

Combinatorics and graph theory II. 2022 fall, exam topics

We have proved the framed theorems.

1. Perfect graphs, line graphs, examples for perfect graphs: [interval graphs](#), [bipartite graphs](#), [weak perfect graph theorem](#), strong perfect graph theorem.
2. Partial ordering, poset, chain, antichain, [Mirsky's theorem](#), Dilworth's theorem, comparability graph, [connection to perfect graphs](#), [proof of Dilworth's thm by the weak perfect graph theorem](#)
3. Plane graphs, planar graphs, [Euler's formula](#), [upper bounds on the edge number of planar graphs](#), Kuratowski's theorem, [proof of the easy direction of Kuratowski's theorem](#)
4. Topological dual, the properties of the dual and [the connections between \$G\$ and \$G^*\$](#) , algebraic dual, weakly isomorphic graphs, Whitney's theorems (I, [II](#) and III).
5. List coloring, list chromatic number, [the connection between \$\chi\(G\)\$ and \$ch\(G\)\$](#) , [the connection between \$ch\(G\)\$ and \$\Delta\(G\)\$](#) , Galvin's theorem, List coloring conjecture, [Thomassen's theorem](#)
6. Ramsey numbers, [\$R\(3, 3\) = 6\$](#) , [Ramsey theorem and its proof by Erdős and Szekeres](#), [upper bound on \$R\(k, k\)\$](#) , probabilistic method, [lower bound on \$R\(k, k\)\$](#) ,
7. $R(c_1, c_2, \dots, c_t)$, upper bounds on $R(c_1, c_2, \dots, c_t)$, $R_k(c_1, c_2, \dots, c_t)$, [Schur's theorem](#), Van der Waerden's theorem, Szemerédi's theorem, [Erdős-Szekeres theorem \(the happy ending problem\)](#),
8. k -partite graphs, complete k -partite graphs, $ex(n, H)$, $Ex(n, H)$, [Turán's theorem](#), Erdős-Stone theorem, [Erdős-Simonovits theorem](#), $ex(n, H)$ when H is bipartite, Erdős-Kővári-Sós-Turán theorem, [proof of the upper bound of Erdős-Kővári-Sós-Turán](#)
9. Set families, hypergraphs, [Erdős-Ko-Rado theorem](#), [Fischer's inequality](#), Ray-Chaudhuri-Wilson theorem,
10. Dual hypergraph, [De Bruijn-Erdős theorem](#), "near pencil" example, Sperner system, [Sperner's theorem](#), [LYM inequality](#)
11. Linear recurrence with constant coefficients, Fibonacci numbers, Generating functions, Generating function method, characteristic equation method, [Closed-form expression of \$F_n\$](#) , determination of F_n by the generating function, determination of F_n by the characteristic equation
12. Catalan numbers, several definitions, [recurrence for \$C_n\$](#) , [closed-form expression of \$C_n\$](#) , determination of C_n by the generating function, determination of C_n by the mirroring technique