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NPTEL (<https://swayam.gov.in/explorer?ncCode=NPTEL>) » Social Networks (course)


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The due date for submitting this assignment has passed.

Due on 2022-09-28, 23:59 IST.

Assignment submitted on 2022-09-28, 22:26 IST

1) In a random graph with 500 nodes and edges between any two nodes with a probability of 0.27, where can one expect the peak of the degree-distribution graph?

1 point

☐ 270

☐ 500

☒ 135

☐ 100

Yes, the answer is correct.

Score: 1

Accepted Answers:

135

2) In a random graph with 500 nodes, if A, B & C are the number of nodes with degrees 0, 300 & 450 respectively. What is the relationship between A, B & C?

1 point

☒ $A < B < C$

☐ $B < C < A$

☐ $A < C < B$

☐ $C < B < A$

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

$A < C < B$

3) Amit tosses 6 dices and stores the sum of the numbers he gets. If he plots the sum of the numbers on the x-axis and the frequency on the y-axis, in what range is the peak of the **1 point**

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given distribution expected to be?

- ☐ 6 - 10
- ☒ 18 - 24
- ☐ 30 - 36
- ☐ 10 - 16

Yes, the answer is correct.

Score: 1

Accepted Answers:

18 - 24

4) The power law states that the frequency (plotted along the y-axis) is inversely **1 point** proportional to $k^{(a)}$ where k is the values plotted along the x-axis. Here a is preferably between -

- ☐ 0 & 1
- ☐ -1 & 0
- ☐ -2 & -1
- ☒ 2 & 3

Yes, the answer is correct.

Score: 1

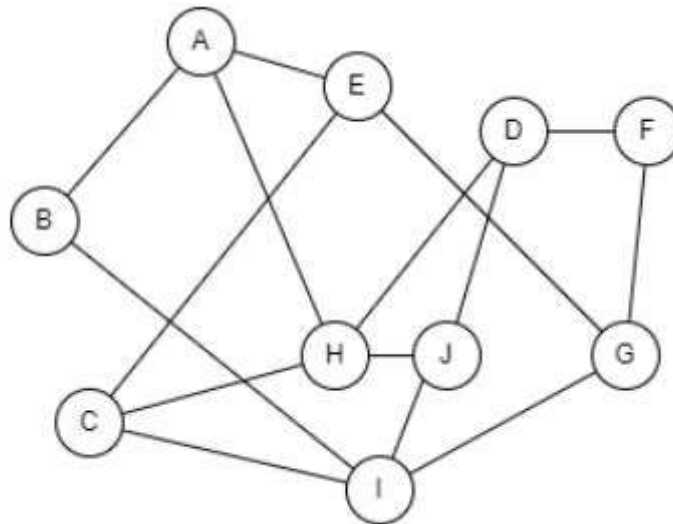
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2 & 3

5) **Questions 5, 6 & 7 are connected.**

1 point

In the given graph, a new node X is introduced. What is the probability of a new node being attracted to either A or B or D, given that X makes only one new friend?



- ☐ 8/30
- ☐ 9/30
- ☒ 5/30
- ☐ 7/30

No, the answer is incorrect.

Score: 0

Accepted Answers:

8/30

6) In the above question, assume X made friends with C, D & E. Y is another new node which arrives at the next step. What is the probability that Y makes friends with C? **1 point**

- ☐ 5/30
☐ 9/36
☒ 4/36
☐ 10/36

Yes, the answer is correct.

Score: 1

Accepted Answers:

4/36

7) If in the given graph, new node Q becomes friends with B. Z is yet another new node. Z is not friends with anyone. According to the richer get richer phenomenon, what is the probability that a new incoming student W, makes friends with Z? **1 point**

- ☐ 5/38
☐ 6/36
☐ 9/38
☒ 0/38

Yes, the answer is correct.

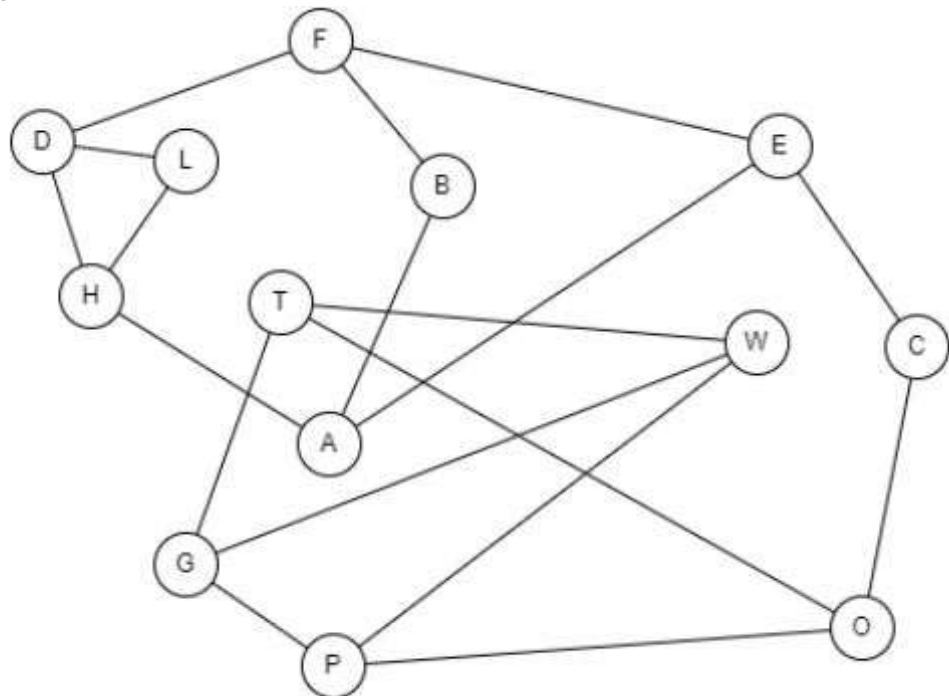
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Accepted Answers:

0/38

8) In the given graph below, with whom should a new node Q make friends so that another new node X has an equal probability of making friends with each node present(it is given that X joins after Q has made friends)? **1 point**

The graph is at $t=0$. X comes at $t=1$. Y comes at $t=2$.



- ☐ A, P, C
☐ O, D, H
☒ B, C, L
☐ T, F, P

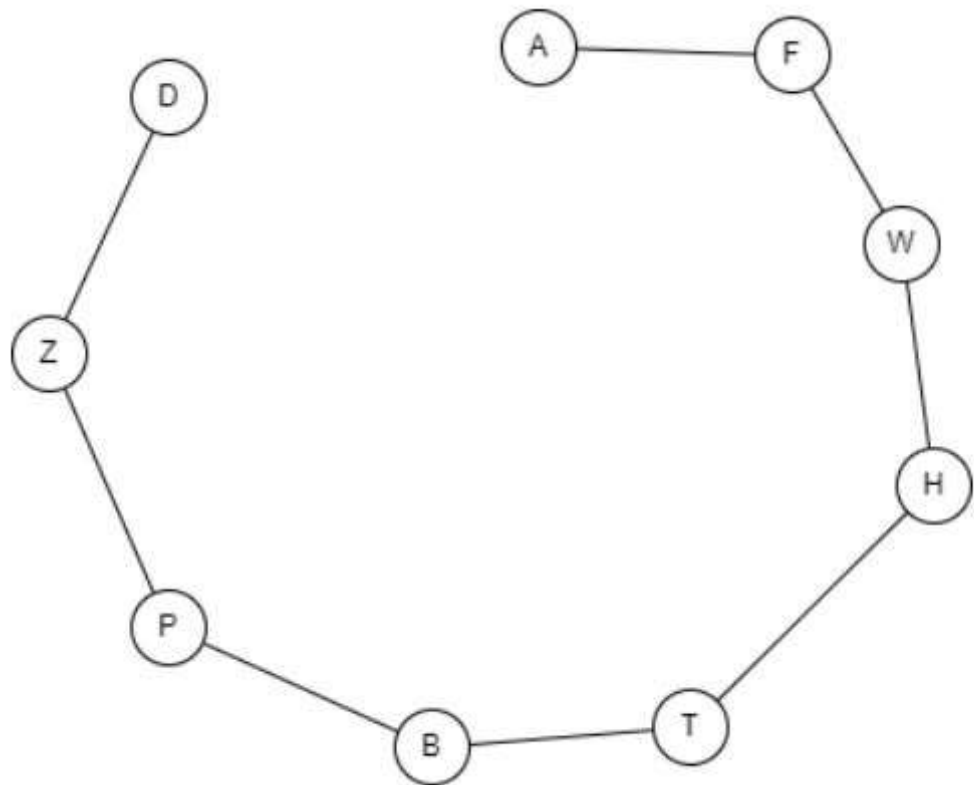
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Accepted Answers:

B, C, L

9) In the given graph, each node represents a student and each edge represents a friendship. A new student X joins and makes 2 new friendships. With what probability does everyone have 2 friendships? (it is assumed that X makes both of its friendships simultaneously) **1 point**



- ☐ $(1/16) * (2/16)$
☒ $(1/16) * (1/16)$
☐ $(2/16) * (2/16)$
☐ $(0/16) * (1/16)$

Yes, the answer is correct.

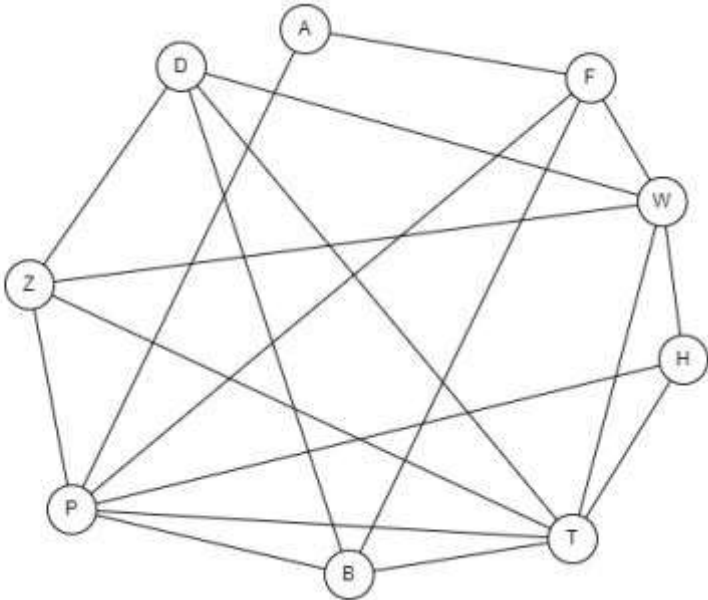
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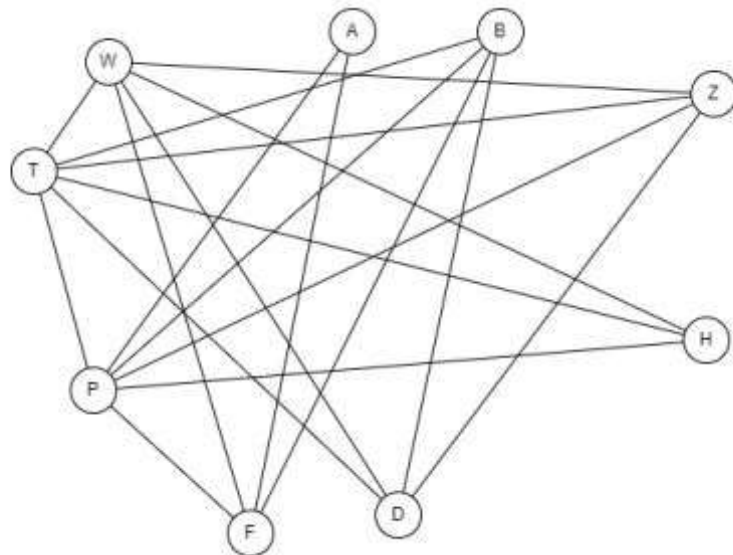
$(1/16) * (1/16)$

10) Given below is the probability distribution for a new node to make friends with each node. Which of the following is the correct graph? **1 point**

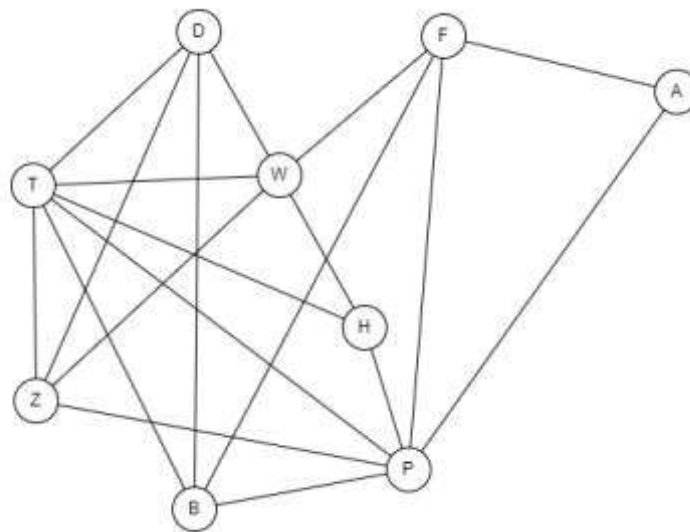
A	F	W	H	T	B	P	Z	D
2/38	4/38	5/38	3/38	6/38	4/38	6/38	4/38	4/38



I.



II.



III.

- ☐ Only I
☐ Only II
☐ Only II & III
☒ Only I, II & III

Yes, the answer is correct.

Score: 1

Accepted Answers:

Only I, II & III