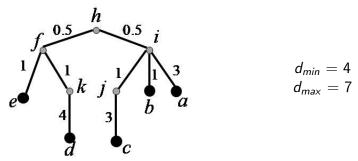
### On graphs that are not PCGs

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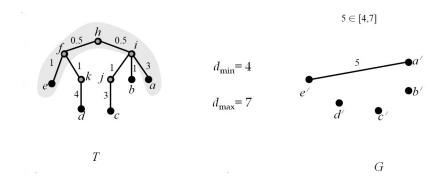
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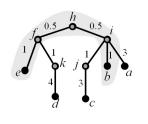
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A pairwise compatible graph of  $(T, d_{min}, d_{max})$ 

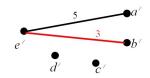
- Has n vertices that correspond to the n leaves of T
- ▶ Two vertices are adjacent in G if and only if their tree distance is in  $[d_{min}, d_{max}]$



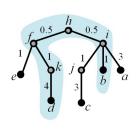


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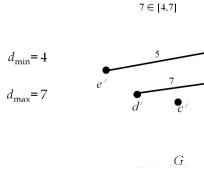
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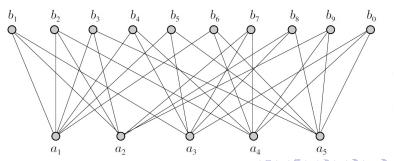


#### Problem Definition

- Characterized graphs that are not PCG
- Characterize a generalized PCG Recognition problem to be NP-hard

- In 2003, Kearney, Munro and Phillips introduced the concept of PCG
  - Characterized evolutionary relationship
  - Proved that The clique problem is polynomially solvable for PCG if its pairwise compatibility tree can be constructed in polynomial time.
  - ► Conjecture: All graphs are PCG

- In 2010, Yanhaona, Bayzid and Saidur Rahman Sir refuted the conjecture by showing a graph of 15 vertices that is not PCG
  - Identified two restricted classes of bipartite graphs as PCG
  - Showed that the well known tree power graphs and some of their extensions are PCGs.



- ▶ In 2008, Yanhaona, Hossain and Saidur Rahman established some properties of PCGs
  - proved that graphs having cycles as their maximal biconnected components are PCGs
  - showed that all chordless cycles and single chord cycles are PCGs
- ► Salma and Saidur Rahman proved that every triangle-free maximum-degree-three outerplanar graph is a PCG

- ▶ Calamoneri,Petreschi and Sinaimeri analyzed the class of PCGs in relation to two particular subclasses resulting from the cases where  $d_{min} = 0(LPG)$  and  $d_{max} = +\infty$  (mLPG)
  - proved that the intersection of these classes is not empty
  - Neither of them is contained in the other
- Calamoneri, Frascaria, Sinaimeri showed all graphs with at most seven vertices are pairwise compatibility graphs

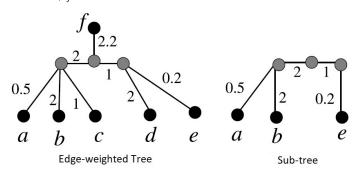
#### Contribution of this work

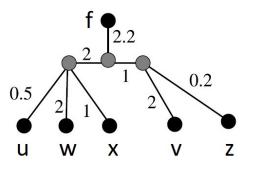
- ► In this paper a graph with 9 vertices was shown to be not PCG
- ► Then from the 9 vertice graph a 8 vertice graph was constructed which is the smallest graph that is not PCG
- ► Constructed a 20 vertices planar graph which is the first planar graph known to be not PCG.
- Showed that a variant of the PCG Recognition Problem is NP-hard.

## Some Terminologies

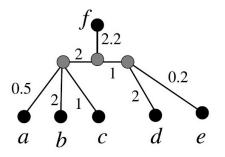
Let G = (V, E) be a graph with vertex set V, edge set E and u and v be two leaves of it's pair-wise compatibility tree T

- ▶ By  $P_{uv}$  we denote the unique path between u and v in T
- ▶ By  $d_T(u, v)$  we denote the weighted distance between u and v
- ▶ By  $T_{x_1x_2...x_t}$  we denote the subgraph of T induced by the paths  $P_{x_ix_i}$ , where  $1 \le i, j \le t$ .

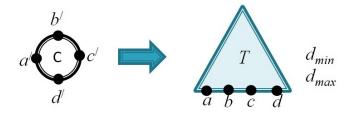




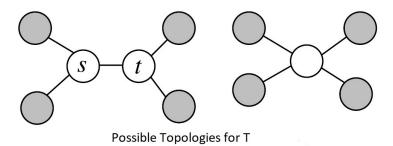
Let T be an edge-weighted tree and let u, v and w be three leaves of T such that  $P_{uv}$  is the longest path in  $T_{uvw}$ . Let x be a leaf of T other than u, v and w. Then  $d_T(w,x) \leq d_T(u,x)$  or  $d_T(w,x) \leq d_T(v,x)$ 



Let  $G = PCG(T, d_{min}, d_{max})$ . Let a, b, c, d, e be five leaves of T and a', b', c', d', e' be the corresponding vertices of G, respectively. Let  $P_{ae}$  and  $P_{bd}$  be the longest path in  $T_{abcde}$  and  $T_{bcd}$ , respectively. Then any vertex x' in G that is adjacent to a', c', e' must be adjacent to at least one vertex in b', d'.



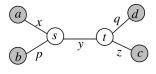
Let C be the cycle a', b', c', d' of four vertices. If  $C = PCG(T, d_{min}, d_{max})$  for some tree T and values  $d_{min}$  and  $d_{max}$ , where the leaves a,b, c and d of T correspond to the vertices a', b', c' and d' of G, respectively, then  $d_T(a, c)$  and  $d_T(b, d)$  cannot be both greater than  $d_{max}$ .



- ▶ Replace each vertex of degree 2
- ▶ T can have any of the 2 topologies above

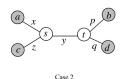
**Case 1:** Suppose for a contradict  $d_T(a,c)$  and  $d_T(b,d)$  are greater than  $d_{max}$ 

- $d_T(a, c) + d_T(b, d) = x + z + p + q + 2y > 2d_{max}$
- ▶ a' and d' are adjacent,  $d_{min} \le x + y + q \le d_{max}$
- ▶ b' and c' are adjacent,  $d_{min} \le p + y + z \le d_{max}$
- ►  $x+z+p+q+2y \le 2d_{max}$ , which contradicts that  $d_T(a,c)+d_T(b,d) > 2d_{max}$ .



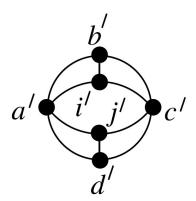
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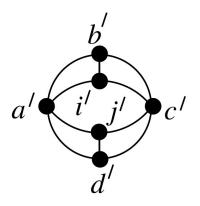
**Case 2:** Suppose for a contradict  $d_T(a,c)$  and  $d_T(b,d)$  are greater than  $d_{max}$ 



- $lacksquare d_T(a,c)=x+z>d_{ extit{max}}$  ,  $d_T(b,d)=p+q>d_{ extit{max}}$
- either  $x > d_{max}/2$  or  $z > d_{max}/2$
- either  $p > d_{max}/2$  or  $q > d_{max}/2$
- ▶  $d_T(a, b) \ge x + p$ ,  $d_T(b, c) \ge z + p$ ,  $d_T(c, d) \ge z + q$ ,  $d_T(a, d) \ge x + q$

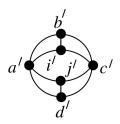
We now construct a graph H with six vertices at, bt, ct, dt, it, jt such that each pair of vertices in H are adjacent except the pairs (at, ct), (bt, dt), (it, dt), (jt, bt), (it, jt),





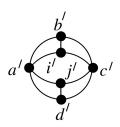
Let  $H = PCG(T, d_{min}, d_{max})$ . Let a, b, c, d, i, j be the leaves of T that correspond to the vertices a', b', c', d', i', j' of H. Then at least one of  $d_T(a, c)$ ,  $d_T(b, d)$ ,  $d_T(i, d)$ ,  $d_T(j, b)$ ,  $d_T(i, j)$  must be greater than  $d_{max}$ .

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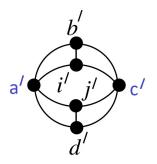


- For each pair  $(x', y') \in (a', c'), (b', d'), (i', d'), (j', b'), (i', j'), x'$  and y' are non-adjacent in H
- Assume that each of  $d_T(a,c), d_T(b,d), d_T(i,d), d_T(j,b)$  is less than  $d_{min}$ , and then prove that  $d_T(i,j)$  must be greater than  $d_{max}$
- ▶ Suppose for a contradiction that  $d_T(i,j) < d_{min}$

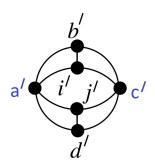




- ▶ since i' and b' are adjacent in H ,  $d_T(i,b) \leq d_T max$
- ▶ path  $P_{ib}$  must be the longest path  $T_{ijb}$ , By Lemma 1,  $d_T(j,d) \le d_T(i,d)$  or  $d_T(j,d) \le d_T(b,d)$ .
- ▶  $d_T(i,d) < d_{min}$  and  $d_T(b,d) < d_{min}$ , the inequality  $d_T(j,d) < d_{min}$
- ▶ But this contradicts that j', d' are adjacent in G.

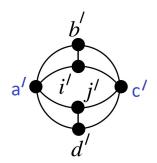


Let  $G = PCG(T, d_{min}, d_{max})$  be a graph that contains an induced subgraph G' isomorphic to H. Let a, b, c, d, i, j be the leaves of T that correspond to the vertices a', b', c', d', i', j'0 f G'. Let a' and c' be the vertices of degree four in G'. Then  $d_T(a, c)$  must be less than  $d_{min}$ .



- ▶ Suppose for a contradiction that  $d_T(a, c) > d_{max}$
- ▶ Subgraph induced by a', b', c', d' is a cycle, by Lemma 3,  $d_T(b', d') < d_{min}$
- ▶ Subgraph induced by a', i', c', d' is a cycle, by Lemma 3,  $d_T(i', d') < d_{min}$
- $ightharpoonup P_{bi}$  is the longest path in  $T_{ibd}$

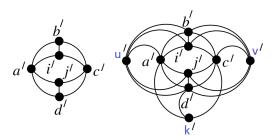




- ► For each pair  $(x', y') \in (a', b'), (a', d'), (a', i'), (b', d'), (b', c'), (b', i'), (c', d'), (c', i'), (d', i'), d_T(x, y) \le d_{max}$
- ▶ Therefore,  $P_{ac}$  is the longest path in  $T_{abcdi}$
- By Lemma 2, any vertex j'in G' that is adjacent to a', c', d' must be adjacent to i' or b'
- ▶ But i' nor b' is adjacent to j', a contradiction

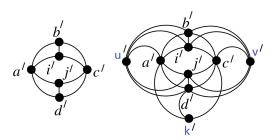


- We add three vertices k', u', v' to H to construct a 9 vertex graph G1
- ▶ This theorem proves that G1 is not a PCG

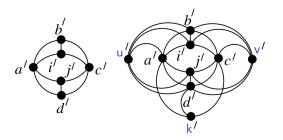


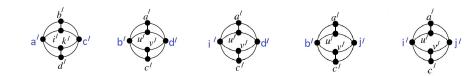
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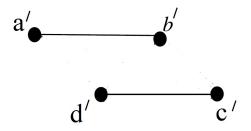
- For each pair  $(x', y') \in (a', c'), (b', d'), (i', d'), (j', b'), (i', j'), x'$  and y' are non-adjacent in H
- ▶ By Lemma 4 at least one of  $d_T(a,c)$ ,  $d_T(b,d)$ ,  $d_T(i,d)$ ,  $d_T(j,b)$ ,  $d_T(i,j)$  must be greater than  $d_{max}$



## G1 is not a PCG

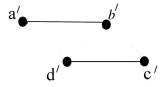




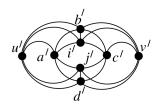


Let G be a graph of four vertices a', b', c', d' and two edges (a', b') and (c', d'). If  $G = PCG(T, d_{min}, d_{max})$  for some tree T and values  $d_{min}$  and  $d_{max}$ , where the leaves a, b, c, d of T correspond to the vertices a', b', c', d' of G, respectively, then at least one of  $d_T(a, d), d_T(b, d), d_T(b, c), d_T(a, c)$  must be greater than  $d_{max}$ .

Each of  $d_T(a, d)$ ,  $d_T(b, d)$ ,  $d_T(b, c)$ ,  $d_T(a, c)$  is either greater than  $d_{max}$  or less than  $d_{min}$ . Suppose for a contradiction that  $d_T(a, d)$ ,  $d_T(b, d)$ ,  $d_T(b, c)$ ,  $d_T(a, c)$  are less than  $d_{min}$ .



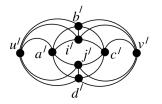
- ▶ a', b' are adjacent and  $d_T(a, c), d_T(b, c)$  are less than  $d_{min}$ .  $P_{ab}$  must be the longest path in  $T_{abc}$ .
- $ightharpoonup d_T(c,d) \le d_T(a,d) \text{ or } d_T(c,d) \le d_T(b,d).$
- ▶ By assumption, both  $d_T(a, d)$  and  $d_T(b, d)$  are less than  $d_{min}$ .
- ▶  $d_T(c,d) < d_{min}$ , which contradicts that c' and d' are adjacent in G.



Let  $G2 = PCG(T, d_{min}, d_{max})$  and let a, b, c, d, i, j, u, v be the leaves of T that correspond to the vertices a', b', c', d', i', j', u', v' of G2. Then (a) at least one of  $d_T(u, v), d_T(a, v), d_T(a, c), d_T(u, c)$  must be greater than  $d_{max}$ , and (b) at least one of  $d_T(b, j), d_T(b, d), d_T(i, d), d_T(i, j)$  must be greater than  $d_{max}$ .

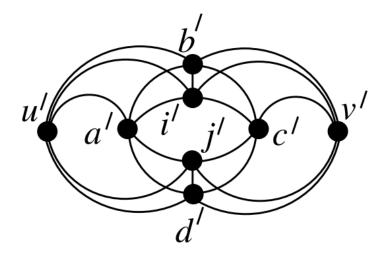
We only prove claim (a), i.e., one of  $d_T(u,v), d_T(a,v), d_T(a,c), d_T(u,c)$  must be greater than  $d_{max}$ , since the proof for claim (b) is similar.

Each of  $d_T(u, v)$ ,  $d_T(a, v)$ ,  $d_T(a, c)$ ,  $d_T(u, c)$  is either greater than  $d_{max}$  or less than  $d_{min}$ . Suppose for a contradiction that  $d_T(u, v)$ ,  $d_T(a, v)$ ,  $d_T(a, c)$ ,  $d_T(u, c)$  are less than  $d_{min}$ 

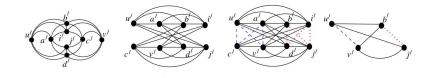


- ▶ u', a' are adjacent and  $d_T(u, c)$ ,  $d_T(a, c)$  are less than  $d_{min}$ ,  $P_{au}$  must be the longest path in  $T_{acu}$ .
- $d_T(c,v) \le d_T(a,v) \text{ or } d_T(c,v) \le d_T(u,v)$
- ▶  $d_T(u, v), d_T(a, v)$  are less than  $d_{min}$ .  $d_T(c, v) < d_{min}$ , which contradicts that c' and v' are adjacent in G2.

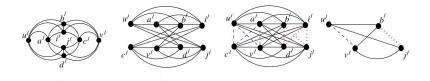
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For a contradiction that  $G2 = PCG(T, d_{min}, d_{max})$ 

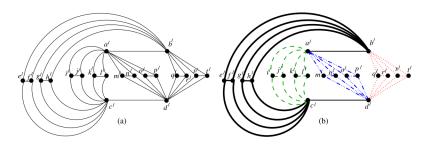


▶ For any ((w', x'), (y', z')), where  $(w', x') \in (u', v'), (a', v'), (a', c'), (u', c')$  and  $(y', z') \in (b', j'), (b', d'), (i', d'), (i', j')$ , the vertices w', x', y', z' induce a cycle C such that w', x' and y', z' are non-adjacent in C.



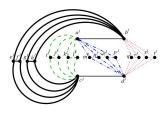
▶ For some ((w', x'), (y', z')), both  $d_T(w, x)$  and  $d_T(y, z)$  are greater than  $d_{max}$ . This contradicts Lemma 3 since the vertices w', x', y', z' induce a cycle.

 $G_p$  is not a PCG.



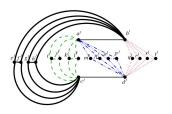
#### Theorem 3

For a contradiction that  $G_p = PCG(T, d_{min}, d_{max})$ 



▶ a', b', c', d' induce a graph with two edges (a', b') and (c', d'), by Lemma 6, one of  $d_T(a, d), d_T(b, d), d_T(b, c), d_T(a, c)$  must be greater than  $d_{max}$ .

#### Theorem 3



For any pair  $(x', y') \in (a', d'), (b', d'), (b', c'), (a', c'),$  there exists an induced sub-graph in  $G_p$  that is isomorphic to H.  $d_T(x, y) < d_{min}$ , which contradicts that at least one of  $d_T(a, d), d_T(b, d), d_T(b, c), d_T(a, c)$  must be greater than  $d_{max}$ . Consequently,  $G_p$  cannot be a PCG.

## Generalized PCG Recognition Problem

- ▶ Given a graph G and a subset S of edges of its complement graph, determine a PCG G'=(T, d<sub>min</sub>, d<sub>max</sub>) that contains G as a subgraph, but does not contain any edge of S
- ▶ If S contains all edges of  $\overline{G}$ , then it is the problem of deciding whether G is a PCG
- ► The PCG recognition problem is a special case of the generalized PCG recognition problem.

## Generalized PCG Recognition Problem

- ► The generalized PCG recognition problem is NP-hard if we require maximum number of edges of S to have weighted tree distance greater than d<sub>max</sub> between their corresponding leaves
- ► Thus comes the Max Generalized PCG Recognition problem
- This helps characterize the complexity of the PCG recognition problem

#### Max-Generalized-PCG-Recognition

**Problem:** Max-Generalized-PCG-Recognition

**Instance:** A graph G, a subset S of the edges of its

complement graph, and a positive integer k.

**Question:** Is there a PCG  $G'=PCG(T, d_{min}, d_{max})$ such that G' contains G as a subgraph but does not contain any edge of S; and at least k edges of S have distance greater than  $d_{max}$ between their corresponding leaves in T?

## NP-hardness of Max-Generalized-PCG-Recognition

The NP-hardness of Max-Generalized-PCG-Recognition is proved by reduction form Monotone-One-In-Three-3-SAT

**Problem:** Monotone-One-In-Three-3-SAT

**Instance:** A set U of variables and a collection C of clauses over U such that each clause consists of exactly three non-negated literals.

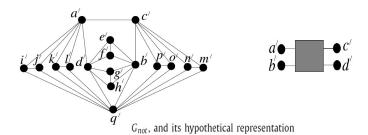
**Question:** Is there a satisfying truth assignment for U such that each clause in C contains exactly one true literal?

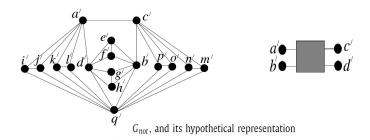
# NP-hardness of Max-Generalized-PCG-Recognition

- ► Let I(U, C) be an instance of Monotone-One-In-Three-3-SAT
- ▶ An instance I(G, S,k) of Max-Generalized-PCG-Recognition is Constructed
- ► I(U, C)has an affirmative answer if and only if I(G, S, k)has an affirmative answer

# Graph $G_{not}$ as NOT gate

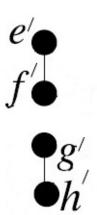
- Let  $G_{not}$  be the graph showed below
- ▶ We see how to use this graph as a NOT gate



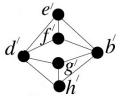


Assume that  $G_{not} = PCG(T, d_{min}, d_{max})$ , where a, b, . . . , q are the leaves of T that correspond to the vertices a', b', ..., q' of  $G_{not}$ . Then  $d_T(c, d) < d_{min}$  if and only if  $d_T(a, b) > d_{max}$ .

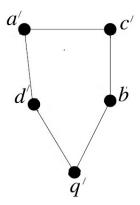
By Lemma 6, from the subgraph one of  $d_T(e,g)$ ,  $d_T(e,h)$ ,  $d_T(f,g)$ ,  $d_T(f,h)$  must be greater than  $d_{max}$ 



- ▶ Observe that for any pair (x, y) (e', g'), (e', h'), (f', g'), (f', h'), the vertices b', x', d', y' form an induced cycle
- ▶ By Lemma 3,  $d_T(b,d) < d_{min}$
- Similarly,  $d_T(a, q) < d_{min}$ and  $d_T(c, q) < d_{min}$



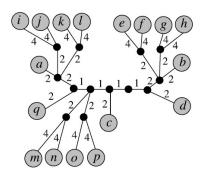
- ► Since a', c', b', q', d' induce a cycle of five vertices, one of  $d_T(a, b)$ ,  $d_T(c, d)$ ,  $d_T(a, q)$ ,  $d_T(c, q)$ ,  $d_T(b, d)$  is greater than  $d_{max}$
- As  $d_T(a, q)$ ,  $d_T(c, q)$ ,  $d_T(b, d)$  are less than  $d_{min}$ , one of or both  $d_T(a, b)$  and  $d_T(c, d)$  are greater than  $d_{max}$



- lacktriangle Without loss of generality assume that  $d_T(a,b)>d_{max}$
- In  $T_{abc}$ ,  $P_{ab}$  is the largest path as a', c' and b', c' adjacent
- ▶ By Lemma 1,  $d_T(c,d) \le d_T(a,d)$  or  $d_T(c,d) \le d_T(b,d)$
- ▶ Since  $d_T(a, d) \le d_{max}$  and  $d_T(b, d) < d_{min}, d_T(c, d)$  must be less than  $d_{min}$
- ▶ Similarly, we can prove that if  $d_T(c,d) > d_{max}$ , then  $d_T(a,b) < d_{min}$ .

# Properties of $G_{not}$

- The vertices a,b and c,d play the role of the input and output of a NOT gate
- ▶ The figure below describes a pair-wise compatibility tree T, where  $G_{not} = PCG(T, 7, 11)$  and  $d_T(a, b) > d_{max}$  and  $d_T(c, d) < d_{min}$



# Properties of $G_{not}$

- ▶ Observe once we construct the tree  $T_{abqcd}$ , it it straightforward to add the trees  $T_{efgh}$ ,  $T_{ijkl}$  and  $T_{mnop}$ .
- ► So in the rest of presentation we only consider the simplified representation for T, as shown below figure

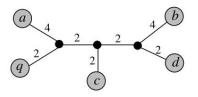
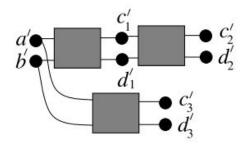
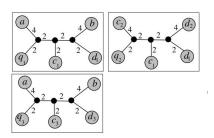


Figure: Simplified representation of T

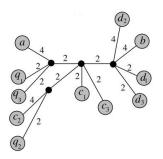
- By cascading NOT gates can duplicate or invert the input
- Here in the figure below we illustrate the cascading of NOT gates.



- ► The below figure shows the simplified tree representations for three gates
- ▶ If any input pair (respectively, output pair) x,y of the NOT gate is true (respectively, false), then the corresponding unique path in the tree has the weight sequence (4, 2, 2, 4)(respectively, (2, 2, 2)).



- Tree merging operation
- ► The figure below illustrates the tree that corresponds to the cascading of the three NOT gates .



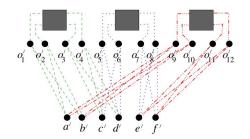
- ▶ The PCG G' of the final tree T contains all the edges of  $G_{not}$  graphs, and also many redundant edges
- ▶ None of these redundant edges can belong to a single  $G_{not}$
- G<sub>not</sub> has 101 non-adjacent pairs
- ▶ By construction, in any pairwise compatibility tree T' of  $G_{not}$ , all the distances  $d'_T(a,q)$ ,  $d'_T(c,q)$ ,  $d'_T(b,d)$  and one of  $d'_T(a,b)$ ,  $d'_T(c,d)$  must be less than  $d_{min}$ . Therefore, at most 97 edges of compliment of  $G_{not}$  can have distance greater than  $d_{max}$ .

#### Literal gadgets

- Each literal gadget consists of a pair of non-adjacent vertices
- Every edge determined by these two vertices, belongs to S
- ▶ A literal (a', b') is true if and only if  $d_T(a, b) > d_{max}$ ; else it is false

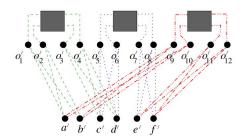
# Clause gadgets

- ▶ Every clause gadget *G*<sub>clause</sub>, as shown in below figure, corresponds to a logic circuit L that is consistent if and only if at most one of its three inputs is true
- ▶ The 3 pairs of vertices (a', b'), (c', d'), and (e', f') of  $G_{clause}$  play the role of the inputs



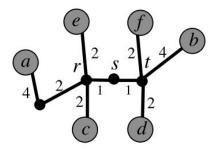
## Clause gadgets

- ▶ For each pair of inputs, e.g., ((a', b'), (c', d')),  $G_{clause}$  contains a  $G_{not}$  such that the ports  $o_1$ ,  $o_2$  of  $G_{not}$  form a cycle with a', b', and the ports  $o_3$ ,  $o_4$  of  $G_{not}$  form a cycle with c', d'
- L is consistent if and only if at most one input is true.



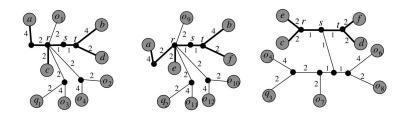
#### Construction of $G_{clause}$

- ▶ A pairwise compatibility tree T such that the corresponding PCG  $G'_{clause}$  contains  $G_{clause}$  a subgraph
- r, s, t is the medial path of T



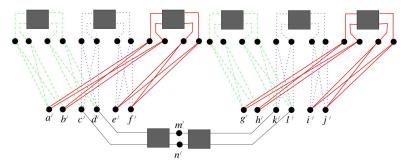
#### Construction of $G_{clause}$

Now we add the subtrees that correspond to the instances of G<sub>not</sub> to T

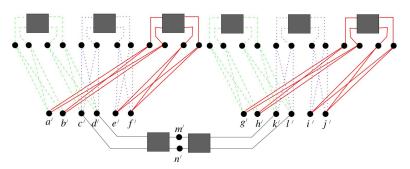


#### Theorem 4

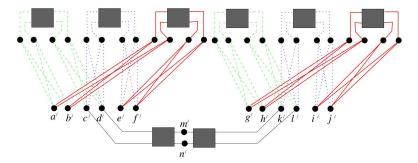
- ► Let an instance of Monotone-One-In-Three-3-SAT be I(U,C)
- $ightharpoonup U = x_i, ..., x_t \text{ and } C = c_1, c_2, ..., c_t$
- ▶ If the same literal appears in more than two clauses, we create a copy of by cascading of NOT gates as illustrated below



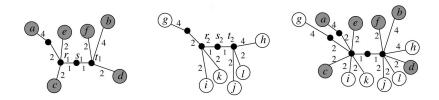
- ► The set S consists of the edges of compliment graph of *G*<sub>not</sub> and the edges that are determined by the literal gadgets
- $\triangleright$  N is the number of instances of  $G_{not}$  in G
- ▶ Since each  $G_{not}$  has 101 non-adjacent pairs, |S|=101N+t and |k| =97N+t



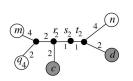
- Assume that I(U, C)has an affirmative answer
- Noe we construct a PCG G' = (T, d<sub>min</sub>, d<sub>max</sub>) such that G' contains G as a subgraph, does not contain any edge of S, and at least k edges of S have distance greater than d<sub>max</sub> between their corresponding leaves in T

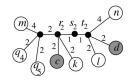


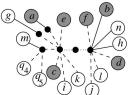
- ▶ Construction of T(j) for each clause  $C_j$
- Merging of all T(j) and remove any duplicate vertex or multi-edge



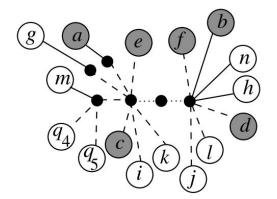
Finally, add the subtrees corresponding to the instances of  $G_{not}$  that was used for duplicating the input values







- ▶ Let the resulting tree be T
- We prove that its corresponding PCG is the required PCG G'



- Assume that I(U, C)does not have any affirmative answer
- We see the prove that in any PCG G' that contains G as a subgraph, must have less than k =97N+t' edges of S

### On Graphs That Are Not PCG

That was all in our presentation
Thank You