# Approche combinatoire de l'analyse des k-arbres

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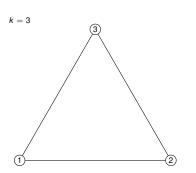
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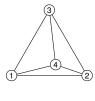
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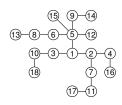




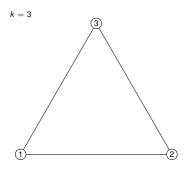


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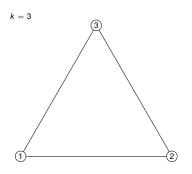


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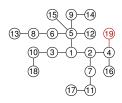




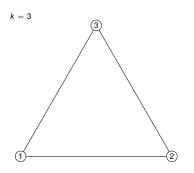








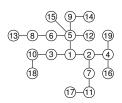




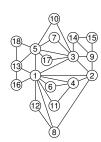




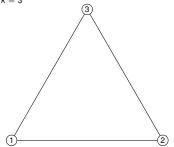




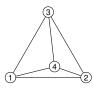
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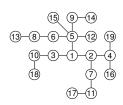
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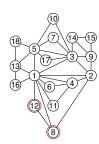
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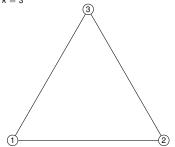
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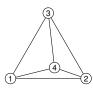
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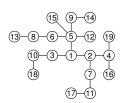
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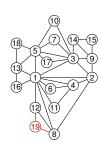
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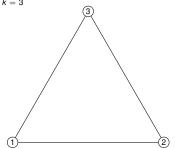




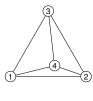
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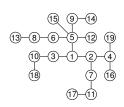
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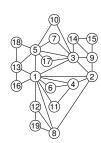
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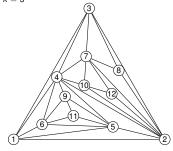




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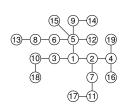
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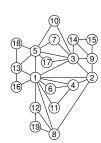
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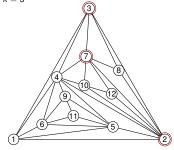




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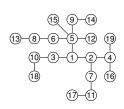
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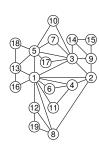
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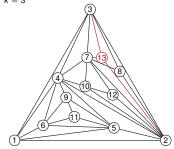




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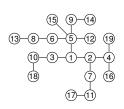
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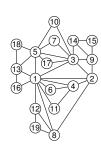
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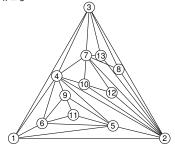




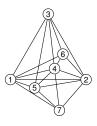
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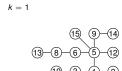


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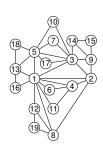


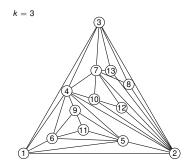
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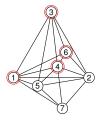




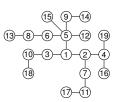




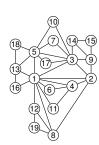




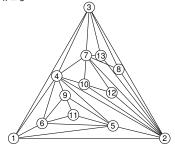




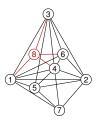
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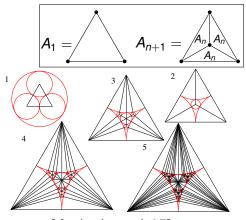
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# Combinatorial analysis of *k*-trees

bijection between planar 3-trees and ternary trees estimating distances in planar 2-trees BFS-profile of general *k*-trees

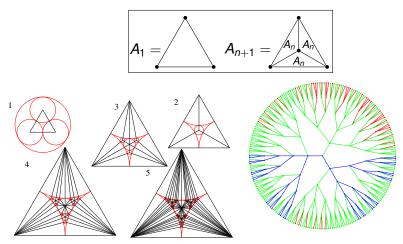
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[Andrade et al. 05]

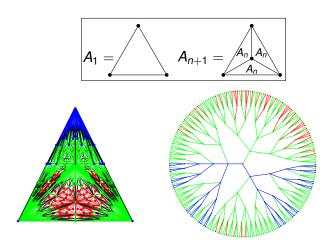
- Properties similar to "real world" graphs
- Inspired from the apollonian packings

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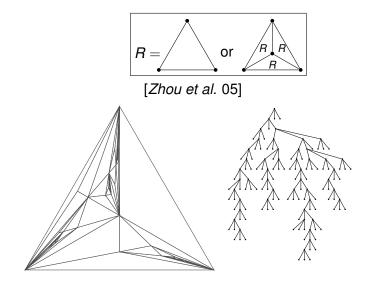
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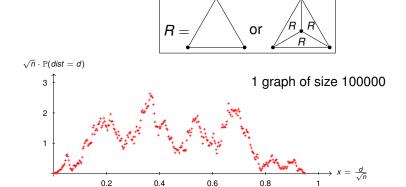


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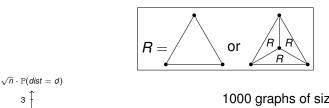
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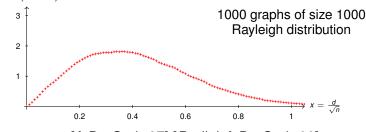


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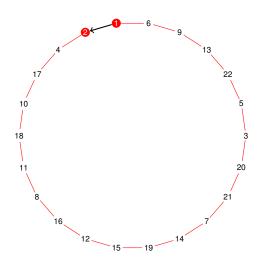
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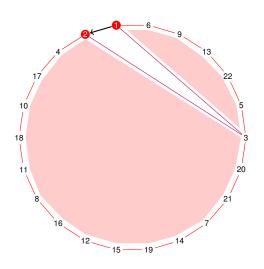


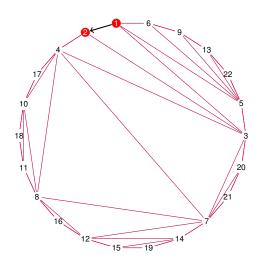


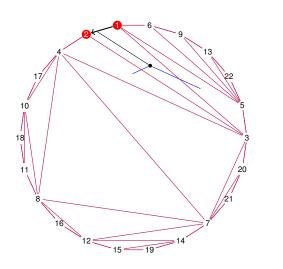
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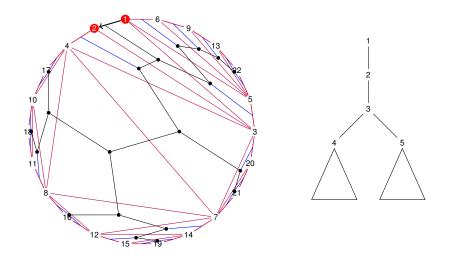


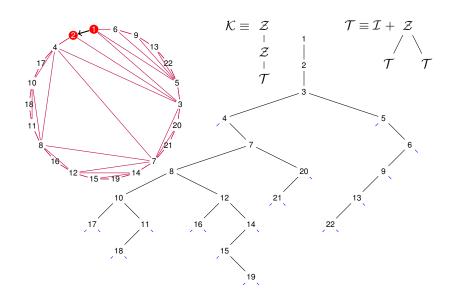


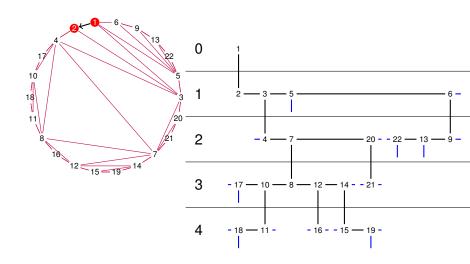


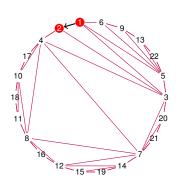




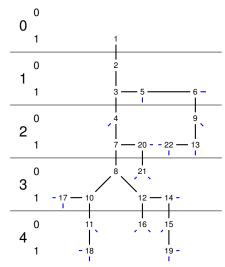








$$\begin{split} \mathcal{K} &\equiv \mathcal{Z} & \mathcal{T}_{d,0} \equiv \mathcal{I} + \mathcal{Z}_{d} \\ \mathcal{Z} & \mathcal{T}_{d,1} & \mathcal{T}_{d,1} \\ \mathcal{T}_{1,1} & \mathcal{T}_{d,1} \equiv \mathcal{I} + \mathcal{Z}_{d} \!\!-\!\! \mathcal{T}_{d,1} \\ \mathcal{T}_{d+1,0} & \mathcal{T}_{d+1,0} \end{split}$$



$$K_d(z, u) = \sum_{n,m} r_{n,m} u^m z^n$$

 $r_{n,m}$ : # of rooted k-trees with n total vertices and m vertices at distance d

$$\frac{\partial}{\partial u}K_d(z,u)\big|_{u=1}=\sum_n r_n z^n$$

r<sub>n</sub>: # of vertices at distance d in all rooted k-trees with n total vertices

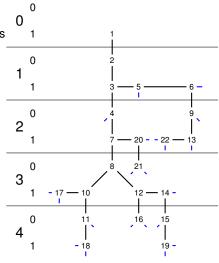
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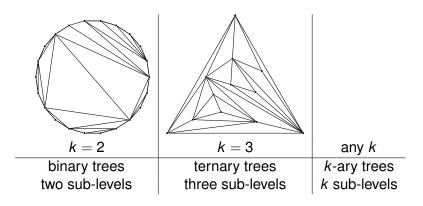
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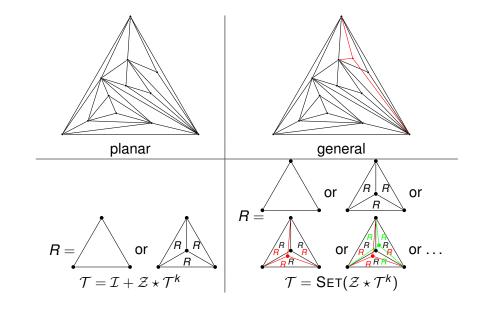
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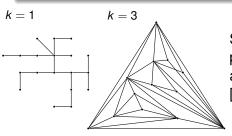
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Some graph theory NP-hard problems have linear time algorithms on partial *k*-trees [*Arnborg, Proskurowksi* 89]

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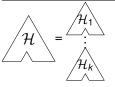
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$$\frac{\partial}{\partial u}K_d(z,u)\big|_{u=1} = H^{d-2}(z) \frac{\partial}{\partial u}K_2(z,u)\big|_{u=1}$$



combinatorial interpretation

$$H(z) = k!(zT^{k}(z))^{k} \prod_{i=1}^{k-1} \frac{1}{1 - izT^{k}(z)}$$
$$= 1 - c_{k} \sqrt{2(1 - kez)} + O(1 - kez).$$

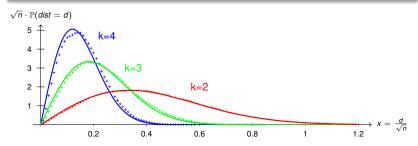
Semi-large power theorem for calculating  $[z^n]H^{d-2}(z)$  in the range  $x\sqrt{n}$ .

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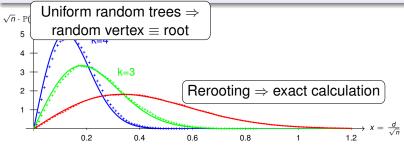
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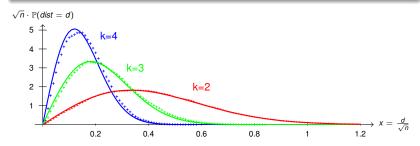


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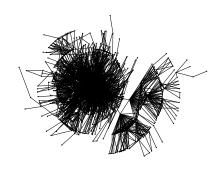


#### Increasing random model (joint work with Bodini, Hwang, Soria)



- Same bijection.
- $\bullet \ \mathcal{T} = \exp(\mathcal{Z} \star \mathcal{T}^k) \to \mathcal{T} = \exp(\mathcal{Z}^{\square} \star \mathcal{T}^k)$
- Probability model of original RAN.
- Power law degree distribution.
- BFS profile a gaussian around log(n).
- Extension to chordal graphs.

# Increasing chordal graphs



$$\mathcal{T}_k = \mathsf{SET}(\mathcal{Z}^{\square} \star \prod_{i=1}^{k+1} \mathcal{T}_i^{\binom{k+1}{i}})$$

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