

Discrete Mathematics Exercise 13

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1. Solution:

Graph	Directed/Undirected Edges	Multiple Edges or not	Loops or not	Type
3	Undirected	No	No	Simple Graph
5	Undirected	Yes	Yes	Pseudograph
7	Directed	No	Yes	Directed Graph
9	Directed	Yes	Yes	Directed Multigraph

2. Solution:

Graph 1) has 6 vertices and 6 edges.

In graph 1), $\deg(a) = 2, \deg(b) = 4, \deg(c) = 1, \deg(d) = 0, \deg(e) = 2, \deg(f) = 3$.

Graph 2) has 5 vertices and 13 edges.

In graph 2), $\deg(a) = 6, \deg(b) = 6, \deg(c) = 6, \deg(d) = 5, \deg(e) = 3$.

3. Solution:

The graph has 4 vertices and 8 edges.

$\deg^-(a) = 2, \deg^-(b) = 3, \deg^-(c) = 2, \deg^-(d) = 1$.

$\deg^+(a) = 2, \deg^+(b) = 4, \deg^+(c) = 1, \deg^+(d) = 1$.

4. Solution:

21) There exists a partition $(\{a, b, c, d\}, \{e\})$ such that when you assign red to a, b, c, d and blue to e , no two adjacent vertices are assigned the same color.

Thus, **graph 21)** is bipartite.

24) There exists a partition $(\{a, c, e\}, \{b, d, f\})$ such that when you assign red to a, c, e and blue to b, d, f , no two adjacent vertices are assigned the same color.

Thus, **graph 24)** is bipartite.

5. Proof:

We can construct a graph G , in which vertices represent men and women and two vertices u, v are adjacent if and only if u is willing to marry v .

Then every vertex in G is adjacent with exactly k vertices since every man is willing to marry exactly k of the women and every woman is willing to marry exactly k of the men.

Since a man is willing to marry a woman if and only if she is willing to marry him, we know every edge in G is undirected.

Thus, G is an undirected graph.

Obviously, (in the exercise) a man is not willing to marry another man and a woman is not willing to marry another woman, i.e. exists a partition $\{M, W\}$ in which M includes all vertices representing men and W includes all vertices representing women and when you assign red to all vertices in M and blue to all vertices in W , no two adjacent vertices are assigned the same color.

Thus, G is a bipartite graph and $\{M, W\}$ is a bipartition.

Firstly, we prove $|M| = |W|$.

Let $n = |M|$.

Since G is a bipartite graph with a bipartition $\{M, W\}$ and every vertex in G is incident with k edges, we know there exist nk edges connecting vertices in M and vertices in W .

Considering every vertex in G is incident with k edges and every vertex from W is only adjacent to vertices from M , we know $|W| = nk/k = n = |M|$.

Now, we prove that for all $A \subseteq M$, $|A| \leq |\mathcal{N}(A)|$ holds.

We prove it by contradiction.

Suppose exists some $X \subseteq M$ s.t. $|X| > |\mathcal{N}(X)|$.

We can find an A s.t. $\forall X \subseteq M ((|X| > |\mathcal{N}(X)|) \rightarrow A \subseteq X)$. (※)

Since $\mathcal{N}(u) \subseteq \mathcal{N}(A)$, $|\mathcal{N}(A)| \geq |\mathcal{N}(u)| = k$.

Thus, $|A| > |\mathcal{N}(A)| \geq k$, i.e. $|A| \geq k + 1$.

From (※) we know for any $u \in A$, $|A \setminus \{u\}| \leq |\mathcal{N}(A \setminus \{u\})|$, i.e. $|A| - 1 \leq |\mathcal{N}(A \setminus \{u\})|$.

Since $\mathcal{N}(A \setminus \{u\}) \subseteq \mathcal{N}(A)$, $|\mathcal{N}(A)| \geq |\mathcal{N}(A \setminus \{u\})| \geq |A| - 1$.

Meanwhile, $|A| > |\mathcal{N}(A)|$.

Thus, $|\mathcal{N}(A)| = |A| - 1$.

Then there exist $|A|k$ edges connecting vertices from A and vertices from $\mathcal{N}(A)$.

Considering every vertex in $\mathcal{N}(A)$ is adjacent to at most k vertices in A , by pigeonhole principle, since $|A|k - |\mathcal{N}(A)|k = k > 0$, there exist at least one vertex with more than k adjacent vertices. **Contradiction.**

Thus, for all $A \subseteq M$, $|A| \leq |\mathcal{N}(A)|$ holds.

By Hall's Theorem, we know there exist a complete matching \mathcal{M} from M to W .

Knowing $|M| = |W|$, \mathcal{M} is also a complete matching from W to M .

Therefore, there exists a matching that everyone is matched with someone that they are willing to marry.

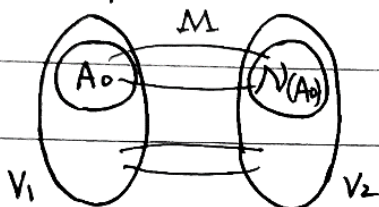
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6. Proof: Let $a = \max_{A \subseteq A_1} \text{def}(A)$ and $\text{def}(A_0) = a$, i.e. $|A_0| - |\mathcal{N}(A_0)| = a$.

Let $n(A)$ represents the number of ~~vertices~~ vertices of A ($A \subseteq V_1$) that are endpoints of a matching M of G .

First, we prove that $n(V_1) \leq |V_1| - a = |V_1| - |A_0| + |\mathcal{N}(A_0)|$.



Obviously, $n(A_0) \leq \min\{|A_0|, |\mathcal{N}(A_0)|\}$

$$n(V_1 \setminus A_0) \leq |V_1 \setminus A_0| = |V_1| - |A_0|$$

(Since it is a matching)

$$\text{Thus, } n(V_1) = n(A_0) + n(V_1 \setminus A_0) \leq |\mathcal{N}(A_0)| + |V_1| - |A_0|.$$

Then we prove there exists a matching M_0 s.t. $n(V_1) = |V_1| - |A_0| + |N(A_0)|$

We add ^{new} vertices to V_2 and connect all of them to all vertices in V_1 , and we get a new graph H , which is still a bipartite graph with a bipartition (V_1, V_2') .

Thus, for any $A \subseteq V_1$, $|N_H(A)| = |N_G(A)| + a = |N_G(A)| + |A_0| - |N_G(A_0)|$

$$\therefore |A| - |N_G(A)| \leq |A_0| - |N_G(A_0)| \quad \therefore |N_H(A)| \geq |A|.$$

By Hall's Marriage Theorem, there exists a complete matching M from V_1 to V_2' .

Now we prove all the new vertices we added, i.e. the vertices from $V_2' \setminus V_2$, are endpoints of the matching M by contradiction.

If exists $u \in V_2' \setminus V_2$ and u is not an endpoint of the matching M .

Then the matching M is also a complete matching from V_1 to $V_2' \setminus \{u\}$.

~~By Hall's Marriage Theorem, we know for any $A \subseteq V_1$, $|N_H(A)| \geq |A|$~~

Let H with the vertex u and its incident edges deleted be H' .

By Hall's Marriage Theorem, we know for any $A \subseteq V_1$, $|N_{H'}(A)| \geq |A|$.

$$\text{Nevertheless, for } A_0 \subseteq V_1, |N_{H'}(A_0)| = |N_H(A_0)| - 1 = |N_G(A_0)| + |A_0| - |N_G(A_0)| - 1 \\ = |A_0| - 1 < |A_0|. \quad \boxed{\text{Contradiction!}}$$

Thus, $\text{Max } n(V_1) = |V_1| - |A_0| + |N(A_0)| = |V_1| - \text{Max}_{A \subseteq V_1} \text{def}(A)$.

In other words, the maximal number of vertices of V_1 that are endpoints of a matching of G equals $|V_1| - \text{Max}_{A \subseteq V_1} \text{def}(A)$.

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