

Some remarks on Large Deviations

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$$\sum_{\mathcal{G} \in \mathcal{G}_{N, \epsilon, r_1, r_2, \dots, r_k}} w(\mathcal{G}) \simeq 1$$

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