



CS215 DISCRETE MATH

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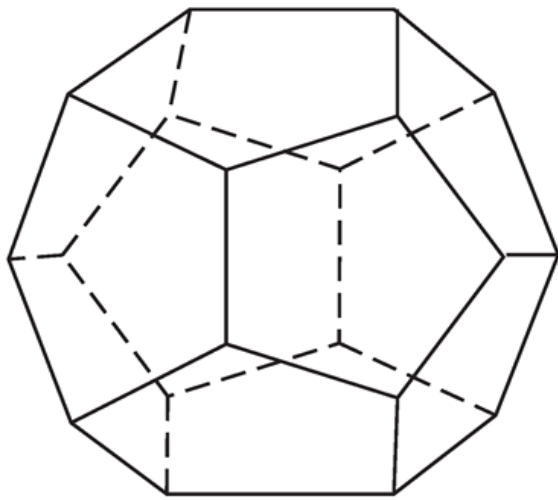
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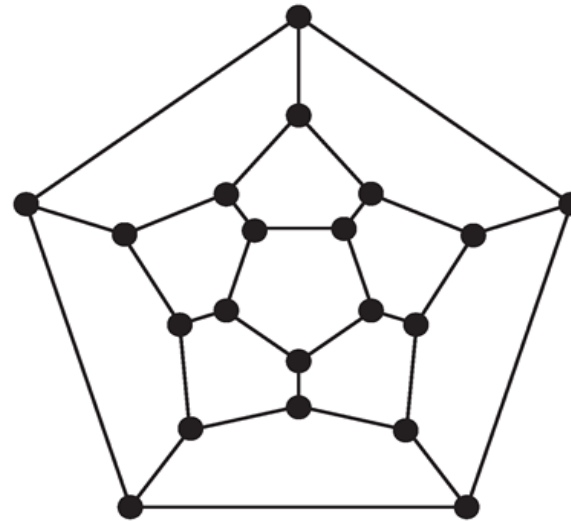


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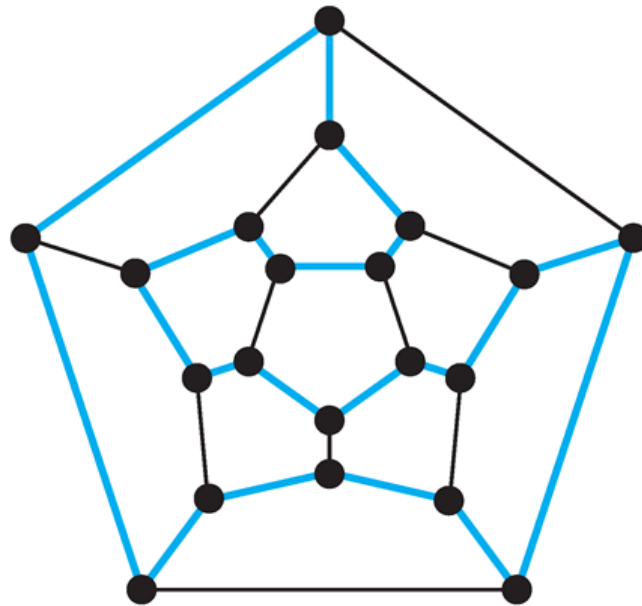
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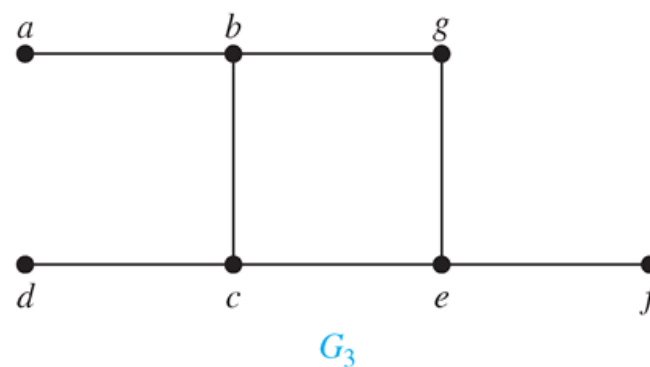
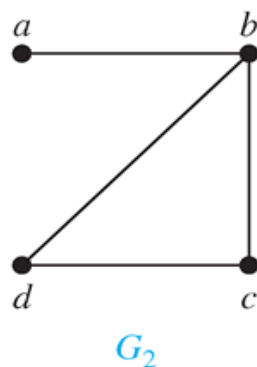
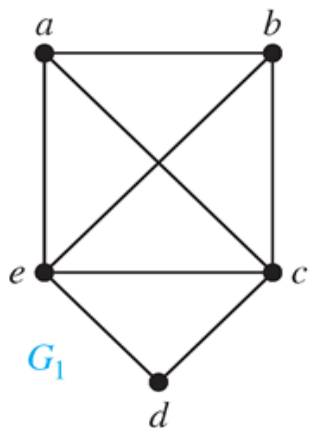
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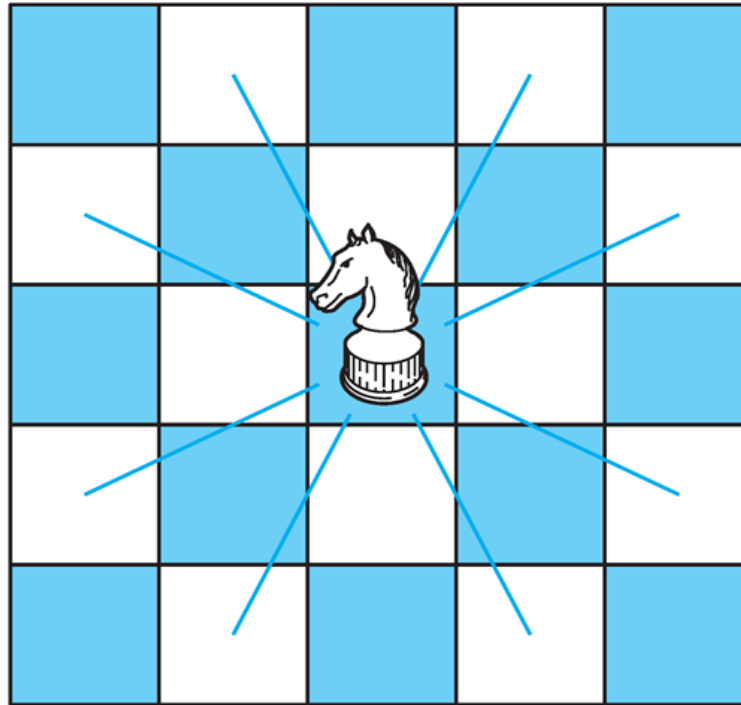
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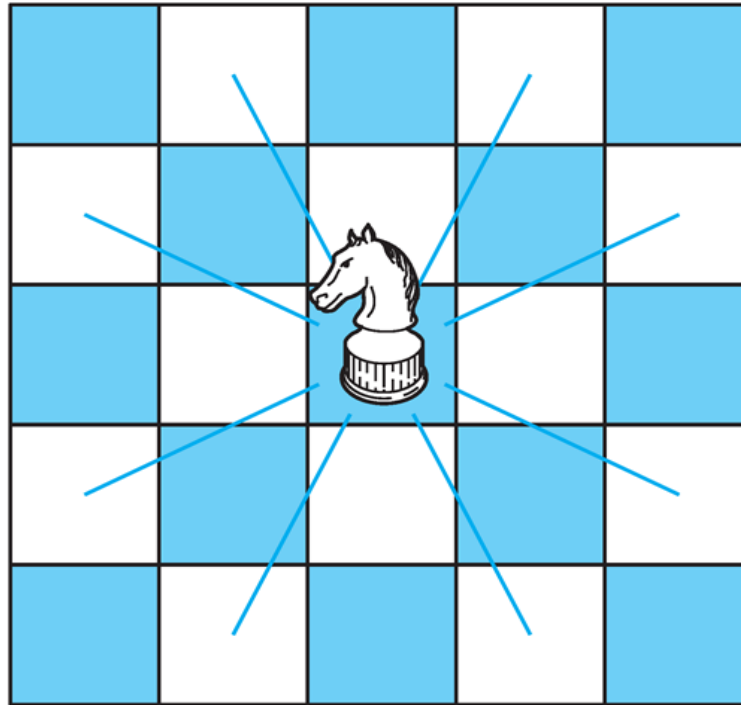
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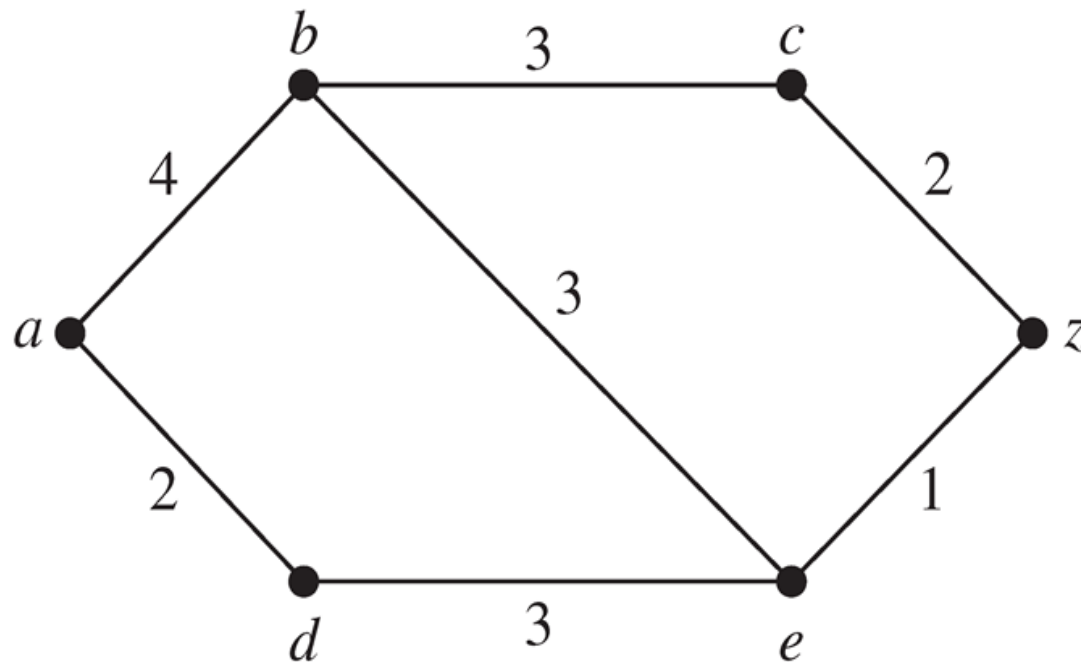
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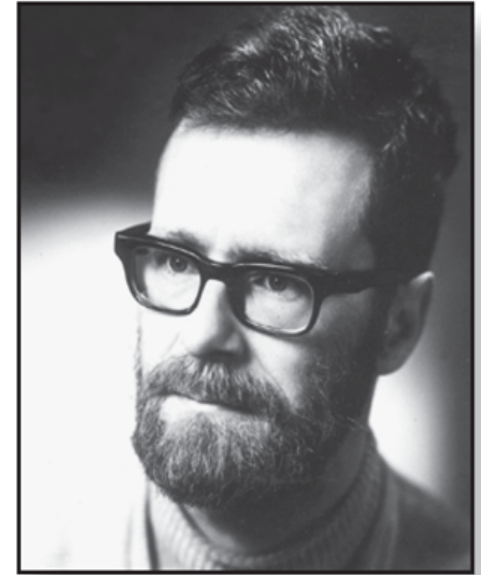
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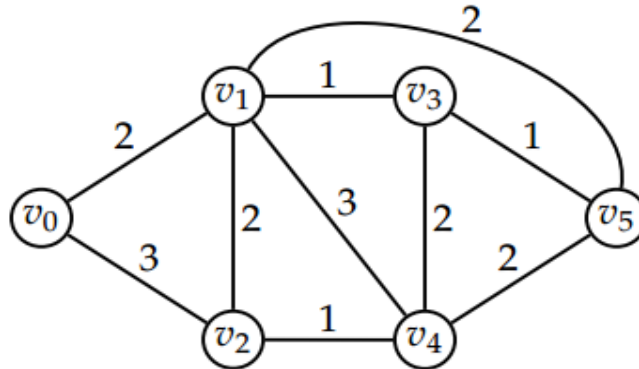
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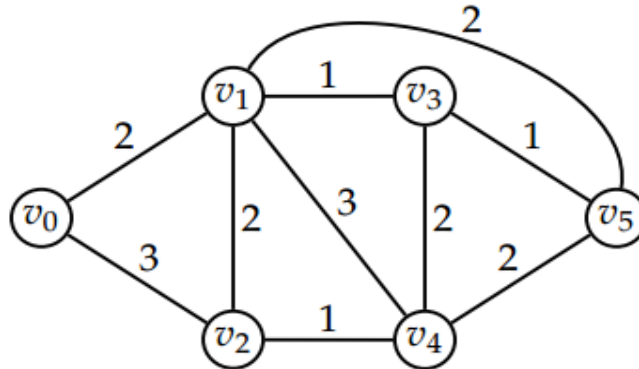
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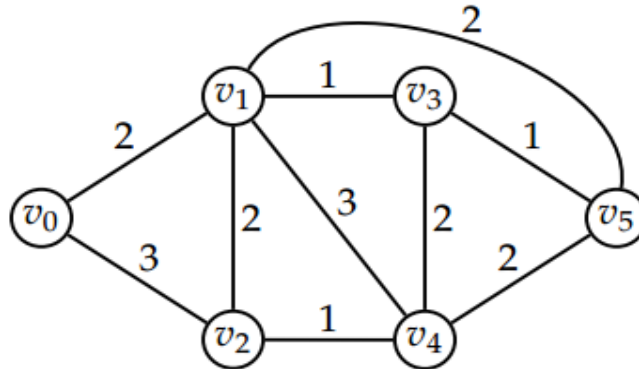


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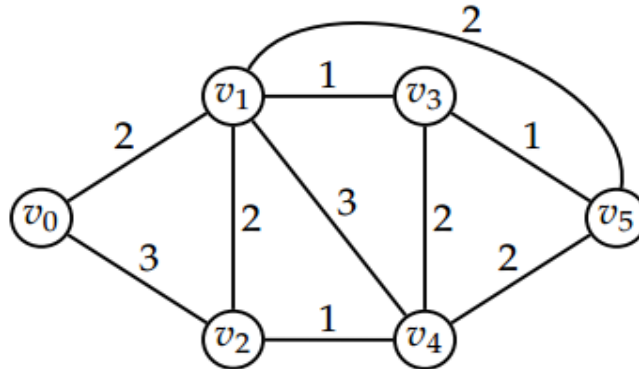
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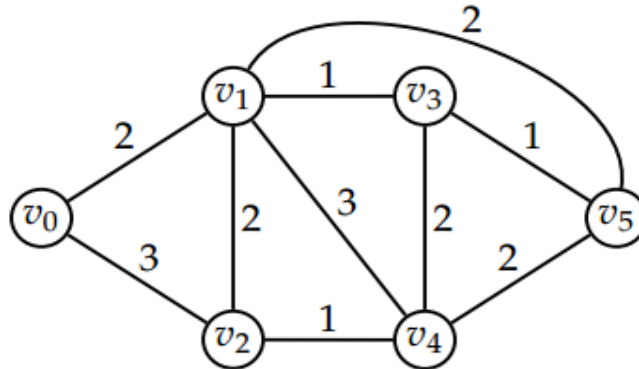
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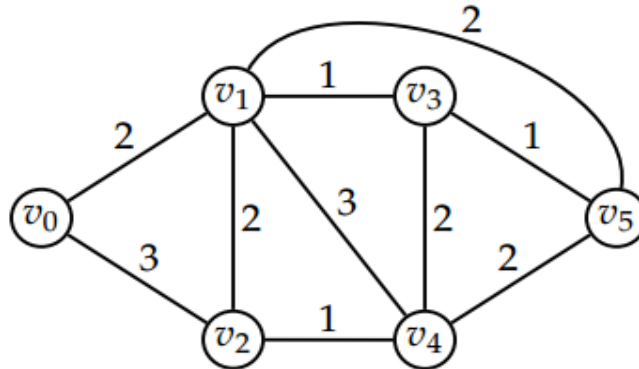
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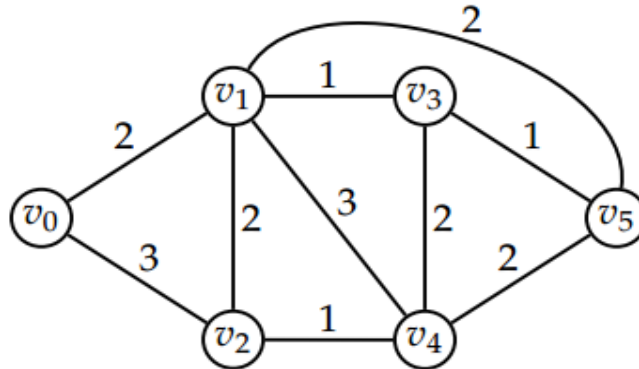
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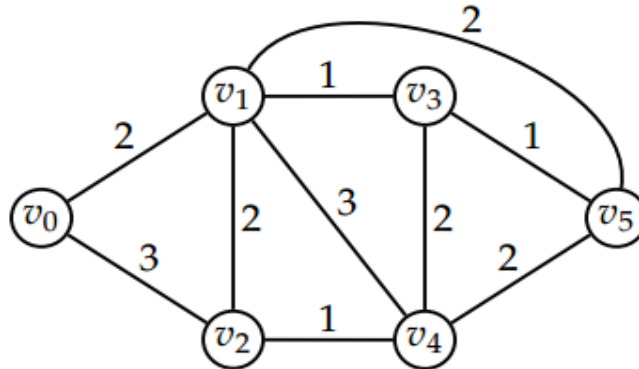
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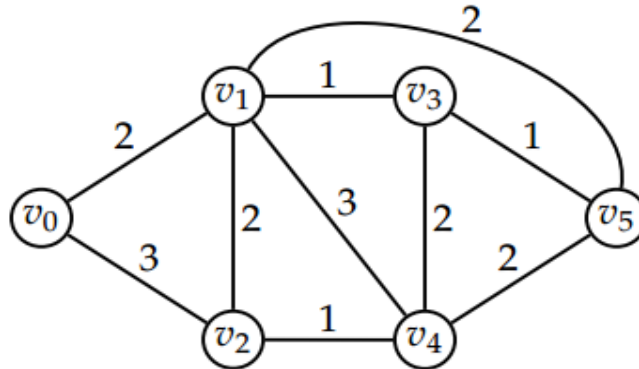
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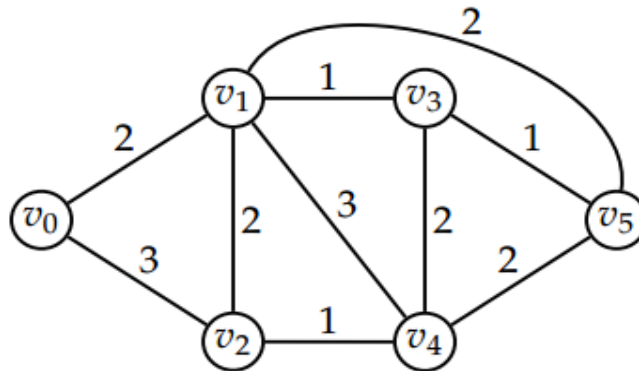
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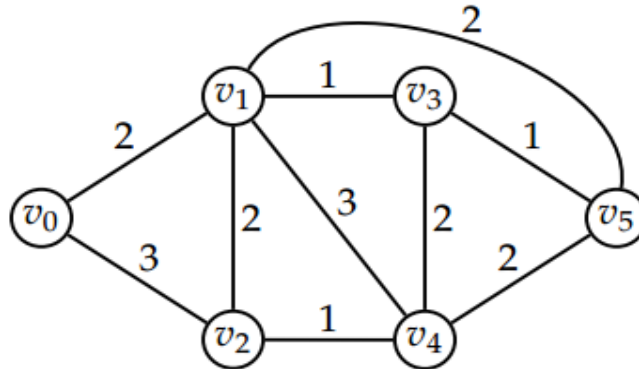
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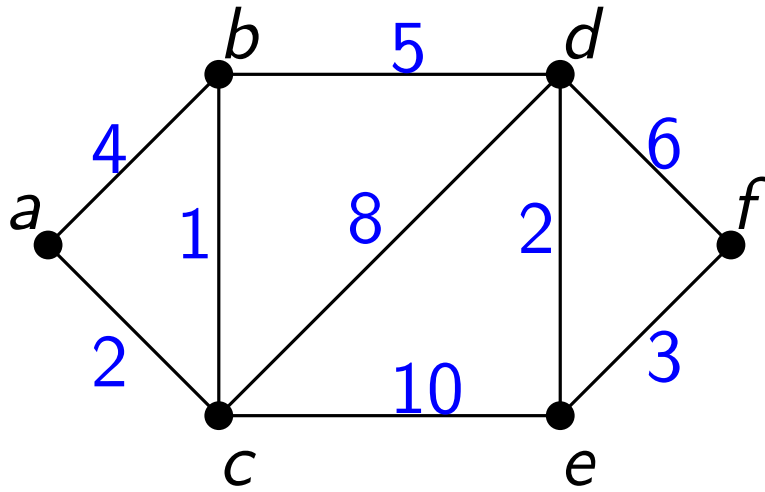
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Negative-Weight Single-Source Shortest Paths in Near-linear Time

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Abstract

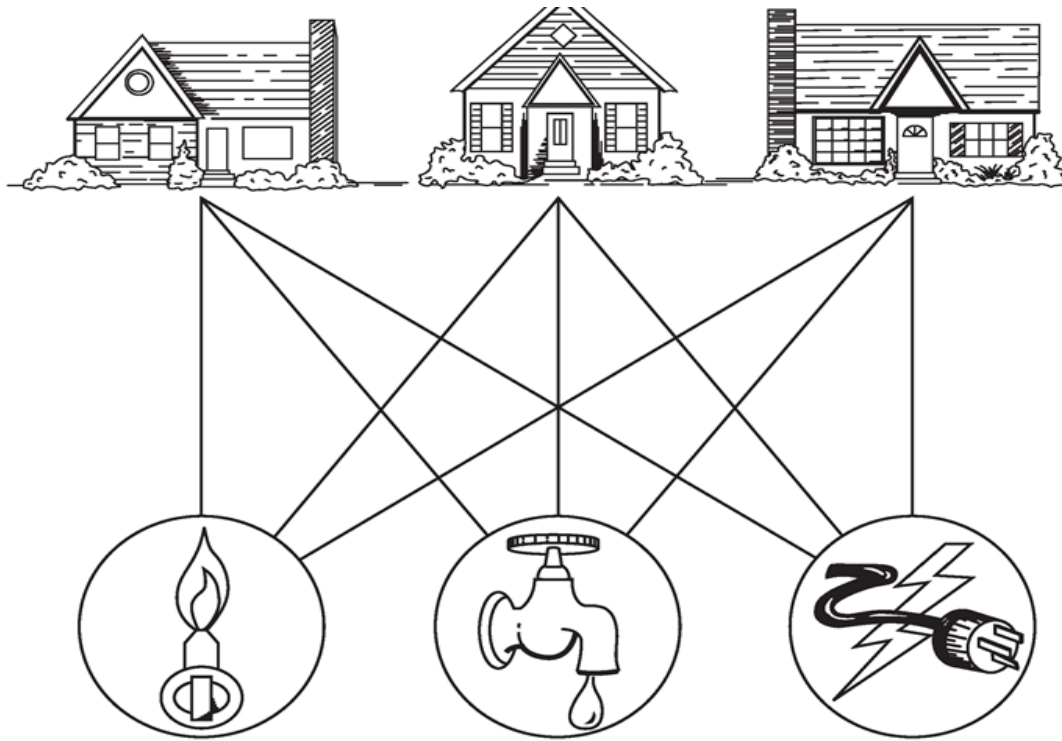
We present a randomized algorithm that computes single-source shortest paths (SSSP) in $O(m \log^8(n) \log W)$ time when edge weights are integral and can be negative.¹ This essentially resolves the classic negative-weight SSSP problem. The previous bounds are $\tilde{O}((m+n^{1.5}) \log W)$ [BLNPSSSW FOCS'20] and $m^{4/3+o(1)} \log W$ [AMV FOCS'20]. Near-linear time algorithms were known previously only for the special case of planar directed graphs [Fakcharoenphol and Rao FOCS'01].

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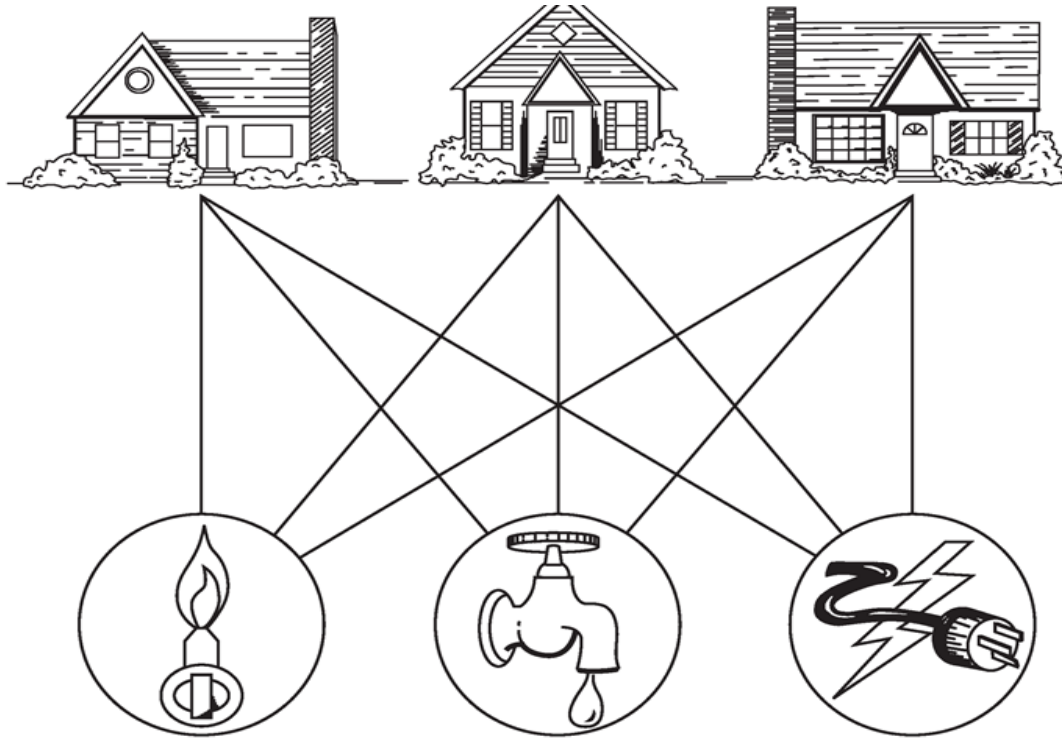
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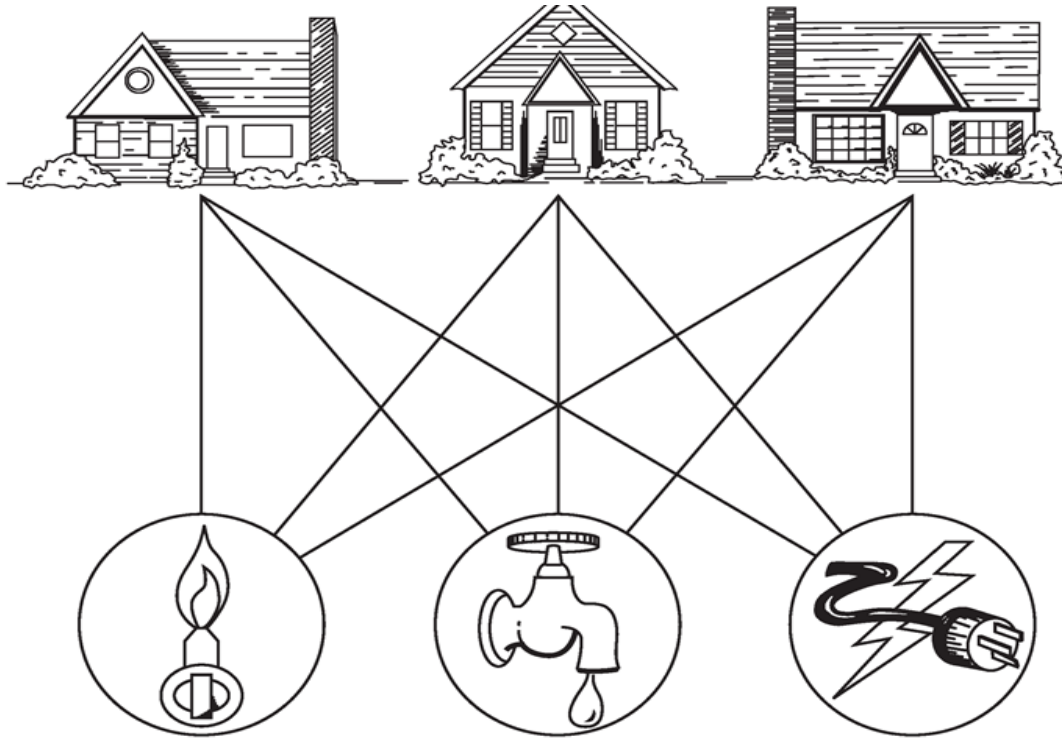
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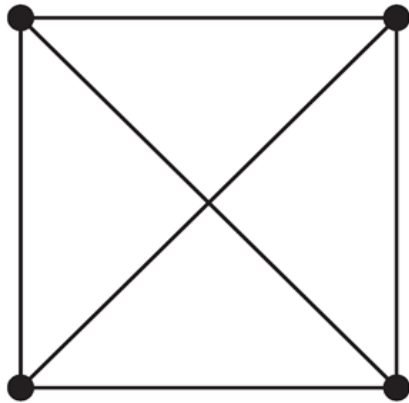
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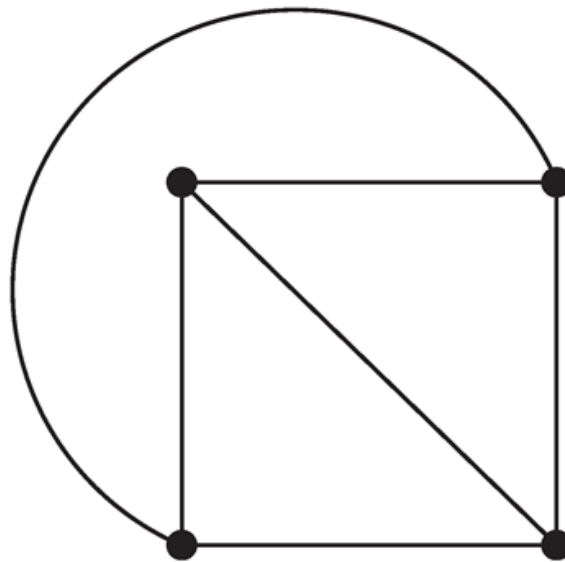
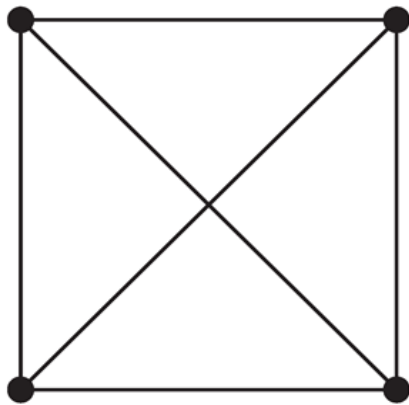
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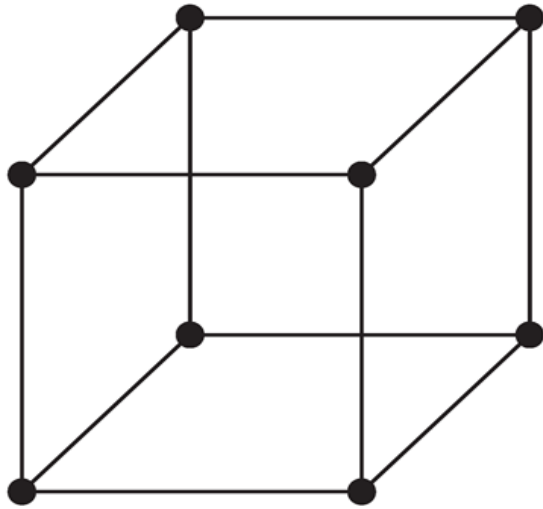
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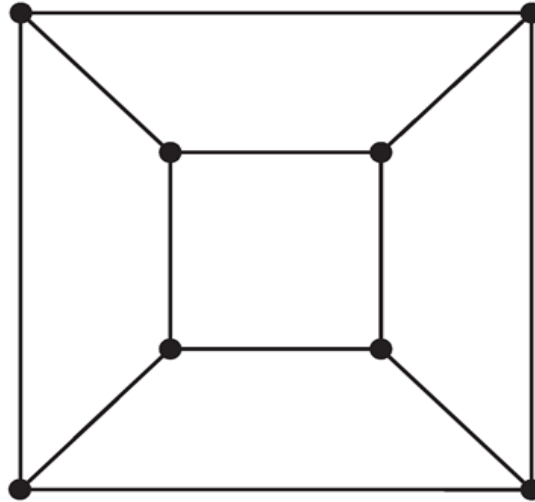
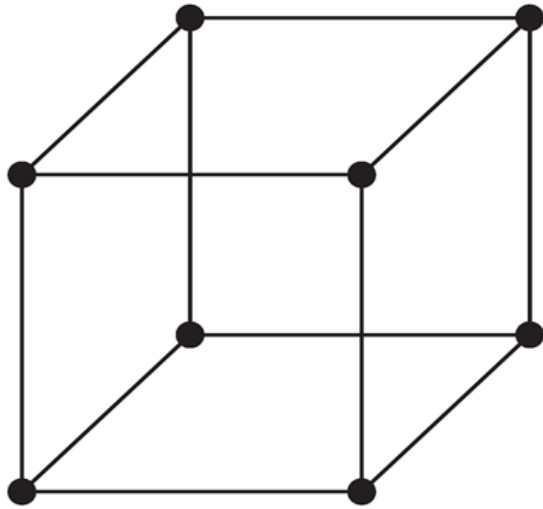
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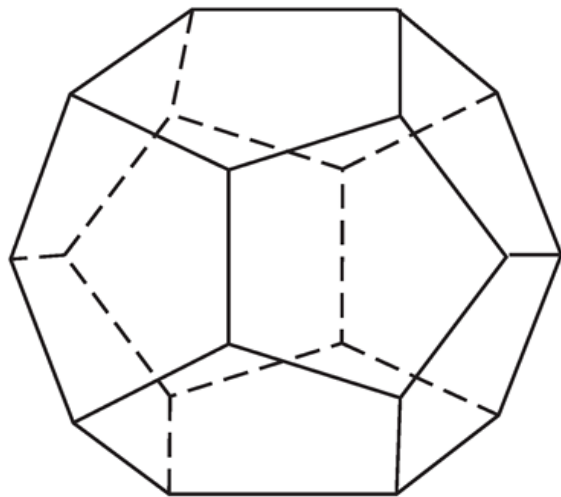
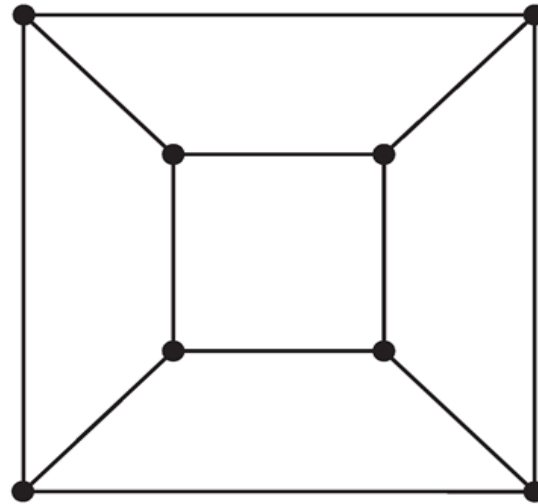
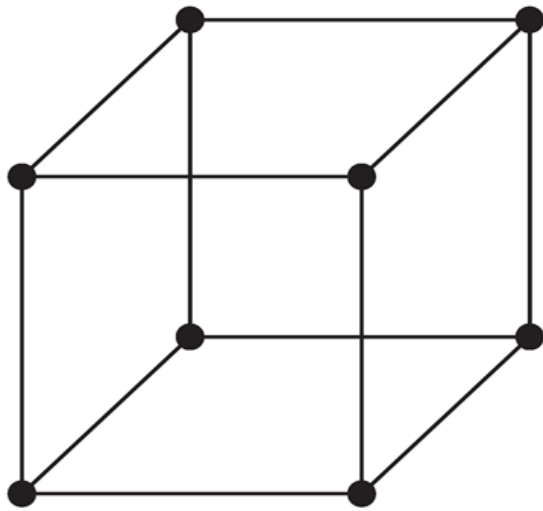
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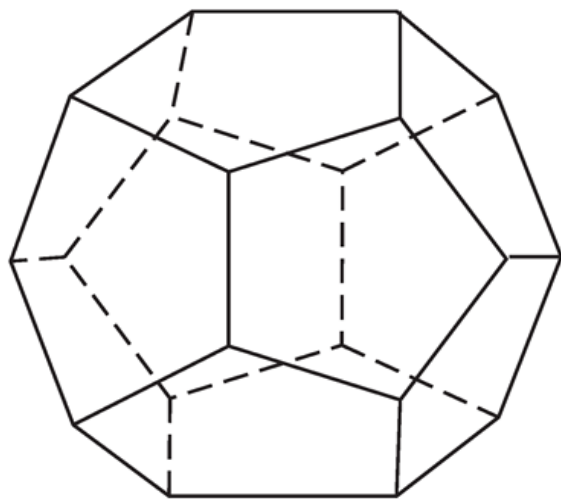
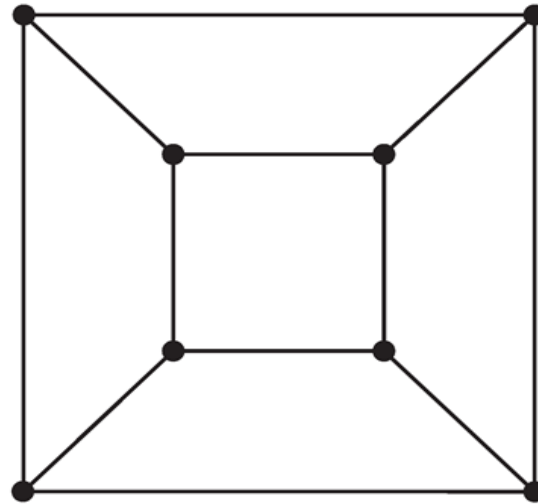
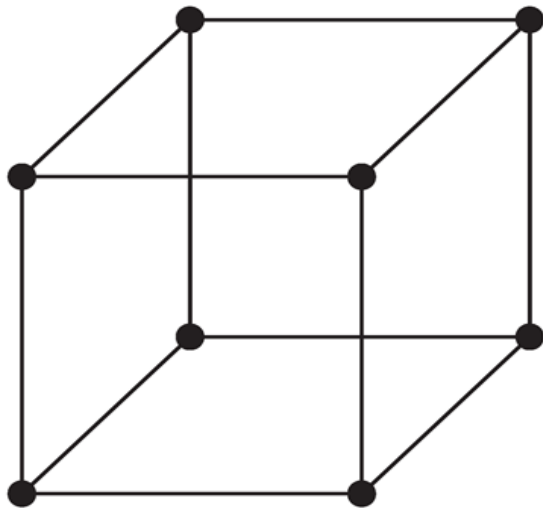
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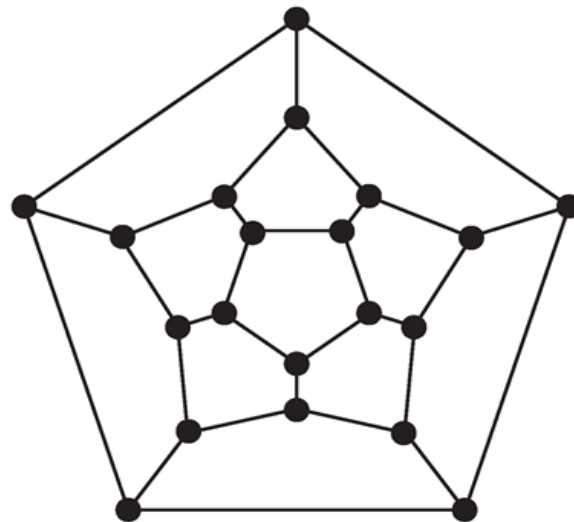
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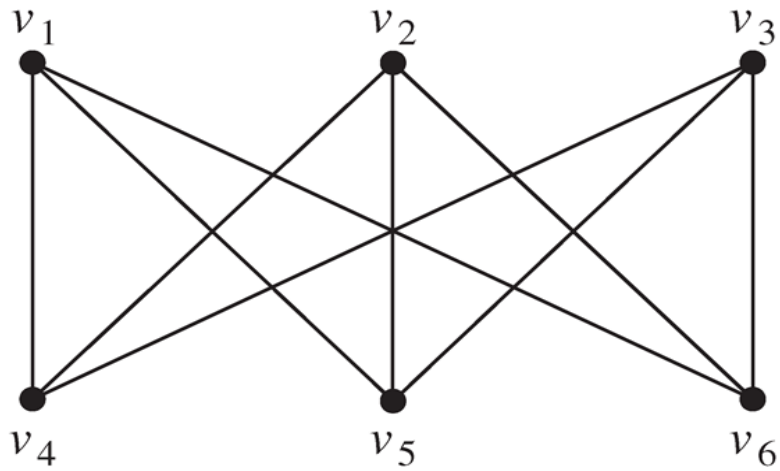
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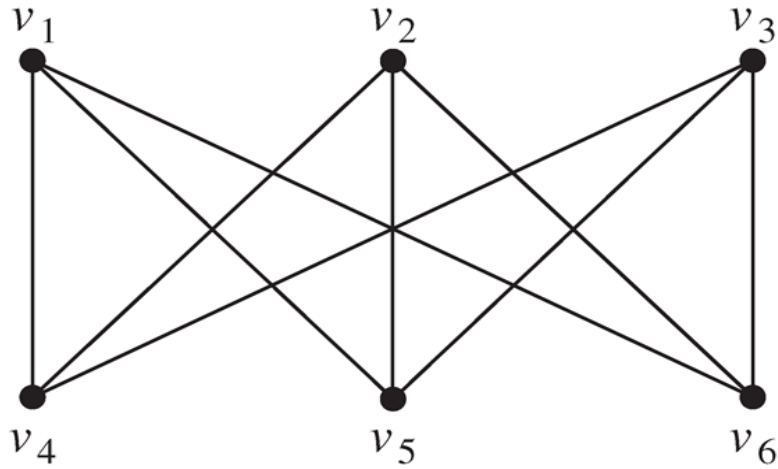
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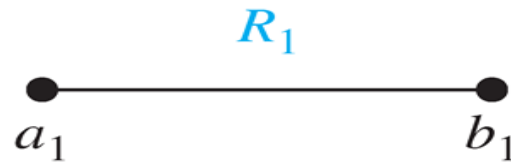


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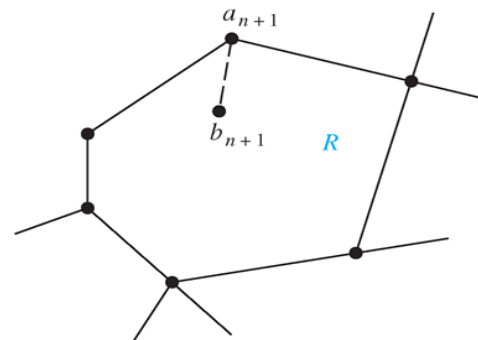
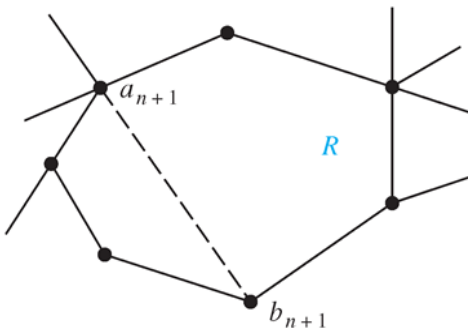
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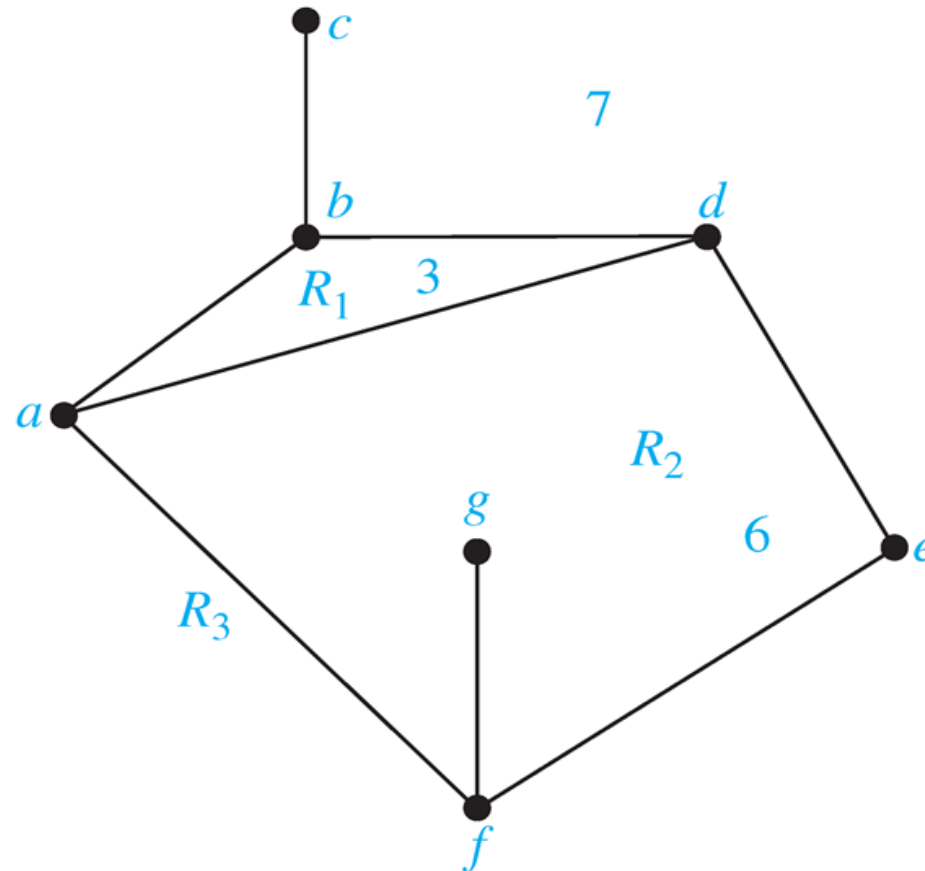
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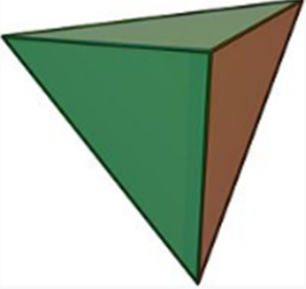
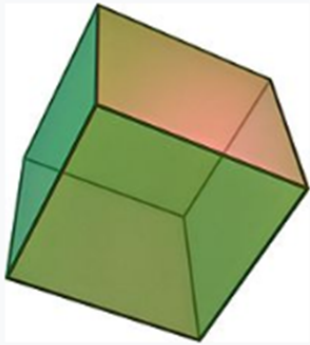
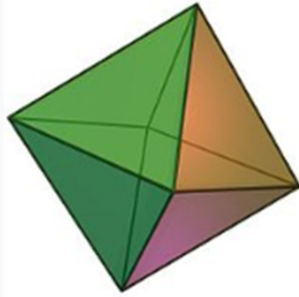
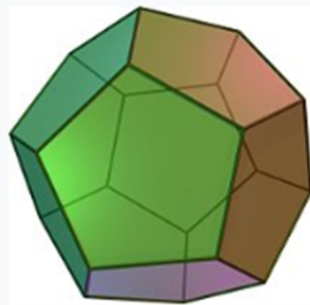
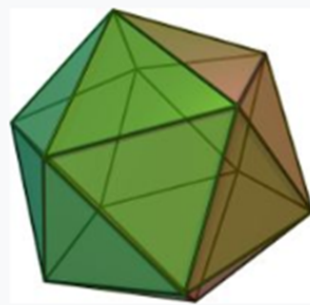
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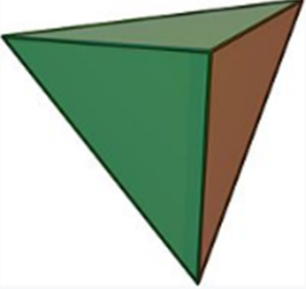
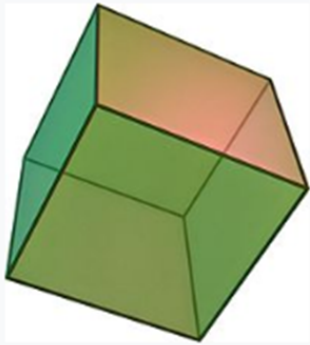
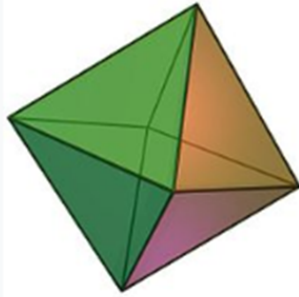
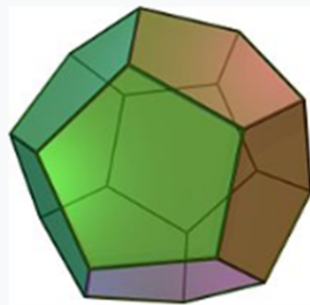
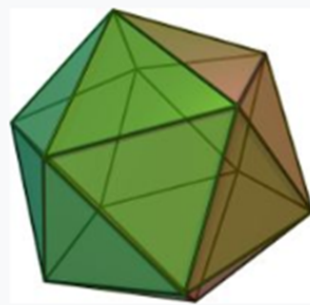
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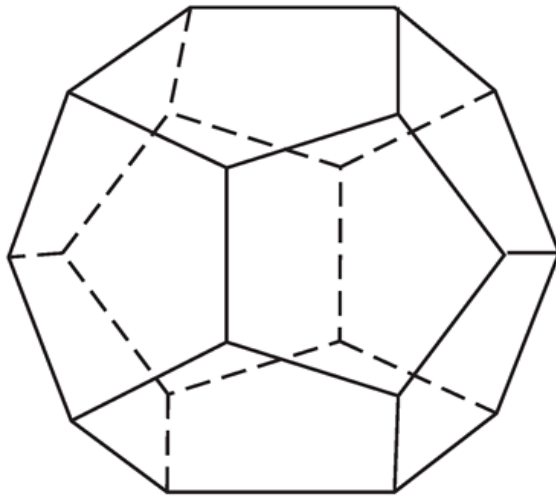


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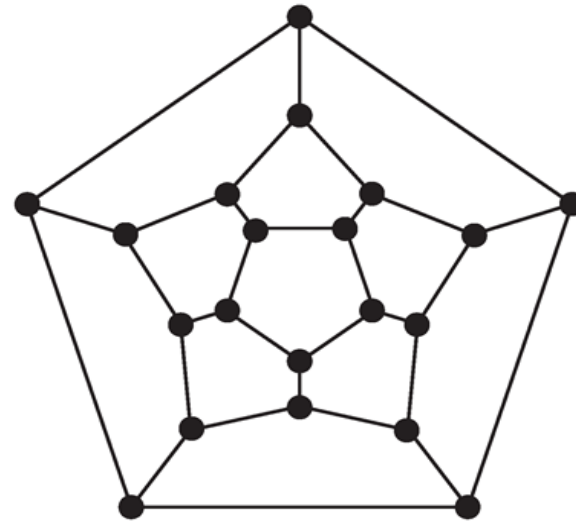
				
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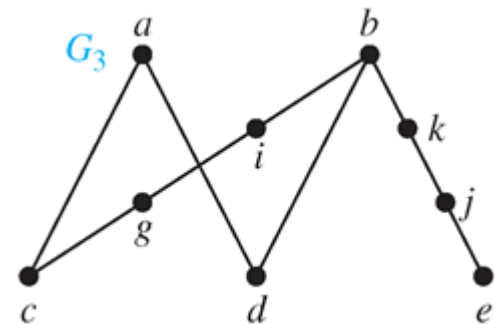
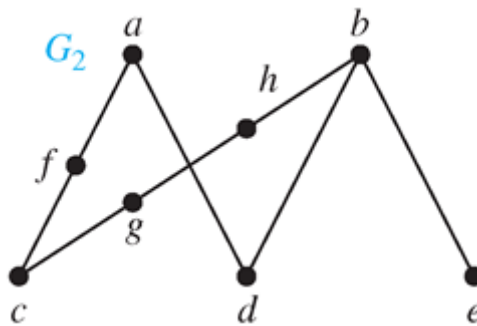
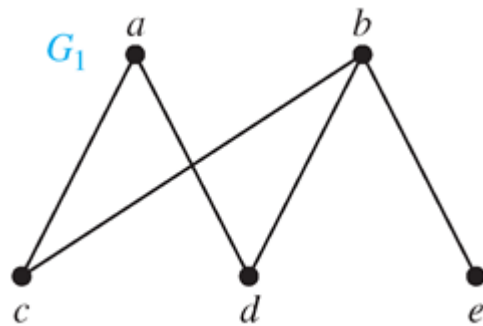
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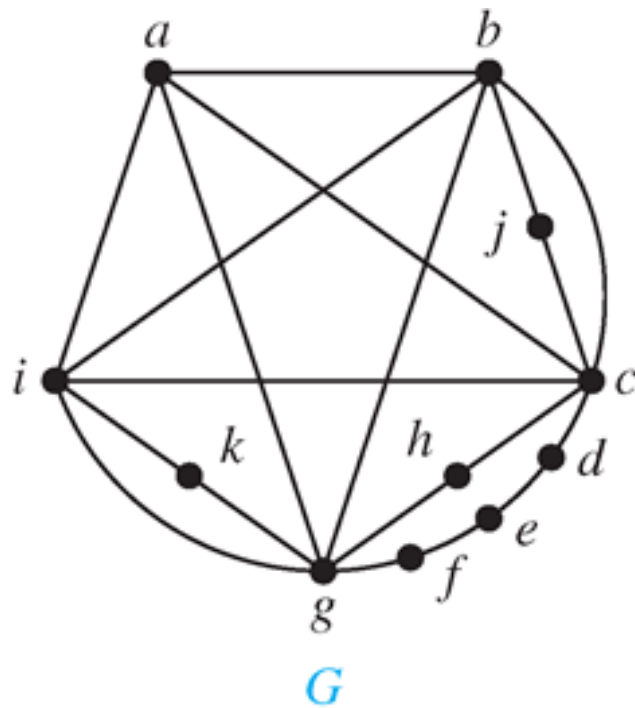
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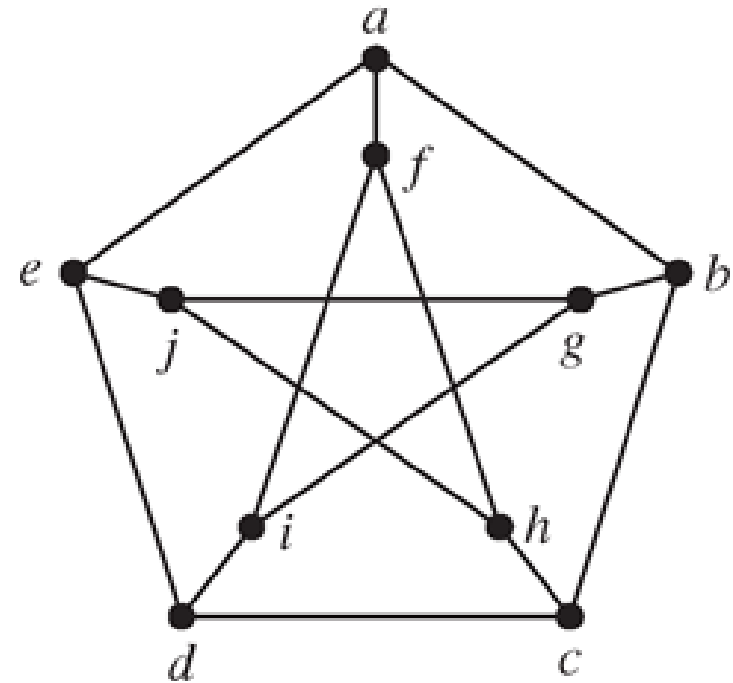
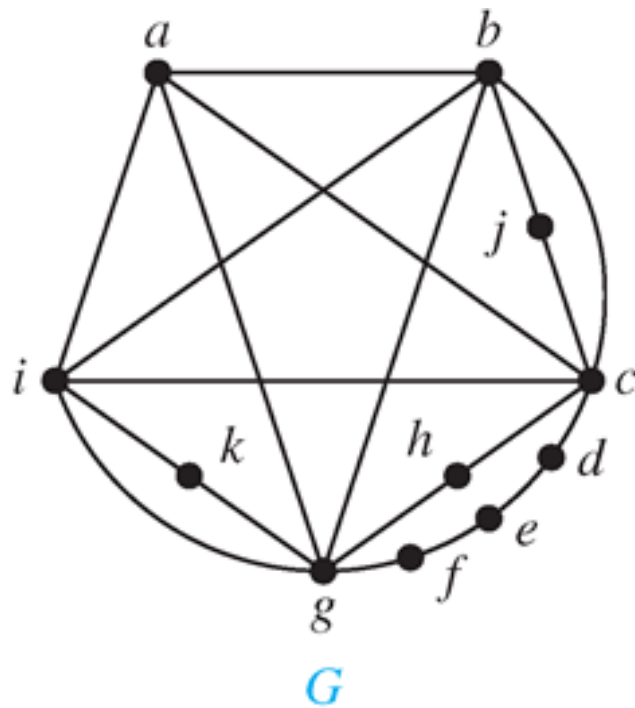
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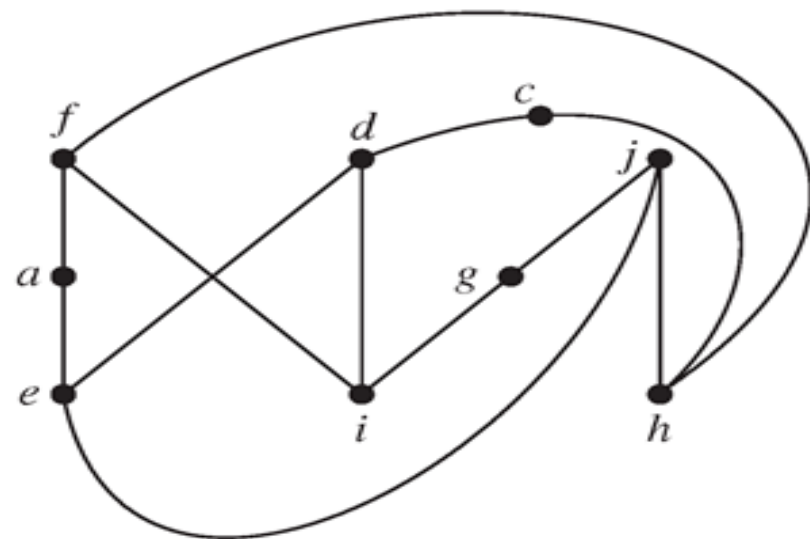
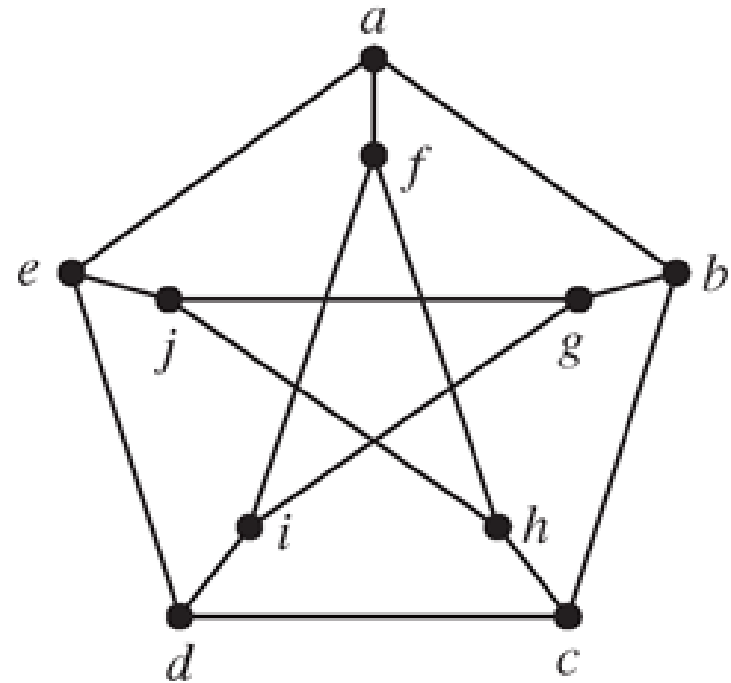
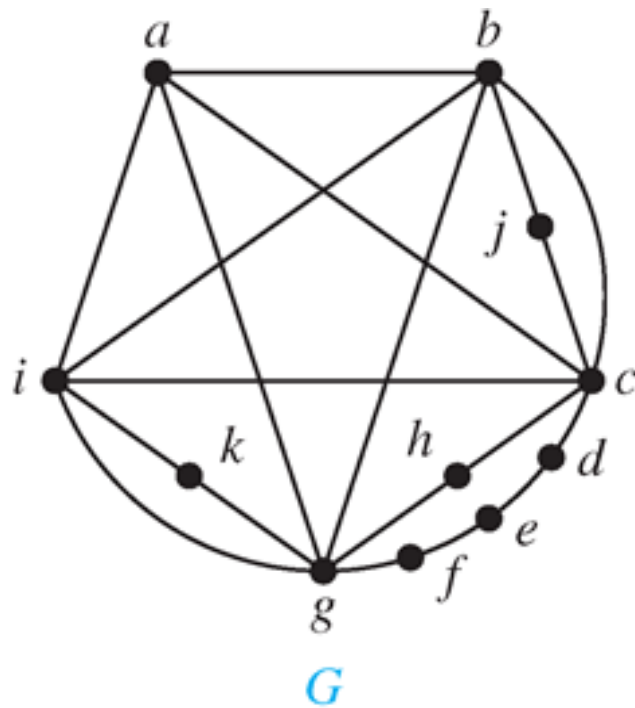
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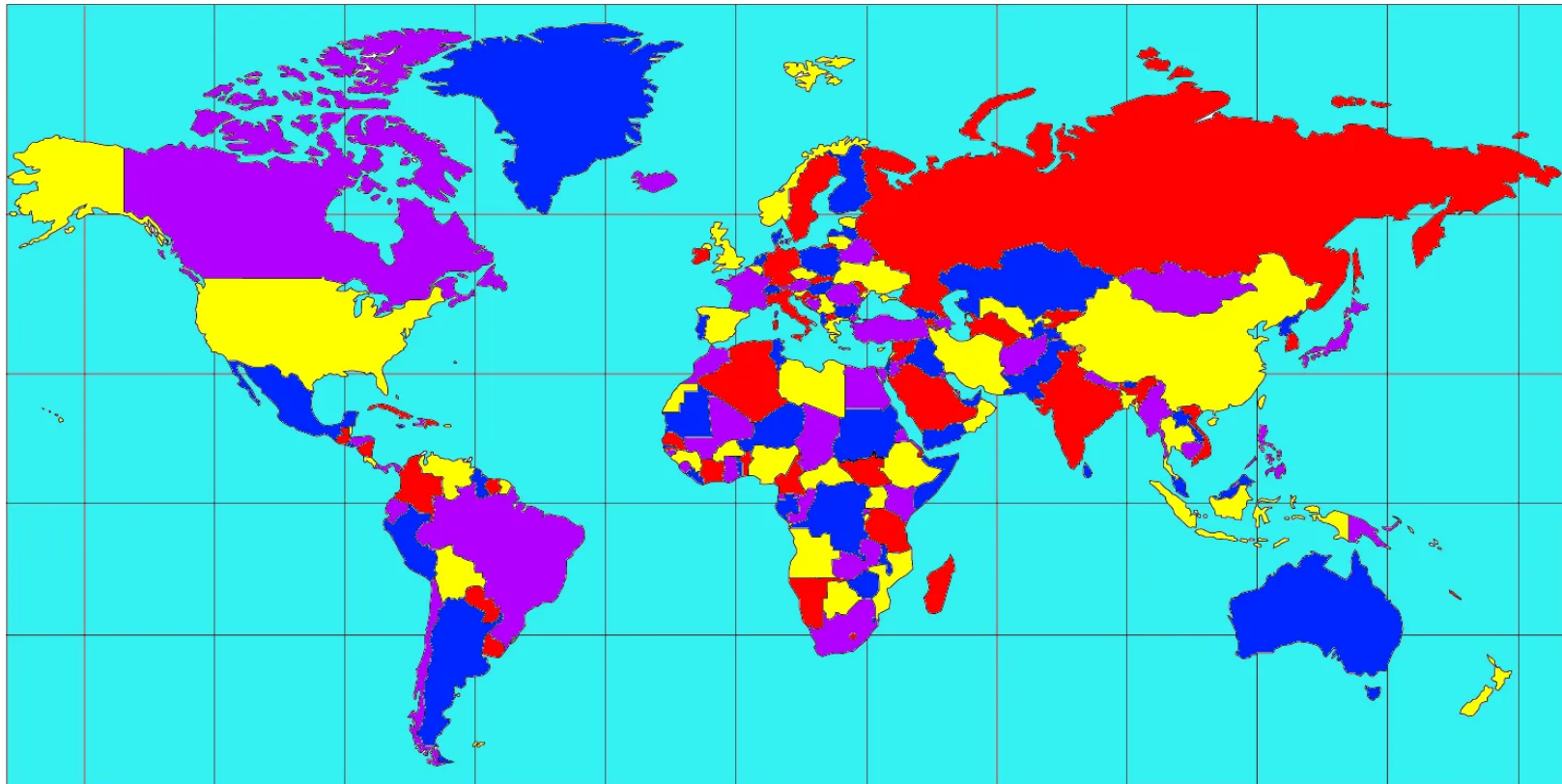


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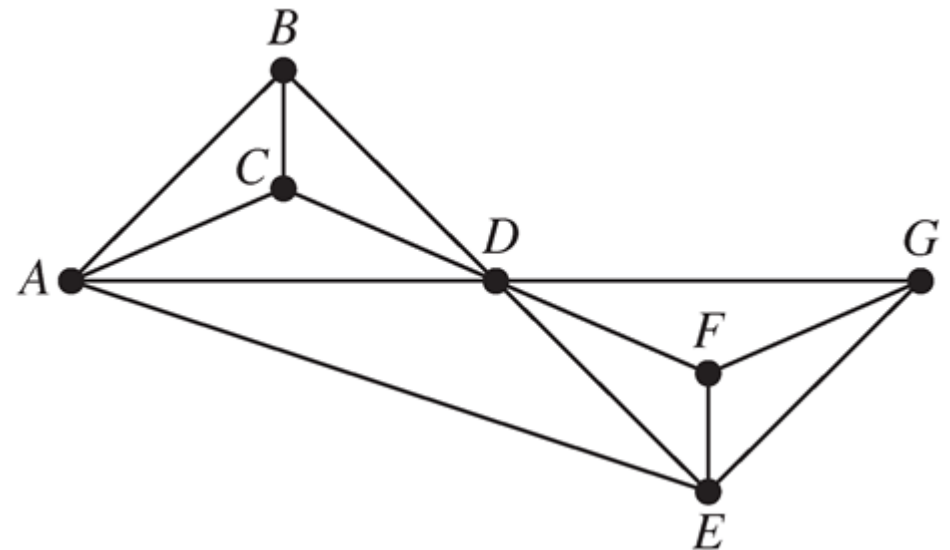
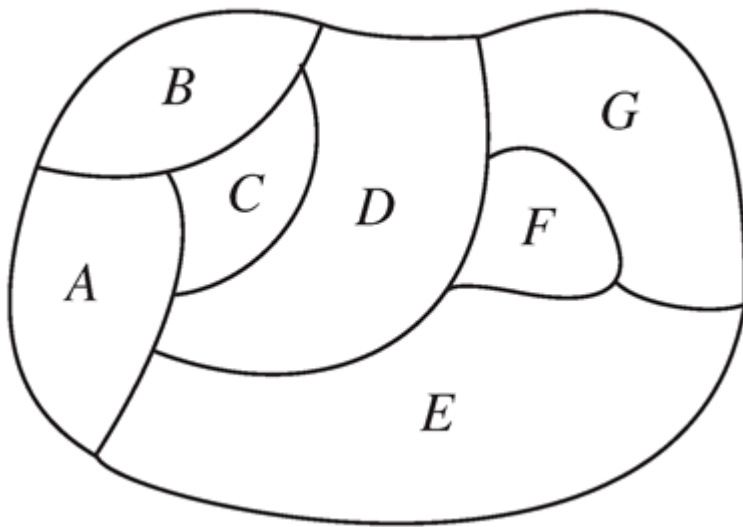
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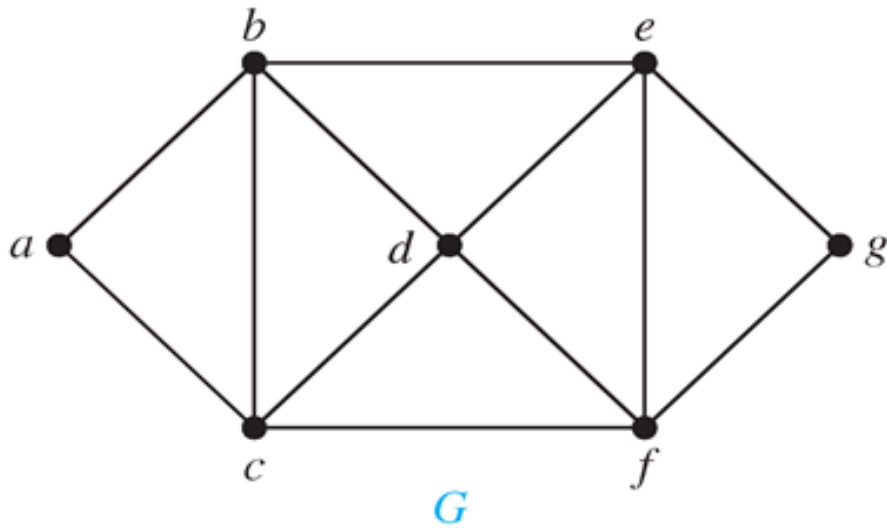
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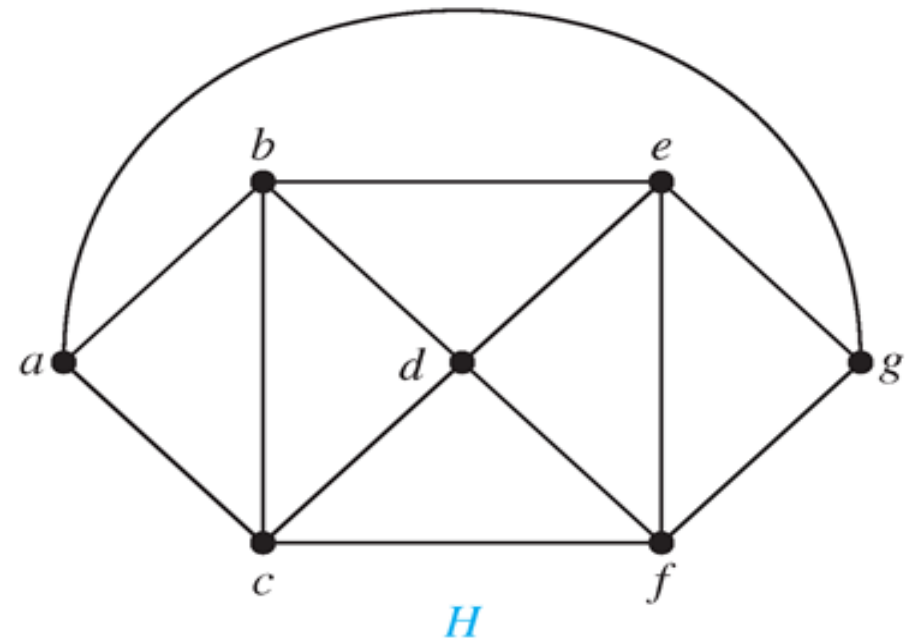
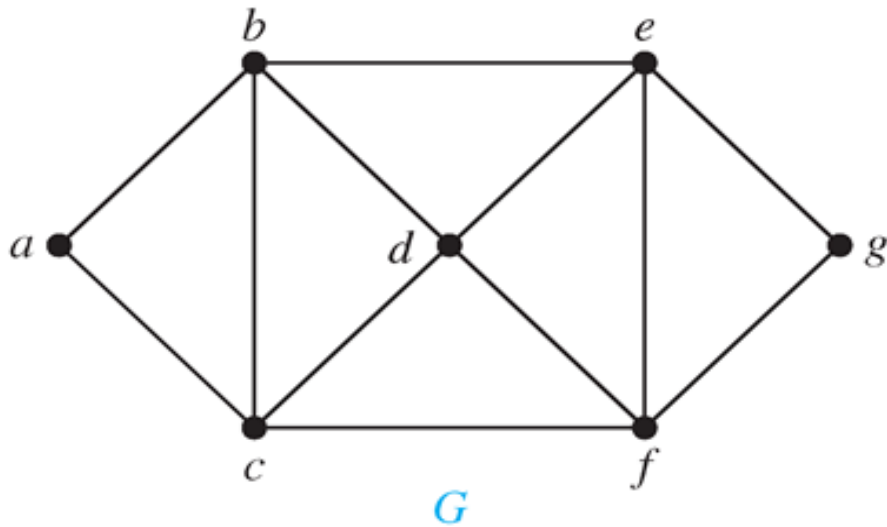
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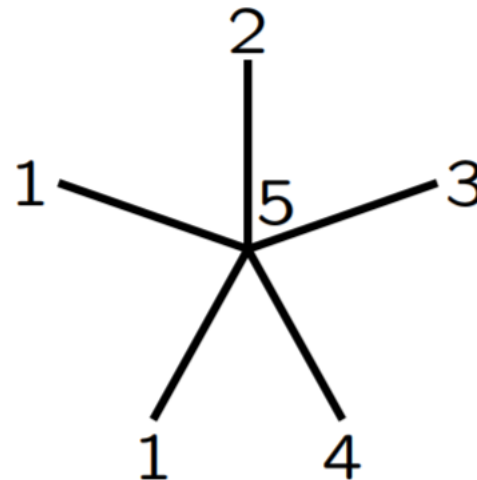
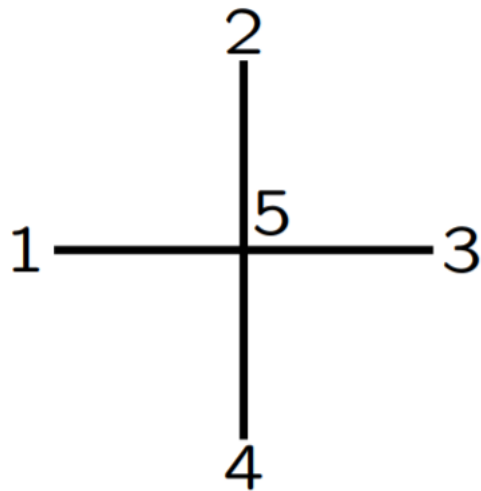
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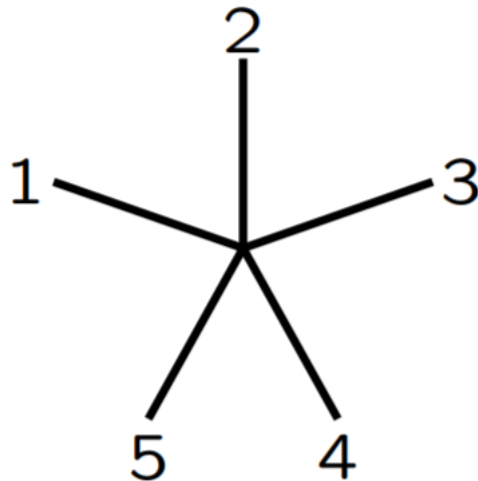


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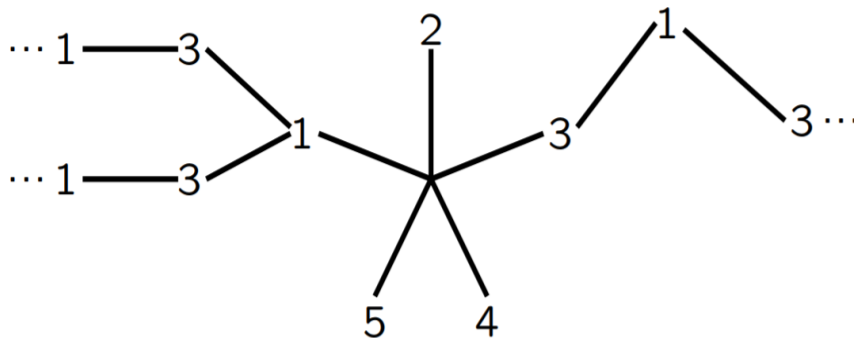


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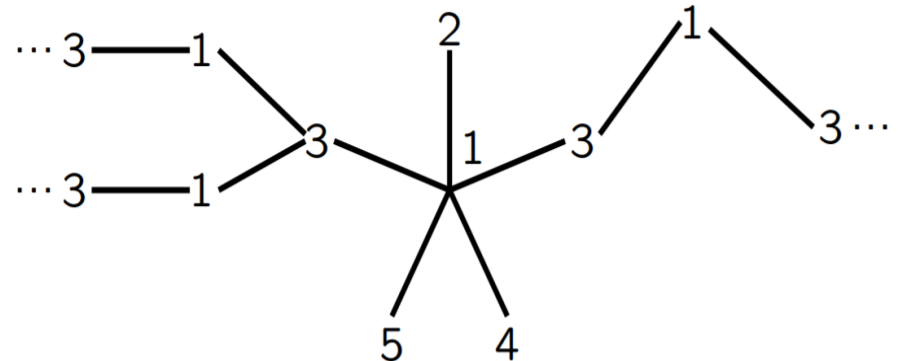
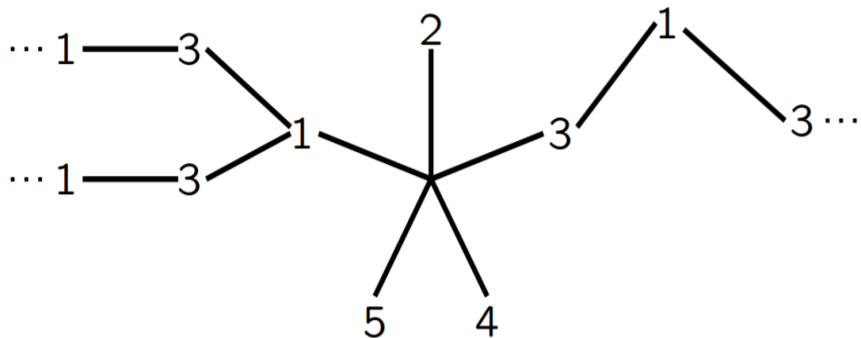


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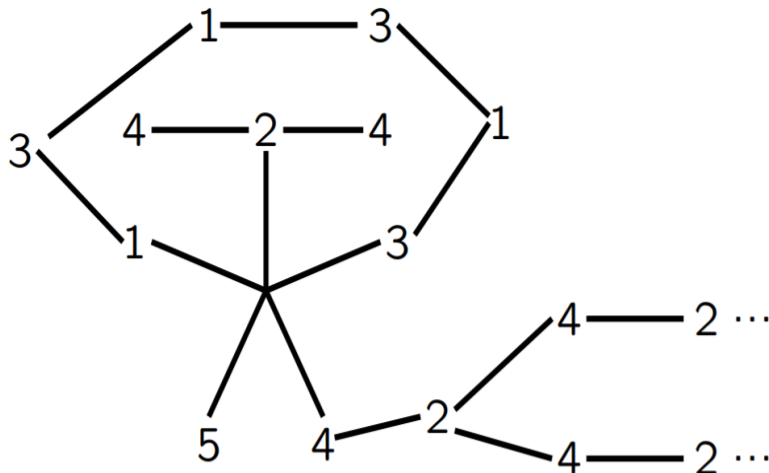


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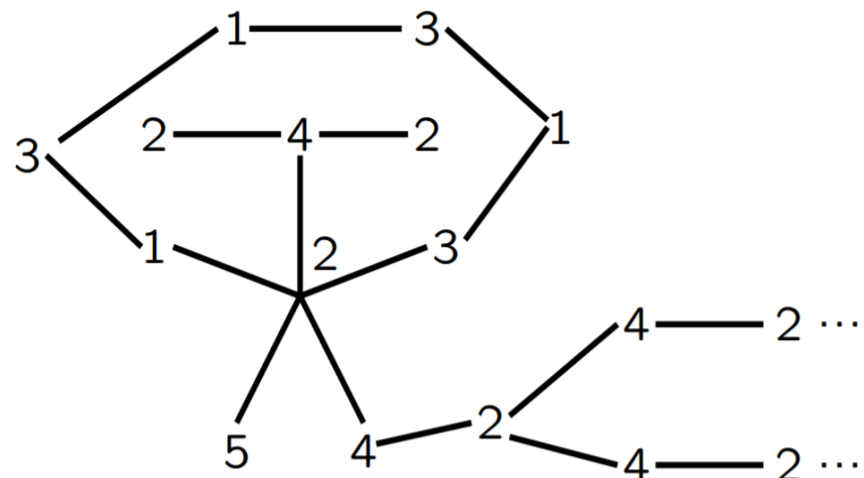
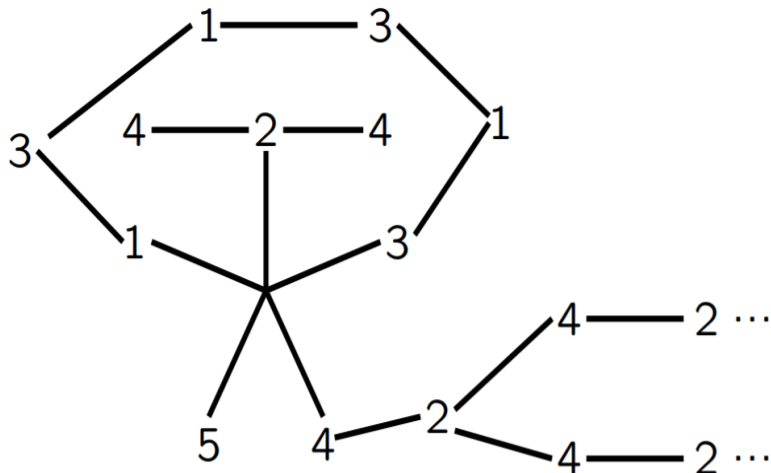


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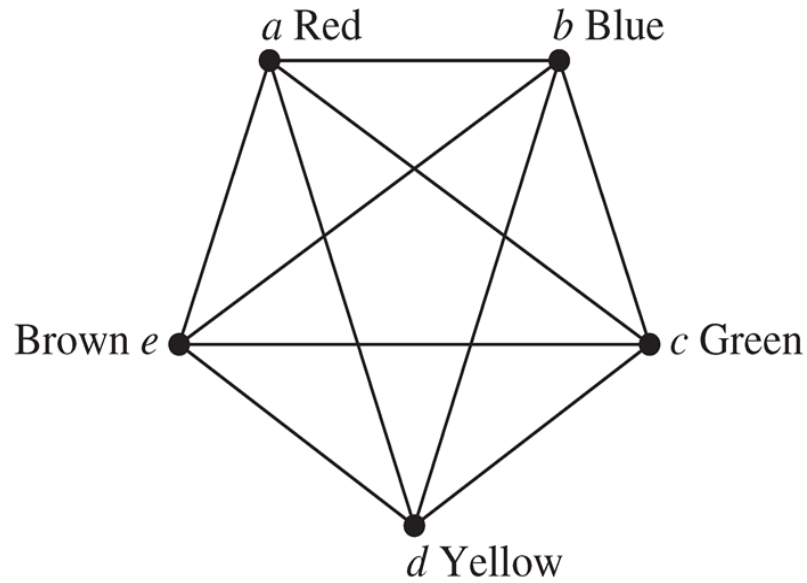
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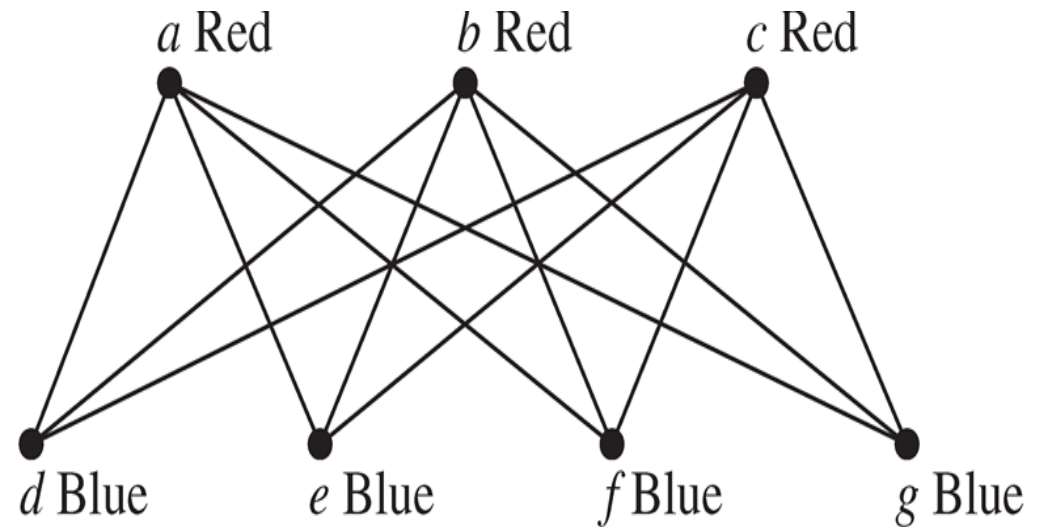
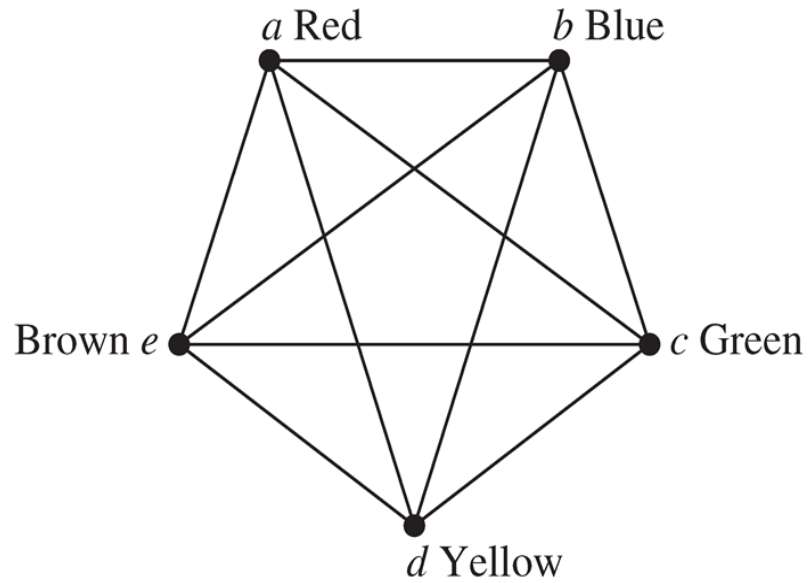
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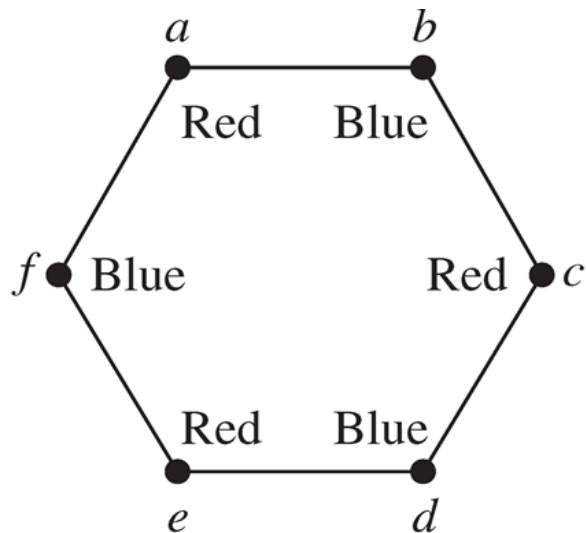
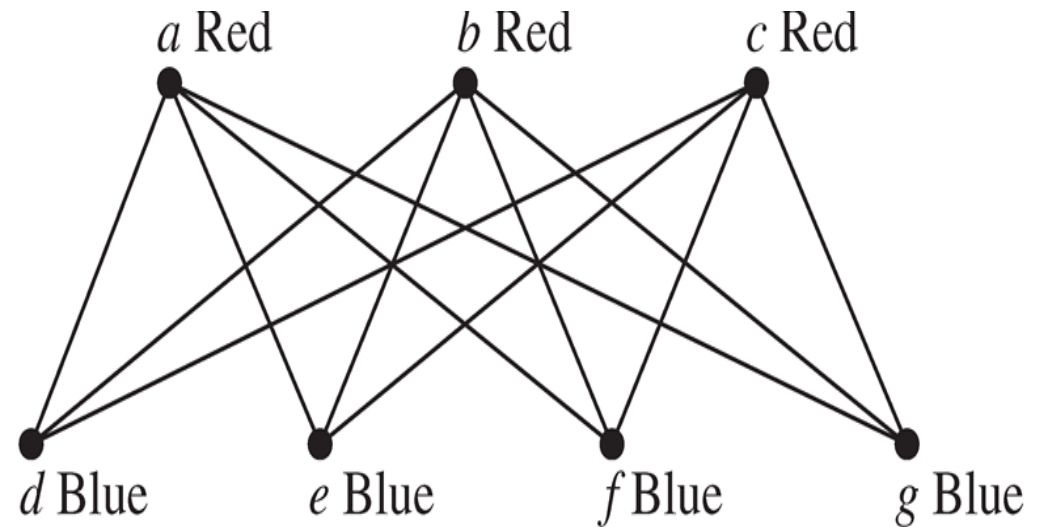
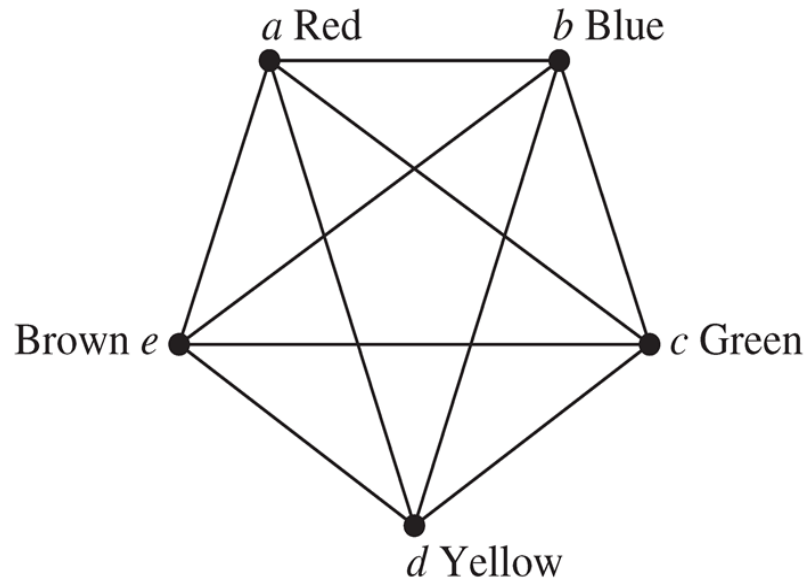
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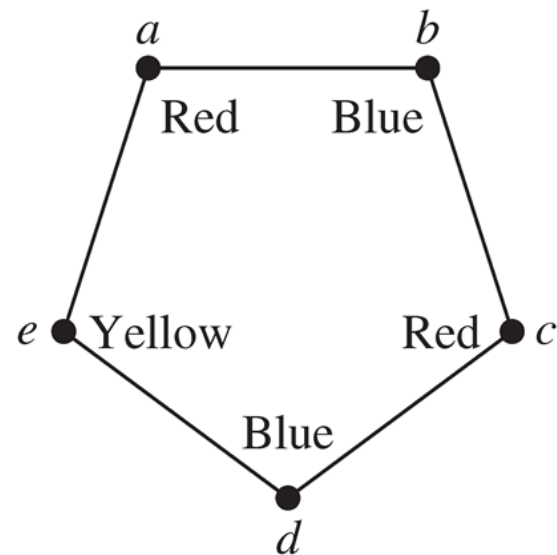
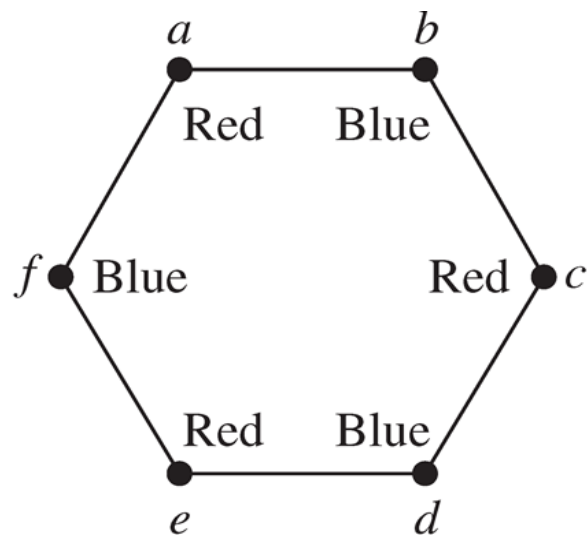
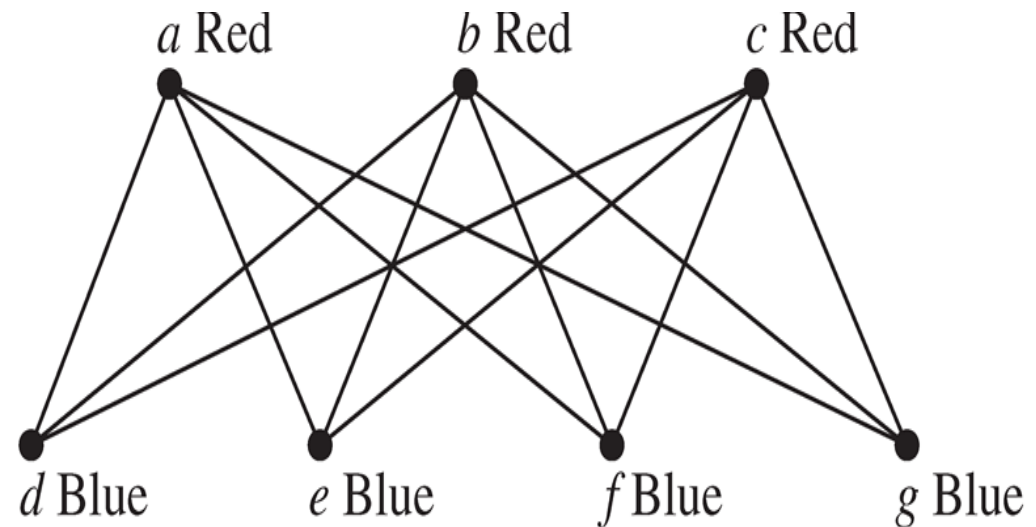
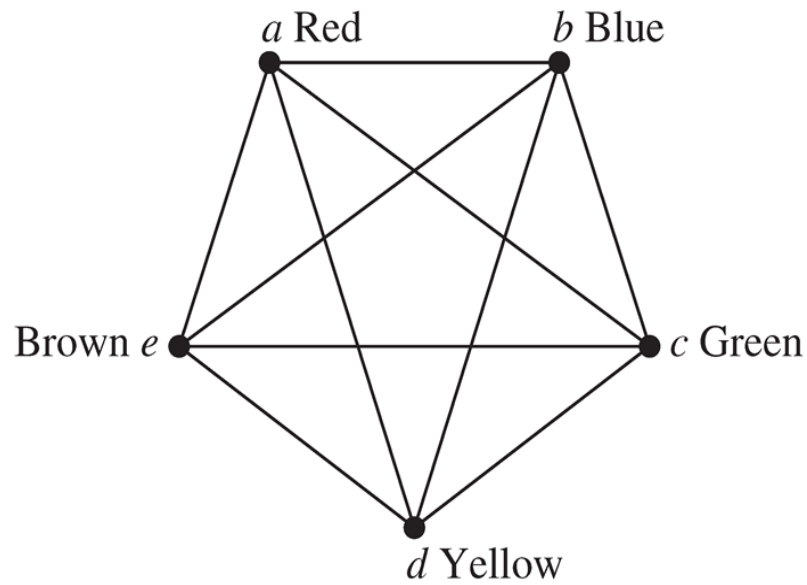
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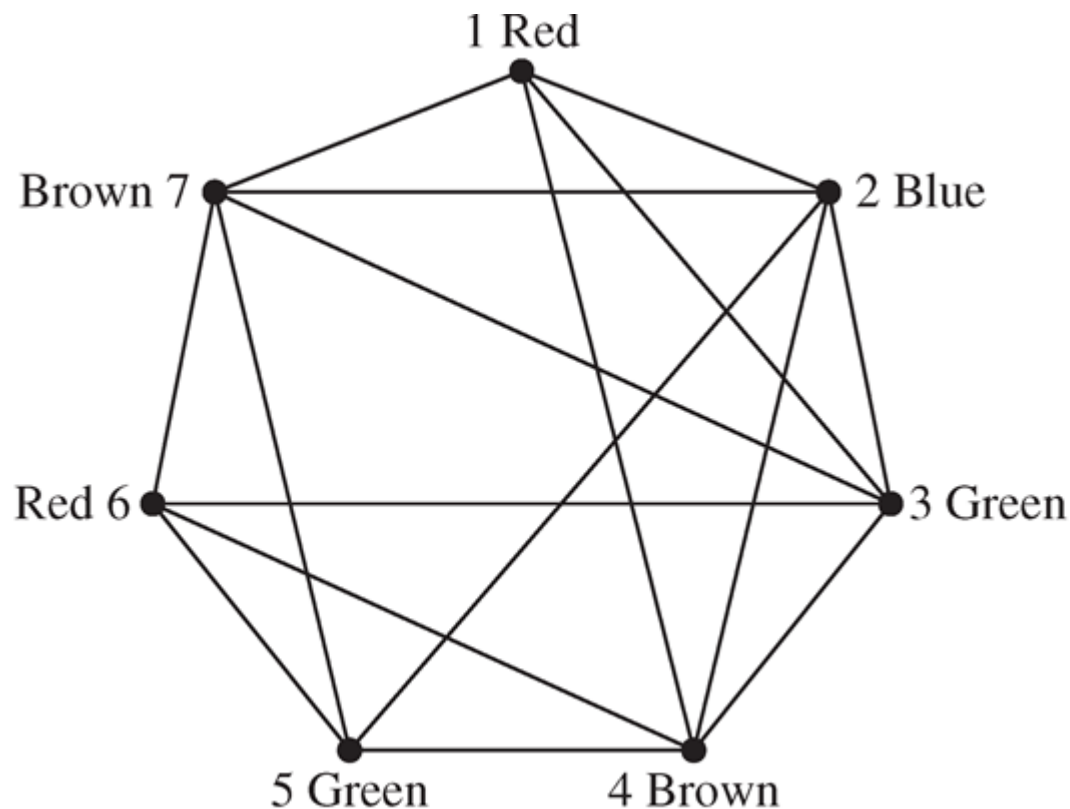
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I

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1, 6

II

2

III

3, 5

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