

Discrete Mathematics  
HW5

11-1 2.

(a)

Trail: can have repeated vertices but no repeat edges, open.

b-d not a trail:  $\{b,e\} \{e,f\} \{e,g\} \{g,e\} \{e,b\} \{b,c\} \{c,d\}$

(b)

Path: no repeated vertices and edges, open.

b-d trail and not a path:  $\{b,e\} \{e,f\} \{f,g\} \{g,e\} \{e,d\}$

(c)

b-d path:  $\{b,e\} \{e,d\}$

(d)

Closed walk: can have repeated vertices and edges, closed.

Circuit: can have repeated vertices but no repeat edges, closed.

b-b closed but not a circuit:  $\{b,e\} \{e,f\} \{f,g\} \{g,e\} \{e,b\}$

(e)

Cycle: no repeated edges and circuits, closed.

b-b circuit but not cycle:  $\{b,c\} \{c,d\} \{d,e\} \{e,g\} \{g,f\} \{f,e\} \{e,b\}$

(f)

b-b cycle:  $\{b,a\} \{a,c\} \{c,b\}$

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(1) path from a to h needs to go through  $\{b,g\}$ ,

so the answer = # of path a-b \* # of path g-h.

a-b path:

$\{a,b\}$

$\{a,c\} \{c,b\}$

$\{a,c\} \{c,d\} \{d,b\}$

g-h path:

$\{g,h\}$

$\{g,f\} \{f,h\}$

$\{g,e\} \{e,f\} \{f,h\}$

a-h path:  $3 * 3 = 9$

(2) length 5: length a-b + length g-h +  $\{b,g\} = 5$

Length a-b + length g-h =  $4 = 1 + 3 = 2 + 2 = 3 + 1$

上面三種情況都各只有一種搭配可以符合，所以共三種

a-h and length 5 path: 3 kinds.

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Spanning graph:  $V_1 = V$ , no restrict with  $E$

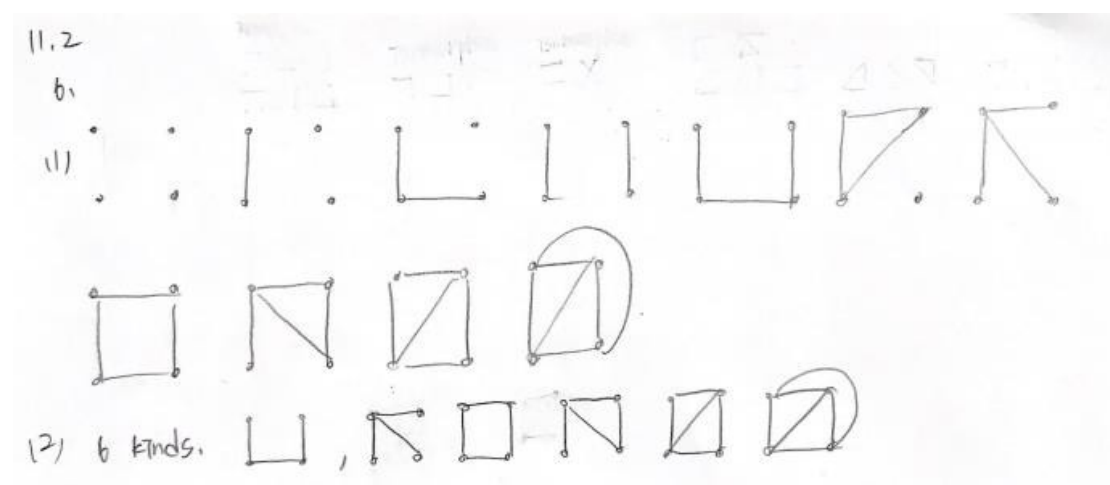
Induced graph: if  $U \subseteq V$ , induced subgraph's edges contain all edges (from  $G$ )  $\{x, y\}$  if both  $x, y \in U$

因為 Spanning graph 的點包含了原先  $G$  的所有點，如果他要是 induced subgraph 的話，就需要包含所有點在  $G$  裡面構成的邊，也就只有  $G$  本身自己可以滿足這個條件。

A: 1 種， $G$  本身

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(1) 11 種，如下圖



11-3 2.

希望  $|V|$  越大，則  $\deg(v)$  應該越小越好，所以可以的話盡量讓

$\deg(v)=3$

And by theorem, we know  $\sum_{v \in V} \deg(v) = 2|E|$

Then,  $\sum_{v \in V} \deg(v) = 34 \geq 3|V|$ , maximum  $|V|=11$  ( $3 \cdot 11 + 1$ , 有 10 個

vertex  $\deg(v)=3$ ，一個  $\deg(v)=4$ )

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(a)

# of edges of a cube of dimension  $n$  is  $n * 2^{n-1}$ .

So,  $n * 2^{n-1} = 524288$

$n = 16$

(b)

# of vertices of  $n$  dimension hypercube is  $2^n$

$n * 2^{n-1} = 4980736$

$n = 19$

# of vertices =  $2^{19} = 524288$

11-4 8.

(a)

$K_{1,4}$ : edge in  $G \{a,b\}$ ,  $a \in V_1, b \in V_2$  且  $V_1$  每個點都有對應到  $V_2$

所以在這個 case 裡面最多可以有 4 個 edge，從  $V_1$  到  $V_2$  的四個點

而最長 path 可為 2，從  $V_2$  出發到  $V_1$  再回到  $V_2$

(b)

In this case, 因為比較少點的那一邊有 3 個點，最好情況是  $V_1$  每個

點(假設有  $a, b, c$ )都與  $V_2$  每個點(1,2,3...,7)相連

最長 path 就可以從  $V_2$  的 1 出發，到  $V_1$  的  $a$ ，接著連回  $V_2$  的 2， $V_1$

的  $b$ ， $V_2$  的 3， $V_1$  的  $c$ ， $V_2$  的 4，共 7 個點 6 條邊

其中  $a, b, c$  和 1,2,3,4.....並非指特定點，只是代表不同集合的不同點

(c)

同理，最長的 path 應該是從有 12 個 vertices 的  $V_2$  出發，然後拜訪

$V_1$  全部共 7 個，來回總共 15 個點 14 條邊 ( $=2*7=14$ )

(d)

Since  $m < n$ , the longest path in  $K_{m,n} = 2 * m = 2m$

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(a)

我們可以視為有  $n$  個點要排成列，共有  $n!$  種排法，但因為要排成圓型， $1 \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow 3 \rightarrow 1$  和  $2 \rightarrow 3 \rightarrow 1 \rightarrow 2$  會變成同一種，需除  $n$ ，且因為沒有方向概念， $1 \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow 3 \rightarrow 1$  和  $1 \rightarrow 3 \rightarrow 2 \rightarrow 1$  視為同一種，要再除 2，所以共  $\frac{(n-1)!}{2}$  種。

(b)

For a  $K_n$ , we have  $\binom{n}{2} = \frac{n(n-1)}{2}$  edges. And each Hamilton cycles has  $n$  edges, so we will have  $\frac{n(n-1)}{2} \div n = \frac{n-1}{2}$  kinds of edge-disjoint Hamilton cycles.

To have a better answer,  $n$  should be odd.

When  $n=21$ ,  $\frac{21-1}{2} = 10$

(c)

Since they need to hold hands form a cycle, we can think it as edge-disjoint Hamilton cycle, so just like we need to find total number of edge-disjoint Hamilton cycle on a  $K_{19}$ . when  $n=19$ ,  $\frac{19-1}{2} = 9$ , we have 9 edge-disjoint Hamilton cycle in  $K_{19}$ .

所以 9 天內所有學生旁邊的人都不是重複的。

11-6 2.

Each committees is a vertex. If someone attends two committees, for example  $C_i, C_j$ . Then draw the edge joining the vertices for  $C_i, C_j$ , and we will get graph  $G$ . Then the least number of meeting times is the chromatic number of this graph (in hours).