

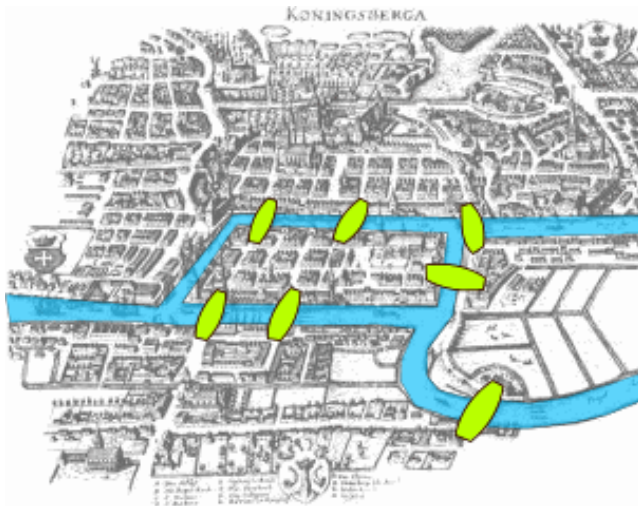
(九) 图论: 路径与圈 (Paths and Cycles)

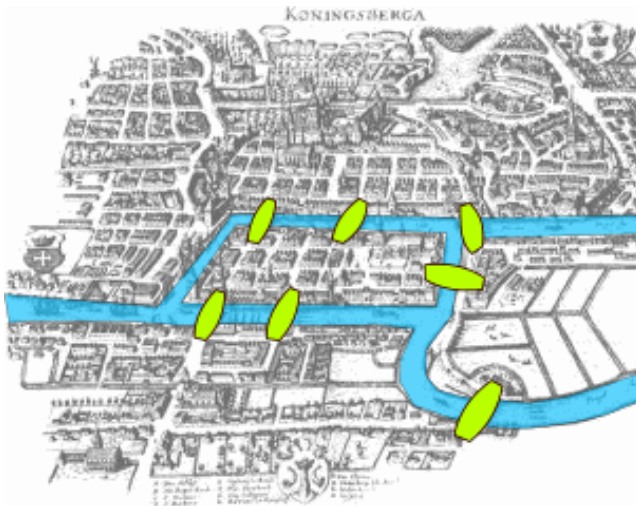
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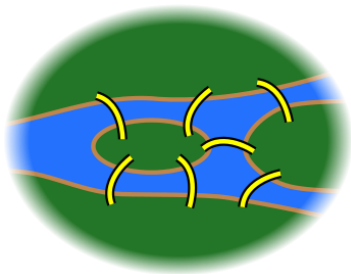
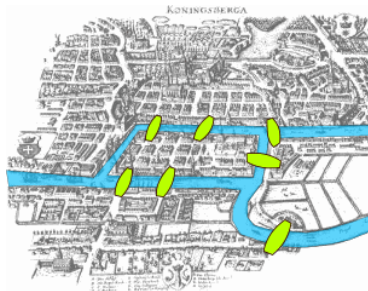
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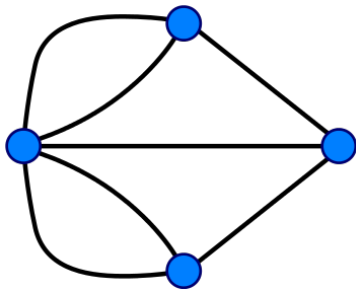
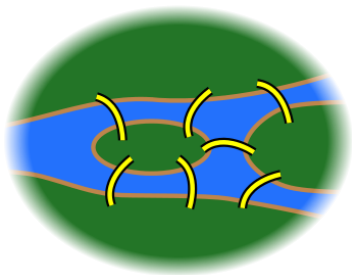


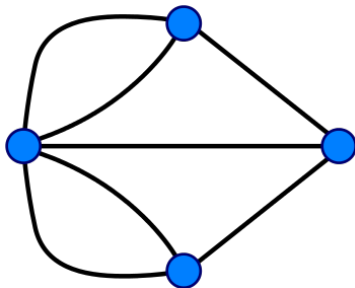
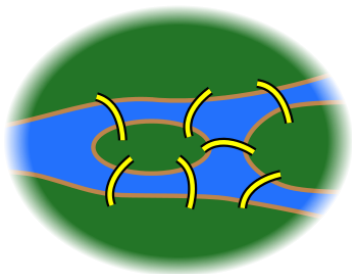




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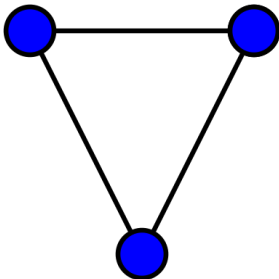
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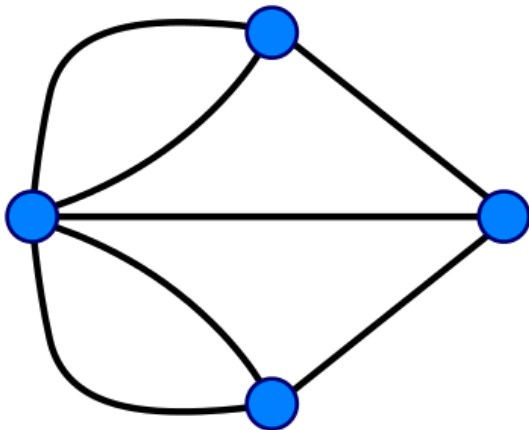
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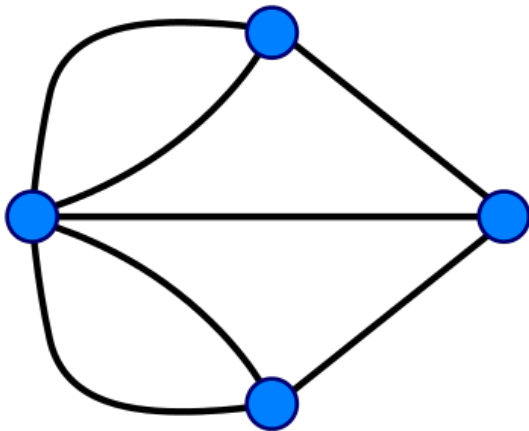
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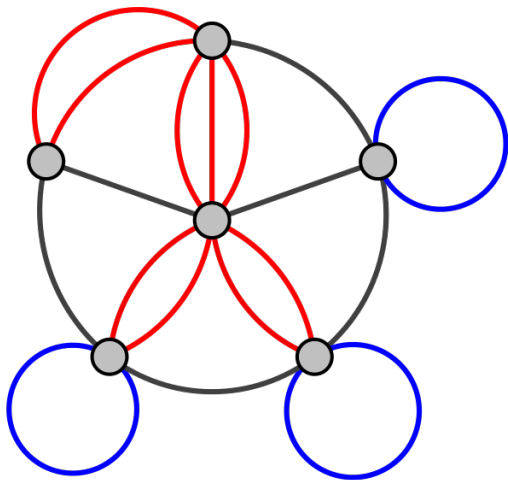
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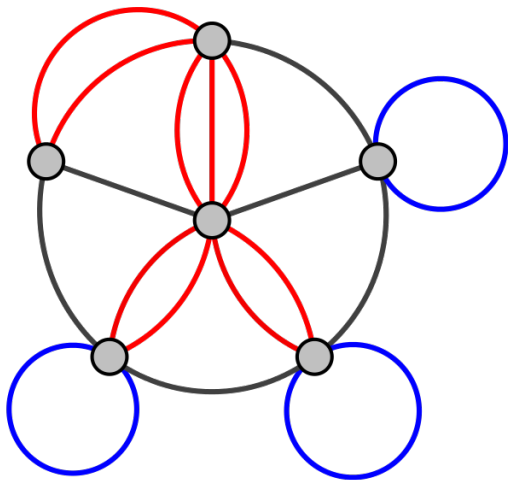






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Undirected Multigraph Permitting Loops

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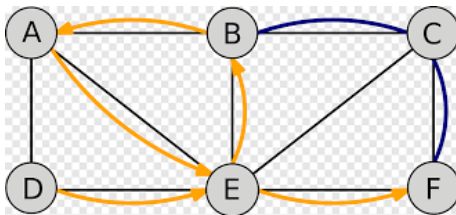
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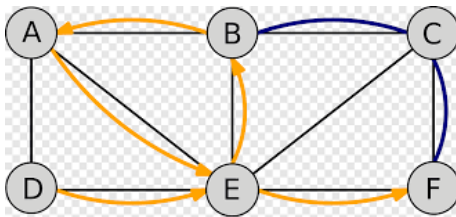
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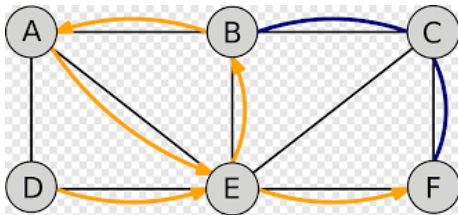
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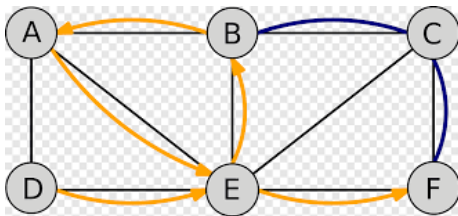
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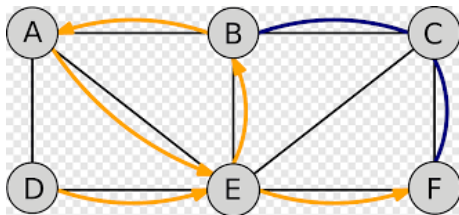
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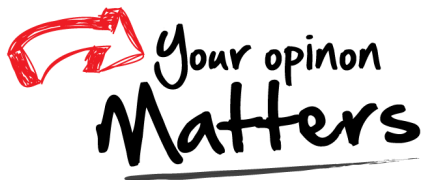
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Definition (Cycle)

A **cycle** is a **closed path** with at least one edge.

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