Homework 7

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Grid: 5X5

For 4 neighbors:

At p = 0.012, R = 22

Number of iterations = 816

Estimated size = 23

At p = 0.05, R = 50 Number of iteration = 898 Estimated size = 16

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all 25 nodes set to done at iter 898

Size estimation done with initiation probability, p= 0.05 and refractory timer, R= 50 for 4 neighbors 16,16,16,16,16,

16,16,16,16,16,

16,16,16,16,16,

16,16,16,16,16,

16,16,16,16,16,
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Grid: 5X5

For 8 neighbors:

At p = 0.02, R = 22

Number of iteration = 553

Estimated size = 25

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all 25 nodes set to done at iter 553
Size estimation done with initiation probability, p= 0.02 and refractory timer, R= 8 for 8 neighbors 25,25,25,25,25,
25,25,25,25,5,
25,25,25,25,25,
25,25,25,25,25,
25,25,25,25,25,
25,25,25,25,25,
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At p = 0.05, R = 50
Number of iteration = 792
Estimated size = 15
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all 25 nodes set to done at iter 792
Size estimation done with initiation probability, p= 0.05 and refractory timer, R= 50 for 8 neighbors 15,15,15,15,15,
15,15,15,15,15,
15,15,15,15,15,
15,15,15,15,15,
15,15,15,15,15,
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Grid: 10X10 For 8 neighbors:

At p = 0.02, R = 10

Number of iterations to determine size = 1052

Estimated size = 56

At p = 0.05, R = 50

Number of iterations to determine size = 1566

Estimated size = 29

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all 100 nodes set to done at iter 1566

Size estimation done with initiation probability, p= 0.05 and refractory timer, R= 50 for 8 neighbors 29,29,29,29,29,29,29,29,29,29,29,29,
29,29,29,29,29,29,29,29,29,29,29,
29,29,29,29,29,29,29,29,29,29,
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Grid: 10X10: For 4 neighbors:At p = 0.02, R = 8

Number of iterations to determine size = 981

Estimated size = 46

At p = 0.05, R = 50

Number of iterations to determine size = 1333

Estimated size = 24

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all 100 nodes set to done at iter 1333
Size estimation done with initiation probability, p= 0.05 and refractory timer, R= 50 for 4 neighbors 24,24,24,24,24,24,24,24,24,24,24,
24,24,24,24,24,24,24,24,24,24,24,
24,24,24,24,24,24,24,24,24,24,
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Grid: 20X20 For 4 neighbors

P = 0.015, R = 8

Number of iterations = 1066

P = 0.015, R = 50

Number of iterations = 3267

P = 0.05, R = 50

Number of iterations = 1735

Grid: 20X20 For 8 neighbors:P = 0.015, R = 8

Number of iteration = 1321

P = 0.015, R = 50

Number of iteration = 4147

P = 0.05. R = 50

Number of iterations = 2209

- Q3) As shown above for different results of grid sizes, if we use 8 neighbors, we can get a relatively better estimate of the group size. Also we can get convergence in less number of iterations.
- Q4) We can keep different p values (p_1, p_2) for initiation and termination check. We can use different number $1/p_2$ to set the node to done and initiate the nodes at different probability p_1 . This way we can get quick initiation of all nodes and also we can get better estimate by decreasing the value of p_2 as the algorithm will run for longer time to synchronize.