

# 计算机问题求解 — 论题3-10

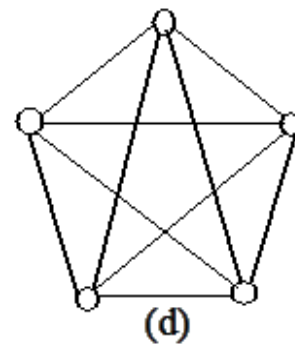
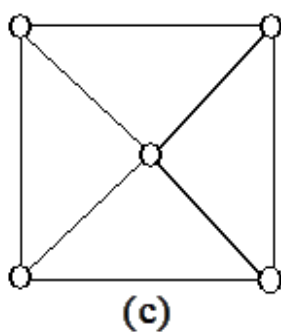
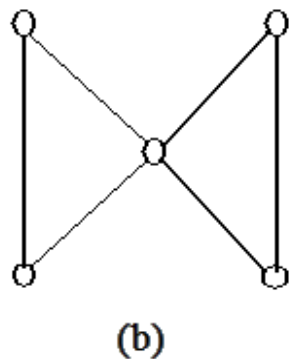
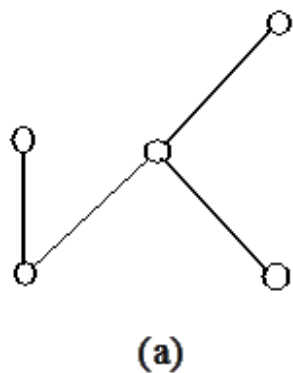
## - 图的连通度

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# 预习检查

- Whitney theorem then gives us an alternative method for determining the connectivity of a graph  $G$ . Not only is  $K(G)$  the minimum number of vertices whose removal from  $G$  results in a disconnected or trivial graph but  $K(G)$  is the maximum positive integer  $k$  for which every two vertices  $u$  and  $v$  in  $G$  are connected by  $k$  internally disjoint  $u - v$  paths in  $G$ .

# “连通”并不都是一样的



## 问题1:

你能否解释一下它们的“连通”  
怎么不一样？

割点、割边与回路

问题2:

衡量连通的“牢度”的指标是什么？

## 指标1: minimum vertex-cut

By a **vertex-cut** in a graph  $G$ , we mean a set  $U$  of vertices of  $G$  such that  $G - U$  is disconnected. A vertex-cut of minimum cardinality in  $G$  is called a **minimum vertex-cut**.

问题3:

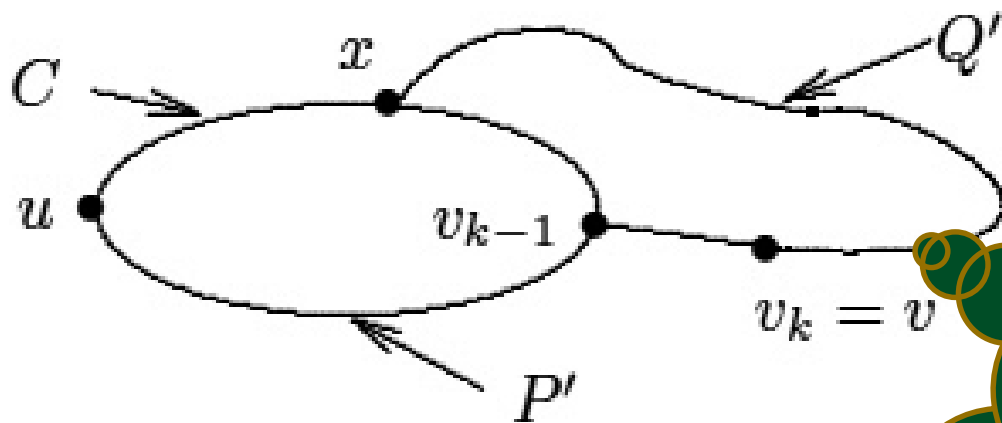
你能据此解释: 割点是什么?

Nonseparable graph是什么?

图的block是什么?

# 关于block的几个理解

**Theorem 5.7** *A graph of order at least 3 is nonseparable if and only if every two vertices lie on a common cycle.*



问题4：从这个定理及证明中能否看出，非分离图在表面上具有什么共性？

# 关于block的几个理解

A maximal nonseparable subgraph of a graph  $G$  is called a **block** of  $G$ .



极大还是  
最大?

# 关于block的几个理解

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**Theorem 5.8** *Let  $R$  be the relation defined on the edge set of a nontrivial connected graph  $G$  by  $e R f$ , where  $e, f \in E(G)$ , if  $e = f$  or  $e$  and  $f$  lie on a common cycle of  $G$ . Then  $R$  is an equivalence relation.*

用等价关系来描述边之间的关系，到底有何用意？

Each subgraph of  $G$  induced by the edges in an equivalence class is in fact a block of  $G$ .

问题6: Block的“极大”特性，是否能够被“等价类”保证？



# 问题7:

两个**block**的“边界”是什么？

**Corollary 5.9** *Every two distinct blocks  $B_1$  and  $B_2$  in a nontrivial connected graph  $G$  have the following properties:*

- (a) The blocks  $B_1$  and  $B_2$  are edge-disjoint.*
- (b) The blocks  $B_1$  and  $B_2$  have at most one vertex in common.*
- (c) If  $B_1$  and  $B_2$  have a vertex  $v$  in common, then  $v$  is a cut-vertex of  $G$ .*

## 问题8:

从一个 $k$ -连通图中删除 $k$ 个点，剩下的图是否一定不连通了？

是否存在一种方法，使得从一个 $k$ -连通图中删除 $k$ 个点，剩下的图是否一定不连通？

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问题9:

Block和2-连通图是什么  
关系?

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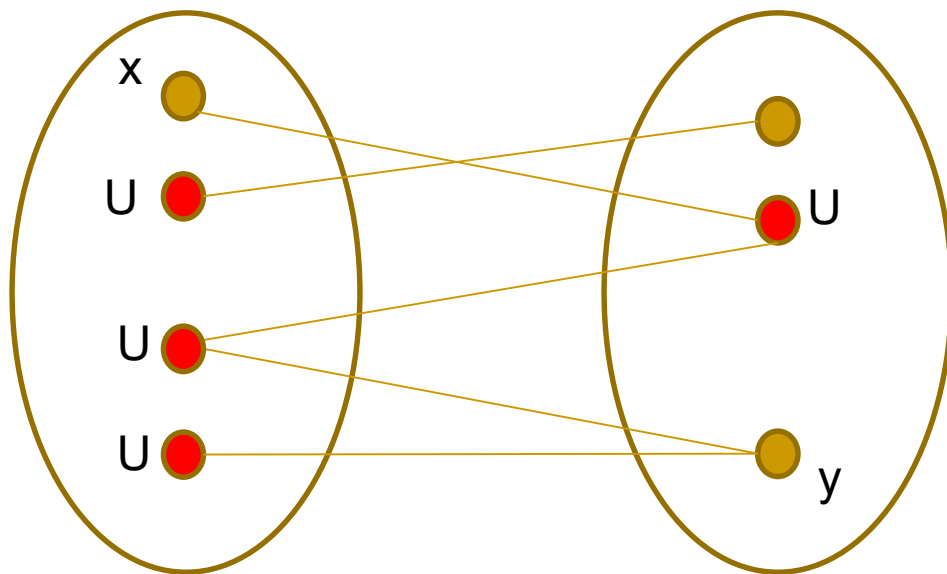
# 点连通度、边连通度与图的最小度

*Theorem 5.11 For every graph  $G$ ,*

(By Whitney)

$$\kappa(G) \leq \lambda(G) \leq \delta(G).$$

证明 $\kappa$ 小于等于 $\lambda$ 的case2的基本思路：在最小边割集的两侧选一对不直接相邻的点，考虑如何“切断”它们之间的通路。



$$\kappa(G) \leq |U| \leq |X| = \lambda(G).$$

# 点连通度和图的边点数关系

**Theorem 5.13** *If  $G$  is a graph of order  $n$  and size  $m \geq n - 1$ , then*

$$\kappa(G) \leq \left\lfloor \frac{2m}{n} \right\rfloor.$$

问题10： 如何理解下文中的bound？

The bound given in Theorem 5.13 is sharp in the sense that for every two integers  $n$  and  $m$  of a graph.

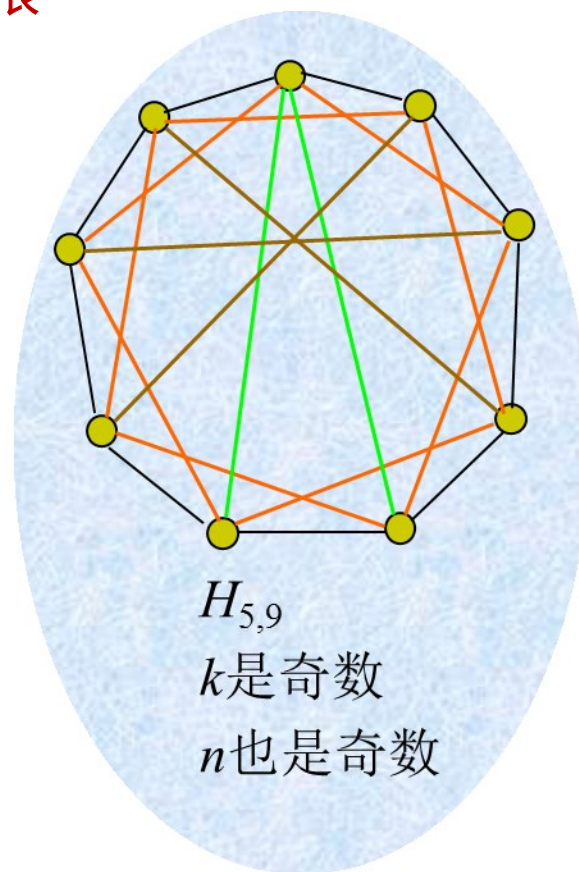
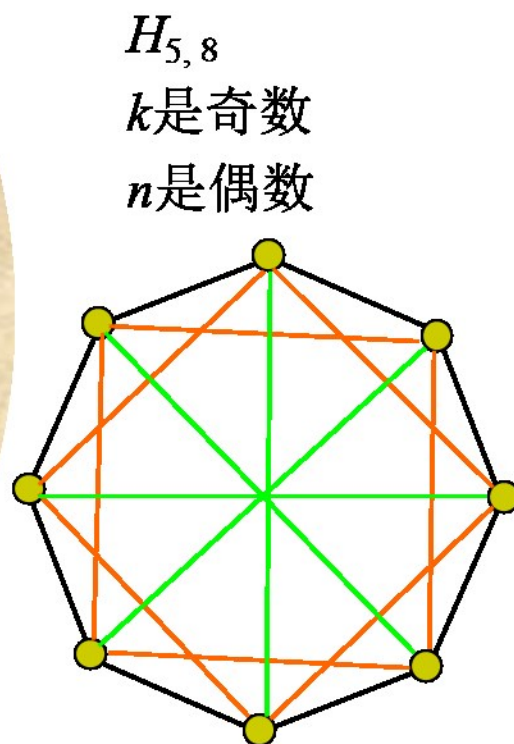
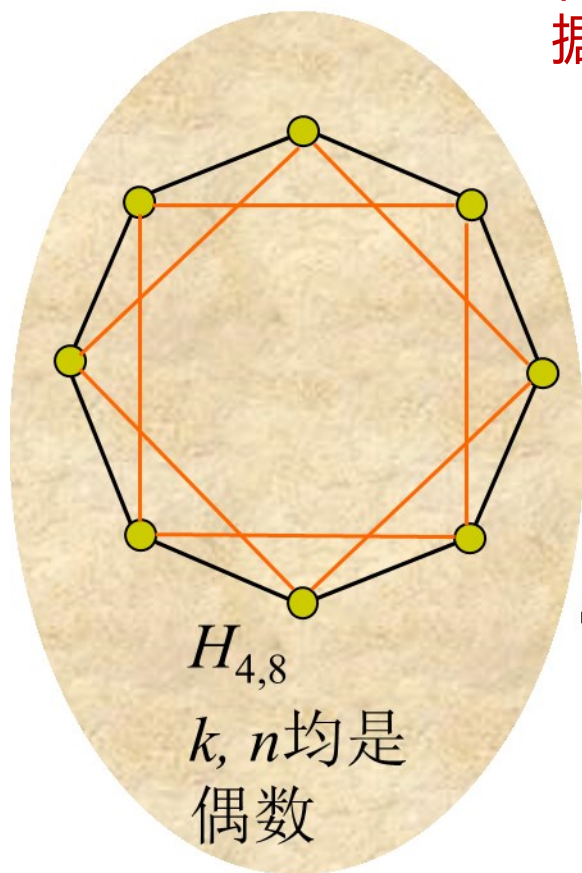
# 计算机网络 – 一个应用的例子

- 问题: 将 $n$ 个计算机连成一个通信网络以共享资源，如果要以最小的代价（假设以链路条数计）保证在故障节点少于 $k$ 个的条件下所有计算机能保持互连，网络应该如何连接？
- 数学模型：找出 $n$ 个结点的完全图的一个边最少的 $k$ -连通子图。

（注意：含 $n$ 个顶点的 $k$ -连通图至少有 $nk/2$ 条边，  
因为该图中最小顶点次数不能小于 $k$ ）

# Harary的解: $H_{k,n}$

将所有顶点排成一圈，根据 $n$ 和 $k$ 的奇偶性加边。



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## 问题11:

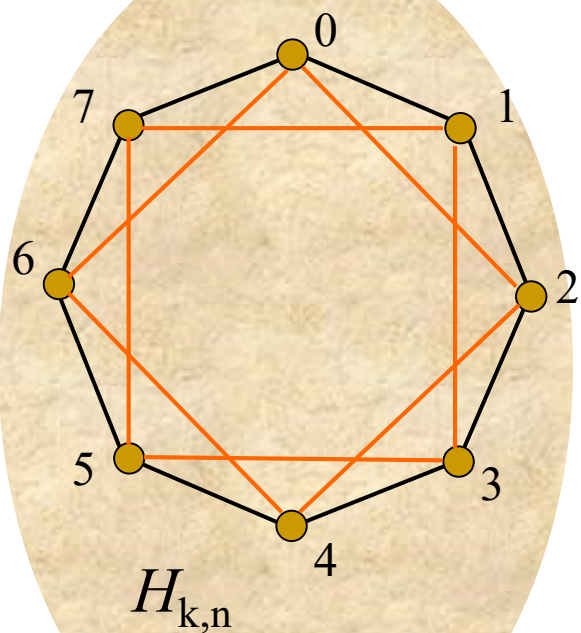
你能够看出加边的连接方法与图的连通度有什么关系吗？

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# 证明的思路：只讨论 $k$ 为偶数

以这一较简单的情况为例



$k, n$  均是偶数

1. 前已说明：含 $n$ 个顶点的 $k$ -连通图至少有 $nk/2$ 条边
2. 左边的解恰好是 $nk/2$ 条边
3. 因此，只须证明，这图是 $k$ -连通的。

令 $k=2r$  ( $r$ 是整数)

Harary的解法实际上是对任意顶点 $i$ ，让它与满足下述条件的顶点 $j$  相连：

$$j \geq (i-r) \bmod n \text{ 或 } j \leq (i+r) \bmod n$$

于是，如果两点取模差不大于 $r$ ，则相连。

假设从图中删除少于 $2r$ 个顶点（构成子集 $V'$ ），图就不连通了，删除后，顶点 $i, j$ 属不同的分支。

考虑两个子集合(这里的序号对 $n$ 取模)：

$$S = \{i, i+1, \dots, j-1, j\}; T = \{j, j+1, \dots, i-1, i\}。$$

由于 $V'$ 中总点数小于 $2r$ ，**这两集合中至少有一个含 $V'$ 中的点少于 $r$ 个，则此集合中删除 $V'$ 后仍构成一 $ij$ -通路，矛盾。**

## 指标2: multiplicity of alternative paths

*How many internally disjoint paths are there to link any pair of vertex  $u, v$  in graph  $G$ ?*

两种指标本质上是一样的。

对图 $G$ 中任意两点 $u, v$ , 如果点不相交的 $uv$ -通路有 $k$ 条, 显然, 要使 $u, v$ 不连通, 至少须删除 $k$ 个顶点。

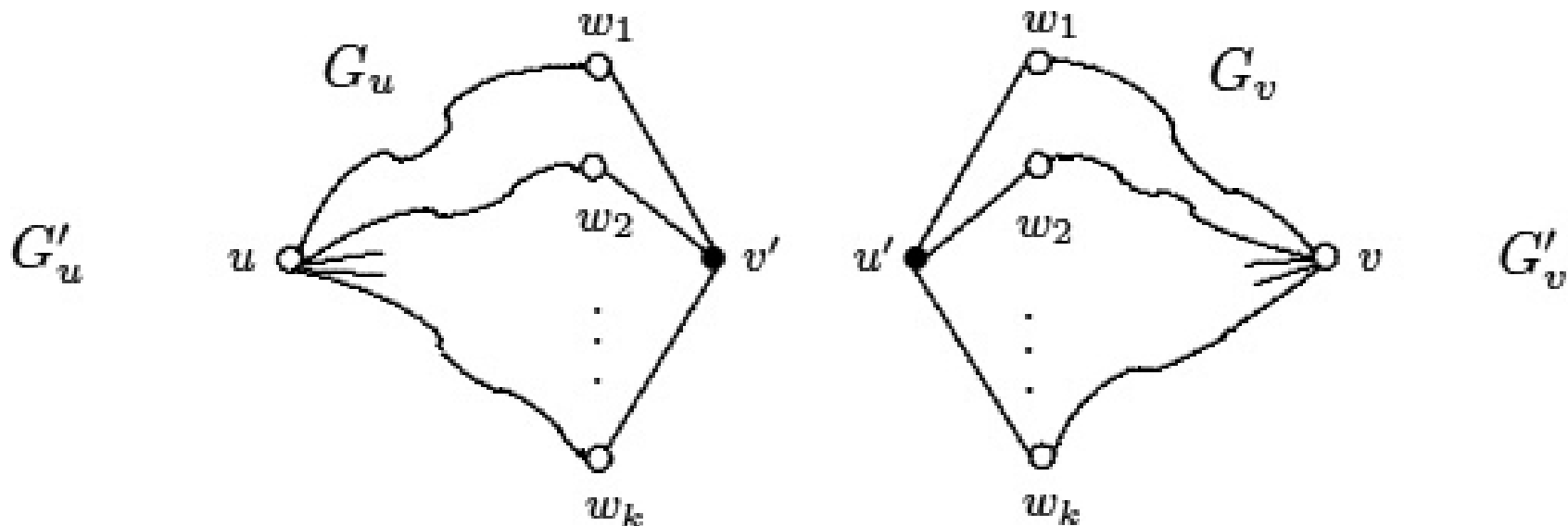
# Menger theorem

*Let  $u$  and  $v$  be **nonadjacent** vertices in a graph  $G$ . The minimum number of vertices in a  $u$ - $v$  separating set equals the maximum number of *internally disjoint  $u$ - $v$  paths* in  $G$ .*

证明要点:

- 1, 对图的边数(size)进行归纳;
- 2, 对“分离点集”中的点的特殊性进行分别分析:
  - 1) 存在和 $uv$ 直接相邻的点;
  - 2) 同时存在一个不和 $u$ 相邻的点以及存在一个不和 $v$ 相邻的点
  - 3) 所有的点要么和 $u$ 相邻, 要么和 $v$ 相邻

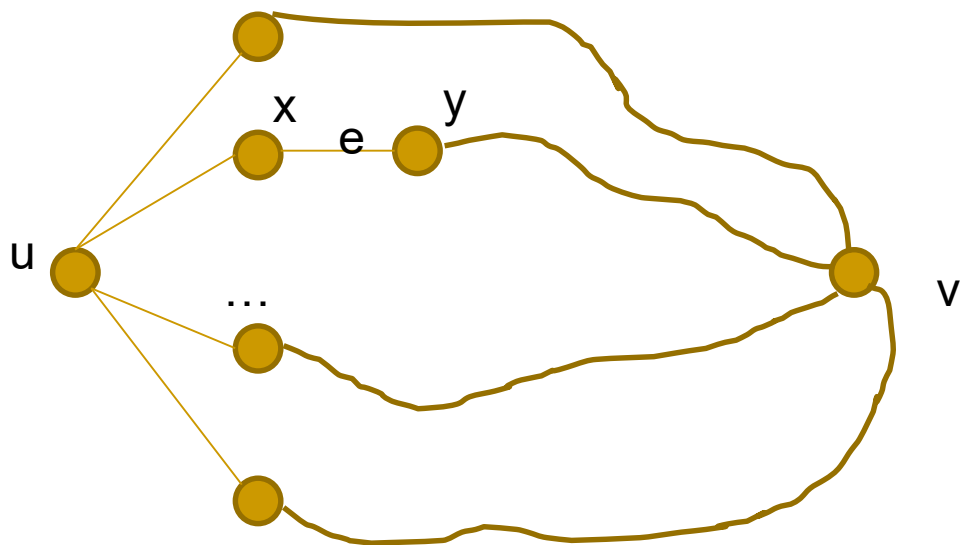
## Case2的图例和证明:



要点: Since  $W$  contains a vertex that is not adjacent to  $u$  and a vertex that is not adjacent to  $v$ , the size of each of the graphs  $G'_u$  and  $G'_v$  is less than  $m$ .

# Case3的图例和证明:

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考察 $G-e$ :

- 1, 适用归纳假设;
- 2,  $G-e$ 图中的最小分割集也一定是 $K$ 个元素, 否则可以证明 $y$ 也是某个最小分割点集的点, 进而 $y$ 也和 $u$ 相邻,  $uxy\dots v$ 就不是最短
- 3,  $G-e$ 中最小分割集大小为 $k$ , 存在 $k$ 条不相交 $uv$ 路

## 2-连通图的特征

**4.2.4. Theorem.** For a graph  $G$  with at least three vertices, the following conditions are equivalent (and characterize 2-connected graphs).

- A)  $G$  is connected and has no cut-vertex.
- B) For all  $x, y \in V(G)$ , there are internally disjoint  $x, y$ -paths.
- C) For all  $x, y \in V(G)$ , there is a cycle through  $x$  and  $y$ .
- D)  $\delta(G) \geq 2$ , and every pair of edges in  $G$  lies on a common cycle.

这里，最有意思的是如何推导出D。

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With the aid of Menger's theorem, Hassler Whitney was able to present a characterization of  $k$ -connected graphs.

**Theorem 5.17** *A nontrivial graph  $G$  is  $k$ -connected for some integer  $k \geq 2$  if and only if for each pair  $u, v$  of distinct vertices of  $G$  there are at least  $k$  internally disjoint  $u - v$  paths in  $G$ .*

We have introduced two measures of good connection: invulnerability to deletions and multiplicity of alternative paths. Extending Whitney's Theorem, we show that these two notions are the same, for both vertex deletions and edge deletions, and for both graphs and digraphs.

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## Open Topics:

P1:

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P2:

The **edge-connectivity** version of Menger's theorem is as follows:

Let  $G$  be a finite undirected graph and  $x$  and  $y$  two distinct vertices. Then the theorem states that the size of the minimum **edge cut** for  $x$  and  $y$  (the minimum number of edges whose removal disconnects  $x$  and  $y$ ) is equal to the maximum number of pairwise **edge-independent paths** from  $x$  to  $y$ .



# 课外作业

- CZ: 5.4, 5.8
- CZ: 5.10, 5.12
- CZ: 5.18, 5.22, 5.26
- CZ: 5.34
- 证明PPT第21页的定理