D. Vyzovitis, Self Assembling Processes [05/03/09; 1 of 3] Self Assembling Processes by Dimitris Vyzovitis [vyzo at media.mit.edu] PhD Thesis, Spring 2009; <2009-05-03 Sun> Note: I have tried to make my words as precise as possible in order to describe a scale-free problem and its solution as a program in a scale-free manner. Still, I am not a native english speaker. My native language is Lisp and I apologize in advance if some of this appear cryptic; especially my sense of humor. catch humor-failure: K 0. excerpt from: vyzo; The Hacker's Guide to Programming the Universe (\infty) Part I: Stochastic MetaProgramming #prelude english require J. von Neumann; The theory of self-reproducing automata (1966) (C) 0.1976-\infty vyzo * Self Assembling Processes Proposition 01: The Internet, coupled in an entropic loop with humanity and nature, is an effective implementation of a recursive von Neumann ecology. Summary: The Internet in extant form satisfies von Neumann's primordial soup conditions. According to von Neumann's theory, a self-replicating factory in primordial soup conditions is sufficient to bootstrap a a self-reproducing ecology. A von Neumann self-replicating factory can be effectively implemented in today's timescale. Evidence is provided in the form of a program that implements Scale-Free Broadcast as a self-assembling stochastic metaprogram. ** Interpretation Primordial soup conditions: Sufficiently complex interconnection: The Internet is a scale-free communication network. TCP/IP stabilizes the flow glue. End-systems effect the flow logic. Recursive entropy flow: All of us; nature; time. We implement scale-free sensory and actuation apparatus. Self-replication capacity: Internet logic actuators control gaia's industrial infrastructure. ** Evidence *** The Scale-Free Broadcast Problem Definition: Scale-Free Broadcast [SFB] originally posed to the author by A. Lippman: with 0 upfront investment: Write a program that scales Internet TV to a billion users.

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Postulate \Omega: The Fractal Hypothesis The entropic flow is scale-free; uncomputable, at least as hard as \Omega. \Omega is the greek notion of Eschaton.

Interpretation: Entropy has Infinite algorithmic complexity. We sample the entropic Flow; scale-free distributed time series. We can only Sample in finite horizons in local frames. No global temporal Frame.

Any attempt to compute a synchronous frame requires communication. Communication effects the entropic flow through self-interference; central control loops diverge.

*** Formulation

Recursive entropic flow equations.

*** Interpretation

It is an auto-epistemic limit decision problem.

*** Application: A Self-Assemblying Program

LittleRabbit is the name of this program.

*** Evaluation: Stochastic MetaComputation

Emergent computation through organic self-assembly.

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One word is worth a thousand pictures; the only way to Understand a program is to write it.

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Heracletus; The universal cosmic process was not created by any god or man.

* Appendix: A Poem

To answer that last question.

I am just a hacker. All I ever wanted was to program this beautiful computer. To program is to be.

Life is a cosmic enigma. I don't know the answer to all the other questions.

* Epilogue: The Begining when surfing on the edge one must loop thy limits for the spiral to the dark is the bit next to the light

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