

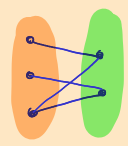
4-color Thm: Any planar graph can be colored with  $\leq 4$  colors.

$\frac{B_2}{2}$  partite

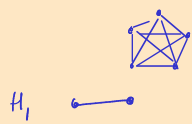
$K \leftarrow$  complete



Assume  $H_n$  has  $n2^{n-1}$ .



partite sets

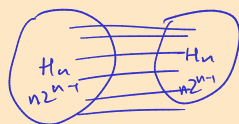


$H_{n+1}$

$$2n2^{n-1} = n2^n$$

$$2^n = (n+1)2^n$$

$H_{n+1}$



Extra Problem:



planar  $\Rightarrow$  5-colorable  
 $\leq 5$  cols needed  
 $\leq 4$  cols needed

$> 4$  cols needed  $\Rightarrow$   $\neg$  planar

$|E| = e$

$e \leq 3v - 6$

$v - e + f = 2$

Every face must touch  $\geq 3$  edges

$4 + 4 = 8$

$4 \times 2 = 8$

$FET = 2e$

$FET \geq 3f$

$2e \geq 3f \Rightarrow f \leq \frac{2}{3}e$

$v - e + \frac{2}{3}e \geq 2$

$\Rightarrow e \leq 3v - 6$

touching

face-edge adjacency

NOT A SIMP GRAPH

## 1 Short Answers

$$v - e + f = 2 \quad v + 5 = e \quad f?$$

$$\Rightarrow v = e - 5$$

(a) A connected planar simple graph has 5 more edges than it has vertices. How many faces does it have? 7

(b) How many edges need to be removed from a 3-dimensional hypercube to get a tree?

## 2 Always, Sometimes, or Never

$$e - 5 - e + f = 2 \Rightarrow f = 7$$

In each part below, you are given some information about the so-called original graph,  $OG$ . Using only the information in the current part, say whether  $OG$  will always be planar, always be non-planar, or could be either. If you think it is always planar or always non-planar, prove it. If you think it could be either, give a planar example and a non-planar example.

(a)  $OG$  can be vertex-colored with 4 colors. *planar* *nonplanar*

(b)  $OG$  requires 7 colors to be vertex-colored. *> 4 colors needed  $\Rightarrow$  nonplanar*

(c)  $e \leq 3v - 6$ , where  $e$  is the number of edges of  $OG$  and  $v$  is the number of vertices of  $OG$ . *planar* *nonplanar*  $K_{3,3}$

(d)  $OG$  is connected, and each vertex in  $OG$  has degree at most 2. *planar*

(e) Each vertex in  $OG$  has degree at most 2.

## 3 Trees and Components

(a) Bob removed a degree 3 node from an  $n$ -vertex tree. How many connected components are there in the resulting graph? Please provide an explanation.

(b) Given an  $n$ -vertex tree, Bob added 10 edges to it and then Alice removed 5 edges. If the resulting graph has 3 connected components, how many edges must be removed in order to remove all cycles from the resulting graph? Please provide an explanation.

## 4 Hypercubes

The vertex set of the  $n$ -dimensional hypercube  $G = (V, E)$  is given by  $V = \{0, 1\}^n$  (recall that  $\{0, 1\}^n$  denotes the set of all  $n$ -bit strings). There is an edge between two vertices  $x$  and  $y$  if and only if  $x$  and  $y$  differ in exactly one bit position. These problems will help you understand hypercubes.

(a) Draw 1-, 2-, and 3-dimensional hypercubes and label the vertices using the corresponding bit strings.

(b) Show that for any  $n \geq 1$ , the  $n$ -dimensional hypercube is bipartite.