

Mixed Dominating Set

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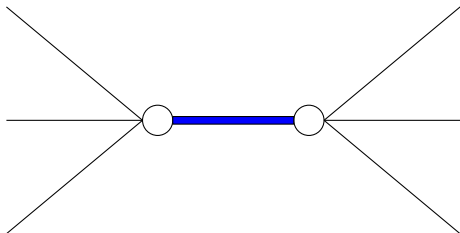
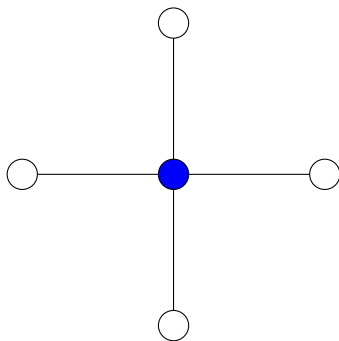
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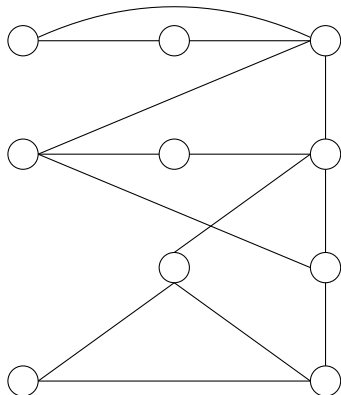
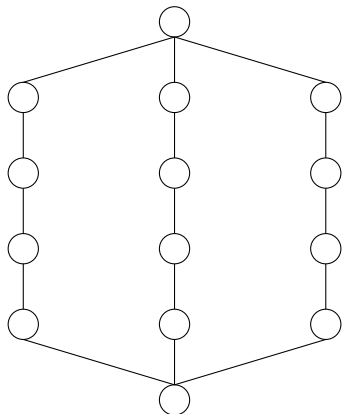
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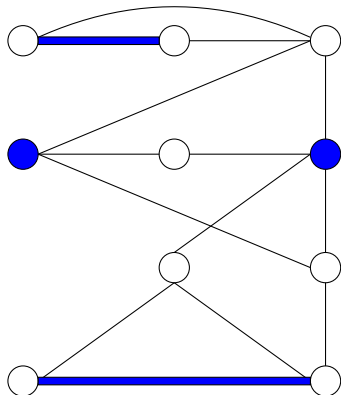
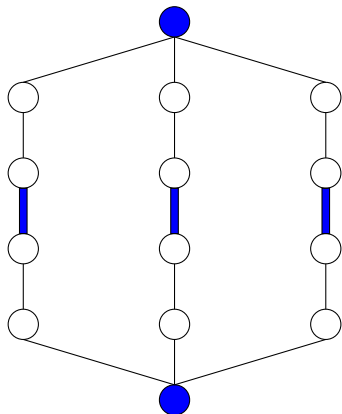
Domination



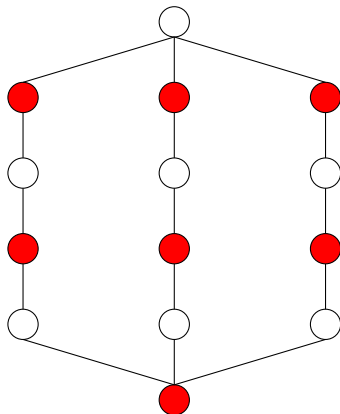
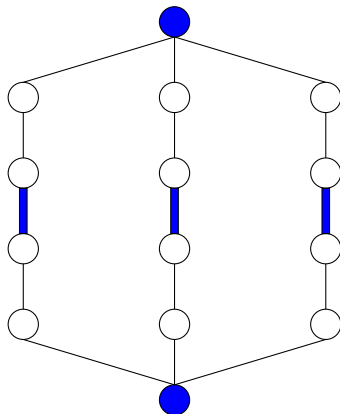
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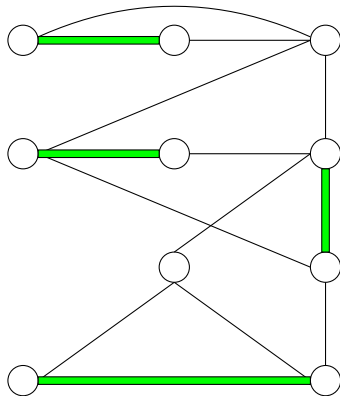
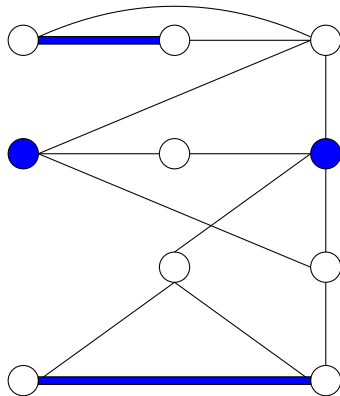
Mixed Dominating Set



Mixed Dominating Set \leq Vertex Cover



Mixed Dominating Set \geq Edge Dominating Set



State of the art

- NP-complete problem (Majumbar, *Clemson University*, 1992)
- 2-approximation using maximum matching (Hatami, *Discussiones Mathematicae Graph Theory*, 2010)
- Exact algorithm: $O^*(2^n)$
- FPT algorithm parameterized by the solution size: $O^*(7.465^k)$ (Jain, Jayakrishnan, Panolan, Sahu, *International Workshop on Graph-Theoretic Concepts in Computer Science*, 2017)
- FPT algorithm parameterized by the treewidth: $O^*(6^{tw})$ (*ibid.*)

Our results

- 3-approximation using an improved maximal matching
- 2-inapproximability under Unique Games Conjecture
- Exact algorithm: $O^*(2.1889^n)$
- FPT algorithm parameterized by the solution size: $O^*(4.27^k)$
- FPT algorithm parameterized by the treewidth: $O^*(5^{tw})$
- PTAS in planar graphs: $(1 + 1/k)$ -approximation in time $O(5^{3k+5}n)$
- FPT approximation schema: $(1 + \varepsilon)$ -approximation in time $O^*(4.27^{(1-\varepsilon)k})$

Inapproximability

Definition

For some NP-hard problem Π : under a certain conjecture, it is impossible to have approximation ratio better than r , for some r .

Unique Games Conjecture (UGC)

Definition

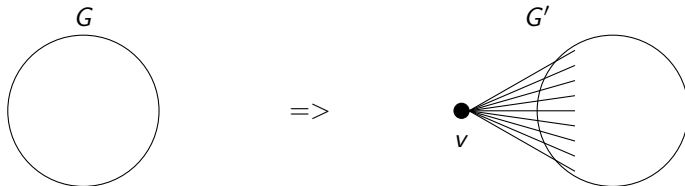
The problem of determining the approximate value of a certain type of game (unique game) has NP-hard complexity.

Inapproximability of Edge Dominating Set

Theorem (Dudycz, Lewandowski, Marcinkowski, 2018)

Assuming UGC, it is NP-hard to approximate Edge Dominating Set with constant ratio better than 2.

Reduction $\text{EDS} \leq \text{MDS}$



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Lemma

$$\text{alg}(G') \leq \text{alg}(G) + 1$$

Reduction $EDS \leq MDS$



Lemma

$$opt(G') \geq opt(G)$$

Reduction $\text{EDS} \leq \text{MDS}$

$$\frac{\text{alg}(G)}{\text{opt}(G)} \leq r \Leftrightarrow \frac{\text{alg}(G')}{\text{opt}(G')} \leq \frac{\text{alg}(G) + 1}{\text{opt}(G)} \leq \frac{\text{alg}(G)}{\text{opt}(G)} + \frac{1}{\text{opt}(G)} \leq r + \varepsilon$$

Inapproximability of Mixed Dominating Set

Theorem

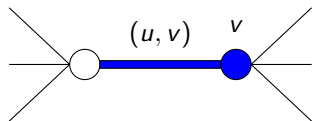
Assuming UGC, it is NP-hard to approximate Mixed Dominating Set with constant ratio better than 2.

Mixed Dominating Set = Matching + Vertex Cover

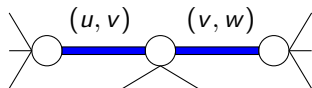
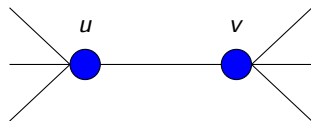
Lemma

For any graph $G = (V, E)$, G has a mixed dominating set of size k iff G has a mixed dominating set $D \cup M$ of size k where $V(M) \cap D = \emptyset$ and M is a matching.

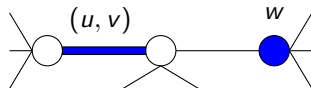
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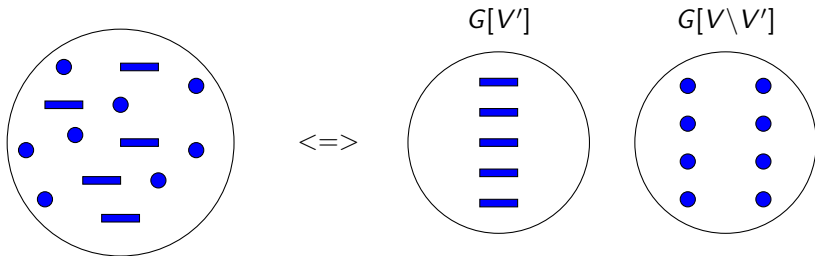
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Mixed Dominating Set = Matching + Vertex Cover

Lemma

The graph G has a mixed dominating set of size k iff there exists $V' \subseteq V$ such that $G[V']$ has a perfect matching and $G[V \setminus V']$ has a vertex cover of size $k - \frac{|V'|}{2}$.



Exact algorithm

Algorithm:

- For all $V' \subseteq V$ which contains a perfect matching M , calculate a vertex cover D on $G[V \setminus V']$.
- Return the union $M \cup D$ of minimum size.

Complexity

- The Vertex Cover problem can be solved in time $O^*(1.1889^n)$ (Robson, *LaBRI*, 2001)

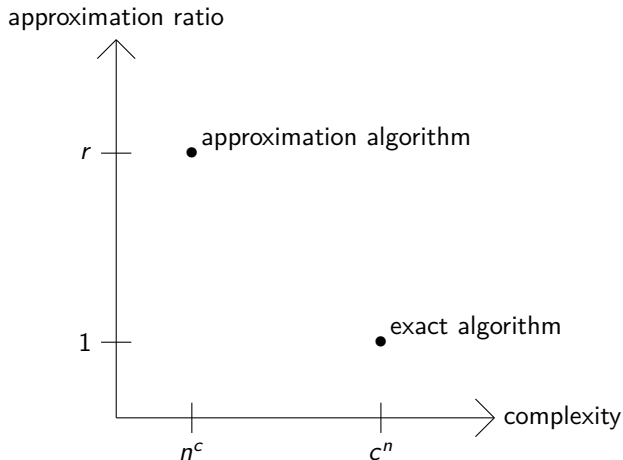
$$\sum_{i=0}^{n/2} \binom{n}{2i} \cdot 1.1889^{n-2i} \leq \sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} \cdot 1.1889^{n-i} = \sum_{i=0}^n \binom{n}{i} \cdot 1.1889^i = 2.1889^n$$

Exact algorithm

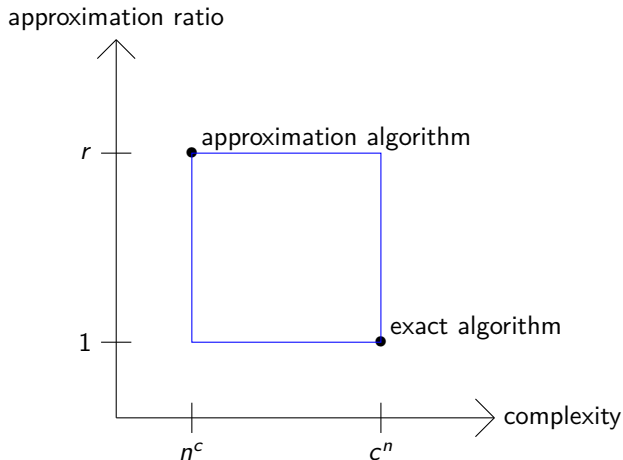
Theorem

The Mixed Dominating Set problem can be solved in time $O^(2.1889^n)$.*

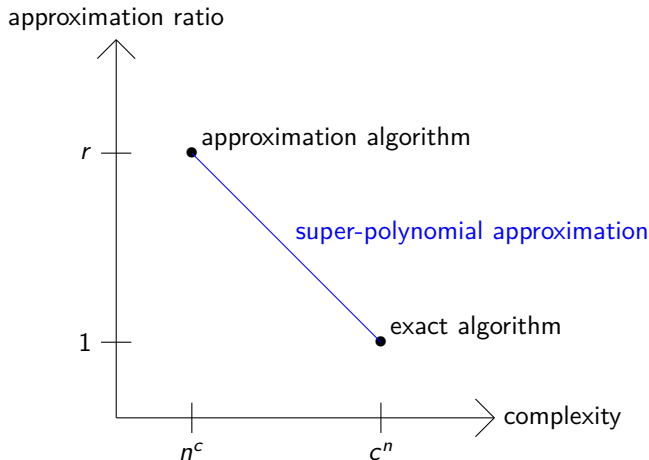
Classical paradigms



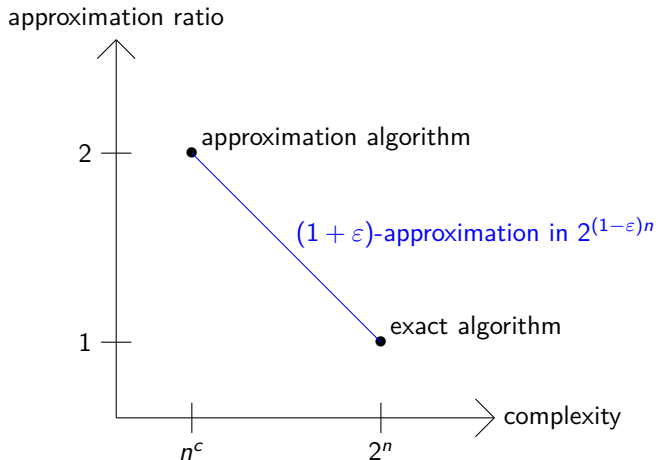
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Super-polynomial approximation



Super-polynomial approximation of MDS



Merci !