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$$\lfloor x_1 \rfloor \quad \lfloor x_2 \rfloor \quad \lfloor x_3 \rfloor \quad \dots \quad \lfloor x_m \rfloor$$

$$x_1 + x_2 + \dots + x_m = n$$

$x_1, \dots, x_m$
are integers

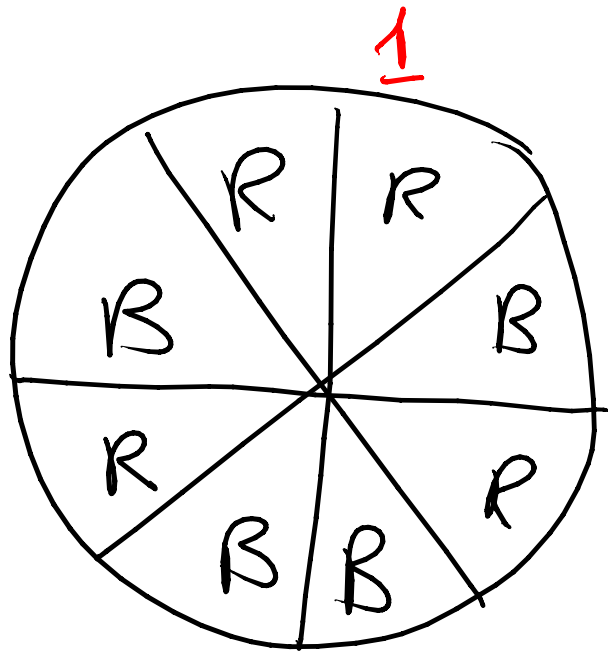
Then there exists j such

$$x_j \geq \left\lceil \frac{n}{m} \right\rceil$$

Max $\geq$ average

$$n = m + 1 \Rightarrow \exists x_j \geq 2.$$

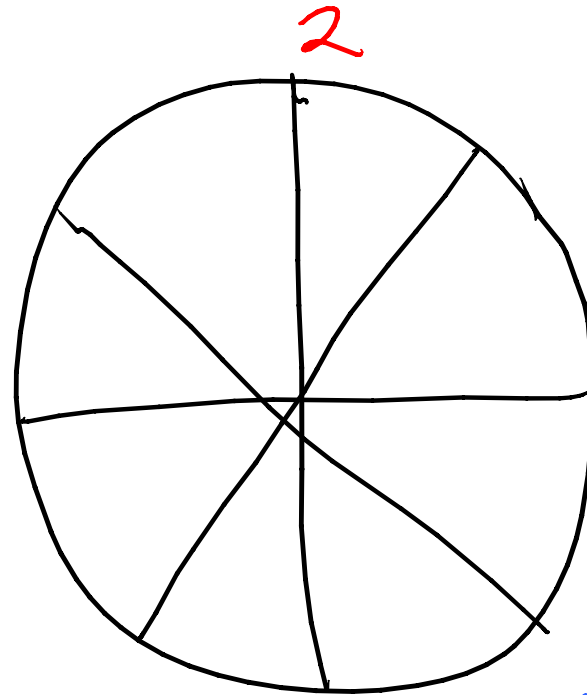
2 disks



200 sectors

100 Red sectors

100 Blue sectors



200 sectors

Sectors are colored
arbitrarily

Can place
disk 1
on top of
disk 2.

Sector bdries
match.

∃ 100 sectors
one above
other, with same
color

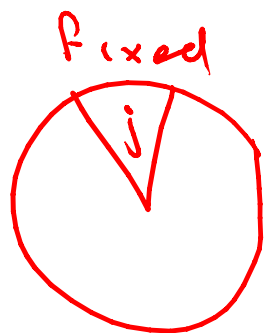
There are 200 ways of placing disk 1 on top of disk 2.

$q_i = \#$ of matches in i th position

Claim

$$q_1 + q_2 + \dots + q_{200} = 200 \times 100$$

$$\Rightarrow \exists i \text{ s.t. } q_i \geq 100.$$



i

1 if there is a match.

i

1 if sector j is a match for position i .

q_i 1's in row i

each column has 100 1's.

Alternative solution

Place disk 1, randomly on top of disk 2.

$$X_j = \begin{cases} 1 & \text{— color match in sector } j \\ 0 & \text{— otherwise} \end{cases}$$

$$X = \# \text{ matches}$$

$$E(X) = E(X_1) + \dots + E(X_{200})$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} + \dots + \frac{1}{2}$$

$$= 100$$

$\Rightarrow \exists$ a position with
 ≥ 100 matches

Erdős-Szekeres Theorem

$a_1, a_2, \dots, a_{k^2+1}$ are arbitrary real numbers.

A sequence $a_{i_1}, a_{i_2}, \dots, a_{i_p}$
where $i_1 < i_2 < \dots < i_p$

is monotone increasing if $a_{i_1} \leq a_{i_2} \leq \dots \leq a_{i_p}$
" decreasing if $a_{i_1} \geq a_{i_2} \geq \dots \geq a_{i_p}$

Theorem

For a monotone sequence of length $\geq k+1$.

Let $l^\uparrow$ = length of longest monotone increasing sequence

$l^\downarrow$ = length of longest monotone decreasing

$$\Rightarrow l^\uparrow \times l^\downarrow \geq k^2 + 1$$

3, 8, 2, 4, 5, 1, 9, 4, 2, 3

$$l^\uparrow = 4, l^\downarrow = 4$$

$L_i = \text{length of longest monotone increasing sequence that begins with } a_i$

3, 2, 4, 5, 2, 7

$$L_2 = 4$$



Put i into box j if $L_i = j$

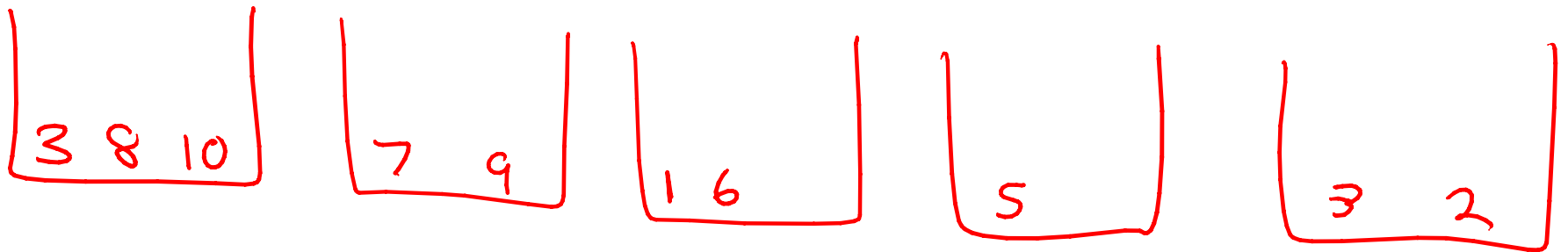
$\exists$ a box with at $\lceil \frac{k^2+1}{l^1} \rceil$ indices.

The indices in this box define a decreasing sequence

Example

¹ 6, ² 3, ³ 8, ⁴ 2, ⁵ 4, ⁶ 5, ⁷ 6, ⁸ 7, ⁹ 2, ¹⁰ 5

3 5 1 5 4 3 2 1 2 1 L



$$\begin{array}{l}
 L_{i_1} = L_{i_2} = \dots = i \\
 i_1 < i_2 < i_3 < \dots
 \end{array}$$

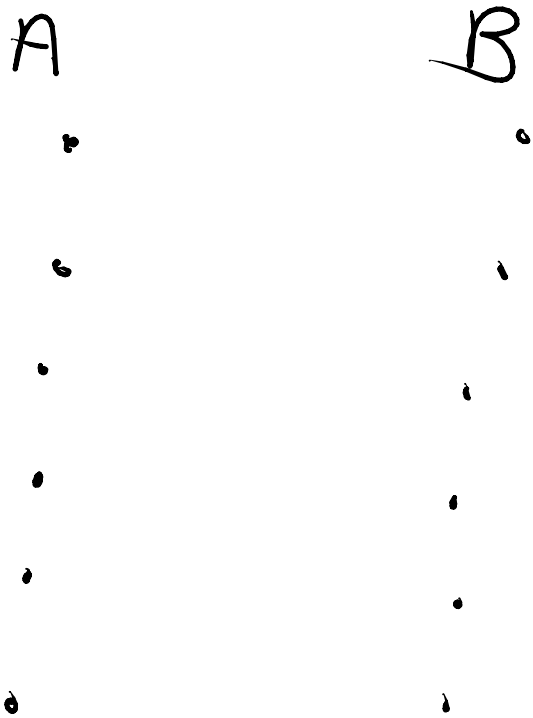
Suppose

$$a_{i_b} < a_{i_{b+1}}$$

$\Rightarrow$

$$L_{i_b} \geq i+1$$

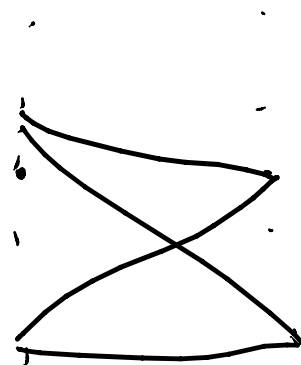
contradiction.



Bipartite graph G
 $n + n$ vertices
 and m edges

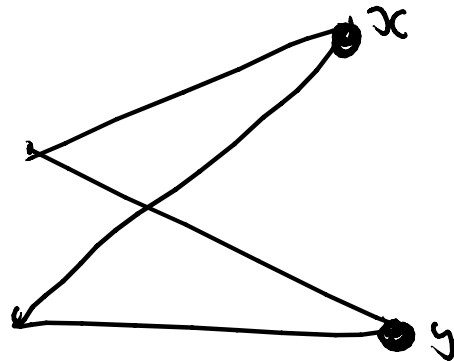
$$\text{If } m \geq n^{3/2} + n$$

then G contains



a copy of C_4 .

Looking for



Looking for x, y
that have 2
common nbrs.

For each $b \in B$ there $\binom{d(b)}{2}$ pairs of adjacent
vertices in A .

if ~~$\sum$~~ $\sum$ then

$$\sum_{b \in B} \binom{d(b)}{2} \leq \binom{n}{2}$$

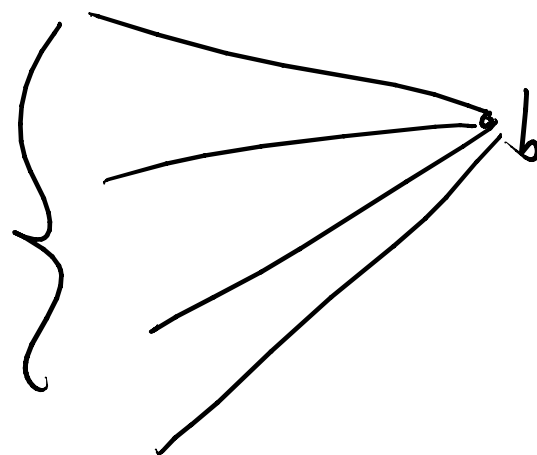
otherwise $\exists b, b'$
with a common pair

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$\binom{n}{2}$ ← # pairs of vertices
in A

$$\# \text{ pairs} = \binom{d(b)}{2}$$

$d(b)$
= degree



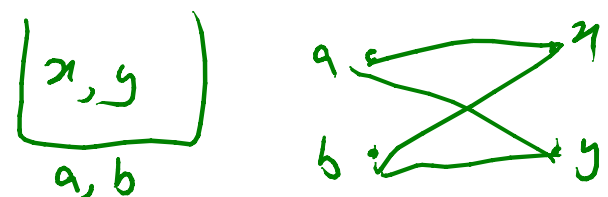
Pigeonholes

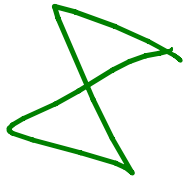


One pigeon hole for every pair of vertices in A



Pigeon-hole with two elements
 $\Rightarrow C_4$



With no  we have $\sum_{b \in B} \binom{d(b)}{2} \leq \binom{n}{2}$

We know that $\sum_{b \in B} d(b) = m \Rightarrow \geq n \binom{m/n}{2}$

$$\text{So } n \binom{m/n}{2} \leq \binom{n}{2}$$

$$\Rightarrow n \binom{m/n}{2} (m/n - 1) \leq n(n-1)$$

$$\text{This fails if } m \geq n^{3/2} + n \quad (n^{1/2})^2 > n-1$$

Finally

$$\frac{1}{2} \sum_{b \in B} [d(b)^2 - d(b)] \quad \text{is minimised at } d(b) = \frac{m}{n}$$

$$= \frac{1}{2} \sum_{b \in B} d(b)^2 - \frac{1}{2} m$$

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$$\begin{array}{l} \text{Minimise } x_1^2 + x_2^2 + \dots + x_n^2 \\ \text{s.t. } x_1 + \dots + x_n = m \end{array}$$

Take any solution with $x_1 < x_2$ say.

$$x_1^2 + x_2^2 > \left(\frac{x_1 + x_2}{2} \right)^2 + \left(\frac{x_1 + x_2}{2} \right)^2$$

$$x_1^2 + x_2^2 > \frac{x_1^2}{2} + \frac{x_2^2}{2} + x_1 x_2 = \left(\frac{x_1 - x_2}{2} \right)^2 \geq 0$$