

Mathematical Foundations of Computer Science

Graphs and Linear Algebra

Announcements

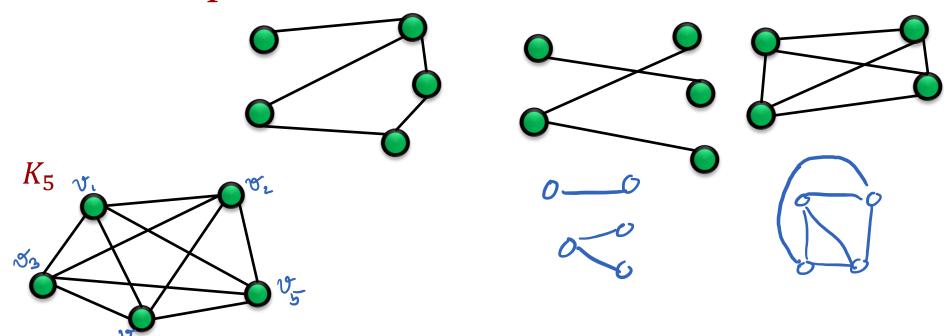
• In question 1 part (ii), assume $k \ge 2$.

• In question 4, Δ = maximum degree of a vertex in the graph.

Planar Graphs

A graph is planar if it can be drawn (represented) on the plane without any crossing edges (no edges intersect).

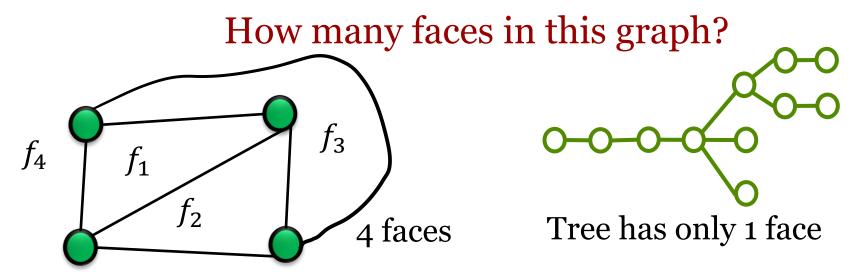
Which are planar?



Faces

An embedding of planar graph splits the plane into disjoint faces

Face: A region bounded by a set of edges, vertices in embedding

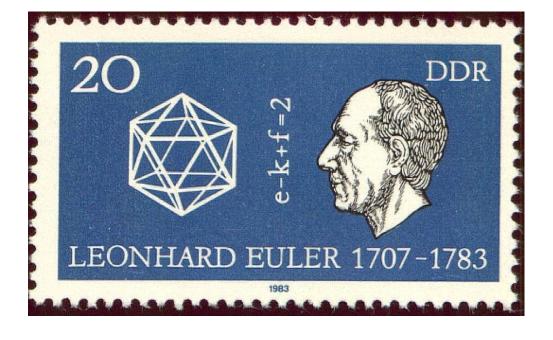


- When $n \ge 4$, each face borders at least 3 edges.
- One "outside" face (do not forget the outside face).

Euler's Formula

Thm. If G is a connected planar graph G with vertex set V (size n), edges E (m of them) and faces F (f of them), then |V| - |E| + |F| = n - m + f = 2





Recall total (2) possible edges
$$3n-6=o(\binom{n}{2})$$

Average degree of a planar graph ≤ 6

Thm. In a connected planar graph G(V, E) on $n \ge 4$ vertices, the number of edges $m \le 3n - 6$.

Proof. By Euler's formula, n-2=m-f.

Want to bound f in terms of m. Count #(edge,face) incidences

Every face has how many edges? ≥ 3

How many faces can an edge belong to? <2

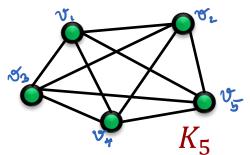
$$3f \le \# \text{edge-face incidences} \le 2m \Rightarrow 3f \le 2m =) f \le 2m$$

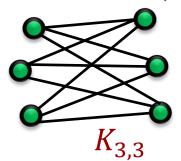
$$n-2 = m-f \ge m-\frac{2m}{3} = \frac{1}{3}m =) \quad 3(n-2) \ge m$$

[Aside] Non planar graphs

How do you say when a graph is non-planar? If m = 3n-6

It clearly should not contain K_5 and $K_{3,3}$





Thm [Wagner]. Any graph that does not "contain" K_5 and $K_{3,3}$ is a planar graph.

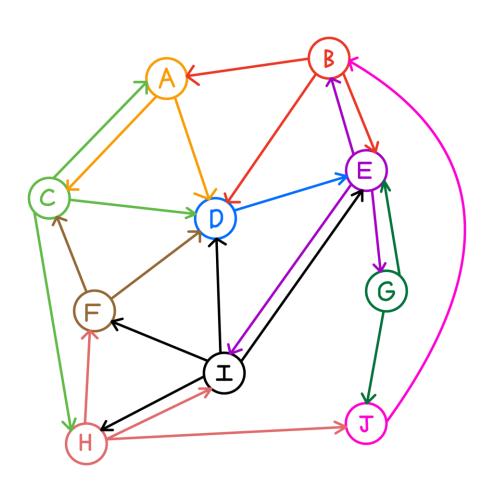
"Contain": graph minor.



Linear algebra and graphs



Which Vertex is most important?



Intro to Linear algebra



Vectors and Inner Products

Vector $x \in \mathbb{R}^n$ usually refers to a n-dimensional column vector $\begin{pmatrix} x_1 \\ x_2 \\ \vdots \\ x_n \end{pmatrix}$

Inner product: $x, y \in \mathbb{R}^n \Rightarrow \langle x, y \rangle = \sum_{\ell=1}^n x_\ell y_\ell$

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Inner products give geometry!

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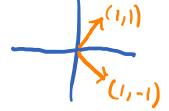
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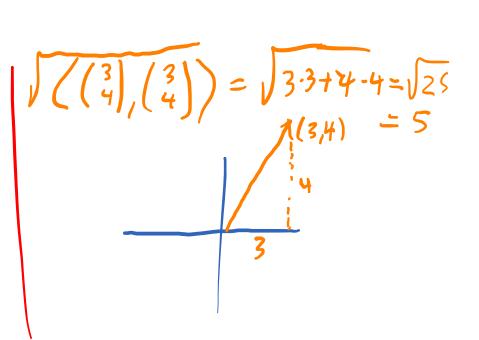
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Length of
$$x \in \mathbb{R}^n$$
 is $\sqrt{\langle x, x \rangle}$

$$\left\langle \binom{1}{1}, \binom{1}{1} \right\rangle = |\cdot|+|\cdot(-1)|$$

$$= 0$$





Inner Products vs Rank-1 matrices

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Outer product or Rank-1 matrix product:
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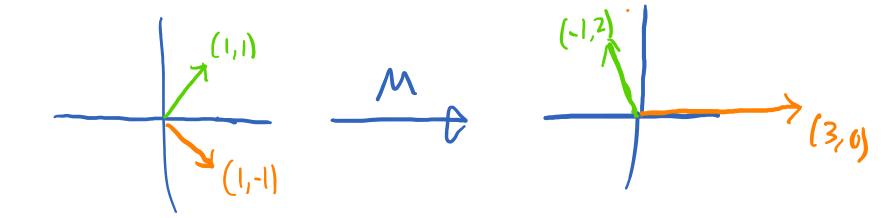
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Matrix vector as linear maps

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$$C_{ij} = \sum_{\ell=1}^{n} A(i,\ell) \times B(\ell,j) = \langle A_{i}^{T}, \beta_{j} \rangle$$

$$C_{23} = a_{21}b_{13} + a_{22}b_{23} + a_{23}b_{23} \qquad \text{ith fow of } A \\ \beta_{j} \text{ is jth column}$$
of β

Matrices: A Refresher

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$$A[B_1 \ B_2 \ B_3] = [AB_1 \ AB_2 \ AB_3]$$

Transpose

• Transpose of a matrix: Given $M \in \mathbb{R}^{m \times n}$, the transpose

 $M^T \in \mathbb{R}^{n \times m}$ has i, j entry equal to the j, i entry of M

$$\begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{12} & a_{13} \\ a_{21} & a_{22} & a_{23} \\ a_{31} & a_{32} & a_{33} \end{pmatrix}^T = \begin{pmatrix} a_{11} & a_{21} & a_{31} \\ a_{12} & a_{22} & a_{32} \\ a_{13} & a_{23} & a_{33} \end{pmatrix}$$

• M is symmetric if $M = M^T$