Translating Content – Text Mining

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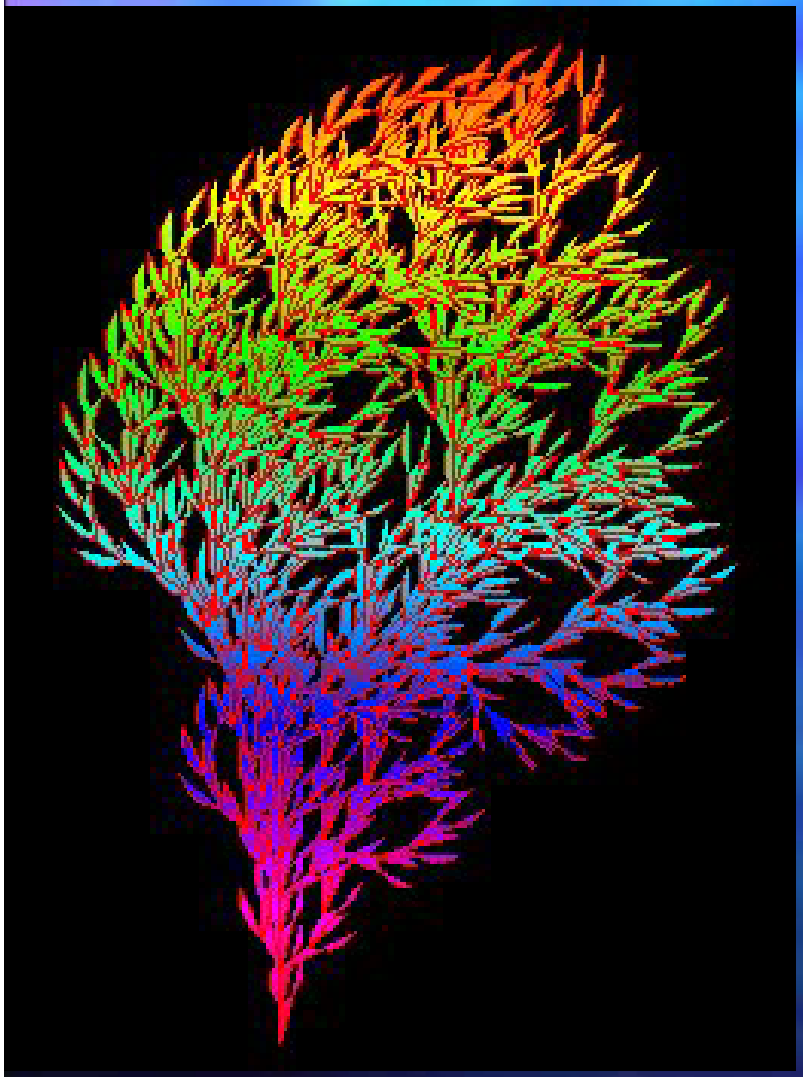
2. Chains of reasoning
3. Knowledge as a coral
4. Complex traits



Fractal analogy

Numbers

- Index Medicus®: a monthly subject/author guide to articles in 4,000 medical journals.
- BIOSIS®: Approximately 560,000 new records added each year from 5,000 biological journals
- Chemical Abstracts®: provides references to articles in over 14,000 journals in the field of chemistry
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GeneWays as an info-grinder

On-line Journals

text extraction

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automatic curation

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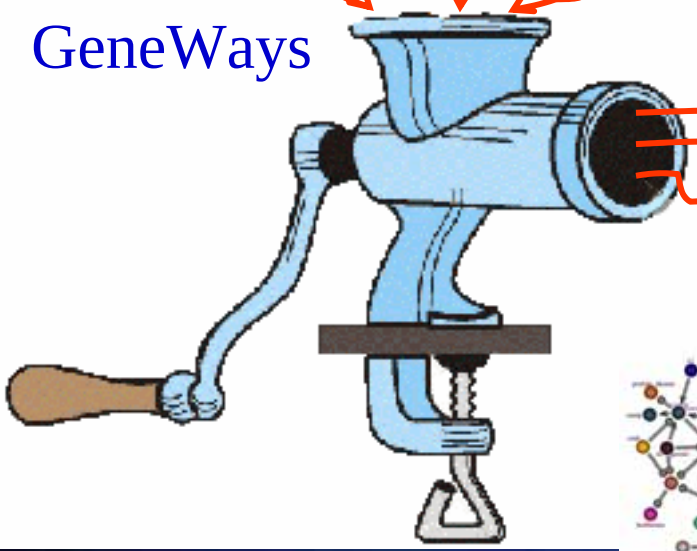
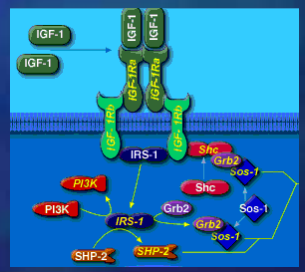
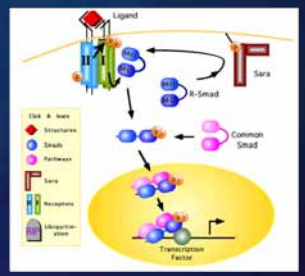
interaction database

GeneWays

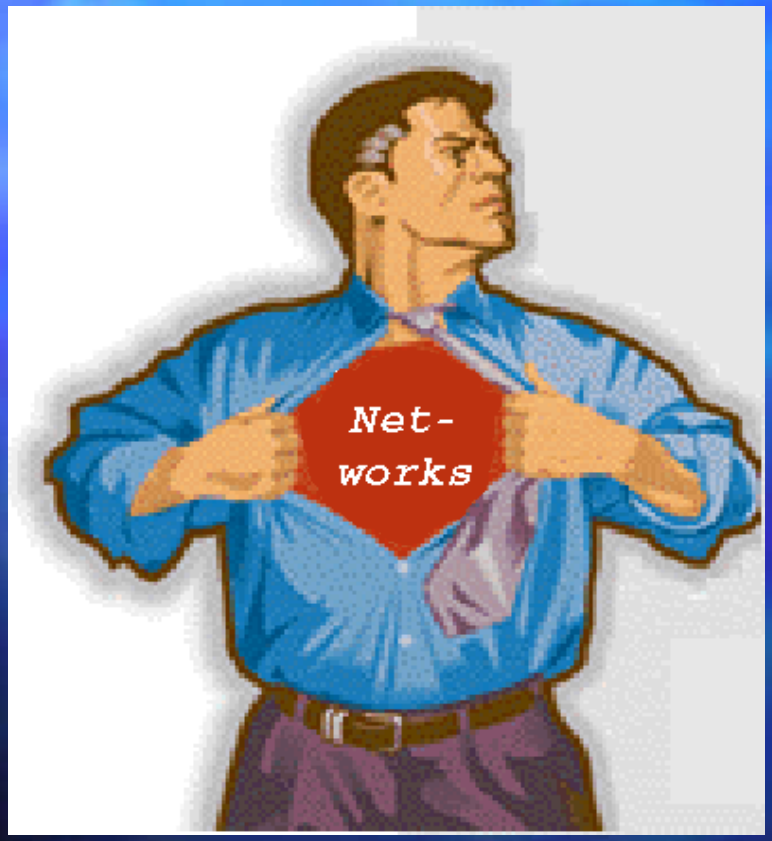


Pathways





Networks in the core



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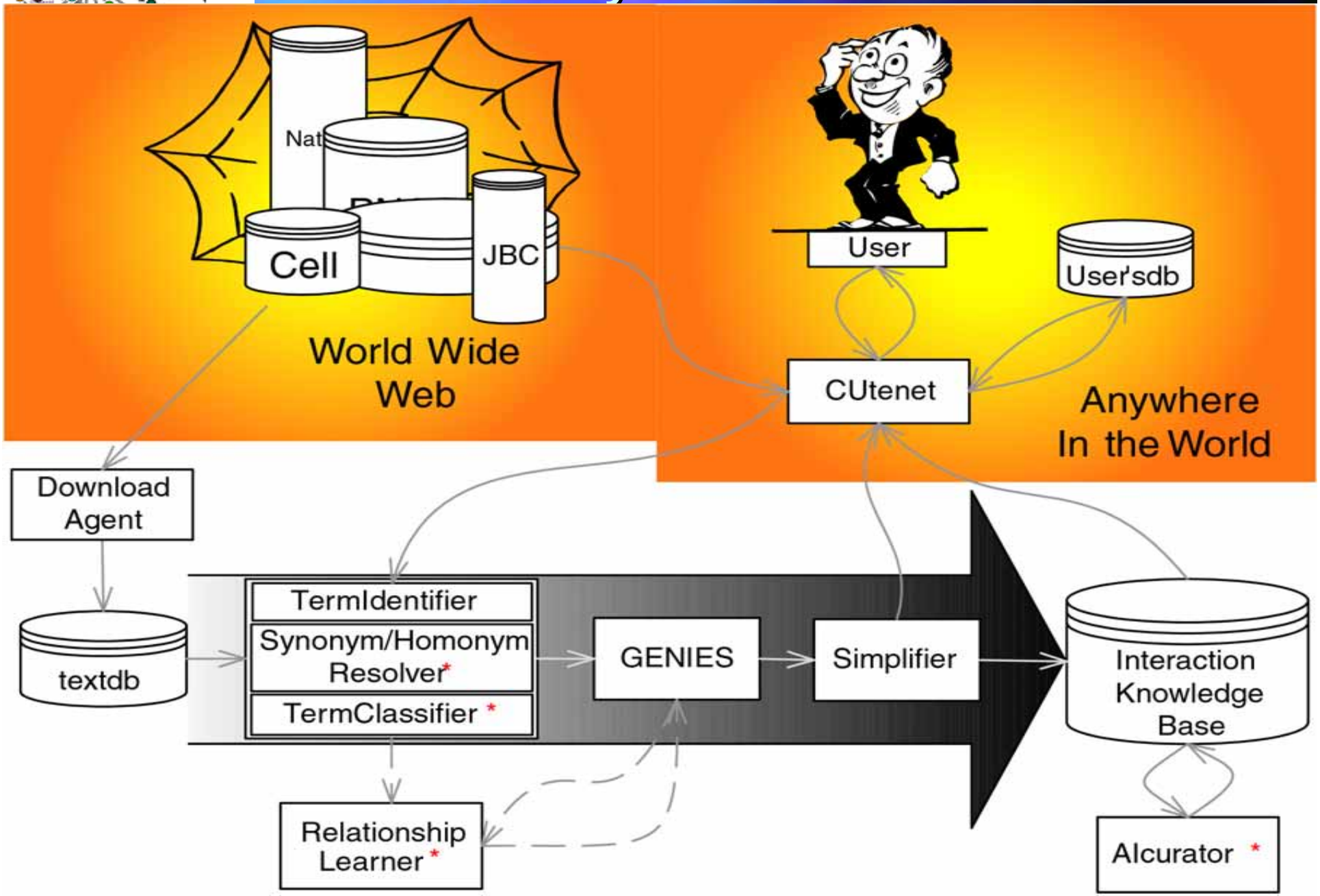
GeneWays Architecture



Both logical and biochemical descriptions can be combined in the same sentence:

Activated raf-1 phosphorylates and activates mek-1.

biochemical

logical

GENIES

- Obtains a full parse of the sentence

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GENIES: a natural-language processing system for the extraction of molecular pathways from journal articles

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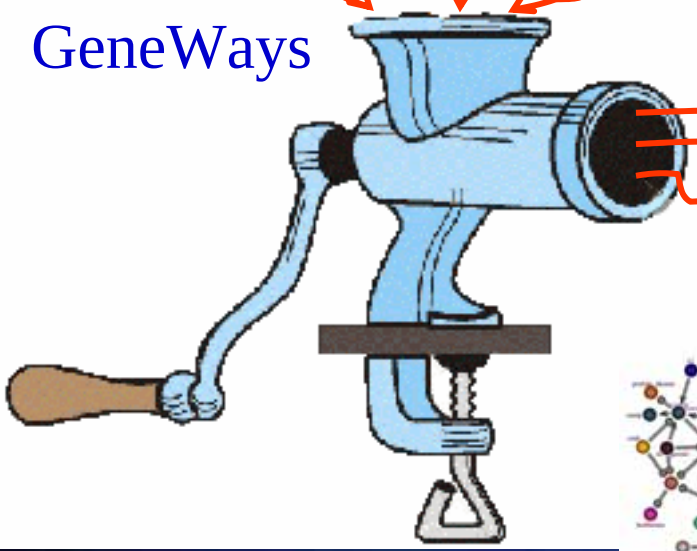
GENIES example

- Mediation of <sonic hedgehog>-induced expression of <Coup-Tfii> by a <protein phosphatase>

- [action, promote, [protein, phosphatase],
  [action, activate, [protein, sonic hedgehog],
  [action, express, [gene, Coup-Tfii]]]]

GeneWays as an info-grinder

GeneWays



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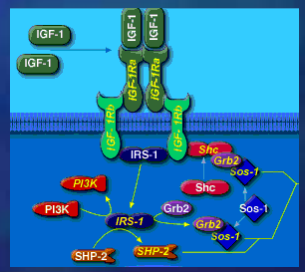

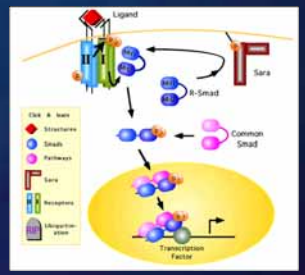

Actions

most relevant to proteins

1001,'bind'

1004,'suppress'
1011,'replace'
1018,'interact'
1020,'activate'
1022,'stimulate'
1023,'phosphorylate'
1027,'increase'
1028,'associate'
1034,'up-regulate'
1036,'inhibit'
1040,'promote'
1041,'down-regulate'
1043,'trigger'

1049,'block'
1054,'modify'
1057,'digest'
1058,'degrade'
1062,'link'
1071,'cleave'
1072,'release'
1074,'catalyze'
1083,'inactivate'
1106,'repress'
1110,'acetylate'
1117,'methylate'

Typical “nodes” of the pathway graph

17767,'calcium channel antagonists'
20324,'hsp70 chaperone'
17467,'activator protein 1'
13194,'tyrosyl-phosphorylated'
4190,'immunodeficiency'
8552,'human fcgammarii'
13151,'ikaros'
7277,'virus-triggered p-dcs'
12290,'anti-alpha4 mabs'

16044,'alk5'
10393,'mek-1 inhibitor'
13262,'pro-matrilysin'
6584,'gi-type g-protein'
4708,'cell surface: vla-5'
19378,'hla protein'
7145,'tissue proteases'
7653,'smad-7'
9918,'ephb6'
12584,'th2-driven airway inflammation

5104,'daunorubicin'
9689,'paroxonase'
4478,'iga2'
4472,'iga1'
9820,'caveolin 1'
4366,'complexes pr-3'
2258,'gal4-mef2d'
14464,'polyneuropathy'
2253,'gal4-mef2a'
6874,'via l'
19253,'pro-b'

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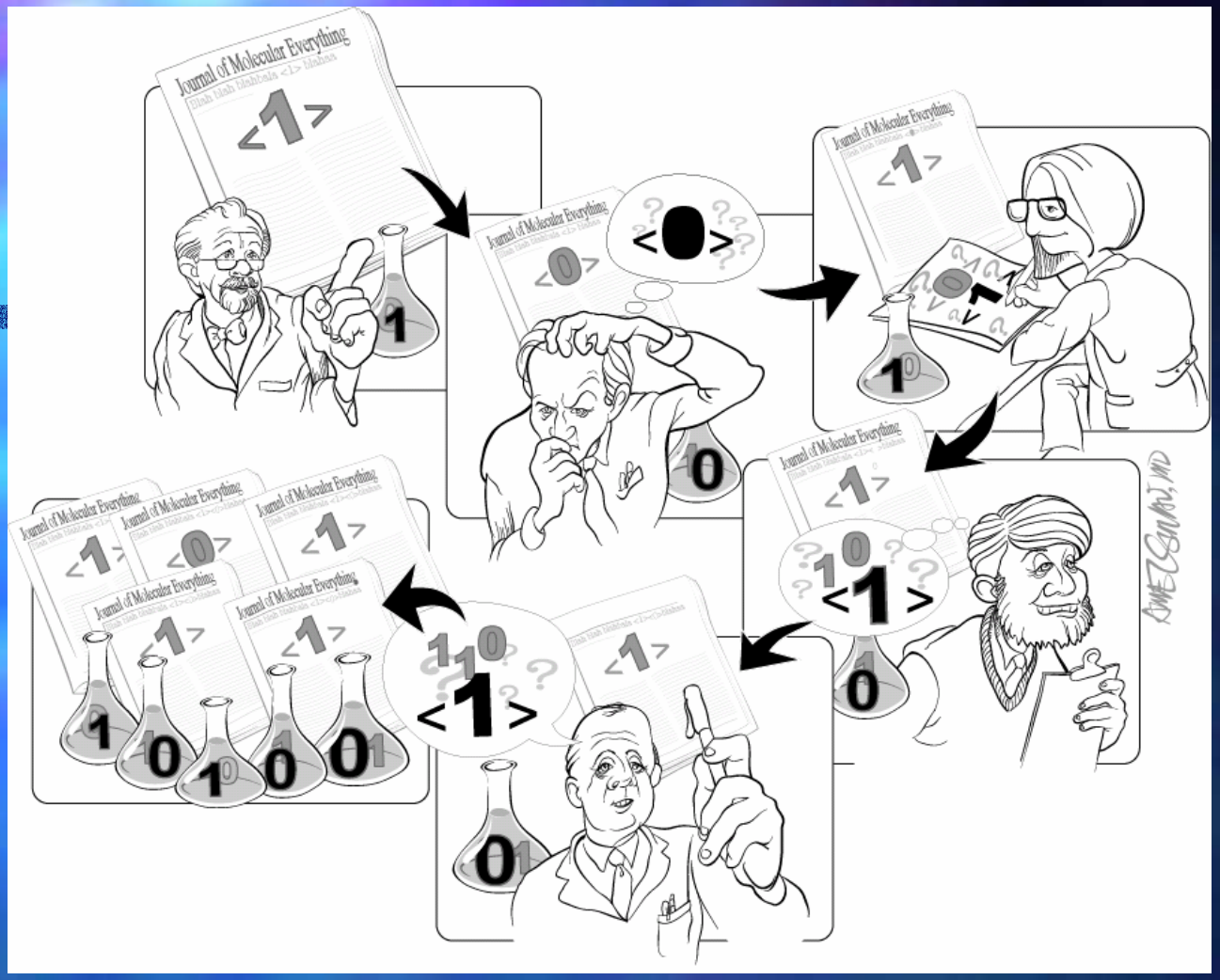

“Chains of collective reasoning” model

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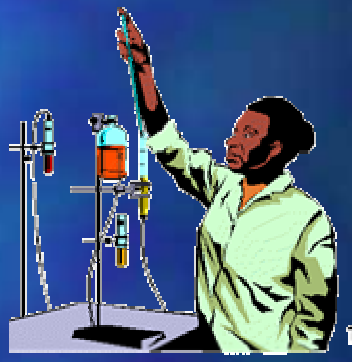
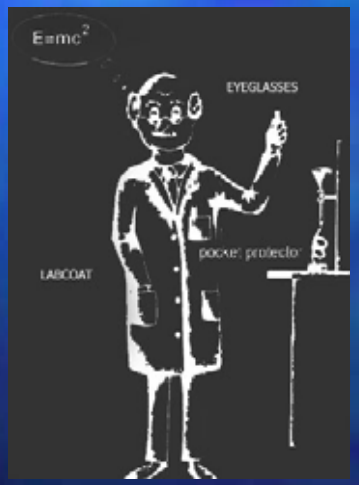
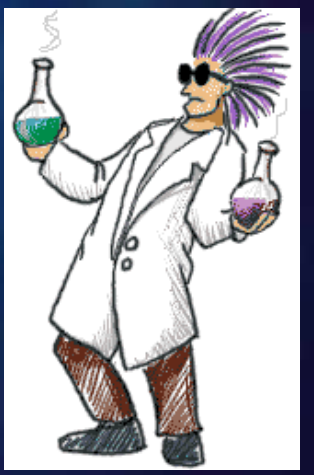
Modeling science...







Inferring the truth

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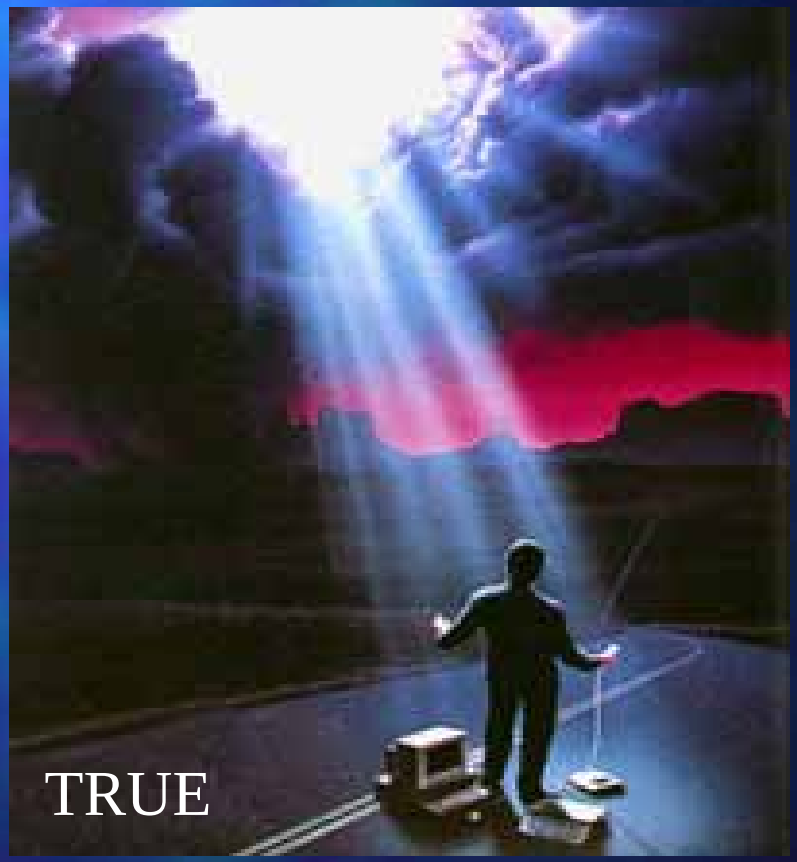
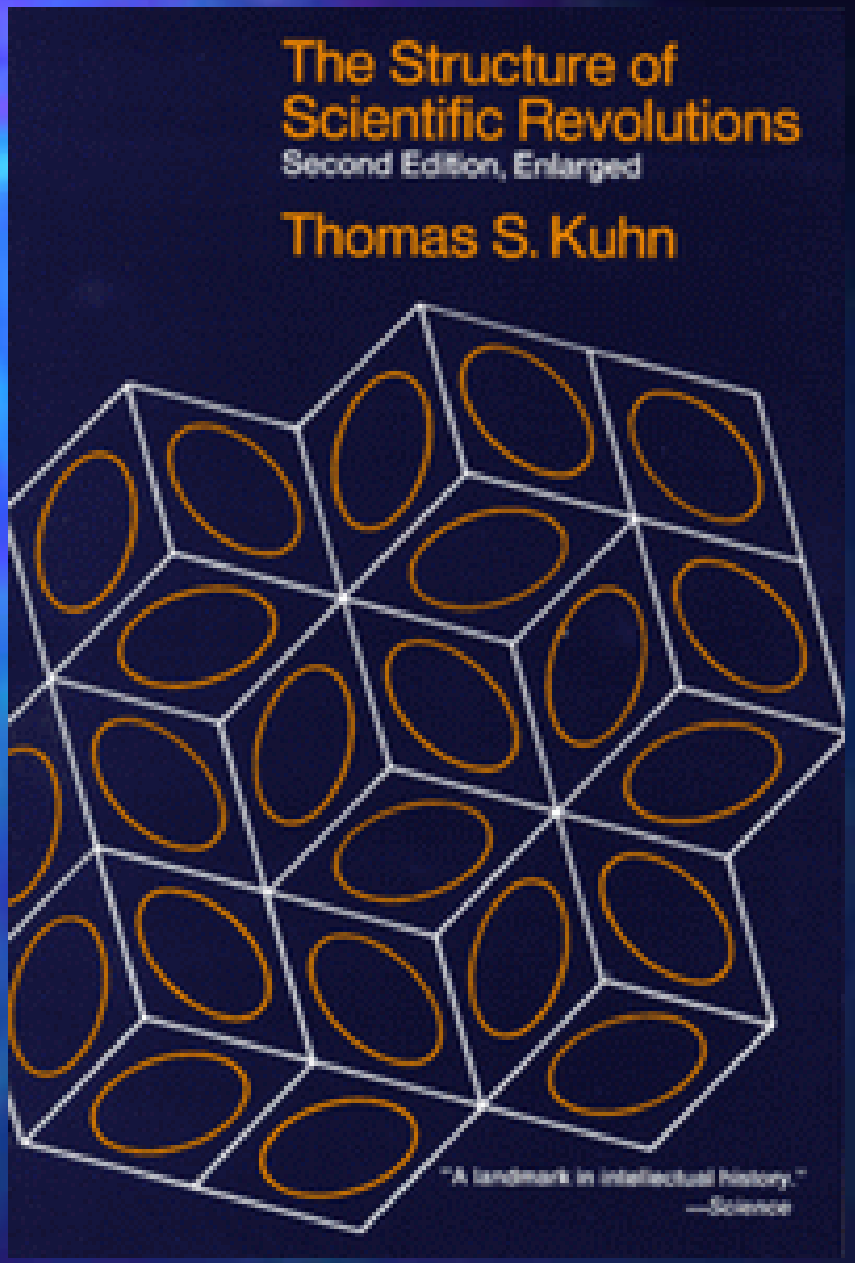


Scientific revolutions, paradigms



In a nutshell ...

Kuhn distinguishes two major states of science: paradigmal or normal science (paradigm is the currently dominant theory that shapes scientist's perception of the world) and scientific revolution (a process of a rapid change of one paradigm with a new one).

Perception & paradigms

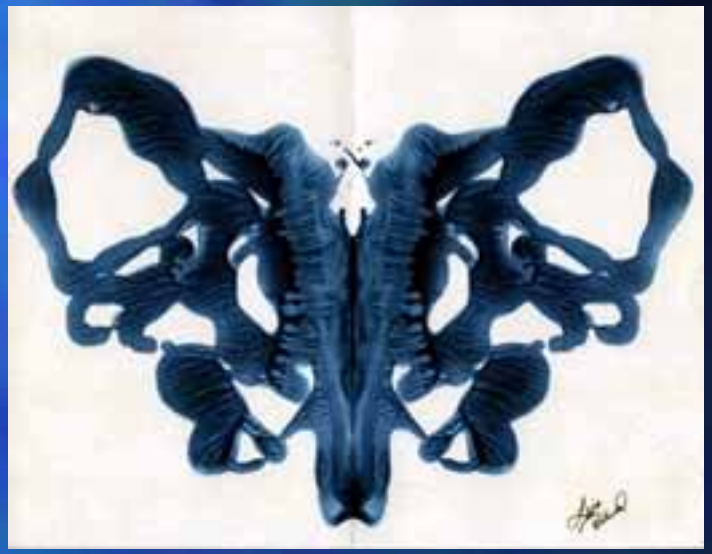
The study of history of science shows that

"...paradigm changes do cause scientists to see the world of their research-engagement differently.

[...] It is as elementary prototypes for these transformations of the scientist's world that the familiar demonstrations of a switch in visual gestalt prove so suggestive. Where were ducks in the scientist's world before the revolution are rabbits afterwards. The man who first saw the exterior of the box from above later sees it from below. Transformations like this, though usually more gradual and almost always irreversible, are common concomitants of scientific training."

T.S. Kuhn (p.111)

Associations...



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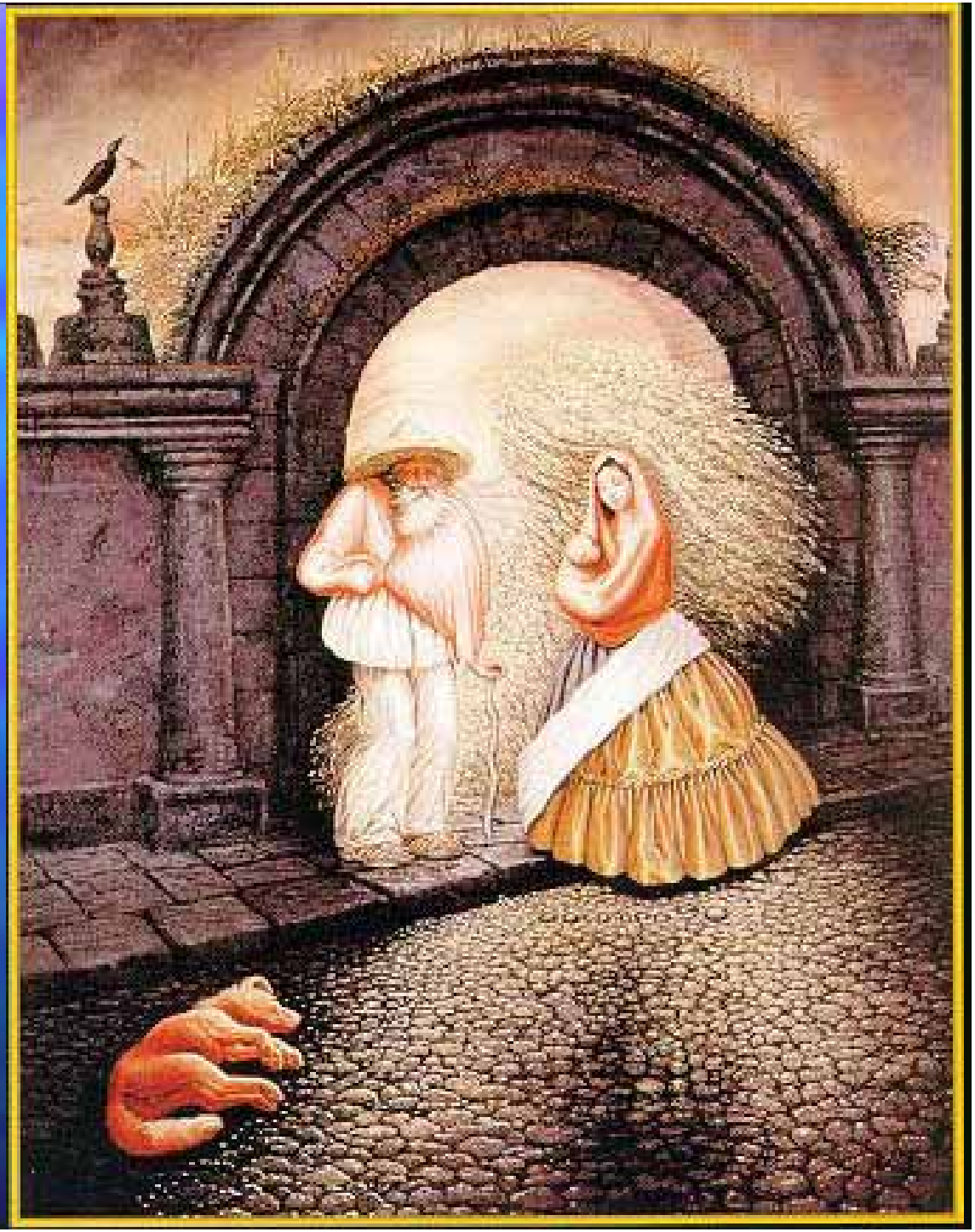

Fuzzy experimental result

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1 0

Suggesting a new model...

Dependences among publications

Publications

1 0 1 1 1

Interpretations

1 0 1 1 1

Experiments

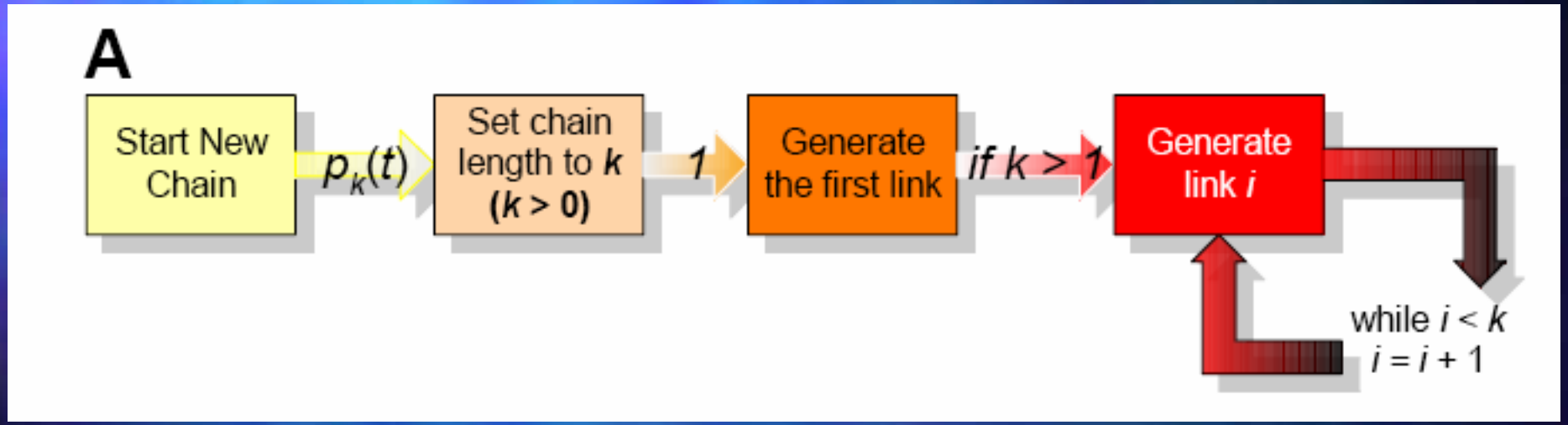
1 0 1 0 0

Researchers

Conform? No!


c1999 Lee Williams/Rick London
London's Times
CONFORM HELL NO!!
SAY NO TO CONFORMANCE
WE WILL NOT CONFORM!!!
CONFORM? HELL NO!!
METAL

More complex/realistic model



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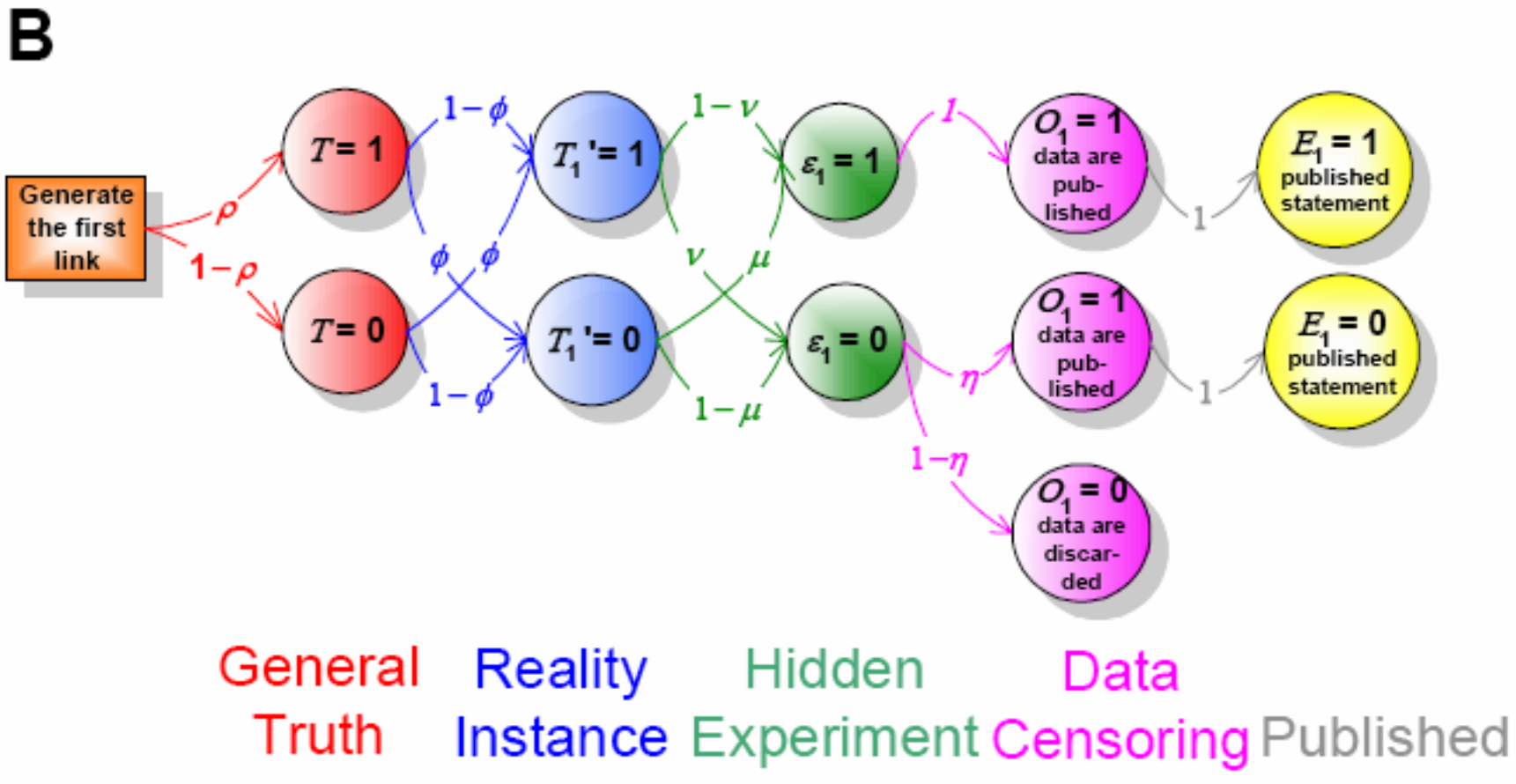
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1−φ
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T1' = 0
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ν
μ
1−μ
ε1 = 1
ε1 = 0
1
η
1−η
O1 = 1 data are pub-lished
O1 = 1 data are pub-lished
O1 = 0 data are discar-ded
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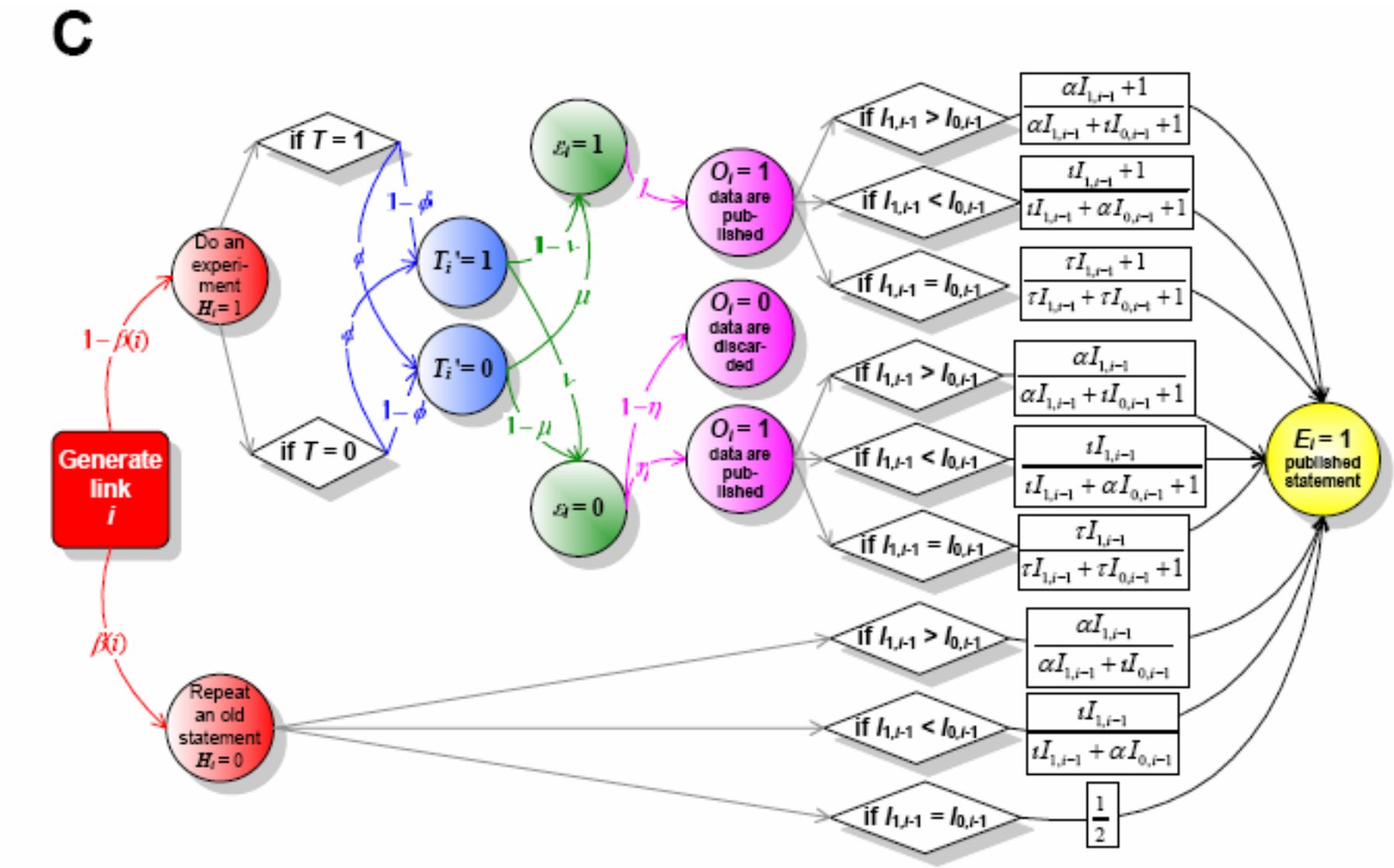
E1 = 1 published statement
E1 = 0 published statement
General Truth
Reality Instance
Hidden Experiment
Data Censoring
Published

Next link

C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β(i)
Do an experi-ment $H_i = 1$
Repeat an old statement $H_i = 0$
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if $T = 0$
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1 − φ
$T_i' = 1$
$T_i' = 0$
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$\varepsilon_i = 0$
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1 − η
η
$O_i = 1$ data are pub-lished
$O_i = 0$ data are discar-ded
$O_i = 1$ data are pub-lished
if $I_{1,i-1} > I_{0,i-1}$
if $I_{1,i-1} < I_{0,i-1}$
if $I_{1,i-1} = I_{0,i-1}$
if $I_{1,i-1} > I_{0,i-1}$
if $I_{1,i-1} < I_{0,i-1}$
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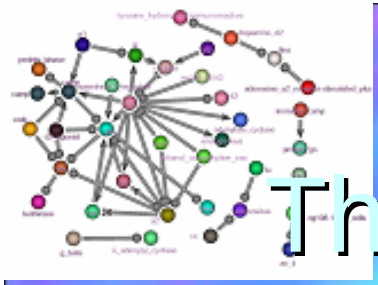
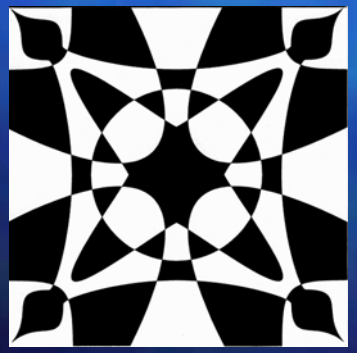
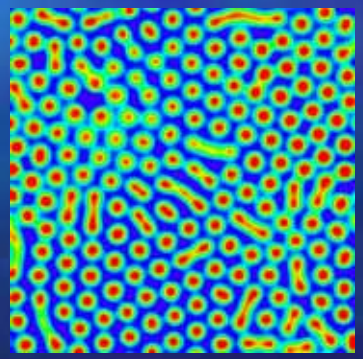
$E_i = 1$ published statement

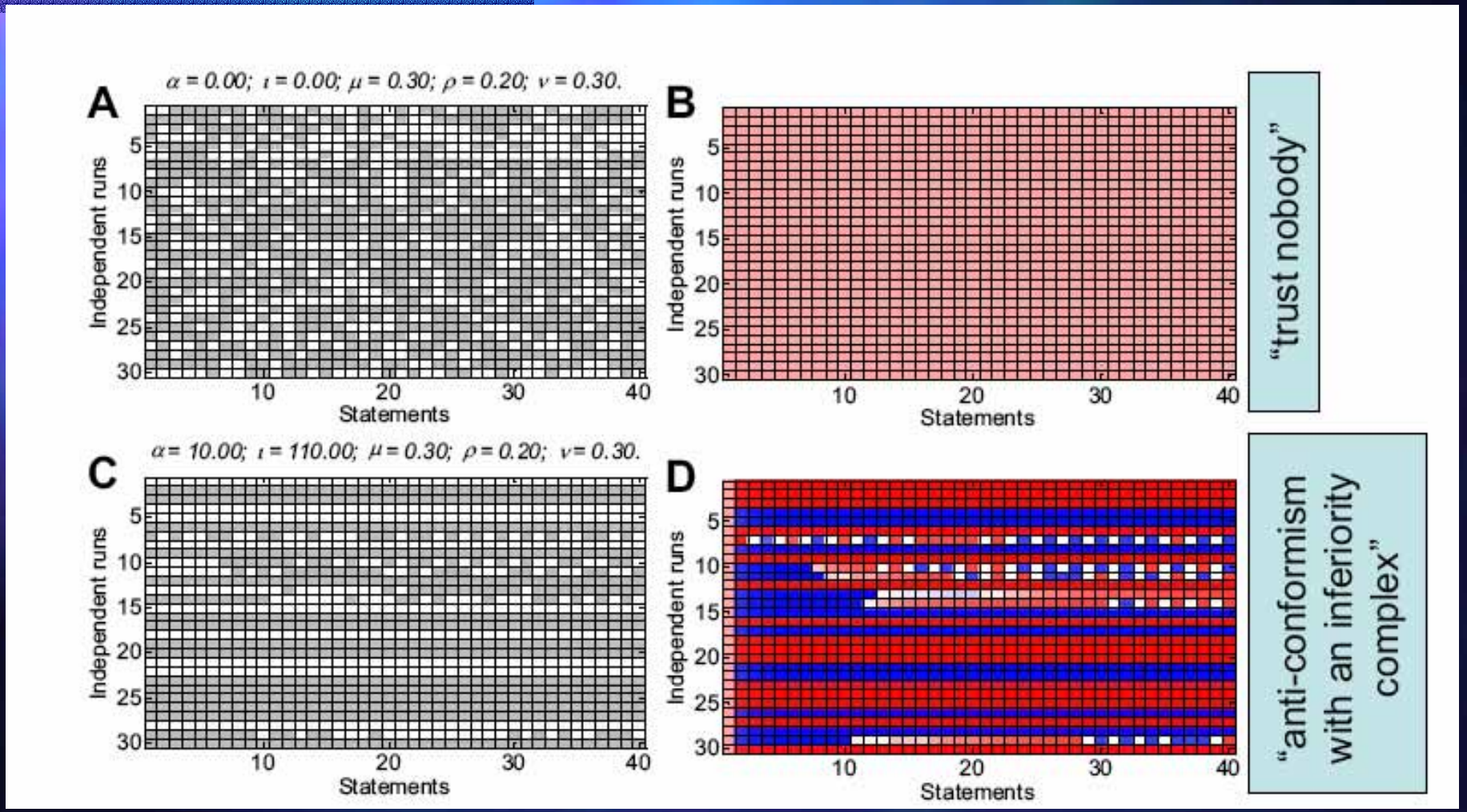


This model is capable of generating diverse patterns (series of zeros and ones) in publications





Possible patterns...



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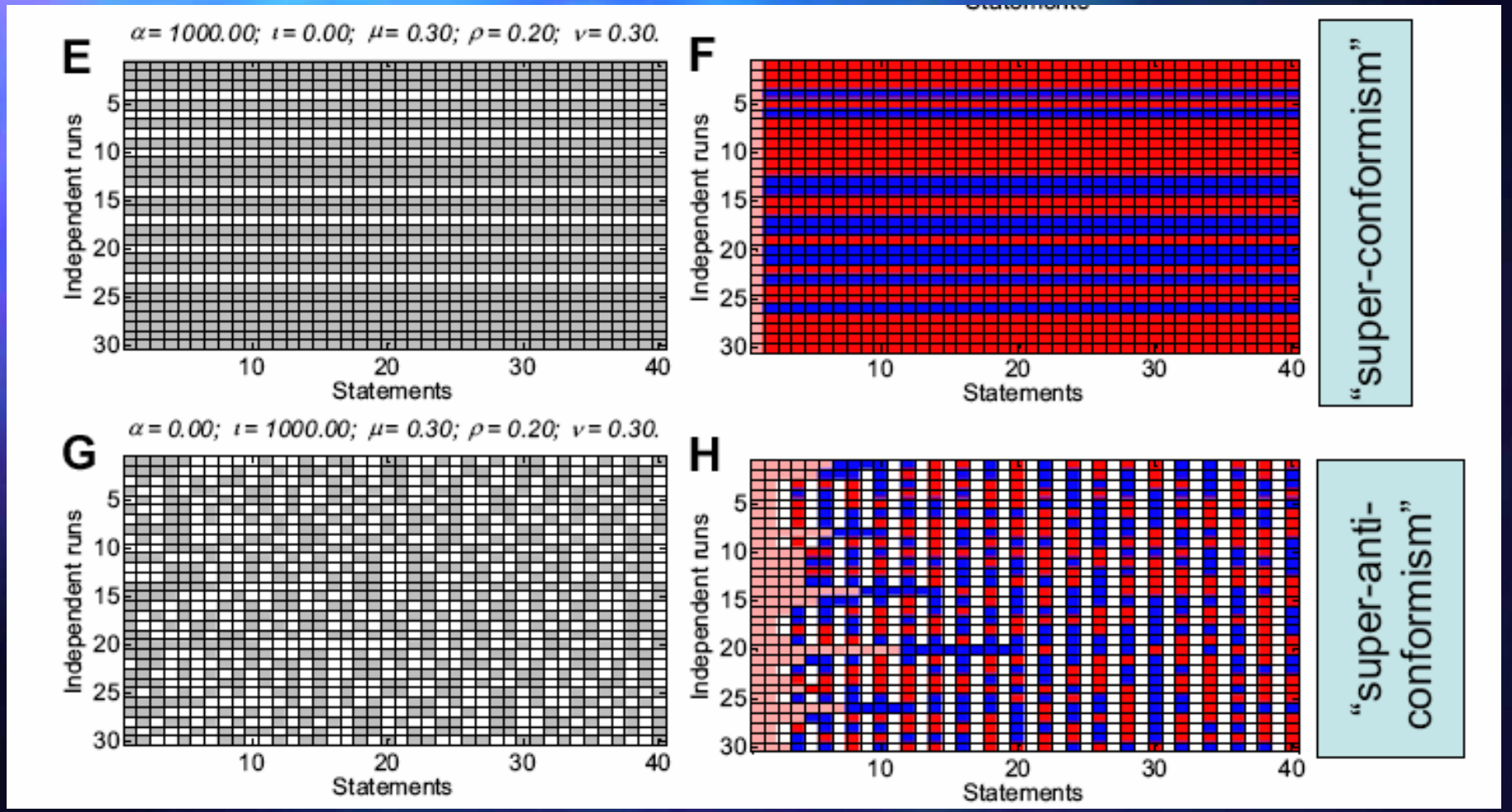
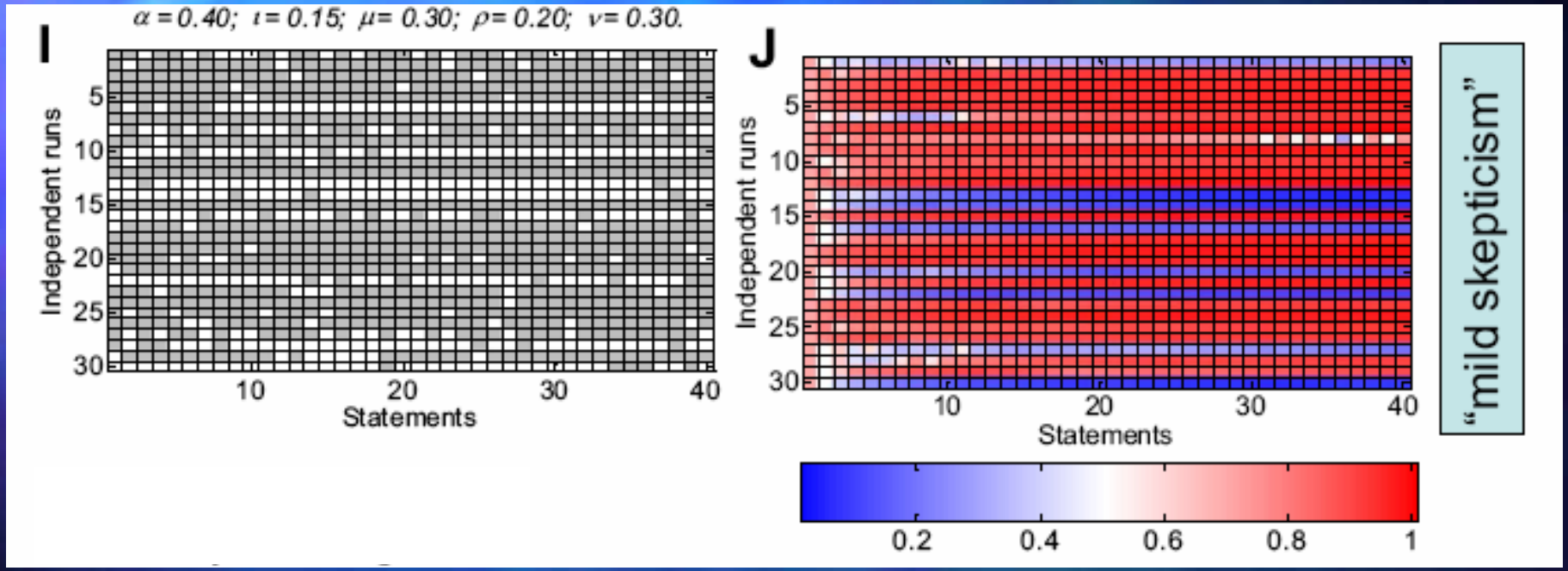


(We have more...)


α = 0.40; ι = 0.15; μ = 0.30; ρ = 0.20; ν = 0.30.
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Independent runs
Statements
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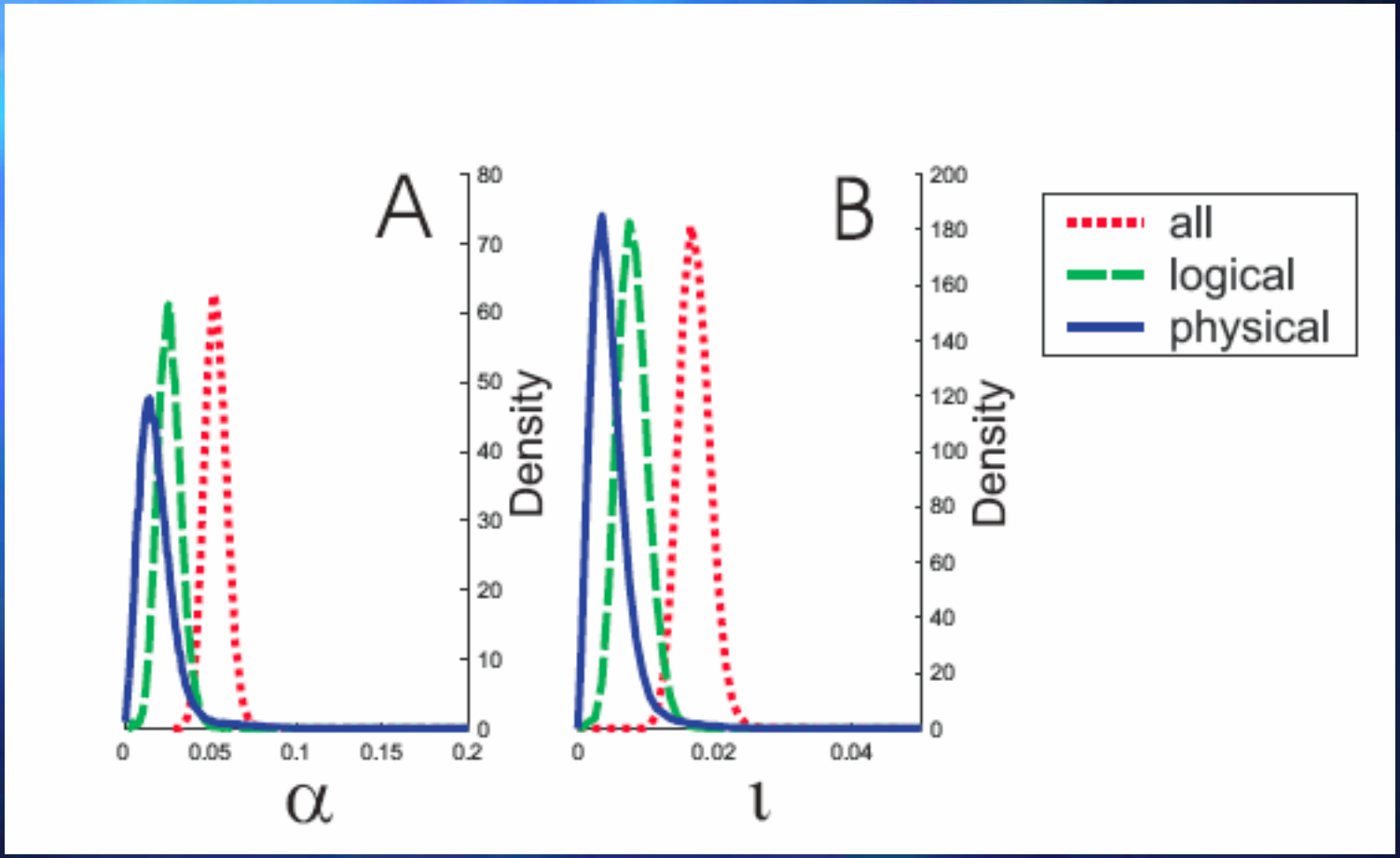
"mild skepticism"

Parameter estimation



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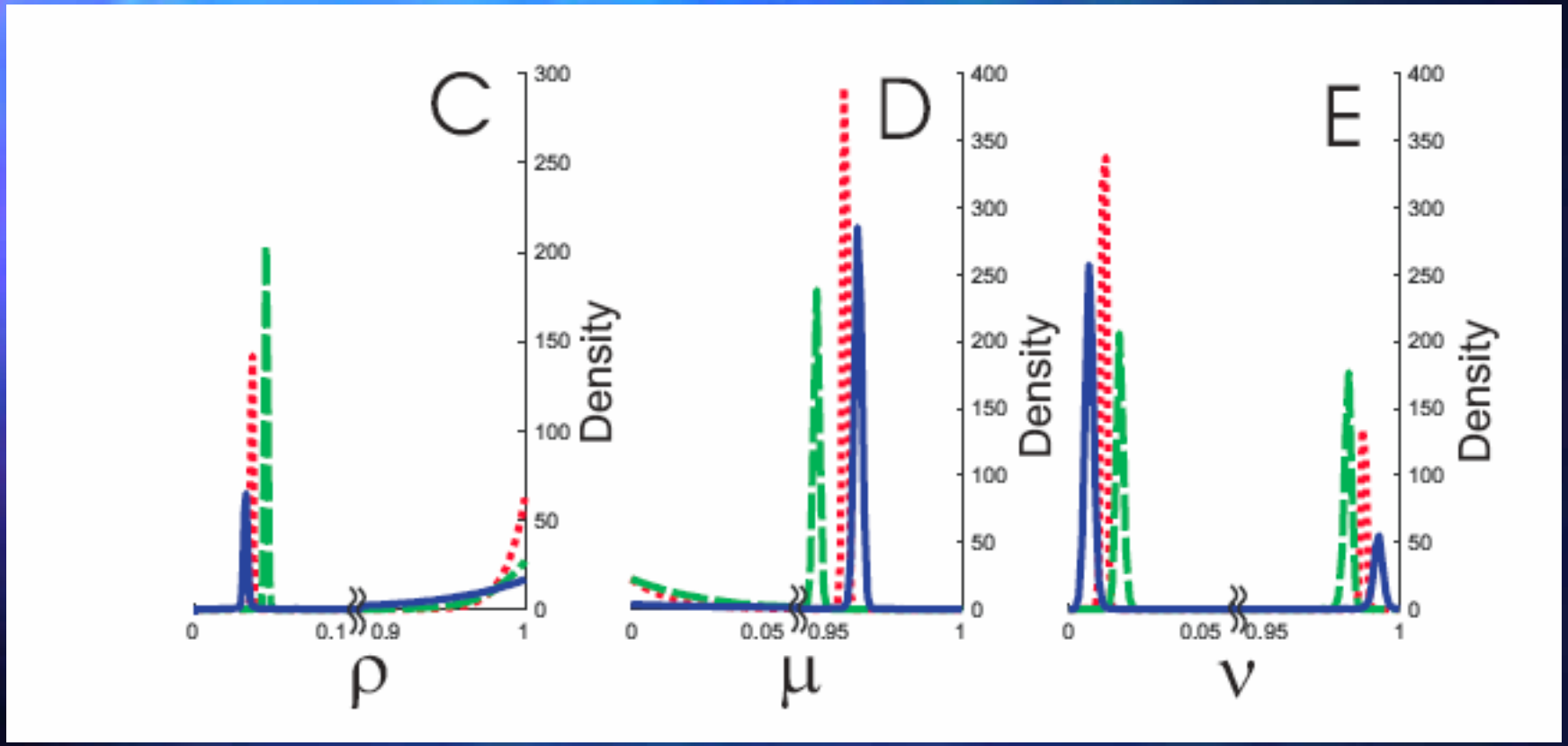

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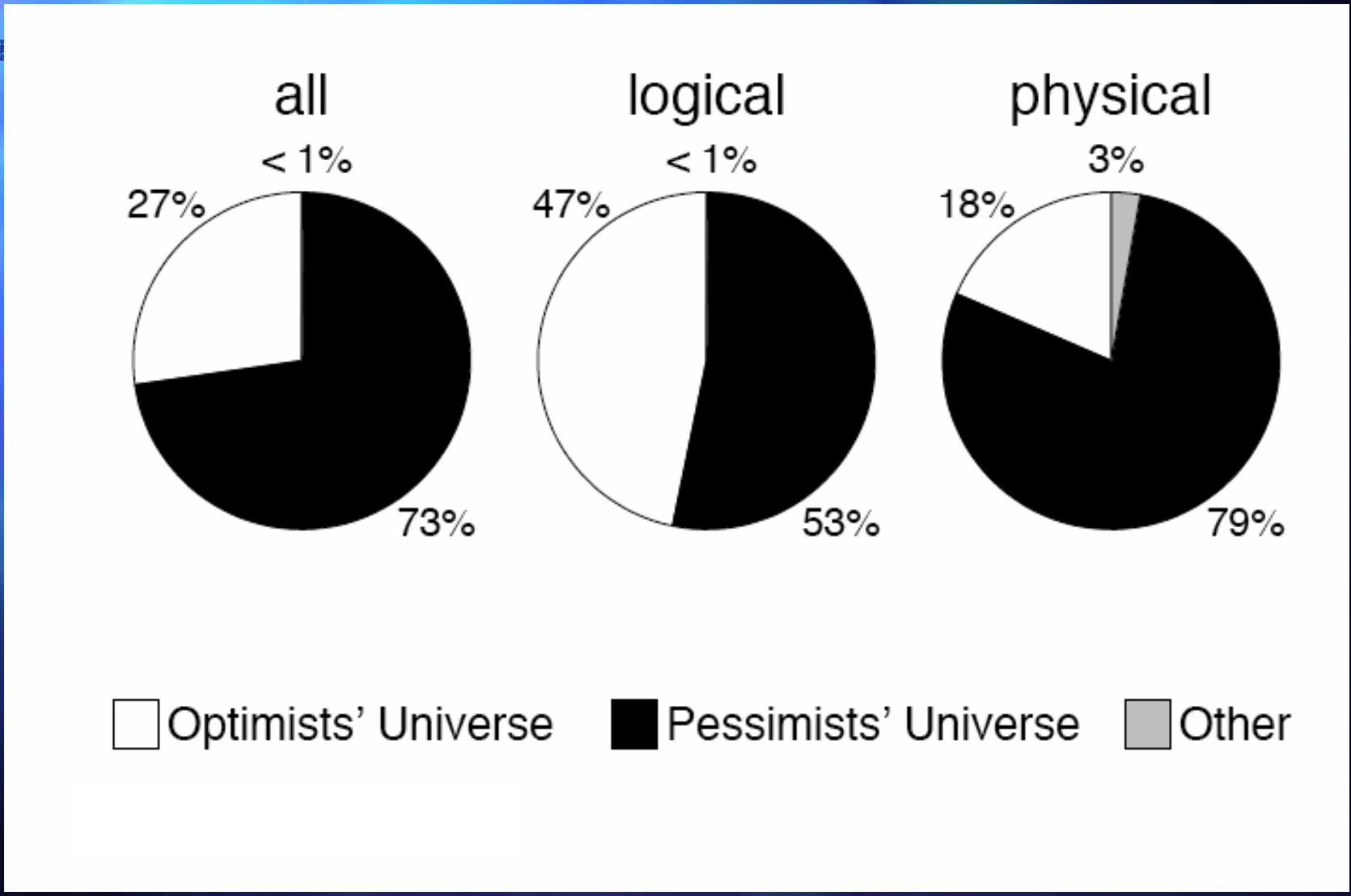

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On distributed thinking about molecular networks

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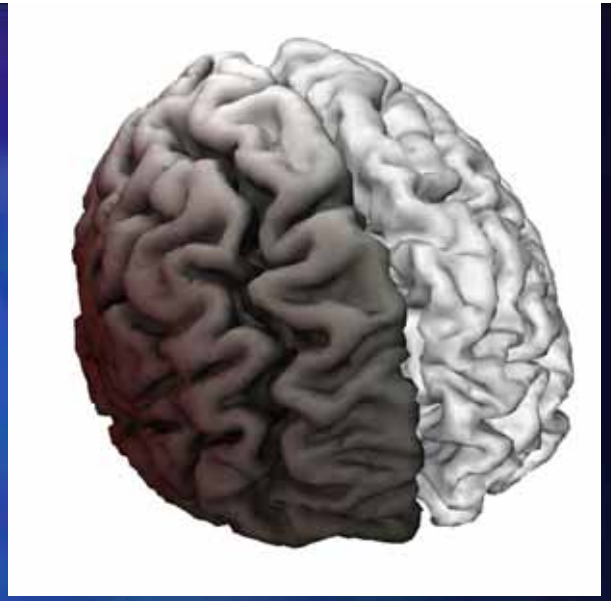
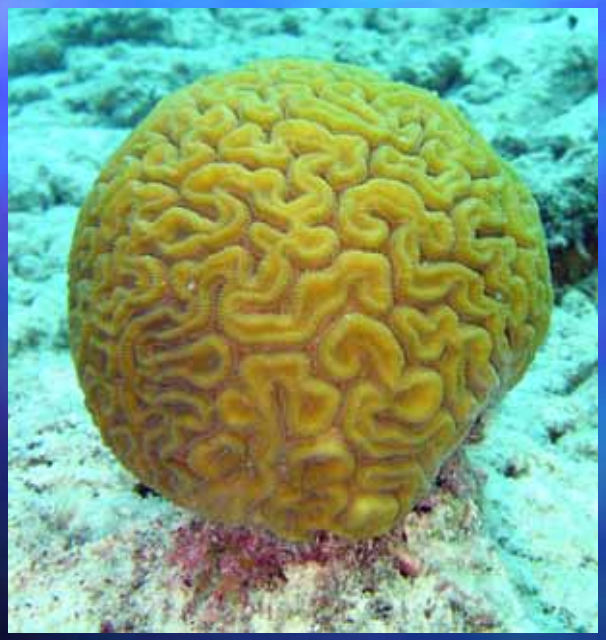
Brain coral analogy





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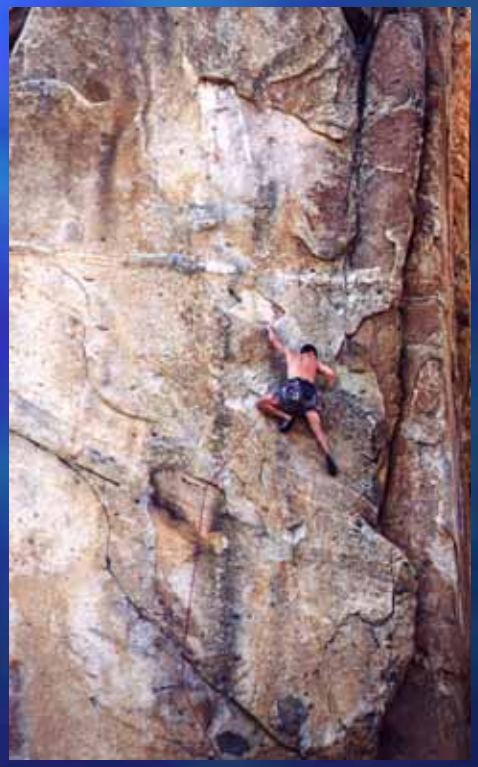
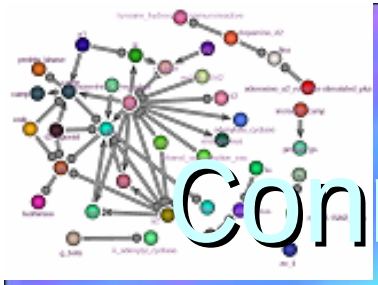
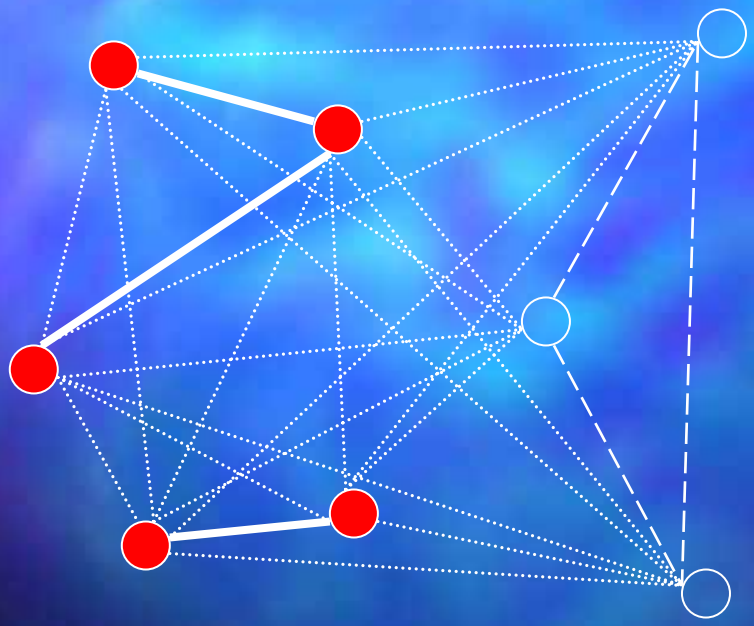
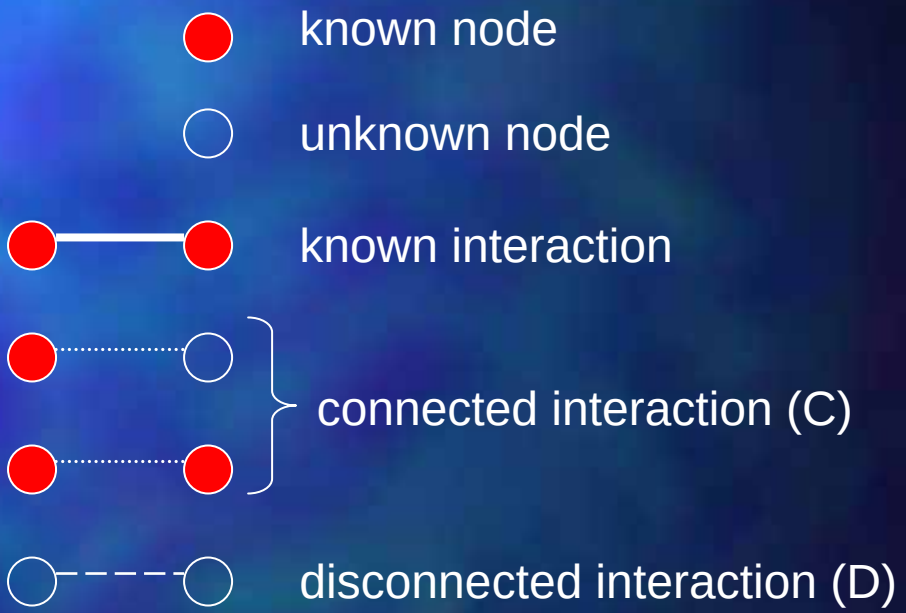
Jump or crawl?



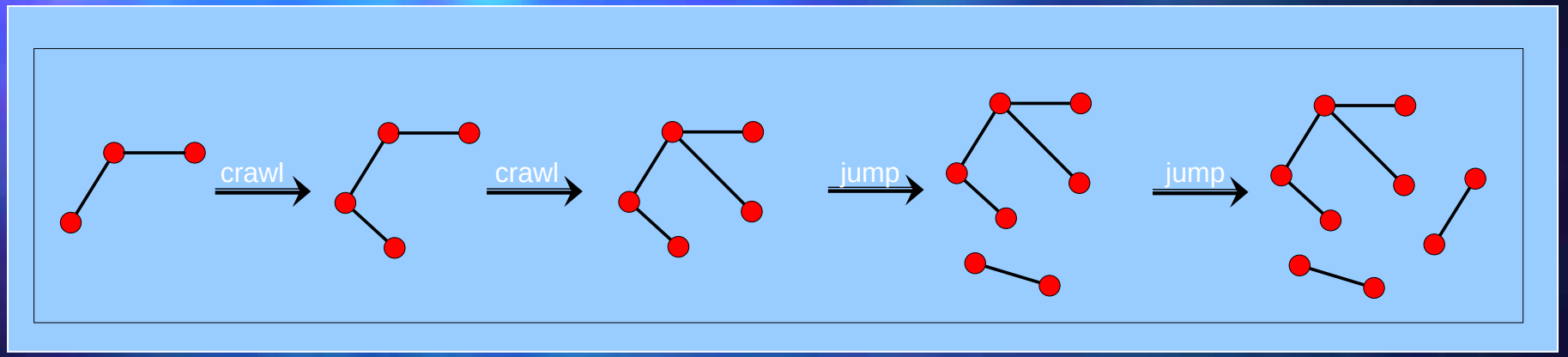


Connected and disconnected





Examples: growing knowledge with jump and crawl steps



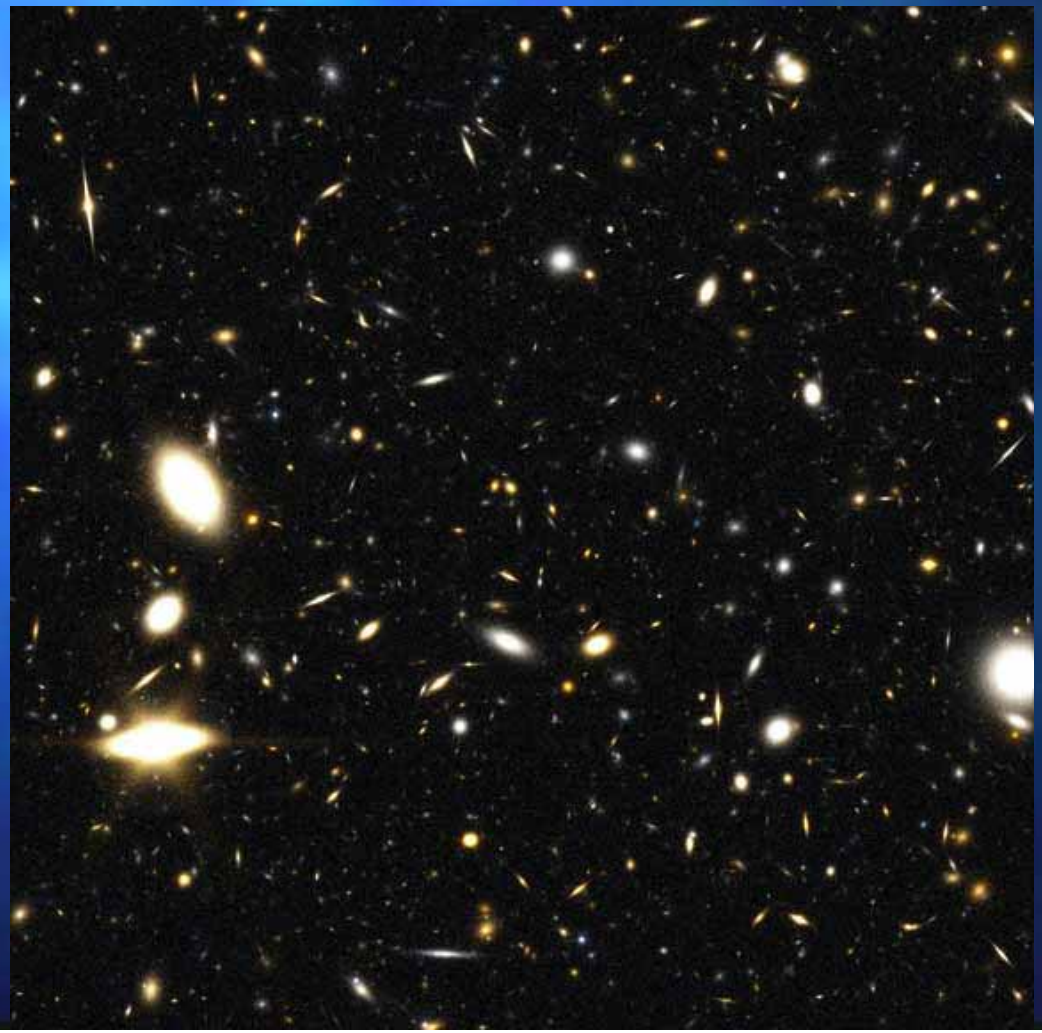
C_t - unknown *connected* facts

D_t - unknown *disconnected* facts

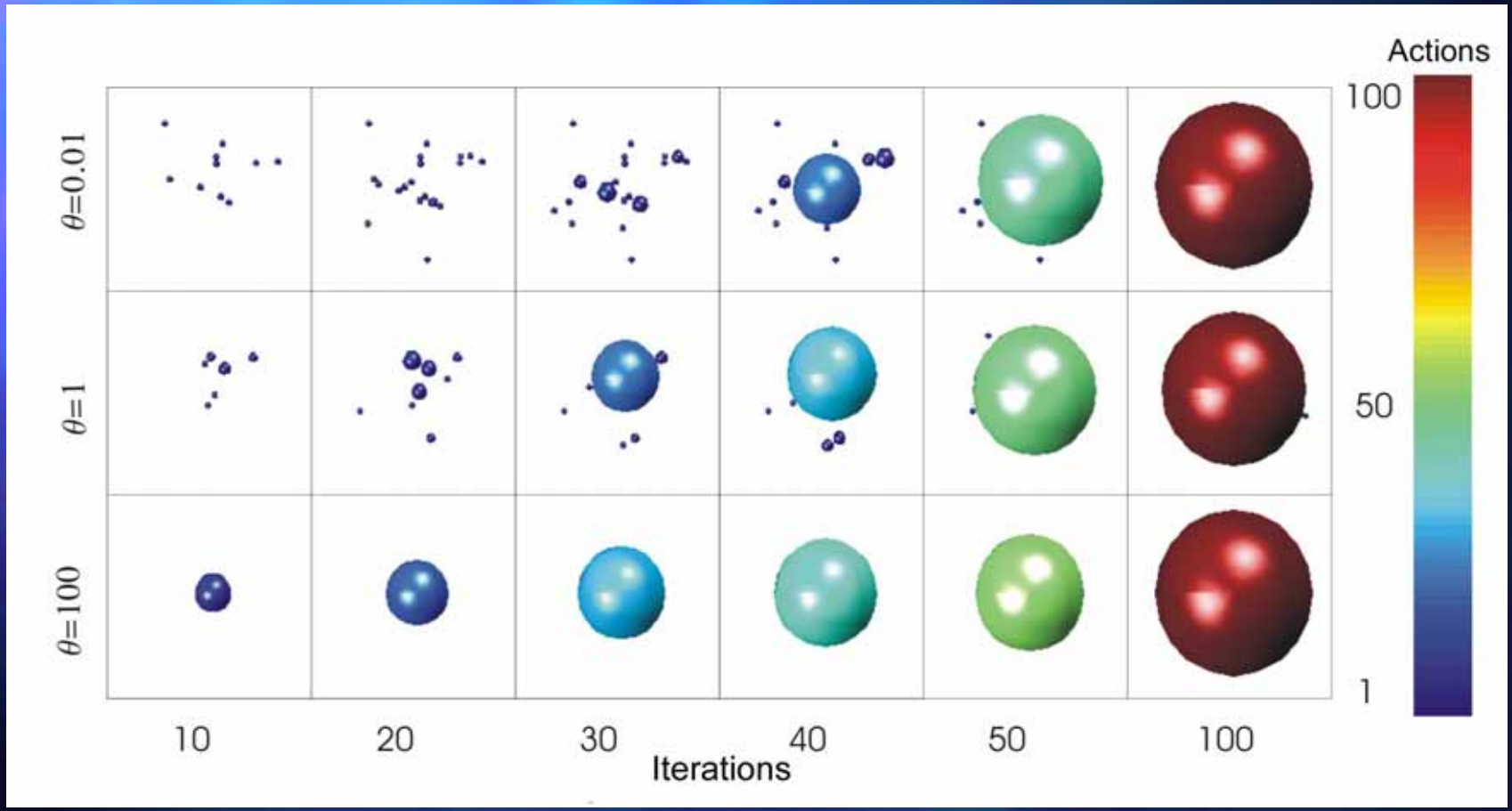
$$p_C(t) = \frac{\theta \cdot C_t}{\theta \cdot C_t + D_t}, \text{ and } p_D(t) = \frac{D_t}{\theta \cdot C_t + D_t}$$

When θ is set to 1, the choice is random

Each of the 3 models allows for multiple possible “universes”

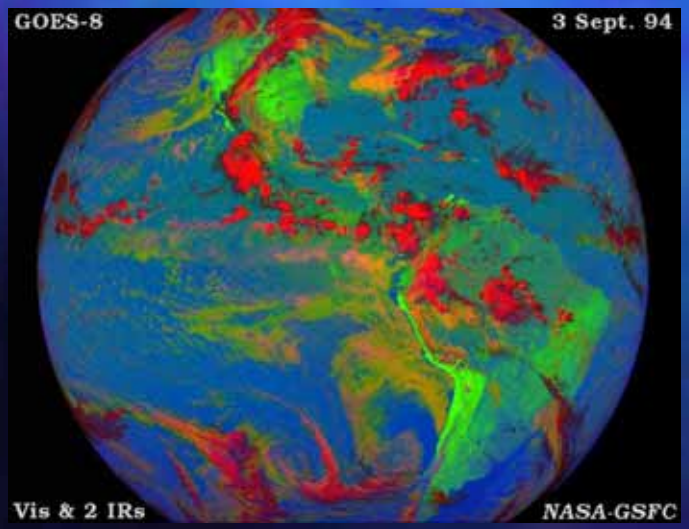


Low to high crawliness (theta) (=High to low jumpiness)



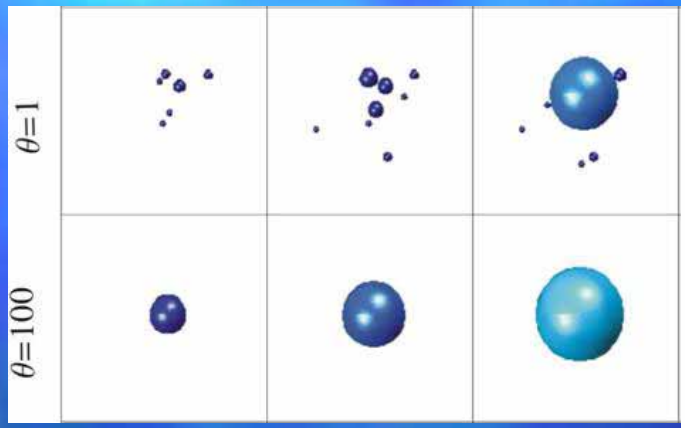
Our universe...

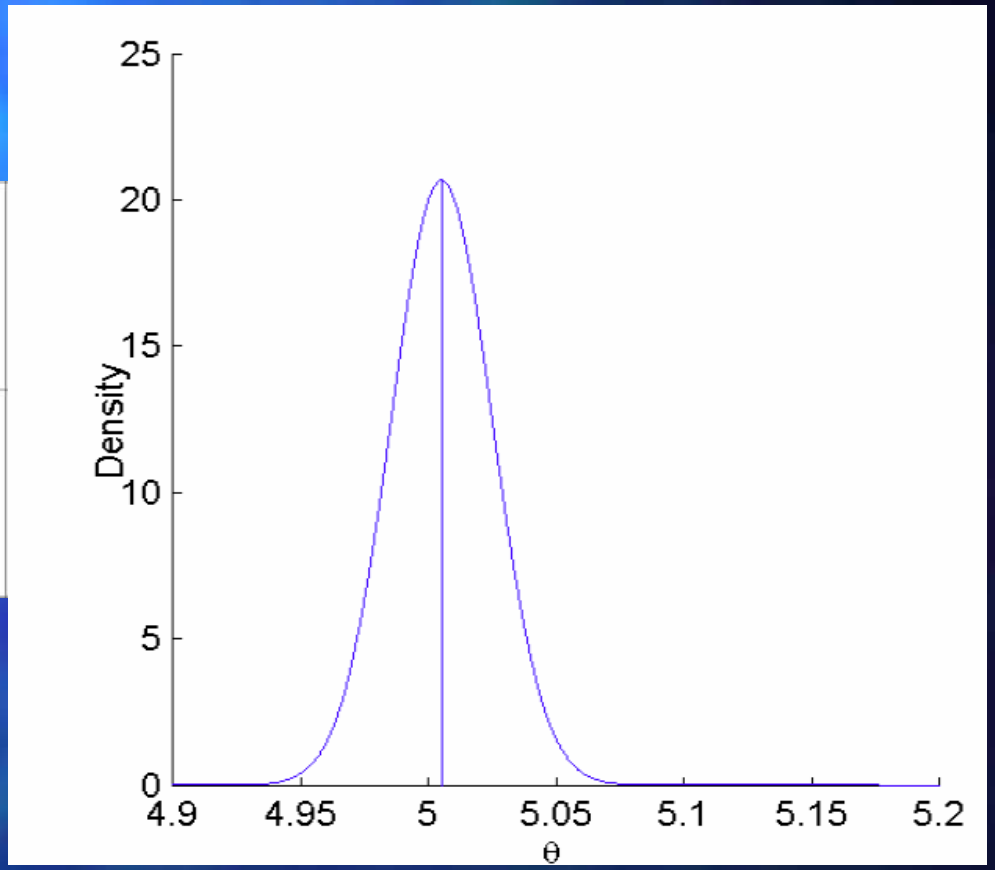
For the real interaction data from biological journals, the value of θ is found to be 5 (95% CI = [4.96, 5.04]). Hence, some jumps occur (but rare!).



θ Estimated with MCMC:

- Estimated θ ~ 5





- Mostly crawling!
- But with occasional jumps...

Jump or crawl?

Brain coral analogy

- Mode of knowledge growth
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Awareness of Scientists about Potentially Relevant Scientific Results

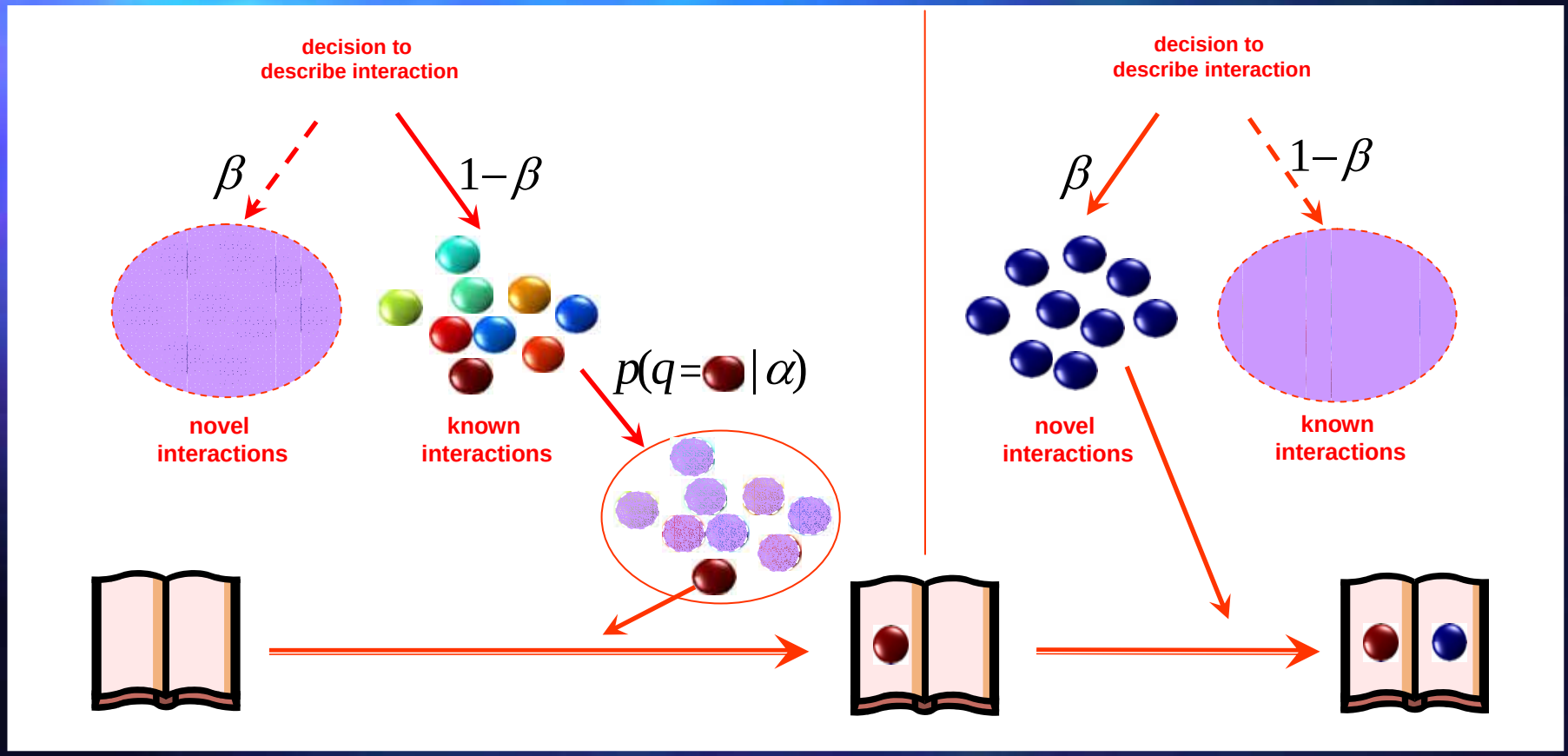
q (popularity) : number of times an interaction was mentioned in the literature

α (temperature) : tendency to include popular interactions in a journal. A value of 1 means no bias towards more or less popular interactions

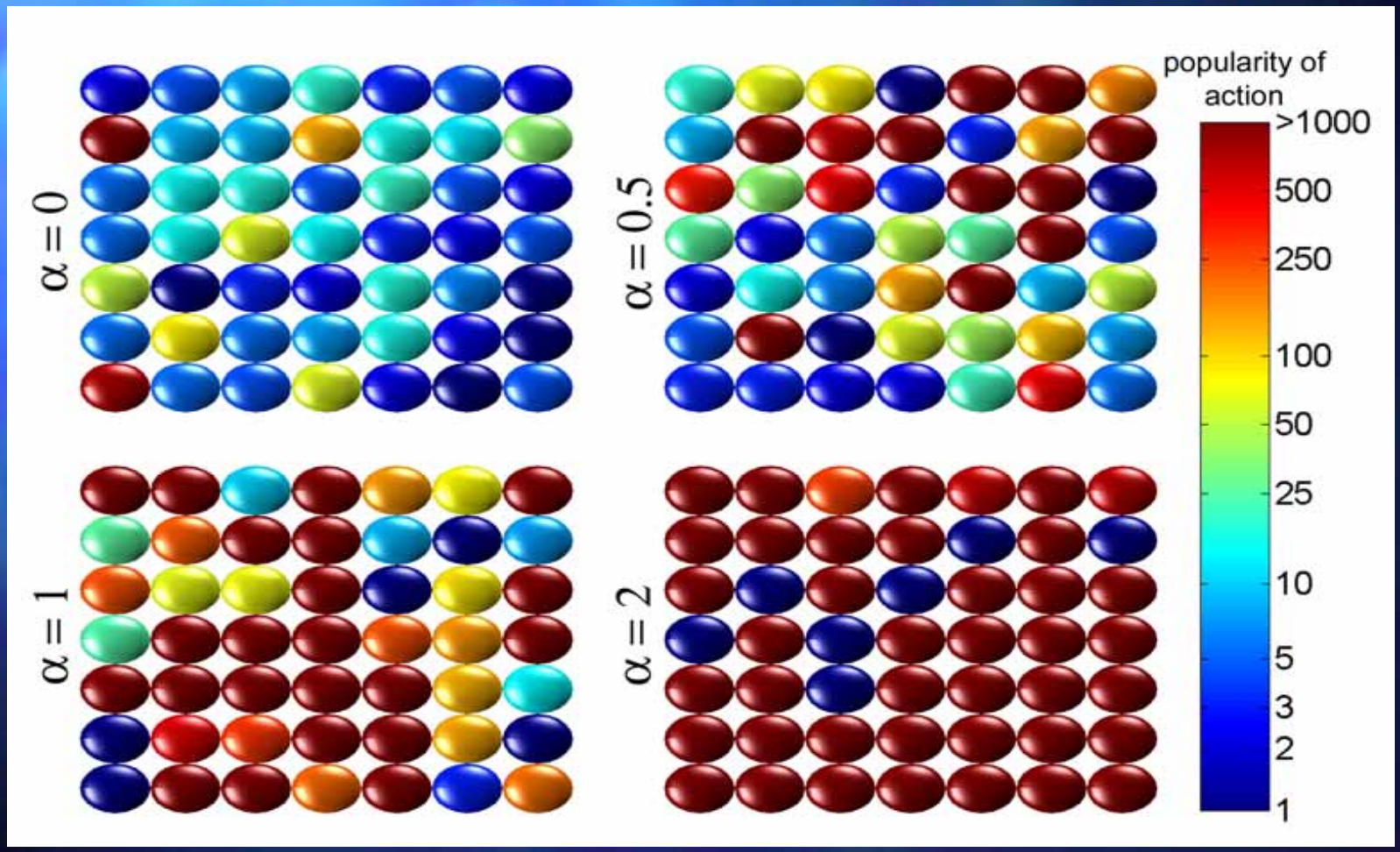
β (novelty) : tendency to include new interactions in a paper

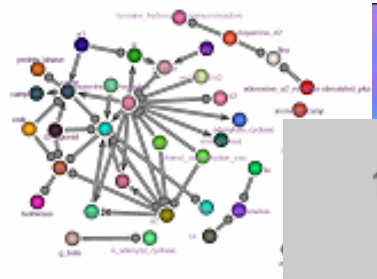
$\beta = 1$ means that all interactions are novel

Model for generating a manuscript



4 imaginary papers from different universes (journals)





Temperature vs. Novelty

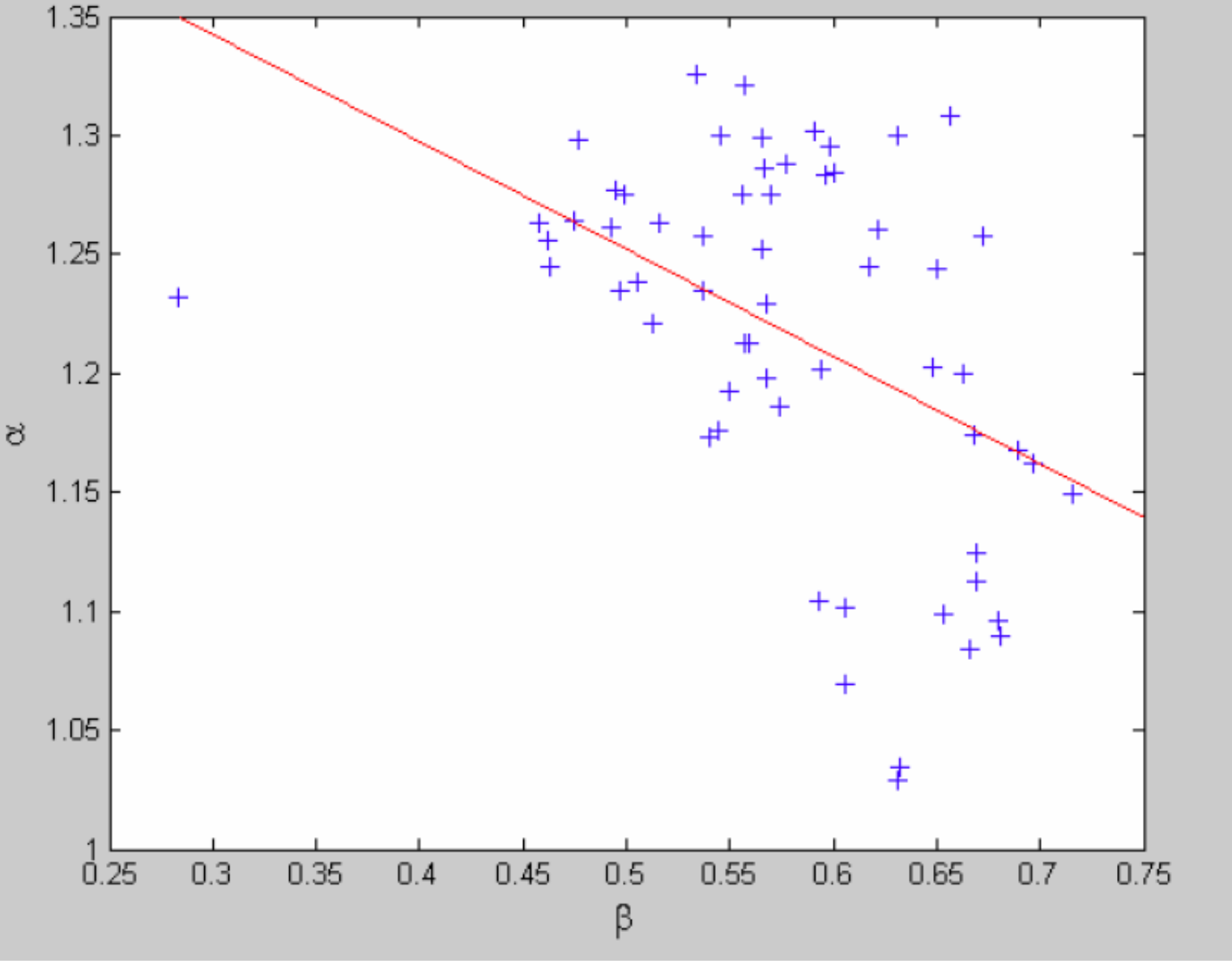
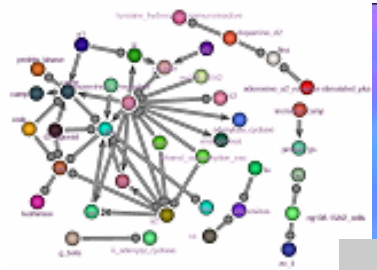


Figure 9: The scatter plot and linear regression function for the journal-specific estimates of α and β. Correlation = -0.43, p-value = 0.00027.



Impact Factor vs. Temperature

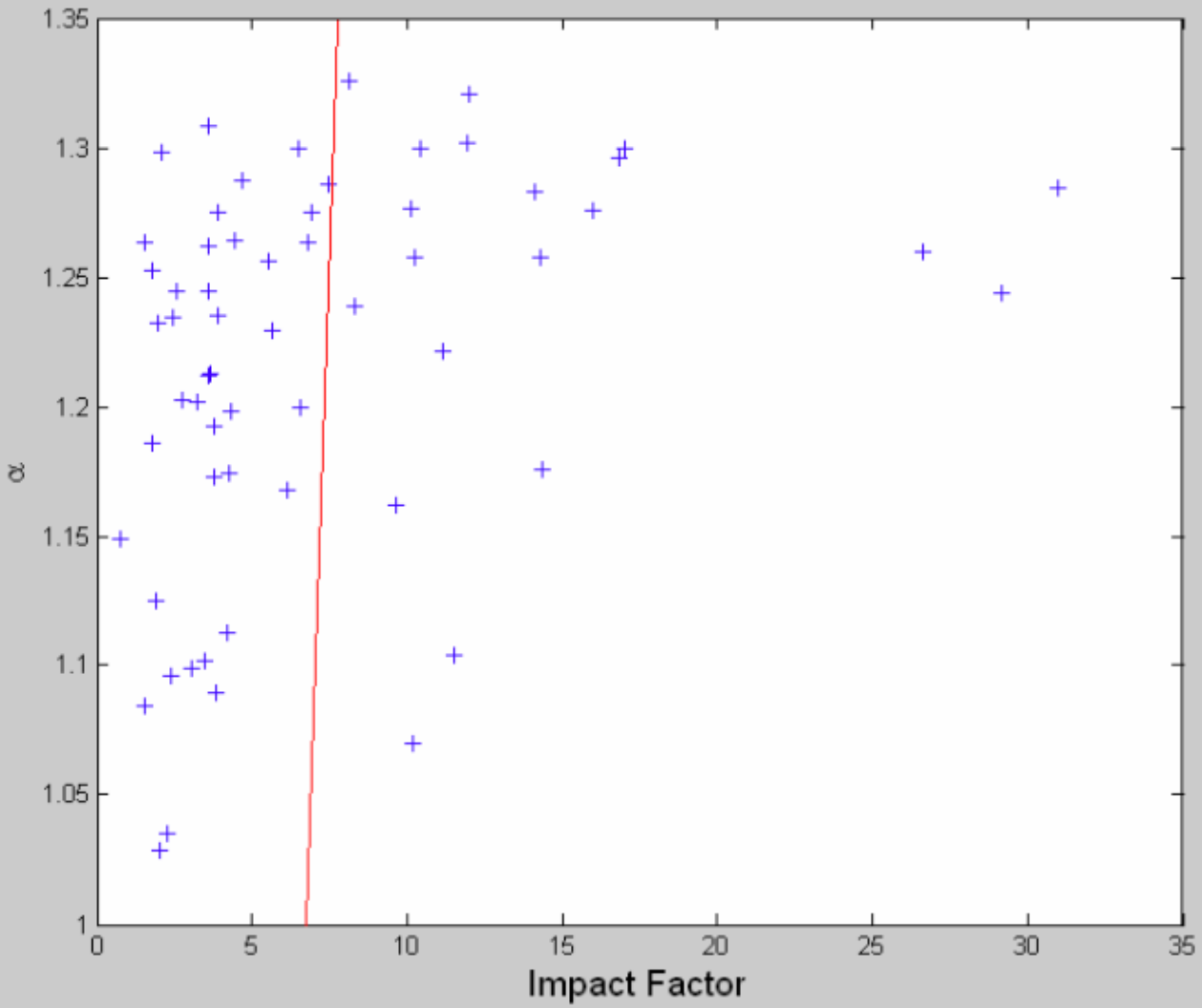


Figure 10: Scatter plot and linear regression for α and *IF* values for 60 journals. There is a significant linear correlation with correlation coefficient 0.35 and p-value 0.0063.

Impact Factor vs. Novelty

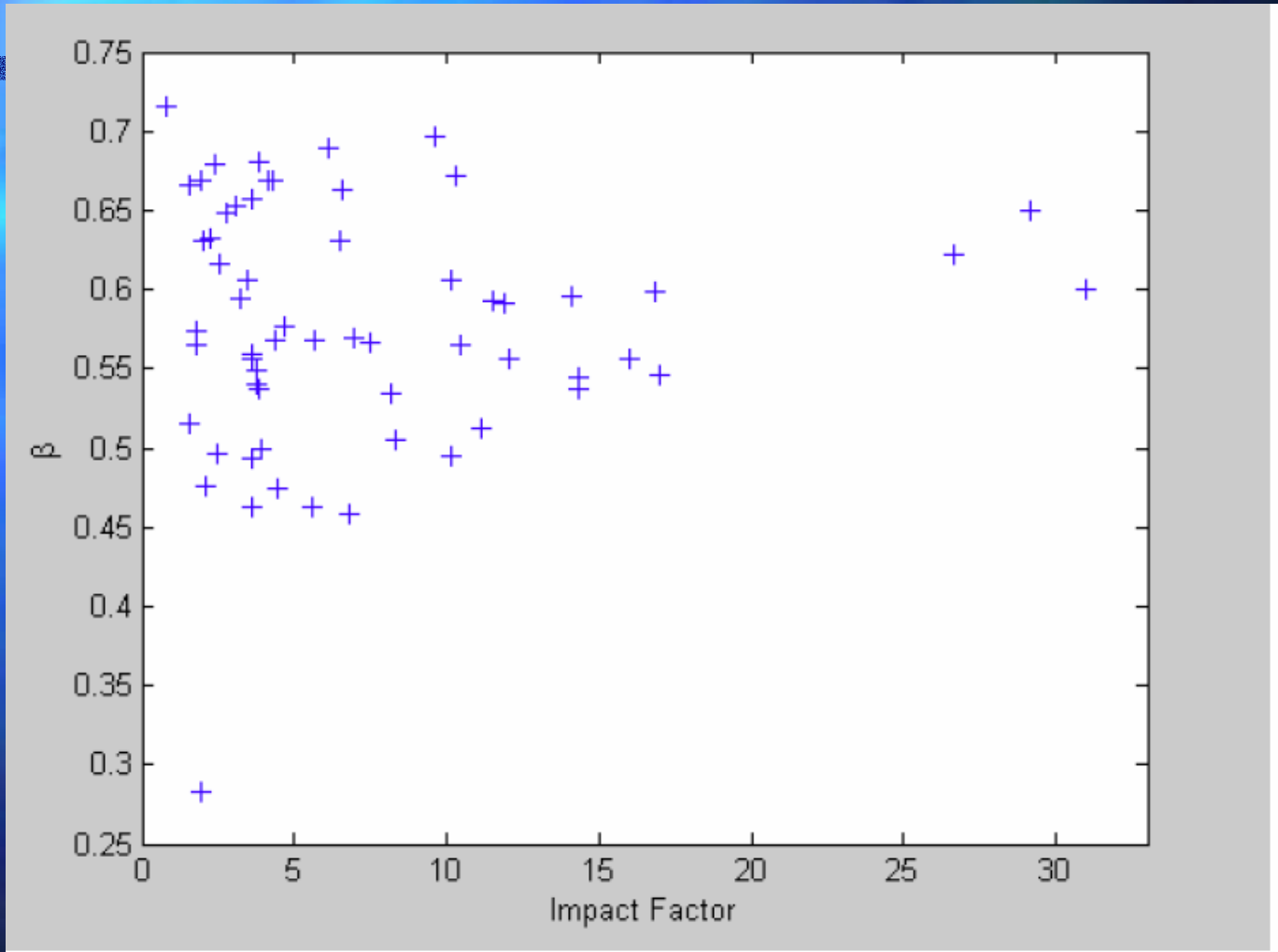
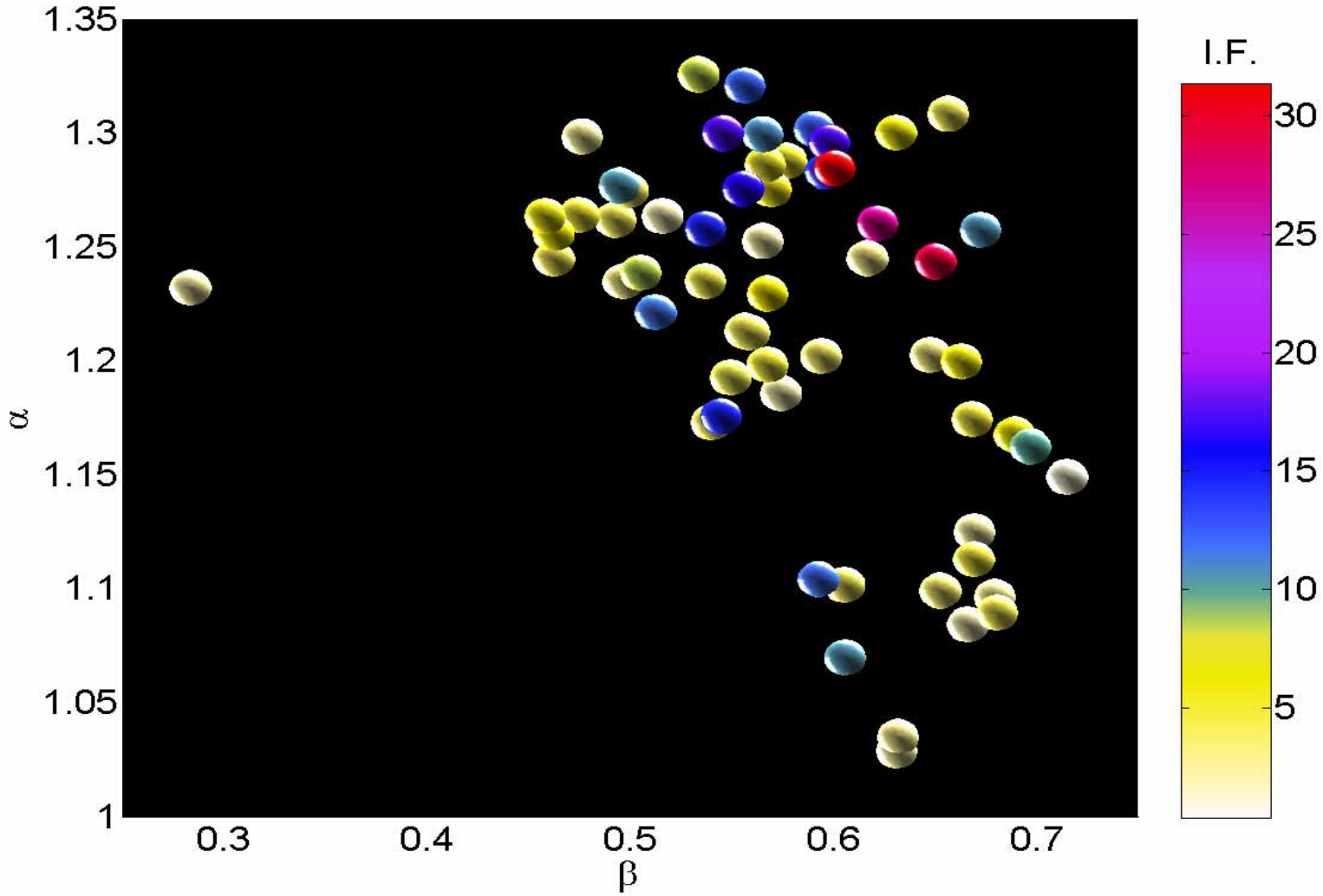


Figure 11: Scatter plot of β and IF values for 60 journals. There is no significant linear correlation (correlation coefficient 0.06, p-value 0.61).

Impact Factor (IF) versus temperature (alpha) and novelty (beta)



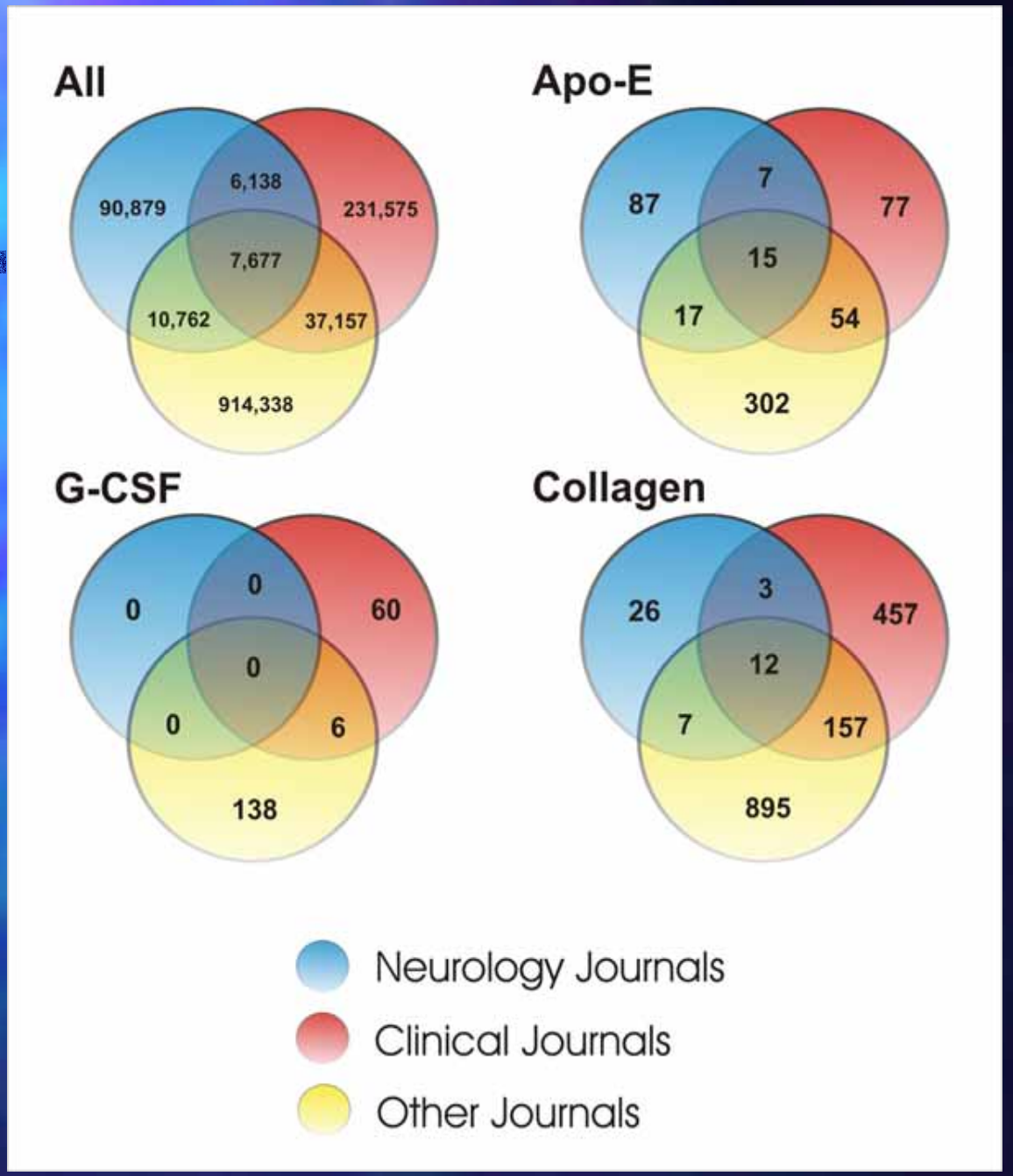
"Winning combination" for a paper in a high-impact journal:
a very high temperature + at least a moderate degree of novelty

Temperature (popularity) is more important!

If we are trying to maximize “temperature” + novelty of publications, why journals are only slightly warm on average?

Because of the knowledge pockets! (We think so...)

Real pockets



Brain coral analogy

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In a brain coral only surface is growing and alive--inside is dead

Estimating the number of useful interactions that are "out there" (in the center of the coral)

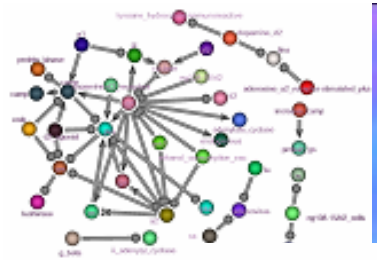
$$y = A \cdot x^{B} + error_{x}$$

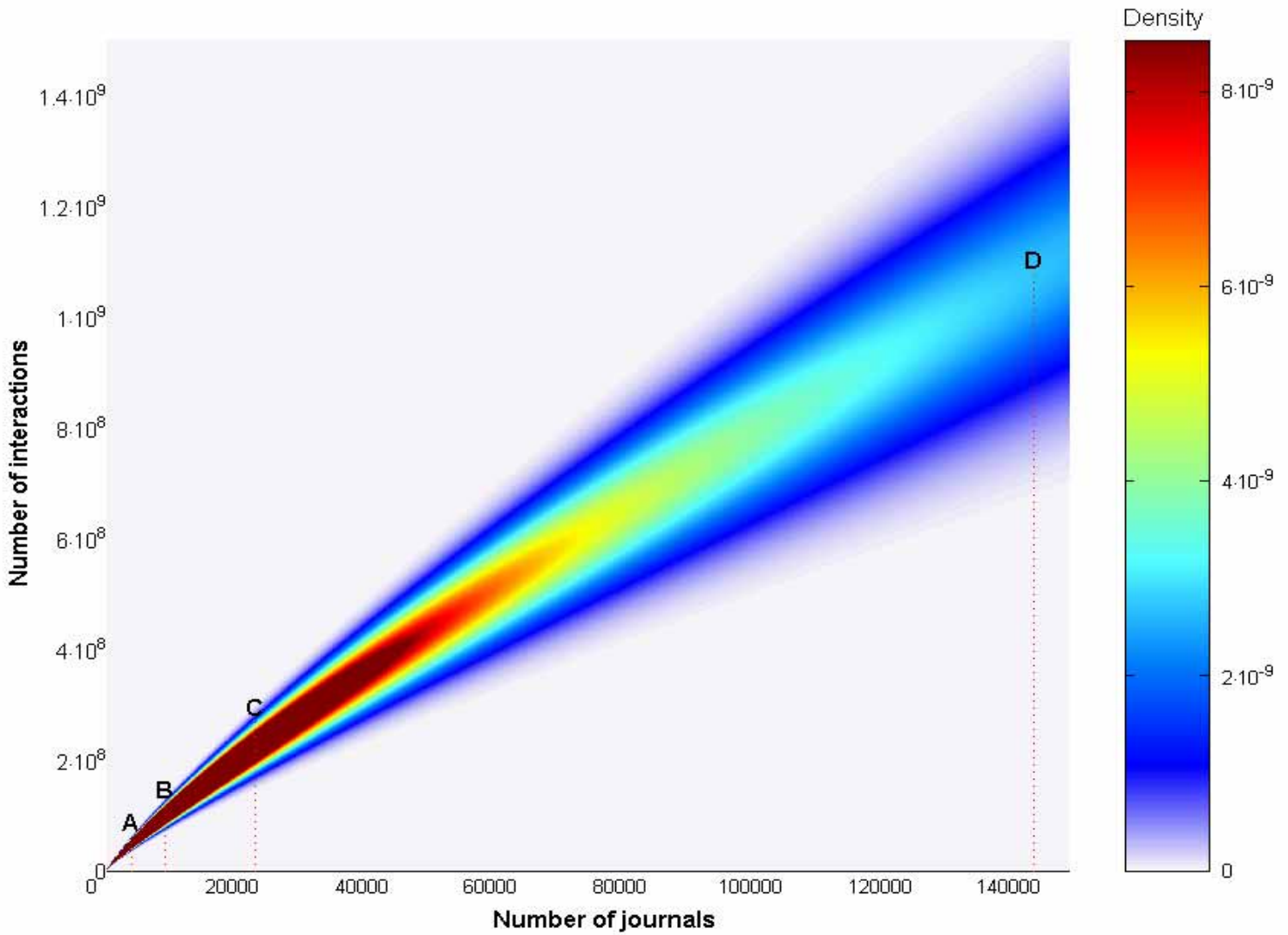
y is the number of facts extracted

x is the number of average "journals" analyzed

A and *B* are parameters

$error_x$ is a normally distributed error term with variance growing proportionally to square of *x*

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8·10^-9
6·10^-9
4·10^-9
2·10^-9
0
Number of interactions
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1.2·10^9
1·10^9
8·10^8
6·10^8
4·10^8
2·10^8
0
A
B
C
D
0
20000
40000
60000
80000
100000
120000
140000
Number of journals

We conclude that ...

- There is mostly crawling
- Mostly “surface” is growing
- There are “knowledge pockets”
- The total volume of information is enormous compared to the living surface

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3 Knowledge as a coral

4 Complex traits

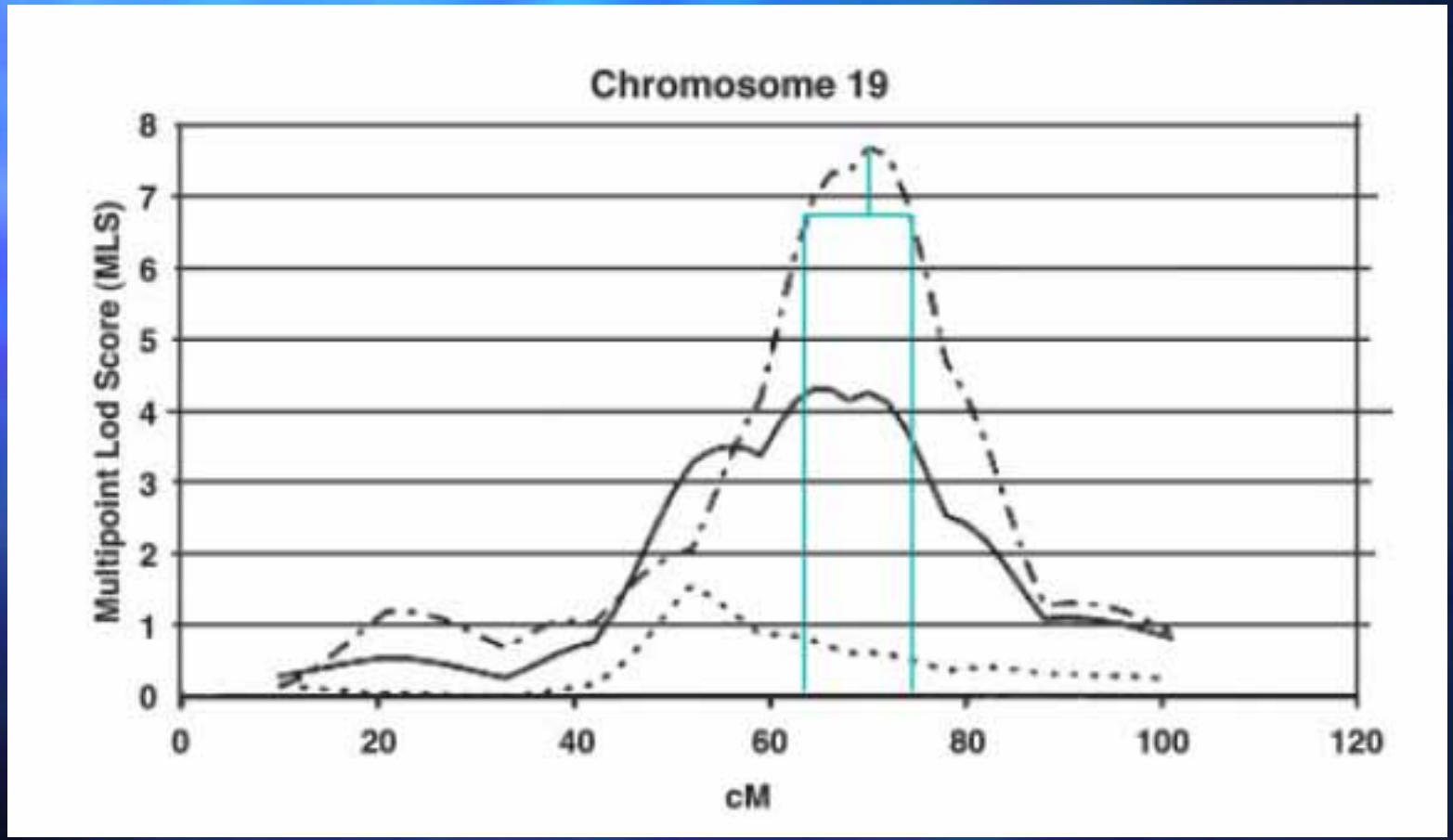
Application to analysis of complex disorders

Goal: finding candidate genes for a complex trait

genetic linkage studies

LOD score (logarithmic odds)=

log_{10}(likelihood under a linkage model/likelihood under no linkage)


Chromosome 19
Multipoint Lod Score (MLS)
0
1
2
3
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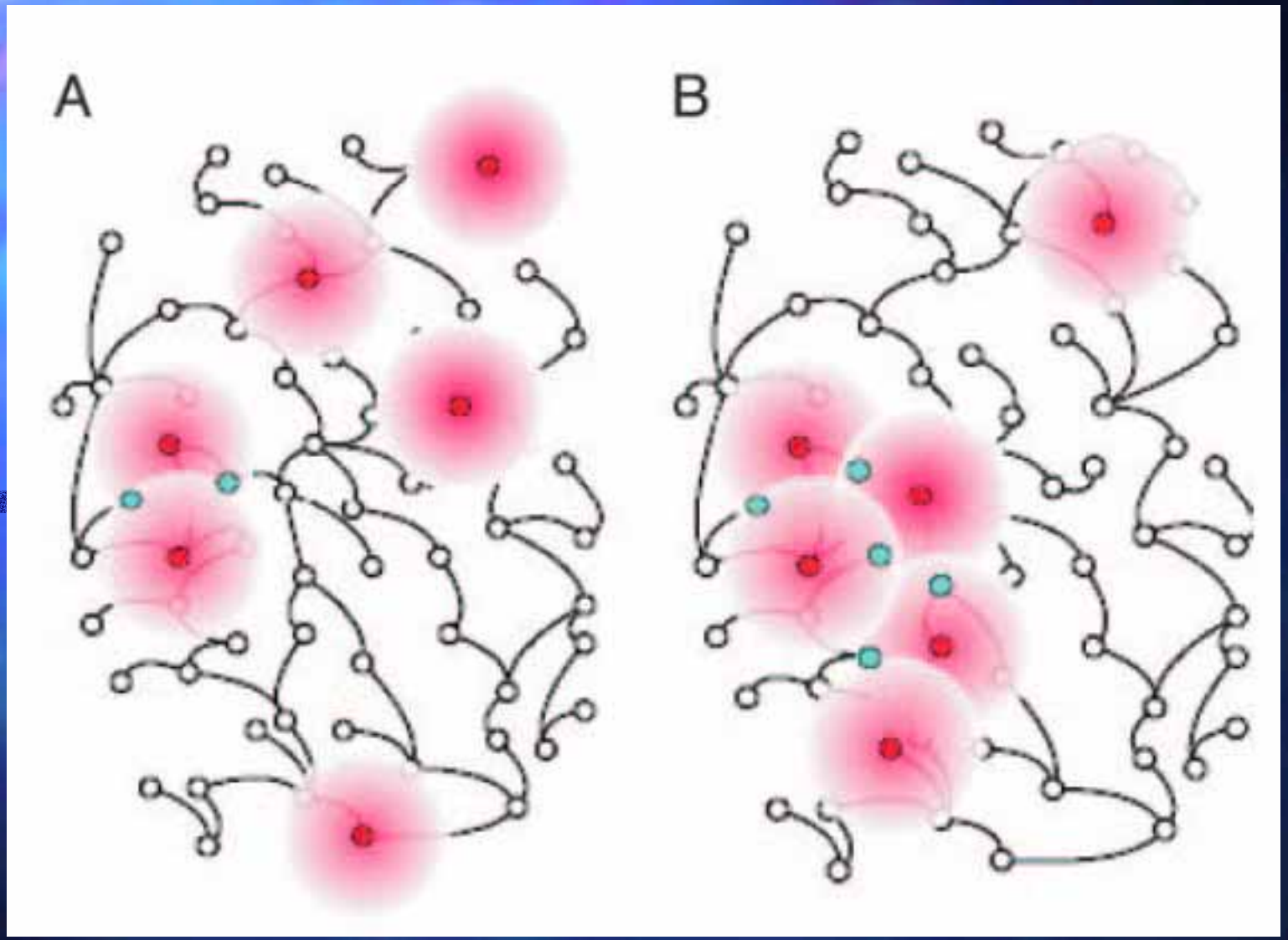
cM

Assumptions

1. The functional molecular module is compact

2. The noise is uniformly distributed over the network nodes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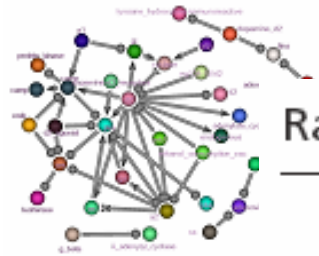

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15	**171.21**	**0.0018**	**P20226**	**TBP**	**0.0306**
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Molecular triangulation: Bridging linkage and molecular-network information for identifying candidate genes in Alzheimer's disease

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A major challenge in human genetics is identifying the molecular basis of common heritable disorders. In contrast to rare single-gene diseases, multifactorial disorders are thought to arise from the combined effect of multiple gene variants, such that any single variant may have only a modest effect on disease susceptibility. We present a method to identify genes that may harbor a significant proportion of the genetic variation that predisposes individuals to a given multifactorial disorder. First, we perform an automated

ants, we have sought to identify new AD candidate genes combining the predictions of molecular-interaction data w those of whole-genome genetic-linkage studies.

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