

*Instructions:* The exam is 3 hours long and contains 6 questions. The total number of points is 100. Write your answers clearly in the notebook provided. You may quote any result/theorem seen in the lectures without proving it. **Justify all your answers!**

**Q1** Let  $G$  be the graph depicted in Figure 1.

- a) Is  $G$  planar? (4 points)
- b) Find  $\nu(G)$  and  $\tau(G)$ . (4 points)
- c) Find  $\chi(G)$ . (4 points)
- d) Find  $\chi'(G)$ . (4 points)

**Q2** Let  $\vec{G} = (V, E)$  be the oriented graph with the two specific vertices  $s$  and  $t$  and with the capacities  $c : E \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_+$  depicted in Figure 2.

- a) Find a maximum flow from the vertex  $s$  to the vertex  $t$ . (8 points)
- b) Find a minimum  $s, t$ -cut. (8 points)

**Q3** Let  $G = (V, E)$  be the simple graph with weights  $w : E \rightarrow \mathbb{Z}_+$  obtained from the oriented graph depicted in Figure 2 by replacing each oriented edge by a non-oriented one that has the same weight.

- a) Find a minimum-cost spanning tree in  $G$ . (8 points)
- b) Does  $G$  have a unique minimum-cost spanning tree. (8 points)

**Q4** Let  $k \geq 1$  be an integer, and let  $G$  be a connected  $2k$ -regular graph. Show that  $G$  is 2-edge-connected. (17 points)

**Q5** Let  $G$  be a simple planar graph. Prove that if  $G$  contains no cycle of length five or less, then  $\chi(G) \leq 3$ . (17 points)

**Q6** Let  $K_4^-$  be the 4-vertex graph obtained from  $K_4$  by removing one edge. How many non-isomorphic simple 2-connected graphs  $G = (V, E)$  are there with  $|V| = 1000$  such that  $G$  has no  $K_4^-$ -minor? (18 points)

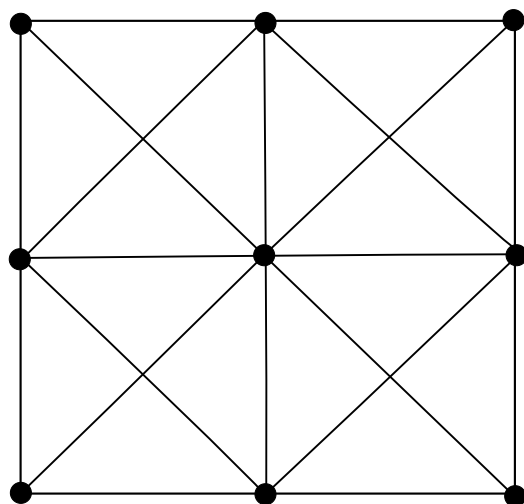


Figure 1: The graph in the question Q1.

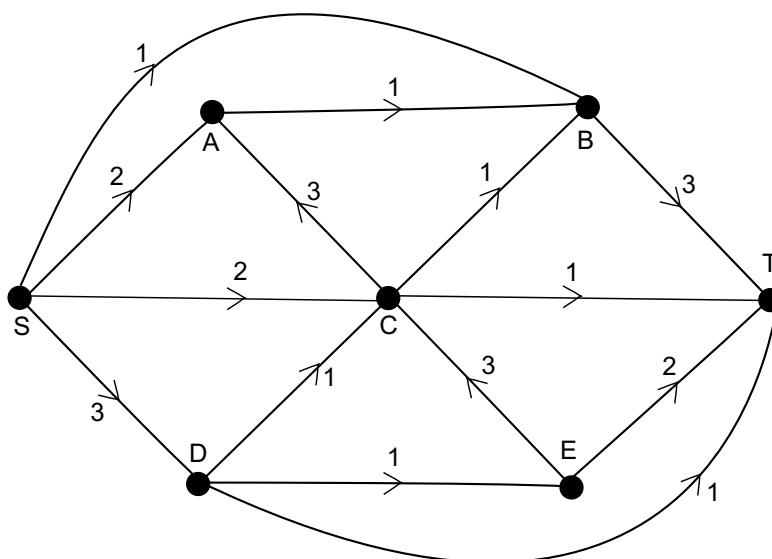


Figure 2: The oriented graph in the questions Q2 and Q3.