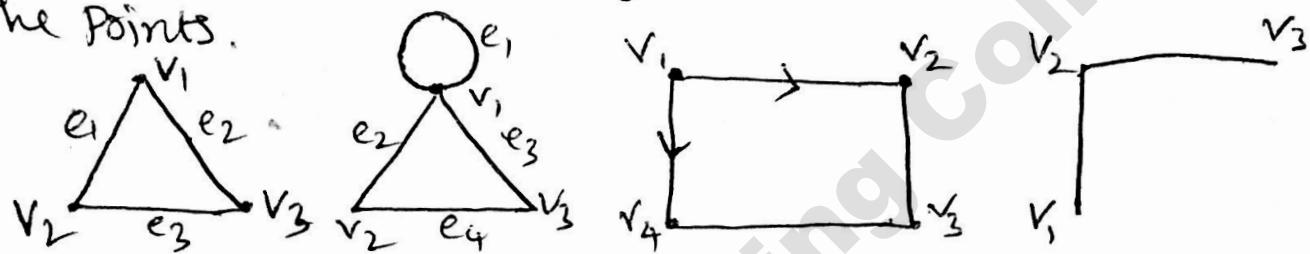


## UNIT-3

## GRAPHS

Defin.:- A graph is a pair of sets  $(V, E)$  where  $V$  is a non-empty set. The set  $V$  is called the set of vertices or nodes and the set  $E$  is called the set of edges.

Each vertex is represented by a point and each edge is represented by an arc or straight line joining the points.

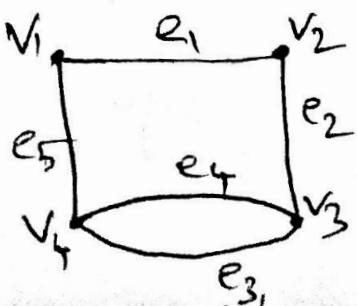


Undirected graph:- Let  $G = (V, E)$  be a graph. If the elements of  $E$  are unordered pairs of vertices of  $G$  then  $G$  is called an undirected graph.

Directed graph (or) Digraph:- Let  $G = (V, E)$  be a graph. If the elements of  $E$  are ordered pairs of vertices, then the graph  $G$  is called a digraph.

Self Loop:- If there is an edge from  $v_i$  to  $v_i$  then that edge is called self loop or simply loop.

Parallel Edges:- If two edges have same end points then the edges are called parallel edges.



The edge  $e_3$  and  $e_4$  are called parallel edges since  $e_3$  and  $e_4$  have the same pair of vertices  $(v_3, v_4)$  as their terminal vertices.

Multigraph:- A graph which has more than one edge between a pair of vertices is called a multigraph.

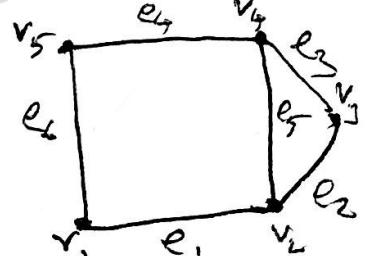
Simple graph:- A graph with no self loops and no parallel edges is called a simple graph.

Incident:- If the vertex  $v_i$  is an end vertex of some edge  $e_k$  then  $e_k$  is said to be incident with  $v_i$ .

- Adjacent edges and vertices:- Two edges are said to be adjacent if they are incident on a common vertex. Ex:-  $e_4$  and  $e_6$  are adjacent.

Two vertices  $v_i$  &  $v_j$  are said to adjacent if

$v_i$   $v_j$  is an edge of the graph. Ex:-  $v_1$  &  $v_5$  are adjacent vertices.



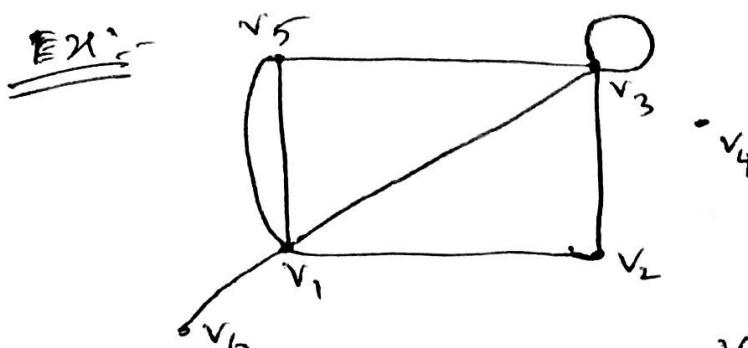
Indegree:- In a diagraph  $G$ , the no. of edges ending at vertex  $v$  of  $G$  is called the indegree of  $v$ .

Indegree of  $v$  denoted by  $d^-(v)$ .

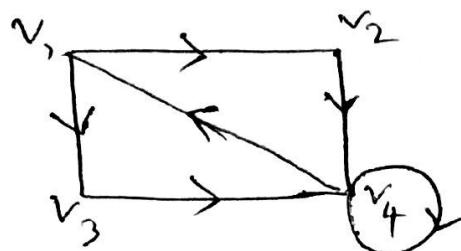
Outdegree:- let  $G$  be a diagraph and  $v$  be vertex of  $G$ . The outdegree of  $v$  is the no. of edges beginning at  $v$  and is denoted by  $d^+(v)$ .

Degree of a vertex:- In an undirected graph  $G$ , the degree of a vertex  $v$  is defined as the no. of edges incident with  $v$  with self loops counted twice and is denoted by  $d(v)$ .

In case of a diagraph  $G$ ,  $d(v) = d^-(v) + d^+(v)$ .



$$\begin{array}{l|l} d(v_1) = 5 & d(v_4) = 0 \\ d(v_2) = 2 & d(v_5) = 3 \\ d(v_3) = 5 & d(v_6) = 1 \end{array}$$

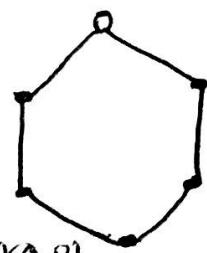


Vertext	Indegree	outdegree
v <sub>1</sub>	1	2
v <sub>2</sub>	1	1
v <sub>3</sub>	1	1
v <sub>4</sub>	4	1

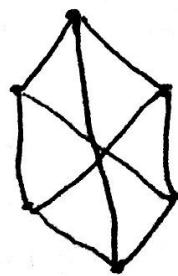
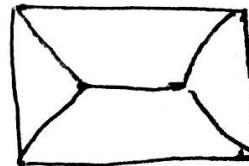
Isolated vertex :- A vertex of degree 0 in a graph (or) A vertex having no edges incident on it is called isolated.

Pendent vertex :- A vertex of a graph with degree one is called a pendent vertex.

Regular graph :- If every vertex of a simple graph has the same degree, <sup>then</sup> the graph is called a regular. If every vertex in a regular graph has degree k, then the graph is called k-regular.

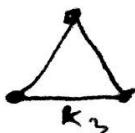


2 - regular graph



3 - regular graph.

Complete graph :- A simple graph G in which every pair of vertices are connected by an edge is called a complete graph. If G is a complete graph of n vertices then it is denoted by  $K_n$ .



$K_4$

# DISCRETE MATHEMATICS

Theorem 1 (The Handshaking theorem)

(i) The sum of degrees of the vertices of an undirected graph  $G$  is twice the no. of edges in  $G$ .

$$\text{i.e., } \sum_{i=1}^n \deg(v_i) = 2|E| \text{ and}$$

(ii) If  $G$  is a directed graph,  $\sum_{i=1}^n d^{(-)}(v_i) = \sum_{i=1}^n d^{(+)}(v_i)$  and  $\sum d^{(-)}(v_i) + \sum d^{(+)}(v_i) = 2|E| = 2(\text{no. of edges in } G)$ .

Proof: Let  $G$  be an undirected graph. Each edge of  $G$  is incident with 2 vertices and hence contributes 2 to the sum of degrees of all the vertices of the undirected graph  $G$ .

∴ The sum of degrees of all the vertices in  $G$  is twice the no. of edges in  $G$ .

$$\text{i.e., } \sum_{i=1}^n d(v_i) = 2|E| = 2(\text{no. of edges in } G),$$

(ii) Let  $G$  be digraph and  $e$  be an edge associated with a vertex pair  $(v_i, v_j)$ . The edge  $e$  contributes one to the out-degree of  $v_i$  and one to the in-degree of  $v_j$ . This is true for all the edges in  $G$ .

$$\text{Hence } \sum_{i=1}^n d^{(-)}(v_i) = \sum_{i=1}^n d^{(+)}(v_i) = |E|$$

$$\therefore \sum d(v) = 2|E|.$$

Theorem 2:- In an undirected graph  $G$ , the no. of vertices of odd degree is even.

Proof:- Let  $G = (V, E)$  be an undirected graph.

The vertex set  $V$  is divided into 2 sets named  $W$  and  $U$ , where  $W$ : set of odd degree vertices and  $U$ : set of even degree vertices.

$$\text{Then } \sum_{v_i \in V} \deg(v_i) = \sum_{v_i \in W} \deg(v_i) + \sum_{v_i \in U} \deg(v_i)$$

$$\sum_{v_i \in W} \deg(v_i) = \sum_{v_i \in V} \deg(v_i) - \sum_{v_i \in U} \deg(v_i)$$

since  $\sum_{v_i \in V} \deg(v_i)$  is even and  $\sum_{v_i \in U} \deg(v_i)$  is also even

$\therefore \sum_{v_i \in W} \deg(v_i)$  is even number

$\therefore$  Each  $\deg(v_i)$  on LHS is odd and the no. of summands must be even.

$\therefore$  The no. of odd degree vertices in G is even.

Theorem 3: - The maximum no. of edges in a simple graph with 'n' vertices is  $\frac{n(n-1)}{2}$

Soln we prove this theorem by the principle of mathematical induction. For  $n=1$ , a graph with one vertex has no edge.  
 $\therefore$  The result is true for  $n=1$ .

for  $n=2$ , a graph with 2 vertices may have atmost one edge.

$\therefore \frac{2(2-1)}{2} = 1$ . The result is true for  $n=2$ .

Assume that the result is true for  $n=k$ . i.e., a graph with  $k$  vertices has atmost  $\frac{k(k-1)}{2}$  edges.

To prove for  $n=k+1$ , let  $G$  be a graph having ' $n$ ' vertices and when  $n=k+1$ , let  $G'$  be a graph having ' $n$ ' vertices and

Now, we construct a simple graph from the graph having  $k$  vertices with the maximum edges  $\frac{k(k-1)}{2}$ , by introducing a new  $(k+1)^{\text{th}}$  vertex  $v_{k+1}$  we add  $k$  edges to the graph by connecting the new vertex  $v_{k+1}$  and each of the remaining  $k$  vertices.

$$\therefore \text{The max. Possible no. of edges} = \frac{k(k-1)}{2} + k$$

$$= \frac{k^2 - k + 2k}{2} = \frac{k^2 + k}{2}$$

$\therefore$  The result is true for  $n=k+1$

$$= \frac{k(k+1)}{2} = \frac{(k+1)(k+1-1)}{2}$$

Walk :

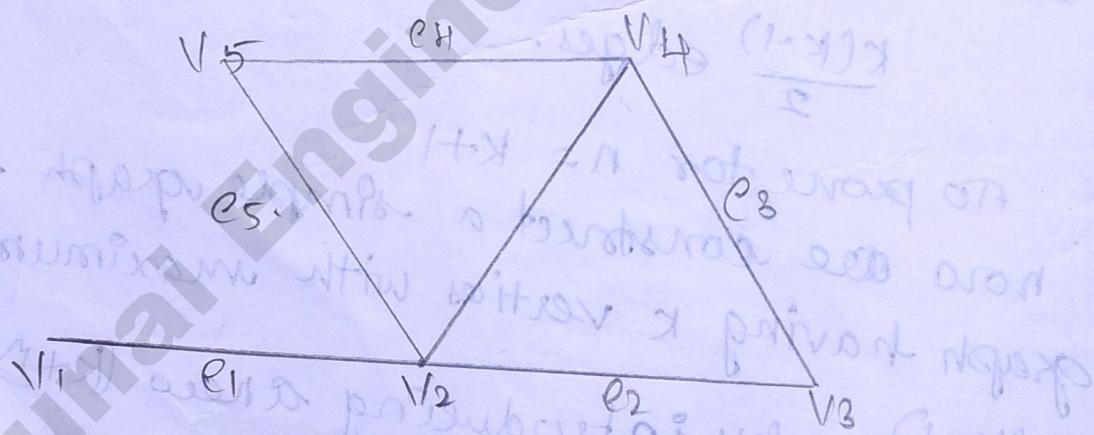
A walk in a graph is defined as a finite alternating sequences of vertices and edges.

i.e.,  $v_0 e_1 v_1 e_2 v_2 \dots e_n v_n$ .

Beginning and ending with vertices. If  $v_0$  not equal to  $v_n$  then the walk is open walk.

And if  $v_0 = v_n$  then the walk is closed walk.

Ex:

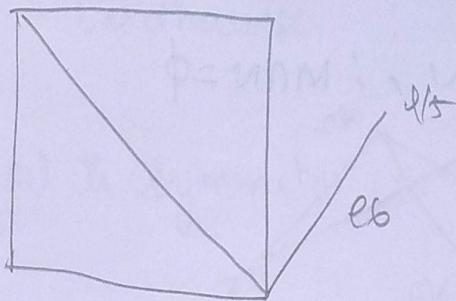


Path:

An open walk with no vertex more than one is called a path. (Simple path or Elementary path).

The no. of edges in a path is called the length of a path.

Ex:-



Closed path:-

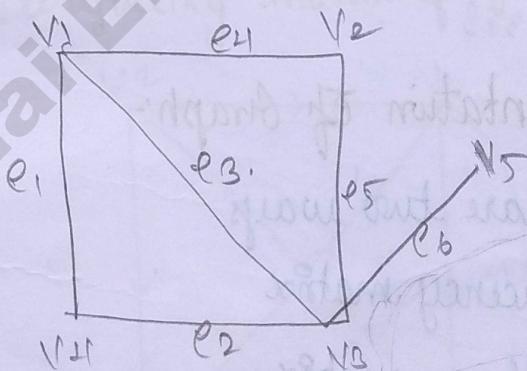
A path between a vertex and itself is called closed path.

Circuit:-

A closed path in which all the edges are distinct is a circuit.

Cycle:-

A circuit in which all the vertices are distinct is called a cycle.



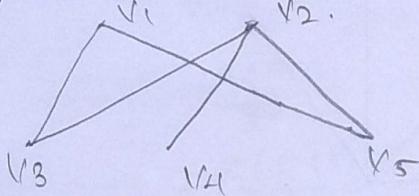
Circuit :  $V_1 e_3 V_3 e_5 V_2 e_4 V_1$ .

Bipartite Graph:-

A bipartite graph is an undirected graph whose set of vertices can be partitioned into two sets  $M$ ,  $N$ , such a way that each edge joins a vertex in  $M$  to a vertex in  $N$ .

And no edge joins either to vertices in M or to vertices in N.

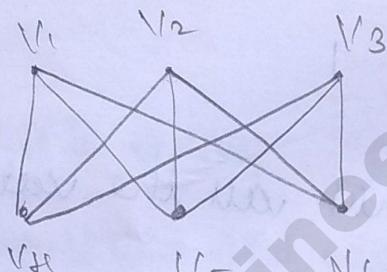
Eg:  
Let,  $V = M \cup N$ , ;  $M \cap N = \emptyset$



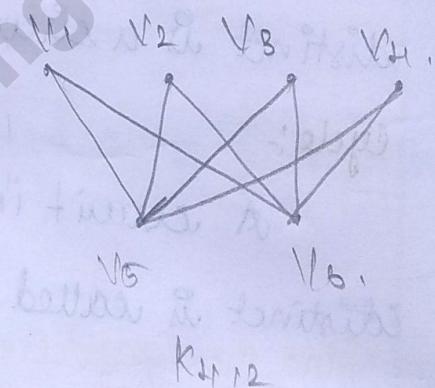
Complete bipartite graph:-

A complete bipartite graph is a bipartite graph in every vertex of M is adjacent to every vertex of N. It is denoted by  $K(M, N)$ .

Ex:



$K_{3,3}$



$K_{4,2}$

Matrix representation of Graph:-

There are two ways

1. Adjacency matrix
2. Incidence matrix.

Adjacency matrix:-

Let  $G_1$  be a graph with  $n$  vertices and no parallel edges. The adjacency matrix of  $G_1$  is defined by  $A(G_1) = (a_{ij})$

where,  $a_{ij} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if } V_i \text{ & } V_j \text{ are adjacent} \\ 0 & \text{otherwise} \end{cases}$

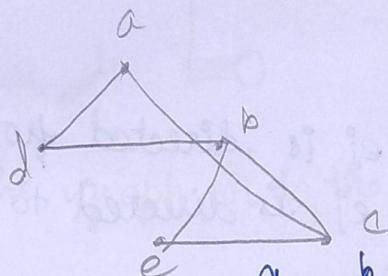
For directed graph,

$$a_{ij} = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{if there is an edge from } v_i \text{ to } v_j \\ 0 & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

Note:-

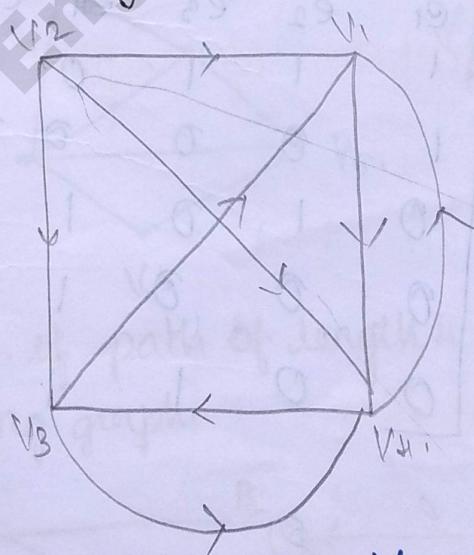
Here,  $A(G)$  is Symmetry

Ex:-



$$A(G) = \begin{bmatrix} a & a & b & c & d & e \\ a & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ b & 0 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ c & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ d & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ e & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Find the adjacency matrix of following graph:



$$A(G) = \begin{bmatrix} V_1 & V_1 & V_2 & V_3 & V_4 \\ V_1 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ V_2 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ V_3 & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ V_4 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

Incidence matrix:

Let  $G$  be a graph with  $N$  vertices and  $M$  edges.  
The incidence matrix defined by  $B(G) = (b_{ij}^{\circ})$

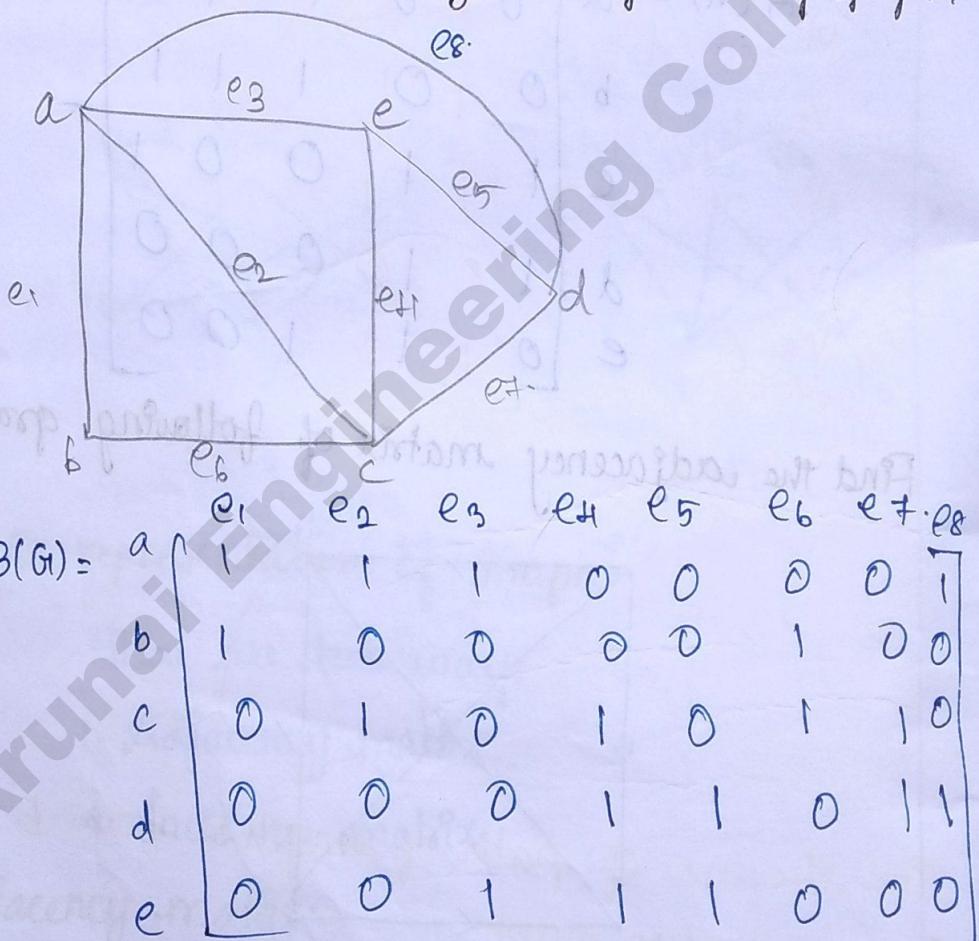
where

$$b_{ij}^{\circ} = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if } j^{\text{th}} \text{ edge } e_j^{\circ} \text{ is incident on } i^{\text{th}} \\ & \text{vertex.} 0, & \text{otherwise.} \end{cases}$$

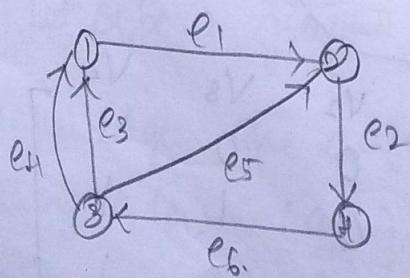
For directed graph,

$$b_{ij}^{\circ} = \begin{cases} 1, & \text{if edge } e_j^{\circ} \text{ is directed from } V_i \\ -1 & \text{if edge } e_j^{\circ} \text{ is directed to } V_i. \end{cases}$$

Write the incidence matrix for the following graph:



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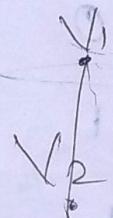
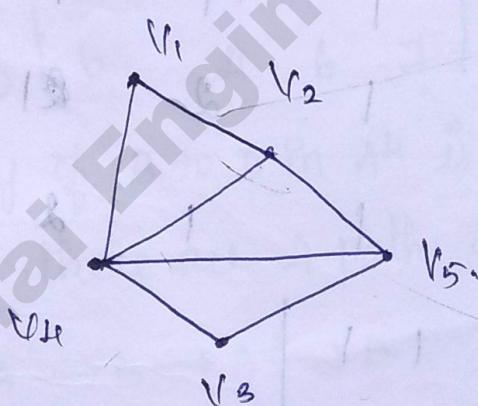
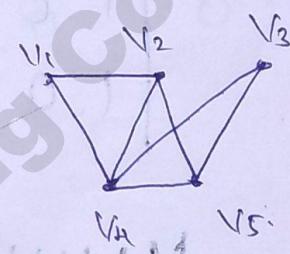


Find the Incident matrix of the following graph:-

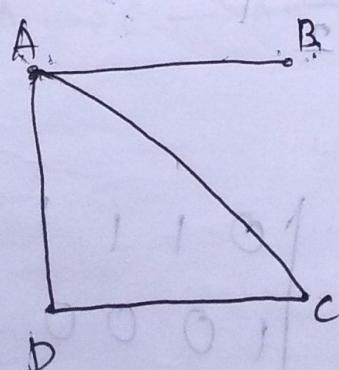
	$e_1$	$e_2$	$e_3$	$e_4$	$e_5$	$e_6$
1	1	0	-1	-1	0	0
2	-1	1	0	0	-1	0
3	0	0	1	1	1	-1
4	0	-1	0	0	0	1

1. Draw the graph  $G_1$  to the following adjacency matrix.

	$v_1$	$v_2$	$v_3$	$v_4$	$v_5$
$v_1$	0	1	0	1	0
$v_2$	1	0	0	1	1
$v_3$	0	0	0	1	1
$v_4$	1	1	1	0	0
$v_5$	0	1	1	1	0



Find the no. of path of length 4 from B to D in the following graph.



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The adjacency matrix is  $A =$

$$A = \begin{bmatrix} A & B & C & D \\ A & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ B & 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ C & 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ D & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A^2 = A \cdot A$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} (1+1+1) & (0) & (0) & (1) \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 4 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$A^3 = A^2 \cdot A$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 3 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 2 & 1 \\ 1 & 1 & 1 & 2 \end{vmatrix} \begin{vmatrix} 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 & 3+4 & 4 \\ 3 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 4 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 1 & 3 & 2 \end{vmatrix}$$

$$A^4 = A^3 \cdot A$$

$$= \begin{vmatrix} 2 & 3 & 4 & 4 \\ 3 & 0 & 1 & 1 \\ 4 & 1 & 2 & 3 \\ 4 & 1 & 3 & 2 \end{vmatrix} \quad \left| \begin{array}{cccc} 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 0 \\ 1 & 0 & 0 & 1 \\ 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{array} \right|$$

$$A^4 = \begin{array}{c|cccc} & A & B & C & D \\ \hline A & 0 & 1 & 2 & 6 \\ B & 2 & 3 & 4 & 4 \\ C & 6 & 4 & 7 & 6 \\ D & 6 & 2 & 6 & 7 \end{array}$$

The entry of B to D in  $A^4$  is 4.

Hence there are 4 paths of length 4 from B to D.

i)  $B \rightarrow A \rightarrow B \rightarrow A \rightarrow D$ .

ii)  $B \rightarrow A \rightarrow D \rightarrow C \rightarrow D$ .

iii)  $B \rightarrow A \rightarrow D \rightarrow A \rightarrow D$ .

iv)  $B \rightarrow A \rightarrow C \rightarrow A \rightarrow D$ .

**Theorem 4 :**

If all the vertices of an undirected graph are each of degree  $k$ , show that the number of edges of the graph is a multiple of  $k$ .

**Proof :**

Let  $2n$  be the number of vertices of the given graph.

Let  $n_e$  be the number of edges of the given graph.

By Handshaking theorem, we have

$$\sum_{i=1}^{2n} \deg V_i = 2n_e$$

$$\Rightarrow 2nk = 2n_e \quad (\text{Using (1)})$$

$$\Rightarrow n_e = nk$$

$\Rightarrow$  number of edges = multiple of  $k$ .

$\therefore$  The number of edges of the given graph is a multiple of  $k$ .

**Example 1 :** How many edges are there in a graph with ten vertices each of degree six.

**Solution :**

Let  $e$  be the number of edges of the graph.

$$2e = \text{Sum of all degrees}$$

$$= 10 \times 6$$

$$= 60$$

$$2e = 60$$

$$e = 30$$

$\therefore$  There are 30 edges.

*Example 2 : Can a simple graph exist with 15 vertices each of degree 5.*

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*Solution :*

$$2e = \sum d(v)$$

$$2e = 15 \times 5$$

$$= 75$$

$$e = \frac{75}{2}$$

Which is not an integer.

Such a graph does not exist.

(or)

By a theorem (Theorem 2), in a graph the number of odd degree vertices is even. Therefore, it is not possible to have 15 vertices, which is of odd degree.

Such a graph does not exist.

*Example 3 : For the following degree sequences, 4, 4, 4, 3, 2 find if there exist a graph or not.*

*Solution :*

$$\left. \begin{array}{l} \text{Sum of the degree of} \\ \text{all vertices} \end{array} \right\} = 4 + 4 + 4 + 3 + 2 \\ = 17$$

Which is an odd number.

∴ Such a graph does not exist.

*Example 4 : How many vertices does a regular graph of degree 4 with 10 edges have.*

*Solution :*

$$\sum d(v) = 2e$$

Let 'n' be the number of vertices and 'e' is the number of edges.

$$4n = 2 \times 10$$

$\left( \because \text{In a regular graph each vertices is of same degree} \right)$

$$\Rightarrow n = 5$$

∴ There are 5 vertices in a regular graph of degree 4 with 10 edges.

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*Example 5 : Does there exist a simple graph with five vertices of the following degrees? If so draw such graph*

$$(a) \ 1, 1, 1, 1, 1$$

$$(b) \ 3, 3, 3, 3, 2$$

*Solution :*

(a) We know that in any graph the number of odd degree vertices is always even.

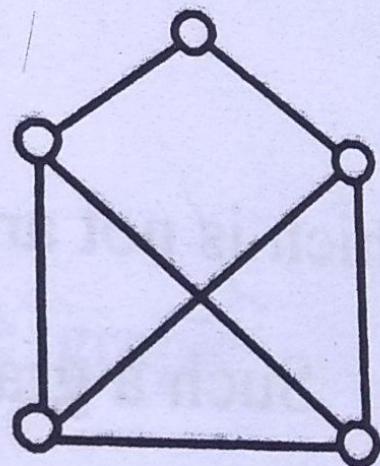
In case (a) number of odd degree vertices is 5 (not an even)

$\therefore$  Such a graph does not exist.

(b) For case (b),

$$\text{Sum of degree} = 14 = \text{even}$$

$\therefore$  The graph exist. The graph is



Isomorphism:-

If two graphs  $G$  and  $G'$  are isomorphic if there is a consistent  $f: V(G) \rightarrow V(G')$

Then,

i)  $f$  is ~~tot~~ one-one.

ii)  $f$  is onto.

iii)  $f$  preserves adjacency  
(or)

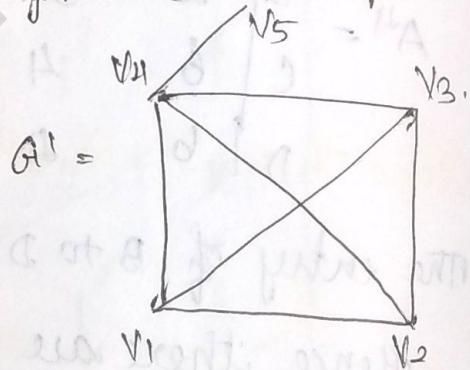
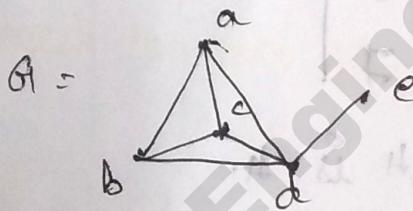
If graphs are isomorphic if

i) They have same number of vertices

ii) They have " " " edges.

iii) Equal no. of vertices with same degree.

Show that the following graph are isomorphic.



Sol:

Both graphs are 5 vertices & 7 edges.

In the graph  $G$ ,

$$d(a) = 3, d(b) = 3, d(c) = 3, d(d) = 3$$

$$d(e) = 1$$

In the Graph  $G'$ ,

$$d(v_1) = 3, d(v_2) = 3, d(v_3) = 3, d(v_4) = 3$$

$$d(v_5) = 1$$

$\therefore$  The adjacency matrices are ~~Also~~

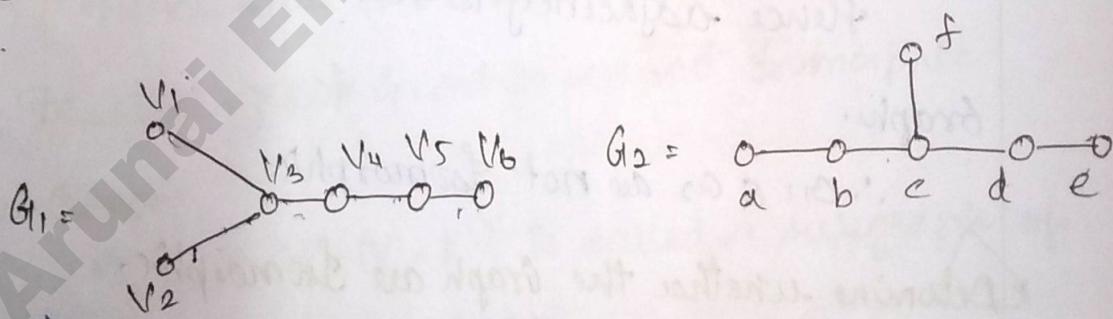
$$A(G) = \begin{bmatrix} a & a & b & c & d & e \\ a & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ b & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ c & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ d & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ e & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$$A(G') = \begin{bmatrix} v_1 & v_2 & v_3 & v_4 & v_5 \\ v_1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ v_2 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 1 & 0 \\ v_3 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 & 0 \\ v_4 & 1 & 1 & 1 & 0 & 1 \\ v_5 & 0 & 0 & 0 & 1 & 0 \end{bmatrix}$$

$\therefore$  The adjacency matrices are same.

Hence the given two graphs are Isomorphic.

~~a. Show that the Graph  $G_1, G_2$  are not isomorphic.~~



Ans: Both graphs are 6 vertices and 5 edges.

In the graph  $G_1$ ,

$$d(v_1) = 1, d(v_2) = 2, d(v_3) = 3, d(v_4) = 2, d(v_5) = 2, d(v_6) = 1.$$

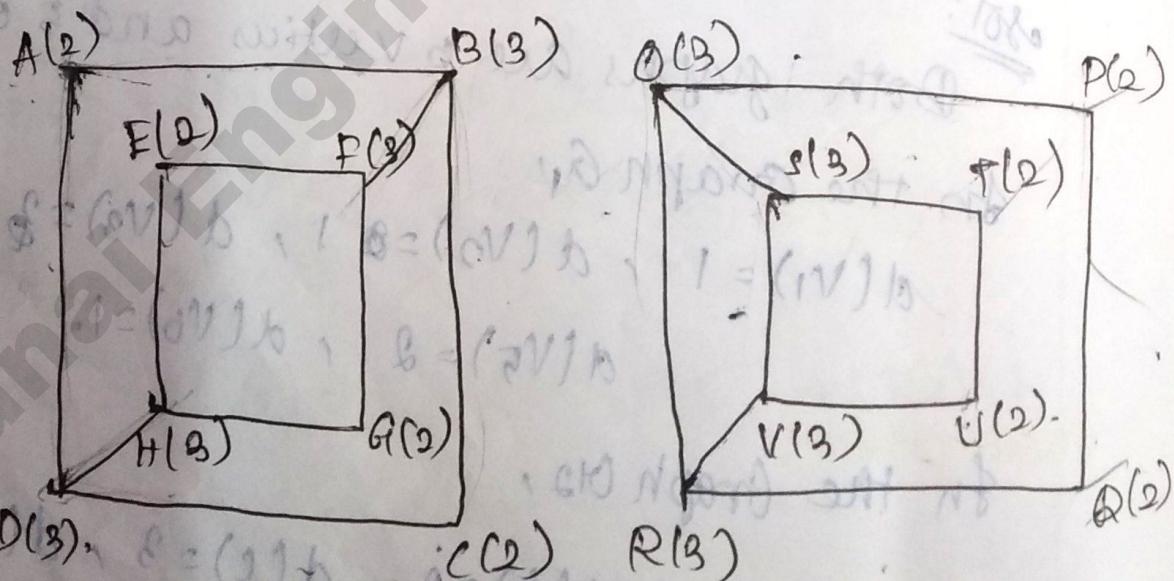
In the Graph  $G_2$ ,

$$d(a) = 1, d(b) = 2, d(c) = 3, d(d) = 2, d(e) = 1, d(f) = 1.$$

In the Graph  $G_1$ , vertex  $V_8$  of degree 3 and there are two pendent vertices adjacent to  $V_8$ .  
 In  $G_1$ , But in the graph  $G_2$  the vertex  $C$  is of degree 3 and it has only one pendent vertex adjacent to it.  
 Hence adjacency is not preserved in the graph.

$\therefore G_1 \& G_2$  are not Isomorphic.

Q. Determine whether the Graph are Isomorphic,



$t = (7) h$

Both the Graphs are 8 vertices & 10 edges.

In the Graph 1,

$$d(A)=2, d(B)=3, d(C)=2, d(D)=3, d(E)=2 \\ d(F)=3, d(G)=2, d(H)=3.$$

In the Graph 2,

$$d(O)=3, d(P)=2, d(Q)=2, d(R)=3, \\ d(S)=3, d(T)=2, d(U)=2, d(V)=3.$$

In the Graph 6.11 vertex A of degree 2 must correspond to P, Q, T, U in G2. which are of degree 2.

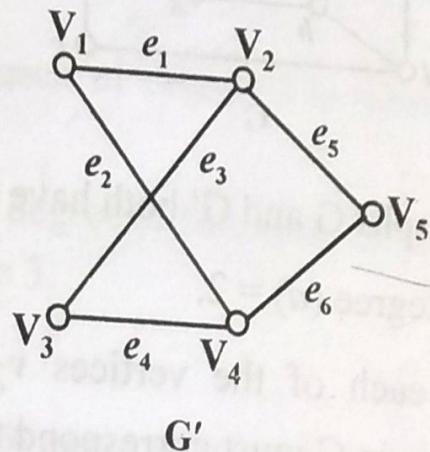
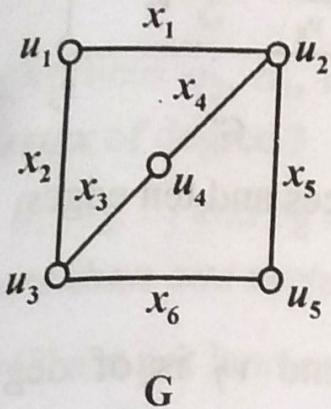
Also, the vertex P, Q, T, U are adjacent to another vertex of degree 2. In G2.

BUT, A is not adjacent to any vertex of degree 2.

Hence there is no correspondence vertex A.

∴ The two graph G1 and G2 are not isomorphic.

*Example 2 : Check the given 2 graphs G and G' are Isomorphic or not.*



*Solution :*

The number of vertices (5) and number of edges (6) are same.

The degree sequence are same. Since, in G we have the vertices  $u_2$  and  $u_3$  of degree 3. They must be mapped to the vertices  $v_2$  and  $v_4$  in  $G'$ .

Define a mapping:

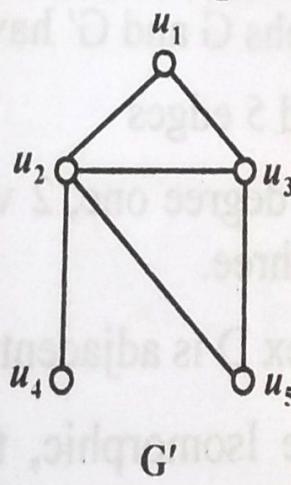
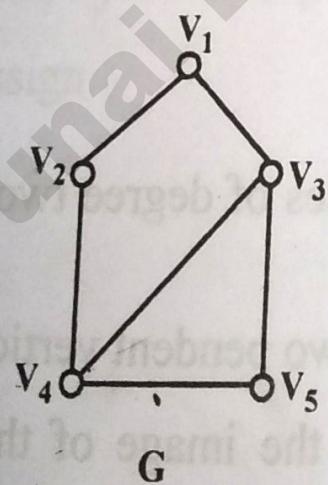
$$u_1 \rightarrow v_1, u_3 \rightarrow v_2, u_5 \rightarrow v_3, u_2 \rightarrow v_4 \text{ and } u_4 \rightarrow v_5$$

Then the edges.  $x_2, x_1, x_6, x_5, x_3$ , and  $x_4$  are mapped into  $e_1, e_2, e_3, e_4, e_5$  and  $e_6$ .

Therefore, there is a 1 – 1 correspondence between the vertices and edges.

Therefore, the given 2 graphs G and  $G'$  are Isomorphic.

*Example 3 : Check the 2 given graphs  $G_1$  and  $G_2$  are Isomorphic or not.*



*Solution :*

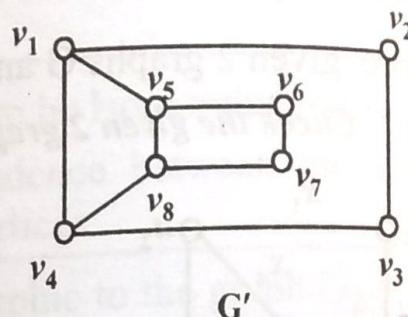
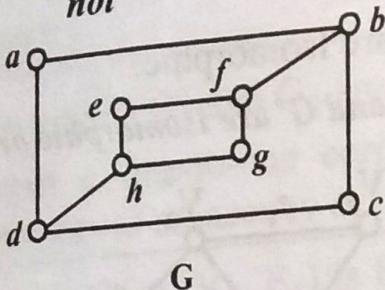
The 2 graphs G and  $G'$  have same number of vertices (5) and same number of edges (6).

But, there is no one-to-one correspondence between edges in G and  $G'$ .

For,  
The graph G have the degree sequence 2, 2, 2, 3, 3. But the degree sequence of  $G'$  is 1, 2, 2, 3, 4.

Therefore, G and  $G'$  are not Isomorphic.

**Example 4 :** Determine whether the graphs given below are Isomorphic or not



**Solution :**

The graphs G and  $G'$  both have eight vertices and ten edges.

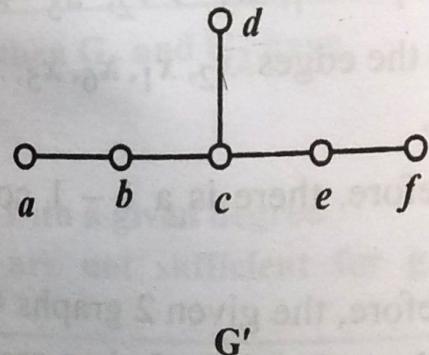
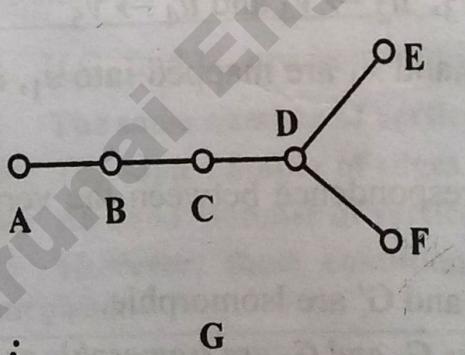
In G, degree (a) = 3.

Since each of the vertices  $v_2$ ,  $v_3$ ,  $v_6$  and  $v_7$  is of deg 2 in  $G'$ . Therefore, a in G must correspond to either  $v_2$ ,  $v_3$ ,  $v_6$  and  $v_7$  of  $G'$ .

Each of the vertices  $v_2$ ,  $v_3$ ,  $v_6$  and  $v_7$  in  $G'$  are adjacent to another vertex of degree 2 in  $G'$ , which is not true for a in G.

Therefore G and  $G'$  are not Isomorphic.

**Example 5 :** Check the given two graphs G and  $G'$  are Isomorphic or not.



**Solution :**

Here both the graphs G and  $G'$  have

(1) 6 vertices and 5 edges

(2) 3 vertices of degree one, 2 vertices of degree two and 1 vertices D of degree three.

But in G, the vertex D is adjacent to two pendent vertices (E and F).

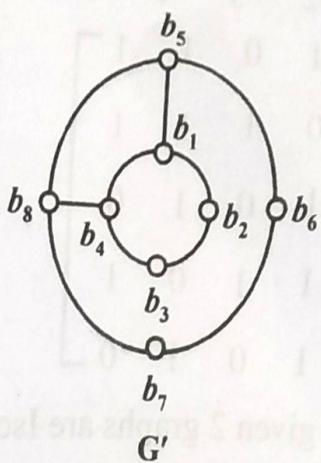
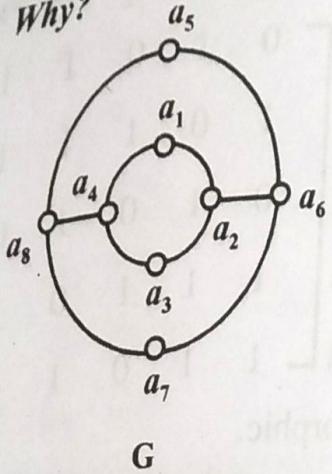
If G and  $G'$  were Isomorphic, then the image of this vertex in  $G'$  should be adjacent of two pendent vertices in  $G'$ .

But in  $G'$ , there is no vertex which is adjacent to two pendent vertices.

Hence G and H are not Isomorphic.

**GRAPHS**  
**Example 6:**

Why?



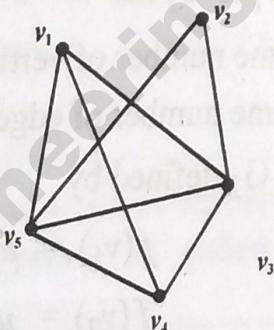
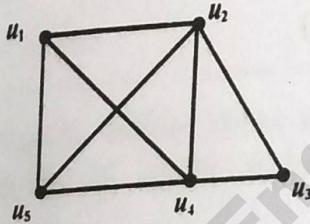
**Solution :**

In  $G$ , the vertices  $a_2, a_4, a_6$  and  $a_8$  each of degree 3 is adjacent to exactly one vertex of degree 3.

But in  $G'$   $b_1, b_4, b_5$  and  $b_8$  are each of degree 3. But these vertices are adjacent to more than one vertex of degree 3.

$G$  and  $G'$  are not Isomorphic.

**Example 7:** Determine whether the following pairs of graphs are isomorphic.



**Solution :**

The given 2 graphs have

- (1) Same number of vertices (5)
- (2) Same number of edges (8)

Moreover, in the given diagram  $u_1$  and  $u_5$  are of degree 3 each,  $u_2$  and  $u_4$  are of degree 4 each and  $u_3$  is degree 2. Similarly  $v_1$  and  $v_4$  are of degree 3 each,  $v_3$  and  $v_5$  are of degree 4 each and  $v_2$  is of degree 2.

Now, if we assign

$$u_1 \rightarrow v_1$$

$$u_2 \rightarrow v_5$$

$$u_3 \rightarrow v_2$$

$$u_4 \rightarrow v_3$$

$$u_5 \rightarrow v_4$$

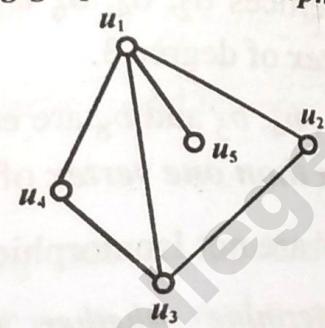
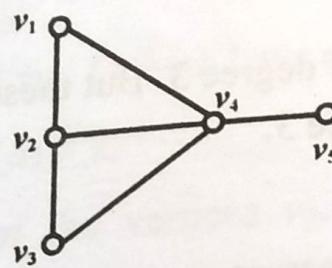
then the adjacency is preserved, which is evidently given by their adjacency matrix.

	$u_1$	$u_2$	$u_3$	$u_4$	$u_5$
$u_1$	0	1	0	1	1
$u_2$	1	0	1	1	1
$u_3$	0	1	0	1	0
$u_4$	1	1	1	0	1
$u_5$	1	1	0	1	0

	$v_1$	$v_5$	$v_2$	$v_3$	$v_4$
$v_1$	0	1	0	1	1
$v_5$	1	0	1	1	1
$v_2$	0	1	0	1	0
$v_3$	1	1	1	0	1
$v_4$	1	1	0	1	0

∴ The given 2 graphs are Isomorphic.

**Example 8 :** State whether the following graphs are isomorphic or not.



**Solution :**

Here both  $G_1$  &  $G_2$  has

- (1) Same number of vertices (5)
- (2) Same number of edges (10)

If  $f: G_1 \rightarrow G_2$  defined by

$$f(v_1) = u_2$$

$$f(v_2) = u_3$$

$$f(v_3) = u_4$$

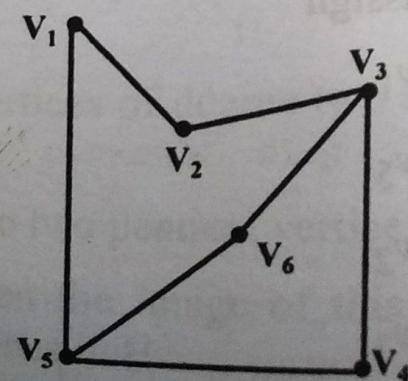
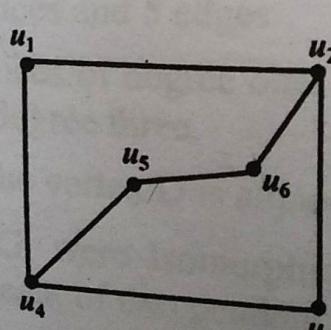
$$f(v_4) = u_1$$

$$f(v_5) = u_5$$

then  $f$  is bijective and also preserves adjacency.

∴ The given 2 graphs are Isomorphic.

**Example 9 :** Determine whether the graphs  $G$  and  $H$  are isomorphic.



**Solution :**

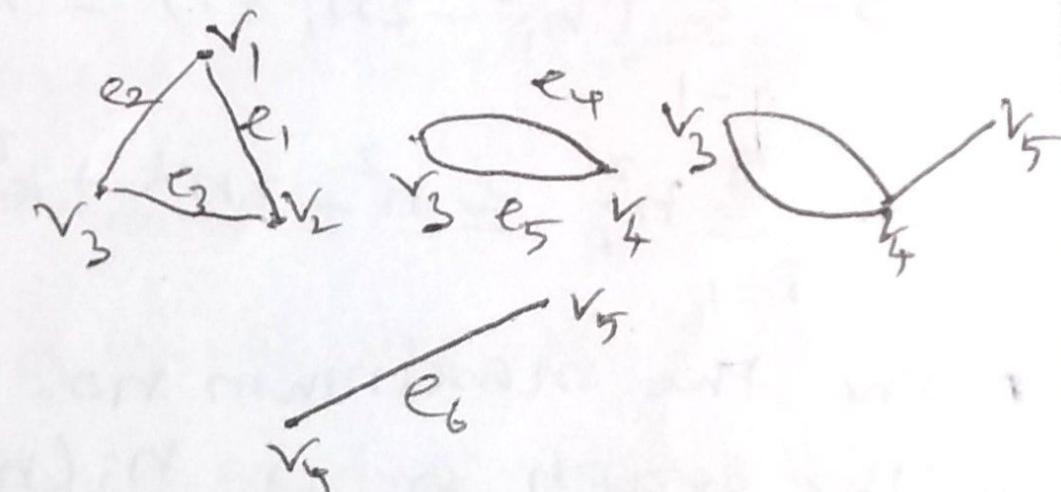
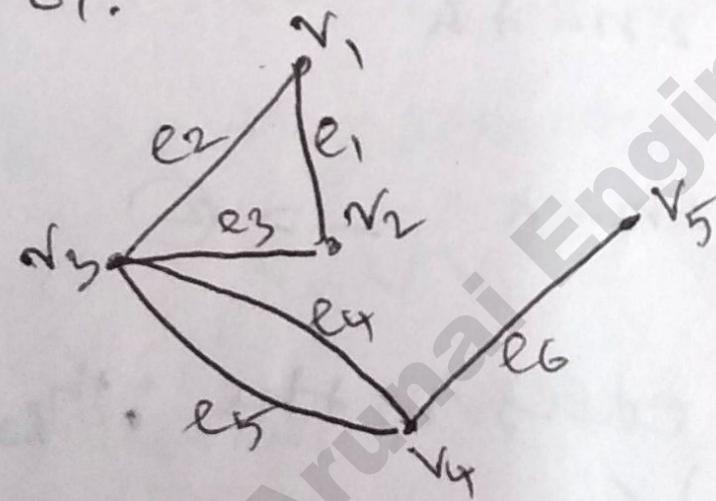
Both the graph  $G$  &  $H$  have

- (1) Same number of vertices (6)
- (2) Same number of edges (7)

A Subgraph:- A graph  $H = (V, E')$  is called a Subgraph of  $G = (V, E)$  if  $V' \subseteq V, E' \subseteq E$

In other words a graph  $H$  is said to be a subgraph of  $G$  if all the vertices and all the edges of  $H$  are in  $G$  and if the adjacency is preserved in  $H$  exactly as in  $G$ .

The subgraph are

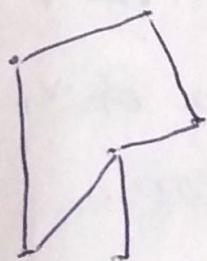


Note:-  
(i) every graph is own subgraph  
(ii) A single vertex is subgraph

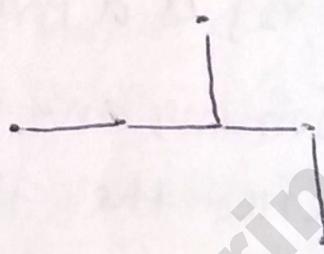
Connected Graph:- A graph  $G$  is said to be connected if every pair of vertices in  $G$  are joined by a path. If  $G$  is not connected then  $G$  is called a disconnected graph.

A maximal connected subgraph of  $G$  is called a components of  $G$ . If  $G$  is disconnected then  $G$  has at least two components. Clearly a graph  $G$  is connected if it has exactly one component.

Ex:-



connected graph



Disconnected  
graph.

Theorem-1 A graph  $G$  is connected iff for any partition of  $V$  into subsets  $V_1$  and  $V_2$  there is an edge joining of  $V_1$  to a vertex of  $V_2$ .

Proof: Let  $G$  be a connected graph and  $V = V_1 \cup V_2$  be a partition of  $V$  into two subsets. Let  $u \in V_1$  and  $v \in V_2$ . Since the graph  $G$  is connected a path in  $G$  say,  $u = v_0, v_1, v_2, \dots, v_n = v$

Let  $i$  be the least positive integer such that  $v_i \in V_2$ . Then  $v_{i-1} \in V_1$  and the vertices  $v_{i-1}, v_i$  are adjacent.

Thus there is an edge joining  $v_{i-1} \in V_1$  and  $v_i \in V_2$

Conversely:- Let  $G$  be a disconnected graph.

then  $G$  contains at least 2 components.

Let  $V_1$  be the set of all vertices of one component and  $V_2$  be the set of remaining vertices of  $G$ .

Clearly  $V_1 \cup V_2 = V$  and  $V_1 \cap V_2 = \emptyset$

$\therefore$  the collection  $\{V_1, V_2\}$  is a partition of  $V$  and there is no edge joining any vertex of  $V_1$  to any vertex of  $V_2$ . Hence the theorem.

Theorem 2 :- A simple graph with  $n$  vertices and  $k$  components can have at most  $\frac{(n-k)(n-k+1)}{2}$  edges.

Proof:- Let  $n_1, n_2, \dots, n_k$  be the no. of vertices in each of the  $k$  components of a graph  $G$ .

Then  $n_1 + n_2 + \dots + n_k = n$ , where  $n_i \geq 1$

$$\sum_{i=1}^k n_i = n \rightarrow ①$$

$$\text{Now } \sum_{i=1}^k (n_i - 1) = (n_1 - 1) + (n_2 - 1) + \dots + (n_k - 1) = \sum_{i=1}^k n_i - k$$

$$\text{i.e., } \sum_{i=1}^k n_i - 1 = n - k$$

squaring on both sides

$$\left[ \sum_{i=1}^k n_i - 1 \right]^2 = (n - k)^2 = n^2 - 2nk + k^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^k (n_i - 1)^2 + 2 \sum_{i < j} (n_i - 1)(n_j - 1) = n^2 - 2nk + k^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^k (n_i - 1)^2 \leq n^2 - 2nk + k^2 \quad [\because n_i \geq 1]$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^k (n_i^2 - 2n_i + 1) \leq n^2 - 2nk + k^2$$

$$\Rightarrow \sum_{i=1}^k n_i^2 \leq n^2 - 2nk + k^2 + 2n - k \rightarrow ②$$

Now the maximum no. of edges in the  $i^{th}$  component of the graph  $G$  is  $n_i(n_i - 1)/2$

$\therefore$  The maximum no. of edges of  $G$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^k n_i(n_i - 1)$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{i=1}^k n_i^2 - \frac{1}{2}n \quad \text{by } ①$$

$$\leq \frac{1}{2}(n^2 - 2nk + k^2 + 2n - k) - \frac{1}{2}n \quad \therefore \text{by } ②$$

$$\leq \frac{1}{2}(n^2 - 2nk + k^2 + 2n - k - n)$$

$$\leq \frac{1}{2}(n^2 - 2nk + k^2 + n - k)$$

$$\leq \frac{1}{2}[(n-k)^2 + n - k]$$

$$\leq \frac{1}{2}[(n-k)(n-k+1)]$$

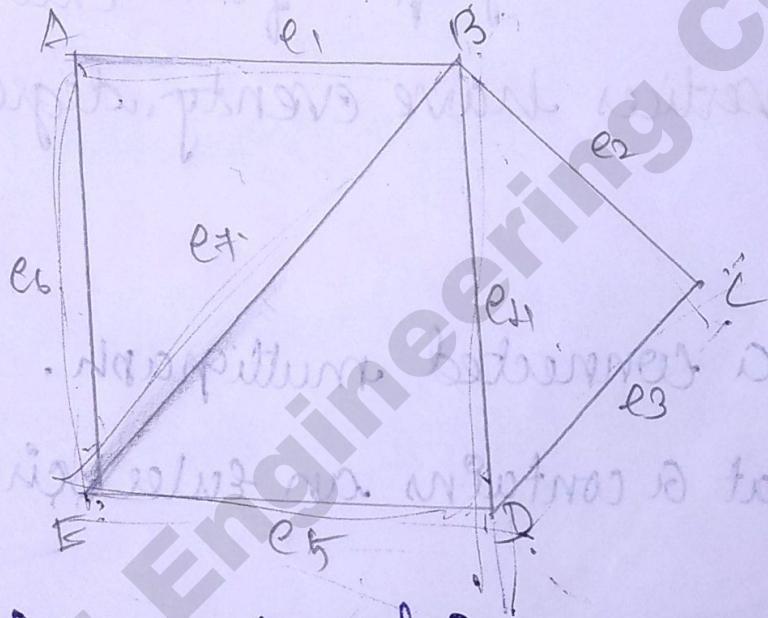
Hence the theorem.

Euler Graph:-

Eulerian path:-

A path of a graph  $G_1$  is called Eulerian path. If it contains each edge of the graph exactly once.

Example:-



Euler path between E and D

$E - D - C - B - A - E - B - D.$

$E - A - B - C - D - B - E - D.$

Eulerian Circuit: (a) Eulerian Cycle

An Eulerian circuit or Eulerian cycle should satisfy the following conditions.

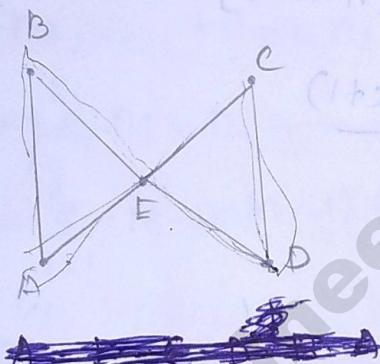
i) Starting & ending vertices are same.

ii) Cycle should contain all the edges of graph but exactly once.

Euler Graph:-

Any graph containing an Eulerian circuit or Eulerian cycle is called an Euler graph.

Ex:-



A - E - D - C - E - B - A.

④ A connected multigraph has an Euler circuit if and only if all vertices have even degree.

Proof:-

Let G be a connected multigraph.

Suppose that G contains an Euler circuit say from  $V_0$  to  $V_0$ .

$V_0 - e_1 - V_1 - e_2 - \dots - V_{n-1} - e_n - V_0$

Both edges  $e_1$  and  $e_n$  contribute a 1 to  $\deg(V_0)$  and so  $\deg(V_0)$  is at least two.

each time the circuit passes through a vertex (including  $v_0$ ) the degree of vertex is increased by 2. Consequently the degree of all vertices, <sup>including  $v_0$  is an</sup> ~~is even.~~ Conversely, Suppose that every vertex of  $G$  <sup>is</sup> has even degree.

The construction of the Euler circuit in  $G$  proves  $G$  is an Euler graph.

Let  $v_0$  be an arbitrary vertex in  $G$ . Beginning with  $v_0$ , form a circuit  $C_1 : v_0 - v_1 - v_2 - \dots - v_{n-1} - v_0$ . This is possible since every vertex has even degree and a vertex ( $\neq v_0$ ) can be left by an edge not used to enter it.

If  $C_1$  is Eulerian,  $G$  is an Eulerian Graph. If  $C_1$  not Eulerian, consider the subgraph  $H$  obtained by deleting all the edges in  $C_1$  and vertices not incident with the remaining edges.

Note that all vertices of  $H$  have even degree. Since  $G$  is connected  $H$  and  $C_1$  <sup>must</sup> have a common vertex  $b$ .

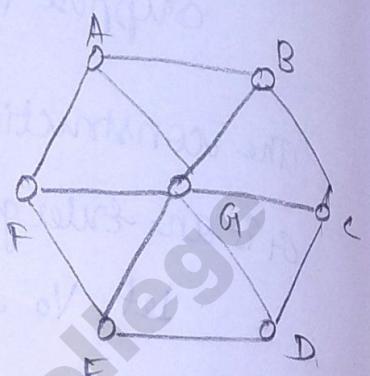
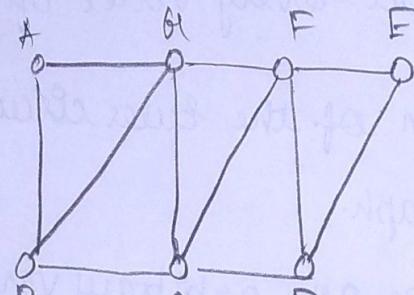
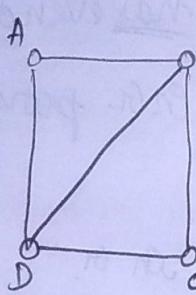
Beginning with  $b$ , construct a circuit  $C_2$  for  $H$ . Consider a larger circuit  $C$  by combining  $C_1$  and  $C_2$ .

If  $C$  is Eulerian,  $G$  has an Euler circuit.

If  $C$  is not Eulerian, continue this procedure to form a Eulerian circuit. <sup>this procedure must terminate</sup> Since  $G$  has finite no. of edges, the process terminates in  $G$  is finite.

Thus  $G_1$  contains an Eulerian circuit & hence is Eulerian.

Find an Euler path and an Eulerian circuit if it exists in each of the 3 graphs. If it does not exist explain why?



solv:

1) In the graph  $G_1$ , the vertices B and D have odd degree namely 3.

$\therefore G_1$  contains exactly two vertices (B & D) of odd degree.

Then by above result  $G_1$  has an Eulerian path which have an end points as B and D. And does not have an Eulerian circuit.

Euler path:-

D - A - B - C - D - B

Since Eulerian circuit does not exist for  $G_1$ .

The given graph not Eulerian circuit.

2)

$G_2$  has exactly two vertices of odd degree

namely B & D so it has an Euler path. that must have B and D as endpoints and does not have an Eulerian circuit.

One such Euler path is

$$B - A - G - F - E - D - C - B \text{ or } B - C - F - D$$

Since  $G_2$  does not have Eulerian circuit.

$\therefore G_2$  is not Euler graph.

- 3) In  $G_3$  there are 6 vertices of odd degree hence  $G_3$  contains neither an Euler path nor Eulerian circuit.

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Hamiltonian path:-

A path of a graph  $G$  is called a Hamiltonian path if it includes each vertex of  $G$  exactly once.

Hamiltonian Circuit:-

A circuit of a graph  $G$  is called an Hamiltonian circuit. If it includes each vertex of  $G$  exactly once except the starting and end vertices.

Hamiltonian Graph:-

Any graph containing a Hamiltonian circuit or cycle is called Hamiltonian graph.

Theorem 1:-

Show that complete graph on  $n \geq 3$  vertices  $K_n$  has Hamiltonian cycle.

sol:-

Let  $U$  be any vertex of  $K_n$ .

Since  $K_n$  is complete graph with  $n$  vertices, any two vertices are joined.

So, we start with  $U$  and visit vertices in any order exactly once and come back to  $U$ .

Hence there is a Hamiltonian cycle in  $K_n$ , and thus  $K_n$  is hamiltonian.

Theorem 2:-

If  $G$  is a connected simple graph with  $n$  vertices with  $n \geq 9$  such that the degree of every vertex in  $G$  is atleast  $n/2$ , then prove that  $G$  has Hamiltonian cycle.

Proof:-

Assume that the theorem is false.

And let  $G$  be a maximal non-hamiltonian simple graph with  $n \geq 3$  and the degree of each vertex is atleast  $n/2$ .

i.e,

$d(v) \geq n/2$  for all vertices in  $G$ .

Let  $U$  and  $V$  be not adjacent vertices in  $G$ .

Then  $d(U) + d(V) \geq n/2 + n/2$ .

$$d(U) + d(V) \geq n.$$

$\therefore$  For two not adjacent vertices  $U$  and  $V$ . The result holds

$$d(U) + d(V) \geq n$$

which is contradiction to the hypothesis that the degree of vertex is at least  $n/2$ .

$\therefore G$  is hamiltonian cycle.

Give an example of a graph which is

i) Eulerian but not hamiltonian.

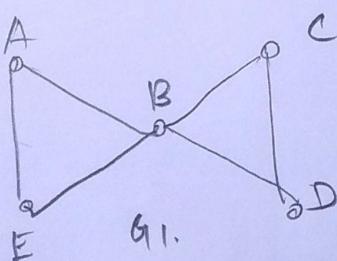
ii) hamiltonian but not Eulerian.

iii) Both hamiltonian & Eulerian.

iv) Both are not hamiltonian or Eulerian.

Ans:

i) Example of Eulerian but not hamiltonian graph.



Reason:

$G_1$  contains the Eulerian cycle is  $A - B - C - D - B - E - A$

(all the edges occurs exactly once, moreover the degree of all vertices in  $G_1$  is even.)

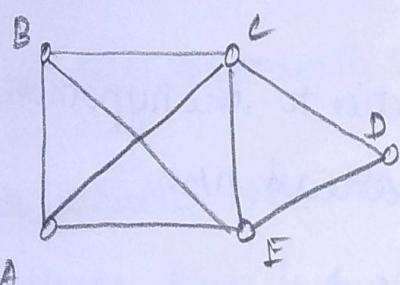
$\therefore G_1$  is Euler Graph.

We cannot find Hamiltonian cycle as the vertex B is repeated twice.

$\therefore G_1$  is not a Hamiltonian Graph.

Hence  $G_1$  is Eulerian but not Hamiltonian.

2)



A - B - C - D - E - A.

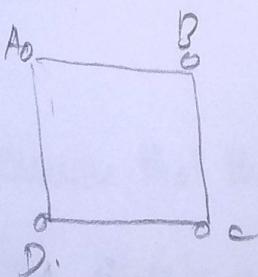
Since  $G_2$  contains Hamiltonian cycle namely A-B-C-D-E-A. (all the vertices occur exactly once).

$\therefore G_2$  is Hamiltonian cycle.

Since the degree of vertex A is 3,  $d(A)$  is not an even.

$\therefore G_2$  is not Eulerian.

3)



In  $G_3$  consider the cycle A-B-C-D-A.

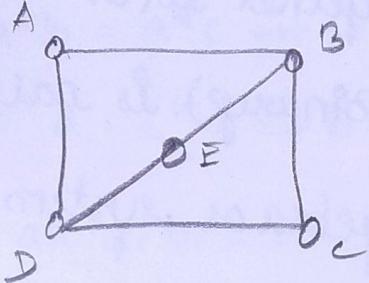
Since the cycle contains all the edges exactly once.

$\therefore G_3$  is Eulerian.

And the cycle contains all the vertices exactly once.

$\therefore G_3$  is Hamiltonian.

4)



In  $G_4$  degree of B equal to

$$\deg(B) = \deg(D) = 3.$$

Since the  $\deg(B)$  and D are not even.

$\therefore G_4$  is not Euler Graph.

As no cycle passes through each of the vertices exactly once.

$\therefore G_4$  is not Hamiltonian.

Hence  $G_4$  is neither Euler graph nor Hamiltonian.