

Modeling Cardinal Direction Calculus in a Fuzzy Description Logic

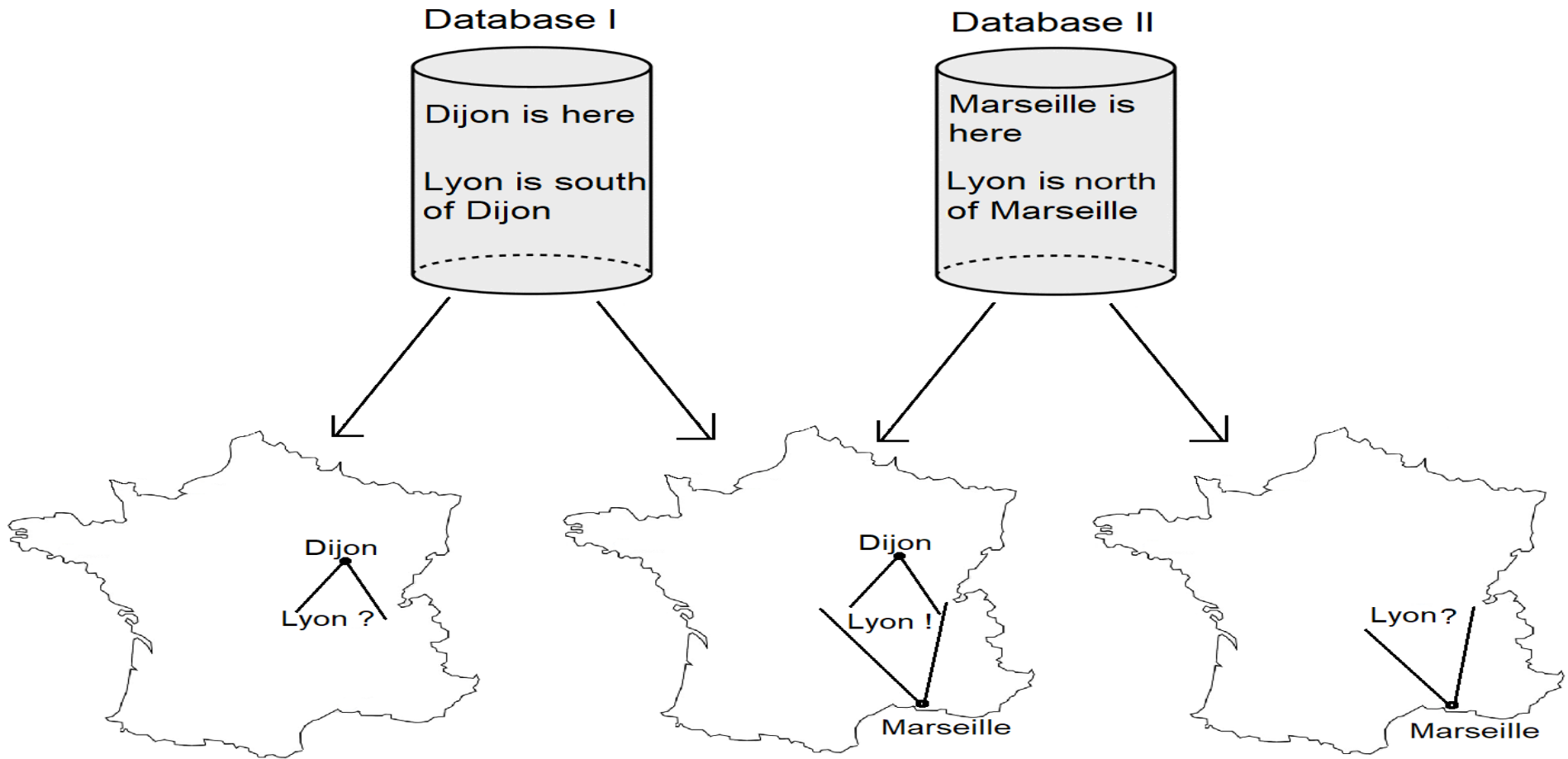
A Comparison of Different Approaches

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Outline

- Motivation (crisp)
- Motivation (fuzzy)
- Inference Rules
- Test Results

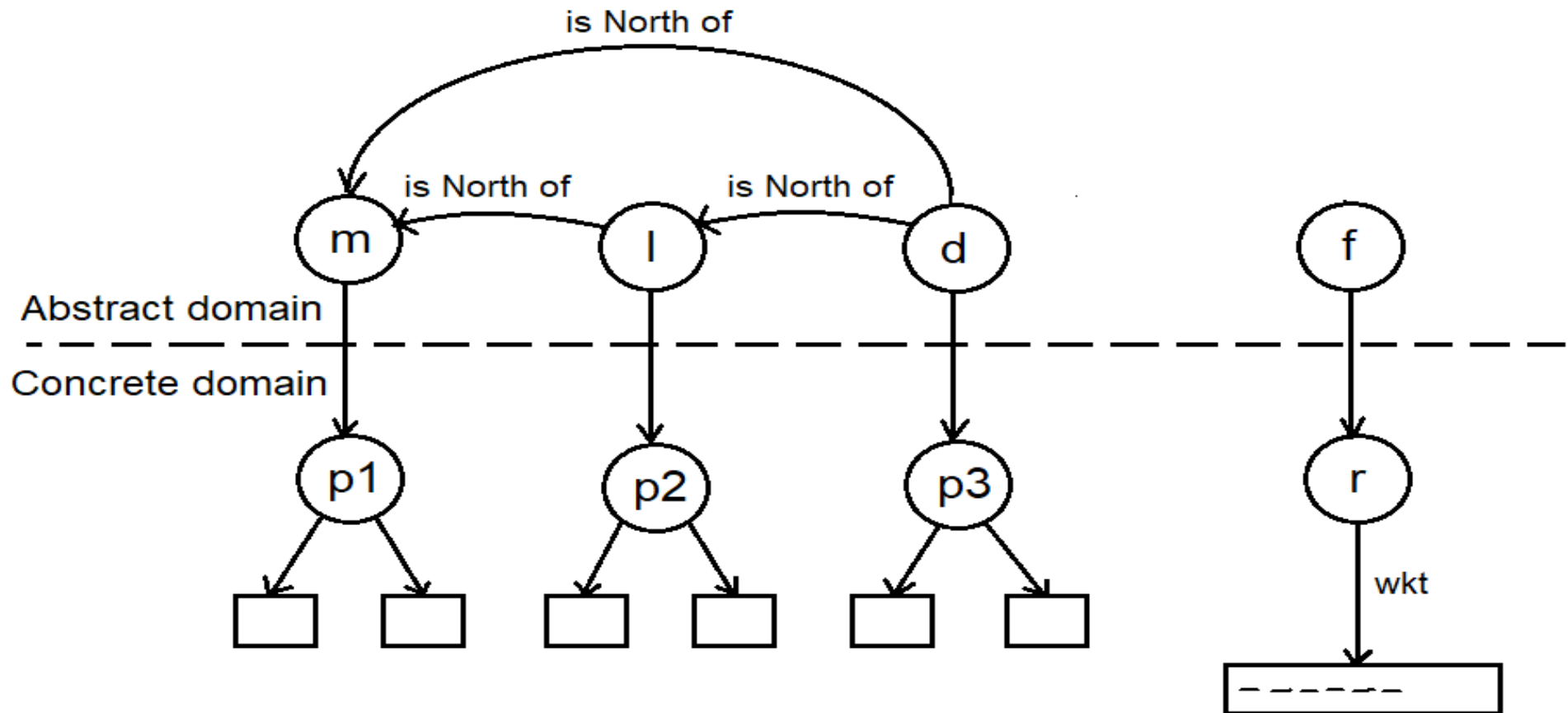
Typical Situation



- (lyon,marseille): northOf
- (lyon,france): within
- (marseille,avignon): closeTo

- (lyon,point2): isHere
- (france,region1): isHere

Model in DL



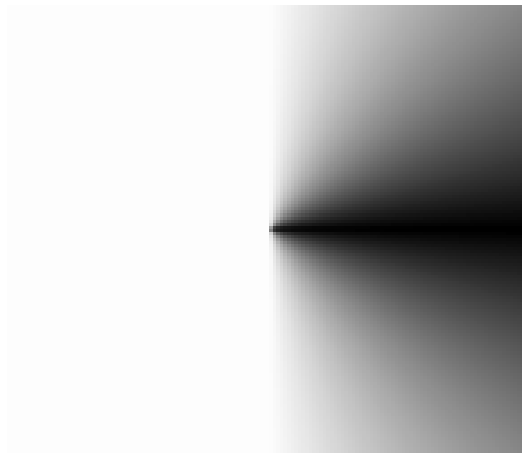
- $\langle (\text{lyon}, \text{marseille}): \text{northOf}, 70\% \rangle$

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- This is NOT a probability !!!

What is East?



(a) crisp

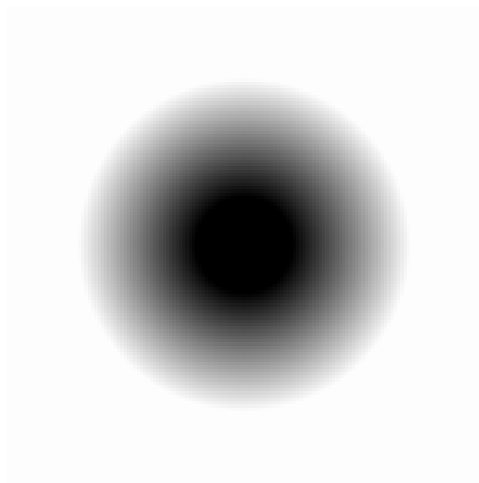


(b) cone

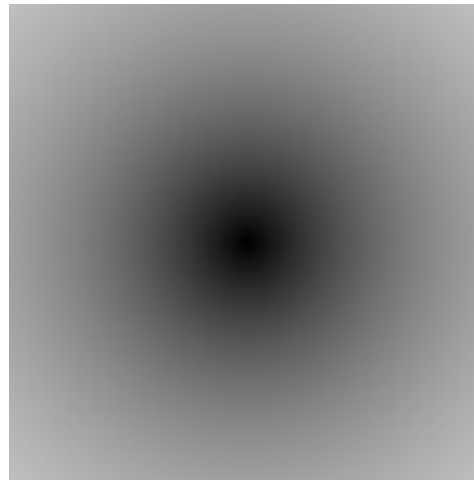


(c) projection

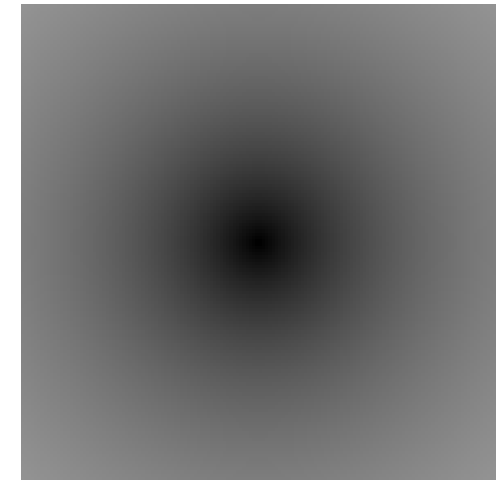
What is Close?



(a) linear ($\alpha = 0.1$,
 $\beta = 0.25$)



(b) exponential



(c) fraction

$$\mu(d) = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if } d \geq \alpha + \beta \\ \frac{\alpha + \beta - d}{\beta} & \text{if } \alpha < d < \alpha + \beta \\ 1 & \text{if } d \leq \alpha \end{cases}$$

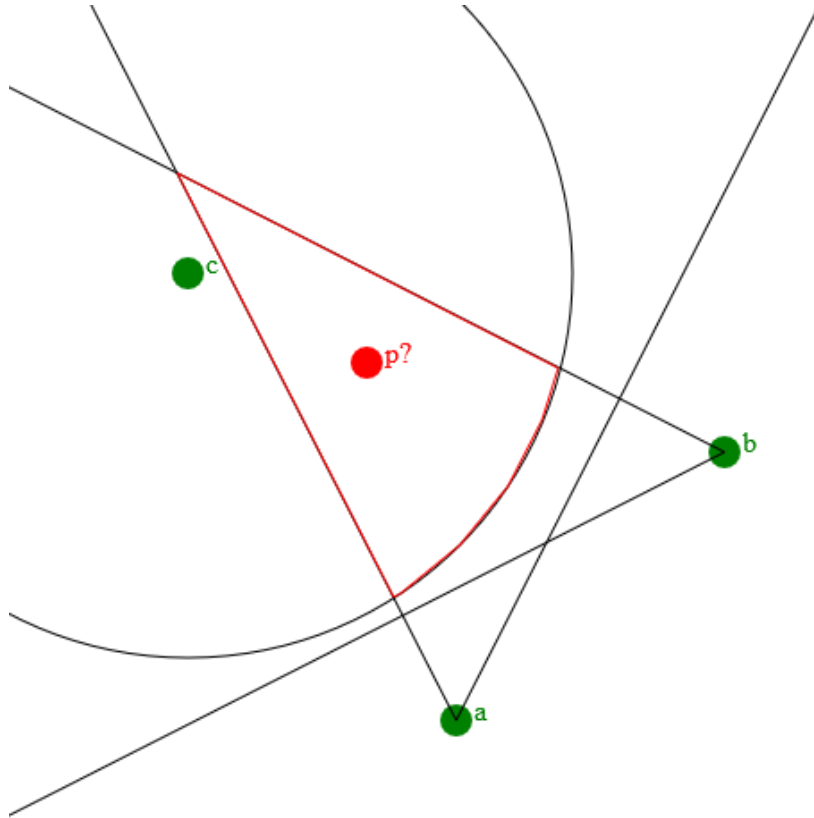
$$\mu(d) = e^{-d}$$

$$\mu(d) = \frac{1}{1 + d}$$

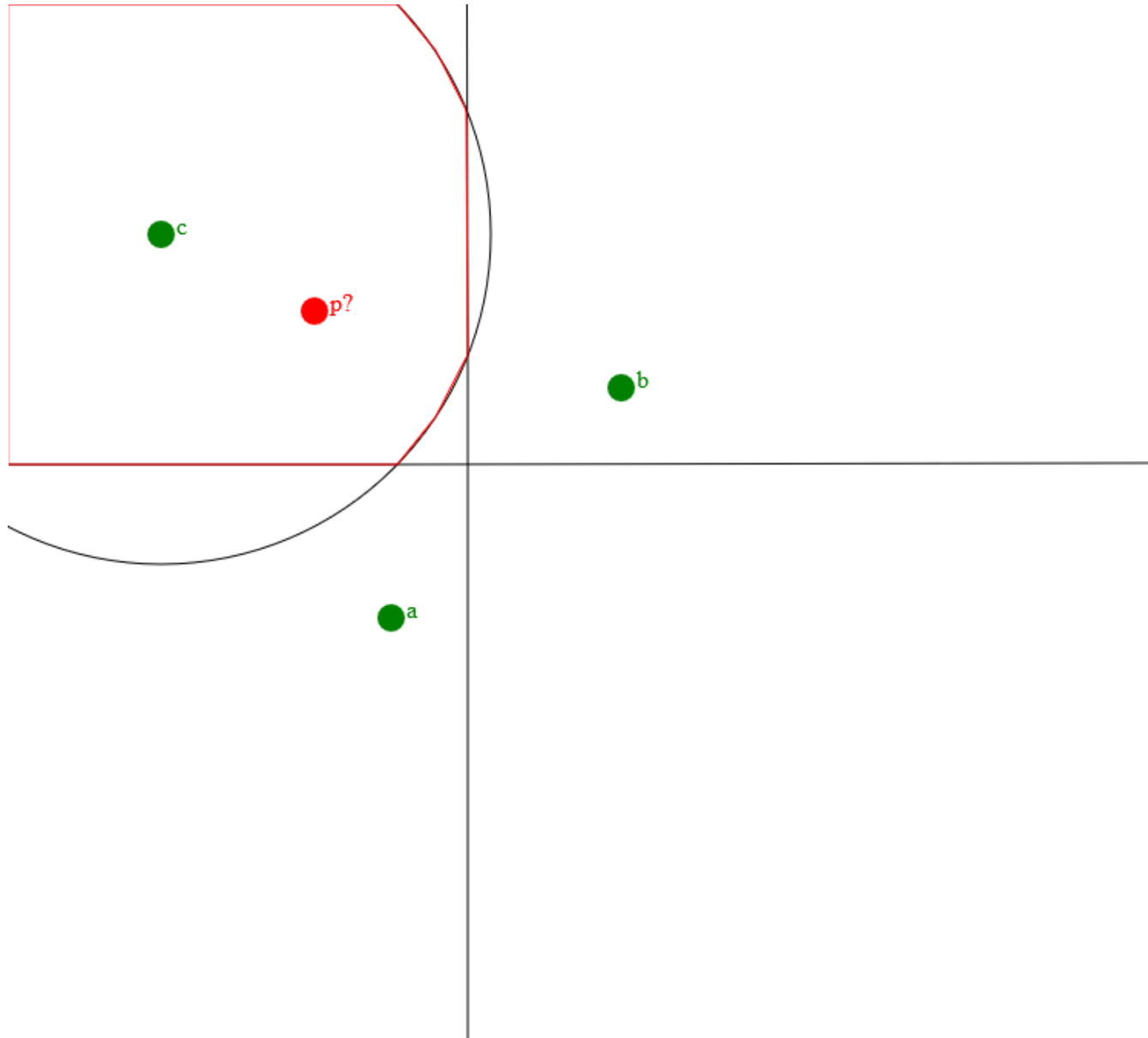
Where is Point P?

- P is northOf A (60%)
- P is westOf B (70%)
- P is closeTo C (80%)

Cone Model



Projection Model



Inference Rules

- A is east of B
- B is east of C

=> A is east of C ?

Inference Rules

- A is east of B (x %)
- B is east of C (y %)

\Rightarrow A is east of C ($x+y$? $\min(x,y)$? ...)

Fuzzy Connectives

	Lukasiewicz Logic	Product Logic	Goedel Logic
$\ominus\phi =$	$1 - \phi$	$\begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } \phi = 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } \phi > 0 \end{cases}$	$\begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } \phi = 0 \\ 0 & \text{if } \phi > 0 \end{cases}$
$\phi_1 \oplus \phi_2 =$	$\min(\phi_1 + \phi_2, 1)$	$\phi_1 + \phi_2 - \phi_1 \cdot \phi_2$	$\max(\phi_1, \phi_2)$
$\phi_1 \otimes \phi_2 =$	$\max(\phi_1 + \phi_2 - 1, 0)$	$\phi_1 \cdot \phi_2$	$\min(\phi_1, \phi_2)$
$\phi_1 \triangleright \phi_2 =$	$\min(1 - \phi_1 + \phi_2, 1)$	$\min\left(1, \frac{\phi_2}{\phi_1}\right)$	$\begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } \phi_1 \leq \phi_2 \\ \phi_2 & \text{if } \phi_1 > \phi_2 \end{cases}$

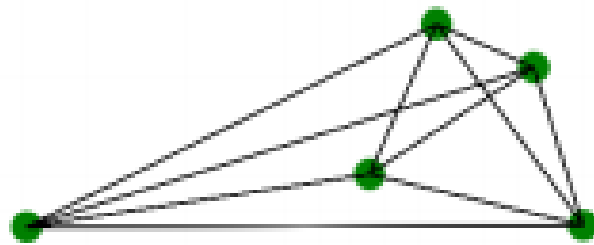
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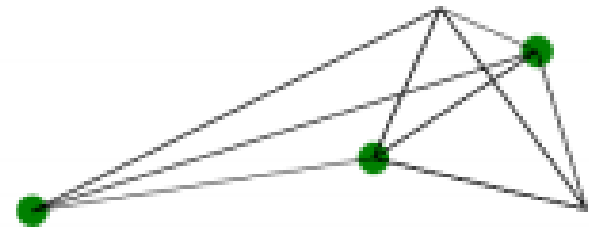
Inference Rules

Axiom	cone-based	projection-based
$E \circ E \sqsubseteq E$	G	G
$E \sqcap N \sqsubseteq NE$	G	G
$E \circ N \sqsubseteq NE$	×	×
$E^- \sqsubseteq W$	✓	✓

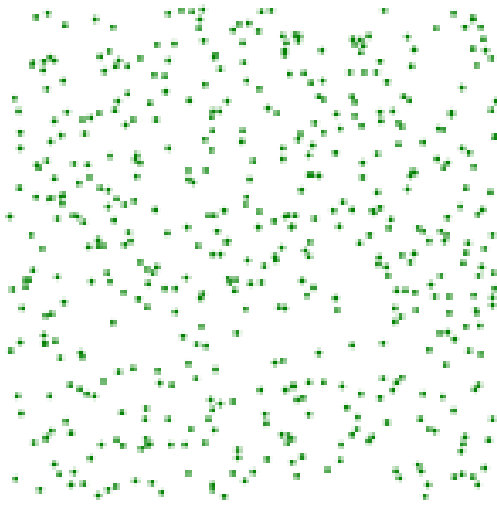
Axiom	linear ($\alpha > 0$)	linear ($\alpha = 0$)	exponential	fractional
$\text{Near} \circ \text{Near} \sqsubseteq \text{Near}$	×	L	P	P
$\text{Near}^- \sqsubseteq \text{Near}$	✓	✓	✓	✓



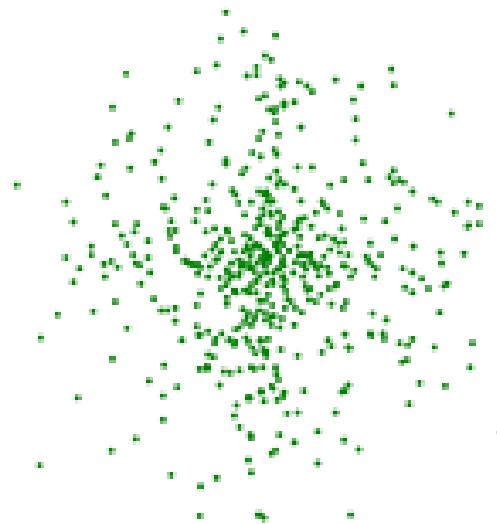
(a) Complete dataset: Black lines state available relative information. Green dots represent absolute information.



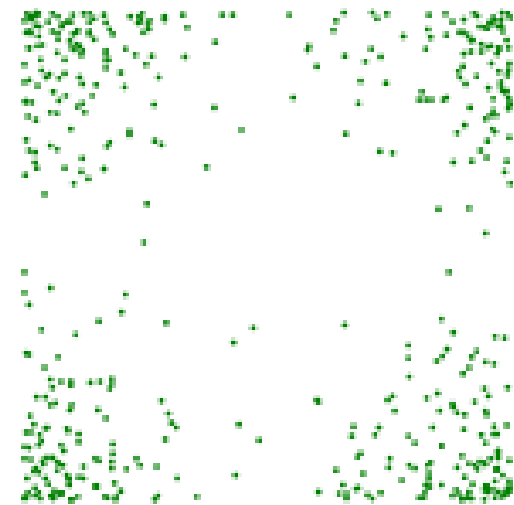
(b) Damaged dataset: Only $\tau = 60\%$ of absolute information is available and $\rho = 60\%$ of relative data is removed.



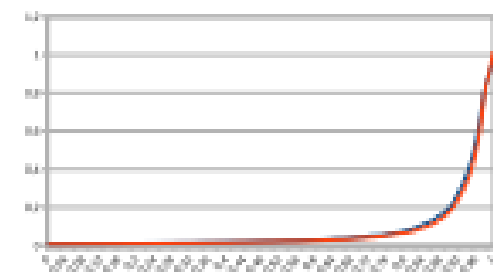
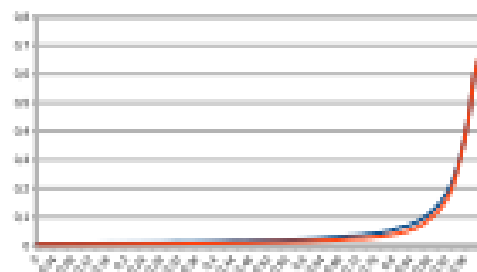
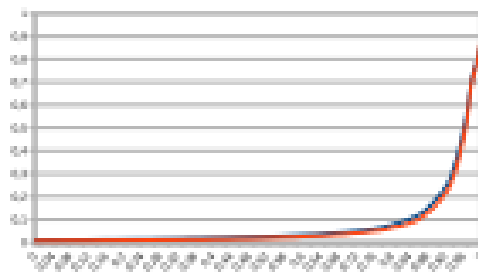
(a) equal distribution:
 $f(p) = 1$



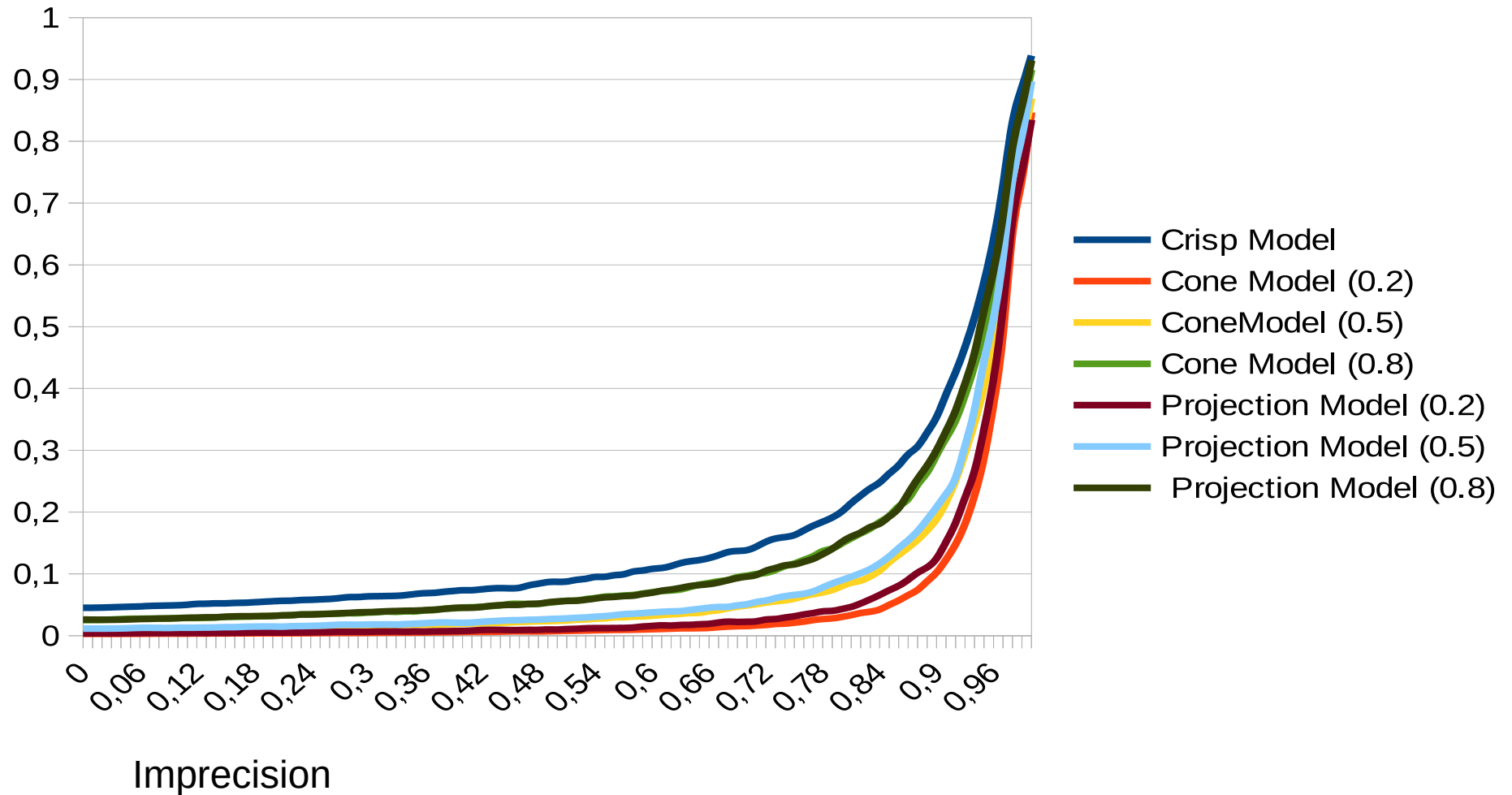
(b) centered distribu-
 tion: $f(p) = (2 * p_x - 1)^2 + (2 * p_y - 1)^2$



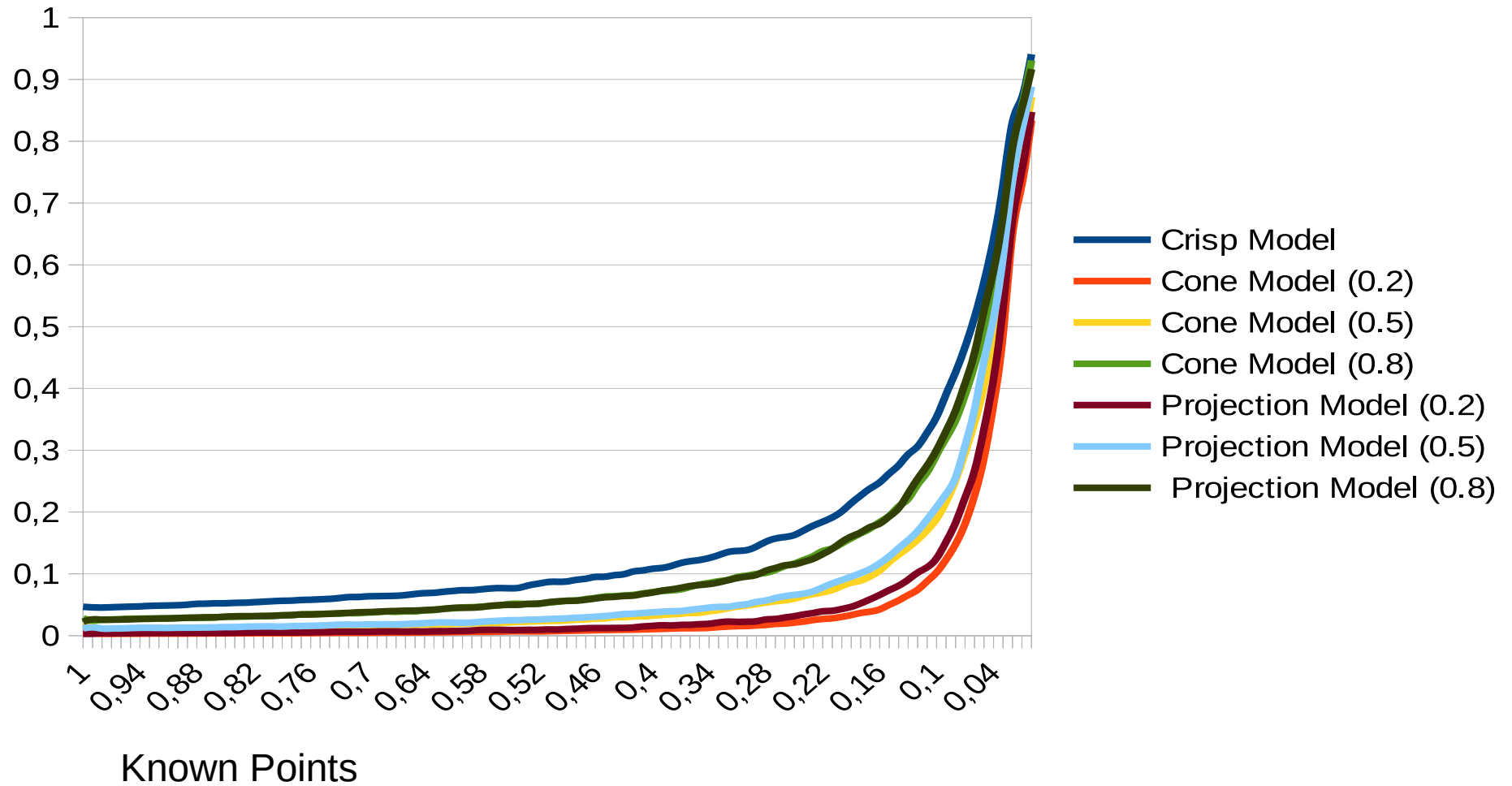
(c) bordered distribu-
 tion: $f(p) = 2 - (2 * p_x - 1)^2 - (2 * p_y - 1)^2$



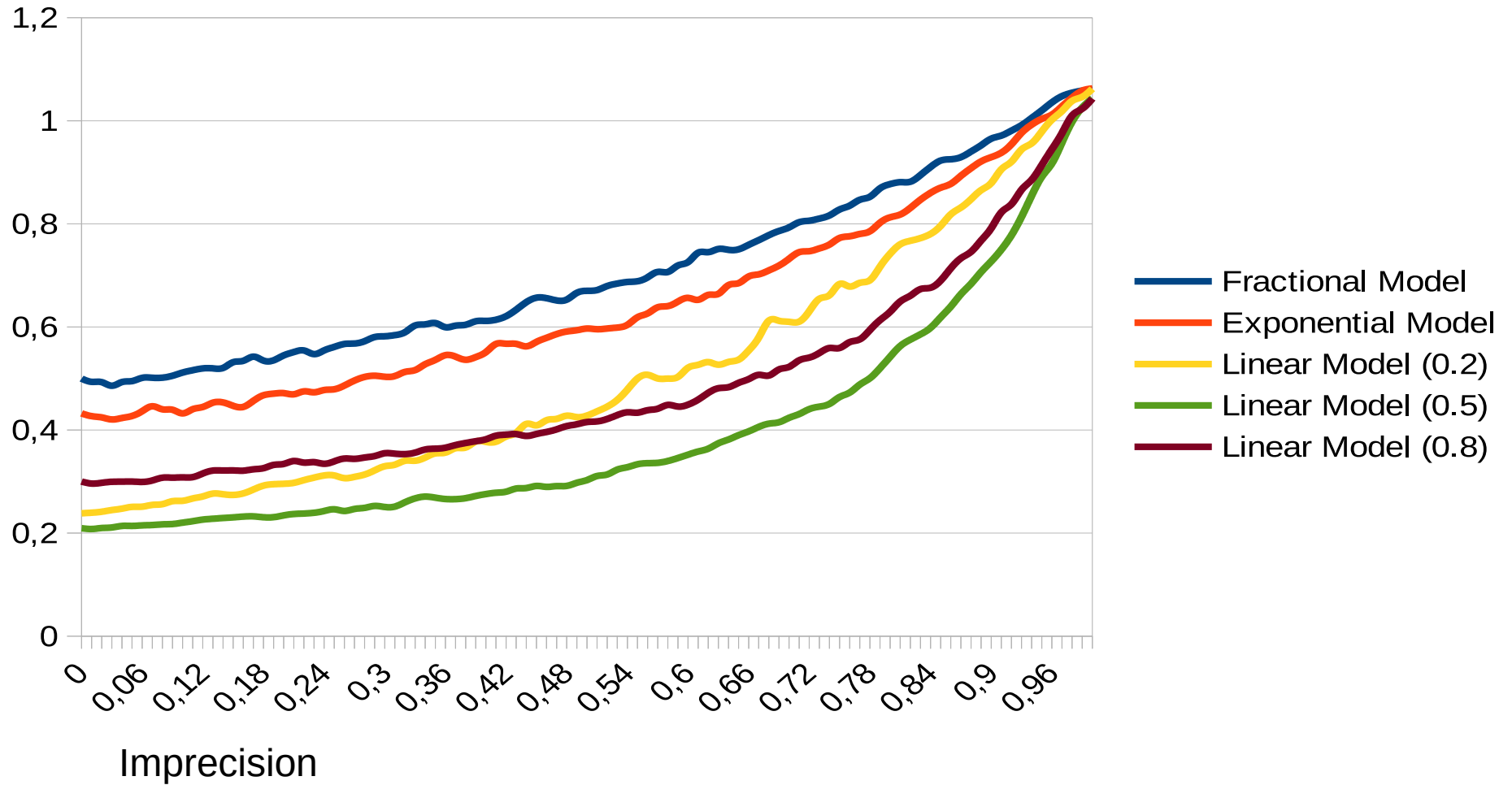
Cardinal Directions



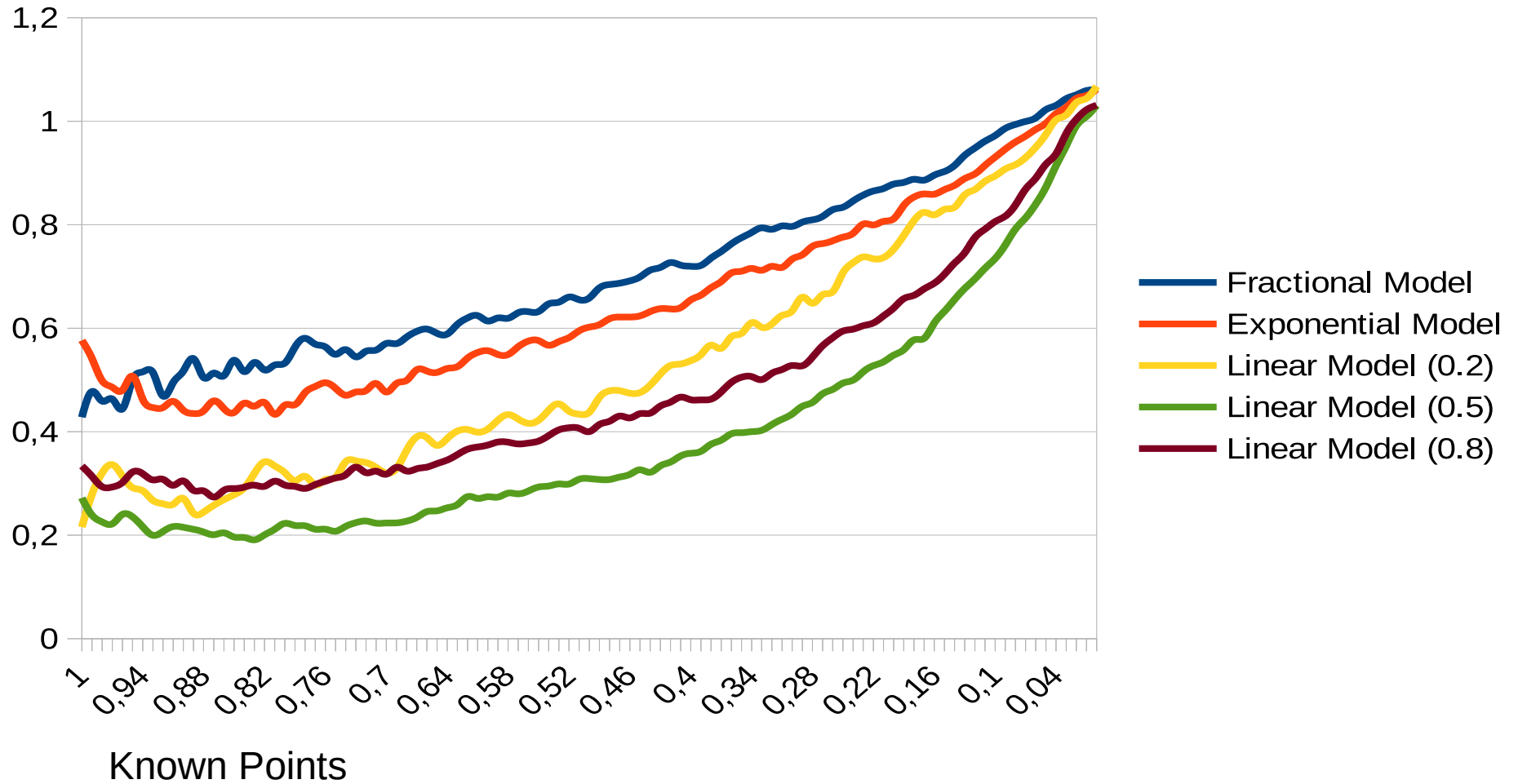
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Nearness



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Thank You for Your Attention!

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