

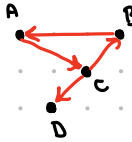
## Definitions

Def An undirected graph  $G = (V, E)$  is defined by

- ① a set  $V$  of
  - ② a set  $E$  of
- where elements in  $E$



Note To make an directed graph  $G = (V, E)$ , we can define



Def Given an edge  $e = \{u, v\}$ , we say

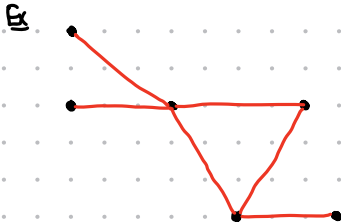
$e$  is to  $u$  and  $v$

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The degree of a vertex  $v$  is

$\deg(v) =$



## Handshaking Lemma

Thm (Handshaking Lemma) Let  $G = (V, E)$  be a graph with  $m = |E|$  edges. Then

$$2m = \sum_{v \in V} \deg(v)$$

Ex  $m=2$



Pf Let  $N$  be the number of vertex edge pairs  $(v, e)$  such that  $v$  is incident to  $e$ .

Therefore

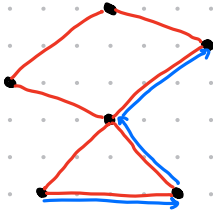
# Walking on Graphs

Def A walk is  
A walk is closed if  
A walk is open if

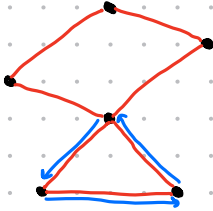
A path is  
A tour is  
A cycle is  
An Eulerian tour is

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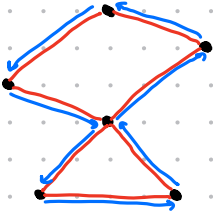
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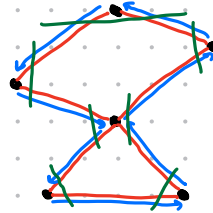
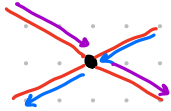
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Def A graph is connected if

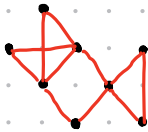
## Eulerian Tours

Thm A connected graph  $G = (V, E)$  has an Eulerian tour iff every vertex has even degree.  
Pf  $\Rightarrow$ ) Suppose  $G$  has an Eulerian tour starting at some vertex  $v_0$ .



$\Leftarrow$ ) Suppose every vertex in  $G$  has even degree

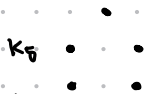
Ex  $\star$  Use the above algorithm to find an Eulerian tour in the following graph.



## Graph Families

Def A complete graph on  $n$  vertices, denoted  $K_n$ , is a graph with  $n$  vertices and all possible edges.

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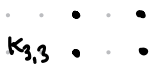
Note For  $K_n$ ,

$$|E| =$$

Def A bipartite graph partitions its vertex set  $V$  into two disjoint sets  $L$  and  $R$  such that

$$E \subseteq$$

A complete bipartite graph, denoted  $K_{n,m}$ , has  $|L| = n$ ,  $|R| = m$ , and  $E = \{\{u,v\} : u \in L, v \in R\}$ .



Note For  $K_{n,m}$ ,

$$|E| =$$

Def A tree is a

Ex



Thm The following statements about a graph  $T = (V, E)$  are equivalent.

- $T$  is connected and acyclic
- $T$  is connected and has  $|V| - 1$  edges
- $T$  is connected and removing any edge disconnects  $T$
- $T$  has no cycles and adding any edge creates a cycle.

## Planar Graphs

Def A graph is called planar if it can be drawn in the plane without any edges crossing.  
Such a drawing is called a planar representation.

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Thm (Euler's Formula) Let  $G$  be a connected planar graph.

$v$  = # vertices

$e$  = # edges

$f$  = # faces (a face is a region bounded by edges in the planar representation)

Then

$$v - e + f = 2$$

Pf By induction on  
Base case:

Inductive hypothesis: Suppose that for any connected planar graph

Inductive step:

## Sparsity

Cor For a connected planar graph with  $v \geq 3$ , we have  $e \leq 3v - 6$   
Pf Define the degree of a face to be the # of edges on its boundary, where edges are counted twice if they have the face on both sides.



$$\deg(F_1) = 3$$



$$\deg(F_2) = 6$$

Cor For a connected planar bipartite graph with  $v \geq 3$ ,  $e \leq 2v - 4$   
Pf

## Nonplanarity

Def  $K_5$



PP Suppose for contradiction  $K_5$  is planar.

Def  $K_{3,3}$



PP Suppose for contradiction  $K_{3,3}$  is planar.

Def An elementary subdivision of  $G = (V, E)$  is an operation which replaces an edge  $\{u, v\} \in E$  with new edges  $\{u, w\}$  and  $\{w, v\}$ .



Def: Two graphs  $G_1$  and  $G_2$  are homeomorphic if they can be obtained from the same graph by sequences of elementary subdivisions.

Thm (Kuratowski.) A graph is nonplanar iff it contains a subgraph homeomorphic to  $K_{3,3}$  or  $K_5$ .