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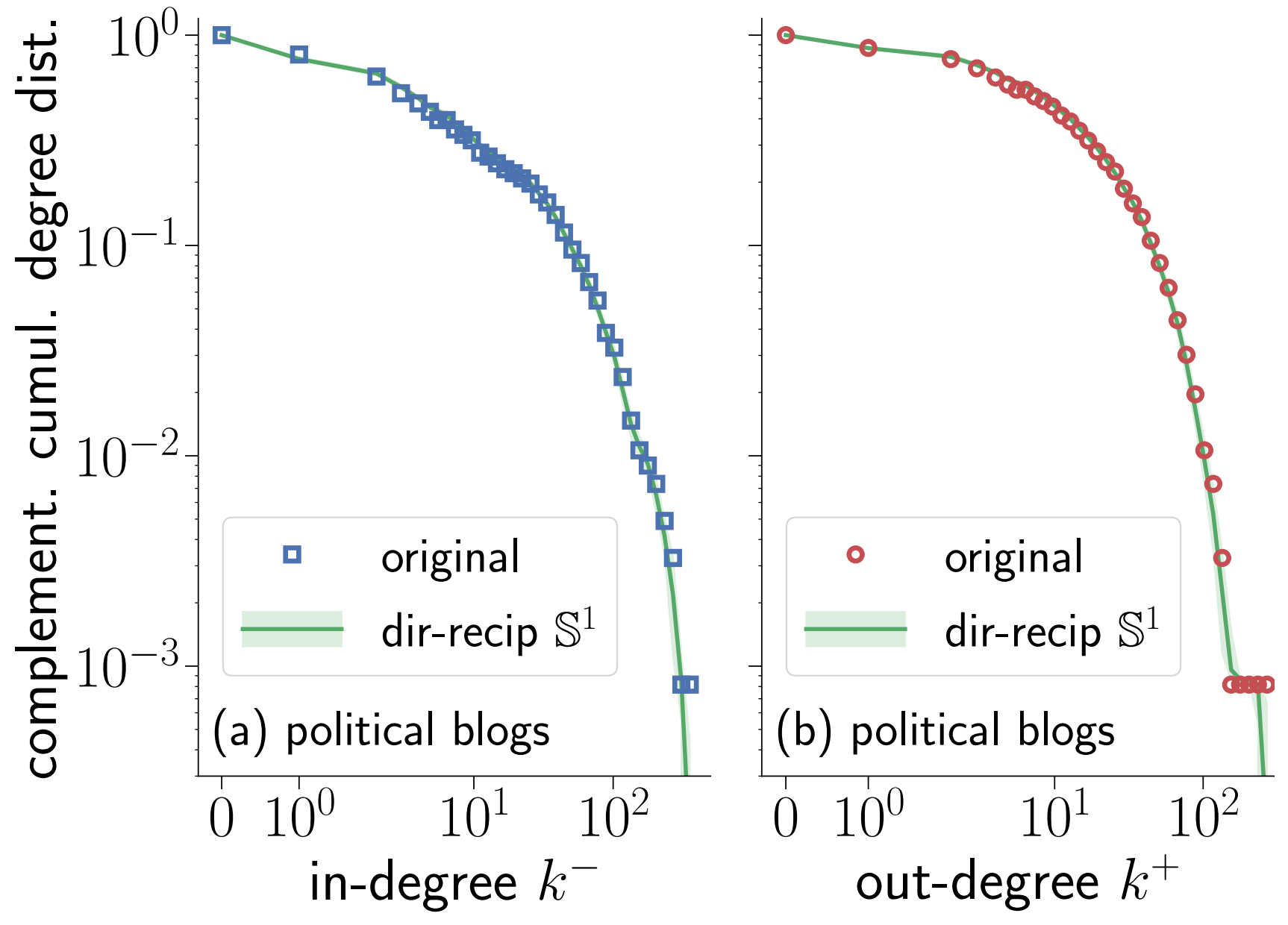
complement. cumul. degree dist.
10^0
10^{-1}
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10^{-3}
original
dir-recip $\mathbb{S}^1$
(a) political blogs
0
10^0
10^1
10^2
in-degree k^-
original
dir-recip $\mathbb{S}^1$
(b) political blogs
0
10^0
10^1
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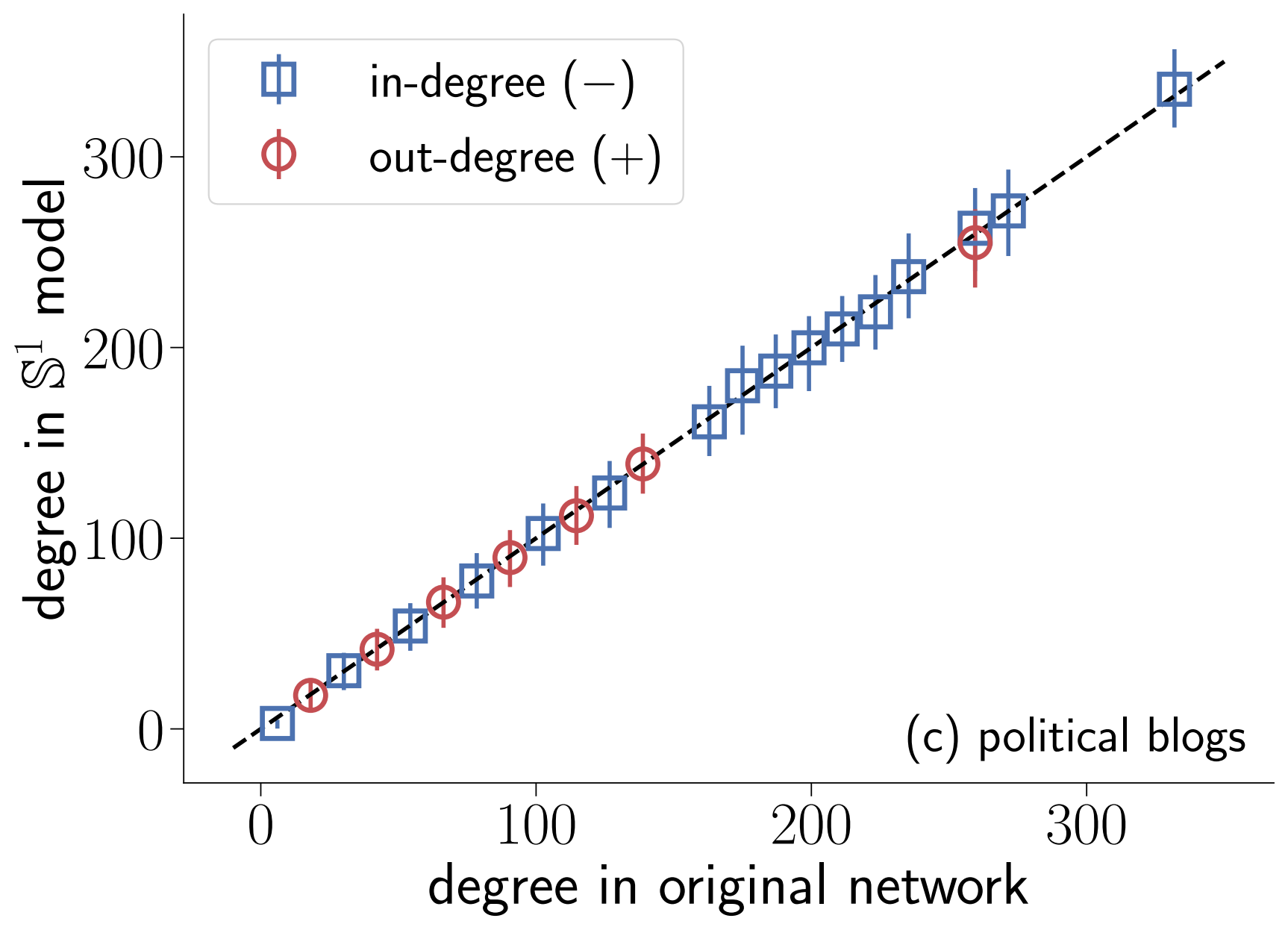
out-degree k^+


in-degree (−)
out-degree (+)
degree in $\mathbb{S}^1$ model
0
100
200
300
0
100
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300
degree in original network
(c) political blogs

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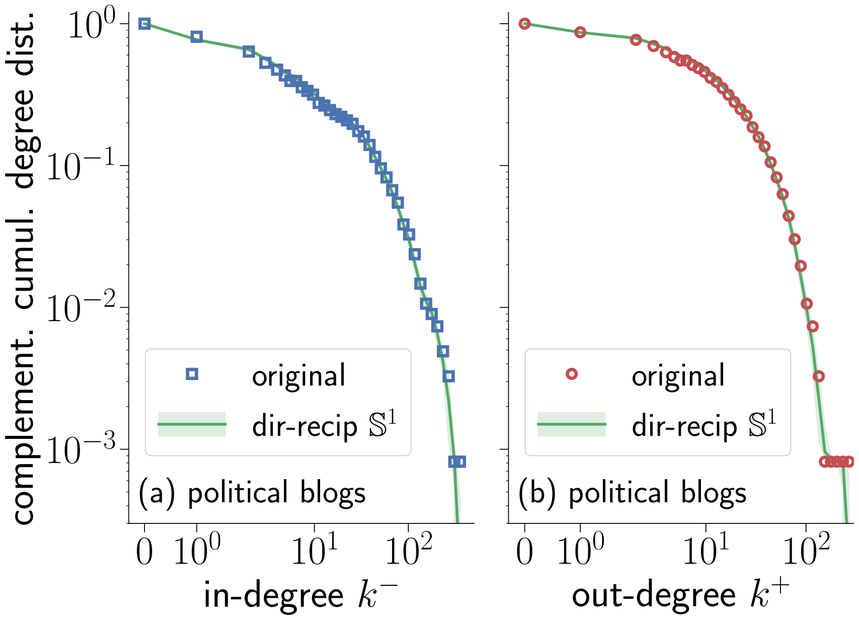

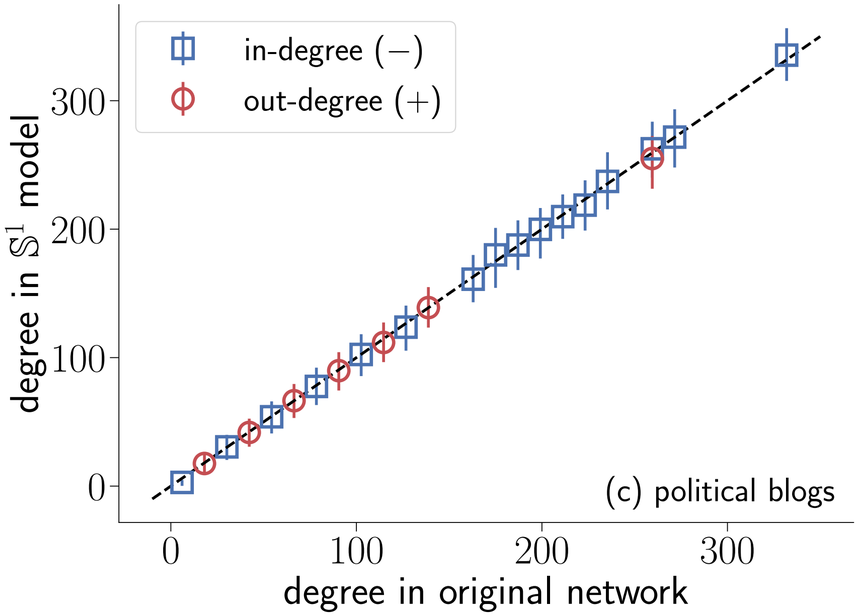

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