Irreducibility Theorem — Long-range behavior (1000 ticks)
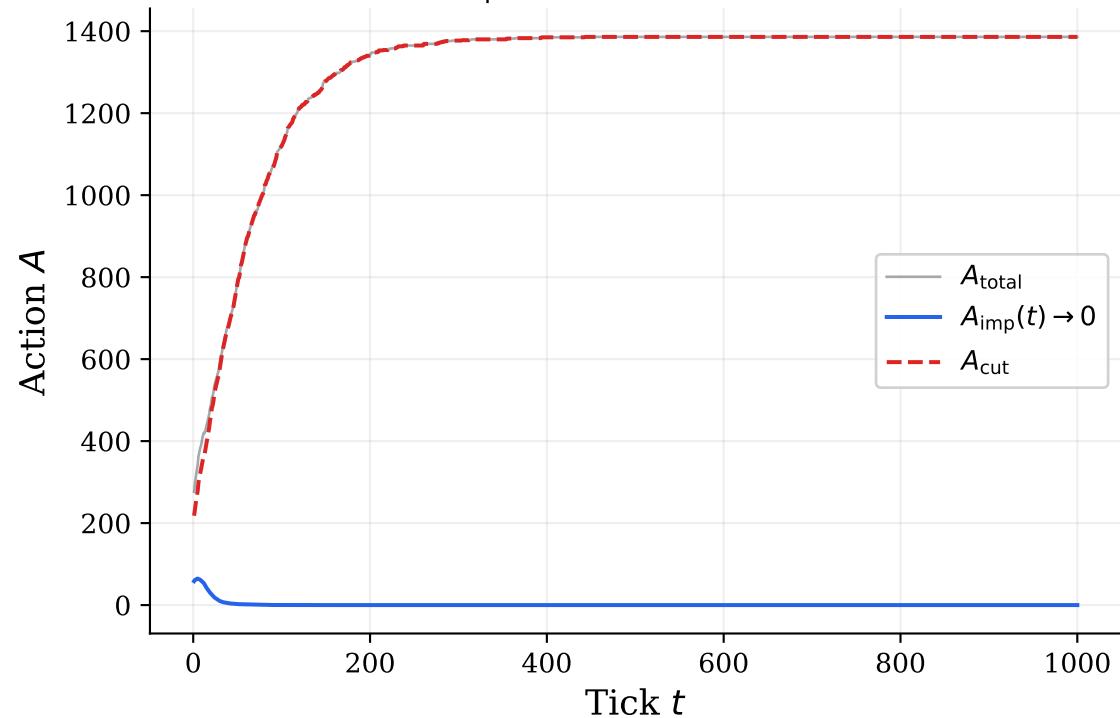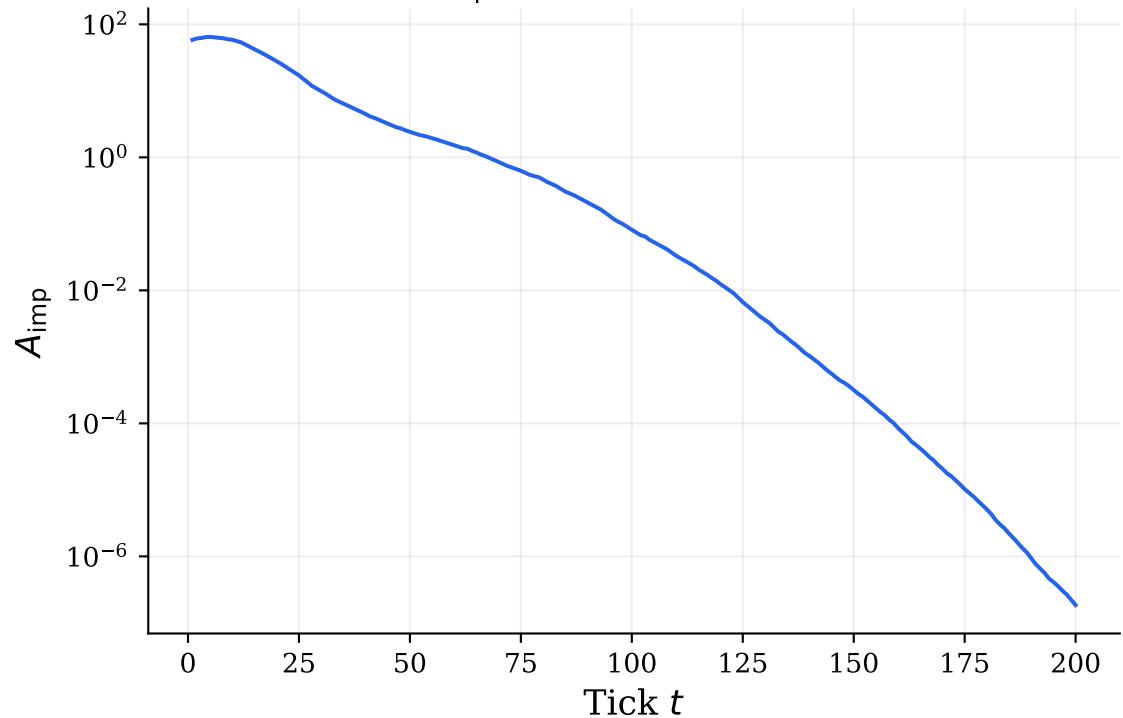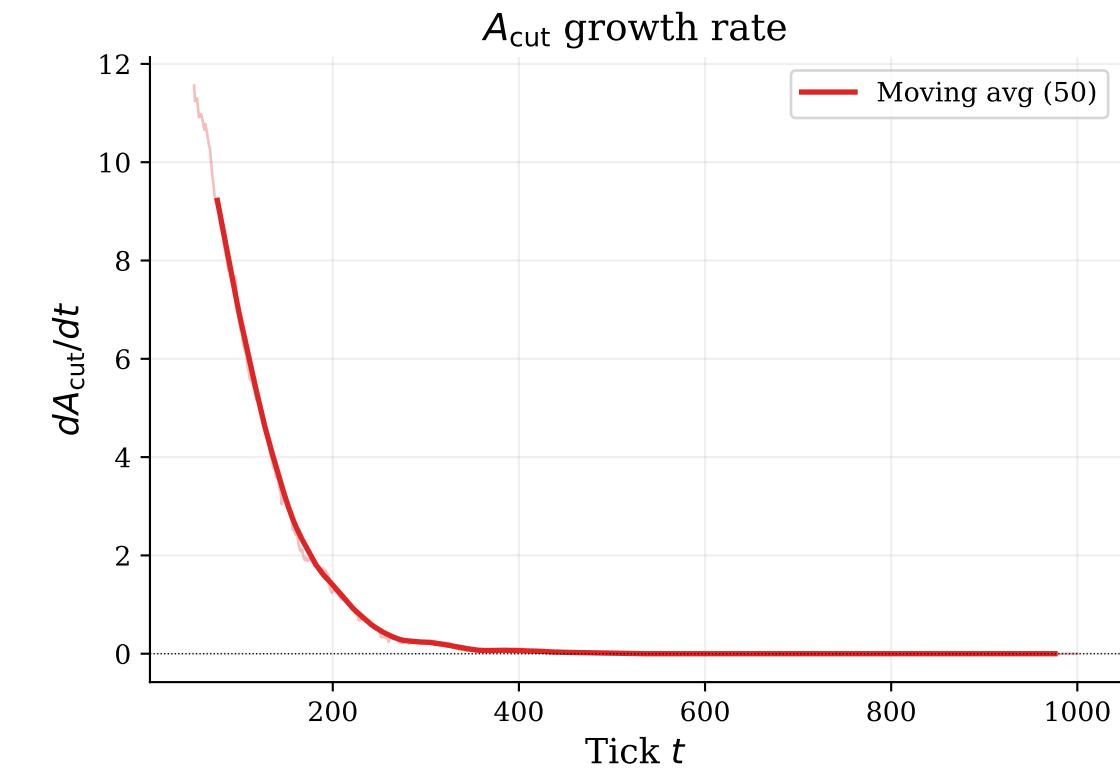A_{cut} status: SATURATING | Late edges: 2796 ± 0

$A = A_{\text{imp}}(t) + A_{\text{cut}}$ — 1000 ticks

A_{imp} early convergence

A_{cut} growth rate

Edge count evolution