

18-0: Language Class P

- A language L is polynomially decidable if there exists a polynomially bound deterministic Turing machine that decides it.
- A Turing Machine M is polynomially bound if:
 - There exists some polynomial function $p(n)$
 - For any input string w , M always halts within $p(|w|)$ steps
- The set of languages that are polynomially decidable is **P**

18-1: Language Class NP

- A language L is non-deterministically polynomially decidable if there exists a polynomially bound non-deterministic Turing machine that decides it.
- A Non-Deterministic Turing Machine M is polynomially bound if:
 - There exists some polynomial function $p(n)$
 - For any input string w , M always halts within $p(|w|)$ steps, for all computational paths
- The set of languages that are non-deterministically polynomially decidable is **NP**

18-2: Language Class NP

- If a Language L is in **NP**:
 - There exists a non-deterministic Turing machine M
 - M halts within $p(|w|)$ steps for all inputs w , in all computational paths
 - If $w \in L$, then there is at least one computational path for w that accepts (and potentially several that reject)
 - If $w \notin L$, then all computational paths for w reject

18-3: NP vs P

- A problem is in **P** if we can *generate* a solution quickly (that is, in polynomial time)
- A problem is in **NP** if we can *check* to see if a potential solution is correct quickly
 - Non-deterministically create (guess) a potential solution
 - Check to see that the solution is correct

18-4: NP vs P

- All problems in **P** are also in **NP**
 - That is, $\mathbf{P} \subseteq \mathbf{NP}$
 - If you can generate correct solutions, you can check if a guessed solution is correct

18-5: NP Problems

- Finding Hamiltonian Cycles is **NP**
 - Non-deterministically pick a permutation of the nodes of the graph

- First, non-deterministically pick any node in the graph, and place it first in the permutation
- Then, non-deterministically pick any unchosen node in the graph, and place it second in the permutation
- ...
- Check to see if that permutation forms a valid cycle

18-6: NP Problems

- Traveling Salesman decision problem is NP
 - Non-deterministically pick a permutation of the nodes of the graph
 - First, non-deterministically pick any node in the graph, and place it first in the permutation
 - Then, non-deterministically pick any unchosen node in the graph, and place it second in the permutation
 - ...
 - Check to see if the cost of that cycle is within the cost bound.

18-7: Integer Partition

- Integer Partition is NP
 - Non-deterministically pick a subset $P \subset S$
 - Check to see if:

$$\sum_{p \in P} p = \sum_{s \in S-P} s$$

18-8: NP Problems

- Satisfiability is NP
 - Count the number of variables in the formula
 - Non-deterministically write down True or False for each of the n variables in the formula
 - Check to see if that truth assignment satisfies the formula

18-9: Reduction Redux

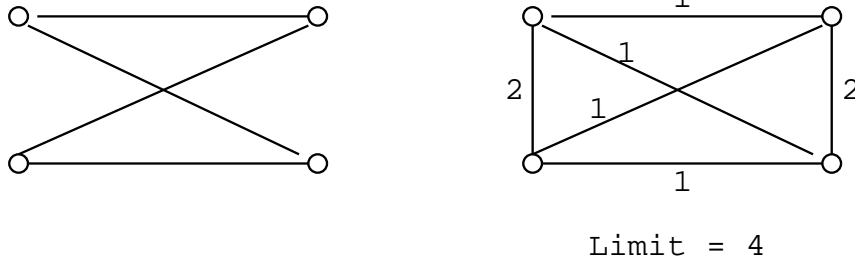
- Given a problem instance P , if we can
 - Create an instance of a different problem P' , in polynomial time, such that the solution to P' is the same as the solution to P
 - Solve the instance P' in polynomial time
- Then we can solve P in polynomial time

18-10: Reduction Example

- If we could solve the Traveling Salesman decision problem in polynomial time, we could solve the Hamiltonian Cycle problem in polynomial time
 - Given any graph G , we can create a new graph G' and limit k , such that there is a Hamiltonian Circuit in G if and only if there is a Traveling Salesman tour in G' with cost less than k
 - Vertices in G' are the same as the vertices in G

- For each pair of vertices x_i and x_j in G , if the edge (x_i, x_j) is in G , add the edge (x_i, x_j) to G' with the cost 1. Otherwise, add the edge (x_i, x_j) to G' with the cost 2.
- Set the limit $k = \#$ of vertices in G

18-11: Reduction Example



18-12: Reduction Example

- If we could solve TSP in polynomial time, we could solve Hamiltonian Cycle problem in polynomial time
 - Start with an instance of Hamiltonian Cycle
 - Create instance of TSP
 - Feed instance of TSP into TSP solver
 - Use result to find solution to Hamiltonian Cycle

18-13: Reduction Example #2

- Given any instance of the Hamiltonian Cycle Problem:
 - We can (in polynomial time) create an instance of Satisfiability
 - That is, given any graph G , we can create a boolean formula f , such that f is satisfiable if and only if there is a Hamiltonian Cycle in G
- If we could solve Satisfiability in Polynomial Time, we could solve the Hamiltonian Cycle problem in Polynomial Time

18-14: Reduction Example #2

- Given a graph G with n vertices, we will create a formula with n^2 variables:
 - $x_{11}, x_{12}, x_{13}, \dots, x_{1n}$
 $x_{21}, x_{22}, x_{23}, \dots, x_{2n}$
 \dots
 $x_{n1}, x_{n2}, x_{n3}, \dots, x_{nn}$
- Design our formula such that x_{ij} will be true if and only if the i th element in a Hamiltonian Circuit of G is vertex # j

18-15: Reduction Example #2

- For our set of n^2 variables x_{ij} , we need to write a formula that ensures that:
 - For each i , there is exactly one j such that $x_{ij} = \text{true}$

- For each j , there is exactly one i such that $x_{ij} = \text{true}$
- If x_{ij} and $x_{(i+1)k}$ are both true, then there must be a link from v_j to v_k in the graph G

18-16: **Reduction Example #2**

- For each i , there is exactly one j such that $x_{ij} = \text{true}$
 - For each i in $1 \dots n$, add the rules:
 - $(x_{i1} \vee x_{i2} \vee \dots \vee x_{in})$
- This ensures that for each i , there is at least one j such that $x_{ij} = \text{true}$
- (This adds n clauses to the formula)

18-17: **Reduction Example #2**

- For each i , there is exactly one j such that $x_{ij} = \text{true}$
- for each i in $1 \dots n$
 for each j in $1 \dots n$
 for each k in $1 \dots n \quad j \neq k$
 Add rule $(\overline{x_{ij}} \vee \overline{x_{ik}})$
- This ensures that for each i , there is at most one j such that $x_{ij} = \text{true}$
 - (this adds a total of n^3 clauses to the formula)

18-18: **Reduction Example #2**

- For each j , there is exactly one i such that $x_{ij} = \text{true}$
 - For each j in $1 \dots n$, add the rules:
 - $(x_{1j} \vee x_{2j} \vee \dots \vee x_{nj})$
- This ensures that for each j , there is at least one i such that $x_{ij} = \text{true}$
- (This adds n clauses to the formula)

18-19: **Reduction Example #2**

- For each j , there is exactly one i such that $x_{ij} = \text{true}$
- for each j in $1 \dots n$
 for each i in $1 \dots n$
 for each k in $1 \dots n$
 Add rule $(\overline{x_{ij}} \vee \overline{x_{kj}})$
- This ensures that for each j , there is at most one i such that $x_{ij} = \text{true}$
 - (This adds a total of n^3 clauses to the formula)

18-20: **Reduction Example #2**

- If x_{ij} and $x_{(i+1)k}$ are both true, then there must be a link from v_i to v_k in the graph G

for each i in $1 \dots (n-1)$
 for each j in $1 \dots n$
 for each k in $1 \dots n$
 if edge (v_j, v_k) is *not* in the graph:
 Add rule $(\overline{x_{ij}} \vee \overline{x_{(i+1)k}})$

- (This adds no more than n^3 clauses to the formula)

18-21: Reduction Example #2

- If x_{nj} and x_{0k} are both true, then there must be a link from v_j to v_k in the graph G (looping back to finish cycle)

for each j in $1 \dots n$
 for each k in $1 \dots n$
 if edge (v_j, v_k) is *not* in the graph:
 Add rule $(\overline{x_{nj}} \vee \overline{x_{0k}})$

- (This adds no more than n^2 clauses to the formula)

18-22: Reduction Example #2

- In order for this formula to be satisfied:
 - For each i , there is exactly one j such that x_{ij} is true
 - For each j , there is exactly one i such that x_{ji} is true
 - if x_{ij} is true, and $x_{(i+1)k}$ is true, then there is an arc from v_j to v_k in the graph G
- Thus, the formula can only be satisfied if there is a Hamiltonian Cycle of the graph

18-23: NP-Complete

- A language L is NP-Complete if:
 - L is in NP
 - If we could decide L in polynomial time, then *all* NP languages could be decided in polynomial time
 - That is, we could reduce *any* NP problem to L in polynomial time

18-24: NP-Complete

- How do you show a problem is NP-Complete?
 - Given *any* polynomially-bound non-deterministic Turing machine M and string w :
 - Create an instance of the problem that has a solution if and only if M accepts w

18-25: NP-Complete

- First NP-Complete Problem: Satisfiability (SAT)
 - Given any (possibly non-deterministic) Turing Machine M , string w , and polynomial bound $p(n)$

- Create a boolean formula f , such that f is satisfiable if and only if M accepts w

18-26: **Cook's Theorem**

- Satisfiability is NP-Complete
 - Given a Turing Machine M , string w , polynomial bound $p(n)$, we will create:
 - A set of variables
 - A set of clauses containing these variables
 - Such that the conjunction (\wedge) of the clauses is satisfiable if and only if M accepts w within $p(|w|)$ steps
- WARNING: This explanation is somewhat simplified. Some subtleties have been eliminated for clarity.

18-27: **Cook's Theorem**

- Variables
 - $Q[i, k]$ at time i , machine is in state q_k
 - $H[i, j]$ at time i , the machine is scanning tape square j
 - $S[i, j, k]$ at time i , the contents of tape location j is the symbol k
- How many of each of these variables are there?

18-28: **Cook's Theorem**

- Variables

• $Q[i, k]$	$ K * p(w)$
• $H[i, j]$	$p(w) * p(w)$
• $S[i, j, k]$	$p(w) * p(w) * \Sigma $
- How many of each of these variables are there?

18-29: **Cook's Theorem**

G_1 At each time i , M is in exactly one state

G_2 At each time i , the read-write head is scanning one tape square

G_3 At each time i , each tape square contains exactly one symbol

G_4 At time 0, the computation is in the initial configuration for input w

G_5 By time $p(|w|)$, M has entered the final state and has hence accepted w

G_6 For each time i , the configuration of the M at $i + 1$ follows by a single application of δ

18-30: **Cook's Theorem**

G_1 At each time i , M is in exactly one state

$$(Q[i, 0] \vee Q[i, 1] \vee \dots \vee Q[i, |K|])$$

for each $0 \leq i \leq p(|w|)$

$$(\overline{Q[i, j]} \vee \overline{Q[i, j']})$$

for each $0 \leq i \leq p(|w|), 0 \leq j < j' \leq |K|$ 18-31: **Cook's Theorem**

G_2 At each time i , the read-write head is scanning one tape square

$$(H[i, 0] \vee H[i, 1] \vee \dots \vee H[i, p(|w|)])$$

for each $0 \leq i \leq p(|w|)$

$$(\overline{H[i, j]} \vee \overline{H[i, j']})$$

for each $0 \leq i \leq p(|w|), 0 \leq j < j' \leq p(|w|)$

18-32: **Cook's Theorem**

G_3 At each time i , each tape square contains exactly one symbol

$$(S[i, j, 0] \vee S[i, j, 1] \vee \dots \vee S[i, j, |\Sigma|])$$

for each $0 \leq i \leq p(|w|), 0 \leq j \leq p(|w|)$

$$(\overline{S[i, j, k]} \vee \overline{S[i, j, k']})$$

for each $0 \leq i \leq p(|w|), 0 \leq j \leq p(|w|), 0 \leq k < k' \leq |\Sigma|$

18-33: **Cook's Theorem**

G_4 At time 0, the computation is in the initial configuration for input w

$$\begin{aligned} &Q[0, 0] \\ &H[0, 1] \\ &S[0, 0, 0] \\ &S[0, 1, w_1] \\ &S[0, 2, w_2] \\ &\dots \\ &S[0, |w|, w_{|w|}] \\ &S[0, |w| + 1, 0] \\ &S[0, |w| + 2, 0] \\ &\dots \\ &S[0, p(|w|), 0] \end{aligned}$$

18-34: **Cook's Theorem**

G_5 By time $p(|w|)$, M has entered the final state and has hence accepted w

$$Q[p(|w|), r]$$

Where q_r is the accept state

18-35: **Cook's Theorem**

G_6 For each time i , the configuration of the M at $i + 1$ follows by a single application of δ

For each deterministic transtion $((q_k, \Sigma_a), (q_l, \rightarrow))$

For all $0 \leq i \leq p(|w|), 0 \leq j \leq p(|w|)$

Add:

$$Q[i, k] \wedge H[i, j] \wedge S[i, j, a] \Rightarrow H[i + 1, j + 1]$$

$$Q[i, k] \wedge H[i, j] \wedge S[i, j, a] \Rightarrow Q[i + 1, l]$$

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Add:

$$Q[i, k] \wedge H[i, j] \wedge S[i, j, a] \Rightarrow H[i + 1, j - 1]$$

$$Q[i, k] \wedge H[i, j] \wedge S[i, j, a] \Rightarrow Q[i + 1, l]$$

18-37: **Cook's Theorem**

G_6 For each time i , the configuration of the M at $i + 1$ follows by a single application of δ

For each deterministic transtion $((q_k, \Sigma_a), (q_l, \Sigma_b))$

For all $0 \leq i \leq p(|w|), 0 \leq j \leq p(|w|)$

Add:

$$Q[i, k] \wedge H[i, j] \wedge S[i, j, a] \Rightarrow H[i + 1, j]$$

$$Q[i, k] \wedge H[i, j] \wedge S[i, j, a] \Rightarrow Q[i + 1, l]$$

$$Q[i, k] \wedge H[i, j] \wedge S[i, j, a] \Rightarrow S[i, j, b]$$

18-38: **Cook's Theorem**

G_6 For each time i , the configuration of the M at $i + 1$ follows by a single application of δ

For each non-deterministic transtion $((q_k, \Sigma_a), (q_l, \rightarrow))$ and $((q_k, \Sigma_a), (q_m, \rightarrow))$

For all $0 \leq i \leq p(|w|), 0 \leq j \leq p(|w|)$

Add:

$$Q[i, k] \wedge H[i, j] \wedge S[i, j, a] \Rightarrow H[i + 1, j + 1]$$

$$Q[i, k] \wedge H[i, j] \wedge S[i, j, a] \Rightarrow Q[i + 1, l] \vee Q[i + 1, m]$$

18-39: **Cook's Theorem**

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- ... similar rules for other non-deterministic cases

18-40: **Cook's Theorem**

G_6 For each time i , the configuration of the M at $i + 1$ follows by a single application of δ

$$H[i, j] \wedge S[i, k, a] \Rightarrow S[i + 1, k, a]$$

for all values of k, j between 0 and $p(|w|)$ where $k \neq j$, and all values $0 \leq a < |\Sigma|$

18-41: **More NP-Complete Problems**

- So, if we could solve Satisfiability in Polynomial Time, we could solve *any* NP problem in polynomial time
 - Including factoring large numbers ...
- Satisfiability is NP-Complete
- There are many NP-Complete problems
 - Prove NP-Completeness using a reduction

18-42: **More NP-Complete Problems**

- Exact Cover Problem
 - Set of elements A
 - $F \subset 2^A$, family of subsets
 - Is there a subset of F such that each element of A appears exactly once?

18-43: **More NP-Complete Problems**

- Exact Cover Problem
 - $A = \{a, b, c, d, e, f, g\}$
 - $F = \{\{a, b, c\}, \{d, e, f\}, \{b, f, g\}, \{g\}\}$
 - Exact cover exists:
 - $\{a, b, c\}, \{d, e, f\}, \{g\}$

18-44: **More NP-Complete Problems**

- Exact Cover Problem
 - $A = \{a, b, c, d, e, f, g\}$
 - $F = \{\{a, b, c\}, \{c, d, e, f\}, \{a, f, g\}, \{c\}\}$
 - No exact cover exists

18-45: **More NP-Complete Problems**

- Exact Cover is in NP
 - Guess a cover
 - Check that each element appears exactly once
- Exact Cover is NP-Complete

- Reduction from Satisfiability
- Given any instance of Satisfiability, create (in polynomial time) an instance of Exact Cover

18-46: **Exact Cover is NP-Complete**

- Given an instance of SAT:
 - $C_1 = (x_1, \vee \overline{x_2})$
 - $C_2 = (\overline{x_1} \vee x_2 \vee x_3)$
 - $C_3 = (x_2)$
 - $C_4 = (\overline{x_2}, \overline{x_3})$
- Formula: $C_1 \wedge C_2 \wedge C_3 \wedge C_4$
- Create an instance of Exact Cover
 - Define a set A and family of subsets F such that there is an exact cover of A in F if and only if the formula is satisfiable

18-47: **Exact Cover is NP-Complete**

$$C_1 = (x_1 \vee \overline{x_2}) \quad C_2 = (\overline{x_1} \vee x_2 \vee x_3) \quad C_3 = (x_2) \quad C_4 = (\overline{x_2} \vee \overline{x_3})$$

$$A = \{x_1, x_2, x_3, C_1, C_2, C_3, C_4, p_{11}, p_{12}, p_{21}, p_{22}, p_{23}, p_{31}, p_{41}, p_{42}\}$$

$$F = \{\{p_{11}\}, \{p_{12}\}, \{p_{21}\}, \{p_{22}\}, \{p_{23}\}, \{p_{31}\}, \{p_{41}\}, \{p_{42}\},$$

$$X_1, f = \{x_1, p_{11}\}$$

$$X_1, t = \{x_1, p_{21}\}$$

$$X_2, f = \{x_2, p_{22}, p_{31}\}$$

$$X_2, t = \{x_2, p_{12}, p_{41}\}$$

$$X_3, f = \{x_3, p_{23}\}$$

$$X_3, t = \{x_3, p_{42}\}$$

$$\{C_1, p_{11}\}, \{C_1, p_{12}\}, \{C_2, p_{21}\}, \{C_2, p_{22}\}, \{C_2, p_{23}\}, \{C_3, p_{31}\}, \{C_4, p_{41}\}, \{C_4, p_{42}\}\} \quad 18-48: \text{Knapsack}$$

- Given a set of integers S and a limit k :
 - Is there some subset of S that sums to k ?
- $\{3, 5, 11, 15, 20, 25\}$ Limit: 36
 - $\{5, 11, 20\}$
- $\{2, 5, 10, 12, 20, 27\}$ Limit: 43
 - No solution
- Generalized version of Integer Partition problem

18-49: **Knapsack**

- Knapsack is NP-Complete
- By reduction from Exact Cover
 - Given any Exact Cover problem (set A , family of subsets F), we will create a Knapsack problem (set S , limit k), such that there is a subset of S that sums to k if and only if there is an exact cover of A in F

18-50: **Knapsack**

- Each set will be represented by a number – bit-vector representation of the set

$$A = \{a_1, a_2, a_3, a_4\}$$

Set	Number
$F_1 = \{a_1, a_2, a_3\}$	1110
$F_2 = \{a_2, a_4\}$	0101
$F_3 = \{a_1, a_3\}$	1010
$F_4 = \{a_2, a_3, a_4\}$	0111

There is an exact cover if some subset of the numbers sum to ...

18-51: Knapsack

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There is an exact cover if some subset of the numbers sum to 1111

18-52: Knapsack

- Bug in our reduction:

$$A = \{a_1, a_2, a_3, a_4\}$$

Set	Number
$F_1 = \{a_2, a_3, a_4\}$	0111
$F_2 = \{a_2, a_4\}$	0101
$F_3 = \{a_3\}$	0010
$F_4 = \{a_4\}$	0001
$F_5 = \{a_1, a_3, a_4\}$	1011

- $0111 + 0101 + 0001 + 0010 = 1111$
- What can we do?

18-53: Knapsack

- Construct the numbers just as before
- Do addition in base m , where m is the number of element in A . $A = \{a_1, a_2, a_3, a_4\}$

Set	Number
$F_1 = \{a_2, a_3, a_4\}$	0111
$F_2 = \{a_2, a_4\}$	0101
$F_3 = \{a_3\}$	0010
$F_4 = \{a_4\}$	0001
$F_5 = \{a_1, a_3, a_4\}$	1011

- $0111 + 0101 + 0001 + 0010 = 0223$

- No subset of numbers sums to 1111

18-54: Integer Partition

- Integer Partition
 - Special Case of the Knapsack problem
 - “Half sum” H (sum of all elements in the set / 2) is an integer
 - Limit $k = H$
- Integer Partition is NP-Complete
 - Reduce Knapsack to Integer Partition

18-55: Integer Partition

- Given any instance of the Knapsack problem
 - Set of integers $S = \{a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n\}$ limit k
 - Is there a subset of S that sums to k ?
- Create an instance of Integer Partition
 - Set of integers $S = \{a_1, a_2, \dots, a_m\}$
 - Can we divide S into two subsets that have the same sum?
 - Equivalently, is there a subset of S that sums to $H = (\sum_{i=1}^m a_i)/2$

18-56: Integer Partition

- Given any instance of the Knapsack problem
 - Set of integers $S = \{a_1, a_2, \dots, a_n\}$ limit k
- We create the following instance of Integer Partition:
 - $S' = S \cup \{2H + 2k, 4H\}$ (H is the half sum of S)

18-57: Integer Partition

- $S' = S \cup \{2H + 2k, 4H\}$ (H is the half sum of S)
 - If there is a partition for S' , $2H + 2k$ and $4H$ must be in separate partitions (why)?

$$4H + \sum_{a_i \in P} a_i = 2H + 2k + \sum_{a_j \in S-P} a_j$$

18-58: Integer Partition

$$4H + \sum_{a_i \in P} a_i = 2H + 2k + \sum_{a_j \in S-P} a_j$$

- Adding $\sum_{a_i \in P} a_i$ to both sides:

$$4H + 2 \sum_{a_i \in P} a_i = 2H + 2k + \sum_{a_j \in S} a_j$$

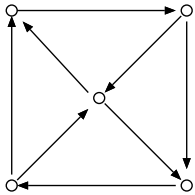
$$4H + 2 \sum_{a_i \in P} a_i = 4H + 2k$$

$$\sum_{a_i \in P} a_i = k$$

- Thus, if S' has a partition, then there must be some subset of S that sums to k

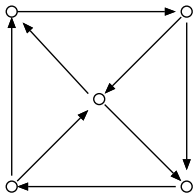
18-59: Directed Hamiltonian Cycle

- Given any directed graph G , determine if G has a Hamiltonian Cycle
 - Cycle that includes every node in the graph exactly once, following the direction of the arrows



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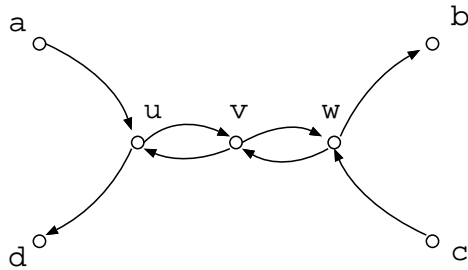
18-61: Directed Hamiltonian Cycle

- The Directed Hamiltonian Cycle problem is NP-Complete
- Reduce Exact Cover to Directed Hamiltonian Cycle
 - Given any set A , and family of subsets F :
 - Create a graph G that has a hamiltonian cycle if and only if there is an exact cover of A in F

18-62: Directed Hamiltonian Cycle

- Widgets:

- Consider the following graph segment:

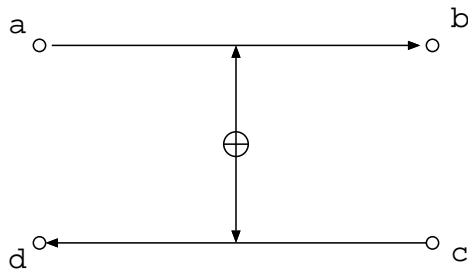


- If a graph containing this subgraph has a Hamiltonian cycle, then the cycle must contain either $a \rightarrow u \rightarrow v \rightarrow w \rightarrow b$ or $c \rightarrow w \rightarrow v \rightarrow u \rightarrow d$ – but not both (why)?

18-63: Directed Hamiltonian Cycle

- Widgets:

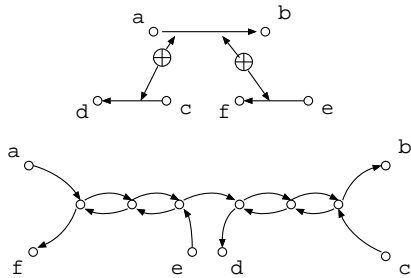
- XOR edges: Exactly one of the edges must be used in a Hamiltonian Cycle



18-64: Directed Hamiltonian Cycle

- Widgets:

- XOR edges: Exactly one of the edges must be used in a Hamiltonian Cycle



18-65: Directed Hamiltonian Cycle

- Add a vertex for every variable in A (+ 1 extra)

a_3

$$F_1 = \{a_1, a_2\}$$

$$F_2 = \{a_3\}$$

$$F_3 = \{a_2, a_3\}$$

 a_2 a_1 a_0 **18-66: Directed Hamiltonian Cycle**

- Add a vertex for every subset F (+ 1 extra)

 a_3 F_0

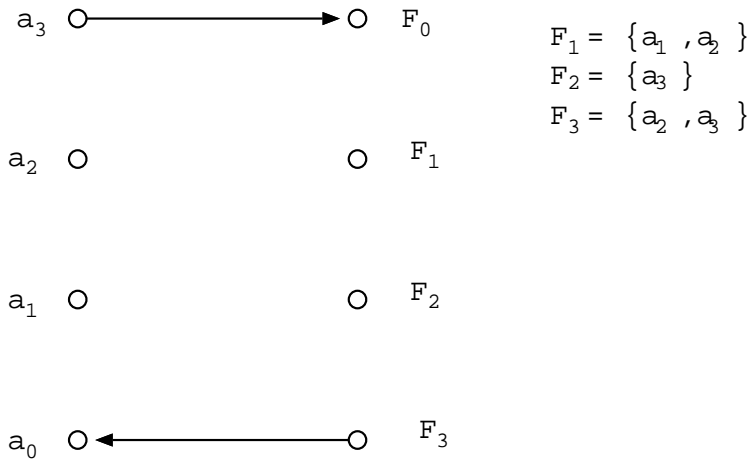
$$F_1 = \{a_1, a_2\}$$

$$F_2 = \{a_3\}$$

$$F_3 = \{a_2, a_3\}$$

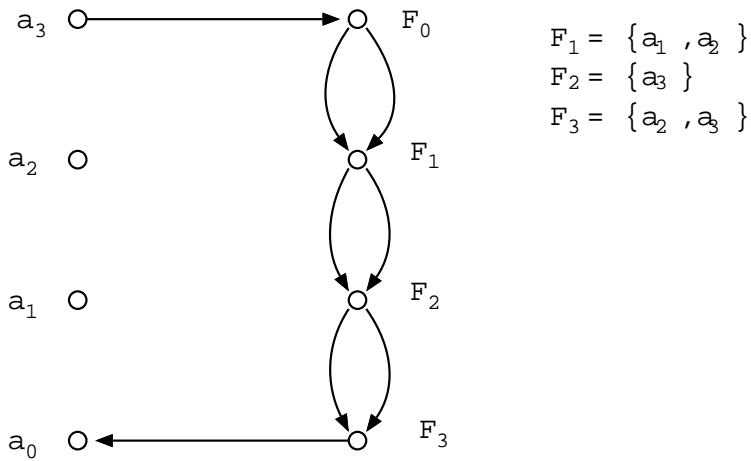
 a_2 F_1 a_1 F_2 a_0 F_3 **18-67: Directed Hamiltonian Cycle**

- Add an edge from the last variable to the 0th subset, and from the last subset to the 0th variable



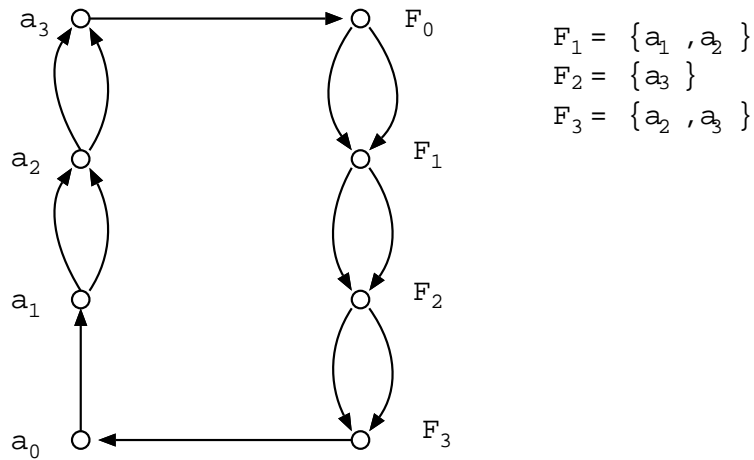
18-68: Directed Hamiltonian Cycle

- Add 2 edges from F_i to F_{i+1} . One edge will be a “short edge”, and one will be a “long edge”.



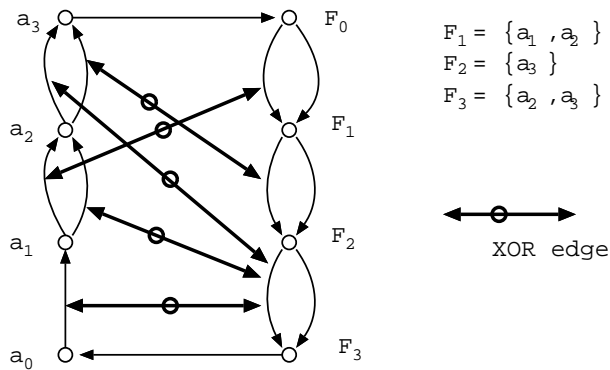
18-69: Directed Hamiltonian Cycle

- Add an edge from a_{i-1} to a_i for **each** subset a_i appears in.

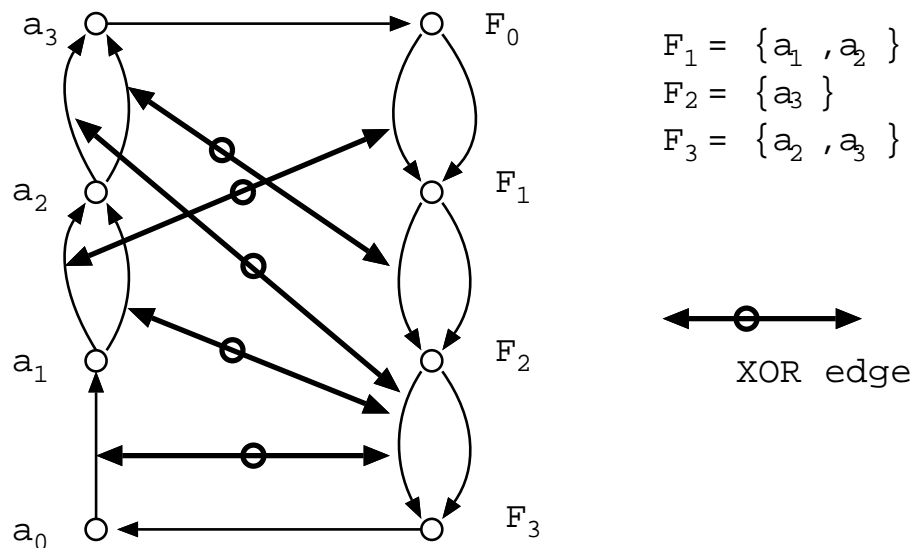


18-70: Directed Hamiltonian Cycle

- Each edge (a_{i-1}, a_i) corresponds to some subset that contains a_i . Add an XOR link between this edge and the long edge of the corresponding subset



18-71: Directed Hamiltonian Cycle



18-72: Directed Hamiltonian Cycle

