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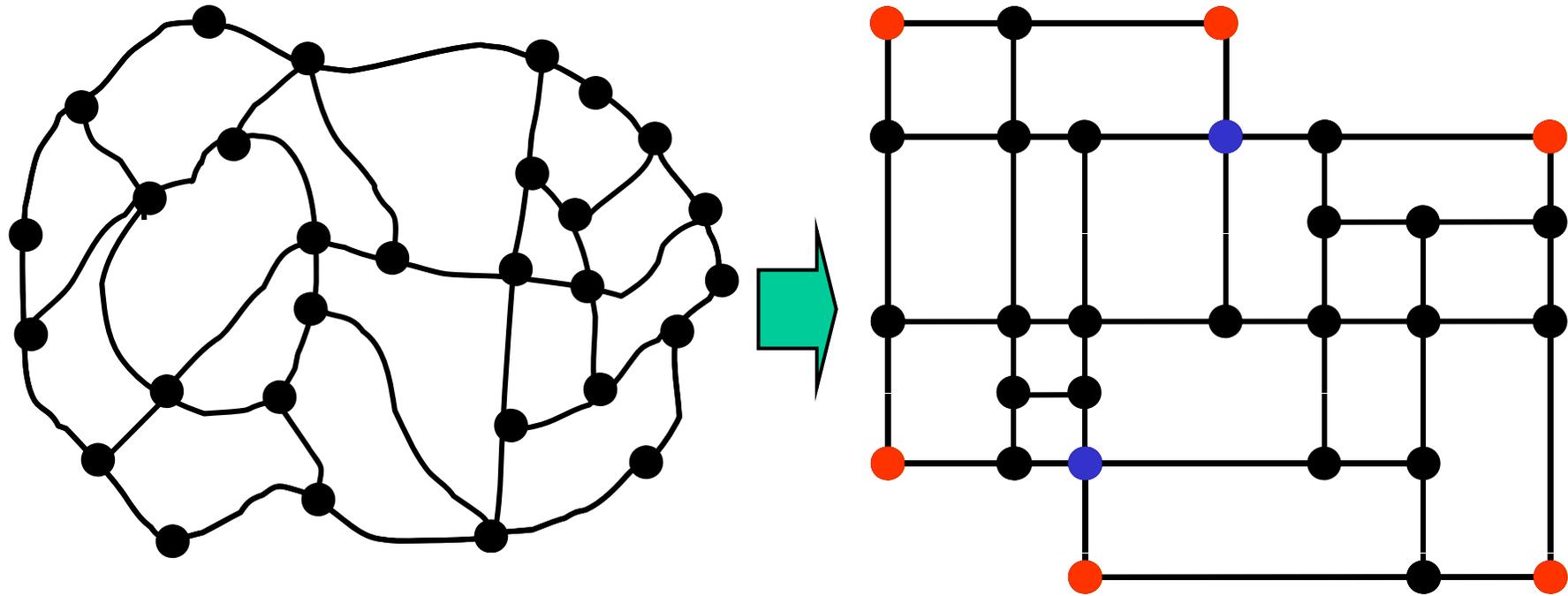
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# Inner Rectangular Drawings of Plane Graphs

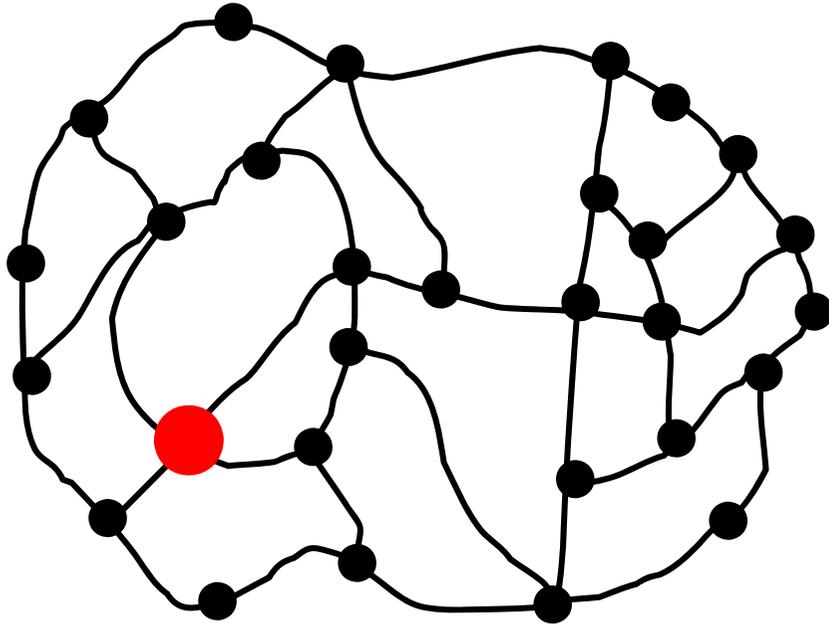
—Application of Graph Drawing to VLSI Layout—



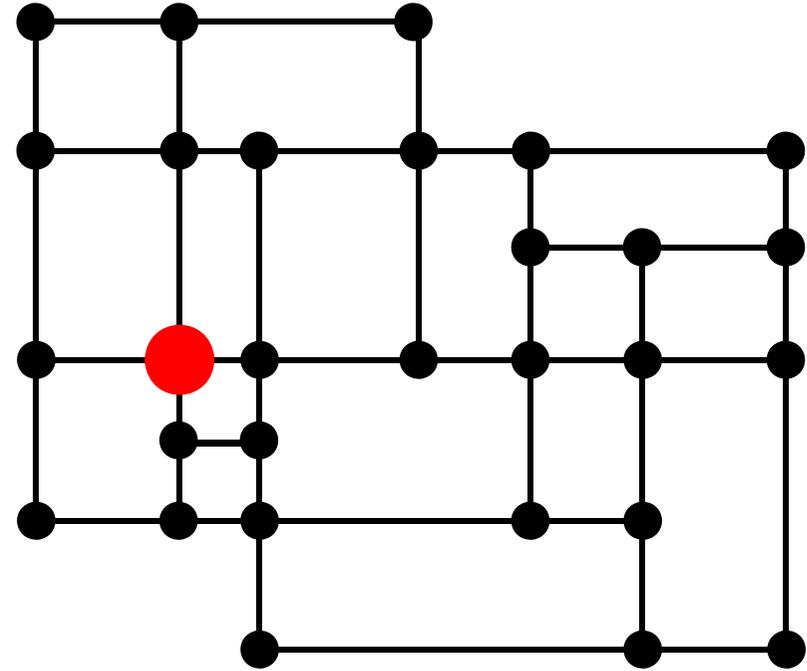
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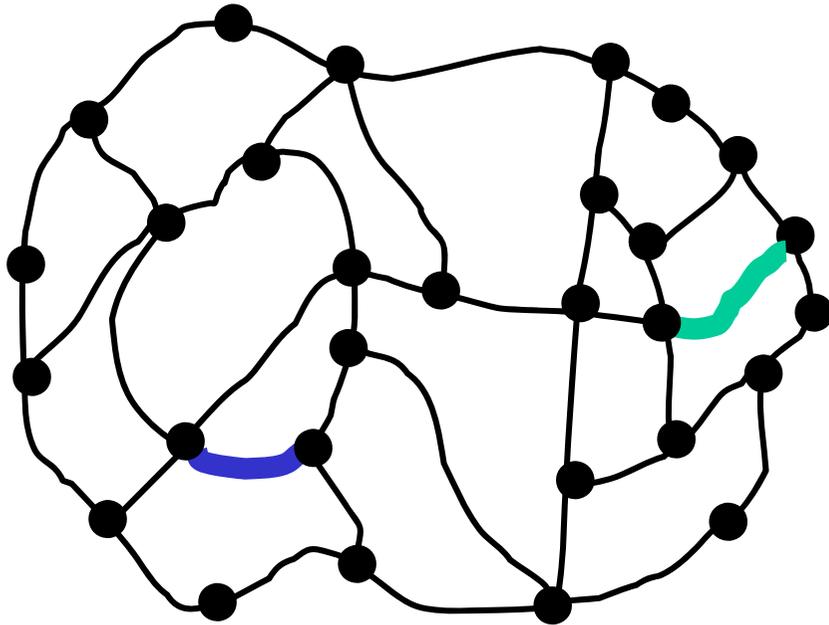
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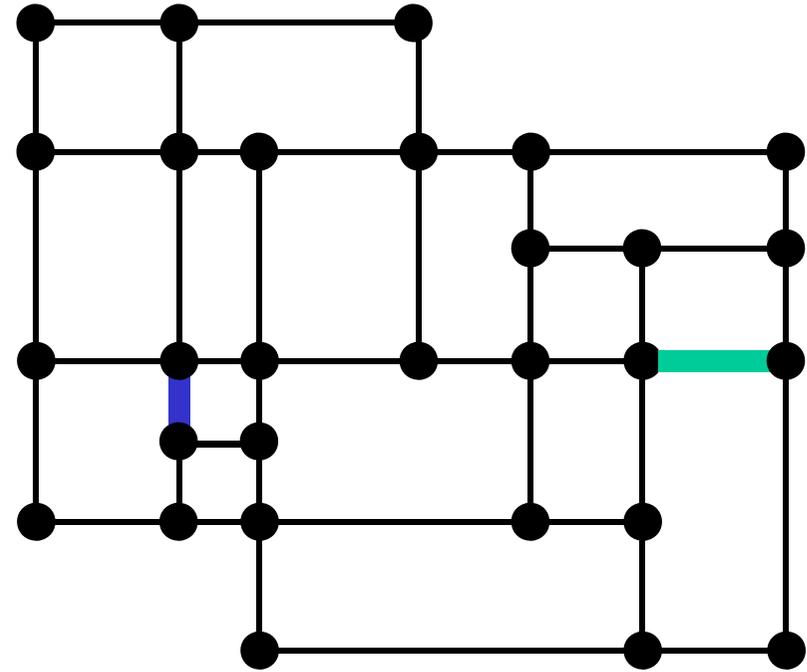
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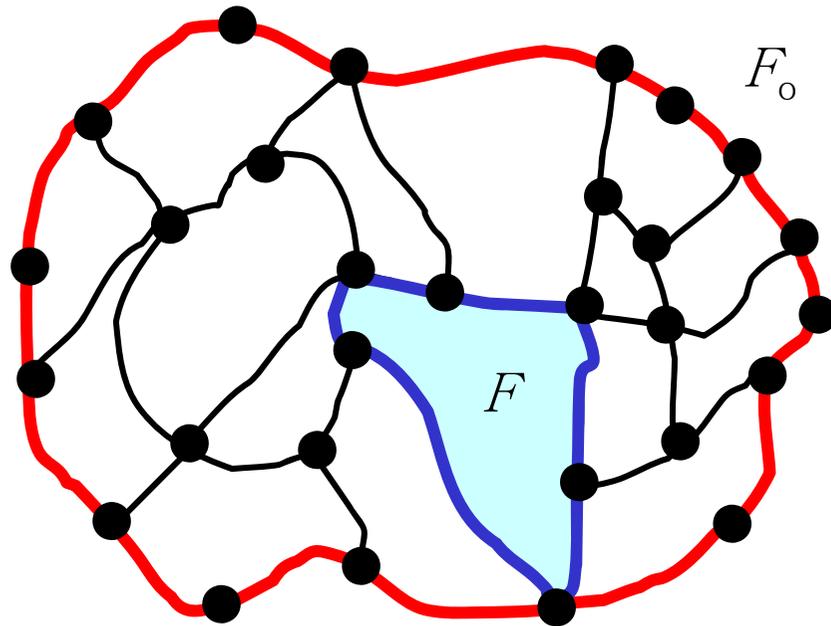
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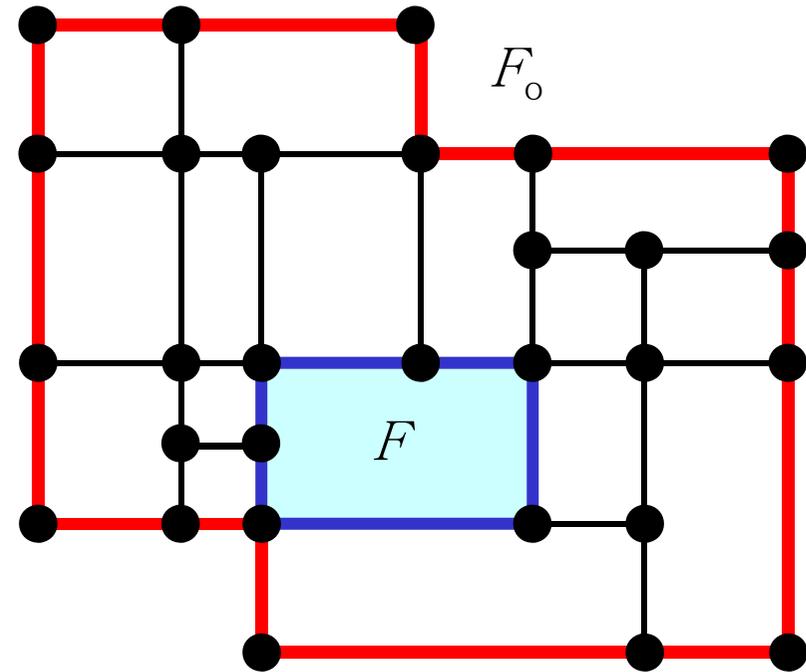
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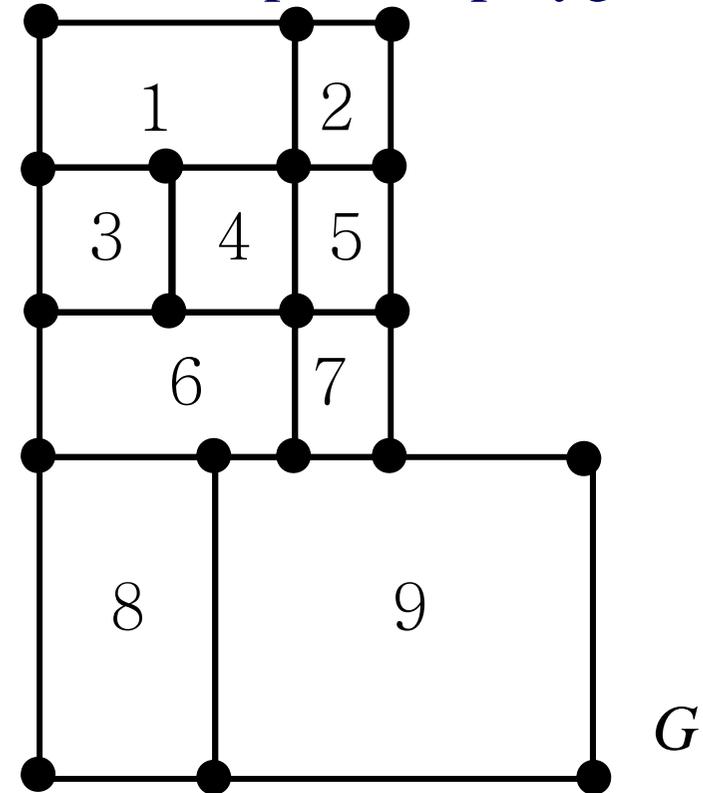
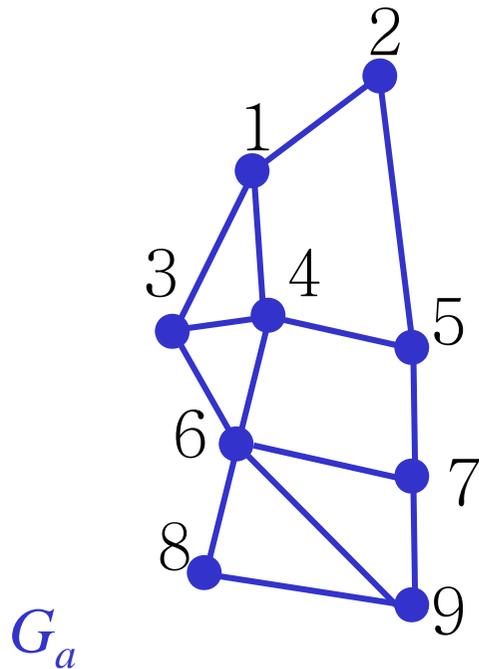
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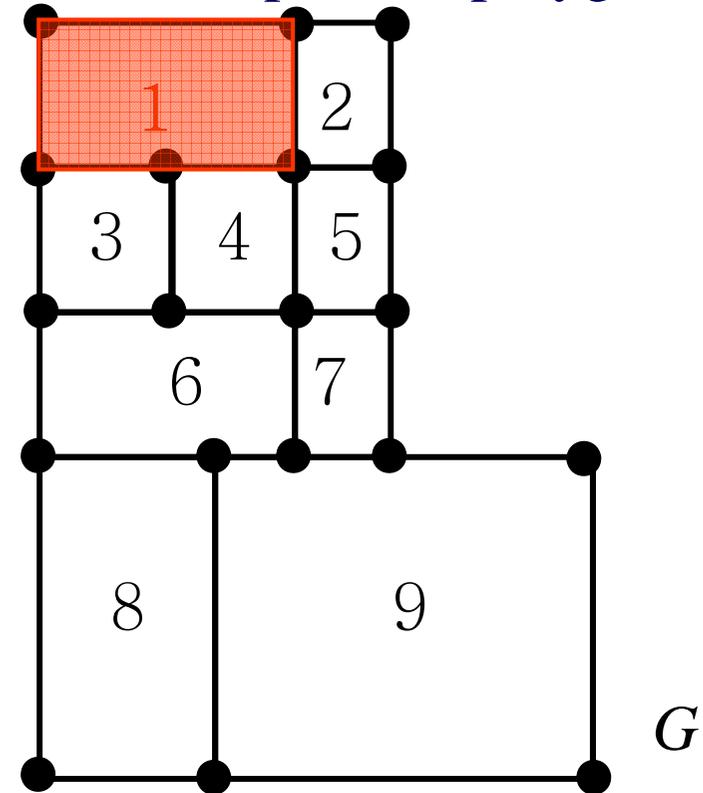
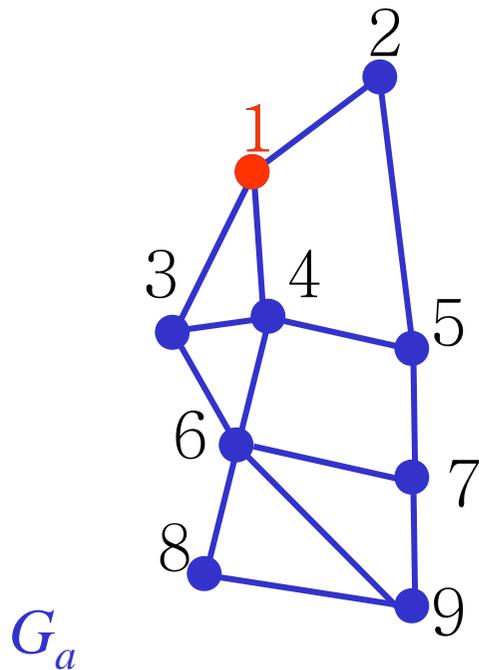
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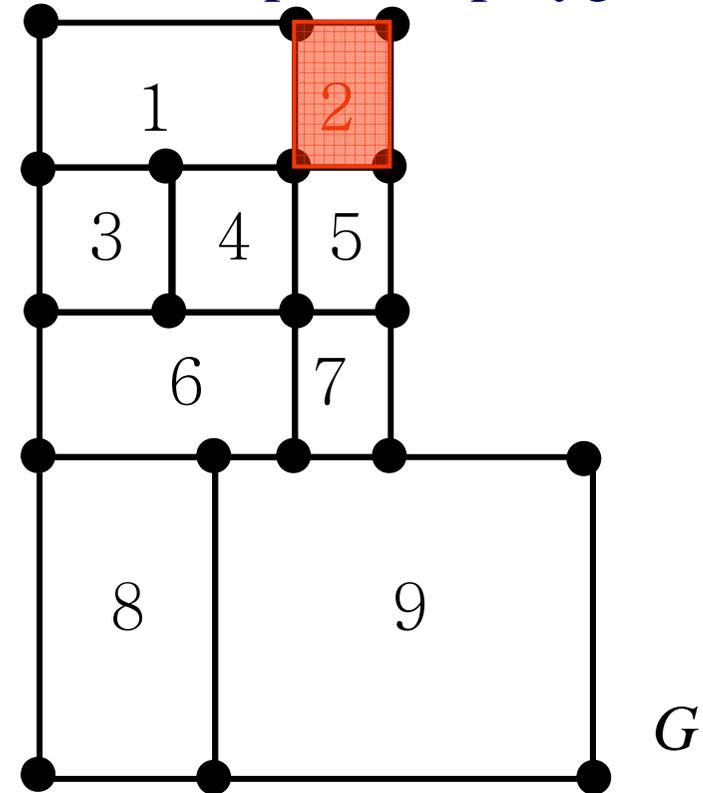
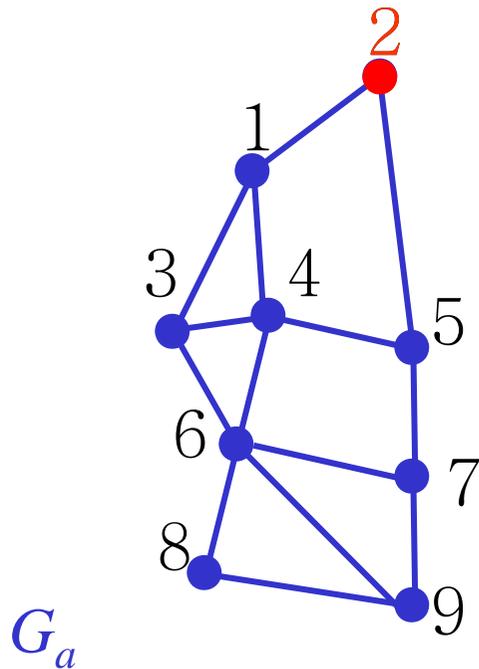
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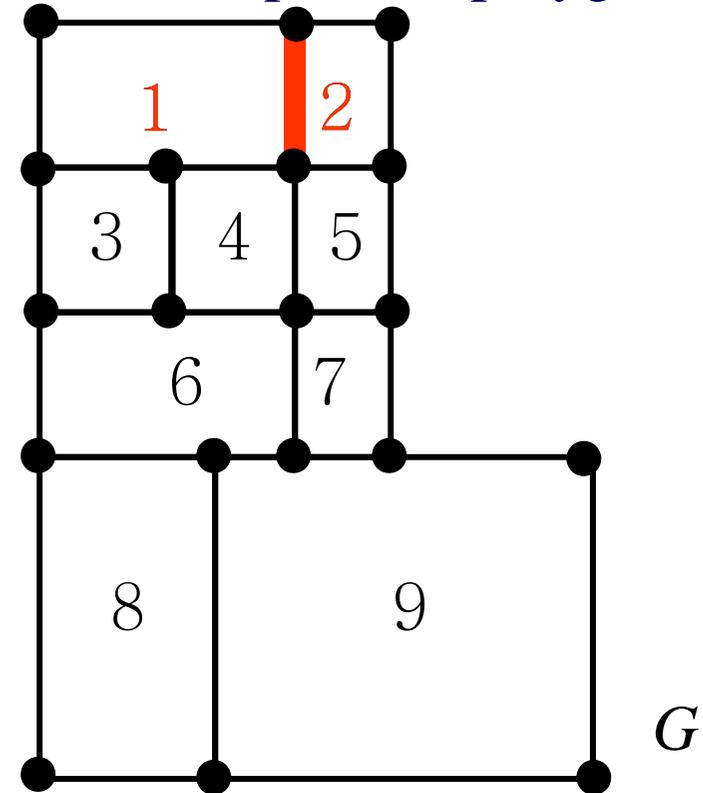
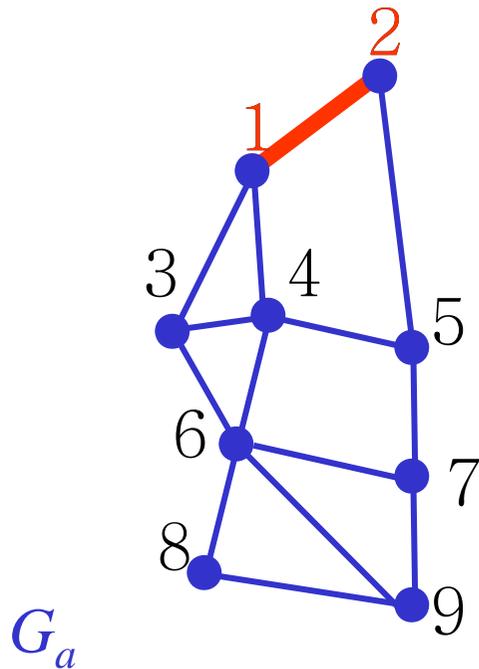
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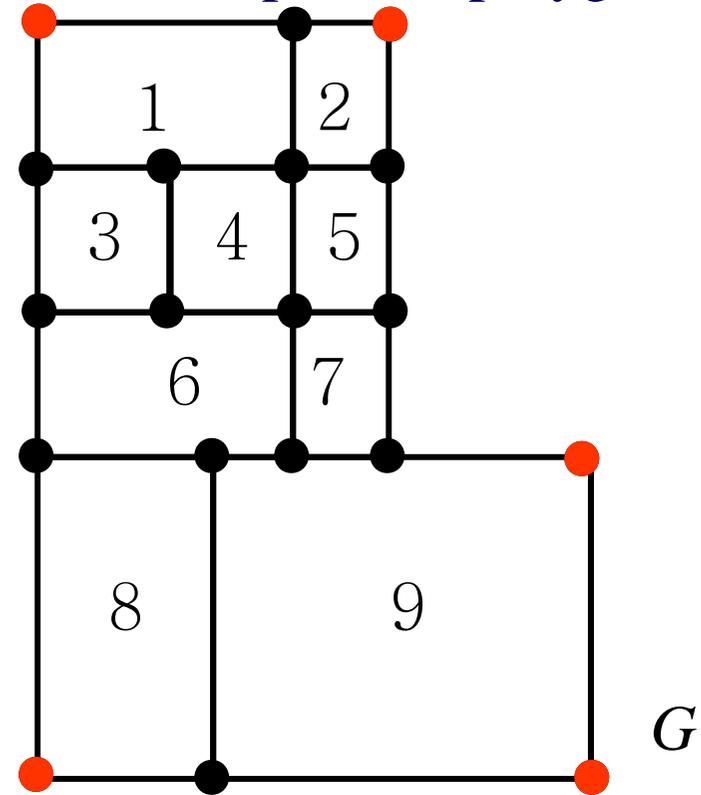
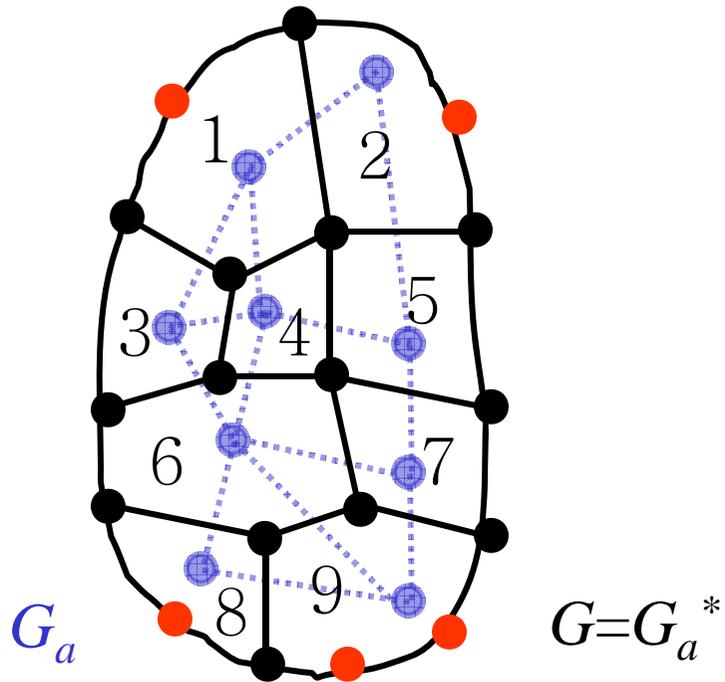
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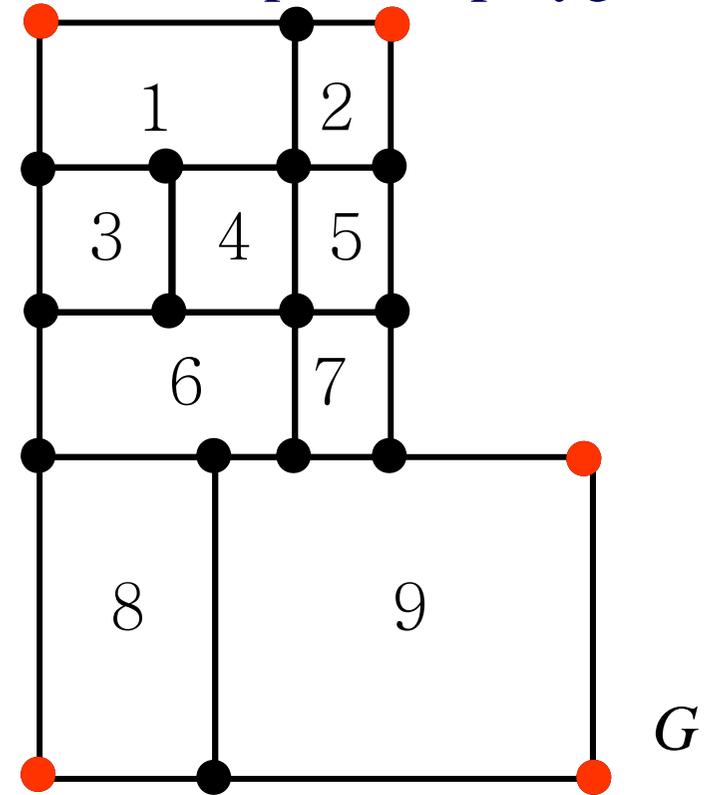
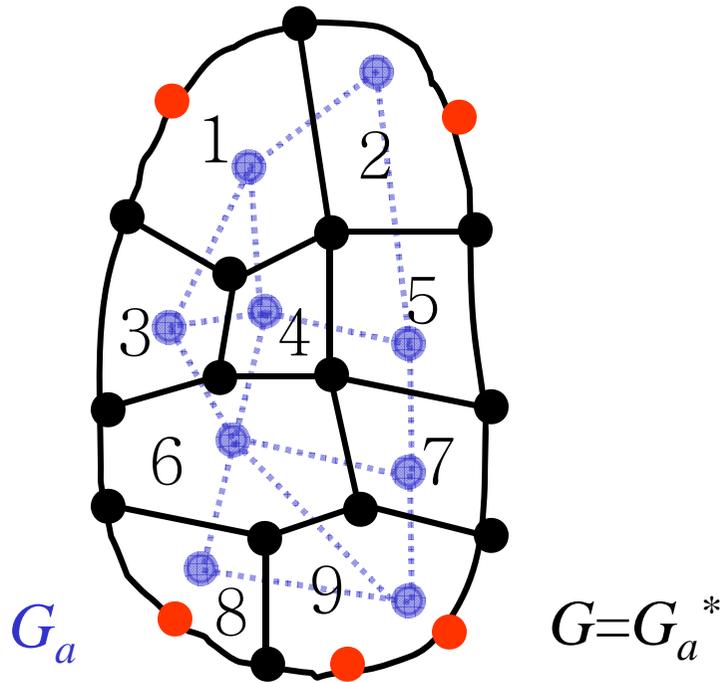
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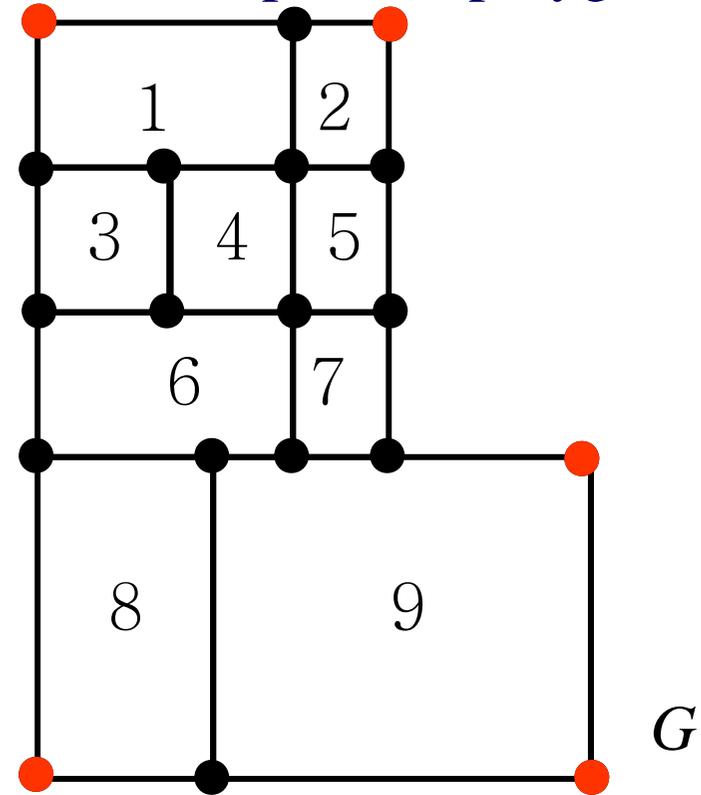
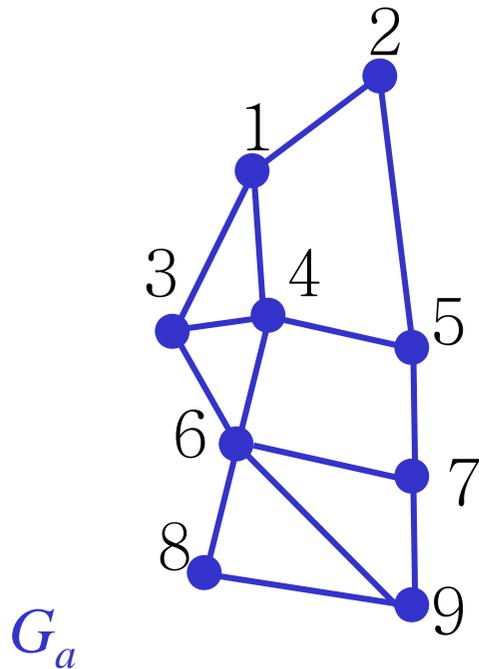
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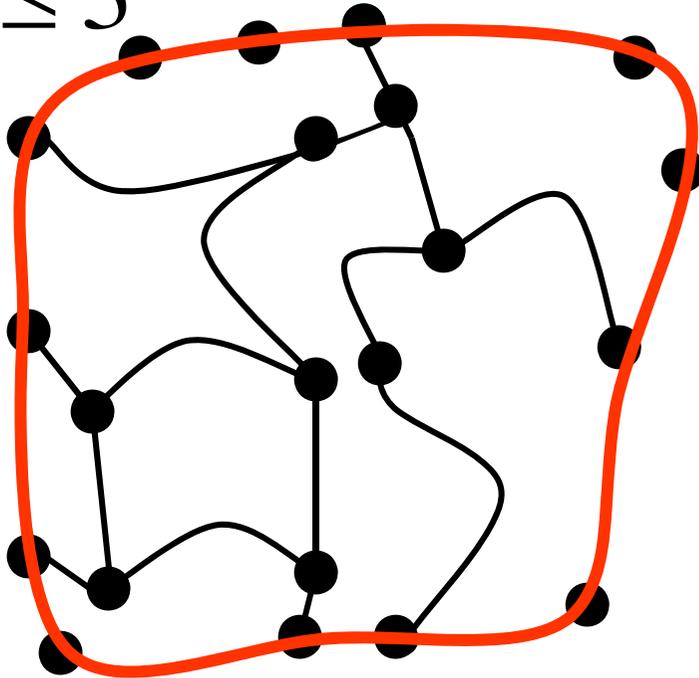
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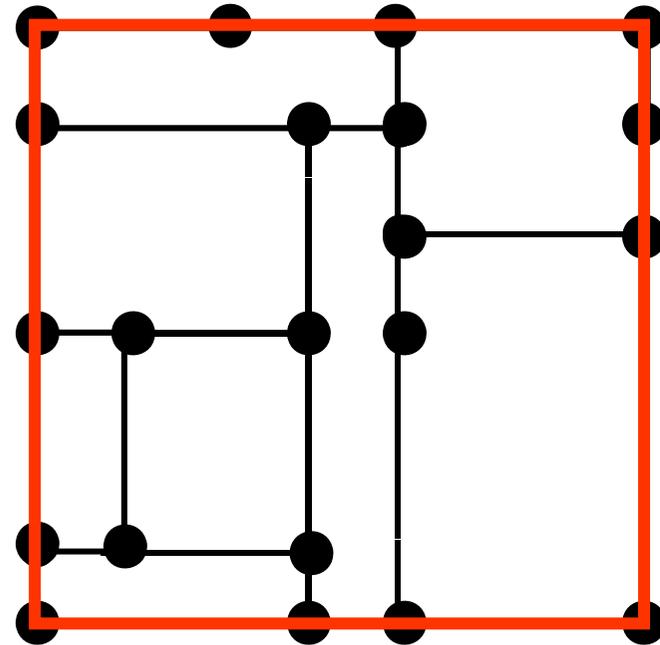
# Known Result

a necessary and sufficient condition for the existence of a **rectangular drawing** of  $G$  with  $\Delta \leq 3$  [T84,RNN98] and a linear algorithm for  $\Delta \leq 3$  [RNN98,BS88,KH97]

$\Delta \leq 3$



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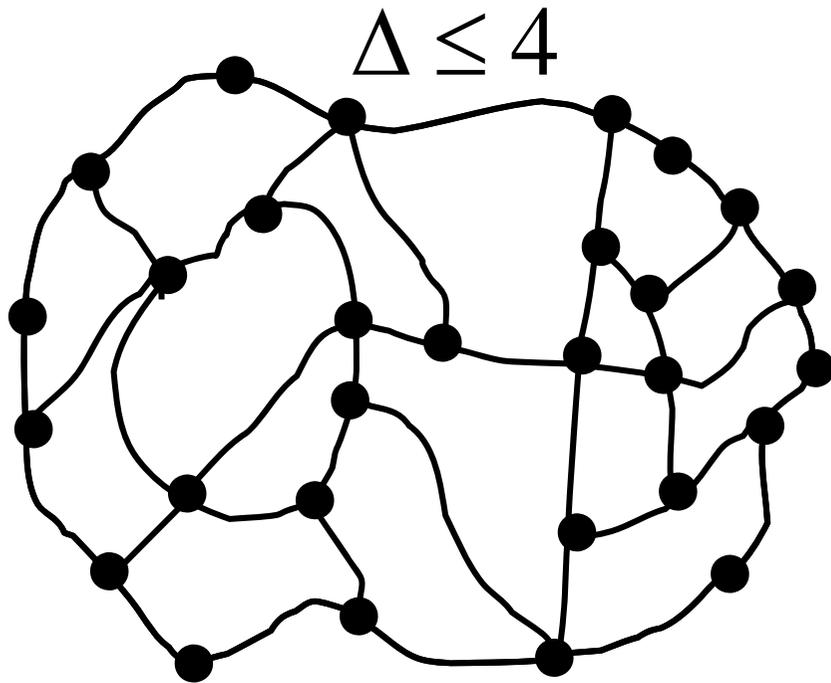


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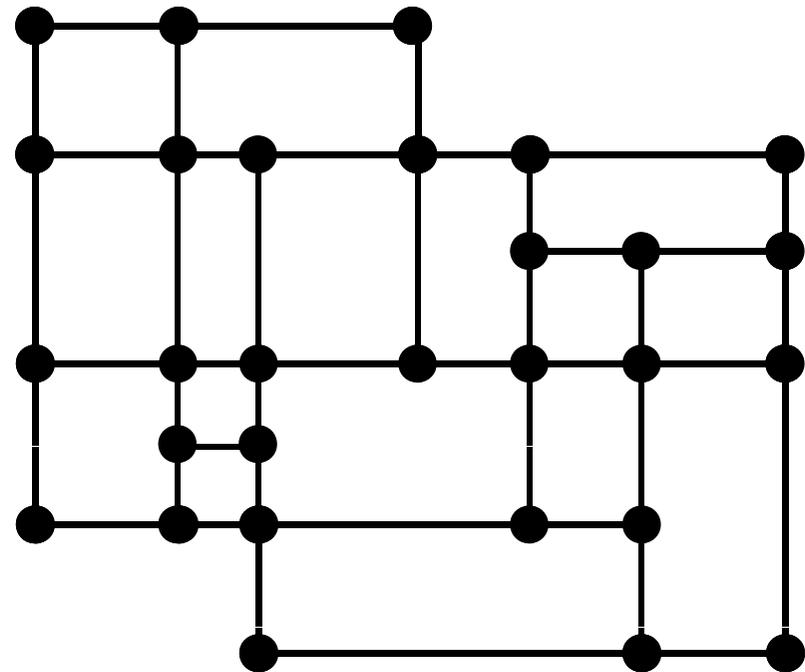
# Open Problem

a necessary and sufficient condition for the existence of an **inner rectangular drawing** of  $G$  (with  $\Delta \leq 4$ )?

efficient algorithm to find an **inner rectangular drawing** of  $G$  (with  $\Delta \leq 4$ )?



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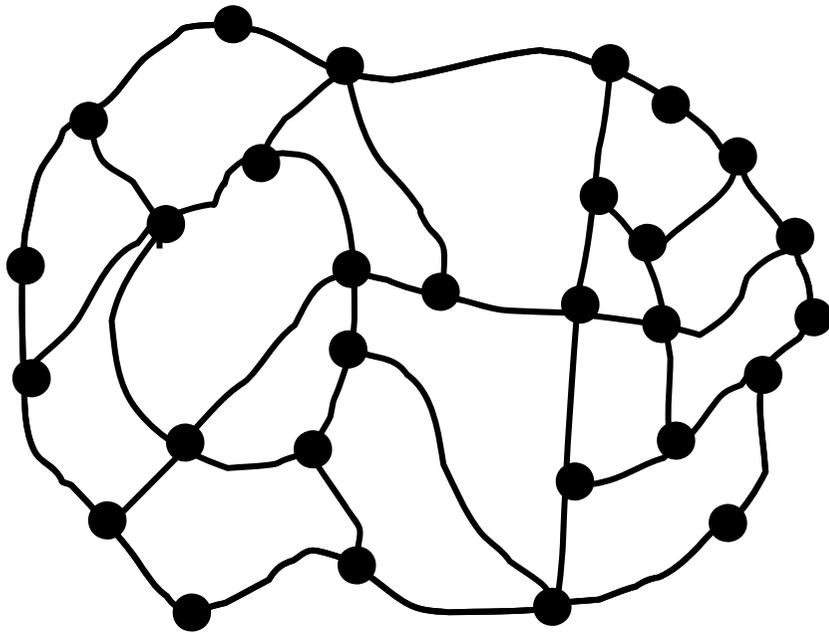
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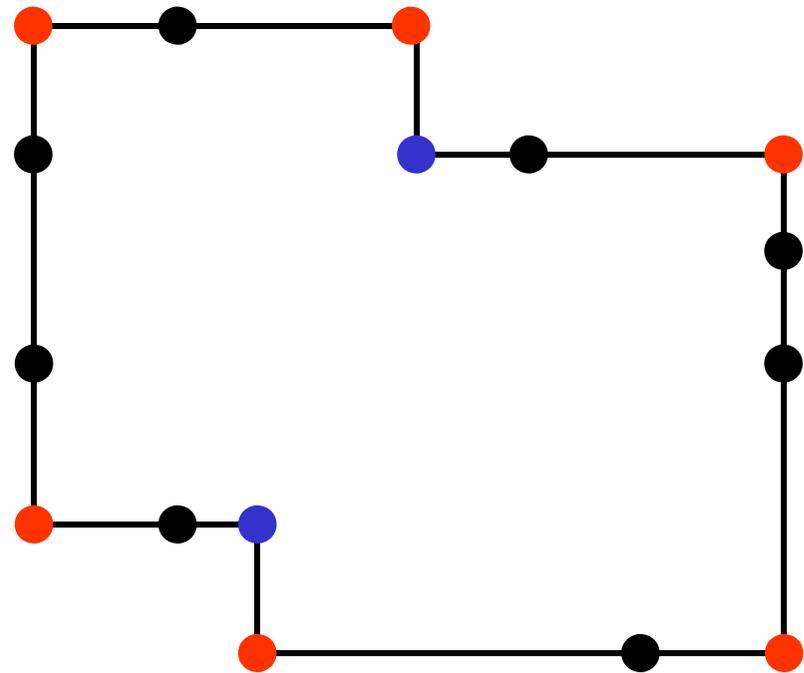
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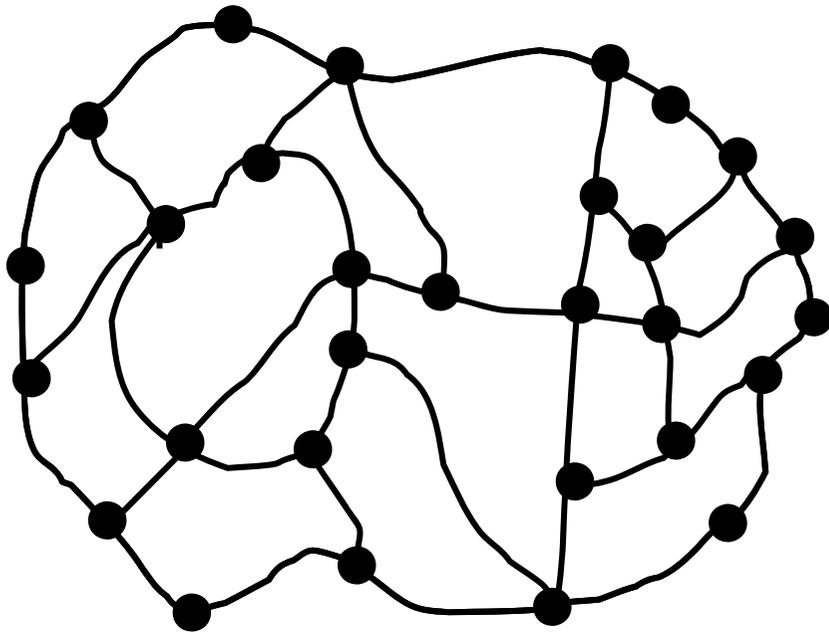
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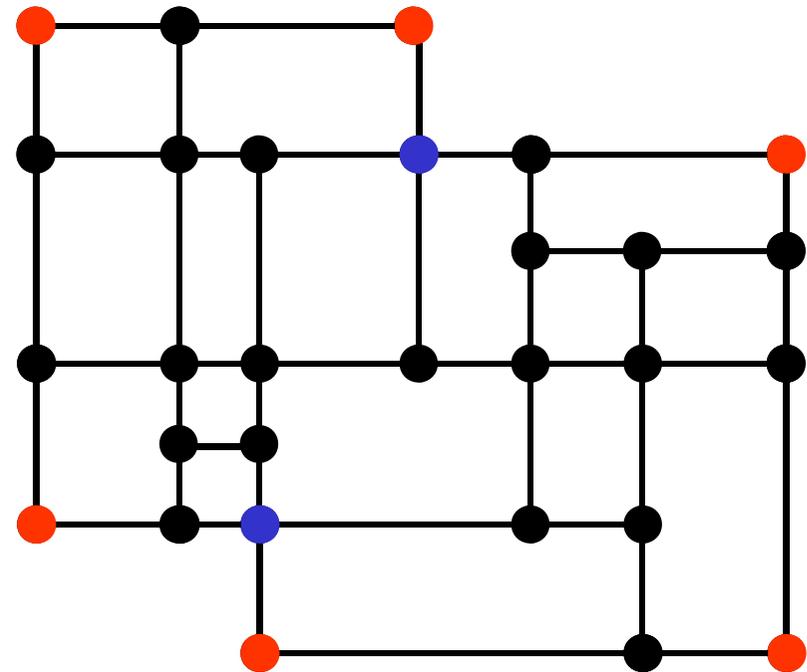
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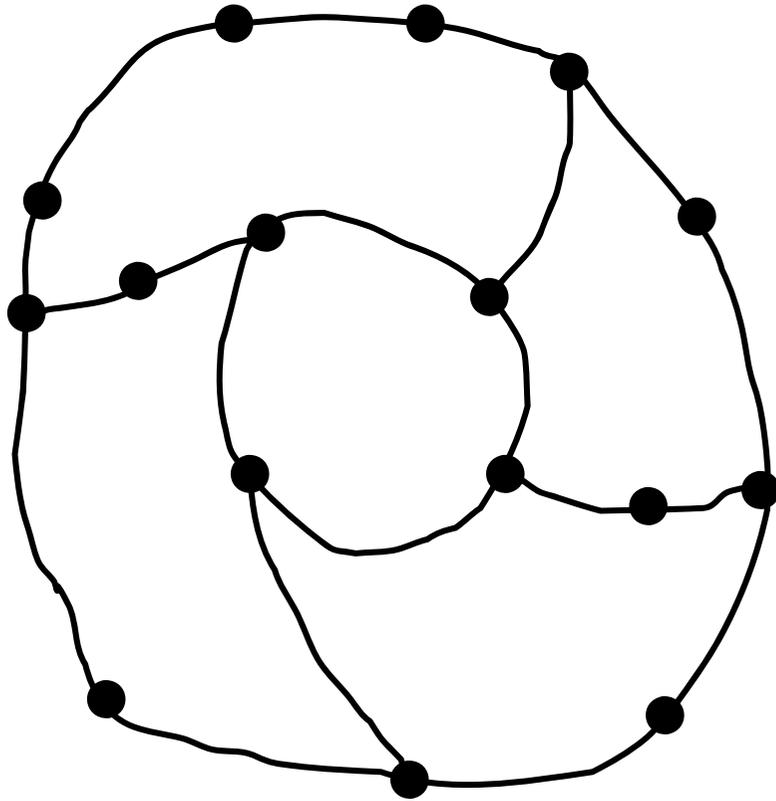
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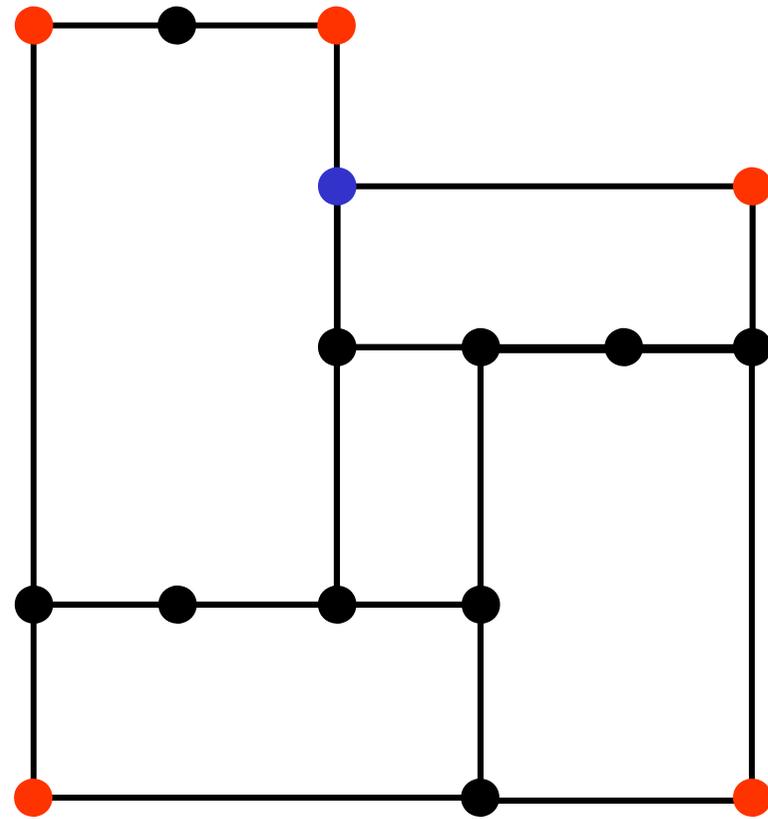
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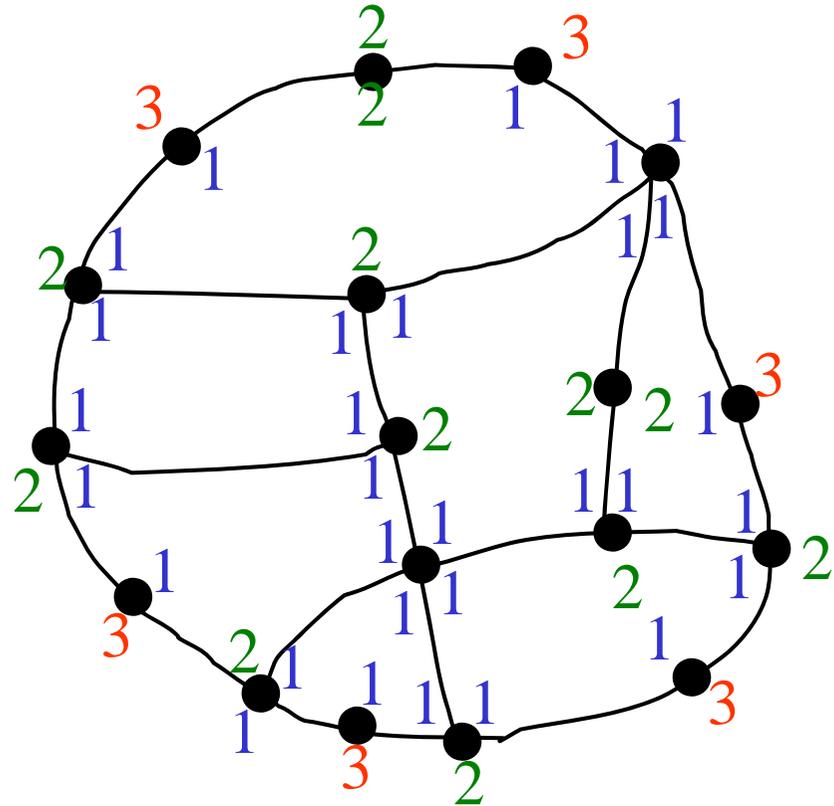
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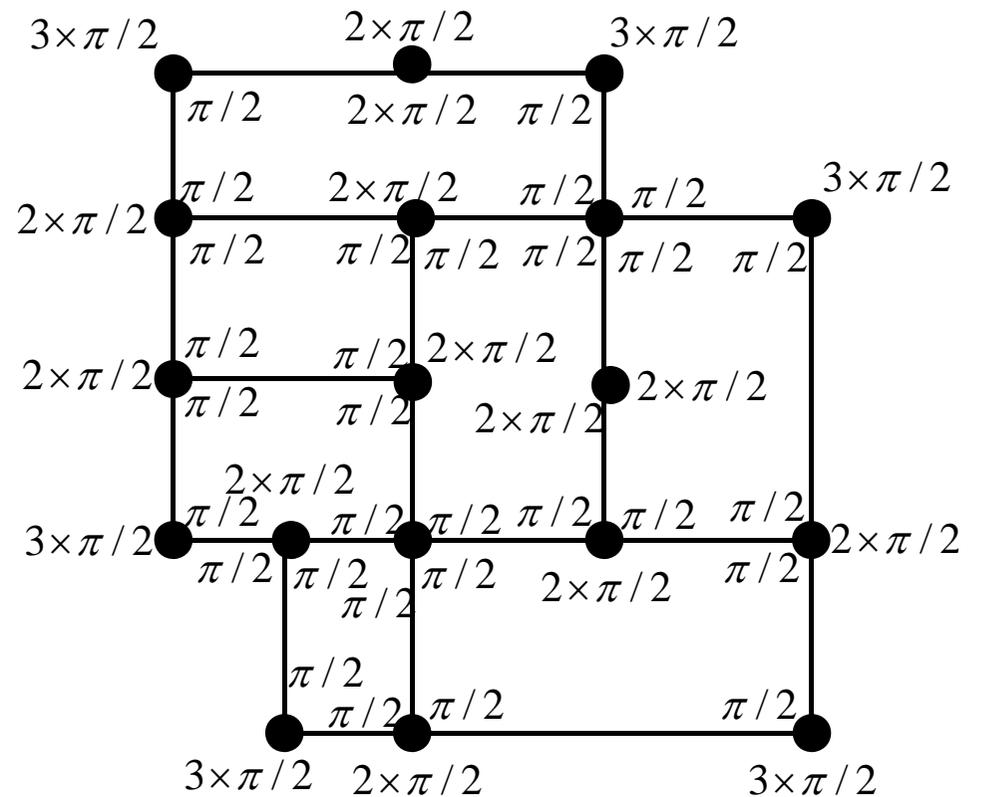
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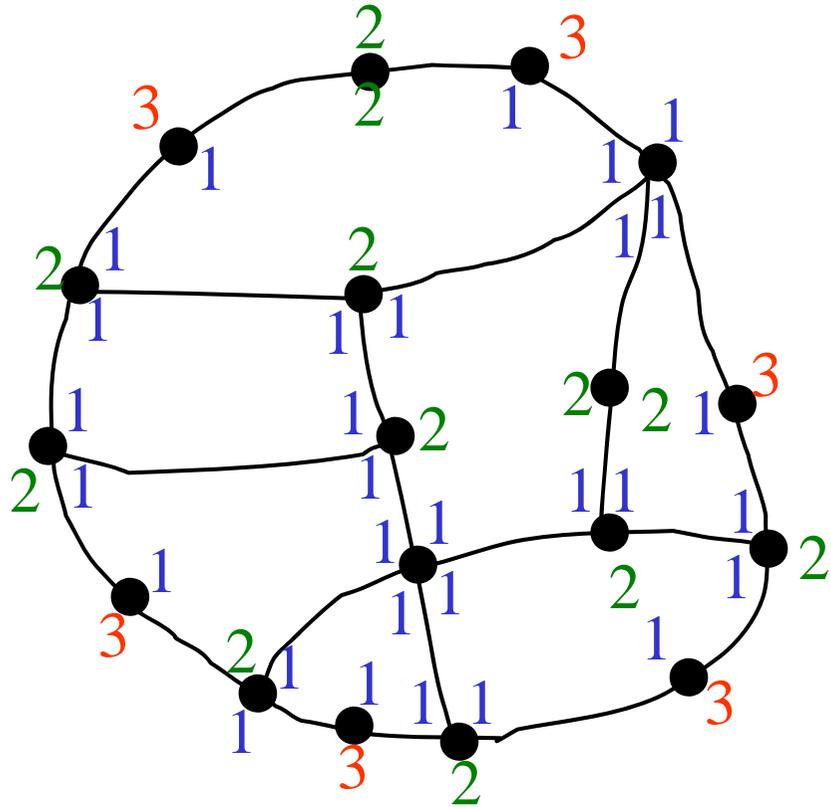
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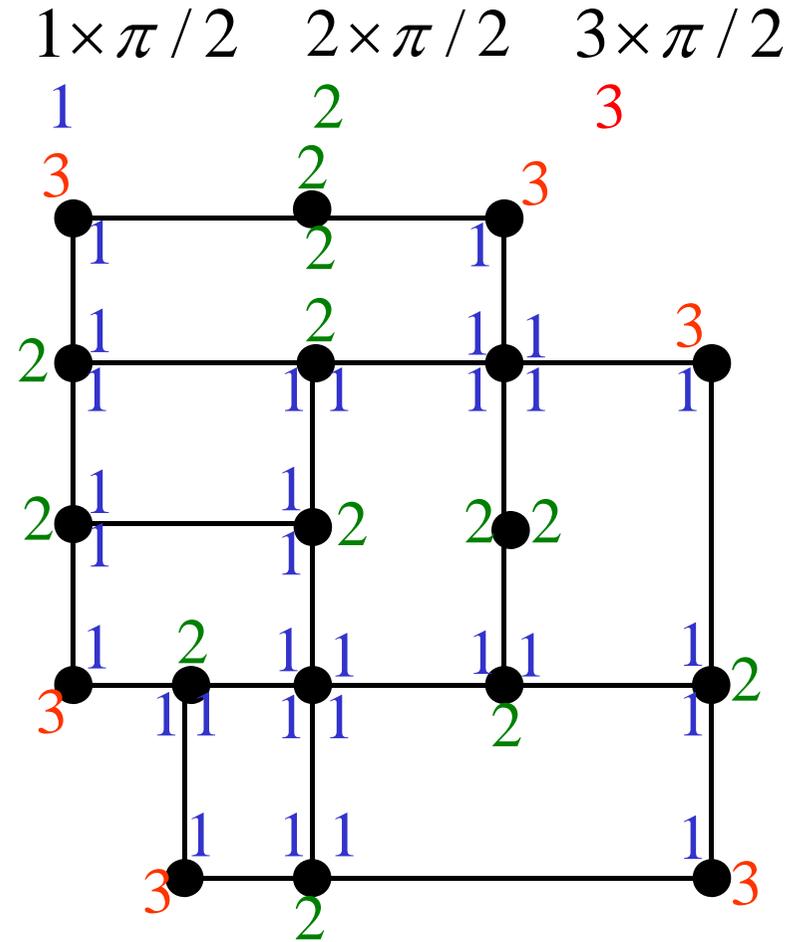
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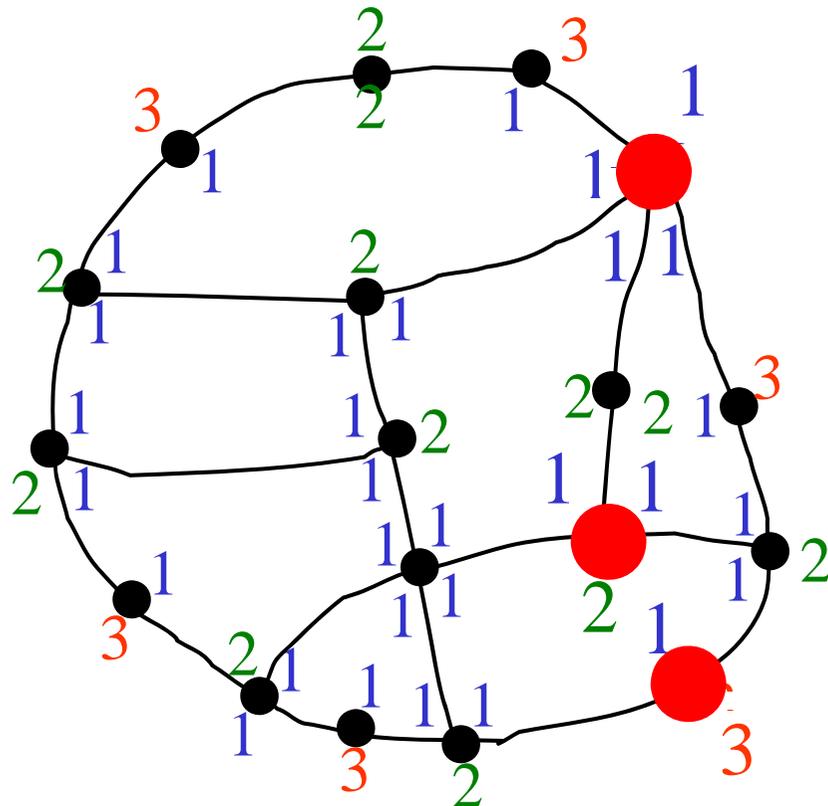
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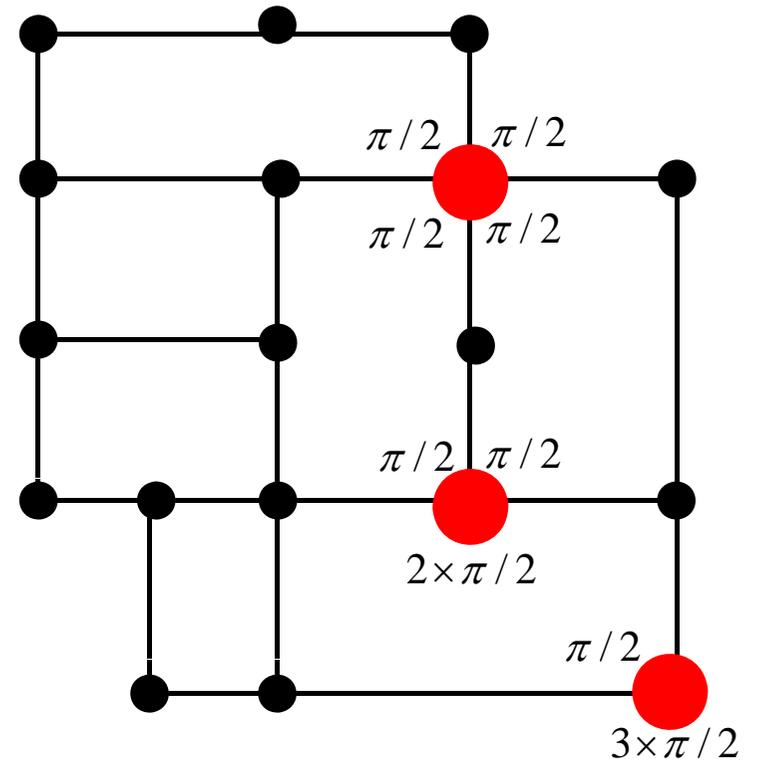
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A **regular labeling** satisfies the following three conditions  
(a)-(c)

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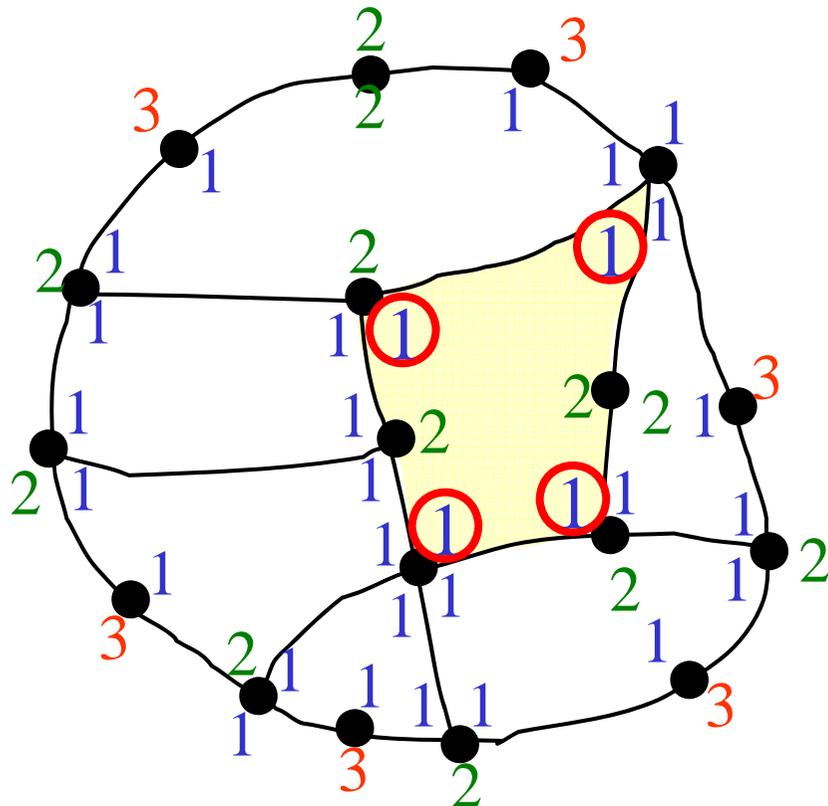
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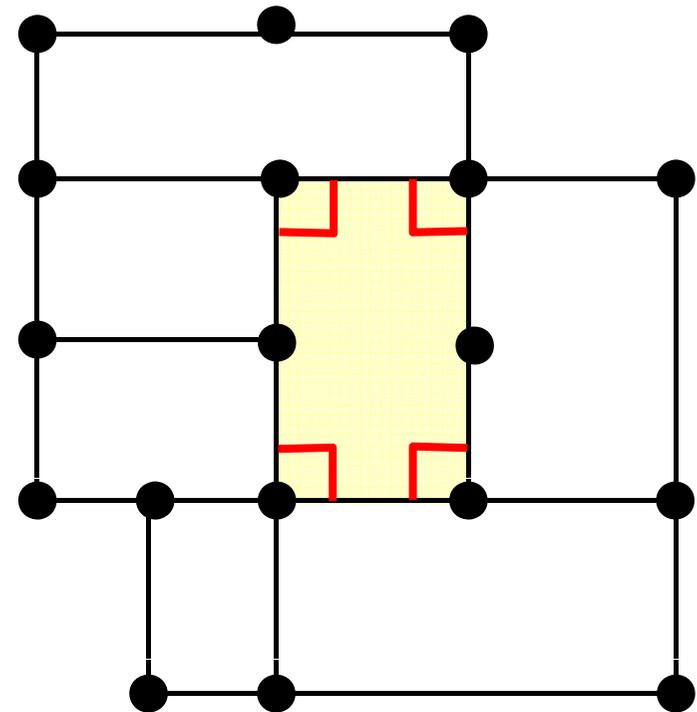
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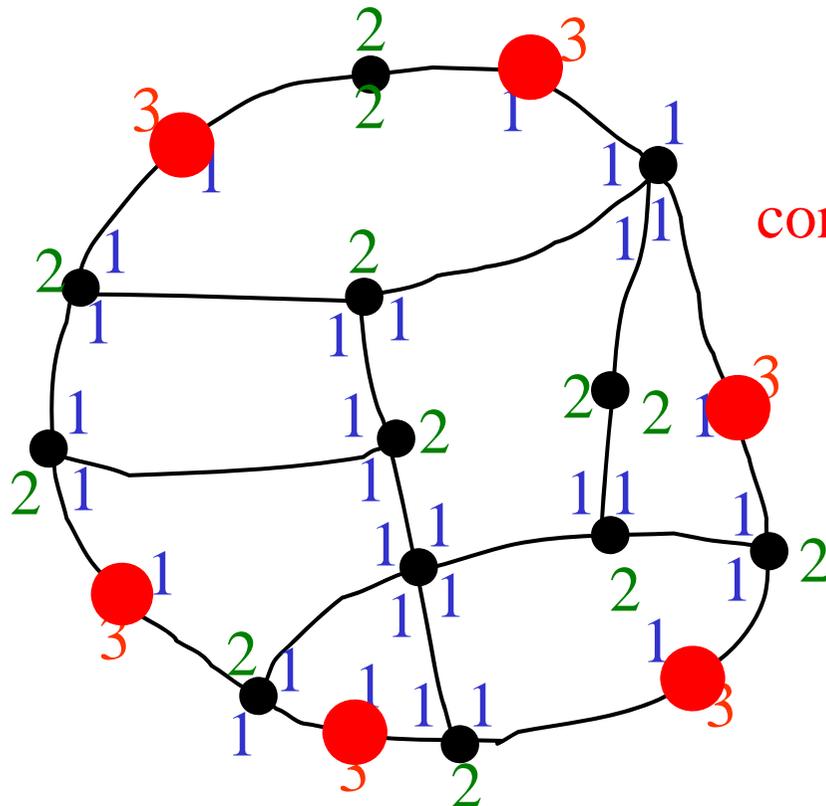
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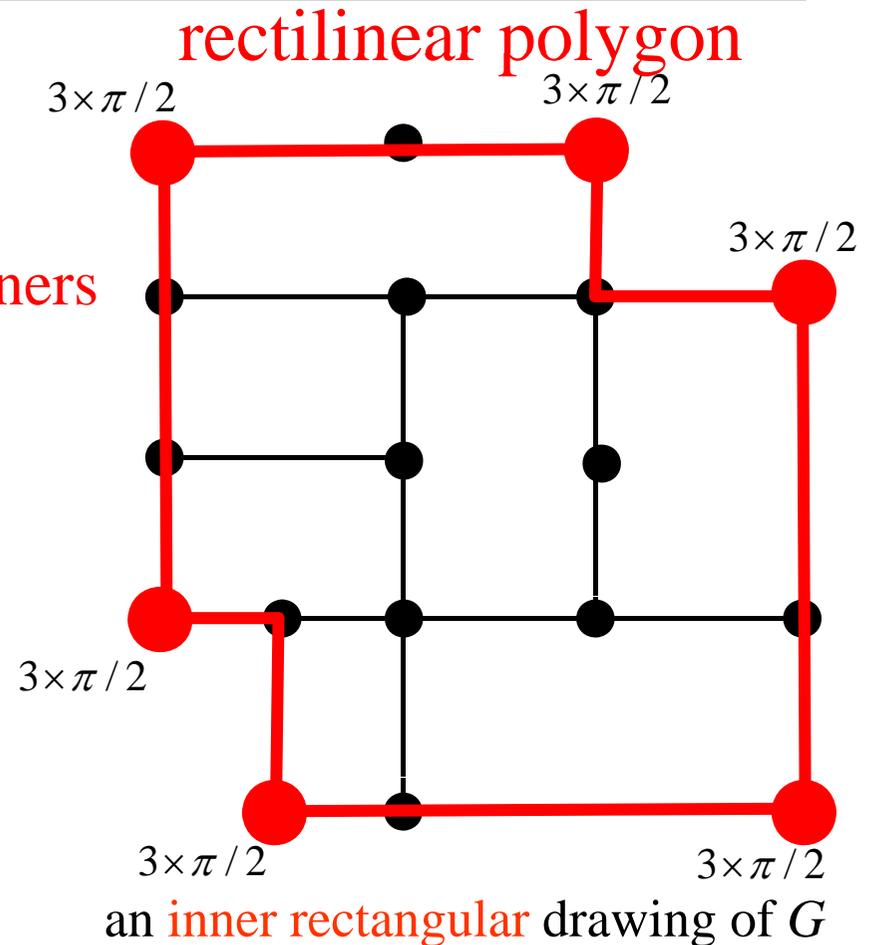
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convex corners

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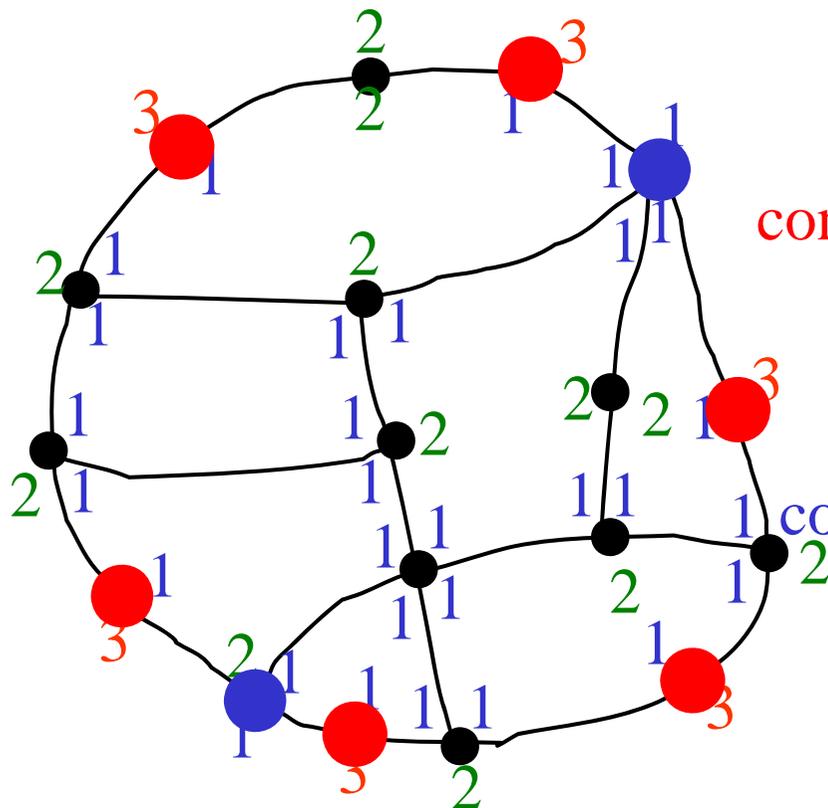


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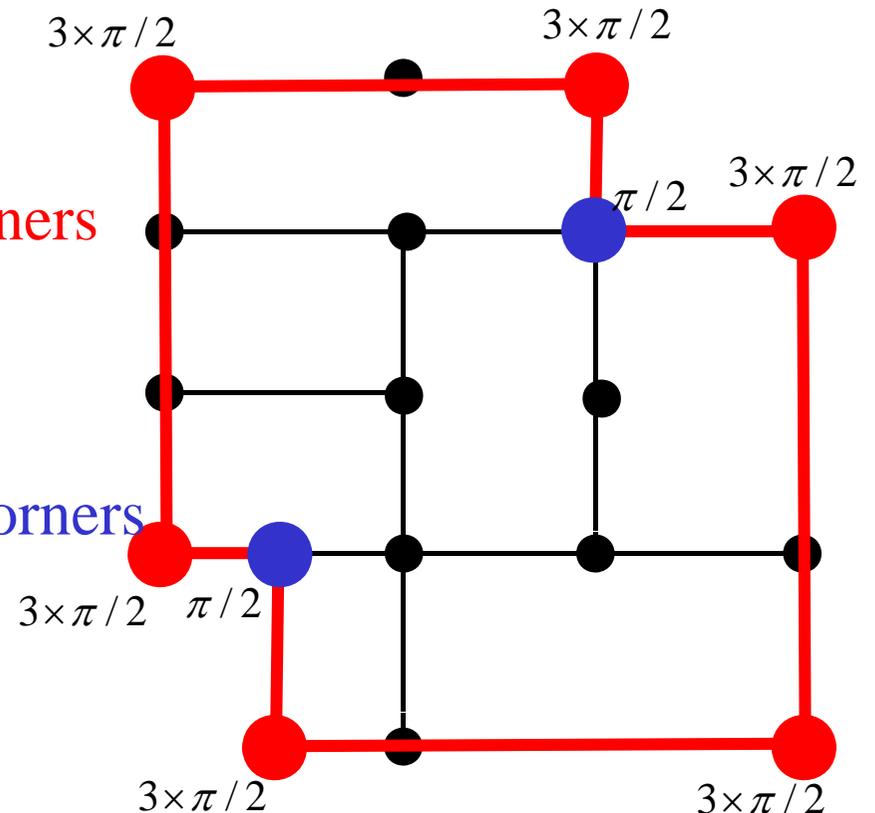
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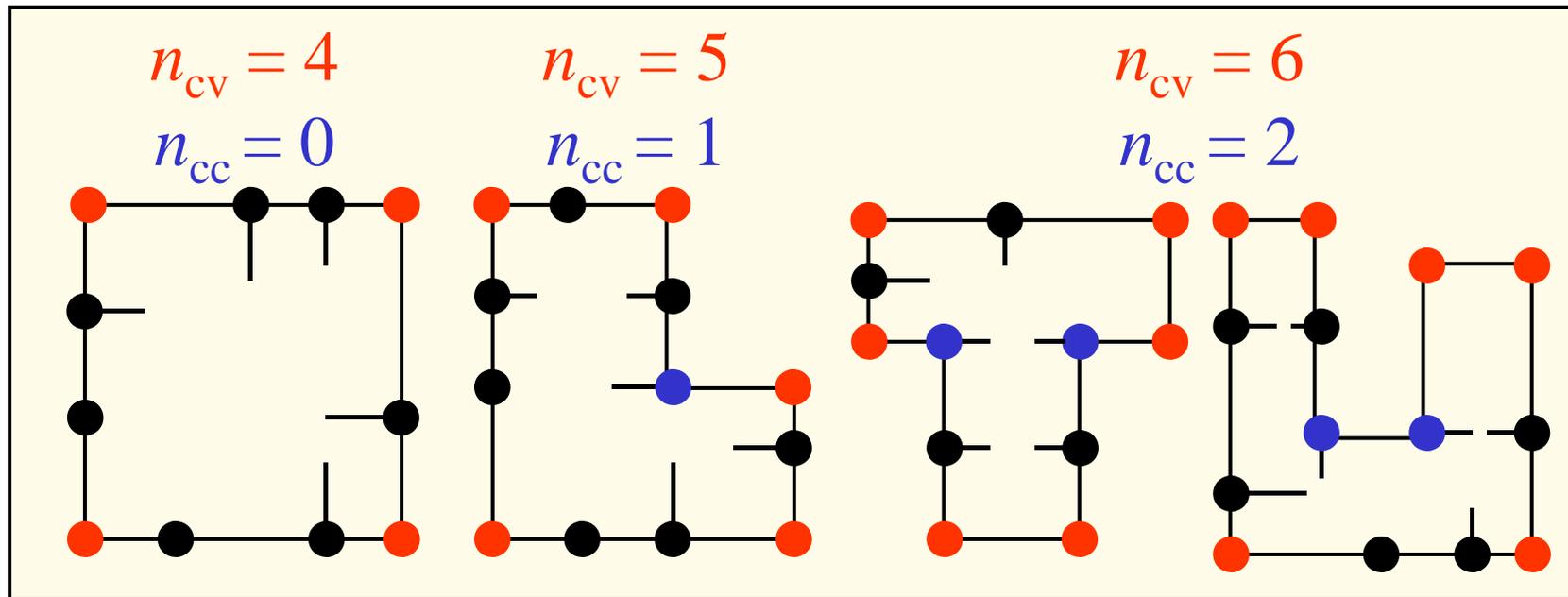
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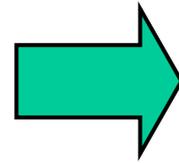
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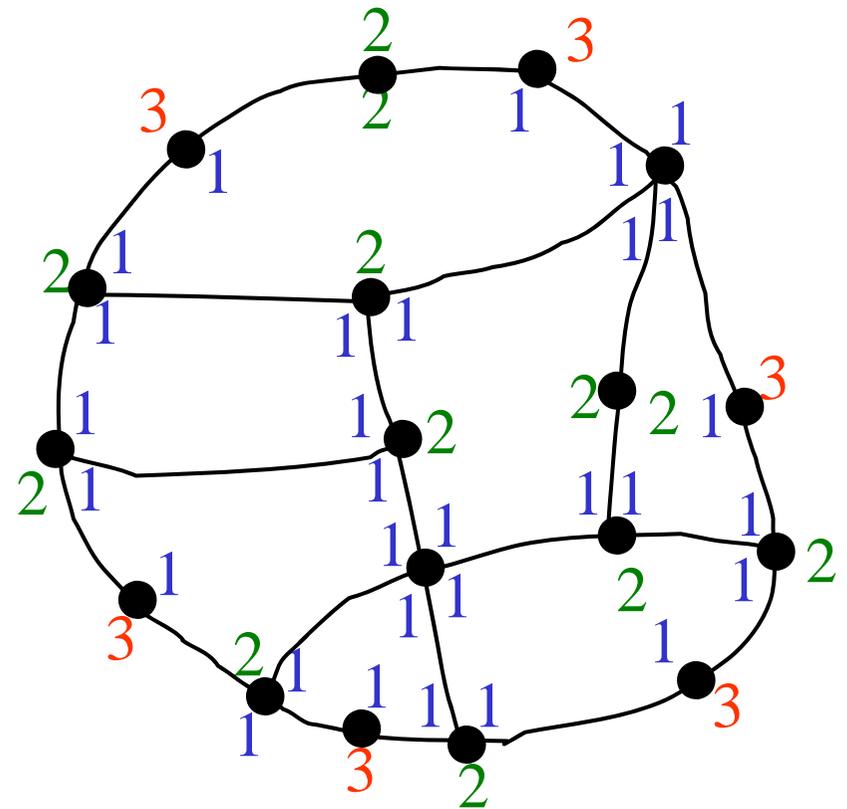
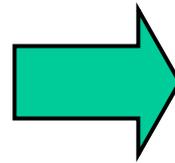
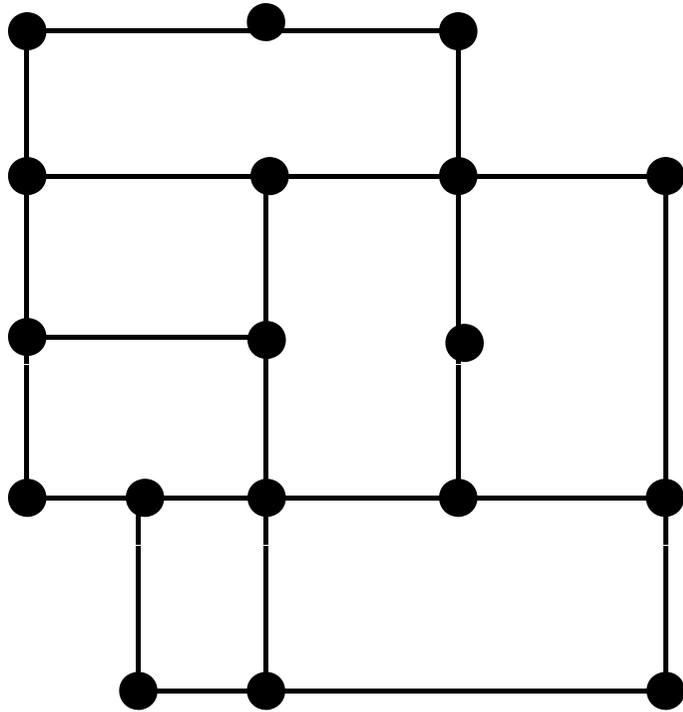


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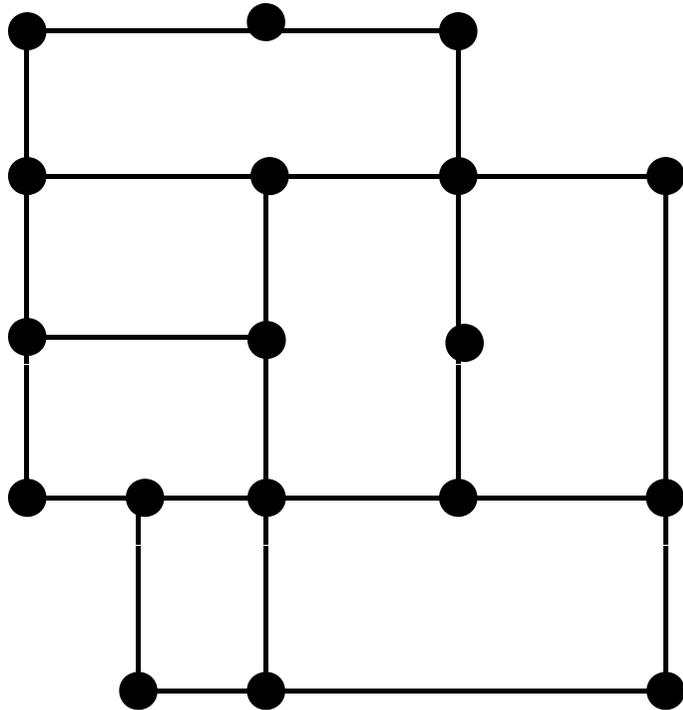
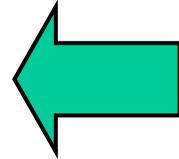
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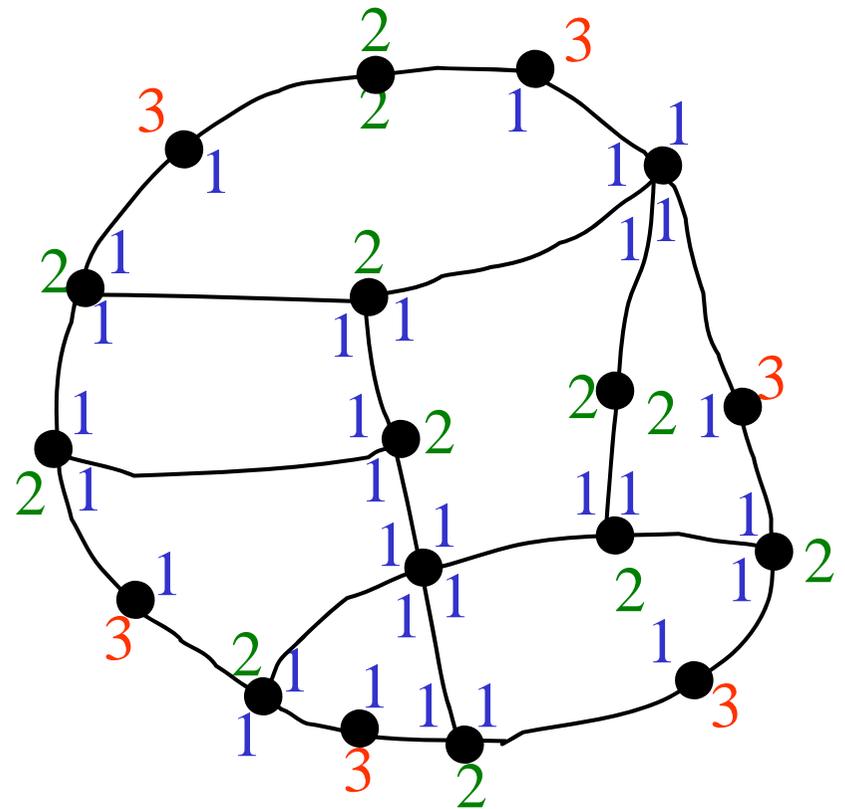
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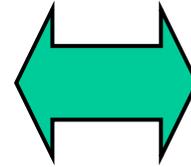
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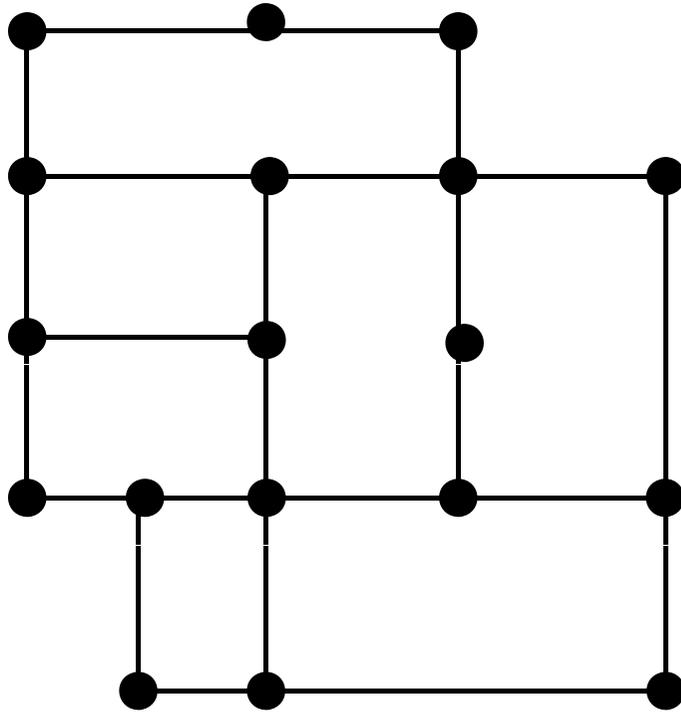
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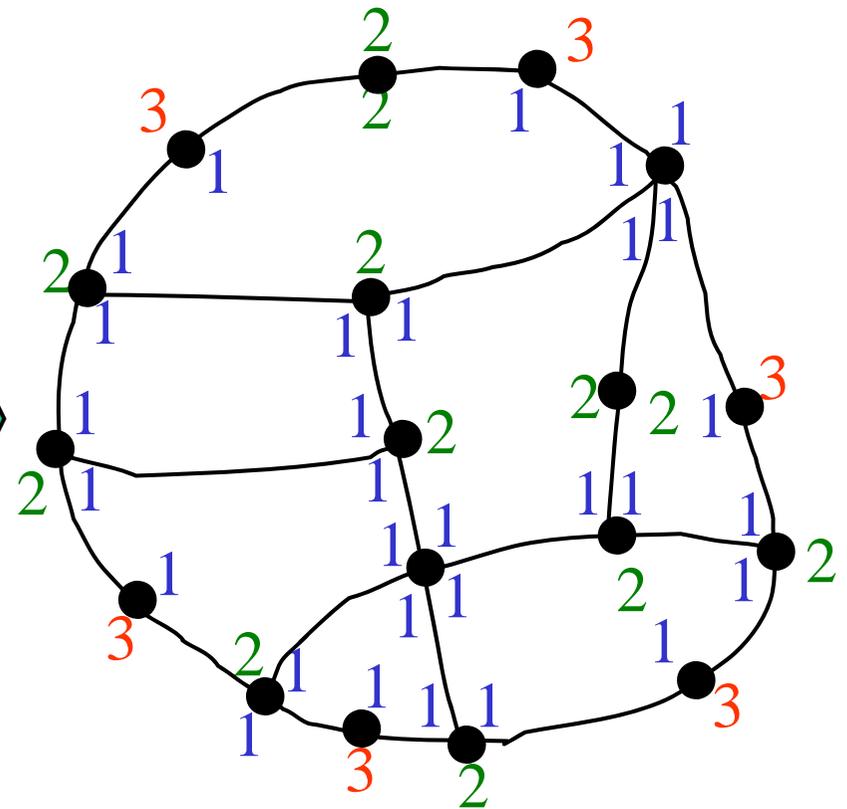
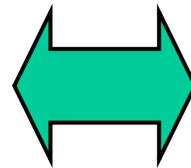
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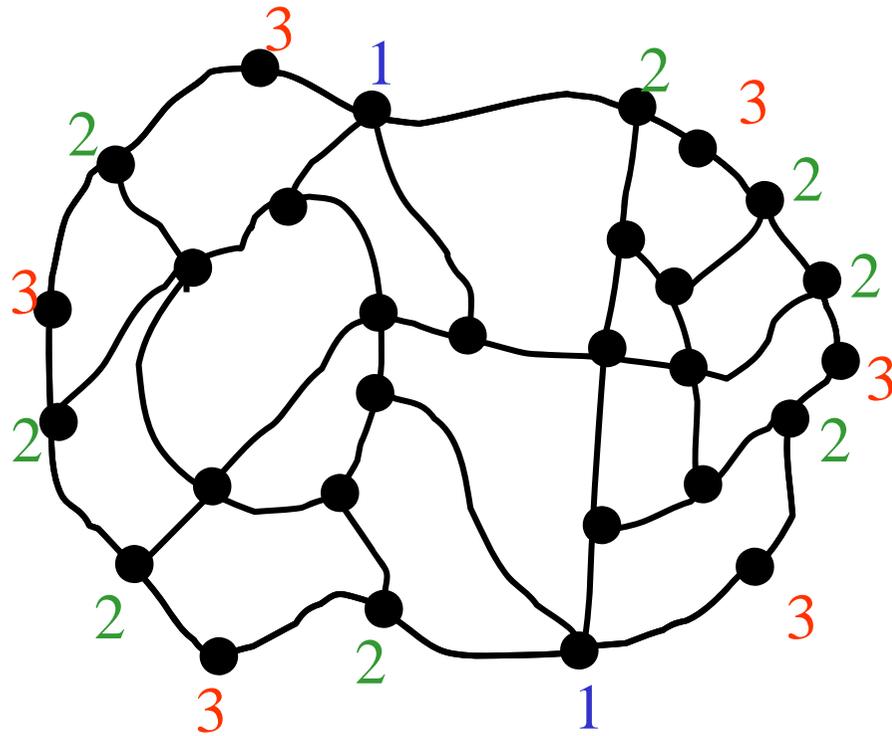
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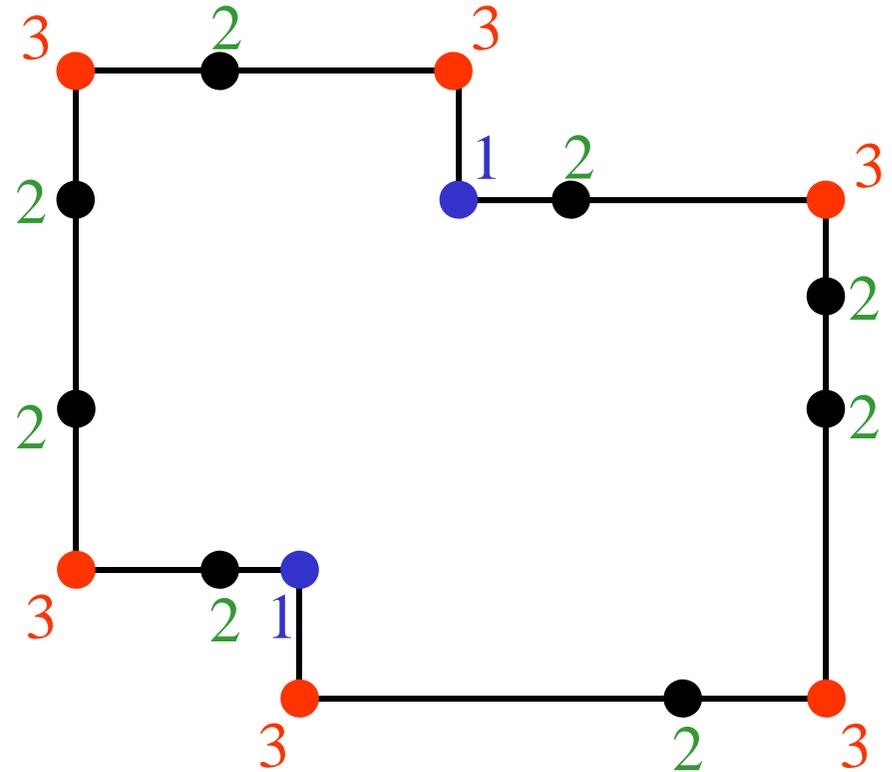
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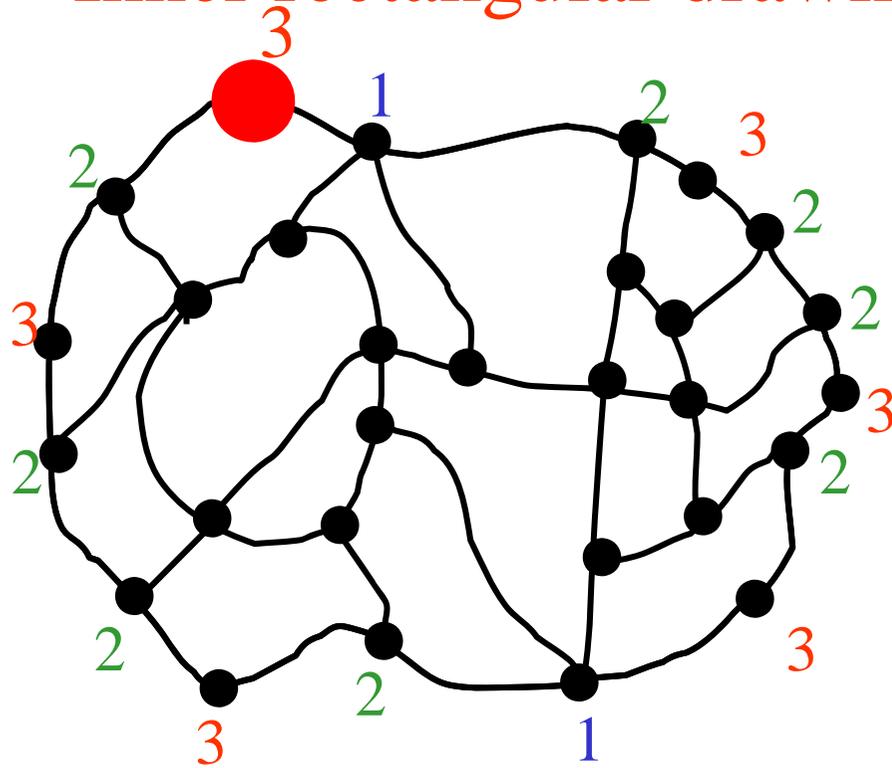
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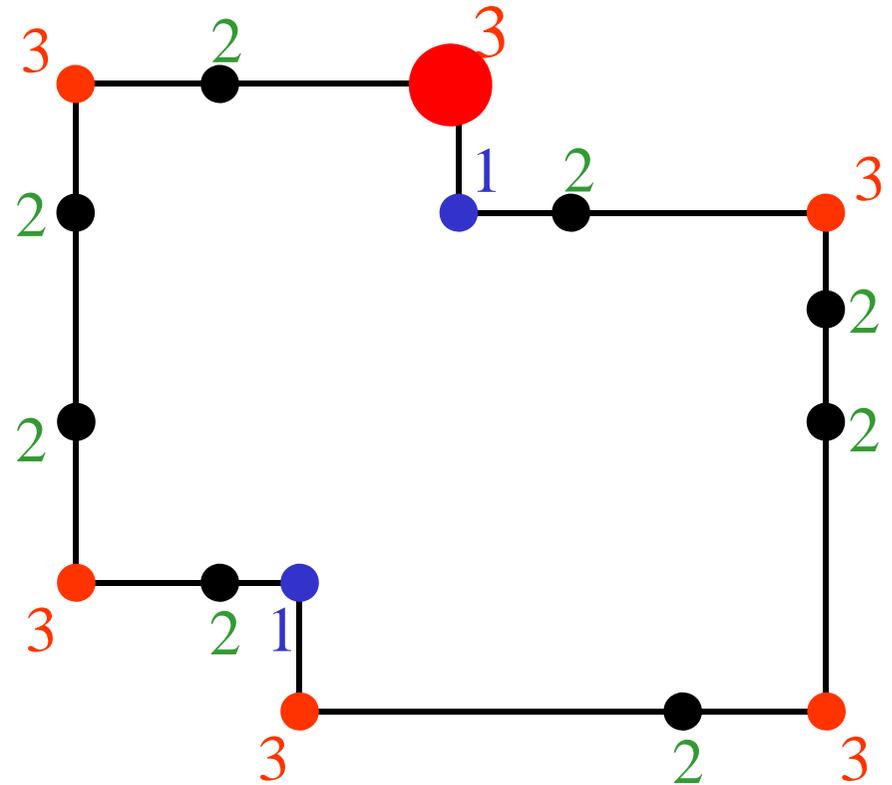
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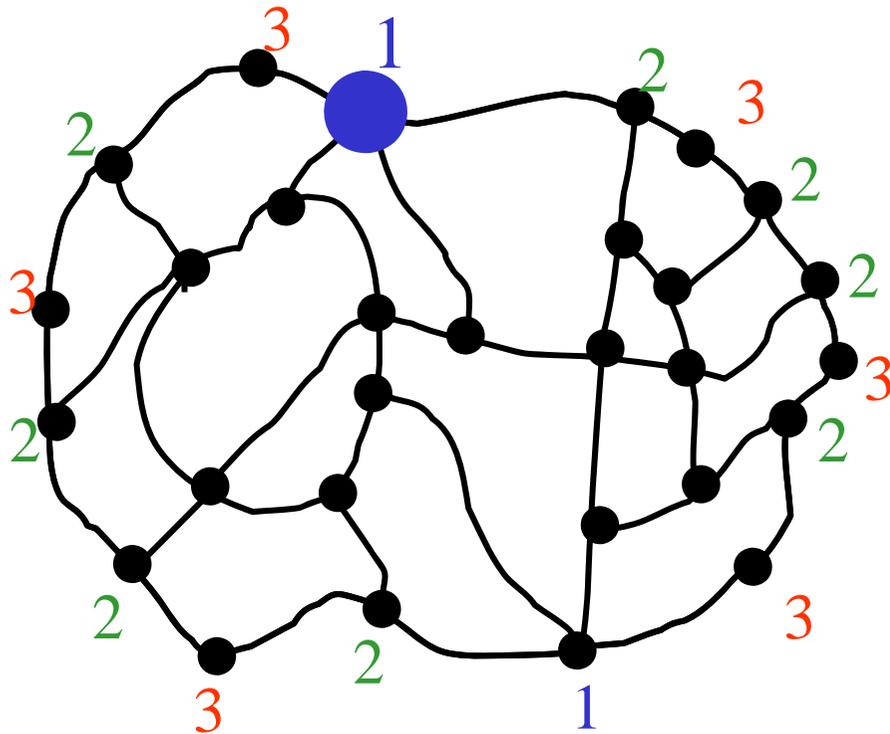
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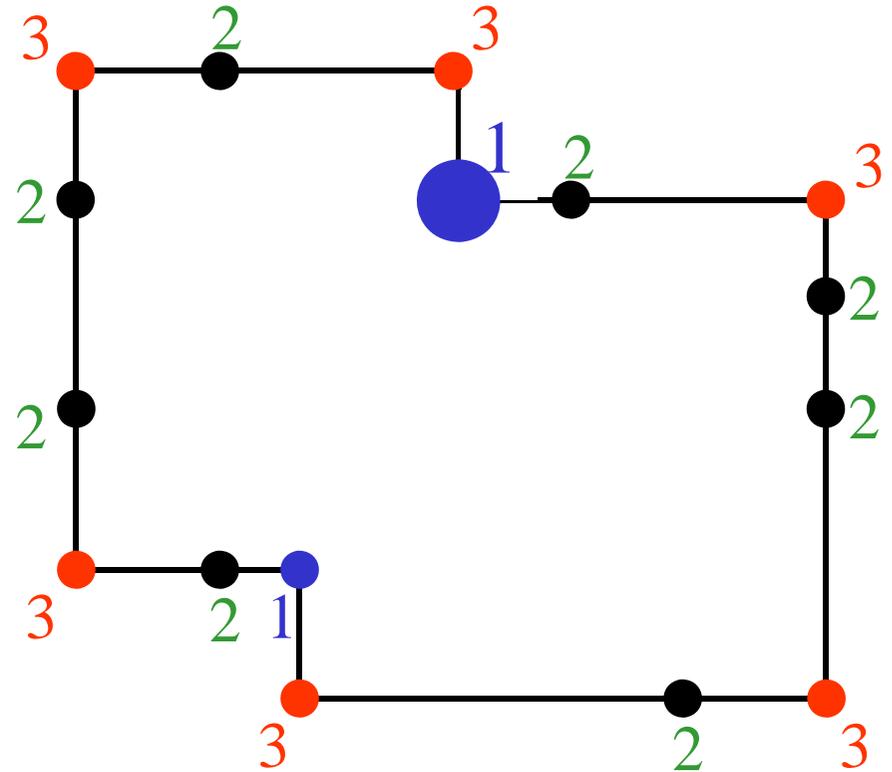
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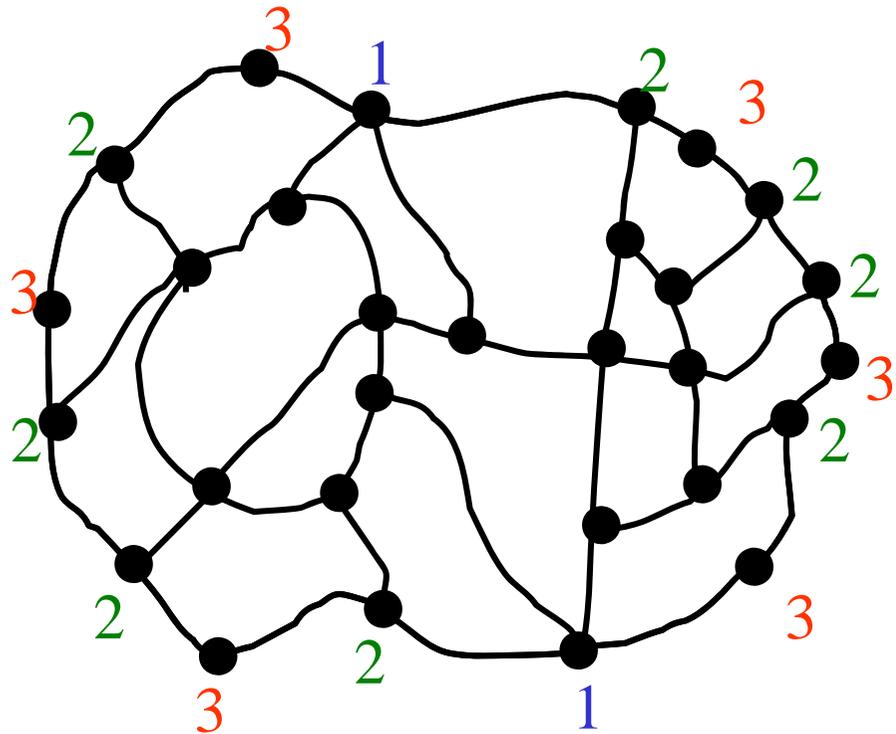


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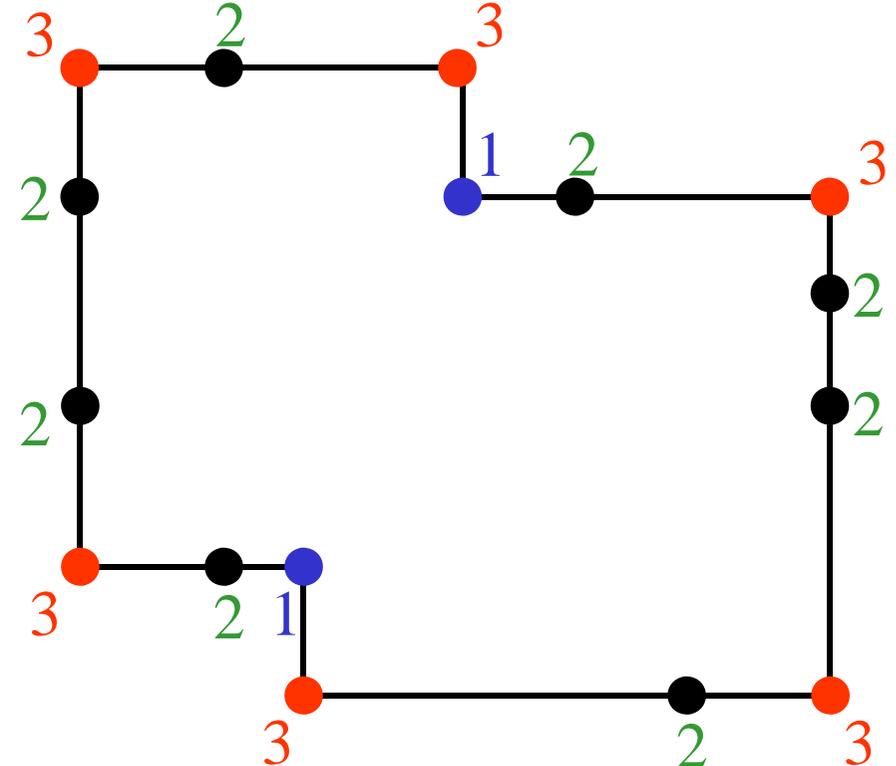
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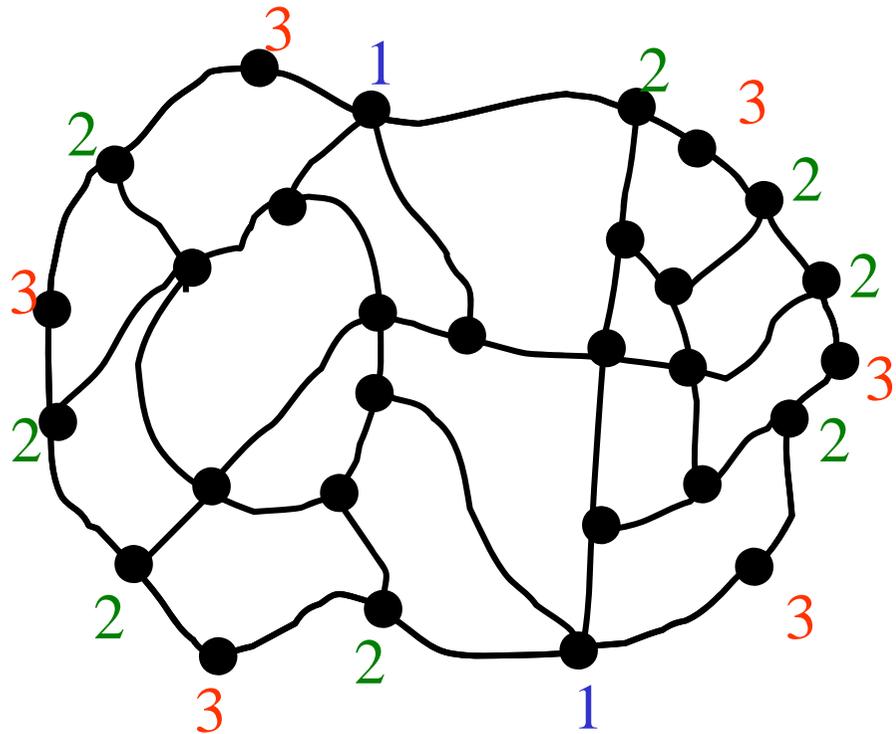


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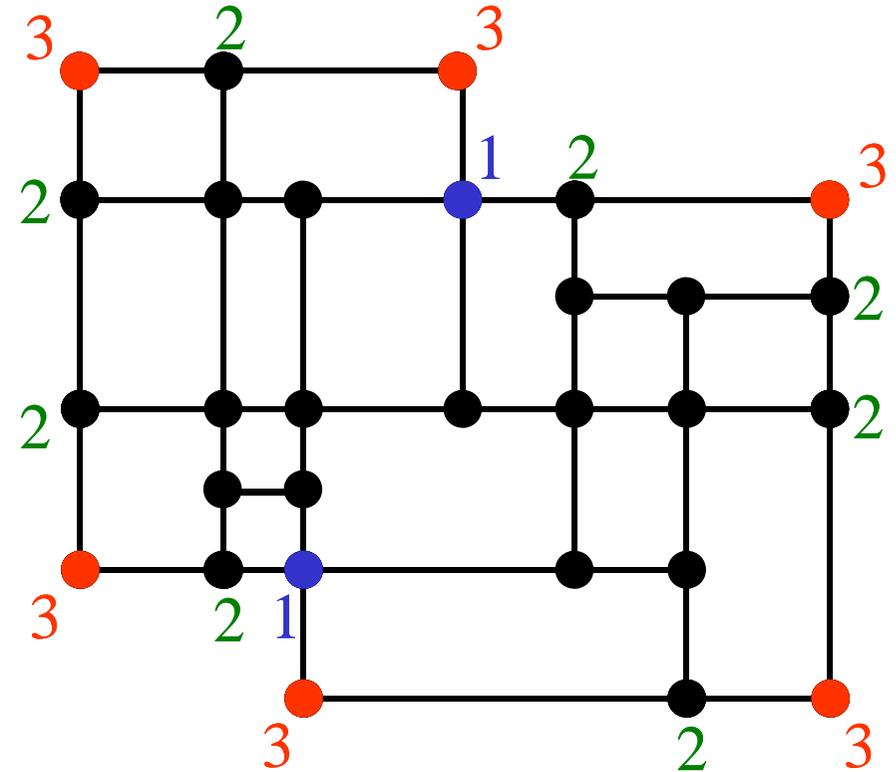
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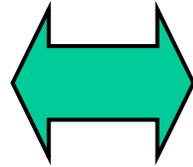
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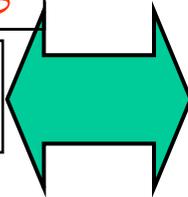
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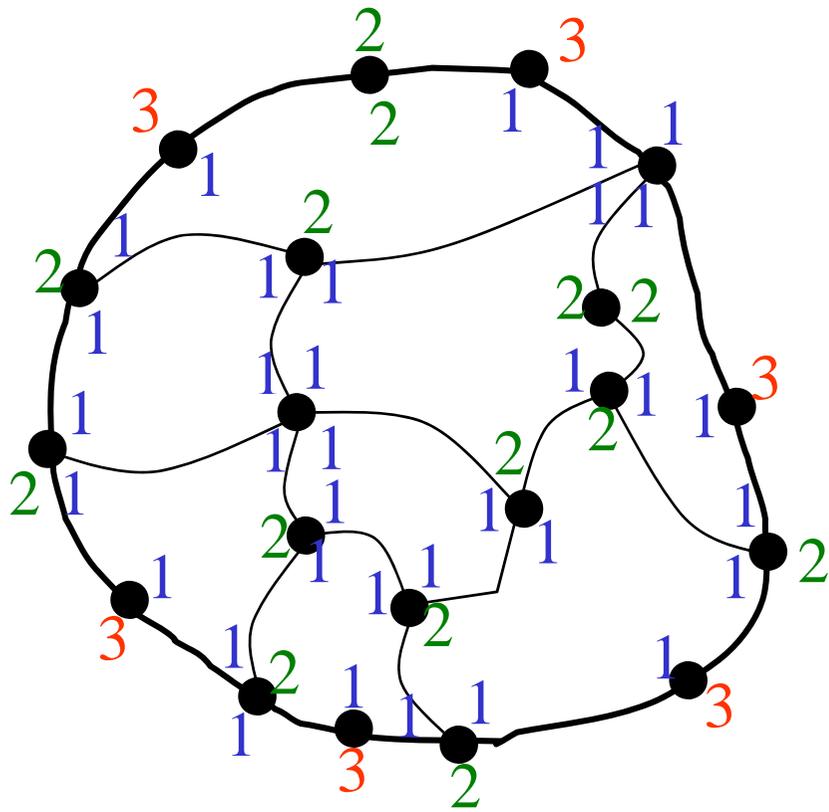
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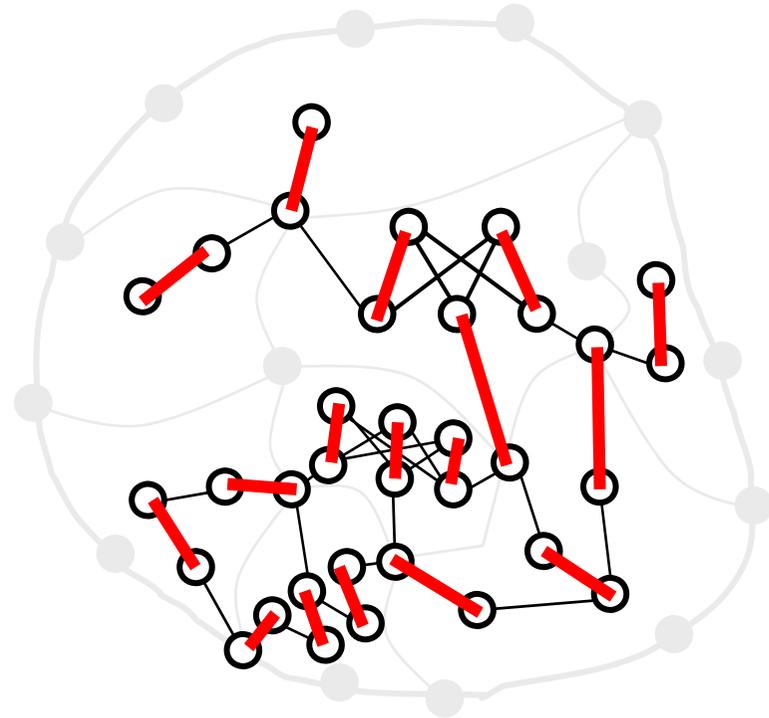
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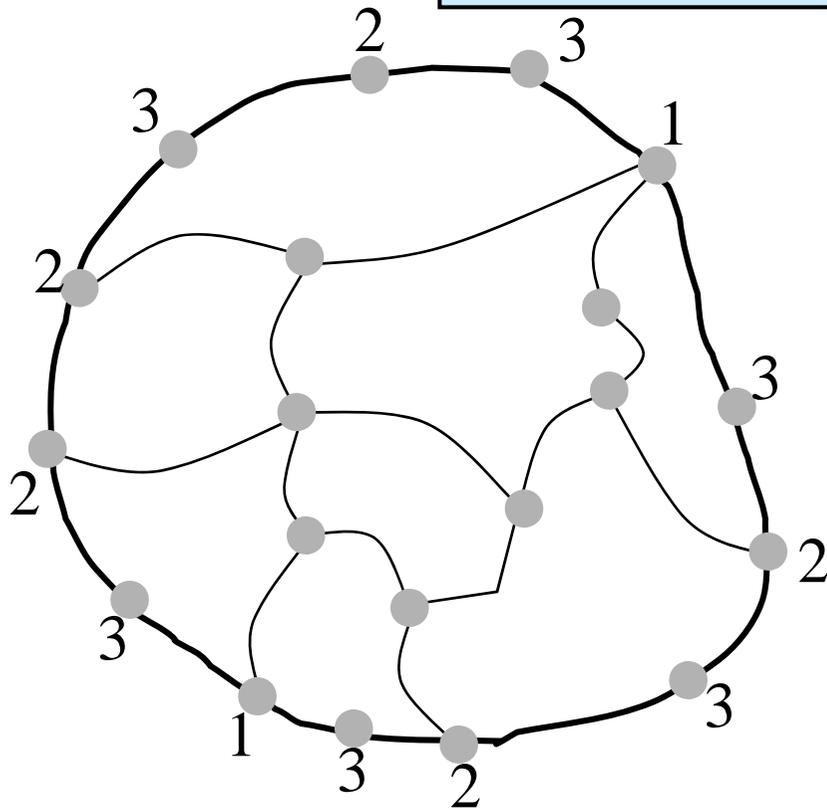
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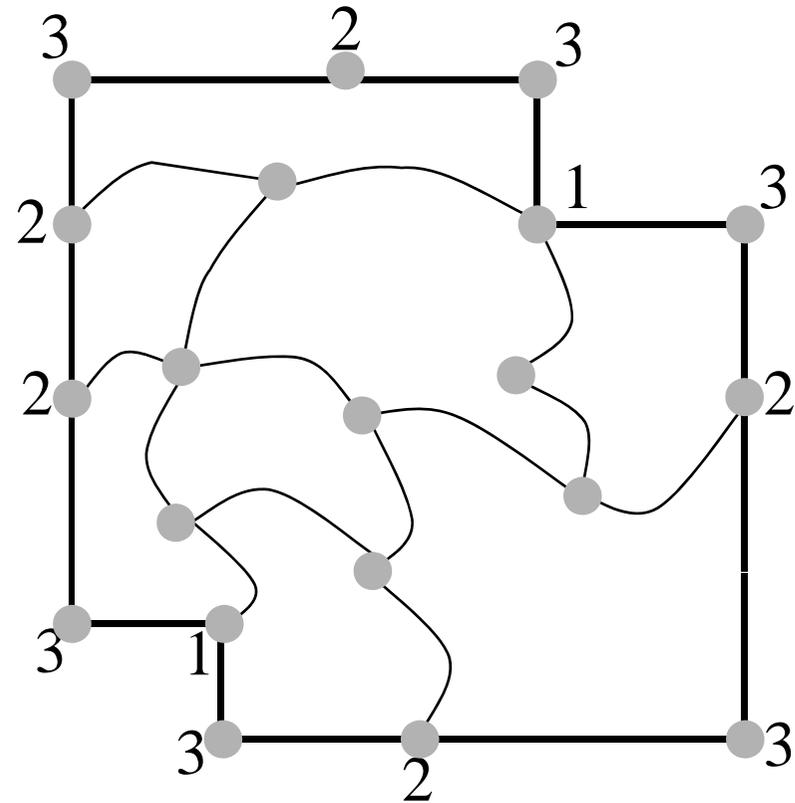
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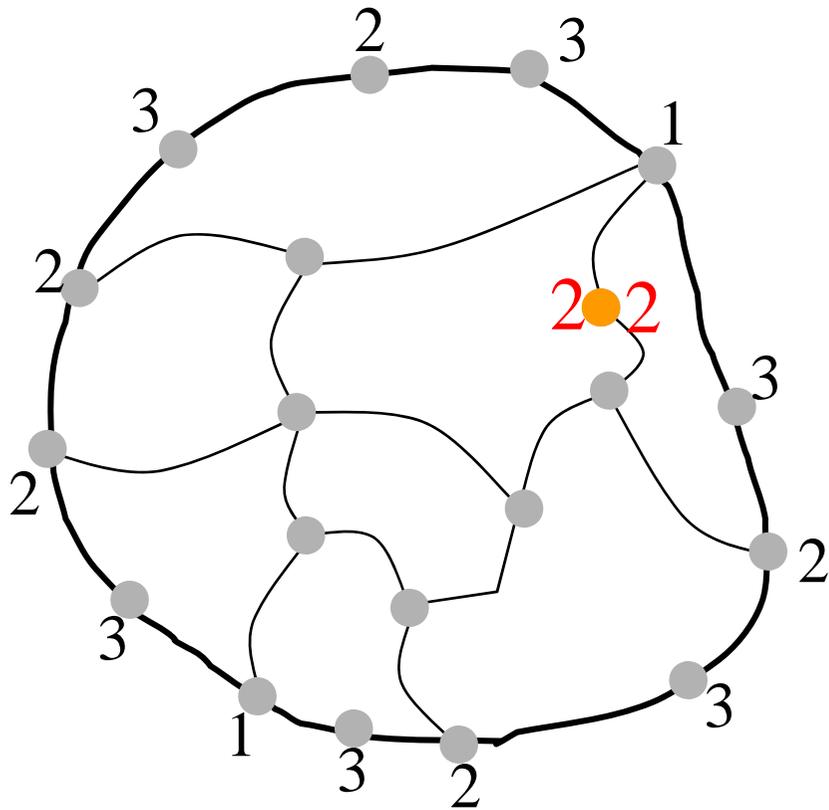


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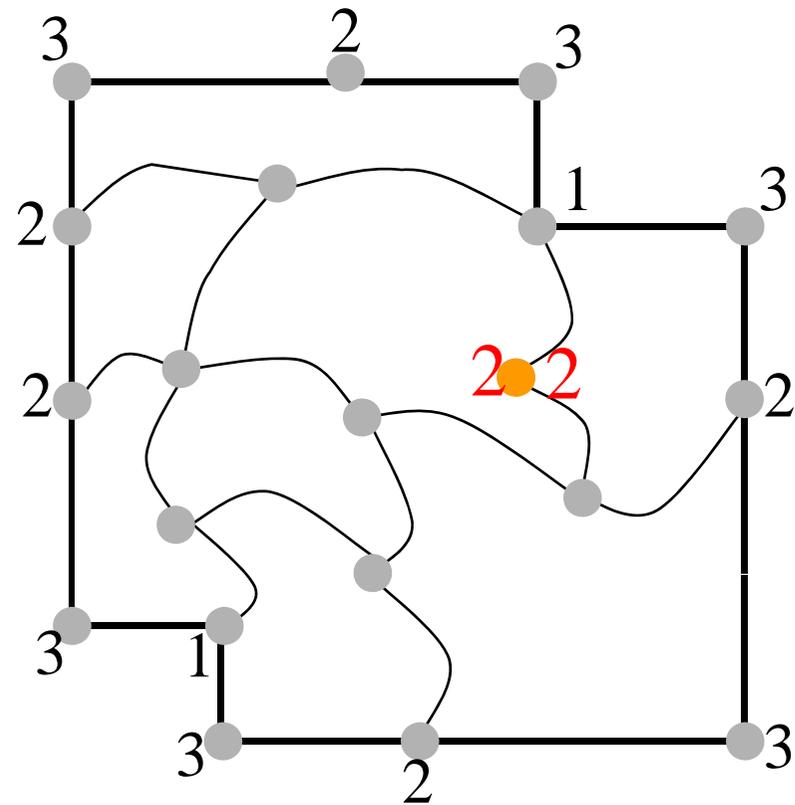


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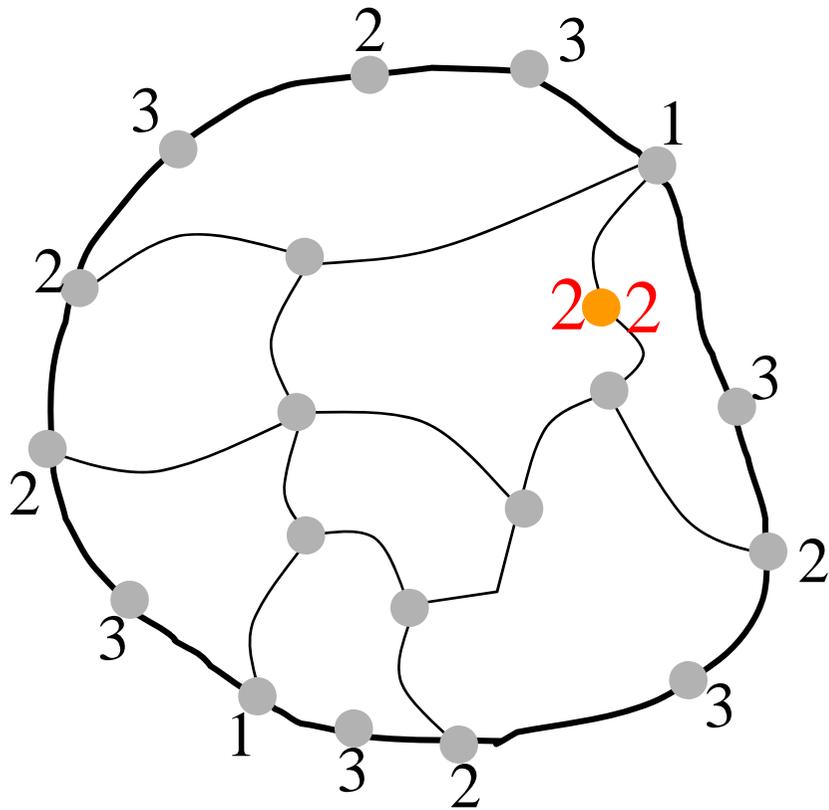


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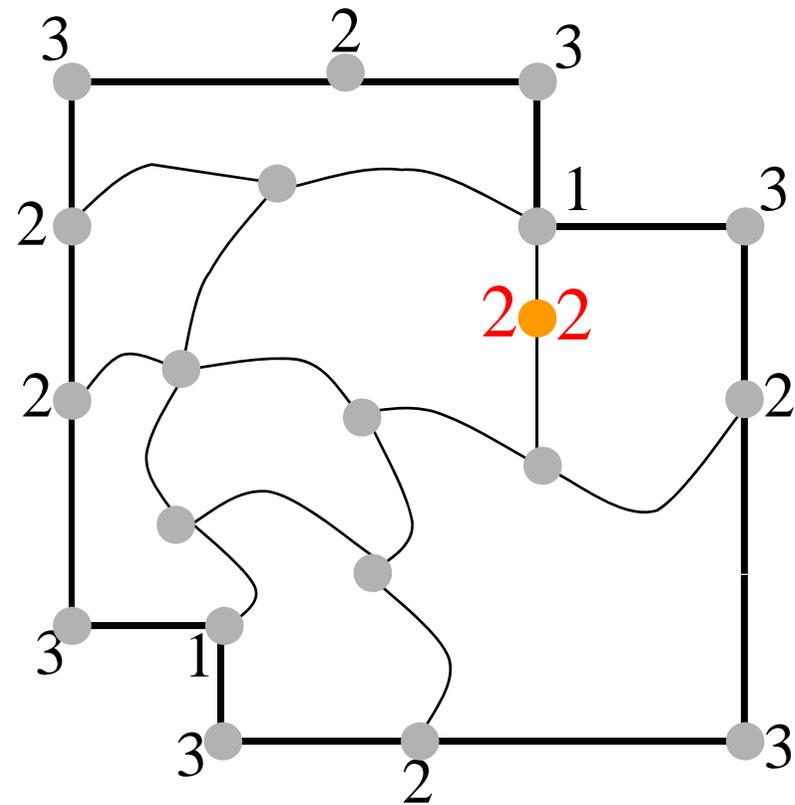


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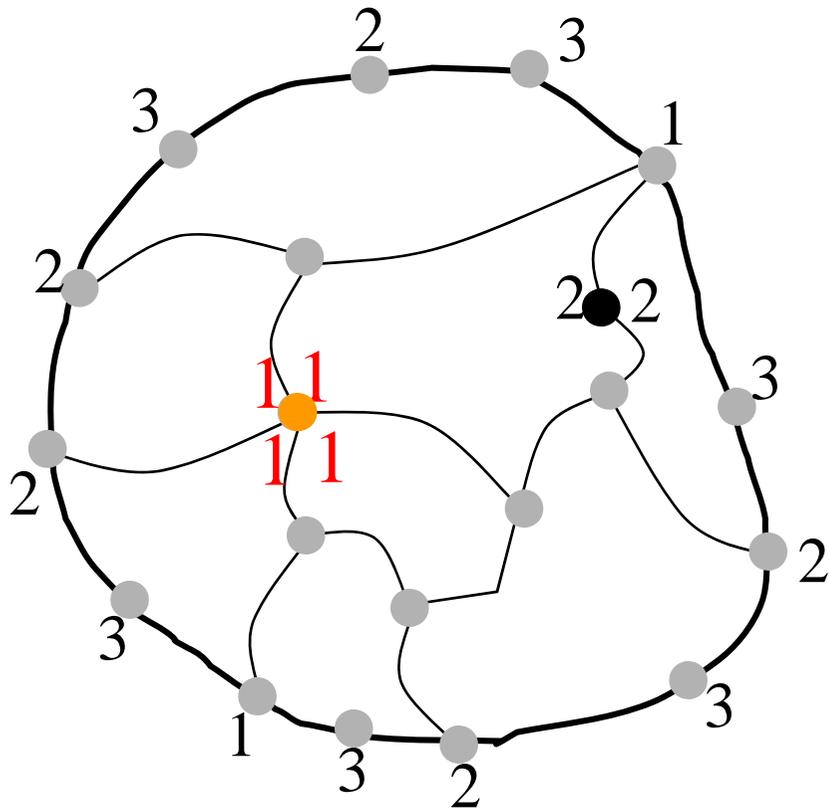


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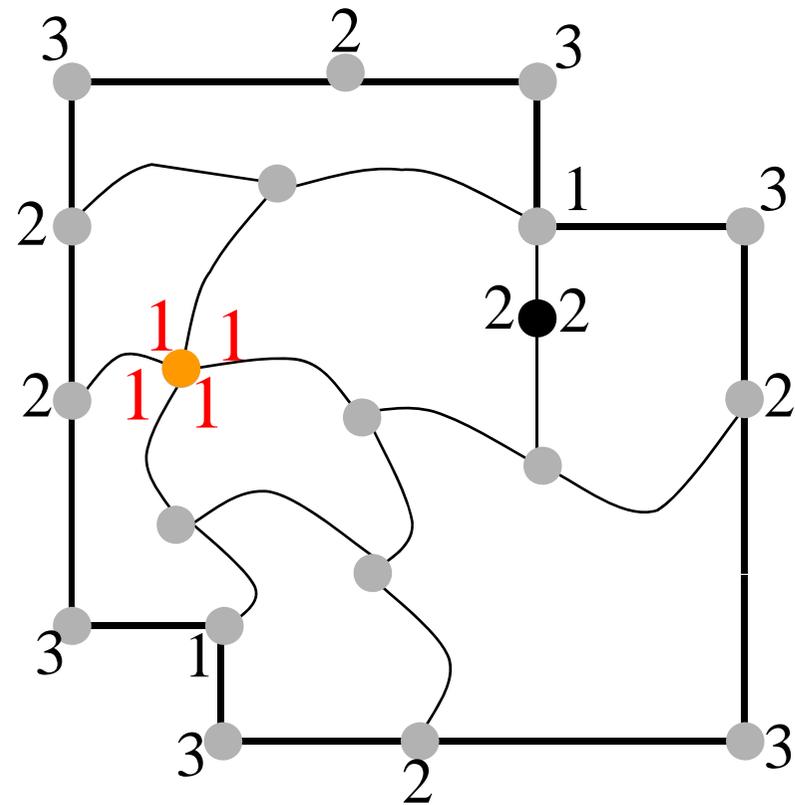


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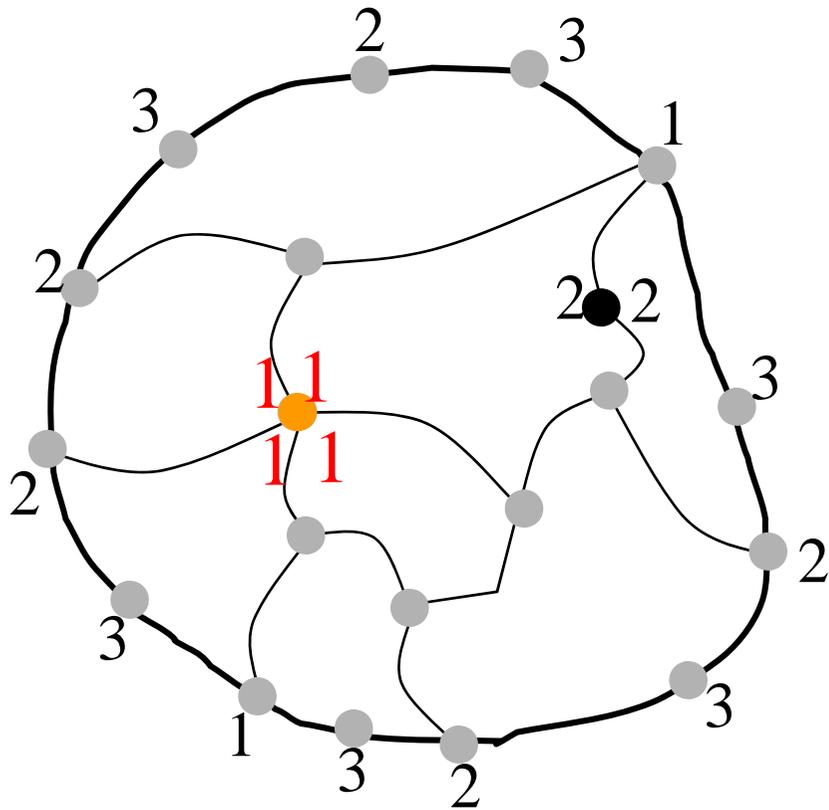


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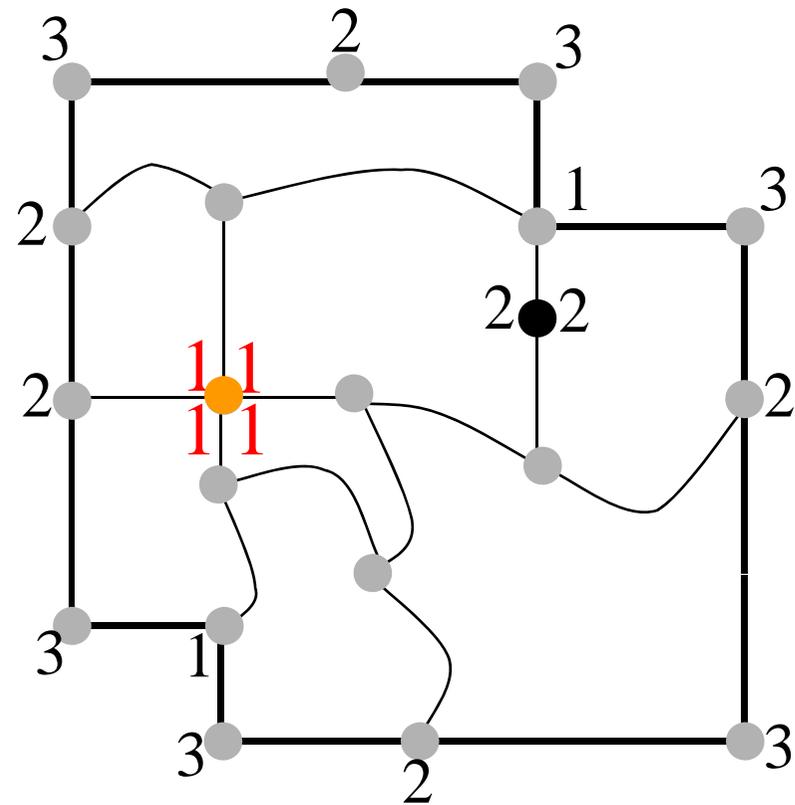


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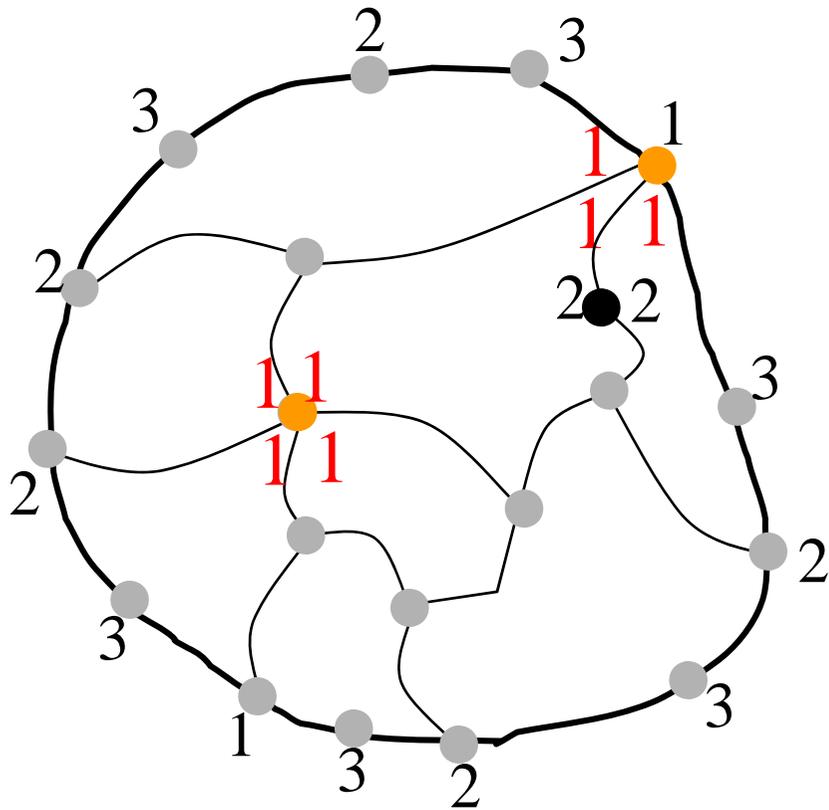


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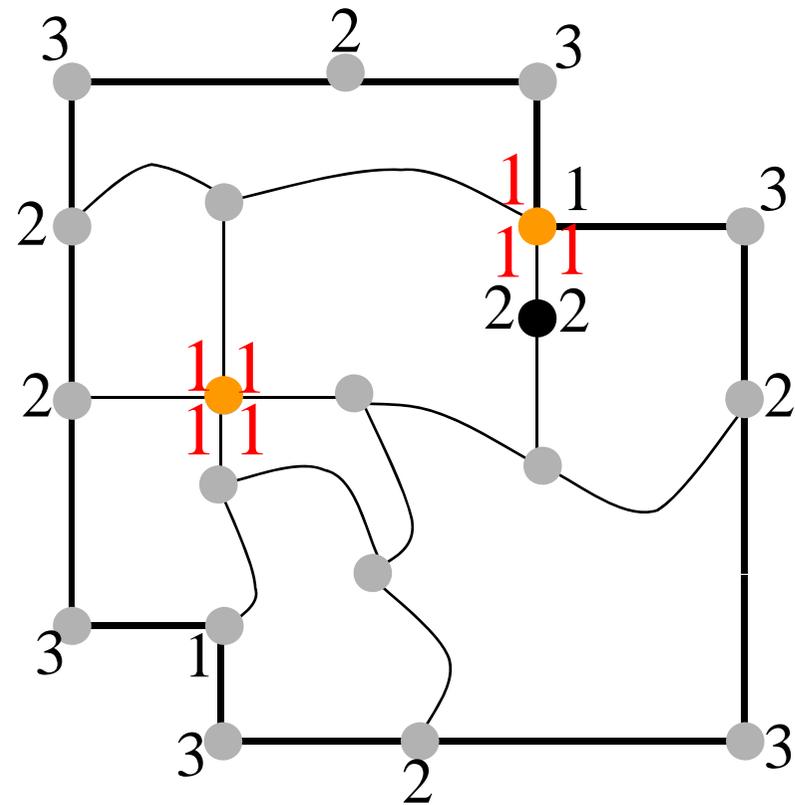


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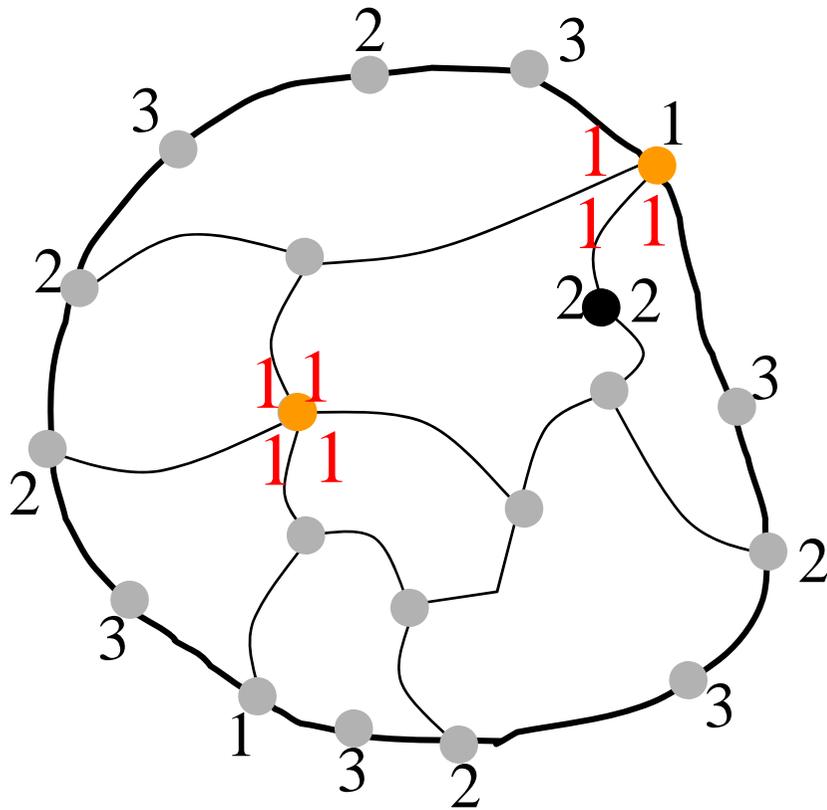


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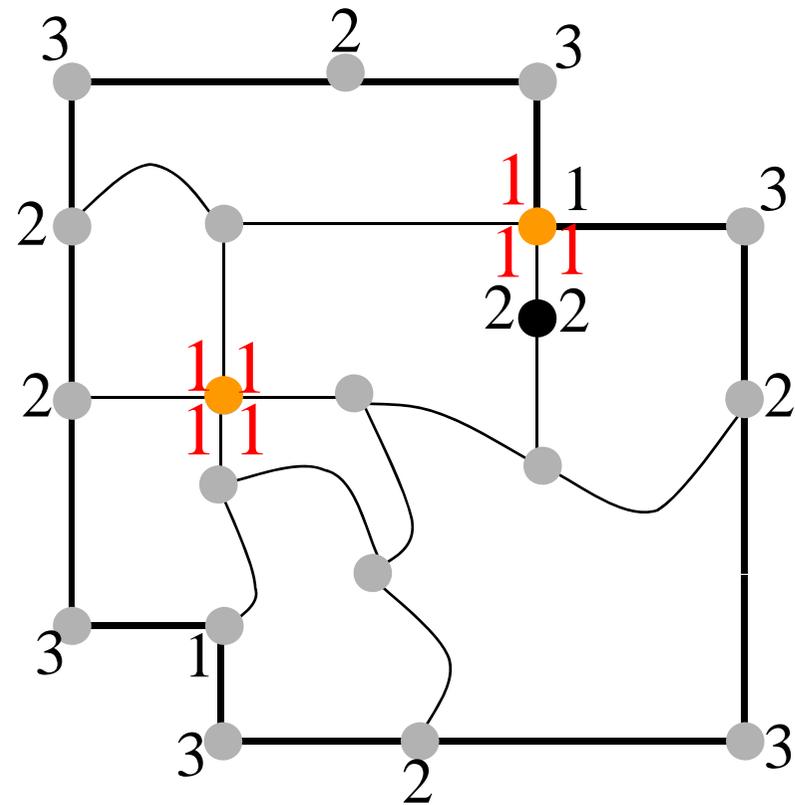


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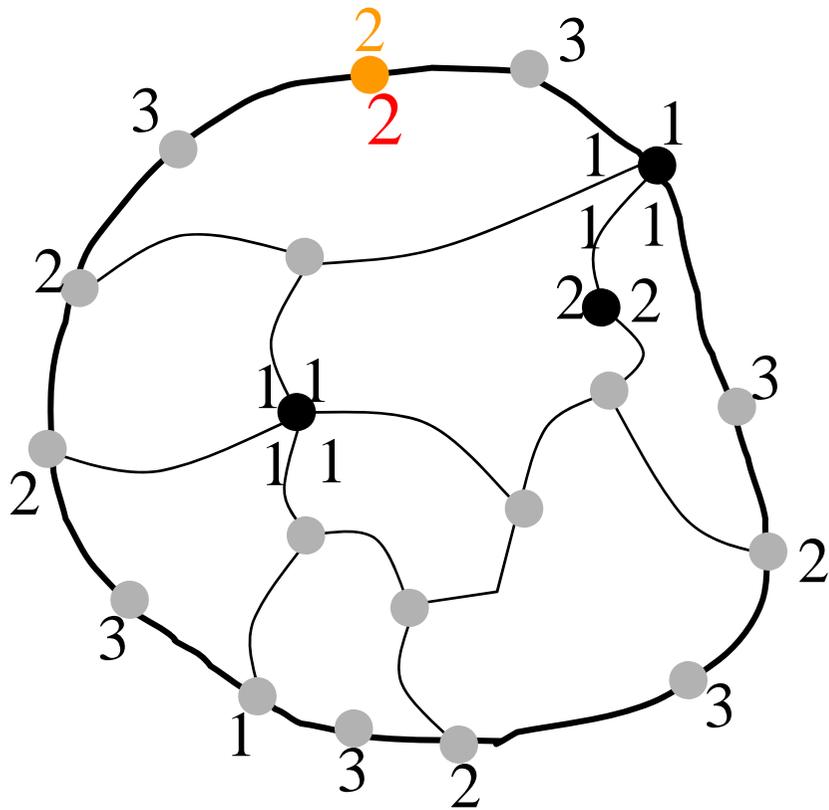


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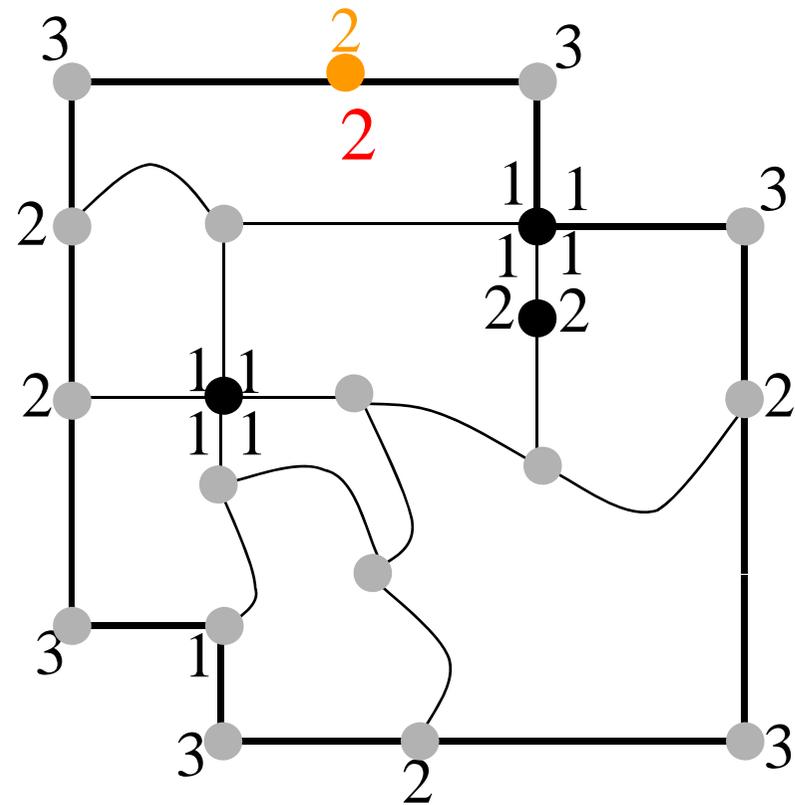


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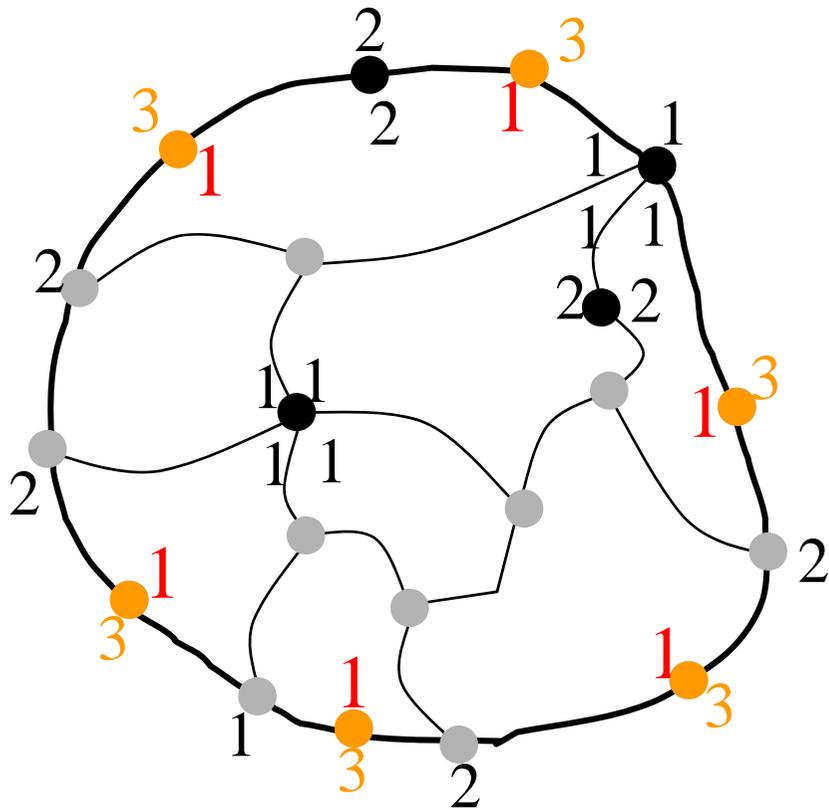
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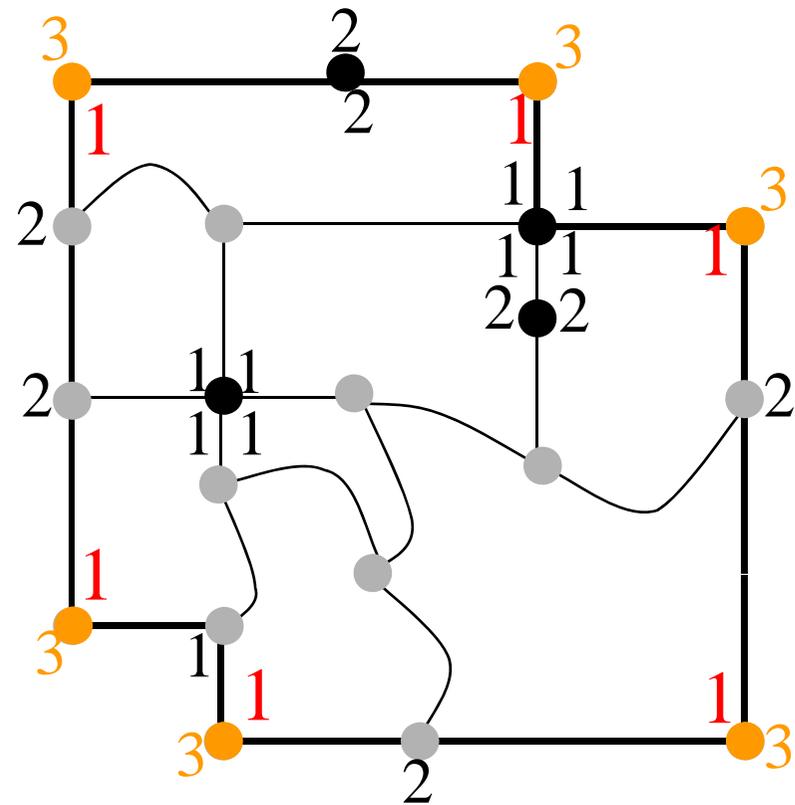


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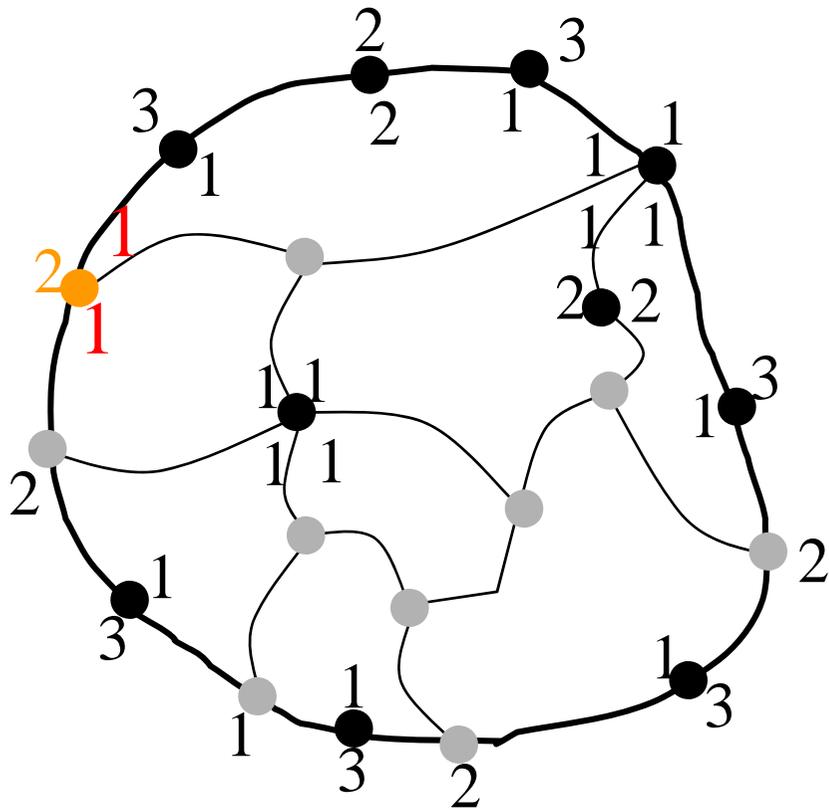


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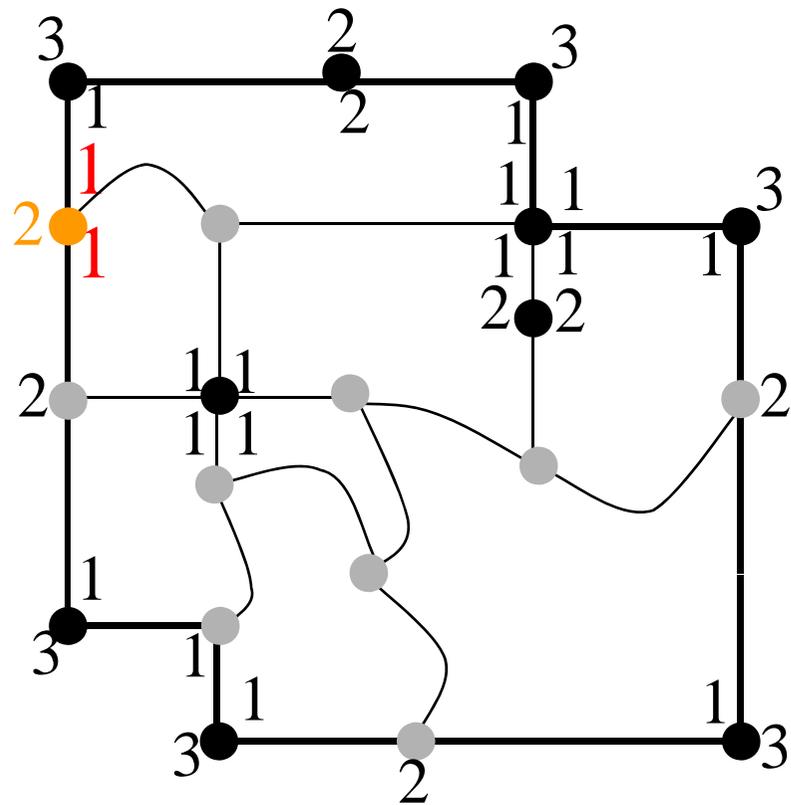


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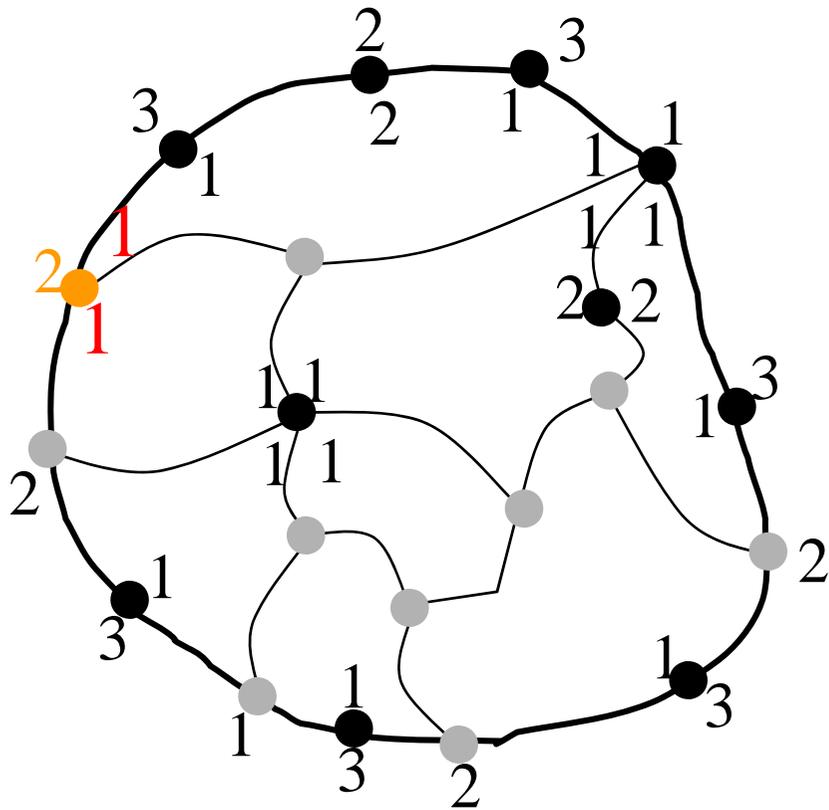


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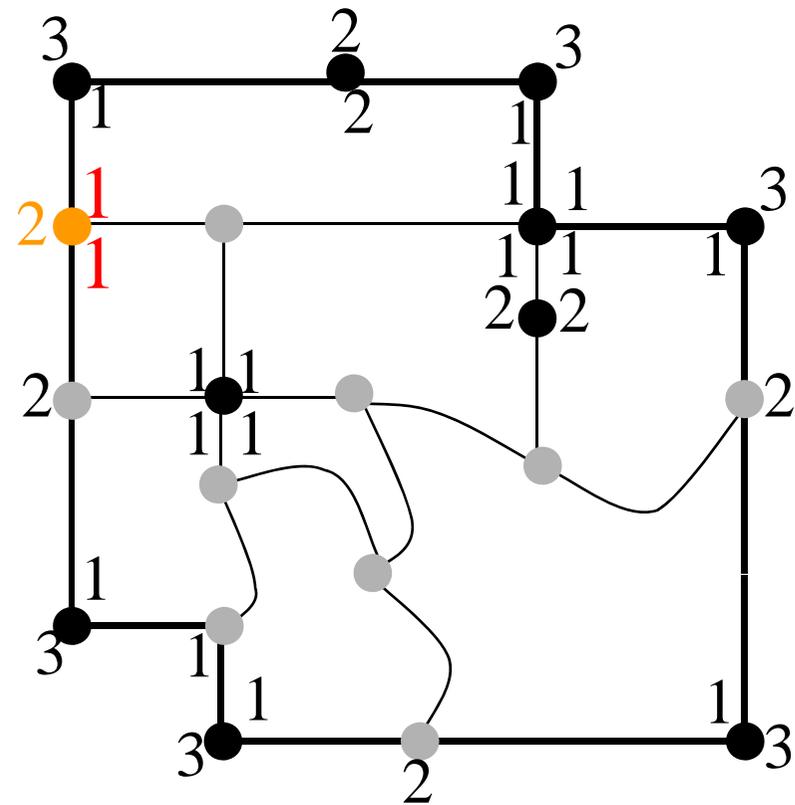


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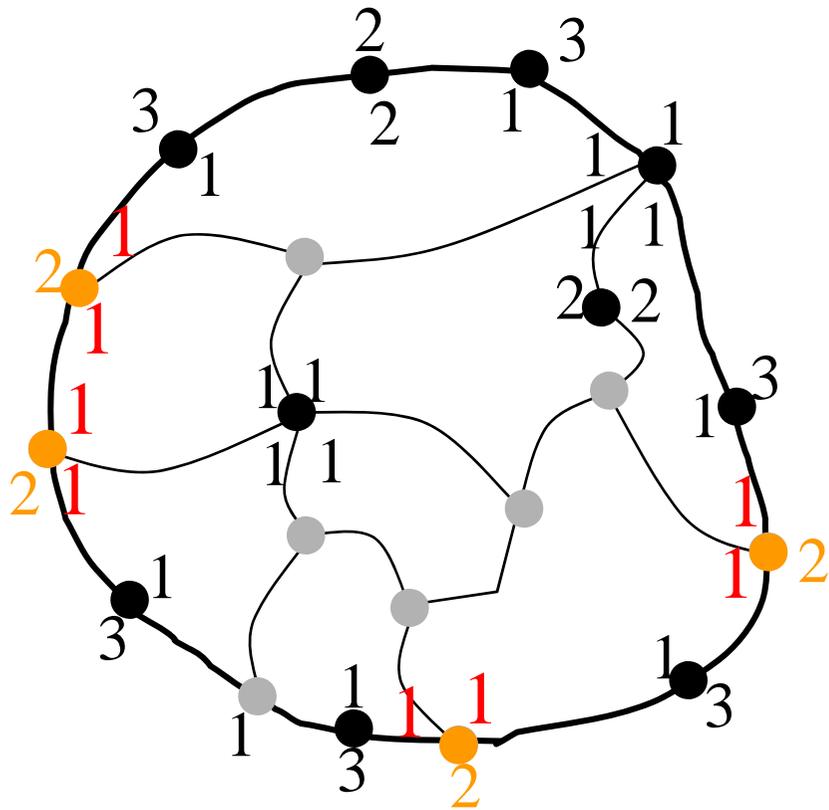


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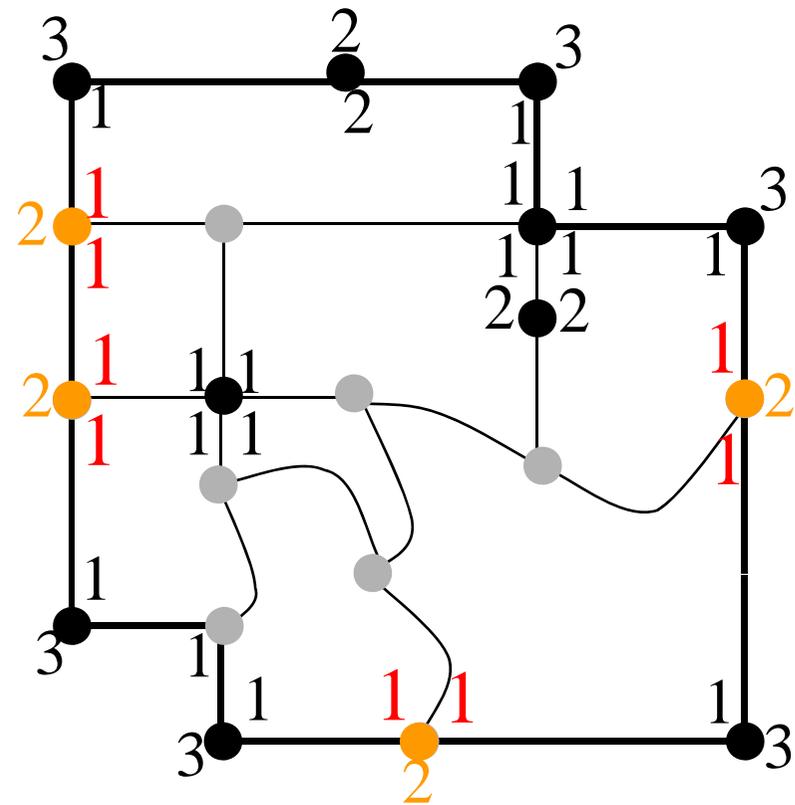


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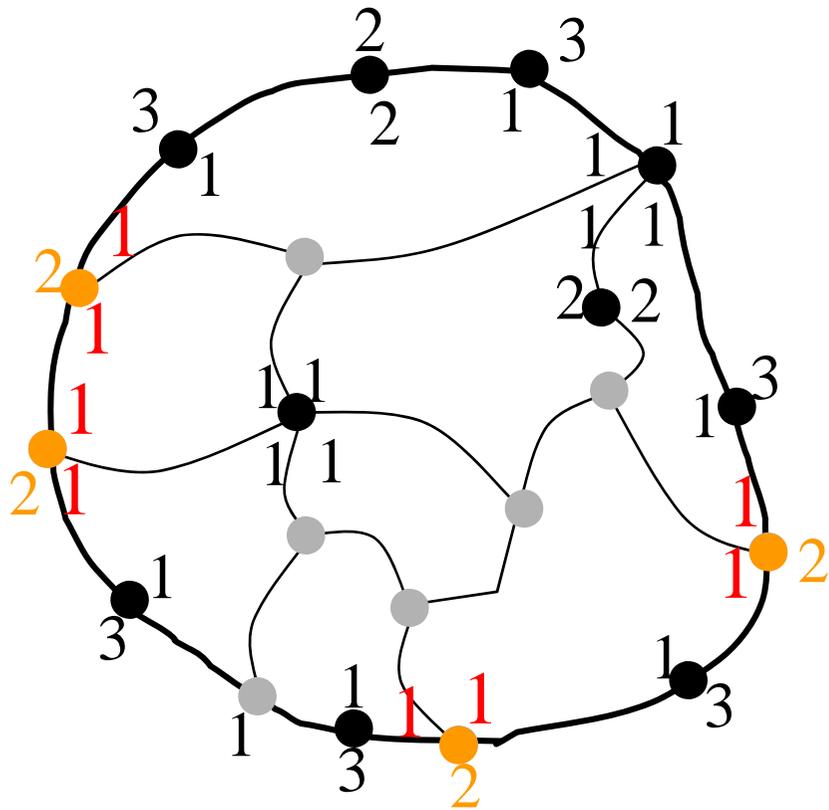


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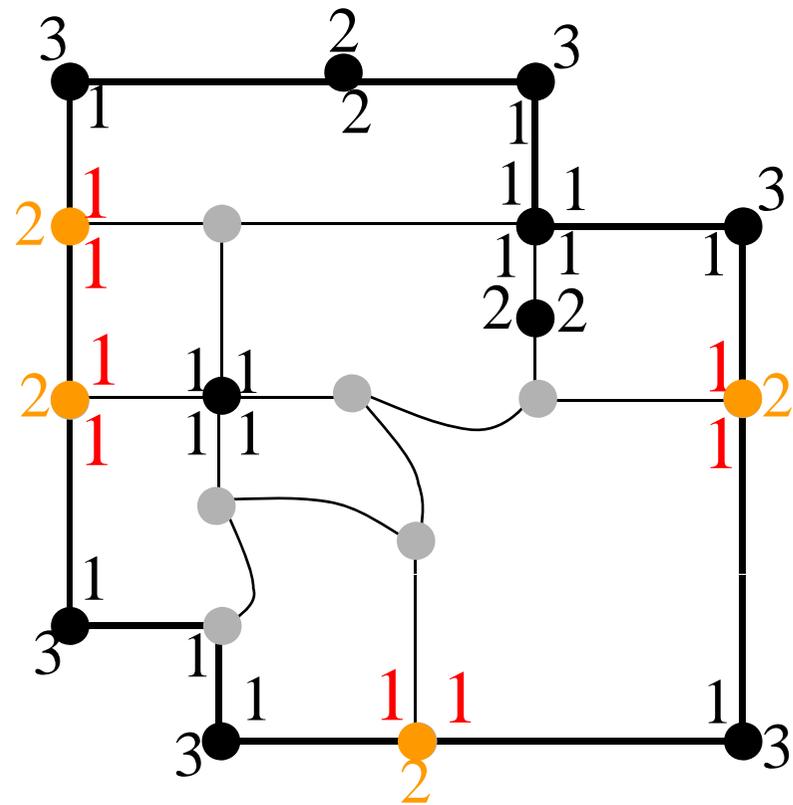


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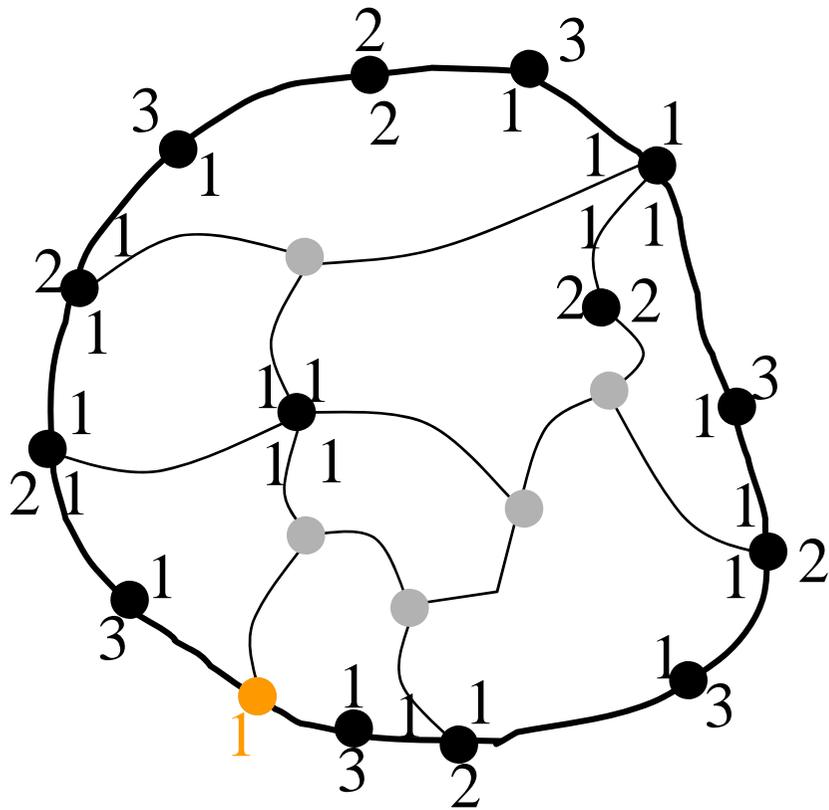


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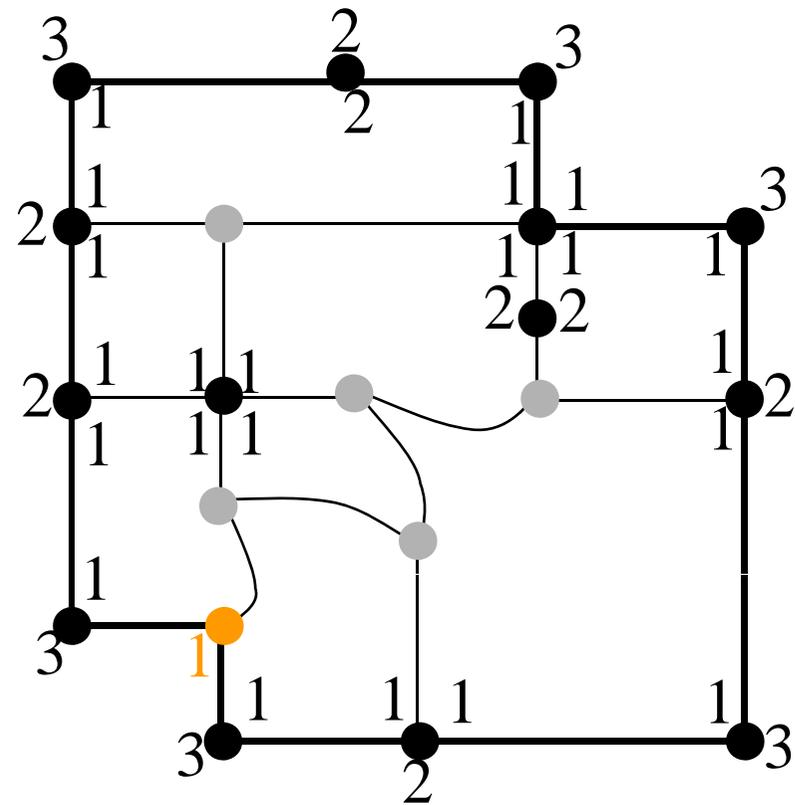


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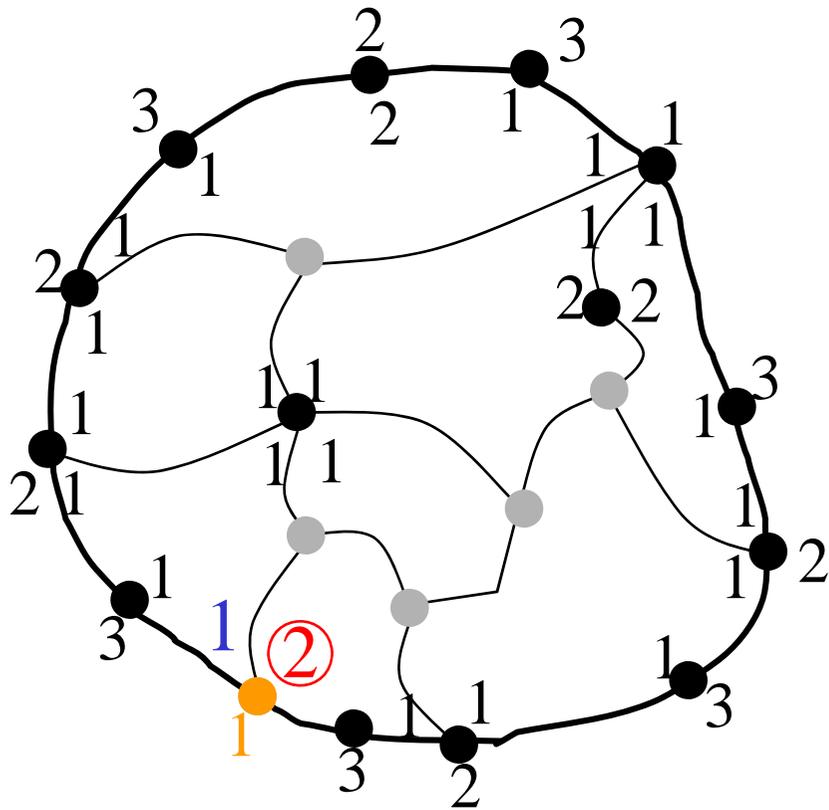


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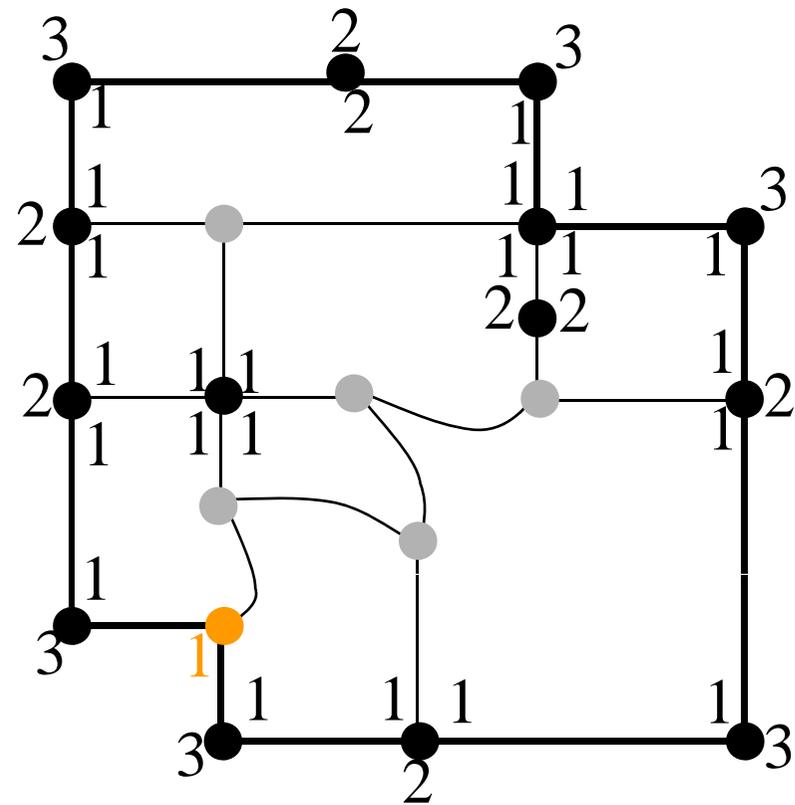


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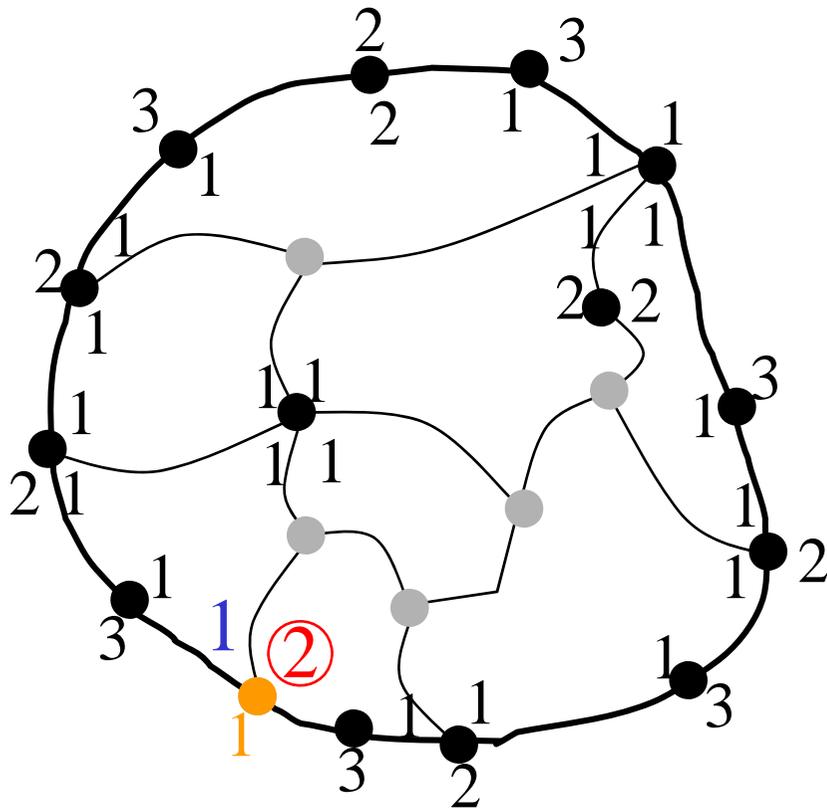


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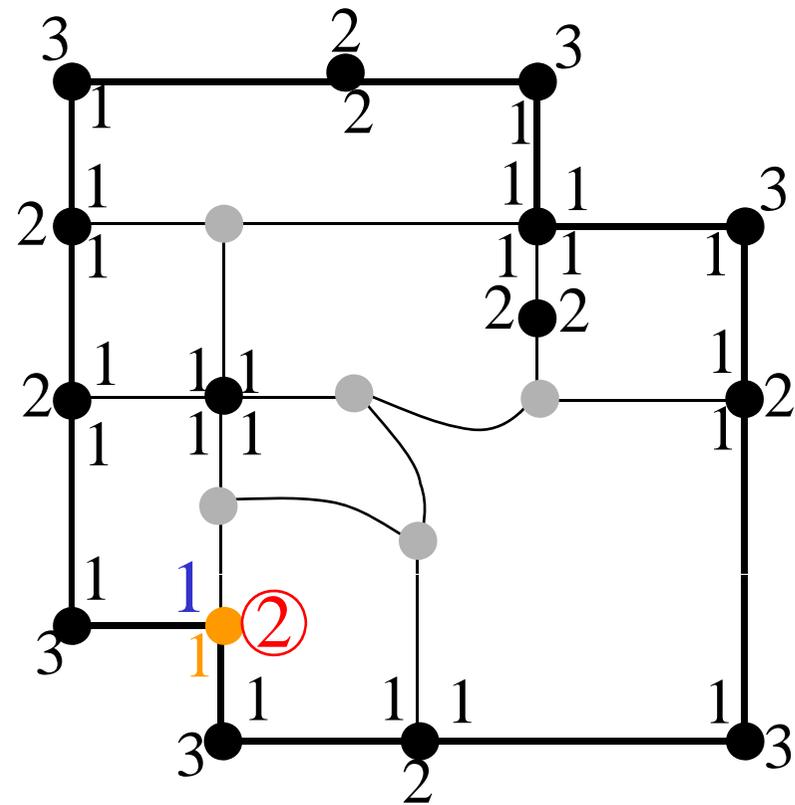


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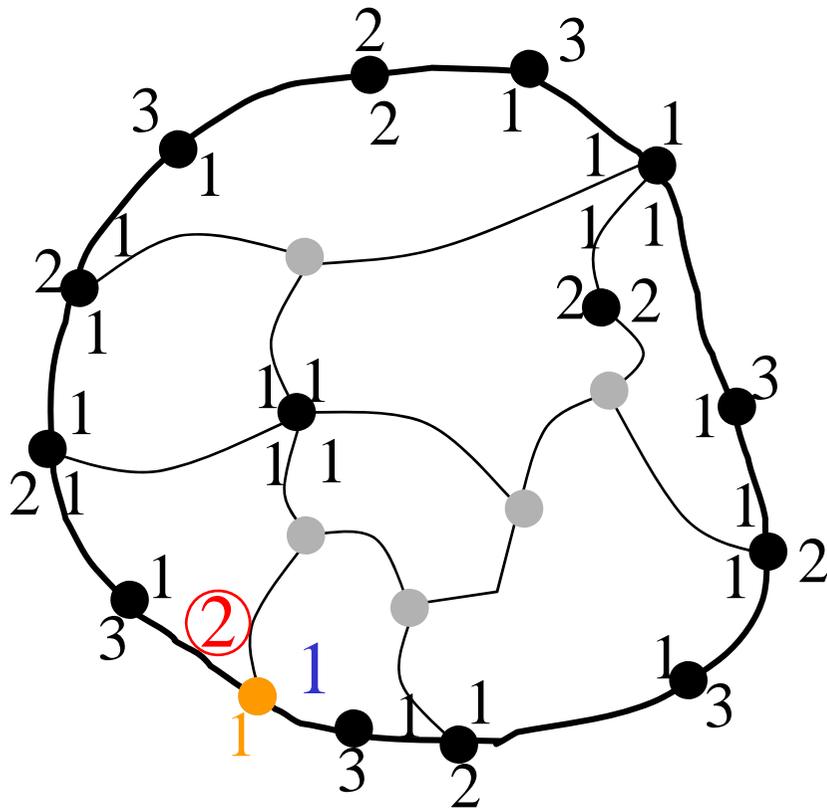


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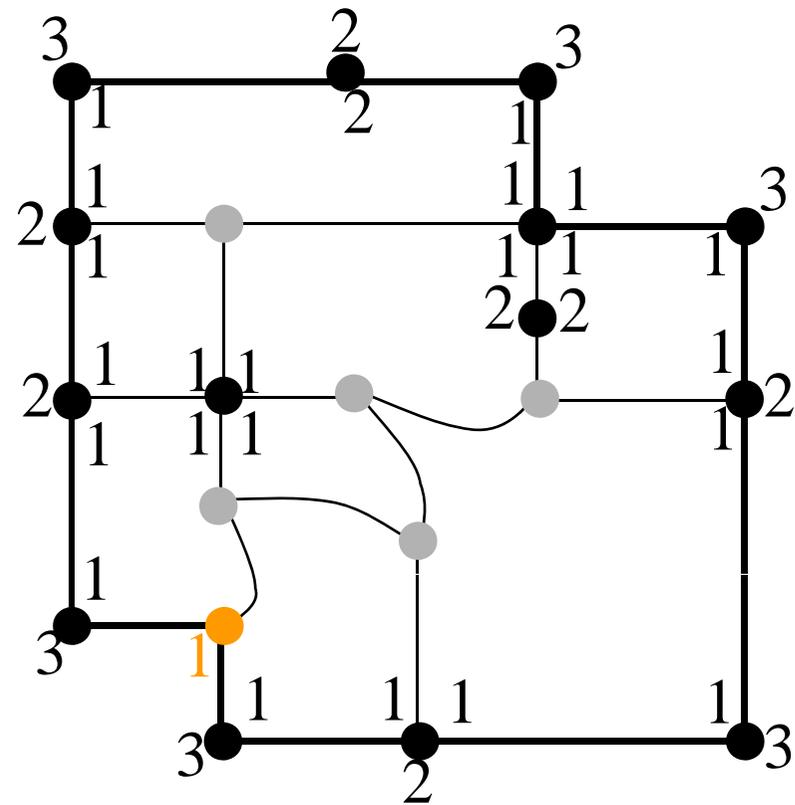


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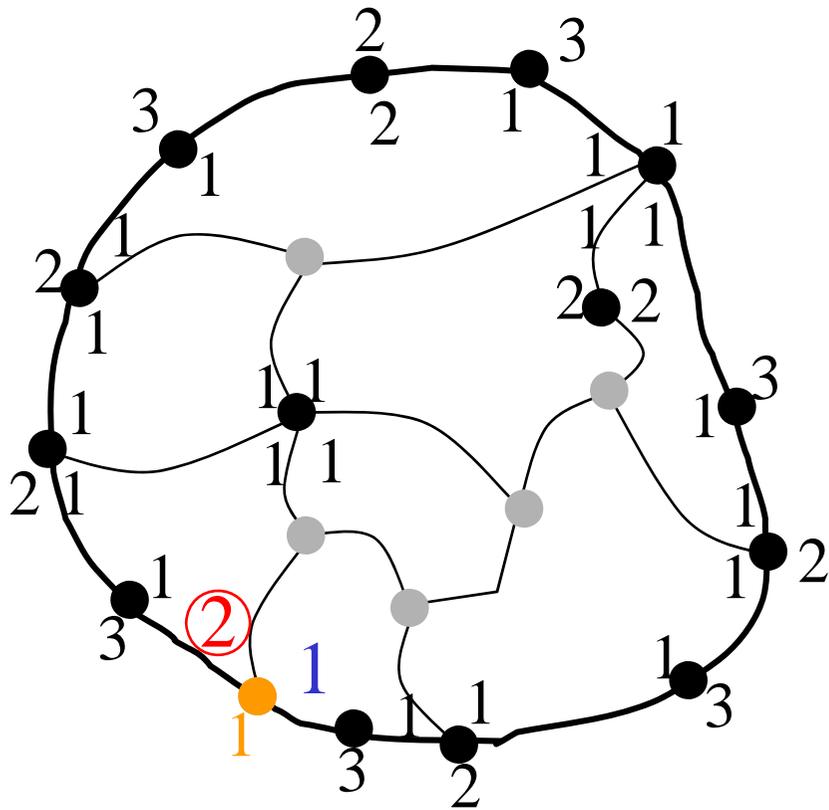


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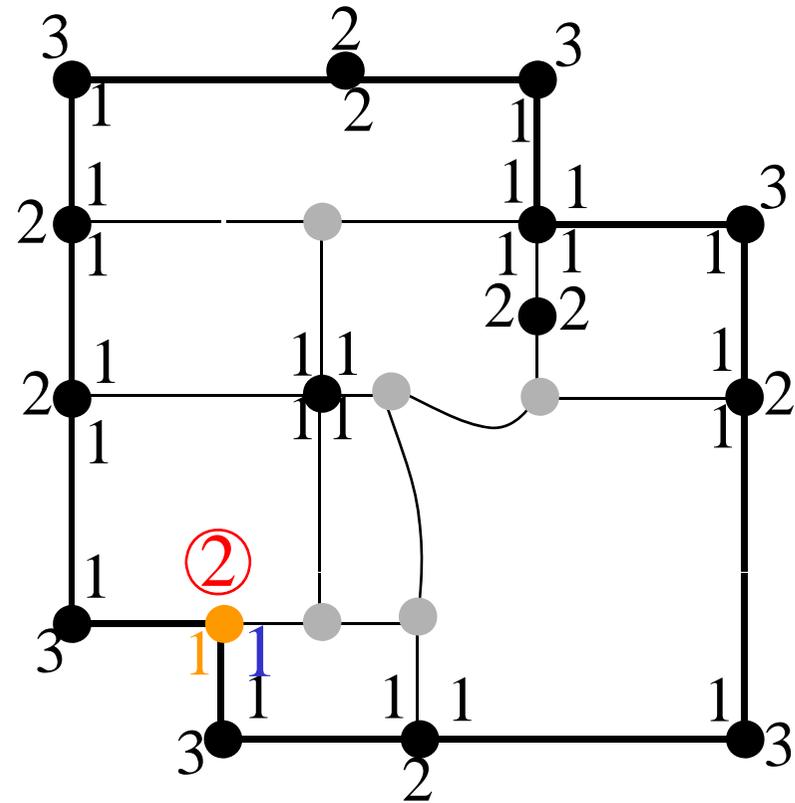


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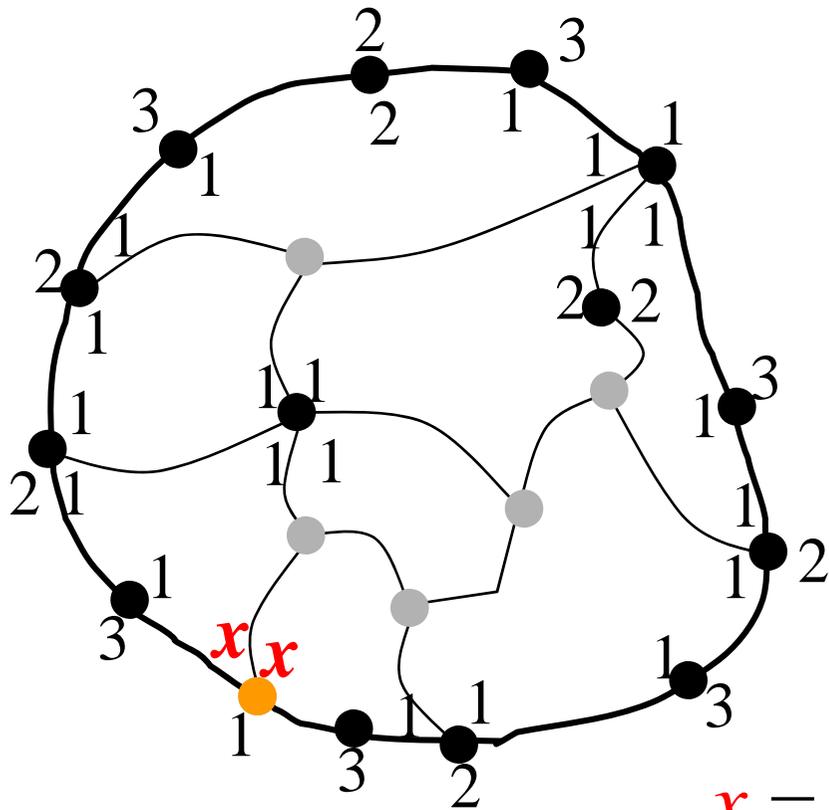


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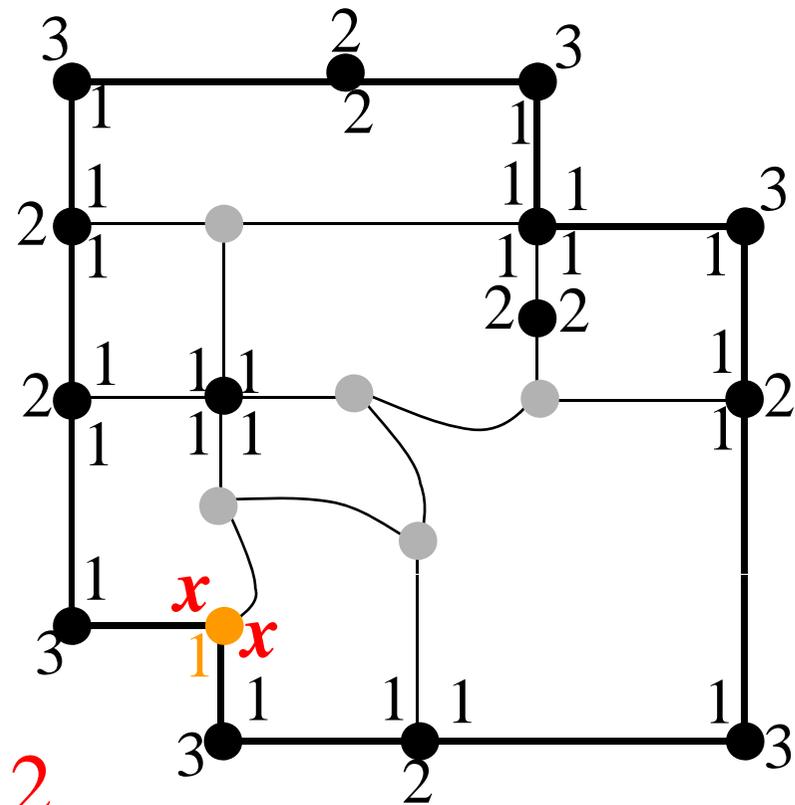


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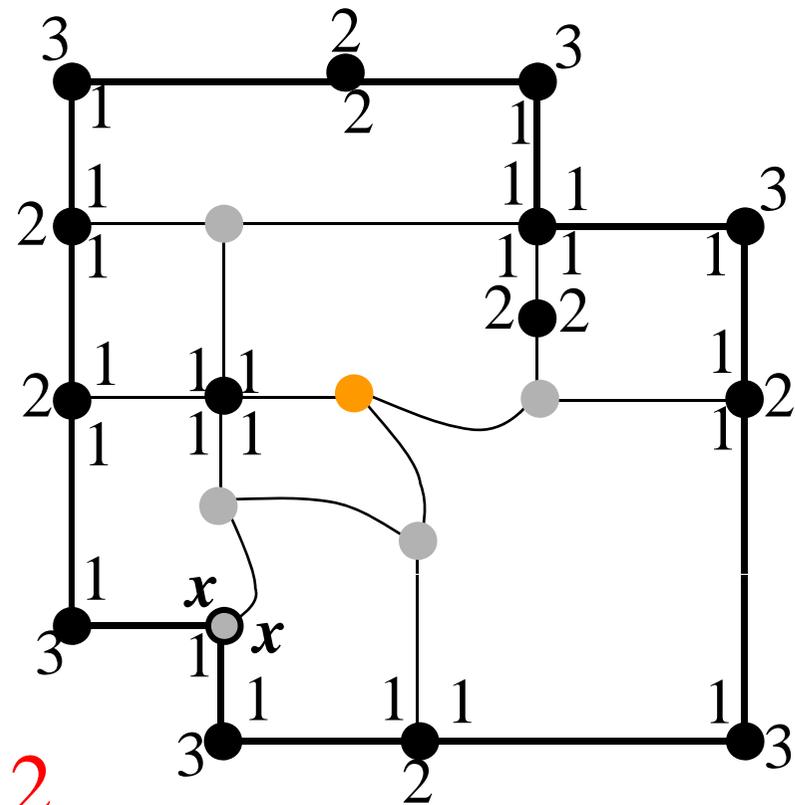
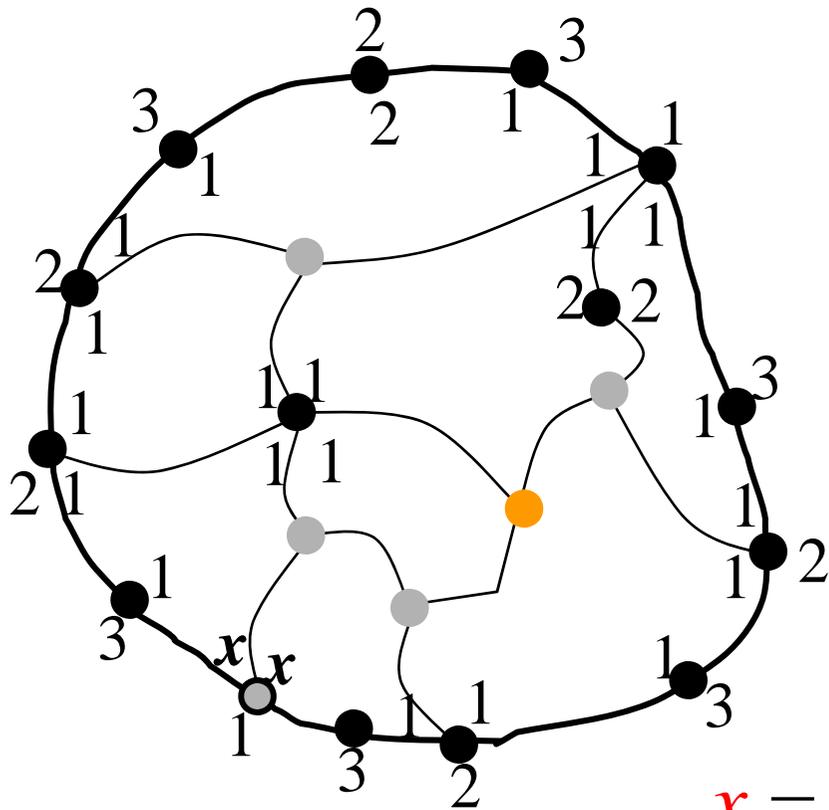


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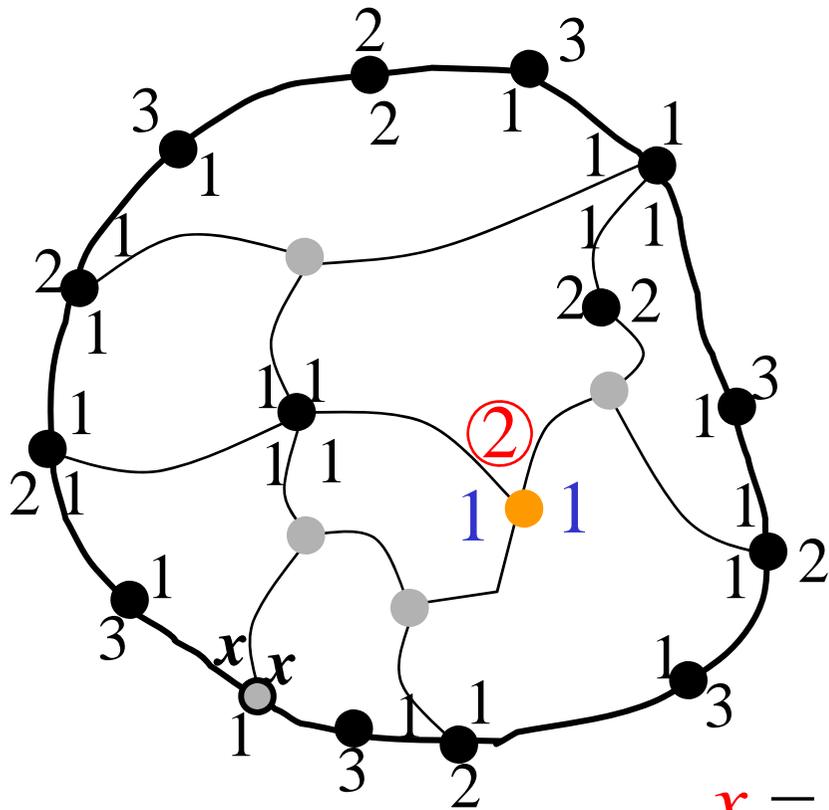


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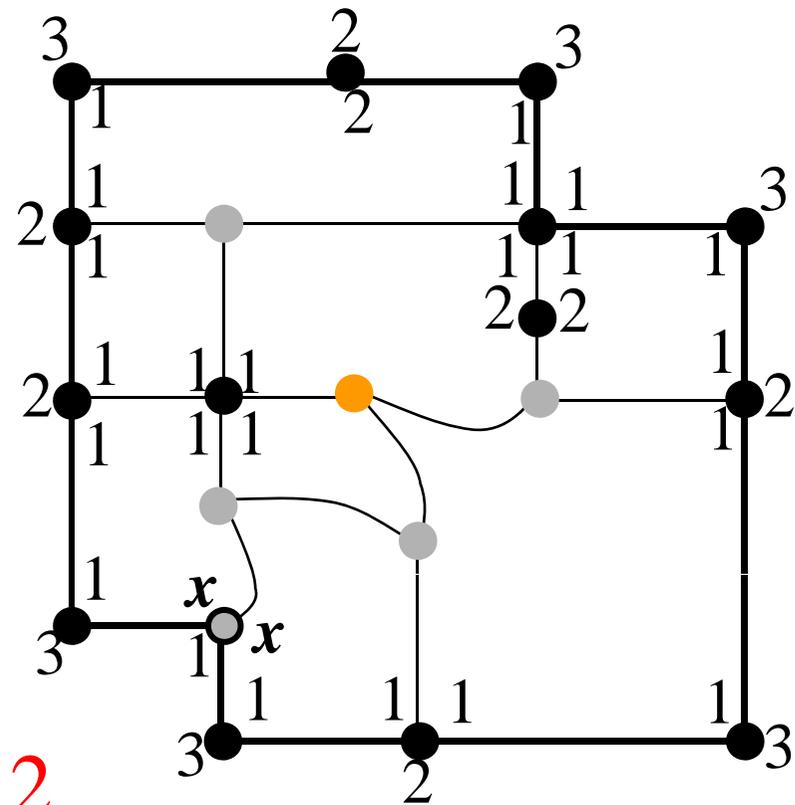
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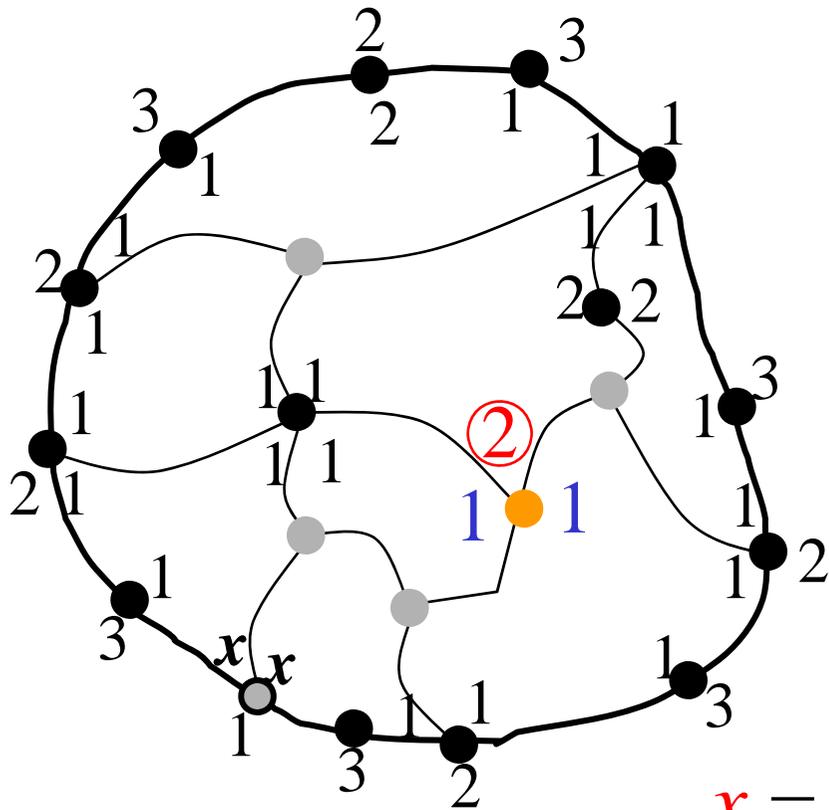
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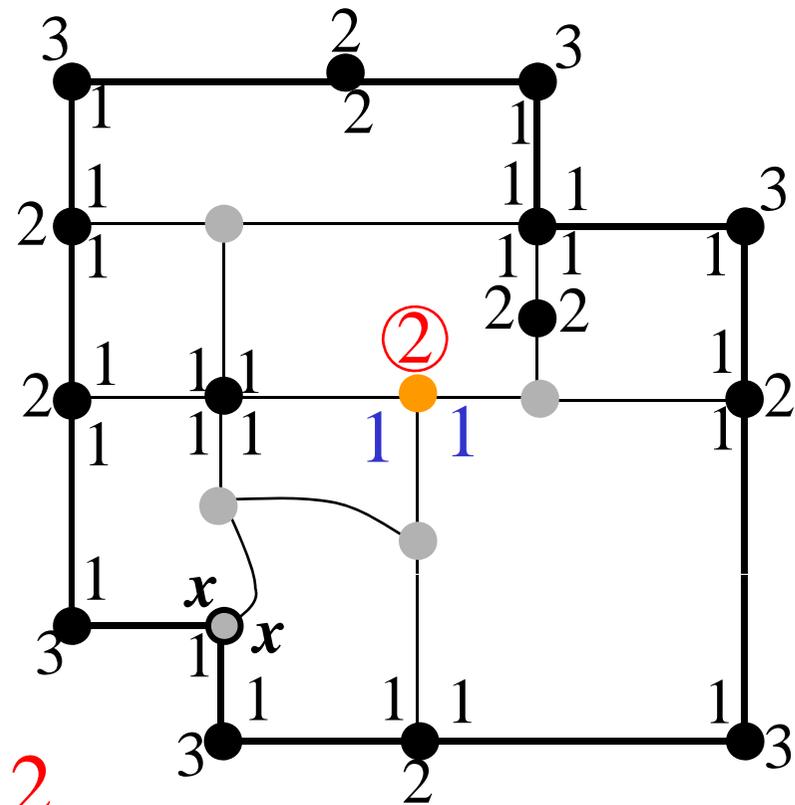
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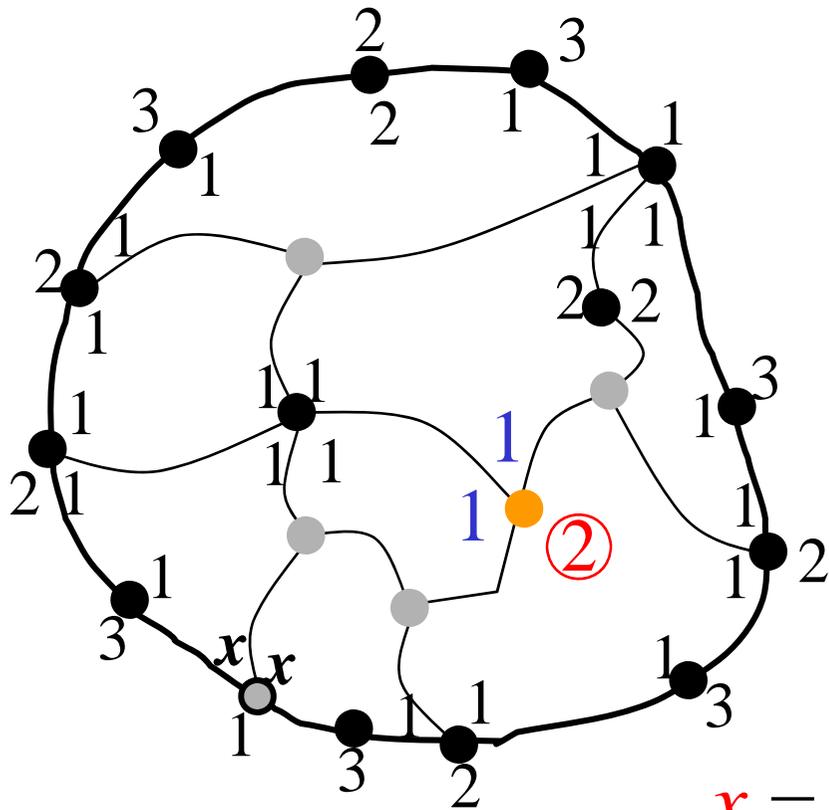
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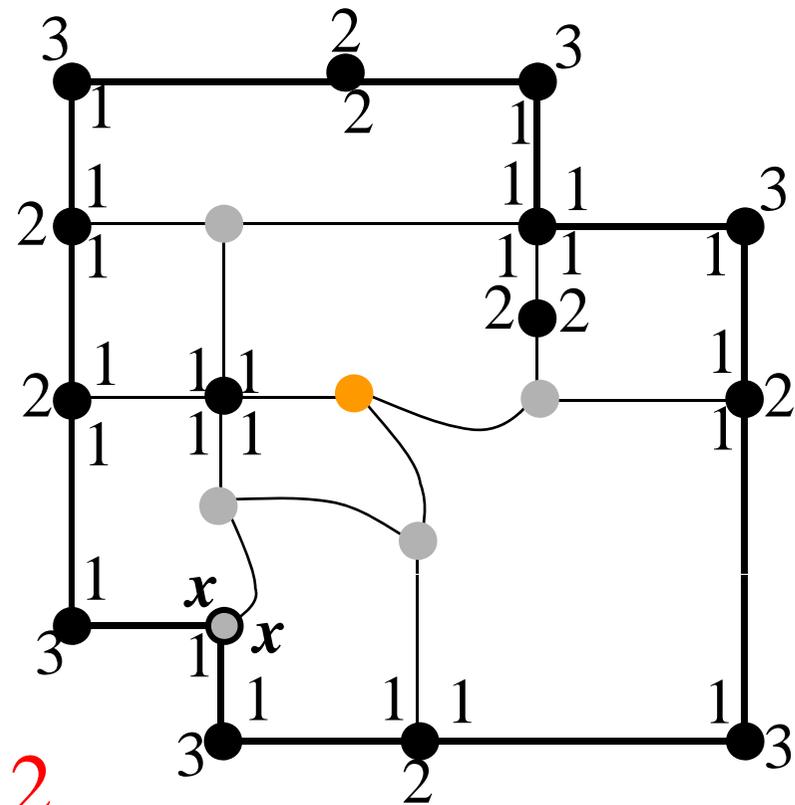


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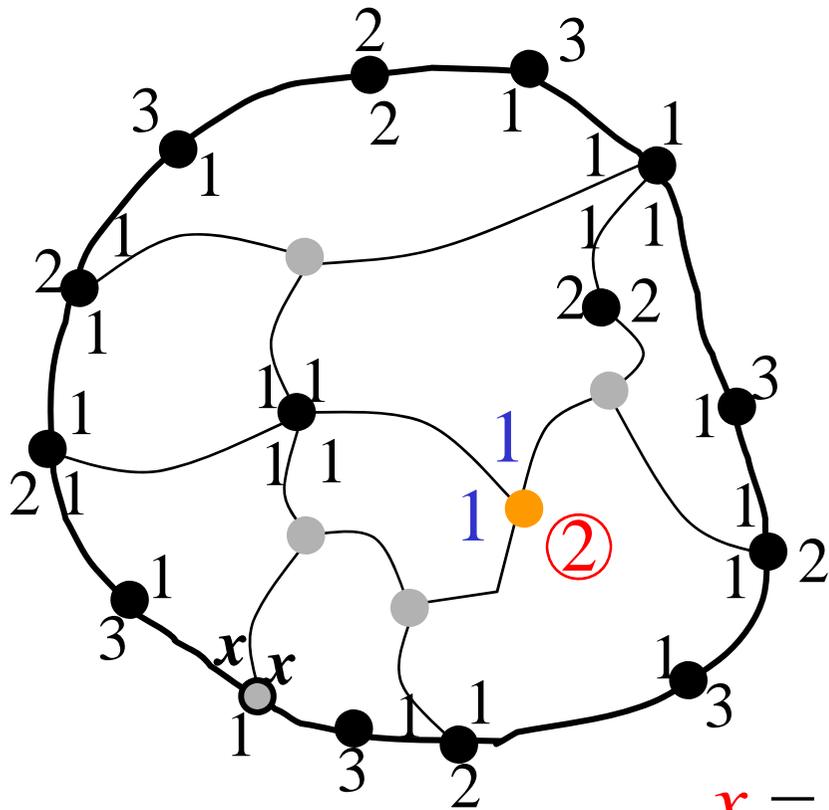


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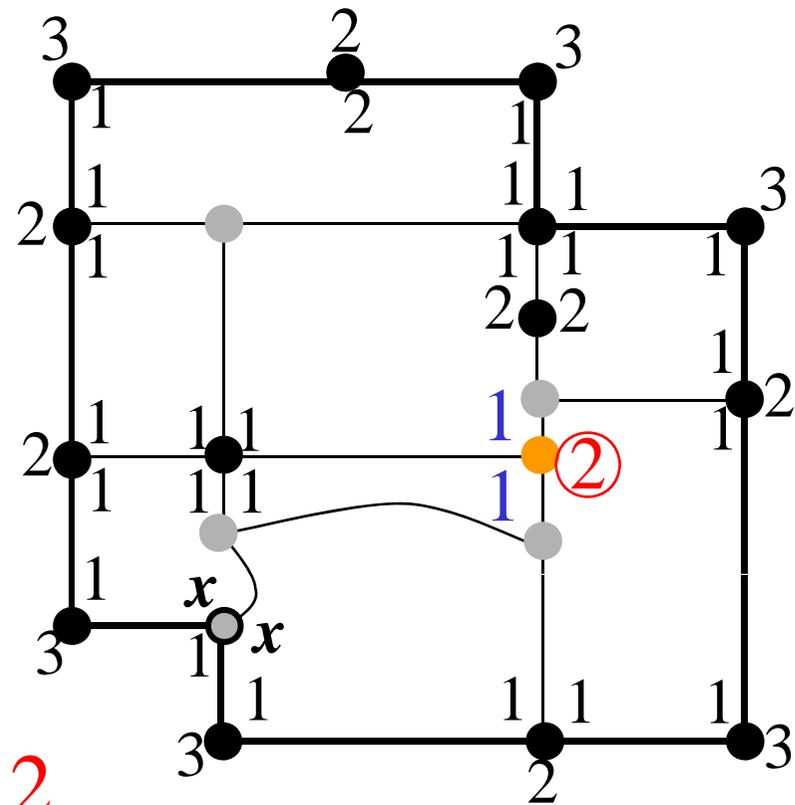
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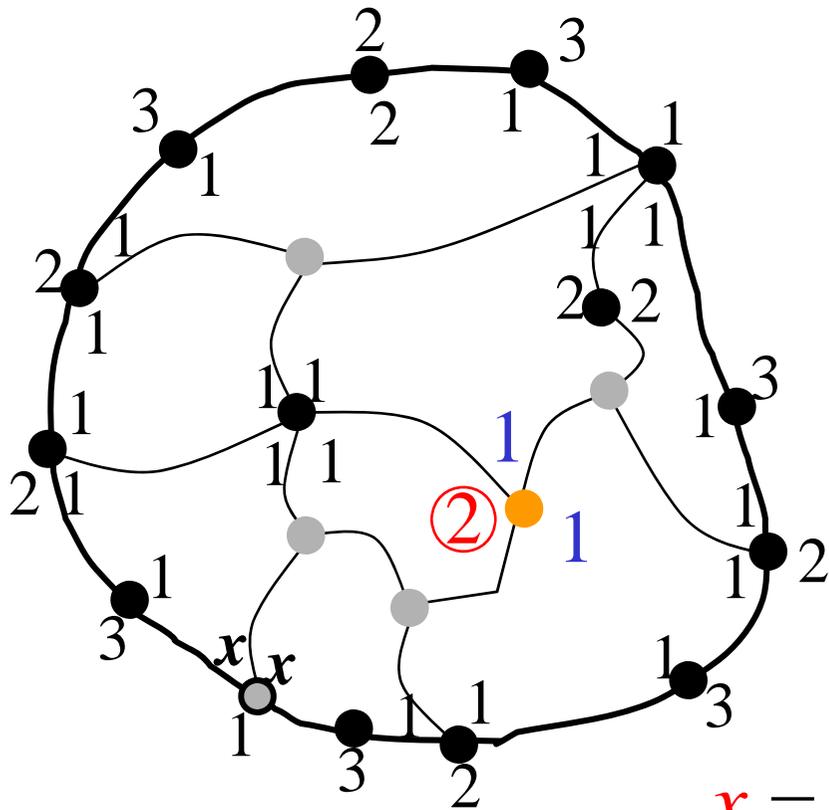
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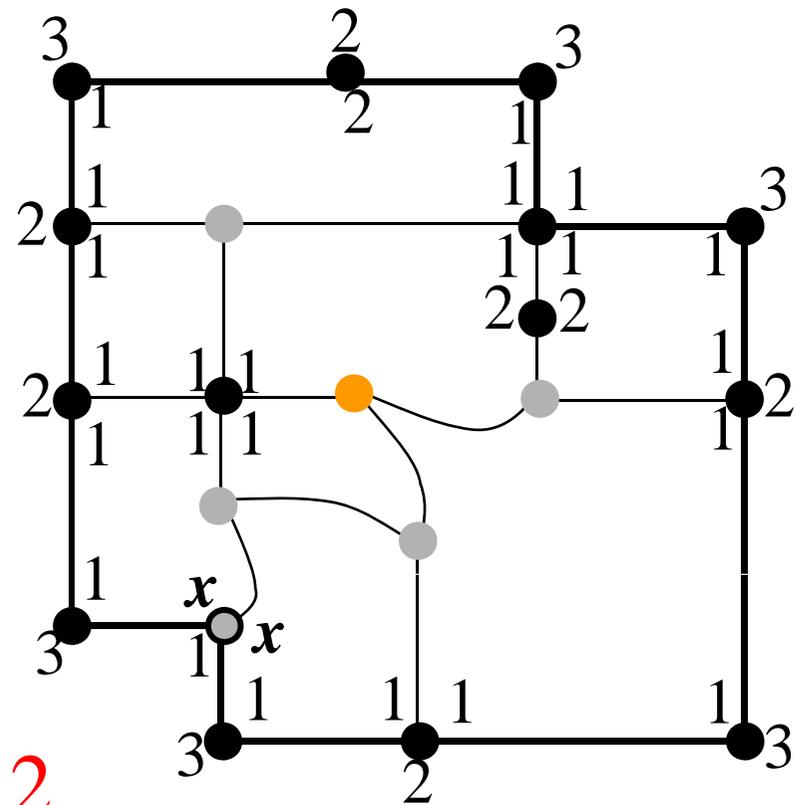
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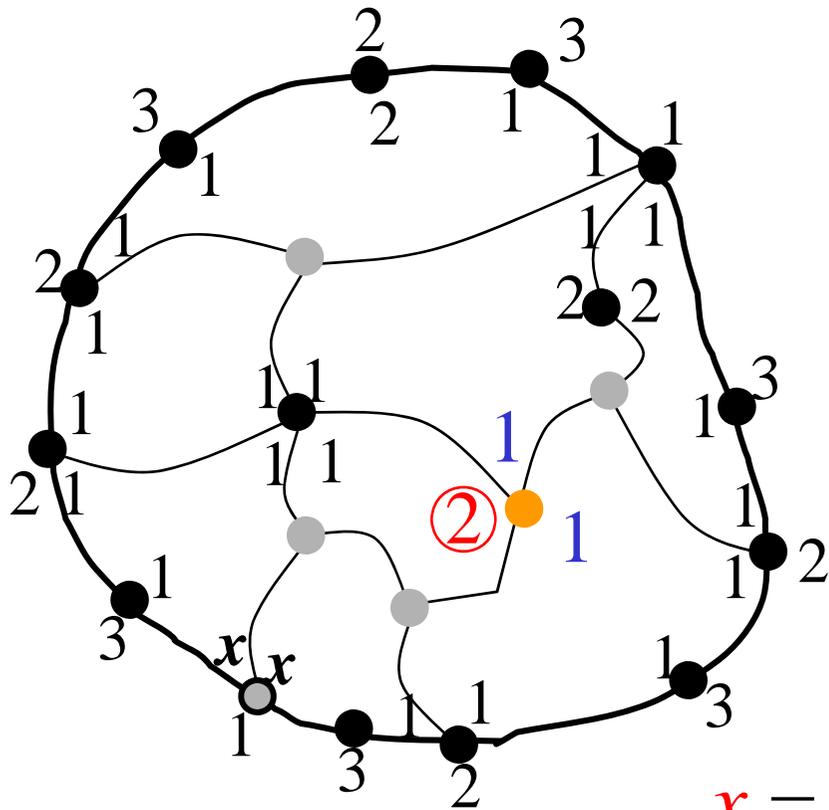
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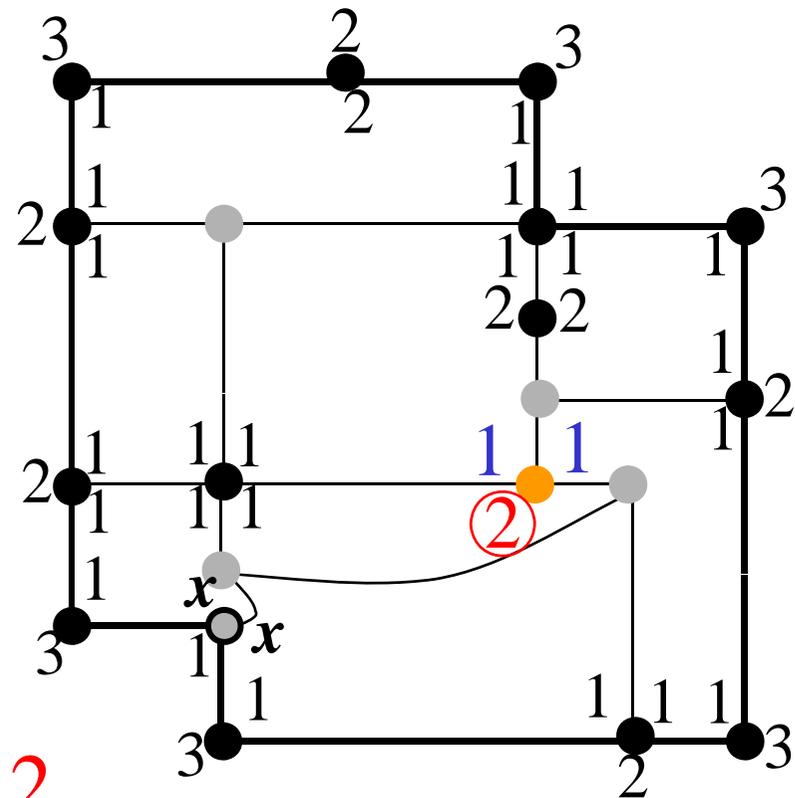


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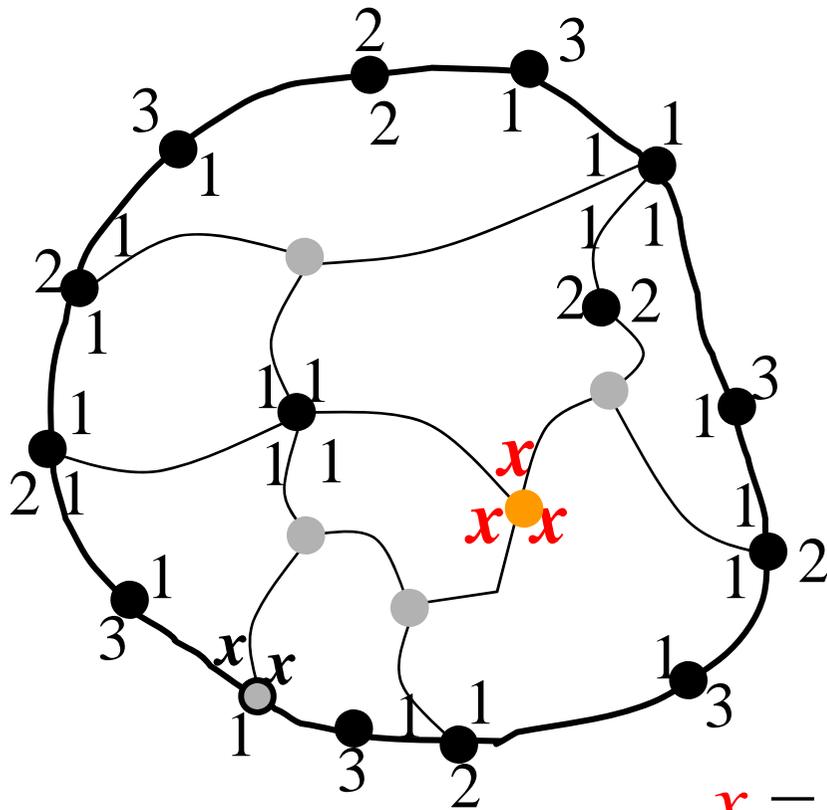
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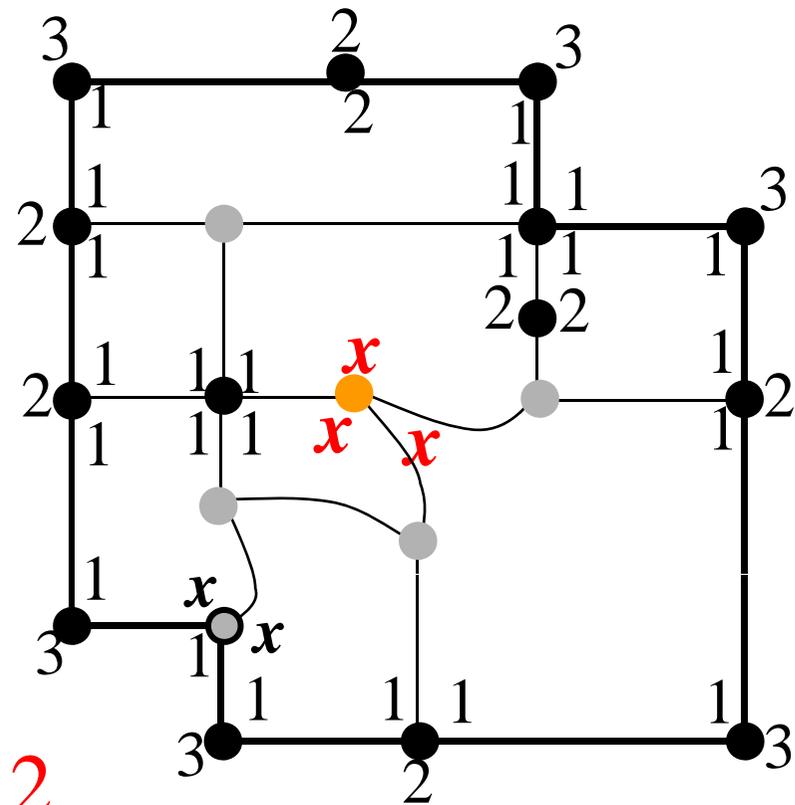
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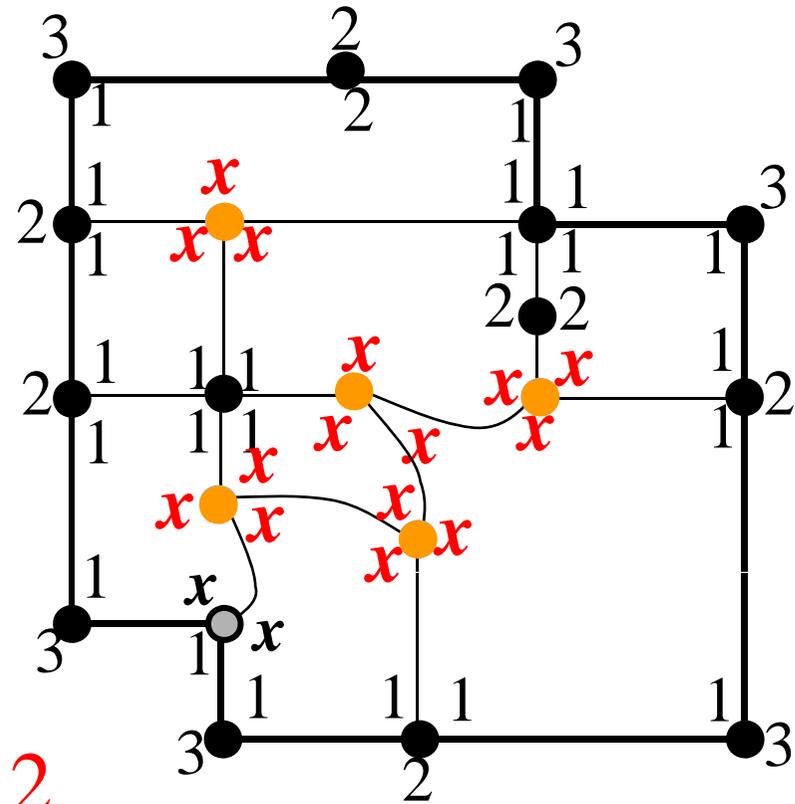
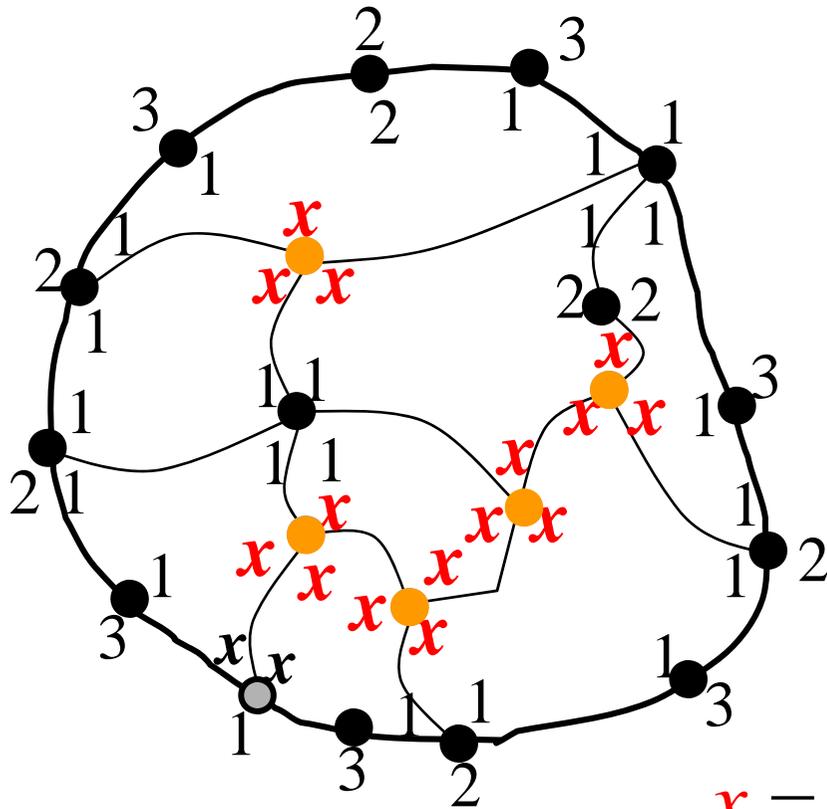
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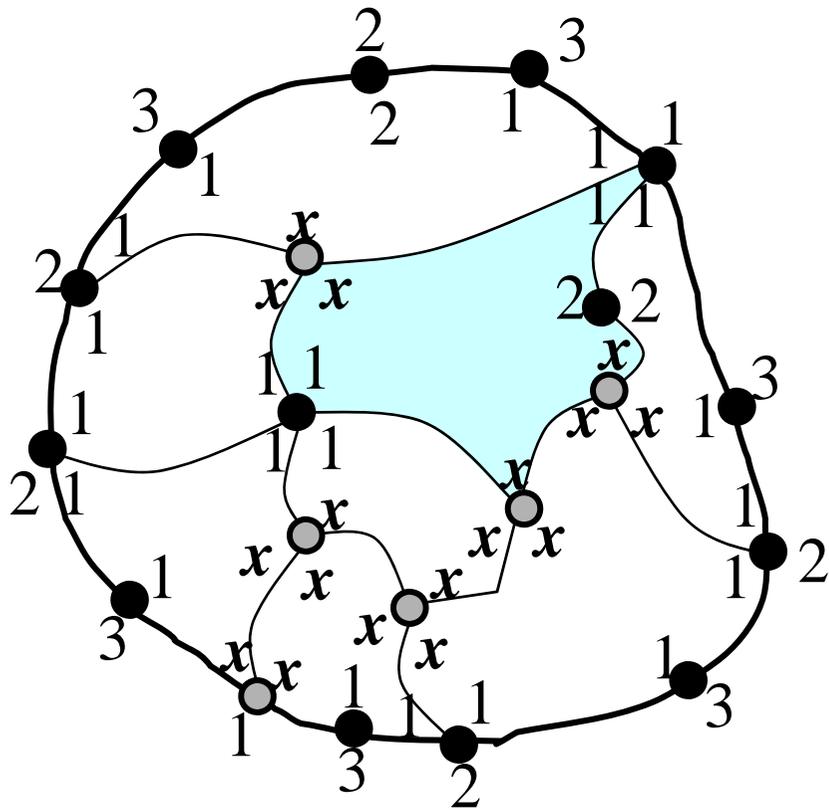


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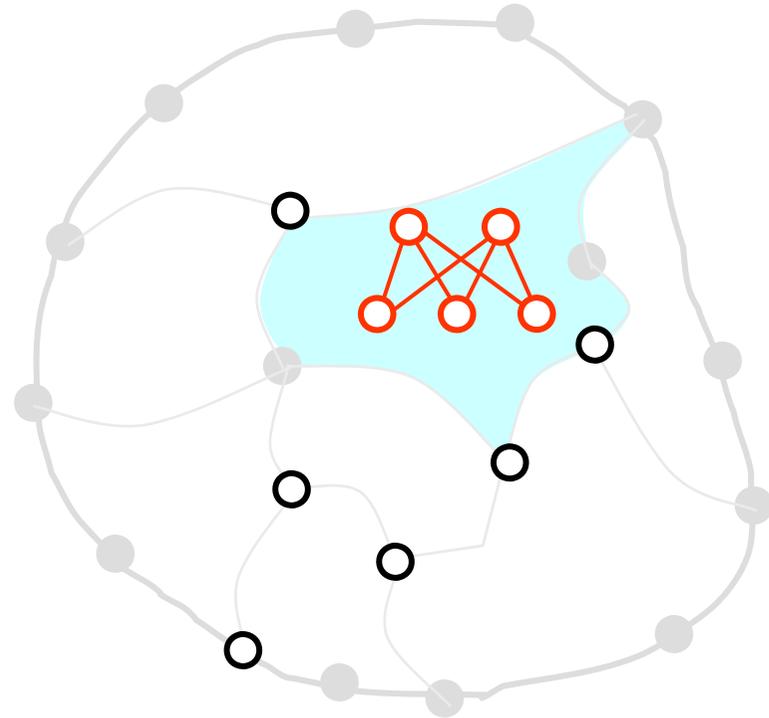
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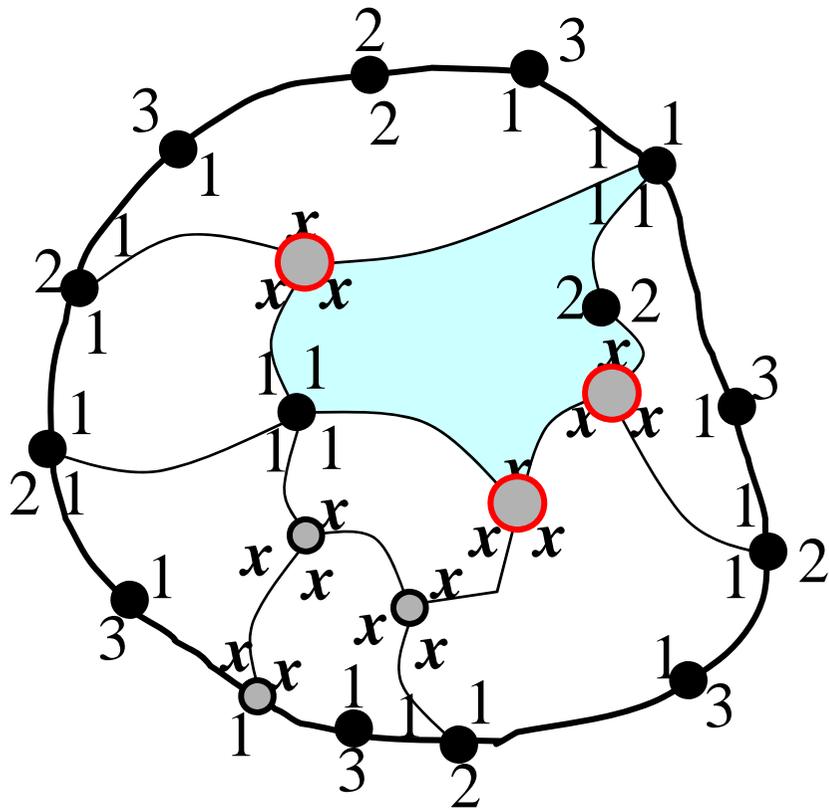


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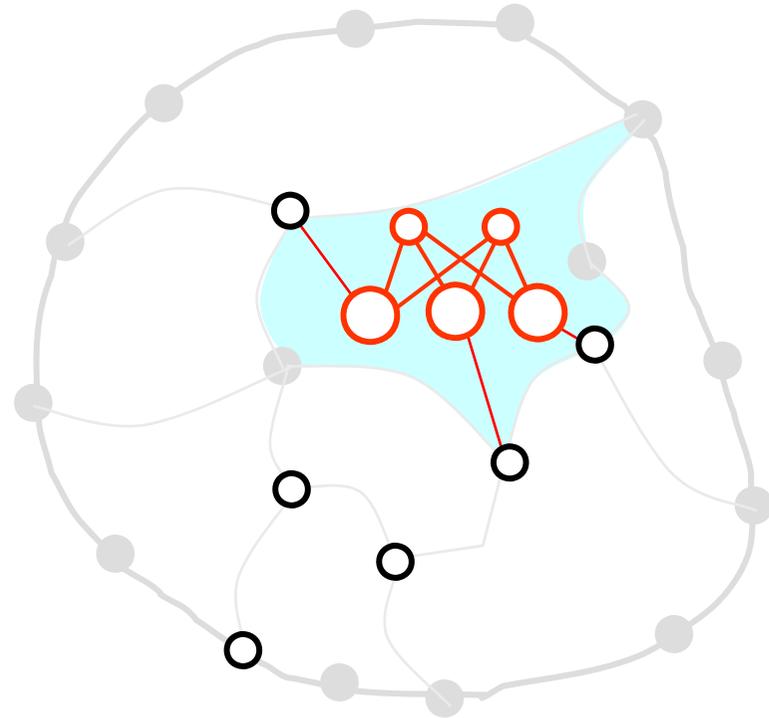


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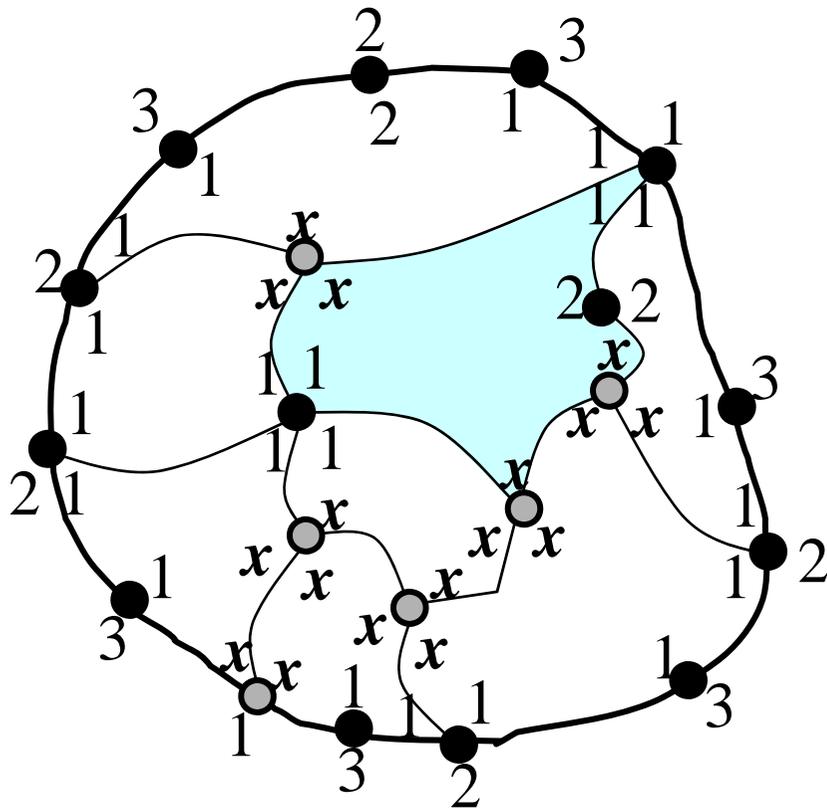
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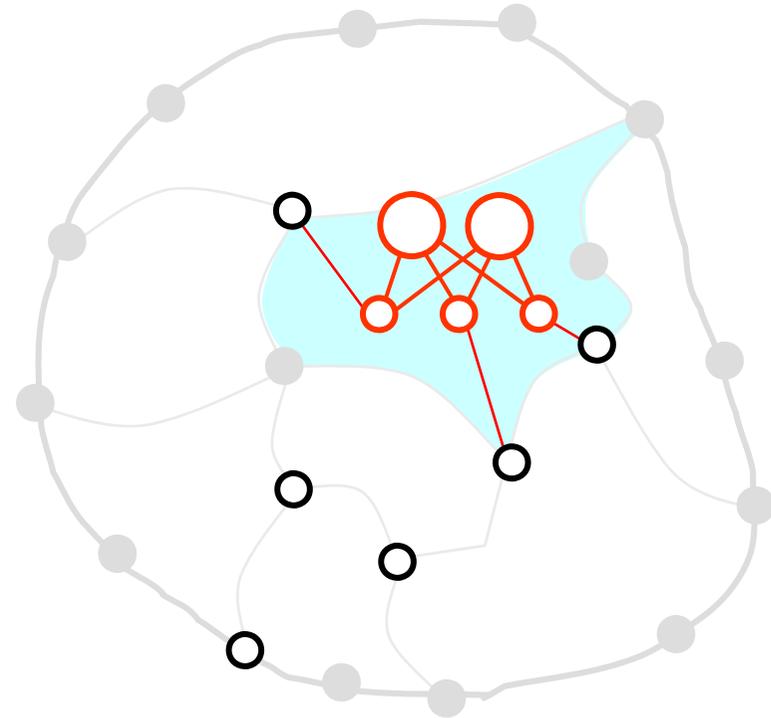
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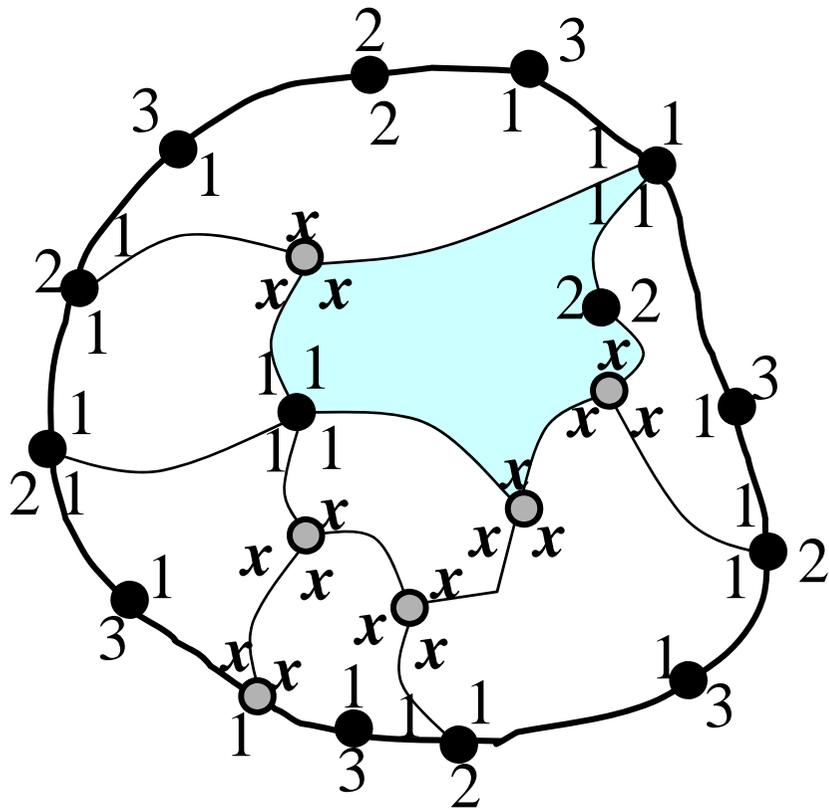


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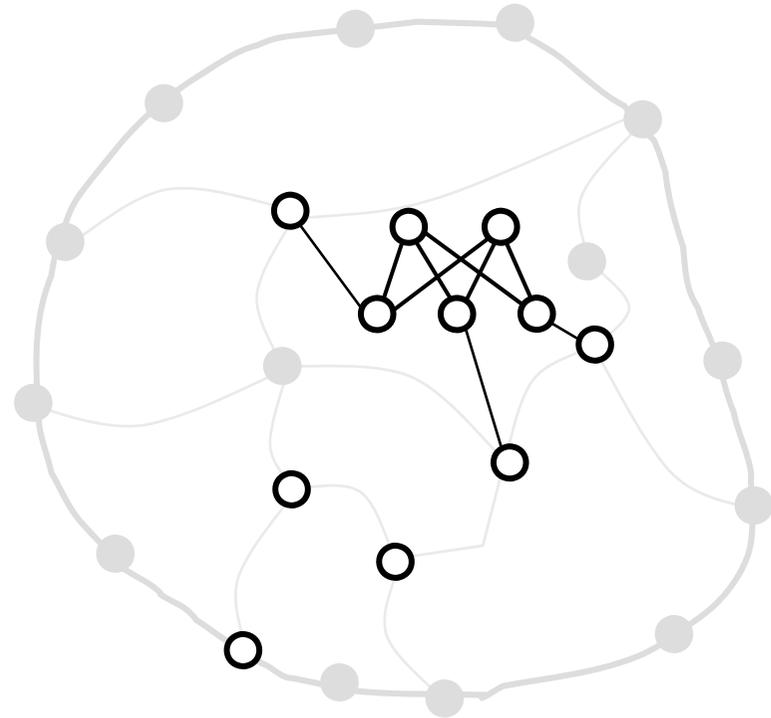


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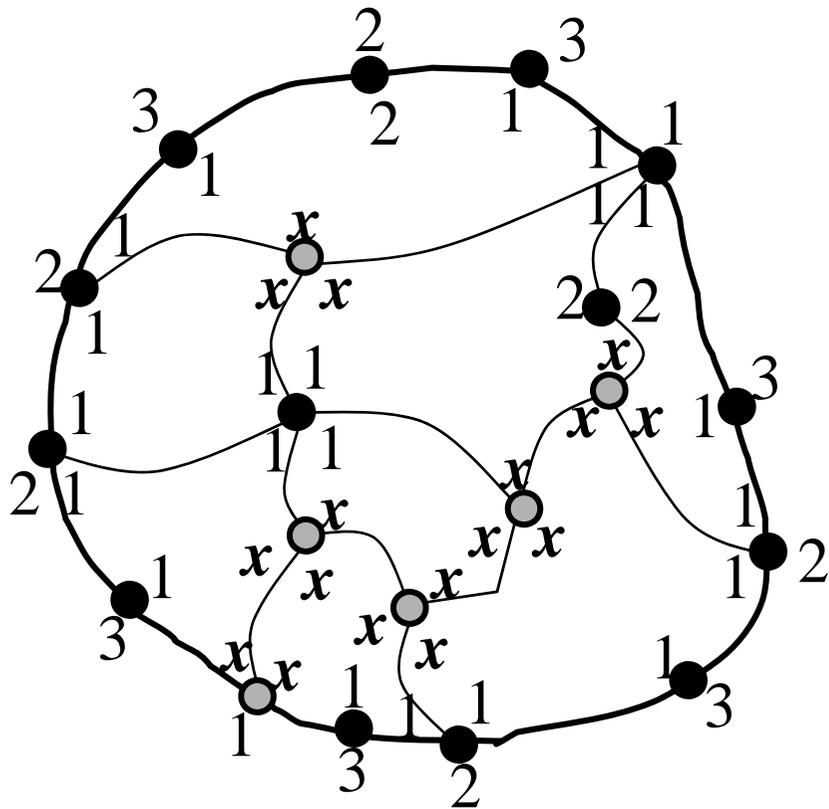


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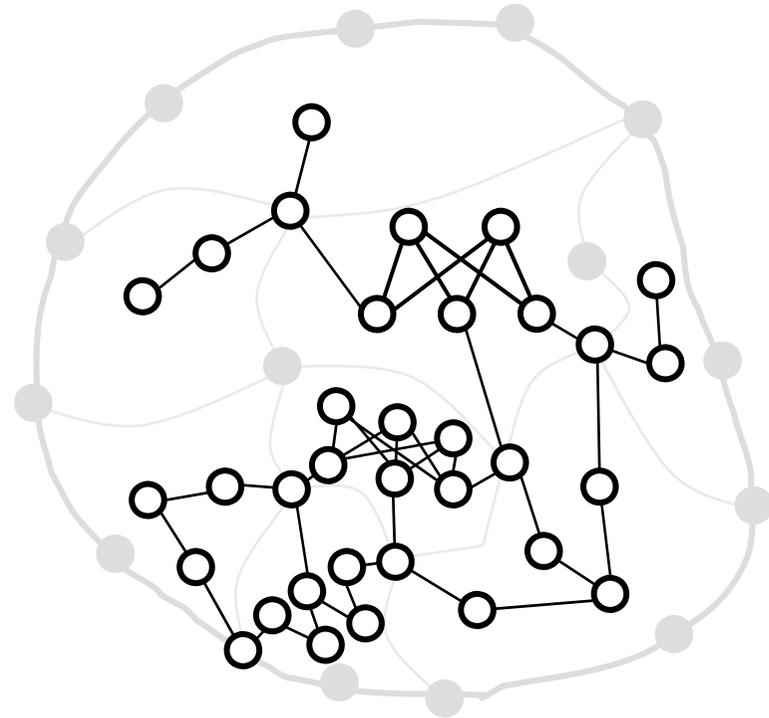


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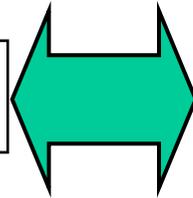
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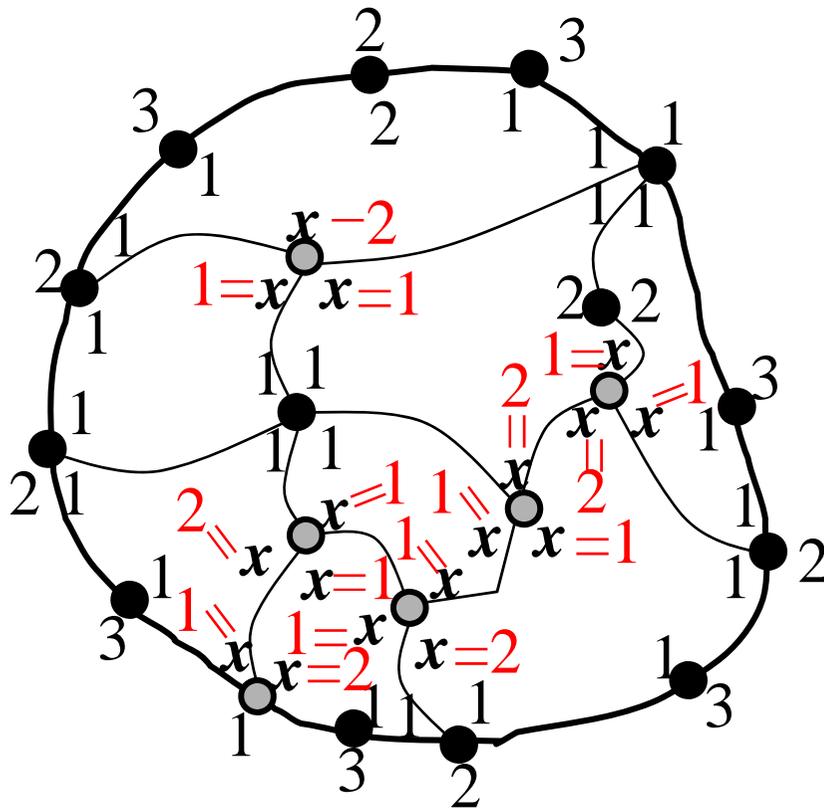
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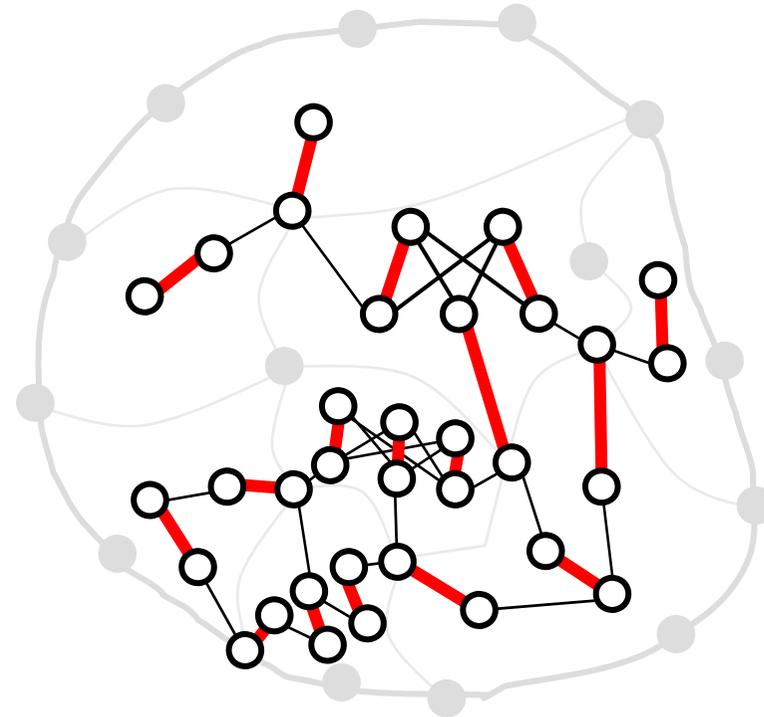
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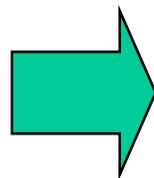
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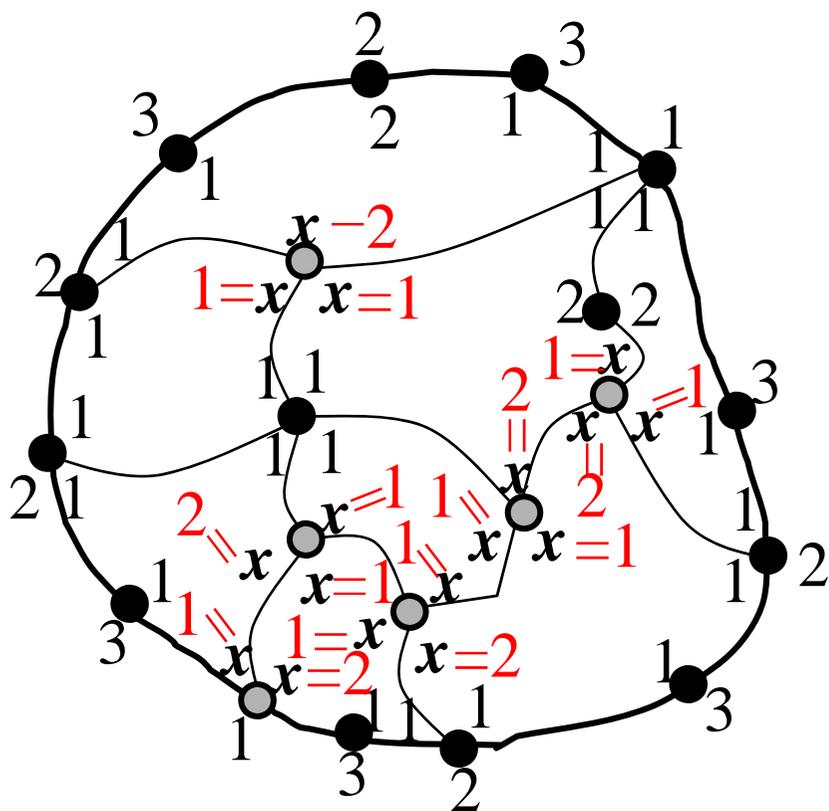
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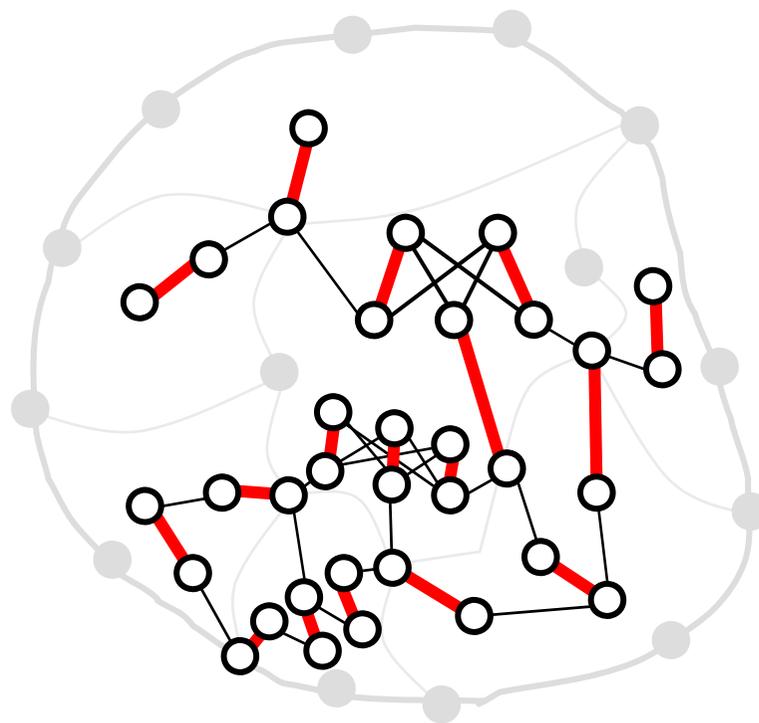
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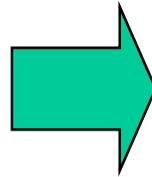
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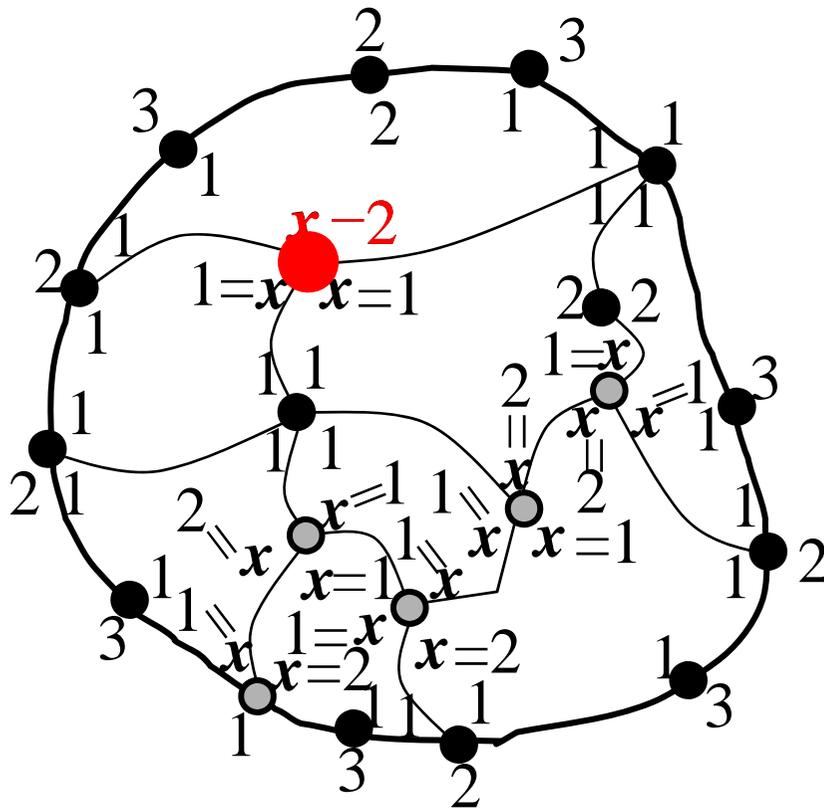
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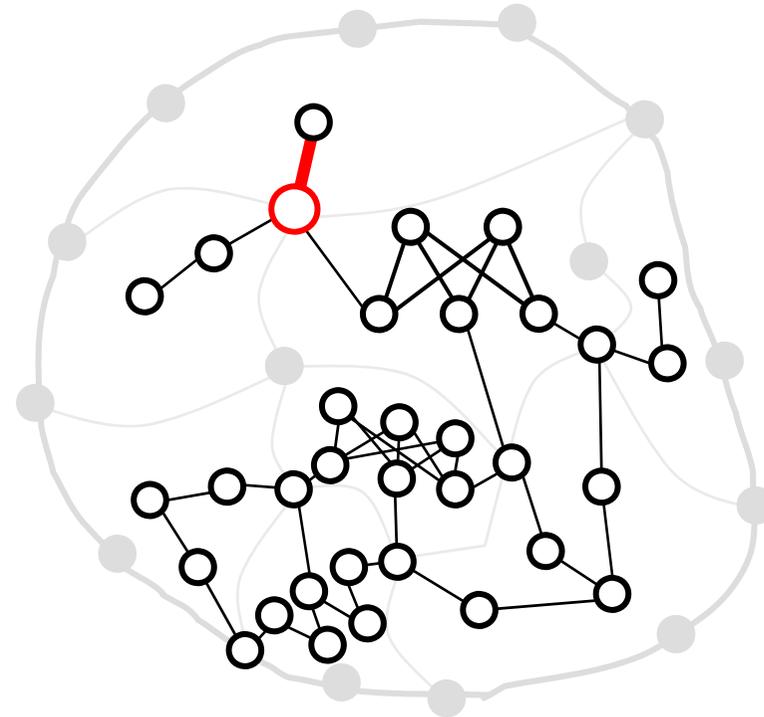
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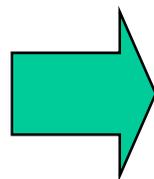
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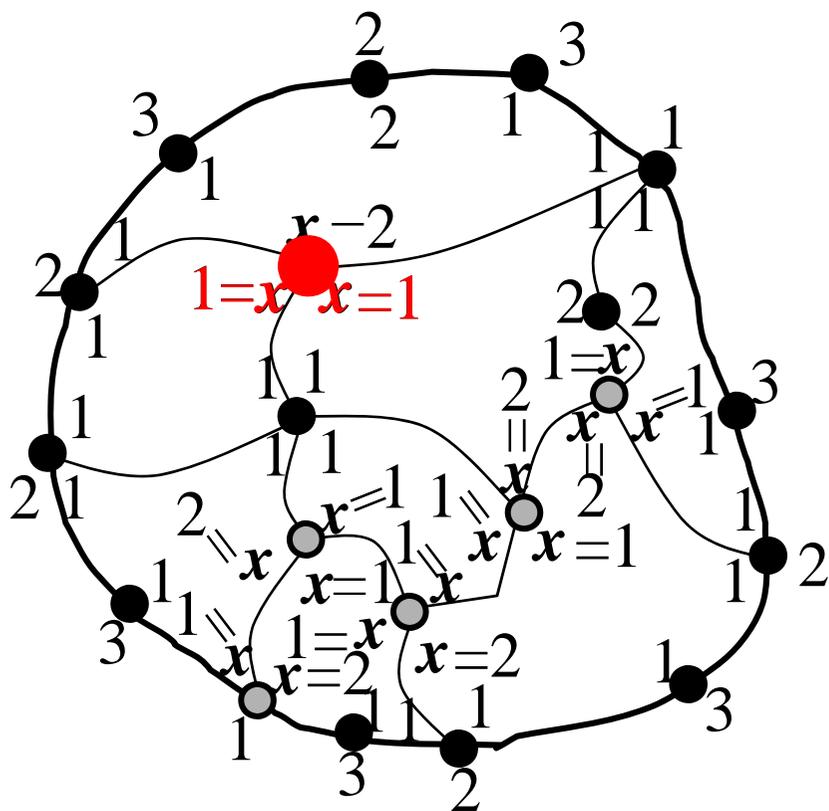
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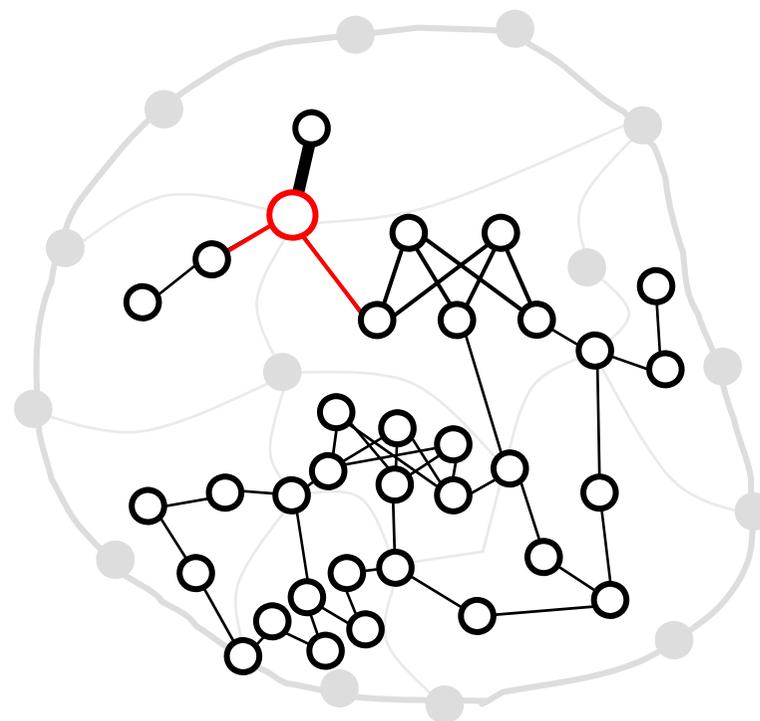
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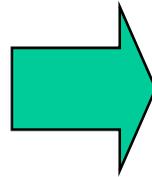
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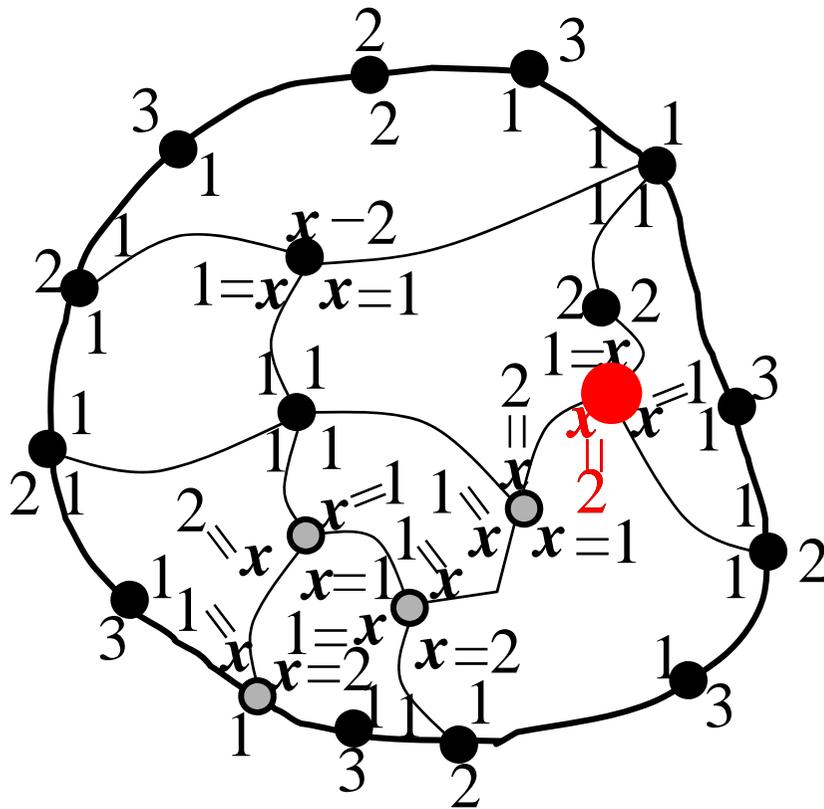
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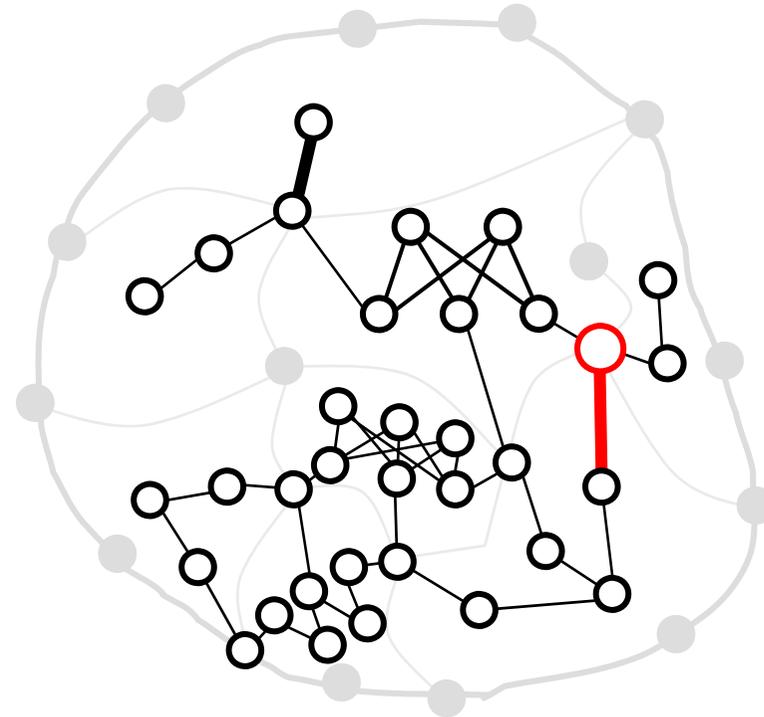
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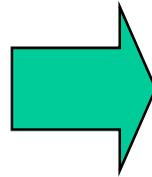
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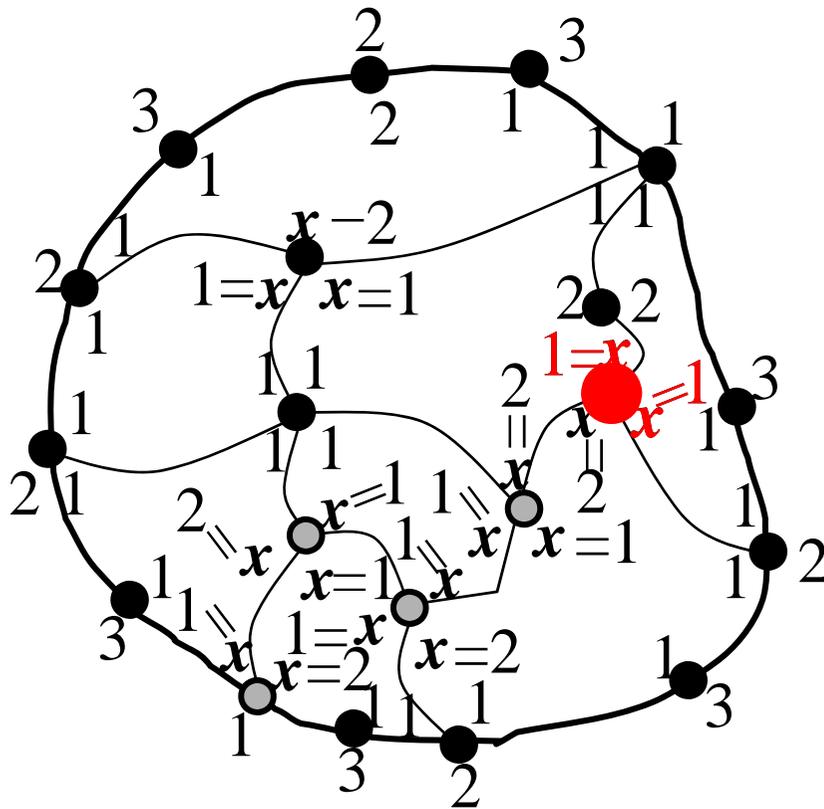
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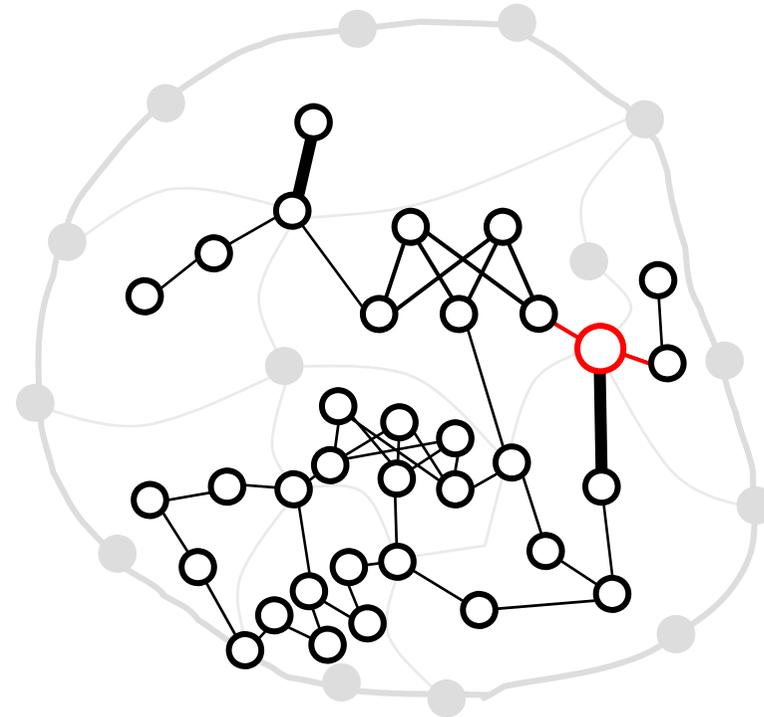
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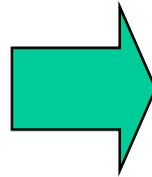
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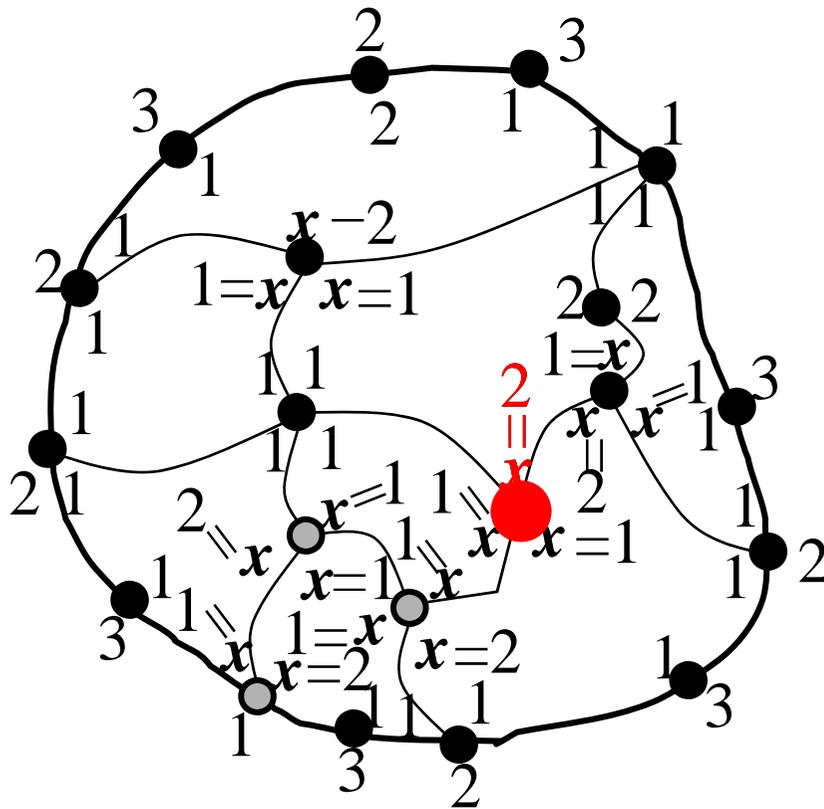
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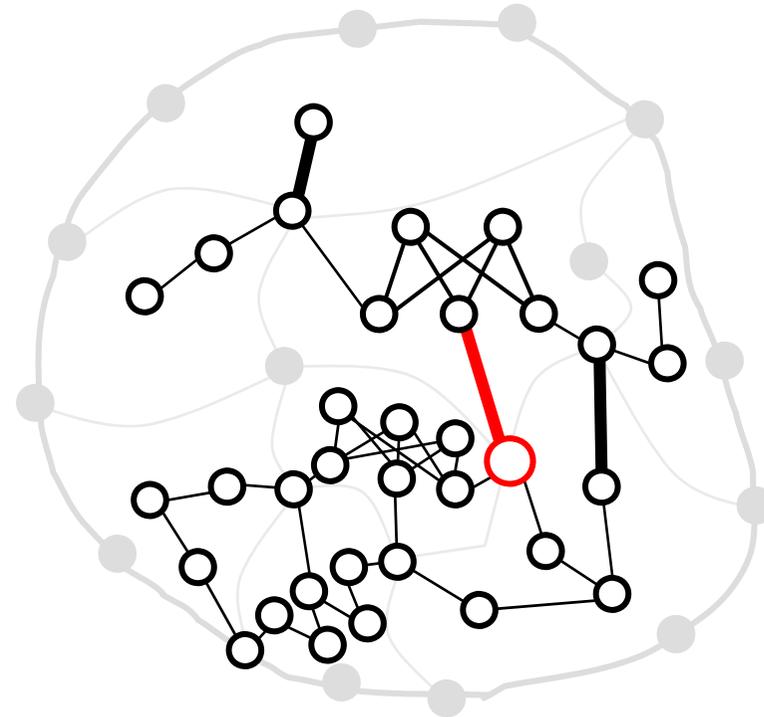
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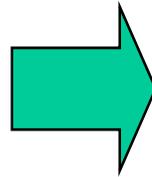
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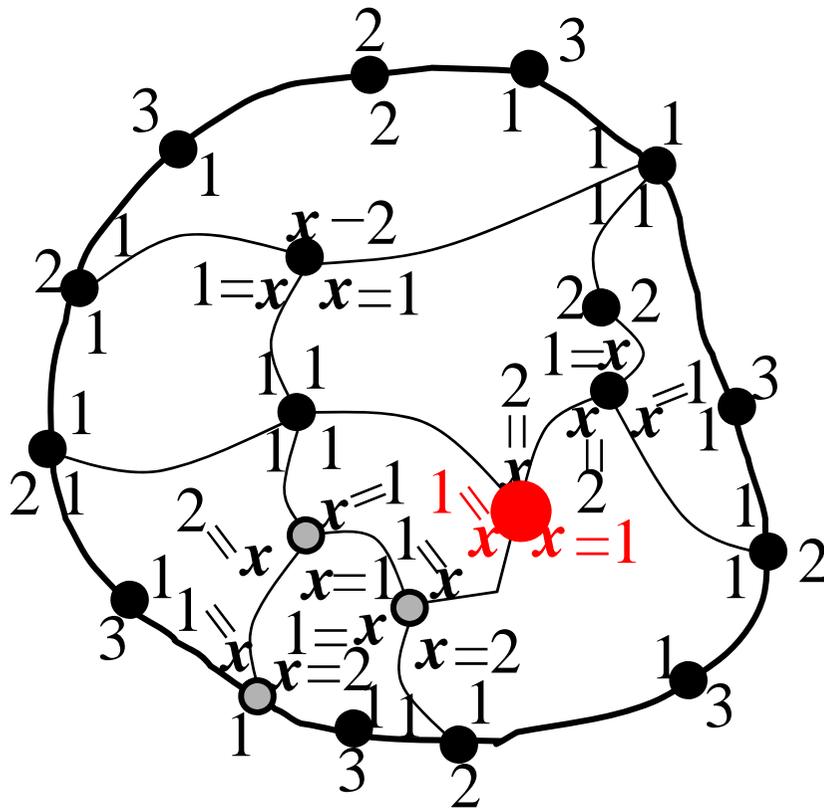
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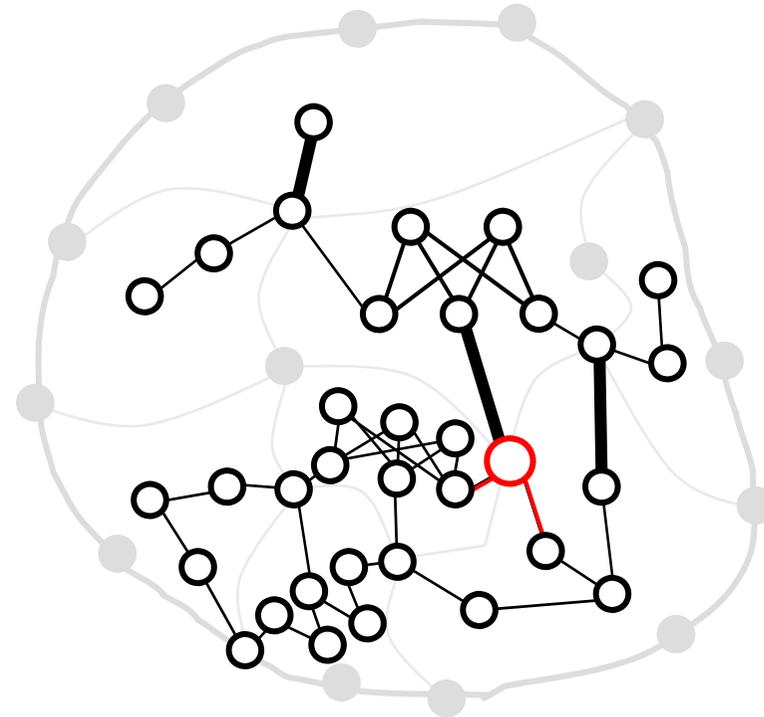
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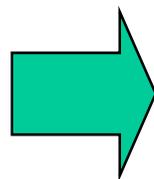


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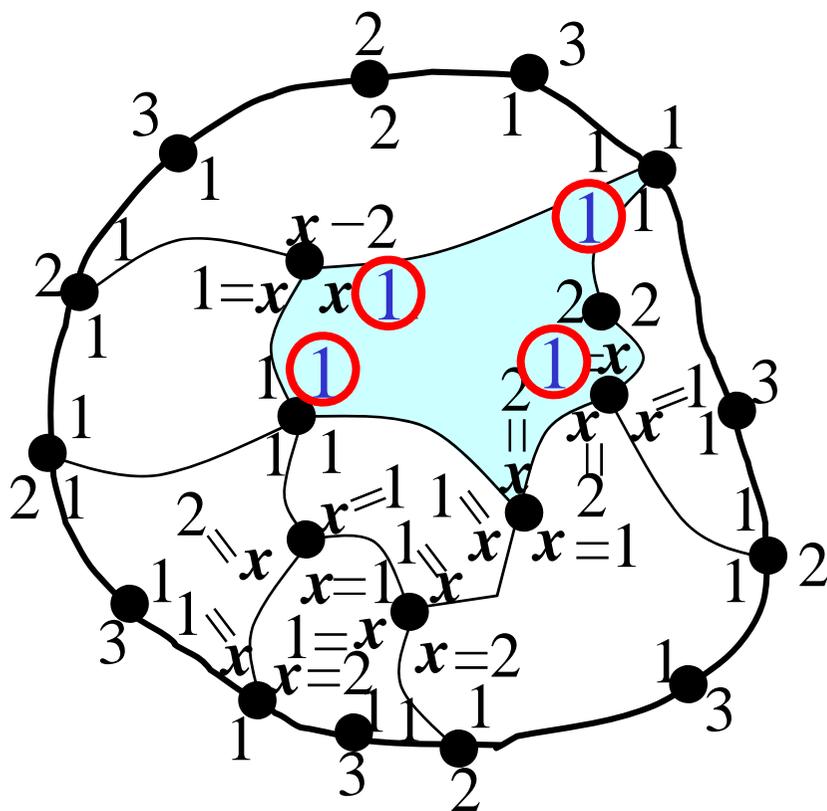


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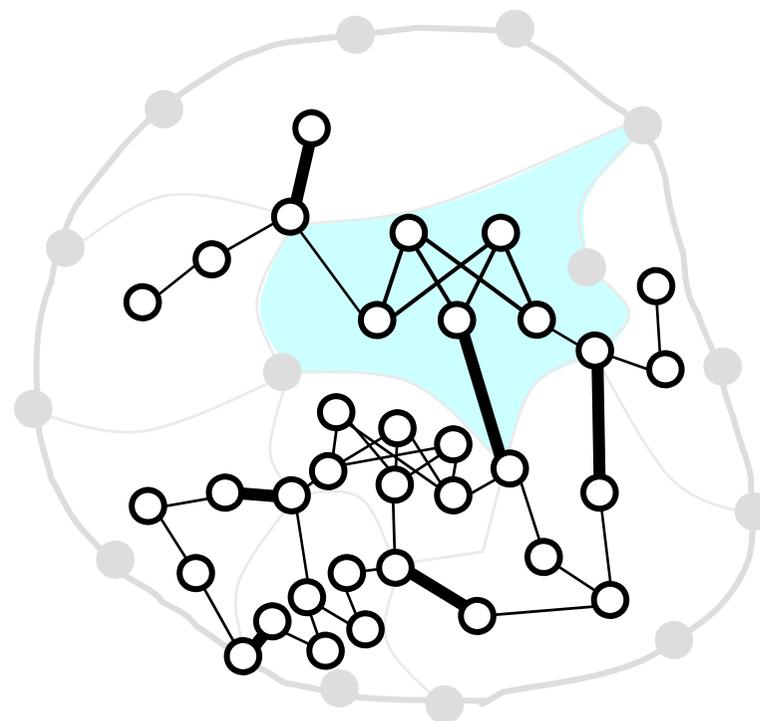
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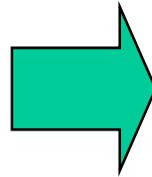
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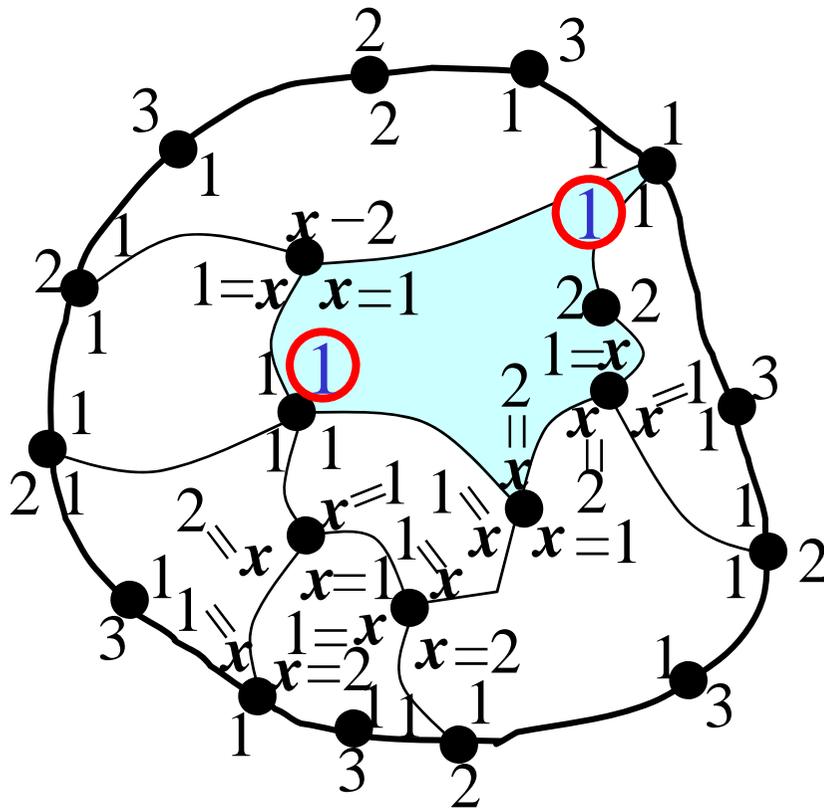
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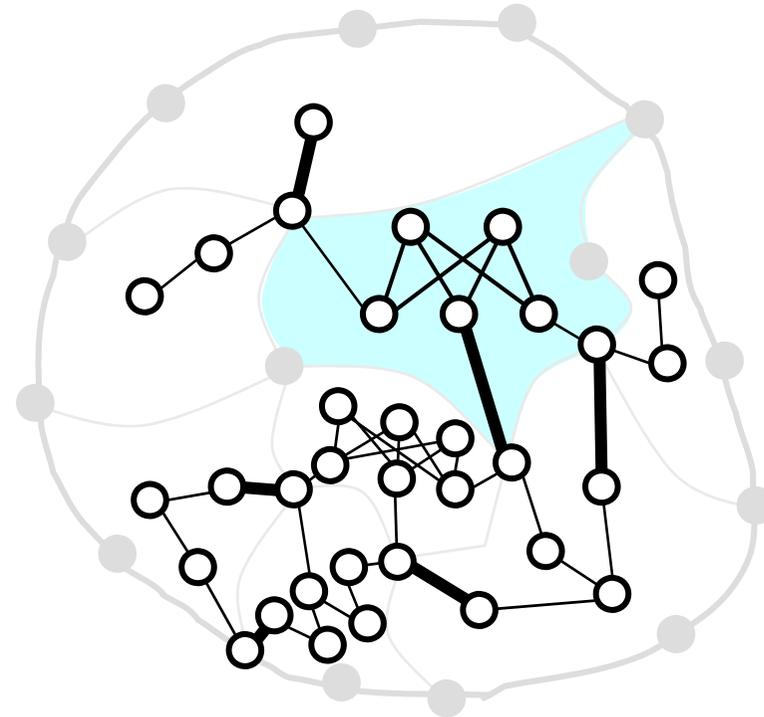
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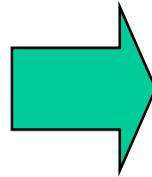


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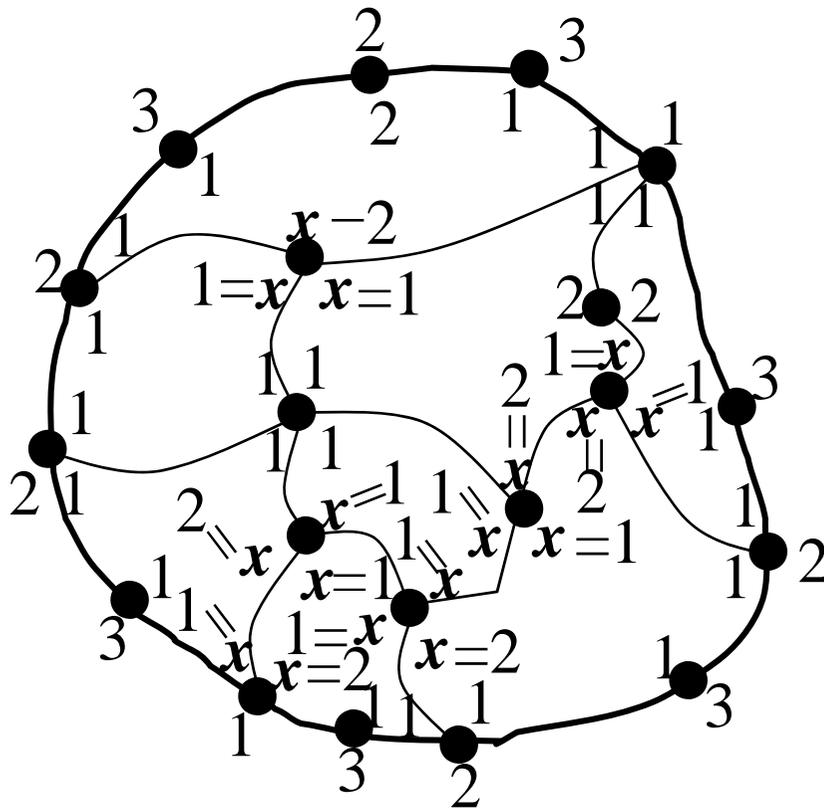


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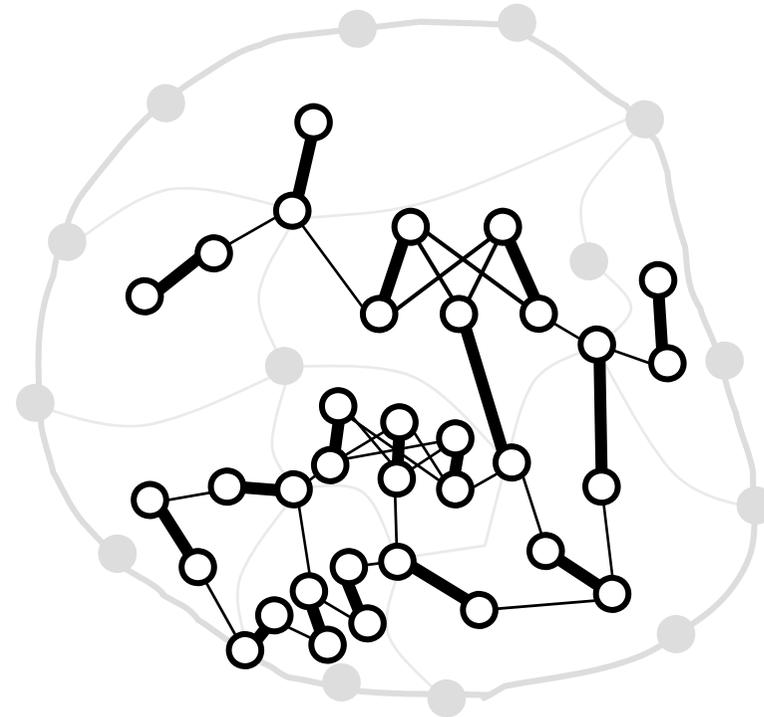
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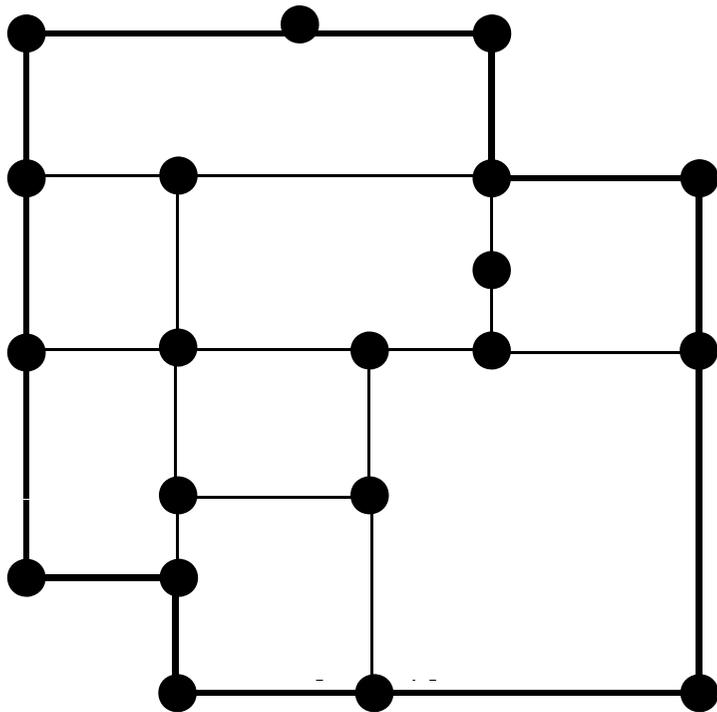


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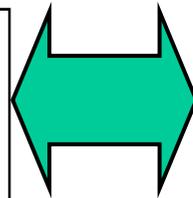


A necessary and sufficient condition for the existence of an **inner rectangular drawing**

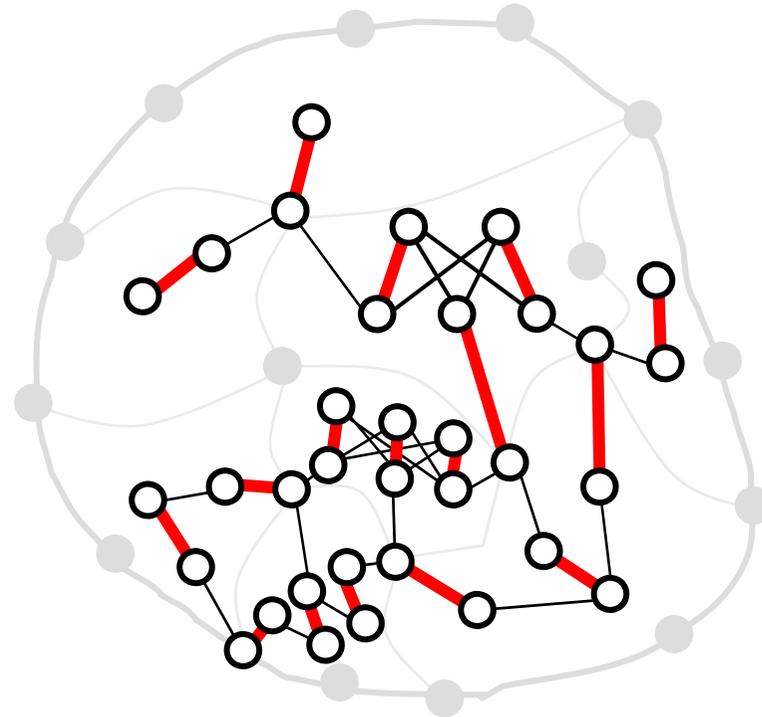
$G$  has an **inner rectangular drawing** with sketched outer face



an **inner rectangular drawing** of  $G$



$G_d$  has a **perfect matching**



a decision graph  $G_d$  of  $G$

# Running time

$$n_d = O(n)$$

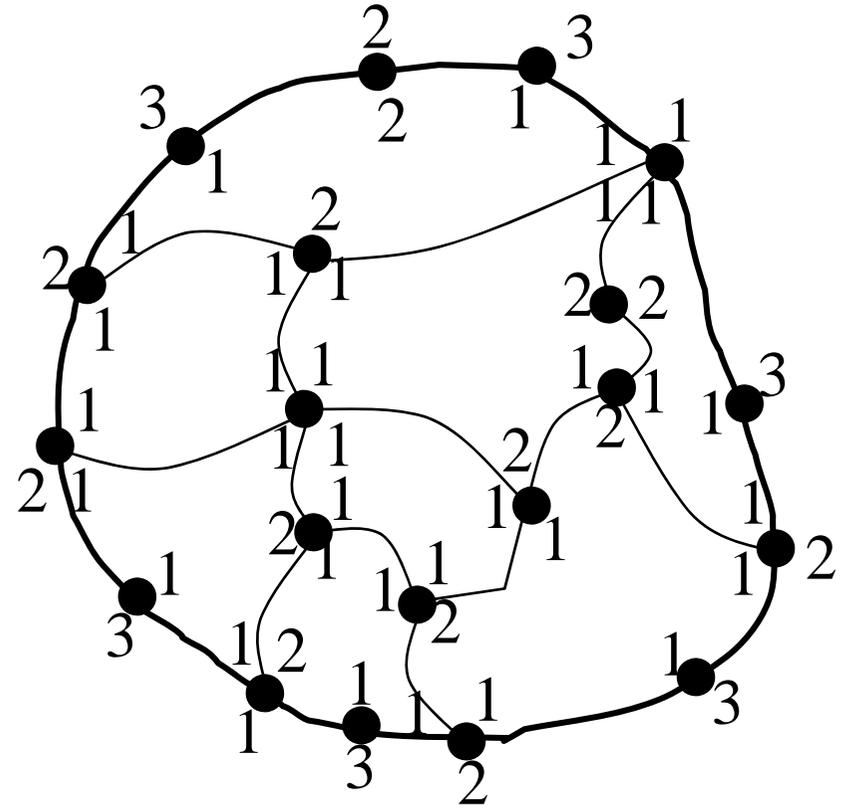
$$m_d = O(n)$$

A perfect matching of  $G_d$  can be found in time  $O(\sqrt{n_d m_d})$

[HK73, MV80]

or in time  $O(\sqrt{n_d m_d} / \log n_d)$

[FM91, Hoc04, HC04]



a regular labeling of  $G_d$

A perfect matching of  $G_d$  can be

found in time  $O(n^{1.5} / \log n)$

# Running time

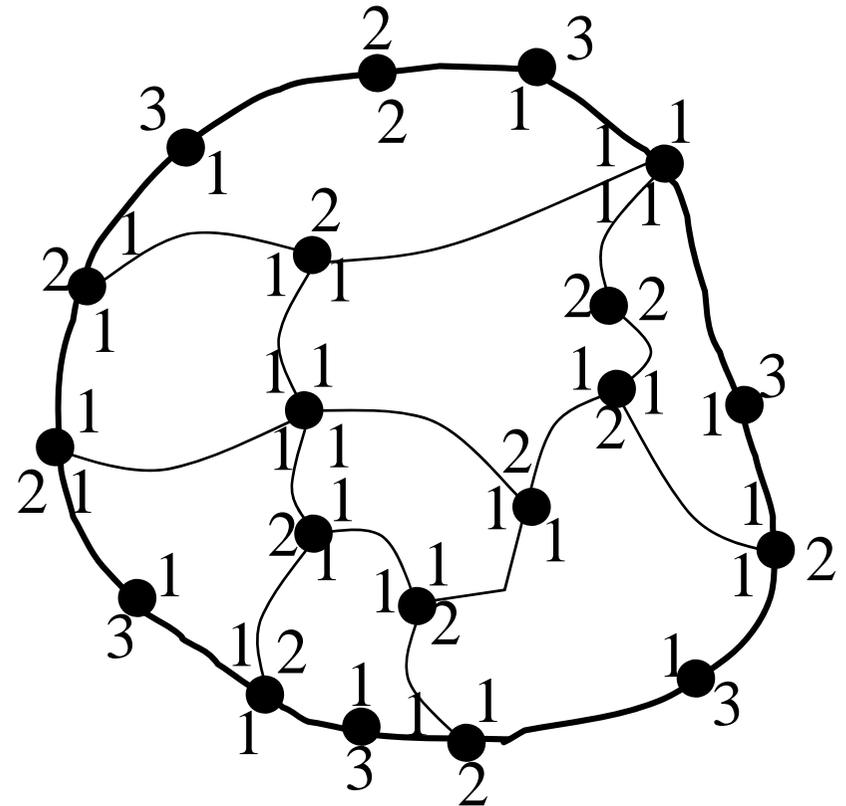
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 $O(\quad)$

[HK73, MV80] —  
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 or in time  $O(\quad)$

[FM91, Hoc04, HC04]



a regular labeling of  $G$

# Running time

$$n_d = O(n)$$

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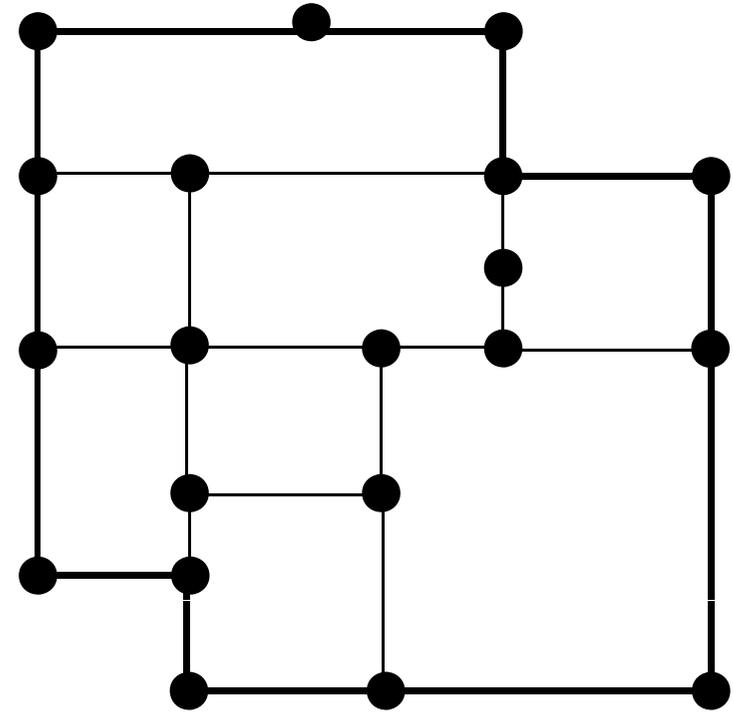
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An inner rectangular drawing of  $G$  can be found in time  $O(n^{1.5} / \log n)$



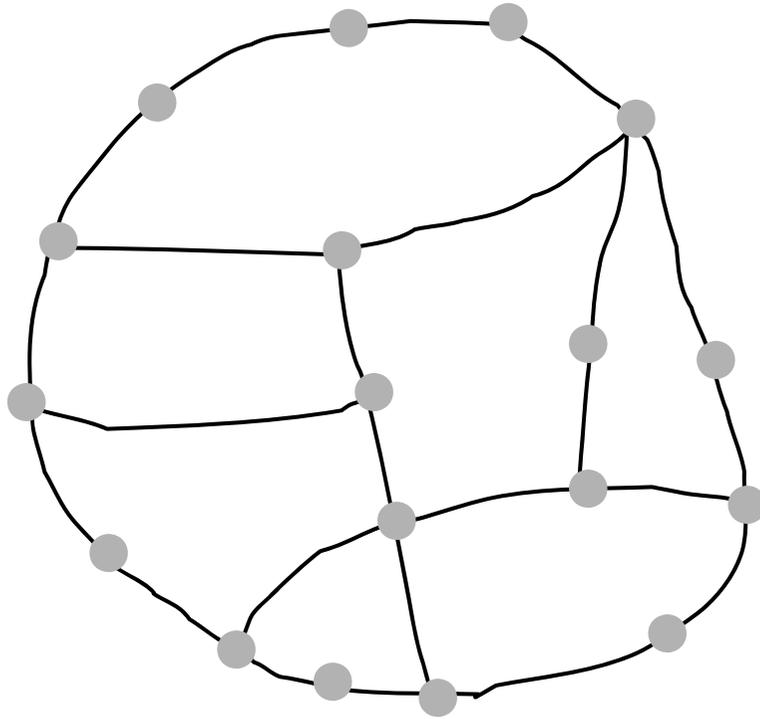
an inner rectangular drawing of  $G$

1: A necessary and sufficient condition for the existence of an inner rectangular drawing of  $G$ .

2:  $O(n^{1.5} / \log n)$  time algorithm to find an **inner rectangular drawing** of  $G$  if a sketch of the outer face is given.

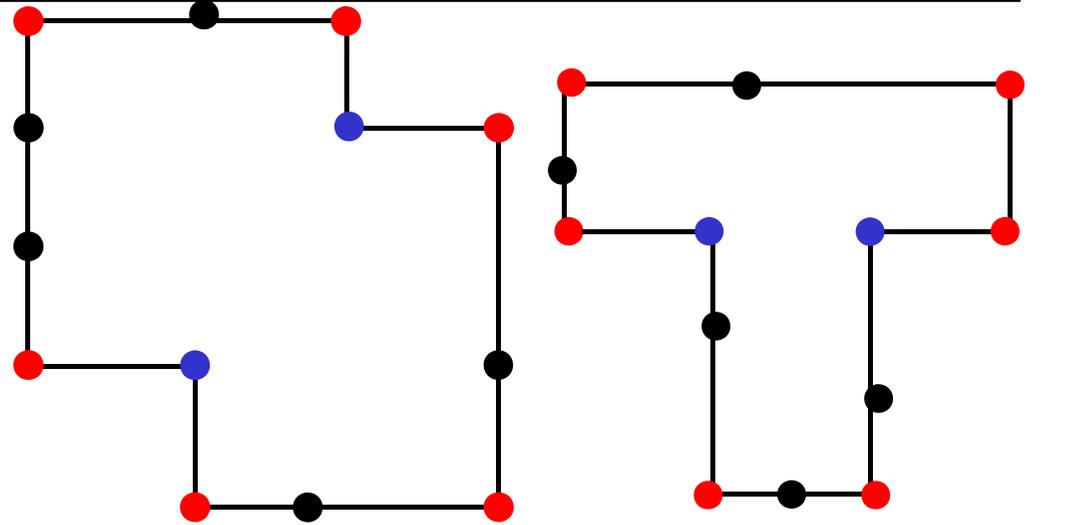
3: a polynomial time algorithm to find an **inner rectangular drawing** of  $G$  in a general case, where a sketch is not always given.

Case 1: the numbers of **convex** and **concave** outer vertices are given.



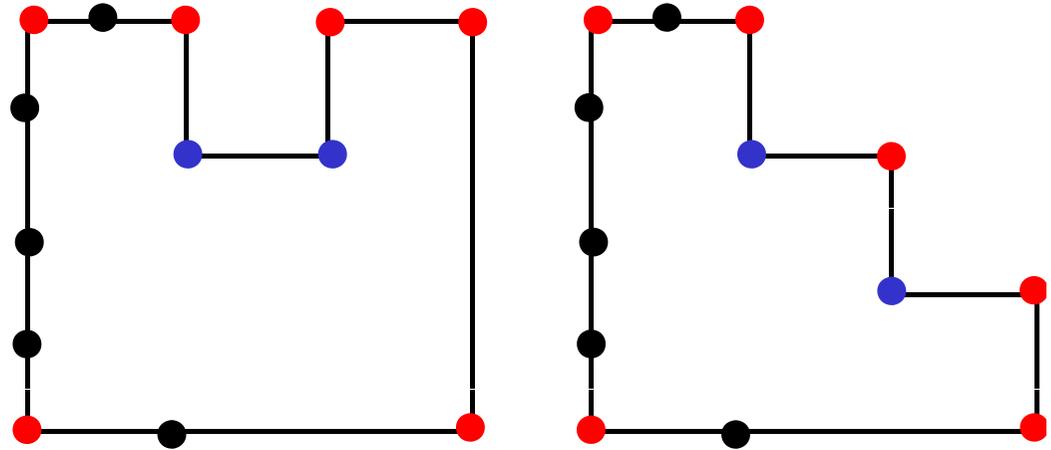
$$n_{cv} = 6,$$

$$n_{cc} = 2$$



Z-type

T-type



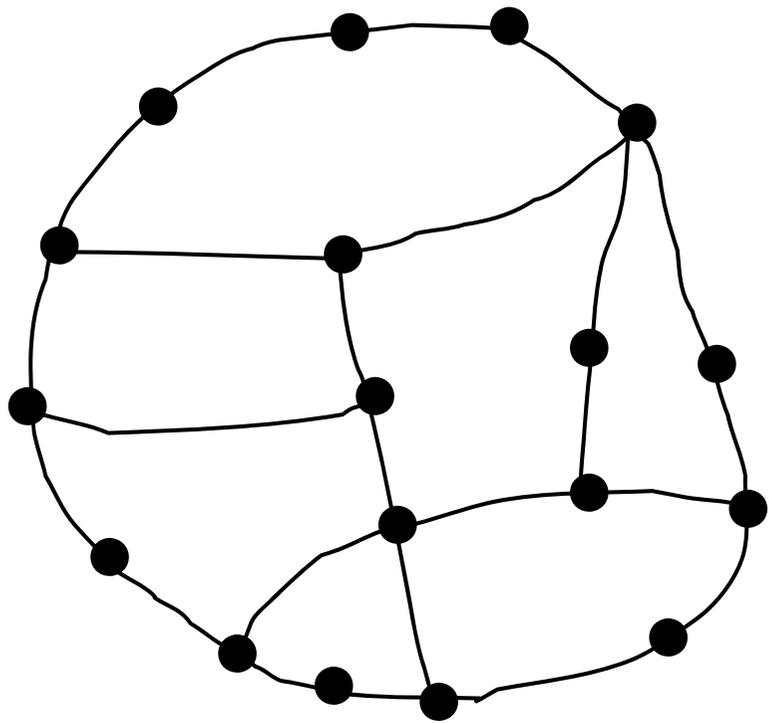
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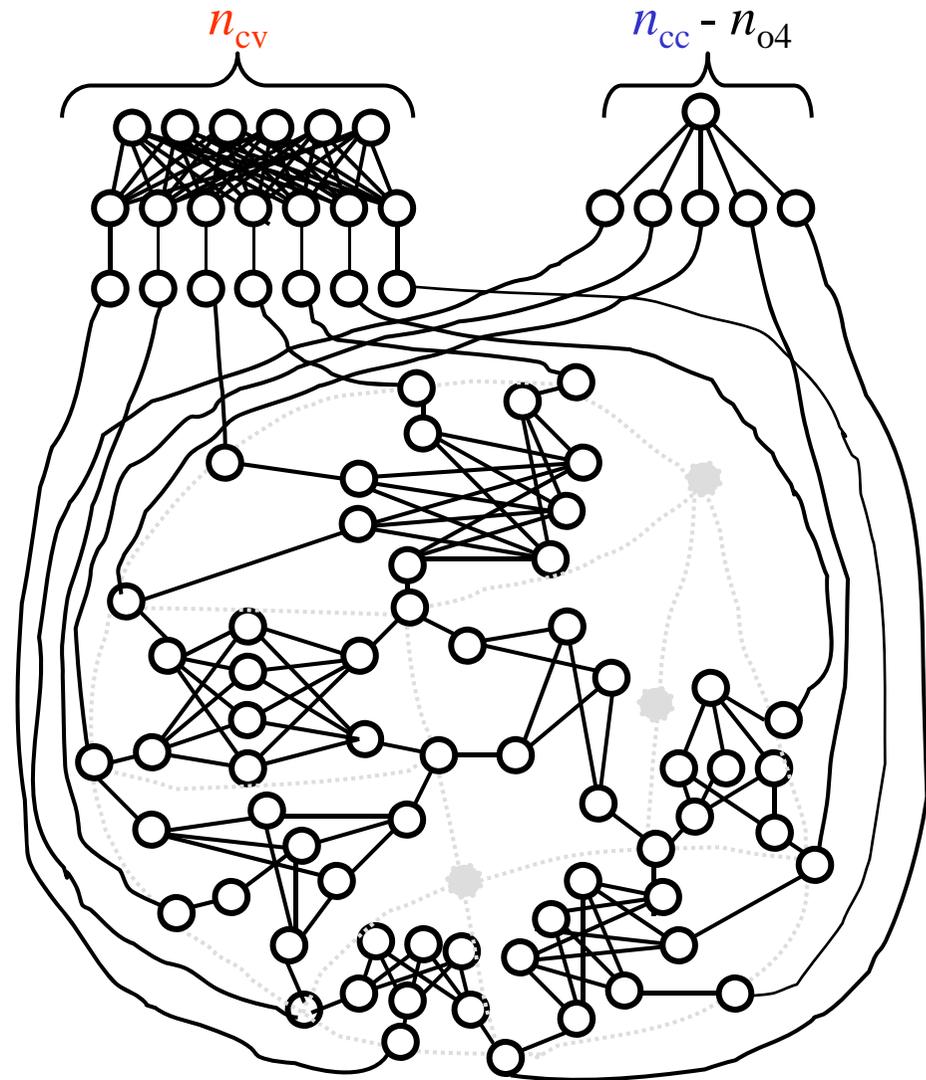
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a plane graph  $G$

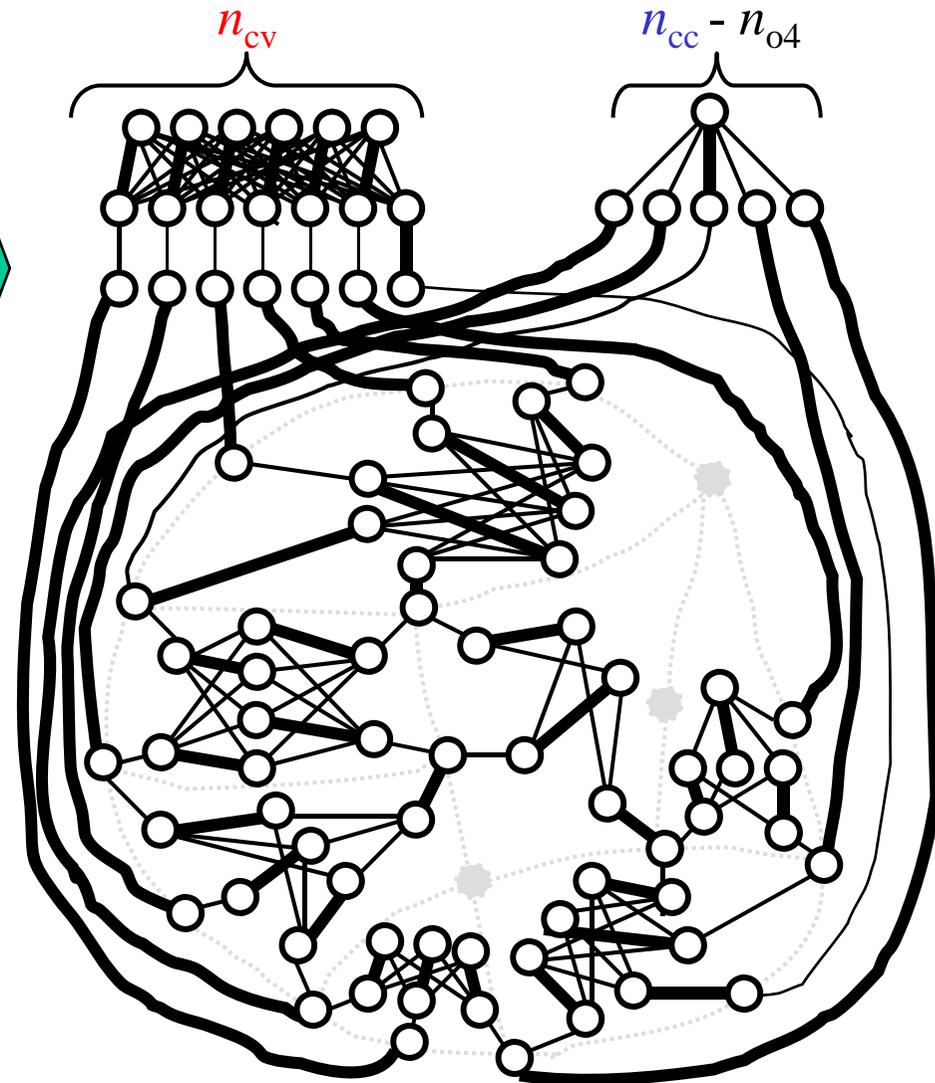
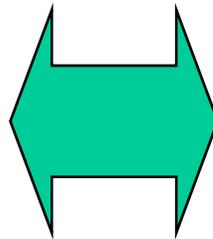
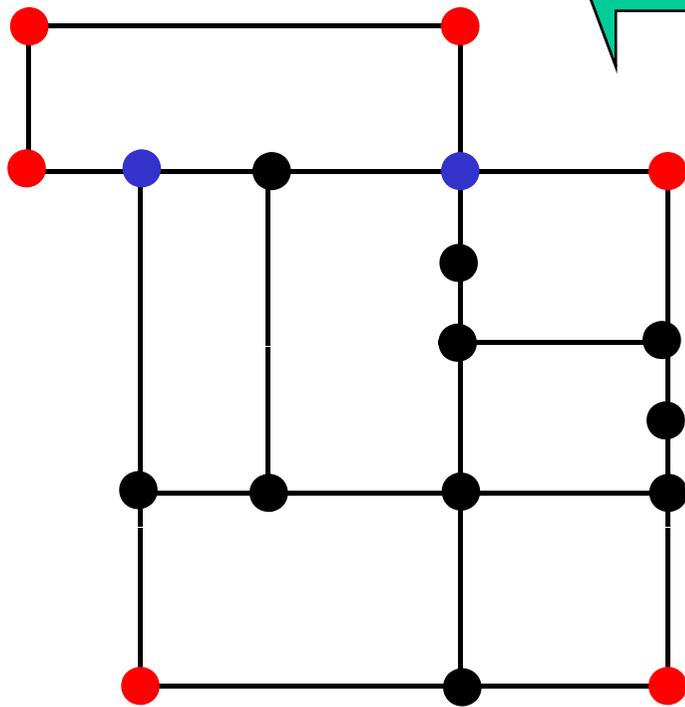


a decision graph  $G_d$  of  $G$

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an inner rectangular drawing of  $G$

a decision graph  $G_d$  of  $G$

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## Running time

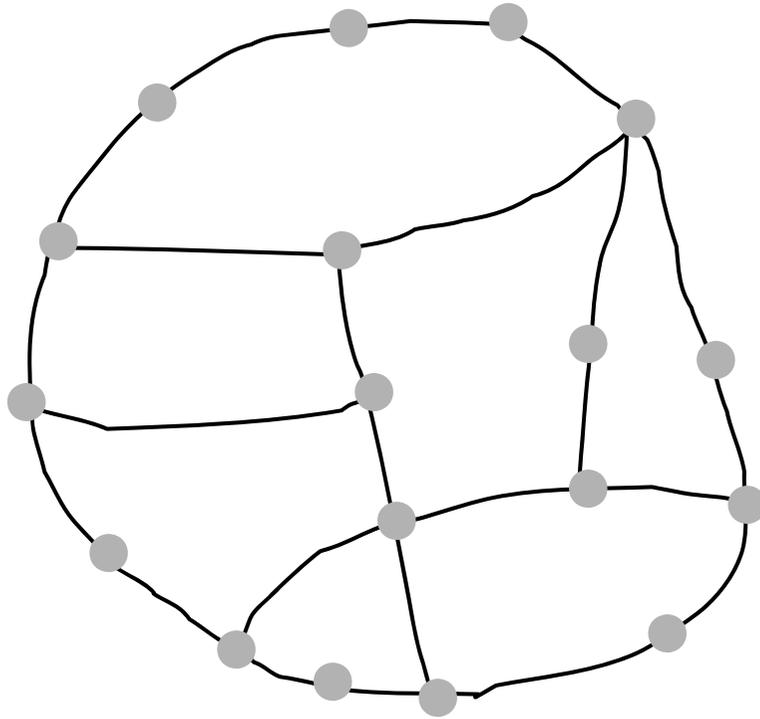
$$n_d = O(n)$$

$$m_d = O(N), N = n + n_{cv}n_o \quad (n_o: \text{the number of outer vertices}).$$

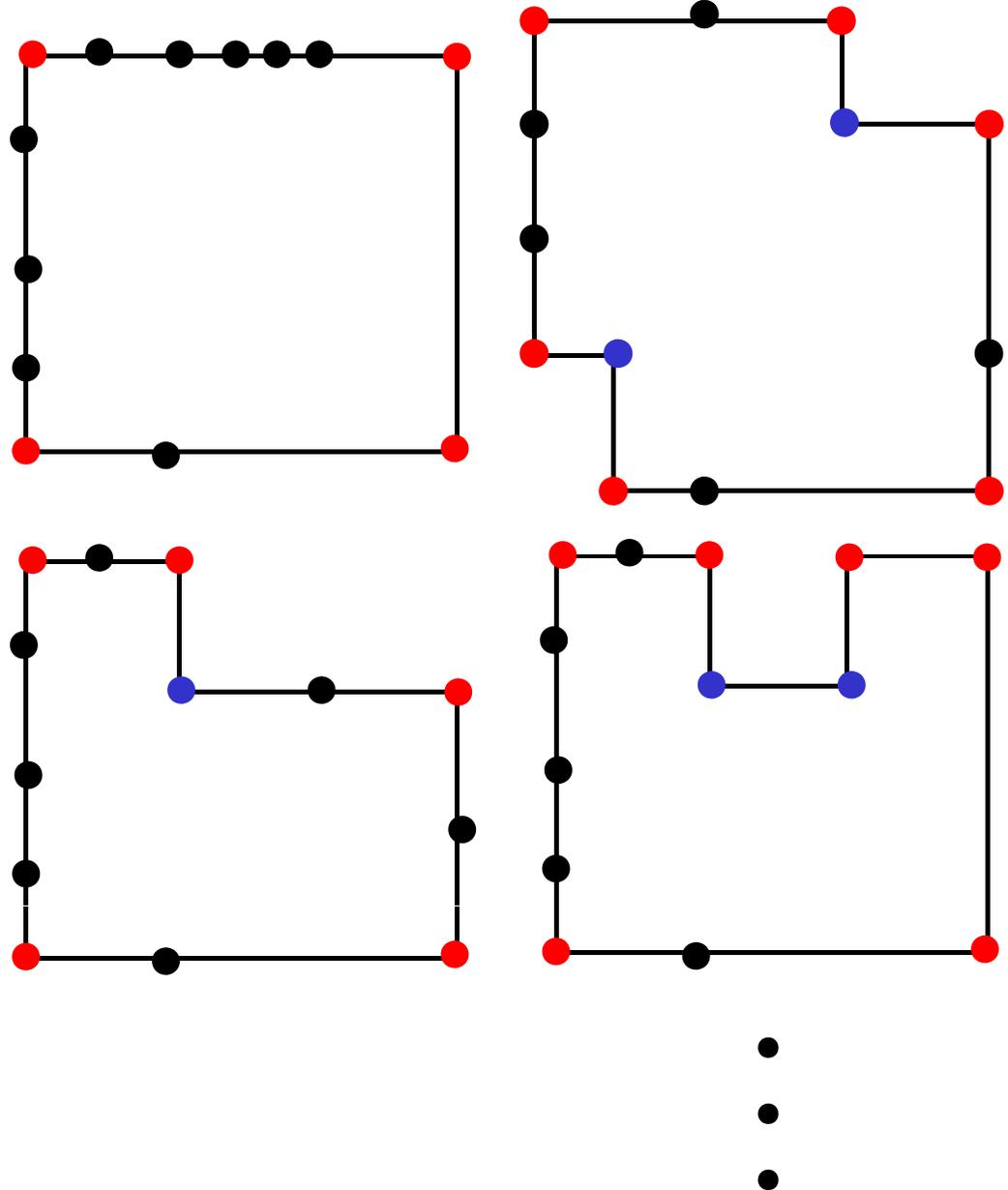
An inner rectangular drawing of  $G$  can be found in time

$$O(\sqrt{nN} / \log n).$$

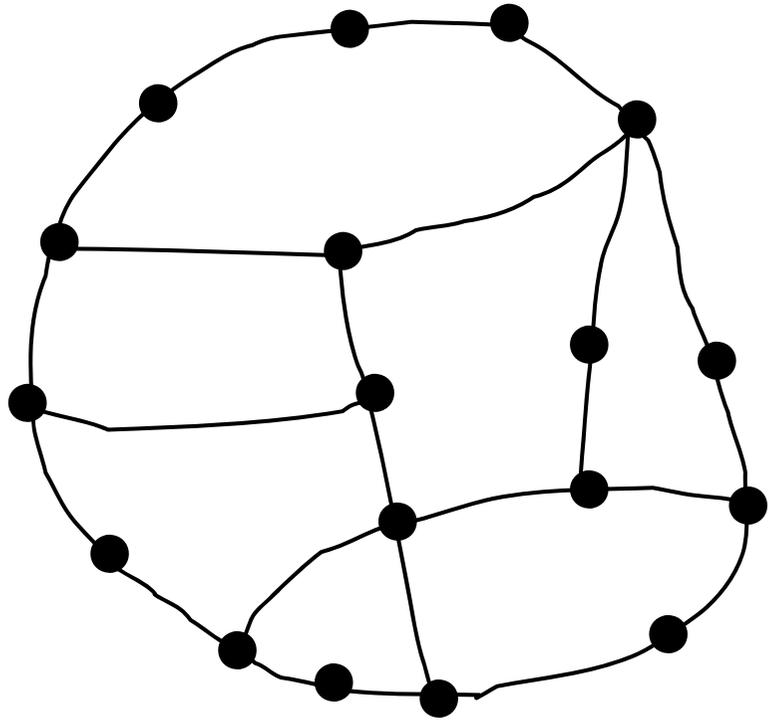
Case 2: **neither** the outer sketch **nor** the numbers of corners are given.



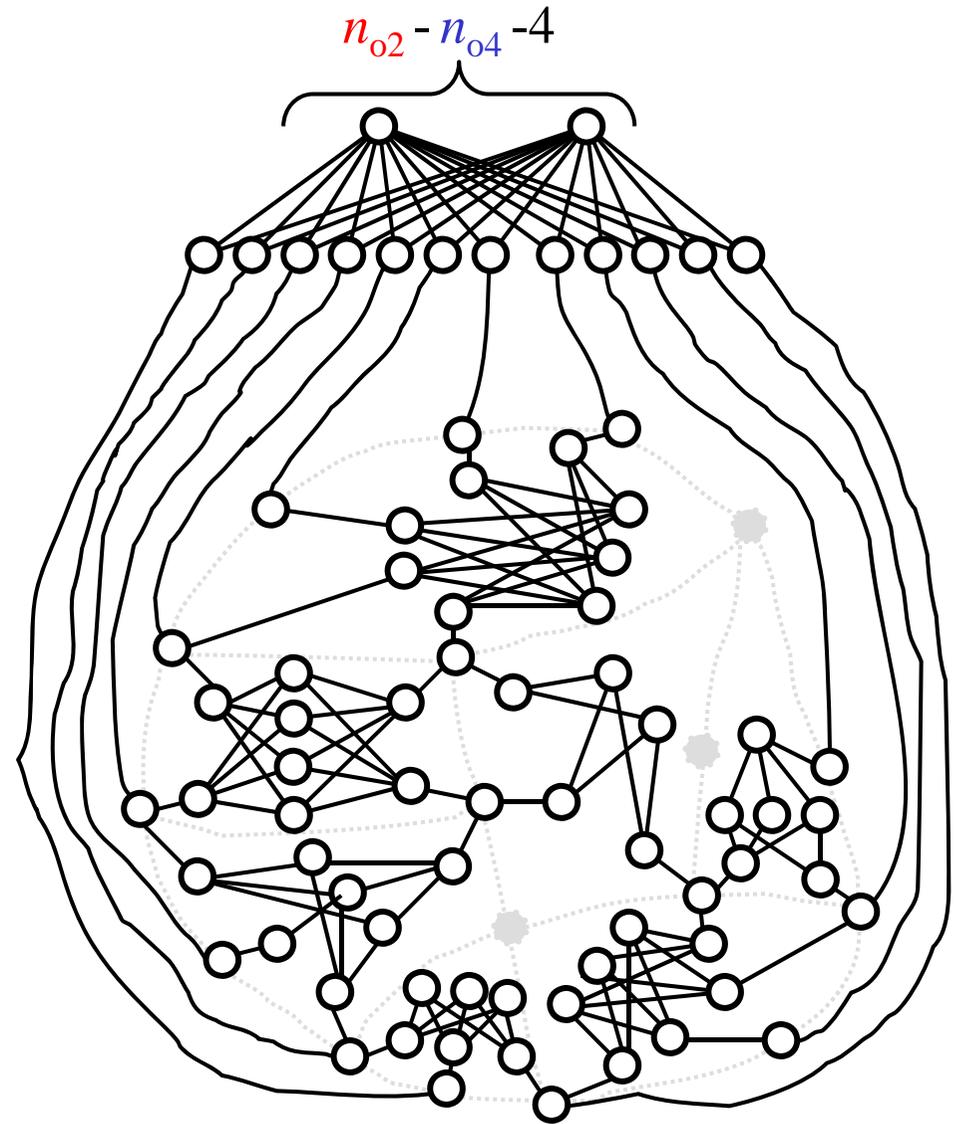
$n_{cv}$ ,  $n_{cc}$  are arbitrary



Case 2: **neither** the outer sketch **nor** the numbers of corners are given.

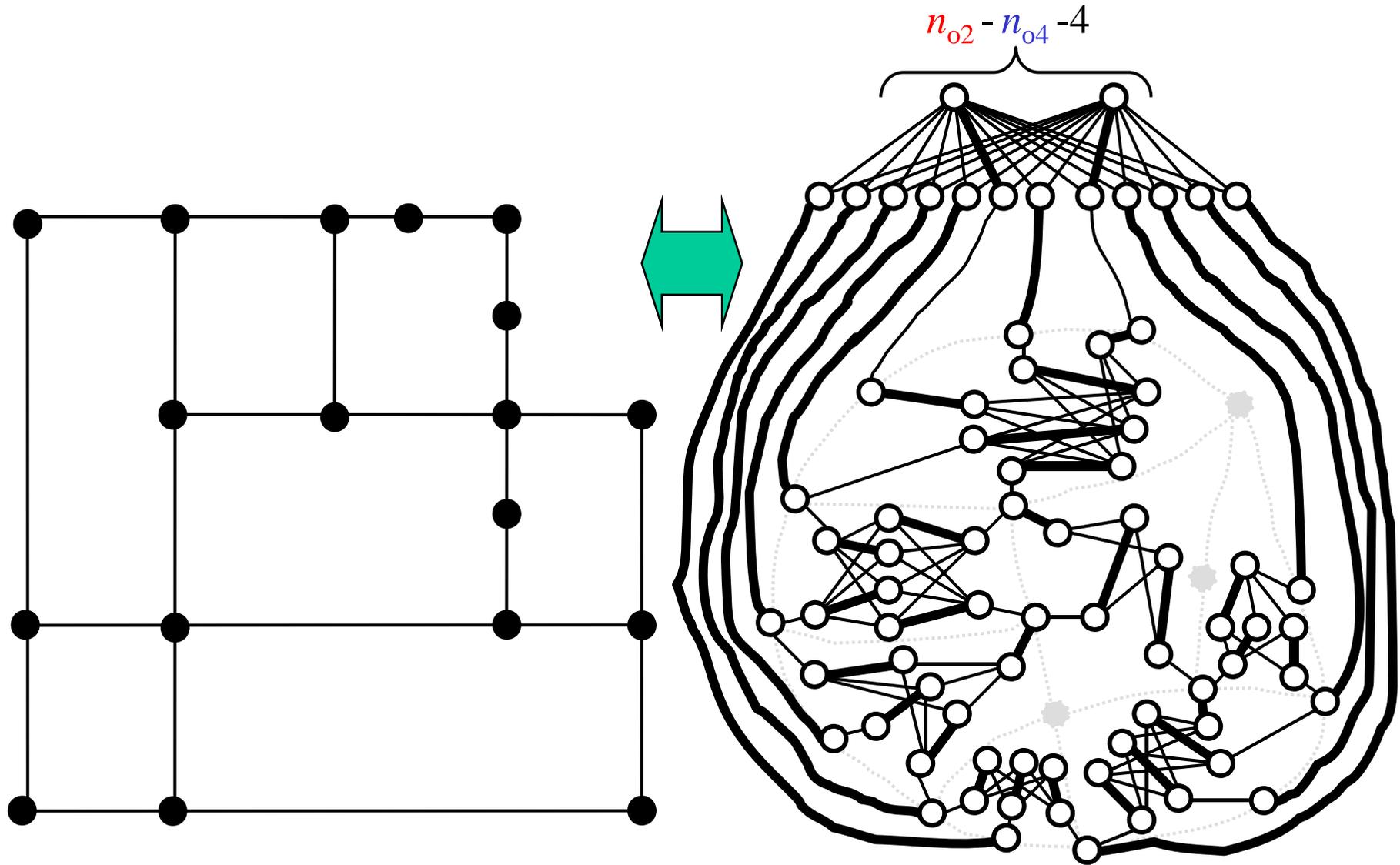


a plane graph  $G$



a decision graph  $G_d$  of  $G$

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an inner rectangular drawing of  $G$

a decision graph  $G_d$  of  $G$

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## Running time

$$n_d = O(n)$$

$$m_d = O(N'), \quad N' = n + (n_{o2} - n_{o4} - 4)n_o$$

( $n_o$ : the number of outer vertices,

$n_{o2}$  and  $n_{o4}$ : the numbers of outer vertices of degrees 2 and 4 )

An inner rectangular drawing of  $G$  can be found in time

$$O(\sqrt{nN'} / \log n).$$

# Conclusion

(1)  $G$  has an **inner rectangular drawing**   $G_d$  has a **perfect matching**

(2) An inner rectangular drawing can be found in time

- $O(n^{1.5} / \log n)$  if the outer face is sketched.
- $O(\sqrt{nN} / \log n)$  if  $(n_{cv}, n_{cc})$  is prescribed.

$$N = n + n_{cv}n_o \quad n_o: \text{ the number of outer vertices}$$

- $O(\sqrt{nN'} / \log n)$  for a general case.

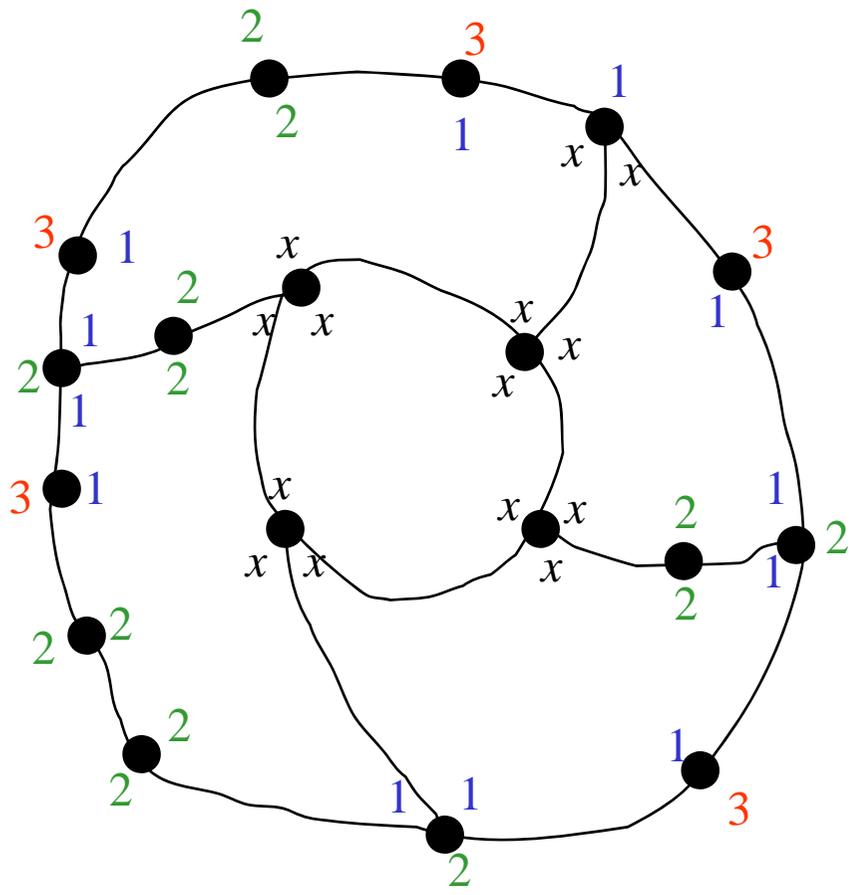
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$n_{o2}$  and  $n_{o4}$ : the numbers of outer vertices of degrees 2 and 4

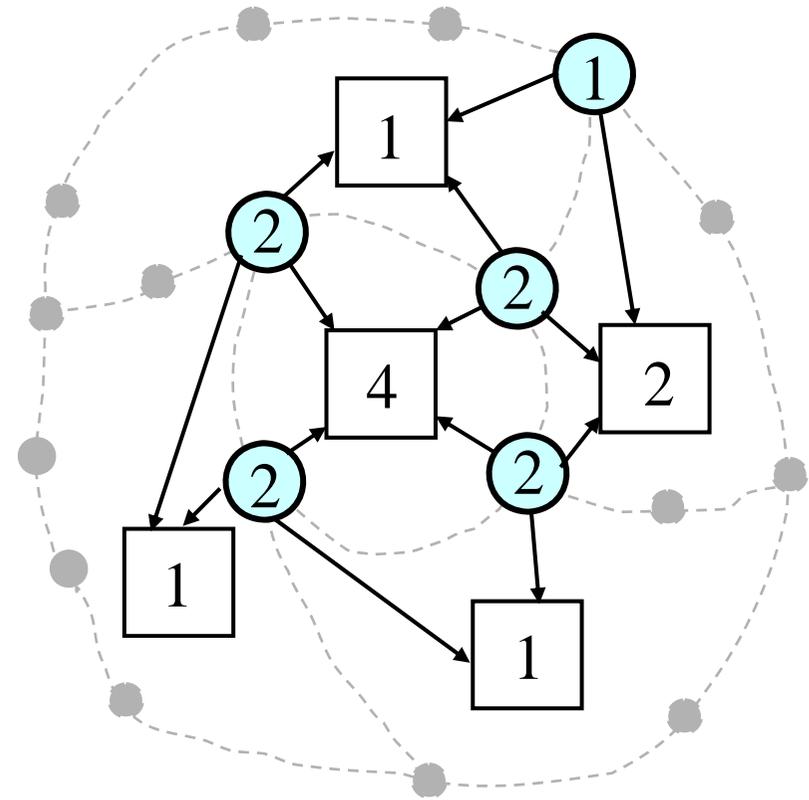
(3) Linear algorithm ?



# Network Flow

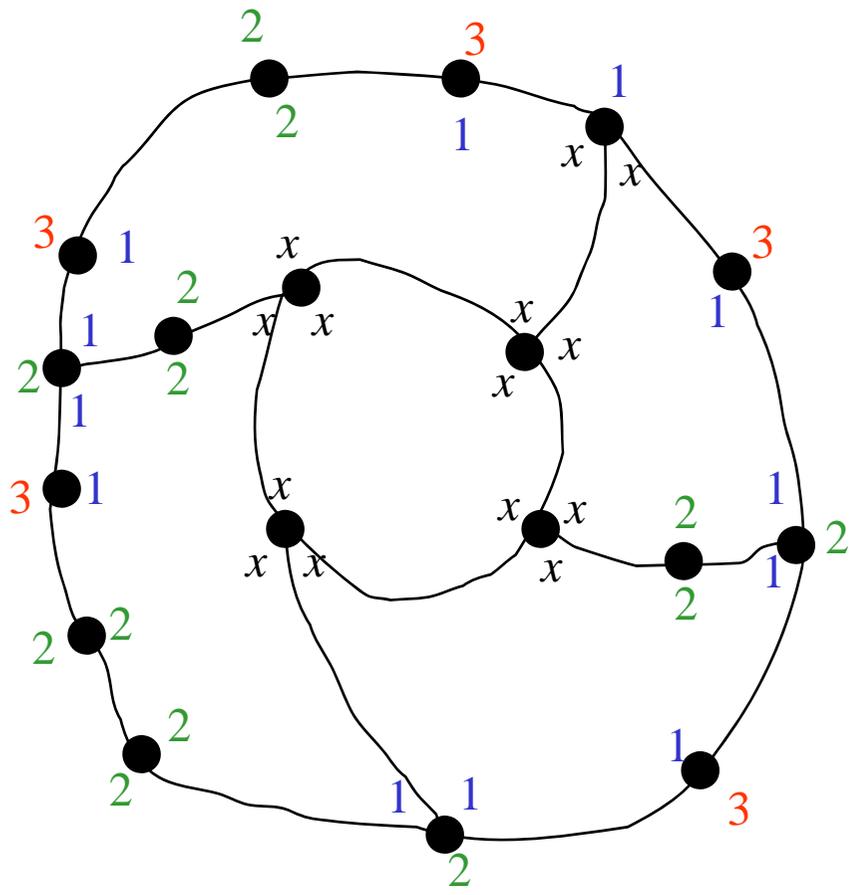


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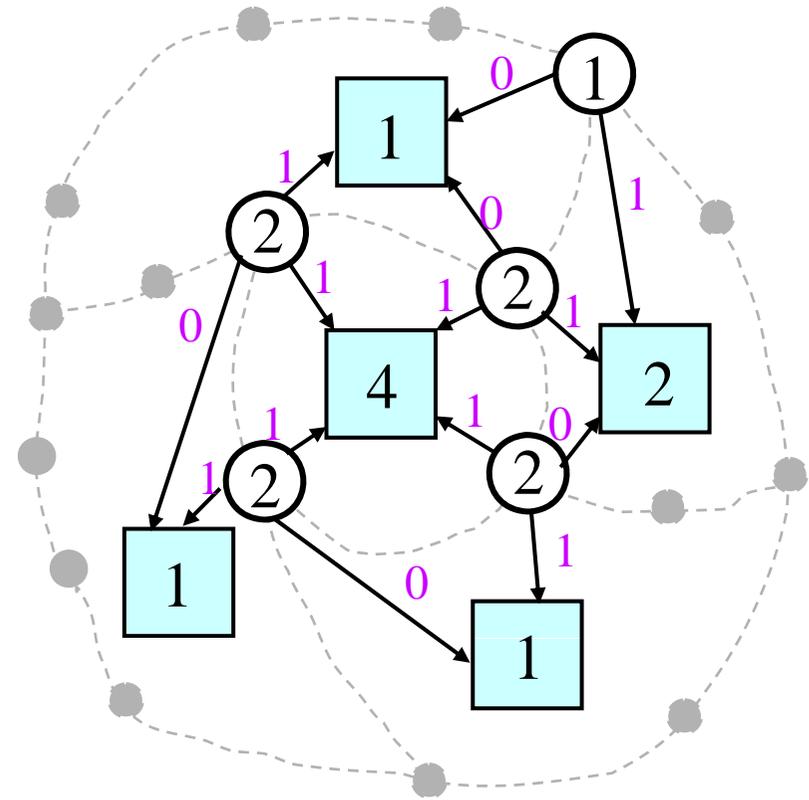


Network  $N$

# Network Flow

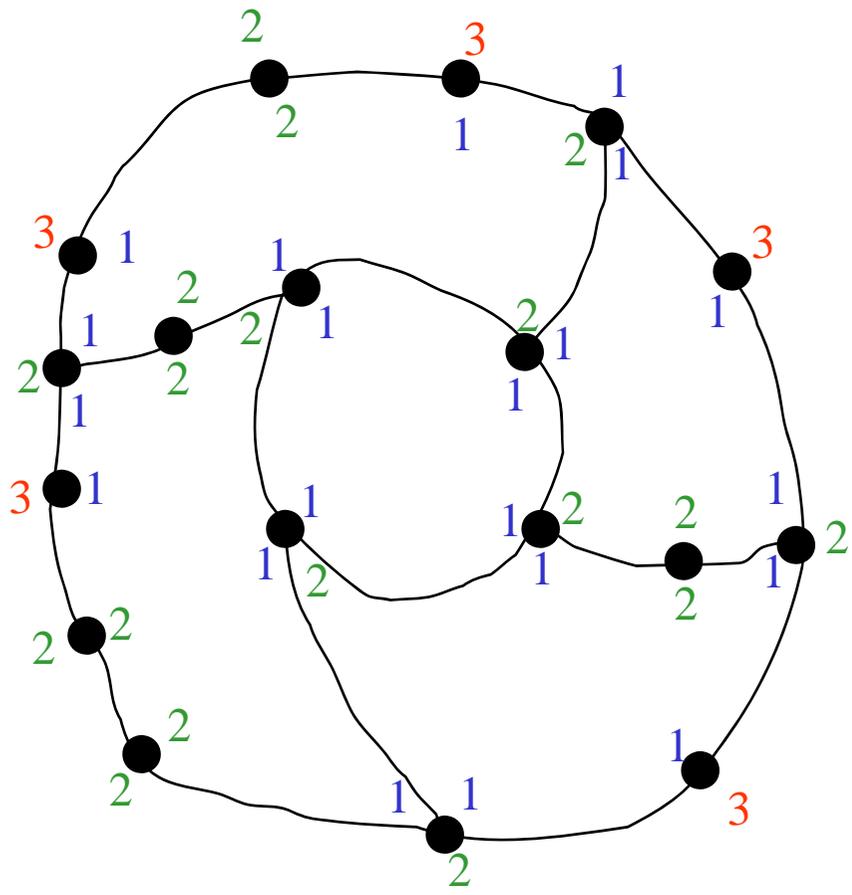


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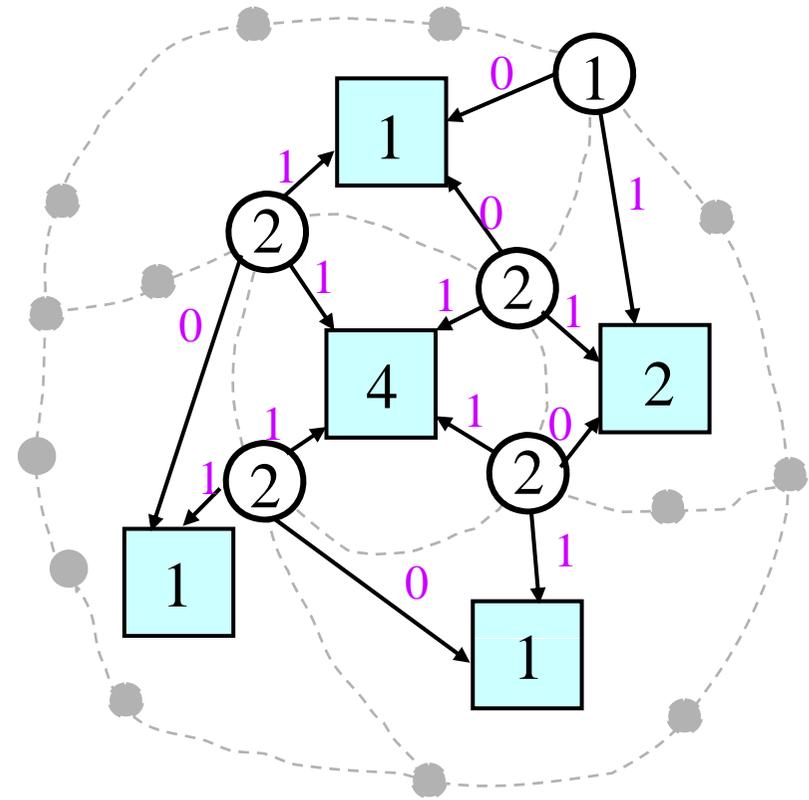


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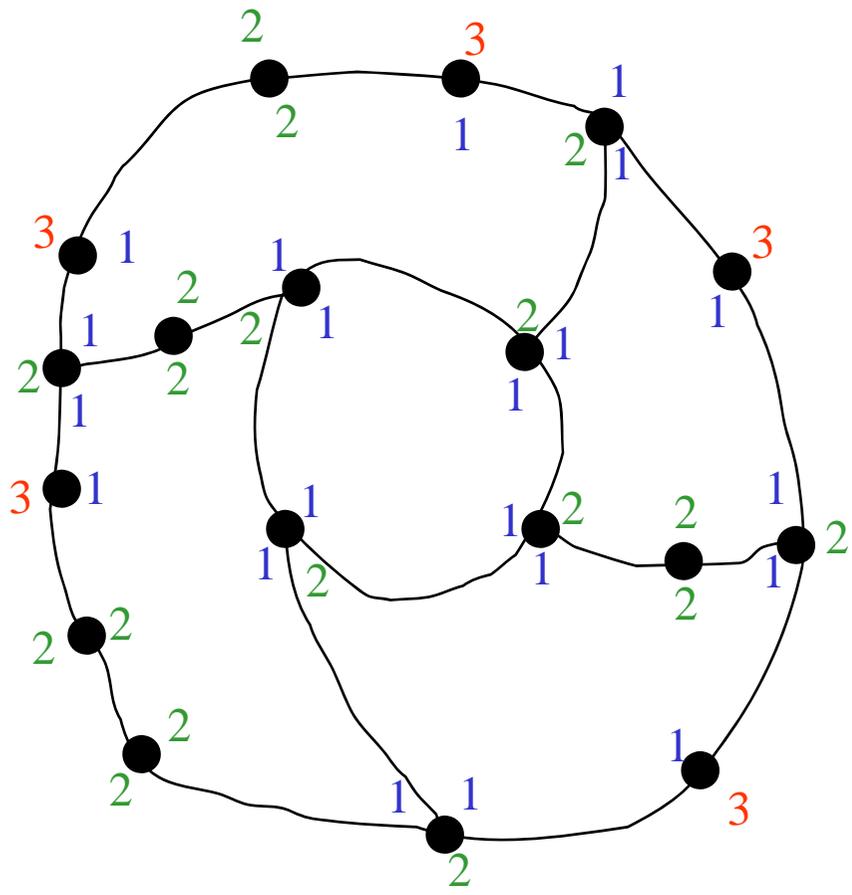


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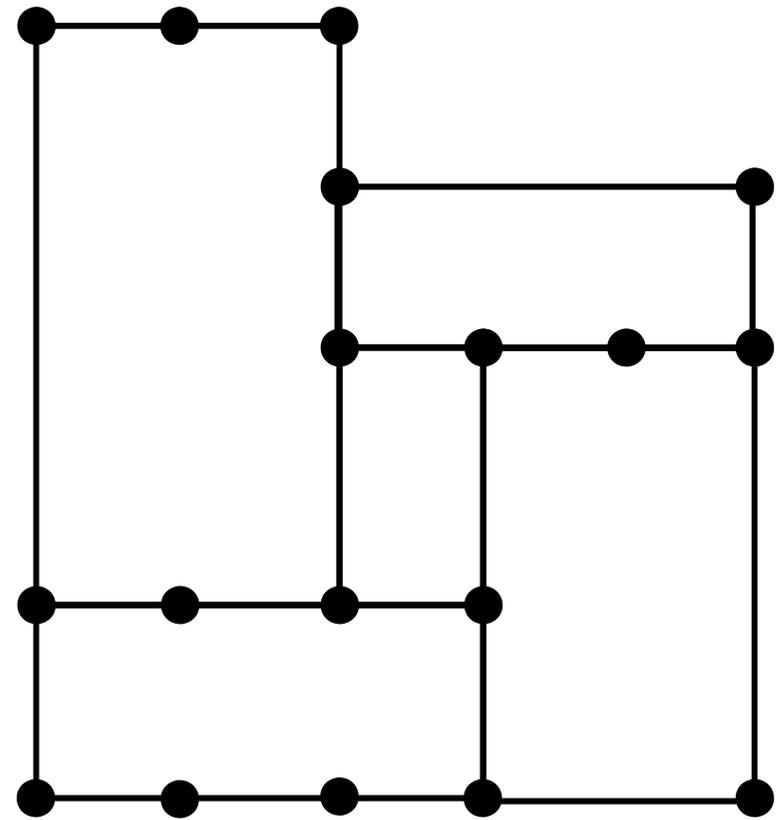


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# Network Flow



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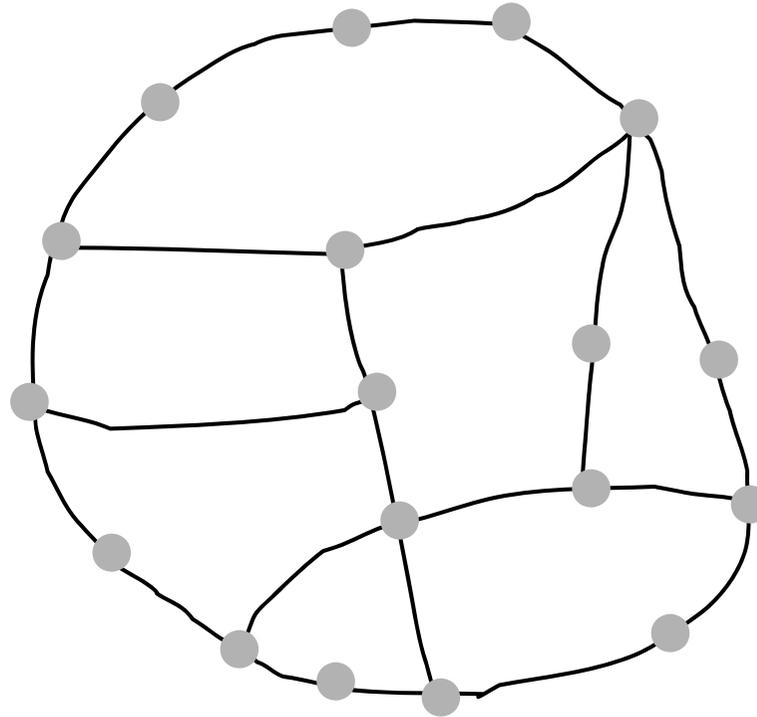


An inner rectangular drawing of  $G$



Case 1: the numbers of **convex** and **concave** outer vertices are given.

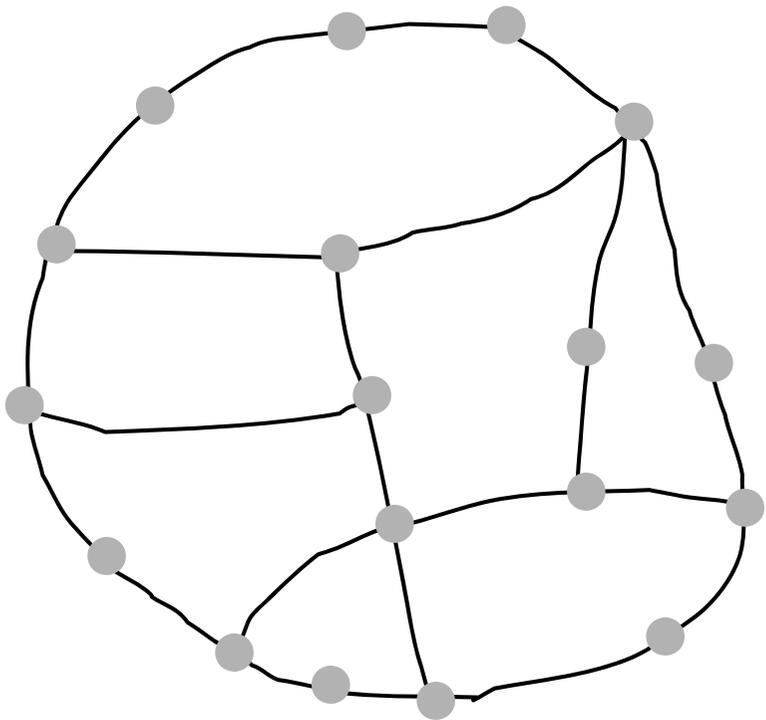
$$n_{cv} = 6, n_{cc} = 2$$



Case 2: general case

Inner rectangular drawing with prescribed numbers  $n_{cv}$  and  $n_{cc}$

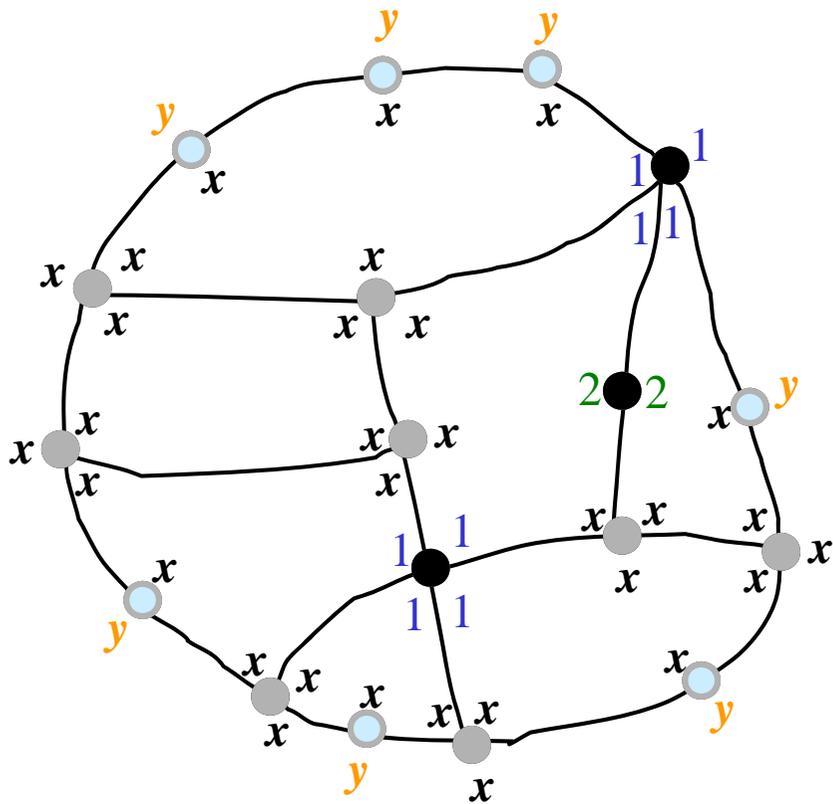
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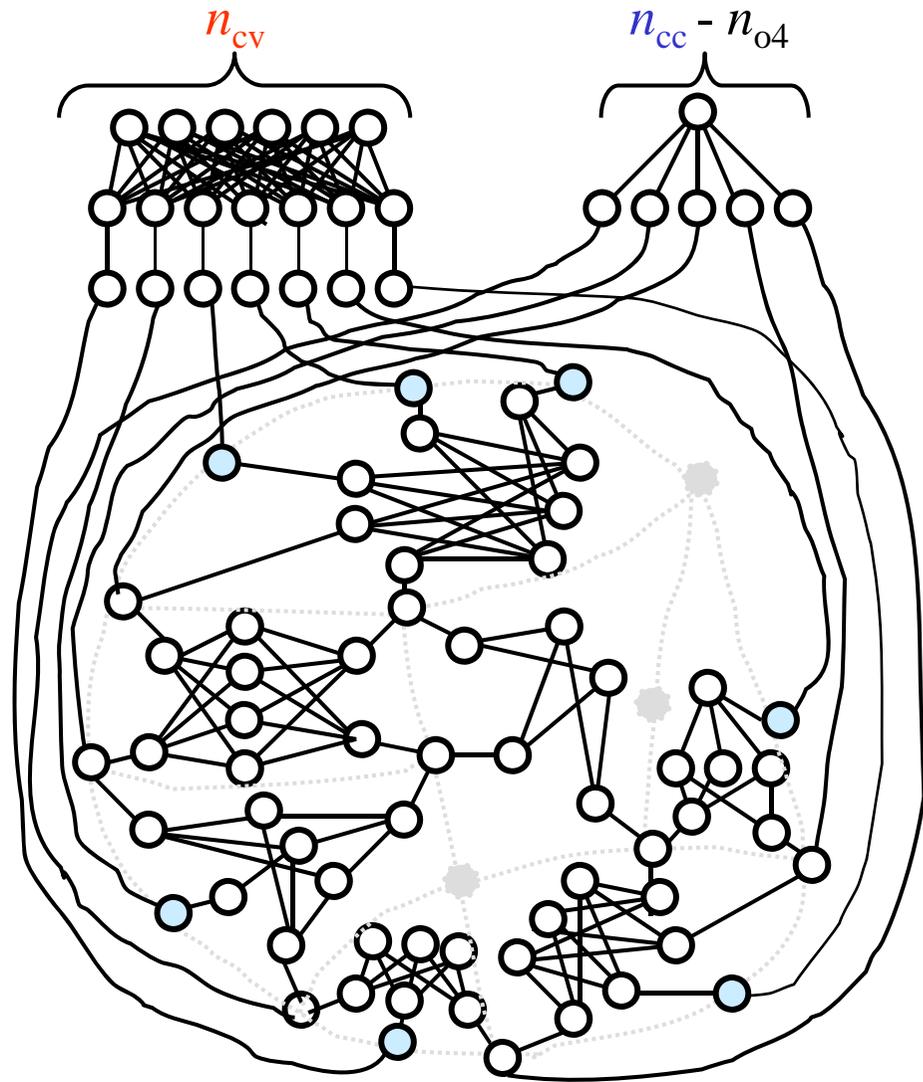
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# Inner rectangular drawing with prescribed numbers $n_{cv}$ and $n_{cc}$

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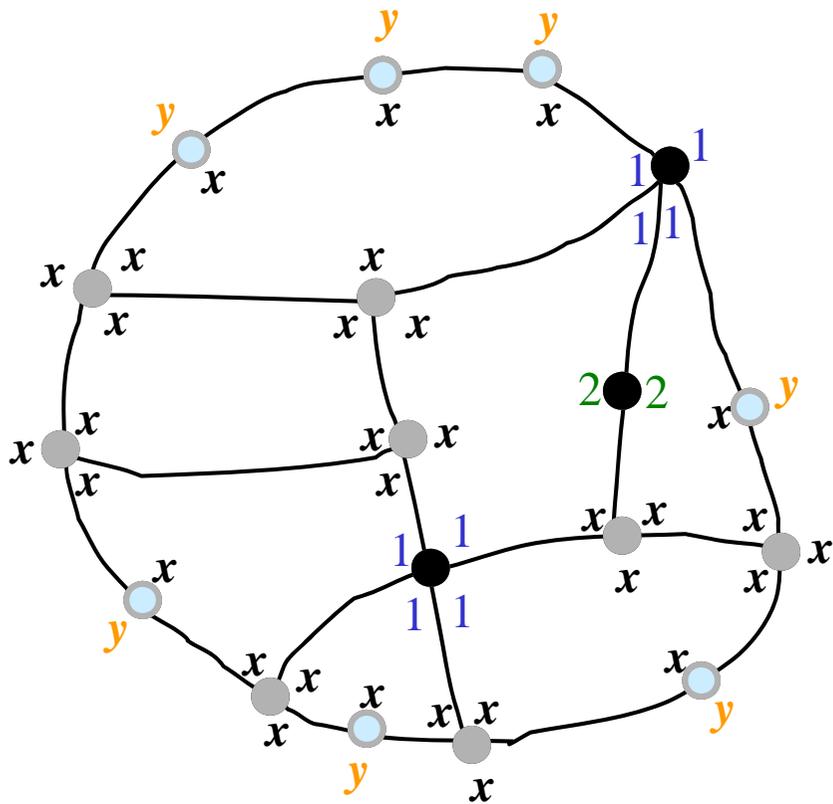
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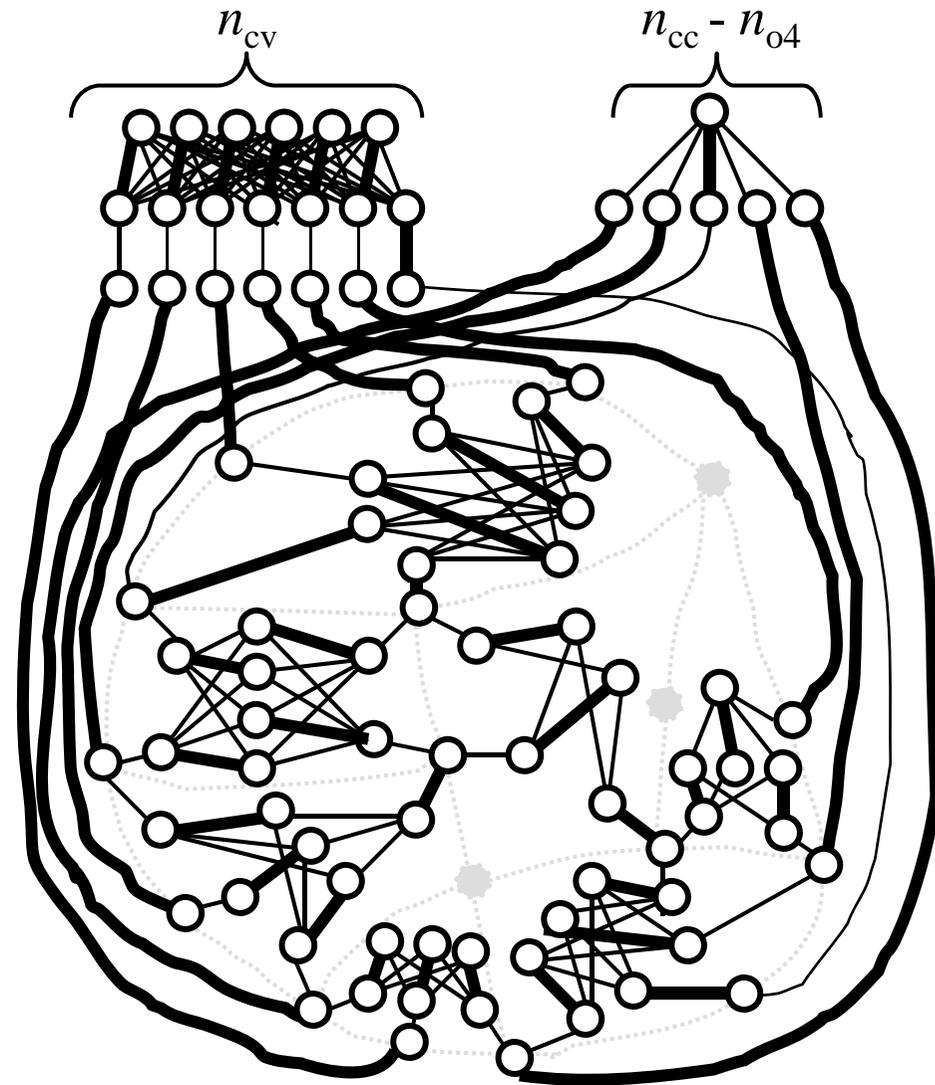
a decision graph  $G_d^*$  of  $G$

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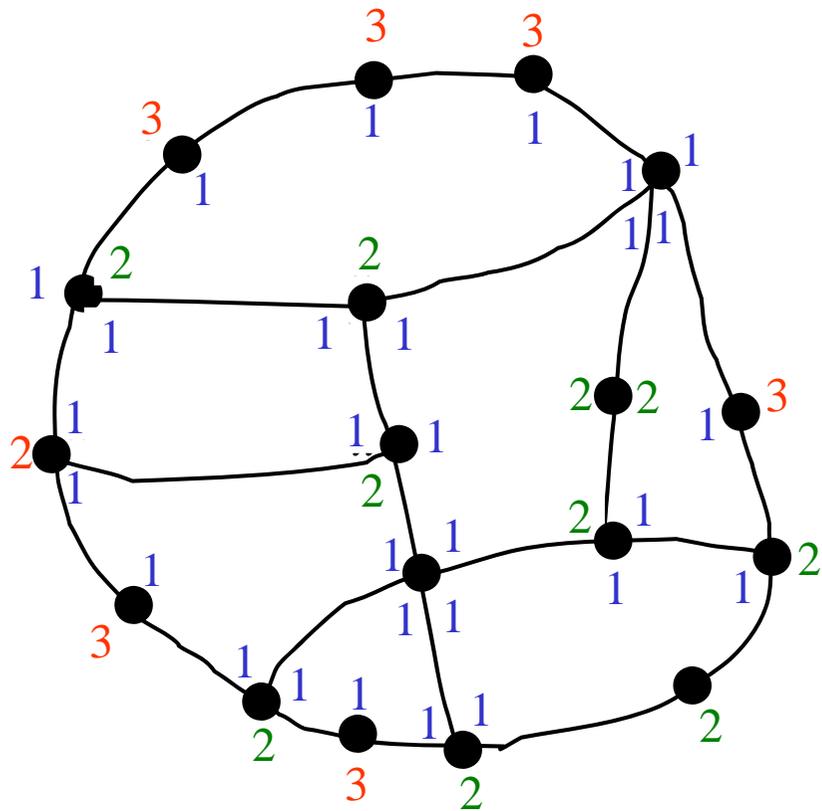


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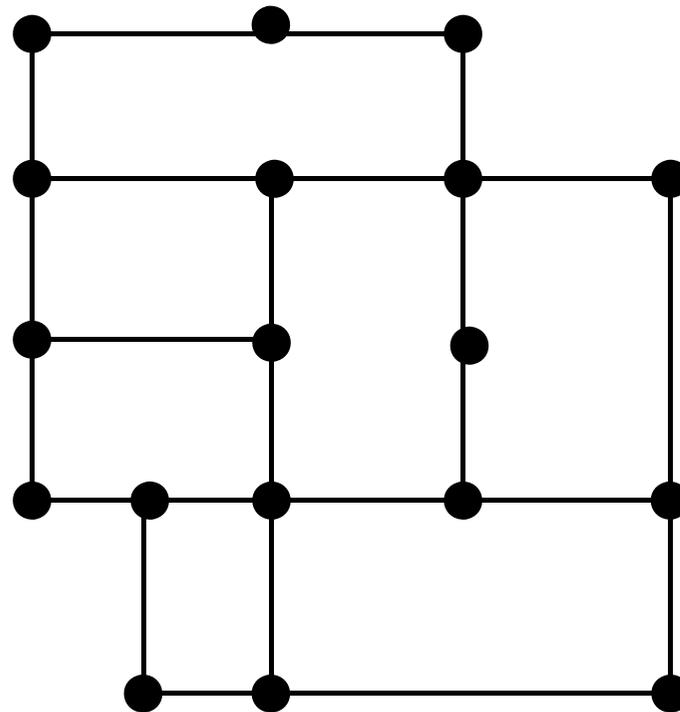


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a plane graph  $G$



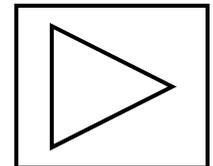
an inner rectangular drawing of  $G$

# Running time

$G_d^*$  has an  $O(n)$  number of vertices and  $O(N)$  ( $N=n + n_{cv}n_o$   
 $n_o$ : the number of outer vertices) number of edges.

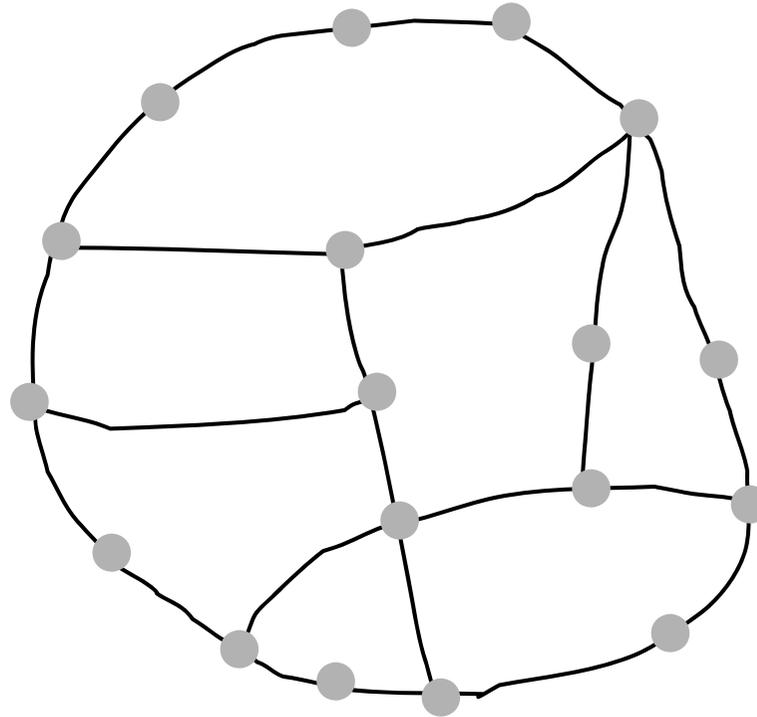
An inner rectangular drawing  $D$  of  $G$  can be found in time

$O(\sqrt{nN} / \log n)$ .

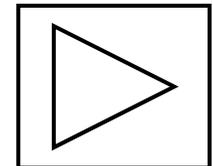


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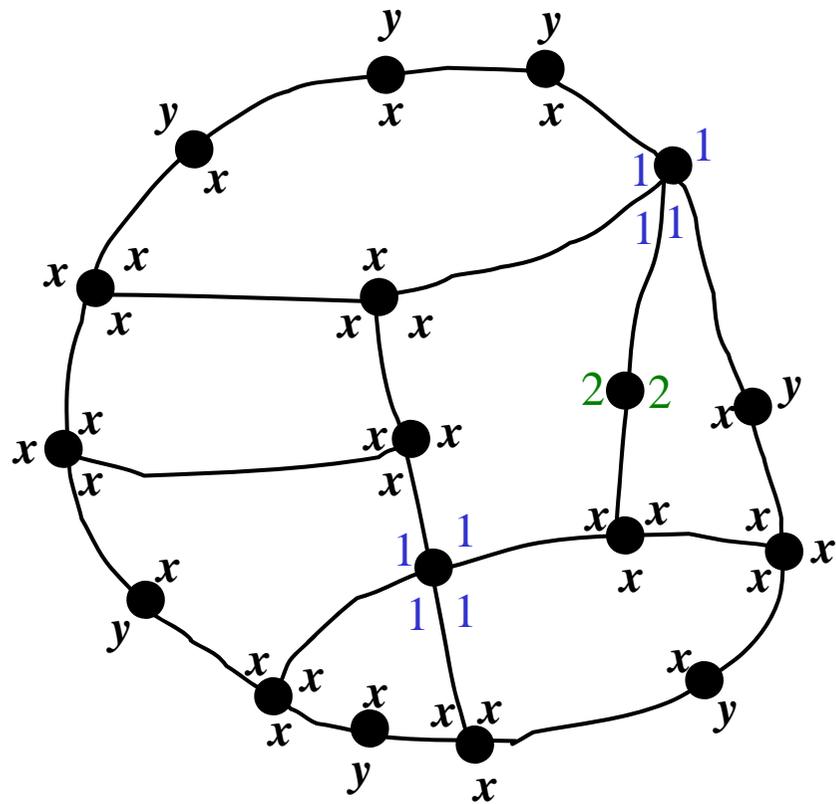
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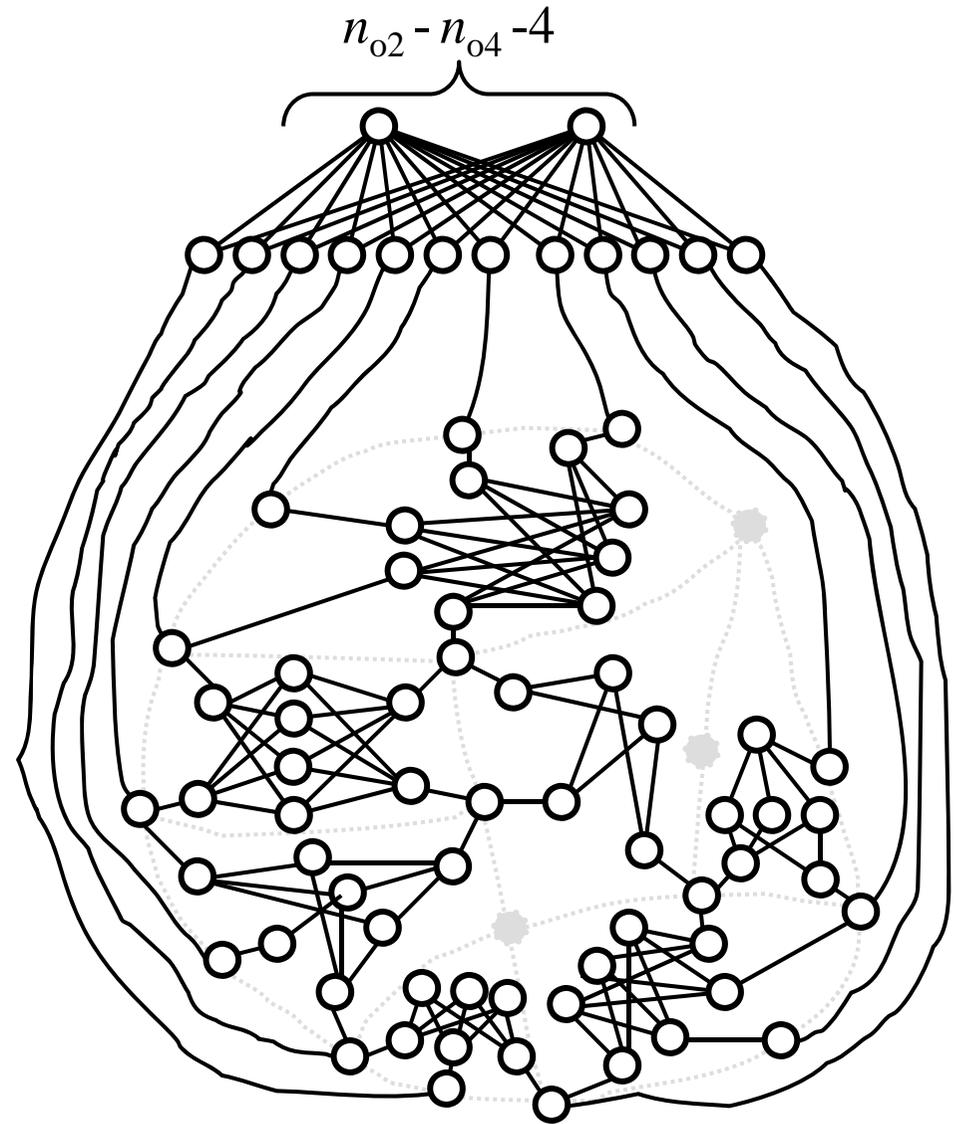
Case 2: in general case



# Inner rectangular drawing

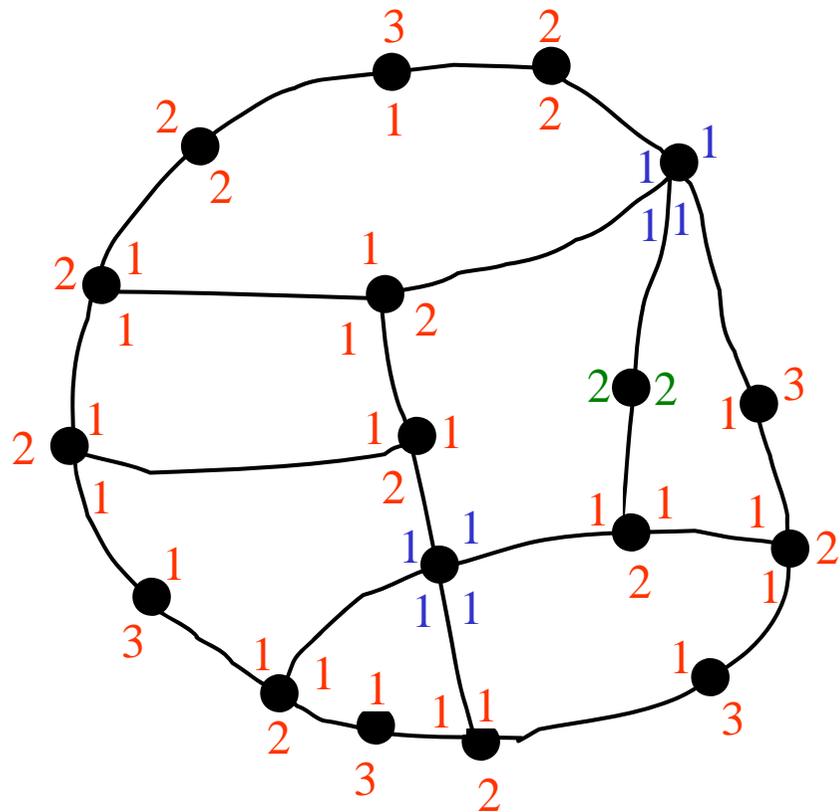


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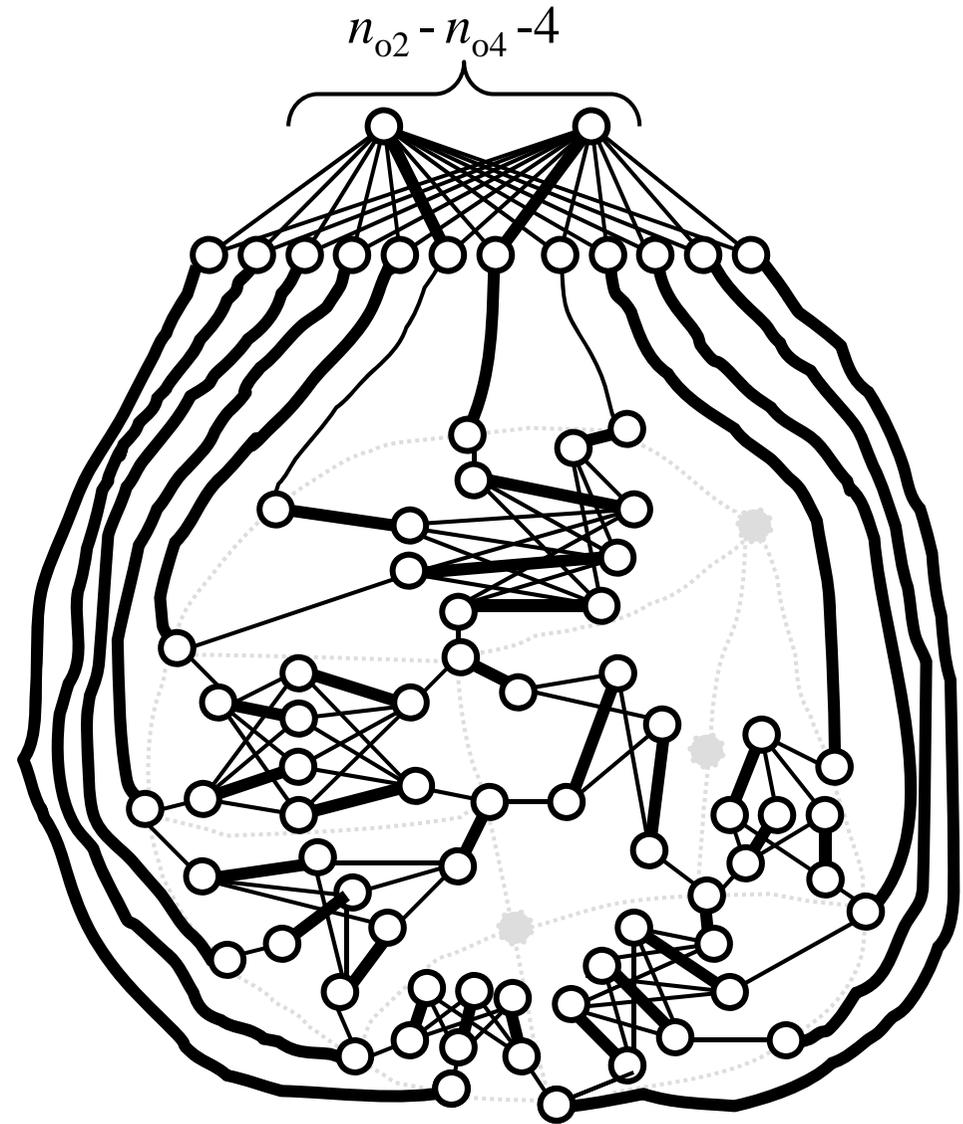


a decision graph  $G_d^\star$  of  $G$

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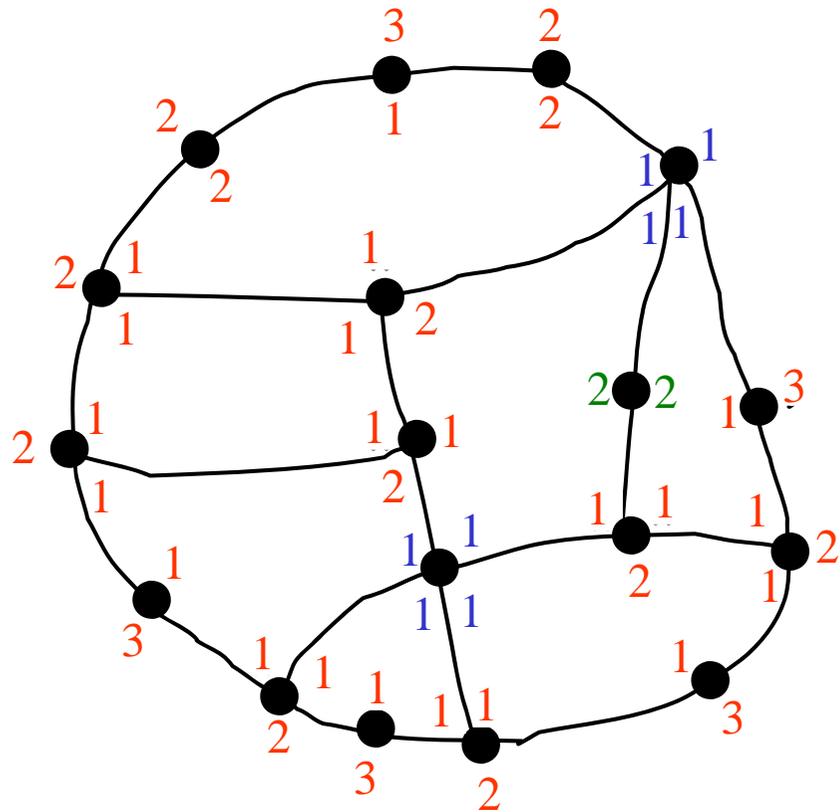


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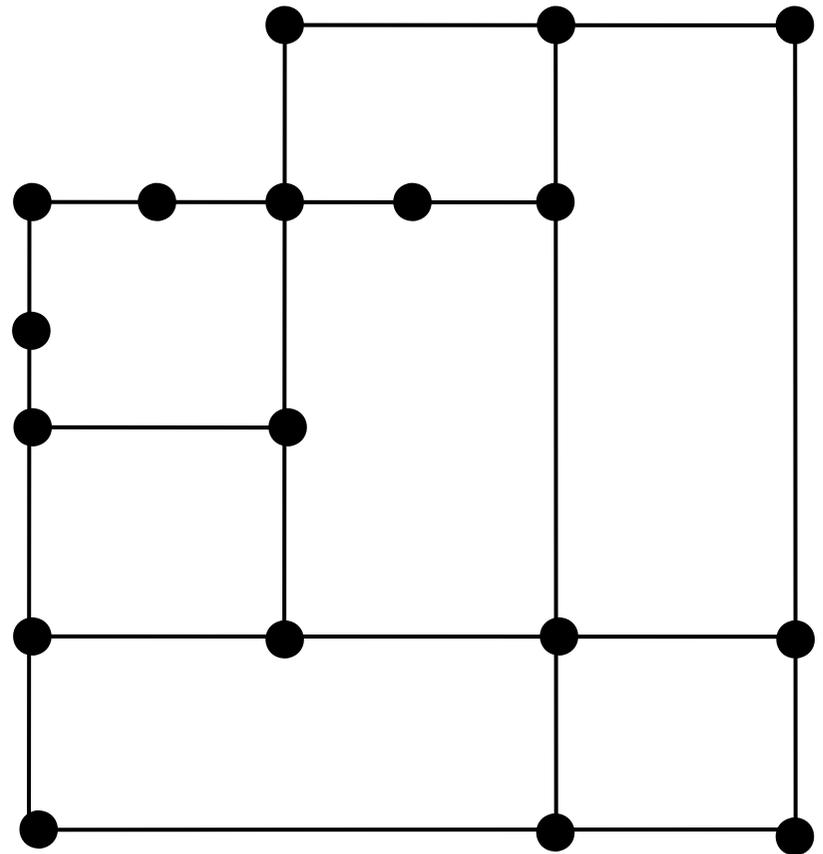


a decision graph  $G_d^\star$  of  $G$

# Inner rectangular drawing



a plane graph  $G$



an inner rectangular drawing of  $G$

# Running time

$G_d^\star$  has an  $O(n)$  number of vertices and  $O(N')$

$(N' = n + (n_{o2} - n_{o4} - 4)n_o)$   $n_o$ : the number of outer vertices

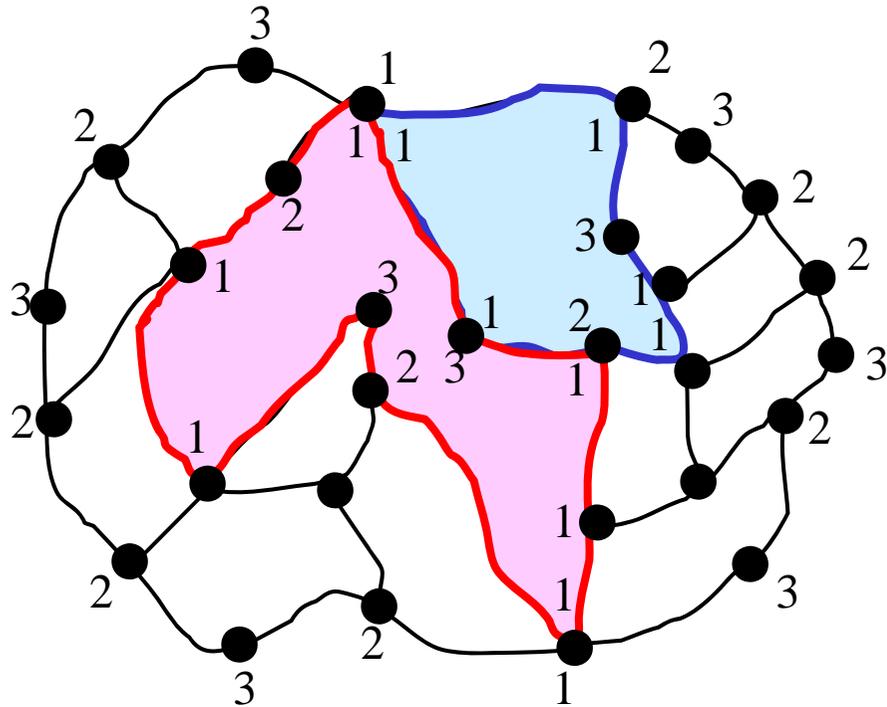
$n_{o2}$  and  $n_{o4}$ : the numbers of outer vertices of degrees 2 and 4 )  
number of edges.

An inner rectangular drawing  $D$  of  $G$  can be found in time

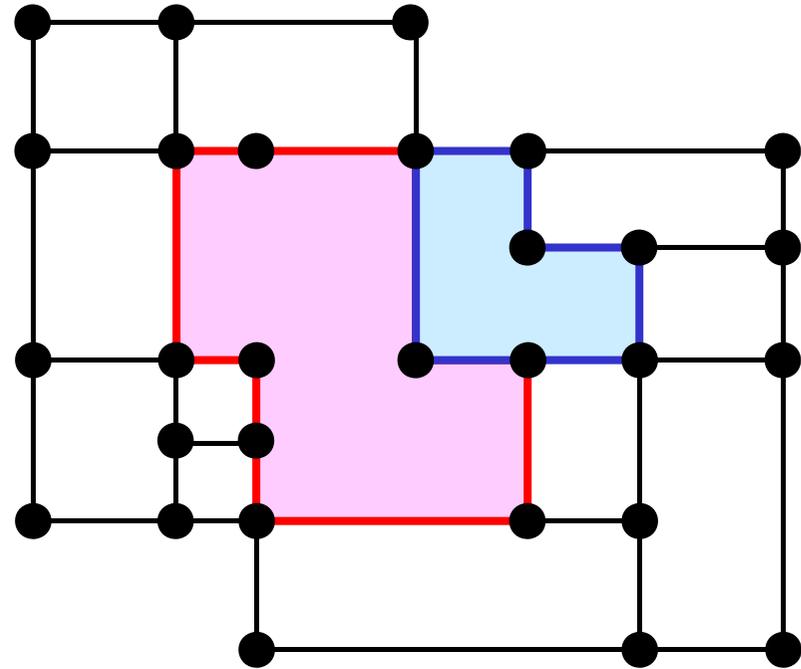
$O(\sqrt{nN'} / \log n)$ .



# Related result



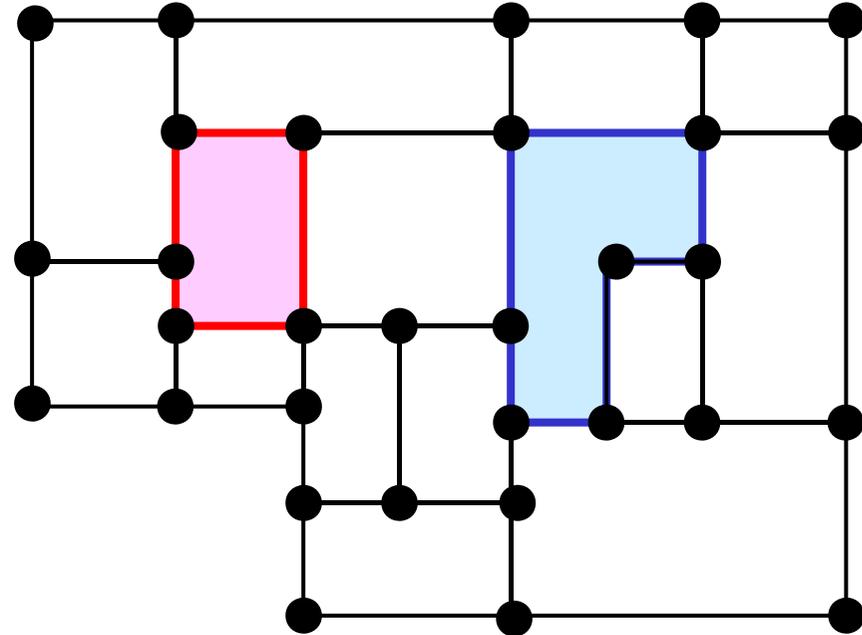
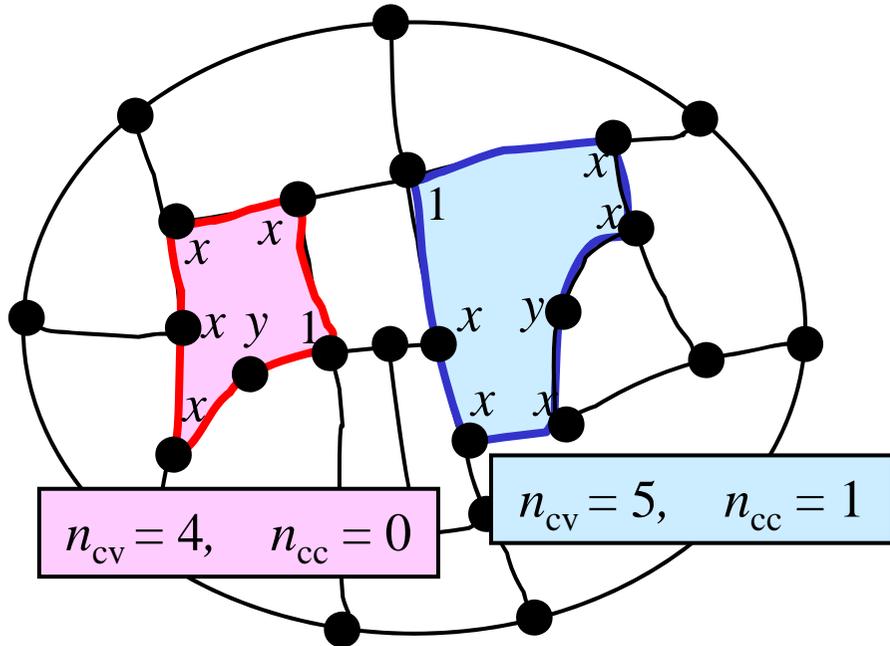
a plane graph  $G$



If a sketch of several faces of  $G$  including the outer face is prescribed, then one can examine whether  $G$  has a drawing such that each of the other face is a rectangle.

# Related result

$$n_{cv} = 5, \quad n_{cc} = 1$$



a plane graph  $G$

If faces  $F_0, F_1, \dots, F_i$  of  $G$  are vertex-disjoint and the numbers of convex and concave vertices are prescribed, then one can examine whether  $G$  has a drawing such that each of  $F_0, F_1, \dots, F_i$  has prescribed numbers of convex and concave vertices and each of the other faces is a rectangle.

# Regular labeling

We call  $f$  a **regular labeling** of  $G$  if  $f$  satisfies the following three conditions (a)-(c)

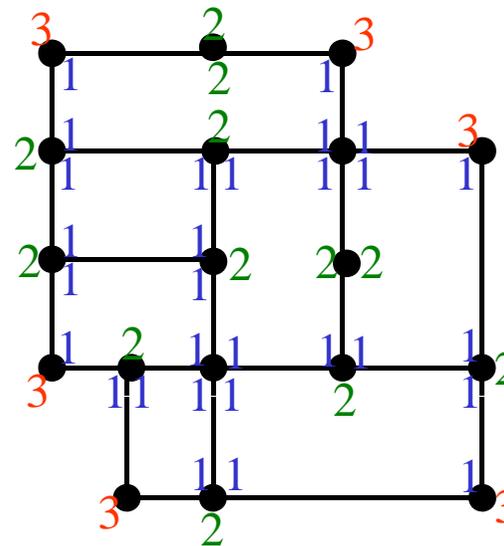
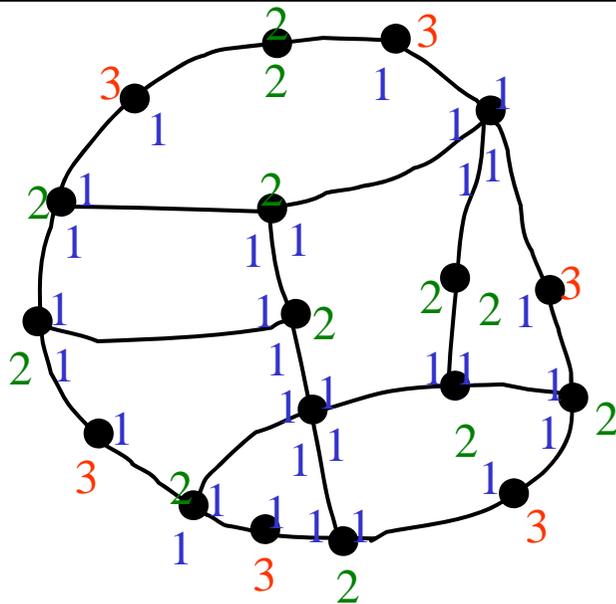
(a) the labels of any vertex in  $G$  total to 4;

(b) the labels of any inner angles is 1 or 2, and any inner face has exactly four angles of label 1;

(c)  $n_{cv} - n_{cc} = 4$ .

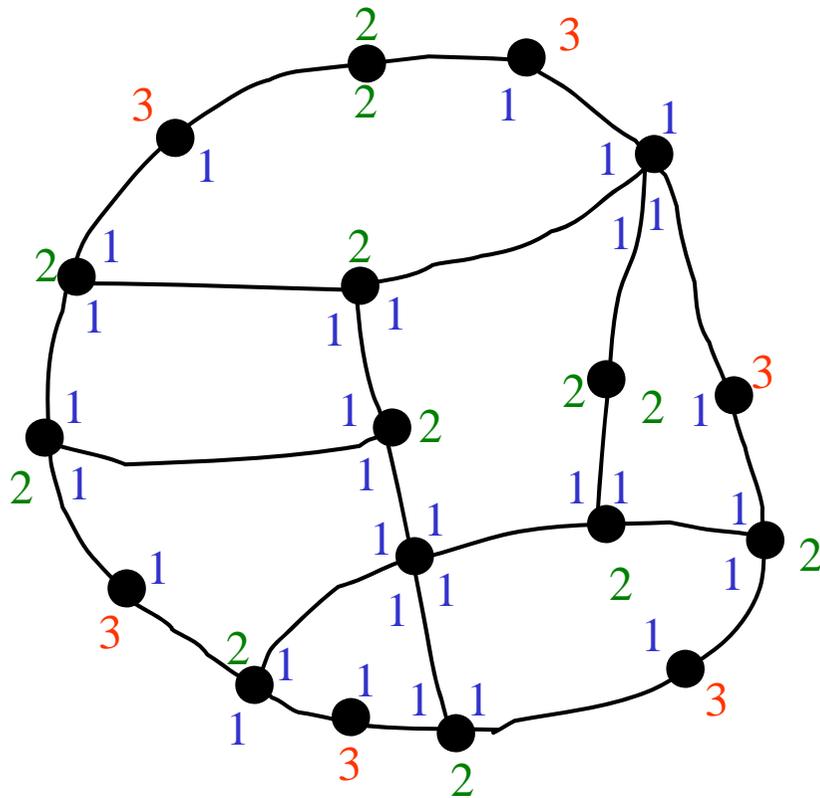
$n_{cv}$ : the number of outer angles having label 3

$n_{cc}$ : the number of outer angles having label 1

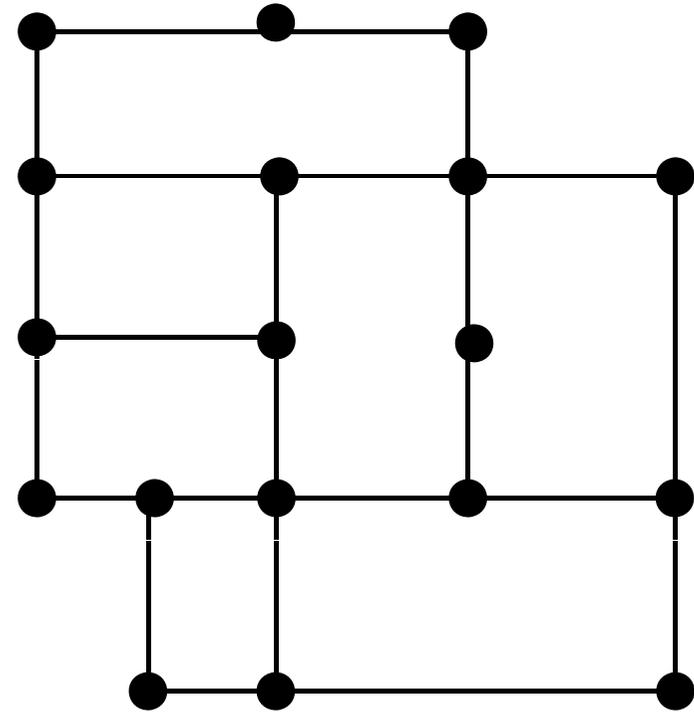
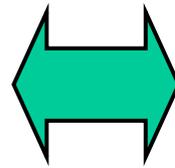


A necessary and sufficient condition for the existence of an **inner rectangular drawing** of  $G$

A plane graph  $G$  has an **inner rectangular drawing** if and only if  $G$  has a **regular labeling**



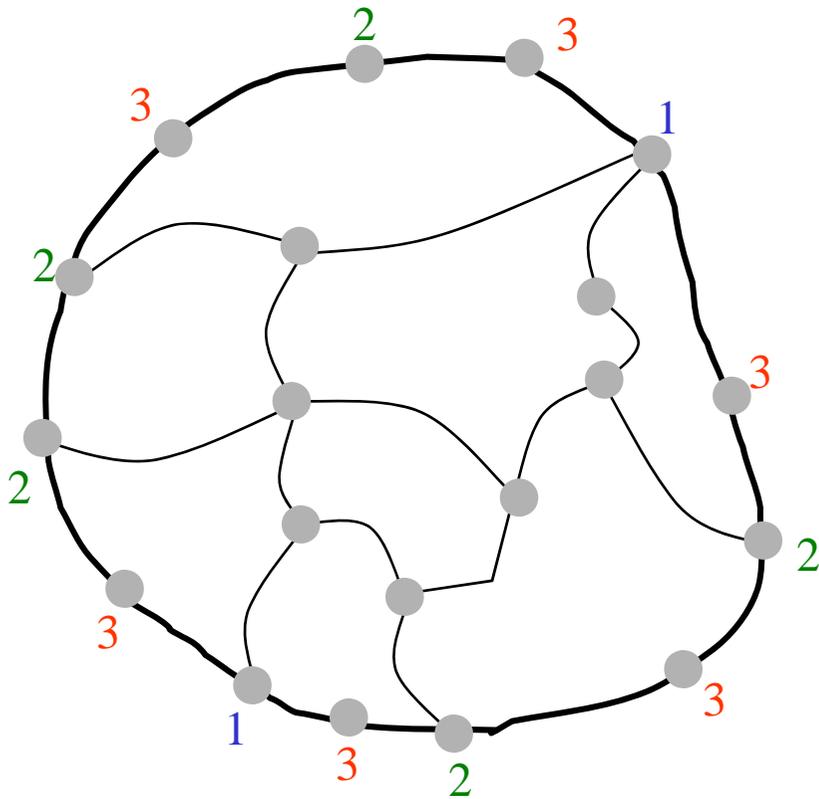
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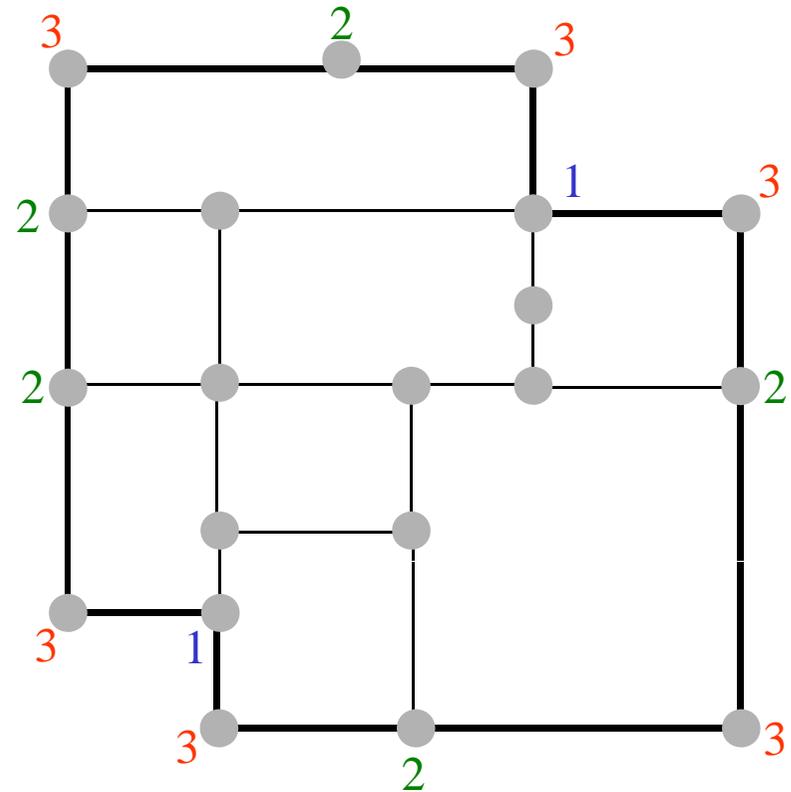
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Some of the inner angles of  $G$  can be immediately determined

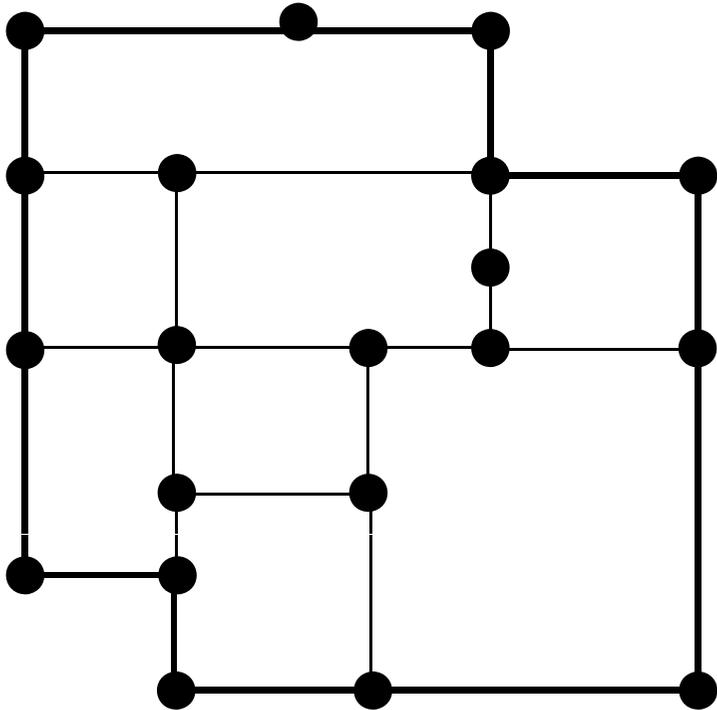


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