

Maximum Matchings and Minimum Blocking Sets in Θ_6 -Graphs

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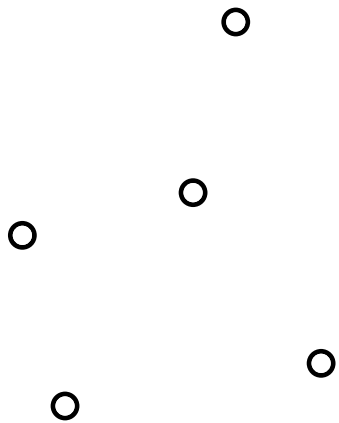
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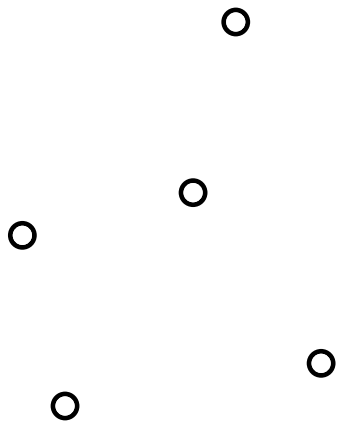


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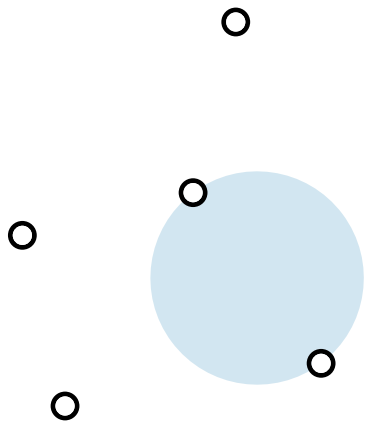
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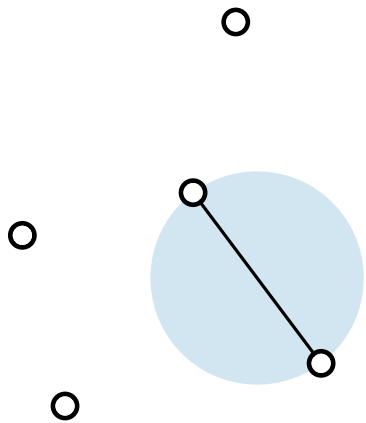
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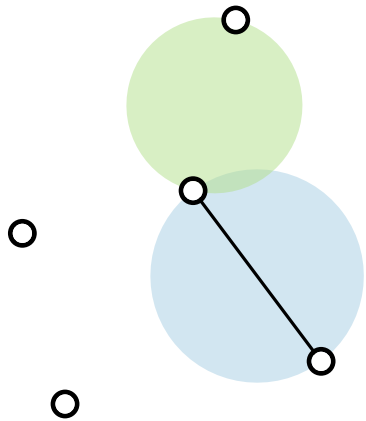
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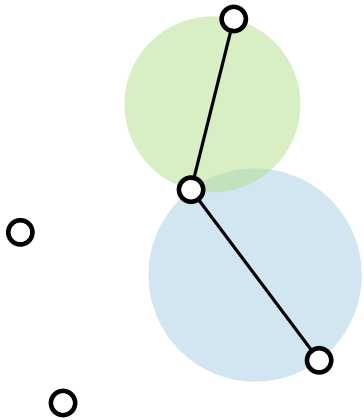
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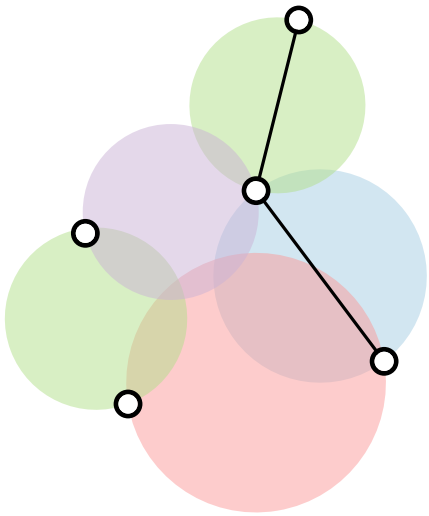
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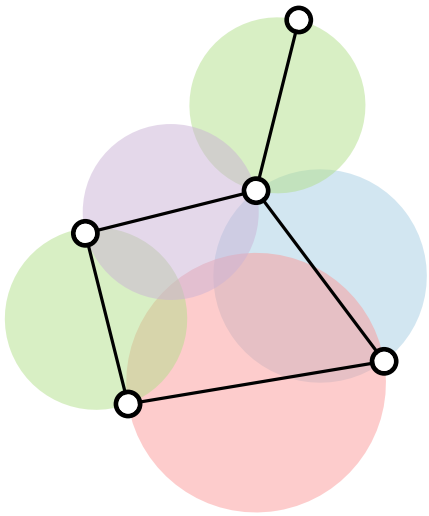
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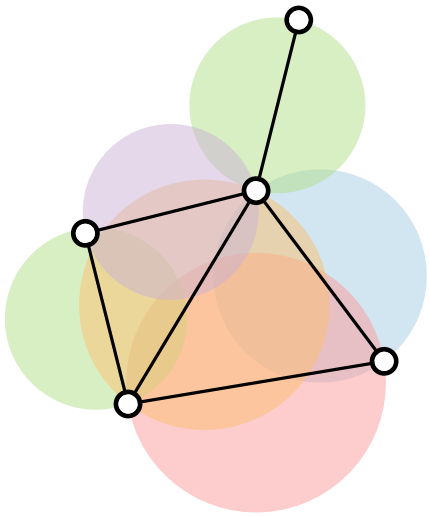
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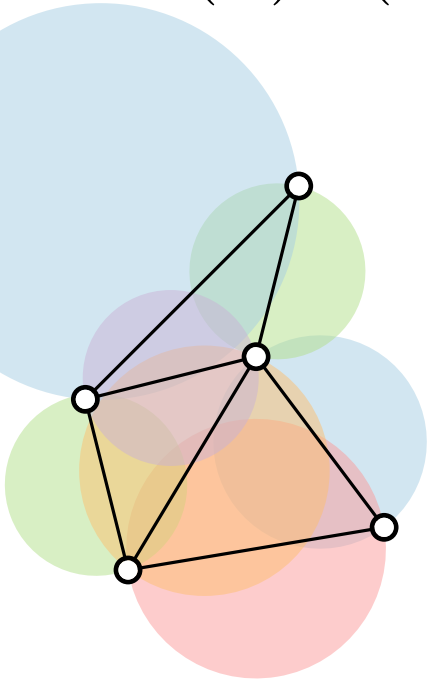
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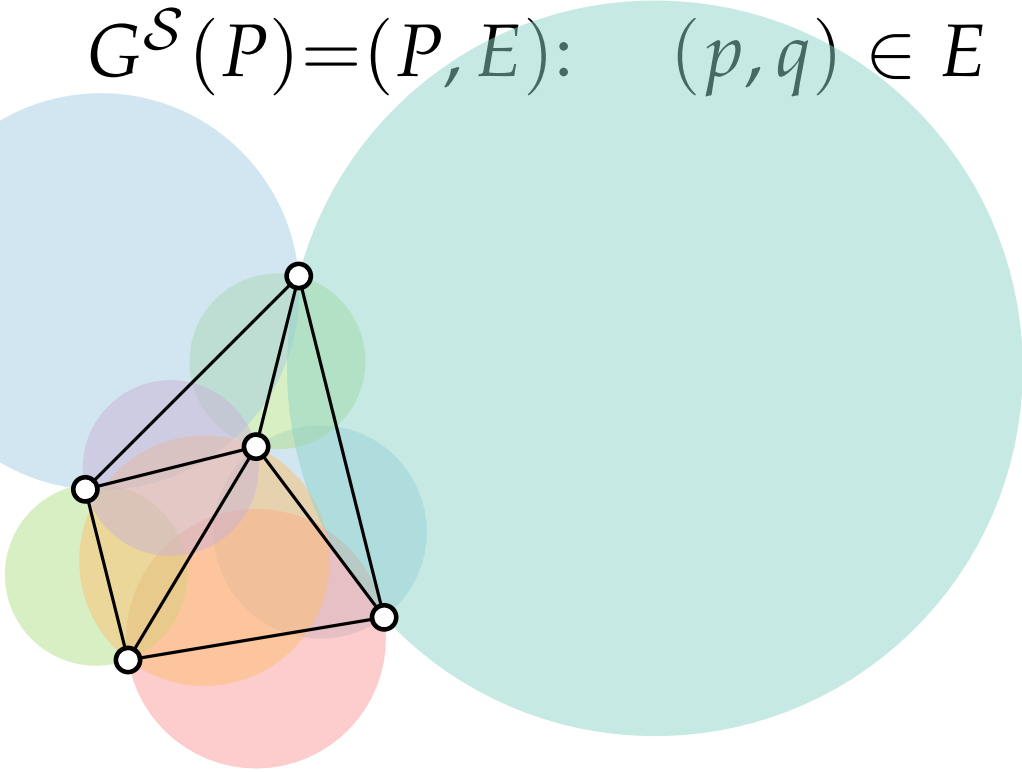
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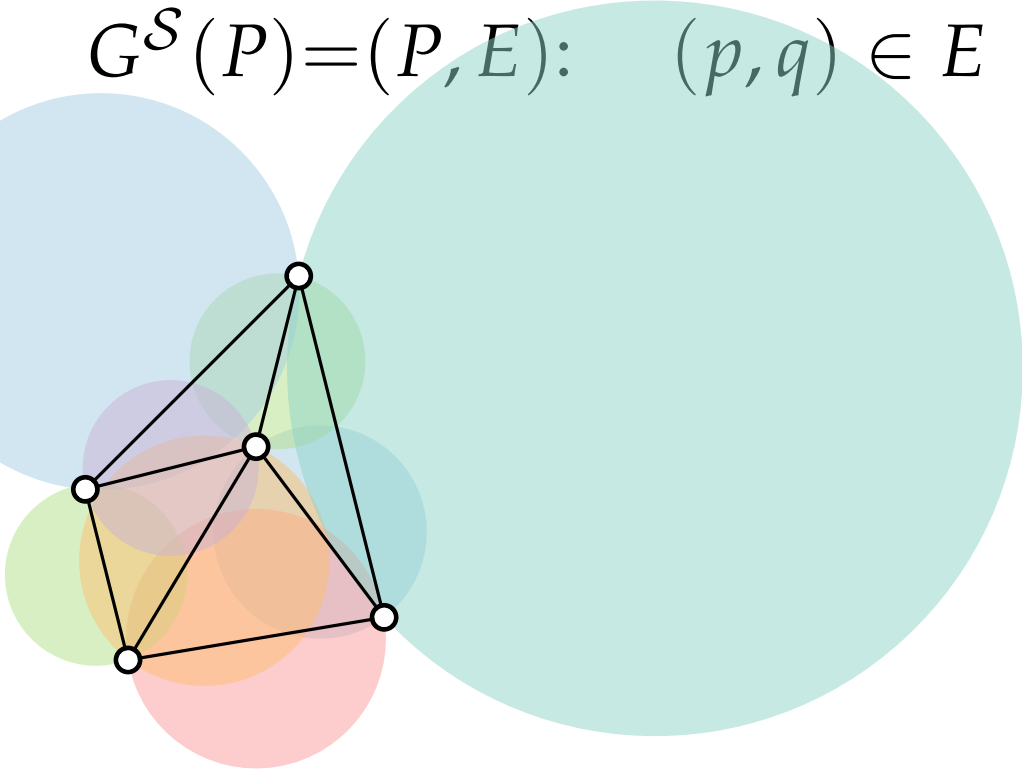
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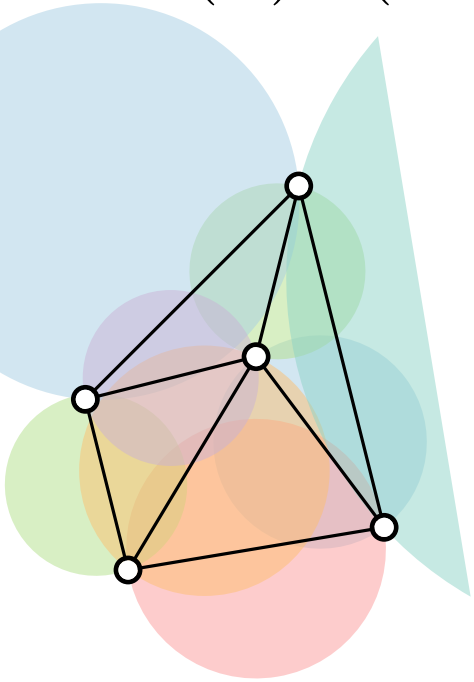
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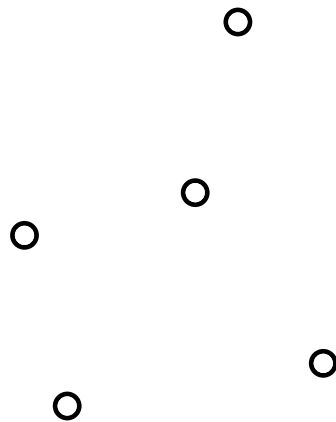
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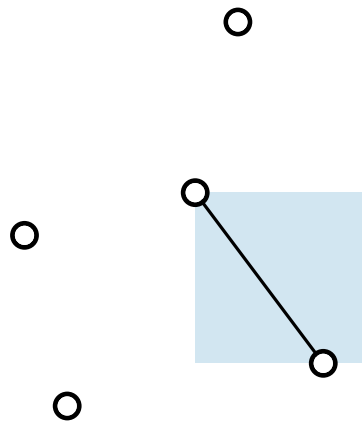
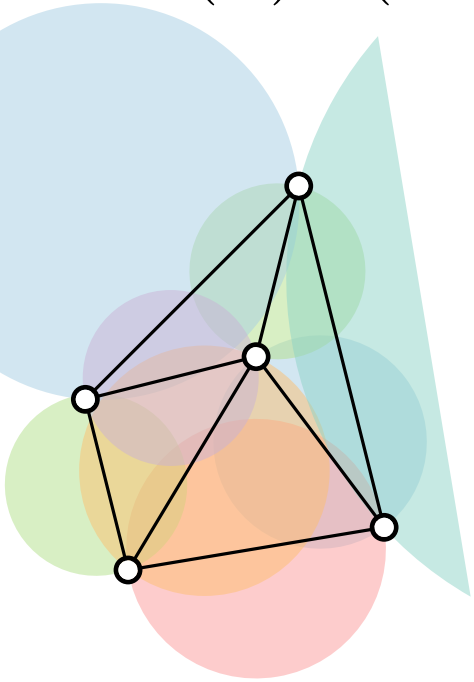
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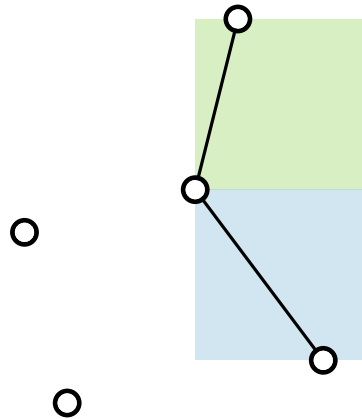
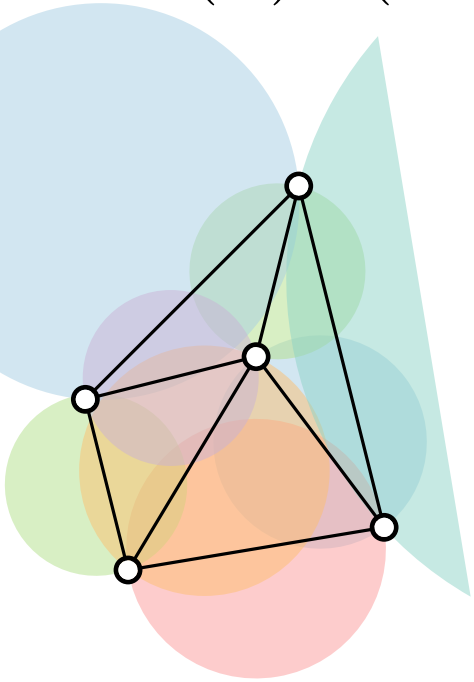
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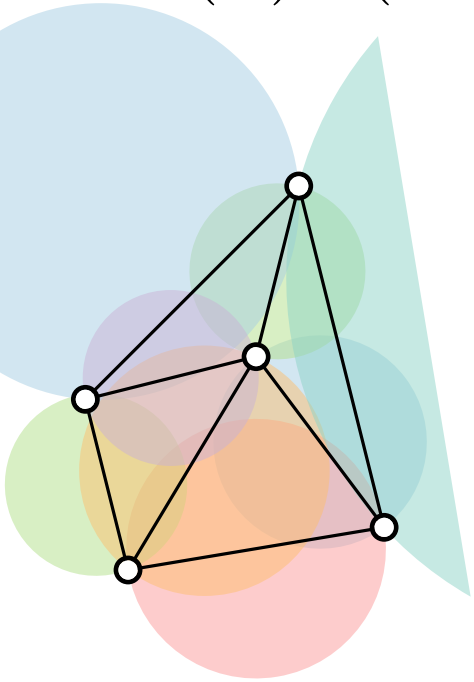
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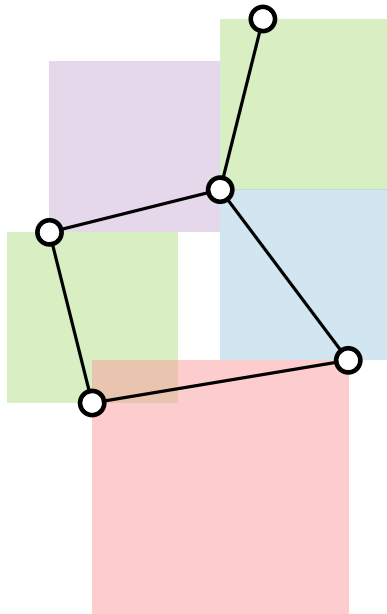
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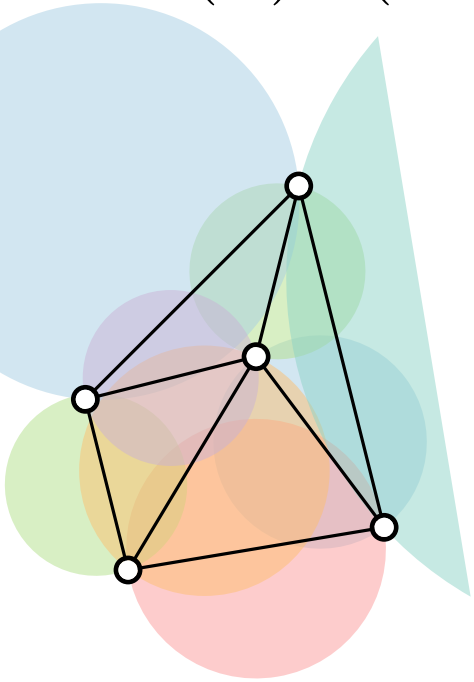
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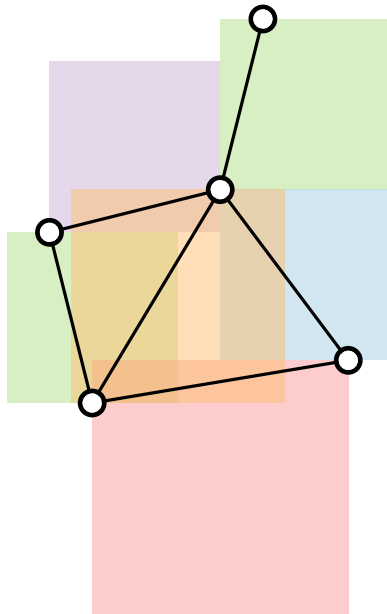
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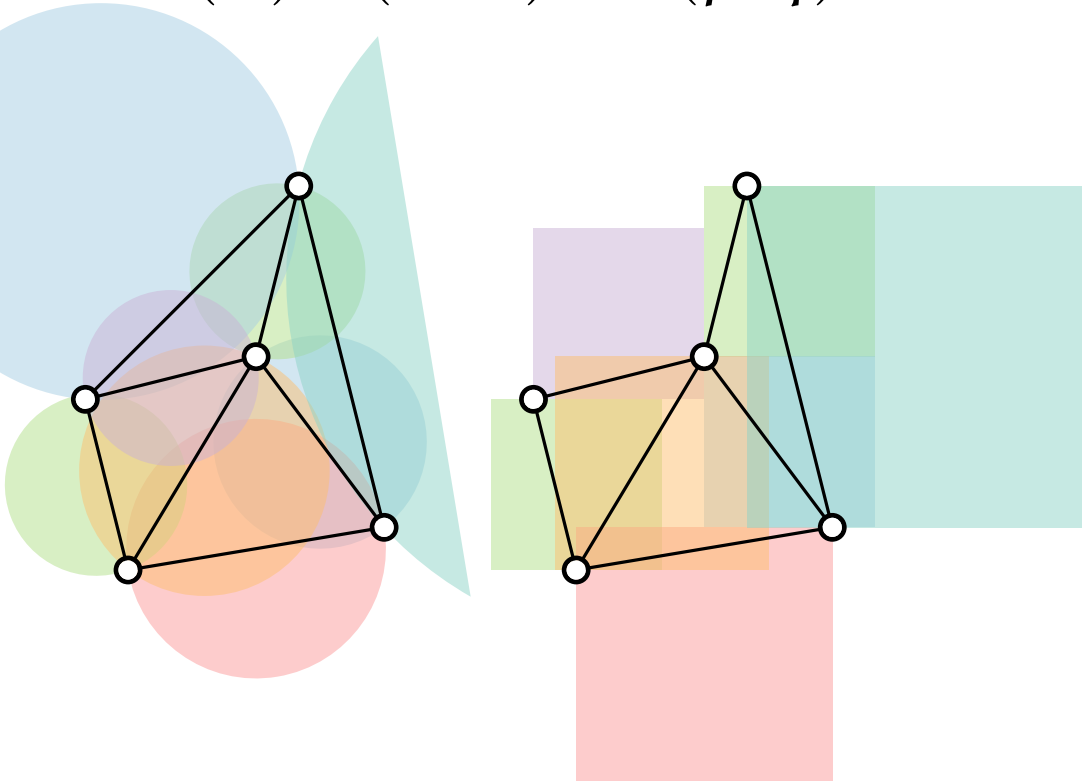
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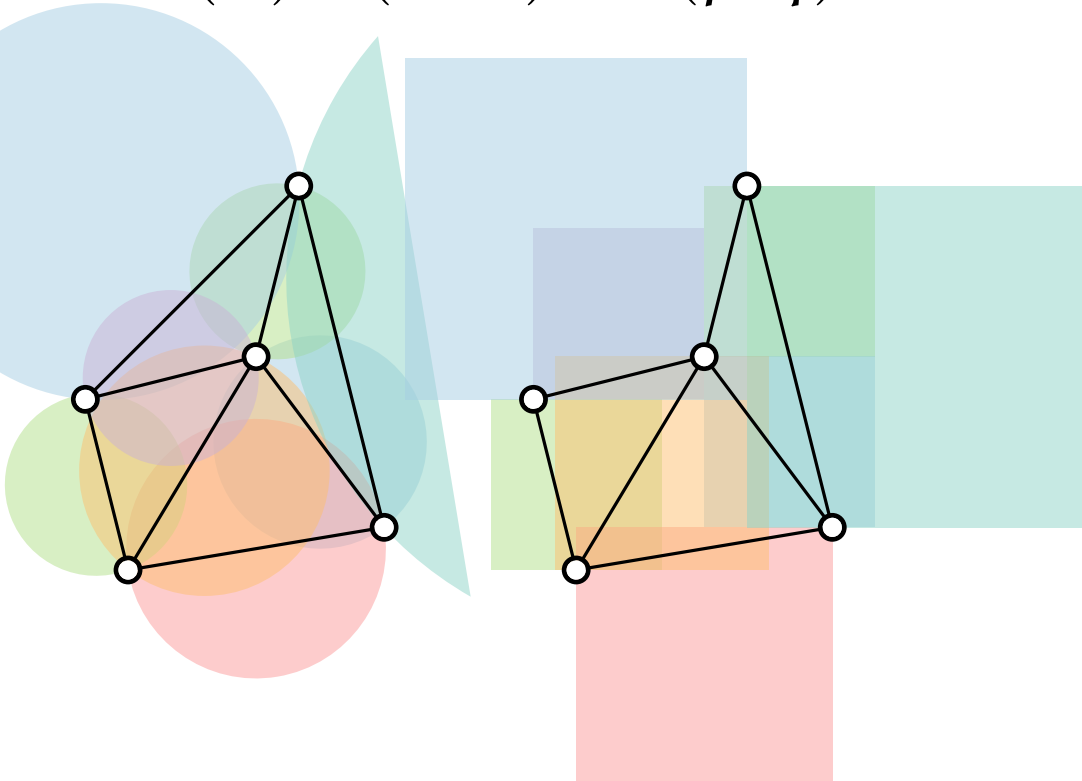
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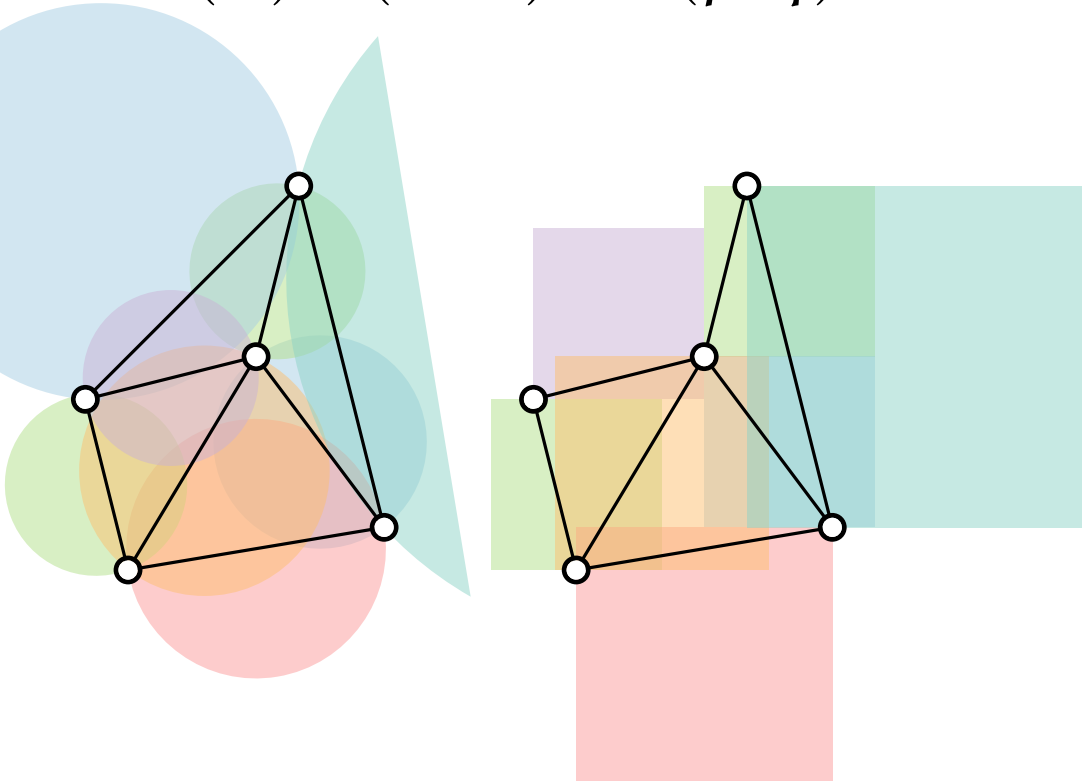
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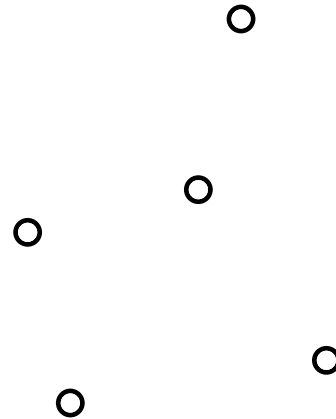
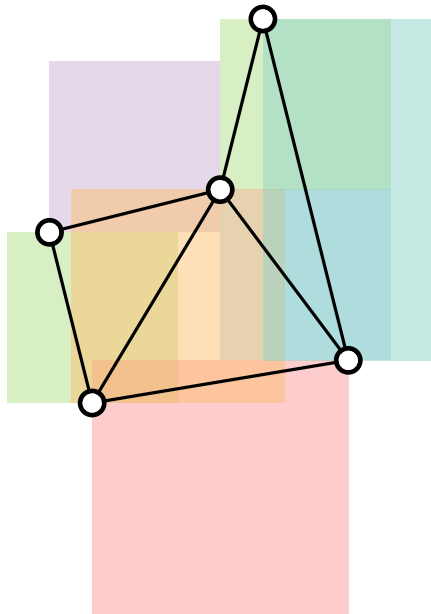
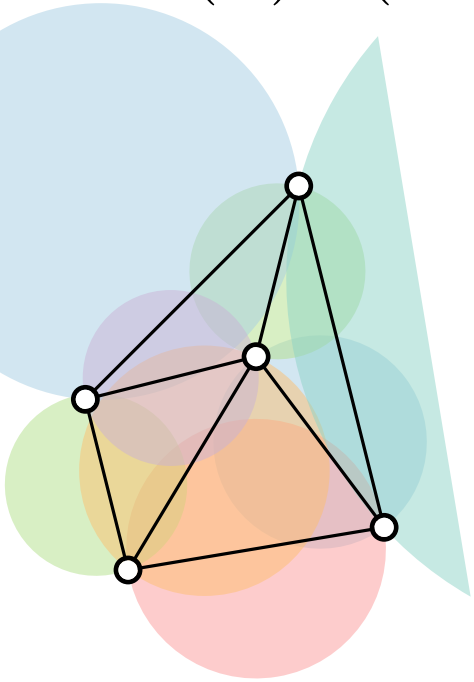
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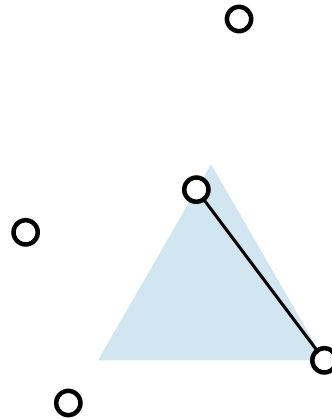
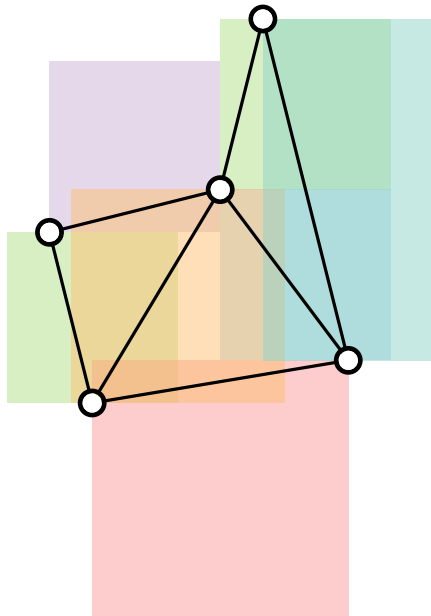
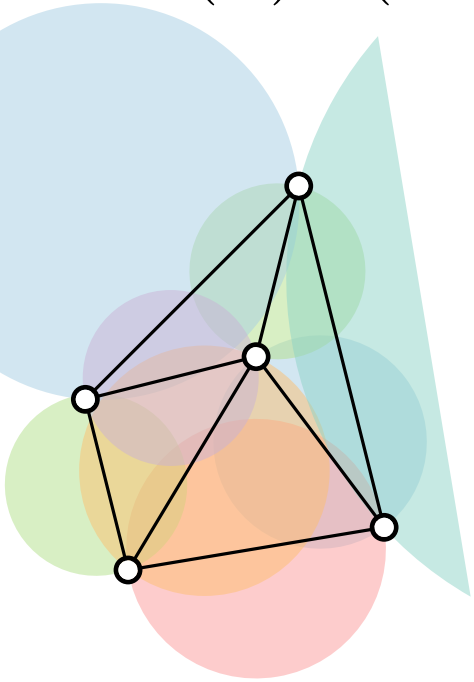
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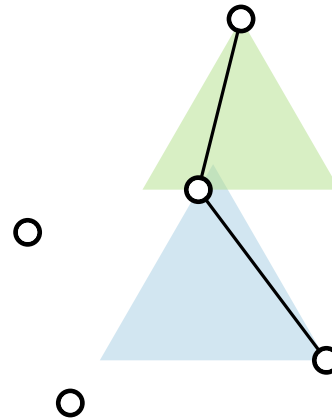
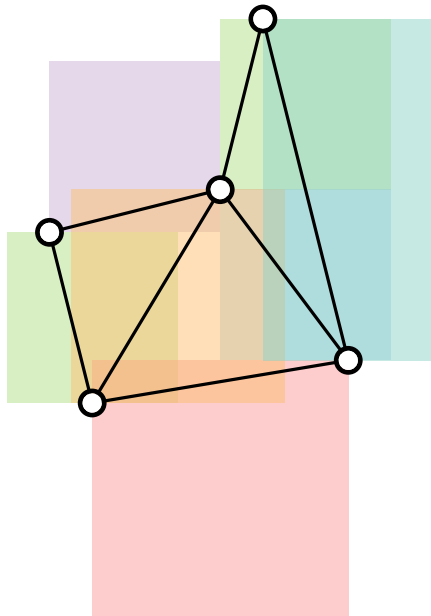
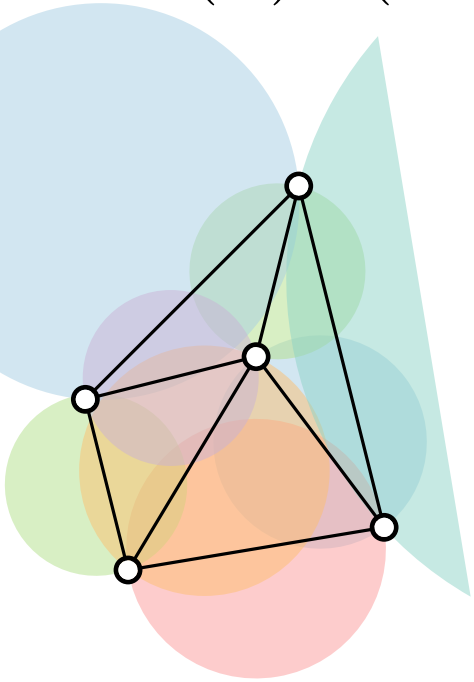
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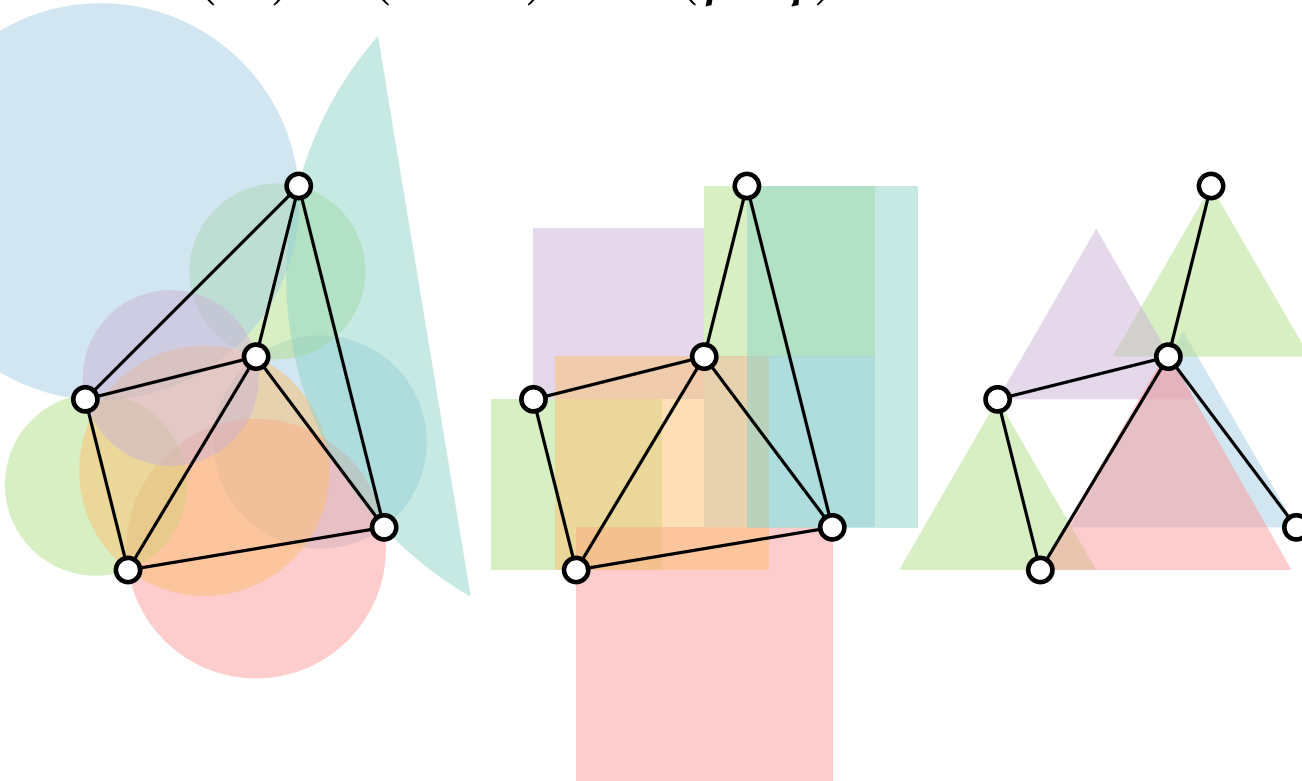
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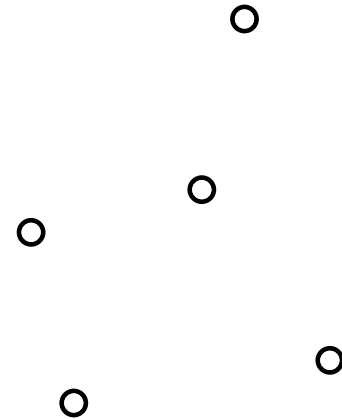
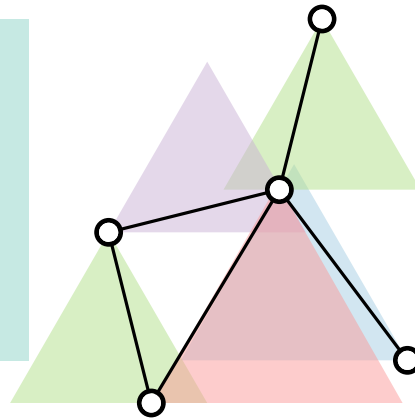
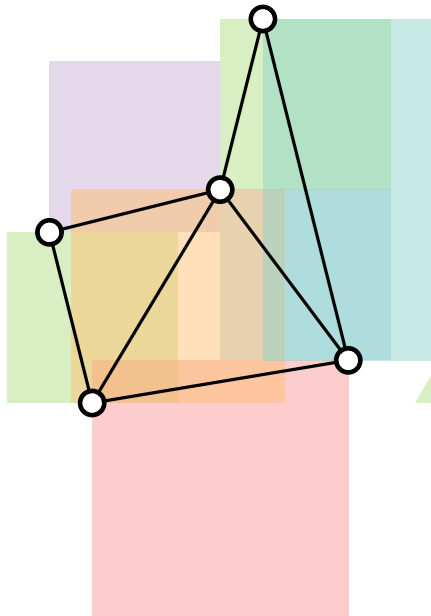
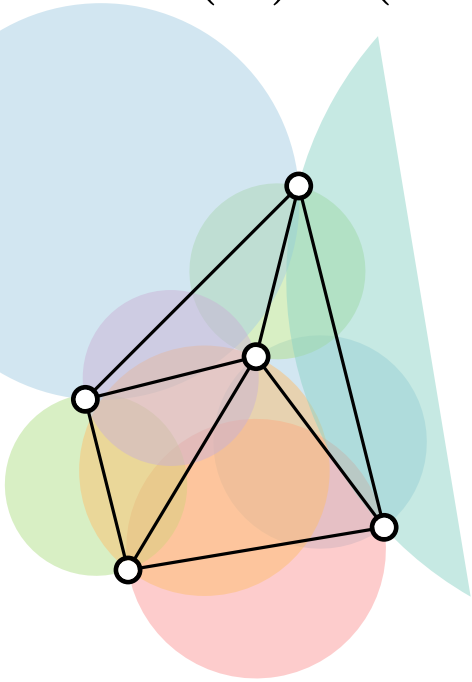
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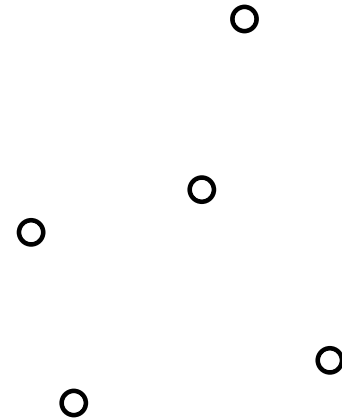
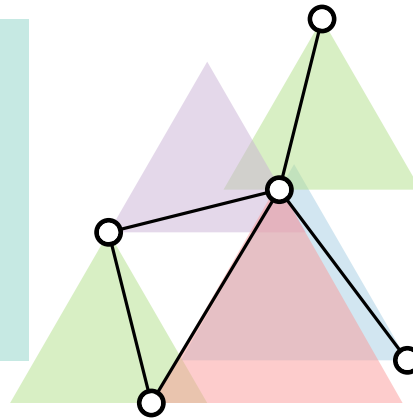
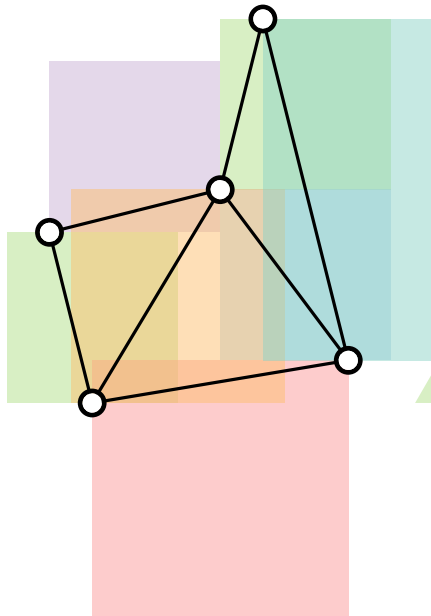
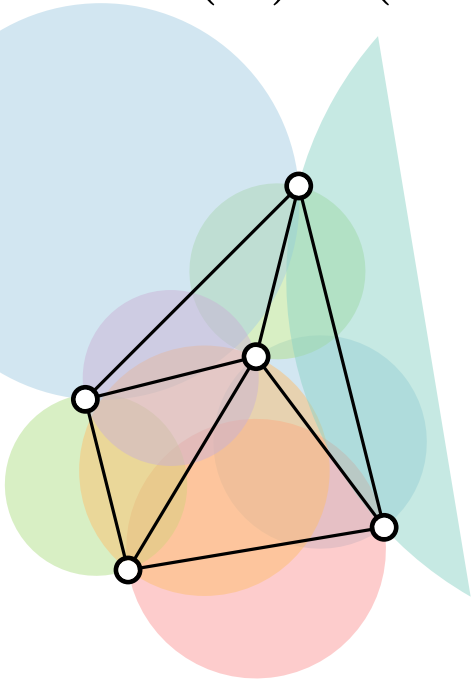
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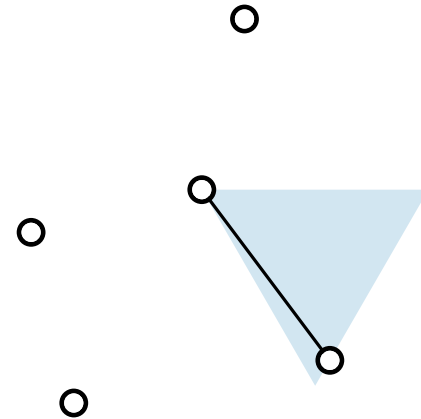
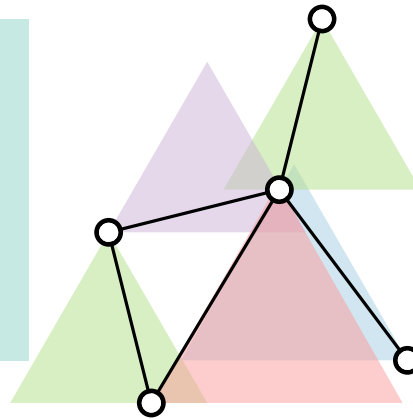
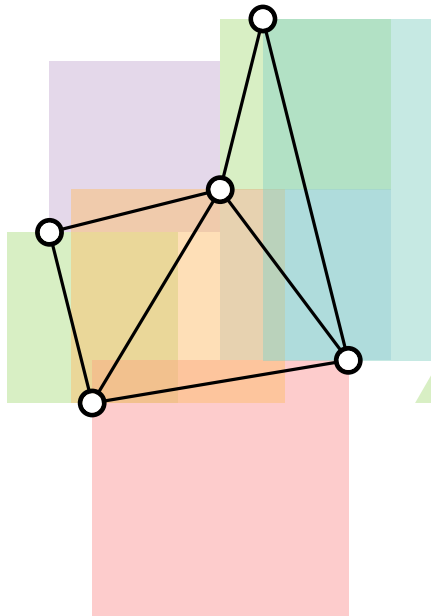
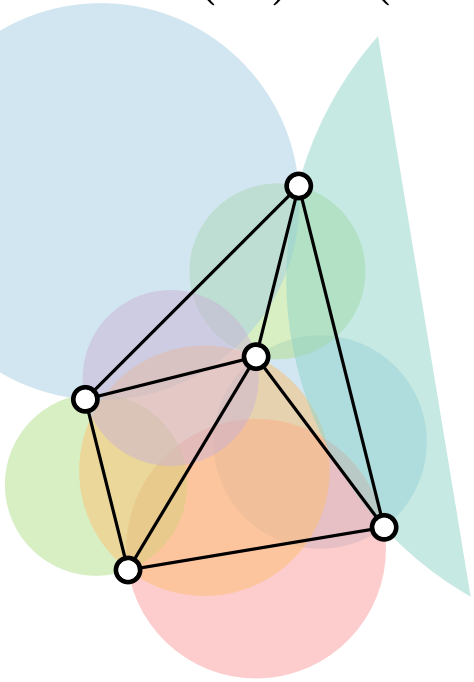
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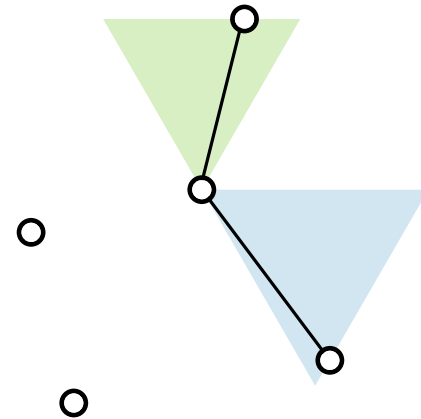
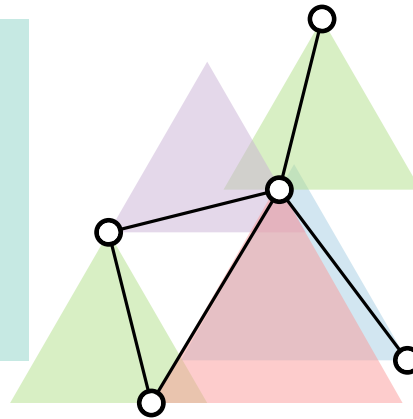
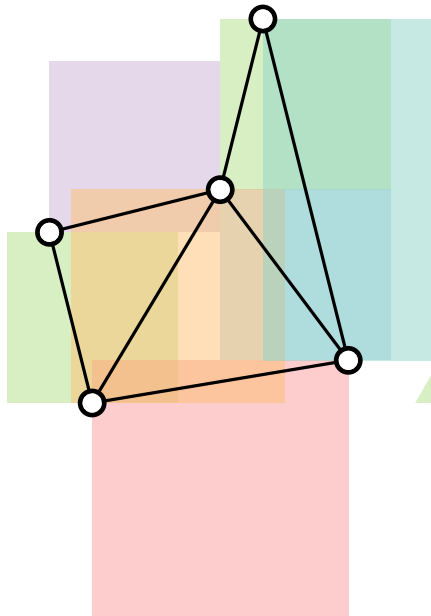
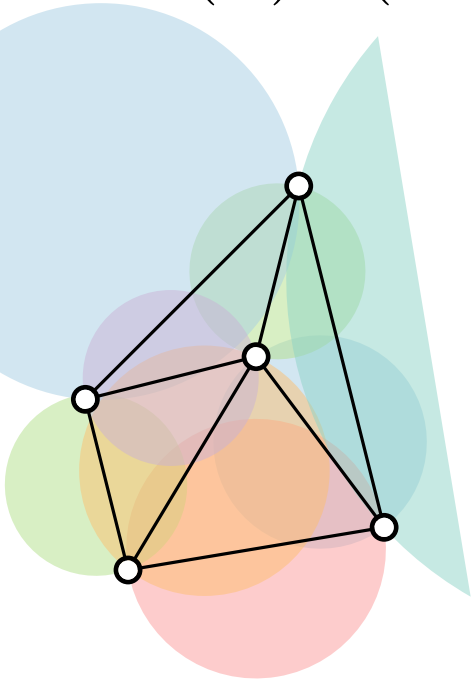
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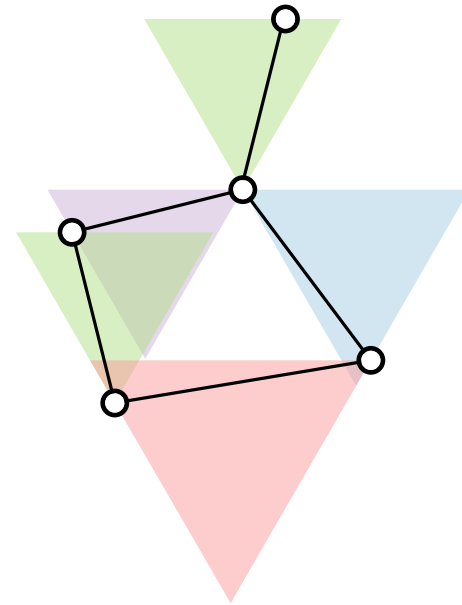
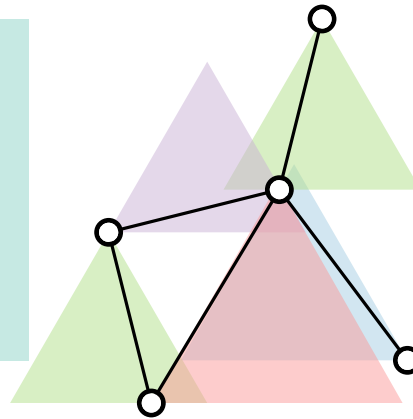
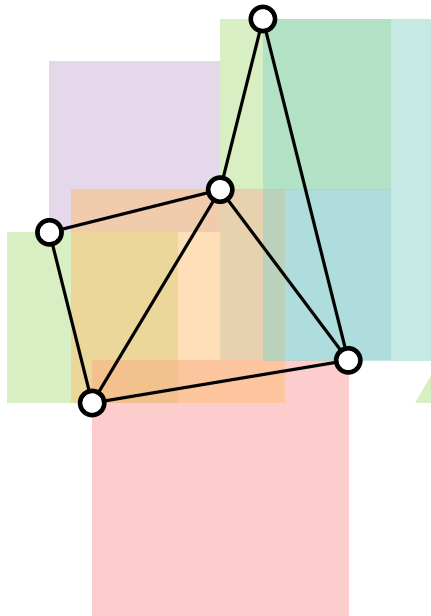
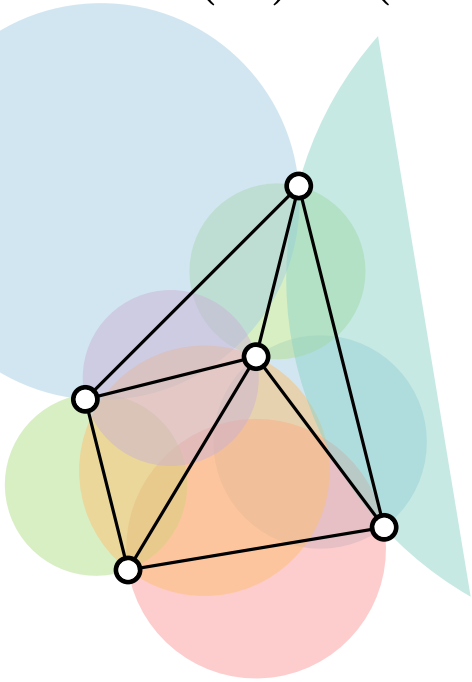
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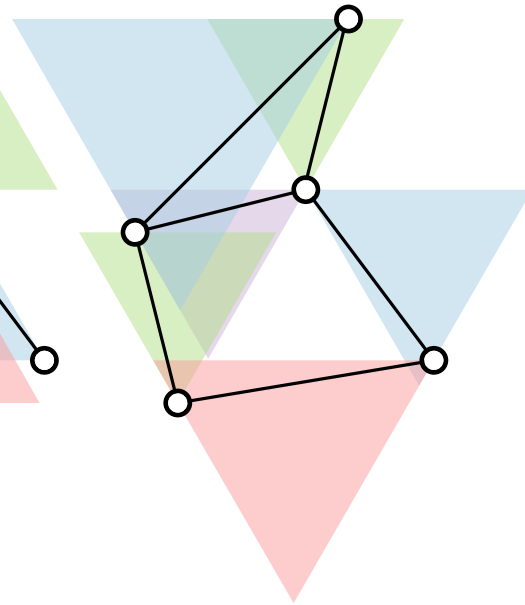
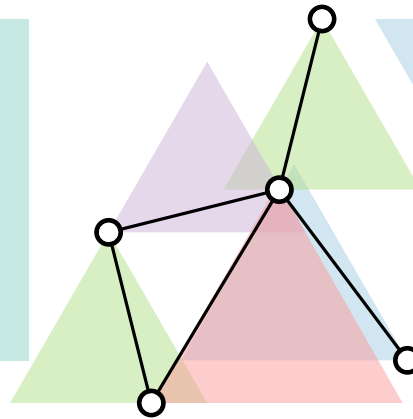
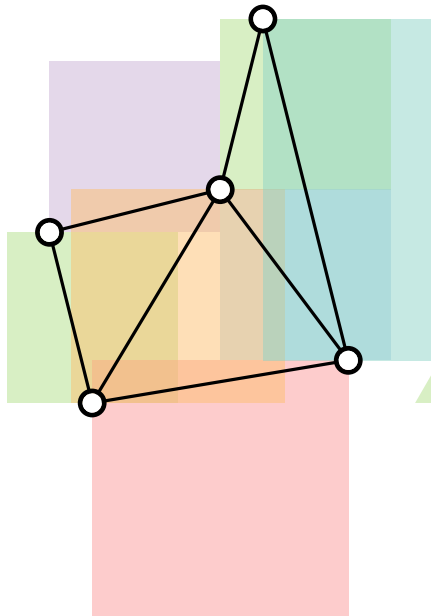
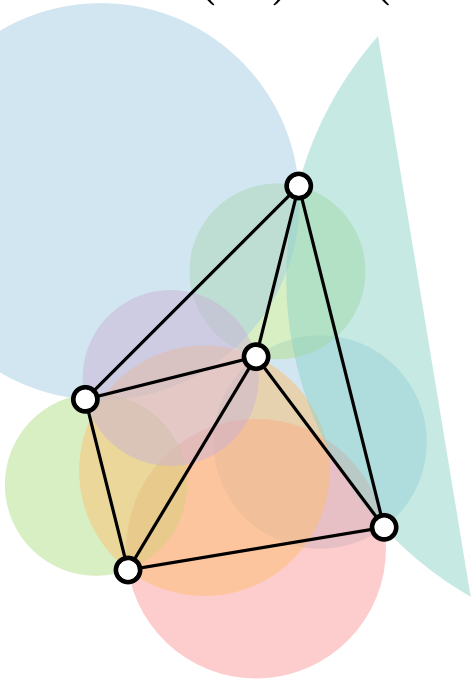
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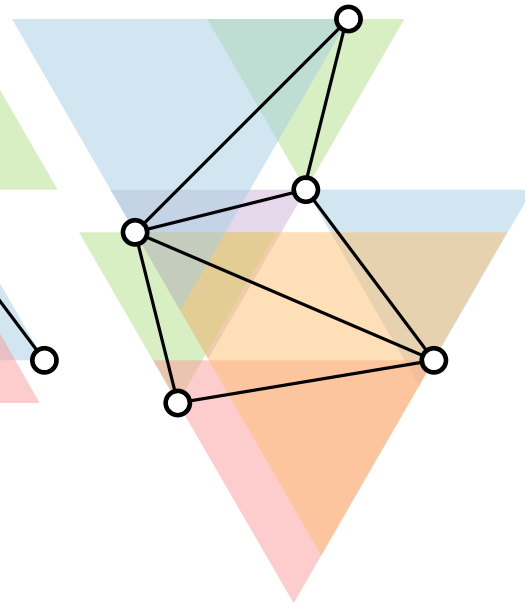
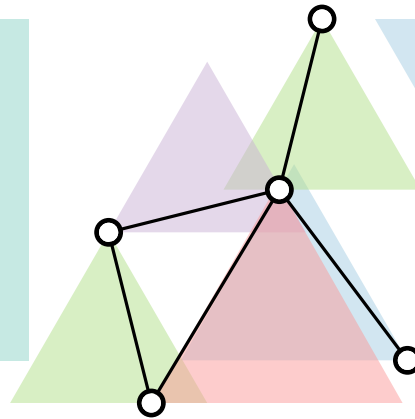
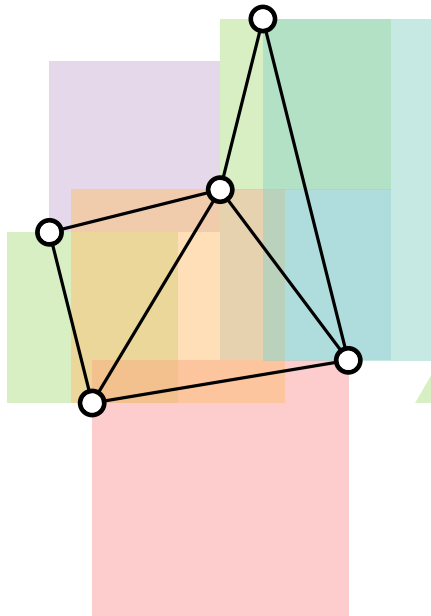
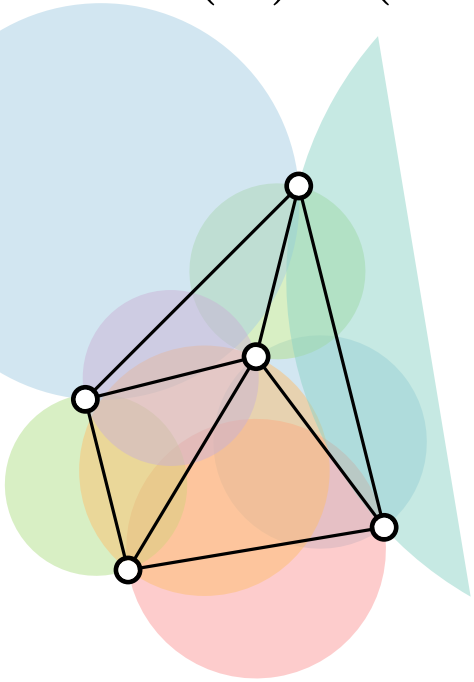
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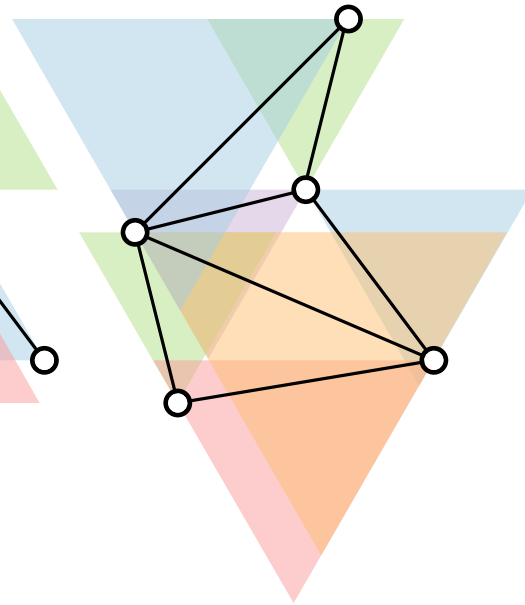
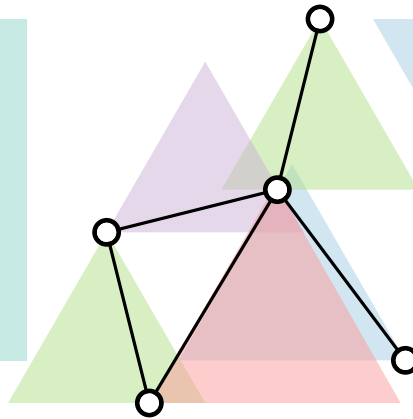
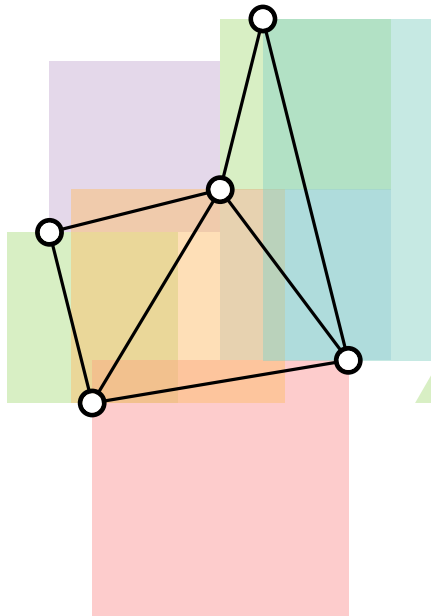
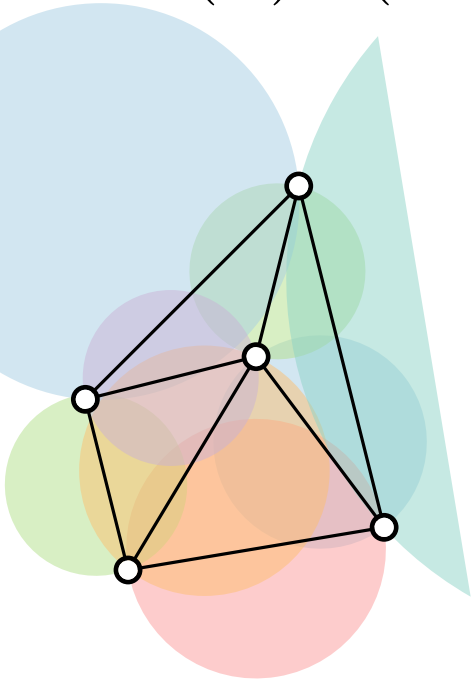
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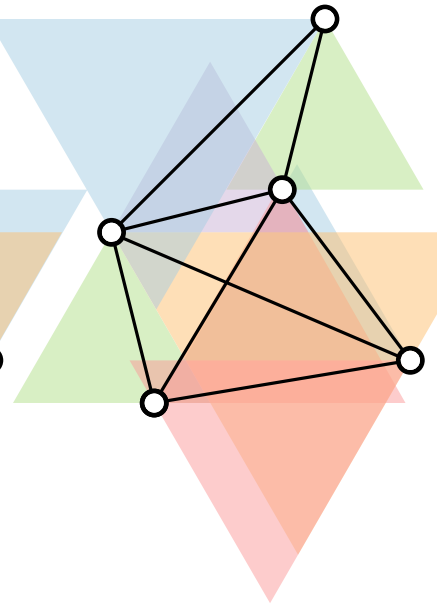
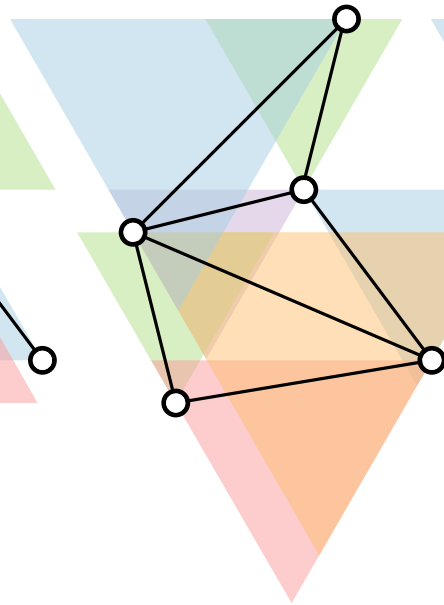
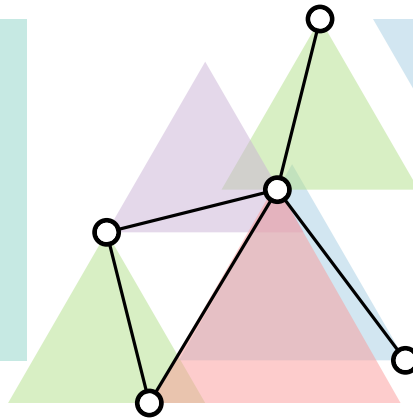
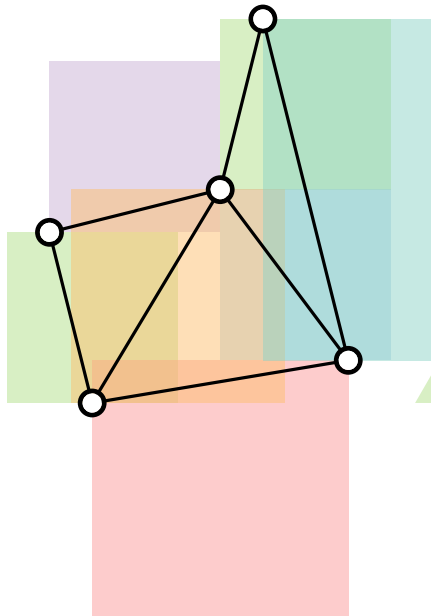
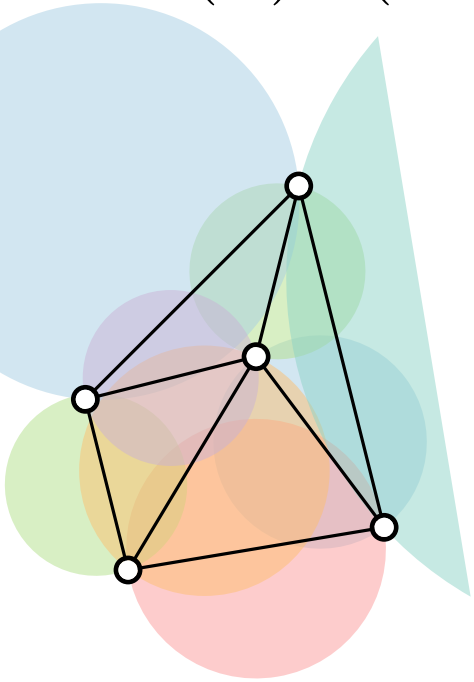
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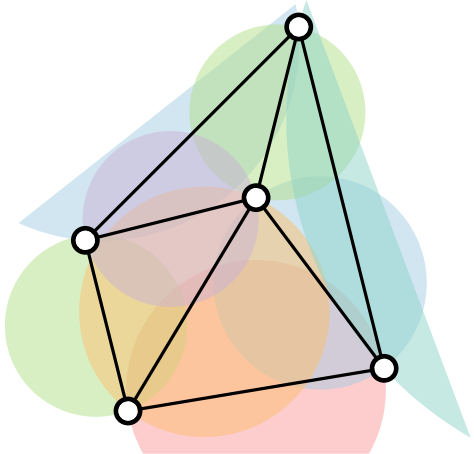
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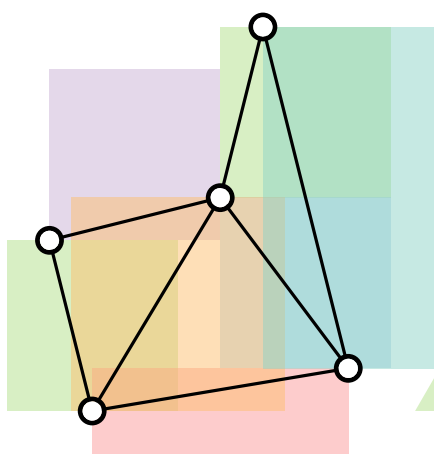
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Half- Θ_6 -Graphs

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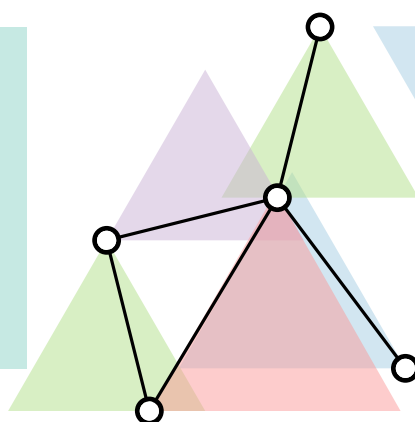
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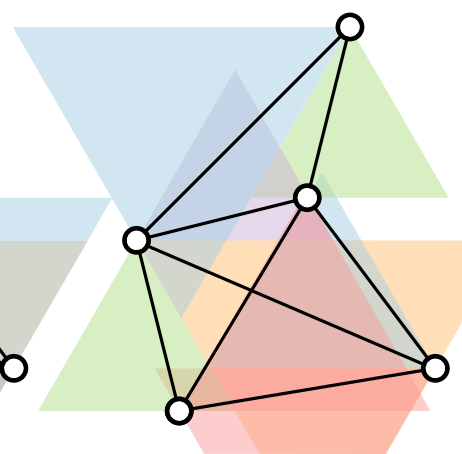
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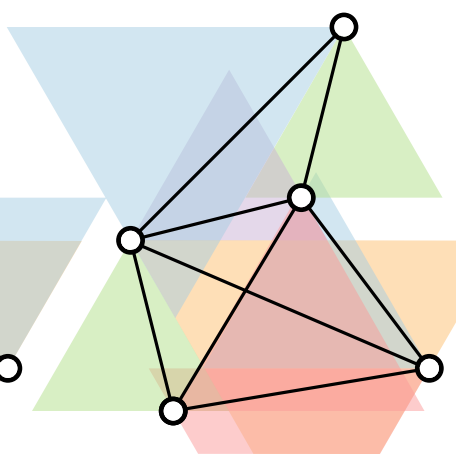
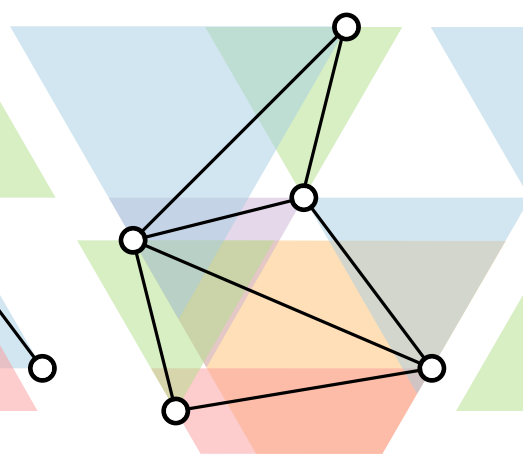
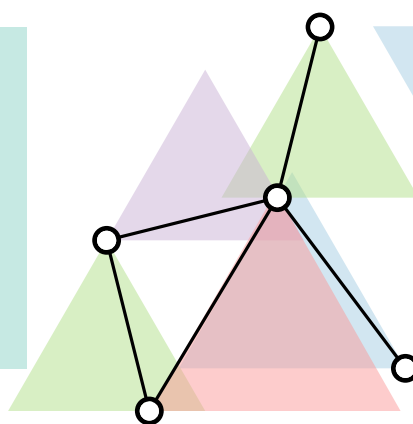
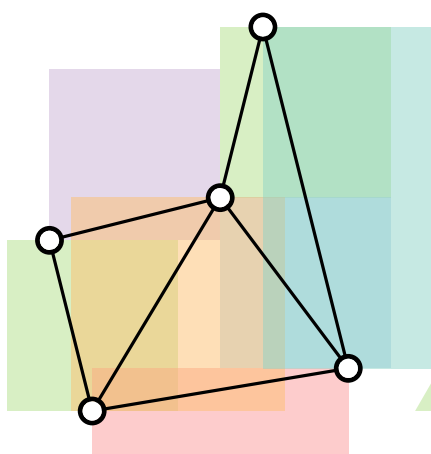
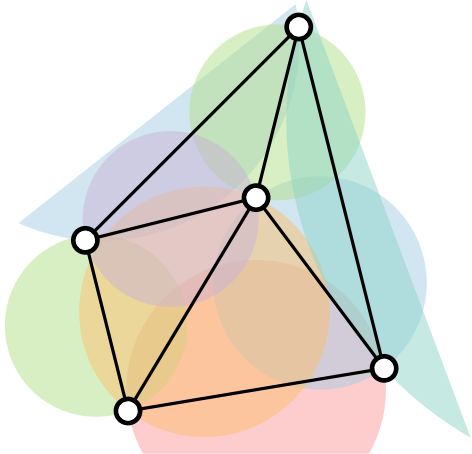


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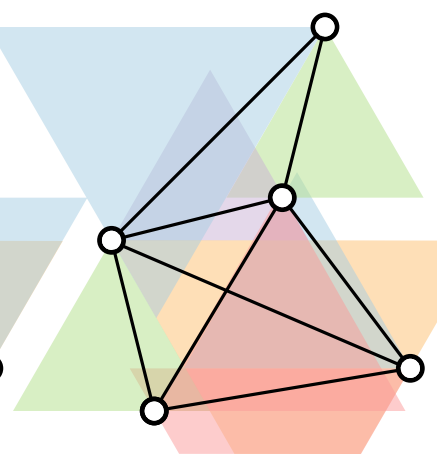
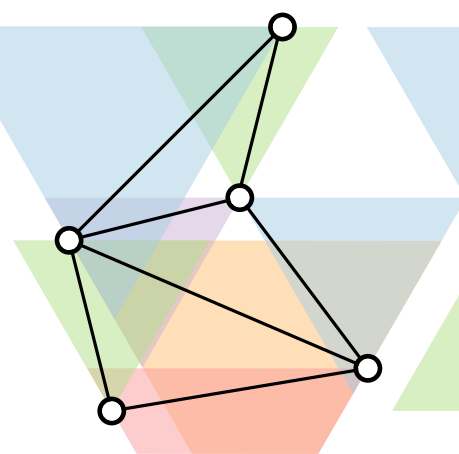
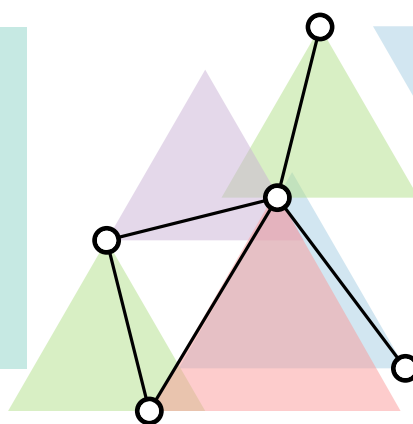
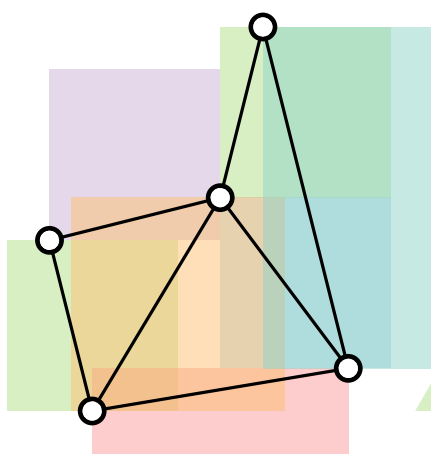
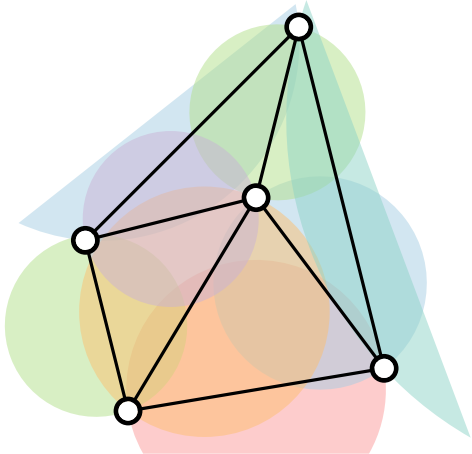
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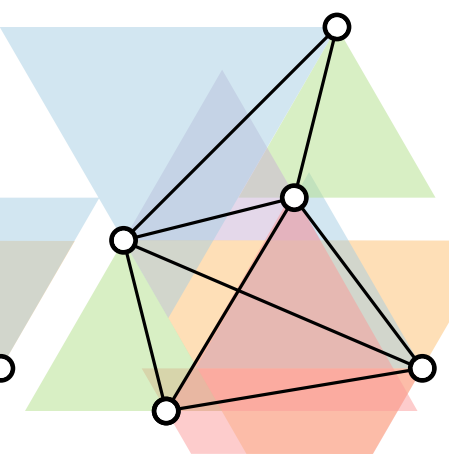
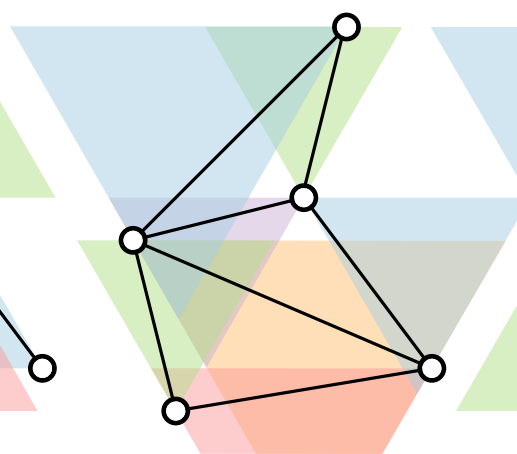
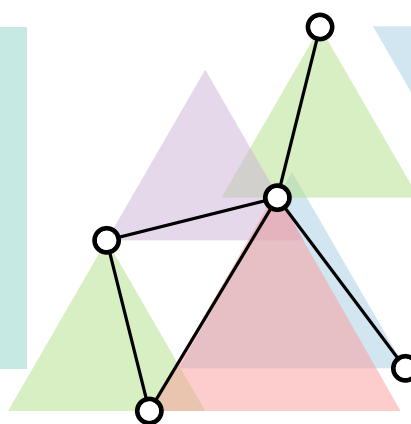
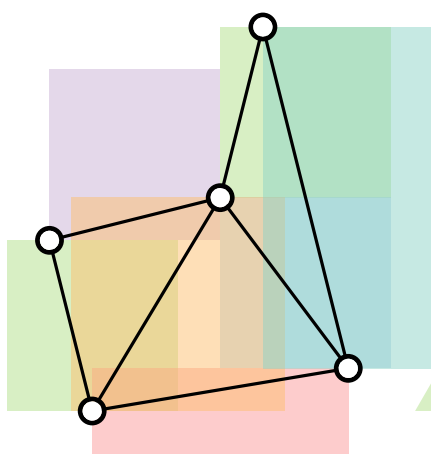
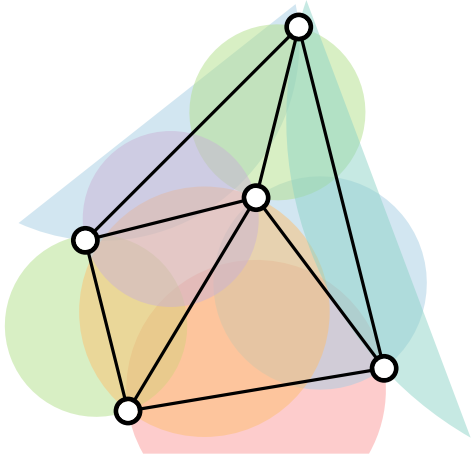
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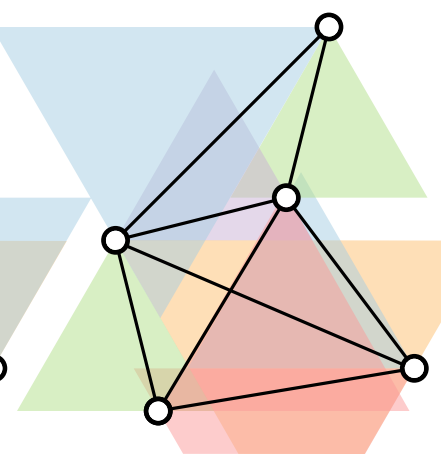
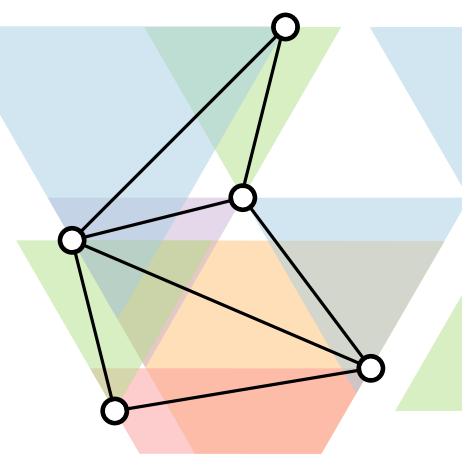
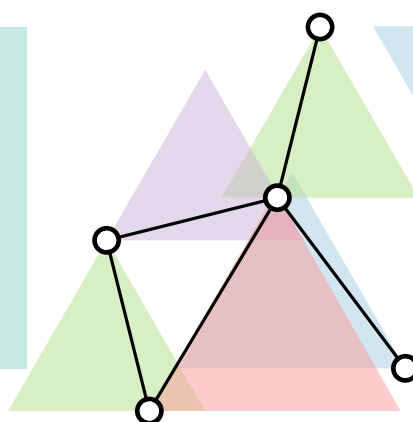
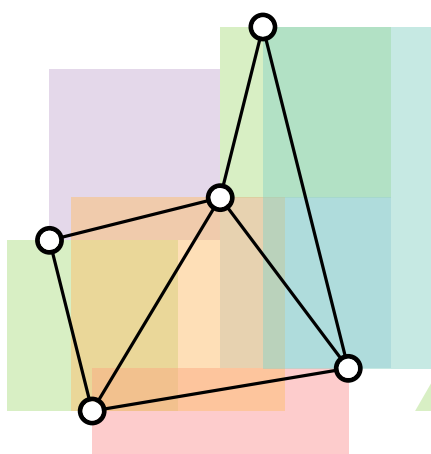
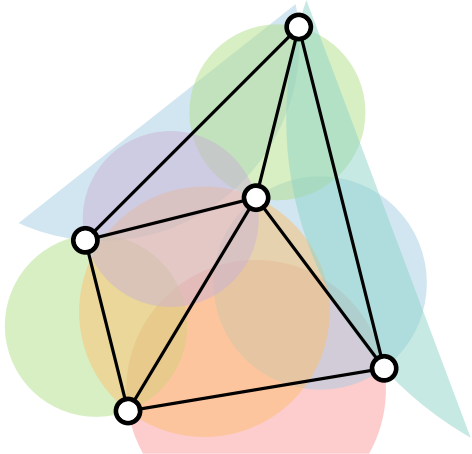
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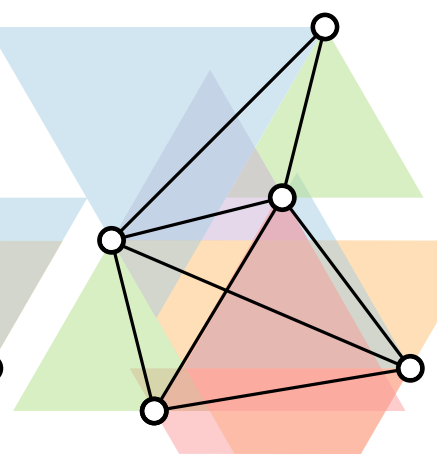
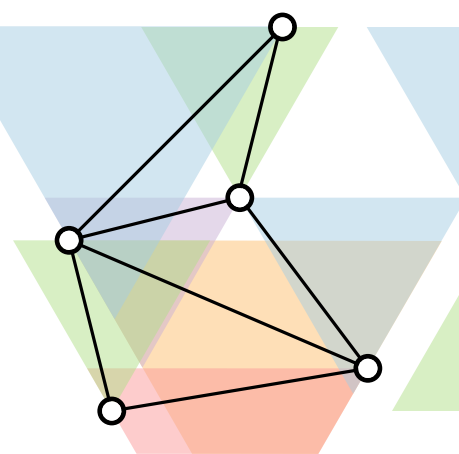
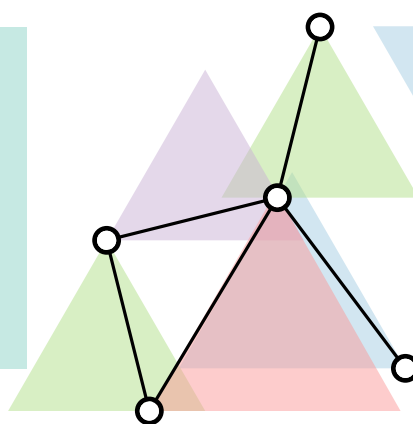
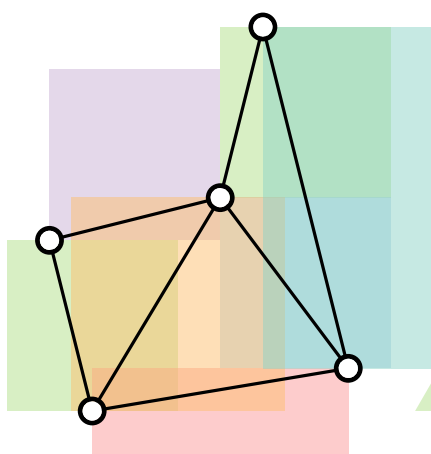
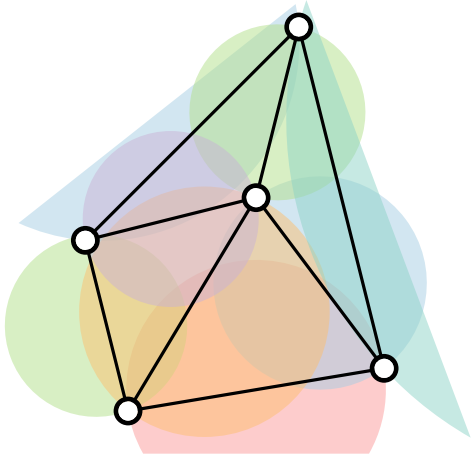
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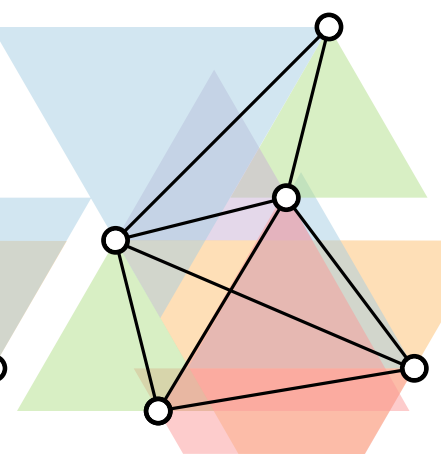
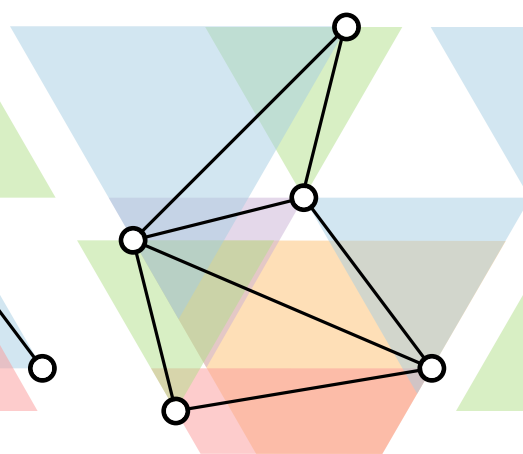
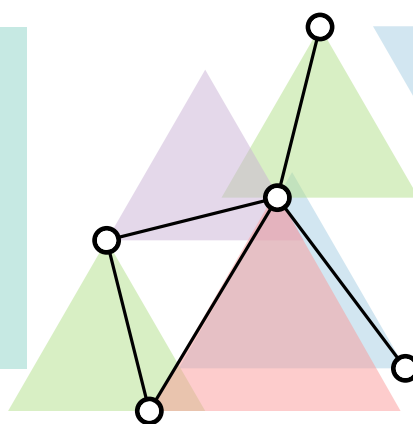
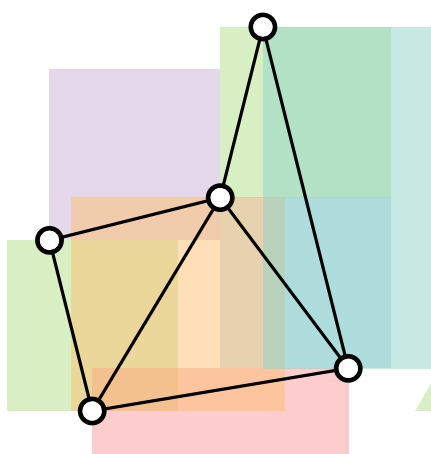
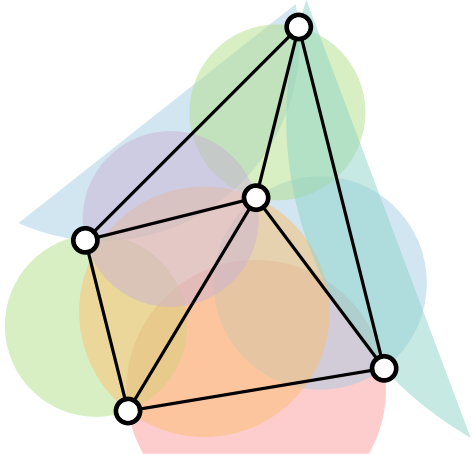
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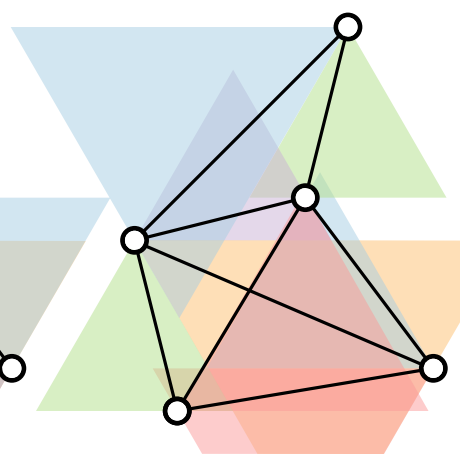
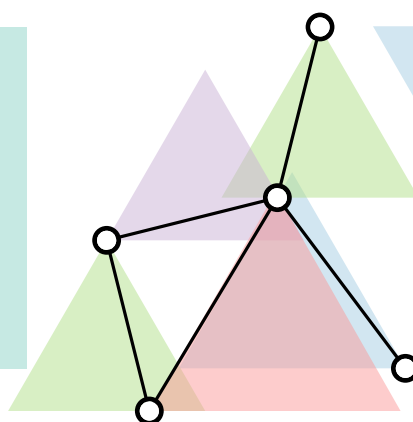
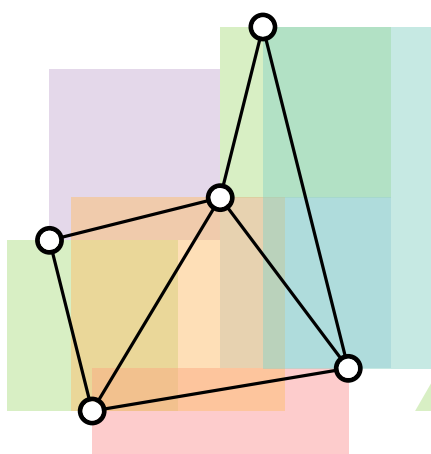
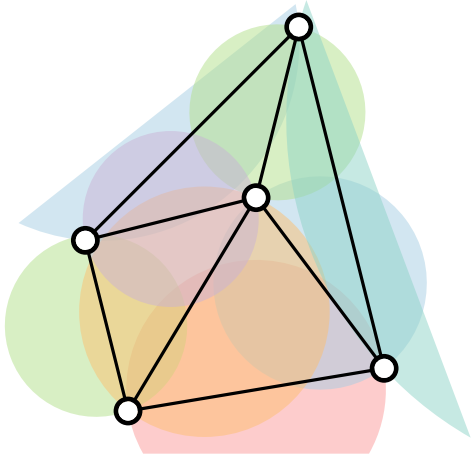
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Max. Matching $\mu(n)$

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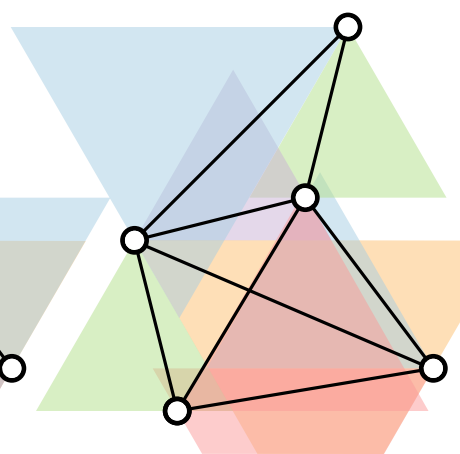
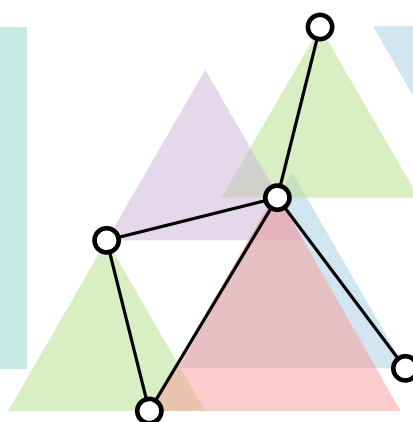
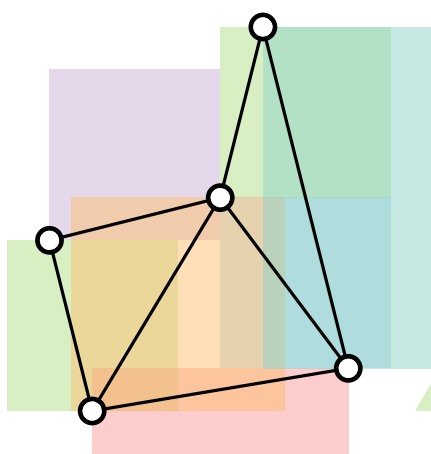
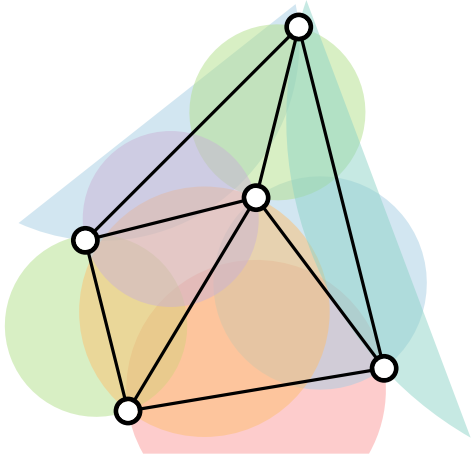
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Max. Matching $\mu(n)$

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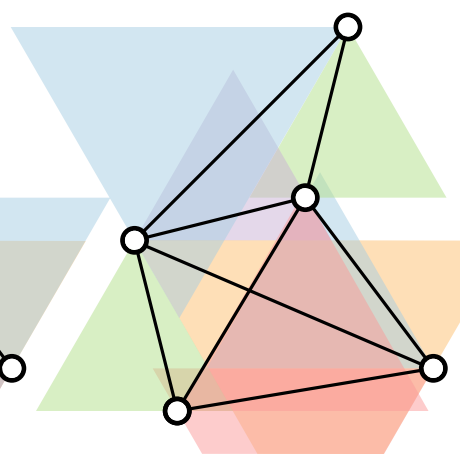
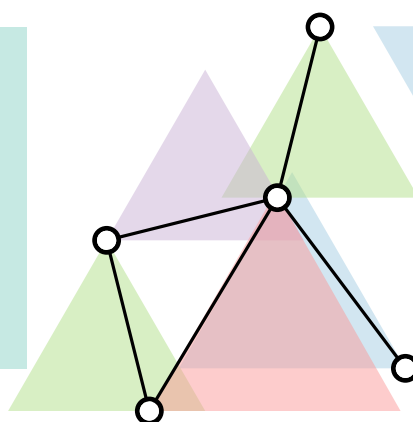
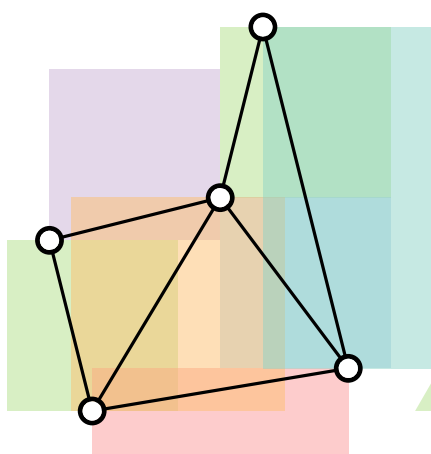
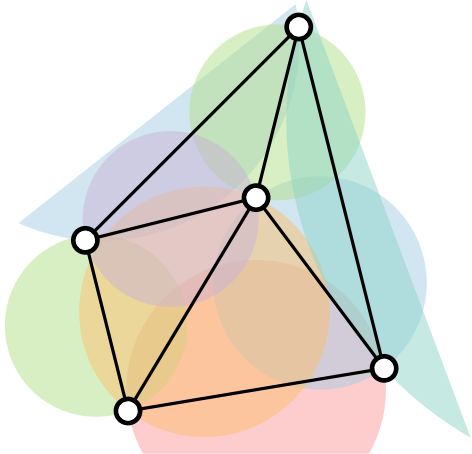
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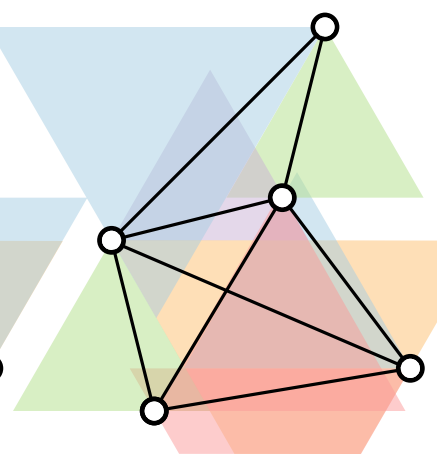
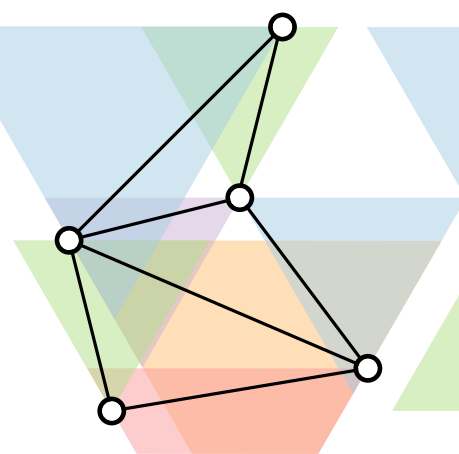
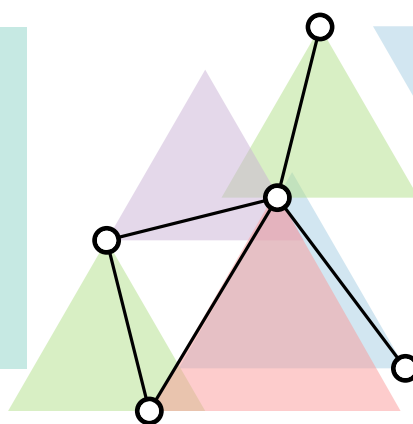
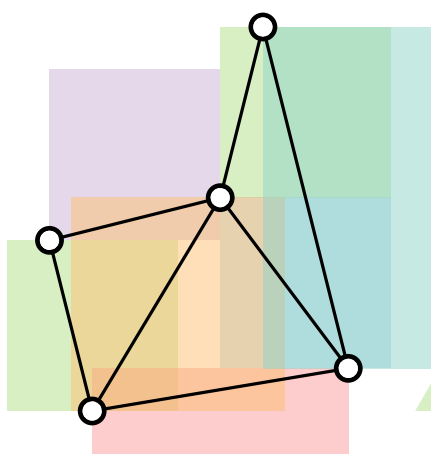
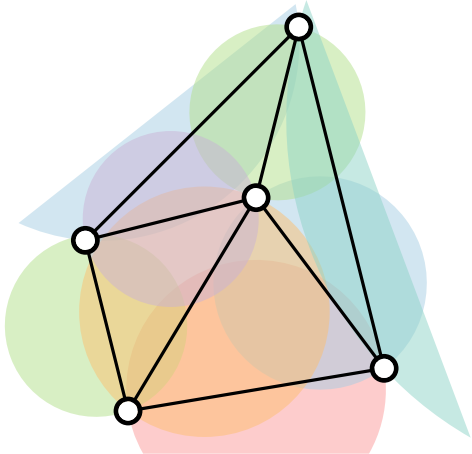
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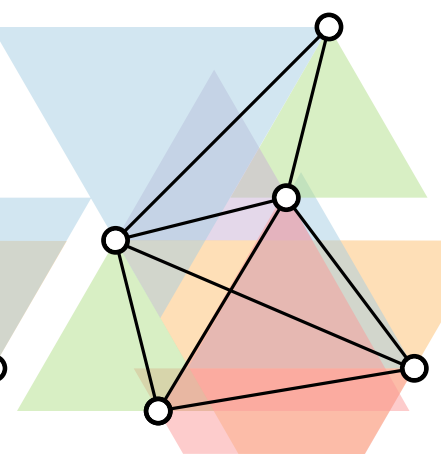
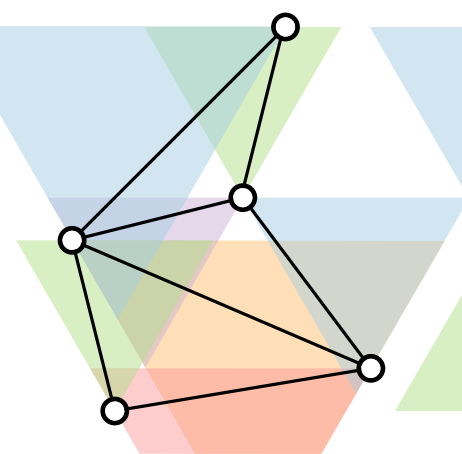
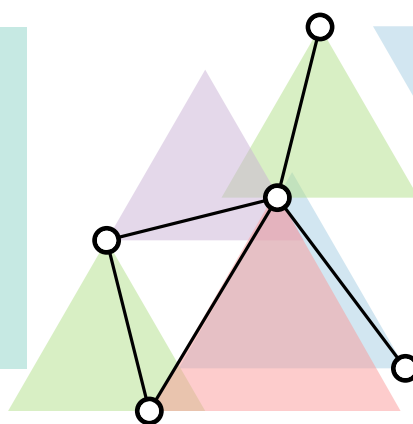
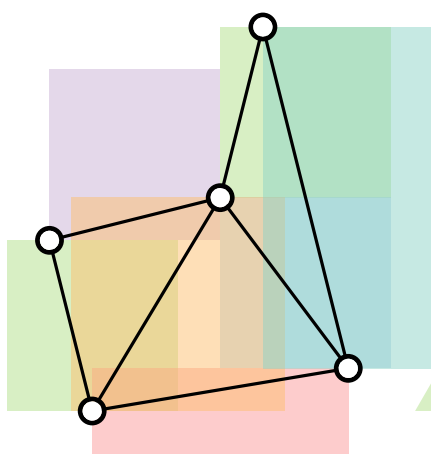
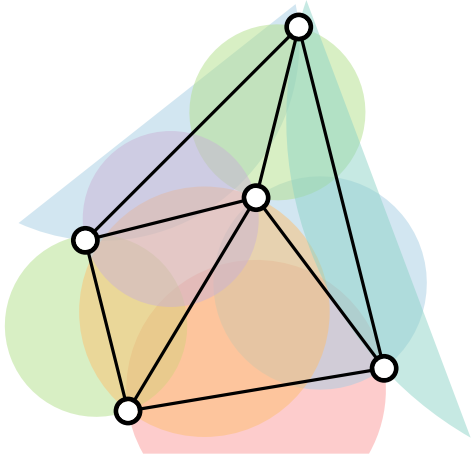
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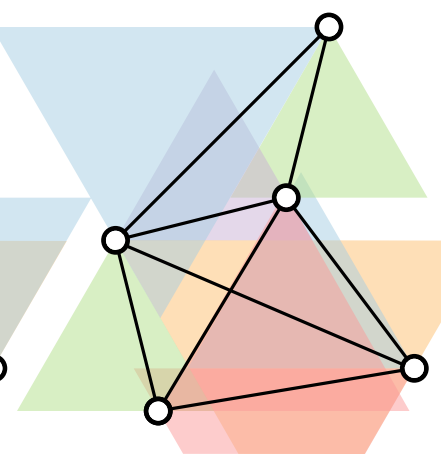
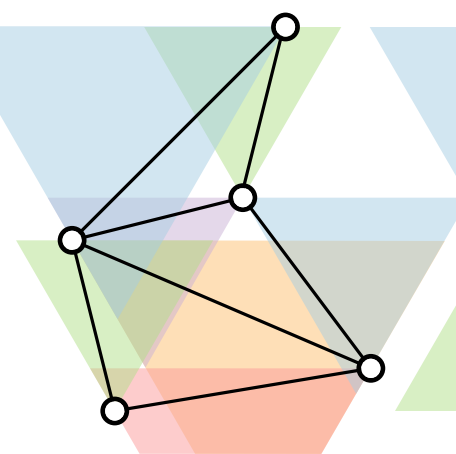
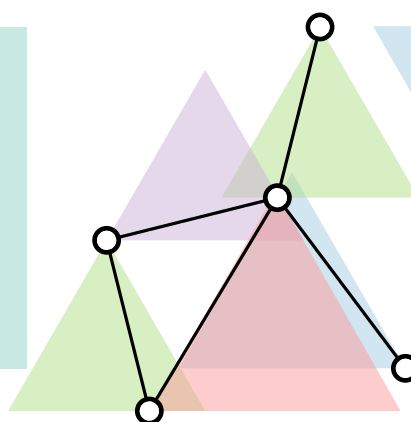
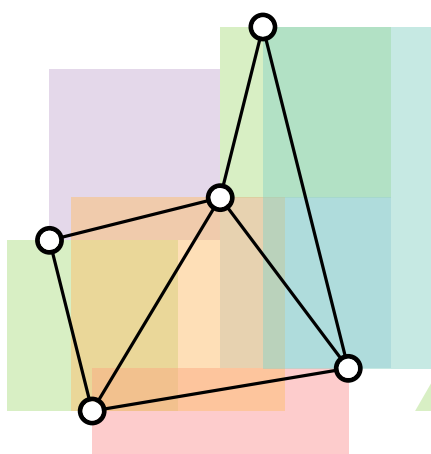
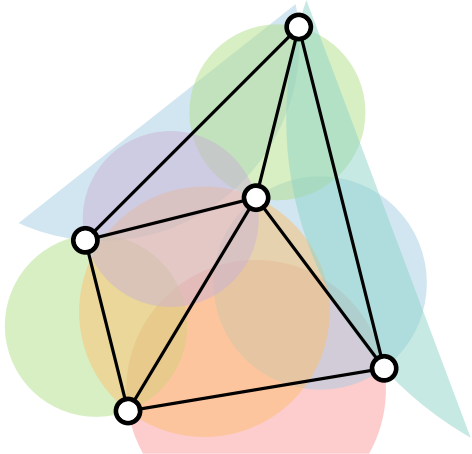
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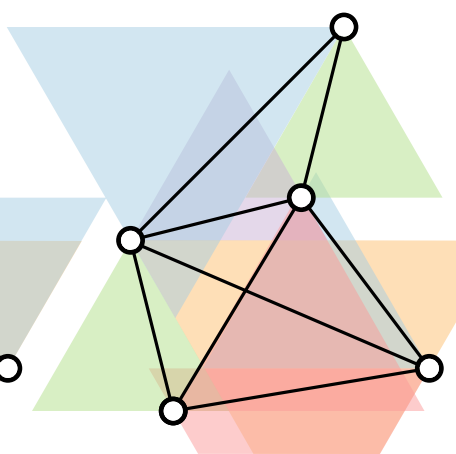
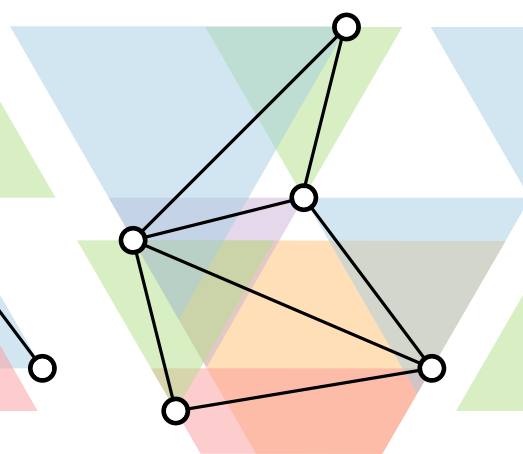
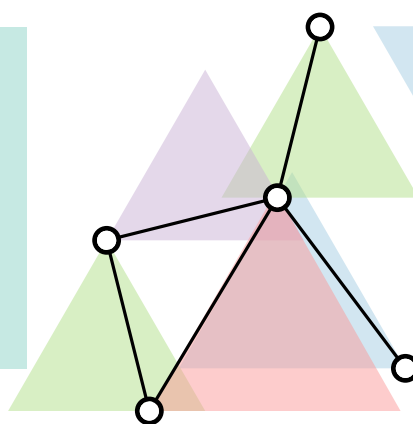
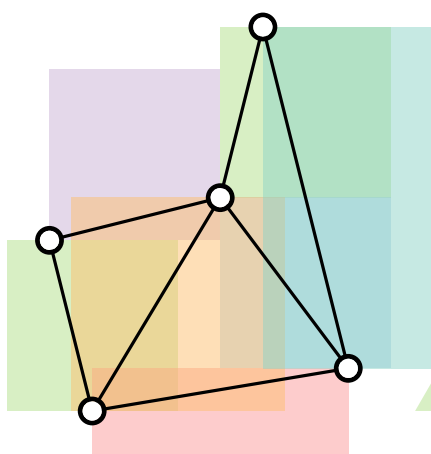
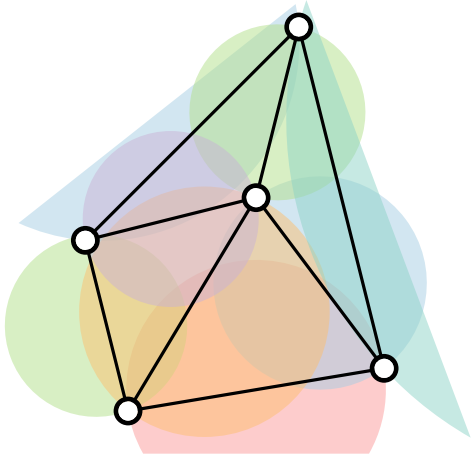
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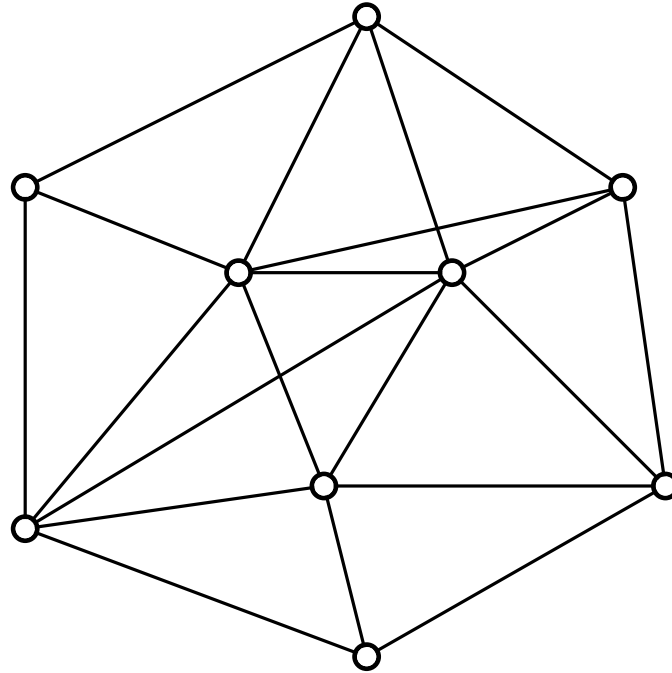
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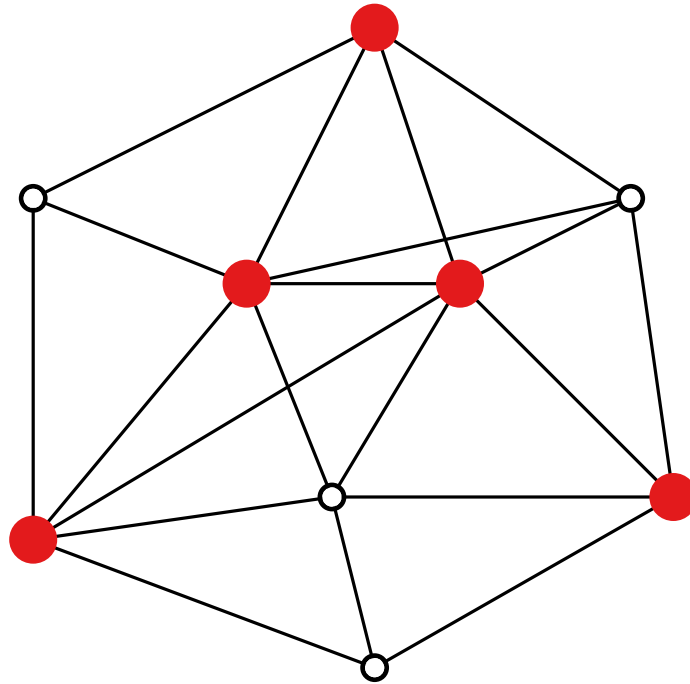
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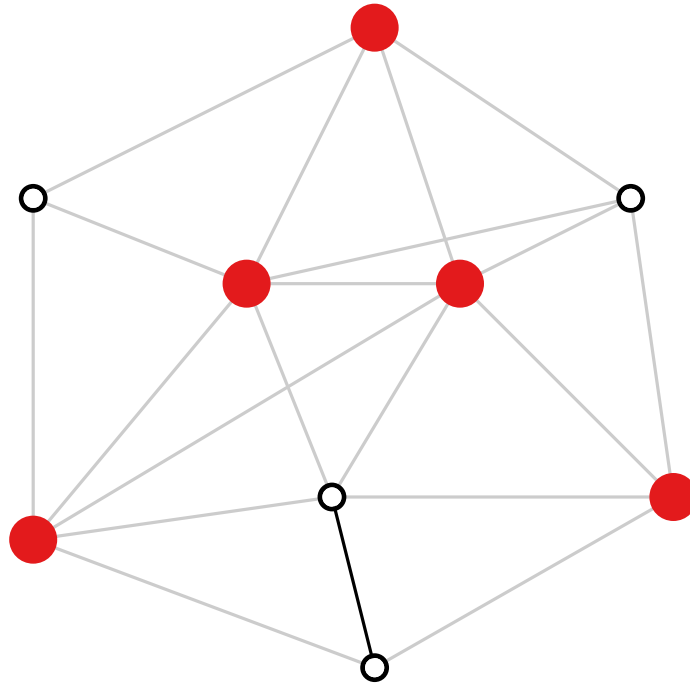
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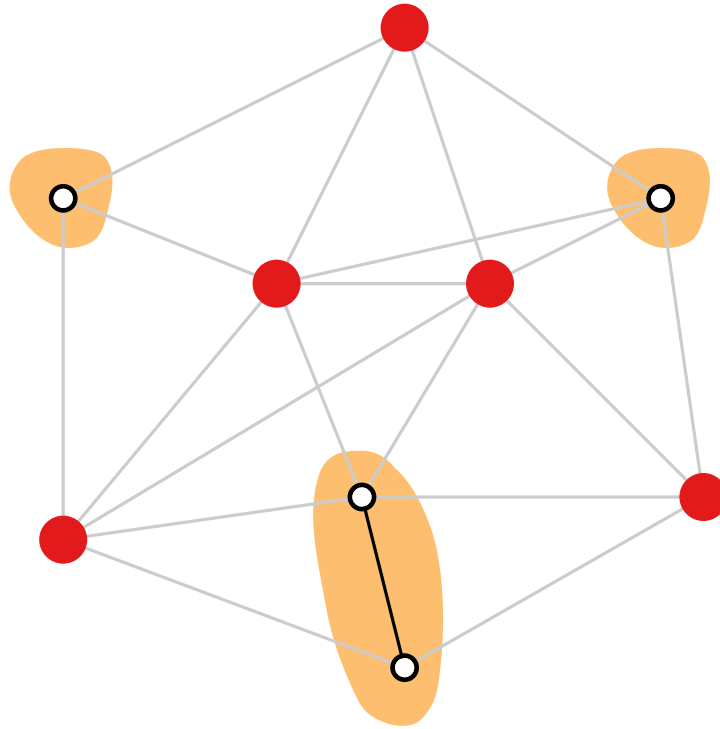
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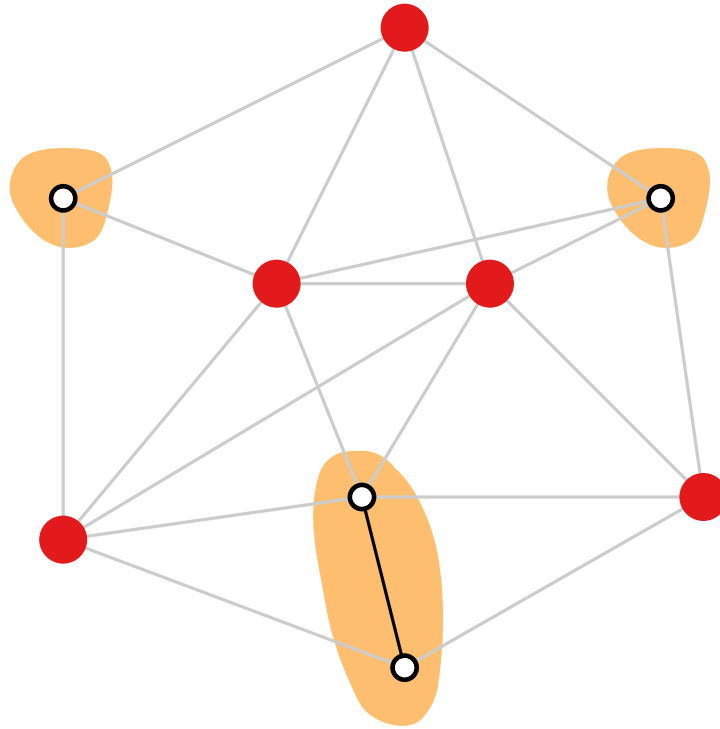


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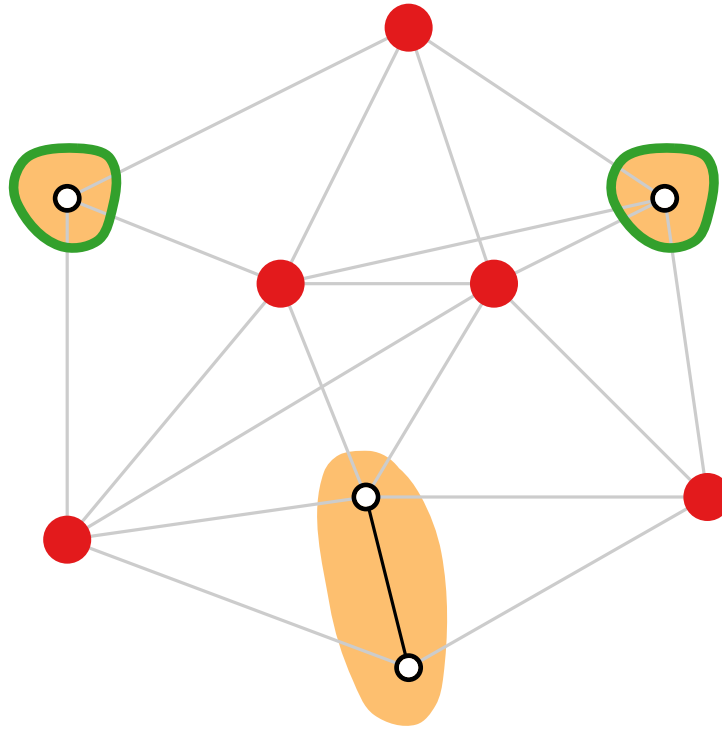


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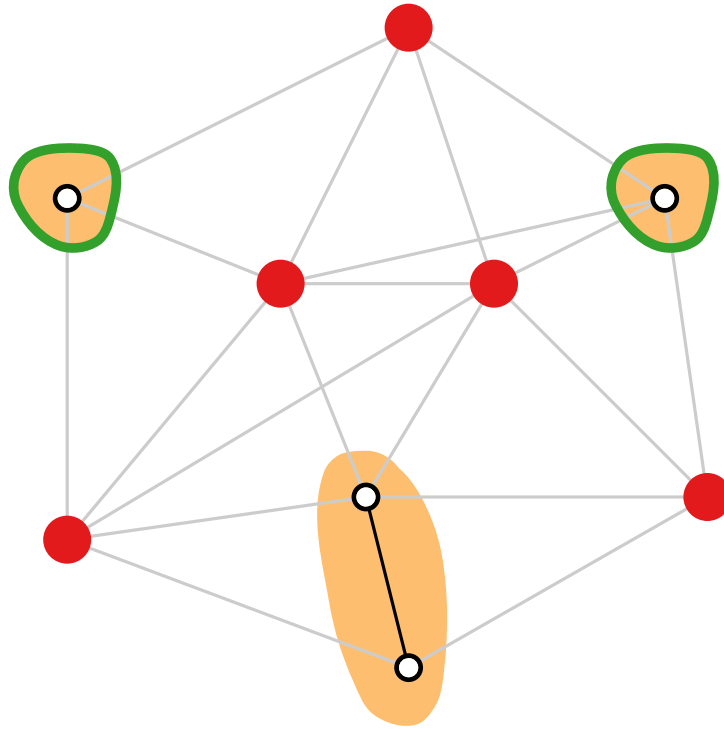
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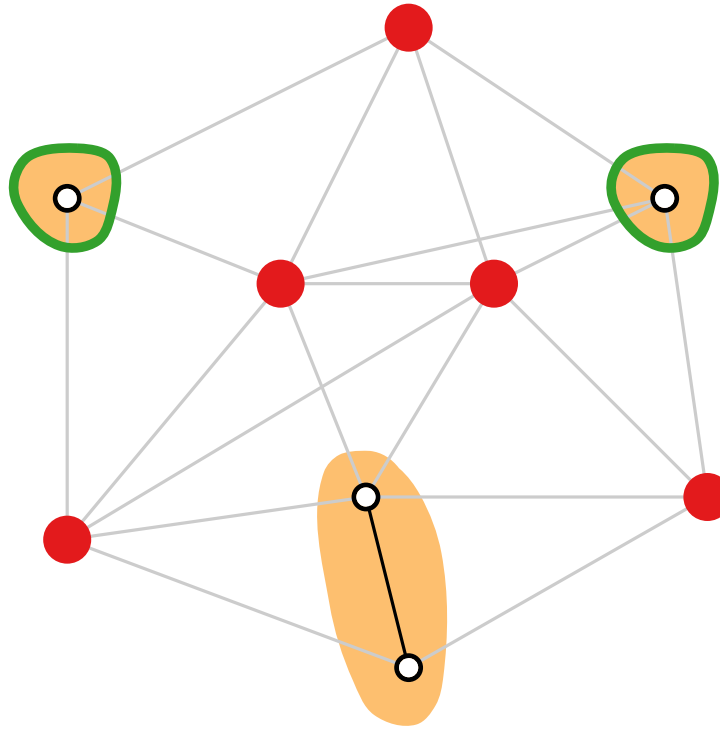
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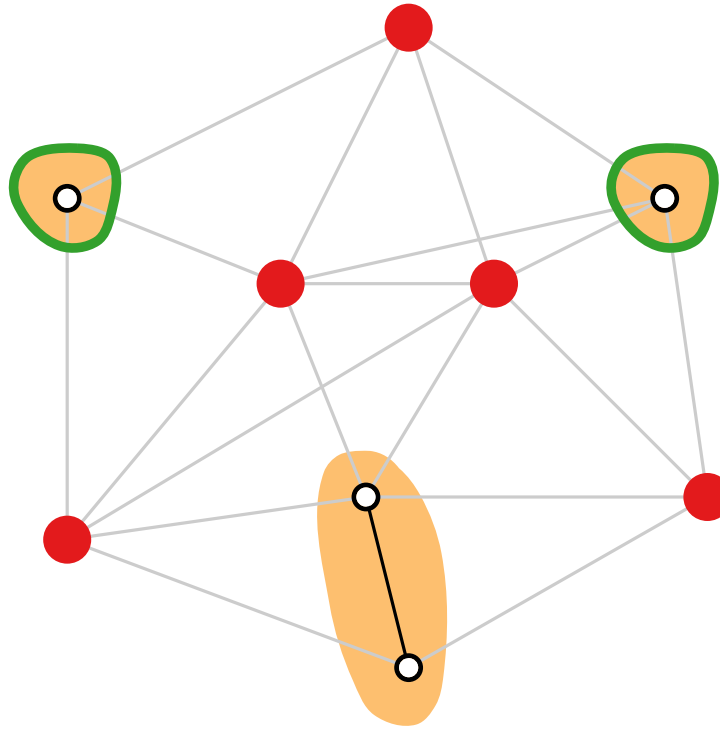
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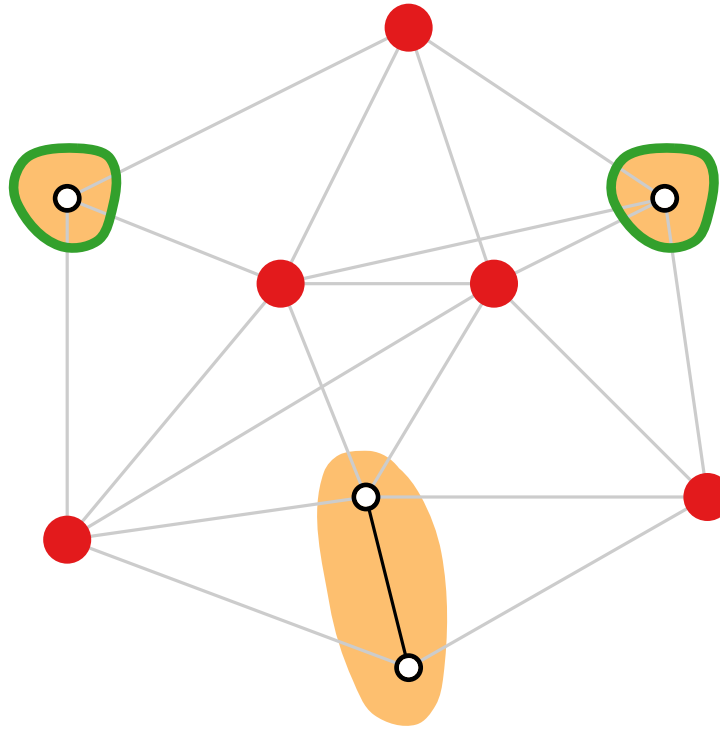
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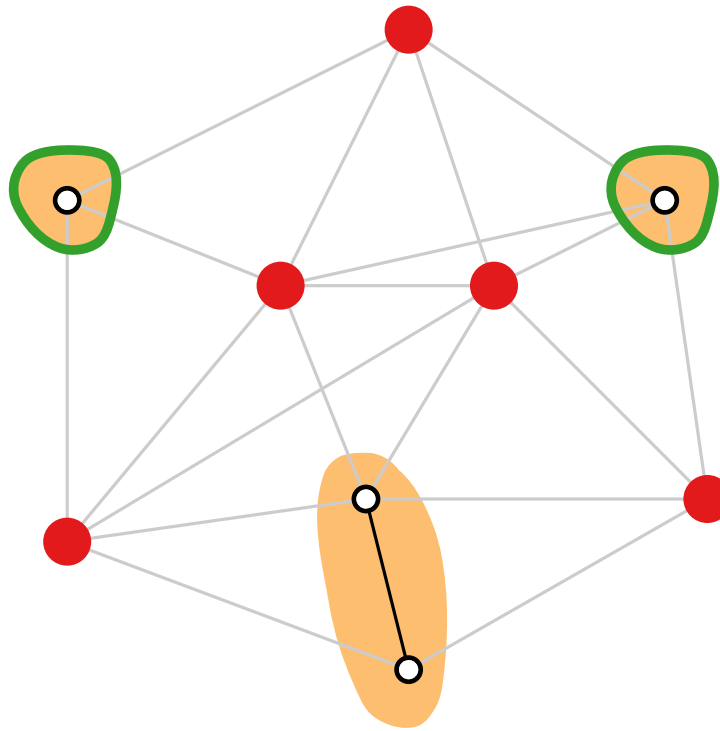
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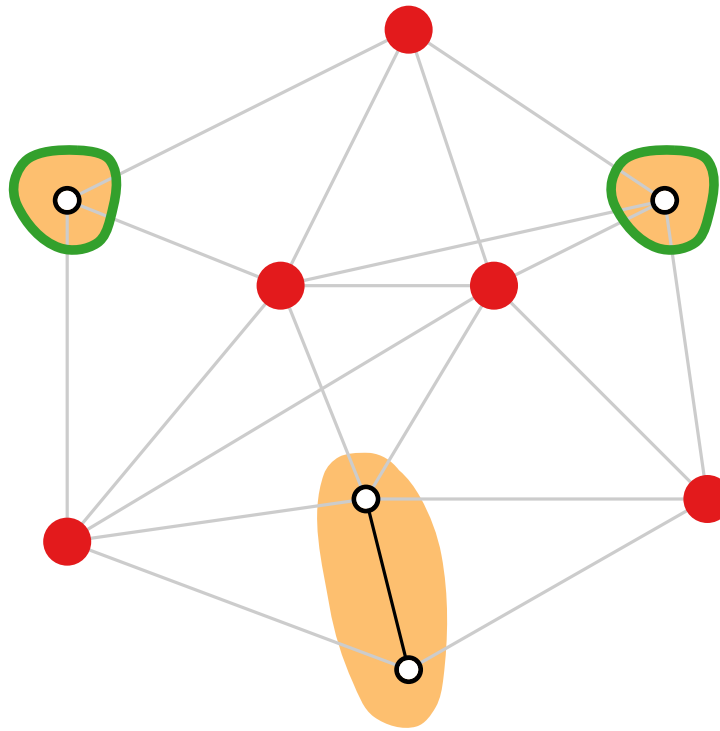
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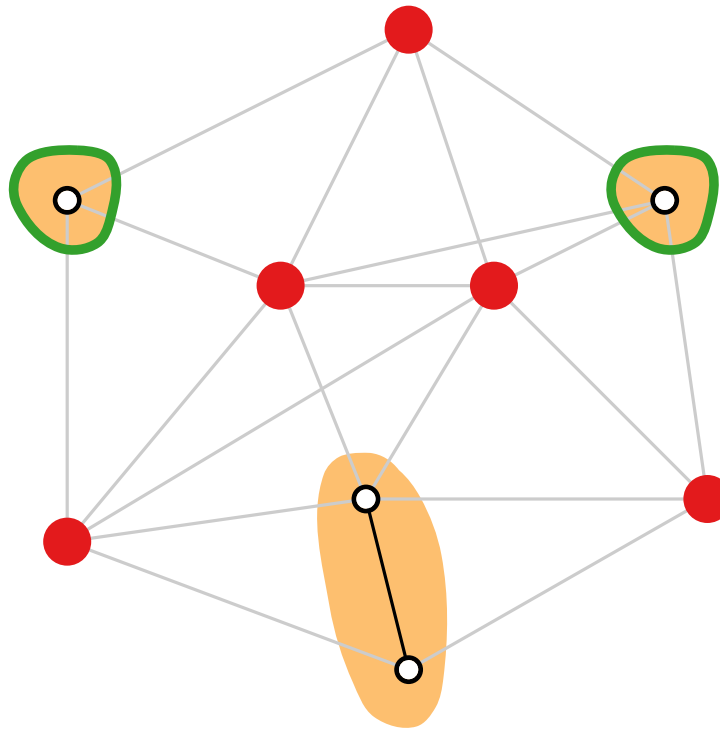
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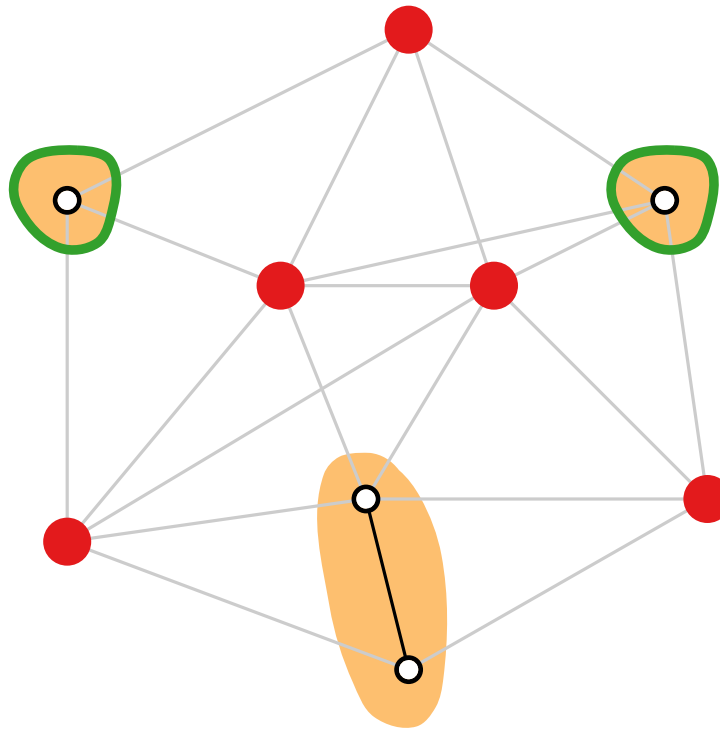
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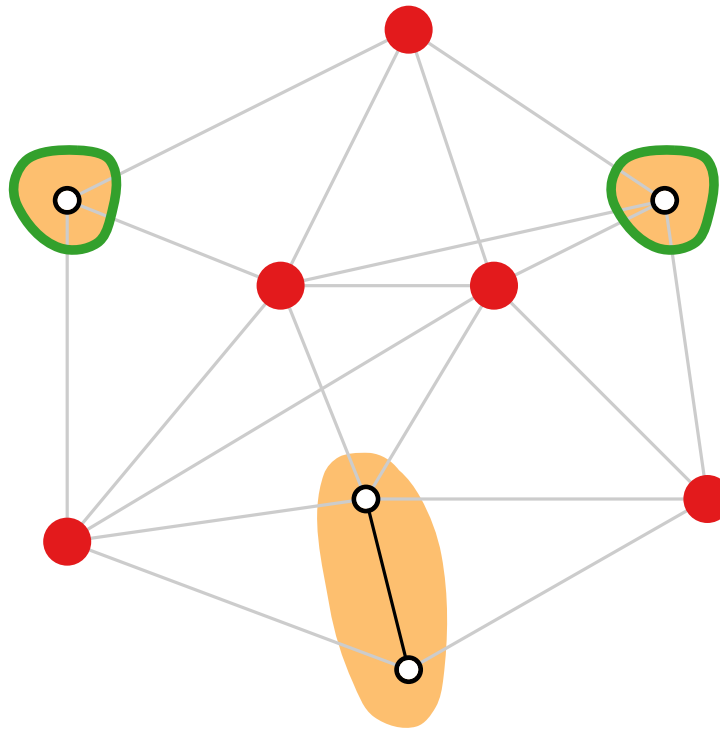
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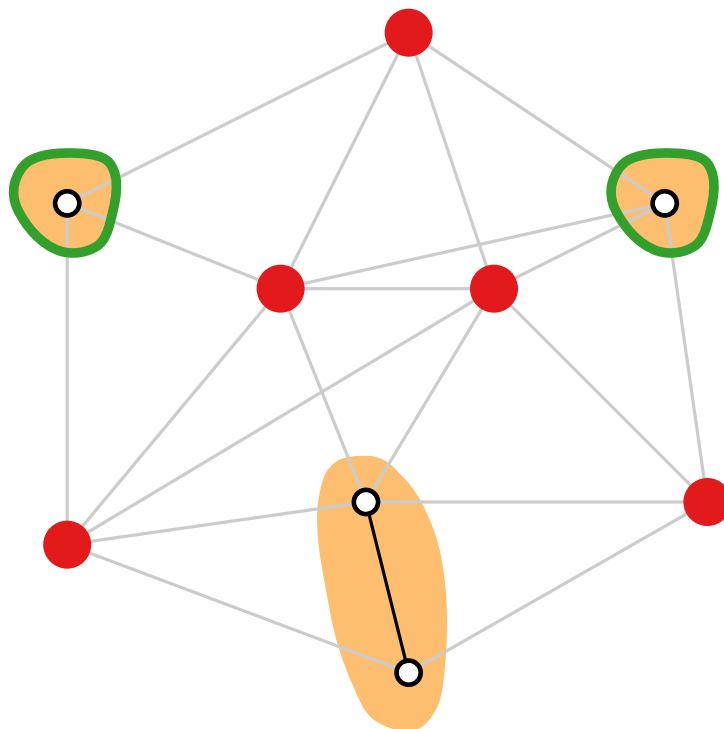
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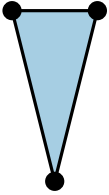
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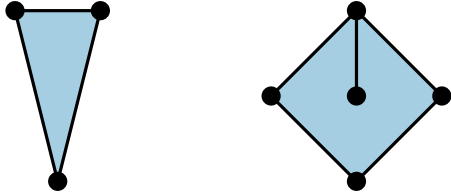
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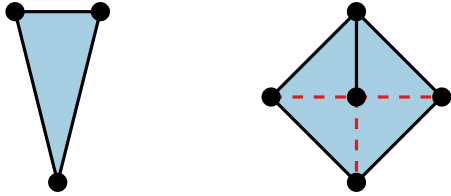
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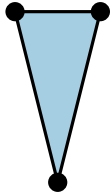
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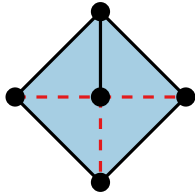
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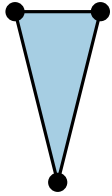
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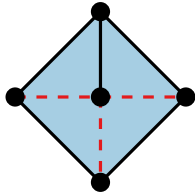
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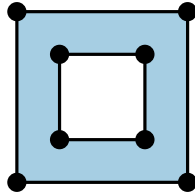
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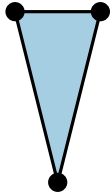


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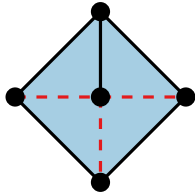


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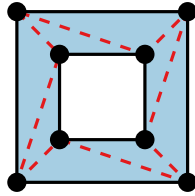
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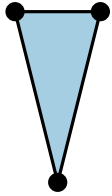


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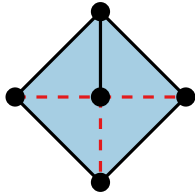


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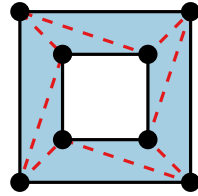
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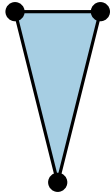
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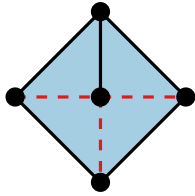
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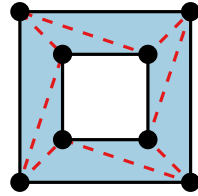
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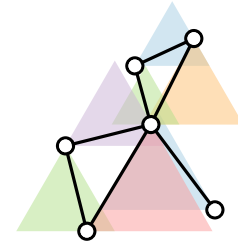


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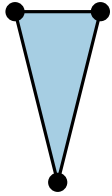
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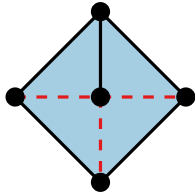


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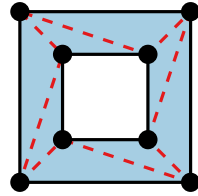
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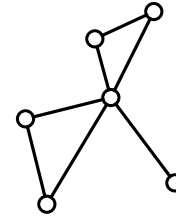


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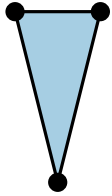
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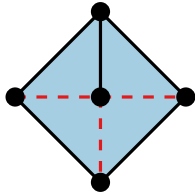


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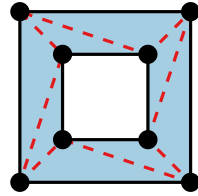
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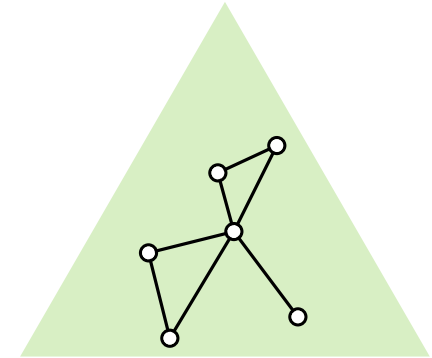


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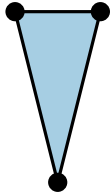
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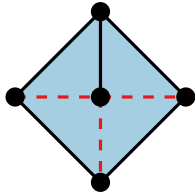


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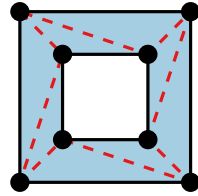
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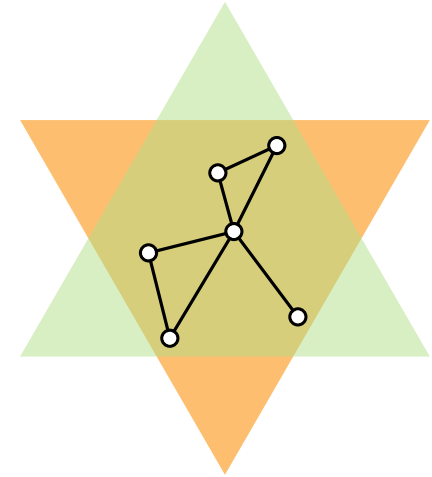


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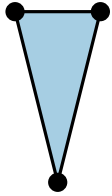
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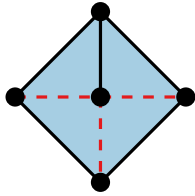


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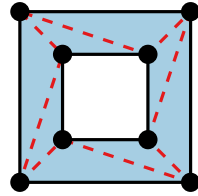
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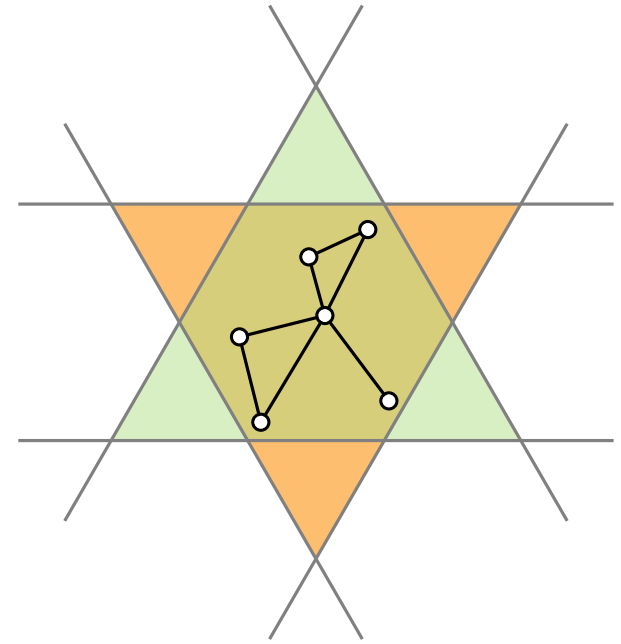


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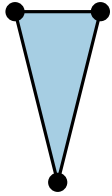
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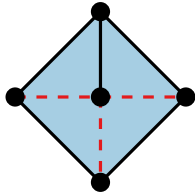


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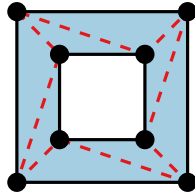
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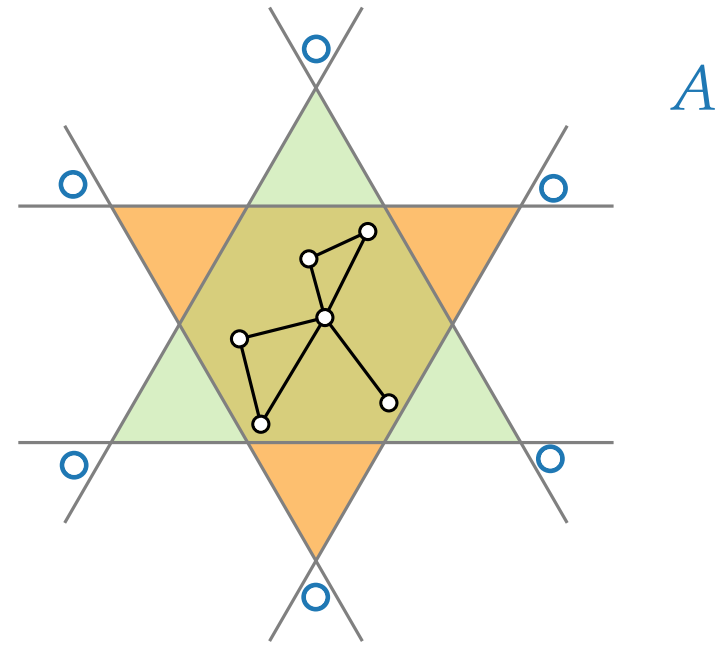
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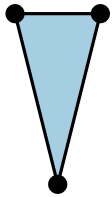


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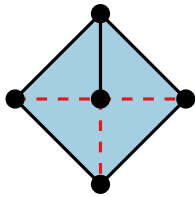
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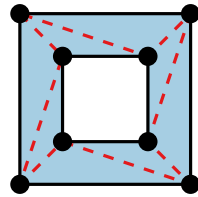
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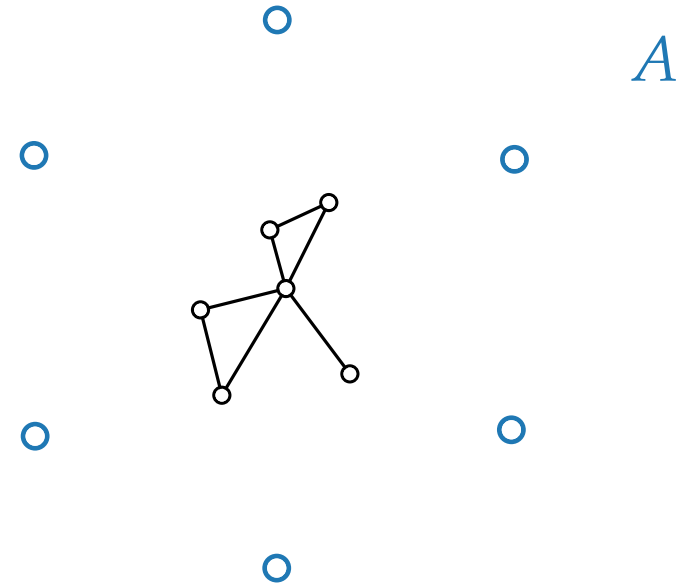


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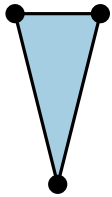
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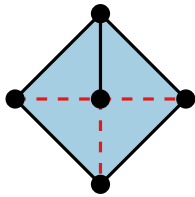


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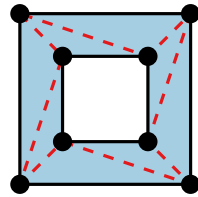
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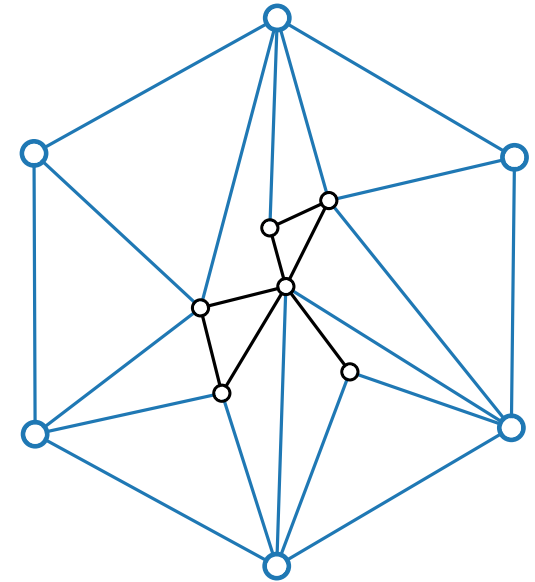


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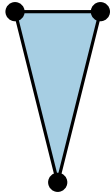
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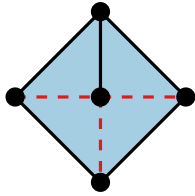
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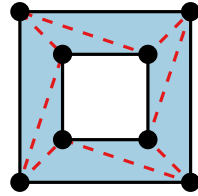
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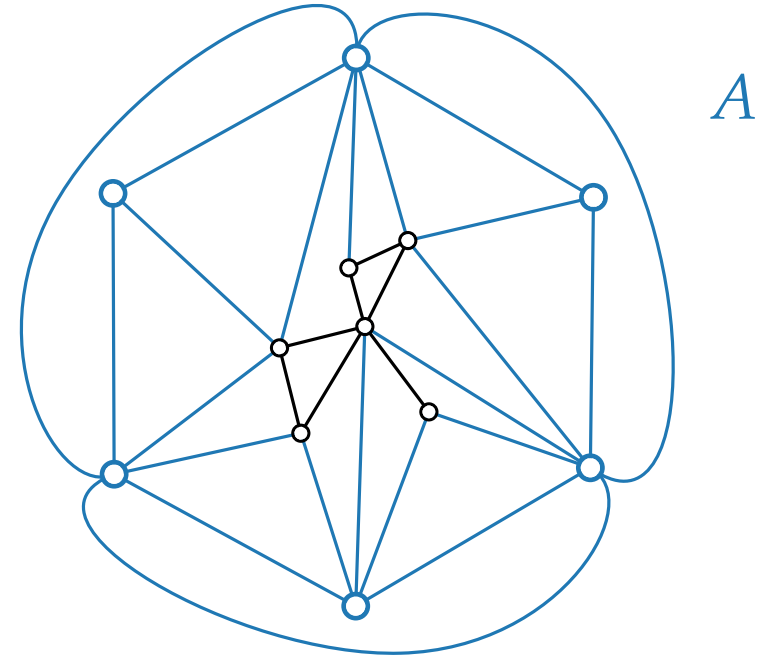
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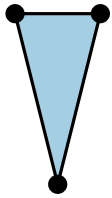
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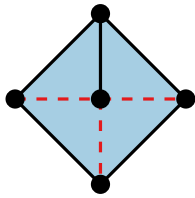


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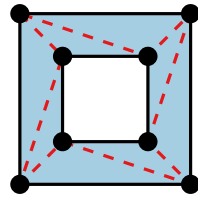
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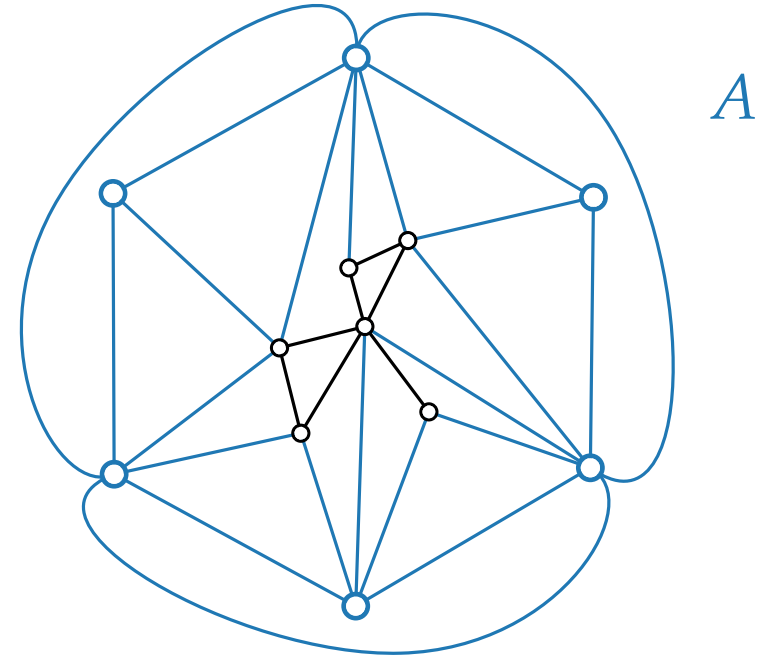


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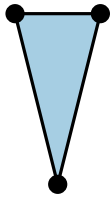
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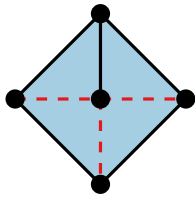


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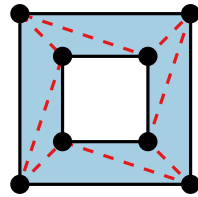
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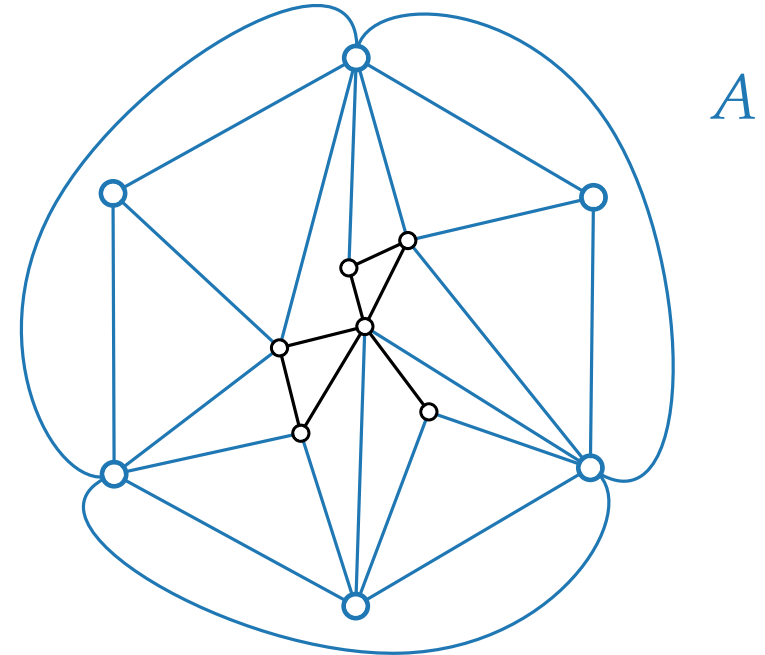
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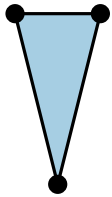
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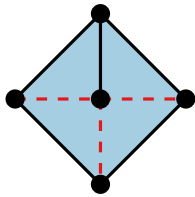


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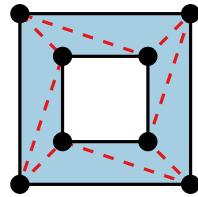
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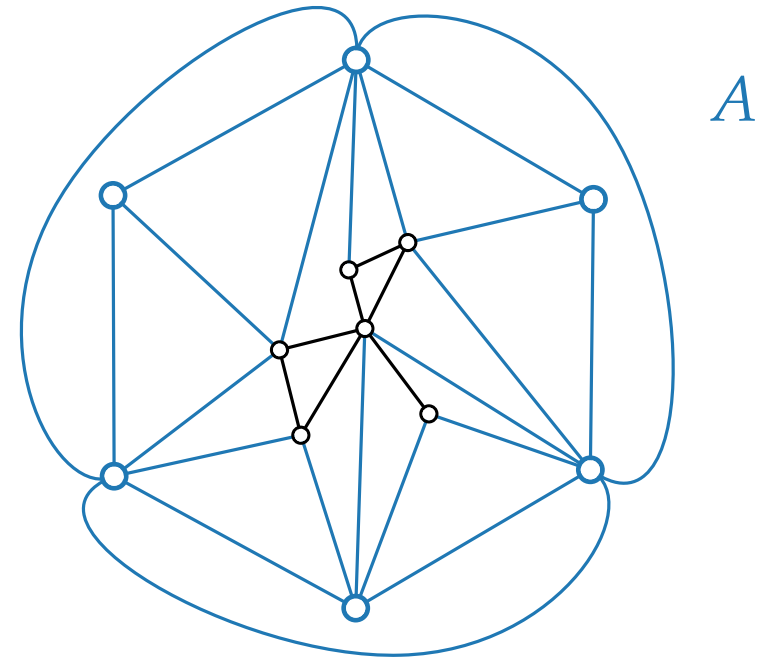
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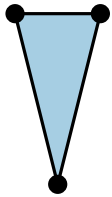
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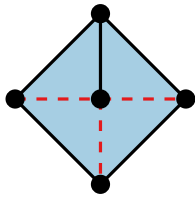


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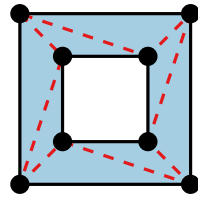
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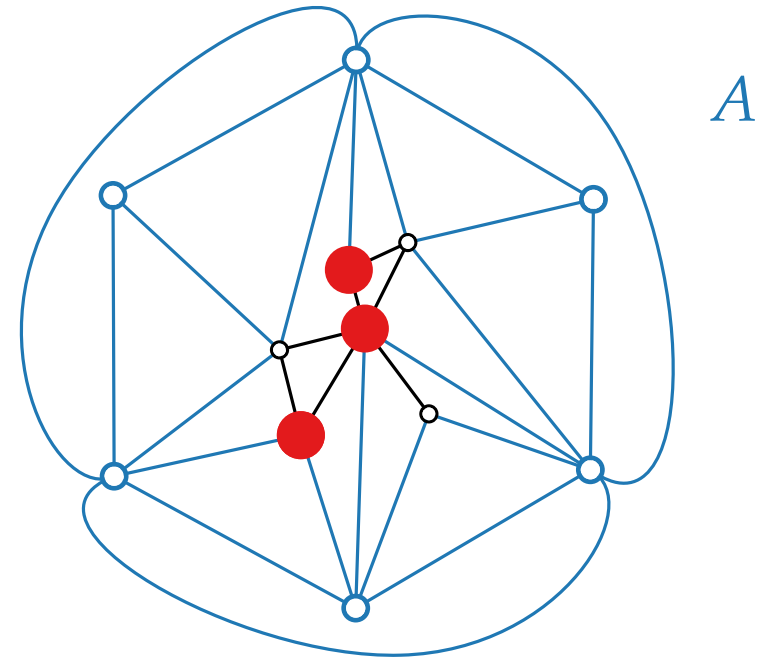
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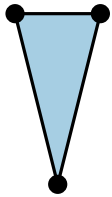
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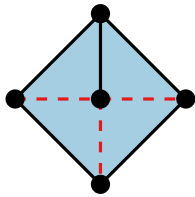
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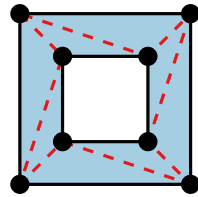
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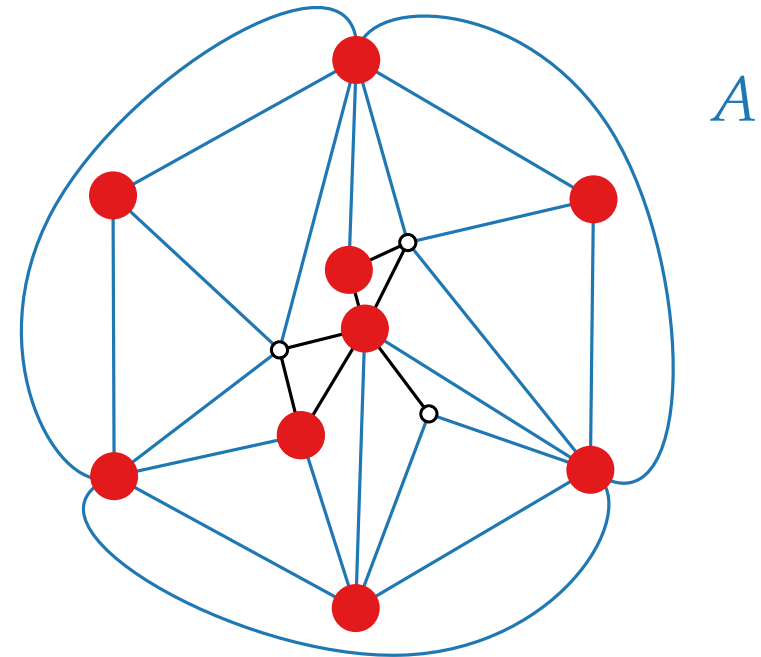
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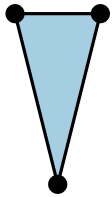
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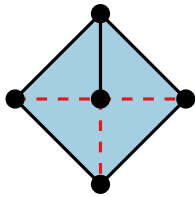


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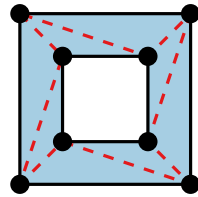
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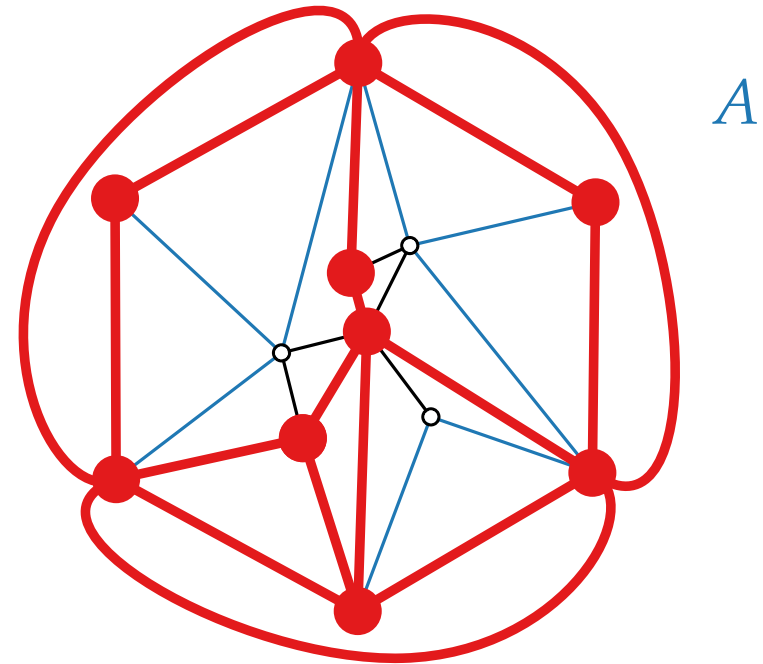
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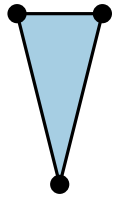
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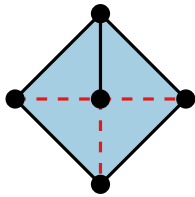


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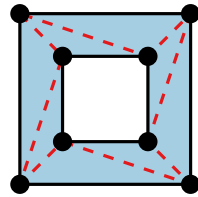
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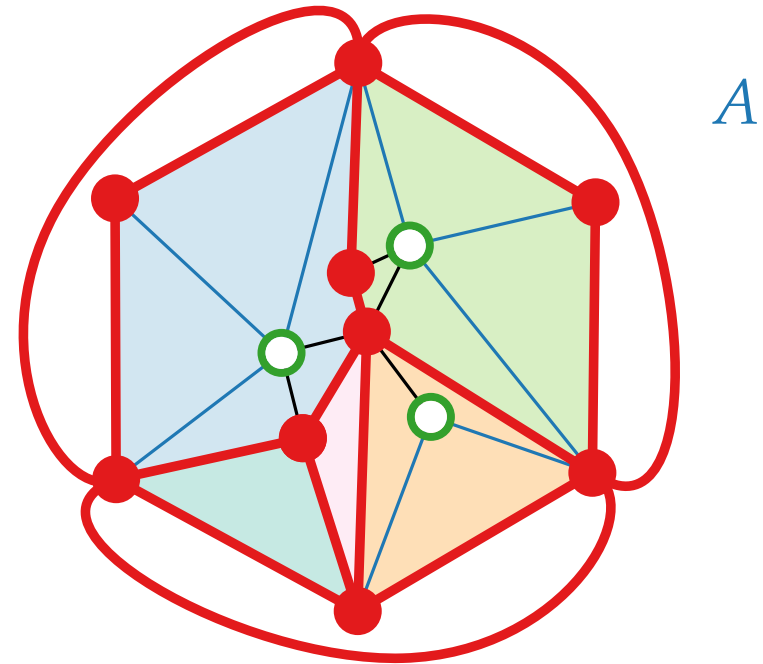
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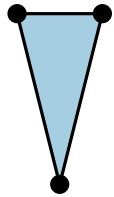
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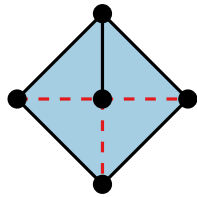


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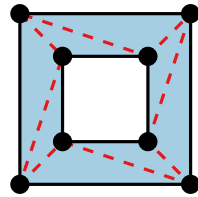
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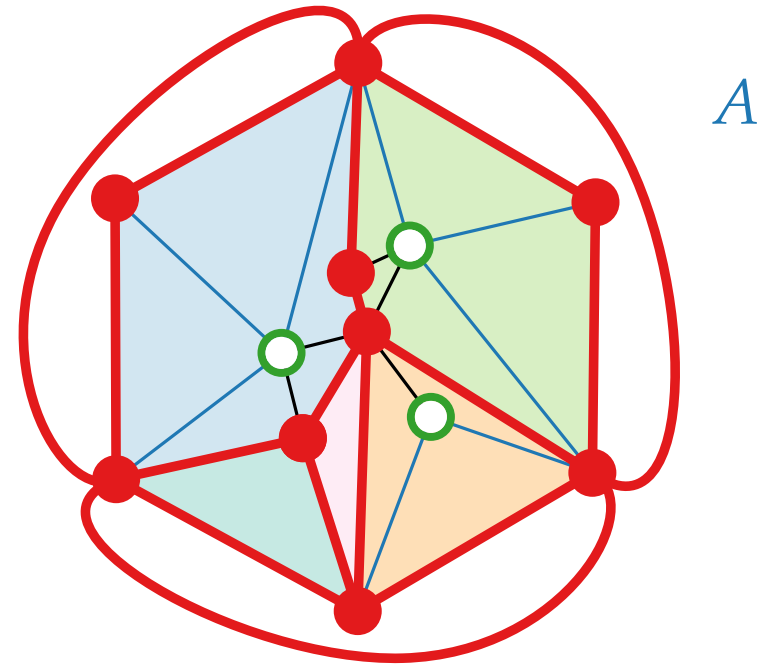
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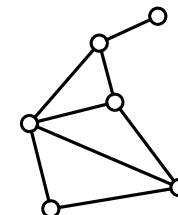
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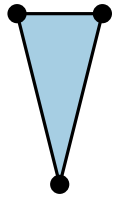


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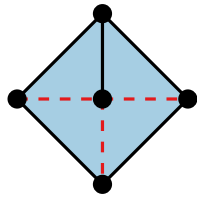


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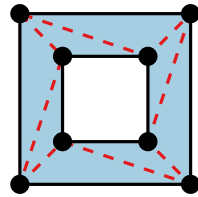
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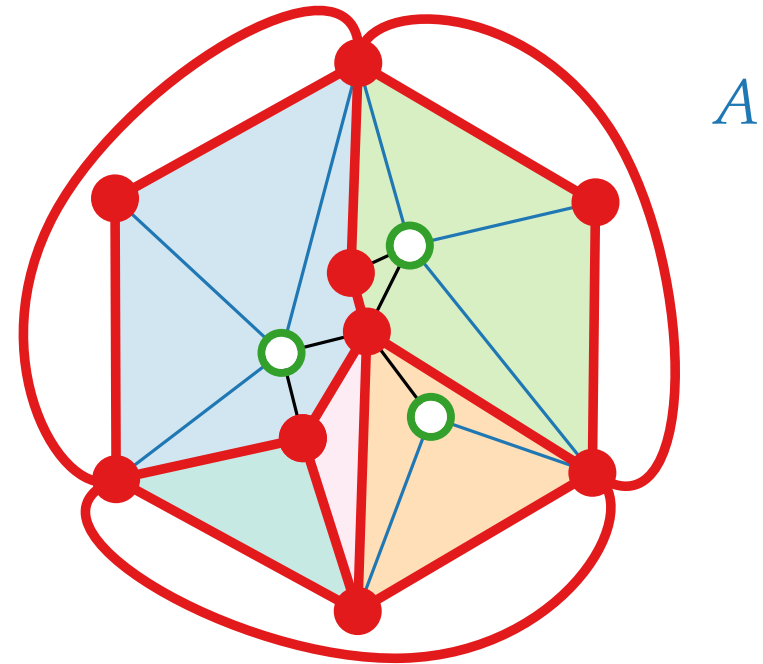
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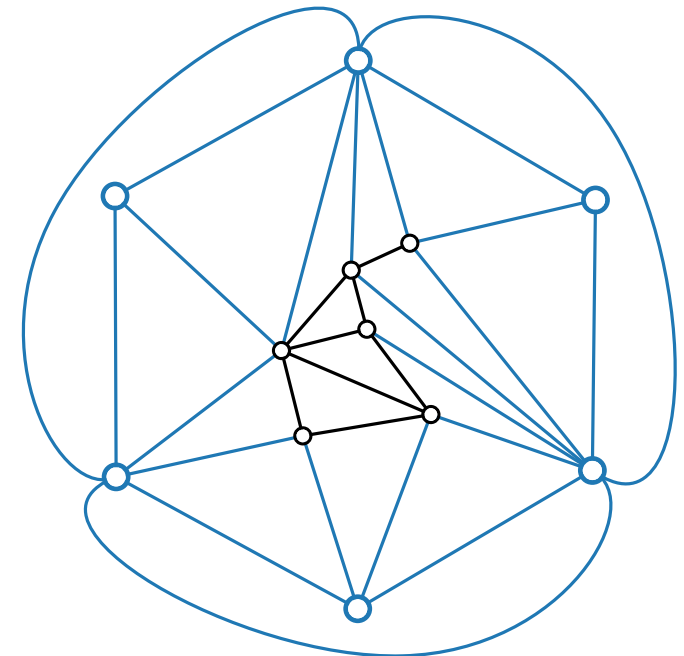
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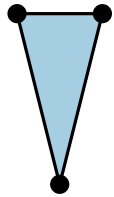
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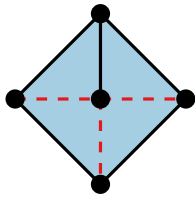


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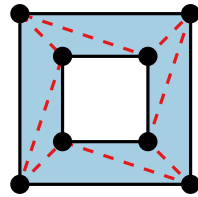
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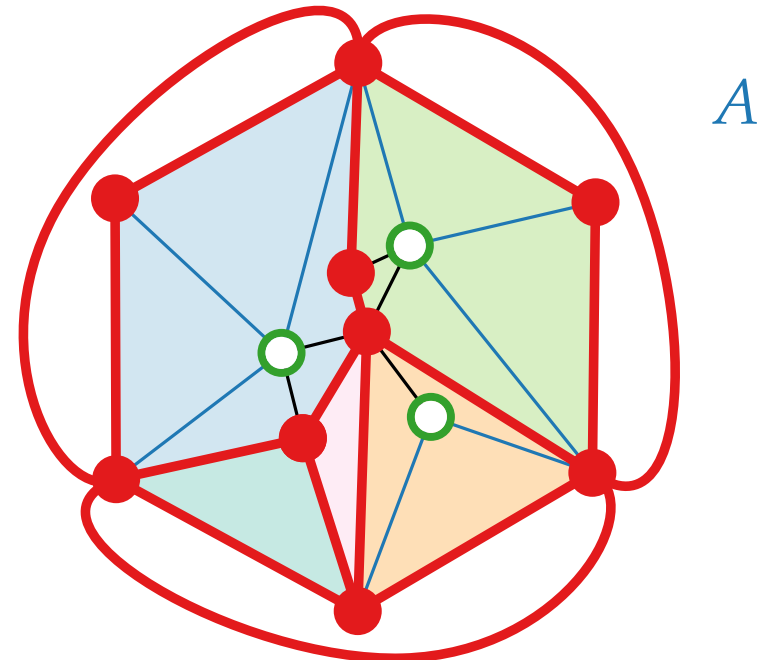
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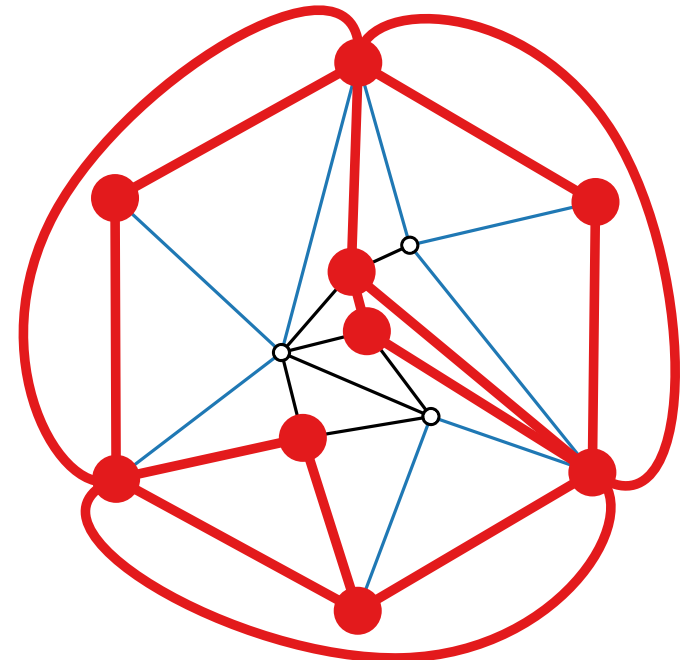


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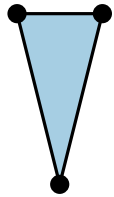
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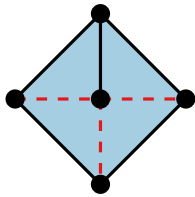


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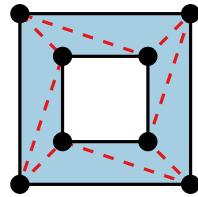
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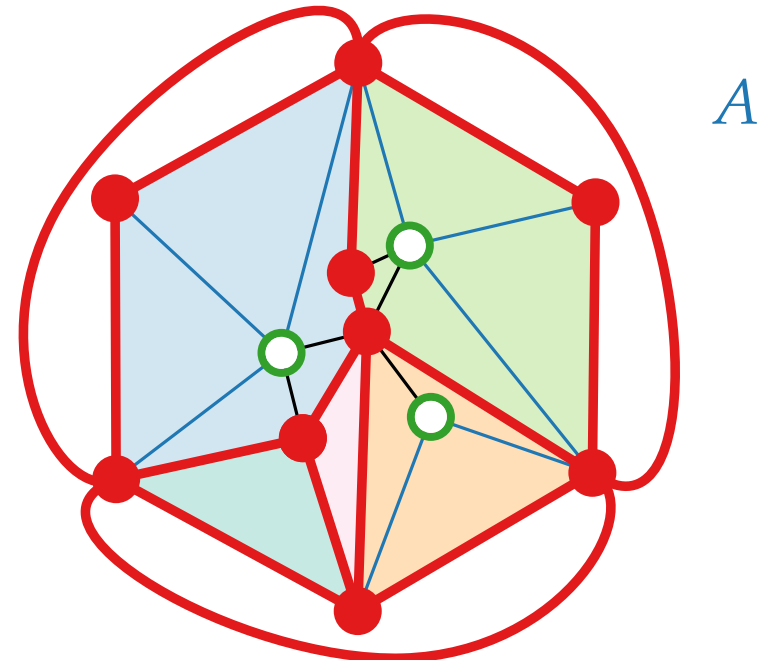
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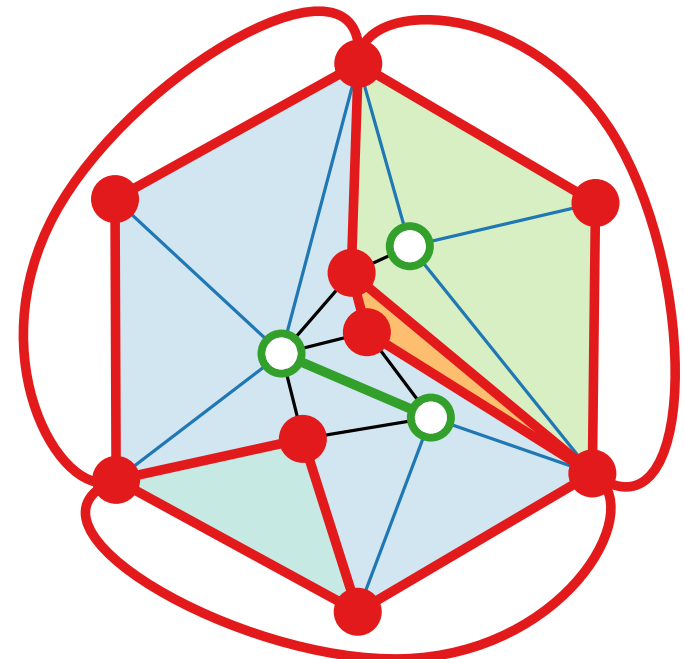


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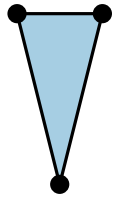
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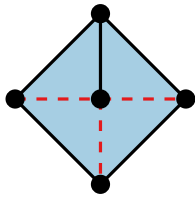


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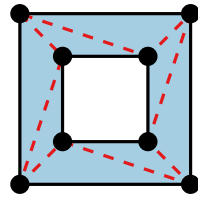
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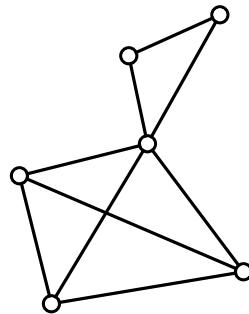
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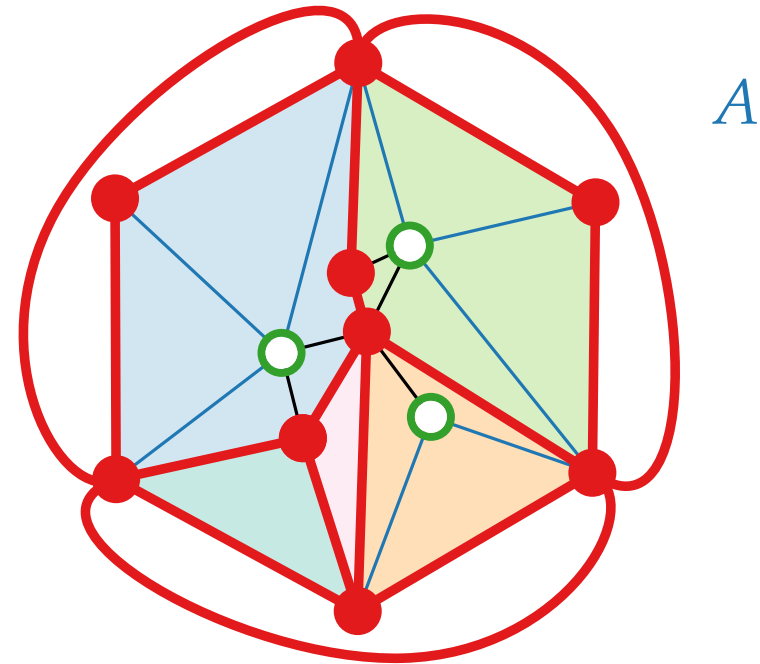


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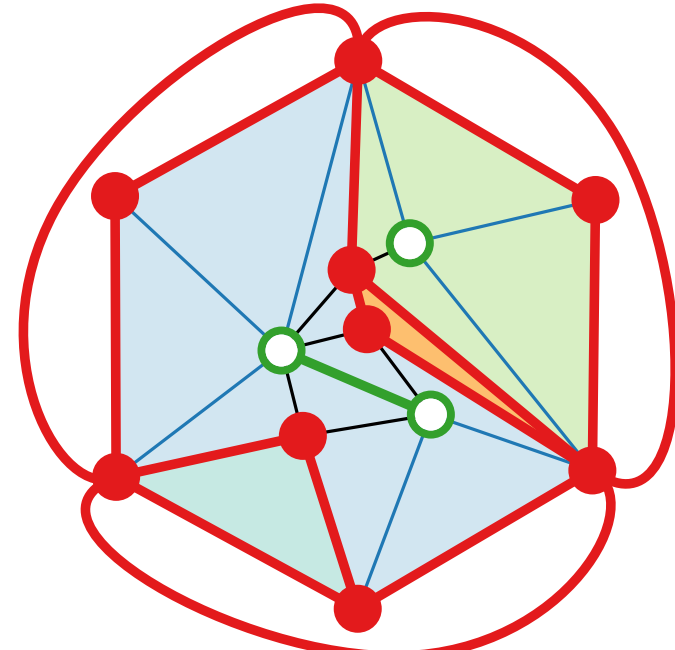
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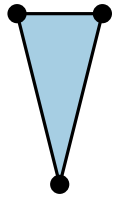
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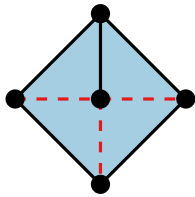


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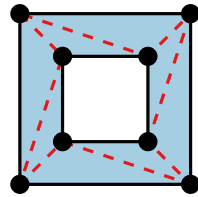
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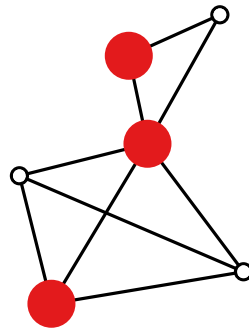
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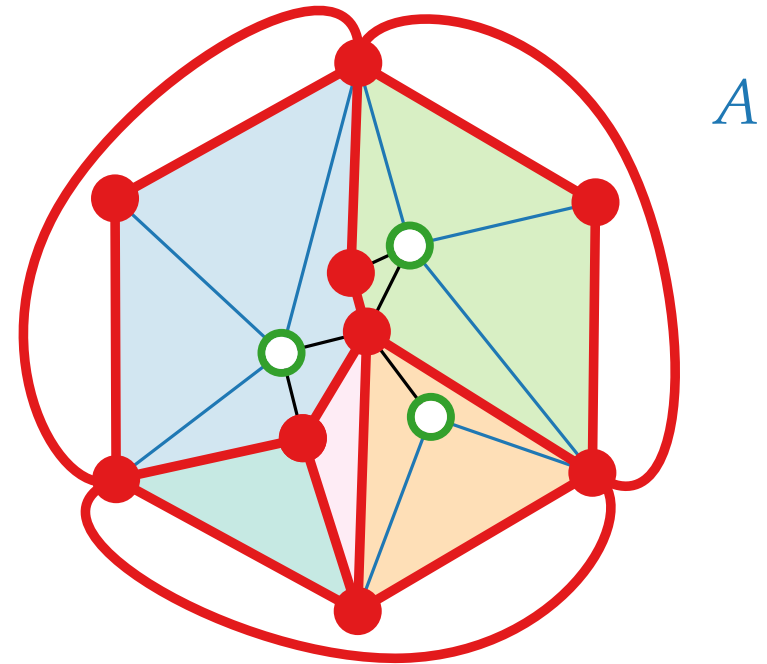


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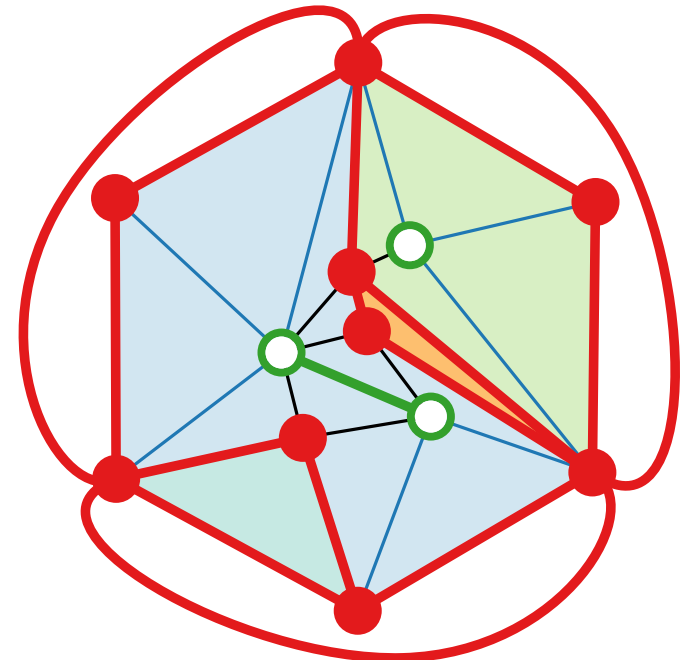


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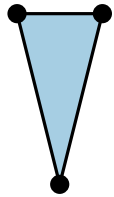
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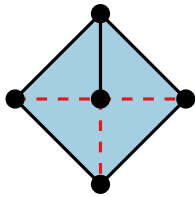


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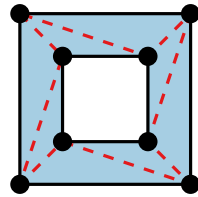
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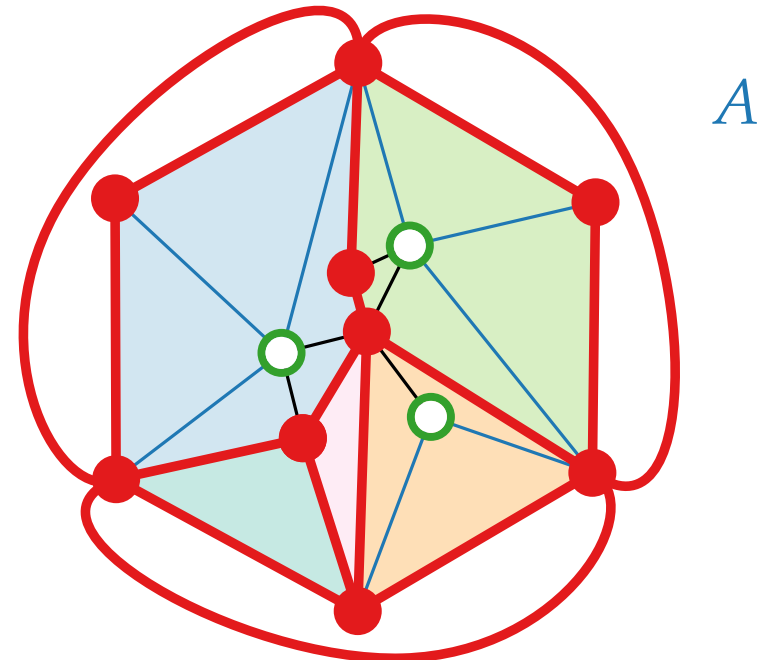
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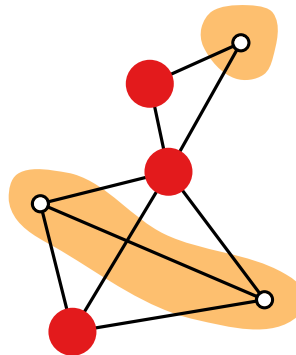


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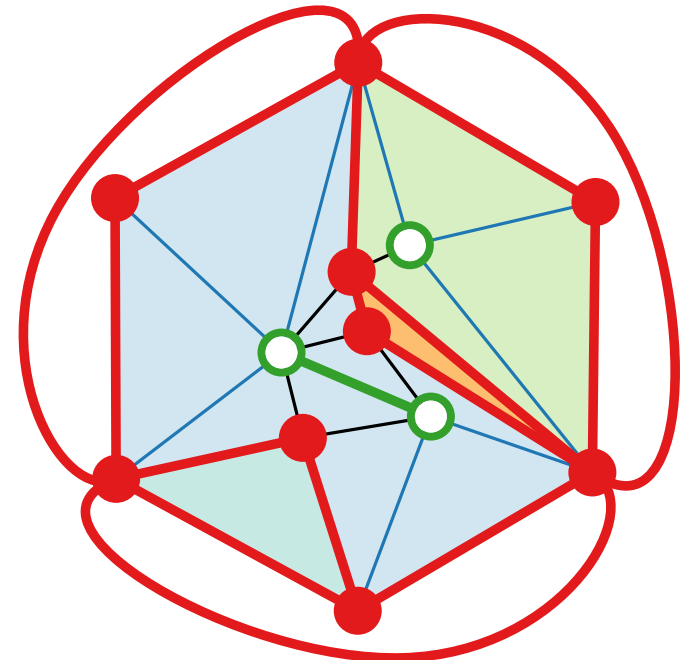


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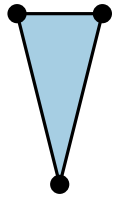
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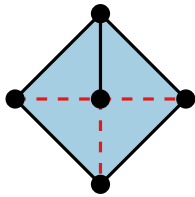


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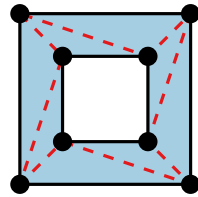
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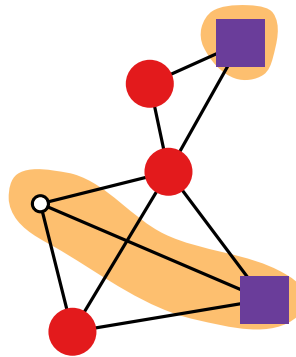
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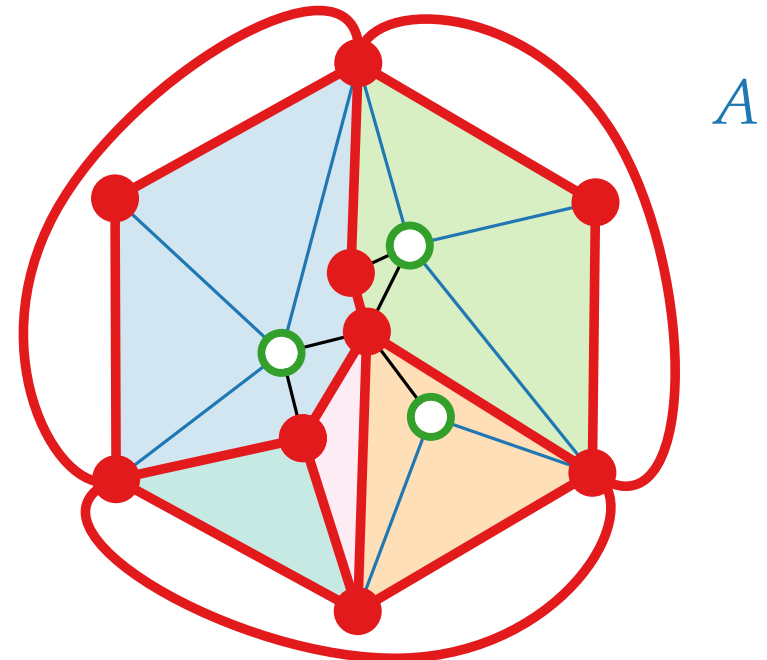


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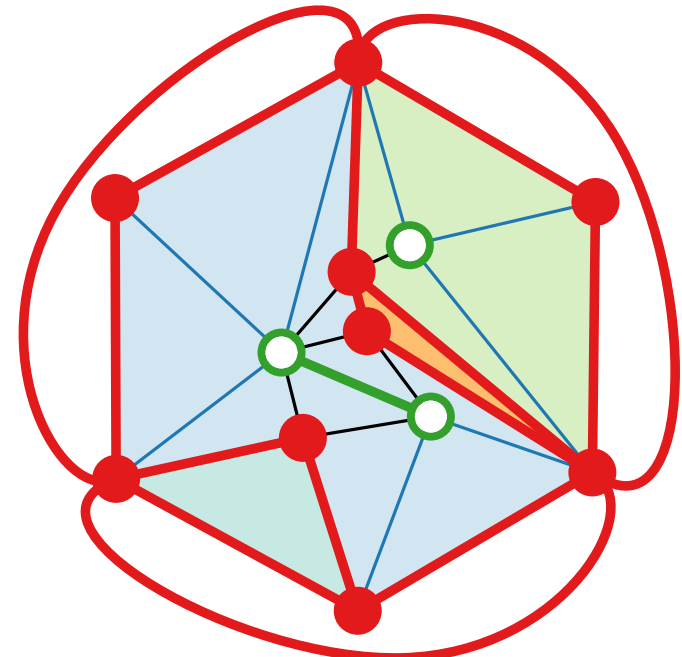


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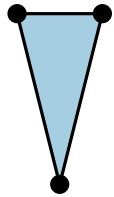
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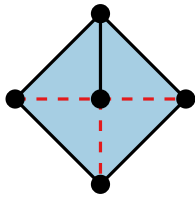


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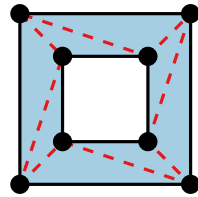
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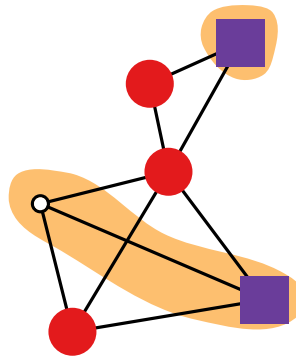
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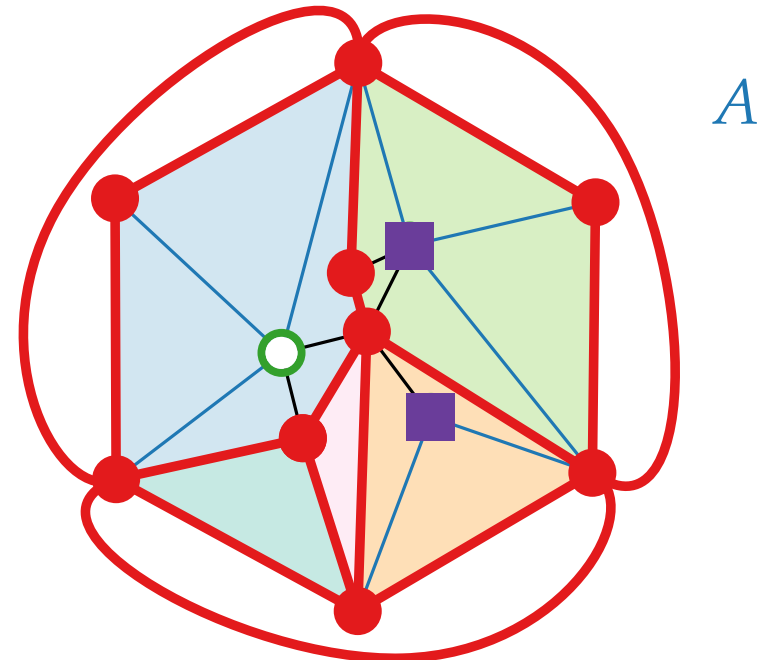


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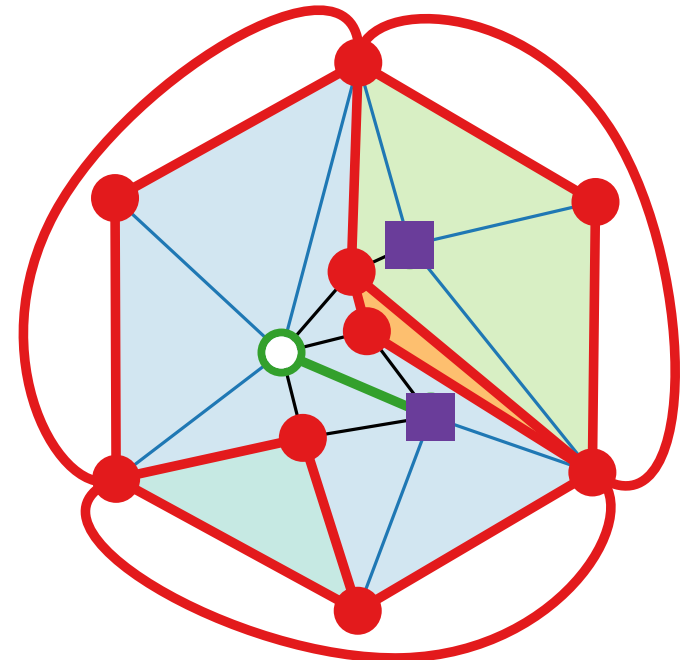


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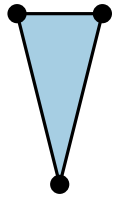
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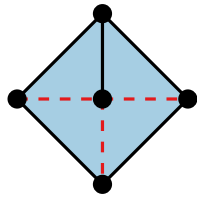


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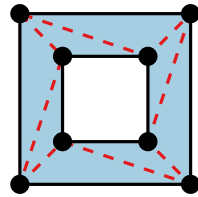
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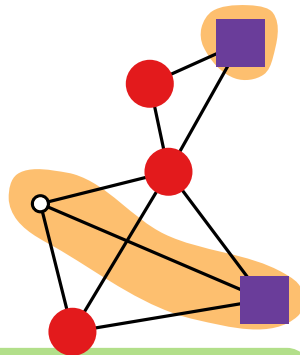
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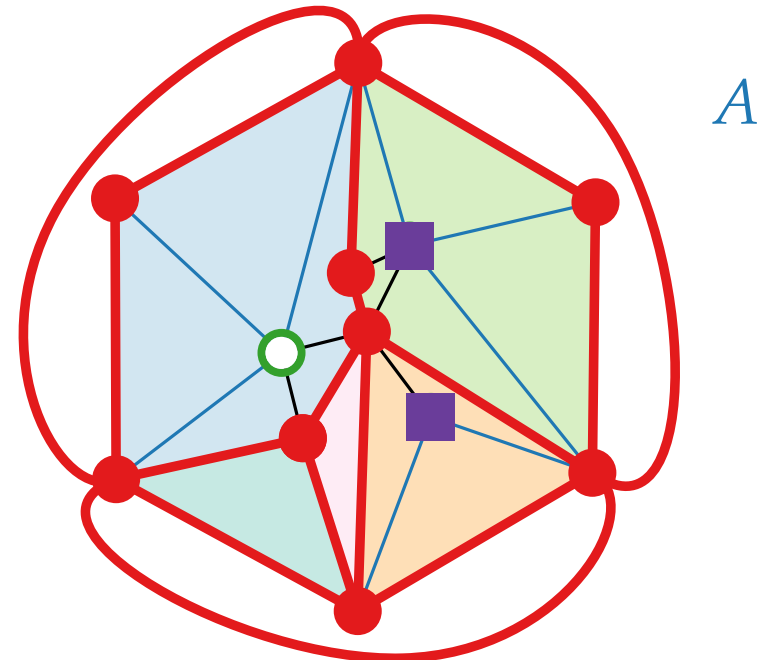


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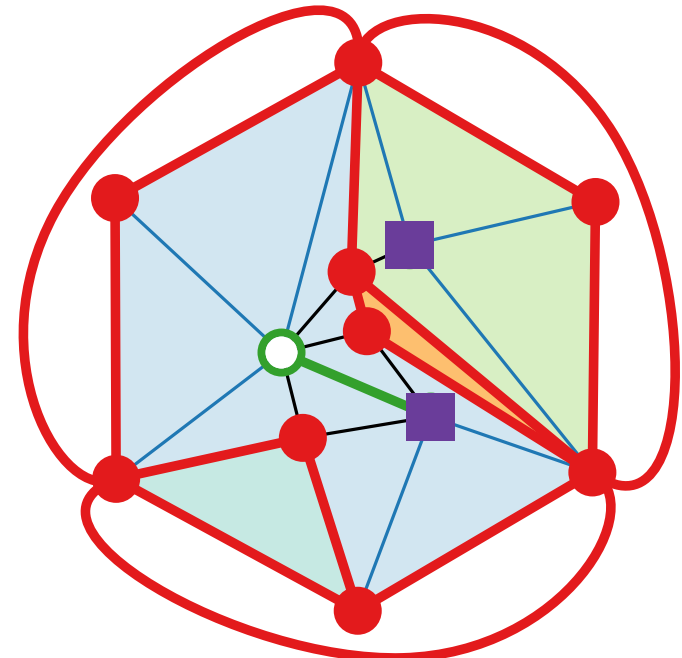


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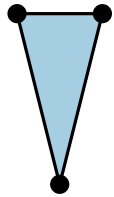
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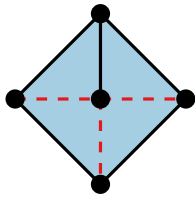
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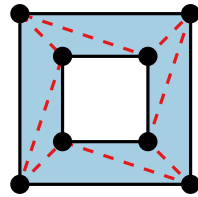
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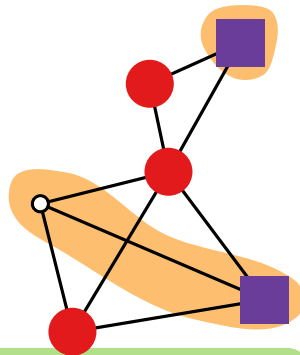
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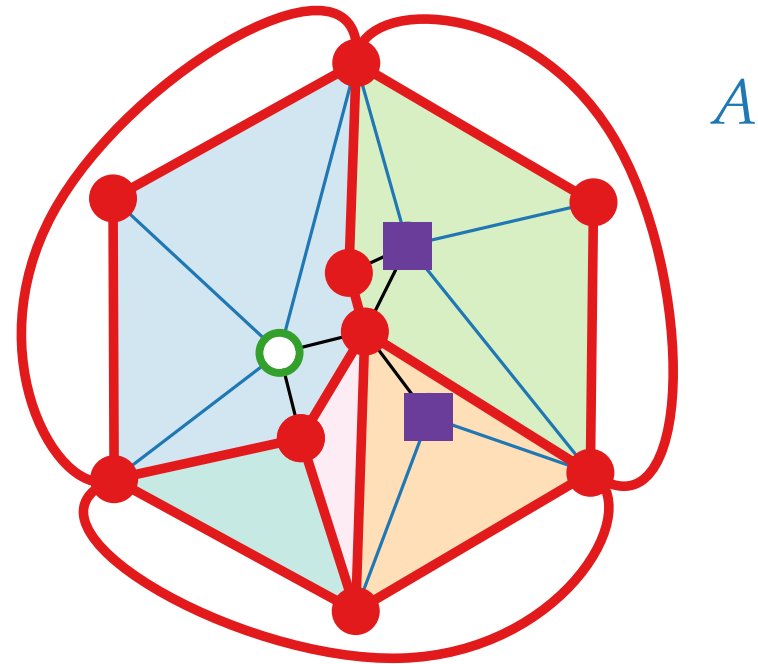


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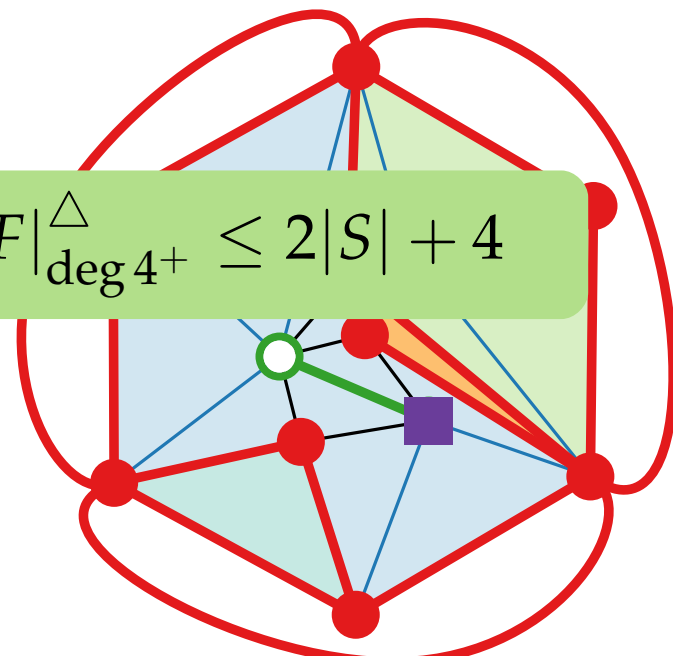
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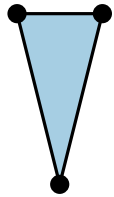


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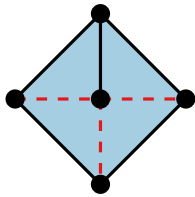
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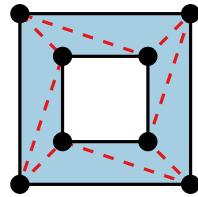
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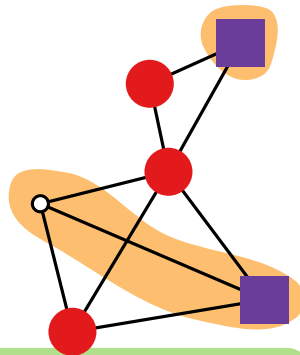
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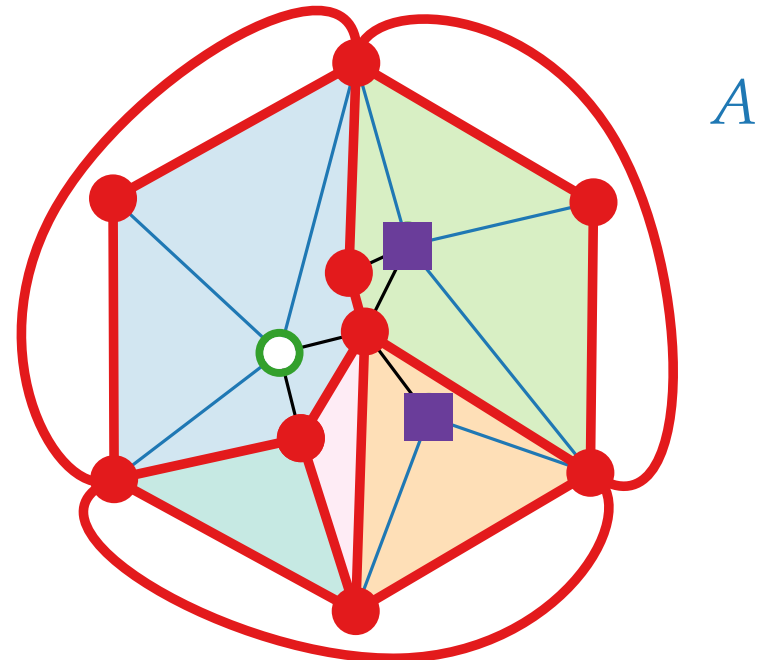
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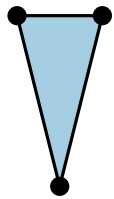
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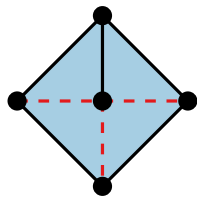
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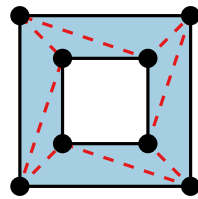
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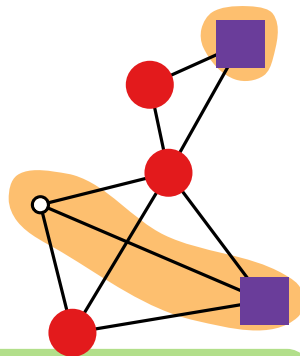
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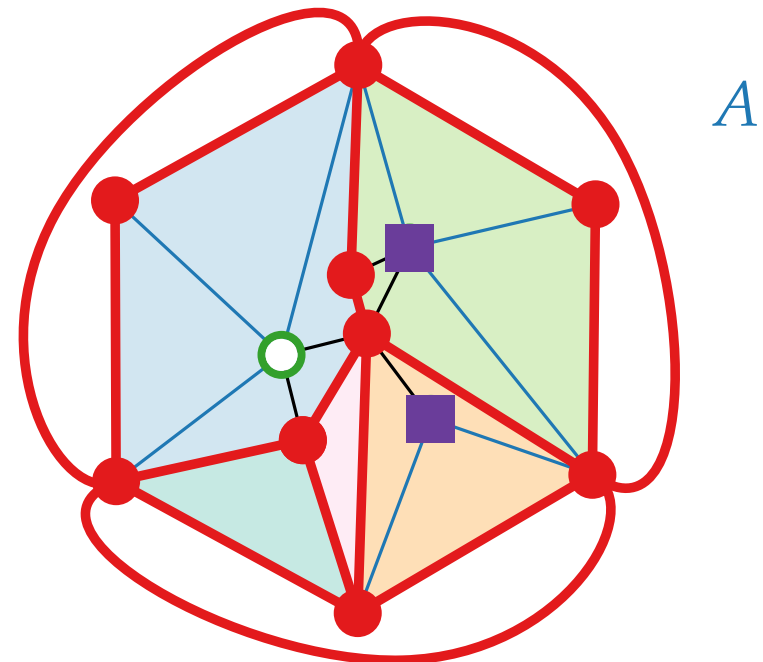


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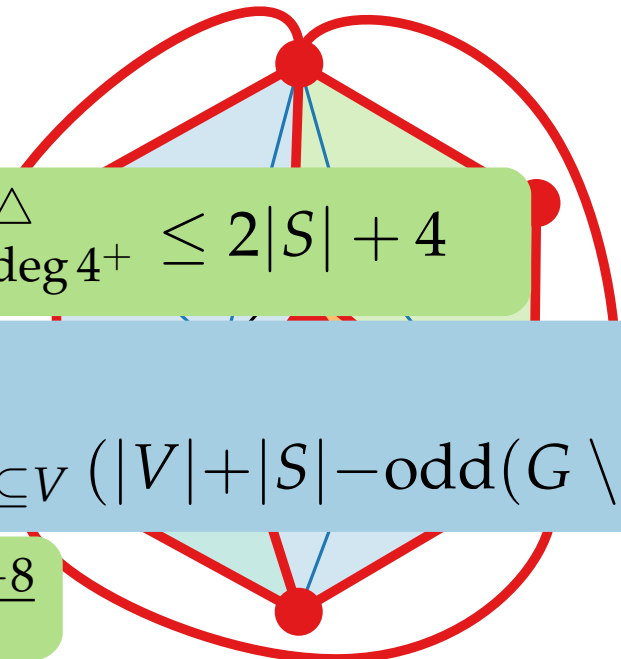
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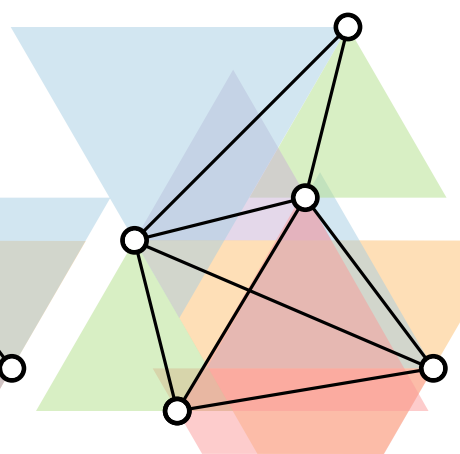
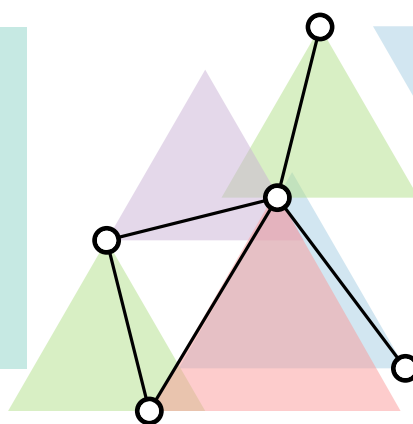
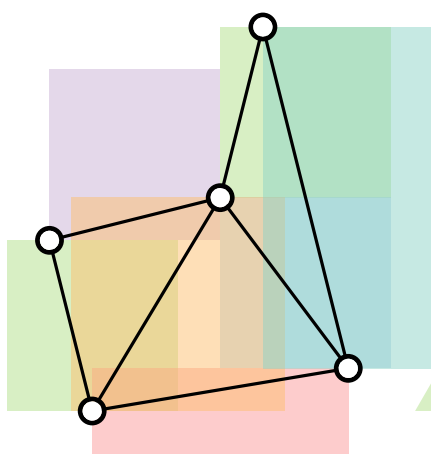
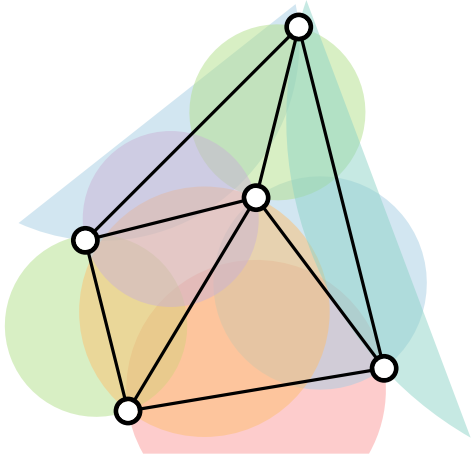
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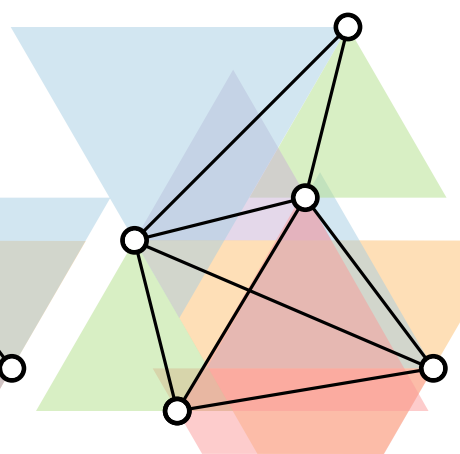
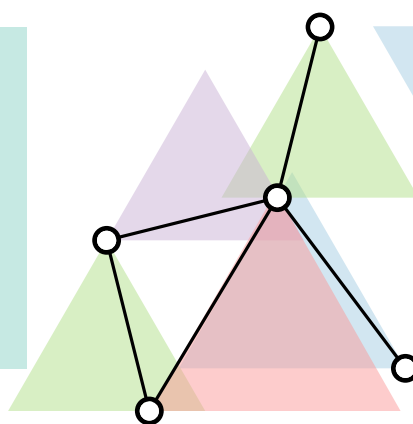
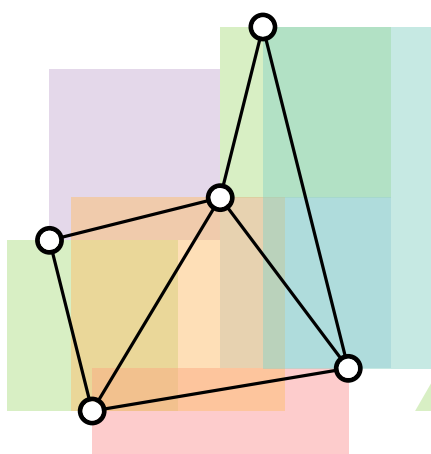
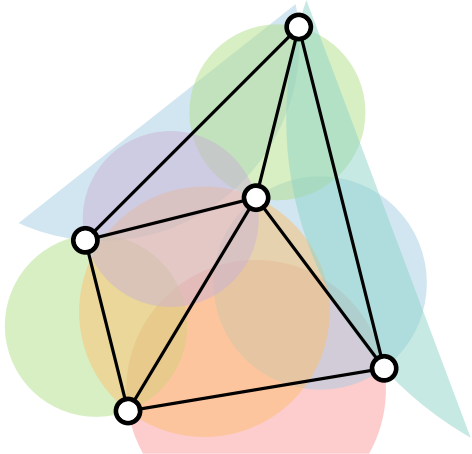
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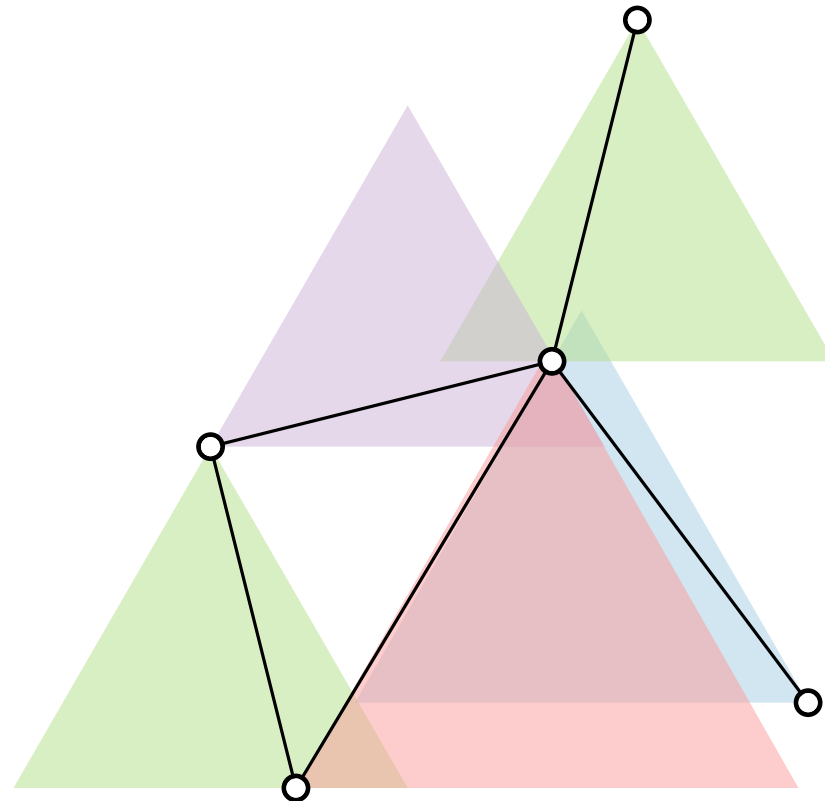
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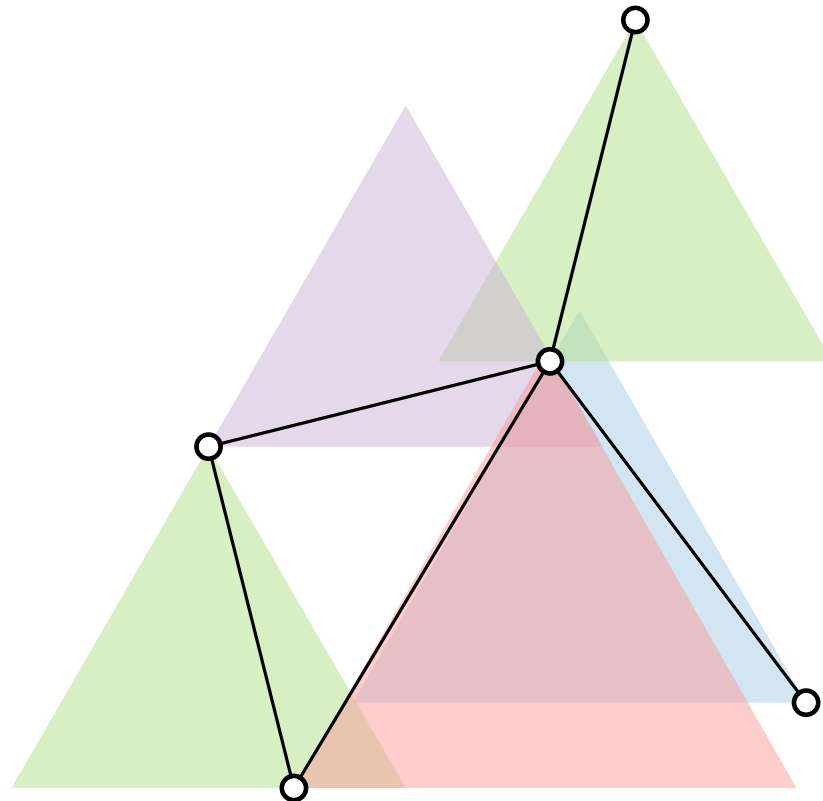
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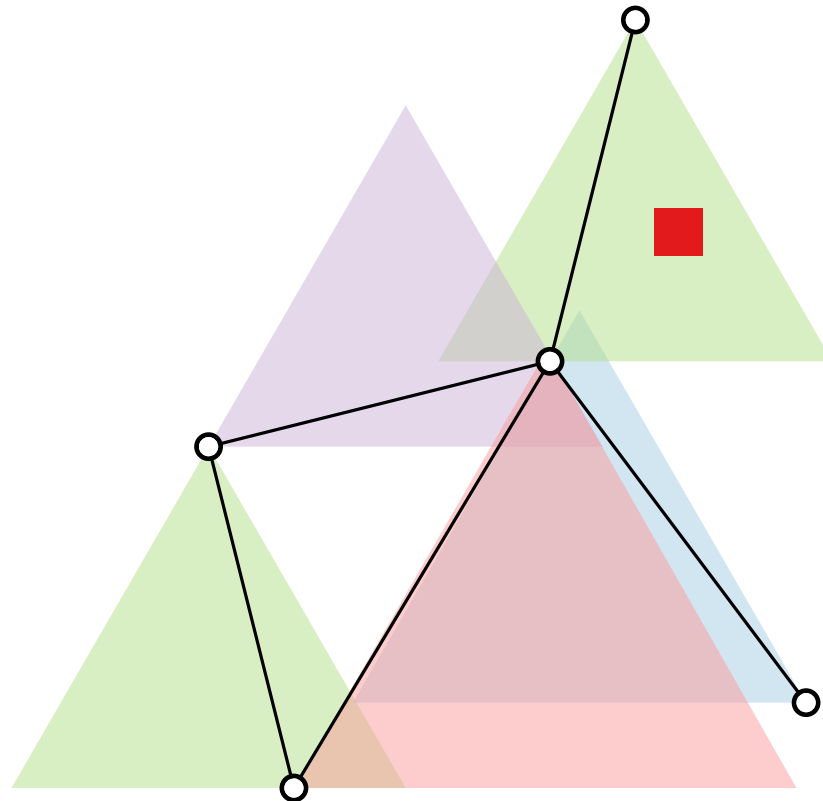
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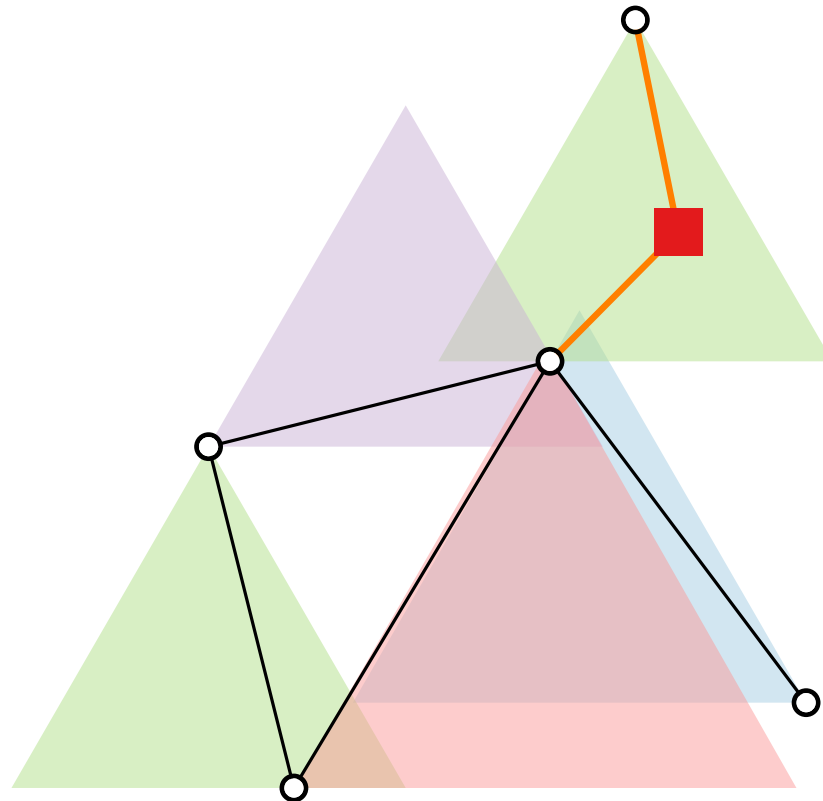
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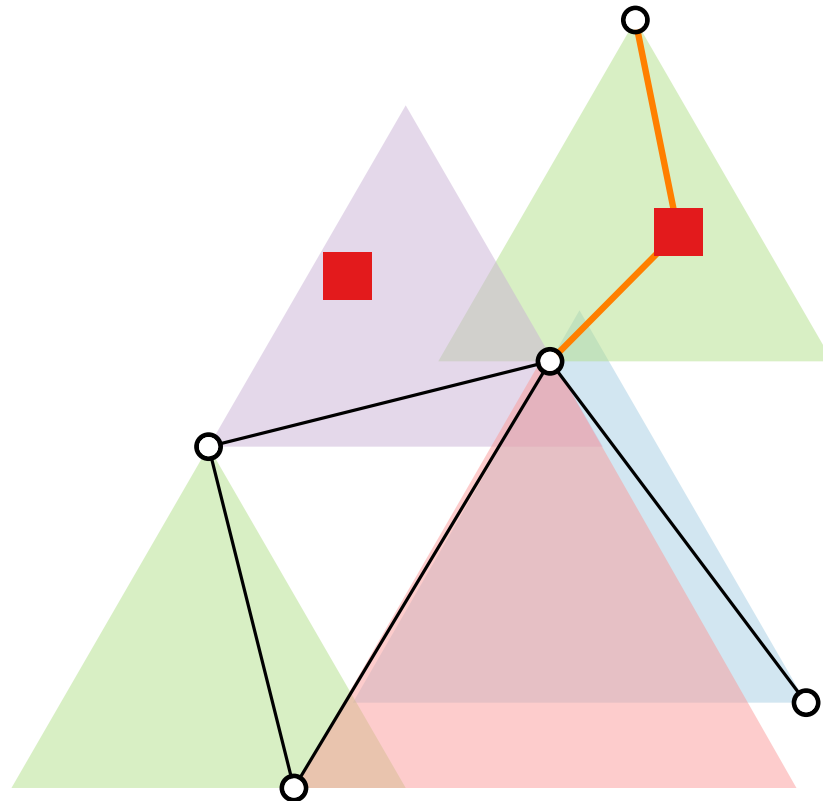
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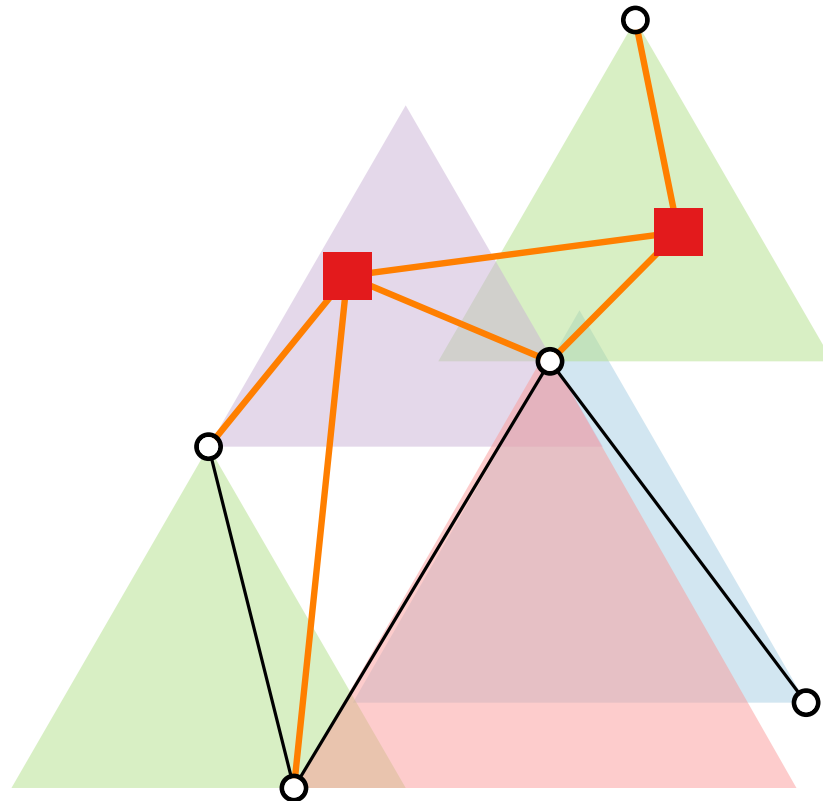
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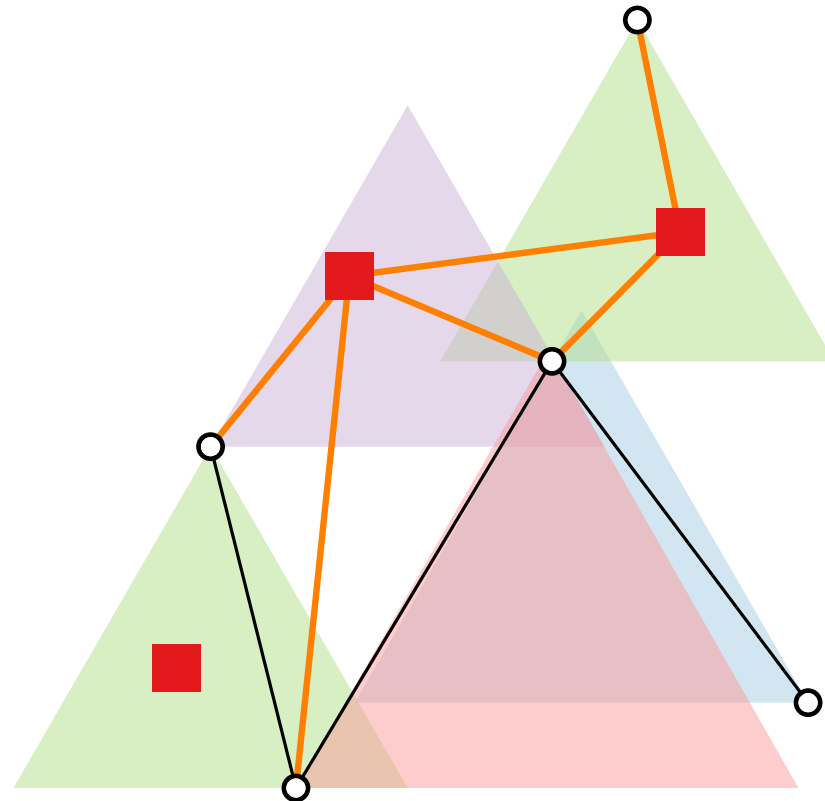
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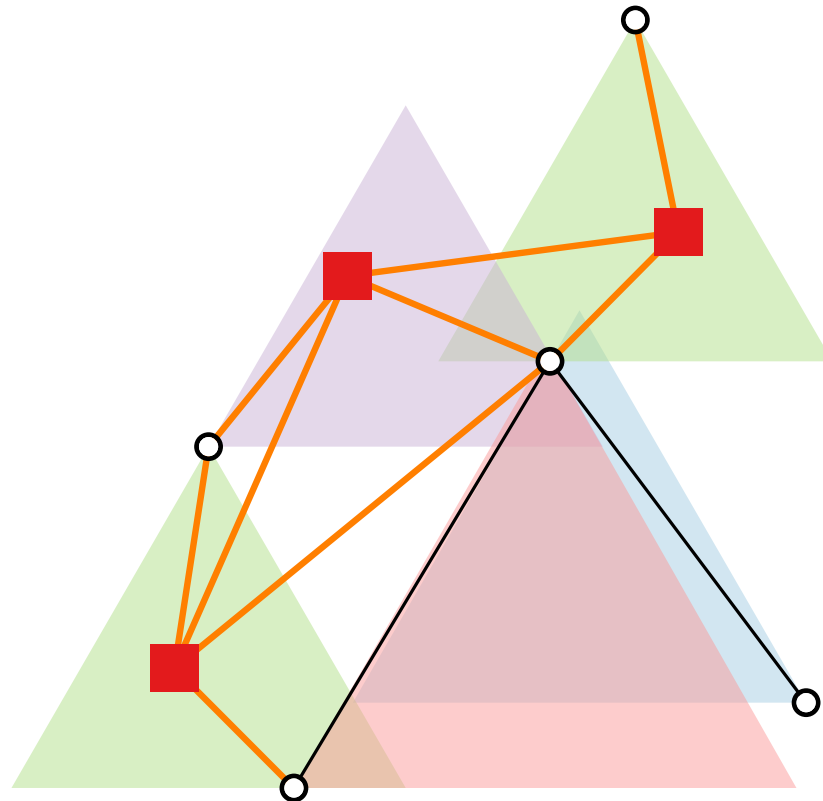
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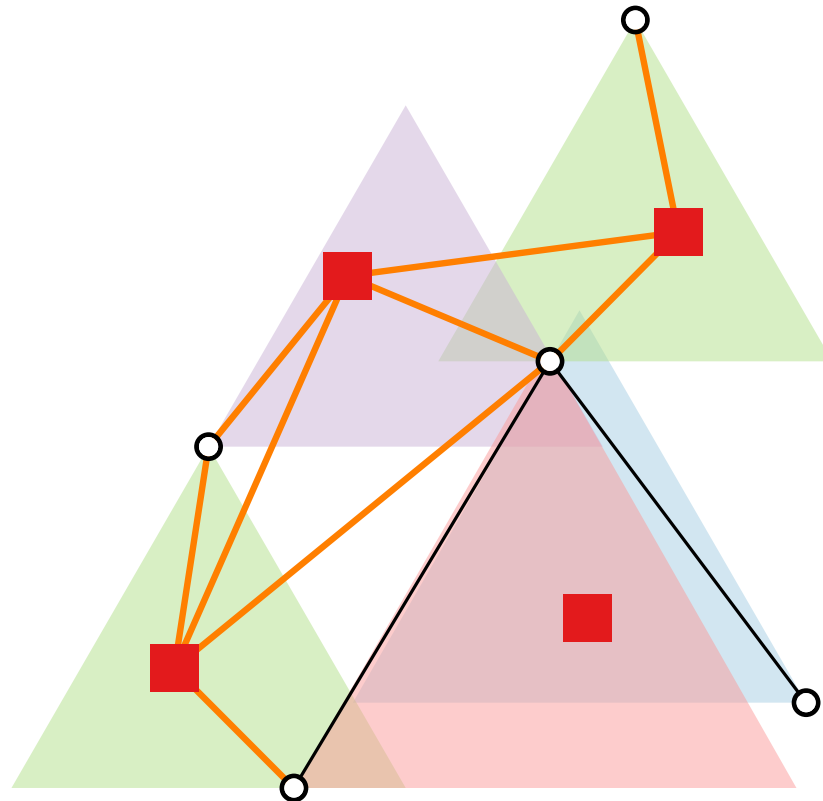
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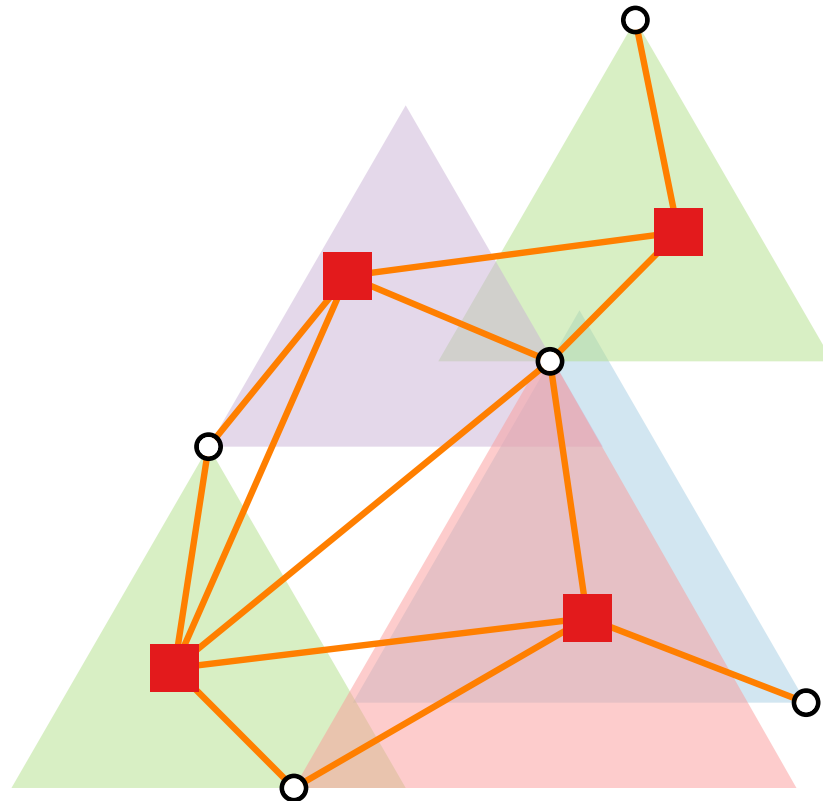
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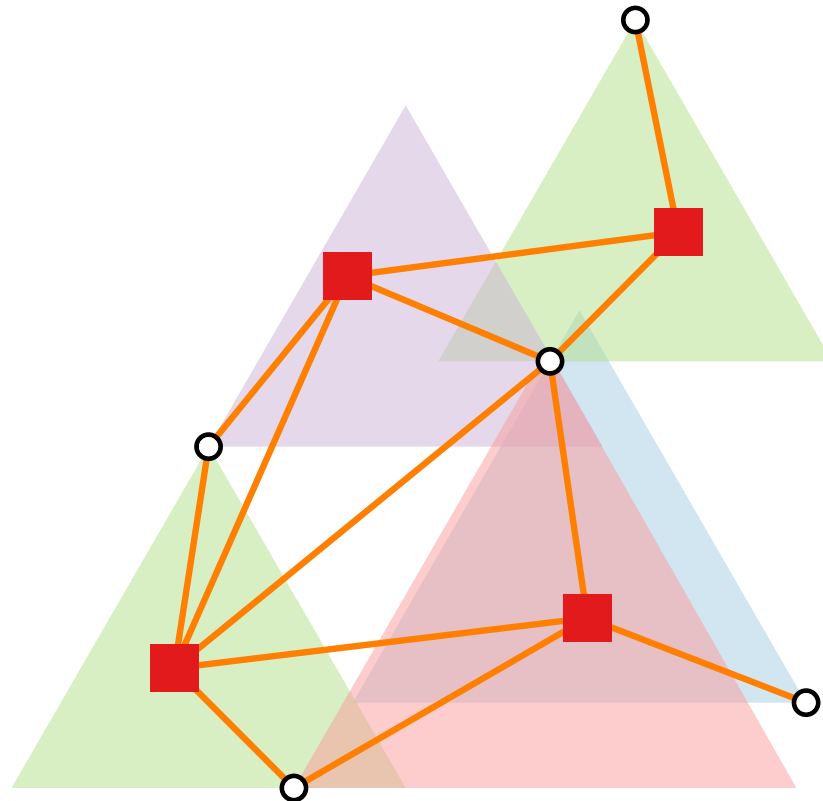
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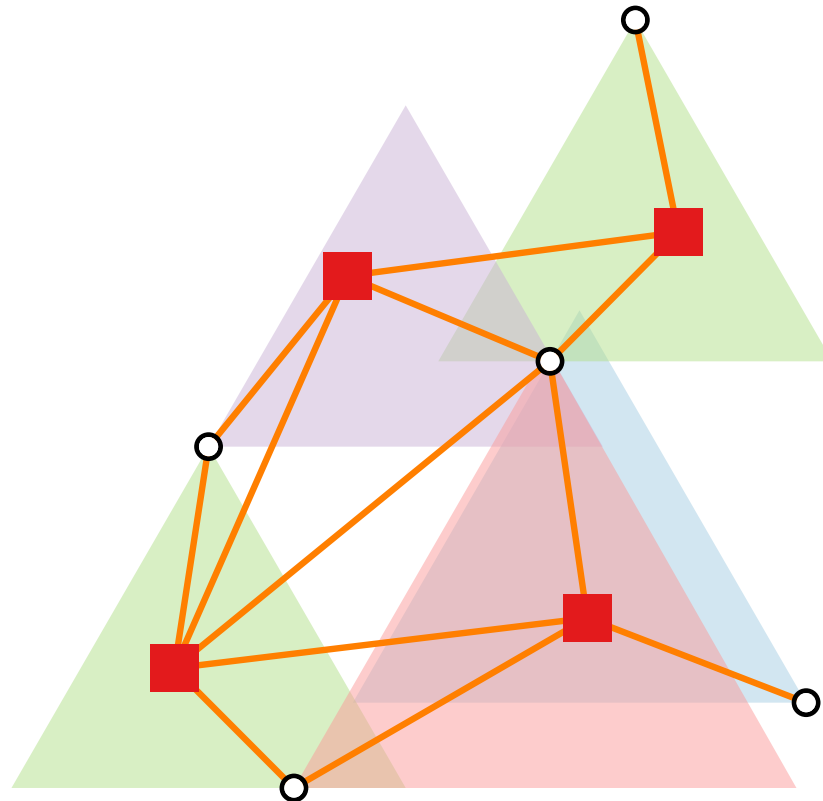


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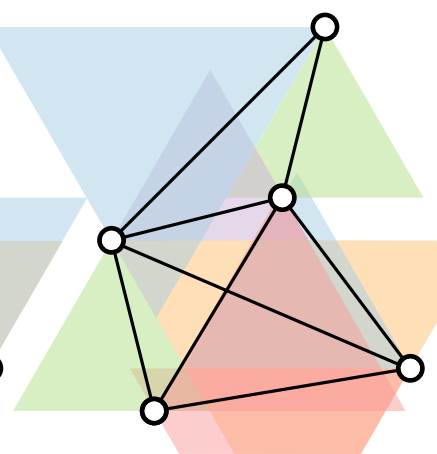
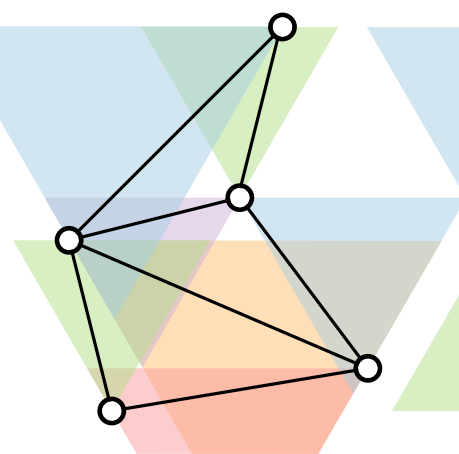
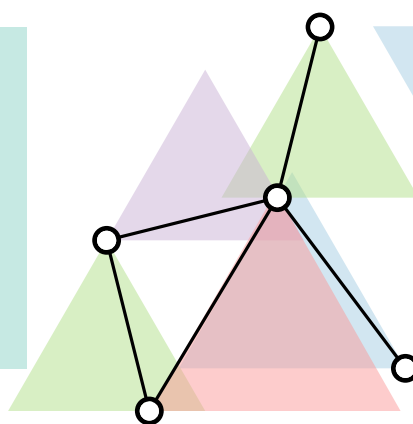
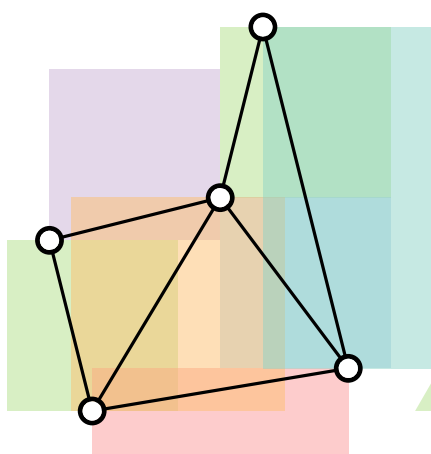
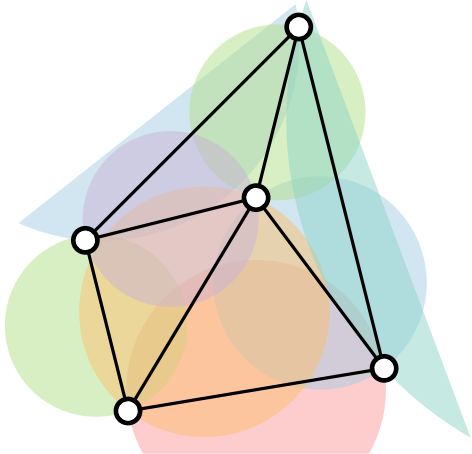
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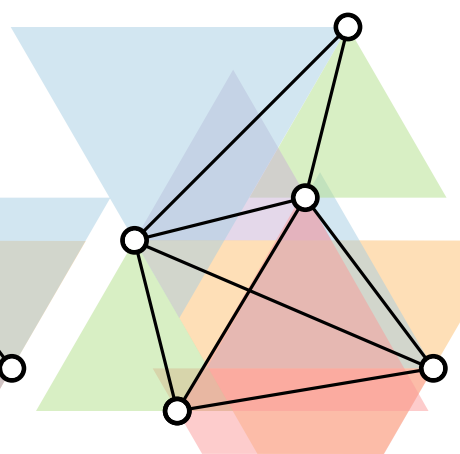
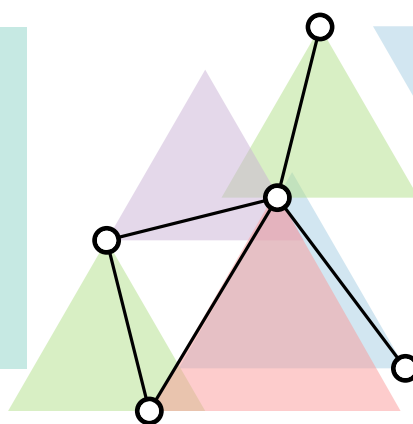
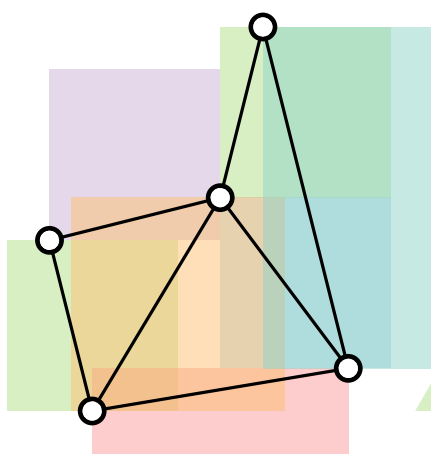
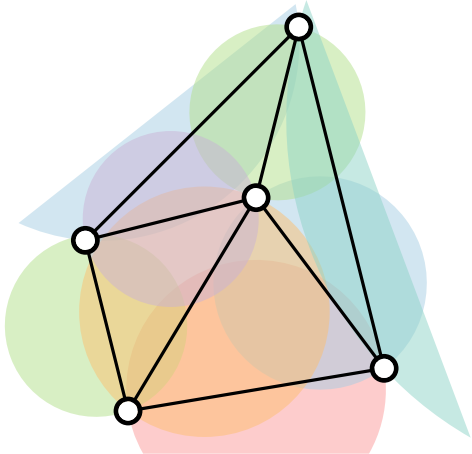
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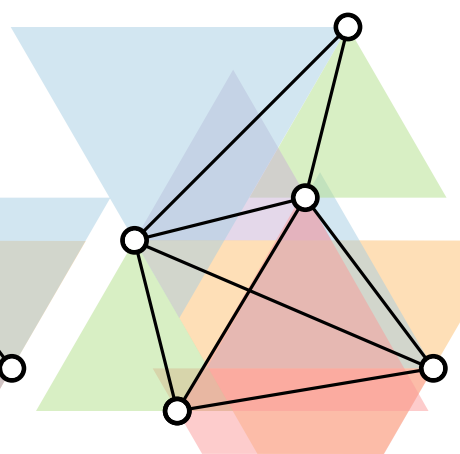
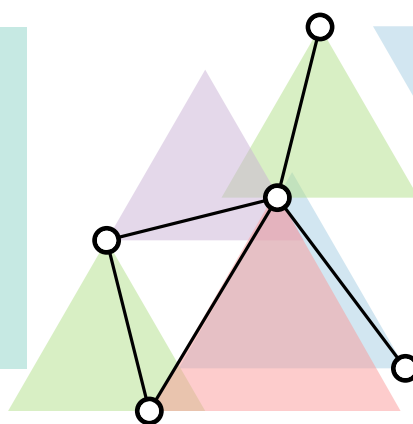
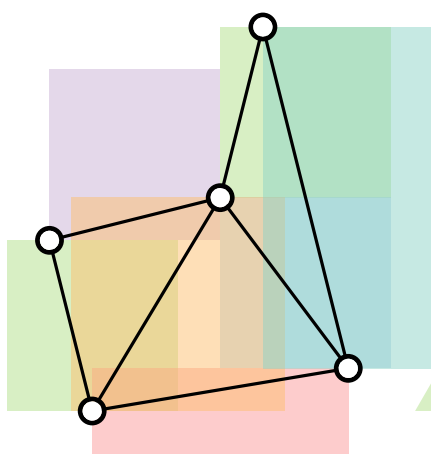
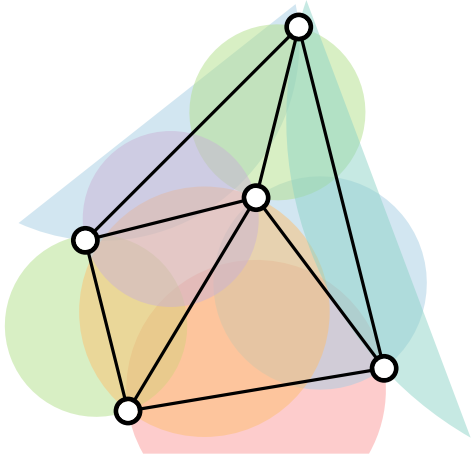
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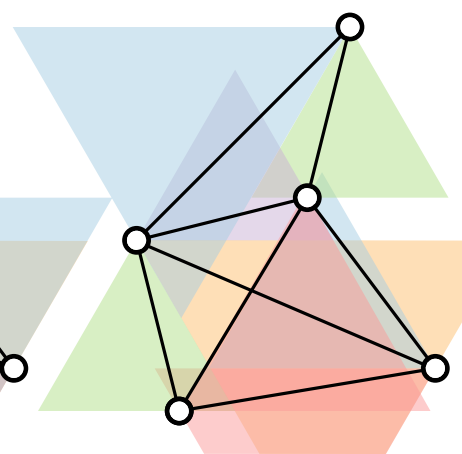
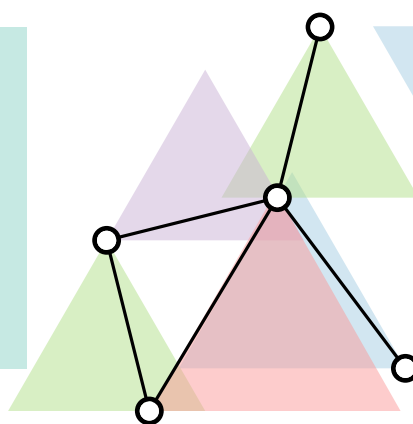
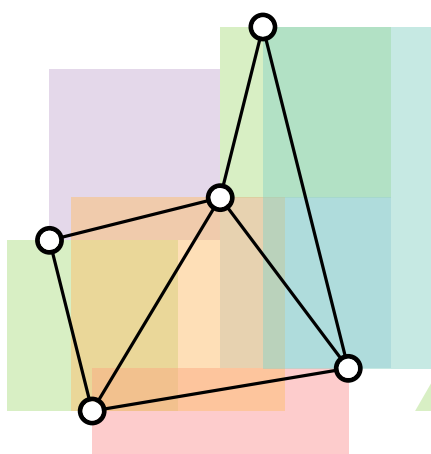
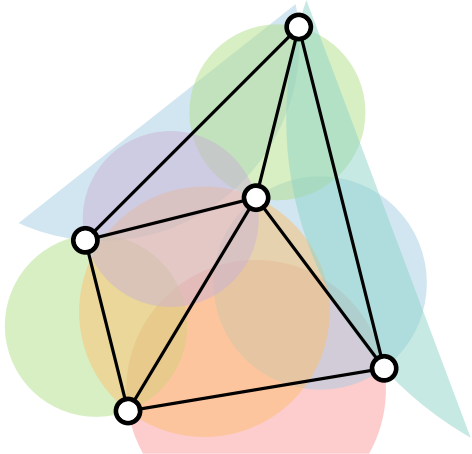
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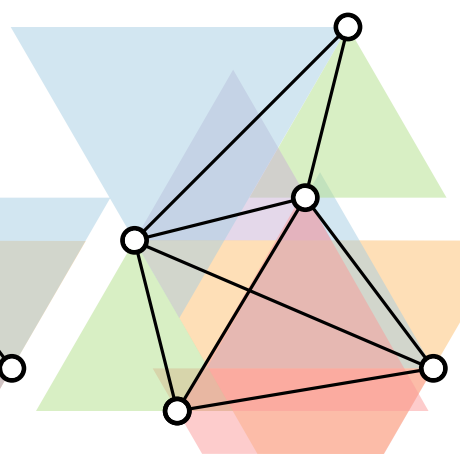
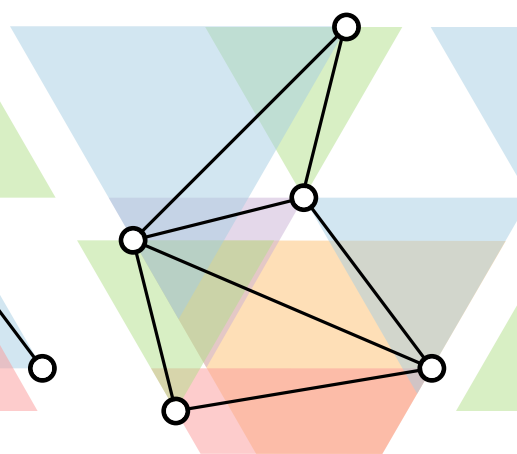
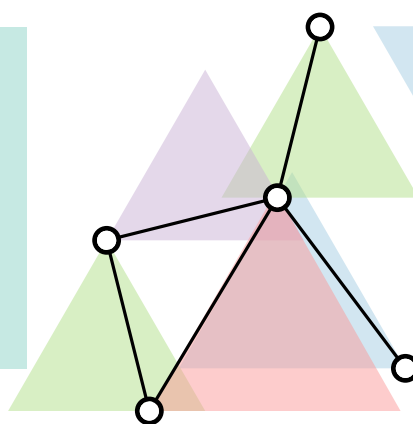
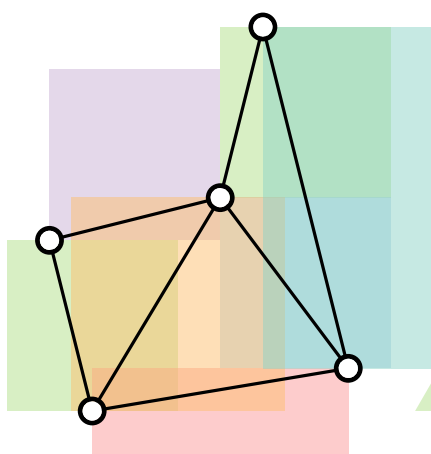
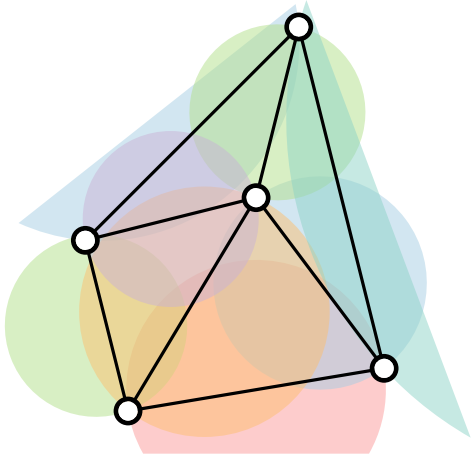
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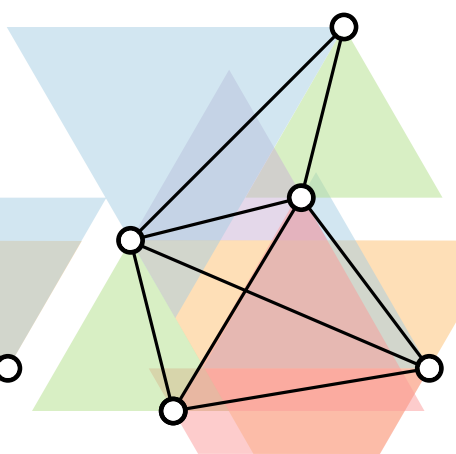
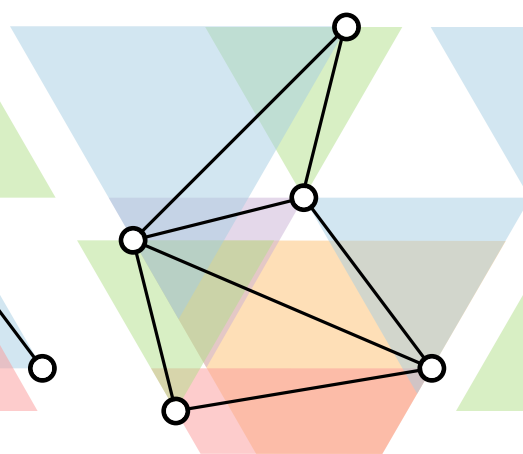
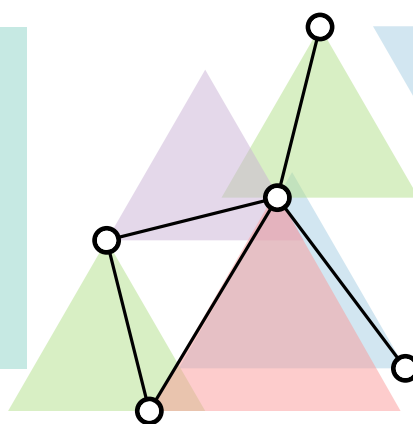
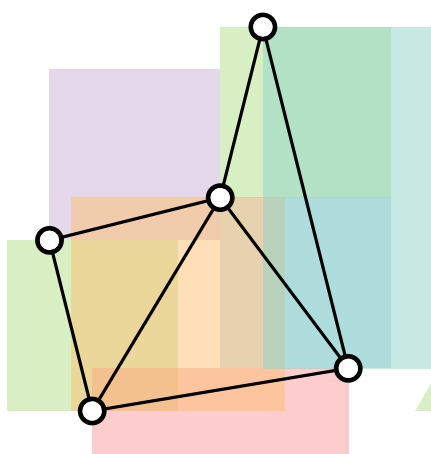
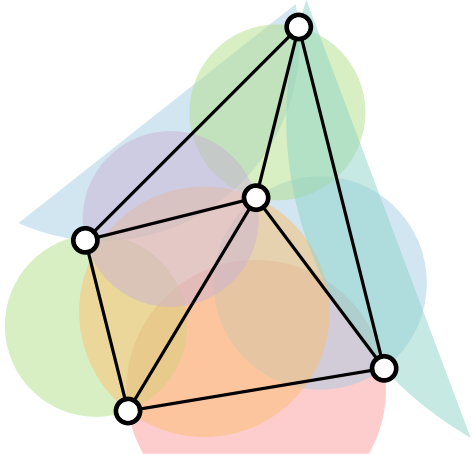
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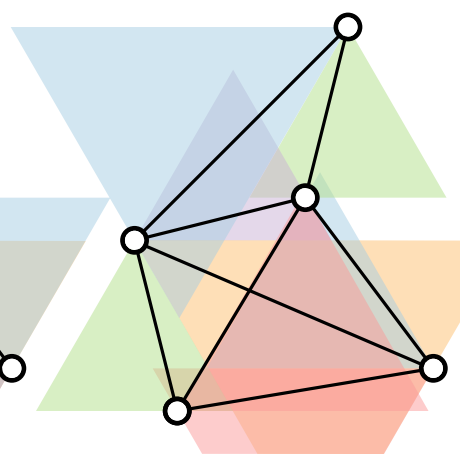
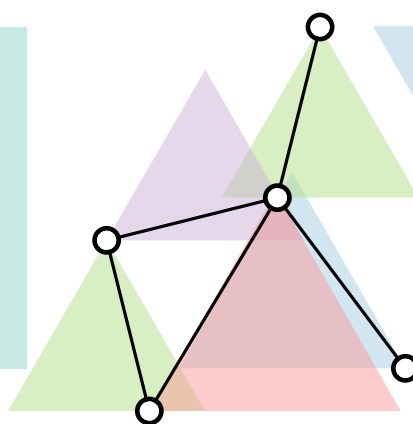
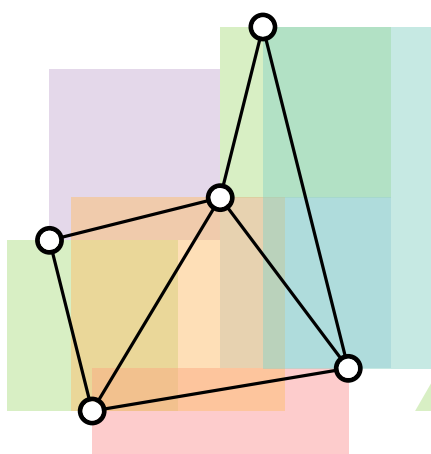
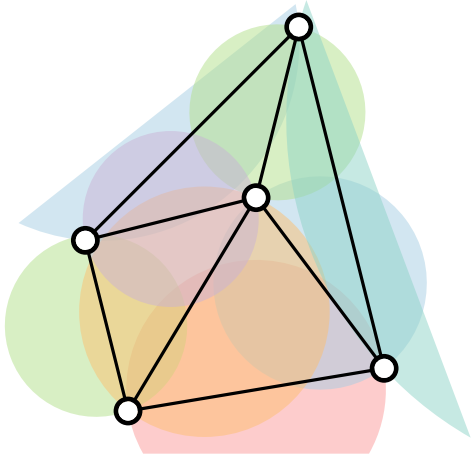
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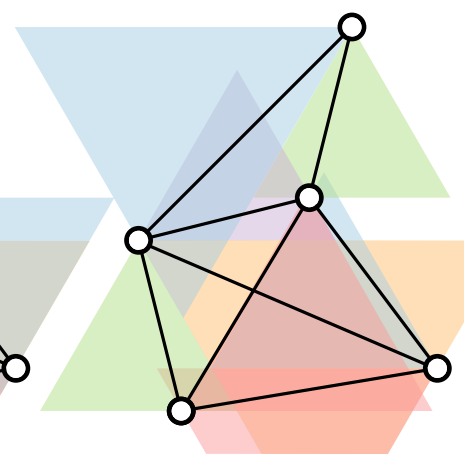
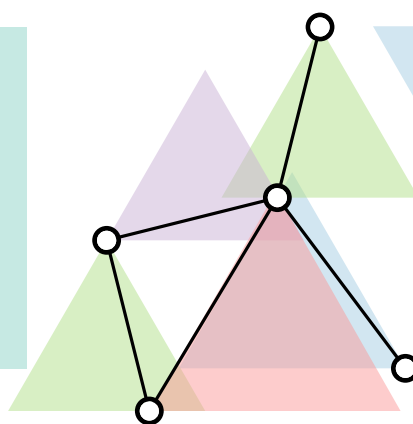
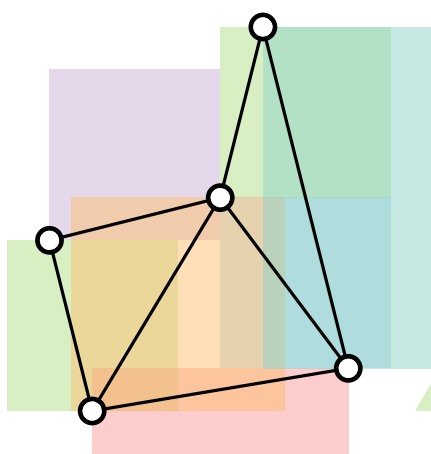
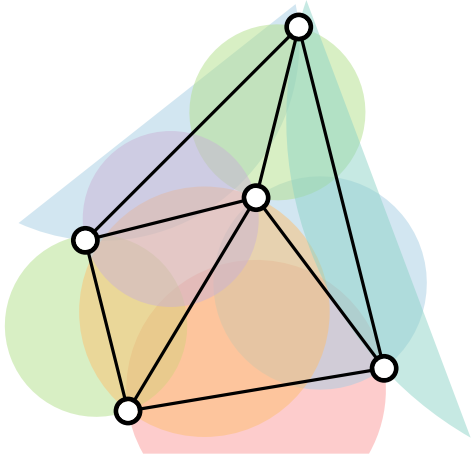
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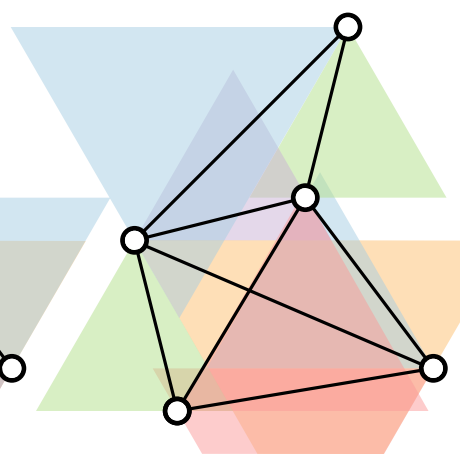
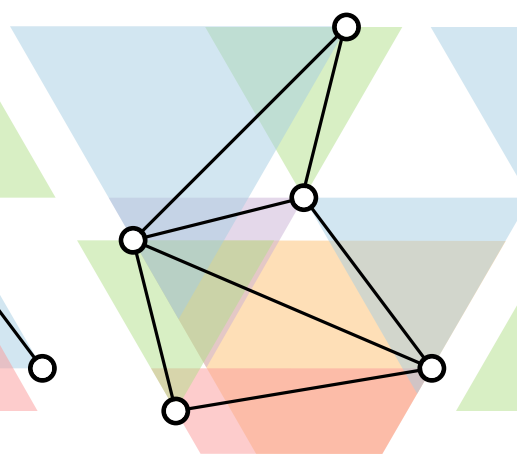
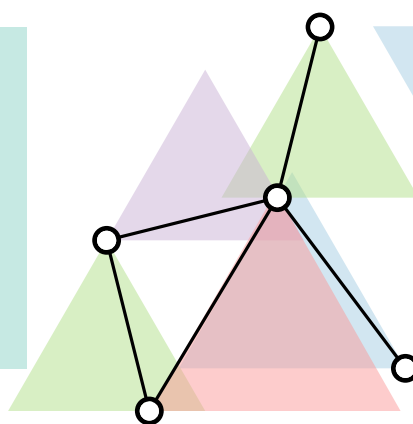
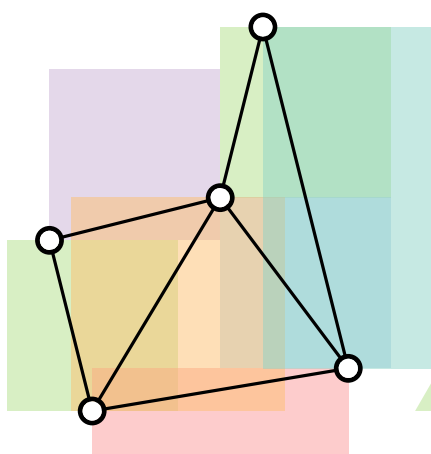
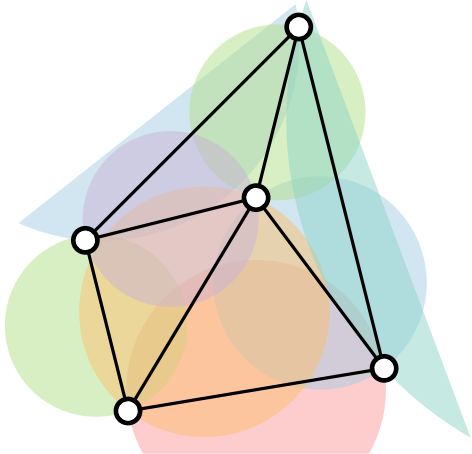
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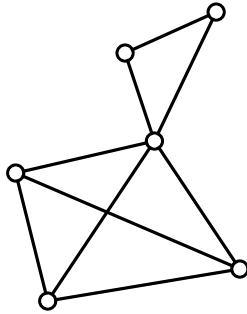
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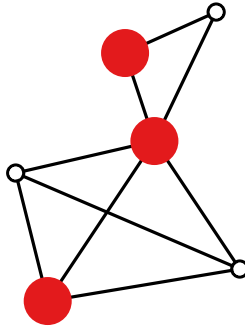
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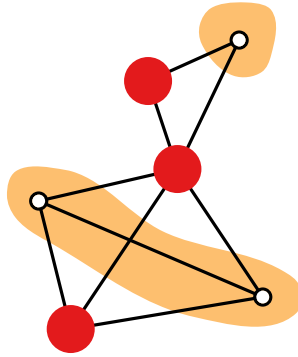


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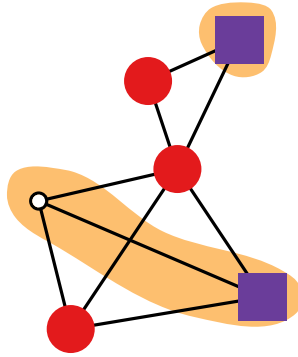
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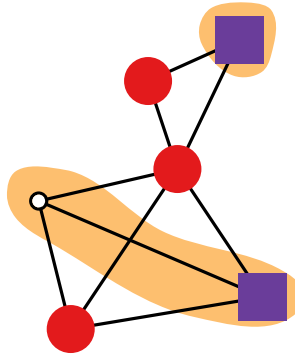
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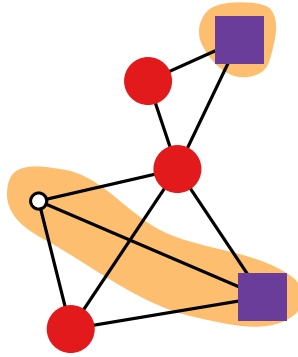
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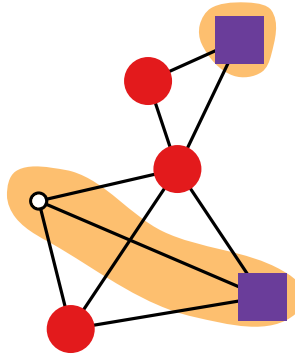
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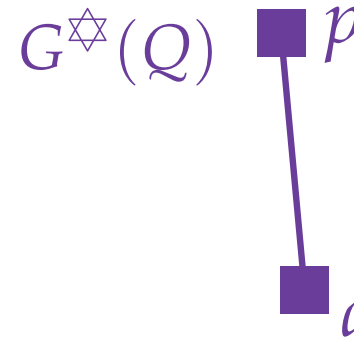
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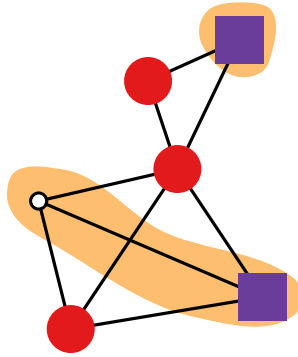
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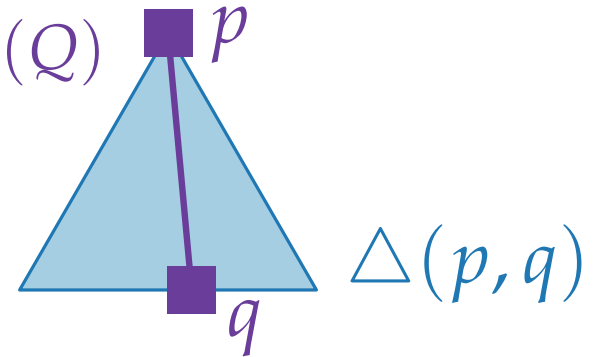
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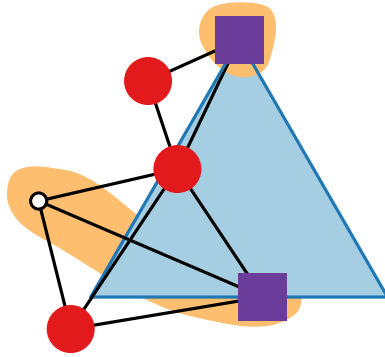
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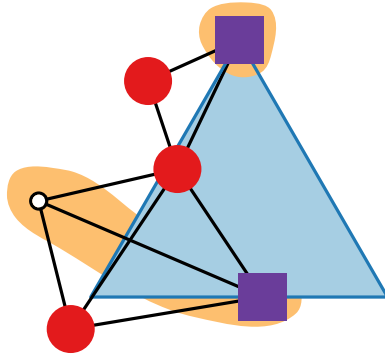
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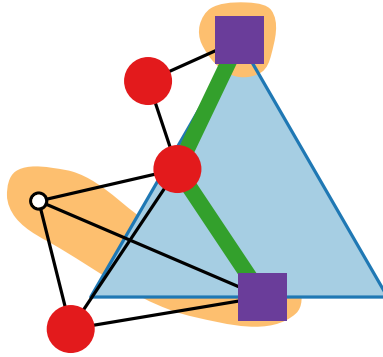
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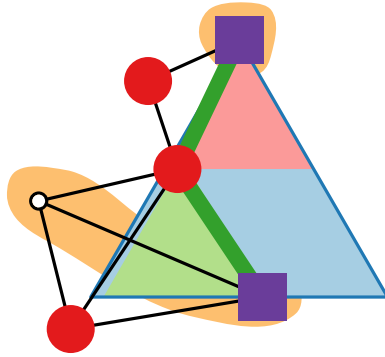
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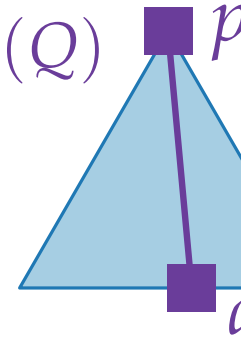
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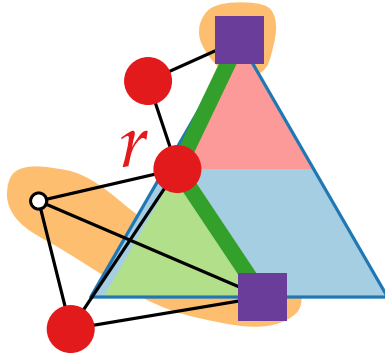
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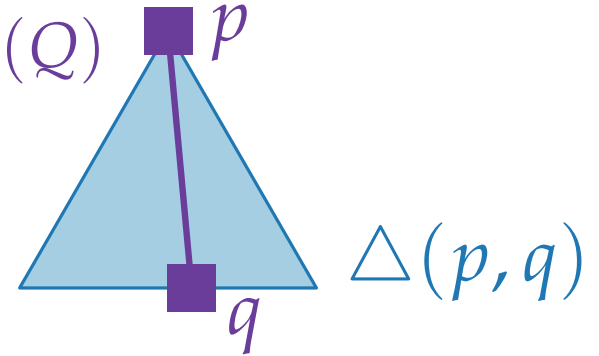
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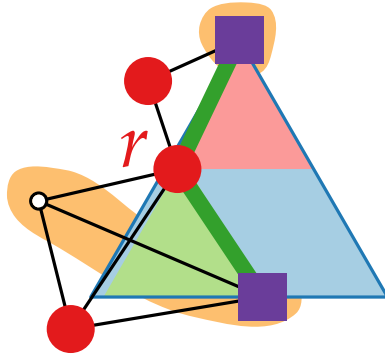
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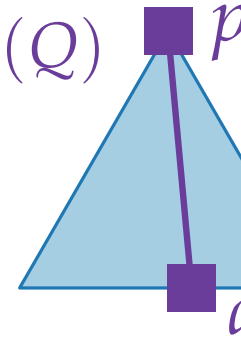
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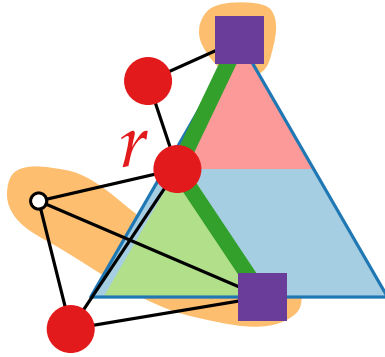
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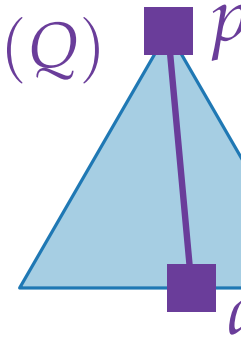
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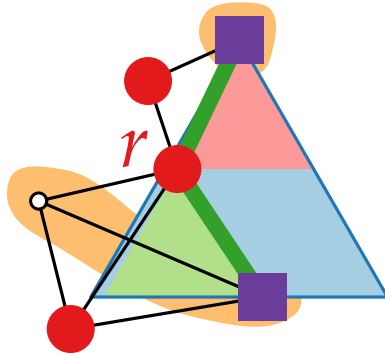
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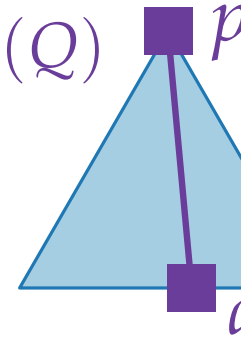
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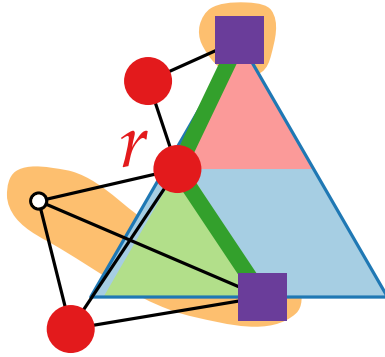
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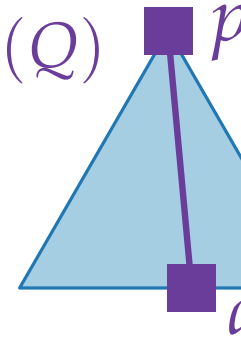
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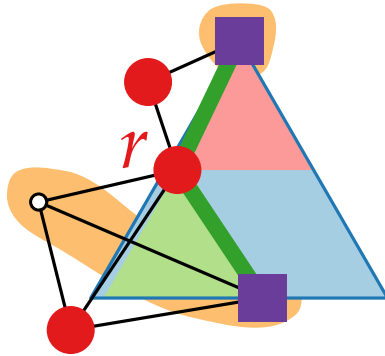
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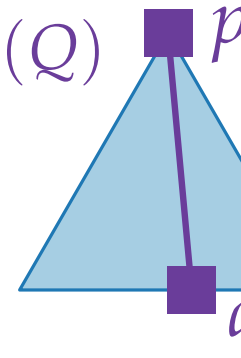
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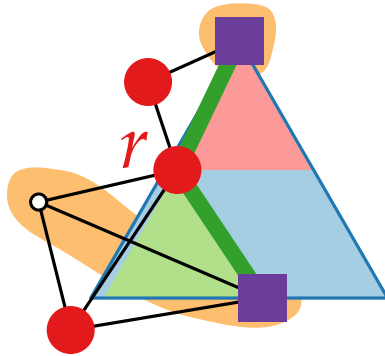
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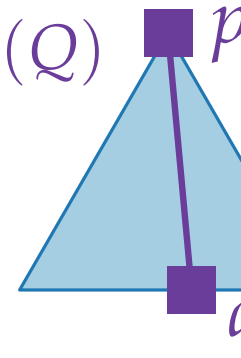
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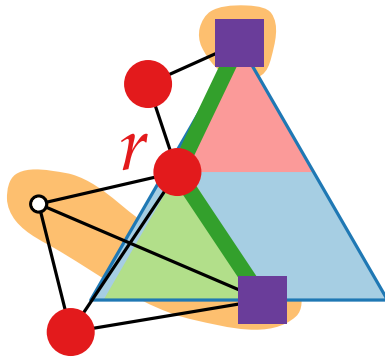
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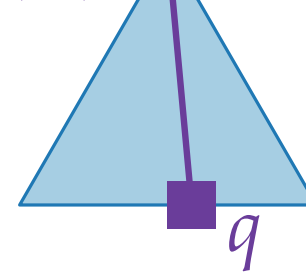
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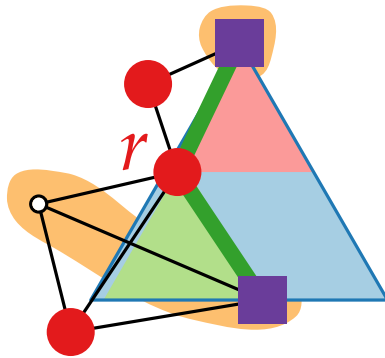
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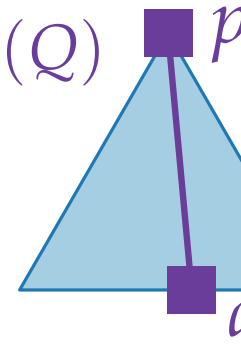
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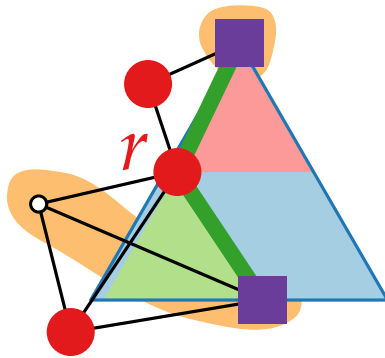
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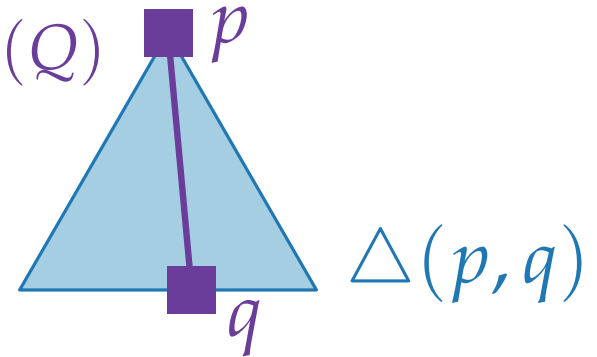
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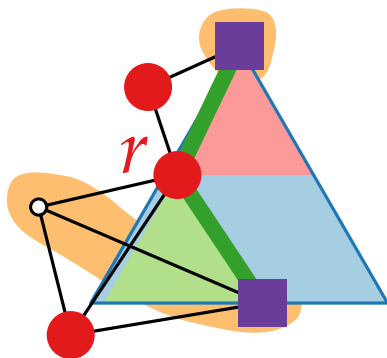
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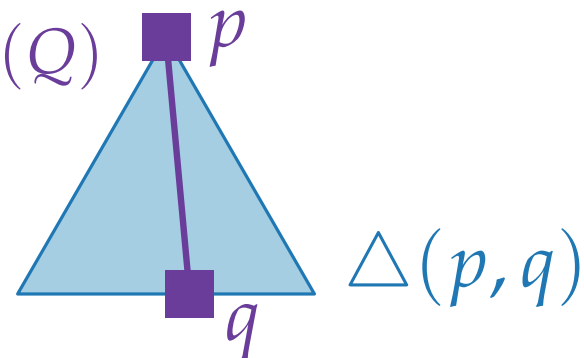
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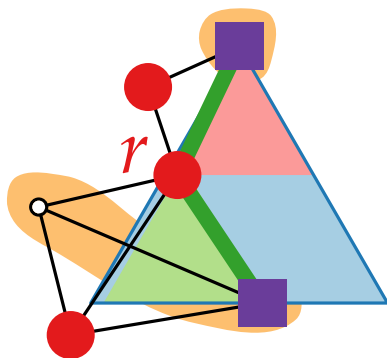
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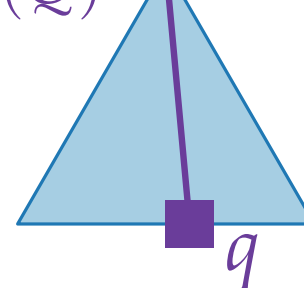
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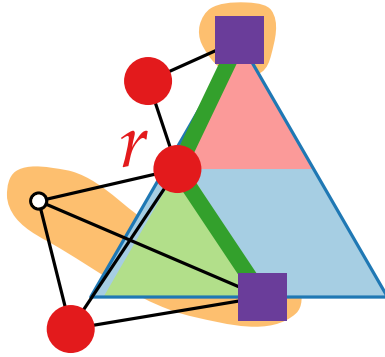
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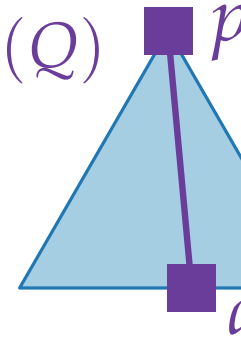
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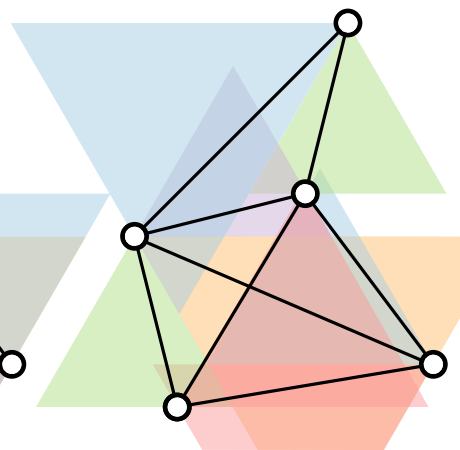
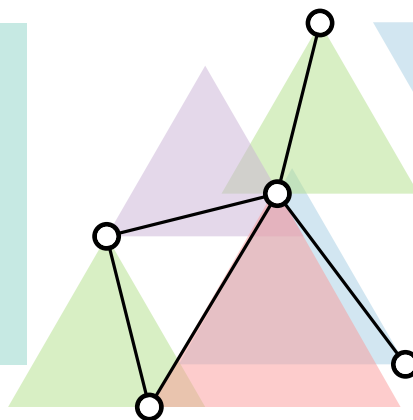
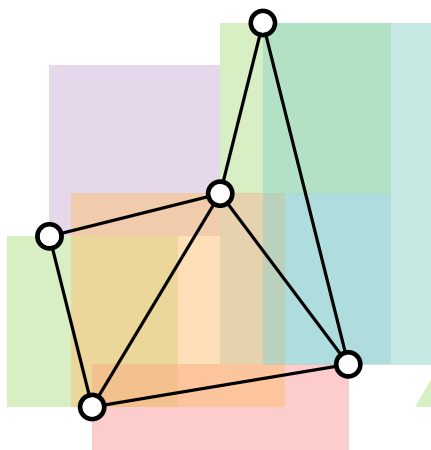
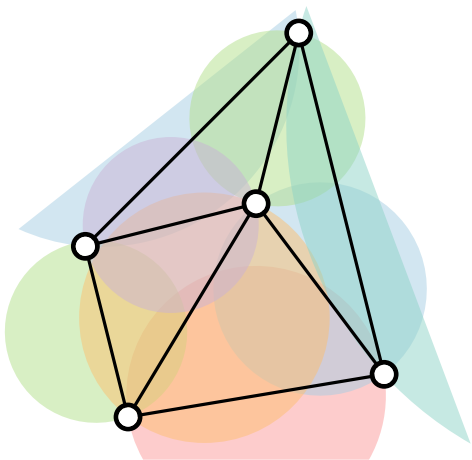
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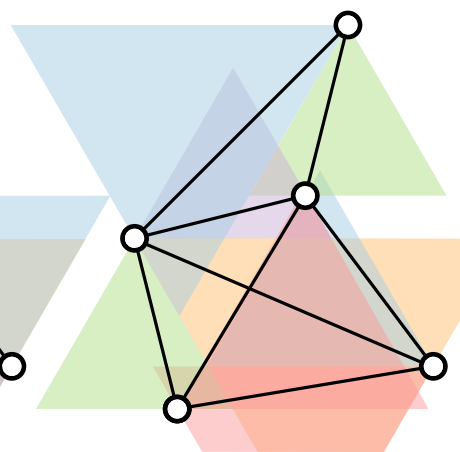
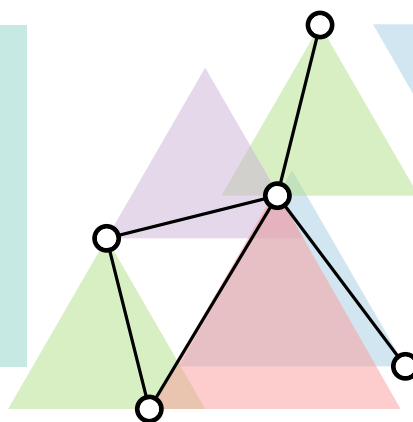
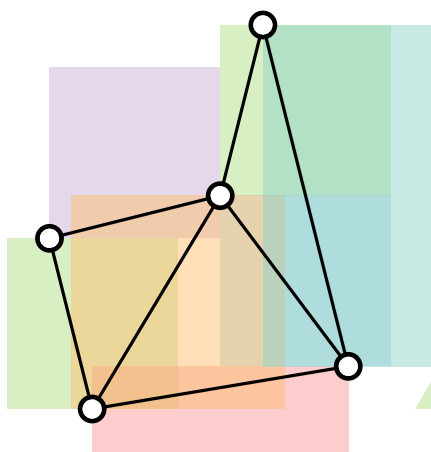
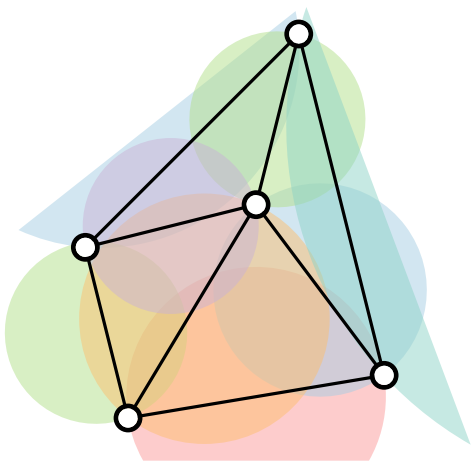
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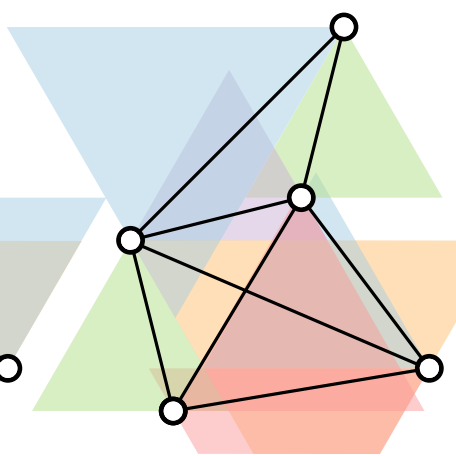
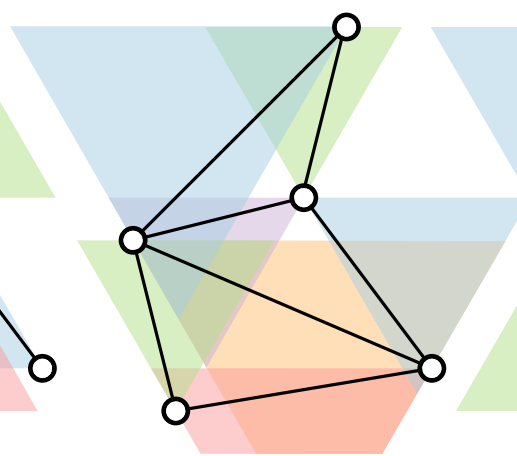
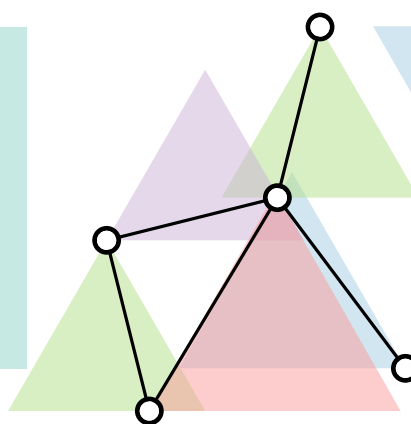
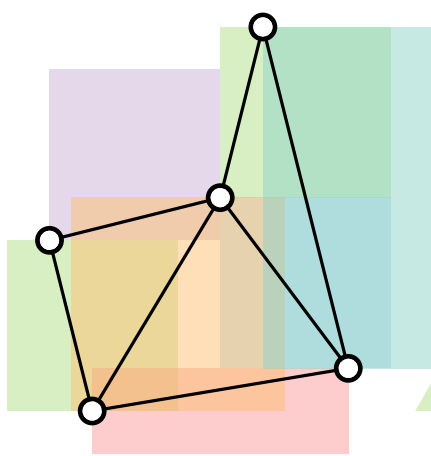
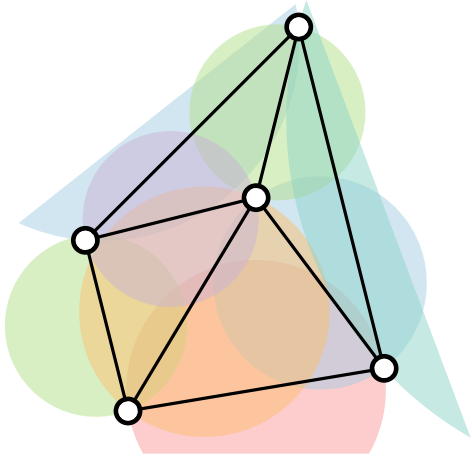
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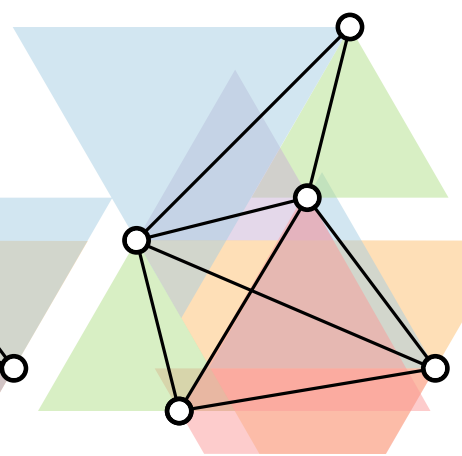
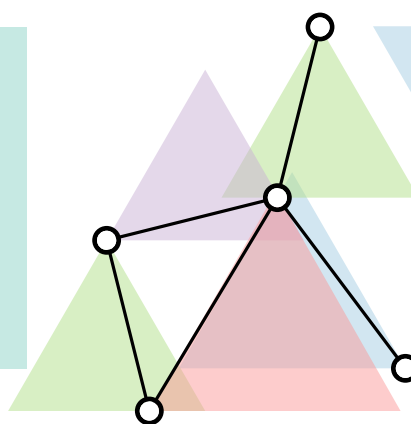
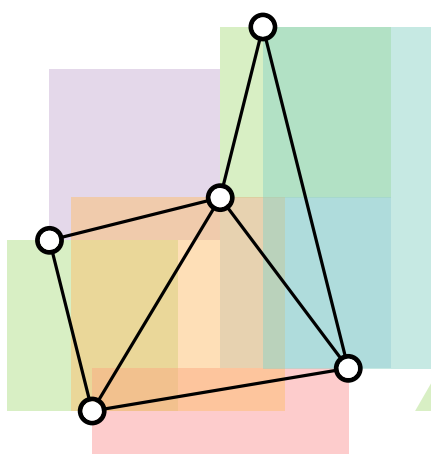
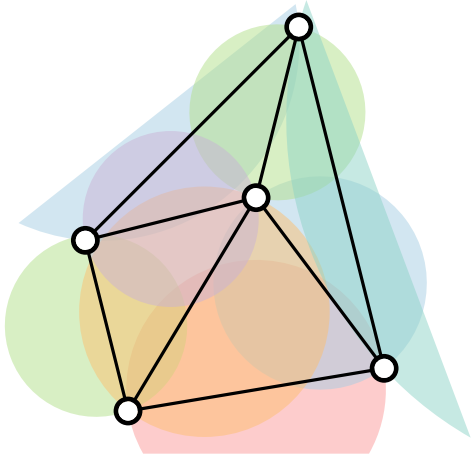
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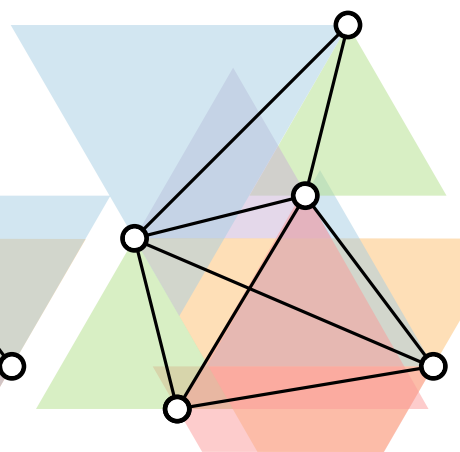
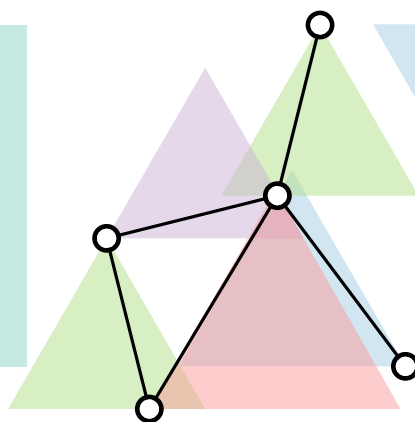
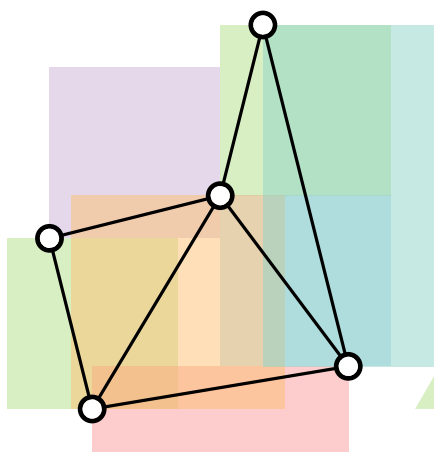
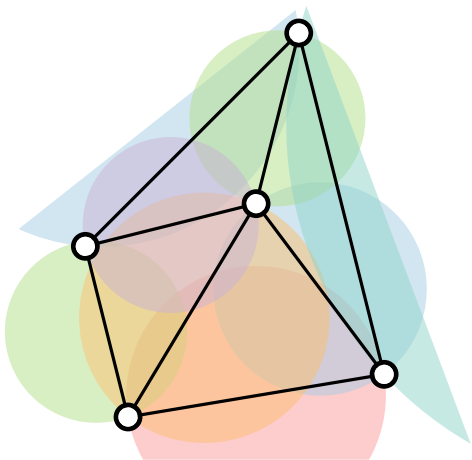
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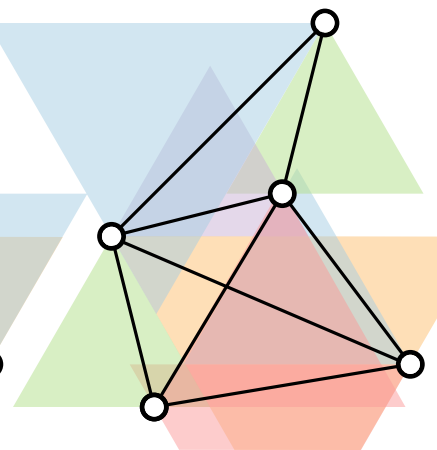
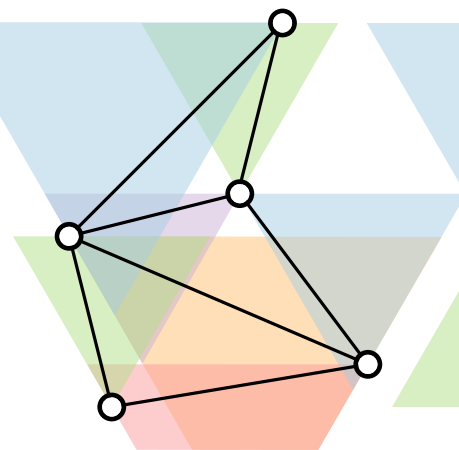
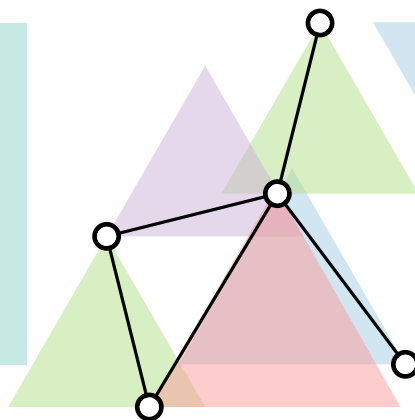
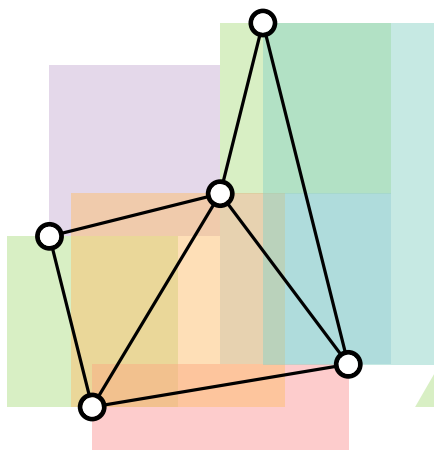
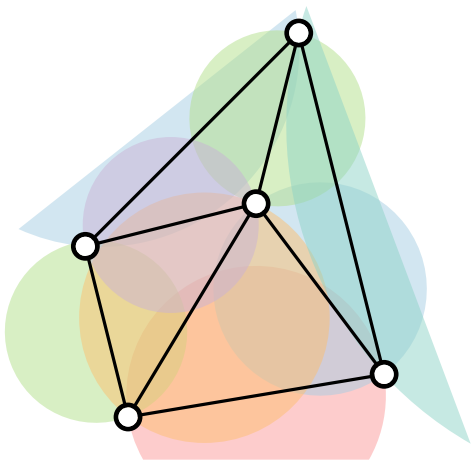
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