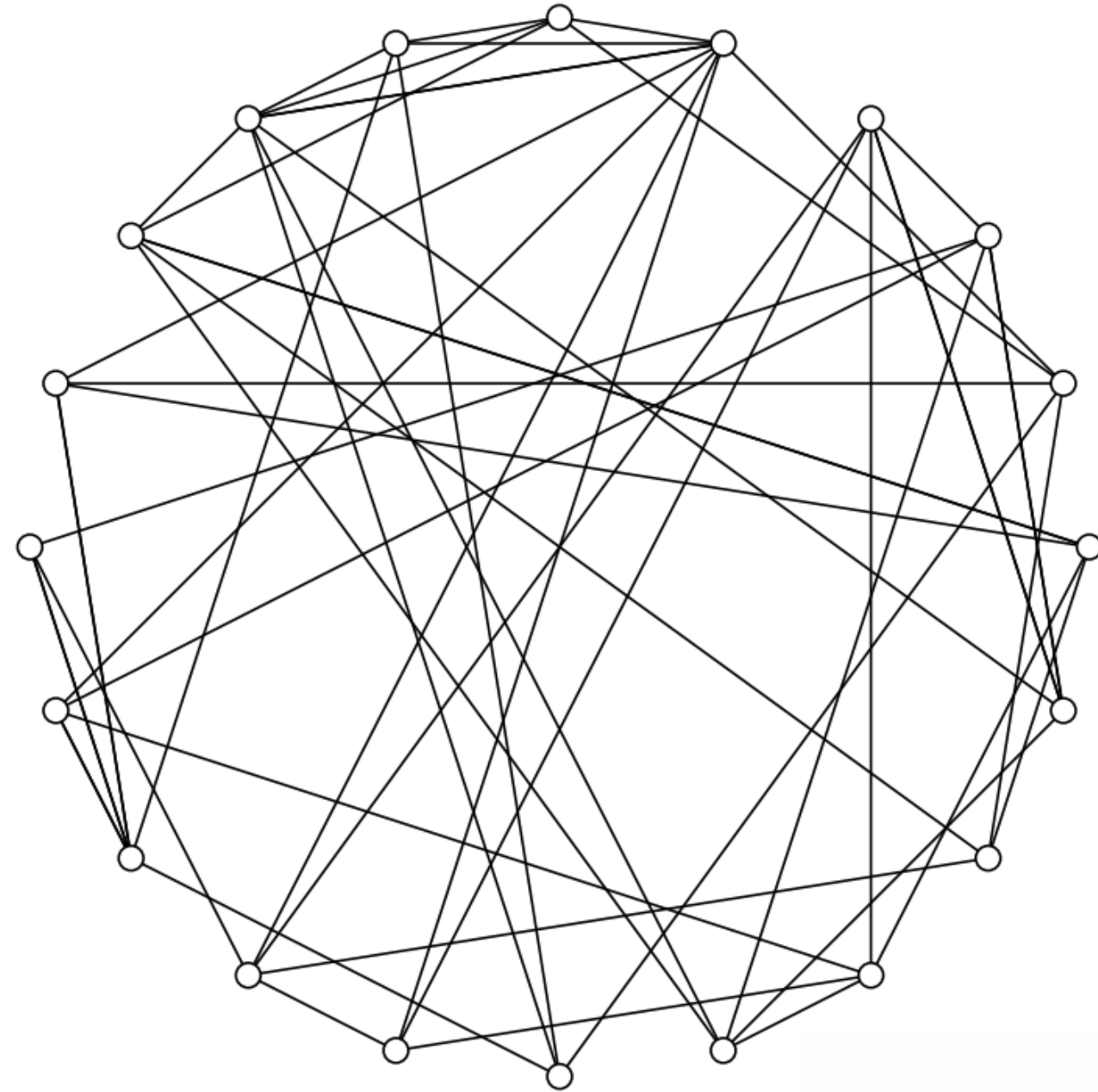
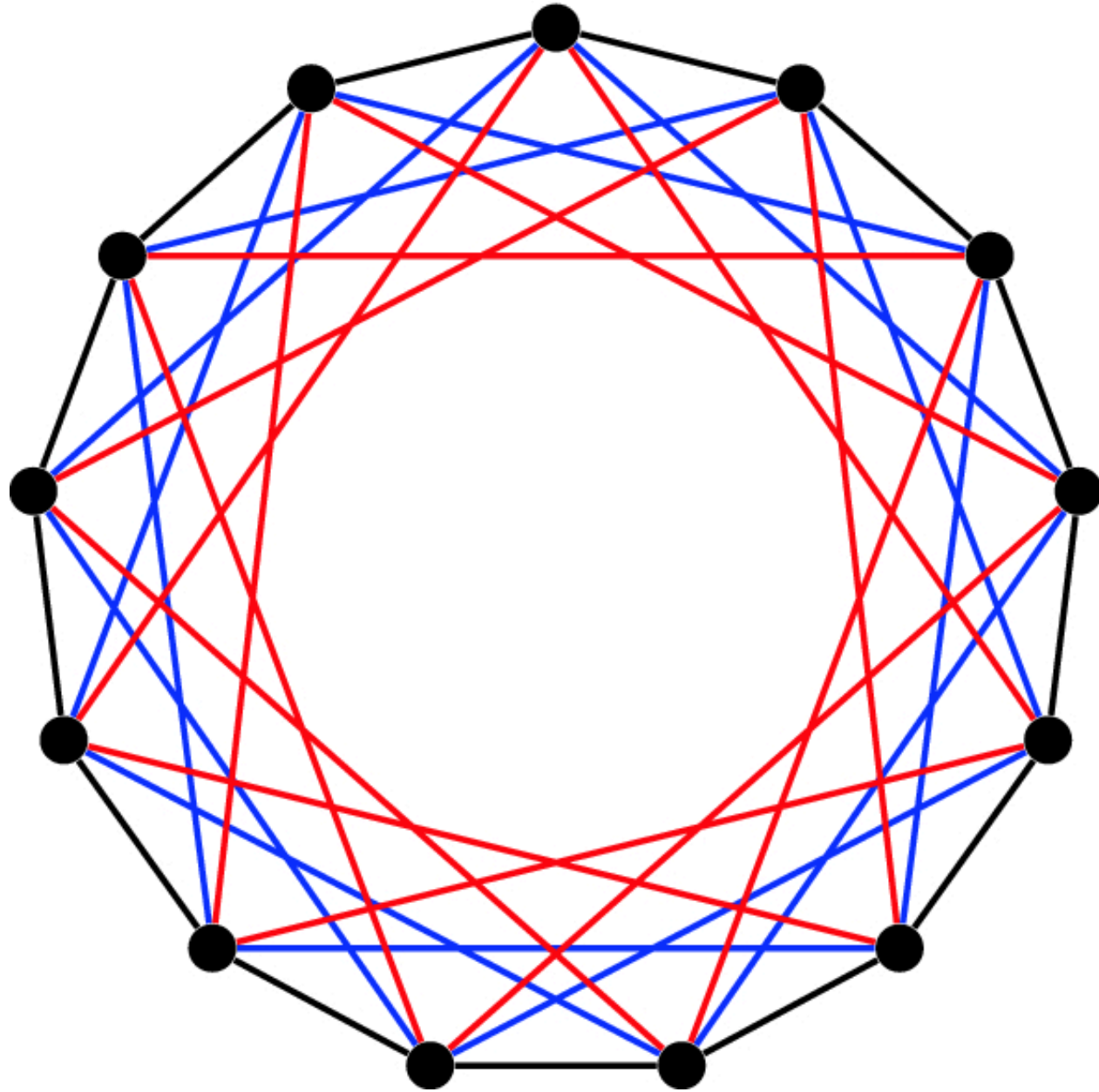


# Infinite Graphs and Randomness



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# Random Graphs

## 3.2. What is a Random Graph?

We may define a probability space on graphs of a given order  $n \geq 1$  as follows. Fix a vertex set  $V$  consisting of  $n$  distinct elements, usually taken as  $[n] = \{1, 2, \dots, n\}$ , and fix  $p \in [0, 1]$ . Define the space of *random graphs of order  $n$  with edge probability  $p$* , written  $G(n, p)$ , with sample space equalling the set of all  $2^{\binom{n}{2}}$  (labelled) graphs with vertices  $V$ , and

$$\mathbb{P}(G) = p^{|E(G)|} (1 - p)^{\binom{n}{2} - |E(G)|}.$$

## Graph Property:

A property preserved by isomorphism;  
for example, being planar and possessing Hamilton cycles

### **A.A.S: Asymptotically almost surely**

We say that  $G$  element of  $G(n, p)$  satisfies Property,  $P$  asymptotically almost surely (or a. a. s. for short) if when  $n$  tends to infinity  $\text{Probability}(G \text{ element of } G(n, p) \text{ satisfies } P)$  tends to 1.

In this case we say any random  $G$  element of  $G(n, p)$  satisfies  $P$  with high probability (w.h.p)

## Adjacency Properties:

Let us look into a few properties which are asymptotically satisfied for a random graph.

An adjacency property is a global property of a graph asserting that for every set  $S$  of vertices of some fixed type, there is a vertex joined to some of the vertices of  $S$  in a prescribed way

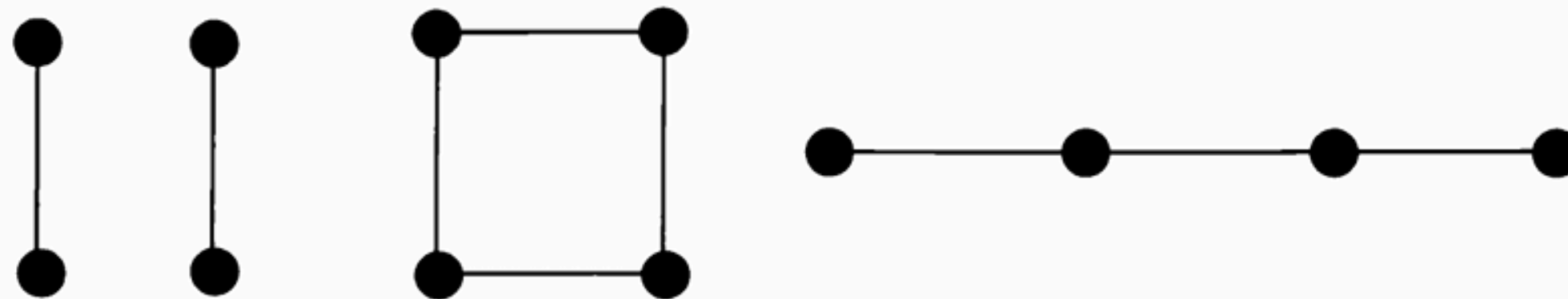
### **n-e.c Adjacency Property**

A graph is  $n$ -existentially closed or  $n$ -e.c., if for all disjoint sets of vertices  $A$  and  $B$  with  $|A \cup B| = n$  (one of  $A$  or  $B$  can be empty), there is a vertex  $z$  not in  $A \cup B$  joined to each vertex of  $A$  and no vertex of  $B$ .

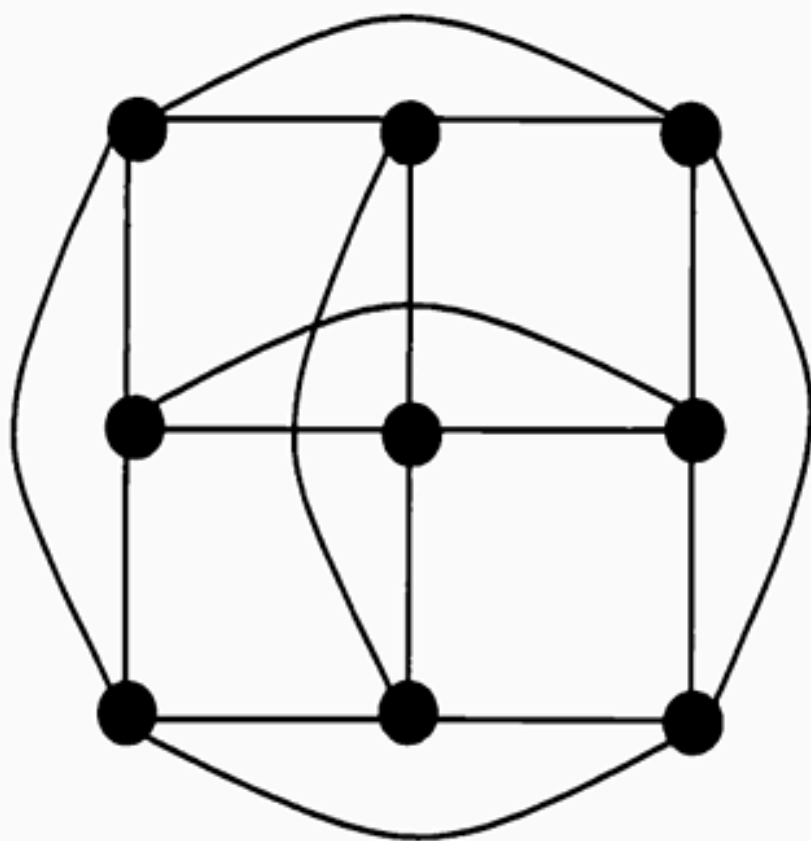
# Cartesian Product of Graphs

The Cartesian product of two graphs  $G=(V_G, E_G)$  and  $H=(V_H, E_H)$  denoted as  $G \square H$ , is a graph whose vertex set and edge set are defined as follows:

- Vertex Set:
- $V(G \square H) = V_G \times V_H$
- This means each vertex in  $G \square H$  is a pair  $(g, h)$  where  $g \in V_G$  and  $h \in V_H$ .
- Edge Set:
- Two vertices  $(g_1, h_1)$  and  $(g_2, h_2)$  in  $G \square H$  are adjacent if and only if:
  - $g_1 = g_2$  and  $(h_1, h_2) \in E_H$  (i.e., the second coordinate changes according to an edge in  $H$ ), or
  - $h_1 = h_2$  and  $(g_1, g_2) \in E_G$  (i.e., the first coordinate changes according to an edge in  $G$ ).



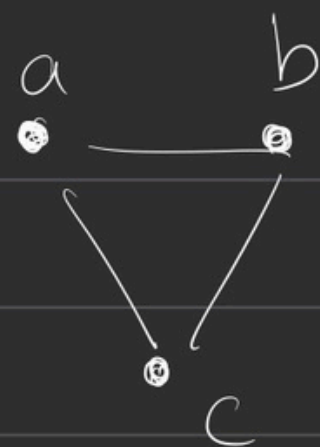
**Figure 3.2.** The 1-e.c. graphs of order 4.



**Figure 3.3.** The graph  $K_3 \square K_3$ .

$$20 \leq m_{ec}(3) \leq 28.$$





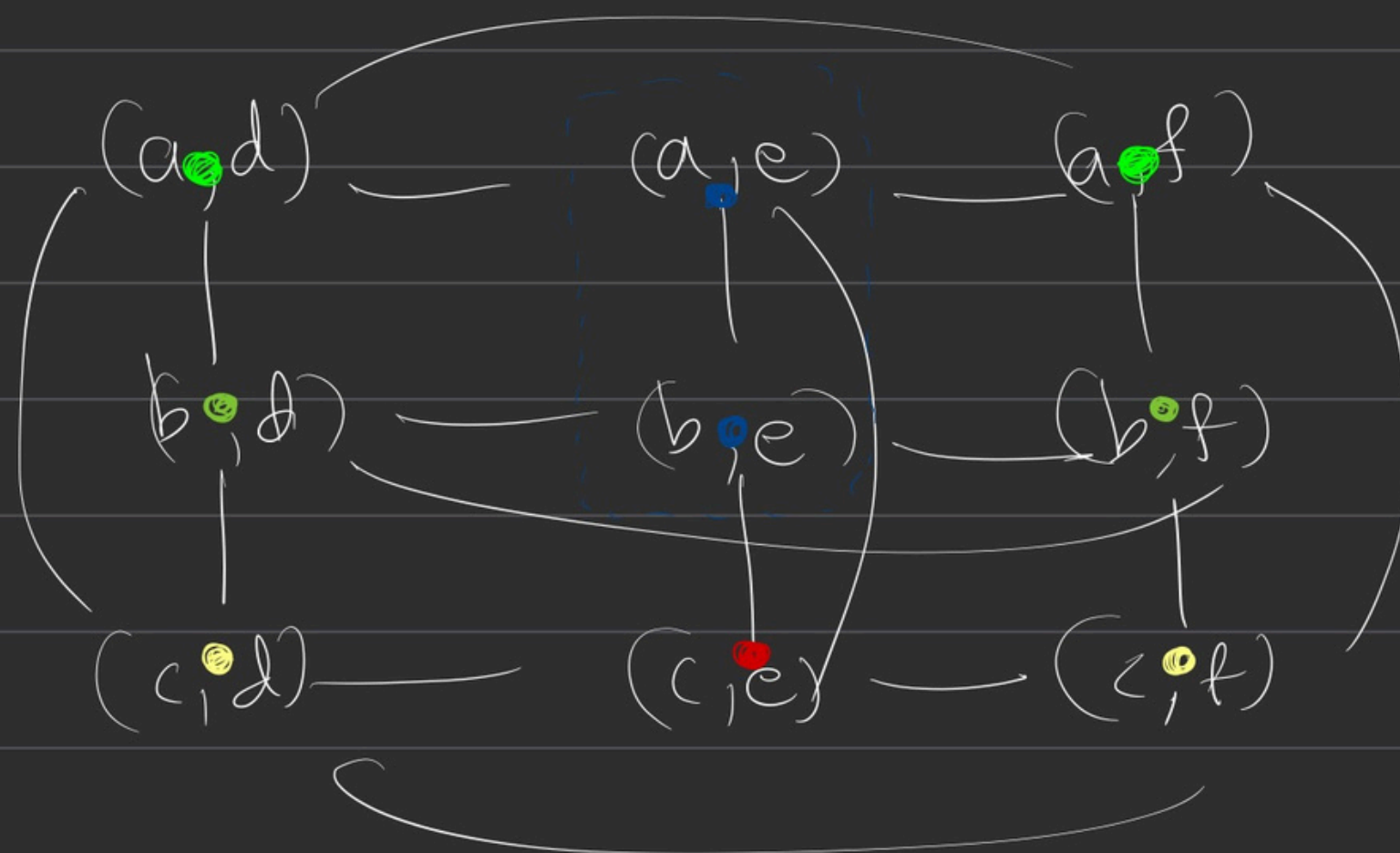
$K_3$



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Cartesian product  $K_3 \square K_3$

$$m_{cc}(2) = 9$$



we need  
 $2^2 = 4$   
 vertices  
 for each  
 2-set

# Quasi Randomness

A graph is considered "quasi-random" if it exhibits many of the same properties as a truly random graph of the same size and edge density, even though it might not be generated by a truly random process.



## Notations involved-Quasi Randomness

To each graph  $G$  of order  $n$  we may associate its  $n \times n$  adjacency matrix  $A(G)$ .

As  $A(G)$  is a real-symmetric matrix, it has  $n$  real eigenvalues

which are ordered by absolute value:  $|\lambda_1| \geq |\lambda_2| \dots \geq |\lambda_n|$

$N_s(H, G)$  be the number of labelled subgraphs of  $G$  isomorphic to  $H$ ,

while  $N_{is}(H, G)$  is the number of labelled induced subgraphs of  $G$  isomorphic to  $H$

For  $X \subseteq V_G$ , let  $e(X)$  is the number of edges in the subgraph induced by  $X$  on  $G$ .

For vertices  $u$  and  $v$ , define  $s(u, v)$  to be the set of vertices joined to both  $u$  and  $v$  or neither  $u$  nor  $v$ .

# Quasi Randomness - Properties

Any graph that is quasi random satisfies a few properties

These properties all hold a.a.s. in  $G(n, 1/2)$

Any deterministic graph that satisfies any of these properties satisfy all of them

(P1) For all  $X \subseteq V(G_n)$

$$e(X) = \frac{1}{4}|X|^2 + o(n^2).$$

(P2)  $e(G) \geq (1 + o(1))\frac{n^2}{4}$ , and  $N_S(C_4, G_n) \leq (1 + o(1))\frac{n^4}{16}$ .

(P3)  $e(G) \geq (1 + o(1))\frac{n^2}{4}$ , and for any fixed graph  $H$  of order  $4 \leq t \leq n$ ,

$$N_{IS}(H, G_n) = (1 + o(1))n^t 2^{-\binom{t}{2}}.$$

# Quasi Randomness - Properties

$$(P4) \quad \sum_{u,v \in V(G_n)} \left| |N(u) \cap N(v)| - \frac{n}{4} \right| = o(n^3).$$

$$(P5) \quad \sum_{u,v \in V(G_n)} \left| s(u,v) - \frac{n}{2} \right| = o(n^3).$$

$$(P6) \quad e(G) \geq (1 + o(1)) \frac{n^2}{4} \text{ and for } 2 \leq i \leq n$$

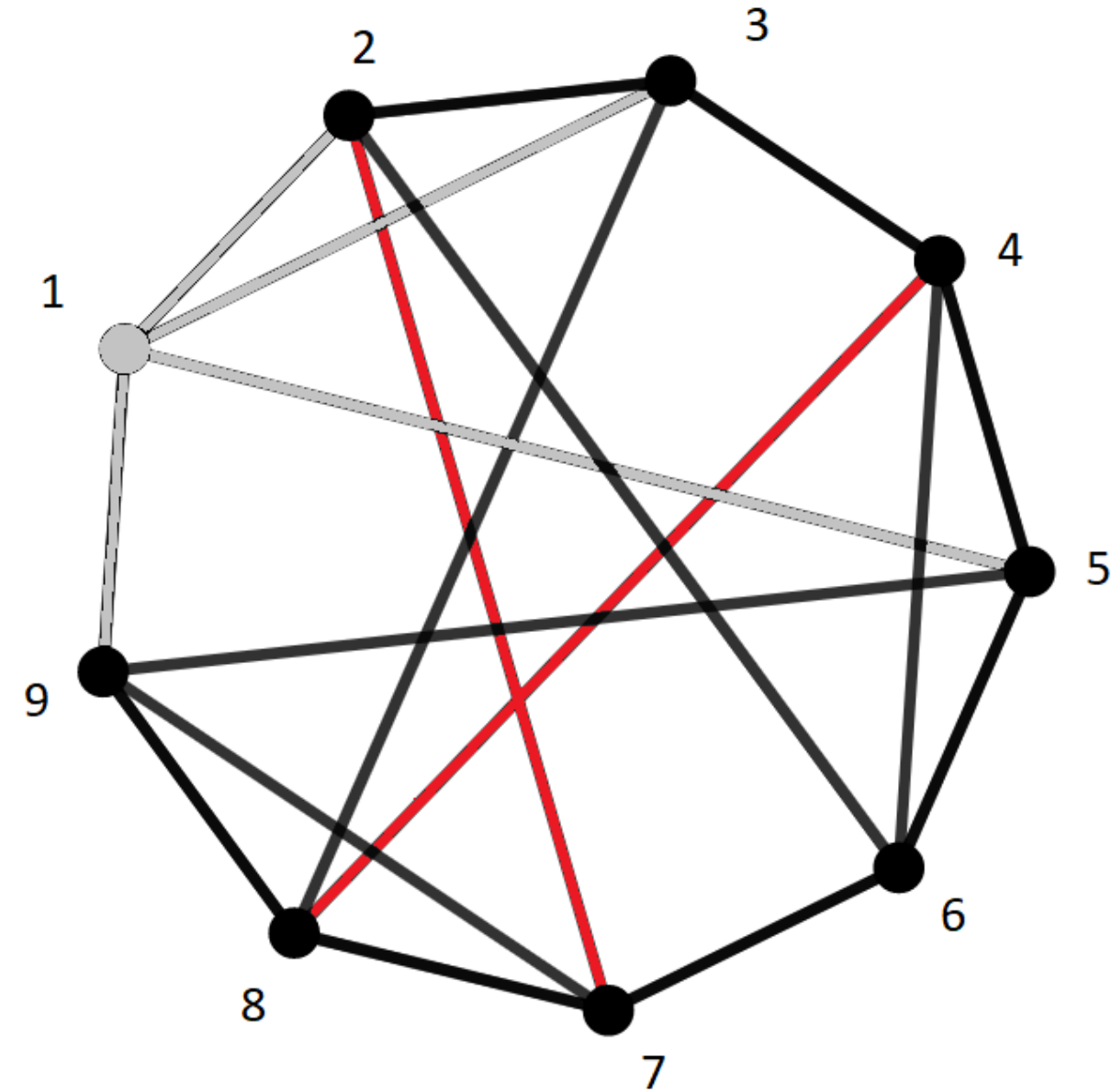
$$\lambda_1 = (1 + o(1)) \frac{n}{2}, \quad \lambda_n = o(n).$$

THEOREM 3.4 ([70]). *If  $G_n$  satisfies any one of the six properties above, then it satisfies all of them.*

# Strongly Regular Graphs(SRG)

A  $k$ -regular graph  $G$  with  $v$  vertices, such that each pair of joined vertices has exactly  $A$  common neighbors, and each pair of non-joined vertices has exactly  $p$  common neighbors is called a strongly regular graph; we say that  $G$  is an SRG  $(v, k, A, p)$

Example - Paley graphs



# Paley Graphs

## Quadratic Residue

A quadratic residue modulo an integer  $n$  (typically a prime  $p$ ) is an integer  $a$  such that there exists a non-zero integer  $x$  satisfying

$$x^2 \equiv a \pmod{n}.$$

In other words,  $a$  is a quadratic residue modulo  $n$  if it is congruent to a perfect square modulo  $n$ . If no such  $x$  exists, then  $a$  is called a quadratic non-residue.

For example consider  $n = 7$ . The set of quadratic residues is  $\{1, 2, 4\}$ , while the set of quadratic non-residues is  $\{3, 5, 6\}$

### QUADRATIC RESIDUES

$$6^2 = 36 \equiv 1 \pmod{7}$$

$$5^2 = 25 \equiv 4 \pmod{7}$$

$$3^2 = 9 \equiv 2 \pmod{7}$$

# Paley Graphs

## Vertex Set:

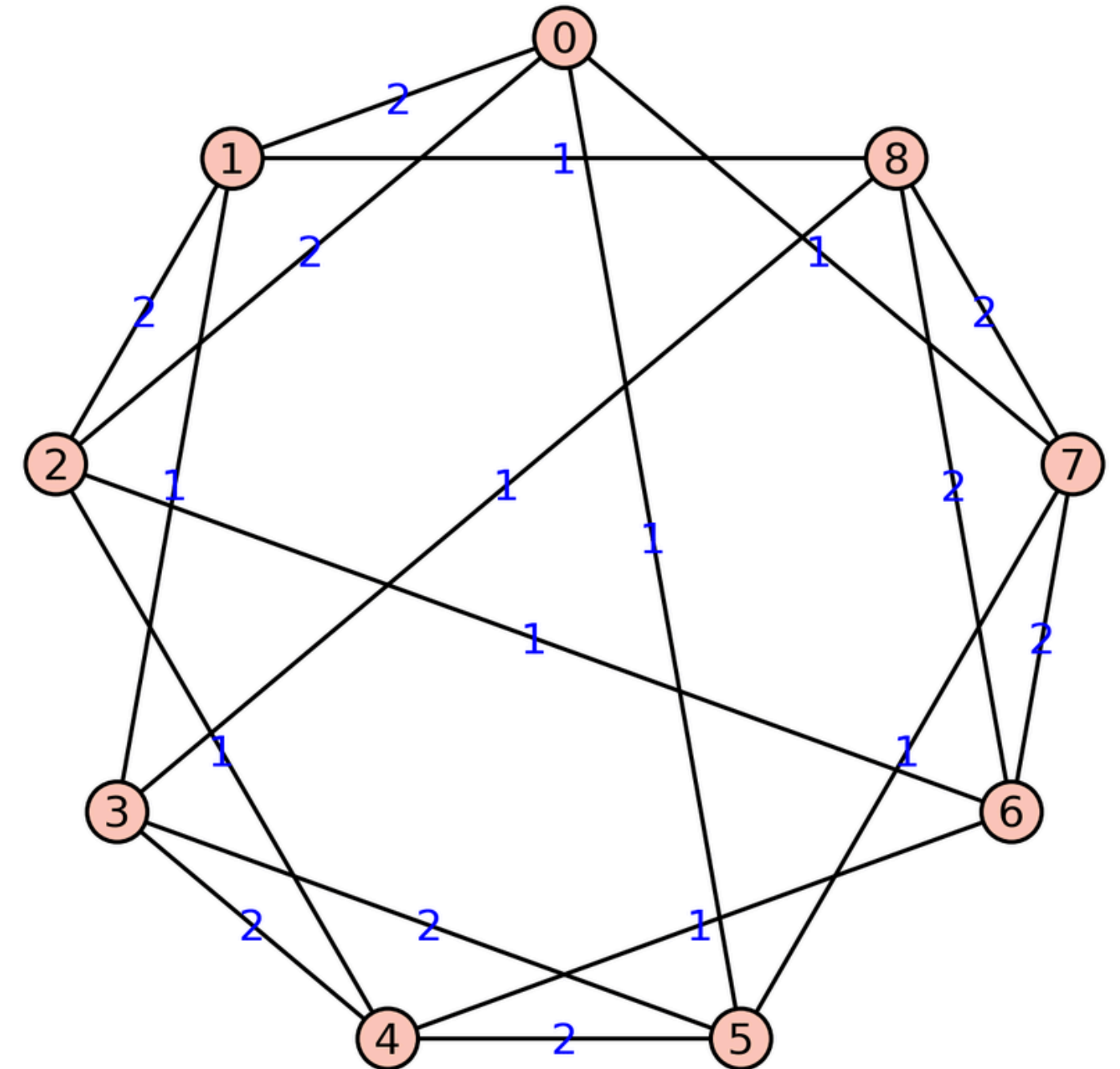
Choose a positive integer  $q$  (often a prime or a prime power) such that

$$q \equiv 1 \pmod{4}.$$

Label the vertices with the numbers  $0, 1, 2, \dots, q-1$ .

## Edge Set:

For any two distinct vertices  $i$  and  $j$  (considered modulo  $q$ ), connect  $i$  and  $j$  with an edge if and only if the difference  $(i-j)$  (computed modulo  $q$ ) is a quadratic residue modulo  $q$ .



# Paley Graph - Quasi Random

Paley Graphs are Quasi Random because they satisfy P5

$$(P5) \quad \sum_{u,v \in V(G_n)} \left| s(u,v) - \frac{n}{2} \right| = o(n^3).$$

## Proof:

Let us consider an element  $z$  of the field for it to be vertex contributing to  $s(u,v)$  it has to be satisfy:  
either

1)  $z-u$  is a quadratic residue and  $z-v$  is a quadratic residue

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We can include both these conditions in one expression, following term must be a quadratic residue

$$\frac{z-u}{z-v} = a \qquad \frac{z-u}{z-v} = 1 + \frac{v-u}{z-v} = a,$$

Here there exists a 1 to 1 relation between  $a$  and  $z$  and  $a$  is a square

No of squares in a the field is  $(q-1)/2$  and we need to subtract 1 because  $a$  can not take value 1

# Paley Graph - Quasi Random

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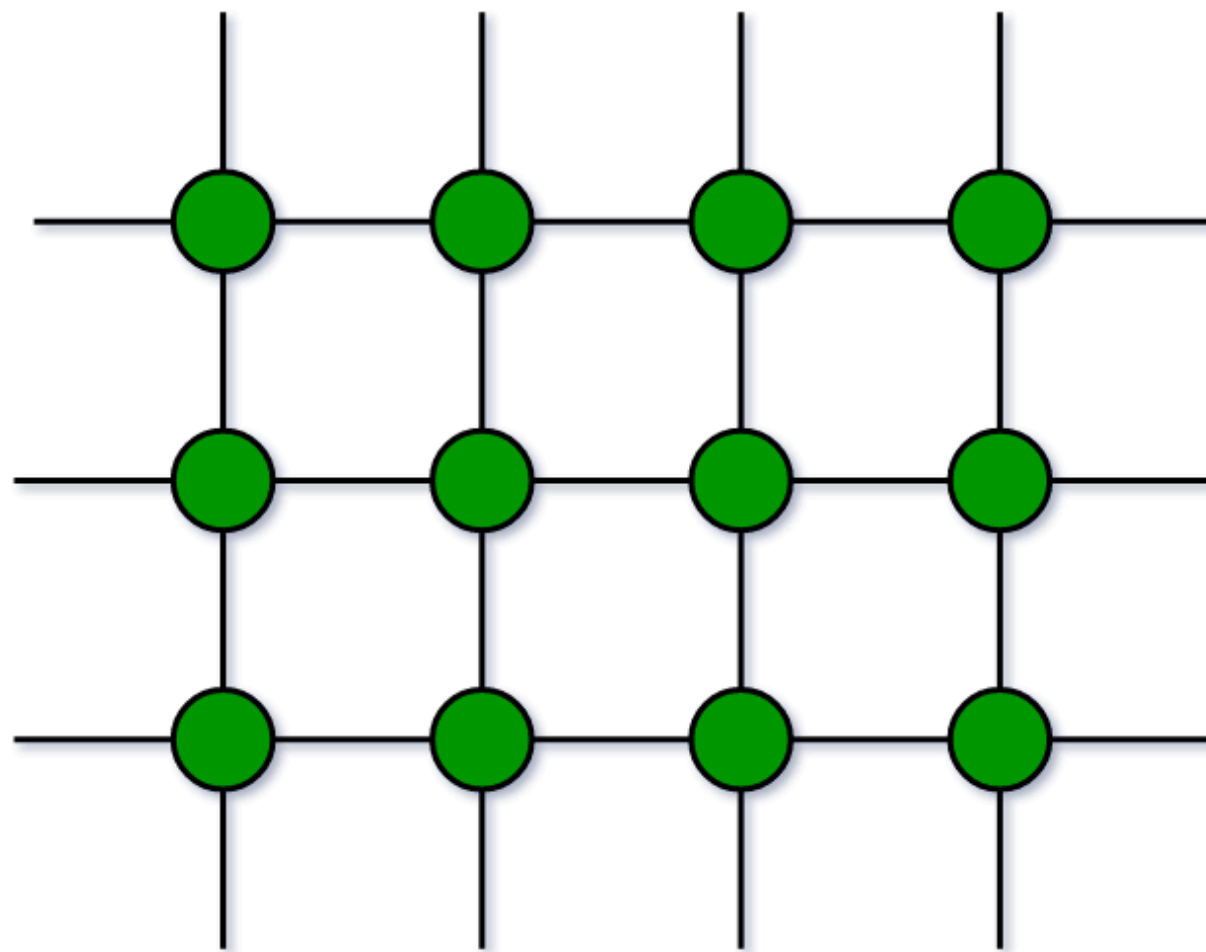
it follows that  $s(u, v) = \frac{1}{2}(q - 3)$ . Hence,

$$\begin{aligned}\sum_{u,v \in V(G_n)} \left| s(u, v) - \frac{q}{2} \right| &= \sum_{u,v \in V(G_n)} \left| \frac{1}{2}(q - 3) - \frac{q}{2} \right| \\ &= \binom{q}{2} \frac{3}{2} = \frac{3(q^2 - q)}{4} \\ &= o(q^3). \quad \square\end{aligned}$$

**THEOREM 3.7 ([29, 38]).** *If  $q > n^2 2^{2n-2}$ , then  $P_q$  is  $n$ -e.c.*

# THE INFINITE WEB

The **static web** consists of a finite number of pages (~54 billion), while the **dynamic web** can generate infinitely many pages based on user input or parameters. Thus, the web graph appears infinite in practice, though bounded by physical constraints.

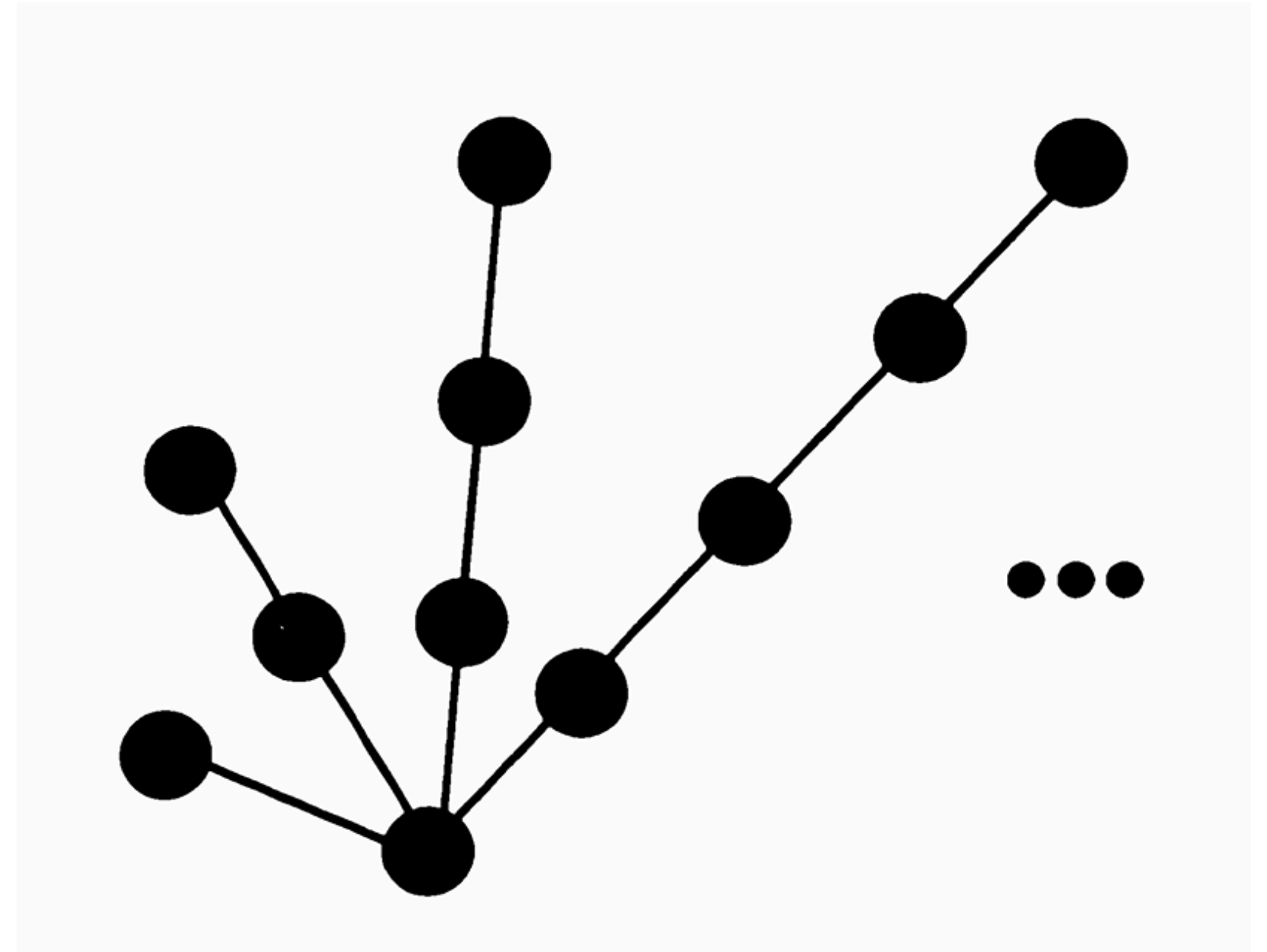


The view of  $G$  as an infinite graph presents an interesting perspective for a mathematician

Considering a graph as infinite gives rise to many interesting properties.

Consider the graph  $G$ , shown in the figure. To form  $G$ , attach a path of each finite length to a root vertex. The graph  $G$  has the property that there exists an infinite number of graphs  $H$  such that  $G$  and  $H$  are mutually embeddable ie -  $G \leq H$  and  $H \leq G$ .

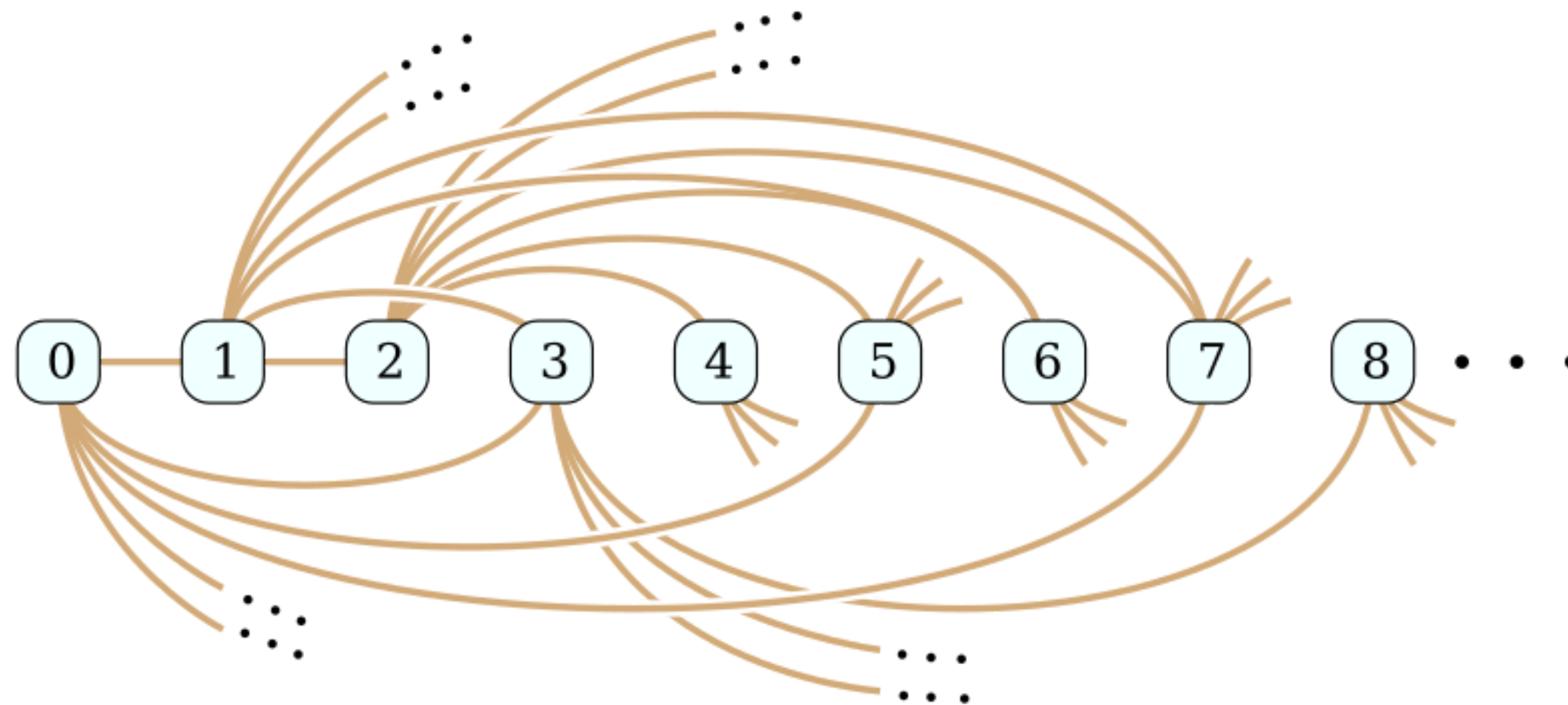
This kind of property exists only for infinite graphs, as for finite graphs, observe that the only graph that is mutually embeddable with it, is the graph itself.



# Infinite Random Graph

Consider the probability space  $G(N, p)$  consisting of graphs with  $V = \mathbb{N}$ , the set of natural numbers in which every distinct pair of integers is joined independently with probability  $p$ .

The space  $G(N, p)$  is an infinite analogue of the finite random graph  $G(n, p)$



# Infinite Random Graph

THEOREM 6.1. *With probability 1, all  $G \in G(\mathbb{N}, p)$  are isomorphic.*

All graphs in this space are mutually isomorphic, that is, structurally apart from a relabelling of vertices all graphs can be considered the same

Proof: To prove this we will consider 2 other theorems and use them. We will also use a very unique and interesting method of proving which is called back-and-forth.

# Infinite Graph $R^*$

Start with a single-vertex graph  $R_0$ , which is  $K_1$  (a graph with one vertex and no edges)

- For each non-negative integer  $t > 0$ , construct the next graph  $R_{t+1}$  from  $R_t$  as follows
- For every subset  $S$  of the vertex set  $V(R_t)$  (including the empty set), add a new vertex  $z_S$ .

$$|V(R_{t+1})| = |V(R_t)| + 2^{|V(R_t)|}$$

## Age

Let  $J = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} H_t$  be a limit of a chain  $C = (H_t : t \in \mathbb{N})$  of graphs, where  $H_t \prec H_{t+1}$  for all  $t \in \mathbb{N}$ . Define ages:  $\text{aged}(x) = t$  for  $x \in V(J)$  by

$$\text{aged}(x) = \begin{cases} t & \text{if } x \in V(H_t) \setminus V(H_{t-1}) \text{ where } t > 0 \\ 0 & \text{else} \end{cases}$$

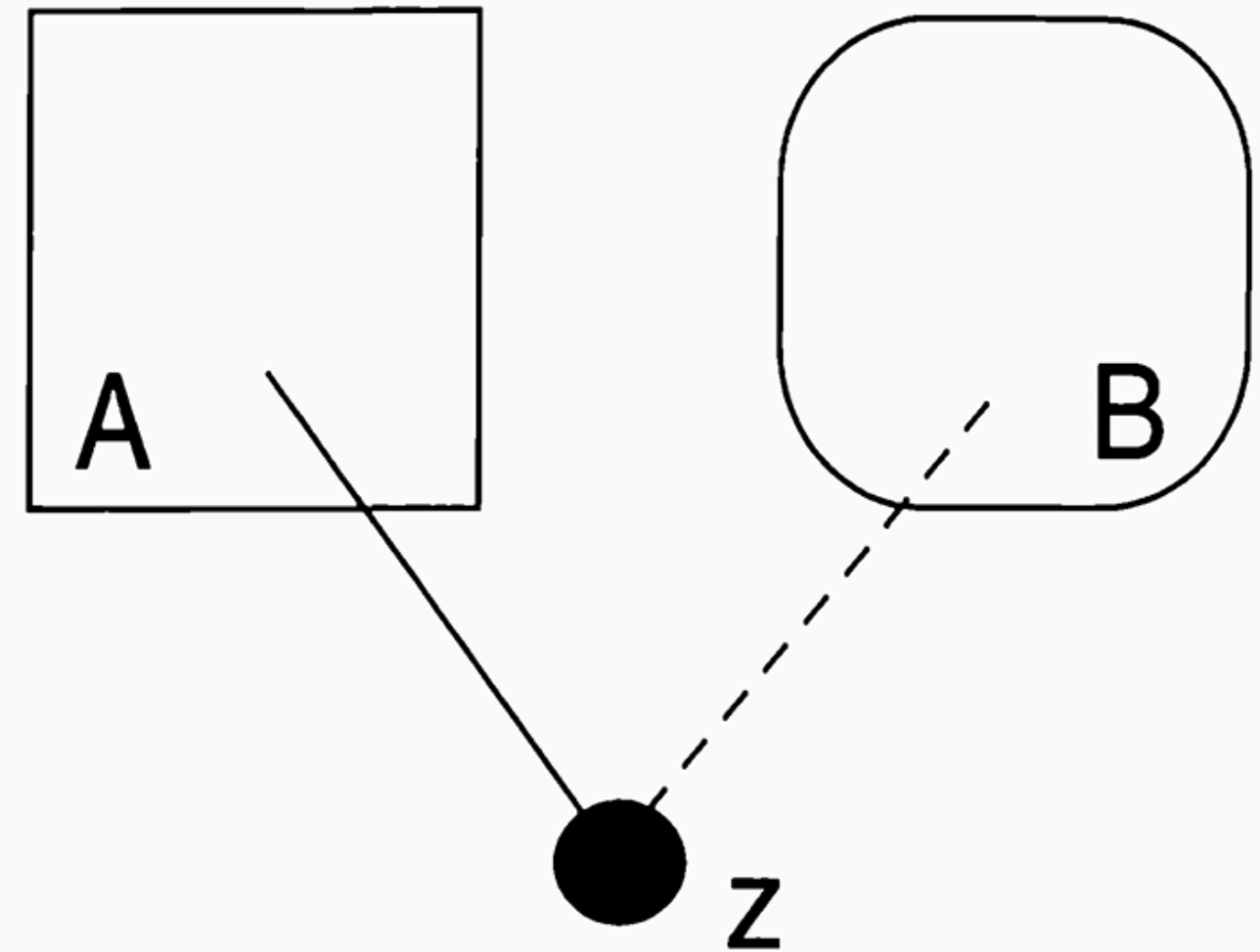
The age of a finite subset, written  $\text{age}(S)$ , is  $\max\{\text{age}(x) : x \in S\}$ .



## The e.c property

A graph  $G$  is existentially closed or e. c. if for all disjoint finite sets of vertices  $A$  and  $B$  (one of which may be empty), there is a vertex  $z$  joined to all of  $A$  and to no vertex of  $B$ .

This is very similar to the n. e. c. property that was earlier defined for finite graphs, and is a conjunction of those properties.



**THEOREM 6.2.** *The graph  $R^*$  is e.c.*

Proof: Fix finite disjoint  $A$  and  $B$  in  $V(R^*)$ . Let  $t_0 = \text{age}(A \cup B)$ . The vertex  $z = z_A$  in  $R_{t_0+1}$  is correctly joined (satisfies the ec property) to  $A$  and  $B$ .

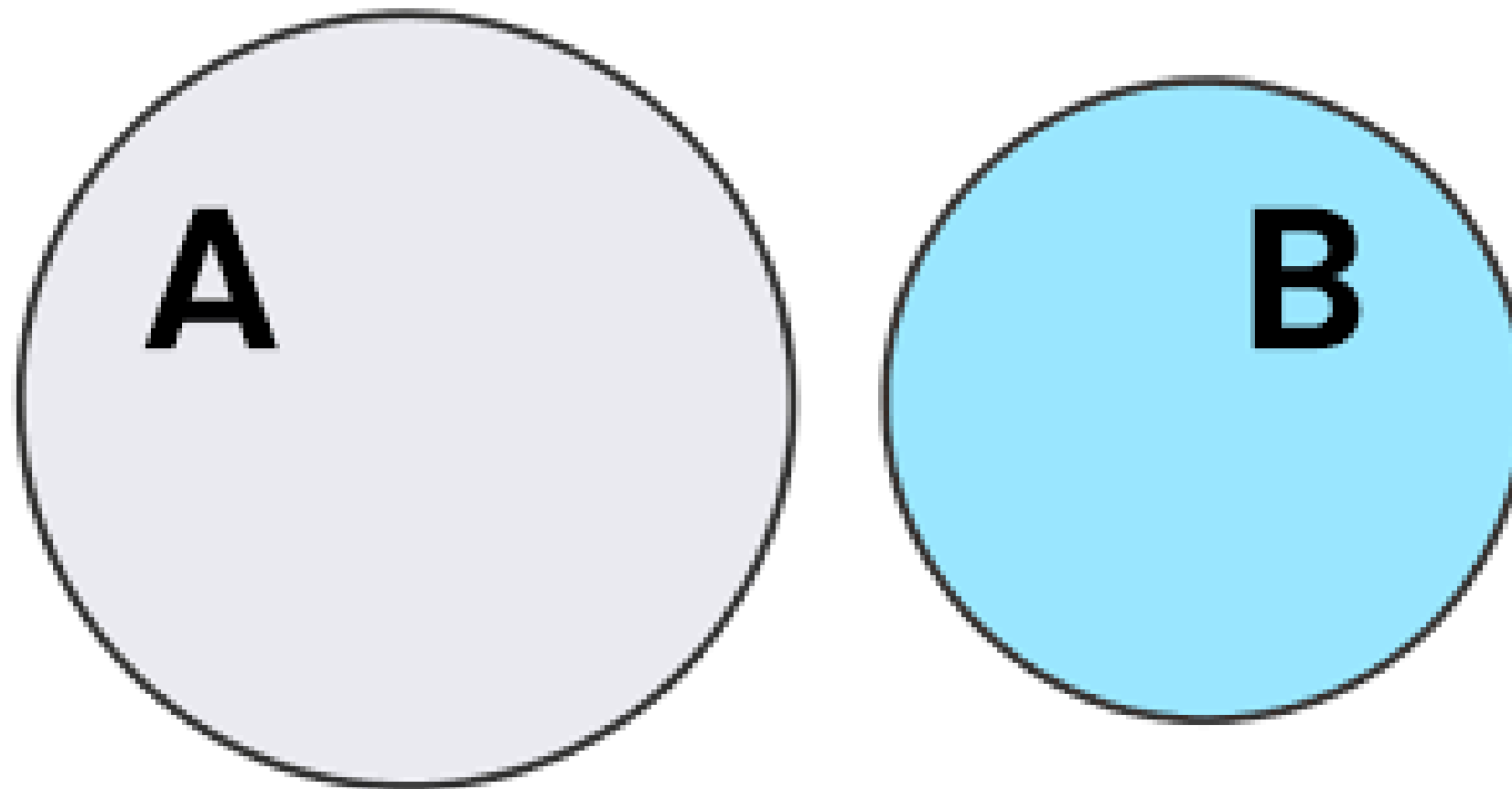
By the definition of  $\text{age}(x)$ , we have that all the vertices that appear in the finite sets  $A$  and  $B$  are present in  $R_{t_0}$ .

We may think of  $G(N, p)$  as the limit of an on-line random graph process, similar to how we defined  $R^*$ . At time 0, let  $X_0$  be  $K_1$ . Assuming a graph  $X_t$  at time  $t$  is defined and finite, at time  $t+1$ , add a new vertex  $z$  to form  $X_{t+1}$ . The vertex  $z$  is joined to each existing vertex independently with probability  $p$ . Then  $G(N, p)$  consists of limits  $\lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} X_t$ .

**THEOREM 6.3.** *With probability 1,  $G \in G(N, p)$  is e.c.*

Proof: We consider two disjoint sets  $A$  and  $B$  and let  $|A| = i$  and  $|B| = j$ . The probability that an edge occurs is  $p$ , and denote  $q = 1 - p$  as the probability that an edge does not occur.

Now we need to link it to the e.c. property, so let us consider a vertex  $Z$  correctly joined to these two sets.



Key Idea:  
What will be the probability of such a vertex  $z$  (not occurring) as the number of edges  $t$  tends to infinity?

## Back and Forth method

THEOREM 6.4. *If  $G$  and  $H$  are e.c. graphs, then  $G \cong H$ .*

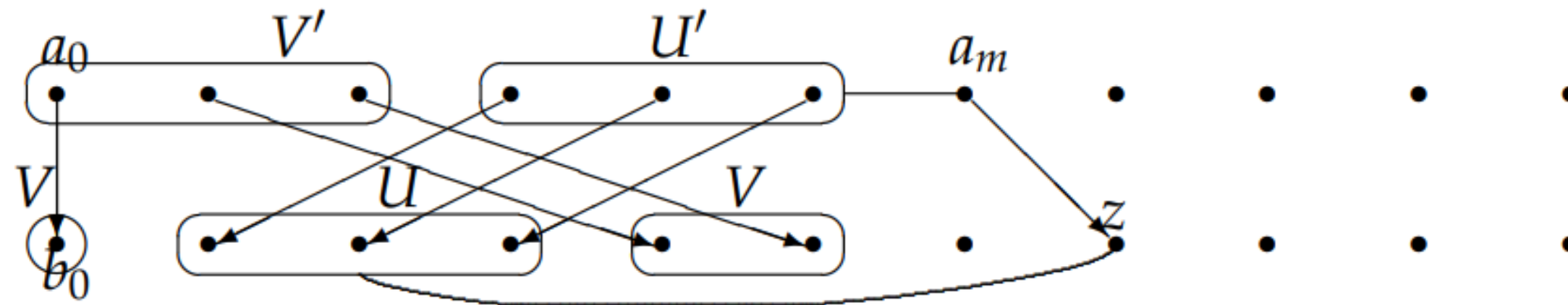
We use a method known to logicians as "back and forth".

Suppose that  $\Gamma_1$  and  $\Gamma_2$  are countable graphs satisfying (  $\star$  ):

enumerate their vertex sets as  $(a_0, a_1, \dots)$  and  $(b_0, b_1, \dots)$ . We build an isomorphism  $\varphi$  between them in stages.

Proof:

At stage 0, map  $a_0$  to  $b_0$ . At even-numbered stages, let  $a_m$  be the first unmapped  $a_i$ . Let  $U'$  and  $V'$  be its neighbours and non-neighbours among the vertices already mapped, and let  $U$  and  $V$  be their images under  $\varphi$ . Use  $(*)$  in graph  $\Gamma_2$  to find a witness  $v$  for  $U$  and  $V$ . Then map  $a_m$  to  $z$ .



At odd-numbered stages, go in the other direction, using  $(*)$  in  $\Gamma_1$  to choose a pre-image of the first unmapped vertex in  $\Gamma_2$ . This approach guarantees that every vertex of  $\Gamma_1$  occurs in the domain, and every vertex of  $\Gamma_2$  in the range, of  $\varphi$ .

## The graph $R^*$ is Universal

An existentially closed countable graph is universal in the sense every other countable graph embed in it.

Let  $G$  be any countable graph with vertices  $V(G) = \{x_i : i \in \mathbb{N}\}$

Define  $G_t$  as the subgraph induced by vertices  $\{x_i : 0 \leq i \leq t\}$ , so  $G = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} G_t$

Base case:  $f_0: G_0 \rightarrow R$

Hypothesis:  $f_t$  exists

Induction:

Extend  $f_t$  to  $f_{t+1}$ , vertex  $x_{t+1}$  connects to some set  $S$  of vertices in  $G_t$

By the e.c. property of  $R$ , find some  $z$  in  $R$  joined only to  $f_t(S)$

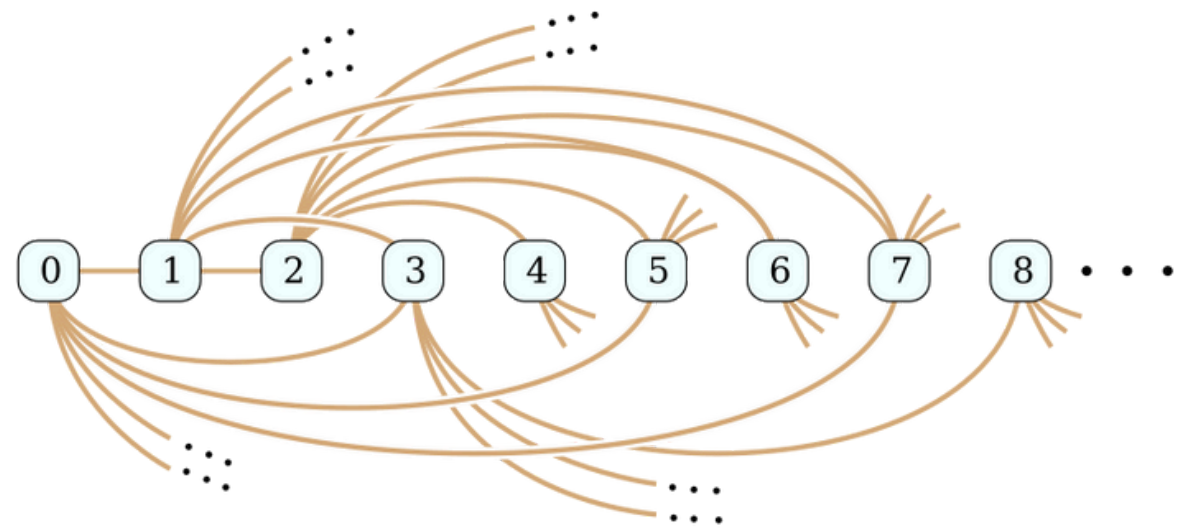
Define  $f_{t+1}$  by extending  $f_t$  and mapping  $x_{t+1}$  to  $z$

The limit mapping  $F = \lim_{t \rightarrow \infty} f_t$  gives a complete embedding of  $G$  into  $R$

## Countable infinite graph constructions:

### Rado Graph

A Rado graph can be constructed by connecting each pair of distinct natural numbers  $i < j$  with an edge if the  $i$ -th bit in the binary expansion of  $j$  is 1.

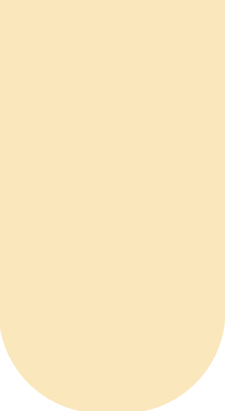



$$A = \{i_1, \dots, i_m\} \quad B = \{j_1, \dots, j_n\}$$

$$i_1 < \dots < i_m \text{ and } j_1 < \dots < j_n$$

$$z = 2^{i_1} + \dots + 2^{i_m} + 2^{j_n+1}.$$





**THANK YOU !**

