

Recall that an undirected graph G is defined as an ordered pair (V, E) where V is a finite set and $E \subseteq \{\{a, b\} \in 2^V \mid a \neq b\}$ is a set of two-element subsets of V . The elements of V are the *vertices* of G , and the elements of E are the *edges* of G . It is convention to refer to $|V|$ as n and $|E|$ as m (but not always, e.g., if they are defined otherwise or necessarily not when there are multiple graphs of interest with different numbers of vertices or edges.)

An undirected *bipartite* graph G is defined as an ordered pair (V, E) where V can be partitioned into two sets A and B such that $E \subseteq \{\{u, v\} \mid u \in A, v \in B\}$.

Recall that on Tuesday we proved that, for any undirected graph $G = (V, E)$, the sum of vertex degrees is twice the number of edges, i.e.,

$$\sum_{v \in V} d(v) = 2|E|.$$

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1. A graph has 24 vertices and 30 edges. We are given the degrees of 19 of the 24 vertices: five vertices of degree 4, seven vertices of degree 1, and seven vertices of degree 2. All of the remaining five vertices have degree 3 or 4. How many vertices of degree 4 are there out of those five unknown vertices? Explain your answer.
 2. Suppose there are n people at a party, and some pairs are friends with each other. Assume that friendship is symmetric in the sense that if a is friends with b , then b is friends with a , for any distinct people a, b .
 - (a) For what values of n is it possible that each person is friends with *exactly one* other person at the party?
 - (b) For what values of n is it possible that each person is friends with *exactly three* other people at the party?
 - (c) For what values of n is it possible that each person is friends with *exactly two* other people at the party?
 3. Prove by induction that, for any undirected bipartite graph $G = (V, E)$ with bipartition A and B , $\sum_{v \in A} d(v) = \sum_{v \in B} d(v) = m$. [Hint: Induct on the number of edges.]
 4. A rooted binary tree is *full* if every node has either zero or two children.
 - (a) Prove that any non-empty rooted full binary tree with i internal nodes (those with at least one child; non-leaf nodes) has $2i + 1$ total nodes. [Hint: Induct on the number of internal nodes.]
 - (b) How many leaves does any full binary tree have?

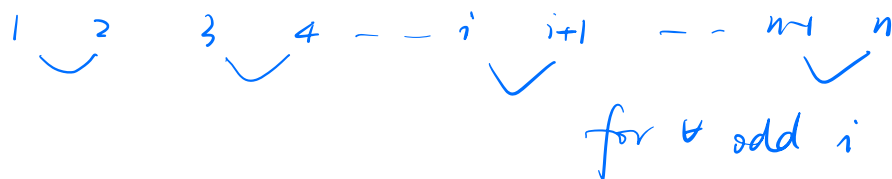
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(a) Each node : 1 deg.

① n odd : not possible $\Rightarrow \# \text{ deg} = n$ odd \times .

② n even : possible.



\Rightarrow Connected ? not unless $n=2$

(b) Each node : 3 deg.

① $n \geq 4$: trivial

② n odd : not possible $\Rightarrow \# \text{ deg} = 3n$ odd \times .

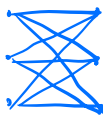
③ n even : \checkmark

$n=4$



K_4

$n=6$



$K_{3,3}$

$n=8$

$2 K_4$

$n=10$

$K_4 + K_{3,3}$

$n=12 \dots$

$2 K_6$

$3 K_4$

\Rightarrow Key : Rigorously prove $\forall n, \exists$ combination of $K_4 + K_{3,3}$

pf: Two cases for n :

1) $n = 4k$ for some $k \in \mathbb{Z}$

$\Rightarrow k = \frac{n}{4}$ copies of K_4

2) $n = 4k+2$ for some $k \in \mathbb{Z}$

$\Rightarrow n-6 = 4k-4 = 4(k-1)$ is divisible by 4

$\Rightarrow k-1 = \frac{n-6}{4}$ copies of K_4 and a $K_{3,3}$

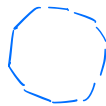
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Alternative:



(c) ① $n \geq 3$

② A cycle of n vertices for $n \geq 3$



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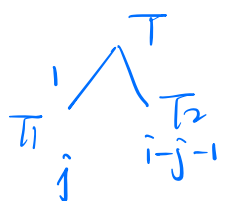
(b) How many leaves does any full binary tree have?

(a) pf: $P(i)$: \forall non-empty rooted full binary tree T with i internal nodes has $2i+1$ total nodes.

Base: $P(0) \Rightarrow$ no internal nodes
 \Rightarrow a tree without any child
 \Rightarrow a single root node
 $2 \cdot 0 + 1 = 1 \Rightarrow P(0)$ holds

IH: $P(k)$ holds for $0, 1, \dots, i-1$
 \Rightarrow To prove $P(i)$

IS: Consider T with $i > 0$

 \Rightarrow root node of T has two children (full)
 \Rightarrow two subtree rooted at the two children: T_1, T_2

Suppose T_1 has j internal nodes.

$\Rightarrow T_2$ has $i - j - 1$ internal nodes

By IH, $0 \leq j < i$, $0 \leq i - j - 1 < i$.

T_1 has $2j+1$ total nodes.

T_2 has $2(i-j-1)+1 = 2i-2j-1$ total nodes

$$\Rightarrow T \text{ has } (z_j+1) + (z_i - z_j - 1) + 1$$

$$= z_i + 1 \text{ total nodes}$$

$$\Rightarrow P(i) \text{ holds}$$

By strong induction, the claim holds $\#$

(b) By (a), $z_i + 1$ total nodes
 i internal / non-leaf nodes
 $\Rightarrow i + 1$ leaves.