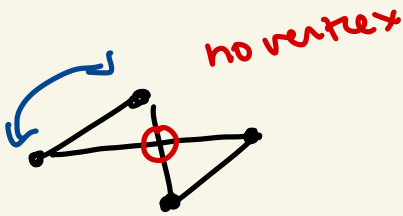
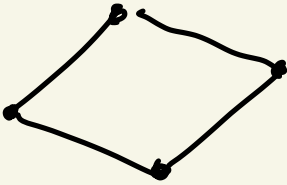
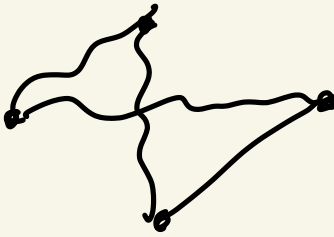


- Last day of new material for the course.
- HW 13 due tonight
- Final Exam Friday 7/31
10:10am - 12:10pm + 15 min to submit?

A graph is a collection of vertices
and edges, vertices are dots
while edges are lines.



4 vertices
4 edges



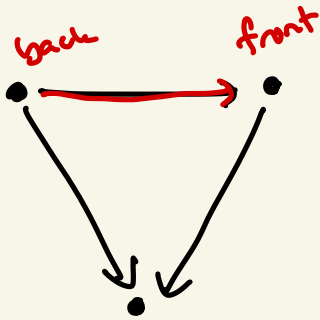
Why is this
the same graph?

You can unflip the
top vertices to see
that the graph
is a square.

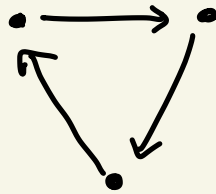
Digraph, directed graph.

Here, the edges are "directed".

We draw them as arrows.



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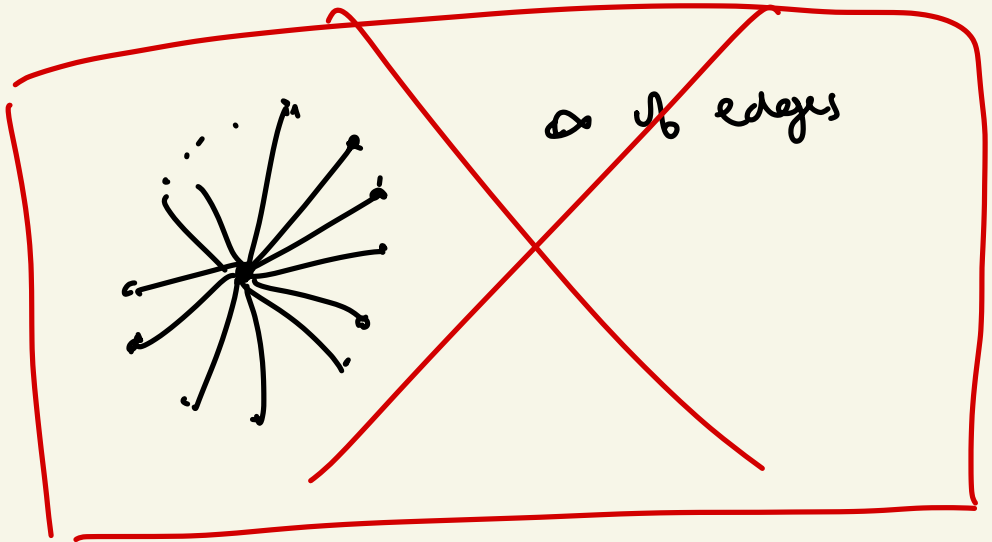
No
"circuit".

This one
has
a "circuit".

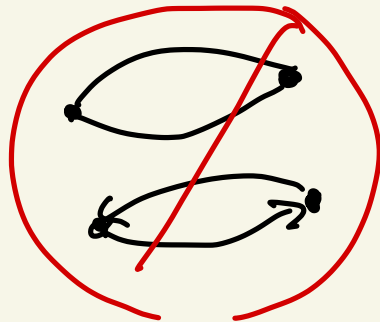
Rules

① Graphs are finite.

(No infinite number of vertices
no infinite number
of edges)



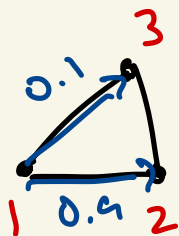
② Graph and digraphs have
no self-loops or multi-edges



Associated are two matrices

- adjacency matrix,

matrix of 0's 1's which measured whether a vertex had an edge between them or not!



$$A_{adj} = \begin{matrix} & \begin{matrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \end{matrix} \\ \begin{matrix} 1 \\ 2 \\ 3 \end{matrix} & \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix}$$

$\frac{1}{2} \quad \frac{1}{2} \quad \frac{1}{2}$

→ T for a random Markov chain on the graph

G .

$$T = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & 0 & \frac{1}{2} \\ \frac{1}{2} & \frac{1}{2} & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

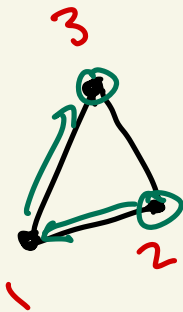
is the transition matrix for the above graph.

Fact: Consider the adjacency matrix A of a graph G .

Then $(A^k)_{ij}$ is the # of paths of length k from vertex i to vertex j .

A^2 means path of length 2 or chain of 2 edges

$$A^2 = \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix} = \begin{matrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 2 & & \\ 3 & & \end{matrix} \begin{bmatrix} 2 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 \end{bmatrix}$$



Adjacency

↓ + suit
multisets

- Markov chains *
- probability *
- CS

• Incidence Matrix

↓
Algebra

↓
topology
(shapes)
without reference
to angles or
distances

Def Given a directed G the
incidence matrix associated
to G is a $m \times n$ matrix

where $m = \#$ of edges

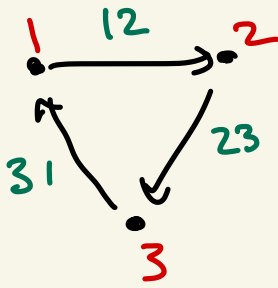
$n = \#$ of vertices of G

(For every edge there is a row
for every vertex there's a column)

$$(A_{inc})_{ij} = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if edge } i \text{ does not touch vertex } j \\ 1 & \text{if edge } i \text{ starts at vertex } j \\ -1 & \text{if edge } i \text{ ends at vertex } j \end{cases}$$

↖
easier to work w/
but contains
all data of
 G .

Ex



3 vertices

3 edges

12

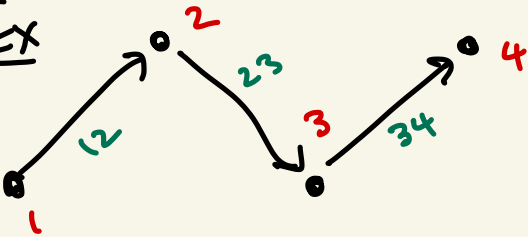
23

31

$A_{inc} =$

$$\begin{matrix} & \begin{matrix} 1 & 2 & 3 \end{matrix} \\ \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix}$$

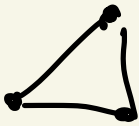
Ex



$$A_{inc} = \begin{matrix} \begin{matrix} 12 \\ 23 \\ 34 \end{matrix} \\ \begin{bmatrix} 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix}$$

Def A graph (digraph) is connected if every pair of vertices can be connected by a series of edges (aka path).

Yesterday, Transition matrices for random walks on connected graphs are regular.



is disconnected!

Prop If A is an incidence matrix
for a connected digraph

$$\text{then } \ker(A) = \text{span} \left(\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right).$$

Pf : Suppose $z \in \ker(A)$.

$$\text{let } z = (z_1, z_2, \dots, z_n).$$

We want to prove that

$$z_1 = z_2 = \dots = z_n \text{ so}$$

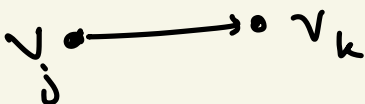
$$\text{that } z \in \text{span}((1, 1, \dots, 1)).$$

$$\text{Since } z \in \ker(A), \quad Az = 0.$$

Looking at one row of A ...

$$\text{But } (A)_{ix} \cdot \vec{z} = 0$$

But $(A)_{ix} \rightsquigarrow e$ some edge in the graph G



A diagram showing two vertices, v_j and v_k , with a directed arrow pointing from v_j to v_k .

$$A_{ix} = (0 \ 0 \ \overset{j}{1} \ 0 \ \overset{k}{-1} \ 0 \ 0)$$

$$\text{Since } (A)_{ix} \cdot \vec{z} = 0$$

$$(0, 0, \underline{1}, 0, \dots, 0, \underline{-1}, 0, 0)$$

$$\cdot (z_1, z_2, \dots, z_n)$$

$$= z_j - z_k = 0$$

$$\Rightarrow z_j = z_k$$

when flow is on edge $v_j \rightarrow v_k$.

What if there's no edge from
 $v_1 \rightarrow v_2$ for example?

Is $z_1 = z_2$? **Yes**

Since G is connected
there's a path from

$v_1 \rightarrow v_{k_1} \rightarrow v_{k_2} \rightarrow \dots \rightarrow v_2$
(finite)

$\Rightarrow z_1 = z_{k_1} = z_{k_2} = \dots = z_2.$

1 and 2 were arbitrary. Any two
vertices are connected by a path.

$\Rightarrow z_1 = z_2 = z_3 = \dots = z_n.$

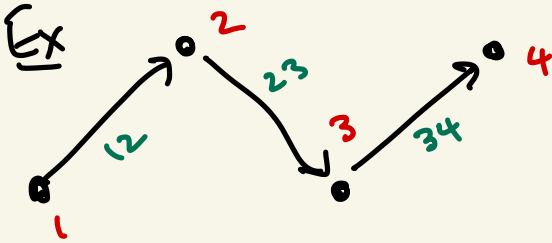
$\Rightarrow \vec{z} = \begin{pmatrix} z_1 \\ \vdots \\ z_n \end{pmatrix} \in \text{span} \left(\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \vdots \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right).$

$$\ker(A) \subseteq \text{span} \left(\begin{array}{c} | \\ | \\ | \\ | \end{array} \right)$$

could still be
 $\ker(A) = 0$.

But $\left(\begin{array}{c} | \\ | \\ | \\ | \end{array} \right) \in \ker(A)$

$$\Rightarrow \ker(A) = \text{span} \left(\begin{array}{c} | \\ | \\ | \\ | \end{array} \right).$$

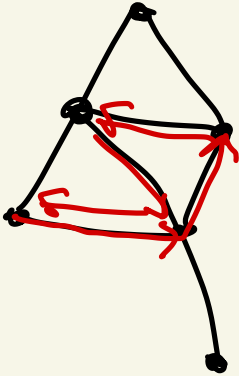
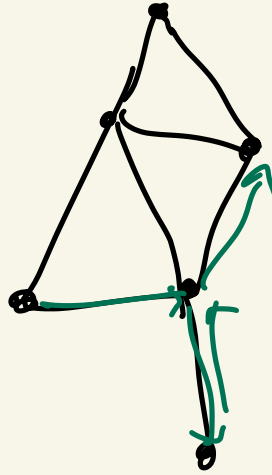
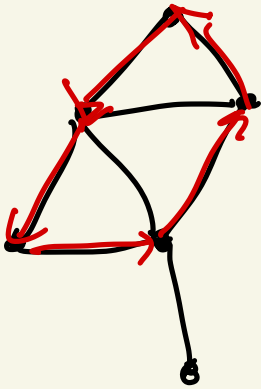


$$A_{inc} = \begin{array}{c} \begin{array}{c} 12 \\ 23 \\ 34 \end{array} \\ \left[\begin{array}{cccc} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \\ 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 \end{array} \right] \end{array}$$

$$\ker(A) = \text{span} \left(\begin{array}{c} | \\ | \\ | \\ | \end{array} \right).$$

□

Def : A circuit in a graph is a sequence of edges which begins at the same vertex.



Suppose we have a directed graph w/ incidence matrix

A_{inc} , we have a labeling and ordering of all the edges.

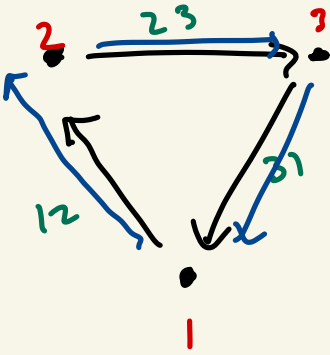
Then given a circuit

$$C = e_1, e_2, \dots, e_k.$$

We can associate it to a vector (v_c)

$$(v_c)_i = \begin{cases} 0 & \text{if edge is not involved in the circuit} \\ 1 & \text{if circuit goes forward along edge} \\ -1 & \text{if the circuit goes backwards along the arrow.} \end{cases}$$

Ex



12
23
31

$$\begin{matrix} & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ \begin{bmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 & 1 \end{bmatrix} \end{matrix}$$

Circuit is labeled as

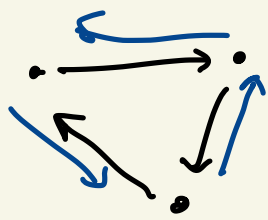
→ 12, 23, 31

→ 1231

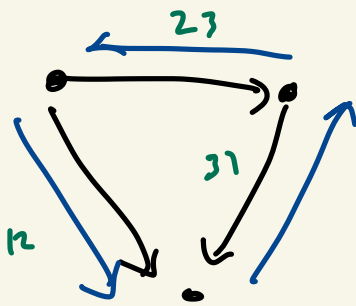
associated vector is



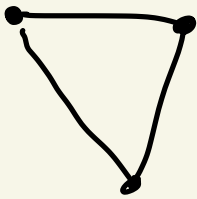
$$\begin{matrix} 12 \\ 23 \\ 31 \end{matrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} = v_c$$



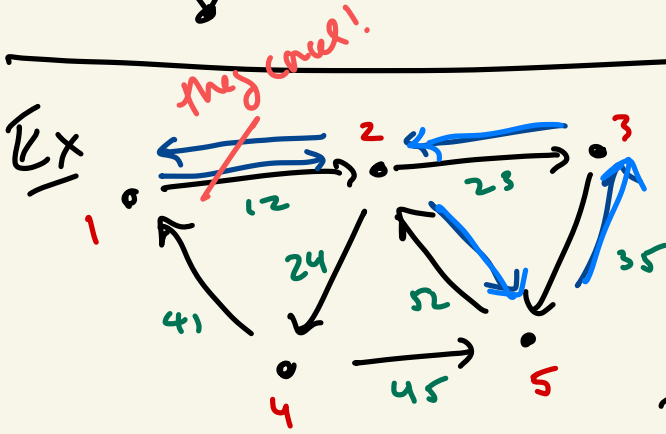
$$v_c = \begin{matrix} 12 \\ 23 \\ 31 \end{matrix} \begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ -1 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}$$



$$v_L = \begin{pmatrix} 12 \\ 23 \\ 31 \end{pmatrix}$$



pick an path of arrows arbitrarily

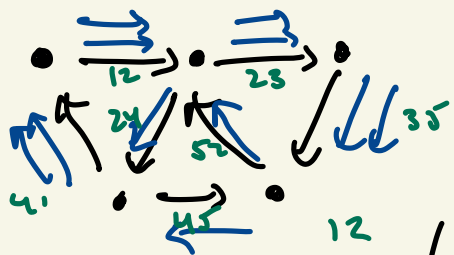


$$A = \begin{matrix} & \begin{matrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 \end{matrix} \\ \begin{matrix} 12 \\ 23 \\ 24 \\ 35 \\ 41 \\ 45 \\ 52 \end{matrix} & \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 \\ 0 & -1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \end{pmatrix} \end{matrix}$$

$$v_L = \begin{pmatrix} 12 \\ 23 \\ 24 \\ 35 \\ 41 \\ 45 \\ 52 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

into color of this thing!

$$= \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$



$$v_c = \begin{pmatrix} 12 \\ 23 \\ 24 \\ 35 \\ 41 \\ 45 \\ 52 \end{pmatrix} \begin{pmatrix} 2 \\ 2 \\ 1 \\ 2 \\ 2 \\ -1 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

in the kernel of
 = total number
 of traversal
 of that
 edge in the
 circuit!

Thm Each circuit C in a digraph G is represented by a vector v_c .

Moreover $v_c \in \text{Coker}(A_{inc})$.

In fact vectors of the form v_c generated the $\text{Coker}(A)$.

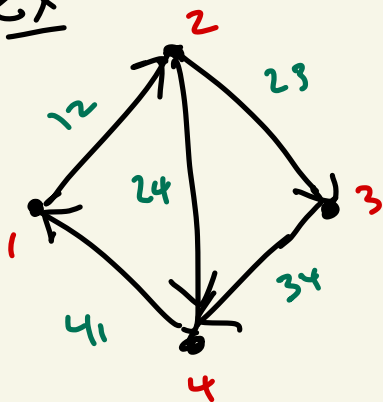
$\dim(\text{Coker}(A_{inc})) = \#$ of independent circuits of G .

$$\text{The } \ker(A_{\text{inc}}) = \text{Span}(v_{c_1}, \dots, v_{c_k})$$

c_1, \dots, c_k are the independent circuits.

All other circuits are combinations of these circuits!

Ex

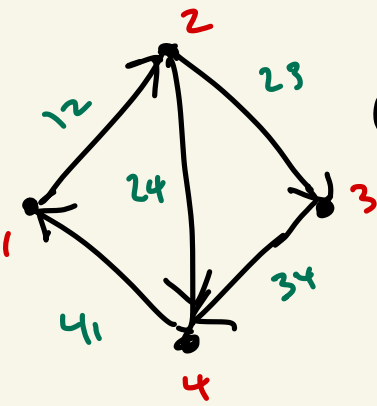


$$A_{\text{inc}} = \begin{matrix} & \begin{matrix} 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 \end{matrix} \\ \begin{matrix} 12 \\ 23 \\ 34 \\ 41 \\ 24 \end{matrix} & \begin{pmatrix} 1 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & 1 & -1 \\ -1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \end{matrix}$$

$$\ker(A_{\text{inc}}) = \ker(A^T)$$

$$= \ker \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ -1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & -1 & 0 & 0 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix} \xrightarrow{\text{row reduction}}$$

$$= \text{Span} \left(\begin{pmatrix} -1 \\ 0 \\ -1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ -1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \right)$$

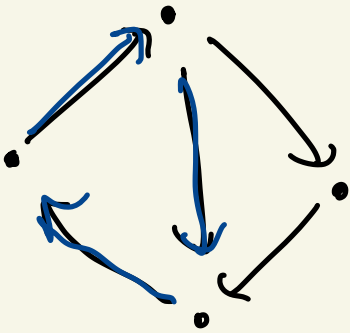


$$\text{Coker}(A_{inc}) = \ker(A^T)$$

$$= \ker \begin{pmatrix} 1 & 0 & 0 & -1 & 0 \\ 0 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 0 & 0 & -1 & 1 & -1 \end{pmatrix}$$

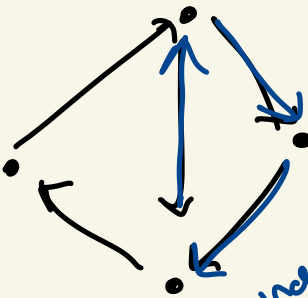
$$= \text{Span} \left(\begin{pmatrix} - \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} \right)$$

these correspond to circuits.



1 independent cycle

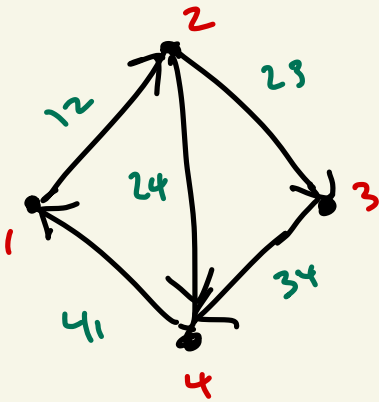
$$\begin{matrix} 12 \\ 23 \\ 34 \\ 41 \\ 24 \end{matrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ - \end{pmatrix}$$



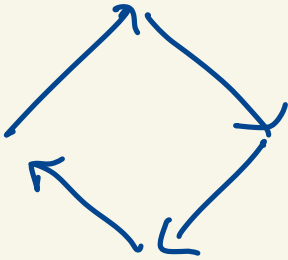
Other independent cycle

$$\begin{matrix} 12 \\ 23 \\ 34 \\ 41 \\ 24 \end{matrix} \begin{pmatrix} - \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \\ - \end{pmatrix}$$

Claim: All other cycles are combinations of these two cycles!



$$\text{Colr}(A) = \text{Span} \left(\begin{pmatrix} - \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ - \\ - \end{pmatrix}, \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ - \\ 0 \\ - \\ 1 \end{pmatrix} \right)$$



$$\mathcal{V}_C = \begin{matrix} 12 \\ 23 \\ 34 \\ 41 \\ 24 \end{matrix} \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 1 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}$$

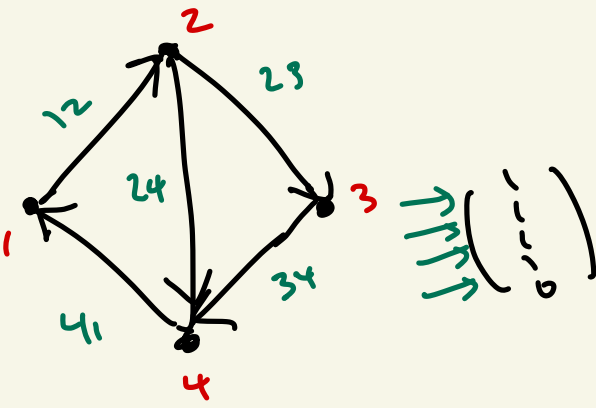
$\begin{pmatrix} - \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ - \\ - \end{pmatrix} \in \text{Colr}(A)$ since its a circuit

$$c_1, c_2^2$$

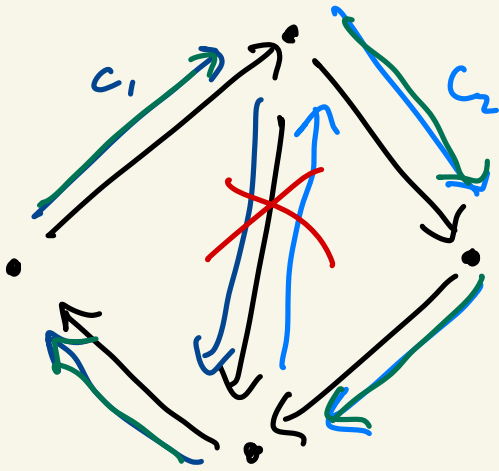
$$\begin{pmatrix} - \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ - \\ - \end{pmatrix} = c_1 \begin{pmatrix} - \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ - \\ - \end{pmatrix} + c_2 \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ - \\ 0 \\ - \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

$$c_1 = c_2 = 1$$

$$\begin{pmatrix} - \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ - \\ - \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} - \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ - \\ - \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ - \\ 0 \\ - \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$



$$= \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{pmatrix}}_{v_1} + \underbrace{\begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix}}_{v_2}$$



Adding just means do 1 circuit then do the other.

$C_1 + C_2 =$ Circuit around the

$$\text{of } \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ \vdots \\ 0 \end{pmatrix} = \begin{pmatrix} 1 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ -1 \end{pmatrix} + \begin{pmatrix} 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 1 \end{pmatrix}$$

whole square since \updownarrow canceled.

(§ 2.6)

Now that we understand that

cycles (Ainc) \leftrightarrow independent circuits

needs proof

but proof not on file

Thm (statement of thm on file)

Given a connected graph G ,

then

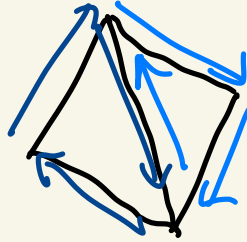
$$\underbrace{\# \text{ vertices} - \# \text{ edges}}_{\text{red}} = 1 - \underbrace{\# \text{ independent circuits}}_{\text{blue}}$$

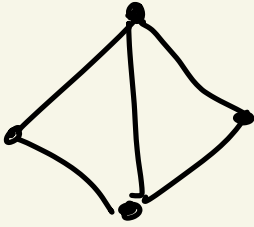
Can be calculated purely by looking at G

This is invariant when you keep the same # of holes.

data about the shape of the graph

2 independent circuits
This graph has "2 holes" in it.





2 = # of independent circuits

$$\#v - \#e = 1 - \# \text{ ind. circ.}$$

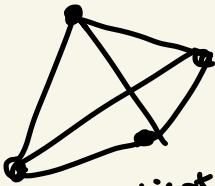
$$4 - 5 = 1 - \# \text{ ind circ.}$$

$$-1 = 1 - \#$$

$$\# = 2$$

as predicted!

Ex



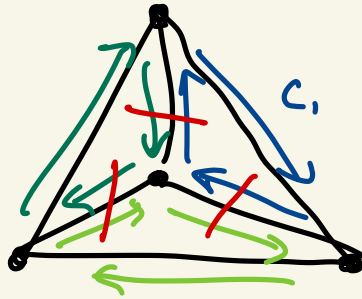
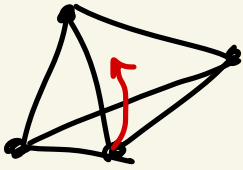
of independent circuits

$$= 3$$

"4 holes"? Only 3 sides are independent!

$$\#v - \#e = 4 - 6 = -2$$

$$-2 = 1 - \# \text{ of ind. circuits}$$



view from the top.

$$C_1 + C_2 + C_3 = \text{Diagram of a triangle with three colored arrows (green, blue, green) forming a cycle.$$

Circuit corresponding to the 4th side.

2 4th depends on the other 3.

See Final Exam Review.
use the kernel of A_{inc}

Thm (statement of thm on field)

Given a connected graph G ,

then

$$\# \text{ vertices} - \# \text{ edges} = 1 - \# \text{ independent circuits}$$

Pf: Recall $\#$ of independent circuits = $\dim(\text{coker}(A))_{\text{inc}}$.

by def. (every vector in $\text{coker}(A)$ is a circuit vector)

A is $m \times n$ $m = \#$ of edges
 $n = \#$ of vertices

By 4 Fundamental Subspaces

$$n = \text{rank}(A) + \dim(\ker(A))$$

Rank-nullity

$$m = \text{rank}(A^T) + \dim(\ker(A^T))$$

$$n = \text{rank}(A) + \dim(\ker(A)) \quad 1$$

$$m = \text{rank}(A^T) + \dim(\ker(A))$$

$$\ker(A) = \text{span} \left(\begin{array}{c} \vdots \\ \vdots \\ \vdots \end{array} \right)$$

$$\dim(\ker(A)) = 1$$

of independent circuits.

needs proof still

$$\text{rank}(A_{\text{irc}}) = n - 1 = \# \text{ of vertices} - 1$$

||

$$\begin{aligned} \text{rank}(A_{\text{irc}}^T) &= m - \# \text{ of indep. circuits} \\ &= \# \text{ of edges} - \# \text{ of ind. circ.} \end{aligned}$$

$$n - 1 = m - \# \text{ of ind. circ.}$$

$$n - m = 1 - \# \text{ of ind. circ.} \implies \# \text{ of ind. circ.} = 1$$

□

Def let G be a graph.

then the Euler characteristic $\chi(G)$
of G

is defined by $\chi(G) = \# \text{ vertices} - \# \text{ edges}$

$$\begin{aligned} &= 1 - \# \text{ ind circuits} \\ &= 1 - \dim(\text{coker}(A_{inc})) \end{aligned}$$

$\chi(G)$ depends on the shape of the graph, not on the exact graph.

$$\begin{aligned} \chi(G) &= 1 - 2 \\ &= -1 \end{aligned}$$



$$\chi(G) = 4 - 5 = -1$$

Why does the cokernel of A_{inc}

\longleftrightarrow Circuits of G ?

$$A_{inc}^T : \mathbb{R}^m \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^n$$

$A^{m \times n}$

$n \times m$

$m = \text{edges}$

$n = \text{vertices}$

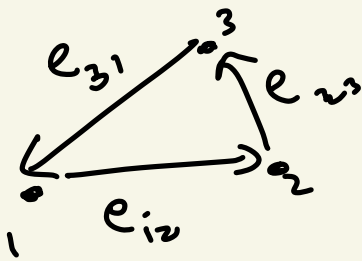
\mathbb{R}^m has basis $\vec{e}_1, \dots, \vec{e}_m$

$= \text{span}(\text{edge 1, edge 2, } \dots, \text{edge } m)$

$\mathbb{R}^n = \text{arbitrary linear combs of } v_1, \dots, v_n$

$$A_{inc}^T(e_{ij}) = v_i - v_j$$





$$A_{inc}^T (e_{12} + e_{23} + e_{31})$$

$$= \cancel{v_1} - \cancel{v_2} + \cancel{v_2} - \cancel{v_3} + \cancel{v_3} \cdot v_1$$

$$= 0 \quad \text{Since it's a circuit all vertices cancel perfectly.}$$

So $\text{Coker}(A) = \text{all circuit vectors.}$

$\frac{F_3 \text{ KKT}}$

Euler characteristic formula

$$\#e - \#v$$

$$= 1 - \# \text{ind cir.}$$

$$\dim \text{Coker} = \# \text{ of ind circuits}$$