

Problem 2

Answer if the walks are trails, paths, closed walks, circuits, simple circuits, or just walks.

(a) $v_1, e_2, v_2, e_3, v_3, e_4, v_4, e_5, v_2, e_2, v_1, e_1, v_0$

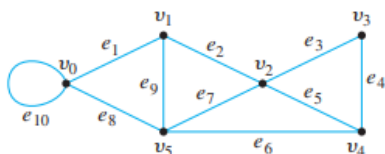
(b) v_2, v_3, v_4, v_5, v_2

(c) $v_4, v_2, v_3, v_4, v_5, v_2, v_4$

(d) $v_2, v_1, v_5, v_2, v_3, v_4, v_2$

(e) $v_0, v_5, v_2, v_3, v_4, v_2, v_1$

(f) v_5, v_4, v_2, v_1



Answer (a): walk (edge e_2 and vertices v_1, v_2 repeat not as first, last)

Answer (b): simple circuit (no edges repeat, vertex v_2 repeats as first, last)

Answer (c): walk (vertices v_4, v_2 repeat but not only as first, last)

Answer (d): circuit (no repeat edge, vertex v_2 starts, ends)

Answer (e): trail (vertex v_2 repeats but not edges)

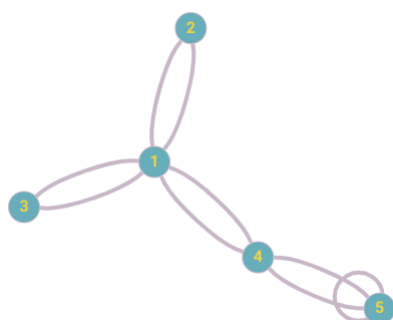
Answer (f): path (no vertices repeat); trail (no edges repeat)

Problem 9c

Answer if the graph has a Euler circuit.

Graph: Graph G has five vertices of degrees 2, 2, 4, 4, and 6.

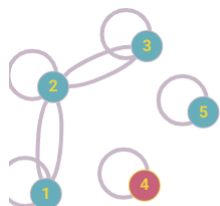
Answer: Not necessarily. The graph exists:



A Euler circuit is possible, with returns to vertices along parallel edges.

1, 2, 1, 3, 1, 4, 5, 5 loop, 4, 1

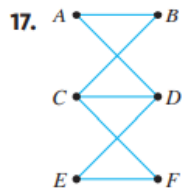
But the prompt doesn't necessitate a connect graph. An alternative also exists:



This graph has a Euler circuit with vertices 1, 2, and 3, but not one using every edge in the graph.

Problem 17

Answer if the graph has a Euler circuit. Describe it if yes, explain why if no.



Answer:

No, there isn't a Euler circuit.

Vertices C and D have odd degree 3, and graphs with odd-degree vertices don't have Euler circuits.

In an attempted Euler circuit:

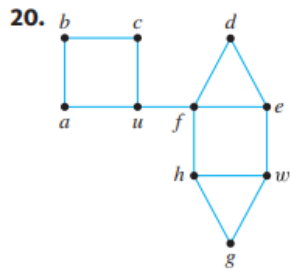
$$A, D, E, F, C$$

If the edge C to D didn't exist, a Euler circuit could complete to B , then A .

However, a Euler circuit is impossible without traversing one edge twice.

Problem 20

Answer if there's a Euler trail from u to w . If yes, find the trail.



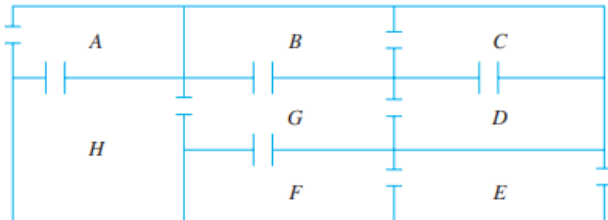
Answer:

No, there isn't a Euler trail.

Vertices u and w have odd degree, and the graph is connected, but h also has an odd degree of 3.

Problem 22

Given a home's floor plan, traverse every interior doorway once from rooms A to E.



Answer:

A, H, G, B, C, D, G, F, E