

DRAWING PARTIALLY EMBEDDED AND SIMULTANEOUSLY PLANAR GRAPHS

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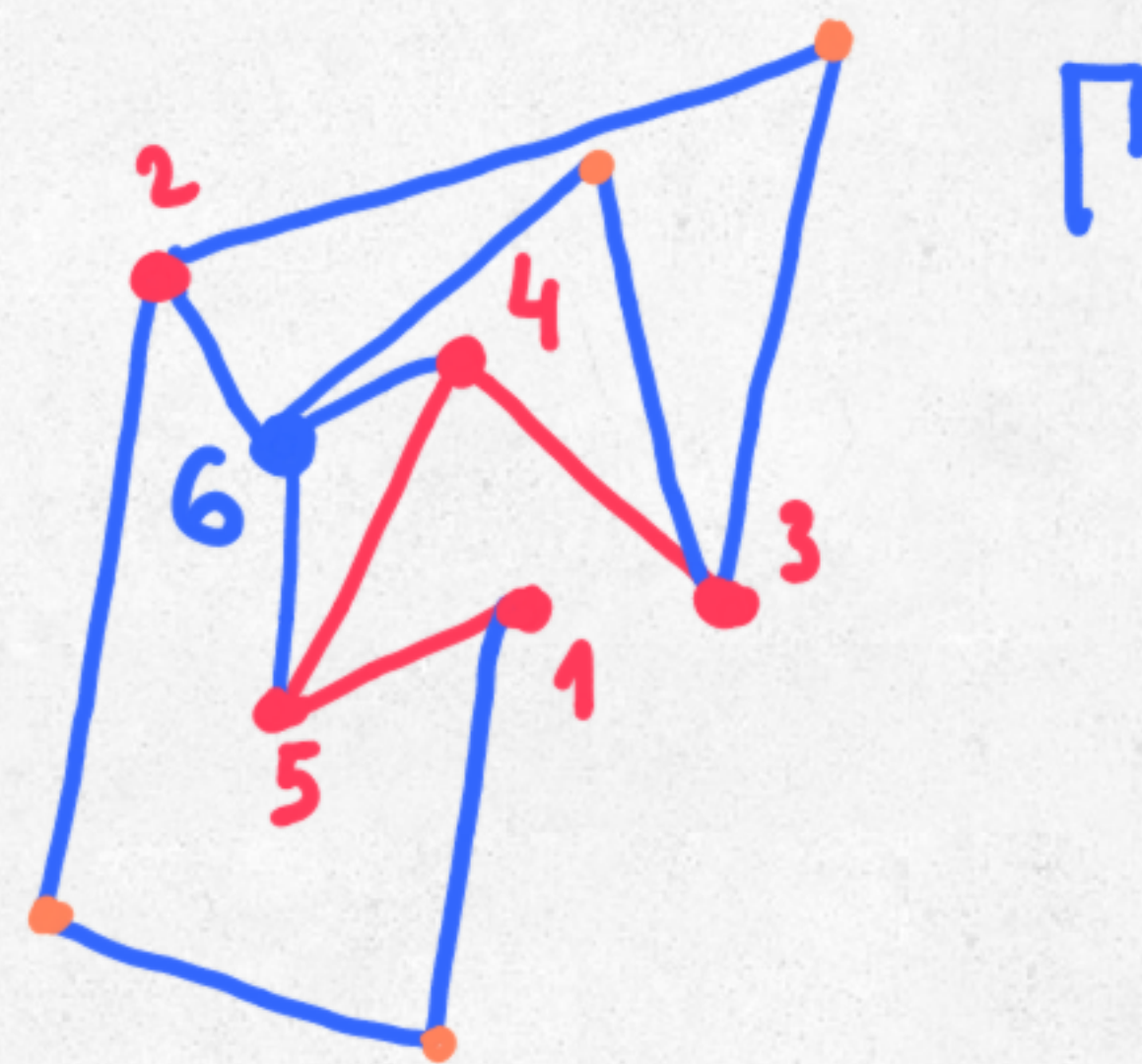
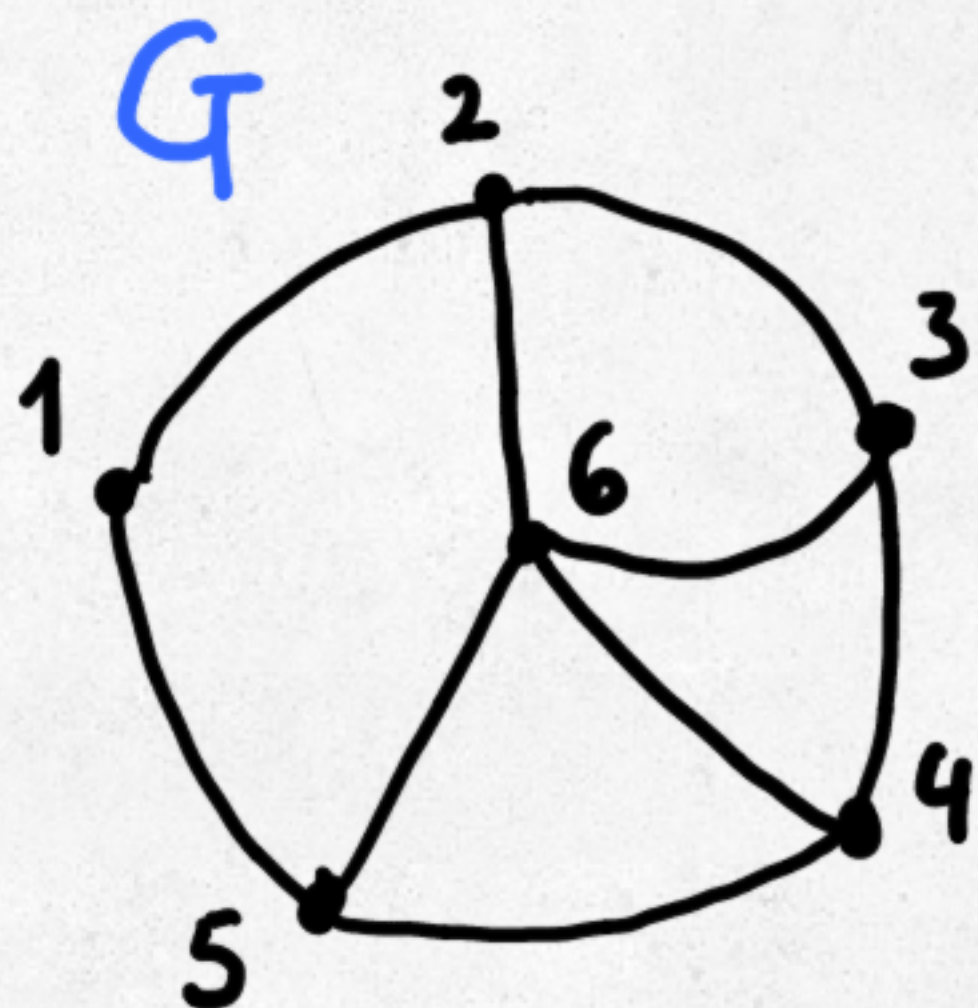
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THEOREM 1 LET G BE A PLANE GRAPH
 LET H BE A SUBGRAPH OF G WITH N VERTICES
 LET ϕ BE A PLANAR STRAIGHT-LINE DRAWING OF H

THERE EXISTS A PLANAR STRAIGHT-LINE DRAWING Γ OF G
 SUCH THAT Γ EXTENDS ϕ
 SUCH THAT EACH EDGE HAS $O(N)$ BENDS



MOTIVATIONS THE PROBLEM FITS IN THE FOLLOWING COOL TOPICS

1. DRAWING A PLANAR GRAPH WHILE SATISFYING GEOMETRIC OR TOPOLOGICAL CONSTRAINTS (UPWARD PLANARITY [GARG-TAMASSIA 2001], CLUSTERED PLANARITY [FENG-COHEN-EADES 1995], LEVEL PLANARITY [JÜNGER-LEIPERT-NUTZEL 1998], ...)
2. EXTENDING PARTIAL REPRESENTATIONS OF A GRAPH TO COMPLETE ONES (PLANAR GRAPHS [ANGELINI et al. 2010], INTERVAL GRAPHS [KLAVÍK-KRATOCHVÍL-VYSKOCIL 2011], CIRCLE GRAPHS [CHAPLICK-FULEK-KLAVÍK 2013], ...)

WHAT IS KNOWN (1)

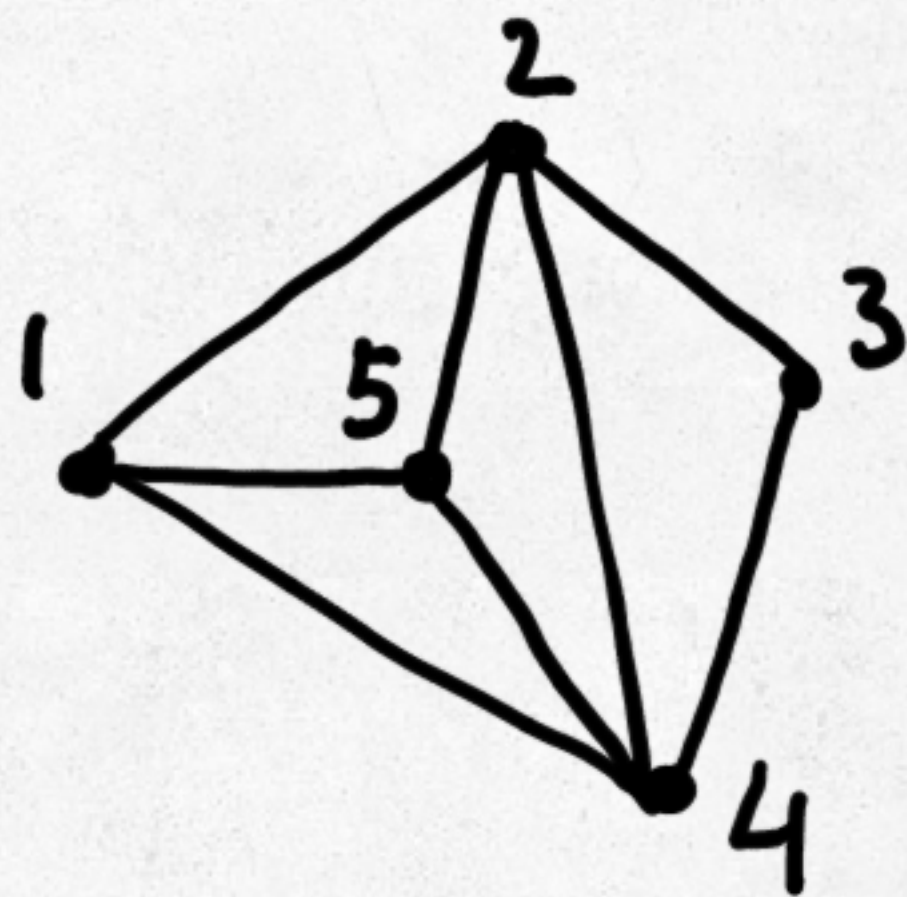
THERE EXIST INSTANCES (G, H, ϕ) SUCH THAT
EVERY PLANAR DRAWING OF G THAT EXTENDS ϕ
HAS $\Omega(N)$ EDGES EACH WITH $\Omega(N)$ BENDS

$|G| = |H| = N \rightarrow$ [PACH-WENGER 2001
BADENT et al. 2008]

EVERY PLANE GRAPH G CAN BE DRAWN WITH
ITS VERTICES AT FIXED LOCATIONS

S.T. EACH EDGE HAS $O(N)$ BENDS $\leftarrow |G| = |H| = N$

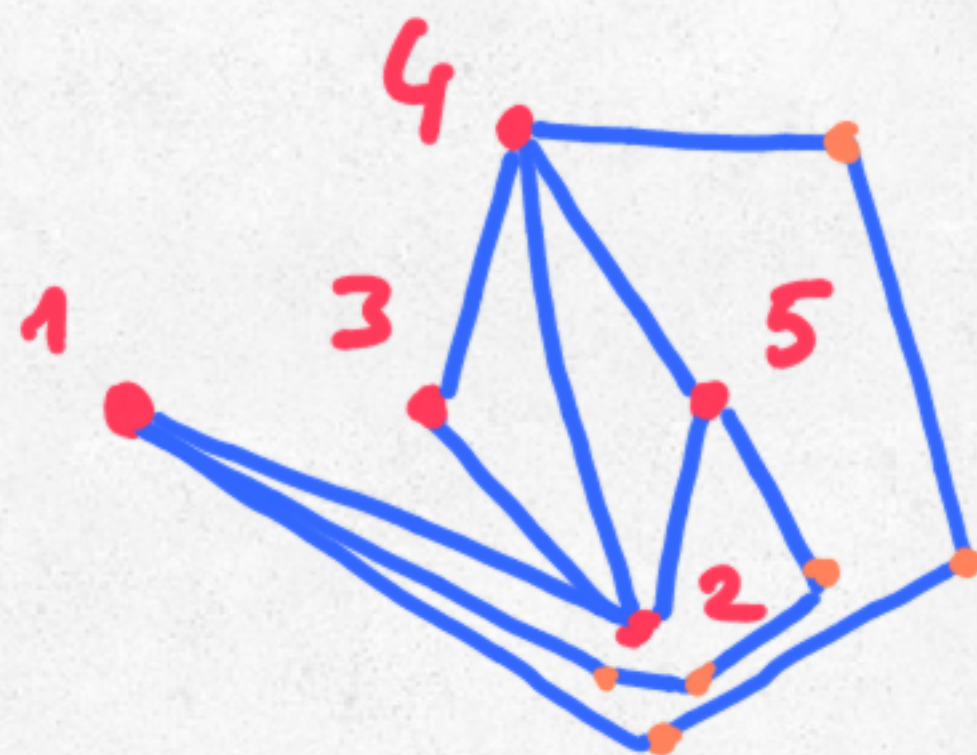
[PACH-WENGER 2001
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G



ϕ



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WHAT IS KNOWN (2)

DECIDING WHETHER A STRAIGHT-LINE PLANAR EXTENSION EXISTS
IS NP-HARD [PATRIGNANI 2006]
(EVEN IF G HAS FIXED EMBEDDING)

DECIDING WHETHER A PLANAR EXTENSION EXISTS
IS AN $O(|G|)$ -TIME SOLVABLE PROBLEM
[ANGELINI et al. 2010]

WHAT IS KNOWN (3)

CLAIM [FOWLER et al. 2011]

LET G BE A PLANE GRAPH WITH N VERTICES

LET H BE A SPANNING SUBGRAPH OF G

LET ϕ BE A PLANAR STRAIGHT-LINE DRAWING OF H

LET σ BE AN ORDER OF THE EDGES IN $G-H$ SUCH THAT
EDGES IN DISTINCT COMPONENTS COME FIRST

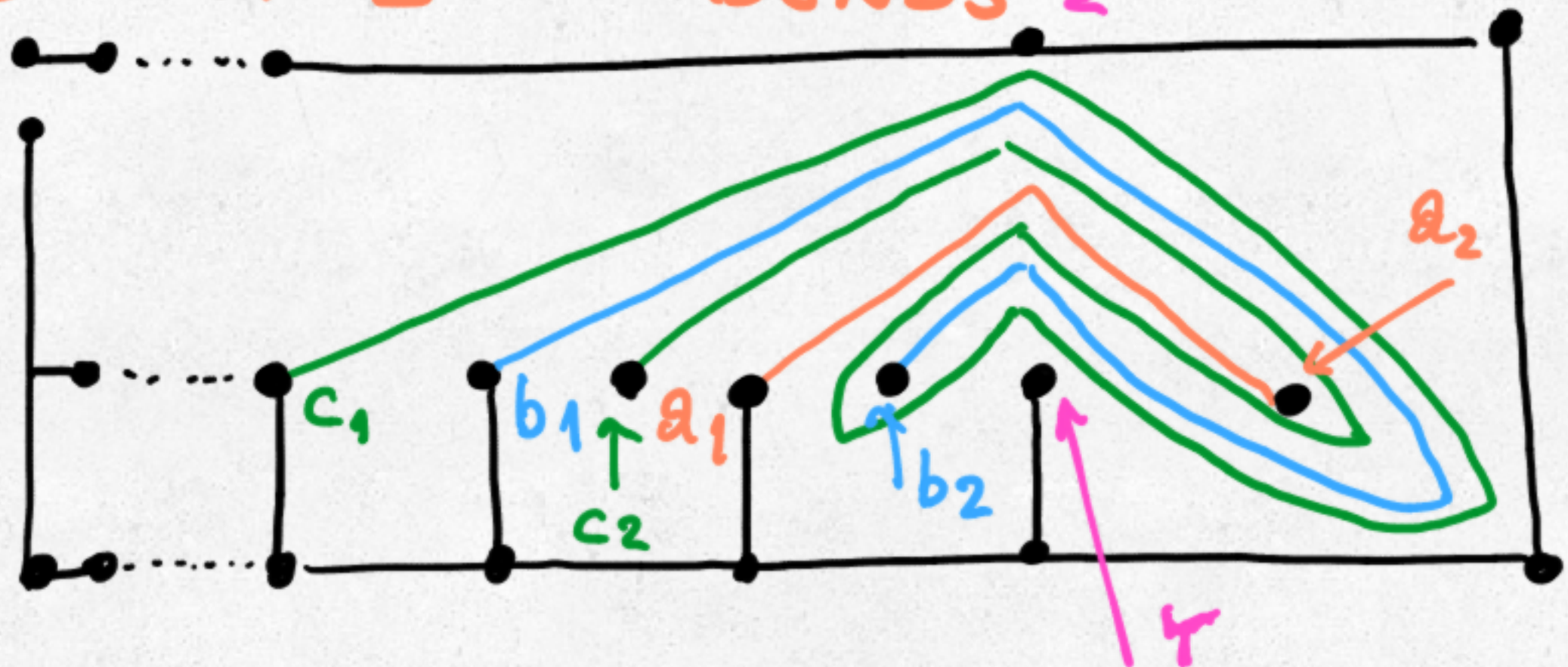
THE PLANAR STRAIGHT-LINE DRAWING Γ OF G EXTENDING ϕ
OBTAINED BY DRAWING THE EDGES IN $G-H$ ONE BY ONE
IN THE ORDER GIVEN BY σ AS PATHS WITH THE
MINIMUM NUMBER OF BENDS IS SUCH THAT
EACH EDGE HAS $O(N)$ BENDS.

THEOREM 2 THERE EXISTS A TREE G WITH N VERTICES
 A DRAWING ϕ OF ITS VERTEX SET H AND
 AN ORDER σ OF THE EDGES IN G SUCH THAT

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THERE EXIST EDGES WITH $2^{\Omega(N)}$ BENDS $\leftarrow X$

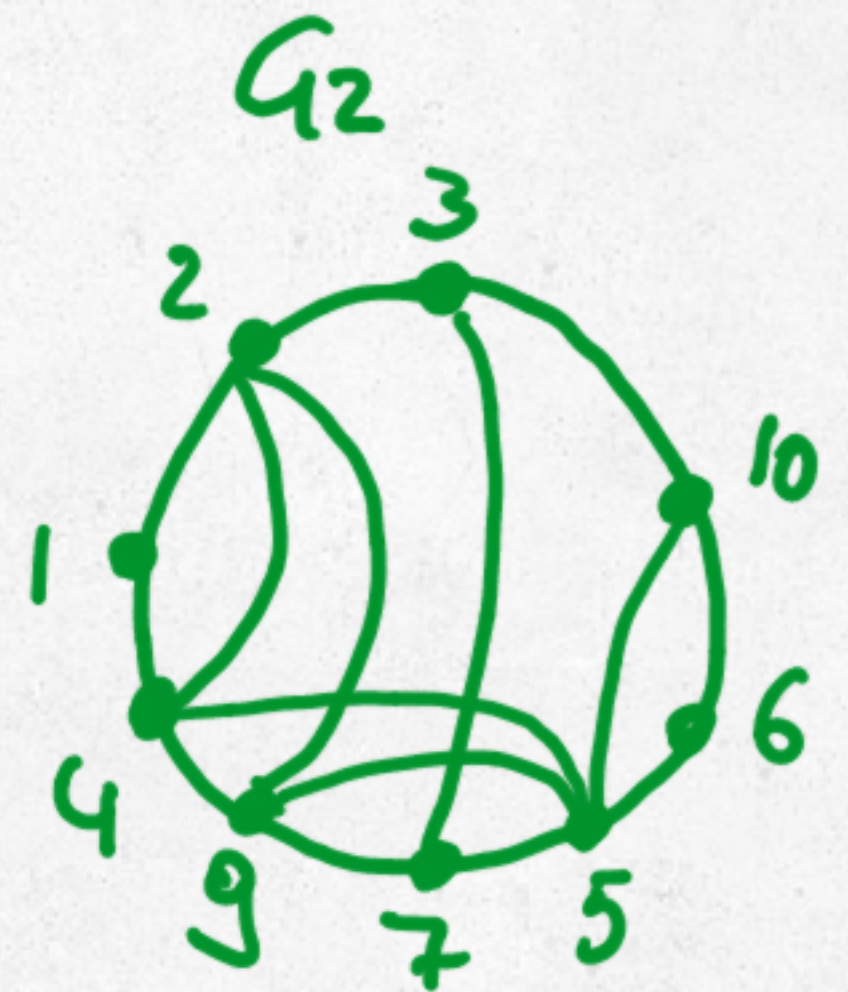
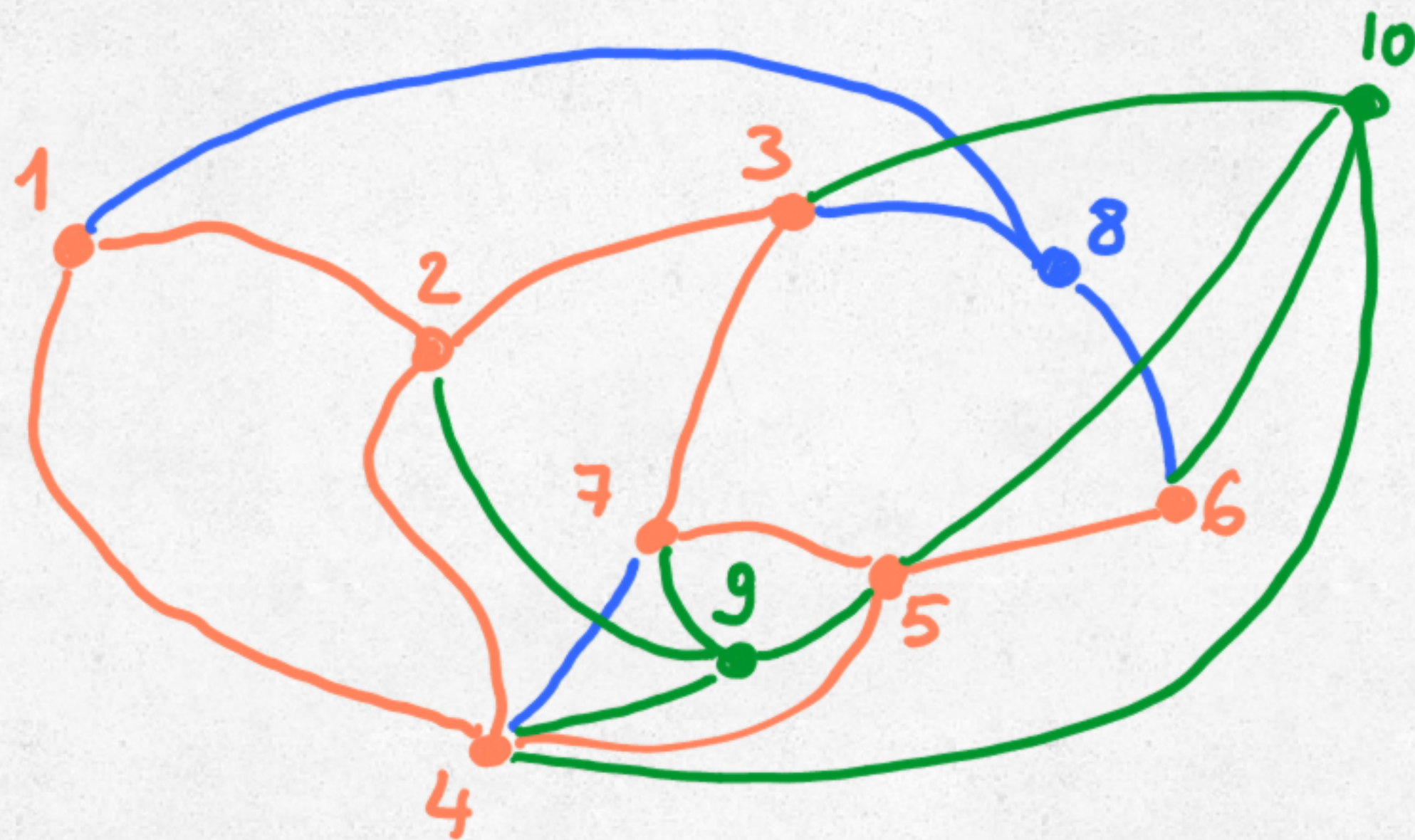
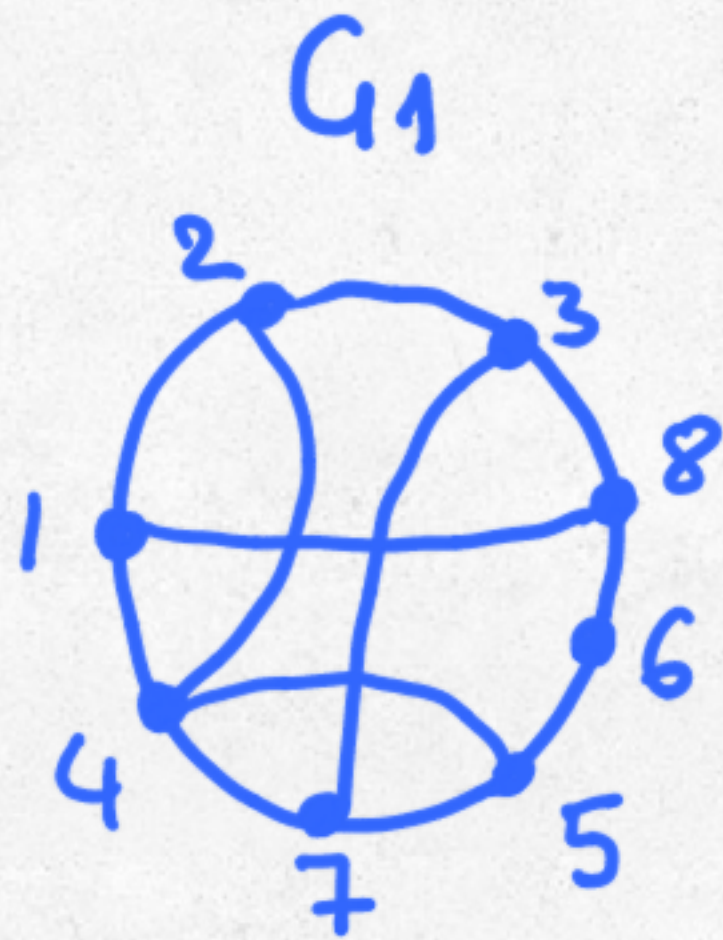
SIMILAR TO
 [KRATOCHVIL -
 MATOUSEK 1991]



SIMULTANEOUS PLANARITY (SEFF)

LET G_1 AND G_2 BE TWO GRAPHS THAT SHARE A COMMON SUBGRAPH G .

A SIMULTANEOUS PLANAR DRAWING OF G_1 AND G_2 CONSISTS OF A PLANAR DRAWING Γ_1 OF G_1 AND A PLANAR DRAWING Γ_2 OF G_2 THAT COINCIDE ON G .



THEOREM 3 LET G_1 AND G_2 BE TWO SIMULTANEOUSLY PLANAR GRAPHS WITH A TOTAL OF N VERTICES THAT SHARE A COMMON SUBGRAPH G .

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WHAT IS KNOWN (1)

IF THE COMMON SUBGRAPH G HAS NO EDGES

3 BENDS PER EDGE ON AN $O(N^3) \times O(N^3)$ GRID [ERTEN-KOBOUROV 2005]

2 BENDS PER EDGE (WITH AN EXPONENTIAL INCREASE IN THE AREA)
[ERTEN-KOBOUROV 2005] PLUS [KAUFMANN-WIGSE 2002]

WHAT IS KNOWN (2)

IF THE COMMON SUBGRAPH G IS CONNECTED

$O(N)$ BENDS PER EDGE, AT MOST 1 CROSSING PER PAIR OF EDGES, AND
VERTICES, BENDS, AND CROSSINGS LIE ON AN $O(N^2) \times O(N^2)$ GRID
[HAUPLER et al. 2013]

WHAT IS KNOWN (3)

AT MOST 9 BENDS PER EDGE, EACH EDGE OF G IS STRAIGHT

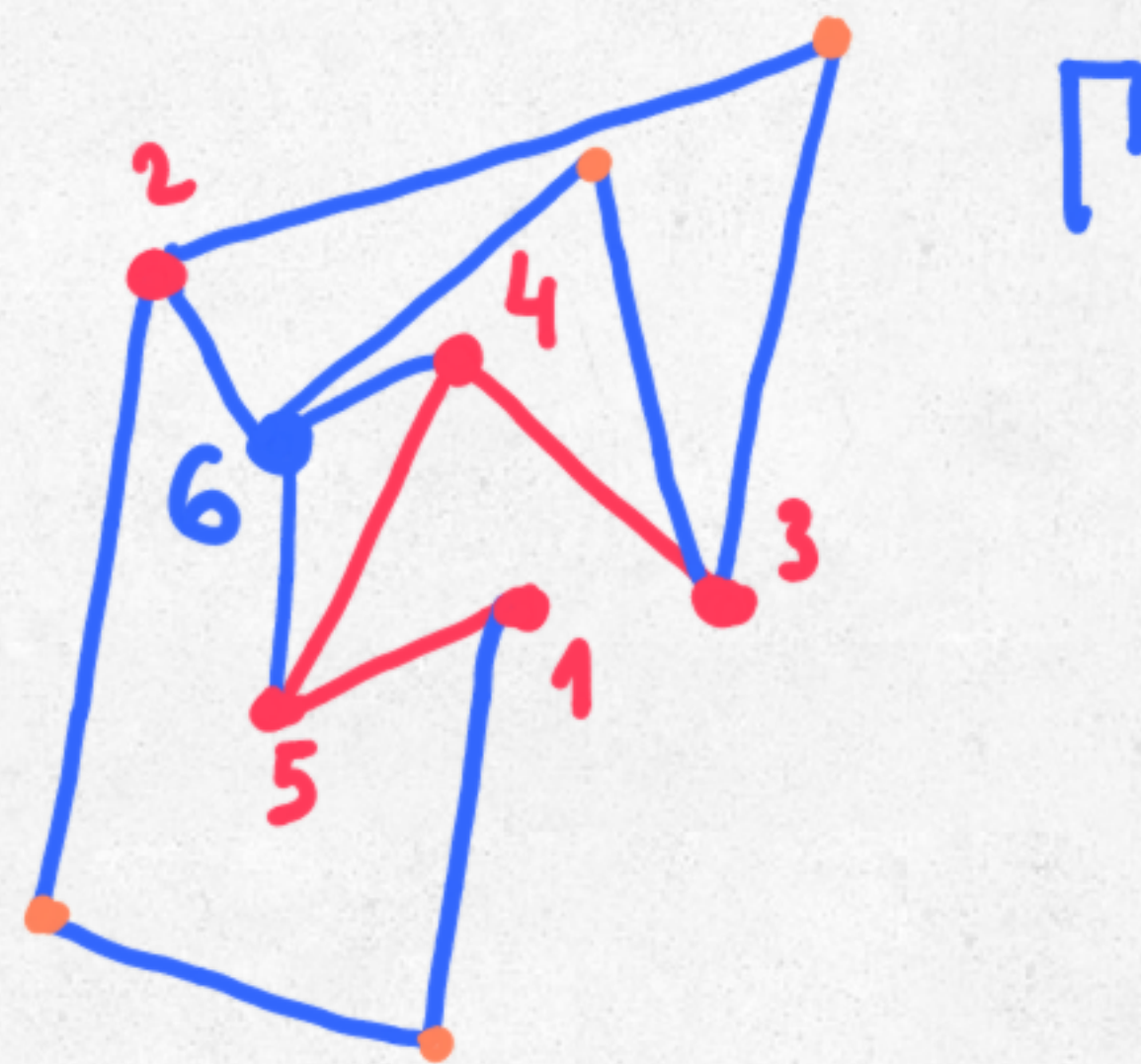
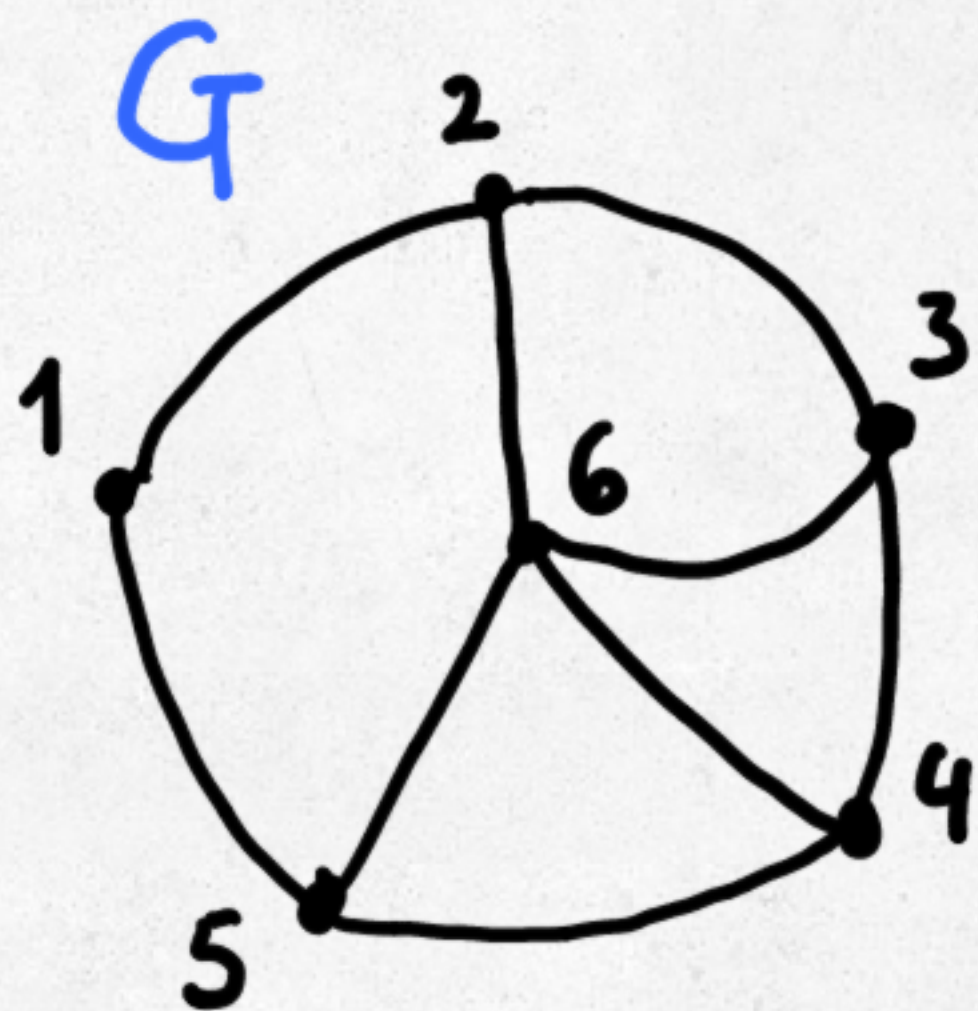
[GRILLI et al. NEXT TALK!!]

WHAT IS NOT KNOWN

DETERMINING THE TIME COMPLEXITY OF TESTING SIMULTANEOUS PLANARITY IS A LONG-STANDING OPEN PROBLEM
[E.G. SURVEY BY BLÄSIUS-KOBOUROV-RUTTER IN THE HANDBOOK OF GRAPH DRAWING AND VISUALIZATION. CRC PRESS 2013]

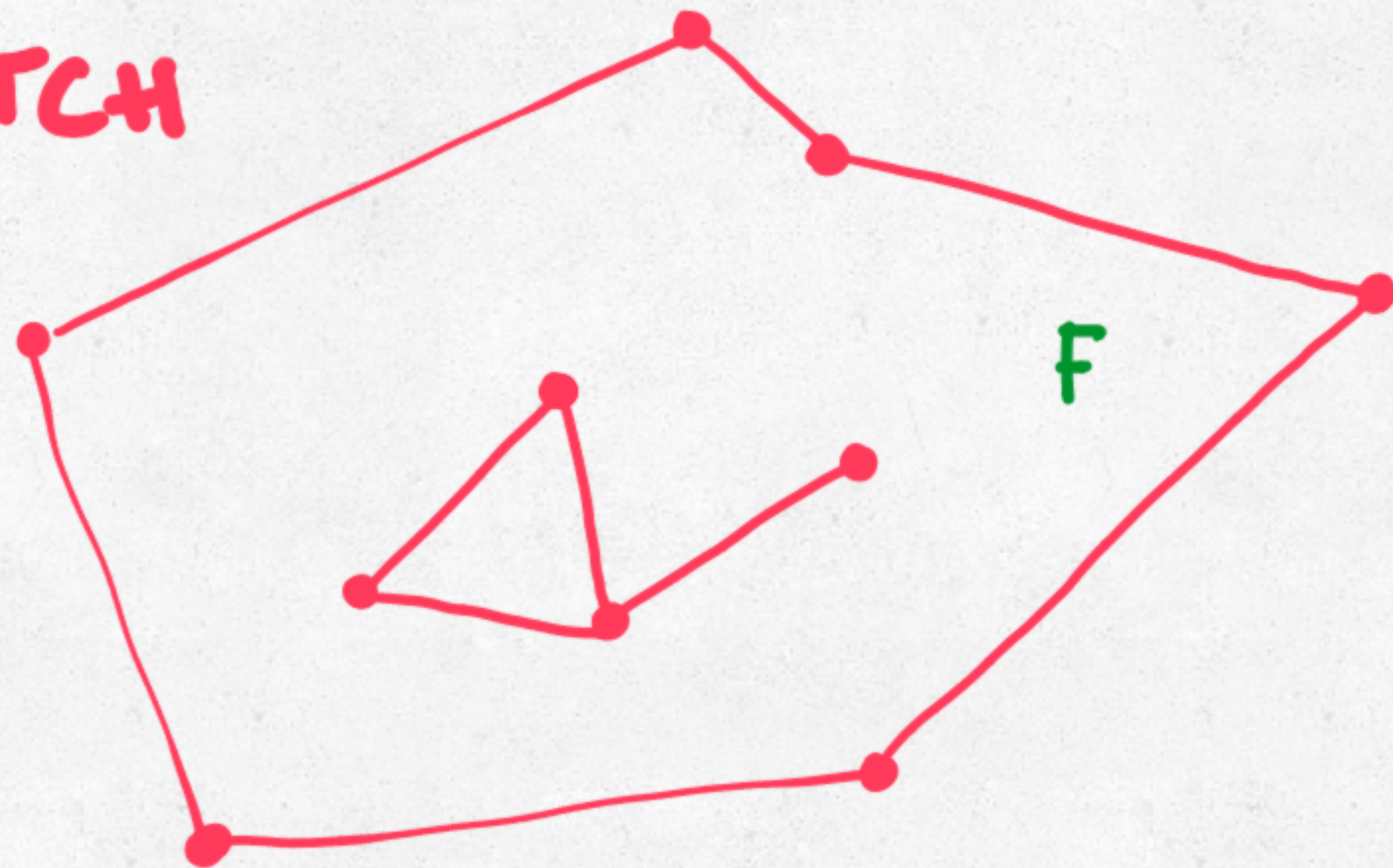
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PROOF SKETCH

ONE FACE F OF ϕ AT A TIME



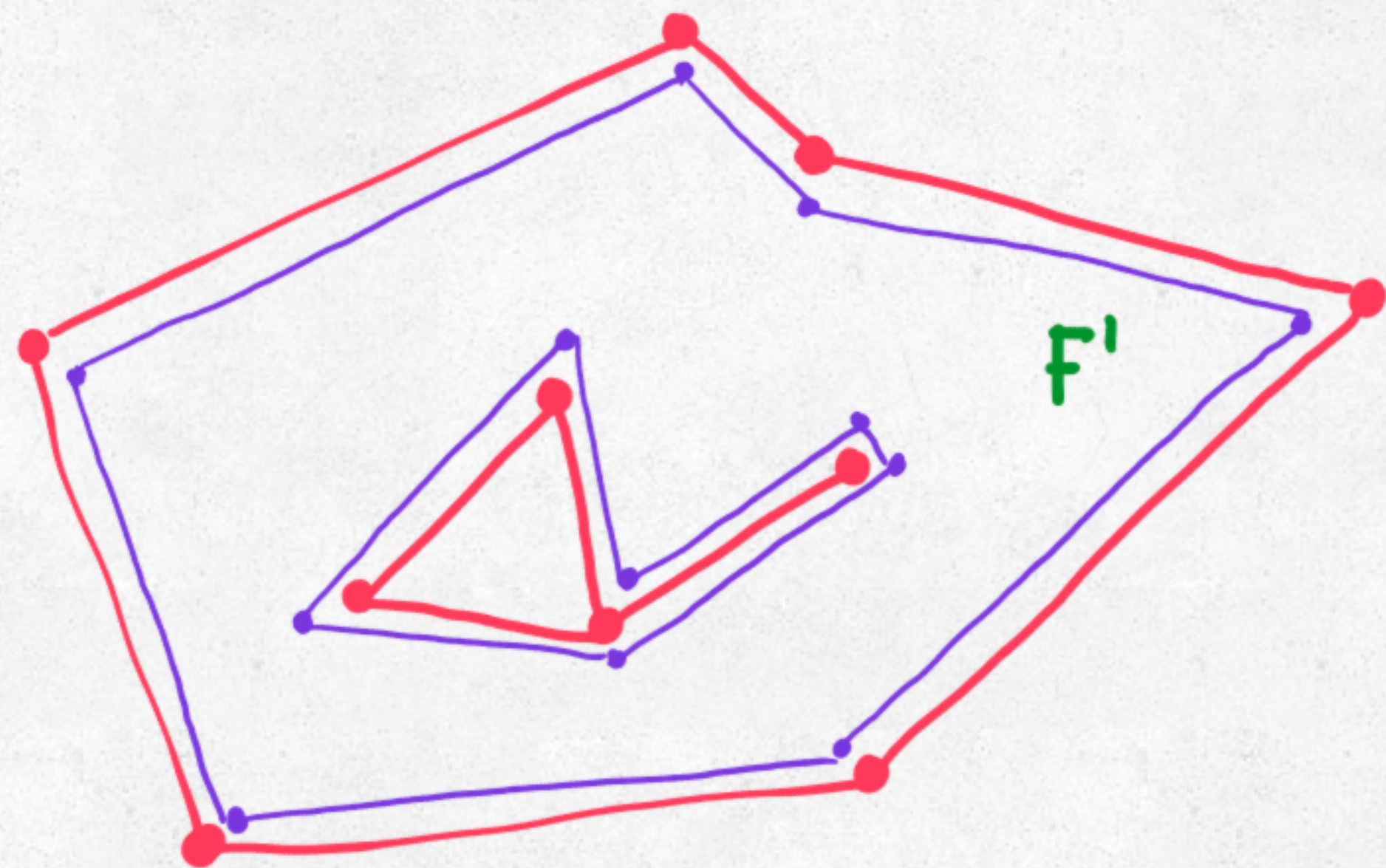
COMPUTE AN INNER
 ϵ -APPROXIMATION F' OF F

$\forall p \in F, \exists p' \in F'$ s.t. $d(p, p') < \epsilon$

AND

$\exists \delta: \forall p' \in F', \forall p$ s.t. $d(p, p') < \delta$

IT HOLDS $p \in F$

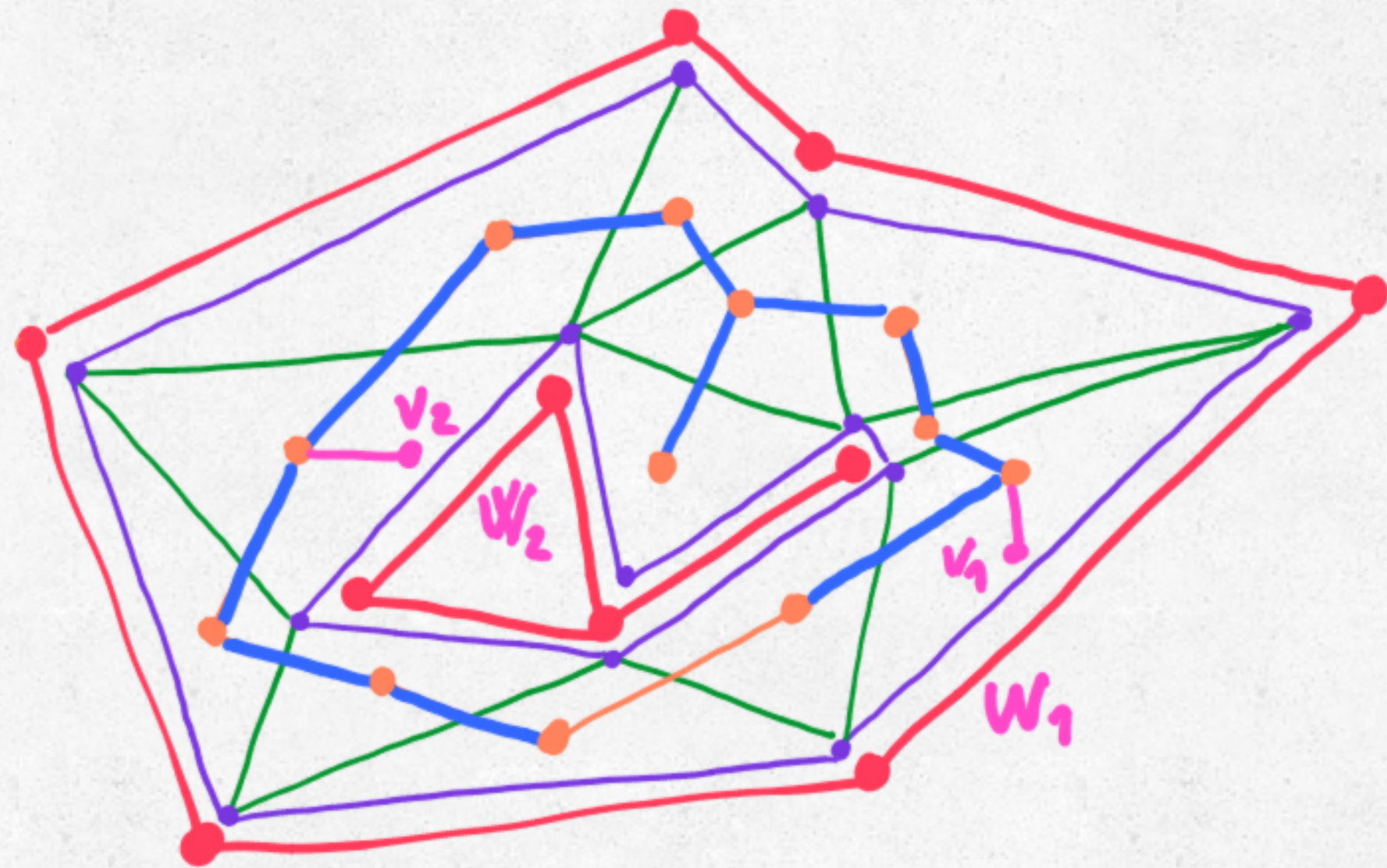


TRIANGULATE F' INTO A GRAPH $K_{F'}$

CONSTRUCT A GEOMETRIC DUAL $D_{F'}$
OF $K_{F'}$ [BERN-GILBERT 1992]

COMPUTE A SPANNING TREE T OF $D_{F'}$

FOR EACH FACIAL WALK W_i OF F , WE AUGMENT T WITH A LEAF v_i
CLOSE TO W_i IN F'

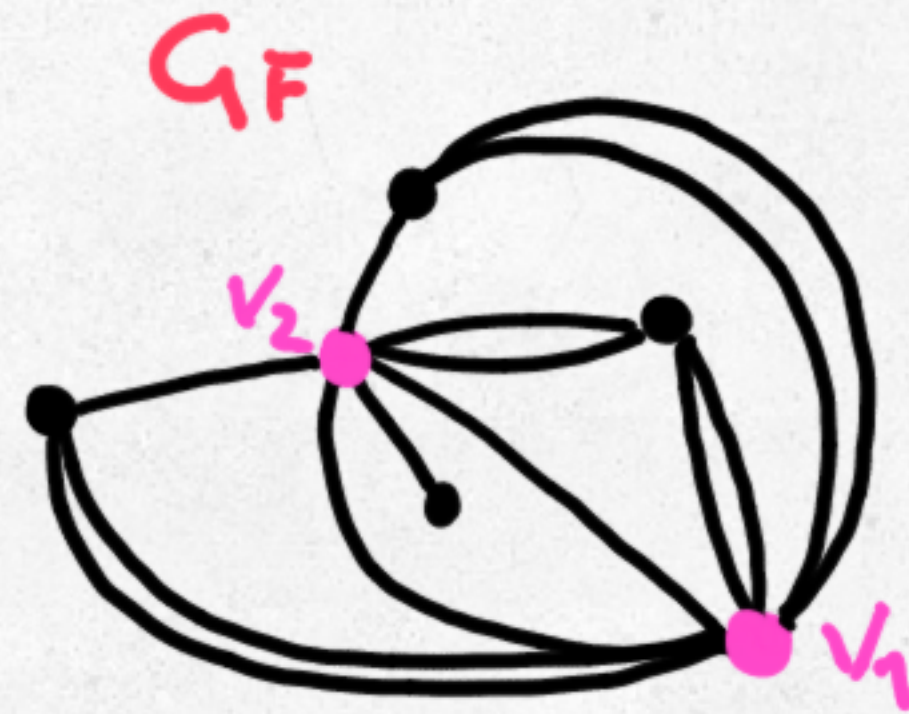
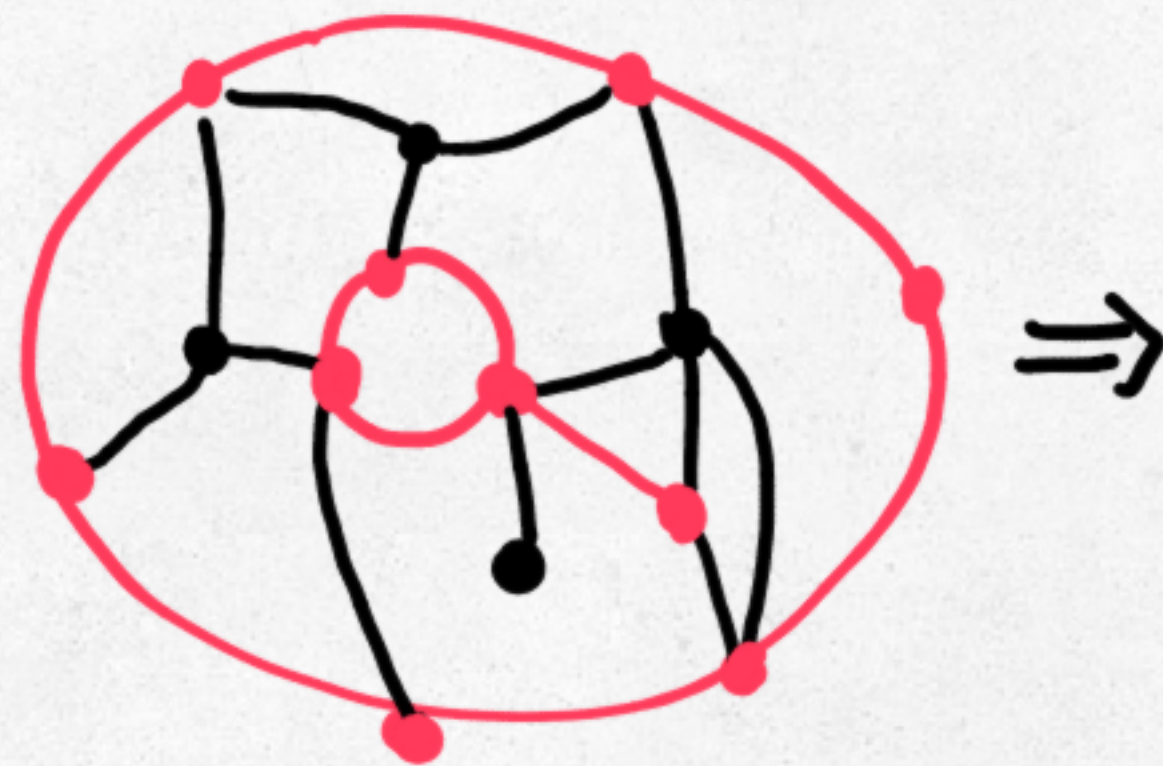
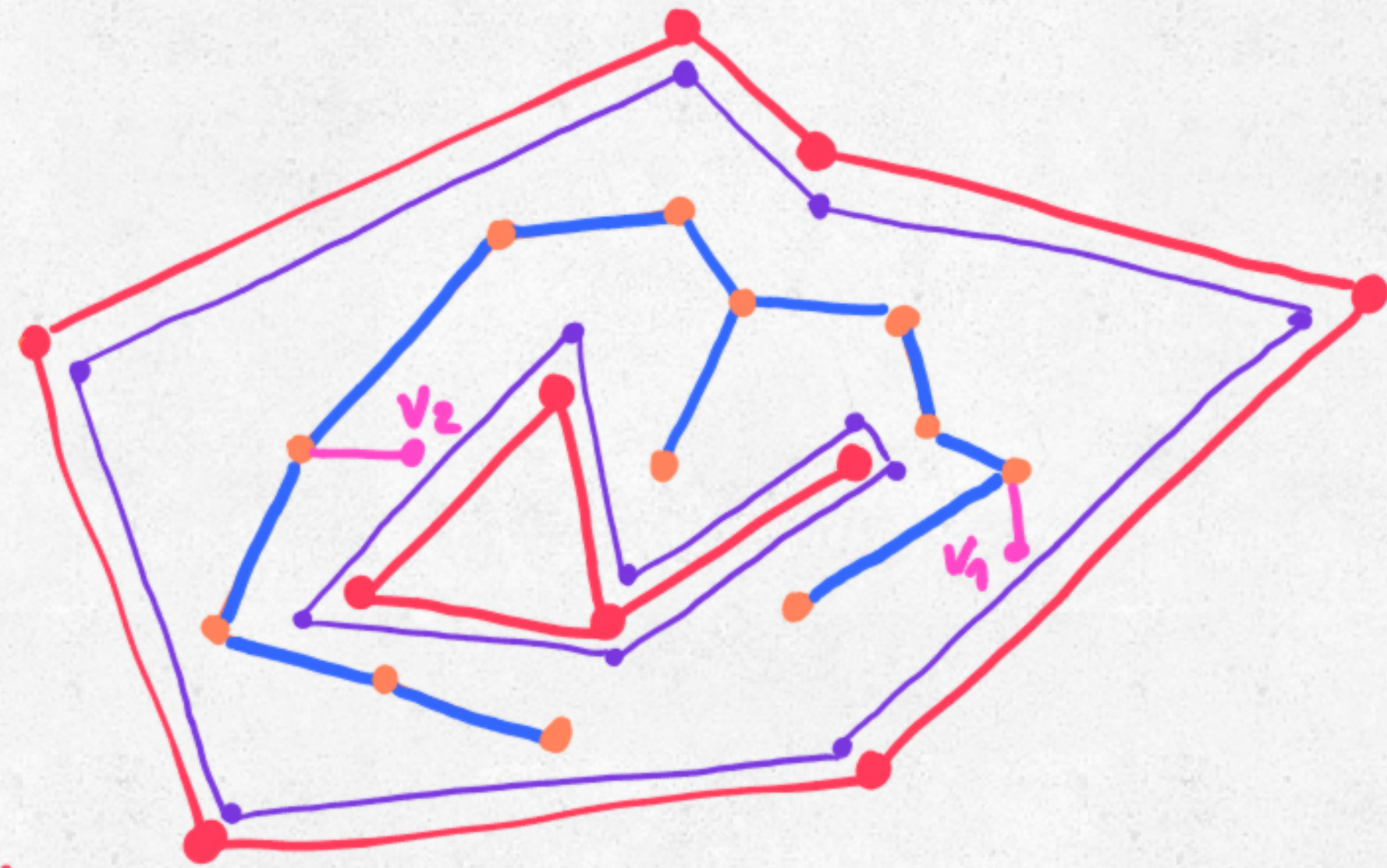


OBSERVATION:
 $|T| \in O(N)$

DENOTE BY G_F THE EMBEDDED
MULTIGRAPH OBTAINED BY

1) RESTRICTING G TO THE VERTICES
AND EDGES INSIDE F OR INCIDENT TO F

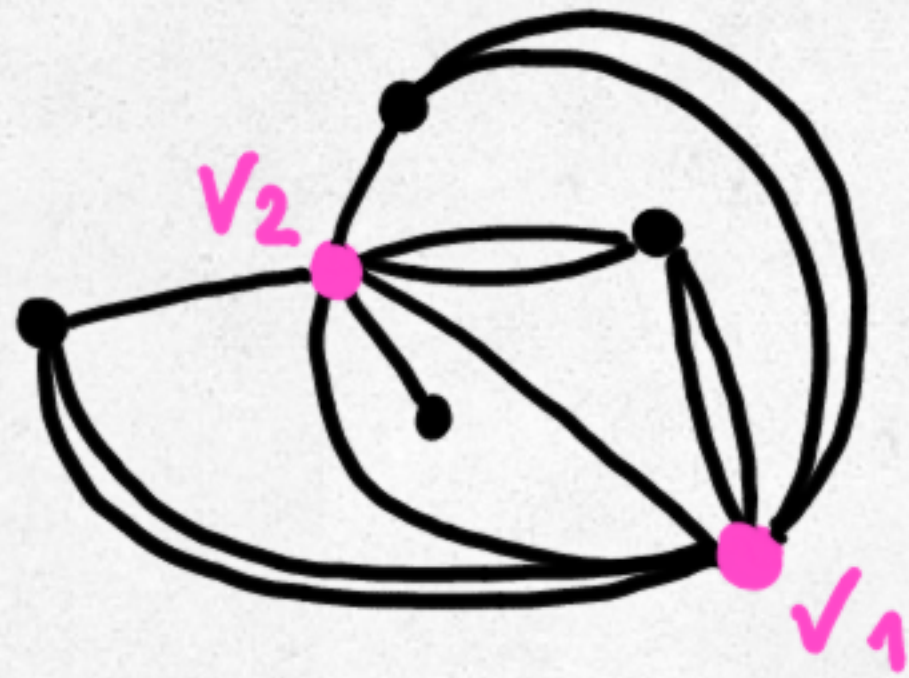
2) CONTRACTING EACH FACIAL WALK W_i
OF F TO A SINGLE VERTEX v_i



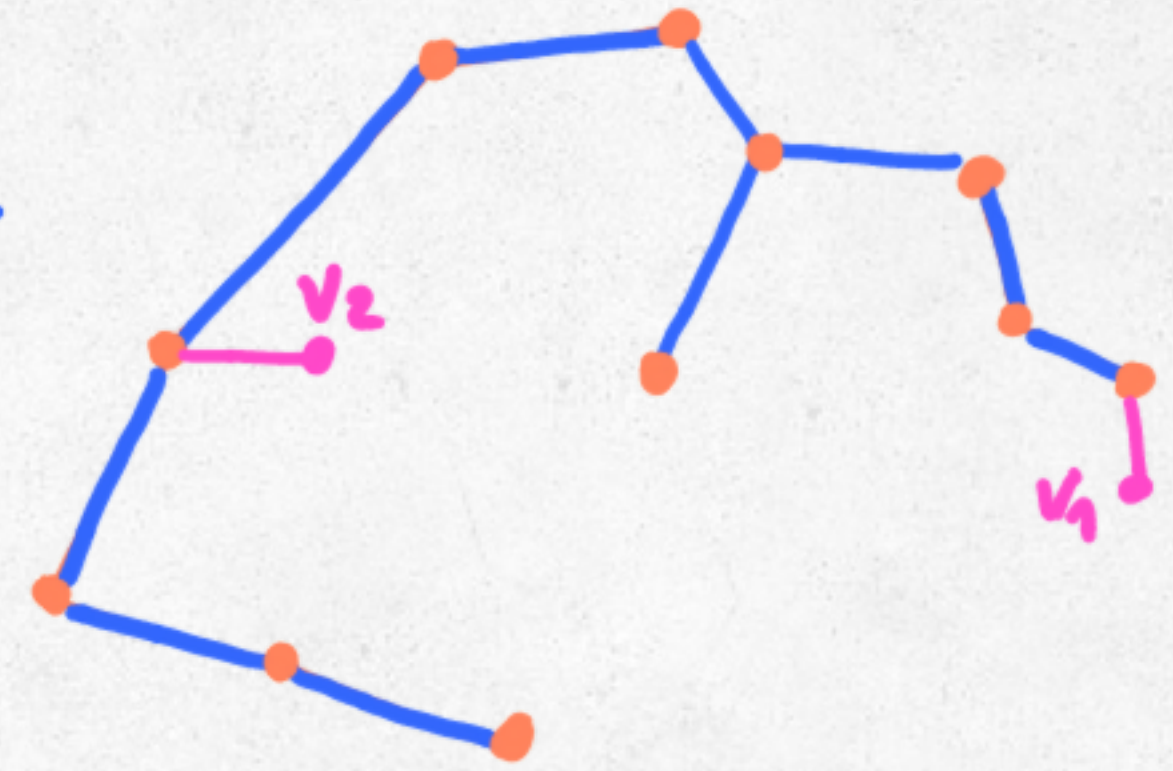
DRAW G_F
AROUND T

WE DRAW

G_F



" ϵ -CLOSE" TO T

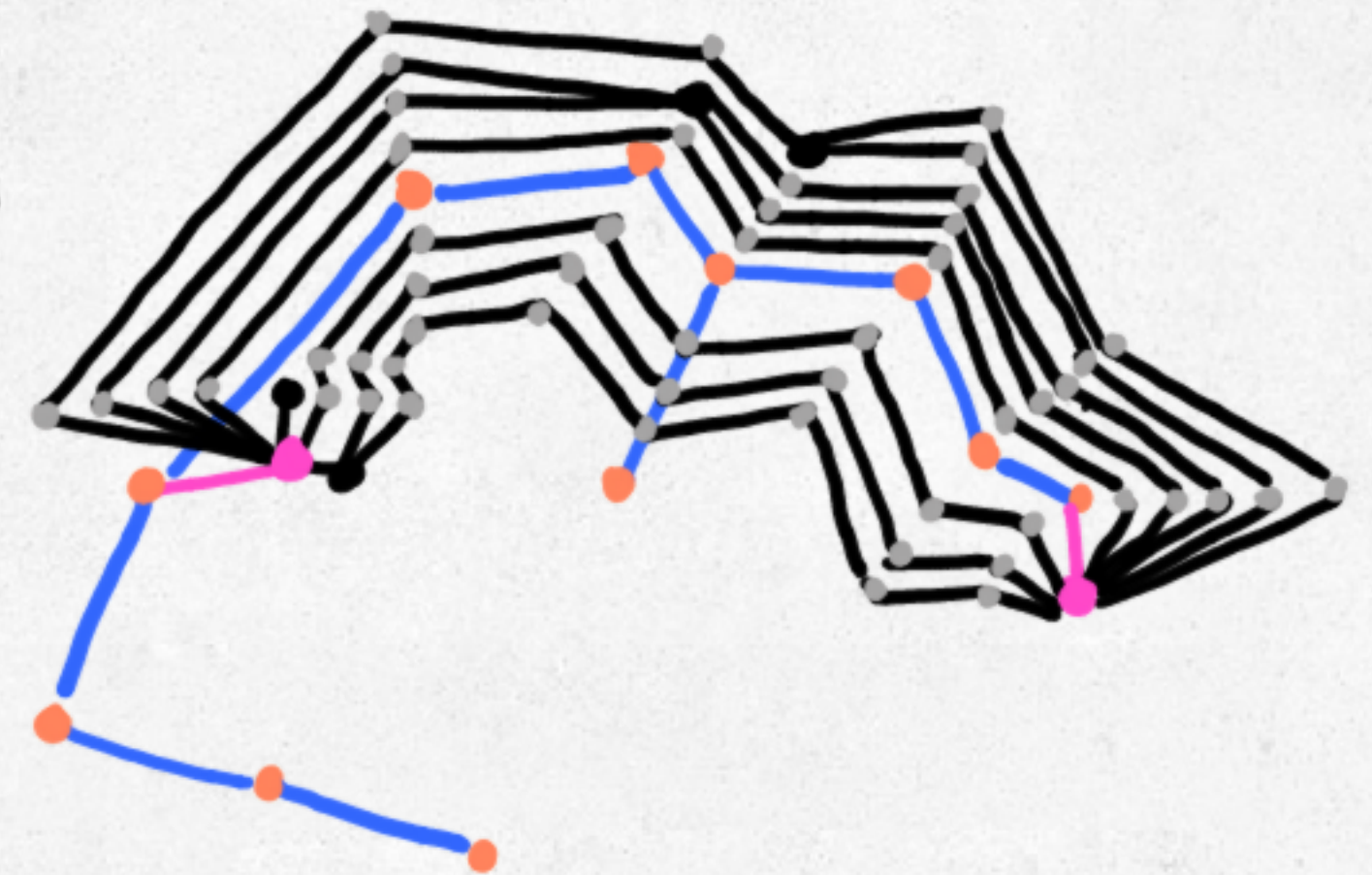


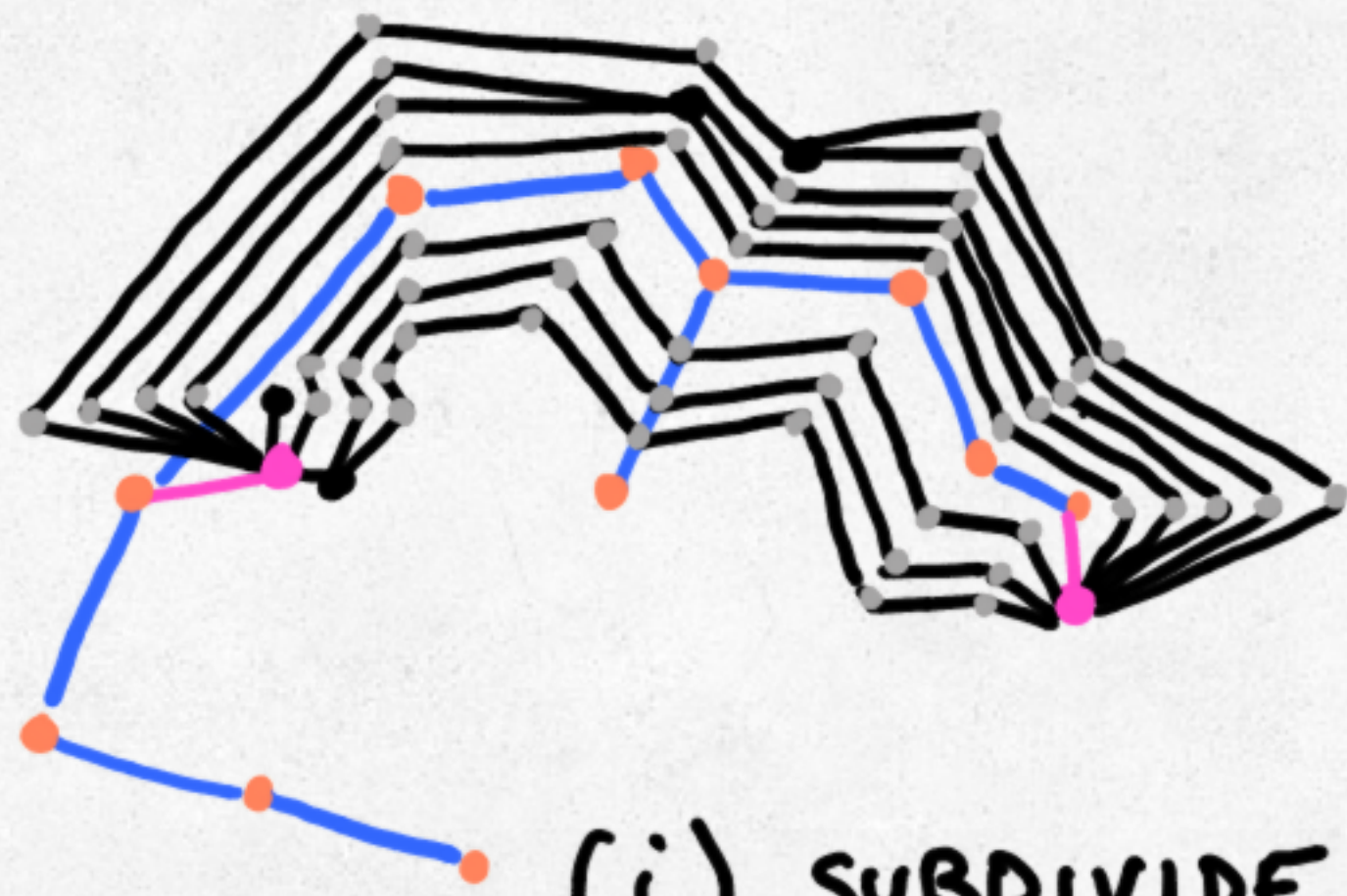
SO THAT v_1, v_2, \dots, v_k ARE DRAWN AT THE POINTS
THEY ARE DRAWN IN T ,

SO THAT G_F MAINTAINS ITS COMBINATORIAL EMBEDDING,

SO THAT EACH EDGE HAS $O(|T|)$ BENDS, AND

SO THAT EACH EDGE "CONES CLOSE"
TO EACH VERTEX v_i $O(1)$ TIMES.





ONLY VERTICES v_1, v_2, \dots, v_k (AND NO EDGES) OF G_F ARE ALREADY DRAWN IN T



SETTING SIMILAR TO [PACH-WENGER 2001]

(i) SUBDIVIDE AND AUGMENT G_F SO THAT IT IS HAMILTONIAN

(ii) DRAW THE HAMILTONIAN CYCLE

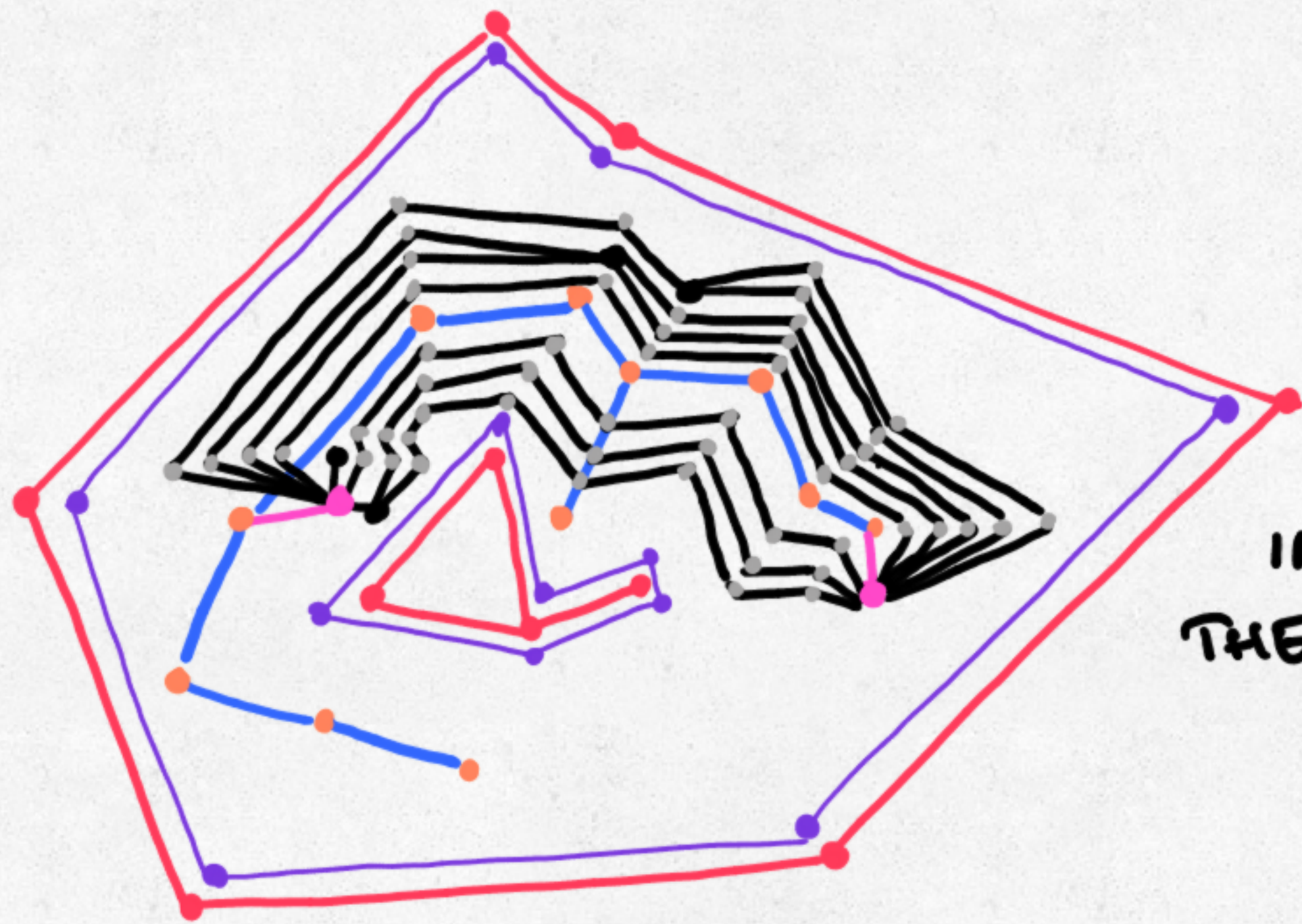
EACH EDGE (v_j, v_{j+1}) FOLLOWS THE BOUNDARY OF THE SUBTREE OF T WHOSE LEAVES ARE v_1, v_2, \dots, v_{j+1}

(iii) DRAW THE REMAINING EDGES

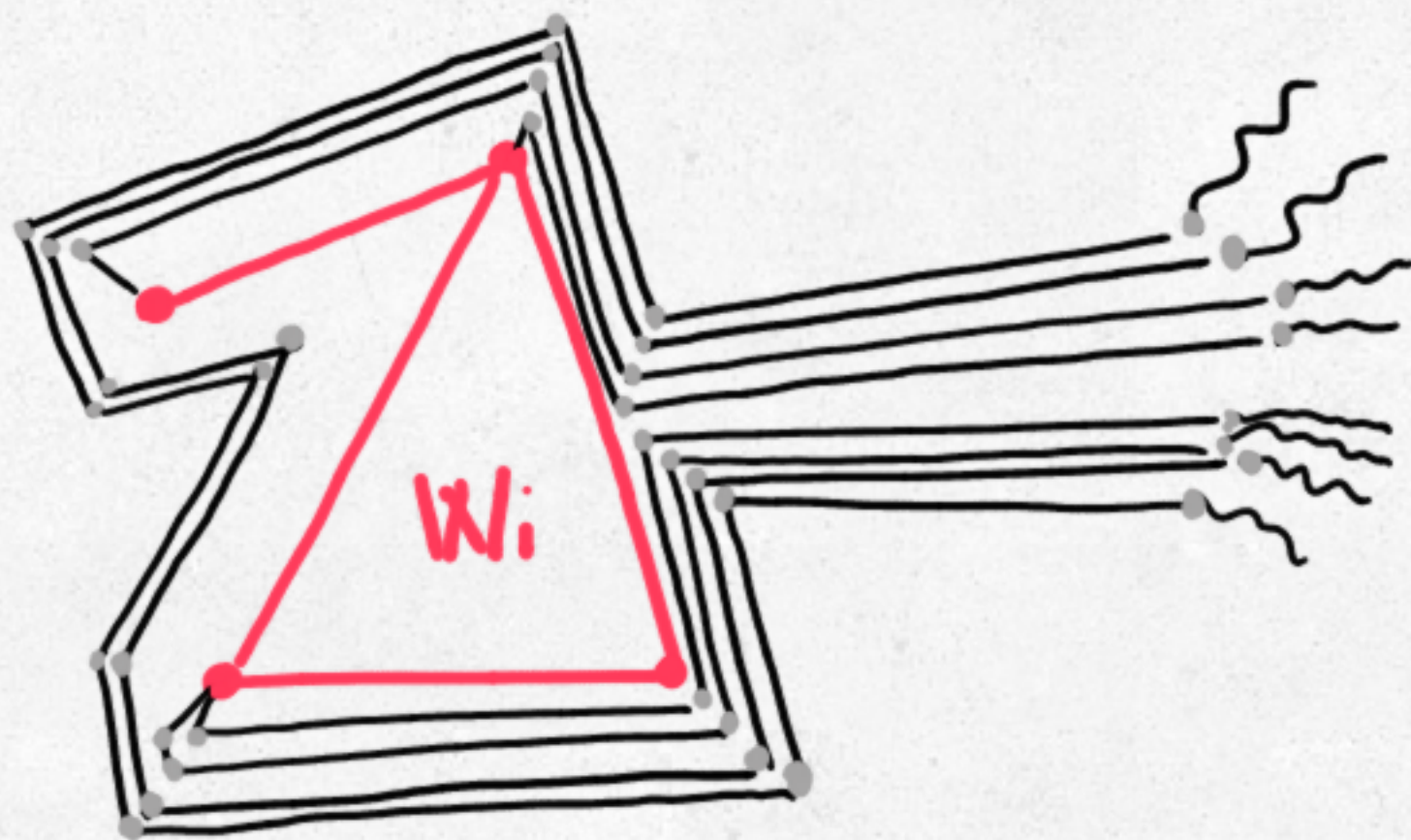
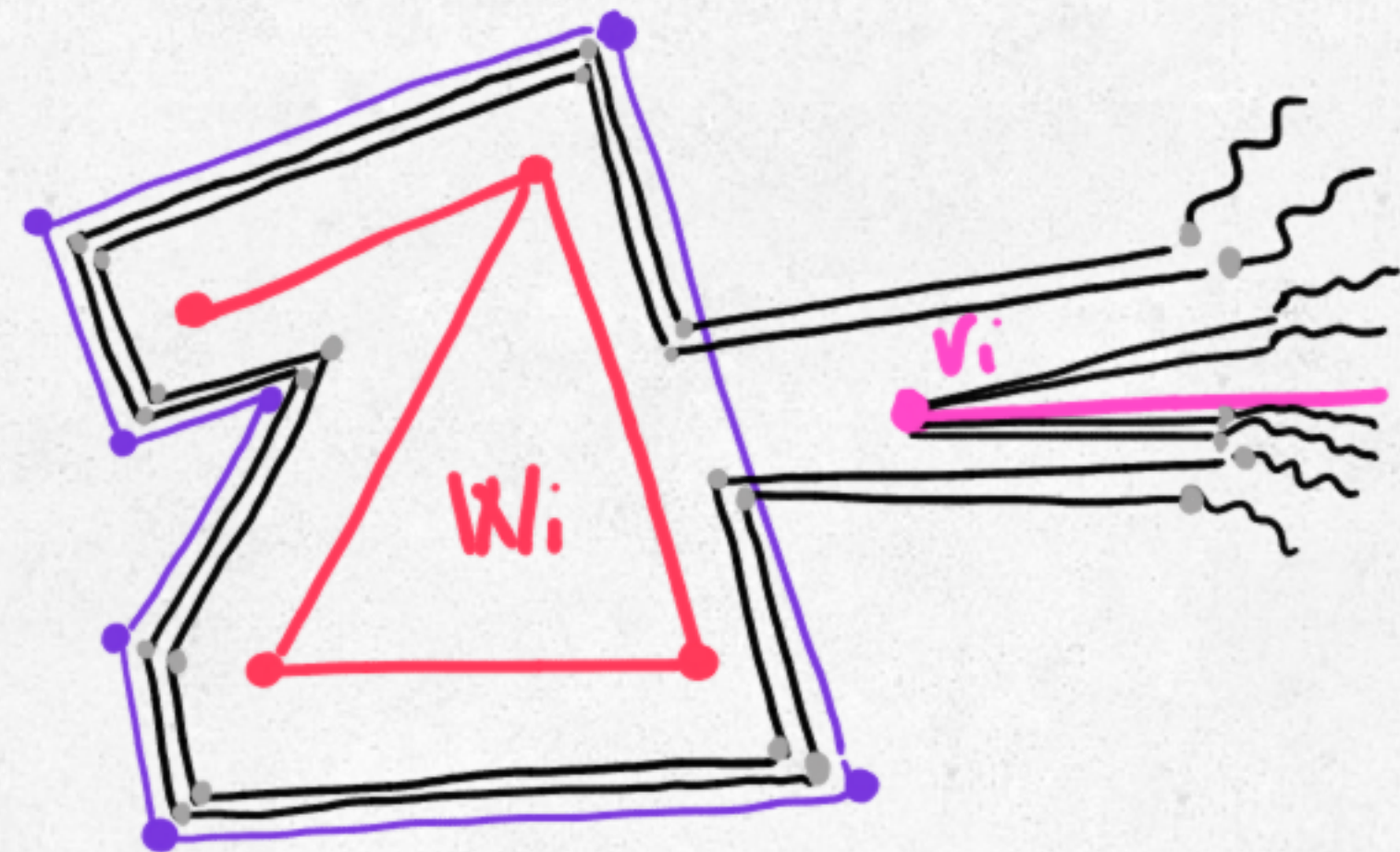
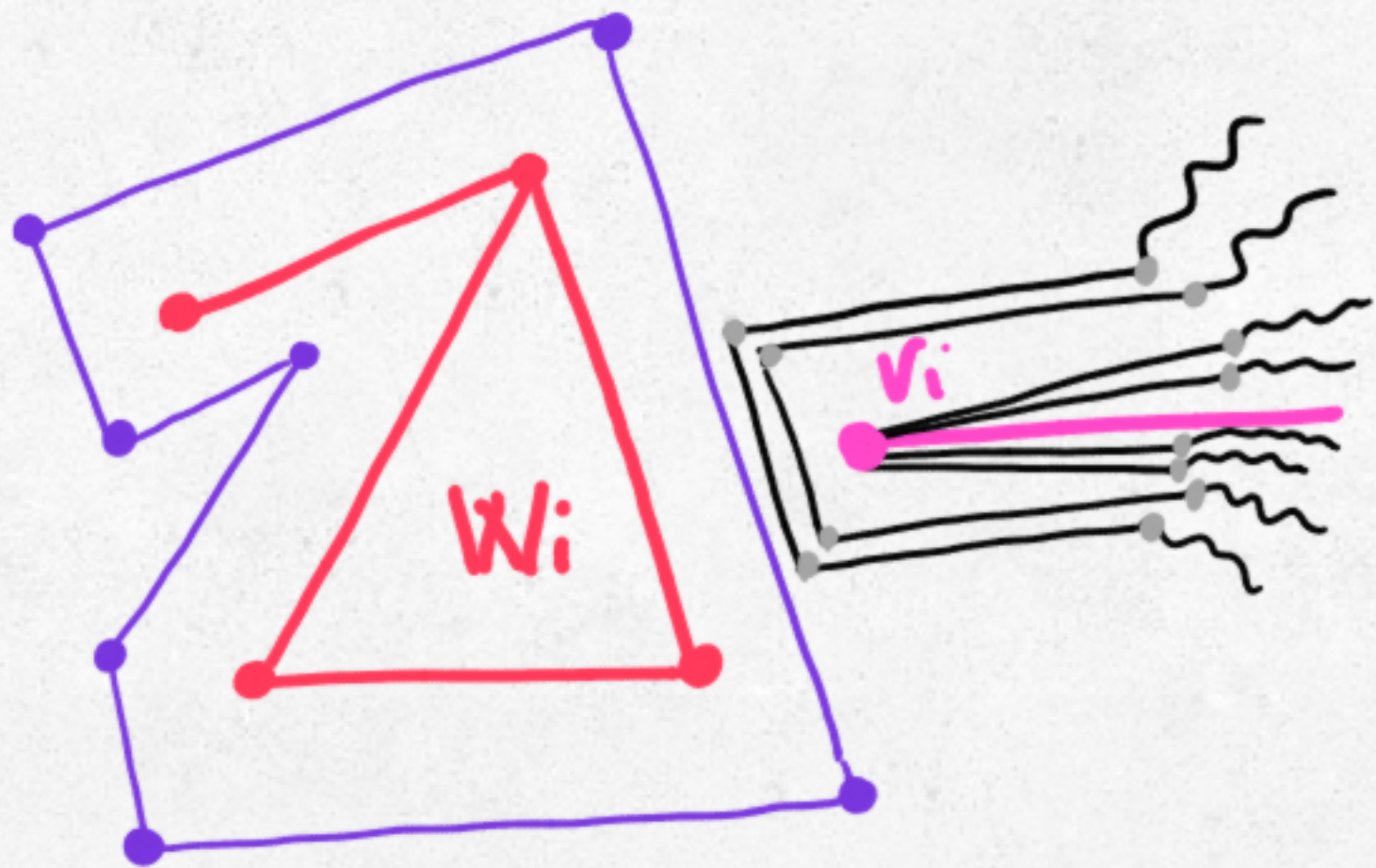
EACH EDGE (v_i, v_j) IS COMPOSED OF TWO PARTS, ONE CONNECTING v_i WITH A POINT p_{ij} CLOSE TO v_i ONE CONNECTING v_j WITH p_{ij} .

T IS NOT A STAR!

NOT ALL THE VERTICES OF G_F ARE ALREADY DRAWN AS LEAVES OF T !



NEED TO REROUTE THE EDGES
INCIDENT TO V_i OR PASSING
CLOSE TO V_i SO THAT THEY ARE
INCIDENT TO A VERTEX OF W_i OR
THEY PASS CLOSE TO W_i



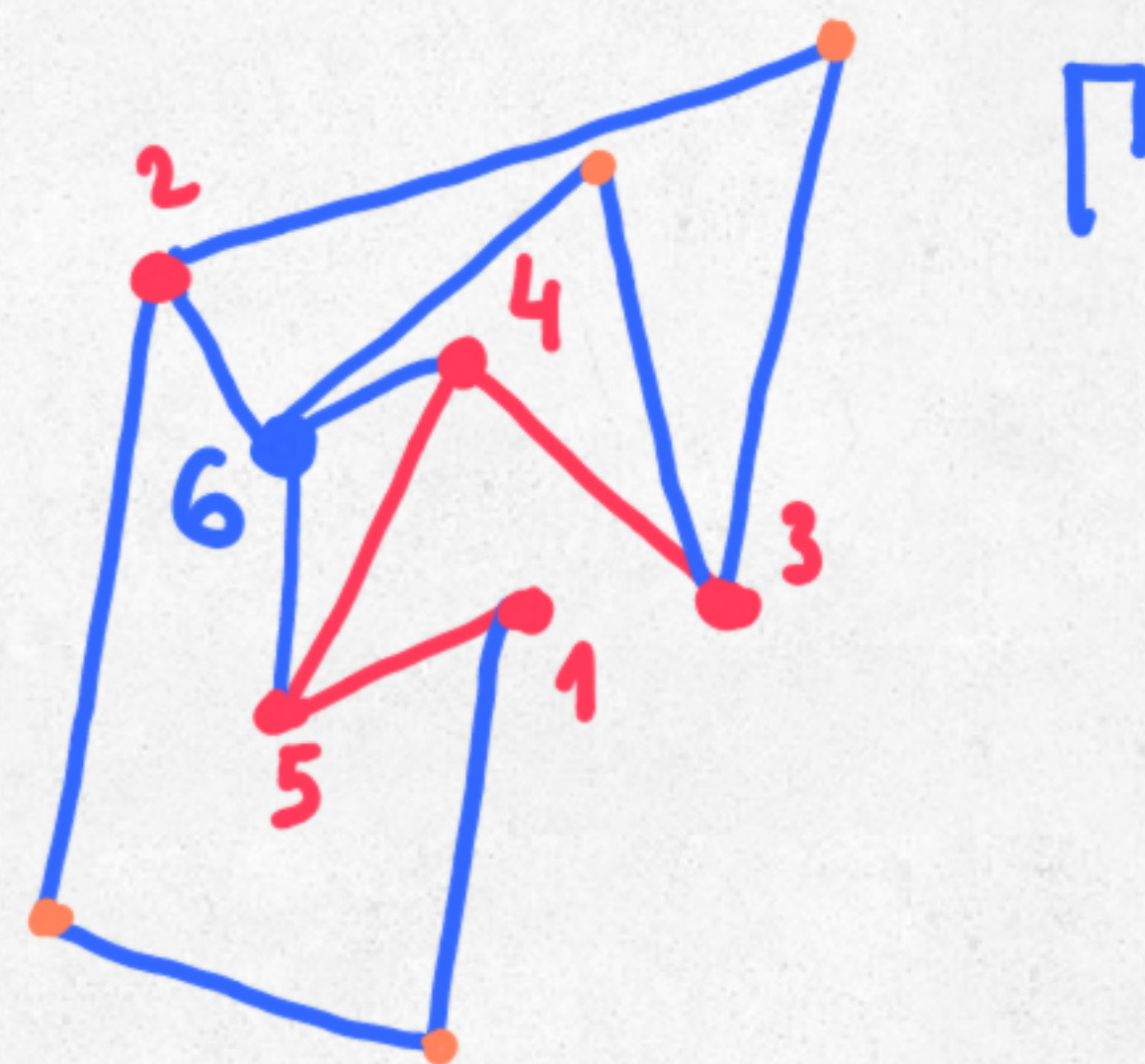
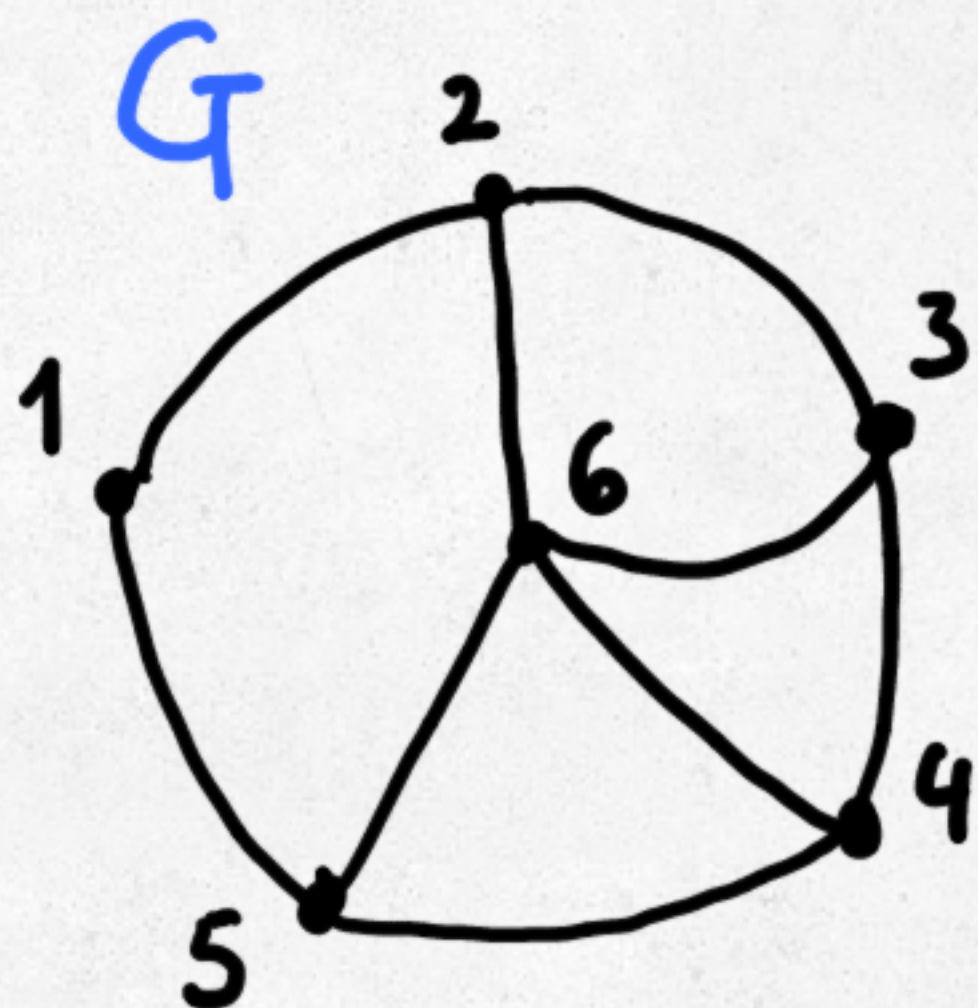
HOW MANY BENDS?

AFTER DRAWING GRAPH G_F AROUND T , EACH EDGE HAS $O(|T|) \in O(N)$ BENDS.

SINCE EACH EDGE OF G_F COMES CLOSE TO EACH v_i $O(1)$ TIMES, REROUTING EDGES AROUND FACIAL WALKS W_i ADDS $O(\sum |W_i|) \in O(N)$ BENDS TO EACH EDGE.

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PROOF SKETCH

CONSTRUCT ANY STRAIGHT-LINE PLANAR DRAWING OF G_1 . ↙ WITH A SUITABLE EMBEDDING G

THIS INDUCES A STRAIGHT-LINE PLANAR DRAWING ϕ OF G .

WE CONSTRUCT A STRAIGHT-LINE PLANAR DRAWING OF G_2 ↙ WITH A SUITABLE EMBEDDING
BY APPLYING THE PARTIAL DRAWING EXTENSION ALGORITHM (THM 1).

FOR THIS SAKE, WE USE ALL THE VERTICES AND EDGES OF G_1
IN ORDER TO TRIANGULATE THE INTERIOR OF EVERY FACE.

OPEN PROBLEMS

REDUCE THE **CONSTANTS!** (IN OUR PARTIAL DRAWING EXTENSION RESULT, EACH EDGE HAS **AT MOST $102N$ BENDS**)

DO **SIMULTANEOUS PLANAR DRAWINGS** ALWAYS EXIST S.T. ANY TWO EDGES INTERSECT **AT MOST TWICE**? (**ONCE** MIGHT NOT BE ENOUGH)

↳ **BEST KNOWN UPPER BOUND IS 24.**

THANKS!