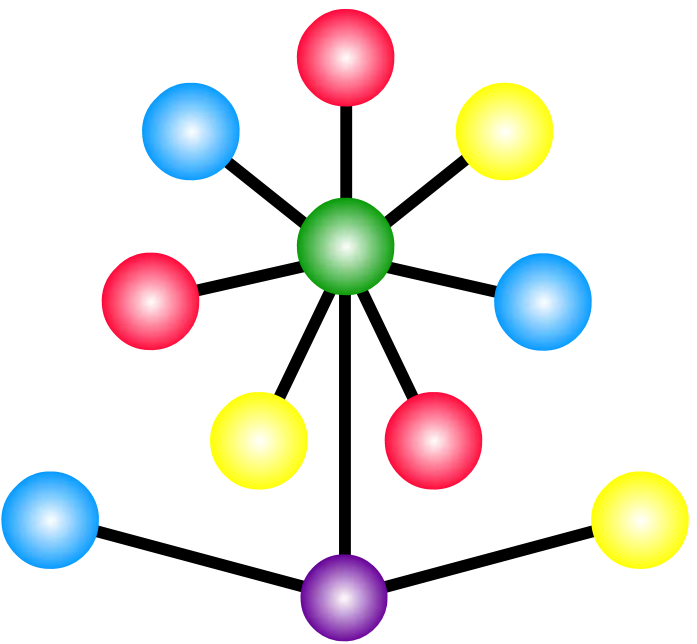


On strongly almost trivial spatial graphs



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1.1 Definitions

G : finite graph

f is a **spatial embedding** of G

def.
 $\Leftrightarrow f : G \rightarrow R^3$: embedding

We call $f(G)$ a **spatial graph**

f, f' : spatial embeddings of G
 f and f' are **equivalent** ($f \sim f'$)

def.
 $\Leftrightarrow \exists h : R^3 \rightarrow R^3$: **orientation preserving** self-homeomorphism
s.t. $h \circ f = f'$



1.1 Definitions

f is **trivial**

$$\begin{aligned} \text{def.} \\ \Leftrightarrow \exists f' \sim f \\ \text{s.t. } f'(G) \subset R^2 \times \{0\} \subset R^3 \end{aligned}$$

G is **planar**

$$\begin{aligned} \text{def.} \\ \Leftrightarrow \exists f : G \rightarrow R^2 : \text{embedding} \end{aligned}$$

Hence

G has trivial spatial embeddings $\Leftrightarrow G$ is planar



1.2 Definitions

$\varphi : G \rightarrow \mathbb{R}^2$: continuous map

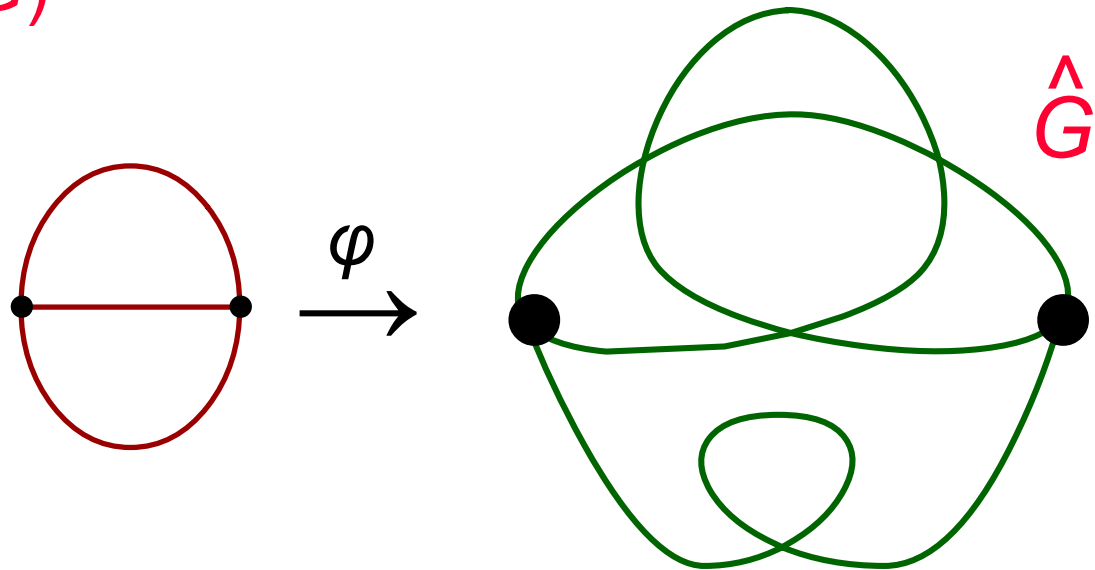
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def. multiple points of φ are

\Leftrightarrow only finitely many transversal double points of edges

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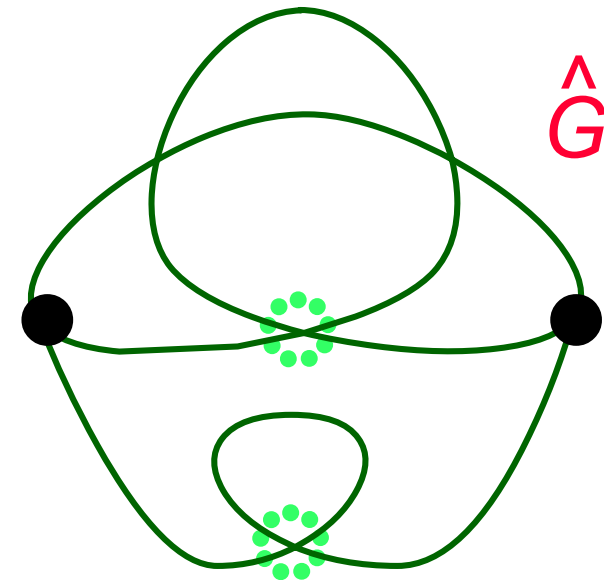
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A double point of a regular projection is called a **crossing**

In particular,

a crossing point c is a **self-crossing**

def.
 $\Leftrightarrow \varphi^{-1}(c) \subset e$, where e is an edge of G



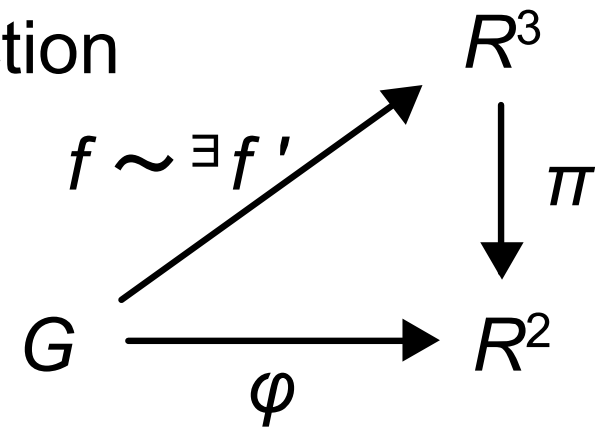
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φ is a **projection of a spatial embedding** f

def. $\exists f' \sim f$ s.t. $\varphi = \pi \circ f'$

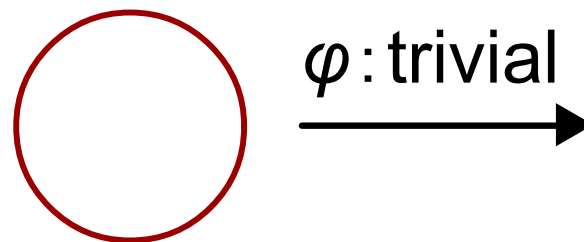
\Leftrightarrow where $\pi: R^3 \rightarrow R^2$ is a natural projection

We say f is obtained from φ



projection φ is **trivial**

def. only trivial spatial embeddings are obtained from φ



1.3 Definitions

G : planar graph

f : spatial embedding of G

f is **almost trivial**.

def.

$\Leftrightarrow \forall H \subsetneq G$: proper subgraph, $f|_H$ is trivial



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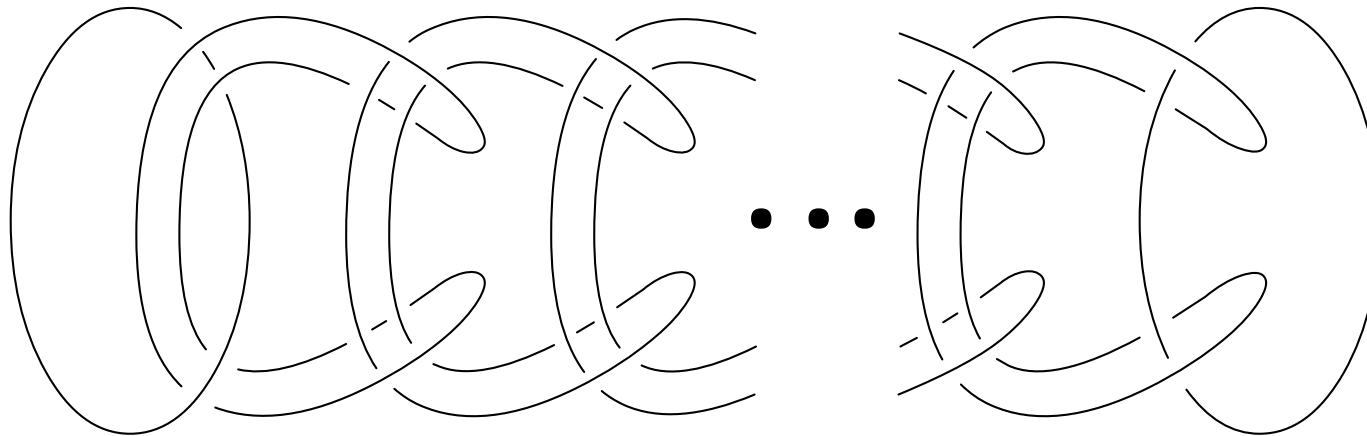
f : spatial embedding of G

f is **minimally knotted**.

def. f is nontrivial.

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ex.



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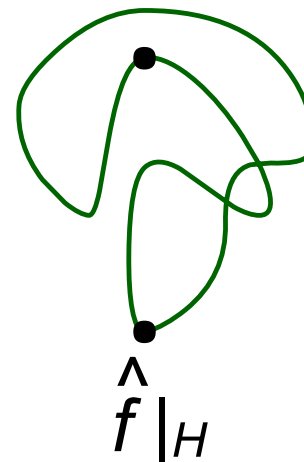
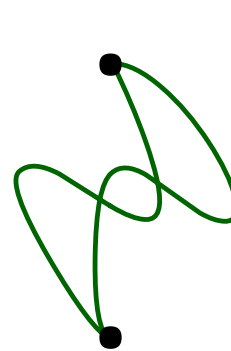
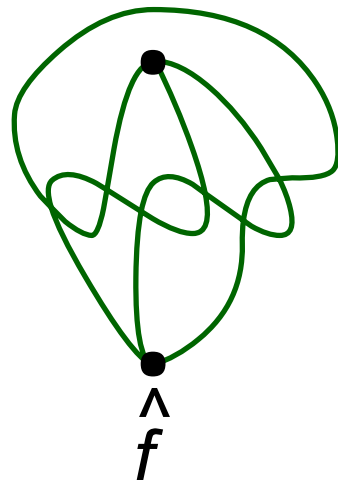
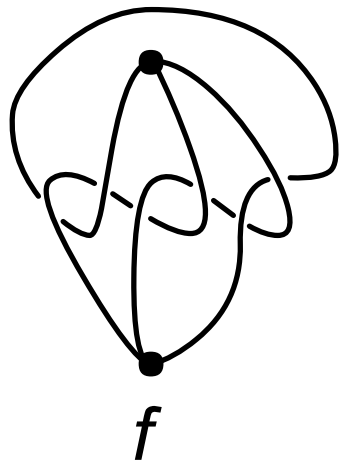
1.3 Definitions

G : planar graph, f : spatial embedding of G
 f is **strongly almost trivial (SAT)**.

def. f is nontrivial, $\exists \hat{f}$: projection of f
 \Leftrightarrow s.t. $\forall H \subsetneq G$: proper subgraph, $\hat{f}|_H$ is trivial

We call \hat{f} **SAT projection**.

Hence, f is a SAT embedding of $G \Rightarrow f$ is minimally knotted
 ex. θ -curve has strongly almost trivial embeddings.



2.1 SATに関連すること

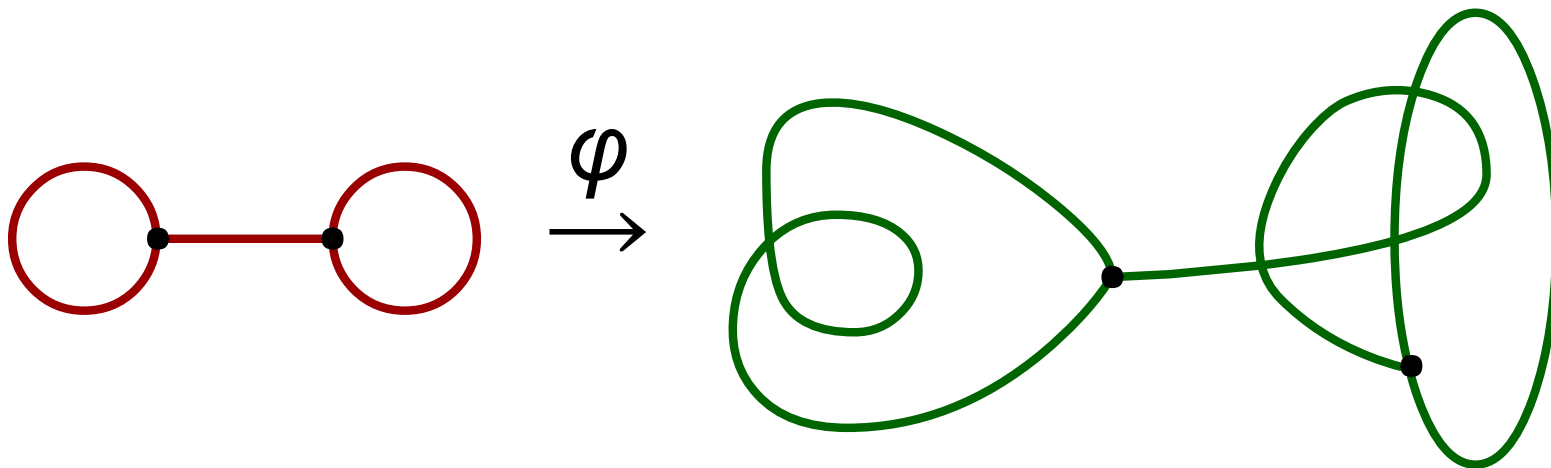
φ : projection of G

φ is **identifiable**.

def.
 $\Leftrightarrow \forall f, f' : \text{spatial embeddings from } \varphi$
 $f \sim f'$

We call φ **IP**.

ex.



2.1 SATに関連すること

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φ is **almost identifiable**.

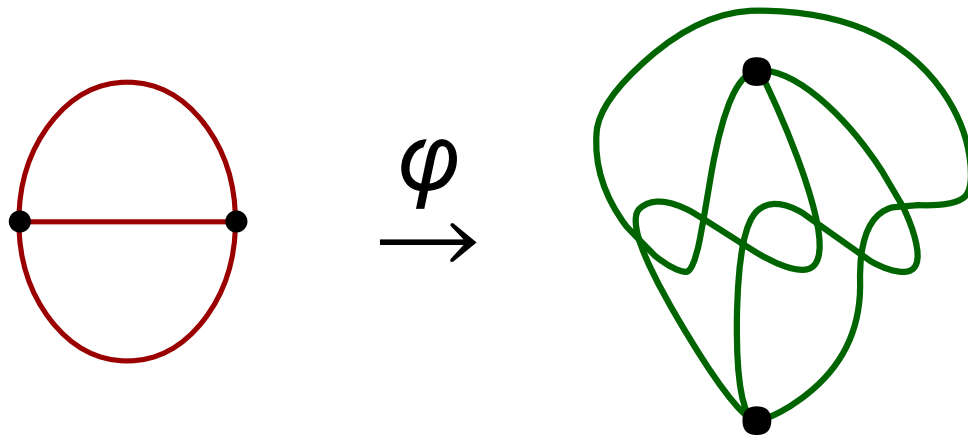
def.
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We call φ **AIP**.

Hence, φ of G is identifiable. $\Rightarrow \varphi$ is almost identifiable.

φ of G is a SAT projection. $\Rightarrow \varphi$ is almost identifiable.

ex.



2.1 SATに関連すること

Proposition 1 [Huh-Taniyama, 2002]

Only planar graphs have identifiable projections.

Theorem 2 [Nikkuni, 2005]

φ : projection of G

φ is identifiable

$\Leftrightarrow \forall f$: spatial embedding obtained from φ ,
 f is trivial



2.1 SATに関連すること

Theorem 3 [Nikkuni, 2005]

G : planar graph which does not have a SAT embedding

φ : projection of G

φ is IP. \Leftrightarrow φ is AIP.

SAT埋め込みをもたないグラフのIPの判定は、
真部分グラフのIPを見ればよい



2.2 知られていること

Question 1

What kind of planar graphs have
minimally knotted spatial embeddings ?

Ans. **Every planar graph** without vertices of degrees ≤ 1
([Kawauchi, 1989], [Wu, 1993]).



2.2 知られていること

Question 2

What kind of planar graphs have SAT embeddings ?

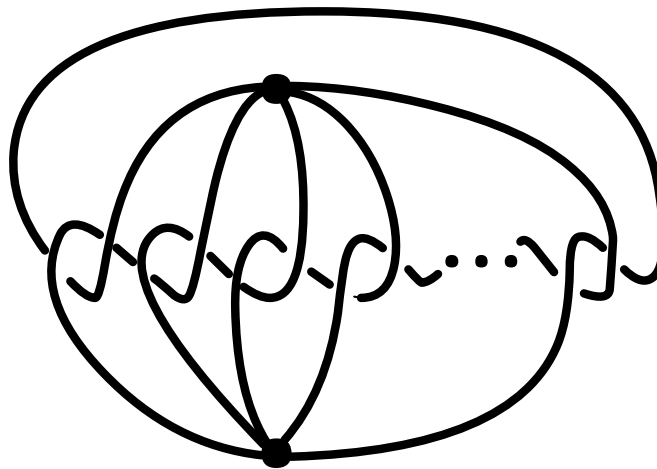
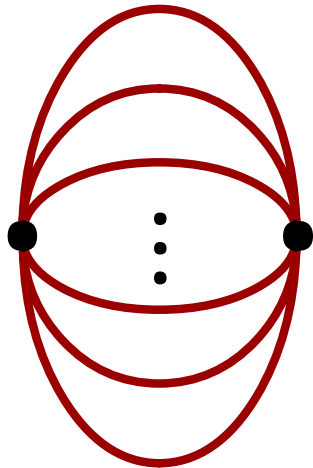
Partial Ans.

$\exists G$: planar graph which has a SAT embedding

$\exists G$: planar graph which does not have a SAT embedding

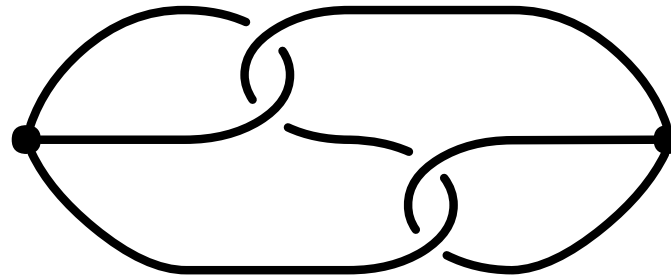
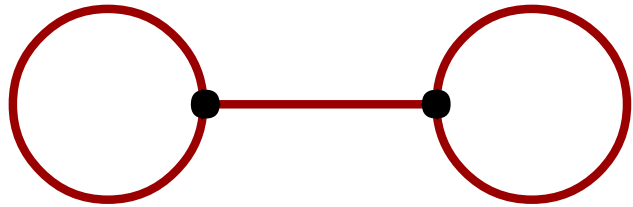
However it is not well known.

ex. θ_n -curve has SAT embeddings



2.2 知られていること

ex. Handcuff graph has SAT embeddings.



2.2 知られていること

Theorem 4 [Huh-Oh, 2003]

G : connected planar graph which does not have a cut vertex

G satisfies the followings

(1) G has **no** multiple edges. 

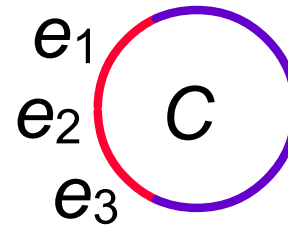
(2) $\forall e_1, e_2 \in E(G)$ s.t. $e_1 \cap e_2 = \emptyset$,

$\exists C_1, C_2$: disjoint cycles s.t. $e_1 \in E(C_1), e_2 \in E(C_2)$



(3) $\forall e_1, e_2, e_3 \in E(G)$ s.t. $e_1 \cup e_2 \cup e_3$ is homeo. to a path,

$\exists C$: cycle s.t. $e_1, e_2, e_3 \in E(C)$

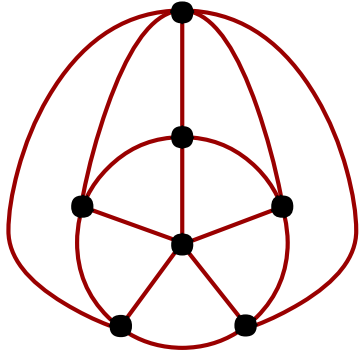


$\Rightarrow G$ has **no strongly almost trivial** embeddings.

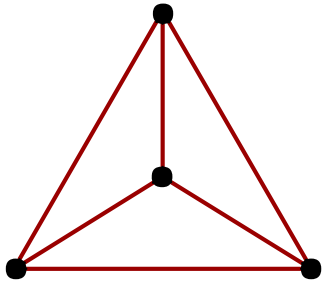


2.2 知られていること

ex. graphs which does **not have a SAT embedding**

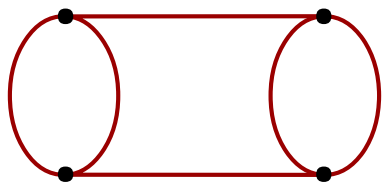


P_5 satisfies all assumptions of Thm.4



K_4 does **not satisfy the assumption (2)** of Thm. 4,
but it does **not have a SAT embedding**

[Huh-Oh, 2002]



Double-handcuff graph does **not satisfy the assumptions (1) and (2)**,

but it does **not have a SAT embedding**

[Hanaki, preprint]



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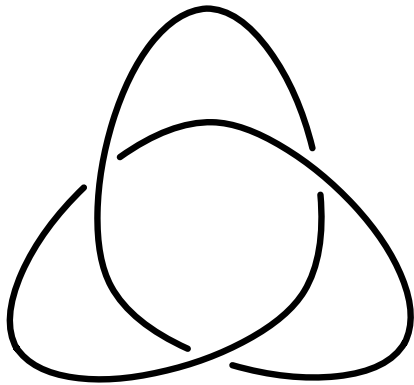
Question 3

Does $G = S^1_1 \sqcup S^1_2 \sqcup \cdots \sqcup S^1_n$ have SAT embeddings ?

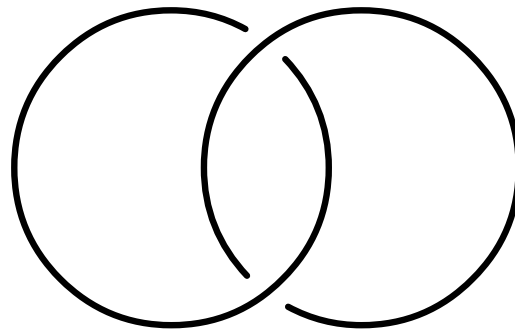
Ans. It has **SAT embeddings** if $n = 1, 2$

It has **no SAT embeddings** if $n \geq 3$

ex.



$n=1$



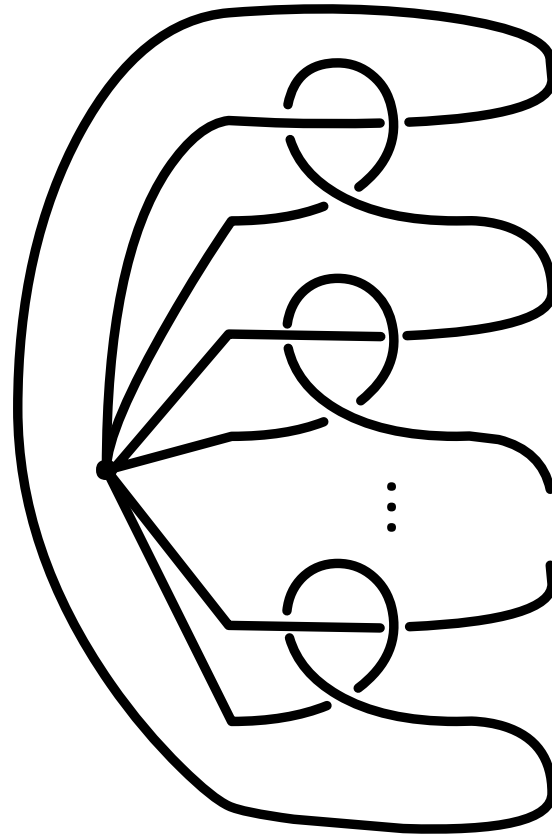
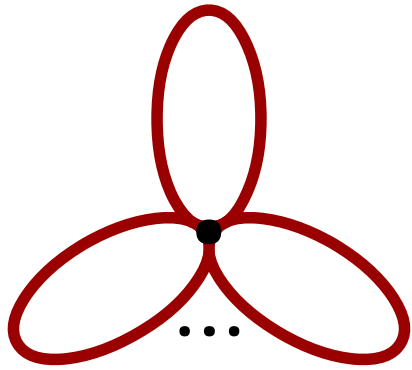
$n=2$



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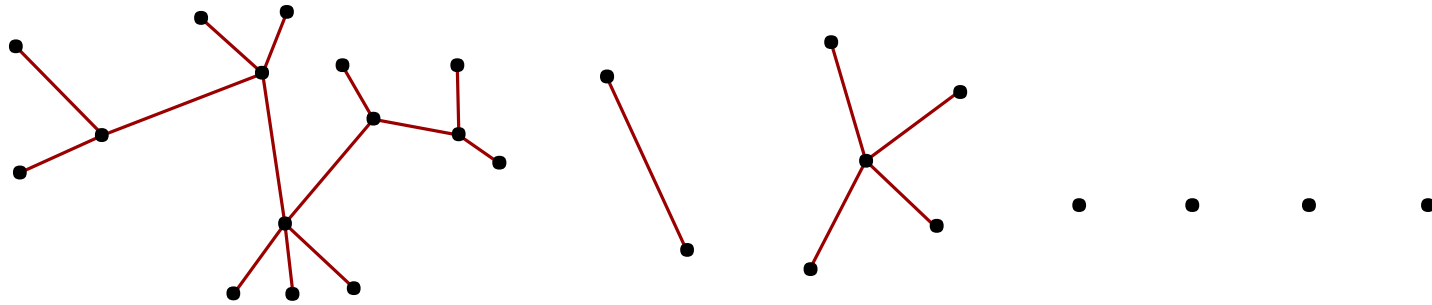
Main Theorem 1 [Hanaki]

n -bouquet has SAT embeddings.

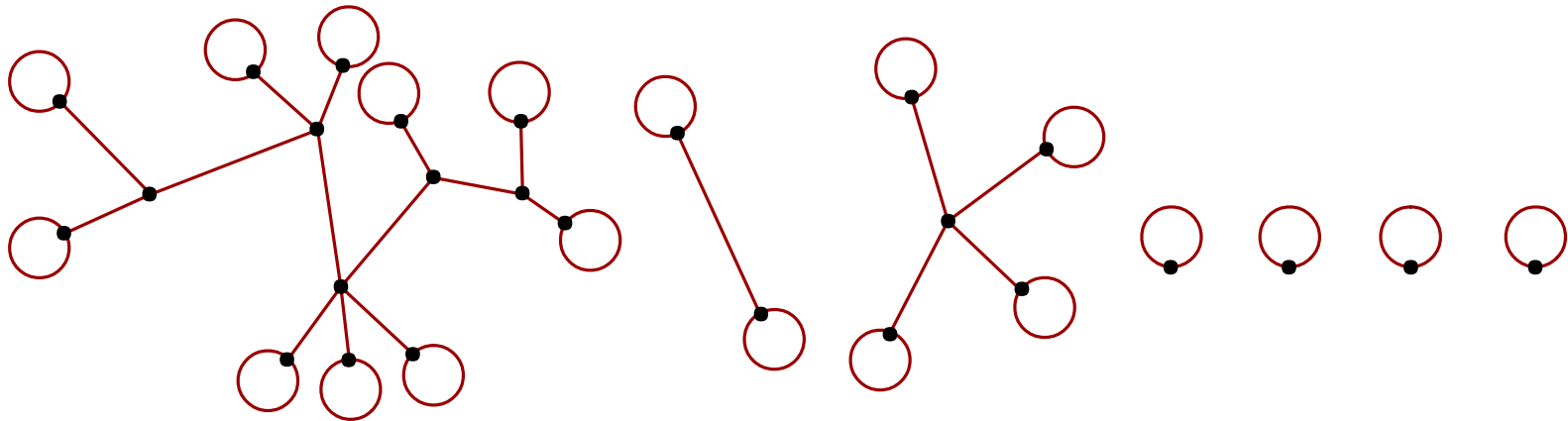


3.2 わかったこと2

F : forest



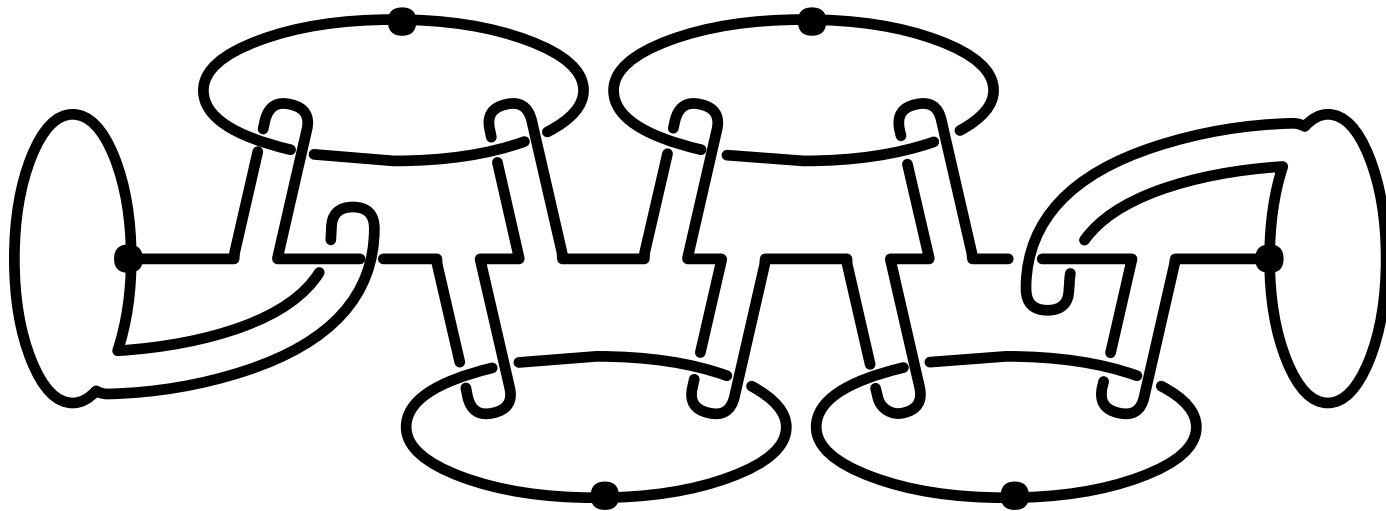
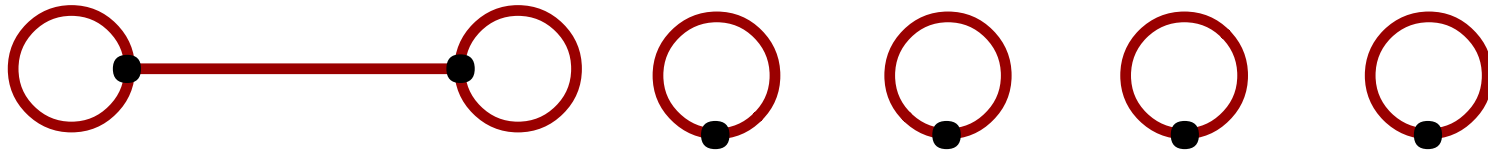
G_F : graph obtained from F



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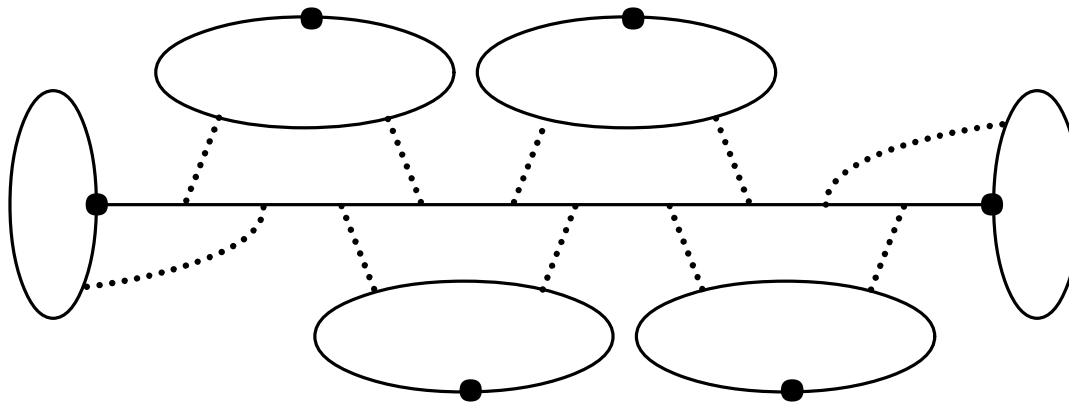
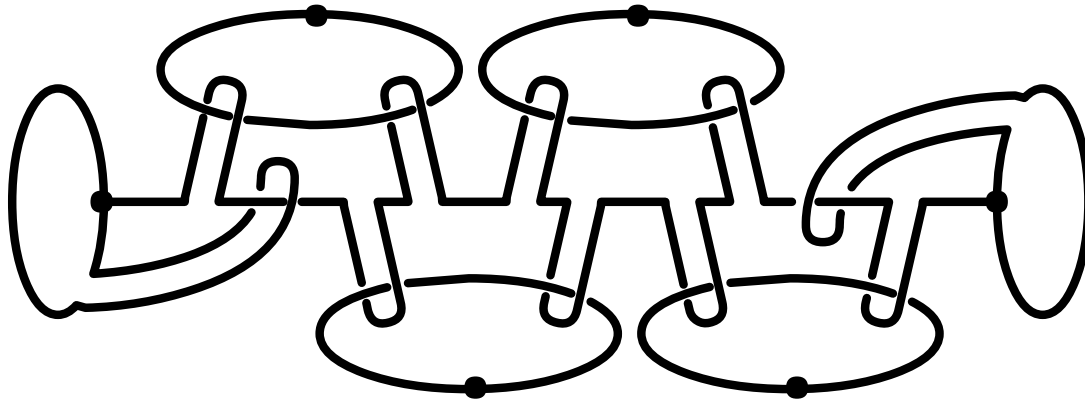
Main Theorem 2 [Hanaki]

If $E(F) \neq \emptyset$, G_F has SAT embeddings.



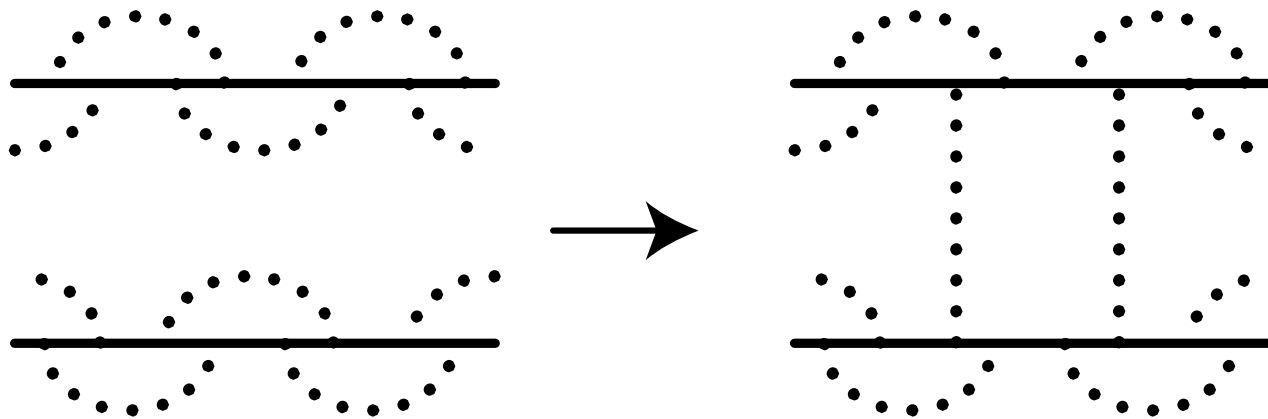
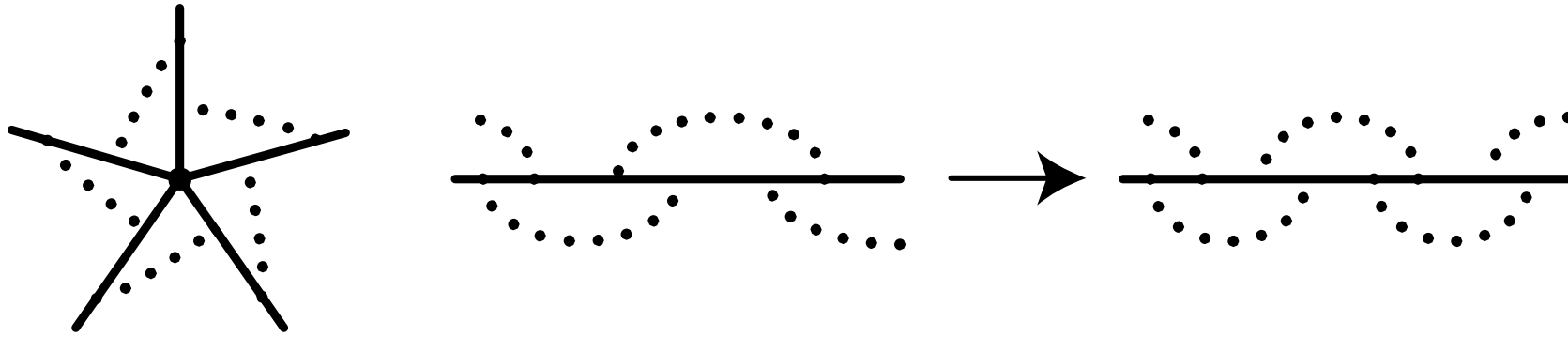
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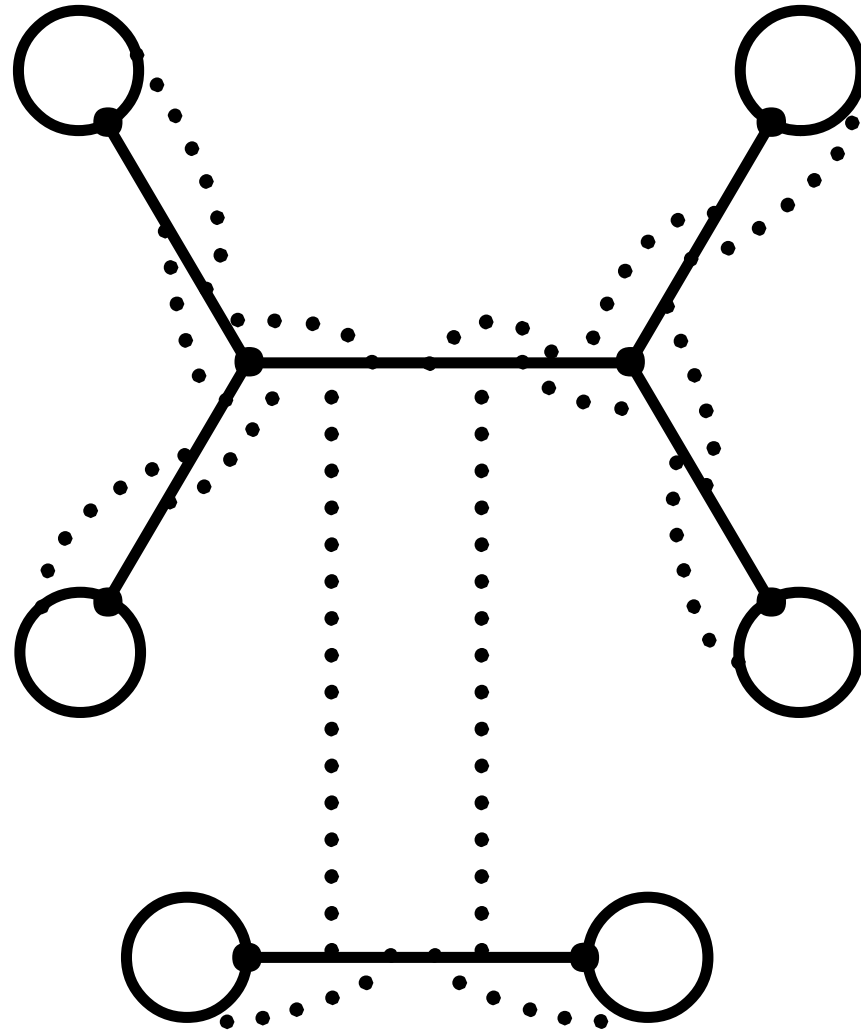


3.2 わかったこと2

SATの構成方法



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3.3 わかったこと3

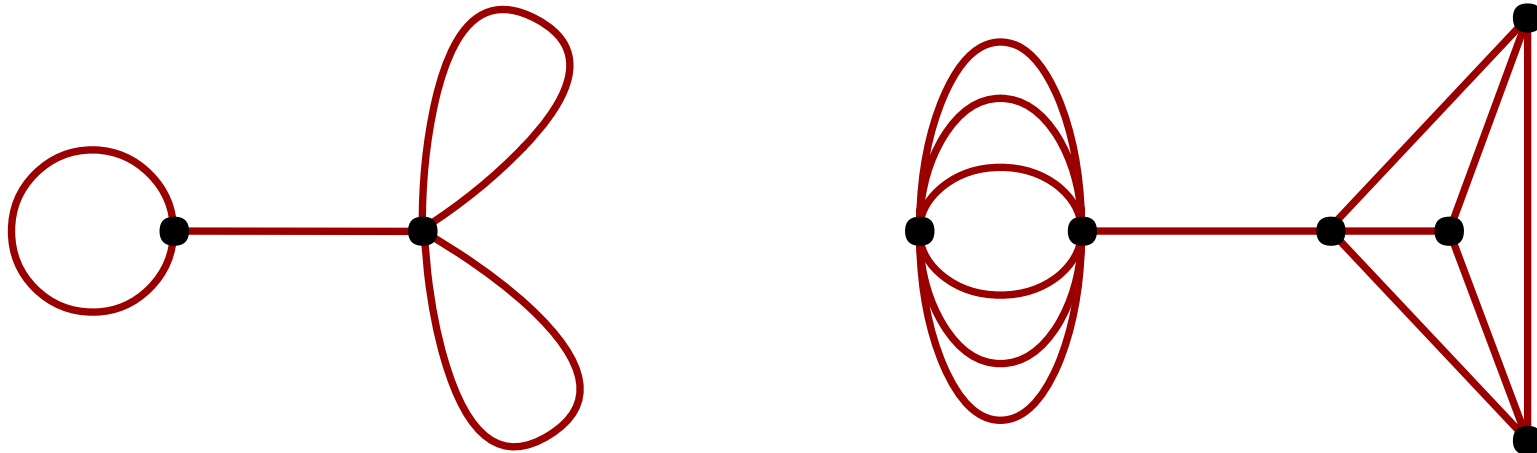
Main Theorem 3 [Hanaki]

G : conn. graph s.t. G is not homeo. to handcuff graph
 $\exists! e \in E(G)$ s.t. e is a cut edge

H_1, H_2 : conn. comp. of $G - e$

H_1, H_2 has no cut edges and has cycles

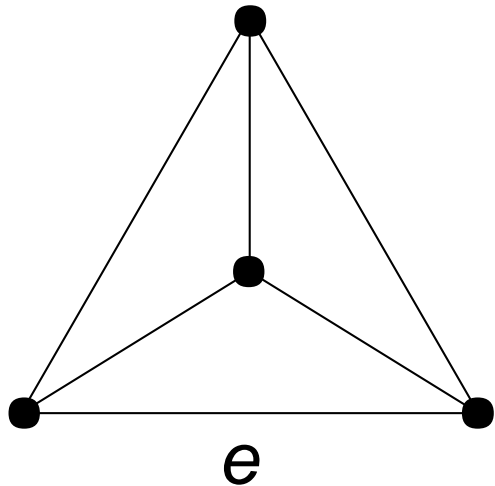
$\Rightarrow G$ has no SAT embeddings



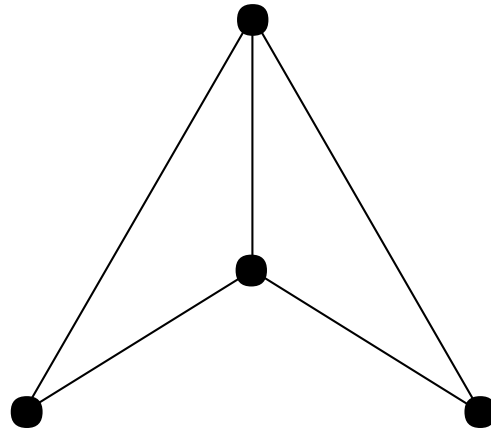
4.1 グラフマイナーについて

Edge **deletion** ($G - e$) is the process of removing only an edge.

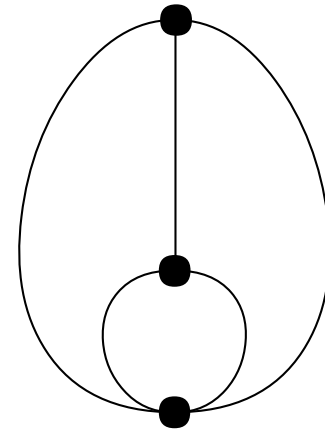
Edge **contraction** (G / e) is the process of removing an edge and combining its two endvertices into a single vertex where e is not loop



K_4



$K_4 - e$



K_4 / e



4.1 グラフマイナーについて

H is a **minor** of G ($H <_m G$)

def. H can be obtained from G by **contracting edges**,
 \Leftrightarrow **deleting edges**, and **deleting isolated vertices**

A property \mathcal{P} of a graph is **inherited by minors**

def.
 \Leftrightarrow If G has \mathcal{P} , $\forall H <_m G$, H has \mathcal{P}

Robertson-Seymour's Minor Theorem

G has \mathcal{P}

$\Leftrightarrow G$ does not contain G_1, G_2, \dots and G_n as a minor
finite

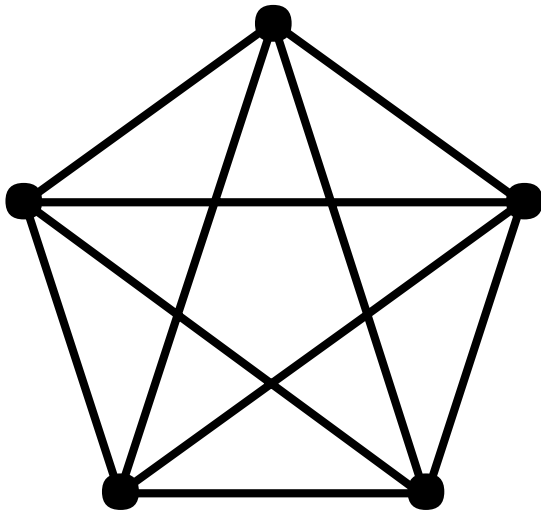


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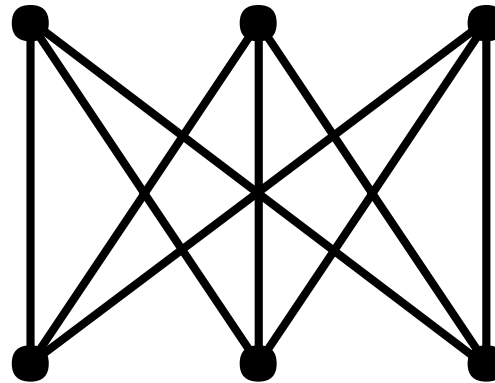
ex. Kuratowski Theorem

G is planar

$\Leftrightarrow G$ does not contain K_5 , $K_{3,3}$ as a minor



K_5



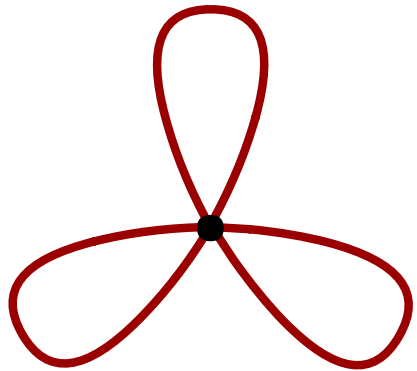
$K_{3,3}$



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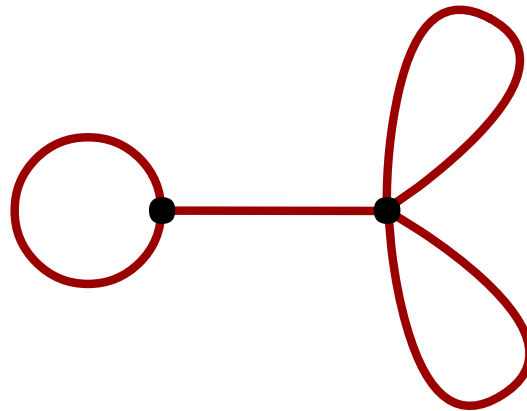
Remark

A property that **a graph has (no) SAT embeddings** is **not inherited** by minors.



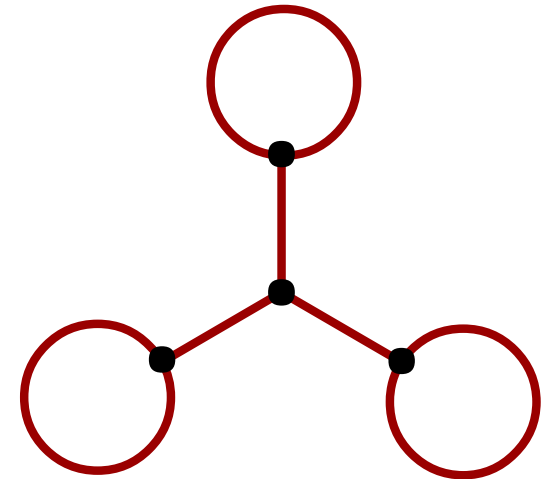
SAT

$<_m$



no SAT

$<_m$



SAT



4.2 証明の一部のスケッチ

$G \subset S^3$ is **irreducible**

def.
 $\Leftrightarrow \nexists S \subset S^3$: 2-sphere s.t. G intersects both comp. of $S^3 - S$
and $|G \cap S| \leq 1$

$G \subset S^3$: spatial graph

$D \subset S^3$: disk

D is **good for G**

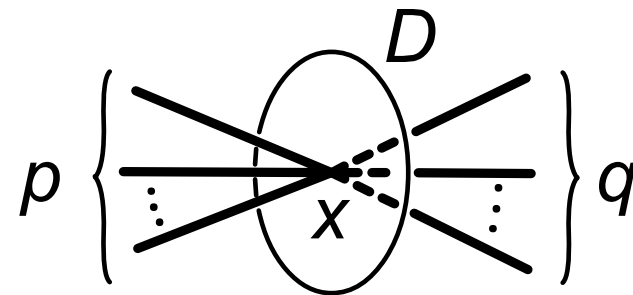
def. $\partial D \subset G$

$\Leftrightarrow \text{int}D \cap G$ contains at most finitely many points

$x \in \text{int}D \cap G$,

a neighbourhood of x looks like

where $p, q \in \mathbf{N}$

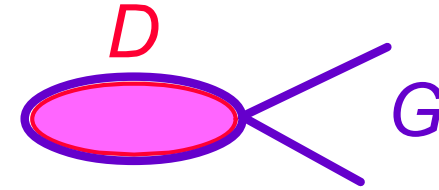


4.2 証明の一部のスケッチ

Theorem [Taniyama, 2002]

$G \subset S^3$: spatial graph

$D \subset S^3$: disk s.t. D is good for G



$\text{int}D \cap G = \emptyset$ or $\partial D \cap \text{cl}(G - \partial D)$ is **not singleton**
where cl denotes the closure

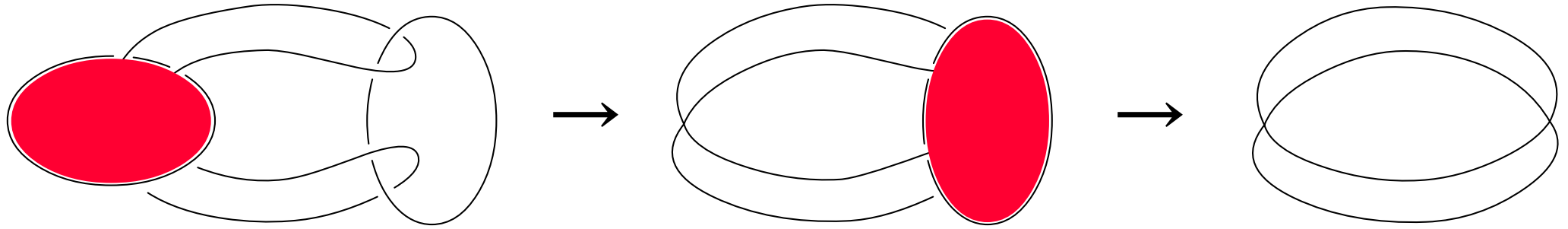
$G' \subset S^3$: spatial graph obtained from G
by contracting D to a point

G' is irreducible $\Rightarrow G$ is irreducible



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