

Highway Preferential Attachment Models for Geographic Routing

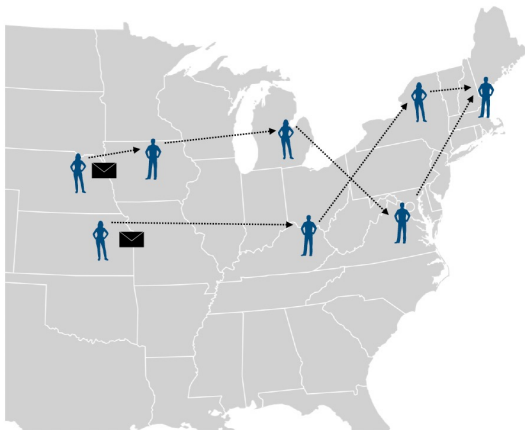
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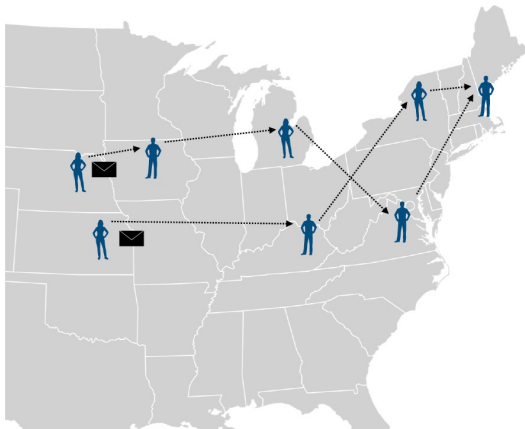
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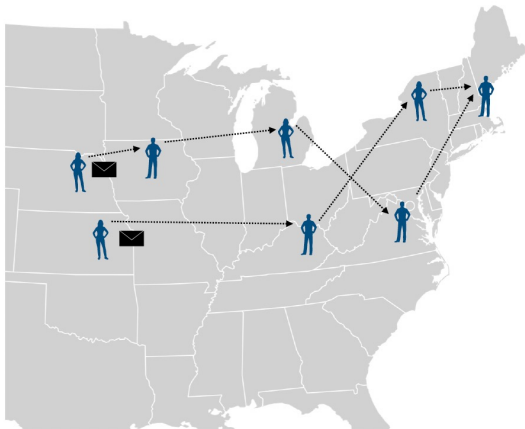
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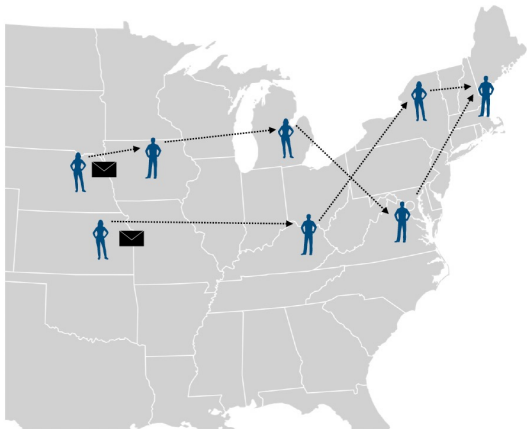
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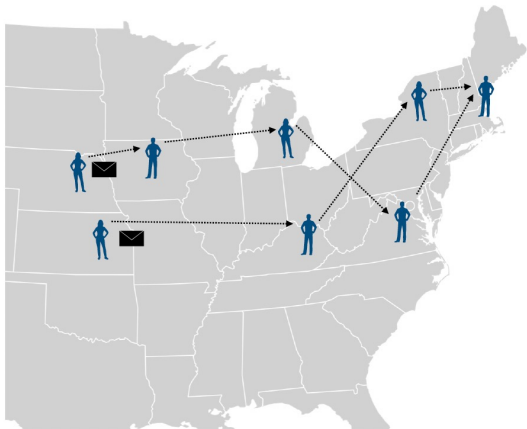
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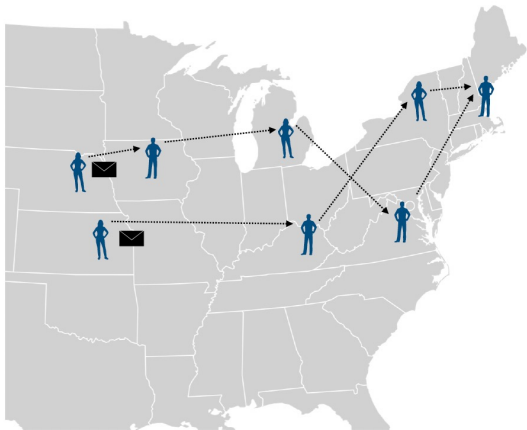
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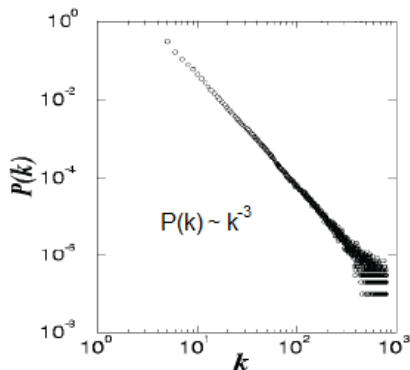
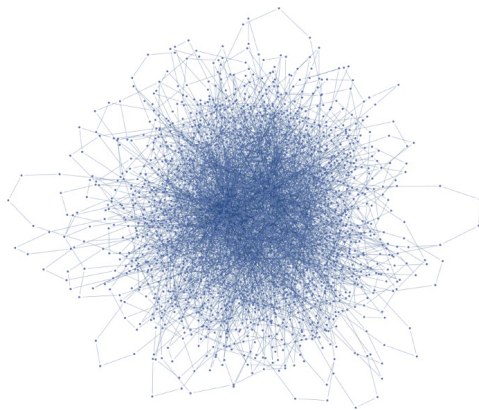
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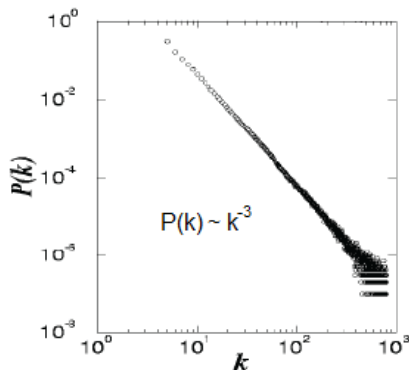
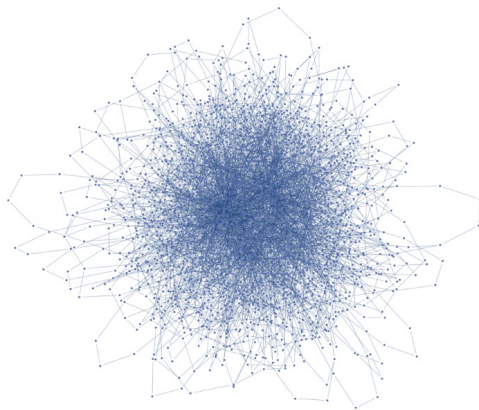
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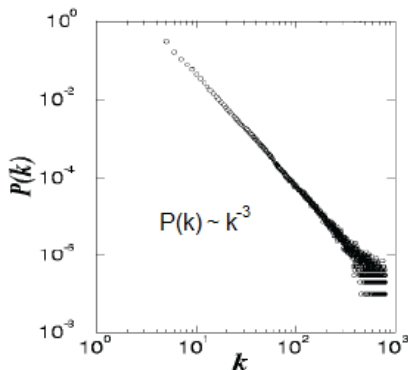
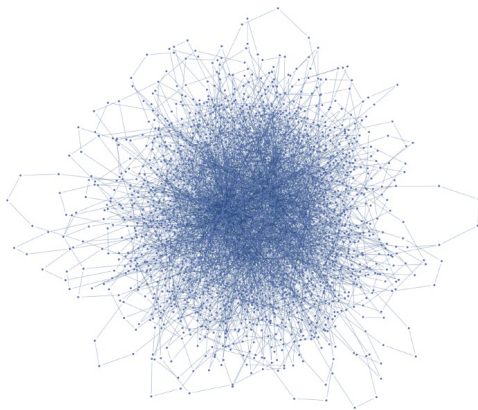
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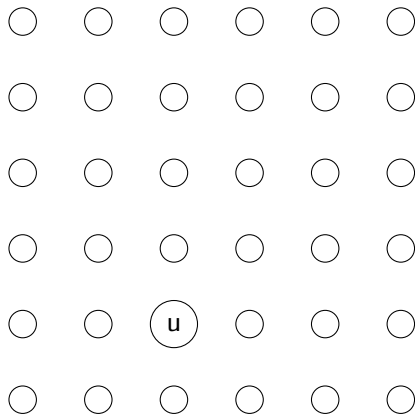


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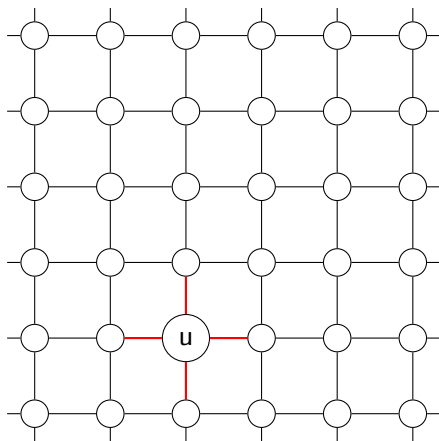


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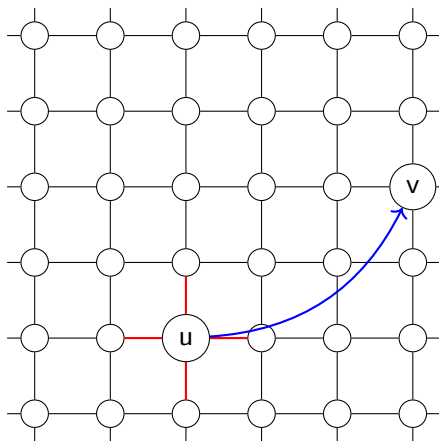


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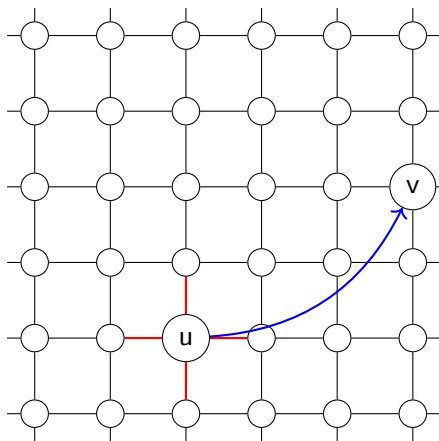
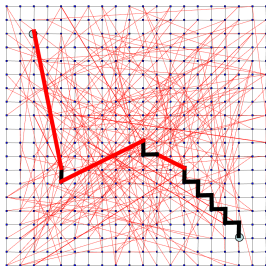


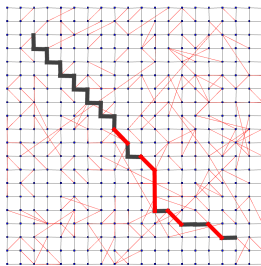
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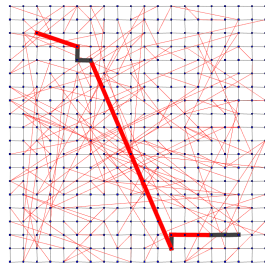
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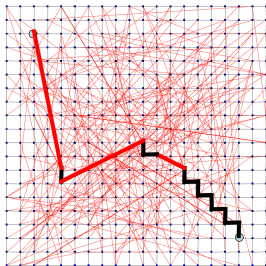
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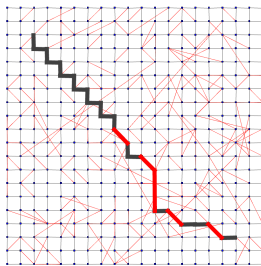
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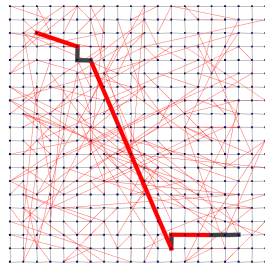
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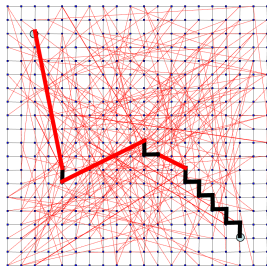


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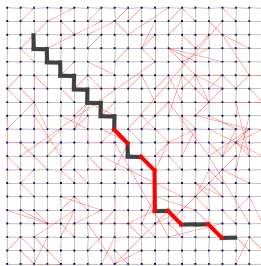
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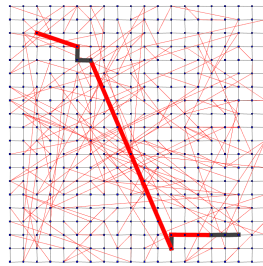
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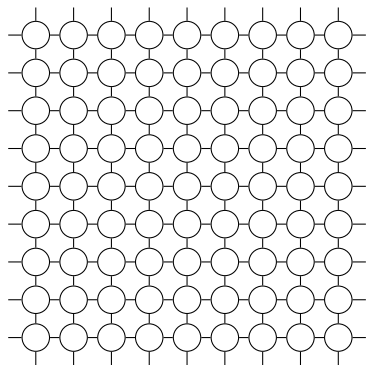


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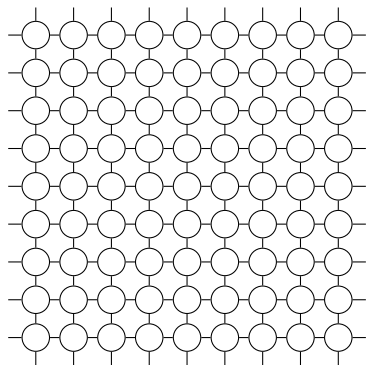


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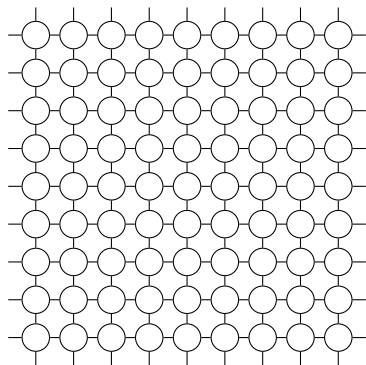


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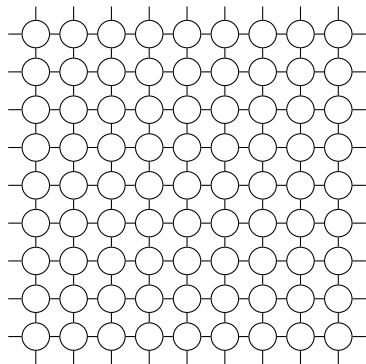


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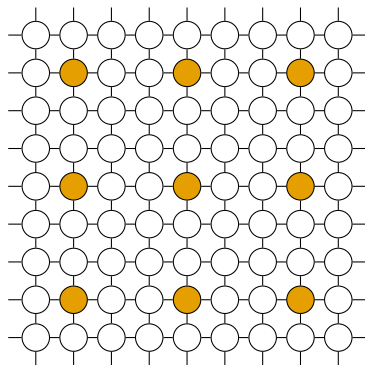


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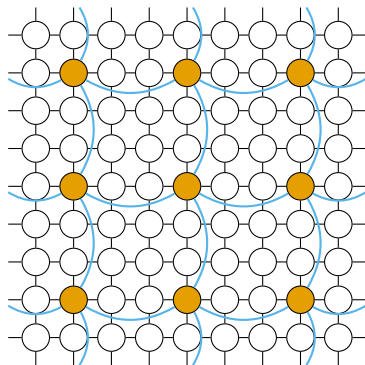


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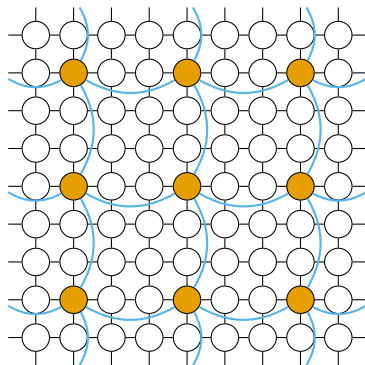


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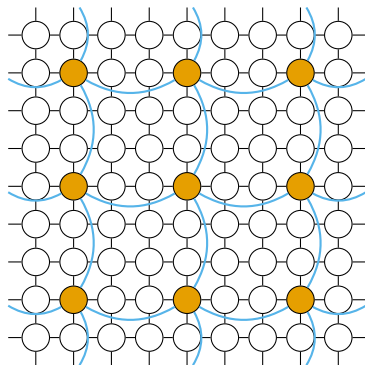


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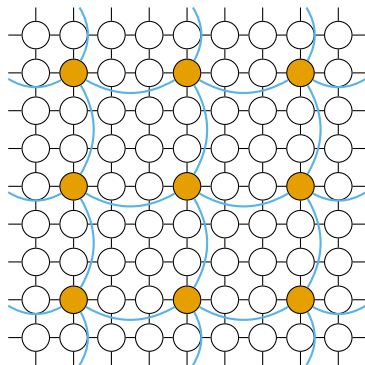


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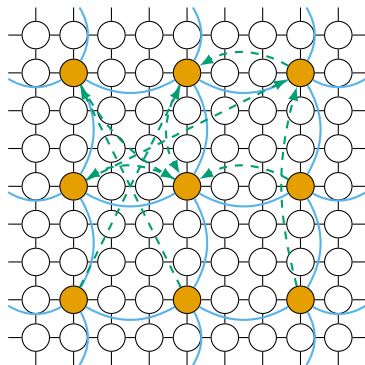


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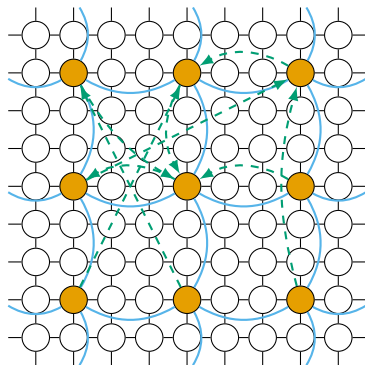


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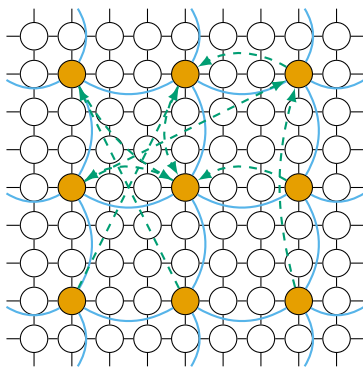


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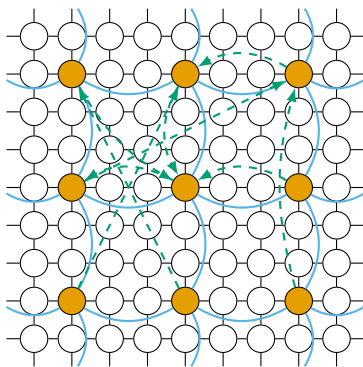


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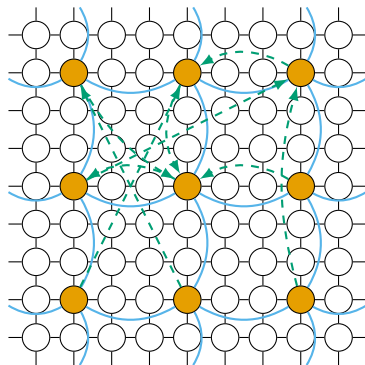


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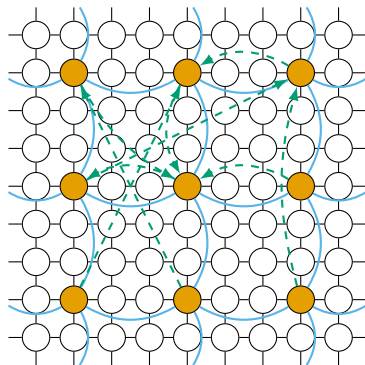


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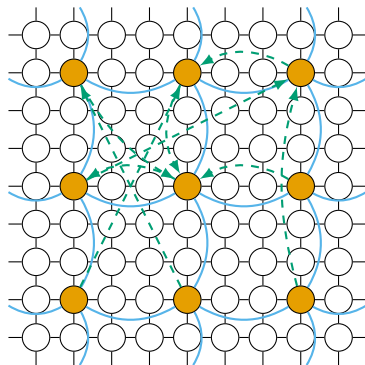


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Kleinberg Highway – Result

Theorem

*The expected decentralized routing time in a **Kleinberg highway network** is $\mathcal{O}(\sqrt{k} + \log^2(n)/k + \log n)$ for $1 \leq k \leq n^2$ when each node knows the positioning of the highway grid, and $\mathcal{O}(k + \log^2(n)/k)$ otherwise.*

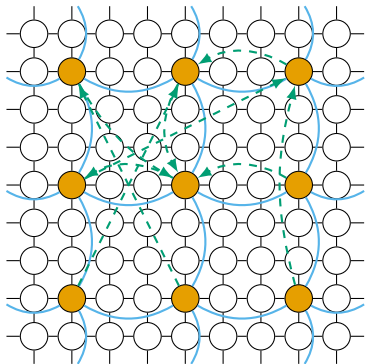


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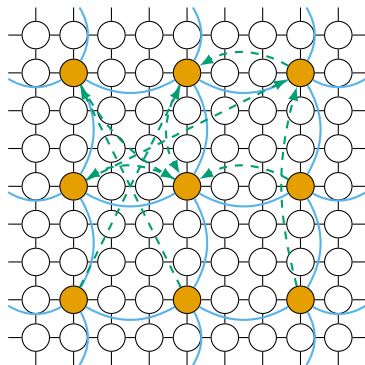


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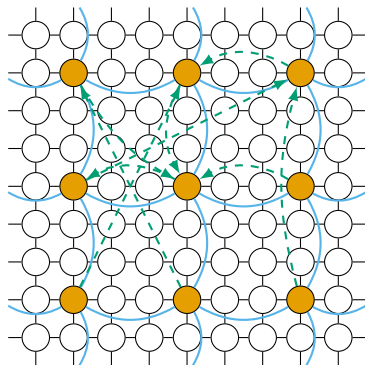


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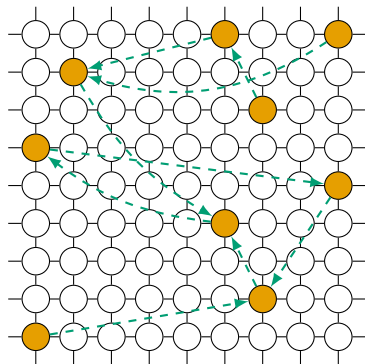


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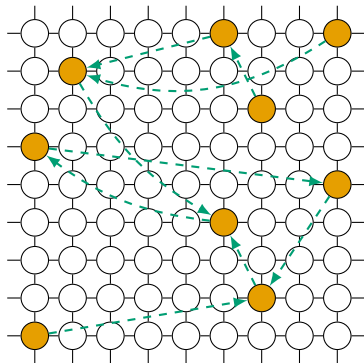


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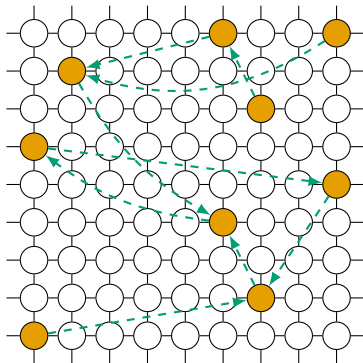


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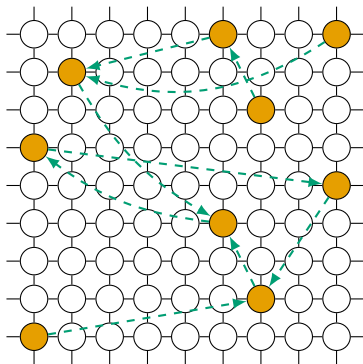


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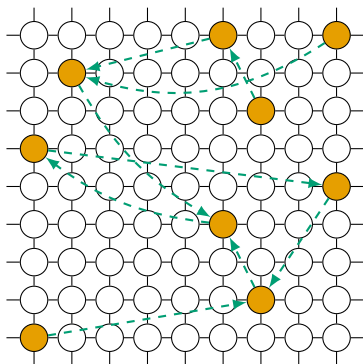
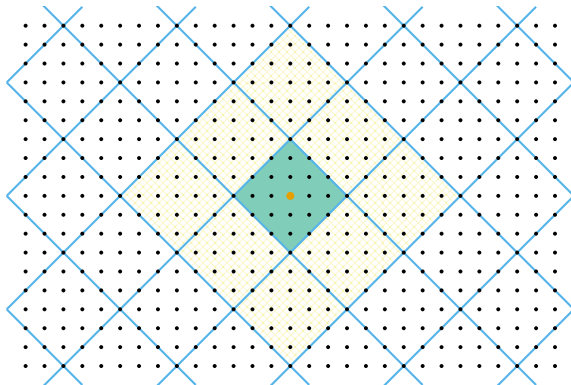


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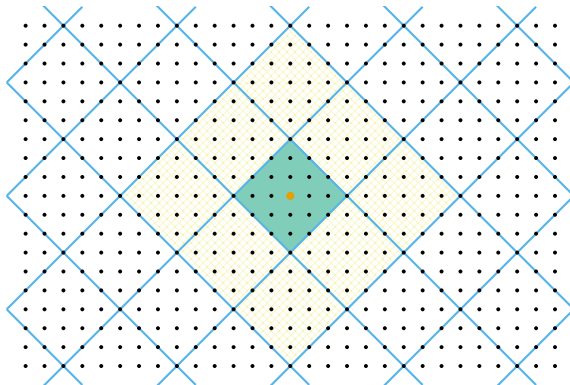
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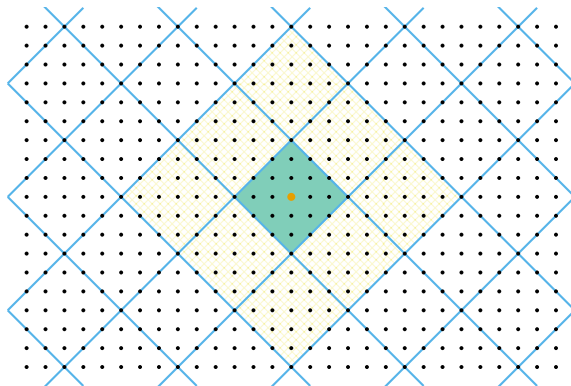
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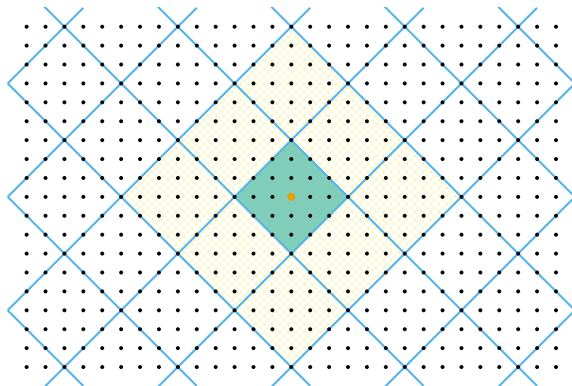
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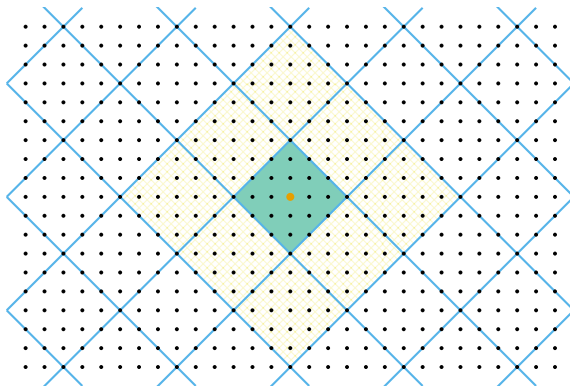
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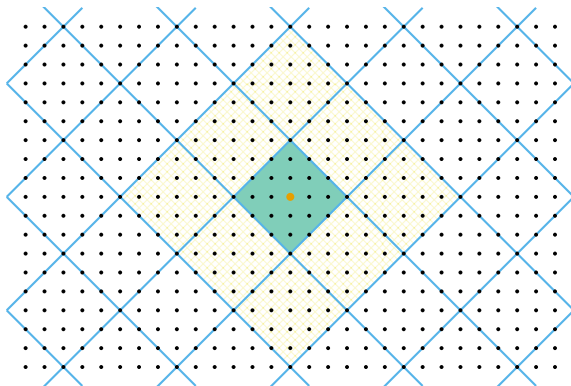


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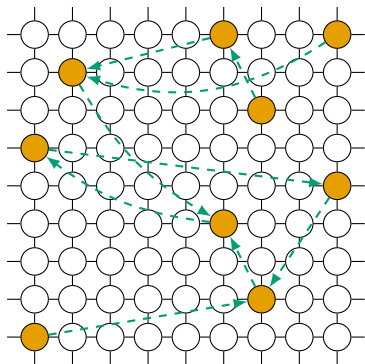
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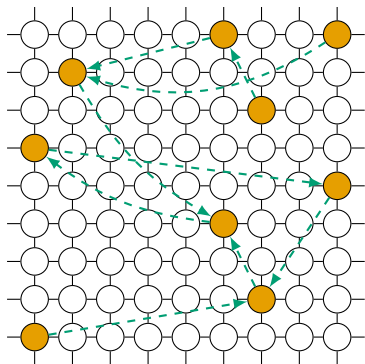


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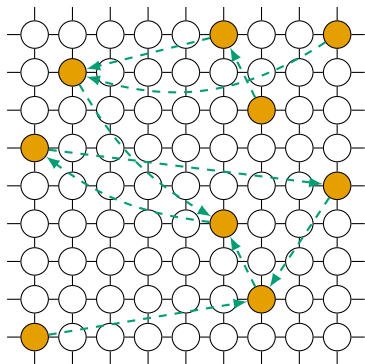


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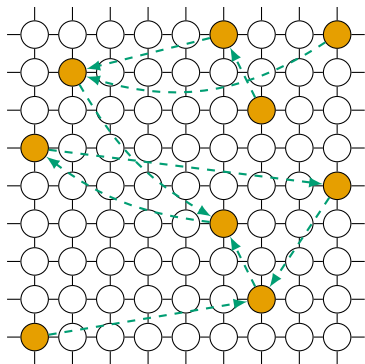


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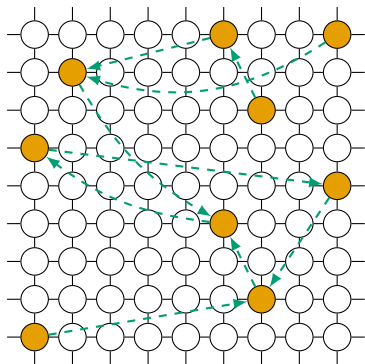


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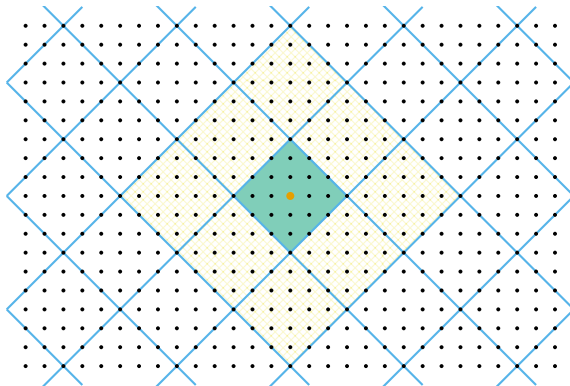
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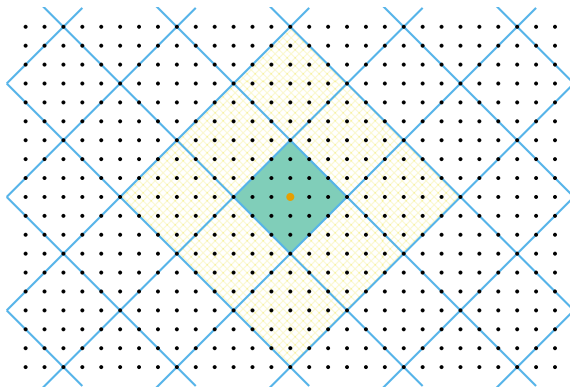
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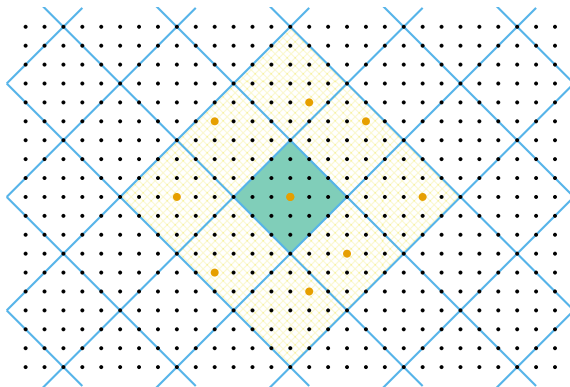
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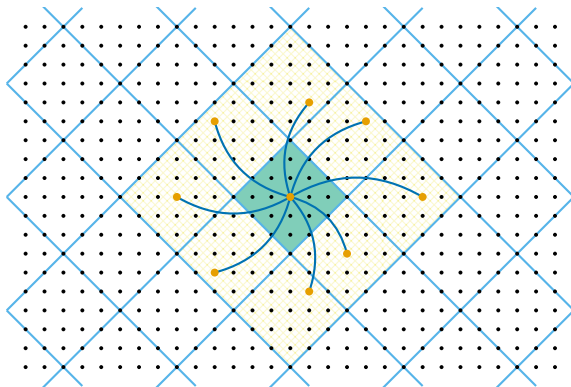
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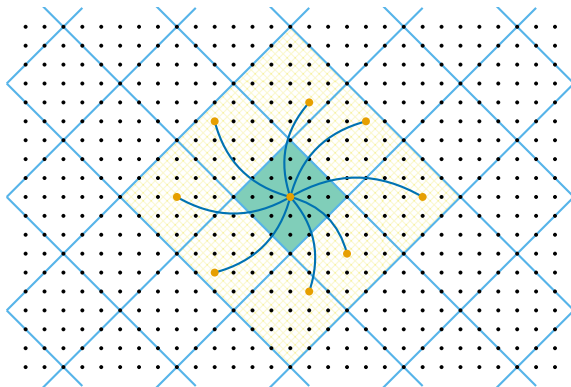
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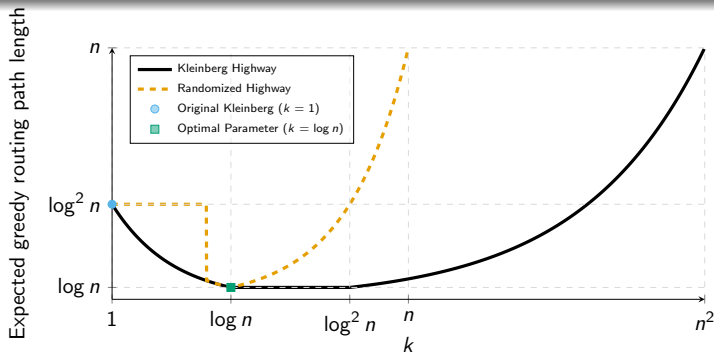
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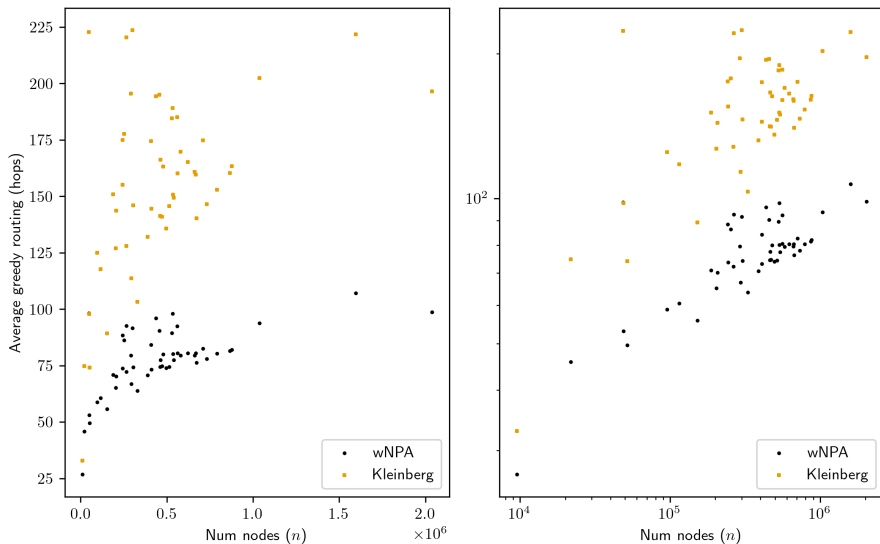


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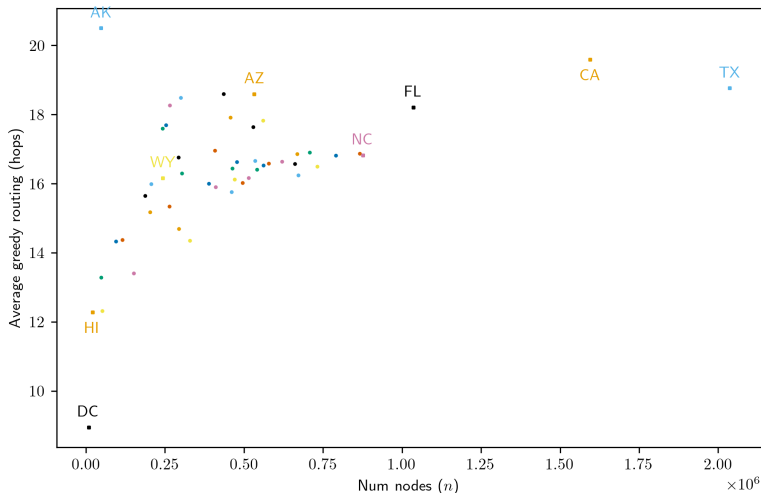


Figure 10: The greedy routing times for the windowed NPA model on the 50 US states when $Q = 32$, $\epsilon = 0.5$, and $A = 1.01$.

Open Problems

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