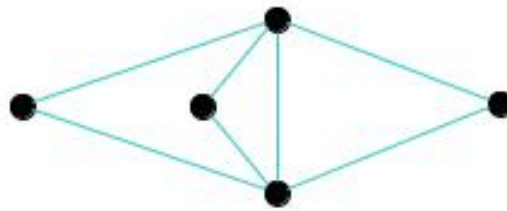


Graph Theory
Homework Series 02
In Groups of 2-4 Students

Keywords: Regular Graphs, Complements, Subgraphs, Walks.

Exercise 1 (Complements). *Consider the graph G given below.*



- (i) *Determine the order, size and degree sequence of G and its complement.*
- (ii) *For an arbitrary graph G of order n and size k and degree sequence (k_1, \dots, k_n) , determine order, size and degree sequence of its complement.*

2+4 points.

Exercise 2 (Regular Graphs). *Prove or disprove the following claim:*

Let G be an 11-regular graph. Then G is of even order.

2 points.

Exercise 3 (Neighborhoods - Gouda's Lemma :)). *Prove that for any graph G and any subset $S \subseteq G$ we have*

$$N(S) = N[S] \text{ if and only if } \delta(\langle S \rangle) \geq 1.$$

5 points.

Exercise 4 (Walks and Cycles). *Let G be a graph with $\delta(G) \geq k$.*

- (i) *Show that G contains a path of length at least k .*
- (ii) *If $k \geq 2$, show that G has a cycle of length at least $k + 1$.*

4+(2 Bonus) points.

Exercise 5 (Walks). *Prove that any closed odd walk in a graph contains an odd cycle.*

3 points.