







G*The Graph Database System

Key Features

To efficiently manage data that represent large, evolving networks, G* offers:

- distributed, deduplicated storage of graphs
- compact graph indexing
- sophisticated graph queries
- shared computation across graphs

Applications

Discovering the characteristics of evolving networks is essential for:

- marketing
- sociology
- national security
- transportation
- fraud detection in financial markets
- epidemiology
- pharmacology
- ... many other areas.

Data Sets

The benefits of G* can be demonstrated using real-world and synthetic data sets, such as:

- Twitter messages
- Yahoo! server logs
- DBLP citation and coauthorship data
- synthetic binary trees

Queries

G* supports a variety of queries that find:

- the variation of the average degree over graphs (as shown above)
- the degree distribution for each graph
- the clustering coefficient distribution for each graph
- the distribution of geodesic distances from a vertex to all other vertices
- the variation of a vertex's centrality
- vertices with the largest increase in centrality
- the size of the largest connected component for each graph



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