

- 1.1.1. Seven students go on vacations. They decide that each will send a postcard to three of the others. Is it possible that every student receives postcards from precisely the three to whom he sent postcards?
- 1.1.2. a. Prove that for every even number $n \geq 4$ there exists a graph with n vertices, all of which have degree 3, without using Theorem 1.1.2.
- b. Prove that for every odd number $n \geq 5$ there exists a graph with $n+1$ vertices such that exactly n vertices have degree 3.
- 1.1.3. Prove that for every number $n \geq 5$ there exists a graph with n vertices, all of which have degree 4.

1.1.5. Show that in a graph the number of vertices of odd degree is even.

1.1.9. Draw a graph with degree sequence

a) $(4, 3, 2, 2, 1)$

b) $(4, 3, 3, 3, 1)$.

1.1.11. Draw a graph with eight vertices, four of which have degree 4 and four of which have degree 3.

- 1.2.1. Find a graph with five vertices and with exactly
 - a. one cycle
 - b. three cycles
 - c. six cycles.
- 1.2.2. Find a graph with five vertices and exactly 22 cycles.
- 1.2.3. Find a graph with five vertices and exactly 13 cycles.
- 1.2.4. Find a graph G with six vertices and seven edges such that G does not contain a subgraph isomorphic to C_4 . (There are several solutions.)
- 1.2.5. Find a graph G with $p = 6$ and $q = 12$ such that G has no subgraph isomorphic to K_4 .
- ~~1.2.6. How would you communicate the graph of Figure 1.2.6 over the telephone?~~
- 1.2.7. Prove that the two graphs in Figure 1.2.6 are isomorphic.
- 1.2.8. Consider the graphs in Figure 1.2.4. Are any two of them isomorphic? Prove that your answer is correct.

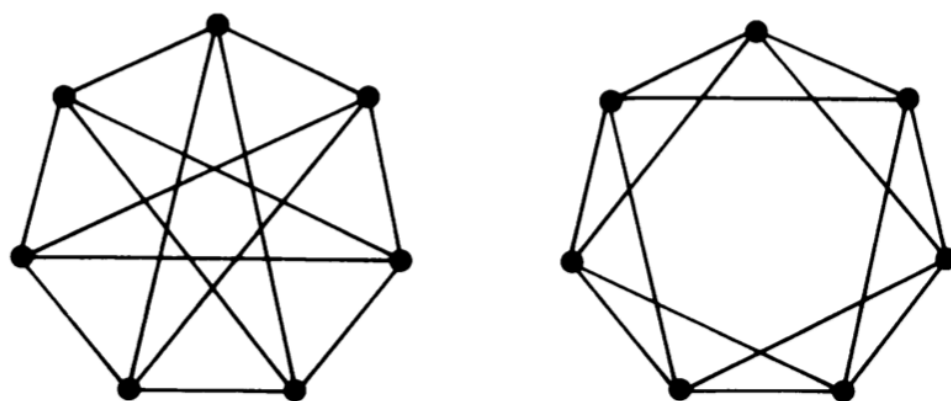


Figure 1.2.6

- 1.2.9. Are any two of the graphs in Figure 1.2.7 isomorphic? Prove that your answer is correct.

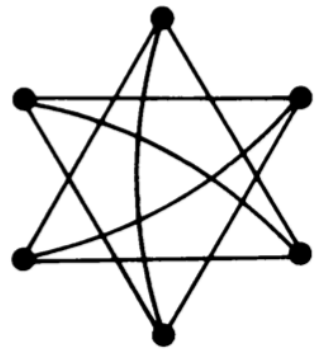
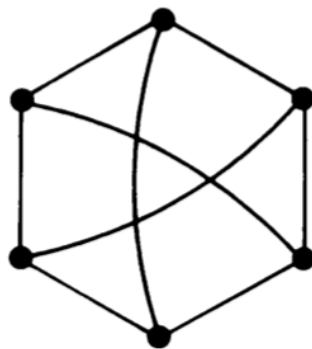
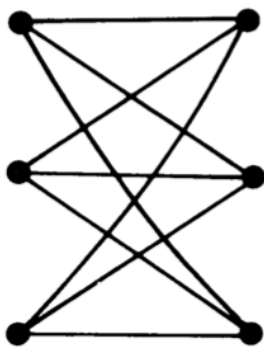


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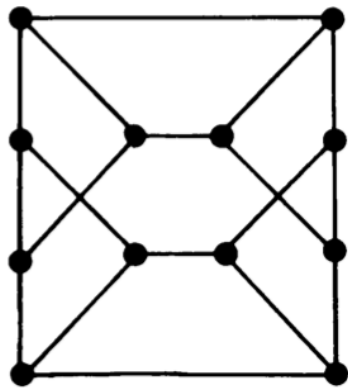
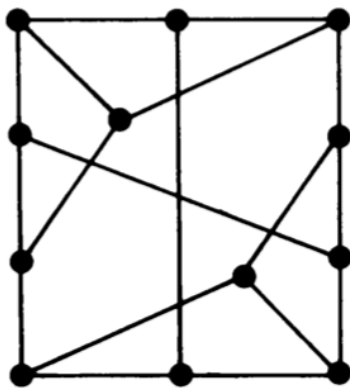
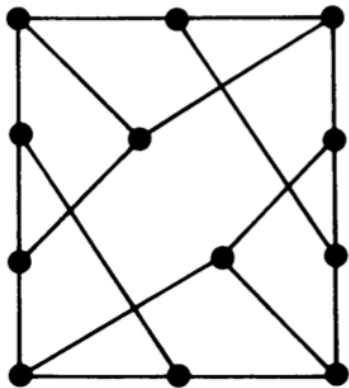


Figure 1.2.7

- 1.3.1. Let T be a tree with vertices of degree only 3 or 1. If T has 10 vertices of degree 3, how many vertices of degree 1 are in T ?
- 1.3.2. Let G be a connected graph with n vertices and n edges. How many cycles does G have?