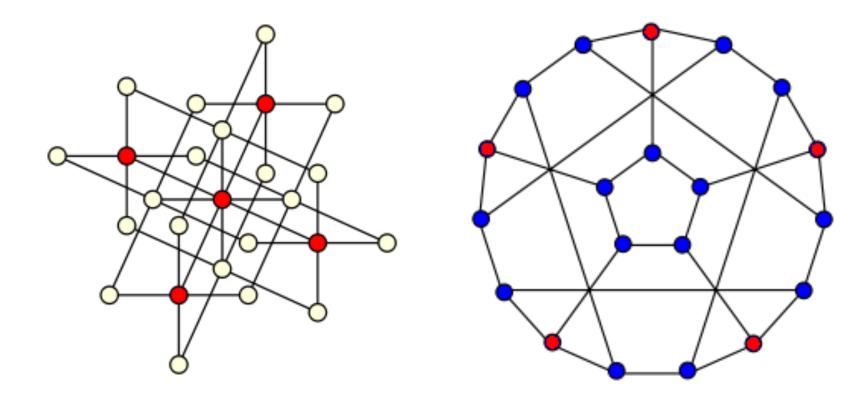
Dominating set

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MDS

- \bullet G = (V,E)
- DS is a subset of nodes D ⊆ V such that for all u ∈ V\D there exists a v ∈ D for which (u, v) ∈ E
- MDS is that of dominating set of minimum cardinality (domination number of G - γ(G))



Applications

- network testing
- web graphs
- wireless communication
- graph mining

Algorithms

- MDS of an n-vertex graph can be found in time O(n*2ⁿ) by inspecting all vertex subsets;
- Fomin, Grandoni & Kratsch (2009) O(1.5137ⁿ) and expspace;
- Fomin, Grandoni & Kratsch (2009) O(1.5264ⁿ) and polyspace;
- van Rooij, Nederlof & van Dijk (2009) O(1.5048ⁿ) time;
- HGA-MDS (Hybrid Genetic Algorithm).