

Homework 3  
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Section 4.6

2. You will have to place, at most,  $mn + 1$  pigeons into 1 hole.
3. No, this simply not possible. Any 2-element subset of  $X$  will also be included in the 3-element subsets of  $X$ . This is the same if  $X$  was a set of positive integers from 1 to 6.

Section 5.8

1. (e) 2  
(f) 3
3. Such a graph cannot exist, since  $\sum_{v \in V} \deg(v) > 2|E|$ .
6. For a tree with a single vertex, there are no edges. We then assume we have a tree with  $n-1$  vertices that contains  $n-2$  edges. We can construct a new tree with  $n$  vertices and  $n-1$  edges by adding a leaf to that tree.
7. We can quickly determine that  $G_4$  is not isomorphic with any other graph, since the degree of vertex  $x_5$  is 5, which isn't seen in any other graph.  $G_2$  is also not isomorphic with any other graph since both  $G_3$  and  $G_1$  have a triangle that cannot be replicated with  $G_2$ . This leaves  $G_1$  and  $G_3$  which are isomorphic, the isomorphism being:

$$\begin{aligned} f(v_1) &= w_1 \\ f(v_2) &= w_3 \\ f(v_3) &= w_4 \\ f(v_4) &= w_2 \\ f(v_5) &= w_6 \\ f(v_6) &= w_5 \end{aligned}$$

9. The given graph is eulerian since every vertex has an even degree. The eulerian circuit is:

$$\begin{aligned}
 C = & (a) \\
 & (a, b, l, a) \\
 & (a, b, l, d, j, l, a) \\
 & (a, b, l, d, h, m, i, d, j, l, a) \\
 & (a, b, l, d, h, m, g, n, m, i, d, j, l, a) \\
 & (a, b, l, d, h, m, g, n, m, i, c, f, i, d, j, c, f, e, a, k)
 \end{aligned}$$

13. The chromatic number is 3, and the graph coloring is:

$$\begin{aligned}
 a & : 2 \\
 b & : 2 \\
 c & : 1 \\
 d & : 1 \\
 e & : 3 \\
 f & : 2 \\
 g & : 1 \\
 h & : 1 \\
 i & : 2 \\
 j & : 2
 \end{aligned}$$