

Let  $V$  be a convex polygon with  $n$  vertices.

- (a) Prove that if  $n$  is divisible by 3 then  $V$  can be triangulated (i.e. dissected into non-overlapping triangles whose vertices are vertices of  $V$ ) so that each vertex of  $V$  is the vertex of an odd number of triangles.
- (b) Prove that if  $n$  is not divisible by 3 then  $V$  can be triangulated so that there are exactly two vertices that are the vertices of an even number of the triangles.