

Graphs with degree constraints

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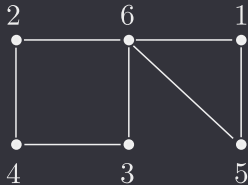
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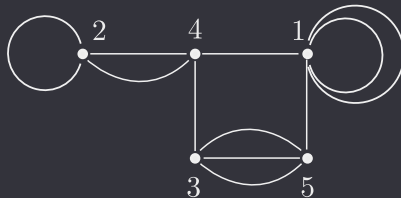
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Introduction

$SG_{n,m}^{(D)}$ denotes the set of simple labelled graphs with n vertices, m edges and all degrees in $D \subset \mathbb{Z}_{\geq 0}$.
(Example: D contains the even integers.)



$MG_{n,m}^{(D)}$ multigraphs, *i.e.* loops and multiedges allowed.



Introduction

Examples

- regular graphs $D = \{d\}$ (Bender Canfield 1978),
- minimum degree constraint $D = \mathbb{Z}_{\geq \delta}$ (Pittel Wormald 2003),
- Euler graphs $D = \{2n \mid n \geq 0\}$ (Read 1962, Robinson 1969).

Motivations

- expand the analytic combinatorics of graphs,
- asymptotics of connected graphs when m is proportional to n (Bender Canfield McKay 1990).

Related works

- configuration model (Wormald 1978, Bollobás 1980),
- graphs with a given degree sequence (Bender Canfield 1978),
- symmetric matrices with constant row sum (Chyzak Mishna Salvy 2005).

Analytic combinatorics

We assume $|D| \geq 2$. The generating function of the set D is

$$\text{Set}_D(z) = \sum_{d \in D} \frac{z^d}{d!}.$$

Radius of convergence 0 e.g. cubic multigraphs $\sum_{\ell} \frac{(6\ell)!}{288^{\ell}(3\ell)!} \frac{z^{2\ell}}{(2\ell)!}$.

Large Powers Theorem (Flajolet Sedgewick 2009) saddle-point method.
Derives the asymptotics of

$$[z^{2m}]A(z) \text{Set}_D(z)^n$$

when $\min(D) < \lim \frac{2m}{n} < \max(D)$.

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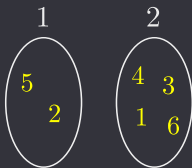
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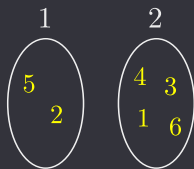
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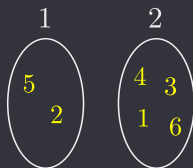
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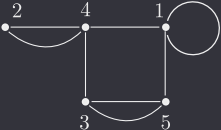
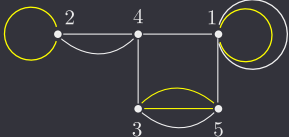
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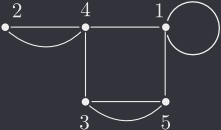
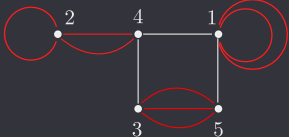
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Simple graphs with degree constraints

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where $a_{n,j} = \frac{n!}{(n-j)!j!}$ and $W(x) = \frac{n}{4m} \frac{x^2 \text{Set}_{D-2}(x)}{\text{Set}_D(x)}$.

Result, after the simplification $a_{n,j} \sim 1$,

$$|\text{SG}_{n,m}^{(D)}| = \frac{(2m)!}{2^m m!} [x^{2m}] e^{-W(x)^2 - W(x)} \text{Set}_D(x)^n (1 + O(n^{-1})).$$

Application Euler graphs, with $\text{Set}_D(x) = \cosh(x)$

$$\frac{(2m)!}{2^m m!} \frac{2e^{-\left(\frac{n\zeta^2}{4m}\right)^2 - \frac{n\zeta^2}{4m}} \cosh(\zeta)^n}{\sqrt{2\pi n\zeta\Phi'(\zeta)} \zeta^{2m}},$$

where $\Phi(\zeta) = \zeta \tanh(\zeta) = \frac{2m}{n}$.

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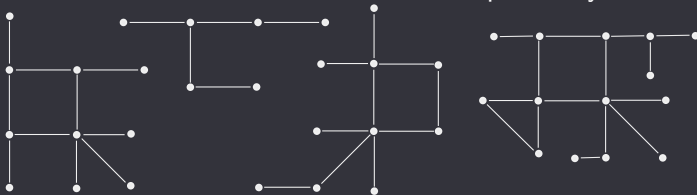
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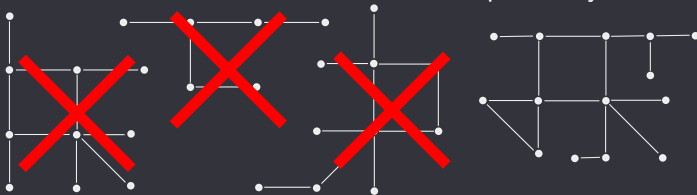
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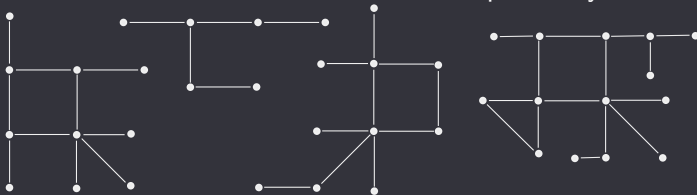
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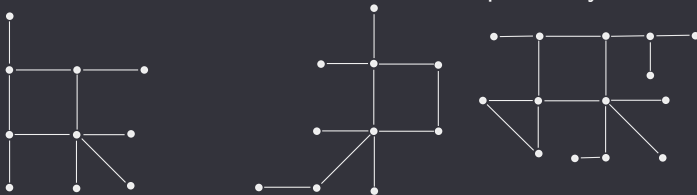
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GF of simple graphs with minimum $\deg \geq 2$ and excess k

$$SG_k^{(\geq 2)}(z) = \sum_{n \geq 0} |SG_{n, m=k+n}^{(\geq 2)}| \frac{z^n}{n!} \sim \frac{(2k)!}{2^k k!} [x^{2k}] \frac{e^{-W(x)^2 - W(x)}}{\left(1 - 2 \frac{\text{Set}_{\geq 2}(x)}{x^2} z\right)^{k + \frac{1}{2}}}.$$

GF of **graphs without trees** $SG_k^{(\geq 2)}(T(z))$.

GF of **graphs without trees nor unicycles** $SG_k^{(\geq 2)}(T(z))e^{-V(z)}$,
where $V(z)$ is the generating function of unicycles.

Connected graphs with n vertices and excess k , proportional to n

$$\sim \frac{n!(2k)!}{2^k k!} [z^n x^{2k}] \frac{e^{-W(x)^2 - W(x)} \sqrt{1 - T(z)} e^{\frac{T(z)}{2} + \frac{T(z)^2}{4}}}{\left(1 - 2 \frac{e^x - 1 - x}{x^2} T(z)\right)^{k + \frac{1}{2}}}$$

Future extensions

Graphs where each vertex v has a set of allowed degrees D_v ,

asymptotics when $m = O(n \log(n))$,

complete asymptotic expansion,

hypergraphs with degree constraints,

structure of random graphs with degree constraints,

structure of random graphs when $\lim \frac{m}{n} > \frac{1}{2}$.