

Book: Quantum Computation & Quantum Information.

Authors: Chuang & Nielsen

Problem 5.1: Give a direct proof that the linear transformation defined by Equation (5.2) is unitary.

Proof: The equation (5.2) is:

$$|j\rangle \rightarrow \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} e^{2\pi i j k / N} |k\rangle$$

$$\text{let } e^{2\pi i / N} = \omega.$$

Then the corresponding linear transformation U is given by:

$$U = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \begin{pmatrix} \omega^{0j} & \omega^{1j} & \dots & \omega^{(N-1)j} \\ \omega^{0k} & \omega^{1k} & \dots & \omega^{(N-1)k} \\ \vdots & \vdots & \ddots & \vdots \\ \omega^{0(N-1)} & \omega^{1(N-1)} & \dots & \omega^{(N-1)(N-1)} \end{pmatrix}$$

k-th row

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j-th column.

To show that U is unitary we need to show that

$$UU^\dagger = \mathbb{I} \quad \left(\begin{array}{l} \dagger \text{ denotes} \\ \text{adjoint} \end{array} \right)$$

Note that U is a symmetric matrix.

$$\Rightarrow U^\dagger = U$$

$$\Rightarrow (U^\dagger)^* = U^*$$

($U^\dagger = \text{transpose of } U$ and $*$ denotes complex conjugation).

$$\Rightarrow U^\dagger = U^*$$

$$\Rightarrow U^\dagger = \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \begin{pmatrix} & & & \\ & & & \\ & & \omega^{-jk} & \\ & & \downarrow & \\ & & & \end{pmatrix} \begin{array}{l} \text{R-th} \\ \text{row} \end{array}$$

$j\text{-th}$
column.

\Rightarrow the $k\text{-th}$ row & $j\text{-th}$ column element of UU^\dagger is given by the product of inner product of the $k\text{-th}$ row of U & the $j\text{-th}$ column of U^\dagger .

$$\Rightarrow (\phi - q)(k - j) \equiv 0 \pmod{N}.$$

that is:

$$(VV^T)_{kj} = \frac{1}{N} (1 \omega^k \dots + \omega^{(N-1)k}) \begin{pmatrix} \omega^j \\ \vdots \\ \omega^{(N-1)j} \end{pmatrix}$$

$$= \frac{1}{N} [1 + \omega^{(k-j)} + \dots + \omega^{(N-1)(k-j)}]$$

case i: $k = j$. Then:

$$(VV^T)_{kk} = (VV^T)_{jj} = \frac{1}{N} (1 + \omega^0 + \dots + \omega^0)$$

$$= \frac{1}{N} \times N = 1$$

case ii: $k \neq j$. Then $\omega^{k-j} \neq 1$

$$(0 \dots 0 \quad 0 \leq k-j \leq N-1)$$

$$\Rightarrow (VV^T)_{kj} = \frac{1 - \omega^{(k-j)N}}{1 - \omega^{(k-j)}}$$

$$= \frac{1 - (\omega^N)^{k-j}}{1 - \omega^{k-j}} = \frac{1 - 1^{k-j}}{1 - \omega^{k-j}} = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow UU^\dagger = I$$

$\Rightarrow U$ is unitary matrix.

This completes the proof.

Problem 2: Verification of Equation (5.12)

Proof: we will derive equation (5.13)

using the equations (5.11) & (5.12).

$$R_k = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & e^{2\pi i/2^k} \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{--- (5.11)}$$

The initial state is

$$|j_1 j_2 \dots j_n\rangle.$$

Applying the Hadamard gate to the first bit produces the state:

$$\frac{1}{\sqrt{2}} \left(|0\rangle + e^{2\pi i 0 \cdot j_1} |1\rangle \right) |j_2 \dots j_n\rangle \quad \text{--- (5.12)}$$

where, $0 \cdot j_l j_{l+1} \dots j_m$ represents the binary fraction $\frac{j_l}{2} + \frac{j_{l+1}}{2^2} + \dots + \frac{j_m}{2^{m-l+1}}$

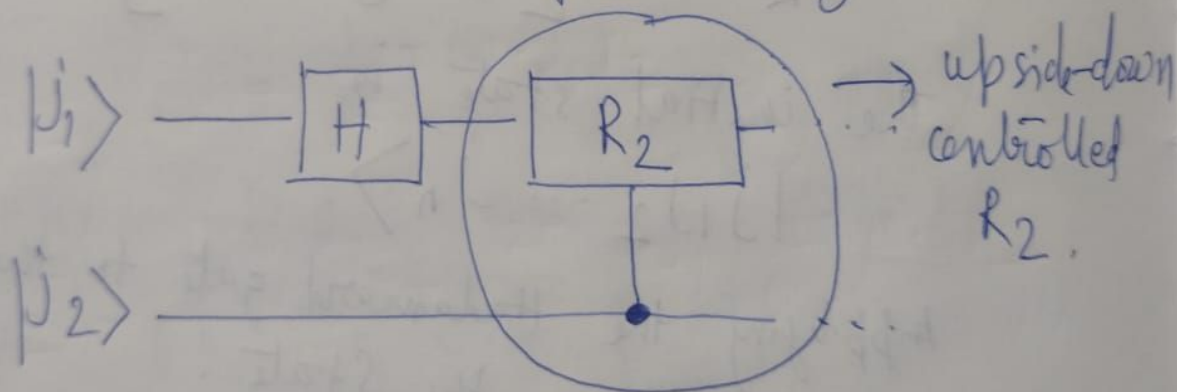
(5.12) is true because

$$e^{2\pi i 0 \cdot j_1} = \begin{cases} -1 & \text{when } j_1 = 1 \\ +1 & \text{when } j_1 = 0 \end{cases}$$

we need to show that applying the controlled- R_2 gate produces the state:

$$\frac{1}{2^{1/2}} (|0\rangle + e^{2\pi i 0 \cdot j_1} |1\rangle) |j_2 \dots j_n\rangle \quad (5.13).$$

The relevant part of the circuit for the Quantum Fourier Transformer is given below:



$$R_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 \\ 0 & e^{2\pi i / 4} \end{bmatrix} \quad \text{from eqn (5.11).}$$

$$\Rightarrow \text{controlled-}R_2 = \begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & e^{2\pi i / 4} \end{bmatrix}$$

But as shown in the diagram we are dealing with an

upside-down-controlled R_2 . (= G let's say).

then $G =$

$$\begin{bmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & e^{2\pi i/4} \end{bmatrix}$$

$$\Rightarrow G|0\rangle|j_2\rangle = \frac{1}{2^{1/2}} \begin{cases} |0\rangle|j_2\rangle & \text{if } j_2=0 \\ |0\rangle(R_2|j_2\rangle) & \text{if } j_2=1 \end{cases}$$

and,

$$G|1\rangle|j_2\rangle = \frac{1}{2^{1/2}} \begin{cases} |1\rangle|j_2\rangle & \text{if } j_2=0 \\ |1\rangle(R_2|j_2\rangle) & \text{if } j_2=1 \end{cases}$$

So when G acts on the expression in (5.12) the result is:

$$\begin{aligned}
 &= \frac{1}{2^{1/2}} \left[4 |0\rangle |j_2\rangle + e^{2\pi i 0 \cdot j_1} 4 |0\rangle |j_2\rangle \right] \\
 &= \frac{1}{2^{1/2}} \left\{ \begin{aligned} &|0\rangle |j_2\rangle + e^{2\pi i 0 \cdot j_1} |1\rangle |j_2\rangle & \text{if } j_2 = 0 \\ &|0\rangle |j_2\rangle + e^{2\pi i 0 \cdot j_1} \times e^{2\pi i / 4} |1\rangle |j_2\rangle & \text{if } j_2 = 1 \end{aligned} \right.
 \end{aligned}$$

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Now the expression in (5.13) is :

$$\begin{aligned}
 &\frac{1}{2^{1/2}} \left(|0\rangle + e^{2\pi i 0 \cdot j_1 j_2} |1\rangle \right) |j_2\rangle \\
 &= \frac{1}{2^{1/2}} |0\rangle |j_2\rangle + e^{2\pi i 0 \cdot j_1} \times e^{2\pi i 0 \cdot j_2} |1\rangle |j_2\rangle \\
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 \end{aligned}$$

(because $e^{2\pi i 0.0101} = e^{2\pi i \times \frac{1}{4}}$
 $= e^{2\pi i / 4}$ using the definition
of a decimal notation as given
earlier)

The right hand sides of both the
equations ① & ② are the same.

This completes the proof.

Book: Explorations in Quantum Computing.

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Problem 6.7: Prove the convolution property
of the n -qubit Quantum Fourier
transform. Suppose we have two n -qubit
quantum states:

$$|\psi\rangle = \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} c_k |k\rangle$$

$$|\phi\rangle = \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} d_k |k\rangle$$

(where $N = 2^n$)

Define the convolution of $|\psi\rangle$ & $|\varphi\rangle$ as

convolution $(|\psi\rangle, |\varphi\rangle)$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \sum_{l=0}^{N-1} c_l d_{j-l} |j\rangle$$

where $d_{j-l} = d_{N+j-l}$ if $j-l < 0$.

Your task is to show that the QFT of the convolution is related to the QFT of the states themselves. To see this write the QFTs of $|\psi\rangle$ and $|\varphi\rangle$ as:

$$\left. \begin{aligned} \text{QFT } |\psi\rangle &= \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} \alpha_k |k\rangle \\ \text{QFT } |\varphi\rangle &= \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} \beta_k |k\rangle \end{aligned} \right\} \text{--- (6.28)}$$

and based on these definitions prove that:

$$\begin{aligned} &\text{QFT}(\text{convolution}(|\psi\rangle, |\varphi\rangle)) \\ &= \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \alpha_j \beta_j |j\rangle \end{aligned} \quad \text{--- (6.29)}$$

Proof: First we obtain the α_k 's
and β_k 's for the representation
given in (6.28).

we start with $|\psi\rangle = \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} c_k |k\rangle$

Then

$$\text{QFT}(|\psi\rangle) = \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} c_k \text{QFT}(|k\rangle)$$

(by the linearity of the QFT)

$$= \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} c_k \cdot \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} e^{2\pi i j k} |j\rangle$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \left(\sum_{k=0}^{N-1} c_k e^{2\pi i j k} \right) |j\rangle$$

(by interchanging the sums over j & k)

$$\Rightarrow \alpha_k = \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} c_j e^{2\pi i j k}$$

similarly,

$$\beta_k = \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} d_j e^{2\pi i j k}$$

$\Rightarrow \alpha_k$'s & β_k 's for (6.28) are found.

Now, $\text{QFT}[\text{convolution } (|\psi\rangle, |\varphi\rangle)]$:

$$= \text{QFT} \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \sum_{l=0}^{N-1} c_l \cdot d_{j-l} |j\rangle$$

$$= \text{QFT} \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \left[\sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \left(\sum_{l=0}^{N-1} c_l \cdot d_{j-l} \right) |j\rangle \right]$$

$$= \text{QFT} \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} e_j' |j\rangle$$

$$= \frac{1}{\sqrt{N}} \sum_{k=0}^{N-1} d_k' |k\rangle$$

where, $d_k' = \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} c_j' \cdot e^{2\pi i j k}$

$$= \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \left(\sum_{l=0}^{N-1} c_l d_{j-l} \right) e^{2\pi i j k}$$

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On the other hand, the RHS of (6.29) is:

$$= \left(\sum_{p=0}^{N-1} c_p \cdot e^{2\pi i j k p} \right) \left(\sum_{q=0}^{N-1} d_q \cdot e^{2\pi i j k q} \right)$$

So first term is :

$$= \sum_{p=0}^{N-1} \sum_{q=0}^{N-1} c_p d_q e^{2\pi i j k (p+q)}$$

$$= \sum_{p+q \leq N-1} \sum c_p d_q e^{2\pi i j k (p+q)}$$

$$+ \sum_{p+q \geq N} \sum c_p d_q e^{2\pi i j k (p+q)}$$

For the first summation, make the change of variable $p+q = m \Rightarrow q = m - p$.

$$q \geq 0 \Rightarrow p \leq m$$

So first term becomes

$$= \sum_{p=0}^m \sum_{m-p=0}^{N-1} c_p d_{m-p} e^{2\pi i j k m}$$

$$= \sum_{m=0}^{N-1} \sum_{p=0}^m c_p d_{m-p} e^{2\pi i j k m}$$

$$= \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \sum_{l=0}^j c_l d_{j-l} e^{2\pi i j k}$$

For the second summation, make the change of variable:

$$m = p + q - N$$

$$\Rightarrow q = m - p + N$$

$$\text{when } q=0 \Rightarrow m = N - p$$

$$\& \ q=N-1 \Rightarrow m = p+1.$$

So second term becomes

$$= \sum_{p=m+1}^{N-m} \sum_{m=0}^{N-1} c_p d_q e^{2\pi i j k (p+q-N)}$$

$$= \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \sum_{p=m+1}^{N-m} c_p d_q \cdot e^{2\pi i j k} \begin{pmatrix} 0 & 0 \\ 0 & e^{2\pi i N} \end{pmatrix} = 1$$

$$= \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \sum_{k=m+1}^{N-m} c_{\ell} d_{j-\ell} \cdot e^{2\pi i j k}$$

So the sum of the two terms is

$$= \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \sum_{\ell=0}^j c_{\ell} d_{j-\ell} e^{2\pi i j k} + \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \sum_{\ell=j+1}^{N-j} c_{\ell} d_{j-\ell} e^{2\pi i j k}$$

$$= \sum_{j=0}^{N-1} \sum_{\ell=0}^{N-1} c_{\ell} d_{j-\ell} e^{2\pi i j k}. \quad \text{--- (2)}$$

RHS of ① & ② are same which completes the proof!

Book: Graph Theory - Undergraduate Mathematics

Authors: Khee Mong Koh et. al.

Publisher: World Scientific.

Problem 1: Let G be a bipartite graph with bipartition (X, Y) . Let A, B be subsets of X . Show that

(a) $N(A \cup B) = N(A) \cup N(B)$

(b) $N(A \cap B) \subseteq N(A) \cap N(B)$

(c) $|N(A \cup B)| + |N(A \cap B)| \leq |N(A)| + |N(B)|$

Solution: (a) let $y \in N(A \cup B)$
 $\Rightarrow \exists x \in A \cup B$ s.t. $xy \in E(G)$
 \Rightarrow if $x \in A$ then $xy \in N(A)$
 \Rightarrow if $x \in B$ then $xy \in N(B)$
 $\&$ $y \in N(A) \cup N(B)$
So $x \in A \cup B \Rightarrow xy \in N(A) \cup N(B)$
 $\Rightarrow N(A \cup B) \subseteq N(A) \cup N(B)$

next let $y \in N(A) \cup N(B)$.

then $y \in N(A)$ or $y \in N(B)$ or both.

\Rightarrow if $y \in N(A)$, $\exists x \in A$ s.t. $xy \in E$
or if $y \in N(B)$, $\exists x \in B$ s.t. $xy \in E$ (4)

\Rightarrow if $y \in N(A) \cup N(B)$, $\exists x \in A \cup B$
such that $xy \in E$ (4) $\Rightarrow y \in N(A \cup B)$

$\Rightarrow N(A \cup B) \supseteq N(A) \cup N(B)$

$\Rightarrow N(A \cup B) = N(A) \cup N(B)$.

(both inclusions proved).

(b) $A \cap B \subseteq A \Rightarrow N(A \cap B) \subseteq N(A)$

$A \cap B \subseteq B \Rightarrow N(A \cap B) \subseteq N(B)$

$\Rightarrow N(A \cap B) \subseteq N(A) \cap N(B)$
(o.o of inclusion in both $N(A)$ & $N(B)$)

(c) $|N(A \cup B)| \leq |N(A) \cup N(B)|$

$= |N(A)| + |N(B)| - |N(A) \cap N(B)|$

$\leq |N(A)| + |N(B)| - |N(A \cap B)|$

(by the result in (b))

$\Rightarrow |N(A \cup B)| + |N(A \cap B)| \leq |N(A)| + |N(B)|$

Problem 2: Let G be a bipartite graph with bipartition (X, Y) . Prove that G contains a complete matching from X to Y if and only if

$$|X \setminus N(T)| \leq |Y \setminus T| \quad \forall T \subseteq Y.$$

Solution: Suppose the condition holds i.e.,

$$|X \setminus N(T)| \leq |Y \setminus T| \quad \forall T \subseteq Y.$$

Now let $S \subseteq X$ be any subset of X .

Taking $T = N(S)^c$ we get

$$|X \setminus N(N(S)^c)| \leq |Y| - |N(S)^c|$$

$$\text{or } |X| - |N(N(S)^c)| \leq |N(S)|$$

It suffices to prove that

$$|S| \leq |X| - |N(N(S)^c)|$$

$$\Leftrightarrow |S| + |N(N(S)^c)| \leq |X|. \quad \text{--- } (*)$$

claim: $N(N(S)) \cap N(N(S)^c) = \emptyset$.

of ~~not~~, then $\exists y_1 \in N(S)$ and

$\exists y_2 \in N(S)^c$ such that

$$xy_1 \in E(G) \text{ \& } xy_2 \in E(G)$$

~~But then since~~
Now let M be the complete matching
of G . Then since xy_1 & xy_2 have
a common vertex, so,

xy_1 & xy_2 cannot be in the
matching M . (by definition of a matching)

$$\Rightarrow |M| < |X|$$

$\Rightarrow M$ is not a complete matching.

\Rightarrow a contradiction.

\Rightarrow there cannot exist an x such that

$$x \in N(N(S)) \cap N(N(S)^c)$$

$$\Rightarrow N(N(S)) \cap N(N(S)^c) = \emptyset$$

as claimed.

But then this implies that

$$|N(N(S) \cup N(S)^c)|$$

$$= |N(N(S))| + |N(N(S)^c)|$$

$$\text{Now } N(S) \cup N(S)^c \subseteq Y$$

$$\Rightarrow N(N(S) \cup N(S)^c) \subseteq X.$$

$$\Rightarrow |N(N(S) \cup N(S)^c)| \leq |X|.$$

$$\Rightarrow |N(N(S))| + |N(N(S)^c)| \leq |X|.$$

\Rightarrow Now it is trivial to see that

$$|S| \leq |N(N(S))|. \quad \forall S \subseteq X.$$

$$\Rightarrow |S| + |N(N(S)^c)| \leq |X|.$$

Thus we proved the sufficient condition $(*)$.

$$\Rightarrow |S| \leq |X| - |N(N(S)^c)| \leq |N(S)|.$$

$$\Rightarrow |S| \leq |N(S)| \quad \forall S \subseteq X.$$

\Rightarrow So the condition of Hall's theorem is met
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$\Rightarrow G$ has a complete matching from X to Y .

Next, let's prove the "only if" part.

Assume G has a complete matching M .

Then by Hall's theorem,

$$|S| \leq |N(S)| \quad \forall S \subseteq X.$$

So now let $T \subseteq Y$.

Let $S = N(T)^c$. Then we get

$$|X| - |N(T)^c| \leq |N(N(T)^c)|$$

$$\Rightarrow |X| - |N(T)| \leq |N(N(T)^c)| \quad \text{--- ①}$$

$$\text{But } N(N(T)) \cup N(N(T)^c) \subseteq Y$$

$$\text{and } N(N(T)) \cap N(N(T)^c) = \emptyset.$$

(as proved in the "y" part)

$$\Rightarrow |N(N(T)) \cup N(N(T)^c)|$$

$$= |N(N(T))| + |N(N(T)^c)|$$

$$\Rightarrow |N(N(T))| + |N(N(T)^c)| \leq |Y| \quad \text{--- ②}$$

Adding inequalities ① & ② we get
after cancellations of some terms:

$$|X| - |N(T)| \leq |Y| - |N(N(T))| \quad \text{--- ③}$$

$$\text{But } |T| \leq |N(N(T))| \quad \text{--- ④}$$

Adding ③ & ④ we get,

$$|X| - |N(T)| \leq |Y| - |T|$$

in other words:

$$|X \setminus N(T)| \leq |Y \setminus T| \quad \forall T \subseteq Y.$$

This proves the "only if" part.

And there's the solution to the problem is completed.

Book: Modern Graph Theory.

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Problem: Let $G = G_2(m, n)$ be a bipartite graph with vertex classes V_1 & V_2 containing a complete matching from V_1 to V_2 .

Prove that there is a vertex $x \in V_1$ such that for every edge xy there is a matching from V_1 to V_2 that contains the edge xy .

show that matchings of size at least 2 exist.

Solution: let M be the complete matching
from V_1 to V_2 .

Assume that what we want to prove is
not true. So the converse is true. That is,
for each $x \in V_1$, $\exists y \in V_2$ such that
there is no matching from V_1 to V_2 that
contains the edge xy .

let $V_1 = \{x_1, x_2, \dots, x_m\}$

and $V_2 = \{y_1, y_2, \dots, y_n\}$

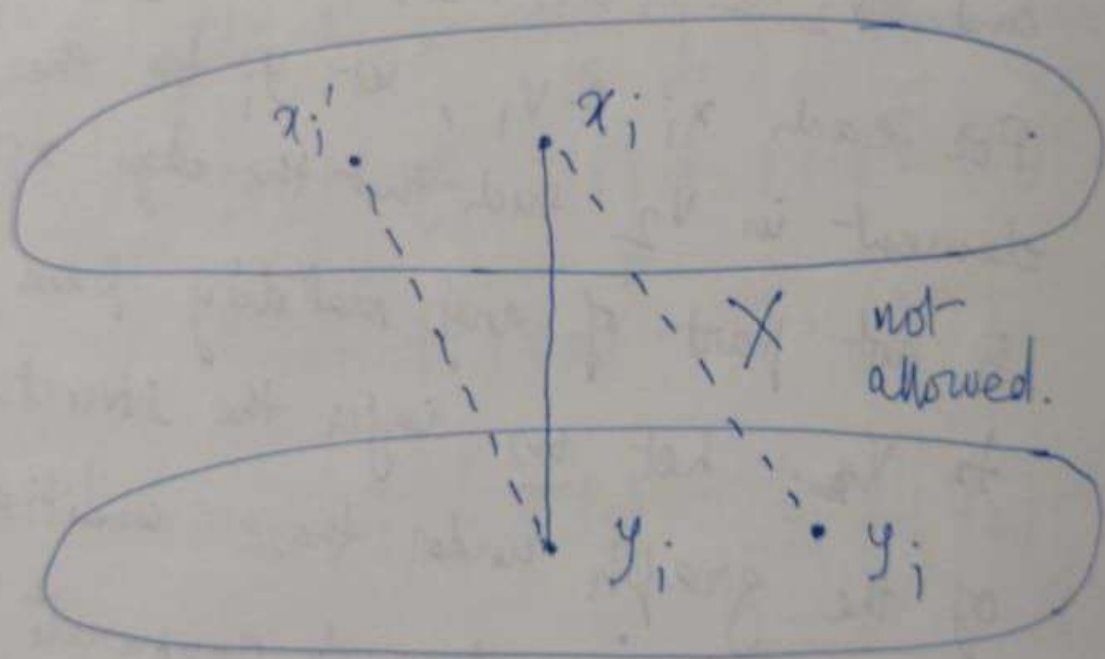
For each $x_i \in V_1$, let y_i be the
element in V_2 such that the edge $x_i y_i$

is not part of any matching from V_1
to V_2 . let us infer the structure
of the graph under these conditions.

That is let us try to enumerate
all possible structures the graph can
have under these circumstances.

Since there is no matching from V_1 to V_2 which contains the edge $x_i y_i$, it follows that each edge $x_i y_i$ must fall into one of the following categories:

Scenario 1: $\exists x_i' \in V_1$ such that $x_i' y_i \in E(G)$ and $\nexists y_i' \in V_2$ such that $x_i y_i' \in E(G)$. The situation is shown below:



in this case, let $S = \{x_i, x_i'\}$
then we have,

$$|N(S)| = |\{y_i\}| = 1 \leq 2 = |S|$$

So Hall's condition is violated.

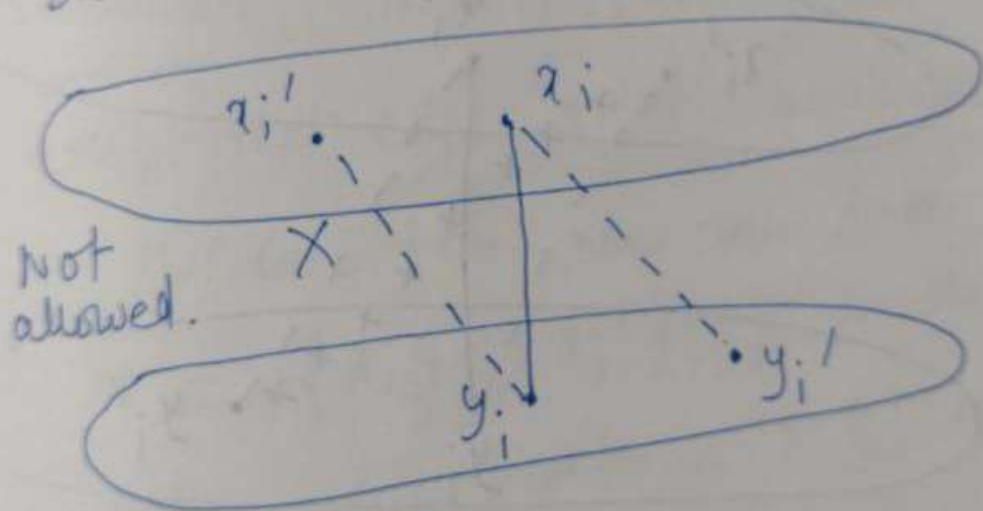
$\Rightarrow G$ does not have a complete matching from V_1 to V_2 .

This is a contradiction.

\Rightarrow Scenario 1 does not arise.

Scenario 2: $\exists y_i' \in V_2$ such that

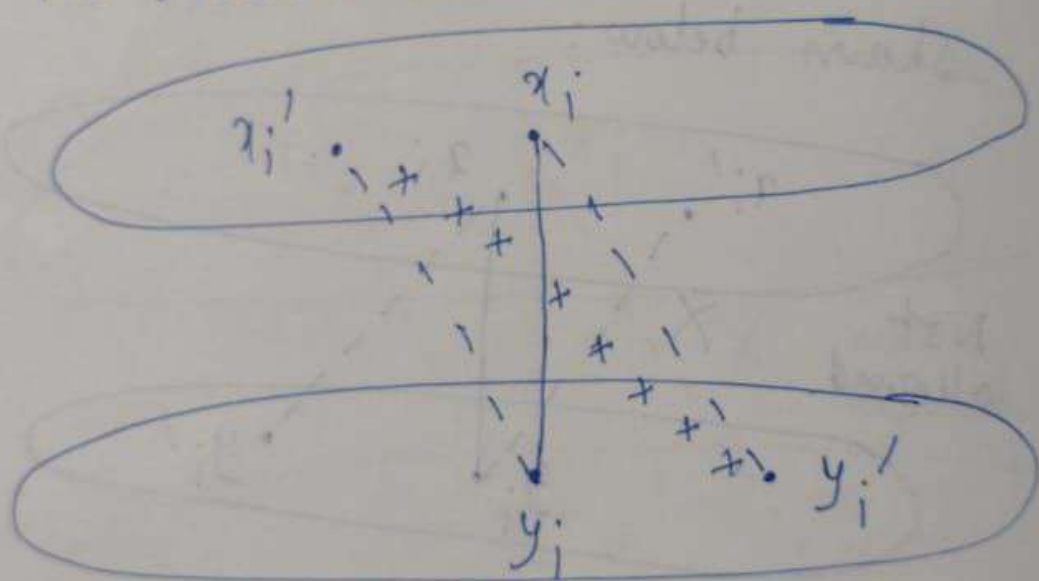
$x_i y_i' \in E(G)$ and $\nexists x_i' \in V_1$ such that $x_i' y_i \in E(G)$. The situation is shown below:



This is a valid scenario.
If \exists at least 2 such x_i' s with this property, then $M' = \{x_i y_i, x_i' y_i'\}$ is a matching of size at least 2 which contains the edge $x_i y_i$.

This contradicts the assumption that there is no such matching that we made at the beginning. So this scenario doesn't really arise and is ruled out.

Scenario 3: $\exists x_i' \in V_1$ such that $x_i' y_i \in E(G)$ & $\exists y_i' \in V_2$ such that $x_i y_i' \in E(G)$ but $x_i' y_i \notin E(G)$.
The scenario is shown below:



Edge $x_i x_i'$ is not allowed.

In this case two defining $S = \{x_i, x_i'\}$
 $\Rightarrow N(S) = \{y_i\}$. So Hall's condition is violated.

\Rightarrow this scenario is impossible.

scenario 4: this is same as scenario 3
except that edge $x_i y_i$ is allowed.

on this scenario 3, we can take
the matching as $M' = \{x_i y_i, x_i' y_i'\}$
contradicting the assumption that there
is no matching of size at least 2
which contains $x_i y_i$.

Scenario 4: this is same as scenario 3
except that edge $x_i' y_i'$ is allowed.

on this case too we can take
 $M' = \{x_i y_i, x_i' y_i'\}$ as the
matching which contains $x_i y_i$ thus
obtaining a contradiction.

Thus all possible scenarios coming out
of the assumption that converse is true
lead to impossible situation. So
the converse is false. This completes
the proof.

Book — Graph Theory — Undergraduate Mathematics

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Problem: Let G be a bipartite graph with bipartition (X, Y) . Assume that there exists a positive integer k such that

$$d(y) \leq k \leq d(x) \quad \text{--- (i)}$$

for each vertex y in Y and each vertex x in X . Let $S \subseteq X$ and denote by E_1 the set of edges in G incident with some vertex in S , and by E_2 the set of edges in G incident with some vertex in $N(S)$.

(a) Show that $k|S| \leq |E_1| \leq |E_2| \leq k|N(S)|$

(b) Show that G has a complete matching from X to Y .

(c) Deduce from (b) that every k -regular bipartite graph with $k \geq 1$ has a perfect matching.

Proof: (a) $d(x) \geq k \quad \forall x \in X$.

and $S \subseteq X$ together imply

$$d(x) \geq k \quad \forall x \in S.$$

Summing over all $x \in S$ we get

$$\sum_{x \in S} d(x) \geq k|S|.$$

But $\sum_{x \in S} d(x) = \# \text{ edges incident with some vertex in } S$

$$= |E_1|.$$

$$\text{Thus } |E_1| \geq k|S| \quad \text{--- ①}$$

Similarly $d(y) \leq k \quad \forall y \in Y$

and $N(S) \subseteq Y$ together imply.

$$d(y) \leq k \quad \forall y \in N(S).$$

Summing over all $y \in N(S)$ we get

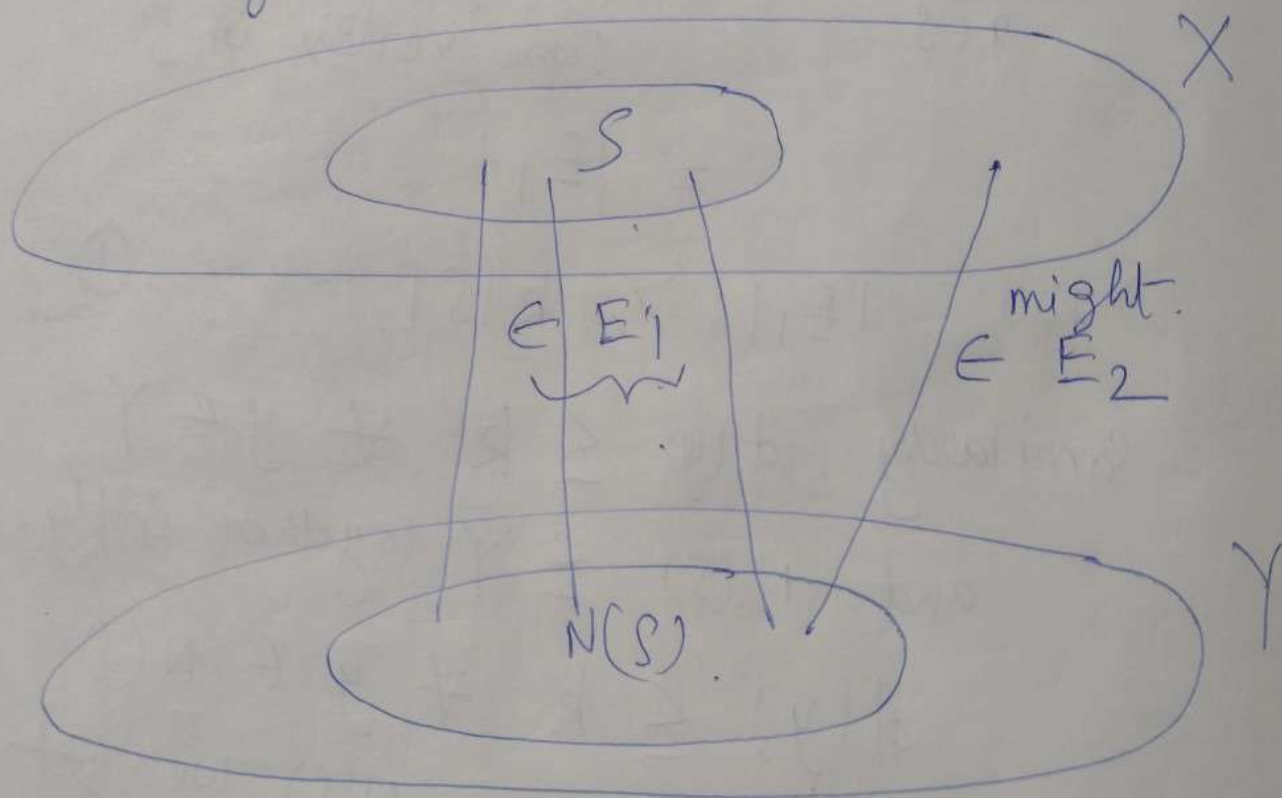
$$\sum_{y \in N(S)} d(y) \leq k|N(S)|.$$

But $\sum_{y \in N(S)} d(y) = \# \text{ edges incident with some vertex in } N(S)$

$$= |E_2|.$$

Thus $|E_2| \leq k|N(S)|$ — ②
 So to prove (a) it suffices to show
 that $|E_1| \leq |E_2|$.

By definition every edge in E_1 belongs
 to E_2 . But every edge in E_2 may not
 belong to E_1 . See diagram below:



Therefore $E_1 \subseteq E_2$ always.

$$\Rightarrow |E_1| \leq |E_2|.$$

Therefore,

$$k|S| \leq |E_1| \leq |E_2| \leq k|N(S)|$$

(b). Since,

$$k|S| \leq |E_1| \leq |E_2| \leq k|N(S)|$$

holds for all subsets $S \subseteq X$

$$\Rightarrow k|S| \leq k|N(S)| \quad \forall S \subseteq X$$

$$\Rightarrow |N(S)| \geq |S| \quad \forall S \subseteq X$$

So Hall's condition is true.

Therefore Hall's theorem implies that G has a complete matching.

(c) Now let G be k -regular bipartite.

Then,

$$k = d(y) \leq k \leq d(x) = k$$

$$\forall x \in X \text{ \& } y \in Y$$

\Rightarrow condition of (b) of the problem is satisfied. So from (b), it follows that G has a complete matching M .

i.e., a matching M such that $|X| = |M|$

But for a k -regular bipartite, $|X| = |Y|$

$$\Rightarrow |X| = |M| = |Y|$$

$\Rightarrow M$ is a perfect matching.