

## 论题 2-15 作业

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### 1 [CZ] Problem 1.6

$$F = (V, E)$$

$$V = \{c_1, c_2, \dots, c_{12}\}$$

$$E = \{\{c_1, c_5\}, \{c_1, c_6\}, \{c_1, c_8\}, \{c_1, c_9\}, \{c_2, c_7\}, \{c_2, c_{10}\}, \{c_3, c_7\}, \{c_3, c_{10}\}, \{c_4, c_8\}, \{c_4, c_9\}, \{c_4, c_{10}\}, \{c_4, c_{11}\}, \{c_4, c_{12}\}, \{c_5, c_{10}\}, \{c_6, c_{10}\}, \{c_7, c_{11}\}, \{c_7, c_{12}\}\}$$

### 2 [CZ] Problem 1.8

(a) The words in  $S_1$  are (presented from left to right): cat, cap, tap, top.

The words in  $S_2$  are: map (center) , mop, tap, mat (surrounding).

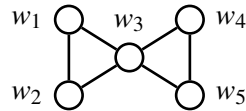
The words in  $S_3$  are: run (top left), gun (top right), sun (center), son (bottom).

The words in  $S_4$  are (presented clockwise): slit, slot, slop, slip.

The words in  $S_5$  are (presented clockwise from top left): pot, put, pet, poet.

The words in  $S_6$  are (presented clockwise): lake, sake, take, make.

(b) The graph  $H$  is:



It is a word graph of some set, and the corresponding words are: top, tap, tip, lip, dip.

### 3 [CZ] Problem 1.10

$$F = (V, E)$$

$$V = \{L1, L2, \dots, L7\}$$

$$E = \{\{L1, L3\}, \{L1, L4\}, \{L1, L5\}, \{L1, L6\}, \{L2, L3\}, \{L2, L4\}, \{L4, L5\}, \{L4, L6\}, \{L5, L6\}\}$$

### 4 [CZ] Problem 1.14

Let  $C$  denote a component of  $G$ .

(1)  $\rightarrow$  (2): Take any vertex  $v_0$  in  $C$ . For any vertex  $v_i$  which is connected to  $v_0$ , it must in  $V(C)$ , otherwise if we add  $v_i$ , along with the edges in the path from  $v_0$  to  $v_i$ , to  $C$ , we get a proper connected supergraph of  $C$ ,

which leads to contradiction. Therefore,  $V(C)$  is an equivalent class. Then we have to prove  $C$  is the subgraph induced by  $V(C)$ . If not, let  $C'$  be the subgraph induced by  $V(C)$ , and  $E(C) \subset E(C')$ , thus  $C$  is a proper subgraph of  $C'$ , which leads to contradiction.

(2)  $\rightarrow$  (1): Suppose, to the contrary that  $C$  is a proper subgraph of a connected subgraph of  $G$ , denoted by  $C'$ . If  $V(C) \subset V(C')$ , there exists some vertex connected to  $C$  but not in the equivalent class, which leads to contradiction. It is impossible that  $V(C) = V(C')$ , because the subgraph induced by  $V(C)$  is the maximal subgraph whose vertex set is  $V(C)$ .

## 5 [CZ] Problem 1.16

For every  $i$ , we have a path from  $u$  to  $v_i$ :  $(u = v_0, v_1, \dots, v_i)$ , whose length is  $i$ . Thus  $d(u, v_i) \leq i$ .

Suppose, to the contrary that  $d(u, v_i) < i$ , i.e. there exists path  $(u_0 = v_0, u_1, \dots, u_j = v_i)$ , where  $j < i$ . Consider the walk  $(u = u_0 = v_0, u_1, \dots, u_j = v_i, v_{i+1}, \dots, v_k = v)$ , it's a  $u - v$  walk shorter than the geodesic, which leads to contradiction.

Therefore,  $d(u, v_i) = i$  for each integer  $i$  with  $1 \leq i \leq k$ .

## 6 [CZ] Problem 1.17

- (a) Assume that  $P$  is an  $x - z$  path and  $Q$  is a  $u - w$  path, where  $x \neq u, v$  and  $y \neq u, v$ , and they do not have common vertex. Let  $y$  be a vertex in  $P$  and  $v$  be a vertex in  $Q$ , then there exists a  $y - v$  path  $(p_0 = y, p_1, p_2, \dots, p_n = v)$ . If there exists  $p_i$  such that  $p_i$  ( $0 < i < n$ ) is in  $P$  or  $Q$ , since  $P \cap Q = \emptyset$ , there exists a segment of the path, from any vertex in  $P$  (let it be  $y$ ), to any vertex in  $Q$  (let it be  $v$ ), such that the vertices in the segment are not in  $P$  or  $Q$ , except the first and the last one. Assume  $x - y$  is longer than  $y - z$ , and  $u - v$  is longer than  $v - w$ , consider the path  $x - y - v - u$ , it is longer than the  $x - z$  path and the  $u - v$  path, which leads to contradiction.
- (b) This is true. The geodesics are as well the longest paths in  $G$ , otherwise  $\text{diam}(G) > k$ . Apply the conclusion we've proved in (1), we obtain that  $P$  and  $Q$  must have at least one common vertex.

## 7 [CZ] Problem 1.18

- (a) The minimum size of such a subgraph contains only the vertices and edges in a  $u - v$  geodesic. Any connected subgraph containing  $u$  and  $v$  must have a  $u - v$  path, which is at least as long as the geodesic. So a subgraph contains only the vertices and edges in a  $u - v$  geodesic has less edges or vertices than other graphs.
- (b) What is the maximum size of a connected subgraph of  $G$  containing  $u$  and  $v$ ? It is  $G$ .