

## Continue with Graph Theory

### Graph :

- A graph  $G = (V, E)$  consists of  $V$ , a nonempty set of vertices and  $E$ , a set of edges. Each edge has either one or two vertices associated with it, called its endpoints. An edge is said to connect its endpoints.

### Sub-graph :

- Suppose we have  $G=(V,E)$  such that  $V$  is a vertex set and  $E$  is a Edge Set.
- Here  $H=(V',E')$  is a Subgraph of  $G=(V,E)$  if  $V' \subseteq V$ ,  $E' \subseteq E$  and  $H$  is a Graph.

### Induced Sub-graph :

- $(x,y)$  element of  $E(H) \Leftrightarrow (x,y)$  element of  $E(g)$  and  $x$  element of  $v(h)$  and  $y$  element of  $v(h)$  and  $x \in v(g)$  and  $y \in v(g)$ .
- Any induced subgraph is a subgraph but not every subgraph is an induced sub-graph.

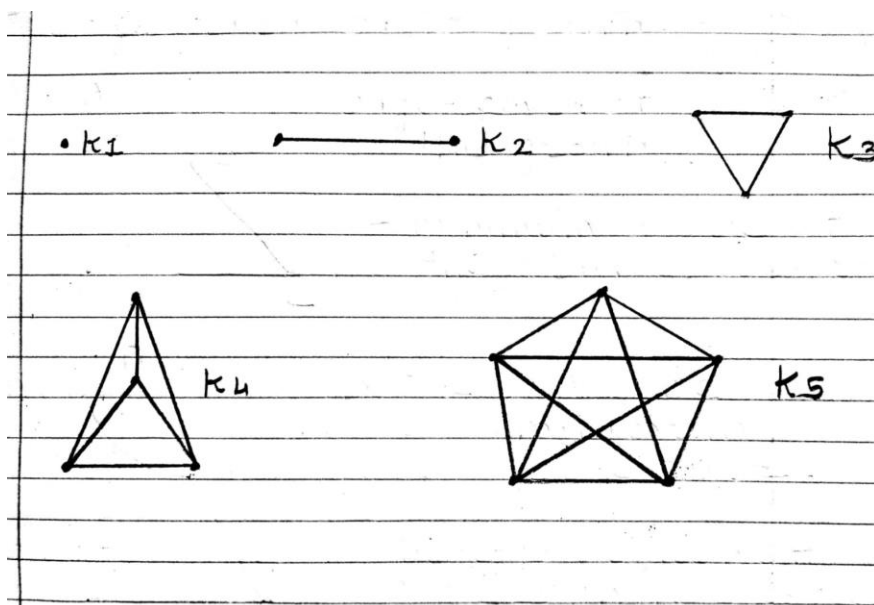
## Spanning Sub-Graph :

- Spanning subgraph is again a subgraph but  $V'$  - For the subset of the vertex set to the subgraph such that  $V'=V$ .
- You have to select all vertices but it has no restriction of what edges are present or absent.
- So, every edge has a choice for being present or absent in spanning subgraph but you must include all the vertices.
- The no of edges is usually denoted by  $m$  or cardinality of edge is  $|E|$ .

## Complete Graph :

- Denoted By  $K_n$  for every  $n$  vertices.
- All the pairs are adjacent basically.
- $E=\{(x,y) \mid x \in V, y \in V\}$ .

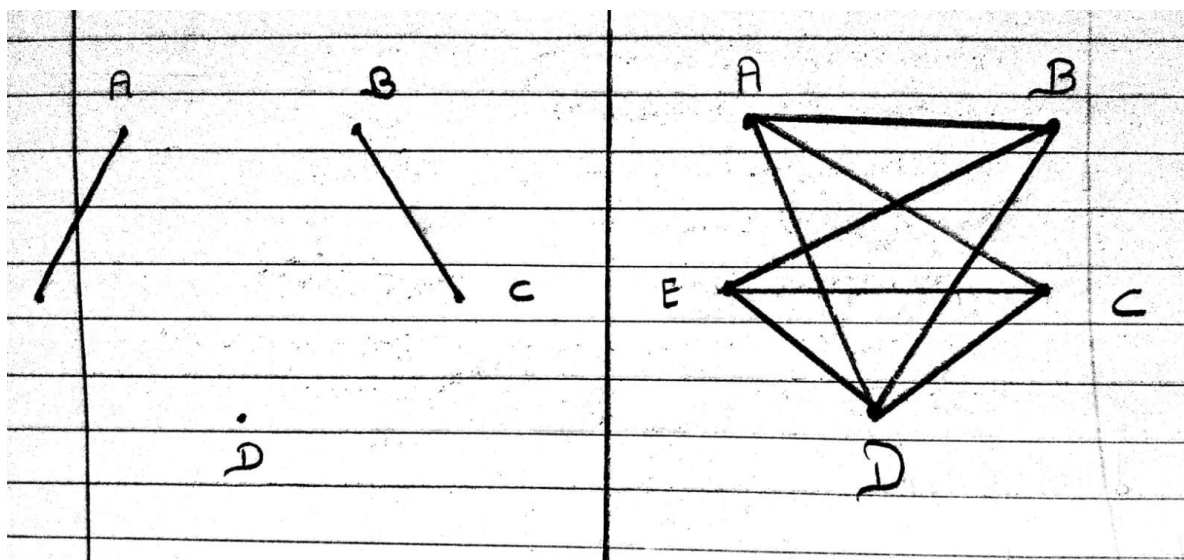
## Example :



## Graph Complement :

- It is a spanning subgraph where you include all edges which are absent exclude all edges which are present.
- It is a special case of graph partition.
- $G=(V,E)$
- $\bar{G} = (V, E \text{ bar} = K_v \setminus E)$ . (Set difference).

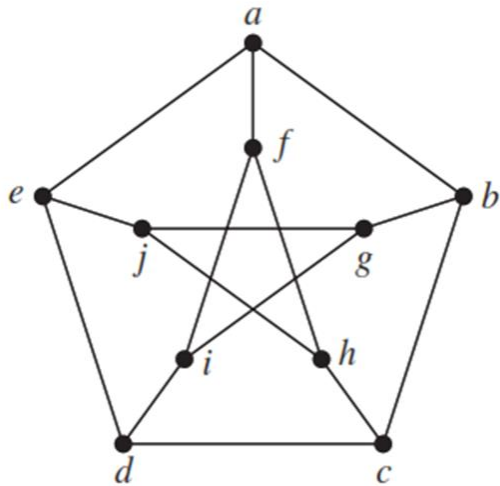
## Diagram :



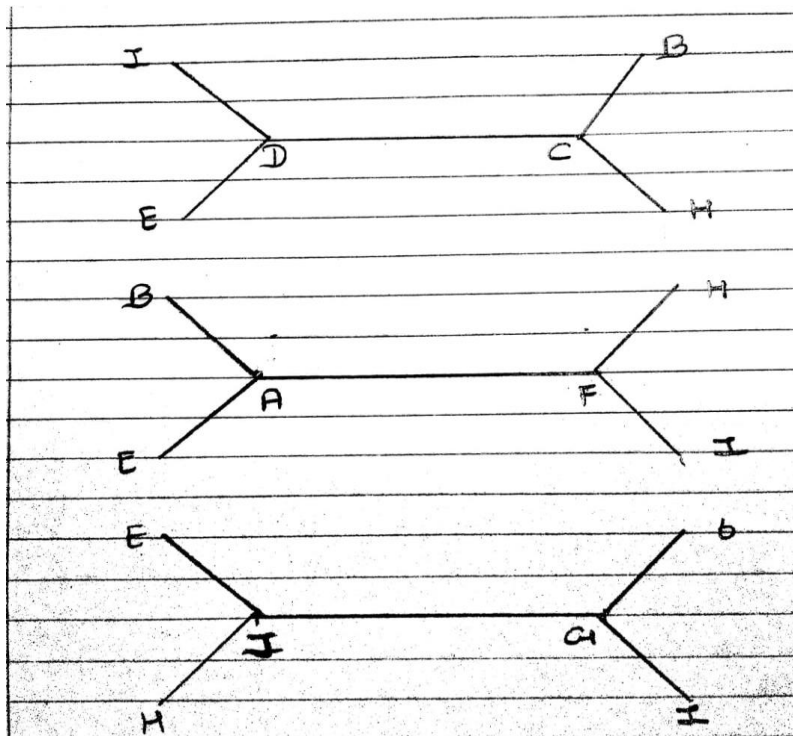
## Partition Of Graph :

- Collection of subsets of a set whose union is a whole set and whose intersection is empty.
- Let us now partition of **petersen Graph** :

**petersen Graph :**



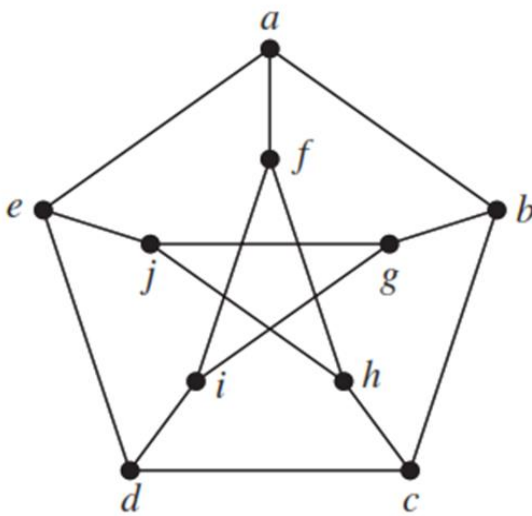
**Partition of the petersen graph :**



**This is called Graph Decomposition.**

## Vertex Cover :

- A set of vertices that cover all the edges is called a vertex cover.
- Vertex cover is a subset of vertices that cover all edges.
- Vertex cover on **petersen graph**.



- We can not cover petersen graph with less then 5 vertices.
- Because every vertex cover has 3 edges and you want to cover 15 edges.
- If pick a vertex A it can cover AF,AE,AB.
- 5 vertices maybe insufficient, because some 2 vertices may covering some common edge in which case it doesn't help.

## Minimum size vertex Cover :-

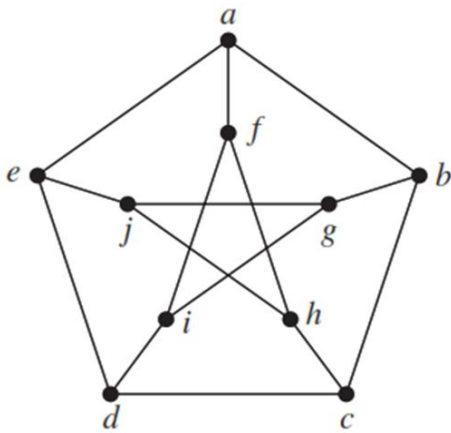
- A set of minimum no of vertices that cover all the edges is called a vertex cover.

- Here by using  $\{a,c,e\}$  we can cover all the outer edge.
- $\{g,i,h\}$  we can cover all the inner edges.
- 6 vertices cover all the 15 edges this is called minimum size vertex cover.

### Dominating Set :-

- A set of vertices but they must cover all vertices.
- Dominating set is a subset of vertices such that every vertex not in a subset is adjacent to vertex in a subset.

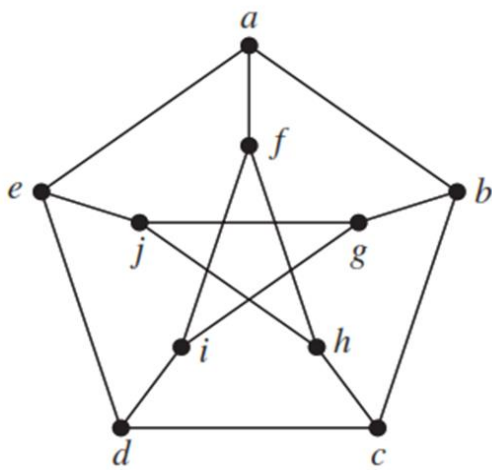
### Dominating set on Petersen graph:-



- Here If we pick **a** we are dominating **e,b,f**.
  - **a-e,b,f**.
  - **d-c,i**.
  - **j-g,h**.
- a,d,j cover all other vertices.
- A vertex cover is always a dominating set , but a dominating set need not to be a vertex cover.

## Independent Set :-

- Independent set is a subset of vertices such that the induced subgraph has 0 edges.
- Independent set on Petersen graph.

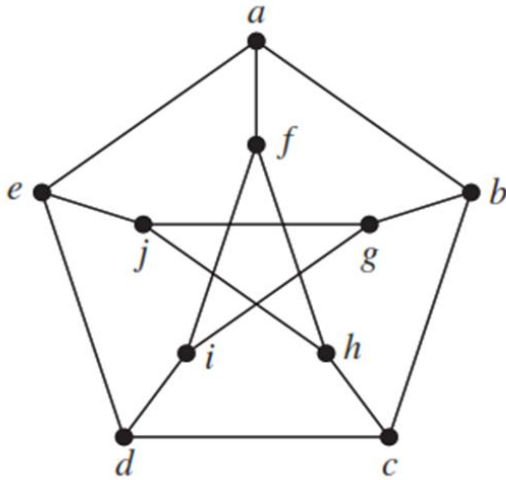


- If you pick  $\{A\}$  you can not pick e,f,b.
- Here  $\{a,j,i,c\}$  is an independent set.
- Maximum independent set of Petersen graph is exactly 4. Denoted by  $\alpha(4)$ .

## Clique :-

- Which is a largest subset which induces complete graph.
- Denoted by  $\omega()$ .
- Biggest clique in Petersen graph :- 2

- Under graph complementation every clique becomes an independent set and every independent set becomes a clique when you do graph complement.



- $\{i, h, b\}$  - Independent set.
- $\{a, b\}$  - clique.
- $\{a, b, i\}$  - neither clique nor independent set.
- Every subset of independent set is also independent.
- Every subset of clique is also a clique because it is complete graph.
- If  $I \subseteq V$  and  $k \subseteq V$  and  $I \cup k \subseteq V$ ,  
 $|I \cup k| \leq |V|$ ,

**Applying inclusion and exclusion :-**

- $|I \cup k| = |I| + |k| - |I \cap k|$ .

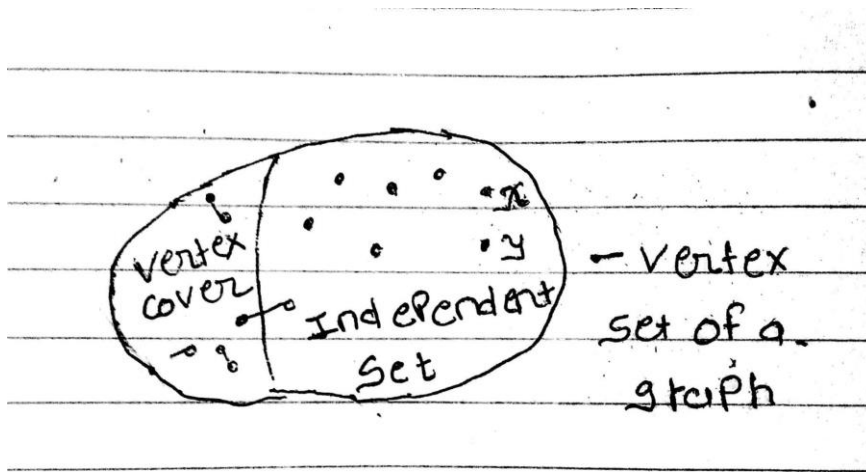


- What is the upperbound of  $|I| + |K|$  ?
  - $|I| + |K| = |I \cup K| + |I \cap K|$ .
- What is the maximum value of  $|I \cap K|$  ?  
1.
- What is the maximum value of sum ?  
 $N+1$ .

**For any graph ,**

- $|I| + |K| \leq n+1$   
 Where  $I = \alpha$  ,  $K = \omega$   
 $\alpha + \omega \leq n+1$   
 $\alpha(G) = \omega(\overline{G})$   
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  - Since every clique become independent set and every independent set becomes clique so , The largest independent set and largest independent set becomes a largest clique.
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- Let us now co-relate  $\alpha$  &  $\beta$ .
  - $\alpha$  – vertex cover.
  - $\beta$  – independent set.

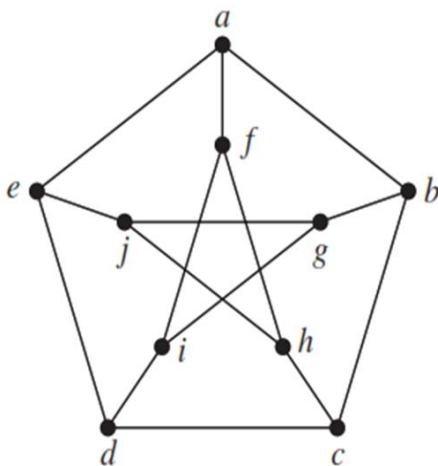
## Vertex set of the graph :



- $\alpha + \beta = n$ .
- The smaller the vertex cover larger the independent set.

## Edge - cover :

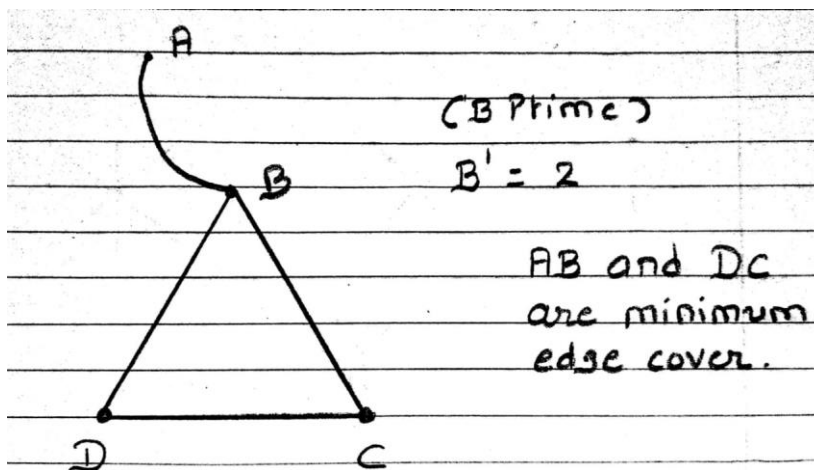
- it is a subset of edges that cover all vertices.
- Edge cover on Petersen graph.



- Every edge contains at most 2 vertices.
- But sometimes we get duplicate covers. Ab and af. Then a is covered twice.
- If there are  $n$  vertices every edge can cover at most 2 vertices.
- Trivial example of an edge cover is 1,2,3,4,5 this is crossing edges. can you see all 10 vertices are covered.

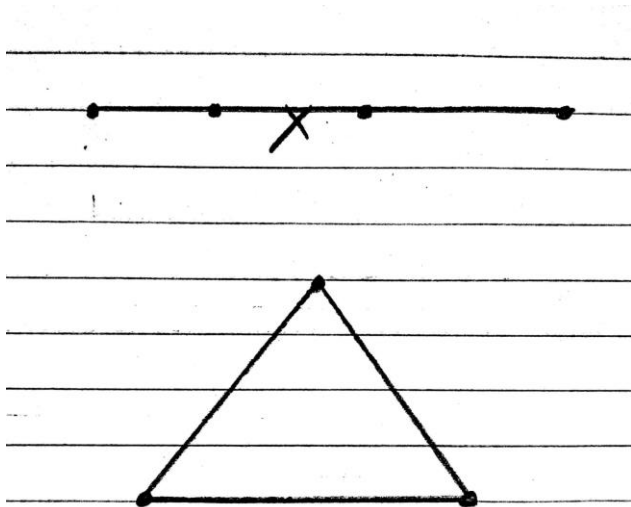
### Minimum Edge cover : ( $\beta'$ )

- Minimum edge cover is a no of edges in the smallest edge cover of a graph.
- Minimum degree of the vertices is at least 1.



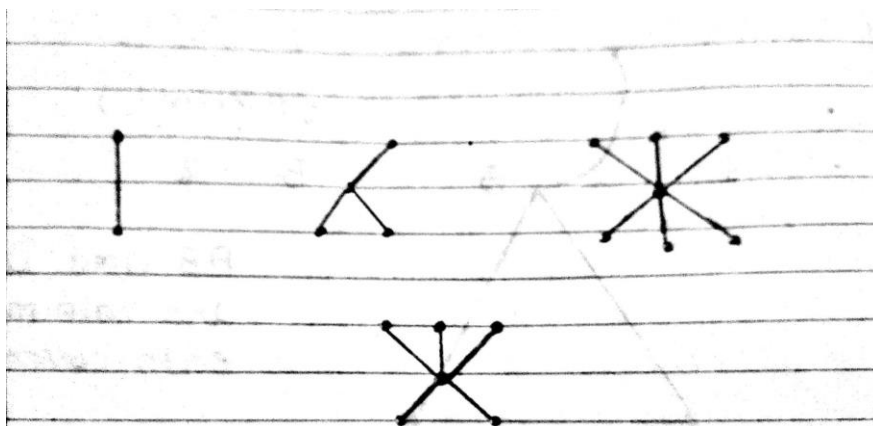
**Not allowed diagram :-**

- There is no path of 3 edges in the sub graph induced by edges minimum edge cover.



### Allowed Diagram :

- Not part of minimum edge cover.
- Minimum Edge cover looks like this :-



- The kind of graph called stars special class of trees.

- A minimum edge cover is always a collection of vertex disjoint stars.

