

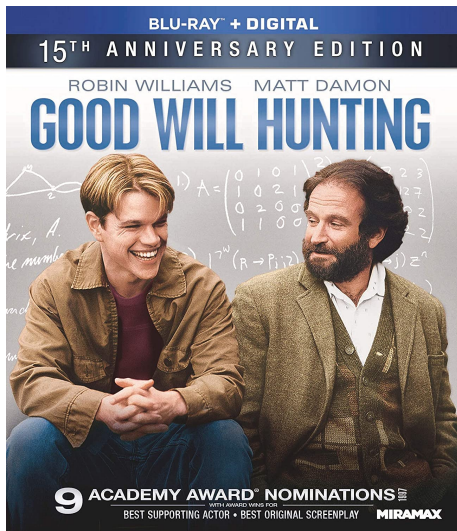
(十) 图论: 树 (Trees)

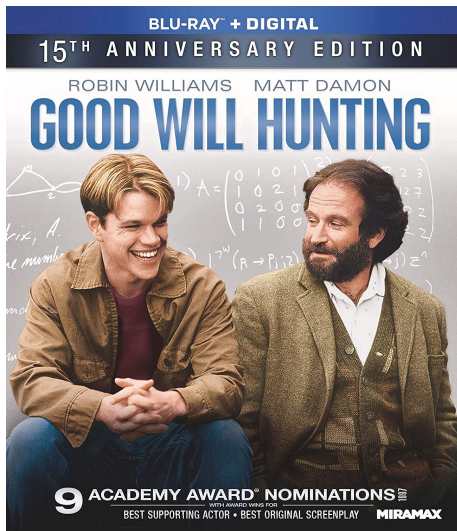
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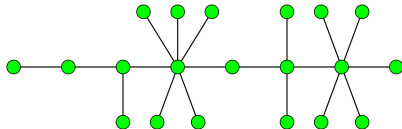
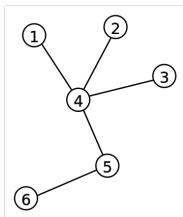
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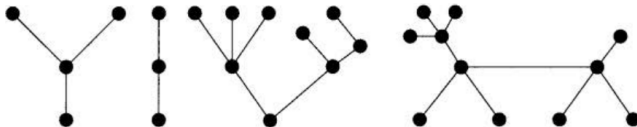
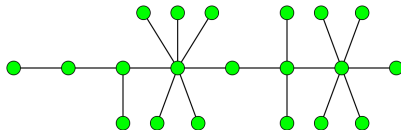
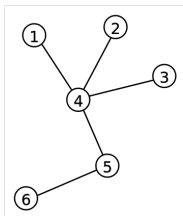
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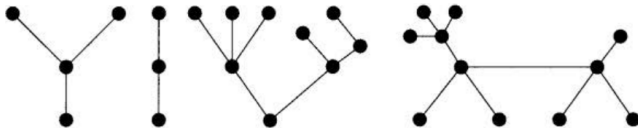
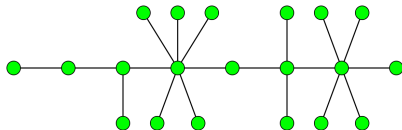
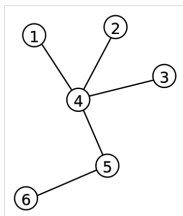
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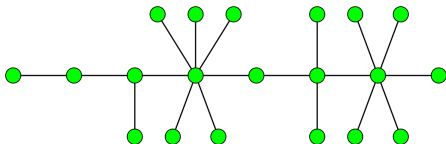
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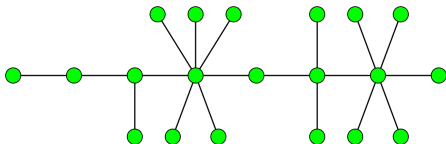


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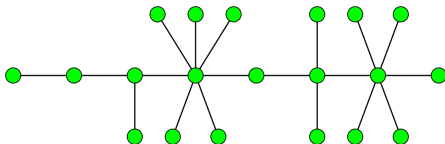
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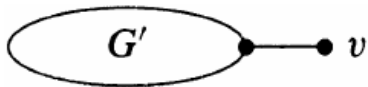
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A leaf does *not* belong to any paths connecting two other vertices.

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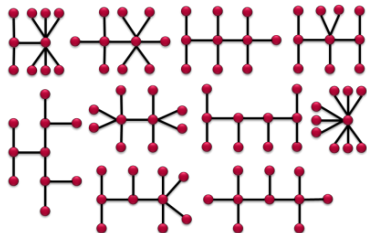
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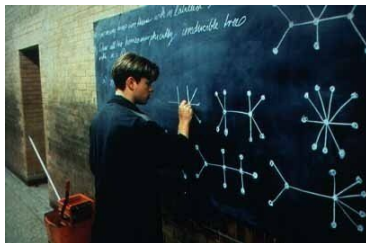
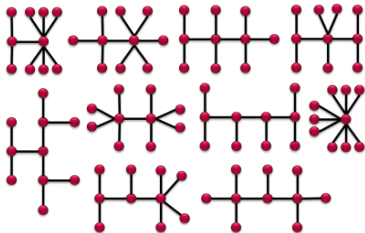
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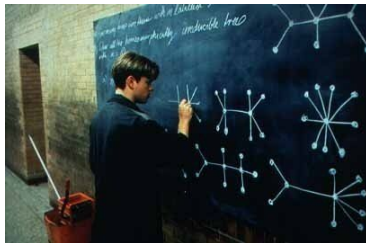
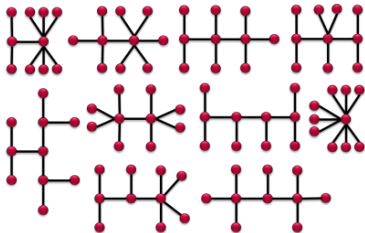
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Homeomorphically Irreducible Trees of size $n = 10$

Theorem ((We call it) Tree Theorem)

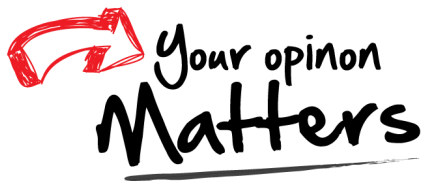
Let T be an undirected graph with n vertices.

Then the following statements are *equivalent*:

- (1) T is a tree;
- (2) T is acyclic, and has $n - 1$ edges;
- (3) T is connected, and has $n - 1$ edges;
- (4) T is connected, and each edge is a *bridge*;
- (5) Any two vertices of T are connected by exactly one path;
- (6) T is acyclic, but the addition of any edge creates exactly one cycle.



Thank
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