

set:

A collection of distinct, well-defined objects. | computability vs truth  
 ↳ membership status shouldn't be ambiguous.

→ Cartesian product:  $n_{s1} \times n_{s2}$

→ Relation: any subset of Cartesian product.

1) Reflexive (IR)  $\rightarrow (a_i, a_i) \forall i$  must be in R.

2) Symmetric (A) (ANTI):  $(ab) \in R \rightarrow (ba) \in R$

3) Transitive: if  $(ab)(bc) \in R$  then  $(ac) \in R$

4) Equivalence = Ref + Sym + TRA

5) Partial Order (Total order)

↳ Ref + AntiSym + TRA

(D)

(C)

no of relations =  $2^{|D| \cdot |C|}$

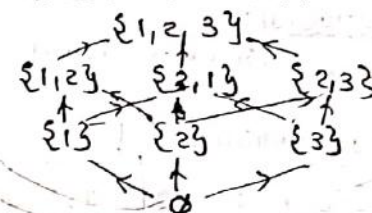
IR Reflexive: none of  $(a_i, a_i) \in R$

Asymmetric: break atleast one sym.

Antisymmetric: can't take both. NAND

Partial order  $\equiv$

HASSE DIAGRAM



→ Equivalence is closely related to Partition.

→ Every partial order is a DAG, but

Every DAG need not to be partial order.

→ Hasse diagram is minimal representation

and partial order is maximal representation (includes transitive edges).

→ A directed graph is acyclic iff its transitive closure is antisymmetric.

\* Hypercubes are Hasse diagram of power set partial order

→ any directed acyclic graph is subgraph of power set partial order

Algo: while (whole graph is not labeled) {

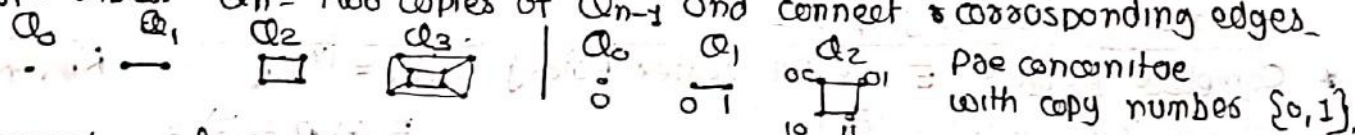
Find node whose all inde nodes are labeled  
 label it

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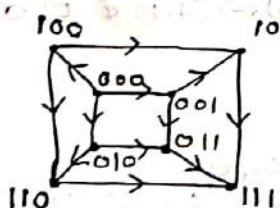
{label sources, recurse, introduce if some}

Q Embed DAG in power set partial order (smallest). [Graph Embedding]

\* Hypercubes:  $Q_n =$  two copies of  $Q_{n-1}$  and connect corresponding edges.



→ Hypercube of dimension n is the Hasse diagram of power set partial order of set of n elements.



→ draw edges to 1 from 0 in same position.

→ strongly connected components in directed graph is an equivalence relation. and strongly connected component is called kernel.

→ Reachability in undirected graph is an equivalence relation.

→ strongly connected graph  $\Rightarrow$  only one strongly connected component.

→ for DAG, we show only one vertex per equivalence class. (kernel)

→ Graph generated by putting one vertex for equivalence class is called kernel.



Automorphism



- functions are special class of Relations.  
 $f: N \rightarrow N$  | Range is subset of co-domain,  
 $f(x) = x^2$  | All points which has pre-image.



Total Relations =  $2^{|D| \times |C|}$

- Injective (one-one) function:-  $|D| \leq |C|$   
 $\forall x, y \in D, x \neq y \Rightarrow f(x) \neq f(y)$

Bijjective = one one + onto

- Surjective (onto) function:- if  $R = C$ .  
 $|D| \geq |C|$

$$|D| = |C|$$

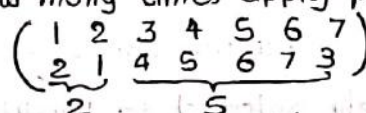
- Bijective functions on a set is called Permutation.

- \* function composition:

$$g(f(x)) \quad R_f \subseteq D_g$$

- \* order of a group:

How many times apply operation to come back.



- \* Falling factorial:

$$n \times (n-1) \times \dots \times (n-m+1)$$

$$10P_2 = 10 \times 9 = 90$$

for Bijective function:  $n!$

- \* Simple Graph: forbids self loops and multiple edges.

"A finite graph is a combination of a finite set  $V$  of vertices and a binary, irreflexive, symmetric relation on  $V$ , called  $E$ "

→ complete graphs are transitive too. (Doesn't relate any element to itself)

- \* subgraph:  $G(V, E)$

$H$  is a subgraph of  $G$  if  $H$  is a graph and  $V' \subseteq V, E' \subseteq E$

- \* spanning subgraph:  $V' = V$

→ no of spanning subgraphs =  $2^{|E|}$

- \* Induced subgraph: edge maximal subgraph for any specified vertex set.

→ only one subgraph on any vertex set.

→ no of induced subgraphs =  $2^{|V|}$

- \* Complete graph:-  $E = \{\text{All vertex Pairs}\}, |E| = |V|C_2$

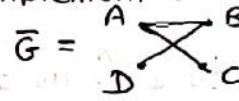
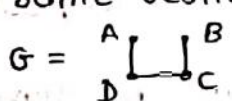
$K_n, C_n, P_n$

- \* Graph Complement:-  $(\bar{G})$

same vertices, complement of edge set.

$$E(G) \cap E(\bar{G}) = \emptyset$$

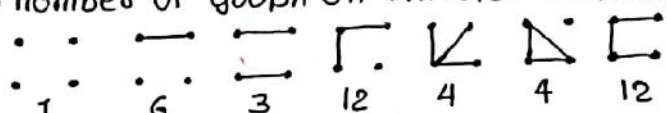
$$E(G) \cup E(\bar{G}) = K_V$$



$$(u, v) \in E(G) \Leftrightarrow (u, v) \notin E(\bar{G})$$

⇒ number of graph on  $n$  labeled vertices =  $2^{nC_2}$

⇒ number of graph on unlabeled vertices =  $B_n$  (Baird's theorem)



no of graph with  $> 4$  edges =  
 no of graph with  $\leq (6-4) \leq 2$  edges

- \* Edge less graph:  $\bar{K}_n$

\* Path:  $P_n$

- \* Cycle:  $C_n$

⇒ If two graphs are isomorphic, their complements are isomorphic only if complement is taken with respect to complete graph.

- \* Self complementary graph: A graph which is isomorphic to its complement

$$C_5 \cong \bar{C}_5, P_4 \cong \bar{P}_4$$

- \* structural properties: only structure independent of label.

Isom. All structural properties are identical.



## \* ISOMORPHIC:

[Quasi Polynomial]

$G$  is isomorphic to  $H$  iff there exists a bijective function  $f: V(G) \rightarrow V(H)$  such that  $(u, v) \in E(G) \Leftrightarrow (f(u), f(v)) \in E(H)$ .

→ function  $f$  is called isomorphism.

hm: for two graphs  $G, H$ ,  $G \cong H \Leftrightarrow \bar{G} \cong \bar{H}$

## \* AUTOMORPHISM:

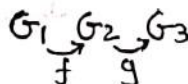
an automorphism is a bijective function  $f$  from a vertex set of a graph  $G$  to itself such that  $(u, v) \in E(G) \Leftrightarrow (f(u), f(v)) \in E(G)$ .

→ isomorphism and vertex sets of automorphism use equivalence relation.

Reflexive → identity

Symmetric → inverse

transitive → composition



$$(u, v) \in E_1 \Leftrightarrow (f(u), f(v)) \in E_2 \Leftrightarrow (g(f(u)), g(f(v))) \in E_3$$

\* Regular Graph: every vertex has the same degree.

2-regular graphs ⇒ disjoint cycles.

→ set of all automorphisms forms a 'Group'.

"Binary relation between vertices based on existence of an automorphism between any pair is an equivalence relation."

→ automorphisms use same for complement graphs.

→ no of automorphism on complete graphs use  $n!$

→ no of automorphisms for path = 2, no of eq. class  $\lfloor n/2 \rfloor$   
cycle =  $2n$

\* Vertex transitive graph: all vertices are same. : 1 equivalence class size  $n$

\* Rigid graph: all vertices are different:  $n$  equivalence class size  $n$   
only one automorphism



\* vertex transitive ⇒ regular

\* Kneser Graph:  $KN(n, k)$ ,  $n > k$

Kneser graph  $\subset$  Disjointness graph

Interval graph  $\subset$  Intersection graph.

$KN(n, k)$ :  $n$  = set cardinality  
 $k$  = subset sizes

"one vertex for each subset of size  $k$  of a set of size  $n$ "

Adjacency  $\equiv$  Disjointness

Matching:  $k = n/2$

If  $n = 2k + 1$ , its called "ODD GRAPH".

Petersen graph is an odd graph with  $k = 2$ .

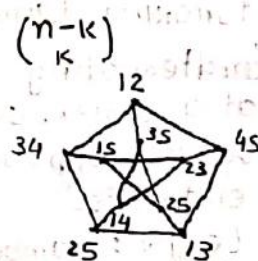
Petersen graph is edge transitive on  $P_4$ .

Disjointness Graph  
complement

Intersection Graphs

$$\text{vertices} = \binom{n}{k}$$

$$\text{edges} = \frac{\binom{n}{k} \binom{n-k}{k}}{2}$$



Petersen graph.

↳ vertex transitive

↳ edge transitive

↳  $P_4$  transitive



↳ vertex transitive but not edge transitive.



$k_{2,3}$

$k_{m,n}$

↳ not vertex transitive but edge transitive.

no of automorphisms  $\Rightarrow n! \times m!$



- \* Cutvertex: an edge is cutedge if it does not belong to cycle.
- \* maximal path within a graph: cant extend endpoints of existing path.
- endpoint of maximal path cant be cutvertex.
- either all or none vertex are cutvertex in <sup>vertex</sup> edge transitive graph.
- every graph has atleast two non-cutvertices.



Triangle transitive  
K3 transitive

## DECOMPOSITIONS

→ Identical, similar, arbitrary  
ex. self-complementary, m cycles

def: partition on edge set.

$$d_G(v) = \sum_{i=1}^k d_{G_i}(v)$$

→ partition  $K_6$  into triangles. original degree = 5, new degree = multiple of 2  
thus not possible.

→ self complementary: decomposition of  $K$  in two identical graphs.

no of ~~use~~ edges in  $K_n = \frac{n(n-1)}{2}$



$P_4 \Rightarrow K_4$



$C_5 \Rightarrow K_5$

← generalize this.

Petersen graph doesn't have 4 length cycle, but any 2 vertices has unique 2 paths  
Q How many 5 cycle in Petersen graph?



for this edge, 4 possibilities for 3 length path.

for two end vertices has unique completion.

thus each edge has 4, 5-cycles. total 15 edges.

thus total 60 cycles. but one cycle is counted in all 5 edges.

thus no of 5-cycles = 12.

Petersen graph has induced 6-cycle when we remove 6 cycle and corresponding edges remaining is  $K_{1,3}$  these are total 10.

Such graphs - thus total no of 6-cycles are 10.

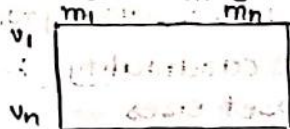
## ADJACENCY MATRIX:

first theorem of graph theory:

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

Handshaking Lemma.

## Incidence Matrix:



walk: "alternating sequence of vertices and edges, begins and ends at a vertex. such that for each edge in the sequence, the vertices appearing immediately before and after it are its two endpoints."

Length: number of occurrences of edges in sequence including dup.

odd walk and even walk.

closed walk: first vertex is same as last vertex.

open walk: not a closed walk.

Trail: "A trail is a walk without repeating edges"

Path: "A path is a trail without repeating vertices" | Induced Path

Cycle: "A cycle is a walk without repeating vertices except start vertex"

A shortest path is induced, but induced path may not be shortest.



→ every closed odd walk contains odd cycle

$A^t[i][j]$  = common neighbours of  $i$  and  $j$ .

Principal diagonal gives degree sequence.

- no of walks of length of 2.

→  $t^{\text{th}}$  power of adjacency matrix's entry  $i, j$  represents the number of walks of length  $t$  between  $i$  and  $j$ .

→ minimum degree  $k \Rightarrow$  length of path  $k$ , cycle of length atleast  $k+1$

Decompositions:-

Eulerian Trails : closed trails which covers all edges.

- degree of interior vertex of trail  $\Rightarrow$  even : closed spanning trail

$$d_G(v) = d_T(v)$$

closed trail endpoints degree  $\Rightarrow$  even

open trail endpoints degree  $\Rightarrow$  odd

1 → If graph contains an vertex with odd degree, it cannot have eulerian cycle. because to get a closed trail, all vertices must have even degree.

2 → graph must be connected, only one non trivial component.

→ necessary condition for a graph to have an eulerian cycle.

1) every vertex has even degree

2) only one non trivial component.

Algo: start with any vertex, find a trail and come back to same vertex if some edges are remaining find another trail. concatenate this path in first string.

① decompose  $k$  in cycles. for  $k \text{ prime} \rightarrow$  start with  $1+1 \dots \text{mod } \text{prime}$

$2 \dots \text{mod } \text{prime} \dots$

Reconstruct a graph, complements, no of graphs with certain property.

\* Bipartite graph : R-partite Graph.

NP complete

Independent set : vertices with no interconnect edges.  $\rightarrow$  complements

clique : induced complete subgraph

induced subgraphs with zero edges.

Largest of Independent set size =  $\alpha$

Maximum clique =  $\omega$

$$\alpha(G) = \omega(\bar{G})$$

$$\alpha \cap \omega = 1$$

$$\alpha + \omega \leq n+1$$

"single vertex is independent set and clique."

- edge less graph is only graph which is one-partite.

Graph

op

status

BIP

super

may not remain

not

super

may not

BIP

sub

remains

not

sub

may become

→ Bipartite-ness is closed under subgraph operation.

→ A graph is bipartite iff it does not contain an odd length cycle.

Horizontal cross edge in BFS denotes odd cycle.

→ If there is an odd cycle then there is an induced odd cycle.

\* Algo to find odd cycle :

1) Run BFS

2) for each  $(x, y) = e \in E(G)$  :

3) if  $\pi(x) \neq y$  &  $\pi(y) \neq x$  ;

4) if  $d(x) = d(y)$  :

5) return non-bipartite

6) Return Bipartite



→ If graph is not bipartite, finding subgraph maximum which is bipartite

Approximation Algorithm to find maximal bipartite subgraph.

→ start with random bipartition

→ for each vertex:

if it has more neighbors in own part than other  
move it to other part.

$$d_G(v) = d_L(v) + d_R(v)$$

$$d_f(v) \geq \frac{d_G(v)}{2} \Rightarrow \sum d_f(v) \geq \frac{1}{2} \sum d_G(v)$$

$$\therefore 2|E_B| \geq |E_G|$$

$$|E_B| \geq \frac{1}{2} |E_G|$$

Algo 2: start with both empty parts: bring new vertices: put in with least neighbors

→ Every Bipartite graph has unique bipartition. (connected)

\* vertex degrees: no of edges endpoints touching a vertex.

degree sequence:  $d_1, d_2, \dots, d_n$

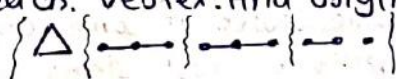
minimum degree of graph =  $\delta$

maximum degree of graph =  $\Delta$

graph reconstruction:

Q. given n subgraphs of a graph by deleting each vertex. And original graph.

{degeneracy}  
{Tree width}



level 1: Construct a graph from degree sequence with multiple edges & selfloops.

- only requirement is that  $\sum d_i$  is even. we can always construct a graph.

1) for all odd degree vertices draw edge choosing two.

2) selfloops.

level 2: Construct simple graph.

requirements: sum must be even, max degree can be  $(n-1)$ .

0 and  $(n-1)$  cannot be together at some time in sequence  
thus at most  $(n-1)$  different values possible.

Degeneracy: minimum over all ordering [max left degree]

k-degenerate: every round delete vertex with degree at most k and graph can be destroyed.

Tree is 1-degenerate. Planar graphs are 5-degenerate.

To make ordering:

→ choose a vertex with left degree  $\leq k$ .

→ place it at rightmost position, ignore it, repeat.

→ for regular graph, degeneracy = degree.

[Maximum value of minimum degree over all subgraphs]  
left

\* A & B are sets

$|A| > |B|, A \supset B \Rightarrow \exists a \text{ st } a \in A \text{ \& } a \notin B$

If sets are vertex neighbourhoods then its degrees.

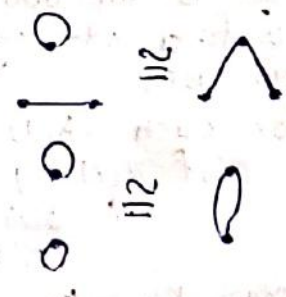
level 3: multigraph, allow multiple edges no loops.

we can only eliminate loop iff there are  
two disjoint loop or a loop and disjoint edge.

Algo: construct level 1 graph.  
eliminate loops.

if  $d_1, d_2, \dots, d_n$  is nonincreasing order then

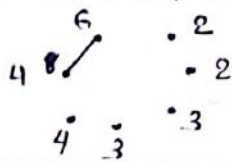
$(\sum d_i)/2 = \sum d_i \leq \sum d_i$  then only graph is possible.



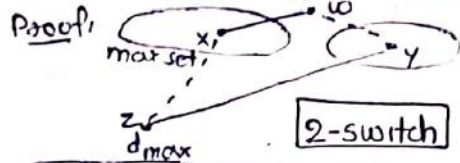


Ex: 13, 9, 8, 6, 6, 4, 4

lobes denotes number of loops  
remove some number of loops



for simple graph: make biggest degree vertex adjacent to other highest degree vertex.



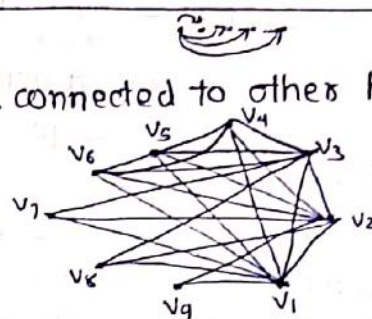
if biggest degree vertex  $z$  adjacent to  $y$  and not  $x$  then,  $d_x > d_y$  then there exists  $w$  such that  $(x, w)$  exists and  $(w, y)$  doesn't exist. then replace  $(x, w)(z, y)$  with  $(x, z)(w, y)$ . degree remains same.

### Havel-Nakimi Theorem:-

- write degrees in non increasing
- make highest degree vertex connected to other highest degree

Ex:

vertices	$v_1$	$v_2$	$v_3$	$v_4$	$v_5$	$v_6$	$v_7$	$v_8$	$v_9$
	8	8	7	5	5	5	3	3	2
		7	6	4	4	4	2	2	1
			5	3	3	3	1	1	0
				2	2	2	0	0	0
					1	1	0	0	0
						0	0	0	0



### Directed Graph:-

- orientation: giving direction. for  $m$  edges there are  $2^m$  orientations.
- Total indegree = total outdegree.

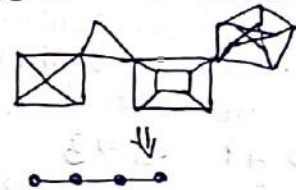
Orientation of undirected graph is xor for every edge. either of two direction present.

Orientations of Complete Graphs are called "Tournaments".

\* Block: maximal subgraph with zero cut vertices. for undirected.

Block cut point tree:-

Graph constructed by undirected edges  
replace block with ~~edges~~ and cut vertex  
with edges



Disconnected graph is not  $k$ -connected for any  $k$ .

Block is 2 connected subgraph.

If graph is  $k$ -connected then it is also  $k-1$  connected.

$k$ -connected graph: it is impossible to make graph disconnected by removing  $k-1$  vertices.

cut vertex: after removal of vertex, number of connected components increases by 1 or more.

strongly connected component: all pairs of vertices are two way reachable.

→ If an undirected graph has cut edge then there is no possible way to give direction to edges such that resulting directed graph is strongly connected.

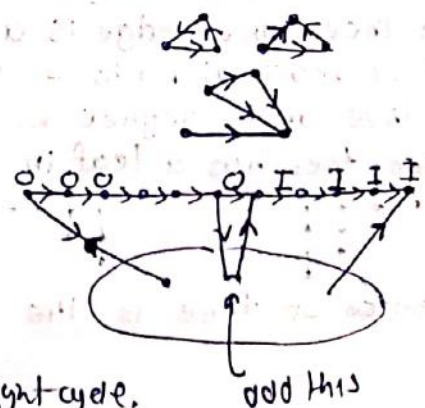
→ every tournament has a hamiltonian path.

→ If there is a cycle, then there is a triangle.

→ There exists a vertex from which every other vertex can be reached in at most two steps. (KING).



If dir of  $e$  is  $\uparrow$   
then find  $C_3$   
else use  $e$  in left  
cycle and right cycle.





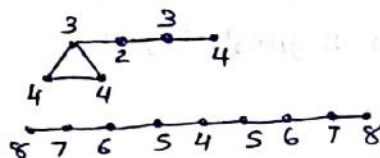
- other than complete graph, are there any other graphs for which any orientation has a king?
- what are the graph families for which no matter how you orient them there always exists a vertex from which any other vertex is at most distance  $k$ .

\* Distance :- The length of the shortest path between  $u$  &  $v$ .  
 (number of edges.)

→ If there are no path then distance is  $\infty$ .

\* Eccentricity :-  $\text{ecc}(u) = \max_{v \in V} d(u, v)$

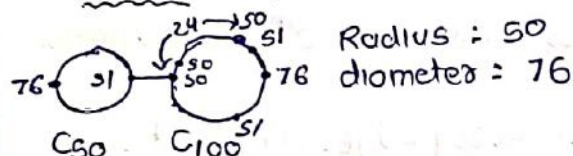
\* eccentricity sequence :-  
 sequence of eccentricities of all vertices.



\* Radius :- minimum value of ecc of a graph. } Triple optimization.

\* diameter :- maximum value of ecc of a graph.

\* center :- set of vertices with minimum ecc.



Radius : 50  
 diameter : 76

If graph has vertex with ecc  $2$ ,  
 then graph cannot have vertex with  
 $\text{ecc} < \frac{2}{2}$  or  $> 2 \cdot 2$ .

$$\forall (u, v) \in G : |e(u) - e(v)| \leq 1$$

If graph has radius  $r$ , then for any two vertices  $u$  and  $v$  their distance from center can be maximum  $r$  thus their distance cannot be more than  $2r$ .

→ There are atleast 2 vertices with ecc more than minimum.

$$e_{50} \Rightarrow 49 \quad e_{51} \Rightarrow 3$$

$$e_{76} \Rightarrow 2 \quad e_{52} \dots 75 \Rightarrow 4$$

$$2 \times 4 + 3 + 2 + 49 = 150$$

→ If we add more edges, term by term ecc either remains same or decreases.

\* Trees :- Connected acyclic undirected graph.

→ no. of new cycles created when adding an edge between  $x$  and  $y$  is same as no. of paths between  $x$  and  $y$ .

→ adding an edge can either add cycle or reduce no. of components.

→ adding an edge can reduce at most one component.

→ If any pair has more than one path then there exists a cycle. thus in tree, every pair of vertices has unique path.

Thm :- An edge is a cut-edge (unifying edge) iff it does not lie on a cycle.

If an edge lies on cycle, we remove it and add it back then it adds a cycle. thus it cannot increase number of components.

→ In tree, every edge is a cut edge.

→ no. of maximal paths = no. of leaves  $C_2$

→ A tree with degree  $k$ , it has  $k$  leaves.

→ every tree has a leaf in longer path's set in biposition.

longest path, center can be either on vertex or one edge (two vertices).

\* center of tree is the center of the longest path in tree.



- larger partite set always has the leaf.
- If there is an odd length path then both partite set has leaf.
- even path:



Imbalance is either remains same or increases as we introduce vertices.

\* Caterpillar Graphs: one path and all other nodes are at distance 1 from path.

- in path, leaf-partite set has higher number of leaves.
- in rooted tree if some level has no leaves then next level has some or equal number of nodes



→ all leaves are at odd level or at even level.  
 $|l_1| \geq |l_0|, |l_3| \geq |l_1|, |l_5| \geq |l_3|$   
 non leaf nodes

If leaves are at odd level, then we want to prove,

$$|l_1| + |l_3| + \dots + |l_{2k+1}| > |l_0| + |l_2| + \dots + |l_{2k}|$$

separate odd levels in leaf nodes & non leaf nodes.

$$(|l_1| + |l_3|) + |l_5| + \dots + |l_{2k+1}| + |l_{2k+1}| > |l_0| + |l_2| + \dots + |l_{2k}|$$

there are no leaves at even. thus  $|l_2| = |l_1|, |l_{2i+1}| \geq |l_{2i}|$

non leaf nodes at odd level = no of leaves at previous odd level.

thus no of nodes at odd level are greater.

thus larger partite set always has leaf.

Q Any tree on  $k$  edges can be embedded in graph with minimum degree  $k$ .

- take any vertex of tree → map to any vertex on graph.
- take a new node adjacent to mapped node, there is always vertex with which we can map it to.

Number of trees on  $N$  vertices.

$$\text{no of graphs} = 2^{n^2}$$

- counting labeled graphs is easier than counting unlabeled graphs.

$$\text{no of trees} = n^{n-2}$$

- Prüfer code: bijective function with tree.

do look at current tree

find lowest indexed leaf, remove that

write down its label (while 2 vertices left)

neighbors

$[11, 5, 6, 6, 4, 5, 1, 11]$  ← Prüfer code (len =  $n-2$ )

All leaves in original tree does not appear in code.

$I[1, 10, 11, 5, 4, 6]$

- number of times a node appears = its degree - 1

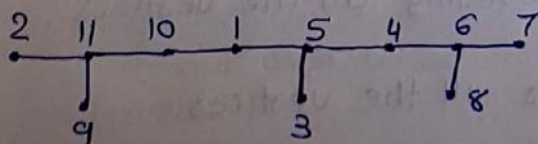
$L[2, 9, 3, 7, 8]$

if all elements are unique in code → Path

if all elements are same in code → star

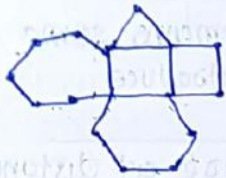
code → tree: vertices = len + 2

- find smallest missing number. its leaf adjacent to first element in code enter leaf in set.





## \* Counting spanning trees of graph:-



→ 16 cycle outside, excluded 4 edges in inner cycle.

⇒ 16 cycle gives = **16**

→ take one of inner edges → two cycles

any of 6 x any of 10 = ~~18~~ 6 x 10 = 60

2 x 14 = 28

3 x 13 = 39

5 x 11 = 55

**198**

→ take two inner

1) adjacent ones;

2 x 6 x 8 = 96

2 x 3 x 11 = 66

3 x 5 x 8 = 120

5 x 6 x 5 = 150

**432**

2) non-adjacent

7 x 3 x 6 = 126

2 x 5 x 9 = 90

**216**

→ 3 edges included

4 x [2 x 3 x 5 x 6] = 4 x 180 = 720

sum = 198 + 432 + 216 + 720

sum = **1566** ≈ 700 **WINNER**

## \* MATCHING:-

size of matching = no of edges

semi regular

Collection of pairwise non-adjacent edges.

Bipartite graph

Maximal matching: set of edges such that no superset is matching. (local optimal).

without deletion, no augmentation.

The size of maximum matching =  **$\alpha'$**

maximum independent set =  $\alpha$

maximum clique =  $\omega$

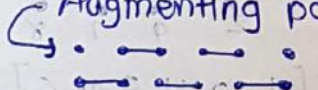
Induced matching: distance between any two selected edges is atleast 2.

Perfect matching: all vertices are covered in matching. [all saturated]  
saturated and unsaturated vertices for matching on graph.

Number of perfect matching on  $K_{2n} = \frac{2n!}{2^n n!} = (2n-1)(2n-3) \dots (1)$

Bege's theorem: a matching is maximum if it does not have augmenting path.

Augmenting path: path on matching, starts and ends at unsaturated vertices and flip all edges.



## \* VERTEX COVER & EDGE COLOR:-

↑ set of vertices such that any one endpoint of edge is present.

→ These are cross concepts, blocking other while covering one.

NP-H Vertex cover: "set of vertices covering all the edges"

easy edge cover: "set of edges covering all the vertices"

NP-H Dominating set: (NP-Hard)


subset of vertices that cover all the vertices.

Independent set:

subset of vertices with no two adjacent.



**Matching** : subset of edges with no two adjacent.

 ← dominating set, but not a vertex cover.

→ every graph does not have edge cover. (graphs with degree 0 vertex).

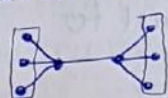
min vertex cover :  $\beta$

largest independent set =  $\alpha$

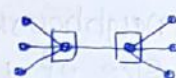
min edge cover :  $\beta'$

maximum matching =  $\alpha'$

dominating set :  $\gamma$

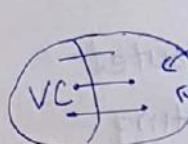


← minimal dominating set



← minimum dominating set

→ lower dominating set = lowest cardinality of minimal dominating set.



forms an independent set.

cannot have edge here.

for a bipartite graphs,  $\beta = \alpha'$ .

$$\alpha + \beta = n$$

$$\beta \geq \alpha' \quad | \text{König's thm}$$

$$\alpha' + \beta' = n$$

$$\beta \leq 2\alpha'$$

→ greedy algorithm for maximal matching is factor 2 algorithm.

→ for any maximal matching, we can return all vertices as vertex cover.

Thus  $\beta \leq 2 \times \text{maximal matching} (2\alpha')$

$$\therefore \beta \leq 2\alpha'$$

→ If we assume that maximal matching is less than half of  $\alpha'$  then,

$$2\alpha'' < \alpha'$$

$$\therefore \beta \leq 2\alpha'' < \alpha'$$

$\beta < \alpha'$ , this is contradiction to König's theorem.

→ If there is an augmenting path, then matching is not maximum.  
absence of such path means matching is maximum.  
no augmenting path  $\longleftrightarrow$  maximum matching.

Berge's theorem:

Proof: take matching  $M$  with no ~~eg~~ augmenting path.

suppose there exists some matching  $N$ , such that  $|N| > |M|$

take XOR of edges in both sets. this gives degrees

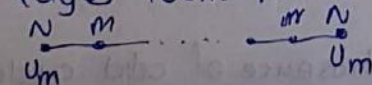
0, 1 and 2. they are either isolated, paths or cycles.

we have thrown away equal number  $\therefore \text{XOR} = N \oplus M$

thus still  $|N| > |M|$ . two matchings cannot cover odd cycle.

thus cycles are even length, which has same number of

edges from  $N$  and  $M$ , still  $|N| > |M|$ , there are paths remaining.



found augmenting path  $N \oplus M$ . this contradicts assumption.

Algo: for bipartite:

1) find maximal by code way.

2) find augmenting path using BFS. flip all the edges.

from unsaturated



Perfect matching in bipartite graph:-

$|L| = |R|$  if  $|L| \neq |R|$  then we can find matching in subgraph.

Hall's theorem & Hall's Condition:-



degree of  $u = 1$

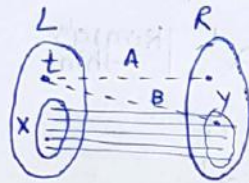
neighbourhood of  $\{u, v\} \in [2, R]$

"for any subset of L neighbourhood of size of neighbourhood is always greater than or equal to size of L"

Hall's Condition  $\Rightarrow \forall X \subseteq L, |N(X)| \geq |X|$  if L is smaller size set

Proof: Assume Hall's condition hold on left.

there is a largest matching in L. if L is not saturated



then we can find augmenting path. starting from unsaturated vertex from L to R.

since hall's condition holds, and  $|x| = |y|$

means  $|L| \leq |R|$ .

now take  $x \cup \{t, y\}$

A] 1) if t has a neighbour in R, then add it to matching.

2) start BFS from t, find augmenting path.

which contradicts assumption that this is biggest set.

B] if neighbour of t is in Y,

{ in first level find unmatched edge,

second level find matched edge } loop for all even-odd.

eventually we will reach a node outside of Y. thus we have found an augmenting path.

Corollary every regular bipartite graph has a perfect matching.  $\Rightarrow |L| = |R|$

Proof by contradiction:  $\exists X \subseteq L, |N(X)| < |X|$

number of edges in  $N(X) = \sum |X|$ . these edges go to set of size  $|N(X)|$

average degree going out =  $\frac{\sum |X|}{|N(X)|} \Rightarrow |X| = |N(X)|$

Contradiction.

$\rightarrow$  every bipartite graph is  $\Delta$ -edge colourable.

Thm: Bipartite graph of supergraph of bipartite graph has matching.

make copy  $B'$  of  $B$ .

connect vertices of sub maximum degree vertices. max remains same minimum degree goes up.

we have to show new is bipartite  $\rightarrow$  absence of odd cycles.

By hypothesis  $B \in B'$  doesn't have odd cycle.

To find odd cycle it must be crossovers, but number of crossover edges are even. and both sets are exactly identical. thus there are no odd cycles. hence.



<sup>ee</sup> Every bipartite graph has a regular bipartite supergraph, which has perfect matching.<sup>20</sup>

we can eliminate entire graph with a matchings. because if we remove a matching from graph (a regular) it becomes  $\Delta$  regular.

\* Perfect Matching:-

→ number of vertices must be even in each component.

→ minimum degree  $> 0$ .

→ If some vertex has degree  $n-1$ , it will always <sup>be</sup> mapped.

↳ These vertices are called universal vertices.

Tutte's Theorem:-

A graph has a perfect matching iff Tutte's condition holds.

Tutte's Condition:-

$\forall S \subseteq V$ , the number of ~~re~~ components with odd vertices in  $G[V \setminus S]$  is  $\leq |S|$ .

→ addition and removal ~~both~~ of vertices can make graph connected.

→ If a graph holds tuttes condition, its supergraph created by adding edges ~~is~~ also holds tuttes condition.

Proof:- there is some set for which number of odd component is more. the new edge added can be in any component. one edge addition can decrease no of component by 1. if new edge is in odd component then we must have merged (odd + even). thus number of odd component must remain same. If new edge is in even component then it must have been formed from (even + even) thus ~~#~~ supergraph is also holds.

Thus, tuttes condition holds on edge addition operation.