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# Results on *m*-dissimilarity tensors and graphs of genus 1 Joint works with Filip Cools

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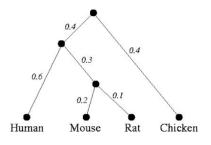
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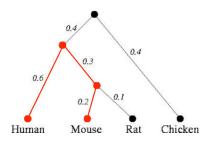
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For instance, the distance in this tree between "Human" and "Mouse" equals

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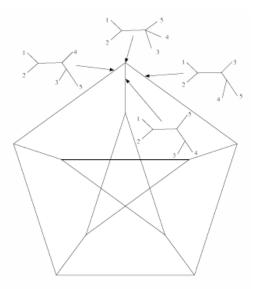
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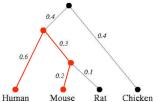
Tree metrics on *n* leaves are parametrized by a the so-called space of trees  $\mathcal{T}_n \subset \mathbb{R}^{\binom{n}{2}}$ . (*X* = [*n*])



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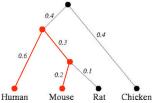


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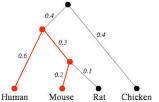
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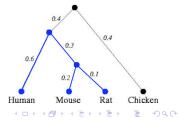
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#### Theorem (Pachter–Speyer, 2004)

Let T be a tree with n leaves and no vertices of degree 2. Let  $m \ge 3$  be an integer, If  $n \ge 2m - 1$ , then T is determined by the set of values  $\omega([V])$  as V ranges over all m element subset of [n]. If n = 2m - 2, this is not true.

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One popular way to avoid these problems is the "distance based approach" which is to collapse the data to a dissimilarity map and then to obtain a tree via a projection onto tree space  $T_n$  (*neighbor-joining algorithm*).

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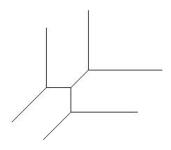
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### Consider an ordinary polynomial

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### Theorem (Speyer–Sturmfels, 2004)

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The three-term tropical Grassmannian  $\mathcal{T}_{m,n}$  is the intersection

$$\mathcal{T}_{m,n} := \bigcap_{R,i,j,k,l} \mathcal{H}(p_{R,ijkl}) \subset \mathbb{R}^{\binom{n}{m}}$$

 $\mathcal{T}_{m,n}$  is also known as the space of *m*-trees.

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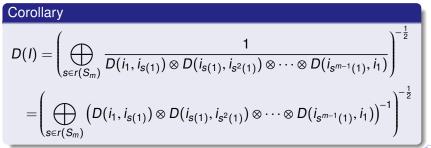
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## Thus

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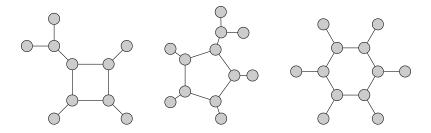
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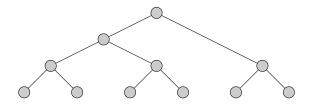


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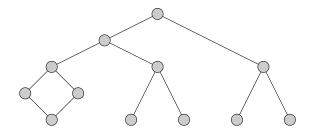
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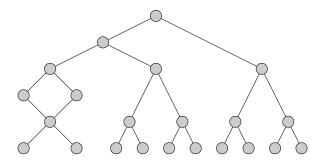
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#### Theorem

 $D_i(\alpha)$  is a distance matrix if and only if

$$\alpha \leq \frac{1}{2} \cdot (d_{pi} + d_{ir} - d_{pr}), \text{ for all } p, r \neq i.$$

The new metric  $D_i(\alpha)$ , obtained from D, is called a compaction.

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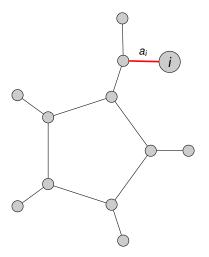
#### Definition

Given a distance matrix *D* of order  $n \times n$  define the vector  $\mathbf{a} = (a_1, \ldots, a_n)$  where

$$a_i = \frac{1}{2} \cdot \min_{\substack{p \neq i, r \neq i}} \{d_{pi} + d_{ir} - d_{pr}\}$$

The vector **a** is called the compaction vector of *D*.

Notice that, in the case i is a leaf, then the entry  $a_i$  is the length of the edge connecting the i to its internal node.



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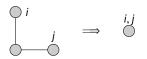
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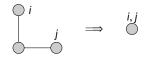


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#### Theorem

A distance matrix D, of order n, as an n–gon as a realization if and only if there exists a real permutation  $\pi$  such that

$$d_{i\pi^{s}(i)} = \min\{d_{i\pi(i)} + d_{\pi(i)\pi^{2}(i)} + \dots + d_{\pi^{s-1}(i)\pi^{s}(i)}, d_{\pi^{s}(i)\pi^{s+1}(i)} + \dots + d_{\pi^{n-1}(i)i}\}$$

for all  $i = 1, \ldots, n$  and for all  $s = 1, \ldots, n$ .

#### Algorithm[-,Cools, 2014]

INPUT: a distance matrix D

- Step 1 Compute the compaction vector **a** of *D*. If **a** is the null vector then go to step 4
- Step 2 compute the compaction matrix  $D(\mathbf{a})$  of D with respect to  $\mathbf{a}$ . Keep track of  $\mathbf{a}$  and of equal rows in  $D(\mathbf{a})$ .
- step 3 Remove equal rows (and columns) in  $D(\mathbf{a})$  obtaining a matrix D'. Pose D = D' and go to step 1
- step 4 Check if *D* is realizable by a n-gon. If so, going forward on the procedure, we can construct a graph of genus 1 which is a realization of the initial matrix *D*.

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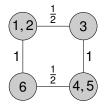
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The compaction vector of  $D_2(\mathbf{a}_2)$  is the null vector.

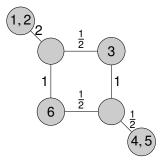
However,  $D_2(\mathbf{a}_2)$  has a realization by an 4–gon.

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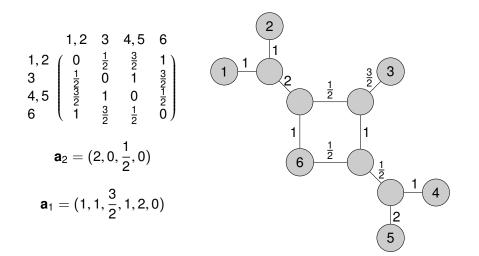


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