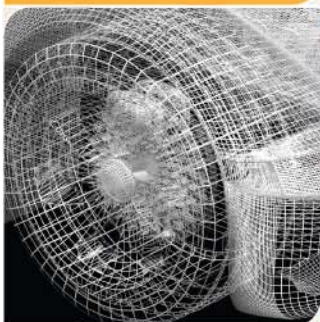


# Applications and challenges in large-scale graph analysis

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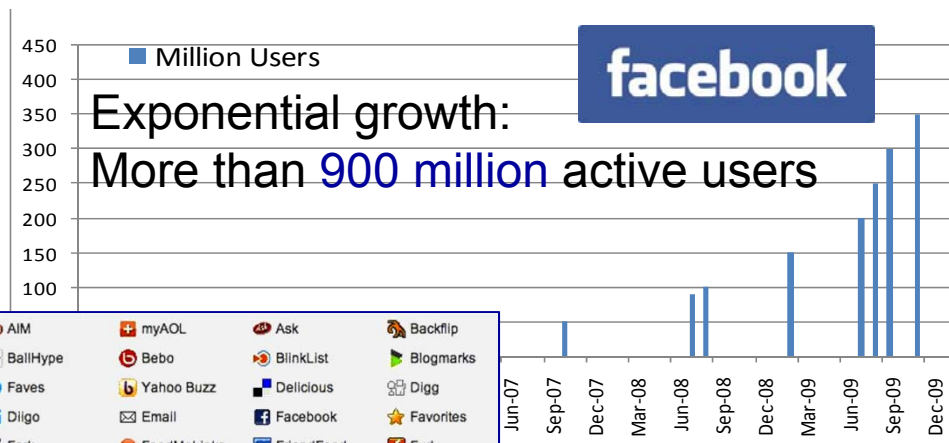
# Exascale Streaming Data Analytics:

## Real-world challenges



### All involve analyzing massive streaming complex networks:

- **Health care** → disease spread, detection and prevention of epidemics/pandemics (e.g. SARS, Avian flu, H1N1 “swine” flu)
- **Massive social networks** → understanding communities, intentions, population dynamics, pandemic spread, transportation and evacuation
- **Intelligence** → business analytics, anomaly detection, security, knowledge discovery from massive data sets
- **Systems Biology** → understanding complex life systems, drug design, microbial research, unravel the mysteries of the HIV virus; understand life, disease,
- **Electric Power Grid** → communication, transportation, energy, water, food supply
- **Modeling and Simulation** → Perform full-scale economic-social-political simulations



Ex: discovered minimal changes in O(billions)-size complex network that could hide or reveal top influencers in the community

### Sample queries:

**Allegiance switching:** identify entities that switch communities.

**Community structure:** identify the genesis and dissipation of communities

**Phase change:** identify significant change in the network structure

**REQUIRES PREDICTING / INFLUENCE CHANGE IN REAL-TIME AT SCALE**



# Current Example Data Rates

- Financial:
  - NYSE processes 1.5TB daily, maintains 8PB
- Social:
  - Facebook adds >100k users, 55M “status” updates, 80M photos daily; ~1B active users with an average of 130 “friend” connections each.
  - Foursquare reports 1.2M location check-ins per week
- Scientific:
  - MEDLINE adds from 1 to 140 publications a day

**Shared features:** All data is rich, irregularly connected to other data. All is a mix of “good” and “bad” data... And much real data may be missing or inconsistent.



# Ubiquitous High Performance Computing (UHPC)



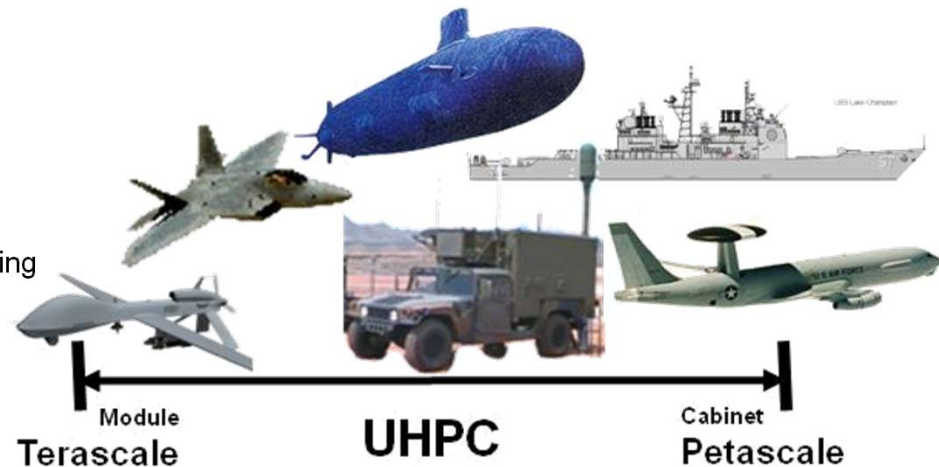
**Goal: develop highly parallel, security enabled, power efficient processing systems, supporting ease of programming, with resilient execution through all failure modes and intrusion attacks**

## Architectural Drivers:

- Energy Efficient
- Security and Dependability
- Programmability

## Program Objectives:

- One PFLOPS, single cabinet including self-contained cooling
- 50 GFLOPS/W (equivalent to 20 pJ/FLOP)
- Total cabinet power budget 57KW, includes processing resources, storage and cooling
- Security embedded at all system levels
- Parallel, efficient execution models
- Highly programmable parallel systems
- Scalable systems – from terascale to petascale



**David A. Bader (CSE)**  
**Echelon Leadership Team**



"NVIDIA-Led Team Receives \$25 Million Contract From DARPA to Develop High-Performance GPU Computing Systems" -MarketWatch

**Echelon: Extreme-scale Compute Hierarchies with Efficient Locality-Optimized Nodes**



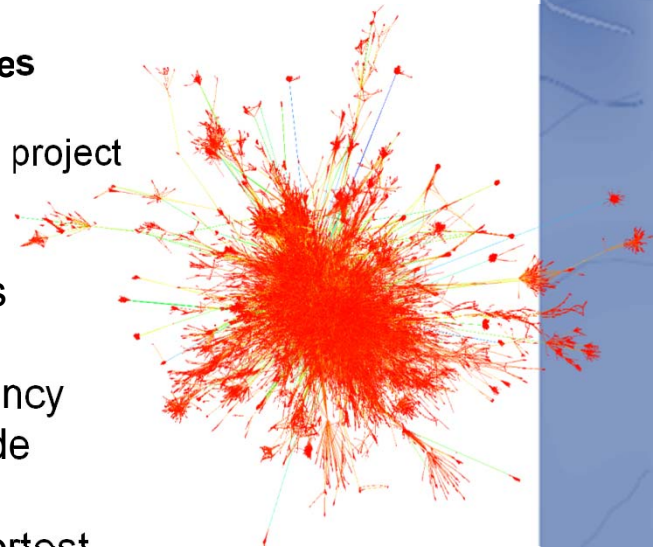


## **GRATEFUL: Graph Anal<sup>y</sup>sis Tackling power Efficiency, Uncertainty, and Locality**



**Objective: Research and develop new algorithms and software for crucial graph analysis problems in cybersecurity, intelligence integration, and network analysis.**

- In-the-field, embedded processing systems have limited computational capabilities due to severe power constraints. **DARPA's Power Efficiency Revolution For Embedded Computing Technologies (PERFECT) program** will address this need by increasing the computational power efficiency of these embedded systems. The project seeks a power efficiency of 75 GFLOPS/watt.
- **GRATEFUL** will extend high-performance graph analysis algorithms to reduce power usage and provide resilience against imperfect data. We will build a model of concurrency requirements for graph algorithms. The project will provide energy-conscious and data error-resilient algorithms on streaming data, including computing and maintaining shortest path trees and graph decompositions into communities.
- *Pls: David A. Bader and Jason Riedy*



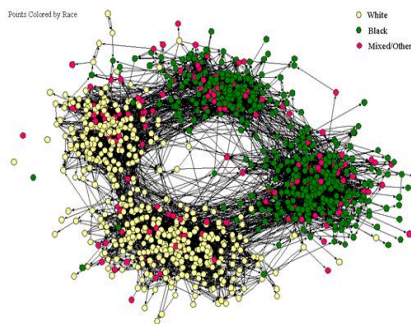
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# Center for Adaptive Supercomputing Software for MultiThreaded Architectures (CASS-MT)

- Launched July 2008
- Pacific-Northwest Lab
  - Georgia Tech, Sandia, WA State, Delaware
- The newest breed of supercomputers have hardware set up not just for speed, but also to better tackle large networks of seemingly random data. And now, a multi-institutional group of researchers has been awarded over \$14 million to develop software for these supercomputers. Applications include anywhere complex webs of information can be found: from internet security and power grid stability to complex biological networks.



The Social Structure of "Countryside" School District



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# Example: Mining Twitter for Social Good

ICPP 2010

## Massive Social Network Analysis: Mining Twitter for Social Good

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**Abstract**—Social networks produce an enormous quantity of data. Facebook consists of over 400 million active users sharing over 5 billion pieces of information each month. Analyzing this vast quantity of unstructured data presents challenges for software and hardware. We present GraphCT, a Graph Characterization Toolkit for massive graphs representing social network data. On a 128-processor Cray XMT, GraphCT estimates the betweenness centrality of an artificially generated (R-MAT) 537 million vertex, 8.6 billion edge graph in 55 minutes and a real-world graph (Kwak, *et al.*) with 61.6 million vertices and 1.47 billion edges in 105 minutes. We use GraphCT to analyze public data from Twitter, a microblogging network. Twitter's message connections appear primarily tree-structured as a news dissemination system. Within the

involves over 400 million active users with an average of 120 'friendship' connections each and sharing 5 billion references to items each month [11].

One analysis approach treats the interactions as a graph and applies tools from graph theory, social network analysis, and scale-free networks [29]. However, the volume of data that must be processed to apply techniques overwhelms current computational capabilities. Even well-understood analytic methodologies advance in both hardware and software to process the growing corpus of social media.

Social media provides staggering amounts of information, but it is often difficult to extract the

### TOP 15 USERS BY BETWEENNESS CENTRALITY

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2	@addthis	@driveafaste
3	@Official_PAX	@ATLCheap
4	@FluGov	@TWCi
5	@nytimes	@HelloNorthGA
6	@tweetmeme	@11AliveNews
7	@mercola	@WSB_TV
8	@CNN	@shaunking
9	@backstreetboys	@Carl
10	@EllieSmith_x	@SpaceyG
11	@TIME	@ATLINTownPa
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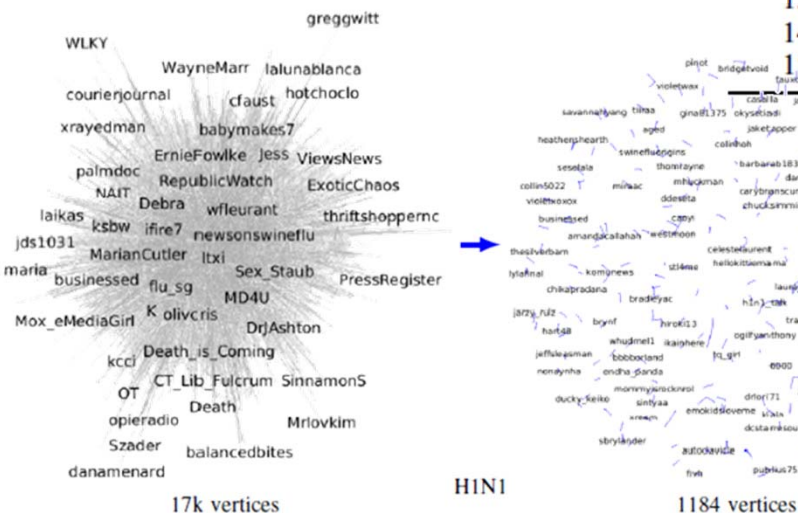


Fig. 3. Subcommunity filtering on Twitter data sets

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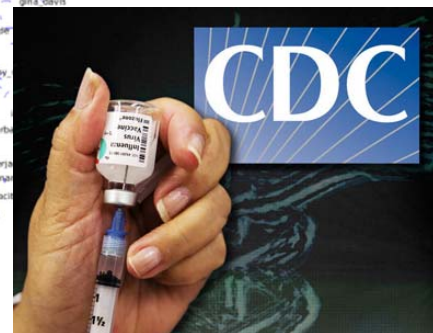


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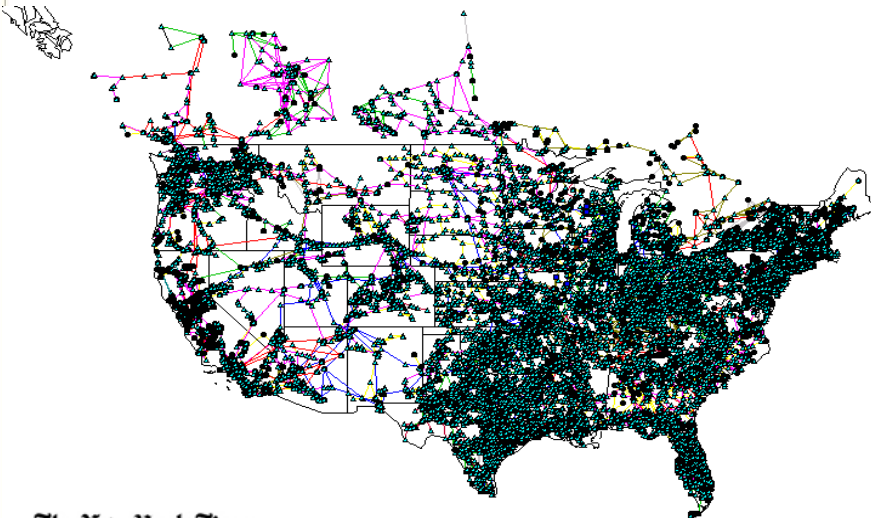
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# Massive Data Analytics: Protecting our Nation

## US High Voltage Transmission Grid (>150,000 miles of line)



**The New York Times**

Thursday, September 4, 2008

### Report on Blackout Is Said To Describe Failure to React

By MATTHEW L. WALD

Published: November 12, 2003

A report on the Aug. 14 blackout identifies specific lapses by various parties, including FirstEnergy's failure to react properly to the loss of a transmission line, people who have seen drafts of it say.

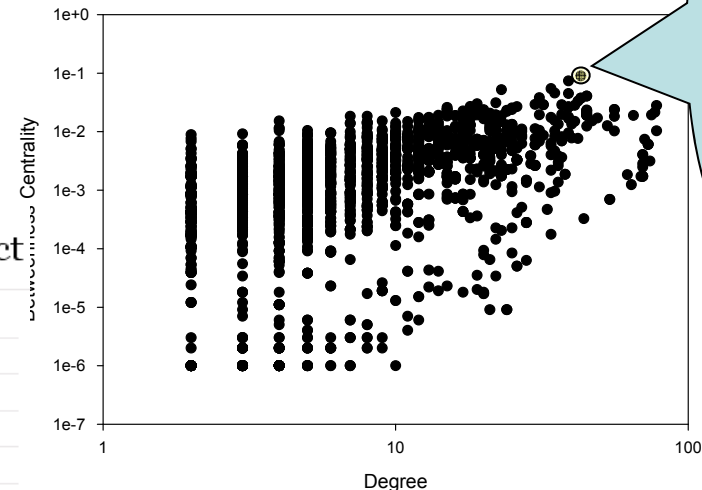
A working group of experts from eight states and Canada will meet in private on Wednesday to evaluate the report, people involved in the investigation said Tuesday. The report, which the Energy Department

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## Public Health

- CDC / Nation-scale surveillance of public health
- Cancer genomics and drug design
  - computed Betweenness Centrality of Human Proteome

Human Genome core protein interactions  
Degree vs. Betweenness Centrality



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# Network Analysis for Intelligence and Surveillance

- [Krebs '04] Post 9/11 Terrorist Network Analysis from public domain information
- Plot masterminds correctly identified from interaction patterns: **centrality**
- A global view of entities is often more insightful
- Detect anomalous activities by exact/approximate **graph matching**

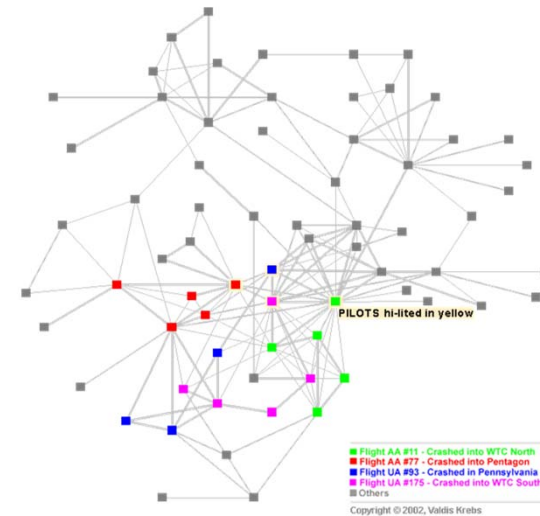


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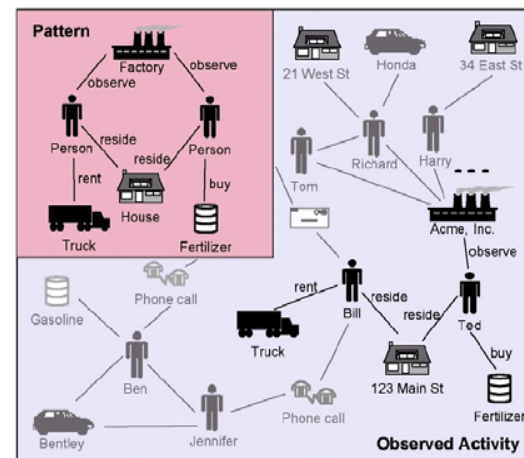


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# Graphs are pervasive in large-scale data analysis

- **Sources** of massive data: petascale simulations, experimental devices, the Internet, scientific applications.
- **New challenges for analysis**: data sizes, heterogeneity, uncertainty, data quality.

## Astrophysics

Problem: Outlier detection.

Challenges: massive datasets, temporal variations.

Graph problems: clustering, matching.

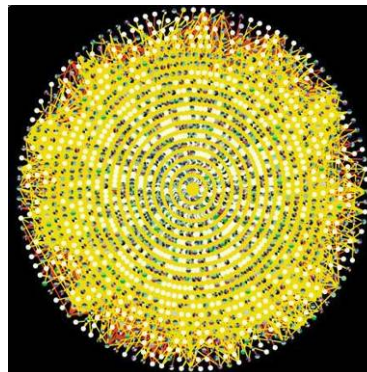


## Bioinformatics

Problem: Identifying drug target proteins.

Challenges: Data heterogeneity, quality.

Graph problems: centrality, clustering.



## Social Informatics

Problem: Discover emergent communities, model spread of information.

Challenges: new analytics routines, uncertainty in data.

Graph problems: clustering, shortest paths, flows.

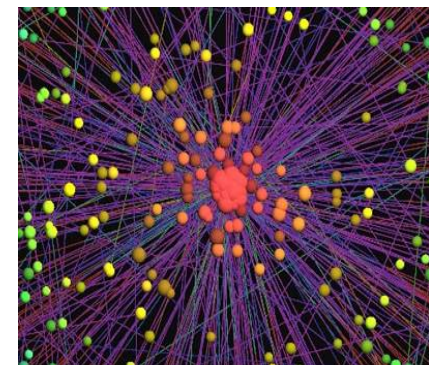


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# Graph Analytics for Social Networks

- Are there new graph techniques? Do they parallelize? Can the computational systems (algorithms, machines) handle massive networks with millions to billions of individuals? Can the techniques tolerate noisy data, massive data, streaming data, etc. ...
- Communities may overlap, exhibit different properties and sizes, and be driven by different models
  - Detect communities (static or emerging)
  - Identify important individuals
  - Detect anomalous behavior
  - Given a community, find a representative member of the community
  - Given a set of individuals, find the best community that includes them



Suddenly, the flock became suspicious:  
How come the newcomer wasn't shorn?

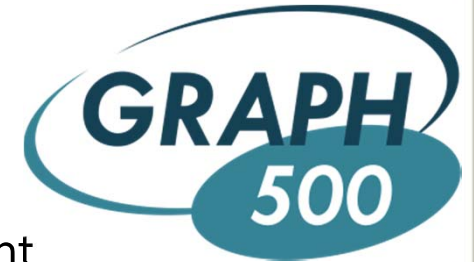




# Graph500 Benchmark, [www.graph500.org](http://www.graph500.org)

Defining a new set of benchmarks to guide the design of hardware architectures and software systems intended to support such applications and to help procurements. Graph algorithms are a core part of many analytics workloads.

*Executive Committee: D.A. Bader, R. Murphy, M. Snir, A. Lumsdaine*



- Five Business Area Data Sets:

- Cybersecurity

- 15 Billion Log Entries/Day (for large enterprises)
    - Full Data Scan with End-to-End Join Required

- Medical Informatics

- 50M patient records, 20-200 records/patient, billions of individuals
    - Entity Resolution Important

- Social Networks

- Example, Facebook, Twitter
    - Nearly Unbounded Dataset Size

- Data Enrichment

- Easily PB of data
    - Example: Maritime Domain Awareness
      - Hundreds of Millions of Transponders
      - Tens of Thousands of Cargo Ships
      - Tens of Millions of Pieces of Bulk Cargo
      - May involve additional data (images, etc.)

- Symbolic Networks

- Example, the Human Brain
    - 25B Neurons
    - 7,000+ Connections/Neuron

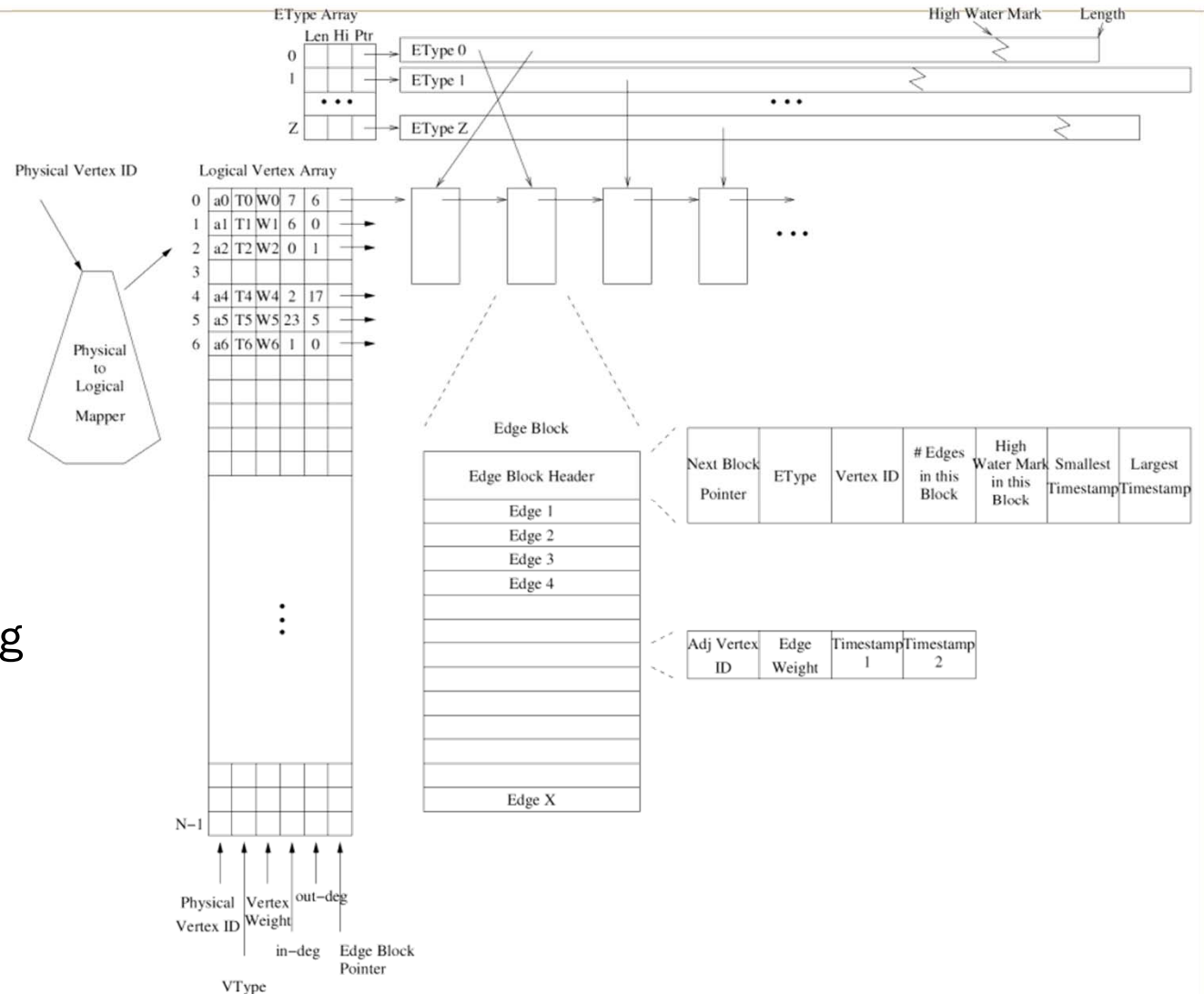


# STING Extensible Representation (STINGER)

- ▶ Enhanced representation developed for dynamic graphs developed in consultation with David A. Bader, Jon Berry, Adam Amos-Binks, Daniel Chavarría-Miranda, Charles Hastings, Kamesh Madduri, and Steven C. Poulos.
- ▶ Design goals:
  - Be useful for the entire “large graph” community
  - Portable semantics and high-level optimizations across multiple platforms & frameworks (XMT C, MTGL, etc.)
  - Permit good performance: No single structure is optimal for all.
  - Assume globally addressable memory access
  - Support multiple, parallel readers and a single writer
- ▶ Operations:
  - Insert/update & delete both vertices & edges
  - Aging-off: Remove old edges (by timestamp)
  - Serialization to support checkpointing, etc.

# STING Extensible Representation

- ▶ Semi-dense edge list blocks with free space
- ▶ Compactly stores timestamps, types, weights
- ▶ Maps from application IDs to storage IDs
- ▶ Deletion by negating IDs, separate compaction

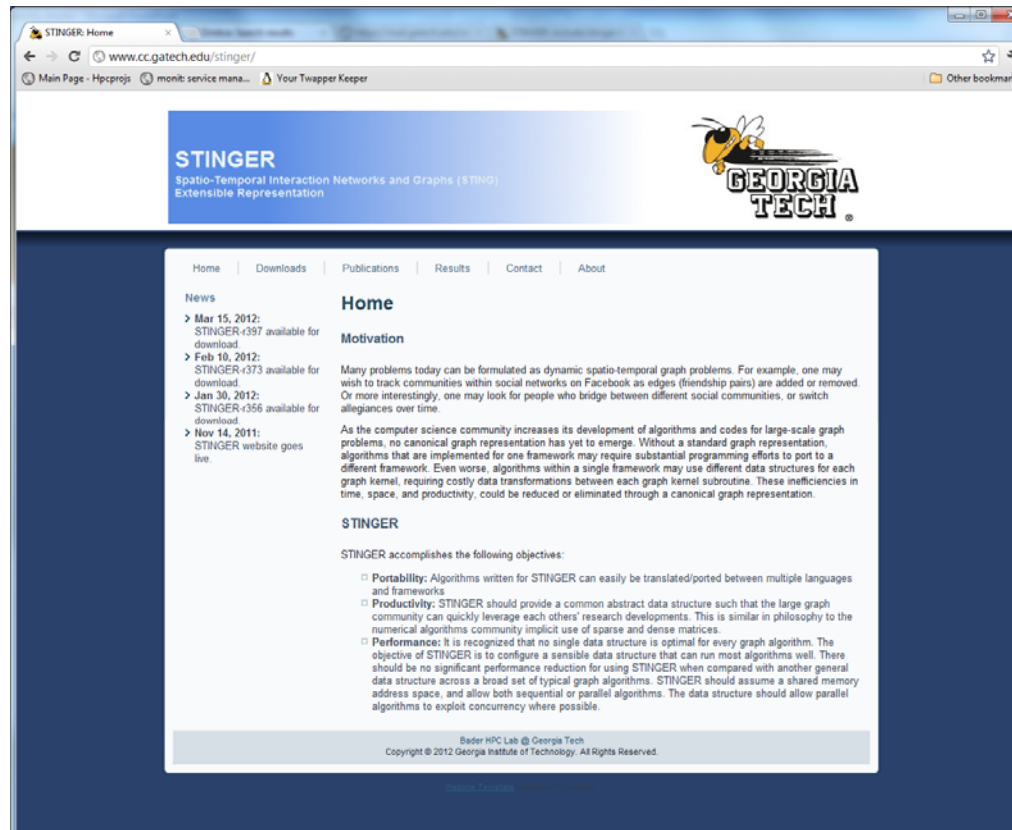






# STINGER Software Dissemination

- <http://www.cc.gatech.edu/stinger>





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## Frontiers in Large-Scale Graph Analysis

- **2:00-2:25 Applications and challenges in large-scale graph analysis**
- *David A. Bader* and Jason Riedy, Georgia Institute of Technology, USA; Henning Meyerhenke, Karlsruhe Institute of Technology, Germany
- **2:30-2:55 Large scale graph analytics and randomized algorithms for applications in cybersecurity**
- *John Johnson*, Pacific Northwest National Laboratory, USA
- **3:00-3:25 Anomaly Detection in Very Large Graphs: Modeling and Computational Considerations**
- *Benjamin Miller*, Nicholas Arcolano, Edward Rutledge, Matthew Schmidt, and Nadya Bliss, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, USA
- **3:30-3:55 Combinatorial and Numerical Algorithms for Network Analysis**
- *Henning Meyerhenke* and Christian Staudt, Karlsruhe Institute of Technology, Germany

### Part II (MS179 ) Thursday, February 28, 9:30 AM - 11:30 AM

- **9:30-9:55 Are we there yet? When to stop a Markov chain while generating random graphs?**
- *Ali Pinar*, Jaideep Ray, and C. Seshadhri, Sandia National Laboratories, USA
- **10:00-10:25 Analyzing graph structure in streaming data with STINGER**
- *Jason Riedy*, David A. Bader, Robert C. Mccoll, and David Ediger, Georgia Institute of Technology, USA
- **10:30-10:55 High-Performance Filtered Queries in Attributed Semantic Graphs**
- *John R. Gilbert*, University of California, Santa Barbara, USA; Aydin Buluc, Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory, USA; Armando Fox, University of California, Berkeley, USA; Shoaib Kamil, Massachusetts Institute of Technology, USA; Adam Lugowski, University of California, Santa Barbara, USA; Leonid Oliker and Samuel Williams, Lawrence Berkeley National Laboratory, USA
- **11:00-11:25 Large-Scale Graph-Structured Machine Learning: GraphLab in the Cloud and GraphChi in your PC**
- *Joseph Gonzalez* and *Carlos Guestrin*, Carnegie Mellon University, USA