates} \Rightarrow G(\lambda, \mu, r) \text{ percolates}.$
- Prove percolation in the discrete model via Peierls argument and 1-dependence structure.

## AB Random Geometric Graphs : Connectivity

- $d \geq 2$ .  $\mathcal{P}_n^{(1)}$  and  $\mathcal{P}_n^{(2)}$  be independent homogenous Poisson point processes of intensity  $n$  in  $U = [0, 1]^d$  (Toroidal metric).
- **AB Random geometric graph** :  $G_n(m, r) := (\mathcal{P}_n^{(1)}, E_n(m, r))$  ;  
 $\langle X_i, X_j \rangle \in E_n(m, r)$  if  $d(X_i, Y) \leq r, d(X_j, Y) \leq r$ , for some  $Y \in \mathcal{P}_m^{(2)}$ .
- **Aim** : Study connectivity threshold in  $G_n(cn, r)$  as  $n \rightarrow \infty$  for  $c > 0$ .
- **Radius regime**:  $\theta_d = \|B_O(1)\|$ , volume of unit ball.  $\beta > 0$ .

$$r_n(c, \beta) = \left( \frac{\log(n/\beta)}{cn\theta_d} \right)^{\frac{1}{d}}.$$

**Lemma** :  $W_n(r_n(c, \beta))$  be the number of isolated nodes in  $G_n(cn, r_n(c, \beta))$ . There exists  $1 < c_0(2) < 4$  and  $c_0(d) = 1, d \geq 3$  such that

$$\begin{aligned} E(W_n(r_n(c, \beta))) &\rightarrow \beta \quad \text{for } c < c_0(d), \\ E(W_n(r_n(c, \beta))) &\rightarrow \infty \quad \text{for } c > 2^d. \end{aligned}$$



## Connectivity Threshold

**Proposition :**  $M_n := \sup\{r \geq 0 : W_n(r) > 0\}$ . For  $0 < c < c_0(d)$ ,

$$W_n(r_n(c, \beta)) \xrightarrow{d} Po(\beta),$$

$$\mathbf{P}(M_n \leq r_n(c, \beta)) \rightarrow e^{-\beta}.$$

**Theorem :**  $\alpha_n(c) := \inf\{a : G_n(cn, a^{\frac{1}{d}}r_n(c, 1)) \text{ is connected}\}$ . Then almost surely,

$$\liminf_{n \rightarrow \infty} \alpha_n(c) \geq 1,$$

for any  $c < c_0(d)$ , and for any  $c > 0$ ,

$$\limsup_{n \rightarrow \infty} \alpha_n(c) \leq \alpha(c),$$

where  $\alpha(c) \leq \left(1 + \frac{c^{\frac{1}{d}}}{2}\right)^d$  for  $d \geq 2$  with equality for  $d \geq 3$ .

## Random Geometric Graphs :

**Random geometric graph :**  $G_n(R) := (\mathcal{P}_n^{(1)}, E_n(R)) ; \langle X_i, X_j \rangle \in E_n(R)$  if  $d(X_i, X_j) \leq R$ .

**Radius Regime :**

$$R_n(\beta) = \left( \frac{\log(n/\beta)}{n\theta_d} \right)^{\frac{1}{d}}.$$

**Connectivity Threshold :**  $\alpha_n^* := \inf\{a : G_n(a^{\frac{1}{d}}R_n(1)) \text{ is connected}\}$ .

$$\lim_{n \rightarrow \infty} \alpha_n^* = 1.$$

**Proofs :****Proof of Lemma :**

$$\mathbf{E}(W_n(r)) = n \mathbf{E}(\exp(-cn \|B_O(r) \cap \mathcal{C}(n, r)\|)) = n \mathbf{E}(\exp(-cn\pi r^2(1 - V(r)))) ,$$

where  $V(r) := 1 - \frac{\|B_O(r) \cap \mathcal{C}(n, r)\|}{\pi r^2}$  with  $\mathcal{C}(n, r) := \cup_{X_i \in \mathcal{P}_n^{(1)}} B_{X_i}(r)$ .

Estimate  $\mathbf{P}(V(r) > 0)$ ; Better estimates in  $d = 2$ .

Stein-Chen method for Poisson approximation  $\Rightarrow$  Proposition.

**Proof of Theorem :** For  $a > \alpha(c)$ , there exists  $A > 1$  such that w.h.p. the following happens :

$X_1, X_2 \in \mathcal{P}_n^{(1)}$ ,  $|X_1 - X_2| \leq AR_n(1)$ , then  $\langle X_1, X_2 \rangle \in E_c(cn, ar_n(1))$ .

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