

COLORED PROBLEMS

PARTITION PARAMETERS

IN GRAPHS

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COLORED-DOMINATION

(Sub Sto + PGL)
(CONG. NUM. 167)

COLORED-INDEPENDENCE

PG, CONG. NUM.

COLOR-COMPLETE-CYCLES

GAME THEORETIC:

COMPATIBLE

ALTERNATE MOVES WITH
AN OPPONENT:

INDEPENDENCE $i \in \beta_{com}, \beta_{com}^- \leq \beta$



ENCLAVELESS $\gamma \in \Psi_{com}, \Psi_{com}^- \leq \Psi$

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ACQUISITION

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OPPONENT INITIALLY SETS
SOME CONDITIONS:

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$$\pi: V(G) \xrightarrow{\text{onto}} \{1, 2, 3, \dots, t\}$$

$$V_i = \pi^{-1}(i)$$

$$\mathcal{A} = \{V_1, V_2, \dots, V_t\}$$

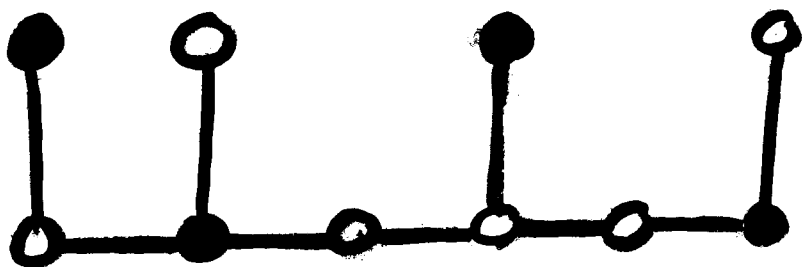
$$V(G) = V_1 \cup V_2 \cup \dots \cup V_t$$

$$\gamma(G; \mathcal{A}) = \text{MIN} \left\{ \left| \bigcup_{i \in I} V_i \right| : \right.$$

$$I \subseteq \{1, 2, \dots, t\}, N\left[\bigcup_{i \in I} V_i\right] = V(G) \left. \right\}$$

$$= \gamma(G; \pi)$$

$$\gamma_{\text{opt}}(G) = \text{MAX} \left\{ \gamma(G; \mathcal{A}) : \right. \\ \left. |V_i| \leq 2 \forall V_i \in \mathcal{A} \right\}$$



THM. $\rightarrow \delta(G) \leq \delta_{\text{cpe}}(G) \leq 2 \cdot \delta(G).$

$\rightarrow \delta(G) \leq \delta(G; \mathcal{A})$

$\leq \delta(G) \cdot \max\{|V_i| : V_i \in \mathcal{A}\}$

OBS. $\mathcal{A} = \{V_1, V_2, V_3, \dots, V_t\}$

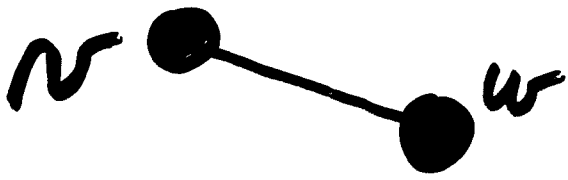
$\mathcal{A}^* = \{V_1, \cup V_2, V_3, \dots, V_t\}$

$\Rightarrow \delta(G; \mathcal{A}) \leq \delta(G; \mathcal{A}^*)$

COR. $\exists \mathcal{A} = \{V_1, V_2, \dots, V_t\}, t = \lceil m/2 \rceil$

WITH $\delta_{\text{cpe}}(G) = \delta(G; \mathcal{A})$

and $|V_i| \leq 2.$



$$\deg v = 1$$

$$\exists \mathcal{A} = \{V_1, V_2, \dots, V_k\} \ni$$

$$\delta_{\text{sep}}(G) = \delta(G; \mathcal{A})$$

$$\text{and } V_1 = \{w, v\}$$

CASE I: $\delta_{\text{sep}}(G) = \delta(G; \mathcal{A})$

$$\mathcal{A} = \{V_1, V_2, V_3, \dots, V_k\}$$

$$V_1 = \{w, v\} \quad V_2 = \{x, y\}$$

$$\text{LET } \mathcal{A}^* = \{\{w, v\}, \{x, y\}, V_3, \dots, V_k\}$$

D^* A COUPLED-DOM. SET FOR \mathcal{A}^*
 $\Rightarrow \{w, v\} \subseteq D^*$

$$\text{IF } \{x, y\} \subseteq D^*, \delta(G; \mathcal{A}) \leq |D^*|$$

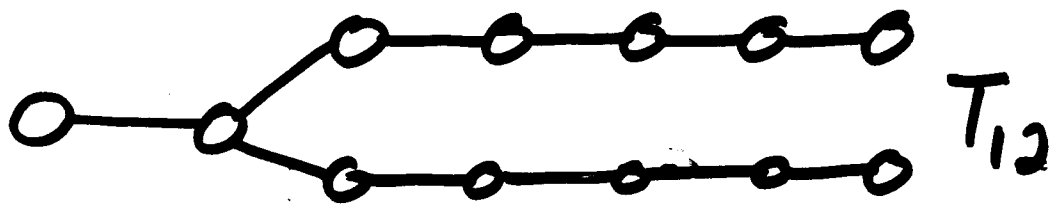
$$= \delta(G; \mathcal{A}^*)$$

$$\text{IF } \{x, y\} \not\subseteq D^*, \text{ LET } D = D^* - \{x, y\}$$

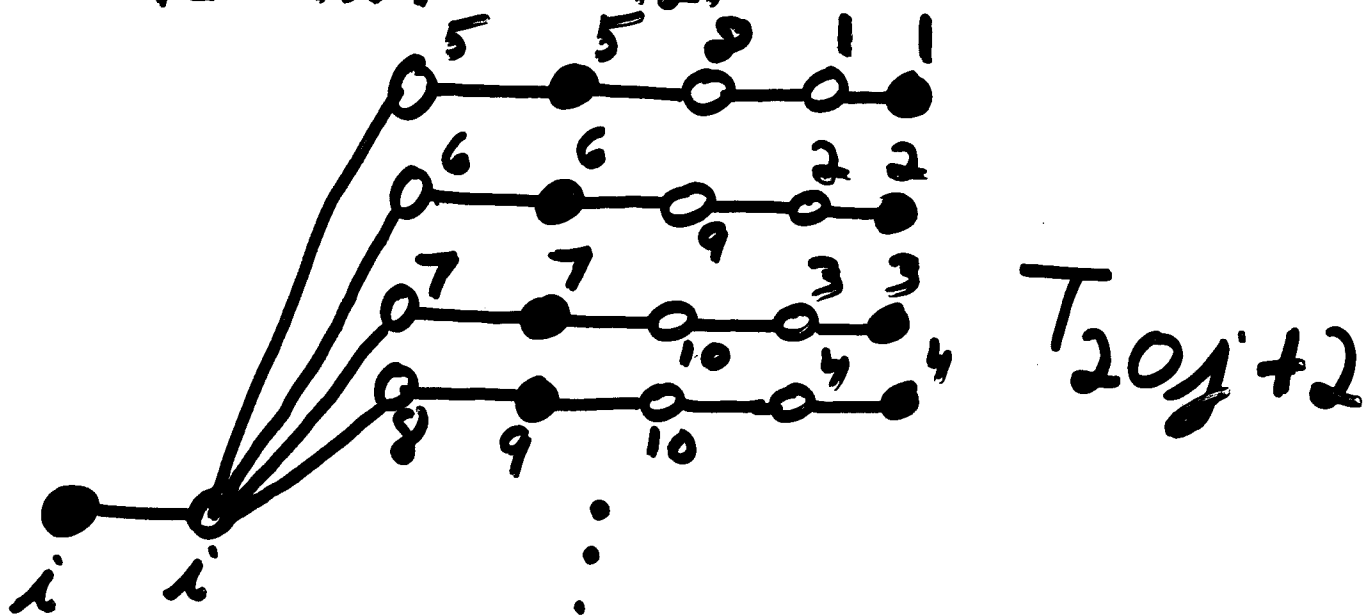
$$\delta(G; \mathcal{A}) \leq |D| = |D^*| = \delta(G; \mathcal{A}^*)$$

$$1 \leq \frac{\delta_{\text{CPL}}(G)}{\delta(G)} \leq 2$$

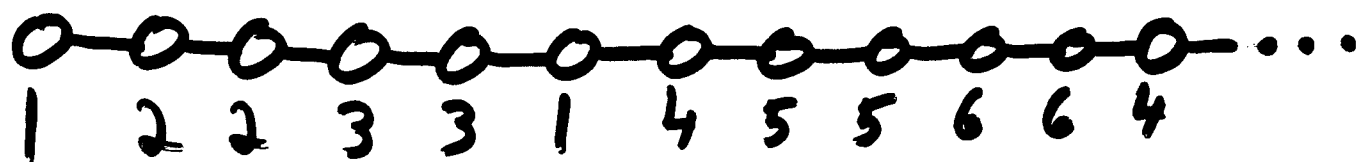
QUESTION: $\text{MIN} \frac{\delta_{\text{CPL}}(T_m)}{\delta(T_m)} = P$



$$\delta_{\text{CPL}}(T_{12}) / \delta(T_{12}) = 8/5$$

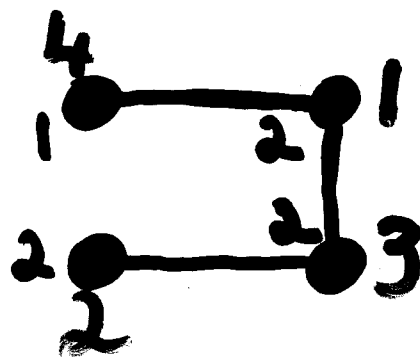
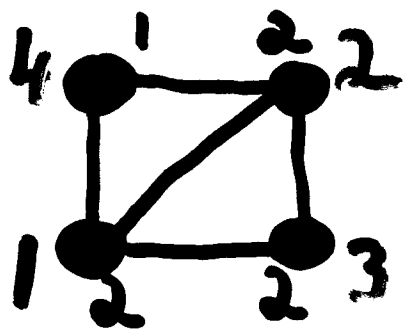
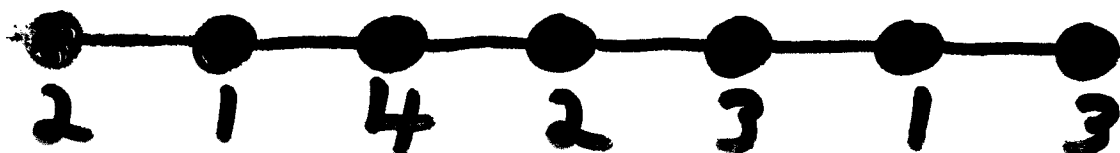


$$\frac{\delta_{\text{CPL}}(T_{20j+2})}{\delta(T_{20j+2})} = \frac{14j+2}{8j+1}$$



$$\gamma_{\text{CPL}}(P_{6x}) = 4x = 2 \cdot 8(P_{6x})$$

COLORED INDEPENDENCE



$$\mathcal{A} = \{S_1, S_2, \dots, S_x\}$$

$$V(G) = S_1 \cup S_2 \cup \dots \cup S_x, \quad S_x \neq \emptyset$$

$$I \subseteq \{1, 2, \dots, x\}$$

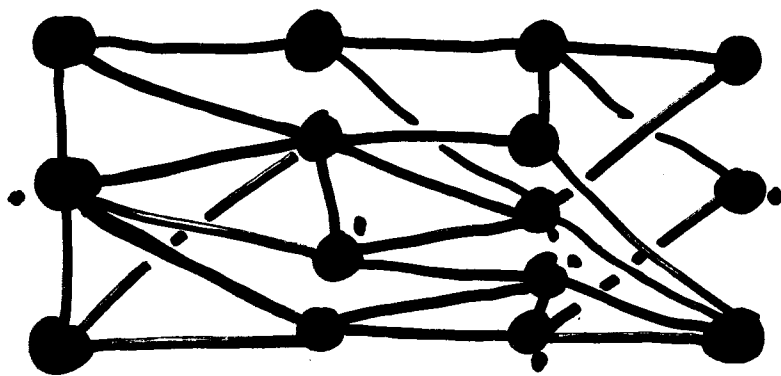
$$S_I = \bigcup_{i \in I} S_i \subseteq V(G)$$

$$\beta(G; \mathcal{A}) = \text{MAX}\{|S_I| : S_I \text{ is independent}\}$$

$$\alpha(G; \mathcal{A}) = \text{MIN}\{|S_I| : S_I \text{ is a vertex cover}\}$$

$$\gamma(G; \mathcal{A}) = \text{MIN}\{|S_I| : S_I \text{ dominates } V(G)\}$$

$$\psi(G; \mathcal{A}) = \text{MAX}\{|S_I| : S_I \text{ is enclaveless}\}$$



THM. $\alpha(G) + \beta(G) = |V(G)|$ (GALLAI, 1959)
 $\gamma(G) + \Psi(G) = |V(G)|$ (PQS, 1977)

(MATRIX) COMPLEMENTATION
THEOREM (PQS, 1996-98)

THM. \forall partition \mathcal{S} of $V(G)$
 $\alpha(G; \mathcal{S}) + \beta(G; \mathcal{S}) = |V(G)|$
 $\gamma(G; \mathcal{S}) + \Psi(G; \mathcal{S}) = |V(G)|$

$$\dots \alpha(G) \leq \gamma(G) \leq \iota(G) \leq \dots \leq \beta(G) \leq \Gamma(G) \leq \text{IR}(G).$$

LOWER INDEPENDENCE

$\iota(G; \mathcal{A}) =$ MINIMUM CARDINALITY
OF AN \mathcal{A} -INDEPENDENT SET
THAT IS MAXIMAL.



$$\iota(G; \mathcal{A}) = \iota(P_{12k}; \mathcal{A}) = 4k = n/3$$

$$\gamma(G; \mathcal{A}) = \gamma(P_{12k}; \mathcal{A}) = 6k = n/2$$

$$\beta(G; \mathcal{S}) = \text{MAX} \{ |S_I| : S_I \text{ is independent} \}$$

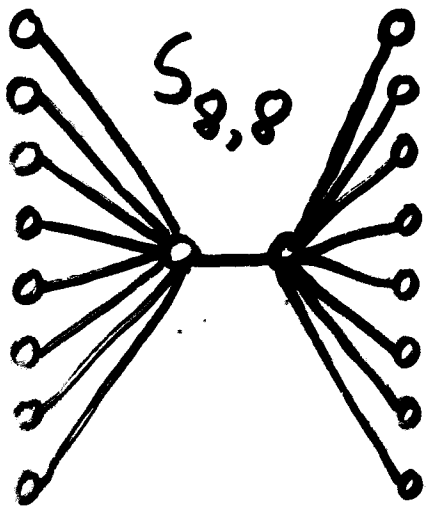
$\mathcal{S} = \{S_1, S_2, \dots, S_t\}$ is PROPER if each S_i is independent.

$$\beta_{\text{PRT}}(G) = \text{MIN} \{ \beta(G; \mathcal{S}) : \mathcal{S} \text{ is proper} \}$$

$$\beta_{\text{PRT}(k)}(G) = \text{MIN} \{ \beta(G; \mathcal{S}) : \mathcal{S} \text{ is proper and } |S_i| \leq k \forall S_i \in \mathcal{S} \}$$

$$\beta_{\text{cpe}}(G) = \beta_{\text{PRT}(2)}(G)$$

THM. $\beta(G) = \beta_{\text{PRT}(1)}(G) \geq \beta_{\text{PRT}(2)}(G) \geq \dots$
 $\dots \geq \beta_{\text{PRT}(k)}(G) \geq \beta_{\text{PRT}(k+1)}(G) \geq \dots \geq \beta_{\text{PRT}}(G)$



$$n = 18$$

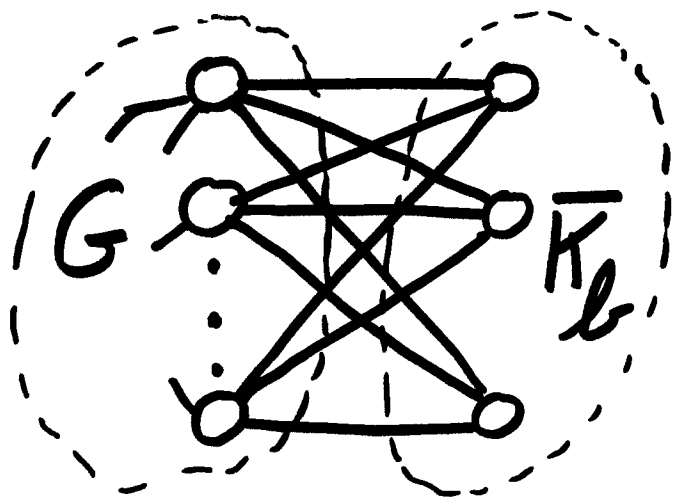
$$\beta = n - 2$$

$$= 16$$

$$\beta_{\text{cpe}} =$$

$$\beta_{\text{PRT}} =$$

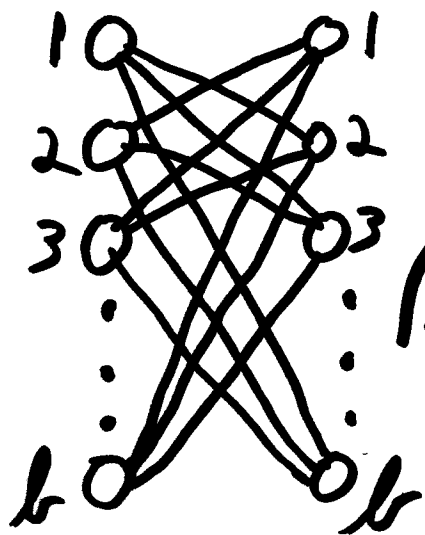
OBS. $\beta(G) \geq 2 \Rightarrow \beta_{\text{PRT}}(G) \geq 2.$



PROP. $\beta(G) \leq b \Rightarrow \beta(G + \overline{K_{b,b}}) = \beta_{\text{PRT}}(G + \overline{K_{b,b}}) = b$

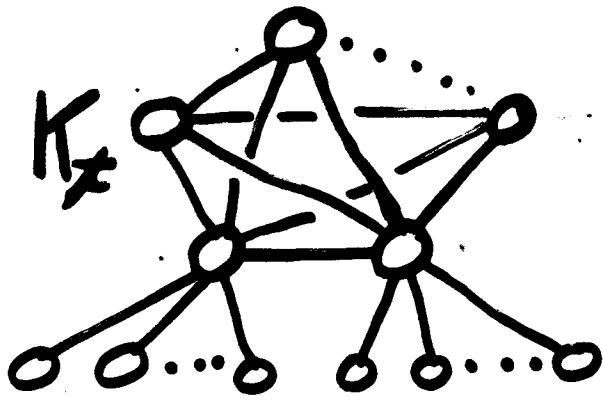
COR. $\beta(K_{m_1, m_2, \dots, m_x}) = \beta_{\text{PRT}}(K_{m_1, m_2, \dots, m_x}) = m_x$ WHERE $m_x \geq m_i, 1 \leq i \leq x.$

$\beta(K_{b,b}) = \beta_{\text{PRT}(2)}(K_{b,b}) = \dots = \beta_{\text{PRT}}(K_{b,b}) = b.$



$\beta(K_{b,b} - M) = b$

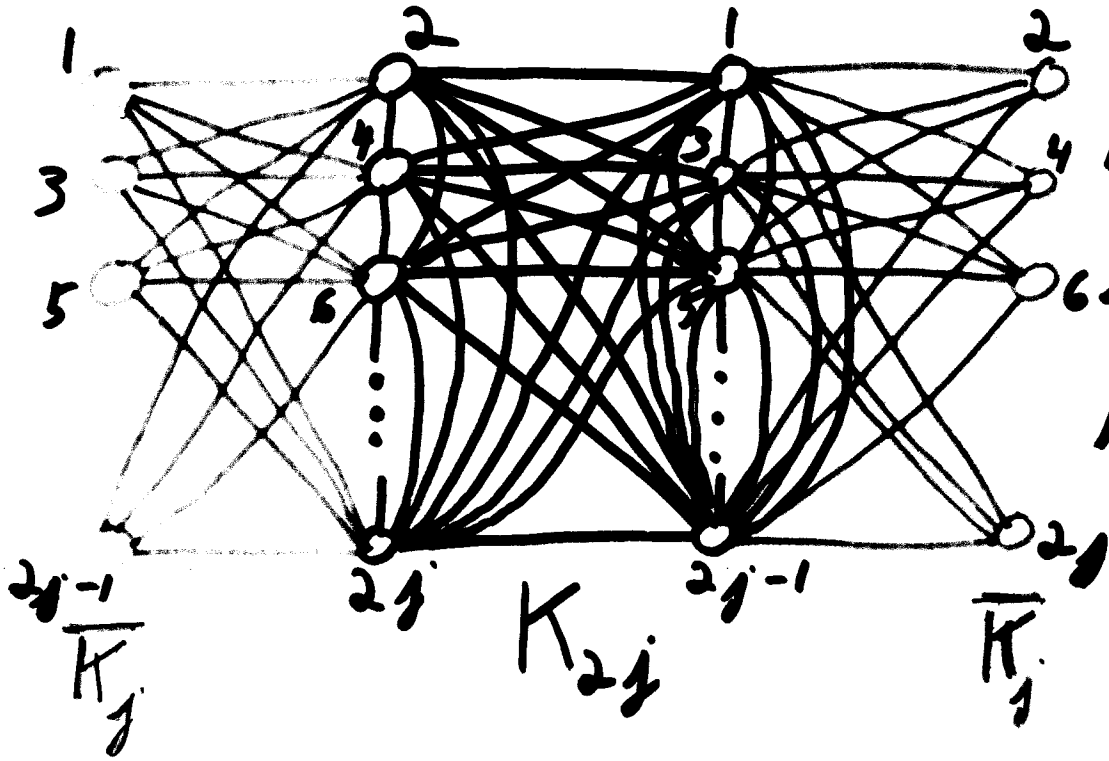
$\beta_{\text{PRT}(2)}(K_{b,b} - M) = \dots = \beta_{\text{PRT}}(K_{b,b} - M) = 2$



$$\beta = n - x + 1$$

$$\beta_{\text{opt}} = n - \frac{1}{2}x + 2$$

$$\beta_{\text{PRT}} = \left\lceil \frac{n}{x} \right\rceil$$



$$\beta = 2j = \frac{n}{2}$$

$$i = j + 1$$

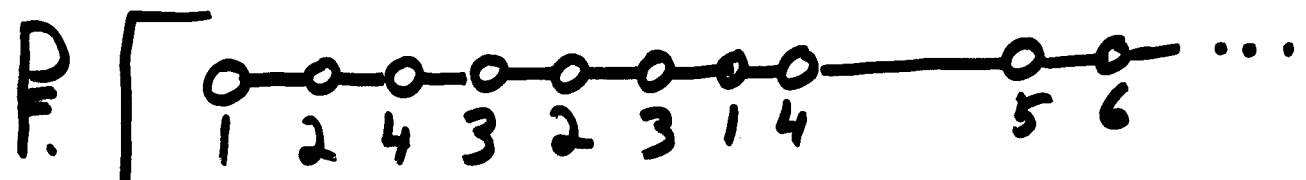
$$\beta_{\text{PRT}(2)}(G) =$$

$$\dots = \beta_{\text{PRT}}(G) = 2$$

PATHS $\beta(P_n) = \lfloor n/2 \rfloor$

n	s_j	s_{j+1}	s_{j+2}	$s_{j+3} \dots s_{j+6}$	s_{j+7}
$\beta_{PRT(2)}(P_n)$	$2j$	$2j+1$	$2j+2$		$2j+3$

$$\beta_{cpl}(P_{s_j}) = 2j = n/4$$



$$\beta_{cpl}(P_{s_j}) \leq \beta(P_{s_j}; \mathcal{S}) = 2j = \frac{n}{4}$$

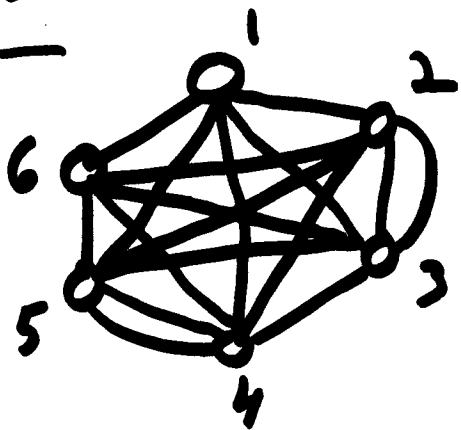
FOR ANY 2-PARTITION \mathcal{S} of $V(P_{s_j})$:
 ITERATE: choose $v \in \text{deg } v \leq 1$
 PUT v IN S
 DELETE v and any $w \in S_i$
 with $S_i \cap (N(v))$
 ...
 $|S| \geq 2j$. $\beta(P_{s_j}; \mathcal{S}) \geq 2j = \frac{n}{4}$

$\beta_{\text{PRT}(k)}(P_n)$: Given an S .

ITERATE: choose an endpoint v
 Put the $j \leq k$ vertices of this color in S
 Delete the at most $j + (2j-1)k$
 "color adjacent" vertices

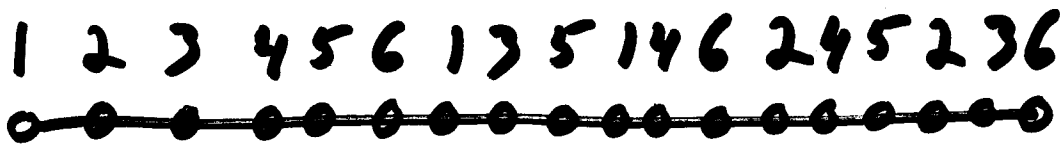
$$\frac{j}{j + (2j-1)k} \geq \frac{k}{2k^2} = \frac{1}{2k}$$

$$\Rightarrow \beta_{\text{PRT}(k)}(P_n) \geq \frac{n}{2k}$$



$$E(K_{2k}^{\#}) = E(K_{2k}) \cup \{ \{2,3\}, \{4,5\}, \dots, \{2k-2, 2k-1\} \}$$

USE EULERIAN TRAIL



$$k=3: \beta_{\text{PRT}(3)}(P_{18}) \leq 3j = \frac{n}{2 \cdot k}$$

$$\rightarrow \beta_{\text{PRT}(k)}(P_{2k^2j}) \leq kj = \frac{n}{2k}$$

$$\underline{\text{THM.}} \quad \beta_{\text{PRT}(h)}(P_{2h^2, j}) = h j \\ = \frac{1}{2h} \cdot n$$

$$\underline{\text{THM.}} \quad \beta_{\text{PRT}}(P_{2h^2}) = h = \frac{\sqrt{n}}{2} n^{1/2}.$$