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The Structure of Level-k Phylogenetic Networks

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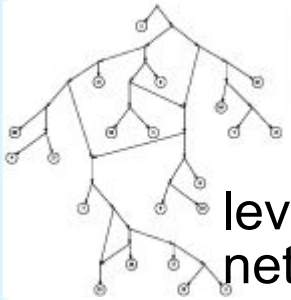

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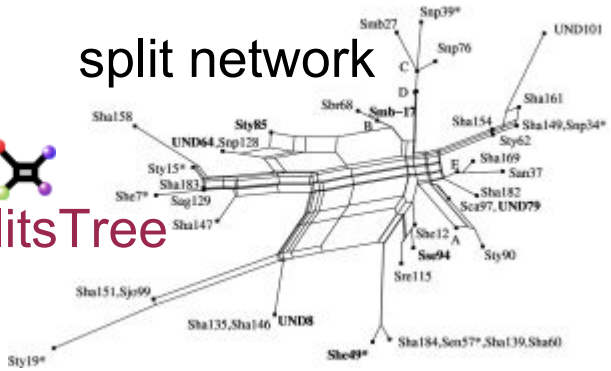

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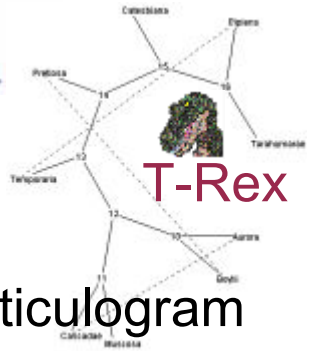

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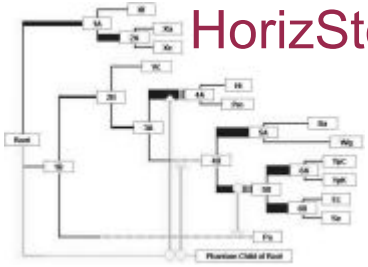

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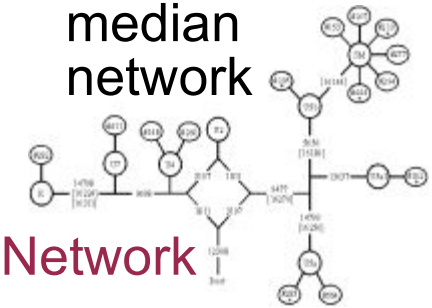

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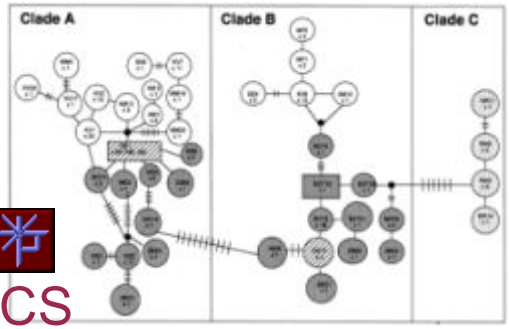

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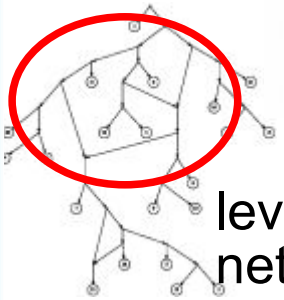

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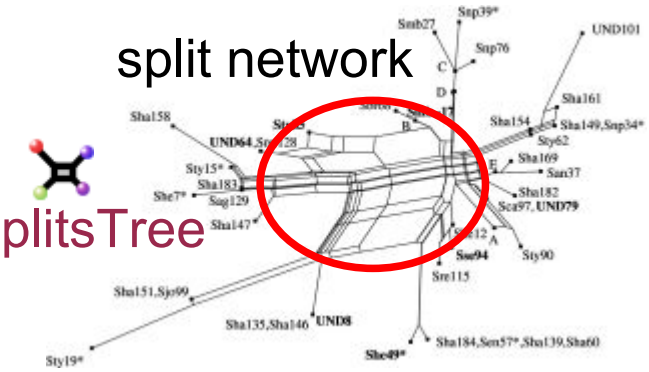

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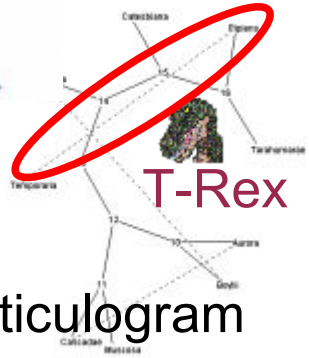

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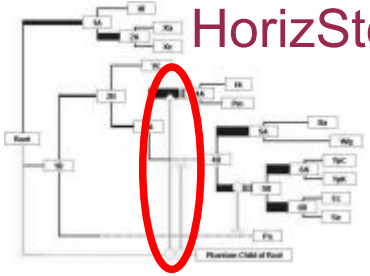

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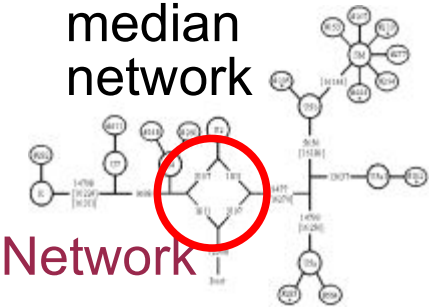

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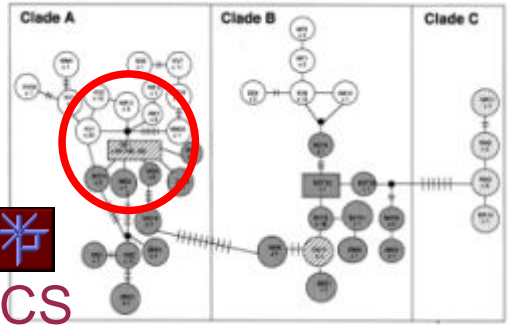

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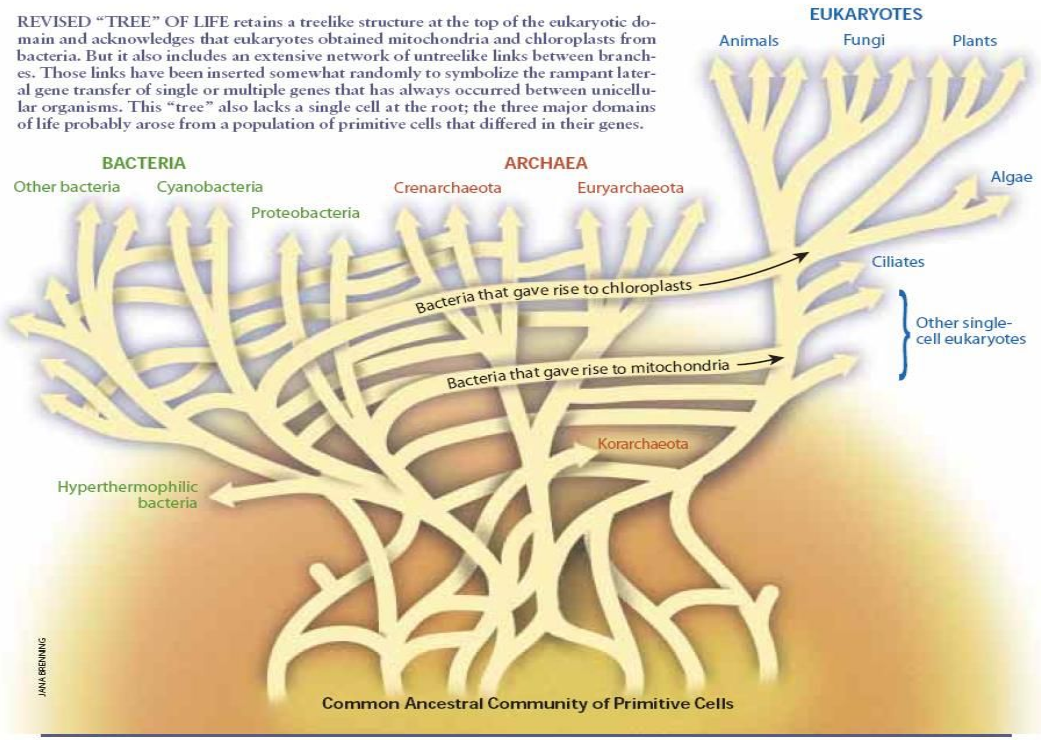

Doolittle : Uprooting the Tree of Life, Scientific American (Feb..2000)

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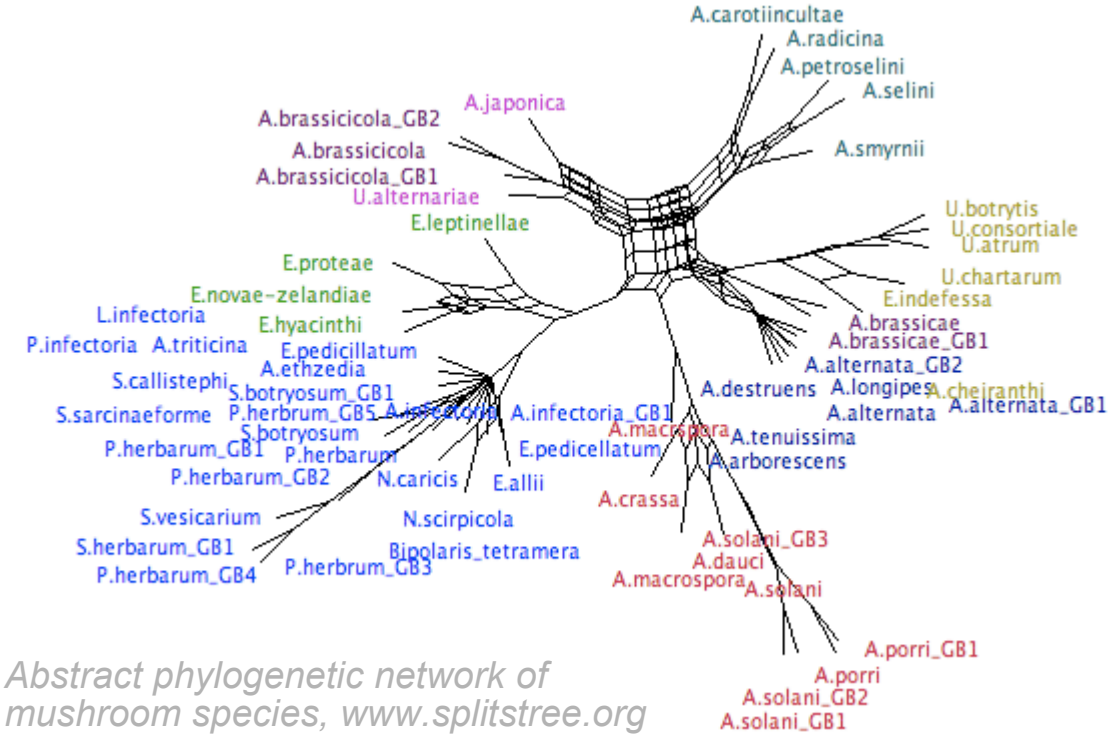
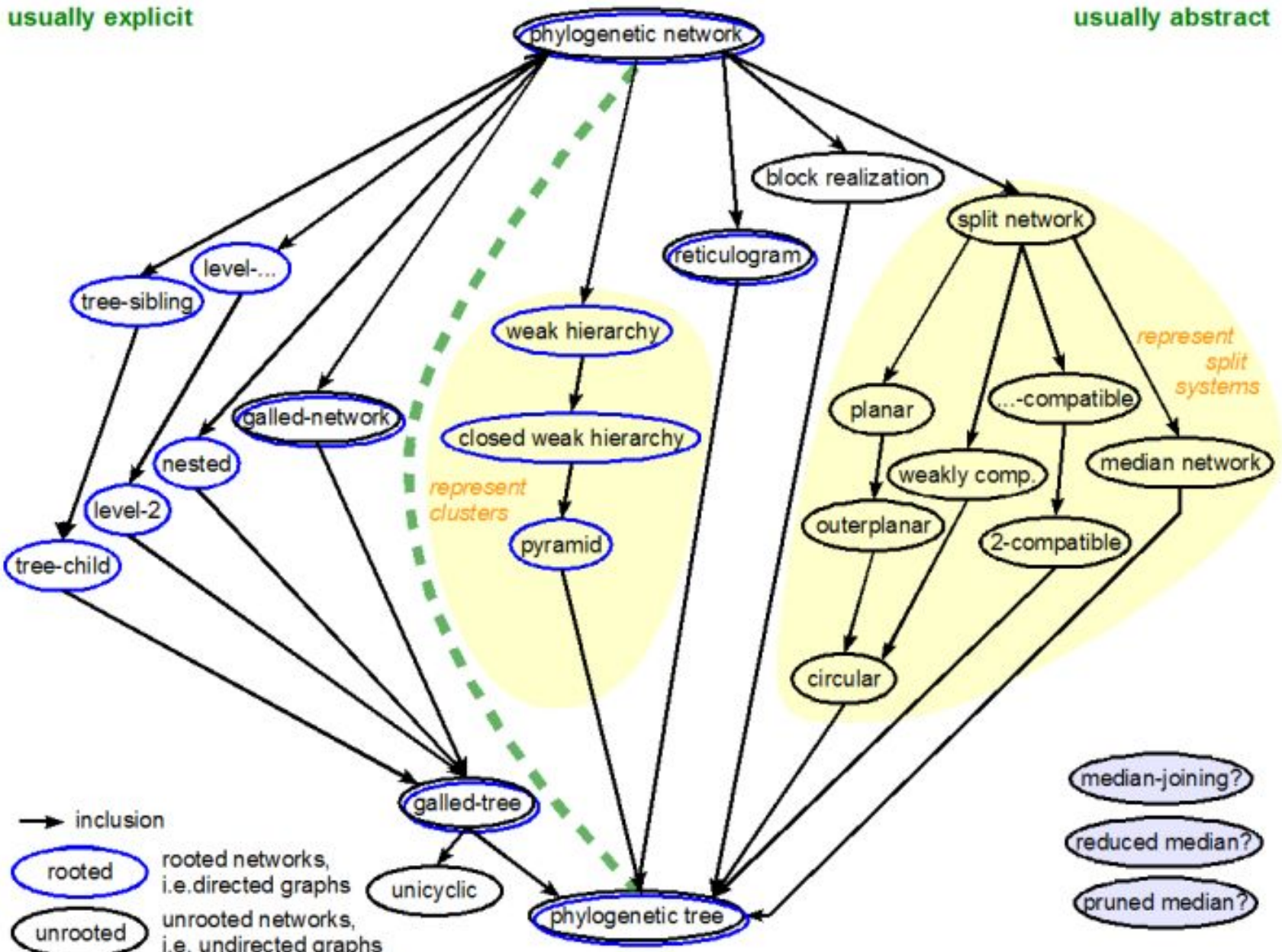


Abstract phylogenetic network of mushroom species, www.splitstree.org

Hierarchy of network subclasses



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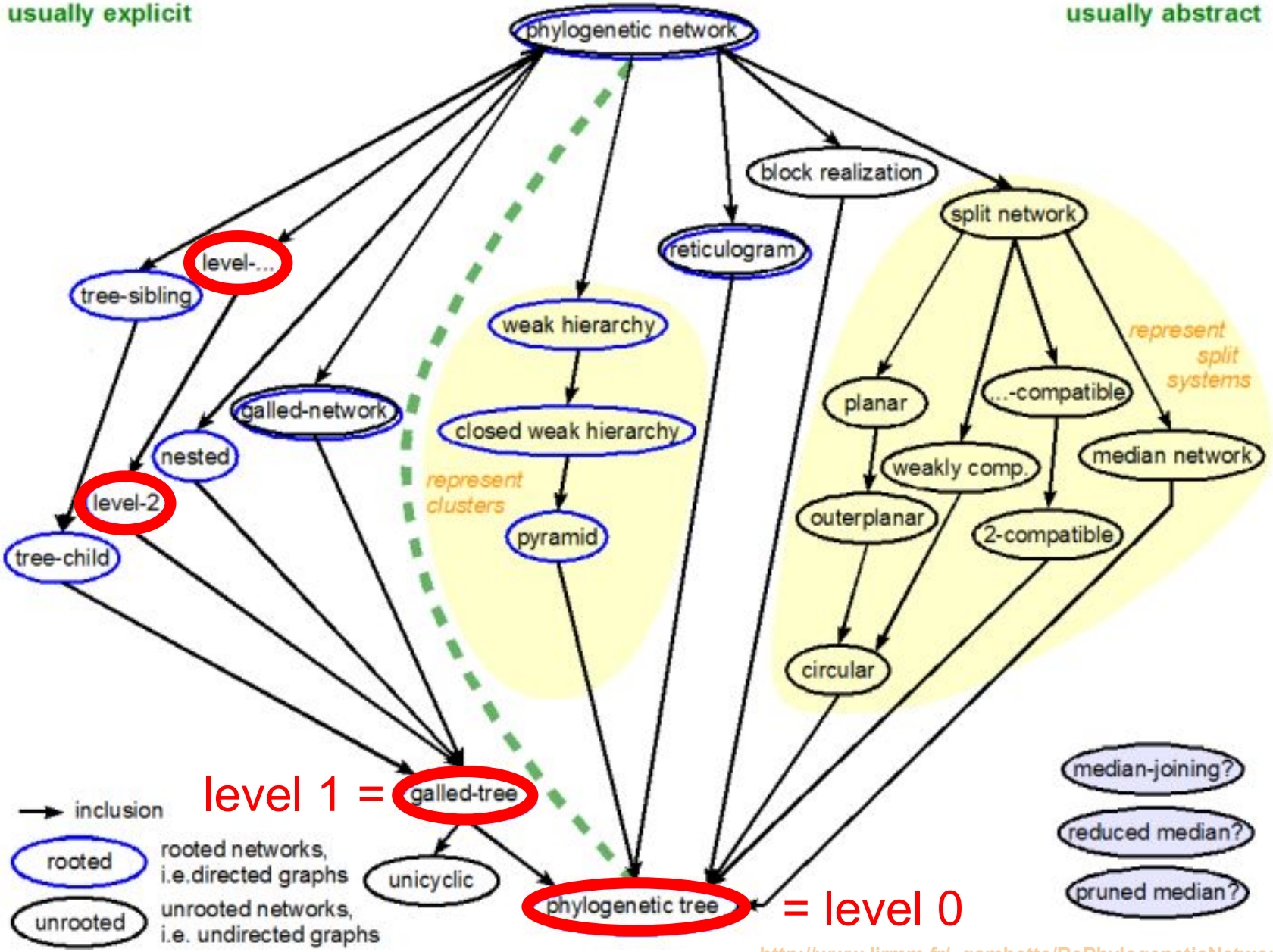

http://www.lirmm.fr/~gambette/RePhylogeneticNetworks.php

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Motivation to generalize “galled trees” (= level-1) :

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Network class	Recombination rate 0	1	2	4	8	16	32
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Arenas, Valiente, Posada : Characterization of Phylogenetic Reticulate Networks based on the Coalescent with Recombination, Molecular Biology and Evolution, to appear.

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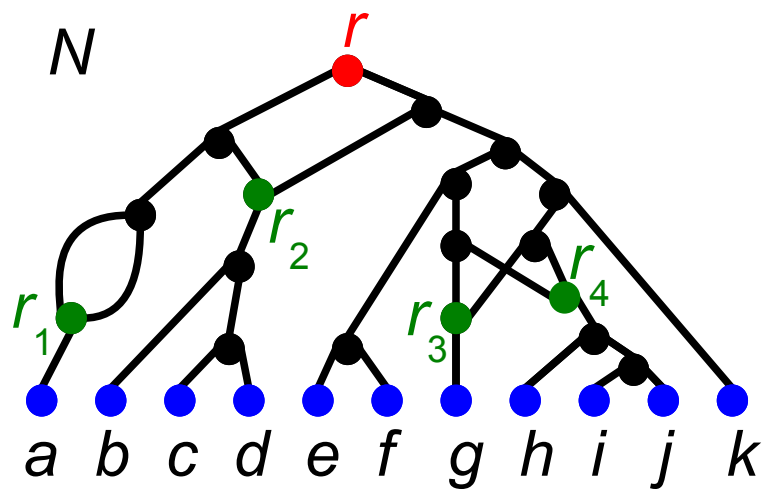

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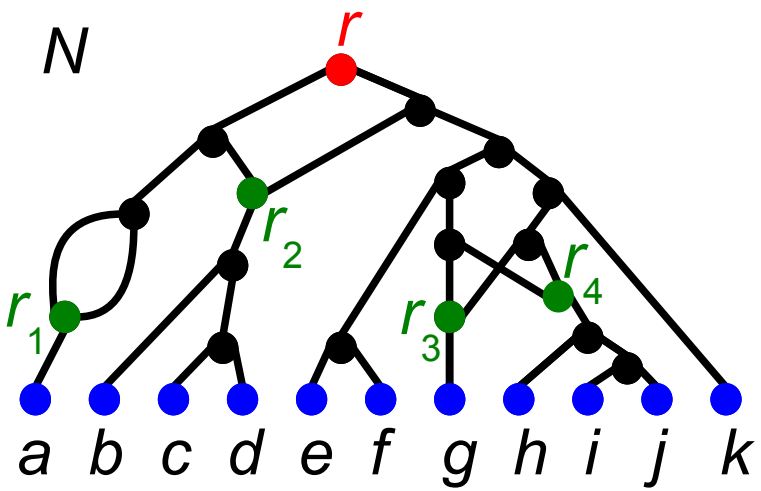

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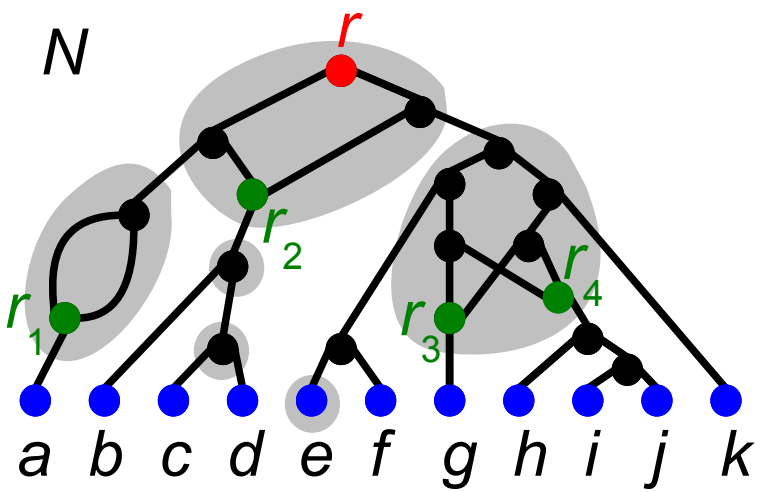

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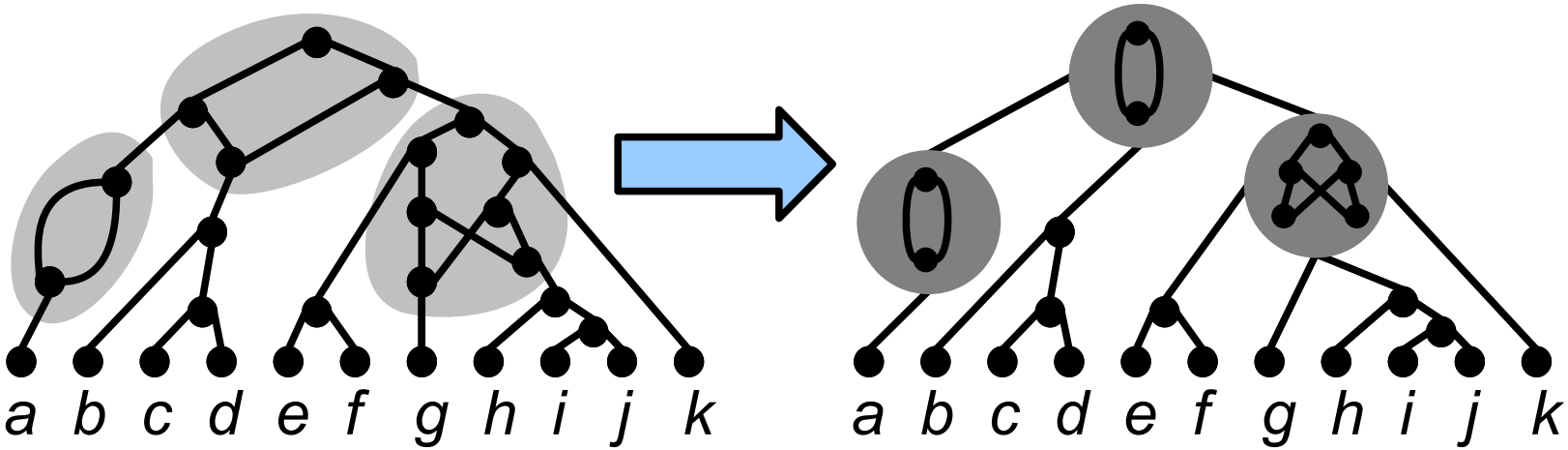
We formalize the decomposition into blobs:



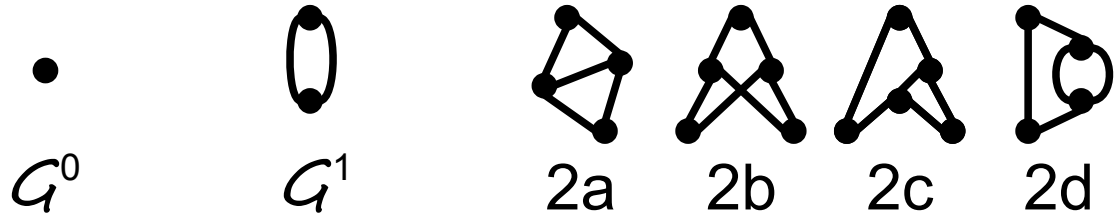
N, a level-*k* network.

N decomposed as a **tree** of simple graph patterns: **generators**.

Generators were introduced by van Iersel & al (Recomb 2008) for the restricted class of simple level-*k* networks.

Level-*k* generators

A **level-*k* generator** is a level-k network with no cut arc.



The **sides** of the generator are:
- its arcs
- its reticulation vertices of outdegree 0

Decomposition theorem of level-*k* networks

N is a level-*k* network

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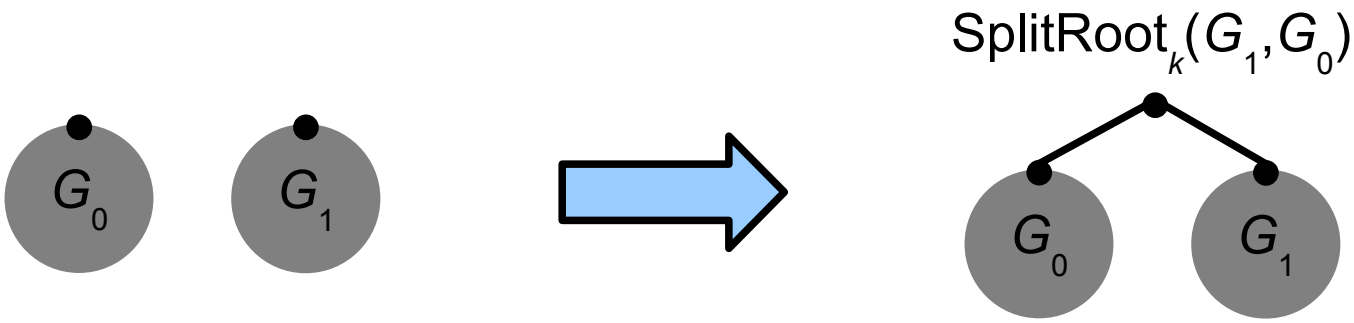

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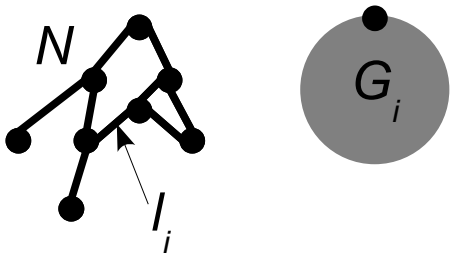

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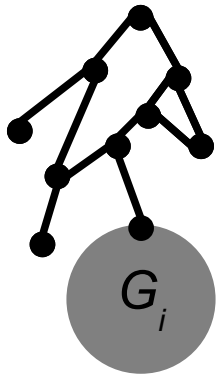

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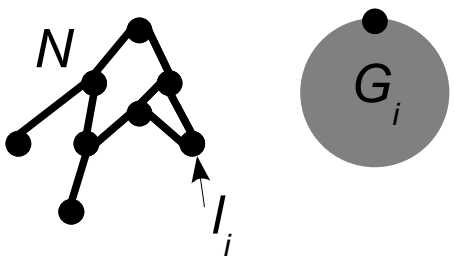

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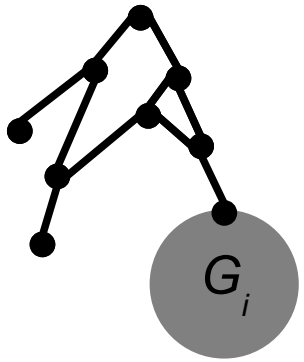

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This decomposition is **not unique!**

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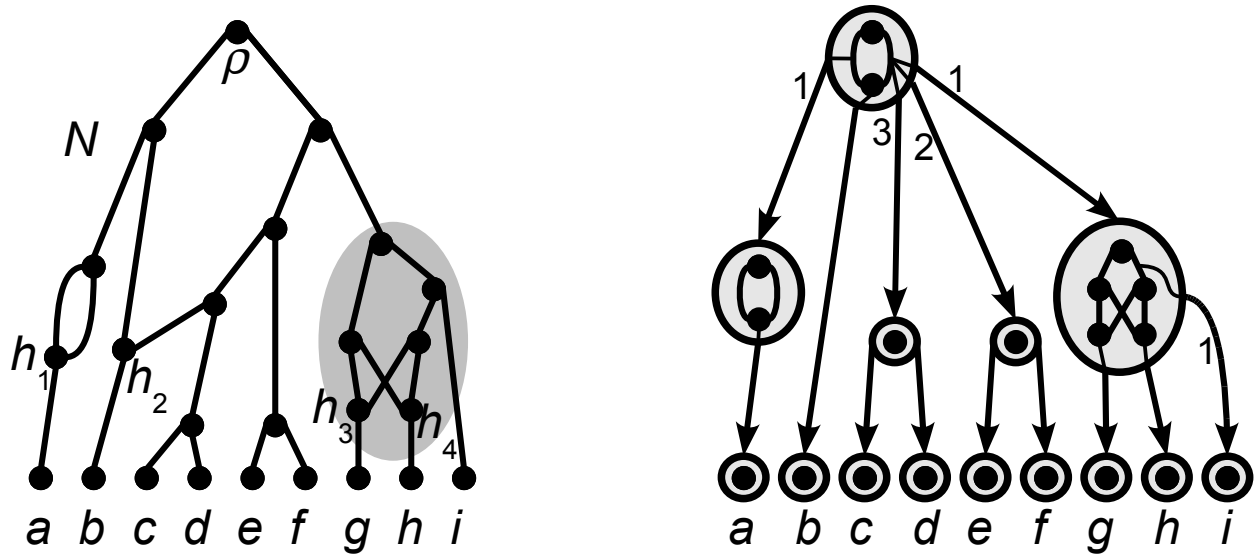
Unique **"graph-labeled tree" decomposition**:



Possible applications:
- exhaustive generation of level-*k* networks
- counting of level-*k* networks

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Van Iersel & al give a simple case analysis for level-2.

We give **rules to build level-(k+1) from level-k generators**.

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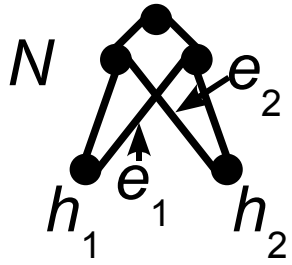
Construction rules of level-k+1 generators from level k-generators:



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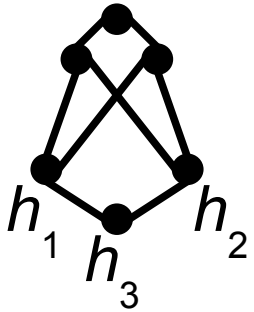

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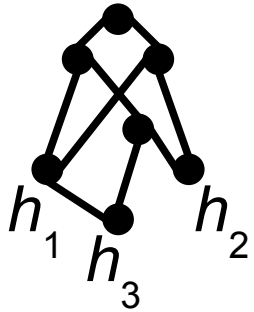

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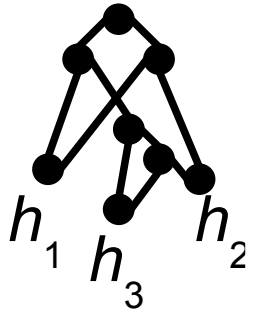

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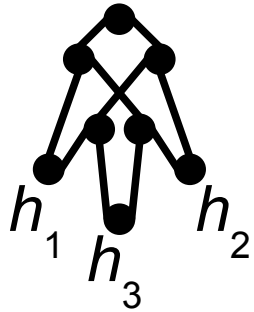

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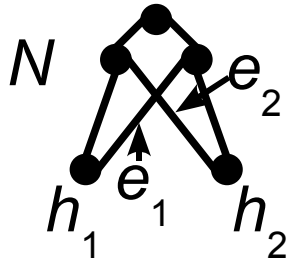

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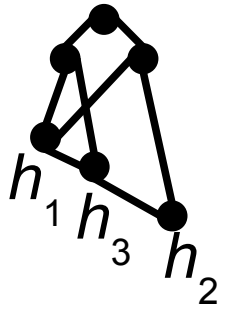

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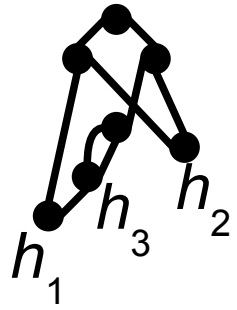

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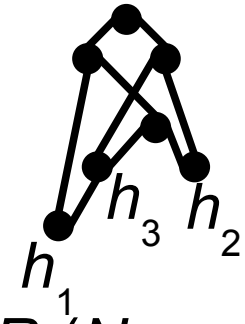

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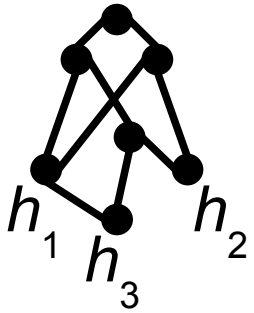

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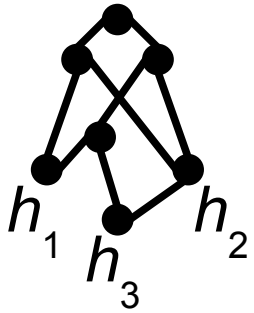

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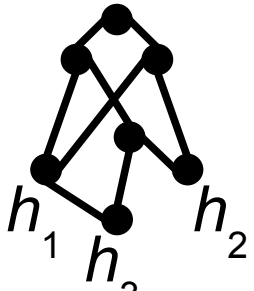

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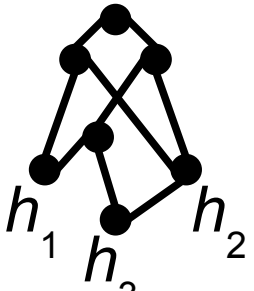

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R_1 and R_2 can be applied at most on all pairs of sides
A level-k generator has at most $5k$ slides:

$$g_{k+1} < 50\ k^2\ g_k$$

Upper bound:

$$g_k < k!^2\ 50^k$$

Theoretical corollary:
There is a polynomial algorithm to build the set of level-k+1 generators from the set of level-k generators.

Practical corollary:

$$g_4 < 28350$$

→ it is possible to enumerate all level-4 generators.

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Isomorphism of graphs of bounded valence: polynomial

(Luks, FOCS 1980)

Practical algorithm?
Simple backtracking exponential algorithm sufficient for level 4 :

go through both graphs from their root in parallel and identify their vertices: $O(n2^{n-h})$

→ $g_4 = 1993$
→ $g_5 > 71000$

Number of level-*k* generators

Greetings from The On-Line Encyclopedia of Integer Sequences!

1,4,65,1993 Search Hints

Search: **1, 4, 65, 1993**

I am sorry, but the terms do not match anything in the table.

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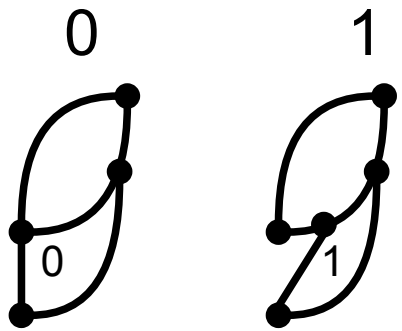

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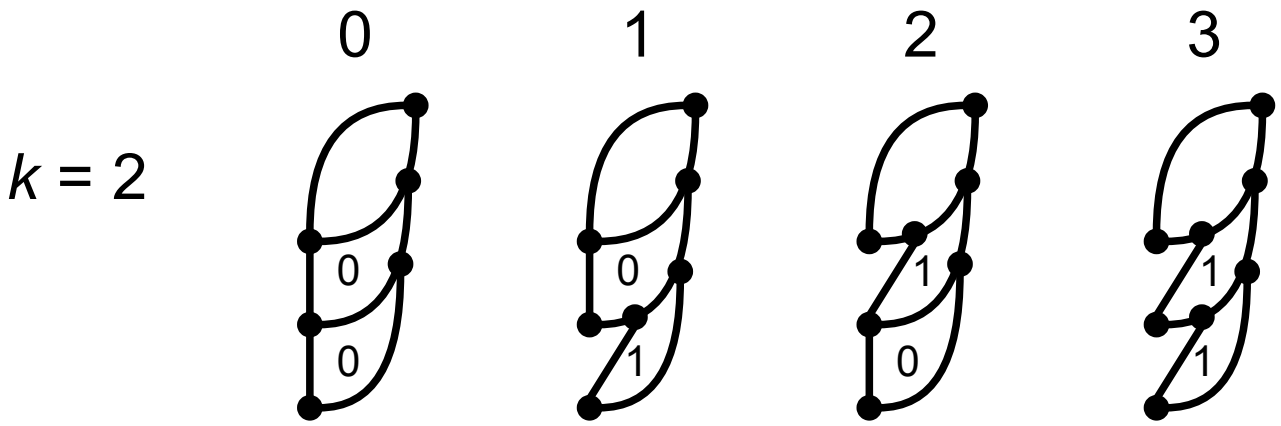

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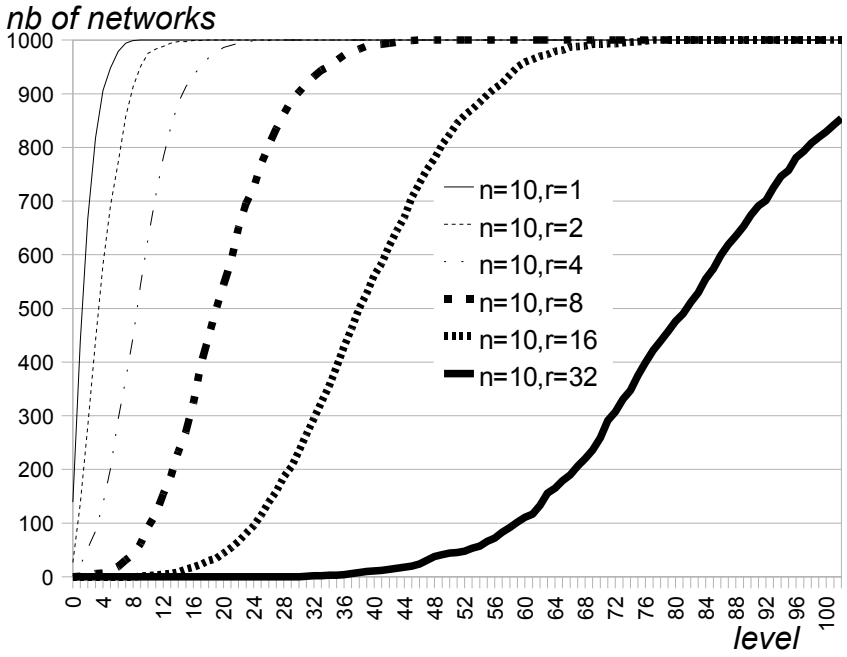
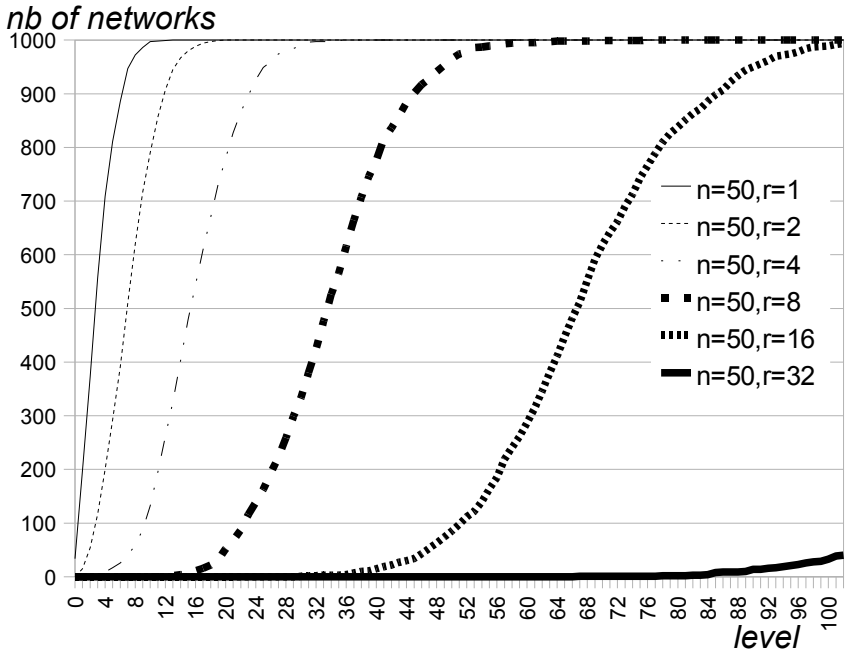
Simulate 1000 phylogenetic networks using the coalescent model with recombination.

Arenas, Valiente, Posada 2008
Program Recodon

How many are level-1,2,3... networks?





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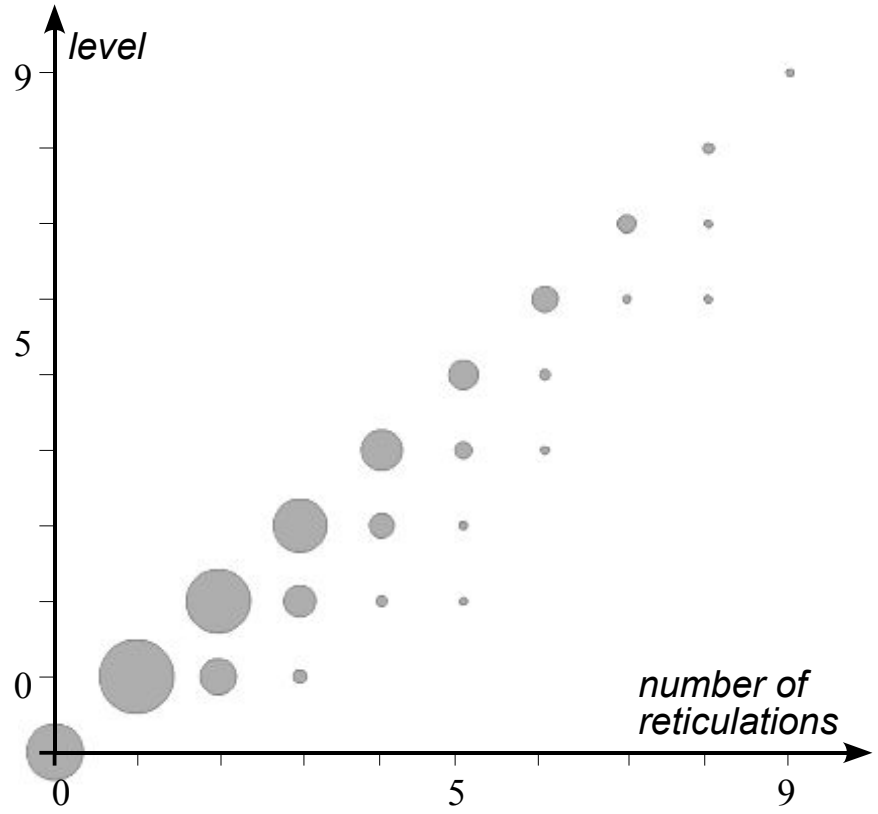


Summary on the level parameter

Advantages:

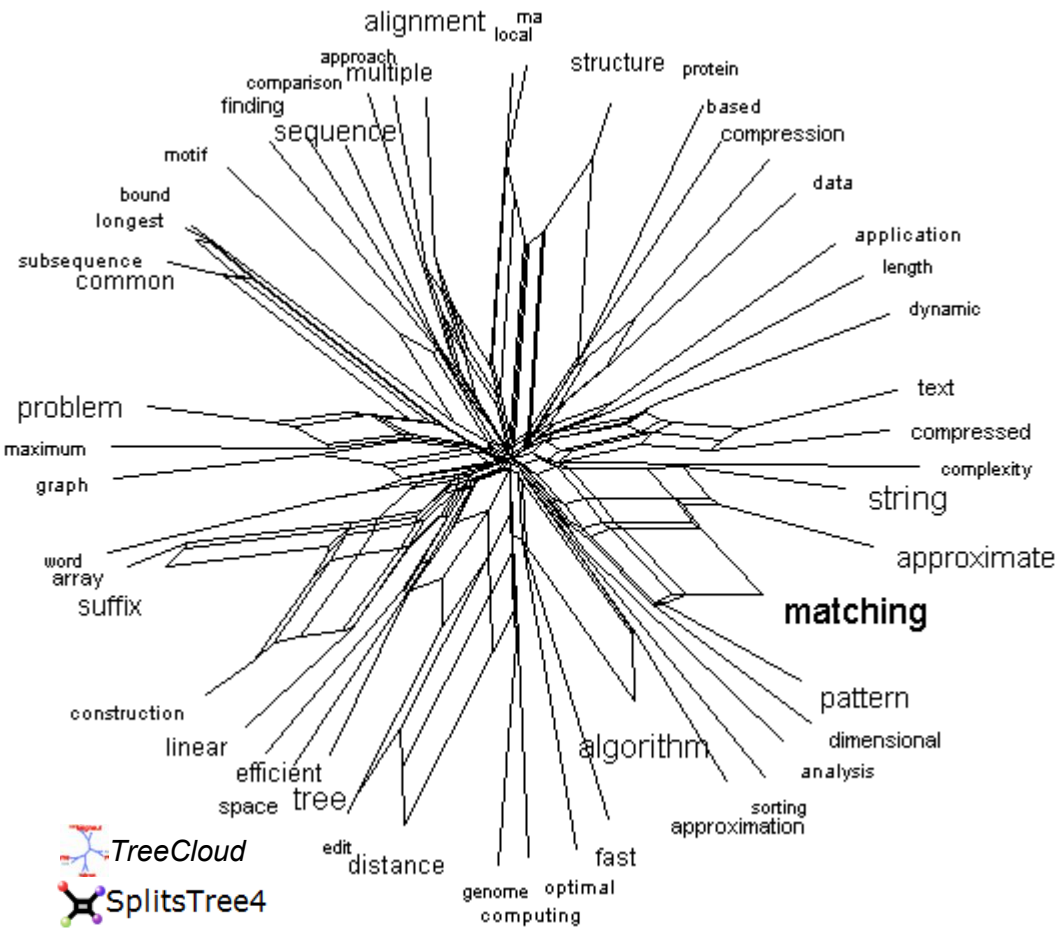
- natural structure for all explicit phylogenetic networks
- global tree-structure used algorithmically
- finite graph patterns to represent blobs: generators

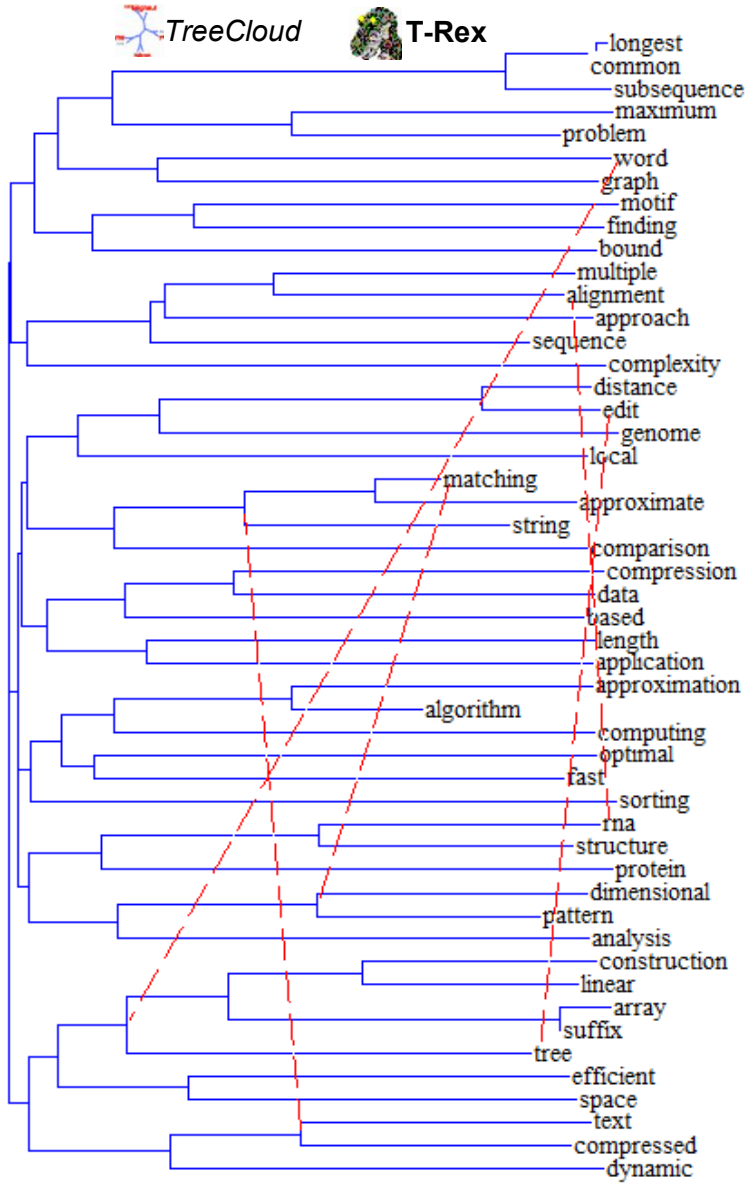
Limits:

- number of generators exponential in the level
- complex structure of generators
- when recombination is not local, level doesn't help

Questions?

Thank you for your attention!





Split network and reticulogram of the 50 most frequent words in CPM titles, hyperlex cooccurrence distance, data provided by Thierry Lecroq.