

# EXACT SOLUTIONS FOR SPIN MODELS ON DILUTED HYPERGRAPHS

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- Definition of the models on random hypergraphs
  - Some useful notions about hypergraphs
  - Zero-temperature phase diagrams
  - Graph theory tools: leaf removal
  - Rigorous derivation (no replicas) of some results:  
clustering and complexity

Defined by the following Hamiltonian

$$\mathcal{H} = \frac{1}{2} \left( \gamma N - \sum_{\{i,j,k\} \in G} J_{ijk} s_i s_j s_k \right)$$

$G$  is a set of  $\gamma N$  random triples (**the hypergraph**).

Two kinds of hypergraphs:

- **fixed connectivity**  $C$   
every index must appear  $C$  times and  $\gamma = \frac{C}{3}$
- **fluctuating connectivity** (Poisson distrib.)  
every plaquette is chosen with prob.  $\frac{\gamma N}{\binom{N}{3}}$

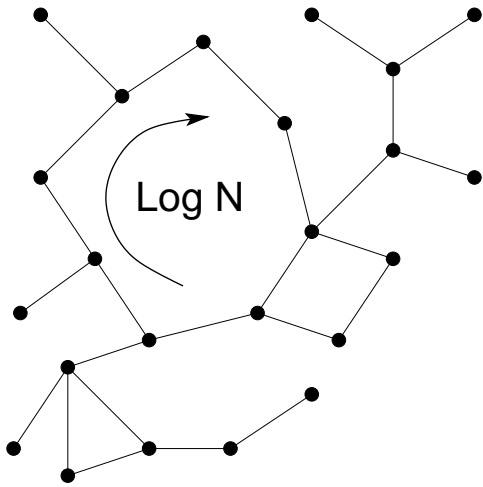
The model and the results can be generalized to any connectivity distribution and to any  $p$ -spin interacting terms (with  $p > 2$ ).

Two versions of the model:

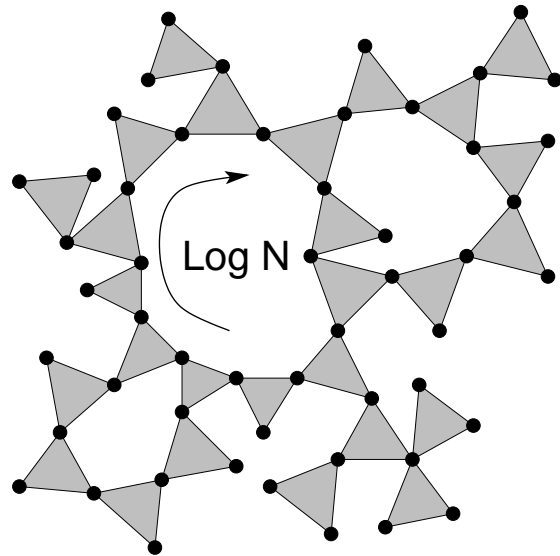
- **unfrustrated**, ferromagnetic:  $J_{ijk} = 1$   
→ 1<sup>st</sup> order ferromagnetic transition
- **frustrated**, spin glass:  $J_{ijk} = \pm 1$   
→ SAT/UNSAT transition

**Both versions have a glassy phase!**

# Graphs and Hypergraphs



Graph (2-spin interactions)

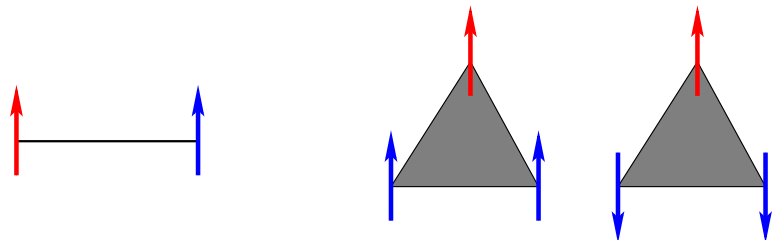


Hypergraph (3-spin interactions)

Typically they are **non planar** and **long range**:  
typical loops are of order  $\ln(N)$

**Problem:** A connected (hyper)graph  $G$ , a set of interactions  $\{J\}$  and the value of a spin are given. It is known that a spin configuration which satisfies all the interactions exists. Find that configuration.

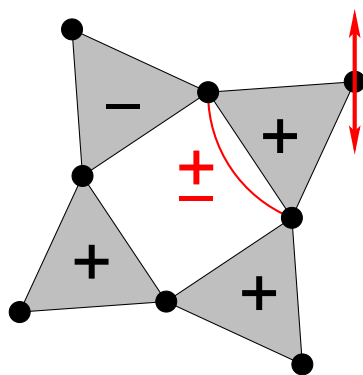
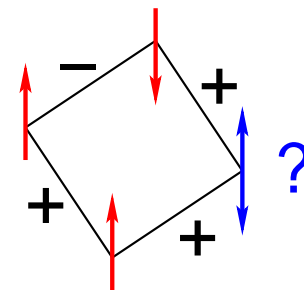
Propagating the information along a ferromagnetic (hyper)link



**Conclusion:** Finding the ground state of an unfrustrated spin model is an **easy** problem on a **graph**, but it may be **hard** on a **hypergraph**

# Frustration $\Leftrightarrow J = \pm 1$

On a **graph** the **frustration** arises with **loops** at the percolation point ( $\gamma_p = 1/2$ ). On a **hypergraph** the loops arising at the percolation point ( $\gamma_p = 1/6$ ) give no frustration.

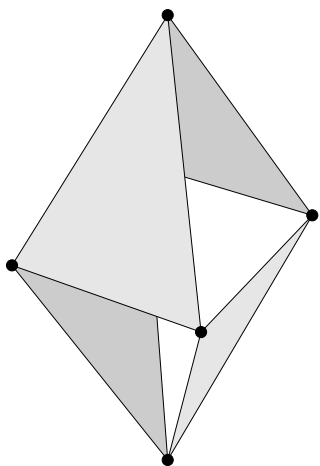


Spin on dangling ends can be freely fixed in order to change the effective interaction between the other two spins. Only **hyperloops** can generate frustration on a hypergraph.

Definition of hyperloop: a non-empty set  $\mathcal{S}$  of hyperlinks  $\{i, j, k\}$  such that every node (spin) appears in  $\mathcal{S}$  an **even** number of times (**zero is even**).

## hyperloops $\Rightarrow$ frustration

satisfied interaction:  $J_{ijk} s_i s_j s_k = 1$



$$\begin{aligned}
 1 &= \prod_{\{i,j,k\} \in \mathcal{S}} J_{ijk} s_i s_j s_k = \\
 &= \prod_{\{i,j,k\} \in \mathcal{S}} J_{ijk} = \begin{cases} 1 & p = 1/2 \\ -1 & p = 1/2 \end{cases}
 \end{aligned}$$

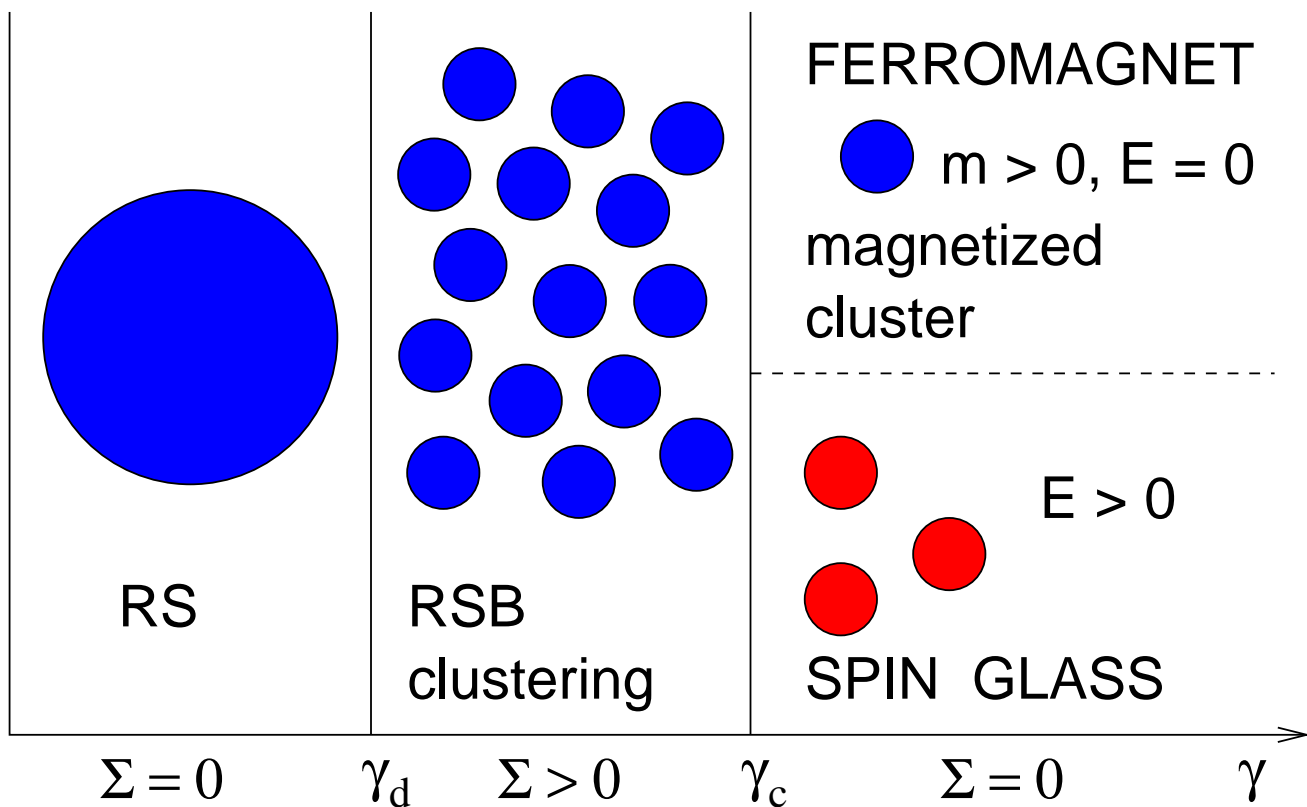
# Zero-temperature phase diagram

Any  $p > 2$  and **fluctuating connectivity** hypergraphs.

Analytic solution and numerics:

if  $E = 0$  (no frustration)  $\rightarrow$  **Gaussian elimination**

if  $E > 0$   $\rightarrow$  **exhaustive enumerations**

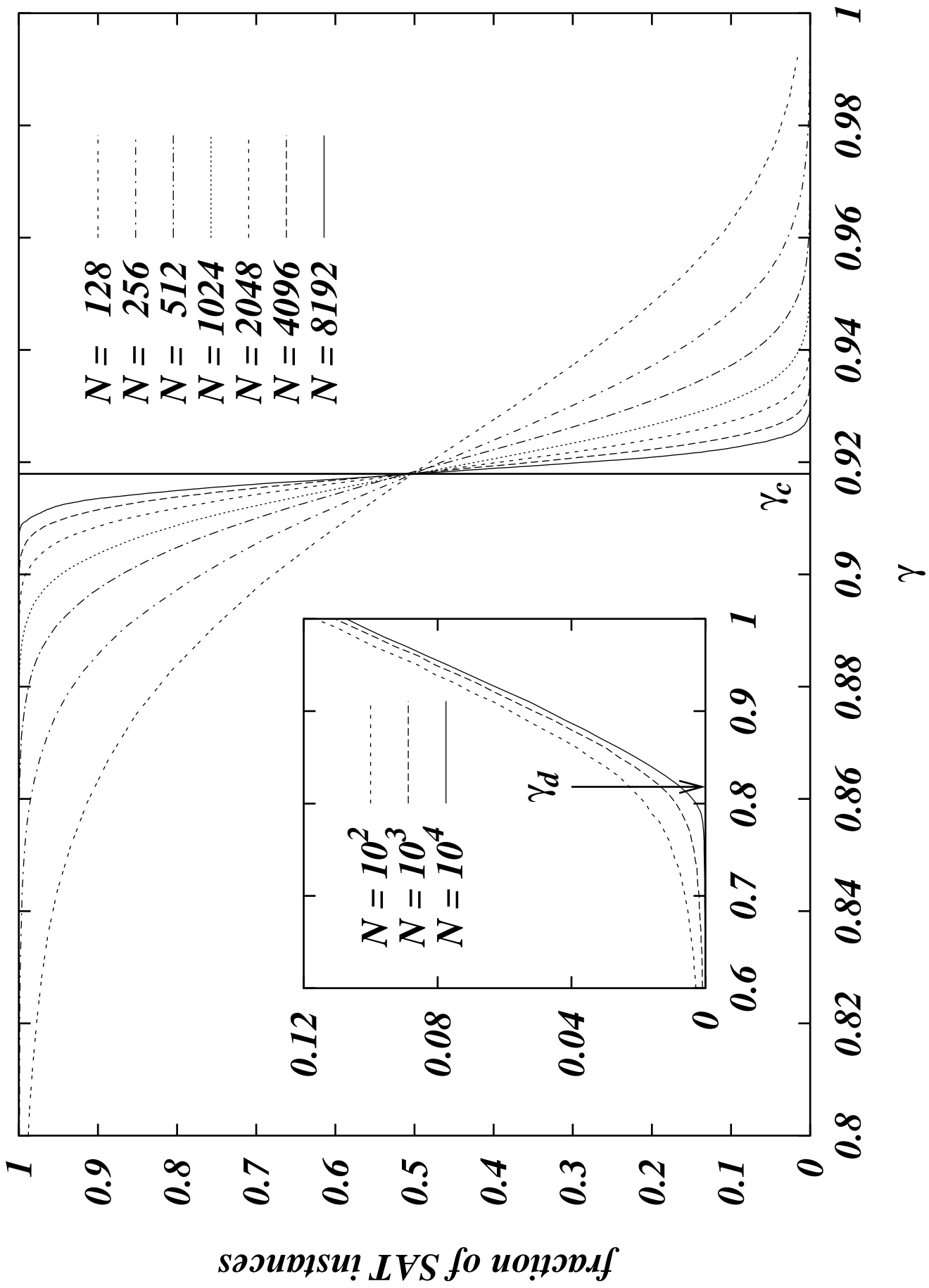


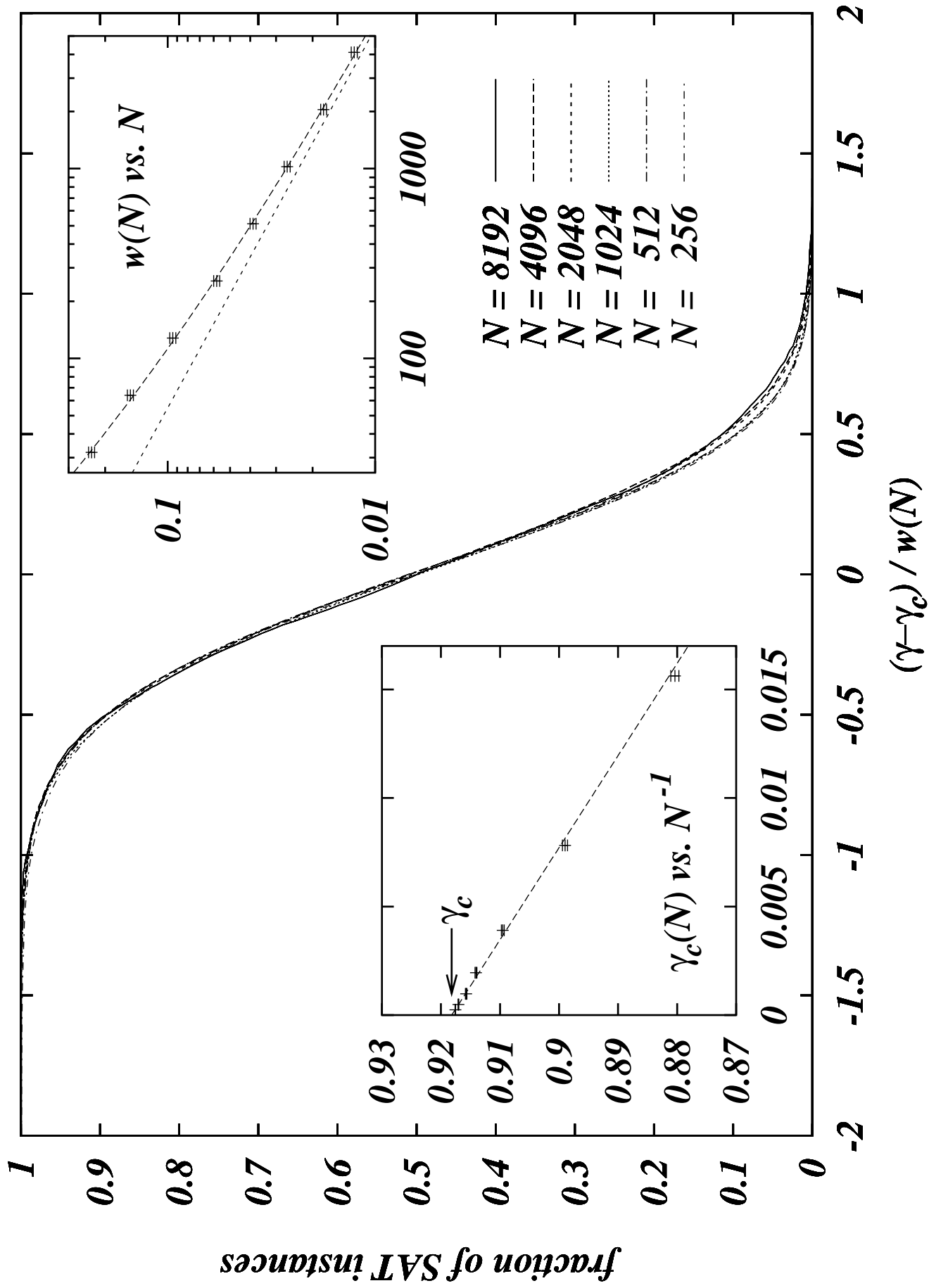
Configurational entropy:  $\Sigma(\gamma) = \frac{1}{N} \ln(\# \text{ clusters})$

## A common problem

- diluted  $p$ -spin glass at  $T = 0$
- random  $p$ -XOR-SAT  $\S$
- low density Parity Check codes
- random linear systems in finite fields ( $\text{GF}[2]$ )

$\S$  considered an open problem in theoretical computer science





# The unfrustrated model: $J = 1$

The existence of a ferromagnetic solution follows from a simple argument

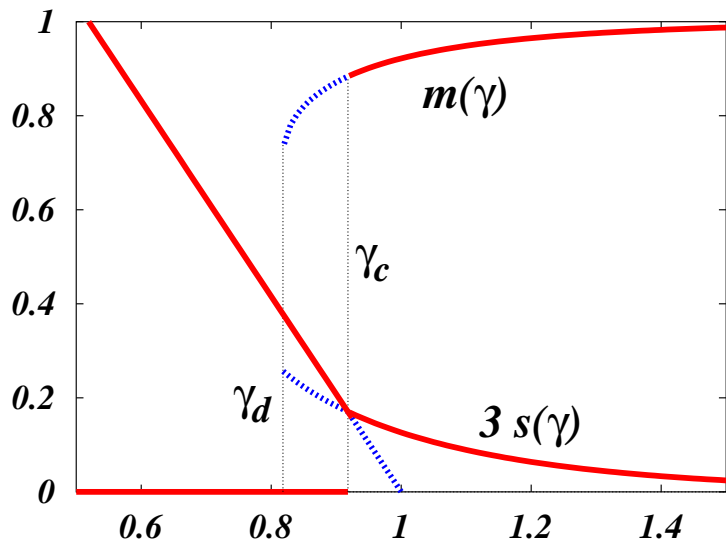
$$1 - m = \sum_c e^{-3\gamma} \frac{(3\gamma)^c}{c!} \frac{c}{3\gamma} (1 - m^2)^{c-1} = e^{-3\gamma m^2}$$

Up to  $\gamma_d = 0.818$  the hypergraph is like a **tree**

$m(\gamma)$  is the fraction of frozen spins, i.e. the magnetization

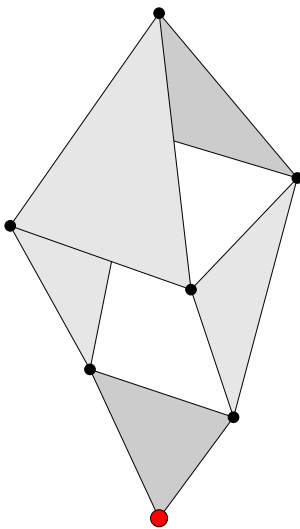
$s(\gamma)$  is the entropy

$$\gamma_c = 0.918$$



The difficult task is to calculate  $s(\gamma) \rightarrow$  **replicas!**

$$s(\gamma) = \ln(2)[1 - \gamma - m + 3\gamma m^2(1 - m) + \gamma m^3]$$



At  $\gamma_c$  percolate hyperloops and **hyperfields**  $\Rightarrow$  **magnetization**

$$\begin{aligned} s_\ell &= \prod_{\{i,j,k\} \in \mathcal{T}} s_i s_j s_k = \\ &= \prod_{\{i,j,k\} \in \mathcal{T}} J_{ijk} = 1 \end{aligned}$$

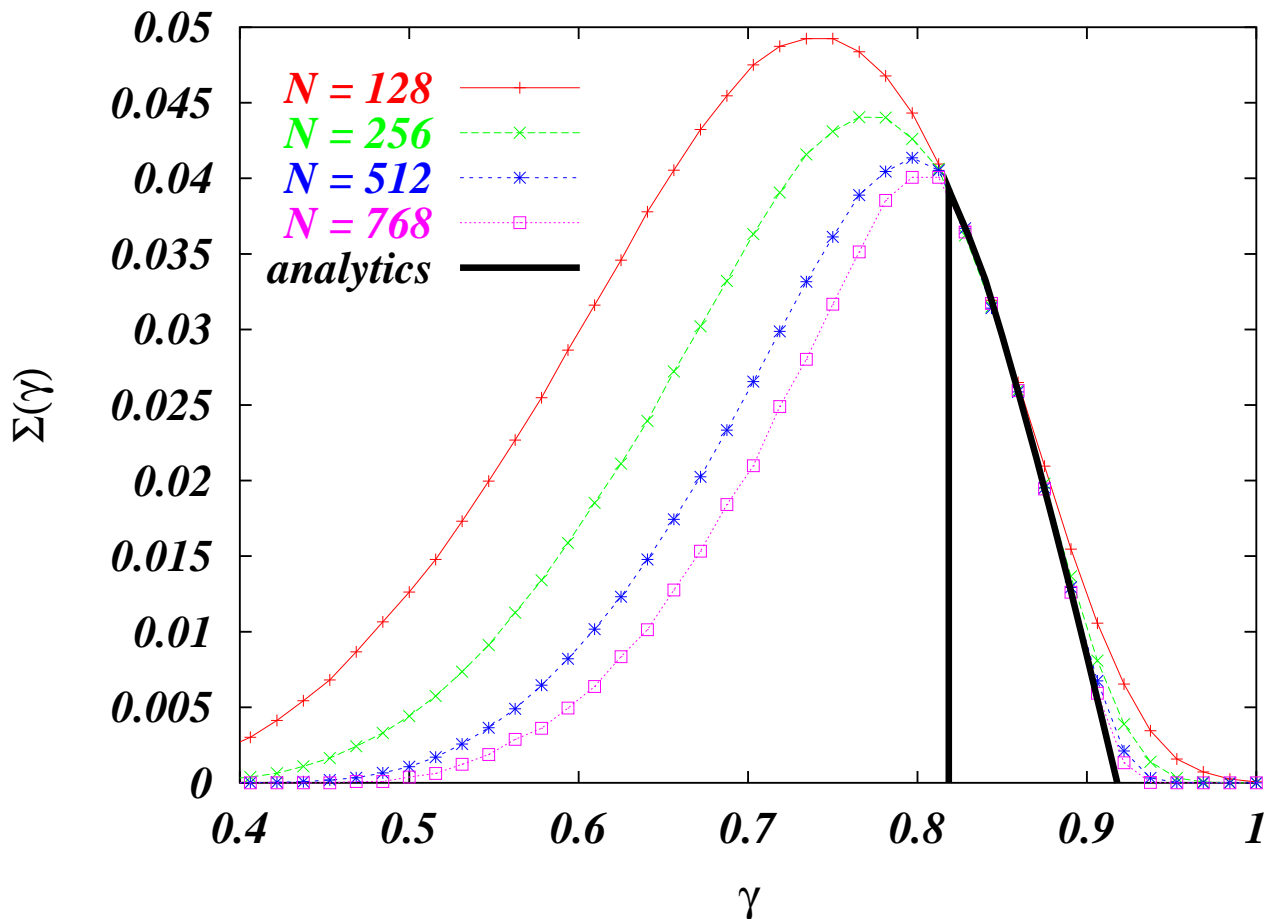


# The structure of the configurational space

Configurational entropy:  $\Sigma(\gamma) = \frac{1}{N} \ln(\# \text{ clusters})$   
Since all clusters are equal

$$\begin{aligned}\Sigma(\gamma) &= \ln(2)(1 - \gamma) - s(\gamma) = \\ &= \ln(2) \left[ r - 3\gamma r^2(1 - r) - \gamma r^3 \right]\end{aligned}$$

with  $1 - r = \exp(-3\gamma r^2)$ , is **exact** !



$\Sigma(\gamma) > 0$  for  $\gamma \in [\gamma_d, \gamma_c] \Rightarrow$

$\Rightarrow$  clustering and search algorithms slowing down

$\Rightarrow \gamma_c = \text{SAT/UNSAT threshold for 3-XOR-SAT}$

$\Rightarrow$  dynamical transition in memory requirements

$[\mathcal{O}(N) \rightarrow \mathcal{O}(N^2)]$  solving linear systems in GF[2]

As long as the **ground state energy is 0** (no frustration) all the ground states can be found by solving the following set of linear equations modulus 2.

$$s_i = (-1)^{x_i} \quad J_{ijk} = (-1)^{\xi_{ijk}}$$
$$\gamma N \text{ eq. } \begin{cases} x_i + x_j + x_k = \xi_{ijk} \pmod{2} \\ \dots \end{cases}$$

An example for the ferromagnetic model with  $N = 7$  and  $\gamma = 1$

$$\begin{cases} x_1 + x_5 + x_3 = 0 \\ x_4 + x_7 + x_6 = 0 \\ x_2 + x_4 + x_6 = 0 \\ x_1 + x_3 + x_4 = 0 \\ x_7 + x_5 + x_2 = 0 \\ x_2 + x_7 + x_3 = 0 \\ x_5 + x_1 + x_6 = 0 \end{cases}$$

Gauge transformation to hidden the ground state  
Choose a random configuration  $\tau_i$  and set the interactions to  $J_{ijk} = \tau_i \tau_j \tau_k$   
By construction,  $s_i = \tau_i$  is a ground state, but now the interactions look like random variables.

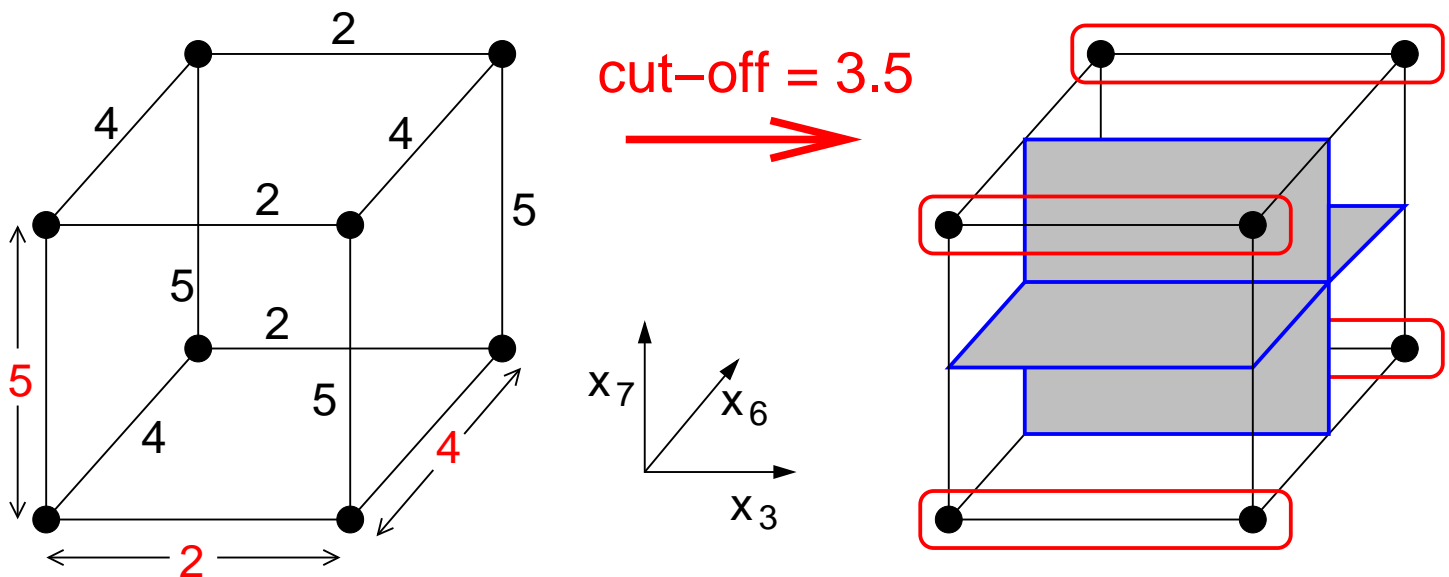
# The structure of the solutions

After having solved  $\gamma N$  equations there are still  $2^{N(1-\gamma)}$  solutions. How are they organized?

$$\gamma N \text{ eq. } \begin{cases} x_1 = x_3 + x_6 + x_7 \\ x_4 = x_6 + x_7 \\ x_2 = x_7 \\ x_5 = x_6 + x_7 \end{cases}$$

- the blue ones are  $\gamma N$  dependent variables
- the red ones are  $(1 - \gamma)N$  independent variables

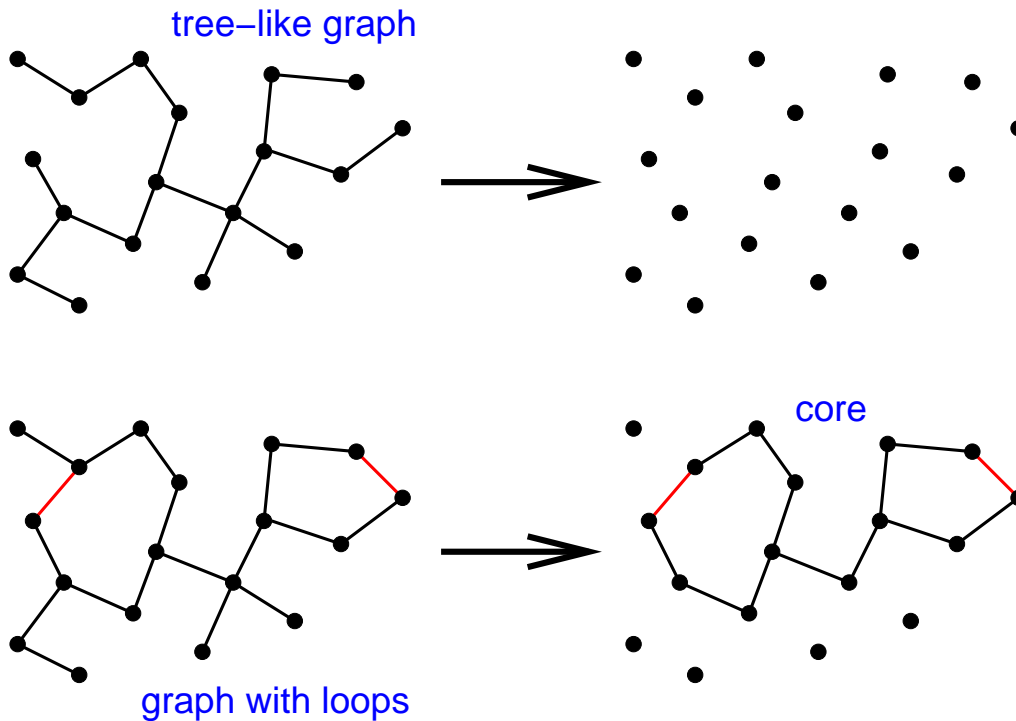
Here we have 8 solutions organized as follows



Clusters are of the same size!

# Graph theory: Leaf removal

Rule: As long as there are nodes of connectivity 1 remove their (hyper-)links.

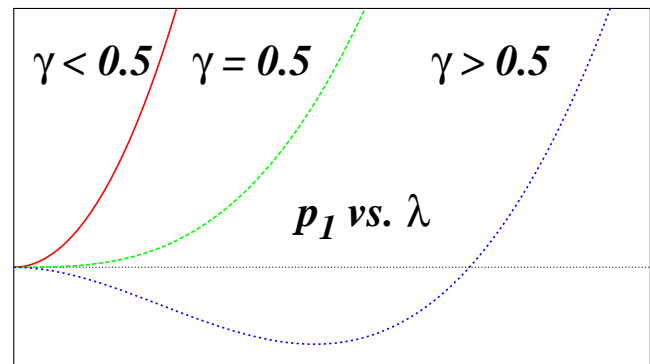


Eqs. for  $p_1(t)$  and  $p_k(t) = e^{-\lambda(t)} \frac{\lambda(t)^k}{k!}$  ( $k \geq 2$ ), with  
init. cond.  $p_k(0) = e^{-2\gamma} \frac{(2\gamma)^k}{k!}$ , give

$$\lambda(t) = 2\sqrt{\gamma(\gamma - t)} \quad p_1(t) = \lambda(t) \left( e^{-\lambda(t)} - 1 + \frac{\lambda(t)}{2\gamma} \right)$$

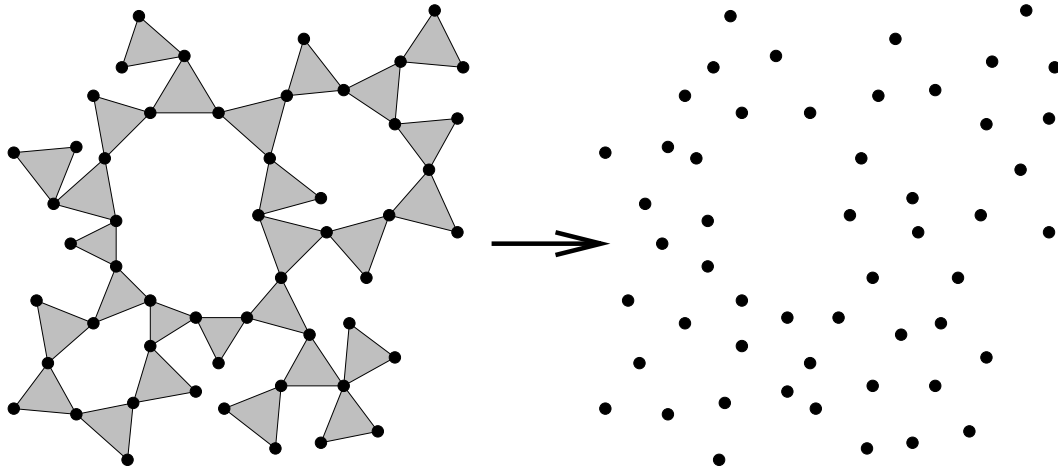
Second order  
transition at the  
percolation point  $\gamma = \frac{1}{2}$

$$\text{Core size} \propto \left( \gamma - \frac{1}{2} \right)^2$$



# Leaf removal on hypergraphs

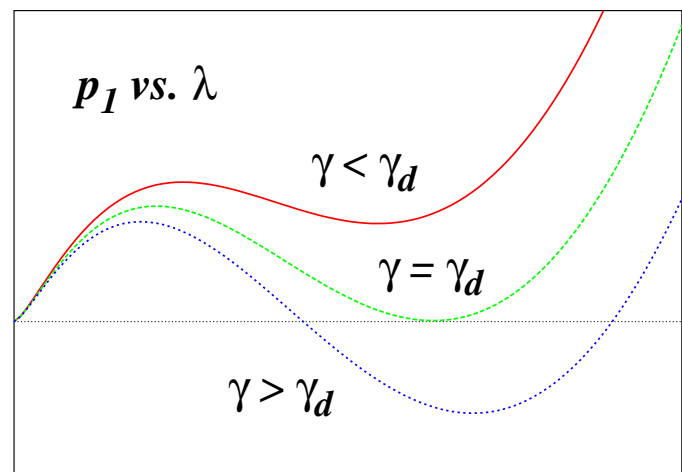
The percolation transition at  $\gamma_p = \frac{1}{6}$  does not affect the leaf removal process, which can completely remove also percolating hypergraphs.



$$\lambda(t) = 3 \sqrt[3]{\gamma(\gamma - t)^2} \quad p_1(\lambda) = \lambda \left( e^{-\lambda} - 1 + \sqrt{\frac{\lambda}{3\gamma}} \right)$$

First order  
transition at  
 $\gamma = \gamma_d = 0.818$

The core appears in  
a discontinuous way



# Leaf removal on hypergraphs

Counting solutions in the core for  $\gamma_d < \gamma < \gamma_c$

Once the leaf removal process stops, the core is made of  $N^*$  nodes and  $M^*$  hyperlinks:

$$\gamma^* \equiv \frac{M^*}{N^*} \quad S^* \equiv \frac{N^*}{N} (1 - \gamma^*) \log(2)$$

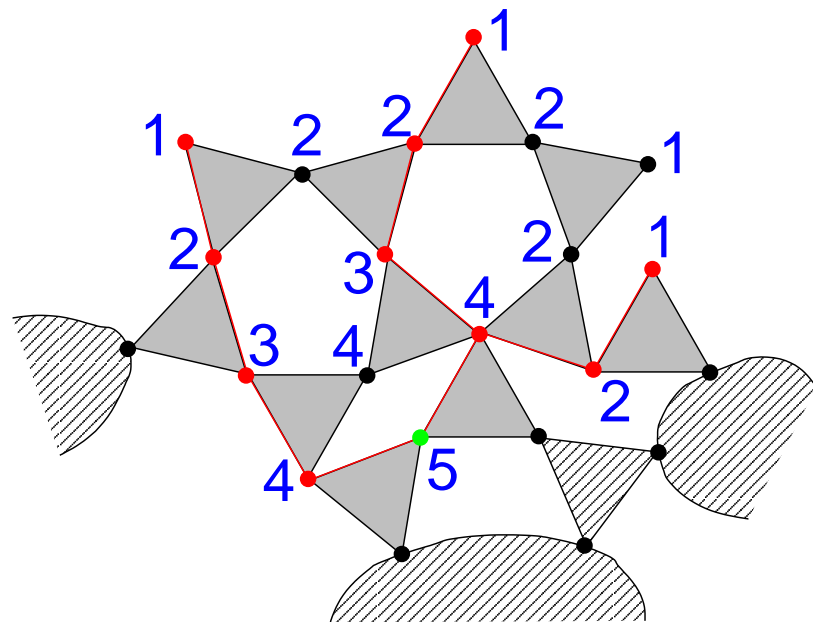
The number of solutions is  $2^{N^* - M^*}$  and hyperloops are still exponentially rare.

$$S^*(\gamma) = \Sigma(\gamma)$$

The distances between solutions in the core are all of  $\mathcal{O}(N)$ . Moreover  $\gamma_c \Leftrightarrow \gamma^* = 1$ .

The intra-cluster entropy  $s(\gamma)$  is given by the non-core part of the system (unfrozen spins).

A finite fraction of spins in the non-core part can be flipped by adjusting  $\mathcal{O}(1)$  other spins.



# Summary

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- Spin models on random hypergraphs with finite connectivity present a very rich behavior, even at  $T = 0$ .
- The ferromagnetic versions have a glassy phase.
- $T = 0$  properties directly depend on the topology of the hypergraph (independently of the coupling for  $\gamma < \gamma_c$ ).
- Critical points correspond to percolation transitions.
- RSB at  $T = 0 \Leftrightarrow$  clustering.
- The configuration entropy can be obtained without replicas (and the results coincide!).

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