

3SAT  $\leq_p$  IS

$I_1 : \phi : c_1 \wedge c_2 \dots$

$\wedge I_2 : G, R=m$



$I_1$  has a sol.

$\Leftrightarrow$

$I_2$  has a sol.

( $\phi$  satisfiable)

(IS ( $G, R=m$ ))

(3b)  $\text{sol}(I_1) \Rightarrow \text{sol}(I_2)$

If  $I_1$  has a sol,  $\phi$  has a satisfying

$\Rightarrow$  Pick exactly one of the assignment.

true literals per clause

and add it to  $S$ . (sol. to  $I_2$ ,

\* Size of  $S$ ?  $R=m$  i.e., IS)

\* Indep. set?

Is  $S$  a T.S. ?

- 1 node per triangle

- If there is an edge between 2 nodes  $x_1 - x_2$

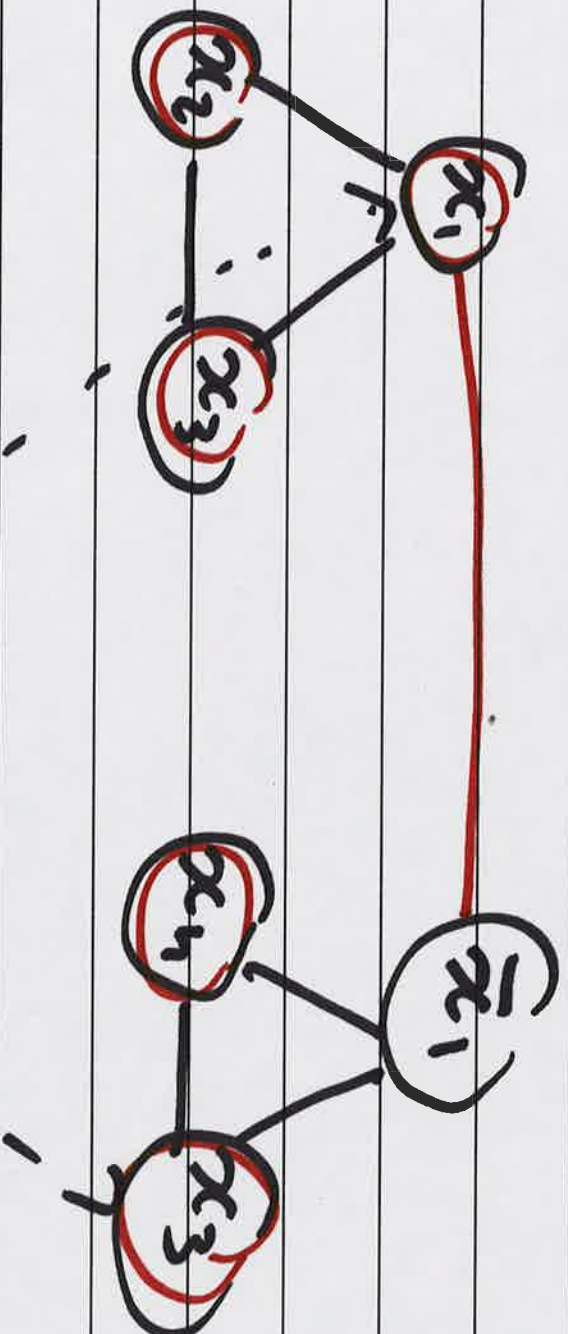
with  $x_1 \in S$  &  $x_2 \in S$

it means that  $x_1 = x$ ,  $x_2 = \bar{x}$

(or reverse)

$\Rightarrow$  Contradiction with sol(T1)!

$$(x_1 \vee x_2 \vee x_3) \wedge (\bar{x}_1 \vee x_4 \vee x_5)$$

C<sub>1</sub>C<sub>2</sub>

$\phi$ : sol:  $x_1, x_2, x_3, x_4$ , are all True

sol<sub>2</sub>): - we pick  $\{x_1 \in S, \text{ from } C_1$   
 $x_3 \in S, \text{ from } C_2$

$\text{sol}(I_2) \Rightarrow \text{sol}(I_1)$

$\hookrightarrow IS(G, k=m)$  is yes, let  $S$  be a  $\text{sol}(I_2)$   
 $|S| \geq k=m$

$\rightarrow$  we have  $m$   $\Delta$  in  $G$ , each  $\Delta$  can have  
 at most 1 vertex in  $S$

$\Rightarrow S$  contains 1 vertex per  $\Delta$

$\rightarrow$  Set the literal corresponding to each  
 vertex in  $S$  to "True".

1 vertex in  $S$  per  $\Delta$

$\rightarrow$  every clause has a true literal

$\rightarrow \phi$  is satisfiable

$\rightarrow$  Argue that a variable is  
 not assigned to both True  
 and False

$(x_i \text{ is } T \ \& \ \bar{x}_i \text{ is } T)$



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Let there be such a variable  $x$

→ A vertex labeled  $x$  in  $S$

\_\_\_\_\_  $\overline{x}$  \_\_\_\_\_

→ By construction, these 2 vertices

share an edge

$(x) - (\overline{x})$

→ Contradicts the fact that  $S$  is  
an I.S.

$VC \Leftrightarrow \neg S$

Claim:  $S$  is an IS in  $G \Leftrightarrow V \setminus S$  is a VC of  $G$



$\Rightarrow$  Let  $S$  be an IS of  $G$

Consider any edge  $(u, v) \in E$

$\Rightarrow$  Either  $u \notin S$  or  $v \notin S$  or both (def of IS)

$\Rightarrow$  At least one of them in  $V \setminus S \Rightarrow$  in the VC!

$V \setminus S$  "covers"  $(u, v)$ ,  $\forall (u, v) \in E \Rightarrow V \setminus S$  is a VC.

$\Leftarrow$  Let  $V \setminus S$  be a VC of  $G$ .

Consider any 2 nodes  $u \in S$ ,  $v \in S$

$\neg (u, v) \in E$ , it would NOT be covered

by  $V \setminus S \Rightarrow (u, v) \notin E \Rightarrow S$  is an IS.

VC  $\Leftrightarrow$  Clique

$V'$  is a clique in  $G \Leftrightarrow V \setminus V'$  is a VC in  $G$

$(\Rightarrow)$   $V'$  is a clique

Consider any edge  $(u,v) \in E_G$

$(u,v) \notin E$  by def of  $G_c$

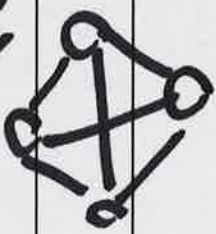
$u$  and  $v$  cannot both be in  $V'$  (Clique def)

Either  $u \notin V'$  or  $v \notin V'$

$\Rightarrow$  At least one of them is in  $V \setminus V'$

$\Rightarrow V \setminus V'$  covers edge  $(u,v)$ ,  $\forall (u,v) \in E_G$

$\Rightarrow V \setminus V'$  is a VC for  $G_c$



( $\Leftarrow$ )  $V \setminus V'$  is VC of  $G_c$

Let  $u \in V'$  and  $v \in V'$  be any 2 vertices of  $V'$ .

If no edge  $(u, v) \in E$ , then  $(u, v) \in E_c$   
 (contrad. with " $V \setminus V'$  is a VC of  $G_c$ ")

$\Rightarrow (u, v) \in E, \forall (u, v) \in V'$

$\Rightarrow V'$  is a clique in  $G$ .