On RAC Drawings of Graphs with one Bend per Edge

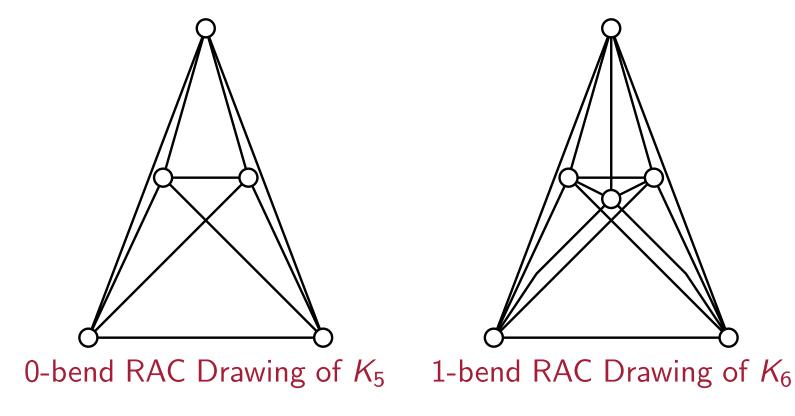
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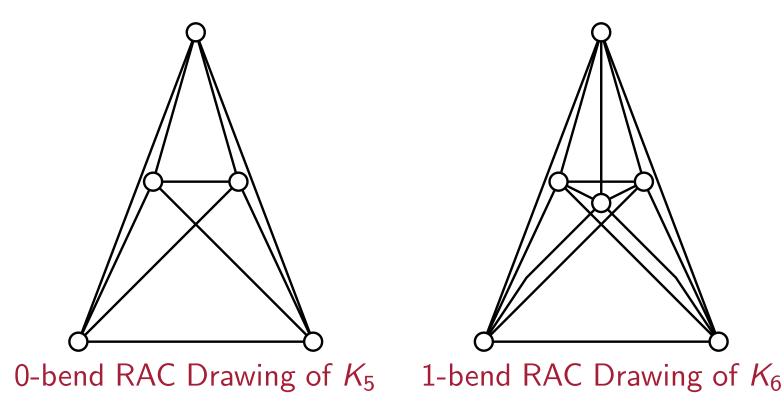
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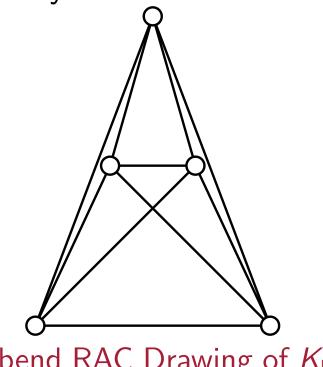
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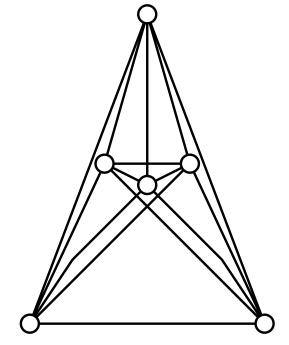
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Motivation: few bends and large crossing angles increase readability[Purchase'00, Purchase et al.'02, Huang'07, Huang et al.'14]



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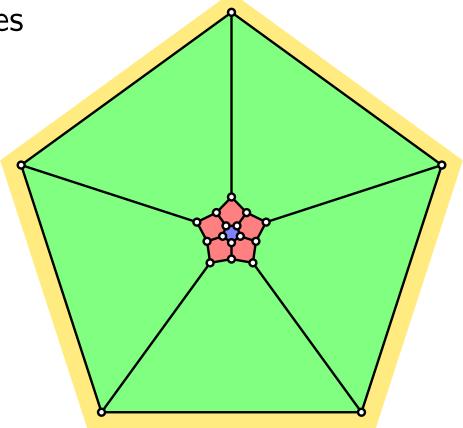
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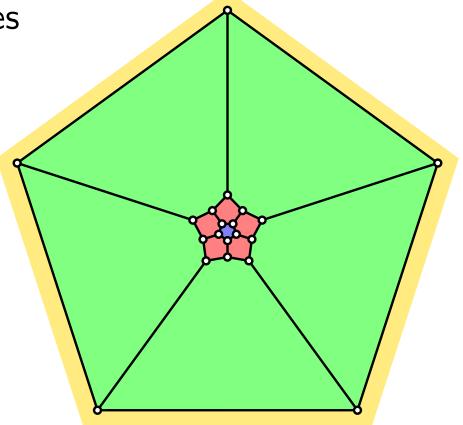
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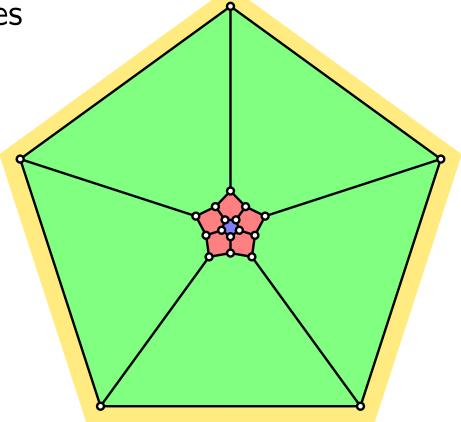
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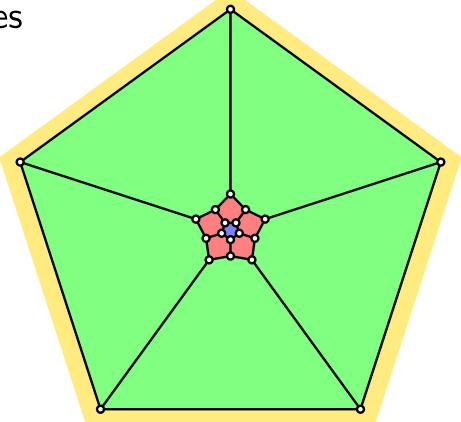
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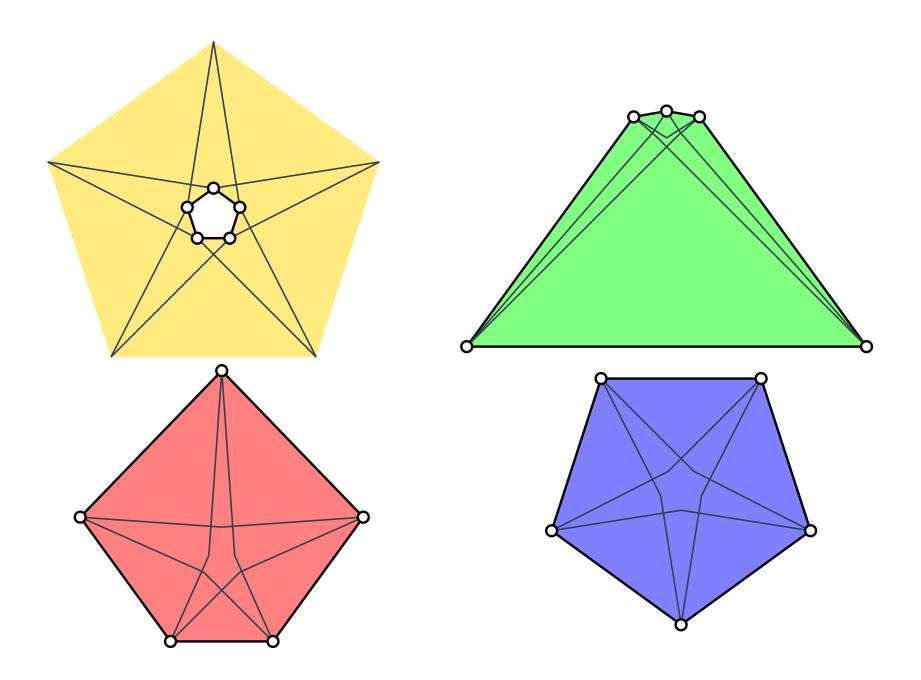
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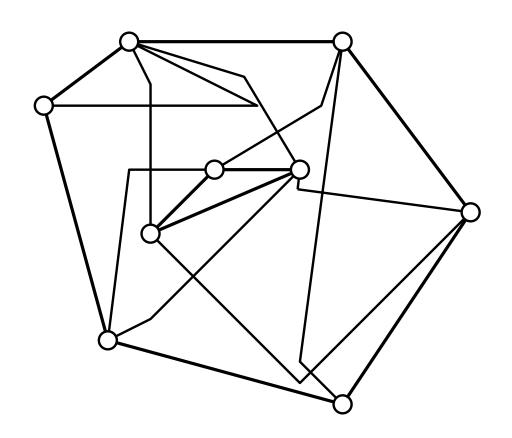
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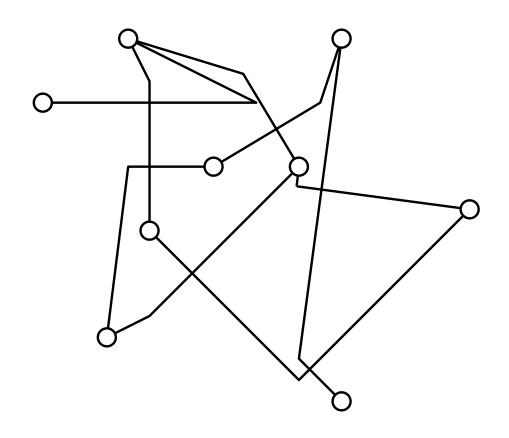
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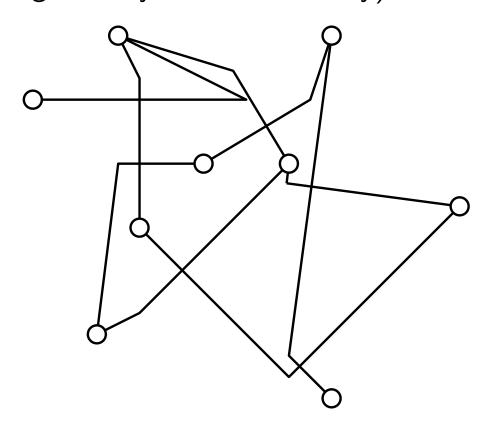
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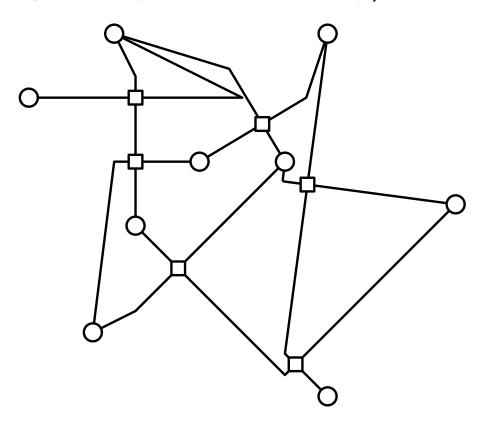
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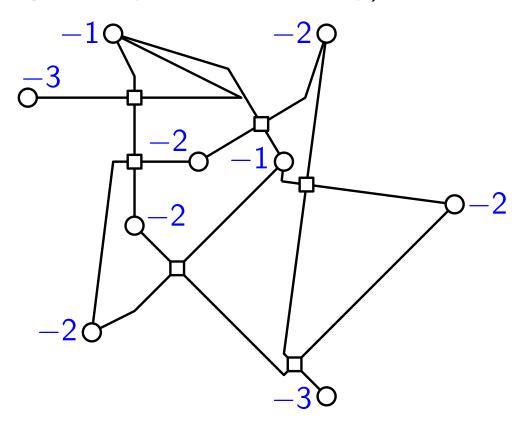
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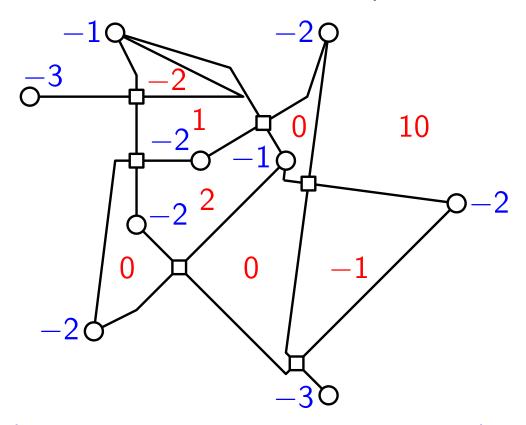
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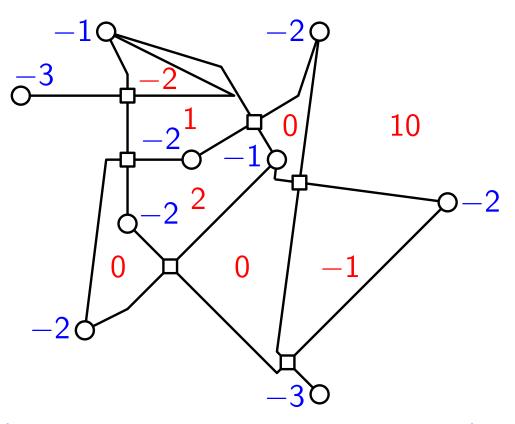
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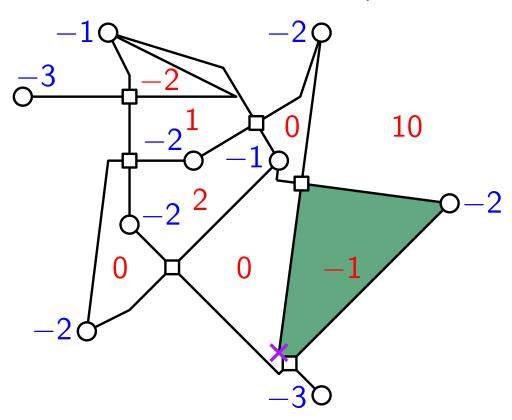


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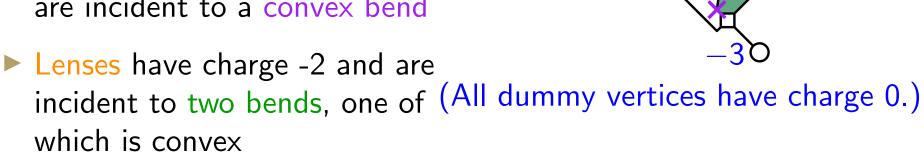


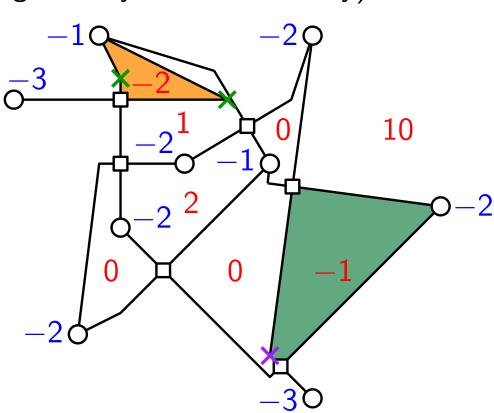
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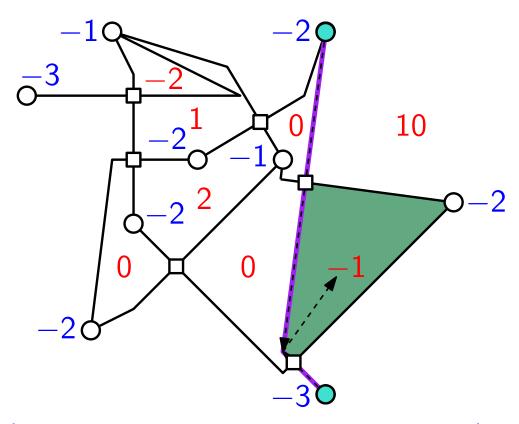
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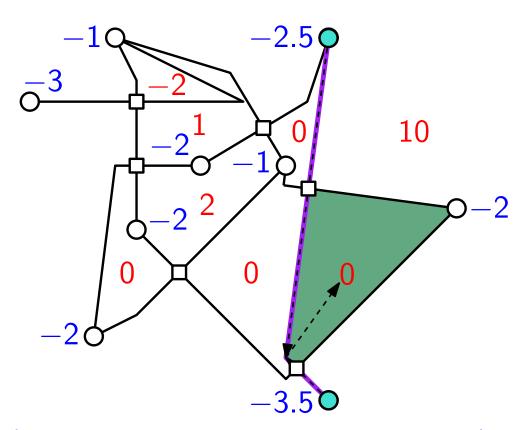




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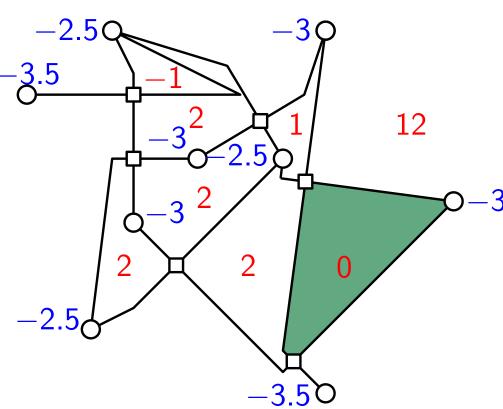


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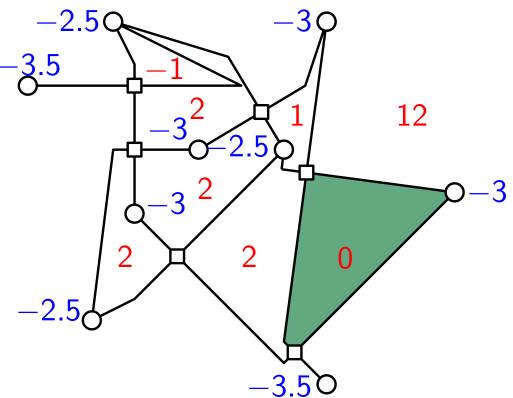


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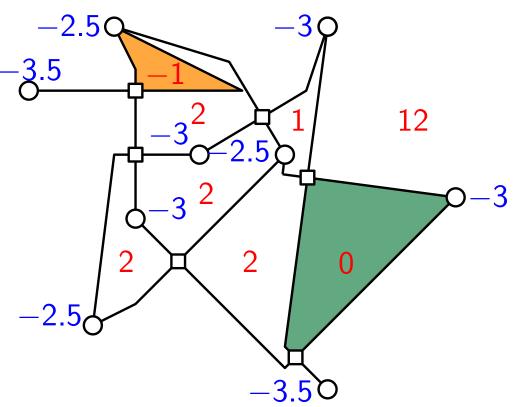
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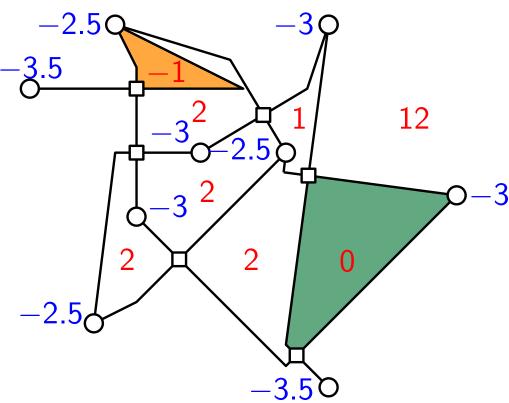
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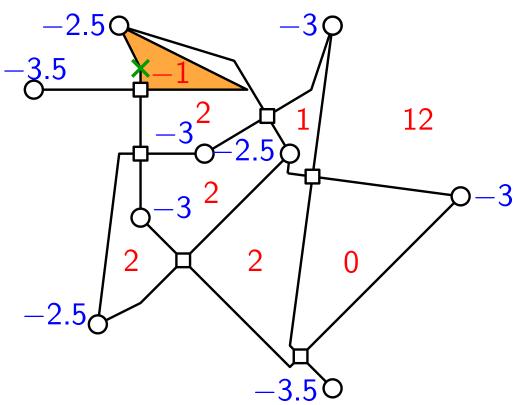
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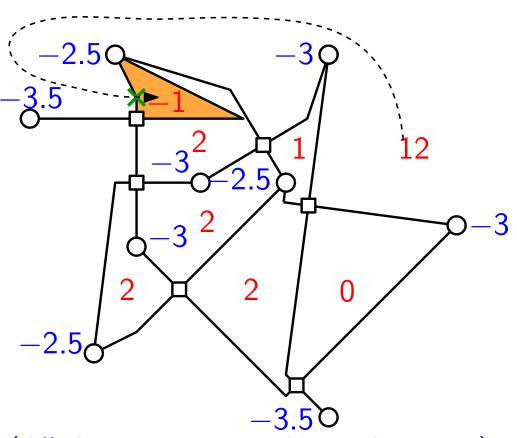
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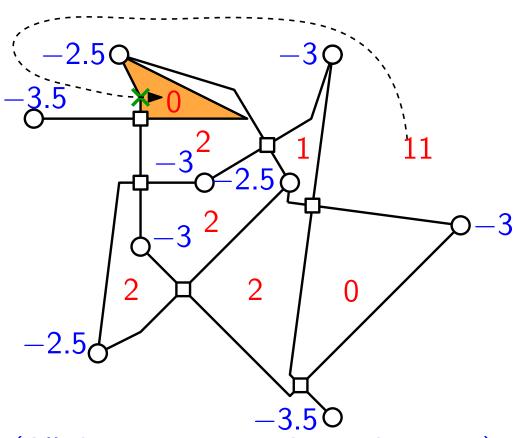
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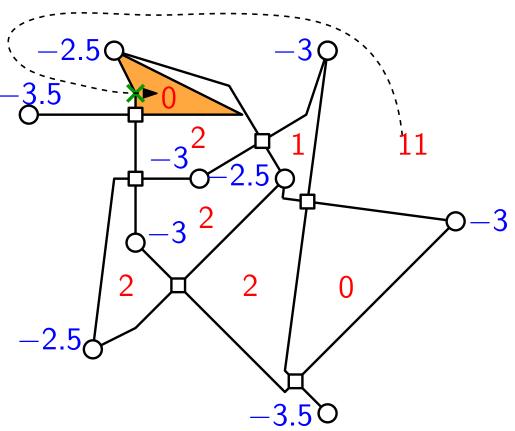
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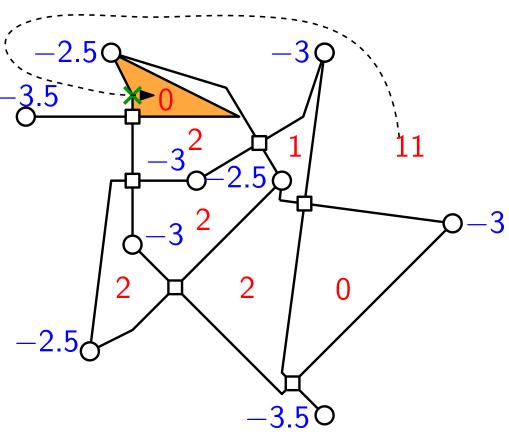
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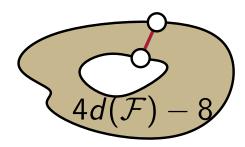
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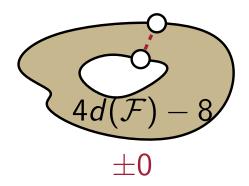
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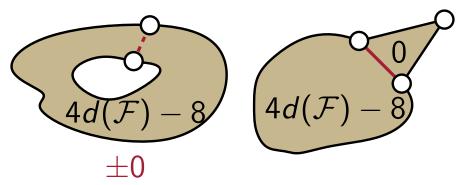
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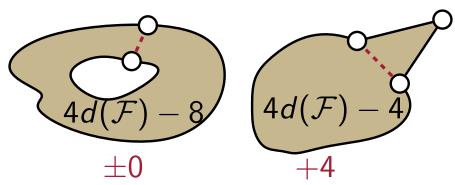
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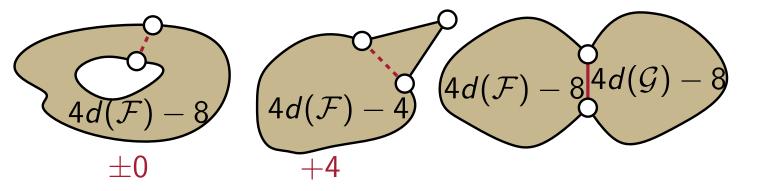
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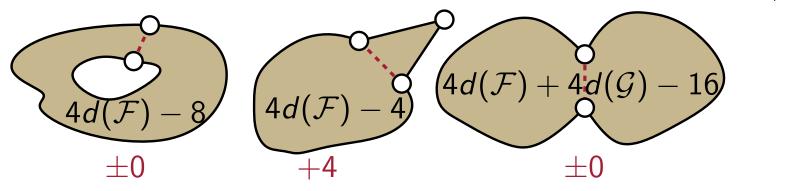
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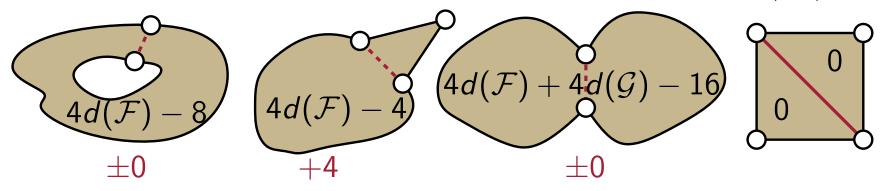
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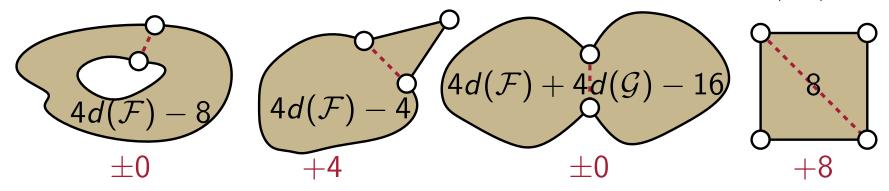
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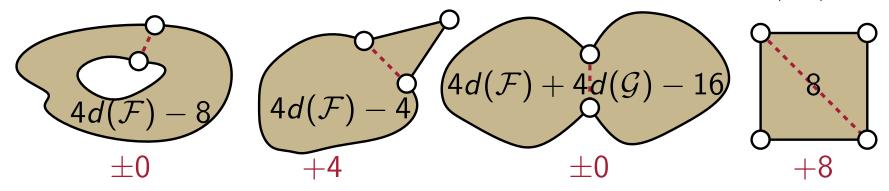


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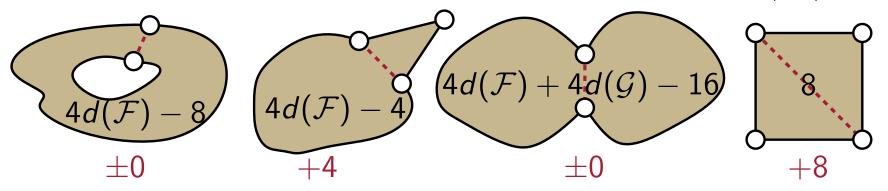
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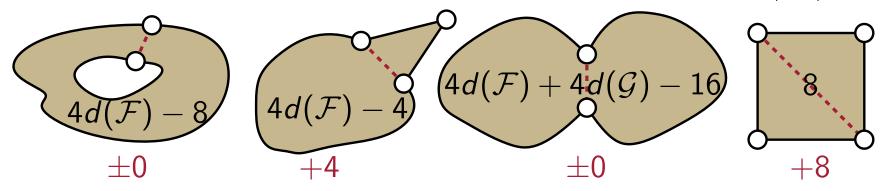
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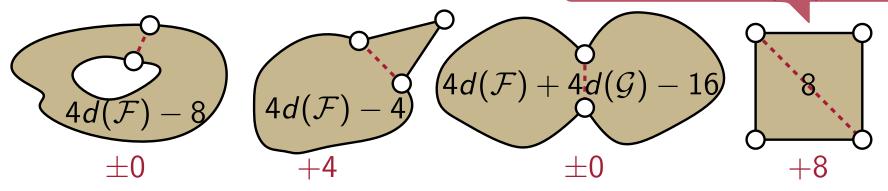
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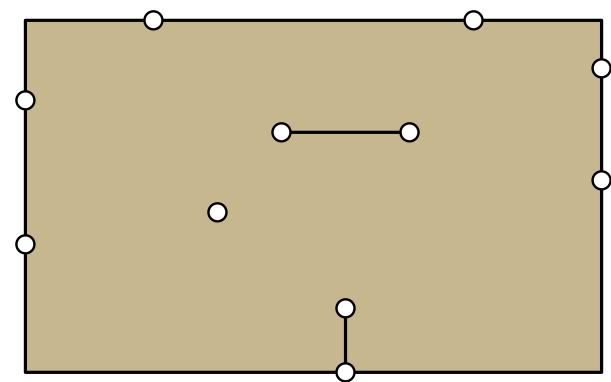
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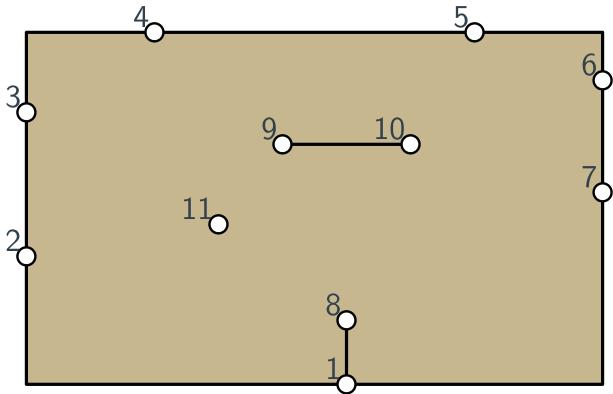
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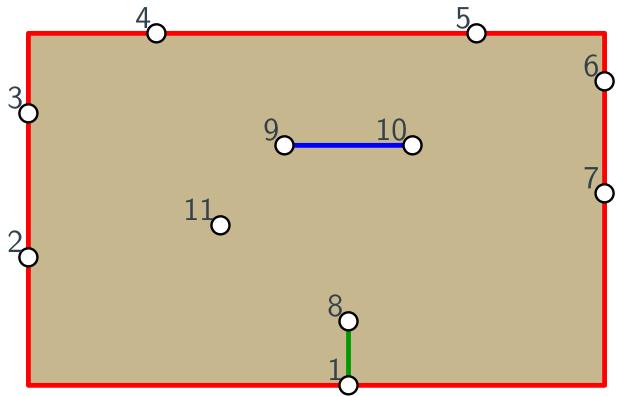


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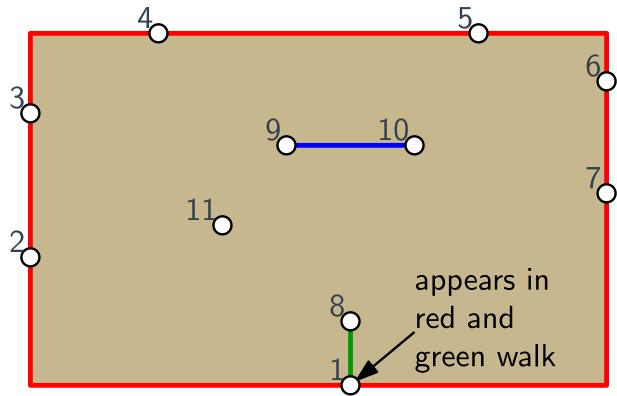
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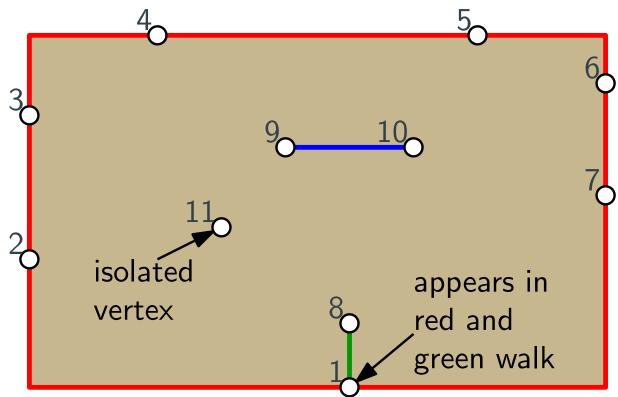
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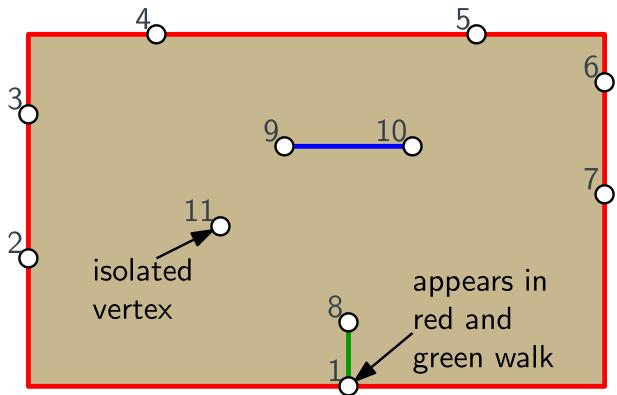
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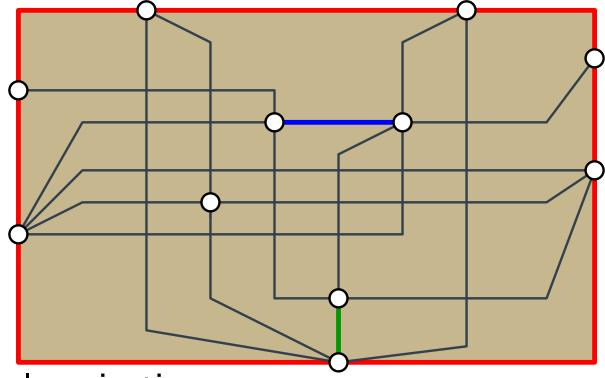
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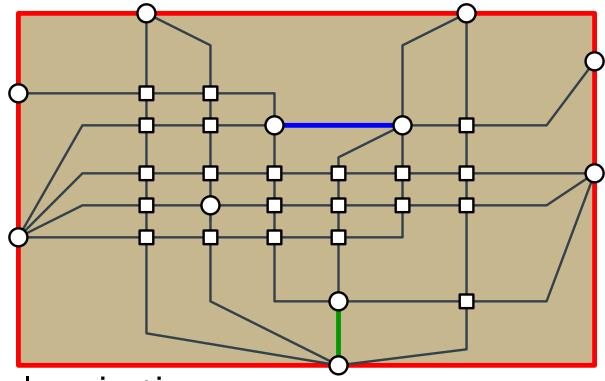
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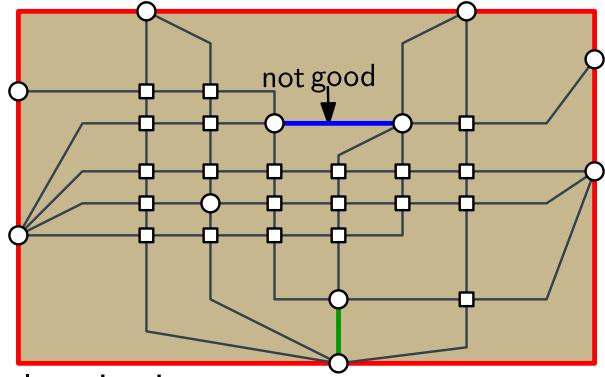
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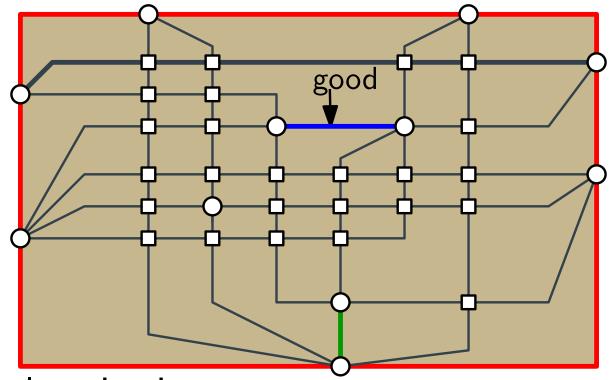
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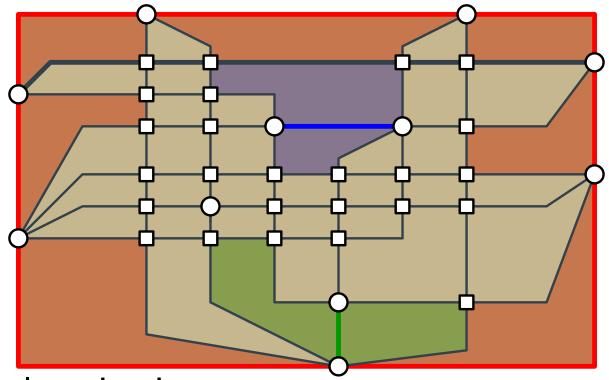
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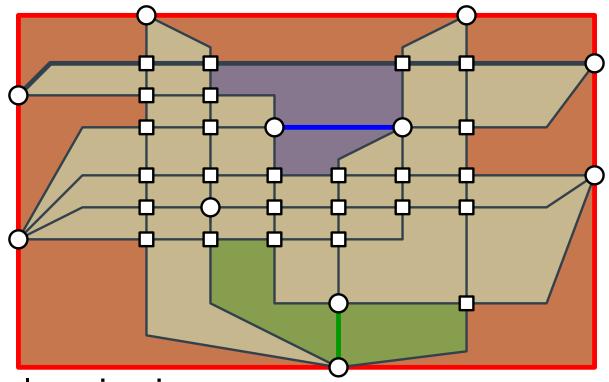
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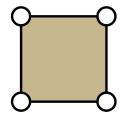
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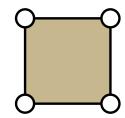
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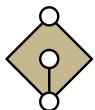


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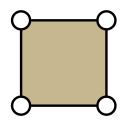


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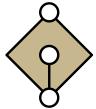


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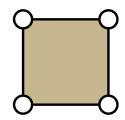
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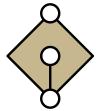
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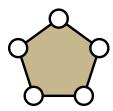


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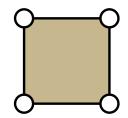
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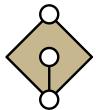


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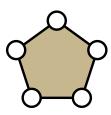


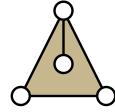
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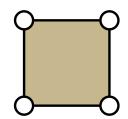
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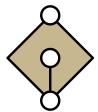


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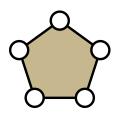


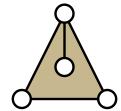
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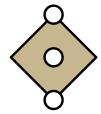


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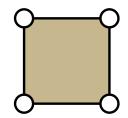




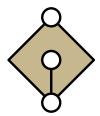


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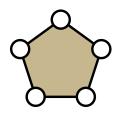
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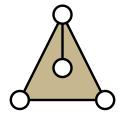


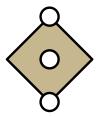
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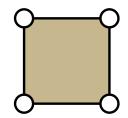




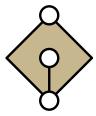


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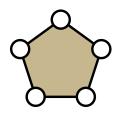
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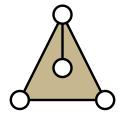


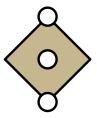
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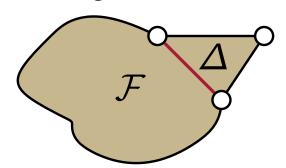
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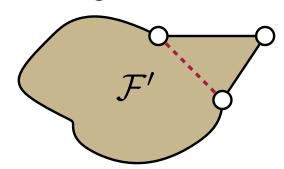
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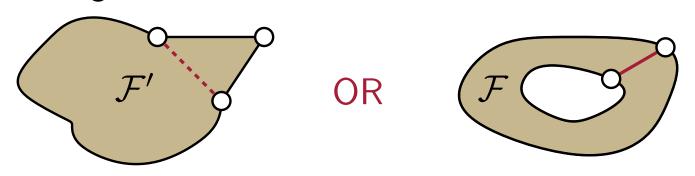
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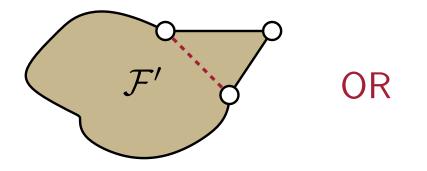
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So far we know: Done for
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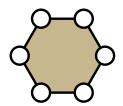
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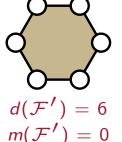
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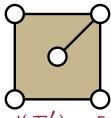
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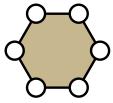
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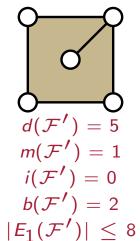
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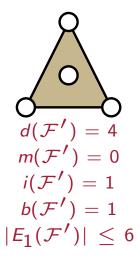
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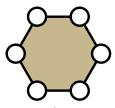
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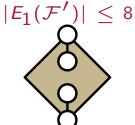


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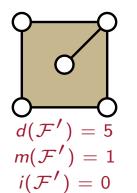
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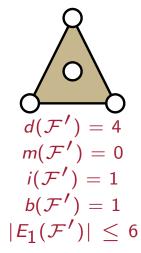
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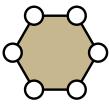


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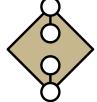
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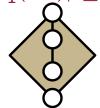
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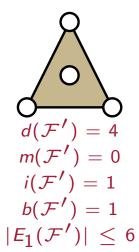
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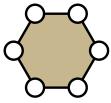
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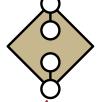
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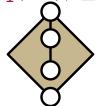
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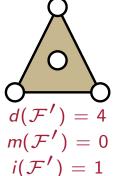
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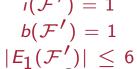
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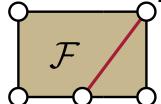
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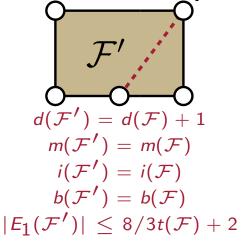
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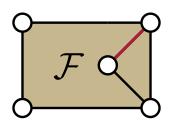
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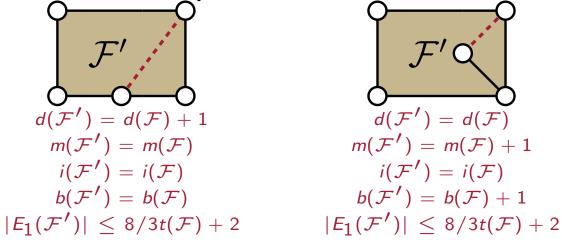
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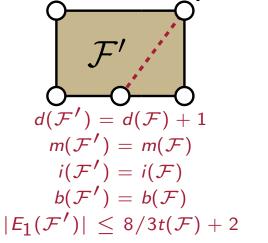
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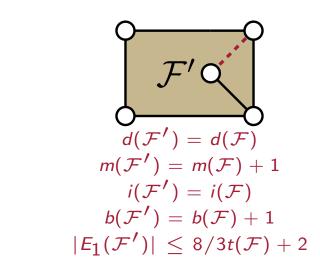
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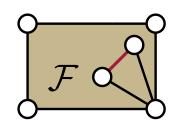
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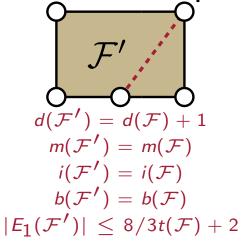


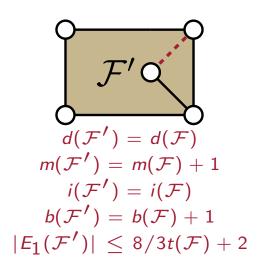


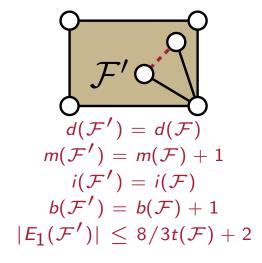


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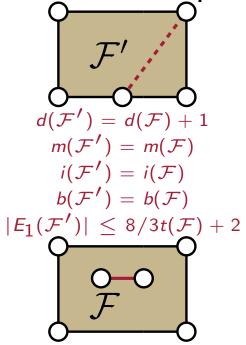


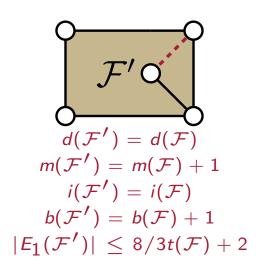




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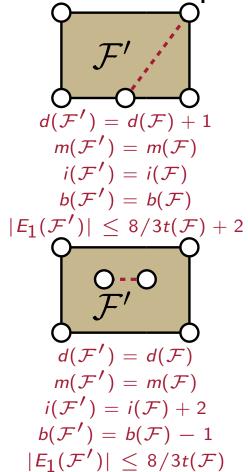
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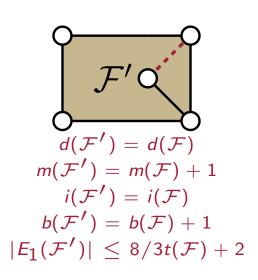
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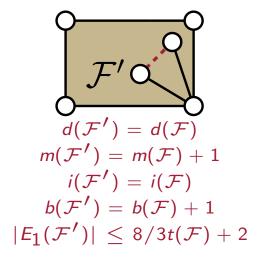
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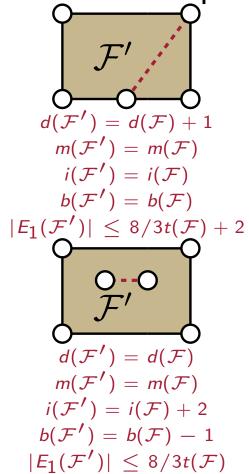


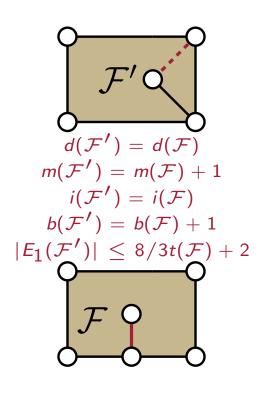


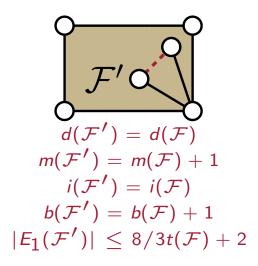


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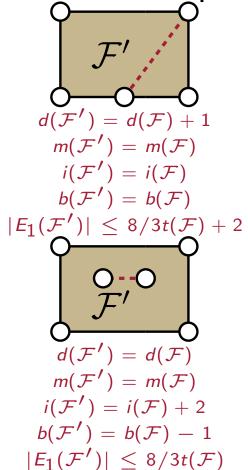


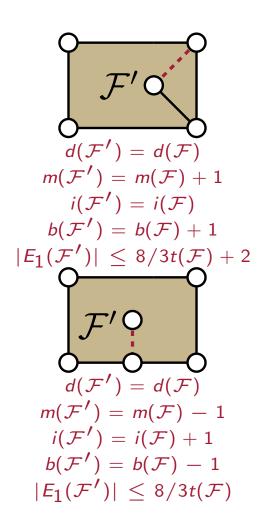


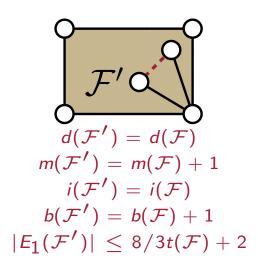


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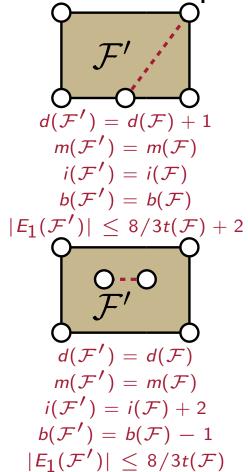


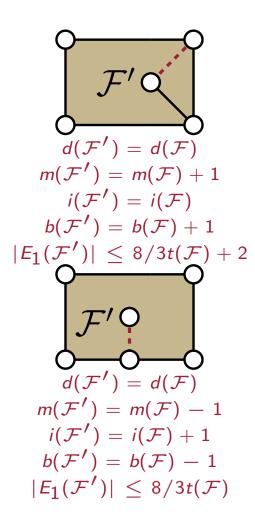


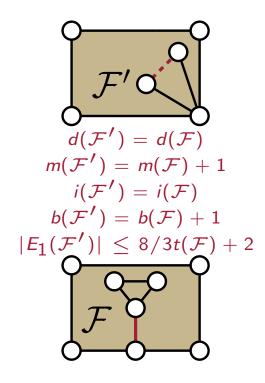


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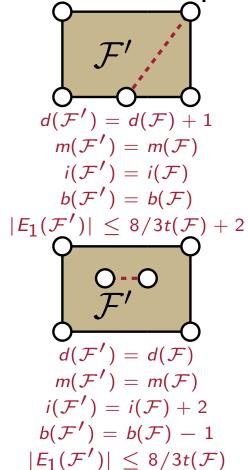


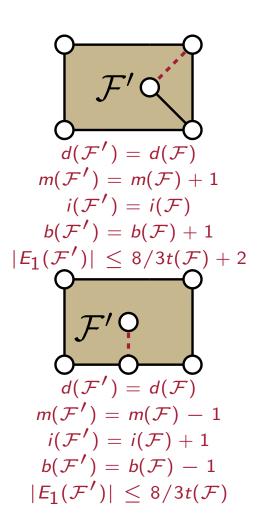


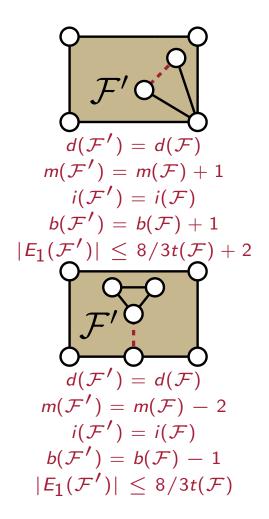


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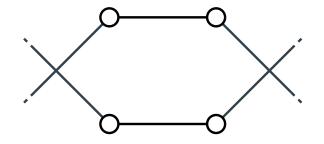


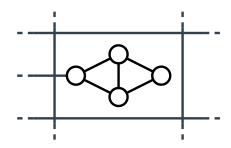


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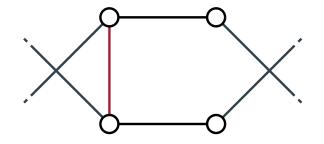
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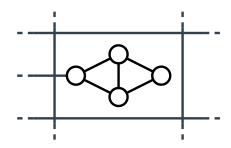
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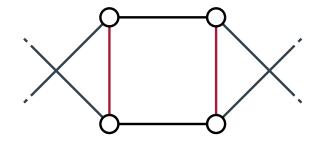


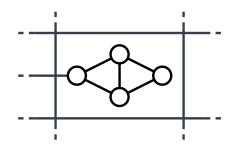
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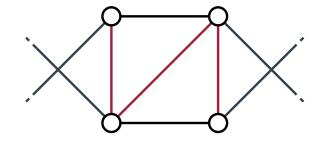


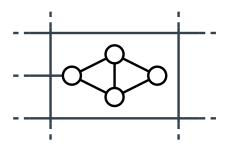
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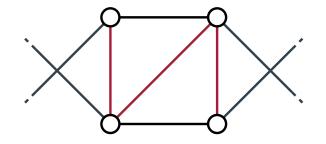


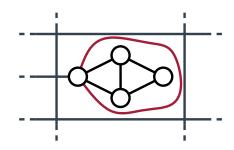
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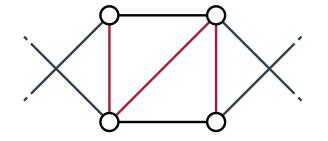
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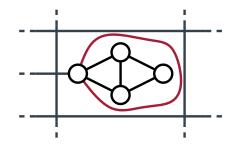




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