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Hierarchical Link Clustering in Complex Networks YONG-YEOL
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Northeastern University — Identifying modular network structure is generally a
problem of finding the correct community membership of each node in a network.
An alternative approach, clustering links, naturally accounts for real world charac-
teristics such as strong community overlap, multi-partite structure, and hierarchical
organization. By introducing a pair-wise link similarity, we use a hierarchical cluster-
ing method to identify relevant communities in real-world examples such as biological
networks. Our results reveal previously hidden organization of communities.

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