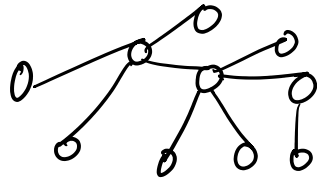


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Disease



To model spread of diseases  
spread of rumors  
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Simple model of contagion

1<sup>st</sup> wave: One person infected. He enters the population.

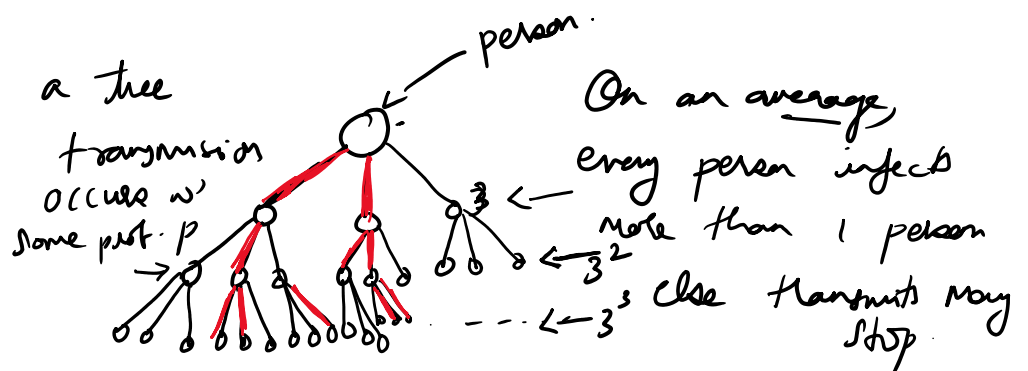
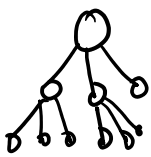
Disease is transmitted to each person he meets w/ probability  $p$ .

If he meets  $\langle k \rangle$  people, then total prob. of infection  $\rightarrow \underline{p \cdot \langle k \rangle}$

2<sup>nd</sup> wave: Each infected person from 1<sup>st</sup> wave meets  $\langle k \rangle$  <sup>new</sup> people and independently transmits infect<sup>n</sup> w/ prob.  $p$ .

3<sup>rd</sup> wave:

Let's organize as a tree



$\langle k \rangle$  ppl are met

$p \cdot \langle k \rangle$  - average no. of secondary infections from 1 node

If  $p$  is very low or  $\langle k \rangle$  is very low, then transmission will be very low.

$R_0 = p \cdot \underline{\langle k \rangle}$  - avg no. of new infected ppl/nodes on every step

On  $n^{\text{th}}$  step  $R_0^n = \underline{(p \cdot \langle k \rangle)^n}$   $\rightarrow$  geometrical growth.

On  $n^{\text{th}}$  step  $R_0 = \underbrace{(P \cdot L \cdot T)}_{\text{growth}}$

$R_0 > 1$ , avg grows geometrically as  $R_0^n$

$R_0 < 1$ , avg shrinks  $n$

$n \rightarrow t$ , geometric growth  $\rightarrow$  exponential growth  
if continuous time

$$R_0 = 1$$

## Mathematical Epidemiology

Popula<sup>n</sup> is divided into various classes/compartments

(S, I, R)

$S(t)$ : Susceptible. Not yet infected w' disease at time  $t$ .

$I(t)$ : Infected, No. of individuals who have been infected so these ppl are capable of spreading disease

$R(t)$ : Recovered, Can't infect again or transmit disease to others.

1) SI 2) SIS 3) SIR 4) SIRS ...

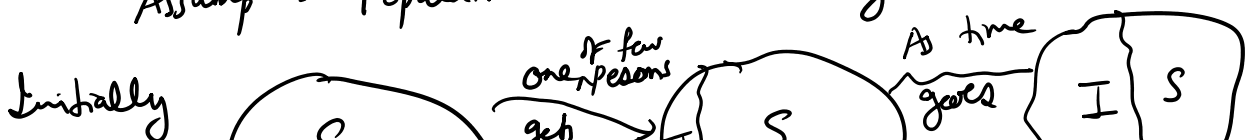
## SI model

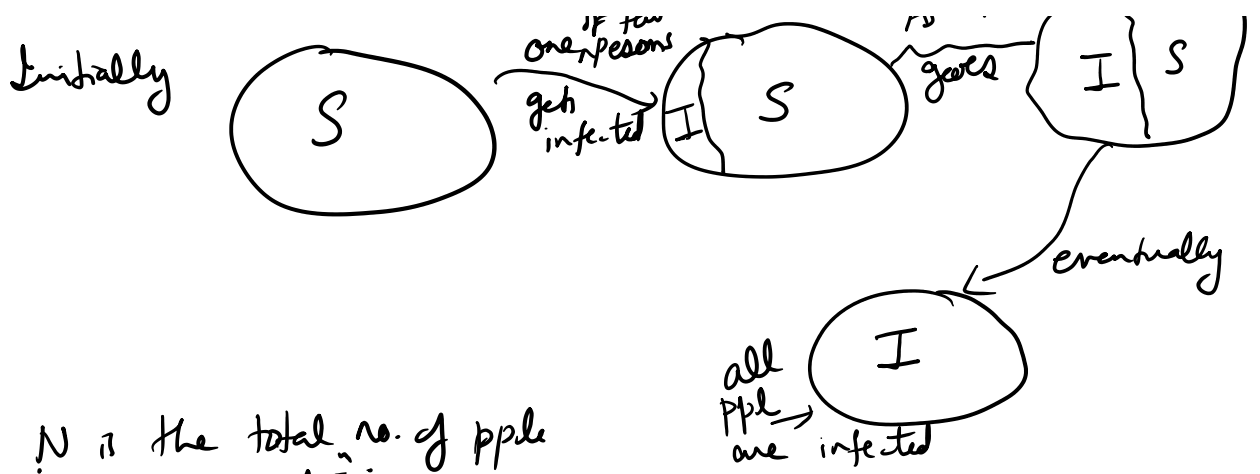
In this model, the popula<sup>n</sup> is divided into 2 classes.

$S \rightarrow I$

$I(t)$  - infected ppl in the popula<sup>n</sup> at time  $t$ .

Assump<sup>n</sup>: Population does not change.





If  $N$  is the total no. of ppl in the popula<sup>n</sup>

$$\text{At time } t \quad S(t) + I(t) = N$$

$$\text{At time } 0 \quad S_0 + I_0 = N$$

very small no

Let  $\beta \rightarrow$  transmission rate; ie per unit time, how many are getting infected.

$$i = \frac{I}{N} \rightarrow \text{frac}^n \text{ of infected ppl}$$

$$s = \frac{S}{N} \rightarrow \text{frac}^n \text{ of susceptible ppl}$$

Model SI as ODE

Infection Equa<sup>n</sup>

$$I(t + \delta t) = I(t) + \left( \beta \frac{S(t)}{N} I(t) \right) \delta t$$

ppl w' new infec<sup>n</sup> during  $\delta t$

How / what is the rate of change of  $I$ . How fast it grows??

$$\frac{\partial I(t)}{\partial t} = \beta \left( \frac{S(t)}{N} \right) I(t)$$

In terms of fraction

$$i(t) = \frac{I(t)}{N}; \quad s(t) = \frac{S(t)}{N}$$

$$\frac{\partial i(t)}{\partial t} = \beta s(t) \cdot i(t)$$

$$\text{No. of } S(t) + I(t) = N$$

$$s(t) + i(t) = 1$$

$$S(t) + I(t) = N$$
 No. of susceptible ppl

$$\frac{S(t)}{N} + \frac{I(t)}{N} = \frac{S(t) + I(t)}{N} = \frac{N}{N} = 1$$

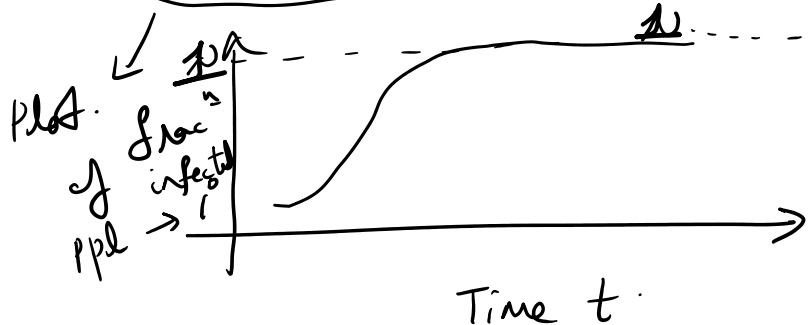
Thus,  $\frac{S(t)}{N} + \frac{I(t)}{N} = 1 \Rightarrow \frac{S(t)}{N} = 1 - \frac{I(t)}{N}$ 
 func<sup>n</sup> of susceptible ppl

$$i(0) = i(t=0) = i_0$$

$$\frac{di(t)}{dt} = \beta \cdot (1 - i(t)) \cdot i(t)$$

$$i(t) = \frac{i_0}{i_0 + (1 - i_0)e^{-\beta t}}$$

logistic eq<sup>n</sup>



$$\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} I(t) = N \quad \text{and} \quad \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} S(t) = 0$$

→ eventually all are infected